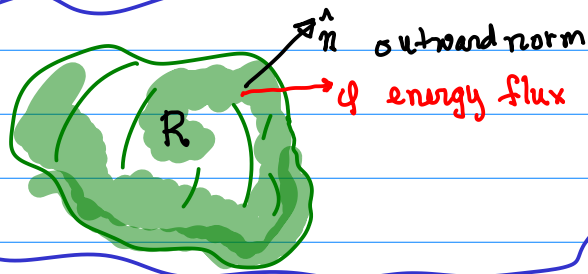


Do conservation of energy in 3D



$$\iiint_R \nabla \cdot q \, dV = \iint_{\partial R} q \cdot \hat{n} \, dS$$

Rate of change of heat energy = heat energy flowing across the boundaries per unit time + heat energy generated inside per unit time,

$$\frac{d}{dt} \iiint_R e(\vec{x}, t) \, dV = - \iint_{\partial R} q \cdot \hat{n} \, dS + \iiint_R Q(\vec{x}, t) \, dV$$

$\uparrow$  surface of  $R$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \iiint_R e(\vec{x}, t) \, dV = - \iiint_R \nabla \cdot q \, dV + \iiint_R Q(\vec{x}, t) \, dV$$

$$\iiint_R \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} e(\vec{x}, t) + \nabla \cdot q - Q(\vec{x}, t) \right) dV = 0$$

If the integral is zero for all different regions  $R$  inside  $\Omega$  the material under consideration, then

PDE  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} e(\vec{x}, t) + \nabla \cdot q - Q(\vec{x}, t) = 0$  for all  $\vec{x} \in \Omega$

Convert to temperature  $e(\vec{x}, t) = c(\vec{x}) \rho(\vec{x}) u(\vec{x}, t)$

$$q(\vec{x}, t) = -k_0(\vec{x}) \nabla u(\vec{x}, t)$$

Heat eq. in 3D.

$$c(\vec{x}) \rho(\vec{x}) \frac{\partial u(\vec{x}, t)}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (k_0(\vec{x}) \nabla u(\vec{x}, t)) + Q(\vec{x}, t)$$

# CHAPTER 2

## Method of Separation of Variables

Consider heat in a 1D rod:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{Q(x,t)}{c\rho}, \quad t > 0, \quad 0 < x < L,$$

linear PDE ... i.e.  $u$  only appears linearly.

Let  $L(u) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  and  $f(x,t) = \frac{Q(x,t)}{c\rho}$

Now the heat equation looks like

$$L(u) = f$$

looks like  $Ax=b$  in linear algebra...  $Ax=0$  homogeneous

Note  $L(c_1u + c_2v) = c_1L(u) + c_2L(v)$  ← linearity.

If  $f=0$  ← homogeneous problem.

Then  $L(u)=0$  and  $L(v)=0$  implies  $L(c_1u + c_2v) = 0$

This is called the superposition principle.

### Principle of Superposition

If  $u_1$  and  $u_2$  satisfy a linear homogeneous equation, then an arbitrary linear combination of them,  $c_1u_1 + c_2u_2$ , also satisfies the same linear homogeneous equation.

Also consider boundary conditions.

Heat bath  $\rightarrow u(0, t) = f(t)$

prescribed flux through the boundary  $\rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L, t) = g(t)$

insulating  $\rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, t) = 0$   $\leftarrow$  homogeneous.

Newton's law of cooling  $\rightarrow -K_0 \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L, t) = h[u(L, t) - \underline{g(t)}]$   
 $\leftarrow$  temperature outside

Notice  $u$  appears linearly in any of the boundary conditions.

Question: if  $u$  and  $v$  both satisfy the boundary condition does  $c_1 u + c_2 v$  also satisfy the same boundary condition?

Means homogeneous boundary

Examples: Heat bath with zero temp.  $u(0, t) = 0$

Insulating  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, t) = 0$

Newton with zero temp.  $-k_0 \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L, t) = h(u(L, t) - 0)$

Idea

To solve a problem with inhomogeneous boundary, shift the temperature and then solve the homogeneous boundary.

Details? Later...

PDE:  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$   $0 < x < L$   
 $t > 0$

BC:  $u(0, t) = 0$   
 $u(L, t) = 0$

We'll solve this first

IC:  $u(x, 0) = f(x)$ .