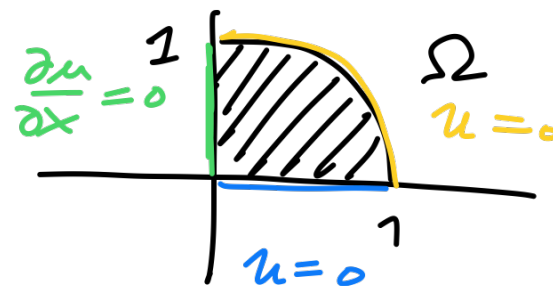


# Recitation 5

## Question 1

$$u_{xx} + u_{yy} = f(x, y)$$



in  $\Omega = \{ (x, y), x > 0, y > 0, x^2 + y^2 < 1 \}$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{lll} u=0 & y=0 & 0 < x < 1 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 & x=0 & 0 < y < 1 \\ u=0 & x > 0 & y > 0, x^2 + y^2 = 1 \end{array} \right.$$

Solution:  $\rightarrow$  cylindrical coordinate  
 $\rightarrow$  separation of variable  
 $\rightarrow$  Fourier series on  $f(r, \theta)$

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$$\Delta u = u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = f(r, \theta)$$

$$u(r, 0) = 0 \quad 0 \leq r < 1$$

$$u_{\theta}(r, \pi/2) = 0 \quad 0 \leq r < 1$$

$$u(1, \theta) = 0 \quad 0 \leq \theta < \pi/2$$

$$u(r, \theta) = X(r) Y(\theta)$$

$$\rightarrow X''(r) Y(\theta) + \frac{1}{r} X'(r) Y(\theta) + \frac{1}{r^2} X(r) Y''(\theta) = f(r, \theta)$$

$$\frac{X''(r)r^2 + r X'(r)}{X(r)} = \frac{-Y''(\theta)}{Y(\theta)} = \lambda$$

$$X''(r)r^2 + r X'(r) - \lambda X(r)$$

$$r = e^s \rightarrow \quad X(r) = V(\log r) \quad X(r) = V(s = \log(r))$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{d}{dr} X(r) = \frac{dV}{ds}(s) \cdot \frac{1}{r}$$

$$\frac{d^2}{dr^2} X(r) = \frac{d^2 V}{ds^2}(s) \frac{1}{r^2} + \frac{dV}{ds} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{r^2}\right)$$

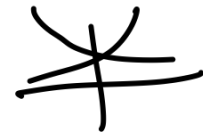
$$\frac{V''(s) - V'(s) + V'(s)}{V(s)} = \frac{V''(s)}{V(s)} = -\frac{Y''(\theta)}{Y(\theta)} = \lambda$$

$$i) Y''(\theta) = -\lambda Y(\theta)$$

$$Y(\theta) = A\theta + B$$

$$V(0) = 0$$

$$V_{\theta}(\pi/2) = 0$$



$$ii) Y(\theta) = Ae^{\mu\theta} + Be^{-\mu\theta}$$

$$V(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = -B$$

$$V_{\theta}(\pi/2) = 0 \Rightarrow A\mu(e^{\mu\theta} + e^{-\mu\theta})$$

$$A = 0$$

$$iii) Y(\theta) = Ae^{i\mu\theta} + Be^{-i\mu\theta}$$

$$V(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = -B$$

$$V_{\theta}(\pi/2) = 0 \Rightarrow (2\sin\mu\theta)_{\theta} = 2\mu\cos\mu\theta$$

$$2\mu\cos\mu\pi/2 = 0 \Rightarrow \mu\pi/2 = \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi$$

$$\mu = 1 + 2k$$

From this we get  $\lambda_k = (1+2k)^2$

$$U(s, \theta) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \sin(1+2k)\theta \cdot v(s)$$

$$\Delta U = f(r, \theta) = f(e^s, \theta)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} v''(s) A_k \sin((1+2k)\theta) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} v(s) (1+2k)^2 A_k \sin((1+2k)\theta) = f(e^s, \theta)$$

$$f(s, \theta) = \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} F_l \sin(l\theta)$$

$$F_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(s, \alpha) \sin \alpha \, d\alpha$$

We then match  $F_k$  with

$$V''(s) A_k + V(s) (1+2k)^2 A_k = F_{2k+1}$$

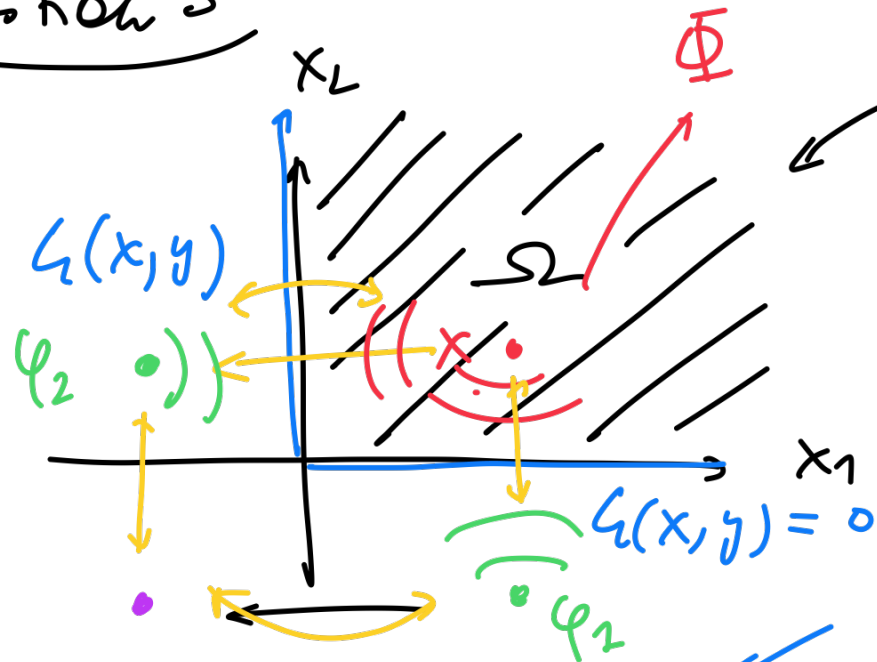
$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{2}^{-(1+2k)} \\ & \uparrow \\ & s = \log \sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

→ Homogeneous solution →  $V_H(s) = \underbrace{e^{(1+2k)s}} + \cancel{e^{-(1+2k)s}}$

Complete solution:  $V(s) = V_H(s) + V_{\text{particular}}(s)$

→ then apply remaining BC.

### Question 3



Green function

for  $\{ (x_1, x_2) \mid x_1 > 0$

$x_2 > 0 \}$

$\partial\Omega = \{ x_1=0$   
 $x_2=0 \}$

$$G(x, y) = \underbrace{\Phi(x-y)}_{\Phi(y-x)} - \underbrace{\varphi(y)}$$

$\Phi(y-x)$

$$-\frac{1}{2\pi} \log(|y-x|) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \log(|y - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -x_2 \end{pmatrix}|) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \log(|y - \begin{pmatrix} -x_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}|)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2\pi} \log(|y - \begin{pmatrix} -x_1 \\ -x_2 \end{pmatrix}|)$$

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### Question 6

Find the one dimensional Green's function for the interval  $(0, l)$ . The three properties defining it can be restated as

- (i) It solves  $\zeta''(x; x_0) = 0$  for  $x \neq x_0$
- (ii)  $\zeta(x; x_0) = 0$  at  $x = 0$  or  $x = l$
- (iii)  $\zeta(x; x_0)$  is continuous at  $x_0$  and  $\zeta(x) + \frac{1}{2}|x - x_0|$  is harmonic at  $x_0$



$$-\Delta \zeta(x, x_0) = \delta(x - x_0) \text{ in } D \quad (*)$$

$$\zeta = 0 \text{ on } \partial D$$

$$\zeta''(x, x_0) = 0 \text{ on } [0, x_0)$$

$$\zeta''(x, x_0) = 0 \text{ on } (x_0, l]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \zeta(x, x_0) &= C_1 + C_2 x & \text{if } x \in [0, x_0) \\ &= C_1' + C_2' x & \text{if } x \in (x_0, l] \end{aligned}$$

$$\zeta(x, x_0) = 0 \text{ for } x = 0 \rightarrow C_1 = 0$$

$$\zeta(x, x_0) = 0 \text{ for } x = l \rightarrow C_1' + C_2' l = 0 \rightarrow \overbrace{C_1' = -C_2' l}$$

Using continuity we get

$$C_2 x_0 = -C_2' l + C_2' x_0$$

$$C_2' = C_2 \frac{x_0}{(x_0 - l)} \rightarrow C_1' = -\frac{C_2 x_0}{(x_0 - l)} l \quad C_1 = 0$$

We are left with  $C_2$  which can be determined by solving Laplace's equation (\*)

$$-\int_{x_0 - \varepsilon}^{x_0 + \varepsilon} C_2''(x - x_0) dx = \int_{x_0 - \varepsilon}^{x_0 + \varepsilon} \delta(x - x_0) dx$$

$$\underbrace{-\left|\frac{dG_2}{dx}\right|_{x_0+\varepsilon} + \left|\frac{dG_2}{dx}\right|_{x_0-\varepsilon}} = 1$$

$$-C_2' + C_2 = 1$$

$$-C_2 \frac{x_0}{x_0-l} + C_2 = 1 \rightarrow C_2 \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0-l}\right) = 1$$

$$C_2 = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0-l}\right)}$$

$$C_1 = 0$$

$$C_2 = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l}\right)}$$

$$C_2' = \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l}} \right)$$

$$C_1' = -C_2' l$$

$$G(x, x_0) = \begin{cases} x \frac{(x_0 - l)}{-l} = \frac{l - x_0}{l} x & \text{if } x \in [0, x_0) \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{x_0}{x_0 - l} \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l}} \right) x - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l} \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l}} \right)$$

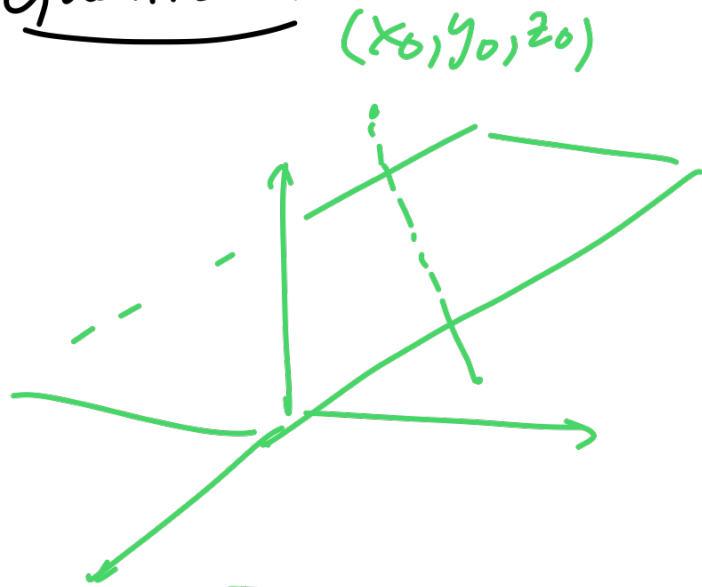
$$\text{if } x \in (x_0, l]$$

$$\frac{x_0}{x_0 - l} \frac{x_0 - l}{-l} x - \frac{x_0}{x_0 - l} \frac{x_0 - l}{-l}$$

$$\zeta(x, x_0) = \begin{cases} \frac{l-x_0}{l} x & x \in [0, x_0) \\ -\frac{x_0}{l} x + x_0 & x \in (x_0, l] \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{l-x_0}{l} x_0 \stackrel{!}{=} -\frac{x_0^2}{l} + x_0$$

Question 7

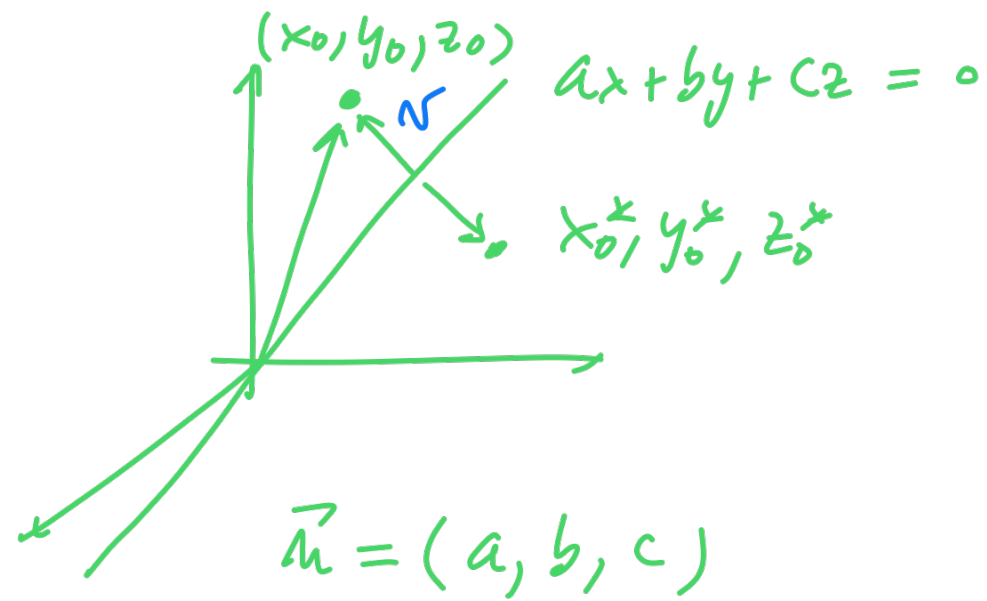


$$G(x, x_0) = \Phi(x, y, z; x_0, y_0, z_0)$$

$$\Phi(x, y, z; x_0, y_0, z_0) = \frac{-1}{4\pi \sqrt{(x-x_0)^2 + (y-y_0)^2 + (z-z_0)^2}}$$

Question: Where can we put  $x_0^*$  such that

$$G(x, x_0) = 0 \quad \text{on} \quad \pi = \{ (x, y, z) \mid ax + by + cz = 0 \}$$



projection of  $(x_0, y_0, z_0)$  onto  $(a, b, c)$

is given  $(x_0 a + y_0 b + z_0 c)$

From this, we get  $\vec{n}$  as

$$\vec{n} = (x_0 a + y_0 b + z_0 c) \cdot \frac{(a, b, c)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}}$$

To get the position of the negative source, we subtract twice the vector  $\mathbf{n}$  from  $(x_0, y_0, z_0)$

$$(x_0^*, y_0^*, z_0^*) = (x_0, y_0, z_0) - \frac{2(a, b, c)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}} \cdot (ax_0 + by_0 + cz_0)$$

From this we can define our Green function as

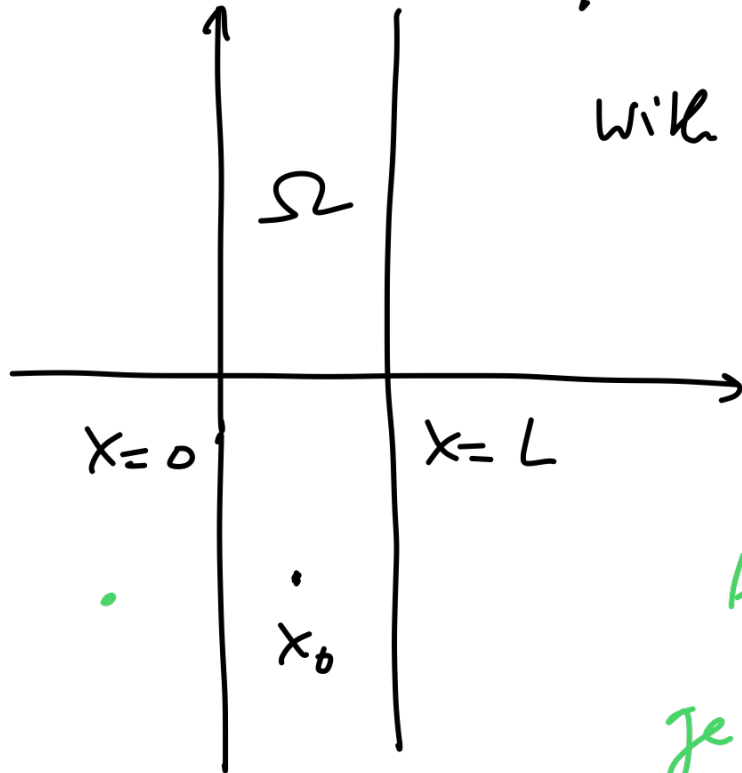
$$G(x, x_0) = \Phi(x, y, z; x_0, y_0, z_0) - \Phi(x, y, z; x_0^*, y_0^*, z_0^*)$$



## Question 4.2

Green function in  $\Omega$

with  $G(x, x_0) = 0$  at  $x=0$  and  $x=L$



let us start with  $\Phi(x-x_0)$

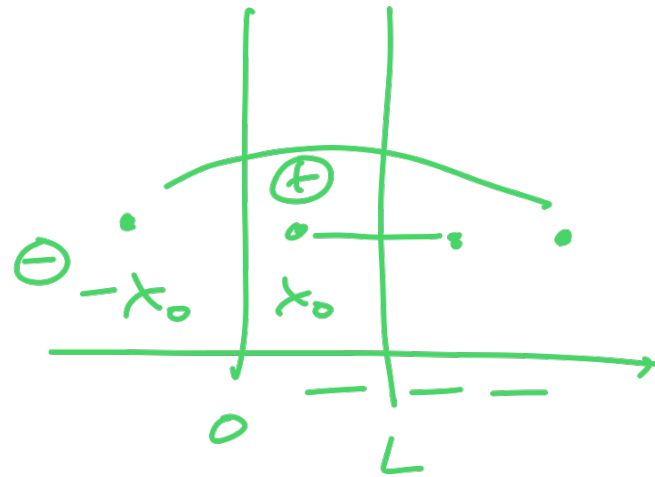
then let us add a source  $\delta$

yet cancellation on  $x=0$

first source should be added at  $-x_0 = x_0^*$

Issue: we have cancellation at  $x=0$  but not at  $x=L$   
 at this stage we have

$$\Phi(x-x_0) - \Phi(x+x_0)$$



→ to get cancellation at  $x=L$

We add 2 more sources at

$$\begin{cases} 2L-x_0 \\ L+x_0 \end{cases}$$

We now have

$$\begin{aligned} & \Phi\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}\right) - \Phi\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}\right) \\ & - \Phi\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2L-x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}\right) + \Phi\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} L+x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$G(x, x_0) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \Phi\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{x_n}{y_0}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{x_n^*}{y_0}\right)$$

$$x_n^* = nL - x_0 \quad \ominus$$

$$x_n = nL + x_0 \quad \oplus$$

