

Problem 30.4 HW#7

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Use the implicit method to solve for the temp distribution of a long thin rod with length 10 cm and $k' = 0.49 \text{ cal}/(\text{s.cm.C}^0)$, $\Delta x = 2 \text{ cm}$ and $\Delta t = 0.1 \text{ s}$. At $t=0$, the temp. of the rod is 0°C and the boundary conditions is that $\partial T/\partial x = 0$ at $x = 10 \text{ cm}$ and $T(0) = 100^\circ\text{C}$ for all time. note that the rode is aluminum with $C=0.2147 \text{ cal}/(\text{g.C}^0)$ and $\rho = 2.7 \text{ g/cm}^3$. therefor $k=0.49/(2.7 \times 0.2174)=0.835 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$ and $\lambda = 0.835(0.1)/2^2 = 0.020875$

Solution

The only difference between this problem and the example shown is in the boundary conditions. Here, $\partial T/\partial x = 0$ at $x = 10$ implies that $T_6^l = T_4^l$. The left point boundary condition is not changed, and T will remain at 100 degrees at $x=0$ for all time.

We now need to solve a parabolic PDE using the implicit method.

Recall that the solution using the parabolic PDE for the implicit method is written as

$$(1 + 2\lambda)T_i^{l+1} - \lambda T_{i+1}^{l+1} = T_i^l + \lambda T_{i-1}^{l+1}$$

We just need to pay attention to the edge nodes ($i=0$ and $i=5$ in our case). At $i=0$, $f_0(t^{l+1}) = 100$ and $f_5(t^{l+1}) = 0$

Now apply the PDE solution with the above boundary conditions in place. note that $(1 + 2\lambda) = 1.04175$

Apply one time step. now at time=0.1 seconds:

at $i=1$

$$1.04175 T_1^1 - 0.02875 T_2^1 = T_1^0 + 0.02875 T_0^1$$

or

$$1.04175 T_1^1 - 0.02875 T_2^1 = 0 + 0.02875 (100)$$

$$1.04175 T_1^1 - 0.02875 T_2^1 = 2.0875$$

Continue as above for the rest of the points on the rod

$i=2$

$$1.04175 T_2^1 - 0.02875 T_3^1 = T_2^0 + 0.02875 T_1^1$$

$$1.04175 T_2^1 - 0.02875 T_3^1 = 0 + 0.02875 T_1^1$$

$$1.04175 T_2^1 - 0.02875 T_3^1 - 0.02875 T_1^1 = 0$$

$i=3$

$$1.04175 T_3^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 = T_3^0 + 0.02875 T_2^1$$

$$1.04175 T_3^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 = 0 + 0.02875 T_2^1$$

$$1.04175 T_3^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 - 0.02875 T_2^1 = 0$$

$i=4$

$$1.04175 T_4^1 - 0.02875 T_5^1 = T_4^0 + 0.02875 T_3^1$$

$$1.04175 T_4^1 - 0.02875 (0) = 0 + 0.02875 T_3^1$$

$$1.04175 T_4^1 - 0.02875 T_3^1 = 0$$

i=5

$$1.04175 T_5^1 - 0.02875 T_6^1 = T_5^0 + 0.02875 T_4^1$$

replace T_6^1 with T_4^1

$$1.04175 T_5^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 = T_5^0 + 0.02875 T_4^1$$

$$1.04175 T_5^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 - 0.02875 T_4^1 = 0$$

$$1.04175 T_5^1 = 0$$

The above leads to the following set of simultaneous equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.04175 & -0.02875 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -0.02875 & 1.04175 & -0.2875 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.02875 & 1.04175 & -0.02875 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -0.020875 & 1.04175 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.04175 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_1^1 \\ T_2^1 \\ T_3^1 \\ T_4^1 \\ T_5^1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.0875 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve using matlab, we get

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>> A
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    1.0418    -0.0288         0         0         0
   -0.0288    1.0418   -0.2875         0         0
         0   -0.0288    1.0418   -0.0288         0
         0         0   -0.0209    1.0418         0
         0         0         0         0    1.0418
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>> b=[2.0875;0;0;0;0]
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b =
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    2.0875
         0
         0
         0
         0
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>>
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>> x=inv(A)*b
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x =
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    2.00538141884130
    0.05586410705841
    0.00154518911589
    0.00003096311283
         0
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So solution is at t=0.1 seconds:

$$T_1^1 = 2.00538141884130$$

$$T_2^1 = 0.05586410705841$$

$$T_3^1 = 0.00154518911589$$

$$T_4^1 = 0.00003096311283$$

$$T_5^1 = 0$$

To solve for t=0.2 seconds

at i=1

$$1.04175 T_1^2 - 0.02875 T_2^2 = T_1^1 + 0.02875 T_0^2$$

or

$$1.04175 T_1^2 - 0.02875 T_2^2 = 2.00538141884130 + 0.02875 (100)$$

$$1.04175 T_1^2 - 0.02875 T_2^2 = 4.88038141884130$$

Continue as above for the rest of the points on the rod

i=2

$$1.04175 T_2^2 - 0.02875 T_3^2 = T_2^1 + 0.02875 T_1^2$$

$$1.04175 T_2^2 - 0.02875 T_3^2 = 0.05586410705841 + 0.02875 T_1^2$$

$$1.04175 T_2^2 - 0.02875 T_3^2 - 0.02875 T_1^2 = 0.05586410705841$$

i=3

$$1.04175 T_3^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 = T_3^1 + 0.02875 T_2^2$$

$$1.04175 T_3^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 = 0.00154518911589 + 0.02875 T_2^2$$

$$1.04175 T_3^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 - 0.02875 T_2^2 = 0.00154518911589$$

i=4

$$1.04175 T_4^2 - 0.02875 T_5^2 = T_4^1 + 0.02875 T_3^2$$

$$1.04175 T_4^2 - 0.02875 (0) = 0.00003096311283 + 0.02875 T_3^2$$

$$1.04175 T_4^2 - 0.02875 T_3^2 = 0.00003096311283$$

i=5

$$1.04175 T_5^2 - 0.02875 T_6^2 = T_5^1 + 0.02875 T_4^2$$

replace T_6^2 with T_4^2

$$1.04175 T_5^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 = T_5^1 + 0.02875 T_4^2$$

$$1.04175 T_5^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 - 0.02875 T_4^2 = 0$$

$$1.04175 T_5^2 = 0$$

The above leads to the following set of simultaneous equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.04175 & -0.02875 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -0.02875 & 1.04175 & -0.2875 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.02875 & 1.04175 & -0.02875 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -0.020875 & 1.04175 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.04175 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_1^2 \\ T_2^2 \\ T_3^2 \\ T_4^2 \\ T_5^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.88038141884130 \\ 0.05586410705841 \\ 0.00154518911589 \\ 0.00003096311283 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve using matlab, we get

b =

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4.88038141884130
0.05586410705841
0.00154518911589
0.00003096311283
0
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x =

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4.68989959331789
0.18509504339506
0.00660452474090
0.00016206629882
0
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So solution is at $t=0.2$ seconds:

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 $T_1^2 = 4.68989959331789$ 
 $T_2^2 = 0.18509504339506$ 
 $T_3^2 = 0.00660452474090$ 
 $T_4^2 = 0.00016206629882$ 
 $T_5^2 = 0$ 
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So we see that the heat is moving from the left edge to the right edge with time.

Compare the above with the example (where T was fixed at 50^0 on the right edge of the rod compared with being fixed at zero in this case)

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 $T_1^2 = 3.9305$ 
 $T_2^2 = 0.119$ 
 $T_3^2 = 0.0618$ 
 $T_4^2 = 1.9653$ 
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