On a Linear Partial Differential Equation of the Higher Order in Two Variables with Initial Condition Whose Coefficients are Real-valued Simple Step Functions

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Abstract. By using the method developed in the paper [*Georg. Inter. J. Sci. Tech.*, Volume 3, Issue 1 (2011), 107-129], it is obtained a representation in an explicit form of the weak solution of a linear partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with initial condition whose coefficients are real-valued simple step functions.

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1 Introduction

In [1] has been obtained a representation in an explicit form of the solution of the linear partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with initial condition whose coefficients were real-valued coefficients. The aim of the present manuscript is resolve an analogous problem for a linear partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with initial condition whose coefficients are real-valued simple step functions.

The paper is organized as follows.

In Section 2, we consider some auxiliary notions and facts which come from works [1–3]. In Section 3, we get a representation in an explicit form of the weak solution of

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the partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with initial condition whose coefficients are real-valued simple step functions.

2 Some auxiliary notions and results

Definition 2.1. Fourier differential operator $(\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ in \mathbb{R}^{∞} is defined as follows:

$$(\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{a_0}{2} \\ a_1 \\ b_1 \\ a_2 \\ b_2 \\ a_3 \\ b_3 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{2\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{3\pi}{l} & \ddots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{3\pi}{l} & 0 & \ddots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \frac{a_0}{2} \\ a_1 \\ b_1 \\ a_2 \\ b_2 \\ a_3 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} .$$
 (2.1)

For $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let $FD^n[-l,l[$ be a vector space of all n-times differentiable functions on [-l,l[such that for arbitrary $0 \le k \le n-1$, a series obtained by a differentiation term by term of the Fourier series of $f^{(k)}$ pointwise converges to $f^{(k+1)}$ for all $x \in [-l,l[$.

Lemma 2.1. Let $f \in FD^{(1)}[-l,l[$. Let G_M be an embedding of the $FD^{(1)}[-l,l[$ in to R^{∞} which sends a function to a sequence of real numbers consisting from its Fourier coefficients. i.e., if

$$f(x) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \quad (x \in [-l, l[),$$

then $G_F(f) = (\frac{c_0}{2}, c_1, d_1, c_2, d_2,...)$. Then, for $f \in FD^{(1)}[-l, l[$, the following equality

$$\left(G_F^{-1} \circ (\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \circ G_F\right)(f) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}(f) \tag{2.2}$$

holds.

Proof. Assume that for $f \in FD^{(1)}[-l,l[$, we have the following representation

$$f(x) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \quad (x \in [-l, l[).$$

By the definition of the class $FD^{(1)}[-l,l]$, we have

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}(f) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \right)$$

$$\begin{split} &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\cos \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right) \right) + d_k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\sin \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right) \right) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} -c_k \frac{k\pi}{l} \sin \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right) + d_k \frac{k\pi}{l} \cos \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k\pi d_k}{l} \cos \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right) - \frac{k\pi c_k}{l} \sin \left(\frac{k\pi x}{l} \right). \end{split}$$

By the definition of the composition of mappings, we have

$$\left(G_F^{-1} \circ (\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \circ G_F\right)(f) = G_F^{-1}((\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}((G_F(f)))) = G_F^{-1} \left((\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{c_2}{c_1} \right) \right)$$

$$= G_F^{-1} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{2\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{2\pi}{l} & 0 & 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{3\pi}{l} & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{3\pi}{l} & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{3\pi}{l} & 0 & \cdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \frac{c_0}{2} \\ c_1 \\ d_1 \\ c_2 \\ d_2 \\ c_3 \\ d_3 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

$$= G_F^{-1} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1\pi d_1}{l} \\ -\frac{1\pi c_1}{l} \\ \frac{2\pi d_2}{l} \\ -\frac{2\pi c_2}{l} \\ \frac{3\pi d_3}{l} \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} \right) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k\pi d_k}{l} \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) - \frac{k\pi c_k}{l} \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right).$$

By the scheme used in the proof of Lemma 2.1, we can get the validity of the following assertion.

Lemma 2.2. Let G_M be an embedding of the $FD^n[-l,l[$ in to R^{∞} which sends a function to a sequence of real numbers consisting from its Fourier coefficients.

Then, for $f \in FD^{(n)}[-l,l[$ and $A_k \in R(0 \le k \le n)$, the following equality

$$\left(G_F^{-1} \circ \left(\sum_{k=0}^n A_k((\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x})^k\right) \circ G_F\right)(f) = \sum_{k=0}^n A_k \frac{\partial^k}{\partial x^k}(f)$$
(2.3)

holds, where A_k are real numbers for $0 \le k \le n$.

Example 2.1. [2] If A is the real matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sigma & \omega \\ -\omega & \sigma \end{pmatrix}, \tag{2.4}$$

then

$$e^{tA} = e^{\sigma t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{pmatrix}. \tag{2.5}$$

Lemma 2.3. For $m \ge 1$, let us consider a linear autonomous nonhomogeneous ordinary differential equations of the first order

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}t}((a_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}) = \left(\sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n \left((\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^n \right) \times ((a_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}) + (f_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$$
(2.6)

with initial condition

$$(a_k(0))_{k\in\mathbb{N}} = (C_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}},$$
 (2.7)

where

- (i) $(C_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}\in\mathbf{R}^{\infty}$;
- (ii) $f = (f_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ is the sequence of continuous functions of a parameter t on R.

For each $k \ge 1$, we put

$$\sigma_k = \sum_{n=0}^{m} (-1)^n A_{2n} \left(\frac{k\pi}{l}\right)^{2n},\tag{2.8}$$

$$\omega_k = \sum_{n=0}^{m-1} (-1)^n A_{2n+1} \left(\frac{k\pi}{l}\right)^{2n+1}.$$
 (2.9)

Then the solution of (2.6)-(2.7) is given by

$$(a_{k}(t))_{k\in\mathbb{N}} = e^{t\left(\sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_{n}\left((\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)^{n}\right)} \times (C_{k})_{k\in\mathbb{N}} + \int_{0}^{t} e^{(\tau-t)\left(\sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_{n}\left((\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\right)^{n}\right)} \times f(\tau)d\tau, \quad (2.10)$$

where $\exp(t(\sum_{n=0}^{2m}A_n((\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x})^n))$ denotes an exponent of the matrix $t(\sum_{n=0}^{2m}A_n((\mathcal{F})\frac{\partial}{\partial x})^n)$ and it exactly coincides with an infinite-dimensional $(1,2,2,\ldots)$ -cellular matrix D(t) with cells $(D_k(t))$ $k\in\mathbb{N}$ for which $D_0(t)=(e^{tA_0})$ and

$$D_k(t) = e^{\sigma_k t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\omega_k t) & \sin(\omega_k t) \\ -\sin(\omega_k t) & \cos(\omega_k t) \end{pmatrix}, \tag{2.11}$$

where for $k \ge 1$, σ_k and ω_k are defined by (2.8)-(2.9), respectively.

Proof. We know that if we have a linear autonomous inhomogeneous ordinary differential equations of the first order

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}t}((a_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}) = E \times ((a_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}) + (f_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$$
(2.12)

with initial condition

$$(a_k(0))_{k \in \mathbb{N}} = (C_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}},$$
 (2.13)

where

- (i) $(C_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}\in\mathbf{R}^{\infty}$;
- (ii) $(f_k)_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ is the sequence of continuous functions of parameter t on R;
- (iii) E is an infinite dimensional (1,2,2,...)-cellular matrix with cells $(E_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$.

Then the solution of (2.6)-(2.7) is given by (cf. [2], $\S 6$, Section 1)

$$(a_k(t))_{k\in\mathbb{N}} = e^{tE} \times (C_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}} + \int_0^t e^{(\tau - t)E} \times f(\tau) d\tau, \tag{2.14}$$

where e^{tE} and $e^{(\tau-t)E}$ denote exponents of matrices tE and $(\tau-t)E$, respectively.

Note that $t\sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n \left((\mathcal{F}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^n$ is an infinite-dimensional (1,2,2,...)-cellular matrix with cells $(tE_k)_{k\in\mathbb{N}}$ such that $tE_0 = (tA_0)$ and

$$tE_k = \begin{pmatrix} t\sigma_k & t\omega_k \\ -t\omega_k & t\sigma_k \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.15}$$

for $k \ge 1$. Under notations (2.8)-(2.9), by using Example 2.1 we get that for $t \in R$, e^{tE} exactly coincides with an infinite-dimensional (1,2,2,...) -cellular matrix D(t) with cells $(D_k(t))_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$ for which $D_0(t) = (e^{tA_0})$ and

$$D_k(t) = e^{\sigma_k t} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\omega_k t) & \sin(\omega_k t) \\ -\sin(\omega_k t) & \cos(\omega_k t) \end{pmatrix}. \tag{2.16}$$

Note that, for $0 \le \tau \le t$, the matrix $e^{(\tau - t)E}$ exactly coincides with an infinite-dimensional (1,2,2,...)-cellular matrix $D(\tau - t)$.

The following proposition is a simple consequence of Lemma 2.3.

Corollary 2.1. For $m \ge 1$, let us consider a linear partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi(t, x) = \sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} \Psi(t, x) \ ((t, x) \in [0, +\infty[\times [-l, l[)$$
 (2.17)

with initial condition

$$\Psi(0,x) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \in FD^{(0)}[-l,l[.$$
 (2.18)

If $(\frac{c_0}{2}, c_1, d_1, c_2, d_2, ...)$ is such a sequence of real numbers that a series $\Psi(t, x)$ defined by

$$\Psi(t,x) = \frac{e^{tA_0}c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{\sigma_k t} \left((c_k \cos(\omega_k t) + d_k \sin(\omega_k t)) \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + (d_k \cos(\omega_k t) - c_k \sin(\omega_k t)) \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \right)$$
(2.19)

belongs to the class $FD^{(2m)}[-l,l[$ as a series of a variable x for all $t \ge 0$, and is differentiable term by term as a series of a variable t for all $t \in [-l,l[$, then Ψ is a solution of (2.17)-(2.18).

3 Solution of a linear partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with initial condition when coefficients are real-valued simple step functions

Let $0 = t_0 < \dots < t_I = T$ and $-l = x_0 < \dots < x_I = l$. Suppose that

$$A_n(t,x) = \sum_{i=0}^{I-1} \sum_{j=0}^{J-1} A_n^{(i,j)} \times \chi_{[t_i,t_{i+1}[\times [x_j,x_{j+1}[}(t,x),$$

where $A_n^{(i,j)}$ are given real numbers for $0 \le k \le n, 0 \le i < I, 0 \le j < J$. For $m \ge 1$, let us consider a partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi(t, x) = \sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n(t, x) \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} \Psi(t, x) ((t, x) \in [0, T[\times[-l, l[)]])$$
(3.1)

with initial condition

$$\Psi(0,x) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \in FD^{(0)}[-l,l[. \tag{3.2})]$$

Definition 3.1. We say that $\Psi(t,x)$ is a weak solution of (3.1)-(3.2) if the following conditions hold:

- (i) $\Psi(t,x)$ satisfies (3.1) for each $(t,x) \in [0,T[\times[-l,l[$ for which $t \neq t_i(0 \leq i \leq I)$ or $x \neq x_j(0 \leq j \leq I)$;
- (ii) $\Psi(t,x)$ satisfies (3.2);
- (iii) for each fixed $x \in [-l,l[$, the function $\Psi(t,x)$ is continuous with respect to $t \in [0,T[$, and for each $t \in [0,T[$ the function $\Psi(t,x)$ is continuous with respect to x on [-l,l[except points $\{x_j:0 \le j \le J-1\}$.

First, let fix *j* and consider a partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi_{(0,j)}(t,x) = \sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n^{(0,j)} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} \Psi_{(0,j)}(t,x) \ ((t,x) \in [0,+\infty[\times [-l,l[)$$
 (0,j)(PDE)

with initial condition

$$\Psi_{(0,j)}(t_0,x) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right)$$

$$= \frac{c_0^{(0,j)}}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k^{(0,j)} \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k^{(0,j)} \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \in FD^{(0)}[-l,l[,$$
(0,j)(IC)

By Corollary 2.1, under some restrictions on $(\frac{c_0}{2}, c_1, d_1, c_2, d_2, ...)$, a series $\Psi_{(0,j)}(t,x)$ defined by

$$\Psi_{(0,j)}(t,x) = \frac{e^{tA_0^{(0,j)}}c_0^{(0,j)}}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{\sigma_k^{(0,j)}t} \left(\left(c_k^{(0,j)} \cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t) + d_k^{(0,j)} \sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t) \right) \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + \left(d_k^{(0,j)} \cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t) - c_k^{(0,j)} \sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t) \right) \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \right)$$
(3.3)

is a solution of (0,j)(PDE)-(0,j)(IC).

Now let consider a partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi_{(1,j)}(t,x) = \sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n^{(1,j)} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} \Psi_{(1,j)}(t,x) \ ((t,x) \in [0,+\infty[\times [-l,l[)$$
 (1,j)(PDE)

with initial condition

$$\Psi_{(1,j)}(t_1,x) = \Psi_{(0,j)}(t_1,x).$$
 (1,j)(IC)

We will try to present the solution of the (1,j)(PDE) by the following form

$$\Psi_{(1,j)}(t,x) = \frac{e^{tA_0^{(1,j)}}c_0^{(1,j)}}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{\sigma_k^{(1,j)}t} \left(\left(c_k^{(1,j)} \cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t) + d_k^{(1,j)} \sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t) \right) \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) \right)$$

$$+ (d_k^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t) - c_k^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t))\sin(\frac{k\pi x}{l}).$$
(3.4)

In order to get validity of the condition (1,j)(IC), we consider the following infinite system of equations:

$$\frac{e^{t_1 A_0^{(1,j)}} c_0^{(1,j)}}{2} = \frac{e^{t_1 A_0^{(0,j)}} c_0^{(0,j)}}{2},\tag{3.5}$$

$$e^{\sigma_k^{(1,j)}t_1}(c_k^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1)+d_k^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1))$$

$$=e^{\sigma_k^{(0,j)}t_1}(c_k^{(0,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t_1)+d_k^{(0,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t_1))(k\in\mathbb{N}), \tag{3.6}$$

$$e^{\sigma_k^{(1,j)}t_1}(d_k^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1)-c_k^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1))$$

$$=e^{\sigma_k^{(0,j)}t_1}(d_k^{(0,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t_1)-c_k^{(0,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)}t_1))(k\in\mathbb{N}). \tag{3.7}$$

We have

$$c_0^{(1,j)} = e^{t_1(A_0^{(0,j)} - A_0^{(1,j)})} c_0^{(0,j)}.$$
(3.8)

For $k \in \mathbb{N}$ we can rewrite Eqs. (3.6)-(3.7) as follows:

$$c_{k}^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_{k}^{(1,j)}t_{1}) + d_{k}^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_{k}^{(1,j)}t_{1}) = e^{(\sigma_{k}^{(0,j)} - \sigma_{k}^{(1,j)})t_{1}}(c_{k}^{(0,j)}\cos(\omega_{k}^{(0,j)}t_{1}) + d_{k}^{(0,j)}\sin(\omega_{k}^{(0,j)}t_{1})), \tag{3.9}$$

$$-c_{k}^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_{k}^{(1,j)}t_{1})+d_{k}^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_{k}^{(1,j)}t_{1})=e^{(\sigma_{k}^{(0,j)}-\sigma_{k}^{(1,j)})t_{1}}(d_{k}^{(0,j)}\cos(\omega_{k}^{(0,j)}t_{1})\\-c_{k}^{(0,j)}\sin(\omega_{k}^{(0,j)}t_{1})). \tag{3.10}$$

Setting

$$\mathbb{A} = e^{(\sigma_k^{(0,j)} - \sigma_k^{(1,j)})t_1} (c_k^{(0,j)} \cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)} t_1) + d_k^{(0,j)} \sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)} t_1))$$
(3.11)

and

$$\mathbb{B} = e^{(\sigma_k^{(0,j)} - \sigma_k^{(1,j)})t_1} (d_k^{(0,j)} \cos(\omega_k^{(0,j)} t_1) - c_k^{(0,j)} \sin(\omega_k^{(0,j)} t_1)), \tag{3.12}$$

for $k \in \mathbb{N}$, we obtain

$$c_k^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) + d_k^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) = \mathbb{A}$$
(3.13)

and

$$-c_k^{(1,j)}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) + d_k^{(1,j)}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) = \mathbb{B}.$$
(3.14)

It is obvious that the system of Eqs. (3.13)-(3.14) has the unique solution which can be done as follows:

$$c_k^{(1,j)} = \mathbb{A}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) - \mathbb{B}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1)$$
(3.15)

and

$$d_k^{(1,j)} = \mathbb{B}\cos(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1) + \mathbb{A}\sin(\omega_k^{(1,j)}t_1)$$
(3.16)

for $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

By Corollary 2.1, under some restrictions on $(\frac{c_0^{(1,j)}}{2}, c_1^{(1,j)}, d_1^{(1,j)}, c_2^{(1,j)}, d_2^{(1,j)}, \dots)$, the series $\Psi_{(1,j)}(t,x)$ defined by (3.4) is the solution of (1,j)(PDE)-(1,j)(IC).

It is obvious that under nice restrictions on coefficients participated in (3.1) and (3.2), we can continue our procedure step by step. Correspondingly we can construct a sequence $(\Psi_{(s,j)})_{0 \le s \le I-1, 1 \le j \le J-1}$ such that $\Psi_{(s,j)}$ satisfies a linear partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi_{(s,j)}(t,x) = \sum_{n=0}^{2m} A_n^{(s,j)} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial x^n} \Psi_{(s,j)}(t,x) \ ((t,x) \in [0,+\infty[\times[-l,l[)$$

with initial condition

$$\Psi_{(s,j)}(t_s,x) = \Psi_{(s-1,j)}(t_s,x) = \frac{c_0^{(s,j)}}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_k^{(s,j)} \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right) + d_k^{(s,j)} \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{l}\right).$$
 (s,j)(IC)

Theorem 3.1. If for coefficients $(\frac{c_0^{(i,j)}}{2}, c_1^{(i,j)}, d_1^{(i,j)}, c_2^{(i,j)}, d_2^{(i,j)}, \dots)(1 \le i \le I, 1 \le j \le J)$ functions $\Psi_{(i,j)}(t,x)$ satisfy conditions of Corollary 2.1, then a function $\Psi(t,x):[0,T[\times[-l,l]\to R]]$ defined by

$$\sum_{i=0}^{I-1} \sum_{j=0}^{J-1} \Psi_{(i,j)}(x,t) \times \chi_{[t_i,t_{i+1}[\times[x_j,x_{j+1}[}(t,x)$$
(3.17)

is a weak solution of (3.1) and (3.2).

Example 3.1. Let consider a linear partial differential equation of the 22 order in two variables

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi(t, x) = A(t, x) \times \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \Psi(t, x) + B(t, x) \times \frac{\partial^{22}}{\partial x^{22}} \Psi(t, x) \ ((t, x) \in [0, 2\pi[\times [0, \pi[)$$

with initial condition

$$\Psi(0,x) = \frac{0.015}{2} + 5\sin(x),\tag{3.19}$$

where

$$A(t,x) = 0.5 \times \chi_{[0,\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x) + 0.55 \times \chi_{[\pi,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x)$$

and

$$B(t,x) = 2 \times \chi_{[0,\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x) + 2.5 \times \chi_{[\pi,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x).$$

The programm in MatLab (cf. [4]) for a solution of (3.18) and (3.19), has the following form:

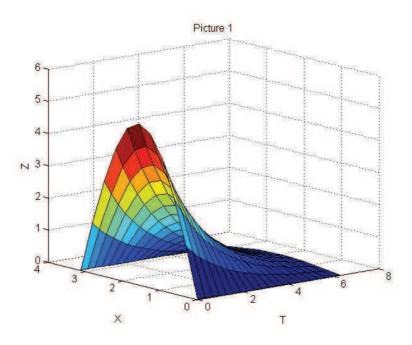


Figure 1: Graphic of the solution of the LPDE-(3.18) with IC-(3.19).

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A10 = 0; A20 = 0; C10 = 0.015;
for k = 1:20
S1(k) = A10; S2(k) = A20;
for n = 1:10
S1(k) = S1(k) + (-1)^{(n)} * A1(2*n) * k^{(2*n)};
S2(k) = S2(k) + (-1)^{(n)} * A2(2*n) * k^{(2*n)};
end
end
for k = 1:20
O1(k) = 0;
O2(k) = 0;
end
for k = 1:20
for n = 1:10
O1(k) = O1(k) + (-1)^n * A1(2*n+1)*k(2*n+1);
O2(k) = O2(k) + (-1)^n * A2(2*n+1)*k(2*n+1);
end
end
```

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[T1, X1] = \mathbf{meshgrid}(0: (pi/10): pi, 0: (pi/10): pi);
   Z1 = 0.5 * C10 * exp(T1. * A10);
   for k = 1:20
   Z1=Z1+C1(k)*\exp(T1*S1(k)).*\cos(X1.*k).*\cos(T1*O1(k))+D1(1)*\exp(T1*S1(k)).*
\cos(X1.*k).*\sin(T1*O1(k))+
   D1(k)*\exp(T1*S1(k)).*\sin(X1.*k).*\cos(T1*O1(k)) - C1(k)*\exp(T1*S1(k)).*\sin(X1.*k)
k).*\sin(T1*O1(k));
   end
   C20 = \exp(pi * (A10 - A20)) * C10;
   for k = 1:20
   A(k) = \exp((S1(k) - S2(k)) * pi) * (C1(k) * \cos(O1(k) * pi) + D1(k) * \sin(O1(k) * pi));
   B(k) = \exp((S1(k) - S2(k)) * pi) * (D1(k) * \cos(O1(k) * pi) - C1(k) * \sin(O1(k) * pi));
   end
   for k = 1:20
   C2(k) = A(k) * \cos(O2(k) * pi) - B(k) * \sin(O2(k) * pi);
   D2(k) = B(k) * \cos(O2(k) * pi) + A(k) * \sin(O2(k) * pi);
   [T2, X2] = \mathbf{meshgrid}(pi:(pi/10):(2*pi), 0:(pi/10):pi);
   Z2 = 0.5 * C20 * exp((T2) * A20);
   for k = 1:20
   Z2=Z2+C2(k)*\exp(T2*S2(k)).*\cos(X2.*k).*\cos(T2*O2(k))+D2(1)*\exp(T2*S2(k)).*
\cos(X2.*k).*\sin(T2*O2(k))+
   D2(k)*\exp(T2*S2(k)).*\sin(X2.*k).*\cos(T2*O2(k)) - C2(k)*\exp(T2*S2(k)).*\sin(X2.*k)
k).*sin(T2*O2(k));
   end
   \mathbf{surf}(T1, X1, Z1)
   hold on
   surf(T2,X2,Z2)
   hold off
```

Example 3.2. Let consider a linear partial differential equation of the 21 order in two variables

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi(t,x) = A(t,x) \Psi(t,x) + B(t,x) \times \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \Psi(t,x)
+ 100 \frac{\partial^3}{\partial x^3} \Psi(t,x) + 2 \frac{\partial^{21}}{\partial x^{21}} \Psi(t,x) ((t,x) \in [0,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[)$$
(3.20)

with initial condition

$$\Psi(0,x) = \frac{0.015}{2} + 100\sin(x),\tag{3.21}$$

where

$$A(t,x) = 1\chi_{[0,\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x)+0\chi_{[\pi,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x)$$

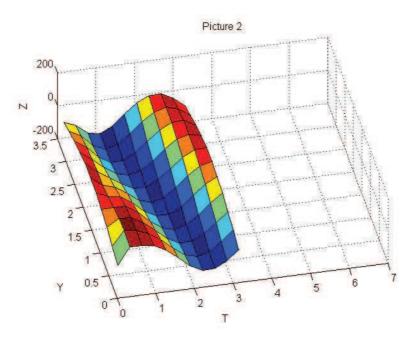


Figure 2: Graphic of the solution of the LPDE-(3.20) with IC-(3.21).

and

$$B(t,x) = \chi_{[0,\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x) - \chi_{[\pi,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[}(t,x).$$

The graphical solution of (3.20)-(3.21) can be obtained by MatLab programm used in Example 3.1 for the following data:

A10 = 1; A20 = 0; C10 = 0.15;

We see that we have no graphic on the region $[\pi,2\pi[\times[0,\pi[$ which hints us that coefficients of the LPDE (3.20)-(3.21) on that region do not satisfy conditions of Theorem 3.1.

Remark 3.1. Notice that for each natural number M > 1, one can easily modify the Mat-Lab program described in Example 3.1 for obtaining the graphical solution of the linear partial differential equation (3.1)-(3.2) whose coefficients $(A_n(t,x))_{0 \le n \le 2M}$ are real-valued simple step functions on $[0,T] \times [-l,l]$ and f is a trigonometric polynomial on [-l,l].

Remark 3.2. The approach used for a solution of (3.1)-(3.2) can be used in such a case when coefficients $(A_n(t,x))_{0 \le n \le 2M}$ are rather smooth continuous functions on $[0,T[\times[-l,l[$. If we will approximate $(A_n(t,x))_{0 \le n \le 2M}$ by real-valued simple step functions, then it is

natural to wait that under some "nice restrictions" on $(A_n(t,x))_{0 \le n \le 2M}$ the solutions obtained by Theorem 3.1, will give us a "good approximation" of the solution of the required linear partial differential equation of the higher order in two variables with corresponding initial conditions.

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