

10.1 Sturm-Liouville Problem (continued)

from last time: $y'' + \lambda y = 0 \quad 0 < x < L$

$$y(0) = 0$$

$$hy(L) - y'(L) = 0 \quad h > 0$$

we found λ could be negative

for $\lambda < 0$,

$$\lambda_0 = -\frac{\beta_0^2}{L^2}$$
$$y_0 = \sinh\left(\frac{\beta_0}{L}x\right)$$

β_0 is the positive intersection
of $\tanh(x) = \frac{1}{hL}x$

these are the only eigenvalue and eigenfunction
for $\lambda < 0$

now check if $\lambda = 0$ gives us nontrivial solution

$$y'' + \lambda y = 0 \rightarrow y'' = 0 \rightarrow y = c_1 x + c_2$$

$$y(0) = 0 \rightarrow 0 = c_2 \rightarrow y = c_1 x$$

$$hy(L) - y'(L) = 0 \rightarrow hc_1 L - c_1 = 0 \quad c_1 \neq 0$$

$$hL = 1$$

so, if $\lambda = 0$, the eigenfunction is $x \rightarrow$

$$\lambda_1 = 0$$
$$y_1 = x$$

now $\lambda > 0$, for convenience, let $\lambda = k^2$ $k > 0$

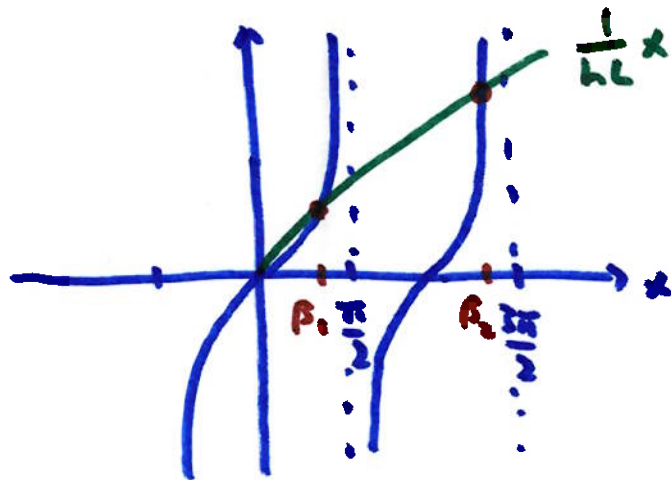
$$y'' + k^2 y = 0 \rightarrow y = c_1 \cos(kx) + c_2 \sin(kx)$$

$$y(0) = 0 \rightarrow 0 = c_1 \rightarrow y = c_2 \sin(kx)$$

$$hy(L) - y'(L) = 0 \rightarrow h c_2 \sin(kL) - c_2 k \cos(kL) = 0 \quad c_2 \neq 0$$

$$h \sin(kL) = k \cos(kL)$$

$$\tan(kL) = \frac{k}{h} = \frac{kL}{hL} \rightarrow \text{solve } \tan(x) = \frac{1}{hL} x$$



$$\beta_n = k_n L = \sqrt{\lambda_n} L$$

$$\lambda_n = \frac{\beta_n^2}{L^2}$$

$$y_n = \sin\left(\frac{\beta_n}{L} x\right)$$

$$\beta_n \rightarrow \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2} \text{ as } n \text{ increases}$$

(y_n start to look like sine series)

all these eigenfunctions y_i are mutually orthogonal (just like in a standard Fourier series)

$$\int_0^L y_i y_j dx = 0 \quad i \neq j$$

for example, $y'' + \lambda y = 0 \quad 0 < x < \pi$

$$y(0) = y(\pi) = 0 \quad (\text{rod length } L \text{ ends at } 0 \text{ deg})$$

$$\lambda_n = n^2, \quad y_n = \sin(nx)$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{stand Fourier} \\ \text{Sine} \end{array} \lambda = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}, \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) \right)$$

$$\int_0^\pi y_n y_m dx = \int_0^\pi \sin(nx) \sin(mx) dx = 0 \quad n \neq m$$

$$\int_0^\pi \sin(nx) \sin(nx) dx = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \left(\frac{L}{2} \right)$$

Sine series: $f(x) = b_1 \sin(x) + b_2 \sin(2x) + \dots$

if we want b_3 ,

$$f(x) \sin(3x) = b_1 \sin(x) \sin(3x) + b_2 \sin(2x) \sin(3x) \\ + b_3 \sin(3x) \sin(3x) + \dots$$

$$\int_0^\pi f(x) \sin(3x) dx = \int_0^\pi b_1 \cancel{\sin(x) \sin(3x)} dx \\ + \int_0^\pi b_2 \sin(2x) \sin(3x) dx \\ + \dots \rightarrow 0$$

$$\int_0^\pi f(x) \sin(3x) dx = b_2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$b_3 = \frac{1}{\pi/2} \int_0^\pi f(x) \sin(3x) dx \rightarrow b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi f(x) \sin(nx) dx$$

we can represent many functions using mutually orthogonal eigenfunctions (Fourier series, for example)

process is the same, but coefficients will be more complicated-looking (not $\frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \cos(\frac{n\pi x}{L}) dx$, for example)

for example, $y'' + \lambda y = 0 \quad 0 < x < 3$

$$y(0) = 0$$

$$y(3) + y'(3) = 0$$

it is a regular SL problem, $\lambda \geq 0$

if we solved it, we get $\lambda_n = \frac{\beta_n^2}{9}$ β_n are intersections of $\tan(x) = -\frac{1}{9}x$

$\beta = 2.8, 5.7, 8.7, 11.7, \dots$

$$y_n = \sin\left(\frac{\beta_n}{3}x\right)$$

$\hookrightarrow$ not integer
so not standard Fourier

suppose we want to expand $f(x) = 1$ using these y_n ,

$$1 = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2 + c_3 y_3 + \dots + c_n y_n + \dots \quad y_n = \sin\left(\frac{\beta_n}{3} x\right)$$

what do the c_n 's look like?

$$\int_0^3 y_i y_j dx = 0 \quad \int_0^3 y_i y_i dx \neq 0$$

$$1 \cdot y_n = c_1 y_1 y_n + c_2 y_2 y_n + \dots$$

integrate

$$\int_0^3 1 \cdot y_n dx = \int_0^3 c_1 y_1 y_n dx + \int_0^3 c_2 y_2 y_n dx + \dots + \int_0^3 c_n y_n y_n dx + \int_0^3 c_{n+1} y_{n+1} y_n dx + \dots$$

$\neq 0$

$$c_n = \frac{\int_0^3 1 \cdot y_n dx}{\int_0^3 y_n y_n dx} = \dots = \frac{2 - 2\cos(\beta_n)}{\beta_n - \sin(\beta_n)\cos(\beta_n)}$$