

# PDE Introductory Exercises and Solutions

## Chapter 5, Hyperbolic Equations

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# 1 Derive the wave equation for a string that moves in a medium...

Derive the wave equation for a string that moves in a medium in which the resistance force between the string and the medium is proportional to the velocity of the string.

*Solution.* Since the resistance force between the string and the medium is proportional to the velocity of the string, take the resistance on a unit length of string as  $R = -\beta u_t$  where  $\beta$  is the positive damping coefficient.

Applying the string micro-piece model with the tension  $T(t)$  of the string and the external force  $F(x, t)$  exerted on the string

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} \rho(x) u_{tt}(x, t) dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{\partial (T(t) u_x(x, t))}{\partial x} dx + \int_{x_1}^{x_2} -\beta u_t(x, t) dx + \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F(x, t) dx.$$

It is not hard to deduce the equation

$$\rho(x) u_{tt}(x, t) = T(t) u_{xx}(x, t) - \beta u_t(x, t) + F(x, t),$$

then, dividing by given constant  $\rho(x)$  as density distribution of the string, we have

$$u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx} - b u_t + f(x, t), \quad x \in (0, l), \quad t \in (-\infty, +\infty)$$

where  $b = \beta/\rho(x)$ ,  $a^2 = T(t)/\rho(x)$  and  $f(x, t) = F(x, t)/\rho(x)$ .

# 2 Solve the following initial-boundary value problems for the wave equation.

(1)

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - 4u_{xx} = 0, & x \in (0, 1), \quad t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(0, t) = 0 = u(1, t), & t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x), \quad u_t(x, 0) = \sin(4\pi x), & x \in (0, 1). \end{cases}$$

*Solution.* Assume  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$ ,

$$\frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T''}{4T} = -\lambda.$$

The corresponding eigenvalue problem of  $X$  is

$$\begin{cases} X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0 \\ X(0) = 0, \quad X(1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

then the eigenvalue and eigenfunction are given by

$$\lambda_n = n^2 \pi^2, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots,$$

$$X_n(x) = \sin(n\pi x), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

The corresponding ODE of  $T$  is  $T_n''(t) + 4\lambda_n T_n(t) = 0$  and the general solution is given by

$$T_n(t) = a_n \cos(2n\pi t) + b_n \sin(2n\pi t), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

By the initial condition  $u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x)$  and  $T_n(0) = a_n$ ,

$$\sin(\pi x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n(x) T_n(0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin(n\pi x) \cdot a_n \Rightarrow a_1 = 1, \quad a_{n \geq 2} = 0,$$

and by the initial condition  $u_t(x, 0) = \sin(4\pi x)$  and  $T_n'(0) = 2n\pi b_n$ ,

$$\sin(4\pi x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n(x) T_n'(0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin(n\pi x) \cdot 2n\pi b_n \Rightarrow b_4 = \frac{1}{8\pi}, \quad b_{n \neq 4} = 0.$$

Thus,

$$u(x, t) = \cos(2\pi t) \sin(\pi x) + \frac{1}{8\pi} \sin(8\pi t) \sin(4\pi x).$$

(2)

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - a^2 u_{xx} = 0, & x \in (0, 1), t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u_x(0, t) = 0 = u_x(1, t), & t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) = x, u_t(x, 0) = 0, & x \in (0, 1). \end{cases}$$

*Solution.* Assume  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$ ,

$$\frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T''}{a^2 T} = -\lambda.$$

The corresponding eigenvalue problem of  $X$  is

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$$\lambda_n = n^2 \pi^2, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

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The corresponding ODE of  $T$  is  $T_n''(t) + a^2 \lambda_n T_n(t) = 0$  and the general solution is given by

$$T_0(t) = a_0 + b_0 t,$$

$$T_n(t) = a_n \cos(an\pi t) + b_n \sin(an\pi t), \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

By the initial condition  $u(x, 0) = x$ ,

$$x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n(x) T_n(0) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(n\pi x),$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_0 &= \int_0^1 x dx = \frac{1}{2}, \\
a_n \cos(n\pi) &= \frac{2}{1} \int_0^1 x \cos(n\pi x) dx = 2 \frac{\pi n \sin(\pi n) + \cos(\pi n) - 1}{\pi^2 n^2} \\
\Rightarrow a_n &= \frac{2(-1)^n - 2}{n^2 \pi^2}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots,
\end{aligned}$$

and by the initial condition  $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ ,

$$0 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n(x) T_n'(0) = b_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n a_n \pi \cos(n\pi x) \Rightarrow b_n = 0, \quad n \geq 0.$$

Thus,

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^n - 2}{n^2 \pi^2} \cos(an\pi t) \cos(n\pi x).$$

**(3)**

$$\begin{cases}
u_{tt} - a^2 u_{xx} = 0, & x \in (0, 1), t \in \mathbb{R}, \\
u(0, t) = 0, u_x(1, t) = 1, & t \in \mathbb{R}, \\
u(x, 0) = 0, u_t(x, 0) = \cos(\pi x), & x \in (0, 1).
\end{cases}$$

*Solution.* To transform non-homogeneous boundary conditions into a homogeneous, let

$$u(x, t) = U(x, t) + w(x, t) \Rightarrow U(x, t) = u(x, t) - w(x, t)$$

and we should choose  $w(x, t)$  for the following

$$U(0, t) = -w(0, t), \quad U_x(0, t) = u_x(1, t) - w_x(1, t) = 1 - w_x(1, t)$$

s.t. each of them equals to zero. Here, we may take  $w(x, t) = x$  so  $U(x, t) = u(x, t) - x$ , then there is

$$\begin{cases}
U_{tt} - a^2 U_{xx} = 0, & x \in (0, 1), t \in \mathbb{R}, \\
U(0, t) = 0, U_x(1, t) = 0, & t \in \mathbb{R}, \\
U(x, 0) = -x, U_t(x, 0) = \cos(\pi x), & x \in (0, 1).
\end{cases}$$

To solve this problem, we can start the routine now. Assume  $U(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$ ,

$$\frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T''}{a^2 T} = -\lambda.$$

The corresponding eigenvalue problem of  $X$  is

$$\begin{cases}
X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0 \\
X(0) = 0, X'(1) = 0
\end{cases}$$

then the eigenvalue and eigenfunction are given by

$$\lambda_n = \left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

$$X_n(x) = \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

The corresponding ODE of  $T$  is  $T_n''(t) + a^2\lambda_n T_n(t) = 0$  and the general solution is given by

$$T_n(t) = a_n \cos\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right) + b_n \sin\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

By the initial condition  $U(x, 0) = x$ ,

$$-x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n(x)T_n(0) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = -2 \int_0^1 x \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right) dx = (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{(n+1/2)^2\pi^2}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

and by the initial condition  $U_t(x, 0) = \cos(\pi x)$ ,

$$\cos \pi x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n a(n+1/2)\pi \sin\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow b_n &= \frac{2}{a(n+1/2)\pi} \int_0^1 \cos(\pi x) \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right) dx \\ &= \frac{8}{a\pi^2(4n^2 + 4n - 3)}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$U(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right) + b_n \sin\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right) \right) \cdot \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right)$$

so that

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, t) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \left( (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{(n+1/2)^2\pi^2} \right) \cos\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left( \frac{8}{a\pi^2(4n^2 + 4n - 3)} \right) \sin\left(a\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)t\right) \right) \cdot \sin\left(\left(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)x\right) + x. \end{aligned}$$

### 3 Solve the Cauchy problem.

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - a^2 u_{xx} = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) = e^{-x^2}, \quad u_t(x, 0) = \sin(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

*Solution.* By d'Alembert's Formula, with  $\phi(x) = e^{-x^2}$  and  $\psi(x) = \sin(x)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{2} (\phi(x+at) + \phi(x-at)) + \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^{x+at} \psi(s) ds \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (e^{-(x-at)^2} + e^{-(x+at)^2}) + \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^{x+at} \sin(s) ds \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (e^{-(x-at)^2} + e^{-(x+at)^2}) + \frac{1}{2a} (\cos(x-at) - \cos(x+at)). \end{aligned}$$

## 4 Solve the Cauchy problem.

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - a^2 u_{xx} = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) = 0, u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}, \end{cases}$$

where

$$\psi(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| < a, \\ 0, & |x| \geq a. \end{cases}$$

Sketch the graph of  $u$  vs  $x$  at times  $t = 1/2, 1, 3/2, 2$ .

*Solution.* By d'Alembert's Formula, with  $\phi(x) = 0$ ,

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} (\phi(x + at) + \phi(x - at)) + \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^{x+at} \psi(s) ds$$

$$= \begin{cases} 0, & x - at \geq a \\ \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^a ds, & -a < x - at < a, a < x + at, \\ \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^{x+at} ds, & -a < x - at, x + at < a, \\ \frac{1}{2a} \int_{-a}^{x+at} ds, & x - at < -a, a < x + at, \\ \frac{1}{2a} \int_{-a}^{x+at} ds, & x - at < -a, -a < x + at < a, \\ 0, & x + at \leq -a \end{cases}$$

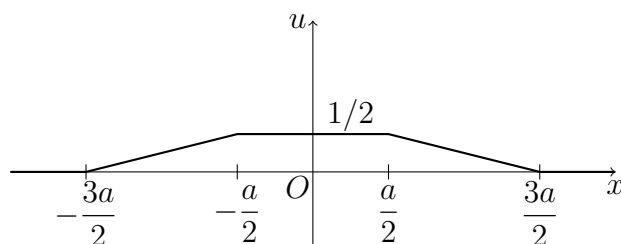
That is,

$$u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x - at \geq a \text{ or } x + at \leq -a, \\ \frac{a - x + at}{2a}, & -a < x - at < a, a < x + at, \\ t, & -a \leq x - at, x + at \leq a, \\ 1, & x - at \leq -a, a \leq x + at, \\ \frac{x + at + a}{2a}, & x - at < -a, -a < x + at < a. \end{cases}$$

The graphs of  $u$  vs  $x$ :

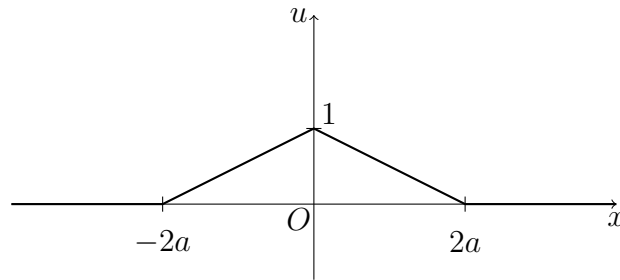
If  $t = 1/2$ , then there is

$$u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \geq 3a/2 \text{ or } x \leq -3a/2, \\ \frac{-x + 3a/2}{2a}, & a/2 < x < 3a/2, \\ 1/2, & -a/2 \leq x \leq a/2, \\ \frac{x + 3a/2}{2a}, & -3a/2 < x < -a/2. \end{cases}$$



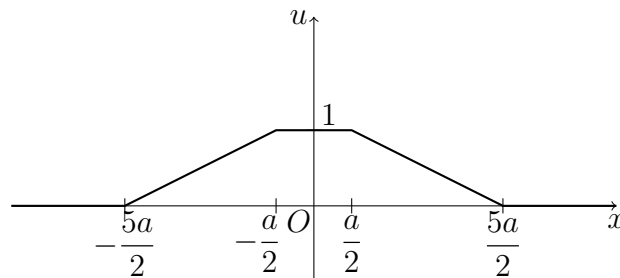
If  $t = 1$ , then there is

$$u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \geq 2a \text{ or } x \leq -2a, \\ \frac{-x + 2a}{2a}, & 0 < x < 2a, \\ 1, & x = 0 \\ \frac{x + 2a}{2a}, & -2a < x < 0. \end{cases}$$



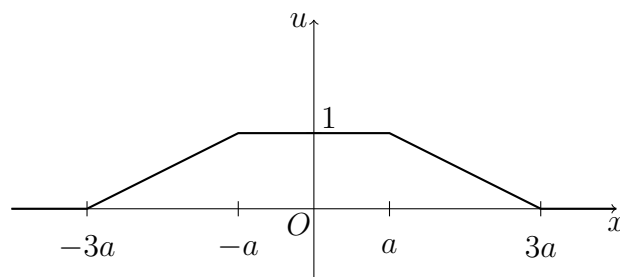
If  $t = 3/2$ , then there is

$$u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \geq 5a/2 \text{ or } x \leq -5a/2, \\ \frac{-x + 5a/2}{2a}, & a/2 < x < 5a/2, \\ 1, & -a/2 \leq x \leq a/2, \\ \frac{x + 5a/2}{2a}, & -5a/2 < x < -a/2. \end{cases}$$



If  $t = 2$ , then there is

$$u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \geq 3a \text{ or } x \leq -3a, \\ \frac{-x + 3a}{2a}, & a < x < 3a, \\ 1, & -a \leq x \leq a, \\ \frac{x + 3a}{2a}, & -3a < x < -a. \end{cases}$$



**5 Let  $u$  be a solution of the wave equation... Is it possible that  $u(x, 1)$  is smoother than  $u(x, 0)$ ? Is it possible to have a maximum principle for the wave equation?**

Let  $u$  be a solution of the wave equation

$$u_{tt} = u_{xx}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Is it possible that  $u(x, 1)$  is smoother than  $u(x, 0)$ ? Is it possible to have a maximum principle for the wave equation?

*Solution.*

(a) It is impossible that  $u(x, 1)$  is smoother than  $u(x, 0)$  in  $x$ .

Denoted the initial conditions as  $u(x, 0) = \phi(x)$  and  $u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x)$ , consider

$$u_x(x, 0) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{1}{2} (\phi(x) + \phi(x)) + \frac{1}{2} \int_x^x \psi(s) ds \right) = \frac{d\phi(x)}{dx}, \quad u_{xx}(x, 0) = \frac{d^2\phi(x)}{dx^2}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} u_x(x, 1) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{1}{2} (\phi(x+1) + \phi(x-1)) + \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-1}^{x+1} \psi(s) ds \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{d\phi(x+1)}{dx} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{d\phi(x-1)}{dx} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \int_{x-1}^{x+1} \psi(s) ds \right), \\ u_{xx}(x, 1) &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2\phi(x+1)}{dx^2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2\phi(x-1)}{dx^2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \left( \int_{x-1}^{x+1} \psi(s) ds \right). \end{aligned}$$

And the derivatives of higher degrees are similar. We have that  $u(x, 0)$  is at least smooth as  $u(x, 1)$ , because (for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ) the existence of  $\frac{d^k\phi(x+1)}{dx^k}$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$  promises the existence of  $\frac{d^k\phi(x)}{dx^k}$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ .

(b) There is no a maximum principle for the wave equation. Construct a counterexample as following:

Suppose that there is a maximum principle for the wave equation and  $u(x, t) = \sin x \sin t$  is a solution for the wave equation in a rectangle  $(0, L) \times (0, T) := (0, \pi) \times (0, \pi)$ , where  $u_{xx} = -\sin x \sin t = u_{tt}$ . According to the maximum principle, the maximum of  $u(x, t)$  is zero since

$$u(0, t) = 0, \quad u(\pi, t) = 0, \quad u(x, 0) = 0, \quad u(x, \pi) = 0,$$

but in the rectangle there is  $u\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1$ , which is a contradiction.

Besides, we also see that a solution for the wave equation may not satisfy the prerequisite  $-\Delta u \leq 0$ , for above example

$$-\Delta u = -u_{xx} - u_{tt} = 2 \sin x \sin t \not\leq 0.$$



**6 Let  $u$  be the solution of... Show that if both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are even functions, then so is  $u$  in  $x$ . Formulate and prove the analog when both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are odd.**

Let  $u$  be the solution of

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - a^2 u_{xx} = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) = \phi(x), u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

Show that if both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are even functions, then so is  $u$  in  $x$ . Formulate and prove the analog when both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are odd.

**(1) For Even Initial Conditions**

We want to show that if both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are even functions, then so is  $u$  in  $x$

Even  $\phi(x)$  and  $\psi(x)$  give that  $\phi(x) = \phi(-x)$  and  $\psi(x) = \psi(-x)$ . The associated initial value problem for  $u(-x, t)$  is

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt}(-x, t) - a^2 u_{xx}(-x, t) = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(-x, 0) = \phi(-x) = \phi(x), u_t(-x, 0) = \psi(-x) = \psi(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}, \end{cases}$$

and consider  $u(x, t) - u(-x, t)$  as a linear combination of two solution of the wave equation s.t.

$$\begin{cases} (u(x, t) - u(-x, t)) = a^2 (u(x, t) - u(-x, t)), & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) - u(-x, 0) = 0, u_t(x, 0) - u_t(-x, 0) = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

Clearly, a solution is  $u(x, t) - u(-x, t) = 0$ . Because the solution to the wave equation is unique, it is the only required solution. Thus,  $u(x, t) = u(-x, t)$ , implying even  $u$  in  $x$ .

**(2) For Odd Initial Conditions**

We also have that if both  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  are odd functions, then so is  $u$  in  $x$ .

Odd  $\phi(x)$  and  $\psi(x)$  give that  $\phi(x) = -\phi(-x)$  and  $\psi(x) = -\psi(-x)$ . The associated initial value problem for  $u(-x, t)$  is

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt}(-x, t) - a^2 u_{xx}(-x, t) = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(-x, 0) = \phi(-x) = -\phi(x), u_t(-x, 0) = \psi(-x) = -\psi(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}, \end{cases}$$

and consider  $u(x, t) + u(-x, t)$  as a linear combination of two solution of the wave equation s.t.

$$\begin{cases} (u(x, t) + u(-x, t)) = a^2 (u(x, t) + u(-x, t)), & x \in \mathbb{R}, t \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u(x, 0) + u(-x, 0) = 0, u_t(x, 0) + u_t(-x, 0) = 0, & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

Clearly, a solution is  $u(x, t) + u(-x, t) = 0$ . Because the solution to the wave equation is unique, it is the only required solution. Thus,  $u(x, t) = -u(-x, t)$ , implying odd  $u$  in  $x$ .

**7 (Principle of causality) Let  $u$  be a smooth solution of the wave equation  $u_{tt} = u_{xx}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ . Prove that...**

Let  $u$  be a smooth solution of the wave equation

$$u_{tt} = u_{xx}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, t \geq 0.$$

Prove that for any  $(x_0, t_0) \in (-\infty, +\infty) \times (0, +\infty)$ ,

$$\int_{x_0-t_0+t}^{x_0+t_0-t} \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2)(x, t) dx \leq \int_{x_0-t_0}^{x_0+t_0} \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2)(x, 0) dx, \quad \forall 0 < t < t_0.$$

Hint: multiply the wave equation by  $u_t$  and then try to re-write the equation in the form

$$F_t - G_x = 0.$$

Integrate this equation and apply Green's Theorem to the trapezoid bounded by the  $x$ -axis, the characteristic lines passing through  $(x_0, t_0)$ , and the horizontal line  $t = t$ .

*Proof.* Multiply the wave equation by  $u_t$  as

$$u_t u_{tt} = u_t u_{xx}$$

and rewrite in the form

$$F_t - G_x = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \frac{u_t u_t}{2} + \frac{u_x u_x}{2} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (u_t u_x) dx = 0.$$

Integrate this equation we have

$$\int_{\Omega} F_t - G_x dA = 0$$

then by Green's Theorem

$$\begin{aligned} & \oint_{\partial\Omega} \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n} dS = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & \int_R \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n}_R dS + \int_T \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n}_T dS + \int_M \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n}_M dS = 0 \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\int_T \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2) dS + \int_M \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n}_M dS = \int_R \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2) dS$$

where  $\Omega$  is the area bounded by the  $x$ -axis (denoted as  $R$ ), the characteristic lines passing through  $(x_0, t_0)$  (denoted as  $M$ ), and the horizontal line  $t = t$  (denoted as  $T$ ). Let  $\xi = x - x_0$ , then it is not hard to deduce

$$\int_M \langle F_t, -G_x \rangle \cdot \mathbf{n}_M dS = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \int_M \left( \frac{(u_t - u_\xi)^2}{2} + \frac{(u_x - u_\xi)^2}{2} \right) dS \geq 0.$$

Hence we end up with the inequality

$$\int_{x_0-t_0+t}^{x_0+t_0-t} \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2)(x, t) dx \leq \int_{x_0-t_0}^{x_0+t_0} \frac{1}{2} (u_t^2 + u_x^2)(x, 0) dx, \quad \forall 0 < t < t_0.$$

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