

Math 404, Fall 2020
Homework #3

These problem are worth 6 points each.

1. Textbook, page 56, problem #1 (but I have changed the initial condition from $u(x, 0) = x$ to $u(x, 0) = 1$ to make solving it a little easier.

$$\begin{array}{ll} u_t = u_{xx} & 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0 \\ u(0, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u_x(1, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = 1 & 0 < x < 1 \end{array}$$

2. Textbook, page 57, problem #3:

$$\begin{array}{ll} u_t = u_{xx} & 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0 \\ u_x(0, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u_x(1, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = x & 0 < x < 1 \end{array}$$

3. Solve the initial/boundary value problem (24) on Slide #44:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \kappa \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} & 0 < x < L, \quad t > 0 \\ u(0, t) = 0 & t > 0 \\ u(L, t) = \sigma \sin \omega t & t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = 0 & 0 < x < L \end{array}$$