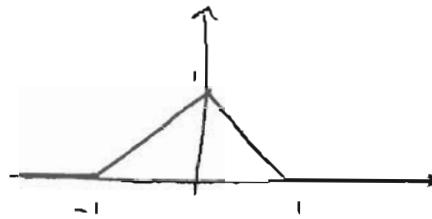


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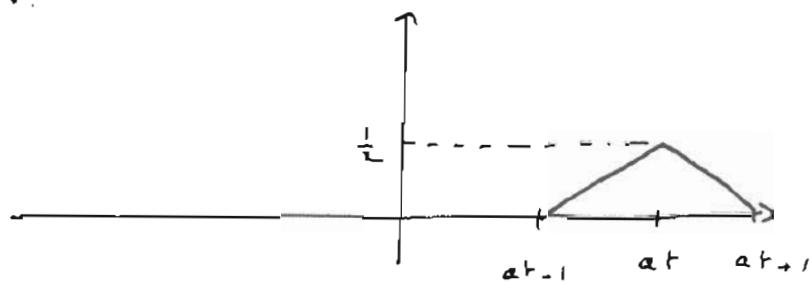
Problem 1 we have

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} f(x-at) + \frac{1}{2} f(x+at)$$

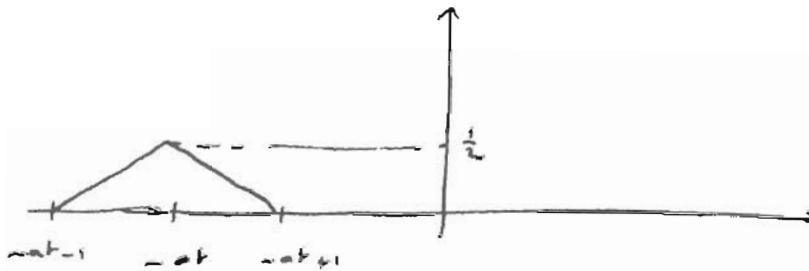
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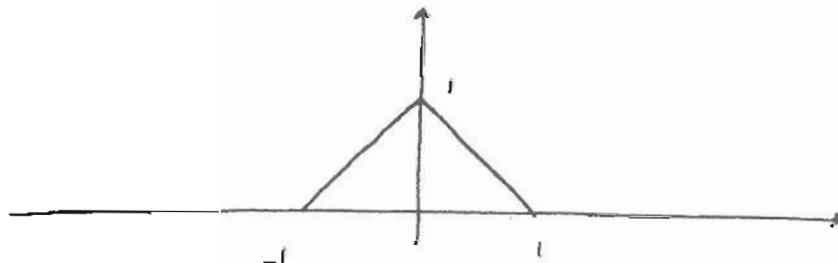
the function  $\frac{1}{2} f(x-at)$  looks like.



the function  $\frac{1}{2} f(x+at)$  looks like



We deduce that  $u(x, t)$  looks like:

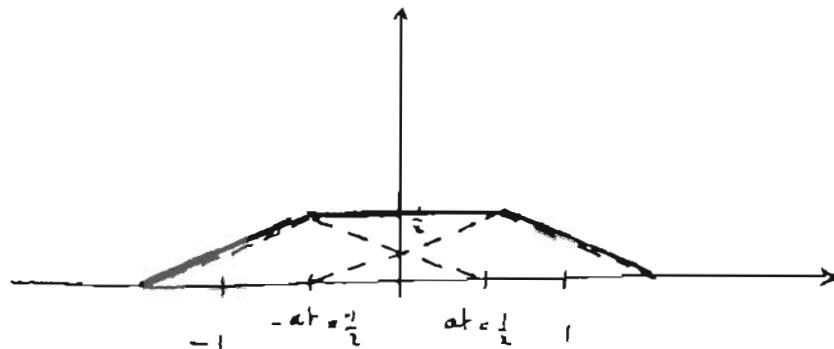


for  $t=0$

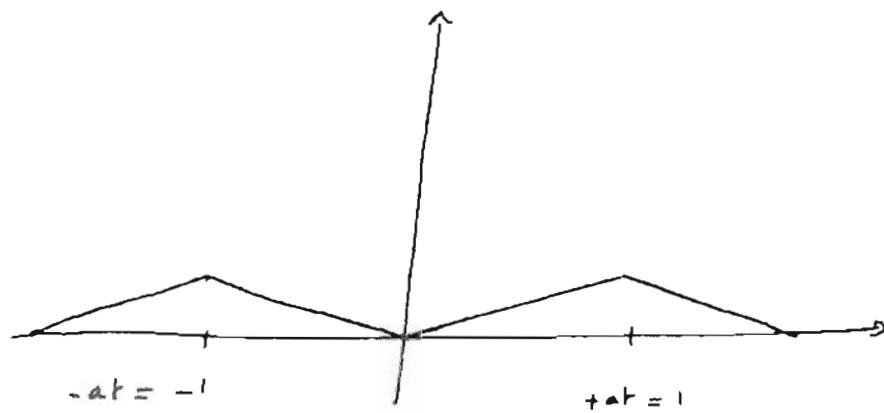
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$$\text{for } t = \frac{1}{2a}$$

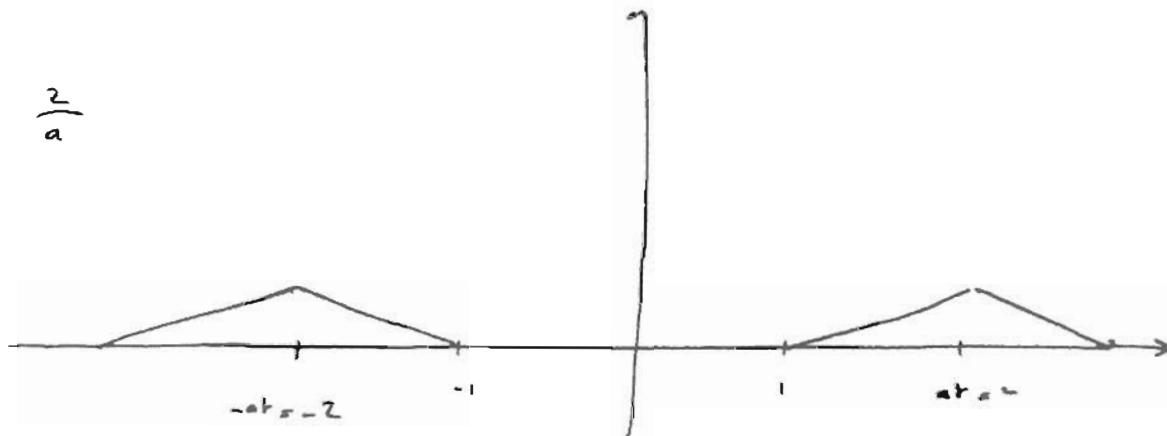
$$(at = \frac{1}{2})$$



$$\text{for } t = \frac{1}{a}$$



$$\text{for } t = \frac{2}{a}$$



#2

$$u(x,t) \text{ satisfies } \begin{cases} u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx} & 0 < x < L \quad t > 0 \\ u(0,t) = 0 & u_x(L,t) = 0 \\ u(x,0) = f(x) & u_t(x,0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Since the B.C. are different from those considered in class,  
we need to go back to the separation of variables method.

We write  $u(x,t) = X(x)T(t)$ , then  $X$  and  $T$  must solve

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0, \quad X(0) = 0, \quad X'(L) = 0$$

$$T'' + \lambda^2 T = 0 \quad T'(0) = 0$$

The Eigenvalue pb for  $X$  has a non-trivial solution if

$$\lambda_n = \left( \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2L} \right)^2 \quad \text{and then} \quad X_n(x) = c \sin \left( \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2L} x \right)$$

For a given  $\lambda_n$ ,  $T$  must solve  $T'' + \lambda_n^2 T = 0$ , and so

$$T(t) = C_1 \cos \left( \frac{\alpha(2n-1)\pi}{2L} t \right) + C_2 \sin \left( \frac{\alpha(2n-1)\pi}{2L} t \right)$$

The condition  $T'(0) = 0$  implies  $C_2 = 0$

So the fundamental solutions are

$$u_m(x, t) = \sin\left(\frac{(2m-1)\pi}{2L}x\right) \cos\left(\alpha \frac{(2m-1)\pi}{2L}t\right)$$

As we can see, we deduce that the displacement  $u(x, t)$  is of the

form  $u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin\left(\frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2L}x\right) \cos\left(\alpha \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2L}t\right)$

(c) the  $c_n$  must be such that

$$u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin\left(\frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2L}x\right) = f(x) = 2 \sin\left(\frac{9\pi}{2L}x\right)$$

so  $c_5 = 2$  and  $c_n = 0$  for all  $n \neq 5$ :

$$u(x, t) = 2 \sin\left(\frac{9\pi}{2L}x\right) \cos\left(\alpha \frac{9\pi}{2L}t\right)$$

$$3. \begin{cases} u_{tt} = 4u_{xx}, & 0 < x < 1 \\ u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = \sin(2\pi x), \quad u_t(x, 0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

(a) Use D'Alembert's solution to write down the solution to this pde.

D'Alembert's solution is

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} [f_0(x+ct) + f_0(x-ct)] + \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} g_0(s) ds$$

where  $c$  is the ~~wave speed~~ wave speed,  $f_0(x)$  is the odd periodic extension of the initial displacement ( $u(x, 0) = f(x)$ ), and  $g_0(x)$  is the odd periodic extension of the initial velocity ( $u_t(x, 0) = g(x)$ ).

$$\text{Here, } c = 2 \quad (c^2 = 4), \quad f(x) = \sin(2\pi x), \quad g(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} \sin[2\pi(x+2t)] + \frac{1}{2} \sin[2\pi(x-2t)]}$$

( $\sin(2\pi x)$  is an odd function)

(b) Verify that the solution at  $t = \frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{3}{2}, 2, \dots$  is identical to the initial condition  $\sin(2\pi x)$

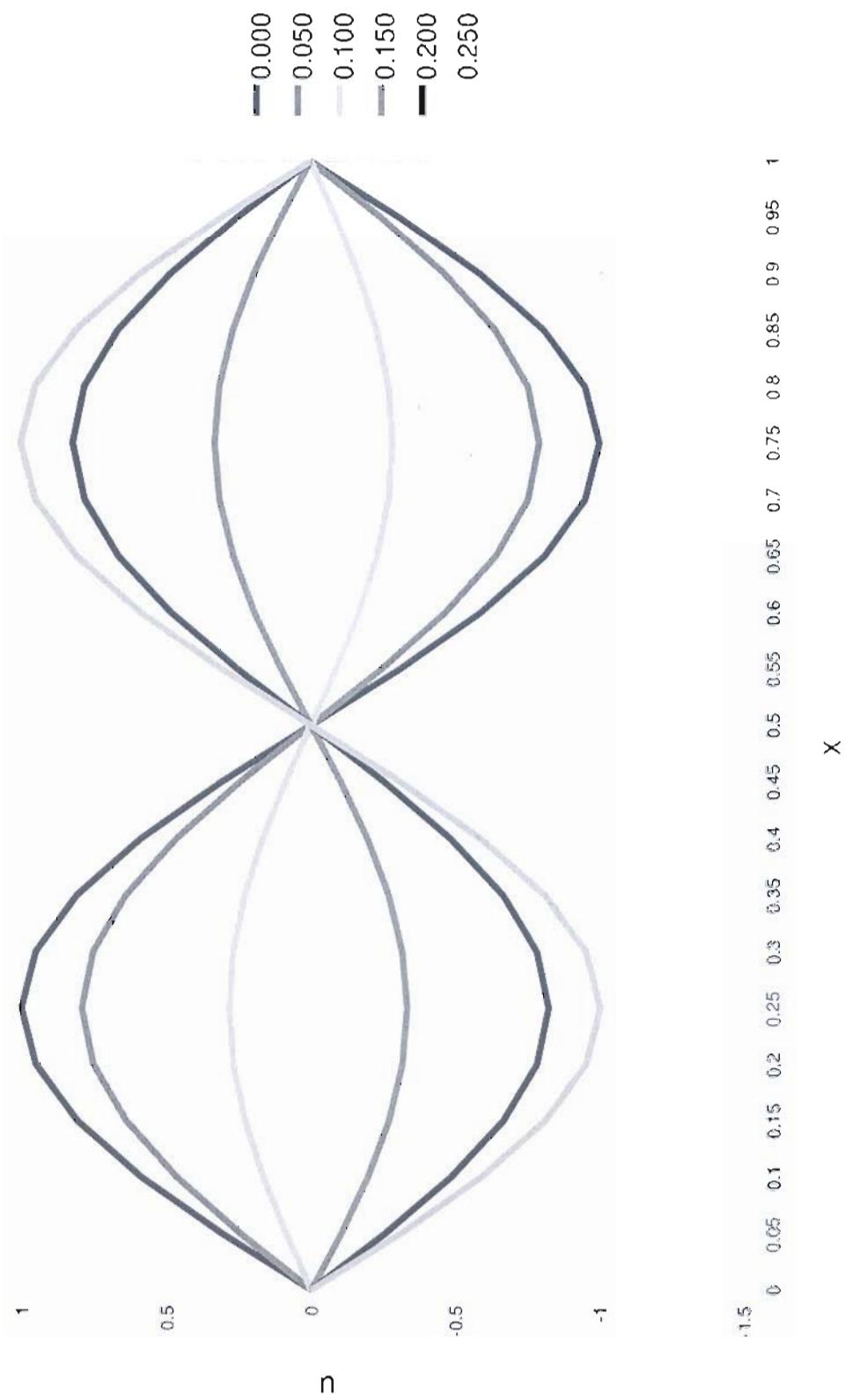
$$\text{At } t = \frac{n}{2}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, \frac{n}{2}) &= \frac{1}{2} \sin[2\pi(x+2(\frac{n}{2}))] + \frac{1}{2} \sin[2\pi(x-2(\frac{n}{2}))] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\pi x + 2n\pi) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\pi x - 2n\pi) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\pi x) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\pi x) \quad (\sin(\theta) \text{ is } 2\pi\text{-periodic}) \end{aligned}$$

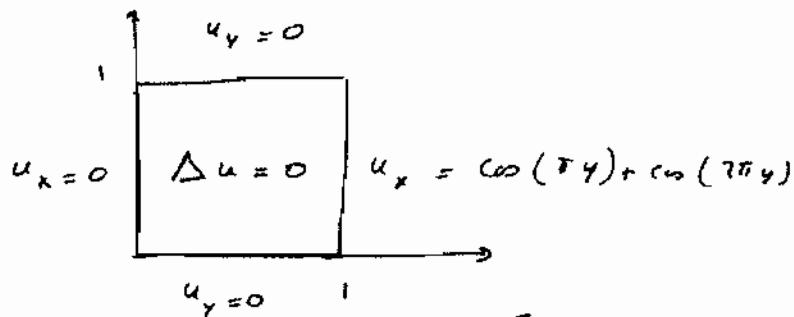
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u(x, \frac{n}{2}) = \sin(2\pi x), \text{ identical to the IC.}}$$

Why? The initial condition is the same as one of the standing wave modes of vibration! With no friction or gravity (etc) the standing wave will not decay.

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Problem #4



the separation equation are

$$\begin{cases} Y'' + \lambda Y = 0 & Y'(0) = Y'(1) = 0 \\ X'' - \lambda X = 0 & X'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

we deduce ~~that~~  $\begin{cases} \lambda_m = (m\pi)^2 & m = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ Y_m(y) = \cos(m\pi y) \end{cases}$

the ODE for  $X$  gives  $\begin{cases} X(x) = C_1 \cosh(m\pi x) + C_2 \sinh(m\pi x) \\ X'(0) = C_1 = 0 \quad \text{if } m=0 \end{cases}$

and  $\begin{cases} X'(0) = m\pi C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0 \quad \text{if } m \neq 0 \\ X_n(x) = C_n \quad \text{if } m=0 \end{cases}$

so  $\begin{cases} X_n(x) = C_n \quad \text{if } m=0 \\ X_n(x) = C_n \cosh(m\pi x) \quad \text{if } m \neq 0 \end{cases}$

the G.S. is

$$u(x, y) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} c_m \cosh(m\pi x) \cos(m\pi y)$$

which satisfies  $u_x(1, y) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} c_m m\pi \sinh(m\pi) \cos(m\pi y)$

by identification, we see that we must have

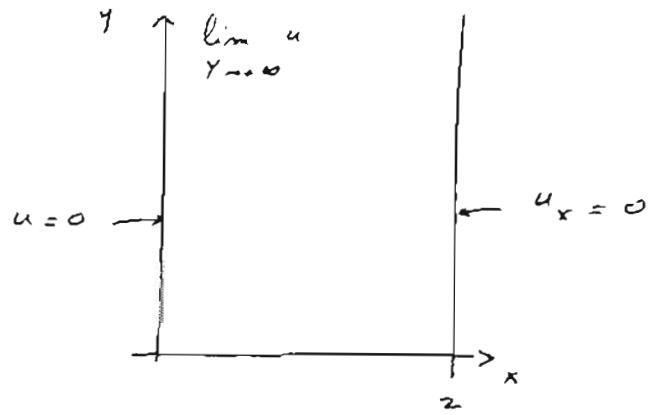
$$c_1 \pi \sinh(\pi) = 1, \quad c_2 2\pi \sinh(2\pi) = 1, \quad c_m = 0 \quad m \neq 0, 1, 2$$

So

$$u(x, y) = \frac{c_0}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi \sinh(\pi)} \cosh(\pi x) \cos(\pi y) + \frac{1}{2\pi \sinh(2\pi)} \cosh(2\pi x) \cos(2\pi y)$$

(Note that there is no condition on  $c_0$ : the solution is not unique) -

Problem # 5



$$u(x, t) = X(x) Y(t) \text{ with}$$

$$\begin{cases} X'' + dX = 0 & X(0) = 0, \quad X'(2) = 0 \\ Y'' - dY = 0 & \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} Y(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

the BVP for  $X$  has non-trivial solutions if

$$d_n = \left( (2n-1) \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^2 \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$X_n(x) = R_n \sin \left( (2n-1) \frac{\pi}{4} x \right)$$

For each  $d_n$ , the eq. for  $Y$  gives

$$Y_n(t) = C_1 e^{(2n-1)\frac{\pi}{4}t} + C_2 e^{-(2n-1)\frac{\pi}{4}t}$$

and the condition  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} Y(t) = 0$  yields  $C_1 = 0$

so

$$Y_n(t) = R_n e^{-(2n-1)\frac{\pi}{4}t}$$

We deduce the following G.S. :  $u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-(2n-1)\frac{\pi}{4}t} \sin \left( \frac{2n-1}{4}\pi x \right)$

$$\text{which satisfies } u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \left( \frac{2n-1}{4}\pi x \right)$$

by identification, we must take  $c_2 = 2, c_4 = -3, c_m = 0$

The solution of the BVP is thus

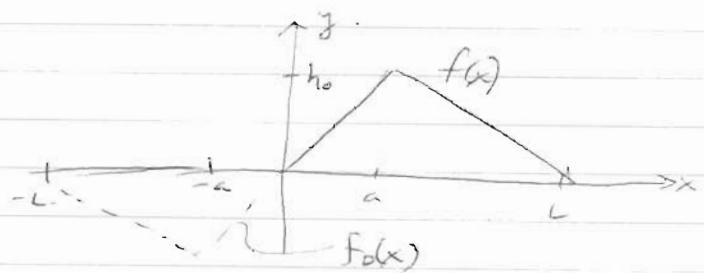
$$u(x,y) = 2 e^{-\frac{3\pi}{4}y} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}x\right) - 3 e^{-\frac{7\pi}{4}y} \sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}x\right)$$

### Problem 6:

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} = u_{xx} \\ u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = f(x), \quad u_t(x, 0) = g(x) \end{cases}$$

(a)  $f(x) = \begin{cases} h_0 x/a & 0 < x < a \\ h_0(L-x)/(L-a) & a \leq x < L \end{cases}$

$g(x) = 0.$



Since it's a strip w/ fixed ends, we can use the D'Alembert solution:

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} f(x+t) + \frac{1}{2} f(x-t)$$

where  $f_o(x)$  is the odd periodic extension of  $f(x)$ . (see plot)

To obtain the odd periodic extension - use the sine series!  
on  $x \in [0, L]$ .

$$f_o(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$\text{where } b_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx = \frac{2}{L} \left\{ \int_0^a \frac{h_0 x}{a} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx + \int_a^L \frac{h_0(L-x)}{L-a} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_n = \frac{2h_0 L (L-2a)}{a n^2 \pi^2 (L-a)} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) - \frac{4h_0}{\pi n} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) + \frac{2h_0 L}{n\pi (L-a)}$$

$$\therefore u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{h_0 L (L-2a)}{a^2 n^2 \pi^2 (L-a)} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) - \frac{2h_0}{\pi n} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) + \frac{2h_0 L}{n\pi (L-a)} \left[ \sin\left(\frac{n\pi(x+t)}{L}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{n\pi(x-t)}{L}\right) \right] \right\}$$

$$(b) g(x) = \begin{cases} v_0 x/a, & 0 < x \leq a \\ v_0 (L-x)/(L-a), & a < x \leq L \end{cases}, f(x) = 0.$$

Again, can use D'Alembert's solution!

$$u(x,t) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-t}^{x+t} g(\xi) d\xi \quad \text{where } g_0(\xi) \text{ is the odd periodic extension.}$$

As in (a) (with  $v_0$  instead of  $h_0$ )

$$g_0(\xi) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi\xi}{L}\right), \quad b_n = \frac{2v_0 L}{n\pi(L-a)} - \frac{2v_0}{n\pi} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) + \frac{2k_0 L(L-2a)}{a^2 n^2 \pi^2 (L-a)} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-t}^{x+t} g_0(\xi) d\xi &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \int_{x-t}^{x+t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi\xi}{L}\right) d\xi = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L}{n\pi} b_n \left[ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x-t)}{L}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x+t)}{L}\right) \right] \Big|_{\xi=x-t} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L}{2n\pi} b_n \left[ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x-t)}{L}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x+t)}{L}\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L}{2n\pi} \left[ \frac{2v_0 L}{n\pi(L-a)} - \frac{2v_0}{n\pi} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) + \frac{2v_0 L(L-2a)}{a^2 n^2 \pi^2 (L-a)} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) \right] \cdot \left[ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x-t)}{L}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi(x+t)}{L}\right) \right]$$

Problem 7  $\begin{cases} u_{tt} + u_t + u = \alpha^2 u_{xx} \\ u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0, \quad t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = f(x), \quad u_t(x, 0) = 0 \end{cases}$

Use separation of variables:  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$

eq. becomes  $XT'' + XT' + XT = \alpha^2 X'' T$

$$\div \alpha^2 XT \Rightarrow \left( \frac{T'' + T' + T}{\alpha^2 T} \right) = \frac{X''}{X} = \lambda, \text{ const.}$$

For  $\lambda = -\mu^2 < 0$   $\begin{cases} X'' + \mu^2 X = 0 \\ X(0) = X(L) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow$  eigenfunctions  $X_n(x) = \sin(n\pi x/L)$   
eigenvalues  $\lambda_n = -\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2$

( $x \geq 0$  yields no eigenvalues/eigenfunctions)

Then the T-equation becomes:

$$T'' + T' + T = \alpha^2 \lambda_n T =$$

$$\text{or } \begin{cases} T'' + T' + (1 - \alpha^2 \lambda_n) T = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } \begin{cases} T'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Assume  $T = e^{rt} \Rightarrow$  char. eq.  $r^2 + r + (1 - \alpha^2 \lambda_n) = 0$

$$\text{so } r = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4(1 - \alpha^2 \lambda_n)}}{2} = \frac{-1}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{3 - 4\alpha^2 \lambda_n}}{2} \quad (\text{Note: } \lambda_n < 0 ! \text{ above})$$

$$\therefore T_n(t) = C_1 e^{-t/2} \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right) + C_2 \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right)$$

$$T_n'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = C_1 \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}$$

$$\text{and } T_n(t) = C_1 e^{-t} \left\{ \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right) + \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right) \right\}$$

Then since  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$   $\in$  eq. is linear (use superposition)

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n e^{-t} \left[ \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right) + \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2\lambda_n}}{2} t\right) \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

Now use  $u(x, 0) = f(x)$  to find  $C_n$ :

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) \dots \text{a sine series!}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n} c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx \quad \text{or} \quad c_n = \frac{2}{L\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n}} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx.$$

Thus,

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-t/2} \left[ \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n}}{2} t\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n}}{2} t\right) \cdot \sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n} \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$\text{where } \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2, \quad c_n = \frac{2}{L\sqrt{3-4\alpha^2 \lambda_n}} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx.$$

These are damped oscillations;  $u \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

Problem 8.  $\begin{cases} \Delta u = 0, 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ u_x(0, y) = 0, u_x(1, y) = \cos(\pi y) + \cos(2\pi y) \\ u_y(x, 0) = \cos(3\pi x), u_y(x, 1) = 0 \end{cases}$

To use separation of variables, need  $\underline{\underline{2}}$  homogeneous BCs in either  $x$  or  $y$ .

Exploit linearity of equation and split into 2 sub-problems

$$\begin{array}{c} u_y^A = 0 \\ \boxed{u_x^A = 0} \quad \boxed{u_x^A = 0} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} u_y^B = 0 \\ \boxed{u_x^B = 0} \quad \boxed{\Delta u^B = 0} \end{array} \quad u_x^B = \cos(\pi y) + \cos(2\pi y)$$

$u_y^A(x, 0) = \cos(3\pi x) \quad u_y^B = 0$

So  $u(x, t) = u^A(x, t) + u^B(x, t)$  where

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u^A = 0, 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ u_x^A(0, y) = u_x^A(1, y) = 0 \\ u_y^A(x, 0) = \cos(3\pi x), u_y^A(x, 1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

(A)

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u^B = 0, 0 \leq x, y \leq 1 \\ u_x^B(0, y) = 0, u_x^B(1, y) = \cos(\pi y) + \cos(2\pi y) \\ u_y^B(x, 0) = u_y^B(x, 1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

(B)

Problem (B) is the same as Assignment # problem 4.  
(see solutions)

We'll solve (A):

separation of variables to obtain:  $\begin{cases} X'' - \lambda X = 0, X'(0) = X'(1) = 0 \\ Y'' + \lambda Y = 0, Y'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$

As in assignment problem 3 (with  $X \in Y$  reversed)

$$\begin{cases} \lambda_n = -(n\pi)^2 \\ X_n(x) = \cos(n\pi x), n=0, 1, 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

For  $\lambda = 0$ :  $Y_0'' = 0 \Rightarrow Y_0 = C_1 y + C_2; 0 = Y_0'(1) \Rightarrow C_1 = 0$  so  $Y_0 = \text{const}$

For  $\lambda = -n^2\pi^2, n \neq 0$ :  $Y_n'' - n^2\pi^2 Y = 0 \Rightarrow Y_n = C_1 \cosh(n\pi y) + C_2 \sinh(n\pi y)$

$$Y_n'(1) = 0 \Rightarrow n\pi C_1 \sinh(n\pi) + n\pi C_2 \cosh(n\pi) = 0$$

so  $C_2 = -C_1 \tanh(n\pi)$

and  $Y_n = C_1 \cosh(n\pi y) - C_1 \tanh(n\pi) \sinh(n\pi y)$

$$Y_n = \frac{C_1}{\cosh(n\pi)} [\cosh(n\pi) \cosh(n\pi y) - \sinh(n\pi) \sinh(n\pi y)]$$

$$\Rightarrow Y_n = \tilde{C}_n \cosh[n\pi(y-1)]$$

Thus,

$$u^A(x,y) = \frac{C_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \cosh[n\pi(y-1)] \cos(n\pi x)$$

use condition  $u_y^A(x,0) = \cos(3\pi x)$  to obtain  $C_n$ :

$$u_y^A(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} -n\pi C_n \sinh(n\pi) \cos(n\pi x)$$

$$\cos(3\pi x) = \text{II}$$

$$\Rightarrow -n\pi C_n \sinh(n\pi) = 2 \int_0^1 \cos(3\pi x) \cos(n\pi x) dx$$

$$\text{so } C_n = 0, n \neq 3; C_3 = \frac{-2}{3\pi \sinh(3\pi)}$$

Note:  $2 \int_0^1 \cos(3\pi x) dx = 0$ , the net flux through the boundary is zero,  
so a solution exists!

$$\Rightarrow u^A(x,y) = C_0 - \frac{1}{3\pi \sinh(3\pi)} \cosh[3\pi(y-1)] \cos(3\pi x)$$

and  $u(x,y) = u^A(x,y) + u^B(x,y)$  (sol. to  $u^B$  in Problem 4)

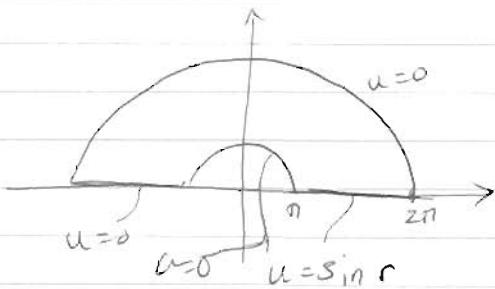
$$u(x,y) = A - \frac{1}{3\pi \sinh(3\pi)} \cosh[3\pi(y-1)] \cos(3\pi x) + \frac{1}{\pi \sinh(\pi)} \cosh(\pi x) \cos(\pi y)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\pi \sinh(2\pi)} \cosh(2\pi x) \cos(2\pi y)$$

where  $A$  is an arbitrary constant (solution is not unique)

### Problem 8 (second one)

$$\begin{cases} u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = 0, \quad \pi < r < 2\pi, \\ u(r\theta) = \sin(r), \quad u(r, \pi) = 0 \\ u(\pi, \theta) = u(2\pi, \theta) = 0 \end{cases}$$



use separation of variables:  $u(r, \theta) = R(r)\Theta(\theta)$

$$\text{obtain } \begin{cases} r^2 R'' + rR' + -\lambda R = 0, \quad R(\pi) = R(2\pi) = 0 \\ \Theta'' + \lambda \Theta = 0 \quad , \quad \Theta(\pi) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Since we have 2 homog. BCs in  $r$ , look at  $R$  reg. first.

Let  $R = r^\gamma \Rightarrow \text{char eq } \gamma(\gamma-1) + \gamma - \lambda = 0 \text{ or } \gamma^2 = \lambda$ .

Case  $\lambda = -\mu^2 < 0$ :  $\gamma^2 = -\mu^2$  so  $\gamma = i\mu$ . and  $R(r) = C_1 \cos(\mu \ln(r)) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln(r))$

$$R(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 \cos(\mu \ln(\pi)) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln(\pi)) \Rightarrow C_1 = -C_2 \tan(\mu \ln(\pi)).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } R(r) &= C_2 [\tan(\mu \ln(\pi)) \cos(\mu \ln(r)) + \sin(\mu \ln(r))] \\ &= \frac{C_2}{\cos(\mu \ln(\pi))} [-\sin(\mu \ln(\pi)) \cos(\mu \ln(r)) + \cos(\mu \ln(\pi)) \sin(\mu \ln(r))] \\ &= C_\mu \sin(\mu \ln(r) - \mu \ln(\pi)) \quad \text{so } R(r) = C_\mu \sin[\mu \ln\left(\frac{r}{\pi}\right)] \end{aligned}$$

$$R(2\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow C_\mu \sin[\mu \ln(2)] = 0 \Rightarrow \mu \ln(2) = n\pi \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{n\pi}{\ln(2)}$$

Thus for  $\lambda < 0$ , eigenvalues  $\lambda_n = -\left(\frac{n\pi}{\ln 2}\right)^2$

eigenfunctions,  $R_n = C_n \sin\left[\frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln 2}\right]$

Case  $\lambda = 0$ :  $\gamma^2 = 0$  so  $\gamma = 0$  and  $R(r) = C_1 + C_2 \ln(r)$

$$R(\pi) = 0 = C_1 + C_2 \ln(\pi) \Rightarrow C_1 = -C_2 \ln(\pi)$$

$$\text{and } R(r) = C_1 [-\ln(\pi) + \ln(r)] = C_1 \ln\left(\frac{r}{\pi}\right)$$

$$R(2\pi) = 0 = C_1 \ln\left(\frac{2\pi}{\pi}\right) = C_1 \ln(2) \Rightarrow C_1 = 0$$

: no eigenfunction/  
zero eigenvalue.

Case  $\lambda > 0$ :  $\lambda = \mu^2 > 0 \Rightarrow \gamma^2 = \mu^2$ ,  $\gamma = \pm\mu$  and  $R(r) = C_1 r^\mu + C_2 r^{-\mu}$

$$R(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 \pi^\mu + C_2 \pi^{-\mu} \text{ so } C_2 = -C_1 \pi^{2\mu}$$

$$\text{and then } R(r) = C_1 r^\mu - C_1 \pi^{2\mu} r^{-\mu}$$

$$= C_1 \left[ \left( \frac{r}{\pi} \right)^\mu + \left( \frac{\pi}{r} \right)^{-\mu} \right]$$

$$R(2\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 [2^\mu + 2^{-\mu}] = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0$$

$\therefore$  no eigenfunctions/eigenvalues for  $\lambda > 0$

Thus we have

$$\lambda_n = -\left(\frac{n\pi}{\ln(2)}\right)^2, R_n(r) = \sin \left[ \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right]$$

$$\text{Now for the } \Theta^1 \text{-eq: } \begin{cases} \Theta_n'' - \left(\frac{n\pi}{\ln(2)}\right)^2 \Theta_1 = 0 \\ \Theta^1(\pi) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{obtain } \Theta^1(\theta) = C_1 \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi \theta}{\ln(2)} \right) + C_2 \cosh \left( \frac{n\pi \theta}{\ln(2)} \right)$$

$$\Theta^1(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0, \quad \Theta^1(\theta) = \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi \theta}{\ln(2)} \right)$$

Then by superposition,

$$u(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \sin \left[ \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right] \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi (\theta - \pi)}{\ln(2)} \right)$$

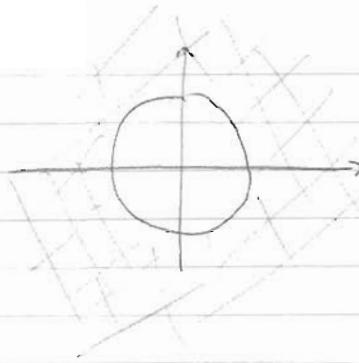
$$\text{Now, } u(r, \theta) = \sin(r) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} -C_n \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi^2}{\ln 2} \right) \cdot \sin \left( \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right)$$

$$\text{a sine series! so } -C_n \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi^2}{\ln 2} \right) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \sin r \sin \left( \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right) dr.$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{-2}{\pi \sinh(n\pi^2/\ln 2)} \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \sin \left( \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right) \sin(r) dr$$

$$\text{Thus, } u(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \sin \left( \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right) \sinh \left( \frac{n\pi (\theta - \pi)}{\ln(2)} \right)$$

$$\text{where } C_n = \frac{-2}{\pi \sinh(n\pi^2/\ln 2)} \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \sin(r) \sin \left( \frac{n\pi \ln(r/\pi)}{\ln(2)} \right) dr$$



Problem 9:  $u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = 0$

$$u_r(1, \theta) = f(\theta), \quad |u| < \infty \text{ as } r \rightarrow \infty$$

Use separation of variables  $u(r, \theta) = R(r)\Theta(\theta)$

Obtain  $r^2 R'' + rR' - \lambda R = 0$ ,  $R$  bounded as  $r \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\Theta'' + \lambda \Theta = 0$ , periodic BCs.  $\Theta(\theta + 2\pi) = \Theta(\theta)$

R-eq: since BCs are periodic, sol'n has to be, so  $\lambda \geq 0$ .

$\lambda = 0$ :  $\Theta'' = 0 \Rightarrow \Theta = C_1\theta + C_2$ .  
since  $\Theta(2\pi + \theta) = \Theta(\theta)$ ,  $C_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \Theta_0 = 1$

$\lambda = \mu^2 > 0$ :  $\Theta'' + \mu^2 \Theta = 0 \Rightarrow \Theta(\theta) = C_1 \cos(\mu\theta) + C_2 \sin(\mu\theta)$ .

but  $\Theta(2\pi + \theta) = \Theta(\theta)$ ; use  $\theta = -\pi$  to find  $C_1, C_2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta(\pi) &= \Theta(-\pi) \\ \Rightarrow C_1 \cos(\mu\pi) + C_2 \sin(\mu\pi) &= C_1 \cos(-\mu\pi) + C_2 \sin(-\mu\pi) \\ \Rightarrow 2C_2 \sin(\mu\pi) &= 0 \quad \text{as } \sin(-\varphi) = -\sin\varphi \end{aligned}$$

$\sin\varphi$  has roots at  $\varphi = n\pi$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$

so  $\mu\pi = n\pi$

$\mu = n$

Thus  $\lambda_n = +n^2$

$\Theta_n = a_n \cos(n\theta) + b_n \sin(n\theta)$

R-eq:  $r^2 R'' + rR' - n^2 R = 0$  as  $\lambda_n = n^2$

let  $R = r^\gamma \Rightarrow \text{char. eq. } \gamma(\gamma-1) + \gamma - n^2 = 0$

$\gamma = \pm n$ .

so  $R(r) = C_1 r^n + C_2 r^{-n}$ .

but  $R$  bounded as  $r \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow C_2 = 0 \quad \text{so} \quad R_n = r^{-n}$

Then by superposition

$$u(r, \theta) = A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} r^{-n} \{ A_n \cos(n\theta) + B_n \sin(n\theta) \}$$

Find constants using BC  $u_r(1, \theta) = f(\theta)$ :

$$u_r(1, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \{-nA_n \cos(n\theta) - nB_n \sin(n\theta)\}$$

complete Fourier series, with missing  $n=0$  term!

so for there to be a solution,  $\int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) d\theta = 0$ .

Assuming that's the case,  $A_n = \frac{-1}{n\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) \cos(n\theta) d\theta$

$$B_n = \frac{-1}{n\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) \sin(n\theta) d\theta$$

Thus, assuming  $\int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) d\theta = 0$ ,

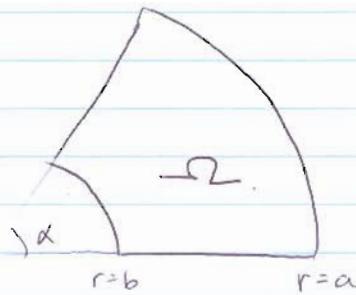
$$u(r, \theta) = A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} r^{-n} [A_n \cos(n\theta) + B_n \sin(n\theta)]$$

where  $A_0$  is arbitrary,  $A_n = \frac{-1}{n\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) \cos(n\theta) d\theta$

$$B_n = \frac{-1}{n\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(\theta) \sin(n\theta) d\theta.$$

Problem 10 :

$$\begin{cases} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{V} = 0 \\ V(r, 0) = V(r, \alpha) = 0 \\ V(b, \theta) = 0, V(a, \theta) = f(\theta) \end{cases}$$



Use separation of variables  $\mathbf{V}(r, \theta) = R(r)\Theta(\theta)$

$$\text{Obtain } \begin{cases} r^2 R'' + r R' - \lambda R = 0 & ; R(b) = 0 \\ \Theta'' + \lambda \Theta = 0 & ; \Theta'(0) = \Theta'(\alpha) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Theta - \text{eq first: } \begin{cases} \Theta'' + \lambda \Theta = 0 \\ \Theta'(0) = \Theta'(\alpha) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \Theta_n = \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\theta\right) \\ \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\right)^2 \end{cases} \quad (\text{see class notes})$$

$$R - \text{eq: } \begin{cases} r^2 R'' + r R' + \left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\right)^2 R = 0 \\ R(b) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Let } R = r^\gamma \Rightarrow \text{char. eq. } \gamma(\gamma-1) + \gamma - \left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\right)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \gamma = \pm \frac{n\pi}{\alpha}$$

$$\text{so } R(r) = C_1 r^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} + C_2 r^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}}$$

$$R(b) = 0 = C_1 b^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} + C_2 b^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \Rightarrow C_2 = -C_1 b^{2\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}}$$

$$\text{so } R(r) = C_1 \left( r^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - b^{2\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} r^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right) = \overbrace{C_1 b^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \left( r^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} b^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - r^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} b^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow R_n(r) = C_n \left[ \left( \frac{r}{b} \right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - \left( \frac{r}{b} \right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right]$$

$$\text{Then by superposition } \mathbf{V}(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \left[ \left( \frac{r}{b} \right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - \left( \frac{r}{b} \right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\theta\right)$$

$$\text{Now } V(a, \theta) = f(\theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \left[ \left( \frac{a}{b} \right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - \left( \frac{a}{b} \right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\theta\right), \text{ a sine series}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_n = \frac{2}{\left[ \left( \frac{a}{b} \right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - \left( \frac{a}{b} \right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} \right]} \int_0^{\alpha} f(\theta) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\theta\right) d\theta$$

→ flip

Note that we can write:

$$\left(\frac{r}{b}\right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} = \exp\left[\ln\left(\left(\frac{r}{b}\right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}}\right)\right] = \exp\left[\frac{n\pi}{\alpha} \ln\left(r/b\right)\right]$$

$$\left(\frac{r}{b}\right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} = \exp\left[-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha} \ln\left(r/b\right)\right]$$

$$\text{so } \left(\frac{r}{b}\right)^{\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} - \left(\frac{r}{b}\right)^{-\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}} = 2 \sinh\left[\left(\frac{n\pi}{\alpha}\right) \ln\left(r/b\right)\right]$$

$$\text{so } v(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2c_n \sinh\left[\frac{n\pi}{\alpha} \ln\left(r/b\right)\right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi\theta}{\alpha}\right)$$

$$\text{where } c_n = \frac{1}{\alpha \sinh\left[\frac{n\pi}{\alpha} \ln\left(a/b\right)\right]} \int_0^\alpha f(\theta) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi\theta}{\alpha}\right) d\theta$$