

# PERSONAL NOTES

## FINITE ELEMENT ANALYSIS

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# Finite Element Analysis

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~ Fundamentals of primal FEM.

1). Method of weighted residuals,

Galerkin's method & variational equations.

2). Linear elliptic boundary value problems in

1, 2, 3D (Spatial dimensions)

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3). Applications in structural, solid, fluid mechanics & heat transfer.

4). Properties of standard element families & numerically integrated elements.

5). Implementation of FEM using MATLAB, assembly of equations, and element routines.

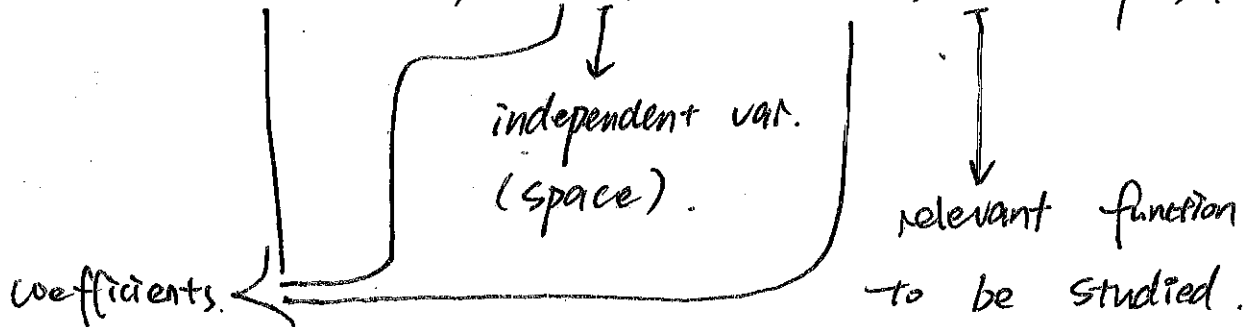
6). Lagrange multiplier & penalty methods for treatments of constraints.

# Preparation Notes.

## Chapter 1 Finite Elem. Meth. for Elliptic Problems in 1D

→ 2nd-order elliptic diff. eqn. for 1D:

$$-(k(x)u'(x))' + b(x)u'(x) + c(x)u(x) = f(x).$$



take  $0 < x < L$ ,  $\Omega$  is an interval,

$\Omega = (0, L)$ , → { Dirichlet Prob.  
Neumann Prob

→ Galerkin Method.

- Vector spaces of functions.
- Solution to this problem.

→ The Finite Element Method.

- Simplest  $C^0$  Finite Element Space.

Chapter 2.

## Diffusion Problems in 2D.

- Strong Form of BVP.
- Galerkin method.
- Finite Element in 2D.
  - simplest  $C^0$  finite element in 2D space
  - Barycentric coordinates & basis functions of  $P_1$ .
  - element stiffness matrix.
  - element load vector
  - Solving 2D diffusion problems with  $P_1$  FE (Dirichlet case)
  - Solving problems with Neumann boundaries

Chapter 3.

## Numerical Analysis of the FEM for Elliptic Problems.

- Basic Idea.

- Approximability.
- Continuity.
- Coercivity.
- Strict Monotonicity.

- Abstract Error Estimate for Galerkin Method

- Normed Spaces.
- Coercivity
- Interpolation Errors.
- Convergence

## Chapter 4

### Linear Elasticity.

- The variational problem of linear elasticity
- From variational form to weak form.
- Galerkin method.
- Finite element spaces for multifield problems 2D
- Solving linear elasticity problems in 2D with  $P_1$  Finite element.
- Variational method as minimum principle.
- Minimization problems and variational method

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2nd-order Problems

$$-(k(x) u'(x))' + b(x) u'(x) + c(x) u(x) = f(x) \quad (*)$$

Goal: Find  $u$

$$x \in \Omega = [0, L]$$

$u \equiv$  unknown function

$$k, b, c, f: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

"data coefficients"

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- (a)  $u$  should be smooth enough
  - (b)  $u$  should satisfy  $(*) \quad \forall x \in [0, L]$ .

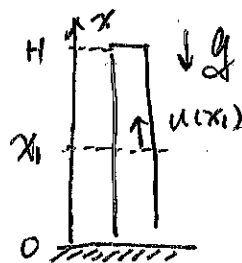
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Differential and Variational Equations.

- Vector spaces of functions.
- consistency.
- classical variational equation.
- essential & natural BCs.
- other variational eqns. e.g., Nitsche's eqn.

1.1.

$$[E(x) u'(x)]' = p(x) q$$



$$\Omega = [0, H]$$

$$u: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

1.2 Heat conduction.

$$-(k(x) u'(x))' = f(x).$$

↳ temperature.

1.3.

$$-u''(x) = 0, \quad x \in (0, 1).$$

$$u(x) = C_1 + C_2 x, \quad C_1, C_2 \in \mathbb{R}.$$

BCs:  $\begin{cases} \text{Dirichlet condition} & \rightarrow \text{impose } u. \\ \text{Neumann condition} & \rightarrow \text{impose } u' \end{cases}$

closure of  $\bar{\Omega}, \quad \Omega \cap \partial\Omega.$

add BCs:  $\begin{cases} u(0) = g_0 \\ u'(1) = d_1 \end{cases}$

$\rightarrow u(x) = g_0 + d_1 x.$

1.6.  $-u''(x) + \frac{u(x)}{x^2} = 0, \quad \forall x \in (0, 2).$

general sol'n:  $u(x) = C_1 x^{(1+\sqrt{5})/2} + C_2 x^{(1-\sqrt{5})/2}.$

$C_1, C_2 \in \mathbb{R} \rightarrow$  if  $u(0) = g_0 \in \mathbb{R} \rightarrow C_2 = 0$

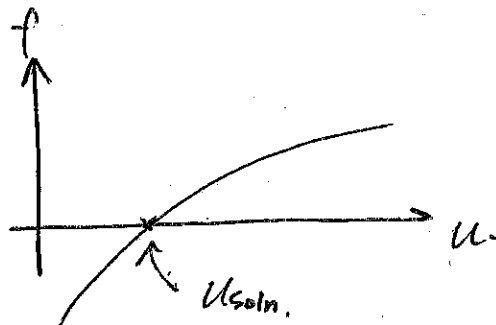
if  $g_0 \neq 0 \rightarrow$  No solution!!!

$u(x) = C_1 x^{(1+\sqrt{5})/2}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $u(0) = 0$

Variational Equations.

$$f(u) \equiv u^2 + \ln u - 1 = 0 \quad (*)$$

$$R(u, v) = (u^2 + \ln u - 1)v = 0. \\ \forall v \in \mathbb{R}.$$



If  $u$  solves  $(*) \Rightarrow R(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathbb{R}.$



$$R(u, 1) = 0$$

$$R(u, 2) = 0$$

⋮

Definition of Vector Space. (Appendix).

$\sim$  V.S. of functions.

$\mathcal{V}$ : Set of all real quadratic polynomials that are zero @  $x=0$ .

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f \in \mathcal{V} \Leftrightarrow f(x) = ax^2 + bx, a, b \in \mathbb{R}.$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f_1(x) &= 3x^2 \\ f_2(x) &= x \end{aligned} \right\} \in \mathcal{V}.$$

$$f_1(x) + f_2(x) = 3x^2 + x \in \mathcal{V}.$$

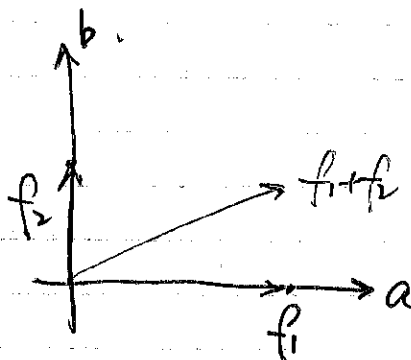
$$3f_2(x) = 3x \in \mathcal{V}.$$



define the "+" & ".".

$$\cdot h(x) = f(x) + g(x).$$

$$\cdot w(x) = a f(x).$$



→ Smooth functions → all deriv. exists & all continuous.

Example (A.9)

$$\mathcal{F}_1 = \{ f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \text{smooth} \}$$

$\mathcal{F}_1$  is a vector space.

$$\text{A.10. } \mathcal{F}_2 = \{ f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f(a) = f(b) = 0 \}$$

Smooth

→ Linear combination & spans ...

Variational Equation

Definition

$$\text{linearity: } R(u, v + \alpha w) = R(u, v) + \alpha R(u, w)$$

$S$  be a set.  $\mathcal{V}$  be a vector space.

$$R: S \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Variational equation:  $R(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$

↓

if satisfied,  $u$  is a soln to the variational equation.

Consistency.  $\rightarrow$  variational eqn. consistent w/ BVP.

$u$  solves Problem  $\Leftrightarrow R(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

Problem: BVP.

$$-(k(x) u'(x))' + b(x) u'(x) + c(x) u(x) = f(x)$$

### # Classical Variational Equation

Pure diffusion problem:

$$-u''(x) = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega.$$

$$u(0) = g(0).$$

$$u'(L) = d_L.$$

Step 1: build a residual.

$\rightarrow$  (homogeneous eqn.)

$$r(x) = -u''(x) - f(x), \quad r(x) = 0$$

Step 2:  $\forall v(x), r(x) = 0 \cdot v(x) = 0.$

$$\mathcal{V} \in \mathcal{V}_i, \quad \mathcal{V}_i = \left\{ f: [0, L] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \text{ smooth} \right\}$$

Step 3:  $\int_{\Omega} v(x) \cdot r(x) dx = 0, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{F}_1$

$$R_1(u, v) = \int_0^L v(x) \cdot (-u''(x) - f(x)) dx, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{F}_1.$$

$$= \int_0^L [-u''(x)v(x) - f(x)v(x)] dx$$

Recall "integration by part" ...

Step 4

$$R_2(u, v) = -u'(L)v(L) - u'(0)v(0) - \int_0^L (-u')v' - \int_0^L f v dx, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{F}_1$$

$$u v \Big|_0^L - u v \Big|_0 = \int_0^L (u v)' = \int_0^L u' v + \int_0^L u v'$$

↔ rearrange ...

Step 5. Replace terms w/ the BCs.

$$R_3(u, v) = -d_L v(L) + u'(0)v(L) + u'(0)v(0) + \int_0^L u' v' - \int_0^L f v, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{F}_1.$$

Play some numerical "tricks".

$$R(u, v) = \int_0^L u'(x) v'(x) dx - d(u, v) - \int_0^L f(x) v(x) dx = 0.$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \{v: [0, L] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0\}.$$

⇒ Natural & Essential BCs.

↓  
any functions that satisfies.

\* variational eqn. needs to sat.

↘ any BCs.

there are not

Natural BCs.

Nitsche's Method.

$$F(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}_1.$$

$$G(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}_2.$$

$$\alpha F(u, v) + \beta G(u, v) = 0, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}_1 \cap \mathcal{V}_2.$$

↪ Reformulate the variational problem.

combine to 2 var. eqns &  $\mathbb{R}_3$ .

Residual stabilize method.

Formulation on  $v$ .

↑ weak form vs. strong form.  
↓ integration of diff. eqn.  
and then solve it.  
Variational meth. is just one way to do weak form.

(c) - prove analytical in part A. satisfy var eqn.

(d) - 1 const.

(e) - the other const.

think of a very simple test function.

$v(0)$ ,  $v'(0)$ ,  $u(0)$ ,  $u'(1)$  used in the variational eqn.

Lecture 3.

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Review: variational equation.  $R(u, v) = 0$ .

$$S \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}.$$

$S$  be a set of  $\mathcal{V}$ .

### Euler-Lagrange Equations

Example  $u \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$R(u, v) = v(u^2 + \ln u - 1) = 0.$$

$$\forall v \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$R(u, v) = 0 \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}.$$

•  $R(u, 0) = 0$  ← didn't learn anything

•  $R(u, 1) = u^2 + \ln u - 1 = 0$  (\*)

•  $R(u, 1000) = 1000(u^2 + \ln u - 1) = 0$ .

If (\*) is satisfied  $\Rightarrow R(u, v) = 0, \forall v$ .

Euler-Lagrange Eq.:  $R(u, v) = 0 \rightarrow EL(u, v) = 0$

$$\forall x \in \omega \subseteq \bar{\Omega}$$

Is called the Euler-Lagrange Eqn.

$$R(u, v) = \int_0^L u'v' - f v dx - d_L v(L) = 0$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \{v : [0, L] \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0\}$$

$$R(u, v) = u'v \Big|_0^L - \int_0^L u''v dx - \int_0^L f v dx.$$

$$-dv(L) = 0.$$

$$= (u'(L) - dv(L))v(L) - u'(0)v(0)$$

$$- \int_0^L (u'' + f)v dx = 0.$$

$$\forall v \in \mathcal{V}$$

$$\rightarrow v \in \mathcal{V} \text{ s.t. } v(0) = v(L) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow - \int_0^L (u'' + f)v dx = 0 \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$$

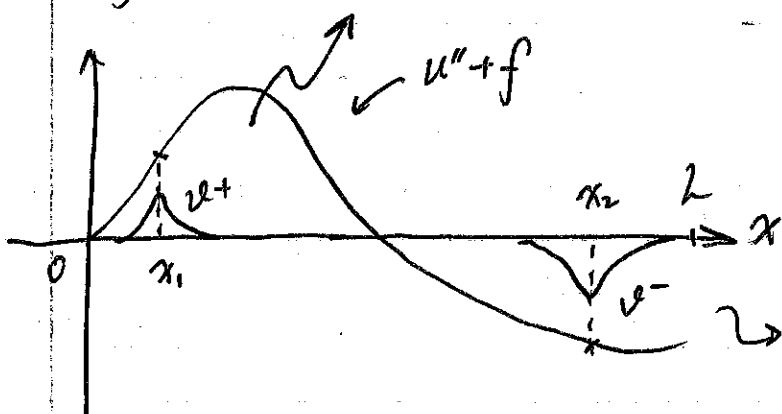
$$v(0) = v(L) = 0$$

Assume  $\exists x_1 \in (0, L)$  s.t.  $u''(x) + f(x) > 0$

$$\int_0^L (u'' + f)v^+ dx > 0 \Rightarrow u'' + f \leq 0.$$

$$\forall x \in (0, L)$$

$$\rightarrow u'' + f = 0, \quad \forall x \in (0, L)$$



$\rightarrow$  choose  $v^-$ ,  $u'' + f \geq 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow R(u, v) = (u'(L) - d_L) v(L) - \cancel{u'(0) v(0)}$$

Choose  $v \mid v(L) = 1 \Rightarrow R(u, v) = u'(L) - \frac{0}{L} = 0$

↓  
or  $u'(L) = d_L$ .

$$EL(u, x) = \begin{cases} u''(x) + f(x) = 0 & x \in (0, L) \\ u'(L) = d_L \end{cases}$$

Nitsche's Method.

$$\int_0^L u'(x) v'(x) dx + u'(0) v(0) + u(0) v'(0) + \mu u(0) v(0) - \int_0^L f(x) v(x) dx - d_L v(L) - g_0 v'(0) - \mu g_0 v(0) = 0$$

$$u'(L) v(L) - u'(0) v(0) - \int_0^L u''(x) v(x) dx + u'(0) v(0) + u(0) v'(0) + \mu u(0) v(0) = \int_0^L f(x) v(x) dx + d_L v(L) + g_0 v'(0) + \mu g_0 v(0)$$

$$\int_0^L (u''(x) + f(x)) v(x) dx = (u'(L) - d_L) v(L)$$

$$+ (u(0) - g_0) v'(0) + \mu (u(0) - g_0) v(0)$$

\* strictly zero.



\* Assumption & procedures:  $u'' + f = 0$

and both BCs are natural and the BCs have to be satisfied ... why?

Affine Subspace.

$W$  is a vector space. An affine subspace is

$$S.t. \quad \mathcal{V} = \{s_2 - s_1 \mid s_2 \in \mathcal{S}\}$$

↓

is a vector of  $W$ .

Example 1  $W = \mathbb{R}^2$ :

$$v = (-1, -1).$$

$$S_1 = \{ \alpha v \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \} \leftarrow \text{u.s.}$$

$$S_2 = \{ \alpha v + (0, 1) \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$s_1 = \alpha_1 v + (0, 1).$$

$$s_2 = \alpha_2 v + (0, 1).$$

$$s_1 + s_2 = (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)v + (0, 2).$$

↓  
Affine subs.  
of  $W$ .

$$\mathcal{V} = \{s_2 - s_1 \mid s_i \in \mathcal{S}\}$$

$$= \{ (\alpha_2 - \alpha_1)v \mid \alpha_2, \alpha_1 \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

Example 2  $\mathcal{V}_3 = \{ \omega: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid \omega(a) = \omega(b) = 1 \}$

$$\omega_1 \in \mathcal{V}_3$$

$$= 1 \}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_2 = \{ \omega_2 - \omega_1 \mid \omega_2 \in \mathcal{V}_3 \}$$

$$= \{ \omega: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid \omega(a) = \omega(b) = 0 \}$$

$S$  affine subspace.

$\nabla \rightarrow$  DIRECTION

$$s_i \in S_i$$

$$S = \{s_i + v \mid v \in V\}$$

\* Variational Problems and Weak Forms.

Abstract variational problem.  $R(\cdot): S \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

$\downarrow$   
be an affine space,  
i.e., trial space.

Definition: Weak form.

Variational prob.  $R(u, u) = 0$

\* Discussion on the strong/weak form

"IFF" condition ... is it exact ???

Problem 1.3  $\rightarrow$  Problem 1.2

1.22

$$\mathcal{V}_1 = \{f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth}\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(v) = \int_0^1 x^2 v(x) dx$$

-  $\mathcal{L}(v)$  can be computed

$$- \mathcal{L}(v + \alpha w) = \int_0^1 x^2 (v + \alpha w) dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x^2 v dx + \alpha \int_0^1 x^2 w dx = \mathcal{L}(v) + \alpha \mathcal{L}(w).$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\cos x) = \int_0^1 x^2 \cos x dx = 2 \cos(1) - \sin(1).$$

$$\mathcal{L}(v) = \int_0^L f(x) v(x) dx$$

1.24.  $\mathcal{F} \equiv$  continuous functions over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

$$\mathcal{L}(v) = v(0).$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \delta(x) v(x) dx.$$

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Prev: Affine subs.

Abstract variational prob.  $\mathcal{Y}$ : trial space,

find  $\mathcal{Y}$ : s.t.  $R(u, v) = 0 \quad \mathcal{V}$ : vector space.  
 $\forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

$$R(u, v) = 0, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}.$$

↑  
linear

Example:  $\mathcal{V}(u^2 + \ln u - 1)$ .

linear function:  $\mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . s.t.:  $l(u + \alpha v) = l(u) + \alpha l(v)$ .

Ex.:  $\int_0^2 f(x) \cdot v(x) \cdot dx$ .

# Bilinear form.

$$\forall u, v \in W, w, z \in \mathcal{V}.$$

$$a(u + \alpha v, w) = a(u, w) + \alpha a(v, w).$$

$$a(u, w + \alpha z) = a(u, w) + \alpha a(u, z)$$

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{V}: a(u, v) = a(v, u).$$

$$W = \mathcal{V}.$$

Ex.:  $a: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad a(u, v) = uv.$

$$\mathcal{V}_1 = \{f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth}\} \quad (1.25)$$

$a: \mathcal{V}_1 \times \mathcal{V}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . means "well-defined".

$$a(u, v) = \int_0^1 u'(x) v'(x) dx.$$

Reverse example:

$$v \equiv u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}.$$

$$a(u + \alpha w, v) = \int_0^1 (u' + \alpha w') v'$$

$$= \int_0^1 u' v' + \alpha \int_0^1 w' v'$$

$$= a(u, v) + \alpha a(w, v). \quad \checkmark$$

$$a(\sin x, x^2) = \int_0^1 \cos x \cdot 2x dx = 2(\sin(1) - \cos(1)).$$

↓

"gives u a number."

# Linear variational Equations.

bilinear form:  $a(\cdot, \cdot): \mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

linear form:  $l(\cdot): \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$R(u, v) = a(u, v) - l(v)$$

↓

linear var.  $a(u, v) = l(v)$

\* when  $u=0$ ,  $R(0, v) \neq 0$ , "affined"

how to construct / test linear variational Eqn.?

combined  $u, v$  terms  $\rightarrow a(u, v)$ .  $v$  terms  $\rightarrow l(v)$

# Linear Comb. / Span.

$$\text{Span}(U) = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n c_i e_i \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, e_i \in U, c_i \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

Ex. A.14.

$$U_1 = \{e_1, e_2\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3.$$

$$e_1 = (1, 0, 0), \quad e_2 = (1, 0, 1).$$

$$\text{Span}(U_1) = \{c_1 e_1 + c_2 e_2 \mid (c_1, c_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2\}.$$

$$= \{(c_1 + c_2, 0, c_2) \mid (c_1, c_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2\}$$

A.15.  $U_2 = \{1, \pi, \pi^2\}$ . ... direction.

$\text{Span}(U_2) = \mathbb{P}_2$  2nd-order polynomials.  $[0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  smooth

example:  $(3, 4, 5) \rightsquigarrow 3x^2 + 4x + 5$

A.18: (follow-up. A.14).

$$c_1 e_1 + c_2 e_2 = 0 \iff c_1 = c_2 = 0$$

A.19. (fn. A.15).

$$p(x) = c_1 + c_2 x + c_3 x^2 = 0 \quad \forall x$$

"Trick":  $p(0) = 0 = c_1$ .

$$p(1/2) = c_2/2 + c_3/4 = 0$$

$$p(1) = c_2 + c_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \pi & \pi^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ c_3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

# basis & dimension.

$U = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$  is a basis of  $V$

if  $U$  lin. ind. &  $\text{span}(U) = V$

# Build numerical methods.

Variational numerical method.

Find  $u_h \in Y_h$ , s.t.  $R_h(u_h, v_h) = 0$ .

$\forall v_h \in V_h$

# Classical Galerkin method.

Construct "BASE SPACE".

$$W_h = \text{span}(\{1, x, \dots, x^p\}).$$

$$w_h \in W_h \Rightarrow w_h = w_0 + w_1 x + \dots + w_p x^p.$$

$$(w_0, \dots, w_p) \in \mathbb{R}^{p+1}$$

$$Y_h \subset W_h, Y_h = \{w_h \in W_h \mid w_h(0) = 3\}$$

↑ enforce essential BCs.

$$u_h \in Y_h, u_h(x) = 3 + u_1 x + u_2 x^2 + \dots + u_p x^p.$$

⇓

$(u_1, \dots, u_p)$   
 $V_h$  is direction of  $Y_h$ .

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{w_h \in W_h \mid w_h(0) = 0\}$$

$$= \{w_1 x_1 + \dots + w_p x_p \mid (w_1, \dots, w_p) \in \mathbb{R}^D\}$$

Side Note:

Integrating by part:

$$\int_0^1 [w'(x) u(x) + \lambda w(x) u(x) - w(x) x^2] dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 w'(x) u(x) dx + \int_0^1 [\lambda w(x) u(x) - w(x) x^2] dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 w'(x) d w(x) + \int_0^1 [\lambda w(x) u(x) - w(x) x^2] dx$$

$$= w(x) u(x) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 w(x) d u(x) + \int_0^1 [\lambda w(x) u(x) - w(x) x^2] dx$$

$$= w(1) u(1) - w(0) u'(0) + \int_0^1 -u''(x) w(x) + \lambda w(x) u(x) - w(x) x^2 dx$$

$\lambda = 0$  for sure

$$= w(1) u(1) - w(0) u'(0) + \int_0^1 w(x) [-u''(x) + \lambda u(x) - x^2] dx$$



Derivation

Problem 4 - 1.

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

→ 1st term

$$\int_0^1 w(x) \left[ (1+x^2) u''(x) + x u'(x) + x^2 u(x) \right] dx.$$

$$\int_0^1 \underbrace{w(x) (1+x^2)}_a \overset{u'(x)}{d u(x)} + \int_0^1 w(x) \left[ x u'(x) + x^2 u(x) \right] dx.$$

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$$= w(x) (1+x^2) u'(x) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 u'(x) d[w(x) (1+x^2)] + \int_0^1 w(x) \left[ x u'(x) + x^2 u(x) \right] dx.$$

$$= 2 w(1) u'(1) - w(0) u'(0) - \int_0^1 u'(x) \left[ w'(x) (1+x^2) + w(x) \cdot 2x \right] dx + \int_0^1 w(x) \left[ x u'(x) + x^2 u(x) \right] dx.$$

$$= 2 w(1) u'(1) - w(0) u'(0) - \int_0^1 \left[ u'(x) w'(x) (1+x^2) + u'(x) w(x) 2x \right] dx + \int_0^1 w(x) \left[ x u'(x) + x^2 u(x) \right] dx$$

lecture 5. (1/23/2004)

Consistency: if  $u$  is a soln of a BVP.

discrete  $R(u, v) = 0 \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

$\rightarrow R_h(u, v_h) = 0, \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$ .

"you have to satisfy this for every BCs".

Ex. 1.33. classical Galerkin method.

we need to prove:  $a(u, v_h) = \ell(v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$ .

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \text{span} \{x, x^2, x^3\}$$

$$S_h = \{z + v_h \mid v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h\}$$

we know  $a(u, v) = \ell(v), \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

$$= \{v: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0\}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_h \subset \mathcal{V}$$

1.35 (counter example)

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{1, x, \dots, x^{p-1}\} \rightarrow \text{Petrow-Galerkin meth.}$$

$\Downarrow$

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this method is not consistent.

$$0 = R(u, v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$$

$$0 = \int_0^1 u' v_h' + b u' v_h + u v_h \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 (-u'' + b u' + u) v_h \, dx + u' v_h \Big|_0^1$$

$$= -u'(0) v_h(0).$$

consistency: whether  $v_h$  satisfies continuous  $v$ .  
 choice of  $v_h$  leads to inconsistency.

→ Patch Test Property

$$u \in \mathcal{Y}_h, \Rightarrow u_h = u.$$

↑ has the patch test property.

Galerkin Condition.

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{v_h = w_h - z_h, \dots\}.$$

- Bubnov -  $G$ ,  $G$  & continuous -  $G$ .

- Discontinuous -  $G$ .

- Petrov -  $G$ : test space for

$$1.36. \mathcal{I}_h = \{3 - x + w_1, x^2 + w_2 x^3 \mid w_1, w_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}.$$

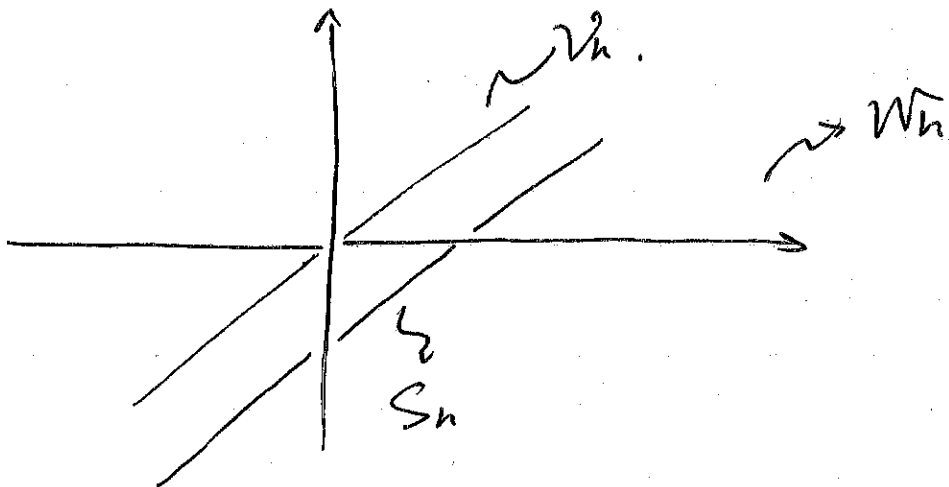
$$= \{3 - x + 10x^2 + 100x^3 - w_1 x^2 + w_2 x^3 \mid w_1, w_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}.$$

$$\hookrightarrow \mathcal{V}_h = \{w_1 x^2 + w_2 x^3 \mid w_1, w_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}.$$

$$\mathcal{I}_h = \{w_h \in \mathbb{P}_3(\Omega) \mid w_h(0) = 3; w_h'(0) = -1\}.$$

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{w_h \in \mathbb{P}_3(\Omega) \mid w_h(0) = 0, w_h'(0) = 0\}.$$

# Classic Discrete Variational Problem.



1.38.  $W_h = \mathbb{P}_4(\Omega) = \{W_h = W_0 + W_1x + W_2x^2 + \dots + W_4x^4\}$   
 where  $W_i \in \mathbb{R}$

$J_h = \{W_h \in W_h \mid W_4=0, W_1=-1, W_0=3\}$

following 1.36

⇒ Classic Discrete Linear Variational Problem

1) Assuming a basis:  $\{N_1, \dots, N_m\} \equiv$  Basis for  $W_h$ .

$Y_h \subseteq W_h, \quad V_h \subseteq W_h.$

$U_h(x) = \sum_{b=1}^m u_b N_b(x) \in W_h.$

$V_h(x) = \sum_{a=1}^m v_a N_a(x) \in V_h.$

2).  $\underbrace{N_1, N_2, \dots, N_n, N_{n+1}, \dots, N_m}_{\text{basis for } V_h} \quad \underbrace{\dots, N_m}_{\text{basis for } W_h}$

$$3). a(u_h, N_a) = l(N_a) \quad 1 \leq a \leq n.$$

we need  $m$ , we only have  $n$  DoF.

$$4). \text{Choose } \bar{u}_h \in \mathcal{U}_h.$$

$$\text{s.t. } \bar{u}_h = \underbrace{\bar{u}_1 N_1 + \dots + \bar{u}_n N_n}_{\in \mathcal{V}_h} + \dots + \underbrace{\bar{u}_m N_m}_{\notin \mathcal{V}_h}.$$

$$u_a = \bar{u}_a, \quad n+1 \leq a \leq m.$$

$$l(N_a) = a \left( \sum_{b=1}^m u_b N_b, N_a \right).$$

$$= \sum_{b=1}^m u_b a(N_b, N_a).$$

$$F_a = l(N_a), \quad K_{ab} = a(N_b, N_a) \quad (1 \leq a \leq n, 1 \leq b \leq m).$$

$$F_a = \bar{u}_a, \quad K_{ab} = \delta_{ab} = \begin{cases} 1 & a=b \\ 0 & a \neq b \end{cases}$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & \dots & k_{1m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ k_{m1} & \dots & k_{mm} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Stiffness matrix}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_m \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{load vector}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ \vdots \\ F_m \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{load vector}} \quad KU = F.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & \dots & k_{1m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ k_{m1} & \dots & k_{mm} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \{x + w_1 x^2 + w_2 x^3\} \\ & \{x + 100x^2 + 1000x^3 + w_1 x^2 + w_2 x^3\} \end{aligned}$$

we select.

$$W_h = \text{span}(\{1, x, x^2, x^3\})$$

$$I_h = \{x + v_h \mid v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h\}$$

$$\mathcal{U}_h = \text{span}(\{x, x^2, x^3\})$$

$$\rightarrow m=4, n=3$$

$$N_1 = x \quad N_2 = x^2 \quad N_3 = x^3 \quad \dots \rightarrow N_4 = 1$$

$$\bar{u}_h \in I_h, \quad \bar{u}_h = 3 + x$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \leq a \leq 3 \quad a(u_h, N_1) &= \ell(N_1) \\ a(u_h, N_2) &= \ell(N_2) \\ a(u_h, N_3) &= \ell(N_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$a=4, \quad u_4 = \bar{u}_4 = 3$$

Remarks: the choice of basis for  $W_h$ .

$$\mathcal{U}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \mid w_h(x_0) = 0\}$$

$$v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \Leftrightarrow \sum_{a=1}^m v_a N_a(x_0) = 0 \Leftrightarrow v_i = 0$$

$$x_0 = 0, \quad v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \Leftrightarrow v_i = 0$$

$$x_0 = 2, \quad v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \Leftrightarrow v_1 \cdot 1 + v_2 \cdot 2 + v_3 \cdot 2^2 + v_4 \cdot 2^3 = 0$$

\* the choice of  $\mathcal{U}_h$  impacts the coefficients.

Simplest  $u_h$  of choice:

$$\bar{u}_h = \bar{u}_{n+1} N_{n+1} + \dots + \bar{u}_m N_m$$

$$\bar{u}_h \in \mathcal{U}_h.$$

$$\bar{u}_h^* = \bar{u}_h + v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \quad N_u \in \mathcal{V}_h.$$

HW 2. Derivation on the differences.  
(Pb 3).

$$a(w, u) \rightarrow \int_0^1 2x w'(x) u(x) dx - \int_0^1 x u(x) w'(x) dx \quad \dots (\Delta)$$

$$a(u, w) \rightarrow \int_0^1 2x u(x) w'(x) dx - \int_0^1 x w'(x) u(x) dx \quad \dots (\Delta\Delta)$$

For Eqn.  $(\Delta)$ :

$$\rightarrow \int_0^1 2x u(x) dw(x) - \int_0^1 x u(x) dw'(x).$$

$$2x u(x) w(x) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 2x w(x) du(x) - x u(x) w'(x) \Big|_0^1$$

$$+ \int_0^1 x w(x) du(x).$$

$$x u(1) w(1) - x u(0) w(0) + (-a(u, w))$$

# Expand the non-BCS terms.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & - \int_0^1 u'(x) w'(x) (1+x^2) dx - \int_0^1 u'(x) w(x) x dx \\
 & \quad + \int_0^1 w(x) u(x) x^2 dx
 \end{aligned}$$

↓  
 let  $a(u, w) =$  this form  
 ... test bilinearity.

$$a(w, u) = - \int_0^1 w'(x) u'(x) (1+x^2) dx$$

$$- \int_0^1 w'(x) u(x) x dx + \int_0^1 u(x) w(x) x^2 dx$$

... ?

→ How to show  $w'(x) u(x) = u'(x) w(x)$  ?

assume relationship exists:

$$\int u(x) dw(x) = \int w(x) du(x)$$

$$u(x)w(x) \Big|_{\Omega} - \int w(x) du(x) = u(x)w(x) \Big|_{\Omega} - \int u(x) dw(x)$$

$$u(x)w(x) \Big|_{\Omega} = 2 \int w(x) du(x)$$



$$W_h = \text{span}\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}.$$

trial space:  $x, x$

test space:  $1$

$$\begin{cases} N_1 = x \\ N_2 = x^2 \\ N_3 = x^3 \end{cases}$$

$$N_4 = 1$$

↓  
test space  
active ind.

↓  
trial  
constrained ind.

$$V_h = \text{span}\{x, x^2, x^3\}.$$

$$S_h = \{1 + v_h \mid v_h \in V_h\}.$$

$$S_h = \{w_h \in V_h \mid w_h(0) = 1\}.$$

$$= \{w_h = 1 + w_1 x + w_2 x^2 + w_3 x^3 \mid (w_1, w_2, w_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3\}.$$

$$a(u_h, N_1) = \ell(N_1)$$

$$a(u_h, N_2) = \ell(N_2)$$

$$a(u_h, N_3) = \ell(N_3)$$

$$u_4 = 1.$$

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} \ell(N_1) \\ \ell(N_2) \\ \ell(N_3) \\ u_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4/3 & 3/2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3/2 & 9/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U = K^{-1}F$$

Derivation for consistency check.

• For  $w_n = 1$

$$\int_0^1 u'(x) 2x dx - \int_0^1 [xu'(x) + x^2u(x)] dx - 6u(1) = 0$$

$$\int_0^1 2x du(x) - \int_0^1 x du(x) - \int_0^1 x^2 u(x) dx - 6u(1) = 0$$

$$\int_0^1 x du(x) - \int_0^1 x^2 u(x) dx - 6u(1) = 0$$

$$u(1) - \int_0^1 u(x) dx - \int_0^1 x^2 u(x) dx - 6u(1) = 0$$

$$-5u(1) - \int_0^1 (1+x^2) u(x) dx = 0$$

$$-5u(1) - \int_0^1 u(x) d\left[\frac{x^3}{3} + x\right]$$

$$-5u(1) - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow W'_n = 3ax^2 + 2bx + c$$

$$W_n = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$$

$$\int_0^1 u'(x) [3ax^2 + 2bx + c] (1+x^2) dx + \int_0^1 u'(x) [ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d] 2x dx$$

$$- \int_0^1 (ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d) (xu'(x) + x^2u(x)) dx = bW(1)u(1)$$

$$1.35 \quad R(u, v_n) = \int_0^1 [u'v'_n + bu'v_n + uv'_n] dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 (-u'' + bu' + u)v_n dx + u'(0)v_n(0)$$

$$= u'(0)v_n(0)$$

$$\int_0^1 u'(x) (1+x^2) dW_n(x) + \int_0^1 u'(x) W_n(x) 2x dx$$

$$- \int_0^1 W_n(x) [xu'(x) + x^2u(x)] dx - bW_n(1)u(1) = 0$$

$$W_n(x) u'(x) (1+x^2) \Big|_0^1 - \int_0^1 W_n(x) d[u'(x) (1+x^2)]$$

$$+ \int_0^1 u'(x) W_n(x) 2x dx - \int_0^1 W_n(x) [xu'(x) + x^2u(x)] dx$$

$$- bW_n(1)u(1) = 0$$

$$2W_n(1)u'(1) - W_n(0)u'(0) - bW_n(1)u(1) - \int_0^1 W_n(x) [u''(1+x^2) + 2xu'] dx$$

$$+ \int_0^1 W_n(x) u'(x) 2x dx - \int_0^1 W_n(x) [xu' + x^2u] dx$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ 2u'(1) - 6u(1) \\ \underbrace{\hspace{2cm}} \\ = 0 \end{array} =$$

$$2W_h(1)u'(1) - W_h(0)u'(0) - 6W_h(1)u(1)$$

$$- \int_0^1 W_h(x) \left[ u''(1+x^2) + \underbrace{2xu' - 2u'x}_{=0} + xu' + x^2u \right] dx$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{=0}$  from problem.

lecture #6

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essential BCs:  $S_h$ . test space:  $Z_h$ .

$$a_h(u_h, v_h) = \ell_h(v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in Z_h.$$

$\{N_1, \dots, N_n\}$ . basis for  $Z_h$ .

Impose  $a_h(u_h, v_a) = \ell(v_a)$ ,  $a=1, \dots, n$ .

$$a_h(u_h, v_h) = a_h(u_h, \sum_{a=1}^n v_a N_a)$$



$a$  is bilinear

"takes the sum out".

$$= \sum_{a=1}^n v_a a_h(u_h, N_a).$$

$$= \sum_{a=1}^n v_a \ell_h(N_a)$$

$$= \ell\left(\sum_{a=1}^n v_a N_a\right) = \ell(v_h)$$

"Shuffling functions".

$\{N_a\}_{a=1, \dots, m}$  basis for  $Z_h$ .

$\eta = \{1, \dots, m\}$  index set

$\eta_a \subset \eta$ ,  $\eta_a =$  active indices.

$$Z_h = \text{span}\left(\bigcup_{a \in \eta_a} \{N_a\}\right).$$

define:  $\eta_g = \eta \setminus \eta_a \equiv$  constrained indices.

$$w_h \in \mathcal{U}_h \Leftrightarrow w_h = \sum_{a \in \eta_a} w_a N_a$$

$$a(w_h, N_a) = l(N_a), \quad a \in \eta_a.$$

$$\bar{u}_h = \sum_{a \in \eta_g} \bar{u}_a N_a$$

$$u_a = \bar{u}_a, \quad a \in \eta_g$$

Recall Notes (book).

$$F_a = l_h(N_a), \quad K_{ab} = a_h(N_b, N_a),$$

$$\text{Before: } N_1 = x, \quad N_2 = x^2, \quad N_3 = x^3, \quad N_4 = 1.$$

$$\text{Now: } N_1 = x, \quad N_2 = 1, \quad N_3 = x^2, \quad N_4 = x^3.$$

$$\eta = \{1, 2, 3, 4\},$$

$$\eta_a = \{1, 3, 4\}.$$

$$\eta_g = \{2\}.$$

Remark: indices change  $\rightarrow$  but the result for  $\mathcal{U}$  should be the same.

$$\bar{u}_h = 3.$$

Ex. 1.44.

$$-u'' + u' + u = -5 \exp(-2x), \quad x \in (0, \frac{\pi}{2}).$$

$$u(0) = 1.$$

$$u(\pi/2) = \exp(-\pi).$$

$$W_h = \text{span}\{1, \sin x, \sin 2x, \sin 4x\}$$

$$N_1 = 1, \quad N_2 = \sin x, \quad N_3 = \sin 2x, \quad N_4 = \sin 4x$$

$$S_h = \{w_h \in W_h \mid w_h(0) = 1, w_h(\pi/2) = e^{-\pi}\}$$

$$Z_h = \{w_h \in W_h \mid w_h(0) = 0, w_h(\pi/2) = 0\}$$

$$w_h(0) = 1 \rightarrow w_1 = 1$$

$$w_h(\pi/2) = e^{-\pi} \rightarrow w_1 + w_2 = e^{-\pi}$$

$$w_2 = e^{-\pi} - 1$$

$$\bar{u}_h = 1 + (e^{-\pi} - 1) \sin x$$

# First Finite Element Method

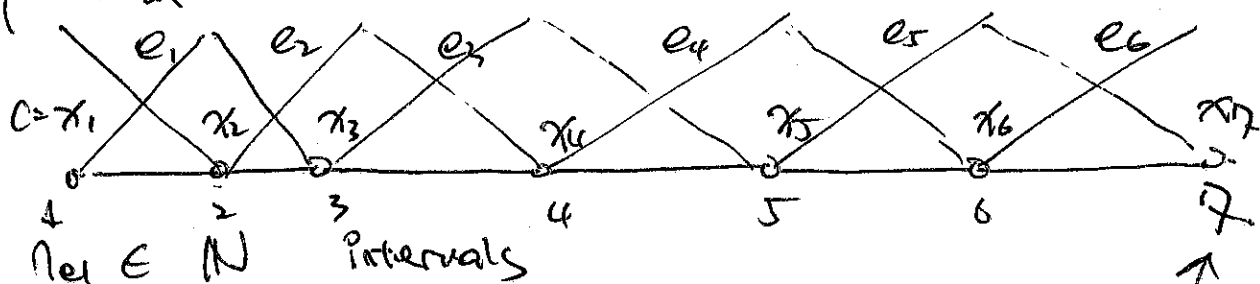
Diffusion problem

$$-u''(x) = 1, \quad u(0) = 2, \quad u'(1) = 0$$

$$x \in (0, 1)$$

→ Variational prob.:  $\int u_h' v_h' = \int f v_h$

→ piece-wise affine func.



$$0 = x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_{\text{node}} = 1$$

$W_h = \text{span}(\{N_1, \dots, N_{n_{el}+1}\})$ . <sup>element num.</sup> Finite element Space.

$$m = n_{el} + 1$$

$$1) \sum_{a=1}^{n_{el}+1} N_a(x) = 1, \quad \forall x \in [c, d]$$

$$2) N_b(x_a) = \delta_{ba}$$

$$W_h(x) = w_1 N_1(x) + \dots + w_{n_{el}+1} N_{n_{el}+1}(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_h(x_a) &= w_1 N_1(x_a) + \dots + w_a N_a(x_a) + \dots + w_{n_{el}+1} N_{n_{el}+1}(x_a) \\
 &= w_a N_a(x_a) = w_a
 \end{aligned}$$



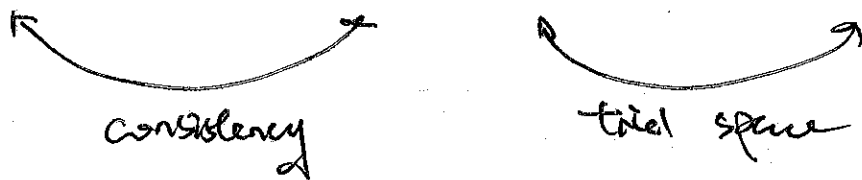
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Finite Element Method in 1D.

- Integration by part of piecewise smooth functions.
- Consistency.

BVP  $\rightarrow$  Discrete Var. Eqn.  $\rightarrow$  Var. Num. Meths.



Final solution

"Consistency of this piecewise function approach".

$$\int_a^b u(x) v(x) dx = \sum_{i=0}^k [u(x_i) v(x_i)]_{x=c_i} - \int_a^b u(x) v'(x) dx$$

$$[u]_{x=c} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} u(x) - \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} u(x)$$

From -ve LHS

From -ve RHS

# Consistency:

$$R_h(u_h, v_h) = 0 \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$$

$$R_h(u_h, v_h) = \int_0^1 u_h' v_h' dx - \int_0^1 v_h(x) dx$$

Need:  $R_h(u, v_h) = 0 \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$

$$R_h(u_h, v_h) = R(u_h, v_h)$$

$$R(u, v) = \int_0^1 u' v' dx - \int_0^1 v dx \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V} \cup \mathcal{V}_h$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \{v: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0\}$$

→ test w/ smooth functions.

↳ what's the largest test set

that can be selected?

$\mathcal{V}$ : "infinite" space.

Polynomial  $\mathcal{P}_k \subset (C_0 \cap \mathcal{P}^k)$  domain:  $k_e \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ .

finite set of basis functions  $\mathcal{N}^e = \{N_1^e, \dots, N_{k_e}^e\}$

or to basis functions ← shape functions

$$\mathcal{P}^e = \text{Span}(\mathcal{N}^e) = \text{element space}$$

$k_e$  degree of freedom,  $f^e: k_e \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$f^e(x) = \phi_1^e N_1^e(x) + \dots + \phi_k^e N_k^e(x)$$

$$(\phi_1^e, \dots, \phi_k^e) \in \mathbb{R}^k$$

No. of terms ...

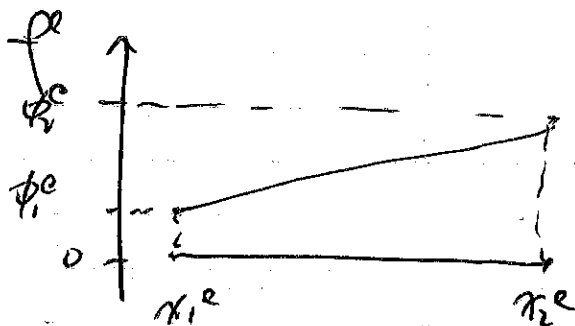
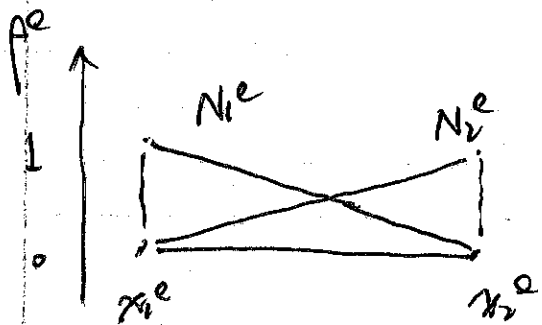
$$e = (K_e, N^e)$$

$$K_e = (\hat{K}_e, N^e)$$

Remark: " $K_e$  &  $\hat{K}_e$  are identical in general."

Example

2.1.  $P_2$ -element:  $K_e = [\pi_1^e, \pi_2^e]$ :



$$N_1^e(x) = \frac{x - \pi_2^e}{\pi_1^e - \pi_2^e}$$

$$N_2^e(x) = \frac{x - \pi_1^e}{\pi_2^e - \pi_1^e}$$

$$f^e(x) \in \mathcal{J}^e \quad \phi_1^e \frac{x - \pi_2^e}{\pi_1^e - \pi_2^e} + \phi_2^e \frac{x - \pi_1^e}{\pi_2^e - \pi_1^e} = 0 \quad \forall x \in K_e$$

" $P_i$  - element",

$$P^e = \prod_{i=1}^n (k_i)$$

$$N_1^e(x) + N_2^e(x) = 1, \quad \forall x \in K_e$$

$$x_1^e N_1^e(x) + x_2^e N_2^e(x) = x, \quad \forall x \in K_e.$$

... linear independence.

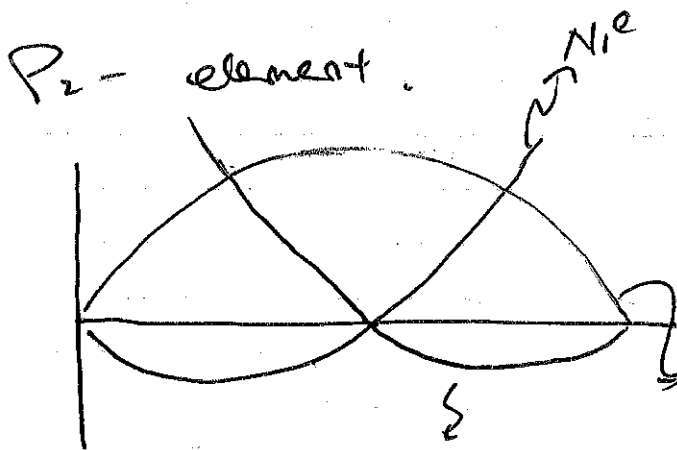
$\Downarrow$

Squads to  $x$  everywhere.

$P_i$  - element

(check example!)

$P_2$  - element.

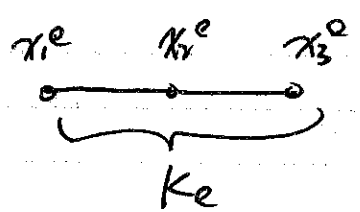


$$N_1^e(x) = \frac{(x - x_2^e)(x - x_3^e)}{(x_1^e - x_2^e)(x_1^e - x_3^e)}$$

$$N_2^e(x) = \frac{(x - x_1^e)(x - x_3^e)}{(x_2^e - x_1^e)(x_2^e - x_3^e)}$$

$$N_3^e(x) = \frac{(x - x_1^e)(x - x_2^e)}{(x_3^e - x_1^e)(x_3^e - x_2^e)}$$

For  $P_2$ -element



$P_k$ -element

$$K_e = [z_1, z_2]$$

$$x_a^e = z_1 + (a-1) \cdot \frac{(z_2 - z_1)}{k}$$

$$N_a^e(x) = \frac{\prod_{b=1, b \neq a}^{k+1} (x - x_b^e)}{\prod_{b=1, b \neq a}^{k+1} (x_a^e - x_b^e)}$$

For  $P_k$ -element  $k \geq 1$

$$\text{Span}(N^e) = P_k(K_e)$$

$$N_a^e(x_b^e) = \delta_{ab} \dots (*)$$

$$0 = f^e(x) = \underbrace{\phi_1^e N_1^e(x) + \dots + \phi_a^e N_a^e(x) + \dots + \phi_{k+1}^e N_{k+1}^e(x)}_{\text{applying property (*)}}$$

applying property (\*)

show each of these equals zero

$$f^e(x_b^e) = \phi_b^e$$

$$f \in P_k(K_e)$$

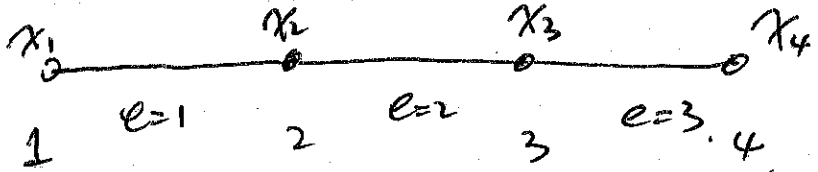
$$g(x) = f(x_1^e)N_1^e(x) + \dots + f(x_{k+1}^e)N_{k+1}^e(x)$$

"polynomial"

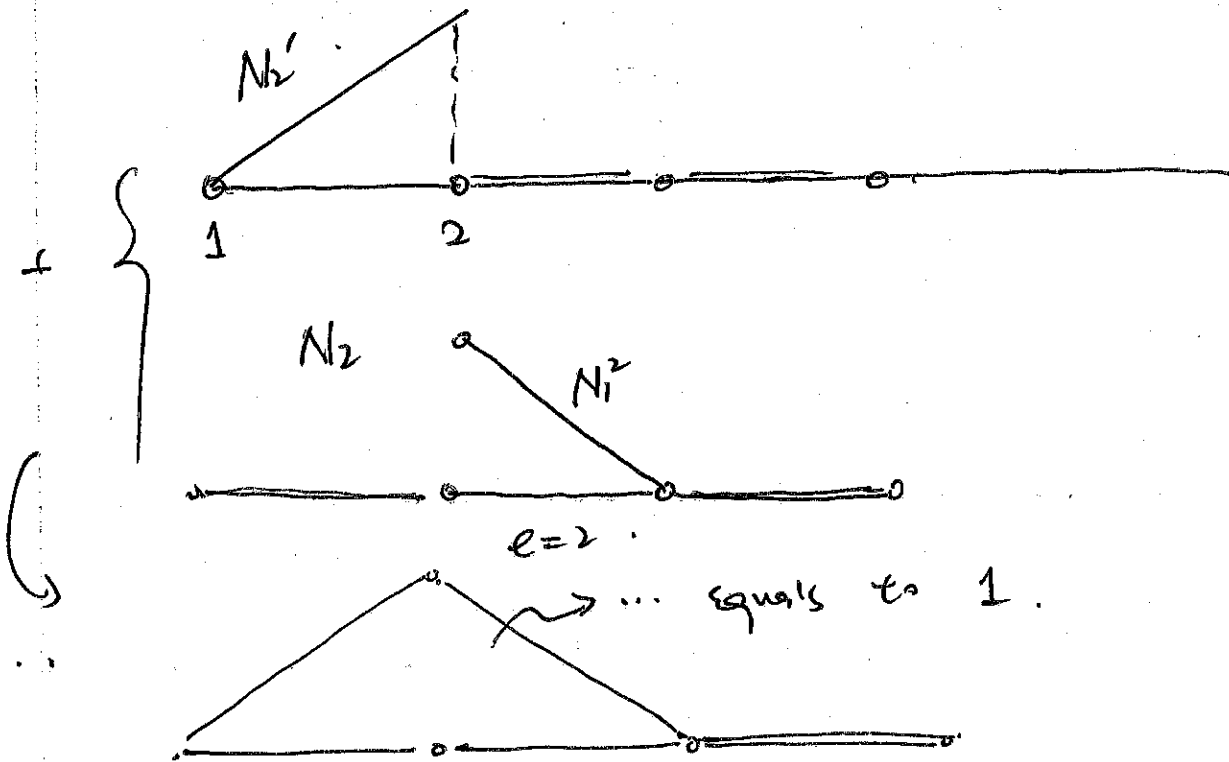
$$f(x) - g(x) = 0 \quad \forall x = x_b^e$$

"Lagrange Elements"  $\rightarrow$  DoF

Example



P1 - elements

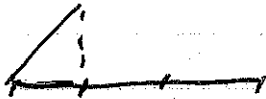


lecture 8

2/1/2024

Review: defn: pair  $\rightarrow (k_e, M^e)$

D.F.  $\rightarrow$  num. functions we can build  
within one element.



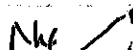
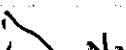
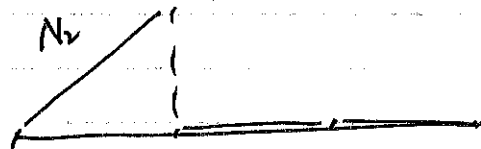
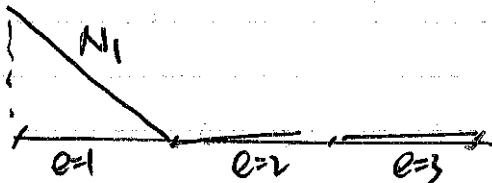
Defn the values at the nodes

# take the limit at the node

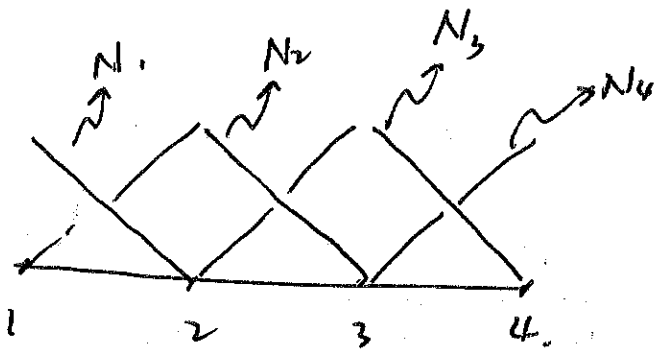
$C^0$  - element. "not  $C^1$ "

★ Define a local-to-global map.

Defining LG (2.9)



2.10.



$$LG = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Broken Sum.  $W_h \times W_h \rightarrow W_h$ .

$$(f_h \dot{+} g_h)(x) = f_h(x) + g_h(x) \quad x \neq x_i$$

and

$$(f_h \dot{+} g_h)(x_i) = \lim$$

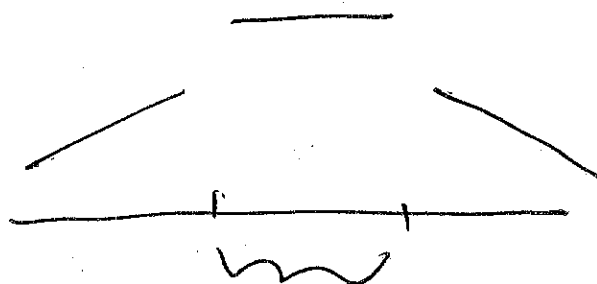
Continue on 2.9.

$$U_n \in W_h$$

$$U_n = 1 N_1 \dot{+} 2 N_2 \dot{+} 3 N_3 \dot{+} 3 N_4$$

$$\dot{+} 2 N_5 \dot{+} 0 N_6$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



\* Confused ... ?

broken sum, i.e., function undefined



$$N_1 = N_1'$$

$$N_2 = N_2' \neq N_1'$$

$$\text{Set: } \{(a, e) \mid LG(a, e) = 3\} = \{(2, 2), (1, 3)\}$$

localizing indices in the  
LG matrix.

$N_{n,e}$  → element index  
→ functions.

\* Q: after add "f", are N would be  
discovered?

Local-to-Global DoF Map.

$$U_h = \sum_{A=1}^m U_A N_A$$

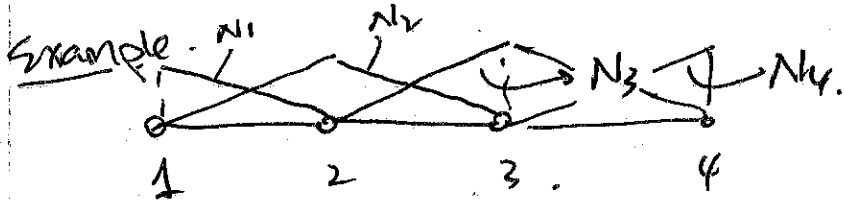
DoF ↘

$$U_h = \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \sum_{k=0}^{k_e} U_{LG(a,e)} N_A^e$$

Element stiffness matrix & elem. load vec.

$$a_n(u_h, v_h) = \int_{\Omega} [k u_h' v_h' + b u_h' v_h + c u_h v_h] dx$$

$$l_n(v_h) = k(L) du v_h(L) + \int_{\Omega} f(x) v_h(x) dx$$

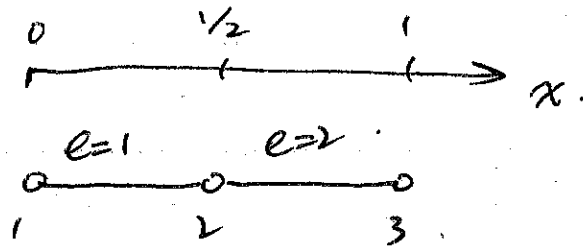


$$k_{33} = a_n(N_3, N_3)$$

$$a_n^e = \int_{ke} \dots \leftarrow \text{element stiffness part.}$$

Example

2.12.



$$a_n^e = \int_{ke} (w v' + 3x uv) dx$$

$$l_n^e = \int_{ke} 10 v dx$$

Shape functions

$$N_1'(x) = \frac{1/2 - x}{1/2}$$

$$N_1^2(x) = \frac{1-x}{1/2}$$

$$N_2'(x) = x / (1/2)$$

$$N_2^2(x) = \frac{x-1/2}{1/2}$$

$$K_{ab}^1 = Q_h^1 (N_b^1, N_a^1)$$

$$= \int_{K_1} (N_a^1)' (N_b^1)' + 3 \times N_a^1 N_b^1$$

\*Q: how is LG used here?

Boundary terms. . . .

Assembly:

\*Q. for 2D case. LG  $\rightarrow$  3D matrix  
K  $\rightarrow$  2D matrix

lecture 9. 2/6/2024.

4th Fourth-Order Problems. (last lecture II).

Example  $(q(x) u''(x))'' + c(x) u(x) = f(x), \forall x \in \Omega.$

3.1

$$u(0) = g_0$$

$$u'(0) = d_0$$

$$u''(L) = m_L$$

$$u'''(L) = n_L$$

$q$  &  $c$  piecewise smooth

non-negative

∥

"well-posed"

→ General formulation:

source term

$$(q(x) u''(x))'' - (b(x) u'(x))' + c(x) u(x) = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega$$

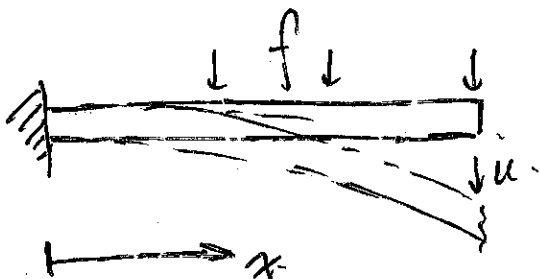


fourth-order term

diffusion term

reaction term

→ Euler-Bernoulli Beam



$$[E(x) u''(x)]'' = f(x)$$

### 3.3. Image denoising

$$U_0: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\left[ (q(x) u(x))'' \right] + u = U_0 \quad x \in \Omega.$$

\* Need to specify 4 B.C.s. ← based on the order of prob.

$$u(0) = q_0.$$

$$u'(0) = d_0 \rightarrow \text{clamped}$$

$$u''(L) = n_L$$

$$u'''(L) = n_L.$$

← bending moment & shear force.  
i.e., applied load.

Build the residual:  $R(x) = (q u'')'' + cu - f.$

$$\int_0^L r v dx = 0.$$

$$\int_0^L (q u'')'' v + cuv - f v dx = 0$$

↑

~ (BP for twice).

for IBP:

$$(qu''')'v \Big|_0^L - \int_0^L (qu''')'v' + \int_0^L cuv - f dx = 0$$

$$(qu''')'u \Big|_0^L - qu''v' \Big|_0^L + \int_0^L qu''u'' + cuv - f dx = 0$$

Classical Galerkin formulation

$$R(u, v) = a(u, v) - l(v) = 0$$

$$a(u, v) = \int_0^L [q(x)u''v'' + cuv] dx$$

$$l(v) = \int_0^L f v dx - (q(L)m_L + q'(L)m_L)v(L) + q(L)m_L v(L)$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \{ v: [0, L] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0 \text{ \& } v'(0) = 0 \}$$

$m_L$  &  $n_L$

#2: classical Galerkin requirement ???

Natural boundary conditions

$S_0$  &  $d_0$

essential B.C.s

Consistency check.

Case  $n_L$  &  $n_R = 0$ .

→ the densities of  $\psi_n$  has to be continuous.

Hermite element.

$$\Omega_e = [\chi_1^e, \chi_2^e].$$

$$N_1^e(x) = \left( \frac{\chi_2^e - x}{\chi_2^e - \chi_1^e} \right)^2 \left( 1 + 2 \frac{x - \chi_1^e}{\chi_2^e - \chi_1^e} \right).$$

$$N_3^e(x) = \left( \frac{\chi_1^e - x}{\chi_1^e - \chi_2^e} \right)^2 \left( 1 + 2 \frac{x - \chi_2^e}{\chi_1^e - \chi_2^e} \right).$$

$$N_2^e(x), \quad N_4^e(x), \quad \dots$$

Hermite elem: continuous & cont. deriv.

Lecture 10

2/8/2024.

Sec. 4.1. PDE.

↳ DIFFUSION EQUATION.

$$-\operatorname{div}(K \nabla u) = f, \quad \text{in } \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$$

$u: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . unknown.

$K$ : positive definite matrix.  $K \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ .

$$\text{IFF } \vec{x}^T K \vec{x} > 0, \quad \forall \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\nabla u = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1} \underline{e}_1 + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_2} \underline{e}_2 \quad (\partial_1 u, \partial_2 u)$$

↳ i.e., gradient.

$$\mathcal{V}: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \Rightarrow \operatorname{div} \mathcal{V} = \partial_1 v_1 + \partial_2 v_2$$

$$\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix},$$

eg.  $\mathcal{V}(x_1, x_2) = x_1 x_2 \underline{e}_1 + (x_1 + x_2) \underline{e}_2$

$$(x_1 x_2, x_1 + x_2).$$

$$v_1 = x_1 x_2, \quad v_2 = x_1 + x_2.$$

$$\operatorname{div} \mathcal{V} = x_2 + 1.$$

$$\mathcal{J} = -K \nabla u, \quad \mathcal{J} \equiv \text{flux.}$$

↑ heat flux.  $\rightsquigarrow$  i.e., Fourier's law.



For the 2D case, diff. eqn. writes,

$$-\sum_{i=1}^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^2 k_{ij} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_j} \right] = f.$$

↑

$$(k_{ij} u_{,j})_{,i} = f.$$

Ex. 4.1. Poisson's Eqn.

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} k(x) & 0 \\ 0 & k(x) \end{pmatrix} \quad k(x) = k_0 \text{ const.}$$

$$J = -k \nabla u = - \begin{pmatrix} k_0 & 0 \\ 0 & k_0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \partial_1 u \\ \partial_2 u \end{pmatrix} = -k_0 \begin{pmatrix} \partial_1 u \\ \partial_2 u \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-k_0 \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x_1^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x_2^2} \right) = f$$

$$-k_0 \Delta u = f \quad \leftarrow \text{Laplacian of } u.$$

Poisson's Eqn.

$$u(x) = C_0 + C_1 x_1 + C_2 x_2$$

$$u(x_1, x_2) = \ln \left[ (x_1 - \bar{x}_1)^2 + (x_2 - \bar{x}_2)^2 \right]$$

$$(x_1, x_2) \neq (\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2).$$

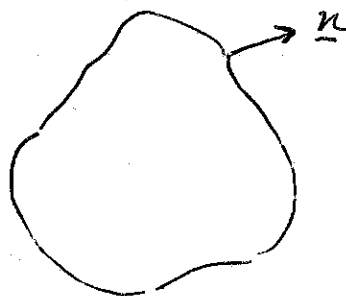
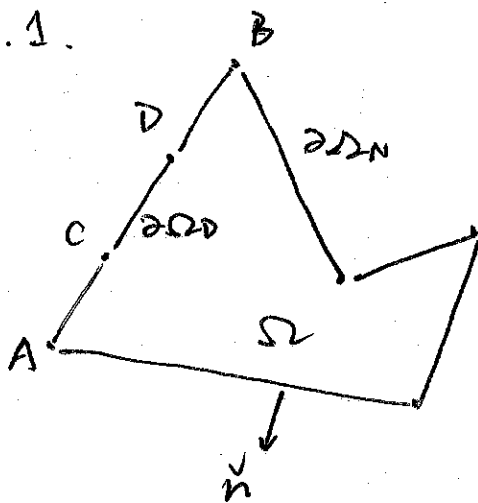
Ex 4.2 Elastic membrane.

$$P = -\operatorname{div}(T \nabla u).$$

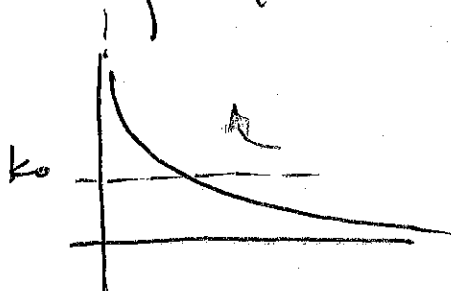
B.C.s:  $-\operatorname{div}(k \nabla u) = f \quad \text{in } \Omega.$

- Impose  $u$  at  $x \in \partial\Omega$ . (Dirichlet)
- Impose  $J \cdot \vec{n}$  at  $x \in \partial\Omega$ . (Neumann)

# Problem 4.1.



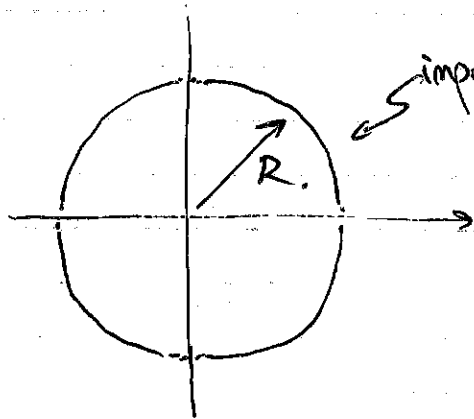
Reason why  $k$  has to be positive.



$\leftarrow k$  may blow up.

Ex. 4.4

$$u(x_1, x_2) = g - \frac{f}{4k} (x_1^2 + x_2^2 - R^2).$$



impose  $g$  on boundary.

"Application of divergence theorem".

$$\int_{\Omega} v \operatorname{div} w \, d\Omega = \int_{\partial\Omega} v w \cdot \vec{n} \, dT - \int_{\Omega} w \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega.$$



"make the vector field to the scalar function".

$$\sum_{i=1}^d \left[ \int_{\Omega} v \partial_i w_i \, d\Omega \right] = \sum_{i=1}^d \left[ \int_{\partial\Omega} v w_i \vec{n}_i \, dT - \int_{\Omega} w_i \partial_i v \, d\Omega \right]$$

\* look at the DIVERGENCE THEOREM.

$$\int_{\Omega} v (-\operatorname{div} (K \nabla u) - f) = 0$$

$$\int_{\Omega} -\operatorname{div} (K \nabla u) v - \int_{\Omega} f v = 0$$

$$-\int_{\partial\Omega} k \nabla u \cdot n \, v \, d\Gamma + \int_{\Omega} k \nabla u \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} f v = 0$$

$$-\int_{\partial\Omega_N} H v \, d\Gamma - \int_{\partial\Omega_D} k \nabla u \cdot n \, v \, d\Gamma.$$

$$+ \int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} f v = 0$$

$$\int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} f v + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} H v \, d\Gamma$$

$$\forall v \in \mathcal{V} = \{ \text{smooth} \mid v|_{\partial\Omega_D} = 0 \}$$

Euler-Lagrange Equations.

Find  $u_h \in \mathcal{S}_h$  s.t.

$$a_h(u_h, v_h) = b_h(v_h) \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$$

$\mathcal{V}_h$  is the direction of  $\mathcal{S}_h$ .

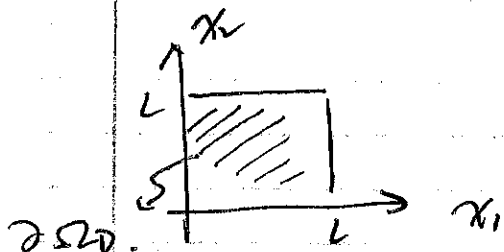
(Recall the 1D chapter)



$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{ v_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid v_h(x) = 0, \quad x \in \partial\Omega_D \}$$

Ex. 4.9

Domain is a square  $\rightarrow \Omega = [0, L]^2$



$$-\Delta u = \frac{f}{k} \quad \begin{array}{l} k: \text{const.} \\ f: \text{const.} \end{array}$$

$$u = g \quad \text{on } \partial\Omega$$

"entire boundary: Dirichlet B.C.s"

$\rightarrow$  Classical Galerkin:  $w_n = \mathbb{P}_r(\Omega)$   $r=1$

if  $r=2$ ,  $\mathbb{P}_2(\Omega)$ ?  $v(x_1, x_2) = \overbrace{C_1 + C_2 x_1 + C_3 x_2}^{r=1}$   
 $+ C_4 x_1^2 + C_5 x_1 x_2 + C_6 x_2^2$

if  $r=3$   $\dots + C_7 x_1^3 + C_8 x_1^2 x_2 + C_9 x_1 x_2^2 + C_{10} x_2^3$

$$\mathcal{S}_n = \{ w_n \in \mathcal{W}_n \mid w_n = g \text{ on } \partial\Omega \}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_n = \{ w_n \in \mathcal{W}_n \mid w_n = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \}$$

$$\frac{\partial w_n}{\partial x_2} (x_2=0) = 0 = C_3 \quad \forall x_1$$

$$\frac{\partial w_n}{\partial x_1} (x_1=0) = 0 = C_2$$

$$w_n \text{ on } \partial\Omega = g = C_1$$

$\mathcal{S}_n$  identically "g"

if choose  $w_n = \mathbb{P}_1(\Omega) \rightarrow \mathcal{V}_n$  identically zero

$$\mathcal{W}_n = \{ C_1 + \underbrace{x_1(L-x_1)x_2(L-x_2)}_{=0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega} p(x_1, x_2) \mid p \in \mathbb{P}_{n-4}, C \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

Lecture 11.

2/13/2024.

Finite Element Spaces in 2D.

... following the  $W_h$  example.

$$M=4. \quad V_h = \{ v_i N_i(x_1, x_2) \mid v_i \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$N_i(x_1, x_2) = x_1(L-x_1)x_2(L-x_2)$$

$$S_h = \{ q + v_i N_i(x_1, x_2) \mid v_i \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

we can then identify:  $\bar{U}_h = q$  const.

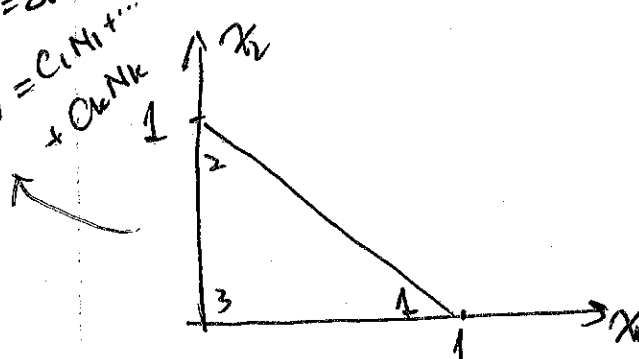
$$U_h = q + u_i N_i$$

$$a(U_h, N_i) = l(N_i).$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \nabla(q + u_i N_i) \nabla v_i = \int_{\Omega} \frac{f}{k} v_i$$

$$\hookrightarrow u_i = \frac{\int f}{4kL^2}$$

$(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{k=1}^4 c_k N_k$



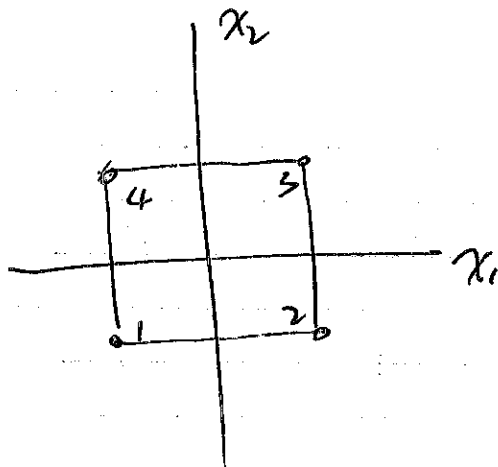
$$N_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1$$

$$N_2(x_1, x_2) = x_2$$

$$N_3(x_1, x_2) = 1 - N_1 - N_2 = 1 - x_1 - x_2$$

$P_1$  - element in 2D

$$\int_0^1 dx_1 \int_0^{1-x_1} f(x_1, x_2) dx_2$$



$Q_1$ -Element

$$\iint_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(x_1, x_2) dx_1 dx_2$$

$$N_1(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4}(1-x_1)(1-x_2)$$

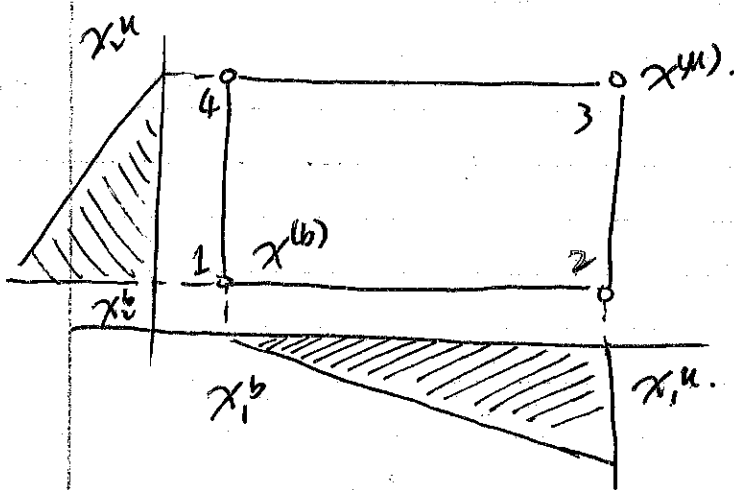
→ affine in each argument

$$N_2(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4}(1+x_1)(1-x_2)$$

↳  
called "bilinear func."

$$N_3(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4}(1+x_1)(1+x_2)$$

$$N_4(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4}(1-x_1)(1+x_2)$$



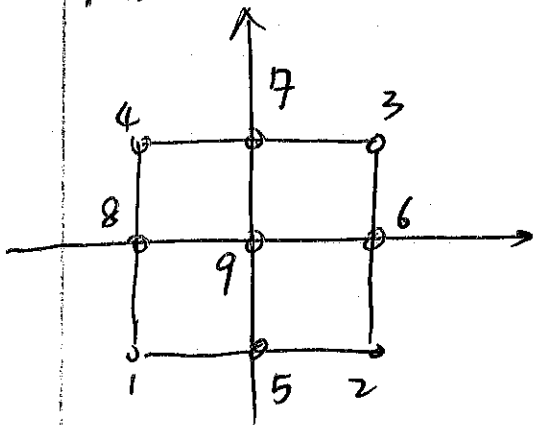
$$N_1(x_1, x_2) = \frac{x_1 - x_1^u}{x_1^b - x_1^u} \cdot \frac{x_2 - x_2^u}{x_2^b - x_2^u}$$

$$N_2(x_1, x_2) = \dots$$

$$N_3(x_1, x_2) = \dots$$

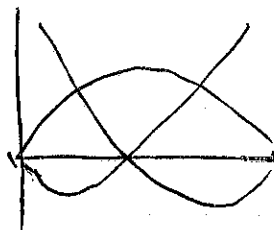
$$N_4(x_1, x_2) = \dots$$

$Q_2$ -Element over a rectangle.



$$\mathcal{N} = \{M_i(x_1) M_j(x_2) \mid 1 \leq i, j \leq 3\}$$

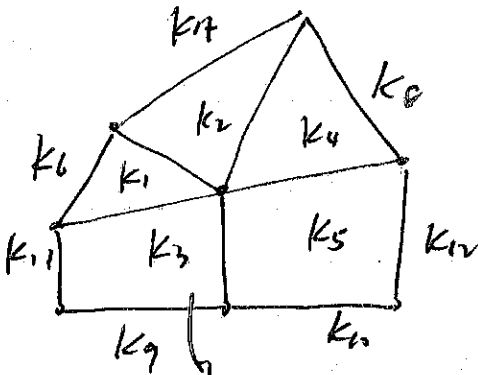
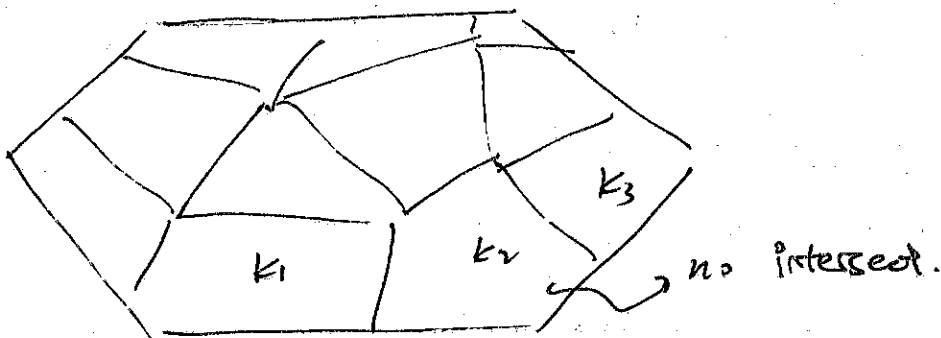
$$= \{N_1, \dots, N_9\}$$



Definition of "mesh"

$$\text{mesh } \mathcal{T} = \{K_1, \dots, K_{\text{nel}}\} \quad \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^d$$

$$K_i \cap K_j = \emptyset \quad \text{when } i \neq j \quad \& \quad \Omega = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\text{Nel}} K_i$$



diameter of elem. dom.  $K$ .  
 $h_K = \text{diam}(K) = \max |x - y|$

$$h = \max_{K \in \mathcal{T}} h_K$$

mesh size

close set to include the boundary

→ Polyhedral Meshes.

→ Conforming Mesh

→ Finite Element Mesh.  $\hat{K}_i = (K_i, \mathcal{N}_i)$


$$\text{mesh for } \Omega \leftarrow \mathcal{T} = \{K_1, \dots, K_{\text{nel}}\}$$

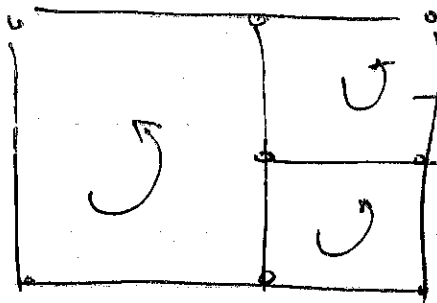


Separating finite element mesh

$$X \left[ \begin{array}{c} \dots \\ \dots \\ \dots \end{array} \right]$$

$$bV = \left[ \begin{array}{c|c|c} | & | & | \\ \hline \vec{e}_1 & \vec{e}_2 & \vec{e}_3 \\ \hline | & | & | \end{array} \right] \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{c|c|c} | & | & | \\ \hline \vec{e}_1 & \vec{e}_2 & \vec{e}_3 \\ \hline | & | & | \end{array}} \right\} \text{nodal labels}$$

connectivity 



notation convention

"RH notation"

lecture 12

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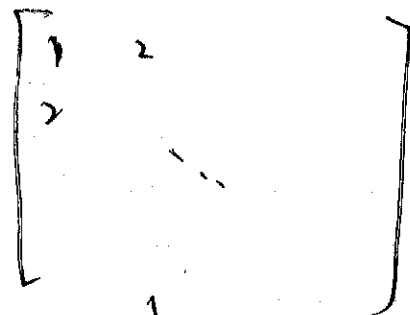
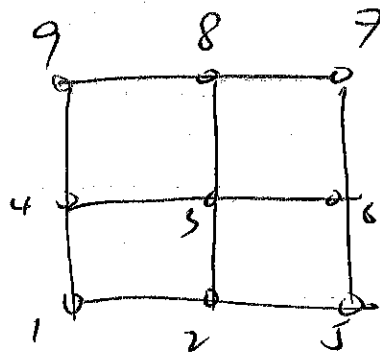
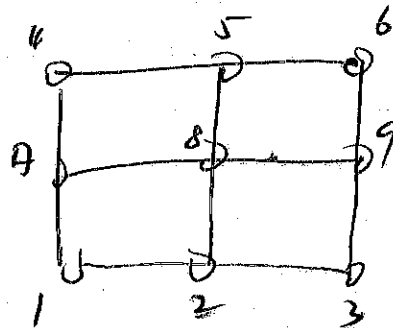
→ Finite element spaces

→ Barycentric Coordinates.

$Q_1$  - element example.

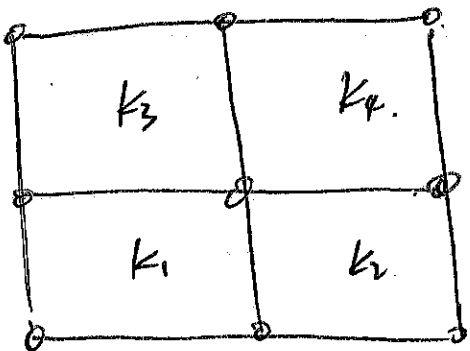
$$L_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 7 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 & 8 & 9 \\ 8 & 9 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L_G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 3 & 6 \\ 3 & 3 & 8 & 7 \\ 4 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \times \rightarrow$$

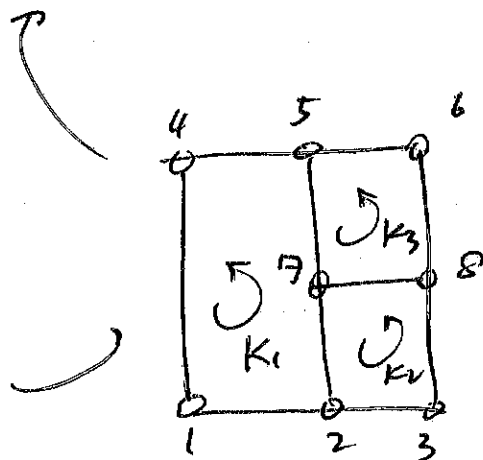


$L_G = L_A^{-1}$

$Q_1$  - element.

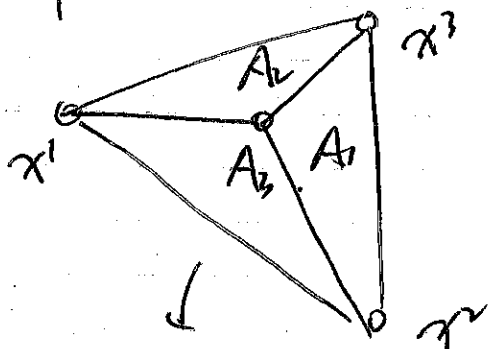


$$N = N_1^1 + \frac{1}{2} N_4^2 + \frac{1}{2} N_1^3 + N_4^3$$



\* Conformity in meshes.

# Baricentric Coordinates

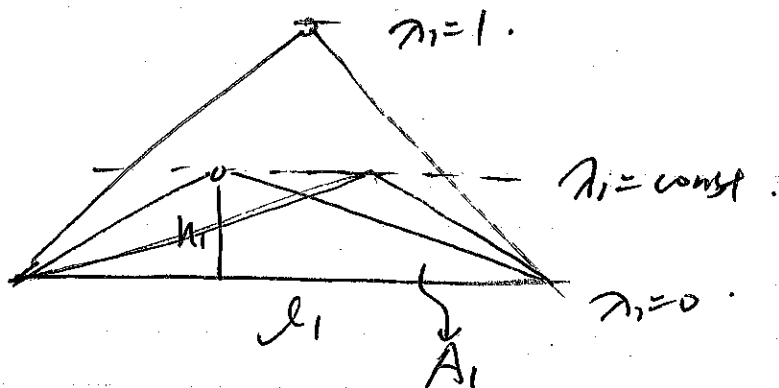


$$\lambda_j = \frac{A_j}{A}$$

$$(x_1, x_2) \rightarrow (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\sum_i \lambda_i = 1.$$



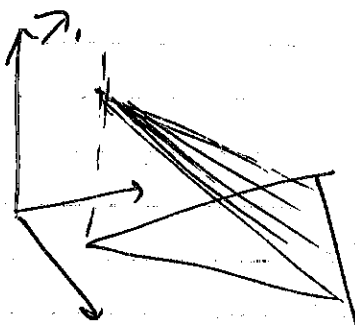
$$A_1 = \frac{l_1 h_1}{2}$$

$$\downarrow$$

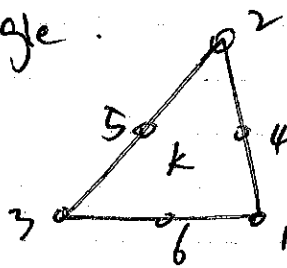
$$A = l_1 h_1 / 2$$

$\lambda$  is a linear function  
w.r.t.  $h_1$ .

$$\hookrightarrow \lambda_1 = h_1 / h$$



$P_2$ -triangle



$$N_5 = 2\lambda_2\lambda_3$$

$$N_3 = 2\lambda_3(\lambda_3 - 1/2)$$

Example Diffusion Problem.

$$\int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u_h) \cdot \nabla v_h \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} f v_h \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_D} H v_h \, d\Gamma$$

$$\forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h(x) = 0, \quad x \in \Gamma_D\}$$

$$u_h \in \mathcal{U}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h(x) = g(x), \quad x \in \Gamma_D\}$$

$$K_{ab}^e = \int_{K_e} k \nabla N_b^e \cdot \nabla N_a^e \, d\Omega$$

$\mathcal{W}_h \Rightarrow P_1$  - elements.

$$K_{ab}^e = \nabla N_b^e \cdot \nabla N_a^e \left( \int_{K_e} k \, d\Omega \right) = k_e \nabla N_b^e \cdot \nabla N_a^e$$

Define a matrix:

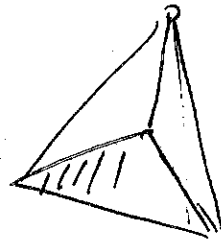
$$dN = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial N_1^e}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_2^e}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_3^e}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial N_1^e}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial N_2^e}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial N_3^e}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$K^e = k_e A_e \, dN^T \, dN \rightarrow$  element stiffness matrix

$$\bar{F}_a^e = \int_{\Omega} f N_a^e d\Omega.$$

$$= f_e \int_{\Omega} N_a^e d\Omega.$$

$$= f_e \frac{A_e}{3}.$$



Approximation

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{functional discretization,} \\ \text{spatial discretization,} \end{array} \right.$

$\nearrow$  p-discretization

$\downarrow$   
h-discretization

Finite element method: hp-discretization.

Spectral discretization:  $\curvearrowright$

$L_G = L_V \rightarrow$  continuous test functions  
conforming meshes.

# General rule of thumb.

$L_{V_1}, L_{V_2}, L_{V_3}$  (176)  $\rightarrow$  just types of elements.

there is no requirement for picking the starting node

When we are labeling the nodes, the  $L_A$  ( $L_G$ ) are constructed based on the notation convention. Both ways ( $1, 2, 3, \dots$ )

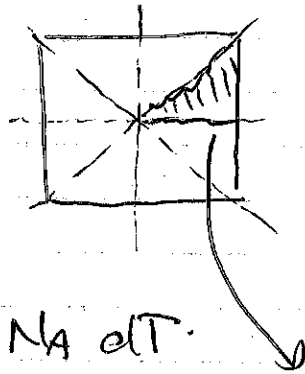
( $1, 2, 3, \dots$ ) are correct. Just need to be consistent across the domain.

elements are labeled based on empirical usage. No general rule.

# lecture B.

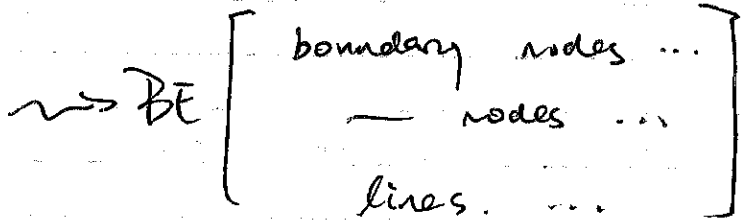
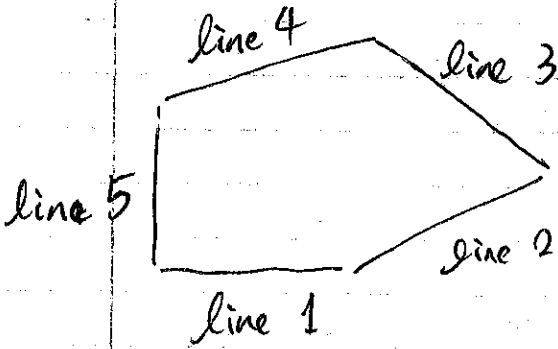
Neumann B.C.s.

$$F_A = \int_{\Omega} f_N A \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} H_N A \, dT.$$

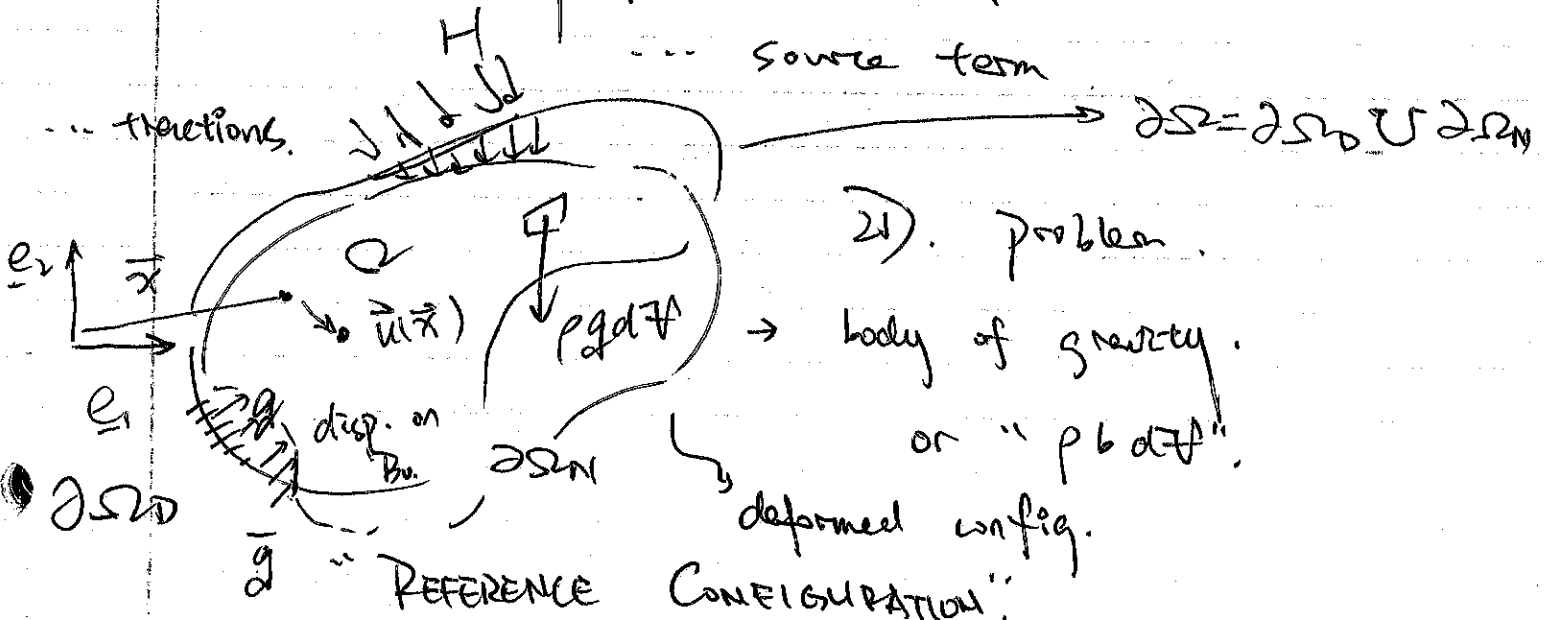


symmetry property across the domain.

normal derivatives are zero across the internal boundaries.



linear elasticity problem (chap. 7).



2) problem  
body of matter  
or "p b d T"

deformed config.

REFERENCE CONFIGURATION:

vector: displacement field.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bar{g}: \partial\Omega_D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \bar{h}: \partial\Omega_N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \bar{b}: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\bar{u}(\bar{x}) = u_1(\bar{x})\bar{e}_1 + u_2(\bar{x})\bar{e}_2$$

reference configuration

Scalar field (functions)

→  $u$  satisfies the principle of minimum potential energy.

... the concept of potential energy.

$$\mathcal{F}(u) = U(u) - \int_{\Omega} \bar{b} \cdot \bar{u} \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_N} H \cdot u \, d\partial\Omega$$

$$\mathcal{F}: \mathcal{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

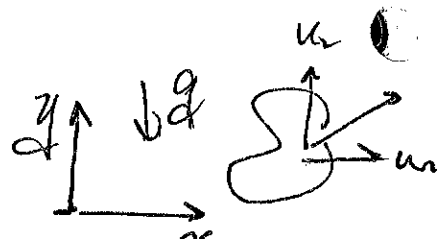
$$\mathcal{W} = \{ \bar{u} : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ smooth} \}$$

Example:

$$\int_{\Omega} \rho g u_2 \, d\Omega \quad (\text{gravity})$$

is the pot. ener.

(gravity).

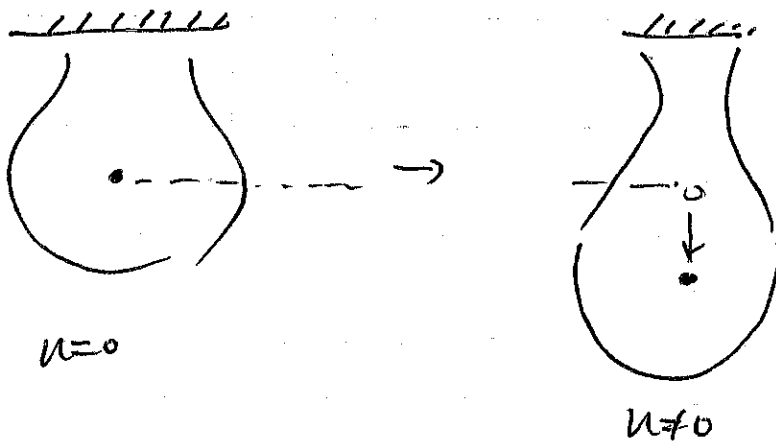




Q: 1) opt. alg.

2) current config.

Ex.



3) where  $G$

4) where  $HH$ .

... the gradient of the displacement field.

$$\nabla u = \begin{bmatrix} \partial_1 u_1 & \partial_2 u_1 \\ \partial_1 u_2 & \partial_2 u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma(\nabla u) = \frac{1}{2}(\nabla u + \nabla u^T)$$

$$\omega(\nabla u) = \frac{1}{2}(\nabla u - \nabla u^T)$$

↳ split into two components.

$$\nabla u(\vec{x}) = \Sigma(\nabla u) + \omega(\nabla u)$$

↳ symmetric

↳ anti-symmetric

The strain energy

$$U(u) = \int_{\Omega} \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)} \left( \Sigma : \Sigma + \frac{\nu}{1-\nu} (\operatorname{div} u)^2 \right) ds$$

$$A:B = \sum_j A_{ij} B_{ij}$$

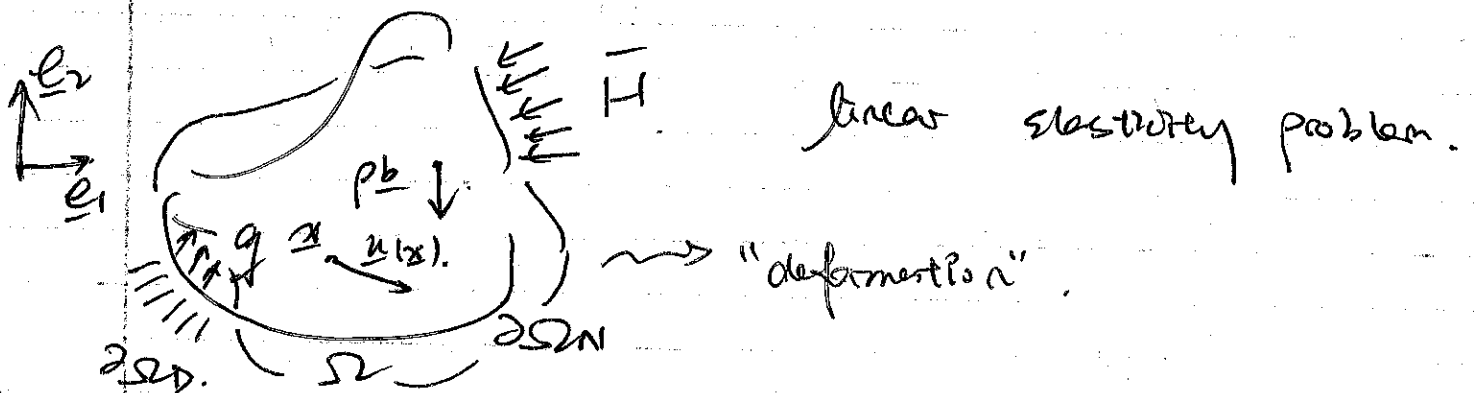
.. Einstein notation.

# Lecture 14

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\* Minimum principle.  $\rightarrow$  weak form.

$\hookrightarrow$  Multi-field problems.



$$\bar{u}: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \quad (\text{Req.})$$

$$\bar{u} = u_1(x_1, x_2) \underline{e}_1 + u_2(x_1, x_2) \underline{e}_2$$

$$\nabla \bar{u} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla \bar{u} = \Sigma(\nabla u) + \omega(\nabla u)$$

$\uparrow$   
Symmetric

$\uparrow$   
anti-symmetric.

$$\Sigma(\nabla u) = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla u + \nabla u^T) \quad \omega(\nabla u) = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla u - \nabla u^T)$$

We are looking functions:

$$\mathcal{W} = \{ \bar{u}: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ smooth} \}$$

Minimization principle. equilibrium soln.  $\bar{u}$ .

$$\mathcal{F}(\bar{u}) = U(\bar{u}) - \int_{\Omega} \underline{b} \cdot \underline{u} \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_N} \underline{H} \cdot \underline{u} \, d\Gamma$$

→ Strain energy

$$U(\underline{u}) = \int_{\Omega} \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)} \left[ \underline{\Sigma}(\nabla \underline{u}) : \underline{\Sigma}(\nabla \underline{u}) + \frac{\nu}{1-2\nu} (\operatorname{div} \underline{u})^2 \right] d\Omega$$

Primal Variational Form.

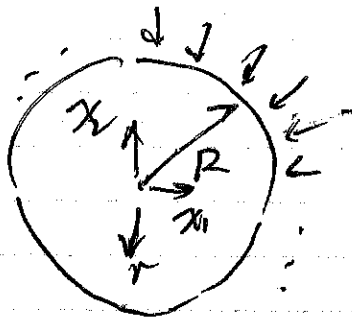
Expand the potential energy.

$$\mathcal{F}(\underline{w}) = \int_{\Omega} \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)} \left[ \underline{\Sigma}(\nabla \underline{w}) : \underline{\Sigma}(\nabla \underline{w}) + \frac{\nu}{1-2\nu} (\operatorname{div} \underline{w})^2 \right] d\Omega$$

$$- \int_{\Omega} \underline{b} \cdot \underline{w} \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_N} \underline{H} \cdot \underline{w} \, d\Gamma$$

Ex 7.1

"Sphere"



const. pressure

$$\underline{u}|_0 = 0$$

$\rightsquigarrow \underline{e}_r$

$$\bar{H}(\bar{x}) = -p \bar{n}(\bar{x}), \quad \bar{x} \in \partial\Omega, \quad \rightsquigarrow = -p \underline{e}_r(x)$$

$$\Omega = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 \leq 1 \}$$

$$\bar{u}(x) = \varphi(r) \cdot \underline{e}_r(x)$$

$$\Sigma(\nabla u) = \Sigma(\nabla u) = \varphi'(r)^2 + 2 \frac{\varphi(r)^2}{r^2}$$

$$\operatorname{div}(u) = \varphi(r) + \frac{2\varphi(r)}{r}$$

Apply B.C.s  $\varphi(0) = 0 \rightsquigarrow$  equation satisfies.

$$\mathcal{F} = \{ \varphi : [0, R] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \varphi(0) = 0 \}$$

$$\int_{\partial\Omega} -p \underline{e}_r \cdot \varphi(r) \underline{e}_r = \int_{\partial\Omega} \varphi(r) p = -\varphi(R) \cdot p \cdot 4\pi R^2$$

plug in B.C.s

Assume  $\varphi(r) = Ar$ ,  $A \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\varphi(R)$ .

$$\nabla = 8A^2 + 4\pi p R^3 A \dots \text{Solve for } A$$

$$A = - \frac{1-2\nu}{E} \cdot p \leftarrow \text{hydrostatic pressure.}$$

$$u(x) = Ax = - \frac{1-2\nu}{E} p x$$

from variational to weak form

Theorem: minimize  $u$  to find  $a(u, v) = l(v)$   
is equivalent to solving the minimization prob.

Stress field

$$\underline{\underline{\sigma}} = \frac{E}{1+\nu} \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{\underline{\nabla}} u) + \frac{E\nu}{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{2\mu}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\nabla \cdot u} \cdot \underline{\underline{I}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{I}} = \nabla u$$

... Linear elasticity:

$$\underline{\underline{\sigma}} = \lambda + \nu (\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(u)) \underline{\underline{I}} + 2\mu \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{\underline{\nabla}} u)$$

From Variational to weak form.

Recall the PDE.

Problem: Find  $\underline{u} \in \mathcal{U}$  s.t.

$$a(\underline{u}, \underline{v}) = \ell(\underline{v}), \quad \forall \underline{v} \in \mathcal{V}.$$

$$a(\underline{u}, \underline{v}) = \int_{\Omega} \underline{\underline{\sigma}}(\nabla \underline{u}) : \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\nabla \underline{v}) \, d\Omega$$

Recall:  $\underline{\underline{\sigma}}(\nabla \underline{u}) + \underline{w}(\nabla \underline{u}) = \nabla \underline{u}$ .

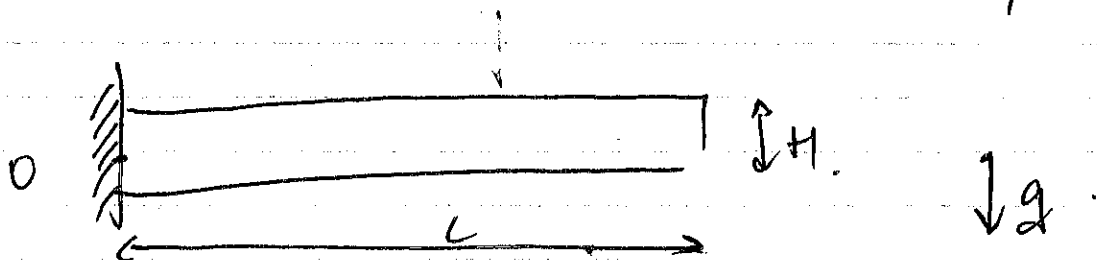
$$\int_{\Omega} \underline{\underline{\sigma}} : \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\nabla \underline{v}) \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} \underline{\underline{\sigma}} : \nabla \underline{v} \, d\Omega.$$

Variational Numerical Method.

$$a(\underline{u}_h, \underline{v}_h) = \ell(\underline{v}_h)$$

↑ Solving linear elasticity problem.

Ex 7.5



#Problem Session.

~ FineDrake

mesh. geo. syn ~ .

~ . addPhysicalGroup

# ~> label +le group

"CG" - Lagrange Polynomials

↳ Element Order

↳ P1 - element



lecture #15 2/27/2024

## # Linear Elasticity

Review  $\rightarrow$  principle of minimum potential energy.

$$\mathcal{F}(\vec{u}) = U(\vec{u}) - \int_{\Omega} \vec{b} \cdot \vec{u} \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_N} \vec{H} \cdot \vec{u} \, d\partial\Omega$$

$\swarrow$  elastic energy       $\searrow$  body force       $\downarrow$  T.P.

$$U(\vec{u}) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} \sigma(\nabla \vec{u}) : \varepsilon(\nabla \vec{u}) \, d\Omega \quad \text{B.C.s.}$$

Theorem:  $\mathcal{F}(u) = \frac{1}{2} a(u, u) - l(u)$ .

if  $u \in \mathcal{S}$ , satisfying:

$$\mathcal{F}(u) < \mathcal{F}(w), \quad \forall w \in \mathcal{S}, w \neq u.$$

$\Updownarrow$

$$a(u, v) = l(v), \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}.$$

$\mathcal{V}$  is the direction of  $\mathcal{S}$ .

$\blacktriangleright$  apply shear force, change  $\vec{\lambda}$  to impose

Neumann B.C.s.

# Example on constrained index

$$N_A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \pi_1 \pi_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \nabla N_A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \pi_2 & \pi_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma(\nabla N_A) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \pi_2/2 \\ \pi_2/2 & \pi_1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow B^i$$

div: for matrices: sum of diagonals

$D^i$  are the diagonal summation  $\nabla N_i$

example

$$a(N_5, N_6) = \int_0^L dx_1 \int_0^H dx_2 \Sigma^6 = B^5$$

subs to  $\Sigma^i$  &  $B^i$

$$\rightarrow \int_0^L dx_1 \int_0^H dx_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2\pi_1 \pi_2 \end{bmatrix} : \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/2 \\ 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= LH \cdot 0 = 0$$

"contraction": element-wise multiplication summation

$$l(w) = \int b v + \int_{H \cap V} \rightarrow = \int -\rho g \underline{e}_L \cdot (v_1 \underline{e}_1 + v_2 \underline{e}_2)$$

$$= - \int_{\Omega} \rho g v_i dx$$

$$F_i = e(N_i) = - \int_{\Omega} \rho g N_i(x_1, x_2) dx_1 dx_2$$

Choice of basis, if you rotate the space the approximation of the vector should change.

$$\underline{w}_h = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 \\ N_2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow$$

# How to build finite element spaces?

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{W}_h &= \{ w_h = \begin{bmatrix} w_{h1} \\ w_{h2} \end{bmatrix} \mid w_{h1} \in \mathcal{W}_{h1}, w_{h2} \in \mathcal{W}_{h2} \} \\ &= \mathcal{W}_{h1} \times \mathcal{W}_{h2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{W}_{\Omega} = \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} N_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} N_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} N_{m_1} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{N_1, N_2, \dots, N_{m_1}}, \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ M_1 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ M_{m_2} \end{bmatrix}}_{N_{m_1+1}, \dots, N_{m_1+m_2}} \right\}$$

In the language of finite element:

$$\mathcal{W}^e = \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} N_1^e \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} N_2^e \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} N_{m_1}^e \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{N_1^e, N_2^e, \dots, N_{m_1}^e}, \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ M_1^e \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ M_{m_2}^e \end{bmatrix}}_{N_{m_1+1}^e, \dots, N_{m_1+m_2}^e} \right\}$$

$$LG(a, e) = \begin{cases} LG1(a, e) & 1 \leq a \leq l_1 \\ LG2(a - l_1, e) + m_1 & l_1 + 1 \leq a \leq l_1 + l_2 \end{cases}$$

loading:  $LG = [LG1; LG2 + m1];$

Example: Apply to PD - elasticity.

$$\underline{z}_n = W_n \times W_n = \left\{ \underline{w}_n = [w_{n1}, w_{n2}]^T \right\}$$

# Element Stiffness matrix

$$K_{ab}^e = a^e (N_b^e, N_a^e) = \int_{ke} \underline{\Sigma}^e : B_a^e \cdot d\Omega.$$

$$dN = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial N_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_3}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial N_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial N_2}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial N_3}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

"B is a vector func."

$$B^a = \underline{\Sigma}(\nabla N_a^e).$$

$$\bar{N}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial N_{11}}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_{21}}{\partial x_1} \\ \frac{\partial N_{11}}{\partial x_2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla \bar{N}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} N_{11} & N_{12} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial N_{11}}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial N_{12}}{\partial x_1} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

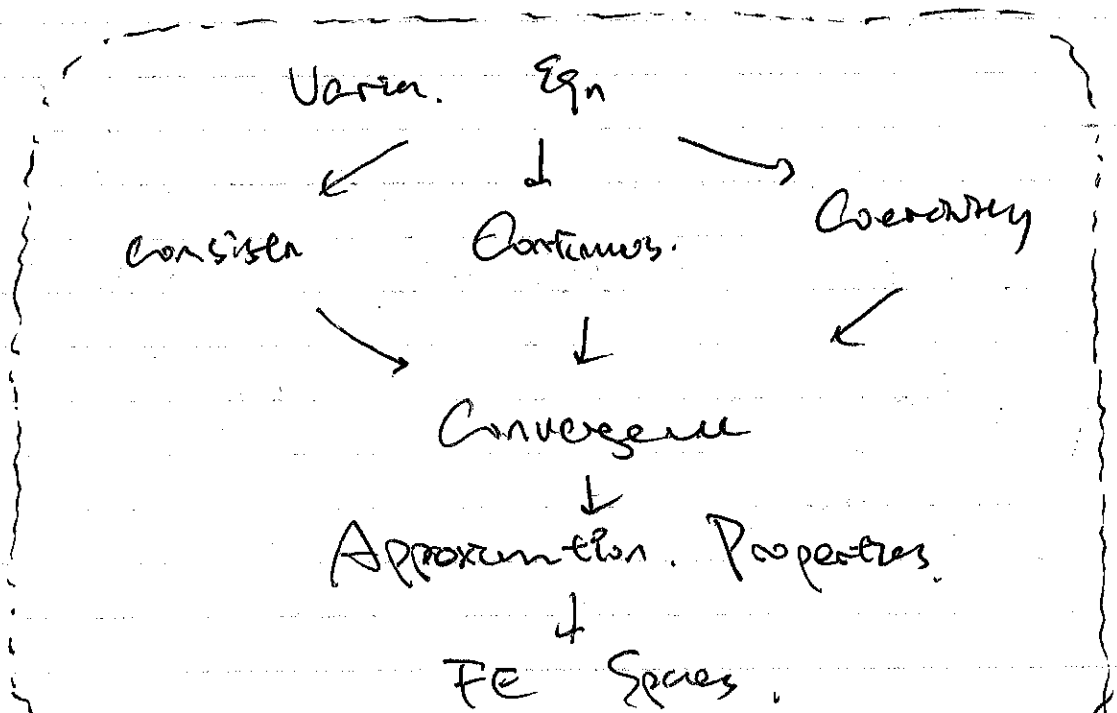
# order of convergence.

→ Not indicating that the soln is converging to the correct soln. (could be wrong).

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lecture #16 2/29/2024.

- Variational Method as Minimum Principle.
- Numerical Analysis.
- Order of Convergence
- Norm
- Convergence in  $L^2$
- Fundamental approx. - Res.



Principle:  $\mathcal{F}$  functional.  
▷ minimum potential energy.

▷ Quadratic functional.

▷ Variational  $\rightarrow$  Weak form.

Formulate a discrete variational problem

Find  $u_h \in \mathcal{S}_h$  s.t.

$$\mathcal{F}(u_h) \leq \mathcal{F}(w_h) \quad \forall w_h \in \mathcal{S}_h.$$

Choose my space:

$\mathcal{W}_h$  base space.

$\mathcal{S}_h \subset \mathcal{W}_h$  affine space.

s.t.  $\mathcal{S}_h \subset \mathcal{S}$ .

Constrained optimization  $\hookrightarrow$ .

{ using discretized  $\mathcal{S}_h$  to approximate  $\mathcal{S}$ .

$$u_h, w_h \in \mathcal{S}_h \rightarrow u_h - w_h \in \mathcal{V}_h \subset \mathcal{V}$$

hypothesis.

★ If we know that there is a minimizer  $u$

for the exact problem  $\mathcal{V}$ . Then the exact soln is bounded.

in our particular formulation:

$$\mathcal{F}(u) = \int a(u, u) - l(u)$$

$$\mathcal{F}(\gamma u) = \frac{\gamma^2}{2} a(u, u) - \gamma l(u)$$

# Numerical Analysis

~ Order of convergence

$$-ku'' = f \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

↓

$$a(u, v) = l(v)$$

$$a_h(u_h, v_h) = l_h(v_h)$$

↑ is consistent

→ how to guarantee that

$$a_h(u, v_h) = l_h(v_h)$$

$a_h$  is inflexible

$$\forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$$

→ consistency ...

# Norm & Normed Space.

$$\|\cdot\| : \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\begin{cases} \|\nu\| \geq 0, & \|\nu\| = 0 \text{ iff } \nu = 0 \\ \|\alpha \nu\| = |\alpha| \|\nu\| \\ \|\nu + \mu\| \leq \|\nu\| + \|\mu\|. \end{cases}$$

triangle inequality

$(\mathcal{V}, \|\cdot\|)$  def.  $\|\cdot\| \rightarrow$  normed space

Examples :

- $L^\infty$  - norm
- $L^2$  - norm
- $H^1$  - seminorm
- $H^1$  - norm

B.1

$$\mathcal{V} = \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\|\alpha\| = \sqrt{\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2 + \alpha_3^2}$$

B.2

$$\mathcal{V} = \left\{ f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \right\}$$

$$\|\nu\| = \max_{x \in [a, b]} |\nu(x)|$$



Example  $[a, b] = [0, \pi]$

$$v(x) = \cos x.$$

$$\|v\|_{0, \infty} = 1.$$

B.3  $\|v\|_{0, 2} = \left[ \int_0^\pi (\cos x)^2 dx \right]^{1/2} = \sqrt{\pi/2}.$

B.4  $\mathcal{H}_2 = \left\{ f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \text{ smooth, } v(a) = v(b) = 0 \right\}$

★ "semi-norm".

↓  
Not a norm for  $\mathcal{H}_2$  space.

e.g., const. functions.

B.6  $(\mathbb{R}^N, \|\cdot\|)$

B.7  $(\mathcal{H}^1, \|\cdot\|_{0, \infty})$

$\mathcal{H}^2$  continuous

↓

B.8  $(\mathcal{H}^1, \|\cdot\|_{0, 2})$

bounded.

B.10.

$$\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^M$$

$$\|v\|_{0,2} = \left[ \int_{\Omega} v^2 dx \right]^{1/2}$$

$$L^2(\Omega) = \{v: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \|v\|_{0,2} < +\infty\}$$

Main property. for  $L^2$ :

all func. smooth: you can

approx. any functions in  $L^2$ -norm.

$$L^\infty(\Omega) = \{v: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \|v\|_{0,\infty} < +\infty\}$$

$$H^1(\Omega) = \{v: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \|v\|_{1,2} < +\infty\}$$

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Fundamental Approximation Result. - Cea's Lemma.

↓  
exact consist.

{ Domain of Norm,

Continuity

Coercivity

$$|a_h(u - w_h, v_h)| \leq M \|u - w_h\| \|v_h\| \rightarrow \text{coeff. exists}$$
$$|l_h(v_h)| \leq m \|v_h\|$$

$$a_h(v_h, v_h) \geq \alpha \|v_h\|^2$$

$(f(x) - f(y)) \rightarrow 0$  as  $x \rightarrow y$

$$|a(u, v_h) - a(u_h, v_h)| \rightarrow 0$$

as  $u_h \rightarrow u$ .  $\forall v_h \in V_h$ .

$$\rightarrow |a(u - u_h, v_h)| \leq M \|u - u_h\| \|v_h\|$$

$$l(v_{h1}) - l(v_{h2})$$

$$= |l(v_{h1} - v_{h2})| \leq m \|v_{h1} - v_{h2}\|$$

$$u_n, w_n \in S_n$$

Prove the theorem,  $\int$

$$\|u\| \leq \frac{m}{\alpha} + \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \min_{w_n \in S_n} \|w_n\|.$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad a_n(u_n, v_n) = l_n(v_n) \quad \forall v_n \in V_n.$$

$$a_n(u_n - w_n, u_n - w_n) \geq \alpha \|u_n - w_n\|^2$$

$$a_n(u_n, u_n - w_n) - a_n(w_n, u_n - w_n)$$

$\Downarrow$   $\textcircled{1}$

$$l_n(u_n - w_n) - a_n(w_n, u_n - w_n)$$

$$\|u_n - w_n\|^2 \leq \frac{1}{\alpha} [l_n(u_n - w_n) - a_n(w_n, u_n - w_n)]$$

$\hookrightarrow$   
replace  $\frac{1}{\alpha} [l_n(u_n - w_n) - a_n(w_n, u_n - w_n)]$   
by abs.

$$\leq \frac{1}{\alpha} [ |l_n(u_n - w_n)| + |a_n(w_n, u_n - w_n)| ]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{\alpha} [ m \|u_n - w_n\| + M \|w_n\| \|u_n - w_n\| ]$$

implies.

$$\|u_h - w_h\| \leq \frac{m}{\alpha} + \frac{M}{\alpha} \|w_h\|, \quad \forall w_h \in \mathcal{V}_h.$$

$$\|u_h\| \leq \|u_h - w_h\| + \|w_h\|$$

$$\leq \frac{m}{\alpha} + \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \|w_h\|$$

$$\hookrightarrow \|u_h\| \leq \frac{m}{\alpha} + \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \min_{w_h \in \mathcal{V}_h} \|w_h\|$$

From Rank-nullity theorem

$$K\mathcal{V} = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow a_h(u_h, v_h) = 0, \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h.$$

$$K\mathcal{V} = F.$$

$$\hookrightarrow K\mathcal{V} = 0$$

$\uparrow$

$$a_h(u_h, v_h) = 0 \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$$

$$u_h \in \mathcal{V}_h \quad \downarrow$$

$$0 \leq \alpha \|u_h\|^2 \leq a(u_h, u_h) = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \|u_h\| = 0. \quad \hookrightarrow u_h = 0$$

## Fundamental Approximation Result.

$$a(u_h, v_h) = \ell(v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

Consistency.  $a_h(u, v_h) = \ell(w_h), \quad \forall v_h \in V_h$

$u_h \in S_h$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{a_h(u - u_h, v_h)} = 0 \quad \forall v_h \in V_h$$

Galerkin Orthogonality.

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha \|u_h - w_h\|^2 &\leq a(u_h - w_h, u_h - w_h) \\ &\leq a(u_h - u, u_h - w_h) \xrightarrow{w_h \in V_h} 0 \\ &\quad + a(u - w_h, u_h - w_h) \end{aligned}$$

$$\leq M \|u - w_h\| \|u_h - w_h\|$$

$$\|u_h - w_h\| \leq \frac{M}{\alpha} \|u - w_h\|$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|u - u_h\| &\leq \|u - w_h\| + \|w_h - u_h\| \leq \|u - w_h\| \\ &\quad + \frac{M}{\alpha} \|u - w_h\| \end{aligned}$$

RHS:

$$= \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \|u - \hat{w}_n\|.$$

$$\text{w.p.} \quad \|u - u_n\| \geq \min_{w_n \in \mathcal{S}_n} \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \|u - \hat{w}_n\|$$

Second-order problem in 1D.

Find  $u_n \in \mathcal{S}_n$  s.t.

$$a(u_n, v_n) = \ell(v_n).$$

$$\forall v_n \in \mathcal{V}_n.$$

$$\mathcal{S}_n = \{w_n \in \mathcal{W}_n \mid w_n(0) = g_0\}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_n = \{w_n \in \mathcal{W}_n \mid w_n(0) = 0\}$$

$u_n \in \mathcal{W}_n \rightarrow u_n$  is  $C^1(\text{loc})$ .  $\forall \text{loc}$

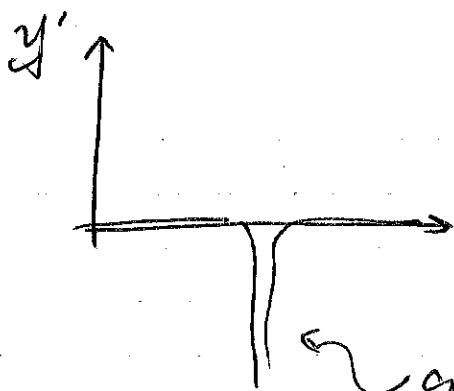
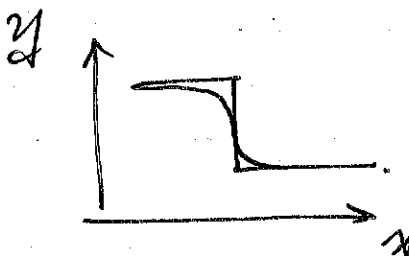
3/12/2024. Lecture #19.

$f \in H^k(\Omega)$  IFF  $\exists f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n, \dots$   
 $\in C^\infty(\Omega)$

$\in C^\infty(\Omega)$   
infinitely differentiable

S.t.  $\|f_i - f\|_k \rightarrow 0$

we are thinking  
about just  
the smooth  
functions



weak derivative  
 $C^1 \Rightarrow$  there's  
no derivative

approximate the  
delta function.

# Consistency.  $a_n(u, v_n) \Rightarrow$  an exactly.

# Coercivity.  $\exists \alpha > 0$ , S.t.

$$a_n(v_h, v_h) \geq \alpha \|v_h\|^2, \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{U}_h$$

$\hookrightarrow$  guarantee convergence. ... (why?)



$$a_h(v_h, v_h) = \int_0^L [k(x) v_h'(x)^2 + c(x) v_h(x)^2] dx$$

if  $L$  were to have coercivity in  $L^2$ :

$$\hookrightarrow \geq \left| \int_0^L c(x) v_h(x)^2 dx \right|$$

$$= \int_0^L |c(x)| |v_h(x)|^2 dx$$

$\hookrightarrow$  everything positive

$$\geq C_{\min} \int_0^L |v_h(x)|^2 dx$$

$$= C_{\min} \|v_h\|_0^2$$

coercivity in  $L^2$ .

$$a_h(v_h, v_h) \geq \int_0^L \left( \min_x |c(x)| \right) v_h'^2 + \left( \min_x c(x) \right) v_h^2 dx$$

$$\geq \int_0^L \min_x (k, c) \cdot v_h'^2 + \min_x (k, c) v_h^2 dx$$

$$= \min_x \{k(x), c(x)\} \cdot \int_0^L v_h'^2 + v_h^2 dx$$

$$= \underbrace{\min_x \{k_{\min}, c_{\min}\}}_{\alpha} \|v_h\|_1^2 \quad \leftarrow H^1\text{-norm}$$

$$C_{min} = 0$$

$$C(x) = 0 \Rightarrow a_h(v_h, v_h) \geq k_{min} \|v_h\|_1^2$$

Poincaré's inequality.

$$\exists c_1 > 0, \text{ s.t. } \forall u \in H^1(\Omega), u|_{\partial\Omega} = g_0$$

$$\|u\|_0 \leq c_1 \|u\|_1$$

$$\frac{k_{min}}{2} \|v_h\|_1^2 + \frac{k_{min}}{2} \frac{\|u\|_0^2}{c_1^2}$$

$$\geq \min \left\{ \frac{k_{min}}{2}, \frac{k_{min}}{2c_1^2} \right\} \|v_h\|_1^2$$

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$$R_h(u_h, v_h) = u(u|_{\partial\Omega} - g_0) v_h$$

↓

Nitsche

this is not coercive

So we are not solving this variational eqn.

Continuity -  $\exists M > 0, \text{ s.t.}$

$$|a_h(u - w_h, v_h)| \leq M \|u - w_h\| \|v_h\|$$

$$\forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h, \quad \forall w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h$$

we will use the fact:

$$\rightarrow \left| \int f(x) \right| \leq \int |f| \quad |x+y| \leq |x| + |y|$$

$\rightarrow$  Cauchy - Schwarz ineq.

Vectors:  $|\underline{x} \cdot \underline{y}| \leq |\underline{x} \cdot \underline{x}|^{1/2} |\underline{y} \cdot \underline{y}|^{1/2}$

For integrals:  $f, g \in L^2(\Omega)$ .

(Hilbert space's properties)

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{\Omega} fg \, d\Omega \right| &\leq \left[ \int_{\Omega} f^2 \, d\Omega \right]^{1/2} \left[ \int_{\Omega} g^2 \, d\Omega \right]^{1/2} \\ &\leq \|f\|_0 \|g\|_0 \end{aligned}$$

Interpolation Result.

Fund. thm of Approx.

$$\|u - u_n\|_2 \leq \min \|u - w_n\|_2$$

Convergence.

$$\|u - u_n\|_1 \leq C h^k \|u^{(k+1)}\|_0$$

# Proof.

$$Iu = \sum_{a=1}^m u(x_a) N_a \quad \leftarrow \text{basis func.}$$

$$\|u - Iu\|_1 \leq C_I h \|u''\|_0$$

$$\|u - Iu\|_0 \leq C_I h^2 \|u''\|_0$$

↖ proving

for the interpolant

•  $Iu \in \mathcal{I}_h$ , since

$$Iu(0) = \sum_{a=1}^m u(x_a) \varphi_a(0).$$

$$= u(x_0) = u(0) = g_0.$$

$$\|u - Iu\|_0^2 = \sum_{e=1}^{N_{el}} \|u - Iu\|_{0,e}^2$$

$$\int_0^L (u - Iu)^2 = \int_0^{x_1} \dots + \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \dots + \dots + \int_{x_{N_{el}-1}}^{x_{N_{el}}}$$

$$\|u - Iu\|_1^2 = \sum_{e=1}^{N_{el}} \|u - Iu\|_{0,e}^2 + \|u - Iu\|_{1,e}^2$$

Now consider

$$\eta(x) = u(x) - \mathcal{I}u(x)$$

$$a) \quad \eta(x_a) = \eta(x_{a+1}) = 0$$

Interpolating on nodes

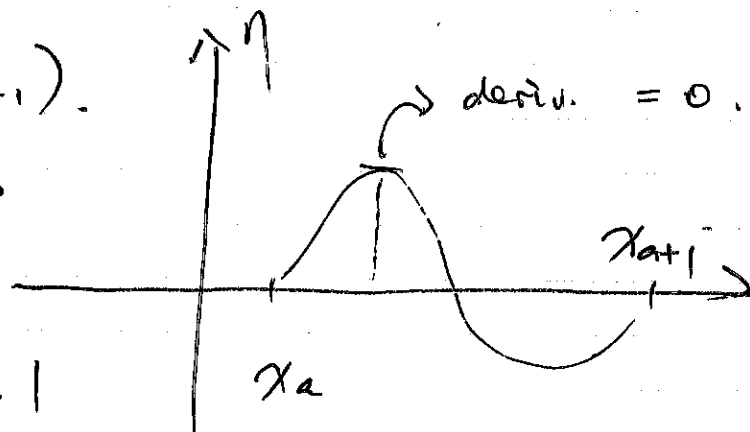
$$b) \quad \eta''(x) = u''(x) \quad x \in (x_a, x_{a+1})$$

$$\|u - \mathcal{I}u\|_{0,e}^2 = \int_{x_e}^{x_{e+1}} \eta(x)^2 dx$$

$$|\eta'(x)|$$

$$\exists z \in (x_n, x_{n+1})$$

$$\text{s.t. } \eta'(z) = 0$$



$$|\eta'(x)| = \left| \int_{x_a}^x \eta''(x) dx \right|$$

dummy var.

$$\leq \|1\|_0 \|u''\|_0 = h_e^{1/2} \|u''\|_0$$

$$\leq \int_{x_a}^{x_{a+1}} |\eta''(x)| dx = \int_{x_a}^{x_{a+1}} |u''(x)| dx$$

$$|\eta(x)| = \left| \int_{x_e}^x \eta'(x) dx \right| \leq \int_{x_e}^x |\eta'(x)| dx$$

$$\leq h e^{3/2} \|u''\|_0.$$

$$\int_{x_e}^{x_{e+1}} \eta(x)^2 dx \leq \int_{x_e}^{x_{e+1}} (h e^{3/2})^2 \|u''\|_0^2 dx$$

$$= h e^3 \|u''\|_0^2 h e$$

$$\Rightarrow \|u - \mathcal{I}u\|_{0,e}^2 \leq h e^4 \|u''\|_0^2$$

$$\|u - \mathcal{I}u\|_0^2 = \sum_e \|u - \mathcal{I}u\|_{0,e}^2$$

$$\leq \sum_e h e^4 \|u''\|_{0,e}^2$$

$$\leq \left( \max_e h e^4 \right) \sum_e \|u''\|_{0,e}^2$$

$$\leq h^4 \|u''\|_0^2$$

It becomes 20. 3/14/2014.

$$\eta(x) = u(x) - \mathcal{I}u(x).$$

$$|\eta(x)| \leq h^2 \|u''\|_{0,e}.$$

$$1) \quad |u(x) - u_h(x)| \leq \left| \int_0^x u'(x) - u'_h(x) dx \right|$$

↑  
triangular  
inequality.

$$\leq \int_0^x |u'(x) - u'_h(x)| dx$$

$$\leq \|u' - u'_h\|_0 \|1\| \xrightarrow{L^{1/2}}$$

$$\leq \|u - u_h\|, L^{1/2}$$

$$\leq C(u) h^k \cdot L^{1/2}$$



in 1D.  $H_1$ -convergence implies

the  $u_h$  convergence.

$$2) \quad \mathcal{I}[u] = \int_0^L \rho q u(x) dx$$

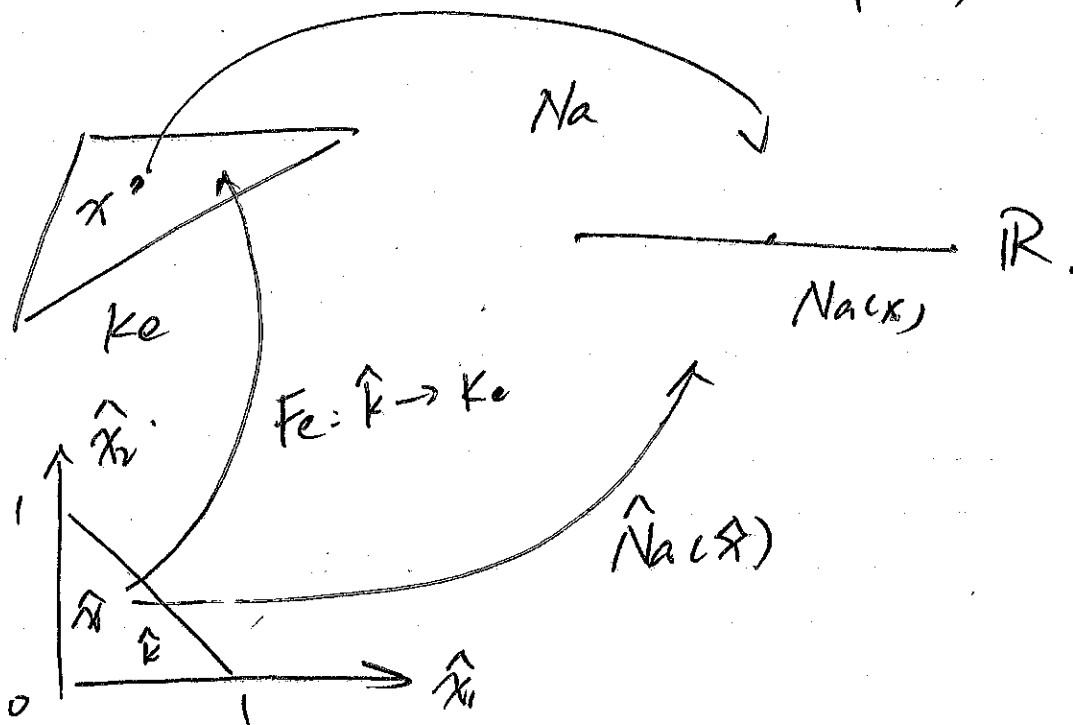
$$\mathcal{I}[u_h]$$

$$|\mathcal{I}[u] - \mathcal{I}[u_h]| \leq \mathcal{O}(h^k) \sim \mathcal{O}(h^{2k})$$

$$c) \|u - u_n\|_1 = \mathcal{O}(h^k).$$

$$\|u - u_n\|_0 = \mathcal{O}(h^{k+1})$$

↳ general case (dimensionality has no effect)



$$N_a(x) = \hat{N}_a(F_e^{-1}(x)).$$

$$N_a(F_e(\hat{x})) = \hat{N}_a(\hat{x})$$

$$(\hat{K}, \hat{N}), F_e \rightarrow (K, N).$$

$$K = F_e(\hat{K}).$$

$$N \circ F_e = \hat{N}, \quad \forall \hat{N}_a \in \hat{N}$$



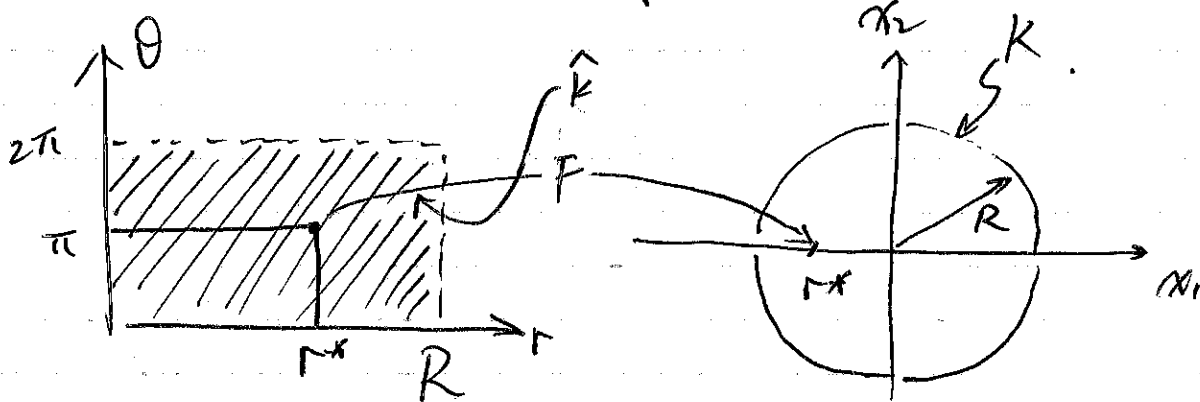
Or.  $N_a = \hat{N}_a \circ F^{-1}$

Domain map:

$F: \hat{K} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$  1-to-1, smooth.

Example 1

Polar-coordinate map.



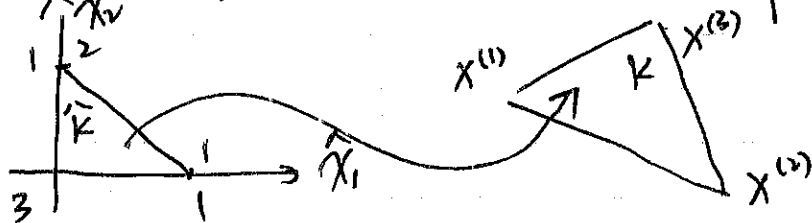
$\hat{K} = [0, R] \times [0, 2\pi]$

$F(r, \theta) = (F_1(r, \theta), F_2(r, \theta))$

$\begin{cases} x_1 = F_1(r, \theta) = r \cos \theta \\ x_2 = F_2(r, \theta) = r \sin \theta \end{cases}$

Example 2

$\hat{K}$  ref. triangle to any triangle.



To construct the map, use the Barycentric coordinates, on  $\hat{K}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) &= \hat{\lambda}_1(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) x^{(1)} \\
 &\quad + \hat{\lambda}_2(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) x^{(2)} \\
 &\quad + \hat{\lambda}_3(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) x^{(3)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \hat{N}_1(\hat{x}) x^{(1)} + \hat{N}_2(\hat{x}) x^{(2)} \\
 &\quad + \hat{N}_3(\hat{x}) x^{(3)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$a^e \triangleq \int_{K^e} f(x) \, dV.$$

$$\int_{K^e} f(x) \, dx = \int_{\hat{K}} f(F_e(\hat{x})) \, |J_e(\hat{x})| \, d\hat{x}$$

$$\nabla F = \begin{bmatrix} F_{1,r} & F_{1,\theta} \\ F_{2,r} & F_{2,\theta} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -r\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & r\cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J = \det \nabla F = r\cos^2\theta + r\sin^2\theta = r$$

$$\int_{\text{circle}} f(x) dx = \int_0^R dr \int_0^{2\pi} f(F(r,\theta)) r dr d\theta$$

$P_1$ -element by composition.

$$F(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2) = \dots = A\hat{x} + b = x$$

$$\hat{x} = A^{-1}(x-b)$$

$$Na(x) = \hat{Na}(A^{-1}(x-b))$$

↖ composing linear functions  
with linear functions

$$-(ku'(x))' + bu'(x) + cu(x) = f(x),$$

↳ general form for elliptic problem in  $\Omega$ .

$$u(0) = g_0 \quad \partial\Omega_D.$$

$$u'(L) = d_L \quad \partial\Omega_N.$$

# Derivation of Variational Equation.

→ example on diffusion problem.

$$-u''(x) = f(x), \quad x \in \Omega$$

$$u(0) = g_0.$$

$$u'(L) = d_L.$$

1. Integrating over test functions:

$$\int_0^L u''(x) v(x) + f(x) v(x) dx = 0$$

2. Integration by part:

$$u'(L)v(L) - u'(0)v(0) - \int_0^L u'(x)v'(x) dx$$

$$+ \int_0^L f(x)v(x) dx$$

3. Substitute the B.C.s and require  $v(0) = 0$   
(Galerkin formulation to find weak soln),

$$0 = d_L v(L) - u'(0) \cdot 0 - \int_0^L u(x) v'(x) dx + \int_0^L f(x) \cdot v(x) dx.$$

$$\rightarrow \int_0^L u(x) v'(x) dx - d_L v(L) = \int_0^L f(x) \cdot v(x) dx.$$

formulated test space:  $V = \{w: [0, L] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(0) = 0\}$ .

Remark: we formulate the problem in such a way s.t. it has the same number of derivatives required from  $u$  &  $v$ . & no evaluations of derivatives of  $u$  on the boundary.

## # Recipe of obtaining variational equations

1. Form the residual

$$r = -[k u'(x)]' + b u'(x) + c u(x) - f(x)$$

→ for strong form:

$$r(x) = 0, \quad x \in (0, L)$$

2. Multiply test function & integrate.

$$\int_0^L r(x) v(x) dx = 0$$

↖ also weight functions.

$$- \int_0^L \left( -[k(x) u'(x)]' + b(x) u'(x) + c(x) u(x) - f(x) \right) v dx \Rightarrow$$

3. Integrate residual by parts.

$$\int_0^L k(x) u'(x) v'(x) + b(x) u'(x) v(x) + c(x) u(x) v(x) - f(x) v(x) dx$$

$$- k(L) u'(L) v(L) + k(0) u'(0) v(0) = 0$$

4. Substitute the boundary conditions

$$\int_0^L [k(x)u'(x)v'(x) + b(x)v(x)v'(x) + c(x)u(x)v(x) - f(x)v(x)] dx - k(L)dc v(L) + k(0)u'(0)v(0) = 0$$

$\uparrow$   $u'(L)$

request  $v \in \mathcal{V}$ ,  $v(0) = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^L [k u' v' + b u' v + c u v - f v] dx - k(L) dc v(L) = 0$$

5. State the variational equation.

$$\int_{\Omega} [k u' v' + b u' v + c u v] dx - k(L) dc v(L) = \int_{\Omega} f(x) v(x) dx$$

for any  $v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

$$\mathcal{V} = \{ w : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid w(0) = 0 \}$$

## # Vector spaces of Functions.

1. Closure.  $u + v \in V, \alpha \cdot u \in V$

2. Commutativity.  $u + v = v + u$

3. Associativity.  $u + (v + w) = (u + v) + w$

$$\alpha \cdot (\beta \cdot u) = (\alpha\beta) \cdot u$$

4. Identity.  $u + 0 = u$  &  $1 \cdot u = u$

5. Additive Inverse.  $\forall u \in V, \exists v \in V$   
 $v + u = 0$

6. Distributivity.  $(\alpha + \beta) \cdot u = \alpha \cdot u + \beta \cdot u$

$$\alpha \cdot (u + v) = \alpha \cdot u + \alpha \cdot v$$

## # Vector Subspace $V \subset W$

## # Affine Subspace $V = \{s_2 - s_1 \mid s_2 \in S\}$

$$S \subset W$$

## # Span. $V \rightarrow$ vector space.

$U \subset V$  set of vectors

linear combination  $\rightarrow \text{span}(U) = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n c_i e_i \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, e_i \in U, c_i \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$



$$u, v \in \mathcal{V}$$

# Linear Functional  $\mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$l(u + \alpha v) = l(u) + \alpha l(v)$$

# Bilinear Form  $\mathcal{V} \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$u, v, w \in \mathcal{V}$$

$$a(u + \alpha v, w) = a(u, w) + \alpha a(v, w)$$

$$a(w, u + \alpha v) = a(w, u) + \alpha a(w, v)$$

if "a" symmetric bilinear:

$$a(u, v) = a(v, u)$$

# Variational Eqn.  $\mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$F(u, v + \alpha w) = F(u, v) + \alpha F(u, w)$$

$$\forall u \in \mathcal{W}, v, w \in \mathcal{V}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$F(u, v) = 0$$

test space

↑ variational eqn.

# Linear Variational Eqn.

$$0 = F(u, v) = a(u, v) - l(v)$$

↓

$$a(u, v) = l(v), \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$$

## # Variational Methods.

Recall variational eqn.

$$F(u, v) = 0, \quad \forall v \in V.$$

variational meth.  $\rightarrow$  finite dimensional function spaces  $V_h$  &  $S_h \rightarrow$  define

$u_h$  approx.  $u \rightarrow$  find  $u_h \in S_h$  s.t.

$$F(u_h, v_h) = 0, \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

$S_h \rightarrow$  trial space, an affine space where  $u_h$  is sought.

... Problem formulation

Find  $u_h \in S_h$  s.t.

$$a(u_h, v_h) = l(v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

# Consistency require  $V_h \subseteq V$  s.t.

$$F(u, v_h) = 0, \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

$\rightarrow$  Said to be consistent. consistency condition.

$F(u, v)$

↑

→ Summary

•  $S_h = \{u_h \in W_h \mid u_h \text{ satisfies essential B.C.s}\}$

•  $V_h \rightarrow$  Direction of  $S_h$ .

• Consistency:  $V_h \subseteq V$

# Solution to Variational Method.

$$u_h(x) = \sum_{b=1}^m u_b N_b(x).$$

$$v_h(x) = \sum_{a=1}^m v_a N_a(x).$$

basis functions:

$N_1, \dots, N_n, \dots, N_m$

basis  $V_h$

basis for  $W_h$ .

implying

$$v_a = 0$$

$$n < a \leq m.$$

We will select basis functions of

$V_h$  as test functions:

$$l(N_a) = a(u_h, N_a).$$





\* General Steps to Obtain Euler-Lagrange.

$$\int_{\Omega} [k u'v' + bu'v + cuv] dx - k(L) d_L v(L) \\ = \int_{\Omega} f v dx$$

$$\forall v \in \mathcal{V}, \quad \mathcal{V} = \{w: [0, L] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } | w(0) = 0\}$$

1. Integration by parts to eliminate all derivs.

$$0 = \int_0^L [k u'v' + bu'v + cuv - f v] dx \\ - k(L) d_L v(L) \\ = \int_0^L [-k u'' v + bu'v + cuv - f v] dx \\ + [k(L) u'(L) - k(L) d_L] v(L) - k(0) u'(0) v(0)$$

2. Group the  $v$  terms, & use conditions

$$\text{in } \mathcal{V} \Rightarrow \\ 0 = \int_0^L [-k u'' + b u' + c u - f] v dx$$

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du + k(L) [u'(L) - d_L] u(L)$$

3. Obtain the differential equation & potential boundary conditions.

$$0 = -ku'' + bu' + cu - f \quad x \in (0, L)$$

$$0 = k(L)[u'(L) - d_L]$$

# Weak & Strong Form.

$$\mathcal{S} = \{w: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid w(0) = q_0\}$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \{w: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid w(0) = 0\}$$

$$\int_{\Omega} [k u' v' + b u' v + c u v] dx - k(L) d_L v(L)$$

$$= \int_{\Omega} f v dx$$

weak form.  $\curvearrowright$

→ weak solution:  $u(0) = q_0$

Abstract Weak Form.

$\mathcal{W} \rightarrow$  vector space.  $a: \mathcal{W} \times \mathcal{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
bilinear

$\ell: \mathcal{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  : linear functional.

find  $u \in \mathcal{S}$ ,  $a(u, v) = \ell(v)$ .  $v \in \mathcal{V}$ .

# # $C^0$ Finite Element Space

Variational eqn.

$$\int_0^1 u'v' dx = \int_0^1 v dx.$$

$$\forall v \in \mathcal{V} = \{w: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \\ | w(0) = 0\}$$

1. Build mesh of domain

$$0 = x_1 < \dots < x_{n+1} = d.$$

$x_i$ : vertex,  $i \rightarrow$  vertex number

2. Build basis func.  $N_i(x)$

3. Build  $\mathcal{V}_h$  &  $\mathcal{S}_h$ .

$$\mathcal{S}_h = \{u_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid u_h(0) = 2\}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \{v_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid v_h(0) = 0\}$$

e.g.,  $\mathcal{V}_h = \{v_2 N_2 + \dots + v_{n+1} N_{n+1} \mid v_2, \dots, v_{n+1} \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

$$= \text{span}(\{N_2, \dots, N_{n+1}\})$$

$$\mathcal{S}_h = \{u_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid u_1 = 2\}$$

$$= \{2N_1 + v_h \mid v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h\}$$



4. Compute  $K$  &  $F$ .

$$l(N_a), \quad a(N_b, N_a)$$

5. Solve Finite Element Sol'n.

# Consistency.

If  $\mathcal{V}_h$  is not a subset of the test space  $\mathcal{V}$ , we cannot guarantee consistency.

→ we need to check  $F(u, v_h) = 0 \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h$

Substitute the exact sol'n →  $F(u, v_h)$ .

(Following EL procedure)  $\parallel$   
0

→ State:  $F(u, v) = 0, \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V} + \mathcal{V}_h$ .

where  $\mathcal{V} + \mathcal{V}_h = \{w = v + v_h \mid v \in \mathcal{V}, v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h\}$

# Def'n of Finite Element.

a pair  $e = (\Omega_e, \mathcal{N}^e)$ .

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domain

↪ basis functions:

$$\mathcal{N}^e = \{N_1^e, \dots, N_K^e\}$$

Space of funcs.  $\mathcal{P}^e = \text{span}\{N_1^e, \dots, N_K^e\}$

# general defn for  $P_k$ -element

$$N_a^e(x) = \frac{\prod_{b=1, b \neq a}^{k+1} (x - x_b^e)}{\prod_{b=1, b \neq a}^{k+1} (x_a^e - x_b^e)}$$

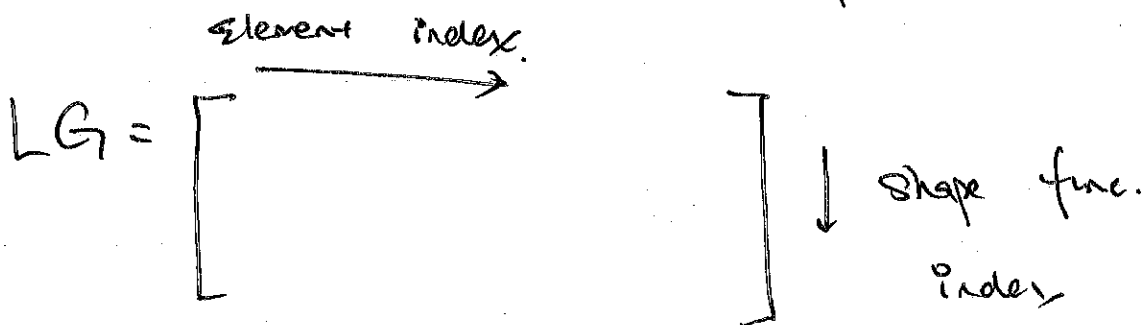
\* elements  $\rightarrow$  all D.o.F are values of the function at predefined locations in the elem. are called Lagrange elements.

e.g.,  $P_k$ -element.

# Construction of finite elem. space.

1. Spread shape func. by zero.

2. Define Local-to-Global Map.



$LG(a, e) =$  basis func. index

shape func.  $\nearrow$   $\nwarrow$  element index

### 3 Add Shape Functions.

with the set:  $\{(a, e) \mid LG(a, e) = A\}$

→ practice some examples on assembly of stiffness matrix of load vectors.

→ some comments on symmetrization of stiffness matrix for efficient calc.

### # Elliptic Fourth-order Problem.

Variational eqn.

$$r(x) = [q(x) u''(x)]'' + c(x) u(x) - f(x)$$

$$\rightarrow 0 = \int_0^L r(x) v(x) dx = \int_0^L [q(x) u''(x)]'' + c(x) u(x) - f(x) v(x) dx$$

Natural B.C.s:  $u''(L) = m_L$  &  $u'''(L) = n_L$ .

essential B.C.s:  $u(0) = g_0$  &  $u'(0) = d_0$ .

$$\rightarrow a(u, v) = \int_0^L [q(x) u''(x) v''(x) + c u(x) v(x)] dx.$$

$$l(v) = \int_0^L f v dx - [q(L) n_L + q'(L) m_L] v(L) + q(L) m_L v'(L)$$

# Diffusion Problem in 2D

Definitions:  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Dirichlet boundary: } \partial\Omega_D \\ \text{Neumann boundary: } \partial\Omega_N \end{array} \right.$

# Integration by parts for 2D or 3D.

$$\int_{\Omega} v \operatorname{div} w \, d\Omega = \int_{\partial\Omega} v w \cdot \check{n} \, d\Gamma - \int_{\Omega} w \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega$$

with a  $d$ -dimensional problem.

$$\sum_{i=1}^d \left[ \int_{\Omega} v \partial_i w_i \, d\Omega \right] = \sum_{i=1}^d \left[ \int_{\partial\Omega} v w_i \check{n}_i \, d\Gamma - \int_{\Omega} w_i \partial_i v \, d\Omega \right]$$

$w \rightarrow (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_d)$

applying IBP for heat diffusion problem.

$$- \int_{\Omega} \operatorname{div} (K \nabla u) v \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} f v \, d\Omega$$

$$\rightarrow \int_{\Omega} (K \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} f v \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} v K \nabla u \cdot \check{n} \, d\Gamma$$

$$+ \int_{\partial\Omega_D} v k \nabla u \cdot \vec{n} \, dT$$

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we don't know this value on  $\partial\Omega_D$ .

Hence, the test space:

$$\mathcal{V} = \{v: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \partial\Omega_D\}$$

→ weak form:

$$a(u, v) = \ell(v), \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$$

$$a(u, v) = \int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega$$

$$\ell(v) = \int_{\Omega} f v \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} H v \, dT$$

Weak form for 2D diffusion:

$$\mathcal{S} = \{v: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ smooth} \mid v(x) = g(x) \quad \forall x \in \partial\Omega_D\}$$

Find  $u \in \mathcal{S}$ , s.t.  $a(u, v) = \ell(v) \quad \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$

Nitsche's method for high-dimensions

$$\int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_D} v k \nabla u \cdot \vec{n} \, dT$$

$$= \int_{\Omega} f v \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} v H \, dT$$

impose the Dirichlet B.C.s:

$$\int_{\partial\Omega_D} (g - u) \cdot k \nabla v \cdot \hat{n} \, d\Gamma = 0$$

$$\int_{\partial\Omega_D} \mu (u - g) v \, d\Gamma = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \int_{\Omega} (k \nabla u) \cdot \nabla v \, d\Omega - \int_{\partial\Omega_D} (k \nabla u + u k \nabla v) \cdot \hat{n} \, d\Gamma$$

$$+ \int_{\partial\Omega_D} \mu v \, d\Gamma = \int_{\Omega} f v \, d\Omega + \int_{\partial\Omega_N} v H \, d\Gamma$$

$$- \int_{\partial\Omega_D} g k \nabla v \cdot \hat{n} \, d\Gamma + \int_{\partial\Omega_D} \mu g v \, d\Gamma$$

Variational Numerical Methods

- Spaces  $S_h$  &  $Z_h$  composed of functions take values over  $\Omega$ -dimensional domain
- domain boundary is a closed line. assume polygon for simplicity.
- consistent  $\exists$  test space  $Z_h$  as continuous.

# Mesh.  $\mathcal{T} = \{K_1, \dots, K_{N_{el}}\}$ .

$K_i \cap K_j = \emptyset$  and  $\Omega = \bigcup_{i=1}^{N_{el}} K_i$ .

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finite domains

# Continuous  $P_1$  finite element space.

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we want to uniquely define  
the vertices ↴

conforming triangulations.

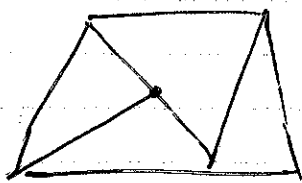
# Conforming triangulation.

polygonal domain  $\Omega$  is a mesh for  $\Omega$

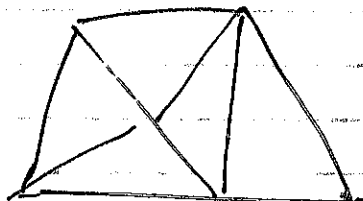
s.t. intersection of 2  $\Delta$ 's  $K$  &  $K'$

is either (a) empty; (b) whole edge; or

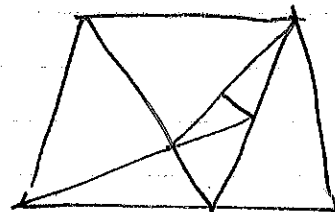
(c) vertex of both  $K$  &  $K'$ .



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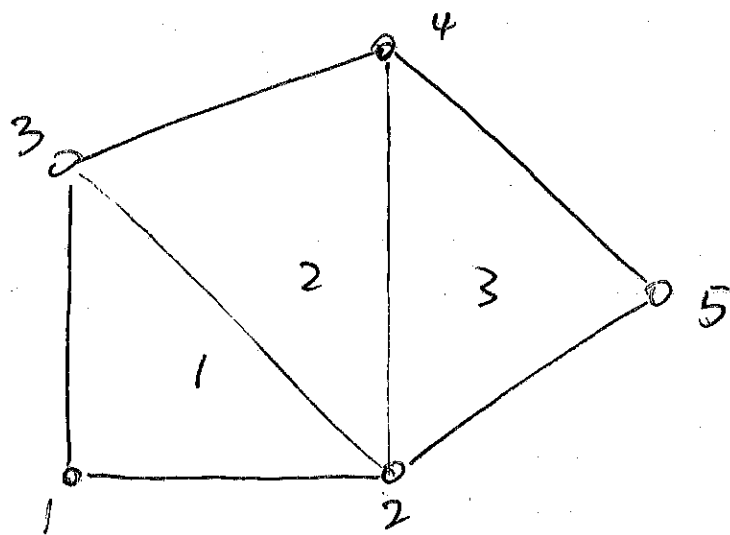


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Example.



$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 4 & 8 & 12 \\ 2 & 2 & 6 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$LV = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Barycentric or Area Coordinates,  
 geometry of  $P_1$  triangle  $K \rightarrow X^1, X^2, X^3$ .

$$K = \mathcal{C}(\{X^1, X^2, X^3\})$$

$$= \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^{d+1} \lambda_j X^j \mid 0 \leq \lambda_j \leq 1 \forall j, \text{ and } \sum_{j=1}^{d+1} \lambda_j = 1 \right\}$$

reference triangle  $\leftarrow \hat{K}$



$$x = \sum_{j=1}^3 \lambda_j X^j \quad \text{unique triplet } (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3) \in \hat{K}$$

$$x \in K \Leftrightarrow (\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3) \in \hat{K}$$

$\lambda_i$ : barycentric coordinates.

barycentric coordinates satisfy:

$$\lambda_i = \frac{A_i}{A}$$

area of triangle  $K$  triangle formed by  $x$

★ the inverse map from  $(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3)$

$$x = \sum_{j=1}^3 \lambda_j X^j$$

$$\begin{cases} \lambda_1(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2A} \left[ - (X_2^3 - X_2^2) (x_1 - X_1^2) + (X_1^3 - X_1^2) (x_2 - X_2^1) \right] \\ \lambda_2(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2A} \left[ - (X_2^1 - X_2^3) (x_1 - X_1^3) + (X_1^1 - X_1^3) (x_2 - X_2^2) \right] \\ \lambda_3(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2A} \left[ - (X_2^2 - X_2^1) (x_1 - X_1^1) + (X_1^2 - X_1^1) (x_2 - X_2^2) \right] \end{cases}$$

where

$$2A = (X_1^2 - X_1^1)(X_2^3 - X_2^1) - (X_2^2 - X_2^1)(X_1^3 - X_1^1)$$

at  $P_1$ -element & LG map.

for triangular finite elements,

$$N_1^e = \tau_1, \quad N_2^e = \tau_2, \quad N_3^e = \tau_3.$$

$$\nabla N_1^e = \frac{1}{2A} \begin{pmatrix} x_2^2 - x_2^3 \\ x_1^3 - x_1^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\nabla N_2^e = \frac{1}{2A} \begin{pmatrix} x_2^3 - x_2^1 \\ x_1^1 - x_1^3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\nabla N_3^e = \frac{1}{2A} \begin{pmatrix} x_2^1 - x_2^2 \\ x_1^2 - x_1^1 \end{pmatrix}$$

if  $LG = L\mathcal{T} \rightarrow$  conform

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vertices as nodes &

triangles as element domains.

Example

$$LG = L\mathcal{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$N_1 = N_1^1$$

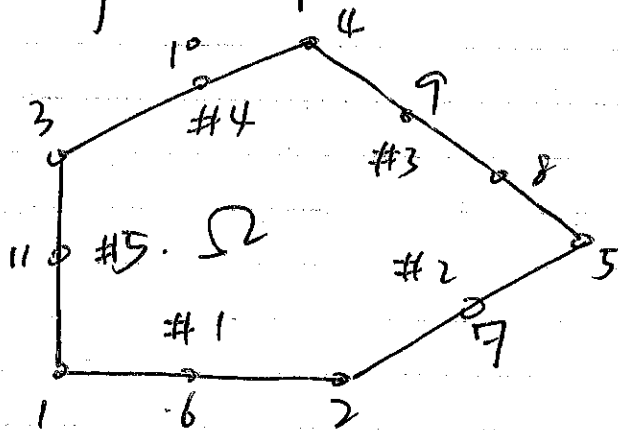
$$N_2 = N_2^1 + N_2^2 + N_2^3$$

$$N_3 = N_3^1 + N_1^2$$

$$N_4 = N_3^2 + N_1^3$$

$$N_5 = N_2^3$$

# Boundary arrays of triangulation.



$$BE = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 & 2 & 7 & 5 & 8 & 9 & 4 & 10 & 3 & 11 \\ 6 & 2 & 7 & 5 & 8 & 9 & 4 & 10 & 3 & 11 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 4 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Handling Dirichlet Boundaries.

$$\tilde{\mathcal{S}}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h(x) = g(x), \quad \forall x \in \partial\Omega_0\}$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}}_h^e = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h(x) = 0, \quad \forall x \in \partial\Omega_0\}$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{S}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h^a = g(\mathbb{I}^a) \quad \forall \text{Vertex } \mathbb{I}^a \in \partial\Omega_0\}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h^a = 0 \quad \forall \text{Vertex } \mathbb{I}^a \in \partial\Omega_0\}$$

# Neumann B.C.s

$$\int_{\partial\Omega_N} H N_n \, d\Gamma \rightarrow \int_{\partial\Omega} \overset{\uparrow \text{H vector}}{H} N_n \, d\Gamma$$

## # Numerical Analysis for Elliptic Problem.

finite element space  $\mathcal{W}_h \rightarrow$  mesh over  $\Omega$ .

provide a set of basis functions.

$$\{N_a, a=1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

$$w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \Leftrightarrow w_h(x) = \sum_{a=1}^n c_a N_a(x)$$

trial & test space  $\mathcal{U}_h$  &  $\mathcal{V}_h$ :

$$\mathcal{U}_h = \{w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h \mid w_h \text{ essential B.C.s}\}$$

$$\mathcal{V}_h = \text{Direction of } \mathcal{W}_h$$

## # Fundamental Approximation

~~\*~~ Cea's Lemma  $\rightarrow$  exact consistency.

$$a(u, v_h) = \ell(v_h), \quad \forall v_h \in \mathcal{V}_h.$$

1. Domain of the Norm:

$$\|u\| < +\infty, \quad \|w_h\| < +\infty, \quad \forall w_h \in \mathcal{W}_h.$$

2. Continuity: exists  $M > 0$  &  $m > 0$

$$\text{s.t. } |a(u - w_h, v_h)| \leq M \|u - w_h\| \|v_h\|.$$

$$\forall v_h \in V_h, \forall w_h \in S_h.$$

$$|l(v_h)| \leq m \|v_h\|, \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

3. Coercivity. exists  $\alpha > 0$  s.t.

$$a(v_h, v_h) \geq \alpha \|v_h\|^2, \quad \forall v_h \in V_h.$$

" If 1. 2. 3 are satisfied, then.

a) finite element soln exists & unique.

satisfying stability:

$$\|u_h\| \leq \frac{m}{\alpha} + \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \min_{w_h \in S_h} \|w_h\|$$

b) a priori approximation result.

$$\|u - u_h\| \leq \left(1 + \frac{M}{\alpha}\right) \min_{w_h \in S_h} \|u - w_h\|$$

$$\text{Norm: } \begin{cases} \|v\| \geq 0, & \|v\| = 0 \iff v = 0 \\ \|\beta v\| = |\beta| \|v\| \\ \|v + u\| \leq \|v\| + \|u\| \end{cases}$$