

Course 18.327 and 1.130 Wavelets and Filter Banks

Numerical solution of PDEs: Galerkin approximation; wavelet integrals (projection coefficients, moments and connection coefficients); convergence

Numerical Solution of Differential Equations

Main idea: look for an approximate solution that lies in V_j .
Approximate solution should converge to true solution as $j \rightarrow \infty$.

Consider the Poisson equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = f(x) \text{ ----- } \square \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{leave boundary} \\ \text{conditions till later} \end{array} \right)$$

Approximate solution:

$$u_{\text{approx}}(x) = \sum_k c[k] 2^{j/2} \underbrace{\phi(2^j x - k)}_{\phi_{j,k}(x)} \text{ ----- } \square$$

trial functions

Method of weighted residuals: Choose a set of test functions, $g_n(x)$, and form a system of equations (one for each n).

$$\int \frac{\partial^2 u_{\text{approx}}}{\partial x^2} g_n(x) dx = \int f(x) g_n(x) dx$$

One possibility: choose test functions to be Dirac delta functions. This is the collocation method.

$$g_n(x) = \delta(x - n/2^j) \quad n \text{ integer}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sum_k c[k] \phi_{j,k}''(n/2^j) = f(n/2^j)} \quad \text{-----} \square$$

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Second possibility: choose test functions to be scaling functions.

- Galerkin method if synthesis functions are used (test functions = trial functions)
- Petrov-Galerkin method if analysis functions are used

e.g. Petrov-Galerkin

$$g_n(x) = \tilde{\phi}_{j,n}(x) \in \tilde{V}_j$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sum_k c[k] \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \phi_{j,k}(x) \cdot \tilde{\phi}_{j,n}(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \tilde{\phi}_{j,n}(x) dx} \quad \text{-----} \square$$

Note: Petrov-Galerkin \equiv Galerkin in orthogonal case

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Two types of integrals are needed:

(a) Connection Coefficients

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \phi_{j,k}(x) \cdot \tilde{\phi}_{j,n}(x) dx &= 2^{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} 2^{j/2} \phi''(2^j x - k) 2^{j/2} \tilde{\phi}(2^j x - n) dx \\ &= 2^{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi''(\tau) \tilde{\phi}(\tau + k - n) d\tau \\ &= 2^{2j} h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} [n - k] \end{aligned}$$

where $h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} [n]$ is defined by

$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} [n] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi''(t) \tilde{\phi}(t - n) dt \quad \text{-----} \square$$

↑
connection coefficients

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(b) Expansion coefficients

The integrals $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \tilde{\phi}_{j,n}(x) dx$ are the coefficients for the expansion of $f(x)$ in V_j .

$$f_j(x) = \sum_k r_j[k] \phi_{j,k}(x) \quad \text{-----} \square$$

with

$$r_j[k] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \tilde{\phi}_{j,k}(x) dx \quad \text{-----} \square$$

So we can write the system of Galerkin equations as a convolution:

$$2^{2j} \sum_k c[k] h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} [n - k] = r_j[n] \quad \text{-----} \square$$

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⇒ Solve a deconvolution problem to find $c[k]$ and then find u_{approx} using equation □.

Note: we must allow for the fact that the solution may be non-unique, i.e. $H_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}(\omega)$ may have zeros.

Familiar example: 3-point finite difference operator

$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[n] = \{1, -2, 1\}$$

$$H_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}(z) = 1 - 2z^{-1} + z^{-2} = (1 - z^{-1})^2$$

⇒ $H_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}(\omega)$ has a 2nd order zero at $\omega = 0$.

Suppose $u_0(x)$ is a solution. Then $u_0(x) + Ax + B$ is also a solution. Need boundary conditions to fix $u_{\text{approx}}(x)$.

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Determination of Connection Coefficients

$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[n] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi''(t) \tilde{\phi}(t - n) dt$$

Simple numerical quadrature will not converge if $\phi''(t)$ behaves badly.

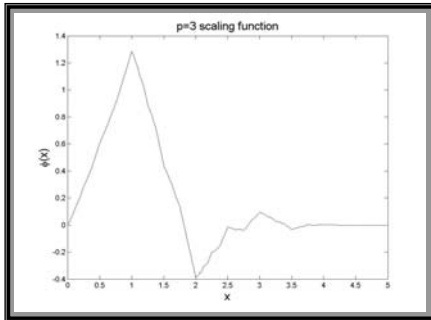
Instead, use the refinement equation to formulate an eigenvalue problem.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \phi(t) &= 2 \sum_k f_0[k] \phi(2t - k) \\ \phi''(t) &= 8 \sum_k f_0[k] \phi''(2t - k) \\ \tilde{\phi}(t - n) &= 2 \sum_{\ell} h_0[\ell] \tilde{\phi}(2t - 2n - \ell) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{Multiply and Integrate}$$

So

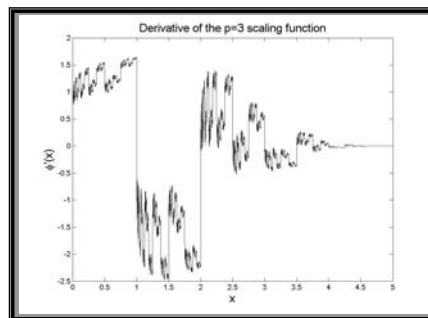
$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[n] = 8 \sum_k f_0[k] \sum_{\ell} h_0[\ell] h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[2n + \ell - k]$$

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Daubechies 6 scaling function

First derivative of Daubechies 6 scaling function



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Reorganize as

$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[n] = 8 \sum_m h_0[m - 2n] (\sum_k f_0[m - k] h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[k]) \quad m = 2n + \ell$$

Matrix form

$$h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} = 8 A B h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2} \longrightarrow \text{eigenvalue problem}$$

Need a normalization condition \longrightarrow use the moments of the scaling function:

If $h_0[n]$ has at least 3 zeros at π , we can write

$$\sum_k \mu_2[k] \phi(t - k) = t^2 ; \mu_2[k] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} t^2 \tilde{\phi}(t - k) dt$$

Differentiate twice, multiply by $\tilde{\phi}(t)$ and integrate:

$$\sum_k \mu_2[k] h_{\partial^2/\partial x^2}[-k] = 2! \longrightarrow \text{Normalizing condition}$$

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Formula for the moments of the scaling function

$$\mu_k^\ell = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \tau^\ell \phi(\tau - k) d\tau$$

Recursive formula

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_0^0 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi(\tau) d\tau = 1 \\ \mu_0^r &= \frac{1}{2^r - 1} \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} \binom{r-1}{i} \left(\sum_{k=0}^N h_0[k] k^{r-i} \right) \mu_0^i \\ \mu_k^\ell &= \sum_{r=0}^{\ell} \binom{\ell}{r} k^{\ell-r} \mu_0^r \end{aligned}$$

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How to enforce boundary conditions?

One idea – extrapolate a polynomial:

$$u(x) = \sum_k c[k] \phi_{j,k}(x) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{p-1} a[\ell] x^\ell$$

Relate $c[k]$ to $a[\ell]$ through moments. Extend $c[k]$ by extending underlying polynomial.

Extrapolated polynomial should satisfy boundary constraints:

Dirichlet:

$$u(x_0) = \alpha \Rightarrow \sum_{\ell=0}^{p-1} a[\ell] x_0^\ell = \alpha$$

Neumann:

$$u'(x_0) = \beta \Rightarrow \sum_{\ell=0}^{p-1} a[\ell] \ell x_0^{\ell-1} = \beta$$

Constraint on $a[\ell]$

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Convergence

Synthesis scaling function:

$$\phi(x) = 2 \sum_k f_0[k] \phi(2x - k)$$

We used the shifted and scaled versions, $\phi_{j,k}(x)$, to synthesize the solution. If $F_0(\omega)$ has p zeros at π , then we can exactly represent solutions which are degree $p - 1$ polynomials.

In general, we hope to achieve an approximate solution that behaves like

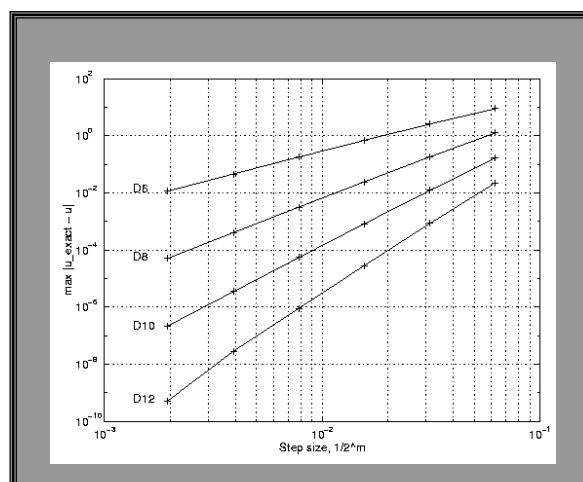
$$u(x) = \sum_k c[k] \phi_{j,k}(x) + O(h^p)$$

where

$$h = \frac{1}{2^i} = \text{spacing of scaling functions}$$

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Reduction in error as a function of h



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Multiscale Representation

e.g. $\partial^2 u / \partial x^2 = f$

Expand as

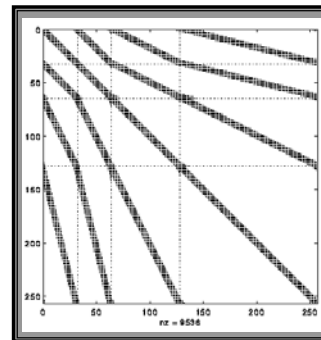
$$u = \sum_k c_k \phi(x - k) + \sum_{j=0}^J \sum_k d_{j,k} w(2^j x - k)$$

Galerkin gives a system

$$Ku = f$$

with typical entries

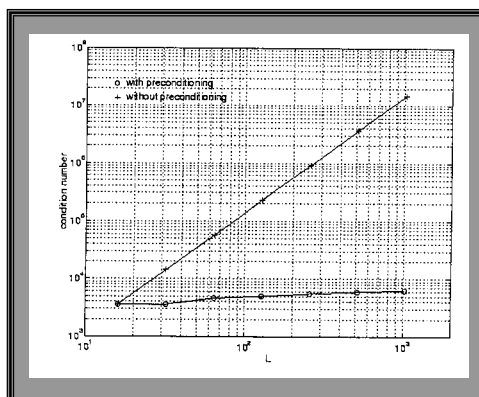
$$K_{m,n} = 2^{2j} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} w(x - n) w(x - m) dx$$



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Effect of Preconditioner

- Multiscale equations: $(WKW^T)(Wu) = Wf$
- Preconditioned matrix: $K_{\text{prec}} = DWKW^T D$



Simple diagonal preconditioner

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & & & \\ & 1 & & & & \\ & & \frac{1}{2} & & & \\ & & & \frac{1}{2} & & \\ & & & & \frac{1}{4} & \\ & & & & & \frac{1}{4} \\ & & & & & & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

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Matlab Example

Numerical solution of Partial Differential Equations

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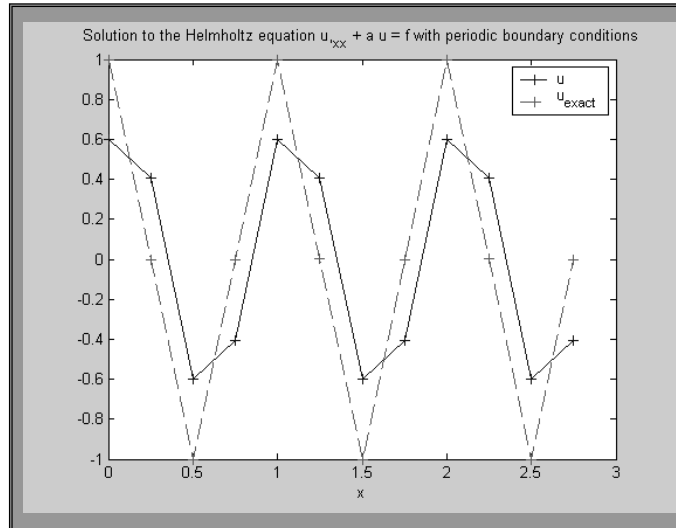
The Problem

1. Helmholtz equation: $u_{xx} + a u = f$

- $p=6$; % Order of wavelet scheme ($p_{min}=3$)
- $a = 0$
- $L = 3$; % Period.
- $nmin = 2$; % Minimum resolution
- $nmax = 7$; % Maximum resolution

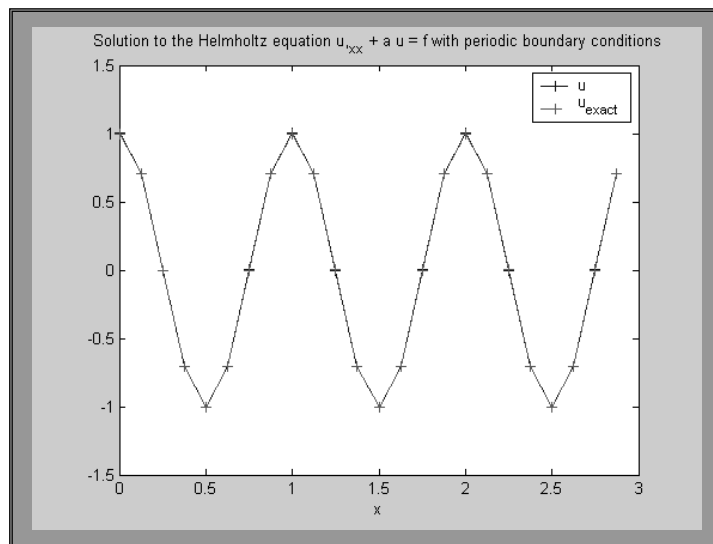
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Solution at Resolution 2



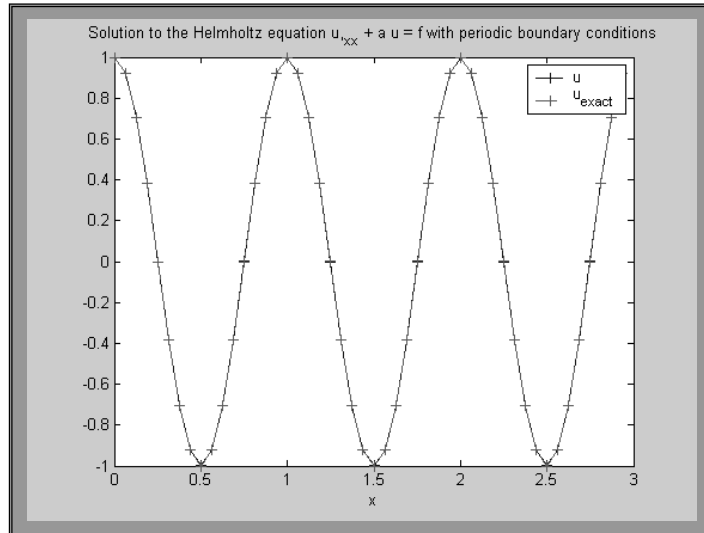
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Solution at Resolution 3



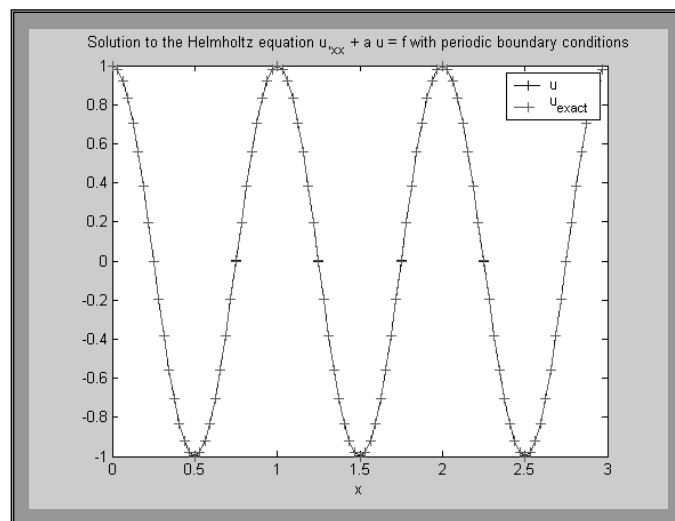
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Solution at Resolution 4



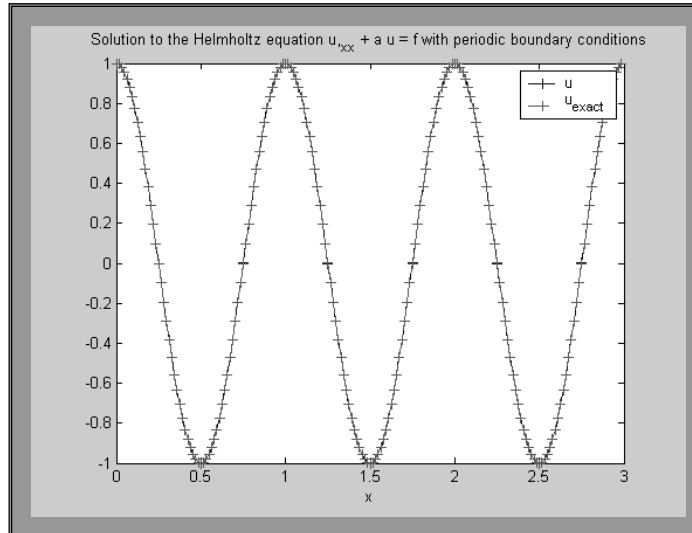
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Solution at Resolution 5



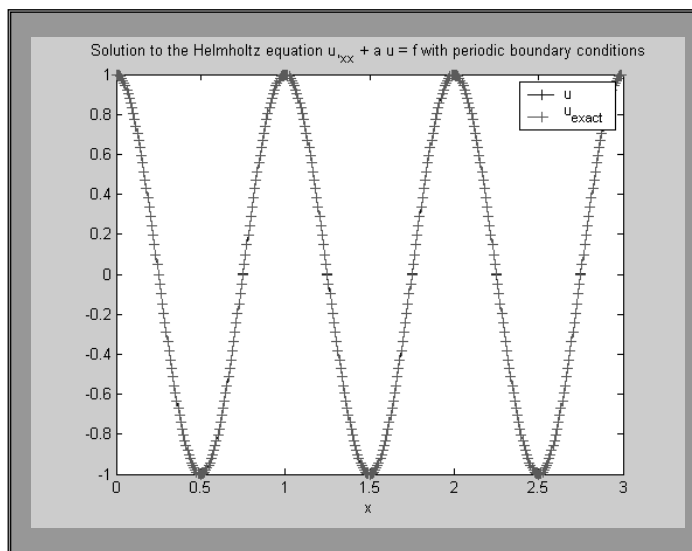
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Solution at Resolution 6



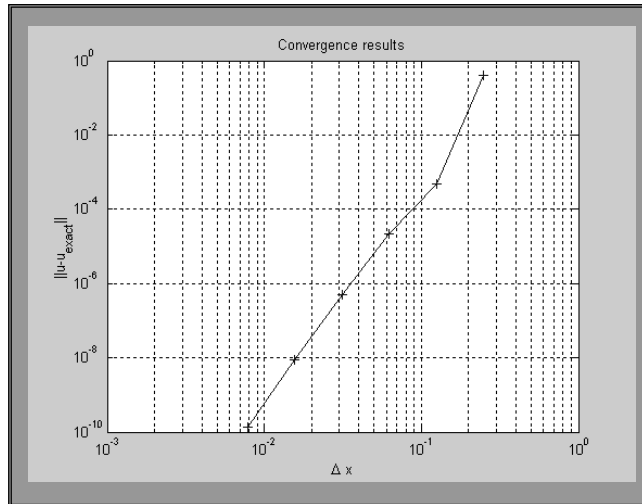
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Solution at Resolution 7



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Convergence Results



>> helmholtz slope = 5.9936