

**Solve the following Wave Equation.**

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, 0 < x < \pi, t > 0$$

$$u(0, t) = 0, u(\pi, t) = 0, u(x, 0) = \sin x, \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = x^2$$

**Solution by Fourier Series**

$$\text{Let } u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$$

$$\text{So } u_{xx}(x, t) = X''(x)T(t) \text{ and } u_{tt}(x, t) = X(x)T''(t)$$

$$\text{We have } u_{tt}(x, t) = u_{xx}(x, t) \text{ or } X''(x)T(t) = X(x)T''(t) \text{ or } \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = \frac{T''(t)}{T(t)} = \mu \text{ where } \mu \text{ is a constant}$$

$$\text{Let } \mu = -\lambda^2 < 0 \text{ (see next page for other cases)}$$

$$\text{Then } X''(x) = -\lambda^2 X(x) \text{ and } T''(t) = -\lambda^2 T(t)$$

$$\text{The solutions are } X(x) = a \sin \lambda x + b \cos \lambda x \text{ and } T(t) = c \sin \lambda t + d \cos \lambda t$$

$$\text{Therefore } u(x, t) = (a \sin \lambda x + b \cos \lambda x)T(t)$$

$$\text{We have } u(0, t) = (b)T(t) \Rightarrow b = 0 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = a \sin \lambda x T(t)$$

$$\text{And } u(\pi, t) = a \sin \lambda \pi T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \lambda \pi = 0 = \sin n \pi \Rightarrow \lambda \pi = n \pi \Rightarrow \lambda = n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{So we have } u(x, t) = a \sin n x T(t) = \sin n x (a \cos n t + b \sin n t) = \sin n x (A_n \sin n t + B_n \cos n t)$$

Since the PDE is linear following is the general solution

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \sin n x (A_n \sin n t + B_n \cos n t) = 0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin n x (a_n \sin n t + b_n \cos n t)$$

$$\text{Now } u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin n x (b_n) = b_1 \sin x + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n \sin n x = \sin x \Rightarrow b_1 = 1 \text{ and } b_n = 0, n \geq 2$$

$$\text{So } u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin n x \cos n t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \sin n x \sin n t = \sin x \cos t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \sin n x \sin n t$$

$$\text{Now } u_t(x, t) = -\sin x \sin t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n \sin n x \cos n t$$

$$\text{And we want } u_t(x, 0) = 0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n \sin n x = x^2$$

To write  $x^2$  as an infinite sum of using only sin, we will find the Fourier Series of  $f(x)$  which is  $x^2$  on  $[0, \pi]$  and  $-x^2$  on  $[-\pi, 0]$ .

Then we have

$$2\pi c_n = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) e^{inx} dx = \int_{-\pi}^0 -x^2 e^{inx} dx + \int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{inx} dx = -\int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{-inx} dx + \int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{inx} dx = 2i \operatorname{Im} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{inx} dx$$

$$\text{And } 2\pi c_0 = 2i \operatorname{Im} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 dx = 0 \Rightarrow c_0 = 0$$

When  $n \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{inx} dx &= \left[ x^2 \frac{e^{inx}}{in} \right]_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} \frac{e^{inx}}{in} 2x dx = \frac{\pi^2 \cos n \pi}{in} - \frac{2}{in} \left[ x \frac{e^{inx}}{in} - \frac{e^{inx}}{(in)^2} \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= -i \frac{\pi^2 \cos n \pi}{n} - \frac{2}{(in)^2} \left[ \pi \cos n \pi - \frac{\cos n \pi - 1}{in} \right] = -i \frac{\pi^2 (-1)^n}{n} + \frac{2}{n^2} \left[ \pi (-1)^n + i \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } c_n = \frac{1}{\pi} i \operatorname{Im} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 e^{inx} dx = \frac{i}{\pi} \left( -\frac{\pi^2 (-1)^n}{n} + \frac{2((-1)^n - 1)}{n^3} \right)$$

We also note that  $c_{-n} = -c_n$

$$\text{Then } u_t(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n \sin nx = x^2 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n e^{-inx} = c_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n (e^{-inx} - e^{inx}) = 0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} -c_n 2i \sin nx$$

$$\text{So we need } n a_n = -2i c_n \text{ or } a_n = \frac{-2i}{n} \frac{1}{\pi} \left( -\frac{\pi^2 (-1)^n}{n} + \frac{2((-1)^n - 1)}{n^3} \right) = -\frac{2\pi (-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1 - (-1)^n)}{\pi n^4}$$

$$\text{And finally } u(x, t) = \sin x \cos t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{2\pi (-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1 - (-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) \sin nx \sin nt$$

**This won't be tested, ie. you don't have to show all the cases**

Case 1:  $\mu = 0$

$$X''(x) = 0 \text{ and } T''(t) = 0, \text{ the solutions are } X(x) = ax + b \text{ and } T(t) = ct + d$$

$$\text{We have } u(x, t) = (ax + b)T(t)$$

$$u(0, t) = (b)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow b = 0 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = axT(t)$$

$$u(\pi, t) = a\pi T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = 0, \text{ a contradiction}$$

Case 2:  $\mu = \lambda^2 > 0$

$$X''(x) = \lambda^2 X(x) \text{ and } T''(t) = \lambda^2 T(t), \text{ the solutions are } X(x) = ae^{\lambda x} + be^{-\lambda x} \text{ and } T(t) = ce^{\lambda t} + de^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\text{We have } u(x, t) = (ae^{\lambda x} + be^{-\lambda x})T(t)$$

$$u(0, t) = (a + b)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow a + b = 0 \Rightarrow b = -a \Rightarrow u(x, t) = a(e^{\lambda x} - e^{-\lambda x})T(t)$$

$$u(\pi, t) = a(e^{\lambda \pi} - e^{-\lambda \pi})T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = 0, \text{ a contradiction}$$

**Solution by Laplace Transform (this won't be tested)**

$$\text{Let } (x, \hat{s}) = \int_0^\infty u(x, t)e^{-st} dt, u(\hat{k}, t) = \int_0^\infty u(x, t)e^{-kx} dx$$

$$u(0, \hat{s}) = \int_0^\infty u(0, t)e^{-st} dt = 0, u(\pi, \hat{s}) = \int_0^\infty u(\pi, t)e^{-st} dt = 0$$

$$u(\hat{k}, 0) = \int_0^\infty u(x, 0)e^{-kx} dx = \int_0^\infty \sin x e^{-kx} dx = \frac{1}{1+k^2}$$

$$u_t(\hat{k}, 0) = \int_0^\infty u_t(x, 0)e^{-kx} dx = \int_0^\infty x^2 e^{-kx} dx = \frac{2}{k^3}$$

$$u_x(0, \hat{s}) = \int_0^\infty u_x(0, t)e^{-st} dt = g(s), \text{ say}$$

$$u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) = \int_0^\infty u(x, \hat{s})e^{-kx} dx = \int_0^\infty u(\hat{k}, t)e^{-st} dt$$

Taking Laplace Transform of  $u_{tt}(x, t) = u_{xx}(x, t)$  w.r.t  $t$  we find that

$$\int_0^\infty u_{xx}(x, t)e^{-st} dt = \int_0^\infty u_{tt}(x, t)e^{-st} dt$$

Or  $\frac{d^2}{dx^2} u(x, \hat{s}) = s^2 u(x, \hat{s}) - su(x, 0) - u_t(x, 0)$ , now taking Laplace Transform w.r.t  $x$

$$\text{We have } k^2 u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) - ku(0, \hat{s}) - u_x(0, \hat{s}) = s^2 u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) - su(\hat{k}, 0) - u_t(\hat{k}, 0)$$

And substituting the boundary conditions we get

$$k^2 u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) - k0 - g(s) = s^2 u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) - s \frac{1}{1+k^2} - \frac{2}{k^3}$$

$$(k^2 - s^2)u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) = -s \frac{1}{1+k^2} - \frac{2}{k^3} + g(s)$$

$$u(\hat{k}, \hat{s}) = -s \frac{1}{(1+k^2)(k^2-s^2)} - \frac{2}{k^3(k^2-s^2)} + \frac{g(s)}{(k^2-s^2)}$$

$$= -s \left( \frac{-1}{1+k^2} + \frac{1}{k^2-s^2} \right) \frac{1}{1+s^2} - \frac{2}{k} \left( \frac{-1}{k^2} + \frac{1}{k^2-s^2} \right) \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{g(s)}{(k^2-s^2)}$$

$$= \frac{s}{1+s^2} \frac{1}{1+k^2} - \frac{s}{1+s^2} \frac{1}{k^2-s^2} + \frac{1}{s^2} \frac{2}{k^3} - \frac{2}{s^2} \frac{1}{k+s} \left( \frac{-1}{k} + \frac{1}{k-s} \right) \frac{1}{s} + \frac{g(s)}{(k^2-s^2)}$$

$$= \frac{s}{1+s^2} \frac{1}{1+k^2} + \frac{1}{s^2} \frac{2}{k^3} + \left( g(s) - \frac{s}{1+s^2} - \frac{2}{s^3} \right) \left( \frac{-1}{k+s} + \frac{1}{k-s} \right) \frac{1}{2s} + \frac{2}{s^3} \left( \frac{1}{k} + \frac{-1}{k+s} \right) \frac{1}{s}$$

$$= \frac{s}{1+s^2} \frac{1}{1+k^2} + \frac{1}{s^2} \frac{2}{k^3} + \frac{2}{s^4} \frac{1}{k} + \left( \frac{g(s)}{2s} - \frac{1}{2(1+s^2)} - \frac{1}{s^4} \right) \frac{1}{k-s} + \left( -\frac{g(s)}{2s} + \frac{1}{s(1+s^2)} - \frac{1}{s^4} \right) \frac{1}{k+s}$$

$$= \frac{s}{1+s^2} \frac{1}{1+k^2} + \frac{1}{s^2} \frac{2}{k^3} + \frac{2}{s^4} \frac{1}{k} + A(s) \frac{1}{k-s} + B(s) \frac{1}{k+s} \text{ where } A(s) + B(s) = -\frac{2}{s^4} \dots (1)$$

$$\text{So } u(x, \hat{s}) = \frac{s}{1+s^2} \sin x + \frac{1}{s^2} x^2 + \frac{2}{s^4} + A(s)e^{xs} + B(s)e^{-xs}$$

$$\text{Then } u(\pi, \hat{s}) = 0 + \frac{1}{s^2} \pi^2 + \frac{2}{s^4} + A(s)e^{\pi s} + B(s)e^{-\pi s} = 0$$

$$\text{Or } A(s)e^{\pi s} + B(s)e^{-\pi s} = -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} \dots (2)$$

$$(2) - (1)e^{-\pi s}: A(s)(e^{\pi s} - e^{-\pi s}) = A(s)2\sinh \pi s = -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s}$$

$$\text{Therefore } A(s) = \frac{1}{2\sinh \pi s} \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s} \right)$$

$$\text{We have } u(x, \hat{s}) = \frac{s}{1+s^2} \sin x + \frac{1}{s^2} x^2 + \frac{2}{s^4} + A(s)e^{xs} + \left( -A(s) - \frac{2}{s^4} \right) e^{-xs}$$

$$u(x, s) = \frac{s}{1+s^2} \sin x + \frac{1}{s^2} x^2 + \frac{2}{s^4} + A(s) 2 \sinh xs - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-xs}$$

$$\text{Or } u(x, t) = \cos t \sin x + tx^2 + \frac{t^3}{3} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{f(s)\}$$

$$\text{Where } f(s) = A(s) 2 \sinh xs - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-xs} = \frac{\sinh xs}{\sinh \pi s} \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s} \right) - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-xs}$$

We will use the Complex Inversion Formula to find the inverse Laplace Transform

$$\text{ie. } \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{f(s)\} = \sum_p \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, p], p \text{ are poles of } f(s)e^{st}$$

$$\text{For the poles, we solve, } \sinh \pi s = \frac{e^{\pi s} - e^{-\pi s}}{2} = 0 \Leftrightarrow e^{2\pi s} = 1 = e^{i2\pi n}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

So we have poles at  $s = in \in i\mathbb{Z}$ . The pole at  $s = 0$  is of order 4 and the other poles are simple (order 1)

When  $n \neq 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, in] &= \lim_{s \rightarrow in} (s - in) \left[ \frac{\sinh xs}{\sinh \pi s} \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s} \right) - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-xs} \right] e^{st} \\ &= \sinh(xin) \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{(in)^2} - \frac{2}{(in)^4} + \frac{2}{(in)^4} e^{-\pi(in)} \right) e^{int} \lim_{s \rightarrow in} \frac{s - in}{\sinh \pi s} - \frac{2}{(in)^4} e^{in(t-x)} \lim_{s \rightarrow in} (s - in) \\ &= i \sin(nx) \left( \frac{\pi^2}{n^2} - \frac{2}{n^4} + \frac{2}{n^4} (-1)^n \right) e^{int} \frac{1}{\pi(-1)^n} + 0, \text{ since } \lim_{s \rightarrow in} \frac{s - in}{\sinh \pi s} = \lim_{s \rightarrow in} \frac{1}{\pi \cosh \pi s} = \frac{1}{\pi \cosh(i\pi n)} = \frac{1}{\pi \cos(\pi n)} = \frac{1}{\pi(-1)^n} \\ &= \left( \frac{\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} + \frac{2(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) i \sin nx e^{int} \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, 0] &= \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{3!} \frac{d^3}{ds^3} \left\{ s^4 \left[ \frac{\sinh xs}{\sinh \pi s} \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s} \right) - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-xs} \right] e^{st} \right\} \\ &= \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{3!} \frac{d^3}{ds^3} \left\{ \frac{\sinh xs}{\sinh \pi s} (-\pi^2 s^2 - 2 + 2e^{-\pi s}) e^{st} - 2e^{s(t-x)} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

We will use MATHEMATICA for this, see next page

$$\text{The answer is, } \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, 0] = -\frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{f(s)\} &= \sum_p \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, p] = \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, 0] + \sum_{n=-\infty, n \neq 0}^{\infty} \text{Res}[f(s)e^{st}, in] \\ &= -\frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2 + \sum_{n=-\infty, n \neq 0}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} + \frac{2(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) i \sin nx e^{int} \\ &= -\frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} + \frac{2(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) i \sin nx (e^{int} - e^{-int}) \\ &= -\frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} + \frac{2(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) i \sin nx 2i \sin nt \\ &= -\frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{2\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) \sin nx \sin nt \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Finally } u(x, t) = \cos t \sin x + tx^2 + \frac{t^3}{3} - \frac{t^3}{3} - tx^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{2\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) \sin nx \sin nt$$

$$\text{Or } u(x, t) = \sin x \cos t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{2\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1-(-1)^n)}{\pi n^4} \right) \sin nx \sin nt$$

There are some places to fix, see if you can find them. It was a good mistake trying to solve this by Laplace!

$$\text{In}[1]:= \mathbf{f[s\_ , x\_]} := \frac{\text{Sinh}[x s]}{\text{Sinh}[\pi s]} \left( -\frac{\pi^2}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-\pi s} \right) - \frac{2}{s^4} e^{-x s}$$

$$\text{In}[2]:= \mathbf{Expand[D[s^4 f[s, x] e^{s t}, \{s, 3\}]/6]}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Out}[2]= & -\frac{1}{3} e^{s t-s x} t^3 + e^{s t-s x} t^2 x - e^{s t-s x} t x^2 + \frac{1}{3} e^{s t-s x} x^3 - e^{s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - 2 e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi t x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - 2 e^{s t} \pi^2 s t x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \\ & e^{s t} t^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + e^{-\pi s+s t} t^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^2 s^2 t^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \\ & \frac{1}{3} e^{s t} x^3 \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \frac{1}{3} e^{-\pi s+s t} x^3 \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \frac{1}{6} e^{s t} \pi^2 s^2 x^3 \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \\ & 2 e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + 2 e^{s t} \pi^3 s x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \\ & 2 e^{s t} \pi t x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - 2 e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi t x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \\ & e^{s t} \pi^3 s^2 t x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] - e^{s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] + \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^4 s^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] - \\ & e^{s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 + e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 - \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^4 s^2 x \text{Cosh}[s x] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 - \\ & \frac{1}{3} e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{s t} \pi^2 t \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 t \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi t^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{s t} \pi^2 s t^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \frac{1}{3} e^{s t} t^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & \frac{1}{3} e^{-\pi s+s t} t^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \frac{1}{6} e^{s t} \pi^2 s^2 t^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi x^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{s t} \pi^2 s x^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{s t} t x^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + e^{-\pi s+s t} t x^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^2 s^2 t x^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + e^{s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + 2 e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 t \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & 2 e^{s t} \pi^3 s t \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + e^{s t} \pi t^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi t^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^3 s^2 t^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & e^{s t} \pi x^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi x^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^3 s^2 x^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{s t} \pi^4 s \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{s t} \pi^2 t \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 t \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^4 s^2 t \text{Coth}[\pi s]^2 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & \frac{1}{3} e^{s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s]^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - \frac{1}{3} e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s]^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] + \\ & \frac{1}{6} e^{s t} \pi^5 s^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s]^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s] \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & e^{s t} \pi^4 s \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] - e^{s t} \pi^2 t \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] + e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^2 t \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & \frac{1}{2} e^{s t} \pi^4 s^2 t \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] + \frac{5}{3} e^{s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] - \\ & \frac{5}{3} e^{-\pi s+s t} \pi^3 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] + \frac{5}{6} e^{s t} \pi^5 s^2 \text{Coth}[\pi s] \text{Csch}[\pi s]^3 \text{Sinh}[s x] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{In}[3]:= \mathbf{Expand[Limit[\%, s \rightarrow 0]]}$$

$$\text{Out}[3]= -\frac{t^3}{3} - t x^2$$

Or directly using Residue

In[4]:= **Expand[Residue[f[s, x] E^(s t), {s, 0}]]**

$$\text{Out[4]} = -\frac{t^3}{3} - t x^2$$

**See that directly using InverseLaplaceTransform don ' t give any results**

In[5]:= **InverseLaplaceTransform[f[s, x], s, t]**

$$\text{Out[5]} = \text{InverseLaplaceTransform}\left[\frac{2\left(-\frac{1}{2}e^{-sx} + \frac{e^{sx}}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{2}{s^4} + \frac{2e^{-\pi s}}{s^4} - \frac{\pi^2}{s^2}\right)}{-e^{-\pi s} + e^{\pi s}} - \frac{2e^{-sx}}{s^4}, s, t\right]$$

**Note that Dsolve can ' t solve this PDE with boundary conditions**

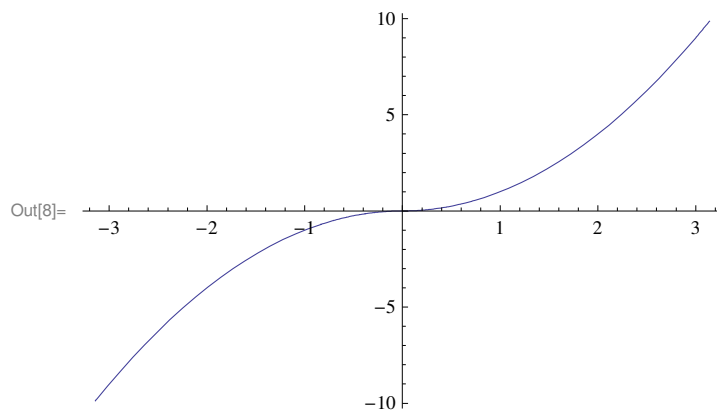
In[6]:= **DSolve[{D[u[x, t], {t, 2}] == D[u[x, t], {x, 2}], u[0, t] == 0,  
u[Pi, t] == 0, u[x, 0] == Sin[x], x^2 == D[u[x, t], t] /. t -> 0}, u[x, t], x, t]**

$$\text{Out[6]} = \text{DSolve}\left[\left\{u^{(0,2)}[x, t] = u^{(2,0)}[x, t], u[0, t] = 0, u[\pi, t] = 0, u[x, 0] = \sin[x], x^2 = u^{(0,1)}[x, 0]\right\}, u[x, t], x, t\right]$$

**But you can find Fourier Series**

In[7]:= **h[x\_] := Piecewise[{{-x^2, x < 0}, {x^2, x ≥ 0}}]**

In[8]:= **Plot[h[x], {x, -Pi, Pi}]**



In[9]:= **FourierSeries[h[x], x, 5]**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Out[9]} = & e^{5ix} \left( \frac{4i}{125\pi} - \frac{i\pi}{5} \right) - \frac{1}{2} i e^{-2ix} \pi + \frac{1}{2} i e^{2ix} \pi - \frac{1}{4} i e^{-4ix} \pi + \frac{1}{4} i e^{4ix} \pi + \frac{i e^{-ix} (-4 + \pi^2)}{\pi} - \\ & \frac{i e^{ix} (-4 + \pi^2)}{\pi} + \frac{i e^{-3ix} (-4 + 9\pi^2)}{27\pi} - \frac{i e^{3ix} (-4 + 9\pi^2)}{27\pi} + \frac{i e^{-5ix} (-4 + 25\pi^2)}{125\pi} \end{aligned}$$

In[10]:= **Table[FourierCoefficient[h[x], x, n], {n, 0, 5}]**

$$\text{Out[10]} = \left\{ 0, -\frac{i(-4 + \pi^2)}{\pi}, \frac{i\pi}{2}, -\frac{i(-4 + 9\pi^2)}{27\pi}, \frac{i\pi}{4}, \frac{4i}{125\pi} - \frac{i\pi}{5} \right\}$$

**Lets see if we have solved the problem**

$$\text{In[11]} := b[n_] := -\frac{2\pi(-1)^n}{n^2} - \frac{4(1 - (-1)^n)}{\pi n^4}$$

$$\text{In[12]} := u[x_, t_] := \sin[x] \cos[t] + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b[n] \sin[nx] \sin[nt]$$

In[13]:= **D[u[x, t], {t, 2}] - D[u[x, t], {x, 2}]**

$$\text{Out[13]} = 0$$

In[14]:= **u[0, t]**

$$\text{Out[14]} = 0$$

In[15]:= **u[Pi, t]**

Out[15]= 0

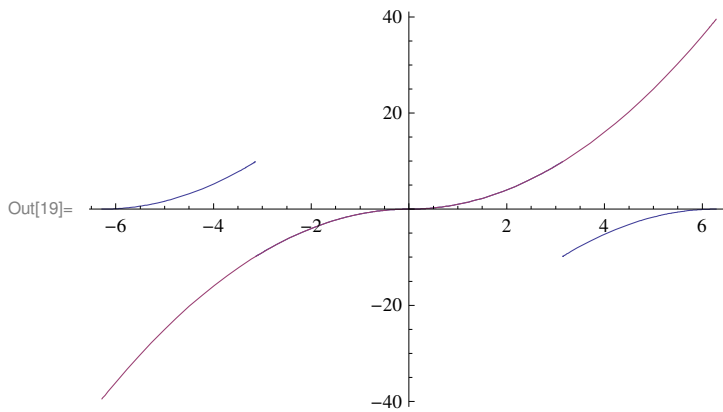
In[16]:= **u[x, 0]**

Out[16]= Sin[x]

In[17]:= **D[u[x, t], t] /. t -> 0**

In[18]:= **k[x\_] :=  $\frac{1}{2\pi} (2i\pi^2 \text{Log}[1 + e^{-ix}] - 2i\pi^2 \text{Log}[1 + e^{ix}] + 4i \text{PolyLog}[3, -e^{-ix}] - 4i \text{PolyLog}[3, e^{-ix}] - 4i \text{PolyLog}[3, -e^{ix}] + 4i \text{PolyLog}[3, e^{ix}])$**

In[19]:= **Plot[{k[x], h[x]}, {x, -2 Pi, 2 Pi}]**



Lets plot the solution in 3 D

In[20]:= **Sin[x] Cos[t] +  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b[n] \text{Sin}[n x] \text{Sin}[n t]$**

In[21]:= **v[x\_, t\_] :=  $\frac{1}{2\pi} (-\pi^2 \text{PolyLog}[2, -e^{-i(t-x)}] - \pi^2 \text{PolyLog}[2, -e^{i(t-x)}] + \pi^2 \text{PolyLog}[2, -e^{-i(t+x)}] + \pi^2 \text{PolyLog}[2, -e^{i(t+x)}] + 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, -e^{-i(t-x)}] - 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, e^{-i(t-x)}] + 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, -e^{i(t-x)}] - 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, e^{i(t-x)}] - 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, -e^{-i(t+x)}] + 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, e^{-i(t+x)}] - 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, -e^{i(t+x)}] + 2 \text{PolyLog}[4, e^{i(t+x)}]) + \text{Cos}[t] \text{Sin}[x]$**

In[23]:= **Plot3D[v[x, t], {x, 0, Pi}, {t, 0, 2}, AxesLabel -> {x, t, v}]**

