

**Tentamen i**

**TMA026/MMA430 Partial differential equations II**

**Partiella differentialekvationer II, 2012–05–22 f V**

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Inga hjälpmaterial. Kalkylator ej tillåten. No aids or electronic calculators are permitted.

You may get up to 10 points for each problem plus points for the hand-in problems.

Grades: 3: 20–29p, 4: 30–39p, 5: 40–.

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**1.** Prove the inequality

$$(1) \quad \|v\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2 \leq C \left( \|\nabla v\|_{L_2(\Omega)}^2 + \|v\|_{L_2(\Gamma)}^2 \right) \quad \forall v \in H^1(\Omega).$$

Here  $\Omega$  is a bounded domain in  $\mathbf{R}^d$  with smooth boundary  $\Gamma$ . Hint: Integrate by parts in the identity  $\int_{\Omega} v^2 dx = \int_{\Omega} v^2 \Delta \phi dx$ , where  $\phi(x) = \frac{1}{2d}|x|^2$ .

**2.** (a) Formulate a finite element method for the problem

$$\begin{aligned} -\nabla \cdot (a \nabla u) &= f, && \text{in } \Omega, \\ a \frac{\partial u}{\partial n} + h(u - u_0) &= g, && \text{on } \Gamma. \end{aligned}$$

Assume  $a(x) \geq a_0 > 0$ ,  $h(x) \geq h_0 > 0$ ,  $\|a\|_C < \infty$ ,  $\|h\|_C < \infty$  and  $\Omega \subset \mathbf{R}^2$  a polygonal domain.

(b) Prove an error estimate in the  $H^1$ -norm (under suitable assumptions). Hint: use problem 1.

(c) Prove an error estimate in the  $L_2$ -norm (under suitable assumptions).

**3.** Let  $u$  be a solution of

$$\begin{aligned} u_t - \nabla \cdot (a \nabla u) &= f, && \text{in } \Omega \times \mathbf{R}_+, \\ a \frac{\partial u}{\partial n} + h(u - u_0) &= g, && \text{on } \Gamma \times \mathbf{R}_+, \\ u(\cdot, 0) &= v && \text{in } \Omega. \end{aligned}$$

Assume that  $a, h$  are as in the previous problem. Show that

$$\|u(t)\|^2 + \int_0^t \|u\|_1^2 ds \leq C \left( \|v\|^2 + \int_0^t (\|f\|^2 + \|u_0\|_{L_2(\Gamma)}^2 + \|g\|_{L_2(\Gamma)}^2) ds \right).$$

**4.** State and prove the maximum principle for the heat operator  $\partial u / \partial t - \Delta u$ .

**5.** (a) What do we mean by a "Friedrichs system" ("symmetric hyperbolic system")?

(b) Write the pure initial value problem for the wave equation in  $\mathbf{R}^2 \times \mathbf{R}_+$  as a Friedrichs system.

(c) Prove a stability estimate for the system in (b).

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$$\begin{aligned}
 1) \int_{\Omega} v^2 dx &= \int_{\Omega} v^2 \Delta \phi dx = \int_{\Omega} v^2 n \cdot \nabla \phi ds - \int_{\Omega} \nabla v^2 \cdot \nabla \phi dx \\
 &\quad = 2 \int_{\Omega} v \nabla v \cdot \nabla \phi dx \\
 &\leq \| \phi \|_{L^2} \int_{\Omega} v^2 ds + 2 \| \phi \|_{L^2} \int_{\Omega} |v| |\nabla v| dx \\
 &\leq C \| v \|_P^2 + 2C \| v \| \| \nabla v \| \quad [C = \| \phi \|_{L^2}] \\
 &\leq C \| v \|_P^2 + \frac{1}{2} \| v \|^2 + \frac{1}{2} (2C)^2 \| \nabla v \|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{2} \| v \|^2 &\leq C \| v \|_P^2 + 2C^2 \| \nabla v \|^2 \\
 \| v \| &\leq C (\| v \|_P^2 + \| \nabla v \|^2) \quad (\text{new } C)
 \end{aligned}$$

2) a)  $\tilde{S}_h = \{ v_h \in \mathcal{E}(\tilde{\Omega}) : v_h|_K \in \Pi_1 \}$  (no boundary condition)  
 $\hat{S}_h \subset H^1 = H^1(\Omega)$

$$\begin{cases} u_h \in \hat{S}_h \\ a(u_h, \chi) = L(\chi) \quad \forall \chi \in \tilde{S}_h \end{cases}$$

$$a(v, w) = (a \nabla v, \nabla w) + (h v, w)_P$$

$$L(v) = (f, v) + (h u_0 + g, v)_P$$

Assume:

$$a(x) \geq a_0 > 0, \quad h(x) \geq h_0 > 0, \quad \|a\|_\infty < \infty, \quad \|h\|_\infty < \infty$$

$$u_0, g \in L_2(\Omega)$$

Then, with problem 1, we show that

$$a(v, v) \geq c \| v \|^2,$$

$$a(v, w) \leq C \| v \| \| w \|, \quad \forall v, w \in H^1$$

$$L(v) \leq C \| v \|,$$

So  $a(\cdot, \cdot)$  is a scalar product equivalent with the standard  $H^1$ -scalar product.

$$\| v \|_a = \sqrt{a(v, v)}.$$

(2)

$$b) (*) \quad a(u_n - u, \chi) = 0 \quad \forall \chi \in S_h \text{ (orthogonality)}$$

$$\text{Hence } \|u_n - u\|_a = \inf_{v_n \in S_h} \|u - v_n\|_a$$

Norm equivalence and interval. error:

$$\|u_n - u\|_1 \leq c \inf_{v_n} \|u - v_n\|_1$$

$$\leq c \|M - I_n u\|_1 \leq$$

$$= c \sqrt{\|M_n - I_n u\|^2 + \|M_n - I_n M\|^2} \leq c h^4 \|M\|_2^2 + c h^2 \|M\|_2^2$$

$$\leq c \sqrt{h^4 + h^2} \|M\|_2 \leq ch \|M\|_2$$

c) adjoint problem:  $e = u_n - u$

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (a \nabla \phi) = e & \text{in } \Omega \\ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n} + h u = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma \end{cases}$$

Weak form:  $\begin{cases} \phi \in H^1 \\ a(w, \phi) = (w, e) \quad \forall w \in H^1 \end{cases}$

Take  $w = e$  and use (\*):

$$\begin{aligned} \|e\|^2 &= (e, e) = a(e, \phi) \stackrel{(*)}{=} a(e, \phi - I_n \phi) \\ &\leq c \|e\|_1 \|\phi - I_n \phi\|_1 \leq c \|e\|_1 \cdot c h \|\phi\|_2 \\ &\leq c \|e\|_1 \cdot c h \|e\| \end{aligned}$$

$$\|e\| \leq c h \|e\|_1 \leq c h^2 \|M\|_2.$$

$$3) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} M(t) \in H^1, \quad M(0) = v \\ (M_t, \varphi) + a(u, \varphi) = (f, \varphi) + (hu_0 + g, \varphi), \quad \forall \varphi \in H^1, t > 0 \end{array} \right.$$

(3)

$$(M_t, \varphi) + a(u, \varphi) = (f, \varphi) + (hu_0 + g, \varphi), \quad \forall \varphi \in H^1, t > 0$$

with  $a(\cdot, \cdot)$  as in problem 2.

$$\varphi = M(t) : (M_t, u) + a(u, u) = (f, u) + (hu_0 + g, u)$$

$$\geq \alpha \|u\|^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} D_t \|u\|^2 + \alpha \|u\|^2 \leq \|f\| \|u\| + \|h\| \|g\| (\|u_0\|_P + \|g\|_P) \|u\|$$

$$\leq C \|u\| \leq C$$

(trace)  $\leq C \|u\|$ ,  
ineq.)

$$\leq (\|f\| + C(\|u_0\|_P + \|g\|_P)) \|u\|,$$

$$\leq C (\|f\|^2 + \|u_0\|_P^2 + \|g\|_P^2) + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \|u\|^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} D_t \|u\|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \alpha \|u\|^2 \geq C (\|f\|^2 + \|u_0\|_P^2 + \|g\|_P^2)$$

$$\|M(t)\|^2 + \int_0^t \|M(s)\|^2 ds \leq C \left( \|v\|^2 + \int_0^t (\|f\|^2 + \|u_0\|_P^2 + \|g\|_P^2) ds \right)$$

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