

2<sup>nd</sup> order PDEs

$$a u_{xx} + b u_{xy} + c u_{yy} + \text{lots} = 0$$

Last class we hit modified hyperbolic form

$$u_{rs} + \text{lots} = 0$$

We achieved this by finding  $r, s$  that satisfy

$$a r_x^2 + b r_x r_y + c r_y^2 = 0 \quad a s_x^2 + b s_x s_y + c s_y^2 = 0$$

Ex  $u_{xx} - 4x^2 u_{yy} + 2u_y = 0$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 16x^2 > 0 \text{ if } x \neq 0 \text{ so hyp.}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_x^2 - 4x^2 r_y^2 = 0 \quad s_x^2 - 4x^2 s_y^2 = 0$$

$$(r_x - 2x r_y)(r_x + 2x r_y) = 0 \text{ similar for } s$$

Pick  $r_x - 2x r_y = 0 \quad s_x + 2x s_y = 0$

MoFc  $r = R(x^2 + y) \quad s = S(x^2 - y)$

Pick  $r = x^2 + y \quad s = x^2 - y$

## Chain Rule

$$r_x = 2x, \quad r_y = 1, \quad r_{xx} = 2 \quad r_{xy} = r_{yy} = 0$$

$$s_x = 2x \quad s_y = -1 \quad s_{xx} = 2 \quad s_{xy} = s_{yy} = 0$$

$$u_y = u_r - u_s$$

$$u_{xx} = 4x^2 u_{rr} + 8x^2 u_{rs} + 4x^2 u_{ss} + 2u_r + 2u_s$$

$$u_{xy} = 2x u_{rr} + 0 u_{rs} - 2x u_{ss}$$

$$u_{yy} = u_{rr} - 2u_{rs} + u_{ss}$$

sub gives  $16x^2 u_{rs} + 4u_r = 0$  or  $u_{rs} + \frac{u_r}{4x^2} = 0$

From the change of variables

$$r = x^2 + y \quad s = x^2 - y \Rightarrow r + s = 2x^2$$

so target is  $u_{rs} + \frac{u_r}{2(r+s)} = 0$

So how do we get to the regular hyp- SF

$$u_{ss} - u_{rr} + \text{lots} = 0$$

Consider  $u_{xx} - u_{yy} = 0$  which is hyperbolic

to hit M.H.S.F  $u_{rs} + \text{lots} = 0$

we need to solve

$$r_x^2 - r_y^2 = 0 \quad s_x^2 - s_y^2 = 0$$

$$r_x - r_y = 0 \quad s_x + s_y = 0$$

$$r = R(x+y) \quad s = S(x-y)$$

$$\text{so } r = x+y, \quad s = x-y$$

this goes from  $u_x x - u_y y = 0 \rightarrow u_s = 0$

to go the other way

$$x = \frac{r+s}{2}, \quad y = \frac{r-s}{2}$$

but the division by 2 really doesn't matter as it puts a factor into the eq<sup>n</sup> that can be cancelled. So can we get to the change of variables right away? Yes!

Recall if we have  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

if  $b^2 - 4ac \geq 0$  then  $\uparrow$  has 2 factors. Can

use quadratic formula

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad \text{so the } \pm \text{ separates}$$

just like  $x, y = \frac{r \pm s}{2}$

this is how we find the change of variable

$$\text{ex } U_{xx} - 3U_{xy} + 2U_{yy} = 0$$

$$r_x^2 - 3r_x r_y + 2r_y^2 = 0$$

Note:  $r_y \neq 0$  because if so  $r_x = 0$  &  $r = \text{const}$

then  $\left(\frac{r_x}{r_y}\right)^2 - 3\frac{r_x}{r_y} + 2 = 0$  quadratic in  $\frac{r_x}{r_y}$

$$\frac{r_x}{r_y} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot 2}}{2} = \frac{3 \pm 1}{2}$$

Now follow the +/- through

$$2r_x = (3 \pm 1)r_y$$

$$2r_x - (3 \pm 1)r_y = 0$$

$$\text{Mofc } \frac{dx}{2} = \frac{dy}{-(3 \pm 1)}; dr = 0 \quad (3 \pm 1)dx = -2dy$$

$$(3 \pm 1)x + 2y = c_1 \quad c_2 = r$$

$$r = R(3 \pm 1)x + 2y$$

$$= R(3x + 2y \pm x)$$

Pick  $r = 3x + 2y$ ,  $s = x$  (or vice versa if you wish)

$$U_{xx} = 9U_{rr} + 6U_{rs} + U_{ss}$$

$$U_{xy} = 6U_{rs} + 2U_{ss}$$

$$U_{yy} = 4U_{rr}$$

sub  $U_{xx} - 3U_{xy} + 2U_{yy} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 9U_{rr} + 6U_{rs} + U_{ss}$$

$$- 3(6U_{rs} + 2U_{ss})$$

$$+ 2 \cdot 4U_{rr} = 0$$

$$(9 - 18 + 8)U_{rr} + U_{ss} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -U_{rr} + U_{ss} = 0 \quad \text{target form}$$

$$\text{Ex 2} \quad x^2 u_{xx} - xy u_{xy} - 2y^2 u_{yy} = 1 \quad (\text{note the 1})$$

This is hyperbolic  $\because b^2 - 4ac > 0$

$$x^2 r_x^2 - xy r_x r_y - 2y^2 r_y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \left(\frac{r_x}{r_y}\right)^2 - xy \frac{r_x}{r_y} - 2y^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{r_x}{r_y} = \frac{xy \pm \sqrt{x^2 y^2 + 8x^2 y^2}}{2x^2}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{r_x}{r_y} = \frac{xy \pm 3xy}{2x^2} = \frac{(1 \pm 3)y}{2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x dx - (1 \pm 3)y r_y = 0 \text{ so } \frac{dx}{2x} = \frac{-dy}{(1 \pm 3)y}; dr = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 \pm 3) \frac{dx}{x} = -2 \frac{dy}{y} \Rightarrow (1 \pm 3) \ln x + 2 \ln y = c_1, \quad c_2 = r$$

$$\Rightarrow r = R (\ln x + 2 \ln y \pm 3 \ln x)$$

Pick  $r = 3 \ln x, \quad s = \ln x + 2 \ln y$

$$\text{so } u_{xx} = \frac{9 u_{rr}}{x^2} + \frac{6 u_{rs}}{x^2} + \frac{u_{ss}}{x^2} - \frac{3 u_r}{x^2} - \frac{u_s}{x^2}$$

$$u_{xy} = \frac{6 u_{rs}}{xy} + \frac{2 u_{ss}}{xy}$$

$$u_{yy} = \frac{4 u_{ss}}{y^2} - \frac{2 u_s}{y^2}$$

$$\text{PDE} \quad x^2 u_{xx} - xy u_{xy} - 2y^2 u_{yy} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 U_{rr} + 6 U_{rs} + U_{ss} - 3 U_r - U_s \\ - 6 U_{rs} - 2 U_{ss} - 8 U_{ss} + 4 U_s = 1$$

$$9 U_{rr} - 9 U_{ss} - 3 U_r + 3 U_s = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow U_{rr} - U_{ss} - \frac{1}{3} U_r + \frac{1}{3} U_s = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\text{OR} \quad U_{ss} - U_{rr} + \frac{1}{3} U_r - \frac{1}{3} U_s = -\frac{1}{9}$$

either of  
these  
are  
fine!

Next class - will target

$$u_{rr} - u_{ss} + (1/3) = 0$$