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① $u_t + u u_x = 0 \quad (-\infty < x < \infty, t > 0)$

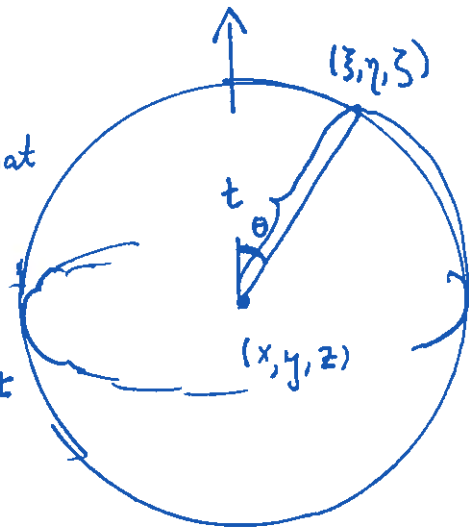
Answer: $u(x, t) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ \frac{x}{t+1}, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad (t > 0)$

No shock!

② See the book!

⑤ Kirchhoff's formula yields that $u(x, y, z, t)$ is the time derivative

of
$$\frac{1}{4\pi t} \iint_{S_t(x, y, z)} (\xi^2 + \eta^2) dS_t$$



$$= \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\varphi=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\theta=0}^{\pi} [(x + t \sin\theta \cos\varphi)^2 + (y + t \sin\theta \sin\varphi)^2] t^2 \sin\theta d\theta d\varphi$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi t} \left\{ (x^2 + y^2) 4\pi t^2 + t^4 \cdot \underbrace{\int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^3\theta d\theta d\varphi}_{2\pi \cdot \frac{4}{3}} \right\}$$

$$= t(x^2 + y^2) + \frac{2}{3} t^3,$$

$$u(x, y, z, t) = \underline{x^2 + y^2 + 2t^2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \Sigma(t) = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_{\Omega} (u_t^2 + |\nabla u|^2) dx dy dz$$

(Here I write $c = 1$.)

$$\Sigma'(t) = \iiint_{\Omega} (u_t u_{tt} + \nabla u \cdot \nabla u_t) dx dy dz$$

Since $u(x, t) \equiv 0$ when $x \in \partial\Omega$, also

$$u_t(x, t) = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(x, t + \Delta t) - u(x, t)}{\Delta t} = 0 \text{ for } x \in \partial\Omega.$$

$$0 = \oiint_{\partial\Omega} u_t \nabla u \cdot \vec{n} dS \stackrel{\text{GAUSS}}{=} \iiint_{\Omega} \nabla \cdot (u_t \nabla u) dx dy dz$$

$$= \iiint_{\Omega} (u_t \Delta u + \nabla u \cdot \nabla u_t) dx dy dz$$

$$\Sigma'(t) = \iiint_{\Omega} u_t \underbrace{(u_{tt} - \Delta u)}_{= -u_t} dx dy dz$$

by the eqn. $u_{tt} - \Delta u + u_t = 0$

$$= - \iiint_{\Omega} u_t^2 dx dy dz \leq 0,$$

since the square $u_t^2 \geq 0$.

$$(4) \quad \Delta u = u(u-1)(u+1), \quad u \in C^2(\bar{\Omega})$$

ANTITHESIS: $u(x_0) > 1$ at some point $x_0 \in \Omega$. Let $D \subset \Omega$ denote the domain in which $u(x) > 1$ and which contains x_0 .

On the boundary ∂D , we have $u = 1$.

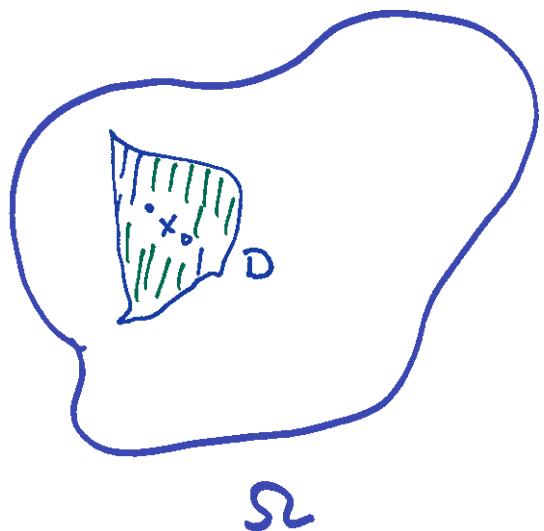
In D

$$\Delta u = u(u^2 - 1) > 0.$$

Thus u is subharmonic in D and has an interior maximum at x_0 , which violates the maximum principle. (Indeed, it is necessary that $\Delta u(x_0) \leq 0$.)

The boundary values $u = 1/2$ on $\partial\Omega$ are needed to conclude that D is strictly comprised in Ω . In other words, $\partial D \cap \partial\Omega$ is empty.

Remark: It is essential that $u \leq 1$ on the boundary $\partial\Omega$. (It was $= 1/2$.)



$$(6) \quad I(v) = \iint_{\Omega} \left(e^x \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right)^2 + 2 \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right)^2 \right) dx dy.$$

$$I_0 = \inf_v I(v), \quad v - f \in W_0^{1,2}(\Omega)$$

$$0 \leq I_0 \leq I(f) < \infty. \quad \text{Choose a}$$

minimizing sequence v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots such that

$$I_0 = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} I(v_k), \quad I(v_k) < I_0 + 1.$$

Then

$$\iint_{\Omega} |\nabla v_k|^2 dx dy \stackrel{e^x \geq 1}{\leq} I(v_k) < I_0 + 1 \quad (k=1, 2, 3, \dots)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \|v_k\|_{L^2(\Omega)} &\leq \|v_k - f\|_{L^2(\Omega)} + \|f\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \\ &\stackrel{\text{POINCARÉ}}{\leq} C_\Omega \|\nabla(v_k - f)\|_{L^2(\Omega)} + \|f\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \\ &\leq C_\Omega (\|\nabla v_k\|_{L^2(\Omega)} + \|\nabla f\|_{L^2(\Omega)}) + \|f\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \\ &\leq C_\Omega (\sqrt{I_0 + 1} + \|\nabla f\|_{L^2(\Omega)}) + \|f\|_{L^2(\Omega)} \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\|v_k\|_{W^{1,2}(\Omega)} \leq M \quad (k=1, 2, 3, \dots)$$

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By weak compactness, there exists a function

$u \in W^{1,p}(Q)$ such that

$\nabla v_{k_j} \rightharpoonup \nabla u$, $v_{k_j} \rightharpoonup u$ weakly in $L^2(Q)$
at least for a subsequence. Since $v_k - f$
 $\in W_0^{1,2}(Q)$, so does $u - f$ (the Sobolev
space $W_0^{1,2}(Q)$ is closed under weak convergence.)
By weak lower semicontinuity

$$\underline{I}(u) \leq \liminf \underline{I}(v_{k_j}) = \underline{I}_0.$$

Hence u is a minimizer.

The Euler-Lagrange equation is

$$\iint \left(e^x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial x} + 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial y} \right) dx dy = 0$$

Euler-Lagrange (weak form). for all $\eta \in C_0^\infty(Q)$

It follows that

$$\iint \left[\eta \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(e^x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) \right) \right] dx dy = 0$$

for all $\eta \in C_0^\infty(Q)$. By the variational lemma

Euler-
Lagrange

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(e^x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = 0$$