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DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Faculty Name : **Dr.M.Subramanian,** Academic Year : **2024-2025 (Odd)**
Prof & Head/ Aerospace
Year & Branch : **III Aerospace** Semester : **V**
Course : **19ASB302 – Finite Element Method for Aerospace**
Unit:

The differential equation of a physical phenomenon
 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 4x$ $0 \leq x \leq 1$. Trial functions i) $y = a_1x(x-1)$
ii) $y = a_1x(x-1) + x$, the boundary conditions are
 $y(0) = y(1) = 1$. One term approximate solution
by galerkin's method of weighted residue.

Solution:-

Verify boundary condition.

$$y = a_1x(x-1)$$

$$y(0) = a_1(0)(0-1)$$

$$= 0$$

$$y(1) = a_1(1)(1-1)$$

$$= 0$$

Here the boundary conditions are not homogeneous
so we assume a trial function as

$$y = a_1x(x-1) + x$$

$$y(0) = a_1(x^2 - x) + x$$

$$= a_1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$y(0) = 0$$

$$y(1) = a_1(1)(1-1) + 1$$

$$= 1$$

Residual

$$y = a_1x(x-1) + x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = a_1(x^2 - x) + x$$

$$= a_1(2x-1) + 1$$

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$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = a_1(x)$$
$$= 2a_1$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 4x$$

$$2a_1 + y = 4x \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Sub the y value in $\textcircled{1}$.

$$2a_1 + a_1x(x-1) + x = 4x$$

$$2a_1 + a_1x^2 - a_1x + x = 4x$$

$$2a_1 + a_1x^2 - a_1x + x - 4x = R(x)$$

Galerkin's Method

$$\int \omega_i R(x) dx = 0$$

$$y = a_1x(x-1) + x.$$

$$= a_1\omega_i + x$$

$$\omega_i = x(x-1).$$

$$\int_0^1 x(x-1) [2a_1 + a_1x^2 - a_1x + x - 4x] dx = 0.$$

$$\int_0^1 x(x-1) [2a_1 + a_1x^2 - a_1x - 3x] dx = 0$$

$$\int_0^1 [2a_1x^2 + a_1x^4 - a_1x^3 - 3x^3 - 2a_1x - a_1x^3 + a_1x^2 + 3x^2] dx = 0.$$

$$2a_1 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 + a_1 \left[\frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^1 - a_1 \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^1 - 3 \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^1$$

$$- 2 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1 - a_1 \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^1 + a_1 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 + 3 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = 0. \quad \frac{2}{3}$$



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$$\frac{2a_1}{3} + \frac{a_1}{5} - \frac{a_1}{4} - \frac{3}{4} - \frac{2a_1}{2} - \frac{a_1}{4} + \frac{a_1}{3} + \frac{3}{3} = 0.$$

$$0.666a_1 + 0.2a_1 - 0.25a_1 - 0.75 - a_1 - 0.25a_1 + 0.333a_1 + 1 = 0.$$

$$-0.301a_1 = -0.25$$

$$a_1 = 0.830$$

$$y = 0.830x(x-1) + x$$

$$= 0.830x^2 - 0.830x + x$$

$$= 0.830x^2 + 0.17x.$$