

$\begin{cases} \Delta u = f \text{ on } \Omega \\ u|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{weak solutions}$

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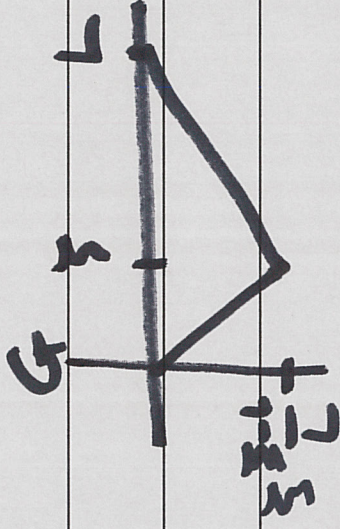
$$f \in L^2$$

$$u \in W^{1,2}$$

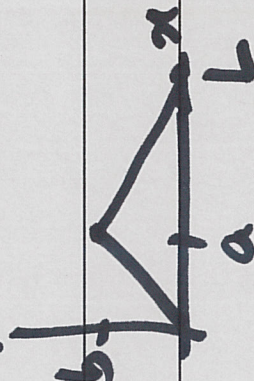
$$\text{ID } \begin{cases} u'' = f \text{ on } [0,1] \\ u(0) = u(1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$G(x, \xi) = \begin{cases} \frac{\xi-L}{L} x, & 0 \leq x \leq \xi \\ \frac{\xi}{L}(x-L), & \xi \leq x \leq L \end{cases}$$



$$T(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{b}{a} x, & 0 \leq x \leq a \\ \frac{b}{a-L}(x-L), & a \leq x \leq L \end{cases}$$

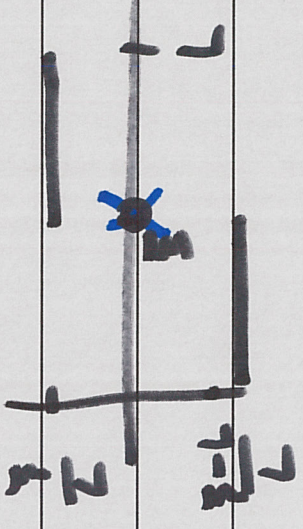


Weak Derivatives

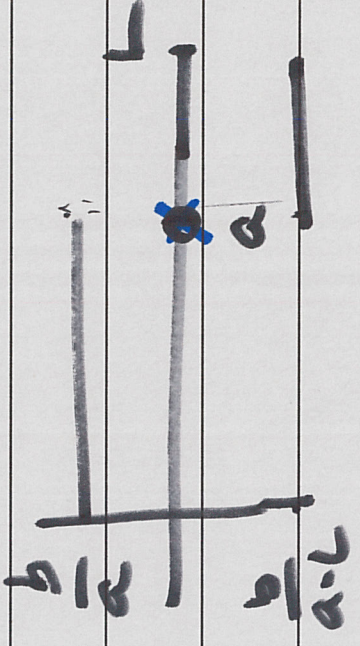
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$Gx$

$$Gx = \begin{cases} \frac{x-L}{L}, & 0 \leq x < \frac{L}{2} \\ \frac{x-L}{L}, & \frac{L}{2} \leq x < L \end{cases}$$



$$T' = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{a}, & 0 \leq x < a \\ \frac{b-x}{b-a}, & a \leq x \leq L \end{cases}$$



$$- \int_0^L G(x, \xi) \phi'(x) dx = \int_0^L G(x, \xi) \phi(x) dx \quad \forall \phi \in C_c^\infty(0, L)$$

$$- \int_0^L T(x) \phi'(x) dx = \int_0^L T(x) \phi(x) dx \quad \forall \phi \in C_c^\infty(0, L)$$

Weak Derivatives.

# Functional Representation of Functions

"operator version" "distribution version"

$$\mathcal{D}' = \mathcal{L}'(C_c^\infty(\mathcal{U})) = [C_c^\infty(\mathcal{U})]^*$$

↑ continuous and linear functionals

↑ dual space.

Functions     $G$      $T$      $G_x$      $T'$

operator version     $\phi \mapsto \int G\phi$   
 $(\phi) \mapsto \int_{(0,1)}$

$\phi \mapsto \int T\phi$   
 $(\phi) \mapsto \int_{(0,1)}$

$\phi \mapsto \int_{(0,1)} G_x \phi = - \int_{(0,1)} G \phi'$

$f, \phi \mapsto \int f\phi$  functional representation of  $f$

③

$G_x$  and  $T'$  do not make sense classically.

$G_x$  and  $T'$  do make sense weakly (as weak derivatives)

$G_{xx}$  and  $T''$  do not make sense even weakly.

But They do make sense distributionally

$$\phi \mapsto \int_{(0,1)} G \phi'' \leftarrow \text{something in } \mathcal{D}'$$

~~$$\phi \mapsto \int_{(0,1)} G_{xx} \phi$$~~

$$\phi \mapsto - \int_{(0,1)} G_x \phi'$$

④  
All distributions are differentiable

$L : C_c^\infty(\mathcal{U}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is any distribution in  $\mathcal{D}'$

There is another distribution defined by

$$L'[\phi] = -L[\phi']$$

Is this linear?  $L' : C_c^\infty(\mathcal{U}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

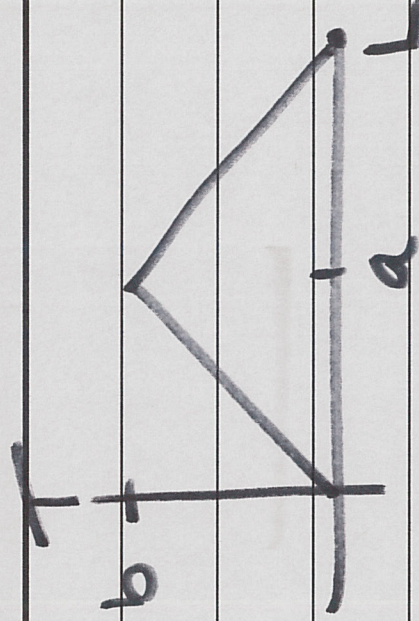
$L'$

$$\begin{aligned} L'[a\phi + b\psi] &= -L[a\phi' + b\psi'] \\ &= -aL[\phi'] - bL[\psi'] \\ &= aL'\phi + bL'\psi. \end{aligned}$$

cts?

linear! ✓

$T''$



$$L[\phi] = \int T\phi''$$

$$= - \int T'\phi' \quad (T' \text{ is a weak derivative})$$

$$= - \int_0^a \frac{b}{a} \phi' dx - \int_a^L \frac{b}{a-L} \phi' dx$$

$$= - \frac{b}{a} \phi(a) + \frac{b}{a-L} \phi(a)$$

$$= - \left( \frac{b}{a} - \frac{b}{a-L} \right) \phi(a)$$

$L$  is a multiple of the evaluation functional in  $\mathcal{D}'$

⑥  $\phi \mapsto \phi(a) \leftarrow$  continuous linear functional

- types (
- evaluation functional
  - Dirac Delta functional
  - Dirac measure

$$\delta_a[\phi] = \phi(a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{linear: } \delta_a[\alpha\phi + \beta\psi] &= \alpha\phi(a) + \beta\psi(a) \checkmark \\ &= \alpha\delta_a[\phi] + \beta\delta_a[\psi]. \end{aligned}$$

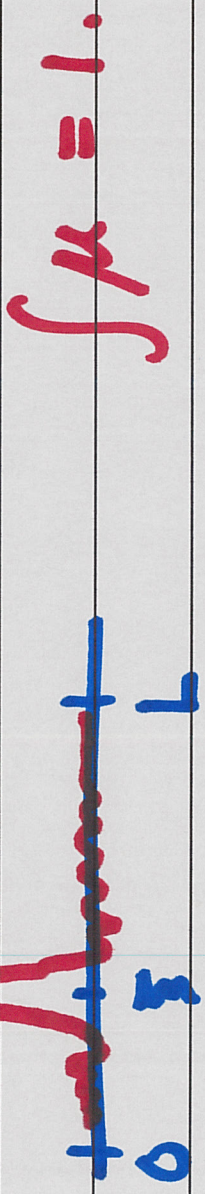
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$$L[\phi] =$$

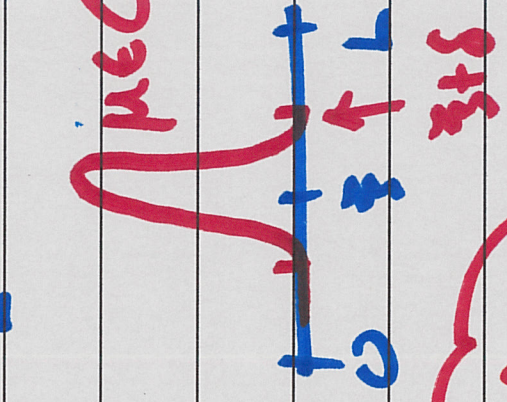
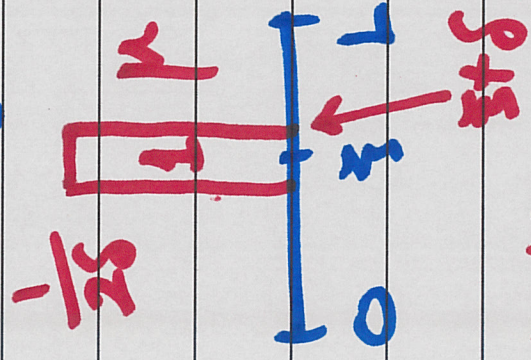
What does this mean?

$\delta_{\xi} \leftarrow$  distribution (no corresponding function)

" $\mu$  supp  $\mu$  concentrated at  $\xi$ ."



$$\int \mu = 1.$$

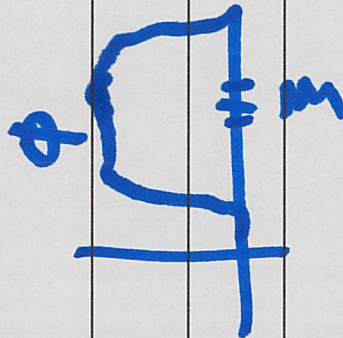


supp  $\mu \subseteq (\xi - \delta, \xi + \delta)$ ,  $\mu \geq 0$   
 $\int \mu = 1.$

distrib.  $\phi \mapsto \int \mu \phi$



$$\int_0^L \mu \phi \, dx = \int_{x-\delta}^{x+\delta} \frac{1}{2\delta} \phi(x) \, dx$$



What happens as  $\delta \gg 0$

Good (Wrong) answer:  $\infty$  ✓

$$\frac{1}{2\delta} \int_{x-\delta}^{x+\delta} \phi(x) \, dx \xrightarrow{\delta \gg 0} \phi(x)$$

What is this?

Ans.: The average value of  $\phi$   
on  $[x-\delta, x+\delta]$