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Hyperbolic Equation :

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(i) Wave Equation: $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ $0 \leq x \leq l$
 $t \geq 0$

$$\frac{1}{k^2} (U_{i,j-1} - 2U_{i,j} + U_{i,j+1}) = \frac{1}{h^2} (U_{i-1,j} - 2U_{i,j} + U_{i+1,j})$$

where $x = i \cdot h$ ($i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$)

$t = j \cdot k$ ($j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$)

Let $\alpha = \frac{k}{h} \Rightarrow$

$$U_{i,j+1} = \alpha^2 (U_{i-1,j} + U_{i+1,j}) + 2(1 - \alpha^2) U_{i,j} - U_{i,j-1}$$

This equation is conditionally stable at $\alpha \leq 1.0$

Ex | The transverse displacement (u) of a point at a distance (x) from any end at any time (t) of a vibrating string satisfies the equation :

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1, \quad t \geq 0$$

With the B.C's :

$$u = 0 \quad \text{at} \quad x = 0, \quad t \geq 0$$

$$u = 0 \quad \text{at} \quad x = 1, \quad t \geq 0$$

with the I.C's :

$$u = \frac{1}{2} x (1-x) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 0 \quad \text{at} \quad t = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

Solve the above equation for $(0 \leq x \leq 1.0, 0 \leq t \leq 0.4)$ with $h = k = 0.1$?

Initially the values will be as follows:

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X	0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0
$u = \frac{1}{2}x(1-x)$	0	0.045	0.08	0.105	0.12	0.1	0.08	0.05	0.02	0.005	0

For other j 's use the previous equations $j=0 \rightarrow j=4$

