

Analytic Method for Solution the Heat Equation

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Abstract: In this paper an efficient modification of Adomian decomposition method is introduced for solving heat equation. Tested for some examples and the obtained results demonstrate efficiency of the proposed method. The results were presented in tables and figure using the MathCAD 12 and Matlab software package.

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I. Introduction

Adomian decomposition method can solve large classes of linear and nonlinear differential equations and it is much simpler in computation and quicker in convergence than any other method available in the open literature [1,2]. A variety of modifications to Adomian decomposition method have been reported. Wazwaz presented a strong modification of ADM that accelerates the rapid convergence of the series solution [3, 4]. E. Babolian *et al.* introduced the restart method to solve the equation $f(x) = 0$ [5], and the integral equations [6]. H. Jafari *et al.* used a correction of decomposition method for ordinary and nonlinear systems of equations and show that the correction accelerates the convergence [7, 8].

In this paper, we present computationally efficient numerical method for solving the heat equation:

$$D_t u(x, t) = D_{xx} u(x, t) + q(x, t) \quad (1)$$

$$u(x, 0) = f(x), 0 \leq x \leq 1 \quad (2)$$

$$u(0, t) = \int_0^1 \phi(x, t) u(x, t) dx + g_1(t), 0 < t \leq T \quad (3)$$

$$u(1, t) = \int_0^1 \psi(x, t) u(x, t) dx + g_2(t), 0 < t \leq T \quad (4)$$

Where f, g_1, g_2, ϕ, ψ and q are known functions, T is given constant.

II. Solution Heat Equation by Modified Adomian's Decomposition Method

In this section, we will discuss the use of the MDM for the solution of heat equation with nonlocal boundary conditions given in (1). In this method we assume that

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n(x, t)$$

Can be rewritten Equation (1):

$$L_t u(x, t) = L_{xx} u(x, t) + q(x, t) \quad (5)$$

Where

$$L_t(\cdot) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\cdot)$$

and

$$L_{xx} = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2},$$

The inverse L^{-1} is assumed an integral operator given by

$$L^{-1} = \int_0^t (\cdot) dt \tag{6}$$

Take the operator L^{-1} on both sides of Equation (5) we have

$$L^{-1}(L_t u(x,t)) = L^{-1}(L_{xx}(u(x,t))) + L^{-1}(q(x,t))$$

Therefore, we can write,

$$u(x,t) = u(x,0) + L_t^{-1} \left(L_{xx} \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n \right) \right) + L^{-1}(q(x,t)) \tag{7}$$

The modified decomposition method was introduced by Wazwaz [11]. This method is based on the assumption that the function $H(x)$ can be divided into two parts, namely $H_1(x)$ and $H_2(x)$. Under this assumption we set

$$H(x) = H_1(x) + H_2(x)$$

Then the modification

$$u_0 = H_1$$

$$u_1 = H_2 + L_t^{-1}(L_{xx}u_0)$$

$$u_{n+1} = L_t^{-1} \left(L_{xx} \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n \right) \right), n > 1$$

III. Numerical Illustration

In this paper, we will apply the numerical method to solve heat equation.

Example 1:

Consider heat equation with nonlocal boundary conditions for the equation (1), as taken in [9]:

$$D_t u(x,t) = D_x^2 u(x,t) + \frac{-2(x^2 + t + 1)}{(t + 1)^3}$$

$$u(x,0) = x^2, 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$u(0,t) = \int_0^1 x u(x,t) dx + \frac{1}{4(t+1)^2}, 0 < t \leq 1$$

$$u(1,t) = \int_0^1 x u(x,t) dx + \frac{3}{4(t+1)^2}, 0 < t \leq 1$$

We apply the above proposed method; we obtain:

$$u_0(x,t) = \left(\frac{x}{t+1} \right)^2$$

$$u_1(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_2(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_3(x,t) = 0$$

Then the series form is given by:

$$u(x,t) = u_0(x,t) + u_1(x,t) + u_2(x,t) + u_3(x,t)$$

$$= \left(\frac{x}{t+1} \right)^2$$

This is the exact solution $u(x, t) = \left(\frac{x}{t+1} \right)^2$.

Table 1 shows some of the analytical solutions for heat equation obtained for different values and comparison between exact solution and analytical solution, the plot of the exact solution surface is shown in Figure 1 and Figure 2 is shown the numerical solution surface for heat equation.

Table1. Some of comparison between exact solution and analytical solution
For example 1

x	t	Exact Solution	Modified Adomian Decomposition Method	$ u_{ex}-u_{MADM} $
0	1	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
0.1	1	0.0025	0.0025	0.0000
0.2	1	0.0100	0.0100	0.0000
0.3	1	0.0230	0.0230	0.0000
0.4	1	0.0400	0.0400	0.0000
0.5	1	0.0630	0.0630	0.0000
0.6	1	0.0900	0.0900	0.0000
0.7	1	0.1230	0.1230	0.0000
0.8	1	0.1600	0.1600	0.0000
0.9	1	0.2030	0.2030	0.0000
1	1	0.2500	0.2500	0.0000

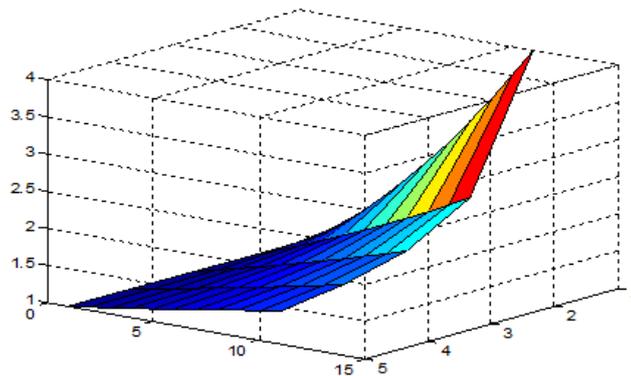


Fig. 1: Exact solution

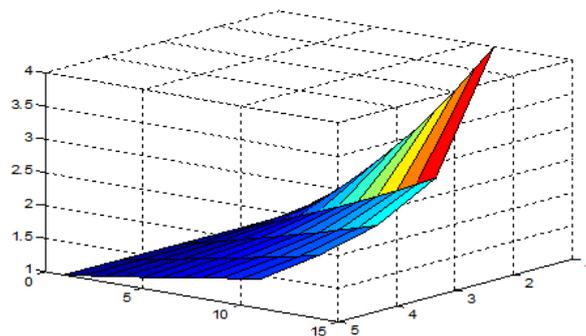


Fig. 2: Numerical solution

Example 2:

Consider the problem (1) with the following conditions, as taken in [9]:

$$D_t u(x, t) = D_x^2 u(x, t)$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0.5x^2, 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$u(1,t) = 1, 0 < t < T$$

$$\int_0^b u(x,t) dx = m(t) = 0.75t + \frac{1}{6}(0.75)^3$$

where $b \in [0,1]$.

Now after modified decomposition method, we obtain:

$$u_0(x,t) = 0.5x^2 + t$$

$$u_1(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_2(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_3(x,t) = 0$$

Then the series form is given by:

$$u(x,t) = u_0(x,t) + u_1(x,t) + u_2(x,t) + u_3(x,t) = 0.5x^2 + t$$

Which gives the exact solution $u(x,t) = 0.5x^2 + t$.

Table 2 shows part the analytical solutions for heat equation obtained for different values and comparison between exact solution and analytical solution. Figure 3 and Figure 4 show the plot of the exact and the numerical solution surface for heat equation respective

Table2. Some of comparison between exact solution and analytical solution For example 2 when $t=1,2$

x	t	Exact Solution	Modified Adomian Decomposition Method	$ u_{ex}-u_{MADM} $
0	1	1.020	1.020	0.000
0.1	1	1.005	1.005	0.000
0.2	1	1.020	1.020	0.000
0.3	1	1.045	1.045	0.000
0.4	1	1.080	1.080	0.000
0.5	1	1.125	1.125	0.000
0.6	1	1.180	1.180	0.000
0.7	1	1.245	1.245	0.000
0.8	1	1.320	1.320	0.000
0.9	1	1.405	1.405	0.000
1	1	1.500	1.500	0.000
0	2	0.000	0.000	0.000
0.1	2	2.005	2.005	0.000
0.2	2	2.020	2.020	0.000
0.3	2	2.045	2.045	0.000
0.4	2	2.080	2.080	0.000
0.5	2	2.125	2.125	0.000
0.6	2	2.180	2.180	0.000
0.7	2	2.245	2.245	0.000
0.8	2	2.320	2.320	0.000
0.9	2	2.405	2.405	0.000
1	2	2.500	2.500	0.000

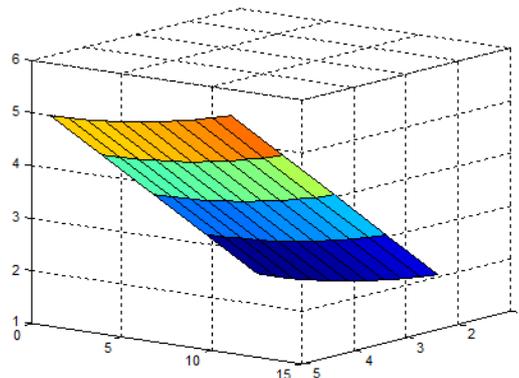


Fig. 3: Exact solution

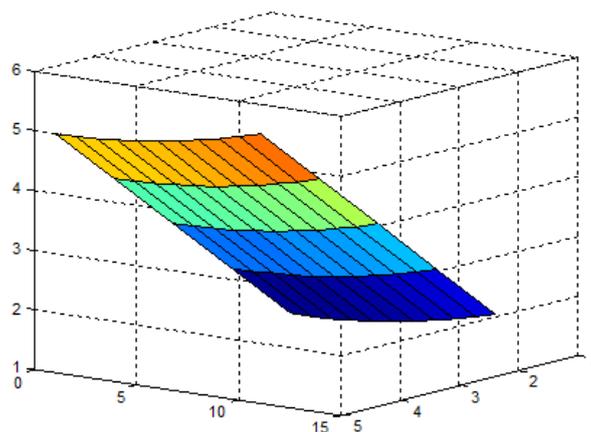


Fig. 4: Numerical solution

Example 3:

Consider the problem (1) with the following boundary and initial conditions, as taken in [9]

$$D_t u(x,t) = D_x^2 u(x,t) - 30x^4 + 6t^5$$

$$u(x,0) = x^6, 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$u(0,t) = \int_0^1 0.2u(x,t)dx + \frac{4}{5}t^6 - \frac{1}{35}, 0 < t \leq T$$

$$u(1,t) = \int_0^1 0.4u(x,t)dx + \frac{3}{5}t^6 + \frac{33}{35}, 0 < t \leq T$$

Now we apply the above modified decomposition method, we obtain:

$$u_0(x,t) = x^6 + t^6$$

$$u_1(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_2(x,t) = 0$$

$$u_3(x,t) = 0$$

Then the series form is given by:

$$u(x,t) = u_0(x,t) + u_1(x,t) + u_2(x,t) + u_3(x,t) \\ = x^6 + t^6$$

This is the exact solution $u(x,t) = x^6 + t^6$.

Table 3 shows some the analytical solutions for heat equation obtained for different values and comparison between exact solution and analytical solution. Figure 5 and Figure 6 show the plot of the exact solution surface and the numerical solution surface for heat equation respectively.

Table3. Some of comparison between exact solution and analytical solution
For example 3 when t=1,2,3

x	t	Exact Solution	Modified Adomian Decomposition Method	$ u_{ex}-u_{MADM} $
0	1	0.00000	0.00000	0.0000
0.1	1	1.00000	1.00000	0.0000
0.2	1	1.00000	1.00000	0.0000
0.3	1	1.00100	1.00100	0.0000
0.4	1	1.00400	1.00400	0.0000
0.5	1	1.01600	1.01600	0.0000
0.6	1	1.04700	1.04700	0.0000
0.7	1	1.11800	1.11800	0.0000
0.8	1	1.26200	1.26200	0.0000
0.9	1	1.53100	1.53100	0.0000
1	1	2.00000	2.00000	0.0000
0	2	0.00000	0.00000	0.0000

0.1	2	64.0000	64.0000	0.0000
0.2	2	64.0000	64.0000	0.0000
0.3	2	64.0010	64.0010	0.0000
0.4	2	64.0040	64.0040	0.0000
0.5	2	64.0160	64.0160	0.0000
0.6	2	64.0470	64.0470	0.0000
0.7	2	64.1180	64.1180	0.0000
0.8	2	64.2620	64.2620	0.0000
0.9	2	64.5310	64.5310	0.0000
1	3	65.0000	65.0000	0.0000
0	3	0.00000	0.00000	0.0000
0.1	3	729.000	729.000	0.0000
0.2	3	729.000	729.000	0.0000
0.3	3	729.001	729.001	0.0000
0.4	3	729.004	729.004	0.0000
0.5	3	729.016	729.016	0.0000
0.6	3	729.047	729.047	0.0000
0.7	3	729.118	729.118	0.0000
0.8	3	729.262	729.262	0.0000
0.9	3	729.531	729.531	0.0000
1	3	730.000	730.000	0.0000

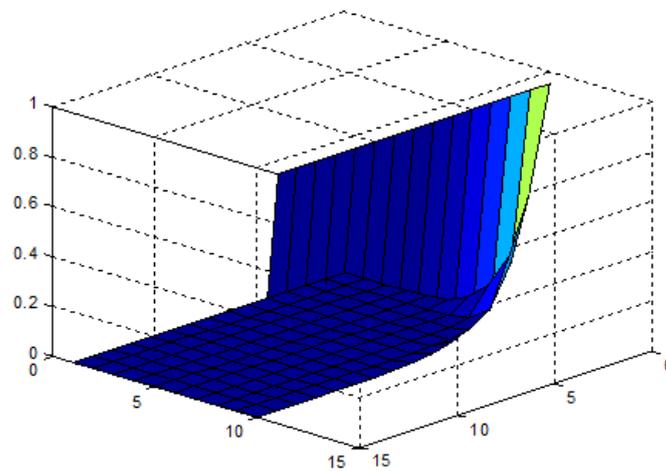


Fig. 5: Exact solution

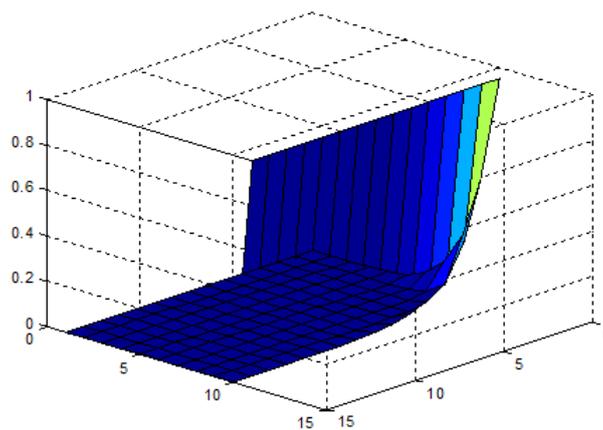


Fig. 6: Numerical solution

IV. Conclusion

In this paper, we have applied the modified decomposition method for the solution of the heat equation with nonlocal boundary conditions. This algorithm is simple and easy to implement. The obtained results confirmed a good accuracy of the method. On the other hand, the calculations are simpler and faster than in traditional techniques

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