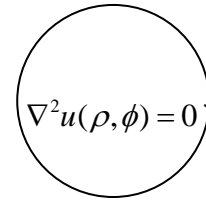


Please resolve the solution $\nabla^2 u(\rho, \phi) = 0, u(1, \phi) = \cos(2\phi)$ using MFS

Odd number:

$$u(x_i) = \sum_{j=1} U(s_j, x_i) \varphi_j(s_j), x \in D$$



$$u(1, \phi) = \cos(2\phi)$$

Even number:

$$u(x_i) = \sum_{j=1} T(s_j, x_i) \phi_j(s_j), x \in D$$

Some discussions:

- (1) Number of points ?
- (2) Location of fictitious boundary ?
- (3) Direction of dipole (radial or angular) ?

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