

# INVERSE HEAT CONDUCTION Ill-posed Problems

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Heat conduction Matlab function for the X22B(y-t1)0Y22B00T0 case using a piecewise-uniform approximation (pua): **fdX22By\_t10Y22B00T0\_pua.m**

## Syntax

```
fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(xd, yd, Wd, td, p, A, N)
```

## Description

`fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(xd, yd, Wd, td, p, A, N)` returns the dimensionless temperature  $Td$  at a given dimensionless location  $(xd, yd)$  with  $xd$  between 0 and 1, and  $yd$  between 0 and  $Wd$ , and at a given dimensionless time  $td$ , when a space variation of the surface heat flux having  $p$  as an exponent (positive or negative) is applied. Also, it calls the `fdX22By1pt10Y22B00T0(xd, yd, Wd, td, W0d, A)` building block function that is computed with an accuracy of  $10^{-A}$  ( $A = 2, 3, \dots, 15$ ), while  $N$  indicates the number of space steps chosen up to the dimensionless width  $Wd$  of the rectangle.

If  $xd$ ,  $yd$  and  $td$  are not single values but arrays ( $\text{length}(xd) = m$ ,  $\text{length}(yd) = n$  and  $\text{length}(td) = p$ ) defining the dimensionless coordinates and times of interest, the above function returns the dimensionless temperature  $Td$  as a 3D subscripted array, where  $\text{size}(Td) = [m, n, p]$ .

## Examples

### Example 1

```
>> Td=fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(0, .5, 2, .5, 2, 5, 10)
```

```
Td =
```

```
0.466634272163739
```

### Example 2

```
>> Td=fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(0, .5, 2, .5, -2, 5, 10)
```

```
Td =  
14.212149465147677
```

### Example 3

```
>> xd=[0 1]'
```

```
xd =
```

```
0  
1
```

```
>> yd=[0 .5 1.5]'
```

```
yd =
```

```
0  
0.5000000000000000  
1.5000000000000000
```

```
>> td=[0.01 .1 1]'
```

```
td =
```

```
0.0100000000000000  
0.1000000000000000  
1.0000000000000000
```

```
>> Td=fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(xd,yd,2,td,2,5,10)
```

```
Td(:, :, 1) =
```

```
0.001438498644409    0.029105275210661    0.254779953447432  
0.0000000000000000    0.0000000000000007    -0.000000001072891 (*)
```

```
Td(:, :, 2) =
```

```
0.025288028187088    0.113941620521093    0.808782286117968  
0.001303166754874    0.003273229142652    0.017633713260029
```

```
Td(:, :, 3) =
```

```
0.812341891049201    1.038069426902592    2.481997054327778  
0.729047641273240    0.833322321430750    1.383268066282729
```

(\*) The negative numerical value of **-0.000000001072891** for the dimensionless temperature computed at  $x_d=1$ ,  $y_d=1.5$  and  $t_d=0.01$  seems to be physically not consistent as the temperature has to be always positive. However, it is right as it is consistent with the accuracy of  $A=5$  chosen for the building block. In other words, only five decimal places have to be considered in the above numerical value according to  $A=5$ . In fact, if  $A=15$  is chosen, it results in

```
>> Td=fdX22By_t10Y22B00T0_pua(xd,yd,2,td,2,15,10)
```

```
Td(:, :, 1) =
```

```
0.001438498659983    0.029105275210802    0.254779957432340
0.000000000000000    0.000000000000016    0.000000000000135
```

```
Td(:, :, 2) =
```

```
0.025288037917165    0.113941626797453    0.808782281775977
0.001303166687659    0.003273228024583    0.017633713823964
```

```
Td(:, :, 3) =
```

```
0.812341898832315    1.038069431669857    2.481997051509270
0.729047639250796    0.833322318795142    1.383268068360678
```