Letter to the Editor

Numerical Solution of an Equation Corresponding to Schumann Waves

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Abstract

We consider an one-dimensional Schumann wave equation proposed by Marciak-Kozlowska. Numerical solution of that equation was obtained with the help of Mathematica.

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Introduction

The measured frequencies of Schuman and brainwaves are nearly the same [1]. It is worthwhile to point out that both calculated curves give a rather good description of the measured frequencies of Schuman and brain waves [2-3].

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A hyperbolic equation for Schuman wave phenomena was formulated [4-5] where \( m \) is the mass of the neuron, \( \hbar \) is the Planck constant, \( V \) is potential and \( v \) is the velocity propagation of the Schumann wave in the brain.

Now we will obtain its numerical solution without having to recourse to Klein-Gordon equation as its approximation [4]. Instead, we will look for direct numerical solution and its plot using Mathematica 9 [6]:

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Concluding remarks
A direct numerical solution of master equation corresponding to Schumann wave has been presented. We hope this result may be useful for further studies on the connection between Schuman resonance, brainwaves and other related topics.

References


**Appendix: Mathematica code**

```mathematica
SetOptions[Plot, ImageSize -> 500, PlotRange -> All, PlotPoints -> nP*2, PlotStyle -> {Blue, Thickness[0.01]}]; {s = 1/100, nP = 100}
{nN = 3, l = 1, l1 = {0, 1, 2}}
f[u_] := 2*b*a/c^2; f[u]
eKG = D[u[x, t], {t, 2}]/a + D[u[x, t]/c, {t, 1}]/b - D[u[x, t], {x, 2}]/c + f[u] == 0
fIC1[f1_] := u[x, 0] == f1; fIC2[f2_] := D[u[x, t], t]/.t -> 0 == f2;
fBC1[c_, f1_] := (D[u[x, t], x]/.x -> c) == f1;
fBC2[d_, f2_] := (D[u[x, t], x]/.x -> d) == f2;
{fIC1[f1], fIC2[f2], fBC1[c, f1], fBC2[d, f2]};
params5 = {a -> 1, b -> 1, c -> 1, aN -> 1.5}; {c5 = 5, d5 = 5, fT5 = 4, xI5 = c5, xF5 = d5, fL5 = aN*(1 + Cos[2*Pi*x/d5]), fF5 = 0, f35 = 0, f45 = 0, eKG5 = N[eKG/.params5], ic5 = N[{fIC1[f15], fIC2[f25]}/.params5, bc5 = N[{fBC1[c5, f35], fBC2[d5, f45]}/.params5]}
sol5 = NDSolve[Flatten[{eKG5, ic5, bc5}], u, {x, xI5, xF5}, {t, 0, fF5}, MaxStepSize -> s, PrecisionGoal -> 2]
Do[g[i] = Plot[Evaluate[u[x, l2[i]]/.sol5], {x, xI5, xF5}, PlotRange -> All, PlotStyle -> {l1[i], Thickness[0.01]}], {i, 1, nN}]
Plot3D[Evaluate[u[x, t] /. sol5], {x, xI5, xF5}, {t, 0, fF5}, ColorFunction -> Function[{x, y}, Hue[x]], BoxRatios -> {1, 1, 1}, PlotRange -> All, PlotPoints -> {20, 20}, ImageSize -> 500]
Animate[Plot[Evaluate[u[x, t] /. sol5], {x, xI5, xF5}, PlotRange -> {-3, 3}], {t, 0, fF5}, AnimationRate -> 0.5]
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