

Chapter 12

1. (i) As in Section 12.1,

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= 2, \quad x(0) = x_0 \Rightarrow x = 2t + x_0 \Rightarrow x_0 = x - 2t \\ \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dt} &= t \Rightarrow u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + C \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) - \frac{1}{2}t^2 &= C = u(x_0, 0) = 1 - x_0 \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{2}t^2 + 1 - x_0 = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + 1 - (x - 2t) = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + 2t + 1 - x.\end{aligned}$$

(ii) Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= -3t^2, \quad x(0) = x_0 \Rightarrow x = -t^3 + x_0 \Rightarrow x_0 = x + t^3 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dt} &= 2 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = 2t + C \Rightarrow u(x, t) - 2t = C = u(x_0, 0) = x_0^3 \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) &= 2t + x_0^3 = 2t + (x + t^3)^3.\end{aligned}$$

(iii) We have

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= 2t + 1, \quad x(0) = x_0 \Rightarrow x = t^2 + t + x_0 \Rightarrow x_0 = x - t^2 - t \\ \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dt} &= 2u \Rightarrow u(x, t) = Ce^{2t} \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t)e^{-2t} &= C = u(x_0, 0) = \sin x_0 \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) &= e^{2t} \sin x_0 = e^{2t} \sin(x - t^2 - t).\end{aligned}$$

(iv) Here

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= -3, \quad x(0) = x_0 \Rightarrow x = -3t + x_0 \Rightarrow x_0 = x + 3t \\ \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dt} &= 1 - x = 1 + 3t - x_0 \Rightarrow u(t) = t + \frac{3}{2}t^2 - x_0t + C \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) - t - \frac{3}{2}t^2 + x_0t &= C = u(x_0, 0) = x_0^2 + 1 \\ \Rightarrow u(x, t) &= t + \frac{3}{2}t^2 - x_0t + x_0^2 + 1 = t + \frac{3}{2}t^2 - t(x + 3t) + (x + 3t)^2 + 1 \\ &= \frac{15}{2}t^2 + t + 1 + 5xt + x^2.\end{aligned}$$