

9.18 a. From 17. b,  $c_n = \frac{2}{n\pi kh} \int_0^l g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{2} dx$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi kh} \int_{x_0-\epsilon}^{x_0+\epsilon} \frac{\sin \frac{n\pi x}{2}}{2\epsilon} dx$$

$$= \frac{-2}{n\pi kh \epsilon} \left[ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}(x_0+\epsilon)\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}(x_0-\epsilon)\right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{-2}{n\pi kh \epsilon} \left[ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\epsilon\right) - \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\epsilon\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\epsilon\right) + \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\epsilon\right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{2\epsilon}{n\pi kh \epsilon} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\epsilon\right)$$

b. For small  $\epsilon$ ,

$$c_n \approx \frac{2\epsilon}{n\pi kh \epsilon} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}x_0\right) \frac{n\pi\epsilon}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi kh} \sin \frac{n\pi x_0}{2}$$

From 17. b,

$$T(x,y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-n\pi y/2} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi kh} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x_0}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) e^{-n\pi y/2}$$

c. Let the above  $\uparrow \equiv V(x,y;x_0)$ . Expanding the solution to 17. b,  $T(x,y) = \int_0^l dx \frac{2g(x)}{\pi kh} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) e^{-n\pi y/2} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right)$

Replacing the dummy variable  $x' \rightarrow x_0$  clearly yields

$$T(x,y) = \int_0^l dx_0 V(x,y;x_0) G(x_0)$$