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On schwarz-type boundary-value problems of polyanalytic equation on a triangle

Abstract. We will consider the Schwarz-type boundary-value problems (BVPs) of the polyanalytic equation on an isosceles orthogonal triangle. In contrast to [20], the expression of its unique solution is explicitly obtained by the different decomposition of polyanalytic functions.

1. Introduction

Various kinds of BVPs of partial differential equations (PDEs) have been solved by the Riemann-Hilbert technique [13], and BVPs of complex PDEs have been widely discussed by complex analytic methods, see for example [2–12, 14–19, 21]. The Schwarz-type BVP is one of a basic problem, which is closely connected with other type BVPs.

In [21], we have considered the Schwarz-type BVP of the nonhomogeneous Cauchy-Riemann equation on an isosceles orthogonal triangle with three vertices $0, 1, i$. Such an triangle domain is denoted as Δ. The following result is obtained by the technique of plane parqueting used in [7].

THEOREM 1.1 ([21])
The Schwarz-type BVP of the nonhomogeneous Cauchy-Riemann equation

$$\begin{cases} \partial_{\bar{z}} w(z) = f(z), & z \in \Delta,\ f \in L_p(\Delta;\mathbb{C}),\ p > 2, \\ [\operatorname{Re} w]^+(t) = \rho(t), & t \in \partial\Delta,\ \rho \in C(\partial\Delta;\mathbb{C}) \end{cases} \tag{1.1}$$

is solvable and its solution can be represented as

$$w(z) = S_\alpha[\rho](z) + A_\alpha[f](z) + i \operatorname{Im} w(\alpha), \qquad z \in \Delta, \tag{1.2}$$

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where $\alpha \in \Delta$ is a fixed constant and

$$\begin{cases} S_\alpha[\rho](z) = \dfrac{1}{\pi i}\displaystyle\int_{\partial\Delta} \rho(\zeta) \sum_{m,n} \Big[g_{m,n}(\zeta, z) - \frac{g_{m,n}(\zeta,\alpha) + g_{m,n}(\zeta,\overline{\alpha})}{2} \Big]\, d\zeta, \\ A_\alpha[f](z) = -\dfrac{1}{\pi}\displaystyle\int_{\Delta} \{ f(\zeta) G_\alpha(\zeta, z) - \overline{f(\zeta)} G_\alpha(\overline{\zeta}, z) \}\, d\xi\, d\eta, \end{cases} \qquad z \in \Delta \quad (1.3)$$

with

$$G_\alpha(\zeta, z) = \sum_{m,n} [g_{m,n}(\zeta, z) - g_{m,n}(\zeta, \alpha)] \tag{1.4}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} g_{m,n}(\zeta, z) = {} & \frac{1}{\zeta - z - 2m - 2ni} + \frac{1}{\zeta + iz - (2m+1) - (2n+1)i} \\ & + \frac{1}{\zeta - iz - (2m+1) - (2n-1)i} + \frac{1}{\zeta + z - (2m+2) - 2ni}, \end{aligned}$$

where the double series is uniformly convergent along the rectangles with center at the origin.

The following result is obtained by Heinrich Begehr and Tatyana Vaitekhovich [8].

Theorem 1.2 (Theorem 2 in [8])
The Schwarz problem

$$\begin{aligned} & \partial_{\bar z} w = f \ \text{in}\ \mathbb{D}^+, && f \in L_p(\mathbb{D}^+; \mathbb{C}),\ p > 2, \\ & \operatorname{Re} w = \gamma \ \text{on}\ \partial\mathbb{D}^+, && \gamma \in C(\partial\mathbb{D}^+; \mathbb{R}),\ \gamma(1) = \gamma(-1) = 0, \\ & \frac{1}{\pi}\int_0^\pi \operatorname{Im} w(e^{i\varphi})\, d\varphi = c, && c \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

is uniquely solvable by

$$\begin{aligned} w(z) = {} & \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|\zeta|=1,\, \operatorname{Im}\zeta > 0} \gamma(\zeta) \Big(\frac{\zeta + z}{\zeta - z} - \frac{\overline{\zeta} + z}{\overline{\zeta} - z} \Big) \frac{d\zeta}{\zeta} \\ & + \frac{1}{\pi i} \int_{-1}^{1} \gamma(t) \Big(\frac{1}{t - z} - \frac{z}{1 - zt} \Big)\, dt \\ & - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{D}^+} \Big\{ f(\zeta) \Big[\frac{1}{\zeta - z} - \frac{z}{1 - z\zeta} \Big] - \overline{f(\zeta)} \Big[\frac{1}{\overline{\zeta} - z} - \frac{z}{1 - z\overline{\zeta}} \Big] \Big\}\, d\xi\, d\eta \\ & + ic, \qquad z \in \mathbb{D}^+, \end{aligned} \tag{1.5}$$

where $\mathbb{D}^+$ is the upper half unit disc.

The solutions (1.2) and (1.5) consist of three parts: the linear integral, the area integral and the free term. For example, in (1.2), $S_\alpha[\rho](z)$ is the linear integral, $A_\alpha[f](z)$ is the area integral and $i\mathrm{Im}\, w(\alpha)$ is the free term. For the solution (1.5), the free term ic is determined by the function value on the half unit circumference. However, for the solution (1.2), the free term is determined by the function value at one point $\alpha \in \Delta$.

In [10], the Schwarz-type BVP of polyanlytic equation has been solved by the iteration. Basing on Theorem 1.1, we will investigate the Schwarz-type BVP of polyanalytic equation on the triangle domain Δ. Because of the distinction of free terms, the Schwarz-type BVPs of the polyanalytic equation in the triangle Δ are different from the corresponding BVPs in [20].

The properties of polyanalytic functions have been exposed in [1]. The decomposition of polyanalytic functions or polyharmonic functions plays very important role in solving BVPs of higher order PDEs, see for example [2, 11, 16–18]. In this article, we will make use of the special decomposition of polyanalytic functions to solve the Schwarz-type BVP of the polyanalytic equation in the triangle Δ, and the unique solution is explicitly obtained.

In what follows, α is always a fixed complex constant and $\alpha \in \Delta$, and the Cauchy-Riemann operator is

$$\partial_{\bar z} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} = \frac{1}{2}\Big(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i\frac{\partial}{\partial y}\Big).$$

2. Boundary behavior of the poly-Schwarz operator

Similarly to [20], we introduce the poly-Schwarz operator $S_{\alpha,n}$ on the triangle Δ as follows

$$\begin{aligned} &S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0, \rho_1, \dots, \rho_{n-1}](z) \\ &\quad = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(-1)^k}{k!} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int\limits_{\partial\Delta} (\zeta - z + \overline{\zeta - z})^k \rho_k(\zeta)[G_\alpha(\zeta, z) + G_{\bar\alpha}(\zeta, z)]\, d\zeta, \quad (2.1) \\ &\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad\qquad z \in \Delta, \end{aligned}$$

where G_α and $G_{\bar\alpha}$ are defined by (1.4), and kernel densities $\rho_0, \rho_1, \dots, \rho_{n-1} \in C(\partial\Delta; \mathbb{R})$. Obviously $S_{\alpha,0} = S_\alpha$, where S_α is the Schwarz-type operator defined in (1.3).

THEOREM 2.1
If $\rho_0, \rho_1, \dots, \rho_{n-1} \in C(\partial\Delta; \mathbb{R})$, then

$$\frac{\partial^n S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0, \rho_1, \dots, \rho_{n-1}]}{\partial \overline{z}^n}(z) = 0, \qquad z \in \Delta, \quad (2.2)$$

where the operator $S_{\alpha,n}$ is defined by (2.1).

Proof. By (2.1), one has

$$\begin{aligned}
&S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}](z)\\
&\quad=\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}\frac{1}{2\pi i}\int\limits_{\partial\Delta}\sum_{\ell=0}^{k}\binom{k}{\ell}(\zeta+\overline{\zeta})^{\ell}(-z-\overline{z})^{k-\ell}\rho_k(\zeta)[G_\alpha(\zeta,z)+G_{\bar\alpha}(\zeta,z)]\,d\zeta\\
&\quad=\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}\sum_{\ell=0}^{k}\binom{k}{\ell}(-z-\overline{z})^{k-\ell}\frac{1}{2\pi i}\int\limits_{\partial\Delta}(\zeta+\overline{\zeta})^{\ell}\rho_k(\zeta)[G_\alpha(\zeta,z)+G_{\bar\alpha}(\zeta,z)]\,d\zeta\\
&\quad=\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}\sum_{\ell=0}^{k}\binom{k}{\ell}(-z-\overline{z})^{k-\ell}S_{\alpha,0}[\rho_{k,\ell}](z),\qquad z\in\Delta
\end{aligned}\tag{2.3}$$

with

$$\rho_{k,\ell}(\zeta)=(\zeta+\overline{\zeta})^{\ell}\rho_k(\zeta).\tag{2.4}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial^n S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^n}(z)&=\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}\sum_{\ell=0}^{k}\binom{k}{\ell}\Big[\frac{\partial^n}{\partial\overline{z}^n}(-z-\overline{z})^{k-\ell}\Big]S_{\alpha,0}[\rho_{k,\ell}](z)\\
&=0.
\end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.

THEOREM 2.2
If $\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}\in C(\partial\Delta;\mathbb{R})$, *then*

$$\Big\{\mathrm{Re}\Big[\frac{\partial^\ell S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^\ell}\Big]\Big\}^{+}(t)=\rho_\ell(t),\quad t\in\partial\Delta,\ \ell=0,1,\ldots,n-1,\tag{2.5}$$

where the operator $S_{\alpha,n}$ *is defined by* (2.1).

Proof. When $\ell=0$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial^\ell S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^\ell}(z)&=\frac{\partial^0 S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^0}(z)\\
&=S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}](z).
\end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 3.3 in [21] and (2.3), one has

$$\begin{aligned}
\{\mathrm{Re}[S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\ldots,\rho_{n-1}]]\}^{+}(t)&=\sum_{k=0}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}\sum_{\ell=0}^{k}\binom{k}{\ell}(-t-\overline{t})^{k-\ell}\rho_{k,\ell}(t)\\
&=\sum_{k=1}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^k}{k!}(t+\overline{t}-t-\overline{t})^k\rho_k(t)+\rho_0(t)\\
&=\rho_0(t),\qquad t\in\partial\Delta,
\end{aligned}\tag{2.6}$$

where $\rho_{k,\ell}$ is defined by (2.4). When $\ell=1,2,\ldots,n-1$, one easily gets

$$\begin{aligned}&\frac{\partial^\ell S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\dots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^\ell}(z)\\&=\sum_{k=\ell}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^{k-\ell}}{(k-\ell)!}\frac{1}{2\pi i}\int_{\partial\Delta}(\zeta-z+\overline{\zeta-z})^{k-\ell}\rho_k(\zeta)[G_\alpha(\zeta,z)+G_{\bar\alpha}(\zeta,z)]\,d\zeta \qquad (2.7)\\&=\sum_{k=\ell}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^{k-\ell}}{(k-\ell)!}\sum_{j=0}^{k-\ell}\binom{k-\ell}{j}(-z-\overline{z})^{k-\ell-j}S_{\alpha,0}[\rho_{k,j}](z),\qquad z\in\Delta.\end{aligned}$$

Similarly to the proof of the previous part, (2.5) is valid for $\ell=1,2,\dots,n-1$.

REMARK 2.3
By (2.3) and (2.7), if $\rho_0,\rho_1,\dots,\rho_{n-1}\in C(\partial\Delta;\mathbb{R})$, then

$$\begin{aligned}&\frac{\partial^\ell S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0,\rho_1,\dots,\rho_{n-1}]}{\partial\overline{z}^\ell}(\alpha)\\&=\sum_{k=\ell}^{n-1}\frac{(-1)^{k-\ell}}{(k-\ell)!}\sum_{j=0}^{k-\ell}\binom{k-\ell}{j}(-\alpha-\overline{\alpha})^{k-\ell-j}S_{\alpha,0}[\rho_{k,j}](\alpha),\quad \ell=0,1,2,\dots,n-1\end{aligned}$$

are real numbers since $S_{\alpha,0}[\rho_{k,\ell}](\alpha)\in\mathbb{R}$ according to [21].

3. Pompeiu-type operator on the triangle

In this section, the following area integral operator is introduced as in [20]

$$\begin{aligned}&A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](z)\\&\quad=\frac{(-1)^\ell}{\pi(\ell-1)!}\int_\Delta(\zeta-z+\overline{\zeta-z})^{\ell-1}[f(\zeta)G_\alpha(\zeta,z)-\overline{f(\zeta)}G_\alpha(\overline{\zeta},z)]\,d\xi\,d\eta, \qquad (3.1)\\&\qquad\qquad z\in\Delta,\ \ell=1,2,\dots\end{aligned}$$

with $f\in L_p(\Delta;\mathbb{C})$, $p>2$, where G_α is defined by (1.4). The operator $A_{\alpha,\ell}$ is called the Pompeiu-type operator here. When $\ell=1$, (3.1) is just

$$A_{\alpha,1}[f](z)=A_\alpha[f](z),\qquad z\in\Delta, \qquad (3.2)$$

where A_α is defined in (1.3). We assume that $A_{\alpha,0}[f](z)=f(z)$, $z\in\Delta$ in the following. By Theorem 4.1 in [21], $A_{\alpha,1}[f]\in C(\partial\Delta;\mathbb{C})$ and

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial\overline{z}}A_{\alpha,1}[f](z)=A_{\alpha,0}[f](z),\qquad z\in\Delta. \qquad (3.3)$$

THEOREM 3.1
If $f\in L_p(\Delta;\mathbb{C})$, $p>2$, then

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial\overline{z}}A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](z)=A_{\alpha,\ell-1}[f](z),\qquad z\in\Delta,\ \ell=1,2,3,\dots \qquad (3.4)$$

and

$$\frac{\partial^n}{\partial \overline{z}^n} A_{\alpha,n}[f](z) = f(z), \qquad z \in \Delta, \tag{3.5}$$

where $A_{\alpha,\ell}$ is the Pompeiu-type operator defined by (3.1).

Proof. When $\ell = 1$, (3.4) is just (3.3). When $\ell > 1$, one has

$$A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](z) = \frac{(-1)^{\ell-1}}{(\ell-1)!} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell-1} \binom{\ell-1}{k} (-z-\overline{z})^{\ell-k-1} A_{\alpha,1}[f_k](z), \qquad z \in \Delta \tag{3.6}$$

with

$$f_k(\zeta) = (\zeta + \overline{\zeta})^k f(\zeta), \qquad k = 0, 1, \ldots, \ell-1. \tag{3.7}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
&\frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](z) \\
&\quad = \frac{(-1)^{\ell-1}}{(\ell-1)!} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell-1} \binom{\ell-1}{k} \Big\{ \Big(\frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} (-z-\overline{z})^{\ell-k-1} \Big) A_{\alpha,1}[f_k](z) \\
&\qquad\qquad + (-z-\overline{z})^{\ell-k-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} A_{\alpha,1}[f_k](z) \Big\} \\
&\quad = A_{\alpha,\ell-1}[f](z),
\end{aligned}$$

since $\frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} A_{\alpha,1}[f_k](z) = 0$. Using (3.4) repeatedly, we easily gets (3.5).

THEOREM 3.2
If $f \in L_p(\Delta; \mathbb{C})$, $p > 2$, then $\{\operatorname{Re} A_{\alpha,\ell}[f]\}^+(t) = 0$, $t \in \partial\Delta$ for $\ell = 1, 2, 3, \ldots$, where $A_{\alpha,\ell}$ is defined by (3.1).

Proof. This theorem directly follows from

$$\operatorname{Re}\{A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](z)\} = \frac{(-1)^{\ell-1}}{(\ell-1)!} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell-1} \binom{\ell-1}{k} (-z-\overline{z})^{\ell-k-1} \operatorname{Re}\{A_{\alpha,1}[f_k](z)\}, \qquad z \in \Delta$$

and

$$\{\operatorname{Re} A_{\alpha,1}[f_k]\}^+(t) = 0, \qquad t \in \partial\Delta,$$

where f_k is defined by (3.7).

REMARK 3.3
Since $G_\alpha(\zeta, \alpha) = G_\alpha(\overline{\zeta}, \alpha) = 0$, one has

$$A_{\alpha,\ell}[f](\alpha) = 0, \qquad \ell = 1, 2, 3, \ldots.$$

4. Schwarz-type BVPs of polyanalytic equation on the triangle

Similarly to [20], by an appropriate decomposition of polyanalytic functions, the following lemma is obtained.

LEMMA 4.1
The homogeneous Schwarz-type BVP of the homogeneous polyanalytic equation

$$\begin{cases} \partial_{\overline{z}}^{n} w(z) = 0, & z \in \Delta, \\ [\mathrm{Re}(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{k} w)]^{+}(t) = 0, & t \in \partial\Delta,\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1 \end{cases} \tag{4.1}$$

is solvable and its solution can be represented as

$$w(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \alpha + \overline{z} - \overline{\alpha})^{k}}{k!} i c_k \tag{4.2}$$

with $c_k = \mathrm{Im}(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{k} w)(\alpha) \in \mathbb{R}$ *for* $k = 0, 1, 2, \ldots, n-1$.

Proof. The homogeneous polyanalytic equation $(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{n} w)(z) = 0$, $z \in \Delta$ implies that w is a polyanalytic function. Hence w can be uniquely decomposed as [11]

$$w(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \alpha + \overline{z} - \overline{\alpha})^{k}}{k!} \varphi_k(z), \qquad z \in \Delta, \tag{4.3}$$

where φ_k is analytic on the triangle domain Δ. Substituting (4.3) into the boundary conditions in (4.1), one has the boundary behaviors of analytic functions

$$[\mathrm{Re}\, \varphi_k]^{+}(t) = 0, \qquad t \in \partial\Delta,\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1, \tag{4.4}$$

and hence

$$\varphi_k(z) \equiv i c_k, \qquad c_k \in \mathbb{R},\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1$$

by Theorem 1.1. By the direct computation, $c_k = \mathrm{Im}(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{k} w)(\alpha)$, $k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1$.

In general, we have the following result.

THEOREM 4.2
The Schwarz-type BVP of the polyanalytic equation

$$\begin{cases} (\partial_{\overline{z}}^{n} w)(z) = f(z), & z \in \Delta,\ f \in L_p(\Delta; \mathbb{C}),\ p > 2, \\ [\mathrm{Re}(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{k} w)]^{+}(t) = \rho_k(t), & t \in \partial\Delta,\ \rho_k \in C(\partial\Delta; \mathbb{R}),\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1, \\ \mathrm{Im}(\partial_{\overline{z}}^{k} w)(\alpha) = a_k, & k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1 \end{cases} \tag{4.5}$$

is solvable and its unique solution can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} w(z) = {} & S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0, \rho_1, \ldots, \rho_{n-1}](z) + A_{\alpha,n}[f](z) \\ & + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \alpha + \overline{z} - \overline{\alpha})^{k}}{k!} i a_k, \qquad z \in \Delta, \end{aligned} \tag{4.6}$$

where the operators $S_{\alpha,n}, A_{\alpha,n}$ *are defined by* (2.1) *and* (3.1), *respectively, and* a_k, $k = 0, 1, 2, \ldots, n-1$ *are* n *given real constants.*

Proof. Firstly, let

$$w_0(z) = S_{\alpha,n}[\rho_0, \rho_1, \ldots, \rho_{n-1}](z) + A_{\alpha,n}[f](z), \qquad z \in \Delta,$$

where the operators $S_{\alpha,n}, A_{\alpha,n}$ are defined by (2.1) and (3.1), respectively. By Theorems 2.1 and 3.1,

$$\frac{\partial^n w_0}{\partial \overline{z}^n}(z) = f(z), \qquad z \in \Delta.$$

By Theorems 2.2 and 3.2, one has

$$\Big[\mathrm{Re}\frac{\partial^k w_0}{\partial \overline{z}^k}\Big]^+(t) = \rho_k(t), \qquad t \in \partial\Delta,\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1.$$

Hence w_0 is a special solution of the Schwarz-type BVP (4.5) of the polyanalytic equation. Secondly, let

$$w(z) = w_0(z) + w_1(z), \qquad z \in \Delta. \tag{4.7}$$

Substituting $w(z)$ defined by (4.7) into (4.5), one easily gets

$$\begin{cases} (\partial_{\bar z}^n w_1)(z) = 0, & z \in \Delta, \\ [\mathrm{Re}(\partial_{\bar z}^k w_1)]^+(t) = 0, & t \in \partial\Delta,\ k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1, \\ \mathrm{Im}(\partial_{\bar z}^k w_1)(\alpha) = a_k, & k = 0, 1, \ldots, n-1 \end{cases} \tag{4.8}$$

which is just the homogeneous Schwarz-type BVP (4.1) of the polyanalytic function. The third formula in (4.8) is obtained by Remarks 2.3 and 3.3. Finally, by Lemma 4.1,

$$w_1(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \alpha + \overline{z} - \overline{\alpha})^k}{k!} i c_k$$

with $c_k = \mathrm{Im}(\partial_{\bar z}^k w)(\alpha)$ for $k = 0, 1, 2, \ldots, n-1$. This completes the proof.

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