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ON APPROXIMATE SOLUTION OF ONE CLASS OF TWO-DIMENSIONAL SINGULAR INTEGRAL EQUATIONS

Abstract

In the paper the basis of collocation method is given for singular integral equation of the form

$$\rho(x) + \int_S \frac{q(x,y)}{|x-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y = f(x),$$

where S is a closed smooth surface in R^3 , $q \in C(S \times S)$ and $q(x,x) = 0$ for

$x \in S$, $f \in C(S)$ and ρ is an unknown function from $C(S)$.

Solution of many theoretical and applied problems of mathematics, mechanics and physics leads to the investigation of the class of two-dimensional singular integral equations (SIE)

$$\rho(x) + \int_S \frac{q(x,y)}{|x-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y = f(x) \tag{1}$$

where S is a closed smooth surface in R^3 , $q \in C(S \times S)$ and $q(x,x) = 0$ at $x \in S$, $f \in C(S)$ and ρ is an unknown function from $C(S)$, and the function from $C(S)$, and integral is understood as singular. It is known that equation of form (1) we can solve analitically only in very seldom cases. Therefore, both for theory and in particular, for its applications, creation of approximate methods of solutions of integral equations with corresponding theoretical foundation is very important. The given paper is devoted to grounds of collocation method for SIE of form (1).

Let $\omega_\rho(\delta)$ be "corrected" modulus of continuity of the function ρ and

$$\omega_q^*(\delta) = \delta \cdot \sup_{\tau \geq \delta} \frac{\bar{\omega}_q^*(\tau)}{\tau}, \quad \delta > 0,$$

where

$$\omega_q^*(\delta) = \sup_{\substack{|x-y| \leq \delta \\ x,y \in S}} |q(x,y)| ;$$

$$\omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) = \sup_{\substack{|x_1-x_2| \leq \delta \\ x_1, x_2 \in S}} \max_y |q(x_1,y) - q(x_2,y)| ;$$

$$\omega_q^{0,1}(\delta) = \sup_{\substack{|y_1-y_2| \leq \delta \\ y_1, y_2 \in S}} \max_x |q(x,y_1) - q(x,y_2)| ;$$

$$\|q(x,y)\|_\infty = \max_{x,y \in S} |q(x,y)| .$$

It is obvious that

$$\omega_\rho, \omega_q \in \mathcal{E}_1 = \left\{ \varphi | \varphi \geq 0, \varphi \uparrow, \varphi(\delta) / \delta \downarrow, \lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \varphi(\delta) = 0, \varphi(\delta_1 + \delta_2) \leq \varphi(\delta_1) + \varphi(\delta_2) \right\}$$

and

$$\omega_q^{1,0}, \omega_q^{0,1} \in \mathcal{E}_2 = \left\{ \varphi | \varphi \geq 0, \varphi \uparrow, \lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \varphi(\delta) = 0 \right\}$$

The following holds

Lemma. Let $\rho \in C(S)$ and

$$\int_0^{\text{diam} S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau < +\infty.$$

Then for any $x \in S$ the integral

$$\int_S \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y \quad (2)$$

converges as singular.

Proof. For $x \in S$, $\varepsilon > 0$ we'll introduce the notation

$S_\varepsilon(x) = \{y \in S : |x - y| \leq \varepsilon\}$, and we'll denote by d the radius of standard sphere for S .

Since,

$$\int_S \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y = \int_{S_d(x)} \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y + \int_{S \setminus S_d(x)} \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y,$$

then using reduction of superficial integral to double one we'll get

$$\left| \int_{S_d(x)} \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y \right| = \|\rho\| \cdot \int_{S_d(x)} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x - y|)}{|x - y|^2} d\sigma_y \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \int_0^d \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{S \setminus S_d(x)} \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y \right| &\leq \|\rho\| \cdot \int_{S \setminus S_d(x)} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x - y|)}{|x - y|^2} d\sigma_y \leq \\ &\leq \|\rho\| \cdot \frac{\omega_q^*(d)}{d} \cdot \int_{S \setminus S_d(x)} \frac{1}{|x - y|} d\sigma_y = \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \end{aligned}$$

As a result we obtain that

$$\left| \int_S \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y \right| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \left(\int_0^d \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau + 1 \right).$$

The lemma is proved.

Theorem 1. Let

- 1) $\omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) = 0(1n^{-1}\delta)$;
- 2) $\int_0^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau < +\infty$.

Then the integral operator

$$(K\rho)(x) = \int_0 \frac{q(x,y)}{|x-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y$$

is compact on $C(S)$.

Proof. Let $x_1, x_2 \in S$, $|x_1 - x_2| = \delta$, $\delta \in \left(0, \frac{d}{2}\right]$ and $\rho \in C(S)$. It is obvious that

$$\begin{aligned} (K\rho)(x_1) - (K\rho)(x_2) &= \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2)} \frac{q(x_1,y)}{|x_1-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y - \\ &- \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2)} \frac{q(x_2,y)}{|x_2-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y + \\ &+ \int_{S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))} \left[\frac{q(x_1,y)}{|x_1-y|^2} - \frac{q(x_2,y)}{|x_2-y|^2} \right] \rho(y) d\sigma_y. \end{aligned}$$

The additives in the right hand-side of the last equality are denoted by A_1, A_2 and A_3 , respectively.

Let's estimate A_1 . It is clear that $A_1 = A'_1 + A''_1$, where

$$\begin{aligned} A'_1 &= \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_1)} \frac{q(x_1,y)}{|x_1-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y, \\ A''_1 &= \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_2)} \frac{q(x_1,y)}{|x_1-y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y, \end{aligned}$$

Using formula of reduction of superficial integral to double one, we'll obtain

$$|A'_1| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \int_0^\delta \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau.$$

Besides, taking into account

$$\frac{\delta}{2} \leq |y - x_1| \leq \frac{3\delta}{2}, \quad y \in S_{\frac{\delta}{2}}(x_2),$$

we'll obtain

$$A''_1 \leq \|\rho\| \cdot \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_1)} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x_1-y|)}{|x_1-y|^2} \cdot \frac{1}{|x_1-y|^2} d\sigma_y \leq$$

$$\leq \|\rho\| \cdot \frac{\omega_q^*\left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)}{\frac{\delta}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{\delta}{2}} \cdot \int_{S_{\delta/2}(x_2)} d\sigma_y \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \omega_q^*(\delta).$$

Finally, we have

$$|A_1| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \left(\omega_q^*(\delta) + \int_0^\delta \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right).$$

Analogously we can show that

$$|A_2| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \left(\omega_q^*(\delta) + \int_0^\delta \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right)$$

Let's estimate A_3 . Let's denote

$$A'_3 = \int_{S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))} \frac{q(x_1, y) - q(x_2, y)}{|x_1 - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y,$$

$$A''_3 = \int_{S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))} q(x_2, y) \cdot \left[\frac{1}{|x_1 - y|^2} - \frac{1}{|x_2 - y|^2} \right] \rho(y) d\sigma_y$$

For A'_3 we have

$$\begin{aligned} |A'_3| &\leq \|\rho\| \cdot \omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) \cdot \int_{S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))} \frac{1}{|x_1 - y|^2} \rho(y) d\sigma_y \leq \\ &\leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) \cdot |1n\delta|. \end{aligned}$$

Let's estimate A''_3 . Allowing for the inequality $\frac{1}{3}|x_2 - y| \leq |x_1 - y| \leq 3 \cdot |x_2 - y|$ at $y \in S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))$ we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} A''_3 &= \|\rho\| \cdot \int_{S \setminus (S_{\delta/2}(x_1) \cup S_{\delta/2}(x_2))} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x_1 - y|) \cdot |x_1 - x_2| \cdot (|x_1 - y| + |x_2 - y|)}{|x_1 - y|^2 \cdot |x_2 - y|^2} d\sigma_y \leq \\ &\leq \delta \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \text{const} \int_{S \setminus S_{\delta/2}(x_2)} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x_1 - y|)}{|x_2 - y|^3} d\sigma_y \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \delta \int_\delta^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau. \end{aligned}$$

Finally we've

$$|A_3| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \left(\omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) |1n\delta| + \delta \cdot \int_\delta^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right).$$

As a result we obtain that

$$|(K\rho)(x_1) - (K\rho)(x_2)| \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot$$

$$\cdot \left(\omega_q^*(\delta) + \omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) |1n\delta| + \int_0^\delta \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau + \delta \cdot \int_\delta^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right) = \|\rho\| \cdot Z(\delta).$$

For proving compactness of the operator K on $C(S)$ we introduce the continuous functions $Q_n : S \times S \rightarrow R$ ($n \in N$) of the form

$$Q_n(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } |x - y| \leq \frac{1}{2n} \\ (2n|x - y| - 1) \cdot q(x, y) / |x - y|^2, & \text{if } \frac{1}{2n} \leq |x - y| \leq \frac{1}{n}, \\ \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2}, & \text{if } |x - y| > \frac{1}{n}. \end{cases}$$

Let

$$(G_n\rho)(x) = \int_S Q_n(x, y) \rho(y) d\sigma_y.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} |(K\rho)(x) - (G_n\rho)(x)| &\leq \int_{S_{1/n}(x)} \left| \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} \rho(y) \right| d\sigma_y \leq \\ &\leq \text{const} \cdot \|\rho\| \cdot \int_0^{1/n} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

From estimation (3) we obtain

$$\|K - G_n\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Thus K is a uniform limit of sequence of the operators G_n compact on $C(S)$. The theorem is proved.

Theorem 2. Let

- 1) $\omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) = 0$ ($1n^{-1}\delta$);
- 2) $\int_0^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau < +\infty$ and
- 3) $\text{Ker}(I + K) = \{0\}$

Then SIE (1) has a unique solution from $C(S)$ at any $f \in C(S)$.

Now we'll give the ground of collocation method for SIE of form (1). Let $\{h\} \subset R_+$ be a set of values of discretization parameter tending to zero. Let's decompose S into "regular" elementary domains: $S = \bigcup_{l=1}^{N(h)} S_l^h$ (see [2]) and let $x_l \in S_l^h$, $l = \overline{1, N(h)}$ be support.

We'll accept the expression

$$\left(K^{N(h)}\rho \right) (x_l) = \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq l}}^{N(h)} \frac{q(x_l, x_j)}{|x_l - x_j|^2} \rho(x_j) \text{mes} S_j^h \tag{4}$$

as cubic formula (c.f.) for integral (2) at the points x_l , $l = \overline{1, N(h)}$. For estimation of error of c.f. (4) the following is true.

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Theorem 3 ([3]). *Let the conditions*

$$a) \quad \omega_q^{0,1}(\delta) = 0(1n^{-1}\delta),$$

$$b) \quad \omega_q^{1,0}(\delta) = 0(1n^{-1}\delta)$$

and

$$c) \quad \int_0^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau < +\infty.$$

Then it holds

$$\begin{aligned} & \max_{l=1, \overline{N(h)}} \left| (K\rho)(x_l) - (K^{N(h)}\rho)(x_l) \right| \leq \\ & \leq M \left((\omega_\rho(R(h)) + \|\rho\| \left(\omega_\rho^{0,1}(R(h)) |1nR(h)| + \int_0^{R(h)} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau + \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + R(h) \int_{r(h)}^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right) \right), \end{aligned}$$

where M is a positive constant depending only on S and

$$R(h) = \max_{l=1, \overline{N(h)}} \sup_{x \in \partial S_l^h} |x - x_l|, \quad r(h) = \min_{l=1, \overline{N(h)}} \inf_{x \in \partial S_l^h} |x - x_l|.$$

Denote by $\mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$ the space of $N(h)$ dimensional vectors

$w^{N(h)} = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_{N(h)})$, $w_l \in \mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$, $l = \overline{1, N(h)}$ with the norm $\|w^{N(h)}\| = \max_{l=1, \overline{N(h)}} |w_l|$. For $w^{N(h)} \in \mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$ assume

$$K_l^{N(h)} w^{N(h)} = \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq l}}^{N(h)} \frac{q(x_l, x_j)}{|x_l - x_j|^2} \text{mes} S_j^h \cdot w_j, \quad l = \overline{1, N(h)}$$

$$K^{N(h)} w^{N(h)} = \left(K_1^{N(h)} w^{N(h)}, \dots, K_{N(h)}^{N(h)} w^{N(h)} \right)$$

According to collocation method, SIE (1) with using c.f. (4) is substituted by the system of algebraic equations relative to w_l approximate values $\rho(x_l)$, $l = \overline{1, N(h)}$ which we'll write in the following form:

$$w^{N(h)} + K^{N(h)} w^{N(h)} = f^{N(h)},$$

where

$$f^{N(h)} = p^{N(h)} f = (f_1, \dots, f_{N(h)}); \quad f_l = f(x_l), \quad l = \overline{1, N(h)}; \quad p^{N(h)} \in \mathcal{L}(C(S), \mathbb{C}^{N(h)})$$

is operator of simple drift.

Theorem 4. Under conditions a), b), c) and $\text{Ker}(I + K) = \{0\}$ equations (1) and (5) have a unique solution $\rho_* \in C(S)$ and $w_*^{N(h)} \in \mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$ ($N(h) \geq n_0$), moreover $\|w_*^{N(h)} - p^{N(h)}\rho_*\| \rightarrow 0$ as $h \rightarrow 0$ with the estimation

$$C_1 \delta_{N(h)} \leq \|w_*^{N(h)} - p^{N(h)}\rho_*\| \leq C_2 \delta_{N(h)},$$

where

$$C_1 = \left(\sup_{N(h) \geq n_0} \|I^{N(h)} + K^{N(h)}\| \right)^{-1} > 0,$$

$$C_2 = \sup_{N(h) \geq n_0} \left\| \left(I^{N(h)} + K^{N(h)} \right)^{-1} \right\| < \infty$$

$$\delta_{N(h)} = \max_{l=1, N(h)} \left| K_l^{N(h)} \left(p^{N(h)}\rho_* \right) - (K\rho_*)(x_l) \right|$$

and $I^{N(h)}$ is a unique operator in $\mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$.

Proof. Let's apply G.M.Vaynikko theorem on convergence for linear operator equations (see [4]).

Let $\mathcal{P} = \{p^{N(h)}\}$ be a system of operators of simple drift. It is obvious that the system \mathcal{P} is connecting for $C(S)$ and $\mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$, $N(h) = 1, 2, \dots$. Besides $f^{N(h)} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}} f$ as $h \rightarrow 0$ and the operators $I^{N(h)} + K^{N(h)}$ are Fredholm with zero indices.

It remains to show that $K^{N(h)} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}} K$ is compact. Since $K^{N(h)} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}} K$ then by the known suggestion (see [4], p.8), it suffices to prove that there exists a relatively compact sequence $\{K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)}\} \subset C(S)$, where $w^{N(h)} \in \mathbb{C}^{N(h)}$ and $\|w^{N(h)}\| \leq C = \text{const}$ such that

$$\|K^{N(h)}w^{N(h)} - p^{N(h)}(K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)})\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } h \rightarrow 0.$$

As $\{K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)}\}$ we'll choose the sequence

$$\left(K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)} \right) (x) = \sum_{j=1}^{N(h)} \left[\int_{S_j^h} \frac{q(x, y)}{|x - y|^2} d\sigma_y \right] \cdot w_j, \quad x \in S.$$

It is easy to see that $\{K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)}\} \subset C(S)$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| K_l^{N(h)}w^{N(h)} - \left(K_{N(h)}w^{N(h)} \right) (x_l) \right| = \\ & = \left| \sum_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq l}}^{N(h)} \omega_j \left[\int_{S_j^h} \frac{q(x_l, x_j) - q(x_l, y)}{|x_l - y|^2} d\sigma_y + \int_{S_j^h} q(x_l, x_j) \times \right. \right. \\ & \times \left. \left. \left(\frac{1}{|x_l - x_j|^2} - \frac{1}{|x_l - y|^2} \right) d\sigma_y \right] + \omega_l \int_{S_l^h} \frac{q(x_l, x_j)}{|x_l - y|^2} d\sigma_y \right| \leq \text{const} \times \end{aligned}$$

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$$\times \left[\int_{S \setminus S_j^h} \frac{\omega_q^{0,1}(R(h))}{|x_l - y|^2} d\sigma_y + R(h) \cdot \int_{S \setminus S_j^h} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x_l - y|)}{|x_l - y|^3} d\sigma_y + \int_{S_l^h} \frac{\omega_q^*(|x_l - y|)}{|x_l - y|^2} d\sigma_y \right] \leq$$

$$\leq \text{const} \cdot \left[\int_0^{R(h)} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau + \omega_q^{0,1}(R(h)) \cdot |1nR(h)| + R(h) \cdot \int_{R(h)}^{\text{diam}S} \frac{\omega_q^*(\tau)}{\tau} d\tau \right],$$

then

$$\left\| K^{N(h)} w^{N(h)} - p^{N(h)} \left(K_{N(h)} w^{N(h)} \right) \right\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } h \rightarrow 0.$$

And relative compactness $\{K_{N(h)} w^{N(h)}\}$ follows from Arzeli theorem (see [5]). The theorem is proved.

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