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THE ASYMPTOTIC BEHAVIOR OF WEAK SOLUTION OF CAUCHY PROBLEM FOR A CLASS SOBOLEV TYPE SEMILINEAR EQUATION

Abstract

Cauchy problem for a class Sobolev type semi linear equation is considered. The existence and uniqueness of weak solution are proved and the behavior of weak solutions as $t \rightarrow +\infty$ are investigated. The considered class of equations in particular includes the semi linear wave equations with dissipation.

In this paper we consider the following Cauchy problem in $[0, \infty) \times R^n$.

$$u_{tt}(t, x) + (-1)^k \Delta^k u_{tt}(t, x) + (-1)^l \Delta^l u(t, x) + (-1)^k \Delta^k u_t + u_t = f(u(t, x)),$$

$$t \in [0, \infty), x \in R^n, \tag{1}$$

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x), u_t(0, x) = u_1(x), x \in R^n, \tag{2}$$

where Δ is a Laplace operator, $u_t = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$, $u_{tt} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$, but f is differentiable function which will be defined below.

In case when $k = 0$ and $f(u) = -|u|^{p-1}u + f_1(u)$, where

$|f_1(u)| \leq c(1 + |u|^{p-1})$, $u \in R$ the corresponding problem was investigated in different papers. The expound of these results and list of references are given in [1]. The corresponding problem was investigated at paper [2] in case when $k = 0$ and $l = 1, n = 1, 2, 3$ $f(u) = |u|^{p-1}u$ where at $n = 1, 2, 1 + \frac{2}{n} \leq p < +\infty$ and at $n = 3, 2 < p \leq \frac{n}{n-2}$

In paper [2] proved that for any small data the corresponding Cauchy problem has global weak solutions and also obtained the order of decreasing to zero as $t \rightarrow \infty$ of weak solutions.

In this work me investigate the similar problem for equation (1) in the following considerations.

1⁰. $k \leq l$.

2⁰. The function $f(\cdot)$ defined at some interval $(-a, a) \subset R$ and continuous differentiable;

3⁰. For any $u \in (-a, a)$

$$|f(u)| \leq c|u|^p, |f'(u)| \leq c|u|^{p-1},$$

where at $n \leq 2(l - k)$, $a > 0$ and $\frac{2(l-k)}{n} + 1 \leq p < \infty$, and at $n > 2(l - k)$, $a = \infty$ and $2 < p \leq \frac{n}{n-2(l-k)}$.

Let $U_\delta \subset \mathcal{H} = [W_2^{l-k}(R^n) \cap L_1(R^n)] \times [L_2(R^n) \cap L_1(R^n)]$ be the sehere of radius $\delta > 0$ i.e.

$$U_\delta = \left\{ (u, v) : (u, v) \in H \quad \|u\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \right.$$

$$+ \|v\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|v\|_{L_1(R^n)} < \delta \}.$$

Theorem. *Let conditions 1⁰–3⁰ be satisfied. Then there exists $\delta_0 > 0$ such that for any $(u_0, u_1) \in U_{\delta_0}$ the problem has a unique solution $u \in C([0, \infty), W_2^{l-k}(R^n)) \cap C^1([0, \infty), L_2(R^n))$ and the following estimations are fulfilled:*

$$\sum_{|\alpha|=l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c_0 R_0 [1+t]^{-\left(\frac{l-k}{2l} + \frac{n}{4l}\right)}$$

$$\|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c_0 R_0 (1+t)^{-\frac{n}{4l}},$$

$$\|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c_0 R_0 (1+t)^{-\gamma},$$

where $c_0 > 0$, $\gamma = \min\left\{1 + \frac{n}{4l}, \frac{pn}{4l}\right\}$, $R_0 = \|u_0\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)}$.

Let's introduce the functional space $H = W_2^{l-k}(R^n) \times L_2(R^n)$ with inner product

$$\langle w^1, w^2 \rangle = \int_{R^n} \nabla^{l-k} u^1 \nabla^{l-k} u^2 dx + \int_{R^n} v^1 v^2 dx,$$

where $\nabla^s = \Delta^{[s/2]}$ if s is even, $\nabla^s = \nabla \Delta^{[s+1/2]}$ if s is odd.

The problem (1)-(2) reduced to the Cauchy problem in Hilbert space H

$$w' = Aw + F(w), \tag{3}$$

$$w(0) = w_0, \tag{4}$$

by substitution $v_1 = u$, $v_2 = u_t$, where

$$w = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad w_0 = \begin{pmatrix} u_0 \\ u_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad G = \left(I + (-1)^k \Delta^k\right)^{-1},$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ (-1)^{l+1} G \Delta^l & G \end{pmatrix}, \quad D(A) = W_2^{2(l-k)}(R^n) \times W_2^{l-k}(R^n),$$

$$F(w) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ Gf(v_1) \end{pmatrix}$$

The operator A generates the strong continuous semi-group in Hilbert space H .

The operator – function $w \rightarrow F(w)$ acts from U_δ to H and satisfies local lipshitz shy condition in the sense:

$$\|F(w^1) - F(w^2)\| \leq c(\|w^1\|, \|w^2\|) \cdot \|w^1 - w^2\|,$$

where $\|\cdot\| = \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$, $c(\cdot, \cdot) \in C(R_+^2, R_1)$, $R_1 = [0, \infty)$.

Hence, for the problem (3)-(4) the conditions of the theorem on local solvability are satisfied (see [3]).

Thus for any $(u_0, u_1) \in \mathcal{H}$ there exists $T' > 0$ such that the problem (1)-(2) has a unique weak solution $u \in C([0, T']; W_2^{l-k}(R)) \cap C^1([0, T']; L_2(R^n))$. It is known that, if

$$E(t) = \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c \quad c = const > 0 \quad (5)$$

then $T' = \infty$.

Now, we prove that apriori estimation (5) is valid for small initial datas.

Let's define the following functional

$$E_1(t) = \frac{1}{2} \|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{|\alpha|=l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \frac{1}{2} \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}.$$

It follows from the embedding theorem that

$$c^{-1} E_1(t) \leq E(t) \leq c E(t), \quad (6)$$

where $c > 0$ is a constant.

Let $\nu_0(t, x)$ be the solution of the problem

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{0tt}(t, x) + (-1)^k \Delta^k \nu_{0tt}(t, x) + (-1)^l \Delta^l \nu_0(t, x) + (-1)^k \Delta^k \nu_{0t}(t, x) + \\ + \nu_{0t}(t, x) = 0, \quad t \in [0, \infty), \quad x \in R^n, \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

$$\nu_0(0, x) = u_0(x), \quad \nu_{0t}(0, x) = u_1(x), \quad x \in R^n, \quad (8)$$

and $\hat{\nu}_1(t, \xi)$ be a solution of the problem

$$\hat{\nu}_{1tt}(t, \xi) + |\xi|^{2k} \hat{\nu}_{1tt}(t, \xi) + |\xi|^{2l} \hat{\nu}_1(t, \xi) + |\xi|^{2k} \hat{\nu}_{1t}(t, \xi) + \hat{\nu}_{1t}(t, \xi) = 0 \quad (9)$$

$$\hat{\nu}_1(t, \xi) = 0 \quad \hat{\nu}_1(t, \xi) = 1 \quad (10)$$

where $\hat{\nu}_1(t, \xi)$ is the Fourier transformation of of function $\nu_1(t, x)$.

The solution of the problem (1)-(2) can be presented in the following form

$$u(t, x) = \nu_0(t, x) + \int_0^t \nu_1(t - \tau, x) f(u(\tau, x)) d\tau. \quad (11)$$

As in the paper [4] we can prove that, for the functions $\nu_0(t, x)$ and $\nu_1(t, \xi)$ the following estimations are valid

$$\begin{aligned} \|D_t^i D_x^\alpha \nu_0(t, x)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c [1 + t]^{-\left(i + \frac{|\alpha|}{2l} + \frac{n}{4l}\right)} \times \\ \times \left[\|u_0\|_{W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)i}(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)(i-1)}(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|D_t^i D_x^\alpha (\nu_1(t, x) * \varphi(x))\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq \\ \leq c [1 + t]^{-\left(i + \frac{|\alpha|}{2l} + \frac{n}{4l}\right)} \left[\|\varphi\|_{W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)(i-1)}(R^n)} + \|\varphi\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

where

$$u_0 \in W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)i}(R^n) \cap L_1(R^n), \quad u_1 \in W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)(i-1)}(R^n) \cap L_1(R^n)$$

$$\varphi \in W_2^{|\alpha|+(l-k)(i-1)}(R^n) \cap L_1(R^n), \quad c = \text{const} > 0.$$

By substituting $i = 0$ and $|\alpha| = l - k$ into (11)-(13) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|D_x^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} &\leq c(1+t)^{-d_1} \left[\|u_0\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \|u_1\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] + c \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_1} \times \\ &\quad \times \left[\|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] d\tau, \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

where $d_1 = \frac{l-k}{2l} + \frac{n}{4l}$.

Further substituting $i = 1$ and $|\alpha| = 0$ into (11)-(13) we get the following inequality

$$\begin{aligned} \|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} &\leq c(1+t)^{-d_2} \left[\|u_0\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \|u_1\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] + c \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_2} \times \\ &\quad \times \left[\|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] d\tau, \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

where $d_2 = 1 + \frac{n}{4l}$, $c > 0$.

Similarly, substituting $i = 1$ and $|\alpha| = 0$ into (11)-(13) we get also

$$\begin{aligned} \|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} &\leq c(1+t)^{-d_3} \left[\|u_0\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \|u_1\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] + c \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_3} \times \\ &\quad \times \left[\|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{W_2^{-(l-k)}(R^n)} + \|f(u(\tau, \cdot))\|_{L_1(R^n)} \right] d\tau, \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

where $d_3 = \frac{n}{4l}$

From the conditions 3^0 it follows that

$$\|f(u)\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|f(u)\|_{L_1(R^n)} \leq c \left(\|u\|_{L_{2p}(R^n)}^p + \|u\|_{L_p(R^n)}^p \right) \quad (17)$$

$$\|\nu\|_{W_2^{-(l-k)}(R^n)} \leq c_1 \|\nu\|_{L_2(R^n)} \quad (18)$$

therefore

$$\|f(u)\|_{W_2^{-(l-k)}(R^n)} \leq c_2 \|u\|_{L_{2p}(R^n)}^p \quad (19)$$

At the next step we will use the multiplicate inequality

$$\|u\|_{L_q(R^n)} \leq c \|u\|_{W_2^m(R^n)}^\theta \cdot \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{1-\theta}, \quad (20)$$

where $q > 2$, $0 < \theta \leq 1$ and at $n > 2m$, $2 < q < \frac{2n}{n-2m}$ (see [5]).

In the other side

$$\|u\|_{W_2^m(R^n)} \leq c \left(\sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D_x^\alpha u\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)} \right) \quad (21)$$

$c > 0$ (see [5])

From (20)-(21) we get

$$\|u\|_{L_q(R^n)} \leq c \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^\theta \cdot \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{1-\theta} + c \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)} \quad (22)$$

Taking into account 2^0 from (22) we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \|f(u)\|_{W_2^{-(l-k)}(R^n)} + \|f(u)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq \\ & \leq c_1 \left[\sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p\theta_1} \cdot \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p(1-\theta_1)} + \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^p \right], \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

where $\theta_1 = \frac{n}{2(l-k)} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}\right)$.

Similarly,

$$\|f(u)\|_{L_1(R^n)} \leq c_2 \left[\sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|D^\alpha u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p\theta_2} \cdot \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p(1-\theta_2)} + \|u\|_{L_2(R^n)}^p \right], \quad (24)$$

where $\theta_2 = \frac{n}{l-k} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{p}\right)$.

Taking into account (19), (23) and (24) in the (14)-(16) we have the following estimation

$$\|D_x^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c(1+t)^{-d_1} R_0 + c_4 \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{d_1} \phi(\tau) d\tau, \quad |\alpha| = l-k \quad (25)$$

$$\|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c(1+t)^{-d_2} R_0 + c_5 \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{d_2} \phi(\tau) d\tau, \quad (26)$$

$$\|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c(1+t)^{-d_3} R_1 + c_6 \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{d_3} \phi(\tau) d\tau, \quad (27)$$

where

$$R_0 = \|u_0\|_{W_2^{l-k}(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)},$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
R_1 &= \|u_0\|_{L_2(R^n)} + \|u_0\|_{L_1(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{W_2^{-(l-k)}(R^n)} + \|u_1\|_{L_1(R^n)}, \\
\phi(t) &= \sum_{|\alpha|=l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p\theta_1} \cdot \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p(1-\theta_1)} + \\
&+ \sum_{|\alpha|=l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p\theta_2} \cdot \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}^{p(1-\theta_2)} + \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}^p.
\end{aligned}$$

Denote

$$R_1(t) = (1+t)^{d_1} \sum_{|\alpha|=l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}, \quad R_2(t) = (1+t)^{d_2} \|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)},$$

$$R_3(t) = (1+t)^{d_3} \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)}.$$

From (25)-(27) we get

$$R_1(t) \leq c_7 R_0 + c_8 (1+t)^{d_1} \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_1} \psi(\tau) L(\tau) d\tau, \quad (28)$$

$$R_2(t) \leq c_9 R_0 + c_{10} (1+t)^{d_2} \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_2} \psi(\tau) L(\tau) d\tau, \quad (29)$$

$$R_3(t) \leq c_{11} R_1 + c_{12} (1+t)^{d_3} \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d_3} \psi(\tau) L(\tau) d\tau, \quad (30)$$

where

$$\psi(\tau) = (1+\tau)^{(\theta_1 p d_1 + (1-\theta_1) p d_3)} + (1+\tau)^{(\theta_2 p d_1 + (1-\theta_2) p d_3)} + (1+\tau)^{-p d_3},$$

$$L(\tau) = R_1^{\theta_1 p}(\tau) R_3^{(1-\theta_1)p}(\tau) + R_1^{\theta_2 p}(\tau) R_3^{(1-\theta_2)p}(\tau) + R_3^p(\tau).$$

At the next step we will use the following statement.

Lemma (see [6]). *Let $0 < d \leq \eta$. Then*

$$(1+t)^{-d} \int_0^t (1+t-\tau)^{-d} (1+\tau)^{-\eta} d\tau \leq c, \quad (31)$$

where $c > 0$ doesn't depend on $t > 0$.If $p > \max\{\frac{l-k}{n} + \frac{3}{2}, 2\}$, then using (31) the (28), (30) we get

$$R_1(t) \leq c_7 R_0 + c_{13} \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} L(\tau), \quad (32)$$

$$R_3(t) \leq c_9 R_1 + c_{13} \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} L(\tau), \quad (33)$$

Denote by $R(t) = \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} R_1(t) + \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} R_3(t)$ and taking into account that $R_1 \leq c_{14} R_0$ we get from (32)-(33) that

$$R(t) \leq c R_0 + c R^p(t), \quad c > 0. \quad (34)$$

For a sufficiently small R_0 the function

$$f(x) = cx^p - x + cR_0$$

has a positive root.

Let M be the smallest positive root of function $f(x)$. Then for sufficiently small R_0 from (34) it follows, that

$$R(t) \leq M, \quad t > 0. \quad (35)$$

Hence it follows from (35) that the following asymptotic estimation takes place

$$\sum_{|\alpha| \neq l-k} \|D^\alpha u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c_0 R_0 (1+t)^{-d_1}, \quad \|u(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c_0 R_0 (1+t)^{-d_3}. \quad (36)$$

Taking into account the last estimations in (29) we get

$$R_2(t) \leq M_1 (1+t)^{d_2-\gamma},$$

where $M_1 > 0$ doesn't depend on $t > 0$.

From this we get the following asymptotic estimation

$$\|u_t(t, \cdot)\|_{L_2(R^n)} \leq c(1+t)^{-\gamma}. \quad (37)$$

Thus, taking into account (6), (36) and (37), for the solution of the problem (1)-(2) the apriori estimation (5) is fulfilled.

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