

§ KdV 方程

The KdV equation :

$$\begin{cases} u_t + 6uu_x + u_{xxx} = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = f(x) \end{cases}, -\infty < x < \infty, 0 \leq t < \infty \quad (1)$$

用以描述淺水波的演進，其中 $6uu_x$ 是非線性的部分， u_{xxx} 是相散的部分 (dispersive term)。

Let $\xi = x - ct$ (c represents the wave speed)

$$\text{Let } u(x, t) = f(x - ct), u_t = \frac{df}{d\xi} \frac{d\xi}{dt} = -c \frac{df}{d\xi} \text{ then } -cf' + 6ff' + f''' = 0 \dots (2)$$

(2) 積分一次得 $-cf + 3f^2 + f'' = A$ 將 f' 視為積分因子(即兩邊同乘以 f')
 $f'f'' = Af' + cff' - 3f^2f'$

$$[\frac{1}{2}(f')^2]' = (Af)' + (\frac{c}{2}f^2)' - (f^3)' \text{ 再積分得}$$

$$(f')^2 = 2Af + cf^2 - 2f^3 + B$$

考慮邊界值 $f, f', f'' \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$ then $A=B=0$

$$(f')^2 = cf^2 - 2f^3 = f^2(c - 2f), \text{ 其中 } c - 2f > 0$$

$$\int \frac{df}{f(c-2f)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \pm \int d\xi, \text{ let } f = \frac{c}{2} \operatorname{sech}^2 \theta \text{ then } c - 2f = \dots = c \tanh^2 \theta$$

其中

$$\cosh x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}, \sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}, \cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1, \frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{sech} x = -\tanh x \operatorname{sech} x$$

$$f' = \frac{df}{d\xi}, \xi = x - ct, df = c \operatorname{sech} \theta (-\tanh \theta \operatorname{sech} \theta) d\theta$$

$$\int \frac{df}{f(c-2f)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \dots = \frac{-2\theta}{\sqrt{c}} = \pm(\xi + k) = \pm(x - ct + x_0), \theta = \frac{\sqrt{c}}{2}(x - ct + x_0)$$

$$u(x, t) = f(x - ct) = \frac{c}{2} \operatorname{sech}^2 \theta, \text{ where } \theta = \frac{\sqrt{c}}{2}(x - ct + x_0)$$

§ Proposition (Miura)

If v is a solution to the modified KdV equation $v_t - 6v^2v_x + v_{xxx} = 0$ then $u = v^2 + v_x$

solves the KdV equation $u_t - 6uu_x + u_{xxx} = 0$ 。

$$u_t = 2vv_t + v_{xt} = (\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + 2v)v_t$$

$$u_x = 2vv_x + v_{xx}$$

$$u_{xx} = 2v_x^2 + 2vv_{xx} + v_{xxx}$$

$$u_{xxx} = 4v_x v_{xx} + 2v_x v_{xx} + 2vv_{xxx} + v_{xxxx} = 6v_x v_{xx} + \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + 2v\right)(v_{xxx})$$

$-6uu_x = -6(v^2 + v_x)(2vv_x + v_{xx})$ 展開，其中 $-6v_x v_{xx}$ 與上式中的 $6v_x v_{xx}$ 抵銷

$$-6(2v^3 v_x + v^2 v_{xx} + 2vv_x^2) = -6\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + 2v\right)(v^2 v_x)$$

We have $\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + 2v\right)(v_t - 6v^2 v_x + v_{xxx}) = 0$

若 u 是已知，則 $u = v^2 + v_x$ 是 v 的 [Riccati equation](#)。

$v = u_x + u^2$ 稱為 Miura(三浦)transformation

§ Scattering and Inverse Scattering

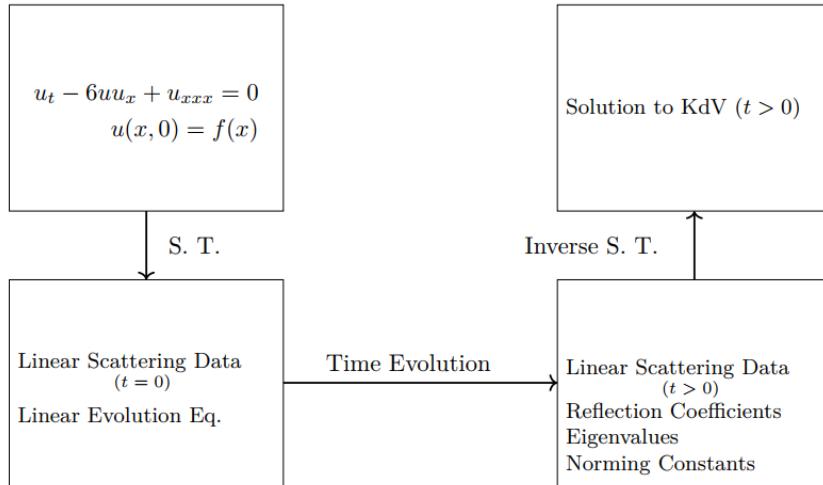


Figure 1: Idea of Scattering and Inverse Scattering

This method transforms the nonlinear problem into a linear problem in the form of a scattering problem，which can be solved more easily。

The solution to the original nonlinear equation is then reconstructed from the scattering data。

A process similar to the Fourier transform。

$$u_t + 6uu_x + u_{xxx} = 0 \text{ 的 Fourier transform 为 } \hat{u}(k, t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x, t) e^{-ikx} dx$$

$$u_t = u_{xx}, u(x, 0) = f(x), -\infty < x < \infty$$

Where $u = u(x, t)$ and $f(x)$ has a Fourier transform。

$$\text{Define Fourier transform } F(k) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-ikx} dx$$

and inverse Fourier transform $f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(k) e^{ikx} dk$
 $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_t e^{-ikx} dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (ue^{-ikx}) dx = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} ue^{-ikx} dx = \frac{\partial U}{\partial t}$, where U is the Fourier transform
of $u(x,t)$ 。

在線性的時候，逆散射變換就是富氏變換。

§ The conservation law KdV 有各種守恆律

Consider $u(x,t)$, $T=f(u)$, $X=g(u)$, and u satisfies the equation $\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} = 0$.

This is a conservation law with density T and flux X .

We have $\frac{d}{dt} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} T dx = -X \Big|_{-\infty}^{\infty} = 0$ If $X \rightarrow 0$ as $|x| \rightarrow \infty$

Then $\frac{d}{dt} (\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} T dx) = 0$, implies that $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} T dx = \text{constant}$.

$$0 = u_t + 6uu_x + u_{xxx} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (-3u^2 + u_{xx}) = 0$$

$T = u$, $X = u_{xx} - 3u^2$ then $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x,t) dx = \text{constant}$, where we have taken $u, u_x, u_{xx} \rightarrow 0$

as $|x| \rightarrow \infty$

$$0 = u(u_t - 6uu_x + u_{xxx}) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\frac{1}{2} u^2 \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(-2u^3 + uu_{xx} - \frac{1}{2} u_x^2 \right)$$

$$\text{Take } T = \frac{1}{2} u^2, X = -2u^3 + uu_{xx} - \frac{1}{2} u_x^2$$

$$\text{So } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u^2 dx = \text{constant}$$

We define w such that $u = w + \varepsilon w_x + \varepsilon^2 w^2$, where u satisfies the KdV equation and ε is any real number.

We can then obtain Gardner equation

$$w_t - 6(w + \varepsilon^2 w^2)w_x + w_{xxx} = 0 \text{ which has a conservation law}$$

$$w_t + (-3w^2 - 3\varepsilon^2 w^3 + w_{xx})_x = 0$$