

One-parameter optimal systems for the nonlinear evolution equation

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Abstract: The symmetry algebras of 1+1 dimensional nonlinear evolution equation arising from the motion of plane curve in affine geometry are systematically studied. It is found that the equation admits a seven-dimensional symmetry group H_1 and there are twenty-one elements in the one-parameter optimal system of the symmetry algebras. The optimality of one-parameter optimal system θ_1 is established by finding some algebraic invariants under the adjoint actions of the group H_1 .

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One of the main applications of Lie theory of symmetry groups for differential equations is the construction of group invariant. Given any subgroup of the symmetry group, under some mild conditions one can write down the equation for the invariant solution with respect to this subgroup. This reduced equation is of fewer variables and is easier to solve generally. In fact, for many important equations arising from geometry and physics these invariant solutions are the only ones which can be studied thoroughly. Their importance lies in the fact that they usually describe the asymptotic behavior or display the structure of the singularities of a general solution.

A basic problem concerning the group invariant solution is its classification. Since a Lie group (or Lie-algebra) usually contains infinitely many subgroups (or subalgebras) of the same dimension, a classification of them up to some equivalence relation is necessary. Following Ovsian-

nikov^[1], one calls two subalgebras θ_1 and θ_2 of a given Lie algebra equivalent if one can find some element g in the Lie group generated by θ so that $Ad_g(\theta_1) = \theta_2$, where Ad_g is the adjoint representation of g on θ . A family of r -dimensional subalgebras $\{\theta_\alpha\} \alpha \in A$ is an r -parameter optimal system if (1) any r -dimensional subalgebra is equivalent to some θ_α and (2) θ_α and θ_β are inequivalent for distinct α and β . Discussions on optimal systems can be found in [1], Olver^[2] and Ibragimov. Some examples of optimal systems can also be found in Ibragimov^[3].

The method in [2] is based on the observation that the Killing form of the Lie algebra is an "invariant" for the adjoint representation. We shall apply this idea to study the nonlinear equation

$$u_t = -u_{xx}^{-4} u_{xxx} + \frac{5}{3} u_{xx}^{-7} u_{xxx}^2, \quad (1)$$

which arises from the motion of plane curves in affine geometry $Sa(2)$

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$$\gamma_t = fn + gt, \quad (2)$$

where f and g are respectively the normal and tangent velocity, γ is the curve. Letting $f = k$, k is the affine curvature in (2), then we get equation (1).

The layout of this paper is as follows: In section 1, we calculate the lie point symmetries admitted by equation (1). In section 2, we construct the 1-parameter optimal system θ_1 of the Lie algebra h_1 and the optimality of the optimal system is also established. Section 3 is the concluding remarks on this work.

1) Lie Point symmetries of the equation (1).

$$\text{Set } \Delta = u_t + u_{xx}^{-\frac{4}{3}} u_{xxxx} - \frac{5}{3} u_{xx}^{-\frac{7}{3}} u_{xxx}^2, \quad (3)$$

we determine the infinitesimal transformations of the form

$$\begin{aligned} X &= x + \epsilon \xi(x, t, u) + O(\epsilon^2), \\ T &= t + \epsilon \tau(x, t, u) + O(\epsilon^2), \\ U &= u + \epsilon \Phi(x, t, u) + O(\epsilon^2). \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Equation (1) admit Lie point transformations of the form (4) if and only if

$$V^{(4)}(\Delta) = 0, \quad \text{whenever } \Delta = 0. \quad (5)$$

where $V^{(4)}$ is the fourth extended generator of

$$V = \xi(x, t, u) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \tau(x, t, u) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \Phi(x, t, u) \frac{\partial}{\partial u},$$

which is given by the following relation

$$V^{(4)} = V + \frac{\Phi^x \partial}{\partial u_x} + \frac{\Phi^t \partial}{\partial u_t} + \frac{\Phi^{xx} \partial}{\partial u_{xx}} + \frac{\Phi^{xt} \partial}{\partial u_{xt}} + \frac{\Phi^{xxx} \partial}{\partial u_{xxx}}.$$

Here $\Phi^x, \Phi^t, \Phi^{xx}, \Phi^{xt}$ and Φ^{xxx} are given explicitly in terms of ξ, τ, Φ and their derivatives^[4].

By solving the determining equations derived by equation (5) we obtain

$$\xi = c_1 u + c_2 x + c_3,$$

Tab. 1 The commutation relations for h_1 (the $(i, j)^{\text{th}}$ -entry is $[v_i, v_j]$)

	v_1	v_2	v_3	v_4	v_5	v_6	v_7
v_1	0	0	0	v_2	v_1	v_1	v_2
v_2	0	0	0	$-v_1$	v_2	$-v_2$	v_1
v_3	0	0	0	0	$8v_3/3$	0	0
v_4	$-v_2$	v_1	0	0	0	$-2v_7$	$2v_6$
v_5	$-v_1$	$-v_2$	$-8v_3/3$	0	0	0	0
v_6	$-v_1$	v_2	0	$2v_7$	0	0	$2v_4$
v_7	$-v_2$	$-v_1$	0	$-2v_6$	0	$-2v_4$	0

Proof Let $w = \sum_1^7 a_i v_i$ is a general vector in h_1 and $A = a_4^2 + a_5^2 - a_6^2 - a_7^2$. Later we shall see that $A(A$

$$\Phi = c_4 u + c_5 x + c_6,$$

$$\tau = \frac{4c_4 t}{3} + \frac{4c_2 t}{3} + c_7.$$

So the Lie point symmetries of equation (1) form a seven-dimensional Lie algebra which is generated by the following vector fields

$$\begin{aligned} v_1 &= \partial_x, v_2 = \partial_u, v_3 = \partial_t, v_4 = x\partial_u - u\partial_x, v_5 = u\partial_u \\ &+ x\partial_x + \frac{8}{3}t\partial_t, v_6 = x\partial_x - u\partial_u, v_7 = x\partial_u + u\partial_x. \end{aligned}$$

We denote the Lie algebra spanned by $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_7\}$ by h_1 .

2) The 1-parameter optimal system for equation (1).

In this section we give an optimal system for the Lie algebra h_1 . To obtain the optimal system of h_1 , we calculate the commutation relations of the Lie algebra h_1 and the adjoint of the Lie group H_1 on the Lie algebra h_1 . The results are listed in table and table 2 respectively.

Theorem 1 An one-dimensional optimal system θ_1 of h_1 is given by

$$\begin{aligned} w_1 &= v_5, w_2 = v_4, w_3 = v_3 + v_4, \\ w_4 &= v_4 - v_3, w_5 = v_5 + av_4 (a \neq 0) \\ w_6 &= v_3, w_7 = v_1, w_8 = v_2 + v_3, \\ w_9 &= v_4 + v_7, w_{10} = v_4 + v_7 + v_3, \\ w_{11} &= v_4 + v_7 - v_3, w_{12} = v_4 + v_7 + v_1, \\ w_{14} &= v_4 + v_7 + v_1 + v_3, \\ w_{15} &= v_4 + v_7 + v_1 - v_3, w_{18a} = v_4 + v_7 + v_5, \\ w_{18b} &= v_4 + v_7 - v_5, w_{19} = v_7, w_{20} = v_3 + v_7, \\ w_{22} &= v_5 + av_7 (a > 0, a \neq 0), \\ w_{23} &= v_5 + v_7, w_{24} = v_5 + v_7 + v_2. \end{aligned}$$

$d(g)v = A(v)$ for all $g \in H_1$ and $v \in h_1$. That's, A is an invariant of h_1 . To simplify w , we consider two cases separately.

1) $a_6^2 + a_7^2 = 0$. A direct calculation shows that

$$Ad \exp(\epsilon v_1) Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_2)(w) = \sum_1^7 \tilde{a}_i v_i, \text{ where}$$

$$\tilde{a}_1 = a_1 - \epsilon_1 a_5 + \epsilon_2 a_4, \tilde{a}_2 = a_2 - \epsilon_1 a_4 - \epsilon_2 a_5.$$

Tab. 2 Actions of the adjoint representation of H_1 on (the $(i, j)^{th}$ - entry is $Ad(\exp \epsilon v_i) v_j$)

Ad	v_1	v_2	v_3	v_4	v_5	v_6	v_7
v_1	v_1	v_2	v_3	$v_4 - \epsilon v_2$	$v_5 - \epsilon v_1$	$v_6 - \epsilon v_1$	$v_7 - \epsilon v_2$
v_2	v_1	v_2	v_3	$v_4 + \epsilon v_1$	$v_5 - \epsilon v_2$	$v_6 + \epsilon v_2$	$v_7 - \epsilon v_1$
v_3	v_1	v_2	v_3	v_4	$v_5 - 8\epsilon v_3/3$	v_6	v_7
v_4	$v_1 \cos \epsilon + v_2 \sin \epsilon$	$v_2 \cos \epsilon - v_1 \sin \epsilon$	v_3	v_4	v_5	$v_6 \cos 2\epsilon + v_7 \sin 2\epsilon$	$v_7 \cos 2\epsilon - v_6 \sin 2\epsilon$
v_5	$e^\epsilon v_1$	$e^\epsilon v_2$	$e^{8\epsilon/3} v_3$	v_4	v_5	v_6	v_7
v_6	$e^\epsilon v_1$	$e^{-\epsilon} v_2$	v_3	$v_4 \cosh 2\epsilon - v_7 \sinh 2\epsilon$	v_5	v_6	$v_7 \cosh 2\epsilon - v_4 \sinh 2\epsilon$
v_7	$v_1 \cosh \epsilon + v_2 \sinh \epsilon$	$v_2 \cosh \epsilon + v_1 \sinh \epsilon$	v_3	$v_4 \cosh 2\epsilon + v_7 \sinh 2\epsilon$	v_5	$v_6 \cosh 2\epsilon + v_4 \sinh 2\epsilon$	v_7

Then w is reduced to: $w = a_3 v_3 + a_4 v_4 + a_5 v_5$.

Now we consider three subcases:

i) If $a_4 = 0, a_5 \neq 0$, we take $a_5 = 1$ and use Ad

$\exp(\epsilon v_3)$ to kill v_3 term by choosing $\epsilon = \frac{3a_3}{8a_5}$.

Then we get an equivalent form for w

$$w_1 = w_5.$$

ii) If $a_4 \neq 0, a_5 = 0$ applying $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_5)$ on w , we have the following inequivalent form

$$w_2 = v_4, (a_3 = 0),$$

$$w_3 = v_4 + v_3, (a_3 a_4 > 0),$$

$$w_4 = v_4 - v_3, (a_3 a_4 < 0).$$

iii) If $a_4 \neq 0, a_5 \neq 0$. using $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_3)$ acting

on w by choosing $\epsilon = \frac{3a_3}{8a_5}$, w is equivalent to: $w_5 = v_5 + a v_4 (a \neq 0)$.

1. 2) $a_6^2 + a_7^2 = 0, a_4^2 + a_5^2 = 0$. In this case is reduced to

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3.$$

If $a_1^2 + a_2^2 = 0$, we obtain $w_6 = w_3, w_6 = v_3$.

If $a_1^2 + a_2^2 \neq 0$, after using $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_4)$ for suitable ϵ , w is equivalent to

$$w_7 = v_1, (a_3 \neq 0), w_8 = v_2 \pm v_3 (a_3 \neq 0).$$

It is also pointed out that $v_3 - v_2$ is mapped into $v_3 + v_2$ by using $Ad \exp(\pi v_4)$.

2) $a_6^2 + a_7^2 \neq 0, w: \sum_1^7 a_i v_i$. Firstly, using $Ad \exp$

(ϵv_4) to kill v_6 term, the coefficient of new w is

$$\tilde{a}_1 = a_1 \cos \epsilon - a_2 \sin \epsilon,$$

1. 1) $a_4^2 + a_5^2 \neq 0$. We can eliminate \tilde{a}_1 and \tilde{a}_2 by choosing

$$\epsilon_1 = (a_1 a_5 + a_2 a_4) / (a_4^2 + a_5^2),$$

$$\epsilon_2 = (a_1 a_4 - a_2 a_5) / (a_4^2 + a_5^2).$$

$$\tilde{a}_2 = a_2 \cos \epsilon - a_1 \sin \epsilon,$$

$$\tilde{a}_6 = a_6 \cos 2\epsilon - a_7 \sin 2\epsilon,$$

$$\tilde{a}_7 = a_7 \cos 2\epsilon + a_6 \sin 2\epsilon.$$

if $a_6 \neq 0$, we choose $\epsilon = \frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{a_7}{a_6}$; if $a_6 = 0$, we

choose $\epsilon = \frac{\pi}{4}$. then $\tilde{a}_6 = 0$. Moreover, using $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_6)$, we can arrange the coefficients of v_4 and v_7 to be equal, so w is equivalent to the following three cases

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_4 v_4 + a_5 v_5, (a_4^2 > a_7^2),$$

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_4 (v_4 + v_7) + a_5 v_5, (a_4^2 = a_7^2),$$

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_5 v_5 + a_7 v_7, (a_4^2 < a_7^2).$$

For the first case, we use $Ad \exp(\epsilon_1 v_1)$ and $Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_2)$ to eliminate a_1 and a_2 . w is reduced to

$$w = a_3 v_3 + a_4 v_4 + a_5 v_5.$$

This case has been classified before.

For the second case

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_4 (v_4 + v_7) + a_5 v_5.$$

If $a_5 = 0$, we choose $\epsilon = \frac{a_2}{2a_4}$ using $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_1)$ to kill v_2 term, w becomes

$$a_1 v_1 + a_3 v_3 + a_4 (v_4 + v_7).$$

Now we consider the following several different cases:

i) $a_1 = a_3 = 0, w_9 = v_4 + v_7$;

ii) $a_1 = 0, a_3 \neq 0, w_{10} = v_4 + v_7 + v_3, (a_3 a_4 > 0)$

$$w_{11} = v_4 + v_7 - v_3, (a_3 a_4 < 0);$$

iii) $a_3 = 0, a_1 \neq 0, w_{12} = v_4 + v_7 + v_1, (a_1 a_4 > 0)$

$$w_{13} = v_4 + v_7 - v_1, (a_1 a_4 < 0);$$

Since $Ad(\exp \pi v_4)(v_4 + v_7 + v_1) = v_4 + v_7 - v_1$, w_{12} is equivalent to w_{13} .

iv) $a_1 \neq 0, a_3 \neq 0$. Acting on w by $Ad \exp(\epsilon_1 v_5)$ and

$Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_6)$ for the suitable ϵ_1, ϵ_2 , we get

$$w_{14} = v_4 + v_7 + v_1 + v_3, \text{ (} a_1 \text{ and } a_3 \text{ have the same}$$

sign),

$$w_{15} = v_4 + v_7 + v_1 - v_3, \text{ (otherwise).}$$

If $a \neq 0, w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_4(v_4 + v_7) + a_5 v_5$,

Choosing $\epsilon_3 = 3a_3/8a_5, \epsilon_2 = a_2/a_5$ and $\epsilon_1 = a_1/a_5$, we

use $Ad \exp(\epsilon_1 v_1), Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_2)$ and $Ad \exp(\epsilon_3 v_3)$

to kill v_1, v_2 and v_3 , then apply $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_6)$ on w ,

so w is equivalent to the following form

$$w_{18a} = v_4 + v_7 + v_5, \text{ (} a_5 a_4 > 0 \text{),}$$

$$w_{18b} = v_4 + v_7 - v_5, \text{ (} a_5 a_4 < 0 \text{).}$$

For the third case

$$w = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + a_3 v_3 + a_5 v_5 + a_7 v_7.$$

We will consider three subcases:

i) $a_5 = 0, a_3 = 0$. After acting on w by $Ad \exp$

$(\epsilon_1 v_1)$ and $Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_2)$ for suitable ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 , we see

that w is equivalent to: $w_{19} = v_7$.

ii) $a_5 = 0, a_3 \neq 0$. We get the following equivalent

form of w by using the action of $Ad \exp(\epsilon_1 v_1)$

$Ad \exp(\epsilon_2 v_2)$ on w

$$w_{20} = v_7 + v_3, \text{ (} a_7 a_3 > 0 \text{), } w_{21} = v_7 - v_3, \text{ (} a_7 a_3 < 0 \text{).}$$

Since $Ad \exp(\frac{\pi}{2} v_4)(w_{20}) = -w_{21}$, w_{21} is equivalent

to w_{20} .

iii) $a_5 \neq 0$. We use $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_3)$ to kill term v_3 ,

then w is reduced to

$$w = a_2 v_2 + a_5 v_5 + a_7 v_7.$$

If $a_2 = 0$, we have

$$w_{22} = v_5 + av_7, \text{ (} a > 0, a \neq 1 \text{), } w_{23} = v_5 + v_7.$$

It is also pointed out $v_5 + av_7 (a > 0)$ is equivalent

to $a_5 - av_7$, since $Ad \exp(\frac{\pi}{2} v_4)(v_5 + av_7) = v_5 -$

av_7 .

If $a_2 \neq 0$, we get

$$w_{24} = v_5 + v_7 + v_2,$$

$$w_{25} = v_5 + v_7 - v_2,$$

$$w_{26} = v_5 - v_7 + v_2,$$

$$w_{27} = v_5 - v_7 - v_2.$$

It is easy to find that

$$Ad \exp(\pi v_4)(v_5 + v_7 + v_2) = v_5 + v_7 - v_2,$$

$$Ad \exp(-\frac{1}{2} v_1) Ad \exp(\frac{1}{2} v_2)(v_5 + v_7 + v_2) =$$

$$v_5 + v_7 - v_1,$$

$$Ad \exp(-\frac{\pi}{2} v_4)(v_5 + v_7 - v_1) = v_5 - v_7 + v_2,$$

$$Ad \exp(\pi v_4)(v_5 - v_7 + v_2) = v_5 - v_7 - v_2.$$

From these expressions, we conclude that w_{24}, w_{25}, w_{26} and w_{27} are equivalent to each other.

Thus, we have shown that every one-dimensional subalgebra of h_1 is equivalent to one member in θ_1 . It remains to prove θ_1 is optimal, we shall accomplish this by introducing some adjoint invariant in addition to A .

Lemma 1 $A = a_{24} + a_{25} - a_{26} - a_{27}$ is an invariant.

Proof A straightforward calculation shows

$$K(V, W) = 10(a_4 \tilde{a}_4 + a_5 \tilde{a}_5 - a_6 \tilde{a}_6 - a_7 \tilde{a}_7) - \frac{172}{9} a_5 \tilde{a}_5$$

is the Killing form of Lie algebra h_1 , where

$$V = \sum_{i=1}^7 a_i v_i, \quad W = \sum_{i=1}^7 \tilde{a}_i v_i.$$

A well-known fact is that the Killing form is invariant under the adjoint action. Hence $K(V, V)$ is invariant under the adjoint action. From Lemma 2, we see A is an invariant.

Lemma 2 a_5 is an invariant.

Proof: This can be easily seen from Tab. 2.

Lemma 3 Define

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & \cdots & -a_5 & -a_6 \\ a_2 & \cdots & -a_4 & -a_7 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & \cdots & a_4 & -a_7 \\ a_2 & \cdots & a_6 & -a_5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$B = \begin{cases} 1 & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases},$$

Then B is an invariant provided $A = 0$.

Proof The new (x, y) under the adjoint actions are listed in Tab. 3, it is clear from this table that B is invariant if $A = 0$.

Tab. 3 New (x, y) under adjoint actions

$Ad(\epsilon)$	New (x, y)
v_1	$(x, y + \epsilon A)$
v_2	$(x - \epsilon A, y)$
v_3	(x, y)
v_4	$(x \cos \epsilon - y \sin \epsilon, x \sin \epsilon + y \cos \epsilon)$
v_5	$e^\epsilon(x, y)$
v_6	$(e^{-\epsilon} x, e^\epsilon y)$
v_7	$(x \cosh \epsilon - y \sinh \epsilon, y \cosh \epsilon - x \sinh \epsilon)$

Lemma 4 Let $C = \begin{cases} a_3, & (a_5 = 0) \\ 0, & (a_5 \neq 0) \end{cases}$.

Then C is an invariant.

Proof From Tab. 1, it is sufficient to check the invariance of C under $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_i)$ for $i=1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7$. In fact under $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_3)$, the new coefficient: $\tilde{a}_3 = a_3 - \frac{8}{3} \epsilon a_5$. Hence $\tilde{a}_3 = a_3$ if and only if $a_5 = 0$. The lemma has been proved.

Lemma 5 Let $D = \begin{cases} \text{sign} a_4, & A - a_5^2 \geq 0, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$ then D is an invariant.

Proof Since a_5, A are invariants, we only need to prove the lemma in the case $a_5 = 1, a_4 \neq 0, a_4^2 - a_6^2 - a_7^2 \geq 0$. When we use $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_i)$ ($i=1, 2, 3, 4, 5$), the value of a_4 is not changed. So $\text{sign} a_4$ is preserved. For $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_6)$, we find

$$\tilde{a}_4 = a_4 \cosh 2\epsilon \left(1 - \frac{a_7}{a_4} \tanh 2\epsilon \right).$$

Since $a_4^2 \geq a_6^2 + a_7^2 \geq a_7^2$, so $|\frac{a_7}{a_4}| \leq 1$ and $|\tanh 2\epsilon| < 1$, so we know $1 - \frac{a_7}{a_4} \tanh 2\epsilon \geq 0, \cos 2\epsilon > 0$. So we can get $\text{sign} \tilde{a}_4 = \text{sign} a_4$.

For $Ad \exp(\epsilon v_7)$, we have $\tilde{a}_4 = a_4 \cosh 2\epsilon \left(1 + \frac{a_6}{a_5} \tanh 2\epsilon \right)$. Equivalently we can prove $\text{sign} \tilde{a}_4 = \text{sign} a_4$. Then the lemma has been proved.

We find that $\{A, B, C, D, a_5, F\}$ is enough to distinguish all the vectors and yields $\{w_1, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_{24}\}$. Now we evaluate them at w_i ($i=1, 2, 3, \dots, 24$), the results are put in Tab. 4. From this table one can see that all w_i are mutually inequivalent. Hence the theorem has been proved.

Finally it is found some algebraic invariants of the symmetry algebra of the 1+1-dimensional nonlinear evolution equation arising from the motion of plane curve in affine geometry under the inner automorphism of the Lie group H_1 . These invariants are used to establish the optimality of the one-parameter optimal systems of the symmetry algebras of the 1+1-dimensional nonlinear evolution equation. It is of great interest to classify all subalgebras of h_1 and to extend the results to the higher-dimensional differential equations.

Tab. 4 Evaluation of the invariants

	A	B	C	D	a_5	F
w_1	1	0	0	0	1	0
w_2	1	0	0	1	0	0
w_3	1	0	1	1	0	0
w_4	1	0	-1	1	0	0
w_5	$1+a^2$	0	0	a	1	$0(a \neq 0)$
w_6	0	0	1	0	0	0
w_7	0	0	0	0	0	1
w_8	0	0	1	0	0	1
w_9	0	0	0	1	0	0
w_{10}	0	0	1	1	0	0
w_{11}	0	0	-1	1	0	0
w_{12}	0	1	0	1	0	0
w_{14}	0	1	1	1	0	0
w_{15}	0	1	-1	1	0	0
w_{18a}	1	0	0	1	1	0
w_{18b}	1	0	0	-1	1	0
w_{19}	-1	0	0	0	0	0
w_{20}	-1	0	1	0	0	0
w_{22}	$1-a^2$	0	0	0	0	$a(a \neq 1)$
w_{23}	0	0	0	0	1	0
w_{24}	0	1	0	0	1	0

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非线性发展方程的一维最优系统

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摘要:系统地研究了来自于射影几何中平面曲线运动的 $1+1$ 维非线性方程的对称代数。发现此方程有一个七维对称群并且其对称代数的一维最优子代数有 21 个元素, 通过寻找在群的伴随作用下的代数不变量, 证明了该最优系统的最优性。

关键词:对称李群; 最优系统; 伴随表示; 非线性发展方程

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$$\frac{\Phi^4(q-1)}{q-1} \prod_{p|q-1} \left(1 + \frac{1}{(p-1)^3}\right),$$

及

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{c \in F_q^*} V^2(c, q) &= \\ \sum_{c \in F_q^*} \left(\frac{1}{q-1} \sum_{\chi} \bar{\chi}(c) \left(\sum_{\alpha \in A} \chi(\alpha) \right)^3 \right)^2 &= \\ \frac{1}{q-1} \sum_{\chi} \left| \sum_{\alpha \in A} \chi(\alpha) \right|^6 &= \\ \frac{\Phi^6(q-1)}{q-1} \sum_{k|q-1} \sum_{h=1}^k \frac{\mu^6(k)}{\Phi^6(k)} &= \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\Phi^6(q-1)}{q-1} \prod_{p|q-1} \left(1 + \frac{1}{(p-1)^5}\right).$$

于是完成定理 2 的证明。

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On the properties of the generators in a finite field

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Abstract: The properties of the generators in a finite field are studied and something interesting are obtained.

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