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In this paper, the bilinear integrability for B-type KdV equation have been explored. According to the relation to tau function, we find the bilinear transformation and construct the bilinear form with an auxiliary variable of the B-type KdV equation. Based on the truncation form, the Bäcklund transformation has been constructed. Furthermore, the N-soliton solutions and Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solutions of the B-type KdV equation are obtained.

*Keywords:* Bilinear Integrability; Bäcklund Transformation; Soliton Solution; Riemann-theta function solution.

### 1. Introduction

Various physical phenomena in physics, engineering, mechanics, biology and chemistry are modeled by nonlinear partial differential equations(NLPDEs). The research on the integrability and exact solution of these equations plays a major role in the study of the nonlinear interaction in the physical phenomena and provide better knowledge of possible applications[1,6,13]. It is well known that there are several kinds of definitions for integrability, Liouville integrability, Lax integrability, inverse scattering integrability, bilinear integrability, Painlevé integrability, symmetry integrability, C-integrability and so on [7,8,9,11]. The Hirota bilinear method is a direct approach to construct the soliton solutions and Riemann-theta function solutions of certain NLPDEs[4,10,12,14].

The B-type KdV equation

$$\begin{cases} u_t = (k+1)v_x \\ v_t = -\frac{1}{k+1}(kv_{xx} - v_{xx} - 2w_x) \\ w_t = -\frac{k^2+1}{k+1}v_{xxx} + (k+1)(vu_x + 2uv_x) + \frac{k-1}{k+1}w_{xx} \end{cases} \quad (1.1)$$

belongs to the B-type KdV hierarchy constructed in the Ref.[5], where we constructed a class of B-type KdV hierarchies by using Lie algebra splitting, and researched the Lax pair, Bäcklund transformation and Hamilton structure of the B-type KdV equation(1.1). However, it is not clear about the bilinear integrability, the existence of N-soliton solutions and Riemann-theta function solutions. In this paper, we mainly discuss the bilinear integrability, and construct the N-soliton solutions and Riemann-theta function solutions of the B-type KdV equation.

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### 2. Lax Integrability and Tau function

First we recall the definition of  $\tau_f$  given by Wilson in [3].

**Definition 2.1.** Assume that  $\mathcal{L}_\pm$  is a splitting of  $\mathcal{L}$  compatible with the 2-cocycle that defines a central extension, and that  $J = \{J_j | j \geq 1\}$  is a vacuum sequence in  $\mathcal{L}_+$ . For  $f \in \mathcal{L}_-$ , the tau function  $\tau_f$  associated to  $f$  is a function of  $t = (t_1, \dots, t_N)$  defined by

$$\tau_f(t) = \mu(V(t)f^{-1}) \tag{2.1}$$

where  $V(t) = \exp(\sum_{j=1}^N t_j J_j)$  is the vacuum frame and  $\mu$  is the Wilson's  $\mu$ -function[3].

**Theorem 2.1**<sup>[2]</sup>. Let  $\mathcal{L}_\pm \in \mathcal{L}$ ,  $(\mathcal{L}_+, \mathcal{L}_-)$  be a splitting,  $J = \{J_j | j \geq 1\}$  a vacuum sequence,  $\omega$  a 2-cocycle on  $\mathcal{L}$  compatible with the splitting, and  $V(t) = \exp(\sum_{j=1}^N t_j J_j)$  the vacuum frame. Let  $f \in \mathcal{L}_-$ , and

$$V(t)f^{-1} = M^{-1}(t)E(t) \tag{2.2}$$

with  $M(t) \in \mathcal{L}_-$  and  $E(t) \in \mathcal{L}_+$ . Then

- (1)  $(\ln \tau_f)_{t_j} = \langle J_j, M^{-1} \partial_\lambda M \rangle_{-1} = \langle MJ_j M^{-1}, (\partial_\lambda M) M^{-1} \rangle_{-1}$ ,
- (2)  $(\ln \tau_f)_{t_1 t_j} = \langle MJ_j M^{-1}, \partial_\lambda J_1 \rangle_{-1}$ .

From Ref.[5], we know that for the Lie algebras

$$\mathcal{L}_+^B = \{ \sum_{j \geq 0} A_j \lambda^j | A_j \in sl(4, \mathbb{C}) \}, \mathcal{L}_-^B = \{ B((A_1)_+) + \sum_{j < 0} A_j \lambda^j | A_j \in sl(4, \mathbb{C}) \}, \tag{2.3}$$

if

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1-k}{k-1} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{k-1}{k-1} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \tag{2.4}$$

then  $(\mathcal{L}_+^B, \mathcal{L}_-^B)$  becomes a Lie algebra splitting.

Let  $e_{ij}$  be the  $ij$ -th elementary matrix,  $a = e_{41}, b = e_{12} + e_{23} + e_{34}$ , and  $J = az + b$ . From the Lie algebra splitting  $(\mathcal{L}_+^B, \mathcal{L}_-^B)$  and vacuum sequence  $J = \{J^i | i \geq 1\}$ , the B-type III KdV hierarchy can be constructed.

Let  $f \in \mathcal{L}_-^B$ , and  $u_f = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ u & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ w & kv & u & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , we have  $Q(u_f) = MJM^{-1}$ . Write  $Q(u_f)$  in power series in

$\lambda$

$$Q(u_f) = MJM^{-1} = a\lambda + \sum_{i \leq 0} Q_i \lambda^i.$$

And the flow generated by  $J^3$  is exact B-type KdV Equation (1.1). By Theorem 2.1 (2), we have  $(\ln \tau_f)_{t_1 t_j} = tr(aQ_j)$ . According to the expression of  $Q_1$ , we can give explicit formulas of  $(\ln \tau_f)_{t_1 t_1}$  in terms of  $u_f$  for the B-type KdV hierarchy and

$$(\ln \tau_f)_{t_1 t_1} = tr(aQ_1) = -\frac{1}{2}u. \tag{2.5}$$

### 3. Bilinear Integrability

**Theorem 3.1.** Under the transformation

$$\begin{cases} u = -2(\ln \phi)_{xx}, \\ v = -\frac{2}{k+1}(\ln \phi)_{xt}, \\ w = -(\ln \phi)_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{k+1}(\ln \phi)_{xxt}, \end{cases} \quad (3.1)$$

B-type KdV equations (1.1) can be bilinearized into

$$\begin{cases} (\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_x D_s)\phi \cdot \phi = 0, \\ (\frac{1}{3}D_x^3 D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_s D_t)\phi \cdot \phi = 0, \end{cases} \quad (3.2)$$

where  $s$  is an auxiliary variable.

**Proof.** From the formula (2.5), we have

$$u = -2(\ln \phi)_{xx}, \phi = \tau_f. \quad (3.3)$$

Substituting (2.5) into (1.1), we can easily obtain the bilinear transformation (3.1).

Let  $p = 2 \ln \phi$ , (3.1) can be simplified into

$$\begin{cases} u = -p_{xx}, \\ v = -\frac{1}{k+1}p_{xt}, \\ w = -\frac{1}{2}p_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{2(k+1)}p_{xxt}. \end{cases} \quad (3.4)$$

Substituting (3.4) into (1.1), we can represent the resulting equation as follows,

$$\frac{1}{2}(p_{xxxx} + p_{xx}^2 + p_{tt})_t + (p_{xt}p_{xx})_x = 0. \quad (3.5)$$

In order to write (3.5) in a local bilinear form, we introduce an auxiliary variable  $s$  and impose subsidiary constraint items, then (3.5) becomes

$$\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{3}p_{xxxx} + p_{xx}^2 + p_{tt} + p_{xs})_t + (\frac{1}{3}p_{xxt} + p_{xt}p_{xx} - \frac{1}{2}p_{st})_x = 0. \quad (3.6)$$

Thus, we can assume that

$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}p_{xxxx} + p_{xx}^2 + p_{tt} + p_{xs} = 0 \\ \frac{1}{3}p_{xxt} + p_{xt}p_{xx} - \frac{1}{2}p_{st} = 0. \end{cases} \quad (3.7)$$

Finally we have the following bilinear forms

$$\begin{cases} (\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_x D_s)\phi \cdot \phi = 0 \\ (\frac{1}{3}D_x^3 D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_s D_t)\phi \cdot \phi = 0. \end{cases}$$

□

#### 4. Soliton Solution

Next we construct soliton solutions of B-type KdV equation (1.1).

First, expand  $\phi$  in the power series of a small parameter  $\varepsilon$  as follows

$$\phi = 1 + \varepsilon\phi^{(1)} + \varepsilon^2\phi^{(2)} + \varepsilon^3\phi^{(3)} + \dots \quad (4.1)$$

Substituting it into (3.2), we have

$$\varepsilon : \begin{cases} (\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_xD_s)(\phi^{(1)} \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot \phi^{(1)}) = 0, \\ (\frac{1}{3}D_x^3D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_sD_t)(\phi^{(1)} \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot \phi^{(1)}) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (4.2)$$

$$\varepsilon^2 : \begin{cases} (\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_xD_s)(\phi^{(2)} \cdot 1 + \phi^{(1)} \cdot \phi^{(1)} + 1 \cdot \phi^{(2)}) = 0, \\ (\frac{1}{3}D_x^3D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_sD_t)(\phi^{(2)} \cdot 1 + \phi^{(1)} \cdot \phi^{(1)} + 1 \cdot \phi^{(2)}) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (4.3)$$

$$\varepsilon^3 : \begin{cases} (\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_xD_s)(\phi^{(3)} \cdot 1 + \phi^{(2)} \cdot \phi^{(1)} + \phi^{(1)} \cdot \phi^{(2)} + 1 \cdot \phi^{(3)}) = 0, \\ (\frac{1}{3}D_x^3D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_sD_t)(\phi^{(3)} \cdot 1 + \phi^{(2)} \cdot \phi^{(1)} + \phi^{(1)} \cdot \phi^{(2)} + 1 \cdot \phi^{(3)}) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (4.4)$$

⋮

Consider 1-soliton solution, we suppose

$$\phi^{(1)} = e^{\eta_1}, \quad \eta_1 = \alpha_1x + \beta_1t + \gamma_1s + \eta_0^{(1)}, \quad (4.5)$$

where  $\alpha_1, \beta_1, \gamma_1$  are constants to be determined. Substituting it into (4.2), we get

$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}\alpha_1^4 + \beta_1^2 + \alpha_1\gamma_1 = 0, \\ \frac{1}{3}\alpha_1^3\beta_1 - \frac{1}{2}\beta_1\gamma_1 = 0. \end{cases} \quad (4.6)$$

From (4.6) we have

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{2}{3}\alpha_1^3, \quad \alpha_1^4 + \beta_1^2 = 0. \quad (4.7)$$

Choosing  $\phi^{(2)} = \phi^{(3)} = \dots = 0$ , the expansion of  $\phi$  is truncated with a finite sum, and exact solution of (4.2) reads

$$\phi = 1 + \varepsilon e^{\eta_1}, \quad \eta_1 = \alpha_1x + \beta_1t + \frac{2}{3}\alpha_1^3s + \eta_0^{(1)}, \quad (4.8)$$

where  $\alpha_1, \beta_1$  satisfy condition  $\alpha_1^4 + \beta_1^2 = 0$ . By using transformation (3.1), 1-soliton solution of B-type KdV equations (1.1) reads(set  $\varepsilon = 1$ )

$$\begin{cases} u = -2\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1})_{xx} = -\frac{\alpha_1^2}{2}(\sinh \frac{\alpha_1 x + \beta_1 t + \gamma_1 s + \eta_0^{(1)}}{2})^2, \\ v = -\frac{2}{k+1}\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1})_{xt} = -\frac{\alpha_1 \beta_1}{2(k+1)}(\sinh \frac{\alpha_1 x + \beta_1 t + \gamma_1 s + \eta_0^{(1)}}{2})^2, \\ w = -\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1})_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{k+1}\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1})_{xxt} = [-\frac{\beta_1^2}{4} + \frac{(k-1)\alpha_1^2 \beta_1}{4(k+1)} \\ \tanh \frac{\alpha_1 x + \beta_1 t + \gamma_1 s + \eta_0^{(1)}}{2}](\sinh \frac{\alpha_1 x + \beta_1 t + \gamma_1 s + \eta_0^{(1)}}{2})^2, \end{cases} \quad (4.9)$$

where  $\alpha_1, \beta_1, \gamma_1$  satisfy the conditions  $\gamma_1 = \frac{2}{3}\alpha_1^3, \alpha_1^4 + \beta_1^2 = 0$ .

Next we find 2-soliton solution by assuming

$$\phi^{(1)} = e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2}, \eta_i = \alpha_i x + \beta_i t + \gamma_i + \eta_0^{(i)}, \quad i = 1, 2. \quad (4.10)$$

From (4.2), we can get

$$\gamma_i = \frac{2}{3}\alpha_i^3, \alpha_i^4 + \beta_i^2 = 0, \quad i = 1, 2. \quad (4.11)$$

According to value of  $\phi^{(1)}$ , solving (4.3), we have

$$\phi^{(2)} = e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2 + A_{12}}, e^{A_{12}} = \frac{(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)^2}{\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2}. \quad (4.12)$$

By choosing  $\phi^{(i)} = 0, i \geq 3$ , the expansion (4.1) is truncated with a finite sum, and exact solution of (4.3) reads

$$\phi = 1 + \varepsilon e^{\eta_1} + \varepsilon e^{\eta_2} + \varepsilon^2 \frac{(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)^2}{\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2} e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2}, \quad (4.13)$$

where

$$\eta_i = \alpha_i x + \beta_i t + \frac{2}{3}\alpha_i^3 s + \eta_0^{(i)}, \quad i = 1, 2. \quad (4.14)$$

Utilizing transformations (3.1), we have the 2-soliton solution of B-type KdV equations(1.1)

$$\begin{cases} u = -2\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2} + e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2 + A_{12}})_{xx}, \\ v = -\frac{2}{k+1}\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2} + e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2 + A_{12}})_{xt}, \\ w = -\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2} + e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2 + A_{12}})_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{k+1}\ln(1 + e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2} + e^{\eta_1 + \eta_2 + A_{12}})_{xxt}. \end{cases} \quad (4.15)$$

And we can easily have the  $N$ -soliton solution of B-type KdV equation (1.1)

$$\begin{cases} u = -2(\ln \phi)_{xx}, \\ v = -\frac{2}{k+1}(\ln \phi)_{xt}, \\ w = -(\ln f)_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{k+1}(\ln \phi)_{xxt}, \\ \phi = \sum_{\mu=0,1} \exp\left(\sum_{i=1}^N \mu_i \eta_i + \sum_{1 \leq i < j}^N A_{ij} \mu_i \mu_j\right), \end{cases} \quad (4.16)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \eta_i &= \alpha_i x + \beta_i t + \frac{2}{3} \alpha_i^3 s + \eta_0^{(i)}, \\ \gamma_i &= \frac{2}{3} \alpha_i^3, \quad \alpha_i^4 + \beta_i^2 = 0, \\ e^{A_{ij}} &= \frac{(\alpha_i - \alpha_j)^2}{\alpha_i^2 + \alpha_j^2}, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, N. \end{aligned} \quad (4.17)$$

the notation  $\sum_{\mu=0,1}$  means the sum of all possible combinations of  $\mu_1 = 0, 1, \mu_2 = 0, 1, \dots, \mu_n = 0, 1$ .

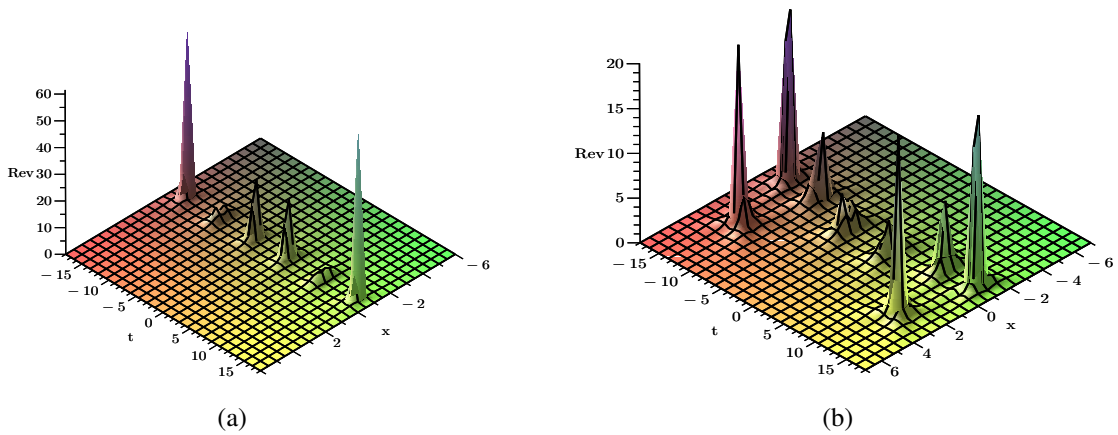


Fig.1 The evolution of soliton solutions (4.16)  $Rev$  with  $\alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 0.5, s = 1, k = 2$ . (a)1-soliton (b)2-soliton.

### 5. Bäcklund Transformation

Based on the bilinear transformation (3.1), we can obtain the Bäcklund transformation of (1.1).

If  $\{u_0, v_0, w_0\}$  is a solution of (1.1), then

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \frac{2\phi_x^2 - 2\phi_{xx}\phi}{\phi^2} + u_0, \\ v &= \frac{2}{k+1} \frac{\phi_x\phi_t - \phi_{xt}\phi}{\phi^2} + v_0, \\ w &= \frac{(k-1)(-2\phi_x^2\phi_t + 2\phi\phi_x\phi_{xt} + \phi\phi_t\phi_{xx} - \phi_{xxt}\phi^2)}{(k+1)\phi^3} + \frac{\phi_t^2 - \phi\phi_{tt}}{\phi^2} + w_0, \end{aligned} \tag{5.1}$$

is another new solution of (1.1), where  $\phi$  satisfies the following conditions

$$\begin{cases} -\phi_{xxxxt} - \phi_{ttt} + 4u_0\phi_{xxt} + 2(k+1)v_0\phi_{xxx} + 2u_{0x}\phi_{xt} + 4(k+1)v_{0x}\phi_{xx} = 0, \\ \phi_{xxxx}\phi_t - 2\phi_{xx}\phi_{xxt} + 4\phi_x\phi_{xxx} + 3\phi_t\phi_{tt} - 8u_0\phi_x\phi_{xt} - 4u_0\phi_{xx}\phi_t \\ - 6(k+1)v_0\phi_x\phi_{xx} - 2u_{0x}\phi_x\phi_t - 4(k+1)v_{0x}\phi_x^2 = 0, \\ 2(k+1)v_0\phi_x^3 + 2\phi_x^2(2u_0\phi_t - \phi_{xxt}) + 2\phi_x(\phi_{xx}\phi_{xt} - \phi_{xxx}\phi_t) + \phi_t(\phi_{xx}^2 - \phi_t^2) = 0. \end{cases} \tag{5.2}$$

Start with zero solution  $\{u_0, v_0, w_0\} = \{0, 0, 0\}$ , (5.2) becomes into

$$\begin{cases} \phi_{xxxxt} + \phi_{ttt} = 0, \\ 3\phi_t\phi_{tt} + 4\phi_x\phi_{xxx} - 2\phi_{xx}\phi_{xxt} + \phi_{xxxx}\phi_t = 0, \\ \phi_{xx}^2\phi_t - 2\phi_x^2\phi_{xxt} - 2\phi_x\phi_t\phi_{xxx} - \phi_t^3 + 2\phi_x\phi_{xt}\phi_{xx} = 0. \end{cases} \tag{5.3}$$

It is not difficult to verify that if  $\phi$  satisfies

$$\phi_t = i\phi_{xx}, \quad \phi_{xx} = c_0\phi_x, \tag{5.4}$$

where  $c_0$  is a constant, the system (5.3) holds automatically.

**Remark 5.1:** It is obvious that the system (5.3) is different from the bilinear equation (3.2). But these are both special cases of (3.5) from two different angles. Actually, if we look for soliton solutions using this Bäcklund transformation, we can obtain the same result as section 4.

**Remark 5.2:** These linear differential conditions may be useful to get the Wronskian determinant solutions.

## 6. Riemann theta Function Solution

In this section, we consider Riemann theta function solution of Eq.(1.1).

In fact, we have the following general bilinear form of Eq.(1.1) based on (3.6),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_1(D_x, D_t, D_s)\phi \cdot \phi &= \left(\frac{1}{3}D_x^4 + D_t^2 + D_xD_s + c_1\right)\phi \cdot \phi = 0, \\ \mathcal{L}_2(D_x, D_t, D_s)\phi \cdot \phi &= \left(\frac{1}{3}D_x^3D_t - \frac{1}{2}D_sD_t + c_2\right)\phi \cdot \phi = 0. \end{aligned} \tag{6.1}$$

where  $c_1 = c_1(x, s), c_2 = c_2(t, s)$  are constants of integration.



In order to find one-periodic wave solutions of (1.1), we investigate the following Riemann theta function with  $N = 1$

$$\phi = \vartheta(\xi, \tau) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} e^{2\pi i n \xi + \pi n^2 \tau} \tag{6.2}$$

where the phase variable  $\xi = \alpha x + \omega t + \gamma s + \delta_0$  and the parameter  $\tau < 0$ .

Substitute (6.2) into (6.1), by virtue of the similar result in [10,11], we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_1(4n\pi i \alpha, 4n\pi i \omega, 4n\pi i \gamma) e^{2n^2 \pi \tau} &= 0, \\ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_1(2\pi i(2n-1)\alpha, 2\pi i(2n-1)\omega, 2\pi i(2n-1)\gamma) e^{(2n^2-2n+1)\pi \tau} &= 0, \\ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_2(4n\pi i \alpha, 4n\pi i \omega, 4n\pi i \gamma) e^{2n^2 \pi \tau} &= 0, \\ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_2(2\pi i(2n-1)\alpha, 2\pi i(2n-1)\omega, 2\pi i(2n-1)\gamma) e^{(2n^2-2n+1)\pi \tau} &= 0. \end{aligned} \tag{6.3}$$

That is,  $\omega, \gamma, c_1, c_2$  are determined by the algebraic system

$$\begin{aligned} 2a\omega^2 + 2a\alpha\gamma + c_1a_1 &= a_2\alpha^4 \\ 2b\omega^2 + 2b\alpha\gamma + c_1b_1 &= b_2\alpha^4 \\ -a\gamma\omega + c_2a_1 &= -a_2\alpha^3\omega \\ -b\gamma\omega + c_2b_1 &= -b_2\alpha^3\omega \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 8\pi^2 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} n^2 \lambda^{2n^2}, b = 2\pi^2 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (2n-1)^2 \lambda^{2n^2-2n+1}, \\ a_1 &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \lambda^{2n^2}, b_1 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \lambda^{2n^2-2n+1}, \lambda = e^{\pi \tau} \\ a_2 &= \frac{256}{3} \pi^4 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} n^4 \lambda^{2n^2}, b_2 = \frac{16}{3} \pi^4 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (2n-1)^4 \lambda^{2n^2-2n+1} \end{aligned} \tag{6.4}$$

Solve this system, we easily get

$$\omega^2 = \frac{a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1}{2a b_1 - 2a_1 b} \alpha^4, c_1 = \frac{a b_2 - b a_2}{a b_1 - a_1 b} \alpha^4, c_2 = -\frac{a b_2 - b a_2}{a b_1 - a_1 b} \alpha^3 \omega.$$

It can be concluded that the B-type KdV equation (1.1) has the following Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solutions

$$\begin{cases} u = -2(\ln \vartheta(\xi, \tau))_{xx}, \\ v = -\frac{2}{k+1}(\ln \vartheta(\xi, \tau))_{xt}, \\ w = -(\ln \vartheta(\xi, \tau))_{tt} - \frac{k-1}{k+1}(\ln \vartheta(\xi, \tau))_{xxt} \end{cases} \tag{6.5}$$

where  $\xi = \alpha x \pm \sqrt{\frac{a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1}{2ab_1 - 2a_1 b}} \alpha^2 t + \varepsilon_0$ ,  $\varepsilon_0 = \gamma s + \delta_0$  is an arbitrary constant and  $a, a_1, a_2, b, b_1, b_2$  satisfy (6.4).

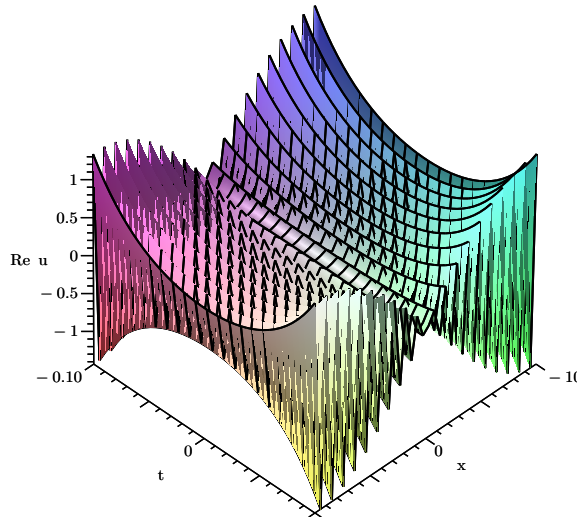


Fig.2 The Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solution (6.5)  $Reu$  with  $k = -2, \tau = -1, \alpha = 1, \varepsilon_0 = 0$ .

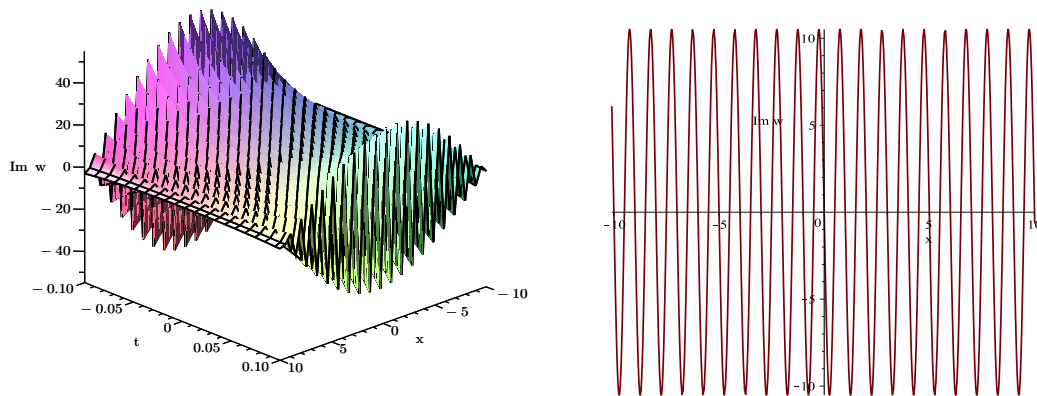


Fig.3 The Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solution (6.5)  $Imw$  with  $k = -2, \tau = -1, \alpha = 1, \varepsilon_0 = 0$ .

**Remark 6.1:** If we take the limit of Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solution as  $\lambda \rightarrow 0$ , we can get the 1-soliton solution (4.9). It is not surprised, but it is worthwhile to say that both  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  approach to zero as  $\lambda \rightarrow 0$ . That is,  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are not necessary to get soliton solutions. This is why we only need use the simplest bilinear form (3.2) in section 3 and 4.

## 7. Conclusion

In sum, we have discussed bilinear integrability of the B-type KdV equation. By using the relation between flow and tau function, we constructed the Hirota bilinear formulation and Bäcklund transformation. In addition, the N-soliton solution and Riemann-theta function 1-periodic solutions have been constructed. This idea can be extended to other B-type KdV hierarchy even more NLPDEs.

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