# REPRESENTATION OF SOLUTIONS OF FREDHOLM EQUATIONS IN $W_2^2(\Omega)$ OF REPRODUCING KERNELS

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we derive a decomposition of the solution of Fredholm equations of the second kind in terms of reproducing kernels in the space  $W_2^1(\Omega)$ .

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

The solution problem in integral equations is to find an effective decomposition of the solution u of the form  $u = \sum c_n s_n$ , where the coefficients  $c_n$  and harmonics  $s_n$  have computable and relevant properties, optimal and desired duration properties in terms of the information area, respectively. (e. g., Benedetto & Walnut [2]).

Let  $\phi(x,y)$  be bounded on  $\Omega=[a,b]\times[c,d]$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and let

$$W_2^2(\Omega) = \Big\{ u(x,y) \, \Big| \, u(x,y) \ \text{ is absolutely continuous and } \ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} \in L^2(\Omega) \Big\}.$$

It is evident from the work of Cui, Deng & Wu [4], Cui, Lee & Lee [5] that the decomposition of the solution of Fredholm equations depends on  $W_2^1(\mathbb{R})$ , the space of reproducing kernels.

The present work addresses the solution representation based on Cui's approach by replacing  $\mathbb{R}$  into  $\Omega$  and we formulate the structure of this decomposition in terms of the reproducing kernels in  $W_2^2(\Omega)$ .

## 2. Space $W_2^2(\Omega)$ and Reproducing Kernels

Throughout,  $L^2(\Omega)$  denotes, as usual, the Hilbert space of all Lebesgue square integrable functions on  $\Omega$  and R(A) the range of bounded linear operator A on

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 $W_2^2(\Omega)$ . The needed facts about reproducing kernels can be found in Lee, Lee & Kim [7], Saitoh [9].

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $\phi(x,y)$  be bounded on  $\Omega = [a,b] \times [c,d]$ . If

$$\phi(I_i) = b_i d_i + a_i c_i - a_i d_i - b_i c_i \ge 0 \tag{1}$$

for  $I_i = [a_i, b_i) \times [c_i, d_i) \subset \Omega$ , where  $[a_i, b_i)$  and  $[c_i, d_i)$  are finite pairwise disjoint subintervals of [a, b] and [c, d], respectively. Then  $\phi$  is called 'monotone' on  $\Omega$ .

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $\phi(x,y)$  be bounded and monotone on  $\Omega = [a,b] \times [c,d]$ . If, given any  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that  $\min\{|b_i - a_i|, |d_i - c_i|\} < \delta$  implies  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} \phi(I_i) < \epsilon$ , then  $\phi$  is called 'absolutely continuous' on  $\Omega$ .

We now define, for  $u, v \in W_2^2(\Omega)$ ,

$$\langle u, v \rangle = \int \int_{\Omega} \left( u(x, y)v(x, y) + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} \frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x \partial y} \right) d\sigma \tag{2}$$

as inner product on  $W_2^2(\Omega)$  and norm  $||u||_{W_2^2} = \langle u, u \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $f \in W_2^2(\Omega)$ . Then  $||f||_{\infty} = \sup_{p \in \Omega} |f(p)| \le M||f||_{W_2^2}$ , where

$$M = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(b-a)(d-c)}} [(b-a)(d-c) + (b-a) + (d-c) + 1].$$

*Proof.* Let  $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2) \in \Omega$ . Then

$$f(x_2, y_2) = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \int_{y_1}^{y_2} f_{t\tau}'' d\tau dt + \int_{x_1}^{x_2} f_t'(t, y_1) dt + \int_{y_1}^{y_2} f_{\tau}'(x_1, \tau) d\tau + f(x_1, y_1).$$
(3)

Let the both sides of (3) integrate over  $\Omega$ . Then, Cauchy-Schwartz, and Hölder's inequalities allow us to compute

$$\int_{\Omega} |f(x_{2}, y_{2})| dx_{1} dy_{1} = \int_{\Omega} \left| \int_{x_{1}}^{x_{2}} \int_{y_{1}}^{y_{2}} f_{t\tau}''(t, \tau) d\tau dt + \int_{x_{1}}^{x_{2}} f_{t}'(t, y_{1}) dt \right| + \int_{y_{1}}^{y_{2}} f_{\tau}'(x_{1}, \tau) d\tau + f(x_{1}, y_{1}) dx_{1} dx_{2}.$$

$$(4)$$

On the other hand, since

$$\begin{split} &|f(x_{2},y_{2})|(b-a)(d-c)\\ &\leq (b-a)(d-c)\int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f_{t\tau}''(t,\tau)\Big|dtd\tau + (b-a)\int_{c}^{d}\int_{a}^{b}\Big|f_{t}'(t,y_{1})\Big|dtdy_{1}\\ &+ (d-c)\int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f_{\tau}'(x_{1},\tau)\Big|d\tau dt + \int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f(x_{1},y_{1})\Big|dx_{1}dy_{1}\\ &\leq (b-a)(d-c)\Big\{(b-a)(d-c)\Big(\int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f_{t\tau}''(t,\tau)\Big|^{2}d\tau dt\Big)^{\frac{1}{2}}\\ &+ (b-a)\Big(\int_{c}^{d}\int_{a}^{b}\Big|f_{t}'(t,y_{1})\Big|^{2}dtdy_{1}\Big)^{\frac{1}{2}} + (d-c)\Big(\int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f_{\tau}'(x_{1},\tau)\Big|^{2}d\tau dx_{1}\Big)^{\frac{1}{2}}\\ &+ \Big(\int_{a}^{b}\int_{c}^{d}\Big|f(x_{1},y_{1})\Big|^{2}dx_{1}dy_{1}\Big)^{\frac{1}{2}}\Big\}, \end{split}$$

we have

$$|f(x_{2}, y_{2})| \leq \left[\frac{(b-a)(d-c) + (b-a) + (d-c) + 1}{(b-a)(d-c)}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \left\{ \int_{a}^{b} \int_{c}^{d} \left\{ |f_{t\tau}''(t,\tau)|^{2} + |f_{t}'(t,y_{1})|^{2} + |f_{\tau}'(x_{1},\tau)|^{2} + |f_{t\tau}''(t,\tau)|^{2} \right\} dx_{1} dy_{1} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}} = M||f||_{W_{2}^{2}}.$$

We recall, (see Cui & Deng [3], Cui, Deng & Wu [4]), that any  $u(x) \in W_2^1([a,b])$  can be represented in terms of a reproducing kernel such as  $u(x) = \langle u(\cdot), R_x(\cdot) \rangle$ , where

$$R_x(y) = \frac{1}{2sh(b-a)} [ch(y+x-a-b) + ch(|y-x|+a-b)], y \in [a,b].$$

Our next result extends this formula to the case of  $\Omega = [a, b] \times [c, d]$ .

**Theorem 2.4.**  $R_{xy}(\cdot, \cdot)$  is a reproducing kernel of space  $W_2^2(\Omega)$ , where  $R_{xy}(\cdot, \cdot) = R_x(\cdot)R_y(\cdot)$ .

*Proof.* For any  $u \in W_2^2(\Omega)$ ,

$$\langle u(\cdot, \cdot), R_{xy}(\cdot, \cdot) \rangle = \int_{c}^{d} d\eta \int_{c}^{d} \left\{ u(\xi, \eta) R_{xy}(\xi, \eta) + u'_{\xi}(\xi, \eta) R'_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\xi} + u'_{\eta}(\xi, \eta) R'_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\eta} + u''_{\xi\eta}(\xi, \eta) R''_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\xi\eta} \right\} d\xi$$

$$= \int_{c}^{d} \left\{ \int_{a}^{b} u(\xi, \eta) R_{xy}(\xi, \eta) d\xi + u'_{\xi}(\xi, \eta) R'_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\xi} \right\} d\xi$$

$$+ u'_{\eta}(\xi, \eta) R'_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\eta} + u''_{\xi\eta}(\xi, \eta) R''_{xy}(\xi, \eta)_{\xi\eta} \Big\} d\xi$$

$$= \int_{c}^{d} d\eta \Big\{ R_{y}(\eta) \int_{a}^{b} \Big( u(\xi, \eta) R_{x}(\xi) + u'_{\xi}(\xi, \eta) R'_{x}(\xi)_{\xi} \Big) d\xi$$

$$+ R'_{y}(\eta)_{\eta} \int_{a}^{b} \Big( u'_{\eta}(\xi, \eta) R_{x}(\xi) + u''_{\xi\eta} R'_{x}(\xi)_{\xi} \Big) d\xi \Big\}.$$

Applying the reproducing properties of  $R_y(\xi)$ , we have

$$\int_a^b \left[ u(\xi,\eta) R_x(\xi) + u_\xi'(\xi,\eta) R_x'(\xi)_\xi \right] d\xi = \langle u(\cdot,\eta), R_x(\cdot) \rangle = u(x,\eta).$$

$$\int_a^b u_\eta'(\xi,\eta) R_x(\xi) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi} \left( u_\eta'(\xi,\eta) \right) R_x'(\xi)_\xi d\xi = \langle u_\eta'(\cdot,\eta), R_x'(\cdot) \rangle = u_\eta'(x,\eta).$$
So that,

$$\langle u(\cdot,\cdot),R_{xy}(\cdot,\cdot)\rangle = \int_{c}^{d} \Big\{ u(x,\eta)R_{y}(\eta) + u'_{\eta}(x,\eta)R'_{x}(\eta) \Big\} d\eta.$$

Finally, we use the definition of reproducing kernels to get the conclusion.  $\Box$ 

## 3. Decomposition by Reproducing Kernels

Let us consider the following classical Fredholm equation

$$u(x,y) - \lambda \int_a^b \int_c^d k(x,y;t, au) u(t, au) dt d au = f(x,y),$$

and let

$$(I - \lambda \mathbb{K})u = f, (5)$$

where I is identity operator,  $\lambda$  is parameter, and

$$\mathbb{K}u = \int_a^b \int_c^d k(x,y;t, au) u(t, au) dt d au.$$

Then, for a given sequence  $(p_i)$  in  $\Omega = [a, b] \times [c, d]$ , an elementary linear algebra argument shows that  $(\phi_j(p_i))$  is linearly independent Lee, Lee, & Kim [7], where  $\phi_j(p_i) = R_{p_j}(p_i)$  for  $p_i \in \Omega$ .

We begin by stating the next results, whose conclusion will be needed for our purposes.

**Lemma 3.1.** Let A be a bounded linear operator on  $W_2^2(\Omega)$ ,  $A^*$  be adjoint of A, and  $(p_i)$  be dense in  $\Omega$ . Then  $(A^*\phi_j(p_i))$  is complete if and only if A is one-to-one.

Proof. Assume A is one-to-one and for  $u \in W_2^1(\Omega)$ , let  $\langle u, A^*\phi_j(p_i) \rangle = 0$ . Then  $\langle u, A^*\phi_j(p_i) \rangle = \langle Au, \phi_j(p_i) \rangle = (Au)(p_i) = 0$ . Thus, the assumption of A implies u = 0. Conversely, let Au = 0. For each  $\phi_j(p_i)$ ,  $\langle Au, \phi_j(p_i) \rangle = \langle u, A^*\phi_j(p_i) \rangle = 0$ . Hence we have u = 0.

**Lemma 3.2.** If  $\overline{R(A)} = W_2^2(\Omega)$ , then  $(A^*\phi_i(p_i))$  is linearly independent.

*Proof.* Let  $c = (c_i) \in \mathbb{C}$ , and let  $\sum c_i A^* \phi_i(p_i) = 0$ . Then, for

$$u \in W_2^2(\Omega), \langle Au, \sum c_j \phi_j \rangle = 0.$$

It follows easily that  $\sum c_j \phi_j(p_i) \in \overline{R(A)}^{\perp} = \{o\}$ . So that we have  $c_j = 0$ .

We use now Lemmas 3.1 and 3.2 to prove the following characterization of reproducing kernels.

**Theorem 3.3.** Let Au = f from (5), where  $A = I - \lambda \mathbb{K}$  and  $p = (p_i)$  be dense in  $\Omega$ . Then u is decomposed by reproducing kernels.

*Proof.* The above Lemmas show that  $(A^*\phi_j(p))$  is complete and linearly independent. We now let  $\psi_j(p)=(A^*\phi_j(p))$ . By using Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization procedure of  $(\psi_j)$ , we obtain  $(\tilde{\psi}_j)$  such that, as usual,  $\langle \tilde{\psi}_i, \tilde{\psi}_j \rangle = 1$  if i=j and 0 if  $i \neq j$ . Let  $\tilde{\psi}_i(p) = \sum_{j=1}^i \beta_{ij} \psi_j(p)$ . Then, we have

$$u = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \langle u, \tilde{\psi}_k \rangle \tilde{\psi}_k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \langle u, A^* \sum_{j=1}^{k} \beta_{kj} \phi_j(p) \rangle \tilde{\psi}_k$$
$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{k} \beta_{kj} \langle Au, \phi_j \rangle \tilde{\psi}_k(p) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{k} \beta_{kj} f(p) \tilde{\psi}_k(p)$$
$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \tilde{f}_k \tilde{\psi}_k(p),$$

where  $\tilde{f}_k = \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_{kj} f(p)$ , and the theorem is proved.

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