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ABSTRACT. In this paper we use the method of upper and lower solutions to study multivalued Sturm–Liouville and periodic boundary value problems, with Caratheodory orientor field. We prove two existence theorems. One when the orientor field $F(t, x, y)$ is convex-valued and the other when $F(t, x, y)$ is nonconvex valued. Finally we show that the “convex” problem has extremal solutions in the order interval determined by an upper and a lower solution.

INTRODUCTION

In this paper we study second order multivalued boundary value problems. We use the method of upper and lower solutions to prove two existence theorems. One when the orientor field $F(t, x, y)$ is convex-valued and the other when $F(t, x, y)$ is nonconvex valued. Finally we show that the “convex” problem has extremal solutions in the order interval determined by an upper and a lower solution.

$$C^2([a, b], \mathbb{R})$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{-x'' t}{f t, x t, x' t} \in U t, x t \quad T \quad \frac{f t, x t, x' t, u t}{F t, x, y} \in f t, x, y, U t, x \quad T \\
& F t, x, y \in \{-v \in \mathbb{R} \mid f t, x, y, v\} \quad T \\
& -r t, x t, r t, x t \in T \quad \frac{-x'' t \in f t, x t, x' t}{F t, x, y} \in f t, x, y, -r t, x, r t, x \quad T \\
& T \quad \frac{-x'' t \in f t, x t, x' t}{f t, x t, x' t} \in f t, x t, x' t \quad T \\
& f_1 t, x, y \quad \overline{\frac{f t, x', y'}{x' \rightarrow x, y' \rightarrow y}} \quad f_2 t, x, y \quad \overline{\frac{f t, x', y'}{x' \rightarrow x, y' \rightarrow y}} \quad N \\
& f_1 t, x, y \in F t, x t, x' t \quad \frac{F t, x, y}{T} \quad f_2 t, x, y \in f_1 t, x, y, f_2 t, x, y \quad t \in T \\
& f_1 t, \cdot, \cdot \quad f_2 t, \cdot, \cdot \quad F t, \cdot, \cdot
\end{aligned}$$

PRELIMINARIES

$$T \subset [a, b]$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -x''(t) \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) \\ B_0 x \quad k_0, \quad B_1 x \quad b \quad k_1 \end{array} \quad T$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -x''(t) \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) \\ x \quad x(b), \quad x' \quad x'(b) \end{array} \quad T$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} a_0, a_1, c_0, c_1 \geq & B_0 x & a_0 x & -c_0 x' & B_1 x & b & a_1 x & b & c_1 x' & b \\ & a_0 & a_1 b & c_1 & c_0 a_1 / & T & B_0 x & & B_1 x & b \\ & x'' t & & & h \in L^1(T) & & & x'' t & h t \\ T & B_0 x & k_0 & B_1 x & b & k_1 & & & \end{array}$$

$$x(t) = u(t) + \int_0^b G(t, s) h(s) ds, \quad t \in T$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} u \in C^2([a, b]) & u''(t) & t \in T & B_0 u & k_0 & B_1 u & b & k_1 \\ G \in C(T \times T) & & & & & & & \end{array}$$

Definition.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} x \in W^{2,1}(T) & & & & & & & & \\ v \in L^1(T) & & v(t) \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) & & T & -x''(t) & v(t) & & \\ T & B_0 x & k_0 & B_1 x & b & k_1 & & & \end{array}$$

Definition.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} \phi \in W^{2,1}(T) & & & & & & & & \\ v_1 \in L^1(T) & & v_1(t) \in F(t, \phi(t), \phi'(t)) & & T & -\phi''(t) & v_1(t) & & \\ T & B_0 \phi & \geq k_0 & B_1 \phi & b & \geq k_1 & & & \\ \psi \in W^{2,1}(T) & & & & & & & & \\ v_0 \in L^1(T) & & v_0(t) \leq \psi''(t) & & T & -\psi''(t) & \leq v_0(t) & & \\ B_0 \psi & \leq k_0 & B_1 \psi & b & \leq k_1 & & & & \end{array}$$

X

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{f(e)} X &= \{A \subseteq X \mid A = \{x \in X \mid f(x) \in e\}\} \\
T &= \{b \in X \mid \exists x \in X \quad \exists t \in T \quad \sigma \in B(T) \\
&\quad \text{such that } b = d(x, F t) \quad \text{and} \\
&\quad \|x - y\|_F \leq y \in F t\} \\
F t &= \{\overline{f_n(t)}\}_{n \geq 1} \quad t \in T \\
F &= T \rightarrow P_f X \quad S_F^1 \\
L^1(T, X) &= \{f \in F t \mid f(t) \in S_F^1\} \\
F &= \frac{S_F^1 / \emptyset}{S_F^1} \quad \{\|y\| \mid y \in F t\} \in L^1(T) \\
t \in T \quad F t &= \frac{S_F^1}{L^1(T)} \quad f_1, f_2, A \in S_{F_1}^1 \times S_{F_2}^1 \times \mathcal{L} \\
t \rightarrow \|y\| \quad y \in F t &= \frac{S_F^1}{f_1, f_2, A} \\
\chi_A f_1 &= \chi_{A^c} f_2 \in S_F^1 \\
\chi_{A^c} &= \chi_A \\
Y, Z &= G \cdot Y \rightarrow {}^Z \setminus \{\emptyset\} \\
V \subseteq Z &= G^+ V \quad \{y \in Y \mid G y \subseteq V\} \\
G y \cap C / \emptyset\} &= \frac{Y}{C \subseteq Z} \quad G^- C \quad \{y \in Y \mid y \in Y \\
G y \in P_f Z &= \frac{Z}{G \cdot} \quad y \in Y \\
GrG &= \{y, z \in Y \times Z \mid z \in G y\} \quad Y \times Z \\
&= \frac{\overline{G Y}}{G y} \quad Z \\
&= \frac{y \in Y}{G \cdot Y \rightarrow {}^Z \setminus \{\emptyset\}} \\
V \subseteq Z &= \frac{G^- V}{C \subseteq Z} \quad \{y \in Y \mid G y \cap V / \emptyset\} \\
Y &= \frac{Y}{Z} \quad G^+ C \quad \{y \in Y \mid G y \subseteq C\} \quad Y \\
y_n \rightarrow y &= Y \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad G y \subseteq \underline{G y_n} \quad \{z \in Z \mid d_Z(z, G y_n) \leq G\} \\
d_Z(\cdot, \cdot) &= \frac{G}{Z} \quad G \cdot
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} z \in Z \quad y \rightarrow d_Z(z, G(y)) \\ \mathbb{R}_+ \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y, Z & & G: Y \rightarrow {}^Z \setminus \{\emptyset\} \\ & & Y, Z \\ A: Y \rightarrow Z & & Y \\ Z & & \end{array}$$

EXISTENCE RESULTS

$$\psi \leq \phi \quad K(\psi, \phi) = \{x \in W^{2,1}(T) : \psi(t) \leq x(t) \leq \phi(t) \quad t \in T\}$$

H F 1 $F: T \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow P_{f_c}(\mathbb{R})$

$$x, y \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \quad t \rightarrow F(t, x, y)$$

$$t \in T \quad x, y \rightarrow F(t, x, y)$$

$$r > \gamma_r \in L^1(T) \quad t \in T$$

$$|x|, |y| \leq r \quad |F(t, x, y)| \leq \gamma_r(t)$$

H₀ $\psi \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad \psi(t) \leq \phi(t) \quad t \in T \quad \psi \in W^{2,1}(T)$

$$|F(t, x, y)| \leq h|y| \quad t \in T \quad x \in \psi(t), \phi(t) \quad y \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\theta \int_0^r \frac{dr}{h(r)} > \int_{t \in T} |\psi(t) - \phi(t)| \quad \theta = \frac{r}{b} \quad |\psi(b) - \phi(b)|, |\psi(b) - \phi(b)|$$

Remark.

$$H_0$$

$$-x''(t) \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) \quad t \in T$$

Lemma 1.

$$\text{If } H_0 \quad x \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad -x''(t) \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) \quad t \in T$$

$$\psi(t) \leq x(t) \leq \phi(t) \quad \psi, \phi, h$$

$$\text{then } \frac{N_1}{t \in T} \quad |x'(t)| \leq N_1$$

Proof.

$$H_0 \quad N_1 > \theta$$

$$\int_{t \in T} |\psi(t) - \phi(t)| < \int_0^{N_1} \frac{r}{h(r)} dr.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& t \in T \quad |x'| \leq N_1 \\
& t \in T \quad |x'| > N_1 \\
& t_0 \in [b] \quad x'|_{t_0} = \frac{x(b) - x(0)}{b} \Rightarrow \\
& |x'|_{t_0} = \frac{1}{b}|x(b) - x| \leq \frac{1}{b} \quad |\psi - \phi|_b \leq |\psi(b) - \phi(b)| \leq \frac{|\psi(b) - \phi(b)|}{b} \leq \\
& x(b) - x \leq \phi(b) - \psi \\
& x'|_{t_0} \leq \theta < N_1 \quad x'|_t > N_1.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& x' \cdot \\
& C^1(T) \subseteq T \\
& x'|_{t_1} = \theta, x'|_{t_2} = N_1 \quad \theta < x'|_t < N_1 \quad t \in [t_1, t_2] \\
& x'|_{t_1} = N_1, x'|_{t_2} = \theta \quad \theta < x'|_t < N_1 \quad t \in [t_1, t_2] \\
& x'|_{t_1} = -\theta, x'|_{t_2} = -N_1 \quad -N_1 < x'|_t < -\theta \quad t \in [t_1, t_2] \\
& x'|_{t_1} = -N_1, x'|_{t_2} = -\theta \quad -N_1 < x'|_t < -\theta \quad t \in [t_1, t_2].
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& -x''|_t \in F(t, x|_t, x'|_t) \quad t \in T \\
& \Rightarrow -x''|_t - x'|_t \leq F(t, x|_t, x'|_t) - x'|_t \leq h - x'|_t - x'|_t \quad t \in T \\
& \Rightarrow \frac{-x''|_t - x'|_t}{h|x'|_t|} \leq x'|_t \quad t \in T \quad h \in \mathbb{R}_+ \setminus \{0\} \\
& t_1, t_2 \\
& \frac{t_2}{t_1} \frac{-x''|_t - x'|_t}{h|x'|_t|} dt \leq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} x'|_t dt = x|_{t_2} - x|_{t_1} \leq \max_{t \in T} |\phi(t) - \psi(t)| \\
& r = x'|_t \quad dr = x''|_t dt \quad x'|_{t_1} = \theta, x'|_{t_2} = N_1 \\
& \int_{\theta_1}^{N_1} \frac{r}{h|r|} dr \leq \max_{t \in T} |\phi(t) - \psi(t)|,
\end{aligned}$$

□

$$K = \psi, \phi \quad \{x \in W^{2,1}(T) \mid \psi|_T \leq x|_T \leq \phi|_T\}$$

Theorem 2.

If hypotheses H , F_1 and H_0 hold,

then problem has a solution $x \in W^{2,1}(T)$ in $K = \psi, \phi$.

Proof.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} K & |x'| t | \leq N_1 & x \in W^{2,1}(T) & N_1 & \phi, \psi, h \\ N_1 & N, \|\phi'\|_\infty, \|\psi'\|_\infty & t \in T & & \\ \tau \in W^{1,1}(T) \rightarrow W^{1,1}(T) & & & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \phi t & \phi t \leq x t \\ \tau x t & x t & \psi t \leq x t \leq \phi t \\ & \psi t & x t \leq \psi t . \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & & x \in W^{1,1}(T) & \tau x \in \\ W^{1,1}(T) & & & & \\ & & & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \phi' t & \phi t < x t \\ \tau x' t & x' t & \psi t \leq x t \leq \phi t \\ & \psi' t & x t < \psi t . \end{array}$$

$$N \quad q_N : L^1(T) \rightarrow L^1(T)$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} N & N \leq h t \\ q_N h t & h t & -N \leq h t \leq N \\ & -N & h t \leq -N , \end{array}$$

$$u : T \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} x - \phi t & \phi t \leq x \\ u t, x & \psi t \leq x \leq \phi t \\ x - \psi t & x \leq \psi t . \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} N_F x & S_{F(\cdot, \tau(x)(\cdot), q_N(\tau(x)')(\cdot))}^1 & x \in W^{1,1}(T) & & G \\ W^{1,1}(T) \rightarrow L^1(T) & & & & \end{array}$$

$$G x = \{v \in N_F x \mid v t \geq v_0 t \quad x < \psi < \phi$$

$$v t \leq v_1 t \quad \psi < \phi < x \} .$$

$$x \in W^{1,1}(T) \quad G x$$

$$G x$$

$$G x = t \rightarrow F t, \tau x t, q_N \tau x' t$$

$$H F_1 = t \rightarrow F t, \tau x t, q_N \tau x' t$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} F t, \tau x t, q_N \tau x' t & & & & t \rightarrow \\ & \{s_n\}_{n \geq 1} & \{r_n\}_{n \geq 1} & & \\ & |s_n t| \leq |q_N \tau x' t| & s_n t \rightarrow \tau x t & & |s_n t| \leq |\tau x t| \\ n \rightarrow \infty & H_0 & r_n t \rightarrow q_N \tau x' t & T & \\ & & n \geq t \rightarrow F t, s_n t, r_n t & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& v_n : T \rightarrow \mathbb{R} & v_n(t) \in F(t, s_n(t), r_n(t)) \\
& T \subseteq H^1(F_1) & |v_n(t)| \leq \gamma_r(t) \quad T \cap n \geq \\
& \| \psi \|_\infty, \| \phi \|_\infty, N & \gamma_r \in L^1(T) \\
& r > \| \psi \|_\infty, \| \phi \|_\infty, N & v_n \xrightarrow{w} v \in L^1(T) \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& v_n \xrightarrow{w} v \in L^1(T) & \{v_n(t)\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq \overline{F(t, s_n(t), r_n(t))} \\
& v(t) \in \overline{\{v_n(t)\}_{n \geq 1}} & \subseteq F(t, \tau(x), q_N(\tau(x')), t) \\
& F(t, \tau(x), q_N(\tau(x')), t) & \subseteq T \\
& H^1(F_1) & v \in N_F(x) \\
& A_1 \quad \psi \leq x \leq \phi & A_2 \quad x < \psi < \phi \quad A_3 \quad \psi < \phi < x \\
& v \in G(x) & \chi_{A_1} v = \chi_{A_2} v_0 = \chi_{A_3} v_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& G \subseteq W^{1,1}(T) \subseteq L^1(T) & C \subseteq L^1(T) \subseteq G^- \cap C \quad \{x \in \\
& W^{1,1}(T) \cap G(x) \setminus \emptyset\} & \{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq G^- \cap C \\
& x_n \rightarrow x \quad W^{1,1}(T) \cap n \rightarrow \infty & W^{1,1}(T) \cap n \rightarrow \infty \quad v_n \in G(x_n) \cap C \\
& n \geq & |v_n(t)| \leq \gamma_r(t) \quad T \cap r > \|\psi\|_\infty, \|\phi\|_\infty, N \\
& v_n \xrightarrow{w} v \in L^1(T) & \{v_n(t)\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq \overline{T} \cap S_1 \\
& \lambda S_1 \quad \lambda & \tau: W^{1,1}(T) \rightarrow W^{1,1}(T) \quad q_N: L^1(T) \rightarrow L^1(T)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \tau(x_n(t)) \rightarrow \tau(x(t)) \quad q_N(\tau(x_n(t))) \rightarrow q_N(\tau(x(t))) \quad T \subseteq H^1(F_1) \\
& v \in N_F(x) \quad t \in x < \psi < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad t \in x_n < \psi < \phi \quad n \geq n_0 \\
& v_n(t) \geq v_0(t) \quad v(t) \geq v_0(t) \quad t \in \psi < \phi < x \\
& t_n \in \psi < \phi < x \quad n \geq n_1 \quad v_n(t) \leq v_1(t) \\
& v(t) \leq v_1(t) \quad v \in G(x) \cap C & D = \{x \in W^{2,1}(T) \mid B_0 x = k_0, B_1 x = b, k_1\} \\
& L(D) \subseteq L^1(T) \rightarrow L^1(T) \quad L(x) = x'' & L(I) = L
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& L^{-1}: L^1(T) \rightarrow D \subseteq W^{1,1}(T) & R(L) \subseteq L^1(T) \subseteq L \\
& h \in L^1(T) & -x''(t) = x(t) - h(t) \quad T \\
& B_0 x = k_0, B_1 x = b, k_1 & B_0 x = k_0, B_1 x = b, k_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& x \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad h \in C(T) \quad h \in L^1(T) \\
& \{h_n\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq C(T) \quad h_n \rightarrow h \quad L^1(T) \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& x_n \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad n \geq & h_n \rightarrow h \quad L^1(T) \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& h_n \in C(T) \quad x_n(t) = u(t) \quad u''(t) = B_0 u + k_0 & \int_0^b G(t, s) h_n(s) ds \\
& u \in W^{2,1}(T) & B_1 u + b = k_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$G \in C(T \times T)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & |x_n(t)| \leq |u(t)| \quad \|G\|_\infty \|h_n\|_1 \leq u(t) \quad M_1 \quad \frac{n}{\|x_n\|_1} \geq \dots \quad t \in T \\ & \{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} \subset W^{2,1}(T) \quad \{x_n''\}_{n \geq 1} \subset W^{1,1}(T) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & x_n \rightarrow x \quad W^{1,1}(T) \quad x_n'' \xrightarrow{\substack{w \\ \nu}} v \quad L^1(T) \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad T \quad B_0 x \quad v \quad x'' \\ & x \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad x(t) \in h(t) \quad x \in W^{2,1}(T) \quad h \in L^1(T) \\ & B_1 x \quad b \quad k_1 \quad R \quad L \quad L^1(T) \end{aligned}$$

$$x_1, x_2 \in D \quad x = x_1 - x_2$$

$$T_+ = \{t \in T \mid x(t) > 0\} \quad T_- = \{t \in T \mid x(t) < 0\}$$

$$\lambda >$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^b |x(t) - \lambda x''(t)| dt \geq \int_{T_+}^b |x(t) - \lambda x''(t)| dt - \int_{T_-}^b |x(t) - \lambda x''(t)| dt \\ & \geq \int_{T_+}^b |x(t) - \lambda x''(t)| dt - \int_{T_-}^b |x(t) - \lambda x''(t)| dt \\ & \quad \int_{T_+}^b |x(t)| dt - \int_{T_-}^b |x(t)| dt - \lambda \int_{T_+}^b |x''(t)| dt - \lambda \int_{T_-}^b |x''(t)| dt \\ & \quad \int_0^b |x(t)| dt - \lambda \int_{T_+}^b |x''(t)| dt - \int_{T_-}^b |x''(t)| dt. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & T_k \quad < a < b \quad T_+ \quad T_k \quad a, c \quad < a < c < b \quad T_k \\ & , a \quad x(a) - x(c) \quad x(t) > t \in [a, c] \quad x'(a) \geq x'(c) \quad a, c \\ & x(a) - x'(a) \leq \int_a^b |x''(t)| dt \quad x'(a) - x'(c) \leq \int_c^b |x''(t)| dt \quad a, c \\ & x(a) - \frac{a_0}{c_0} x'(c_0) \leq B_0 x \quad x = x_1 - x_2 \quad c_0 \\ & x'(c_0) \leq \int_{T_-}^b |x''(t)| dt \leq \int_0^b |x''(t)| dt \geq \int_0^b |x(t)| dt \\ & \Rightarrow x_1 - \lambda L x_1 - x_2 - \lambda L x_2 \geq \|x_1 - x_2\|. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} I & L^{-1} & L^{-1} & L^1 & T & \rightarrow D \subseteq L^1 & T \\ & & & & m & & \\ & & \theta > & & & & L \end{array}$$

$$E_\theta \quad x \in D \quad \|x\|_1 - \|x''\|_1 \leq \theta$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} E_\theta & W^{2,1} & \|x\|_1 - \|x''\|_1 & & W^{2,1} & T \\ E_\theta & W^{2,1} & T & & & \\ L^1 & T & E_\theta & L^{-1} & L^1 & T \\ V \subseteq L^1 & T & h \in V & \rightarrow D \subseteq L^1 & T \\ -x'' & x & h & x & L^{-1} & h \\ & & & & & \\ \|x\|_1 \leq \| -x'' - x\|_1 \leq & \|h\|_1 & h \in V & |V| < \infty \\ \Rightarrow \|x''\|_1 \leq |V|. & & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} L^{-1} & V & I & L^{-1} & V \\ & W^{1,1} & T & & W^{2,1} & T \\ & W^{1,1} & T & h_n \rightarrow h & L^1 & T \\ I & L^{-1} & h_n & n \geq & n \rightarrow \infty & x_n \\ L^1 & T & \{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} & W^{2,1} & T & x_n \rightarrow x \\ & & W^{2,1} & T & W^{1,1} & T \\ n \rightarrow \infty & & L^{-1} & L^1 & T & x_n \rightarrow x \\ & & \rightarrow D \subseteq W^{1,1} & T & & W^{1,1} & T \\ & & & & & & I & L^{-1} & h \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} U & L^1 & T & \rightarrow L^1 & T \\ G & x - U & x & x \in W^{1,1} & T \\ & & L^1 & T & \\ & W^{1,1} & T & L^1 & T \\ & & & & \\ |G_1 x| & \leq \eta^* & u(t,x) & \in & G_1 x \\ r > & \frac{\|g\|_1}{\|\psi\|_\infty, \|\phi\|_\infty, N} & g \in G_1 x & \leq & \eta^* \\ & & W^{1,1} & T & \rightarrow D \subseteq W^{1,1} & T \\ & & L^{-1} G_1 & & & x \in W^{1,1} & T \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x \in D & x \in L^{-1} G_1 x & x \in D \\ L^{-1} G_1 & S \subseteq D & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} S \subseteq K & \psi, \phi & & & \\ x \in S & & & & \\ & & & & \\ -x'' t & v t - u t, x t & & T & \\ B_0 x & k_0, B_1 x & b & k_1 & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} v \in G x & v t \in F t, \tau x t, q_N \tau x' t & & T & v t \geq v_0 t \\ x < \psi < \phi & v t \leq v_1 t & \psi < \phi < x & & \end{array}$$

$$\psi \in W^{2,1} T$$

$$\frac{-\psi'' t}{B_0 \psi} \leq v_0 t \quad \frac{T}{B_1 \psi b} \leq k_1$$

$$v_0 \in L^1 T \quad v_0 t \in F t, \psi t, \psi' t \quad T$$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi'' t - x'' t &\geq v t - v_0 t - u t, x t \\ &\quad \psi - x + t \quad T, b \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^b \psi'' - x'' - t \psi - x + t dt = \int_0^b v - v_0 - t \psi - x + t dt$$

$$= \int_0^b u t, x t - \psi - x + t dt.$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^b \psi'' - x'' - t \psi - x + t dt \\ &= \int_0^b \psi' - x' - b \psi - x + b - \psi' - x' - \psi - x + \\ &- \int_0^b \psi' - x' - t \psi - x + t dt. \end{aligned}$$

$$c_1 \psi' b \leq k_1 - a_1 \psi b \quad c_1 x' b \leq k_1 - a_1 x b.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi - x + b &\leq k_1 & c_1 x b &\leq \frac{k_1}{c_1} - \frac{a_1}{c_1} \psi b & \psi b &\leq x b \\ \psi' - x' b &\leq \frac{a_1}{c_1} x - \psi b & \psi - x b &\leq \frac{a_1}{c_1} x - \psi b & \psi - x + b &\leq \frac{a_1}{c_1} x - \psi b \\ x + b &\leq \psi' - x' & \psi' - x' b &\leq \psi - x + b & \psi - x + b &\leq \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^b \psi'' - x'' - t \psi - x + t dt \leq - \int_0^b \psi' - x' - t \psi - x + t dt$$

$$- \int_0^b \psi - x + t^2 dt \leq .$$

$$\int_0^b v - v_0 - t \psi - x + t dt \geq \int_{\{\psi > x\}} v - v_0 - t \psi - x - t dt$$

$$v \in G x$$

$$\begin{aligned} & - \int_0^b u(t, x) t - \psi - x + t dt \leq \\ & \Rightarrow \int_0^b \psi - x + t dt \leq u, \\ & \Rightarrow \psi t \leq x t \quad t \in T. \end{aligned}$$

$$x \in S \quad x \in S \quad t \in T \quad q_N x \quad q_N \tau x \quad S \subseteq K \quad \frac{\psi}{x}, \phi$$

$$x \in D \subseteq W^{2,1} T \quad \square$$

$$F(t, x, y)$$

H F 2 $F: T \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow P_f \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} t, x, y \rightarrow F(t, x, y) \\ t \in T \quad x, y \rightarrow F(t, x, y) \\ r > \gamma_r \in L^1(T) \\ |x|, |y| \leq r \quad |F(t, x, y)| \leq \gamma_r \quad |v| \quad v \in F(t, x, y) \leq \gamma_r t \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.

If hypotheses $H F_2$ and H_0 hold,
then problem has a solution $x \in W^{2,1} T$ in the order interval $K \subset \psi, \phi$

Proof. $x \in W^{1,1} T \quad N_F x$

$$\begin{aligned} G x & \quad \{v \in L^1 T \quad v t = f t \quad \psi \leq x \leq \phi \cap \psi < \phi, \\ & \quad v t = f t, v_0 t \quad x < \psi < \phi, \\ & \quad v t = f t, v_1 t \quad \psi < \phi < x, \\ & \quad v t = \psi'' t \quad \psi = \phi, \\ & \quad f \in N_F x, f t \geq v_0 t \quad x = \psi < \phi \\ & \quad f t \leq v_1 t \quad \psi < \phi = x \}. \end{aligned}$$

$$x' t = \psi' t \quad x = \psi \quad x' t = \phi' t \quad x \in W^{1,1} T \quad G x = \phi \quad / \emptyset$$

$$\begin{aligned} G: W^{1,1} T \rightarrow P_f L^1 T \\ \{v \in L^1 T \quad v \in W^{1,1} T \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad v_n \in L^1 T, v_n \in G x_n, n \geq \} \quad G x \subseteq \overline{G x_n} \quad \{v \in L^1 T \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& d_{L^1(T)} v, G x_n \} \\
& f \in N_F x \quad v t \leq f t \quad v \in G x \\
& f t \geq v_0 t \quad \psi < \phi \quad f t \leq v_1 t \quad \psi \leq x \leq \phi \cap \psi < \phi \\
& g_n \in N_F x_n \quad n \geq \psi < \phi \quad x \\
& L^1 T \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad f_n \quad g_n, v_0 \chi_{A_1^n} \quad g_n, v_1 \chi_{A_2^n} \quad g_n \chi_{A_3^n} \\
& A_1^n \subset x_n \quad \psi < \phi \quad A_2^n \subset x_n \quad A_3^n \subset T \setminus A_1^n \cup A_2^n \\
& f_n \in N_F x_n \quad f_n \rightarrow f \quad L^1 T \\
& f_n t \rightarrow f t \quad t \in T \setminus S_1 \lambda S_1 \\
& f_n t \quad \psi \leq x_n \leq \phi \cap \psi < \phi \\
& v_n t \quad f_n t, v_0 t \quad x_n < \psi < \phi \\
& f_n t, v_1 t \quad \psi < \phi < x_n \\
& \psi'' t \quad \psi < \phi \\
& v_n \in G x_n \quad n \geq \\
& v_n t \rightarrow v t \quad t \in T \setminus S_1 \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& t \in \psi < x < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad t \in \psi < x_n < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad n \geq n_0 \\
& x_n \rightarrow x \quad C T \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad v_n t \quad f_n t \rightarrow f t \quad v t \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& t \in x < \psi < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad t \in x_n < \psi < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad n \geq n_1 \\
& v_n t \quad f_n t, v_0 t \rightarrow f t, v_0 t \quad v t \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& t \in \psi < \phi < x \setminus S_1 \quad t \in \psi < \phi < x_n \setminus S_1 \quad n \geq n_2 \\
& v_n t \quad f_n t, v_1 t \rightarrow f t, v_1 t \quad v t \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& t \in x \psi < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad \{m\} \quad \{n\} \quad x_m t < \\
& x t \quad v_m t \quad f_m t, v_0 t \rightarrow f_m t, v_0 t \quad v t \quad f t \\
& \{k\} \quad \{n\} \quad x t < x_k t < \phi t \quad v_k t \quad f_k t \rightarrow \\
& f t \quad v t \quad k \rightarrow \infty \\
& t \in \psi < \phi \quad x \setminus S_1 \\
& t \in \psi < \phi \setminus S_1 \quad v_n t \quad \psi'' t \rightarrow \psi'' t \quad v t \quad n \rightarrow \infty \\
& v \quad L^1 T \quad \{v_n\}_{n \geq 1} \\
& n \geq \quad G x \subseteq \underline{\underline{G}} x_n \quad v_n \in G x_n \\
& G \cdot \\
& G_1 x \quad G x - U x \quad x \quad U x \\
& u \cdot, x \cdot \quad G_1 \cdot
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 g_1 \quad W^{1,1} T \rightarrow L^1 T \\
 x \in W^{1,1} T \quad L \\
 L^{-1} g_1 x \} \\
 x \in S_0
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{c}
 g_1 x \in G_1 x \\
 S_0 \quad \{x \in D \mid x
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{c}
 S_0 \neq \emptyset \\
 S_0 \subseteq K \quad \psi, \phi
 \end{array}
 \qquad \square$$

EXTREMAL SOLUTIONS

$$\begin{array}{c}
 S \\
 x_*, x^* \in S
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{c}
 K \quad \psi, \phi \\
 K \\
 x \in S \quad x_* \leq x \leq x^*
 \end{array}$$

Theorem 4.

If hypotheses $H F_1$ and H_0 hold,
then problem has extremal solutions in the order interval $K \quad \psi, \phi$

Proof. S / \emptyset

$$\begin{array}{c}
 S \\
 x_1, x_2 \in S \quad x_3 \in W^{1,1} T \quad x_1, x_2 \in \tau_3 x \quad u_3 t, x \quad \{x_3, \phi\} \quad \tau_3 x \\
 x_3 \in W^{1,1} T \quad \tau_3 x \quad x \leq x_3 \leq \phi t \\
 u_3 t, x \quad \phi t \quad x \leq x_3 t \quad x \leq x_3 t \leq \phi t \\
 u_3 t, x \quad x - \phi t \quad \phi t \leq x \\
 x - x_3 t \quad x_3 t \leq x \leq \phi t \\
 x \in W^{1,1} T \quad N_F x \quad S_{F(\cdot, \tau_3(x)(\cdot), q_N(\tau_3(x)'))(\cdot)}^1 \quad G \\
 W^{1,1} T \rightarrow L^1(T) \\
 G x \quad \{v \in N_F x \mid v t \geq w_1 t \quad x < x_1 \cap \text{int } x_1 \geq x_2, \\
 v t \geq w_2 t \quad x < x_2 \cap \text{int } x_2 \geq x_1, \\
 v t \leq v_1 t \quad \phi < x\}, \\
 w_1 \in S_{F(\cdot, x_1(\cdot), x_1'(\cdot))}^1 \quad w_2 \in S_{F(\cdot, x_2(\cdot), x_2'(\cdot))}^1 \quad -x_1'' t \\
 w_1 t \quad T \quad -x_2 t \quad w_2 t \quad T \quad G \\
 W^{1,1} T \quad L^1 T \quad G_1 x \quad G x - U_3 x \quad x \quad U_3 x \quad u_3 x \quad G_1 x \\
 W^{1,1} T \quad L^1 T_w \quad G_1 x \\
 L \quad I \quad L \quad S_f \quad \{x \in W^{1,1} T \mid x \in L^{-1} G_1 x\}
 \end{array}$$

$$A_2 \quad \text{int } x_2 \geq x_1 \quad S_f \subseteq x_3, \phi_{\overline{A_1 \cup A_2}} \quad T \quad x \in S_f \quad A_1 \quad \text{int } x_1 \geq x_2$$

$$x_1'' t - x'' t \quad v t - w_1 t - u_3 t, x t \quad T$$

$$x_2'' t - x'' t \quad v t - w_2 t - u_3 t, x t \quad T$$

$$x_1 - x_+ t \quad A_1$$

$$A_1 \quad x_1'' - x'' t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \quad A_1 \quad v - w_1 t \quad x_1 - x_+ dt$$

$$- u_3 t, x t \quad x_1 - x_+ dt$$

$$\alpha, \beta \quad A_1 \cap \{x_1 > x\}$$

$$\alpha \quad \beta \quad x_1'' - x'' t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \quad x'_1 - x' b \quad x_1 - x_+ b - x'_1 - x'^2 a \quad x_1 - x_+ a$$

$$- \frac{\beta}{\alpha} x'_1 - x'^2 dt$$

$$< \alpha < \beta < b \quad x_1 - x_+ \alpha \quad x_1 - x_+ \beta$$

$$\alpha \quad \beta \quad x_1'' - x'' t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \quad - \frac{\beta}{\alpha} x_1 - x_+^2 dt \leq$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 \quad x_1'' - x'' t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \leq$$

$$G x \quad v \in G x$$

$$A_1 \quad v - w_1 t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \quad A_1 \cap \{x_1 > x\} \quad v - w_1 t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \geq$$

$$\geq - A_1 \quad u_3 t, x t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt \quad A_1 \quad x_1 - x_+ t \quad x_1 - x_+ t dt$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 \quad x_1 - x_+^2 t dt \leq , \quad x t \geq x_1 t \quad t \in A_1.$$

$$x_2 - x_+ t \quad A_2$$

$$A_2 \quad x_2 - x_+^2 t dt \leq , \quad x t \geq x_2 t \quad t \in A_2.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& x_3 \ t \leq x \ t \quad t \in A_1 \cup A_2 \\
\Rightarrow & x_3 \ t \leq x \ t \quad t \in T \\
x \in & x_3, \phi \quad S_f \subseteq x_3, \phi \quad S_f \subseteq S \quad S \\
C = & S \quad S \\
\{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} \subseteq & C \quad C = \bigcup_{n \geq 1} x_n \quad \{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} \\
-x_n'' t & \quad v_n t \quad T \\
B_0 x_n & \quad k_0, \quad B_1 x_n \quad b \quad k_1 \\
v_n \in & S^1_{F(\cdot, x_n(\cdot), x'_n(\cdot))} \quad x_n \in \psi, \phi \quad n \geq 1 \quad |v_n| \leq \gamma_r t \\
T & \quad r > \|\psi\|_\infty, \|\phi\|_\infty, N_1 \quad \{x_n''\}_{n \geq 1} \\
\|x_n\|_1 & \quad \|x_n''\|_1 \quad W^{2,1} T \quad W^{2,1} T \\
\{x_n\}_{n \geq 1} & \quad W^{2,1} T \quad W^{2,1} T \\
W^{1,1} T & \\
x_n' t \rightarrow x' t & \quad t \in T \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad x_n \rightarrow x \quad W^{1,1} T \quad x_n'' t \rightarrow x t \\
W^{2,1} T & \quad n \rightarrow \infty \quad w \quad x \quad x_n \xrightarrow{w} x \quad H F_1 \\
-x'' t & \in F(t, x(t), x'(t)) \quad T \\
B_0 x & \quad k_0, \quad B_1 x \quad b \quad k_1 \\
x & \quad C \in S \quad S \\
S & \quad x^* \quad K \quad \psi, \phi \quad x^* \in S \\
x^* & \quad K \quad \psi, \phi \quad \square
\end{aligned}$$

PERIODIC SOLUTIONS

Definition. $\phi \in W^{2,1} T$

$$\begin{aligned}
-\phi'' t & \geq v_1 t \quad T \quad v_1 \in L^1 T \quad v_1 t \in F(t, \phi(t), \phi'(t)) \quad T \\
\phi & \quad \phi b \quad \phi' b \leq \phi' b \quad \psi \in W^{2,1} T \\
\phi & \quad -\psi'' t \leq v_0 t \quad T \quad v_0 \in L^1 T \quad v_0 t \in F(t, \psi(t), \psi'(t)) \quad T \\
T & \quad \psi \quad \psi b \quad \psi' \geq \psi' b
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} L \cap D \subseteq L^1(T) \rightarrow L^1(T) \\ \{x \in W^{2,1}(T) \mid x|_b = x'|_b\} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} L(x) = -x'' \\ x \in D \end{array}$$

$$H_0 \quad \psi \quad \phi$$

Theorem 5.

If hypotheses $H F_1$ and H_0 hold,
then problem has extremal solutions in the order interval $K \subset \psi, \phi$

Theorem 6.

If hypotheses $H F_2$ and H_0 hold,
then problem has a solution $x \in W^{2,1}(T)$ in the order interval $K \subset \psi, \phi$

Remark.

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