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Abstract

An electrical potential U on a bordered Riemann surface X with conductivity function $\sigma > 0$ satisfies equation $d(\sigma d^c U) = 0$. The problem of effective reconstruction of σ from electrical currents measurements (Dirichlet-to-Neumann mapping) on the boundary:

$U|_{bX} \mapsto \sigma d^c U|_{bX}$ is studied. We extend to the case of Riemann surfaces the reconstruction scheme given, firstly, by R. Novikov [N1] for simply connected X . We apply for this new kernels for $\bar{\partial}$ on the affine algebraic Riemann surfaces constructed in [H2].

0. Introduction

0.1. Inverse conductivity problem.

Let X be bordered oriented real two-dimensional manifold in \mathbb{R}^3 equipped with a smooth symmetric and positive tensor $\hat{\sigma} : T^*X \rightarrow T^*X$ on cotangent bundle T^*X , called anisotropic conductivity tensor on X , $\hat{\sigma}$ is called symmetric and positive if $\hat{\sigma}a \wedge b = \hat{\sigma}b \wedge a$ and $\hat{\sigma}a \wedge a > 0$ for any $a, b \in T^*X$.

Let u (correspondingly U) be a smooth function on bX (correspondingly on X) such that $U|_{bX} = u$, called electric potential on bX and correspondingly on X . 1-form $\hat{\sigma}dU$ on X is called electrical current on X . By Maxwell equation

$$d(\hat{\sigma}dU) = 0 \quad \text{on } X.$$

Inverse conductivity problem consists in this case in the following: what kind of information about X and $\hat{\sigma}$ can be efficiently extracted from the knowledge of Dirichlet-to-Neumann mapping

$$u|_{bX} \mapsto \hat{\sigma}dU|_{bX} \quad \forall u \in C^{(1)}(bX).$$

This important problem in the mathematical setting goes back to the inverse boundary values problems posed by I.M. Gelfand [G] and by A.P. Calderon [C].

This real problem is deeply related with complex analysis on Riemann surfaces. The first indication to this relation gives the following statement, obtained at first by J. Sylvester [S] for simply connected X .

Under conditions above \forall couple $(X, \hat{\sigma})$ there exist a unique complex structure c on X and smooth scalar valued, positive conductivity function σ such that the equation $d(\hat{\sigma}dU) = 0$ takes the form $d(\sigma d^c U) = 0$, where $d^c = i(\bar{\partial} - \partial)$, $\sigma^2(x) = \det \hat{\sigma}(x)$, $x \in X$.

This statement permits to reduce the inverse conductivity problem to the questions about reconstruction from Dirichlet-to-Neumann mapping of the genus of X , of the complex structure of X and of the scalar conductivity function σ on X .

These questions are well answered for the important case when X is a domain in \mathbb{R}^2 , due to the sequence of works: [F1], [F2], [BC1], [SU], [N3], [N1], [GN], [BC2], [N2], [Na].

The exact reconstruction scheme for this case was discovered by R. Novikov [N1].

Formulated questions are well answered also for the case when conductivity function σ is known to be constant on X , i.e. when only Riemann surface X must be reconstructed from Dirichlet-to-Neumann data [LU], [Be], [HM].

In this paper we study another important case of this problem, when bordered two-dimensional manifold X and complex structure on X are known, but conductivity function σ on X must be reconstructed from Dirichlet-to-Neumann data.

0.2. Main results.

We extend here the R.Novikov's reconstruction scheme for the case of bordered Riemann surfaces. Our method (announced firstly in [H1]) is based on the appropriate new kernels for $\bar{\partial}$ on the affine algebraic Riemann surfaces constructed in [H2].

By this reason we use some special embedding of X into \mathbb{C}^2 .

Let \hat{X} be compactification of X such that $\hat{X} = \overline{X \cup X_0}$ be compact Riemann surface of genus g . Let $A = \{A_1, \dots, A_d\}$ be divisor, generic, effective with support in X_0 , consisting of $d = g + 2$ points.

By Riemann-Roch formula there exist three independent functions $f_0, f_1, f_2 \in \mathcal{M}(\hat{X}) \cap \mathcal{O}(\hat{X} \setminus A)$ having at most simple poles in the points of A . Without restriction of generality one can put $f_0 = \text{const}$. Let V be algebraic curve in \mathbb{C}^2 of the form

$$V = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 : z_1 = f_1(x), z_2 = f_2(x), x \in \hat{X} \setminus A\}.$$

Let \tilde{V} be compactification of V in \mathbb{CP}^2 of the form $\tilde{V} = \{w \in \mathbb{CP}^2 : \tilde{P}(w) = 0\}$, where \tilde{P} is homogeneous holomorphic polynomial of homogeneous coordinates $w = (w_0 : w_1 : w_2)$. Without loss of generality one can suppose: functions f_1, f_2 are such that

- i) \tilde{V} intersects $\mathbb{CP}_\infty^1 = \{w \in \mathbb{CP}^2 : w_0 = 0\}$ transversally $\tilde{V} \cap \mathbb{CP}_\infty^1 = \{a_1, \dots, a_d\}$, where points $a_j = (0, 1, \lim_{x \rightarrow A_j} \frac{f_2(x)}{f_1(x)})$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, d$ are different points of \mathbb{CP}_∞^1 .
- ii) $V = \tilde{V} \setminus \mathbb{CP}_\infty^1$ is connected curve in \mathbb{C}^2 with equation $V = \{z \in \mathbb{C}^2 : P(z) = 0\}$, where $P(z) = \tilde{P}(1, z_1, z_2)$ such that $|\frac{\partial P}{\partial z_1}| \leq \text{const}(V) |\frac{\partial P}{\partial z_2}|$, if $|z_1| \geq r_0 = \text{const}(V)$.
- iii) For any $z^* \in V$, where $\frac{\partial P}{\partial z_2}(z^*) = 0$ we have $\frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial z_2^2}(z^*) \neq 0$.

With certain restriction of generality we suppose, in addition, that

- iv) curve V is a regular curve, i.e. $\text{grad } P(z) \neq 0 \forall z \in V$. This restriction must be eliminated in other publication.

Let us equip V by euclidean volume form $dd^c|z|^2|_V$.

Let $\varphi \mapsto f = \hat{R}\varphi$ be operator for solution of $\bar{\partial}f = \varphi$ on V from [H2], Proposition 2, $f \mapsto u = R_\lambda f$ be operator for solution of $(\partial + \lambda dz_1)u = f - \mathcal{H}f$ on V , where $\mathcal{H}f$ is projection of f on subspace of holomorphic (1,0)-forms on \tilde{V} from [H2], Proposition 3, $\varphi \in L_{1,1}^\infty \cap L_{1,1}^1(V)$, $f \in W_{1,0}^{1,\tilde{p}}(V)$, $u \in W^{2,\tilde{p}}(V)$, $\tilde{p} > 2$.

Let $g_\lambda(z, \xi)$, $z, \xi \in V$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ be kernel of operator $R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}$ from [H2].

Let $V_X = \{(z_1, z_2) \in V : z_1 = f_1(x), z_2 = f_2(x), x \in X\}$.

Let σ be conductivity function on V with conditions $\sigma \in C^{(3)}(V)$, $\sigma > 0$ on V , $\sigma(z(x)) = \sigma(x)$, $x \in X$, $\sigma = \text{const}$ on $V \setminus V_X$.

Function $\psi(z, \lambda)$, $z \in V$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ will be called Faddeev type function on $V \times \mathbb{C}$ if $dd^c\psi = \frac{dd^c\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}\psi$ on V and $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C} e^{-\lambda z}\psi(z, \lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mu(z, \lambda) \rightarrow 1, z \rightarrow \infty, |\bar{\partial}\mu| = O(\frac{1}{|z|+1})$, $z \in V$.

Theorem Under formulated conditions

- I. There exists unique Faddeev type function $\psi(z, \lambda)$, $z \in V$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$.

II. Function ψ and as a consequence conductivity function σ can be reconstructed through Dirichlet-to-Neumann data by the following procedure.

II_a. From Dirichlet-to-Neumann data on bX by Proposition 3.1 (section 3) one can find restriction $\psi|_{bV_X}$ of the Faddeev type function $\psi(z, \lambda)$, $z \in V$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ as a unique solution of the Fredholm integral equation

$$\psi(z, \lambda)|_{bV_X} = e^{\lambda z_1} + \int_{\xi \in bV_X} e^{\lambda(z_1 - \xi_1)} g_\lambda(z, \xi) \cdot (\hat{\Phi}\psi(\xi) - \hat{\Phi}_0\psi(\xi)),$$

where $\hat{\Phi}\psi = \bar{\partial}\psi|_{bV_X}$, $\hat{\Phi}_0\psi = \bar{\partial}\psi_0|_{bV_X}$, $dd^c\psi_0|_{V_X} = 0$, $\psi_0|_{bV_X} = \psi|_{bV_X}$.

II_b. Using values of $\psi(z, \lambda)$ in arbitrary point $z^* \in bV_X$ by Proposition 2.2 (section 2) one can find " $\bar{\partial}$ scattering data":

$$b(\lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\bar{\lambda}} e^{-\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial\bar{z}_1}(z, \lambda) = (\bar{\psi}(z^*, \lambda))^{-1} \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial\bar{\lambda}}(z^*, \lambda), \quad z^* \in bV_X$$

with estimate (2.12).

II_c. Using $b(\lambda)$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ by Proposition 2.3 (section 2) one can find values of

$$\mu(z, \lambda)|_{V_X} = \psi(z, \lambda) e^{-\lambda z_1}|_{V_X}, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$$

as a unique solution of Fredholm integral equation

$$\mu(z, \lambda) = 1 - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\xi \in \mathbb{C}} b(\xi) e^{\bar{\xi}\bar{z}_1 - \xi z_1} \overline{\mu(z, \xi)} \frac{d\xi \wedge d\bar{\xi}}{\xi - \lambda}.$$

From equality $dd^c\psi = \frac{dd^c\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}\psi$ on X we find finally $\frac{dd^c\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$ on X .

Remarks

For the case $V = \mathbb{C}$ the reconstruction scheme I-II for potential q in the Schrödinger equation $-\Delta U + qU = EU$ on $X \subset V$ through the Dirichlet-to-Neumann data on bX was given for the first time by R.Novikov [N1]. However, in [N1] this scheme was rigorously justified only for the case when estimates of the type (2.12) are available, for example, if for $E \neq 0$ $\|q\| \leq \text{const}(E)$. By the additional result of A.Nachman [Na] the estimates of the type (2.12) are valid also if $E = 0$ and $q = \frac{\Delta\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$, $\sigma > 0$, $\sigma \in C^{(2)}(X)$.

Part *II_a* in the present paper is completely similar to the related result of [N1] for $V = \mathbb{C}$.

Part *II_b* of this scheme for $V = \mathbb{C}$ is a consequence of works R.Beals, R.Coifman [BC1], P.Grinevich, S.Novikov [GN] and R.Novikov [N2].

Part *II_c* of this scheme follows from part *II_b* and the classical result of I.Vekua [V].

§1. Faddeev type function on affine algebraic Riemann surface.

Uniqueness and existence

Let V be smooth algebraic curve in \mathbb{C}^2 defined in introduction, equipped by euclidean volume form $dd^c|z|^2|_V$.

Let $V_0 = \{z \in V : |z_1| \leq r_0\}$, where r_0 satisfies condition ii) of introduction.

Definition

Let q be (1,1)-form in $C_{1,1}(\tilde{V})$ with support of q in V_0 . For $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ function $z \mapsto \psi(z, \lambda)$, $z \in V$ will be called here the Faddeev type function associated with form (potential) q on V (and zero level of energy E) if

$$-dd^c\psi + q\psi = 0, \quad z \in V \quad (1.1)$$

and function $\mu = e^{-\lambda z_1}\psi$ satisfies the properties:

$$\mu \in C(\tilde{V}), \quad \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \mu(z, \lambda) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad |\bar{\partial}\mu| = O\left(\frac{1}{1+|z|}\right), \quad z \in V.$$

From [F1], [F2], [N2] it follows that in the case $V = C = \{z \in \mathbb{C}^2 : z_2 = 0\}$, for almost all $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ the Faddeev type function $\psi = e^{\lambda z_1}\mu$ exists, unique and satisfies the Faddeev type integral equation

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(z, \lambda) &= 1 + \frac{i}{2} \int_{\xi \in V} g(z - \xi, \lambda) \mu(\xi, \lambda) q(\xi) \quad \text{where} \\ g(z, \lambda) &= \frac{i}{2(2\pi)^2} \int_{w \in \mathbb{C}} \frac{e^{i(w\bar{z} + \bar{w}z)} dw \wedge d\bar{w}}{w(\bar{w} - i\lambda)} \end{aligned}$$

is so called the Faddeev-Green function for operator $\mu \mapsto \bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu$ on $V = \mathbb{C}$.

Faddeev type functions $z \mapsto \psi(z, \lambda)$ are especially useful for solutions of inverse scattering or inverse boundary problems for equation (1.1) when such functions exist and unique for any $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. It was remarked by P.Grinevich and S.Novikov [GN] (see also [T]) that for some continuous q with compact support in \mathbb{C} even with arbitrary small norm there exists the subset of exceptional λ^* for which the Faddeev type integral equation is not uniquely solvable.

From R.Novikov's works [N1], [N2] it follows that the Faddeev type functions associated with potential q on $V = \mathbb{C}$ and non-zero level of energy E exist $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ if $\|q\| \leq \text{const}(|E|)$.

From R.Beals, R.Coifman works [BC2] developed by A.Nachman [Na] and R.Brown, G.Uhlmann [BU] it follows that for any potential q of the form $q = \frac{dd^c\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$, where $\sigma \in C^2(\mathbb{C})$, $\sigma(z) \equiv \text{const}$ if $|z| \geq \text{const}$, Faddeev type function $z \mapsto \psi(z, \lambda)$ exists and unique for any $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$.

Proposition 1.1 below gives the uniqueness of the Faddeev type function on affine algebraic Riemann surface V for potential $q = \frac{dd^c\sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$, where $\sigma \in C^2(V)$, $\sigma = \text{const}$ on $V \setminus V_X \subset V \setminus V_0$. The proof will be based on the approach going back to [BC2] in the case $V = \mathbb{C}$.

Proposition 1.1 (Uniqueness)

Let σ be positive function belonging to $C^{(2)}(V)$ such that $\sigma \equiv \text{const} > 0$ on

$$V \setminus V_X \subset V \setminus V_0 = \cup_{j=1}^d V_j,$$

where $\{V_j\}$ are connected components of $V \setminus V_0$.

Let $\mu \in L^\infty(V)$ such that $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V)$ for some $\tilde{p} > 2$ and μ satisfies equation

$$\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu = \frac{i}{2}q\mu \quad \text{where} \quad q = \frac{d d^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}} \quad (1.2)$$

and for some $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}$ $\mu(z) \rightarrow 0$, $z \rightarrow \infty$, $z \in V_j$.

Then $\mu \equiv 0$.

Remark

Proposition 1 is still valid if to replace the condition $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V)$, $\tilde{p} > 2$ by the weaker condition $\partial \mu \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V)$.

Lemma 1.1

Put $f = e^{\lambda z_1} \mu$, $f_1 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1}$, $f_2 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}_1}$, where μ satisfies conditions of Proposition 1.1. Then

$$d(\sigma d^c f) = 0 \quad \text{on } V \quad \text{and} \quad (1.3)$$

$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = q_1 f_2, \quad \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z_1} = \bar{q}_1 f_1, \quad (1.4)$$

where $q_1 = -\frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\sigma}}{\partial z_1}$. Besides, $q_1 \in L^p(V_0) \forall p < 2$, $q_1 = 0$ on $V \setminus V_0$.

Proof

The property $q_1|_{V \setminus V_0} = 0$ follows from the property $\sigma \equiv \text{const}$ on $V \setminus V_0$. Put $V_0^\pm = \{z \in V_0 : \pm |\frac{\partial P}{\partial z_2}| \geq \pm |\frac{\partial P}{\partial \bar{z}_1}|\}$. Put $\tilde{q}_1 = \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\sigma}}{\partial z_2}$. Then $q_1|_{V_0^+} \in C^{(1)}(V_0^+)$ and $\tilde{q}_1|_{V_0^-} \in C^{(1)}(V_0^-)$. The identity $q_1|_{V_0^-} = (\frac{\partial z_1}{\partial z_2})^{-1} \tilde{q}_1$ and property iii) imply that $q_1 \in L^p(V_0) \forall p < 2$. Equation (1.3) for f is equivalent to the equation (1.2) for $\mu = e^{-\lambda z_1} f$. Equation (1.3) for f means that

$$\bar{\partial} F_1 + (\partial \ln \sqrt{\sigma}) \wedge F_2 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \partial F_2 + (\partial \ln \sqrt{\sigma}) \wedge F_1 = 0, \quad (1.5)$$

where $F_1 = \sqrt{\sigma} \cdot \partial f$ and $F_2 = \sqrt{\sigma} \cdot \bar{\partial} f$. Using z_1 as a local coordinate on V we obtain from (1.5) the system (1.4), where $f_1 = dz_1 \lrcorner F_1$ and $f_2 = d\bar{z}_1 \lrcorner F_2$.

Lemma 1.2

Put $m_1 = e^{-\lambda z_1} f_1$ and $m_2 = e^{-\lambda z_1} f_2$, where f_1, f_2 are defined in Lemma 1.1. Then system (1.3) is equivalent to system

$$\frac{\partial m_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = q_1 m_2, \quad \frac{\partial m_2}{\partial z_1} + \lambda m_2 = \bar{q}_1 m_1. \quad (1.6)$$

Besides,

$$m_1 = \sqrt{\sigma} \left(\lambda \mu + \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} \right) \quad \text{and} \quad m_2 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}. \quad (1.7)$$

Proof

Putting in (1.4) $f_1 = e^{\lambda z_1} m_1$ and $f_2 = e^{\lambda z_1} m_2$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial e^{\lambda z_1} m_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} &= q_1 e^{\lambda z_1} m_2 \iff \frac{\partial m_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = q_1 m_2 \quad \text{and} \\ \frac{\partial e^{\lambda z_1} m_2}{\partial z_1} &= \bar{q}_1 e^{\lambda z_1} m_1 \iff \frac{\partial m_2}{\partial z_1} + \lambda z_2 = \bar{q}_1 m_1. \end{aligned}$$

Besides,

$$f_1 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1} = \sqrt{\sigma} e^{\lambda z_1} \left(\lambda \mu + \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} \right) = e^{\lambda z_1} m_1,$$

where $m_1 = \sqrt{\sigma} \left(\lambda \mu + \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} \right)$ and

$$f_2 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = \sqrt{\sigma} e^{\lambda z_1} \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \right) = e^{\lambda z_1} m_2,$$

where $m_2 = \sqrt{\sigma} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}$.

Lemma 1.3

Put $u_{\pm} = m_1 \pm e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{m}_2$. Then system (1.4) is equivalent to the system

$$\frac{\partial u_{\pm}}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = \pm q_1 e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{u}_{\pm}.$$

Proof

From definition of u_{\pm} , using Lemma 1.2, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u_{\pm}}{\partial \bar{z}_1} &= \frac{\partial m_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \pm e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} (\bar{\lambda} \bar{m}_2 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{m}_2 + q_1 \bar{m}_1) = \\ q_1 m_2 \pm q_1 e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{m}_1 &= \pm q_1 e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} (\bar{m}_1 \pm e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} m_2) = \\ \pm e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} q_1 \bar{u}_{\pm}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof of Proposition 1.1

Let $u_{\pm} = m_1 \pm e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{m}_2$. We will prove that under conditions of Proposition 1.1 $\forall \lambda \neq 0$ $u_{\pm} \equiv 0$ together with m_1 and m_2 .

From equality $q_1 = -\frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\sigma}}{\partial z_1}$ and Lemma 1.3 we obtain that

$$\bar{\partial} u_{\pm} = \pm q_1 e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{u}_{\pm} d\bar{z}_1 \in L_{0,1}^{\tilde{p}}(V) \cap L_{0,1}^1(V), \quad \tilde{p} > 2. \quad (1.8)$$

From (1.6), (1.7) we obtain that $m_1 \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus L^{\infty}(V)$ and $\frac{\partial m_1}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \in L^p(V)$, $\forall p \geq 1$.

From (1.6), properties $\mu \in L^\infty(V)$, $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V)$, $\mu(z) \rightarrow 0$, $z \in V_j$, $z \rightarrow \infty$ and from [H2] Corollary 1.1 we deduce that there exists

$$\lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} m_1(z) = \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \sqrt{\sigma} \left(\lambda \mu + \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \right) = \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \sqrt{\sigma} \lambda \mu(z) = 0. \quad (1.9)$$

From (1.8), (1.9) and generalized Liouville theorem from Rodin [R], Theorem 7.1, it follows that $u_\pm = 0$.

It means, in particular, that $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = 0$, which together with (1.9) imply $\mu = 0$. Proposition 1.1 is proved.

Proposition 1.2 (Existence)

Let conductivity σ on V satisfies conditions of Proposition 1.1. Then $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ there exists the Faddeev type function $\psi = \mu e^{\lambda z}$ on V associated with potential $q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$, i.e.

$$\begin{aligned} a) \quad & \bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu = \frac{i}{2}q\mu, \quad \text{where } q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}, \\ b) \quad & \mu - 1 \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \cap C(\tilde{V}) \quad \forall \tilde{p} > 2, \\ & \mu - 1 \in C^{(\infty)}(V \setminus V_0) \quad \text{and} \quad \mu - 1 = O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|}\right), \quad z \in V \setminus V_0. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, $\forall \tilde{p} > 2$

$$\begin{aligned} c) \quad & \|\mu - 1\|_{L^{\tilde{p}}(V)} \leq \text{const}(V, \sigma, \tilde{p}) \left\{ \min\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{|\lambda|}}, \frac{1}{|\lambda|}\right) \right\}, \\ & \left\| \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \right\|_{L^{\tilde{p}}(V)} \leq \text{const}(V, \sigma, \tilde{p}) \left\{ \min(\sqrt{|\lambda|}, 1) \right\}, \quad \forall \tilde{p} > 2, \\ d) \quad & \forall \lambda \exists c \in \mathbb{C} \quad \text{such that} \quad \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{\lambda}} - c \right) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V), \\ e) \quad & \text{under additional assumption } \sigma \in C^{(3)}(V) \\ & \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1^2} \right\|_{L^{\tilde{p}}(V)} \leq \text{const}(V, \sigma) \cdot \lambda^{1/(1+1/\tilde{p})}. \end{aligned}$$

Remark

Proposition 1.2 will be proved by approach going back to L.Faddeev [F1], [F2] and for the case $V = \mathbb{C}$ developed in [N1], [N2], [Na].

Proof

Put $G_\lambda = R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}$, where \hat{R} is operator, defined by formula (2.4) from Proposition 2 of [H2], and R_λ operator, defined by formula (3.1) from Proposition 3 of [H2]. Let function $\mu(z, \lambda)$ be such that $\forall \lambda$, $\mu \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}$ with respect to $z \in V$. Then $\forall \lambda \neq 0$ we have properties $q\mu \in C(V)$, $q\mu = 0$ on $V \setminus V_0$, which imply, in particular, that mapping $\mu \mapsto q\mu$ is compact operator from $W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}$ to $L^{\tilde{p}}(V) \cap C(V)$. By Lemmas 2.1, 2.2 and Proposition 2 from [H2] we have $\hat{R}q\mu \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V)$. Proposition 3 ii) implies that

$R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(q\mu) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V)$. Hence, mapping $\mu \mapsto \mu - R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)$ is a Fredholm operator on $W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}$. By Proposition 1.1 the operator $I - R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\cdot)$ is invertible. Then there is unique function μ such that $(\mu - 1) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V)$, $\forall \tilde{p} > 2$ and

$$\mu = 1 + R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu). \quad (1.10)$$

Let us check now statement a) of Proposition 1.2. From (1.10) and Proposition 3i) from [H2] we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu &= \lambda dz_1 + (\partial + \lambda dz_1)R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu) = \\ &= \lambda dz_1 + \mathcal{H}(\hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)) + \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu). \end{aligned} \quad (1.11)$$

From (1.11) and Proposition 2 of [H2] we obtain

$$\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu = \frac{i}{2}q\mu + \bar{\partial}(\lambda dz_1 + \mathcal{H}(\hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu))) = \frac{i}{2}q\mu,$$

where we have used that $\mathcal{H}(\hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)) \in H_{1,0}(\tilde{V})$.

Property a) is proved.

For proving of properties b), c) it is sufficient to remark that by Proposition 3ii) and 3iii) from [H2] we have property c) and

$$\|(1 + |z_1|)(\mu - 1)\|_{L^\infty(V)} \leq \text{const}(V, \sigma) \frac{1}{\sqrt{|\lambda|}}.$$

To prove property d) let us differentiate (1.10) with respect to $\bar{\lambda}$. We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{\lambda}} - R_\lambda \circ (\hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{\lambda}})) &= \bar{z}_1(R_\lambda \circ (\hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu))) - R_\lambda(\bar{\xi}_1 \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)) = \\ &= \bar{z}_1(\mu - 1) - R_\lambda(\bar{\xi}_1 \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)). \end{aligned}$$

From Proposition 2 of [H2] we deduce that

$$\bar{\xi}_1 \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu) \in W_{1,0}^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus (\text{const})dz_1.$$

From Proposition 3ii) of [H2] and Remark 1 to it we obtain

$$R_\lambda(\bar{\xi}_1 \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)) \in W_{1,0}^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}.$$

From Proposition 1.2 b) we deduce also

$$\bar{z}_1(\mu - 1) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}.$$

Hence,

$$\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{\lambda}} = (I - R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q \cdot))^{-1} (\bar{z}_1(\mu - 1) - R_\lambda(\bar{\xi}_1 \hat{R}(\frac{i}{2}q\mu)) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus (const).$$

Property e) follows (under condition $\sigma \in C^{(3)}(V)$) from Proposition 3iv) of [H2].

§2. Equation $\frac{\partial \mu(z, \lambda)}{\partial \bar{\lambda}} = b(\lambda) e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{\mu}(z, \lambda), \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$

For further results it is important to obtain asymptotic development of $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}(z, \lambda)$ for $z_1 \rightarrow \infty$.

Proposition 2.1

Let conductivity function σ on V satisfy the conditions of Proposition 1.1. Let function $\psi(z, \lambda) = \mu(z, \lambda) e^{\lambda z}$ be the Faddeev type function on V associated with potential $q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$. Then $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ function $\frac{\partial \mu(z, \lambda)}{\partial \bar{z}_1}$ has the following asymptotic for $z_1 \rightarrow \infty$:

$$e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \Big|_{V_j} = \frac{B_{1,j}(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1} + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{B_{k,j}(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1^k}, \quad (2.1)$$

where $|B_{1,j}(\lambda)| = O(\min(1, \sqrt{|\lambda|}))$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, d$ and under additional condition $\sigma \in C^{(3)}(V)$ we have

$$e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial^2 \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1^2} \Big|_{V_j} = \bar{\lambda} \frac{B_{1,j}}{\bar{z}_1} + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{\bar{\lambda} B_{k,j}(\lambda) - (k-1) B_{k-1,j}(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1^k}, \quad (2.2)$$

where $|B_{1,j}(\lambda)| = O(\min(\sqrt{|\lambda|}, |\lambda|^{-1/(1+\tilde{p})}))$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, d \forall \tilde{p} > 2$.

For proving of Proposition 2.1 we need the following decomposition statement for the Faddeev type function $\mu = \psi e^{-\lambda z}$ on $V \setminus V_0$.

Lemma 2.1

i) Let μ be function on $V \setminus V_0$, which satisfies equation

$$\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1) \mu = 0 \quad \text{on } V \setminus V_0 \quad (2.3)$$

and the property

$$(\mu - 1) \Big|_{V \setminus V_0} \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0), \quad \forall \tilde{p} > 2.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} A &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda \mu \in \mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0); \quad A \Big|_{V_j} = \lambda + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_{k,j} \frac{1}{z_1^k}, \\ B &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} e^{-\lambda z_1 + \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\bar{\partial} \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \in \mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0); \quad \bar{B} \Big|_{V_j} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} B_{k,j} \frac{1}{\bar{z}_1^k}, \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

$|z_1| > r_0, j = 1, 2, \dots, d$.

ii) Let

$$M|_{V_j} = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{k,j}}{z_1^k} \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{N}|_{V_j} = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{b_{k,j}}{\bar{z}_1^k}$$

be formal series with coefficients $a_{k,j}$ and $b_{k,j}$ determined by relations

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda a_{k,j} - (k-1)a_{k-1,j} &= A_{k,j}; \\ \bar{\lambda} b_{k,j} - (k-1)b_{k-1,j} &= B_{k,j}; \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, d; \quad k = 1, 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

Then function μ has asymptotic decomposition

$$\begin{aligned} \mu|_{V_j} &= M|_{V_j} + e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}|_{V_j}, \quad z_1 \rightarrow \infty, \quad \text{i.e.} \\ \mu|_{V_j} &= M_\nu|_{V_j} + e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}_\nu|_{V_j} + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^{\nu+1}}\right), \quad \text{where} \\ M_\nu|_{V_j} &= 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\nu} \frac{a_{k,j}}{z_1^k}, \quad \bar{N}_\nu|_{V_j} = \sum_{k=1}^{\nu} \frac{b_{k,j}}{\bar{z}_1^k}. \end{aligned} \tag{2.5}$$

iii) Moreover, for any $A \in \mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$, $A(z) \rightarrow \lambda$, $z \rightarrow \infty$, there exist $B \in \mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$, $B(z) \rightarrow 0$, $z \rightarrow \infty$, and μ such that μ satisfies (2.3), (2.4) and $(\mu - 1) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0)$.

Proof

i) From equation (2.3) it follows that

$$\partial \bar{\partial}(e^{\lambda z_1} \mu(z, \lambda))|_{V \setminus V_0} = 0.$$

It means that $\bar{\partial}(e^{\lambda z_1} \mu(z, \lambda)) = e^{\lambda z_1} \bar{\partial} \mu$ is antiholomorphic form on $V \setminus V_0$ and $(\partial \mu + \lambda \mu dz_1)$ is holomorphic form on $V \setminus V_0$. From this, condition $\bar{\partial} \mu \in L_{0,1}^{\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0)$ and the Cauchy theorem it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} e^{\lambda z_1} \bar{\partial} \mu|_{V_j} &= e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{B} d\bar{z}_1|_{V_j} = e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{B_{k,j}}{\bar{z}_1^k} d\bar{z}_1|_{V_j} \\ \text{and } (\partial \mu + \lambda \mu dz_1)|_{V_j} &= A dz_1|_{V_j} = \left(\lambda + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_{k,j}}{z_1^k}\right) dz_1|_{V_j}. \end{aligned}$$

ii) From (2.4), (2.5) we obtain, at first, that

$$\bar{\partial} \mu = e^{-\lambda z_1} \bar{\partial}(e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \bar{N}_\nu) + O\left(\frac{1}{|\bar{z}_1|^{\nu+1}}\right)$$

and then

$$\mu = M_\nu + e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}_\nu + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^{\nu+1}}\right). \tag{2.6}$$

iii) Let

$$A|_{V_j} = \lambda + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_{k,j}}{z_1^k} \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0).$$

Proposition 3 iii) from [H2], applied to $(1,0)$ forms on the complex plan with coordinate z_1 , gives that $\forall \lambda \neq 0$ there exists $\mu \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0) \oplus 1$ such that $A = \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda \mu$. Put $\bar{B} = e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}$. Then $\bar{B} \in L^{\tilde{p}}(V \setminus V_0)$ and

$$\frac{\partial \bar{B}}{\partial z_1} = e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_1} (\lambda \mu + \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1}) \right) = e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \right) = 0,$$

i.e. $B \in \mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$. By construction μ satisfies (2.3), (2.4) and $(\mu - 1) \in W^{1,\tilde{p}}$.

Lemma 2.2

Functions M_ν and N_ν from decomposition (2.6) have the following properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \forall z \in \tilde{V} \setminus V_0 \quad \exists \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\partial M_\nu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M_\nu \right) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M \quad \text{and} \\ \exists \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\partial N_\nu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N_\nu \right) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N. \end{aligned}$$

Functions $\frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M$ and $\frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N$ belongs to $\mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$ and

$$\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} = e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \left(\frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial \bar{z}_1} + \bar{\lambda} \bar{N} \right), \tag{2.7}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda \mu = \frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M, \tag{2.8}$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{if } z_1 \rightarrow \infty.$$

Proof

Let us show that (2.4) implies (2.7) and (2.8). Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} &= \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\bar{\lambda} e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}_\nu + e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \frac{\partial \bar{N}_\nu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} \right) = e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\partial \bar{N}_\nu}{\partial \bar{z}_1} + \bar{\lambda} \bar{N}_\nu \right) = \\ &e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \left(\frac{\partial \bar{N}}{\partial \bar{z}_1} + \bar{\lambda} \bar{N} \right), \\ \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda \mu &= \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\partial M_\nu}{\partial z_1} - \lambda e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}_\nu + \lambda M_\nu + \lambda e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}_\nu \right) = \\ \lim_{\nu \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\partial M_\nu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M_\nu \right) &= \frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M. \end{aligned}$$

Properties (2.6), (2.7), (2.8), $\bar{\partial} \mu \in L_{0,1}^{\tilde{p}}(V)$ and Riemann extension theorem imply that $\frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M$ and $\frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N$ belongs to $\mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$ and $\frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N \rightarrow 0$, if $z_1 \rightarrow \infty$.

Corollary

In conditions of Lemmas 2.1, 2.2 we have convergence $M_\nu \rightarrow M$ and $N_\nu \rightarrow N$, $\nu \rightarrow \infty$, in general, only in the space of formal series, in spite of that convergence $\frac{\partial M_\nu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M_\nu \rightarrow \frac{\partial M}{\partial z_1} + \lambda M$ and $\frac{\partial N_\nu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N_\nu \rightarrow \frac{\partial N}{\partial z_1} + \lambda N$ take place in the space $\mathcal{O}(\tilde{V} \setminus V_0)$.

Simple example

Put $V_0 = \{z \in V : |z_1| < 1\}$, $\lambda = 1$, $A = \lambda + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{A_k}{z_1^k}$ with $A_k = 1$, $k = 1, 2, \dots$

By Lemma 2.1 there exists $\mu = M + e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{N}$, which satisfies (2.3), (2.4), where $M = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{z_1^k}$ with a_k determined by relations $a_k - (k-1)a_{k-1} = A_k = 1$; $k = 1, 2, \dots$. It gives $a_k = (k-1)!(1 + \frac{1}{2!} + \dots + \frac{1}{(k-1)!})$. We have $|a_k|^{1/k} \rightarrow \infty$, $k \rightarrow \infty$, i.e. radius of convergence of serie for M is equal to zero, in spite of that $|A_k|^{1/k} = 1$, $k = 1, 2, \dots$

Proof of Proposition 2.1

Estimate for $\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1}$ from Proposition 1.2 c) and the Cauchy theorem applied to antiholomorphic function $e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}$ implies development (2.1) and estimate

$$|B_{1,j}(\lambda)| = O(\min(1, \sqrt{|\lambda|})). \quad (2.9)$$

Estimate for $\frac{\partial^2 \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1^2}$ from Proposition 1.2 e) and the Cauchy theorem for antiholomorphic in z_1 function $e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial^2 \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1^2} \Big|_{V_j}$ imply development (2.2) and estimate

$$|B_{1,j}(\lambda)| = O(\min(\sqrt{|\lambda|}, |\lambda|^{-1/(1+\tilde{p})})). \quad (2.10)$$

Proposition 2.1 is proved.

The next proposition gives $\bar{\partial}$ -equation on Faddeev function $\mu(z, \lambda)$ with respect to parameter $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. For the case $V = \mathbb{C}$ this proposition goes back to Beals, Coifmann [BC1], Grinevich, S.Novikov [GN] and R.Novikov [N2].

Proposition 2.2

Let conductivity function σ on V satisfy the conditions of Proposition 1.1. Let function $\psi(z, \lambda) = \mu(z, \lambda)e^{\lambda z}$ be the Faddeev type function on V constructed in Proposition 1.2 and associated with potential $q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$. Then $\forall z \in V$ the following $\bar{\partial}$ -equation with respect to $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ takes place

$$\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{\lambda}} = b(\lambda) e^{\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \bar{\mu}, \quad (2.11)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} b(\lambda) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\lambda} e^{\lambda z_1 - \bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \bar{z}_1}, \\ |b(\lambda)| &\leq \text{const}(V, \sigma) \left\{ \min\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{|\lambda|}}, \frac{1}{|\lambda|}\right) \right\} \text{ if } \sigma \in C^{(2)}(V) \text{ and} \\ |b(\lambda)| &\leq \text{const}(V, \sigma, \tilde{p}) \left\{ \min\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{|\lambda|}}, \left(\frac{1}{|\lambda|}\right)^{1+1/\tilde{p}}\right) \right\} \text{ if } \sigma \in C^{(3)}(V), \forall \tilde{p} > 2. \end{aligned} \quad (2.12)$$

Remark

The proof below is a generalization of the R.Novikov proof [N2] of the corresponding statement for the case $V = \mathbb{C}$.

Proof

Equation $dd^c\psi = q\psi$ for the Faddeev type function $\psi = \mu \cdot e^{\lambda z}$ is equivalent to the equation $\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu = \frac{i}{2}q\mu$. Put $\psi_\lambda = \partial\psi/\partial\bar{\lambda}$ and $\mu_\lambda = \partial\mu/\partial\bar{\lambda}$. By Proposition 1.2 d) $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ function μ_λ belongs to $W^{1,\tilde{p}}(V) \oplus \text{const}(\lambda)$. Besides, from equation $dd^c\psi = q\psi$ it follows the equation

$$dd^c\psi_\lambda = q\psi_\lambda \quad \text{on } V.$$

From Lemmas 2.1, 2.2, Proposition 2.1 and Proposition 1.2 b),c) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial\mu}{\partial\bar{z}_1}\Big|_{V_j} &= e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \frac{B_{1,j}(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1} + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^2}\right) \quad \text{and} \\ \left(\frac{\partial\mu}{\partial z_1} + \lambda\mu\right)\Big|_{V_j} &= \lambda + \frac{A_{1,j}(\lambda)}{z_1} + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^2}\right). \end{aligned} \quad (2.13)$$

From (2.4)-(2.6) and (2.13) we deduce that

$$\mu = 1 + \frac{a_j(\lambda)}{z_1} + e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \frac{b_j(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1} + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^2}\right), \quad (2.14)$$

$$\text{where } \bar{\lambda}b_j(\lambda) = B_{1,j}, \quad \lambda a_j(\lambda) = A_{1,j}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, d. \quad (2.15)$$

From (2.14) with help of Proposition 1.2 d) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &= e^{\lambda z_1} \mu = e^{\lambda z_1} \left(1 + \frac{a_j(\lambda)}{z_1} + e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \frac{b_j(\lambda)}{\bar{z}_1} + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|^2}\right)\right), \\ \text{and } \psi_\lambda &= \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial\bar{\lambda}} = e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1} \left(b_j(\lambda) + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|}\right)\right), \quad z \in V_j. \end{aligned}$$

Put $\mu_\lambda = e^{-\lambda z_1} \psi_\lambda$. We obtain $\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu_\lambda = q\mu_\lambda$ and

$$\mu_\lambda = e^{\bar{\lambda}\bar{z}_1 - \lambda z_1} \left(b_j + O\left(\frac{1}{|z_1|}\right)\right), \quad z \in V_j.$$

Proposition 1.1 about uniqueness of the Faddeev type function implies equality (2.11), where

$$b(\lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} b_1(\lambda) = \dots = b_d(\lambda). \quad (2.16)$$

We have also equalities

$$B_{1,1}(\lambda) = \dots = B_{1,d}(\lambda).$$

Put

$$B(\lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} B_{1,1}(\lambda) = \dots = B_{1,d}(\lambda).$$

Estimates (2.12) follow from equalities (2.15), (2.16) and inequalities (2.9), (2.10).

Proposition 2.3

Let, under conditions of Proposition 2.2, conductivity function $\sigma \in C^{(3)}(V)$. Then $\forall z \in V$ function $\lambda \mapsto \mu(z, \lambda)$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$, is a unique solution of the following integral equation

$$\mu(z, \lambda) = 1 - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\xi \in \mathbb{C}} b(\xi) e^{\bar{\xi} z_1 - \xi z_1} \overline{\mu(z, \xi)} \frac{d\xi \wedge d\bar{\xi}}{\xi - \lambda}, \quad (2.17)$$

where function $\lambda \mapsto b(\lambda)$ from (2.11) belongs to $L^q(\mathbb{C}) \forall q \in (4/3, 4)$.

Proof

Estimates (2.12) imply that $\forall q \in (4/3, 4)$ function $b(\lambda)$ from Proposition 2.2 belongs to $L^q(\mathbb{C})$. By the classical Vekua result [Ve] with such functions $b(\lambda)$ the equation (2.17) is the uniquely solvable Fredholm integral equation in the space $C(\mathbb{C})$.

§3. Reconstruction of Faddeev type function ψ and of conductivity σ on X through Dirichlet to Neumann data on bX

Let X be domain with smooth (de class $C^{(2)}$) boundary on V such that $X \supseteq \bar{V}_0$. Let $\sigma \in C^{(3)}(V)$, $\sigma > 0$ on V and $\sigma \equiv \text{const}$ on $V \setminus X$. Let $q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$, then $q \in C_{1,1}^{(1)}(X)$ and $\text{supp } q \subseteq X$.

Definition (Dirichlet-Neumann operator)

Let $u \in C^{(1)}(bX)$ and $U \in W^{1, \tilde{p}}(X)$, $\tilde{p} > 2$ be solution of the Dirichlet problem $dd^c U|_X = 0$, $U|_{bX} = u$, where $d^c = i(\bar{\partial} - \partial)$. Operator $u|_{bX} \rightarrow \sigma d^c U|_{bX}$ is called usually by Dirichlet to Neumann operator. Put $\tilde{\psi} = \sqrt{\sigma} U$ and $\psi = \sqrt{\sigma} u$. Then

$$dd^c \tilde{\psi} = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}} \tilde{\psi} = q \tilde{\psi} \text{ on } X. \quad (3.1)$$

Operator $\psi|_{bX} \mapsto \bar{\partial} \tilde{\psi}|_{bX}$ will be called here by Dirichlet-Neumann operator. The data contained in operator $u|_{bX} \rightarrow \sigma d^c U|_{bX}$ and in $\psi|_{bX} \rightarrow \bar{\partial} \tilde{\psi}|_{bX}$ are equivalent, but for our further statements operator $\psi|_{bX} \rightarrow \bar{\partial} \tilde{\psi}|_{bX}$ is more convenient.

Let ψ_0 be solution of Dirichlet problem

$$dd^c \psi_0 = 0, \quad \psi_0|_{bX} = \psi|_{bX}.$$

Put

$$\hat{\Phi} \psi = \bar{\partial} \tilde{\psi}|_{bX} \text{ and } \hat{\Phi}_0 \psi = \bar{\partial} \tilde{\psi}_0|_{bX}, \quad (3.2)$$

where operator $\psi|_{bX} \rightarrow \hat{\Phi}_0 \psi$ is Dirichlet-Neumann operator for equation (3.1) with potential $q \equiv 0$.

Proposition 3.1 (Reconstruction of $\psi|_{bX}$ through Dirichlet-Neumann data)

Let $\psi = \mu(z, \lambda) \cdot e^{\lambda z_1}$ be the Faddeev function associated with potential $q = \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$. Then $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ the restriction $\psi|_{bX}$ of ψ on bX is a unique solution in $C(bX)$ of the Fredholm integral equation:

$$\psi(z, \lambda)|_{bX} = e^{\lambda z_1} - \int_{\xi \in bX} e^{\lambda(z_1 - \xi_1)} g_\lambda(z, \xi) \cdot (\hat{\Phi} \psi(\xi) - \hat{\Phi}_0 \psi(\xi)), \quad (3.3)$$

where $g_\lambda(z, \xi)$ - kernel of operator $R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}$,

$$\hat{\Phi}\psi(\xi) - \hat{\Phi}_0\psi(\xi) = \int_{w \in bX} (\Phi(\xi, w) - \Phi_0(\xi, w))\psi(w),$$

$\Phi(\xi, w)$, $\Phi_0(\xi, w)$ are kernels of operators $\hat{\Phi}$ and $\hat{\Phi}_0$.

Remark

This proposition for the case $V = \mathbb{C}$ coincide with the second part of Theorem 1 from [N1].

Lemma 3.1 (Green-Riemann formula)

$\forall f, g \in C^{(1)}(X)$ we have equality

$$\int_X g \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} f - \int_X f \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} g = \int_{bX} g \wedge \bar{\partial} f + \int_{bX} f \wedge \partial g.$$

Proof

$$\begin{aligned} \int_X g \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} f - \int_X f \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} g &= \int_X g \wedge \partial \bar{\partial} f + \int_X f \wedge \bar{\partial} \partial g = \\ \int_{bX} g \wedge \bar{\partial} f - \int_X \partial g \wedge \bar{\partial} f + \int_{bX} f \wedge \partial g - \int_X \bar{\partial} f \wedge \partial g &= \\ \int_{bX} g \wedge \bar{\partial} f + \int_{bX} f \wedge \partial g. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3.2

Let $\psi = e^{\lambda z_1} \mu$ be the Faddeev function associated with $q \in C_{1,1}(V)$, $\text{supp } q \subseteq X$. Let $G_\lambda(z, \xi) = e^{\lambda(z_1 - \xi_1)} g_\lambda(z, \lambda)$, where $g_\lambda(z, \xi)$ - kernel of operator $R_\lambda \circ \hat{R}$. Then $\forall z \in V \setminus X$ we have equality

$$\psi(z, \lambda) = e^{\lambda z_1} - \int_{\xi \in bX} G_\lambda(z, \xi) \bar{\partial} \psi(\xi) - \int_{\xi \in bX} \psi(\xi) \partial G_\lambda(z, \xi). \quad (3.4)$$

Proof

From definition of the Faddeev function $\psi = e^{\lambda z_1} \mu$ we have

$$\psi(z, \lambda) = e^{\lambda z_1} + \hat{G}_\lambda\left(\frac{i}{2} q \psi\right) \quad \text{on } V, \quad (3.5)$$

where \hat{G}_λ - operator with kernel $G_\lambda(z, \xi)$ and $dd^c \psi = q\psi$. Besides,

$$\int_X G_\lambda\left(\frac{i}{2} q \psi\right) = - \int_X G_\lambda \partial \bar{\partial} \psi.$$

Using the Green-Riemann formula from Lemma 3.1 we have

$$\int_X G_\lambda \partial \bar{\partial} \psi = \int_X \psi \partial \bar{\partial} G_\lambda + \int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \int_{bX} \psi \partial G_\lambda.$$

For $z \in V \setminus X$ we have $\partial \bar{\partial} G_\lambda = 0$. Hence,

$$-\int_X G_\lambda \left(\frac{i}{2} q\psi\right) = \int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \int_{bX} \psi \partial G_\lambda. \quad (3.6)$$

From (3.5) and (3.6) we obtain (3.4).

Proof of Proposition 3.1

Let $\psi_0 : \bar{\partial} \psi = 0$ and $\psi_0|_{bX} = \psi$. Then by Lemma 3.1 $\forall z \in V \setminus X$ we have

$$\int_{bX} \psi_0 \partial G_\lambda + \int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi_0 = 0. \quad (3.7)$$

Combining this relation with (3.4) we obtain

$$\psi(z, \lambda) = e^{\lambda z_1} - \int_{bX} G_\lambda(z, \xi) (\bar{\partial} \psi(\xi) - \bar{\partial} \psi_0(\xi)). \quad (3.8)$$

Equality (3.8) implies (3.3), where $\hat{\Phi} \psi$, $\hat{\Phi}_0 \psi$ are defined by (3.2). Integral equation (3.3) is the Fredholm equation in $L^\infty(bX)$, because operator $(\hat{\Phi} - \hat{\Phi}_0)$ is a compact operator in $L^\infty(bX)$. For the case $V = \mathbb{C}$ Proposition 1 of [N1], contains explicit inequality:

$$\lim_{\substack{w \rightarrow \xi \\ w, \xi \in bX}} \frac{|\Phi(\xi, w) - \Phi_0(\xi, w)|}{|\ln |\xi - w||} \leq (const) \left| \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}} \right|(w). \quad (3.9)$$

Because of its local nature, equality (3.9) is valid for our more general case.

Existence of the Faddeev function $\forall \lambda \neq 0$, proved in Proposition 1.2, implies existence of solution of equation (3.3). The uniqueness of solution of equation (3.3) we deduce (as in proof of Proposition 2 in [N1]) from the following statement.

Lemma 3.3

Let $q \in C_{1,1}(V)$, $\text{supp } q \subseteq X$. Then each solution $\psi = \psi(z, \lambda)$ of equation $dd^c \psi = q\psi$ on V which coincides on bX with solution of integral equation (3.3) in space $C(bX)$ is the Faddeev type function associated with q .

Proof

Let ψ satisfy $dd^c \psi = q\psi$ on V , $\psi|_{bX} \in C(bX)$ and $\psi|_{bX}$ satisfy integral equation (3.3)=(3.8). From (3.8) with help of (3.7) we obtain formula (3.4) for $\psi(z, \lambda)$, $z \in V \setminus X$,

$\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. From the Sohotsky-Plemelj jump formula we deduce (see [HM], Lemma 15) that $\forall z^* \in bX$

$$\psi(z^*) = \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow z^* \\ z \in X}} \left(\int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \psi \partial G_\lambda \right) - \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow z^* \\ z \in V \setminus X}} \left(\int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \psi \partial G_\lambda \right). \quad (3.10)$$

From (3.4) and (3.10) we obtain equality

$$e^{\lambda z_1} = \int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \psi \partial G_\lambda \quad \text{for } z \in X, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{C}. \quad (3.11)$$

Using the Green-Riemann formula (Lemma 3.1) we obtain further

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{bX} G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \psi + \psi \partial G_\lambda &= \int_X \psi \bar{\partial} \partial G_\lambda - \int_X G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \partial \psi = \\ &\begin{cases} \psi(z) - \int_X G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \partial \psi, & \text{if } z \in X, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{C} \\ - \int_X G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \partial \psi, & \text{if } z \in V \setminus X, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{C} \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (3.12)$$

Equalities (3.4), (3.11) and (3.12) imply

$$\psi(z) = e^{\lambda z_1} + \int_V G_\lambda \bar{\partial} \partial \psi = e^{\lambda z_1} + \hat{G}_\lambda \left(\frac{i}{2} q \psi \right),$$

i.e. ψ satisfies (3.5). From equality (3.5) and Proposition 3 ii) from [H2] we obtain that $\mu - 1 = \psi e^{-\lambda z_1} - 1 \in W^{1, \bar{p}}(V)$ and ψ is the Faddeev type function associated with q .

Lemma 3.3 is proved.

The uniqueness of solution of equation (3.3) in $C(bX)$ follows now from Lemma 3.3 and the uniqueness of the Faddeev type function associated with q proved in Proposition 1.1.

Proposition 3.1 is proved.

Proposition 3.2 (Reconstruction of $\psi|_X$ through $\psi|_{bX}$)

In conditions of Propositions 1.1, 1.2 the following properties for " $\bar{\partial}$ -scattering data $b(\lambda)$ " permit to reconstruct $\psi|_X$ through $\psi|_{bX}$

$$\forall z^* \in bX \quad \exists \lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow \infty \\ z \in V}} \frac{\bar{z}_1}{\lambda} e^{-\bar{\lambda} \bar{z}_1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \bar{z}_1}(z, \lambda) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} b(\lambda) = \bar{\psi}(z^*, \lambda)^{-1} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \bar{\lambda}}(z^*, \lambda),$$

$\forall z \in X$ function $\lambda \mapsto \psi(z, \lambda)$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$, is a unique solution of the integral equation

$$\psi(z, \lambda) = e^{\lambda z_1} - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\xi \in \mathbb{C}} b(\xi) e^{(\lambda - \xi) z_1} \bar{\psi}(\xi, \lambda) \frac{d\xi \wedge d\bar{\xi}}{\xi - \lambda}.$$

This proposition is a consequence of Propositions 2.1-2.3.

Proposition 3.3 (Reconstruction formulas for σ)

Conductivity function $\sigma|_X$ can be reconstructed through Dirichlet-Neumann data by the R.Novikov's scheme:

$$\text{DN data} \rightarrow \psi|_{bX} \rightarrow \bar{\partial} - \text{scattering data} \rightarrow \psi|_X \rightarrow \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}|_X.$$

The last step of this scheme one can realize by any of the following formulas:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A)} \quad & \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}(z) = (dd^c \psi(z, \lambda)) \psi^{-1}(z, \lambda), \quad z \in X, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \text{B)} \quad & \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}(z) = 2i \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \lambda e^{-\lambda z_1} dz_1 \wedge \bar{\partial} \psi(z, \lambda), \quad z \in X, \\ \text{C)} \quad & \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}}(z) = -2i \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{\bar{\partial} \partial \mu(z, \lambda)}{\mu(z, \lambda)}, \quad z \in X. \end{aligned}$$

Proof

The first three steps of the scheme above were done in Propositions 3.1, 3.2. The formula A) is an immediate consequence of equation (3.1). The formula B) follows from equation $\bar{\partial}(\partial + \lambda dz_1)\mu = \frac{i}{2} \frac{dd^c \sqrt{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sigma}} \mu$ (Proposition 1.2a) and estimates $\mu \rightarrow 1$, $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ (Proposition 1.2b), $\partial \bar{\partial} \mu(z, \lambda) \rightarrow 0$, $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ (Proposition 1.2e). The formula C) follows from the same equation and estimates $\|\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial z_1}\| = O(\sqrt{|\lambda|})$, $\lambda \rightarrow 0$, (Proposition 1.2c).

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