# Oscillation of Impulsive Hyperbolic Differential Equations with Distributed Delay

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#### **Abstract**

The present effort deals about oscillation of solutions of impulsive hyperbolic differential equations with distributed deviating arguments. Sufficient conditions are obtained for the oscillation of solutions using impulsive differential inequalities and integral averaging scheme with boundary condition. Example is provided to illustrate the obtained results.

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#### 1. Introduction

In recent years considerable attention has been given to the study of oscillation and nonoscillation results with continuous distributed deviating arguments[4],[5],[8-13],[15-17]. The study of impulsive partial differential equations is motivated by having many applications in population models[4],[7], single species growth[6], quenching problems[3] and various scientific models[18],[19] with the boundary conditions of the type Dirichlet, Neumann and Robin. The current research focus on oscillation of the following impulsive partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial^{2} u}{\partial t^{2}} = a(t) \Delta u(x,t) + b(t) \Delta u(x,\tau(t))$$

$$-\sum_{i=1}^{n} r_{i}(x,t) u(x,\sigma_{i}(t))$$

$$+ \int_{c}^{d} q(x,t,\xi) f(u(x,v(t,\xi))) d\eta(\xi), t \neq t_{k},$$

$$(x,t) \in \Omega X(0,+\infty) \equiv G,$$

$$u(x,t_{k}^{+}) = (1+\alpha_{k}) u(x,t_{k})$$

$$u = 0$$
,  $(x,t) \in \partial \Omega X(0,+\infty)$ , (2)

where  $\Delta$  is the Laplacian in  $\mathbb{R}^N$  and  $\Omega$  is a bounded domain in  $\mathbb{R}^N$  with a piecewise smooth boundary  $\partial\Omega$ .

Now we present a set of conditions that will be assumed throughout the paper.

 $(\mathbf{H}_1)a(t),b(t) \in PC([0,+\infty),[0,+\infty))$ , where PC represents the set of functions which are piecewise continuous with discontinuous of the first kind in  $t = t_k$  and left continuos at  $t = t_k$ 

$$\begin{split} & \left(\boldsymbol{H}_{2}\right) r_{i}(x,t) \in C\left(\overline{\Omega}X\left[0,+\infty\right),\left[0,+\infty\right)\right), \\ & D_{i}(t) = \min_{x \in \Omega} r_{i}(x,t), \ q(x,t,\xi) \in C\left(\overline{\Omega}X\mathbb{R}^{+}X\left[c,d\right],\mathbb{R}^{+}\right), \\ & Q(t,\xi) = \min_{x \in \Omega} q(x,t,\xi), \ f\left(u\right) \in C\left(\mathbb{R},\mathbb{R}\right) \end{split}$$

 $u_{t}(x, t_{k}^{+}) = (1 + \beta_{k})u_{t}(x, t_{k}), k = 1, 2, ....$  with

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is convex in  $\mathbb{R}^+$ , uf(u) > 0 and  $\frac{f(u)}{u} \ge 0$  for  $u \ne 0$ .

$$(H_3)\tau(t)\in C([0,+\infty),\mathbb{R}), \lim_{t\to\infty}\tau(t)=+\infty,$$

$$\sigma_{i}(t) \in C([0,+\infty),\mathbb{R}), \lim_{t \to +\infty} \sigma_{i}(t) = +\infty, \sigma(t) = \max_{1 \le i \le n} \sigma_{i}(t),$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n, v(t, \xi) \in C(\mathbb{R}^{+}X[c \ d]\mathbb{R}),$$

 $v(t,\xi) \le t$  for  $\xi \in [c,d]$  and  $v(t,\xi)$  is nondecreasing with respect to t and  $\xi$  respectively. More over

$$\liminf_{t\to\infty,\xi\in[c,d]}v(t,\xi)=+\infty,\eta(\xi):[c,d]\to\mathbb{R} \text{ is nondecreasing}$$

and also the integral in (1) is a stieltjes integral".

$$(\boldsymbol{H}_4) \ u(x,t), u_t(x,t) \in PC(G,\mathbb{R}), \alpha_k > -1, \beta_k > -1, \alpha_k < \beta_k,$$
 the sequence  $t_1$  is a fixed strictly increasing sequence of positive real numbers with  $t_k \to \infty$  as  $k \to \infty$ .

# 2. Preliminaries

We begin with definitions, known results, notations and Lemma which are required throughout this paper.

#### **Definition 2.1**

By a solution of (1)-(2) we mean a function u such that  $u \in C^2(\overline{\Omega}X[w_1, +\infty), \mathbb{R}) \cap C(\overline{\Omega}X[w_2, +\infty), \mathbb{R})$  that satisfies (1), where

$$w_1 = \min \left\{ 0, \min_{\xi \in [c,d]} \left\{ \inf_{t \ge 0} v(t,\xi) \right\} \right\},\,$$

$$w_{2} = \min \left\{ 0, \inf_{t \geq 0} \tau\left(t\right), \min_{1 \leq i \leq n} \left\{ \inf_{t \geq 0} \sigma_{i}\left(t\right) \right\} \right\}.$$

Now with this definition of solution, we can precisely define what we mean by oscillation.

#### **Definition 2.2**

A nontrivial solution u is said to be oscillatory in G if for each l>0, there exists a point  $(x_0,t_0)\in\Omega\mathrm{X}\big[l,+\infty\big)$  such that  $u(x_0,t_0)=0$  holds.

It is identified that [14], the least eigenvalue  $\lambda_0 > 0$  of the eigenvalue problem

$$\Delta\omega(x) + \lambda\omega(x) = 0,$$
 in  $\Omega$ ,  
 $\omega(x) = 0,$  on  $\partial\Omega$ ,

and the consequent eigen function  $\varphi(t) > 0$  in  $\Omega$ 

For each positive solution u(x,t) of (1),(2) we define the functions

$$A(t) = K_{\varphi} \int_{\Omega} u(x,t) \varphi(x) dx,$$

where

$$K_{\varphi} = \left(\int_{\mathcal{Q}} \varphi(x) dx\right)^{-1}, |\Omega| = \int_{\mathcal{Q}} dx, E(t) = \int_{c}^{d} Q(t, \xi) d\eta(\xi).$$

#### **Lemma 2.3.**<sup>2</sup>

Suppose that  $y(t) \in C^2([t_0,\infty),\mathbb{R})$  and that y(t) > 0, y'(t) > 0and  $y''(t) \le 0$  for  $t \ge t_0 > 0$ . (3) Then for any  $\lambda_1 \in (0,1)$ , there exists a number  $t_1 > t_0$  such that  $y(t) \ge \lambda_1 t y(t)$  for  $t \ge t_1$ . (4)

In Section 3, we discuss the oscillation of the problem (1) - (2) in detail, and in Section 4, an example is presented to verify main results.

# 3. Main Results

**Theorem 3.1** Assume that conditions  $(H_1)$  - $(H_4)$  hold and that every solution u(x,t) of (1),(2) is oscillatory in G, if the impulsive delay differential inequality

$$A''(t) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} D_i(t) A(\sigma_i(t)) - E(t) A(v(t,\xi))$$

$$\leq 0,\; t\neq t_k,\; t\geq t_1,$$

$$A(t_k^+) = (1 + \alpha_k) A(t_k)$$

$$A'(t_k^+) = (1 + \beta_k) A'(t_k), k = 1, 2, \dots (5)$$

has no eventually positive solutions.

#### Proof.

Let u(x,t)>0 be a non-oscillatory solution. Then there exists a  $t_1>t_0>0$  such that  $\tau(t)\geq 0$ ,  $\sigma_i(t)\geq 0$  and  $v(t,\xi)\geq 0$  for  $(t,\xi)\in [t_1,+\infty)X[c,d]$ , we get that  $u(x,\tau(t))>0$ , for  $(x,t)\in \Omega X(t_1,+\infty)$ ,  $u(x,\sigma_i(t))>0$ , for  $(x,t)\in \Omega X(t_1,+\infty)$ , i=1,2,..n and  $u(x,v(t,\xi))>0$ , for  $(x,t,\xi)\in \Omega X(t_1,+\infty)X[c,d]$ .

Multiply Equation (1) by  $K_{\varphi} \varphi(x) > 0$  and integrate over with respect to x , we obtain

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \left[ \int_{\mathcal{Q}} K_{\varphi} u(x,t) \varphi(x) dx \right]$$

$$= a(t) \int_{\mathcal{Q}} K_{\varphi} \Delta u(x,t) \varphi(x) dx + b(t) \int_{\mathcal{Q}} K_{\varphi} \Delta u(x,\tau(t)) \varphi(x) dx$$

$$-\sum_{i=1}^{n}\int_{\mathcal{Q}}r_{i}(x,t)K_{\varphi}u(x,\sigma_{i}(t))\varphi(x)dx$$

$$+ \int_{\Omega} \int_{c}^{d} f\left(u\left(x,v\left(t,\xi\right)\right)\right) K_{\varphi}q\left(x,t,\xi\right)$$

$$\varphi(x)d\eta(\xi)dx. \tag{6}$$

Appling Green's formula and Equation (2), we get that

$$K_{\varphi} \int_{\mathcal{Q}} \varphi(x) \Delta u(x,t) dx = -\lambda_0 A(t).$$

$$\therefore K_{\varphi} \int_{Q} \varphi(x) \Delta u(x,t) dx \le 0$$
 (7)

and

$$K_{\varphi} \int_{\mathcal{Q}} \varphi(x) \Delta u(x, \tau(t)) dx = -\lambda_0 A(\tau(t)).$$
(8)

$$\therefore K_{\varphi} \int_{\mathcal{Q}} \varphi(x) \Delta u(x, \tau(t)) dx \leq 0.$$

Here dS is surface component on  $\partial\Omega$ . Furthermore applying Jensen's inequality for convex functions and using the assumptions in  $(H_2)$ , we get that

$$\int_{\Omega} \int_{c}^{d} f(u(x,v(t,\xi))) K_{\varphi} q(x,t,\xi) \varphi(x) d\eta(\xi) dx$$

$$\geq \int_{c}^{d} Q(t,\xi) \in \int_{\Omega}^{K_{\varphi}} u(x,v(t,\xi)) \varphi(x) dx d\eta(\xi)$$

$$\geq \in \int_{c}^{d} A(v(t,\xi)) Q(t,\xi) d\eta(\xi)", \tag{9}$$

where 
$$A(v(t,\xi)) = \int_{Q} K_{\varphi} u(x,v(t,\xi)) \varphi(x) dx$$
.

Combining (6)-(9), we get that

$$A''(t) \leq -\sum_{i=1}^{n} \int_{\mathcal{Q}} D_{i}(t) K_{\varphi} u(x, \sigma_{i}(t)) \varphi(x) dx$$
  
+\int \int\_{c}^{d} A(v(t, \xi)) \Q(t, \xi) d\eta(\xi),

$$A''(t) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} A(\sigma_i(t))D_i(t) - A(v(t,\xi))E(t) \le 0, \quad t \ne t_k, \quad t \ge t_1.$$

Where 
$$E(t) = \in \int_{c}^{d} Q(t,\xi) d\eta(\xi)$$
.

Also, multiply (1) by  $\,K_{_{\varphi}}\varphi\!\left(x\right)\!>\!0$  , integrate over  $\,\Omega$  , and from (  $H_{4}$  ) we obtain

$$\int_{\mathcal{O}} K_{\varphi} u\left(x, t_{k}^{+}\right) \varphi\left(x\right) dx$$

$$= (1 + \alpha_k) \int_{\Omega} K_{\varphi} u(x, t_k) \varphi(x) dx,$$

For 
$$t = t_{k}$$
,

$$A(t_k^+) = (1 + \alpha_k) A(t_k)$$

$$A'(t_k^+) = (1 + \beta_k) A'(t_k), k = 1, 2, ....$$

Therefore A(t) is an eventually positive solution of (5). This disagrees the hypothesis.

**Theorem 3.2.** Suppose that  $(H_1)$  -  $(H_4)$  hold. If for every number  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in (0,1)$ ,

$$\underset{t\to\infty}{limsup} \int_{\sigma(t)^{l_0} \leq l_k < s}^{t} \left[ \frac{1+\beta_k}{1+\alpha_k} \right] \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_1 \sigma_i(s) D_i(s) - \lambda_2 E(s) v(s,\xi) \right] ds > 1, \quad (10)$$

then every solution u(x,t) of Equations (1), (2) is oscillatory in G.

**Proof.** On the contrary, let u(x,t) be a nonoscillatory solution of Equations (1), (2) which we assume to be positive. Now we can use

$$A''(t) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} A(\sigma_i(t))D_i(t) - A(v(t,\xi))E(t) \le 0, \quad t \ge t_1.$$

By Lemma 2.4

$$A(\sigma_i(t)) \ge \sigma_i(t) \lambda_1 A'(\sigma_i(t))$$
 and

$$A(v(t,\xi)) \ge v(t,\xi) \lambda_2 A'(v(t,\xi)), t \ge t_1.$$

From this,

$$A''(t) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} D_{i}(t) \sigma_{i}(t) \lambda_{1} A'(\sigma_{i}(t))$$

$$-E(t) v(t,\xi) \lambda_{2} A'(v(t,\xi)) \leq 0, t \geq t_{1}.$$
(11)

Define

$$B(t) = \prod_{t_0 \le t_k < s} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} A(t).$$
 In fact,  $B(t)$  is continuous on

every 
$$[t_k, t_{k+1}]$$
 and in consideration of  $B(t_k^+) \le \left(\frac{1+\beta_k}{1+\alpha_k}\right) B(t_k)$ ,

it follows for  $t \ge t_0$ , the following inequality does not have

eventually positive solution when inequality (11) does not have the same solution.

$$B''(t) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_{1} \sigma_{i}(t) D_{i}(t) B'(\sigma_{i}(t))$$

$$-E(t)v(t,\xi)\lambda_2B'(v(t,\xi)) \leq 0, t \geq t_1.$$

Where

$$B\left(t_{k}^{+}\right) = \prod_{t_{0} \leq t_{i} \leq t_{k}} \left(\frac{1+\beta_{k}}{1+\alpha_{k}}\right)^{-1} A\left(t_{k}^{+}\right)$$

$$= \prod_{t_0 \le t_i \le t_k} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} A(t_k) = B(t_k),$$

$$B\left(t_{k}^{-}\right) = \prod_{t_{0} \le t_{i} \le t_{k-1}} \left(\frac{1+\beta_{k}}{1+\alpha_{k}}\right)^{-1} A\left(t_{k}^{-}\right)$$

$$= \prod_{t_0 \le t_1 < t_k} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} A(t_k) = B(t_k).$$

Which gives that, B(t) is continuous on  $[t_0, +\infty)$ . Then we get that

$$\prod_{t_0 \le t_k < t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-2} A^{"}(t) \\
+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_i \sigma_i(t) D_i(t) \prod_{t_0 \le t_k < t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} \\
A'(\sigma_i(t)) - E(t) v(t, \xi) \lambda_2 \prod_{t_0 \le t_k < t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} \\
A'(v(t, \xi)) \le 0.$$

Integrate the previous inequality between  $\sigma(t)$  and t, we have

$$\prod_{t_0 \leq t_k < t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-2} \left[ A'(t) - A'(\sigma(t)) \right] \\
+ \int_{\sigma(t)}^{t} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_i \sigma_i(s) D_i(s) \prod_{t_0 \leq t_k < s} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} A'(\sigma_i(s)) ds \\
- \int_{\sigma(t)}^{t} \lambda_2 E(s) v(s, \xi) \prod_{t_0 \leq t_k < s} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)^{-1} A'(v(s, \xi)) ds \\
\leq 0, \quad t \geq t_1.$$

Therefore,

$$\int_{\sigma(t)^{l_0 \le l_k < s}}^{t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right) \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_1 \sigma_i(s) D_i(s) - \lambda_2 E(s) v(s, \xi) \right] ds$$

$$\leq 1 - \frac{A'(t)}{A'(\sigma(t))} < 1,$$

and hence

$$\limsup_{t \to \infty} \int_{\sigma(t)^{t_0 \le t_k < s}}^{t} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right)$$

$$\left[ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_1 \sigma_i(s) D_i(s) - \lambda_2 E(s) v(s, \xi) \right] ds \le 1,$$
(12)

which made a contradiction with (10). The proof when u(x,t) < 0 is similar and will be omitted here.

## 4. Example

The present section contains an example to point up the key results established in Section 3.

**Example 4.1.** Consider the following equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{5}{2} \Delta u(x,t) + \Delta u(x,t-3\pi/2)$$
$$-\frac{5}{2} u(x,t-\pi) - \int_{-\pi/2}^{0} u(x,t+\xi) d\xi,$$

$$t \neq t_k, t > 1$$
.

$$u(x,t_{k}^{+}) = (1+\alpha_{k})u(x,t_{k})$$

$$u_{t}(x,t_{k}^{+}) = (1+\beta_{k})u_{t}(x,t_{k}), k = 1,2,...$$
(13)

for 
$$(x,t) \in (0,\pi)X(0,+\infty)$$
, with 
$$u(0,t) = u(\pi,t) = 0. \tag{14}$$

Here

$$\Omega = (0, \pi), a = \frac{5}{2}, b(t) = 1, \tau(t) = t - \frac{3\pi}{2},$$

$$n = 1, D = \frac{5}{2}, \sigma(t) = t - \pi, Q(t, \xi) = 1,$$

$$f(u) = u, v(t, \xi) = t + \xi, \alpha_k = \frac{1}{2^k},$$

$$\beta_k = 2^k, \epsilon = 1 \text{ and } E(s) = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Also, we see from the above assumption that the hypotheses  $(H_1)$ - $(H_2)$  hold, moreover

$$\lim_{t \to +\infty} \int_{t_0}^{t} \prod_{t_0 \le t_k < s} \left( \frac{1 + \beta_k}{1 + \alpha_k} \right) = \int_{1}^{+\infty} \prod_{1 < t_k < s} \left( \frac{1 + 2^k}{1 + \left( \frac{1}{2^k} \right)} \right) ds$$

$$= \int_{1}^{t_1} \prod_{1 < t_k < s} 2^k ds + \int_{t_1^+ 1 < t_k < s}^{t_2} 2^k ds + \int_{t_1^+ 1 < t_k < s}^{t_3} 2^k ds + \dots$$

Now, the condition (10) reads,

$$\limsup_{t\to\infty} \int_{t-\pi}^{t} \left( \prod_{t_0 \le t_k < s} 2^k \right) \left[ \frac{5}{6} (s-\pi) + \frac{\pi}{8} (s+\xi) \right] ds$$

$$>1.$$
 (15)

Thus the provisions of the Theorem 3.2 are fulfilled and hence all the solutions of Equations (13)-(14) are oscillatory in G. Actually  $u(x,t) = \sin x \cos t$  is one such solution.

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