

\mathcal{E} -well posedness for hyperbolic mixed problems with constant coefficients

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Introduction. Hersh has made a characterization of hyperbolic mixed problems ([1], [2]), where it seems that there are some rough discussions, especially about analyticities. Recently, Shiota has also made its characterization by means of Lopatinski's determinants with some restrictions ([3]). In this paper, we deal with the same problem as Shiota without his restrictions.

Now we state our problems, assumptions and main results. We consider the mixed problem

$$(P) \begin{cases} A(D_t, D_x, D_y)u = f(t, x, y) & \text{for } t > 0, x > 0, y \in R^{n-1}, \\ B_j(D_t, D_x, D_y)u = g_j(t, y) (j = 1, \dots, \mu) & \text{for } t > 0, x = 0, y \in R^{n-1}, \\ D_t^j u = h_j(x, y) (j = 0, 1, \dots, m-1) & \text{for } t = 0, x > 0, y \in R^{n-1} \\ \left(D_t = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial t}, D_x = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, D_y = \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_1}, \dots, \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_{n-1}} \right) \right), \end{cases}$$

where $\{A, B_j\}$ are differential operators of orders $\{m, r_j\}$ with constant coefficients and $\{f, g_j, h_j\}$ are given data. We denote the principal parts of $\{A, B_j\}$ by $\{A_0, B_{j0}\}$. We assume

i) A is hyperbolic with respect to $(1, 0, 0)$, i.e.

$$\begin{cases} A_0(1, 0, 0) \neq 0, \\ A(\tau, \xi, \eta) \neq 0 & \text{for } \text{Im } \tau < -\gamma_0, (\xi, \eta) \in R^n, \end{cases}$$