

## 79. On the Isomonodromic Deformation of Certain Pfaffian Systems Associated to Appell's Systems $(F_2)$ , $(F_3)$

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**§ 1. Introduction.** The purpose of this paper is to derive systems of isomonodromic deformation equations associated to Appell's systems  $(F_2)$ ,  $(F_3)$ , which we shall present in forms that are transformed to Pfaffian systems.

In 1880, P. Appell, generalizing Gauss' hypergeometric equation to the case of two variables, introduced four systems [1]:

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1) \quad & \begin{cases} \theta(\theta + \theta' + \gamma - 1)z - x(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta + \beta)z = 0 \\ \theta'(\theta + \theta' + \gamma - 1)z - y(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta' + \beta')z = 0, \end{cases} \\ (F_2) \quad & \begin{cases} \theta(\theta + \gamma - 1)z - x(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta + \beta)z = 0 \\ \theta'(\theta' + \gamma' - 1)z - y(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta' + \beta')z = 0, \end{cases} \\ (F_3) \quad & \begin{cases} \theta(\theta + \theta' + \gamma - 1)z - x(\theta + \alpha)(\theta + \beta)z = 0 \\ \theta'(\theta + \theta' + \gamma - 1)z - y(\theta' + \alpha')(\theta' + \beta')z = 0, \end{cases} \\ (F_4) \quad & \begin{cases} \theta(\theta + \gamma - 1)z - x(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta + \theta' + \beta)z = 0 \\ \theta'(\theta' + \gamma' - 1)z - y(\theta + \theta' + \alpha)(\theta + \theta' + \beta)z = 0, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

where  $z = z(x, y)$  is unknown function and  $\theta = x\partial/\partial x$ ,  $\theta' = y\partial/\partial y$ . It is known that Appell's system  $(F_1)$  is transformed into a Pfaffian system on  $P_2(C)$ :

(1.1)  $df = (\sum_{i=1}^6 A_i(dF_i(x, y)/F_i(x, y)))f$ , where  $f = {}^t(z, x\partial z/\partial x, y\partial z/\partial y)$ ,  $A_i \in gl(3, C)$  and  $F_i$ 's are the defining equations of singular locus of  $(F_1)$ . (For example see [2].) B. Klares studied the isomonodromic deformation equation of the completely integrable Pfaffian system associated to this system (1.1) in [3]. It is also known that, as well as  $(F_1)$ , Appell's systems  $(F_2)$ ,  $(F_3)$  are transformed into Pfaffian systems of type:

(1.2)  $df = (\sum_{i=1}^6 A_i(dF_i(x, y)/F_i(x, y)))f$ , where  $f = {}^t(z, x\partial z/\partial x, y\partial z/\partial y, xy\partial^2 z/\partial x\partial y)$ ,  $A_i \in gl(4, C)$  and  $F_i$ 's are the defining equations of singular locus of the systems ( $i=1, 2, \dots, 6$ ).

The author will present the systems of isomonodromic deformation equations associated to Pfaffian systems (1.2) by the same method as in [3]. Main results of this note are obtained in [4].

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**§ 2.** Pfaffian systems satisfying Appell's systems  $(F_2)$ ,  $(F_3)$ . Let  $p: (C^3)^* \rightarrow P_2(C)$  be a canonical projection and  $(X, Y, Z)$  be a homogeneous coordinates on  $P_2(C)$  with  $x = X/Z$ ,  $y = Y/Z$ .

**Proposition 1.** *Appell's system  $(F_2)$  is transformed into the following completely integrable Pfaffian system on  $P_2(C)$ :*

(2.1)  $df = \omega_2 f, \quad f = {}^t(z, x\partial z/\partial x, y\partial z/\partial y, xy\partial^2 z/\partial x\partial y), \quad \text{where}$

$$p^*\omega_2 = A_1 \frac{dX}{X} + A_2 \frac{dY}{Y} + A_3 \frac{d(X-Z)}{X-Z} + A_4 \frac{d(Y-Z)}{Y-Z} + A_5 \frac{d(X+Y-Z)}{X+Y-Z} + A_6 \frac{dZ}{Z},$$

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1-\gamma & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-\gamma \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1-\gamma' & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-\gamma' \end{bmatrix},$$

$$A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\alpha\beta & -\alpha-\beta+\gamma-1 & -\beta & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \alpha\beta\beta' & \beta'(\alpha+\beta-\gamma+1) & \beta\beta' & \beta' \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\alpha\beta' & -\beta' & -\alpha-\beta'+\gamma'-1 & -1 \\ \alpha\beta\beta' & \beta\beta' & \beta(\alpha+\beta'-\gamma'+1) & \beta \end{bmatrix},$$

$$A_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\alpha\beta\beta' & -\beta'(\alpha+\beta-\gamma+1) & -\beta(\alpha+\beta'-\gamma'+1) & -\alpha-\beta-\beta'+\gamma+\gamma'-2 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$A_6 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ \alpha\beta & \alpha+\beta & \beta & 0 \\ \alpha\beta' & \beta' & \alpha+\beta' & 0 \\ -\alpha\beta\beta' & -\beta\beta' & -\beta\beta' & \alpha \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Proposition 2.** *Appell's system ( $F_3$ ) is transformed into the following Pfaffian system which is completely integrable on  $P_2(\mathbf{C})$ :*

(2.2)  $df = \omega_3 f, \quad f = {}^t(z, x\partial z/\partial x, y\partial z/\partial y, xy\partial^2 z/\partial x\partial y), \quad \text{where}$

$$p^*\omega_3 = B_1 \frac{dX}{X} + B_2 \frac{dY}{Y} + B_3 \frac{d(X-Z)}{X-Z} + B_4 \frac{d(Y-Z)}{Y-Z} + B_5 \frac{d(XY-YZ-ZX)}{XY-YZ-ZX} + B_6 \frac{dZ}{Z},$$

$$B_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1-\gamma & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & \alpha'\beta' & 0 & \alpha'+\beta'-\gamma'+1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1-\gamma & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha\beta & \alpha+\beta-\gamma+1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$B_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\alpha\beta & -\alpha-\beta+\gamma-1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\alpha'\beta' & 0 & -\alpha'-\beta'+\gamma-1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$B_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\alpha'\beta' & -\alpha\beta & -\alpha-\alpha'-\beta-\beta'+\gamma-1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$B_6 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ \alpha\beta & \alpha+\beta & 0 & -1 \\ \alpha'\beta' & 0 & \alpha'+\beta' & -1 \\ 0 & \alpha'\beta' & \alpha\beta & \alpha+\alpha'+\beta+\beta' \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Remark 1.** If we transform  $(F_i)$  into the Pfaffian system of type (1.2) using the same basis as in the above propositions,  $A_i$  ( $i=1, 2, \dots, 6$ ) can not be constant matrices.

**§ 3. Isomonodromic deformation.** Let  $U$  be a simply connected open domain in  $C^2$  and  $(M, \pi, U)$  be a trivial analytic fibration, with  $\pi^{-1}(u) \cong P_2(C)$  ( $u=(u_1, u_2) \in U$ ) as its fibre. Suppose that  $M$  has an analytic hypersurface  $S$ , which has the form  $S = \cup_{i=1}^6 S_i$  as its irreducible decomposition, and suppose that  $S_i$ 's are defined by  $F_i(X, Y, Z)=0$ , where  $F_i$ 's are homogeneous polynomials in  $(X, Y, Z)$  of degree 1 or 2 with coefficients holomorphic in  $u$  ( $i=1, 2, \dots, 6$ ). In the above situation we parametrize the systems (2.1), (2.2) by  $u=(u_1, u_2)$  and consider the following Pfaffian systems respectively:

$$(3.1) \quad df = \left( \sum_{j=1}^6 A_j(u) \frac{dF_j(u, X, Y, Z)}{F_j(u, X, Y, Z)} \right) f, \quad A_j(u) \in gl(4, C(u)),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} F_1(u, X, Y, Z) &= X, & F_2(u, X, Y, Z) &= Y, & F_3(u, X, Y, Z) &= X - u_1 Z, \\ F_4(u, X, Y, Z) &= Y - u_2 Z, & F_5(u, X, Y, Z) &= 2(u_2 X + u_1 Y - u_1 u_2 Z) / (u_1 + u_2), \\ F_6(u, X, Y, Z) &= Z, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(3.2) \quad df = \left( \sum_{j=1}^6 B_j(u) \frac{dF_j(u, X, Y, Z)}{F_j(u, X, Y, Z)} \right) f, \quad B_j(u) \in gl(4, C(u)),$$

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and

$$u = (u_1, u_2) \in U \subset C^2 \setminus \{(u_1, u_2) \mid u_1 u_2 = 0\}.$$

If these systems satisfy the completely integrable condition, the isomonodromic deformation equations associated to these systems on  $P_2(C)$  coincide with the isomonodromic deformation of the same systems restricted on a projective line in  $P_2(C)$ , which is in general position for  $S$ . (As for the definition of "general position", see [2].) Choose  $y=x-1$  as such a projective line in a neighborhood of 0 on  $P_2(C)$ . Then the above systems (3.1), (3.2) restricted on this line are written as follows:

$$(3.3) \quad df = \left( A_1 \frac{dx}{x} + A_2 \frac{d(x-1)}{x-1} + A_3 \frac{d(x-u_1)}{x-u_1} + A_4 \frac{d(x-(1+u_2))}{x-(1+u_2)} + A_5 \frac{d(x-u_1(1+u_2)/(u_1+u_2))}{x-u_1(1+u_2)/(u_1+u_2)} \right) f,$$

$$(3.4) \quad df = \left( B_1 \frac{dx}{x} + B_2 \frac{d(x-1)}{x-1} + B_3 \frac{d(x-u_1)}{x-u_1} + B_4 \frac{d(x-(1+u_2))}{x-(1+u_2)} + B_5 \frac{d(x^2-(1+u_1+u_2)x+u_1)}{x^2-(1+u_1+u_2)x+u_1} \right) f,$$

respectively. Considering the isomonodromic deformation equations of these systems (3.3), (3.4), we get the following theorems.

**Theorem 1.** *If the system (3.1) is completely integrable, then the system of the isomonodromic deformation equations for (3.1) is given by the following system of non-linear partial differential equations :*

$$\begin{cases} dA_1 = [A_1, A_6]du_1/u_1 + [A_5, A_1]U_1, & dA_2 = [A_2, A_6]du_2/u_2 + [A_5, A_2]U_2, & dA_3 = [A_3, \\ A_6]du_1/u_1 + [A_5, A_3]U_1, & dA_4 = [A_4, A_6]du_2/u_2 + [A_5, A_4]U_2, & dA_5 = [A_1, A_5](du_1/u_1 \\ - du_2/u_2) - [A_2, A_5](du_1/u_1 - du_2/u_2), & dA_6 = 0, & \text{where } U_1 = du_1/u_1 - d(u_1 + u_2)/ \\ u_1 + u_2, & U_2 = du_2/u_2 - d(u_1 + u_2)/(u_1 + u_2). \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 2.** *If the system (3.2) is completely integrable, then the system of the isomonodromic deformation equations for (3.2) is given by the following system of non-linear partial differential equations :*

$$\begin{cases} dB_1 = [B_1, B_6]du_1/u_1, & dB_2 = [B_2, B_6]du_2/u_2, & dB_3 = [B_1, B_3]du_1/u_1 + [B_5, B_3](du_1/u_1 \\ + du_2/u_2), & dB_4 = [B_2, B_4]du_2/u_2 + [B_5, B_4](du_1/u_1 + du_2/u_2), & dB_5 = [B_1, B_5]du_1/d_1 \\ + [B_3, B_5](du_1/u_1 + du_2/u_2), & dB_6 = 0. \end{cases}$$

**Remark 2.**  $dA_6 = 0$  and  $dB_6 = 0$  owe to fundamental matrices of solutions of the above Pfaffian systems which are normalized at  $U \times \{(X, Y, Z) | X - Y - Z = 0, Z = 0\}$ .

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