

Homogeneous de Branges spaces

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DE BRANGES' HILBERT SPACES OF ENTIRE FUNCTIONS

In the late 1950's Louis de Branges initiated a theory of certain reproducing kernel Hilbert spaces.

Definition

A *de Branges space* is a Hilbert space \mathcal{H} ($\neq \{0\}$) which satisfies:

- ▷ the elements of \mathcal{H} are entire functions
- ▷ $\forall w \in \mathbb{C}: F \mapsto F(w)$ continuous on \mathcal{H}
- ▷ $\forall w \in \mathbb{C}, F \in \mathcal{H}$:

$$F(w) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{F(z)}{z - w} \in \mathcal{H} \wedge \left\| \frac{z - \bar{w}}{z - w} F(z) \right\|_{\mathcal{H}} = \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}}$$

- ▷ $\forall F \in \mathcal{H}: F^{\#}(z) := \overline{F(\bar{z})} \in \mathcal{H} \wedge \|F^{\#}\|_{\mathcal{H}} = \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}}$

These spaces are very closely related to the spectral theory of certain symmetric operators with deficiency index $(1, 1)$. Namely, *entire operators* in the sense of Mark G. Krein.

Also a close relation with complex analysis exists. Namely, de Branges spaces can be considered as *shift-coinvariant subspaces* of the Hardy space $H^2(\mathbb{C}^+)$.

We do not discuss these aspects further.

Example (Polynomials)

Let $s_0, \dots, s_{2N} \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} s_0 & s_1 & \cdots & s_N \\ s_1 & & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & & \vdots \\ s_N & \cdots & \cdots & s_{2N} \end{pmatrix}$$

is positive definite. Define

$$\mathcal{H} := \left\{ \sum_{n=0}^N \alpha_n z^n \mid \alpha_n \in \mathbb{C} \right\}$$
$$\left(\sum_{n=0}^N \alpha_n z^n, \sum_{m=0}^N \beta_m z^m \right)_{\mathcal{H}} := \sum_{n,m=0}^N s_{n+m} \alpha_n \overline{\beta_m}$$

Then $\langle \mathcal{H}, (\cdot, \cdot)_{\mathcal{H}} \rangle$ is a de Branges space.

Example (Fourier transform and Paley-Wiener spaces)

Let $(\mathcal{F}f)(z) := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t)e^{-itz} \, dt$ for $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$.

The Paley-Wiener Theorem says: Let $a > 0$, then

$$F \text{ entire with exponential type } \leq a \wedge F|_{\mathbb{R}} \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\iff$$

$$\exists f \in L^2(-a, a): F(z) = (\mathcal{F}f)(z)$$

Define, for each $a > 0$, the *Paley-Wiener space* of type a as

$$\mathcal{PW}_a := \mathcal{F}(L^2(-a, a)), \quad (F, G)_{\mathcal{PW}_a} := \int_{\mathbb{R}} F(x) \overline{G(x)} \, dx$$

Then $\langle \mathcal{PW}_a, (\cdot, \cdot)_{\mathcal{PW}_a} \rangle$ is a de Branges space.

De Branges spaces can be characterised via the form of their *reproducing kernel*: Let $K(w, z)$ be the function with

$$\forall w \in \mathbb{C}, F \in \mathcal{H}: (F, K(w, \cdot))_{\mathcal{H}} = F(w)$$

Theorem

A function $K : \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is the reproducing kernel of a de Branges space, if and only if

$$K(w, z) = \frac{B(z)\overline{A(w)} - A(z)\overline{B(w)}}{z - \bar{w}}$$

where

- ▷ A, B entire, real-valued along the real axis, no common zeroes,
- ▷ $\operatorname{Im} \frac{B(z)}{A(z)} > 0$ for all $z \in \mathbb{C}^+$.

Definition

If A, B have the properties listed in the previous theorem, write $\mathcal{H}(A, B)$ for the de Branges space with kernel

$$K(w, z) = \frac{B(z)\overline{A(w)} - A(z)\overline{B(w)}}{z - \overline{w}}$$

The spaces \mathcal{H} and the pairs (A, B) as in the theorem are not in a one-to-one correspondence, but almost.

Example (Paley-Wiener spaces cont.)

Let $a > 0$. Then $\mathcal{PW}_a = \mathcal{H}(A, B)$ with

$$A(z) := \cos(az), \quad B(z) := \sin(az)$$

The reproducing kernel is

$$K(w, z) = \frac{\sin[a(z - \bar{w})]}{z - \bar{w}}$$

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Example (Paley-Wiener spaces cont.)

Fix $a > 0$. If $F \in \mathcal{PW}_a$ and $c \in (0, 1]$, consider $G(z) := F(cz)$. Then $G \in \mathcal{PW}_a$ and

$$\begin{aligned}\|G\|_{\mathcal{PW}_a}^2 &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} |G(x)|^2 dx = \int_{\mathbb{R}} |F(cx)|^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{c} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |F(y)|^2 dy = \frac{1}{c} \cdot \|F\|_{\mathcal{PW}_a}^2\end{aligned}$$

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Are there also other spaces with this – or a similar – property ?

Example (Spaces given by Bessel functions)

Fix $a > 0$ and $p > -\frac{1}{2}$. Set $\nu_1 := p - \frac{1}{2}$, $\nu_2 := p + \frac{1}{2}$, and define

$$A(z) := 2^{\nu_1} \Gamma(\nu_2) z^{-\nu_1} a^{-\nu_1} J_{\nu_1}(az)$$

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▷ For $p = 0$ we recover the Paley-Wiener spaces:

The Bessel functions $J_{-\frac{1}{2}}(z)$, $J_{\frac{1}{2}}(z)$ are just the trigonometric functions $\cos z$, $\sin z$ multiplied with some constants.

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- ▷ Why $p > -\frac{1}{2}$?

For $p < -\frac{1}{2}$ such spaces do not exist. For $p = -\frac{1}{2}$ there is only one, namely $\mathcal{H} = \text{span}\{1\}$.

Definition

Let $\text{Hol}(\mathbb{C})$ be the set of entire functions. For $p \in \mathbb{R}$ define

$$\odot_p: \begin{cases} \mathbb{R}^+ \times \text{Hol}(\mathbb{C}) & \rightarrow \text{Hol}(\mathbb{C}) \\ F(z) & \mapsto c^p F(cz) \end{cases}$$

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Lemma

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$. Let \mathcal{H} be a de Branges space, and choose A, B such that $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(A, B)$. Then \mathcal{H} is homogeneous with power p , if and only if

$$\forall c \in (0, 1]: \mathcal{H}(c \odot_p A, c \odot_p B) \subseteq \mathcal{H} \text{ isometrically}$$

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Most of that was done by de Branges in

L. de Branges, *Homogeneous and periodic spaces of entire functions*, Duke Math. J. 29 (1962), pp. 203–224.

What we add to this:

- ▷ We give an explicit parameterisation of all homogeneous spaces.
- ▷ We correct a mistake in de Branges' paper.
- ▷ We give explicit formulas also for the connection to quantities related with the structure of the space.

STRUCTURE THEORY I

DE BRANGES SUBSPACES

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Theorem

For every de Branges space \mathcal{H} the set $\text{Sub}(\mathcal{H})$ is a chain.
It can be parameterised as

$$\begin{array}{c} \{0\} \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq \mathcal{H}_a \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq \mathcal{H}_1 \\ a \in (0, 1] \setminus \{\dots\} \qquad \parallel \\ \mathcal{H} \end{array}$$

Example (Paley-Wiener spaces cont.)

Consider the Paley-Wiener space \mathcal{PW}_1 . Its chain of de Branges subspaces is

$$\text{Sub}(\mathcal{PW}_1) = \{\mathcal{PW}_a \mid a \in (0, 1]\}$$

Remember also that $\mathcal{PW}_a = \mathcal{F}(L^2(-a, a))$.

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For all $b \in [0, 1]$ (here we set $\mathcal{H}(0 \odot_p A, 0 \odot_p B) := \{0\}$)

$$\mathcal{H}(b \odot_p A, b \odot_p B) = \bigcap_{a > b} \mathcal{H}(a \odot_p A, a \odot_p B)$$

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STRUCTURE THEORY II

MEASURES ASSOCIATED WITH A SPACE

The norm of a de Branges space can be computed by integration along the real axis.

Theorem

If $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(A, B)$, then

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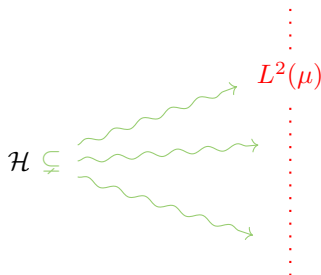
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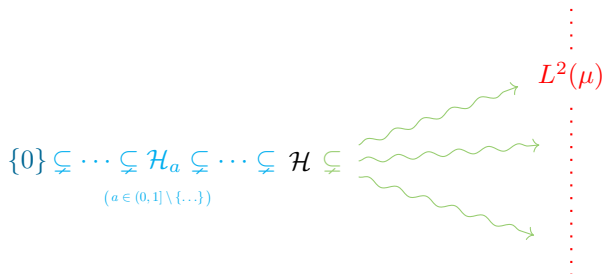
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Meas}(\mathcal{H}) := \left\{ \mu \mid \mu \text{ positive Borel measures on } \mathbb{R}, \right. \\ \left. \forall F \in \mathcal{H}: \|F\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 = \int_{\mathbb{R}} |F(t)|^2 \cdot d\mu(t) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

If $\mu \in \text{Meas}(\mathcal{H})$, we say that $\mathcal{H} \subseteq L^2(\mu)$ isometrically.

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$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{H}_1 \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq \mathcal{H}_a \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq L^2(\mu) \\ \parallel \\ \mathcal{H} \end{array} \quad a \in [1, \infty) \setminus \{\dots\}$$

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 (a \in (0, 1] \setminus \{\dots\}) \qquad (a \in [1, \infty) \setminus \{\dots\})
 \end{array}$$

The diagram illustrates a nested sequence of subspaces. The sequence starts with $\{0\}$ and proceeds through a series of subspaces \mathcal{H}_a and \mathcal{H} , eventually leading to $L^2(\mu)$. The subspaces are arranged in a fan-like structure, with the sequence branching out from \mathcal{H} . The parameter a is used to index the subspaces, with two distinct ranges: $a \in (0, 1] \setminus \{\dots\}$ and $a \in [1, \infty) \setminus \{\dots\}$. The final subspace in the sequence is $L^2(\mu)$, which is represented by a vertical red dotted line.

Example (Paley-Wiener spaces cont.)

Consider the Paley-Wiener space \mathcal{PW}_1 .

- ▷ By definition its norm is given as an integral: we have $\mathcal{PW}_1 \subseteq L^2(dt)$ where dt is the Lebesgue measure.
- ▷ Other elements of $\text{Meas}(\mathcal{PW}_1)$ are for example

$$d\mu_\alpha(t) = \frac{\alpha^2 \cos t \sin t}{\alpha^2 \cos^2 t + \sin^2 t} dt$$

where $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$, or

$$\mu_0 := \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \delta_{\pi(n + \frac{1}{2})}$$

where δ_t denotes the unit point-mass at t .

Example (Paley-Wiener spaces cont.)

Consider the Paley-Wiener space \mathcal{PW}_1 , the measures $\mu_\alpha \in \text{Meas}(\mathcal{PW}_1)$ we saw.

- ▷ $\text{Sub}(dt, \mathcal{PW}_1) = \{\mathcal{PW}_a \mid a \in [1, \infty)\}$
- ▷ For $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ the chain $\text{Sub}(\mu_\alpha, \mathcal{PW}_1)$ can be computed (but formulas are too long).
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In general all measures in $\text{Meas}(\mathcal{H})$ are of equal rights. For \mathcal{PW}_1 , however, the Lebesgue measure is in some sense the “most natural” element of $\text{Meas}(\mathcal{PW}_1)$.

Theorem

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$. Let \mathcal{H} be a homogeneous de Branges space, and choose A, B such that $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(A, B)$. Then there exists a unique measure $\mu \in \text{Meas}(\mathcal{H})$, such that

$$\text{Sub}(\mu, \mathcal{H}) = \{ \mathcal{H}(a \odot_p A, a \odot_p B) \mid a \in [1, \infty) \}$$

For all $b \in [1, \infty]$ (here we set $\mathcal{H}(\infty \odot_p A, \infty \odot_p B) := L^2(\mu)$)

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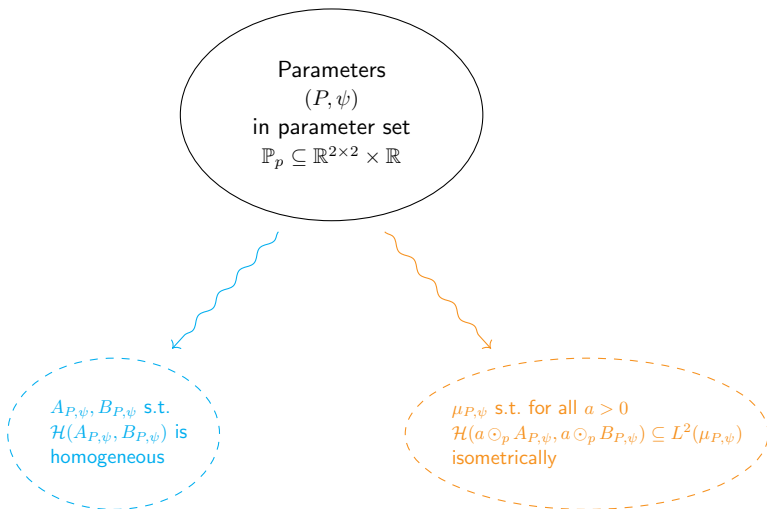
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A homogeneous de Branges space $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(A, B)$ has a distinguished measure and chain. For $a > 0$ denote

$$\mathcal{H}_a := \mathcal{H}(a \odot_p A, a \odot_p B)$$

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PARAMETERISATION OF HOMOGENEOUS SPACES



➤ The parameter set

We define a set of parameters depending on the power p .

Definition

If $p > -\frac{1}{2}$ and $p \neq 0$, set

$$\mathbb{P}_p := \left\{ (P, \psi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} \times \mathbb{R} \mid P \geq 0, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -\psi \\ 2p \end{pmatrix} \notin \ker P \right\}$$

Set

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{P}_0 := & \left\{ (P, \psi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} \times \mathbb{R} \mid P \geq 0, \ker P = \{0\}, \psi = 0 \right\} \\ & \cup \left\{ (P, \psi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} \times \mathbb{R} \mid P \geq 0, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \notin \ker P, \psi \neq 0 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

➤ **Formulas for $A_{P,\psi}$, $B_{P,\psi}$**

Recall the definition of *confluent hypergeometric* (limit) functions:

$$M(\alpha, \beta, z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\alpha)_n}{(\beta)_n} \cdot \frac{z^n}{n!}, \quad {}_0F_1(\beta, z) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(\beta)_n} \cdot \frac{z^n}{n!},$$

where $\alpha, z \in \mathbb{C}$ and $\beta \in \mathbb{C} \setminus (-\mathbb{N}_0)$. The symbol $(\cdot)_n$ is the *rising factorial*

$$(\alpha)_0 = 1, \quad (\alpha)_{n+1} = (\alpha)_n(\alpha + n) \quad \text{for } n \in \mathbb{N}_0.$$

Definition

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$, and $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ be given.

Write $P = \begin{pmatrix} \kappa_1 & \kappa_3 \\ \kappa_3 & \kappa_2 \end{pmatrix}$, let $\kappa \in \mathbb{C}$ be a square root of $\det P$, and set $\sigma := 2p\kappa_3 - \psi\kappa_1$ and $\alpha := \frac{\sigma}{2i\kappa} + p$ if $\kappa \neq 0$.

▷ If $\det P \neq 0$, set

$$A_{P,\psi}(z) = e^{i\kappa z} \left[\frac{1}{2} M(\alpha, 2p+1, -2i\kappa z) + \frac{1}{2} M(\alpha+1, 2p+1, -2i\kappa z) - \frac{\kappa_3}{2p+1} z M(\alpha+1, 2p+2, -2i\kappa z) \right],$$

$$B_{P,\psi}(z) = e^{i\kappa z} \frac{\kappa_1}{2p+1} z M(\alpha+1, 2p+2, -2i\kappa z).$$

▷ If $\det P = 0$, set

$$A_{P,\psi}(z) = {}_0F_1(2p+1, -\sigma z) - \frac{\kappa_3}{2p+1} z {}_0F_1(2p+2, -\sigma z),$$

$$B_{P,\psi}(z) = \frac{\kappa_1}{2p+1} z {}_0F_1(2p+2, -\sigma z).$$

Theorem

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$.

- ▷ For each $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ the space $\mathcal{H}(A_{P,\psi}, B_{P,\psi})$ is well-defined and homogeneous with power p .
- ▷ For each de Branges space \mathcal{H} which is homogeneous with power p there exists $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ such that $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(A_{P,\psi}, B_{P,\psi})$.
- ▷ Let $(P, \psi), (\tilde{P}, \tilde{\psi}) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ and write $P = \begin{pmatrix} \kappa_1 & \kappa_3 \\ \kappa_3 & \kappa_2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\tilde{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\kappa}_1 & \tilde{\kappa}_3 \\ \tilde{\kappa}_3 & \tilde{\kappa}_2 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $\mathcal{H}(A_{P,\psi}, B_{P,\psi}) = \mathcal{H}(A_{\tilde{P},\tilde{\psi}}, B_{\tilde{P},\tilde{\psi}})$, if and only if

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- ▷ The spaces associated with the Bessel functions (with $a = 1$) are recovered by the parameter $(I, 0)$.

➤ **Formulas for $\mu_{P,\psi}$** **Definition**

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$, and $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ be given. Write $P = \begin{pmatrix} \kappa_1 & \kappa_3 \\ \kappa_3 & \kappa_2 \end{pmatrix}$, let $\kappa \in \mathbb{C}$ be the nonnegative square root of $\det P$, and set $\sigma := 2p\kappa_3 - \psi\kappa_1$. Let $\mu_{P,\psi} \ll dt$, with

$$\frac{d\mu_{P,\psi}}{dt}(t) = \begin{cases} \mu_+(P, \psi) \cdot |t|^{2p} & \text{if } t > 0, \\ \mu_-(P, \psi) \cdot |t|^{2p} & \text{if } t < 0, \end{cases}$$

$$\mu_+(P, \psi) := \begin{cases} \frac{2^{2p} \kappa^{2p+1} |\Gamma(\frac{\sigma}{2i\kappa} + p + 1)|^2}{\kappa_1 \Gamma(2p+1)^2} \cdot e^{\pi \frac{\sigma}{2\kappa}} & \text{if } \det P \neq 0, \\ \frac{\pi \sigma^{2p+1}}{\kappa_1 \Gamma(2p+1)^2} & \text{if } \det P = 0, \sigma > 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } \det P = 0, \sigma < 0, \end{cases}$$

$$\mu_-(P, \psi) := \begin{cases} \frac{2^{2p} \kappa^{2p+1} |\Gamma(\frac{\sigma}{2i\kappa} + p + 1)|^2}{\kappa_1 \Gamma(2p+1)^2} \cdot e^{-\pi \frac{\sigma}{2\kappa}} & \text{if } \det P \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{if } \det P = 0, \sigma > 0, \\ \frac{\pi |\sigma|^{2p+1}}{\kappa_1 \Gamma(2p+1)^2} & \text{if } \det P = 0, \sigma < 0. \end{cases}$$

Theorem

Let $p > -\frac{1}{2}$.

- ▷ For each $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$, the measure $\mu_{P, \psi}$ is the unique measure such that

$$\forall a > 0: \mathcal{H}(a \odot_p A_{P, \psi}, a \odot_p B_{P, \psi}) \subseteq L^2(\mu_{P, \psi}) \text{ isometrically}$$

- ▷ Let $(\mu_+, \mu_-) \in [0, \infty)^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$. Then there exists $(P, \psi) \in \mathbb{P}_p$ such that $\mu_+ = \mu_+(P, \psi)$ and $\mu_- = \mu_-(P, \psi)$.
- ▷ Let $(P, \psi), (\tilde{P}, \tilde{\psi}) \in \mathbb{P}_p$, and write $P = \begin{pmatrix} \kappa_1 & \kappa_3 \\ \kappa_3 & \kappa_2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\tilde{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\kappa}_1 & \tilde{\kappa}_3 \\ \tilde{\kappa}_3 & \tilde{\kappa}_2 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $\mu_{P, \psi} = \mu_{\tilde{P}, \tilde{\psi}}$, if and only if

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa_1^{-\frac{2}{1+2p}} \det P &= \tilde{\kappa}_1^{-\frac{2}{1+2p}} \det \tilde{P} \\ \kappa_1^{\frac{2p}{1+2p}} \psi - \tilde{\kappa}_1^{\frac{2p}{1+2p}} \tilde{\psi} &= 2p \left(\kappa_1^{-\frac{1}{1+2p}} \kappa_3 - \tilde{\kappa}_1^{-\frac{1}{1+2p}} \tilde{\kappa}_3 \right) \end{aligned}$$