

How the damping term ensures the uniqueness in the final data inverse source problems related to vibration of the Euler-Bernoulli beam ?

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- ⑤ For an inverse problem related to parabolic equations with a final time output, this important issue was studied in [V.L. Kamynin, *Mathematical Notes* 73 ((2003) 2002-2011)].



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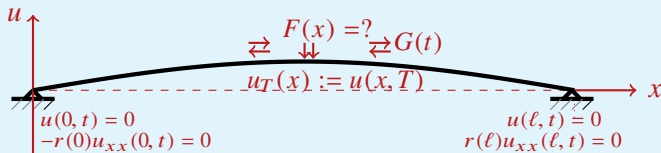


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2.3b. Effect of the damping coefficient μ

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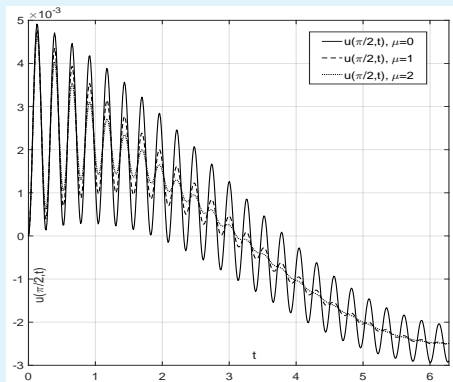


Figure: 2. The case: $\Omega_T = (0, \pi) \times (0, 2\pi)$, $F(x) = x \sin x$, $G(t) = \cos(\omega t)$, $\rho = r = 1$



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- Remark 4.1.** Indeed in the DP $u_0(x) = u_1(x) = 0$. The presence of these initial data in the IBVP is necessary for the estimates given below.



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- ② Then there exists a unique regular weak solution $u \in L^2(0, T; H^4(0, \ell))$ with $u_t \in L^2(0, T; \mathcal{V}^2(0, \ell))$, $u_{tt} \in L^2(0, T; L^2(0, \ell))$ and $u_{ttt} \in L^2(0, T; H^{-2}(0, \ell))$ of the IBVP.

- ③ Moreover, the following estimates hold:

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$$\begin{cases} \rho(x)u_{tt} + \mu u_t + (r(x)u_{xx})_{xx} = F(x)G(t), & (x, t) \in \Omega_T, \\ u(x, 0) = 0, \quad u_t(x, 0) = 0, & x \in (0, \ell), \\ u(0, t) = u_{xx}(0, t) = 0, \quad u(\ell, t) = u_{xx}(\ell, t) = 0, & t \in [0, T], \end{cases} \quad (\text{DP})$$

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❸ Compactness of the input-output operator implies that the considered inverse problem is *ill-posed*.

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- ③ **Proof follows from the inequality**

$$\|J'(F_1) - J'(F_2)\|_{L^2(0, \ell)}^2 \leq \|G\|_{L^2(0, T)}^2 \|\delta\phi\|_{L^2(0, T; L^2(0, \ell))}^2 \quad \text{and the estimate}$$

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④ An important consequence of this lemma is the monotonicity of the iterations $\{J(F^{(n)})\}$ in the gradient algorithm.



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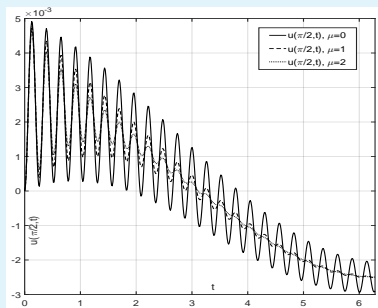
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- 3 **Theorem 9.1.** *Assume that conditions of Lemma 9.1 are satisfied and $u_T \in H^2(0, \ell)$. Then the ISPhI has a unique solution. Furthermore, this solution possesses the convergent singular value expansion given, with the singular values defined in Lemma 9.1.*



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| $\omega^* = \omega^*(\lambda_1, \mu)$ | 0.113 | 0.465 | 0.543 | 0.539 | 0.517 |
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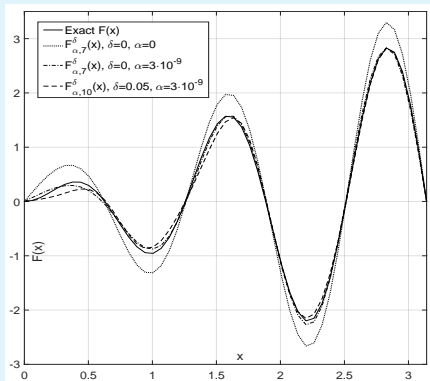
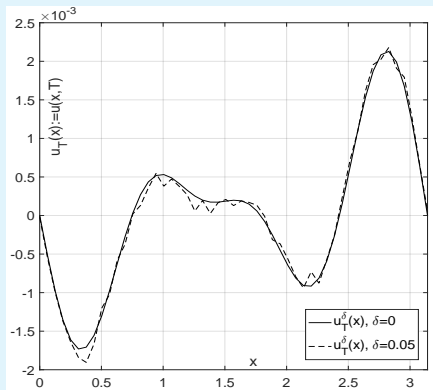


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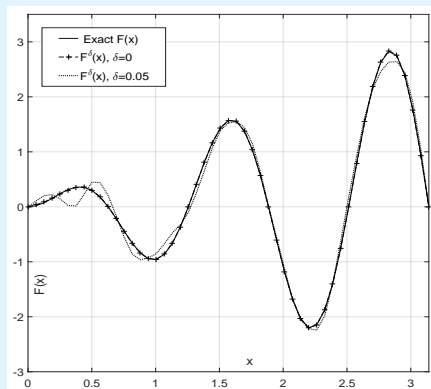


Figure: 5. Reconstruction of the spatial component of the load by the CG-algorithm (The previous example solved by the TSVD).



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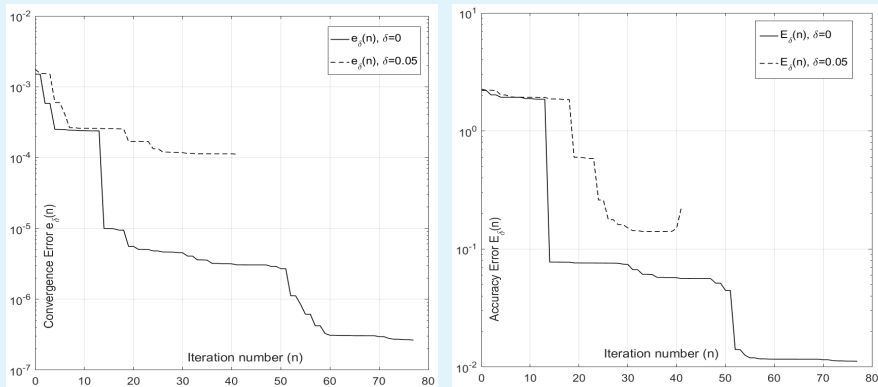


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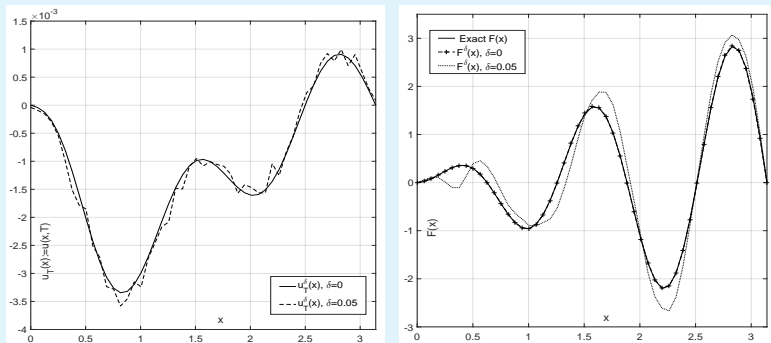


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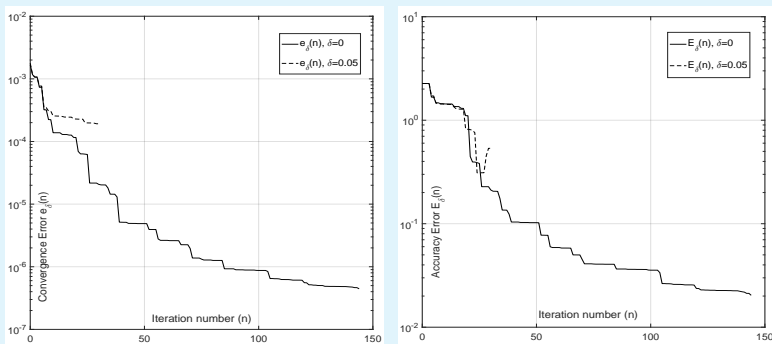


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