

Singular elliptic problems - existence of solutions and their properties

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We present our results regarding the existence of positive solutions of the following problem

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u(x) + f(x, u(x)) - b(x)(u(x))^{-\alpha} \|\nabla u(x)\|^\beta + g(x)x \cdot \nabla u(x) = 0, \\ \lim_{\|x\| \rightarrow \infty} u(x) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (0.1)$$

where $n > 2$, $R > 1$, $\|x\| := \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$, $\Omega_R = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|x\| > R\}$, $0 < \alpha \leq \beta - \alpha$,

which originates from the problem formulated in works of A. Constantin ([1]) without the singular part.

In the first part of the presentation, we consider a problem without a singular part and show the multiplicity of solutions. As our main tool we use the Noussair-Swanson theorem concerning the sub-supersolution ([3]).

In the second part, we show the existence of a classical solution to (0.1) using both sub-supersolution method ([2]) as well as the unbounded domain approximation method, described, among others in [3] and [4]. Here we use solutions from the first part as supersolutions of (0.1).

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