

Recovering sech solution with sech ansatz

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> restart;
> interface(showassumed=0):;
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Ansatz of the form $u(x,t) = A(x,t) * \exp(l * \phi(x,t))$

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> A := a(t)*sech(a(t)*(x-xi(t)));
> phi := c(t)*(x-xi(t))+b(t);
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$$A := a(t) \operatorname{sech}(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))$$

$$\phi := c(t) (x - \xi(t)) + b(t)$$

(1)

Lagrangian: $(l/2)(u u_t - u_t u) + (1/2) u_x u_x - (1/2) |u|^4 = A^2 \phi_t + (1/2) (A_x^2 + A^2 \phi_x^2) - (1/2) A^4$

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> LA := A^2*diff(phi,t) + (1/2)*(diff(A,x)^2+A^2*diff(phi,x)^2) - (1/2)*A^4;
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$$LA := a(t)^2 \operatorname{sech}(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))^2 \left(\left(\frac{d}{dt} c(t) \right) (x - \xi(t)) - c(t) \left(\frac{d}{dt} \xi(t) \right) + \frac{d}{dt} b(t) \right) + \frac{a(t)^4 \operatorname{sech}(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))^2 \tanh(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))^2}{2} + \frac{a(t)^2 \operatorname{sech}(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))^2 c(t)^2}{2} - \frac{a(t)^4 \operatorname{sech}(a(t) (x - \xi(t)))^4}{2}$$

(2)

Take out t-dependence so we can compute Leff

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> sub1 := (diff(c(t),t))=cp, (diff(a(t),t))=ap, (diff(b(t),t))=bp, (diff(xi(t),t))=xip;
> sub2 := xi(t)=xi, b(t)=b, c(t)=c, a(t)=a;
> LA2 := subs({sub1, sub2}, LA);
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$$LA2 := a^2 \operatorname{sech}(a (x - \xi))^2 (cp (x - \xi) - c xip + bp) + \frac{a^4 \operatorname{sech}(a (x - \xi))^2 \tanh(a (x - \xi))^2}{2} + \frac{a^2 \operatorname{sech}(a (x - \xi))^2 c^2}{2} - \frac{a^4 \operatorname{sech}(a (x - \xi))^4}{2}$$

(3)

Leff = integral of Lag, we need to assume that $a > 0$ and ξ real to be able to evaluate integrals

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> assume(a>0);
> assume(xi, real);
> Leff := int(LA2, x=-infinity..infinity);
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$$Leff := - \frac{a (a^2 - 3 c^2 + 6 c xip - 6 bp)}{3}$$

(4)

Put back t-dependences so that we can do Euler-Lag

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> subi1 := cp=diff(c(t),t), ap=(diff(a(t),t)), bp=(diff(b(t),t)), xip=(diff(xi(t),t));
> subi2 := xi=xi(t), b=b(t), c=c(t), a=a(t):
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Euler-Lagrange eqs

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> dLap := subs({subi1, subi2}, diff(Leff, ap));
> dLbp := subs({subi1, subi2}, diff(Leff, bp));
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> dLcp := subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,cp));
> dLxip:= subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,xip));
> eq1 := diff(dLap ,t)=subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,a));
> eq2 := diff(dLbp ,t)=subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,b));
> eq3 := diff(dLcp ,t)=subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,c));
> eq4 := diff(dLxip,t)=subs({subi1,subi2},diff(Leff,xi));

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$$eq1 := 0 = -a(t)^2 + c(t)^2 - 2 c(t) \left(\frac{d}{dt} \xi(t) \right) + 2 \frac{d}{dt} b(t)$$

$$eq2 := 2 \frac{d}{dt} a(t) = 0$$

$$eq3 := 0 = - \frac{a(t) \left(-6 c(t) + 6 \frac{d}{dt} \xi(t) \right)}{3}$$

$$eq4 := -2 \left(\frac{d}{dt} a(t) \right) c(t) - 2 a(t) \left(\frac{d}{dt} c(t) \right) = 0$$

(5)

Solve Euler-Lag ODEs simultaneously

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> sol:=solve({eq1,eq2,eq3,eq4},{diff(c(t),t),diff(a(t),t),diff(b(t),t),diff(xi(t),t)}):
> sol[1];sol[2];sol[3];sol[4];

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$$\frac{d}{dt} a(t) = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} b(t) = \frac{a(t)^2}{2} + \frac{c(t)^2}{2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} c(t) = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \xi(t) = c(t)$$

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