

EXISTENCE AND FORMS OF ENTIRE SOLUTIONS TO SYSTEM OF NON-LINEAR PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

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ABSTRACT. The main objective of this article is to explore the existence and forms of transcendental entire solutions of some systems of non-linear partial differential equations. We obtain two results and illustrate the results with several examples. This article improves the results in [5, 15]. In the last section we discuss the differences between the solutions involving homogeneous and non-homogeneous operators, and state an open question for the sake of future research.

1. INTRODUCTION

The development of the difference analogue of the Nevanlinna theory [4, 11] has greatly influenced the study of difference and difference-differential equations. Naturally, this topic has become a central focus for many researchers in the field. In 1966, Gross [6] studied the existence and form of transcendental entire solution of the equation $f(z)^m + g(z)^m = 1$, and settled the problem for $m = 2$ and pointed out that the equation does not possess any non-constant transcendental entire solution if $m > 2$. This significant result opened new avenues for further exploration about the existence and form of transcendental entire solutions for variants of classical Fermat-type equations. In course of time, this line of research has gained momentum, leading to a number of interesting results by many researchers, thereby enriching the field.

Theorem 1.1 ([12]). *For any two positive integers m and n with $m \neq n$, the equation*

$$f'(z)^n + f(z+c)^m = 1,$$

has no transcendental entire solution with finite order.

Theorem 1.2 ([12]). *The finite order transcendental entire solution of*

$$f'(z)^2 + f(z+c)^2 = 1,$$

must satisfy $f(z) = \sin(z \pm Bi)$, where B is a constant and $c = 2k\pi$ or $c = (2k+1)\pi$, k is an integer.

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In 2017, Gao [5] investigated the existence and form of transcendental entire solutions, for the following systems of Fermat-type equations:

$$\begin{aligned} f_1'(z)^{n_1} + f_2(z+c)^{m_1} &= Q_1(z), \\ f_2'(z)^{n_2} + f_1(z+c)^{m_2} &= Q_2(z), \end{aligned} \quad (1.1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} f_1'(z)^2 + f_2(z+c)^2 &= Q_1(z), \\ f_2'(z)^2 + f_1(z+c)^2 &= Q_2(z), \end{aligned} \quad (1.2)$$

where $Q_j(z)$, $j = 1, 2$ are non-zero polynomials in \mathbb{C} . For systems (1.1) and (1.2), the following results were obtained:

Theorem 1.3 ([5]). *There does not exist any finite order transcendental entire solutions $(f_1(z), f_2(z))$ of (1.1) if any of the following conditions is satisfied:*

- (i) $m_1 m_2 > n_1 n_2$;
- (ii) $m_j > \frac{n_j}{n_j - 1}$, $j = 1, 2$.

Theorem 1.4 ([5]). *Let $(f_1(z), f_2(z))$ be a finite order transcendental entire solution of (1.2) in \mathbb{C} . Then $Q_1(z) = c_{11}c_{12}$, $Q_2(z) = c_{21}c_{22}$ and*

$$f_1(z) = \frac{c_{11}e^{az+b_1} - c_{12}e^{-az-b_1}}{2a}, \quad f_2(z) = \frac{c_{21}e^{az+b_2} - c_{22}e^{-az-b_2}}{2a},$$

where $a^4 = 1$, $b_1, b_2, c_{kj} (\neq 0)$, $k, j = 1, 2$ are constants.

In 2018, Xu-Cao [15] investigated the existence and form of transcendental entire solutions of shift-differential equation in \mathbb{C}^2 to obtain the following result.

Theorem 1.5 ([15]). *Let $c = (c_1, c_2)$ be a non-zero constant in \mathbb{C}^2 . Then the Fermat-type partial differential equation*

$$\left(\frac{\partial f(z_1, z_2)}{\partial z_1} \right)^n + f(z_1 + c_1, z_2 + c_2)^m = 1,$$

does not have a finite order transcendental entire solution whenever m, n are two distinct positive integer.

Theorem 1.6 ([15, 16]). *Let $c = (c_1, c_2)$ be a non-zero constant in \mathbb{C}^2 , then each finite order transcendental entire solution of the Fermat-type partial differential equation*

$$\left(\frac{\partial f(z_1, z_2)}{\partial z_1} \right)^2 + f(z_1 + c_1, z_2 + c_2)^2 = 1,$$

has the form $f(z_1, z_2) = \sin(Az_1 + Bz_2 + H(z_2))$, where A, B are constants in \mathbb{C} satisfying $A^2 = 1$, $e^{i(Ac_1 + Bc_2)} = 1$ and $H(z_2)$ is a polynomial in one variable z_2 such that $H(z_2) = H(z_2 + c_2)$. In special case whenever $c_2 \neq 0$, we have $f(z_1, z_2) = \sin(Az_1 + Bz_2 + \text{constant})$.

Motivated by the results several authors made contribution to this field; see [1, 14], [17]-[21] and the references therein.

2. FORMULATION OF MAIN PROBLEM AND RELEVANT EXAMPLES

To proceed further, we introduce the following differential-operator

Definition 2.1. The partial differential operator P_{L_n} in \mathbb{C}^n is defined as

$$P_{L_n} = \sum_{|J|=1}^n b_{j_1 \dots j_n} \frac{\partial^{|J|}}{\partial z_1^{j_1} \dots \partial z_n^{j_n}},$$

where $b_{j_1 \dots j_n} \neq 0$ are constants in \mathbb{C} and $J = (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_n)$, $|J| = \sum_{t=1}^n j_t$. From now onwards, we use $\vec{z}_n = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n)$, $\vec{c}_n = (c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n)$ and $\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n = (z_1 + c_1, z_2 + c_2, \dots, z_n + c_n)$ and $\vec{0} = (0, 0, \dots, 0)$.

This article is based on exploring existence of finite order transcendental entire solutions in n ($n \geq 1$) dimensional complex field of the equations

$$\begin{aligned} (P_{L_n}(f_1(\vec{z}_n)))^{l_1} + f_2(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)^{k_1} &= Q_1(\vec{z}_n) \\ (P_{L_n}(f_2(\vec{z}_n)))^{l_2} + f_1(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)^{k_2} &= Q_2(\vec{z}_n); \end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

where $Q_j(\vec{z}_n)$, $j = 1, 2$ are two non-zero polynomials in \mathbb{C}^n and are of finite order transcendental entire solution for $n = 2$, i.e. in \mathbb{C}^2 of the equations

$$\begin{aligned} (P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)))^2 + f_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)^2 &= 1 \\ (P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)))^2 + f_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)^2 &= 1. \end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Theorem 2.2. Let $\vec{c} = (c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n)$ be a non-zero constant in \mathbb{C}^n . Then (2.1) can not have a finite order transcendental entire solution $(f_1(\vec{z}_n), f_2(\vec{z}_n), \dots, f_n(\vec{z}_n))$ if the exponents satisfy one of the following two conditions:

- (i) $k_1 k_2 > l_1 l_2$;
- (ii) $k_t > \frac{l_t}{l_t - 1}$ for $l_t \geq 2$, $t = 1, 2$.

The above theorem motivate us to explore the case $l_t = 1$, and $k_t = 1$; $t = 1, 2$. In this respect, the following example shows that the solution exists.

Example 2.3. Let $l_1 = 1$, $l_2 = 1$, $k_1 = 1$, $k_2 = 1$, $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 1$, $b_{11} = 1$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $Q_1(\vec{z}_2) = 1$, $Q_2(\vec{z}_2) = 1$. Then $f(z) = (f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2))$, where $f_j(\vec{z}_2) = e^{z_1 + z_2} + 1$, $j = 1, 2$ is a solution of (2.1) when $e^{c_1 + c_2} = -5$.

For the sake of convenience and to proceed further we use the following expressions

$$\begin{aligned} A_1(r, s) &= -b_{10}s + b_{01}r + b_{11}(d_2s - d_1r) + 2b_{20}d_1s - 2b_{02}d_2r, \\ A_2(r, s) &= b_{10}s - b_{01}r + b_{11}(d_2s - d_1r) + 2b_{20}d_1s - 2b_{02}d_2r, \\ B(r, s) &= -b_{11}rs + b_{20}s^2 + b_{02}r^2, \\ D_1(r, s) &= -b_{10}r - b_{01}s + b_{11}rs + b_{20}r^2 + b_{02}s^2, \\ D_2(r, s) &= b_{10}r + b_{01}s + b_{11}rs + b_{20}r^2 + b_{02}s^2, \\ L(r, s) &= d_1r + d_2s, \end{aligned}$$

where r, s are parameters and d_1, d_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} .

Theorem 2.4. Let $(c_1, c_2) \neq (0, 0) \in \mathbb{C}^2$ be a constant and $(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2))$ be a finite order transcendental entire solution of (2.2) in \mathbb{C}^2 . Also let $B(c_1, c_2)$,

$A_1(c_1, c_2)$ and $B(c_1, c_2)$, $A_2(c_1, c_2)$ be nonzero simultaneously. Then $(f_1(\vec{z}_2)f_2(\vec{z}_2))$ takes one of the following form:

(A) When

$$D_1(d_1, d_2)D_2(d_1, d_2) = 1, \quad e^{2L(\vec{c}_2)} = \frac{D_2(d_1, d_2)}{D_1(d_1, d_2)},$$

$$e^{2(W_1+W_2)} = -1, \quad e^{W_1+W_2} = \frac{i}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)},$$

we have

$$f_1(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)+W_2} - e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)-W_2}}{2i},$$

$$f_2(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1}}{2i},$$

where W_1, W_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} .

(B) When

$$D_1(d_1, d_2)D_2(d_1, d_2) = 1, \quad e^{2L(\vec{c}_2)} = -\frac{D_2(d_1, d_2)}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}, \quad e^{2(W_1-W_2)} = 1,$$

$$e^{W_1-W_2} = -\frac{i}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)},$$

$$f_1(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_2} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_2}}{2i},$$

$$f_2(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1}}{2i},$$

where W_1, W_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} .

The following examples justify Theorem 2.4.

Example 2.5. Let $b_{10} = -2i$, $b_{01} = i$, $b_{11} = -2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = 1$, $c_1 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $c_2 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_1 = \frac{-\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = \frac{-\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{-ie^{-z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} + ie^{z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, -\frac{e^{-z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.6. Let $b_{10} = 2i$, $b_{01} = i$, $b_{11} = 2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $c_2 = -\frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_1 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} - ie^{z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, -\frac{e^{-z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.7. Let $b_{10} = 2i$, $b_{01} = i$, $b_{11} = 2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = 2\pi i$, $c_2 = -2\pi i$, $W_1 = 0$, $W_2 = 0$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.8. Let $b_{10} = 2i$, $b_{01} = i$, $b_{11} = 2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = 1$, $c_2 = 1$, $W_1 = 0$, $W_2 = 0$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.9. Let $b_{10} = i$, $b_{01} = 2i$, $b_{11} = 2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = \pi i$, $c_2 = -\pi i$, $W_1 = \frac{\pi i}{2}$, $W_2 = -\frac{\pi i}{2}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{-ie^{-z_1+z_2} + ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-2z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.10. Let $b_{10} = -2i$, $b_{01} = -i$, $b_{11} = 2i$, $b_{20} = i$, $b_{02} = i$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = 1$, $c_2 = 1$, $W_1 = 2\pi i$, $W_2 = \pi i$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{-ie^{-z_1+z_2} + ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2} - ie^{z_1-z_2}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.11. Let $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 1$, $b_{11} = 1$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = c_2 = 1$, $W_1 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{e^{-z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} - ie^{z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.12. Let $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 2$, $b_{11} = 2$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $d_1 = 2$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = 2\pi i$, $c_2 = 2\pi i$, $W_1 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{e^{-2z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{2z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-2z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}} - ie^{2z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.13. Let $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 2$, $b_{11} = 2$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $d_1 = 2i$, $d_2 = -i$, $c_1 = i$, $c_2 = 2i$, $W_1 = -\frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = -\frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(-\frac{e^{-2iz_1+iz_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{2iz_1-iz_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-2iz_1+iz_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} - ie^{2iz_1-iz_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.14. Let $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 2$, $b_{11} = 2$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $d_1 = 2i$, $d_2 = -i$, $c_1 = 2\pi$, $c_2 = 2\pi$, $W_1 = -\frac{\pi i}{4}$, $W_2 = -\frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(-\frac{e^{-2iz_1+iz_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} + e^{2iz_1-iz_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2}, \frac{ie^{-2iz_1+iz_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} - ie^{2iz_1-iz_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.15. Let $b_{10} = 1$, $b_{01} = 2$, $b_{11} = 2$, $b_{20} = 1$, $b_{02} = 1$, $d_1 = 2$, $d_2 = -1$, $c_1 = \frac{\pi i}{2}$, $c_2 = -\frac{\pi i}{2}$, $W_1 = \frac{\pi i}{2}$, $W_2 = \frac{\pi i}{2}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{e^{-2z_1+z_2} + e^{2z_1-z_2}}{2}, \frac{e^{-2z_1+z_2} + e^{2z_1-z_2}}{2} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Example 2.16. Let $b_{10} = b_{01} = -\frac{6}{5}$, $b_{11} = \frac{1}{5}$, $b_{20} = \frac{8}{5}$, $b_{02} = \frac{4}{5}$, $d_1 = 1$, $d_2 = 1$, $c_1 = 1$, $c_2 = \log(\frac{1}{5}) - 1$, $W_1 = W_2 = \frac{\pi i}{4}$. Then

$$(f_1(\vec{z}), f_2(\vec{z}_2)) = \left(\frac{\frac{1}{5}e^{-z_1-z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} - 5e^{z_1+z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2i}, \frac{5e^{z_1+z_2+\frac{\pi i}{4}} - \frac{1}{5}e^{-z_1-z_2-\frac{\pi i}{4}}}{2i} \right)$$

is a solution of (2.2).

Corollary 2.17. Let $(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2))$ be a transcendental entire function of order properly greater than one with $B(c_1, c_2)$, $A_1(c_1, c_2)$ and $A_2(c_1, c_2)$ are not zero simultaneously. Then $(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2))$ can not be a solution of (2.2).

3. LEMMAS

We assume that the readers are familiar with the basic notations of the Nevanlinna theory such as $N(r, f)$, $N(r, \frac{1}{f})$, $m(r, f)$, $T(r, f)$ in complex variable [7]. For several complex variables we refer to [10] and the references therein. By $S(r, f)$ we will mean any quantity satisfying $S(r, f) = o(T(r, f))$, $r \rightarrow \infty$, outside possibly an exceptional set of finite logarithmic measure. Based on the notations, the following lemmas will play important role in proving our theorems.

Lemma 3.1 ([13]). For each entire function F in \mathbb{C}^n , $F(\vec{0}) \neq \vec{0}$ and put $\rho(n_F) = \rho < \infty$. Then there exists a canonical function f_F and a function $g_F \in \mathbb{C}^n$ such that $F(z) = f_{F(z)} e^{g_F(z)}$. For special case $n = 1$, f_F is the canonical product of Weierstrass. Here $\rho(n_f)$ denotes the order of the counting function of zeros of F .

Lemma 3.2 ([22, 2]). Let $f(z)$ be a non-constant meromorphic function in \mathbb{C}^n and let $I = (i_1, \dots, i_n)$ be a multi index with length $|I| = \sum_{j=1}^n i_j$. Assume that $T(r_0, f) \geq e$ for some r_0 . Then

$$m\left(r, \frac{\partial^I f}{f}\right) = S(r, f),$$

holds for all $r \geq r_0$, outside a set $E \subset (0, +\infty)$ of finite logarithmic measure $\int_E \frac{dt}{t} < \infty$, where $\partial^I f = \frac{\partial^I f}{\partial z_1^{i_1} \dots \partial z_n^{i_n}}$.

Lemma 3.3 ([9]). Let $f_j (\neq 0)$, $j = 1, 2, 3$ be meromorphic function in \mathbb{C}^n such that f_1 is not constant, $f_1 + f_2 + f_3 = 1$ and

$$\sum_{j=1}^3 \left\{ N_2\left(r, \frac{1}{f_j}\right) + 2\bar{N}(r, f_j) \right\} < \lambda T(r, f_1) + o(\log^+ T(r, f_1)),$$

for all r outside possibly a set with finite logarithmic measure, where $\lambda < 1$ is a positive number, then either $f_2 \equiv 1$ or $f_3 \equiv 1$.

Lemma 3.4 ([3]). Let $f(\vec{z}_n)$ be a non-constant meromorphic function with finite order in \mathbb{C}^n such that $f(\vec{0}) \neq 0, \infty$ and let $\epsilon > 0$. Then, for $\vec{c}_n \in \mathbb{C}^n$,

$$m\left(r, \frac{f(\vec{z}_n)}{f(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)}\right) + m\left(r, \frac{f(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)}{f(\vec{z}_n)}\right) = S(r, f),$$

holds for all $r \geq r_0$, outside a set $E \subset (0, +\infty)$ of finite logarithmic measure $\int_E \frac{dt}{t} < \infty$.

Lemma 3.5 ([9, Lemma 3.1]). *Suppose that $a_0(\vec{z}_m), a_1(\vec{z}_m), \dots, a_n(\vec{z}_m), n \geq 1$, are meromorphic in \mathbb{C}^m and $g_0(\vec{z}_m), g_2(\vec{z}_m), \dots, g_n(\vec{z}_m)$ are entire in \mathbb{C}^m . $g_j(\vec{z}_m) - g_k(\vec{z}_m)$ are non-constant for $0 \leq j < k \leq n$. If*

$$\sum_{j=0}^n a_j(\vec{z}_m) e^{g_j(\vec{z}_m)} \equiv 0$$

and $T(r, a_j) = o(T(r)), j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$,

$$T(r) = \min_{0 \leq j < k \leq n} T(r, e^{g_k - g_j}),$$

then $a_j \equiv 0$.

4. PROOF OF THE MAIN RESULTS

Proof of Theorem 2.2. Let $(f_1(\vec{z}_n), f_2(\vec{z}_n), \dots, f_n(\vec{z}_n))$ be a finite order transcendental entire solution of (2.1) in \mathbb{C}^n . We consider the following 2 cases:

Case 1: Let $k_1 k_2 > l_1 l_2$. Using Lemma 3.4, we have that

$$m\left(r, \frac{f_j(\vec{z}_n)}{f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)}\right) = S(r, f_j), \tag{4.1}$$

holds for all $r > 0$ outside a possible set $E_j \subset [1, +\infty), j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ of finite logarithmic measure $\int_{E_j} \frac{dt}{t} < \infty$. Clearly, we have the following

$$\begin{aligned} T(r, f_j(\vec{z}_n)) &= m(r, f_j(\vec{z}_n)), \\ &\leq m\left(r, \frac{f_j(\vec{z}_n)}{f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)} \times f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)\right), \\ &\leq m\left(r, \frac{f_j(\vec{z}_n)}{f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)}\right) + m(r, f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)) + \log 2, \\ &= m(r, f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)) + \log 2 + S(r, f_j), \\ &= T(r, f_j(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)) + \log 2 + S(r, f_j), \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$

for all $r \notin E_1 \cup E_2$. Applying Valliron Mohon'ko theorem in several complex variables [8] we have

$$\begin{aligned} k_1 T(r, f_2(\vec{z}_n)) &\leq k_1 T(r, f_2(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n)) + S(r, f_2) \\ &\leq T(r, f_2(\vec{z}_n + \vec{c}_n))^{k_1} + S(r, f_2), \\ &= T\left(r, (P_{L_n}(f_1(\vec{z}_n)))^{l_1} - Q_1(\vec{z}_n)\right) + S(r, f_2), \\ &= l_1 T(r, P_{L_n}(f_1(\vec{z}_n))) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2), \\ &= l_1 m(r, P_{L_n}(f_1(\vec{z}_n))) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2), \\ &\leq l_1 \left[m\left(r, \frac{P_{L_n}(f_1(\vec{z}_n))}{f_1(\vec{z}_n)}\right) + m(r, f_1(\vec{z}_n)) + \log 2 \right] \\ &\quad + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2), \\ &= l_1 T(r, f_1(\vec{z}_n)) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2), \end{aligned} \tag{4.3}$$

i.e. from (4.3) we obtain

$$(k_1 + o(1))T(r, f_2(\vec{z}_n)) \leq (l_1 + o(1))T(r, f_1(\vec{z}_n)), \quad r \notin E_1. \tag{4.4}$$

Similarly, we obtain

$$(k_2 + o(1))T(r, f_2(z_n)) \leq (l_2 + o(1))T(r, f_1(z_n)), \quad r \notin E_2. \quad (4.5)$$

From (4.4) and (4.5) clearly we have a contradiction.

Case 2: Let $k_t > \frac{l_t}{l_t - 1}$, $l_t \geq 2$, $t = 1, 2$. Using the Nevanlinna second main theorem, from (2.1) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & (l_1 - 1)T(r, P_{L_n}(f_1(z_n))) \\ & \leq \overline{N}\left(r, P_{L_n}(f_1(z_n))\right) + \overline{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{(P_{L_n}(f_1(z_n)))^{l_1} - Q_1(z_n)}\right) + S(r, P_{L_n}(f_1)), \\ & \leq \overline{N}\left(r, \frac{1}{f_2(z_n + c_n)}\right) + S(r, f_1), \\ & \leq T(r, f_2(z_n + c_n)) + S(r, f_1), \\ & \leq T(r, f_2(z_n)) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2). \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

Proceeding with the similar arguments, from the second equation we obtain

$$(l_2 - 1)T(r, P_{L_n}f_2(z_n)) \leq T(r, f_1(z_n)) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2). \quad (4.7)$$

From the first equation of (2.1) and using Valliron Mohon'ko theorem in several complex variables [8] we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} k_1 T(r, f_2(z_n + c_n)) &= T(r, (P_{L_n}(f_1(z_n)))^{l_1} - Q_1(z_n)) + S(r, f_1) \\ &\leq l_1 T(r, P_{L_n}(f_1(z_n))) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_1). \end{aligned} \quad (4.8)$$

Proceeding, in the similar way from the second equation of (2.1) we obtain

$$k_2 T(r, f_1(z_n + c_n)) \leq l_2 T(r, P_{L_n}(f_2(z_n))) + S(r, f_1) + S(r, f_2). \quad (4.9)$$

From (4.6)-(4.9) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left(k_1 - \frac{l_1}{l_1 - 1} + o(1)\right)T(r, f_2(z_n)) &\leq S(r, f_1), \\ \left(k_2 - \frac{l_2}{l_2 - 1} + o(1)\right)T(r, f_1(z_n)) &\leq S(r, f_2). \end{aligned}$$

Since $(f_1(z_n), f_2(z_n), \dots, f_n(z_n))$ is a transcendental entire function, we obtain

$$\left(k_1 - \frac{l_1}{l_1 - 1} + o(1)\right)\left(k_2 - \frac{l_2}{l_2 - 1} + o(1)\right) \leq 0.$$

Since $k_t > \frac{l_t}{l_t - 1}$, $t = 1, 2$, we have a contradiction. The proof of Theorem 2.2 is complete \square

The following expression is used several times to prove the next theorem.

$$\begin{aligned} M_{m,u}(p) &= b_{10} \frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_1} + b_{01} \frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_2} + b_{11} \left\{ \frac{\partial^2 p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_1 \partial z_2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-1)^{u-1} \frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_1} \frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_2} \right\} + b_{20} \left\{ \frac{\partial^2 p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_1^2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-1)^{u-1} \left(\frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_1} \right)^2 \right\} + b_{02} \left\{ \frac{\partial^2 p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_2^2} + (-1)^{u-1} \left(\frac{\partial p_m(\vec{z}_2)}{\partial z_2} \right)^2 \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

for $m, u = 1, 2$.

Proof of Theorem 2.4. Let $(f_1(\vec{z}_2), f_2(\vec{z}_2))$ be a pair of finite order transcendental entire solution of (2.2) in \mathbb{C}^2 . Clearly, system (2.2) can be re-written as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \{P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)) + if_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)\}\{P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)) - if_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)\} &= 1, \\ \{P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2) + if_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2))\}\{P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)) - if_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)\} &= 1. \end{aligned} \tag{4.10}$$

Now using Lemma 3.1, from (4.10) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)) + if_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2)}, \\ P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)) - if_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= e^{-p_1(\vec{z}_2)}, \\ P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)) + if_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2)}, \\ P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)) - if_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= e^{-p_2(\vec{z}_2)}, \end{aligned} \tag{4.11}$$

where $p_1(\vec{z}_2), p_2(\vec{z}_2)$ are two non-constant polynomials in \mathbb{C}^2 . By an easy computation from (4.11), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)) &= \frac{e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2)} + e^{-p_1(\vec{z}_2)}}{2}, \\ f_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= \frac{e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{-p_1(\vec{z}_2)}}{2i}, \\ P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)) &= \frac{e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2)} + e^{-p_2(\vec{z}_2)}}{2}, \\ f_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) &= \frac{e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{-p_2(\vec{z}_2)}}{2i}. \end{aligned} \tag{4.12}$$

Combining the first and the last equations, and the second and the third equations of (4.12) we obtain respectively

$$-iM_{2,1}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) + p_2(\vec{z}_2)} - iM_{2,2}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_2(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} = 1, \tag{4.13}$$

and

$$-iM_{1,1}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) + p_1(\vec{z}_2)} - iM_{1,2}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_1(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{2p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} = 1. \tag{4.14}$$

Now taking into consideration equation (4.13), we discuss the following possibilities:

- (i) Let $M_{2,1} \equiv 0, M_{2,2} \equiv 0$. Then we have $-e^{2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} = 1$, which shows that $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$ is a constant polynomial, a contradiction.
- (ii) Let $M_{2,1} \equiv 0$ and $M_{2,2} \neq 0$. Then we have

$$-iM_{2,2}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_2(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} = 1. \tag{4.15}$$

Since $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$ is a non-constant polynomial, (4.15) implies that $p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_2(\vec{z}_2)$ is also non-constant. We claim that $-p_2(\vec{z}_2) - p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)$ is also non-constant. On the contrary, let $-p_2(\vec{z}_2) - p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) = A'_1$, where A'_1 is a constant in \mathbb{C} .

Then from (4.15) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} -iM_{2,2}e^{A'_1 + 2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} - e^{2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} &= 1, \\ \text{i.e. } (iM_{2,2}e^{A'_1} + 1)e^{2p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} &= -1. \end{aligned}$$

Then we have $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$ is a constant polynomial, a contradiction. Clearly, we can rewrite (4.15) as

$$-iM_{2,2}e^{-p_2(\vec{z}_2)} - e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} - e^{-p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)} = 0. \tag{4.16}$$

Now applying Lemma 3.5 in (4.16) we have $M_{2,2} \equiv 0$, a contradiction.

(iii) Let $M_{2,1} \neq 0$ and $M_{2,2} \equiv 0$. Then proceeding in the similar way as done in case (ii) we obtain a contradiction.

So we must have $M_{2,1} \neq 0$ and $M_{2,2} \neq 0$. Using similar arguments from (4.14) we obtain $M_{1,1} \neq 0$ and $M_{1,2} \neq 0$. Hence using Lemma 3.3, in (4.13) and (4.14) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} -iM_{2,1}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_2(\vec{z}_2)} &\equiv 1 \text{ or } -iM_{2,2}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_2(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1; \\ -iM_{1,1}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_1(\vec{z}_2)} &\equiv 1 \text{ or } -iM_{1,2}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_1(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1, \end{aligned}$$

respectively.

Now we consider the following four cases:

Case 1:

$$\begin{aligned} -iM_{2,1}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_2(\vec{z}_2)} &\equiv 1, \\ -iM_{1,1}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_1(\vec{z}_2)} &\equiv 1. \end{aligned}$$

Clearly we have $p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) + p_2(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_1$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) + p_1(z) \equiv \eta_2$, where η_1, η_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} . Then we have $p_1(\vec{z}_2) = L(\vec{z}_2) + H(s) + W_1$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2) = -L(\vec{z}_2) - H(s) + W_2$, where W_1, W_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} , $H(s)$ is a polynomial in $s = c_2z_1 - c_1z_2$. Now combining with (4.13) and (4.14) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} &b_{10}(-d_1 - H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(-d_2 + H'(s)c_1) \\ &+ b_{11}\{H''(s)c_1c_2 + (-d_1 - H'(s)c_2)(-d_2 + H'(s)c_1)\} \\ &+ b_{20}\{-H''(s)c_2^2 + (-d_1 - H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ &+ b_{02}\{-H''(s)c_1^2 + (-d_2 + H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \\ &b_{10}(d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\ &+ b_{11}\{-H''(s)c_1c_2 + (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)(d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} + b_{20}\{H''(s)c_2^2 \\ &+ (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} + b_{02}\{H''(s)c_1^2 + (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \\ &b_{10}(-d_1 - H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(-d_2 + H'(s)c_1) \tag{4.17} \\ &+ b_{11}\{H''(s)c_1c_2 - (-d_1 - H'(s)c_2)(-d_2 + H'(s)c_1)\} \\ &+ b_{20}\{-H''(s)c_2^2 - (-d_1 - H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ &+ b_{02}\{-H''(s)c_1^2 - (-d_2 + H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} \equiv i, \\ &b_{10}(d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\ &+ b_{11}\{-H''(s)c_1c_2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)(d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} \\ &+ b_{20}\{H''(s)c_2^2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ &+ b_{02}\{H''(s)c_1^2 - (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} \equiv i. \end{aligned}$$

We note that coefficient of $H'(s)$ of the first, second, third, and fourth equations are $A_1(c_1, c_2)$, $A_2(c_1, c_2)$, $-A_2(c_1, c_2)$, and $-A_1(c_1, c_2)$ respectively. Also, coefficients of $H''(s)^2$ of the first, second, third, and fourth equations are $B(c_1, c_2)$, $B(c_1, c_2)$, $-B(c_1, c_2)$, and $-B(c_1, c_2)$ respectively. Further, the coefficients of $H''(s)$ of the first, second, third, and fourth equations are $-B(c_1, c_2)$, $B(c_1, c_2)$, $-B(c_1, c_2)$, and $B(c_1, c_2)$ respectively.

Then (4.17) reduces to

$$\begin{aligned}
& [D_1(d_1, d_2) + A_1(c_1, c_2)H'(s) + B(c_1, c_2)\{H'(s)^2 - H''(s)\}] \\
& \times e^{L(\bar{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \\
& [D_2(d_1, d_2) + A_2(c_1, c_2)H'(s) + B(c_1, c_2)\{H'(s)^2 + H''(s)\}] \\
& \times e^{-L(\bar{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \\
& [-D_2(d_1, d_2) - A_2(c_1, c_2)H'(s) - B(c_1, c_2)\{H'(s)^2 + H''(s)\}] \\
& \times e^{-L(\bar{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} \equiv i, \\
& [-D_1(d_1, d_2) - A_1(c_1, c_2)H'(s) - B(c_1, c_2)\{H'(s)^2 - H''(s)\}] \\
& \times e^{L(\bar{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} \equiv i.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.18}$$

Taking into consideration the first and fourth equations of (4.18), we have the following:

- (a) $A_1(c_1, c_2) \neq 0, B(c_1, c_2) \neq 0$, then degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (b) $A_1(c_1, c_2) = 0, B(c_1, c_2) \neq 0$, then degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (c) $A_1(c_1, c_2) \neq 0, B(c_1, c_2) = 0$, then degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (d) $A_1(c_1, c_2) = 0, B(c_1, c_2) = 0$, then degree of $H(s)$ can be any finite number.

Now using the first assumption of Theorem 2.4, i.e. $B(c_1, c_2)$ and $A_1(c_1, c_2)$ are not zero simultaneously, we obtain degree of $H(s) \leq 1$. Since under $H(s) \leq 1$; $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2)$ both become linear polynomials, without loss of generality we can consider $H(s) \equiv 0$. Then from first and fourth equations of (4.18) we must have

$$\begin{aligned}
D_1(d_1, d_2)e^{L(\bar{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} &= i, \\
-D_1(d_1, d_2)e^{L(\bar{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} &= i.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.19}$$

Let us consider the second and third equations of (4.18). We have the following 4 possibilities:

- (e) $A_2(c_1, c_2) \neq 0, B(c_1, c_2) \neq 0$, degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (f) $A_2(c_1, c_2) = 0, B(c_1, c_2) \neq 0$, degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (g) $A_2(c_1, c_2) \neq 0, B(c_1, c_2) = 0$, degree of $H(s) \leq 1$.
- (h) $A_2(c_1, c_2) = 0, B(c_1, c_2) = 0$, degree of $H(s)$ is arbitrary finite number.

Using the assumption of Theorem 2.4, which is $B(c_1, c_2)$ and $A_2(c_1, c_2)$ are not zero simultaneously, we must have $\deg(H(s)) \leq 1$. Since $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2)$ becomes a linear polynomial, without any loss of generality we consider $H(s) \equiv 0$. Then from second and third equations of (4.18) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
D_2(d_1, d_2)e^{-L(\bar{c}_2)+W_1+W_2} &= i, \\
-D_2(d_1, d_2)e^{-L(\bar{c}_2)-W_1-W_2} &= i.
\end{aligned} \tag{4.20}$$

Considering all conditions such that degree of $H(s) \leq 1$ i.e. $B(c_1, c_2)$, $A_1(c_1, c_2)$ and $B(c_1, c_2)$, $A_2(c_1, c_2)$ are not zero simultaneously, from (4.19) and (4.20) we have

$$\begin{aligned}
D_1(d_1, d_2)D_2(d_1, d_2) &= 1, \quad e^{2L(\bar{c}_2)} = \frac{D_2(d_1, d_2)}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}, \\
e^{2(W_1+W_2)} &= -1, \quad e^{W_1+W_2} = \frac{i}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}e^{-L(\bar{c}_2)}.
\end{aligned}$$

The form of the solution is

$$f_1(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)+W_2} - e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)-W_2}}{2i},$$

$$f_2(\vec{z}_2) = \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1}}{2i}.$$

Case 2: Let

$$-iM_{2,1}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_2(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1,$$

$$-iM_{1,2}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_1(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1.$$

Clearly we have $p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) + p_2(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_1$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_1(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_2$, where η_1, η_2 are two constants in \mathbb{C} . Then by easy computation we obtain $p_1(\vec{z}_2 + 2\vec{c}_2) + p_1(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_1 - \eta_2$, which contradicts that $p_1(\vec{z}_2)$ is a non-constant polynomial.

Case 3: Let

$$-iM_{2,2}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_2(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1,$$

$$-iM_{1,1}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)+p_1(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1.$$

Then by using similar arguments as in Case 2, we obtain a contradiction.

Case 4: Let

$$-iM_{2,2}e^{p_1(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_2(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1,$$

$$-iM_{1,2}e^{p_2(\vec{z}_2+\vec{c}_2)-p_1(\vec{z}_2)} \equiv 1.$$

Then clearly we have $p_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_2(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_1$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2) - p_1(\vec{z}_2) \equiv \eta_2$, where η_1, η_2 be two constants in \mathbb{C} . Let us take $p_1(\vec{z}_2) = L(\vec{z}_2) + H(s) + W_1$, $p_2(\vec{z}_2) = L(\vec{z}_2) + H(s) + W_2$, where W_1, W_2 are constants in \mathbb{C} , $H(s)$ is a polynomial in $s = c_2z_1 - c_1z_2$.

Then combining this with (4.13) and (4.14), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & b_{10}(d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\ & + b_{11}\{-H''(s)c_1c_2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)(d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} \\ & + b_{20}\{H''(s)c_2^2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ & + b_{02}\{H''(s)c_1^2 - (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1-W_2} \equiv i, \\ & b_{10}(d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\ & + b_{11}\{-H''(s)c_1c_2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)(d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} \\ & + b_{20}\{H''(s)c_2^2 - (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ & + b_{02}\{H''(s)c_1^2 - (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \\ & b_{10}(d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01}(d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\ & + b_{11}\{-H''(s)c_1c_2 + (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)(d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} \\ & + b_{20}\{H''(s)c_2^2 + (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\ & + b_{02}\{H''(s)c_1^2 + (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1+W_2} \equiv i, \end{aligned} \tag{4.21}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & b_{10} (d_1 + H'(s)c_2) + b_{01} (d_2 - H'(s)c_1) \\
 & + b_{11} \{-H''(s)c_1c_2 + (d_1 + H'(s)c_2) (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)\} \\
 & + b_{20} \{H''(s)c_2^2 + (d_1 + H'(s)c_2)^2\} \\
 & + b_{02} \{H''(s)c_1^2 + (d_2 - H'(s)c_1)^2\} e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1-W_2} \equiv i.
 \end{aligned}$$

Proceeding with the similar methods as done in Case 1 we conclude that $H(s) \equiv 0$. Then from (4.21) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 -D_1(d_1, d_2)e^{L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1-W_2} &= i, \\
 -D_1(d_1, d_2)e^{L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1+W_2} &= i, \\
 D_2(d_1, d_2)e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1+W_2} &= i, \\
 D_2(d_1, d_2)e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1-W_2} &= i.
 \end{aligned}$$

Clearly we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_1(d_1, d_2)D_2(d_1, d_2) &= 1, \quad e^{2L(\vec{c}_2)} = -\frac{D_2(d_1, d_2)}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}, \\
 e^{2(W_1-W_2)} &= 1, \quad e^{W_1-W_2} = -\frac{i}{D_1(d_1, d_2)}e^{-L(\vec{c}_2)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

In this case the form of the solution is

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_1(\vec{z}_2) &= \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_2} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_2}}{2i}, \\
 f_2(\vec{z}_2) &= \frac{e^{L(\vec{z}_2)-L(\vec{c}_2)+W_1} - e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)+L(\vec{c}_2)-W_1}}{2i}.
 \end{aligned}$$

□

5. DISCUSSION RELATED TO THEOREM 2.4 AND AN OPEN QUESTION

From the expressions of $D_1(d_1, d_2)$, $D_2(d_1, d_2)$ we see that they are related in a certain way. More elaborately, when we consider only the second degree homogeneous differential operator, then $D_1(d_1, d_2) = D_2(d_1, d_2)$ and when we consider only the first order differential operator, then $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -D_2(d_1, d_2)$. Now we discuss the following cases:

Case 1: Let $D_1(d_1, d_2) = D_2(d_1, d_2) = D(d_1, d_2)$. Then from Case 1 and Case 4 in Theorem 2.4, we obtain $D^2(d_1, d_2) = 1$, that is $D(d_1, d_2) = \pm 1$.

Case 2: Let $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -D_2(d_1, d_2) = D(d_1, d_2)$. Then from Case 1 and Case 4 in Theorem 2.4, we obtain $D^2(d_1, d_2) = -1$, that is $D(d_1, d_2) = \pm i$.

Combining Case 1 and Case 2 we clearly see that $D_1(d_1, d_2)$ and $D_2(d_1, d_2)$ can take the values $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$ with $D_1(d_1, d_2)D_2(d_1, d_2) = 1$. In particular, we can write the solution of equation (2.2) as the follows: Let

$$f_1(\vec{z}) = \frac{S_{11}e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)-W_1} + S_{12}e^{L(\vec{z}_2)+W_1}}{2}, \quad f_2(\vec{z}) = \frac{S_{21}e^{-L(\vec{z}_2)-W_1} + S_{22}e^{L(\vec{z}_2)+W_1}}{2},$$

where W_1, W_2 and $S_{11}, S_{12}, S_{21}, S_{22}$ are constants in \mathbb{C} .

Now under the conclusion (A) in Theorem 2.4, we have the following:

- (i) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = i, D_2(d_1, d_2) = -i$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = i, e^{W_1+W_2} = -i$, then $S_{11} = -i, S_{12} = i, S_{21} = -1, S_{22} = -1$ or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -i, e^{W_1+W_2} = i$, then $S_{11} = -i, S_{12} = i, S_{21} = 1, S_{22} = 1$; or

- (ii) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -i, D_2(d_1, d_2) = i$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = i, e^{W_1+W_2} = i$, then $S_{11} = i, S_{12} = -i, S_{21} = -1, S_{22} = -1$ or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -i, e^{W_1+W_2} = -i$, then $S_{11} = i, S_{12} = -i, S_{21} = 1, S_{22} = 1$; or
- (iii) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = 1, D_2(d_1, d_2) = 1$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = 1, e^{W_1+W_2} = i$, then $S_{11} = 1, S_{12} = 1$, then $S_{21} = i, S_{22} = -i$; $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -1, e^{W_1+W_2} = -i$, then $S_{11} = 1, S_{12} = 1$, then $S_{21} = i, S_{22} = -i$; or
- (iv) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -1, D_2(d_1, d_2) = -1$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = 1, e^{W_1+W_2} = -i$, then $S_{11} = -1, S_{12} = -1, S_{21} = i, S_{22} = -i$ or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -1, e^{W_1+W_2} = i$, then $S_{11} = -1, S_{12} = -1, S_{21} = -i, S_{22} = i$.

Similarly, under conclusion (B) in Theorem 2.4, we have the following

- (i) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -i, D_2(d_1, d_2) = i$, and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = 1, e^{W_1-W_2} = 1$, then $S_{11} = i, S_{12} = -i, S_{21} = i, S_{22} = -i$; or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -1, e^{W_1-W_2} = -1$, then $S_{11} = i, S_{12} = -i, S_{21} = -i, S_{22} = i$; o
- (ii) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = i, D_2(d_1, d_2) = -i$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = 1, e^{W_1-W_2} = -1$, then $S_{11} = -i, S_{12} = i, S_{21} = i, S_{22} = -i$; or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -1, e^{W_1-W_2} = 1$, then $S_{11} = -i, S_{12} = i, S_{21} = -i, S_{22} = i$; or
- (iii) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = -1, D_2(d_1, d_2) = -1$ and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = i, e^{W_1-W_2} = 1$, then $S_{11} = -1, S_{12} = -1, S_{21} = -1, S_{22} = -1$, or $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -i, e^{W_1-W_2} = -1$, then $S_{11} = -1, S_{12} = -1, S_{21} = 1, S_{22} = 1$; or
- (iv) $D_1(d_1, d_2) = 1, D_2(d_1, d_2) = 1$, and $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = i, e^{W_1-W_2} = -1$, then $S_{11} = 1, S_{12} = 1, S_{21} = -1, S_{22} = -1$; $e^{L(\vec{c}_2)} = -i, e^{W_1-W_2} = 1$, then $S_{11} = 1, S_{12} = 1, S_{21} = 1, S_{22} = 1$.

In view of (2.1) and (2.2) the following question is inevitable:

What will be the possible form of transcendental entire solution of the following system of equation in \mathbb{C}^n

$$\begin{aligned} (P_{L_2}(f_1(\vec{z}_2)))^2 + f_2(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)^2 &= Q_1(\vec{z}_2), \\ (P_{L_2}(f_2(\vec{z}_2)))^2 + f_1(\vec{z}_2 + \vec{c}_2)^2 &= Q_2(\vec{z}_2); \end{aligned}$$

where $Q_j(\vec{z}_2), j = 1, 2$ are two non-zero polynomials in \mathbb{C}^n ?

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