On auto and hetero Bäcklund transformations for the Hénon-Heiles systems

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Introduction

We consider a canonical transformation of parabolic coordinates on the plain associated with integrable Hénon-Heiles systems and suppose that this transformation together with some additional relations may be considered as a counterpart of the auto and hetero Bäcklund transformations.

Bäcklund transformations

Bäcklund transformation between two given PDEs

$$E_1(u, x, t) = 0$$
 and $E_2(v, y, \tau) = 0$

is a pair of relations

$$F_{1,2}(u, x, t, v, y, \tau) = 0 (0.1)$$

and some additional relations between (x, t) and (y, τ) , which allow to get both equations $E_{1,2}$.

Auto Bäcklund transformations

A counterpart of the auto-BTs — canonical transformation

$$(u, p_u) \rightarrow (v, p_v), \qquad \{u_i, p_{u_j}\} = \{v_i, p_{v_j}\} = \delta_{ij}, \qquad i, j = 1, \dots, n,$$

$$(0.2)$$

preserving the algebraic form of the Hamilton-Jacobi equations

$$H_i\left(u, \frac{\partial S}{\partial u}\right) = \alpha_i$$
 and $H_i\left(v, \frac{\partial S}{\partial v}\right) = \alpha_i$

associated with the Hamiltonians H_1, \ldots, H_n .



Hetero Bäcklund transformations

A counterpart of the hetero-BTs has to be a canonical transformation, which has to relate two different systems of the Hamilton-Jacobi equations

$$H_i\left(u, \frac{\partial S}{\partial u}\right) = \alpha_i \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{H}_i\left(v, \frac{\partial \tilde{S}}{\partial v}\right) = \tilde{\alpha}_i \quad (0.3)$$

and has to satisfy some additional conditions.



One of the possible conditions:

Let us consider integrals of motion for the two-dimensional harmonic oscillator

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$$H_1 = p_x^2 + p_y^2 + a(x^2 + y^2)$$
, $H_2 = p_x^2 - p_y^2 + a(x^2 - y^2)$

•
$$\tilde{H}_1 = p_x^2 + p_y^2 + a(x^2 + y^2)$$
, $\tilde{H}_2 = xp_y - yp_x$



Canonical transformation of variables

$$(u, p_u) = (x, y, p_x, p_y) \rightarrow (v, p_v) = (r, \varphi, p_r, p_\varphi)$$
 (0.4)

defines a correspondence between the two different systems

$$H_{1,2}\left(x,y,\frac{\partial S}{\partial x},\frac{\partial S}{\partial y}\right) = \alpha_{1,2}$$
 and $\tilde{H}_{1,2}\left(r,\varphi,\frac{\partial \tilde{S}}{\partial r},\frac{\partial \tilde{S}}{\partial \varphi}\right) = \tilde{\alpha}_{1,2}$.

This correspondence may be considered as a hetero-BT defined by:

- generating function: $F = p_x r \cos \varphi + p_y r \sin \varphi$
- relations between (x, y) and (r, φ)
- $H_1 = \tilde{H}_1$ is simultaneously separable in u and v variables

The main aim:

Discuss a correspondence between integrable Hénon-Heiles systems which may be considered as a counterpart of the generic hetero-BTs relating different but *simultaneously separable* in *v*-variables Hamilton-Jacobi equations.

Integrable systems

Hamilton function on $T^*\mathbb{R}^n$:

$$H = p_1^2 + p_2^2 + V(q_1, q_2). (0.5)$$

Additively separated complete integral:

$$S(u_1,\ldots,u_n;\alpha_1,\ldots,\alpha_n)=\sum_{i=1}^n S_i(u_i;\alpha_1,\ldots,\alpha_n),$$

Momenta:

$$p_{u_i} = \frac{\partial S_i(u_i; \alpha_1, \ldots, \alpha_n)}{\partial u_i}, \qquad i = 1, \ldots, n.$$

Integrable systems

Some Hamiltonian on the plain separable in parabolic coordinates $u_{1,2}$:

$$H = p_1^2 + p_2^2 + V(q_1, q_2). (0.6)$$

Integrable perturbation of H

$$\tilde{H_1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\rho_{u_1}^2 + U_1(u_1) + \rho_{u_1}^2 + U_2(u_2) \right) = H_1 + \frac{H_2}{2} \left(\frac{1}{u_1} + \frac{1}{u_2} \right)$$

Second independent integral of motion

$$\tilde{H_2} = (p_{u_1}^2 + U_1(u_1) - p_{u_1}^2 - U_2(u_2)) = H_2\left(\frac{1}{u_1} - \frac{1}{u_2}\right)$$



There are three integrable Hénon-Heiles systems on the plane, which can be identified with appropriate finite-dimensional reductions of the integrable fifth order KdV, Kaup-Kupershmidt and Sawada-Kotera equations.

Lax matrix for the first Hénon-Heiles system

$$L(\lambda) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{\rho_2}{2} + \frac{\rho_1 q_1 + \mathrm{i} b_1}{\lambda} & \lambda - 2 q_2 - \frac{q_1^2}{\lambda} \\ \\ a\lambda^2 + 2 a q_2 \lambda + a (q_1^2 + 4 q_2^2) + \frac{\rho_1^2 + b_1^2 q_2^{-2}}{4\lambda} & -\frac{\rho_2}{2} - \frac{\rho_1 q_1 - \mathrm{i} b_1}{\lambda} \end{array}\right)$$

- Characteristic polynomial: $det(L(\lambda) \mu) = \mu^2 a\lambda^3 \frac{H_1}{4} + \frac{H_2}{\lambda}$
- Hamiltonian function of the first Hénon-Heiles system $H_1 = p_1^2 + p_2^2 16aq_2(q_1^2 + 2q_2^2)$
- Second integral of motion $H_2 = aq_1^2(q_1^2 + 4q_2^2) + \frac{p_1(q_2p_1 q_1p_2)}{2}$

$$\hat{L}(\lambda) = VLV^{-1}$$



$$V = \left(\begin{array}{cc} L_{12} & 0 \\ 4(L_{11} - \hat{L}_{11}(\lambda)) & 4L_{12} \end{array}\right)$$

 $\hat{L}(\lambda)$ is defined by the following conditions:

- $\hat{L}_{12}(\lambda) = \frac{(\lambda u_1)(\lambda u_2)}{4\lambda}$
- 2 $\hat{L}_{21} = 4a(\lambda v_1)(\lambda v_2)$
- $oldsymbol{\circ}$ the conjugated momenta for u and v variables are the values of the diagonal element

$$p_{u_i} = \hat{L}_{11}(\lambda = u_i), \qquad p_{v_i} = \hat{L}_{11}(\lambda = v_i), \qquad i = 1, 2.$$

$$\hat{L}_{11}(\lambda) = \frac{p_2}{2} + \frac{p_1(\lambda - 2q_2)}{2q_1}$$



Entries of \hat{L} in (u, p_u) and (v, p_v) :

$$\hat{L}_{11} = \frac{\lambda - u_2}{u_1 - u_2} p_{u_1} + \frac{\lambda - u_1}{u_2 - u_1} p_{u_2} = \frac{\lambda - v_2}{v_1 - v_2} p_{v_1} + \frac{\lambda - v_1}{v_2 - v_1} p_{v_2}$$

$$\hat{L}_{12} = \frac{(\lambda - u_1)(\lambda - u_2)}{4\lambda}$$

$$= \frac{\lambda^2 + \lambda(v_1 + v_2) + v_1^2 + v_1v_2 + v_2^2}{4\lambda} - \frac{(p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})^2}{4a(v_1 - v_2)^2} - \frac{p_{v_1}^2 - p_{v_2}^2}{4\lambda(v_1 - v_2)}$$

$$\hat{L}_{21} = 4a(\lambda - v_1)(\lambda - v_2)$$



$$u_{1,2} = -\frac{v_1 + v_2}{2} + \frac{(p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})^2 \pm \sqrt{A}}{2a(v_1 - v_2)^2},$$

$$p_{u_{1,2}} = \frac{(p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})((p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})^2 \pm \sqrt{A})}{2a(v_1 - v_2)^3} - \frac{p_{v_1}(v_1 + 3v_2) - p_{v_2}(v_2 + 3v_1)}{2(v_1 - v_2)}$$

where

$$A = (p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})^4 + 2a(v_1 - v_2)^2(p_{v_1} - p_{v_2})(p_{v_1}(v_1 - 3v_2) - p_{v_2}(v_2 - 3v_1))$$
$$- a^2(3v_1^2 + 2v_1v_2 + 3v_2^2)(v_1 - v_2)^4.$$



Proposition

The auto-BT for the first Hénon-Heiles system is a correspondence between two equivalent systems of the Hamilton-Jacobi equations

$$H_{1,2}\left(\lambda, \frac{\partial S}{\partial \lambda}\right) = \alpha_{1,2}, \qquad \lambda = u, v,$$

where variables (u, p_u) and (v, p_v) are related by canonical transformation and Hamiltonians $H_{1,2}$ are defined by the following equations

$$\Phi(\lambda,\mu) = \mu^2 - a\lambda^3 = \frac{H_1}{4} - \frac{H_2}{\lambda}, \qquad \lambda = u_{1,2}, v_{1,2}, \quad \mu = p_{u_{1,2}}, p_{v_{1,2}}.$$
(0.7)

Proposition

For the three Hénon-Heiles systems on the plane an analogue of the hetero-BT is the correspondence between two different systems of the Hamilton-Jacobi equations

$$H_{1,2}\left(u, \frac{\partial S}{\partial u}\right) = \alpha_{1,2}$$
 and $\tilde{H}_{1,2}\left(v, \frac{\partial \tilde{S}}{\partial v}\right) = \tilde{\alpha}_{1,2}$,

where variables (u, p_u) and (v, p_v) are related by canonical transformation and Hamiltonians are defined by the following equations

$$\Phi(\lambda,\mu) = \mu^2 - a\lambda^3 = \frac{H_1}{4} - \frac{H_2}{\lambda}, \qquad \lambda = u_{1,2}, v_{1,2}, \quad \mu = p_{u_{1,2}}, p_{v_{1,2}},$$

and

$$ilde{H}_{1,2} = \Phi(v_1, p_{v_1}) \pm \Phi(v_2, p_{v_2})$$
.

Hamilton function:

$$H = p_1^2 + p_2^2 + V_N(q_1, q_2), \qquad V_N = 4a \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor N/2 \rfloor} 2^{1-2k} \begin{pmatrix} N-k \\ k \end{pmatrix} q_1^{2k} q_2^{N-2k},$$

At N = 4 — "(1:12:16)" system with Hamiltonian

$$H = p_1^2 + p_2^2 - 4a\left(q_1^4 + 12q_1^2q_2^2 + 16q_2^4\right). \tag{0.8}$$

Lax matrix:

$$L(\lambda) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{p_2}{2} + \frac{p_1 q_1}{2\lambda} & \lambda - 2q_2 - \frac{q_1^2}{\lambda} \\ \\ a\lambda^3 + 2aq_2\lambda^2 + a(q_1^2 + 4q_2^2)\lambda + 4aq_2(q_1^2 + 2q_2^2) + \frac{p_1^2}{4\lambda} & -\frac{p_2}{2} - \frac{p_1 q_1}{2\lambda} \end{pmatrix}.$$

After similarity transformation of $L(\lambda)$ with matrix V where

$$\hat{L}_{11}(\lambda) = \sqrt{a} \, \lambda^2 - \frac{4\sqrt{a}q_2q_1 - p_1}{2q_1} \, \lambda - \frac{2\sqrt{a}q_1^3 + 2p_1q_2 - p_2q_1}{2q_1}$$

- First coordinates are parabolic coordinates $u_{1,2}$
- Second coordinates $v_{1,2}$ are zeroes of the polynomial:

$$\hat{L}_{21} = rac{4(4aq_1q_2 - \sqrt{a}p_1)}{q_1}(\lambda - v_1)(\lambda - v_2)$$

Hamiltonian with velocity dependent potential:

$$\tilde{H} = p_1^2 + p_2^2 - 3\sqrt{a}p_2q_1^2 + 2a(q_1^4 - 12q_1^2q_2^2 - 32q_2^4)$$
 (0.9)

Fourth order polynomial in momenta:

$$\begin{split} \tilde{H}_2 &= p_1^4 + 4q_1^4 \left(q_1^4 - 8q_1^2 q_2^2 - 112q_2^4 \right) a^2 \\ &+ 4q_1^3 \left(64p_1 q_2^3 - p_2 q_1^3 - 12p_2 q_1 q_2^2 \right) a^{3/2} \\ &+ q_1^2 \left(4p_1^2 q_1^2 - 48p_1^2 q_2^2 + 32p_1 p_2 q_1 q_2 + p_2^2 q_1^2 \right) a - 6a^{1/2} p_1^2 p_2 q_1^2 \,, \end{split}$$

Conclusion

We have constructed a canonical transformation of the standard parabolic coordinates, which yields variables of separation for the three integrable Hénon-Heiles systems.

Moreover, we believe that information about such suitable Bäcklund transformations and the corresponding integrable systems is incorporated into Lax matrices associated with these elliptic, parabolic etc. coordinates. In order to prove it we obtained integrals of motion, variables of separation and separated relations for some new integrable system with velocity dependent potential and fourth order integral of motion in momenta.