

33. Ultradifferentiability of Solutions of Ordinary Differential Equations

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Let M_p , $p=0, 1, 2, \dots$, be a sequence of positive numbers. An infinitely differentiable function f on an open set Ω in \mathbf{R}^n is said to be an *ultradifferentiable function of class $\{M_p\}$* (resp. of class (M_p)) if for each compact set K in Ω there are constants h and C (resp. and for each $h>0$ there is a constant C) such that

$$\sup_{x \in K} |D^\alpha f(x)| \leq Ch^{|\alpha|} M_{|\alpha|}, \quad |\alpha|=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

We assume that M_p satisfies the following conditions:

$$(1) \quad M_0 = M_1 = 1;$$

$$(2) \quad (M_q/q!)^{1/(q-1)} \leq (M_p/p!)^{1/(p-1)}, \quad 2 \leq q \leq p,$$

and furthermore in case of class (M_p)

$$(3) \quad \left(\frac{M_p}{p!}\right)^2 \leq \left(\frac{M_{p-1}}{(p-1)!}\right) \left(\frac{M_{p+1}}{(p+1)!}\right), \quad p=1, 2, \dots,$$

and

$$(4) \quad M_p/(pM_{p-1}) \rightarrow \infty \quad \text{as } p \rightarrow \infty.$$

We consider the initial value problem of ordinary differential equation

$$(5) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = f(t, x), \\ x(0) = y, \end{cases}$$

where $f(t, x) = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$ is an n -tuple of functions defined on $(-T, T) \times \Omega$ with a $T>0$ and an open set Ω in \mathbf{R}^n . We assume the Lipschitz condition in x . Then for each relatively compact open subset Ω_1 of Ω there is a $0 < T_1 \leq T$ such that (5) has for each $y \in \Omega_1$ a unique solution $x = x(t, y)$ on the interval $(-T_1, T_1)$.

Our main result is the following

Theorem. *If all components of $f(t, x)$ are ultradifferentiable functions of class $\{M_p\}$ (resp. of class (M_p)) on $(-T, T) \times \Omega$, then the components of the solution $x(t, y)$ are also ultradifferentiable functions of class $\{M_p\}$ (resp. of class (M_p)) on $(-T_1, T_1) \times \Omega_1$.*

Hereafter we denote by $*$ either $\{M_p\}$ or (M_p) . The theorem is proved in two steps.

Proposition 1. *If $f(t, x)$ is ultradifferentiable of class $*$ only in x but uniformly in t , then $x(t, y)$ is ultradifferentiable of class $*$ in y uniformly in t .*

The proof in the case of class (M_p) is reduced to the case of class $\{M_p\}$ by Lemma 6 of [2]. Therefore we may restrict ourselves to the latter case.

We employ the method of Leray-Ohya [3] when they proved the ultradifferentiability of the Gevrey class $\{p!\}$ for solutions of hyperbolic equations.

Let

$$F(t, X) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{F_p(t)}{p!} X^p$$

be a formal power series in X with coefficients $F_p(t)$ which are functions in t . We write

$$(6) \quad f(t, x) \ll_{\rho} F(t, X), \quad t \in I,$$

if every component f_i of f satisfies

$$|D_x^\alpha f_i(t, x)| \leq F_{|\alpha|}(t), \quad x \in \Omega, \quad |\alpha| = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

for all $t \in I$. Let

$$\Phi(t, Y) = \sum_{q=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Phi_q(t)}{q!} Y^q \gg 0$$

be another formal power series in Y . Then we define

$$\bar{F}(t, \Phi(t, Y)) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{F_p(t)}{p!} (n(\Phi(t, Y) - \Phi(t, 0)))^p.$$

If $x(t, y)$ is an n -tuple of functions on $I \times \Omega_1$ with values in Ω such that

$$(7) \quad x(t, y) \ll_{\rho_1} \Phi(t, Y), \quad t \in I,$$

and if (6) holds, then we have

$$(8) \quad f(t, x(t, y)) \ll_{\rho_1} \bar{F}(t, \Phi(t, Y)), \quad t \in I.$$

Lemma 1. Suppose that (6) holds for $I = [0, T_2]$. If $\Phi(t, Y)$ satisfies

$$(9) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{\partial \Phi(t, Y)}{\partial t} \gg \bar{F}(t, \Phi(t, Y)), & t \in I, \\ \Phi(0, Y) \gg Y, \end{cases}$$

then the solution $x(t, y)$ of (5) is majorized as

$$(10) \quad x(t, y) \ll_{\rho_1} \Phi(t, Y), \quad t \in I.$$

Proof. The solution $x(t, y)$ is obtained as the limit of Picard's approximation:

$$\begin{aligned} x_0(t, y) &= y; \\ x_{k+1}(t, y) &= y + \int_0^t f(s, x_k(s, y)) ds. \end{aligned}$$

Clearly we have

$$x_0(t, y) = y \ll_{\rho_1} Y \ll \Phi(t, Y), \quad t \in I.$$

Suppose that

$$x_k(t, y) \ll_{\rho_1} \Phi(t, Y), \quad t \in I.$$

Then we have

$$x_{k+1}(t, y) \ll Y + \int_0^t \bar{F}(s, \Phi(s, Y)) ds \ll \Phi(t, Y), \quad t \in I.$$

Since $D_y^\alpha x_k(t, y)$ converges to $D_y^\alpha x(t, y)$, we have (10). The convergence itself may also be proved by the majorant method as above.

By shrinking $(-T, T)$ and Ω if necessary we can take

$$(11) \quad F(t, X) = C \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{M_p}{p!} \left(\frac{h}{n} X \right)^p$$

with constants h and C .

Suppose that $M_p = p!$. Then

$$\bar{F}(t, \Phi(t, Y)) = \frac{C}{1 - h(\Phi(t, Y) - \Phi(t, 0))}.$$

Hence $\Phi(t, Y)$ is obtained as a solution of

$$(12) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{\partial \Phi(t, Y)}{\partial t} = \frac{C}{1 + Cht - h\Phi(t, Y)}, \\ \Phi(0, Y) = Y. \end{cases}$$

Since $\Phi(t, Y)$ is majorized for $t \geq 0$ by the solution

$$(13) \quad \Psi(t, Y) = \frac{1}{h} - \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{h} - Y\right)^2 - \frac{2Ct}{h}}$$

of

$$(14) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{\partial \Psi(t, Y)}{\partial t} = \frac{C}{1 - h\Psi(t, Y)}, \\ \Psi(0, Y) = Y, \end{cases}$$

we can find for any $T_2 < (2Ch)^{-1}$ constants k and B such that

$$\Phi_q(t) \leq Bk^q q!, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T_2, \quad q = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

In the general case we obtain a solution $\Phi(t, Y)$ of (9) by multiplying the coefficient of Y^p in the solution of (12) by $M^p/p!$, so that we have

$$(15) \quad \Phi_q(t) \leq Bk^q M_q, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T_2, \quad q = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

In fact, let $\varphi(t, Y) = \Phi(t, Y) - Ct$, where $\Phi(t, Y)$ is the solution of (12). Then it is the limit of Picard's approximation

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_0(t, Y) &= Y, \\ \varphi_{k+1}(t, Y) &= Y + C \int_0^t \sum_{p=1}^{\infty} (h\varphi_k(s, Y))^p ds. \end{aligned}$$

In general suppose that

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} d_r(t) Y^r = \sum_{p=1}^{\infty} \left(h \sum_{q=1}^{\infty} c_q(t) Y^q \right)^p.$$

Then the coefficient

$$\sum_{p=1}^r \frac{M_p}{p!} h^p \sum_{q_1 + \dots + q_p = r} c_{q_1}(t) \frac{M_{q_1}}{q_1!} \dots c_{q_p}(t) \frac{M_{q_p}}{q_p!}$$

of Y^r in

$$\sum_{p=1}^{\infty} \frac{M_p}{p!} \left(h \sum_{q=1}^{\infty} c_q(t) \frac{M_q}{q!} Y^q \right)^p$$

is less than or equal to $d_r(t)M_r/r!$ because it follows from (2) that

$$\frac{M_p}{p!} \frac{M_{q_1}}{q_1!} \dots \frac{M_{q_p}}{q_p!} \leq \frac{M_r}{r!}.$$

Therefore if we multiply the coefficient of Y^q in $\varphi_k(t, Y)$ by $M_q/q!$ and denote it again by $\varphi_k(t, Y)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_0(t, Y) &= Y, \\ \varphi_{k+1}(t, Y) &\gg Y + C \int_0^t \sum_{p=1}^{\infty} \frac{M_p}{p!} (h\varphi_k(s, Y))^p ds. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\Phi(t, Y) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \varphi_k(t, Y) + Ct$ satisfies (9).

In view of Lemma 1 the estimates (15) prove Proposition 1 for sufficiently small T_1 . If $T_1 > T_2$, we solve the equation with initial data at $t = T_2$. Since composites of ultradifferentiable mappings of class $*$ are ultradifferentiable of class $*$ under condition (2), we obtain Proposition after a finite number of repetitions.

The proof of the theorem will be completed if we show that a solution $x(t, y)$ of

$$(16) \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = f(t, x)$$

with parameters y is ultradifferentiable of class $*$ in t and y if it is ultradifferentiable in y uniformly in t .

Since the infinite differentiability in t and y is easy to prove, we need only to estimate $D_t^j D_y^\alpha x(t_0, y)$ for each fixed t_0 . The formal Taylor expansion

$$x_{t_0}(t, y) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^j x(t_0, y)}{\partial t^j} \frac{(t-t_0)^j}{j!}$$

satisfies equation (16) as a formal power series in $t-t_0$ with infinitely differentiable functions of y as coefficients.

Thus the proof is reduced to the following proposition of the Cauchy-Kowalevsky type.

Proposition 2. *If a formal power series*

$$x_{t_0}(t, y) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} x^{(j)}(y) \frac{(t-t_0)^j}{j!}$$

in $t-t_0$ with C^∞ coefficients satisfies equation (16) and if the initial value $x^{(0)}(y)$ is ultradifferentiable of class $$ on Ω_1 , then $x_{t_0}(t, y)$ is ultradifferentiable of class $*$ in the sense that for each compact set K in Ω_1 there are constants l and A (resp. and for each $l > 0$ there is a constant A) such that*

$$\sup_{y \in K} |D_y^\alpha x^{(j)}(y)| \leq A l^{j+|\alpha|} M_{j+|\alpha|}, \quad |\alpha|, j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

The constants l and A (resp. constant A) depend only on the ultradifferentiability of $x^{(0)}(y)$ and are independent of t_0 .

Again we may restrict ourselves to the case of class $\{M_p\}$.
Suppose that

$$f(t, x) \ll_{\{t_0\} \times \Omega} F(\bar{X}) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{F_p}{p!} \bar{X}^p$$

in the sense that

$$|D_t^j D_x^\alpha f_i(t_0, x)| \leq F_{j+|\alpha|}, \quad x \in \Omega, \quad j, |\alpha| = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

and that

$$x_{t_0}(t, y) \ll_{\{t_0\} \times \Omega_1} \Phi(\bar{Y}).$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(t, x(t, y)) &\ll_{\{t_0\} \times \Omega_1} \bar{F}(\Phi(\bar{Y})) \\ &= \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{F_p}{p!} (\bar{Y} + n(\Phi(\bar{Y}) - \Phi(0)))^p. \end{aligned}$$

Hence we obtain the following lemma as in [2].

Lemma 2. *If*

$$(17) \quad \frac{d\Phi(\bar{Y})}{d\bar{Y}} \gg \bar{F}(\Phi(\bar{Y})),$$

and

$$(18) \quad \Phi(\bar{Y}) \gg_{\Omega_1} x^{(0)}(y),$$

then

$$(19) \quad x_{t_0}(t, y) \ll_{\{t_0\} \times \Omega_1} \Phi(\bar{Y}).$$

In case $M_p = p!$ we can take $F(\bar{X}) = C(1 - h\bar{X})^{-1}$ with constants h and C . Therefore the equation for $\varphi(\bar{Y}) = \Phi(\bar{Y}) - \Phi(0) + \bar{Y}/n$ becomes

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d\varphi(\bar{Y})}{d\bar{Y}} = \frac{C}{1 - nh\varphi(\bar{Y})} + \frac{1}{n}, \\ \varphi(0) = 0. \end{cases}$$

In view of (13) the solution is majorized as

$$\frac{1}{nh}(1 - \sqrt{1 - 2nhC\bar{Y}}) \ll \varphi(\bar{Y}) \ll \frac{1}{nh}(1 - \sqrt{1 - 2nhC'\bar{Y}}),$$

where $C' = C + 1/n$. Hence if we take h and C sufficiently large,

$$\varphi(\bar{Y}) \gg \frac{Bk\bar{Y}}{1 - k\bar{Y}} + \frac{\bar{Y}}{n},$$

so that (18) holds. On the other hand (19) implies

$$x_{t_0}(t, y) \ll_{\{t_0\} \times \Omega_1} \frac{A}{1 - l\bar{Y}}$$

for some constants l and A .

The reduction of the general case to the above is similar to Proposition 1.

Combining Theorem with the implicit function theorem in [1], we obtain the Frobenius theorem for ultradifferentiable manifolds of class $*$.

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