Existence of Positive Solutions for the Nonhomogeneous Schrödinger-Poisson System with Strong Singularity

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Abstract. In this paper, a class of nonhomogeneous Schrödinger-Poisson systems with strong singularity are considered. Combining with the variational method and Nehari method, we obtain a positive solution for this system which improves the recent results in the literature.

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1 Introduction and main result

Consider the following nonhomogeneous Shrödinger-Poisson system involving singularity

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u + \phi u = f(x)u^{-\gamma} + h(x), & x \in \Omega, \\ -\Delta \phi = u^2, & x \in \Omega, \\ u > 0, & x \in \Omega, \\ u = \phi = 0, & x \in \partial\Omega, \end{cases}$$
(1.1)

where Ω is a bounded domain in \mathbb{R}^3 with smooth boundary $\partial\Omega$, $\gamma \in (1,\infty)$ and $f \in L^1(\Omega)$ is a positive function, $h \in L^{\frac{6}{5}}(\Omega)$ is nonzero and nonnegative.

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Very recently, Yu and Chen considered system (1.1) with $h\equiv 0$, and obtained a unique positive solutions, see [1]. The singular Shrödinger-Poisson system was first studied by Zhang [2]. When $0 < \gamma < 1$, by using the variational method, she obtained a unique positive solution for system (1.1) with $f(x) = \mu > 0$, $h(x) \equiv 0$. Recently, Lei and Liao generalized Theorem 1.1 in [2] to the critical case of system (1.1), and obtained two positive solutions by the variational method and Nehari manifold method, see [3].

The idea of system (1.1) is inspired by the following singular semilinear elliptic equation

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta u = g(x)u^{\beta} + f(x)u^{-\gamma}, & x \in \Omega, \\ u > 0, & x \in \Omega, \\ u = 0, & x \in \partial\Omega, \end{cases}$$
(1.2)

where Ω is a bounded domain in \mathbb{R}^{N} ($N \ge 3$) with smooth boundary $\partial\Omega$, $\beta > 0$, f and g are positive functions with some certain conditions. Problem (1.2) arises in the study of non-Newtonian fluids (in particular pseudoplastic fluids), boundary-layer phenomena for viscous fluids (see [4, 5]), in the Langmuir-Hinshelwood model of chemical heterogeneous catalyst kinetics (see [6]), in enzymatic kinetics models (see [7]), as well as in the theory of heat conduction in electrically conducting materials (see [8]) and in the study of guided modes of an electromagnetic field in nonlinear medium (see [9]). When $0 < \gamma < 1$, many papers have extensively studied problem (1.2), see for examples [10-21]. Particularly, Sun, Wu and Long studied the multiplicity positive solutions for the singular elliptic problem for the first time in [20]. Very recently, Wang and Yan considered the case of $\gamma = 1$, by using the approximation method, they obtained a unique result, see [22].

While the case of problem (1.2) with $g(x) \equiv 0$ and $\gamma > 1$ is first considered by Lazer and Mckenna [23], they obtained that problem (1.2) has a unique solution $u_{-\gamma} \in C^{2+\alpha}(\Omega) \cap C(\overline{\Omega})$ for any $\gamma > 0$ and $f \in C^{\alpha}(\overline{\Omega})$ with $f(x) > 0(x \in \overline{\Omega})$, and $u_{-\gamma} \in H_0^1(\Omega)$ if and only if $\gamma < 3$. In this direction, Boccardo and Orsina [24] studied problem (1.2) with $g(x) \equiv 0$ and $f \in L^1(\Omega)$ is nonnegative, and obtained a solution $u \in H_{loc}^1(\Omega)$ and $u^{\frac{1+\gamma}{2}} \in H_0^1(\Omega)$ for any $\gamma > 1$. More recent development, when $g \in L^{\infty}(\Omega)$ and $0 < q < 1 < \gamma$, Sun [25] obtained that problem (1.2) has a solution $u_{-\gamma} \in H_0^1(\Omega)$ provided that $f \in L^1(\Omega)$ is positive satisfying a compatible (that is (1.3)). Later, Sun and Zhang proved the relation between the standard Sobolev space $H_0^1(\Omega)$ and the critical position -3, see [26]. Particularly, very recently, Zhang [27] generalized [25] to Kirchhoff-Schrödinger-Poisson system. We also refer to [13, 14, 28-32] for $\gamma > 1$.

To our best knowledge, the strong singular Schrödinger-Poisson system has not been studied up to now, except for [1] and [27]. Inspired by [2, 23, 24], we consider system (1.1) with $\gamma > 1$, that is, the strong singular Schrödinger-Possion system. The main result can be described as follows.

Theorem 1.1. Let $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ be a bounded domain with smooth boundary $\partial \Omega$. Assume that $\gamma \in (1, +\infty)$ and $f \in L^1(\Omega)$ is positive, and $h \in L^{\frac{6}{5}}(\Omega)$ is nonzero and nonnegative. Then, system