

## Linear singular perturbations of hyperbolic-parabolic type

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**Abstract.** We study the behavior of solutions of the problem  $\varepsilon u''(t) + u'(t) + Au(t) = f(t)$ ,  $u(0) = u_0$ ,  $u'(0) = u_1$  in the Hilbert space  $H$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ , where  $A$  is a linear, symmetric, strong positive operator.

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### 1 Introduction

Let  $V$  and  $H$  be the real Hilbert spaces endowed with the norm  $\|\cdot\|$  and  $|\cdot|$ , respectively, such that  $V \subset H$ , where the embedding is defined densely and continuously. By  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  denote the scalar product in  $H$ . Let  $A : V \rightarrow H$  be a linear, closed, symmetric operator and

$$(Au, u) \geq \omega \|u\|^2, \quad \forall u \in V, \quad \omega > 0. \quad (1)$$

In this paper we shall study the behavior of the solutions of the problem

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon u''(t) + u'(t) + Au(t) = f(t), & t > 0, \\ u(0) = u_0, u'(0) = u_1 \end{cases} \quad (P_\varepsilon)$$

as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ , where  $\varepsilon$  is a small positive parameter. Our aim is to show that  $u \rightarrow v$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ , where  $v$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} v'(t) + Av(t) = f(t), & t > 0 \\ v(0) = u_0. \end{cases} \quad (P_0)$$

The main tool of our approach is the relation between the solutions of the problems  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and  $(P_0)$ .

For  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p \in [1, \infty)$  and  $(a, b) \subset (-\infty, +\infty)$  we denote by  $W^{k,p}(a, b; H)$  the usual Sobolev spaces of vectorial distributions  $W^{k,p}(a, b; H) = \{f \in D'(a, b; H); f^{(l)} \in L^p(a, b; H), l = 0, 1, \dots, k\}$  with the norm

$$\|f\|_{W^{k,p}(a,b;H)} = \left( \sum_{l=0}^k \|f^{(l)}\|_{L^p(a,b;H)}^p \right)^{1/p}.$$

For each  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $W^{k,\infty}(a, b; H)$  is the Banach space equipped with the norm

$$\|f\|_{W^{k,\infty}(a,b;H)} = \max_{0 \leq l \leq k} \|f^{(l)}\|_{L^\infty(a,b;H)}$$

For  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $p \in [1, \infty]$  we denote the following Banach space  $W_s^{k,p}(a, b; H) = \{f : (a, b) \rightarrow H; f^{(l)}(t)e^{-st} \in L^p(a, b; H)\}$  with the norm

$$\|f\|_{W_s^{k,p}(a,b;H)} = \max_{0 \leq l \leq k} \|f^{(l)}(\cdot)e^{-st}\|_{L^p(a,b;H)}.$$

## 2 *A priori* estimates for solutions of the problem $(P_\varepsilon)$

In this section we shall prove the *a priori* estimates for the solutions of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  which are uniform relative to the small values of parameter  $\varepsilon$ . First of all we shall remind the existence theorems for the solutions of the problems  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and  $(P_0)$ .

**Theorem A.** [1] For any  $T > 0$  suppose that  $f \in W^{1,1}(0, T; H)$ ,  $u_0, u_1 \in V$  and the operator  $A$  satisfies the condition (1). Then there exists a unique function  $u \in C(0, T; H) \cap L^\infty(0, T; V)$  satisfying the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and the conditions:  $Au \in L^\infty(0, T; H)$ ,  $u' \in L^\infty(0, T; V)$ ,  $u'' \in L^\infty(0, T; H)$ .

**Theorem B.** [1] If  $f \in W^{1,1}(0, T; H)$ ,  $u_0 \in V$  and  $A$  satisfies the condition (1), then there exists a unique strong solution  $v \in W^{1,\infty}(0, T; H)$  of the problem  $(P_0)$  and estimates

$$|v(t)| \leq e^{-\omega t} \left( |u_0| + \int_0^t e^{\omega \tau} |f(\tau)| d\tau \right),$$

$$|v'(t)| \leq e^{-\omega t} \left( |Au_0 - f(0)| + \int_0^t e^{\omega \tau} |f'(\tau)| d\tau \right)$$

are true for  $0 \leq t \leq T$ .

Before to prove the estimates for solutions of problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  we recall the following well-known lemma.

**Lemma A.** [2] Let  $\psi \in L^1(a, b)$  ( $-\infty < a < b < \infty$ ) with  $\psi \geq 0$  a. e. on  $(a, b)$  and let  $c$  be a fixed real constant. If  $h \in C([a, b])$  verifies

$$\frac{1}{2}h^2(t) \leq \frac{1}{2}c^2 + \int_a^t \psi(s)h(s)ds, \quad \forall t \in [a, b],$$

then

$$|h(t)| \leq |c| + \int_a^t \psi(s)ds, \quad \forall t \in [a, b]$$

also holds.

Denote by

$$E_1(u, t) = \varepsilon|u'(t)| + |u(t)| + \left( \varepsilon \left( Au(t), u(t) \right) \right)^{1/2} + \left( \varepsilon \int_0^t |u'(\tau)|^2 d\tau \right)^{1/2} + \left( \int_0^t \left( Au(\tau), u(\tau) \right) d\tau \right)^{1/2}.$$

**Lemma 1.** *Suppose that for any  $T > 0$   $f \in W^{1,1}(0, T; H)$ ,  $u_0, u_1 \in V$  and the operator  $A$  satisfies the condition (1). Then there exist positive constants  $\gamma$  and  $C$  depending on  $\omega$  such that for the solutions of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  the following estimates*

$$E_1(u, t) \leq C \left( E_1(u, 0) + \int_0^t |f(\tau)| d\tau \right), \quad 0 \leq t \leq T, \quad (2)$$

$$E_1(u', t) \leq C \left( E_1(u', 0) + \int_0^t |f'(\tau)| d\tau \right), \quad 0 \leq t \leq T \quad (3)$$

are true.

*Proof.* Denote by

$$E(u, t) = \varepsilon^2 |u'(t)|^2 + \frac{1}{2} |u(t)|^2 + \varepsilon \left( Au(t), u(t) \right) + \varepsilon \int_0^t |u'(\tau)|^2 d\tau + \varepsilon \left( u(t), u'(t) \right) + \int_0^t \left( Au(\tau), u(\tau) \right) d\tau.$$

The direct computations show that for every solution of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  the following equality

$$\frac{d}{dt} E(u, t) = \left( f(t), u(t) + 2\varepsilon u'(t) \right) \quad (4)$$

is fulfilled. From (4) it follows that

$$\frac{d}{dt} E(u, t) \leq |f(t)| \left( |u(t)| + 2\varepsilon |u'(t)| \right). \quad (5)$$

As  $E(u, t) \geq 0$  and  $|u(t)| + 2\varepsilon |u'(t)| \leq C(E(u, t))^{1/2}$ , then from (5) we have

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( E(u, t) \right) \leq C |f(t)| \left( E(u, t) \right)^{1/2}.$$

Integrating the last inequality we obtain

$$\frac{1}{2} E(u, t) \leq \frac{1}{2} E(u, 0) + C \int_0^t \left( E(u, \tau) \right)^{1/2} |f(\tau)| d\tau.$$

From the last inequality using Lemma A we get the estimate

$$\left( E(u, t) \right)^{1/2} \leq C \left[ \left( E(u, 0) \right)^{1/2} + \int_0^t |f(\tau)| d\tau \right]. \quad (6)$$

It is easy to see that there exist positive constants  $C_0, C_1$  such that

$$C_0 \left( E(u, t) \right)^{1/2} \leq E_1(u, t) \leq C_1 \left( E(u, t) \right)^{1/2}. \quad (7)$$

Using the inequality (7) from (6) we obtain the estimate (2).

To prove the estimate (3) let us denote by

$$\begin{aligned} E_h(u, t) &= \varepsilon^2 |u'(t+h) - u'(t)|^2 + \varepsilon \left( A(u(t+h) - u(t)), u(t+h) - u(t) \right) + \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} |u(t+h) - u(t)|^2 + \varepsilon \left( u'(t+h) - u'(t), u(t+h) - u(t) \right) + \\ &\quad \varepsilon \int_0^t |u'(\tau+h) - u'(\tau)|^2 d\tau + \\ &+ \int_0^t \left( A(u(\tau+h) - u(\tau)), u(\tau+h) - u(\tau) \right) d\tau, \quad h > 0, t \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

For any solution of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  we have

$$\frac{d}{dt} E_h(u, t) = \left( 2\varepsilon(u'(t+h) - u'(t)) + u(t+h) - u(t), f(t+h) - f(t) \right), \quad t \geq 0.$$

Dividing the last equality by  $h^2$  and then passing to the limit as  $h \rightarrow 0$  we get

$$\frac{d}{dt} E(u', t) = \left( f'(t), 2\varepsilon u''(t) + u'(t) \right). \quad (8)$$

Since  $u'(0) = u_1, \varepsilon u''(0) = f(0) - u_1 - Au_0$ , then the estimate (3) follows from (8) in the same way as the estimate (2) follows from (4). Lemma 1 is proved.

### 3 Relation between the solutions of the problems $(P_\varepsilon)$ and $(P_0)$

In this section we shall give the relation between the solutions of the problems  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and  $(P_0)$ . This relation was inspired by the work [3]. At first we shall prove some properties of the kernel  $K(t, \tau)$  of transformation which realizes this connection.

For  $\varepsilon > 0$  denote

$$K(t, \tau) = \frac{1}{2\varepsilon\sqrt{\pi}} \left( K_1(t, \tau) + 3K_2(t, \tau) - 2K_3(t, \tau) \right),$$

where

$$K_1(t, \tau) = \exp \left\{ \frac{3t - 2\tau}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left\{ \frac{2t - \tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right\}, \quad (9)$$

$$K_2(t, \tau) = \exp \left\{ \frac{3t + 6\tau}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{2t + \tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right), \quad (10)$$

$$K_3(t, \tau) = \exp \left\{ \frac{\tau}{\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{t + \tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right), \quad (11)$$

and  $\lambda(s) = \int_s^\infty e^{-\eta^2} d\eta$ .

**Lemma 2.** *The function  $K(t, \tau)$  possesses the following properties:*

- (i)  $K \in C(\overline{R}_+ \times \overline{R}_+) \cap C^2(R_+ \times R_+)$ ;
- (ii)  $K_t(t, \tau) = \varepsilon K_{\tau\tau}(t, \tau) - K_\tau(t, \tau), \quad t > 0, \tau > 0$ ;
- (iii)  $\varepsilon K_\tau(t, 0) - K(t, 0) = 0, \quad t \geq 0$ ;
- (iv)  $K(0, \tau) = \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\}, \quad \tau \geq 0$ ;
- (v) *For each fixed  $t > 0$ , there exist constants  $C_1(t, \varepsilon) > 0$  and  $C_2(t) > 0$  such that*

$$|K(t, \tau)| \leq C_1(t, \varepsilon) \exp\{-C_2(t)\tau/\varepsilon\}, \quad |K_t(t, \tau)| \leq C_1(t, \varepsilon) \exp\{-C_2(t)\tau/\varepsilon\},$$

$$|K_\tau(t, \tau)| \leq C_1(t, \varepsilon) \exp\{-C_2(t)\tau/\varepsilon\}, \quad |K_{\tau\tau}(t, \tau)| \leq C_1(t, \varepsilon) \exp\{-C_2(t)\tau/\varepsilon\}$$
*for  $\tau > 0$ ;*
- (vi)  $K(t, \tau) > 0, \quad t \geq 0, \quad \tau \geq 0$ ;
- (vii) *For any  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow H$  continuous on  $[0, \infty)$  such that  $|\varphi(t)| \leq M \exp\{Ct\}$  for  $t \geq 0$ , the relation*

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) \varphi(\tau) d\tau = \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} \varphi(2\varepsilon\tau) d\tau$$

*is valid in  $H$  for each fixed  $\varepsilon, 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1$ ;*

- (viii)  $\int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) d\tau = 1, \quad t \geq 0$ ;
- (ix) *Let  $\rho : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \rho \in C^1[0, \infty), \rho$  and  $\rho'$  be increasing functions and  $|\rho(t)| \leq Me^{ct}, |\rho'(t)| \leq Me^{ct}$ , for  $t \in [0, \infty)$ . Then there exist positive constants  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  such that*

$$\int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon} e^{C_2 t}, \quad t > 0;$$

- (x) *Let  $f(t)e^{-Ct}, f'(t)e^{-Ct} \in L^\infty(0, \infty; H)$  with some  $C \geq 0$ . Then there exist positive constants  $C_1, C_2$  such that*

$$\left| f(t) - \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) f(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon} e^{C_2 t} \|f'\|_{L_C^\infty(0, \infty; H)}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1;$$

- (xi) *There exists  $C > 0$  such that*

$$\int_0^t \int_0^\infty K(\tau, \theta) \exp\left\{-\frac{\theta}{\varepsilon}\right\} d\theta d\tau \leq C\varepsilon, \quad t \geq 0, \quad \varepsilon > 0.$$

*Proof.* The properties **(i)**-**(iv)** can be verified by direct calculation.

*Proof (v).* From (9), (10) and (11) we have

$$K_t(t, \tau) = \frac{1}{8\pi\varepsilon^2} \left[ 3K_1(t, \tau) + 9K_2(t, \tau) - 6\sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{t}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} \right], \quad t > 0, \tau > 0, \quad (12)$$

$$K_\tau(t, \tau) = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon^2} \left[ -K_1(t, \tau) + 9K_2(t, \tau) - 4K_3(t, \tau) \right], \quad t > 0, \tau > 0, \quad (13)$$

$$K_{\tau\tau}(t, \tau) = \frac{1}{8\pi\varepsilon^3} \left[ K_1(t, \tau) + 27K_2(t, \tau) - 8K_3(t, \tau) - 6\sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{t}} \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} \right], \quad t > 0, \tau > 0. \quad (14)$$

As  $|\lambda(s)| \leq \sqrt{\pi}$  for  $s \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $|\exp\{s^2\}\lambda(s)| \leq C$  for  $s \in [0, \infty)$ , then

$$|K_1(t, \tau)| \leq \exp \left\{ \frac{t-2\tau}{4\varepsilon} \right\}, \quad \tau > 0, t > 0, \quad (15)$$

$$|K_2(t, \tau)| \leq C \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} \quad t > 0, \tau > 0, \quad (16)$$

$$|K_3(t, \tau)| \leq C \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} \quad t > 0, \tau > 0. \quad (17)$$

Using (15), (16) and (17) from (12), (13) and (14) we get the estimates from property **(v)**. The property **(v)** is proved.

*Proof (vi).* We shall prove property **(vi)** using the maximum principle for the solutions of equation **(ii)**. It is easy to see that

$$K(t, 0) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon\sqrt{\pi}} \left[ 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) - \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right], \quad t \geq 0. \quad (18)$$

We intend to prove that

$$K(t, 0) > 0, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (19)$$

To this end we consider the function  $f(s) = 2q(s) - q(s/2)$ , where  $q(s) = \exp\{s^2\}\lambda(s)$ ,  $s \in [0, \infty)$ . Because  $K(t, 0) = (\sqrt{\varepsilon\pi})^{-1} \exp\{-t/4\varepsilon\} f(\sqrt{t/\varepsilon})$ , to prove (19) it is sufficient to show that  $f(s) > 0$  for  $s \in [0, \infty)$ . At first we shall prove that  $q'(s) < 0$  for  $s \in [0, \infty)$ . Since

$$q'(s) = 2sq(s) - 1, \quad q''(s) = 2(2s^2 + 1)q(s) - 2s, \quad q'''(s) = (8s^3 + 12s)q(s) - 4(s^2 + 1)$$

and  $\lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} 2sq(s) = 1$ , then  $q'(0) = -1$  and  $\lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} q'(s) = 0$ . Suppose that there exists  $s_1 \in (0, \infty)$  such that  $q''(s_1) = 0$ , i. e.  $q(s_1) = s_1(2s_1^2 + 1)^{-1}$ . As  $q'''(s_1) = -4(2s_1^2 + 1)^{-1}$ , then  $s_1$  is the point of maximum for  $q'(s)$ , and  $q'(s_1) < 0$ ,  $s_1 \in [0, \infty)$  and consequently the function  $q(s)$  is decreasing on  $(0, \infty)$ . Further, we note that

$$f(0) = q(0) = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}, \quad \lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} f(s) = 0. \quad (20)$$

Suppose that  $s_1 \in (0, \infty)$  is any critical point for function  $f(s)$ , i. e.  $f'(s_1) = 0$ , then we have:  $4s_1q(s_1) - 2^{-1}s_1q(s_1/2) - 3/2 = 0$ , from which follows

$$f(s_1) = 2q(s_1) - q\left(\frac{s_1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{s_1} - 6q(s_1). \quad (21)$$

As  $q'(s) < 0$  for  $s \in (0, \infty)$ , then  $2s_1q(s_1) < 1$ . Hence from (21) it follows that  $f(s_1) > 0$ . The last condition and conditions (20) permit us to conclude that  $f(s) > 0$  for  $s \in [0, \infty)$ , i. e.  $K(t, 0) > 0$  for  $t \geq 0$ . Finally, from **(ii)**, **(iv)**, **(v)** and (18) it follows that the function  $V(t, \tau) = \exp\{(t - 2\tau)/4\varepsilon\}K(t, \tau)$  is the bounded solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} V_t(t, \tau) = \varepsilon V_{\tau\tau}(t, \tau), & t > 0, \tau > 0 \\ V(0, \tau) = \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}\right\}, & \tau \geq 0, \\ V(t, 0) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon\sqrt{\pi}} f\left(\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right), & t \geq 0, \end{cases} \quad (P.V)$$

in  $Q_T = \{(t, \tau) : \tau \geq 0, 0 \leq t \leq T\}$ , for any  $T > 0$ . Using the maximum principle for the solutions of problem (P.V) we conclude that  $V(t, \tau) > 0$  and consequently  $K(t, \tau) > 0$ . The property **(vi)** is proved.

*Proof (vii).* For any fixed  $C > 0$  and for any fixed  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty K_2(t, \tau) e^{C\tau} d\tau &= \frac{2\varepsilon}{3 + 2C\varepsilon} \left[ \exp\left\{C(1 + C\varepsilon)t\right\} \lambda\left(-\frac{1 + 2C\varepsilon}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) - \right. \\ &\left. - \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) \right] = \frac{2\varepsilon}{3 + 2C\varepsilon} \left[ \lambda\left(\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) \left(1 - \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\}\right) + \int_{-\frac{1+2C\varepsilon}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}}^{\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}} e^{-\eta^2} d\eta - \right. \\ &\left. - \left(1 - \exp\left\{C(1 + C\varepsilon)t\right\}\right) \lambda\left(-\frac{1 + 2C\varepsilon}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) \right] = O(\sqrt{t}), \quad t \rightarrow 0. \quad (22) \end{aligned}$$

If  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow H$ , and  $|\varphi(t)|_H \leq M e^{Ct}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , then from (22) we have

$$\left| \int_0^\infty K_2(t, \tau) \varphi(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq M \int_0^\infty K_2(t, \tau) e^{C\tau} d\tau \leq MC(\varepsilon)\sqrt{t}, \quad 0 < t \ll 1, \quad (23)$$

for any fixed  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Similarly as was obtained (22) we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty K_3(t, \tau) e^{C\tau} d\tau &= \frac{\varepsilon}{1 + C\varepsilon} \left[ \exp\{C(1 + C\varepsilon)t\} \lambda\left(-\frac{1 + 2C\varepsilon}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) - \lambda\left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) \right] = \\ &= \frac{\varepsilon}{1 + C\varepsilon} \left[ \left( \exp\left\{C(1 + C\varepsilon)t\right\} - 1 \right) \lambda\left(-\frac{1 + 2C\varepsilon}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right) + \right. \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \int_{-\frac{1+2C\varepsilon}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}}^{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}} e^{-\eta^2} d\eta \Big] = O(\sqrt{t}), \quad t \rightarrow 0, \quad (24)$$

for any fixed  $\varepsilon > 0$ . If  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow H$ , and  $|\varphi(t)|_H \leq M \exp\{Ct\}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , then from (24) it follows that

$$\left| \int_0^\infty K_3(t, \tau) \varphi(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq M \int_0^\infty K_3(t, \tau) \exp\{C\tau\} d\tau \leq C(\varepsilon) M \sqrt{t} \quad (25)$$

for  $0 < t \ll 1$ . For  $\varphi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow H$ ,  $\varphi \in C(0, \infty; H)$  and  $|\varphi(t)|_H \leq M \exp\{Ct\}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty K_1(t, \tau) \varphi(\tau) d\tau &= \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \left[ \lambda\left(\frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) - \lambda\left(-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) \right] \varphi(\tau) d\tau + \\ &+ \left( \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} - 1 \right) \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) \varphi(\tau) d\tau + \\ &+ \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) \varphi(\tau) d\tau = I_1 + I_2 + I_3. \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

Let us evaluate the integrals  $I_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , from (26). For any fixed  $0 < \varepsilon < (2C)^{-1}$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} |I_1|_H &\leq M \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{4\varepsilon} + C\tau\right\} \int_{-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}}^{\frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}} \exp\{-\eta^2\} d\eta d\tau \leq \\ &\leq \frac{2M}{1-2C\varepsilon} \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \sqrt{\varepsilon t} \leq C(\varepsilon) \sqrt{t}, \quad 0 < t \ll 1, \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} |I_2|_H &\leq M \left| \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} - 1 \right| \sqrt{\pi} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} + C\tau\right\} d\tau \leq \\ &\leq C(\varepsilon)t, \quad 0 < t \ll 1. \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

At last, let us investigate the behaviour of integral  $I_3$  as  $t \rightarrow 0$ .  $I_3$  can be represented in the form

$$I_3 = \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \left[ \lambda\left(-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) - \sqrt{\pi} \right] \varphi(\tau) d\tau + \sqrt{\pi} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \varphi(\tau) d\tau. \quad (29)$$

The first term of the right side of (29) can be evaluated as follows

$$\left| \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \left[ \lambda\left(-\frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) - \sqrt{\pi} \right] \varphi(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &\leq M \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} + C\tau \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) d\tau = \\
 &= \frac{2M\varepsilon}{1-2C\varepsilon} \left[ \lambda(0) - \exp \left\{ \frac{(1-2C\varepsilon)^2 t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{1-2C\varepsilon}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right] = \\
 &= \frac{2M\varepsilon}{1-2C\varepsilon} \left[ \left( 1 - \exp \left\{ \frac{(1-2C\varepsilon)^2 t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \right) \lambda(0) + \right. \\
 &\left. + \exp \left\{ \frac{(1-2C\varepsilon)^2 t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \int_0^{\frac{(1-2C\varepsilon)^2}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}} \exp \left\{ -\eta^2 \right\} d\eta \right] \leq C(\varepsilon) \sqrt{t}, \quad 0 < t \ll 1. \quad (30)
 \end{aligned}$$

From (29) and (30) follows the estimate

$$\left| I_3 - \sqrt{\pi} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} \right\} \varphi(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq C(\varepsilon) \sqrt{t}, \quad 0 < t \ll 1. \quad (31)$$

Hence due to (26), (27), (28) and (31) we have

$$\left| \int_0^\infty K_1(t, \tau) \varphi(\tau) d\tau - 2\varepsilon \sqrt{\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} \varphi(2\varepsilon\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq C\sqrt{t}, \quad 0 < t \ll 1, \quad (32)$$

for any fixed  $\varepsilon$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon \ll 1$ . Finally, from (23), (25) and (32) we get the proof of the property **(vii)**.

*Proof (viii).* Integrating by parts we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^\infty K_1(t, \tau) d\tau &= 2\varepsilon \left[ \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) + \lambda \left( -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right], \\
 \int_0^\infty K_2(t, \tau) d\tau &= \frac{2\varepsilon}{3} \left[ \lambda \left( -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) - \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right], \\
 \int_0^\infty K_3(t, \tau) d\tau &= \varepsilon \left[ \lambda \left( -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) - \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right],
 \end{aligned}$$

from which follows the proof of the property **(viii)**.

*Proof (ix).* As  $\rho$  is increasing and  $|\rho(t)| \leq M \exp(Ct)$ , then integrating by parts and using the property **(v)** we get

$$\int_0^\infty K_1(t, \tau) |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau = \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \left[ \int_0^t \exp \left\{ -\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) (\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)) d\tau + \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \int_t^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) (\rho(\tau) - \rho(t)) d\tau \Big] = 2\varepsilon (\rho(t) - \rho(0)) \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) + \\
& + \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{t}} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau - 2\varepsilon \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \times \\
& \times \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon} \right\} \rho'(\tau) \lambda \left( \frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) \text{sign}(t-\tau) d\tau. \tag{33}
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly can be obtained the equalities

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^\infty K_2(t, \tau) |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau & = -\frac{2\varepsilon}{3} (\rho(t) - \rho(0)) \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) + \\
& + \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{t}} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau + \\
& + \frac{2\varepsilon}{3} \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ \frac{3\tau}{2\varepsilon} \right\} \rho'(\tau) \lambda \left( \frac{2t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) \text{sign}(t-\tau) d\tau, \tag{34}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^\infty K_3(t, \tau) |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau & = -\varepsilon (\rho(t) - \rho(0)) \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) + \\
& + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{t}} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau + \\
& + \varepsilon \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ \frac{\tau}{\varepsilon} \right\} \rho'(\tau) \lambda \left( \frac{t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) \text{sign}(t-\tau) d\tau, \tag{35}
\end{aligned}$$

As a consequence from (33), (34) and (35) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau & = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left[ \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) (\rho(t) - \rho(0)) + \right. \\
& + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \int_0^\infty \exp \left\{ -\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} \right\} |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau + \\
& + \int_0^\infty \rho'(\tau) \left[ \exp \left\{ \frac{3t+6\tau}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{2t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) - \exp \left\{ \frac{3t-2\tau}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) - \right. \\
& \left. \left. - \exp \left\{ \frac{\tau}{\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \frac{t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}} \right) \right] \text{sign}(t-\tau) d\tau \right], \tag{36}
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\rho'(t)$  is increasing and  $|\rho'(t)| \leq M \exp(Ct)$ , then it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda\left(\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right)\left(\rho(t) - \rho(0)\right) &\leq \lambda\left(\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}\right)Mt \exp\{Ct\} \leq \\ &\leq C_1 t \exp\left\{-\frac{t}{4\varepsilon} + Ct\right\} \leq C_1 \varepsilon \exp\{C_2 t\}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad \varepsilon \leq \frac{1}{8C}. \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

Further we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t}\right\} |\rho(t) - \rho(\tau)| d\tau \leq \\ &\leq M \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon t} + C \max\{t, \tau\}\right\} |t - \tau| d\tau = \\ &= 4M\varepsilon t \int_{-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}}^\infty |\eta| \exp\left\{-\eta^2 + C \max\{t, t + 2\eta\sqrt{\varepsilon t}\}\right\} d\eta = \\ &= 4M\varepsilon t \exp\{Ct\} \left( \int_{-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}}^0 |\eta| \exp\{-\eta^2\} d\eta + \int_0^\infty \eta \exp\left\{-\eta^2 + 2C\sqrt{\varepsilon t}\eta\right\} d\eta \right) \leq \\ &\leq C_1 \varepsilon t \exp\{C_2 t\}, \quad t \geq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

As  $|\lambda(s) \exp\{s^2\}| \leq C$ , for  $s \geq 0$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \int_0^\infty |\rho'(\tau)| \exp\left\{\frac{3\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(\frac{2t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) d\tau \leq \\ &\leq M \exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{C\tau + \frac{3\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(\frac{2t+\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) d\tau \leq C_1 \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{C\tau - \frac{(t-\tau)^2}{4\varepsilon\tau}\right\} d\tau = \\ &= C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon t} \exp\{Ct\} \int_{-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}}}^\infty \exp\left\{2C\sqrt{\varepsilon t}\eta - \eta^2\right\} d\eta \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon t} \exp\{C_2 t\}, \quad t \geq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (39)$$

Similarly we get the estimates

$$\exp\left\{\frac{3t}{4\varepsilon}\right\} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{-\frac{\tau}{2\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(\frac{2t-\tau}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) |\rho'(\tau)| d\tau \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon t} \exp\{C_2 t\}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad (40)$$

and

$$\int_0^\infty \exp\left\{\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}\right\} \lambda\left(\frac{\tau+t}{2\sqrt{\varepsilon t}}\right) |\rho'(\tau)| d\tau \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon t} \exp\{C_2 t\}, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (41)$$

Finally from (36) and the estimates (37)-(41) follows the estimate from property (ix).

*Proof (x).* From the properties (viii) and (ix) it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| f(t) - \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) f(\tau) d\tau \right|_H \leq \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) |f(t) - f(\tau)|_H d\tau \leq \\ & \leq \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) \left| \int_\tau^t |f'(\theta)|_H d\theta \right| \leq M \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) |e^{C\tau} - e^{Ct}| d\tau \leq \\ & \leq C_1 \sqrt{\varepsilon} e^{C_2 t} \|f'\|_{L^\infty(0, \infty; H)}, \end{aligned}$$

for  $t \geq 0, 0 \leq \varepsilon \ll 1$ . Property (x) is proved.

*Proof (xi).* Denote by  $\mathcal{K}(t, \tau) = K(t, \tau)|_{\varepsilon=1}, \mathcal{K}_i(t, \tau) = K_i(t, \tau)|_{\varepsilon=1}, i = 1, 2, 3$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^t \int_0^\infty K(\tau, \theta) \exp\left\{-\frac{\theta}{\varepsilon}\right\} d\theta d\tau = \varepsilon \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \int_0^\infty \mathcal{K}(\tau, \theta) \exp\{-\theta\} d\theta d\tau = \\ &= \frac{\varepsilon}{2\sqrt{\pi}} (I_1 + 3I_2 - 2I_3). \end{aligned} \tag{42}$$

As  $0 < \mathcal{K}_i(\tau, \theta) \leq C \exp\left\{-\frac{(\tau-\theta)^2}{4\tau}\right\}, i = 2, 3$ , then

$$I_i \leq \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \int_0^\infty \exp\left\{\frac{(\tau+\theta)^2}{4\tau}\right\} d\theta d\tau \leq C, \quad t \geq 0, i = 2, 3. \tag{43}$$

For  $I_1$  we have the estimate

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \int_0^\infty \mathcal{K}_1(\tau, \theta) e^{-\theta} d\theta d\tau = \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \exp\left\{-\frac{9\tau}{4}\right\} \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{\tau}} \exp\{3\eta\sqrt{\tau}\} \lambda(\eta) d\eta d\tau = \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \tau^{-1/2} \exp\left\{\frac{3\tau}{4}\right\} \lambda(\sqrt{\tau}) d\tau - \frac{1}{3} \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \tau^{-1/2} \lambda\left(\frac{\sqrt{\tau}}{2}\right) d\tau \leq C, \quad t \geq 0. \end{aligned} \tag{44}$$

From (42), (43) and (44) follows the property (xi). Lemma 2 is proved.

Now we are ready to establish the relation between the solutions of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and the corresponding solutions of the problem  $(P_0)$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $A : D(A) \subset H \rightarrow H$  be a linear and closed operator,  $f \in W_C^{1, \infty}(0, \infty; H)$  for some  $C \geq 0$ . If  $u$  is a solution of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  such that  $u \in W_C^{2, \infty}(0, \infty; H)$  with some  $C \geq 0$ , then the function  $v_0$  which is defined by*

$$v_0(t) = \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) u(\tau) d\tau$$

satisfies the following conditions:

$$\begin{cases} v_0'(t) + Av_0(t) = F_0(t, \varepsilon), & t > 0, \\ v_0(0) = \varphi_\varepsilon, \end{cases} \tag{P.v_0}$$

where

$$F_0(t, \varepsilon) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left[ 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) - \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right] u_1 + \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) f(\tau) d\tau,$$

$$\varphi_\varepsilon = \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} u(2\varepsilon\tau) d\tau.$$

*Proof.* Integrating by parts and using the properties (i) – (iii) and (v) of Lemma 2 we get

$$\begin{aligned} v_0'(t) &= \int_0^\infty K_t(t, \tau) u(\tau) d\tau = \int_0^\infty \left( \varepsilon K_{\tau\tau}(t, \tau) - K_\tau(t, \tau) \right) u(\tau) d\tau = \\ &= \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) \left( \varepsilon u''(\tau) + u'(\tau) \right) d\tau + \varepsilon K(t, 0) u_1 - A v_0(t) + \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) f(\tau) d\tau. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $v_0(t)$  satisfies the equation from  $(P.v_0)$ . From property (viii) of Lemma 2 follows the validity of the initial condition of  $(P.v_0)$ . Theorem 1 is proved.

#### 4 The limit of the solutions of the problem $(P_\varepsilon)$ as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

In this section we shall study the behavior of the solutions of the problem  $(P_\varepsilon)$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ .

**Theorem 2.** *Suppose  $f \in W_C^{1,\infty}(0, \infty; H)$ , with some  $C \geq 0$ ,  $u_0, u_1 \in H$ ,  $Au_0, Au_1 \in H$  and the operator  $A$  satisfies the condition (1). Then*

$$|u(t) - v(t)| \leq C_1 M e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 \leq \varepsilon \ll 1, \quad (45)$$

where  $u$  and  $v$  are the solutions of the problems  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and  $(P.v)$ , respectively,

$$M = |f(0)| + |u_0| + |Au_0| + |u_1| + \|f'\|_{L_C^\infty(0, \infty; H)},$$

and  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are independent of  $M$  and  $\varepsilon$ .

If

$$u_0, Au_0, u_1, f(0) \in V, f \in W_C^{2,\infty}(0, \infty; H), \quad \text{with some } C \geq 0, \quad (46)$$

then

$$\left| u'(t) - v'(t) + h \exp \left\{ -\frac{t}{\varepsilon} \right\} \right| \leq C_1 M_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 \leq \varepsilon \ll 1, \quad (47)$$

where  $h = f(0) - u_1 - Au_0$ ,  $M_1 = |f'(0)| + |Ah| + \|f''\|_{L_C^\infty(0, \infty; H)}$ , and  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are independent of  $M_1$  and  $\varepsilon$ .

If

$$u_0, Au_0, Au_1 \in V, Af \in W_C^{1,\infty}(0, \infty; H), \quad \text{with some } C \geq 0, \quad (48)$$

then

$$\|u(t) - v(t)\| \leq C_1 M_2 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 \leq \varepsilon \ll 1, \quad (49)$$

where  $M_2 = |Af(0)| + |Au_0| + |Au_1| + |A^2 u_0| + \|Af'\|_{L_C^\infty(0, \infty; H)}$ , and  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are independent of  $M_2$  and  $\varepsilon$ .

*Proof.* Under the conditions of the theorem from (3) follows the estimate

$$|u'(t)| \leq CM, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (50)$$

According to Theorem 1 the function  $w$  which is defined by

$$w(t) = \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau)u(\tau)d\tau$$

is a solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} w'(t) + Aw(t) = F(t, \varepsilon), \\ w(0) = w_0, \end{cases} \quad (P.w)$$

where

$$F(t, \varepsilon) = F_0(t, \varepsilon) + \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau)f(\tau)d\tau,$$

$$F_0(t, \varepsilon) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left[ 2 \exp \left\{ \frac{3t}{4\varepsilon} \right\} \lambda \left( \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) - \lambda \left( \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \right) \right] u_1, \quad w_0 = \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} u(2\varepsilon\tau) d\tau.$$

Using the property (x) of Lemma 2 and the estimate (50) we get

$$|u(t) - w(t)| \leq C_1 M e^{c_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (51)$$

Let us denote  $R(t) = v(t) - w(t)$ , where  $v$  is the solution of the problem (P.v) and  $w$  is the solution of the problem (P.w). Then  $R(t)$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} R'(t) + AR(t) = \mathcal{F}(t, \varepsilon), \quad t \geq 0, \\ R(0) = R_0, \end{cases}$$

where  $R_0 = u_0 - w_0$  and

$$\mathcal{F}(t, \varepsilon) = f(t) - \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau)f(\tau)d\tau - F_0(t, \varepsilon).$$

As

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt}|R(t)|^2 &= -2(AR(t), R(t)) + 2(\mathcal{F}(t, \varepsilon), R(t)) \leq \\ &\leq -2\omega|R(t)|^2 + 2|\mathcal{F}(t, \varepsilon)||R(t)|, \quad t \geq 0, \end{aligned}$$

and hence

$$\frac{1}{2}|R(t)|^2 e^{2\omega t} \leq \frac{1}{2}|R_0|^2 + \int_0^t |\mathcal{F}(\tau, \varepsilon)||R(\tau)| e^{2\omega\tau} d\tau, \quad t \geq 0,$$

then using Lemma A we obtain the estimate

$$|R(t)| \leq e^{-\omega t} \left( |R_0| + \int_0^t |\mathcal{F}(\tau, \varepsilon)| e^{\omega\tau} d\tau \right), \quad t \geq 0. \quad (52)$$

From (50) follows the estimate

$$|R_0| \leq \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} |u(2\varepsilon\tau) - u_0| d\tau \leq \int_0^\infty e^{-\tau} \int_0^{2\varepsilon\tau} |u'(s)| ds d\tau \leq CM\varepsilon \quad (53)$$

for  $0 < \varepsilon \ll 1$ . Now let us estimate  $|\mathcal{F}(t, \varepsilon)|$ . Using the property  $(\mathbf{x})$  of Lemma 2 we have

$$\left| f(t) - \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) f(\tau) d\tau \right| \leq C_1 M \sqrt{\varepsilon} e^{C_2 t}, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (54)$$

As

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^t \exp\left\{\frac{3\tau}{4\varepsilon} + \omega\tau\right\} \lambda\left(\sqrt{\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}}\right) d\tau &= \varepsilon \int_0^{\frac{t}{\varepsilon}} \exp\left\{\frac{3\tau}{4} + \omega\tau\right\} \lambda(\sqrt{\tau}) d\tau \\ &\leq C \int_0^\infty e^\tau \lambda(\sqrt{\tau}) \leq C\varepsilon, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\int_0^t e^{\omega\tau} \lambda\left(\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}}\right) d\tau \leq C\varepsilon, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1,$$

then

$$\int_0^t e^{\omega\tau} |F_0(\tau, \varepsilon)| d\tau \leq C\varepsilon |u_1| \leq C\varepsilon M, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (55)$$

From (54) and (55) follows the estimate

$$\int_0^t e^{\omega\tau} |\mathcal{F}(\tau, \varepsilon)| d\tau \leq C_1 M e^{\omega t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (56)$$

From (52), using the estimates (53) and (56) we get

$$|R(t)| \leq C_1 M e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (57)$$

Finally from estimates (51) and (57) we have

$$|u(t) - v(t)| \leq |u(t) - w(t)| + |R(t)| \leq C_1 M e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1.$$

The estimate (45) is proved.

Let us prove the estimate (47). Denote by  $z(t) = u'(t) + h \exp\left\{-\frac{t}{\varepsilon}\right\}$ . If  $u_0, u_1$  and  $f$  satisfy the conditions (46) and  $A$  satisfies the condition (1), then  $z(t)$  is a solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon z''(t) + z'(t) + Az(t) = f'(t) + \exp\left\{-\frac{t}{\varepsilon}\right\} h, & t \geq 0, \\ z(0) = f(0) - Au_0, \quad z'(0) = 0. \end{cases}$$

According to Theorem 1 the function  $w_1(t)$  which is defined by

$$w_1(t) = \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) z(\tau) d\tau$$

is a solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} w_1'(t) + Aw_1(t) = \mathcal{F}_1(t, \varepsilon), & t \geq 0, \\ w_1(0) = \int_0^\infty \exp\{-\tau\} z(2\varepsilon\tau) d\tau, \end{cases}$$

where

$$\mathcal{F}_1(t, \varepsilon) = \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) \left[ f'(\tau) - \exp\left\{-\frac{t}{\varepsilon}\right\} Ah \right] d\tau.$$

Further denote by  $v_1(t) = v'(t)$ , where  $v(t)$  is the solution of the problem (P.v). Then  $v_1(t)$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} v_1'(t) + Av_1(t) = f'(t), & t \geq 0, \\ v_1(0) = f(0) - Au_0. \end{cases}$$

Let  $R_1(t) = w_1(t) - v_1(t)$ . Then  $R_1(t)$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} R_1'(t) + AR(t) = \mathcal{F}_1(t, \varepsilon) - f'(t), & t \geq 0, \\ R_1(0) = \int_0^\infty \exp\{-\tau\} \int_0^{2\varepsilon\tau} z'(\theta) d\theta d\tau. \end{cases}$$

Using Theorem B we obtain the estimate

$$|R_1(t)| \leq e^{-\omega t} \left( |R_1(0)| + \int_0^t e^{\omega\tau} |\mathcal{F}_1(\tau, \varepsilon) - f'(\tau)| d\tau \right), \quad t \geq 0. \quad (58)$$

Using the estimate (3) we get

$$|z'(t)| \leq C_1 \left( |f'(0) + Ah| + \int_0^t \left| f''(\tau) - \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \exp\left\{-\frac{t}{\varepsilon}\right\} Ah \right| d\tau \right) \leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} M_1 \quad (59)$$

for  $t \geq 0$ . Then from (59) follows the estimate

$$|R(0)| \leq C_1 \varepsilon, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (60)$$

Due to the property (x) of Lemma 2 we get the estimate

$$\left| f'(t) - \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) d\tau \right| \leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon} \|f''\|_{L^\infty(0, \infty; H)}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (61)$$

Further using the property (xi) of Lemma 2 we have

$$\left| \int_0^t \int_0^\infty K(\tau, \theta) \exp\left\{-\frac{\theta}{\varepsilon}\right\} Ah d\theta d\tau \right| \leq C \varepsilon M_1, \quad t \geq 0. \quad (62)$$

Using the estimates (60), (61) and (62) from (58) follows the estimate

$$|R_1(t)| \leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon} M_1, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (63)$$



From the property **(xi)** of Lemma 2 and the estimates (59) we get

$$\begin{aligned} |w_1(t) - z(t)| &\leq \int_0^\infty K(t, \tau) \left| \int_\tau^t z'(\theta) d\theta \right| d\tau \leq \\ &\leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon} M_1, \quad t \geq 0, 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \end{aligned} \quad (64)$$

Finally, from the estimates (63) and (64) we obtain

$$|z(t) - v_1(t)| \leq |z(t) - w_1(t)| + |R_1(t)| \leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon} M_1, \quad t \geq 0, 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1,$$

i. e. the estimate (47).

Let us prove the estimate (49). Denote by  $y(t) = Au(t)$ ,  $y_1(t) = Av(t)$ . Then under conditions (48)  $y(t)$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon y''(t) + y'(t) + Ay(t) = Af(t), & t \geq 0, \\ y(0) = Au_0, \quad y'(0) = Au_1, \end{cases}$$

and  $y_1(t)$  is the solution of the problem

$$\begin{cases} y_1'(t) + Ay_1(t) = Af(t), \\ y_1(0) = Au_0. \end{cases}$$

From (45) follows the estimate

$$|Au(t) - Av(t)| \leq C_1 e^{C_2 t} \sqrt{\varepsilon} M_2, \quad t \geq 0, 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1. \quad (65)$$

As from (1) it follows that

$$|Au(t) - Av(t)| \geq \omega \|u(t) - v(t)\|,$$

then using (65) we obtain the estimate (48). Theorem 2 is proved.

**Remark 1.** *The relation (47) shows that the function  $u'(t)$  possesses the boundary function in the neighborhood of the line  $t = 0$ . But, if  $h = 0$ , then the function  $u'(t)$  like  $u(t)$  does not have a boundary function.*

Finally let us give one simple example. Consider the following initial boundary problems

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon u_{tt}(x, t) + u_t(x, t) + L(x, \partial_x)u(x, t) = f(x, t), & x \in \Omega, t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) = u_0(x), \quad u_t(x, 0) = u_1(x), & x \in \bar{\Omega}, \\ u(x, t) = 0, \quad (x, t) \text{ on } \partial\Omega \times [0, \infty), \end{cases} \quad (66)$$

$$\begin{cases} v_t(x, t) + L(x, \partial_x)v(x, t) = f(x, t), & x \in \Omega, t > 0, \\ v(x, 0) = u_0(x), & x \in \bar{\Omega}, \\ u(x, t) = 0, \quad (x, t) \text{ on } \partial\Omega \times [0, \infty), \end{cases} \quad (67)$$

where  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is a bounded domain with a smooth boundary  $\partial\Omega$ . The operator

$$L(x, \partial_x) = - \sum_{i,j=1}^n \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left( a_{ij}(x) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \cdot \right) + a(x).$$

is uniformly elliptic in  $\bar{\Omega}$ , i.e.  $a, a_{ij} : \bar{\Omega} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a, a_{ij} \in C(\bar{\Omega})$ ,  $a_{ij}(x) = a_{ji}(x)$ , and

$$\sum_{i,j=1}^n a_{ij}(x) \xi_i \xi_j \geq \omega |\xi|^2, \quad \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n, x \in \bar{\Omega},$$

where  $\omega > 0$ ,  $a(x) \geq 0$  for  $x \in \bar{\Omega}$ . Let us put  $H = L^2(\Omega)$ ,  $V = H_0^1(\Omega)$ . In this conditions the problems  $(P_\varepsilon)$  and  $(P.v)$  represent the functional analytical statement of the problems (66) and (67) respectively, where  $A$  is the closure of the operator  $L$  in  $L^2(\Omega)$ . Under suitable conditions on the functions  $u_0, u_1$  and  $f$  which follow from conditions (46) and (48) from Theorem 2 for the variational solutions of the problems (66), (67) we get

$$u = v + O(\sqrt{\varepsilon}) \quad \text{in } C(0, T; L^2(\Omega)), \quad \varepsilon \rightarrow 0,$$

$$u_t = v_t + h \exp \left\{ -\frac{t}{\varepsilon} \right\} + O(\sqrt{\varepsilon}) \quad \text{in } L^\infty(0, T; L^2(\Omega)), \quad \varepsilon \rightarrow 0,$$

$$u = v + O(\sqrt{\varepsilon}) \quad \text{in } L^\infty(0, T; H_0^1(\Omega)), \quad \varepsilon \rightarrow 0,$$

where  $h(x) = u_1(x) + L(x, \partial_x)u_0(x) - f(x, 0)$ .

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