

Homotopy analysis method for solving a class of nonlinear mixed Volterra-Fredholm integro-differential equations of fractional order

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Abstract: In this paper, we describe the solution approaches based on Homotopy Analysis Method for the following Nonlinear Mixed Volterra-Fredholm integro-differential equation of fractional order

$$\begin{aligned} {}^C D^\alpha u(t) &= \varphi(t) + \lambda \int_0^t \int_0^T k(x, s) F(u(s)) dx ds, \\ u^{(i)}(0) &= c_i, \quad i = 0, \dots, n-1, \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

where $t \in \Omega = [0; T]$, $k : \Omega \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $\varphi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, are known functions, $F : C(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is nonlinear function, c_i ($i = 0, \dots, n-1$) and λ are constants, ${}^C D^\alpha$ is the Caputo derivative of order α with $n-1 < \alpha \leq n$. In addition some examples are used to illustrate the accuracy and validity of this approach.

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1 Introduction

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The reader is advised to read the references [1-8].

2 Preliminaries

Definition 1 Let $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and $f \in L^1[a, b]$. The Riemann-Liouville fractional integral of order α for a function f is defined as

$$(J^\alpha f)(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_a^t (t-\tau)^{\alpha-1} f(\tau) d\tau, \quad (2)$$

with Γ is Gamma Euler function defined as

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^{+\infty} t^{\alpha-1} e^{-t} dt$$

where $t \in [a, b]$

Definition 2 Let $f \in L^1[a, b]$ and $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^+$ where $n-1 < \alpha \leq n$, The Riemann-Liouville fractional derivative of order α for a function f is defined as

$${}^{RL}D_t^\alpha f(t) = D^n J_a^{n-\alpha} f(t), \quad (3)$$

with $D^n = \frac{d^n}{dt^n}$.

Definition 3 The Caputo fractional derivative of order $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^+$ for a function f is defined as

$${}^C D_a^\alpha f(t) = J^{n-\alpha} \left(\frac{d^n}{dt^n} f(t) \right), \quad (4)$$

where $f \in L^1[a, b]$, $n-1 < \alpha \leq n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

Remark 4 Let $\alpha > 0$ and $\beta > 0$, for all $f \in L^1[a, b]$, we have the following properties:

$$J^\alpha J^\beta f(t) = J^\beta J^\alpha f(t) = J^{\alpha+\beta} f(t) \quad (5)$$

$${}^C D_a^\alpha [J_a^\alpha f(t)] = f(t) \quad (6)$$

$$J_a^\alpha [{}^C D_a^\alpha f(t)] = f(t) - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{f^{(k)}(a) (t-a)^k}{k!} \quad (7)$$

$$J^\beta t^\mu = \frac{\Gamma(\mu+1)}{\Gamma(\beta+\mu+1)} t^{\beta+\mu}, \quad \mu > -1 \quad (8)$$

3 Basic idea of Homotopy Analysis Method

Now we construct the zero-order deformation equation

$$(1-q)\mathcal{L}[\phi(t;q) - u_0(t)] = q\hbar H(t)N[\phi(t;q)], \quad (9)$$

subject to the following initial conditions

$$u_0(t) = \phi(t;0), \quad (10)$$

where \mathcal{L} is the linear operator, $q \in [0, 1]$ is the embedding parameter, $\hbar \neq 0$ is an auxiliary parameter, $u_0(t)$ is an initial guess of the solution $u(t)$ and $\phi(t; q)$ is an unknown function on the dependent variables t and q .

Zeroth-order deformation equation

When the parameter q increases from 0 to 1, then the homotopy solution $\phi(t; q)$ varies from $u_0(t)$ to solution $u(t)$ of the original equation (1). Using the parameter q . The function $\phi(t; q)$ can be expanded in Taylor series as follows:

$$\phi(t; q) = u_0(t) + \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} u_m(t)q^m, \quad (11)$$

where

$$u_m(t) = \frac{1}{m!} \left. \frac{\partial^m \phi(t; q)}{\partial q^m} \right|_{q=0}. \quad (12)$$

Assuming that the auxiliary parameter \hbar is properly selected so that the above series is convergent when $q = 1$, then the solution $u(t)$ can be given by

$$u(t) = u_0(t) + \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} u_m(t). \quad (13)$$

Hight-order deformation equation

Define the vectore:

$$\vec{u}_n = \{u_0(t), u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_n(t)\}. \quad (14)$$

Differentiating the zero-order deformation equation (9) m times with respect to q and then dividing by $m!$ and finally setting $q = 0$, we have the so-called m th-order deformation equation:

$$\mathcal{L}[u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] = \hbar H(t) \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)), \quad (15)$$

where

$$\mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) = \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \left. \frac{\partial^{m-1} N[\phi(t; q)]}{\partial q^{m-1}} \right|_{q=0}, \quad (16)$$

and

$$\chi_m = \begin{cases} 0, & m \leq 1, \\ 1, & m > 1. \end{cases} \quad (17)$$

4 Main results

We Consider the Nonlinear Mixed Volterra-Fredholm integro-differential equation of fractional order.

$$\begin{cases} {}^C D^\alpha u(t) = \varphi(t) + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^T k(x, s) F(u(s)) ds \right) dx, \\ u^{(i)}(0) = c_i, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1, \end{cases} \quad (18)$$

where ${}^C D^\alpha$ is the Caputo derivative of order α , with $n-1 < \alpha \leq n$, $\Omega = [0; T]$, $T > 0$, $k : \Omega \times \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $\varphi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, are known functions, $F : C(\Omega, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is nonlinear function, c_i ($i = 0, \dots, n-1$), and λ are constants.

Note that the high-order deformation Eq.(9) is governing by the linear operator \mathcal{L} and the term $\mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t))$, can be expressed simply by (15) for any nonlinear operator N . We are now ready to construct a series solution corresponding to the integro-differential equation (18). For this purpose, let

$$N[\phi(t; q)] = {}^C D^\alpha \phi(t; q) - \varphi(t) - \lambda \int_0^t \int_0^T k(x, s) F(\phi(s; q)) dx ds. \quad (19)$$

The corresponding m^{th} -order deformation Eq. (19) reads:

$$\mathcal{L}[u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] = \hbar H(t) \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)). \quad (20)$$

One has:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) &= -(1 - \chi_m) \varphi(t) + \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \left[\frac{\partial^{m-1}}{\partial q^{m-1}} {}^C D^\alpha \phi(t, q) \right]_{q=0} \\ &\quad - \frac{\lambda}{(m-1)!} \left[\frac{\partial^{m-1}}{\partial q^{m-1}} \int_0^t \int_0^T k(x, s) F(\phi(s, q)) dx ds \right]_{q=0} \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

It is worth to present a simple iterative scheme for $u_m(t)$. To this end, the linear operator \mathcal{L} is chosen to be $\mathcal{L} = \frac{d^\eta}{dt^\eta}$, as an initial guess $u_0(t)$ is taken, a nonzero auxiliary function $H(t) = 1$ are taken. This is substituted into (20) to give the recurrence relation:

$$u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t) = \hbar J^\eta \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)), \quad (22)$$

where $\alpha \leq \eta \leq n$, and

$$u_m^{(i)}(0) = b_k, \quad i = 0, \dots, n-1. \quad (23)$$

By Eq. (21) and Eq.(22), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} u_m(t) &= \chi_m u_{m-1}(t) + \hbar J^{\eta-\alpha} u_{m-1}(t) - (1 - \chi_m) \hbar J^\eta \varphi(t) \\ &\quad - \hbar \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{b_k}{k!} \frac{\Gamma(k+1)}{\Gamma(\eta - \alpha + k + 1)} t^{\eta-\alpha+k} \\ &\quad - \frac{\lambda \hbar}{(m-1)!} J^\eta \int_0^t \left[\int_0^T k(x, s) \frac{\partial^{m-1}}{\partial q^{m-1}} F \left(\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(s) q^m \right) ds \right]_{q=0} dx, \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

which yields

$$\begin{aligned}
u_m(t) &= \chi_m u_{m-1}(t) - (1 - \chi_m) \hbar \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-1}}{\Gamma(\eta)} \varphi(s) ds \\
&\quad + \hbar \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-\alpha-1}}{\Gamma(\eta-\alpha)} u_{m-1}(s) ds - \hbar \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{b_k \Gamma(k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\eta-\alpha+k+1)} t^{\eta-\alpha+k} \\
&\quad - \frac{\lambda \hbar}{(m-1)!} \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-1}}{\Gamma(\eta)} \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_0^s \left[\int_0^T k(x, y) \frac{\partial^{m-1}}{\partial q^{m-1}} F \left(\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(y) q^m \right) dy \right]_{q=0} dx \right) ds.
\end{aligned} \tag{25}$$

Special case: if F is linear function. Choose $F(u(s)) = u(s)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
u_m(t) &= \chi_m u_{m-1}(t) + \hbar \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-\alpha-1}}{\Gamma(\eta-\alpha)} u_{m-1}(s) ds \\
&\quad - \hbar \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{b_k \Gamma(k+1)}{k! \Gamma(\eta-\alpha+k+1)} t^{\eta-\alpha+k} - (1 - \chi_m) \hbar \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-1}}{\Gamma(\eta)} \varphi(s) ds \\
&\quad - \frac{\lambda \hbar}{(m-1)!} \int_0^t \frac{(t-s)^{\eta-1}}{\Gamma(\eta)} \left(\int_0^s \left[\int_0^T k(x, y) u_{m-1}(y) dy \right] dx \right) ds.
\end{aligned} \tag{26}$$

5 Applications

We consider the following problem

$$\begin{cases} {}^C D^\alpha u(t) = 2t + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \left[(u(s))^2 - u(s) \right] ds \right) dx, \\ u^{(i)}(0) = 0, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1, \end{cases} \tag{27}$$

where $n-1 < \alpha \leq n$, $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, $t \in [0, 1]$, $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$.

Choose $\mathcal{L} = {}^C D^\eta$, with $\alpha \leq \eta \leq n$, we obtain

$${}^C D^\eta [u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] = \hbar H(t) \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)), \tag{28}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) &= {}^C D^\alpha u_{m-1}(t) - (1 - \chi_m) (2t) \\
&\quad - \lambda \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) u_k(s) u_{m-1-k}(s) ds \right) dx \\
&\quad + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) u_{m-1}(s) ds \right) dx,
\end{aligned} \tag{29}$$

subject to the initial conditions

$$u_m^{(i)}(0) = 0, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1. \quad (30)$$

5.1 Convergence theorem

Theorem 5 Let the serie $\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t)$ is converge where $u_m \in C(\Omega, \mathbb{R})$ is produced by high-order deformation (28) and the serie $\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} D^\alpha u_m(t)$ also converge.

Then $\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t)$ is the exact solution of the problem (27)

Proof. We have $\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t)$ converge, then $\lim_{m \rightarrow +\infty} u_m(t) = 0$. And

$$\sum_{m=1}^n [u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] = u_n(t), \quad (31)$$

thus

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sum_{m=1}^n [u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} u_n(t) = 0, \quad (32)$$

we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} {}^C D^\eta \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} [u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] &= \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} {}^C D^\eta [u_m(t) - \chi_m u_{m-1}(t)] \\ &= \hbar H(t) \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

By $\hbar \neq 0$ and $H(t) \neq 0$, we get

$$\sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) = 0. \quad (34)$$

Using (29), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \mathfrak{R}_m(\vec{u}_{m-1}(t)) &= \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} D^\alpha u_{m-1}(t) - \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} (1 - \chi_m)(2t) \\
&\quad - \lambda \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) u_k(s) u_{m-1-k}(s) ds \right) dx \\
&\quad + \lambda \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) u_{m-1}(s) ds \right) dx \\
&= \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} D^\alpha u_{m-1}(t) - 2t \\
&\quad - \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} u_k(s) u_{m-1-k}(s) ds \right) dx \\
&\quad + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} u_{m-1}(s) ds \right) dx \\
&= \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} D^\alpha u_m(t) - 2t \\
&\quad - \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(s) \sum_{k=0}^{+\infty} u_k(s) ds \right) dx \\
&\quad + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(s) ds \right) dx \\
&= {}^C D^\alpha \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t) - 2t \\
&\quad - \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \left(\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(s) \right)^2 ds \right) dx \\
&\quad + \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(s) ds \right) dx \\
&= {}^C D^\alpha S(t) - 2t - \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) [S^2(s) - S(s)] ds \right) dx,
\end{aligned}$$

where $S(t) = \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t)$. By Eq. (34) we have

$${}^C D^\alpha S(t) - 2t - \lambda \int_0^t \left(\int_0^1 (s-x) [S^2(s) - S(s)] ds \right) dx = 0. \quad (35)$$

Using Eq. (30), the initial condition

$$S(0) = \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(0) = 0. \quad (36)$$

Therefore $\sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} u_m(t)$ is the exact solution of the Eq. (27).
The proof is complete. ■

a) If choose to the initial condition

$$u_0(t) = 0, \quad (37)$$

then, we obtain

$$u_1(t) = -\frac{2\hbar}{\Gamma(\eta+2)} t^{\eta+1}, \quad (38)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} u_2(t) &= +\frac{2\lambda\hbar^2}{[\Gamma(\eta+3)]^2} t^{\eta+2} - \left(\frac{2\lambda\hbar^2}{(\eta+3)[\Gamma(\eta+2)]^2} + \frac{2\hbar}{\Gamma(\eta+2)} \right) t^{\eta+1} \\ &\quad - \frac{2\hbar^2}{\Gamma(2\eta-\alpha+2)} t^{2\eta-\alpha+1}, \quad (39) \\ &\quad \vdots \end{aligned}$$

which yields

$$\begin{aligned} u(t) &\simeq u_0(t) + u_1(t) + u_2(t) \\ &\simeq \frac{2\lambda\hbar^2}{[\Gamma(\eta+3)]^2} t^{\eta+2} - \left(\frac{2\lambda\hbar^2}{(\eta+3)[\Gamma(\eta+2)]^2} + \frac{4\hbar}{\Gamma(\eta+2)} \right) t^{\eta+1} \\ &\quad - \frac{2\hbar^2}{\Gamma(2\eta-\alpha+2)} t^{2\eta-\alpha+1} \quad (40) \end{aligned}$$

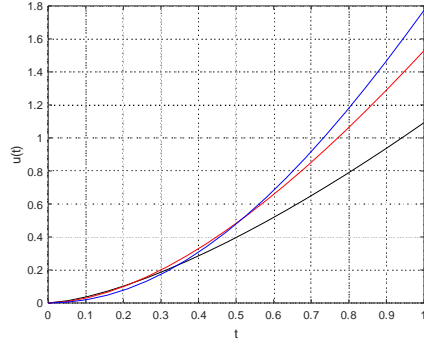


FIG 1: $\lambda = 1, \alpha = 0.5$ black line: $\hbar = -0.4, \eta = 0.5$, red line: $\hbar = -0.7, \eta = 0.75$, blue line: $\hbar = -1, \eta = 1$.

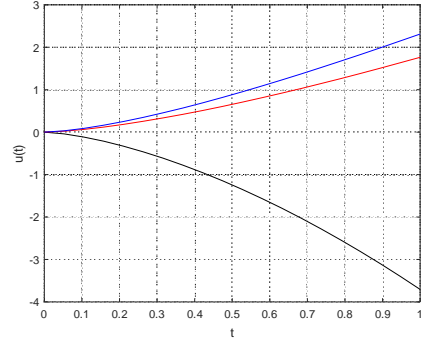


FIG 2: $\lambda = 1, \eta = \alpha = 0.5$ black line: $\hbar = 1$, red line: $\hbar = -0.7$, blue line: $\hbar = -1$.

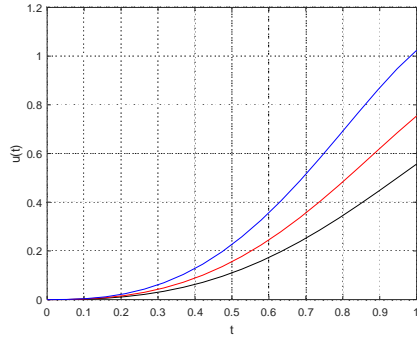


FIG 3: $\lambda = 3, \eta = \alpha = 1.5$ black line: $\hbar = -0.5$, red line: $\hbar = -0.7$, blue line: $\hbar = -1$.

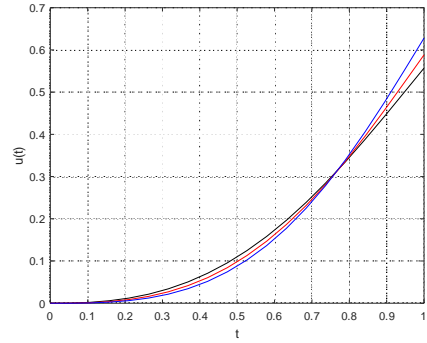


FIG 4: $\lambda = 3, \alpha = 1.5$ black line: $\hbar = -0.5, \eta = 1.5$, red line: $\hbar = -0.7, \eta = 1.75$, blue line: $\hbar = -1, \eta = 2$.

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