

A sharp bilinear estimate for the Klein-Gordon equation in two space-time dimensions*

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Bilinear Estimates

• Wave Equation ($n \geq 2$)

$$\begin{aligned} & ||e^{it\sqrt{-\Delta}} f \cdot e^{it\sqrt{-\Delta}} g; L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^n)||^2 \\ & \leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |\hat{g}(\eta)|^2 |\xi||\eta| (|\xi||\eta| - \xi \cdot \eta)^{\frac{n-3}{2}} d\xi d\eta \end{aligned}$$

Klainerman and Machedon, CPAM '93, Duke '97
Bez and Rogers, J. Eur. Math. Soc., to appear

• Schrödinger Equation ($n \geq 1$)

$$||(-\Delta)^{-\frac{n-2}{2}} (e^{it\Delta} f \cdot \overline{e^{it\Delta} g}); L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^n)|| \leq C ||f; L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)|| ||g; L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)||$$

Tsutsumi and O, DIE '98

$$\begin{aligned} & ||e^{it\Delta} f \cdot e^{it\Delta} g; L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^n)||^2 \leq C \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |\hat{g}(\eta)|^2 |\xi - \eta|^{n-2} d\xi d\eta \\ & (\text{supp } \hat{f} \cap \text{supp } \hat{g} = \emptyset \text{ if } n = 1) \end{aligned}$$

Carneiro, IMRN '09

Strichartz Estimates for the Klein-Gordon Equation

$$\|(1 - \Delta)^{-1/4} e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^6(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\| \leq C \|f; L^2(\mathbb{R})\|$$

Segal, Adv. Math. '76, Strichartz, Duke '77

Basic Idea

$$\begin{aligned} \|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^6(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\|^2 &= \|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f \cdot e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^3(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\| \\ &\leq C \|f; H^{1/2}(\mathbb{R})\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

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Carleson and Sjölin, Studia Math. '72

Fefferman, Acta. Math. '70

- Integral representation of $(e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f)^2$
- Suitable change of variables
- Estimate of the associated Jacobian
- Hausdorff – Young and Hardy – Littlewood – Sobolev inequalities

Goal : Bilinear estimate for the Klein-Gordon equation in 1+1 dimensions
 A unified approach to the estimates of Segal, Carleson–Sjölin, Fefferman

Theorem 1. $\text{supp } \hat{f} \cap \text{supp } \hat{g} = \emptyset$

$$\|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f \cdot e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} g; L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\|^2 \leq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |\hat{g}(\eta)|^2 \frac{(1+\xi^2)^{3/4} (1+\eta^2)^{3/4}}{|\xi-\eta|} d\xi d\eta$$

Remark. $\hat{f}(\xi) = (2\pi)^{-1/2} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \exp(-ix\xi) f(x) dx, \quad \xi \in \mathbb{R}$

The inequality is sharp, but attained if and only if $f = 0$ or $g = 0$.

Theorem 2. $3p' \leq q \leq 4p', \quad \frac{1}{2} < \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}$

$$\|(1-\Delta)^{-1/p'} e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^q(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\| \leq C \|\hat{f}; L^p(\mathbb{R})\|$$

Remark. $p = 2 \Rightarrow 6 \leq q \leq 8$

Proof of Theorem 1. $F(\xi, \eta) = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{f}(\xi)\hat{g}(\eta) + \hat{f}(\eta)\hat{g}(\xi))$

$$(e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}}f)(x) \cdot (e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}}g)(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} F(\xi, \eta) \exp(ix(\xi + \eta) + it((1 + \xi^2)^{1/2} + (1 + \eta^2)^{1/2})) d\xi d\eta$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int \int_{\Omega} F(\xi, \eta) \exp(ix \underbrace{(\xi + \eta)}_u + it \underbrace{((1 + \xi^2)^{1/2} + (1 + \eta^2)^{1/2})}_v) d\xi d\eta$$

$$\Omega = \{(\xi, \eta); \xi < \eta\}$$

$$T : \Omega \ni (\xi, \eta) \mapsto (u, v) \equiv (\xi + \eta, (1 + \xi^2)^{1/2} + (1 + \eta^2)^{1/2}) \in T(\Omega)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int \int_{T(\Omega)} F(T^{-1}(u, v)) \exp(ixu + itv) |\det(T^{-1})'(u, v)| du dv$$

Fourier representation

$$\det(T^{-1})'(u, v) = 1/\det T'(\xi, \eta) = 1/(\eta(1 + \eta^2)^{-1/2} - \xi(1 + \xi^2)^{-1/2})$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f \cdot e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} g ; L^2(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\|^2 \\ &= 4 \int \int_{T(\Omega)} |F(T^{-1}(u, v))|^2 |\det(T^{-1})'(u, v)|^2 du dv \end{aligned}$$

Plancherel

$$= 4 \int \int_{\Omega} |F(\xi, \eta)|^2 \frac{1}{|\eta(1 + \eta^2)^{-1/2} - \xi(1 + \xi^2)^{-1/2}|} d\xi d\eta$$

$$= \int \int_{\Omega} (|\hat{f}(\xi)|^2 |\hat{g}(\eta)|^2 + |\hat{f}(\eta)|^2 |\hat{g}(\xi)|^2) \frac{1}{|\eta(1 + \eta^2)^{-1/2} - \xi(1 + \xi^2)^{-1/2}|} d\xi d\eta$$

Fourier support separation

Theorem 1 follows from :

$$(*)_1 : \quad 0 \leq \frac{\eta - \xi}{(1 + \eta^2)^{3/4} (1 + \xi^2)^{3/4}} \leq \frac{\eta}{(1 + \eta^2)^{1/2}} - \frac{\xi}{(1 + \xi^2)^{1/2}}, (\xi, \eta) \in \Omega$$

Proof of Theorem 2.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^q(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\|^2 = \|e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f \cdot e^{it(1-\Delta)^{1/2}} f; L^{q/2}(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})\| \\
& \stackrel{\text{HY}}{\leq} C \left(\int \int_{T(\Omega)} (|F(T^{-1}(u, v))| |\det(T^{-1})'(u, v)|)^{(q/2)'} dudv \right)^{1/(q/2)'} \\
& \leq C \left(\int \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} |\hat{f}(\xi) \hat{f}(\eta)|^{(q/2)'} \frac{1}{|\eta(1 + \eta^2)^{-1/2} - \xi(1 + \xi^2)^{-1/2}|^{(q/2)' - 1}} d\xi d\eta \right)^{1/(q/2)'} \\
& \stackrel{(*)}{\leq} C \left(\int \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} |\hat{f}(\xi) \hat{f}(\eta)|^{(q/2)'} \left(\frac{(1 + \xi^2)^{(\alpha+2)/4} (1 + \eta^2)^{(\alpha+2)/4}}{|\xi - \eta|^\alpha} \right)^{(q/2)' - 1} d\xi d\eta \right)^{1/(q/2)'} \\
& \leq C \| (1 + \xi^2)^{1/2p'} \hat{f} ; L^p(\mathbb{R}) \|^2, \quad \frac{1}{p'} = \frac{2 + \alpha}{q} < \frac{2 + \alpha}{2(1 + \alpha)}
\end{aligned}$$

H, HLS

$$\begin{aligned}
(*)_\alpha : \quad & \frac{|\xi - \eta|^\alpha}{(1 + \xi^2)^{(\alpha+2)/4} (1 + \eta^2)^{(\alpha+2)/4}} \leq 2^{\alpha-1} \left| \frac{\eta}{(1 + \eta^2)^{1/2}} - \frac{\xi}{(1 + \xi^2)^{1/2}} \right| \\
& (\xi, \eta) \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad 1 \leq \alpha \leq 2
\end{aligned}$$

Proof of $(*)_1$: $\cos \phi = \xi(1 + \xi^2)^{-1/2}$, $\cos \theta = \eta(1 + \eta^2)^{-1/2}$, $0 \leq \theta \leq \phi \leq \pi$

$$(\Rightarrow 1 - \cos^2 \phi = (1 + \xi^2)^{-1}, 1 - \cos^2 \theta = (1 + \eta^2)^{-1})$$

$$0 \leq 2 \sin \theta \sin \phi = \cos(\phi - \theta) - \cos(\phi + \theta) \quad \text{Product-to-sum}$$

$$\leq 1 - \cos(\phi + \theta)$$

$$= 2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\phi + \theta}{2} \right) \quad \text{Power-reduction}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq (\sin \theta \sin \phi)^{1/2} \leq \sin \left(\frac{\phi + \theta}{2} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 0 \leq 2 \sin \left(\frac{\phi - \theta}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{\phi - \theta}{2} \right) (\sin \theta \sin \phi)^{1/2} &\leq 2 \sin \left(\frac{\phi - \theta}{2} \right) (\sin \theta \sin \phi)^{1/2} \\ &\leq 2 \sin \left(\frac{\phi - \theta}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{\phi + \theta}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \cos \theta - \cos \phi \quad \text{Product-to-sum}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \sin(\phi - \theta)(\sin \theta \sin \phi)^{1/2} \quad \text{Double-angle}$$

$$= (\sin \theta)^{1/2}(\sin \phi)^{3/2} \cos \theta - (\sin \theta)^{1/2}(\sin \phi)^{3/4} \cos \phi \quad \text{Difference}$$

$$= (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^{1/2}(1 - \cos^2 \phi)^{3/4} \cos \theta - (1 - \cos^2 \theta)^{1/2}(1 - \cos^2 \phi)^{3/4} \cos \phi \quad \text{Pythagorean}$$

Corollary to Theorem 2. $3q \leq p' \leq 4q, \quad \frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} < \frac{3}{2}$

$$\left(\int_{\mathbb{R}} |\hat{F}(\xi, (1 + \xi^2)^{1/2})|^q \frac{1}{(1 + \xi^2)^{1/2}} d\xi \right)^{1/q} \leq C \|F; L^p(\mathbb{R}^2)\|$$

Remark.

- Fourier restriction from $\mathbb{R}^2$ onto **hyperbola**



vanishing curvature at infinity

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