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INITIAL TIME VALUE PROBLEM SOLUTIONS FOR EVOLUTION INCLUSIONS WITH S_k TYPE OPERATORS

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For a large class of operator inclusions, including those generated by maps of S_k type, we obtain a general theorem on existence of solutions. We apply this result to some particular examples. This theorem is proved using the method of Faedo-Galerkin.

INTRODUCTION

One of the most effective approach to investigate nonlinear problems, represented by partial differential equations, inclusions and inequalities with boundary values, consists in the reduction of them into differential-operator inclusions in infinitedimensional spaces governed by nonlinear operators. In order to study these objects the modern methods of nonlinear analysis have been used [7, 8, 17, 28]. Convergence of approximate solutions to an exact solution of the differentialoperator equation or inclusion is frequently proved on the basis of a monotony or a pseudomonotony of corresponding operator. In applications, as a pseudomonotone operator the sum of radially continuous monotone bounded operator and strongly continuous operator was considered [8]. Concrete examples of pseudomonotone operators were obtained by extension of elliptic differential operators when only their summands complying with highest derivatives satisfied the monotony property [17]. The papers of F. Browder and P. Hess [3, 4] became classical in the given direction of investigations. In particular in F. Browder and P. Hess work [4] the class of generalized pseudomonotone operators was introduced. Let W be real Banach space continuously embedded in real reflexive Banach space *Y* with dual space Y^* , $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_Y : Y^* \times Y \to \mathbb{R}$ be the pairing. Further, as $C_v(Y^*)$ we consider the family of all nonempty closed convex bounded subsets of the space Y^{*}. Multi-valued map $A: Y \to C_v(Y^*)$ refers to be *generalized pseudomonotone on W* if for each pair of sequences $\{y_n\}_{n\geq 1} \subset W$ and ${d_n}_{n \geq 1} \subset Y^*$ such that $d_n \in A(y_n)$, $y_n \to y$ weakly in *W*, $d_n \to d$ weakly in Y^* , from the inequality

$$
\overline{\lim}_{n\to\infty} \langle d_n, y_n \rangle_Y \le \langle d, y \rangle_Y
$$

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it follows that $d \in A(y)$ and $\langle d_n, y_n \rangle_Y \rightarrow \langle d, y \rangle_Y$. I.V. Skrypnik's idea of passing to subsequences in classical definitions [26], realized for stationary and evolution inclusions in M.Z. Zgurovsky, P.O. Kasyanov, V.S. Mel'nik and J. Valero papers (see [12–16], [18–21] and citations there) enabled to consider the class of w_{λ_0} pseudomonotone maps which includes, in particular, a class of generalized pseudomonotone on *W* multi-valued operators and it is *closed within summing*. Let us remark that any multi-valued map $A: Y \to C_v(Y^*)$ naturally generates *upper* and, accordingly, *lower form*:

$$
[A(y), \omega]_+ = \sup_{d \in A(y)} \langle d, w \rangle_Y, \quad [A(y), \omega]_- = \inf_{d \in A(y)} \langle d, w \rangle_Y, \quad y, \omega \in X.
$$

Properties of the given objects have been investigated by M.Z. Zgurovsky and V.S. Mel'nik (see [16, 18, 21]). Thus, together with the classical coercivity condition for singlevalued maps

$$
\frac{\langle A(y), y \rangle_Y}{\|y\|_Y} \to +\infty \text{ as } \|y\|_Y \to +\infty
$$

which ensures the important a priori estimations, arises +-coercivity (and, accordingly, –-coercivity) for multivalued maps

$$
\frac{[A(y),y]_{+(-)}}{\|y\|_{Y}} \to +\infty, \text{ as } \|y\|_{Y} \to +\infty.
$$

+-coercivity is weaker condition than –-coercivity.

Recent development of the monotony method in the theory of differentialoperator inclusions and evolutionary variational inequalities ensures resolvability of the given objects under the conditions of coercivity, quasiboundedness and the generalized pseudomonotony (see for example [5–6, 9–10, 23–25, 27] and citations there). V.S. Mel'nik's results [22] allows to consider evolution inclusions with +-coercive w_{λ_0} -pseudomonotone quasibounded multimappings (see [12]–

[16], [31] and citations there).

In this paper we introduce the differential-operator scheme for investigation nonlinear boundary-value problems with summands complying with highest derivatives are not satisfied monotone condition. A multi-valued map *A*:*Y* → \rightarrow *C_v*(Y^*) satisfies the *property S_k on W*, if for any sequence $\{y_n\}_{n>0} \subset W$ such that $y_n \to y_0$ weakly in *W*, $d_n \to d_0$ weakly in Y^* as $n \to +\infty$, where $d_n \in A(y_n)$ $\forall n \geq 1$, from

$$
\lim_{n\to\infty}\langle d_n,y_n-y_0\rangle_Y=0\,,
$$

it follows that $d_0 \in A(y_0)$. Now we consider the simple example of S_k type operator. Let $\Omega = (0,1)$, $Y = H_0^1(\Omega)$ be the real Sobolev space with dual space $Y^* = H^{-1}(\Omega)$ (see for details [8]). Let $A: Y \times [-1,1] \rightarrow Y^*$ defined by the rule

$$
A(y, \alpha) = -\frac{d}{dx} \left(\alpha \frac{d}{dx} y \right).
$$

Then the multivalued map

$$
\mathcal{A}(y) = \{A(y, \alpha) | \alpha \in [-1, 1]\}, y \in Y
$$

satisfies the property S_k , it is +-coercive, but it is not –-coercive, it is not generalized pseudomonotone and $(-A)$ is not generalized pseudomonotone too (see [11] for detailes). We remark that stationary inclusions for multimaps with S_k properties were considered by V.O. Kapustyan, P.O. Kasyanov, O.P. Kogut [11], the evolution inclusions for $+$ -coercive w_{λ_0} -pseudomonotone quasibounded maps by V.S. Mel'nik, P.O. Kasyanov, J. Valero (see [12]–[16], [31] and citations there). The obtained in this paper results are new results for evolution equations too.

PROBLEM DEFINITION

Let $(V_1, \|\cdot\|_{V_1})$ and $(V_2, \|\cdot\|_{V_2})$ be some reflexive separable Banach spaces, continuously embedded in the Hilbert space $(H, (\cdot, \cdot))$ such that

$$
V := V_1 \cap V_2 \text{ is dense in spaces } V_1, V_2 \text{ and } H \tag{1}
$$

After the identification $H = H^*$ we get

$$
V_1 \subset H \subset V_1^*, \qquad V_2 \subset H \subset V_2^*, \tag{2}
$$

with continuous and dense embeddings [8], where $(V_i^*, ||\cdot||_{V_i^*})$ is the topologically conjugate of *Vi* space with respect to the canonical bilinear form

$$
\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{V_i}: V_i^* \times V_i \to \mathbb{R} \ (i = 1, 2)
$$

which coincides on $H \times V$ with the inner product (\cdot, \cdot) on H. Let us consider the functional spaces

$$
X_i = L_{r_i}(S;H) \cap L_{p_i}(S;V_i),
$$

where $S = [0, T]$, $0 < T < +\infty$, $1 < p_i \le r_i < +\infty$ $(i = 1, 2)$. The spaces X_i are Banach spaces with the norms $||y||_{X_i} = ||y||_{L_{p_i}}(S;V_i) + ||y||_{L_{r_i}}(S;H)$. Moreover, X_i is a reflexive space.

Let us also consider the Banach space $X = X_1 \cap X_2$ with the norm $||y||_X = ||y||_{X_1} + ||y||_{X_2}$. Since the spaces $L_{q_i}(S; V_i^*) + L_{r_{i'}}(S; H)$ and X_i^* are isometrically isomorphic, we identify them. Analogously,

$$
X^* = X_1^* + X_2^* = L_{q_1}(S; V_1^*) + L_{q_2}(S; V_2^*) + L_{r_1'}(S; H) + L_{r_2'}(S; H),
$$

where $r_i^{-1} + r_i^{-1} = p_i^{-1} + q_i^{-1} = 1$.

Let us define the duality form on
$$
X^* \times X
$$

\n
$$
\langle f, y \rangle = \int_S (f_{11}(\tau), y(\tau))_H d\tau + \int_S (f_{12}(\tau), y(\tau))_H d\tau + \int_S \langle f_{21}(\tau), y(\tau) \rangle_{V_1} d\tau + \int_S \langle f_{22}(\tau), y(\tau) \rangle_{V_2} d\tau = \int_S (f(\tau), y(\tau)) d\tau,
$$
\n
$$
+ \int_S \langle f_{22}(\tau), y(\tau) \rangle_{V_2} d\tau = \int_S (f(\tau), y(\tau)) d\tau,
$$

where $f = f_{11} + f_{12} + f_{21} + f_{22}$, $f_{1i} \in L_{r_i}$, $(S; H)$, $f_{2i} \in L_{q_i}(S; V_i^*)$. Remark, that for each $f \in X^*$

$$
||f||_{X^*} = \inf_{\substack{f=f_{11}+f_{12}+f_{21}+f_{22}: \\f_{1i}\in L_{r_i}(S;H), f_{2i}\in L_{q_i}(S;V_i^*)(i=1,2)}} \max \left\{ ||f_{11}||_{L_{r_1}^{-1}}(S;H);
$$

$$
||f_{12}||_{L_{r_2}^{-1}}(S;H); ||f_{21}||_{L_{q_1}(S;V_1^*)}; ||f_{22}||_{L_{q_2}(S;V_2^*)} \right\}.
$$

Following by [17], we may assume that there is a separable Hilbert space V_{σ} such that $V_{\sigma} \subset V_1$, $V_{\sigma} \subset V_2$ with continuous and dense embedding, $V_{\sigma} \subset H$ with compact and dense embedding. Then

$$
V_{\sigma} \subset V_1 \subset H \subset V_1^* \subset V_{\sigma}^*, \quad V_{\sigma} \subset V_2 \subset H \subset V_2^* \subset V_{\sigma}^*
$$

with continuous and dense embedding. For $i = 1,2$ let us set

$$
X_{i,\sigma} = L_{r_i}(S;H) \cap L_{p_i}(S;V_{\sigma}), \quad X_{\sigma} = X_{1,\sigma} \cap X_{2,\sigma},
$$

$$
X_{i,\sigma}^* = L_{r_i}(S;H) + L_{q_i}(S;V_{\sigma}^*), \quad X_{\sigma}^* = X_{1,\sigma}^* + X_{2,\sigma}^*,
$$

$$
W_{i,\sigma} = \{ y \in X_i \mid y' \in X_{i,\sigma}^* \}, \qquad W_{\sigma} = W_{1,\sigma} \cap W_{2,\sigma}.
$$

For multivalued (in general) map $A: X \rightrightarrows X^*$ let us consider such problem:

$$
\begin{cases}\n u' + A(u) \ni f, \\
 u(0) = a, u \in W \subset C(S;H),\n\end{cases} (3)
$$

where $a \in H$ and $f \in X^*$ are arbitrary fixed elements. The goal of this work is to prove the solvability for the given problem by the Faedo-Galerkin method.

THE CLASS $\mathcal{H}(X^*)$

Let us note that $B \in H(X^*)$, if for an arbitrary measurable set $E \subset S$ and for arbitrary $u, v \in B$ the inclusion $u + (v - u)\chi_E \in B$ is true. Here and further for $d \in X^*$

$$
(d\chi_E)(\tau) = d(\tau)\chi_E(\tau) \text{ for a.e. } \tau \in S, \quad \chi_E(\tau) = \begin{cases} 1, & \tau \in E, \\ 0, & \text{else.} \end{cases}
$$

Lemma 1 [30]. $B \in H(X^*)$ if and only if $\forall n \geq 1$, $\forall \{d_i\}_{i=1}^n \subset B$ and for arbitrary measurable pairwise disjoint subsets ${E_i}_{i=1}^n$ of the set $S: \bigcup_{i=1}^n E_i = S$ the following $\sum_{j=1}^{n} d_j \chi_{E_j} \in B$ $\sum_{j=1}^{n} d_j \chi_{E_j} \in B$ is true.

Let us remark, that $\emptyset, X^* \in \mathcal{H}(X^*)$; $\forall f \in X^*$ $\{f\} \in \mathcal{H}(X^*)$; if $K: S \rightrightarrows V^*$ is an arbitrary multi-valued map, then

 ${f \in X^* \mid f(t) \in K(t) \text{ for a.e. } t \in S} \in \mathcal{H}(X^*)$.

At the same time for an arbitrary $v \in V^* \setminus \overline{0}$ that is not equal to 0 the closed convex set $B = \{ f \in X^* | f \equiv \alpha v, \alpha \in [0,1] \} \notin \mathcal{H}(X^*)$, as $g(\cdot) = v \cdot \chi_{[0:T/2]}(\cdot) \notin B$.

CLASSES OF MULTI-VALUED MAPS

Let us consider now the main classes of multi-valued maps. Let *Y* be some reflexive Banach space, Y^* be its topologically adjoint, $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_Y : Y^* \times Y \to \mathbb{R}$ be the pairing, $A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$ be the strict multi-valued map, i.e. $A(y) \neq \emptyset$ $\forall y \in X$. For this map let us define the upper $||A(y)||_+ = \sup_{d \in A(y)} ||d||_{X^*}$ and the lower $||A(y)||_$ = $\inf_{d \in A(y)}$ $||d||_{X^*}$ norms, where $y \in Y$. Let us consider the next maps which are connected with $A: \text{co } A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$ and $\overline{\text{co}} A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$, which are defined by the next relations $(\text{co } A)(y) = \text{co } (A(y))$ and $(\overline{\text{co}} A(y)) = \overline{\text{co} (A(y))}$ respectively, where $\overline{co(A(y))}$ is the weak closeness of the convex hull of the set *A*(*y*) in the space Y^* . It is known that strict multi-valued maps $A, B: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$ have such properties [16, 18, 20]:

1) $[A(y), y_1 + y_2]_+ \leq [A(y), y_1]_+ + [A(y), y_2]_+,$ $[A(y), y_1 + y_2]_ \geq [A(y), y_1]_ + [A(y), y_2]_ \quad \forall y, y_1, y_2 \in Y;$ 2) $[A(v), v]_0 = -[A(v), v]_0$ $[A(y) + B(y), y]_{+(-)} = [A(y), y]_{+(-)} + [B(y), y]_{+(-)} \quad \forall y, y \in Y;$ 3) $[A(y), y]_{+(-)} = [\overline{co}A(y), y]_{+(-)} \quad \forall y, y \in Y;$ 4) $[A(y), y]_{+(-)} \le ||A(y)||_{+(-)}||y||_Y$, $||A(y) + B(y)||_+ \le ||A(y)||_+ + ||B(y)||_+$,

partially the inclusions $d \in \mathcal{O}(A(y))$ is true if and only if

$$
[A(y),v]_+\geq \langle d,v\rangle_Y \quad \forall v\in Y.
$$

Let $D \subset Y$. If $a(\cdot, \cdot): D \times Y \to \mathbb{R}$, then for every $y \in D$ the functional *Y* \rightarrow *w* \rightarrow *a*(*y*,*w*) is positively homogeneous convex and lower semi-continuous if and only if there exists the multi-valued map $A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$ with the definition domain $D(A) = D$ such, that

$$
a(y, w) = [A(y), w]_+ \quad \forall y \in D(A), \forall w \in Y.
$$

Further, $y_n \rightarrow y$ in *Y* will mean, that y_n converges weakly to *y* in *Y*.

Let W be some normalized space that continuously embedded into Y . Let us consider multi-valued map $A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$.

Definition 1. The strict multi-valued map $A: Y \rightrightarrows Y^*$ is called:

• λ_0 -pseudomonotone on W, if for any sequence $\{y_n\}_{n\geq 0} \subset W$ such, that $y_n \rightarrow y_0$ in *W*, $d_n \rightarrow d_0$ in Y^* as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, where $d_n \in \overline{\text{co}} A(y_n) \quad \forall n \ge 1$, from the inequality

$$
\overline{\lim}_{n \to \infty} \langle d_n, y_n - y_0 \rangle_Y \le 0 \tag{4}
$$

it follows the existence of subsequence $\{y_{n_k}, d_{n_k}\}_{k\geq 1}$ from $\{y_n, d_n\}_{n\geq 1}$, for that

$$
\underline{\lim}_{k \to \infty} \langle d_{n_k}, y_{n_k} - w \rangle_Y \geq [A(y_0), y_0 - w] - \forall w \in Y
$$
\n(5)

is fulfilled;

• *bounded*, if for every $L > 0$ there exists such $l > 0$, that

$$
\forall y \in Y : ||y||_Y \le L, \text{ it follows that } ||A(y)||_+ \le l.
$$

Definition 2. The strict multi-valued map $A: X \rightrightarrows X^*$ is called:

• *the operator of the Volterra type*, if for arbitrary $u, v \in X$, $t \in S$ from the equality $u(s) = v(s)$ for a.e. $s \in [0,t]$, it follows, that $[A(u), \xi_t]_+ = [A(v), \xi_t]_+$

$$
\forall \xi_t \in X : \xi_t(s) = 0 \text{ for a.e. } s \in S \setminus [0, t];
$$

• *+*(*-*)*-coercive*, if there exists the real function $\gamma : \mathbb{R}_+ \to \mathbb{R}$ such, that $\gamma(s) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $s \rightarrow +\infty$ and

$$
[A(y), y]_{+(-)} \ge \gamma(||y||_Y) ||y||_Y \quad \forall y \in Y;
$$

• *demi-closed*, if from that fact, that $y_n \to y$ in *Y*, $d_n \to d$ in *Y*^{*}, where $d_n \in A(y_n)$, $n \ge 1$, it follows, that $d \in A(y)$.

Let us consider multi-valued maps, that act from X_m into X_m^* , $m \ge 1$. Let us remark, that embeddings $X_m \subset Y_m \subset X_m^*$ are continuous, and the embedding W_m into X_m is compact [17].

Definition 3. The multi-valued map $A: X_m \to C_v(X_m^*)$ is called (W_m, X_m^*) weakly closed, if from that fact, that $y_n \rightarrow y$ in W_m , $d_n \rightarrow d$ in X_m^* , $d_n \in \mathcal{A}(y_n)$ $∀n ≥ 1$ it follows, that $d ∈ A(y)$.

Lemma 2. The multi-valued map $A: X_m \to C_v(X_m^*)$ satisfies the property *S_k* on W_m if and only if $A: X_m \to C_v(X_m^*)$ is (W_m, X_m^*) -weakly closed.

Proof. Let us prove the necessity. Let $y_n \rightarrow y$ in W_m , $d_n \rightarrow d$ in X_m^* , where $d_n \in \mathcal{A}(y_n)$ $\forall n \ge 1$. Then $y_n \to y$ in X_m and $\langle d_n, y_n - y \rangle_{X_m} \to 0$ as $n \to +\infty$. Therefore, in virtue of A satisfies the S_k property on W_m , we obtain, that $d \in \mathcal{A}(y)$.

Let us prove sufficiency. Let $y_n \rightharpoonup y$ in W_m , $d_n \rightharpoonup d$ in X_m^* , $\langle d_n, y_n - y \rangle_{X_m} \leq 0$ as $n \to +\infty$, where $d_n \in \mathcal{A}(y_n)$ $\forall n \geq 1$. Then $y_n \to y$ in *X*^{*m*} and $d \in \mathcal{A}(y)$.

The lemma is proved.

Corollary 1. If the multi-valued map $A: X_m \to C_v(X_m^*)$ satisfies the property S_k on W_m , then A is λ_0 -pseudomonotone on W_m .

THE MAIN RESULTS

In the next theorem we will prove the solvability and justify the Faedo-Galerkin method for the problem (3).

Theorem 1. Let $a = \overline{0}$, $A: X \to C_v(X^*) \cap H(X^*)$ be +-coercive bounded map of the Volterra type, that satisfies the property S_k on W_{σ} . Then for arbitrary $f \in X^*$ there exists at least one solution of the problem (3), that can be obtained by the Faedo-Galerkin method.

Proof*.* From +-coercivity for $A: X \rightrightarrows X^*$ it follows, that $\forall y \in X$

$$
[A(y), y]_+ \ge \gamma (\|y\|_X) \|y\|_X.
$$

So, $\exists r_0 > 0$: $\gamma(r_0) > ||f||_{X^*} \ge 0$. Therefore,

$$
\forall y \in X : ||y||_X = r_0 \quad [A(y) - f, y]_+ \ge 0. \tag{6}
$$

The solvability of approximate problems.

Let us consider the complete vectors system ${h_i}_{i \geq 1} \subset V$ such that

- α_1) $\{h_i\}_{i\geq 1}$ orthonormal in *H*;
- α_2) $\{h_i\}_{i>1}$ orthogonal in *V*;

$$
\alpha_3) \ \forall i \geq 1 \ (h_i, v)_V = \lambda_i(h_i, v) \quad \forall v \in V,
$$

where $0 \le \lambda_1 \le \lambda_2, ..., \lambda_j \to \infty$ as $j \to \infty$, $(\cdot, \cdot)_V$ is the natural inner product in V,

i.e. $\{h_i\}_{i\geq 1}$ is a special basis [29]. Let for each $m \geq 1$ $H_m = \text{span} \{h_i\}_{i=1}^m$, on which we consider the inner product induced from H that we again denote by $(·, ·)$. Due to the equivalence of H^* and H it follows that $H_m^* \equiv H_m$; $X_m = L_{p_0}(S; H_m)$, $X_m^* = L_{q_0}(S; H_m)$, $p_0 = \max\{r_1, r_2\}$, $q_0 > 1$: $1/p_0 + 1/q_0 = 1$, $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{X_m} =$ $X = \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_X \big|_{X^* \times X}$, $W_m := \{ y \in X_m \mid y' \in X_m^* \}$, where *y'* is the derivative of an element $y \in X_m$ is considered in the sense of $\mathcal{D}^*(S, H_m)$. For any $m \ge 1$ let $I_m \in \mathcal{L}(X_m; X)$ be the canonical embedding of X_m in X , I_m^* be the adjoint operator to I_m . Then

$$
\forall m \ge 1 \quad ||I_m^*||_{\mathcal{L}(X_\sigma^*, X_\sigma^*)} = 1. \tag{7}
$$

Let us consider such maps [12]:

$$
A_m := I_m^* \circ A \circ I_m : X_m \to C_v(X^*), \ f_m := I_m^* f.
$$

So, from (6) and corollary 1, applying analogical thoughts with [12], [14] we will obtain, that

- j_1) A_m is λ_0 -pseudomonotone on W_m ;
- j_2) A_m is bounded;
- j_3) $[A_m(y) f_m, y]_+ \ge 0 \quad \forall y \in X_m : ||y||_X = r_0$.

Let us consider the operator $L_m : D(L_m) \subset X_m \to X_m^*$ with the definition domain

$$
D(L_m) = \{ y \in W_m \mid y(0) = 0 \} = W_m^0,
$$

that acts by the rule:

$$
\forall y \in W_m^0 \quad L_m y = y',
$$

where the derivative *y*′ we consider in the sense of the distributions space $\mathcal{D}^*(S; H_m)$. From [12] for the operator L_m the next properties are true:

- j_4) L_m is linear;
- j_5) $\forall y \in W_m^0 \langle L_m y, y \rangle \ge 0$;
- j_6) L_m is maximal monotone.

Therefore, conditions j_1)– j_6) and the theorem 3.1 from [13] guarantees the existence at least one solution $y_m \in D(L_m)$ of the problem:

$$
L_m(y_m) + A_m(y_m) \ni f_m, \quad ||y_m||_X \le r_0,
$$

that can be obtained by the method of singular perturbations. This means, that y_m is the solution of such problem:

$$
\begin{cases}\ny_m' + A_m(y_m) \ni f_m \\
y_m(0) = \overline{0}, y_m \in W_m, ||y_m||_X \le R,\n\end{cases}
$$
\n(8)

where $R = r_0$.

Passing to the limit.

From the inclusion from (8) it follows, that $\forall m \ge 1$ $\exists d_m \in A(y_m)$:

$$
I_m^* d_m = f_m - y'_m \in A_m(y_m) = I_m^* A(y_m). \tag{9}
$$

1°. The boundedness of $\{d_m\}_{m\geq 1}$ in X^* follows from the boundedness of *A* and from (8). Therefore,

$$
\exists c_1 > 0: \quad \forall m \ge 1 \quad ||d_m||_{X^*} \le c_1. \tag{10}
$$

2°. Let us prove the boundedness $\{y'_m\}_{m\geq1}$ in X^*_{σ} . From (9) it follows, that $∀m≥1$ $y'_m = I^*_m(f - d_m)$, and, taking into account (7), (8) and (10) we have:

$$
||y_m'||_{X_{\sigma}^*} \le ||y_m||_{W_{\sigma}} \le c_2 < +\infty.
$$
\n(11)

In virtue of (8) and the continuous embedding $W_m \subset C(S; H_m)$ we obtain (see [24]) that $\exists c_3 > 0$ such, that

$$
\forall m \ge 1, \forall t \in S \quad ||y_m(t)||_H \le c_3. \tag{12}
$$

 3° . In virtue of estimations from (10)–(12), due to the Banach-Alaoglu theorem, taking into account the compact embedding $W \subset Y$, it follows the existence of subsequences

$$
\{y_{m_k}\}_{k\geq 1} \subset \{y_m\}_{m\geq 1}, \quad \{d_{m_k}\}_{k\geq 1} \subset \{d_m\}_{m\geq 1}
$$

and elements $y \in W$, $d \in X^*$, for which the next converges take place:

$$
y_{m_k} \to y \text{ in } W, \quad d_{m_k} \to d \text{ in } X^*
$$

$$
y_{m_k}(t) \to y(t) \text{ in } H \text{ for each } t \in S,
$$

$$
y_{m_k}(t) \to y(t) \text{ in } H \text{ for a.e. } t \in S, \text{ as } k \to \infty.
$$

$$
(13)
$$

From here, as $\forall k \ge 1$ $y_{m_k}(0) = \overline{0}$, then $y(0) = \overline{0}$.

 4° . Let us prove, that

$$
y'=f-d.\tag{14}
$$

Let φ ∈ *D*(*S*), *n* ∈ $\mathbb N$ and *h* ∈ *H_n*. Then $\forall k \ge 1$: $m_k \ge n$ we have:

$$
(\int_{S} \varphi(\tau) (\mathcal{Y}_{m_k}{}'(\tau) + d_{m_k}(\tau)) d\tau, h) = \langle \mathcal{Y}_{m_k}{}' + d_{m_k}, \psi \rangle,
$$

where $\psi(\tau) = h \cdot \phi(\tau) \in X_n \subset X$. Let us remark, that here we use the property of Bochner integral [8](theorem IV.1.8, c.153). Since for $m_k \ge n$ $H_{m_k} \supset H_n$, then $\langle y_{m_k} \cdot d_{m_k}, \psi \rangle = \langle f_{m_k}, \psi \rangle$. Therefore, $\forall k \ge 1$: $m_k \ge n$

$$
\langle f_{m_k}, \psi \rangle = \left(\int_S \varphi(\tau) f(\tau) d\tau, h \right).
$$

Hence, for all $k \geq 1$: $m_k \geq n$

$$
\left(\int_{S} \varphi(\tau) y'_{m_k}(\tau) d\tau, h\right) = \left\langle f - d_{m_k}, \psi \right\rangle \to
$$
\n
$$
\to \left(\int_{S} \varphi(\tau) (f(\tau) - d(\tau) d\tau, h)\right) \text{ as } k \to \infty. \tag{15}
$$

The last follows from the weak convergence d_{m_k} to d in X^* .

From the convergence (13) we have:

$$
\left(\int_{S} \varphi(\tau) y'_{m_k}(\tau) d\tau, h\right) \to \left(y'(\varphi), h\right) \text{ as } k \to \infty,
$$
\n(16)

where

$$
\forall \varphi \in \mathcal{D}(S) \ \ y'(\varphi) = -y(\varphi') = -\int_S y(\tau)\varphi'(\tau)d\tau \ .
$$

Therefore, from (15) and (16) it follows, that

$$
\forall \varphi \in \mathcal{D}(S) \,\forall h \in \bigcup_{m \geq 1} H_m \quad (y'(\varphi), h) = \left(\int_S \varphi(\tau) (f(\tau) - d(\tau)) d\tau, h \right).
$$

Since $\bigcup H_m$ *m* ≥1 is dense in *V* we have, that

$$
\forall \varphi \in \mathcal{D}(S) \quad y'(\varphi) = \int_S \varphi(\tau) (f(\tau) - d(\tau)) d\tau.
$$

Therefore, $v' = f - d \in X^*$.

 5° . In order to prove, that *y* is the solution of the problem (3) it remains to show, that *y* satisfies the inclusion $y' + A(y) \ni f$. In virtue if identity (14), it is enough to prove, that $d \in A(y)$.

From (13) it follows the existence of $\{\tau_i\}_{i>1} \subset S$ such that $\tau_i \nearrow T$ as $l \rightarrow +\infty$ and

$$
\forall l \ge 1 \quad y_{m_k}(\tau_l) \to y(\tau_l) \quad \text{in} \quad H \quad \text{as} \quad k \to +\infty \tag{17}
$$

Let us show that for any $l \geq 1$

$$
\langle d, w \rangle \leq [A(y), w]_+ \quad \forall w \in X : w(t) = 0 \quad \text{for a e.} \quad t \in [\tau_1, T]. \tag{18}
$$

Let us fix an arbitrary $\tau \in {\{\tau_l\}_{l>1}}$. For $i = 1,2$ let us set

$$
X_{i,\sigma}(\tau) = L_{r_i}(\tau, T; H) \cap L_{p_i}(\tau, T; V_{\sigma}), \quad X_{\sigma}(\tau) = X_{1,\sigma}(\tau) \cap X_{2,\sigma}(\tau),
$$

$$
X_{i,\sigma}^*(\tau) = L_{r_{i'}}(\tau, T; H) + L_{q_i}(\tau, T; V_{\sigma}^*), \quad X_{\sigma}^*(\tau) = X_{1,\sigma}^*(\tau) + X_{2,\sigma}^*(\tau),
$$

$$
W_{i,\sigma}(\tau) = \{ y \in X_i(\tau) \mid y' \in X_{i,\sigma}^*(\tau) \}, \quad W_{\sigma}(\tau) = W_{1,\sigma}(\tau) \cap W_{2,\sigma}(\tau).
$$

$$
a_0 = y(\tau), \quad a_k = y_{m_k}(\tau), \quad k \ge 1.
$$

Similarly we introduce $X(\tau)$, $X^*(\tau)$, $W(\tau)$. From (17) it follows that

$$
a_k \to a_0 \quad \text{in} \quad H \quad \text{as} \quad k \to +\infty \,. \tag{19}
$$

For any $k \ge 1$ let $z_k \in W(\tau)$ be such that

$$
\begin{cases} z'_k + J(z_k) \ni \overline{0}, \\ z_k(\tau) = a_k, \end{cases}
$$
 (20)

where $J: X(\tau) \to C_v(X^*(\tau))$ be the duality (in general multivalued) mapping, i.e.

$$
[J(u),u]_+=[J(u),u]_- = ||u||^2_{X(\tau)} = ||J(u)||^2_+ = ||J(u)||^2_-, \quad u \in X(\tau).
$$

We remark that the problem (20) has a solution $z_k \in W(\tau)$ because *J* is monotone, coercive, bounded and demiclosed (see [1–2, 8, 13]). Let us also note that for any $k \geq 1$

$$
||z_{k}(T)||_{H}^{2} - ||a_{k}||_{H}^{2} = 2\langle z_{k}^{\prime}, z_{k}\rangle_{X(\tau)} + 2||z_{k}||_{X(\tau)}^{2} = 0.
$$

Hence,

$$
\forall k \ge 1 \quad ||z'_k||_{X^*(\tau)} = ||z_k||_{X(\tau)} \le \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ||a_k||_H \le c_3.
$$

Due to (19), similarly to [8, 13], as $k \rightarrow +\infty$, z_k weakly converges in *W* to the unique solution $z_0 \in W$ of the problem (20) with initial time value condition $z(0) = a_0$. Moreover,

$$
z_k \to z_0 \quad \text{in} \quad X(\tau) \quad \text{as} \quad k \to +\infty \tag{21}
$$

because $\lim_{k \to +\infty} ||z_k||_{X(\tau)}^2 \le ||z_0||_{X(\tau)}^2$, $z_k \to z_0$ in $X(\tau)$ and $X(\tau)$ is a Hilbert space.

For any $k \geq 1$ let us set

$$
u_k(t) = \begin{cases} y_{m_k}(t), & \text{if } t \in [0, \tau], \\ z_k(t), & \text{elsewhere,} \end{cases} \qquad g_k(t) = \begin{cases} d_{m_k}(t), & \text{if } t \in [0, \tau], \\ \hat{d}_k(t), & \text{elsewhere,} \end{cases}
$$

where $\hat{d}_k \in A(u_k)$ is an arbitrary. As $\{u_k\}_{k\geq 1}$ is bounded, $A: X \rightarrow X^*$ is bounded, then $\{\hat{d}_k\}_{k \geq 1}$ is bounded in X^* . In virtue of (21), (13), (17)

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$$
\lim_{k \to +\infty} \langle g_k, u_k - u \rangle = \lim_{k \to +\infty} \int_0^{\tau} (d_k(t), y_k(t) - y(t)) dt =
$$
\n
$$
= \lim_{k \to +\infty} \int_0^{\tau} (f(t) - y_k'(t), y_k(t) - y(t)) dt = \lim_{k \to +\infty} \int_0^{\tau} (y_k'(t), y(t) - y_k(t)) dt =
$$
\n
$$
= \lim_{k \to +\infty} \frac{1}{2} (||y_k(0)||_H^2 - ||y_k(\tau)||_H^2) + \lim_{k \to +\infty} \int_0^{\tau} (y_k'(t), y(t)) dt =
$$
\n
$$
= \frac{1}{2} (||y(0)||_H^2 - ||y(\tau)||_H^2) + \int_0^{\tau} (y'(t), y(t)) dt = 0.
$$

So,

$$
\lim_{k \to +\infty} \langle g_k, u_k - u \rangle = 0. \tag{22}
$$

Let us show that $g_k \in A(u_k) \quad \forall k \ge 1$. For any $w \in X$ let us set

$$
w_{\tau}(t) = \begin{cases} w(t), & \text{if } t \in [0, \tau], \\ \overline{0}, & \text{elsewhere,} \end{cases} \qquad w^{\tau}(t) = \begin{cases} \overline{0}, & \text{if } t \in [0, \tau], \\ w(t), & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}
$$

In virtue of *A* is the Volterra type operator we obtain that

$$
\langle g_k, w \rangle = \langle d_{m_k}, w_\tau \rangle + \langle \hat{d}_k, w^\tau \rangle \le
$$

$$
\le [A(y_{m_k}), w_\tau]_+ + \langle \hat{d}_k, w^\tau \rangle =
$$

$$
= [A(u_k), w_\tau]_+ + \langle \hat{d}_k, w^\tau \rangle \le
$$

 $\leq [A(u_k), w_{\tau}]_{+} + [A(u_k), w^{\tau}]_{+}.$

Due to $A(u_k) \in H(X^*)$, similarly to [30], we obtain that

 $[A(u_k), w_{\tau}]_{+} + [A(u_k), w^{\tau}]_{+} = [A(u_k), w]_{+}.$

As $w \in X$ is an arbitrary, then $g_k \in A(u_k)$ $\forall k \ge 1$. Due to $\{u_k\}_{k \ge 1}$ is bounded in *X*, then ${g_k}_{k>1}$ is bounded in X^* . Thus, up to a subsequence ${u_{k_i}, g_{k_i}}_{j \geq 1} \subset {u_k, g_k}_{k \geq 1}$, for some $u \in W$, $g \in X^*$ the next convergence takes place

$$
u_{k_j}\rightarrow u
$$
 in W_{σ} , $g_{k_j}\rightarrow g$ in X^* as $j\rightarrow\infty$. (23)

We remark that

 $u(t) = y(t), g(t) = d(t)$ for a.e. $t \in [0, \tau]$. (24)

In virtue of (22), (23), as *A* satisfies the property S_k on W_{σ} , we obtain that *g* ∈ *A*(*u*). Hence, due to (24), as *A* is the Volterra type operator, for any $w ∈ X$ such that $w(t) = 0$ for a.e. $t \in [\tau, T]$ we have

$$
\langle d, w \rangle = \langle g, w \rangle \leq [A(u), w]_+ = [A(y), w]_+ \dots
$$

As $\tau \in {\{\tau_i\}}_{i \geq 1}$ is an arbitrary, we obtain (18).

From (18), due to the functional $w \rightarrow [A(y), w]_+$ is convex and lower semicontinuous on X (hence it is continuous on X) we obtain that for any $w \in X \ \langle d, w \rangle \leq [A(y), w]_+$. So, $d \in A(y)$.

The theorem is proved.

In a standard way (see [17]), by using the results of the theorem 1, we can obtain such proposition.

Corollary 2. Let $A: X \to C_v(X^*) \cap \mathcal{H}(X^*)$ be bounded map of the Volterra type, that satisfies the property S_k on W_{σ} . Moreover, let for some $c > 0$

$$
\frac{[A(y), y]_+ - c||A(y)||_+}{||y||_X} \to +\infty
$$
 (25)

as $||y||_X \to +\infty$. Then for any $a \in H$, $f \in X^*$ there exists at least one solution of the problem (3), that can be obtained by the Faedo-Galerkin method.

Proof. Let us set
$$
\varepsilon = \frac{||a||_H^2}{2c^2}
$$
. We consider $w \in W$:
\n
$$
\begin{cases}\nw' + \varepsilon J(w) = 0, \\
w(0) = a,\n\end{cases}
$$

where $J: X \to C_v(X^*)$ be the duality map. Hence $||w||_X \leq c$. We define $\hat{A}: X \to C_{\nu}(X^*) \cap \mathcal{H}(X^*)$ by the rule: $\hat{A}(z) = A(z+w)$, $z \in X$. Let us set $\hat{f} = f - w' \in X^*$. If $z \in W$ is the solution of the problem

$$
\begin{cases} z' + \hat{A}(z) \ni f, \\ z(0) = 0, \end{cases}
$$

then $y = z + w$ is the solution of the problem (3). It is clear that \hat{A} is a bounded map of the Volterra type, that satisfies the property S_k on W . So, due to the theorem 1, it is enough to prove the $+$ -coercivity for the map \hat{A} . This property follows from such estimates:

$$
[\hat{A}(z), z]_{+} \geq [A(z+w), z+w]_{+} - [A(z+w), w]_{+} \geq
$$

$$
\geq [A(z+w), z+w]_{+} - c||A(z+w)||_{+},
$$

$$
||z||_{X} \geq ||z+w||_{X} - c.
$$

The corollary is proved.

Analyzing the proof of the theorem 1 we can obtain such result.

Corollary 3. Let $A: X \to C_v(X^*) \cap \mathcal{H}(X^*)$ be bounded map of the Volterra type, that satisfies the property S_k on W_{σ} , $\{a_n\}_{n\geq 0} \subset H: a_n \to a_0$ in *H* as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, $y_n \in W$, $n \ge 1$ be the corresponding to initial data a_n solution of the problem (3). If $y_n \rightarrow y_0$ in *X*, as $n \rightarrow +\infty$, then $y \in W$ is the solution of the problem (3) with initial data a_0 . Moreover, up to a subsequence, $y_n \rightarrow y_0$ in $W_{\sigma} \cap C(S;H)$.

EXAMPLE

Let us consider the bounded domain $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ with rather smooth boundary $\partial \Omega$, $S = [0, T]$, $Q = \Omega \times (0; T)$, $\Gamma_T = \partial \Omega \times (0; T)$. For $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ we set $[a, b] =$ $= {\alpha a + (1 - \alpha)b | \alpha \in [0,1]}$. Let $V = H_0^1(\Omega)$ be real Sobolev space, $V^* = H^{-1}(\Omega)$ be its dual space, $H = L_2(\Omega)$, $a \in H$, $f \in X^*$. We consider such problem:

$$
\frac{\partial y(x,t)}{\partial t} + [-\Delta y(x,t), \Delta y(x,t)] \ni f(x,t) \text{ in } Q,
$$

$$
y(x,0) = a(x) \text{ in } \Omega,
$$

$$
y(x,t) = 0 \text{ in } \Gamma_T.
$$
 (26)

We consider $A: X \to C_v(X^*) \cap \mathcal{H}(X^*)$,

$$
A(y) = \{ \Delta y \cdot p \mid p \in L_{\infty}(S), |p(t)| \le 1 \text{ a.e. in } S \}.
$$

where Δ means the energetic extension in *X* of Laplacian (see [8] for details), $(\Delta y \cdot p)(x,t) = \Delta y(x,t) \cdot p(t)$ for a.e. $(x,t) \in Q$.

We remark that

$$
||A(y)||_{+} = ||y||_{X}, [A(y), y]_{+} = ||y||_{X}^{2}.
$$
 (27)

We rewrite the problem (26) to the next one (see [8] for details):

$$
y' + A(y) \ni f, \ y(0) = a. \tag{28}
$$

The solution of the problem (28) is called the generalized solution of (26). Due to the corollary 2 and (27), it is enough to check that *A* satisfies the property *S_k* on *W* . Indeed, let $y_n \rightarrow y$ in *W*, $d_n \rightarrow d$ in *X*^{*}, where $d_n = p_n \Delta y_n$, $p_n \in L_{\infty}(S)$, $|p_n(t)| \le 1$ for a.e. $t \in S$. Then $y_n \to y$ in *Y* and up to a subsequence $p_n \to p$ weakly star in $L_\infty(S)$, where $|p(t)| \leq 1$ for a.e. $t \in S$. As $||p_n \Delta y_n - p_n \Delta y||_{L_2(S;H^{-2}(\Omega))} \le ||y_n - y||_Y \to 0$, then $p_n \Delta y_n \to p \Delta y$ weakly in $L_2(S; H^{-2}(\Omega))$. Due to the continuous embedding $X^* \subset L_2(S; H^{-2}(\Omega))$ we obtain that $d = p \Delta y \in A(y)$. So, we obtain such statement.

Proposition 1. Under the listed above conditions the problem (26) has at least one generalized solution $y \in W$.

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