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# Solitons and periodic waves for the (2 + 1)-dimensional generalized Caudrey–Dodd–Gibbon–Kotera–Sawada equation in fluid mechanics

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Abstract Fluid mechanics has the applications in a wide range of disciplines, such as oceanography, astrophysics, meteorology, and biomedical engineering. Under investigation in this paper is the (2 +1)-dimensional generalized Caudrey-Dodd-Gibbon-Kotera-Sawada equation in fluid mechanics. Via the Pfaffian technique and certain constraint on the real constant  $\alpha$ , the *N*th-order Pfaffian solutions are derived. One- and two-soliton solutions are obtained via the Nth-order Pfaffian solutions. Based on the Hirota-Riemann method, one- and two-periodic wave solutions are constructed. With the help of the analytic and graphic analysis, we notice that: (1) of the one soliton, amplitude is irrelevant to  $\gamma$ , a real constant coefficient in the equation, velocity along the x direction is independent of  $\gamma$ , while velocity along the y direction is proportional to  $\gamma$ ; (2) one soliton keeps its amplitude and velocity invariant during the propagation and total amplitude of the two solitons in the interaction region is lower than that of any soliton; (3) one-periodic wave can be viewed as a superposition of the overlapping solitary waves, placed one period apart; (4) periodic behaviors for the two-periodic wave exist along the xand y directions, respectively; (5) under certain limiting conditions, one-periodic wave solutions approach to the one-soliton solutions and two-periodic wave solutions approach to the two-soliton solutions.

**Keywords** Fluid mechanics  $\cdot$  (2 + 1)-Dimensional generalized Caudrey–Dodd–Gibbon–Kotera–Sawada equation  $\cdot$  Solitons  $\cdot$  Periodic waves  $\cdot$  Pfaffian technique  $\cdot$  Hirota–Riemann method

# **1** Introduction

Fluid mechanics deals with the underlying mechanisms of liquids, gases or plasmas, and the forces on them [1-8]. It has the applications in a wide range of disciplines, such as oceanography, astrophysics, meteorology, and biomedical engineering [9-17]. For the insight into the fluid mechanics problems, people have focused their attention on the analytic solutions of the nonlinear evolution equations (NLEEs) to describe the nonlinear waves [18–27]. For example, soliton solutions have been derived for the (2 + 1)dimensional Korteweg-de Vries (KdV) equation [28, 29], lump solutions have been obtained for the extended Kadomtsev–Petviashvili (KP) equation [32,33], rogue wave solutions have been constructed for the B-type KP equation [34–37], and periodic wave solutions have been studied for the (2+1)-dimensional extended shallow water wave equation [38]. Methods for deriving the analytic solutions of the NLEEs including the inverse scattering transform, Pfaffian technique, Lie symmetry method and Hirota-Riemann method have been pro-

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posed [39–46]. Among them, the Pfaffian technique has been used to construct the soliton solutions and the Hirota–Riemann method has been utilized to derive the periodic wave solutions of the NLEEs [47–52].

Ref. [53] has considered the (2 + 1)-dimensional generalized Caudrey–Dodd–Gibbon–Kotera–Sawada (gCDGKS) equation,

$$36u_{t} + \left(u_{xxxx} + 15uu_{xx} + 15u^{3}\right)_{x} - \alpha \partial_{x}^{-1} u_{yy} -\gamma \left(u_{xxy} + 3uu_{y} + 3u_{x} \partial_{x}^{-1} u_{y}\right) = 0,$$
(1)

where u = u(x, y, t) is the differentiable function with respect to the variables x, y and t,  $\alpha$  and  $\gamma$  are the real constants, the subscripts represent the partial derivatives, and  $\partial_x^{-1}$  represents the integral with respect to x. Soliton solutions for Eq. (1) have been constructed via the Hirota bilinear method, and lump solutions for Eq. (1) have been derived via the symbolic computation [53]. In fluid mechanics, special cases for Eq. (1) are given as follows:

- When  $\alpha = \gamma = 5$ , Eq. (1) has been reduced to the (2 + 1)-dimensional fifth-order KdV equation in fluid mechanics [54–56],

$$36u_{t} + \left(u_{xxxx} + 15uu_{xx} + 15u^{3}\right)_{x} - 5\partial_{x}^{-1}u_{yy} -5\left(u_{xxy} + 3uu_{y} + 3u_{x}\partial_{x}^{-1}u_{y}\right) = 0.$$
(2)

Periodic solitary wave solutions for Eq. (2) have been constructed via the Hirota bilinear method [54]. Quasi-periodic solutions for Eq. (2) have been derived in terms of the Riemann theta functions [55]. Lump-type and rogue wave solutions for Eq. (2) have been obtained via the symbolic computation [56].

- When  $\alpha = \gamma = 5$ , t = 36T' and  $u_y = 0$ , Eq. (1) has been reduced to the Sawada–Kotera equation for the long waves in shallow water under the gravity [57–61],

$$u_{T'} + u_{xxxxx} + 15u_x u_{xx} + 15u u_{xxx} + 45u^2 u_x = 0.$$
 (3)

Eq. (3) has also been seen in lattice dynamics, quantum mechanics and nonlinear optics [58]. Soliton solutions for Eq. (3) have been constructed via the Hirota bilinear method [59]. Periodic and rational solutions for Eq. (3) have been constructed via the (G'/G)-expansion method [60]. Traveling waves with different frequencies and velocities for Eq. (3) have been constructed via the three wave method [61].

Through the dependent transformation [53],

$$u = 2\left(\ln f\right)_{xx},\tag{4}$$

where f is a real function of x, y and t, Eq. (1) has been written as the bilinear form [53],

$$\left(36D_{x}D_{t} + D_{x}^{6} - \alpha D_{y}^{2} - \gamma D_{x}^{3}D_{y}\right)f \cdot f = 0, \quad (5)$$

where the bilinear operators  $D_x$ ,  $D_y$  and  $D_t$  are defined by [62]

$$D_{x}^{l} D_{y}^{m} D_{t}^{n} \theta(x, y, t) \cdot \vartheta(x', y', t')$$

$$\equiv \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x'}\right)^{l} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial}{\partial y'}\right)^{m} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial}{\partial t'}\right)^{n}$$

$$\theta(x, y, t) \vartheta(x', y', t')|_{x'=x, y'=y, t'=t}, \quad (6)$$

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with  $\theta(x, y, t)$  being a differentiable function of x, y and  $t, \vartheta(x', y', t')$  being a differentiable function of the independent variables x', y' and t', and l, m and n being the non-negative integers.

On the other hand, the *N*th-order Pfaffian, i.e., (1, 2, ..., 2N), has the following expansion [62]:

$$(1, 2, ..., 2N) = \sum_{j=2}^{2N} (-1)^j (1, j) \quad (2, 3, ..., \hat{j}, ..., 2N),$$
(7)

where  $\hat{j}$  means that the element *j* is omitted,  $(2, 3, ..., \hat{j}, ..., 2N)$  is the (N-1)th-order Pfaffian, (r, j) is the antisymmetric element of the Pfaffian and defined as

$$(r, j) = c_{rj} + \int^x D_x \phi_r \cdot \phi_j \mathrm{d}x, \qquad (8)$$

*r*, *j* and *N* are the positive integers,  $\phi_r$ 's and  $\phi_j$ 's are the real functions of *x*, *y* and *t*, and  $c_{rj}$  is a constant satisfying the condition  $c_{rj} = -c_{jr}$ . Pfaffian has been said to possess the following properties [62]:

$$(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{2N}, 1, 2, \dots, 2N)(1, 2, \dots, 2N) = \sum_{j=2}^{2N} (-1)^j (\alpha_1, \alpha_j, 1, 2, \dots, 2N) (\alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \hat{\alpha}_j, \dots, \alpha_{2N}, 1, 2, \dots, 2N),$$
(9)

where  $\alpha_j$ 's are the real numbers, and  $\hat{\alpha}_j$  means that the element  $\alpha_j$  is omitted.

where  $(\bullet) = (1, 2, ..., 2N).$ 

However, to our knowledge, soliton solutions via the Pfaffian technique and periodic wave solutions via the Hirota–Riemann method for Eq. (1) have not been investigated. In Sect. 2, the *N*th-order Pfaffian solutions for Eq. (1) will be constructed via the Pfaffian technique, and soliton solutions for Eq. (1) will be derived via the *N*th-order Pfaffian solutions. In Sect. 3, periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1) will be obtained via the Hirota–Riemann method, and asymptotic behaviors of the periodic wave solutions will be given. In Sect. 4, our conclusions will be presented.

#### 2 Pfaffian solutions for Eq. (1)

In this section, we would like to construct the Pfaffian solutions for Eq. (1) via the Pfaffian technique. To derive the *N*th-order Pfaffian (1, 2, ..., 2N) satisfying Bilinear Form (5), we can set the differentiable functions  $\phi_r$ 's and  $\phi_j$ 's in Eq. (8) satisfying the following conditions:

$$\frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial y} = \frac{5}{\gamma} \frac{\partial^3 \phi_r}{\partial x^3}, \quad \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{4} \frac{\partial^5 \phi_r}{\partial x^5}, \quad \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial y} = \frac{5}{\gamma} \frac{\partial^3 \phi_j}{\partial x^3},$$
$$\frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{4} \frac{\partial^5 \phi_j}{\partial x^5}, \quad \alpha = \frac{\gamma^2}{5},$$
(11)

then we have

$$\frac{\partial(r, j)}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial x} \phi_j - \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial x} \phi_r$$

$$= (d_1, r)(d_0, j) - (d_0, r)(d_1, j)$$

$$= (d_0, d_1, r, j),$$

$$\frac{\partial(r, j)}{\partial y} = \int \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi_r}{\partial x \partial y} \phi_j + \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi_j}{\partial x \partial y} \phi_r - \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial y} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{5}{\gamma} [(d_0, d_3, r, j) - 2(d_1, d_2, r, j)],$$

$$\frac{\partial(r, j)}{\partial t} = \int \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi_r}{\partial x \partial t} \phi_j + \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial t} \right)$$

$$-\frac{\partial^2 \phi_j}{\partial x \partial t} \phi_r - \frac{\partial \phi_j}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \phi_r}{\partial t} dx$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{4} \Big[ 2(d_2, d_3, r, j) - 2(d_1, d_4, r, j) + (d_0, d_5, r, j) \Big].$  (12)

According to Eqs. (12), the following differential conditions can be derived:

$$\tau_{N} = (\bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,x} = (d_{0}, d_{1}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,xx} = (d_{0}, d_{2}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,xxx} = (d_{1}, d_{2}, \bullet) + (d_{0}, d_{3}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,xxxx} = 2(d_{1}, d_{3}, \bullet) + (d_{0}, d_{4}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,xxxxx} = 2(d_{2}, d_{3}, \bullet) + 3(d_{1}, d_{4}, \bullet) + (d_{0}, d_{5}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,xxxxxx} = 2(d_{0}, d_{1}, d_{2}, d_{3}, \bullet) + 5(d_{2}, d_{4}, \bullet)$$
  

$$+ 4(d_{1}, d_{5}, \bullet) + (d_{0}, d_{6}, \bullet),$$
  

$$\tau_{N,y} = \frac{5}{\gamma} [(d_{0}, d_{3}, \bullet) - 2(d_{1}, d_{2}, \bullet)],$$
 (13)

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{N,yy} &= \frac{-25}{\gamma^2} [-(d_0, d_6, \bullet) - 2(d_2, d_4, \bullet) \\ &+ 2(d_1, d_5, \bullet) + 4(d_0, d_1, d_2, d_3, \bullet)], \\ \tau_{N,xy} &= \frac{5}{\gamma} [(d_0, d_4, \bullet) - (d_1, d_3, \bullet)], \\ \tau_{N,xxy} &= \frac{5}{\gamma} [(d_0, d_5, \bullet) - (d_2, d_3, \bullet)], \\ \tau_{N,xxxy} &= \frac{5}{\gamma} [(d_1, d_5, \bullet) + (d_0, d_6, \bullet) - (d_2, d_4, \bullet) \\ &- (d_0, d_1, d_2, d_3, \bullet)], \\ \tau_{N,xt} &= \frac{1}{4} [-2(d_1, d_4, \bullet) + 2(d_2, d_3, \bullet) + (d_0, d_5, \bullet)], \\ \tau_{N,xt} &= \frac{1}{4} [-(d_1, d_5, \bullet) + (d_0, d_6, \bullet) \\ &+ 2(d_0, d_1, d_2, d_3, \bullet)]. \end{aligned}$$
(14)

Combining Eqs. (9) and (10) with Eqs. (13) and (14), we obtain

$$\begin{pmatrix} 36D_x D_t + D_x^6 - \alpha D_y^2 - \gamma D_x^3 D_y \end{pmatrix} \tau_N \cdot \tau_N \\ = \frac{2}{5} (\gamma^2 \tau_{N,y}^2 - \gamma^2 \tau_N \tau_{N,yy} - 15\gamma \tau_{N,xy} \tau_{N,xx} \\ + 15\gamma \tau_{N,x} \tau_{N,xxy} + 5\gamma \tau_{N,y} \tau_{N,xxx} \\ - 5\gamma \tau_N \tau_{N,xxxy} - 50\tau_{N,xxx}^2 - 180\tau_{N,t} \tau_{N,x} \\ + 180\tau_N \tau_{N,xt} + 75\tau_{N,xx} \tau_{N,xxxx} \\ - 30\tau_{N,x} \tau_{N,xxxx} + 5\tau_N \tau_{N,xxxxx} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= 90 \Big[ (d_0, d_1, d_2, d_3, \bullet) (\bullet) - (d_0, d_1, \bullet) (d_2, d_3, \bullet) \Big]$$

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$$+(d_0, d_2, \bullet)(d_1, d_3, \bullet) - (d_0, d_3, \bullet)(d_1, d_2, \bullet) \Big] = 0.$$
(15)

Thus, we find that  $f = \tau_N$  satisfies Bilinear Form (5) and the *N*th-order Pfaffian solutions for Eq. (1) can be derived as

$$u = 2(\ln \tau_N)_{xx}.\tag{16}$$

To construct the soliton solutions for Eq. (1) via the Nth-Order Pfaffian Solutions (16), we can set  $\phi_r$ 's and  $\phi_i$ 's in Conditions (11) as

$$\phi_r = e^{k_r x + \frac{5k_r^3}{\gamma} y + \frac{k_r^5}{4}t},$$
  

$$\phi_j = e^{k_j x + \frac{5k_j^3}{\gamma} y + \frac{k_j^5}{4}t},$$
(17)

where  $k_r$ 's and  $k_j$ 's are real constants. Motivated by Ref. [62], we set  $c_{12} = c_{34} = 1$ ,  $c_{13} = c_{14} = c_{23} = c_{24} = 0$ , and obtain

$$(r, j) = c_{rj} + \frac{k_r - k_j}{k_r + k_j} \phi_r \phi_j.$$
 (18)

Hereby, when N = 1 and 2 in the *N*th-Order Pfaffian Solutions (16), the one- and two-soliton solutions for Eq. (1) can be expressed as

$$u = 2(\ln \tau_1)_{xx},$$
 (19)

 $u = 2(\ln \tau_2)_{xx},\tag{20}$ 

with

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{1} &= (1,2) = 1 + A_{1}e^{\xi_{1}+\xi_{2}}, \\ \tau_{2} &= (1,2,3,4) \\ &= (1,2)(3,4) - (1,3)(2,4) + (1,4)(2,3) \\ &= 1 + A_{1}e^{\xi_{1}+\xi_{2}} + A_{2}e^{\xi_{3}+\xi_{4}} + A_{12}e^{\xi_{1}+\xi_{2}+\xi_{3}+\xi_{4}}, \\ A_{1} &= \frac{H_{1} - H_{2}}{H_{1} + H_{2}}, \quad A_{2} &= \frac{H_{3} - H_{4}}{H_{3} + H_{4}}, \\ \xi_{\varrho} &= H_{\varrho}x + S_{\varrho}y + J_{\varrho}t, \\ A_{12} &= \frac{(H_{1} - H_{4})(H_{2} - H_{3})}{(H_{1} + H_{4})(H_{2} + H_{3})} + \frac{(H_{1} - H_{2})(H_{3} - H_{4})}{(H_{1} + H_{2})(H_{3} + H_{4})} \\ &- \frac{(H_{1} - H_{3})(H_{2} - H_{4})}{(H_{1} + H_{3})(H_{2} + H_{4})}, \\ H_{\varrho} &= k_{\varrho}, \quad S_{\varrho} &= \frac{5k_{\varrho}^{3}}{\gamma}, \quad J_{\varrho} &= \frac{k_{\varrho}^{5}}{4}, \quad (\varrho = 1, 2, 3, 4). \end{aligned}$$

$$(21)$$

Equation (19) indicates that the amplitude of the one soliton is irrelevant to  $\gamma$ , the velocity along the *x* 

direction of the one soliton is independent of  $\gamma$ , while the velocity along the *y* direction is proportional to  $\gamma$ . Figure 1 shows the propagation of the one soliton, and we notice that the one soliton keeps its amplitude and velocity invariant. Figure 2 shows the interaction between the two solitons, and we find that the total amplitude of the interaction region is lower than that of any soliton.

#### **3** Periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1)

In this section, we will utilize the Hirota–Riemann method [63] to construct the periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1).

#### 3.1 Hirota-Riemann method for the NLEEs

Ref. [63] has considered a generalized (N+1)-dimensional NLEE:

$$\mathscr{F}\left(u, u_{t}, u_{x_{1}}, u_{x_{2}}, u_{x_{N}}, \ldots\right) = 0, \tag{22}$$

where  $\mathscr{F}$  is a polynomial function and  $x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_N$  are the space variables. Using the Hirota bilinear method and the dependent variable transformation,

$$u = u_0 + p \partial_{x_N}^q \ln \vartheta \left(\zeta, \lambda\right), \tag{23}$$

where  $\partial_{x_N}^q$  represents the q - th order partial derivatives with respect to  $x_N$ ,  $\vartheta$  ( $\zeta$ ,  $\lambda$ ) is the Riemann theta function,  $\zeta = (\zeta_1, \zeta_2, ..., \zeta_N)^T$  (the superscript *T* signifies the vector transpose),  $i\lambda = (i\lambda_{\mu\iota})$  is a positive definite and real-valued symmetric  $N \times N$  matrix.  $\zeta_{\mu} = Q_{\mu}x + B_{\mu}y + R_{\mu}t + \epsilon_{\mu}, (\mu, \iota = 1, 2, ..., N),$ p, q, N are the positive integers, and *Q*'s, *B*'s, *R*'s,  $\epsilon$ 's and  $u_0$  are all the real constants; Ref. [63] obtains the bilinear form for Eq. (22) as

$$\mathscr{F}\left(D_{x_1}, D_{x_2}, \dots, D_{x_N}, D_t, c\right) \vartheta\left(\zeta, \lambda\right) \cdot \vartheta\left(\zeta, \lambda\right) = 0,$$
(24)

where c is an integration constant and must not be dropped in our present periodic case because the elliptic functions generally do not satisfy the equations with the zero integration constants. Then, the multi-periodic wave solutions for Eq. (22) can be constructed via the Riemann theta function,

$$\vartheta(\zeta,\lambda) = \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} e^{\pi i \langle \eta \lambda, \eta \rangle + 2\pi i \langle \zeta, \eta \rangle},$$
(25)



**Fig. 1** One soliton via Solutions (19) with  $k_1 = 0.6$ ,  $k_2 = 0.4$  and  $\gamma = 1.2$ 



Fig. 2 Interaction between the two solitons via Solutions (20) with  $k_1 = -0.52$ ,  $k_2 = -0.5$ ,  $k_3 = -0.35$ ,  $k_4 = -0.24$  and  $\gamma = 1.2$ 

where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ , the integer value vector  $\eta = (\eta_1, \eta_2, \ldots, \eta_N)^T \in \mathbb{Z}^N$ ,  $\zeta = (\zeta_1, \zeta_2, \ldots, \zeta_N)^T \in \mathbb{C}^N$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}$  denotes the integer number, where  $\mathbb{C}$  denotes the complex number. In this paper, taking the matrix  $\lambda$  to be pure imaginary matrix yields Riemann Theta Function (25) real-valued. For two vectors  $f = (f_1, f_2, \ldots, f_N)^T$  and  $g = (g_1, g_2, \ldots, g_N)^T$ , their inner product is defined by

$$\langle f, g \rangle = f_1 g_1 + f_2 g_2 + \dots + f_N g_N.$$
 (26)

#### 3.2 One-periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1)

In order to construct the periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1), we should consider a more generalized bilinear form than Bilinear Form (5) for Eq. (1) by introducing one more widely dependent transformation:

$$u = u_0 + 2 \left[ \ln \vartheta(\zeta, \lambda) \right]_{xx}.$$
<sup>(27)</sup>

Substituting Transformation (27) into Eq. (1), we can derive a generalized bilinear form as:

$$\mathcal{L}(D_x, D_y, D_t)\vartheta(\zeta, \lambda) \cdot \vartheta(\zeta, \lambda)$$

$$= \left(36D_x D_t + D_x^6 + u_0 D_x^6 - \alpha D_y^2 - \gamma D_x^3 D_y + c\right)\vartheta(\zeta, \lambda) \cdot \vartheta(\zeta, \lambda)$$

$$= 0.$$
(28)

From Riemann Theta Function (25), we derive the one-Riemann theta function as

$$\vartheta(\zeta_1,\lambda_1) = \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{\pi i \eta^2 \lambda_1 + 2\pi i \eta \zeta_1},$$
(29)

where  $\zeta_1 = Q_1 x + B_1 y + R_1 t + \epsilon, \lambda_1$  is a pure imaginary number and meets the condition Im $(\lambda_1) > 0$ , and  $\epsilon$  is a real constant. Substituting Eq. (29) into (28), we have

$$\mathcal{L}(D_{x}, D_{y}, D_{t})\vartheta(\zeta_{1}, \lambda_{1}) \cdot \vartheta(\zeta_{1}, \lambda_{1})$$

$$= \sum_{\varpi=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathcal{L}(D_{x}, D_{y}, D_{t})$$

$$e^{\pi i \eta^{2} \lambda_{1} + 2\pi i \eta \zeta_{1}} \cdot e^{\pi i \varpi^{2} \lambda_{1} + 2\pi i \varpi \zeta_{1}}$$

$$= \sum_{\varpi=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathcal{L}\left[2i\pi(\eta - \varpi)Q_{1}, 2i\pi(\eta - \varpi)B_{1}, 2i\pi(\eta - \varpi)B_{1}, 2i\pi(\eta - \varpi)R_{1}\right] e^{\pi i(\varpi^{2} + \eta^{2})\lambda_{1} + 2\pi i(\varpi + \eta)\zeta_{1}}$$

$$\overset{\varpi'=\varpi+\eta}{=} \sum_{\varpi'=-\infty}^{+\infty} \tilde{\mathcal{L}}(\varpi')e^{2\pi i \varpi'\zeta_{1}}, \qquad (30)$$

with

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathscr{X}}(\varpi') \\ &= \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathscr{L} \Big[ 2i\pi (2\eta - \varpi') Q_1, 2i\pi (2\eta - \varpi') B_1, \\ 2i\pi (2\eta - \varpi') R_1 \Big] e^{\pi i [\eta^2 + (\eta - \varpi')^2] \lambda_1} \\ \\ \eta = \eta' + 1 \sum_{\eta'=-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathscr{L} \Big\{ 2i\pi [2\eta' - (\varpi' - 2)] Q_1, \\ 2i\pi [2\eta' - (\varpi' - 2)] B_1, 2i\pi [2\eta' - (\varpi' - 2)] R_1 \Big\} \\ e^{\pi i [\eta'^2 + (\eta' - (\varpi' - 2))^2] \lambda_1} \cdot e^{2\pi i (\varpi' - 1) \lambda_1} \\ &= \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(\varpi' - 2) e^{2\pi i (\varpi' - 1) \lambda_1} \\ &= \cdots = \begin{cases} \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0) e^{\pi i \varpi' \lambda_1}, & \varpi' \text{ is even,} \\ \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1) e^{\pi i (\varpi' + 1) \lambda_1}, & \varpi' \text{ is odd,} \end{cases} \quad \varpi', \eta' \in \mathbb{Z}, \end{split}$$
(31)

Equation (31) implies that  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(\varpi')$  for  $\varpi' \in \mathbb{Z}$ are completely dominated by  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0)$  and  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1)$ . If  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0) = \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1) = 0$ , then  $\mathscr{L}(D_x, D_y, D_t)\vartheta(\zeta_1, \lambda_1) \cdot \vartheta(\zeta_1, \lambda_1) = 0$ .

Based on Bilinear Form (28), the one-periodic wave<sup>1</sup> solutions can be derived by

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0) &= \sum_{\eta = -\infty}^{+\infty} \mathscr{L} \left( 4\eta \pi i Q_1, 4\eta \pi i B_1, 4\eta \pi i R_1 \right) e^{2\eta^2 \pi i \lambda} \\ &= \sum_{\eta = -\infty}^{+\infty} \left( -576\eta^2 \pi^2 Q_1 R_1 - 4096\eta^6 \pi^6 Q_1^6 \right. \\ &-4096u_0 \eta^6 \pi^6 Q_1^6 + 16\alpha \eta^2 \pi^2 B_1^2 \\ &-256\gamma \eta^4 \pi^4 Q_1^3 B_1 + c \right) e^{2i\pi \eta^2 \lambda_1} = 0, \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathscr{I}}(1) &= \sum_{\eta = -\infty}^{+\infty} \mathscr{L} \Big[ 2i\pi (2\eta - 1)Q_1, 2i\pi (2\eta - 1)B_1, \\ &\quad 2i\pi (2\eta - 1)R_1 \Big] e^{\pi i (2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1)\lambda_1} \\ &= \sum_{\eta = -\infty}^{+\infty} \Big[ -144(2\eta - 1)^2 \pi^2 Q_1 R_1 \\ &\quad -64(2\eta - 1)^6 \pi^6 Q_1^6 - 64u_0 (2\eta - 1)^6 \pi^6 Q_1^6 \\ &\quad +4\alpha (2\eta - 1)^2 \pi^2 B_1^2 - 16\gamma (2\eta - 1)^4 \pi^4 Q_1^3 B_1 \\ &\quad +c \Big] e^{\pi i (2\eta^2 - 2\eta + 1)\lambda_1} = 0. \end{split}$$
(32)

Through the notations

$$\begin{split} \Delta &= e^{\pi i \lambda_{1}}, \end{split}$$
(33)  
$$a_{11} &= -\sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} 576\eta^{2} \pi^{2} Q_{1} \Delta^{2\eta^{2}}, a_{12} = \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \Delta^{2\eta^{2}}, \\a_{21} &= -\sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} 144(2\eta-1)^{2} \pi^{2} Q_{1} \Delta^{2\eta^{2}-2\eta+1}, \\a_{22} &= \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \Delta^{2\eta^{2}-2\eta+1}, \\b_{1} &= \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left( 4096\eta^{6} \pi^{6} Q_{1}^{6} + 4096u_{0} \eta^{6} \pi^{6} Q_{1}^{6} \\&- 16\alpha \eta^{2} \pi^{2} B_{1}^{2} + 256\gamma \eta^{4} \pi^{4} Q_{1}^{3} B_{1} \right) \Delta^{2\eta^{2}}, \\b_{2} &= \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left[ 64(2\eta-1)^{6} \pi^{6} Q_{1}^{6} + 64u_{0}(2\eta-1)^{6} \pi^{6} Q_{1}^{6} \\&- 4\alpha (2\eta-1)^{2} \pi^{2} B_{1}^{2} + 16\gamma (2\eta-1)^{4} \pi^{4} Q_{1}^{3} B_{1} \right] \\&\Delta^{2\eta^{2}-2\eta+1}, \end{aligned}$$
(34)

Equation (32) can be rewritten as a linear system about  $R_1$  and c, i.e.,

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$
(35)

Solving System (35), we can derive the one-periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1) as

$$u = u_0 + 2 \left[ \ln \vartheta(\zeta_1, \lambda_1) \right]_{xx}.$$
 (36)

Figure 3 shows that the one-periodic wave can be viewed as a superposition of the overlapping solitary waves, placed one period apart. In the following section, the asymptotic behaviors of One-Periodic Wave Solutions (36) will be studied. Equation (34) can be expanded as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> One-periodic wave implies the wave propagating with the constant period in the x, y and t directions [63].



**Fig. 3** One-periodic wave via Solutions (36) with  $\lambda_1 = i$ ,  $Q_1 = 0.3$ ,  $B_1 = 0.2$  and  $\alpha = \gamma = u_0 = 1$ 

$$a_{11} = -1152\pi^{2}Q_{1} \left( \Delta^{2} + 4\Delta^{8} + \dots + \eta^{2}\Delta^{2\eta^{2}} + \dots \right),$$

$$a_{12} = 1 + 2(\Delta^{2} + \Delta^{8} + \dots + \Delta^{2\eta^{2}} + \dots),$$

$$a_{21} = -288\pi^{2}Q_{1}[\Delta + 9\Delta^{5} + \dots + (2\eta - 1)^{2}\Delta^{2\eta^{2} - 2\eta + 1} + \dots],$$

$$a_{22} = 2(\Delta + \Delta^{5} + \dots + \Delta^{2\eta^{2} - 2\eta + 1} + \dots),$$

$$b_{1} = 2\left(4096\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 4096u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 16\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 2(262144\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 262144u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 64\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 4096\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}\right)\Delta^{2} + 2\left(262144\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 262144u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 64\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 4096\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}\right)\Delta^{8} + \dots + \left(4096\eta^{6}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 4096u_{0}\eta^{6}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 16\alpha\eta^{2}\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 256\gamma\eta^{4}\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}\right)\Delta^{2\eta^{2}} + \dots,$$

$$b_{2} = 2\left(64\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 64u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 4\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 16\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}\right)\Delta + 2\left(46656\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 46656u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 36\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 1296\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}\right)\Delta^{5} + \dots + \left[64(2\eta - 1)^{6}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 64u_{0}(2\eta - 1)^{6}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 4\alpha(2\eta - 1)^{2}\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} + 16\gamma(2\eta - 1)^{4}\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}]\Delta^{2\eta^{2} - 2\eta + 1} + \dots,$$
(37)

and substituting Eq. (37) into System (35), we have

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \Lambda_0 + \Lambda_1 \Delta + \Lambda_2 \Delta^2 + \cdots ,$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix} = \Theta_0 + \Theta_1 \Delta + \Theta_2 \Delta^2 + \cdots ,$$
(38)

where

$$A_{0} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, A_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -288\pi^{2}Q_{1} & 2 \end{pmatrix}, 
A_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} -1152\pi^{2}Q_{1} & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, A_{3} = A_{4} = \mathbf{0}, 
A_{5} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2592\pi^{2}Q_{1} & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \dots, \Theta_{0} = \Theta_{3} = \Theta_{4} = \mathbf{0}, 
\nu_{1} = 128\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 128u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 8\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} 
+ 32\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}, 
\nu_{2} = 8192\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 8192u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 32\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} 
+ 512\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}, 
\nu_{5} = 93312\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} + 93312u_{0}\pi^{6}Q_{1}^{6} - 72\alpha\pi^{2}B_{1}^{2} 
+ 2592\gamma\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}, 
\Theta_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \nu_{1} \end{pmatrix}, \Theta_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{2} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \Theta_{5} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \nu_{5} \end{pmatrix}, 
\dots$$
(39)

Then,  $R_1$  and c in System (35) can be rewritten as

$$\begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \Gamma_0 + \Gamma_1 \Delta + \Gamma_2 \Delta^2 + \cdots,$$

$$\Gamma_0 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2\Theta_0^{[1]} - \Theta_1^{[2]}}{288\pi^2 Q_1} \\ \Theta_0^{[1]} \end{pmatrix}, \ \Gamma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2\Theta_1^{[1]} - (\Theta_2 - A_2 \Gamma_0)^{[2]}}{288\pi^2 Q_1} \\ \Theta_1^{[1]} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\Gamma_n = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2[\Theta_{n+1} - \Sigma_{j=2}^n A_j \Gamma_{n-j}]^{[1]} - [\Theta_{n+1} - \Sigma_{j=2}^{n+1} A_j \Gamma_{n-j+1}]^{[2]}}{288\pi^2 Q_1} \\ [\Theta_{n+1} - \Sigma_{j=2}^n A_j \Gamma_{n-j}]^{[1]} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$n \ge 2,$$

$$(40)$$

where *n* is the positive integer, and  $\Theta^{[\kappa]}$  ( $\kappa = 1, 2$ ) denotes the  $\kappa$ -*th* elements of the two-dimensional vector  $\Theta$ .

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## From Eq. (40), we have

Substituting Eqs. (41) into (38) and setting  $\Delta \rightarrow 0$ , we can obtain

$$c \to 0,$$
  

$$R_1 \to \frac{16\pi^4 Q_1^6 + 16u_0 \pi^4 Q_1^6 - \alpha B_1^2 + 4\gamma \pi^2 Q_1^3 B_1}{-36Q_1}.$$
(42)

If we assume

$$u_{0} = 0, \quad Q_{1} = \frac{k_{1} + k_{2}}{2i\pi}, \quad B_{1} = \frac{5k_{1}^{3} + 5k_{2}^{3}}{2\gamma i\pi},$$
$$\epsilon = \frac{-i\pi\lambda + \ln\frac{k_{1} - k_{2}}{k_{1} + k_{2}}}{2i\pi}, \quad \alpha = \frac{\gamma^{2}}{5}, \quad (43)$$

where  $k_1, k_2, \alpha$  and  $\gamma$  are determined by Eq. (19), we have

$$2i\pi\zeta_{1} = 2i\pi(Q_{1}x + B_{1}y + R_{1}t + \epsilon)$$

$$= (k_{1} + k_{2})x + \frac{5k_{1}^{3} + 5k_{2}^{3}}{\gamma}y + \frac{k_{1}^{5} + k_{2}^{5}}{4}t$$

$$+ \ln\frac{k_{1} - k_{2}}{k_{1} + k_{2}} - i\pi\lambda_{1}$$

$$= \xi_{1} + \xi_{2} + \ln\frac{k_{1} - k_{2}}{k_{1} + k_{2}} - i\pi\lambda_{1}.$$
(44)

Combining Eqs. (29) and (44), we further obtain

$$\vartheta(\zeta_{1},\lambda_{1}) = \sum_{\eta=-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{\pi i \eta^{2} \lambda_{1}+2\pi i \eta \zeta_{1}}$$
  
= 1 + (e<sup>2\pi i \zeta\_{1}</sup> + e<sup>-2\pi i \zeta\_{1}</sup>) \Delta + \dots  
= 1 + e^{\xi\_{1}+\xi\_{2}+\ln\frac{k\_{1}-k\_{2}}{k\_{1}+k\_{2}}} + e^{-\left(\xi\_{1}+\xi\_{2}+\ln\frac{k\_{1}-k\_{2}}{k\_{1}+k\_{2}}\right)} \Delta^{2} + \dots  
\Delta^{2} = 0 + \frac{k\_{1}-k\_{2}}{k\_{1}+k\_{2}} e^{\xi\_{1}+\xi\_{2}}. (45)

From the above analysis, we find that One-Periodic Wave Solutions (36) approach to One-Soliton Solutions (19) under the limiting condition  $\Delta \rightarrow 0$  [ $\Delta$  is defined in (33)].

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#### 3.3 Two-periodic wave solutions for Eq. (1)

From Riemann Theta Function (25), we derive the two-Riemann theta function as:

$$\vartheta(\zeta,\lambda_2) = \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} e^{\pi i \langle \lambda_2 \eta, \eta \rangle + 2\pi i \langle \zeta, \eta \rangle}, \tag{46}$$

where  $\eta = (\eta_1, \eta_2)^T \in \mathbb{Z}^2$ ,  $\zeta = (\zeta_1, \zeta_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2$ ,  $\mathbb{C}$ denotes the complex number,  $\zeta_r = Q_r x + B_r y + R_r t + \epsilon_r$ ,  $r = 1, 2, Q_r$ 's,  $B_r$ 's,  $R_r$ 's are all the constants,  $-i\lambda_2$ is a real-valued  $2 \times 2$  matrix:

$$\lambda_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_{11} \ \lambda_{12} \\ \lambda_{12} \ \lambda_{22} \end{pmatrix}, \ \mathrm{Im}(\lambda_{11}) > 0, \ \mathrm{Im}(\lambda_{22}) > 0,$$
$$\lambda_{12}^{2} - \lambda_{11}\lambda_{22} > 0.$$
(47)

Substituting Eq. (46) into (28), we can derive

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{L}(D_{x}, D_{y}, D_{l})\vartheta(\zeta_{1}, \zeta_{2}, \lambda_{2}) & \cdot \vartheta(\zeta_{1}, \zeta_{2}, \lambda_{2}) \\ &= \sum_{\varpi,\eta\in\mathbb{Z}^{2}} \mathscr{L}\left(2i\pi\langle\eta - \varpi, Q\rangle, 2i\pi\langle\eta - \varpi, B\rangle, \\ 2i\pi\langle\eta - \varpi, R\rangle\right)e^{2\pi i\langle\zeta,\eta + \varpi\rangle + \pi i(\langle\lambda_{2}\eta,\eta\rangle + \langle\lambda_{2}\varpi,\varpi\rangle)} \\ & \overset{\varpi'=\varpi+\eta}{=} \sum_{\varpi'\in\mathbb{Z}^{2}} \left\{\sum_{\eta\in\mathbb{Z}^{2}} \mathscr{L}\left(2i\pi\langle2\eta - \varpi', Q\rangle, \\ 2i\pi\langle2\eta - \varpi', B\rangle, 2i\pi\langle2\eta - \varpi', R\rangle\right) \\ e^{\pi i \left[\langle\lambda_{2}(\eta - \varpi'), \eta - \varpi'\rangle + \langle\lambda_{2}\eta, \eta\rangle\right]}\right\}e^{2\pi i\langle\zeta, \varpi'\rangle} \\ &= \sum_{\varpi'\in\mathbb{Z}^{2}} \widetilde{\mathscr{L}}\left(\varpi'\right)e^{2\pi i\langle\zeta, \varpi'\rangle}, \end{aligned}$$
(48)

where  $Q = (Q_1, Q_2)^T$ ,  $B = (B_1, B_2)^T$ ,  $R = (R_1, R_2)^T$  and  $\overline{\omega}' = (\overline{\omega}'_1, \overline{\omega}'_2)^T$ . From Eq. (48), and setting  $\eta' = \eta - \delta_{\sigma,j}$ , (j = 1, 2), we can obtain

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathscr{L}}\left(\boldsymbol{\varpi}'\right) \\ &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\left(2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \boldsymbol{\varpi}', \boldsymbol{Q} \rangle, 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \boldsymbol{\varpi}', \boldsymbol{B} \rangle, \\ 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \boldsymbol{\varpi}', \boldsymbol{R} \rangle\right) e^{\pi i \left[\langle \lambda_2(\eta - \boldsymbol{\varpi}'), \eta - \boldsymbol{\varpi}' \rangle + \langle \lambda_2 \eta, \eta \rangle\right]} \\ &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\left\{2i\pi \sum_{\sigma=1}^2 [2\eta_{\sigma}' - (\boldsymbol{\varpi}_{\sigma}' - 2\delta_{\sigma,j})]\mathcal{Q}_{\sigma}, \\ 2i\pi \sum_{\sigma=1}^2 [2\eta_{\sigma}' - (\boldsymbol{\varpi}_{\sigma}' - 2\delta_{\sigma,j})]B_{\sigma}, \\ 2i\pi \sum_{\sigma=1}^2 [2\eta_{\sigma}' - (\boldsymbol{\varpi}_{\sigma}' - 2\delta_{\sigma,j})]R_{\sigma}\right\} \end{split}$$

$$e^{\pi i \sum_{\sigma,\varsigma=1}^{2} \left[ (\eta'_{\sigma} + \delta_{\sigma,j})(\eta'_{\varsigma} + \delta_{\varsigma,j}) + (\varpi'_{\sigma} - \eta'_{\sigma} - \delta_{\sigma,j})(\varpi'_{\varsigma} - \eta'_{\varsigma} - \delta_{\varsigma,j}) \right] \lambda_{\sigma,\varsigma}} \\ = \begin{cases} \tilde{\mathscr{I}}(\varpi_{1}^{'} - 2, \varpi_{2}^{'})e^{2\pi i(\varpi_{1}^{'} - 1)\lambda_{11} + 2\pi i \varpi_{2}^{'}\lambda_{12}}, \quad j = 1, \\ \tilde{\mathscr{I}}(\varpi_{1}^{'}, \varpi_{2}^{'} - 2)e^{2\pi i(\varpi_{2}^{'} - 1)\lambda_{22} + 2\pi i \varpi_{1}^{'}\lambda_{12}}, \quad j = 2, \\ \varpi^{'}, \eta^{'} \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}, \end{cases}$$
(49)

where  $\delta_{\sigma,j}$ 's represent the Kronecker's delta [64]. Equation (49) implies that if  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0,0) = \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1,0) = \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0,1) = \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1,1) = 0$ , then  $\tilde{\mathscr{L}}(\varpi_1', \varpi_2') = 0$  for all  $\varpi_1', \varpi_2' \in \mathbb{Z}^2$ , Eq. (46) is the solution for Eq. (28). Setting  $\Psi_r = (\Psi_r^{[1]}, \Psi_r^{[2]})^T, r = 1, 2, 3, 4, \Psi_1 = (0,0)^T, \Psi_2 = (1,0)^T, \Psi_3 = (0,1)^T, \Psi_4 = (1,1)^T$ , we have

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0,0) &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\Big(2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_1, Q \rangle, 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_1, B \rangle, \\ 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_1, R \rangle \Big) e^{\pi i [\langle \lambda(\eta - \Psi_1), \eta - \Psi_1 \rangle + \langle \lambda\eta, \eta \rangle]} = 0, \\ \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1,0) &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\Big(2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_2, Q \rangle, 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_2, B \rangle, \\ 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_2, R \rangle \Big) e^{\pi i [\langle \lambda(\eta - \Psi_2), \eta - \Psi_2 \rangle + \langle \lambda\eta, \eta \rangle]} = 0, \\ \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(0,1) &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\Big(2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_3, Q \rangle, 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_3, B \rangle, \\ 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_3, R \rangle \Big) e^{\pi i [\langle \lambda(\eta - \Psi_3), \eta - \Psi_3 \rangle + \langle \lambda\eta, \eta \rangle]} = 0, \\ \tilde{\mathscr{L}}(1,1) &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \mathscr{L}\Big(2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_4, Q \rangle, 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_4, B \rangle, \\ 2i\pi \langle 2\eta - \Psi_4, R \rangle \Big) e^{\pi i [\langle \lambda(\eta - \Psi_4), \eta - \Psi_4 \rangle + \langle \lambda\eta, \eta \rangle]} = 0. \end{split}$$
(50)

Combining Eqs. (28) and (50), we derive

$$\sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \left[ -144\pi^2 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, Q \rangle \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, R \rangle -64\pi^6 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, Q \rangle^6 - 64u_0 \pi^6 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, Q \rangle^6 +4\alpha \pi^2 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, B \rangle^2 -16\gamma \pi^4 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, Q \rangle^3 \langle 2\eta - \Psi_r, B \rangle + c \right] e^{\pi i [\langle \lambda (\eta - \Psi_r), \eta - \Psi_r \rangle + \langle \lambda \eta, \eta \rangle]} = 0.$$
(51)

Accordingly, Eq. (51) can be rewritten as a linear system,

$$\begin{pmatrix} g_{11} & g_{12} & g_{13} & g_{14} \\ g_{21} & g_{22} & g_{23} & g_{24} \\ g_{31} & g_{32} & g_{33} & g_{34} \\ g_{41} & g_{42} & g_{43} & g_{44} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ u_0 \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \end{pmatrix},$$
(52)

with

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{J}_{1} &= e^{\pi i \lambda_{11}}, \ \mathcal{J}_{2} &= e^{\pi i \lambda_{22}}, \ \mathcal{J}_{3} &= e^{2\pi i \lambda_{12}}, \\ G &= (g_{rj})_{4 \times 4}, \ q &= (q_{1}, q_{2}, q_{3}, q_{4})^{T}, \end{aligned} \tag{53} \\ \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta) &= \mathcal{J}_{1}^{\left\{ \eta_{1}^{2} + \left( \eta_{1} - \Psi_{r}^{[1]} \right)^{2} \right\}} \mathcal{J}_{2}^{\left\{ \eta_{2}^{2} + \left( \eta_{2} - \Psi_{r}^{[2]} \right)^{2} \right\}} \\ \mathcal{J}_{3}^{\left\{ \eta_{1} \eta_{2} + \left( \eta_{1} - \Psi_{r}^{[1]} \right) \left( \eta_{2} - \Psi_{r}^{[2]} \right) \right\}}, \end{aligned} \\ g_{r1} &= -144\pi^{2} \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, Q \rangle \\ \left( 2\eta_{1} - \Psi_{r}^{[11]} \right) \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta), \end{aligned} \\ g_{r2} &= -144\pi^{2} \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, Q \rangle \\ \left( 2\eta_{2} - \Psi_{r}^{[21]} \right) \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta), \end{aligned} \\ g_{r3} &= -64\pi^{6} \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, Q \rangle^{6} \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta), \ g_{r4} \\ &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta), \cr q_{r} &= \sum_{\eta \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} \left( 64\pi^{6} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, Q \rangle^{6} \\ -4\alpha\pi^{2} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, B \rangle^{2} \\ + 16\gamma\pi^{4} \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, Q \rangle^{3} \\ \langle 2\eta - \Psi_{r}, B \rangle \right) \mathcal{A}_{r}(\eta). \end{aligned} \tag{54}$$

Solving System (52), we can derive the two-periodic wave<sup>2</sup> solutions for Eq. (1) as

$$u = u_0 + 2 \left[ \ln \vartheta(\zeta_1, \zeta_2, \lambda) \right]_{xx}.$$
 (55)

Figure 4 shows that the periodic behaviors for the two-periodic wave exist along the x and y directions, respectively. Similarly, the asymptotic behaviors of Two-Periodic Wave Solutions (55) will be studied.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Two-periodic wave indicates a periodic wave formed by the superposition of two waves with the different periods in the x, y and t directions [63].



Fig. 4 Two-periodic wave via Solutions (55) with  $\lambda_{11} = 0.6i$ ,  $\lambda_{12} = 0.5i$ ,  $\lambda_{22} = 2i$ ,  $Q_1 = 1$ ,  $Q_2 = -2.5$ ,  $B_1 = 2$ ,  $B_2 = 2.2$  and  $\alpha = \gamma = u_0 = 1$ 

Expansions for the matrices in System (52) can be written as

$$\begin{pmatrix} R_{1} \\ R_{2} \\ u_{0} \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} R_{1}^{(00)} \\ R_{2}^{(00)} \\ u_{0}^{(00)} \\ c^{(00)} \\ c^{(00)} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} R_{1}^{(11)} \\ R_{2}^{(11)} \\ u_{0}^{(11)} \\ c^{(11)} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{1} + \begin{pmatrix} R_{1}^{(21)} \\ R_{2}^{(21)} \\ u_{0}^{(21)} \\ c^{(21)} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{2} + \begin{pmatrix} R_{1}^{(22)} \\ R_{2}^{(22)} \\ u_{0}^{(22)} \\ c^{(22)} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{2}^{2} + \begin{pmatrix} R_{1}^{(3)} \\ R_{2}^{(3)} \\ u_{0}^{(3)} \\ c^{(3)} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{1} \mathscr{I}_{2} \mathscr{I}_{3} \\ + o\left(\mathscr{I}_{1}^{r}, \mathscr{I}_{2}^{j}, \mathscr{I}_{3}^{l}\right), r + j + l \ge 3, \quad (57) \\ q = \begin{pmatrix} \rho_{1} \\ \rho_{1} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{1} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \rho_{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{2} + \begin{pmatrix} \rho_{3} \\ 0 \\ \rho_{2} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{2} + \begin{pmatrix} \rho_{3} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \rho_{5} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{1} \mathscr{I}_{2} \\ + \begin{pmatrix} \rho_{4} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \rho_{6} \end{pmatrix} \mathscr{I}_{1} \mathscr{I}_{2} \mathscr{I}_{3} + o\left(\mathscr{I}_{1}^{r}, \mathscr{I}_{2}^{j}, \mathscr{I}_{3}^{l}\right), \\ r + j + l \ge 3, \quad (58)$$

with

(56)

$$\begin{split} \beta_1 &= -288\pi^2(Q_1 - Q_2), \ \beta_2 &= -128\pi^6(Q_1 - Q_2)^6, \\ \beta_3 &= -288\pi^2(Q_1 + Q_2), \ \beta_4 &= -128\pi^6(Q_1 + Q_2)^6, \\ \rho_1 &= 8\pi^2 \left(16\pi^4 Q_1^6 - \alpha B_1^2 + 4\gamma \pi^2 Q_1^3 B_1\right), \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \rho_{2} &= 8\pi^{2} \left( 16\pi^{4} Q_{2}^{6} - \alpha B_{2}^{2} + 4\gamma \pi^{2} Q_{2}^{3} B_{2} \right), \\ \rho_{3} &= 32\pi^{2} \left( 256\pi^{4} Q_{1}^{6} - \alpha B_{1}^{2} + 16\gamma \pi^{2} Q_{1}^{3} B_{1} \right), \\ \rho_{4} &= 32\pi^{2} \left( 256\pi^{4} Q_{2}^{6} - \alpha B_{2}^{2} + 16\gamma \pi^{2} Q_{2}^{3} B_{2} \right), \\ \rho_{5} &= 8\pi^{2} \Big[ 16\pi^{4} (Q_{1} - Q_{2})^{6} - \alpha (B_{1} - B_{2})^{2} \\ &+ 4\gamma \pi^{2} (Q_{1} - Q_{2})^{3} (B_{1} - B_{2}) \Big], \\ \rho_{6} &= 8\pi^{2} \Big[ 16\pi^{4} (Q_{1} + Q_{2})^{6} - \alpha (B_{1} + B_{2})^{2} \\ &+ 4\gamma \pi^{2} (Q_{1} + Q_{2})^{3} (B_{1} + B_{2}) \Big], \end{split}$$
(59)

where  $o\left(\mathcal{J}_1^r, \mathcal{J}_2^j, \mathcal{J}_3^l\right)$  denotes the infinitely small quantity.

Substituting Eqs. (56), (58) and (57) into System (52) and comparing the same order of  $\mathcal{J}_1$ ,  $\mathcal{J}_2$  and  $\mathcal{J}_3$ , we can obtain

$$c^{(00)} = c^{(11)} = c^{(21)} = c^{(2)} = c^{(3)} = 0,$$
  

$$- 288\pi^2 Q_1 R_1^{(00)} - 128\pi^6 Q_1^6 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_1,$$
  

$$- 288\pi^2 Q_2 R_2^{(00)} - 128\pi^6 Q_2^6 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_2,$$
  

$$c^{(12)} - 1152\pi^2 Q_1 R_1^{(00)} - 8192\pi^6 Q_2^6 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_3,$$
  

$$c^{(22)} - 1152\pi^2 Q_2 R_2^{(00)} - 8192\pi^6 Q_2^6 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_4,$$
  

$$\beta_1 R_1^{(00)} - \beta_1 R_2^{(00)} + \beta_2 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_5,$$
  

$$\beta_3 R_1^{(00)} + \beta_3 R_2^{(00)} + \beta_4 u_0^{(00)} = \rho_6,$$
  

$$288\pi^2 Q_2 R_2^{(11)} + 128\pi^6 Q_2^6 u_0^{(11)} = 0,$$
  

$$288\pi^2 Q_1 R_1^{(11)} + 128\pi^6 Q_1^6 u_0^{(21)} = 0,$$
  

$$288\pi^2 Q_2 R_2^{(21)} + 128\pi^6 Q_2^6 u_0^{(21)} = 0.$$
  
(60)

Combining Eqs. (57) and (60), and taking  $u_0^{(00)} = 0$ , we can notice that

$$u_{0} = o\left(\mathscr{J}_{1}, \mathscr{J}_{2}\right) \to 0, \ c \to 0,$$

$$R_{1} = \frac{16\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{6} - \alpha B_{1}^{2} + 4\gamma \pi^{2}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}}{-36Q_{1}} + o\left(\mathscr{J}_{1}, \mathscr{J}_{2}\right)$$

$$\to \frac{16\pi^{4}Q_{1}^{6} - \alpha B_{1}^{2} + 4\gamma \pi^{2}Q_{1}^{3}B_{1}}{-36Q_{1}},$$

$$R_{2} = \frac{16\pi^{4}Q_{2}^{6} - \alpha B_{2}^{2} + 4\gamma \pi^{2}Q_{2}^{3}B_{2}}{-36Q_{2}} + o\left(\mathscr{J}_{1}, \mathscr{J}_{2}\right)$$

$$\to \frac{16\pi^{4}Q_{2}^{6} - \alpha B_{2}^{2} + 4\gamma \pi^{2}Q_{2}^{3}B_{2}}{-36Q_{2}}, \quad (61)$$

when  $(\mathcal{J}_1, \mathcal{J}_2) \to 0$ , and assuming that

$$u_{0} = 0, \ Q_{1} = \frac{k_{1} + k_{2}}{2i\pi}, \ Q_{2} = \frac{k_{3} + k_{4}}{2i\pi},$$
  

$$B_{1} = \frac{5k_{1}^{3} + 5k_{2}^{3}}{2\gamma i\pi}, \ B_{2} = \frac{5k_{3}^{3} + 5k_{4}^{3}}{2\gamma i\pi},$$
  

$$\epsilon_{1} = \frac{-i\pi\lambda_{11} + \ln A_{1}}{2i\pi}, \ \epsilon_{2} = \frac{-i\pi\lambda_{22} + \ln A_{2}}{2i\pi},$$
  

$$\lambda_{12} = \frac{\ln A_{12}}{2i\pi}, \ \alpha = \frac{\gamma^{2}}{5},$$
(62)

where  $k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, A_1, A_2, A_{12}, \alpha$  and  $\gamma$  are determined by Eq. (20). We can rewrite Eq. (46) as

$$\vartheta(\zeta_{1},\zeta_{2},\lambda) = 1 + \left(e^{2\pi i\zeta_{1}} + e^{-2\pi i\zeta_{1}}\right)e^{i\pi\lambda_{11}} + \left(e^{2\pi i\zeta_{2}} + e^{-2\pi i\zeta_{2}}\right)e^{i\pi\lambda_{22}} + \left[e^{2\pi i(\zeta_{1}+\zeta_{2})} + e^{-2\pi i(\zeta_{1}+\zeta_{2})}\right] e^{i\pi(\lambda_{11}+2\lambda_{12}+\lambda_{22})} + \dots = 1 + A_{1}e^{\xi_{1}+\xi_{2}} + A_{2}e^{\xi_{3}+\xi_{4}} + A_{12}e^{\xi_{1}+\xi_{2}+\xi_{3}+\xi_{4}},$$
when  $(\mathcal{J}_{1},\mathcal{J}_{2}) \rightarrow 0.$  (63)

Thus, we notice that Two-Periodic Wave Solutions (55) approach to Two-Soliton Solutions (20) under the limiting conditions  $(\mathcal{J}_1, \mathcal{J}_2) \rightarrow 0$  [ $\mathcal{J}_1$  and  $\mathcal{J}_2$  are defined in (53)].

## 4 Conclusions

Fluid mechanics has the applications in a wide range of disciplines, such as oceanography, astrophysics, meteorology, and biomedical engineering. In this paper, we have investigated the (2 + 1)-dimensional gCDGKS equation, i.e., Eq. (1), in fluid mechanics. Based on the Pfaffian technique and Constraint (11) on the real constant  $\alpha$ , the *N*th-Order Pfaffian Solutions (16) have been obtained. One- and two-soliton solutions, i.e., Solutions (19) and (20), have been derived via the *N*th-Order Pfaffian Solutions (16). One- and two-periodic-wave solutions, i.e., Solutions (36) and (55), have been constructed via the Hirota–Riemann method. Results can be summarized as follows:

 Amplitude of the one soliton is irrelevant to the real constant γ, the velocity along the x direction of the one soliton is independent of γ, while the velocity along the y direction of the one soliton is proportional to γ;

- 2. We show the propagation of the one soliton in Fig. 1 and the interaction between the two solitons in Fig. 2, and found that the one soliton keeps its amplitude and velocity invariant during the propagation and total amplitude of the two solitons in the interaction region is lower than that of any soliton;
- 3. One-periodic wave has been viewed as a superposition of the overlapping solitary waves, placed one period apart, as shown in Fig. 3;
- 4. Periodic behaviors for the two-periodic wave have existed along the *x* and *y* directions, respectively, as depicted in Fig. 4;
- With the asymptotic behaviors of One-Periodic-Wave Solutions (36) and Two-Periodic-Wave Solutions (55), we have noticed that One-Periodic-Wave Solutions (36) approach to One-Soliton Solutions (19) under the limiting condition with respect to Δ in (33), i.e., Δ → 0, that Two-Periodic-Wave Solutions (55) approach to Two-Soliton Solutions (20) under the limiting conditions with respect to J<sub>1</sub> and J<sub>2</sub> in (53), i.e., (J<sub>1</sub>, J<sub>2</sub>) → 0.

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