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# Self-adjointness, Group Classification and Conservation Laws of an Extended Camassa-Holm Equation

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#### Abstract

In this paper, we prove that equation  $E \equiv u_t - u_{x^2_t} + u_x f(u) - au_x u_{x^2} - buu_{x^3} = 0$  is self-adjoint and quasi self-adjoint, then we construct conservation laws for this equation using its symmetries. We investigate a symmetry classification of this nonlinear third order partial differential equation, where *f* is smooth function on *u* and *a*, *b* are arbitrary constans. We find Three special cases of this equation, using the Lie group method.

**Keywords:** Lie symmetry analysis; Self-adjoint; Quasi self-adjoint; Conservation laws; Camassa-Holm equation; Degas peris-Procesi equation; Fornberg whitham equation; BBM equation

## Introduction

A new procedure for constructing conservation laws was developed by Ibragimov [1]. For Camassa-Holm equation are calculated in studies of Ibragimov, Khamitova and Valenti [2]. In this paper, we study the following third-order nonlinear equation

$$E = u_t - u_{2t} + u_x f - a u_x u_2 - b u u_3 = 0,$$
(1)

and we show that this equation is self-adjoint and quasi self-adjont. Therefore we find Lie symmetries and conservation laws. There are three cases to consider: 1)  $b \neq 0$ , a = arbitrary constant, 2) b = 0,  $a \neq 0$ , and 3) b = 0, a = 0. Clarkson, Mansfield and Priestly [3] are concerned with symmetry reductions of the non-linear third order partial differential equation given by  $u_{i} - \epsilon u_{x_{i}^{2}} + (k - u)u_{x} - uu_{x_{i}^{3}} - \beta u_{x_{i}^{2}}u_{x_{i}^{2}} = 0$ , where  $\epsilon$ , k, and  $\beta$  are arbitrary constants. Symmetry classification and conservation laws for higher order Camassa-Holm equation are calculated in framework of Nadjafikhah and Shirvani-Sh [4].

The special cases of (1) are:

Camassa-Holm (CH) equation  $u_t - u_{x^2_t} + (k+3u)u_x = uu_{x^3} + 2u_xu_{x^2}$ , *k*-arbitrary (real), describing the unidirectional propagation of shallow water waves over a flat bottom (let f = k + 3u, a = 2, b = 1 in (1).

Degas peris-Procesi (DP) equation  $u_t - u_{x^2t} + (k+4u)u_x = uu_{x^3} + 3u_xu_{x^2}$ , *k*-arbitrary (real), is another equation of this class (let f = k + 4u, a = 3, b = 1 in (1).

Fornberg Whitham (FW) equation  $u_t - u_{x^2_t} + (1+u)u_x = uu_{x^3} + 3u_xu_{x^2}$ , is another equation of this class (let f = 1 + u, a = 3, b = 1 in (1)).

BBM equation  $u_t - u_{x_t}^2 + u_x + (uu_x) = 0$ , is another equation of this class (let f = 1 + u, a = 0, b = 0 in (1)).

# Preliminaries

In this section, we recall the procedure in literature of Ibragimov [1]. Let us introduce the formal Lagrangian

$$L \equiv vE, \tag{2}$$

where v = v(t, x) is a new dependent variable.

We define the adjoint equation by 
$$E^* \equiv \frac{\partial L}{\partial u} = 0$$
. Here  
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial}{\partial u} - D_i \frac{\partial}{\partial u_i} + D_i D_j \frac{\partial}{\partial u_{ij}} - D_i D_j D_k \frac{\partial}{\partial u_{ijk}} + \cdots \qquad i, j, k = 1, 2,$ 

is the variational derivative and D<sub>i</sub> is the operator of total differentiation.

An equation E = 0 is said to be self-adjoint [5] if the equation obtained from the adjoint equation by substitution v = u is identical with the original equation.

An equation E = 0 is said to be quasi-self-adjoint [5] if there exists a function  $v = \varphi(u)$ ,  $\varphi'(u) \neq 0$  such that  $E^*|_{v=\varphi(u)} = \lambda E$  with an undetermined coefficient  $\lambda$ . Eq.(1) is said to have a nonlocal conservation law if there exits a vector  $C = (C^1, C^2)$  satisfying the equation

$$D_t(C^1) + D_x(C^2) = 0, (3)$$

on any solution of the system of differential equations comprising (*E*) and the adjoint equation (*E*'). We say that orginal equation has a local conservation law if (3) is satisfied on any solution of Eq.(1). In studies of Ibragimov [1], the conserved vector associated with the Lie point symmetry  $v = \xi^{1}(x,t,u)\partial_{x} + \xi^{2}(x,t,u)\partial_{t} + \phi(x,t,u)\partial_{u}$  is obtained by the following formula :

$$C^{i} = \xi^{i}L + W[\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{i}} - D_{j}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{ij}}) + D_{j}D_{k}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{ijk}})] + D_{j}(W)[\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{ijk}} - D_{k}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{ijk}})] + D_{j}D_{k}(W)\frac{\partial L}{\partial u_{ijk}}, \qquad (4)$$

where *i*, *j*, *k* = 1,2 and  $W = \phi - \xi^{i} u_{i}$ . (Here  $\partial_{x}$  means  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}$ ).

We recall the general procedure for determining symmetries for an arbitrary system of partial differential equations [6]. Let us consider the general system of a nonlinear system of partial differential equations of order n, containing p independent and q dependent variables is given as follows

$$\Delta_{\nu}(x, u^{(n)}) = 0, \qquad \nu = 1, \cdots, l, \tag{5}$$

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involving  $x = (x^1, \dots, x^p)$ ,  $u = (u^1, \dots, u^q)$  and the derivatives of u with respect to x up to n, where  $u^{(n)}$  represents all the derivatives of u of all orders from 0 to n. We consider a one-parameter Lie group of transformations acting on the variables of system (5):  $\overline{x_i} = x^i + \epsilon \xi^i(x, u) + O(\epsilon^2)$ ,  $\overline{u_j} = u^j + \epsilon \phi^j(x, u) + O(\epsilon^2)$ , where  $i=1, \dots, p, j=1, \dots, q, \xi^i, \phi^j$  are the infinitesimal of the transformations for the independent and dependent variables, respectively, and  $\epsilon$  is the transformation parameter. We consider the general vector field v as the infinitesimal generator associated with the above group  $v = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \xi^i(x, u) \partial_{x^i} + \sum_{j=1}^{q} \phi^j(x, u) \partial_{u^j}$ . A symmetry of a differential equation is a transformation, which maps solutions of the equation to other solutions. The invariance of the system (5) under the infinitesimal transformation leads to the invariance conditions. (Theorem 2.36 of studies of Olver [6], Theorem 6.5 of literature of Olver [7]).

$$v^{n}[\Delta_{v}(x,u^{n})] = 0, \quad \Delta_{v}(x,u^{n}) = 0, \quad v = 1, \cdots, r,$$
 (6)

where  $v^n$  is called the  $n^{th}$  order prolongation of the infinitesimal generator given by  $v^n = v + \sum_{j=1}^q \sum_k \phi_k^j(x, u^{(n)}) \partial_{u_k^j}$ , where  $k = (i_1, \dots i_{\alpha}), 1 \le i_{\alpha} \le p, 1 \le \alpha \le n$ , and the sum is over all *k*'s of order  $0 < \#k \le n$ . If  $\#k = \alpha$ , the coeficent  $\phi_k^j$  of  $\partial_{u_k^j}$ , will depend only on  $\alpha$ 'th and lower order derivatives of *u* and  $\phi_k^j(x, u^n) = D_k(\phi_j - \sum_{i=1}^p (\xi^i u_i^j)) + \sum_{i=1}^p \xi^i u_{k,i}^j$ , where  $u_i^j := \partial u^j / \partial x^i$  and  $u_{k,i}^j := \partial u_k^j / \partial x^i$ .

# Adjoint Equation and Classical Symmetry Method

Formal Lagrangian for Eq. (1) is  

$$L = vE = v[u_t - u_{x^2t} + u_x f - au_x u_{x^2} - buu_{x^3}].$$

Therefore, the adjoint equation 
$$E^*$$
 to Eq. (1) is

$$fv_{x} + v_{t} + au_{x^{2}}v_{x} + au_{x}v_{xx} = 3bu_{x^{2}}v_{x} + 3bu_{x}v_{xx} + buv_{xxx} + v_{xxt}.$$
(8)

Upon setting v = u it becomes

 $u_{t} = u_{x^{2}_{t}} - u_{x}f - 2au_{x}u_{x^{2}} + 6bu_{x}u_{x^{2}} + buu_{x^{3}}.$ 

Hence, Eq. (1) is self-adjoint if and only if it has the form

$$a = 2b.$$

Consider again Eq. (1), and substitute

$$\begin{split} v &= \varphi(u), \qquad v_t = \varphi' u_t, \\ v_x &= \varphi' u_x, \qquad v_{xx} = \varphi' u_{x^2} + \varphi'' u_x^2 \\ v_{xxx} &= \varphi' u_{x^3} + 3\varphi'' u_x u_{x^2} + \varphi''' u_x^3, \end{split}$$

$$v_{xxt} = \varphi' u_{x^{2}t} + \varphi'' u_{t} u_{x^{2}} + \varphi''' u_{x}^{2} u_{t} + 2\varphi'' u_{x} u_{xt},$$

in the adjoint equation (8), then

 $-f\phi' u_{x} - \phi' u_{t} - 2a\phi' u_{x} u_{x^{2}} - a\phi'' u_{x}^{3} + 6b\phi' u_{x} u_{x^{2}}$ +3b\alpha'' u^{3} + b\alpha' u\_{u} + 3b\alpha'' u\_{u} u\_{x} + b\alpha''' u\_{u}^{3}

$$+ \sigma u_{x} + \sigma$$

$$= \lambda (u_t - u_{2} + u_x f - au_x u_2 - buu_3).$$

$$a = 2b, v = -\lambda u + \varepsilon \tag{10}$$

In this section, we will perfom Lie group method for Eq. (1) on  $(x^1 = x, x^2 = t, u^1 = u), (\tilde{x}, \tilde{t}, \tilde{u}) = (x, t, u) + \epsilon (\xi(x, t, u), \tau(x, t, u), \phi(x, t, u)) + O(\epsilon^2)$ ,

where  $\varepsilon \leq 1$  the group parameter and  $\xi^1 = \xi$ ,  $\xi^2 = \tau$  and  $\phi^1 = \phi$  are the infinitesimals of the transformations for the independent and dependent variables respectively. The associated vector fields is of the form  $v = \xi(x,t,u)\partial_x + \tau(x,t,u)\partial_t + \phi(x,t,u)\partial_u$  and the third porolongation of v is the vector field

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$$v^{(3)} = v + \phi^x \partial_{u_x} + \phi' \partial_{u_t} + \phi^{x^2} \partial_{u_{x^2}} + \phi^{xt} \partial u_{xt} + \dots + \phi^{tt} \partial u_{tt},$$
  
with coefficent

$$\phi^{k} = D_{k}(\phi - \sum_{i=1}^{k} \xi^{i} u_{i}^{j}) + \sum_{i=1}^{k} \xi^{i} u_{k,i},$$
(11)

where  $D_k$  is the total derivative with respect to independent variables. The invariance condition (6) for Eq. (1) is given by,

$$v^{(3)}[u_t - u_{x^2t} + u_x f - a u_x u_{x^2} - a u u_{x^3}] = 0,$$
(12)

whenever E = 0. The condition (12) is equivalent to

$$\phi^{t} - bu_{3}\phi + (f - au_{2})\phi^{x} - au_{x}\phi^{x^{2}} - bu\phi^{x^{3}} - \phi^{x^{2}t} = 0,$$
(13)

whenever E = 0. Substituting (11) into (13), yields the determining equations. There are three cases to consider:

## *a* and $b \neq 0$ are arbitrary constants

In this case, complete set of determining equation is:

$$\tau_u = 0, \tag{15}$$

$$\tau_x = 0, \tag{16}$$

$$\phi_{u^2} = 0,$$
 (17)

$$a\phi_{ux^2} + a\phi_u + a\tau_t - 3a\xi_x = 0, \tag{18}$$

$$\xi_{x^2} - 2\phi_{ux} = 0, \tag{19}$$

$$3bu\phi_{ux} + a\phi_x - 3b\xi_{2}u + 2\xi_{xt} + \phi_{ut} = 0,$$
(20)

$$2\xi_x - \phi_{ux^2} = 0, (21)$$

$$\xi_t - b\phi_x - \phi_{ux^2} - bu\tau_t + 3bu\xi_x = 0,$$
(22)

$$a\xi_{x^2}u - 2a\phi_{ux} = 0, (23)$$

$$\xi_{x^{2}_{t}} + bu\xi_{x^{3}} + \phi f_{u} + \phi_{ux^{2}}f + f\xi_{x} + \tau_{t}f = a\phi_{x^{2}} + \xi_{t} + 2\phi_{xtu} + 3bu\phi_{ux^{2}},$$
(24)

$$bu\phi_{x^3} + \phi_t + \phi_x f - \phi_{x^2_t} = 0.$$
(25)

With substituting (14) - (17) into (18) - (23) we have

$$\phi = c_1 + \frac{1}{h}\alpha'(t), \quad \tau = -c_1 t + c_2, \quad \xi = \alpha(t).$$
(26)

With substituting (26) into (24) – (25) we have

$$= -1 + K(bu + 1),$$
 (27)

where  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and K are arbitrary constants. With substituting (27) into determining system, we have

$$\phi = \frac{-c_1(bu+1)}{b}, \quad \tau = c_1 t + c_2, \quad \xi = -c_1 t + c_3,$$

where  $c_i$ , i = 1,2,3 are arbitrary constants.

**Theorem 3.1.1.** Infinitesimal generators of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case are:

$$v_1 = -t\partial_x + t\partial_t - \frac{(bu+1)}{b}\partial_u, \quad v_2 = \partial_t, \quad v_3 = \partial_x.$$

We want to construct the conservation law associated with the symmetry

$$v_1 = -t\partial_x + t\partial_t - \frac{(bu+1)}{b}\partial_u.$$

(7)

(9)

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#### We have

 $W = -u - \frac{1}{b} - tu_{t} + tu_{x}.$ (28) The right-hand side of (4) is written  $C^{1} = W(v - D_{x}^{2}(v)) + (D_{x}W)(D_{x}v) - D_{x}^{2}(W)v,$   $C^{2} = W[vf - avu_{x^{2}} + D_{x}(avu_{x}) - D_{x}^{2}(buv) - 2D_{t}D_{x}(v)]$   $+ D_{x}(W)[-avu_{x} + D_{x}(buv) + D_{t}(v)] + D_{t}(W)[D_{x}(v)]$   $-2D_{x}D_{t}(W)[v] - D_{x}^{2}(W)[buv].$ 

We eliminate the term  $\xi$  *<sup>i</sup>L* since the Lagrangian *L* is equal to zero on solution of Eq.(1). Substituting in (29), the expression (7) for *L* and (28) for *W*, we obtain

$$C^{1} = -uv - \frac{1}{b}v - tu_{t}v + tu_{x}v + uv_{xx} + \frac{1}{b}v_{xx} + tu_{t}v_{xx} - tu_{x}v_{xx}$$

$$-u_{x}v_{x} - tu_{xt}v_{x} + tv_{x}u_{x^{2}} + u_{x^{2}}v + tu_{x^{2}}v - tu_{x^{3}}v,$$
(30)
and
$$C^{2} = -u(vf - bvu_{x^{2}} - buv_{xx} - 2v_{xt})$$

$$-(b^{-1}(vf - bvu_{x^{2}} - buv_{xx} - 2v_{xt}))$$

$$-tu_{t}(vf - bvu_{x^{2}} - buv_{xx} - 2v_{xt}) + tu_{x}(vf - bvu_{x^{2}} - buv_{xx} - 2v_{xt}) - u_{x}(buv_{x} - bvu_{x} + v_{t}) - (tu_{xt})(buv_{x} - bvu_{x} + v_{t}) + (tu_{x^{2}})(buv_{x} - bvu_{x} + v_{t}) - 2u_{t}v_{x} - tu_{x^{2}}v_{x} + u_{x}v_{x} + tu_{xt}v_{x} + buvu_{x^{2}} + tbuvu_{x^{2}t} - tbuvu_{x^{3}}$$

$$+4u_{xt}v + 2tu_{xt^2}v - 2u_{x^2}v - 2u_{x^2t}v.$$
(31)

We can eliminate  $u_i$  by using Eq.(1) and then substitute in (30) and (31) the expression v = u, therefore arrive at the conserved vector with the following components:

$$C^{1} = \frac{-1}{b} (t(2bu_{x}u_{x^{2}} + buu_{x^{3}} - u_{x}f + u_{x^{2}t})ub$$

$$-t(2bu_{x}u_{x^{2}} + buu_{x^{3}} - u_{x}f + u_{x^{2}t})u_{x^{2}}b - tu_{x}ub$$

$$+tu_{xt}u_{x}b + tu_{x^{3}}ub - tu_{x^{2}t}ub + u^{2}b - 2uu_{x^{2}}b + u_{x}^{2}b + u - u_{x^{2}}),$$

$$C^{2} = -u(uf - 2buu_{xx} - 2u_{xt}) - (b^{-1}(uf - 2buu_{xx} - 2u_{xt}))$$

$$-t(2bu_{x}u_{x^{2}} + buu_{x^{3}} - u_{x}f + u_{x^{2}t})(uf - 2buu_{xx} - 2u_{xt})$$

$$+tu_{x}(uf - 2buu_{xx} - 2u_{xt}) - u_{x}(u_{t}) - tu_{xt}(u_{t})$$

$$+(tu_{x^{2}})(u_{t}) - 2(2bu_{x}u_{x^{2}} + buu_{x^{3}} - u_{x}f + u_{x^{2}t})u_{x}$$

$$-tu_{t^{2}}u_{x} + u_{xt} + tu_{xt}u_{x} + bu^{2}u_{x^{2}} + tbu^{2}u_{x^{2}t} - tbu^{2}u_{x^{3}} + 4u_{xt}u$$

$$+2tu_{x^{2}}u - 2uu_{x^{2}} - 2u_{x^{2}t}u.$$
Where  $f = -1 + K(bu + 1)$ .

## *a* is an arbitrary nonzero constant and b = 0.

In this case Eq.(1) is not self adjoint because  $a \neq 2b$ . Complete set of determining equation is:

 $\phi_{uu} = 0, \tag{33}$ 

 $\xi_{\mu} = 0, \tag{34}$ 

$\xi_t = 0,$	(35)
$\tau_u = 0,$	(36)

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$$\tau_x = 0, \tag{37}$$

$$3a\xi_x = a\phi_{ux^2} + a\tau_t - a\phi_u, \tag{38}$$

$$\phi_{ut} + a\phi_x = 0, \tag{39}$$

$$-2\phi_{\mu\nu} + \xi_{\chi^2} = 0, \tag{40}$$

$$2\xi_x - \phi_{ux^2} = 0, (41)$$

$$a\xi_{x^2} - 2a\phi_{ux} = 0, (42)$$

$$\tau_{t}f + \phi f_{u} + \phi_{ux^{2}}f = 2\phi_{uxt} + f\xi_{x} + a\phi_{x^{2}}, \qquad (43)$$

$$+\phi_x f = \phi_{x^2_t}.$$
 (44)

Now, by considering Eq. (33) – (42) it is not to hard to find that the components  $\xi$ ,  $\tau$  and  $\varphi$  of infinitesimal generators become

$$\phi = u \frac{dF_1(t)}{dt} - \frac{x}{a} \frac{d^2F_1(t)}{dt^2} + F_2(t), \quad \tau = -F_1(t) + c_2, \quad \xi = c_1.$$
(45)

To find complete solution of the above system, we consider Eq. (43) and  $l = \dim \text{Spam}_{\wp} \{f_{,s}, f_s\}$ . Three general cases are possible:

3.2.i) l = 1, then f = constant; 3.2.ii) l = 2, then  $f_u = \alpha f + \beta$ ;

φ,

3.3.iii) l = 3, then  $\alpha f_u + \beta f + \gamma \neq 0$ ,  $\alpha \neq 0$ .

**Case 3.2.i).** With substituting f = constant in determining system (33)-(44), we have  $\varphi = c_1$ ,  $\tau = c_2$ ,  $\xi = c_3$ , where  $c_i$ , i = 1,2,3 are arbitrary constants.

**Theorem 3.2.1.** Infinitesimal generators of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case are:

$$v_1 = \partial_x, \quad v_2 = \partial_t, \quad v_3 = \partial_u.$$

**Case 3.2.ii).** With integrating from  $f_u = \alpha f + \beta$  with respect to *u*, we obtain

$$f = \frac{-\beta}{\alpha} + Ce^{\alpha u},\tag{46}$$

where C is an integrating constant. With substituting (46) into Eq. (43)-(44) and Eq. (45), we have

$$\xi = c_1, \qquad \tau = -c_1 t, \qquad \phi = \frac{c_1 (C\alpha - e^{-\alpha u} \beta)}{C\alpha^2}. \tag{47}$$

**Theorem 3.2.2.** Infinitesimal generator of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case is:

$$v = \partial_x - t\partial_t + \frac{C\alpha - e^{-\alpha u}\beta}{C\alpha^2}\partial_u.$$
(48)

**Case 3.2.iii).** The Eq. (43) leads to  $\varphi = 0$ ,  $\tau = c_1$ ,  $\xi = c_2$ .

**Theorem 3.2.3.** Infinitesimal generators of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case are:

$$v_1 = \partial_t, \quad v_2 = \partial_x.$$

$$b = 0, a = 0.$$

Complete set of determining equation is

$$\xi_u = 0, \tag{49}$$

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$$\xi_t = 0, \tag{50}$$

$$\tau_u = 0, \tag{51}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\phi_x &= 0, \\
\phi_y &= 0
\end{aligned}$$
(52)

$$\phi_{uu} = 0,$$
 (54)

$$\phi_{_{ux^2}} = 2\xi_x,\tag{55}$$

$$2\phi_{ux} = \xi_{x^2},\tag{56}$$

 $\phi_t + f\phi_x = \phi_{x^{2_t}},$ (57)

$$f\tau_t + f\xi_x + \phi f_u = 0. \tag{58}$$

To find a complete solution of the above system we consider Eq. (58) and with assumption  $f/f_{\mu} \neq 0$  we rewrite:

$$\phi = \frac{-J}{f_u} (\tau_i + \xi_x).$$
(59)  
Two general cases are possible:  
3.3.i)  $\frac{f}{f_u} = c,$  3.3.ii)  $\frac{f}{f_u} = h(u),$ 

where *c* is constant.

# Case 3.3.i).

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With integrating from  $f/f_u \neq c$  with respect to *u*, we have

$$f = Le^{u/c},\tag{60}$$

where L is an integrating constant. Then the Eq. (58) reduce to

$$\phi = -c(\tau_t + \xi_x). \tag{61}$$

With substituting Eq. (61) into determining equation, we have

$$\xi = c_1, \quad \tau = c_2 t + c_3, \quad \phi = -cc_2, \tag{62}$$

where  $c_i$ , i = 1,2,3 are arbitrary constants.

Theorem 3.3.1. Infinitesimal generators of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case are:

 $v_1 = t\partial_t - c\partial_u, \quad v_2 = \partial_t, \quad v_3 = \partial_x.$ 

We want to construct the conservation law associated with the symmetry

$$v_1 = t\partial_t - c\partial_u$$
.

We have

(63)  $W = -c - tu_{\star}$ 

The right-hand side of (4) is written

$$C^{1} = W(v - v_{xx}) + (D_{x}(W))[v_{x}] - D_{x}^{2}(W)[v],$$
(64)

$$C^{2} = W[vf - 2v_{xt}] + D_{x}(W)[v_{t}] + D_{t}(W)[v_{x}] - 2D_{x}D_{t}(W)[v].$$
(65)

Substituting in (64) and (65), the expression (7) for L and (63) for W, we obtain

$$C^{1} = -cv + cv_{xx} - tvu_{t} + tv_{xx}u_{t} - tv_{x}u_{tx} + tvu_{txx},$$
(66)

 $C^2 = -cvf - u_tv_r + 2cv_{rt} - tu_{rt}v_t$ 

 $-tv_{x}u_{2} - tvfu_{t} + 2vu_{tx} + 2tu_{2}v + 2tu_{t}v_{xt}.$ (67)

We can eliminate  $u_i$  by using Eq. (1) and obtain

 $C^{1} = -cv + cv_{xx} + tvfu_{x} + tv_{xx}u_{2t} - tfv_{xx}u_{x} - tv_{x}u_{tx},$ (68)

$$C^{2} = -u_{x^{2}t}v_{x} + fu_{x}v_{x} + 2cv_{xt} - tu_{xt}v_{t} - tv_{x}u_{t^{2}} - tvfu_{x^{2}t} + tvf^{2}u_{x}$$

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$$+2vu_{xx} + 2tu_{x2}v - cvf + 2tv_{xt}u_{xxt} - 2tfu_{x}v_{xt}.$$
(69)

Now, we substitute in (68) and (??) the expression v = u, therefore arrive at the conserved vector with the following components:

$$C^{1} = -cu + cu_{x^{2}} + tufu_{x} + tu_{x^{2}}u_{x^{2}t} - tfu_{x^{2}}u_{x} - tu_{x}u_{tx},$$
(70)

$$C^{2} = -cuf - u_{x^{2}t}u_{x} + fu_{x}^{2} + 2cu_{xt} - tu_{x}u_{t} - tu_{x}u_{t^{2}} + 2tu_{x}u_{xxt}$$
$$-2ftu_{x}u_{xt} - tufu_{x^{2}t} + tuf^{2}u_{x} + 2uu_{tx} + 2tu_{x^{2}}u_{t},$$
(71)

where  $f = Le^{u/c}$ .

Case 3.3.ii). By considering Eq. (49) - (54), we find that the components  $\xi$ ,  $\tau$  and  $\varphi$  are  $\xi = \xi(x)$ ,  $\tau = \tau(t)$  and  $\phi = A(x)u + B(x,t)$ . By considering Eq. (55) and (56) we have

$$\xi = c_1 \exp 2x + c_2 \exp - 2x + c_3$$
,

$$4(x) = c_1 \exp 2x - c_2 \exp - 2x + c_4.$$

By considering Eq. (57) we have

$$\tau = ft^2 (2c_1 \exp 2x + 2c_2 \exp - 2x) + c_5 t + c_6,$$

where  $c_i$ , i = 1..6 are arbitrary constants.

From the following identity:

$$A(x)u + B(x,t) = \frac{-f}{f_u}(\tau_t + \xi_x),$$

we find that  $c_1 = c_2 = 0$  and  $\phi = -(f / f_u)c_5$ . Hence we have two particular cases:

$$\frac{f}{f_u} = Ku, \qquad \qquad \frac{f}{f_u} \neq Ku = g(u),$$

where K is an arbitrary nonzero constant. For the first case, we have

$$\xi = c_3, \quad \tau = c_5 t + c_6, \quad \phi = -Kuc_5,$$

and for the second case, we have

$$\xi = c_3, \quad \tau = c_6, \quad \phi = 0.$$

Theorem 3.2. Infinitesimal generators of every one parameter Lie group of point symmetries in this case, when  $f/f_u = Ku$  are

$$v_1 = \partial_x, \quad v_2 = \partial_t, \quad v_3 = t\partial_t - u\partial_u,$$
  
and when  $f / f_u \neq Ku = g(u)$  are

 $v_1 = \partial_x, \quad v_2 = \partial_t,$ 

where *K* is an arbitrary nonzero constant.

To construct the conservation law associated with the symmetry  $v = t\partial_t - u\partial_u$ , we find that  $W = -u - tu_t$ . Therefore, we have the conserved vector with the following components:

$$\begin{split} C^{1} &= -u^{2} + uu_{xx} - tuu_{xxt} + tfuu_{x} + tu_{xx}u_{xxt} \\ &- tfu_{x}u_{xx} - u_{x^{2}} - tu_{x}u_{xt} + uu_{xx} + tuu_{xxt}, \\ C^{2} &= -u^{2}f - tufu_{xxt} + tuf^{2}u_{x} + 2uu_{xt} + 2tu_{xxt}u_{xt} - 2ftu_{xt}u_{x} \\ &- u_{x}u_{t} - tu_{xt}u_{t} + 4u_{xt}u + 2tu_{ttx}u - 2u_{xxt}u_{x} + 2fu_{x}^{2} - 2u_{tt}u_{x}, \\ \end{split}$$
where  $f / f_{u} \neq Ku = g(u).$ 

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