

# 一类向量四阶非线性微分方程 边值问题的奇摄动

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## 摘 要

我们研究伴有边界摄动的向量边值问题:

$$\varepsilon^2 y^{(4)} = f(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (\mu < x < 1 - \mu)$$

$$y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_1(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_1(\varepsilon, \mu)$$

$$y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_2(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_2(\varepsilon, \mu)$$

其中  $y, f, A_j$  和  $B_j$  ( $j=1, 2$ ) 是  $n$  维向量函数和  $\varepsilon, \mu$  是两个正的小参数。虽然纯量边值问题曾有人研究过, 但这样的向量边值问题尚未被研究。在适当的假设下, 利用微分不等式方法, 我们找到向量边值问题的一个解和获得一致有效的渐近展开式。

## 一、引 言

我们考虑伴有边界摄动的向量四阶非线性微分方程边值问题:

$$\varepsilon^2 y^{(4)} = f(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (\mu < x < 1 - \mu) \quad (1.1)$$

$$y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_1(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_1(\varepsilon, \mu) \quad (1.2)$$

$$y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_2(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_2(\varepsilon, \mu) \quad (1.3)$$

其中  $\varepsilon, \mu$  是两个正的小参数, 对于  $y, f, A_j$  和  $B_j$  ( $j=1, 2$ ) 不依赖于  $\mu$  且是它们变元的纯量函数的情形, 这种边值问题 Howes<sup>[1]</sup> 已讨论过, 然而, 对于实值  $n$  维向量函数  $y = (y^1, y^2, \dots, y^n)$ ,  $f = (f^1, f^2, \dots, f^n)$ ,  $A_j = (A_j^1, A_j^2, \dots, A_j^n)$  和  $B_j = (B_j^1, B_j^2, \dots, B_j^n)$  ( $j=1, 2$ ), 且它们同时依赖于  $\varepsilon, \mu$  的这种向量边值问题似乎还无人问津。在这篇文章里, 我们使用微分不等式方法来讨论这个向量边值问题, 我们通过引入两个具有边界层性质的函数, 我们得到对于所求函数的每一个分量和它们在整个区间  $\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu$  上的二阶导数准确到任一精度的一致有效的渐近展开式。

## 二、构造形式解

首先, 我们定义区域:

$$D_\varepsilon = \{0 \leq x \leq 1, |y^i - Y_\mu^i| \leq d_\varepsilon^i(t)\}$$

$$|y^{i''} - Y_m^{i''}| \leq d_2^i(t), \quad 0 \leq \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_1, \quad 0 \leq \mu \leq \mu_1$$

其中  $\varepsilon_1 > 0$ ,  $\mu_1 > 0$  为常数, 而  $Y_m^i$  稍后给出, 每一个  $d_j^i(x)$  ( $j=1, 2$ ) 为一个光滑的正函数, 使得在  $[0, 0+\delta/2]$  中,  $d_j^i(x) = |A_j^i| + \delta$ ; 在  $[1-\delta/2, 1]$  中,  $d_j^i(x) = |B_j^i| + \delta$ ; 在  $[0+\delta, 1-\delta]$  中,  $d_j^i(x) \equiv \delta$  ( $0 < \delta < 1$ ).

现在我们构造原问题(1.1)~(1.3)的外解. 假设它的各分量有下列形式展开式

$$y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^s \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k y_{i-k,k}^i \quad (2.1)$$

其中  $y_{i-k,k}^i$  ( $k=0, 1, \dots, s$ ;  $s=0, 1, \dots$ ) 是待定函数. 其次, 我们假设退化问题

$$f(x, y, y'', 0, 0) = 0 \quad (0 < x < 1) \quad (2.2)$$

$$y(0, 0, 0) = A_1(0, 0), \quad y(1, 0, 0) = B_1(0, 0) \quad (2.3)$$

有一个解  $y_{0,0}(x) = (y_{0,0}^1(x), y_{0,0}^2(x), \dots, y_{0,0}^i(x), \dots, y_{0,0}^n(x)) \in C^{(4)}[0, 1]$  使得, 对于  $[0, 1]$  中的  $x$  和  $D_j$  ( $j \neq i$ ) 中的所有  $y^j$ , 有

$$f^i(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}''', 0, 0) = 0, \quad y_{0,0}^i(0) = A_1^i(0, 0), \quad y_{0,0}^i(1) = B_1^i(0, 0).$$

其中  $y_{y_{0,0}^i} = (y^1, \dots, y_{0,0}^i, \dots, y^n)$ ,  $y_{y_{0,0}^i}''' = (y^{1''}, \dots, y_{0,0}^{i''}, \dots, y^{n''})$ . 这个假设具有把向量二阶系统分解成  $n$  个二阶纯量方程的作用, 使得纯量理论的方法能够应用于估计每一个分量(参看文[2]). 最后, 我们假设已知函数  $f(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu)$ ,  $A_j(\varepsilon, \mu)$ ,  $B_j(\varepsilon, \mu)$  ( $j=1, 2$ ), 全都有分别关于变量的连续偏导数直到  $(m+1)$  阶且存在  $n$  个正常数  $m_i$  ( $i=1, 2, \dots, n$ ), 使得

$$f_{y_{i''}}^i(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \geq m_i \quad (2.4)$$

于是

$$f^i(x, y_{y^i}, y_{y^i}''', \varepsilon, \mu) \equiv F^i(\varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s F_{s-k,k}^i \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + r^i \quad (2.5)$$

$$A_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s A_{j,s-k,k}^i \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + r_{j_1}^i \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (2.6)$$

$$B_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s B_{j,s-k,k}^i \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + r_{j_2}^i \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (2.7)$$

其中

$$F_{0,0}^i = F^i(0, 0) = f^i(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}''', 0, 0) \quad (2.8)$$

$$F_{s-k,k}^i = \frac{1}{(s-k)!k!} \left. \frac{\partial^s F^i}{\partial \varepsilon^{s-k} \partial \mu^k} \right|_{\varepsilon=\mu=0} = \frac{\partial f^i}{\partial y_{i''}^{s-k,k}}(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}''', 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}^{i''} + \frac{\partial f^i}{\partial y^i}(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}''', 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}^i + C_{s-k,k}^i(x) \quad (i=1, 2, \dots, n) \quad (2.9)$$

$$A_{j,s-k,k}^i = \frac{1}{(s-k)!k!} \left. \frac{\partial^s A_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu)}{\partial \varepsilon^{s-k} \partial \mu^k} \right|_{\varepsilon=\mu=0} \quad (j=1, 2; \quad k=0, 1, \dots, s; \quad s=0, 1, \dots, m) \quad (2.10)$$

$$B_{j,s-k,k}^i = \frac{1}{(s-k)!k!} \left. \frac{\partial^s B_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu)}{\partial \varepsilon^{s-k} \partial \mu^k} \right|_{\varepsilon=\mu=0} \quad (j=1, 2; \quad k=0, 1, \dots, s; \quad s=0, 1, \dots, m) \quad (2.11)$$

$r^i = r^i_{j,l} = O\left(\sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s\right) \quad (j, l=1, 2; 0 < \varepsilon, \mu \ll 1)$ ; 而  $C^i_{s-k,k}(x)$  可以通过  $x$  和  $y^i_{j,k}$ ,

$y^i_{j,l}'' (0 \leq l \leq s-k-1; 0 \leq t \leq k-1)$  逐次得到, 我们略去详细过程.

同样地, 上面的符号显而易见也适合于其它的展开式.

将(2.1)代入(1.1)的第  $i$  个分量, 我们有

$$\varepsilon^2 \frac{d^4 y^i}{dx^4} = f^i(x, y_{y^i}, y_{y^i}''', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (2.12)$$

从(2.5), (2.8)和(2.9), 合并  $\varepsilon, \mu$  的同次幂的项且令其系数等于零, 我们有

$$f^i(x, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}''', 0, 0) = 0,$$

$$\begin{aligned} f^i_{y^i_{0,0}'''}(x, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}''', 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}'' + f^i_{y^i_{0,0}}(x, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}''', 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}^i \\ + c^i_{s-k,k}(x) = y_{s-k-2,k}^{i(4)} \quad (k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=1, 2, \dots, m) \end{aligned} \quad (2.13)$$

前面和下面带有负下标的量都认为是零. 为了从(2.13)得到  $y_{s-k,k}^i(x)$ , 我们需要适当的边界条件  $y_{s-k,k}^i(0)$  和  $y_{s-k,k}^i(1)$ , 它们将在下面给出. 将  $y_{s-k,k}^i(x)$  代入(2.1), 我们得到问题(1.1)~(1.3)的外解的每一个分量的  $m$  阶近似式. 显然, 它关于  $x$  的二阶导数一般地不可能满足边界条件(1.3). 因此, 我们将分别在  $x=\mu$  和  $x=1-\mu$  附近构造具有边界性质的函数.

首先, 我们在  $x=\mu$  附近构造具有边界层性质的函数  $U^i(t, \varepsilon, \mu)$ , 令

$$Y^i = y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) + U^i(t, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (t = (x-\mu)/\varepsilon) \quad (2.14)$$

其中  $t$  是一个伸展变量. 我们假设  $U^i(t, \varepsilon, \mu)$  有下列的形式展开式:

$$U^i(t, \varepsilon, \mu) = \varepsilon^2 \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^s u^i_{s-k,k} \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k \quad (2.15)$$

将  $Y^i$  代入(1.1)的第  $i$  个分量, 我们有

$$\varepsilon^2 \frac{d^4 Y^i}{dt^4} = f^i(x, y_{Y^i}, y_{Y^i}''', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (2.16)$$

从(2.1)和(2.12), (2.15), 我们得到

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon^{-2} \frac{d^4 U^i}{dt^4} &= f^i(\mu + \varepsilon t, y_{y^i} + U^i, y_{y^i}'' + \varepsilon^{-2} U^i''', \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &\quad - f^i(\mu + \varepsilon t, y_{y^i}, y_{y^i}''', \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &\equiv \bar{F}^i(\varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \bar{F}^i_{s-k,k} \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + \bar{r}^i \end{aligned} \quad (2.17)$$

其中

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{F}^i_{0,0} &= \bar{F}^i(0, 0) = f^i(0, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}'' + u_{0,0}''', 0, 0) - f^i(0, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}''', 0, 0) \\ &= f^i_{y^i_{0,0}'''}(0, y_{y^i_{0,0}}, y_{y^i_{0,0}}'' + \theta_1 u_{0,0}''', 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{0,0}^i}{dt^2} \quad (0 < \theta_1 < 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{F}_{s-k,k}^i &= \frac{1}{(s-k)!k!} \left. \frac{\partial^s \bar{F}^i}{\partial \varepsilon^{s-k} \partial \mu^k} \right|_{s=\mu=0} \\ &= f_{y^{i''}}^i(0, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{s-k,k}^{i''}}{dt^2} + \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(t) \end{aligned}$$

而  $\bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  是由  $t$  和  $y_{i,\tau}^i$  ( $0 \leq l \leq s-k$ ,  $0 \leq \tau \leq k$ ),  $u_{p,q}^i$  ( $0 \leq p \leq s-k-1$ ,  $0 \leq q \leq k$ ) 的多项式逐次得到. 令  $\varepsilon, \mu$  的同次幂系数相等, 将产生

$$\frac{d^4 u_{0,0}^{i''}}{dt^4} = f_{y^{i''}}^i(0, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + \theta_1 u_{0,0,i}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{0,0}^{i''}}{dt^2} \quad (0 < \theta_1 < 1) \quad (2.18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^4 u_{s-k,k}^{i''}}{dt^4} &= f_{y^{i''}}^i(0, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{s-k,k}^{i''}}{dt^2} + \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(t), \\ &(k=0, 1, \dots, s; \quad s=1, 2, \dots, m) \end{aligned} \quad (2.19)$$

为了从(2.18), (2.19)逐次解出  $u_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  ( $k=0, 1, \dots, s$ ;  $s=0, 1, \dots, m$ ), 我们将在

下面给出  $u_{s-k,k}^i$  的适当的初始条件.

其次, 我们在  $x=1-\mu$  附近构造具有边界层性质的函数  $V^i(\tau, \varepsilon, \mu)$ , 设

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{Y}^i &= Y^i + V^i = Y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) + U^i(t, \varepsilon, \mu) + V^i(\tau, \varepsilon, \mu) \\ \tau &= (1-\mu-x)/\varepsilon \end{aligned} \quad (2.20)$$

其中  $\tau$  也是一个伸展变量. 我们假设  $V^i(\tau, \varepsilon, \mu)$  有下列的形式展开式:

$$V^i(\tau, \varepsilon, \mu) = \varepsilon^2 \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^s v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau) \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k \quad (2.21)$$

将  $\bar{Y}^j$  代入方程(1.1)的第  $i$  个分量, 我们有

$$\varepsilon^2 \frac{d^4 \bar{Y}^i}{dx^4} = f^i(x, y_{\bar{Y}^i}, y_{\bar{Y}^i}''', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (2.22)$$

从(2.1), (2.15), (2.16)和(2.21), 我们得到

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon^{-2} \frac{d^4 V^j}{d\tau^4} &= f^i(1-\mu-\varepsilon\tau, y_{y^i+u^i+v^i}, y_{y^i''+ \varepsilon^{-2}(u_{i''}^i+v_{i''}^i)}, \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &\quad - f^i(1-\mu-\varepsilon\tau, y_{y^i+u^i}, y_{y^i''+ \varepsilon^{-2}u_{i''}^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &\equiv \bar{F}^i(\varepsilon, \mu) = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \bar{F}_{s-k,k}^i \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + \bar{r}_{s-k,k}^i \end{aligned} \quad (2.23)$$

其中

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{F}_{0,0}^i &\equiv \bar{F}^i(0, 0) = f^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''} + v_{0,0,\tau}^{i''}, 0, 0) \\ &\quad - f^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''}, 0, 0) \\ &= f_{y^{i''}}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''} + \theta_2 v_{0,0,\tau}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{0,0}^{i''}}{d\tau^2} \quad (0 < \theta_2 < 1); \\ \bar{F}_{s-k,k}^i &= \frac{1}{(s-k)!k!} \left. \frac{\partial^s \bar{F}^j}{\partial \varepsilon^{s-k} \partial \mu^k} \right|_{s=\mu=0} \\ &= f_{y^{i''}}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0,i}^{i''} + v_{0,0,\tau}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{s-k,k}^{i''}}{d\tau^2} + \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(\tau), \\ &(k=0, 1, \dots, s; \quad s=1, 2, \dots, m) \end{aligned}$$

而  $\bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$  是由  $\tau, y_{i,k}^i, u_{i,k}^i$  ( $0 \leq l, k \leq s$ ) 和  $v_{i,k}^i$  ( $0 \leq l, k \leq s-1$ ) 的多项式逐次确定的.

在这里我们假设了  $v_{i,k}^i$  是具有边界层性质的函数. 令  $\varepsilon, \mu$  的同次幂相等, 我们有

$$\frac{d^4 v_{0,0}^i}{d\tau^4} = f_{y''}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0}^i + \theta_2 u_{0,0}^i, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{0,0}^i}{d\tau^2} \quad (2.24)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^4 v_{s-k,k}^i}{d\tau^4} &= f_{y''}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}'' + u_{0,0}^i + v_{0,0}^i, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{s-k,k}^i}{d\tau^2} \\ &+ \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(\tau) \quad (k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=1, 2, \dots, m) \end{aligned} \quad (2.25)$$

为了从(2.24)和(2.25)逐次解出  $v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$  ( $k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=0, 1, \dots, m$ ), 我们也将下面给出  $v_{s-k,k}^i$  的适当的初始条件.

现在我们给出  $y_{s-k,k}^i$  的边界条件和  $u_{s-k,k}^i$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i$  的初始条件如下:

我们先确定  $u_{0,0}^i(t)$  和  $v_{0,0}^i(\tau)$  的初始条件,

$$\frac{d^2 u_{0,0}^i(0)}{dt^2} = A_{2,0,0}^i - y_{0,0}^i''(0) \quad (2.26)$$

$$\frac{d^2 v_{0,0}^i(0)}{d\tau^2} = B_{2,0,0}^i - y_{0,0}^i''(0) \quad (2.27)$$

在(2.26)和(2.27)中, 我们略去了高阶小量.

我们注意到  $u_{0,0}^i$  和  $v_{0,0}^i$  分别满足方程(2.18)和(2.24). 不难看出, 存在一对函数  $u_{0,0}^i(t), v_{0,0}^i(\tau) \in C^{(4)}$ , 它们具有边界层性质<sup>[3]</sup>:

$$\frac{d^j u_{0,0}^i(t)}{dt^j} = O(\exp[-m_i(1-k_0)t]) \quad (t \gg 1, j=0, 1, 2);$$

$$\frac{d^j v_{0,0}^i(\tau)}{d\tau^j} = O(\exp[-m_i(1-k_0)\tau])$$

其中  $k_0$  是一个任意小的正常数.

其次, 我们确定  $y_{s-k,k}^i(x), u_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$  ( $k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=1, 2, \dots, m$ ) 的条件, 考虑到边界摄动(参看[4]), 我们有

$$y_{s-k,k}^i(0) = A_{1,s-k,k}^i - u_{s-k-2,k}^i(0) - \sum_{j=1}^k y_{s-k,k-j}^{i(j)}(0)/j! \quad (2.28a)$$

$$y_{s-k,k}^i(1) = B_{1,s-k,k}^i - v_{s-k-2,k}^i(0) - \sum_{j=1}^k y_{s-k,k-j}^{i(j)}(1)/j! \quad (2.28b)$$

$$\frac{d^2 u_{s-k,k}^i(0)}{dt^2} = A_{2,s-k,k}^i - \sum_{j=0}^k y_{s-k,k-j}^i(0)/j! \quad (2.29)$$

$$\frac{d^2 v_{s-k,k}^i(0)}{d\tau^2} = B_{2,s-k,k}^i - \sum_{j=0}^k y_{s-k,k-j}^i(1)/j! \quad (2.30)$$

其中若出现负的下标的字母一律取为零且略去高阶小量. 从方程(2.13)和边界条件(2.28a)(2.28b) (在适当的假设下, 其解的存在性的证明可仿照文[5]进行) 和方程(2.19)、(2.25)

以及初始条件(2.29), (2.30)可逐次得到  $y_{s-k,k}^i(x)$ ,  $u_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$ , 其中  $u_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$  也满足条件<sup>[3]</sup>:

$$\frac{d^j u_{s-k,k}^i(t)}{dt^j} = O(\exp[-m_t(1-\delta_{s-k,k})t])$$

$$\frac{d^j v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)}{d\tau^j} = O(\exp[-m_t(1-\sigma_{s-k,k})\tau])$$

$$(t, \tau \gg 1, k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=1, 2, \dots, m; j=0, 1, 2)$$

其中  $\delta_{s-k,k}^i$  和  $\sigma_{s-k,k}^i$  是任意小的正常量。

将上面确定的  $y_{s-k,k}^i$ ,  $u_{s-k,k}^i$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i$  ( $k=0, 1, \dots, s; s=0, 1, \dots, m$ ) 逐次代入 (2.1), (2.15), (2.21) 和 (2.20) 且用伸展变量代替  $x$ , 我们得到形式渐近展开式的前  $m$  项的和  $\tilde{Y}_m^i$ , 它是问题(1.1)~(1.3)的解  $y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$  的第  $i$  个分量:

$$\tilde{Y}_m^i = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left\{ y_{s-k,k}^i(x) + \varepsilon^2 \left[ u_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{x-\mu}{\varepsilon} \right) + v_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{1-\mu-x}{\varepsilon} \right) \right] \right\} \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k$$

### 三、余项估计

现在我们证明在适当的条件下原问题(1.1)~(1.3)有一个解  $y(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(4)}$ , 它可用下面的一致有效展开式来表示:

$$y^j(x, \varepsilon, \mu) = \tilde{Y}_m^i + R_1^i = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left\{ y_{s-k,k}^i(x) + \varepsilon^2 \left[ u_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{x-\mu}{\varepsilon} \right) + v_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{1-\mu-x}{\varepsilon} \right) \right] \right\} \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + R_1^i \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1-\mu) \quad (3.1)$$

因此,

$$y^{i''}(x, \varepsilon, \mu) = \tilde{Y}_m^{i''} + R_2^i = \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ y_{s-k,k}^{i''}(x) + \frac{d^2 u_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{x-\mu}{\varepsilon} \right)}{d^2 t^2} + \frac{d^2 v_{s-k,k}^i \left( \frac{1-\mu-x}{\varepsilon} \right)}{d^2 \tau^2} \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + R_2^i \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1-\mu) \quad (3.2)$$

这里  $R_1^i$  和  $R_2^i$  是余项, 满足

$$R_j^i = O\left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1-\mu, 0 \leq \varepsilon, \mu \ll 1, j=1, 2)$$

下面的引理是文[6]中定理5的一种常见的特殊情况(也可看[7])。

**引理1** 我们考虑一个向量非线性微分方程边值问题:

$$y_1'' = f_1(x, y_1, y_2), \quad y_1(0) = A_1, \quad y_1(1) = B \quad (0 < x < 1),$$

$$y_2'' = f_2(x, y_1, y_2), \quad y_2(0) = A_2, \quad y_2(1) = B_2,$$

如果有满足下列条件的函数  $\alpha_j^i(x)$ ,  $\beta_j^i(x) \in C^{(2)}[0, 1]$  ( $j=1, 2; i=1, 2, \dots, m$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_j^i(0) &\leq A_j^i \leq \beta_j^i(0), \quad \alpha_j^i(1) \leq B_j^i \leq \beta_j^i(1) \quad (j=1, 2; i=1, 2, \dots, n) \\ \alpha_1^i(x) &\geq f_1^i(x, y_1^1, \dots, \alpha_1^1(x), \dots, y_1^n, y_2^1, \dots, y_2^n) \\ \beta_1^i(x) &\leq f_1^i(x, y_1^1, \dots, \beta_1^1(x), \dots, y_1^n, y_1^1, \dots, y_2^n) \\ \alpha_2^i(x) &\geq f_2^i(x, y_1^1, \dots, y_1^n, y_2^1, \dots, \alpha_2^1(x), \dots, y_2^n) \\ \beta_2^i(x) &\leq f_2^i(x, y_1^1, \dots, y_1^n, y_2^1, \dots, \beta_2^1(x), \dots, y_2^n) \end{aligned} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} 0 < x < 1 \\ \alpha_2^i(x) \leq y_2^i \leq \beta_2^i(x) \\ 0 < x < 1 \\ \alpha_1^i(x) \leq y_1^i \leq \beta_1^i(x) \end{array} \right)$$

和  $f_j^i(x, y_1, y_2) \in C^{(1)}(D)$ , 其中

$$D = \{0 \leq x \leq 1, \alpha_j^i(x) \leq y_j^i \leq \beta_j^i(x), j=1, 2\}$$

则原来的问题可通过满足下列条件

$$\alpha_j^i(x) \leq y_j^i(x) \leq \beta_j^i(x) \quad (0 \leq x \leq 1, j=1, 2)$$

的一对函数  $y_1(x), y_2(x) \in C^{(2)}[0, 1]$  解得.

利用上述引理1, 我们能够证明下列定理:

**定理1** 假设

1. 退化问题(2.2)~(2.3)有一个解  $y_{0,0}(x) = (y_{0,0}^1(x), \dots, y_{0,0}^n(x)) \in C^{(4)}[0, 1]$  使得  $f^i(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}''', 0, 0) = 0, y_{0,0}^i(0) = A_i^i(0, 0), y_{0,0}^i(1) = B_i^i(0, 0)$ ;
2.  $f^i(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(m+1)}(D_i)$ ;
3.  $f_{y''}^i \geq m_i, (x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \in D_i$ , 其中  $m_i (i=1, \dots, n)$  是  $n$  个正常数;
4.  $A_j(\varepsilon, \mu), B_j(\varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(m+1)}([0, \varepsilon] \times [0, \mu_1]) (j=1, 2)$ , 则边值问题(1.1)~(1.3)有一个解  $y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(4)}([[\mu, 1-\mu] \times [0, \varepsilon_0] \times [0, \mu_0])$ , 它可用一致有效渐近展开式(3.1)来表示和它在  $\mu \leq x \leq 1-\mu$  上的二阶导数可用(3.2)表示, 其中  $\varepsilon_0, \mu_0$  是两个正的小常数.

**证明** 设  $y'' = z^i$ , 于是原来的问题(1.1)~(1.3)的第  $i$  个分量成为下列的边问题值:

$$y^{i''} = z^i \tag{3.3}$$

$$y^i(\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) = A_i^i(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y^i(1-\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) = B_i^i(\varepsilon, \mu) \tag{3.4}$$

$$\varepsilon^2 z^{i''} = f^i(x, y^1, \dots, y^i, \dots, y^n, z^1, \dots, z^i, \dots, z^n, \varepsilon, \mu) \tag{3.5}$$

$$z^i(\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) = A_i^i(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad z^i(1-\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) = B_i^i(\varepsilon, \mu) \tag{3.6}$$

现在我们构造  $\alpha_j^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$  和  $\beta_j^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$  如下:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) &= \tilde{Y}_m^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) - r_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \{ \sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)] \\ &\quad - 1 + \sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)] - 1 \} \end{aligned} \tag{3.7}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) &= \tilde{Y}_m^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) + r_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \{ \sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)] \\ &\quad - 1 + \sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)] - 1 \} \end{aligned} \tag{3.8}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) &= \tilde{Y}_m^{i''}(x, \varepsilon, \mu) - (l_i r_i / m_i) \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \{ \sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)] \\ &\quad + \sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)] \} \end{aligned} \tag{3.9}$$

$$\beta_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) = \tilde{Y}_m^{i''}(x, \varepsilon, \mu) + (l_i r_i / m_i) \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \{ \sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)]$$

$$+ \sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)] \} \quad (3.10)$$

其中  $r_i$  是一个足够大的正常数, 将在稍后选定;  $\sigma_1^i, \sigma_2^i$  是正的常数, 使得

$$\sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)] \geq 1$$

和

$$\sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)] \geq 1 \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1-\mu)$$

和  $|f_y^i| \leq l_i, (x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \in D_i$ , 为了不使下面表达式含糊起见, 我们先限制正常数  $l_i, m_i$  使得  $(l_i/m_i)^{1/2} < \pi/2$ , 然后我们再指出对于一般的  $l_i, m_i$  的证明。

从(3.7)~(3.8), (2.24)~(2.30), 易见

$$\alpha_j^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(2)}[\mu, 1-\mu] \subset C^{(2)}[0, 1] \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (3.11)$$

$$\beta_j^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(2)}[\mu, 1-\mu] \subset C^{(2)}[0, 1] \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (3.12)$$

且从  $\alpha_j^i, \beta_j^i$  和  $\tilde{Y}_m^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$  的结构, 对于充分小的正数  $\varepsilon_1, \mu_1$  和足够大的  $r_0^i > 0$ , 当  $0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_1, 0 < \mu < \mu_1, r_i > r_0^i$  时, 我们能够得到不等式

$$\alpha_j^i(\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq A_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu) \leq \beta_j^i(\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (3.13)$$

$$\alpha_j^i(1-\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq B_j^i(\varepsilon, \mu) \leq \beta_j^i(1-\mu, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (j=1, 2) \quad (3.14)$$

$$\alpha_1^{i''} \geq z^i \quad (\alpha_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq z^i \leq \beta_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)) \quad (3.15)$$

$$\beta_1^{i''} \leq z^i \quad (\alpha_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq z^i \leq \beta_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)) \quad (3.16)$$

因为  $y_{s-k,k}^i(x), u_{s-k,k}^i(t)$  和  $v_{s-k,k}^i(\tau)$  满足(2.13), (2.18), (2.19), (2.24)和(2.25), 并考虑到  $y_{m-1}^i(x)$  和  $y_m^i(x)$  是有界的, 我们容易得到

$$\begin{aligned} f^i(x, y_{\tilde{Y}_m^i}, y_{\tilde{Y}_m^i}^{i''}, \varepsilon, \mu) &= f(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''}, 0, 0) \\ &+ \sum_{s=1}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ f_{y''}^i(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''}, 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}^{i''} + f_{y'}^i(x, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''}, 0, 0) y_{s-k,k}^i \right. \\ &+ \left. c_{s-k,k}^i(x) - y_{s-k-2,k}^{i(4)} + y_{s-k-2,k}^{i(4)} \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k \\ &+ \left[ f_{y''}^i(0, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''} + \theta_1 u_{0,0}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{0,0}^i}{dt^2} - \frac{d^4 u_{0,0}^i}{dt^4} + \frac{d^4 u_{0,0}^i}{dt^4} \right] \\ &+ \sum_{s=1}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ f_{y''}^i(0, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''} + u_{0,0}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 u_{s-k,k}^i}{dt^2} + \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(t) - \frac{d^4 u_{s-k,k}^i}{dt^4} \right. \\ &+ \left. \frac{d^4 u_{s-k,k}^i}{dt^4} \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + \left[ f_{y''}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''} + u_{0,0}^{i''} + \theta_2 u_{0,0}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{0,0}^i}{d\tau^2} \right. \\ &- \left. \frac{d^4 v_{0,0}^i}{d\tau^4} + \frac{d^4 v_{0,0}^i}{d\tau^4} \right] + \sum_{s=1}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ f_{y''}^i(1, y_{y_{0,0}^i}, y_{y_{0,0}^i}^{i''} + u_{0,0}^{i''} + \theta_2 v_{0,0}^{i''}, 0, 0) \frac{d^2 v_{s-k,k}^i}{d\tau^2} \right. \\ &+ \left. \bar{c}_{s-k,k}^i(\tau) - \frac{d^4 v_{s-k,k}^i}{d\tau^4} + \frac{d^4 v_{s-k,k}^i}{d\tau^4} \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + O\left(\sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s\right) \\ &= \varepsilon^2 \tilde{Y}_m^{i(4)}(x, \varepsilon, \mu) + O\left(\sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s\right) \quad (0 < \varepsilon, \mu \ll 1) \end{aligned}$$

因此, 存在  $\delta_i > 0, \varepsilon_2 > 0, \mu_2 > 0$ , 使得不等式

$$|f^i(x, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i}, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^{i''}}, \varepsilon, \mu) - \varepsilon^2 \tilde{Y}_m^{i(4)}(x, \varepsilon, \mu)| \leq \delta_i \left[ \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right] \quad (3.17)$$

对于  $0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_2, 0 < \mu \leq \mu_2$  成立.

从中值定理, 我们有

$$\begin{aligned} f^i(x, y, y_{\alpha_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) &= f^i(x, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i}, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^{i''}}, \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &+ f_{y^i}^i(x, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i + \theta_3(y^i - \tilde{Y}_m^i)}, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^{i''}}, \varepsilon, \mu) (y^i - \tilde{Y}_m^i) \\ &+ f_{y^{i''}}^i(x, y, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i + \theta_4(\alpha_2^i - \tilde{Y}_m^{i''})}, \varepsilon, \mu) (\alpha_2^i - \tilde{Y}_m^{i''}) \quad (0 < \theta_3, \theta_4 < 1) \end{aligned} \quad (3.18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f^i(x, y, y_{\beta_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) &= f^i(x, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i}, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^{i''}}, \varepsilon, \mu) \\ &+ f_{y^i}^i(x, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i + \tilde{\theta}_3(y^i - \tilde{Y}_m^i)}, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^{i''}}, \varepsilon, \mu) (y^i - \tilde{Y}_m^i) \\ &+ f_{y^{i''}}^i(x, y, y_{\tilde{\gamma}_m^i + \tilde{\theta}_4(\beta_2^i - \tilde{Y}_m^{i''})}, \varepsilon, \mu) (\beta_2^i - \tilde{Y}_m^{i''}) \quad (0 < \tilde{\theta}_3, \tilde{\theta}_4 < 1) \end{aligned} \quad (3.19)$$

当  $\alpha_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq y^i \leq \beta_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$  时, 从(3.7), (3.8)和  $|f_{y^i}^i| \leq l_i$ , 我们能够得到

$$\begin{aligned} |f_{y^i}^i(\dots) (y^i - \tilde{Y}_m^i)| &\leq r_i l_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \{ \sigma_1^i \cos[l_i/m_i]^{1/2}(x-\mu) \} - 1 \\ &+ \sigma_2^i \cos[l_i/m_i]^{1/2}(1-\mu-x) \} - 1 \end{aligned}$$

和从(3.17)~(3.19), 我们有

$$f^i(x, y, y_{\alpha_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq \varepsilon^2 \tilde{Y}_m^{i(4)} + \delta_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) - 2r_i l_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right)$$

$$f^i(x, y, y_{\beta_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \geq \varepsilon^2 \tilde{Y}_m^{i(4)} - \delta_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) + 2r_i l_i \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right)$$

于是我们得到

$$\varepsilon^2 \alpha_2^{i''} - f^i(x, y, y_{\alpha_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \geq (2r_i l_i - \delta_i) \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right),$$

$$\varepsilon^2 \beta_2^{i''} - f^i(x, y, y_{\beta_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq (\delta_i - 2r_i l_i) \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right).$$

取  $\varepsilon_0 = \min\{\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2, \varepsilon_3\}, \mu_0 = \min\{\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3\}$  和  $r_i = \max\{r_i^i, \delta_i/2l_i\}$ , 我们有

$$\varepsilon^2 \alpha_2^{i''} \geq f^i(x, y, y_{\alpha_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (3.20)$$

$$\varepsilon^2 \beta_2^{i''} \leq f^i(x, y, y_{\beta_2^i}, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (3.21)$$

$$(\alpha_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq y^i \leq \beta_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu), \mu < x < 1 - \mu, 0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0, 0 < \mu \leq \mu_0).$$

从关系式(3.11)~(3.16), (3.20)和(3.21), 利用引理1, 对于边值问题(3.3)~(3.6), 我们得到一对函数  $y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu), z^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \in C^{(2)}$  ( $\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu$ ), 它满足不等式

$$\alpha_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq \beta_1^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu, 0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0, 0 < \mu \leq \mu_0)$$

$$\alpha_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq z^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \leq \beta_2^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu, 0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0, 0 < \mu \leq \mu_0)$$

从(3.7)~(3.10), 我们得到

$$\begin{aligned} y^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) &= \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ y_{s-k, k}^i(x) + \varepsilon^2 u_{s-k, k}^i \left( \frac{x-\mu}{\varepsilon} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \varepsilon^2 v_{s-k, k}^i \left( \frac{1-\mu-x}{\varepsilon} \right) \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k + O \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right), \\ z^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) &= \sum_{s=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^s \left[ y_{s-k, k}^{i''}(x) + \frac{d^2 u_{s-k, k}^i \left( \frac{x-\mu}{\varepsilon} \right)}{d\tau^2} + \frac{d^2 v_{s-k, k}^i \left( \frac{1-\mu-x}{\varepsilon} \right)}{d\tau^2} \right] \varepsilon^{s-k} \mu^k \\ &\quad + O \left( \sum_{s=0}^{m+1} \varepsilon^{m+1-s} \mu^s \right) \quad (\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu, 0 < \varepsilon \ll 1, 0 < \mu \ll 1) \end{aligned}$$

因为  $z^i(x, \varepsilon, \mu) = y^{i''}(x, \varepsilon, \mu)$ , 于是我们有  $y^i \in C^{(4)}([\mu, 1-\mu] \times [0, \varepsilon_0] \times [0, \mu_0])$  和关系式(3.1), (3.2)在  $\mu \leq x \leq 1 - \mu$  中一致成立. 最后, 我们指出, 在  $(l_i/m_i)^{1/2} \geq \pi/2$  的情形, 实质上可用同样的方法继续做下去, 只不过这时是用  $\sin[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)]$ ,  $\cos[(l_i-m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)]$  和  $\sin[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)]$ ,  $\cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)]$  的线性组合分别替代  $\sigma_1^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(x-\mu)]$  和  $\sigma_2^i \cos[(l_i/m_i)^{1/2}(1-\mu-x)]$  而已, 其计算是直接的, 但是乏味的, 我们略去(可参看文[1]).

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# Singular Perturbation of Boundary Value Problem for a Vector Fourth Order Nonlinear Differential Equation

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## Abstract

We study the vector boundary value problem with boundary perturbations:

$$\varepsilon^2 y^{(4)} = f(x, y, y'', \varepsilon, \mu) \quad (\mu < x < 1 - \mu)$$

$$y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_1(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_1(\varepsilon, \mu);$$

$$y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=\mu} = A_2(\varepsilon, \mu), \quad y''(x, \varepsilon, \mu)|_{x=1-\mu} = B_2(\varepsilon, \mu)$$

where  $y$ ,  $f$ ,  $A_j$  and  $B_j$  ( $j=1,2$ ) are  $n$ -dimensional vector functions and  $\varepsilon, \mu$  are two small positive parameters. This vector boundary value problem does not appear to have been studied, although the scalar boundary value problem has been treated. Under appropriate assumptions, using the method of differential inequalities we find a solution of the vector boundary value problem and obtain the uniformly valid asymptotic expansions.