

S-ASYMPTOTIC OF TEMPERED AND K_1' -DISTRIBUTIONS,
PART I

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ABSTRACT

It is proved that if $f \in K_1'(R)$ ($f \in S'(R)$) has the S-asymptotic in $D'(R)$ related to a function $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(R)$ ($c(h) \in e\Sigma_p(R)$), $h \rightarrow \infty$, then f has the S-asymptotic in $K_1'(R)$ (in $S'(R)$) related to $c(h)$. For the same assertion in the n -dimensional case $n > 1$, some additional assumptions are needed.

1. NOTATION AND INTRODUCTION

We denote by R and N the sets of real and natural numbers; $N_0 = N \cup \{0\}$. If $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$, $y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in R^n$, then $\langle x, y \rangle = x_1 y_1 + \dots + x_n y_n$; $\|x\|^2 = x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2$; $|x| = |x_1| + \dots + |x_n|$; $x \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow x_i \geq 0, i = 1, \dots, n$; $x \rightarrow \infty \Leftrightarrow x_i \rightarrow \infty, i = 1, \dots, n$; $R_+^n = \{x \in R^n, x \geq 0\}$.

For the definitions and properties of spaces $D(R^n)$, $D_K(R^n)$, $D_K^m(R^n)$, $E(R^n)$, $S(R^n)$, $D'(R^n)$ and $S'(R^n)$ we refer the re-

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ader to [4]. For the definition of spaces $K_1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $K'_1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ see [1] or [5].

The space of all the real valued functions $c(h)$ different from zero for $h \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$ is denoted by $\Sigma(\mathbb{R}^n)$. We assume without losing generality, that $c(h)$ are positive and equal to 1 in $\mathbb{R}_+^n \setminus (\mathbb{R}_+^n + a)$ where $a \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$ depends on $c(h)$ and $\mathbb{R}_+^n + a = \{x + a, x \in \mathbb{R}_+^n\}$.

By $\Sigma_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ($\Sigma_p(\mathbb{R}^n)$) is denoted a subset of $\Sigma(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ($c(h) \in \Sigma_p(\mathbb{R}^n)$) iff for some $C > 0$, $d > 0$, $k > 0$ and $h_0 = (h_{01}, \dots, h_{0n}) \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$:

$$(1) \quad c(h+r) \leq C c(h) \exp(k|r|) \quad (c(h+r) \leq C c(h)(1+|r|)^k),$$

$$h > h_0, r \in \mathbb{R}^n;$$

$$(2) \quad c(h) \exp(k|h|) \geq d, \quad (c(h)(1+|h|)^k \geq d), h > h_0.$$

Obviously, $\Sigma_p(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \Sigma_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$. A detailed analysis of conditions (1) and (2) is given in the paper following this one ([2]).

We defined in [3] the S-asymptotic of distributions in a cone Γ . For the sake of simplicity we restrict ourself to the cone $\Gamma = \mathbb{R}_+^n$. Let us recall from [3] that a distribution $T \in D'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ has the S-asymptotic in the cone \mathbb{R}_+^n related to some $c(h) \in \Sigma(\mathbb{R}^n)$, if there exists the limit

$$(*) \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} T(x+h)/c(h) = S(x) \text{ in } D'(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

In this case we write $T(x+h) \underset{S}{\sim} c(h)S(x)$.

We give in [3] a full characterization of the limit distributions S. Namely, it was proved in [3] that S must be of the form

$$S(x) = C \exp(\langle r, x \rangle) \text{ for some } C \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and some } r \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

Thus, $S \in K'_1(\mathbb{R}^n)$, and there arises a natural question: If $T \in K'_1(\mathbb{R}^n)$

can the limit (*) be extended from $D(\mathbb{R}^n)$ onto $K_1(\mathbb{R}^n)$? If $T \in S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $r = 0$, there is a similar question for $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$, instead of $K_1'(\mathbb{R}^n)$. These questions are important for applications since spaces $K_1'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and especially $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ have many useful properties.

We prove in this article that if $T \in K_1'(R)$ ($T \in S'(R)$) has the S-asymptotic in the cone R_+ related to some $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(R)$, ($c(h) \in \Sigma_p(R)$) then the limit (*) exists for every $\phi \in K_1(R)$ ($\phi \in S(R)$). If $n > 1$, we have to assume some additional conditions which imply the same assertion for the multidimensional case.

2. Using the representation theorem for elements from $K_1'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ (see [4]):

$$(3) \quad T \in K_1'(\mathbb{R}^n) \Leftrightarrow (\exists m \in \mathbb{N}_0)(\exists k > 0)(\exists F_i \in L_\infty(\mathbb{R}) \cap C(\mathbb{R}), \\ |i| \leq m)$$

$$(f = \sum_{|i| \leq m} (F_i(x) \exp(k|x|))^{(i)}),$$

we obtain directly

PROPOSITION 1. *If $T \in K_1'(\mathbb{R}^n)$, then for some $k > 0$ $\{T(x+h)\exp(-k|h|), h \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$ is bounded in K_1' .*

We have noticed that a corresponding assertion for $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is given in [4, Chapitre VII, Théorème VI, 4°].

A complex valued function $r(x)$ defined on \mathbb{R}^n is called a rapidly exponentially decreasing function if for every $k > 0$

$$r(x)\exp(k|x|) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } |x| \rightarrow \infty.$$

Similarly as in [4, Chapitre VII, Théorème VI, 4°] for $S'(\mathbb{R}^n)$, we prove the next

THEOREM 2. *Let $T \in D'(R^n)$. If for every rapidly exponentially decreasing function $r(x)$ the set $\{r(h)T(x+h), h \in R^n\}$ is bounded in $D'(R^n)$, then $T \in K'(R^n)$.*

PROOF. Let K be an arbitrary compact set in R^n . For every $\phi \in D_K(R^n) \subset D(R^n)$

$$h \rightarrow r(h) \langle T(x+h), \phi(x) \rangle, \quad h \in R^n,$$

is a bounded function. This implies that for some $k_1 = k_1(\phi) > 0$ and some $C = C(\phi) > 0$

$$(4) \quad |\langle T(x+h), \phi(x) \rangle| \leq C \exp(k_1|h|), \quad h \in R^n.$$

If $h \in R^n$ is fixed, then by

$$\log^+ |\langle T(x+h), \phi(x) \rangle| / (1+|h|), \quad \phi \in D_K(R^n),$$

a continuous linear functional on $D_K(R^n)$ is defined. It follows from (4) that $\{\log^+ |\langle T(x+h), \phi(x) \rangle| / (1+|h|), h \in R^n\}$ is a bounded family of continuous functions on $D_K(R^n)$. By the same arguments as in [4, Tome II, p. 97], we conclude that for some $k > 0$, which does not depend on $\phi \in D_K(R^n)$, the set $\{\langle T(x+h) \exp(-k|h|), \phi(x) \rangle, h \in R^n\}$, is bounded for every $\phi \in D_K(R^n)$, i.e. for every $\phi \in D(R^n)$. This implies (see [4, Chapitre VI, Théorème XXII]) that for a given open bounded set $\Omega \subset R^n$, $0 \in \Omega$, there exist a compact neighbourhood of zero K and $m \in N_0$ such that for every $\phi \in D_K^m(R^n)$, $\{x \rightarrow (T(t+h) * \phi(t))(x) / \exp(k|h|), h \in R^n\}$ is a bounded family of continuous bounded functions on Ω .

Since $(T(t+h) * \phi(t))(x) = (T * \phi)(x+h)$, on setting $x = 0$, we obtain that

$$h \rightarrow (T * \psi)(h) / \exp(k|h|), \quad h \in R^n,$$

is a bounded function on R^n for any $\psi \in D_K^m(R^n)$.

Now, by [4, VI, 6; 22] we obtain

$$(5) \quad T = \Delta^N(\gamma E * T) - \psi * T$$

where E is the fundamental solution of $\Delta^N E = \delta$ (Δ is the Laplacian) $\gamma \in D_K$, $\gamma \equiv 1$ in a neighbourhood of 0 and $\psi \in D_K(\mathbb{R}^n)$. If N is sufficiently large $\gamma E \in D_K^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Thus, T is of the form (3). This completes the proof.

Let us notice that if $T \in D'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\{T(x+h)\exp(-k|h|), h \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$ is bounded in $D'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ for some $k > 0$, then for every rapidly exponentially decreasing function $r(x)$, $\{r(h)T(x+h), h \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$ is bounded in $D'(\mathbb{R}^n)$, as well.

The following theorem will be proved first in the one-dimensional case, because in the n -dimensional case more assumptions are needed.

THEOREM 3. *Let $T \in K_1'(R)$ ($T \in S'(R)$) and $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(R)$ ($c(h) \in \Sigma_p(R)$). If $\{T(x+h)/c(h), h > a\}$ is bounded in $D'(R)$, then this family is bounded in $K_1'(R)$ (in $S'(R)$).*

PROOF. We prove the theorem for $T \in K_1'(R)$, because for $T \in S'(R)$ it can be done in a similar way. (We have to replace $\exp(k|\cdot|)$ by $(1+|\cdot|)^k$.)

Using the last part of the proof of Theorem 2, we obtain that for some $m_1 \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and some compact neighbourhood of zero, K_1 ,

$$h \rightarrow (T * \psi)(h)/c(h), \quad h > 0$$

is a bounded function for every $\psi \in D_{K_1}^{m_1}(R)$. Since $T \in K_1'(R)$ it holds that for some $k > 0$, $m_2 \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and some compact neighbourhood of zero K_2 ,

$$h \rightarrow (T * \psi)(h)/\exp(k|h|), \quad h \in R,$$

is a bounded function for every $\psi \in D_{K_2}^{m,2}(R)$. Thus, by taking in (5) N sufficiently large ($\Delta = d^2/dx^2$) and $K = K_1 \cap K_2$, we obtain that for some $m \in N_0$

$$(6) \quad T = \sum_{i=0}^m F_i^{(i)},$$

where F_i , $i = 0, \dots, m$, are continuous functions on R such that for some $M_1 > 0$, $M_2 > 0$ and $k > 0$

$$(7) \quad \sup\{|F_i(x)/c(x)|, x > 0, i = 0, \dots, m\} \leq M_1,$$

$$(8) \quad \sup\{|F_i(x)|/\exp(k|x|), x \in R, i = 0, \dots, m\} \leq M_2.$$

Let $\phi \in K_1(R)$ and $h > h_0$ (see (1)) be fixed. We put

$$\begin{aligned} I_i(h, \phi) &= I_i = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (|\phi^{(i)}(x)| |F_i(x+h)|/c(h)) dx = \\ &= \left(\int_{-\infty}^{-h} + \int_{-h}^{\infty} \right) (|\phi^{(i)}(x)| |F_i(x+h)|/c(h)) dx = \\ &= I_i(-\infty, -h) + I_i(-h, \infty), \quad i = 0, \dots, m, \quad h > h_0. \end{aligned}$$

If $x \in (-\infty, -h)$, $|x+h| = |x| - h$ and by (8) and (2), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} I_i(-\infty, -h) &\leq d^{-1} \int_{-\infty}^{-h} |\phi^{(i)}(x)| \exp(2k|x|) \\ &\quad \cdot |F_i(x+h)/\exp(k|x+h|)| dx \leq \\ &\leq M d^{-1} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |\phi^{(i)}(x)| \exp(k|x|) dx. \end{aligned}$$

From the definition of space $K_1(R)$, it follows that the last integral is finite.

Because of (1) and (7), we obtain that for some $k_1 > 0$,

$$\begin{aligned}
I_i(-h, \infty) &\leq \int_{-h}^{\infty} |\phi^{(i)}(x)| |F_i(x+h)/c(x+h)| \exp(k_1|x|) dx \\
&\leq M_1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |\phi^{(i)}(x)| \exp(k_1|x|) dx < \infty.
\end{aligned}$$

Since

$$|\langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle| \leq \sum_{i=0}^m I_i(h, \phi),$$

from the preceding inequalities we obtain that for some $A > 0$ which does not depend on $h > h_0$

$$|\langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle| \leq A.$$

Thus the proof is complete.

THEOREM 4. Let $T \in D'(R)$ such that $\text{supp } T \subset [0, \infty)$, and let $c(h)$ satisfy condition (2) and

(1)* There exist $C > 0$, $k > 0$, $h_0 > 0$ such that

$$c(h+r) \leq C c(h) \exp(k r) \quad (c(h+r) \leq C c(h)(1+r)^k),$$

$$h > h_0, \quad r > 0.$$

Moreover, let $\{T(x+h)/c(h); h > a\}$ be bounded in $D'(R)$. Then, this family is bounded in $K_1'(R)$ (in $S'(R)$).

PROOF. The proof is similar to the proof of Theorem 3. We have only to notice that in (6) functions f_i , $i=0, \dots, m$, have their supports in $[A, \infty)$ for some $A \in R$. Thus, instead of (7) and (8) we have to use

$$(7)* \quad \text{sup}\{|F_i(x)/c(x)| : x > A, i = 0, \dots, m\} < M_1,$$

and the fact

$$I_i(h, \phi) = I_i = \int_{A-h}^{\infty} |\phi^{(i)}(x)| |F_i(x+h)/c(h)| dx,$$

$$i = 0, \dots, m$$

(see the proof of Theorem 3).

In order to extend the preceding theorem for a multi-dimensional case, we have to introduce the following notation.

We denote by Λ the set of all n -th class variations of elements $\{-1, 1\}$. If $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda$, then we put

$$\Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n) = \{h \in \mathbb{R}^n, \sum_{i=1}^n \operatorname{sgn}(a_i \cdot h_i) = n\}.$$

(This means if $a_i = 1$, ($a_i = -1$), then $h_i > 0$ ($h_i < 0$)). For example

$$\Gamma(1, \dots, 1) = \mathbb{R}_+^n \quad \text{and} \quad \Gamma(-1, \dots, -1) = \mathbb{R}_-^n.$$

Let

$$(9) \quad c(h) = c_1(h_1) \dots c_n(h_n) \text{ where}$$

$$c_i(h_i) \in \Sigma_e(\mathbb{R}) (c_i(h_i) \in \Sigma_p(\mathbb{R})), \quad i = 1, \dots, n.$$

Obviously, $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ($c(h) \in \Sigma_p(\mathbb{R}^n)$).

Let $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda$ be given. We denote by j_i , $i = 1, \dots, r$ components of (a_1, \dots, a_n) equal to 1, and those which are equal to -1 by s_i , $i = 1, \dots, m$ ($r+m = n$).

If $h \in \Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n)$ and $k > 0$, we put

$$c_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)}^k(h) = c_{j_1}(h_{j_1}) \dots c_{j_r}(h_{j_r}) \cdot \\ \cdot \exp(k(|h_{s_1}| + \dots + |h_{s_m}|))$$

$$(c^k_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)})(h) = c_{j_1}(h_{j_1}) \dots c_{j_r}(h_{j_r}) ((1+|h_{s_1}|) \dots (1+|h_{s_m}|))^k.$$

THEOREM 5. Let $T \in K_1'(R^n)$ ($T \in S'(R^n)$) and $c(h)$ be of the form (9). If there exists $k > 0$ such that for every $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda$

$$\{T(x+h)/c^k_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)}(h), h \in \Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n)\}$$

is bounded in $D'(R^n)$, then $\{T(x+h)/c(h), h > 0\}$ is bounded in $K_1'(R^n)$ ($S'(R^n)$).

We notice that from Proposition 1 it follows that for every $T \in K_1'(R^n)$ there exists $k > 0$ such that $\{T(x+h)/\exp(k|h|), h \in R^n\}$ is bounded in $K_1'(R^n)$. A similar assertion holds for $S'(R^n)$. Thus, for $n = 1$ Theorem 5 reduces into Theorem 3. (If $h \in R_+^n$ then $c^k_{(1, \dots, 1)}(h) = c(h)$.)

PROOF OF THEOREM 5. If we repeat the arguments of the first part of Theorem 3, 2^n -times, we obtain that for some $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$

$$T = \sum_{|i| \leq m} (F_i)^{(i)},$$

where $F_i, |i| \leq m$ are continuous functions such that for every $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda$

$$(10) \quad \sup\{|F_i(x)/c^k_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)}(x)|, x \in \Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n), |i| \leq m\} < M_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)}.$$

We put, for the given $\phi \in K_1(R^n)$ and $h \in R_+^n$:

$$I_i(h, \phi) = \int_{R^n} (|\phi^{(i)}(x)| |F_i(x+h)| / c(h)) dx =$$

$$= \left\{ \sum_{(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda} \int_{x+h\Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n)} \right\} (|\phi^{(i)}(x)| \cdot |F_i(x+h)|/c(x)) dx, \quad |i| \leq m.$$

As in Theorem 3, one can show that every member of the last series is bounded by some constant which does not depend on h . Since

$$|\langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle| \leq \sum_{|i| \leq m} I_i(h, \phi),$$

the theorem is proved.

Now it is easy to prove the following three theorems.

THEOREM 6. *Let $T \in K_1'(R)$ ($T \in S'(R)$) and $c(h) \in \Sigma_e(R)$ ($c(h) \in \Sigma_p(R)$). If there exists the limit*

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} \langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle = \langle S(x), \phi(x) \rangle, \quad \phi \in D(R),$$

then this limit exists for every $\phi \in K_1(R)$ (for every $\phi \in S(R)$). In particular, $S \in K_1'(R)$ ($S \in S'(R)$).

PROOF. Since $D(R)$ is dense in $K_1(R)$ (in $S(R)$) we have to use Theorem 3 and the Banach-Steinhaus Theorem.

THEOREM 7. *Let T and $c(h)$ satisfy the conditions of Theorem 4. If there exists the limit*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle = \langle S(x), \phi(x) \rangle, \quad \phi \in D(R),$$

then this limit exists for every $\phi \in K_1(R)$ (for every $\phi \in S(R)$). In particular, $S \in K'(R)$ ($S \in S'(R)$).

In the same way, using Theorem 5, one can prove the following

THEOREM 8. Let $T \in K_1'(R^n)$ ($T \in S'(R^n)$), $c(h)$ be of the form (9) and

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} \langle T(x+h)/c(h), \phi(x) \rangle = \langle S(x), \phi(x) \rangle, \quad \phi \in D(R).$$

If for some $k > 0$ and every $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \Lambda \setminus (1, \dots, 1), (-1, \dots, -1)$, the sets

$$\{T(x+h)/c_{(a_1, \dots, a_n)}^k(h); h \in \Gamma(a_1, \dots, a_n)\},$$

are bounded in $D'(R^n)$, then

$$T(x+h)/c(h) \text{ converges to } S(x) \text{ in } K_1'(R^n)$$

(in $S'(R^n)$) as $h \rightarrow \infty$.

Particularly, $S \in K_1'(R^n)$ ($S \in S'(R^n)$).

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REZIME

S-ASIMPTOTIKA TEMPERIRANIH I K_1 -DISTRIBUCIJA.
I DEO

Dokazano je da ako $T \in K_1(R)$ ($S'(R)$) ima S-asimptotiku u $D'(R)$ u odnosu na $c(h)$ e $\Sigma_e(R)$ ($c(h)$ e $\Sigma_p(R)$), $h \rightarrow \infty$, tada f ima S-asimptotiku u $K_1(R)$ (u $S'(R)$) u odnosu na $c(h)$. U slučaju da je $n > 1$ za slično tvrdjenje u konusu R_+^n dodatni uslovi su uvedeni.