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invariant condition, has led us to three cases for determination of the infinitesimals in the first, second equations and four in the last system. The search for solutions to the surface condition in each case has yielded a reduction to ordinary differential equations then to exact solutions.

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The second section we applied Homotopy Perturbation method for the generalized coupled mKdV equation with multicomponent. The solutions introduced in this study are in recursive sequence forms which can be used to obtain the closed form of the solutions if they are required. The method is tested on various examples which are revealing the effectiveness and the simplicity of the method..

# CHAPTER I

## INTRODUCTION, SURVEY OF LITERATURE AND MATHEMATICAL TOOLS

### *1.1 General Introduction*

In recent years there have been considerable developments in symmetry methods (group method) for differential equations as evidenced by the number of research paper devoted to the subject [57, 64]. This no doubt due to the basic applicability of the methods to nonlinear differential equations, symmetry methods for differential equations, originally developed by Sophus Lie, are highly algorithmic.

Lie groups, and hence their infinitesimal generators, can be naturally extended or prolonged to act on the space of independent variables, dependent variables and derivatives of the dependent variable up to any finite order. As a consequence, the seemingly intractable nonlinear conditions of the group invariance of a given system of differential equations reduce to linear homogeneous partial differential equations determining the infinitesimal generators of the group. Since the determining equations form an over determined system of linear homogeneous partial differential equation, one can usually determine the infinitesimal generators in closed form.

If a system of partial differential equations is invariant under a Lie group of point transformations, one can find, constructively, special solutions, called similarity solutions or invariant solutions, which are invariant under some subgroup of the full group admitted by the system. These solutions result from solving a reduced system of differential equations with fewer independent variables. This application of Lie groups was discovered by Lie but first came to prominence in late 1950s through the

work of the soviet group at Novosibirsk, published by Ovsiannikov [70] and was subsequently translated by Bluman (1967). Invariant solutions can also be constructed for specific boundary value problems. Here one seeks a group of full group of a given partial differential equation which leaves boundary curves and conditions imposed on them invariant [cf. Bluman and Cole] [5]. Ibragimov [39] is concerned with applications of mathematical physics, geometry and mechanics given by Stinger and Weaver in (1986). An excellent general theory of the subject is presented by Olver [69].

Bhutani et al in (1986) enlarged this technique to deal with systems of partial differential equations then the technique has found an important place in the literature of group theoretic methods see [4, 5, 18, 49, 59 – 64] also recently Singh K. et al [17] applied this symmetry method to variable coefficients systems namely generalized Hirota-Satsuma coupled KdV system and variant Boussinesq system. Using the non-equivalent Lie analysis for each essential vector field, the nonlinear systems reduced to systems of ordinary differential equations (ODEs), and some exact solutions of those systems are found.

The investigation of the travelling wave solutions for non-linear partial differential equations plays an important role in the study of non-linear physical phenomena. Non-linear wave phenomena appears in various scientific and engineering fields, such as fluid mechanics, plasma physics, optical fibers, biology, solid state physics, chemical kinematics, chemical physics and geochemistry. Non-linear wave phenomena of dispersion, dissipation, diffusion, reaction and convection are very important in non-linear wave equations. In recent years, new exact solutions may help to find new phenomena. A variety of powerful methods, such as inverse scattering method [76], bilinear transformation (Hirota 1980), the tanh-sech method [54, 55, 78], extended tanh method [27, 28], sine-cosine method [81], homogeneous balance method [28], Exp-function method [37, 38] and Generalization of He's Exp-function Method [25] method were used to develop non-linear dispersive and dissipative problems.

After given a brief survey of the available literature related to the research problems put up in chapter II-IV we outline in the following section, for ready reference, certain characteristic features of the methods utilized.

## 1.2 *Symmetry method*

We briefly outlined Steinberg's [73] similarity method of finding explicit solutions of both linear and non-linear partial differential equations. The method based on finding the symmetries of the differential equation as follows:

Suppose that the differential operator  $L$  can be written in the form

$$L(u) = \frac{\partial^p u}{\partial t^p} - H(u), \quad (1.2.1)$$

where  $u = u(t, x)$  and  $H$  may depend on  $t, x, u$  and any derivative of  $u$  as long the derivative of  $u$  dose not contain more than  $(p - 1)$   $t$  derivatives. Consider the symmetry operator called infinitesimal symmetry, which being quasi-linear partial differential operator of first-order, has the form

$$S(u) = A(t, x, u) \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^n B_i(t, x, u) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_i} + C(t, x, u). \quad (1.2.2)$$

Define the Frèchet derivative of  $L(u)$  by

$$F(L, u, v) = \frac{d}{d\varepsilon} L(u + \varepsilon v)|_{\varepsilon=0}. \quad (1.2.3)$$

With these definitions in mind we need to follow the following steps:

- (i) Compute  $F(L, u, v)$ ,
- (ii) Compute  $F(L, u, S(u))$ ,
- (iii) Substitute  $H(u)$  for  $(\frac{\partial^p u}{\partial t^p})$  in  $F(L, u, S(u))$ ,
- (iv) Set this expression to zero and perform a polynomial expansion.