

Lump Solutions, Lump-soliton Interaction Phenomena and Breather-soliton Solutions to a (3+1)-dimensional Boiti-Leon-Manna-Pempinelli-like Equation*

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Abstract The (3+1)-dimensional Boiti-Leon-Manna-Pempinelli-like equation (BLMP-like equation) is introduced by the generalized bilinear operators D_p associated with $p = 3$. The lump solutions, lump-soliton interaction phenomena and breather-soliton solutions are discussed to the (3+1)-dimensional BLMP-like equation based on the generalized bilinear method with symbolic computation system Mathematica. In order to observe the behavior of those solutions, we fix the value of z , then give the 3D-graphs of some solutions at different times. We find a lump solution moved in oblique direction; a lump-soliton interaction phenomenon is appeared and disappeared along with the time. We also see a kink-breather soliton moved in oblique direction.

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1. Introduction

Many physical and mechanical phenomena are nonlinear. In this way, solving nonlinear differential equations has become a hot issue in the field of applied mathematics. So far, many researchers have proposed and developed various techniques for solving nonlinear differential equations, such as Lie symmetry [3, 35], Hirota bilinear method [4, 12, 20, 21, 25, 30], homotopy perturbation method [10, 11, 33, 34], homotopy analysis method [13], the Adomian decomposition method [1, 27] (ADM), auxiliary equation methods [8, 32] and so on.

Among those techniques, the Hirota bilinear method was proposed by Japan's famous mathematician and physicist Ryogo Hirota [12] for solving nonlinear differential equations. If a nonlinear differential equation has the bilinear form, one can find its many physical characteristics by its many kinds of exact solutions. Based on the Hirota bilinear operator, in recent years, researchers found lump solutions of some differential equations to explain many physical phenomena in various subjects, including plasma physics, shallow water waves and optical media [9, 26, 28].

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Based on Hirota bilinear operators, Ma [17–19] proposed the generalized bilinear differential operators as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
& D_{p,x}^m D_{p,t}^n f \cdot f \\
&= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \alpha_p \frac{\partial}{\partial x'} \right)^m \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \alpha_p \frac{\partial}{\partial t'} \right)^n f(x,t) f(x',t') \Big|_{\substack{x'=x \\ t'=t}} \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{m}{i} \binom{n}{j} \alpha_p^i \alpha_p^j \frac{\partial^{m-i}}{\partial x^{m-i}} \frac{\partial^i}{\partial x'^i} \frac{\partial^{n-j}}{\partial t^{n-j}} \frac{\partial^j}{\partial t'^j} f(x,t) f(x',t') \Big|_{\substack{x'=x \\ t'=t}} \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^m \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{m}{i} \binom{n}{j} \alpha_p^i \alpha_p^j \frac{\partial^{m+n-i-j} f(x,t)}{\partial x^{m-i} t^{n-j}} \frac{\partial^{i+j} f(x,t)}{\partial x^i t^j}, \quad m, n \geq 0, \quad (1.1)
\end{aligned}$$

where the α_p^s satisfies:

$$\alpha_p^s = (-1)^{r_p(s)}, \quad s = r_p(s) \bmod p,$$

and

$$\alpha_p^i \alpha_p^j \neq \alpha_p^{i+j}, \quad i, j \geq 0,$$

when the prime number $p \geq 2$. For different prime numbers p , Hirota bilinear equations have been generalized to generate diverse nonlinear differential equations possessing potential applications. In recent years, based on the generalized bilinear differential operators, the lump solutions, rational solution and interaction solutions are discussed. For example, new periodic wave, cross-kink wave and the interaction phenomenon for the Jimbo-Miwa-like equation [36], lump solutions with higher-order rational dispersion to the second KPI equation [23], lump and interaction solutions to linear PDEs in 2+1 dimensions [22], determining lump solutions for a combined soliton equation in (2+1)-dimensions [29], lump solutions to a combined equation involving three types of nonlinear terms relations [24], lump solutions to a (2+1)-dimensional fifth-order KdV-like equation [2], lump solutions to dimensionally reduced Kadomtsev-Petviashvili-like equations [31], interaction solutions to the (3+1)-dimensional Kadomtsev-Petviashvili-Boussinesq-like equation [15], rational solutions to two Sawada Kotera-like equations [6], rational solutions to a Hirota-Satsuma-like equation [14], rational solutions to an extended Kadomtsev-Petviashvili-like equation [16], rational solutions to a Kdv-like Equation [37] and rational solutions to a generalized (2+1)-dimensional Shallow-Water-Wave-like equation [7].

In this paper, based on the above techniques, we would like to introduce a BLMP-like equation by the generalized bilinear operators. Then, we will discuss its lump solutions, lump-soliton interaction phenomena and breather-soliton solutions.

2. The (3+1)-dimensional BLMP-like equation

The (3+1)-dimensional BLMP equation [5] is as follows:

$$u_{yt} + u_{zt} + u_{xxx} + u_{xxx} - 3u_x(u_{xy} + u_{xz}) - 3u_{xx}(u_y + u_z) = 0.$$

Its bilinear equation is as follows:

$$B_{BLMP}(f) := (D_y D_t + D_z D_t + D_y D_x^3 + D_z D_x^3) f \cdot f.$$

Based on the generalized bilinear operator (1.1), when prime number $p = 3$, the generalized bilinear equation is

$$\begin{aligned} B_{BLMP-like}(f) &:= (D_{3,y} D_{3,t} + D_{3,z} D_{3,t} + D_{3,y} D_{3,x}^3 + D_{3,z} D_{3,x}^3) f \cdot f \\ &= -2f_t f_y + 2f f_{yt} - 2f_t f_z + 2f f_{zt} + 6f_{xy} f_{xx} \\ &\quad - 6f_x f_{xy} + 6f_{xz} f_{xx} - 6f_x f_{xxz} = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

Through the bilinear transformation $u = -2(\ln f)_x$, the BLMP-like equation is generated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} -4u_{zt} - 4u_{yt} + 6uu_z u_x + 6uu_y u_x + 3u^2 u_{xz} + 3u^2 u_{xy} \\ + 6u_z u_{xx} + 6u_y u_{xx} - 6uu_{xxz} - 6uu_{xxy} = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

3. Lump solutions of the BLMP-like equation

In order to obtain lump solutions, we suppose

$$\begin{aligned} f &= g^2 + h^2 + a_{11} \\ g &= a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z + a_4 t + a_5 \\ h &= a_6 x + a_7 y + a_8 z + a_9 t + a_{10}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.1)$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 11)$ are real constants. With the help of mathematics, by substituting (3.1) into Equation (2.1), we obtain a set of algebraic equations about $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 11)$. Solving the set of algebraic equations, we obtain as the following three-kind lump solutions of the BLMP-like equation.

Case (1):

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 = a_1, a_2 = a_2, a_3 = -a_2, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, \\ a_7 = -a_8, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11}, \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation (2.2) is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q}, \quad (3.3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} p &= 2(2a_1 (a_4 t + a_1 x + a_2 y - a_2 z + a_5) + 2a_6 (a_9 t + a_6 x - a_8 y + a_8 z + a_{10})), \\ q &= (a_4 t + a_1 x + a_2 y - a_2 z + a_5)^2 + (a_9 t + a_6 x - a_8 y + a_8 z + a_{10})^2 + a_{11}. \end{aligned}$$

The evolution 3D-figures are discussed when $z = 1$ as Figure 1, the lump solution is propagated at the oblique direction.

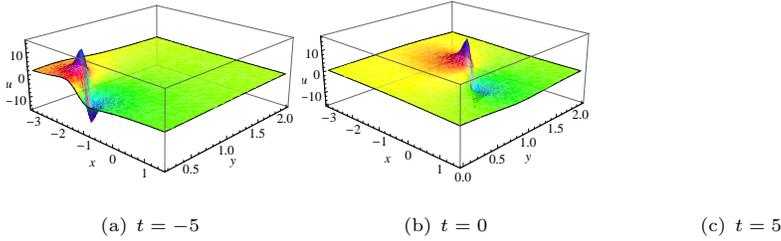


Figure 1. Evolution 3D-figures when $z = 1$ corresponding to $a_1 = 8, a_2 = 10, a_4 = -8, a_5 = 2, a_6 = 1, a_8 = 20, a_9 = 6, a_{10} = 1, a_{11} = 1$.

Case (2):

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_1 &= a_1, a_2 = -\frac{a_1 a_8}{a_6}, a_3 = \frac{a_1 a_8}{a_6}, a_4 = \frac{a_1 a_9}{a_6}, a_5 = a_5, \\
 a_6 &= a_6, a_7 = -a_8, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11},
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.4}$$

when $a_6 \neq 0$, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},
 \tag{3.5}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 p &= 4 \left(a_1^2 (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8(z - y)) + a_6^2 (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8(z - y) + a_{10}) + a_5 a_6 a_1 \right), \\
 q &= a_6 \left(\frac{(a_1 (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8(z - y)) + a_5 a_6)^2}{a_6^2} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8(z - y) + a_{10})^2 + a_{11} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

Case (3):

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_1 &= a_1, a_2 = a_2, a_3 = -a_2, a_4 = -\frac{a_1 a_9}{a_6}, a_5 = a_5, \\
 a_6 &= a_6, a_7 = -a_8, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = 0, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11},
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.6}$$

when $a_6 \neq 0$, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},
 \tag{3.7}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 p &= 2 \left(2a_1 \left(a_1 \left(\frac{a_9 t}{a_6} + x \right) + a_2(y - z) + a_5 \right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + 2a_6 (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8(z - y) + a_{10}) \right),
 \end{aligned}$$

$$q = \left(a_1 \left(\frac{a_9 t}{a_6} + x \right) + a_2 (y - z) + a_5 \right)^2 + (a_9 t + a_6 x + a_8 (z - y) + a_{10})^2 + a_{11}.$$

4. Interaction phenomenons between lump and soliton solutions

Assuming

$$\begin{aligned} f &= g^2 + h^2 + \cosh(\xi) + a_{16}, \\ g &= a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 z + a_4 t + a_5, \\ h &= a_6 x + a_7 y + a_8 z + a_9 z + a_{10}, \\ \xi &= a_{11} x + a_{12} y + a_{13} z + a_{14} t + a_{15}, \end{aligned} \quad (4.1)$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 16)$ are real constants determine later. With the help of Mathematic, substituting (4.1) into Equation (2.1), solving the determining equations of $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 16)$, we obtain the following seven-kind interaction solutions of the BLMP-like equation.

Case (1):

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= a_1, a_2 = -a_4, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, \\ a_{10} &= a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11}, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = a_{13}, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16}, \end{aligned} \quad (4.2)$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q}, \quad (4.3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} p &= 2(2a_1(a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5) + 2a_6(a_8 t + a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10}) \\ &\quad + a_{11} \sinh(a_{13} t + a_{11} x - a_{14} y + a_{14} z + a_{15})), \\ q &= (a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5)^2 + (a_8 t + a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10})^2 \\ &\quad + \cosh(a_{13} t + a_{11} x - a_{14} y + a_{14} z + a_{15}) + a_{16}. \end{aligned}$$

The evolution 3D-figures of a special interaction phenomenon are given along with the time, when $z = 2$ in Figure 2.

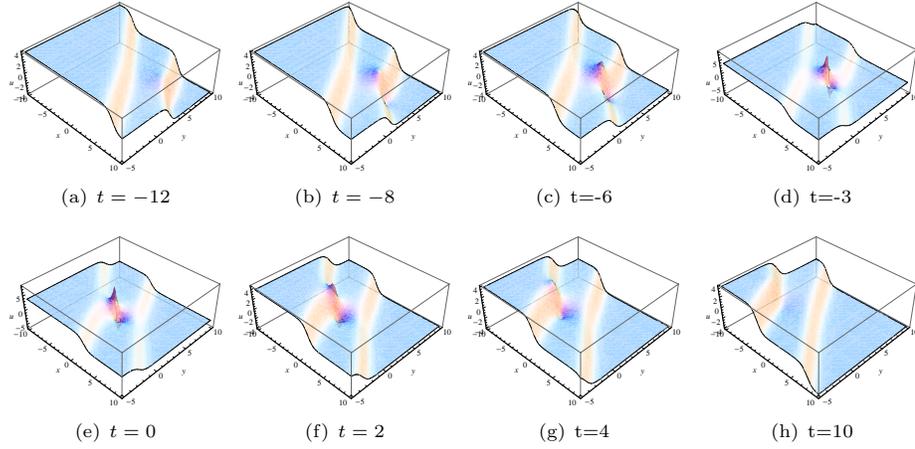


Figure 2. Evolution 3D-figures of lump-soliton phenomenon when $z = 2$ corresponding to $a_1 = 5, a_3 = 6, a_4 = -8, a_5 = 2, a_6 = 6, a_8 = 2, a_9 = 10, a_{10} = 1, a_{11} = -2, a_{13} = -1, a_{14} = 2, a_{15} = 1, a_{16} = 1$

Case (2)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = 0, a_3 = -3a_1a_{11}^2, a_4 = 0, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, a_7 = a_7, a_8 = a_8, a_{10} = a_{10}, \\ a_9 = -a_7, a_{11} = a_{11}, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

where

$$p = 2(2a_6(a_8t + a_6x + a_7(y - z) + a_{10}) + 2a_1(a_1(x - 3a_{11}^2t) + a_5) \\ + a_{11} \sinh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15})), \\ q = (a_8t + a_6x + a_7(y - z) + a_{10})^2 + (a_1(x - 3a_{11}^2t) + a_5)^2 \\ + \cosh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

Case (3)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = 0, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = 0, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, a_7 = a_7, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = -a_7, \\ a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11}, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

$$p = 2(2a_6(a_8t + a_6x + a_7(y - z) + a_{10}) + 2a_1(a_3t + a_1x + a_5) \\ + a_{11} \sinh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15})),$$

$$q = (a_8t + a_6x + a_7(y - z) + a_{10})^2 + (a_3t + a_1x + a_5)^2 \\ + \cosh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

Case (4)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = a_2, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = -a_2, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, \\ a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11}, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

$$p = 2(2a_1(a_3t + a_1x + a_2(y - z) + a_5) + 2a_6(a_8t + a_6x - a_9y + a_9z + a_{10}) \\ + a_{11} \sinh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15})), \\ q = (a_3t + a_1x + a_2(y - z) + a_5)^2 + (a_8t + a_6x - a_9y + a_9z + a_{10})^2 \\ + \cosh(a_{11}x + a_{14}(z - y) + a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

Case (5)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = -\frac{a_3a_9}{a_8}, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = \frac{a_3a_9}{a_8}, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = \frac{a_1a_8}{a_3}, a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, \\ a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = 0, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, when $a_3 \neq 0$ and $a_8 \neq 0$ the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

where

$$p = 4a_1 \left(\frac{a_8(a_3(a_8t + a_9(z - y) + a_{10}) + a_1a_8x)}{a_3^2} + a_3t + a_1x - \frac{a_3a_9y}{a_8} + \frac{a_3a_9z}{a_8} + a_5 \right), \\ q = \frac{(a_3(a_8t + a_9(z - y)) + a_1a_8x + a_5a_8)^2}{a_8^2} \\ + \left(a_8 \left(\frac{a_1x}{a_3} + t \right) + a_9(z - y) + a_{10} \right)^2 + \cosh(a_{14}(y - z) - a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

Case (6)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = -a_4, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = \frac{a_1a_8}{a_3}, a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, \\ a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = 0, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, when $a_3 \neq 0$ the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

where

$$p = 4a_1 \left(\frac{a_8 (a_3 (a_8 t + a_9 (z - y) + a_{10}) + a_1 a_8 x)}{a_3^2} + a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5 \right),$$

$$q = (a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5)^2 + \left(a_8 \left(\frac{a_1 x}{a_3} + t \right) + a_9 (z - y) + a_{10} \right)^2$$

$$+ \cosh (a_{14} (y - z) - a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

Case (7)

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = -a_4, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6, a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9,$$

$$a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = 0, a_{12} = -a_{14}, a_{13} = 0, a_{14} = a_{14}, a_{15} = a_{15}, a_{16} = a_{16},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = -\frac{p}{q},$$

where

$$p = 2(2a_1 (a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5) + 2a_6 (a_8 t + a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10})),$$

$$q = (a_3 t + a_1 x - a_4 y + a_4 z + a_5)^2 + (a_8 t + a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10})^2$$

$$+ \cosh (a_{14} (y - z) - a_{15}) + a_{16}.$$

5. Breather-soliton solution

To search for the breather-soliton solution of the Boiti-Leon-Manna-Pempinelli-like equation, we would like to start from an ansatz

$$f = e^{-g} + e^g + \cos(h) + a_{11},$$

$$g = a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3 t + a_4 z + a_5, \quad (5.1)$$

$$h = a_6 x + a_7 y + a_8 t + a_9 z + a_{10}.$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 11)$ are real constants determined later. With the help of mathematics, by substituting (5.1) into Equation (2.1), solving the determining equations of $a_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 11)$, we obtain the following two kinds of solution as follows:

Case (1):

$$a_1 = a_1, a_2 = -a_4, a_3 = a_3, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6,$$

$$a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11},$$

where $a_i (i = 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = \frac{\xi}{\eta},$$

$$\xi = 2a_6 \sin (a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10}),$$

$$\eta = \cos (a_6 x - a_9 y + a_9 z + a_{10}) + e^{a_4 y - a_4 z - a_5} + e^{a_4 (-y) + a_4 z + a_5} + a_{11}.$$

The evolution 3D-figures and contour plots of a special breather-soliton solution are given along with the time, when $z = 1$ in Figure 3.

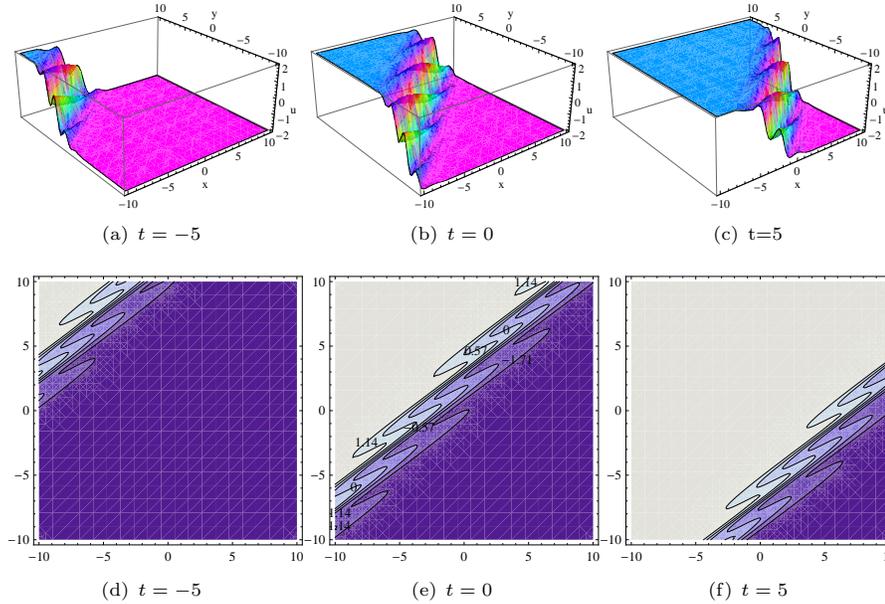


Figure 3. The evolution 3D-figures and contour plots when $z = 1$ corresponding to $a_1 = 1, a_3 = -1, a_4 = 1, a_5 = 2, a_6 = 2, a_8 = 2, a_9 = 3, a_{10} = 3, a_{11} = 3$

Case (2)

$$a_1 = 0, a_2 = -a_4, a_3 = 0, a_4 = a_4, a_5 = a_5, a_6 = a_6,$$

$$a_7 = -a_9, a_8 = a_8, a_9 = a_9, a_{10} = a_{10}, a_{11} = a_{11},$$

where $a_i (i = 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11)$ are arbitrary constants, the corresponding solution to BLMP-like equation is as follows:

$$u(x, y, z, t) = \frac{2a_6 \sin(a_6x - a_9y + a_9z + a_{10})}{\cos(a_6x - a_9y + a_9z + a_{10}) + e^{a_4(y-z)-a_5} + e^{a_4(z-y)+a_5} + a_{11}}.$$

6. Discussion and conclusions

Based on the generalized bilinear operators (1.1), a (3+1)-dimensional Boiti-Leon-Manna-Pempinelli-like equation was introduced. Through discussing lump solutions of the BLMP-like equation, we found three kinds of lump solutions. From Figure 1, we can see that one special lump solution moves at the oblique direction.

Through discussing lump-soliton interaction phenomenon, we obtain seven-kind interaction solutions. From one special solution, we can see the interaction phenomenon is appeared and disappeared along with the time as Figure 2. Through discussing the breather-soliton, we get two-kinds breather-soliton solution. From Figure 3, we can see a kink-breather soliton moved in oblique direction.

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