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$$\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + aw + bw^n.$$

***Klein–Gordon equation with a power-law nonlinearity - 1.***

1°. Traveling-wave solutions for  $a > 0$ :

$$w(x, t) = \left[ \frac{2b \sinh^2 z}{a(n+1)} \right]^{\frac{1}{1-n}}, \quad z = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{a} (1-n)(x \sinh C_1 \pm t \cosh C_1) + C_2 \quad \text{if } b(n+1) > 0,$$

$$w(x, t) = \left[ -\frac{2b \cosh^2 z}{a(n+1)} \right]^{\frac{1}{1-n}}, \quad z = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{a} (1-n)(x \sinh C_1 \pm t \cosh C_1) + C_2 \quad \text{if } b(n+1) < 0,$$

where  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are arbitrary constants.

2°. Traveling-wave solutions for  $a < 0$  and  $b(n+1) > 0$ :

$$w(x, t) = \left[ -\frac{2b \cos^2 z}{a(n+1)} \right]^{\frac{1}{1-n}}, \quad z = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{|a|} (1-n)(x \sinh C_1 \pm t \cosh C_1) + C_2.$$

3°. For  $a = 0$ , there is a self-similar solution of the form  $w = t^{\frac{2}{1-n}} F(z)$ , where  $z = x/t$ .

4°. For other exact solutions of this equation, see the [nonlinear Klein–Gordon equation](#) with  $f(w) = aw + bw^n$ .

## Reference

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