

5 Dirichlet problem for the inhomogeneous polyharmonic equation in the upper half plane

The representation formula (2.17) suggests a Dirichlet problem for the inhomogeneous polyharmonic equation. For treating this problem the kernel functions in (2.17) have to be calculated first. This is done by using the next rule.

Lemma 10 *For $f, g \in C^{2\rho}(D; \mathbb{C})$, $1 \leq \rho$, $D \subset \mathbb{C}$ open and g harmonic, i.e. $\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}} g = 0$ in D*

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\rho} f g = g (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\rho} f + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \{ \partial_z^{\tau} \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho} f \partial_z^{\rho-\tau} g + \partial_z^{\rho} \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\tau} f \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho-\tau} g \}.$$

The proof follows by induction.

By the symmetry of the Green functions Lemma 3 can be reformulated.

Lemma 11 *For $1 \leq \rho < n$, $z, \zeta \in \overline{\mathbb{H}}$, $z \neq \zeta$,*

$$\begin{aligned} & (\partial_{\zeta} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{\rho} G_n(z, \zeta) = G_{n-\rho}(z, \zeta) \\ & + \sum_{\mu=0}^{\rho-1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1}}{(n-\mu-2)!(n-\mu-1)!} (\partial_{\zeta} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{\rho-\mu} \check{G}_{n-\mu}(z, \zeta) \end{aligned}$$

with

$$\partial_{\zeta} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}} \check{G}_{\tau}(z, \zeta) = (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{\tau-2} g_1(z, \zeta)$$

and

$$g_1(z, \zeta) = \frac{1}{\bar{\zeta} - z} - \frac{1}{\zeta - \bar{z}},$$

for $2 \leq \tau$.

Lemma 12 *For $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $z \in \mathbb{H}$ and $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n-2$*

$$(\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, t) = \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2\nu-2} (-1)^{n-\mu-\nu} \frac{(n-\mu-\nu-2)!}{\nu!(n-\mu-1)!} \\ \times (z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1} g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, t), \quad (5.1)$$

where $g_\alpha(z, \zeta)$ is given in (1.9) for $1 \leq \alpha$.

Proof For $1 \leq k$

$$\partial_\zeta^\rho \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^\tau (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^k = \begin{cases} (-1)^\tau \frac{k!}{(k-\rho-\tau)!} (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{k-\rho-\tau}, & \rho + \tau \leq k, \\ 0, & k < \rho + \tau. \end{cases}$$

Moreover,

$$\partial_\zeta^\sigma g_1(z, \zeta) = (-1)^{\sigma+1} \frac{\sigma!}{(\zeta - \bar{z})^{\sigma+1}}, \\ \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^\sigma g_1(z, \zeta) = (-1)^\sigma \frac{\sigma!}{(\bar{\zeta} - z)^{\sigma+1}}.$$

Thus applying Lemma 10

$$(\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-\mu-1} \check{G}_{n-\mu}(z, \zeta) = g_1(z, \zeta) (\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-\mu-2} (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{n-\mu-2} \\ + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\nu, n-\mu-\nu-3\}} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \binom{n-\mu-\nu-2}{\tau} \\ \times \frac{(n-\mu-2)!(n-\mu-\nu-\tau-2)!}{(\nu-\tau)!} (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{\nu-\tau} g_{n-\mu-\nu-\tau-1}(z, \zeta).$$

For $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$ this is

$$(\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-\mu-1} \check{G}_n(z, \zeta) = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \frac{(n-\mu-2)!(n-\mu-2-\nu)!}{\nu!} \\ \times g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, \zeta), & 2\nu + \mu + 2 \leq n, \\ 0, & n < 2\nu + \mu + 2, \end{cases}$$

so that for $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$

$$(\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, \zeta) = \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2\nu-2} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \frac{(n-\nu-\mu-2)!}{\nu!(n-\mu-1)!} \\ \times (z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1} g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, \zeta).$$

Lemma 13 For $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $z \in \mathbb{H}$ and $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n-2$

$$\partial_\zeta^{n-\nu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, t) = \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2\nu-1} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \frac{(n-\nu-\mu-2)!}{(\nu-1)!(n-\mu-1)!} \\ \times (z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1} g_{n-\mu-2\nu}(z, t) + \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2\nu-2} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \frac{(n-\nu-\mu-2)!}{\nu!(n-\mu-1)!} \\ \times (z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1} \partial_\zeta g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, t) \quad (5.2)$$

and

$$\partial_\zeta^n \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-1} G_n(z, t) = - \left(\frac{z - \bar{z}}{t - \bar{z}} \right)^n \frac{1}{t - z}. \quad (5.3)$$

Proof For proper μ and ν

$$\partial_\zeta^{n-\nu-\mu-1} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-\mu-2} (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{n-\mu-2} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-\nu-\mu} \frac{(n-\mu-2)!}{(2\nu+\mu+1-n)!} \\ \times (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{2\nu+\mu+1-n}, & n \leq 2\nu + \mu + 1, \\ 0, & 2\nu + \mu + 1 < n. \end{cases}$$

Lemma 10 applied shows

$$\partial_\zeta^{n-\nu-\mu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-\mu-1} \check{G}_{n-\mu}(z, \zeta) = g_1(z, \zeta) \partial_\zeta (\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-\mu-2}$$

$$+ \partial_\zeta g_1(z, \zeta) (\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-\mu-2} (\zeta - \bar{\zeta})^{n-\mu-2} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\nu, n-\nu-\mu-3\}} (-1)^{n-\mu-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \times \binom{n-\mu-\nu-2}{\tau} \frac{(n-\mu-2)!(n-\mu-\nu-\tau-2)!}{(\nu-\tau)!} \\ & \times \{(\nu-\tau)(\zeta-\bar{\zeta})^{\nu-\tau-1}g_{n-\mu-\nu-\tau-1}(z, \zeta) + (\zeta-\bar{\zeta})^{\nu-\tau}\partial_\zeta g_{n-\mu-\nu-\tau-1}(z, \zeta)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Arguing as in the preceding proof this is for $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$ and $1 \leq \nu$

$$\begin{aligned} & \partial_\zeta^{n-\nu-\mu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-\mu-1} \check{G}_{n-\mu}(z, \zeta) \\ &= \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-\mu-\nu} (n-\mu-2)! g_1(z, \zeta), & n = 2\nu + \mu + 1, \\ (-1)^{n-\mu-\nu} \frac{(n-\mu-2)!(n-\mu-\nu-2)!}{\nu!} \{ \nu g_{n-\mu-2\nu}(z, \zeta) \\ \quad + \partial_\zeta g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, \zeta) \}, & 2\nu + \mu + 2 \leq n, \\ 0, & n < 2\nu + \mu + 1, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

and for $\nu = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} & \partial_\zeta^{n-\mu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\mu-1} \check{G}_{n-\mu}(z, \zeta) \\ &= \begin{cases} (-1)^{n-\mu} (n-\mu-2)! g_1(z, \zeta), & n = \mu + 1, \\ (-1)^{n-\mu} (n-\mu-2)!^2 \partial_\zeta g_{n-\mu-1}(z, \zeta), & \mu + 2 \leq n, \\ 0, & n < \mu + 1. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Hence for $1 \leq \nu$ and $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \partial_\zeta^{n-\nu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, \zeta) = (-1)^{\nu-1} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{2\nu}}{(2\nu)!} g_1(z, \zeta) \\ &+ \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2\nu-2} (-1)^{n-\mu-\nu} \frac{(n-\mu-\nu-2)!}{\nu!(n-\mu-1)!} \{ \nu g_{n-\mu-2\nu}(z, \zeta) \\ &\quad + \partial_\zeta g_{n-\mu-2\nu-1}(z, \zeta) \}. \end{aligned}$$

Observing for $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$

$$\partial_\zeta G_1(z, \zeta) = -g_1(z, \zeta),$$

$$\partial_\zeta G_{\nu+1}(z, \zeta) = 0$$

for $1 \leq \nu$, then for $\zeta = \bar{\zeta}$

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_\zeta^n \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-1} G_n(z, \zeta) &= \frac{1}{\zeta - \bar{z}} - \frac{1}{\zeta - z} + \sum_{\mu=0}^{n-2} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\mu-1}}{(\zeta - \bar{z})^{n-\mu}} \\ &= - \left(\frac{z - \bar{z}}{\zeta - \bar{z}} \right)^n \frac{1}{\zeta - z}. \end{aligned}$$

This last formula can be gained from differentiating (1.5) with z interchanged with ζ .

For checking the boundary behaviour of the function given in (2.17) besides the kernel functions (5.1), (5.2), (5.3) also their proper derivatives have to be calculated. On the basis of Lemma 12 and Lemma 13 denote for $1 \leq n, t \in \mathbb{R}, z \in \mathbb{H}$

$$A = \partial_\zeta^n \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-1} G_n(z, t) = - \left(\frac{z - \bar{z}}{t - \bar{z}} \right)^n \frac{1}{t - z}, \quad (5.4)$$

$$B = (\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-1} G_n(z, t) = \sum_{\mu=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu+1} \frac{1}{\mu} (z - \bar{z})^\mu g_\mu(z, t), \quad (5.5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_\nu &= \partial_\zeta^{n-\nu} \partial_{\bar{\zeta}}^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, t) = \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu-\nu-1} \frac{(\mu - \nu - 1)!}{\mu! (\nu - 1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\mu}{(t - z)^{\mu-2\nu+1}} \\ &\quad + \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} (-1)^\mu \frac{(\mu - \nu)!}{\mu! \nu!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\mu}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu+1}} \end{aligned} \quad (5.6)$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} D_\nu &= (\partial_\zeta \partial_{\bar{\zeta}})^{n-\nu-1} G_n(z, t) = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu-\nu-1} \frac{(\mu - \nu - 1)!}{\mu! \nu!} \\ &\quad \times (z - \bar{z})^\mu g_{\mu-2\nu}(z, t) \end{aligned} \quad (5.7)$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 2$.

Lemma 14 For $1 \leq n, t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $z \in \mathbb{H}$

$$\partial_{\bar{z}} A = -n \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+1}},$$

$$\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}} A = -n(n-1) \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+1}},$$

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} A = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^{\tau+1} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \frac{(n + \nu - \tau)!}{(n - \nu - \tau - 1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau+1}}$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 2$,

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^\nu A = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{\tau+1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n + \nu - \tau - 1)!}{(n - \nu - \tau - 1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}}$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 1$.

Proof Rewriting

$$A = \frac{z - \bar{z}}{|t - z|^2} - \sum_{\nu=1}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{\nu+1}}$$

and differentiating shows the first two formulas.

Applying $(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\nu$ to the first formula and applying Lemma 10 shows

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} A = - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \frac{n!(-1)^\tau}{(n - 1 - \nu - \tau)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1-\nu-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+1+\nu-\tau}} \frac{(n + \nu - \tau)!}{n!}.$$

Similarly from the second formula

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^\nu A = - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{n!(-1)^\tau}{(n - 1 - \nu - \tau)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1-\nu-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}} \frac{(n + \nu - \tau - 1)!}{n!}$$

follows.

Lemma 15 For $1 \leq n, t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $z \in \mathbb{H}$

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_{\bar{z}} B &= -g_1(z, t) - \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^n} - \sum_{\mu=1}^{n-2} (-1)^\mu \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\mu}{(t - z)^{\mu+1}} \\ &= -\frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^n} + \left(\frac{\bar{z} - z}{t - z}\right)^{n-1} \frac{1}{t - \bar{z}}, \\ \partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}} B &= -(n-1)(z - \bar{z})^{n-2} g_n(z, t),\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} B &= \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{\nu-1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-2)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-2)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-2}}{(t - z)^{n+\nu-\tau-1}} \\ &\quad + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^{n+1-\tau} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-1)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}}\end{aligned}$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n-2$,

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^\nu B = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^\nu \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-2)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} (z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1} g_{n+\nu-\tau-1}(z, t)$$

for $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n-1$.

Proof Differentiating (5.5) gives

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_{\bar{z}} B &= \sum_{\mu=1}^{n-1} \left\{ (-1)^\mu (z - \bar{z})^{\mu-1} g_\mu(z, t) - \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\mu}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu+1}} \right\} \\ &= -g_1(z, t) + \sum_{\mu=2}^{n-1} \left\{ (-1)^\mu \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-1}}{(t - z)^\mu} + \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^\mu} \right\} - \sum_{\mu=2}^n \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^\mu}\end{aligned}$$

which is the first expression. Differentiating again shows

$$\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}} B = -(n-1) \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2}}{(t - \bar{z})^n} - (n-1) \left(\frac{\bar{z} - z}{t - z} \right)^{n-2} \frac{1}{(t - z)^2}$$

$$= -(n-1)(z-\bar{z})^{n-2}g_n(z,t).$$

Proceeding as in the preceding proof leads to

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^\nu B &= - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n-1)!(-1)^\nu}{(n-1-\tau-\nu)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-1-\tau-\nu}}{(t-z)^{n+\nu-1-\tau}} \\ &\times \frac{(n-1+\nu-1-\tau)!}{(n-1)!} - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n-1)!(-1)^{\tau+n}}{(n-1-\tau-\nu)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-1-\tau-\nu}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n+\nu-1-\tau}} \\ &\times \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-2)!}{(n-1)!} = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^\nu \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-2)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} \\ &\times (z-\bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1} g_{n+\nu-\tau-1}(z,t) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} B &= \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{\nu+1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-2)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-2)!} \\ &\times (z-\bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-2} g_{n+\nu-\tau-1}(z,t) + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{n-\tau-1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \\ &\times \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-1)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}} = \sum_{\tau=1}^{\nu} (-1)^{\nu+1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau-1} \\ &\times \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-1)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} (z-\bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1} \frac{(-1)^{n+\nu-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{\nu+1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \\ &\times \frac{(n+\nu-\tau-1)!}{(n-\nu-\tau-1)!} (z-\bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-1} \frac{(-1)^{n+\nu-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n+\nu-\tau}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} (-1)^{\nu+1} \binom{\nu-1}{\tau} \end{aligned}$$

$$\times \frac{(n + \nu - \tau - 2)!}{(n - \nu - \tau - 2)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\nu-\tau-2}}{(t - z)^{n+\nu-\tau-1}}.$$

There are the formulas in the lemma.

Lemma 16 For $2 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 1$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$, $z \in \mathbb{H}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho C_\nu &= \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\rho+\mu-\nu-1} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \frac{(\mu - \nu - 1)!(\mu - 2\nu + \rho - \tau)!}{(\nu - 1)!(\mu - \rho - \tau)!(\mu - 2\nu)!} \\ &\quad \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t - z)^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} + \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\nu+\tau} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \\ &\quad \times \frac{(\mu - \nu)!(\mu - 2\nu + \rho - \tau)!}{\nu!(\mu - \rho - \tau)!(\mu - 2\nu)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} \end{aligned}$$

for $0 \leq \rho \leq \nu$,

$$\begin{aligned} (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\nu C_\nu &= \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} \left\{ (-1)^{\mu-1} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \binom{\mu - \nu - 1}{\nu - 1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t - z)^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-1)^{\nu+\tau} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \binom{\mu - \nu}{\nu} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right\} \\ &= - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} \binom{\nu}{\tau} (z - \bar{z})^{\nu-\tau} g_{\nu-\tau+1}(z, t) \\ &\quad + \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^{\mu-1} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \left\{ \binom{\mu - \nu - 1}{\nu - 1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t - z)^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (-1)^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1} \binom{\mu - \nu}{\nu} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right\} \\ &= \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \left\{ (-1)^{\mu-1} \binom{\mu - \nu - 1}{\nu - 1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu} (t - \bar{z})^\nu}{(t - z)^{\mu-\nu+1}} \right. \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \binom{\mu - \nu}{\nu} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu} (t - z)^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-\nu+1}} \},$$

$$\partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} C_\nu = \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\rho+\mu-\nu} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \frac{(\mu-\nu-1)! (\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau)!}{(\nu-1)! (\mu-\rho-\tau-1)! (\mu-2\nu)!}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau-1}}{(t - z)^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} + \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho+1} (-1)^{\tau+\nu} \binom{\rho+1}{\tau} \frac{(\mu-\nu)! (\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1)!}{\nu! (\mu-\rho-\tau)! (\mu-2\nu)!} \\ & \quad \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+2}} \end{aligned}$$

for $0 \leq \rho < \nu$,

$$\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} C_\nu = (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{(\nu-1)! (n-2\nu-1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1} (t - \bar{z})^{\nu-1}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu}}$$

$$+ \frac{(\mu-\nu)!}{\nu! (\mu-2\nu-1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1} (t - z)^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+1}},$$

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\nu+1} C_\nu = (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{(\nu-1)! (n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-2} (t - \bar{z})^{\nu-1}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu}}$$

$$+ (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(n-\nu)!}{(\nu-1)! (n-2\nu-1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1} (t - \bar{z})^{\nu-1}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu+1}}$$

$$+ \frac{(n-\nu)!}{\nu! (n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-2} (t - z)^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+1}}$$

$$- \frac{(n-\nu)!}{(\nu-1)! (n-2\nu-1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1} (t - z)^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+1}},$$

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\nu+\rho} C_\nu = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-\rho} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \binom{\rho-1}{\sigma}$$

$$\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1}(t - \bar{z})^{\nu+\sigma-\rho}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau}}$$

$$+ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\sigma+\tau} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho}{\sigma}$$

$$\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1}(t - z)^{\nu+\sigma-\rho}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau}}$$

for $2(\nu + \rho) \leq n - 1$,

$$\partial_z^{\nu+\rho} \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+\rho+1} C_\nu = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu+1\}}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-1-\rho} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \binom{\rho}{\sigma}$$

$$\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma - 1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1}(t - \bar{z})^{\nu-\rho+\sigma-1}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau}}$$

$$+ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\sigma+\tau} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \binom{\rho}{\sigma}$$

$$\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1}(t - z)^{\nu-\rho+\sigma}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau+1}}$$

for $2(\nu + \rho) \leq n - 1$.

Lemma 17 For $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n - 2$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $z \in \mathbb{H}$

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho D_\nu = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\mu-\nu-1+\rho} \binom{\rho}{\tau}$$

$$\times \frac{(\mu - \nu - 1)!(\mu - 2\nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{\nu!(\mu - \tau - \rho)!(\mu - 2\nu - 1)!} (z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\tau-\rho} g_{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau}(z, t)$$

for $0 \leq \rho \leq \nu$,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} D_\nu = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\mu-\nu+\rho} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \\
& \times \frac{(\mu-\nu-1)!(\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1)!}{\nu!(\mu-\tau-\rho-1)!(\mu-2\nu-1)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau-1}}{(t-z)^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau}} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho+1} (-1)^{\tau+\nu-1} \binom{\rho+1}{\tau} \frac{(\mu-\nu-1)!(\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau)!}{\nu!(\mu-\tau-\rho)!(\mu-2\nu-1)!} \\
& \times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}}
\end{aligned}$$

for $0 \leq \rho \leq \nu$,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} D_\nu = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^\mu \binom{\nu}{\tau} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\tau-\nu-1}}{(t-z)^{\mu-\nu-\tau}} \right. \\
& \left. + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu+1} (-1)^{\tau+\nu-1} \binom{\nu+1}{\tau} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right\} \\
& = -g_1(z, t) - \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu-1} \binom{\nu}{\tau} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\nu-\tau}}{(t-z)^{\nu-\tau+1}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^{\nu-\tau-1} \binom{\nu+1}{\tau} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\nu-\tau+1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\nu-\tau+2}} \\
& + \sum_{\mu=2\nu+2}^{n-1} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu} (-1)^\mu \binom{\nu}{\tau} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\tau-\nu-1}}{(t-z)^{\mu-\nu-\tau}} \right. \\
& \left. + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu+1} (-1)^{\tau+\nu-1} \binom{\nu+1}{\tau} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}} \right\} \\
& = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu} \left\{ (-1)^\mu \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu-1}(t-\bar{z})^\nu}{(t-z)^{\mu-\nu}} \right.
\end{aligned}$$

$$+\frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu-1}(t-z)^{\nu+1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-\nu+1}}\},$$

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\nu+1} D_\nu = \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\nu+1} (-1)^\mu \binom{\nu+1}{\tau} \binom{\mu-\nu-1}{\nu}$$

$$\times (\mu - \tau - \nu)(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\tau-\nu-1} g_{\mu-\nu-\tau+1}(z, t) = (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{\nu!(n-2\nu-2)!}$$

$$\times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-2}(t-\bar{z})^\nu}{(t-z)^{n-\nu}} - \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{\nu!(n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1}(t-z)^\nu}{(t-\bar{z})^{n-\nu+1}},$$

$$\partial_z^{\nu+1} \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+2} D_\nu = (-1)^n \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{\nu!(n-2\nu-3)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-3}(t-\bar{z})^\nu}{(t-z)^{n-\nu}}$$

$$+ (-1)^n \frac{(n-\nu-1)!}{(\nu-1)!(n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-2}(t-\bar{z})^{\nu-1}}{(t-z)^{n-\nu}}$$

$$+ \frac{(n-1-\nu)!(n-2\nu-1)}{\nu!(n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-2}(t-z)^\nu}{(t-\bar{z})^{n-\nu+1}}$$

$$- \frac{(n-1-\nu)!(n-\nu+1)}{\nu!(n-2\nu-2)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-1}(t-z)^\nu}{(t-\bar{z})^{n-\nu+2}},$$

$$(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^{\nu+\rho} D_\nu = \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{n+\rho} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho-1}{\sigma}$$

$$\times \frac{(n-\nu+\rho-\tau-2)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2)!(\nu-\rho+\sigma+1)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2}(t-\bar{z})^{\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t-z)^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau-1}}$$

$$+ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho+\tau-\sigma} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho-1}{\sigma} \frac{1}{n-\nu}$$

$$\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 2)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma + 1)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2}(t - z)^{\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau-2}}$$

for $2(\nu + \rho) \leq n - 2$,

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_z^{\nu+\rho} \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+\rho+1} D_\nu &= \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-\rho+1} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho}{\sigma} \\ &\times \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau - 2)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 2)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma)!} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2}(t - \bar{z})^{\nu-\rho+\sigma}}{(t - z)^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau-1}} \\ &+ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-1, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\nu+\rho-\sigma} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \binom{\rho-1}{\sigma} \\ &\times \frac{n - 2\nu - 1}{n - \nu} \frac{(n - \nu + \rho - \tau)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)!(\nu - \rho + \sigma + 1)!} \\ &\times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1}(t - z)^{\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} \end{aligned}$$

for $2(\nu + \rho) \leq n - 2$.

The proof of the last two lemmas follow step by step as indicated in the formulations of them by direct differentiation using Lemma 10 in the same way as for Lemma 14 and Lemma 15.

The boundary behaviour of the function in (2.17) is checked via the property of the Poisson integral (3.10).

Lemma 18 *Let $\gamma \in C(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C})$ be bounded and $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ with $\beta < \alpha + 1$. Then*

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma(t) \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\alpha}{(t - z)^\beta} dt = 0.$$

Proof Rewriting

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\alpha}{(t - z)^\beta} &= \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\alpha-1}}{(t - z)^{\beta-2}} \frac{t - \bar{z}}{t - z} \frac{z - \bar{z}}{|t - z|^2} \\ &= (z - \bar{z})^{\alpha+1-\beta} \left(\frac{t - \bar{z}}{t - z} - 1 \right)^{\beta-2} \frac{t - \bar{z}}{t - z} \frac{z - \bar{z}}{|t - z|^2}, \end{aligned}$$

where the first factor on the right-hand side tends to zero with z tending to \bar{z} with the two middle terms are bounded and the last is the Poisson kernel.

Theorem 21 Let $1 \leq n$ and $|z|^{2(n-1)} f \in L_1(\mathbb{H}; \mathbb{C})$, $\gamma_\nu \in C(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C})$ for $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n-1$ and $\hat{\gamma}_\nu \in C(\mathbb{R}; \mathbb{C})$ for $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n-2$. Then the Dirichlet problem $(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^n w = f$ in \mathbb{H} , $(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\nu w = \gamma_\nu$, $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n-1$, $\partial_z^\nu \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\nu+1} w = \hat{\gamma}_\nu$, $0 \leq 2\nu \leq n-2$ on \mathbb{R} is uniquely solvable if and only if

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\nu=1}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^\nu}{(t - \bar{z})^{\nu+1}} \gamma_0(t) = 0, \quad (5.8)$$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+1}} \gamma_0(t) dt = 0, \quad (5.9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} (-1)^\tau \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \frac{(n + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - \rho - \tau - 1)!} \\ &\times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\rho-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\rho-\tau}} \gamma_0(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.10)$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n-1$,

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^\tau \binom{\rho}{\tau} \frac{(n + \rho - \tau)!}{(n - \rho - \tau - 1)!} \\ &\times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\rho-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\rho-\tau+1}} \gamma_0(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.11)$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n-1$,

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\mu=1}^{n-2} (-1)^{\mu} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu}}{(t - z)^{\mu+1}} + \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^n} \right\} \hat{\gamma}_0(t) dt = 0, \quad (5.12)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} (-1)^{\rho} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\rho-\tau-2)!}{(n-\rho-\tau-1)!} \\ & \times (z - \bar{z})^{n-\rho-\tau-1} g_{n+\rho-\tau-1}(z, t) \hat{\gamma}_0(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.13)$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n-1$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} (-1)^{\rho} \binom{\rho-1}{\tau} \frac{(n+\rho-\tau-2)!}{(n-\rho-\tau-2)!} \right. \\ & \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\rho-\tau-2}}{(t - z)^{n+\rho-\tau-1}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{n-\tau} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \frac{(n+\rho-\tau-1)!}{(n-\rho-\tau-1)!} \\ & \times \left. \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-\rho-\tau-1}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n+\rho-\tau}} \right\} \hat{\gamma}_0(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.14)$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n-2$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-\rho+\nu} \binom{\rho-\nu}{\tau} \right. \\ & \times \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\sigma} \frac{(n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma)!} \\ & \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1} (t - \bar{z})^{2\nu+\sigma-\rho}}{(t - z)^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau}} \\ & + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\nu-\sigma+\tau} \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\tau} \\ & \times \binom{\rho-\nu}{\sigma} \frac{(n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma)!} \\ & \times \left. \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1} (t - z)^{2\nu+\sigma-\rho}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau}} \right\} \gamma_{\nu}(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.15)$$

for $1 \leq \nu \leq \rho - 1$, $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} \binom{\rho}{\tau} (z - \bar{z})^{\rho-\tau} g_{\rho-\tau+1}(z, t) + \sum_{\mu=2\rho+1}^{n-1} \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\mu} \right. \\ & \quad \times \binom{\rho}{\tau} \left\{ \binom{\mu - \rho - 1}{\rho - 1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t - z)^{\mu-\rho-\tau+1}} + (-1)^{\mu-\rho-\tau} \binom{\mu - \rho}{\rho} \right. \\ & \quad \times \left. \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau+1}} \right\} \} \gamma_{\rho}(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.16)$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu+1\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-\rho+\nu} \binom{\rho - \nu}{\tau} \right. \\ & \quad \times \binom{\rho - \nu}{\sigma} \frac{(n - 2\nu + \rho - \tau - 1)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)! (2\nu - \rho + \sigma - 1)!} \\ & \quad \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1} (t - \bar{z})^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma-1}}{(t - z)^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau}} \\ & \quad + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\nu-\sigma+\tau-1} \binom{\rho - \nu}{\tau} \\ & \quad \times \binom{\rho - \nu}{\sigma} \frac{(n - 2\nu + \rho - \tau)!}{(n - 2\nu - \tau - \sigma - 1)! (2\nu - \rho + \sigma)!} \\ & \quad \times \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1} (t - z)^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma}}{(t - \bar{z})^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} \} \gamma_{\nu}(t) dt = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5.17)$$

for $1 \leq \nu \leq \rho$, $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{n+\rho-\nu} \right. \\
& \quad \times \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\sigma} \frac{(n-2\sigma+\rho-\tau-2)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1)!} \\
& \quad \times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2} (t-\bar{z})^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t-z)^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1}} \\
& + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\nu+\tau-\sigma} \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\tau} \\
& \quad \times \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\sigma} \frac{1}{n-\nu} \frac{(n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1)!} \\
& \quad \times \left. \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2} (t-z)^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-2}} \right\} \hat{\gamma}_{\nu}(t) dt = 0 \tag{5.18}
\end{aligned}$$

for $1 \leq \nu \leq \rho - 1$, $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho-1} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\rho-\tau}}{(t-z)^{\rho-\tau+1}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\rho-\tau} \binom{\rho+1}{\tau} \right. \\
& \quad \times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\rho-\tau+1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\rho-\tau+2}} + \sum_{\mu=2\rho+2}^{n-1} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho} (-1)^{\mu+1} \binom{\rho}{\tau} \right. \\
& \quad \times \binom{\mu-\rho-1}{\rho} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\tau-\rho-1}}{(t-z)^{\mu-\rho-\tau}} + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\rho+1} (-1)^{\tau+\rho} \binom{\rho+1}{\tau} \\
& \quad \times \left. \binom{\mu-\rho-1}{\rho} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-\rho-\tau+1}} \right\} \hat{\gamma}_{\rho}(t) = 0 \tag{5.19}
\end{aligned}$$

for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lim_{z \rightarrow \bar{z}} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-2\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-2-\tau\}} (-1)^{n-\rho} \right. \\
& \quad \times \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\tau} \binom{\rho-\nu}{\sigma} \frac{(n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-2)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma)!} \\
& \quad \times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-2} (t-\bar{z})^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma}}{(t-z)^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau-1}} \\
& + \sum_{\tau=0}^{\min\{\rho-\nu, n-2\nu-1\}} \sum_{\sigma=\max\{0, \rho-2\nu-1\}}^{\min\{\rho-\nu-1, n-2\nu-1-\tau\}} (-1)^{\rho-\sigma-1} \binom{\rho-\nu}{\tau} \\
& \quad \times \binom{\rho-\nu-1}{\sigma} \frac{n-2\nu-1}{n-\nu} \frac{(n-2\nu+\rho-\tau)!}{(n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1)!(2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1)!} \\
& \quad \left. \times \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu-\tau-\sigma-1} (t-z)^{2\nu-\rho+\sigma+1}}{(t-\bar{z})^{n-2\nu+\rho-\tau+1}} \right\} \hat{\gamma}_{\nu}(t) dt = 0 \tag{5.20}
\end{aligned}$$

for $1 \leq \nu \leq \rho - 1$, $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 2$.

The solution then is

$$\begin{aligned}
w(z) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \left(\frac{z-\bar{z}}{t-\bar{z}} \right)^n \frac{\gamma_0(t)}{t-z} + \sum_{\mu=1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu}}{\mu} g_{\mu}(z, t) \hat{\gamma}_0(t) \right. \\
&+ \sum_{\nu=1}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \left\{ \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu-\nu} \frac{(\mu-\nu-1)!}{\mu!(\nu-1)!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu}}{(t-z)^{\mu-2\nu+1}} \right. \\
&+ \sum_{\mu=2\nu}^{n-1} (-1)^{\nu-1} \frac{(\mu-\nu)!}{\mu!\nu!} \frac{(z-\bar{z})^{\mu}}{(t-\bar{z})^{\mu-2\nu+1}} \left. \right\} \hat{\gamma}_{\nu}(t) \\
&+ \sum_{\nu=1}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor - 1} \sum_{\mu=2\nu+1}^{n-1} (-1)^{\mu-\nu} \frac{(\mu-\nu-1)!}{\mu!\nu!} (z-\bar{z})^{\mu} g_{\mu-2\nu}(z, t) \hat{\gamma}_{\nu}(t) \} dt \\
&- \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{H}} G_n(z, \zeta) f(\zeta) d\xi d\eta. \tag{5.21}
\end{aligned}$$

Proof The solution (5.21) is shortly represented as

$$\begin{aligned}
w(z) = & -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \{A\gamma_0(t) + B\hat{\gamma}_0(t) + \sum_{\nu=1}^{[\frac{n-1}{2}]} C_{\nu}\gamma_{\nu}(t) \\
& + \sum_{\nu=1}^{[\frac{n}{2}]-1} D_{\nu}\hat{\gamma}_{\nu}(t)\} dt - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\mathbb{H}} G_n(z, \zeta) f(\zeta) d\xi d\eta.
\end{aligned}$$

If the problem has a solution it is representable as (5.21) because of the representation (2.17). From this also the uniqueness follows. It remains to verify that (5.21) is a solution. That it satisfies the differential equation is obvious as all the boundary integrals form a polyharmonic function of order n while the area integral is a particular weak solution of the equation by the respective property of the Pompeiu operator.

Using Lemma 17 for $t_0 \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} w(z) = -\lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A\gamma_0(t) dt$$

is seen. Rewriting A as

$$A = -\frac{z - \bar{z}}{|t - z|^2} + \sum_{\nu=1}^{n-1} \frac{(z - \bar{z})^{\nu}}{(t - \bar{z})^{\nu+1}}$$

and using (3.10)

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow t_0} w(z) = \gamma_0(t)$$

if and only if (5.8) holds.

Similarly

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} w_{\bar{z}}(z) = -\lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \{A_{\bar{z}}\gamma_0(t) + B_{\bar{z}}\hat{\gamma}_0(t)\} dt = \hat{\gamma}_0(t_0)$$

if and only if (5.9) and (5.12) are satisfied.

Moreover, for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho w(z) &= - \lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \{(\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho A \gamma_0(t) + (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho B \hat{\gamma}_0(t) \\ &\quad + \sum_{\nu=1}^{\rho} (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho C_\nu \gamma_\nu(t) + \sum_{\nu=1}^{\rho-1} (\partial_z \partial_{\bar{z}})^\rho D_\nu \hat{\gamma}_\nu(t)\} dt = \gamma_\rho(t_0) \end{aligned}$$

if and only if (5.10), (5.13), (5.15), (5.16) and (5.18) are valid.

Also for $2 \leq 2\rho \leq n - 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} w(z) &= - \lim_{z \rightarrow t_0} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \{ \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} A \gamma_0(t) + \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} B \hat{\gamma}_0(t) \\ &\quad + \sum_{\nu=1}^{\rho} \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} C_\nu \gamma_\nu(t) + \sum_{\nu=1}^{\rho} \partial_z^\rho \partial_{\bar{z}}^{\rho+1} D_\nu \hat{\gamma}_\nu(t) \} dt = \hat{\gamma}_\rho(t_0) \end{aligned}$$

if and only if (5.11), (5.14), (5.17), (5.19) and (5.20) hold.

Remark 11 This Dirichlet problem is uniquely solvable only for $n = 1$. For $1 < n$ the conditions (5.8) - (5.11) are satisfied e.g. if γ_0 is the boundary value of a function analytic in \mathbb{H} . All other solvability conditions are e.g. satisfied if the respective boundary functions are as well boundary values of functions analytic in \mathbb{H} as antianalytic in the complement $\mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{\mathbb{H}}$.

If e.g. ω is an entire analytic function, then denoting $\omega(t) = \gamma(t)$ for $t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\lim_{\substack{z \rightarrow t, \\ z \in \mathbb{H}}} \omega(z) = \gamma(t)$$

for $t \in \mathbb{R}$. Moreover, the function $\omega(\bar{z})$ for $z \in \mathbb{C}$ is antianalytic satisfying

$$\lim_{\substack{\bar{z} \rightarrow t, \\ z \in \mathbb{H}}} \omega(\bar{z}) = \lim_{\substack{\zeta \rightarrow t, \\ \zeta \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{\mathbb{H}}}} \omega(\zeta) = \gamma(t).$$