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CANONIZATION OF THE HYPERSURFACES OF THE FIRST AND THE SECOND DEGREE  
AND APPLICATION FOR THE MAXIMAL ABSOLUTE AND RELATIVE INACCURACIES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we reduce a linear homogeneous form of  $n$  unknowns with an orthogonal transformation of the unknowns in a linear homogeneous form of one unknown with an exactly definite positive coefficient. As an application of this result we find the canonical form of an arbitrary hyperplane in the real  $n$ -dimensional affine Euclidean space  $E_n$ . This method for the obtaining of the canonical forms of the hyperplanes is new, since until now a canonical form of hyperplanes is not defined and is not considered. Besides we find an effective canonical form of the surfaces of the second degree in  $E_n$ . Our method for the canonization of the surfaces of the second degree in  $E_n$  is effective since it gives the exact coefficients of the canonical form of the surface in a dependent of the coefficients of the given surface equation. As an application we give a canonization of the hypersurfaces of the maximal absolute and relative inaccuracies (errors). Besides this method is different from the known approach in the case of the obtaining of a cylinder.

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INTRODUCTION

The canonization of the surfaces of the second degree in the real  $n$ -dimensional affine Euclidean space  $E_n$  is well known ((Efimov, 2005; Konstantinov, 2000), and (Shafarevich, 2013)). In the known canonizations geometric interpretations are made while in our paper we offer an algebraic approach. In this paper we reduce with orthogonal transformation of the unknowns a real linear non-zero form  $f = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n$  of  $n$  unknowns  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  in a linear homogenous form  $g = d_nu_n$  of a unknown  $u_n$  with a positive coefficient  $d_n = \sqrt{a_1^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$ . Giving a definition of a canonical form of a planes in  $E_n$ , we apply the above result and we find the canonical form  $g$  of a surface of these hyperplanes. Until now a canonical form of hyperplanes is not defined and it is not considered. We obtain a effective canonical forms of the surfaces of the second degree in  $E_n$ . Our approach for an obtaining of the canonical form  $g$  in  $E_n$  of a surface  $f$  of the second degree is different from the known methods in a case of a cylinder. Besides this method is effective since it gives the exact coefficients of the canonical form  $g$  in a dependent of the coefficients of  $f$ . As an application of the obtained results we give the canonical forms of the maximal absolute and relative inaccuracies (errors).

1.Reduction of a linear homogenous form in a linear homogenous form of one unknown

In the following result with an orthogonal transformation of the unknowns we reduce a linear homogenous form of  $n$  unknowns in a linear homogenous form of one unknown.

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**Theorem 1.** If  $f = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n$  is a non-zero real linear homogeneous form of  $n$  unknowns  $x_1, \dots, x_n$ , then there exists an orthogonal transformation of the unknowns which reduces  $f$  in linear homogeneous form  $g = d_nu_n$ , where  $d_n = \sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$  is a positive real number.

**Proof.** Let  $n = 1$ , i.e.  $f = a_1x_1$ . If  $a_1 > 0$ , then obviously  $f = \sqrt{a_1^2}x_1 = d_1x_1$ ,  $d_1 = \sqrt{a_1^2} > 0$  and the theorem is proved. If  $a_1 < 0$ , then we apply the orthogonal transformation  $x_1 = -u_1$  and we obtain  $f = (-a_1)u_1 = \sqrt{a_1^2}u_1 = d_1u_1$ ,  $d_1 = \sqrt{a_1^2} > 0$ . Therefore, the theorem holds for  $n = 1$ .

Suppose that  $n \geq 2$ . Let, for determination, it holds  $a_1 \neq 0$ .

At first we reduce the form  $f = a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n$  with an orthogonal transformation of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  in the linear form  $f = d_2y_2 + a_3y_3 + \dots + a_ny_n$ , where  $y_2, \dots, y_n$  are unknowns, i.e. we except the unknown  $x_1$ . Namely, we use the normed vector  $\left(\frac{1}{d_2}, \frac{a_2}{d_2}\right)$ ,  $d_2 = \sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2}$

and we form the linear transformation

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = \frac{a_2}{d_2}y_1 + \frac{1}{d_2}y_2, & x_2 = -\frac{1}{d_2}y_1 + \frac{a_2}{d_2}y_2, & x_i = y_i, & i = 3, \dots, n. \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

It is easily to verify, that this transformation is orthogonal and that  $f = d_2y_2 + a_3y_3 + \dots + a_ny_n$ , i.e. the indicated orthogonal transformation excepts the unknown  $x_1$  in  $f$ .

Suppose, that by the orthogonal transformation  $\{ \dots \}$  from the form (1), where  $1 \leq k-1 \leq n-2$ , it is obtained the linear form

$$f_{k-1} = d_kz_k + a_{k+1}z_{k+1} + \dots + a_nz_n,$$

where  $z_1, \dots, z_n$  are unknowns and  $d_k = \sqrt{a_1^2 + \dots + a_k^2}$ .

In the linear form  $f_{k-1}$  we except the unknown  $z_k$  with the orthogonal transformation

$$\begin{cases} z_k = \frac{a_{k+1}}{d_{k+1}}t_{k-1} + \frac{d_k}{d_{k+1}}t_k, & z_{k+1} = -\frac{d_k}{d_{k+1}}t_{k-1} + \frac{a_{k+1}}{d_{k+1}}t_k, & z_i = t_i, \end{cases}$$

$i = 1, \dots, k-1, k+2, \dots, n$ , where  $d_{k+1} = \sqrt{d_k^2 + a_{k+1}^2}$ ,  $\dots$ ,  $d_{k+1} = \sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_{k+1}^2}$ . In this way we obtain the linear form

$$f_k = d_{k+1}t_{k+1} + a_{k+2}t_{k+2} + \dots + a_nt_n,$$

where  $t_1, \dots, t_n$  are new unknowns.

The induction is ended. Finally we obtain the linear form of the kind  $g = f_{n-1} = d_nu_n$ , where  $u_n$  is an unknown and  $d_n = \sqrt{a_1^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$  is a positive real number. The linear form  $g$  is obtained with a sequential realization of the transforms  $\{ \dots \}$ , i.e. with the product  $\{ \dots \}$ . However it is well known, that the product of orthogonal transformations of the unknowns is an orthogonal transformation of the original unknowns. Therefore,  $\{ \dots \}$  is an orthogonal transformation of  $x_1, \dots, x_n$ , which reduces  $f$  in  $g = d_nu_n$ , where  $d_n = \sqrt{a_1^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$ .

The theorem is proved.  $\square$

## 2. Canonical forms of the hypersurfaces of the first degree

The surfaces of the first degree in the real affine Euclidean space  $E_n$  are given by the equation

$$f_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i + a = 0 \quad (2)$$

where  $a_i, a \in \mathbb{R}$  and at least  $a_i \neq 0$ .

**Definition 1.** We say, that a plain has a canonical form (canonical equation) if this plain has the form  $z = 0$ , where  $z$  is an unknown. Let in  $E_n$  an orthogonal coordinate system  $Ox_1x_2\dots x_n$  is given. We note that the equation  $x_n = 0$  in  $E_n$  is the plain defined by the coordinate axes  $Ox_1, \dots, Ox_{n-1}$ , since every point  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, 0)$  of  $E_n$  satisfies this equation.

In the following result we obtain the canonical form of the plain  $f_1$  given by (2).

**Theorem 2.** In the many-dimensional real affine Euclidean space  $E_n$  the following cases hold for the plain  $f_1$ .

- 1) If at least one coefficient  $a_i$  is non-zero, then the canonical form of  $f_1$  is given by the equation  $z_n = 0$ , i.e. this canonical form the plain, defined by the coordinate axes  $O_1z_1, \dots, O_1z_{n-1}$  of some coordinate system  $O_1z_1z_2\dots z_n$  of  $E_n$ .
- 2) If  $a_1 = \dots = a_n = a = 0$ , then  $f_1$  is the space  $E_n$ .
- 3) If  $a_1 = \dots = a_n = 0$  and  $a \neq 0$ , then  $f_1$  is the empty set.

**Proof.** Statements 2) and 3) of the theorem are trivial. We shall prove the statement 1). We represent the surface  $f_1$  in the form  $f_1 = f + a$ , where  $f = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n$ . Theorem 1 implies that there exists an orthogonal transformation which reduces  $f = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n$  in  $f = d_ny_n$ ,  $d_n = \sqrt{a_1^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$ . In the last form of  $f$  we replace  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  with the unknowns  $y_1, \dots, y_n$ . Consequently  $f_1$  obtains the form  $d_ny_n + a = 0$ . We make the transformation  $z_n = y_n + \frac{a}{d_n}$  which we supplement with  $y_1 = z_1, \dots, y_{n-1} = z_{n-1}$ , where  $z_1, \dots, z_n$  are unknowns. In this way we obtain a translation in  $E_n$  and  $f_1$  obtains the form  $d_nz_n = 0$ , i.e.  $z_n = 0$ .

The theorem is proved.  $\square$

#### 4. Canonical forms of the hypersurfaces of the second degree

In the many-dimensional real affine Euclidean space  $E_n$  the surfaces of the second degree are given by the equation

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{i,j=1}^n a_{ij}x_ix_j + 2\sum_{i=1}^n a_ix_i + a = 0, \quad a_{ji} = a_{ij}, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad (3)$$

where  $a_{ij}, a_i, a \in \mathbb{R}$  and at least  $a_j \neq 0$  and  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  are unknowns.

The forms

$$f_1 = 2\sum_{i=1}^n a_ix_i + a, \quad f_2 = \sum_{i,j=1}^n a_{ij}x_ix_j, \quad a_{ji} = a_{ij}, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n,$$

are called a linear and a quadratic part of  $f$ , respectively. Denote by  $r(f_2)$  the rang of the quadratic part  $f_2$  of  $f$ . If  $n = 1$ , i.e. in a space  $E_1$ , the canonical form of  $f = a_1x^2 + 2a_1x + a$  is well known and absolutely trivial.

If  $n = 2$  and  $n = 3$  the canonical form of  $f$  is also well known. We shall consider  $n \geq 2$ , in order to do an analogy. We put

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \dots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } Y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \dots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  and  $y_1, \dots, y_n$  are systems of unknowns.

At first we shall obtain the canonical form of  $f$  reducing the quadratic part  $f_2$  in a canonical form by an orthogonal transformation

$$X = QY, \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} q_{11} & \dots & q_{1n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \\ q_{n1} & \dots & q_{nn} \end{pmatrix}, \quad q_{ij} = q_{ji}, \quad q_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (4)$$

We replace every  $x_i$  by  $x_i = \sum_{j=1}^n q_{ij} y_j$ . Then the linear part  $f_1$  of  $f$  obtain the form

$$f_1 = 2 \sum_{j=1}^n b_j y_j + a, \quad b_j = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i q_{ij}, \quad j = 1, \dots, n. \quad (5)$$

In view of Theorem 2, we shall suppose, that at least one coefficient  $a_{ij} \neq 0$ , i.e.  $r = r(f_2) > 0$ . Let the characteristic roots  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_r$  of the quadratic part  $f_2$  of  $f$  are different from zero and  $\lambda_{r+1}, \dots, \lambda_n = 0$ . Then we set

$$c = a - \frac{b_1^2}{\lambda_1} - \dots - \frac{b_r^2}{\lambda_r}. \quad (6)$$

In the following result we shall obtain the canonical form of the surface  $f$  of the second degree in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  by orthogonal transformations of the unknowns and by translations. We shall suppose that  $f$  is given by equation (3).

**Theorem 3.** Let  $r > 0$  be the rang of the quadratic part  $f_2$  of the surface  $f$  of the second degree in the real affine Euclidean space  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $n \geq 2$ . Then the following cases hold, in which the numbers  $b_j$  and  $c$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$ , are defined by (5) and (6), respectively.

1) Let  $r = n$ . Then the surface  $f$  is with a canonical equation

$$\lambda_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_n z_n^2 = -c, \quad (7)$$

where  $c$  is defined by (6) for  $r = n$ . Besides the following subcases hold.

**1.1)** If  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$  have the same sign and  $c \neq 0$ , then  $f$  is an *ellipsoid* (an *ellipse*, if  $n = 2$ ).

**1.2)** Let at least two of the signs of  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$  are different and  $c \neq 0$ . Then  $f$  is a *hyperboloid* (a *hyperbola*, if  $n = 2$ ).

**1.3)** If  $c = 0$ , then  $f$  is a *cone*. Besides, if  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$  have the same signs, then  $f$  is an imaginary cone with only one real point  $(0, 0, \dots, 0)$ . (If  $n = 2$  and the signs of  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  are different, then  $f$  is a *pair intersecting straight lines*.)

2) Let  $r = n - 1$ . We have two subcases.

**2.1)** Let  $b_n \neq 0$ . Then the surface  $f$  is a *paraboloid* (a *parabola*, if  $n = 2$ ) with a canonical equation

$$\lambda_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_{n-1} z_{n-1}^2 = -2b_n z_n. \quad (8)$$

Besides if  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}$  are with the same signs, then  $f$  is an *elliptical paraboloid* and if at least two of signs of  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{n-1}$  are different, then  $f$  is a *hyperbolic paraboloid*.

**2.2)** Let  $b_n = 0$ . Then the surface  $f$  is a *cylinder* with a canonical equation

$$\lambda_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_{n-1} z_{n-1}^2 = -c. \quad (9)$$

3) Let  $1 \leq r \leq n - 2$ . Then the surface  $f$  is a *cylinder*. Besides the following subcases hold.

**3.1)** If at least one of the coefficients  $b_i$  is non-zero,  $i = r + 1, \dots, n$ , then  $f$  is a *parabolic cylinder* and  $f$  has a canonical equation

$$\lambda_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \lambda_r z_r^2 = -s z_n, \quad s = \sqrt{b_{r+1}^2 + b_{r+2}^2 + \dots + b_n^2}. \quad (10)$$

3.2) If  $b_{r+1} = \dots = b_n = 0$ , then the canonical form of  $f$  is

$$\}_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \}_r z_r^2 = -c. \quad (11)$$

**Proof.** After the reduction of  $f_2$  in a canonical form by orthogonal transformation (4), equation (2), in view of (5), obtains the form

$$\}_1 y_1^2 + \dots + \}_r y_r^2 + 2 \sum_{j=1}^n b_j y_j + a = 0.$$

In this equation we make the following transformation

$$\}_i y_i^2 + 2b_i y_i = \}_i z_i^2 - \frac{b_i^2}{\} _i}, \quad z_i = y_i + \frac{b_i}{\} _i}, \quad i = 1, \dots, r. \quad (12)$$

We add the last equalities with  $z_{r+1} = y_{r+1}, \dots, z_n = y_n$  and we obtain a translation of the surface (12). In this way (12) obtains the form

$$\} _1 z_1^2 + \dots + \} _r z_r^2 + 2 \sum_{i=r+1}^n b_i z_i + c = 0, \quad (13)$$

$$\text{where } c = a - \frac{b_1^2}{\} _1} - \dots - \frac{b_r^2}{\} _r}.$$

We shall consider the different cases of the theorem.

1) Let  $r = n$ . Then (13) obtains the form (7) and case 1 of the theorem is fulfilled together with the consider subcases.

2) Let  $r = n - 1$ . Equation (13) obtains the form

$$\} _1 z_1^2 + \dots + \} _{n-1} z_{n-1}^2 = -2b_n z_n - c. \quad (14)$$

We consider the following subcases.

2.1) Let  $b_n \neq 0$ . Since

$$2b_n z_n + c = 2b_n \left( z_n + \frac{c}{2b_n} \right),$$

then by making the translation  $t_n = z_n + \frac{c}{2b_n}$ ,  $t_1 = z_1, \dots, t_{n-1} = z_{n-1}$ , (14) obtains form (8). Besides the subcases hold for elliptical and hyperbolic paraboloids, i.e. statement 2.1 of the theorem is fulfilled.

2.2) Let  $b_n = 0$ . Then (14) obtains form (9), i.e.  $f$  is a cylinder and condition 2.2 of the theorem is fulfilled.

3) Let  $1 \leq r \leq n - 2$ . We consider the following subcases.

3.1) Let at least one coefficient  $b_i$  in (13) is non-zero,  $i = r+1, \dots, n$ . Then, by Theorem 1, we transform the linear homogeneous part of (13) in a linear homogeneous form of one unknown  $t_n$ , applying an orthogonal transformation of the unknowns  $z_{r+1}, \dots, z_n$ , expressed by  $t_{r+1}, \dots, t_n$  and supplemented with  $z_1 = t_1, \dots, z_r = t_r$ . In this way we obtain the equation

$$\} _1 t_1^2 + \dots + \} _r t_r^2 + s t_n + c = 0, \quad s = \sqrt{b_{r+1}^2 + \dots + b_n^2} > 0.$$

For this equation we make the translation  $u_1 = t_1, \dots, u_{n-1} = t_{n-1}$ ,  $u_n = t_n + \frac{c}{s}$ . Then (13) Obtain form (10), i.e.  $f$  is a cylinder and subcase 3.1 of the theorem holds.

3.2) Let  $b_{r+1} = \dots = b_n = 0$ . Then  $f$  is also a cylinder and (13) obtain form (11), i.e. subcase 3.2 of the theorem is fulfilled.

The theorem is proved.  $\square$

We note that  $r < n$ , then the surface  $f$  belong to aparabolicclass.

## 5. Hypersurfaces of the maximal absolute and relative inaccuracies

In this section instead of an error of a physical experiment we shall use the concept an inaccuracy ((Kolikov *et al.*, 2010; Kolikov *et al.*, 2010; Kolikov *et al.*, 2015)).

Let  $Y$  be an indirectly measurable variable depending on the directly measurable variables  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ . Denote by  $f$  the real function of arguments  $X_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) such that  $Y = f(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$ . Let  $k$  observations of  $x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{ik}$  of  $X_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) are made in an experimental investigation.

The maximal absolute inaccuracy by the method of (Kolikov *et al.*, 2010) is

$$\Delta^1 Y = \sum_{i=1}^n A_i |\Delta X_i|, \quad (15)$$

where

$$A_i = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{m=1}^k \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{im}, \dots, x_{nm}) \right|, \quad i = 1, \dots, n \quad (16)$$

and

$$|\Delta X_i| = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k |\Delta x_{ij}|, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad (17)$$

where  $\Delta x_{ij}$  are the maximal absolute inaccuracies of the directly measurable variables.

The maximal relative inaccuracy  $\frac{\Delta^1 Y}{Y}$  of  $Y$ , according to (Kolikov *et al.*, 2012), is

$$\frac{\Delta^1 Y}{Y} = \sum_{i=1}^n B_i \left| \frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i} \right|, \quad (18)$$

where

$$B_i = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{m=1}^k \left| \frac{x_{im}}{f(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})} \frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm}) \right|, \quad i = 1, \dots, n \quad (19)$$

and

$$\left| \frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i} \right| = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k \left| \frac{\Delta x_{ij}}{x_{ij}} \right|, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n, \quad (20)$$

where  $\frac{\Delta x_{ij}}{x_{ij}}$  are the maximal relative inaccuracies of the directly measurable variables.

We note, that  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})$  and  $\frac{x_{im}}{f(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})} \frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})$  in (16) and (19) are the values of  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}$  and  $\frac{X_i}{f} \frac{\partial f}{\partial X_i}$ , respectively, calculated in the  $m^{\text{th}}$  observation and  $A_i$  and  $B_i$  are the arithmetic mean of these values for  $m = 1, 2, \dots, k$ .

The maximal absolute inaccuracy  $\Delta^2 Y$  and the maximal relative inaccuracy  $\frac{\Delta^2 Y}{Y}$  of the second order of  $Y = f(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  according to (Kolikov *et al.*, 2015) are

$$\Delta^2 Y = \sum_{i,j=1}^n A_{ij} |\Delta X_i| |\Delta X_j| \quad \frac{\Delta^2 Y}{Y} = \sum_{i,j=1}^n A_{ij} \left| \frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i} \right| \left| \frac{\Delta X_j}{X_j} \right|, \quad (21)$$

respectively, where  $A_{ij}$  of  $\Delta^2 Y$  and of  $\frac{\Delta^2 Y}{Y}$  are given by the equalities:

$$A_{ij} = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{m=1}^k \left| \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j} (x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm}) \right|, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (22)$$

and

$$A_{ij} = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{m=1}^k \left| \frac{x_{im} x_{jm}}{f(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j} (x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm}) \right|, \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (23)$$

respectively.

In (22) and (23)  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j} (x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})$  and  $\frac{x_{im} x_{jm}}{f(x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j} (x_{1m}, \dots, x_{nm})$  are the values of  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j}$  and  $\frac{x_i x_j}{f} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial X_i \partial X_j}$ , respectively,

calculated in the  $m$ -th observation and  $A_{ij}$  is the arithmetic mean of these values for  $m = 1, 2, \dots, k$ .

The maximal absolute inaccuracy  $\Delta Y$  of  $Y$  of the second approximation we call the function

$$\Delta Y = \Delta^1 Y + \frac{1}{2} \Delta^2 Y. \quad (24)$$

The maximal relatively inaccuracy  $\frac{\Delta Y}{Y}$  of  $Y$  of the second approximation we call the function

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{|Y|} = \frac{\Delta^1 Y}{|Y|} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Delta^2 Y}{|Y|}. \quad (25)$$

In (Kolikov *et al.*, 2010; Kolikov, 2012; Kolikov, 2015) we assume that  $\Delta X_i$  and  $\frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i}$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) in (15) and (18) are unknown values with constant coefficients. Then (15) and (21) imply, that (24) has the form

$$\Delta Y = \sum_{i=1}^n A_i |\Delta X_i| + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^n A_{ij} |\Delta X_i| |\Delta X_j|. \quad (26)$$

From (18) and (21) we obtain analogously, that (25) has the form

$$\frac{\Delta Y}{Y} = \sum_{i=1}^n B_i \left| \frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i} \right| + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^n B_{ij} \left| \frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i} \right| \left| \frac{\Delta X_j}{X_j} \right|. \quad (27)$$

We change  $\Delta Y$  with  $y_{n+1}$  and  $\Delta X_i$  with  $x_i$  in (26) and, analogously,  $\frac{\Delta Y}{Y}$  with  $y_{n+1}$  and  $\frac{\Delta X_i}{X_i}$  with  $x_i$  in (27) ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ).

Then we obtain, that the maximal absolute and relative inaccuracies of  $Y$  of the second approximation in  $(n+1)$ -dimensional affine Euclidean space  $E_{n+1}$  have the general kind

$$y_{n+1} = \sum_{i,j=1}^n a_{ij} x_i x_j + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i, \quad (28)$$

where  $a_{ij}$  and  $a_i$  are non-negative constants,  $a_{ij} = a_{ji}$  and at least one of the coefficients is distinct from zero ( $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ).

We shall make an algebraic classification of (28), i.e. a classification of the surfaces of the maximal inaccuracies of  $Y$  of the second approximation as a corollary from the canonization of the surfaces in the many-dimensional affine Euclidean space  $E_{n+1}$ , i.e. as a corollary of Theorems 2 and 3.

**Theorem 4.** Let  $r$  be the rang of the quadratic part of  $f_2$  of the surface  $f$  of the maximal absolute (relative) inaccuracy of the second approximation in the real affine Euclidean space  $E_{n+1}$ ,  $n \geq 1$ . Then  $f$  is from parabolic type and the following cases hold.

(i) Let  $r = n$ . Then the canonical equation of  $f$  is

$$\}_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \}_n z_n^2 = z_{n+1}, \quad (29)$$

i.e.  $f$  is a paraboloid. Besides, if the characteristic roots  $\}_1, \dots, \}_n$  of  $f_2$  are with same signs, then  $f$  is an elliptic paraboloid and if at least two characteristic roots of  $f_2$  are with opposite signs, then  $f$  is a hyperbolic paraboloid.

(ii) Let  $1 \leq r \leq n-1$ . Then the canonical equation of  $f$  is

$$\}_1 z_1^2 + \dots + \}_r z_r^2 = -S z_n, \quad S = \sqrt{b_{r+1}^2 + \dots + b_n^2 + \frac{1}{4}}, \quad (30)$$

where  $b_i$  are defined by (5), i.e.  $f$  is a cylinder.

(iii) If  $r = 0$ , then the canonical form of  $f$  is  $z_{n+1} = 0$ , i.e.  $f$  is a hyperplane, defined from the coordinate axes  $O_1 z_1, \dots, O_1 z_n$  of same coordinate system  $O_1 z_1 z_2 \dots z_{n+1}$  of  $E_{n+1}$ .

**Proof.** For the obtaining of the result we shall apply Theorem 3 and 2. Under the use of these theorems we have to change  $E_n$  by  $E_{n+1}$ ,  $n$  by  $n+1$  and  $b_n$  by  $b_{n+1} = -\frac{1}{2}$ . The equations (28) and (29) we shall obtain directly from the cases 2.1–3.1 of the defined Theorem 3.

Really, if  $r = n$ , then the canonical equation (8) (of case 2.1) of Theorem 3 obtains the form (29), since  $b_{n+1} = -\frac{1}{2} \neq 0$ . The case (i) is completed.

Let  $1 \leq r \leq n-1$ . It holds case 3 only with subcase 3.1 with equation (10) which obtains the form (30), i.e. case (ii) is completed. If  $r = 0$ , then case (iii) is obtained by case 1 of Theorem 2.

The proof is completed.  $\square$

A significant part of the proved Theorem 4 can be obtained from the known canonical forms of the hyperspaces of the second degree ((Efimov, 2010), (Konstantinov, 2000) and (Shafarevich, 2013)), but indirectly, by same non-trivial additional reasonings. We note explicitly, that case (iii) of Theorem 4 cannot be obtained from the known canonizations of the hypersurfaces ((Efimov, 2005), (Konstantinov, 2000) (Shafarevich, 2013)), since case (iii) is obtained from our original Theorem 2 which gives the canonical form of an arbitrary hyperplane in  $E_n$ . Furthermore, we indicate in Theorem 4 the exact parameters of the canonical forms.

**Corollary 5.** If the rang  $r$  of the quadratic part  $f_2$  of the hypersurface of the maximal absolute (relative) inaccuracy of the second approximation in  $F_2$  is 1, then the canonical equation of this surface is the parabola  $y = \}_1 x^2$ , where  $\}$  is non-zero characteristic root of  $f_2$ .

**Proof.** It holds only case (i) of formulated Theorem 4 and the canonical equation  $y = \}_1 x^2$  is obtained from (29) by the changes  $z_1 = x$  and  $z_2 = y$ .  $\square$

## Conclusion

Our approach for a canonization of the hypersurfaces of the second degree in the many-dimensional space stress more to the algebraic part of the question since the geometric interpretations are well known. This approach is effective since it gives the exact coefficients of the given equation of the surface. Namely this effectiveness together with Theorem 2, gives us a possibility to obtain the canonical equation of the hypersurfaces of the maximal inaccuracies (errors).

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