

CLASSIFICATION OF FINITE MORSE INDEX SOLUTIONS FOR ROBIN BOUNDARY VALUE PROBLEMS

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ABSTRACT. We study the nonexistence of solution with finite Morse index for the following nonlinear elliptic equation $-\Delta u = |u|^{p-1}u$ in \mathbb{R}_+^N , with $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \nu} + cu = 0$ on $\partial\mathbb{R}_+^N$, $p > 1$ and $c > 0$. We call this problem (1).

The purpose of this talk is to show various Liouville-type theorems for smooth solutions under the assumption that they are stable or stable outside a compact set of \mathbb{R}_+^N . We give an improvement of X. Zhao and X. Wang

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