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# Existence and stability of almost periodic solutions for impulsive differential equations

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## Abstract

In this article, by using Schauder's fixed point theorem, we study the existence of almost periodic solutions for abstract impulsive differential equations. In addition, sufficient conditions for their asymptotic stability are obtained by means of generalized Gronwall-Bellman inequality.

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### **1** Introduction

When a dynamical system processes aftereffect and state changing by jumps, this system is called an impulsive differential system. Because of the needs of modern technology, such as simulation in physics, biology, populations dynamics, control theory, industrial robotics, etc., the study of impulsive differential equations attracts more and more researchers' interest, see [1-8]. There are many articles [9-16] about existence of solutions, periodic solutions and stability for impulsive differential equations. But, only a few articles [17,18] have studied the existence of almost periodic solutions to abstract impulsive differential equations in Banach space.

By means of fractional powers of operators and Contraction mapping principle, Stamov and Alzabut in [17] studied the existence and uniqueness of exponentially stable almost periodic solutions for the abstract impulsive differential equation as follows:

$$\dot{x}(t) + Ax = F(t, x) + \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} G_k(x)\delta(t-\tau_k), \qquad (1.1)$$

where  $G_k(\cdot)$  are continuous impulsive operators.

In [18], by using Contraction mapping principle, Henriquez et al. studied the existence of almost periodic solutions to the following impulsive differential equation:

$$\begin{cases} u'(t) = A(t)u(t) + F(u(t)) + f(t), \ t \in R, t \neq t_i, i \in Z, \\ \Delta u(t_i) = I_i(u(t_i)). \end{cases}$$
(1.2)

To the best of authors' knowledge, most of the previous research on existence of almost periodic solutions for impulsive differential equations was based on Contraction mapping principle. Lipschitz condition is necessary. Motivated by the studies in [8,12,13,19-21], in this article we use Schauder's fixed point theorem and generalized

![](_page_0_Picture_18.jpeg)

© 2012 Liu and Zhang; licensee Springer. This is an Open Access article distributed under the terms of the Creative Commons Attribution License (http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/2.0), which permits unrestricted use, distribution, and reproduction in any medium, provided the original work is properly cited. Gronwall-Bellman inequality to investigate the existence and asymptotic stability of almost periodic solutions to the following impulsive differential equation:

$$\begin{cases} u'(t) = A(t)u(t) + f(t, u(t)), \ t \in R, t \neq t_i, i \in Z, \\ \Delta u(t_i) = I_i(u(t_i)). \end{cases}$$
(1.3)

where  $A(t) : X \to X$  are closed linear operators on a Banach space  $(X, || \cdot ||), f, I_i$ , and  $t_i$  satisfy suitable conditions that will be established later and the symbol  $\Delta\xi(t)$ represents the jump of the function  $\xi$  at t, which is defined by  $\Delta\xi(t) = \xi(t^+) - \xi(t^-)$ .

#### 2 Preliminaries

In this section, we give some notations, definitions, and preliminary facts about impulsive differential equations. Throughout this article, we denote by  $(X, || \cdot ||)$  a Banach space and by R the set of real numbers. The symbol L(X) stands for the Banach space formed by all bounded linear operators form X into X endowed with the uniform operator topology. For a linear operator A,  $\rho(A)$  is its resolvent set and for  $\lambda \in \rho(A)$ ,  $R(\lambda,A) = (\lambda I - A)^{-1}$  denotes its resolvent operator. Let  $\mathbb{T}$  be the set consisting of all real sequences  $\{t_i\}_{i \in Z}$  such that  $\alpha = \inf_{i \in Z}(t_{i+1} - t_i) > 0$  and  $\lim_{i \to -\infty} t_i = -\infty$ ,  $\lim_{i \to -\infty} t_i = \infty$ .

For  $\{t_i\}_{i\in\mathbb{Z}} \in \mathbb{T}$ , let PC(R, X) be the space formed by all piecewise continuous functions  $\varphi : R \to X$  such that  $\varphi(\cdot)$  is continuous at t for any  $t \notin \{t_i\}_{i\in\mathbb{Z}}$  and  $\varphi(t_i) = \varphi(t_i^-)$  for all  $i \in Z$ ; let  $PC(R \times X, X)$  be the space formed by all piecewise continuous functions  $\varphi : R \times X \to X$  such that for any  $x \in X$ ,  $\varphi(\cdot, x)$  is continuous at t for any  $t \notin \{t_i\}_{i\in\mathbb{Z}}$  and  $\varphi(t_i, x) = \varphi(t_i^-, x)$  for all  $i \in Z$  and for any  $t \in R$ ,  $\varphi(t, \cdot)$  is continuous at  $x \in X$ .

For a function  $f \in PC(R, X)$  (respectively  $PC(R \times X, X)$ ) and  $\tau \in R$ , the translation of f by  $\tau$  is the function  $R_{\tau} f(t) = f(t + \tau)$  (respectively,  $R_{\tau} f(t, x) = f(t + \tau, x)$ ).

A number  $\tau \in R$  is called an  $\varepsilon$ -translation number of the function  $f \in PC(R, X)$  (*PC*( $R \times X, X$ )) if

$$||R_{\tau}f(t) - f(t)|| < \varepsilon, (||R_{\tau}f(f, x) - f(t, x)|| < \varepsilon, x \in K$$
, for every compact  $K \subseteq X$ )

for all  $t \in R$  which satisfies  $|t - t_i| > \varepsilon$ . Denote  $\mathbb{T}(f, \varepsilon)$  by the set of all  $\varepsilon$ -translation numbers of f.

**Definition 2.1** (D1) A function  $\varphi \in PC(R, X)(PC(R \times X, X))$  is said to be piecewise almost periodic if the following conditions are fulfilled:

(1)  $\{t_i^j = t_{i+j} - t_i\}, j \in \mathbb{Z}$ , are equipotentially almost periodic.

(2) For any  $\varepsilon > 0$  (every compact subset *K* of *X*), there exists a positive number  $\delta = \delta(\varepsilon)(\delta = \delta(\varepsilon, K))$  such that if the points *t*' and *t*" belong to a same continuity and |t ' - *t*"| < $\delta$ , then  $||\varphi(t') - \varphi(t'')|| < \varepsilon (||\varphi(t', x) - \varphi(t'', x)|| < \varepsilon$ , for any  $x \in K$ ).

(3) For every  $\varepsilon > 0$  (every compact subset *K* of *X*),  $\mathbb{T}(\phi, \varepsilon) (\mathbb{T}(\phi, \varepsilon, K))$  is a relatively dense set in *R*.

We denote by  $AP_T(R, X)(AP_T(R \times X, X))$  the space of all piecewise almost periodic functions. Obviously, the space  $AP_T(R, X)(AP_T(R \times X, X))$  endowed with the norm of the uniform convergence  $|| \cdot ||$  is a Banach space.

(D2) A set  $B \subseteq AP_T(R, X)$  is called a uniformly piecewise almost periodic family if it is uniformly bounded and if given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , then  $\mathbb{T}(B, \varepsilon) = \bigcap_{f \in B} \mathbb{T}(f, \varepsilon)$  is relatively dense in *R*. Obviously, if  $f \in AP_T(R \times X, X)$  and for each compact set  $K \subseteq X$ ,  $f(t, x) : R \times X \to X$ is uniformly continuous in  $x \in K$  uniformly in  $t \in R$ , then  $\{f(\cdot, x) : x \in K\}$  is a uniformly piecewise almost periodic family

**Lemma 2.2** [18] Let  $\varphi \in AP_T(R, X)$ , then the range of  $\varphi$ ,  $R(\varphi)$ , is a relatively compact subset of *X*.

**Lemma 2.3** If a set  $B \subseteq AP_T(R, X)$  is relatively compact, then  $\bigcup_{f \in B} R(f)$  is a relatively compact set in X.

*Proof* Since *B* is a relatively compact set, for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists a finite number of functions  $f_1, f_2, ..., f_N \in B$  such that for any  $f \in B$ , there exists a number  $i \in \{1, 2, ..., N\}$ , then

$$\left\|f-f_i\right\|\leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2}.$$

By Lemma 2.2,  $R(f_1)$ ,  $R(f_2)$ , ...,  $R(f_N)$  are relatively compact sets in X, so is  $\bigcup_{1 \le i \le N} R(f_i)$ , that is,  $\bigcup_{1 \le i \le N} R(f_i)$  can be embedded in a finite number of balls of radius  $\frac{\varepsilon}{2}$ . Let us denote by  $x_1, x_2, ..., x_n$  the centers of the balls of radius  $\frac{\varepsilon}{2}$  which cover the set  $\bigcup_{1 \le i \le N} R(f_i)$ . For any  $t \in R, f \in B$ , let  $x_i$  be the center of the ball of radius  $\frac{\varepsilon}{2}$  which contains  $f_i(t)$ , we have

$$\left\|f(t)-x_i\right\| \leq \left\|f(t)-f_i(t)\right\| + \left\|f_i(t)-x_i\right\| \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} = \varepsilon.$$

This show that  $U_{f \in B} R(f)$  is covered for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  by a finite number of balls of radius  $\varepsilon$ . This proof is complete.

For the operators  $\{A(t) : t \in R\}$ , we make the following assumption (H) :

(H1) { $A(t) : t \in R$ } are linear operators on a Banach space X and there are constants  $K \ge 0$ ,  $r \in R$  and  $\phi \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi\right)$  such that

$$\|R(\lambda, A(t))\| \leq \frac{K}{1+|\lambda-r|}$$

for  $\lambda \in \rho(A(t)) \cap \Sigma(\varphi, r)$  and  $t \in R$ , where  $\Sigma(\varphi, r) = \{r\} \cup \{\lambda : | \arg(\lambda - r)| \le \varphi\}$ .

(H2) There are constants  $L \ge 0$  and  $\mu$ ,  $v \in (0, 1]$  with  $\mu + v > 1$  such that

$$\left\|\lambda\right\|^{\nu}\left\|A_{r}(t)R\left(\lambda,A_{r}(t)\right)\left(A_{r}(t)^{-1}-\left(A_{r}(s)^{-1}\right)\right\|\leq L|t-s|^{\mu}\right)$$

for  $A_r(t) = A(t) - r$ ,  $t, s \in R$  and  $|\arg \lambda| < \varphi$ .

(H3) R ( $\lambda$ ,  $A(\cdot)$ )  $\in AP$  (L(X)).

(H4) The evolution family  $\{T(t, s) : t, s \in R, t \ge s\}$  generated by  $\{A(t) : t \in R\}$  is exponentially stable, i.e., there exists numbers M > 0, w > 0, such that  $||T(t, s)|| \le Me^{-w(t - s)}$ ,  $t \ge s$ ,  $t, s \in R$ .

(H5) For fixed  $t, s \in R, t \ge s$ , the operator  $T(t, s) : X \to X$  is compact, that is, T(t, s) is continuous and maps a bounded set into a relatively compact set.

(H6) For each  $x \in X$ ,  $T(t+h, t)x \to x$  as  $h \to 0^+$  uniformly for  $t \in R$ , i.e.,  $\{T(t, s) : t \ge s\}$  is uniformly continuous.

Operators  $\{A(t) : t \in R\}$  fulfilling (H1) and (H2) are called sectorial, see [22-25].

**Lemma 2.4** [25] Assume that the conditions (H1)-(H4) hold. Then for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$ , there is a relatively dense set  $\Omega_{\varepsilon,\delta}$  such that

$$\left\|T(t+\tau,s+\tau)-T(t,s)\right\| \leq \varepsilon e^{-\frac{w}{2}(t-s)}, \ t-s > \delta, t,s \in R, \ \tau \in \Omega_{\epsilon,\delta}.$$

This property can be abbreviated by writing  $T \in AP(L(X))$ .

**Lemma 2.5** [18] Assume that  $f \in AP_T(R, X)$ ,  $T \in AP(L(X))$ , the sequence  $\{x_i : i \in Z\}$  is almost periodic, and  $\{t_i^j\}$ ,  $j \in Z$ , are equipotentially almost periodic. Then for each  $\varepsilon$  > 0 there exist relatively dense sets  $\Omega_{\varepsilon,f,x_i,T}$  of R and  $Q_{\varepsilon,f,x_i,T}$  of Z satisfying:

(i)  $||f(t + \tau) - f(t)|| < \varepsilon$  for all  $t \in R$ ,  $|t - t_i| > \varepsilon$ ,  $\tau \in \Omega_{\varepsilon, f, x_i, T}$  and  $i \in Z$ . (ii)  $||T(t + \tau, s + \tau) - T(t, s)|| < \varepsilon e^{-\frac{w}{2}(t-s)}$  for all  $t, s \in R$ , |t - s| > 0,  $|t - t_i| > \varepsilon$ ,  $|s - t_i| > \varepsilon$ ,  $\tau \in \Omega_{\varepsilon, f, x_i, T}$  and  $i \in Z$ ; w > 0 is the same as in (H4). (iii)  $||x_i + q - x_i|| < \varepsilon$  for all  $q \in Q_{\varepsilon, f, x_i, T}$  and  $i \in Z$ . (iv)  $|t_i^q - \tau| < \varepsilon$  for all  $q \in Q_{\varepsilon, f, x_i, T}$ ,  $\tau \in \Omega_{\varepsilon, f, x_i, T}$  and  $i \in Z$ .

**Definition 2.6** A bounded function  $u(t) : R \to X$  is called a mild solution of (1.3) if for any  $t \in R$ ,  $\sigma < t_i < t < t_{i+1}$ ,

$$u(t) = T(t,\sigma)u(\sigma) + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s))ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)).$$

Under the assumption (H),  $||T(t, \sigma)|| \le Me^{-w(t - \sigma)}$  for all  $t > \sigma$ . Let  $\sigma \to -\infty$ , then  $||T(t, \sigma)|| \to 0$  and so, the above formula can be replaced by

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)).$$

In fact, for  $t > \sigma$ ,

$$\int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i))$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds - \int_{-\infty}^{\sigma} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds$$

$$+ \sum_{-\infty < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)) - \sum_{-\infty < t_i < \sigma} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i))$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{-\infty < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i))$$

$$- T(t,\sigma) \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\sigma} T(\sigma,s)f(s,u(s)) ds - \sum_{-\infty < t_i < \sigma} T(\sigma,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)) \right]$$

$$= u(t) - T(t,\sigma)u(\sigma),$$

so that,

$$u(t) = T(t,\sigma)u(\sigma) + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)).$$

The following lemma is a criterion of relative compactness for subsets in  $AP_T(R, X)$ , its proof is similar to the case in AP(R, X) (e.g., see [26]).

**Lemma 2.7** Let  $\mathfrak{W} \subset AP_T(R, X)$ . Then  $\mathfrak{W}$  is relatively compact in  $AP_T(R, X)$  if and only if the following properties hold true:

(i)  $\mathfrak{W}$  is equicontinuous, which means that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta(\varepsilon) > 0$  such that for any  $f \in \mathfrak{W}$  one has  $|| f(t) - f(s) || < \varepsilon$  if  $|t - s| < \delta(\varepsilon)$  and t and s in a same continuity.

(ii)  $\mathfrak{W}$  is equi-almost-periodic, which means that for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $l(\varepsilon) > 0$  such that any interval  $(a, a + l) \subset R$  contains a number  $\tau$  that is an  $\varepsilon$ - almost period for all  $f \in \mathfrak{W}$ .

(iii) For fixed  $t \in R$ , the set  $\{f(t) : f \in \mathfrak{W}\}$  is relatively compact in the space X.

**Definition 2.8** [27] The solution  $x(t, \sigma, \varphi)$  of (1.3) is said to be stable, if for any  $\sigma \in R$ ,  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there is a number  $\delta = \delta(\sigma, \varepsilon) > 0$ , such that for any other solution  $y(t, \sigma, \psi)$  of (1.3) satisfying  $||\phi - \psi|| < \delta$  then  $||x(t, \sigma, \phi)-y(t, \sigma, \psi)|| < \varepsilon$ .

 $x(t, \sigma, \phi)$  is said to be asymptotically stable if it is stable and if there is a constant b > 0 such that  $||\phi - \psi|| < b$ , then  $\lim_{t \to \infty} ||x(t, \sigma, \phi) - y(t, \sigma, \psi)|| = 0$ .

**Lemma 2.9** ([1], generalized Gronwall-Bellman inequality) Let a nonnegative function  $u(t) \in PC(R, X)$  satisfy for  $t \ge t_0$  the inequality

$$u(t) \leq C + \int_{t_0}^t \upsilon(\tau)u(\tau)d\tau + \sum_{t_0 < \tau_i < t} \beta_i u(\tau_i),$$

where  $C \ge 0$ ,  $\beta_i \ge 0$ ,  $\nu(\tau) > 0$ , and  $\tau'_i s$  are discontinuity points of first type of the function u(t). Then the following estimate holds for the function u(t),

$$u(t) \leq C \prod_{t_0 < \tau_i < t} (1 + \beta_i) e^{\int_{t_0}^t \upsilon(\tau) d\tau}$$

#### 3 Main results

In order to get the almost periodic solutions of (1.3), in addition to the previous assumptions, we require the following additional assumptions:

(A1)  $\forall L > 0$ ,  $C_L = \sup_{t \in R, ||x|| \le L} ||f(t, x)|| < \infty$ ,  $C = \sup_{i \in Z} ||I_i|| < \infty$ . Moreover, there exists a number  $L_0 > 0$ , such that  $M\left(\frac{C_{L_0}}{w} + \frac{C}{1 - e^{-w\alpha}}\right) \le L_0$  and  $\frac{C_{L_0} + M}{w} + \frac{C + M}{1 - e^{-w\alpha}} \le \frac{1}{2}$ .

(A2) For each compact set  $K \subseteq X$ ,  $f(t, x) \in AP_T(R \times X, X)$  is uniformly continuous in  $x \in K$  uniformly in  $t \in R$ ;  $I_i(x)$  is almost periodic in  $i \in Z$  uniformly in  $x \in K$ and is a uniformly continuous function defined on the set  $K \subseteq X$  for all  $i \in Z$ . (A3) Let  $\{x_n\} \subseteq AP_T(R, X)$  be uniformly bounded in *R* and uniformly convergent in each compact set of *R*, then  $\{f(\cdot, x_n(\cdot))\}$  is relatively compact in PC(R, X).

(A4) There exists a compact set  $K_0 \subseteq X$ , for any r > 0,

 $B_r = \{u \in AP_T(R, X) : \|u\| \le L_0, \|u(t + \tau) - u(t)\| \le r, |t - t_i| > r, i \in Z, \ \tau \in \Omega_{r, f, I_i, K_0, T}\},$ 

such that  $R(x) \subseteq K_0$  for all  $x \in B_r$ , where the choice of  $\Omega_{r,f,I_i,K_0,T}$  is similar to that of Lemma 2.5.

**Theorem 3.1** Suppose the conditions (H), (A1)-(A4) hold, then (1.3) has a mild piecewise almost periodic solution.

*Proof* Define the operator  $\Gamma$  on  $AP_T(R, X)$  by

$$\Gamma u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)).$$

Now we use Schauder's fixed point theorem to prove that  $\Gamma$  has a fixed point in  $AP_T(R, X)$ .

For any  $n \in N$ , let

$$B_{\frac{1}{n}} = \{ u \in AP_T(R, X) : \|u\| \le L_0, \|u(t+\tau) - u(t)\| \le \frac{1}{n}, |t-t_i| > \frac{1}{n}, i \in Z, \tau \in \Omega_{\frac{1}{n}, j, l_i, K_0, T} \},\$$

and

$$B = \bigcap_{n \in N} B_{\frac{1}{n}}.$$

By (A4), for any  $n \in N$ ,  $\{u(t) : u \in B_{\frac{1}{n}}, t \in R\} \subseteq K_0$ . Note that  $\{u(t) : u \in B, t \in R\} \subseteq \{u(t) : u \in B_{\frac{1}{n}}, t \in R\}$ , so  $\{u(t) : u \in B, t \in R\} \subseteq K_0$ . By (A2),  $\{f(\cdot, x) : x \in K_0\}$  and  $\{I_i(x) : x \in K_0\}$  are uniformly piecewise almost periodic families. Then by Lemma 2.5, there exists a relatively dense set  $\Omega_{\frac{1}{n},f,I_i,K_0,T}$  of R. As the proof of [[28], Theorem 2.6] for the case of AP(R, X), one shows that for each  $n \in N$ , the set  $\frac{B_1}{n}$  is relatively compact and so is B. Obviously, B is a nonempty closed convex set. For any  $u \in B$ ,

$$\|\Gamma u(t)\| = \left\| \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) ds + \sum_{t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)) \right\|$$
  
$$\leq \int_{-\infty}^{t} M e^{-w(t-s)} \|f(s,u(s))\| ds + \sum_{t_i < t} M e^{-w(t-t_i)} \|I_i(u(t_i))\|$$
  
$$\leq \frac{M}{w} C_{L0} + \sum_{t_i < t} M e^{-w(t-t_i)} C.$$

In order to estimate the second term on the right-hand side of the above formula, we assume  $t_j \le t < t_{j+1}, j \in Z$ , so

$$t - t_i = (t - t_j) + (t_j - t_i) \ge (j - i)\alpha_j$$

and,

$$\sum_{t_i < t} M e^{-w(t-t_i)} C \leq \sum_{-\infty < i \leq j} M e^{-w(j-i)\alpha} C = \sum_{0 \leq k=j-i < \infty} M e^{-wk\alpha} C = \frac{M}{1 - e^{-w\alpha}} C.$$

Thus

$$\left\|\Gamma u(t)\right\| \leq \frac{M}{w}C_{L_0} + \frac{M}{1 - e^{-w\alpha}}C \leq L_0.$$

By (A2), for any  $n \in N$ , there exists a number  $0 < \delta \leq \frac{1}{n}$ , if  $||x - y|| \leq \delta$  then  $||f(t,x) - f(t,y)|| \leq \frac{1}{n}$  and  $||I_i(x) - I_i(y)|| \leq \frac{1}{n}$  for all  $i \in Z$ . For any  $u \in B \subset B_{\frac{1}{n}}$  ( $\forall n \in N$ ) and  $\tau \in \Omega_{\frac{1}{n}, f, I_i, K_0, T}$ ,  $||u(t + \tau) - u(t)|| \leq \frac{1}{n} (= \delta) \qquad (|t - t_i| > \frac{1}{n})$ . So, for  $|t - t_i| > \frac{1}{n}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f(t+\tau, u(t+\tau)) - f(t, u(t))\| \\ &\leq \|f(t+\tau, u(t+\tau)) - f(t, u(t+\tau))\| + \|f(t, u(t+\tau)) - f(t, u(t))\| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n} = \frac{2}{n}. \end{aligned}$$
(3.1)

Similarly, for  $q \in Z$  with  $|t_{i+q} - t_i - \tau| < \frac{1}{n}$ , we have

$$\|I_{i+q}(u(t_{i+q})) - I_i(u(t_i))\| \le \frac{2}{n}.$$
 (3.2)

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma u(t+\tau) &- \Gamma u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t+\tau} T\left(t+\tau,s\right) f\left(s,u(s)\right) ds + \sum_{l_i < t+\tau} T\left(t+\tau,t_i\right) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \\ &- \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s) f\left(s,u(s)\right) ds - \sum_{l_i < t} T(t,t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t+\tau,s+\tau) f\left(s+\tau,u(s+\tau)\right) ds \\ &+ \sum_{l_i < t} T\left(t+\tau,t_i+\tau\right) I_{i+q}\left(u(t_{i+q})\right) \\ &- \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s) f\left(s,u(s)\right) ds - \sum_{l_i < t} T(t,t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{t} \left[ T(t+\tau,s+\tau) f\left(s+\tau,u(s+\tau)\right) - T(t,s) f\left(s,u(s)\right) \right] ds \\ &+ \sum_{l_i < t} \left[ T(t+\tau,t_i+\tau) I_{i+q}\left(u(t_{i+q})\right) - T(t,t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

By Lemmas 2.4, 2.5, Equations (3.1) and (3.2), we have

$$\begin{split} \left\| \int_{-\infty}^{t} \left[ T(t+\tau,s+\tau)f(s+\tau,u(s+\tau)) - T(t,s)f(s,u(s)) \right] ds \right\| \\ &= \left\| \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t+\tau,s+\tau) \left[ f(s+\tau,u(s+\tau)) - f(s,u(s)) \right] ds \\ &+ \int_{-\infty}^{t} \left[ T(t+\tau,s+\tau) - T(t,s) \right] f(s,u(s)) \, ds \right\| \\ &\leq \int_{-\infty}^{t} \left\| T(t+\tau,s+\tau) \right\| \left\| f(s+\tau,u(s+\tau)) - f(s,u(s)) \right\| \, ds \\ &+ \int_{-\infty}^{t} \left\| T(t+\tau,s+\tau) - T(t,s) \right\| \left\| f(s,u(s)) \right\| \, ds \\ &\leq \int_{-\infty}^{t} \frac{2}{n} M e^{-w(t-s)} \, ds + \int_{-\infty}^{t} \frac{1}{n} e^{-\frac{w(t-s)}{2}} C_{L0} \, ds \\ &= \frac{2}{nw} M + \frac{2}{nw} C_{L0}, \end{split}$$

and

$$\left\| \sum_{t_i < t} \left[ T(t + \tau, t_i + \tau) I_{i+q} \left( u(t_{i+q}) \right) - T(t, t_i) I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right] \right\|$$

$$= \left\| \sum_{t_i < t} T(t + \tau, t_i + \tau) \left[ I_{i+q} \left( u(t_{i+q}) \right) - I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right] \right\|$$

$$+ \sum_{t_i < t} \left[ T(t + \tau, t_i + \tau) - T(t, t_i) \right] I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\|$$

$$\leq \sum_{t_i < t} \left\| T(t + \tau, t_i + \tau) \right\| \left\| I_{i+q} (u(t_{i+q})) - I_i (u(t_i)) \right\|$$

$$+ \sum_{t_i < t} \left\| T(t + \tau, t_i + \tau) - T(t, t_i) \right\| \left\| I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\|$$

$$\leq \sum_{t_i < t} M e^{-w(t-t_i)} \frac{2}{n} + \sum_{t_i < t} \frac{1}{n} e^{-\frac{w(t-t_i)}{2}} C$$

$$\leq \frac{2}{n(1 - e^{-w\alpha})} M + \frac{2}{n(1 - e^{-w\alpha})} C.$$

Therefore, for any  $n \in N$ , there exists a relatively dense set  $\Omega_{\frac{1}{n}f,I_i,K_0,T}$  of R, for  $\|\Gamma u(t+\tau) - \Gamma u(t)\| \leq \frac{2M + 2C_{L_0}}{nw} + \frac{2M + 2C}{n(1-e^{-w\alpha})} \leq \frac{1}{n},$  $\|\Gamma u(t+\tau) - \Gamma u(t)\| \leq \frac{2M + 2C_{L_0}}{nw} + \frac{2M + 2C}{n(1-e^{-w\alpha})} \leq \frac{1}{n}.$ 

That is,  $\Gamma u \in B_{\frac{1}{n}}$ . Since *n* is arbitrary,  $\Gamma u \in \bigcap_{n \in N} B_{\frac{1}{n}} = B$ , that is  $\Gamma B \subseteq B$ .

$$||f(t,x_1)-f(t,x_2)|| \leq \frac{1}{n} ||I_i(x_1)-I_i(x_2)|| \leq \frac{1}{n},$$

for all  $t \in R$ ,  $i \in N$ . Let  $x, y \in B$ ,  $||x - y|| \le \delta$ . Since  $R(x) \subseteq K_0$  and  $R(y) \subseteq K_0$ ,

$$\left\|f\left(t,x(t)\right)-f\left(t,y(t)\right)\right\|\leq \frac{1}{n}$$
  $\left\|I_{i}\left(x(t)\right)-I_{i}\left(y(t)\right)\right\|\leq \frac{1}{n}.$ 

So

$$\begin{split} \Gamma x(t) &- \Gamma y(t) \| = \left\| \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s) f\left(s, x(s)\right) ds + \sum_{t_i < t} T(t,t_i) I_i\left(x(t_i)\right) \right. \\ &- \int_{-\infty}^{t} T(t,s) f\left(s, y(s)\right) ds - \sum_{t_i < t} I_i\left(y(t_i)\right) \right\| \\ &\leq \int_{-\infty}^{t} \| T(t,s) \| \| f\left(s, x(s)\right) - f\left(s, y(s)\right) \| ds \\ &+ \sum_{t_i < t} \| T(t,t_i) \| \| I_i\left(x(t_i)\right) - I_i\left(y(t_i)\right) \| \\ &\leq \int_{-\infty}^{t} M e^{-w(t-s)} \| f\left(s, x(s)\right) - f\left(s, y(s)\right) \| ds \\ &+ \sum_{t_i < t} M e^{-w(t-t_i)} \| I_i\left(x(t_i)\right) - I_i\left(y(t_i)\right) \| \\ &\leq \frac{M}{wn} + \frac{M}{n(1 - e^{-w\alpha})} \to 0 \text{ if } n \to \infty. \end{split}$$

Next, we show the following three statements:

- (S1) { $\Gamma u(t) : u \in B$ } is a relatively compact subset of *X* for each  $t \in R$ .
- (S2) { $\Gamma u : u \in B$ } is equicontinuous.
- (S3) { $\Gamma u : u \in B$ } is equi-almost-periodic.
- (S3) is obvious because B is.
- For any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , let

$$\begin{split} \Gamma_{\varepsilon} u(t) &= \int_{-\infty}^{t-\varepsilon} T(t,s) f\left(s, u(s)\right) ds + \sum_{t_i < t-\varepsilon} T(t,t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \\ &= T(t,t-\varepsilon) \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{t-\varepsilon} T(t-\varepsilon,s) f\left(s, u(s)\right) ds + \sum_{t_i < t-\varepsilon} T\left(t-\varepsilon,t_i\right) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right] \\ &= T(t,t-\varepsilon) \Gamma u(t-\varepsilon). \end{split}$$

Since  $\{\Gamma u(t - \varepsilon) : u \in B\}$  is uniformly bounded in *X* and *T*(*t*, *t* -  $\varepsilon$ ) is compact, so  $\{\Gamma_{\varepsilon} u (t) : u \in B\}$  is relatively compact in *X*. Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \Gamma u(t) - \Gamma_{\varepsilon} u(t) \right\| &= \left\| \int_{t-\varepsilon}^{t} T(t,s) f\left(s, x(s)\right) ds + \sum_{t-\varepsilon < t_i < t} T(t,t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right\| \\ &\leq \int_{t-\varepsilon}^{t} \left\| T(t,s) \right\| \left\| f\left(s, x(s)\right) \right\| ds + \sum_{t-\varepsilon < t_i < t} \left\| T(t,t_i) \right\| \left\| I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right\| \\ &\leq \int_{t-\varepsilon}^{t} Me^{-w(t-s)} \left\| f\left(s, x(s)\right) \right\| ds + \sum_{t-\varepsilon < t_i < t} Me^{-w(t-t_i)} \left\| I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right\| \\ &\leq \varepsilon \frac{M}{w} C_{L_0} + \varepsilon \frac{M}{\alpha} C. \end{aligned}$$

So, { $\Gamma u(t) : u \in B$ } is a relatively compact subset of *X* for each  $t \in R$ . This show (S1). It remains to prove (S2). Let t'' < t',  $t'' \in R$ ,  $u \in B$ ,

$$\Gamma u(t') - \Gamma u(t'') = \int_{-\infty}^{t'} T(t', s) f(s, u(s)) ds + \sum_{t_i < t'} T(t', t_i) I_i(u(t_i)) - \int_{-\infty}^{t''} T(t'', s) f(s, u(s)) ds - \sum_{t_i < t''} T(t'', t_i) I_i(u(t_i)) = \int_{-\infty}^{t''} [T(t', s) - T(t'', s)] f(s, u(s)) ds + \int_{t''}^{t'} T(t', s) f(s, u(s)) ds + \sum_{t_i < t''} [T(t', t_i) - T(t'', t_i)] I_i(u(t_i)) + \sum_{t'' < t_i < t'} T(t', t_i) I_i(u(t_i)) .$$

Moreover,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{t''} [T(t',s) - T(t'',s)]f(s,u(s)) ds$$
  
= 
$$\int_{0}^{\infty} [T(t',t''-s) - T(t'',t''-s)]f(t''-s,u(t''-s)) ds$$
  
= 
$$\int_{0}^{\infty} [T(t',t'')T(t'',t''-s) - T(t'',t''-s)]f(t''-s,u(t''-s)) ds$$
  
= 
$$\int_{0}^{\infty} [T(t',t'') - I]T(t'',t''-s)f(t''-s,u(t''-s)) ds.$$

By (H6), for the given  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta(\varepsilon) < \frac{\varepsilon}{4M(C_{L_0} + \frac{C}{\alpha})}$  such that if t', t'' belongs to a same continuity and  $0 < t' - t'' < \delta$ , then

$$T(t',t'') - I \| < \min\left\{\frac{w\varepsilon}{4MC_{L_0}}, \frac{(1-e^{-w\alpha})\varepsilon}{4MC}\right\}$$

So,

$$\begin{split} \left\| \int_{-\infty}^{t''} \left[ T(t',s) - T(t'',s) \right] f(s,u(s)) \, ds \right\| \\ &\leq \int_{0}^{\infty} \left\| T(t',t'') - I \right\| \left\| T(t'',t''-s) \right\| \left\| f(t''-s,u(t''-s)) \right\| \, ds \\ &\leq \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{w\varepsilon}{4MC_{L_0}} M e^{-ws} C_{L_0} ds < \frac{\varepsilon}{4}, \end{split}$$

and,

$$\left\|\int_{t''}^{t'} T(t',s)f(s,u(s)) ds\right\| \leq \int_{t''}^{t'} \|T(t',s)\| \|f(s,u(s)) ds\| < \delta MC_{L_0} < \frac{\varepsilon}{4}.$$

Similarly,

$$\begin{split} \left\| \sum_{t_i < t''} \left[ T(t', t_i) - T(t'', t_i) \right] I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \sum_{t_i < t''} \left[ T(t', t'') T(t'', t_i) - T(t'', t_i) \right] I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \sum_{t_i < t''} \left[ T(t', t'') - I \right] T(t'', t_i) I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\| \\ &\leq \sum_{t_i < t''} \left\| T(t', t'') - I \right\| \left\| T(t'', t_i) \right\| \left\| I_i \left( u(t_i) \right) \right\| \\ &\leq \sum_{t_i < t''} \frac{(1 - e^{-w\alpha})\varepsilon}{4MC} M e^{-w(t''-t_i)} C \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{4}, \end{split}$$

and,

$$\sum_{t'' < t_i < t'} T(t', t_i) I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right\| \leq \sum_{t'' < t_i < t'} \left\| T(t', t_i) \right\| \left\| I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) \right\| < \frac{\delta}{\alpha} MC < \frac{\varepsilon}{4}$$

Thus, for  $u \in B$ , when t',  $t'' \in R$  belongs to a same continuity and  $0 < t' - t'' < \delta$ ,

 $\left\|\Gamma u(t')-\Gamma u(t'')\right\|\leq \varepsilon.$ 

That is,  $\{\Gamma u: u \in B\}$  is equicontinuous and (S2) holds.

Now the conditions of Lemma 2.7 are met, so  $\Gamma$  is compact. By Schauder's point fixed theorem,  $\Gamma$  has a fixed point  $u \in B$ . That is, (1.3) has a mild piecewise almost periodic solution u(t).

The proof is complete.

**Remark 3.2** As we pointed out in Introduction, to get the almost periodic solutions of impulsive differential equations, most people use the Contraction theorem. To be different, we use Schauder's fixed point theorem. This makes proofs difficult. In this case, we impose a stronger condition (A4). To investigate this problem without (A4) and give a easy example will be our next study.

**Remark 3.3** Note that the uniform continuity is weaker than the Lipschitz continuity So if the conditions of uniformly continuity of f and  $I_i$  in (A2) is replaced by

$$\|f(t,x) - f(t,y)\| + \|I_i(x) - I_i(y)\| \le \eta \|x - y\|$$
(3.3)

for all  $x, y \in X$ ,  $\eta \in (0,1)$ , we can also get the mild piecewise almost periodic solution to (1.3) by Theorem 3.1.

In the end, we will use generalized Gronwall-Bellman inequality (Lemma 2.9) to show the asymptotic stability of piecewise almost periodic solutions to (1.3) under the Lipschitz condition.

**Theorem 3.4** Assume the conditions of Theorem 3.1 are fulfilled except that (A2) is replaced by (3.3). Assume further that  $M\eta - w < 0$ , then (1.3) has an asymptotically stable almost periodic solution.

*Proof* By Remark 3.3, (1.3) has a mild piecewise almost periodic solution x(t),

$$x(t) = T(t,\sigma)x(\sigma) + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t,s)f(s,x(s)) ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t,t_i)I_i(u(t_i)).$$

Let  $u(t) = u(t, \sigma, \phi)$  and  $v(t) = v(t, \sigma, \psi)$  be two solutions of Equation (1.3), then

$$u(t) = T(t, \sigma)\varphi + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t, s)f(s, u(s)) ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t, t_i)I_i(u(t_i)),$$
$$\upsilon(t) = T(t, \sigma)\psi + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t, s)f(s, \upsilon(s)) ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t, t_i)I_i(\upsilon(t_i)).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} |u(t) - \upsilon(t)| &= \left\| T(t, \sigma)\varphi - T(t, \sigma)\psi + \int_{\sigma}^{t} T(t, s) \left[ f\left(s, u(s)\right) - f\left(s, \upsilon(s)\right) \right] ds \\ &+ \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} T(t, t_i) \left[ I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) - I_i\left(\upsilon(t_i)\right) \right] \right\| \\ &\leq \left\| T(t, \sigma) \right\| \left\| \varphi - \psi \right\| + \int_{\sigma}^{t} \left\| T(t, s) \right\| \left\| f\left(s, u(s)\right) - f\left(s, \upsilon(s)\right) \right\| ds \\ &+ \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} \left\| T(t, t_i) \right\| \left\| I_i\left(u(t_i)\right) - I_i\left(\upsilon(t_i)\right) \right\| \\ &\leq M e^{-w(t-\sigma)} \left\| \varphi - \psi \right\| + \int_{\sigma}^{t} M \eta e^{-w(t-s)} \left\| u(s) - \upsilon(s) \right\| ds \\ &+ \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} M \eta e^{-w(t-t_i)} \left\| u(t_i) - \upsilon(t_i) \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$e^{wt} \|u(t) - \upsilon(t)\| \leq M e^{w\sigma} \|\varphi - \psi\| + \int_{\sigma}^{t} M \eta e^{ws} \|u(s) - \upsilon(s)\| ds$$
$$+ \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} M \eta e^{wt_i} \|u(t_i) - \upsilon(t_i)\|.$$

Let  $\Upsilon(t) = e^{wt} ||u(t) - v(t)||$ , then

$$\Upsilon(t) \leq M\Upsilon(\sigma) + \int_{\sigma}^{t} M\eta\Upsilon(s)ds + \sum_{\sigma < t_i < t} M\eta\Upsilon(t_i).$$

By Lemma 2.9, we have

$$\Upsilon(t) \leq M\Upsilon(\sigma) \prod_{\sigma < t_i < t} (1 + M\eta) e^{\int_{\sigma}^{t} M\eta ds} = M\Upsilon(\sigma) \prod_{\sigma < t_i < t} (1 + M\eta) e^{M\eta(t-\sigma)},$$

that is,

$$\|u(t) - \upsilon(t)\| \leq M \|\varphi - \psi\| \prod_{\sigma < t_i < t} (1 + M\eta) e^{(M\eta - w)(t-\sigma)}$$

This completes the proof.

#### **4** Conclusion

The aim of this article was to give sufficient conditions for existence and asymptotic stability of almost periodic solutions for abstract impulsive differential equations. By taking into consideration the relative compactness for subsets in  $AP_T(R, X)$ , we get almost periodic solutions to impulsive differential equation. In addition, we use generalized Gronwall-Bellman inequality to show the above solution is asymptotically stable.

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