

# MULTIPLICITY RESULTS FOR FRACTIONAL $p$ -LAPLACIAN PROBLEMS WITH HARDY TERM AND HARDY–SOBOLEV CRITICAL EXPONENT IN $\mathbb{R}^N$

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ABSTRACT. This paper is devoted to the study of a class of singular fractional  $p$ -Laplacian problems of the form

$$(-\Delta)_p^s u - \mu \frac{|u|^{p-2}u}{|x|^{ps}} = \alpha \frac{|u|^{p_s^*(b)-2}u}{|x|^b} + \beta f(x)|u|^{q-2}u \quad \text{in } \mathbb{R}^N$$

where  $0 < s < 1$ ,  $0 \leq b < ps < N$ ,  $1 < q < p_s^*(b)$ ,  $\alpha, \beta > 0$ ,  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ , and  $f(x)$  is a given function which satisfies some appropriate condition. By using variational methods, we prove the existence of infinitely many solutions under different conditions.

## 1. Introduction and statement of main result

In this article, we consider the following fractional  $p$ -Laplacian equations with Hardy term and Hardy–Sobolev critical exponent:

$$(1.1) \quad (-\Delta)_p^s u - \mu \frac{|u|^{p-2}u}{|x|^{ps}} = \alpha \frac{|u|^{p_s^*(b)-2}u}{|x|^b} + \beta f(x)|u|^{q-2}u \quad \text{in } \mathbb{R}^N$$

where  $0 < s < 1$ ,  $0 \leq b < ps < N$ ,  $1 < q < p_s^*(b) = p(N-b)/(N-ps)$ ,  $\alpha, \beta > 0$  and  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ . The operator  $(-\Delta)_p^s$  is the fractional  $p$ -Laplacian, which up to

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