

A MULTIPLICITY RESULT FOR A
DOUBLE EIGENVALUE P-LAPLACIAN EQUATION
ON UNBOUNDED DOMAIN

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Abstract. We present a multiplicity result concerning a class of quasilinear eigenvalue problems with nonlinear boundary conditions on unbounded domain. The proofs are based on the Mountain Pass theorem applied to weighted Sobolev spaces. Our paper completes the results obtained in this direction (see for instance [1], [3], [5], [6], [8]).

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