

Mathematical properties of certain models of two-phase compressible fluids

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Mass conservation

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Momentum balance

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Cahn-Hilliard system

$$\partial_t(\varrho c) + \operatorname{div}_x(\varrho c \mathbf{u}) = \Delta \left(\mu_0(\varrho, c) - \frac{1}{\varrho} \operatorname{div}_x(\varrho \nabla_x c) \right)$$

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Constitutive equations

General constitutive equation

$$p(\varrho, c) = \varrho^2 \frac{\partial f(\varrho, c)}{\partial \varrho}, \quad \mu(\varrho, c) = \frac{\partial f(\varrho, c)}{\partial c}$$

Free energy

$$f(\varrho, c) = f_e(\varrho) + f_{\text{mix}}(\varrho, c), \quad f_{\text{mix}}(\varrho, c) = H(c) \log(\varrho) + G(c)$$

Pressure

$$p(\varrho, c) = p_e(\varrho) + \varrho H(c), \quad f_e(\varrho) = \int_1^{\varrho} \frac{p_e(z)}{z^2} dz$$

More hypotheses

Growth hypotheses

$$p_e(0) = 0, \quad p_1 \varrho^{\gamma-1} - p_2 \leq p'_e(\varrho) \leq p_3 \varrho^{\gamma-1} + p_4$$

$$-H_1 \leq H'(c), H(c) \leq H_2, \quad G_1 c - G_2 \leq G'(c) \leq G_3 c + G_4$$

Viscosity - Newton's law

$$\mathbb{S}(\nabla_x \mathbf{u}) = \mu(c) \left(\nabla_x \mathbf{u} + \nabla_x^t \mathbf{u} - \frac{2}{3} \operatorname{div}_x \mathbf{u} \mathbb{I} \right) + \eta(c) \operatorname{div}_x \mathbf{u} \mathbb{I},$$

Periodic boundary conditions

$$\Omega = \left([0, 1] \Big|_{\{0,1\}} \right)^3.$$

Weak solutions - H.Abels, EF, Indiana Univ. Math. J. 2008

Let $\gamma > \frac{3}{2}$. Then the Anderson-McFadden-Wheeler model admits a global-in-time weak solution for any finite energy initial data.

Weak solutions, EF 2014

Let

$$f(\varrho, c) = H(c) + \log(\varrho) \left(\alpha_1 \frac{1-c}{2} + \alpha_2 \frac{1+c}{2} \right),$$

$$H \in C^2(\mathbb{R}), \quad |H''(c)| \leq \bar{H} \text{ for all } c \in \mathbb{R}^1$$

and let the initial data be given such that

$$\varrho(0, \cdot) = \varrho_0 \in C^3(\Omega), \quad \inf_{\Omega} \varrho_0 > 0,$$

$$\mathbf{u}(0, \cdot) = \mathbf{u}_0 \in C^3(\Omega; \mathbb{R}^3), \quad c(0, \cdot) = c_0 \in C^2(\Omega).$$

Then the Lowengrub-Truskinovski *inviscid* model admits infinitely many global-in-time weak solutions.

Total energy functional

$$\mathcal{E}_{\text{tot}}(\varrho, \mathbf{u}, c) \equiv \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{1}{2} \varrho |\mathbf{u}|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \varrho |\nabla_x c|^2 + \varrho f_0(\varrho, c) \right) dx$$

Initial energy jump

$$\liminf_{t \rightarrow 0^+} \mathcal{E}_{\text{tot}}(\varrho, \mathbf{u}, c)(t) > \mathcal{E}_{\text{tot}}(\varrho_0, \mathbf{u}_0, c_0).$$

Dissipative solutions

Global-in-time admissible weak solutions, EF 2015

For any given $T > 0$ and the initial data

$$\varrho(0, \cdot) = \varrho_0 \in C^3(\Omega), \quad \inf_{\Omega} \varrho_0 > 0,$$

there exists a set of initial concentrations $c_0 \in C^3(\Omega)$ dense in $C(\Omega)$ such that for any $[\varrho_0, c_0]$ there exists $\mathbf{u}_0 \in L^\infty(\Omega; \mathbb{R}^3)$ such that the inviscid Lowengrub-Truskinovski system with

$$\mathbf{u}(0, \cdot) = \mathbf{u}_0$$

admits infinitely many weak solutions in $(0, T) \times \Omega$ satisfying the energy inequality

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{1}{2} \varrho |\mathbf{u}|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \varrho |\nabla_x c|^2 + \varrho f_0(\varrho, c) \right) (t, \cdot) \, dx \\ & \leq \int_{\Omega} \left(\frac{1}{2} \varrho_0 |\mathbf{u}_0|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \varrho_0 |\nabla_x c_0|^2 + \varrho_0 f_0(\varrho_0, c_0) \right) \, dx \end{aligned}$$

Helmholtz decomposition

$$\varrho \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi, \quad \operatorname{div}_x \mathbf{v} = 0, \quad \int_{\Omega} \Phi \, dx = 0$$

Modified system

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \varrho + \Delta \Phi &= 0, \\ \partial_t (\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi) + \operatorname{div}_x \left(\frac{(\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi) \otimes (\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi)}{\varrho} \right) + \nabla_x p_0(\varrho, c) \\ &= \operatorname{div}_x \left(\varrho \nabla_x c \otimes \nabla_x c - \frac{\varrho}{2} |\nabla_x c|^2 \mathbb{I} \right), \\ &\quad \varrho \partial_t c + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla_x c + \nabla_x \Phi \cdot \nabla_x c \\ &= -\Delta \left(\frac{1}{\varrho} \operatorname{div}_x (\varrho \nabla_x c) \right) + \Delta \left(H'(c) + \frac{\alpha_2 - \alpha_1}{2} \log(\varrho) \right). \end{aligned}$$

Solution mapping

$$\mathbf{v} \mapsto c[\mathbf{v}], \quad \mathbf{v} \in L^\infty((0, T) \times \Omega; \mathbb{R}^3) \cap C^1((0, T) \times \Omega; \mathbb{R}^3), \quad \operatorname{div}_x \mathbf{v} = 0$$

Maximal regularity - Denk, Hieber, Pruess [2007]

$$\partial_t c + \frac{1}{\varrho} \Delta \left(\frac{1}{\varrho} \operatorname{div}_x (\varrho \nabla_x c) \right) = h,$$

Reformulation via convex integration theory

Abstract Euler system

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}(0, \cdot) &= \mathbf{v}_0, \quad \operatorname{div}_x \mathbf{v} = 0 \\ \partial_t \mathbf{v} + \operatorname{div}_x \left(\frac{(\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi) \otimes (\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi)}{\varrho} - \frac{1}{3} \frac{|\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi|^2}{\varrho} \mathbb{I} \right) \\ &= \operatorname{div}_x \left(\varrho \left(\nabla_x c[\mathbf{v}] \otimes \nabla_x c[\mathbf{v}] - \frac{1}{3} |\nabla_x c[\mathbf{v}]|^2 \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Energy

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{E}[\mathbf{v}] &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{|\mathbf{v} + \nabla_x \Phi|^2}{\varrho} \\ &= \Lambda(t) - \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{6} |\nabla_x c[\mathbf{v}]|^2 + p_0(\varrho, c[\mathbf{v}]) + \partial_t \nabla_x \Phi \right) \end{aligned}$$