

## SEMINAR "ASYMPTOTIC MODELS IN FLUID DYNAMICS"

SUMMARY OF THE FIRST SEASONFURTHER PROPERTIES OF SOLUTIONSOUTLOOK

Note that the below mentioned results  
are not rigorous / complete but rather  
meant to give an idea.

See the papers for rigorous results

# I. THE STORY SO FAR

## 1. MODELLING:

NANIER - STOKES

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(\vec{u}_t + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) \vec{u}) &= \operatorname{div} \mathcal{S}(\vec{u}, \rho) \\ \operatorname{div} \vec{u} &= 0 \\ + \text{BC} \\ h_t + u h_x &= 0, \quad z = h(t, x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{h}{L} \rightarrow 0$$

THIN-FILM EQUATION

$$\begin{aligned} -\rho_x + (\rho u_z)_z &= 0 \\ \rho_z &= 0 \\ + \text{BC} \\ h_t + \left( \int_0^h u(t, x, z) dz \right)_x &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

## 2. SHORT-TIME EXISTENCE AND UNIQUENESS OF POSITIVE SOLUTIONS

PDE

$$\mathcal{A}(u) \in L(H_B^4; L_2) \quad \mathcal{A}(u)h = u^n \partial_x^4 h$$

ABSTRACT CAUCHY PROBLEM

$$\begin{aligned} & h_t + (h^n h_{xxx})_x = 0, \quad t > 0, x \in \Omega \\ & h_x = h_{xxx} = 0, \quad t > 0, x \in \partial\Omega \\ & h(0, x) = h_0(x) > 0, \quad x \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & h' + \mathcal{A}(h)h = f(h), \quad t > 0 \\ & h(0) = h_0 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

"PARABOLIC THEORY"

$\exists T > 0$  and unique sol.

$$h \in C([0, T]; L_2(\Omega)) \cap C^1((0, T); L_2(\Omega))$$

### 3. EXISTENCE OF GLOBAL NON-NEGATIVE WEAK SOLUTIONS

PDE



Regularised PDE

$$\begin{aligned} h_t + (h^n h_{xxx})_x &= 0, \quad t > 0, x \in \Omega \\ h_x = h_{xxx} &= 0, \quad t > 0, x \in \partial\Omega \\ h(0, x) &= h_0(x) > 0, \quad x \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} h_t^\varepsilon + ((h^\varepsilon + \varepsilon)^n h_{xxx}^\varepsilon)_x &= 0 \\ h_x^\varepsilon = h_{xxx}^\varepsilon &= 0 \\ h^\varepsilon(0, \cdot) &= h_{0\varepsilon} \longrightarrow h_0 \text{ in } H^1(\Omega) \end{aligned}$$

forall suitable test functions  $\varphi$ :

$$\int_0^T \int_{\Omega} h \varphi_t + \iint_{\Omega} h^n h_{xxx} \varphi_x = 0 \quad \xleftarrow{\text{Unif. estimates}}$$

Energy dissipation

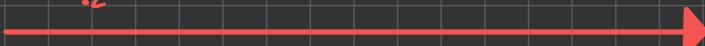
$$\frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |h_x^\varepsilon|^2 + \int_0^t \int_{\Omega} ((h^\varepsilon + \varepsilon)^n |h_{xxx}^\varepsilon|^2) \leq \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |h_{0\varepsilon}|^2$$

## 4. ENTROPY, NON-NEGATIVITY AND NON-NAIVE REGULARISATION

test with  $g_\varepsilon, \varepsilon \in \mathbb{O}$ :

$$\int_{\Omega} G_0(u(T)) + \iint u_{xx}^2 = G_0(u_0)$$

ENTROPY



THEOREM [BFG0]

$$g_\varepsilon(s) = - \int_s^A \frac{1}{|r|^n + \varepsilon} dr \leq 0$$

$$G_\varepsilon(s) = - \int_s^A g_\varepsilon(r) dr \geq 0$$

Assume  $u_0 \in H^1(\Omega)$ ,  $u_0 \geq 0$ .

$$n > 1, \int_{\Omega} |\log u_0| < \infty \Rightarrow u > 0$$

$$n \geq 2, \int_{\Omega} u_0^{2-n} < \infty \Rightarrow |\{u=0\}| = 0$$

$$n \geq 4, u_0 > 0 \Rightarrow u > 0$$

## 5. TRAVELLING-WAVE SOLUTIONS:

$$h(t, x) = H(x - ct) \geq 0$$

$$-cH' + (H^n H'')' = 0$$

ODE (TN Ansatz)

Schauder for ( $P_\varepsilon$ )

THEOREM [CG 2011]

$$cH = H^n H''$$

$$(*) \quad H(0) = 0, \quad H'(0) = \delta \geq 0, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} H''(x) = 0$$

Let  $n \in \{1, 3\}$ ,  $c < 0$ ,  $\delta \geq 0$ . Then:  $\exists!$  sol.

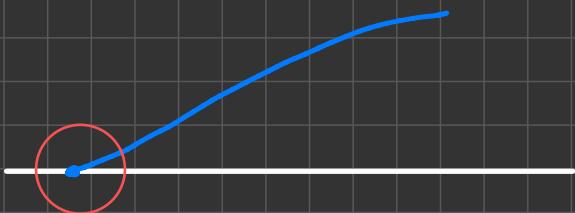
$$H \in C^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \mathbb{R}_+) \cap C^3(\{H > 0\})$$

to (\*).

## I. FURTHER PROPERTIES OF SOLUTIONS

1. UNIQUENESS OF WEAK SOLUTIONS (only  $n \geq 4$ ,  $E_{\text{rel}} := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} |U_x(t) - V_x(t)|^2$ )
2. NO-SLIP PARADOX
3. PROPAGATION OF SUPPORT
4. FINITE SPEED OF PROPAGATION
5. WAITING-TIME PHENOMENA
6. LONG-TIME BEHAVIOUR :  $u(t,x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} h_0 dx$  unif.
7. NON-NEWTONIAN FLUIDS

## 2. NO-SLIP PARADOX [Dussan-Davis 74], [Huh-Scribner 71]



### NO-SLIP CONDITION

$$u = 0, \quad z = 0$$

→ NO-SLIP PARADOX:

Heuristically:

- Consider  $\iint h^n h_{xxx}^2$   
 $\{h=0\}$
- Assume  $h \sim x^{3/n}$

Then:

$$\begin{aligned} h^n h_{xxx}^2 &\sim x^{3} x^{2(3/n-3)} \\ &= x^{3 + \frac{6}{n} - 6} \\ &= x^{\frac{6}{n}-3}, \quad \frac{6}{n}-3 > -1 \Leftrightarrow n < 3 \end{aligned}$$

### POSSIBLE REMEDIES

- Navier-slip condition:

$$u = d^{3-n} h^{n-2} u_z, \quad z = 0$$

$$\rightarrow l_{tt} + ([d^{3-n} h^n + h^3] h_{xxx})_x = 0$$

- Shear-thinning rheology
- equation with additional potential

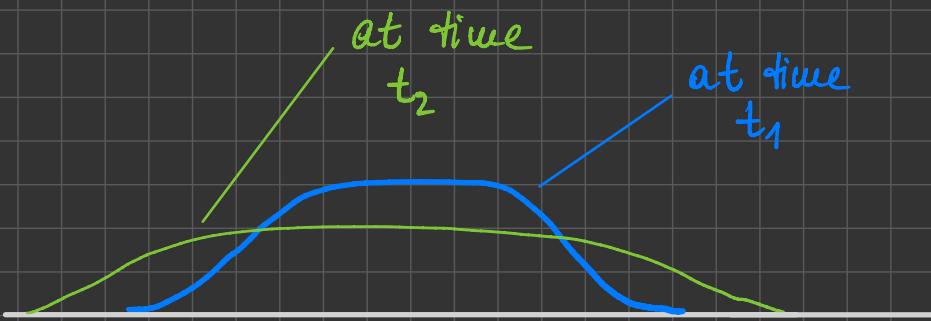
### 3. PROPAGATION OF SUPPORT

#### THEOREM [BF 90]

Let  $n \geq 4$ ,  $u \geq 0$  non-neg. weak sol.

Then  $\forall 0 \leq t_1 \leq t_2 < T_p$ :

$$\text{supp}(u(t_1, \cdot)) \subseteq \text{supp}(u(t_2, \cdot))$$



#### 4. FINITE SPEED OF PROPAGATION

- rules out instantaneous complete wetting

#### THEOREM [Bernis 96 a, b]

Let  $\kappa \in (0, 3)$  and  $h$  a weak solution. If

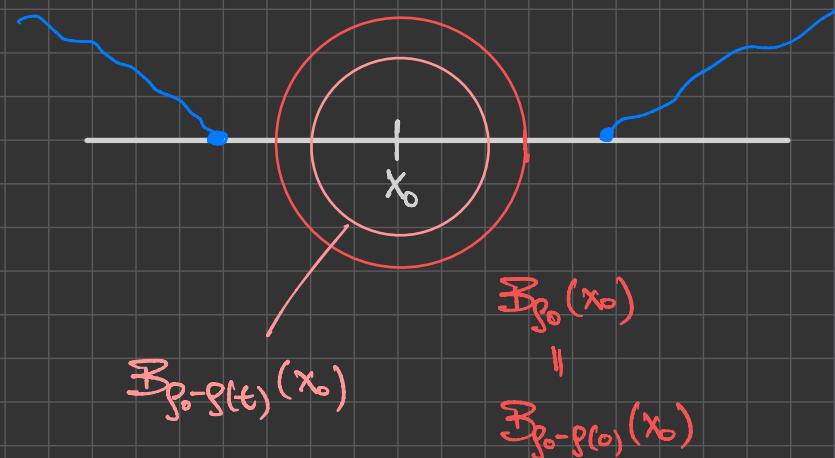
$$h(t_0, \cdot) = 0 \quad \text{in } B_{\rho_0}(x_0) \subset \Omega,$$

then  $h$  has FSP:

$\exists t^* \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $\exists$  nondecreasing function  
 $\varphi \in C([t_0, t^*]; \Omega_{x_0})$  with  $\varphi(0) = 0$  s.t.

$$h(t, \cdot) = 0 \quad \text{in } B_{\rho_0 - \varphi(t)}(x_0)$$

for all  $t \in (t_0, t_0 + t^*)$ .



## 5. WAITING-TIME PHENOMENON

- Speed of propagation can become slower / zero / negative for a certain time  $\rightarrow$  waiting time phenomenon
- Roughly: growth condition on initial value near contact point  $\Rightarrow$  occurrence of WTP

THEOREM [Bernis 96 ; Dal Passo, Giacomelli, Grün 01]

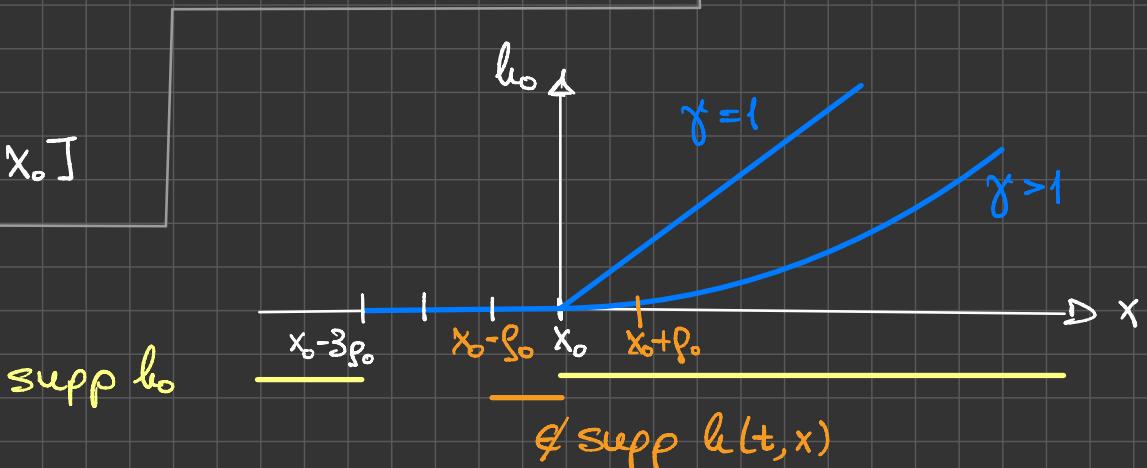
Let  $u \in C(0,3)$ ,  $\gamma \geq \frac{4}{n}$  and  $u$  entropy solution with  $u_0$  s.t.

$u_0 = 0$ ,  $x \in [x_0 - 3\varrho_0, x_0]$ , and  $u_0 \sim |x - x_0|^\gamma$  at  $x_0$

Then  $\exists t^* > 0$ :

$$u(t, \cdot) = 0 \text{ in } [x_0 - \varrho_0, x_0]$$

for all  $t \in (0, t^*)$ .



## 6. NON-NEWTONIAN FLUIDS

### NEWTONIAN FLUIDS

- $\mu \equiv \mu_0$  const.
- $\sigma(\epsilon) = -pI + 2\mu_0\epsilon$
- Cons. of momentum:

$$\vec{u}_t + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) \vec{u} = -\nabla p + \mu \Delta \vec{u}$$

- Thin-film equ.

$$h_t + (h^n h_{xxx})_x = 0$$

### NON-NEWTONIAN FLUIDS

- $\mu = \mu(|\epsilon|)$  shear-dep.
- $\sigma(\epsilon) = -pI + 2\mu(|\epsilon|)\epsilon$
- Cons. of momentum

$$\vec{u}_t + (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla) \vec{u} = -\nabla p + \text{div}(2\mu(|\epsilon|)\epsilon)$$

- Thin-film equations:

POWER LAW:  $\mu(|\epsilon|) = \mu_0 |\epsilon|^{\frac{1}{\alpha}-1}$ ,  $\alpha > 0$

$$h_t + (h^{\alpha+2} |h_{xxx}|^{\alpha-1} h_{xxx})_x = 0$$

ELLIS LAW:  $\frac{1}{\mu(|\epsilon|)} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \left( 1 + \left| \frac{\mu(|\epsilon|)\epsilon}{\tau_{1/2}} \right|^{\alpha-1} \right)$ ,  $\alpha > 1$

$$h_t + (h^3 h_{xxx} + h^{\alpha+2} |h_{xxx}|^{\alpha-1} h_{xxx})_x = 0$$