$\{q_{K} \in \mathbb{C}: K \in [-N, N]^{2}, K = (k_{1}, k_{2}) \xrightarrow{K_{2} = 0}, K_{2} = 0\}$ 9(x,t) = 2 9 kge i k.x mode's in u(x,t) = (q,(x,t), q,(x,t))  $q(t) = F(q(t)) = \sum_{l,j,k} F_{l,j,k}(q(t))$  l + j + k = 0<(€) } eh A eh B eh A

## COMPLEX SPLITTING OF NS

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Consider the dynamics on  $\mathbf{T} = [0, 2\pi]^2$  with periodic boundary conditions. Let  $u(x,t)=(u_1(x,t),u_2(x,t))\in L^2(\mathbf{T},\mathbf{R})\times L^2(\mathbf{T},\mathbf{R})$  be a velocity field which solves the incompressible two-dimensional Navier-Stokes equation

(1) 
$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u(x,t) + (u \cdot \nabla)u(x,t) = \Delta u(x,t) - +\nabla P(x,t) \\ \operatorname{div}(u) \stackrel{def}{=} \nabla \cdot u(x,t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Here

$$\operatorname{div}(u)(x,t) = \sum_{i=1,2} \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_i}(x,t) \quad \text{and} \quad (u \cdot \nabla)u(x,t) = (v_1(x,t), v_2(x,t))$$

where

$$v_j(x,t) = \sum_{i=1,2} \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i}(x,t)$$
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and P(x,t) is a scalar which should be understood as a Lagrange multiplier in forcing the constraint div(u) = 0.

Now we set define the scalar vorticity  $q \in nL^2(\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{R})$  by

$$q(x,t) = \operatorname{curl}(u)(x,t) = \nabla \wedge u(x,t) = \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_2}(x,t) - \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x_1}(x,t)$$

Then (1) becomes

$$\partial_t q(x,t) + (\mathcal{K}q \cdot \nabla)q = \Delta q$$

 $\partial_t q(x,t) + (\mathcal{K} q \cdot \nabla) q = \Delta q$  where for the ONB  $e_k(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{ik\dot{x}}$  and the expansion

$$q(x,t) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}^2} q_k(t) e_k(x) ,$$

one has

$$\langle \mathcal{K}q, e_k \rangle(t) = -iq_k(t) \frac{k^{\perp}}{|k|^2}$$

with  $k^{\perp} = (-k_2, k_1)$  and  $\langle f, g \rangle = \int f(x) \bar{g}(x) dx$ . So

$$\langle (\mathcal{K}q\cdot\nabla)q,e_k\rangle(t) = \frac{1}{4\pi}\sum_{\ell+j=k}\langle j^\perp,\ell\rangle \Big(\frac{1}{|\ell|^2} - \frac{1}{|j|^2}\Big)q_\ell(t)q_j(t) = \sum_{\ell+j=k}C_{\ell,j}q_\ell(t)q_j(t)$$

$$C_{\ell,j} \stackrel{def}{=} \frac{\langle j^{\perp}, \ell \rangle}{4\pi} \left( \frac{1}{|\ell|^2} - \frac{1}{|j|^2} \right)$$

First observe that  $\langle j^{\perp}, \ell \rangle = -j_2 \ell_1 + j_1 \ell_2 = -\langle j, \ell^{\perp} \rangle$  so

$$C_{\ell,j} = C_{j,\ell}$$

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Next observe that if  $\ell + j = k$  then

$$\langle j^{\perp}, \ell \rangle = \langle j^{\perp}, k \rangle = \langle k^{\perp}, \ell \rangle$$

Because q(x,t) is real valued

$$\begin{split} q(x,t) &= \bar{q}(x,t) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \bar{q}_k(t) \bar{e}_k(x) = \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \bar{q}_k(t) e_{-k}(x) \\ &= \sum_{k \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \bar{q}_{-k}(t) e_k(x) \end{split}$$

so we conclude  $\bar{q}_{-k} = q_k$  or alternatively  $q_{-k} = \bar{q}_k$ .

The coefficient of  $q_{\ell}q_{j}q_{k}$  is

$$C_{j,\ell} + C_{\ell,k} + C_{k,j} = \frac{\langle j, \ell^{\perp} \rangle}{4\pi} \left( \frac{1}{|j|^2} - \frac{1}{|\ell|^2} \right) + \frac{\langle \ell, k^{\perp} \rangle}{4\pi} \left( \frac{1}{|\ell|^2} - \frac{1}{|k|^2} \right) + \frac{\langle k, j^{\perp} \rangle}{4\pi} \left( \frac{1}{|k|^2} - \frac{1}{|j|^2} \right)$$

since  $\ell + j + k = 0$  we have that

$$\langle j^{\perp}, \ell \rangle = \langle j, \ell^{\perp} \rangle = -\langle \ell^{\perp}, k \rangle$$

so

$$C_{j,\ell} + C_{\ell,k} + C_{k,j} = 0$$

Now fixing  $\ell + j + k = 0$ , consider

$$- \begin{cases} - \dot{q}_{-k} = C_{j,\ell} q_j q_\ell \\ - \dot{q}_{-j} = C_{\ell,k} q_\ell q_k \\ - \dot{q}_{-\ell} = C_{k,j} q_k q_j \end{cases}$$

Now define the real basis

$$e_{k,\theta}(x) = e_k(x)f_{\theta}$$
 and  $e_{k,\theta}^{\perp}(x) = e_k(x)f_{\theta}^{\perp}$ 

where  $f_{\theta} = e^{i\theta}$  and  $f_{\theta}^{\perp} = e^{i(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})}$  with the real inner product

$$+\frac{\langle k,j^{\perp}\rangle}{4\pi} \left(\frac{1}{|k|^2} - \frac{1}{|j|^2}\right)$$

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$$\langle j^{\perp}, \ell \rangle = \langle j, \ell^{\perp}\rangle = -\langle \ell^{\perp}, k \rangle$$

$$C_{j,\ell} + C_{\ell,k} + C_{k,j} = 0$$

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$$-\frac{\dot{q}_{-k}}{-\dot{q}_{-j}} = C_{\ell,k}q_{\ell}q_{\ell}$$

$$-\dot{q}_{-j} = C_{\ell,k}q_{\ell}q_{k}$$

$$-\dot{q}_{-\ell} = C_{k,j}q_{k}q_{j}$$

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$$e_{k,\theta}(x) = e_{k}(x)f_{\theta} \quad \text{and} \quad e_{k,\theta}^{\perp}(x) = e_{k}(x)f_{\theta}^{\perp}$$

$$\text{ere } f_{\theta} = e^{i\theta} \text{ and } f_{\theta}^{\perp} = e^{i(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})} \text{ with the real inner product}$$

$$\langle e_{k,\theta}, e_{k,\theta}^{\perp}\rangle = \Re\int f_{k,\theta}(x)\bar{e}_{k,\theta}^{\perp}(x)dx = 0$$

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now fixing a  $\theta$ , let  $q_k = a_k f_{\theta} + a_k^{\perp} f_{\theta}^{\perp}$ . Then

$$q_{-k} = \bar{q}_k = a_k e^{-i\theta} + a_k^{\perp} e^{-i(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})} = -a_k f_{k,\theta}^{\perp} - a_k^{\perp} f_{k,\theta}$$

and

$$\begin{split} q_{\ell}q_{j} &= (a_{\ell}e^{i\theta} + a_{\ell}^{\perp}e^{i(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})})(a_{j}e^{i\theta} + a_{j}^{\perp}e^{i(\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})}) \\ &= a_{\ell}a_{j}e^{i2\theta} + (a_{\ell}a_{j}^{\perp} + a_{j}a_{\ell}^{\perp})e^{i(2\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})} + a_{\ell}^{\perp}a_{j}^{\perp}e^{i2\theta + i\pi} \end{split}$$

now

$$e^{i2\theta} = \cos(\theta) f_{\theta} + \sin(\theta) f_{\theta}^{\perp}$$
$$e^{i(2\theta + \frac{\pi}{2})} = -\sin(\theta) f_{\theta} + \cos(\theta) f_{\theta}^{\perp}$$
$$e^{i2\theta + i\pi} = -\cos(\theta) f_{\theta} - \sin(\theta) f_{\theta}^{\perp}$$

$$\langle q_{\ell}q_{j}, f_{\theta} \rangle = \cos(\theta)a_{\ell}a_{j} - \sin(\theta)(a_{\ell}a_{j}^{\perp} + a_{j}a_{\ell}^{\perp}) - \cos(\theta)a_{\ell}^{\perp}a_{j}^{\perp}$$
$$\langle q_{\ell}q_{j}, f_{\theta}^{\perp} \rangle = \sin(\theta)a_{\ell}a_{j} + \cos(\theta)(a_{\ell}a_{j}^{\perp} + a_{j}a_{\ell}^{\perp}) - \sin(\theta)a_{\ell}^{\perp}a_{j}^{\perp}$$

SO

$$C_{\ell,j}^{-1} \dot{a}_k = -\sin(\theta) a_{\ell} a_j - \cos(\theta) (a_{\ell} a_j^{\perp} + a_j a_{\ell}^{\perp}) + \sin(\theta) a_{\ell}^{\perp} a_j^{\perp}$$

$$C_{\ell,j}^{-1} \dot{a}_k^{\perp} = -\cos(\theta) a_{\ell} a_j + \sin(\theta) (a_{\ell} a_j^{\perp} + a_j a_{\ell}^{\perp}) + \cos(\theta) a_{\ell}^{\perp} a_j^{\perp}$$

so we have

$$\dot{a}_{k} = -C_{\ell,j}\cos(\theta)a_{\ell}^{\perp}a_{j} \qquad \qquad \dot{a}_{k}^{\perp} = C_{\ell,j}\sin(\theta)a_{\ell}a_{j}^{\perp}$$

$$\dot{a}_{j} = -C_{k,\ell}\cos(\theta)a_{k}a_{\ell}^{\perp} \qquad \qquad \dot{a}_{j}^{\perp} = C_{k,\ell}\sin(\theta)a_{k}^{\perp}a_{\ell}$$

$$\dot{a}_{\ell}^{\perp} = -C_{j,k}\cos(\theta)a_{j}a_{k} \qquad \qquad \dot{a}_{\ell} = C_{j,k}\sin(\theta)a_{j}^{\perp}a_{k}^{\perp}$$
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$$\begin{aligned} \dot{a}_k &= -C_{\ell,j}\sin(\theta)a_\ell a_j & \dot{a}_k^\perp &= C_{\ell,j}\sin(\theta)a_\ell a_j^\perp \\ \dot{a}_j &= -C_{k,\ell}\sin(\theta)a_k a_\ell & \dot{a}_j^\perp &= C_{k,\ell}\sin(\theta)a_k^\perp a_\ell \\ \dot{a}_\ell &= -C_{j,k}\sin(\theta)a_j a_k & \dot{a}_\ell &= C_{j,k}\sin(\theta)a_j^\perp a_k^\perp \end{aligned}$$

The other sets of equations come from picking the angle  $-\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

## 1. Conserved Quantities

First observe that if  $j + \ell + k = 0$  then

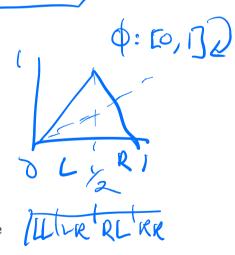
$$C_{j,\ell} + C_{\ell,k} + C_{k,j} = 0 = \frac{C_{j,\ell}}{|k^2|} + \frac{C_{\ell,k}}{|j|^2} + \frac{C_{k,j}}{|\ell|^2}$$

This implies that

$$|q_{\ell}|^2 + |q_j|^2 + |q_k|^2$$
 and  $\frac{1}{|\ell|^2} |q_{\ell}|^2 + \frac{1}{|j|^2} |q_j|^2 + \frac{1}{|k|^2} |q_k|^2$ 

are conserved by the dynamics

$$\dot{q}_{-k} = C_{j,\ell} q_j q_\ell$$
$$\dot{q}_{-j} = C_{\ell,k} q_\ell q_k$$
$$\dot{q}_{-\ell} = C_{k,j} q_k q_j$$



Similarly if  $C_{j,\ell}(\theta) = C_{j,\ell} \sin \theta$  then the following sets of three equations also conserve the analogous norms.

$$\begin{split} \dot{a}_k &= -C_{\ell,j}(\theta) a_\ell a_j \\ \dot{a}_j &= -C_{k,\ell}(\theta) a_k a_\ell \\ \dot{a}_\ell &= -C_{j,k}(\theta) a_j a_k \end{split} \qquad \begin{aligned} \dot{a}_k^\perp &= C_{\ell,j}(\theta) a_\ell a_j^\perp \\ \dot{a}_j^\perp &= C_{k,\ell}(\theta) a_k^\perp a_\ell \\ \dot{a}_\ell &= -C_{j,k}(\theta) a_j a_k \end{aligned}$$

1.1. Rotations. If we want to have dynamice on only two variables pick

$$A_{j,\ell}^k + A_{\ell,j}^k = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad C_{j,k} = A_{\ell,j}^k + A_{\ell,k}^j$$
 
$$\dot{q}_{-k} = A_{k,\ell}^j q_j q_\ell$$
 
$$\dot{q}_{-\ell} = A_{\ell,k}^j q_j q_k$$

then we can split of the real parts as before. Not sure I got this right