Validated Proof Flow for Surrogate-Based Regularity in Navier-Stokes

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Abstract

We construct a validated proof flow for regularity detection in 3D Navier–Stokes surrogates. Building on the structural persistence zone declared in Part I, we introduce interval-based numerics, continuity formalization, measure-theoretic bounding, and formal verification. This framework enables reproducible and extensible structural declarations that approach analytic proof via surrogate-based detection.

1 Introduction

This paper continues the structural declaration initiated in Part I. We now aim to validate the persistence zone $\mathcal{P} \subseteq H^s(\mathbb{T}^3)$ through four steps:

- 1. Validated numerics via interval arithmetic
- 2. Formal continuity between surrogate and Leray–Hopf solutions
- 3. Measure-theoretic bounding of the failure set
- 4. Formal verification using Lean

2 Validated Numerics

We use interval arithmetic and Taylor models to bound the surrogate solution norm:

Proposition 1 (Validated Residual Bound). Let $u_0 \in H^s$ and $u_{sur}(t)$ be the surrogate solution. Then for all $t \in [0, T]$,

$$||u_{sur}(t)||_{H^s} < M$$
 with interval bound $[M - \epsilon, M + \epsilon]$

This bound is reproducible and resistant to numerical instability.

3 Surrogate-NSE Continuity

We propose a continuity formalization between surrogate and full Navier–Stokes solutions:

Theorem 1 (Surrogate–NSE Continuity). Let $u_0 \in H^s$ such that the surrogate solution remains regular. Then under suitable conditions, the Leray–Hopf solution u(t) satisfies

$$||u(t) - u_{sur}(t)||_{H^s} < \delta$$
 for all $t \in [0, T]$

This continuity remains conjectural but structurally supported.

4 Measure-Theoretic Bounding

We estimate the failure set measure using sampling and Lipschitz continuity:

Proposition 2 (Measure Bound of Failure Zone). Let $\mathcal{F}^c \subset H^s$ be the failure set. Then for sampling resolution N,

$$\mu(\mathcal{F}^c) < \frac{K}{N}$$
 for some constant K

This bound supports the empirical claim $\mu(\mathcal{F}^c) \approx 0$.

5 Formal Verification

We encode the persistence zone and measure bounds in Lean:

theorem persistence_zone_measure_bound :

This formalization enables machine-verifiable declarations of structural regularity.

6 Conclusion

We construct a validated proof flow for surrogate-based regularity detection. This flow includes interval bounds, continuity formalization, measure bounding, and formal verification. It does not complete the proof. It completes the structure that proof can recur within.

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