

Model problems in relaxation

(a) Relaxation limits

$$(1)_\epsilon \begin{cases} u_t + v_x = 0 \\ v_t + a u_x = -\frac{1}{\epsilon} [v - f(u)] \end{cases}$$

"closure": $\epsilon \neq 0$, $v = f(u)$



$$(1)_0 \quad u_t + \partial_x f(u) = 0 \quad \left[+ \epsilon^2 \left((a - f'(u)) u_x \right)_x \right]$$

Q: Is the $\epsilon \approx 0$ closure valid?

(b) Can we construct a stochastic particle model for

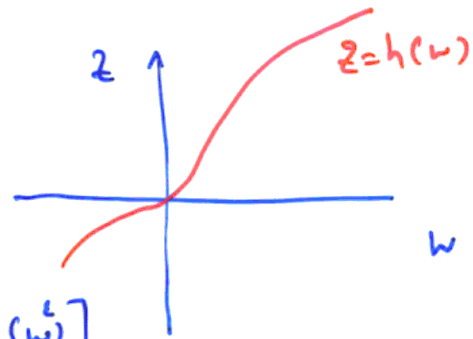
- random fluctuations
- $(1)_\epsilon$
 - which approximates for $\epsilon \approx 0$ $(1)_0$

Note: The same analysis applies to

$$(1)'_0 \quad u_t = \partial_x (K(u) \partial_x u)$$

[Tzavaras, K.]

- Comm. PDE 1997
- Compt. Rend. 1996



$$(1)_\varepsilon \begin{cases} w_t^\varepsilon + c w_x^\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} [z^\varepsilon - h(w^\varepsilon)] \\ z_t^\varepsilon - c z_x^\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} [h(w^\varepsilon) - z^\varepsilon] \end{cases}$$

h is increasing

conserved quant.

$$(w^\varepsilon + z^\varepsilon)_t + c (w^\varepsilon - z^\varepsilon)_x = 0$$

$$\varepsilon = 0, \quad h(w) = z \quad (\text{local equilibrium})$$

$$(1)_0 (w + h(w))_t + c (w - h(w))_x = 0$$

- $(1)_\varepsilon$ is similar to a toy model from kinetic theory: Carleman model
- $(1)_0$ can be written as $u_t + f(u)_x = 0$
- Multi-d / Nonlinear diffusion

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Theorem If h is \uparrow

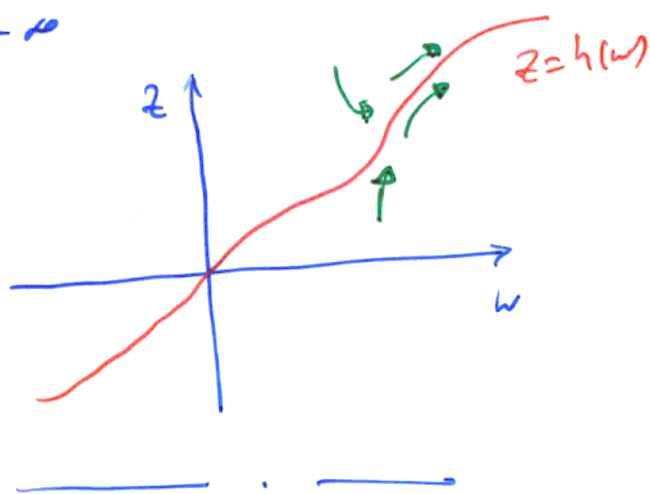
(analogous to the subcharacteristic condition)

(i) $w^\varepsilon + z^\varepsilon \xrightarrow{\varepsilon \downarrow} w + h(w)$ (error is $O(\sqrt{\varepsilon})$)

$u = w + h(w)$: entropy solution to (1)₀

(ii) Local equilibrium ("H-Theorem")

$$\int_0^T \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |z^\varepsilon - h(w)|^2 dx dt = O(\varepsilon)$$



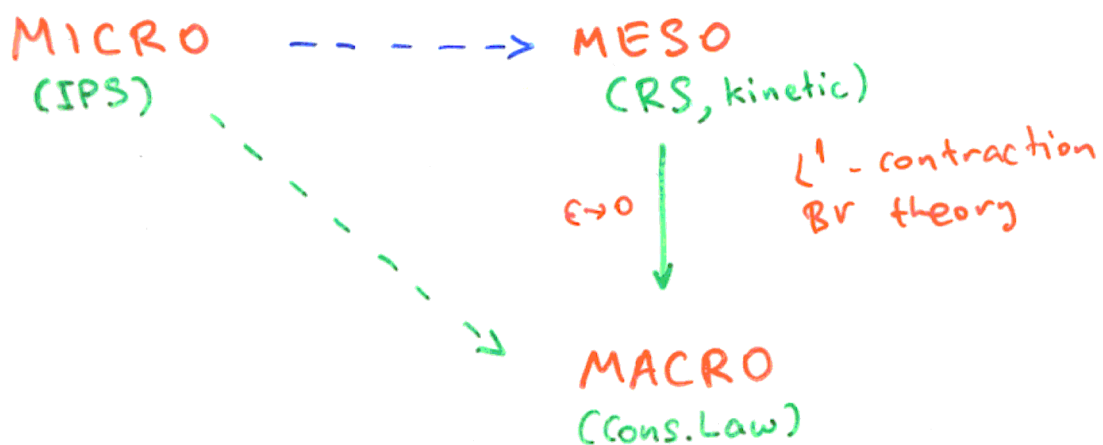
Details (math...)

- Kruzhkov Theorem extends to (1)_ε
- L^1 , BV contraction in (1)_ε
- Entropies for (1)_ε

- Macroscopic description : conservation law
- Mesoscopic description : Relaxation system
- Microscopic description : Interacting Particles System

IPS set on a lattice, transport, collisions
stochasticity.

w, z averaged # of particles with
corresp. velocity



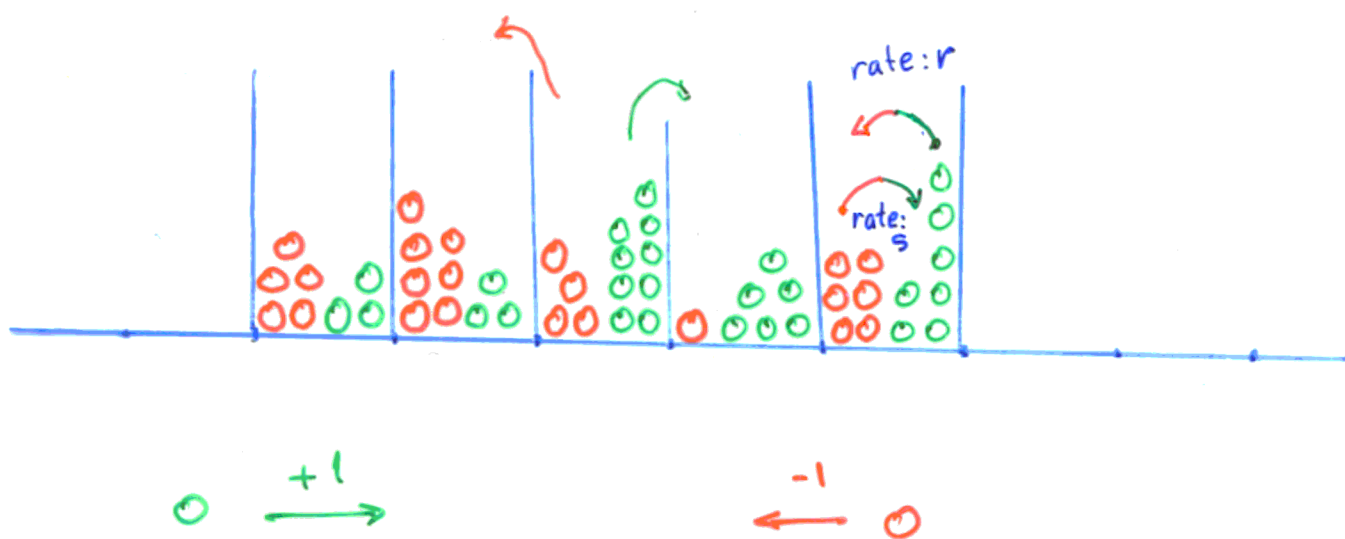
The Interacting Particle System (IPS)

1-d lattice : \mathbb{Z}

"velocities" : $\{-1, 1\}$

$i \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\sigma \in \{-1, 1\}$.

$n(i, \sigma)$ # particles at the site i with "velocity" σ



Mechanisms of particle motion

(a) Streaming [FAST] (b) Species change [SLOW]

Ref Carleman, Broadwell systems:

Caprino, De Masi, Presutti, Pulvirenti ~ '89, '91.

Construction of the process

(rates to be chosen later)

- +1 velocity converts to -1

$n_t(i, 1) = \#$ particles at $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ with veloc. 1

$t \mapsto t + \Delta t$

$$n_{t+\Delta t}(i, 1) = \begin{cases} n_t(i, 1) & \text{with prob. } 1 - r(n, i) \Delta t \\ n_t(i, 1) - 1 & \text{---//---} \quad r(n, i) \Delta t \\ \text{(also } n_{t+\Delta t}(i, -1) = n_t(i, -1) + 1 \text{)} \end{cases}$$

- -1 vel. converts to +1

- transport left/right with prob. $\frac{c}{\gamma} n_t(i, \pm 1) \Delta t$

fast! $\gamma \ll 1$

Species Change:

- $(i, 1)$ converts to $(i, -1)$ with rate $r(n, i)$
- $(i, -1)$ converts to $(i, 1)$ with rate $s(n, i)$

$\{n_t\}_{t \geq 0}$ is a $\mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{Z} \times \{-1, 1\}}$ -valued Markov process,
with generator

$$\gamma^{-1} L_S + L_{\text{coe}},$$

$$L_S f(n) = \sum_{i, \sigma} n(i, \sigma) [f(n + \delta_{(i, \sigma)} - \delta_{(i, \sigma)}) - f(n)]$$

$$L_{\text{coe}} f(n) = \sum_i r(n, i) [f(n + \delta_{(i, -1)} - \delta_{(i, 1)}) - f(n)] + \\ + s(n, i) [f(n + \delta_{(i, 1)} - \delta_{(i, -1)}) - f(n)]$$

all $f \in C(\mathbb{X}; \mathbb{R})$, cylindrical. $(\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{Z} \times \{-1, 1\}}$ configuration space)

Correlation Functions

BBGKY Hierarchy

$$\frac{d}{dt} E n(i, \pm 1) = \dots$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} E n(i_1, \pm 1) n(i_2, \pm 1) = \dots$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} E n(i_1, \pm 1) n(i_2, \pm 1) n(i_3, \pm 1) = \dots$$

⋮

Closure? (Estimates)

Local Stat. Equilibrium

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- Invariant measure for the streaming mechanism

Product Poisson probab. distn.

$\lambda = (a, b)$, k : # of particles from one species

$$\mu_{\lambda} (n(i, 1) = k) = e^{-a} \frac{a^k}{k!}$$

$$\mu_{\lambda} (n(i, -1) = k) = e^{-b} \frac{b^k}{k!}$$

- No detailed balance ...

But approximate detailed balance:

Fast streaming dominates
Slow species changes

- Local Statistical Equilibrium

λ varies slowly on the lattice and in time:

$$\lambda = (w(r_i, t), z(r_i, t)) := \lambda(r_i, t)$$

$$P_{A(i, t)} (n(i, t) = k) = e^{-w(r_i, t)} \frac{w(r_i, t)^k}{k!}$$

Similarly: $n(i, t) = 1$ $z(r_i, t)$

Back to the PDE: ($\epsilon=1$)

$$(1)_\perp \begin{cases} w_t + cw_x = z - h(w) \\ z_t - cz_x = h(w) - z \end{cases}$$

NOTE: space/time rescaling $(\frac{x}{\epsilon}, \frac{t}{\epsilon}) \Rightarrow (1)_\epsilon$

SPECIES change rates + Local Stat. Equil



- If at local equil: $(1)_\perp$

$$E_\mu n(i,1) = w(x_i, t)$$

$$E_p n(i,-1) = z(x_i, t)$$

$$- \frac{d}{dt} E_p n(i,1) + \frac{c}{\tau} E_\mu n(i,1) - n(i-1,1) =$$

$$= E_p s(n,i) - E_p r(n,i)$$

NOT CLOSED (set)

WHAT RATES ?

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- By the loc. equil. assumption

$$\bullet \quad S(n, i) = n(i, -1)$$

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$$E_p S(n, i) = z(r_i, t)$$

$$\bullet \quad E_p r(n, i) = h(w(r_i, t))$$

↑ polynomial in $n(i, 1)$

Equation closes at the 0-th moment

- Note: If $r(n, i) = n(i, 1)^2 \Rightarrow h(w) = w^2 + w$:

$$E_p r(n, i) = E n(i, 1)^2 = (E n(i, 1))^2 + E n(i, 1) \\ \neq (E n(i, 1))^2$$

We select r, s so that

- $S(n, x) = n(x, -1)$

- $E_{\mu} r(n, x) = h(w)$, $h \uparrow$

WRAP-UP

where μ Poisson measure

- $E_{\mu} n(x, 1) = w$

- $E_{\mu} n(x, -1) = z$

Theorem (mesoscopic scale)

$$E n_t(x, 1) = w(x, t) + o(1)$$

$$E n_t(x, -1) = z(x, t) + o(1)$$

, $\delta \ll 1$

where w, z solve

$$\begin{cases} w_t + cw_x = z - h(w) \\ z_t - cz_x = h(w) - z \end{cases}$$

"Macroscopic" Theorem

Let u the unique entropy solution of

$$\begin{cases} u_t + f(u)_x = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = u_0(x) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{If } E n_0(x, 1) = w_0(\gamma \varepsilon x), \quad E n_0(x, -1) = -z_0^{\varepsilon}(\gamma \varepsilon x),$$

$$E (n_{\varepsilon}(x, 1) + n_{\varepsilon}(x, -1)) = u(\gamma \varepsilon x, \varepsilon t) + o(1), \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R}$$

where $\varepsilon = \varepsilon(\gamma) = \gamma^p$.

- Propagation of chaos

Stochastic Cellular Automata

This IPS can take only two values, 0 and 1 at each lattice site $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ and for each velocity $e \in \{-1, 1\}$.

We define the Markov process $\mathcal{N}_t = \{\mathcal{N}_t\}_{t \geq 0}$,

$\mathcal{N}_t(x, e) \in \{0, 1\}$, $t \geq 0$, $(x, e) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \{-1, 1\}$ with

generator

$$\delta^{-1} L_S + L_{col}$$

$$L_S f(\mathcal{N}) = \sum_{(x, e)} \mathcal{N}(x, e) [f(\mathcal{N}^{(x, x+e)}) - f(\mathcal{N})]$$

$$L_{col} f(\mathcal{N}) = \sum_{(x, e)} c(x, \mathcal{N}, e) \mathcal{N}(x, e) [1 - \mathcal{N}(x, -e)] [f(\mathcal{N} + \delta_{(x, -e)} - \delta_{(x, e)}) - f(\mathcal{N})]$$