

pf: By duality,

$$\|Q^+(g, f)\|_{L^\eta}^p := \sup_{\|\phi\|_{L^{-\eta}}^p \leq 1} \left\{ \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} Q^+(g, f)(v) \phi(v) dv \right\}$$

Step I: Pre-Post collisional velocity transformation.

$$(v, v_*, \sigma) \mapsto (v', v_*', \frac{v-v_*}{|v-v_*|}), \quad |J| = 1$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} Q^+(g, f) \phi(v) dv = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \left(\int_{S^{d-1}} B(|v-v_*|, \sigma) \phi(v') d\sigma \right) g_* f dv_* dv$$

for all $\|\phi\|_{L^{-\eta}}^p \leq 1$.

Furthermore, we define linear operator S by

$$[S \phi](v) = \int_{S^{d-1}} \underbrace{B(|v|, \sigma)}_{b \cdot \frac{\phi}{|v|}} \phi\left(\frac{v+v\sigma}{2}\right) d\sigma$$

Then,

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} Q^+(g, f) \phi(v) dv = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} g(v_*) \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} f(v) [S \phi]\left(\frac{v+v\sigma}{2}\right) dv \right) dv_*$$

Step 2: Estimate for the operator S in weighted $L^1 - L^\infty$.

Step 2.1: For $\|S \phi\|_{L^\infty}$, denote $v^+ = \frac{v+v\sigma}{2}$.

$$\left| \sin\left(\frac{\theta_b}{2}\right) |v| \leq |v^+| \leq |v| \right|$$

$$|v^+| = \left| \frac{v+v\sigma}{2} \right| \leq \frac{|v|+|v|}{2} = |v|$$

$$\|S \phi\|_{L^{-k-\eta}}^\infty \leq C \left(\sin\left(\frac{\theta_b}{2}\right) \right)^{\min(\eta, 0)} \|\phi\|_{L^{-k}}^\infty \|\phi\|_{L^{-\eta}}^\infty \|b\|_{L^1}^{\eta}$$

Step 2.2: For $\|S \phi\|_{L^1}$

$$\|S \phi\|_{L^{-k-\eta}}^1 = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{S^{d-1}} b(\cos \theta) \underbrace{\frac{\phi}{|v|}}_{\phi} \langle v \rangle^{-k-\eta} |\phi(v^+)| d\sigma dv$$

$$\leq (\sin(\frac{\theta_b}{2}))^{\min(\eta, 0)} \|\bar{\Phi}\|_{L^{-k}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{S^{d-1}} b(\cos\theta) |\phi(\underline{v}^+)| \langle \underline{v}^+ \rangle^{-\eta} d\sigma d\underline{v}^+$$

Take the transformation $\underline{v} \rightarrow \underline{v}^+ = \frac{\underline{v} + |\underline{v}|\sigma}{2}$

Exercise 2: Calculate the Jacobian $|J| = \frac{2^{d-1}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}$

Thank to the Assumption (I).

$\underline{v} \rightarrow \underline{v}^+$ always works out.

$\theta \rightarrow \pi, \cos \frac{2\theta}{2} \rightarrow 0$

$$\|S\phi\|_{L^{1-k-\eta}} \leq C (\sin \frac{\theta_b}{2})^{\min(\eta, 0)} \|\bar{\Phi}\|_{L^{-k}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \int_{S^{d-1}} b(\cos\theta) |\phi(\underline{v}^+)| \langle \underline{v}^+ \rangle^{-\eta} \frac{2^{d-1}}{\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} d\underline{v}^+ d\sigma$$

$$\leq C (\sin \frac{\theta_b}{2})^{\min(\eta, 0)-2} \|\bar{\Phi}\|_{L^{-k}} \|\phi\|_{L^{1-\eta}} \|b\|_{L^1(S^{d-1})}$$

Step 2.3: How to make it for $\|S\phi\|_{L^p}$

Riesz - Thorin Interpolation $\|S\phi\|_{L^1}, \|S\phi\|_{L^\infty}$

There exist $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{p} = \frac{\theta}{p_1} + \frac{1-\theta}{p_2} & , \quad \frac{1}{q} = \frac{\theta}{q_1} + \frac{1-\theta}{q_2} \\ k = \theta k_1 + (1-\theta)k_2 & , \quad l = \theta l_1 + (1-\theta)l_2 \end{cases}$

if $\begin{cases} \|Tf\|_{L^{q_1}_{l_1}} \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p_1}_{k_1}} & , \quad q_1 = \infty, p_1 = \infty \\ \|Tf\|_{L^{q_2}_{l_2}} \leq C \|f\|_{L^{p_2}_{k_2}} & \quad q_2 = 1, p_2 = 1 \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow \|Tf\|_{L^q_l} \leq C \|f\|_{L^p_k}$

For $p \in [1, \infty]$, by interpolation:

$$\|S\phi\|_{L^{1-k-\eta}} \leq C_{k,\eta,p}(B) \|\phi\|_{L^{-\eta}}$$

step 3: $|\int \mathcal{Q}^+(g, f) \phi \, dv| \leq \|f\| \cdot \|g\| \cdot \|\phi\|_{L^{p'}} \leq 1$

$\| \mathcal{Q}^+(g, f) \|_{L^p_\eta} \leq \|f\|_{L^p_\eta} \cdot \|g\|_{L^p_\eta} \leq 1$

$$= \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \mathcal{Q}^+(g, f)(v) \phi(v) \, dv \right|$$

$$\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |f| [\mathcal{L}_{v_*} S(\mathcal{L}_{v_*} \phi)](v) \, dv \right) \, dv_*$$

$$\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \| \mathcal{L}_{v_*} S(\mathcal{L}_{v_*} \phi) \|_{L^{p'}_{-k-n}} \, dv_*$$

$v \rightarrow v_*$

$$\leq \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \langle v_* \rangle^{k+n} \| S(\mathcal{L}_{v_*} \phi) \|_{L^{p'}_{-k-n}} \, dv_*$$

step 2

$$\leq C_{k, n, p}(B) \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \langle v_* \rangle^{k+n} \| \mathcal{L}_{v_*} \phi \|_{L^p_{-n}} \, dv_*$$

$v \rightarrow v_*$

$$\leq C_{k, n, p}(B) \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \|\phi\|_{L^{p'}_{-n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \langle v_* \rangle^{k+n+|n|} \, dv_*$$

≤ 1

$$\leq C_{k, n, p}(B) \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} |g_*| \langle v_* \rangle^{k+n+|n|} \, dv_*$$

$$\leq C_{k, n, p}(B) \|g\|_{L^1_{k+n+|n|}} \|f\|_{L^p_{k+n}} \quad \#$$

This concludes estimate (*).

For the estimate of (**)

$$\partial(fg) = (\partial f)g + f(\partial g)$$

$$\nabla \mathcal{Q}^\pm(g, f)(v) = \mathcal{Q}^\pm(\nabla g, f) + \mathcal{Q}^\pm(g, \nabla f)$$

$$\partial^\nu(fg) = \sum_{\mu \leq \nu} \binom{\nu}{\mu} \partial^\mu g \partial^{\nu-\mu} f$$

Exercise 3: [hint] bilinearly and Galilean invariance of $\mathcal{Q}(g, f)$

multi-index $\mathcal{L}_h \mathcal{Q}(g, f) = \mathcal{Q}(\mathcal{L}_h g, \mathcal{L}_h f)$

For $s \in \mathbb{N}$, $\partial^\nu \mathcal{Q}^\pm(g, f) = \sum_{\mu \leq \nu} \binom{\nu}{\mu} \mathcal{Q}^\pm(\partial^\mu g, \partial^{\nu-\mu} f)$

$$\| \mathcal{Q}^\pm(g, f) \|_{W^{s, p}_\eta}^p = \sum_{|\nu| \leq s} \| \partial^\nu \mathcal{Q}^\pm(g, f) \|_{L^p_\eta}^p$$

Leibniz rule

$$\begin{aligned}
& \stackrel{\text{rule}}{=} \sum_{|2| \leq s} \sum_{|\alpha| \leq 2} \binom{2}{\alpha} \| \underline{Q}^{\alpha}(\partial^{\alpha} g, \partial^{2-\alpha} f) \|_{L^p}^p \\
& \stackrel{(*)}{\leq} C_{k, \eta, p}(B) \sum_{|2| \leq s} \sum_{|\alpha| \leq 2} \binom{2}{\alpha} \| \partial^{\alpha} g \|_{L^{1/(k+\eta+|\alpha|)}}^p \| \partial^{2-\alpha} f \|_{L^{k+\eta}}^p \\
& \leq C_{k, \eta, p}(B) \| g \|_{W_{k+\eta+1}^{s, 1}}^p \| f \|_{W_{k+\eta}^{s, p}}^p
\end{aligned}$$

This concludes the estimate of (**).

$$\| \underline{Q}(f, f) \|_{L^p} = \| f \wedge [f] \|_{L^p} \stackrel{\text{Young inequality}}{\leq} \| \text{bcb}[(v \cdot v^*) * f] \|_{L^p}$$

Application: $\| \underline{Q}(f, f) \|_{L^1} \leq C \| f \|_{L^1}^2$ from (*)

1. A Existence Theorem for (Modified) homogeneous Boltzmann.

$$\textcircled{1} \begin{cases} \partial_t f(t, v) = \underline{Q}^M(f, f)(t, v) \\ f(t=0, v) = f_0(v) \end{cases}$$

(Modified cutoff Hard-sphere) Collision Operator:

$$\underline{Q}^M(g, f) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{S^2} |v - v^*| \cdot \omega \chi_M(|v - v^*|) [g_*' f' + g f_*' - g_* f - f g]$$

where $\chi_M: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

$$\chi_M(r) := \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } r \leq M \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \partial_t f^M(t, v) = \underline{Q}^M(f^M, f^M)(t, v) \\ f^M(t=0, v) = f_0(v) \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^3) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \| \underline{Q}^M(f, f) - \underline{Q}^M(g, g) \|_{L^1} = \| \underline{Q}^M(f+g, f-g) \|_{L^1} \checkmark \\ \leq C M \| f+g \|_{L^1} \cdot \| f-g \|_{L^1} \\ \| \underline{Q}^M(f, f) \|_{L^1} \leq C M \| f \|_{L^1}^2 \end{cases}$$

Local existence of f^M :

$$f^M(t, v) = f_0(v) + \int_0^t Q^M(f^M, f^M)(z, v) dz.$$

$$= P[f^M](t, v).$$

By Banach fixed point Theorem: $X := \{f \in C^1([0, T]; L^1(\mathbb{R}^3))\}$

Step I: For any $f_0(v) \in L^1$, $f^M \in X$, i.e. $\|f(z; \cdot)\|_{L^1} \leq C$
 then $P[f^M] \in L^1$, for $t \in [0, T]$

$$\|P[f^M]\|_{L^1(\bar{\mathbb{R}}^3)} \|f_0 + \int_0^T Q^M(f^M, f^M)(z, v) dz\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}^3)}$$

$$\leq \|f_0\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}^3)} + \int_0^T \|Q^M(f^M, f^M)\|_{L^1}(z) dz$$

$$\leq \underbrace{\|f_0\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}^3)}}_{< \infty} + CM \underbrace{\|f^M\|_{L^1}^2}_{< \infty} T$$

$$\leq \infty$$

Step II: For both $f^M, g^M \in X$ with the same initial datum

$$\|P[f^M] - P[g^M]\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}^3)} = \left\| \int_0^T \underbrace{Q^M(f^M, f^M) - Q^M(g^M, g^M)}_{L^1} dz \right\|_{L^1}$$

$$= \int_0^T \|Q^M(f^M, f^M) - Q^M(g^M, g^M)\|_{L^1}(z) dz$$

$$\leq \int_0^T CM \underbrace{\|f^M + g^M\|_{L^1}}_{< 1} \|f^M - g^M\|_{L^1} dz$$

$$\leq CM (\underbrace{\|f^M\|_{L^1} + \|g^M\|_{L^1}}_{< 1}) T \|f^M - g^M\|_{L^1}$$

Combined step I and II,

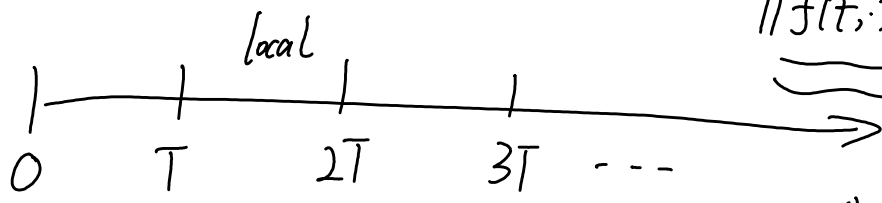
$\exists f^M \in C^1([0, T]; L^1(\mathbb{R}^3))$ for a sufficiently small $T > 0$.

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Assume the initial datum positive and normalized, i.e.

$$\boxed{\int_{\mathbb{R}^3} f_0(v) dv = 1} \xrightarrow{\text{mass conservation}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} f(t, v) dv = 1.$$

positivity of f
 $\|f(t, \cdot)\|_{L^1} \stackrel{?}{=} 1$



$$\|f_0\|_{L^1} = \|f(T)\|_{L^1} = \|f(2T)\|_{L^1}$$

remove "M" \rightarrow " f "
 $\|f\|_{L^1}$

Prove the Positivity of $f^M \Leftrightarrow g$

$$\textcircled{2} \Leftrightarrow \textcircled{3} \begin{cases} \partial_t g + \mu g = P^M[g](t, v) \\ g(t=0, v) = f_0(v). \end{cases}$$

where $P^M[g](t, v) = Q^M(g, g)(t, v) + \mu g \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} g(v) dv$

By the local existence, we've already obtained a local solution f^M to $\textcircled{3}$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu > 0 \text{ will be chose} \\ \text{sufficiently large later.} \end{array} \right.$

i.e. \Rightarrow if we prove g in $\textcircled{3}$ is positive, then so is f^M .

Because $P^M[g]$ is Lipschitz continuous, $\textcircled{3}$ has unique solution

iteration $\begin{cases} \underline{g}^n = e^{-\mu t} f_0 + \int_0^t e^{-\mu(t-z)} P^M[g^{n-1}] dz \\ g^0(v) = 0 \end{cases} \quad (\textcircled{4})$

Step I: Prove P^M is positive monotone operator in the sense

$$\boxed{P^M[f] \geq P^M[g], \text{ if } f \geq g \geq 0}$$

Do it that ...

$$\begin{aligned} Q_+^m(g, f) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{S^2} (v \cdot v^*) \cdot \omega \chi_M(|v-v^*|) [g_*' f + f_*' g] d\omega dv^* \\ Q_-^m(f, f) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{S^2} (v \cdot v^*) \cdot \omega \chi_M(|v-v^*|) [f f_*] d\omega dv^* \\ &= f L^m[f]. \end{aligned}$$

By using symmetry property:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{I^m[f]} - \underline{I^m[g]} &= \underline{Q_+^m(f+g, f-g)} - \frac{1}{2} \{ (f+g) \underline{L^m[f-g]} + (f-g) \underline{L^m[f]} \} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \mu \{ (f+g) \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} (f-g) dv + (f-g) \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} (f+g) dv \}. \\ &> 0, \text{ if } f-g > 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L^m[f] &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{S^2} (w \cdot (v-v^*) / \chi(|v-v^*|)) f(v^*) dw dv^* \\ &\leq CM \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} f(v^*) dv^*. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \underline{L^m[f-g]} \leq \underline{CM} \int (f-g)(v^*) dv^*.$$

So the monotonicity holds for $I^m[f]$, if we select μ big enough, e.g., $\mu > CM$.

$\Rightarrow g^n \geq g^{n-1} \geq \dots$ is a monotonically increasing sequence.

Step II: Integration $(*)$ with respect to v .

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^3} g^n(v) \leq 1. \quad \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} f_0 dv \stackrel{1}{=} 1 \quad \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{S^2} Q_+^m(g^{n-1}) dv dz \stackrel{1}{=} 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{if } \int g^{n-1} dv &\leq 1 \\ \text{then } \int g^n dv &\leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\int Q_+^m(g^{n-1}) dv = 0 \\ &+ \mu \left(\int g^{n-1} dv \right)^2 \leq 1. \end{aligned}$$

$\{g_n\}$ increasing monotonely + $\int g^n \leq 1$.

Levi's theorem $g = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} g^n$ exist and nonnegative, satisfy $\int g dv \leq 1$.

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} g^n \dots$
 $\Rightarrow g$ solves the ③ so that $\underline{g = f^{(n)}}$ positive
 In particular, $\int f^{(n)} dv \leq 1$, if $\int f_0(v) dv = 1$.

Theorem: There exists a unique positive solution $f^{(n)} \in C^1([0, T], L^1)$ #
 to initial value problem ② for arbitrary time $T \geq 0$, provided
 that $f_0 \geq 0$ and $\int f_0 dv = 1$.

Furthermore, suppose in addition that $E(f_0) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} |v|^2 f_0(v) dv$
 and $H(f_0) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} f_0(v) \ln f_0(v) dv$ are initially finite. Then

$$\begin{cases} E(f_0) = E(f^{(n)}(t)) \\ H(f^{(n)}(t)) \leq H(f_0) \end{cases} \Downarrow$$