

VANISHING VISCOSITY FOR THE NAVIER-STOKES BOUSSINESQ SYSTEM

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ABSTRACT

This paper deals with the local well-posedness in time for the Navier-Stokes Boussinesq equations in two dimensions in the framework of a smooth vortex patch. Furthermore, we provide the inviscid limit for the velocity and the density.

1. INTRODUCTION

The system of the Navier-Stokes Boussinesq with viscosity $\mu > 0$ given by the coupled equation,

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t v_\mu + v_\mu \cdot \nabla v_\mu - \mu \Delta v_\mu + \nabla p = \theta_\mu \vec{e}_2 & \text{if } (t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^2, \\ \partial_t \theta_\mu + v_\mu \cdot \nabla \theta_\mu = 0 & \text{if } (t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^2, \\ \operatorname{div} v_\mu = 0, \\ (v_\mu, \theta_\mu)|_{t=0} = (v_\mu^0, \theta_\mu^0). \end{cases} \quad (\text{NSB}_\mu)$$

where $v = (v^1, v^2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ refers to the velocity vector field located in position $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ at a time t which assumed to be incompressible, the scalar function $\theta(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+$ denotes the temperature or the density, $p(t, x) \in \mathbb{R}$ is the pressure which relates v and θ through an elliptic equation. $\theta_\mu \vec{e}_2$ is the buoyancy force in the direction $\vec{e}_2 = (0, 1)$.

Taking the curl operator to the momentum equation in (NSB_μ) we get

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \omega_\mu + v_\mu \cdot \nabla \omega_\mu - \mu \Delta \omega_\mu = \partial_1 \theta_\mu, \\ \partial_t \theta_\mu + v_\mu \cdot \nabla \theta_\mu = 0, \\ (\theta_\mu, \omega_\mu)|_{t=0} = (\theta_\mu^0, \omega_\mu^0). \end{cases} \quad (\text{VD}_\mu)$$

Our goal is to prove that the system (NSB_μ) is locally well-posed whenever the initial vorticity is a smooth vortex patch, that is $\omega_\mu^0 = 1_{\Omega^0}$, with the boundary $\partial\Omega_0$ is a Jordan curve with $C^{\varepsilon+1}$ regularity, $0 < \varepsilon < 1$. In addition, we prove the local persistence of geometric structures as follows, equivalently the image $\Omega_t = \Psi_\mu(t, \Omega^0)$ keeps its initial regularity, with Ψ_μ is the flow generated by the velocity v_μ ,

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \Psi_\mu(t, x) = v(t, \Psi_\mu(t, x)), \\ \Psi_\mu(0, x) = x. \end{cases}$$

Our second task is to study the inviscid limit of the system (NSB_μ) towards the system (EB) given by the so-called Euler Boussinesq

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t v + v \cdot \nabla v + \nabla p = \theta \vec{e}_2 & \text{if } (t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^2, \\ \partial_t \theta + v \cdot \nabla \theta = 0 & \text{if } (t, x) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \mathbb{R}^2, \\ \operatorname{div} v = 0, \\ (v, \theta)|_{t=0} = (v^0, \theta^0). \end{cases} \quad (\text{EB})$$

and we evaluate the rate of convergence between velocities, densities and vortices when the viscosity.

Let us briefly mention some results related to the classical Euler equation. J.Y. Chemin [11] showed that if the initial boundary $\partial\Omega_0$ is $C^{1+\varepsilon}$, for $\varepsilon \in (0, 1)$ then $\partial\Omega_t$ is still of class $C^{1+\varepsilon}$. In this context, Hmidi and Zerguine [25] extended the result of [11] to the stratified Euler equation. For other connected subjects in different situations we refer the reader to [1, 12, 14, 13, 16, 19, 20, 35] and the references therein. On the other hand Meddour and Zerguine [35] explored the inviscid limit of the Navier-stokes Boussinesq system to the Stratified Euler equation in the vortex patch setting. Inspired by the works [11, 25, 35], we are mainly interested by studying the Navier-Stokes Boussinesq equations. The first result deals with the local existence and the local persistence of geometric structures of the system NSB $_{\mu}$.

In particular, we have the following Theorem.

Theorem 1.1 *Let $0 < \varepsilon < 1, a \in (1, \infty)$ and X_0 be a family of admissible vector fields and v_{μ}^0 be a free-divergence vector field in the sense that $\omega_{\mu}^0 \in L^a \cap C^{\varepsilon}(X_0)$. Let $\theta_{\mu}^0 \in L^2 \cap C^{\varepsilon+1}(X_0)$ with $\nabla \theta_{\mu}^0 \in L^a$, then for $\mu \in]0, 1[$ the system (NSB $_{\mu}$) admits a unique global solution*

$$(v_{\mu}, \theta_{\mu}) \in L^{\infty}([0, T]; \text{Lip}) \times L^{\infty}([0, T]; \text{Lip} \cap L^2).$$

and

$$\omega_{\mu} \in L^{\infty}([0, T]; L^a \cap L^{\infty}).$$

More precisely,

$$\|\nabla v_{\mu}\|_{L_t^{\infty} L^{\infty}} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 t}.$$

Furthermore,

$$\|\omega_{\mu}\|_{L_t^{\infty} C^{\varepsilon}(X_t)} + \|\tilde{X}_{\lambda}\|_{L_t^{\infty} C^{\varepsilon}(X_t)} + \|\Psi_{\mu}\|_{L_t^{\infty} C^{\varepsilon}(X_t)} \leq C_0 e^{\exp C_0 t}.$$

The second result of this paper deals with the inviscid limit for the system (NSB $_{\mu}$) to the stratified-Euler system. More precisely, we have

Theorem 1.2 *Let (v_{μ}, θ_{μ}) , (v, θ) , be the solution of the (NSB $_{\mu}$), (EB) respectively with the same initial data satisfies the condition of Theorem 1.1 such that $\omega_{\mu}^0 = \omega^0 = \mathbf{1}_{\Omega_0}$ where Ω_0 is simply connected bounded domain. Then for all $t \geq 0, \mu \in]0, 1[$, we have*

$$\|v_{\mu}(t) - v(t)\|_{L^2} + \|\theta_{\mu}(t) - \theta(t)\|_{L^2} \leq C_0(\mu t)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

2. TOOL BOX

2.1. Function spaces

Let $(\chi, \varphi) \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^2) \times \mathcal{D}(\mathbb{R}^2)$ be a radial cut-off functions be such that $\text{supp } \chi \subset \{\xi \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \|\xi\| \leq 1\}$ and $\text{supp } \varphi(\xi) \subset \{\xi \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 1/2 \leq \|\xi\| \leq 2\}$, so that

$$\chi(\xi) + \sum_{q \geq 0} \varphi(2^{-q}\xi) = 1.$$

Through χ and φ , the Littlewood-Paley or frequency cut-off operators $(\Delta_q)_{q \geq -1}$ and $(\dot{\Delta}_q)_{q \geq -1}$ are defined for $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2)$

$$\Delta_{-1}u = \chi(D)u, \Delta_q u = \varphi(2^{-q}D)u \text{ for } q \in \mathbb{N}, \quad \dot{\Delta}_q u = \varphi(2^{-q}D)u \text{ for } q \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

where in general case $f(D)$ stands the pseudo-differential operator $u \mapsto \mathcal{F}^{-1}(f \mathcal{F} u)$ with constant symbol. The lower frequencies sequence $(S_q)_{q \geq 0}$ is defined for $q \geq 0$,

$$S_q u \triangleq \sum_{j \leq q-1} \Delta_j u.$$

In accordance of the previous properties we derive the well-known decomposition of unity

$$u = \sum_{q \geq -1} \Delta_q u, \quad u = \sum_{q \in \mathbb{Z}} \dot{\Delta}_q u.$$

The results currently available allow us to define the inhomogeneous Besov denoted $B_{p,r}^s$ (resp. $\dot{B}_{p,r}^s$) and defined in the following way.

Definition 2.1 For $(p, r, s) \in [1, +\infty]^2 \times \mathbb{R}$, the inhomogeneous Besov spaces $B_{p,r}^s$ (resp. homogeneous Besov spaces $\dot{B}_{p,r}^s$) are defined by

$$B_{p,r}^s = \{u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2) : \|u\|_{B_{p,r}^s} < +\infty\}, \quad \dot{B}_{p,r}^s = \{u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^2)_{|\mathbb{P}} : \|u\|_{\dot{B}_{p,r}^s} < +\infty\},$$

where $\mathbb{P}$ refers to the set of polynomial functions in $\mathbb{R}^2$ so that

$$\|u\|_{B_{p,r}^s} \triangleq \begin{cases} \left(\sum_{q \geq -1} 2^{rqs} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L^p}^r \right)^{1/r} & \text{if } r \in [1, +\infty[, \\ \sup_{q \geq -1} 2^{qs} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L^p} & \text{if } r = +\infty. \end{cases}$$

and

$$\|u\|_{\dot{B}_{p,r}^s} \triangleq \begin{cases} \left(\sum_{q \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{rqs} \|\dot{\Delta}_q u\|_{L^p}^r \right)^{1/r} & \text{if } r \in [1, +\infty[, \\ \sup_{q \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{qs} \|\dot{\Delta}_q u\|_{L^p} & \text{if } r = +\infty. \end{cases}$$

The Bernstein's inequalities are listed in the following lemma.

Lemma 2.2 There exists a constant $C > 0$ such that for $1 \leq a \leq b \leq \infty$, for every function u and every $q \in \mathbb{N} \cup \{-1\}$, we have

- (i) $\sup_{|\alpha|=k} \|\partial^\alpha S_q u\|_{L^b} \leq C^k 2^{q(k+2(1/a-1/b))} \|S_q u\|_{L^a}.$
- (ii) $C^{-k} 2^{qk} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L^a} \leq \sup_{|\alpha|=k} \|\partial^\alpha \Delta_q u\|_{L^a} \leq C^k 2^{qk} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L^a}.$

As a consequence of Bernstein inequality, we have

Proposition 2.3 For $(s, \tilde{s}, p, p_1, p_2, r_1, r_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times]1, \infty[\times [1, \infty]^4$ with $\tilde{s} \leq s, p_1 \leq p_2$ and $r_1 \leq r_2$, then we have

- (i) $B_{p,r}^s \hookrightarrow B_{p,r}^{\tilde{s}}.$
- (ii) $B_{p_1,r_1}^s(\mathbb{R}^2) \hookrightarrow B_{p_2,r_2}^{s+2(1/p_2-1/p_1)}(\mathbb{R}^2).$

Now, we state Bony's decomposition [8] which allows us to split formally the product of two tempered distributions u and v into three pieces. More precisely, we have.

Definition 2.4 For a given $u, v \in \mathcal{S}'$ we have

$$uv = T_u v + T_v u + \mathcal{R}(u, v),$$

with

$$T_u v = \sum_q S_{q-1} u \Delta_q v, \quad \mathcal{R}(u, v) = \sum_q \Delta_q u \tilde{\Delta}_q v \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\Delta}_q = \Delta_{q-1} + \Delta_q + \Delta_{q+1}.$$

The mixed space-time spaces are stated as follows.

Definition 2.5 Let $T > 0$ and $(s, \beta, p, r) \in \mathbb{R} \times [1, \infty]^3$. We define the spaces $L_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s$ and $\tilde{L}_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s$ respectively by :

$$L_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s \triangleq \left\{ u : [0, T] \rightarrow \mathcal{S}'; \|u\|_{L_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s} = \left\| (2^{qs} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L^p})_{\ell^r} \right\|_{L_T^\beta} < \infty \right\},$$

$$\tilde{L}_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s \triangleq \left\{ u : [0, T] \rightarrow \mathcal{S}'; \|u\|_{\tilde{L}_T^\beta B_{p,r}^s} = (2^{qs} \|\Delta_q u\|_{L_T^\beta L^p})_{\ell^r} < \infty \right\}.$$

The following result is a useful result in our approach. For the proof see [19, Corollary 1]

Corollary 2.6 *Given $\varepsilon \in]0, 1[$ and X be a vector field be such that $X, \operatorname{div} X \in C^\varepsilon$. Then for f be a Lipschitz scalar function $k \in \{1, 2\}$ the following statement holds.*

$$\|(\partial_k X) \cdot \nabla f\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq C \|\nabla f\|_{L^\infty} (\|\operatorname{div} X\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \|X\|_{C^\varepsilon}).$$

2.2. particle results

In this subsection, we give some preparatory results freely used throughout our analysis.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t a + v \cdot \nabla a - \mu \Delta a = g, \\ a|_{t=0} = a^0. \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

We start with the persistence of Besov regularity for (1) whose proof may be found in [5]

Proposition 2.7 *Let $(s, r, p) \in]-1, 1[\times [1, \infty]^2$ and v be a smooth vector field in free-divergence. Assume that $(a^0, g) \in B_{p,r}^s \times L_{\operatorname{loc}}^1(\mathbb{R}_+; B_{p,r}^s)$. Then for every smooth solution a of (1) and $t \geq 0$ we have*

$$\|a(t)\|_{B_{p,r}^s} \leq C e^{CV(t)} \left(\|a^0\|_{B_{p,r}^s} + \int_0^t e^{-CV(\tau)} \|g(\tau)\|_{B_{p,r}^s} d\tau \right),$$

with the notation

$$V(t) = \int_0^t \|\nabla v(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau,$$

where $C = C(s)$ being a positive constant.

The statement of maximal regularity for (1) in mixed space-time Besov space is given by the following result. For the proof see [5].

Proposition 2.8 *Let $(s, p_1, p_2, r) \in]-1, 1[\times [1, \infty]^3$ and v be a free-divergence vector field belongs to $L_{\operatorname{loc}}^1(\mathbb{R}_+; \operatorname{Lip})$ then there exists a constant $C \geq 0$, so that for every smooth solution a of (1) we have for all $t \geq 0$*

$$\mu^{\frac{1}{r}} \|a\|_{\tilde{L}_t^r B_{p_1, p_2}^{s+\frac{2}{r}}} \leq C e^{CV(t)} (1 + \mu t)^{\frac{1}{r}} \left(\|a^0\|_{B_{p_1, p_2}^s} + \|g\|_{L_t^1 B_{p_1, p_2}^s} \right).$$

Next, we have the classical Calderon Zygmund inequality.

Proposition 2.9 *Let $p \in]1, +\infty[$ and v be a free-divergence vector field whose vorticity $\omega \in L^p$. Then $\nabla v \in L^p$ and*

$$\|\nabla v\|_{L^p} \leq C \frac{p^2}{p-1} \|\omega\|_{L^p}.$$

with C being a universal constant.

At this stage, we define the anisotropic Hölder spaces as follows

Definition 2.10 *Let $\varepsilon \in]0, 1[$. A family of vector fields $X = (X_\lambda)_{\lambda \in \Lambda}$ is said to be admissible if and only if the following assertions are hold.*

- (i) *Regularity : $\forall \lambda \in \Lambda \quad X_\lambda, \operatorname{div} X_\lambda \in C^\varepsilon$.*
- (ii) *Non-degeneray : $I(X) \triangleq \inf_{x \in \mathbb{R}^N} \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} |X_\lambda(x)| > 0$.*

Setting

$$\|\tilde{X}_\lambda\|_{C^\varepsilon} \triangleq \|X_\lambda\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \|\operatorname{div} X_\lambda\|_{C^\varepsilon}.$$

Definition 2.11 Let $X = (X_\lambda)_{\lambda \in \Lambda}$ be an admissible family. The action of each factor X_λ on $u \in L^\infty$ is defined as the directional derivative of u along X_λ by the formula,

$$\partial_{X_\lambda} u = \operatorname{div}(u X_\lambda) - u \operatorname{div} X_\lambda.$$

The concept of anisotropic Hölder space, will be noted by $C^\varepsilon(X)$ is defined below.

Definition 2.12 Let $\varepsilon \in]0, 1[$ and X be an admissible family of vector fields. We say that $u \in C^\varepsilon(X)$ if and only if :

(i) $u \in L^\infty$ and satisfies

$$\forall \lambda \in \Lambda, \partial_{X_\lambda} u \in C^{\varepsilon-1}, \quad \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \|\partial_{X_\lambda} u\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} < +\infty.$$

(ii) $C^\varepsilon(X)$ is a normed space with

$$\|u\|_{C^\varepsilon(X)} \triangleq \frac{1}{I(X)} \left(\|u\|_{L^\infty} \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \|\tilde{X}_\lambda\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \|\partial_{X_\lambda} u\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \right).$$

The next result play a major role in the proof of our main results. We refer the reader to [11].

Theorem 2.13 Let $\varepsilon \in]0, 1[$ and $X = (X_{t,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \Lambda}$ be a family of vector fields as in Definition 2.12. Let v be a free-divergence vector field such that its vorticity ω belongs to $L^2 \cap C^\varepsilon(X)$. Then there exists a constant C depending only on ε , such that

$$\|\nabla v\|_{L^\infty} \leq C \left(\|\omega\|_{L^2} + \|\omega\|_{L^\infty} \log \left(e + \frac{\|\omega\|_{C^\varepsilon(X)}}{\|\omega\|_{L^\infty}} \right) \right). \quad (2)$$

According Danchin's result [12], the class C^ε_Σ doesn't covers only the vortex patch of the type $\omega_0 = \mathbf{1}_{\Omega_0}$, but also encompass the so-called general vortex. Specifically, we have.

Proposition 2.14 Let Ω_0 be a $C^{1+\varepsilon}$ -bounded domain, with $0 < \varepsilon < 1$. Then for every function $f \in C^\varepsilon$, we have

$$f \mathbf{1}_{\Omega_0} \in C^\varepsilon_\Sigma.$$

2.3. A priori estimates

In this part we shall give some a priori estimates for the velocity and the vorticity.

Proposition 2.15 Let v_μ be a smooth divergence-free vector field and θ_μ be a smooth solution of the equation (??). Then the following assertions are hold.

(i) For $p \in [1, \infty]$ and $t \geq 0$ we have

$$\|\theta_\mu(t)\|_{L^p} \leq \|\theta_\mu^0\|_{L^p}.$$

(ii) For $p \in [1, \infty]$ and $t \geq 0$ we have

$$\|\nabla \theta_\mu(t)\|_{L^p} \leq \|\nabla \theta_\mu^0\|_{L^p} e^{CV_\mu(t)},$$

$$\text{with } V_\mu(t) = \int_0^t \|\nabla v_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau.$$

(iii) For $p \in [1, \infty]$ and $t \geq 0$ we have

$$\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{L^p} \leq C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)}.$$

$$\text{with } V(t) = \int_0^t \|\nabla v_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau.$$

Proof. (i) According to (1) we can express the density $\theta_\mu(t)$ by the initial value θ_μ^0 and the flow Ψ as follows

$$\theta_\mu(t, x) = \theta_\mu^0(\Psi^{-1}(t, x)).$$

Taking the L^p -norm to this equation and thanks to incompressible condition we infer that

$$\|\theta_\mu(t)\|_{L^p} \leq \|\theta_\mu^0\|_{L^p}. \quad (3)$$

(ii) Taking the partial derivative ∂_j to θ_μ - equation to obtain

$$\partial_t \partial_j \theta + v \cdot \nabla \theta = -\partial_j \theta \cdot \nabla v,$$

The L^p -estimate for the above gives

$$\|\nabla \theta(t)\|_{L^p} \lesssim \|\nabla \theta_0\|_{L^p} + \int_0^t \|\nabla \theta(\tau)\|_{L^p} \|\nabla v(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau.$$

The Gronwall's inequality implies that

$$\|\nabla \theta(t)\|_{L^p} \leq \|\nabla \theta_0\|_{L^p} e^{CV(t)}.$$

(iii) The L^p -estimate for the ω_μ equation gives

$$\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{L^p} \lesssim \|\omega_\mu^0\|_{L^p} + \int_0^t \|\nabla \theta(\tau)\|_{L^p} \|\nabla v(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau.$$

Combining the last two estimates we find the desired result. ■

Proof of Theorem 1.1 The existence part of the theorem is classical and can be done for example by using a standard recursive method, see, e.g. [19]. We will control the quantities $\|\nabla v(t)\|_{L^\infty}$ and $\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^e(X)}$ for every $t \geq 0$. For this aim, applying the operator $\partial_{X_i, \lambda}$ to ω_μ equation, we have

$$(\partial_t + v \cdot \nabla - \mu \Delta) \partial_{X_i, \lambda} \omega_\mu = X_{i, \lambda} \cdot \nabla \partial_i \theta_\mu - \mu [\Delta, X_{i, \lambda}] \omega_\mu.$$

For commutator $\mu [\Delta, X_{i, \lambda}] \omega_\mu$. From Bony's decomposition, we write

$$\mu [\Delta, X_{i, \lambda}] \omega_\mu = \mathfrak{A} + \mu \mathfrak{B},$$

with

$$\mathfrak{A} \triangleq 2\mu T_{\nabla X_{i, \lambda}^i} \partial_i \nabla \omega_\mu + 2\mu T_{\partial_i \nabla \omega_\mu} \nabla X_{i, \lambda}^i + \mu T_{\Delta X_{i, \lambda}^i} \partial_i \omega_\mu + \mu T_{\partial_i \omega_\mu} \Delta X_{i, \lambda}^i.$$

and

$$\mathfrak{B} \triangleq 2\mathcal{R}(\nabla X_{i, \lambda}^i, \partial_i \nabla \omega_\mu) + \mathcal{R}(\Delta X_{i, \lambda}^i, \partial_i \omega_\mu).$$

According to Theorem 3.38 page 162 in [5], we have

$$\|\partial_{X_\lambda} \omega_\mu\|_{L_t^\infty C^{e-1}} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} \left(\|\partial_{X_0, \lambda} \omega_\mu^0\|_{C^{e-1}} + (1 + \mu t) \|\mathfrak{A}\|_{L_t^\infty C^{e-3}} + \mu \|\mathfrak{B}\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 C^{e-1}} + \|\partial_{X_\lambda} \partial_i \theta_\mu\|_{L_t^1 C^{e-1}} \right). \quad (4)$$

From [5, 20] we have the following estimate

$$\|\mathfrak{A}\|_{L_t^\infty C^{e-3}} \leq C \|\omega\|_{L_t^\infty L^\infty} \|X_\lambda\|_{L_t^\infty C^e}.$$

Thanks to Proposition 2.15, we get

$$\|\mathfrak{A}\|_{L_t^\infty C^{\varepsilon-3}} \leq C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)} \|X_\lambda\|_{L_t^\infty C^\varepsilon}. \quad (5)$$

Again from [5, 20] we have the following estimate

$$\|\mathfrak{B}\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq C \|\omega\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 B_{\infty,\infty}^2} \|X_\lambda\|_{L_t^\infty C^\varepsilon}. \quad (6)$$

For the term $\|\omega_\mu\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 B_{\infty,\infty}^2}$, we use the Proposition 2.8 for $a = \omega_\mu, g = \partial_1 \theta_\mu, r = 1, s = 0$, and $p_1 = p_2 = \infty$, we obtain

$$\mu \|\omega_\mu\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 B_{\infty,\infty}^2} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1 + \mu t) \left(\|\omega_\mu^0\|_{B_{\infty,\infty}^0} + \int_0^t \|\partial_1 \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{B_{\infty,\infty}^0} d\tau \right).$$

The embedding $L^\infty \hookrightarrow B_{\infty,\infty}^0$ implies that

$$\mu \|\omega_\mu\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 B_{\infty,\infty}^2} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1 + \mu t) (\|\omega_\mu^0\|_{L^\infty} + \|\nabla \theta_\mu\|_{L_t^1 L^\infty}).$$

Using Proposition 2.8 we obtain

$$\mu \|\omega_\mu\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 B_{\infty,\infty}^2} \leq C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1 + \mu t) (1 + t)$$

Plugging the last estimate into (7), we infer that

$$\|\mathfrak{B}\|_{\tilde{L}_t^1 C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1 + \mu t) (1 + t) \|X_\lambda\|_{L_t^\infty C^\varepsilon}. \quad (7)$$

To treat the quantity $\|\partial_{X_\lambda} \partial_1 \theta_\mu\|_{L_t^1 C^{\varepsilon-1}}$ we note that

$$\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \partial_1 \theta_\mu = \partial_1 (\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \theta_\mu) - \partial_{\partial_1 X_{\tau,\lambda}} \theta_\mu. \quad (8)$$

It follows, from taking the $C^{\varepsilon-1}$ – norm to this equation

$$\|\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \partial_1 \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \lesssim \|\partial_1 (\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \theta_\mu)(\tau)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} + \|(\partial_1 X_{\tau,\lambda}) \cdot \nabla \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}}.$$

Moreover using the fact $\partial_1 : C^\varepsilon \longrightarrow C^{\varepsilon-1}$ is a continuous map and Corollary 2.6, we get

$$\|\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \partial_1 \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \lesssim \|\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \|\nabla \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} \|\tilde{X}_{\tau,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} e^{CV_\mu(t)}.$$

From Proposition 2.7 and Proposition 2.15, we find

$$\|\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} \partial_1 \theta_\mu(\tau)\|_{L_t^1 C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq \|\partial_{X(0)_\lambda} \theta_\mu^0\|_{C^\varepsilon} e^{CV_\mu(t)} t + C_0 \|\tilde{X}_{\tau,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} e^{CV_\mu(t)} \quad (9)$$

Summing (5),(7),(9) and punting them in (4), such that $\mu \in]0, 1[$ we infer that

$$\|\partial_{X_{t,\lambda}} \omega_\mu\|_{L_t^\infty C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1 + t)^2 \|\tilde{X}_{\lambda,t}\|_{L^\infty C^\varepsilon}. \quad (10)$$

On other hand bound by using Proposition 2.7, we find

$$\|X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} \left(\|X_{0,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \int_0^t e^{-CV_\mu(\tau)} \|\partial_{X_{\tau,\lambda}} v_\mu(\tau)\|_{C^\varepsilon} d\tau \right). \quad (11)$$

We use the following result which its proof can be found in [5, 11]

$$\|\partial_{X_{t,\lambda}} v_\mu(t)\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C (\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \|\tilde{X}_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}}).$$

Thanks to (10), we find

$$\|\partial_{X_{t,\lambda}} v_\mu(t)\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C \|\tilde{X}_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \left(\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} + C_0 e^{CV_\mu(t)} (1+t)^2 \right). \quad (12)$$

Plunging (12) in (11), we get

$$\|X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} \left(\|X_{0,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} + C_0 \int_0^t e^{-CV_\mu(\tau)} \|\tilde{X}_{\tau,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \left(\|\nabla v_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} + (1+\tau)^2 \right) d\tau \right).$$

For the term $\|\operatorname{div} X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon}$ by applying Proposition 2.7 to $(\partial_t + v \cdot \nabla) \operatorname{div} X_{t,\lambda} = 0$, we get

$$\|\operatorname{div} X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C e^{CV_\mu(t)} \|\operatorname{div} X_{0,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon}. \quad (13)$$

Combining the last two estimates we have

$$e^{-CV_\mu(t)} \|\tilde{X}_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C \left(\|\tilde{X}_{0,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} + C_0 \int_0^t e^{-CV_\mu(\tau)} \|\tilde{X}_{\tau,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \left(\|\nabla v_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} + (1+\tau)^2 \right) d\tau \right). \quad (14)$$

The Gronwall's inequality gives

$$\|\tilde{X}_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 V_\mu(t)} e^{C_0 t^3}. \quad (15)$$

Gathering (10) and (15), one has

$$\|\partial_{X_{t,\lambda}} \omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 V_\mu(t)} e^{C_0 t^3}.$$

Moreover, from the last two estimates and Proposition 2.15, we get

$$\|\partial_{X_{t,\lambda}} \omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} + \|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \|\tilde{X}_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^\varepsilon} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 V_\mu(t)} e^{C_0 t^3}. \quad (16)$$

Now, we recall that

$$\|\omega\|_{C^\varepsilon(X)} \triangleq \frac{1}{I(X_t)} \left(\|\omega\|_{L^\infty} \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \|\tilde{X}_\lambda\|_{C^\varepsilon} + \sup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} \|\partial_{X_\lambda} \omega\|_{C^{\varepsilon-1}} \right). \quad (17)$$

To control the term $I(X_t)$ we apply the derivative in time to the quantity $\partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi$, it follows

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t \partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi(t, x) = \nabla v(t, \Psi(t, x)) \partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi(t, x) \\ \partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi(0, x) = X_{0,\lambda}. \end{cases}$$

The time reversibility of the previous equation and Gronwall's inequality ensure that

$$|X_{0,\lambda}(x)| \leq |\partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi(t, x)| e^{V_\mu(t)}.$$

From (ii) in Definition 2.10 we get

$$I(X_t) \geq I(X_0) e^{-V_\mu(t)} > 0. \quad (18)$$

Thanks to (16), (17) and (18), we have

$$\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^\varepsilon(X_t)} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 t^3} e^{C_0 V_\mu(t)}. \quad (19)$$

According to Theorem 2.13 and Proposition 2.15, we obtain

$$\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq C \left(C_0 + C_0 \log \left(e + \frac{\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^\varepsilon(X)}}{\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty}} \right) \right).$$

The monotonicity of function $x \mapsto \log(e + \frac{a}{x})$ gives

$$\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq C_0 \left(C_0 + C_0 \log \left(e + \frac{\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^e(X)}}{\|\omega_\mu^0\|_{L^\infty}} \right) \right).$$

It follows from (19) that

$$\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq C_0 \left((1+t)^3 + \int_0^t \|\nabla v_\mu(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} d\tau \right).$$

Again, Gronwall's inequality gives

$$\|\nabla v_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq C_0 e^{C_0 t}. \quad (20)$$

Together with (19), we have

$$\|\omega_\mu(t)\|_{C^e(X_t)} \leq C_0 e^{\exp C_0 t}. \quad (21)$$

To control the term Ψ_μ in $C^e(X_t)$, we recall that $\partial_{X_{0,\lambda}} \Psi_\mu(t) = X_{t,\lambda} \circ \Psi_\mu(t)$. Thus, we get

$$\|X_{t,\lambda} \circ \Psi_\mu(t)\|_{C^e} \leq \|X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^e} \|\nabla \Psi_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty}^e \leq \|X_{t,\lambda}\|_{C^e} e^{C V_\mu(t)},$$

where, we have used $\|\nabla \Psi_\mu(t)\|_{L^\infty} \leq e^{C V_\mu(t)}$. Consequently,

$$\|\Psi_\mu(t)\|_{C^e(X_t)} \leq C_0 e^{\exp C_0 t}. \quad (22)$$

The proof of Theorem 1.1 is finished.

3. INVISCID LIMIT

Proof of Theorem 1.2

Taking the difference between (NSB $_\mu$) and (EB), by setting $U = v_\mu - v$, $\Theta = \theta_\mu - \theta$ and $P = p_\mu - p$ we find out that the triplet (U, Θ, P) governs the following evolution system.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t U + v_\mu \cdot \nabla U - \mu \Delta U = \Delta v - \nabla P + \Theta \vec{e}_2 - U \cdot \nabla v, \\ \partial_t \Theta + v_\mu \cdot \nabla \Theta = -U \cdot \nabla \theta, \\ \nabla \cdot U = 0, \\ (U, \Theta)|_{t=0} = (U_0, \Theta_0). \end{cases} \quad (D_\mu)$$

Multiplying the first equation in the system (D_μ) by U and integrating by part over $\mathbb{R}^2$, such that $\operatorname{div} v_\mu = \operatorname{div} v = 0$ and Hölder's inequality ensure that

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \|U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \mu \|\nabla U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \mu \|\nabla v(t)\|_{L^2} \|\nabla U(t)\|_{L^2} + \|\nabla v(t)\|_{L^\infty} \|U(t)\|_{L^2} + \|\Theta(t)\|_{L^2} \|U(t)\|_{L^2}.$$

Young inequality implies that

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \|U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \mu \|\nabla U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \frac{\mu}{2} \|\nabla v(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \frac{\mu}{2} \|\nabla U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \left(\|U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \|\Theta(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \right) (\|\nabla v(t)\|_{L^\infty} + 1).$$

Integrating in time this inequality, we find

$$\|U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \frac{\mu}{2} \|\nabla U(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \|U^0\|_{L^2}^2 + \frac{\mu}{2} \|\nabla v\|_{L^2 L^2}^2 + \int_0^t \left(\|U(\tau)\|_{L^2}^2 + \|\Theta(\tau)\|_{L^2}^2 \right) (\|\nabla v(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} + 1) d\tau. \quad (23)$$

Similarly for Θ -equation, we have

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \|\Theta(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \|\nabla \theta(t)\|_{L^\infty} \|U(t)\|_{L^2}^2.$$

Integrating in time over $[0, t]$, it follows

$$\|\Theta(t)\|_{L^2}^2 \leq \|\Theta^0\|_{L^2}^2 + \int_0^t \|\nabla \theta(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} \|U(\tau)\|_{L^2}^2 d\tau. \quad (24)$$

Gathering (23) and (24), one has

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi(t) &\lesssim \Pi(0) + \int_0^t \Pi(\tau) \left(1 + \|\nabla \theta(\tau)\|_{L^\infty} + \|\nabla v(\tau)\|_{L^\infty}\right) d\tau \\ &\quad + \mu \|\nabla v\|_{L_t^2 L^2}, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

with $\Pi(t) = \|v_\mu(t) - v(t)\|_{L^2}^2 + \|\theta_\mu(t) - \theta(t)\|_{L^2}^2$, so Gronwall's inequality gives

$$\Pi(t) \leq C e^{t+V_\mu(t)+V(t)+\|\nabla \theta\|_{L_t^1 L^\infty}} \left(\Pi(0) + \mu \|\Delta v_\mu\|_{L_t^2 L^2} \right).$$

Again, Hölder's inequality in time variable and using Proposition 2.9, we get

$$\Pi(t) \leq C e^{t+V_\mu(t)+V(t)+\|\nabla \theta\|_{L_t^1 L^\infty}} \left(\Pi(0) + (\mu t) \|\omega_\mu\|_{L_t^\infty L^2} \right).$$

Thanks to Theorem and Proposition 2.15, we find that

$$\Pi(t) \leq C_0 e^{C_0 t} (\mu t).$$

Consequently,

$$\|v_\mu(t) - v(t)\|_{L^2} + \|\theta_\mu(t) - \theta(t)\|_{L^2} \leq C_0 (\mu t)^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem 1.2.

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