



# $L^2$ -dissipativity of the linearized explicit finite-difference scheme with a kinetic regularization for 2D and 3D gas dynamics system of equations



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## ABSTRACT

We study an explicit in time and symmetric in space finite-difference scheme with a kinetic regularization for the 2D and 3D gas dynamics system of equations linearized at a constant solution (with any velocity). We derive both necessary and sufficient conditions for  $L^2$ -dissipativity of the Cauchy problem for the scheme by the spectral method. The Courant number is uniformly bounded with respect to the Mach number in them.

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## 1. Introduction

Among various numerical methods for solving gas dynamics systems of equations, see, in particular, [1,2] there are methods based on a preliminary regularization of equations, including a kinetic (or quasi-gasdynamics, QGD) regularization [3,4]. A variety of practical applications of this approach is also presented there.

In this paper, we study an explicit two-level in time and symmetric in space finite-difference scheme with such a regularization linearized at a constant solution (with arbitrary velocity). The problem of the stability analysis for schemes of this type has been known for many years. In the 2D and 3D cases and a uniform rectangular grid, we derive both necessary and sufficient conditions for the  $L^2$ -dissipativity of the solutions to the Cauchy problem for this scheme for the first time. The spectral method [5] is applied to this end. In these conditions, the Courant number is uniformly bounded with respect to the Mach number which is significant in computing super- and hypersonic flows. The similar results have previously been obtained in simpler 1D full and 2D and 3D barotropic cases [6,7].

Schemes related to other regularizations like [8] could be studied by this technique as well.

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## 2. $L^2$ -dissipativity analysis

The gas dynamics system of equations with the QGD regularization consists of the following mass, momentum and total energy balance equations [4]

$$\partial_t \rho + \operatorname{div} \mathbf{j} = 0, \quad \partial_t (\rho \mathbf{u}) + \operatorname{div} (\mathbf{j} \otimes \mathbf{u} - \Pi) + \nabla p = 0, \quad \partial_t E + \operatorname{div} \left[ (E + p) \frac{\mathbf{j}}{\rho} + \mathbf{q} - \Pi \mathbf{u} \right] = 0 \quad (1)$$

in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $n = 2, 3$ , for  $t \geq 0$ . The sought functions are the gas density  $\rho > 0$ , velocity  $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, \dots, u_n)$  and the specific internal energy  $\varepsilon > 0$  depending on  $(x, t)$ , where  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ . Moreover,  $E = \frac{1}{2} \rho |\mathbf{u}|^2 + \rho \varepsilon > 0$  is the total energy and  $p = (\gamma - 1) \rho \varepsilon$  is the gas pressure,  $\gamma > 1$ . The operators  $\operatorname{div}$  and  $\nabla = (\partial_1, \dots, \partial_n)$  are taken in  $x$  and  $\partial_t = \partial/\partial t$ ,  $\partial_i = \partial/\partial x_i$ . The symbols  $\otimes$  and  $\cdot$  denote the tensor and inner products of vectors, and a tensor divergence is taken with respect to its first index.

The regularized mass flux  $\mathbf{j}$ , viscous stress tensor  $\Pi = \Pi_{NS} + \Pi_\tau$  and heat flux  $\mathbf{q}$  are as follows

$$\mathbf{j} = \rho \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{m}, \quad \mathbf{m} = \tau [\operatorname{div} (\rho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u}) + \nabla p], \quad \hat{\mathbf{m}} = \tau [\rho (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u} + \nabla p], \quad (2)$$

$$\Pi_{NS} = \mu (\nabla \mathbf{u} + (\nabla \mathbf{u})^T) + (\lambda - \frac{2}{3} \mu) (\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}) \mathbb{I}, \quad \Pi_\tau = \mathbf{u} \otimes \hat{\mathbf{m}} + \tau (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla p + \gamma p \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}) \mathbb{I}, \quad (3)$$

$$-\mathbf{q} = \tilde{\alpha} \nabla \varepsilon + \tau \rho (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \varepsilon - \frac{p}{\rho^2} \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \rho) \mathbf{u}, \quad (4)$$

where  $\Pi_{NS}$  is the Navier–Stokes viscous stress tensor with  $\nabla \mathbf{u} = \{\partial_i u_j\}_{i,j=1}^n$ ,  $\mathbb{I}$  is the unit tensor,  $\mathbf{m}$ ,  $\hat{\mathbf{m}}$  and  $\Pi_\tau$  are regularizing momenta and tensor,  $\mu > 0$ ,  $\lambda > 0$  and  $\tilde{\alpha} > 0$  are the artificial viscosity and (scaled) heat conductivity coefficients as well as  $\tau > 0$  is the relaxation parameter.

One can linearize system (1)–(4) at a constant solution  $(\rho, \mathbf{u}, \varepsilon)(x, t) \equiv (\rho_*, \mathbf{u}_*, \varepsilon_*)$ , where  $\rho_* > 0$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_* = (u_{*1}, \dots, u_{*n})$ ,  $\varepsilon_* > 0$  [9]. Let  $\tau = \tau_* > 0$  and

$$c_* = \sqrt{\gamma(\gamma - 1)\varepsilon_*}, \quad \mu_* = \hat{\alpha}_s \tau_* \rho_* c_*^2, \quad \lambda_* = \hat{\alpha}_{1s} \tau_* \rho_* c_*^2, \quad \hat{\alpha}_s \geq 0, \quad \hat{\alpha}_{1s} \geq 0, \quad \tilde{\alpha}_* = \hat{\alpha}_P \tau_* \rho_* c_*^2, \quad \hat{\alpha}_P \geq 0$$

(see [3,4]), where  $c_*$  is the background sound velocity,  $\alpha_s = \gamma \hat{\alpha}_s$  and  $\frac{1}{\alpha_P}$  are the Schmidt and Prandtl numbers. Substituting the solution in the form  $(\rho, \mathbf{u}, \varepsilon) = (\rho_* + \rho_* \tilde{\rho}, \mathbf{u}_* + \frac{c_*}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \tilde{\mathbf{u}}, \varepsilon_* + \sqrt{\gamma - 1} \varepsilon_* \tilde{\varepsilon})$  into Eqs. (1)–(4), where  $\mathbf{z} = (\tilde{\rho}, \tilde{\mathbf{u}}, \tilde{\varepsilon})^T$  is the vector of dimensionless small perturbations, and omitting the 2nd order terms with respect to  $\mathbf{z}$ , one can derive the linearized QGD system of equations

$$\partial_t \mathbf{z} + c_* B^{(i)} \partial_i \mathbf{z} - \tau_* c_*^2 (A^{(ii)} \partial_i^2 \mathbf{z} + (1 - \delta^{(ij)}) \hat{A}^{(ij)} \partial_i \partial_j \mathbf{z}) = 0 \quad (5)$$

in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  for  $t \geq 0$ , where  $A^{(ii)}$ ,  $\hat{A}^{(ij)}$  and  $B^{(i)}$  are matrices of viscous and convective terms of the order  $n + 2$ . Hereafter the summation over the repeated indexes  $i$  and  $j$  (and only over them) is assumed from 1 to  $n$ . Also  $\delta^{(ij)}$  is the Kronecker symbol. Let  $\mathbf{e}_0, \dots, \mathbf{e}_{n+1}$  be the column vectors of the standard coordinate basis in  $\mathbb{R}^{n+2}$  and  $E^{(k,l)} := \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_l^T + \mathbf{e}_l \mathbf{e}_k^T$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} B^{(k)} &= M_k I_{n+2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} E^{(0,k)} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} E^{(k,n+1)}, \\ A^{(kk)} &= D_\gamma + M_k^2 I_{n+2} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} M_k E^{(0,k)} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} M_k E^{(k,n+1)} + (\hat{a}_0 + 1) \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_k^T + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma \gamma_*}} E^{(0,n+1)}, \\ D_\gamma &:= \operatorname{diag} \left\{ \frac{1}{\gamma}, \hat{\alpha}_s, \dots, \hat{\alpha}_s, \hat{\alpha}_P + \frac{1}{\gamma_*} \right\}, \quad \hat{a}_0 = \frac{1}{3} \hat{\alpha}_s + \hat{\alpha}_{1s}, \\ \hat{A}^{(kl)} &= M_k M_l I_{n+2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} (M_k E^{(0,l)} + M_l E^{(0,k)}) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} (M_k E^{(l,n+1)} + M_l E^{(k,n+1)}) + \frac{\hat{a}_0 + 1}{2} E^{(k,l)} \end{aligned}$$

for all  $k$  and  $l$  from 1 to  $n$ . Hereafter  $\gamma_* = \frac{\gamma}{\gamma - 1}$ ,  $M_k = \frac{u_{*k}}{c_*}$ ,  $I_l$  is the  $l$ th order unit matrix and  $\operatorname{diag}\{a_1, \dots, a_l\}$  is the diagonal matrix with the listed diagonal elements. Clearly  $B^{(k)}$ ,  $A^{(kk)}$  and  $\hat{A}^{(kl)}$  are symmetric matrices, and  $\hat{A}^{(kl)} = \hat{A}^{(lk)}$ .

The equalities  $(E^{(k,l)})^2 = \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_k^T + \mathbf{e}_l \mathbf{e}_l^T$  ( $k \neq l$ ),  $E^{(0,k)} E^{(k,n+1)} = \mathbf{e}_0 \mathbf{e}_{n+1}^T$ ,  $E^{(k,n+1)} E^{(0,k)} = \mathbf{e}_{n+1} \mathbf{e}_0^T$  ( $1 \leq k \leq n$ ) and  $\frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\gamma^*} = 1$  allow one to check the important formula

$$A^{(kk)} = (B^{(k)})^2 + \text{diag}\{0, \hat{\alpha}_s, \dots, \hat{\alpha}_s, \hat{\alpha}_P\} + \hat{a}_0 \mathbf{e}_k \mathbf{e}_k^T, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n. \tag{6}$$

The solution to a system like (5) under the initial condition  $\mathbf{z}|_{t=0} = \mathbf{z}_0$  satisfies the uniform in  $t$  bound [9]

$$\sup_{t \geq 0} \|\mathbf{z}(\cdot, t)\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)} \leq \|\mathbf{z}_0\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)} \quad \forall \mathbf{z}_0 \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n). \tag{7}$$

Let  $\omega_{kh}$  and  $\bar{\omega}^{\Delta t}$  be meshes in  $x_k$  and  $t$  with the nodes  $lh_k$ ,  $l \in \mathbb{Z}$ , and  $t_m = m\Delta t$ ,  $m \geq 0$ , and steps  $h_k > 0$  and  $\Delta t > 0$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq n$ . Define the finite-difference operators

$$\mathring{\delta}_k v_l = \frac{v_{l+1} - v_{l-1}}{2h_k}, \quad (\delta_k^* \mathring{\delta}_k v)_l = \frac{v_{l+1} - 2v_l + v_{l-1}}{h_k^2}, \quad \delta_t v = \frac{v^+ - v}{\Delta t}, \quad v^{+,m} = v^{m+1}.$$

Let  $\omega_{\mathbf{h}} := \omega_{1h} \times \dots \times \omega_{nh}$ ,  $\mathbf{h} = (h_1, \dots, h_n)$ ,  $h_{\min} := \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} h_k$  and  $h_V = (h_1 \dots h_n)^{1/n}$ .

We approximate system (5) using the defined finite-difference operators and get an explicit two-level in  $t$  and three-point in each direction  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  finite-difference scheme

$$\delta_t \mathbf{y} + c_* B^{(i)} \mathring{\delta}_i \mathbf{y} - \tau_* c_*^2 (A^{(ii)} \delta_i^* \delta_i \mathbf{y} + (1 - \delta^{(ij)}) \hat{A}^{(ij)} \mathring{\delta}_i \mathring{\delta}_j \mathbf{y}) = 0 \tag{8}$$

on  $\omega_{\mathbf{h}} \times \bar{\omega}^{\Delta t}$ . Similar schemes arise also after the linearization of schemes for the original equations (1)–(4) including those from [3,4].

Let  $H$  be a Hilbert space of vector-functions  $\mathbf{v}: \omega_{\mathbf{h}} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{n+2}$  that are square summable over  $\omega_{\mathbf{h}}$  and be endowed with the inner product

$$(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{y})_H = h_1 \dots h_n \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{k}}, \mathbf{y}_{\mathbf{k}})_{\mathbb{C}^{n+2}}, \quad \mathbf{k} = (k_1, \dots, k_n).$$

The question is about conditions related to validity of the mesh counterpart of bound (7):

$$\sup_{m \geq 0} \|\mathbf{y}^m\|_H \leq \|\mathbf{y}^0\|_H \quad \forall \mathbf{y}^0 \in H. \tag{9}$$

Recall that this bound is equivalent to both the bound  $\|\mathcal{A}\|_{\mathcal{L}[H]} \leq 1$  for the transition operator

$$\mathcal{A} = I - \Delta t [c_* B^{(i)} \mathring{\delta}_i - \tau_* c_*^2 (A^{(ii)} \delta_i^* \delta_i + (1 - \delta^{(ij)}) \hat{A}^{(ij)} \mathring{\delta}_i \mathring{\delta}_j)]$$

and  $H$ -dissipativity of the scheme:  $\|\mathbf{y}^m\|_H \leq \|\mathbf{y}^{m-1}\|_H \leq \dots \leq \|\mathbf{y}^0\|_H$  for any  $\mathbf{y}^0 \in H$ ,  $m \geq 1$ .

Let  $\Delta t$  and  $\tau_*$  be given by the formulas

$$\Delta t \equiv \frac{\beta h_{\min}}{(M+1)c_*} = \frac{\tilde{\beta} h_{\min}}{c_*}, \quad \tau_* \equiv \frac{\alpha h_{\tau}}{c_*} = \frac{\hat{\alpha} h_{\tau}}{(M+1)c_*} = \frac{\alpha_{h_{\tau}} h_{\min}}{c_*} = \frac{\hat{\alpha}_{h_{\tau}} h_{\min}}{(M+1)c_*} \tag{10}$$

with the parameters  $\beta > 0$  (the Courant number) and  $\alpha > 0$ ;  $M = |\mathbf{u}_*|/c_*$  is the background Mach number. Also  $h_{\tau} = h_{\tau}(\mathbf{h}) > 0$  (in particular,  $h_{\tau} = h_{\min}$  or  $h_V$ ) whereas  $\tilde{\beta}$ ,  $\hat{\alpha}$ ,  $\alpha_{h_{\tau}}$  and  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_{\tau}}$  are defined for convenience (here  $\alpha_{h_{\tau}} = \alpha$  and  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_{\tau}} = \hat{\alpha}$  if  $h_{\tau} = h_{\min}$ ). Below we derive conditions on  $\tilde{\beta}$  depending on  $\alpha_{h_{\tau}}$ , or  $\beta$  depending on  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_{\tau}}$ , related to the validity of bound (9).

Following [5–7], we take particular solutions to scheme (8) in the form  $\mathbf{y}_{\mathbf{k}}^m(\boldsymbol{\xi}) = e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot \boldsymbol{\xi}} \mathbf{w}_{\mathbf{k}}^m(\boldsymbol{\xi})$ , where  $\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ ,  $m \geq 0$ ,  $i$  is the imaginary unit and  $\boldsymbol{\xi} = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n)^T \in [0, 2\pi]^n$  is a parameter. Substituting them into (8) and using formulas (10) lead to the explicit formula  $\mathbf{w}^+ = G_s \mathbf{w}$  on  $\bar{\omega}^{\Delta t}$ , with the matrices

$$G_s = I_{n+2} - \tilde{\beta} F_s, \quad F_s = 4\alpha_{h_{\tau}} A_s + 2iB_s, \quad B_s = d_i s_i B^{(i)}, \quad A_s = d_i^2 A^{(ii)} + (1 - \delta^{(ij)}) d_i d_j s_i s_j \hat{A}^{(ij)},$$

where  $G_{\mathbf{s}}$  is the symbol of the operator  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, \dots, s_n)$  and

$$\sigma_k = \sin^2 \frac{\xi_k}{2} \in [0, 1], \quad d_k = r_k \sqrt{\sigma_k}, \quad r_k = \frac{h_{\min}}{h_k} \leq 1, \quad s_k = (-1)^{l_k} \sqrt{1 - \sigma_k} \in [-1, 1], \quad 1 \leq k \leq n,$$

with  $l_k = 0$  for  $0 \leq \xi_k \leq \pi$  or  $l_k = 1$  for  $\pi < \xi_k \leq 2\pi$ .

Define a column vector  $\mathbf{M} = (M_1, \dots, M_n)^T$  (then  $|\mathbf{M}| = M$  is the background Mach number) and a row vector  $\boldsymbol{\zeta} = (\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_n)$  with  $\zeta_k = d_k s_k$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq n$ , and set  $d = (d_1^2 + \dots + d_n^2)^{1/2}$ .

**Lemma 1.** 1. The matrices  $B_{\mathbf{s}}$  and  $A_{\mathbf{s}}$  can be written in the  $3 \times 3$ -block form

$$B_{\mathbf{s}} = \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T & (\boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M}) I_n & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} & \boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M} \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_{\mathbf{s}} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{\mathbf{M}} + \frac{1}{\gamma} d^2 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \mathbf{P} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma \gamma_*}} d^2 \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \mathbf{P}^T & a_{\mathbf{M}} I_n + C_0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \mathbf{P}^T \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma \gamma_*}} d^2 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \mathbf{P} & a_{\mathbf{M}} + (\hat{\alpha}_P + \frac{1}{\gamma_*}) d^2 \end{pmatrix},$$

where

$$a_{\mathbf{M}} = (\boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M})^2 + \mathbf{M}^T Q \mathbf{M} = \mathbf{p} \mathbf{M}, \quad \mathbf{p} = (\boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M}) \boldsymbol{\zeta} + \mathbf{M}^T Q, \quad C_0 = \hat{\alpha}_s d^2 I_n + (\hat{\alpha}_0 + 1) (\boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \boldsymbol{\zeta} + Q)$$

and  $Q = \text{diag}\{q_1, \dots, q_n\}$  with  $q_k := d_k^2 \sigma_k = r_k^2 \sigma_k^2$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq n$ .

2. The following matrix inequality holds:  $B_{\mathbf{s}}^2 \leq A_{\mathbf{s}}$  for any  $\mathbf{s} \in S := [-1, 1]^n$ .

**Proof.** 1. The matrix  $B_{\mathbf{s}}$  satisfies the formulas

$$\begin{aligned} B_{\mathbf{s}} &= \zeta_i B^{(i)} = \zeta_i M_i I_{n+2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \zeta_i E^{(0,i)} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \zeta_i E^{(i,n+1)} \\ &= (\boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M}) I_{n+2} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T & O_n & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & O_n & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{0}$  and  $O_n$  are zero row vector and matrix of the  $n$ th order.

We write down the formula  $A_{\mathbf{s}} = d_i^2 A^{(ii)} - \zeta_i^2 \hat{A}^{(ii)} + \zeta_i \zeta_j \hat{A}^{(ij)}$ , and since  $d_i^2 = q_i + \zeta_i^2$ , we further obtain

$$\begin{aligned} d_i^2 A^{(ii)} - \zeta_i^2 \hat{A}^{(ii)} &= d^2 D_{\gamma} + q_i M_i^2 I_{n+2} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} q_i M_i E^{(0,i)} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} q_i M_i E^{(i,n+1)} \\ &+ (\hat{\alpha}_0 + 1) q_i \mathbf{e}_i \mathbf{e}_i^T + d^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma \gamma_*}} E^{(0,n+1)} = d^2 D_{\gamma} + \mathbf{M}^T Q \mathbf{M} I_{n+2} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{M}^T Q & 0 \\ Q \mathbf{M} & O_n & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &+ \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & O_n & Q \mathbf{M} \\ 0 & \mathbf{M}^T Q & 0 \end{pmatrix} + (\hat{\alpha}_0 + 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & Q & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{d^2}{\sqrt{\gamma \gamma_*}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \mathbf{0} & 1 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & O_n & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 1 & \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\ \zeta_i \zeta_j \hat{A}^{(ij)} &= \zeta_i M_i \zeta_j M_j I_{n+2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} (\zeta_i M_i \zeta_j E^{(0,j)} + \zeta_j M_j \zeta_i E^{(0,i)}) \\ &+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} (\zeta_i M_i \zeta_j E^{(j,n+1)} + \zeta_j M_j \zeta_i E^{(i,n+1)}) + \frac{1}{2} (\hat{\alpha}_0 + 1) \zeta_i \zeta_j E^{(i,j)} = (\boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M})^2 I_{n+2} \\ &+ \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \boldsymbol{\zeta} & 0 \\ \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T & O_n & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\gamma_*}} \boldsymbol{\zeta} \mathbf{M} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & O_n & \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \\ 0 & \boldsymbol{\zeta} & 0 \end{pmatrix} + (\hat{\alpha}_0 + 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & \boldsymbol{\zeta}^T \boldsymbol{\zeta} & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

The specified form of matrices  $B_{\mathbf{s}}$  and  $A_{\mathbf{s}}$  follows from the presented formulas.

2. For the matrix  $\tilde{A}_s := \zeta_i^2 A^{(ii)} + (1 - \delta^{(ij)}) \zeta_i \zeta_j \hat{A}^{(ij)}$ , from the same formulas it follows that

$$\tilde{A}_s - B_s^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{0} & 0 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & \hat{\alpha}_s |\zeta|^2 I_n + \hat{a}_0 \zeta^T \zeta & \mathbf{0}^T \\ 0 & \mathbf{0} & \hat{\alpha}_P |\zeta|^2 \end{pmatrix} \geq 0$$

since  $\zeta^T \zeta \geq 0$ . Since also  $A^{(ii)} \geq 0$ , see (6), we derive  $A_s = q_i A^{(ii)} + \tilde{A}_s \geq \tilde{A}_s \geq B_s^2$ .  $\square$

Denote by  $\lambda_{\max}(A)$  the maximal eigenvalue of a Hermitian matrix  $A$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $\mathcal{H} = [L^2(S)]^K$  with  $K = n + 2$ . Then the following equalities hold*

$$\|A\|_{\mathcal{L}[H]} = \|G.\|_{\mathcal{L}[\mathcal{H}]} \equiv \sup_{\|\mathbf{w}\|_{\mathcal{H}}=1} \|G_s \mathbf{w}(\mathbf{s})\|_{\mathcal{H}} = \max_{\mathbf{s} \in S} \|G_s\|_{\mathcal{L}[C^K]} = \max_{\mathbf{s} \in S} \lambda_{\max}^{1/2}(G_s^* G_s).$$

The first equality follows from the isomorphism of the complex Hilbert spaces  $(\ell^2)^K$  and  $\mathcal{H}$  established by means of the complex Fourier series, and the last one (without  $\max_{\mathbf{s} \in S}$ ) is well known. The inequality  $\|G.\|_{\mathcal{L}[\mathcal{H}]} \leq \max_{\mathbf{s} \in S} \|G_s\|_{\mathcal{L}[C^K]}$  is obvious whereas the opposite inequality  $\max_{\mathbf{s} \in S} \lambda_{\max}(G_s^* G_s) = \lambda_{\max}(G_{\mathbf{s}_0}^* G_{\mathbf{s}_0}) \leq \|G.\|_{\mathcal{L}[\mathcal{H}]}^2$ ,  $\mathbf{s}_0 \in S$ , is proved by contradiction (taking the function  $\mathbf{w}(\mathbf{s}) = \mathbf{w}_0 \neq 0$  for  $|\mathbf{s} - \mathbf{s}_0| \leq \delta$  or  $\mathbf{w}(\mathbf{s}) = 0$  otherwise, where  $G_{\mathbf{s}_0}^* G_{\mathbf{s}_0} \mathbf{w}_0 = \lambda_{\max}(G_{\mathbf{s}_0}^* G_{\mathbf{s}_0}) \mathbf{w}_0$ , for sufficiently small  $\delta > 0$ , and using the continuity of  $G_s^* G_s$  in  $\mathbf{s}$ ).

One can generalize Theorem 1 for any  $A \in \mathcal{L}[H]$  with the continuous symbol  $G(\xi)$  and  $K \geq 1$ .

Now we give necessary conditions and sufficient conditions for bound (9) to hold [7].

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $[A_s, B_s] := A_s B_s - B_s A_s$ . The validity of the following matrix inequalities*

$$\tilde{\beta} (2\alpha_{h_\tau} A_s^2 + \frac{1}{2\alpha_{h_\tau}} B_s^2 + \mathbf{i}[A_s, B_s]) \leq A_s \quad \forall \mathbf{s} \in S, \tag{11}$$

$$2\alpha_{h_\tau} r_k^2 \tilde{\beta} A^{(kk)} \leq I_{n+2}, \quad \frac{\tilde{\beta}}{2\alpha_{h_\tau}} (B^{(k)})^2 \leq A^{(kk)} \quad \forall 1 \leq k \leq n, \tag{12}$$

$$\tilde{\beta} [2\alpha_{h_\tau} (1 + \varepsilon) A_s^2 + \frac{1}{2\alpha_{h_\tau}} (1 + \varepsilon^{-1}) B_s^2] \leq A_s \quad \forall \mathbf{s} \in S, \text{ for some } \varepsilon > 0 \tag{13}$$

respectively is necessary and sufficient, or necessary, or sufficient for bound (9) to hold.

For  $\max_{\mathbf{s} \in S} \lambda_{\max}(A_s) \leq \bar{\lambda}$ , bound (9) holds under the validity of the number inequality

$$\tilde{\beta} [(2\alpha_{h_\tau} \bar{\lambda})^{1/2} + (2\alpha_{h_\tau})^{-1/2}]^2 \leq 1. \tag{14}$$

Condition (11) follows from Theorem 1, and (14) follows from (13) using the above inequality  $B_s^2 \leq A_s$ . The derivation of conditions (12) and (13) from (11) is similar to [7].

Next we derive from condition (12) a specific necessary condition.

**Theorem 3.** *For bound (9) to hold, the following condition is necessary:*

$$\beta \leq \beta_{nec}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}) := \min \left\{ 2\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}, \frac{1}{2\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}} \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \frac{h_k^2}{h_{\min}^2} \frac{(M+1)^2}{M_k^2 + \tilde{\lambda}[M_k]} \right\} = \beta_{nec}(\hat{\alpha} r_{h_\tau}), \tag{15}$$

where  $r_{h_\tau} = h_\tau / h_{\min}$  and  $M_k^2 + \tilde{\lambda}[M_k] \leq \lambda_{\max}(A^{(kk)})$  with

$$\tilde{\lambda}[M_k] := \max \left\{ \frac{\hat{\alpha}_P + 1}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{\hat{\alpha}_P - 1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{\gamma_*} \hat{\alpha}_P}, \frac{1}{2} \left(\tilde{a}_0 + 1 + \frac{1}{\gamma}\right) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} \left(\tilde{a}_0 + \frac{1}{\gamma_*}\right)^2 + \frac{4}{\gamma} M_k^2}, \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{2} \left(\tilde{a}_0 + \hat{\alpha}_P + 1 + \frac{1}{\gamma_*}\right) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} \left(\tilde{a}_0 - \hat{\alpha}_P + \frac{1}{\gamma}\right)^2 + \frac{4}{\gamma_*} M_k^2} \right\} \geq \max \left\{ \tilde{a}_0 + 1, \hat{\alpha}_P + \frac{1}{\gamma_*} \right\}$$

and  $\tilde{a}_0 = \hat{\alpha}_s + \hat{a}_0 = \frac{4}{3} \hat{\alpha}_s + \hat{\alpha}_{1s}$ .

If  $h_1 = \dots = h_n = h_\tau = h$ , then  $r_{h_\tau} = 1$  and  $\beta_{nec}(\hat{\alpha})$  is independent of  $h$  and takes the form

$$\beta_{nec}(\hat{\alpha}) = \min \left\{ 2\hat{\alpha}, \frac{(M+1)^2}{2\hat{\alpha}(M_{\max}^2 + \bar{\lambda}[M_{\max}])} \right\} \quad \text{with } M_{\max} := \max_{1 \leq k \leq n} |M_k|.$$

**Proof.** Similarly to [7], since  $A^{(kk)} \geq 0$ , the first inequality (12) is equivalent to the following one

$$\tilde{\beta} \leq \frac{h_k^2}{h_{\min}^2} \frac{1}{2\alpha_{h_\tau} \lambda_{\max}(A^{(kk)})}.$$

Due to (6) we have  $(B^{(k)})^2 \leq A^{(kk)}$ , and the second inequality (12) is valid under  $\tilde{\beta} \leq 2\alpha_{h_\tau}$ . On the other hand,  $(B^{(k)})_{11}^2 = A_{11}^{(kk)} > 0$ , thus the second inequality (12) implies the inequality  $\tilde{\beta} \leq 2\alpha_{h_\tau}$  and finally is equivalent to it (as in [6,7]). The presented lower bound for  $\lambda_{\max}(A^{(kk)})$  follows from the Cauchy theorem on separation of eigenvalues of a symmetric matrix and considering the 2nd order main minors of  $A^{(kk)}$  (it coincides with the bound given in the 1D case in [6]). The transition from  $\tilde{\beta}$  and  $\alpha_{h_\tau}$  to  $\beta$  and  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}$  leads to condition (15).  $\square$

The sufficient condition (14) can be rewritten in the form

$$\beta \leq \beta_{\text{suf}}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}) := 1 / \left( \sqrt{2\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}} \frac{\bar{\lambda}^{1/2}}{M+1} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}}} \right)^2, \quad (16)$$

cp. [10]. The maximum of the right-hand side is achieved for  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau} = \hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau^*} := (M+1)/(2\bar{\lambda}^{1/2})$  and equals  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau^*}/2$ . Note that both  $\beta_{\text{nec}}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}) \rightarrow 0$  and  $\beta_{\text{suf}}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau}) \rightarrow 0$  as  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau} \rightarrow +0$  or  $\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau} \rightarrow +\infty$ .

To apply condition (16), we also need to bound  $\lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{s}})$  from above. Let  $\mathbf{r} = (r_1, \dots, r_n)$ .

**Theorem 4.** For  $n = 2, 3$ , the following bounds hold

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{\mathbf{s} \in \mathcal{S}} \lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{s}}) &\leq \bar{\lambda} := \max \{ \hat{\alpha}_s |\mathbf{r}|^2 + c_n (\hat{a}_0 + 1), |\mathbf{r}|^2 \bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma) \} + c_n r_i^2 M_i^2 + 2(\delta^{(ii)} r_i^4)^{1/2} M \\ &\leq \max \{ \hat{\alpha}_s n + c_n (\hat{a}_0 + 1), n \bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma) \} + c_n M^2 + 2\sqrt{n} M \end{aligned}$$

with  $c_2 = 1$ ,  $c_3 = \frac{9}{8}$  and  $\bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma) := \frac{\hat{\alpha}_P + 1}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{\hat{\alpha}_P + 1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{\hat{\alpha}_P}{\gamma}}$ .

If  $h_1 = \dots = h_n$ , then the second inequality turns into equality.

**Proof.** We apply the decomposition  $A_{\mathbf{s}} = A_{\mathbf{s}0} + a_{\mathbf{M}} I_{n+2} + 2A_{\mathbf{M}1}$ , where

$$A_{\mathbf{s}0} := A_{\mathbf{s}}|_{\mathbf{M}=0} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\gamma} d^2 & \mathbf{0} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma\gamma^*}} d^2 \\ \mathbf{0}^T & C_0 & \mathbf{0}^T \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma\gamma^*}} d^2 & \mathbf{0} & (\hat{\alpha}_P + \frac{1}{\gamma^*}) d^2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_{\mathbf{M}1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \mathbf{p} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} \mathbf{p}^T & O_n & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma^*}} \mathbf{p}^T \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma^*}} \mathbf{p} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Due to the classical Rayleigh formula for  $\lambda_{\max}(A)$  the inequality  $\lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{s}}) \leq \lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{s}0}) + a_{\mathbf{M}} + 2\lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{M}1})$  is valid. Moreover, due to [7] the following estimates hold

$$\lambda_{\max}(\zeta \zeta^T + Q) \leq c_n, \quad a_{\mathbf{M}} \leq c_n r_i^2 M_i^2, \quad |\mathbf{p}|^2 \leq \delta^{(ii)} r_i^4 M^2. \quad (17)$$

We have  $\text{Sp } A_{\mathbf{s}0} = \text{Sp } C_0 \cup \text{Sp } C_1$ , where the 2nd order matrix  $C_1$  is obtained from  $A_{\mathbf{s}0}$  by deleting all rows and columns except the first and last ones. It is straightforward to calculate that  $\lambda_{\max}(C_1) = d^2 \bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma)$  (using  $\frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\gamma^*} = 1$ ). Since also  $d^2 \leq |\mathbf{r}|^2$ , we derive

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{s}0}) &\leq \max \{ \hat{\alpha}_s d^2 + (\hat{a}_0 + 1) \lambda_{\max}(\zeta \zeta^T + Q), d^2 \bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma) \} \leq \\ &\leq \max \{ \hat{\alpha}_s |\mathbf{r}|^2 + c_n (\hat{a}_0 + 1), |\mathbf{r}|^2 \bar{\lambda}(\hat{\alpha}_P, \gamma) \}. \end{aligned}$$

The eigenvalue problem for  $A_{\mathbf{M}1}$  is solved easily, and  $\text{Sp } A_{\mathbf{M}1} = \{0, \pm |\mathbf{p}|\}$  (using  $\frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{1}{\gamma^*} = 1$  once again) thus  $\lambda_{\max}(A_{\mathbf{M}1}) = |\mathbf{p}|$ . Now from (17) we obtain the result.  $\square$

Importantly, both  $\beta_{\text{nec}}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau})$  and  $\beta_{\text{suf}}(\hat{\alpha}_{h_\tau})$  are uniformly bounded in  $M$ .

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