

# Regularity for Diffuse Reaction Boundary Problem to the Stationary Linearized Boltzmann Equation in a Convex Domain

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# Stationary linearized Boltzmann equation in a convex domain in $\mathbb{R}^3$

We consider

$$\begin{cases} \Delta f(x) = L(f); \\ x \in \Omega; \\ \Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3; \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

where  $\Omega$  is a  $C^2$  strictly convex bounded domain in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Here, we consider hard sphere, cutoff hard potential, or cutoff Maxwellian molecular gases, i.e.,  $0 \leq \epsilon \leq 1$ .

# Diffuse Reflection Boundary Condition

Diffuse Reflection Boundary Condition:

- | Velocity distribution function leaving the boundary is in thermal equilibrium with the boundary temperature.
- | There is no net flux on boundary.



Regularity for the time evolutionary problem (weakly nonlinear):

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(x; \cdot; t) + \sum_{i,j} a_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} f(x; \cdot; t) = L(f) + (f; f); \quad (2)$$

- | Kim (2011 CMP): Discontinuity from boundary in a nonconvex domain.
- | Guo, Kim, Tonon, and Trescases (2016 ARMA): BV estimate in a nonconvex domain.
- | Guo, Kim, Tonon, and Trescases (2016 Inv. Math.) : Regularity in a convex domain.

All these results are NOT uniform in time.

In (2016 Inv. Math.), they establish weighted  $C^1$  estimate, which grows severely with time. This motivates us to look at the regularity to the stationary solution directly.





# Estimates for Kernel

Let  $0 < \epsilon < 1$ .

$$j_k(\cdot; \epsilon)_j$$

$$C_{1j} = j^{-1}(1 + j + j + j + j) \epsilon^{(1 - \epsilon)} e$$







# Main Theorem

## Sketch of proof

Diffuse reflection boundary condition for linearized Boltzmann equation:

Let  $T(x)$  be the temperature on the boundary.

For  $x \geq 0$  and  $n(x) < 0$ ;

$$f(x; \mathbf{j}) = n(x)M^{\frac{1}{2}} + T(x)(j \cdot \mathbf{j}^2 - \frac{3}{2})M^{\frac{1}{2}}; \quad (8)$$

where

$$M = M(\mathbf{j}) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-\frac{1}{2}j \cdot \mathbf{j}^2};$$
$$n(x) = \frac{1}{2}T(x) + 2^p \int_{n > 0}^Z f(x; \mathbf{j}) \cdot \mathbf{j} \cdot n \mathbf{j} M^{\frac{1}{2}} d\mathbf{j}; \quad (9)$$

Let

$(x) :=$



- |  $D_f$  is bounded differentiable provided  $f$  is locally Hölder up to boundary.
- | We have the desired estimate for first derivatives of  $f$  provided derivatives of  $\varphi$ ,  $T$  are bounded and  $f$  is locally Hölder.







# Transfer regularity from velocity to space

Idea: Combination of averaging or collision and transport can transfer regularity in velocity to space. For time evaluational problem in whole space,

- | Velocity averaging lemma ( Golse, Perthame, Sentis 1985)
- | Mixture lemma (Liu, Yu ARMA 2004)

In present research, we realize this effect for stationary problem in a convex domain by interplaying between velocity and space.





Let  $y = x - r \hat{r}$

$$D_f = 2 \int_0^{Z_1} \int_0^{Z_2} \int_0^{Z_j} p(x; j) dx$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{Z_1} \int_0^{Z_2} \int_0^{Z_j} e^{-\frac{r}{Z_1}} K(f)(x - r \hat{r}; j) n(x) e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} \sin \theta dr d\theta dx$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{Z_1} \int_0^{Z_2} e^{-\frac{r}{Z_1}} K(f)(y; \frac{x - y}{jx - yj}) \frac{(x - y) n(x)}{jx - yj^3} e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} dy dx$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{Z_1} \int_0^{Z_2} e^{-\frac{r}{Z_1}} K(\frac{x - y}{jx - yj}; f(y)) \frac{(x - y) n(x)}{jx - yj^3} e^{-\frac{r^2}{2}} dy dx :$$

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Suppose  $g(t)$  is on  $@$  passing  $x$  and

$$g(0) = x;$$

$$g'(0) = v;$$

where  $v \in T_x @$ . We define

$$r_x^v F(x; \cdot) = \left. \frac{d}{dt} F(g(t); \cdot) \right|_{t=0} : \quad (19)$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 r^x D_f^2 &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{x}{jx} - \frac{y}{yj} \right)^2} \frac{(x-y) n(x)}{jx yj^3} \\
 &\quad e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{x}{jx} - \frac{y}{yj} \right)^2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} [v n(y)] dA(y) d^0 d \\
 &\quad e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{x}{jx} - \frac{y}{yj} \right)^2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} [v \frac{x}{jx} - \frac{y}{yj}] \frac{1}{2} dA(y) d^0 d \\
 &=: S + B :
 \end{aligned}$$

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Thank you!