
On the steady compressible Navier–Stokes–Fourier system with temperature dependent viscosities

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Abstract

We consider in $\Omega \subset R^3$

$$\operatorname{div}(\varrho \mathbf{u}) = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$\operatorname{div}(\varrho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u}) - \operatorname{div} \mathbf{S} + \nabla p = \varrho \mathbf{f}, \quad (2)$$

$$\operatorname{div}(\varrho E \mathbf{u}) = \varrho \mathbf{f} \cdot \mathbf{u} - \operatorname{div}(p \mathbf{u}) + \operatorname{div}(\mathbf{S} \mathbf{u}) - \operatorname{div} \mathbf{q} \quad (3)$$

which models steady flow of a heat conducting compressible fluid. We consider (1)–(3) together with the boundary conditions at $\partial\Omega$

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0}, \quad (4)$$

$$-\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{n} + L(\vartheta - \Theta_0) = 0. \quad (5)$$

We consider Newtonian fluids, i.e. $\mathbf{S} = \mu(\vartheta)(\nabla \mathbf{u} + \nabla \mathbf{u}^T - \frac{2}{3} \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} \mathbf{I}) + \xi(\vartheta) \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} \mathbf{I}$, with the pressure $p \sim \varrho \vartheta + \varrho^\gamma$ and the heat flux $\mathbf{q} = -\kappa(\vartheta) \nabla \vartheta$. We study existence of a solution to our problem (1)–(5) in dependence on γ , α and m , where $\mu(\vartheta)$, $\xi(\vartheta) \sim (1 + \vartheta)^\alpha$, $\kappa(\vartheta) \sim (1 + \vartheta)^m$.

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