

Optimal regularity for the porous medium equation

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- Aim: Optimal regularity of solutions in (fractional) Sobolev spaces.

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Under regularity, decay and symmetry assumptions on V_1 obtain

Theorem (Oelschläger)

If $\mu_0^L \rightharpoonup m_0(x)dx$, then $\mu_t^L \rightharpoonup m_t(x)dx$ and with $c = \frac{1}{2} \int V_1(x) dx$,

$$\partial_t m = c \Delta m^2, \quad m(0) = m_0.$$

See also: Lions-Mas Gallic 2001, Figalli-Philipowski 2008, Carrillo-Craig-Papacchini 2018

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- Note

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t u &= \Delta u^{[m]} = m \operatorname{div}(|u|^{m-1} \nabla u) \\ &= m|u|^{m-1} \Delta u + m(m-1)u^{[m-2]} |\nabla u|^2.\end{aligned}$$

- Barenblatt solution:

$$U(x, t) = t^{-\alpha} F(xt^{-\beta}) = t^{-\alpha} (C - k|xt^{-\alpha/d}|^2)_+^{\frac{1}{m-1}},$$

where $\alpha = \frac{d}{d(m-1)+2}$, $k = \frac{(m-1)\alpha}{2md}$. We observe that

$$\lim_{t \downarrow 0} U(x, t) = M\delta_0(x)$$

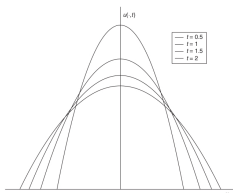


Figure: Fundamental solution of the porous medium equation

Lemma

Assume that for some $s \geq 0$, $p \geq 1$, $C \geq 0$ we have

$$\|u\|_{L^p([0, T]; \dot{W}^{s, p}(\mathbb{R}_x^d))}^p \leq C \|u_0\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}_x^d)},$$

for all solutions u to PME. Then, necessarily $p \leq m$ and $s \leq \frac{2}{m}$.

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Example

Consider the Barenblatt solution

$$U(t, x) = t^{-\alpha} (C - k|x t^{-\beta}|^2)_+^{\frac{1}{m-1}}.$$

Then

$$U \in L^m([0, T]; \dot{W}^{s,m}(\mathbb{R}_x^d))$$

implies $s < \frac{2}{m}$.

Use $U(t, x) = t^{-\alpha} F(x t^{-\beta})$.

Existing regularity results

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- **Continuity**
Caffarelli-Friedman 1979, Sacks 1983, Caffarelli-Evans 1983, DiBenedetto 1983, Ziemer 1982
- **Hölder continuity: α -Hölder continuity with $\alpha = \frac{1}{m} \in (0, 1)$.**
Caffarelli-Friedman 1980, DiBenedetto-Friedman 1985, Bögelein, Duzaar, Gianazza 2014
- **Regularity of the open interface**
Caffarelli-Friedman 1980, Caffarelli-Vazquez-Wolansky 1987, Caffarelli-Wolanski 1990, Daskalopoulos-Hamilton 1998, Koch 1999
- **Eventual C^∞ regularity**
Aronson-Vázquez 1987, Kienzler-Koch-Vazquez 2016
- **Regularity of the pressure or powers of the solution**
Koch 1999, Gianazza-Schwarzacher 2016
- **Time regularity (vanishing force)**
Aronson-Bénilan 1979, Crandall-Pazy-Tartar 1979, Bénilan-Crandall 1981, Crandall-Pierre 1982
- **Regularity in Sobolev spaces**
Lions-Perthame-Tadmor 1994, Ebmeyer 2005, Tadmor-Tao 2007

Let $\dot{\mathcal{N}}^{s,p}$ be the homogeneous Nikolskii space ($\dot{\mathcal{N}}^{s,p} = \dot{B}_{p,\infty}^s$).

Theorem (Tadmor, Tao; CPAM 2007, Ebmeyer; JMAA 2005)

Let $u_0 \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)$. Then

$$\|u\|_{L^{m+1}([0,T]; \dot{\mathcal{N}}^{\frac{2}{m+1}, m+1}(\mathbb{R}^d))}^{m+1} \leq C_m \|u_0\|_{L_x^2}^2.$$

- Note: $\frac{2}{m+1} \leq 1$, which is inconsistent with the linear case ($m = 1$) and with the optimal regularity of the Barenblatt solution.

Consider

$$\partial_t u = \Delta u^{[m]} + S(t, x).$$

By (soft) energy methods may be improved to:

Theorem (G. 2019+)

Let $\varepsilon > 0$, $m \geq 2$ and $u_0 \in L^{1+\varepsilon}(\mathbb{R}_x^d)$, $S \in L^{1+\varepsilon}([0, T] \times \mathbb{R}_x^d)$. Then

$$\|u\|_{L^{m+\varepsilon}([0, T]; \dot{W}^{\frac{2}{m+\varepsilon}, m+\varepsilon}(\mathbb{R}_x^d))}^{m+\varepsilon} \leq C_{\varepsilon, m} \|u_0\|_{L_x^{1+\varepsilon}}^{1+\varepsilon}.$$

- Note: optimal regularity for the Barenblatt solution, but $m \geq 2$ implies $\frac{2}{m+\varepsilon} < 1$.
- Problem: How to get to more than one derivative?

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Theorem (G., 2017)

Let $\varepsilon > 0$, $u_0 \in L^{1+\varepsilon}(\mathbb{R}_x^d)$, $S \in L^{1+\varepsilon}([0, T] \times \mathbb{R}_x^d)$. Let u be the unique entropy solution to the PME. Then, for all

$$s \in [0, \frac{2}{m}), \quad p \in [1, m)$$

we have

$$u \in L^p([0, T]; \dot{W}_{loc}^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}_x^d)).$$

In addition, for all $\mathcal{O} \subset\subset \mathbb{R}^d$ there is a constant $C = C(m, p, s, T, \mathcal{O})$ such that

$$\|u\|_{L^p([0, T]; \dot{W}^{s,p}(\mathcal{O}))} \leq C \left(\|u_0\|_{L_x^1}^2 + 1 \right).$$

“Proof”: A real analysis attempt

- Kinetic form [Lions, Perthame, Tadmor 1994], [Chen, Perthame; 2003]:
Introduce

$$\chi(u(t, x), v) = 1_{v < u(t, x)} - 1_{v < 0}.$$

Then,

$$\partial_t \chi = |v|^{m-1} \Delta_x \chi + \partial_v q \text{ on } (0, T) \times \mathbb{R}_x^d \times \mathbb{R}_v,$$

for some $q \in \mathcal{M}^+$.

- Variation of constants/Duhamel

$$\chi(t, x, v) = e^{-|v|^{m-1} t \Delta} \chi_0(x, v) + \int_0^t e^{-|v|^{m-1} (t-r) \Delta} \partial_v q(r, x, v) dr.$$

- Decompose u in degenerate and non-degenerate part:

$$u(t, x) = \int_v \chi(u(t, x), v) = \underbrace{\int_{|v| \leq \lambda} \chi(u(t, x), v)}_{u^1(t, x)} + \underbrace{\int_{|v| \geq \lambda} \chi(u(t, x), v)}_{u^2(t, x)}.$$

- Note:

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$$\|u^2\|_{L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1}} \lesssim \lambda^{-1+\gamma-\alpha(m-1)} \| |v|^{-\gamma} q \|_{\mathcal{M}_{t,x,v}}.$$

- For $r = 1$, $\alpha = 1 - \varepsilon$: Gives $(u = u^1 + u^2)$

$$u \in (L_{t,x}^1, L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1})_{\theta, \infty} \subseteq L_t^1 W_x^{\frac{2}{m}-\varepsilon, 1}.$$

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- Multiplying with $v^{[1-\gamma]}$ and integrating yields

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \underbrace{\int_{v,x} \chi v^{[1-\gamma]}}_{= \frac{1}{2-\gamma} \int_x |u|^{2-\gamma}} &= \int_{v,x} v^{[1-\gamma]} |v|^{m-1} \Delta_x \chi + \int_{v,x} v^{[1-\gamma]} \partial_v q \\ &= -(1-\gamma) \int_{v,x} |v|^{-\gamma} q. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma

For $\gamma \in (-\infty, 1)$ we have

$$\|u(t)\|_{L^{2-\gamma}(\mathbb{R}_x^d)}^{2-\gamma} + (2-\gamma)(1-\gamma) \int_0^t \int_{v,x} |v|^{-\gamma} q \leq \|u(0)\|_{L^{2-\gamma}(\mathbb{R}_x^d)}^{2-\gamma}.$$

Recall

- So far

$$u \in (L_{t,x}^1, L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1})_{\theta,\infty} \subseteq L_t^1 W_x^{\frac{2}{m}-\varepsilon,1}.$$

- Know: For all $r \geq 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \|u^1\|_{L_{t,x}^r} &= \left\| \int_{|v| \leq \lambda} \chi(u(t,x), v) \right\|_{L_{t,x}^r} \lesssim \lambda \\ \|u^2\|_{L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1}} &\lesssim \lambda^{-1+\gamma-\alpha(m-1)} \| |v|^{-\gamma} q \|_{\mathcal{M}_{t,x,v}}. \end{aligned}$$

- Real interpolation: Problem $L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1} \hookrightarrow L_{t,x}^r$ only if $r = 1$, otherwise $(L_{t,x}^r, L_t^1 H_x^{2\alpha,1})_{\theta,\infty}$ not controlled.
- No optimal integrability.

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for some $q \in \mathcal{M}^+$.

- Fourier transformation in time and space (modulo cut-off in time)

$$\underbrace{i\tau \hat{\chi} - |v|^{m-1} |\xi|^2 \hat{\chi}}_{=: \mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, v) \hat{\chi}} = \partial_v \hat{q}.$$

- Hence, informally,

$$\hat{\chi} = \frac{1}{i\tau - |v|^{m-1} |\xi|^2} \partial_v \hat{q} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, v)} \partial_v \hat{q}.$$

- Gain regularity, depending on the degeneracy of the operator $\mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, v)$.

- Micro-local decomposition:

$$\phi_0(\xi) + \sum_{j \geq 1} \phi_1(2^{-j}\xi) = 1.$$

Decompose χ by

$$\hat{\chi} = \underbrace{\phi_0\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, \nu)}{\delta}\right)}_{\chi^0} \hat{\chi} + \sum_{j \geq 1} \underbrace{\phi_1\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, \nu)}{2^j \delta}\right)}_{\chi_j^1} \hat{\chi}.$$

- Paley-Littlewood decomposition (in space) to work on fixed blocks of Fourier modes.
- On non-degenerate parts use the equation ($\hat{\chi} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, \xi, \nu)} \partial_\nu \hat{q}$) and velocity-average.
- Establish multiplier estimates to control regularity of χ^0 .

Obstacles:

- 1 Integrability: Established methods yield good estimates only in an L^2 -framework. This prevents from obtaining optimal integrability exponents
 -> Introduce a new notion of isentropic truncation properties for Fourier multipliers.
- 2 Established methods can only make use of the fact that q has finite mass. This necessarily leads to sub-optimal estimates.
 -> Solution: Use that q allows singular moments $\int |v|^{-1+} dq < \infty$.
- 3 Bootstrapping: Established methods rely on bootstrapping, i.e. assuming that $u \in W_x^{\alpha,1}$ for some α use that $\chi(u) \in W_{x,v}^{\alpha,1}$. But: This is true for $\alpha \leq 1$ only!

Definition (Isotropic truncation property)

Let $m : \mathbb{R}_\xi^d \times \mathbb{R}_v \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ isotropic in ξ . Then m satisfies the isotropic truncation property if for every bump ϕ_0 supported on a ball in \mathbb{C} , every bump ϕ_1 supported in $\{\xi \in \mathbb{C} : 1 \leq |\xi| \leq 4\}$ and every $1 < p < \infty$

$$M_{\phi_0, J} f(x, v) := \mathcal{F}_x^{-1} \phi_1 \left(\frac{|\xi|^2}{J^2} \right) \phi_0 \left(\frac{m(\xi, v)}{\delta} \right) \mathcal{F}_x f(x)$$

is an L_x^p -multiplier for all $v \in \mathbb{R}$, $J = 2^j$, $j \in \mathbb{N}$ and, for all $r \geq 1$,

$$\left\| \|M_{\phi_0, J}\|_{\mathcal{M}^p} \right\|_{L_v^r} \lesssim |\Omega_m(J, \delta)|^{\frac{1}{r}},$$

where

$$\Omega_m(J, \delta) := \left\{ v \in \mathbb{R} : \left| \frac{m(J, v)}{\delta} \right| \in \text{supp} \phi_0 \right\}.$$

Example: $\mathcal{L}(\xi, v) = -|\xi|^2 b(v)$, for $b : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+ \cup \{0\}$ being measurable.

Proof: Hörmander–Mihlin Multiplier Theorem

Assume quantitative non-linearity

$$|\Omega_m(J, \delta)| := |\{v \in \mathbb{R} : |\frac{m(J, v)}{\delta}| \in \text{supp}\phi_1\}| \leq (\frac{\delta}{J\beta})^\alpha.$$

Then, with isotropic truncation property,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\int \chi_J^0 dv\|_{L_{t,x}^p} &= \|\int \mathcal{F}_{t,x}^{-1} \phi_1(\frac{\xi}{J}) \phi_0\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, i\xi, v)}{\delta}\right) \mathcal{F}_{t,x} f^0 \phi dv\|_{L_{t,x}^p} \\ &\leq \int \|\mathcal{F}_{t,x}^{-1} \phi_1(\frac{\xi}{J}) \phi_0\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, i\xi, v)}{\delta}\right) \mathcal{F}_{t,x} f^0 \phi\|_{L_{t,x}^p} dv \\ &\lesssim \int \|\mathcal{F}_{t,x}^{-1} \phi_1(\frac{\xi}{J}) \phi_0\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, i\xi, v)}{\delta}\right) \mathcal{F}_{t,x}\|_{\mathcal{M}^p} \|f^0 \phi\|_{L_{t,x}^p} dv \\ &\leq \left\| \left\| \phi_1(\frac{\xi}{J}) \phi_0\left(\frac{\mathcal{L}(i\tau, i\xi, v)}{\delta}\right) \right\|_{\mathcal{M}^p} \right\|_{L_v^r} \|f^0 \phi\|_{L_v^{r'} L_{t,x}^p} \\ &\lesssim (\frac{\delta}{J\beta})^{\frac{\alpha}{r}} \|\chi^0\|_{L_v^{r'} L_{t,x}^p}. \end{aligned}$$

Note: Use $\chi \in L_{t,x,v}^1 \cap L_{t,x,v}^\infty$.

→ Optimal regularity estimate regarding differentiability and integrability.

Optimal regularity for the degenerate parabolic Anderson model

- The degenerate parabolic Anderson model:

$$\partial_t u = \Delta u^{[m]} + u\xi \quad \text{on } (0, T) \times I$$

with $u_0 \in L^1(I)$, ξ spatial white noise, $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ bounded interval and zero Dirichlet boundary conditions.

- Note: $\xi \in C^{-1/2-} = B_{\infty, \infty}^{-1/2-}$.

Corollary

Let $u_0 \in L^{m+1}(I)$. Then there exists a weak solution u satisfying, for all $p \in [1, m)$, $s \in [0, \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{m})$,

$$u \in L^p([0, T]; W_{loc}^{s,p}(I)),$$

with, for all $T \geq 0$, $\emptyset \subset\subset I$,

$$\|u\|_{L^p([0, T]; W^{s,p}(\emptyset))} \lesssim \|u_0\|_{L^{m+1}(I)}^{m+1} + \|S\|_{B_{\infty, \infty}^{-\eta}}^{\tau} + 1,$$

for some $\tau \geq 2$ and $\eta \in (\frac{1}{2}, 1]$ small enough.

Space-time optimal regularity for the porous medium equation

What was left open so far:

- Space-*time* regularity
- Initial data in $L^1(\mathbb{R}_x^d)$ \rightarrow application to the Barenblatt solution
- Higher order integrability & non-homogeneous estimates

Theorem (G., Sauer, Tadmor; 2019)

Let $u_0 \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^d) \cap L^p(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $S \in L^1([0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d) \cap L^p([0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^d)$ for some $p \in [1, \infty)$ and assume $m \in (1, \infty)$. Let u be the unique entropy solution. Let $\rho \in (\rho, m-1+\rho)$ and define

$$\kappa_t := \frac{m-1+\rho-p}{p} \frac{1}{m-1}, \quad \kappa_x := \frac{p-\rho}{p} \frac{2}{m-1}.$$

Then

- 1 For all $\sigma_t \in [0, \kappa_t)$ and $\sigma_x \in [0, \kappa_x)$ we have

$$u \in W^{\sigma_t, p}(0, T; W^{\sigma_x, p}(\mathbb{R}^d)).$$

- 2 Let $s \in [0, 1]$ and define

$$p := s(m-1) + 1, \quad \kappa_t := \frac{1-s}{s(m-1)+1}, \quad \kappa_x := \frac{2s}{s(m-1)+1}.$$

Then for all $\sigma_t \in [0, \kappa_t)$, $\sigma_x \in [0, \kappa_x)$ and $q \in [1, p]$ we have

$$u \in W^{\sigma_t, q}(0, T; W^{\sigma_x, q}(\mathcal{O})).$$

Difficulties:

- Identifying the right anisotropic fractional spaces
 - Fourier analytic method works nicely for *homogeneous* Besov spaces only
 - Leads to Schmeisser, Triebel's dominating mixed anisotropic Besov spaces
 - Embedding to non-homogeneous, standard Sobolev spaces delicate
- L^1 -data: Singular moments $\int |v|^{-\gamma} q$, $\gamma \in (0, 1)$ not finite anymore \rightarrow Respect the different source of difficulty at the degeneracy $|v| = 0$ and the singularity at $|v| = \infty$.

Singular moments for the kinetic measure 2:

- Recall

$$\partial_t \chi = |v|^{m-1} \Delta_x \chi + \partial_v q \text{ on } (0, T) \times \mathbb{R}_x^d \times \mathbb{R}_v,$$

- Previous: Multiplying with $v^{[1-\eta]}$ and integrating.
- Instead: Multiply by $\text{sgn}_+(v - v_0)$ to get

$$\underbrace{\partial_t \int_{v,x} \chi \text{sgn}_+(v - v_0)}_{= \int_x (u - v_0)_+ \leq \int_x |u|} = - \int_x q(t, x, v_0).$$

i.e.

$$\sup_{v_0} \int_{t,x} q(t, x, v_0) \leq \int_x |u_0|. \quad (\star)$$

- At $|v| = 0$ use $\int_{|v| < K} |v|^{-\gamma} q$, $\gamma \in (0, 1)$ is finite. At $|v| = \infty$ use (\star) .

Identifying the right spaces

Definition

Let $\sigma_i \in (-\infty, \infty)$, $i = t, x$,

- 1 The homogeneous Besov space with dominating mixed derivatives $S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})$ is given by

$$S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B} := S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B}(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}) := \{f \in \mathcal{L}^p : \|f\|_{S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B}} < \infty\},$$

with the norm

$$\|f\|_{S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B}} := \sup_{l,j \in \mathbb{Z}} 2^{\sigma_t l} 2^{\sigma_x j} \|\mathcal{F}_{t,x}^{-1} \eta_l \varphi_j \mathcal{F}_{t,x} f\|_{L^p(\mathbb{R}^{d+1})}.$$

Lemma

Let $\sigma_t, \sigma_x > 0$ and $p \in [1, \infty]$. Then

$$\left(L^p(\mathbb{R}^{d+1}) \cap \tilde{L}_x^p \dot{B}_{p,\infty}^{\sigma_t} \cap \tilde{L}_t^p \dot{B}_{p,\infty}^{\sigma_x} \cap S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} \dot{B} \right) = S_{p,\infty}^{\bar{\sigma}} B \subset W^{\kappa_t, p}(\mathbb{R}; W^{\kappa_x, p}(\mathbb{R}^d)),$$

for $\kappa_t < \sigma_t$, $\kappa_x < \sigma_x$.



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