Commun. Math. Phys. 78, 303 (1980)

Erratum

Equilibrium States for a Plane Incompressible Perfect Fluid

Carlo Boldrighini and Sandro Frigio

Istituto Matematico, Università di Camerino, Camerino, Italy

Commun. Math. Phys. 72, 55-76 (1980)

On p. 57, line 9, "Let Ω denote an open ..." should read "Let Ω denote a bounded open ..."

On p. 58, last line, "if **u** is a classical ..." should read "if **u** is a sufficiently smooth classical ..."

On pp. 67–68 the proof of Theorem 4.2 does not work as it is, since $\tilde{\mathbf{m}}$ is not in general in $\overline{\mathbb{Z}}^2$. The proof should be modified as follows:

For any positive integers N', N'', N' > N'', we have

$$|B_{\mathbf{k}}^{(N')} - B_{\mathbf{k}}^{(N'')}||_{L^{2}(d\mu_{\psi})}^{2} = 2(\psi''(0))^{2} \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in I_{N'}(\mathbf{k}) \setminus I_{N''}(\mathbf{k})} (\tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}})^{2} + \psi^{\mathrm{IV}}(0) \left(\sum_{\mathbf{m} \in I_{N'}(\mathbf{k}) \setminus I_{N''}(\mathbf{k})} \tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}}\right)^{2}$$
(1)

with $\tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}} = \Gamma_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}}/(m|\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{m}|)$ and $I_N(\mathbf{k}) = \{\mathbf{m}\in \overline{\mathbb{Z}}^2 | \mathbf{m}, \mathbf{k}-\mathbf{m}\in I_N\}$. Setting $F_N(\mathbf{k}) = \sum_{\mathbf{m}\in I_N(\mathbf{k})} \tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}}$ and $\mathscr{I}_N(\mathbf{k}) = \{\mathbf{m}\in \overline{\mathbb{Z}}^2 | m \leq N, |\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{m}| > N\}$ we get $F_N(\mathbf{k})$

 $= \sum_{m \leq N} \tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}} - \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathcal{I}_{N}(\mathbf{k})} \tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}}.$ The last sum tends to 0 and the limit $F(\mathbf{k}) = \lim_{N \to \infty} F_{N}(\mathbf{k})$ exists because the series $\sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} |\tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}} + \tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m}^{\perp},\mathbf{k}}|$ converges. Since $\sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathbb{Z}^{2}} (\tilde{\Gamma}_{\mathbf{m},\mathbf{k}})^{2} < \infty, B_{\mathbf{k}}^{(N)}$ is Cauchy in $L^{2}(d\mu_{\psi})$. Using (1), and observing that $(B_{\mathbf{k}}^{(N')}, B_{\mathbf{k}'}^{(N'')})_{L^{2}(d\mu_{\psi})} = 0$ for $\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{k'}$ and any N', N'', one gets that $\langle B^{(N)}, \hat{\theta} \rangle$ is $L^{2}(d\mu_{\psi})$ -convergent $\forall \theta \in \tilde{s}$. Convergence almost everywhere is shown only in the gaussian case. To show that $F(\mathbf{k}) = 0 \forall \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^2$, which completes the proof, observe that

$$F_{N}(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in I_{N}(\mathbf{k})} \frac{\mathbf{m}^{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}}{m^{2}} = \frac{1}{k} \left(\sum_{m \leq N} - \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathscr{I}_{N}(\mathbf{k})} \frac{\mathbf{m}^{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}}{m^{2}} = -\frac{1}{k} \sum_{\mathbf{m} \in \mathscr{I}_{N}(k)} \frac{\mathbf{m}^{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}}{m^{2}} \right)$$

the first sum vanishing by antisymmetry. By elementary geometric considerations one gets $F(n\mathbf{k}) = nF(\mathbf{k}), \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{Z}^2, n \ge 0$ integer. The proof is concluded by the estimate $|F_N(n\mathbf{k})| < c$, for N large enough, c a constant independent of n (which is obtained, e.g., by estimating the sum $F_N(n\mathbf{k}) + \int_{|\mathbf{x}-n\mathbf{k}| \ge N} \frac{\mathbf{x}^{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}}{|\mathbf{x}-n\mathbf{k}| \ge N} dx$, the integral being 0 by

antisymmetry). The proof of Theorem 6.1 needs a small obvious modification.