

ON A LOCAL ENERGY DECAY OF SOLUTIONS FOR THE EQUATIONS OF MOTION OF COMPRESSIBLE VISCOUS AND HEAT-CONDUCTIVE GASES IN AN EXTERIOR DOMAIN IN R^3

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Abstract. We consider the equations of motion of compressible viscous and heat-conductive gases in an exterior domain in R^3 . We prove the local energy decay of solutions to the linearized evolution problem in L_p framework.

§0. Introduction

Let Ω be an exterior domain in R^3 with compact smooth boundary $\partial\Omega$. The motion of a compressible viscous and heat-conductive fluid is described by the following system

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_t + (v \cdot \nabla)\rho + \rho \cdot \operatorname{div} v &= 0 && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ v_t + (v \cdot \nabla)v &= \frac{\mu}{\rho} \cdot \Delta v + \frac{\mu + \mu'}{\rho} \cdot \nabla(\operatorname{div} v) - \frac{\nabla P(\rho, \theta)}{\rho} && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ \theta_t + (v \cdot \nabla)\theta + \frac{\theta \cdot \partial_\theta P}{\rho \cdot c} \cdot \operatorname{div} v &= \frac{k}{\rho \cdot c} \Delta \theta + \frac{\Psi}{\rho \cdot c} && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ v|_{\partial\Omega} = v|_\infty = 0, \theta|_{\partial\Omega} = \theta|_\infty = \bar{\theta} &&& \text{on } [0, \infty) \times \partial\Omega, \\ (\rho, v, \theta)(0, x) &= (\rho_0, v_0, \theta_0)(x) && \text{in } \Omega, \end{aligned}$$

where ρ is the density, $v = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ the velocity, θ the absolute temperature, $P = P(\rho, \theta)$ the pressure, μ and μ' the viscosity coefficients, k the coefficient of the heat conduction, c the heat capacity at constant volume and Ψ is the dissipation

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function:

$$\Psi = \frac{\mu}{2} (\partial_k v_j + \partial_j v_k)^2 + \mu' (\partial_j v_j)^2.$$

The existence theorems of unique solution local in time for the system (0.1) were obtained by Nash [15], Itaya [7,8] for the initial value problem, and by Tani [22] for the initial boundary value problem. On the other hand the existence theorem of global solution in time for the system (0.1) were obtained by Matsumura and Nishida [12,13], Ponce [17] for the initial value problem, and by Matsumura and Nishida [14] for the initial boundary value problem in L_2 -framework for sufficiently small initial data. Also Ströhmer [21] proved the global in time existence theorem for small initial data in a bounded domain in L_q -framework. In particular, Matsumura and Nishida [14] showed that this solution approaches the stationary state as $t \rightarrow \infty$, and also Deckelnick [3,4] gave some estimates for the decay rate in an exterior domain. But this decay rate is weaker than that of Matsumura and Nishida [12] and Ponce [17] in Cauchy problem.

In this paper, we shall give the local energy decay of solutions for the linearized equations of nonlinear problem (0.1). Although this system has a hyperbolic part that is the density ρ , these solutions have the same decay rate as well-known results of the local energy decay of some parabolic equations, for example Stokes operator and Oseen operator. (cf. Iwashita [9], Kobayashi and Shibata [11], Iwashita and Shibata [10] and Shibata [18].) In particular, this decay rate corresponds to that of Matsumura and Nishida [12] and Ponce [17].

Now, we introduce the linearized equations for the system (0.1) below.

$$(0.2) \quad \begin{aligned} \rho_t + \gamma \operatorname{div} v &= f_1 && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ v_t - \alpha \Delta v - \beta \nabla(\operatorname{div} v) + \gamma \nabla \rho + \omega \nabla \theta &= f_2 && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ \theta_t - \kappa \Delta \theta + \omega \operatorname{div} v &= f_3 && \text{in } [0, \infty) \times \Omega, \\ v|_{\partial\Omega} = v|_{\infty} = 0, \theta|_{\partial\Omega} = \theta|_{\infty} = 0 &&& \text{on } [0, \infty) \times \partial\Omega, \\ (\rho, v, \theta)(0, x) &= (\rho_0, v_0, \theta_0)(x) && \text{in } \Omega, \end{aligned}$$

where $\alpha, \gamma, \kappa, \omega$ are positive numbers and β is a nonnegative number.

System (0.2) was given by Matsumura and Nishida [12] and Ponce [17]. They seek solutions for the system (0.1) in a neighborhood of a constant state $(\rho, v, \theta) = (\bar{\rho}_0, 0, \bar{\theta}_0)$ where $\bar{\rho}_0, \bar{\theta}_0$ are positive constants under the following assumptions:

(1) μ, μ' are constants $\mu > 0$ and $\frac{2}{3}\mu + \mu' \geq 0$.

(2) c, k are positive constants.

(3) P is a known function of ρ, θ , smooth in a neighborhood of $(\bar{\rho}_0, \bar{\theta}_0)$

where $\frac{\partial P}{\partial \rho}, \frac{\partial P}{\partial \theta} > 0$.

Note that the assumption (1) is stronger than ours because they also study the Neumann boundary condition.

In equations (0.1), put $\alpha = (\mu/\bar{\rho}_0)$, $\beta = (\mu + \mu')/\bar{\rho}_0$, $\gamma = \{(\partial P/\partial \rho)(\bar{\rho}_0, \bar{\theta}_0)\}^{1/2}$, $\kappa = (k/c\bar{\rho}_0)$ and put $\omega = (1/\bar{\rho}_0) \cdot (\partial P/\partial \theta)(\bar{\rho}_0, \bar{\theta}_0)\{\bar{\theta}_0/c\}^{1/2}$. Then using the notation (ρ, v, θ) for the vector $(1/\bar{\rho}_0)\{(\partial P/\partial \rho)(\bar{\rho}_0, \bar{\theta}_0)\}^{1/2}\rho, v, \{c/\bar{\theta}_0\}^{1/2}\theta$, we can obtain the equations (0.2).

Concerning the linearized equations (0.2), Matsumura and Nishida [12] gave the spectral analysis and energy estimates of solutions in L_2 -sense and Ponce [17] the $L_p - L_q$ estimates for solutions in R^3 , respectively. Ströhmer [20] showed that the operator $-A$ generates an analytic semigroup in a bounded domain. But the results for the case of an exterior domain were not known. Therefore we shall start with a result for the case of an exterior domain.

Our main results are the following. Let $1 < q < \infty$, m be an integer and set

$$X_q^m(\Omega) = \{ {}^T \mathbf{u}; \mathbf{u} \in W_q^{m+1}(\Omega) \times W_q^m(\Omega) \times W_q^m(\Omega) \}, \quad X_q^0(\Omega) = X_q^0(\Omega),$$

where ${}^T \mathbf{u}$ means the transposed \mathbf{u} . Define the 5×5 matrix operator A by the relation:

$$(0.3) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \gamma \operatorname{div} & 0 \\ \gamma \nabla & -\alpha \Delta - \beta \nabla \operatorname{div} & \omega \nabla \\ 0 & \omega \operatorname{div} & -\kappa \Delta \end{pmatrix},$$

with the domain:

$$\mathcal{D}(A) = \{ {}^T \mathbf{u}; \mathbf{u} = \{\rho, v, \theta\} \in W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^2(\Omega) \times W_q^2(\Omega), \\ v|_{\partial\Omega} = 0, \theta|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \}.$$

Let P be projection from $\mathcal{D}(A)$ into $\{ {}^T \{v, \theta\}; \{v, \theta\} \in W_q^2(\Omega) \times W_q^2(\Omega), v|_{\partial\Omega} = 0, \theta|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \}$ and $\rho(-A)$ be the resolvent set of the operator $-A$. Then

THEOREM A. *Let $1 < q < \infty$. Then $-A$ is a closed linear operator in $X_q(\Omega)$ and*

$$(0.4) \quad \rho(-A) \supset \Sigma = \{ \lambda \in \mathbf{C}; C \operatorname{Re} \lambda + (\operatorname{Im} \lambda)^2 > 0 \},$$

where C is a constant depending only on $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \kappa$ and ω . Moreover, the following properties are valid: There exist positive constants λ_0 and $\delta < (\pi/2)$ such that

$$|\lambda| \|(\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{P}(\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{f}\|_{2,q,\Omega} \leq C(\lambda_0, \delta, m) \|\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}$$

for any $\lambda - \lambda_0 \in \Sigma_\delta = \{\lambda \in \mathbf{C}; |\arg \lambda| \leq \pi - \delta\}$ and any $\mathbf{f} \in X_q(\Omega)$.

Theorem A means that $-A$ generates an analytic semigroup e^{-tA} on $X_q(\Omega)$. Then let $B_b = \{x \in \mathbf{R}^3; |x| < b\}$, $\Omega_b = \Omega \cap B_b$ and setting

$$(0.5) \quad Y_{q,b}(\Omega) = \left\{ \mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, \mathbf{v}, \theta\} \in X_q(\Omega); \quad \mathbf{u}(x) = 0 \text{ for } x \in \mathbf{R}^3 \setminus B_b, \int_{\Omega_b} \rho(x) dx = 0 \right\},$$

we have

THEOREM B (local energy decay). *Let $1 < q < \infty$ and let b_0 be a fixed number such that $B_{b_0} \supset \mathbf{R}^3 \setminus \Omega$. Suppose that $b > b_0$, $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, \mathbf{v}, \theta\} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$. Then the following estimates are valid: for $M \geq 0$ integer, $\mathbf{u} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and $t > 0$*

$$(0.6) \quad \|\partial_t^M e^{-tA} \mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \|\partial_t^M e^{-tA} \mathbf{u}\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(q, b, M) t^{-3/2-M} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}.$$

REMARK. In dealing with the system (0.2), it is natural to introduce the base space $X_q(\Omega)$ without the condition $\int_{\Omega} \rho(x) dx = 0$ because the Stokes formula does not hold in an exterior domain. Hence we shall treat the case $\int_{\Omega} \rho(x) dx \neq 0$ also. In this case, roughly speaking, since $\lambda = 0$ seems to be a pole in the sense of §1 (1.22), it is difficult to expect the same results in Theorem B. Therefore, we decompose the semigroup e^{-tA} as the following and by using Theorem B we have

COROLLARY C. *Let*

$$(0.7) \quad X_{q,b}(\Omega) = \{\mathbf{u} \in X_q(\Omega); \mathbf{u}(x) = 0 \text{ for } x \in \mathbf{R}^3 \setminus B_b\}.$$

Taking $\varphi \in C_0^\infty(\Omega_b)$ so that $\int_{\Omega_b} \varphi(x) dx = 1$, for $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, \mathbf{v}, \theta\} \in X_{q,b}(\Omega)$, we have the following representation

$$(0.8) \quad e^{-tA} \mathbf{u} = T_1(b, \varphi, t) \mathbf{u} + T_2(b, \varphi, t) \mathbf{u}$$

where e_j ($j = 1, 2, \dots, 5$) are unit row vectors in R^5 , $N_D \mathbf{u} = \int_D \rho(x) dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{T}_1(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} &= e^{-tA} \{ \mathbf{u} - (N_{\Omega_b} \mathbf{u}) \cdot \varphi \mathbf{e}_1 \}, \\ \mathbf{T}_2(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} &= (N_{\Omega_b} \mathbf{u}) \left\{ \varphi \cdot \mathbf{e}_1 - \gamma \int_0^t e^{-sA} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \nabla \varphi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} ds \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, the following estimates are valid: for $M \geq 0$ integer, $\mathbf{u} \in X_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and $t > 0$

$$(0.9) \quad \begin{aligned} &\| \partial_t^M \mathbf{T}_1(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} \|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \| \partial_t^M \mathbf{P}\mathbf{T}_1(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} \|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ &\leq C(q, b, \varphi, M) t^{-3/2-M} \| \mathbf{u} \|_{X_q(\Omega)}, \end{aligned}$$

$$(0.10) \quad \begin{aligned} &\| \partial_t^{M+1} \mathbf{T}_2(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} \|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \| \partial_t^{M+1} \mathbf{P}\mathbf{T}_2(b, \varphi, t)\mathbf{u} \|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ &\leq C(q, b, \varphi, M) t^{-3/2-M} \| \mathbf{u} \|_{X_q(\Omega)}. \end{aligned}$$

The most important part of the proof of our main results is the cutoff technique in Shibata [18]. In § 1, the same resolvent estimates of the operator $-A$ in a bounded domain as in Ströhmer [20] are proved. The difference between ours and Ströhmer [20] are the following:

(i) We shall show that the resolvent set of the operator $-A$ contains a parabolic region,

(ii) We do not assume that $\int_{\Omega} \rho(x) dx = 0$. (see Remark.)

The regularity of resolvent $(\lambda + A)^{-1}$ in R^3 near $\lambda = 0$ is investigated in § 2, which is the essential point of our proof of Theorem B. The proof of Theorem A in § 3 and a construction of a parametrix of the exterior stationary problem in § 4 are done by the method of cutoff technique. And then, with the help of a theorem concerning the relationship between the regularity of functions and the decay rate of their Fourier image, which was given by Shibata [18], we prove Theorem B in § 5. Since the resolvent set contains a parabolic region, we can not take the same path of integration for the Laplace transeform between the resolvent and semi-group as in Iwashita [9] etc. Hence we shall use the same way as in Kobayashi and Shibata [11].

Notations. Three dimensional row vector valued functions are denoted with bold-face letter, for example $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2, u_3)$. As usual, we put

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t &= \partial/\partial t; \quad \partial_j = \partial/\partial x_j; \quad \Delta = \partial_1^2 + \partial_2^2 + \partial_3^2; \\ \partial_x^\alpha &= \partial_1^{\alpha_1} \partial_2^{\alpha_2} \partial_3^{\alpha_3}, \quad \alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3), \quad |\alpha| = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3; \end{aligned}$$

$$\partial_x^m p = (\partial_x^\alpha p; |\alpha| = m); \quad \bar{\partial}_x^m p = (\partial_x^\alpha p; |\alpha| \leq m);$$

$$\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} = \partial_1 u_1 + \partial_2 u_2 + \partial_3 u_3;$$

Sobolev spaces of vector valued functions are used, as well as of scalar valued functions. Thus, if D is any domain in R^3 , we put

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{q,D} = \left(\int_D |\mathbf{u}(x)|^q dx \right)^{1/q}; \quad \|\mathbf{u}\|_{q,D} = \left(\sum_{j=1}^3 \|u_j\|_{q,D}^q \right)^{1/q};$$

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{m,q,D} = \|\bar{\partial}_x^m \mathbf{u}\|_{q,D}; \quad \|\mathbf{u}\|_{m,q,D} = \|\bar{\partial}_x^m \mathbf{u}\|_{q,D}; \quad (\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \int_D \mathbf{u}(x) \cdot \overline{\mathbf{v}(x)} dx.$$

$L_q(D)$ denotes the usual L_q space on D , $W_q^m(D) = \{\mathbf{u} \in L_q(D); \|\mathbf{u}\|_{m,q,D} < \infty\}$, \mathcal{S}' the set of all tempered distributions on R^3 and $C_0^\infty(D)$ the set of all functions of $C^\infty(R^3)$ whose support is contained in D . For function spaces of three dimensional vector valued functions, we use the bold letters, that is for example, $L_q(D) = \{L_q(D)\}^3$ likewise for $W_q^m(D)$. To denote various constants, we use the same letter C and $C(A, B, \dots)$ means that the constant depends on the qualities A, B, \dots . For two Banach spaces X and Y , $\mathcal{B}(X, Y)$ denotes the set of all bounded linear operators from X into Y and $\|\cdot\|_{\mathcal{B}(X,Y)}$ means its operator norm.

§1. Stationary problem in a bounded domain

In this section we consider the stationary problem in a bounded domain D in R^3 with smooth boundary ∂D ;

$$(1.1a) \quad \lambda \rho + \gamma \cdot \operatorname{div} \mathbf{v} = f_1 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.1b) \quad \lambda \mathbf{v} - \alpha \Delta \mathbf{v} - \beta \nabla(\operatorname{div} \mathbf{v}) + \gamma \cdot \nabla \rho + \omega \cdot \nabla \theta = f_2 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.1c) \quad \lambda \theta - \kappa \Delta \theta + \omega \cdot \operatorname{div} \mathbf{v} = f_3 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.1d) \quad \mathbf{v}|_{\partial D} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial D,$$

$$(1.1e) \quad \theta|_{\partial D} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial D.$$

here λ is a complex parameter.

We shall prepare some results to show a unique existence of solutions to (1.1). The following proposition is concerned the existence theorem of solutions to the Stokes equations.

PROPOSITION 1.1 ([2]). *Let $1 < q < \infty$, m be an integer ≥ 0 and let $D \subset R^3$ be a bounded domain with smooth boundary ∂D . Then for every $\mathbf{f} \in W_q^m(D)$ and every $g \in W_q^{m+1}(D)$ with $\int_D g(x) dx = 0$ there exists a unique $\mathbf{u} \in W_q^{m+2}(D)$ which*

together with some $p \in W_q^{m+1}(D)$ satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} -\Delta \mathbf{u} + \nabla p &= \mathbf{f}, \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} = g \text{ in } D, \\ \mathbf{u} &= 0 \text{ on } \partial D. \end{aligned}$$

Here p is unique up to an additive constant. Furthermore, the following estimate is valid:

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{m+2,q,D} + \|\nabla p\|_{m,q,D} \leq C\{\|\mathbf{f}\|_{m,q,D} + \|g\|_{m+1,q,D}\},$$

where $C = C(D, q, \varepsilon)$ is a constant.

The following proposition is well-known as a general Poincaré's inequality.

PROPOSITION 1.2 (cf., eg. [5]). *Let $1 \leq q < \infty$. There exists a constant $C > 0$ such that the inequality*

$$\|u\|_{q,D} \leq C \left\{ \|\nabla u\|_{q,D} + \left| \int_D u(x) \, dx \right| \right\},$$

holds for any $u \in W_q^1(D)$. Furthermore, if $q \neq 1$, D is bounded and if $u \in W_q^1(D)$ with $u = 0$ on ∂D , then we have

$$\|u\|_{q,D} \leq C \|\nabla u\|_{q,D}.$$

The next result is well-known as the system of Laplacian with Dirichlet boundary conditions.

PROPOSITION 1.3. *Let $1 < q < \infty$ and let $D \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ be a bounded domain (or exterior domain) with smooth boundary ∂D . Let $0 < \delta < (\pi/2)$ and $\kappa > 0$. Then for every $\lambda \in \Sigma_\delta$, every $\mathbf{f} \in L_q(D)$ there exists a unique solution $\mathbf{u} \in W_q^2(D)$ such that*

$$\lambda \mathbf{u} - \kappa \Delta \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f} \text{ in } D, \quad \mathbf{u} = 0 \text{ on } \partial D.$$

Furthermore, the following estimate is valid:

$$|\lambda| \|\mathbf{u}\|_{q,D} + \|\mathbf{u}\|_{2,q,D} \leq C \|\mathbf{f}\|_{q,D}, \quad \|\mathbf{u}\|_{3,q,D} \leq C(\lambda) \{\|\mathbf{f}\|_{1,q,D} + \|\mathbf{u}\|_{q,D}\},$$

where $C = C(D, q, \delta)$ is a constant.

The following proposition is concerned the existence theorem of solutions to the elastic equations.

PROPOSITION 1.4. *Let $1 < q < \infty$ and let $D \subset R^3$ be a bounded domain (on exterior domain) with smooth boundary ∂D . Let α be a positive number, η be a complex number such that $\operatorname{Re}\{\alpha + \eta\} > 0$. Then there exist positive numbers λ_0 and $\delta < (\pi/2)$ satisfying the following conditions: For every $\lambda - \lambda_0 \in \sum_\delta$, every $f \in L_q(D)$ there exists a unique $u \in W_q^2(D)$ such that*

$$(1.2) \quad \lambda u - \alpha \Delta u - \eta \nabla \operatorname{div} u = f \text{ in } D, \quad u|_{\partial D} = 0 \text{ on } \partial D.$$

Furthermore the following estimates is valid:

$$(1.3) \quad |\lambda| \|u\|_{q,D} + \|u\|_{2,q,D} \leq C \|f\|_{q,D}, \quad \|u\|_{3,q,D} \leq C(\lambda) \{ \|f\|_{1,q,D} + \|u\|_{q,D} \},$$

where $C = C(D, q, \delta, \lambda_0, \alpha, \eta)$ is a constant.

PROOF. Since

$$(1.4) \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} -\alpha|\xi|^2 - \eta\xi_1^2 & -\eta\xi_1\xi_2 & -\eta\xi_1\xi_3 \\ -\eta\xi_1\xi_2 & -\alpha|\xi|^2 - \eta\xi_2^2 & -\eta\xi_2\xi_3 \\ -\eta\xi_1\xi_3 & -\eta\xi_2\xi_3 & -\alpha|\xi|^2 - \eta\xi_3^2 \end{pmatrix} = -(\alpha + \eta)\alpha^2|\xi|^6,$$

(1.2) is the elliptic when $\operatorname{Re}(\alpha + \eta) > 0$, which means that a priori estimate:

$$|\lambda| \|u\|_{q,D} + \|u\|_{2,q,D} \leq C \{ \|f\|_{q,D} + \|u\|_{q,D} \}, \quad \|u\|_{3,q,D} \leq C(\lambda) \{ \|f\|_{1,q,D} + \|u\|_{q,D} \},$$

is valid for $\lambda - \lambda_0 \in \sum_\delta$. Taking sufficiently large number λ_0 , we have (1.3). Define the operator $T(\lambda; \eta)$ by the relation:

$$(1.5) \quad T(\lambda; \eta)u = \lambda u - \alpha \Delta u - \eta \nabla \operatorname{div} u,$$

with the domain: $\mathcal{D}(T(\lambda; \eta)) = \{u \in W_q^2(D); u|_{\partial D} = 0\}$. Then, by (1.3) $T(\lambda; \eta)$ is densely defined closed operator in $L_q(D)$ and the range of $T(\lambda; \eta)$ is closed in $L_q(D)$. Since the dual operator of $T(\lambda; \eta)$ in $L_q(D)$ is $T(\bar{\lambda}; \bar{\eta})$ in $L_p(D)$ where $(1/p) + (1/q) = 1$, the closed range theorem means that a unique solution for (1.2) exists in $L_q(D)$. Combining this with a priori estimate (1.3), the proof is completed.

Now we will lead to the main theorem in this section. Let $1 < q < \infty$, m be an integer and let

$$(1.6) \quad Y_q^m(D) = \left\{ T \{f_1, f_2, f_3\} \in X_q^m(D); \int_D f_1(x) dx = 0 \right\}, \quad Y_q(D) = Y_q^0(D).$$

Define the 5×5 matrix operator A_D by the relation:

$$A_D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \gamma \operatorname{div} & 0 \\ \gamma \nabla & -\alpha \Delta - \beta \nabla \operatorname{div} & \omega \nabla \\ 0 & \omega \operatorname{div} & -\kappa \Delta \end{pmatrix},$$

with the domain: $\mathcal{D}(A_D) = Y_q(D) \cap \mathcal{D}(A)$ i.e, A_D is the maximal restriction to closed subspace $Y_q(D)$. Applying this notation to (1.1), we have

$$(\lambda + A_D)\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}$$

where $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\}$ and $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$. Then

THEOREM 1.5. *Let $1 < q < \infty$ and let $D \subset R^3$ be a bounded domain with smooth boundary ∂D . Then, A_D is a closed linear operator in $Y_q(D)$ and*

$$\rho(-A_D) \supset \{0\} \cup \Sigma'$$

where $\Sigma' = \{\lambda \in C; 6(\gamma^2 + \omega^2)\operatorname{Re} \lambda + \alpha(\operatorname{Im} \lambda)^2 > 0\}$. Moreover, the following properties are valid: There exists a number $0 < \delta < (\pi/2)$ such that

$$(1.7) \quad |\lambda| \|(\lambda + A_D)^{-1}\mathbf{f}\|_{Y_q(D)} + \|\mathbf{P}(\lambda + A_D)^{-1}\mathbf{f}\|_{2,q,D} \leq C(q, \delta, D)\|\mathbf{f}\|_{Y_q(D)}$$

for any $\lambda \in \Sigma_\delta \cup \{0\}$ and any $\mathbf{f} \in Y_q(\Omega)$.

PROOF. We shall prepare the following three lemmas to prove this theorem.

LEMMA 1.6. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, and $D \subset R^3$ be a bounded domain or an exterior domain with smooth boundary ∂D . Let A be the operators defined in (0.3) with $\Omega = D$. Then there exist positive numbers λ_0 and $0 < \delta < (\pi/2)$ such that if $\mathbf{u} \in \mathcal{D}(A)$ satisfies $(\lambda + A)\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}$ with $\mathbf{f} \in X_q(D)$, then the following estimate is valid:*

$$|\lambda| \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(D)} + \|\mathbf{P}\mathbf{u}\|_{2,q,D} \leq C(q, \lambda_0, \delta, D)\|\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(D)}$$

for $\lambda - \lambda_0 \in \Sigma_\delta$.

PROOF OF LEMMA 1.6. Let $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\}$ and let $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$. Recall that the equation $(\lambda + A)\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}$ means that the equations (1.1) hold. Applying Propositions 1.3 and 1.4 to the system $\lambda - \kappa \Delta$ and $\lambda - \alpha \Delta - \beta \nabla \operatorname{div}$ in (1.1), we

see that there exist positive number λ_1 and $0 < \delta_1 < (\pi/2)$ such that

$$(1.8a) \quad \begin{aligned} |\lambda| \|\theta\|_{q,D} + |\lambda|^{1/2} \|\theta\|_{1,q,D} + \|\theta\|_{2,q,D} \\ \leq C \{ \|f_3 - \omega \operatorname{div} v\|_{q,D} + \|\theta\|_{q,D} \}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$(1.8b) \quad \begin{aligned} |\lambda| \|v\|_{q,D} + |\lambda|^{1/2} \|v\|_{1,q,D} + \|v\|_{2,q,D} \\ \leq C \{ \|f_2 - \gamma \nabla \rho - \omega \nabla \theta\|_{q,D} + \|v\|_{q,D} \}, \end{aligned}$$

hold for $\lambda - \lambda_1 \in \Sigma_{\delta_1}$ with C depending only on q, λ_1 and δ_1 . Furthermore it follows from the equations (1.1a) that

$$(1.9) \quad |\lambda| \|\rho\|_{q,D} \leq \gamma \|v\|_{1,q,D} + \|f_1\|_{q,D},$$

and

$$(1.10) \quad |\lambda| \|\nabla \rho\|_{q,D} \leq \gamma \|v\|_{2,q,D} + \|f_1\|_{1,q,D}.$$

Combining (1.8a), (1.8b), (1.9) and (1.10), and taking sufficiently large number λ_0 , we have lemma 1.6.

LEMMA 1.7. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, m be an integer ≥ 0 and D be a bounded domain in R^3 with smooth boundary ∂D . Then, $(-A_D)^{-1}$ exists. Furthermore, the following estimate is valid:*

$$\|(-A_D)^{-1} \mathbf{f}\|_{Y_q^m(D)} + \|\mathbf{P}(-A_D)^{-1} \mathbf{f}\|_{m+2,q,D} \leq C(q, m, D) \|\mathbf{f}\|_{Y_q^m(D)}$$

for $\mathbf{f} \in Y_q^m(D)$.

PROOF OF LEMMA 1.7. Putting $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\}$ and $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$, we consider the system (1.1) with $\lambda = 0$ in stead of the equation $A_D \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}$ in Lemma 1.7. Since it follows from (1.1a), (1.1c) and (1.1e) that

$$(1.11) \quad -\kappa \Delta \theta = f_3 - \frac{\omega}{\gamma} f_1 \text{ in } D, \quad \theta|_{\partial D} = 0 \text{ on } \partial D,$$

and since D is a bounded domain, there exists a unique solution $\theta \in W_q^{m+2}(D)$ to (1.11) such that

$$(1.12) \quad \|\theta\|_{m+2,q,D} \leq C \left\| \left\| f_3 - \frac{\omega}{\gamma} f_1 \right\| \right\|_{m,q,D}.$$

We have by (1.1a), (1.1b) and by (1.1d)

$$(1.13) \quad \begin{aligned} -\alpha\Delta v + \nabla(\gamma\rho) &= f_2 + \frac{1}{\gamma}\beta\nabla f_1 - \omega \cdot \nabla\theta \text{ in } D, \\ \operatorname{div} v &= \frac{f_1}{\gamma} \text{ in } D, \quad v|_{\partial D} = 0 \text{ on } \partial D. \end{aligned}$$

Applying Proposition 1.1 to the system (1.13), there exists a unique pair $(v, \rho) \in W_q^{m+2}(D) \times W_q^{m+1}(D)$ with $\int_D \rho(x) dx = 0$ satisfying (1.13) such that

$$(1.14) \quad \begin{aligned} &\|v\|_{m+2,q,D} + \|\rho\|_{m+1,q,D} \\ &\leq C \left\{ \left\| f_2 + \frac{1}{\gamma}\beta\nabla f_1 - \omega \cdot \nabla\theta \right\|_{m,q,D} + \left\| \nabla \frac{f_1}{\gamma} \right\|_{m,q,D} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Combining (1.12) with (1.14) implies that this lemma holds.

LEMMA 1.8. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, $\lambda \in \Sigma' \cup \{0\}$ and $D \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ be a bounded domain with smooth boundary ∂D . Let A be the operators defined in (0.3) with $\Omega = D$. Then*

$$\operatorname{Ker}(\lambda + A) = \{0\},$$

where $\operatorname{Ker} T$ is the kernel of the operator T .

PROOF OF LEMMA 1.8. Let $(\lambda + A)u = 0$, $u = {}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\} \in \mathcal{D}(A)$. Then we have

$$(1.15a) \quad \lambda\rho + \gamma \cdot \operatorname{div} v = 0 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.15b) \quad \lambda v - \alpha\Delta v - \beta\nabla(\operatorname{div} v) + \gamma \cdot \nabla\rho + \omega \cdot \nabla\theta = 0 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.15c) \quad \lambda\theta - \kappa\Delta\theta + \omega \cdot \operatorname{div} v = 0 \quad \text{in } D,$$

$$(1.15d) \quad v|_{\partial D} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial D,$$

$$(1.15d) \quad \theta|_{\partial D} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial D.$$

We can assume that $\lambda \neq 0$ by Lemma 1.7. Noting that $\operatorname{Re}\{\alpha + \beta + (\gamma^2/\lambda)\} > 0$ when $\alpha > 0$, $\beta \geq 0$ and $\lambda \in \Sigma'$, in view of (1.4), since the systems $-\kappa\Delta$ and $-\alpha\Delta - (\beta + (\gamma^2/\lambda))\nabla \operatorname{div}$ with Dirichlet boundary conditions are elliptic, by boot-strap argument, we see that $\{\rho, v, \theta\} \in W_q^{\ell+1}(D) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(D) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(D)$ for all integers $\ell \geq 0$. When $2 \leq q < \infty$, since D is a bounded domain, we see that $\{\rho, v, \theta\} \in W_2^1(D) \times W_2^2(D) \times W_2^2(D)$. When $1 < q < 2$, by Sobolev's imbedding theorem,

$\{\rho, v, \theta\} \in W_2^1(D) \times W_2^2(D) \times W_2^2(D)$. Thus, multiplying (1.15b) by \bar{v} , integrating the resulting relation over D and using integration by parts, we have by (1.15a)

$$(1.16) \quad \lambda \|v\|_{2,D}^2 + \alpha \|\nabla v\|_{2,D}^2 + \left(\beta + \frac{\gamma^2}{\lambda}\right) \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2 + \omega(\nabla\theta, v) = 0.$$

Similarly, multiplying (1.15c) by $\bar{\theta}$, we have

$$(1.17) \quad \lambda \|\theta\|_{2,D}^2 + \kappa \|\nabla\theta\|_{2,D}^2 + \omega(\operatorname{div} v, \theta) = 0.$$

Since $\operatorname{Re}\{\omega(\operatorname{div} v, \theta)\} = -\operatorname{Re}\{\omega(\nabla\theta, v)\}$ and since $\operatorname{Im}\{\omega(\operatorname{div} v, \theta)\} = \operatorname{Im}\{\omega(\nabla\theta, v)\}$, it follows from (1.16), (1.17) and Schwartz's inequality that

$$(1.18) \quad \operatorname{Re} \lambda \cdot (\|v\|_{2,D}^2 + \|\theta\|_{2,D}^2) + \alpha \|\nabla v\|_{2,D}^2 + \kappa \|\theta\|_{2,D}^2 + \left(\beta + \frac{\operatorname{Re} \lambda \cdot \gamma^2}{|\lambda|^2}\right) \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2 = 0,$$

$$(1.19) \quad \|v\|_{2,D}^2 = \frac{\gamma^2}{|\lambda|^2} \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2 + \|\theta\|_{2,D}^2 \text{ if } \operatorname{Im} \lambda \neq 0,$$

and

$$(1.20) \quad |\operatorname{Im} \lambda| \|\theta\|_{2,D} \leq \omega \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}.$$

When $\operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0$, by (1.18) and (1.19) we have $\theta = 0$, $v = 0$ in D because $\theta = 0$, $v = 0$ on ∂D , which implies $\rho = 0$ in D by (1.15a). When $\operatorname{Re} \lambda < 0$, since $\operatorname{Im} \lambda \neq 0$, it follows from (1.18), (1.19) and (1.20) that

$$\alpha \|\nabla v\|_{2,D}^2 + \kappa \|\nabla\theta\|_{2,D}^2 + \beta \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2 \leq -2\operatorname{Re} \lambda \left\{ \frac{\gamma^2}{|\lambda|^2} + \frac{\omega^2}{|\operatorname{Im} \lambda|^2} \right\} \|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2.$$

Noting that $\|\operatorname{div} v\|_{2,D}^2 \leq 3\|\nabla v\|_{2,D}^2$ and $6(\gamma^2 + \omega^2)\operatorname{Re} \lambda + \alpha(\operatorname{Im} \lambda)^2 \geq 0$ when $\lambda \in \Sigma'$, we have $\nabla v = 0$ in D . Combining this with (1.19) and (1.20) implies that $\theta = 0$, $v = 0$ in D and that $\rho = 0$ in D by (1.15a). This completes the proof of Lemma 1.8.

WE ARE NOW IN THE POSITION TO PROVE THEOREM 1.5. Note that Lemma 1.7 allows us to show the case $\lambda \neq 0$. Putting $\mathbf{u} = {}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\}$ and $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$, we consider the system (1.1) in stead of the equation $(\lambda + \mathbf{A}_D)\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}$. In view of Proposition 1.3 and 1.4, fixing a complex number $\lambda_1 \in \Sigma_\delta + \lambda_0$, it follows from (1.1) that for $\lambda \in \Sigma'$

$$(I + P(\lambda))v = T\left(\lambda_1; \beta + \frac{\gamma^2}{\lambda}\right)^{-1} \left[-\frac{\gamma}{\lambda} \nabla f_1 + f_2 - \omega \nabla(\lambda - \kappa \Delta)^{-1} f_3\right],$$

where I is the identity operator,

$$P(\lambda) = T\left(\lambda_1; \beta + \frac{\gamma^2}{\lambda}\right)^{-1} [(\lambda - \lambda_1) - \omega^2 \nabla(\lambda - \kappa \Delta)^{-1} \operatorname{div}],$$

$$T\left(\lambda_1; \beta + \frac{\gamma^2}{\lambda}\right) = \text{the operator defined in (1.5),}$$

and

$$(\lambda - \kappa \Delta)^{-1} = \text{the resolvent for the system in Proposition 1.3.}$$

By Proposition 1.3 and 1.4 $P(\lambda)$ is a bounded linear operator from $\{\mathbf{u} \in W_q^2(D); \mathbf{u}|_{\partial D} = 0\}$ into $W_q^3(D) \cap \{\mathbf{u} \in W_q^2(D); \mathbf{u}|_{\partial D} = 0\}$ which is compactly imbedded into $\{\mathbf{u} \in W_q^2(D); \mathbf{u}|_{\partial D} = 0\}$ as follows from Rellich's compactness theorem, and hence $P(\lambda)$ is a compact operator from $\{\mathbf{u} \in W_q^2(D); \mathbf{u}|_{\partial D} = 0\}$ into itself. Noting that by Lemma 1.8 we know that $I + P(\lambda)$ is injective, by Fredholm's alternative theorem we see that $I + P(\lambda)$ has the bounded inverse. Hence, setting

$$v = (I + P(\lambda))^{-1} T\left(\lambda_1; \beta + \frac{\gamma^2}{\lambda}\right)^{-1} \left[-\frac{\gamma}{\lambda} \nabla f_1 + f_2 - \omega \nabla(\lambda - \kappa \Delta)^{-1} f_3\right],$$

$$\theta = (\lambda - \kappa \Delta)^{-1} [f_3 - \omega \operatorname{div} v], \quad \rho = \frac{1}{\lambda} [f_1 - \gamma \operatorname{div} v],$$

implies that

$$\rho(-A_D) \supset \Sigma' \cup \{0\}.$$

Furthermore, since the resolvent $(\lambda + A_D)^{-1}$ is analytic in $\lambda \in \rho(-A_D)$, Lemma 1.6 and Lemma 1.7 mean that the estimates (1.7) is valid, which reach the desired conclusion.

REMARK 1.9. In Theorem 1.5 we assume that $\int_D f_1 dx = 0$, which means that $\int_D \rho dx = 0$ by the equation (1.1a), (1.1d) and by Stokes formula. When $\int_D f_1 dx \neq 0$, taking $\varphi \in C_0^\infty(D)$ such that $\int_D \varphi(x) dx = 1$ and define the operators $N_j = N_j(\varphi, D)$ ($j = 1, 2, 3$) from $X_q(D)$ into itself by the notations:

$$(1.21) \quad \begin{aligned} N_1 \mathbf{f} &= \mathbf{f} - (N_D \mathbf{f}) \cdot \varphi \mathbf{e}_1 \\ N_2 \mathbf{f} &= -(N_D \mathbf{f}) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \nabla \varphi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for } \mathbf{f} = {}^T \{f_1, f_2, f_3\} \in X_q(D), \\ N_3 \mathbf{f} &= (N_D \mathbf{f}) \varphi \cdot \mathbf{e}_1 \end{aligned}$$

where e_1 and $N_D f$ are the same symbols as in Corollary C. Then we can write $(\lambda + A)^{-1}$ as follows:

$$(1.22) \quad (\lambda + A)^{-1} = (\lambda + A_D)^{-1} N_1 + \frac{\gamma}{\lambda} (\lambda + A_D)^{-1} N_2 + \frac{1}{\lambda} N_3.$$

Combining this and Theorem 1.5, we see that $-A$ is a closed linear operator in $X_q(D)$, $\rho(-A) \supset \Sigma'$ and the following properties are valid:

$$\begin{aligned} & |\lambda| \|(\lambda + A)^{-1} f\|_{X_q(D)} + \|P(\lambda + A)^{-1} f\|_{2,q,D} \\ & \leq C(\delta, q, D) \left\{ \|f\|_{X_q(D)} + \frac{1}{|\lambda|} \|f_1\|_{q,D} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

for any $\lambda \in \Sigma_\delta$ and any $f \in X_q(D)$.

§2. On the stationary problem in R^3

In this section, we shall show the basic estimations of solutions to the following stationary linearized equations in R^3 with a complex parameter λ :

$$(2.1) \quad \begin{aligned} \lambda \rho + \gamma \cdot \operatorname{div} v &= f_1, \\ \lambda v - \alpha \Delta v - \beta \nabla(\operatorname{div} v) + \gamma \cdot \nabla \rho + \omega \cdot \nabla \theta &= f_2 \text{ in } R^3, \\ \lambda \theta - \kappa \Delta \theta + \omega \cdot \operatorname{div} v &= f_3. \end{aligned}$$

By taking Fourier transform on (2.1) we obtain

$$[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)] \hat{u} = \hat{f},$$

where I is the identity, $\mathcal{F}(f) = \hat{f}$ stands for the Fourier transforms of f , $u = {}^T(\rho, v, \theta)$, $f = {}^T(f_1, f_2, f_3)$. Here $\hat{A}(\xi)$ is 5×5 symmetric matrix as follows:

$$\hat{A}(\xi) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i\gamma\xi_k & 0 \\ i\gamma\xi_j & \delta_{jk}\alpha|\xi|^2 + \beta\xi_j\xi_k & i\omega\xi_j \\ 0 & i\omega\xi_k & \kappa|\xi|^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where $i = \sqrt{-1}$ and $\delta_{jk} = 0$ when $k \neq j$ and $= 1$ when $k = j$. Then we have

$$(2.2a) \quad [\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]^{-1} = \{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]\}^{-1} \cdot \tilde{A}(\lambda; \xi),$$

$$(2.2b) \quad \det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)] = (\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 F(\lambda; |\xi|),$$

where

$$(2.2c) \quad F(\lambda; |\xi|) = \lambda^3 + (\alpha + \beta + \kappa)|\xi|^2 \lambda^2 + [(\alpha + \beta)\kappa|\xi|^2 + \gamma^2 + \omega^2]|\xi|^2 \lambda + \gamma^2 \kappa |\xi|^4,$$

and $\tilde{A}(\lambda; \xi) = (\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi))$ is the 5×5 matrix and the components are

$$(2.2d) \quad \begin{aligned} \tilde{a}_{11} &= (\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 \{ \lambda^2 + (\alpha + \beta + \kappa)|\xi|^2 \lambda + [\omega^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\kappa|\xi|^2] \cdot |\xi|^2 \}, \\ \tilde{a}_{15} &= \tilde{a}_{51} = -\gamma\omega(\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 |\xi|^2, \\ \tilde{a}_{1,j} &= \tilde{a}_{j,1} = -i\gamma(\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 (\lambda + \kappa|\xi|^2) \xi_{j-1} \quad (j = 2, 3, 4), \\ \tilde{a}_{5,j} &= \tilde{a}_{j,5} = -i\omega\lambda(\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 \xi_{j-1} \quad (j = 2, 3, 4), \\ \tilde{a}_{55} &= (\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)^2 \{ \lambda^2 + (\alpha + \beta)|\xi|^2 \lambda + \gamma^2 |\xi|^2 \}, \\ \tilde{a}_{ij} &= (\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2) \{ \lambda(\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2)(\lambda + \kappa|\xi|^2) \delta_{ij} \\ &\quad + (\delta_{ij}|\xi|^2 - \xi_{i-1}\xi_{j-1})(\beta\lambda^2 + [\beta\kappa|\xi|^2 + \omega^2 + \gamma^2]\lambda + \gamma^2\kappa|\xi|^2), \end{aligned}$$

($i, j = 2, 3, 4$).

From the spectral analysis of $\hat{A}(\xi)$ given by Matsumura and Nishida [12] (cf. Ponce [17]) we have

LEMMA 2.1. *Let $\{\lambda_j(\xi)\}_{j=1}^5$ be the roots of $\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)] = 0$, where $\lambda_4(\xi) = \lambda_5(\xi) = -\alpha|\xi|^2$. Then it follows that:*

(i) $\lambda_j(\xi)$ depends on $|\xi|$ only, $\lambda_j(0) = 0$ and $\text{Re } \lambda_j(\xi) < 0$ for any $|\xi| > 0$, $j = 1, \dots, 5$.

(ii) $\lambda_j(\xi) \neq \lambda_k(\xi)$, $j \neq k$ and $j, k = 1, 2, 3, 4$ for all $|\xi|$ except at most four points of $|\xi| > 0$.

(iii) There exist positive constants r_1 such that $\lambda_j(\xi)$ has a Taylor series expansion for $|\xi| < r_1$ as follows: $\lambda_1(\xi) = \overline{\lambda_2(\xi)}$ is a complex number, $\lambda_3(\xi)$ is a real number and

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_1(\xi) &= (\gamma^2 + \omega^2)^{1/2} (i|\xi|) + \frac{(\gamma^2 + \omega^2)(\alpha + \beta) + \omega^2\kappa}{2(\gamma^2 + \omega^2)} (i|\xi|)^2 + \dots, \\ \lambda_3(\xi) &= \frac{\gamma^2\kappa}{\gamma^2 + \omega^2} (i|\xi|)^2 + \frac{\gamma^2\omega^2\kappa^2 \{ (\gamma^2 + \omega^2)(\alpha + \beta) - \gamma^2\kappa \}}{(\gamma^2 + \omega^2)^4} (i|\xi|)^4 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, there exist positive constants $r_2 > r_1$ such that $\lambda_j(\xi)$ has a Laurent series

expansion for $|\xi| > r_2$ as follows: If $\alpha + \beta \neq \kappa$, then $\lambda_j(\xi)$ are real numbers and

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_1(\xi) &= (\alpha + \beta)(i|\xi|)^2 - \frac{\gamma^2\kappa - (\gamma^2 + \omega^2)(\alpha + \beta)}{(\alpha + \beta)(\alpha + \beta - \kappa)} + \dots, \\ \lambda_2(\xi) &= \kappa(i|\xi|)^2 + \frac{\omega^2}{\kappa - \alpha - \beta} + \dots, \\ \lambda_3(\xi) &= -\frac{\gamma^2}{\alpha + \beta} + \dots.\end{aligned}$$

If $\alpha + \beta = \kappa$, then $\lambda_1(\xi) = \overline{\lambda_2(\xi)}$ is a complex number, $\lambda_3(\xi)$ is a real number and

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_1(\xi) &= \kappa(i|\xi|)^2 + \sqrt{\omega}(i|\xi|) + \dots, \\ \lambda_3(\xi) &= -\frac{\gamma^2}{\kappa} + \dots.\end{aligned}$$

(iv) $\text{rank}[\lambda_1(\xi) \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)] = 3$ for all $|\xi| > 0$ except at most one point of $|\xi| > 0$.

(v) The matrix exponential has the spectral resolution

$$e^{-t\hat{A}(\xi)} = \sum_{j=1}^5 e^{t\lambda_j(\xi)} \mathbf{P}_j(\xi)$$

for all $|\xi|$ except at most four points of $|\xi| > 0$.

(vi) There exists a positive constants $\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2$ and r_1 such that $-\beta_0|\xi|^2 \leq \text{Re } \lambda_j(\xi) \leq -\beta_1|\xi|^2$ for $|\xi| < r_1$ and $\text{Re } \lambda_j(\xi) < -\beta_2$ for $|\xi| > r_2$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, 5$.

(v) $\|\mathbf{P}_j(\xi)\| \leq C$ for $|\xi| \leq r_1$.

(vii) $\|e^{-t\hat{A}(\xi)}\| \leq C(1+t)^3 e^{-\beta t}$ for $|\xi| > r_1$ and a positive constant β .

Now we set for $\mathbf{f} \in X_q(\mathbb{R}^3)$, $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_j\}_{j=1}^5$

$$\begin{aligned}(2.3) \quad \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)\mathbf{f}(x) &= \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]^{-1}\hat{\mathbf{f}}(\xi)\}(x) \\ &= {}^T\left\{\sum_{i=1}^5 \mathbf{R}_{ji}(\lambda)f_i(x)\right\}_{j=1}^5,\end{aligned}$$

where $\mathbf{R}_{ij}(\lambda) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]^{-1}\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)\mathcal{F}\}$. When $\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_5\}$ where $f_2 = (f_2, f_3, f_4)$ we shall use the representation as follows:

$$(2.4) \quad \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)\mathbf{f}(x) = {}^T\{\mathbf{R}_{0,\rho}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}(x), \mathbf{R}_{0,\nu}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}(x), \mathbf{R}_{0,\theta}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}(x)\}.$$

Then we shall have the following estimates of $\mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)\mathbf{f}$ which is the core of our argument.

THEOREM 2.2. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, b be a positive number and $X_{q,b}(R^3)$ be the same symbol as in (0.7). Then for any $f \in X_{q,b}(R^3)$ any $\lambda \in \{\lambda \in C; \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0, 0 < |\lambda| \leq 1\}$*

$$\begin{aligned} & \|R_0(\lambda)f\|_{X_q(B_b)} + \|PR_0(\lambda)f\|_{2,q,B_b} \leq C\|f\|_{X_q(R^3)}, \\ & \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k R_0(\lambda)f \right\|_{X_q(B_b)} + \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k PR_0(\lambda)f \right\|_{2,q,B_b} \\ & \leq C|\lambda|^{1/2-k}\|f\|_{X_q(R^3)}, \end{aligned}$$

where k are integers ≥ 1 and $C = C(q, b, k)$ is a constant.

PROOF. First we note that since it follows from (2.2b), (2.2c) and Lemma 2.1 that $F(\lambda; |\xi|) = (\lambda - \lambda_1(\xi))(\lambda - \lambda_2(\xi))(\lambda - \lambda_3(\xi))$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} F(\lambda; |\xi|)^{-1} &= \frac{1}{\lambda_1(\xi) - \lambda_2(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda_1(\xi) - \lambda_3(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda - \lambda_1(\xi)} \\ &+ \frac{1}{\lambda_2(\xi) - \lambda_3(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda_2(\xi) - \lambda_1(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda - \lambda_2(\xi)} \\ &+ \frac{1}{\lambda_3(\xi) - \lambda_1(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda_3(\xi) - \lambda_2(\xi)} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda - \lambda_3(\xi)}. \end{aligned}$$

Combining this equation and Lemma 2.1 (iii) means that

$$(2.5) \quad |F(\lambda; |\xi|)^{-1}| \leq C_\varepsilon |\lambda|^{-2\varepsilon} |\xi|^{-4+2\varepsilon} \quad \text{for } \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0, \xi \in R^3 \text{ and } 0 \leq \varepsilon \leq 1,$$

and which implies that

$$(2.6) \quad |\det[\lambda + \hat{A}(\xi)]|^{-1} \leq C|\xi|^{-8} \quad \text{for } \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0 \text{ and } \xi \in R^3,$$

since $|\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2| \geq \alpha|\xi|^2$ for $\operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0$ and $\xi \in R^3$.

Now let $f = {}^T\{f_j\}_{j=1}^5$. Choosing $\chi(r) \in C_0^\infty(R)$ so that $\chi(r) = 1$ if $|r| \leq 1$ and $= 0$ if $|r| \geq 2$, put

$$\begin{aligned} (2.7) \quad R_{ij}(\lambda)f_j(x) &= \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{\chi(|\xi|)\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]^{-1}\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)\hat{f}_j(\xi)\}(x) \\ &+ \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{(1 - \chi(|\xi|))\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]^{-1}\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)\hat{f}_j(\xi)\}(x) \\ &= T_{1,ij}(\lambda)f_j(x) + T_{2,ij}(\lambda)f_j(x). \end{aligned}$$

Using Theorem 7.9.5 of [6] concerning the L_q -estimate of the Fourier multiplier,

it follows from (2.2a), (2.2d), (2.6) and (2.7) that

$$(2.8) \quad \sum_{j=1}^5 \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k T_{2,1j}(\lambda) f_j \right\|_{1,q,R^3} + \sum_{j=1}^5 \sum_{i=2}^5 \left\{ \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k T_{2,ij}(\lambda) f_j \right\|_{2,q,R^3} \right\} \\ \leq C \{ \|f_1\|_{1,q,R^3} + \|f_2\|_{q,R^3} + \|f_3\|_{q,R^3} \},$$

where k are integers ≥ 0 and C is a constant independent of $|\lambda| \leq 1$. Using a polar coordinate system, we can write as follows: for multi-index α_i ($i = 1, \dots, 5$): $|\alpha_1| \leq 1, |\alpha_i| \leq 2$ ($i = 2, \dots, 5$)

$$(2.9) \quad \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k (\partial_x)^{\alpha_i} T_{1,ij}(\lambda) f_j(x) \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3/2}} \int_{R^3} (i\xi)^{\alpha_i} e^{ix \cdot \xi} \chi(|\xi|) \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k \{ (\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)])^{-1} \tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi) \} \hat{f}_j(\xi) d\xi \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3/2}} \int_0^2 \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k r^{|\alpha_i|+2} \{ (\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(r)])^{-1} \tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; r\omega) \} \\ \cdot \int_{|\omega|=1} (i\omega)^{\alpha_i} e^{i(x \cdot \omega)r} \chi(r) \hat{f}_j(r\omega) dr dS_\omega,$$

where dS_ω denote the surface element on the unit surface. By Taylor series expansion, we have

$$(2.10) \quad e^{i(x \cdot \omega)r} \chi(r) \hat{f}_j(r\omega) = \hat{f}_j(0) + \sum_{\ell=1}^{m-1} g_\ell(x, \omega) r^\ell + \int_0^1 H_m(x, \omega, s, r) ds r^m$$

where

$$g_\ell(x, \omega) = \frac{1}{\ell!} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right)^\ell e^{i(x \cdot \omega)r} \chi(r) \hat{f}_j(r\omega) \Big|_{r=0}, \ell \geq 1, \\ H_m(x, \omega, s, r) = \frac{(1-s)^{m-1}}{(m-1)!} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \right)^k e^{i(x \cdot \omega)\sigma} \chi(\sigma) \hat{f}_j(\sigma\omega) \Big|_{\sigma=sr}.$$

Note that since $f_j \in L_{q,b}(R^3)$, we have

$$(2.11) \quad |\hat{f}_j(0)| \leq C(b) \|f_j\|_{q,R^3}, \\ |g_\ell(x, \omega)| \leq C(b, \ell) (1 + |x|)^\ell \|f_j\|_{q,R^3}, \\ \int_0^1 |H_k(x, \omega, s, r)| ds \leq C(b, k) (1 + |x|)^k \|f_j\|_{q,R^3}.$$

In view of (2.2d), putting

$$\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; r\omega) = \sum_{\beta} \tilde{a}_{\beta,ij}(\lambda; r)b_{\beta,ij}(\omega),$$

it follows from (2.9), (2.10) and (2.11) that

$$(2.12) \quad \left| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k (\partial_x)^{\alpha_i} T_{1,ij}(\lambda) f_j(x) \right| \leq C(1 + |x|)^m \|f_j\|_{q, R^3} \cdot \left\{ \sum_{\beta} \sum_{\ell=0}^{m-1} \left| \int_0^1 \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k \{(\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(r)])^{-1} \tilde{a}_{\beta,ij}(\lambda; r)\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2+\ell} dr \right| + \sum_{\beta} \int_0^1 \left| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k \{(\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(r)])^{-1} \tilde{a}_{\beta,ij}(\lambda; r)\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2+m} dr \right| \right\}.$$

In order to show that the rest of assertions in Theorem 2.2 holds, we need the following lemma.

LEMMA 2.3. *Let $m \geq 0$, $M \geq 1$ be integers. Put*

$$I_{1,m,M}(\lambda) = \int_0^1 \frac{r^m}{F(\lambda; r)^M} dr, \quad I_{2,m,M}(\lambda) = \int_0^1 \frac{r^m}{(\lambda + \alpha r^2)^M F(\lambda; r)^M} dr$$

for $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$. Then the following facts hold.

- (i) $|I_{1,m,M}(\lambda)| \leq C(m, M)$ if $m \geq 4M$, $|I_{2,m,M}(\lambda)| \leq C(m, M)$ if $m \geq 6M$.
- (ii) If $0 \leq m < 4M$, then

$$|I_{1,m,M}(\lambda)| \leq C(m, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{m/2-2M+1/2}, |\lambda|^{m-3M+1}\} \text{ when } m \text{ is even,} \\ \leq C(m, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{m/2-2M+1/2}, |\lambda|^{m-3M+1}\} |\text{Log } \lambda| \text{ when } m \text{ is odd.}$$

If $0 \leq m < 6M$ and if $\frac{1}{\alpha} \neq \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2}\right)$, then

$$|I_{2,m,M}(\lambda)| \leq C(m, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{m/2-3M+1/2}, |\lambda|^{m-4M+1}\} \text{ when } m \text{ is even,} \\ \leq C(m, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{m/2-3M+1/2}, |\lambda|^{m-4M+1}\} |\text{Log } \lambda| \text{ when } m \text{ is odd.}$$

- (iii) Let $M \geq m$ and $\ell \geq 1$ an integer. Then $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$

$$\left| \int_0^1 \frac{r^{2M-2m}}{(\lambda + \alpha r^2)^\ell F(\lambda; r)^M} dr \right| \leq c(m, \ell, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{-M-\ell-m}, |\lambda|^{-M-\ell-2m+1}\}.$$

PROOF OF LEMMA 2.3. (i) It follows from (2.5) and the inequality $|\lambda + \alpha r^2| \geq \alpha r^2$ when $\operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0$ that (i) holds.

(ii) We shall show (ii) by using decomposition into partial fractions. We can write $F(\lambda; r)$ as follows:

$$F(\lambda; r) = \kappa(\gamma^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\lambda)(r^2 - a_+(\lambda))(r^2 - a_-(\lambda))$$

where

$$a_{\pm}(\lambda) = -\frac{\lambda}{2\kappa} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\omega^2 + \kappa\lambda}{\gamma^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\lambda} \pm \left[\left(1 + \frac{\omega^2 + \kappa\lambda}{\gamma^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\lambda} \right)^2 - \frac{4\kappa\lambda}{\gamma^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\lambda} \right]^{1/2} \right\}.$$

Then we have the following estimates

$$(2.13a) \quad (a_+(\lambda) - a_-(\lambda)), \quad a_+(\lambda) = 0(\lambda) \quad \text{and} \quad a_-(\lambda) = 0(\lambda^2) \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow 0,$$

$$(2.13b) \quad \left(a_+(\lambda) + \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} \right) = 0(\lambda) \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{if } \frac{1}{\alpha} \neq \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2} \right),$$

which implies that

$$(2.14a) \quad \frac{x^m}{(x - a_+(\lambda))^M (x - a_-(\lambda))^M} = \sum_{j=1}^M \{ A_j(\lambda)(x - a_+(\lambda))^{-j} + B_j(\lambda)(x - a_-(\lambda))^{-j} \}$$

$$(2.14b) \quad |A_j(\lambda)| \leq C|\lambda|^{m-2M+j}, \quad |B_j(\lambda)| \leq C|\lambda|^{2m-3M+2j} \quad \text{for } |\lambda| \leq 1.$$

Also we have by (2.13)

$$(2.14c) \quad \frac{x^m}{\left(x + \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}\right)^M (x - a_+(\lambda))^M (x - a_-(\lambda))^M} = \sum_{j=1}^M \left\{ C_j(\lambda) \left(x + \frac{\lambda}{\alpha}\right)^{-j} + D_j(\lambda)(x - a_+(\lambda))^{-j} + E_j(\lambda)(x - a_-(\lambda))^{-j} \right\},$$

$$(2.14d) \quad |C_j(\lambda)|, \quad |D_j(\lambda)| \leq C|\lambda|^{m-3M+j} \quad \text{for } |\lambda| \leq 1 \quad \text{if } \frac{1}{\alpha} \neq \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2} \right),$$

$$|E_j(\lambda)| \leq C|\lambda|^{2m-4M+2j} \quad \text{for } |\lambda| \leq 1 \quad \text{if } \frac{1}{\alpha} \neq \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2} \right).$$

Moreover, putting $a(\lambda) = -\frac{\lambda}{\alpha}$, $a_{\pm}(\lambda)$, we have by elementary calculus,

$$(2.15a) \quad \int_0^1 \frac{ds}{s - a(\lambda)} = C_1 \log|a(\lambda)| + C_2,$$

$$(2.15b) \quad \int_0^1 \frac{ds}{(s - a(\lambda))^{k+1}} = C_3 a(\lambda)^{-k} + C_4,$$

$$(2.15c) \quad \int_0^1 \frac{dr}{(r^2 - a(\lambda))^k} = C_5 a(\lambda)^{1/2-k},$$

where k are positive integers, C_j ($j = 1, 3, 5$) complex constants depending only on k and C_j ($j = 2, 4$) $C^\infty(\{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}; \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0 \text{ and } |\lambda| \leq 1\})$ -functions depending also essentially on k . Combining (2.13), (2.14) and (2.15) shall reach to the statement.

(iii) Noting that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{r^{2M-2m}}{(\lambda + \alpha r^2)^\ell F(\lambda; r)^M} \\ &= \frac{1}{\lambda^{M+\ell+m}} \sum_{k=0}^{M+\ell+m} \binom{M+\ell+m}{k} (-\alpha)^{M+\ell+m-k} (\lambda + \alpha r^2)^{k-\ell} \cdot \frac{r^{2(2M+\ell-k)}}{F(\lambda; r)^M}, \end{aligned}$$

it follows from (ii) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\lambda^{M+\ell+m}} \sum_{k=\ell}^{M+\ell+m} \binom{M+\ell+m}{k} (-\alpha)^{M+\ell+m-k} (\lambda + \alpha r^2)^{k-\ell} \cdot \frac{r^{2(2M+\ell-k)}}{F(\lambda; r)^M} dr \right| \\ &= \left| \sum_{k=\ell}^{M+\ell+m} \sum_{n=0}^{k-\ell} \binom{M+\ell+m}{k} \binom{k-\ell}{n} (-\alpha)^{M+\ell+m-k+n} \right. \\ & \quad \cdot \lambda^{-M-2\ell-m+k-n} \left. \int_0^1 \frac{r^{2(2M+\ell-k+n)}}{F(\lambda; r)^M} dr \right| \\ & \leq C(m, \ell, M) \max\{|\lambda|^{1/2-M-\ell-m}, |\lambda|^{-M-\ell-2m+1}\}, \end{aligned}$$

and it follows from (2.5) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\lambda^{M+\ell+m}} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell-1} \binom{M+\ell+m}{k} (-\alpha)^{M+\ell+m-k} (\lambda + \alpha r^2)^{k-\ell} \cdot \frac{r^{2(2M+\ell-k)}}{F(\lambda; r)^M} dr \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{1}{\lambda^{M+\ell+m}} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell-1} \binom{M+\ell+m}{k} (-\alpha)^{M+\ell+m-k} \int_0^1 \frac{r^{2\ell-2k}}{(\lambda + \alpha r^2)^{\ell-k}} \cdot \frac{r^{4M}}{F(\lambda; r)^M} dr \right| \\ & \leq C(m, \ell, M) |\lambda|^{-M-\ell-m}. \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 2.3.

NOW WE RETURN TO THE PROOF OF THEOREM 2.2. By direct calculation we have

$$(2.16) \quad F(\lambda; r)^k = \sum_{\ell=0}^k \sum_{n=0}^{k-\ell} \binom{k}{\ell} \binom{k-\ell}{n} \{(\alpha + \beta + \kappa)\lambda + (\gamma^2 + \omega^2)\}^\ell \\ \cdot \{(\alpha + \beta)\kappa\lambda + \gamma^2\kappa\}^n \lambda^{3k-2\ell-3n} r^{2\ell+4n},$$

$$(2.17) \quad \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k = \sum_{\ell=0}^k \sum_{n=0}^{k-\ell} \binom{k}{\ell} \binom{k-\ell}{n} \{2(\alpha + \beta + \kappa)\lambda + \gamma^2 + \omega^2\}^\ell \\ \cdot 3^{k-\ell-n} (\alpha + \beta)^n \kappa^n \lambda^{2k-2n-2\ell} r^{2\ell+4n},$$

$$(2.18a) \quad \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k = \sum_{\ell=0}^k \binom{k}{\ell} 2^k 3^{k-\ell} (\alpha + \beta + \kappa)^\ell \lambda^{k-\ell} r^{2\ell},$$

$$(2.18b) \quad (\lambda + \alpha r^2)^k = \sum_{\ell=0}^k \binom{k}{\ell} \alpha^{2\ell} \lambda^{k-\ell} r^{2\ell}.$$

First when $\frac{1}{\alpha} \neq \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2} \right)$, setting

$$J_1(\lambda; r) = r^4, \lambda r^2, r^2, \lambda r \text{ or } r^3,$$

$$J_2(\lambda; r) = \lambda^2 r^2, \lambda r^4, \lambda r^2 \text{ or } r^4,$$

$$G(\lambda; r) = (\lambda + \alpha r^2)F(\lambda; r),$$

it follows from (2.16), (2.17), (2.18), Appendix 1 and Lemma 2.3 that

$$(2.19) \quad \left| \int_0^1 \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^n \{F(\lambda; r)^{-1} J_1(\lambda; r)\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2} dr \right| \\ = \left| \int_0^1 \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^2 \binom{n}{k} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^{n-k} F(\lambda; r)^{-1} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k J_1(\lambda; r) \right\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2} dr \right| \\ \leq C \max\{1, |\lambda|^{1/2-n}\},$$

and

$$(2.20) \quad \left| \int_0^1 \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^n \{G(\lambda; r)^{-1} J_2(\lambda; r)\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2} dr \right| \\ = \left| \int_0^1 \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^2 \binom{n}{k} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^{n-k} G(\lambda; r)^{-1} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda} \right)^k J_2(\lambda; r) \right\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2} dr \right| \\ \leq C \max\{1, |\lambda|^{1/2-n}\}.$$

Also when $\frac{1}{\alpha} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \left(1 + \frac{\omega^2}{\gamma^2}\right)$, noting that by (2.2d) we have

$$\beta\lambda^2 + [\beta\kappa|\xi|^2 + \omega^2 + \gamma^2]\lambda + \gamma^2\kappa|\xi|^2 = \beta\lambda(\lambda + \kappa|\xi|^2) + (\omega^2 + \gamma^2)(\lambda + \alpha|\xi|^2),$$

in view of (2.19), our task is to show that

$$(2.21) \quad \left| \int_0^1 \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^n \{G(\lambda; r)^{-1} J_3(\lambda; r)\} r^{|\alpha_i|+2} dr \right| \leq C \max\{1, |\lambda|^{1/2-n}\}$$

where $J_3(\lambda; r) = \lambda^2 r^2$ or λr^6 . It follows from Lemma 2.3 (iii), (2.17), (2.18a) and Appendix 1 that (2.21) holds. Hence it follows from (2.2), (2.13), (2.19), (2.20) and (2.21) that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{j=1}^5 \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k T_{1,1j}(\lambda) f_j \right\|_{1,q,B_b} + \sum_{j=1}^5 \sum_{i=2}^5 \left\{ \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k T_{1,ij}(\lambda) f_j \right\|_{2,q,B_b} \right\} \\ & \leq C \max\{1, |\lambda|^{1/2-k}\} \cdot \{\|f_1\|_{1,q,R^3} + \|f_2\|_{q,R^3} + \|f_3\|_{q,R^3}\}, \end{aligned}$$

where k are integers ≥ 0 and C is a constant independent of $|\lambda| \leq 1$ and $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, and combining this with (2.8) implies that the statement of this theorem holds.

Finally in this section, we shall investigate the continuity as $\lambda \rightarrow 0$ for the operator $R_0(\lambda)$ and the properties for $R_0(0)$.

LEMMA 2.4. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, b be a positive number and let $f \in X_{q,b}(R^3)$. Then ${}^T R_0(0)f \in W_{q,\text{loc}}^1(R^3) \times W_{q,\text{loc}}^2(R^3) \times W_{q,\text{loc}}^3(R^3)$ and*

$$(2.22) \quad \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} R^{-3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |R_0(0)f(x)|^q dx = 0.$$

Moreover, for any $a > 0$ and $0 < \varepsilon < 1/2$ the following estimates are valid:

$$(2.23) \quad \begin{aligned} & \|{}^T R_0(\lambda)f - {}^T R_0(0)f\|_{W_q^1(B_a) \times W_q^2(B_a) \times W_q^3(B_a)} \\ & \leq C(q, a, b, \varepsilon) |\lambda|^\varepsilon \|f\|_{X_q(R^3)} \end{aligned}$$

for $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$ and $f \in X_{q,b}(R^3)$, where $C(q, a, b, \varepsilon)$ is a constant independent of $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$ and $f \in X_{q,b}(R^3)$.

PROOF. Noting that when $\lambda = 0$

$$\hat{A}(\xi)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\gamma^2 \kappa |\xi|^4} \begin{pmatrix} \{\omega^2 + (\alpha + \beta)\kappa|\xi|^2\}|\xi|^2 & -i\gamma\kappa|\xi|^2 \xi_k & -\gamma\omega|\xi|^2 \\ -i\gamma\kappa|\xi|^2 \xi_j & \{\delta_{jk}|\xi|^2 - \xi_j \xi_k\} \alpha^{-1} \gamma^2 \kappa & 0 \\ -\gamma\omega|\xi|^2 & 0 & \gamma^2 |\xi|^2 \end{pmatrix},$$

since the kernels of Fourier integral operators in $R_0(0)$ are the same as those of the Stokes system and the system Δ , we have (2.22) by Lemma 2.2 and 2.3 in Iwashita [9]. Hence our task is to show (2.23). Choosing $\chi(r) \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ so that $\chi(r) = 1$ if $|r| \leq 1$ and $= 0$ if $|r| \geq 2$, using the notations defined in (2.3) and (2.4), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.24) \quad & R_{ij}(\lambda)f_j(x) - R_{ij}(0)f_j(x) \\
 &= \mathcal{F}^{-1} \left\{ \chi(|\xi|) \left\{ \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \hat{f}_j(\xi) \right\} (x) \\
 &\quad + \mathcal{F}^{-1} \left\{ (1 - \chi(|\xi|)) \left\{ \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \hat{f}_j(\xi) \right\} (x) \\
 &= \{T_{1,ij}(\lambda) - T_{1,ij}(0)\}f_j(x) + \{T_{2,ij}(\lambda) - T_{2,ij}(0)\}f_j(x).
 \end{aligned}$$

Since it follows from (2.2a), (2.5) and (2.6) that

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left| \xi^\eta \partial_\xi^\eta \left[\{1 - \chi(|\xi|)\} \left\{ \frac{\tilde{a}_{11}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{\tilde{a}_{11}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \right] \right| \leq C|\lambda|, \\
 & \left| \xi^\eta \partial_\xi^\eta \left[\{1 - \chi(|\xi|)\} \left\{ \frac{\tilde{a}_{1j}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{\tilde{a}_{1j}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \right] \right| \leq C \frac{|\lambda|}{|\xi|} \quad (j = 2, \dots, 5),
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\left| \xi^\eta \partial_\xi^\eta \left[\{1 - \chi(|\xi|)\} \left\{ \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{\tilde{a}_{ij}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \right] \right| \leq C \frac{|\lambda|}{|\xi|^2} \quad (i \neq 1, j \neq 1),$$

for $|\eta| \leq 2$, $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$ and $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3$, by using Theorem 7.9.5 of [6] concerning the L_q -estimate of Fourier multiplier we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.25) \quad & \sum_{j=1}^5 \|\{T_{2,1j}(\lambda) - T_{2,1j}(0)\}f_j\|_{W_q^1(\mathbb{R}^3)} + \sum_{j=1}^5 \sum_{i=2}^5 \|\{T_{2,ij}(\lambda) - T_{2,ij}(0)\}f_j\|_{W_q^2(\mathbb{R}^3)} \\
 & \leq C|\lambda| \|f\|_{X_q(\mathbb{R}^3)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Also since it follows from (2.2a), (2.5) and (2.6) that

$$\left| \chi(|\xi|) \left\{ \frac{a_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{a_{ij}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\} \right| \leq C|\lambda|^\varepsilon |\xi|^{-2-2\varepsilon}$$

for $0 < \varepsilon < \frac{1}{2}$, $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$ and $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3$, we obtain that for $|\alpha_1| \leq 1$,

$$|\alpha_i| \leq 2 \quad (i \neq 1)$$

$$(2.26) \quad |\partial_x^{\alpha_i} \{T_{1,ij}(\lambda) - T_{1,ij}(0)\} f_j(x)| \\ \leq C(q, b) \|\chi(|\xi|)(i\xi)^{\alpha_i} \left\{ \frac{a_{ij}(\lambda; \xi)}{\det[\lambda \cdot I + \hat{A}(\xi)]} - \frac{a_{ij}(0; \xi)}{\det \hat{A}(\xi)} \right\}\|_{L^1(\mathbb{R}^3)} \|f\|_{L_q(\mathbb{R}^3)} \\ \leq C(q, b) |\lambda|^\varepsilon \|f\|_{X_q(\mathbb{R}^3)} \quad \text{for } f \in X_{q,b}(\mathbb{R}^3).$$

Thus it follows from (2.25), (2.26) and (2.24) that (2.23). This completes the proof.

§3. The resolvent set of $-A$

In this section, we shall prove Theorem A. To prove this theorem we need the following lemma concerning the uniqueness, which is a key in our argument. First note that by Lemma 2.1 (iii)

$$\det[\lambda + \hat{A}(\xi)] \neq 0 \quad \text{for } \lambda \in \Sigma'' = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}; C_1 \operatorname{Re} \lambda + (\operatorname{Im} \lambda)^2 > 0\}$$

where C_1 is a constant depending only on $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \kappa$, and ω . In the view of this and Theorem 1.5, taking a constant C in the parabolic region

$$\Sigma = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}; C \operatorname{Re} \lambda + (\operatorname{Im} \lambda)^2 > 0\}$$

so that $\Sigma \subset \Sigma' \cap \Sigma''$, we have

LEMMA 3.1. *Let $1 < q < \infty$. If $\lambda \in \Sigma$, then*

$$\operatorname{Ker}(\lambda + A) = \{0\}.$$

PROOF. Let $(\lambda + A)u = 0$. In view of the proof of Lemma 1.8, by bootstrap argument, we see that $Tu \in W_q^{\ell+1}(\Omega) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(\Omega) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(\Omega)$ for any integer $\ell \geq 1$. We fix an integer ℓ such that $\ell = 0$ when $2 \leq q < \infty$ and $\ell \geq 3(1/q - 1/2)$ when $1 < q < 2$. Let $Tv \in W_q^{\ell+1}(\mathbb{R}^3) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(\mathbb{R}^3) \times W_q^{\ell+2}(\mathbb{R}^3)$ be functions such that $v = u$ in Ω . Put $f = (\lambda + A)v$, then since $(\lambda + A)u = 0$ in Ω , we see that $\operatorname{supp} f$ is compact, and moreover $f \in X_q^{\ell+1}(\mathbb{R}^3)$. Since $\operatorname{supp} f$ is compact, $f \in X_2^1(\Omega)$ when $2 \leq q < \infty$. When $1 < q < 2$, since $\ell \geq 3(1/q - 1/2)$, by Sobolev's imbedding theorem we have $f \in X_2^1(\Omega)$ too. Put $w = R_0(\lambda)f$ where the symbols are the same as in (2.4). Since $\det[\lambda + \hat{A}(\xi)] \neq 0$ for any $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and $\lambda \in \Sigma$, by Parseval's formula we know that $Tw \in W_2^1(\mathbb{R}^3) \times W_2^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \times W_2^2(\mathbb{R}^3)$. Since $(\lambda + A)\{v - R_0(\lambda)f\} = 0$ in \mathbb{R}^3 , by Fourier transform we have $\{\lambda + \hat{A}(\xi)\}$

$\{v(\xi) - \hat{w}(\xi)\} = 0$, which implies that $v = w$ in R^3 because $\det[\lambda + A(\xi)] \neq 0$. Thus employing the same argument as in the proof of Lemma 1.8, we have $u = 0$. This completes the proof.

A PROOF OF THEOREM A. In view of Lemma 1.6, we only show (0.4). Now we shall construct parametrix to (1.1) in Ω . Let $\partial\Omega \subset B_{R_0}$, b be a fixed constant $b > R_0 + 3$ and let $\Omega_b = \Omega \cap B_b$. Given $\lambda \in \Sigma$ and $g \in X_q(\Omega_b)$, let $w \in W_q^1(\Omega_b) \times W_q^2(\Omega_b) \times W_q^2(\Omega_b)$ be solutions to the problem:

$$\begin{aligned}(\lambda + A)w &= g \text{ in } \Omega_b, \\ Pw &= 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega_b.\end{aligned}$$

The existence of such w is guaranteed by Remark 1.9. In terms of w , let us define the operator $L(\lambda)$ by relations:

$$\begin{aligned}(3.1) \quad w &= L(\lambda)g \\ &= \{L_\rho(\lambda)g, L_\nu(\lambda)g, L_\theta(\lambda)g\}.\end{aligned}$$

Here and hereafter, for $f \in X_q(\Omega)$, we put $f_0(x) = f(x)$ for $x \in \Omega$ and $= 0$ for $x \in R^3 \setminus \Omega$, $\Pi_b f$ stands for the restriction of f to Ω_b . By Remark 1.9 and (3.1) we have

$$\begin{aligned}(3.2) \quad &\|L(\lambda)\Pi_b f\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \|PL(\lambda)\Pi_b f\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ &\leq C(q, b, \lambda)\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \quad \text{for any } f \in X_q(\Omega).\end{aligned}$$

Let $R_0(\lambda), R_{0,\rho}(\lambda), R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)$ and $R_{0,\theta}(\lambda)$ be the same symbol as in (2.3) and (2.4). Since $\det[\lambda + \hat{A}(\xi)] \neq 0$ whenever $\xi \in R^3$ and $\lambda \in \Sigma$, by Theorem 7.9.5 of [6], we see that

$$\begin{aligned}(3.3) \quad &\|R_0(\lambda)f_0\|_{X_q(R^3)} + \|PR_0(\lambda)f_0\|_{2,q,R^3} \\ &\leq C(q, \lambda)\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \quad \text{for any } f \in X_q(\Omega).\end{aligned}$$

Let $\varphi \in C^\infty(R^3)$ such that $\varphi(x) = 0$ for $|x| \leq b - 2$ and $= 1$ for $|x| \geq b - 1$. We introduce the operator $Q_1(\lambda)$ by the relations:

$$\begin{aligned}(3.4) \quad Q_1(\lambda)f &= {}^T\{Q_{1,\rho}(\lambda)f, Q_{1,\nu}(\lambda)f, Q_{1,\theta}(\lambda)f\} \\ &:= \varphi R_0(\lambda)(f_0) + (1 - \varphi)L(\lambda)\Pi_b f \quad \text{for any } f \in X_q(\Omega),\end{aligned}$$

Then by (3.2) and (3.3) we have

$$(3.5) \quad {}^T\mathbf{Q}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \in W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^2(\Omega) \times W_q^2(\Omega) \quad \text{for any } \mathbf{f} \in X_q(\Omega),$$

$$(3.6) \quad \|\mathbf{Q}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{PQ}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f}\|_{2,q,\Omega} \\ \leq C(q, \lambda, b)\|\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \quad \text{for any } \mathbf{f} \in X_q(\Omega),$$

and

$$(3.7a) \quad (\lambda + A)\mathbf{Q}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} + V(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \text{ in } \Omega,$$

$$(3.7b) \quad \mathbf{PQ}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega,$$

where $V(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{V_\rho(\lambda)\mathbf{f}, V_\nu(\lambda)\mathbf{f}, V_\theta(\lambda)\mathbf{f}\}$ and

$$(3.8a) \quad V_\rho(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = \gamma\nabla\varphi[R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\nu(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}],$$

$$(3.8b) \quad V_\nu(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = -\alpha[\Delta\varphi + 2(\partial_j\varphi)\partial_j][R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\nu(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}] \\ - \beta\nabla\{\partial_j\varphi[R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\nu(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}]\}_j \\ - \beta\nabla\varphi\{\text{div}[R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\nu(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}]\} \\ + \gamma\nabla\varphi[R_{0,\rho}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\rho(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}] \\ + \omega\partial_j\varphi[R_{0,\theta}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\theta(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}]_j,$$

$$(3.8c) \quad V_\theta(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = -\kappa[\Delta\varphi + 2\partial_j\varphi\partial_j][R_{0,\theta}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\theta(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}] \\ + \omega\partial_j\varphi[R_{0,\nu}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\nu(\lambda)\Pi_b\mathbf{f}]_j.$$

Our task is to prove that $I + V(\lambda)$ has the bounded inverse from $X_q(\Omega)$ onto itself. It follows from (3.2), (3.3) and (3.8) that ${}^T V(\lambda) \in \mathcal{B}(X_q(\Omega), W_q^2(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega))$ for each $\lambda \in \Sigma$. Since $\text{supp } V(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \subset D_{b-1} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^3; b - 2 < |x| < b - 1\}$, by Rellich's compactness theorem $V(\lambda)$ is a compact operator from $X_q(\Omega)$ onto itself. Thus by Fredholm's alternative theorem, it suffices to show that $I + V(\lambda)$ is injective in $X_q(\Omega)$ in order to prove that $I + V(\lambda)$ has the bounded inverse. Let $(I + V(\lambda))\mathbf{f} = 0$ in Ω , $\mathbf{f} \in X_q(\Omega)$. Then it follows from (3.5), (3.7) and Lemma 3.1 that

$$\mathbf{Q}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, \\ \mathbf{PQ}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega,$$

which together with (3.4) implies that

$$(3.9a) \quad \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) = 0 \quad \text{for } |x| \geq b - 1,$$

$$(3.9b) \quad L(\lambda)\Pi_b f = 0 \quad \text{for } |x| \leq b - 2.$$

Put $z = \Pi_b \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) - w$ where $w = L(\lambda)\Pi_b f$ in Ω_b and $= 0$ in $R^3 \setminus \Omega$. By (3.9b) we know that ${}^T w \in W_q^1(B_b) \times W_q^2(B_b) \times W_q^2(B_b)$ and

$$(\lambda + A)w = \Pi_b^0 f_0 \text{ in } B_b, Pw = 0 \text{ on } |x| = b,$$

where $\Pi_b^0 f_0$ stands for the restriction of f_0 to B_b , and hence we see that

$$(\lambda + A)z = 0 \text{ in } B_b, Pz = 0 \text{ on } |x| = b,$$

which with the help of Theorem 1.5 means that $z = 0$ in B_b . As a result, we have

$$(3.10) \quad \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) = L(\lambda)\Pi_b f \quad \text{in } \Omega_b.$$

Combining (3.4) and (3.10), we see that

$$(3.11) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) &= \varphi\{\mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) - L(\lambda)\Pi_b f\} + \mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) \\ &= Q_1(\lambda)f = 0 \text{ in } \Omega_b. \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (3.9) and (3.11) that $\mathbf{R}_0(\lambda)(f_0) = 0$ in Ω , which together with (2.1) implies that $f_0 = f = 0$ in Ω . Therefore, we have proved that $(I + V(\lambda))$ has the bounded inverse $(I + V(\lambda))^{-1}$ from $X_q(\Omega)$ onto itself. Given $f \in X_q(\Omega)$, if we put $u = Q_1(\lambda)(I + V(\lambda))^{-1}$, by (3.7) and (3.6) we see that $(\lambda + A)u = f$ in $X_q(\Omega)$ and $u \in \mathcal{D}(A)$, which means that the inverse $(\lambda + A)^{-1}$ of $(\lambda + A)$ exists, and it is bounded, that is by (3.6)

$$\begin{aligned} &\|(\lambda + A)^{-1}f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + \|P(\lambda + A)^{-1}f\|_{2,q,\Omega} \\ &\leq C(q, b, \lambda)\|(I + V(\lambda))^{-1}\|_{\mathcal{B}(X_q(\Omega))}\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \end{aligned}$$

for any $f \in X_q(\Omega)$, which completes the proof.

§4. Behaviour of $(\lambda + A)^{-1}$ near $\lambda = 0$

In this section we shall discuss behaviour of $(\lambda + A)^{-1}$ near $\lambda = 0$. Our goal of this section is to prove the following theorem.

Let $Y_q(\Omega)$ and $Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ be the same symbols as in (1.6) and (0.5), respectively.

THEOREM 4.1. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, b_0 a number such that $B_{b_0} \supset \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \Omega$ and let $b > b_0$. Put $D_\varepsilon = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}; \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq 0, 0 < |\lambda| \leq \varepsilon\}$, $\mathcal{Y} = \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega); \mathcal{D}(A))$ and $\mathcal{A}(D_\varepsilon; \mathcal{Y})$ is the set of all \mathcal{Y} -valued holomorphic functions in D_ε . Then, there exists a positive number ε and $\tilde{R}(\lambda) \in \mathcal{A}(D_\varepsilon; \mathcal{Y})$ such that*

$$(4.1) \quad \tilde{R}(\lambda)f = (\lambda + A)^{-1}f,$$

$$(4.2a) \quad \|\tilde{R}(\lambda)f\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \|P\tilde{R}(\lambda)f\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(q, b, \varepsilon)\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)},$$

$$(4.2b) \quad \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k \tilde{R}(\lambda)f \right\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k P\tilde{R}(\lambda)f \right\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ \leq C(q, b, k, \varepsilon)|\lambda|^{(1/2)-k}\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)},$$

for any $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$, $f \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega_b)$ and $k \geq 1$ integers.

In Theorem 4.1, in view of proof of Remark 1,9, taking $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\Omega_b)$ such that $\int_{\Omega_b} \psi(x) dx = 1$, we have the following corollary:

COROLLARY 4.2. *Let $1 < q < \infty$, b_0 be a number such that $B_{b_0} \supset \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \Omega$ and let $b > b_0$. Put $\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{B}(X_{q,b}(\Omega); \mathcal{D}(A))$. Then, there exists a positive number ε and $R(\lambda) \in \mathcal{A}(D_\varepsilon; \mathcal{X})$ such that $R(\lambda)f = (\lambda + A)^{-1}f$,*

$$\|R(\lambda)f\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \|PR(\lambda)f\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(q, b, \varepsilon)\{\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + |\lambda|^{-1}\|f_1\|_{q,\Omega}\},$$

and

$$\left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k R(\lambda)f \right\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k PR(\lambda)f \right\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ \leq C(q, b, k, \varepsilon)|\lambda|^{(1/2)-k}\{\|f\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + |\lambda|^{-1}\|f_1\|_{q,\Omega}\},$$

for any $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$, $f = {}^T\{f_1, f_2, f_3\} \in X_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and $k \geq 1$ integers. Moreover,

$$R(\lambda) = \tilde{R}(\lambda)N_1 + \frac{\gamma}{\lambda} \tilde{R}(\lambda)N_2 + \frac{1}{\lambda} N_3$$

where $N_j = N_j(\psi, \Omega_b)$ ($j = 1, 2, 3$), are the same symbols as in (1.21).

To prove Theorem 4.1, in the same way to the proof of Theorem A we shall construct a parametrix near $\lambda = 0$. The following proposition concerning the uniqueness is a key in our argument, which was proved by Iwashita [9].

For an integer $m \geq 0$ and real numbers τ, q with $1 < q < \infty$, we set

$$W_q^{m,\tau}(\Omega) = \{u; (1 + |x|^2)^{\tau/2} \partial_x^\alpha u \in L_q(\Omega), |\alpha| \leq m\},$$

$$\hat{W}_q^m(\Omega) = \text{the completion of } C_0^\infty(\bar{\Omega}) \text{ by } \sum_{|\alpha|=m} \|\partial_x^\alpha \cdot\|_{q,\Omega}.$$

PROPOSITION 4.3. *Let $1 < q < \infty$. Suppose that $u \in \hat{W}_q^2(\Omega) \cap W_q^{1,\tau}(\Omega)$ and $p \in \hat{W}_q^1(\Omega) \cap L_q^{\tau'}(\Omega)$ with some $\tau, \tau' \in \mathbb{R}$ satisfy*

$$-\Delta u + \nabla p = 0, \quad \operatorname{div} u = 0 \text{ in } \Omega,$$

$$u|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega,$$

and

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |u(x)|^q dx = \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |p(x)|^q dx = 0.$$

Then, $u = 0$ and $p = 0$ in Ω .

REMARK 4.4. In view of proof of Proposition 4.3, we can replace $\hat{W}_q^2(\Omega) \cap W_q^{1,\tau}(\Omega)$ by $W_{q,E}^2(\Omega)$, $\hat{W}_q^1(\Omega) \cap L_q^{\tau'}(\Omega)$ by $W_{q,E}^1(\Omega)$, where

$$W_{q,E}^m(\Omega) = \{u; \text{there exists a } U \in W_{q,\text{loc}}^m(\mathbb{R}^3) \text{ such that } u = U \text{ in } \Omega\}.$$

Moreover, we can show the same uniqueness theorem for the system

$$-\Delta u = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, u|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega,$$

as Proposition 4.3.

Now we shall show the following results on uniqueness for (1.1).

LEMMA 4.5. *Let $1 < q < \infty$. Suppose that ${}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\} \in W_{q,E}^1(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega)$ satisfies the homogeneous equation:*

$$(4.3) \quad \begin{aligned} & \gamma \operatorname{div} v = 0, \\ & -\alpha \Delta v - \beta \nabla \operatorname{div} v + \gamma \nabla \rho + \omega \nabla \theta = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, \\ & -\kappa \Delta \theta + \omega \operatorname{div} v = 0, \\ & v|_{\partial\Omega} = 0, \theta|_{\partial\Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega, \end{aligned}$$

and satisfies

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.4) \quad & \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |\rho(x)|^q dx = 0, \\
 & \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |v(x)|^q dx = 0, \\
 & \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |\theta(x)|^q dx = 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Then $\rho = 0$, $v = 0$ and $\theta = 0$ in Ω .

PROOF. By (4.3), we have

$$(4.5) \quad -\kappa \Delta \theta = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, \theta|_{\partial \Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial \Omega,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.6) \quad & -\alpha \Delta v + \gamma \nabla \rho = \omega \nabla \theta \text{ in } \Omega, \\
 & \operatorname{div} v = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, v|_{\partial \Omega} = 0 \text{ on } \partial \Omega.
 \end{aligned}$$

In view of Remark 4.4, applying Proposition 4.3 to the system (4.5) with (4.4), we have $\theta = 0$ in Ω , which implies $\rho = 0$ and $v = 0$ in Ω by applying Proposition 4.3 to the system (4.6) with (4.4). This completes the proof.

A PROOF OF THEOREM 4.1. To prove Theorem 4.1, we shall use the symbols in the proof of Theorem A. For any $g \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, $w = L(0)g$ satisfies the following relations:

$$(4.7a) \quad Aw = g \text{ in } \Omega_b, Pw = 0 \text{ on } \partial \Omega_b.$$

$$(4.7b) \quad \|w\|_{Y_q(\Omega_b)} + \|Pw\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(q,b) \|g\|_{Y_q(\Omega_b)}.$$

Choosing φ in $C^\infty(R^3)$ so that $\varphi(x) = 1$ for $|x| \geq b - 1$ and $= 0$ if $|x| \leq b - 2$, we define the operator $R_1(\lambda)$ by the relations:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.8a) \quad R_1(\lambda)f &= {}^T\{R_{1,\rho}(\lambda)f, R_{1,v}(\lambda)f, R_{1,\theta}(\lambda)f\} \\
 &= \varphi R_0(\lambda)(f_0) + (1 - \varphi)L(0)f,
 \end{aligned}$$

for $f \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon \cup \{0\}$. Here, note that ${}^T\{\rho, v, \theta\} = L(0)f$ satisfies the equations (1.11) and (1.13), and which implies that $\rho = L_\rho(0)f$ is unique up to an

additive constant by Proposition 1.1. Hence, $L_\rho(0)$ is chosen in such a way that

$$(4.8b) \quad \int_{\Omega_b} (1 - \varphi)L_\rho(0)\mathbf{f} \, dx = \int_{B_b} R_{0,\rho}(0)\mathbf{f}_0 \, dx - \int_{\Omega_b} \varphi R_{0,\rho}(0)\mathbf{f}_0 \, dx.$$

Then by (4.7b), Theorem 2.2 and Lemma 2.4 we have

$$(4.9a) \quad \mathbf{R}_1(\lambda) \in \mathcal{A}(D_\varepsilon; \mathcal{Y}),$$

$$(4.9b) \quad {}^T\mathbf{R}_1(0) \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega), W_{q,E}^1(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega)),$$

$$(4.9c) \quad (\lambda + A)\mathbf{R}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} + \mathbf{S}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \text{ in } \Omega, \mathbf{P}\mathbf{R}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega,$$

where

$$(4.10a) \quad \mathbf{S}_1(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = {}^T\{\mathbf{S}_{1,\rho}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{S}_{1,v}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{S}_{1,\theta}(\lambda)\mathbf{f}\},$$

and

$$(4.10b) \quad \mathbf{S}_{1,\rho}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = \lambda(1 - \varphi)L_\rho(0)\mathbf{f} + \gamma\nabla\varphi[\mathbf{R}_{0,v}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_v(0)\mathbf{f}],$$

$$(4.10c) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathbf{S}_{1,v}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = & \lambda(1 - \varphi)L_v(0)\mathbf{f} \\ & - \alpha[\Delta\varphi + 2(\partial_j\varphi)\partial_j][\mathbf{R}_{0,v}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_v(0)\mathbf{f}] \\ & - \beta\nabla\{\partial_j\varphi[\mathbf{R}_{0,v}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_v(0)\mathbf{f}]\}_j \\ & - \beta\nabla\varphi\{\operatorname{div}[\mathbf{R}_{0,v}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_v(0)\mathbf{f}]\} \\ & + \gamma\nabla\varphi[\mathbf{R}_{0,\rho}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\rho(0)\mathbf{f}] \\ & + \omega\partial_j\varphi[\mathbf{R}_{0,\theta}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\theta(0)\mathbf{f}]_j, \end{aligned}$$

$$(4.10d) \quad \begin{aligned} \mathbf{S}_{1,\theta}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = & \lambda(1 - \varphi)L_\theta(0)\mathbf{f} \\ & - \kappa[\Delta\varphi + 2\partial_j\varphi\partial_j][\mathbf{R}_{0,\theta}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_\theta(0)\mathbf{f}] \\ & + \omega\partial_j\varphi[\mathbf{R}_{0,v}(\lambda)(\mathbf{f}_0) - L_v(0)\mathbf{f}]_j. \end{aligned}$$

It follows from (4.10), (4.9b), Theorem 2.2 and Lemma 2.4 that

$$(4.11a) \quad {}^T\mathbf{S}_1(\lambda) \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega), W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega)) \text{ for any } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon,$$

$$(4.11b) \quad \mathbf{S}_1(0) \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega), X_q^1(\Omega)).$$

Noting that the Stokes formula implies that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4.12) \quad & \int_{\Omega_b} S_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \, dx \\
 &= \lambda \int_{\Omega_b} (1 - \varphi) L_\rho(0) \mathbf{f} \, dx + \int_{B_b} \gamma \operatorname{div} R_{0,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}_0 \, dx \\
 &\quad - \int_{\Omega_b} \varphi \gamma \operatorname{div} [R_{0,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}_0 - L_\nu(0) \mathbf{f}] \, dx \\
 &= \lambda \left\{ \int_{\Omega_b} (1 - \varphi) L_\rho(0) \mathbf{f} \, dx - \int_{B_b} R_{0,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}_0 \, dx + \int_{\Omega_b} \varphi R_{0,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}_0 \, dx \right\},
 \end{aligned}$$

we have to modify $S_1(\lambda)$ such that total integral over Ω_b is zero because $S_1(\lambda) \mathbf{f}$ does not belong to $Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ when $\lambda \neq 0$. To do this, choosing $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\Omega_b)$ so that $\int_{\Omega_b} \psi(x) \, dx = 1$ and set

$$(4.13a) \quad \mathbf{R}_2(0) = \mathbf{R}_1(0),$$

$$(4.13b) \quad \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = {}^T \{ \mathbf{R}_{2,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{R}_{2,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{R}_{2,\theta}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \} \quad \text{for } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon,$$

where $\mathbf{R}_{2,\nu}(\lambda) = \mathbf{R}_{1,\nu}(\lambda)$, $\mathbf{R}_{2,\theta}(\lambda) = \mathbf{R}_{1,\theta}(\lambda)$ and

$$(4.13c) \quad \mathbf{R}_{2,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{R}_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} - \frac{1}{\lambda} \int_{\Omega_b} S_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \, dx \, \psi.$$

Also, put

$$(4.14a) \quad \mathbf{S}_2(0) = \mathbf{S}_1(0),$$

$$(4.14b) \quad \mathbf{S}_2(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = {}^T \{ \mathbf{S}_{2,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{S}_{2,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{S}_{2,\theta}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \} \quad \text{for } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon,$$

where $\mathbf{S}_{2,\theta}(\lambda) = \mathbf{S}_{1,\theta}(\lambda)$,

$$(4.14c) \quad \mathbf{S}_{2,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{S}_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} - \int_{\Omega_b} S_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \, dx \, \psi,$$

and

$$(4.14d) \quad \mathbf{S}_{2,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{S}_{1,\nu}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} - \frac{\gamma}{\lambda} \int_{\Omega_b} S_{1,\rho}(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \, dx \, \nabla \psi.$$

Then, it follows from (4.9), (4.10), (4.13) and (4.14) that

$$(4.15a) \quad \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda) \in \mathcal{A}(D_\varepsilon; \mathcal{Y}),$$

$$(4.15b) \quad (\lambda + \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} + \mathbf{S}_2(\lambda) \mathbf{f} \text{ in } \Omega, \mathbf{P} \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda) \mathbf{f} = 0 \text{ on } \partial \Omega,$$

and by (4.10), (4.11) and (4.14) we have

$$(4.16a) \quad {}^T\mathcal{S}_2(\lambda) \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega), W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega) \times W_q^1(\Omega)) \quad \text{for any } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon,$$

moreover, noting (4.8b) and (4.12), it follows from Lemma 2.4 that

$$(4.16b) \quad \int_{\Omega_b} S_{2,\rho}(\lambda) f \, dx = 0 \quad \text{for } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon \cup \{0\},$$

$$(4.16c) \quad \|\mathcal{S}_2(\lambda) - \mathcal{S}_2(0)\|_{\mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega), Y_{q,b}(\Omega))} \leq C(q, b, \delta) |\lambda|^\delta$$

for $\text{Re } \lambda \geq 0$, $|\lambda| \leq 1$, where $0 < \delta < 1/2$. Then, we shall show the following Lemma.

LEMMA 4.6. *Let $1 < q < \infty$. Then, $I + \mathcal{S}_2(0) \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega))$ has the bounded inverse $(I + \mathcal{S}_2(0))^{-1}$.*

PROOF. Since $\text{supp } \mathcal{S}_2(0)f$ is contained in Ω_b , it follows from (4.11b), (4.14a), (4.16b) and Rellich's compactness theorem, $\mathcal{S}_2(0)$ is a compact operator from $Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ into itself. Thus, to prove this Lemma, by Fredholm's alternative theorem, it suffices to show that $I + \mathcal{S}_2(0)$ is injective. Let $(I + \mathcal{S}_2(0))f = 0$ in Ω , $f \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$. Our task is to prove that $f = 0$. It follows from (4.7b), (4.9b), (4.13a) and (4.15b) that ${}^T\mathcal{R}_2(0)f \in W_{q,E}^1(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega) \times W_{q,E}^2(\Omega)$ and satisfies

$$(4.17) \quad \mathcal{A}\mathcal{R}_2(0)f = 0 \text{ in } \Omega, \mathcal{P}\mathcal{R}_2(0)f = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega.$$

Since $\mathcal{R}_2(0)f = \mathcal{R}_0(0)(f_0)$ for $|x| \geq b - 1$ it follows from Lemma 2.4 that

$$\lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{R^3} \int_{R < |x| < 2R} |(\mathcal{R}_2(0)f)(x)|^q \, dx = 0.$$

Hence by (4.17) and Lemma 4.5 we have

$$(4.18) \quad \mathcal{R}_2(0)f = 0 \text{ in } \Omega,$$

and it follows from (4.8a), (4.13a) and (4.18) that

$$(4.19a) \quad \mathcal{R}_0(0)(f_0) = 0 \text{ for } |x| \geq b - 1,$$

$$(4.19b) \quad L(0)f = 0 \text{ for } x \in \Omega_{b-2}.$$

Let us define w by the relations: $w(x) = L(0)f(x)$ for $x \in \Omega_b$ and $= 0$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \Omega_b$, and then by (4.19) we see that $z = \pi_b^0 \mathcal{R}_0(0)(f_0) - w$ possess the

following properties: ${}^T\mathbf{z} \in W_q^1(B_b) \times W_q^2(B_b) \times W_q^2(B_b)$ and

$$A\mathbf{z} = 0 \text{ in } B_b, P\mathbf{z} = 0 \text{ on } S_b,$$

where $\pi_b^0 v$ is the restriction of v to B_b , and hence by Lemma 1.8 we know that $\mathbf{z} = 0$ in Ω_b , which means that

$$(4.20) \quad \mathbf{R}_0(0)(\mathbf{f}_0) = L(0)\mathbf{f} \text{ in } \Omega_b.$$

Therefore, employing the same argument as in the proof of Theorem 3.1, by (4.19) and (4.20) we have $\mathbf{f} = 0$, which completes the proof of this Lemma.

We return to the proof of Theorem 4.1. In view of Lemma 4.6, $(I + S_2(0))^{-1} \in \mathcal{B}(Y_{q,b}(\Omega))$, and then put

$$M = \|(I + S_2(0))^{-1}\|,$$

where $\|\cdot\|$ stands for the operation norm. By (4.16c) and Neumann series expansion, there exists an $\varepsilon > 0$ such that $I + S_2(\lambda)$ also has the bounded inverse $(I + S_2(\lambda))^{-1}$ from $Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ onto itself whenever $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$, and moreover

$$(4.21) \quad \|(I + S_2(\lambda))^{-1}\| \leq 2M \text{ for } \lambda \in D_\varepsilon.$$

If we look at (4.13) with (4.8) and (4.10), by Theorem 2.2 we have

$$(4.22a) \quad \|\mathbf{R}_2(\lambda)\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \|\mathbf{P}\mathbf{R}_2(\lambda)\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(\varepsilon, b)\|\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)},$$

$$(4.22b) \quad \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \right\|_{X_q(\Omega_b)} + \left\| \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^k \mathbf{P}\mathbf{R}_2(\lambda) \right\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \\ \leq C(\varepsilon, b)|\lambda|^{1/2-k}\|\mathbf{f}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}, \quad k \geq 1,$$

for $\mathbf{f} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$. Put

$$\tilde{\mathbf{R}}(\lambda) = \mathbf{R}_2(\lambda)(I + S_2(\lambda))^{-1},$$

and then by (4.15) we see that $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} \in \mathcal{D}(A)$ and

$$(4.23) \quad (\lambda + A)\tilde{\mathbf{R}}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} \text{ in } \Omega$$

for any $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$ and $\mathbf{f} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$. In particular, when $\mathbf{f} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, by (4.23) and Lemma 3.1 we have $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}(\lambda)\mathbf{f} = (\lambda + A)^{-1}\mathbf{f}$ for $\lambda \in D_\varepsilon$ and $\mathbf{f} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$. Combining (4.21), (4.22) we have (4.1) and (4.2), which completes the proof of Theorem 4.1.

§5. Proofs of Theorem B and Corollary C

In this section, we shall prove Theorem B and Corollary. C. To do this we prepare the following lemma, which was proved by Shibata. (see Theorem 3.2 and 3.7 of [18])

LEMMA 5.1. *Let X be a Banach space with norm $|\cdot|_X$. Let $f(\tau)$ be a function of $C^\infty(\mathbb{R} - \{0\}; X)$ such that $f(\tau) = 0$, $|\tau| \geq a$ with some $a > 0$. Assume that there exists a constant $C(f)$ depending on f such that for any $0 < |\tau| \leq a$,*

$$\left| \left(\frac{d}{d\tau} \right)^k f(\tau) \right|_X \leq C(f) |\tau|^{-1/2-k}, k = 0, 1.$$

Put $g(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(\tau) e^{-i t \tau} d\tau$. Then

$$|g(t)|_X \leq C(1+t)^{-1/2} C(f).$$

Now we shall prove Theorem B. In view of the facts that when $0 < t \leq 1$ by Theorem A we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \|\partial_t^M e^{-tA} \mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{P} \partial_t^M e^{-tA} \mathbf{u}\|_{2,q,\Omega} \\ & \leq C \|(1+A)^{M+N} e^{-tA} \mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \leq C t^{-N-M} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \end{aligned}$$

for any $\mathbf{u} \in X_q(\Omega)$ and any integers $N \geq 1, M \geq 0$, we have only to show the case $t \geq 1$. Note that by Corollary 7.5 of [16, Chapter 1] we can write

$$\begin{aligned} (5.1) \quad e^{-tA} \mathbf{u} &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\varepsilon-i\infty}^{\varepsilon+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} d\lambda \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\pi i t} \int_{\varepsilon-i\infty}^{\varepsilon+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} \frac{d}{d\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} d\lambda \end{aligned}$$

for all $\mathbf{u} \in \mathcal{D}(A^2)$, because

$$(5.2) \quad \left\| \frac{d}{d\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} \right\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \leq \frac{C(\varepsilon)}{1+|\lambda|^2} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} \quad \text{for any } \operatorname{Re} \lambda \geq \varepsilon > 0$$

by Theorem A. Since $\mathcal{D}(A^2)$ is dense in $X_q(\Omega)$, the equation (5.1) holds in $X_q(\Omega)$.

Let $\mathbf{u} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, $b > b_0$ and let $\psi \in C_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^3)$ such that $\psi(x) = 1$ for $|x| \leq b$ and $= 0$ for $|x| \geq b+1$. Since we can move the path in the following integral to

the imaginary axis by Theorem 4.1, (5.1) and (5.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_X^\alpha \psi e^{-tA} \mathbf{u} &= \frac{-1}{2\pi i t} D_X^\alpha \left\{ \int_{\varepsilon-i\infty}^{\varepsilon+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} \psi \frac{d}{d\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} d\lambda \right\} \\ &= \frac{-1}{2\pi t} D_X^\alpha \left\{ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{its} \psi \frac{d}{ds} (is + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} ds \right\} \end{aligned}$$

for any $\mathbf{u} \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$ and multi-index α_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) : $|\alpha_1| \leq 1, |\alpha_i| \leq 2$ ($i = 2, 3$) where $D_X^\alpha = T\{(\partial_X)^{\alpha_1}, (\partial_X)^{\alpha_2}, (\partial_X)^{\alpha_3}\}$. Taking $\eta(s) \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ so that $\eta(s) = 1$ for $|s| \leq 1/4$ and $= 0$ for $|s| \geq 1/2$ we have

$$(5.3) \quad D_X^\alpha \psi e^{-tA} \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{J}_0(t) \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{J}_\infty(t) \mathbf{u}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{J}_0(t) \mathbf{u} &= \frac{-1}{2\pi t} D_X^\alpha (\psi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{its} \eta(s) \frac{d}{ds} (is + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} ds), \\ \mathbf{J}_\infty(t) \mathbf{u} &= \frac{-1}{2\pi t} D_X^\alpha (\psi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{its} (1 - \eta(s)) \frac{d}{ds} (is + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u} ds). \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem A we have

$$\begin{aligned} (5.4) \quad &\|D_X^\alpha (1 - \eta(s)) \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^N (is + A)^{-1} \mathbf{u}\|_{q,\Omega} \\ &\leq (1 - \eta(s)) \{ \|(is + A)^{-N-1} \mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{P}(is + A)^{-N-1} \mathbf{u}\|_{2,q,\Omega} \} \\ &\leq C(N)(1 + |s|)^{-N} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}, \end{aligned}$$

and hence by the relation $(1/t) \cdot (d/d\lambda) e^{t\lambda} = e^{t\lambda}$, we have

$$(5.5) \quad \|\partial_t^M \mathbf{J}_\infty(t) \mathbf{u}\|_{q,\Omega} \leq C(N, M, \alpha) t^{-N} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}$$

for any integers $N \geq 2, M \geq 0$. On the other hand, noting that

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t^M \mathbf{J}_0(t) \mathbf{f} &= \frac{-1}{2\pi} \sum_{n=0}^M \binom{M}{n} \partial_t^{M-n} t^{-1} D_X^\alpha \left\{ \psi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{ist} \eta(s) (is)^n \frac{d}{ds} \tilde{\mathbf{R}}(is) \mathbf{f} ds \right\} \\ &= -t^{-(M+1)} \sum_{n=0}^M c(n) D_X^\alpha \left\{ \psi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{ist} \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^n \{ \eta(s) (is)^n \frac{d}{ds} \tilde{\mathbf{R}}(is) \mathbf{f} \} ds \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

it follows from Theorem 4.1 and Lemma 5.1 that

$$(5.6) \quad \|\partial_t^M \mathbf{J}_0(t) \mathbf{u}\|_{q,\Omega} \leq C(M, b, q) (1 + t)^{-(M+3/2)} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{X_q(\Omega)}$$

for any $u \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, integer $M \geq 0$ and $t \geq 1$. Combining (5.3), (5.5) and (5.6) we have for any $u \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, integer $M \geq 0$ and $t \geq 1$

$$(5.7) \quad \|\partial_t^M e^{-tA} u\|_{Y_{q,b}(\Omega)} + \|\partial_t^M P e^{-tA} u\|_{2,q,\Omega_b} \leq C(1+t)^{-3/2-M} \|u\|_{Y_{q,b}(\Omega)}.$$

This completes the proof of Theorem B.

Next we shall prove Corollary C. Let $u \in X_{q,b}(\Omega)$. Taking $\phi \in C_0^\infty(\Omega_b)$, such that $\int_{\Omega_b} \phi(x) dx = 1$, in view of Remark 1.9, we have

$$(\lambda + A)^{-1} u = (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_1 u + \frac{\gamma}{\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_2 u + \frac{1}{\lambda} N_3 u \quad \text{for } u \in X_{q,b}(\Omega)$$

where $N_j = N_j(\phi, \Omega_b)$ ($j = 1, 2, 3$) be the same symbol as in (1.21). Combining this and (5.1), we have

$$(5.8) \quad \begin{aligned} e^{-tA} u &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_1 u d\lambda \\ &\quad + \frac{\gamma}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_2 u \frac{d\lambda}{\lambda} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} \frac{1}{\lambda} e^{t\lambda} N_3 u d\lambda. \end{aligned}$$

Putting $T_1(b, \phi, t)u = e^{-tA} N_1 u$ and $T_2(b, \phi, t)u = \gamma \int_0^t e^{-sA} N_2 u ds + N_3 u$, since $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} \frac{1}{\lambda} e^{t\lambda} u d\lambda = u$ for any $u \in X_q(\Omega)$, and since by Theorem 7.4 of [16, Chapter 1] we have

$$\int_0^t e^{-sA} u ds = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} u \frac{d\lambda}{\lambda} \quad \text{for } u \in \mathcal{D}(A) \text{ and } t > 0,$$

it follows from (5.1) and (5.8) that the relation (0.8) holds. Moreover, nothing that $N_1 u, N_2 u \in Y_{q,b}(\Omega)$, since by (5.1) and (5.8) we have

$$(5.9) \quad \begin{aligned} \partial_t e^{-tA} u &= \partial_t \left\{ \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_1 u d\lambda \right\} \\ &\quad + \frac{-\gamma}{2\pi i} \int_{\beta-i\infty}^{\beta+i\infty} e^{t\lambda} (\lambda + A)^{-1} N_2 u d\lambda, \end{aligned}$$

it follows from (5.7), (5.8) and (5.9) that the estimates (0.9) and (0.10) hold. This completes the proof of Corollary C.

APPENDIX 1. Let n be an integer ≥ 0 and let

$$F(\lambda; r) = \lambda^3 + (\alpha + \beta + \kappa)r^2\lambda^2 + \{(\alpha + \beta)\kappa r^2 + \gamma^2 + \omega^2\}r^2\lambda + \gamma^2\kappa r^4.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(App1)} \quad \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^n F(\lambda; r)^{-1} &= \sum_{0 \leq \ell \leq [(n-\ell)/2]} \sum_{k=0}^{[(n-\ell)/2]-\ell} C(k, \ell, n) \{F(\lambda; r)\}^{-n-1+2\ell+k} \\ &\quad \times \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{n-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, set $G(\lambda; r) = (\lambda + \alpha r^2)F(\lambda; r)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(App2)} \quad \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^n G(\lambda; r)^{-1} &= \sum_{m=0}^n \sum_{0 \leq \ell \leq [(m-\ell)/2]} \sum_{k=0}^{[(m-\ell)/2]-\ell} C(m, k, \ell, n) \left\{ G(\lambda; r)^{-n-1} F(\lambda; r)^{n-m+2\ell+k} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \times \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{m-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k \right\} (\lambda + \alpha r^2)^m. \end{aligned}$$

PROOF. Since it directly follows from (App1) and Leibniz rule that (App2) holds, our task is to show (App1). Now we shall show (App1) by induction on n . When $n = 0$, obviously (App1) holds. Assume that $n \geq 1$ and that (App1) and that (App1) is valid for smaller values of n . Noting that $(d/d\lambda)^3 F(\lambda; r) = 6$, we have

(App3)

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{d}{d\lambda} I_n(\lambda; r) \\ &= \frac{d}{d\lambda} \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{[(n-\ell)/2]-\ell} C(k, \ell, n) F(\lambda; r)^{-n-1+2\ell+k} \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{n-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k \right\} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{[(n-\ell)/2]-\ell} C(k, \ell, n) F(\lambda; r)^{-n-2+2\ell+k} \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{n+1-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=1}^{[(n-\ell)/2]-\ell+1} C(k, \ell, n) F(\lambda; r)^{-n-2+2\ell+k} \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{n+1-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k \\ &\quad + \sum_{k=0}^{[(n-\ell)/2]-\ell-1} C(k, \ell, n) F(\lambda; r)^{-n+2\ell+k} \left\{ \frac{d}{d\lambda} F(\lambda; r) \right\}^{n-2-3\ell-2k} \left\{ \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^2 F(\lambda; r) \right\}^k \\ &= I_{n,1}(\lambda; r) + I_{n,2}(\lambda; r) + I_{n,3}(\lambda; r). \end{aligned}$$

Since $[(n - \ell)/2] - \ell = [(n + 1 - \ell)/2] - \ell$ when both n and ℓ are even or odd, and since $[(n - \ell)/2] - \ell = [(n + 1 - \ell)/2] - \ell - 1$ when n (resp. ℓ) is even and ℓ (resp. n) is odd, we have

$$(App4) \quad I_{n,1}(\lambda; r) = I_{n+1}(\lambda; r).$$

Also since $n - 3\ell - 2([(n - \ell)/2] - \ell) = 0$ when both n and ℓ are even or odd, and since $n - 3\ell - 2([(n - \ell)/2] - \ell) = 1$ when n (resp. ℓ) is even and ℓ (resp. n) is odd, we have

$$(App5) \quad I_{n,2}(\lambda; r) = I_{n+1}(\lambda; r).$$

Note that $0 \leq \ell \leq m$ if $0 \leq \ell \leq [(n - \ell)/2]$ and $n = 3m + k$ ($k = 0, 1, 2$). When $n = 3m, 3m + 1$, since $0 \leq \ell \leq m$ if $0 \leq \ell \leq [(n + 1 - \ell)/2]$, it follows from (App3), (App4), (App5) and the induction assumption that

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^{n+1} F(\lambda; r)^{-1} &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m \frac{d}{d\lambda} I_n(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m I_{n+1}(\lambda; r) + \sum_{\ell=0}^{m-1} I_{n,3}(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m I_{n+1}(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{0 \leq \ell \leq [(n+1-\ell)/2]} I_{n+1}(\lambda; r). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, when $n = 3m + 2$, since $0 \leq \ell \leq m + 1$ if $0 \leq \ell \leq [(n + 1 - \ell)/2]$, and since $[(n - \ell)/2] - \ell - 1 = 0$ if $\ell = m$, it follows from (App3), (App4), (App5) and the induction assumption that

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{d}{d\lambda}\right)^{n+1} F(\lambda; r)^{-1} &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m \frac{d}{d\lambda} I_n(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m I_{n+1}(\lambda; r) + \sum_{\ell=0}^m I_{n,3}(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{\ell=0}^m I_{n+1}(\lambda; r) + \sum_{\ell=1}^{m+1} I_{n+1}(\lambda; r) \\ &= \sum_{0 \leq \ell \leq [(n+1-\ell)/2]} I_{n+1}(\lambda; r). \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.

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