

Existence and uniqueness of strong solutions of nonhomogeneous incompressible asymmetric fluids in unbounded domains

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Abstract

We consider an initial boundary value problem for a system of equations describing nonstationary flows of nonhomogeneous incompressible asymmetric fluids in unbounded domains. Under conditions similar to the ones for the ones for the usual Navier-Stokes equations, we prove the existence and uniqueness of strong solutions.

1 Introduction

Let Ω be a bounded or unbounded domain in \mathbb{R}^3 , $T > 0$ and $Q_T = \Omega \times [0, T]$. The equations that describe the motion of nonhomogeneous asymmetric fluids are given by

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \rho(\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u} - (\mu + \mu_r) \Delta \mathbf{u} + \nabla p = 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w} + \rho \mathbf{f}, \\ \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} = 0, \\ \rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} + \rho(\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w} - (c_a + c_d) \Delta \mathbf{w} - (c_0 + c_d - c_a) \nabla \operatorname{div} \mathbf{w} \\ \quad + 4\mu_r \mathbf{w} = 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{u} + \rho \mathbf{g}, \\ \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \rho = 0, \end{array} \right. \quad (1)$$

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together with the following boundary and initial conditions

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{u} = 0 & \text{on } \Sigma_T = \partial\Omega \times (0, T), \\ \mathbf{u}(x, 0) = \mathbf{u}_0(x) & \text{in } \Omega, \\ \mathbf{w} = 0 & \text{on } \Sigma_T = \partial\Omega \times (0, T), \\ \mathbf{w}(x, 0) = \mathbf{w}_0(x) & \text{in } \Omega, \\ \rho(x, 0) = \rho_0(x) & \text{in } \Omega. \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

The functions $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2, u_3)$, $\mathbf{w} = (w_1, w_2, w_3)$, p and ρ denote the velocity vector, the angular velocity vector of rotation of particles, the pressure and the density of the fluid, respectively. The functions $\mathbf{f} = (f_1, f_2, f_3)$ and $\mathbf{g} = (g_1, g_2, g_3)$ denote external sources of linear and angular momentum, respectively. The positive constants μ, μ_r, c_0, c_a and c_d are viscosities. We consider $c_0 + c_d > c_a$.

For the derivation and discussion of equations (1.1)- (1.2) which represent conservation laws, see [?], [?].

Existence of solutions to the system (1.1)-(1.2) in a bounded domain are considered in Lukaszewicz [?] (see, also [?]), Boldrini and Rojas-Medar [?] and Conca, Gormaz, Ortega-Torres and Rojas-Medar [?], the two last works obtain also the uniqueness of solutions.

The local existence of weak solutions for (1.1)-(1.2) was established by Lukaszewicz [?] under certain assumptions by using linearization and almost fixed point theorem.

Using the spectral semi-Galerkin method, Boldrini and Rojas-Medar [?] proved the existence and uniqueness of strong solutions (local and global). Analogous results were obtained in [?], in this work an iterative procedure was used.

However, no study of existence and uniqueness has been considered for system (1.1)-(1.2) in unbounded domains. We observe that this model includes as a particular case of the nonhomogeneous Navier-Stokes equations, which has been studied early by some authors, for example, Kazhikov [?] (see, also [?], [?]), Kim [?], for weak solutions, Ladyzhenskaya and Solonnikov [?], Okamoto [?], Salvi [?], Boldrini and Rojas-Medar [?] for existence and uniqueness of strong solutions. The above authors work in bounded domains. For exterior domains see the works of Padula [?], [?] and in unbounded domains Fernández-Caras and Guillén [?] and Itoh and Tani [?] (see, also Lions [?]).

This paper is organized as follows: in Section 2 we state some preliminary results, we also state the result of existence and uniqueness of strong solu-

tion. In Section 3, we study the linear problems associated with (1.1)-(1.2). Finally, in Section 4 we prove our result.

2 Preliminaries

We use the classical notations and results of the Sobolev spaces. For $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ and $1 \leq q \leq \infty$,

$$W_q^k(\Omega) = \{\mathbf{u} \in L_q(\Omega) / \sum_{|\alpha| \leq k} \|D_x^\alpha \mathbf{u}\| < \infty\}$$

$$W_q^{2,1}(Q_T) = \{\mathbf{u} \in L_q(Q_T) / \|\mathbf{u}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} = \|\mathbf{u}_t\|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \sum_{|\alpha| \leq 2} \|D_x^\alpha \mathbf{u}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} < \infty\},$$

where $D_x^\alpha = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right)^{\alpha_1} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}\right)^{\alpha_2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_3}\right)^{\alpha_3}$ and $|\alpha| = \sum_i \alpha_i$.

It is known that the values of the function from $W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)$ on the hyperplane $t = \text{const.}$ belong for $\forall t \in [0, T]$ to the Slobodetskii-Besov space $W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)$ and depend continuously on t in the norm of $W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)$, defined by

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} = \left(\sum_{|\alpha| \leq 1} \|D_x^\alpha \mathbf{u}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q + \sum_{|\alpha|=1} \int_{\Omega} \int_{\Omega} \frac{|D_x^\alpha \mathbf{u}(x) - D_x^\alpha \mathbf{u}(y)|^q}{|x-y|^{1+q}} dx dy \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.$$

Moreover, we have the Solonnikov's inequality

$$\|\mathbf{u}(\cdot, t)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} \leq \|\mathbf{u}(\cdot, 0)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} + \hat{c} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)},$$

where the constant \hat{c} does not depend on t .

For more details of the Slobodetskii-Besov space see [?]

Let $q > 3$. assume that

$$\rho_0(x) \in C^0(\bar{\Omega}), \nabla \rho_0(x) \in W_q^1(\Omega),$$

$$0 < m \leq \rho_0(x) \leq M < \infty,$$

$$\mathbf{u}_0(x) \in W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega), \mathbf{u}_0|_S = 0, \text{div } \mathbf{u}_0 = 0,$$

$$\mathbf{w}_0(x) \in W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega), \mathbf{w}_0|_S = 0,$$

$$\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{g} \in L_q(Q_T).$$

Then there exists $T_1 \in (0, T]$ such that problem (1.1)-(1.2) has a unique solution $(\rho, \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{w}, p)$ which satisfies

$$\begin{aligned}\rho &\in C^0(\overline{Q_{T_1}}), \nabla \rho \in C^0([0, T_1]; W_q^1(\Omega)), \\ 0 &< m \leq \rho(x, t) \leq M < \infty, \\ \mathbf{u}(x, t) &\in W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1}), \\ \nabla p &\in L_q(Q_{T_1}) \\ \mathbf{w} &\in W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1}).\end{aligned}$$

In the rest of work we assume that $q > 3$.

3 Linear problems

In this section, we study some linear problems associated with (1.1)-(1.2). The first Lemma is proved in Itoh and Tani [?].

Let $\rho \in C^{\alpha, \beta}(\overline{Q_T})$, $\alpha, \beta \in (0, 1)$ such that $0 < m \leq \rho(x) \leq M < \infty$. Then for any $F \in L_q(Q_T)$ and $\mathbf{u}_0(x) \in W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)$ with $\mathbf{u}_0|_{\Sigma_T} = 0$ and $\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}_0 = 0$, problem

$$\begin{aligned}\rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} - (\mu + \mu_r) \Delta \mathbf{u} + \nabla p &= F, \\ \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} &= 0, \\ \mathbf{u}|_{\Sigma_T} &= 0, \\ \mathbf{u}(0) &= \mathbf{u}_0(x)\end{aligned}$$

has a unique solution $\mathbf{u} \in W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)$, satisfying

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} + \|\nabla p\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \leq K_1(\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha, \beta}(\overline{Q_T})}, T)(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} + \|F\|_{L_q(Q_T)}),$$

where K_1 is an increasing function of $\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha, \beta}(\overline{Q_T})}$ and T , depending on m and M .

The next Lemma is proved in [?].

Let $\rho \in C^{\alpha,\beta}(Q_T)$, $\alpha, \beta \in (0, 1)$, such that $0 < m \leq \rho(x, t) \leq M$. Then for any function $G \in L_q(Q_T)$, $q > 3$ and $\mathbf{w}_0(x) \in W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)$ with $\mathbf{w}_0|_{\Sigma_T} = 0$, problem

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}}{\partial t} - \nu \Delta \mathbf{w} - \gamma \nabla \operatorname{div} \mathbf{w} + 4\mu_r \mathbf{w} &= G(x, t) \text{ em } \Omega, \\ \mathbf{w} &\equiv 0 \text{ sobre } \Sigma_T, \\ \mathbf{w}(x, 0) &= \mathbf{w}_0(x) \text{ em } \Omega, \end{aligned}$$

has a unique solution $\mathbf{w} \in W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)$, satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\|\mathbf{w}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} \right)^q + \sup_{\tau \leq t} \left(\|\mathbf{w}(x, \tau)\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \right)^q \\ & \leq C \frac{M^{q+1}(t)}{m^{q+1}(t)} \left(1 + m^{-1}(t) \sup_{\tau \leq t} [\rho(x, \tau)]_{\Omega}^{(\alpha)} \right)^{\frac{2q}{\alpha}} \left[\tilde{G}^q(t) + \|\mathbf{w}\|_{L_a(Q_t)}^q \right], \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= \max(1, \max_{Q_t} \rho), \\ m(t) &= \min(1, \min_{Q_t} \rho), \\ \tilde{G}^q(t) &= \|G\|_{L_q(Q_t)}^q + \|\mathbf{w}_0(x)\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^q. \end{aligned}$$

We observe that the above inequality can write of the following form

$$\|\mathbf{w}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} \leq K_2(\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha,\beta}(\overline{Q_T})}, T) (\|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} + \|G\|_{L_q(Q_T)}), \quad (4)$$

where K_2 is an increasing function of $\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha,\beta}(\overline{Q_T})}$ and T , depending on m and M (it is consequence from (3.1) by standard arguments see [?])

The next Lemma is proved in Ladyszenskaya and Solonnikov [?] (see also [?]).

If \mathbf{u} satisfies $\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u} = 0$, $\mathbf{u}|_{\Sigma_T} = 0$ and

$$\|\mathbf{u}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)} + \int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}(t)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)} dt < \infty$$

then for any $\rho_0 \in C^1(\overline{\Omega})$ such that $0 < m \leq \rho_0(x) \leq M < \infty$, problem

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \rho &= 0, \\ \rho(0) &= \rho_0(x) \end{aligned}$$

has a unique solution $\rho \in C^{1,1}(\overline{Q_T})$, which satisfies

$$m \leq \rho(x, t) \leq M$$

$$\|\nabla \rho\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} \leq \sqrt{3} \|\nabla \rho_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \exp\left(\int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} dt\right),$$

$$\|\rho_t\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} \leq \sqrt{3} \|\mathbf{u}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} \|\nabla \rho_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \exp\left(\int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} dt\right).$$

Moreover, if $\nabla \rho_0 \in W_q^1(\Omega)$ and $\mathbf{u} \in L_1(0, T; W_q^2(\Omega))$, then

$$\frac{d}{dt} \|\nabla \rho(t)\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)} \leq c \|\mathbf{u}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)} \|\nabla \rho(t)\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}.$$

The proof of the next Lemma is easily.

Let \mathbf{u} be the same as in Lemma 3.3. If $\rho \in C^{1,1}(\overline{Q_T})$ satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \rho &= h, \\ \rho(0) &= \rho_0(x) \end{aligned}$$

where $h \in L_1(0, T; L^\infty(\Omega))$, then we have

$$\|\rho(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \leq \int_0^t \|h(\tau)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} d\tau.$$

4 Auxiliary result

We construct approximate solution inductively

$$\mathbf{u}^{(0)} = \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{w}^{(0)} = \mathbf{0}$$

and for $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$, $\{\rho^{(k)}\}$, $\{\mathbf{u}^{(k)}, p^{(k)}\}$ and $\{\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\}$ are respectively, the solutions of problems

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \rho^{(k)}}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \rho^{(k)} &= 0, \\ \rho^{(k)}(0) &= \rho_0(x) \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\rho^{(k)} \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}^{(k)}}{\partial t} - (\mu + \mu_r) \Delta \mathbf{u}^{(k)} + \nabla p^{(k)} &= \rho^{(k)} \mathbf{f} + 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)} - \rho^{(k)} (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}, \\
\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}^{(k)} &= 0, \\
\mathbf{u}^{(k)}|_{\Sigma_T} &= 0, \\
\mathbf{u}^{(k)}(0) &= \mathbf{u}_0(x)
\end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\rho^{(k)} \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}^{(k)}}{\partial t} - (c_a + c_d) \Delta \mathbf{w}^{(k)} - (c_0 + c_d - c_a) \nabla \operatorname{div} \mathbf{w}^{(k)} + 4\mu_r \mathbf{w}^{(k)} \\
= \rho^{(k)} \mathbf{g} + 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} - \rho^{(k)} (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}
\end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{w}^{(k)}|_{\Sigma_T} &= 0, \\
\mathbf{w}^{(k)}(0) &= \mathbf{w}_0(x).
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we prove the boundness of above sequence.

For sufficiently small $T_1 \in (0, T]$, the sequence $\{\mathbf{u}^{(k)}, \nabla p^{(k)}, \mathbf{w}^{(k)}\}$ is bounded in $W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1}) \times L_q(Q_{T_1}) \times W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1})$.

Let

$$\Phi^{(k)}(T) = \|\mathbf{u}^{(k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} + \|\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} + \|\nabla p^{(k)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}.$$

Lemmas 3.1 and 3.2 imply

$$\begin{aligned}
\Phi^{(k)}(T) &\leq K_1(\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha,\beta}(\overline{Q_T})}, T) (\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} + \|\rho^{(k)} \mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \|\rho^{(k)} (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \\
&\quad + \|2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}) \\
&\quad + K_2(\|\rho\|_{C^{\alpha,\beta}(\overline{Q_T})}, T) (\|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)} + \|\rho^{(k)} \mathbf{g}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \|\rho^{(k)} (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \\
&\quad + \|2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}).
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we estimate the right-hand side of the above inequality.

To estimate the term $\|\rho^{(k)} (\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}$ we will obtain first the following inequality

$$\|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} \leq C_1 (\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T)). \tag{8}$$

Since

$$\|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \leq \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} ,$$

using the interpolation inequality (see [?]) with $q = \infty$, $q' = r$, $a = 3/q$ and the fact that $\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)|_{\partial\Omega} = 0$, $\mathbf{u}_0(x)|_{\partial\Omega} = 0$, we have

$$\|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \leq C_2 \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}^{3/q} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^{1-3/q} . \quad (9)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q &= \int_{\Omega} |\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t) - \mathbf{u}_0|^q dx \\ &= \int_{\Omega} \left| \int_0^t \mathbf{u}_t^{(k-1)}(s) ds \right|^q dx \\ &\leq \int_{\Omega} \left| \left(\int_0^t ds \right)^{1/q'} \left(\int_0^t |\mathbf{u}_t^{(k-1)}(s)|^q ds \right)^{1/q} \right|^q dx \\ &\leq t^{q/q'} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)}^q , \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

where $\frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{q'} = 1$.

By using the Sobolev embedding (see [?] pp. 108), for $mq > 3$, we have

$$\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \leq C_2 \|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)} \leq C_3 \|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} . \quad (11)$$

Using the Solonnikov inequality , we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)} &\leq \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \\ &\leq C_4 \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)} + \|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} . \end{aligned}$$

Substituting the inequalities (4.6) and (4.7) in (4.5), we obtain the inequality (4.4).

Now, we estimate the following term. By using, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} &\leq C_5 \int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)} dt \\ &\leq C_5 \left(\int_0^T dt \right)^{1/q'} \left(\int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^q dt \right)^{1/q} \\ &\leq C_5 T^{1/q} \Phi^{(k-1)}(T) . \end{aligned}$$

Using the interpolation inequality, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L_q(\Omega)} &\leq \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)} \\ &\leq \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^a \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}^{(1-a)}.\end{aligned}$$

Consequently

$$\begin{aligned}\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}^q &\leq M^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^q \int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q dt \\ &\leq M^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^q \int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^{aq} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}^{(1-a)q} dt \\ &\leq M^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^q \int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^{aq} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}^{(1-a)q} dt \\ &\leq CM^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^{(2-a)q} \int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^{aq} dt \\ &\leq CM^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^{(2-a)q} T^{(1-a)} \left(\int_0^T \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^q dt \right)^a \\ &\leq CM^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^{(2-a)q} T^{(1-a)} \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)}^{aq}.\end{aligned}$$

finally, we obtain

$$\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \leq CM \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^{(2-a)} \cdot T^{\frac{1-a}{q}} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^a.$$

Using the inequality and Young inequality $ab \leq \varepsilon a^{\frac{1}{\alpha}} + (\frac{\alpha}{\varepsilon})^{\frac{1}{1-\alpha}} (1-\alpha) b^{\frac{1}{1-\alpha}}$, with $\alpha = a/2$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} &\leq CMT^{\frac{(1-a)}{q}} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^{\frac{a}{2}} \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right)^{2(\frac{2-a}{2})} \\ &\leq \alpha \varepsilon \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 + (1-\alpha) \varepsilon^{-\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}} (\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \\ &\quad + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T))^2 (CMT^{\frac{1-a}{q}})^{\frac{1}{1-\alpha}}.\end{aligned}$$

Chosing $\varepsilon = (T^{\frac{1-a}{q}})^{\frac{1}{\alpha}}$ and making some computations, we have

$$\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \leq CM \left((\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}}^2) + T^\delta \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right).$$

To estimate the rot operator, we observe

$$\begin{aligned}\|\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)} &\leq C \|\nabla \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)} \\ &\leq C \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^a \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^{(1-a)}\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^T \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^{aq} dt &\leq T^{(1-a)} \left(\int_0^T \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^q dt \right)^a \\ &\leq T^{(1-a)} \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)}^{aq} \\ &\leq T^{(1-a)} (\Phi^{(k-1)}(T))^{aq}.\end{aligned}$$

Consequently, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\|\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}^q &= \int_0^T \int_{\Omega} |\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}|^q dx dt \\ &= \int_0^T \|\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q dt \\ &\leq C \int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q dt \\ &\leq C \int_0^T \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)}^{(1-a)} \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{W_q^2(\Omega)}^{aq} dt \\ &\leq C \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L_q(Q_T)}^{(1-a)q} T^{\frac{(1-a)}{q}} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^{aq}.\end{aligned}$$

Applying the Young inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\|\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} &\leq C \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)}^{(1-a)} T^{\frac{(1-a)}{q}} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^a \\ &\leq CT^{\frac{1-a}{q}} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^a \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right)^{(1-a)} \\ &= a\varepsilon \phi^{(k-1)}(T) + (1-a)\varepsilon^{-\frac{a}{1-a}} \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right) \left(CT^{\frac{1-a}{2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{1-a}}\end{aligned}$$

Taking $\varepsilon = \left(CMT^{\frac{1-a}{aq}} \right)^{\frac{1}{a}}$, we have

$$\|\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(n-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \leq CM \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right)$$

The above inequality also is verified by $\operatorname{rot} \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}$.

The estimate for the term $\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}$ is quite similar to the done to obtain the estimate, since we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \\ & \leq M \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)} \cdot T^{\frac{1-a}{q}} \cdot \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)}^{(1-a)} \|\mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_T)}^a. \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\|\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_T)} \leq C \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right),$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} & \leq T^{\frac{1-a}{q}} MC \left((\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right)^{2-a} (\phi^{(k-1)}(T))^a \end{aligned}$$

and consequently

$$\|\rho^{(k)}(\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{w}^{(k-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \leq MC \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right).$$

Using the above estimates in the inequality, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^{(k)}(T) & \leq K_1(\|\rho\|_{C^{1,1}(Q_T)}, T) \left\{ \|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + M \|\mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + MC \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + T \cdot \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 2\mu_r MC \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right) \right\} \\ & \quad + K_2(\|\rho\|_{C^{1,1}}, T) \left\{ \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + M \|\mathbf{g}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + MC \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + T^\delta \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 2\mu_r MC \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) \right) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Setting $C = \max\{(1 + MC), 2MC, M\}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^{(k)}(T) & \leq CK(\|\rho\|_{C^{1,1}}, T) \left\{ \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(\|\mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \|\mathbf{g}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} \right) + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) + T \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Now, we observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{|\rho^{(k)}(x, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, s)|}{|x - y| + |t - s|} &= \frac{|\rho^{(k)}(x, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, t) + \rho^{(k)}(y, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, s)|}{|x - y| + |t - s|} \\ &\leq \frac{|\rho^{(k)}(x, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, t)|}{|x - y|} + \frac{|\rho^{(k)}(y, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, s)|}{|t - s|}. \end{aligned}$$

For t fixed and $s \in [0, 1]$, we define the function

$$\varphi(s) = \rho^{(k)}(sy + (1 - s)x, t)$$

Moreover

$$\begin{aligned} |\rho^{(k)}(y, t) - \rho^{(k)}(x, t)| &= |\varphi(1) - \varphi(0)| = \left| \int_0^1 \varphi'(s) ds \right| \\ &\leq \int_0^1 |\nabla \rho^{(k)}(sy + (1 - s)x, t) \cdot (y - x)| ds \\ &\leq \|\nabla \rho^{(k)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} |y - x|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if $t, s \in [0, T]$ are arbitrary, we have

$$|\rho^{(k)}(y, t) - \rho^{(k)}(y, s)| = \left| \int_s^t \rho_t^{(k)}(y, \theta) d\theta \right| \leq \|\rho_t^{(k)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} |t - s|.$$

Using this identities, we get

$$\|\rho^{(k)}\|_{C^{1,1}(Q_T)} \leq M + \|\nabla \rho^{(k)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)} + \|\rho_t^{(k)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)}.$$

From Lemma (3.3), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\rho^{(k)}\|_{C^{1,1}(Q_T)} &\leq M + \sqrt{3}(1 + \|\mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_T)}) \\ &\quad \times \|\nabla \rho_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \exp\left(\int_0^T \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(k-1)}(t)\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} dt\right) \\ &\leq M + \sqrt{3}(1 + C_1(\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + T^{(1-1/p)(1-3/p)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T))) \\ &\quad \times \|\nabla \rho_0\|_{L^\infty(\Omega)} \exp(C_5 T^{(1-1/q)(1-3/q)} \phi^{(k-1)}(T)) \\ &\equiv K_3(\phi^{(k-1)}(T), T). \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^{(k)}(T) &\leq K(K_3(\phi^{(k-1)}(T), T), T) \times \left\{ (\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}) \right. \\ &\quad + (\|\mathbf{u}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{w}_0\|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \|\mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \|\mathbf{g}\|_{L_q(Q_T)}) \\ &\quad \left. + T^{\delta_1} \phi^{(k-1)}(T) + T \phi^{(k-1)}(T)^2 \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

If we consider A_1 such that

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &\geq K \left(M + \sqrt{3} \{ 1 + C_1 (\| \mathbf{u}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \| \mathbf{w}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}) + 1 \} \| \nabla \rho_0 \|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}, T \right) \\ &\quad \times \left(\| \mathbf{u}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \| \mathbf{w}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + \| \mathbf{u}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 + \| \mathbf{w}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)}^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \| \mathbf{f} \|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \| \mathbf{g} \|_{L_q(Q_T)} + 2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

and we define

$$T_1 = \min \left\{ A_1^{-1(1-1/p)^{-1}(1-3/p)^{-1}}, A_1^{-2/\delta}, A_1^{-1/\delta_1}, (C_{1S} A_1)^{-(1-1/p)^{-1}} \right\}.$$

Then, $\phi^{(k)}(T_1) \leq A_1$, holds provided that $\phi^{(k-1)}(T_1) \leq A_1$.

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \phi^{(1)}(T_1) &\leq K (M + \sqrt{3} \| \nabla \rho_0 \|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}, T_1) \left\{ \| \mathbf{u}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \| \mathbf{w}_0 \|_{W_q^{2-2/q}(\Omega)} + M (\| \mathbf{f} \|_{L_q(Q_T)} + \| \mathbf{g} \|_{L_q(Q_T)}) \right\} \\ &\leq A_1, \end{aligned}$$

the assertion of the lemma follows.

5 Proof of the theorem

Setting $\rho^{(n,k)} = \rho^{(n+k)} - \rho^{(n)}$, $\mathbf{u}^{(n,k)} = \mathbf{u}^{(n+k)} - \mathbf{u}^{(n)}$, $p^{(n,k)} = p^{(n+k)} - p^{(n)}$ and $\mathbf{w}^{(n,k)} = \mathbf{w}^{(n+k)} - \mathbf{w}^{(n)}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \rho^{(n,k)}}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u}^{(n+k-1)} \cdot \nabla) \rho^{(n,k)} &= -(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} \cdot \nabla) \rho^{(n)}, \\ \rho^{(n,k)}(0) &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^{(n+k)} \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}^{(n,k)}}{\partial t} - (\mu + \mu_r) \Delta \mathbf{u}^{(n,k)} + \nabla p^{(n,k)} &= F^{(n,k)}, \\ \operatorname{div} \mathbf{u}^{(n,k)} &= 0, \\ \mathbf{u}^{(n,k)}|_{\Sigma_T} &= 0, \\ \mathbf{u}^{(n,k)}(0) &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

where $F^{(n,k)} = 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)} - \rho^{(n,k)}[\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{u}_t^{(n)} - (\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}]$
 $-\rho^{(n+k)}[(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)} - (\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}]$ and

$$\rho^{(n+k)} \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)}}{\partial t} - (c_a + c_d) \Delta \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)} - (c_0 + c_d - c_a) \nabla \operatorname{div} \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)} + 4\mu_r \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)} = G^{(n,k)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)}|_{\Sigma_T} &= 0, \\ \mathbf{w}^{(n,k)}(0) &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

where $G^{(n,k)} = 2\mu_r \operatorname{rot} \mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} - \rho^{(n,k)}[\mathbf{g} - \mathbf{w}_t^{(n)} - (\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{w}^{(n-1)}]$
 $-\rho^{(n+k)}[(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{w}^{(n-1+k)} - (\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{w}^{(n-1)}]$.

Let

$$\Psi^{(n,k)}(t) = \|\mathbf{u}^{(n,k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)} + \|\mathbf{w}^{(n,k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)} + \|\nabla p^{(n,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)}.$$

Then, from , it follows that for $t \in (0, T_1]$,

$$\begin{aligned} \|F^{(n,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} &\leq c(\|\nabla \mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} + \|\rho^{(n,k)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_t)} \{ \|\mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} + \|\mathbf{u}_t^{(n)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \\ &\quad + \|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \}) \\ &\quad + \|\rho^{(n+k)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_t)} \{ \|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \\ &\quad + \|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \}. \end{aligned}$$

We observe that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\nabla \mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)}^q &\leq \int_0^t \|\nabla \mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\ &\leq \int_0^t \|\mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\ &\leq c \int_0^t \|\mathbf{w}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_\tau)}^q d\tau \\ &\leq c \int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau) d\tau. \end{aligned}$$

By other hand

$$\|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)}^q \leq \int_0^t \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(\tau)\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}^q d\tau$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(\tau)\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq s \leq t} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq (\|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(0)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)})^q \\
&\quad + \widehat{c} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1+k)}(\tau)\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)}^q \int_0^t \widehat{c}^q \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_\tau)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq c \int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)}^q &\leq \int_0^t d\tau \int_\Omega |\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}|^q |\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}|^q dx \\
&\leq \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_t)}^q \int_0^t \|\nabla \mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{L_q(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{W_q^1(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq t} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq (\|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}(0)\|_{W_q^{2-\frac{2}{q}}(\Omega)})^q \\
&\quad + \widehat{c} \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)}^q \widehat{c}^q \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_\tau)}^q d\tau \\
&\leq c \int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau.
\end{aligned}$$

Also from Lemma 3.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\rho^{(n,k)}(t)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)} &\leq \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)} \|\nabla \rho^{(n)}(\tau)\|_{L_\infty(\Omega)} d\tau \\
&\leq c \int_0^t \|\mathbf{u}^{(n-1,k)}\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_\tau)} d\tau \\
&\leq c \int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau) d\tau.
\end{aligned}$$

Also, by the above estimates and the hypothesis on \mathbf{f} , we have

$$\|\rho^{(n,k)}\|_{L_\infty(Q_t)} \{ \|\mathbf{f}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} + \|\mathbf{u}_t^{(n)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} + \|(\mathbf{u}^{(n-1)} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u}^{(n-1)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\leq c \|\rho^{(n,k)}\|_{L^\infty(Q_t)} \\
&\leq c \left(\int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}
\end{aligned}$$

Consequently

$$\begin{aligned}
\|F^{(n,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} &\leq c \int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau) d\tau + c \left(\int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \quad (12) \\
&\leq c \left(\int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}.
\end{aligned}$$

Analogously, we have

$$\|G^{(n,k)}\|_{L_q(Q_t)} \leq c \left(\int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}. \quad (13)$$

By using the estimates (5.1), (5.2) and together with Lemmas 3.1 and 3.2, we have for $t \in [0, T_1]$ and $q > 3$

$$\Psi^{(n,k)}(t) \leq c \left(\int_0^t \Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau)^q d\tau \right)^{\frac{1}{q}} \quad (14)$$

or

$$\left[\Psi^{(n,k)}(t) \right]^q \leq c^q \int_0^t \left[\Psi^{(n-1,k)}(\tau) \right]^q d\tau,$$

consequently $\Psi^{(n,k)}(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\forall t \in [0, T_1]$. Firstly, we observe that $W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)$ is a Banach space and consequently, we have there exist $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{w} \in W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1})$, such that

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{u}^n &\rightarrow \mathbf{u} \text{ strongly in } W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1}), \\
\mathbf{w}^n &\rightarrow \mathbf{w} \text{ strongly in } W_q^{2,1}(Q_{T_1}).
\end{aligned}$$

Also, from the completeness of $L_q(Q_{T_1})$, there exist $p \in L_q(Q_{T_1})$ such that

$$p^n \rightarrow p \text{ strongly in } L_q(Q_{T_1}).$$

Now, the next step is to take limit. But, once the above convergences have been established, this is a standard procedure to obtain that $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{w}, p$ is a strong solution of the problem (1.1)-(1.2).

We need only to argument the uniqueness of the solution in order to complete the proof of Theorem . Suppose that there exist another solution

$\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{w}_1, p_1$ of (1.1) and (1.2) with the same regularity as stated in the Theorem. Define

$$U = \mathbf{u}_1 - \mathbf{u}, W = \mathbf{w}_1 - \mathbf{w}, P = p_1 - p.$$

These auxiliary functions verify a set of equations similar to (4.1)-(4.3). Repeat the argument used to obtain (5.2), we get for $\theta(t) = \|U\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)}^q + \|W\|_{W_q^{2,1}(Q_t)}^q + \|P\|_{L_q(Q_t)}^q$ an inequality of the following type

$$\theta(t) \leq c \int_0^t \theta(\tau) d\tau$$

which, by Gronwall's inequality, is equivalent to assert $U = 0, W = 0, P = 0$.

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