Fluid/Gravity Duality for Viscoelastic Crystals

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Context



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Holographic models with broken translations

explicitly [Vegh, '13; Davison et al., '14; Donos & Gauntlett, '14; Andrade & Withers, '14; etc.]

spontaneously [Baggioli & Pujolas, '15; Alberte et al., '16; etc.] generated a renewed interest in a **complete hydrodynamic description**.

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Fluid-gravity duality **—** constitutive relations. We find:

- agreement with [Armas & Jain, '19] for specific values of the transport coefficients
- spectrum of hydrodynamical collective modes (fixing inconsistencies of [Grozdanov & Poovuttikul, '18])
- range of parameters for which the theory is stable

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The matrix $e^a \cdot e^b$ contains essential physical information:

- diagonal elements encode compression along the directions of e¹ and e²;
- off-diagonal encodes shear deformation.



Absense of topological defects (dislocations) $\Leftrightarrow de^a = 0$.

Our crystal has two 1-form global symmetries:

• 2-form currents $J_a \equiv \star e^a \Rightarrow d \star J_a = 0$

topological conserved charges

$$Q^a[\Sigma] = \int_{\Sigma} \star J_a$$

where $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ is a 1-dimensional surface

$$(T^{\mu\nu}) = T^{\nu\mu} \qquad \qquad (J^{\mu\nu}_a) = -J^{\nu\mu}_a$$



Sourced conservation equations:

[Grozdanov & Poovuttikul, '18]

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$$ds^{2} = \frac{dr^{2}}{r^{2}\mathcal{F}} + r^{2} \left[-\mathcal{F}dt^{2} + dx^{2} + dy^{2} \right]$$
$$dB^{a} = (6m)dr \wedge dt \wedge dx^{a}$$
where
$$\mathcal{F} = 1 - \frac{m^{2}}{2r^{2}} - \left(1 - \frac{m^{2}}{2r_{h}^{2}}\right) \frac{r_{h}^{3}}{r^{3}}$$
[Andrade & Withers, '14]

 $m \leftrightarrow$ density of lattice cores in homogeneous, isotropic crystal

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$$S_{\text{bdy}} = \int d^3 x \sqrt{-\gamma} \left(\frac{H^a_{r\mu\nu} H^{r\mu\nu}_a}{4} - 4 \right) - \mathcal{C} \int d^3 x \sqrt{-\gamma} \frac{H^a_{r\mu\nu} H^{r\mu\nu}_a}{4r}$$
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$$S_{deformation} = \int d^{3}x \sqrt{-g} \frac{J_{\mu\nu}^{a} J_{a}^{\mu\nu}}{4} \quad (\text{relevant})$$

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$$\delta T^{xy} \approx \frac{\mathcal{G}}{m} \left(\delta J_1^{ty} + \delta J_2^{tx} \right) + \frac{\eta}{m} \partial_t \left(\delta J_1^{ty} + \delta J_2^{tx} \right)$$
$$\delta T^{xx} - \delta T^{yy} \approx 2 \frac{\mathcal{G}}{m} \left(\delta J_1^{tx} - \delta J_2^{ty} \right) + 2 \frac{\eta}{m} \partial_t \left(\delta J_1^{tx} - \delta J_2^{ty} \right)$$
$$\delta T^{xx} + \delta T^{yy} \approx \delta T^{tt} + m\mathcal{C} \left(\delta J_1^{tx} + \delta J_2^{ty} \right)$$
$$\bullet \mathcal{G} \text{ is the shear modulus and } \eta \text{ is the shear viscosity.}$$
$$\bullet \text{ bulk viscosity } \mathcal{L} \text{ vanishes.}$$

Given a regular solution Θ to $\partial_r \left(r^4 \mathcal{F} \partial_r \Theta \right) = m^2 \Theta$,

$$\mathcal{G} = m^2 \mathcal{C} - \lim_{r \to \infty} \frac{r^2 \partial_r \left(r^3 \partial_r \Theta \right)}{\Theta}$$
$$\eta = \frac{r_h^2 \Theta(r_h)^2}{\lim_{r \to \infty} \Theta^2}$$

$$\begin{split} \delta J_b^{xy} \epsilon^{ba} \approx & \frac{m \delta T^{ta}}{P_L + Ts} - \sigma \frac{\partial_t \delta T^{ta}}{m} \\ &+ \sigma \frac{P_L + Ts}{2m^2} \partial_a \left[\beta \delta T^{tt} + \left(1 + \beta \frac{P_L + Ts}{m} \right) \left(\delta J_1^{tx} + \delta J_2^{ty} \right) \right] \end{split}$$
where β is a complicated hydrostatic function involving the bulk
modulus, the heat capacity and the "thermal expansion coefficient".

$$P_{L} = m^{2}(C - r_{h})$$

$$\sigma = \frac{-(m^{2} - 6r_{h}^{2})^{2}}{(m^{2}(2C - 3r_{h}) + 6r_{h}^{3})^{2}}$$

$$\beta = -\frac{2m}{r_{h}}\frac{m^{2} + 6r_{h}^{2}}{(m^{2} - 6r_{h}^{2})^{2}}$$

transverse sound:
$$\omega = \pm \mathcal{V}_{\perp} k - i \frac{\Gamma_{\perp}}{r_h} k^2 + O(k^3)$$

longitudinal sound:
$$\omega = \pm \mathcal{V}_{\parallel}k - i rac{\Gamma_{\parallel}}{r_h}k^2 + O(k^3)$$

crystal diffusion: $\omega = -i rac{\mathcal{D}_{\parallel}}{r_h}k^2 + O(k^3)$

$$T = \frac{6r_h^2 - m^2}{8\pi r_h}$$



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$$\frac{\mathcal{D}_{\parallel}}{r_{h}} = \sigma \frac{Ts + P_{L}}{2m^{2}} \left(\frac{1}{2\overline{\mathcal{V}_{\parallel}^{2}}} + \beta \frac{Ts + P_{L}}{m} \right)$$







 $\frac{2}{b} > \frac{12 - 15 \ln 3}{6 \ln 3 - 8} \approx 3.18$ for the entire domain of $\frac{m}{r_b}$ to be safe in all modes!

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[Andrade & Withers, '14]:

$$S^{\Phi} = S_{grav} - rac{1}{2}\int d^4x \sqrt{-G} F_a \wedge *F_a + S^{\Phi}_{
m bdy}$$

where
$$F_a\equiv d\Phi_a$$
 and $S_{grav}=\int d^4x\sqrt{-G}\left(R+6
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m GHY}$.

$$\delta S^{\Phi} = \int d^3x \frac{\sqrt{-G}}{2} \left[\langle T^{\mu\nu}_{\Phi} \rangle \, \delta g_{\mu\nu} - 2 \, \langle O^a \rangle \, \delta \phi_a \right]$$

$$S^B = S_{grav} - rac{1}{2}\int d^4x \sqrt{-G} H_a \wedge *H_a + S^B_{
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$$H^a \to \epsilon^{ab} * F_b$$
 :

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\delta S^B}{\delta G} = 0, \\
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\end{array}$$
and
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1 longitudinal diffusion mode

$$\delta O_1 \approx \frac{-m^2 \delta T_{\Phi}^{tx}}{\beta \sigma \left(P_L + sT\right)^2} + \frac{\partial_t \delta T_{\Phi}^{tx}}{m}$$

$$\omega \approx -ik^2 \frac{\beta \sigma \left(P_L + sT\right)^2}{2m^3}$$

Recalling the crystal diffusion mode

$$\frac{\mathcal{D}_{\parallel}}{r_{h}} = \frac{\beta\sigma\left(P_{L} + sT\right)^{2}}{2m^{3}} + O\left(\mathcal{C}^{-1}\right)$$

relaxation dispersion relation:

$$\omega = -i\Gamma_{rel} + O(k^2) , \quad \Gamma_{rel} \ll 1$$



- Scalar theory: 1 transverse and 1 longitudinal relaxation mode with the same $\Gamma_{rel} = \Gamma^{\Phi}_{rel}$.
- Higher-form theory: 1 transverse and 1 longitudinal relaxation mode with the same $\Gamma_{rel} = \Gamma^B_{rel}$, if $C \gg 1$.

$$\Gamma^B_{rel}
ightarrow \Gamma^\Phi_{rel}$$
 when $\mathcal{C} \gg m^{-2}$

Conclusion and Outlook

- slow perturbations of the charged (under 2-form gauge fields) black branes that we considered, obey the viscoelastic hydrodynamics of [Armas & Jain, '19]
- novel expressions for the shear modulus, bulk viscosity, shear viscosity and the elastic dissipative transport coefficient σ
- lower bound on the deformation coupling ${\mathcal C}$
- what about: bulk solutions that are stable for low C; anisotropic lattice pressure; etc?
- holographic dual of a crystal with dynamical dislocations

Thanks for your attention 谢谢