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Hydrodynamic limits for long-range asymmetric interacting particle systems

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Abstract

We consider the hydrodynamic scaling behavior of the mass density with respect to a general class of mass conservative interacting particle systems on $\mathbb{Z}^n$, where the jump rates are asymmetric and long-range of order $\|x\|^{-(n+\alpha)}$ for a particle displacement of order $\|x\|$. Two types of evolution equations are identified depending on the strength of the long-range asymmetry. When $0 < \alpha < 1$, we find a new integro-partial differential hydrodynamic equation, in an anomalous space-time scale. On the other hand, when $\alpha \geq 1$, we derive a Burgers hydrodynamic equation, as in the finite-range setting, in Euler scale.

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1 Introduction

In this paper, we consider hydrodynamic limits in a class of mass conserving particle systems in several dimensions $n \geq 1$ on $\mathbb{Z}^n$ with certain asymmetric long-range interactions. These limits, when they exist, capture the space-time scaling limit of the microscopic empirical mass density field of the particles as the solution of a ‘hydrodynamic’ equation governing a macroscopic flow. When the interactions are symmetric and finite-range, such limits have been shown in a variety of stochastic particle systems (cf. [9], [20], [28]). Also, when the interactions are asymmetric and finite-range, for systems, such as ‘simple exclusion’ and ‘zero-range’, as well as other processes, hydrodynamics has been proved (cf. [2], [3], [4], [14], [16], [17], Chapter 8 in [20], [24], and reference therein).

However, less is known about hydrodynamics when the dynamics is of long-range type, although such processes are natural in applications, for instance with respect to wireless communications. The only works, to our knowledge, which considers ‘long-range’ limits are [5] and [19], where hydrodynamics of types of symmetric, long-range exclusion and zero-range processes was shown.

In this context, our main purpose is to derive the hydrodynamic equation in a general class of asymmetric long-range particle models, which includes simple exclusion and zero-range systems. Another motivation was to understand if there is a ‘mode coupling’ basis for certain ‘stationary’ fluctuation results in asymmetric long-range models seen in [6], [25]. There, the fluctuations of the empirical mass density field, translated by characteristic speeds, was shown to obey in a sense either a stochastic heat or Burgers equation, depending on the strength of the long-range interactions. One may ask whether such fluctuations could be inferred from associated hydrodynamics through mode coupling analysis (cf. [28]), as is the case with respect to asymmetric finite-range systems.

Informally, the particle systems studied follow a collection of dependent random walks which interact in various ways. For instance, in the exclusion and zero-range particle systems, the random walks interact infinitesimally in time and space respectively. In the exclusion process, particles move freely except in that jumps, according to a jump probability $p(\cdot)$, to already occupied locations are suppressed. Whereas, in the zero-range process, the jump rate of a particle at a site depends on the number of particles at that site, but the location of the jump is freely chosen according to $p(\cdot)$.

In this article, we will consider a general form of the ‘misanthrope’ process, for which features of exclusion and zero-range interactions are combined, so that both the jump rate and location of jump may depend infinitesimally on the other particles.

In such dynamics, as mass is preserved, that is no birth or death allowed, there is a family of product invariant measures ν_ρ indexed by density ρ . Let $\eta_t(x)$ denote the number of particles at location x at time t .

By ‘long-range’, to be concrete, we mean, for $\alpha > 0$ and $d \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, that $p(\cdot)$ takes the form

$$p(d) = \frac{\mathbf{1}(d > 0)}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}},$$

where $d > 0$ means $d_i \geq 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$ and $d \neq 0$. The form we have chosen may be generalized as discussed in Subsection 3.1.

We will start the process in certain ‘local equilibrium’ nonstationary states μ^N , that is when initially particles are put independently on lattice sites, according to a varying mass density ρ_0 , where the marginal at vertex x has mean $\rho_0(x/N)$, and N is a scaling parameter. We will restrict attention to initial densities ρ_0 such that the relative entropy of μ^N with respect to an invariant measure ν_{ρ^*} for $\rho^* > 0$ is of order N^n . In effect, this means $\rho_0 = \rho_0(u)$ is a function which equals a constant ρ^* for all u large. This restriction is further discussed in Subsection 3.1.

Consider, the formal ‘hydrodynamic’ density, where space is scaled by N and time is speeded up by N^θ ,

$$\rho(t, u) = \lim_{\epsilon \downarrow 0} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} \frac{1}{(2N\epsilon)^n} \sum_{|y/N - u| \leq \epsilon} \eta_{N^\theta t}(y).$$

Initially, by the law of large numbers, $\rho(0, \cdot) = \rho_0(\cdot)$. Our goal will be to derive, choosing $\theta = \theta(\alpha)$ appropriately, a ‘hydrodynamic’ partial differential equation for $\rho(t, \cdot)$.

The choice of θ is usually determined by the time needed in order for a single particle to travel a microscopic distance of order N^n , or a nonzero macroscopic distance. When $\alpha > 1$, as $p(\cdot)$ has a mean, the travel time is of the same order as in the finite-range asymmetric case, namely of order N , indicating $\theta = 1$, the ‘Euler’ scale. While, when $0 < \alpha < 1$, because of the heavier tail in $p(\cdot)$, the travel time is of shorter duration, and it turns out θ should be taken as $\theta = \alpha$, an anomalous scale, interestingly the same as in [19] when the jumps are symmetric. However, in the case $\alpha = 1$, time should be speeded up by $N/\log N$.

Our main results are as follows. When $0 < \alpha < 1$ (Theorem 3.1), we derive that the hydrodynamic equation is a weak form of

$$\partial_t \rho(t, u) = \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \frac{F(\rho(t, u - v), \rho(t, u)) - F(\rho(t, u), \rho(t, u + v))}{\|v\|^{n+\alpha}} dv,$$

where the function F reflects a homogenization of the microscopic rates in the system.

This equation appears novel in the PDE literature. It is, in a sense, a ‘long-range’ integro-differential form of a Burgers equation. Although the step function $\rho_0(u) = \mathbf{1}_{[a, \infty)}$, in $n = 1$, is an invariant solution, as no particle moves, our intuition, without further

substantiation, is that if motion is allowed in $\mathbb{R}^n$, because of the long-range character of the jump probability, the solution may be more regular than in the Burgers equation, where shocks may form in finite time from smooth initial densities. Although we show existence of weak solutions of the hydrodynamic equation, uniqueness of these solutions, in any particular class of solutions, is not yet known. As a consequence, the result we show is that all limit points of the mass density field satisfy weakly this hydrodynamic equation.

However, when $\alpha > 1$ (Theorem 3.2), under an additional assumption that the misanthrope system is ‘attractive’, that is a monotonicity condition on the rates (cf. definition in Section 2), we show that the hydrodynamic equation is a Burgers equation

$$\partial_t \rho(t, x) + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{1(n)} F(\rho(t, x)) = 0,$$

where γ_α is a specified constant, F again depends on particle interactions, and $\partial_{1(n)}$ is the directional derivative in x in direction $\langle 1, 1, \dots, 1 \rangle$. For the boundary value $\alpha = 1$, one recovers the same hydrodynamic equation as when $\alpha > 1$, however with an extra ‘log’ scaling factor in the scaling, as remarked in Subsection 3.1.

The $\alpha \geq 1$ hydrodynamic equation may be understood in terms of results say in [4], [24], for finite-range asymmetric systems. When $\alpha > 1$, the mean of the jump probability $p(\cdot)$ is bounded. In particular, long jumps are not so likely, and it is perhaps expected in this case that a Burgers equation would be derived.

In both settings, these hydrodynamic limit results are the first for long-range asymmetric misanthrope processes on $\mathbb{Z}^n$. In Subsection 3.1, further remarks on these limits, their assumptions, and extensions are discussed.

The general scheme of proof is to obtain the hydrodynamic equation by an application of an Itô formula with respect to the evolving empirical mass density. In this computation, the generator action gives an average of nonlinear rates of interaction, in terms of the occupation variables η_t . The main point is to replace this average, which immediately cannot be written in terms of the empirical density itself, by a homogenized or averaged function of the empirical mass density, thereby allowing one to close the equation.

When $0 < \alpha < 1$, we follow the ‘entropy’ method strategy of Guo-Papanicolaou-Varadhan (cf. [20]) as invoked in [19] for the symmetric long-range zero-range model. There are however important differences, especially with respect to the ‘1 and 2-block’ estimates, where the general long-range asymmetric misanthrope structure complicates the analysis. Ingredients, perhaps of their own interest, include a non-standard non-local replacement used in the ‘1-block’ estimate. Whereas, in the ‘2-block’ estimate, averaged Dirichlet forms, in terms of a ‘moving particle’ scheme (cf. Subsection 6.2.1), a type first used in [19], are employed to make the replacements. Notably, when $0 < \alpha < 1$, the ‘attractiveness’ condition is not used.

When $\alpha \geq 1$, we follow the scheme in [24] and Chapter 8 [20] for finite-range systems, although several steps in the infinite-volume long-range setting take on a different character. The technique is to show a ‘1-block’ estimate, and then to close equations, through use of Young measures, by invoking a uniqueness result for measure-valued solutions in [11]. Though the ‘attractiveness’ condition on the process is used in two important places, many estimates we make do not rely on this condition. Moreover, verification of several of the conditions in [11] seems novel, and may be of independent interest.

Returning now to part of our motivation discussed above, in light of the form of the hydrodynamics shown for $\alpha > 1$, there is no difference in the type of hydrodynamic equation when $\alpha \geq 3/2$ or when $1 < \alpha < 3/2$, and so it would seem the fluctuation results seen in [6], [25], when $\alpha \geq 3/2$, may not have a ‘mode coupling’ interpretation.

Finally, we comment, although we have chosen the ‘entropy’ method of proof of hydrodynamics, that there are other techniques, such as ‘compensated compactness’ (as in [3]) and ‘relative entropy’ (cf. Chapter 6, [20]), which might be explored with profit to treat related and different scenarios.

The structure of the article is as follows. In Section 2, we introduce the processes studied and, in Section 3, we state our main results, Theorems 3.1 and 3.2, and related remarks. After some preliminaries in Section 4, we prove Theorem 3.1 in Section 5, relying on 1 and 2-block estimates shown in Section 6. In Section 7, we prove Theorem 3.2, stating key inputs, Theorems 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, and 7.5, which are then proved in Sections 8, 10, 11, 12, with the aid of estimates in Section 9 and the Appendix.

2 Models

Let $\mathbb{N}_0 = \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$. We will consider a class of $n \geq 1$ dimensional ‘misanthrope’ particle systems evolving on the state space $\mathcal{X} = \mathbb{N}_0^{\mathbb{Z}^n}$, which includes simple exclusion and zero-range systems. The configuration $\eta_t = \{\eta_t(x) : x \in \mathbb{Z}^n\}$ gives the number of particles $\eta_t(x)$ at locations $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ at time t . Let $p : \mathbb{Z}^n \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ be a single particle transition rate such that $\sum_d p(d) < \infty$. We say that a function $f : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is local if it depends only on a finite number of occupation variables $\{\eta(x) : x \in \mathbb{Z}^n\}$.

In the simple exclusion process, at most one particle may occupy each site, $\eta(x) = 0$ or 1 for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$. Informally, each particle carries an exponential rate 1 clock. When a clock rings, the particle may displace by d with probability proportional to $p(d)$. If the destination site is empty, this jump is made, however, if the proposed destination is occupied, the jump is suppressed and the clock resets, hence the name ‘simple exclusion’. Formally, the system is the Markov process on $\{0, 1\}^{\mathbb{Z}^n} \subset \mathcal{X}$ with generator action on local functions given by

$$Lf(\eta) = \sum_{x,d} p(d) \eta(x) (1 - \eta(x+d)) (f(\eta^{x,x+d}) - f(\eta))$$

where $\eta^{x,y}$ is the configuration obtained from η by moving a particle from x to y :

$$\eta^{x,y}(z) = \begin{cases} \eta(x) - 1 & \text{if } z = x \\ \eta(y) + 1 & \text{if } z = y \\ \eta(z) & \text{if } z \neq x, y. \end{cases}$$

See [23] for the construction and further details of the simple exclusion process.

In the zero-range process, however, any number of particles may occupy a site. Informally, each site x holds an exponential clock with rate $g(\eta(x))$, where $g : \mathbb{N}_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ is a fixed function, such that $g(0) = 0$ and $g(k) > 0$ for $k \geq 1$. When a clock rings, from that site a particle at random displaces by d with chance proportional to $p(d)$. The name ‘zero-range’ comes from the observation that, infinitesimally, particles interact only with those on the same site. Formally, the zero range process is a Markov process on $\mathcal{X}$ with generator action on local functions given by

$$Lf(\eta) = \sum_{x,d} p(d) g(\eta(x)) (f(\eta^{x,x+d}) - f(\eta)).$$

To construct the zero range process, we require that g be Lipschitz. See [1] for the construction and further details of the zero range process.

On the other hand, the misanthrope process $\{\eta(t) : t \geq 0\}$ is a more general Markov process on $\mathcal{X}$ with generator

$$Lf(\eta) = \sum_{x,d} p(d) b(\eta(x), \eta(x+d)) (f(\eta^{x,x+d}) - f(\eta)),$$

Here, to avoid degeneracies, $b : \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0 \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is such that $b(0, m) = 0$ for $m \geq 0$. Also, we restrict to two cases: (i) If $b(l, m) = 0$ for some $l, m \geq 1$, then $b(l, m) = 0$ for all $l \geq 0$ and $m \geq M_0$, where $M_0 \geq 1$ is the first such m , and in this case, $b(l, m) > 0$ for $1 \leq l \leq M_0$, $0 \leq m < M_0$. (ii) If $b(l, m) > 0$ for all $l, m \geq 1$, we denote $M_0 = \infty$.

To get the simple exclusion process, let $b(l, m) = \mathbf{1}(l = 1, m = 0)$ so that $b(\eta(x), \eta(y)) = \eta(x)(1 - \eta(y))$. To recover the zero-range process, let $b(l, m) = g(l)$ so then $b(\eta(x), \eta(y)) = g(\eta(x))$. The name ‘misanthrope’ refers to the observation in [8], where the process was introduced, that particles tend to avoid crowded sites, if $b(l, m)$ is increasing in l and decreasing in m .

In this article, we concentrate on ‘decomposable’ misanthrope systems, where $b(l, m) = g(l)h(m)$, in terms of functions g and h , satisfying the restrictions on $b(\cdot, \cdot)$ above. Such a class is large enough to include exclusion and zero-range processes, yet concrete enough to streamline later proofs. We comment, although not pursued here, that more general misanthrope systems might also be considered with more involved estimates and notation.

The associated generator action reduces to the form

$$Lf(\eta) = \sum_{x,d} p(d)g(\eta(x))h(\eta(x+d))(f(\eta^{x,x+d}) - f(\eta))$$

To aid in construction of the process and for other estimates, we will impose that (i) g is Lipschitz: $|g(k+1) - g(k)| \leq \kappa$ for $k \geq 0$, (ii) h be bounded, in which case, h is also Lipschitz, $|h(k+1) - h(k)| \leq \kappa_1 := 2\|h\|_\infty$ for $k \geq 0$, and (iii) $|g(a)h(b) - g(u)h(v)| \leq \kappa_2[|a-u| + |b-v|]$ for $a, b, u, v \geq 0$. The last condition (iii) is a sufficient ingredient to construct the process, and forces g to be bounded if h is nontrivial (cf. equation (7.1) in [18]). However, it is not a necessary condition, and will not be used in the main body of the paper.

Since $g(0) = 0$, we have $g(l) \leq \kappa l$. We also have $h(0) > 0$. If h has a zero, and $M_0 < \infty$ is the first root, then $h(m) = 0$ for $m \geq M_0$; in this case, the process, starting with less than M_0 particles per site, remains so in the evolution.

We refer to [18] for further discussion and the construction of the process on a complete, separable space $\mathcal{X}_0 = \{\eta : \|\eta\|_{\mathcal{X}_0} < \infty\} \subset \mathbb{N}_0^{\mathbb{Z}^n}$ with metric $\|\eta - \xi\|_{\mathcal{X}_0} = \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \beta(x)|\eta(x) - \xi(x)|$, where $\beta(\cdot)$ is a suitable positive function on $\mathbb{Z}^n$ such that $\sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \beta(x) < \infty$.

2.1 Long range asymmetric transitions

In this article, we concentrate on ‘long range’ totally asymmetric processes, where $p(\cdot)$ is in form

$$p(d) = \frac{\mathbf{1}(d > 0)}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}}. \quad (2.1)$$

Here, $\|\cdot\|$ is the Euclidean norm, and $d = (d_1, \dots, d_n) > 0$ means $d_i \geq 0$ for all i , but $d \neq 0$. We require $\alpha > 0$ so that $\sum_d p(d) < \infty$. Although more general transition rates can be treated, as discussed in Subsection 3.1, the form of p chosen allows for simplified notation and encapsulates the complexity of the more general situation.

We will distinguish three cases $\alpha < 1$, $\alpha = 1$, and $\alpha > 1$. The transition rate $p(\cdot)$ has a finite mean exactly when $\alpha > 1$, and the corresponding model shares some of the properties of the finite-range situation where p is compactly supported. However, when $\alpha < 1$, the behavior of the associated process does reflect that long jumps are more likely. The $\alpha = 1$ case, although borderline, turns out in some ways to be similar to the $\alpha > 1$ case.

In particular, a random walk with transition rate $p(\cdot)$ will take an order γ_N steps to travel an order N distance on $\mathbb{Z}^n$ where

$$\gamma_N = \begin{cases} N & \text{when } \alpha > 1 \\ N/\log(N) & \text{when } \alpha = 1 \\ N^\alpha & \text{when } \alpha < 1. \end{cases}$$

These orders will be relevant when discussing hydrodynamic space-time scaling of the process.

2.2 Invariant measures

As the decomposable misanthrope system is mass conservative, one expects a family of invariant probability measures ν_ρ indexed by particle density $\rho \geq 0$. In fact, there is a family of translation-invariant product stationary measures, for a general class of misanthrope processes, including the long-range asymmetric decomposable models, when

$$g(i)h(j) - g(j)h(i) = g(i)h(0) - g(j)h(0)$$

for $0 \leq i, j \leq M_0$ if $M_0 < \infty$, and $i, j \geq 0$ otherwise, which we will also assume (cf. [18]). In the case h is nontrivial, this implies a linear relation between g and h .

To specify the marginal Θ_ρ of the measure $\nu_\rho = \prod_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \Theta_\rho$, consider the probability measure $\bar{\Theta}_\lambda$ on $\mathbb{N}_0$ given by

$$\bar{\Theta}_\lambda(k) = \frac{1}{Z(\lambda)} \frac{\lambda^k \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} h(j)}{\prod_{j=1}^k g(j)}$$

where $Z(\lambda)$ is the normalizing constant. Let $\rho(\lambda) = \sum_{k \geq 0} k \bar{\Theta}_\lambda(k)$ be the mean of $\bar{\Theta}_\lambda$. Both $Z(\lambda)$ and $\rho(\lambda)$ are well defined for $0 \leq \lambda < \lambda_c$, where $\lambda_c = \infty$ if $M_0 < \infty$ and $\lambda_c = \liminf_{k \uparrow \infty} g(k)/h(k)$ otherwise. One can see they are strictly increasing on this range, and so invertible. Let $\rho_c = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \lambda_c} \rho(\lambda)$. Now, for density $\rho \in [0, \rho_c)$, define $\Theta_\rho = \bar{\Theta}_{\lambda(\rho)}$ where $\lambda = \lambda(\rho)$ is such that $\rho(\lambda) = \rho$.

The functions,

$$\Phi(\rho) = E_{\nu_\rho}[g(\eta(x))], \quad \text{and} \quad \Psi(\rho) = E_{\nu_\rho}[h(\eta(x))], \quad (2.2)$$

will play important roles in the sequel. One can observe that Φ, Ψ are C^∞ on their domains.

Moreover, as g and h are Lipschitz, both Φ and Ψ will be Lipschitz. (following the method of Corollary 2.3.6 [20]). Also, note by boundedness of h that $\|\Psi\| \leq \|h\|_\infty$. Hence, we have the following inequalities,

$$\begin{aligned} g(\eta(x))h(\eta(y)) &\leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta(x), \quad \Phi(\rho)\Psi(\rho) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \rho, \quad \text{and} \\ |\Phi(b)\Psi(b) - \Phi(a)\Psi(a)| &\leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty |b - a| + \kappa_1 \kappa b |b - a|. \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

In later calculations, we will need finite exponential moments of $\eta(x)$ and $g(\eta(x))$ with respect to ν_ρ for $\rho \in [0, \rho_c)$. Since $g(\eta(x)) \leq \kappa \eta(x)$ for some constant $\kappa > 0$, we note $g(\eta(x))$ will have a finite exponential moment if $\eta(x)$ does. We say that the FEM satisfied if

$$E_{\nu_\rho}[e^{\gamma \eta(x)}] = \frac{1}{Z(\lambda)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\lambda e^\gamma)^k \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} h(j)}{\prod_{j=1}^k g(j)} = \frac{Z(\lambda e^\gamma)}{Z(\lambda)} < \infty \quad (2.4)$$

for all $\gamma \geq 0$ and $\rho \in [0, \rho_c)$. FEM is a condition on the rates g and h , which we will assume holds throughout. For instance, if $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} h(k)/g(k+1) = 0$ or $M_0 < \infty$, then FEM holds.

We will also assume that $\rho_c = M_0$, a condition on the rates g and h that ensures a stationary measure at each possible density.

To relate with zero-range and simple exclusion, if we set $h \equiv 1$, the measure ν_ρ reduces to the well known family of invariant probability measures for the zero-range process. However, when $h(1) = 0$, we recover that ν_ρ is the Bernoulli product measure with parameter $\rho \in [0, 1]$.

Finally, we remark, with respect to ν_{ρ^*} , one may construct an $L^2(\nu_{\rho^*})$ Markov process as in [26]. The associated adjoint L^* may be computed as the generator of the process with reversed jump rates $p^*(d) = p(-d)$ for $d \in \mathbb{Z}^n$.

2.3 Initial, empirical and process measures

We will examine the scaling behavior of the process as seen when time is speeded up by γ_N and space is scaled by parameter $N \geq 1$. Let $L_N := \gamma_N L$ and process $\eta_t^N := \eta_{\gamma_N t}$ for $t \geq 0$. Let T_t^N be the associated semigroup. Often, we will drop the superscript ' N ' when the context is clear.

We will focus on the cases $\alpha \neq 1$, discussing the case $\alpha = 1$ in Subsection 3.1. Then, for $\alpha \neq 1$, we have $\gamma_N = N^{\alpha \wedge 1}$. The space-time scaling is the 'Euler' scaling when $\alpha > 1$, but is an anomalous scale when $\alpha < 1$.

Define, for $t \geq 0$, the empirical measure

$$\pi_t^N = \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_t^N(x) \delta_{\frac{x}{N}}.$$

We will use the following notation for spatial integration against test functions G :

$$\langle \pi_t^N, G(t, \cdot) \rangle = \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_t^N(x) G(t, \frac{x}{N}).$$

For $T > 0$ fixed, the measure-valued trajectories $\{\pi_t^N : 0 \leq t \leq T\}$ are in the Skorohod space $D([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n))$, where $M_+(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is the set of positive Radon measures on $\mathbb{R}^n$ endowed with the vague topology.

Suppose that we start the process at level N according to an initial measure μ^N . We denote the distribution at times $t \geq 0$ by $\mu_t^N := \mu^N T_t^N$. The initial measures that we will use are such that the law of large numbers holds in probability with respect to an initial density profile ρ_0 as $N \rightarrow \infty$:

$$\langle \pi_0^N, G(u) \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} G(\frac{x}{N}) \eta_0^N \rightarrow \int G(u) \rho_0(u) du.$$

We will assume that $\rho_0 : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous, and the range of ρ_0 lies in $[0, \rho_c)$. We will also suppose that μ^N is a product measure, whose marginal at $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ is $\Theta_{\rho_0(x/N)}$ with mean $\rho_0(x/N)$. Moreover, we will assume that the relative entropy of μ^N with respect to an invariant measure ν_{ρ^*} for $0 < \rho^* < \rho_c$ is of order N^n . Then, for $\|x\|$ large, the marginals of μ^N , in this case would be very close to those of ν_{ρ^*} and, in particular, $\rho_0(x) \sim \rho^*$. For convenience, throughout, we will assume that ρ_0 is such that it equals ρ^* outside a compact set. We also remark the measures $\{\mu^N\}$, by their definition, are stochastically bounded by $\nu_{\rho^\#}$ where $\rho^\# = \|\rho_0\|_\infty$; that is, $\int f d\mu^N \leq \int f d\nu_{\rho^\#}$ for all functions f on $\mathcal{X}$ which are increasing coordinatewise in $\eta = \{\eta(x) : x \in \mathbb{Z}^n\}$.

Define also $\{P^N\}_{N \geq 1}$ to be the sequence of probability measures on the Skorohod space $D([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n))$, governing π_t^N when the process η_t starts from μ^N . Expectation with respect to P^N will be denoted as E^N .

2.4 Additional assumption when $\alpha > 1$

We will assume further the following condition, in force only when $\alpha > 1$. Namely, we will assume the misanthrope process is ‘attractive’, that is $b(n, m)$ is increasing in n and decreasing in m . In other words, the ‘decomposable’ process is ‘attractive’ when g is increasing and h is decreasing.

2.5 Model assumptions summary

To summarize, we gather here some of the assumptions on the rates and initial measures discussed earlier.

1. The rate $b(n, m)$ is in form $b(l, m) = g(l)h(m)$ where
 - g is Lipschitz with Lipschitz constant κ , and $g(0) = 0$;
 - h is bounded, and hence Lipschitz with constant κ_1 ;
 - $|g(a)h(b) - g(u)h(v)| \leq \kappa_2[|a - u| + |b - v|]$;
 - M_0 is the maximum particle number per site: $M_0 = \inf\{m \geq 1 : g(l, m) = 0 \text{ for } l, m \geq 1\}$ with convention $M_0 = \infty$ if $g(l, m) > 0$ for all $l, m \geq 1$.
2. The following ensure product stationary measures indexed by all possible densities with finite exponential moments.
 - $g(i)h(j) - g(j)h(i) = g(i)h(0) - g(j)h(0)$ for $i, j \leq M_0$ if $M_0 < \infty$ and $i, j \geq 0$ if $M_0 = \infty$;
 - condition FEM in (2.4) holds;
 - ρ_c , defined above (2.2), satisfies $\rho_c = M_0$.
3. The rate p is long-range and is in form (2.1).
4. The initial measures μ^N satisfy the following.
 - $\mu^N = \prod_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \Theta_{\rho_0(x/N)}$ where $\rho_0 : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow [0, \rho_c)$ is a continuous function such that $\rho_0(u) = \rho^*$ for u outside a compact set, and $0 < \rho^* < \rho_c$;
 - the relative entropy $H(\mu^N | \nu_{\rho^*}) = O(N^n)$.
5. The parameter α is such that $\alpha \neq 1$ in the main body of the article. Remarks about $\alpha = 1$ are in Subsection 3.1.
6. When $\alpha > 1$, the rates are ‘attractive’, that is g is increasing and h is decreasing.

3 Results

We will split the main results according to the settings $\alpha < 1$ and $\alpha > 1$. The case $\alpha = 1$ is discussed in the remarks in Subsection 3.1.

Suppose $\alpha < 1$. and consider the operator $\mathcal{L}$ acting on smooth, compactly supported test functions $G : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

$$\mathcal{L}(G) = \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \frac{\Phi(G(u-v))\Psi(G(u)) - \Phi(G(u))\Psi(G(u+v))}{\|v\|^{n+\alpha}} dv. \quad (3.1)$$

Note that the integral in (3.1) is well-defined as the integrand is $O(\|v\|^{-(n+\alpha-1)})$ for v near the origin. Let also

$$\nabla^{\alpha, v} G(u) = \frac{G(u+v) - G(u)}{\|v\|^{n+\alpha}}.$$

Theorem 3.1. Suppose $\alpha < 1$. Then, the sequence $\{P^N\}_{N \geq 1}$ is tight, and every limit point P^* is supported on absolutely continuous measures $\pi_t = \rho(t, u)du$ whose densities are weak solutions of the hydrodynamic equation $\partial_t \rho = \mathcal{L}(\rho)$ with initial condition $\rho(0, u) = \rho_0(u)$.

That is, for test functions G with compact support in $[0, T) \times \mathbb{R}^n$, so that $G(T, \cdot) \equiv 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \rho_0(u) G(0, u) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \rho(s, u) \partial_s G(s, u) ds \\ + \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \Phi(\rho(s, u)) \Psi(\rho(s, u + v)) \nabla^{\alpha, v} G(s, u) dv du ds = 0. \end{aligned}$$

We now assume $\alpha > 1$, and state the hydrodynamic limit in this setting.

Theorem 3.2. Suppose $\alpha > 1$, and in addition that the process is ‘attractive’. Then, $\{P^N\}_{N \geq 1}$ converges weakly to the point mass supported on the absolutely continuous measure $\pi_t = \rho(t, u)du$ whose density is the weak entropy solution (cf. (3.3)) of the hydrodynamic equation

$$\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} [\Phi(\rho) \Psi(\rho)] = 0, \quad (3.2)$$

with initial condition $\rho(0, u) = \rho_0(u)$. Here, $\mathbf{1}(n)$ is the unit vector in the direction $\langle 1, \dots, 1 \rangle$, and γ_α is the constant defined by $\gamma_\alpha = \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty d_1 / \|d\|^{n+\alpha}$.

We comment, as is well known, the scalar conservation law (3.2) may not have a classical solution for all times. However, a weak solution $\rho(t, u)$ exists (cf. [10], [15]): Namely, for test functions G with compact support in $[0, T) \times \mathbb{R}^n$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(0, u) \rho_0(u) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_s G(s, u) \rho(s, u) du ds \\ + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(s, u) \Phi \Psi(\rho(s, u)) du ds = 0. \end{aligned}$$

We say that a weak solution $\rho(t, u)$ is a ‘weak entropy’ solution if in the weak sense, with respect to nonnegative test functions G with compact support in $[0, T) \times \mathbb{R}^n$, that

$$\partial_t |\rho - c| + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} [\text{sgn}(\rho - c) (\Phi \Psi(\rho) - \Phi \Psi(c))] \leq 0, \quad \text{for each } c \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and} \quad (3.3)$$

$$\exists \text{ a null set } \mathcal{E} \subset [0, T] \text{ such that } \lim_{\substack{t \searrow 0 \\ t \notin \mathcal{E}}} \int_{-R}^R |\rho_t(u) - \rho_0(u)| du = 0, \quad \text{for all } R > 0.$$

Kružkov proved that there is a unique bounded weak entropy solution if ρ_0 is bounded, which is implied by our assumptions [21]. See [10], [15], and [21] for further discussion about weak entropy solutions.

3.1 Remarks

We now make several remarks about Theorems 3.1 and 3.2.

1. Uniqueness of solution. When $\alpha < 1$, an open question is to understand in what sense a weak solution is unique. If there is an unique weak solution $\rho(t, u)$ of the hydrodynamic equation, then P^N would converge weakly to $\delta_{\rho(t, u)du}$. However, it is not clear what additional criteria, if at all, as in the finite-range or $\alpha > 1$ setting, needs to be imposed to ensure an unique weak solution.

In this context, we note, in [19], for certain attractive long-range symmetric zero-range evolutions, with symmetric jump rate $p^{\text{sym}}(d) = p(d) + p(-d)$, the hydrodynamic equation derived is $\partial_t \rho = \mathcal{L}^{\text{sym}} \rho$ where

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{sym}}(G) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\Phi(G(u - v)) \Psi(G(u)) - \Phi(G(u)) \Psi(G(u + v))}{\|v\|^{n+\alpha}} dv$$

allows variation in all directions, as opposed to (3.1). Uniqueness of weak solution, under an ‘energy’ condition, is shown there. Symmetric long-range exclusion processes are also considered in [19]. However in such models, as is well known, the hydrodynamic equation is linear, and so uniqueness of solution is more immediate.

2. General jump rates. The jump rate $p(\cdot)$ may be generalized to a larger class, in which jumps are allowed in all directions. When $\alpha < 1$, the jump rate can be in form, say

$$p^{gen}(d) = \beta(d)/\|d\|^{n+\alpha} \text{ where } \beta(y) = \sum_{i=1}^n [b_i^+ \mathbf{1}(y \cdot e_i \geq 0) + b_i^- \mathbf{1}(y \cdot e_i \leq 0)] \mathbf{1}(y \neq 0),$$

in terms of constants $\{b_i^+, b_i^-\}_{i=1}^n$, and $\{e_i\}_{i=1}^n$ is the standard basis. We note, in this case, p^{gen} may even be symmetric as in [19].

However, when $\alpha > 1$, the same generalization is allowed, except the jump rate must have a drift, $\sum dp^{gen}(d) \neq 0$.

Under these generalizations, the form of Theorems 3.1 and 3.2 remain the same except that the hydrodynamic equation now involves straightforwardly the constants $\{b_i^+, b_i^-\}$: When $\alpha < 1$, weakly

$$\partial_t \rho = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{\sigma=+,-} b_i^\sigma \int_{\sigma[e_i \cdot v] > 0} \frac{\Phi(\rho(u-v))\Psi(\rho(u)) - \Phi(\rho(u))\Psi(\rho(u+v))}{\|v\|^{n+\alpha}} dv,$$

and when $\alpha > 1$, in (3.2) and (3.3), $\gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}$ is replaced by $\sum dp^{gen}(d) \cdot \nabla$. The proofs are the same, albeit with more notation.

3. Case $\alpha = 1$. Although we assume throughout that $\alpha \neq 1$ and do not consider the case $\alpha = 1$ in the sequel, we remark, when $\alpha = 1$, a log correction is needed in the definition of the empirical measure since the jump rate p does not have mean, but just ‘barely’ so in that $\sum_{\|d\| \leq N} dp(d) = O(\log(N))$. In this case, instead of π_t^N , we should use the rescaled measures $\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_{(N/\log(N))t}(x) \delta_{\frac{x}{N}}$. The arguments, when $\alpha > 1$, are straightforwardly adapted to yield the equation $\partial_t \rho + \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}[\Phi(\rho)\Psi(\rho)] = 0$, here γ_α being replaced by 1.

4. Long-range communication $\alpha > 2$ versus $1 \leq \alpha \leq 2$. In the Euler scale, when $\alpha > 2$, as opposed to when $1 < \alpha \leq 2$, the influence from long distances to the origin, say, is minimal. From considering the single particle displacement rates, the chance a particle displaces by order N is of order $N^{1-\alpha}$. So, the likelihood of a particle a distance of order N or more away from the origin to pass by is minimal when $\alpha > 2$, but this chance it appears is nontrivial when $1 < \alpha \leq 2$.

In this case, it seems not possible to overestimate the chance of travel of particles located at sites x where $|x| \geq cN$ to an ϵN neighborhood of the origin by a convergent sum as in [24]. In particular, it is not clear how to use the method in [24] to approximate the process starting from L^1 initial densities by those starting from arbitrary initial states. Please see Lemma 5.7 in [24] for details about this approximation method.

Hence, rather than start in an L^1 density ρ_0 , under which the system would have only a finite number of particles at each scaling level N as in [24], we have tried to understand infinite volume effects, using the ‘entropy’ method, by starting in a non-integrable density ρ_0 . That $\rho_0(u) = \rho^*$ for large u is a consequence of this method.

5. Use of ‘attractiveness’ when $\alpha > 1$. Only for the proof of Theorem 3.2 is ‘attractiveness’ used. This condition allows to show in Step 1 of Section 7 that solutions ρ are in L^∞ when $M_0 = \infty$. However, when $M_0 < \infty$, we have a priori that $\rho \in L^\infty$ and ‘attractiveness’ is not needed for this point.

On the other hand, ‘attractiveness’ is used to rewrite the generator of a coupled process in (9.2), and then to bound it in Lemma 9.1. These are important ingredients for

the ‘ordering’ Lemma 9.3, which is used to show a ‘measure weak’ formulation of the entropy condition in Theorem 7.3, proved in Section 10.

6. Initial conditions. Only in the proof of Theorem 3.2 is the full description of the initial measures μ_N used. In particular, the full structure is employed in Step 3a in Subsection 10.1, for the proof of the entropy condition inequality. However, with respect to the proof of Theorem 3.1, we note only the fact that the marginals of μ_N at $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ have mean $\rho_0(x/N)$ is used.

4 Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, a test function will be a smooth $C^{1,2}$ function $G : [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with compact support. Typically, given a test function G , we will denote, in terms of the letter R , that its support lies in $[0, T] \times [-R, R]^n$. Define $\|G\| = \sup_{t,u} |G(t, u)|$, and similarly $\|\nabla G\|$, $\|\nabla^2 G\|$ and $\|\partial_s G\|$. Often, we will write $G_t(x)$ for $G(t, x)$ in the sequel.

Also, to reiterate, in the sequel, the parameter $\alpha \neq 1$.

For $y \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, let τ_y represent the shift operator: $\tau_y(\eta(x)) = \eta(x + y)$ and $\tau_y(f(\eta)) = f(\tau_y \eta)$. Define, for $d \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, $h_d(\eta(x)) = \tau_d h(\eta(x)) = h(\eta(x + d))$.

Define also $|y| = \max\{y_1, \dots, y_n\}$ for $y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathbb{Z}^n$. In later calculations, we will use the notion of an ‘ l -block’ average of a function $f = f(\eta)$: That is, define

$$f^l(\eta) = \frac{1}{(2l+1)^n} \sum_{|y| \leq l} \tau_y f(\eta).$$

In particular, $\eta^l(x) = \frac{1}{(2l+1)^n} \sum_{|y| \leq l} \eta(x + y)$.

Form now the mean-zero martingale with respect to $\langle G_t, \pi_t^N \rangle$:

$$M_t^{N,G} := \langle \pi_t^N, G_t \rangle - \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle - \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds - \int_0^t N^{1 \wedge \alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds.$$

Also, with respect to its quadratic variation,

$$\langle M^{N,G} \rangle_t := \int_0^t N^{1 \wedge \alpha} L_N [\langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle^2] - 2N^{1 \wedge \alpha} \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds,$$

we have that $(M_t^{N,G})^2 - \langle M^{N,G} \rangle_t$ is a mean-zero martingale.

Explicitly, we may compute

$$N^{1 \wedge \alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle = \frac{N^{1 \wedge \alpha}}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} g h_d(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right]$$

and

$$\langle M^{N,G} \rangle_t = \int_0^t \frac{N^{1 \wedge \alpha}}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} g h_d(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right]^2 ds. \quad (4.1)$$

Here, and in the body of the paper, our convention will be that the sums over d implicitly contain the restriction that $d = (d_1, \dots, d_n) > 0$, that is $d_i > 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$, as p is supported on such d , to reduce notation.

4.1 Entropy and Dirichlet forms

Recall the distribution of the process at the N th level at time $t \geq 0$, $\mu_t^N = \mu^N T_t^N$. Consider the relative entropy $H(\mu_t^N | \nu_{\rho^*})$ of μ_t^N with respect to the invariant measure ν_{ρ^*} . One may show that $H(\mu_t^N | \nu_{\rho^*})$ is finite, and hence μ_t^N is absolutely continuous with

respect to ν_{ρ^*} . In terms of the Radon-Nikodym derivative $f_t^N = d\mu_t^N/d\nu_{\rho^*}$, we have $H(\mu_t^N|\nu_{\rho^*}) = H(f_t^N)$ where $H(f) = \int f \log f d\nu_{\rho^*}$.

Recall the adjoint L^* defined in Subsection 2.2. Define now the Dirichlet form of a density f by $D(f) = -\int \sqrt{f} L^{sym} \sqrt{f} d\nu_{\rho^*}$, where we define $L^{sym} = (L + L^*)/2$ as the symmetric part of L . We will on occasion define new Dirichlet forms in terms of pieces of the above Dirichlet form. For $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, define the bond Dirichlet form as

$$D^{x,y}(f) = \frac{1}{2} \int p^{sym}(y-x) g(\eta(x)) h(\eta(x+y)) (\sqrt{f(\eta^{x,y})} - \sqrt{f(\eta)})^2 d\nu_{\rho^*},$$

where $p^{sym}(d) = (p(d) + p(-d))/2$. By properties of ν_{ρ^*} , one can calculate $D^{x,y}(f) = D^{y,x}(f)$. Roughly speaking, $D^{x,y}(f)$ is a measure of how much $f(\eta)$ can vary as one particle is moved from x to y or vice versa. In particular, if $D^{x,y}(f) = 0$, then $f(\eta) = f(\eta^{x,y})$ when $p(y-x)g(\eta(x))h(\eta(x+y)) \neq 0$. In terms of these bond forms, the ‘full’ Dirichlet form may be written as $D(f) = (1/2) \sum_{x,y} D^{x,y}(f)$.

One may relate the entropy and Dirichlet form as follows, justification below:

$$H(\mu_t^N|\nu_{\rho^*}) + 2\gamma_N \int_0^t D(f_s^N) ds \leq H(\mu^N|\nu_{\rho^*}). \quad (4.2)$$

Then, by convexity of the Dirichlet form, we have the bound $D(\bar{f}_t^N) \leq H(\mu^N|\nu_{\rho^*})/(2\gamma_N t)$, where $\bar{f}_t^N = \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t f_s^N ds$. Moreover, by our entropy assumption on the initial distributions $\{\mu^N\}$, and with $C_0 = C/(2t)$, we have

$$H(\mu_t^N|\nu_{\rho^*}) \leq H(\mu^N|\nu_{\rho^*}) \leq CN^n \quad \text{and} \quad D(\bar{f}_t^N) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{\gamma_N}. \quad (4.3)$$

In the finite volume, (4.2) and (4.3) are well-known (cf. Chapter 5 in [20]). In the infinite volume, to obtain finiteness of the relative entropy, (4.2) and (4.3), we may approximate μ_t^N by distributions $\mu_t^{N,R} = \mu^N T_t^{N,R}$ of processes with dynamics localized to boxes of growing width R and sites frozen outside, with semigroup $T_t^{N,R}$ starting from the product measure μ^N , for which the relative entropy and localized Dirichlet form of $d\mu_t^{N,R}/d\nu_{\rho^*}$ satisfy (4.2) and (4.3).

In particular, by the construction estimates in Sections 8 of [18], for Lipschitz functions u on the complete, separable metric space $\mathcal{X}_0$, we have $T_t^{N,R} u \rightarrow T_t^N u$ as $R \uparrow \infty$; also, as $|T_t^{N,R} u(\eta)|, |T_t^N u(\eta)| \leq c_u e^{c_r t} \|\eta\|_{\mathcal{X}_0} + |u|(\mathbf{0}) \in L^1(\mu_N)$, where c_u is the Lipschitz constant with respect to u , $\mathbf{0}$ is the empty configuration, and c_r is a constant depending on process parameters, we have the ‘convergence’, $E_{\mu_t^{N,R}}[u] \rightarrow E_{\mu_t^N}[u]$, as $R \uparrow \infty$. Therefore, $\mu_t^{N,R}$ converges weakly to μ_t^N by the Portmanteau theorem (cf. Section 3.9 in [13]). Hence, by lower semi-continuity of the relative entropy (cf. [12]), $H(\mu_t^N|\nu_{\rho^*}) \leq CN^n$ is finite.

Now, note that the localized Dirichlet form is greater than the Dirichlet form D_K involving only bonds in a fixed box with width K for all large R , and that such fixed forms increase as K grows to the full one. We claim that the form D_K is lower semi-continuous: $\liminf_{R \uparrow \infty} D_K(d\mu_s^{N,R}/d\nu_{\rho^*}) \geq D_K(d\mu_s^N/d\nu_{\rho^*})$. Indeed, this follows noting that $\mu_t^{N,R} \Rightarrow \mu_t^N$, and observations $-2\sqrt{f(\eta)f(\eta^{x,x+y})} = \sup_{\epsilon} \{-\epsilon f(\eta) - \epsilon^{-1} f(\eta^{x,x+y})\}$, $g(\cdot)h(\cdot)$ is Lipschitz in $\mathcal{X}_0$ by use of the construction assumption (iii; see also 1. in Subsection 2.5), and $E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[f(\eta^{x,x+y})g(\eta(x))h(\eta(x+y))] = E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[f(\eta)g(\eta(x+y))h(\eta(x))]$ (applied with $f = d\mu_s^{N,R}/d\nu_{\rho^*}$ and $d\mu_s^N/d\nu_{\rho^*}$). With these ingredients, it is straightforward to conclude (4.2) and (4.3). See also [22] and references therein for related approaches.

Recall now the ‘entropy inequality’ (cf. Appendix 1 in [20]): For $\gamma > 0$, and bounded or nonnegative f ,

$$E_{\mu}[f] \leq \frac{1}{\gamma} \left(\log E_{\nu}[e^{\gamma f}] + H(\mu|\nu) \right).$$

Then, with respect to a bounded or nonnegative function f , noting (4.3), we have

$$E^N[f(\eta_s)] \leq \frac{1}{\gamma N^n} \{ \log E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[e^{\gamma N^n f(\eta)}] + CN^n \}. \quad (4.4)$$

A common application of the entropy inequality is to bound the numbers of particles in various sets.

Lemma 4.1. *For $N \geq 1$, $0 \leq s \leq T$, and sets $A_N \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$ with $\text{Card}(A_N) \leq C_1 N^n$, we have*

$$\frac{1}{N^n} E^N \left[\sum_{x \in A_N} \eta_s(x) \right] \leq C_1 K,$$

where $K = (\log E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[e^{\gamma \eta(0)}] + C/C_1)/\gamma$, C is the constant in (4.3) and $\gamma > 0$

Proof. By the entropy inequality (4.4), and finite exponential moments FEM, the left-side of the display, for $\gamma > 0$, is bounded by

$$\frac{1}{\gamma N^n} \{ \log E_{\nu_{\rho^*}} \left[\exp \left(\gamma \sum_{x \in A_N} \eta(x) \right) \right] + CN^n \},$$

which is further bounded by $(C_1/\gamma) \log E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[e^{\gamma \eta(0)}] + (C/\gamma)$ since ν_{ρ^*} is a translation invariant product measure. $\square$

For later reference, we state the following ‘truncation’ bounds, which holds under FEM, using also the entropy inequality; see p 90-91 in [20].

Lemma 4.2. *For $R < \infty$ and $0 \leq s \leq T$, we have*

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \left[\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_s(x) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x) > A) \right] &= 0 \text{ and} \\ \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \left[\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_s^l(x) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) > A) \right] &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

4.2 Generator and martingale bounds

We now collect a few useful bounds. Let σ_n be the surface area of the part of a unit radius n -sphere, centered at the origin, contained in the first orthant. In this subsection, to make expressions compact, we will adopt the convention that $\sum_{A(x) \text{ or } B(x)}$ is a sum over x where x satisfies specifications $A(x)$ or $B(x)$.

Lemma 4.3. *Let G be a test function supported on $[0, T) \times [-R, R]^n$. We have*

$$E^N[|N^{1 \wedge \alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle|] \leq C_G$$

where $C_G = \kappa \|h\|_\infty (n + \frac{\sigma_n}{|\alpha-1|} \|\nabla G\| + \frac{\sigma_n}{\alpha} 2 \|G\|) K'$, $K' = 2(R+1)^n K$ and K is the constant in Lemma 4.1.

Before going to the proof, we remark that we have made precise the constant C_G , especially its dependence on R , as it will be of use in a later estimate (cf. Lemma 11.1).

Proof. First, as h is bounded and g is Lipschitz, by (2.3), we have

$$|N^{1 \wedge \alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle| \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty N^{1 \wedge \alpha} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_s(x) \left| G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right|.$$

The sum over d can be divided into a sums over $1 \leq \|d\| \leq N$ and $\|d\| > N$. We may bound $|G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})|$ by $\|\nabla G\| \frac{\|d\|}{N} \mathbf{1}(|x| \leq (R+1)N)$ when $1 \leq \|d\| \leq N$, and by $\|G\|(\mathbf{1}(|x| \leq RN) + \mathbf{1}(|x+d| \leq RN))$ when $\|d\| > N$. Hence, we have the further bound

$$\begin{aligned} |N^{1\wedge\alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle| &\leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \left(\frac{N^{1\wedge\alpha}}{N} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^N \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \|\nabla G\| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+1)N} \eta_s(x) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + N^{1\wedge\alpha} \sum_{\|d\|=N+1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \|G\| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{|x| \leq RN \text{ or} \\ |x+d| \leq RN}} \eta_s(x) \right). \end{aligned} \quad (4.5)$$

Both sums over x add over at most $2((R+1)N)^n$ sized regions. Hence, by Lemma 4.1, the expected value of both sums are less than $2K(R+1)^n N^n$.

Also, the sums over d can be bounded as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{aN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} &\leq n + \sigma_n \int_1^{aN} \frac{1}{r^\alpha} dr = n + \sigma_n \left(\frac{1}{\alpha-1} - \frac{1}{\alpha-1} \frac{aN}{(aN)^\alpha} \right) \\ \sum_{\|d\|=bN+1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} &\leq \sigma_n \int_{bN}^\infty \frac{1}{r^{1+\alpha}} dr = \frac{\sigma_n}{\alpha(bN)^\alpha}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

We note also, an alternate bound, $\sum_{\|d\|=1}^{aN} \|d\|^{-(n-1+\alpha)} \leq \sigma_n N^{1-\alpha} \int_0^a r^{-\alpha} dr$ can be used when $\alpha < 1$.

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} E^N |N^{1\wedge\alpha} L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle| &\leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty K' \left(\frac{N^{1\wedge\alpha}}{N} \left(n + \sigma_n \left[\frac{1}{\alpha-1} - \frac{1}{\alpha-1} \frac{N}{N^\alpha} \right] \right) \|\nabla G\| + N^{1\wedge\alpha} \frac{\sigma_n}{\alpha N^\alpha} 2 \|G\| \right) \leq C_G, \end{aligned}$$

as desired. $\square$

We state here straightforward corollaries of the proof of Lemma 4.3, adjusting the values of a and b in the sums over d near (4.6).

Lemma 4.4. *We have, when $\alpha < 1$, that*

$$\lim_{\epsilon \downarrow 0} \lim_{D \uparrow \infty} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} E^N \left| \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\substack{\|d\| < \epsilon N \text{ or} \\ \|d\| > DN}} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \eta_s(x) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds \right| = 0.$$

Lemma 4.5. *We have, when $\alpha > 1$, that*

$$\lim_{\epsilon \downarrow 0} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} E^N \left| \int_0^t \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\| > \epsilon N} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \eta_s(x) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds \right| = 0.$$

The difference of quadratic variations defined in (4.1) can be bounded as follows:

Lemma 4.6. *For $0 \leq t_1 \leq t_2 \leq T$, we have that*

$$E^N |\langle M^{N,G} \rangle_{t_2} - \langle M^{N,G} \rangle_{t_1}| \leq K_G \frac{|t_2 - t_1|}{N^n}$$

where K_G is a constant depending on G .

Proof. Recall the formula for $\langle M^{N,G} \rangle_t$ in (4.1). By (2.3), it is enough to show that

$$\kappa \|h\|_\infty \frac{N^{1\wedge\alpha}}{N^{2n}} E^N \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \eta_s(x) \left| G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right|^2 \leq \frac{K_G}{N^n}. \quad (4.7)$$

We can bound one factor $|G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})|$ by $2\|G\|$. The left-side of the display is then bounded by $2\|G\|/N^n$ times

$$\kappa\|h\|_\infty N^{1\wedge\alpha} E^N \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_s(x) |G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})|.$$

However, we have already bounded this expression in the proof of Lemma 4.3 by C_G . $\square$

4.3 Tightness of $\{P^N\}$

We now show, when $\alpha \neq 1$, that the sequence $\{P^N\}$ is tight and therefore weakly relatively compact. For smooth G with compact support, let P_G^N be the induced distribution of $\{\langle \pi_t^N, G \rangle : t \in [0, T]\}$. To prove that $\{P^N\}$ is tight, it is enough to show that $\{P_G^N\}$ is tight for all such G (cf. Proposition 1.7, Chapter 4 in [20]). We will in fact show sufficient tightness estimates with respect to the uniform topology, stronger than the Skorohod topology.

Proposition 4.7. *The sequence $\{P_G^N\}$ is tight with respect to the uniform topology: For smooth G with compact support in $\mathbb{R}^n$, the following holds.*

1. For every $\epsilon > 0$, there is a compact $K \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ such that $\sup_N P^N(\langle \pi_0^N, G \rangle \notin K) \leq \epsilon$.
2. For every $\epsilon > 0$,

$$\limsup_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\sup_{\substack{|t-s| < \delta \\ 0 \leq s, t \leq T}} |\langle \pi_t^N, G \rangle - \langle \pi_s^N, G \rangle| > \epsilon \right) = 0$$

Proof. To prove the first condition, it is enough to show that $\sup_N E^N[|\langle \pi_0^N, G \rangle|]$ is finite. But, by Lemma 4.1,

$$E^N |\langle \pi_0^N, G \rangle| \leq \|G\| \frac{1}{N^n} E_{\mu^N} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_0(x) < \infty.$$

To prove the second condition, for $t > s$, we may write

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{|t-s| < \delta} |\langle \pi_t^N, G \rangle - \langle \pi_s^N, G \rangle| \\ & \leq \sup_{|t-s| < \delta} \int_s^t |N^{1\wedge\alpha} L_N \langle \pi_r^N, G \rangle| dr + \sup_{|t-s| < \delta} |M_t^{N,G} - M_s^{N,G}|. \end{aligned} \tag{4.8}$$

The second term on the right-side of (4.8) is bounded through the triangle inequality, Doob's inequality, and the quadratic variation estimate Lemma 4.6:

$$E^N \sup_{|t-s| < \delta} |M_t^{N,G} - M_s^{N,G}|^2 \leq 4E^N \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} (M_t^{N,G})^2 \leq 16E^N \langle M^{N,G} \rangle_T = O(N^{-n}).$$

For the first term on the right-side of (4.8), as is done in the proof of Lemma 4.3, we bound the integrand by (4.5). We now analyze the first term in (4.5); the other term is similarly handled. Write the first term as $I_1 + I_2$, in terms of a parameter A , where

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \kappa\|h\|_\infty \frac{N^{1\wedge\alpha}}{N} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^N \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \|\nabla G\| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_r(x) \mathbf{1}(\eta_r(x) \leq A) \\ I_2 &= \kappa\|h\|_\infty \frac{N^{1\wedge\alpha}}{N} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^N \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \|\nabla G\| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_r(x) \mathbf{1}(\eta_r(x) > A). \end{aligned}$$

We may bound I_1 , as in the proof of Lemma 4.3, by $I_1 \leq [C_G/K'](2R+1)^n A$. Correspondingly, $\sup_{|t-s|<\delta} \int_s^t I_1 dr \leq \delta [C_G/K'](2R+1)^n A$, which vanishes as $\delta \downarrow 0$.

For the term I_2 , we use the following approach. For each δ , partition $[0, T]$ into $n = \lceil T/\delta \rceil$ intervals $[t_i, t_{i+1}]$ for $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$, of length T/n . Then,

$$\sup_{|t-s|<\delta} \int_s^t I_2 dr \leq 3 \max_i \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} I_2 dr.$$

It follows that

$$P^N \left(\sup_{|t-s|<\delta} \int_s^t I_2 dr > \epsilon \right) \leq \sum_i P^N \left(\int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} I_2 dr > \epsilon/3 \right) \leq \frac{3}{\epsilon} \int_0^T E^N [I_2] dr.$$

Since the sum $(N^{1/\alpha}/N) \sum_{1 \leq \|d\| \leq N} \|d\|^{-(n-1+\alpha)}$ is bounded (cf. (4.6)), by Lemma 4.2, we have that $\lim_{A \uparrow \infty} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} E^N [I_2] = 0$, to finish the proof. $\square$

5 Proof outline: hydrodynamic limits when $\alpha < 1$

We outline the proof of Theorem 3.1, referring to ‘1 and 2-block’ estimates later proved in Section 6.

Step 1. First, by Doob’s inequality and the quadratic variation bound Lemma 4.6, for $\epsilon_0 > 0$,

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |M_t^{N,G}| > \epsilon_0 \right) \leq \frac{4}{\epsilon_0^2} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N (M_T^{N,G})^2 = 0.$$

As G has compact support, we may choose $t < T$ large enough so that G_t , and hence $\langle \pi_t^N, G_t \rangle$ vanishes. Therefore, for such t ,

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\left| \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t N^\alpha L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0.$$

Step 2. Next, in order for $\langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t N^\alpha L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds$ to look like the weak formulation of a hydrodynamic equation, we will replace $\int_0^t N^\alpha L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds$ by appropriate terms. Noting the generator expression near (4.1),

$$\int_0^t N^\alpha L_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds = \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds.$$

We now truncate the sum over d to when $\|d\|$ is at least ϵN and at most DN . By Lemma 4.4, as $gh_d(\eta(x)) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta(x)$ (cf. (2.3)), the excess vanishes, where $\epsilon \downarrow 0$ and $D \uparrow \infty$, after $N \uparrow \infty$. Therefore, after limits on N , ϵ and D are taken in order,

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds \end{aligned}$$

vanishes in probability. Here, and elsewhere, we write ϵN and DN for $\lceil \epsilon N \rceil$ and $\lfloor DN \rfloor$.

We remark that one may link D to ϵ by specifying $D = \epsilon^{-1}$ in what follows. We have chosen however to separate the parameters to highlight their roles. We also comment that the truncations on d are of use to bound quantities such as $\nabla^{\alpha,d} G_s(x/N)$ in Step 3c, and others in the proofs of the 1 and 2-block estimates later quoted in Step 3.

Step 3a. We will now like to replace the nonlinear terms ' $gh_d(\eta_s(x))$ ' by functions of the empirical measure π_s^N .

The first replacement involves substituting $gh_d(\eta_s(x))$, with its average over l -blocks: $(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x))$, where l diverges after N diverges, but before the limits on ϵ and then D . By a discrete integration-by-parts, smoothness and compact support of G , the error introduced is of the expected order

$$\kappa \|h\|_\infty \|\nabla G\| \frac{lN^{\alpha-1}}{N^n} E^N \int_0^t \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} \eta_s(x) ds,$$

which vanishes, noting Lemma 4.1.

Therefore, we have, as $N \uparrow \infty$, $l \uparrow \infty$, $\epsilon \downarrow 0$ and $D \uparrow \infty$, that

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds \end{aligned}$$

vanishes in probability.

Step 3b. Next, we perform what is usually called the '1-block' replacement. Recall the functions Φ and Ψ in (2.2). We would like to replace $(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x))$ by $\Phi(\eta_s^l(x))\Psi(\eta_s^l(x+d))$, the 'averaged' function of the local mass density. That is, we wish to show

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \left| \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] \right| ds = 0$$

where $H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta) = (gh_d(\eta(x)))^l - \Phi(\eta^l(x))\Psi(\eta^l(x+d))$. By discrete integration-by-parts and bounding $G(x/N)$ by $\mathbf{1}(|x| \leq RN)\|G\|$, it will be enough to show that

$$\begin{aligned} & E^N \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s)| ds \text{ and} \\ & E^N \int_0^t \frac{N^\alpha}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |\tau_{-d} H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s)| ds \end{aligned}$$

both vanish as $N \uparrow \infty$ and then $l \uparrow \infty$ for fixed ϵ, D . This is proved as a consequence of Proposition 6.1 in Subsection 6.1.

After this 1-block replacement, we have

$$\langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \Phi(\eta_s^l(x)) \Psi(\eta_s^l(x+d)) \nabla^{\alpha,d} G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds$$

vanishes in probability as in order $N \uparrow \infty$, $l \uparrow \infty$, $\epsilon \downarrow 0$ and $D \uparrow \infty$, where

$$\nabla^{\alpha,d} G_s(x/N) = \|(d/N)\|^{-n-\alpha} \left[G_s((x+d)/N) - G_s(x/N) \right].$$

Step 3c. The final estimate is the so-called '2-blocks' replacement, where $\eta_s^l(x)$ is replaced by $\eta_s^{\epsilon'N}(x)$ in terms of a parameter ϵ' . We will write $\epsilon'N$ instead of $\lfloor \epsilon'N \rfloor$ throughout.

That is, we will like to show for fixed ϵ and D , as in order $N \uparrow \infty$, $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$ and $l \uparrow \infty$, that

$$E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} |\Phi(\eta_s^l(x)) \Psi(\eta_s^l(x+d)) - \Phi(\eta_s^{\epsilon' N}(x)) \Psi(\eta_s^{\epsilon' N}(x+d))| |\nabla^{\alpha, d} G_s(\frac{x}{N})| ds$$

vanishes.

We observe that $\nabla^{\alpha, d} G_s(\frac{x}{N})$ is zero, unless $-(R+D)N \leq x \leq RN$, in which case it is bounded. Also, as Φ is Lipschitz and Ψ is bounded by $\|h\|_\infty$, we have

$$|\Phi(\eta_s^l(x)) \Psi(\eta_s^l(x+d)) - \Phi(\eta_s^{\epsilon' N}(x)) \Psi(\eta_s^{\epsilon' N}(x+d))| \leq H_{x, d, l, \epsilon' N}^2(\eta_s)$$

where $H_{x, d, l, \epsilon' N}^2(\eta) = \kappa \|h\|_\infty |\eta^l(x) - \eta^{\epsilon' N}(x)| + \Phi(\eta^l(x)) |\Psi(\eta^l(x+d)) - \Psi(\eta^{\epsilon' N}(x+d))|$. Then, to show the 2-blocks replacement, it will enough to show, for fixed ϵ, D that

$$\lim_{l \uparrow \infty} \lim_{\epsilon' \downarrow 0} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} H_{x, d, l, \epsilon' N}^2(\eta_s) ds = 0.$$

This is a consequence of Proposition 6.3 in Subsection 6.2.

We now observe that an $\epsilon' N$ -block is macroscopically small, and may written in terms of π_s^N as follows:

$$\eta_s^{\epsilon' N}(x) = \left(\frac{2\epsilon' N}{2\epsilon' N + 1} \right)^n \langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - x/N) \rangle$$

where $\iota_{\epsilon'} = (2\epsilon')^{-n} \mathbf{1}([- \epsilon', \epsilon']^n)$. Hence, after the 2-blocks replacement, we have ‘closed the equation’, that is

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \Phi \left(\langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - \frac{x}{N}) \rangle \right) \Psi \left(\langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - \frac{x+d}{N}) \rangle \right) \nabla^{\alpha, d} G_s \left(\frac{x}{N} \right) ds \end{aligned}$$

vanishes in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$, for fixed ϵ, D .

Step 4. We may replace the Riemann sums with integrals limited by ϵ and D . As Φ, Ψ are Lipschitz and Ψ is bounded (cf. (2.3)), and as $\nabla^{\alpha, d} G_s$ is smooth, the error accrued is of expected order $N^{-(n+1)} \int_0^t E^N \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} \eta_s(x) ds$, which vanishes, as $N \uparrow \infty$, $D \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon \downarrow 0$, by Lemma 4.1.

Further, we may then replace the limits in the integrals by 0 and ∞ , respectively. The error of this replacement, comparing to Riemann sums, vanishes by Lemma 4.4, as $N \uparrow \infty$, $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$, $D \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon \downarrow 0$.

For $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$, define $\Psi_v(f(u)) = \Psi(f(u+v))$, and recall $\nabla^{\alpha, v} G_s(u) = \|v\|^{-n-\alpha} [G_s(u+v) - G_s(u)]$. Hence, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds \\ & + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \Phi \left(\langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle \right) \Psi_v \left(\langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle \right) \nabla^{\alpha, v} G_s(u) dv du ds \end{aligned}$$

converges to zero in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$.

Step 5. Now, according to Proposition 4.7, the measures $\{P_G^N\}$ are tight, with respect to uniform topology. Let $\{N_k\}$ be a subsequence where the measures converge to a limit point P^* . The function of π ,

$$\langle \pi_0, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \Phi \Psi_v(\langle \pi_s^N, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle) \nabla^{\alpha, v} G_s(u) dv du ds,$$

is continuous for each $\epsilon' > 0$. Then, letting $N_k \uparrow \infty$, we recover that

$$\lim_{\epsilon' \downarrow 0} P^* \left(\left| \langle \pi_0, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \Phi \Psi_v(\langle \pi_s, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle) \nabla^{\alpha, v} G_s(u) dv du ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0.$$

Step 6. Now, we claim that P^* is supported on measures π_s that are absolutely continuous with respect to Lebesgue measure, and so $\pi_s = \rho(s, u) du$ for an L_{loc}^1 function $\rho(s, u)$. Indeed, this follows, under condition FEM, with the same proof given for zero-range processes on pages 73-75 of [20]. We also have $\langle \pi_0, G_0 \rangle = \langle \rho_0, G_0 \rangle$ from our initial conditions. Hence, $\langle \pi_s, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle = (2\epsilon')^{-n} \int_{[-\epsilon', \epsilon']^n} \rho(s, u + v) dv$. Note also that P^* -a.s.

$$\limsup_{\epsilon' \rightarrow 0} \left| \frac{1}{(2\epsilon')^n} \int_{[-\epsilon', \epsilon']^n} \rho(s, u + v) dv - \rho(s, u) \right| = 0 \quad u\text{-a.e. and in } L_{loc}^1.$$

By properties of Φ, Ψ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & |\Phi \Psi_v(\langle \pi_s, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle) - \Phi \Psi_v(\rho(s, u))| \\ & \leq \kappa \|\psi\|_\infty |\langle \pi_s, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle - \rho(s, u)| + \kappa \rho(s, u) |\Psi_v(\langle \pi_s, \iota_{\epsilon'}(\cdot - u) \rangle) - \Psi_v(\rho(s, u))|. \end{aligned}$$

As Ψ is bounded, the second term on the right-side is bounded by $2\kappa \|\psi\|_\infty \rho(s, u)$. Note also that $\sup_{w \in \mathbb{R}^n} E_{P^*} \int_0^t |\langle \pi_s, \mathbf{1}(|\cdot - w| \leq R) \rangle| ds = \sup_{w \in \mathbb{R}^n} E_{P^*} \int_0^t \int_{|u-w| \leq R} \rho(s, u) du ds < \infty$ by Lemma 4.1 and lower semi-continuity in π of the associated mapping. Then, as G has compact support, by the L_{loc}^1 convergence, and use of dominated convergence, we have, with respect to each limit point P^* , a.s.

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \rho_0(u) G_0(u) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \rho(s, u) \partial_s G_s(u) ds \\ & + \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{[0, \infty)^n} \Phi \Psi_v(\rho(s, u)) \nabla^{\alpha, v} G_s(u) dv du ds = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since G has compact support in $[0, T)$ with respect to time, we may replace t by T .

In other words, every limit point P^* is supported on absolutely continuous measures, $\pi_s = \rho(s, u) du$, whose densities $\rho(s, u)$ are weak solutions of the hydrodynamic equation. This concludes the proof of Theorem 3.1. $\square$

6 1-block and 2-block estimates

We discuss the 1 and 2 block estimates when $\alpha < 1$, and also a 1-block estimate when $\alpha > 1$ in the next three subsections.

6.1 1-block estimate: $\alpha < 1$

We now prove the 1-block replacement used in Section 5. As a comment, in Step 3, due to the long range setting, we use a somewhat nonstandard estimate.

Proposition 6.1 (1-block estimate). *When $\alpha < 1$, we have*

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \int_0^t \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s)| ds = 0$$

where $H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta) = (gh_d)^l(\eta(x)) - \Phi(\eta^l(x))\Psi(\eta^l(x+d))$

Proof. The proof goes through a few steps.

Step 1. We first introduce a truncation. As both $|h|, |\Psi| \leq \|h\|_\infty$, and both g, Φ are Lipschitz, we can bound $H_{x,d,l}^1 \leq 2\kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta^l(x)$. Since $\limsup_{N \uparrow \infty} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} N^\alpha / \|d\|^{n+\alpha} < \infty$, we can introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \leq A)$ into the integrand in the display by Lemma 4.2.

Once again, by Lemma 4.2, as $|H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s)| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(x) \leq A)$ is bounded in terms of A , and again the sum $\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} N^\alpha / \|d\|^{n+\alpha}$ is uniformly bounded in N , we can introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta^l(x+d) \leq A)$ in the integrand.

It will be enough to show, for each A , as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$, that the following vanishes,

$$E^N \int_0^t \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta_s)| \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \vee \eta_s^l(x+d) \leq A) ds.$$

Step 2. Recall the density $\bar{f}_t^N$ in Subsection 4.1. The expected value above equals

$$t \int \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta)| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(x) \vee \eta^l(x+d) \leq A) \bar{f}_t^N(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta).$$

Given the Dirichlet bound on $\bar{f}_t^N$ in (4.3) of order N^n/N^α , we need only show that

$$\sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |H_{x,d,l}^1(\eta)| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(x) \vee \eta^l(x+d) \leq A) f(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta)$$

vanishes as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$.

Let $f^{R,N}(\eta) = \frac{1}{(2RN+1)^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \tau_x f(\eta)$. By translation-invariance of ν_{ρ^*} , the above display equals

$$\sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{(2RN+1)^n}{N^n} |H_{0,d,l}^1(\eta)| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(0) \vee \eta^l(d) \leq A) f^{R,N}(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta).$$

Step 3. At this stage, there is a trick that is not part of the standard 1-block argument because, in $H_{0,d,l}^1$, we in fact have 2 l -blocks, about 0 and d . Let ξ and ζ be configurations on $[-l, l]^n$ that equal η and $\tau_d \eta$, respectively, on $[-l, l]^n$. Define

$$\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta) := \frac{1}{(2l+1)^n} \sum_{|y| \leq l} g(\xi(y))h(\zeta(y)) - \Phi(\xi^l(0))\Psi(\zeta^l(0)).$$

Let $\nu_{\rho^*}^1(d\xi, d\zeta)$ be the product measure on pairs of configurations (ξ, ζ) induced by ν_{ρ^*} , and let $\bar{f}_{l,d}(\xi, \zeta)$ be the conditional expectation of $f^{R,N}(\eta)$ given configurations η that equal ξ on $[-l, l]^n$ and ζ on $[-l+d, l+d]^n$. Define now

$$\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D} = \left(\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \bar{f}_{l,d} \right) / \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}}.$$

Given $(2RN + 1)^n / N^n \leq (2R + 1)^n$ and $\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} N^\alpha / \|d\|^{n+\alpha}$ is bounded in terms of ϵ and D , it will be sufficient to show that

$$\limsup_{l \uparrow \infty} \limsup_{N \uparrow \infty} \sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int |\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta)| \mathbf{1}(\xi^l(0) \vee \zeta^l(0) \leq A) \bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}(\xi, \zeta) \nu_{\rho^*}^1(d\xi, d\zeta) = 0.$$

Step 4. Let $D_1^{x,y}(f) = D^{x,y}(f)$ and $D_2^{x,y}(f) = D^{x,y}(\tau_d f)$ be the bond Dirichlet forms with respect to configurations ξ and ζ respectively. Define now a new Dirichlet form,

$$D_l^2(f) := \sum_{|y| \leq l} \left(D_1^{0,y}(f) + D_2^{0,y}(f) \right).$$

In Lemma 6.2 below, we prove the following bound $D_l^2(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}) \leq C_1 / N^\alpha$. Therefore, it will be enough to show

$$\limsup_{l \uparrow \infty} \limsup_{N \uparrow \infty} \sup_{D_l^2(f) \leq \frac{C_1}{N^\alpha}} \int |\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta)| \mathbf{1}(\xi^l(0) \vee \zeta^l(0) \leq A) f(\xi, \zeta) \nu_{\rho^*}^1(d\xi, d\zeta) = 0. \quad (6.1)$$

Because of the truncation, $\mathbf{1}(\xi^l(0) \vee \zeta^l(0) \leq A)$, we may restrict the supremum to sub-probability densities f supported on a finite set of configurations (ξ, ζ) satisfying $\xi^l(0) \vee \zeta^l(0) \leq A$. As the mass $\nu_{\rho^*}^1(\xi, \zeta)$ is bounded below uniformly by a constant $C(n, l) > 0$ for these finite number of configurations, we have the uniform bound for the sub-probability density, $f(\xi, \zeta) \leq C^{-1}(l)$, on its domain. Hence, from any sequence of such densities, one can extract a subsequence which converges pointwise. See Chapter 5 in [20] for another approach.

The supremum in (6.1), for each N and l , is attained at some density denoted $f_{N,l}$. As $N \uparrow \infty$, any convergent subsequence of $\{f_{N,l}\}$ approaches a function f_∞ . Since $D_l^2(f_{N,l}) \leq C_1 / N^\alpha$, by Fatou's lemma, the Dirichlet form of f_∞ vanishes, $D_l^2(f_\infty) = 0$. Therefore, after $N \uparrow \infty$, the supremum is bounded by

$$\sup_{D_l^2(f)=0} \int |\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta)| \mathbf{1}(\xi^l(0) \vee \zeta^l(0) \leq A) f(\xi, \zeta) \nu_{\rho^*}^1(d\xi, d\zeta).$$

Step 5. If $D_l^2(f) = 0$, then f is a constant, namely $f = C_{j_1, j_2}$ along the hyperplanes

$$H_{j_1, j_2}^2 = \left\{ (\xi, \zeta) : \sum_{|y| \leq l} \xi(y) = j_1, \sum_{|y| \leq l} \zeta(y) = j_2 \right\},$$

where $j_1, j_2 = 0, 1, \dots, (2l + 1)^n A$. Because f is a sub-probability density, the constants C_{j_1, j_2} are nonnegative and $\sum C_{j_1, j_2} \nu_{\rho^*}^1(H_{j_1, j_2}^2) \leq 1$. Therefore, the last expression can be written as a supremum over all possible weighted averages of the integral over hyperplanes:

$$\sup_{\sum c_{j_1, j_2} \leq 1} \sum_{j_1, j_2=0}^{(2l+1)^n A} c_{j_1, j_2} \int_{H_{j_1, j_2}^2} |\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta)| \nu_{\rho^*}^{l, j_1, j_2}(d\xi, d\zeta),$$

where $\nu_{\rho^*}^{l, j_1, j_2}$ is the canonical product measure $\nu_{\rho^*}^1$ conditioned to H_{j_1, j_2}^2 , no longer depending on ρ^* .

In particular, it will be enough to show that

$$\limsup_{l \uparrow \infty} \sup_{0 \leq j_1, j_2 \leq (2l+1)^n A} \int |\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta)| \nu_{\rho^*}^{l, j_1, j_2}(d\xi, d\zeta) = 0.$$

Step 6. We try to make the integrand independent of l . To simplify expressions, we assume now that l is such that $(2l + 1)^n = q(2k + 1)^n$, that is, an l -block is partitioned into

k -blocks. When l is not in this form, the following argument may be straightforwardly adapted with more notation. Let $B_1, \dots, B_q$ denote the k -blocks. Then,

$$\mathcal{H}_l^1(\xi, \zeta) = \frac{1}{q} \sum_{i=1}^q \frac{1}{(2k+1)^n} \sum_{y \in B_i} (g(\xi(y))h(\zeta(y))) - \Phi(\xi^l(0))\Psi(\zeta^l(0))$$

Under ν^{l,j_1,j_2} , the distribution of $\sum_{y \in B_i} (g(\xi(y))h(\zeta(y))) - \Phi(\xi^l(0))\Psi(\zeta^l(0)) / (2k+1)^n$ doesn't depend on i . Therefore, noting $\xi^l(0) = \frac{j_1}{(2l+1)^n}$ and $\zeta^l(0) = \frac{j_2}{(2l+1)^n}$, we can bound the previous supremum by

$$\sup_{0 \leq j_1, j_2 \leq (2l+1)^n A} \int \left| \frac{1}{(2k+1)^n} \sum_{|y| \leq k} g(\xi(y))h(\zeta(y)) - \Phi\left(\frac{j_1}{(2l+1)^n}\right)\Psi\left(\frac{j_2}{(2l+1)^n}\right) \right| \nu^{l,j_1,j_2}(d\xi, d\zeta).$$

We can then take the limit as $l \uparrow \infty$, that is, as $q \uparrow \infty$ to obtain, by a local central limit theorem or equivalence of ensembles estimate as in Corollary 1.7 in Appendix 2 [20], the expression

$$\sup_{0 \leq \rho_1, \rho_2 \leq A} \int \left| \frac{1}{(2k+1)^n} \sum_{|y| \leq k} g(\xi(y))h(\zeta(y)) - \Phi(\rho_1)\Psi(\rho_2) \right| (\nu_{\rho_1} \times \nu_{\rho_2})(d\xi, d\zeta).$$

But, this quantity, say using a Chebychev bound, vanishes uniformly for $0 \leq \rho \leq A$ as $k \uparrow \infty$ by the law of large numbers, since $\Phi(\rho_1)\Psi(\rho_2) = E_{\nu_{\rho_1} \times \nu_{\rho_2}}[g(\xi(0))h(\zeta(0))]$.

As a remark, this last step is rather interesting. Normally, the usual 1-block estimate ends by showing that an average of a function of the $\xi(y)$ converges to its expected value. Here, in the $\alpha < 1$ case, we end up with term that looks like a covariance. $\square$

We now show a bound on $D_l^2(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}) = \sum_{|y| \leq l} (D_1^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}) + D_2^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}))$.

Lemma 6.2. *Let f be a density such that $D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}$. Then, $D_l^2(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}) \leq C_1/N^\alpha$ where $C_1 = 2C_0/R^n$.*

Proof. By the convexity of the Dirichlet form, for $i = 1, 2$,

$$D_i^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D}) \leq \frac{1}{\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}}} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} D_i^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{l,d}).$$

Moreover, $D_1^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) \leq D^{0,y}(f^{R,N})$ and $D_2^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) \leq D^{d,y+d}(f^{R,N})$. It follows $D_l^2(\bar{f}_{N,l,\epsilon,D})$ is less than

$$\frac{1}{\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}}} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \frac{1}{(2RN+1)^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \sum_{|y| \leq l} (D^{0,y}(\tau_x f) + D^{d,y+d}(\tau_x f)).$$

Noting $D^{0,y}(\tau_x f) = D^{x,y+x}(f)$, the last display is bounded by

$$\frac{(2RN+1)^{-n}}{\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}}} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{N^\alpha}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{\substack{|y| \leq l \\ |x| \leq RN}} (D^{x,y+x}(f) + D^{d+x,y+d+x}(f)).$$

Note, for each l , N and R , that $\sum_{\substack{|y| \leq l \\ |x| \leq RN}} D^{x,y+x}(f) + D^{d+x,y+d+x}(f) \leq 4D(f)$, as each bond is counted at most four times. Hence, we may bound the last display further by

$$\frac{4D(f)}{(2RN+1)^n} \leq \frac{4}{(2RN+1)^n} \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha} \leq \frac{C_1}{N^\alpha}$$

where $C_1 = 2C_0/R^n$. $\square$

6.2 2-blocks estimate: $\alpha < 1$

The proof of the 2-blocks estimate is similar to the preceding 1-block estimate, so we will give only a brief overview of the key differences.

Proposition 6.3 (2-blocks estimate). *When $\alpha < 1$, we have*

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{\epsilon' \rightarrow 0} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \left[\int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} H_{x,d,l,\epsilon'N}^2(\eta_s) ds \right] = 0,$$

where

$$H_{x,d,l,\epsilon'N}^2(\eta) = \kappa \|h\|_\infty |\eta^l(x) - \eta^{\epsilon'N}(x)| + \Phi(\eta^l(x)) |\Psi(\eta^l(x+d)) - \Psi(\eta^{\epsilon'N}(x+d))|$$

Proof. The proof uses several steps.

Step 1. Analogous to the 1-block proof, we introduce a truncation. We can bound the second term of $H_{x,d,l,\epsilon'N}^2(\eta)$ as $\Phi(\eta^l(x)) |\Psi(\eta^l(x+d)) - \Psi(\eta^{\epsilon'N}(x+d))| \leq 2\kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta^l(x)$, since $\Psi(\cdot) \leq \|h\|_\infty$ and Φ is Lipschitz. Given that $\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} N^{-n}$ remains bounded as $N \uparrow \infty$, we can introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \leq A)$ onto the second term of $H_{x,d,l,\epsilon'N}^2(\eta)$ by Lemma 4.2. Since Ψ is Lipschitz, the truncated second term is less than $\kappa_1 \Phi(A) |\eta^l(x+d) - \eta^{\epsilon'N}(x+d)|$. The proposition will follow if we show, as $N \uparrow \infty$, $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$ and $l \uparrow \infty$, that

$$E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |\eta_s^l(x^*) - \eta_s^{\epsilon'N}(x^*)| ds = 0,$$

for both $x^* = x$ and $x^* = x + d$.

As in the standard 2-blocks estimate, we will replace an $\epsilon'N$ block, $\eta_s^{\epsilon'N}$, by an average of l -blocks, η_s^l . Specifically, we will replace $\eta_s^{\epsilon'N}(x^*)$ by

$$\frac{1}{(2\epsilon'N+1)^n} \sum_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon'N} \eta_s^l(x^* + y).$$

The expected error introduced is of order $E^N \int_0^t N^{-2n} \sum_{|x| \leq R'} \eta_s(x) ds$, for some R' , which vanishes by say Lemma 4.1.

By bounding the ‘average’ over y by a supremum, it will be enough to show that

$$\sup_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon'N} E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |\eta_s^l(x^*) - \eta_s^l(x^* + y)| ds$$

vanishes.

Step 2. From here, the proof of the 2-blocks estimates proceeds in the same way as for the 1-block estimate. We can write the expected value in terms of $\bar{f}_t^N$ and then

majorize by a factor t times

$$\sup_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N} \sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N} \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |\eta^l(x^*) - \eta^l(x^* + y)| f(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta).$$

Suppose $x^* = x + d$. As ν_{ρ^*} is translation invariant, we may replace $x + d$ by x and $f(\eta)$ by $\tau_{-d}f(\eta)$. Now, $\tau_{-d}f(\eta)$ and therefore $N^{-n} \sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N} \tau_{-d}f$, by convexity, satisfy the same entropy and Dirichlet form bounds as f . Hence, without loss of generality, we may assume $x^* = x$ in the sequel.

In this case, $\sum_{\|d\|=\epsilon N}^{DN} N^{-n}$ can then be pulled out, bounded above by a constant. It will be enough to show that

$$\sup_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N} \sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+D)N} |\eta^l(x) - \eta^l(x + y)| f(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta)$$

which looks like the standard 2-blocks estimate, say in Chapter 5 of [20].

Step 3. We may introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta^l(x) \vee \eta^l(x + y) \leq A)$ to the integrand by Lemma 4.2. By translation-invariance of ν_{ρ^*} , we can shift the summand by τ_{-x} . Recall the averaged density $f^{R+D,N}$, introduced in Step 2 in Subsection 6.1. Multiplying and dividing by $(2(R + D)N + 1)^n$ and noting that the factor $(2(R + D)N + 1)^n/N^n$ is bounded, by convexity of the Dirichlet form, it will be enough to show the following vanishes, as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$:

$$\sup_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N} \sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int |\eta^l(0) - \eta^l(y)| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(0) \vee \eta^l(y) \leq A) f^{R+D,N}(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta).$$

Step 4. Let ξ_1 and ξ_2 be configurations on $[-l, l]^n$, equal to η and $\tau_y \eta$, respectively. Let $\nu_{\rho^*}^2(d\xi_1, d\xi_2)$ be the associated induced measure with respect to ν_{ρ^*} . Let also $\bar{f}_{l,y}(\xi_1, \xi_2)$ be the conditional expectation of $f^{R+D,N}(\eta)$ given configurations η that equal ξ_1 on $[-l, l]^n$ and ξ_2 on $[-l + y, l + y]^n$. The last display in Step 3 equals

$$\sup_{2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N} \sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}} \int |\xi_1^l(0) - \xi_2^l(0)| \mathbf{1}(\xi_1^l(0) \vee \xi_2^l(0) \leq A) \bar{f}_{l,y}(\xi_1, \xi_2) \nu_{\rho^*}^2(d\xi_1, d\xi_2).$$

With $D_1^{w,z}(f) = D^{w,z}(f)$ and $D_2^{w,z}(f) = D^{w,z}(\tau_y f)$, we now introduce a Dirichlet form,

$$D_l^*(f) = \sum_{|x| \leq l} \left(D_1^{0,x}(f) + D_2^{0,x}(f) \right) + \frac{D^*(f)}{p^{sym}(y)}, \quad \text{where} \quad (6.2)$$

$$D^*(f)/p^{sym}(y) := E_{\nu_{\rho^*}} [g(\eta(0))h(\eta(y))(\sqrt{f}(\eta^{0,y}) - \sqrt{f}(\eta))^2] \quad (6.3)$$

is a Dirichlet form on the bond between the centers of the l -blocks involved. Note, with the convention $0/0 = 1$ when $p^{sym}(y) = 0$, we have $D^*(f)/p^{sym}(y) = D^{0,y}(f)/p^{sym}(y) = D^{y,0}(f)/p^{sym}(y)$. Importantly, a zero form $D_l^*(f) = 0$ implies that f is invariant to particle motion within each l -block and also motion between the centers. In this case, f takes a constant value along each of the hyperplanes

$$H_j^2 = \left\{ (\xi_1, \xi_2) : \sum_{|y| \leq l} (\xi_1(y) + \xi_2(y)) = j \right\}$$

for $j = 0, 1, \dots, 2(2l + 1)^n A$.

In Lemma 6.4 at the end of the Subsection, for $2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N$, we prove the bound $D_l^*(\bar{f}_{l,y}) \leq C_2 N^{-\alpha} + C_3(\epsilon')^\alpha$. Therefore, it will be enough to show the following vanishes:

$$\sup_{D_l^*(f) \leq \frac{C_2}{N^\alpha} + C_3(\epsilon')^\alpha} \int |\xi_1^l(0) - \xi_2^l(0)| \mathbf{1}(\xi_1^l(0) \vee \xi_2^l(0) \leq A) f(\xi_1, \xi_2) \nu_{\rho^*}^2(d\xi_1, d\xi_2).$$

As in the 1-block proof, as particle numbers are bounded, we may take limits, as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon' \downarrow 0$, to restrict the supremum above to densities f such that $D_l^*(f) = 0$.

Step 5. Hence, at this stage, f equals a constant C_j along each hyperplane H_j^2 for $j \leq 2(2l+1)^n A$. Because f is a probability density, these constants C_j are non-negative and $\sum_j C_j \nu_{\rho^*}^2(H_j^2) = 1$. Therefore, we need only show

$$\sup_{0 \leq j \leq 2(2l+1)^n A} \int |\xi_1^l(0) - \xi_2^l(0)| \nu^{2,l,j}(d\xi_1, d\xi_2)$$

vanishes, where $\nu^{2,l,j}$ is the canonical measure on configurations (ξ_1, ξ_2) which distributes j particles among the two l -blocks.

However, both the expectations under $\nu^{2,l,j}$ of $\xi_1^l(0)$ and $\xi_2^l(0)$ equal $\frac{j}{2(2l+1)^n}$. Hence, adding and subtracting $\frac{j}{2(2l+1)^n}$ inside the absolute value, it will be enough to control $\text{Var}_{\nu^{2,l,j}}(\xi_i^l(0)) \leq C E_{\nu^{2,l,j}}[l^{-n}(\bar{\xi}_1(0))^2 + 2\bar{\xi}_1(0)\bar{\xi}_1(e_1)]$, $\bar{\xi}(x) = \xi(x) - j/[2(2l+1)^n]$ and $e_1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0)$. By the equivalence of ensembles as used in Step 6 of Proposition 6.1, noting $\nu_{j/[2(2l+1)^n]}$ is a product measure with identical marginals, the variance vanishes as $l \uparrow \infty$. $\square$

6.2.1 Moving particle lemma

We now prove the following bound on $D_{l,y}^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})$. Part of the strategy is inspired by [19] where a similar ‘moving particle’ estimate was proved. The development here is simpler and more general than that which was used in [19].

Recall that p is supported on y such that $y > 0$, that is when $y \neq 0$ and $y_i \geq 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$ (cf. (2.1)). Then, $p^{\text{sym}}(y) = (p(y) + p(-y))/2$ is supported on y such that $y > 0$ or $y < 0$. We note if the dimension $n = 1$, then p^{sym} is supported on all $y \neq 0$.

Lemma 6.4. Suppose $2l < |y| \leq \epsilon' N$ and $D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N^\alpha}$. Then, with respect to constants $C_2 = C_2(R, D, n)$ and $C_3 = (R, D, n)$, we have

$$D_l^*(\bar{f}_{l,y}) \leq \frac{C_2}{N^\alpha} + C_3(\epsilon')^\alpha.$$

Proof. Recall the definition of D_l^* in (6.2). First, by the same argument as in Lemma 6.2, the sum

$$\sum_{|x| \leq l} (D_1^{0,x}(\bar{f}_{l,y}) + D_2^{0,x}(\bar{f}_{l,y})) \leq C_2/N^\alpha, \text{ where } C_2 = C_0/(R+D)^n.$$

Therefore, we need to control the form $D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})/p^{\text{sym}}(y)$, which reflects motion from 0 to $y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \neq 0$. If y is such that neither $y > 0$ or $y < 0$, we may split y into its positive and negative parts, $y = y^+ - y^-$, where both $y^+, y^- > 0$; note also that $y - y^+ = -y^- < 0$. Straightforwardly, for such a y , noting the definition of D^* in (6.3), by properties of the invariant measure ν_{ρ^*} and the inequality $(u+v)^2 \leq 2(u^2 + v^2)$, we have

$$\frac{D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{\text{sym}}(y)} \leq 2 \frac{D^{0,y^+}(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{\text{sym}}(y^+)} + 2 \frac{D^{y^+,y}(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{\text{sym}}(-y^-)}.$$

In the following, analysis of the Dirichlet forms on the right-side of the above display are similar and lead to the same bound. Without loss of generality, we will assume now that y is positive, $y > 0$.

By convexity of the Dirichlet form,

$$\frac{D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{sym}(y)} \leq \frac{D^{0,y}(f^{(R+D)N})}{p^{sym}(y)} \leq \frac{1}{(2(R+D)N+1)^n} \sum_{|z| \leq (R+D)N} \frac{D^{z,z+y}(f)}{p^{sym}(y)}. \quad (6.4)$$

We now split the term $D^{z,z+y}(f)/p^{sym}(y)$, reflecting a displacement by y , into jumps, one displacing by $k = (k_1, \dots, k_n)$ where

$$0 \leq k_i, |k| \leq |y|, \text{ and } 0 \neq k \neq y,$$

and one displacing by $y - k$. If p^{sym} were supported on all $y \neq 0$ (the case when $n = 1$), or if $y - k > 0$ for all k (the case when $y = (|y|, \dots, |y|)$), then these two jumps would suffice. If $y - k$ is not positive, then we split $y - k$ into its positive and negative parts, making three jumps.

When $y - k > 0$, noting convention $0/0 = 1$, we may unravel the quantity,

$$\begin{aligned} D^{z+k+(y-k)^+, z+y}(f)/p^{sym}(-(y-k)^-) &= D^{z+y, z+y}(f)/p^{sym}(0) \\ &= E_{\nu_{\rho^*}}[g(\eta(z+y))h(\eta(z+y))(\sqrt{f}(\eta) - \sqrt{f}(\eta))^2] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Then, considering the cases of either 2 or 3 jumps together, by Jensen's inequality, and $(u+v+w)^2 \leq 3(u^2+v^2+w^2)$, we have

$$\frac{D^{z,z+y}(f)}{p^{sym}(y)} \leq 3 \frac{D^{z,z+k}(f)}{p^{sym}(k)} + 3 \frac{D^{z+k, z+k+(y-k)^+}(f)}{p^{sym}((y-k)^+)} + 3 \frac{D^{z+k+(y-k)^+, z+y}(f)}{p^{sym}(-(y-k)^-)}. \quad (6.5)$$

Define $|y|_n = (|y|, \dots, |y|)$ for $y \in \mathbb{Z}^n$. Then, combining (6.4) and (6.5), we have

$$\begin{aligned} D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})/p^{sym}(y) &\leq \frac{1}{(2(R+D)N+1)^n} \\ &\times \sum_{|z| \leq (R+D)N} 3 \left(\frac{D^{z,z+k}(f)}{p^{sym}(k)} + \frac{D^{z+k, z+k+(y-k)^+}(f)}{p^{sym}((y-k)^+)} + \frac{D^{z+k+(y-k)^+, z+y}(f)}{p^{sym}(-(y-k)^-)} \right), \end{aligned}$$

which is less than

$$\frac{3}{((R+D)N)^n p^{sym}(|y|_n)} \sum_{z'-z=k, (y-k)^+ \text{ or } -(y-k)^-} D^{z,z'}(f), \quad (6.6)$$

after noting for $|k| \leq |y|$ that $\min\{p^{sym}(k), p^{sym}((y-k)^+), p^{sym}(-(y-k)^-)\} \geq p^{sym}(|y|_n)$.

Let now

$$a_k = \sum_{z'-z=k, (y-k)^+ \text{ or } -(y-k)^-} D^{z,z'}(f) \text{ and } b = \frac{((R+D)N)^n p^{sym}(|y|_n)}{3}.$$

Then, (6.6) is rewritten as

$$b D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})/p^{sym}(y) \leq a_k. \quad (6.7)$$

When a_k is summed over all k such that $0 \leq k_i, |k| \leq |y|$, and $0 \neq k \neq y$, each bond is counted at most three times. Denoting $\sum'_k$ the sum over such k , we have

$$\sum'_k a_k \leq 3D(f). \quad (6.8)$$

In particular, from (6.7) and (6.8), we have

$$[D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})/p^{sym}(y)] \sum_k^l b \leq 3D(f).$$

But,

$$\sum_k^l b_k \geq 3^{-1}(R + DN)^n [p(|y|_n)/2] [(|y| + 1)^n - 2].$$

Hence, we have

$$\frac{D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{sym}(y)} \leq \frac{3D(f)}{\sum_k^l b} \leq \frac{18D(f)/((R + D)N)^n}{(|y| + 1)^n - 2} \leq \frac{18C_0}{(R + D)^n N^\alpha} \frac{\|y\|_n^{n+\alpha}}{(|y| + 1)^n - 2}.$$

As $\|y\|_n$ scales like $|y|$, and $|y| \leq \epsilon' N$, we have $\|y\|_n^{n+\alpha}/[(|y| + 1)^n - 2] = O((\epsilon' N)^\alpha)$. Therefore,

$$\frac{D^*(\bar{f}_{l,y})}{p^{sym}(y)} \leq \frac{O((\epsilon' N)^\alpha)}{(R + D)^n N^\alpha} \leq C_3(\epsilon')^\alpha,$$

in terms of a constant $C_3 = C_3(R, D, n)$. $\square$

6.3 1-block estimate: $\alpha > 1$

The proof of the 1-block estimate, when $\alpha > 1$, is similar to that when $\alpha < 1$, but with fewer complications. The argument is also similar to that in the standard finite-range setting in [20]. For completeness, we summarize the proof.

Proposition 6.5 (1-block estimate). *When $\alpha > 1$, for each $d \in \mathbb{Z}^n$,*

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x)) - \Phi \Psi(\eta_s^l(x))| ds = 0.$$

Proof. Following the proof of Proposition 6.1, for $\alpha < 1$, we may introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \vee \eta_s^l(x + d) \leq A)$, and bound the expectation in the display by

$$\sup_{D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N}} \int |(gh_d)^l(\eta(0)) - \Phi \Psi(\eta^l(0))| \mathbf{1}(\eta^l(0) \vee \eta^l(d) \leq A) f^{R,N}(\eta) \nu_{\rho^*}(d\eta). \quad (6.9)$$

Let $\nu_{\rho^*}^{l,d}(d\xi)$ be the induced distribution of configurations ξ equal to η on $[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n$. Let $\bar{f}_{l,d}(\xi)$ be the conditional expectation of $f^{R,N}(\eta)$ given configurations η that equal ξ on $[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n$. Introduce a Dirichlet form,

$$D_{l,d}(f) = \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} D^{0,y}(f).$$

In Lemma 6.6 below, when $D(f) = O(N^{n-1})$, we show that $D_{l,d}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) \leq C_1/N$.

Therefore, we can replace the supremum in (6.9) by that over densities f such that $D_{l,d}(f) \leq C_1/N$. As the truncation enforces a finite configuration space, after $N \uparrow \infty$, the supremum may be further replaced by $D_{l,d}(f) = 0$. In this case, f will be a constant $C_j \geq 0$ on hyperplanes of the form

$$H_j = \left\{ \xi : \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} \xi(y) = j \right\}.$$

As $|[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n|^{-1} \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} \xi(y) \leq \xi^l(0) + \xi^l(d) \leq 2A$, the index $j \leq 2A|[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n|$. Moreover, as $\sum_j C_j \nu_{\rho^*}^{l,d}(H_j) \leq 1$, we may bound (6.9) by a supremum over hyperplanes:

$$\sup_j \int |(gh_d)^l(\xi(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0))| \nu^{l,d,j}(d\xi),$$

where $\nu^{l,d,j}$ is the canonical measure supported on the hyperplane H_j .

As before, in the proof of Proposition 6.1, we can partition $[-l, l]^n$ into k -blocks assuming $(2l+1)^n = q(2k+1)^n$ for simplicity. Let $B_1, \dots, B_q$ be the q number of k -blocks. Then,

$$(gh_d)^l(\xi(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0)) = \frac{1}{q} \sum_{i=1}^q \frac{1}{(2k+1)^n} \sum_{y \in B_i} (g(\xi(y))h(\xi(y+d))) - \Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0)).$$

Under the measure $\nu^{l,d,j}$, the distributions of $\sum_{y \in B_i} (g(\xi(y))h(\xi(y+d))) - \Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0))$ do not depend on i . Therefore, it is enough to show

$$\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \sup_j E_{\nu^{l,d,j}} |(gh_d)^k(\xi(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0))|.$$

Now, we would like to replace $\Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0))$ by $\Phi\Psi(\rho)$, where $\rho = j/|[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n|$, for each $j \leq 2A$ as $l \uparrow \infty$. This holds because $[-l, l]^n$ and $d + [-l, l]^n$ will have sufficient overlap for large l . To make this precise, bound $|\Phi\Psi(\xi^l(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\rho)| \leq C(A)|\xi^l(0) - \rho|$ since Φ, Ψ are Lipschitz and $\xi^l(0) \leq 2A$. As d is fixed, the number of sites outside the overlap is of order $O(l^{n-1})$. Then, because of the truncation of particle numbers, for each A , we have $\xi^l(0) = \rho + O(l^{-1})$.

Therefore, we only need to show $\sup_j E_{\nu^{l,d,j}} |(gh_d)^k(\xi(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\rho)|$ goes to zero as l and then k go to infinity where $\rho = j/|[-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n|$. By an equivalence of ensembles estimate, as in Step 6 of Proposition 6.1, we need only show $E_{\nu_\rho} |(gh_d)^k(\xi(0)) - \Phi\Psi(\rho)|$ vanishes uniformly over bounded ρ as $k \uparrow \infty$. But, as ν_ρ is a product measure with identical marginals, the variables $\{gh_d(\xi(k)) - \Phi\Psi(\rho) : |k| \leq l\}$ are exchangeable such that mean $E_{\nu_\rho} [gh_d(\xi(0))] = \Phi\Psi(\rho)$. Hence, the desired convergence follows by a law of large numbers. $\square$

We now prove the bound on $D_{l,d}(\bar{f}_{l,d})$. Although the argument is similar to a finite-range setting estimate in [20], as it is short, we include it for convenience of the reader.

Lemma 6.6. Suppose $D(f) \leq \frac{C_0 N^n}{N}$. Then, $D_{l,d}(\bar{f}_{l,D}) \leq \frac{C_1}{N}$.

Proof. By convexity of the Dirichlet form,

$$D_{l,d}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) = \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} D_{l,d}^{0,y}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) \leq \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} D^{0,y}(f^{R,N})$$

which is less than

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n} \frac{1}{(2RN+1)^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} D^{0,y}(\tau_x f) \\ & \leq \frac{1}{(2RN+1)^n} \sum_{\substack{y \in [-l, l]^n \cup d + [-l, l]^n \\ |x| \leq RN}} D^{x,y+x}(f). \end{aligned}$$

As bonds may be repeated twice in the sum in the last expression, we may bound by twice the full Dirichlet form, and obtain as desired $D_{l,d}(\bar{f}_{l,d}) \leq \frac{2}{(2RN+1)^n} D(f) \leq C_1/N$, where $C_1 = 2C_0/R^n$. $\square$

7 Proof outline: hydrodynamic limits when $\alpha > 1$

When $\alpha > 1$, as the expected jump size $\sum_d dp(d)$ is finite, one expects in Euler scale to recover a similar hydrodynamic equation as when the jumps have finite range. The strategy employed here is to follow the scheme of arguments in [24] and Chapter 8 in [20] for finite-range processes.

However, in the long-range setting, several important steps are different. In particular, we have worked to remove reliance on ‘attractiveness’, a monotonicity condition on the rates, although it is still used in two, albeit, important places, namely to bound the hydrodynamic density as an L^∞ object in Step 1 below, and to show the ‘Ordering’ Lemma 9.3, which is used to prove a so-called measure weak entropy formulation. On the other hand, the proof includes new arguments to bound uniformly the ‘mass difference from ρ^* ’ in the system (Theorem 7.4), and to handle the ‘initial boundary layer’ estimate (Theorem 7.5), needed to apply a form of DiPerna’s uniqueness characterization.

The first step in the argument is to use a 1-block replacement estimate. Here, we do not rely on ‘attractiveness’ as in [24], but the ‘entropy’ method. Part of the reason for this choice, as discussed in Subsection 3.1, is that, when $1 < \alpha < 2$, it is not clear how to use the ‘ L^1 -initial density’ method in [24]. However, an artifact of using the ‘entropy’ method is that we need to start from initial profiles ρ_0 , which are close to ρ^* at large distances.

Since a ‘2-blocks’ estimate is not available in the general asymmetric model, as also in [24] and Chapter 8 of [20], we use the concept of Young measures and DiPerna’s characterization of measure-valued weak entropy solutions of the hydrodynamic equation to finish.

In terms of the process η_t , define a collection of Young measures as

$$\pi_t^{N,l}(du, d\lambda) = \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_{\frac{x}{N}}(du) \delta_{\eta_t^l(x)}(d\lambda).$$

Integration with respect to $\pi_t^{N,l}$ against test functions is as follows:

$$\langle \pi_t^{N,l}, H(t, u, \lambda) \rangle = \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} H\left(t, \frac{x}{N}, \eta_t^l(x)\right)$$

Denote by $\{Q^{N,l}\}$ the induced measures for the process $\{\pi_t^{N,l} : t \in [0, T]\}$.

Let $M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty))$ be the set of positive Radon measures on $\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)$. Define $L^\infty([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)))$ to be the space of functions $\pi : t \in [0, T] \rightarrow \pi_t \in M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty))$ such that $\langle \pi_t, F \rangle$ is essentially bounded in time for every continuous function F with compact support in $\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)$. The topology on $L^\infty([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)))$ is such that elements π and $\bar{\pi}$ are close if they give similar values upon integrating against a dense collection of test functions over space, λ , and time, that is if

$$\int_0^T \langle \pi_s(du, d\lambda), F(u, \lambda) \rangle H(s) ds \sim \int_0^T \langle \bar{\pi}_s(du, d\lambda), F(u, \lambda) \rangle H(s) ds.$$

More precisely, the distance between π and $\bar{\pi}$ is

$$d_{MV}(\pi, \bar{\pi}) = \sum_{k \geq 1} \frac{1}{2^k} \frac{d(\langle \pi, F_k \rangle, \langle \bar{\pi}, F_k \rangle)}{1 + d(\langle \pi, F_k \rangle, \langle \bar{\pi}, F_k \rangle)},$$

where $\{F_k\}_{k \geq 1}$ is a dense sequence in the space of compactly supported functions in $\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)$, with respect to the uniform topology. Here,

$$d(f, g) = \sum_{k \geq 1} \frac{1}{2^k} \frac{|\int_0^T dth_k(t)g(t) - \int_0^T dth_k(t)f(t)|}{1 + |\int_0^T dth_k(t)g(t) - \int_0^T dth_k(t)f(t)|},$$

where $\{h_k\}_{k \geq 1}$ is a dense sequence of functions in $L^1[0, T]$ (cf. p. 200 in [20]).

Note now that $\pi_t^{N,l} \in L^\infty([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)))$, and accordingly $\{Q^{N,l}\}$ are measures on $L^\infty([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)))$. The general strategy, as in [24], is to characterize limit points Q^* of $\{Q^{N,l}\}$ in terms of unique ‘measure weak’ solutions to the hydrodynamic equation.

At this point, we remark that functions $F(s, u, \lambda) = G(s, u)f(\lambda)$ where f is not compactly supported, but bounded $|f(\lambda)| \leq C\lambda$ for all large λ , will have use in later development. Although such functions are not part of the topology on $L^\infty([0, T], M_+(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty)))$, we establish in Subsection 7.1, for a subsequence $\{Q^{N',l'}\}$ converging to Q^* , that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{l' \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{N' \rightarrow \infty} Q^{N',l'} \left(\left| \int_0^T \langle \pi_s^{N',l'}, G(s, u)f(\lambda) \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) &= 0 \text{ for all } \epsilon_0 > 0 \\ \iff Q^* \left(\left| \int_0^T \langle \pi_s, G(s, u)f(\lambda) \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) &= 0 \text{ for all } \epsilon_0 > 0. \end{aligned} \quad (7.1)$$

We now define the notion of ‘measure weak’ solution. Consider the weak formulation of the differential equation in terms of a weak solution $\rho(s, u)$. The measure weak formulation is obtained by replacing $\rho(s, u)$ where ever it appears by λ and then integrating against the measure $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ with respect to λ . So, $f(\rho(s, u))$ becomes $\int f(\lambda)\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$. If $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is a solution of the resulting equation, it is called a measure weak solution. For example,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_0(u) \int_{\mathbb{R}} \lambda \rho(0, u, d\lambda) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_s G_s(u) \int_{\mathbb{R}} \lambda \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \\ + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s(u) \Phi \Psi(\lambda) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds = 0 \end{aligned}$$

is the measure weak formulation of nonnegative solutions of the hydrodynamic equation $\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} \Phi(\rho) \Psi(\rho) = 0$.

We recall now part of Kruřkov’s entropy condition (3.3) on a weak solution of the hydrodynamic equation: For each $c \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\partial_t |\rho - c| + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} [\text{sgn}(\rho - c)(\Phi \Psi(\rho) - \Phi \Psi(c))] \leq 0.$$

It is known that there is a unique bounded weak solution of the hydrodynamic equation which satisfies Kruřkov’s entropy condition, with bounded initial data w_0 (cf. [21], [10], [15]). The corresponding measure weak formulation is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_0(u) \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\lambda - c| \rho(0, u, d\lambda) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_s G_s(u) \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\lambda - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \\ + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s(u) \int_{\mathbb{R}} q(\lambda, c) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \geq 0 \end{aligned} \quad (7.2)$$

where $q(\lambda, c) = \text{sgn}(\lambda - c)(\Phi \Psi(\lambda) - \Phi \Psi(c))$ and G is a nonnegative test function. We will say that $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a measure weak entropy solution, or satisfies the entropy condition ‘measure weakly’, if it is a measure weak solution of the hydrodynamic equation that measure weakly satisfies the entropy condition.

We are now ready to state DiPerna’s uniqueness theorem (cf. Theorem 4.2 in [11]) for such measure weak solutions.

Theorem 7.1. Suppose $w(t, u, d\lambda)du$ is a measure weak entropy solution of

$$\partial_t w + v \cdot \nabla Q(w) = 0.$$

Here, $Q \in C^1$, $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$, and initial condition $w(0, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{w_0(u)}$, where w_0 is bounded and integrable. Suppose also that the following three conditions are satisfied:

1. *Bounded support and probability measure: The support of $w(t, u, d\lambda)$ is bounded in the interval $A = [a, b]$, for some $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$, uniformly in $(t, u) \in [0, T] \times \mathbb{R}^n$. Also, for each (t, u) , $w(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure.*

2. *Initial condition:*

$$\liminf_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_A |\lambda - w_0(u)| w(s, u, d\lambda) du ds = 0$$

3. *Ess sup mass condition:*

$$\text{ess sup}_t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_A |\lambda| w(t, u, d\lambda) du < \infty.$$

Then, $w(t, u, d\lambda)$ is the Dirac measure supported on the unique, bounded entropy solution $w(t, u)$ of $\partial_t w + v \cdot \nabla Q(w) = 0$, with initial condition $w_0(u)$, that is, $w(t, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{w(t, u)}(d\lambda)$.

Given this preamble, we now begin the main part of the proof of Theorem 3.2.

Step 1. First, we claim that the measures $\{Q^{N, l}\}$ are tight. This follows the same proof as given in Lemma 1.2, Chapter 8 in [20]. Next, as $N \uparrow \infty$ subsequentially, we may obtain a weak limit Q^l , and as $l \uparrow \infty$ subsequentially, we obtain a limit point Q^* . We claim that Q^* is supported on measures in the form $\pi(s, du, d\lambda) = \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du$, which are absolutely continuous in u . This also follows the same proof as given for item 1, p. 201 of [20].

Also, by the law of large numbers and our initial conditions, we have $\langle \pi_0^{N, l}, F(u, \lambda) \rangle \rightarrow \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} F(u, \rho_0(u)) du$ in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$, and so the identification $\rho(0, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\rho_0(u)}(\lambda)$ a.e. u .

In addition, $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is supported in a bounded interval, uniformly in s, u : If $M_0 < \infty$, that is $h(m) = 0$ for some m , then there can be at most M_0 particles per site in the process. In particular, $\eta_s^l(x) \leq M_0$ for all x, s, l , and so $0 \leq \rho(s, u, d\lambda) \leq M_0$ for all s, u , without using ‘attractiveness’. On the other hand, if $h(m) > 0$ for all m , by the ‘basic coupling’ proof, using ‘attractiveness’, and that the measures $\{\mu_N\}$ are ‘stochastically bounded’ by $\nu_{\rho^\#}$ where $\rho^\# = \|\rho_0\|_\infty$, as given for item (ii) in the proof of Theorem 1.1 of Chapter 8, p. 201-203 in [20], we obtain $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is supported in $[0, \rho^\#]$ (cf. related comments, on the ‘basic coupling’, at the beginning of Section 9).

We also assert that $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ are probability measures, $\int_0^\infty \rho(s, u, d\lambda) = 1$ for s, u . Indeed, for measurable $B \subset \mathbb{R}^n$, $\pi_s^{N, l}(B, [0, \infty))$ is nonrandom, and converges as N and $l \uparrow \infty$ to the Lebesgue measure $m(B)$. The assertion follows from, say (7.1), and the limit,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^T f(s) \pi_s^{N, l}(B, [0, \infty)) ds &= \int_0^T f(s) ds \cdot \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} 1_B\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \\ &\rightarrow \int_0^T f(s) \int_B \int_0^\infty \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds = m(B) \int_0^T f(s) ds. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. We will show Q^* a.s. that the density $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ satisfies the following four conditions:

Theorem 7.2. ρ is a measure weak solution of $\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} \Phi \Psi(\rho) = 0$.

Theorem 7.3. The entropy condition holds measure weakly for any $c \in \mathbb{R}$:

$$\partial_t |\rho - c| + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} [\text{sgn}(\rho - c)(\Phi \Psi(\rho) - \Phi \Psi(c))] \leq 0.$$

Theorem 7.4. *We have that*

$$\operatorname{ess\,sup}_t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho^*| \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du \leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\rho_0(u) - \rho^*| du < \infty.$$

Theorem 7.5. *The initial condition holds,*

$$\liminf_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho_0(u)| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds = 0.$$

We prove Theorems 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, 7.5, in Subsections 8, 10, 11, and 12, respectively

Step 3. Although our initial condition, as $\rho_0(u) = \rho^*$ for $|u|$ large, is not integrable, the function $\hat{\rho}_0(u) = \rho_0(u) - \rho^*$, is also bounded, and belongs to $L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$. By considering ρ^* -shifted solutions, we will see that the items in Steps 1 and 2 allow to use DiPerna's Theorem 7.1 to characterize the limit points Q^* . First, we note the following equivalences.

Equivalence of weak entropy solutions. Define $\hat{\rho}(t, u) = \rho(t, u) - \rho^*$ and $\Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(x) = \Phi\Psi(x + \rho^*)$. Note as $\Phi\Psi \in C^1$ that also $\Phi\Psi_{\rho^*} \in C^1$ on its domain. We observe that $\rho(t, u)$ is a weak entropy solution of $\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}[\Phi\Psi(\rho)] = 0$ if and only if $\hat{\rho}(t, u)$ is a weak entropy solution of $\partial_t \hat{\rho} + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}[\Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(\hat{\rho})] = 0$.

Equivalence of measure weak entropy solutions. Similarly, define $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$ through $\hat{\rho}(t, u, F) = \rho(t, u, F + \rho^*)$ for any measurable set F . Observe, for a function f , that

$$\int_a^b f(\lambda) \rho(t, u, d\lambda) = \int_{a-\rho^*}^{b-\rho^*} f_{\rho^*}(\lambda) \hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$$

where $f_{\rho^*}(\lambda) = f(\lambda + \rho^*)$. Note that $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure exactly when $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure. Also, $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ has bounded support in λ exactly when $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$ has bounded support in λ .

Hence, $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a measure weak entropy solution of $\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}[\Phi\Psi(\rho)] = 0$, satisfying the initial condition $\rho_0(u)$ if and only if $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a measure weak entropy solution of $\partial_t \hat{\rho} + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}[\Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(\hat{\rho})] = 0$, satisfying the initial condition $\hat{\rho}_0(u) = \rho_0(u) - \rho^*$, that is, if the following holds:

1. Measure weakly $\partial_t \hat{\rho} + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} \Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(\hat{\rho}) = 0$.
2. Entropy condition holds measure weakly, for $c \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\partial_t |\hat{\rho} - c| + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} [\operatorname{sgn}(\hat{\rho} - c)(\Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(\hat{\rho}) - \Phi\Psi_{\rho^*}(c))] \leq 0.$$

3. L^1 mass bound holds,

$$\operatorname{ess\,sup}_{t \geq 0} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{-\rho^*}^\infty |\lambda| \hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda) du < \infty.$$

4. Initial boundary layer holds,

$$\lim_{t \downarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{-\rho^*}^\infty |\lambda - \hat{\rho}_0(u)| \hat{\rho}(s, u, d\lambda) du ds = 0.$$

Step 4. If now $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ satisfies Theorems 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, and 7.5 in Step 2, then $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda)$ will satisfy the equivalent item versions (1),(2),(3), and (4) in Step 3.

Note also $\hat{\rho}$ is supported in the bounded interval $A = [-\rho^*, \|\rho_0\|_\infty - \rho^*]$ uniformly in (t, u) , as in Step 1 we showed ρ is supported in $[0, \|\rho_0\|_\infty]$.

Then, by Theorem 7.1, we conclude $\hat{\rho}(t, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\hat{\rho}(t, u)}(d\lambda)$, where $\hat{\rho}(t, u)$ is the unique bounded weak entropy solution $\hat{\rho}(t, u)$ of $\partial_t \hat{\rho} + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} \Phi \Psi_{\rho^*}(\hat{\rho}) = 0$ with initial condition $\hat{\rho}_0(u)$. It then follows that $\rho(t, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\rho(t, u)}$, where $\rho(t, u)$ is the unique bounded entropy solution of $\partial_t \rho + \gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} \Phi \Psi(\rho) = 0$ with initial condition $\rho_0(u)$.

Hence, all limit points Q^* of $\{Q^{N, l}\}$ are the same, uniquely characterized in terms of the weak entropy solution of the hydrodynamic equation, $Q^* = \delta_{\rho(t, u)}$.

Step 5. We now relate the limit points $\{Q^*\}$ to the limit points of $\{P^N\}$, and thereby prove Theorem 3.2. We have shown, for test functions $f(s)G(u)$ that

$$Q^* \left(\left| \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty f(s)G(u)\lambda\rho(s, u, d\lambda)duds - \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\rho(s, u)ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0$$

for all $\epsilon_0 > 0$. Then, as $Q^{N, l}$ on a subsequence converges to Q^* , by (7.1),

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} Q^{N, l} \left(\left| \int_0^t f(s) \langle \pi_s^{N, l}, G(u)\lambda \rangle ds - \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\rho(s, u)ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0,$$

or in other words,

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P_N \left(\left| \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} f(s)G\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \eta_s^l(x) ds \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. - \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\rho(s, u)ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

By discrete integration-by-parts, smoothness and compact support of G , we may replace $\eta_s^l(x)$ by $\eta_s(x)$ with expected error of order

$$E^N \int_0^t C(l)N^{-(n+1)} \sum_{|x| \leq R'N} \eta_s(x) ds,$$

which vanishes, as $N \uparrow \infty$ for fixed l , by say Lemma 4.1.

Therefore,

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\left| \int_0^t f(s) \langle \pi_s^N, G \rangle ds - \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\rho(s, u)ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0.$$

Now, by the assumption FEM, limit points of $\{P^N\}$ are supported on absolutely continuous measures $\pi_s = \bar{\rho}(s, u)du$; this observation, made in Step 6 in Section 5 for the case $\alpha < 1$, also directly applies when $\alpha > 1$. Then, as $\pi \mapsto \int_0^t f(s) \langle \pi_s^N, G \rangle ds$ is continuous, for every limit point P^* , we have

$$P^* \left(\left| \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\bar{\rho}(s, u)duds - \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(s)G(u)\rho(s, u)ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0.$$

But, as tightness of $\{P_G^N\}$ was shown with respect to the uniform topology (Proposition 4.7), the limit $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u)\bar{\rho}(s, u)du$ is continuous function in time s . One also has that $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u)\rho(s, u)du$ is continuous in s (cf. Theorem 2.1 [7]). Therefore, $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u)\bar{\rho}(s, u)du = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u)\rho(s, u)du$ for all times s .

We conclude all limit points P^* are the same, that is, supported on absolutely continuous measures $\pi_t = \rho(t, u)du$ whose density is the unique weak entropy solution of the hydrodynamic equation, and so Theorem 3.2 follows. $\square$

7.1 Proof of (7.1)

We first note, for all large A and λ , by the bound $|f(\lambda)| \leq C\lambda$ and compact support of G ,

$$\begin{aligned} & E^{N,l} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, |G_s(u)| |f(\lambda)| \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds \\ &= E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right)| |f(\eta_s^l(x))| \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) > A) ds \\ &\leq C_{G,f} E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_s^l(x) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) > A) ds = C_{G,f} E^{N,l} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \lambda \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds. \end{aligned}$$

Then, by Lemma 4.2 and that $\pi \mapsto \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, \lambda \mathbf{1}(\lambda \geq A) \rangle ds$ is a lower semi-continuous function, we have

$$0 = \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^{N,l} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \lambda \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds \geq \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} E_{Q^*} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, \lambda \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds.$$

In particular, as $\pi \mapsto \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, |G_s(u)| |f(\lambda)| \mathbf{1}(\lambda \geq A) \rangle ds$ is also lower semi-continuous,

$$\begin{aligned} & \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} E^{N,l} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, |G_s(u)| |f(\lambda)| \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds \\ &= \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} E_{Q^*} \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, |G_s(u)| |f(\lambda)| \mathbf{1}(\lambda > A) \rangle ds = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (7.3)$$

We now argue the left to right equivalence. In the left-side of (7.1), by (7.3), we may introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\lambda \leq A)$. Then, as $\pi \mapsto \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, G_s(u) f(\lambda) \mathbf{1}(\lambda \leq A) \rangle ds$ is continuous, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{l' \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{N' \rightarrow \infty} Q^{N',l'} \left(\left| \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N',l'}, G_s(u) f(\lambda) \mathbf{1}(\lambda \leq A) \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) \\ &= \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} Q^* \left(\left| \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, G_s(u) f(\lambda) \mathbf{1}(\lambda \leq A) \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

The right-side of (7.1) follows now by (7.3) applied again.

The right to left equivalence in (7.1) follows by similar steps in reverse, given now $Q^* \left(\left| \int_0^t \langle \pi_s, G_s(u) f(\lambda) \rangle ds \right| \geq \epsilon_0 \right) = 0$ for all ϵ_0 . Here, without loss of generality we have replaced ' $>$ ' by ' $\geq$ ' to maintain the correct bounds implied by weak convergence. $\square$

8 Measure weak solutions: Proof of Theorem 7.2

The argument follows some of the initial reasoning given for the proof of Theorem 3.1, in the $\alpha < 1$ case, relying however on the 1-block estimate Lemma 6.5.

Step 1. The same estimate as in Step 1 in Section 5, with respect to the martingale $M_t^{N,G}$, gives that

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\left| \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds + \int_0^t NL_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds \right| > \epsilon_0 \right) = 0.$$

Here, we recall from (4.1),

$$\int_0^t NL_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_s \rangle ds = \int_0^t \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds.$$

Step 2. We would like to replace $G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right)$ by $\nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot d/N$. To this aim, noting $gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta_s(x)$, by Lemma 4.5, we may truncate the sum on d to $\|d\| \leq \epsilon N$, in terms of a parameter ϵ which will vanish after N diverges. Next, as $|G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) - \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{N}| \leq \|\nabla^2 G_s\| \mathbf{1}(|x| < (R + \epsilon)N) \left\|\frac{d}{N}\right\|^2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^t \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\epsilon N} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \left| G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) - \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{N} \right| ds \\ & \leq \frac{\kappa \|h\|_\infty \|\nabla^2 G\|}{N} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\epsilon N} \frac{\|d\|^2}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+\epsilon)N} \eta_s(x) \leq \frac{\epsilon C_{G,\alpha}}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq (R+\epsilon)N} \eta_s(x) ds, \end{aligned}$$

which vanishes in expected value, noting Lemma 4.1, as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon \downarrow 0$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \pi_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\epsilon N} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} gh_d(\eta_s(x)) \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{\|d\|} ds \end{aligned} \quad (8.1)$$

converges to zero in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $\epsilon \downarrow 0$.

Moreover, with similar reasoning, we may further replace the sum on d to a truncated sum over $\|d\| \leq D$, where D will diverge after N . Indeed, as $gh_d(\eta) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta(x)$, the error in such a replacement is of order $\int_0^t N^{-n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_s(x) ds \times \sum_{\|d\| \geq D} \|d\|^{-n+1-\alpha}$. Since the sum on d is of order $D^{1-\alpha}$, the expected error, by Lemma 4.1, as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $D \uparrow \infty$ vanishes.

Step 3a. Now, by the method of Step 3a in Section 5 for the $\alpha < 1$ case, we substitute $gh_d(\eta_s(x))$ with $(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x))$ where l will go to infinity after N but before D . We will also replace $\eta_s(x)$ by $\eta_s^l(x)$ in the first and second terms in (8.1). Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_0^l(x) G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_s^l(x) \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} (gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x)) \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{\|d\|} ds \end{aligned}$$

converges to zero in probability as these limits in order are taken.

Step 3b. We now replace $(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x))$ by $\Phi(\eta_s^l(x))\Psi(\eta_s^l(x))$ for $1 \leq \|d\| \leq D$, using the 1-block estimate Proposition 6.5 and $\sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \|d\|^{-(n-1+\alpha)} < \infty$. After this replacement, we will have shown

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_0^l(x) G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \eta_s^l(x) \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) \sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \frac{d}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \cdot \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \end{aligned}$$

vanishes in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and then $l \uparrow \infty$ for fixed D .

By $\Phi\Psi(\eta(x)) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \eta(x)$, compact support of G , and Lemma 4.1, we can further replace $\sum_{\|d\|=1}^D d/\|d\|^{n+\alpha}$ with $\gamma_\alpha \mathbf{1}(n) = \sum_{d=1}^\infty d/\|d\|^{n+\alpha}$, where $\mathbf{1}(n)$ is the unit vector in the direction $\langle 1, 1, \dots, 1 \rangle$, the error vanishing in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$, $l \uparrow \infty$ and then $D \uparrow \infty$.

Step 3c. Now, in terms of the Young measures $\pi_t^{N,l}$ defined in Section 7, we have

$$\langle \pi_0^{N,l}, G_0(u)\lambda \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \partial_s G_s(u)\lambda \rangle ds - \gamma_\alpha \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \partial_{1(n)} G_s(u)\Phi\Psi(\lambda) \rangle ds$$

vanishes in probability as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$.

Step 4. Consider a limit point Q^* of the measures $\{Q^{N,l}\}$ governing $\pi_t^{N,l}$. Recall that we observed in Step 1 in Section 7 that Q^* is supported on $\pi_s = \pi(s, du, d\lambda) = \rho(s, u, d\lambda)du$, $\rho(0, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\rho_0(u)}$, and also $\langle \pi_0^{N,l}, G_0(u)\lambda \rangle$ converges to $\int G_0(u)\rho_0(u)du$.

Then, on a subsequence as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$, we conclude, noting (7.1) and $\Phi\Psi(\lambda) \leq C\lambda$, that a.s. Q^* ,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_0(u) \int_0^\infty \lambda \rho(0, u, d\lambda) du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_s G_s(u) \int_0^\infty \lambda \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \\ + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty \partial_{1(n)} G_s(u) \Phi\Psi(\lambda) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Here, we replaced the limit t with ∞ , noting that G has compact support in $[0, T) \times \mathbb{R}^n$. Hence, $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is a measure-weak solution of the hydrodynamic equation. $\square$

9 A coupled process

We introduce the basic coupling for misanthrope processes. Let $\tilde{P}^N$ denote the distribution of the coupled process (η_t, ξ_t) with generator $\tilde{L}$, given by its action on test functions,

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{L}f(\eta, \xi) &= \sum_{x,y} p(y-x) \min_{x,y} (f(\eta^{x,y}, \xi^{x,y}) - f(\eta, \xi)) \\ &+ \sum_{x,y} p(y-x) (b(\eta(x), \eta(y)) - \min_{x,y}) (f(\eta^{x,y}, \xi) - f(\eta, \xi)) \\ &+ \sum_{x,y} p(y-x) (b(\xi(x), \xi(y)) - \min_{x,y}) (f(\eta, \xi^{x,y}) - f(\eta, \xi)), \end{aligned}$$

where $\min_{x,y} = \min\{b(\eta(x), \eta(y)), b(\xi(x), \xi(y))\}$. From the form of the generator, it follows that the marginals are themselves misanthrope processes.

Suppose now that the process is ‘attractive’, that is when $b(n, m) = g(n)h(m)$, with g increasing and h decreasing in particle numbers. Then, if $\eta_s(x) \leq \xi_s(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, at any later time $t \geq s$, we still have the same ordering. This observation is the crux of the proof of the ‘ L^∞ ’ bound in [20], referred to in Step 1 in Section 7. This is the first of the two ways where ‘attractiveness’ is used in the proof of Theorem 3.2.

We will use the following terminology. For any set $\Lambda \subseteq \mathbb{Z}^n$, we write $\eta \geq \xi$ on Λ if $\eta(x) \geq \xi(x)$ for all $x \in \Lambda$, and we write $\eta > \xi$ on Λ if $\eta \geq \xi$ on Λ and $\eta(x) > \xi(x)$ for at least one $x \in \Lambda$. If $\eta \geq \xi$ or $\xi \geq \eta$ on Λ , we say that η and ξ are ordered on Λ . Otherwise, we say that η and ξ are unordered on Λ .

Let $U_\Lambda(\eta, \xi) = \mathbf{1}(\eta \text{ and } \xi \text{ are not ordered on } \Lambda)$. Let $U_{x,d}(\eta, \xi) = U_{\{x, x+d\}}(\eta, \xi)$. We also define

$$O_{x,d}(\eta, \xi) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \eta > \xi \text{ on } \{x, x+d\} \\ -1 & \text{if } \xi > \eta \text{ on } \{x, x+d\} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Define the coupled empirical measure by

$$\tilde{\pi}_t^N = \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_t(x) - \xi_t(x)| \delta_{x/N}.$$

We now introduce martingales which will be useful in the sequel. The first two are the coupled versions of $M_t^{N,G}$ and the associated ‘variance’ martingale: For test functions G on the coupled space, define the martingale,

$$\tilde{M}_t^{N,G} = \langle \tilde{\pi}_t^N, G_t \rangle - \langle \tilde{\pi}_0^N, G_0 \rangle - \int_0^t \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle + N \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle ds.$$

With respect to the quadratic variation,

$$\langle \tilde{M}^{N,G} \rangle_t = \int_0^t N \tilde{L}_N [(\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle)^2] - 2N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle ds,$$

the process $(\tilde{M}_t^{N,G})^2 - \langle \tilde{M}^{N,G} \rangle_t$ is also a martingale. We may compute

$$\begin{aligned} & N \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \\ &= \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) [G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})]) \\ & \quad - \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s) [G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) + G_s(\frac{x}{N})]), \end{aligned} \quad (9.1)$$

where

$$U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \eta_s(x) > \xi_s(x) \text{ and } \eta_s(x+d) < \xi_s(x+d) \\ -1 & \text{if } \eta_s(x) < \xi_s(x) \text{ and } \eta_s(x+d) > \xi_s(x+d) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Note that $U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) = |U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s)|$. That there is a sum of G ’s in the last line of the computation is because η_s and ξ_s are not ordered.

When the process is ‘attractive’, we have

$$(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s)) = |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)|.$$

In this case, the second line of the generator computation (9.1) simplifies to

$$- \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)| [G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) + G_s(\frac{x}{N})]. \quad (9.2)$$

We remark that this is the second of two places where the ‘attractiveness’ condition is explicitly used, featuring in the proof of the ‘Ordering Lemma’, stated later.

Lemma 9.1. *When $\alpha > 1$ and G is nonnegative,*

$$\begin{aligned} & N \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \\ & \leq \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) [G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})]). \end{aligned}$$

Proof. The bound follows because in (9.2) all the terms are nonnegative. $\square$

In the next two results, we will start the coupled process (η_s, ξ_s) from an arbitrary initial distribution $\tilde{\mu}_N$ whose marginals are μ_N and ν_c , for a $0 \leq c \leq M_0$ if $M_0 < \infty$, and $c \geq 0$ if otherwise. The coupled process measure is denoted by $\tilde{P}_N$ and the associated expectation is given by $\tilde{E}_N$.

For the quadratic variation, $\langle \tilde{M}^{N,G} \rangle_t$, a straightforward computation gives that

$$\begin{aligned} & N\tilde{L}_N[(\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle)^2] - 2N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \tilde{L}_N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \\ &= \frac{N}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - \min\{gh_d(\eta_s(x)), gh_d(\xi_s(x))\}) \times \\ & \quad \left[\left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) - \left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) + G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right) U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \right]^2 \\ &+ \frac{N}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\xi_s(x)) - \min\{gh_d(\eta_s(x)), gh_d(\xi_s(x))\}) \times \\ & \quad \left[\left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right) O_{x,d}(\xi_s, \eta_s) - \left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) + G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right) U_{x,d}^{\pm}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \right]^2. \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 9.2. When $\alpha > 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \tilde{E}^N |\langle \tilde{M}^{N,G} \rangle_t| \leq \frac{C(G, t)}{N^n} \\ &+ \frac{16\|G\|^2 N}{N^n} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{|x| \leq RN \\ |x+d| \leq RN}} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. In the expression for the quadratic variation, we may bound factors $(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - \min\{gh_d(\eta_s(x)), gh_d(\xi_s(x))\})$ by $|gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))|$. Also, we note $|O_{x,d}| \leq 1$ and $(U_{x,d}^{\pm})^2 = U_{x,d}$. Using the inequality $(a-b)^2 \leq 2(a^2+b^2)$, we have that $N\tilde{L}_N[(\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle)^2] - 2N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle \tilde{L}_N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle$ is bounded above by

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^t 4 \frac{N}{N^{2n}} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| \times \\ & \quad \left[\left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right)^2 + \left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) + G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right)^2 U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \right] ds, \end{aligned}$$

which we split as $A_1 + A_2$, the term A_1 involving $\left(G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right)^2$ and A_2 involving the other squared quantity.

Since, $gh_d(\eta(x)) \leq \kappa \|h\|_{\infty} \eta(x)$ by (2.3), we observe that $|gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| \leq 2\|h\|_{\infty} \kappa (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x))$. Hence, $A_1 \leq A_{11} + A_{12}$, where A_{11} and A_{12} involve each only the η - and ξ - process respectively. By the proof of Lemma 4.6, starting from (4.7), $\tilde{E}_N A_{11} \leq K_G t / N^n$. A similar bound and argument holds when $\xi_s(x)$ is present as ν_c is invariant, and therefore $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$ and $\tilde{E}_N \sum_{a \leq |x| \leq b} \xi_s(x) = c(b^n - a^n)$. Hence, $\tilde{E}_N A_1 \leq C(G, t) / N^n$.

The remaining part $\tilde{E}_N A_2$, since the the sum of the G 's squared is bounded by $4\|G\|^2 [\mathbf{1}(|x| \leq RN) + \mathbf{1}(|x+d| \leq RN)]$, is majorized by

$$16\|G\|^2 \frac{N}{N^n} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{|x| \leq RN \\ |x+d| \leq RN}} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds.$$

This finishes the proof. $\square$

We now state an ‘Ordering Lemma’ which, in essence, tells us that η_t and ξ_t are ordered on average, even if they are not initially ordered. This result is analogous to those in the finite-range setting, Lemma 3.3 in [24] and Lemma 2.2 on p. 209 of [20].

Lemma 9.3 (Ordering Lemma). *For $\alpha > 1$ and $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^n$,*

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{x \in [a, b]N \\ x+d \in [a, b]N}} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds = 0$$

where $[a, b]N = [aN, bN]$ and $[a, b] = \prod_{j=1}^n [a_j, b_j]$ denotes the n -dimensional hyper-rectangle with diagonal extending from a to b .

We also have, for all d with $\|d\| \geq 1$, that

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds = 0.$$

We postpone the proof the ‘Ordering Lemma’ to the Appendix. In this proof, the second statement will be seen to follow from the first, along with an induction argument.

10 Entropy condition: Proof of Theorem 7.3

We note, as specified in the definition of the measure weak entropy condition, the test functions G in this section are nonnegative.

Step 1. Since $\rho \geq 0$ a.e. (cf. Step 1 of Section 7), it is enough to prove Theorem 7.3 when $c \geq 0$. When the max occupation number $M_0 < \infty$, it is enough to consider $0 \leq c \leq M_0$.

Suppose we may show, for $\epsilon_0 > 0$ and $t \leq T$, that

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{l \rightarrow \infty} \liminf_{N \rightarrow \infty} P^N \left(\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\rho_0(x/N) - c| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right. \\ \left. + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s^l(x) - c| \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \right. \\ \left. + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - c) (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(c)) \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \right) = 1. \end{aligned} \quad (10.1)$$

In terms of Young measures and $Q^{N,l}$, (10.1) is written

$$\begin{aligned} \liminf_{l \rightarrow \infty} \liminf_{N \rightarrow \infty} Q^{N,l} \left(\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\rho_0(x/N) - c| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \partial_s G_s(u) | \lambda - c | \rangle ds \right. \\ \left. + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^t \langle \pi_s^{N,l}, \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s(u) q(\lambda, c) \rangle ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \right) = 1, \end{aligned}$$

where $q(\lambda, c) = \text{sgn}(\lambda - c) (\Phi\Psi(\lambda) - \Phi\Psi(c))$.

In this case, the desired measure weak formulation of the entropy condition would follow: By tightness of $\{Q^{N,l}\}$, let Q^* be a limit point. Such a Q^* is supported on absolutely continuous measures $\pi_s = \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du$ and $\rho(0, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\rho_0(u)}$ (cf. Step 1 of Section 7). Then, noting the form of q , as $\Phi\Psi(\lambda) \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \lambda$ (cf. (2.3)), by the weak convergence statement (7.1), we would have Q^* a.s. that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_0(u) |\rho_0(u) - c| du + \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_s G_s(u) \int_0^\infty |\lambda - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \\ + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s(u) \int_0^\infty q(\lambda, c) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) duds \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. To begin to establish (10.1), consider a coupled process (η_t, ξ_t) where the initial distribution is such that ξ_0 is the invariant measure ν_c with density c . We will

specify the form of the coupled initial distribution at the beginning of Subsection 10.1, and show there a coupled version of the microscopic entropy inequality: For $\epsilon > 0$, and $t \leq T$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \liminf_{l \rightarrow \infty} \liminf_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{P}^N \left(\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\rho_0(x/N) - c| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right. \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)) \\ & \left. \times (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x))) \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \right) = 1. \end{aligned} \quad (10.2)$$

Step 3. We now show how the microscopic entropy inequality (10.1) can be deduced from the coupled microscopic entropy inequality (10.2). It is enough to show that the following terms vanish as N and then l go to infinity:

$$\begin{aligned} & \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} ||\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| - |\eta_s^l(x) - c|| ds \\ & \text{and } \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |q(\eta_s^l(x), \xi_s^l(x)) - q(\eta_s^l(x), c)| ds. \end{aligned} \quad (10.3)$$

To analyze the second term, we note, as Ψ is bounded by $\|h\|_\infty$ and Φ is Lipschitz, that $|q(\eta_s^l(x), \xi_s^l(x)) - q(\eta_s^l(x), c)| = O(|\eta_s^l(x) + \xi_s^l(x) + c|)$. Thus, we can introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \vee \xi_s^l(x) \leq A)$, the error vanishing, as $N \uparrow \infty$, $l \uparrow \infty$ and $A \uparrow \infty$, by Lemma 4.2 and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$. Also, now note that $q(z, w)$ is uniformly continuous on $[-A, A]^2$.

On the other hand, for the first term, by the triangle inequality, $||\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| - |\eta_s^l(x) - c|| \leq |\xi_s^l(x) - c|$.

Hence, the terms in (10.3) will vanish, if we show that

$$\limsup_{l \uparrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |\xi_s^l(x) - c| ds = 0.$$

But, since the state ξ_s has distribution ν_c , it follows that

$$\tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |\xi_s^l(x) - c| ds \leq (2R + 1)^n t \cdot E_{\nu_c} |\xi_0^l(0) - c|,$$

which vanishes by the law of large numbers as $l \uparrow \infty$. $\square$

10.1 Proof of (10.2)

We proceed in some steps, recalling estimates in Section 9. First, we specify the initial coupled distribution in Step 2 above: We will take $\tilde{\mu}_N$ as a product measure over $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ with x -marginal given by $\tilde{\mu}_N(\eta_0(x) \geq \xi_0(x)) = 1$ if $\rho_0(x/N) \geq c$ and $\tilde{\mu}_N(\eta_0(x) \leq \xi_0(x)) = 1$ if $\rho_0(x/N) \leq c$. Such a coupled initial measure may be constructed (cf. Section II.2 in [23]) as the x -marginals of μ^N and ν_c are stochastically ordered, that is the marginal of μ^N , $\Theta_{\rho_0(x/N)}$, is stochastically more or less than then the marginal of ν_c , Θ_c , if $\rho_0(x/N)$ is more or less than c respectively. Then, $\tilde{P}_N$ is the coupled process measure starting from $\tilde{\mu}_N$.

Step 1. By Lemma 9.2 and the Ordering Lemma 9.3, the expected value $\tilde{E}^N \langle \tilde{M}^{N,G} \rangle_t$ vanishes as $N \uparrow \infty$. Hence, for $\epsilon_0 > 0$, $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{P}^N(-\tilde{M}_t^{N,G} \geq -\epsilon_0) = 1$.

Since G has compact support in $[0, T) \times \mathbb{R}^n$, we have $\langle \tilde{\pi}_t^N, G_t \rangle = 0$ for $t \geq T$, and so

$$-\tilde{M}_t^{N,G} = \langle \tilde{\pi}_0^N, G_0 \rangle + \int_0^t \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, \partial_s G_s \rangle + N \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle ds.$$

It follows, as G is nonnegative, from the bound in Lemma 9.1, that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} \tilde{P}^N & \left(\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)| \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \right. \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \\ & \left. \times \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \right) = 1. \end{aligned}$$

We now replace the second integral in the last display by one with a nicer form. We make substitutions following the same reasoning as in Step 2 of Section 8, the estimates for the ξ . process easier as $\xi. \sim \nu_c$. First, we limit the sum over d to when $\|d\|$ is at most ϵN , where $N \uparrow \infty$ and then $\epsilon \downarrow 0$. Next, $\left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right]$ is replaced by $\nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{N}$. Finally, the sum over d is replaced by that when $\|d\|$ is at most D , which tends to infinity after N diverges. After this replacement, we have with probability tending to 1, as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $D \uparrow \infty$, that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)| \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \\ & \times \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{\|d\|} ds \geq -\epsilon_0. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. As in Step 3a in Section 5, we may substitute l -averages for $|\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|$ and $(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)$, where l diverges after N but before D , through a discrete integration-by-parts, the smoothness and compact support of G , as well as the particle bound Lemma 4.1, and with respect to the ξ . process that $\xi. \sim \nu_c$. Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|^l \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \\ & + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} [(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)]^l \\ & \times \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{\|d\|} ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \end{aligned} \tag{10.4}$$

with high probability as N, l , and D go to infinity.

Step 3a. We now begin to perform a ‘1-block’ replacement in the last display, which will allow us to access the Young measure formulation.

It is only here that we leverage the full form of the initial coupled distribution in order to treat the first term on the left-side of (10.4). Let A_1 and A_2 be the set of sites x in $\mathbb{Z}^n$ where $\rho_0(x/N) \geq c$ and $\rho_0(x/N) < c$ respectively. Write, using the coupling, noting

that G is nonnegative, that

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{j=1}^2 \sum_{\substack{x \in A_j \\ |x| \leq RN}} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) = \sum_{j=1}^2 \left| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{x \in A_j \\ |x| \leq RN}} [\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)] G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right|. \end{aligned}$$

We now add and subtract $\rho_0(x/N) - c$ inside the square bracket. Noting the compact support of G , we observe

$$\tilde{E}_N \left| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{\substack{x \in A_j \\ |x| \leq RN}} [\eta_0(x) - \rho_0(x/N)] G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right|^2 \leq \frac{\|G\|}{N^{2n}} \sum_{\substack{x \in A_j \\ |x| \leq RN}} \text{Var}_{\nu_{\rho_0(x/N)}}(\eta(x)) = O(N^{-n}).$$

A similar argument, using that ξ_0 has distribution ν_c , works for the difference between $\xi_0(x) - c$. Hence, with high probability as $N \uparrow \infty$, we may bound above $\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_0(x) - \xi_0(x)| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right)$ by

$$\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{j=1}^2 \left| \sum_{x \in A_j} (\rho_0(x/N) - c) G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right| \leq \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\rho_0(x/N) - c| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right).$$

Step 3b. Now, we will replace $|\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|^l$ by $|\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)|$ in the first integral, and $[(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)))O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)]^l$ by $(\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x)))\text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x))$ in the second integral of (10.4).

Indeed, by the compact support of $\partial_s G$ and ∇G , and $\sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \|d\|^{-(n-1+\alpha)} < \infty$, it will be enough to show that the expected integral over time of the quantities,

$$\begin{aligned} S_1 &= \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \left| |\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|^l - |\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| \right| \quad \text{and} \\ S_2 &= \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \left| [(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)))O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)]^l \right. \\ &\quad \left. - (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x)))\text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)) \right|, \end{aligned}$$

vanish in expectation as N and then l go to infinity, for each $\|d\| \leq D$.

Divide now each of the sums above into two parts, $S_i = S_i^1 + S_i^2$, where S_i^1 is the part where η_s and ξ_s are ordered on $x + [-(l+D), l+D]^n$, and S_i^2 is the part where they are not. When η_s and ξ_s are ordered on the set $x + [-(l+D), l+D]^n$, we have $|\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|^l = |\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)|$, and

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| [(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)))O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)]^l - (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x)))\text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)) \right| \\ & \leq |(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x))| + |(gh_d)^l(\xi_s(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x))|. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the sum S_1^1 vanishes. But, by the 1-block estimate Proposition 6.5, we have

$$\limsup_{l \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} |(gh_d)^l(\eta_s(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x))| ds = 0,$$

and its counterpart with η replaced by ξ . $\sim \nu_c$ also vanishes. Hence, the expectation of the time integral of S_2^1 vanishes in the limit as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$.

Step 3c. When η_s and ξ_s are not ordered on $x + [-(l+D), l+D]^n$, as $h, \Psi \leq \|h\|_\infty$ are bounded, and g, Φ are Lipschitz, we have

$$\begin{aligned} L_1 &= \left| |\eta_s(x) - \xi_s(x)|^l - |\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| \right|, \\ L_2 &= \left| [(gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x)))O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)]^l \right. \\ &\quad \left. - (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x)))\text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)) \right| \end{aligned}$$

are both bounded by a constant times $(\eta_s^l(x) + \xi_s^l(x))$. Therefore, we may introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \vee \xi_s^l(x) \leq A)$ when taking expectations, the error vanishing as $N \uparrow \infty$ and $l \uparrow \infty$ by Lemma 4.2, and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$.

Once this indicator is introduced, both terms L_1, L_2 are bounded by a constant $C = C(A)$, which allows further to introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x+d) \vee \xi_s^l(x+d) \leq A)$, say by Lemma 4.2 and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$, the error vanishing as $N \uparrow \infty, l \uparrow \infty$ and $A \uparrow \infty$.

Now, for $k = 1, 2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} L_k \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x) \vee \xi_s^l(x) \leq A) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s^l(x+d) \vee \xi_s^l(x+d) \leq A) U_{x+[-(l+D), l+D]^n}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \\ \leq C U_{x+[-(l+D), l+D]^n}(\eta_s, \xi_s). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, to complete the 1-block replacement, it is enough to show, for fixed l , that

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} U_{x+[-(l+D), l+D]^n}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds = 0. \quad (10.5)$$

Step 3d. Recall that $U_\Lambda(\eta, \xi)$ indicates when η and ξ are not ordered on Λ , and also that $U_{x,d}(\eta, \xi) = U_{\{x, x+d\}}(\eta, \xi)$. We then have the bound,

$$U_{x+[-(l+D), l+D]^n}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \leq \sum_{|y| \leq l+D} \sum_{|d| \leq 2(l+D)} U_{x+y,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s),$$

from which it follows for each l that

$$\sum_{|x| \leq RN} U_{x+[-(l+D), l+D]^n}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \leq \sum_{|y| \leq l+D} \sum_{|d| \leq 2(l+D)} \sum_{|x| \leq R^+N} U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s),$$

for large enough N where $R^+ > R$. However, by the Ordering Lemma 9.3, we have for each l and d that $\tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq R^+N} U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds$ vanishes as $N \uparrow \infty$. Hence, (10.5) holds, and the 1-block replacement follows.

In particular, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\rho_0(x/N) - c| G_0\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) + \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)| \partial_s G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) ds \\ &+ \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^D \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} (\Phi\Psi(\eta_s^l(x)) - \Phi\Psi(\xi_s^l(x))) \\ &\quad \times \text{sgn}(\eta_s^l(x) - \xi_s^l(x)) \nabla G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \cdot \frac{d}{\|d\|} ds \geq -\epsilon_0 \end{aligned} \quad (10.6)$$

with high probability as N, l , and D go to infinity. To recover (10.2) from (10.6), we may group together the terms involving d , and remove the bound $\|d\| \leq D$, by appealing to the argument in Step 3a in Subsection 8. Then, the sum on d is replaced by $\gamma_\alpha \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_s(\frac{x}{N})$. $\square$

11 L^1 mass bound: proof of Theorem 7.4

We leverage the weak formulation of the entropy condition (7.2).

Step 1. Consider a test function in form $G(s, u) = H(s)G(u)$ for G nonnegative, and $c = \rho^*$. Define $V_G(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty G(u) |\lambda - \rho^*| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du$. By the ‘Mass Bounding’ Lemma 11.1 shown below, V_G is finite. Moreover, by the measure weak entropy condition inequality (Theorem 7.3),

$$\begin{aligned} & - \int_0^\infty \partial_s H(s) V_G(s) ds \\ & \leq H(0) V_G(0) + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty H(s) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(u) q(\lambda, \rho^*) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds, \end{aligned}$$

where we recall $q(\lambda, c) = \text{sgn}(\lambda - c)(\Phi\Psi(\lambda) - \Phi\Psi(c))$. Since Φ, Ψ are Lipschitz, and also $\Psi \leq \|h\|_\infty$, we have $|q(\lambda, c)| \leq |(\Phi(\lambda) - \Phi(c))\Psi(\lambda) + \Phi(c)(\Psi(\lambda) - \Psi(c))| \leq C|\lambda - c|$ where the constant depends on c . Hence, $|q(\lambda, \rho^*)| \leq C|\lambda - \rho^*|$. Then,

$$- \int_0^\infty \partial_s H(s) V_G(s) ds \leq H(0) V_G(0) + \gamma_\alpha C(\rho^*) \int_0^\infty |H(s)| V_{|\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G|}(s) ds.$$

The idea now will be to choose G and H , approximating the constant 1 and an indicator of a time point t , so that the right-hand side is well bounded. This will be done through an iteration scheme in the next step.

Step 2. We now define a sequence of test functions $\{H_i\}$ on $\mathbb{R}$. With respect to $0 \leq t < T$ and $0 \leq \delta \leq T - t$, let $H_0(s) = 1$ up to $s = t - \delta$, then decreasing to 0 by $s = t + \delta$. We may do this in such a way that $-\partial_s H_0(s)$ is positive on $(t - \delta, t + \delta)$ and weakly approaches a delta function at t . For instance, we can take $-\partial_s H_0(s)$ as the linear interpolation between $(t - \delta, 0)$, $(t - \delta + \gamma, L)$, $(t + \delta - \gamma, L)$ and $(t + \delta, 0)$ where $L = (2\delta - \gamma)^{-1}$ for $\gamma < \delta/2$.

For each $i \geq 1$, define $H_{i+1}(s) = \int_s^{t+\delta} H_i(u) du$. Therefore, each $H_i(s)$ is nonnegative, vanishing for $s > t + \delta$. We then have $-\partial_s H_{i+1}(s) = |H_i(s)|$. Note also $H_i(0) \leq (t + \delta)^i / i!$.

Define $G_i(u) = 1$ on $[-(i+1)R, (i+1)R]^n$, decreasing to zero within $[-(i+2)R, (i+2)R]^n$, so that $|\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_i(u)| \leq 2/R$. Then, $|\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_i(u)| \leq (2/R) G_{i+1}(u)$. Here, the limit of these functions, $G_\infty(u) \equiv 1$.

With respect to $H = H_i$ and $G = G_i$, we have

$$\int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_i(s) V_{G_i}(s) ds \leq H_i(0) V_{G_i}(0) + \frac{2\gamma_\alpha C(\rho^*)}{R} \int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_{i+1}(s) V_{G_{i+1}}(s) ds.$$

Step 3. Iterating the above inequality k times, starting with $i = 0$, gives

$$- \int_0^\infty \partial_s H_0(s) V_{G_0}(s) ds \leq \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{2\gamma_\alpha C}{R} \right)^i H_i(0) V_{G_i}(0) + \left(\frac{2\gamma_\alpha C}{R} \right)^k \int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_k(s) V_{G_k}(s) ds.$$

Since $V_{G_k}(s) \leq \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} V_{G_k}(t)$, $V_{G_i}(0) \leq V_{G_\infty}(0)$, and $H_i(0) \leq (t + \delta)^i / i!$, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} - \int_0^\infty \partial_s H_0(s) V_{G_0}(s) ds & \leq \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \frac{(2\gamma_\alpha C T / R)^i}{i!} V_{G_\infty}(0) \\ & \quad + \frac{(2\gamma_\alpha C T / R)^k}{k!} \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} V_{G_k}(t). \end{aligned} \quad (11.1)$$

Step 4. Choose now $k = n + 2$. Note that $V_{G_0} \uparrow V_{G_\infty}$ as $R \uparrow \infty$. Then, the supremum over $0 < \gamma < \delta/2$, $0 < \delta \leq T - t$ and $0 \leq t < T$ of the left-side of (11.1), Q^* a.s., increases

by monotone convergence as $R \uparrow \infty$ to

$$\sup_{0 < \gamma < \delta/2} \sup_{0 < \delta \leq T-t} \sup_{0 \leq t < T} \int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_0(s) V_{G_\infty}(s) ds.$$

To capture the limit of the right-side, note

$$V_{G_\infty}(0) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho^*| \rho(0, u, d\lambda) du = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\rho_0(u) - \rho^*| du < \infty.$$

Then, the first term on the right-side of (11.1) converges to $V_{G_\infty}(0)$ as $R \uparrow \infty$.

However, by the ‘Mass Bounding’ Lemma 11.1, we have $E_{Q^*} \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} V_{G_{n+2}}(t) = O(R^n)$, and so

$$\frac{(2\gamma_\alpha CT/R)^{n+2}}{(n+2)!} E_{Q^*} [\text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} V_{G_{n+2}}(t)] = O(R^{-2}).$$

Hence, Q^* a.s., by Borel-Cantelli lemma, as $R \uparrow \infty$, the second term on the right-side of (11.1) vanishes.

Step 5. Therefore, we have

$$\sup_{0 < \gamma < \delta/2} \sup_{0 < \delta \leq T-t} \sup_{0 \leq t < T} \int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_0(s) V_{G_\infty}(s) ds \leq V_{G_\infty}(0),$$

with respect to a Q^* probability 1 set. Moreover, on this set, as $-\partial_s H_0$ is positive on $(t - \delta, t + \delta)$, we have that V_{G_∞} is locally integrable on $[0, T]$. Also, by Fatou’s lemma, for each t and small enough $\delta > 0$, we have

$$\frac{1}{2\delta} \int_{t-\delta}^{t+\delta} V_{G_\infty}(s) ds \leq \liminf_{\gamma \downarrow 0} \int_0^\infty -\partial_s H_0(s) V_{G_\infty}(s) ds \leq V_{G_\infty}(0).$$

In fact, for each Lebesgue point t of V_{G_∞} , as $\delta \downarrow 0$, we have $V_{G_\infty}(t) \leq V_{G_\infty}(0)$. We conclude, as Lebesgue points are dense, that Q^* a.s.

$$\text{ess sup}_t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho^*| \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du \leq V_{G_\infty}(0),$$

finishing the argument. $\square$

11.1 Mass bounding lemma

The following result bounds the mass in finite regions.

Lemma 11.1. *Let G be a nonnegative function with support in $[-R, R]^n$ such that $|G| \leq 1$. For every limit point Q^* and $c \in \mathbb{R}$, we have*

$$E_{Q^*} \left[\text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty |\lambda - c| \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du \right] = O(R^n).$$

Proof. First we bound $|\lambda - c|$ by $\lambda + |c|$. Since $\rho(t, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure, we have $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty |c| \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du = O(R^n)$. Therefore, we only need to prove

$$E_{Q^*} \left[\text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty \lambda \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du \right] = O(R^n). \quad (11.2)$$

To this end, for $RN \geq l$, note

$$\langle \pi_t^{N,l}, G(u)\lambda \rangle \leq \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \eta_t^l(x) \leq \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq 2RN} \eta_t(x) \leq \langle \pi_t^N, G_1 \rangle,$$

where G_1 equals 1 on $[-2R, 2R]^n$, and decreases to zero within $[-3R, 3R]^n$. By the definition of the martingale M_t^{N, G_1} , we have

$$E^N \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \langle \pi_t^{N, l}, G_1 \rangle \leq E^N \langle \pi_0^N, G_1 \rangle + E^N \int_0^T |NL_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_1 \rangle| ds + E^N \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |M_t^{N, G_1}|.$$

By our initial conditions, $E^N \langle \pi_0^N, G_1 \rangle \leq (4R + 1)^n \|\rho_0\|_\infty$, and by Lemma 4.3, we have $E^N \int_0^T |NL_N \langle \pi_s^N, G_1 \rangle| ds = O(R^n)$, independent of N and l . Also, by Doob's inequality and Lemma 4.6, $E^N \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} |M_t^{N, G_1}| \leq 4E^N \langle M^{N, G_1} \rangle_T = O(N^{-n})$. Therefore, for all large N , we have

$$E^{N, l} \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} \langle \pi_t^{N, l}, G(u)\lambda \rangle = O(R^n).$$

Finally, as $\text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} \langle \pi_t^{N, l}, G(u)\lambda \rangle$ is a lower semi-continuous function of $\pi^{N, l}$, we may take subsequential limits as $N, l \uparrow \infty$, for which $Q^{N, l} \Rightarrow Q^*$, to obtain (11.2). $\square$

12 Initial conditions: proof of Theorem 7.5

The strategy is to approximate the initial density ρ_0 in compact sets via the weak form of the entropy inequality.

Step 1. Since ρ_0 is a continuous function that equals a constant ρ^* outside of a compact set $[-R, R]^n$, it is uniformly continuous. Fix a $\delta = (\delta_0, \dots, \delta_0)$ with $0 < \delta_0 < 1$. Consider a regular division of $\mathbb{R}^n$ into countably many overlapping hyper-rectangles $[a_i - \delta, b_i + \delta] = \prod_{j=1}^n [a_{i,j} - \delta_0, b_{i,j} + \delta_0]$ such that $\cup_{i=1}^\infty [a_i - \delta, b_i + \delta] = \mathbb{R}^n$, and the $[a_i, b_i]$ are disjoint. Finitely many of these hyper-rectangles cover $[-R, R]^n$. The parameter δ may be chosen so that ρ_0 varies at most $\epsilon > 0$ on each hyper-rectangle.

For each hyper-rectangle, we construct a nonnegative smooth bump function, $G_i(u)$, that is 1 on $[a_i, b_i]$ and decreases to 0 outside of $[a_i - \delta, b_i + \delta]$. The $\{G_i\}$ may be constructed such that $\sum_{i=1}^\infty G_i(u) = 1$ for all $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$, and $\max_i \|\partial_{1(1)} G_i\|_\infty$ is bounded. We also choose constants $c_i = \min\{\rho_0(u) : u \in [a_i - \delta, b_i + \delta]\}$ so that $0 \leq \rho_0(u) - c_i \leq \epsilon$ for all $u \in [a_i - \delta, b_i + \delta]$. By the triangle inequality,

$$|\lambda - \rho_0(u)| \leq |\lambda - c_i| + |\rho_0(u) - c_i| \leq |\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i| + 2\epsilon$$

on any hyper-rectangle that intersects $[-R, R]^n$; on the other hyper-rectangles, as $\rho_0 = \rho^*$, we have $|\lambda - \rho_0(u)| = |\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|$.

Note that $(2R)^n$ is the volume of $[-R, R]^n$, $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure (cf. Step 1 in Section 7), and $|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i| = |\lambda - c_i| \geq 0$ for all but finitely many hyper-rectangles. Then, a Fubini-Tonelli theorem may be applied, so that

$$\begin{aligned} E_{Q^*} \left[\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho_0(u)| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] \\ \leq E_{Q^*} \left[\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \sum_{i=1}^\infty \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_i(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] + 2\epsilon(2R)^n \\ = \sum_{i=1}^\infty E_{Q^*} \left[\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_i(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] + 2\epsilon(2R)^n. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Suppose, for all i , that

$$\limsup_{t \downarrow 0} E_{Q^*} \left[\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_i(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] = 0, \quad (12.1)$$

$$\text{and } \sum_{i=1}^\infty \sup_{0 < t < T} E_{Q^*} \left[\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_i(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] < \infty.$$

Then, by Fatou-Lebesgue lemma, we would have

$$\begin{aligned} & E_{Q^*} \left[\liminf_{t \downarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho_0(u)| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right] \\ & \leq \liminf_{t \downarrow 0} E_{Q^*} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho_0(u)| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \leq 2\epsilon(2R)^n, \end{aligned}$$

from which Theorem 7.5 would follow as $\epsilon > 0$ is arbitrary.

Step 3. To finish the proof, we establish (12.1). As discussed in Step 1 in Section 7, with respect to Q^* , initially $\rho(0, u, d\lambda) = \delta_{\rho_0(u)}$, and $\rho(s, u, d\lambda)$ is a probability measure. Then, with respect to a test function $G(s, u) = H(s)G(u)$ with G nonnegative, we have $H(0) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty |\rho_0(u) - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du = H(0) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty G(u) |\lambda - c| \rho(0, u, d\lambda) du$. Hence, we can write the measure weak formulation of the entropy condition (7.2) as

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty \partial_s H(s) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c| - |\rho_0(u) - c|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \\ & + \gamma_\alpha \int_0^\infty H(s) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty \partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(u) q(\lambda, c) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \geq 0, \end{aligned}$$

recalling $q(\lambda, c) = \text{sgn}(\lambda - c)(\Phi\Psi(\lambda) - \Phi\Psi(c))$. As in Step 1 of Section 11, we have $|q(\lambda, c)| \leq C_2|\lambda - c|$ where the constant C_2 depends on $\|\rho_0\|_\infty$. Therefore, putting the first term on the other side of the inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} & - \int_0^\infty \partial_s H(s) \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c| - |\rho_0(u) - c|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \\ & \leq \gamma_\alpha C_2 \int_0^t |H(s)| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(u)| |\lambda - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds. \end{aligned} \quad (12.2)$$

Step 4. Recall, that $E_{Q^*} \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq t \leq T} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty G(u) |\lambda - c| \rho(t, u, d\lambda) du < \infty$, by the ‘Mass Bounding Lemma’ 11.1, for all nonnegative G ’s with compact support. Consider, with respect to a small $\delta > 0$, a smooth H such that $\partial_s H(s) = -t^{-1}$ for $0 \leq s \leq t - \delta$, linearly interpolates from $(t - \delta, -t^{-1})$ to $(t, 0)$, and vanishes for $s \geq t$. Taking $H(0) = 1 - \delta/(2t)$, we have that H vanishes for $s \geq t$.

By taking a supremum over time, noting $|H(s)| \leq 1$, the right-side of the inequality (12.2) is bounded by $\gamma_\alpha C_2 t \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq s \leq T} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(u)| |\lambda - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du$. However, the left-side, by dominated convergence, converges, as $\delta \downarrow 0$, to

$$\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c| - |\rho_0(u) - c|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds.$$

We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c| - |\rho_0(u) - c|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \\ & \leq \gamma_\alpha C_2 t \text{ess sup}_{0 \leq s \leq T} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G(u)| |\lambda - c| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du. \end{aligned}$$

As $|\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G|$ is compactly supported, noting the ‘Mass Bounding Lemma’ 11.1 again, the expected value of the right-side of the above display vanishes as t goes to zero. Therefore, the first line of (12.1) holds.

To obtain the second line of (12.1), instead of bounding the right-side of (12.2) by a supremum, bound it by increasing the time integration to $[0, T]$. Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \sup_{0 < t < T} \left| \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} G_i(u) \int_0^\infty (|\lambda - c_i| - |\rho_0(u) - c_i|) \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds \right| \\ & \leq \gamma_\alpha C_2 \int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)} G_i(u)| |\lambda - c_i| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds. \end{aligned}$$

For only finitely many i does c_i differ from ρ^* and $|\rho_0(u) - c_i| > 0$. Also, by the comment in the previous paragraph, for each i , the expected value of the right-side of the above display is bounded. Note now, by the regular division, that the support of each $\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}G_i$ is overlapped by the support of at most an uniformly bounded number, in terms of the covering, of other $\{\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}G_j\}$. Note also, from construction, that $\partial_{\mathbf{1}(n)}G_j$ is uniformly bounded in j . Also, from Theorem 7.4, we have that $E_{Q^*}[\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_0^\infty |\lambda - \rho^*| \rho(s, u, d\lambda) du ds] \leq T \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\rho_0(u) - \rho^*| du < \infty$. Hence, summability in (12.1) follows, and the proof of Theorem 7.5 is complete. $\square$

In passing, we remark that this proof, making use of the weak formulation of the entropy condition, seems new and more direct than proofs in [24] and [20] which introduce types of particle couplings in the finite-range setting, without going to the continuum equation. We note, in the PhD thesis [27], an alternate argument for the first line of (12.1) through a simpler and different particle coupling will be found.

A Proof of the ordering Lemma 9.3

Step 1. We now show the first part of the lemma. Let $G_s(u)$ be a nonnegative smooth function that is 1 on hyper-rectangle $[a, b] = \prod_{j=1}^n [a_j, b_j]$ and decreases to 0 outside of $[a - \delta, b + \delta] = \prod_{j=1}^n [a_j - \delta_j, b_j + \delta_j]$ where $\delta = (\delta_1, \dots, \delta_n)$ with $\delta_i > 0$ and $\|\delta\| < 1$.

Then, noting the computation of $N\tilde{L}_N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle$ in (9.1) and (9.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{\substack{x \in [a, b]N \\ x+d \in [a, b]N}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \\ & \leq \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))) O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \left[G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right] \\ & \quad - N\tilde{L}_N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle =: J_1 - N\tilde{L}_N\langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Note, the expression $|gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x))$ by (2.3), and $|O_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)| \leq 1$. Hence,

$$J_1 \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \frac{N}{N^n} \sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x)) \left| G_s\left(\frac{x+d}{N}\right) - G_s\left(\frac{x}{N}\right) \right|.$$

We now split the sum over d into two parts, namely when $\|d\| \leq N$ and $\|d\| > N$, and write $J_1 = J_{11} + J_{12}$ accordingly. When $\|d\| \leq N$, we bound $|G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})| \leq \|\nabla G\| \cdot \|d\|/N \mathbf{1}(x \in [(a-\delta-1)N, (b+\delta+1)N])$. Then,

$$J_{11} \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \sum_{\|d\|=1}^N \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \|\nabla G\| \frac{1}{N^n} \sum' (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x))$$

where $\sum'$ refers to a sum over $O(N^n)$ values of x . By Lemma 4.1, and that the ξ_s process starts in the invariant measure ν_e , we have $\tilde{E}^N \sum' (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x)) \leq 2K_0 N^n$ say. Therefore, $\tilde{E}^N J_{11} \leq \tilde{C}_1 := \kappa \|h\|_\infty \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \|\nabla G\| 2K_0$, finite when $\alpha > 1$.

On the other hand, when $\|d\| > N$, we have $|G_s(\frac{x+d}{N}) - G_s(\frac{x}{N})| \leq \mathbf{1}(x \in [(a-\delta)N, (b+\delta)N] \cup x+d \in [(a-\delta)N, (b+\delta)N])$. Then, in terms of a sum $\sum''$ over $O(N^n)$ sites,

$$J_{12} \leq \kappa \|h\|_\infty \sum_{\|d\|>N} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1}} \sum'' (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x)).$$

As $\|d\| \geq N$, we have $\tilde{E}^N \left[\frac{1}{\|d\|^{N-1}} \sum'' (\eta_s(x) + \xi_s(x)) \right] \leq 2K'_0$ say, uniformly in d , by Lemma 4.1 and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$. Then, $\tilde{E}^N J_{12} \leq \tilde{C}_2 := \kappa \|h\|_\infty \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n-1+\alpha}} 2K'_0$.

Step 3. It follows that $\tilde{E}^N J_1 \leq \tilde{C} = \tilde{C}_1 + \tilde{C}_2$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{N^n} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \sum_{\|d\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{\substack{x \in [a,b]N \\ x+d \in [a,b]N}} |gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))| U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds \\ & \leq \frac{t\tilde{C}}{N} - \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle ds. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.1})$$

Consider the mean-zero martingale $\tilde{M}_t^{N,G}$ where $G_s(u) = G(u) \geq 0$ for $s \leq t$, vanishing before time T . As $\partial_s G = 0$ for $s \leq t$, and $\langle \tilde{\pi}_t^N, G \rangle \geq 0$, we have

$$- \int_0^t N \tilde{L}_N \langle \tilde{\pi}_s^N, G_s \rangle ds \leq \tilde{M}_t^{N,G} + \langle \tilde{\pi}_0^N, G_0 \rangle.$$

Therefore, (A.1) is bounded by

$$\frac{t\tilde{C}}{N} + \frac{1}{N^{n+1}} \tilde{E}^N \sum_{x \in [a-\delta, b+\delta]N} (\eta_0(x) + \xi_0(x)).$$

As the expectation is of order $O(N^n)$ by Lemma 4.1 and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$, the last display vanishes as $N \uparrow \infty$. This completes the proof of the first part of Lemma 9.3.

Step 4. We now show the second part of Lemma 9.3. In general, $gh_d(\eta_s(x)) - gh_d(\xi_s(x))$ may not vanish, and so the first part is not coercive. To work around this issue, we would like to introduce the indicator function $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x) \vee \xi_s(x) \vee \eta_s(x+d) \vee \xi_s(x+d) < A)$ into the associated expectation. This is justified if we show that

$$\lim_{A \uparrow \infty} \lim_{N \uparrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x) \vee \xi_s(x) \vee \eta_s(x+d) \vee \xi_s(x+d) > A) ds = 0.$$

The expectation above is bounded by the sum of $E^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x) > A) ds$, and three other expectations containing the indicator functions $\mathbf{1}(\xi_s(x) > A)$, $\mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x+d) > A)$, and $\mathbf{1}(\xi_s(x+d) > A)$.

By the entropy inequality (4.4), the first expectation is bounded by

$$\frac{1}{\gamma N^n} \left(O(N^n) \log E_{\nu_{\rho^*}} [e^{\gamma \mathbf{1}(\eta(0) > A)}] + CN^n \right).$$

After N and A go to infinity, the limit is C/γ which vanishes as $\gamma \uparrow \infty$. The other three terms are similarly analyzed, using $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$ when ξ_s is involved.

Therefore, it will be enough to prove, for each A , that

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} U_{x,d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) \mathbf{1}(\eta_s(x) \vee \xi_s(x) \vee \eta_s(x+d) \vee \xi_s(x+d) < A) ds = 0.$$

Step 5. Let $I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x,d}(\eta, \xi) = \mathbf{1}(\eta(x) = m_1, \xi(x) = m_2, \eta(x+d) = k_1, \xi(x+d) = k_2)$. Then,

$$U_{x,d}(\eta, \xi) \mathbf{1}(\eta(x) \vee \xi(x) \vee \eta(x+d) \vee \xi(x+d) < A) \leq \widetilde{\sum I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x,d}(\eta, \xi)}$$

where the sum $\widetilde{\sum}$ is over all m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2 less than A such that η and ξ will be not ordered on the sites x and $x + d$. Since this is a finite sum, it will be enough to prove that

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds = 0, \quad (\text{A.2})$$

for each m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2 indexed in $\widetilde{\sum}$.

From the ‘proven first part’, that is that (A.1) vanishes, we note if $g(m_1)h(k_1) \neq g(m_2)h(k_2)$ then (A.2) holds.

Recall $M_0 = \min\{k : h(k) = 0\}$ is the maximum possible number of particles at a site, with the convention that $M_0 = \infty$ if $h(k)$ is never zero. If k_1 or k_2 is greater than M_0 , then $I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s)$ identically vanishes, and (A.2) holds trivially.

We note (A.2) holds also if k_1 or k_2 equal $M_0 < \infty$: Indeed, without loss of generality, suppose $M_0 = k_1 > k_2$. Then, as the sites are unordered, $0 \leq m_1 < m_2$. It follows that $g(m_2) \neq 0 \neq h(k_2)$. So, as $h(k_1) = 0$, we have $g(m_1)h(k_1) = 0 \neq g(m_2)h(k_2)$. Then, by our earlier comment, the ‘proven first part’ applies, and (A.2) holds.

Similarly, (A.2) holds if m_1 or m_2 equal 0: Indeed, without loss of generality, suppose $0 = m_1 < m_2$. Then, $k_1 > k_2$. It follows that $g(m_2) \neq 0 = g(m_1)$. If $h(k_2) = 0$, then $k_2 \geq M_0$ and we have already shown (A.2). If $h(k_2) \neq 0$, then $g(m_1)h(k_1) = 0 \neq g(m_2)h(k_2)$, and (A.2) holds by the ‘proven first part’.

Step 6. We now establish (A.2) by induction for all other cases. Without loss of generality, suppose $m_1 < m_2$ and $k_1 > k_2$. Assume for our induction step that (A.2) holds for a fixed $m_1 \geq 0$ and for all $m_2 > m_1$ and for all k_1, k_2 such that $k_1 > k_2$. Our base case, when $m_1 = 0$, has already been shown. Suppose that we can show

$$\begin{aligned} & \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2) \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1+1, m_2+1, k_1-1, k_2-1}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds \\ & \leq \limsup_{A \rightarrow \infty} \limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \\ & \quad 8A\kappa \|h\|_\infty \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^\infty \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

where

$$C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2) := \min\{g(m_1+1)h(k_1-1), g(m_2+1)h(k_2-1)\}.$$

Then, by the induction assumption, we would have

$$\limsup_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2) \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1+1, m_2+1, k_1-1, k_2-1}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds = 0.$$

Now, by assumption, $g(a+1) > 0$ for $a \geq 0$, and $\min\{h(k_1-1), h(k_2-1)\} > 0$ if both $k_1-1, k_2-1 < M_0$. Hence, $C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2) > 0$ and the expectation in the above display vanishes as $N \uparrow \infty$ for all $m_2+1 > m_1+1$ and for all k_1-1, k_2-1 such that $k_1-1 > k_2-1$ provided that $k_1-1 < M_0$. However, we have already shown that the expectation vanishes if either k_1-1 or $k_2-1 \geq M_0$.

Thus, the induction step and therefore the second part of Lemma 9.3 would be proved.

Step 7. To show (A.3), we recall $\min_{y, y+d'} = \min\{gh_{d'}(\eta(y)), gh_{d'}(\xi(y))\}$ and write

$\tilde{L}I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)$ equal to

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{y \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} \min_{y, y+d'} (I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta^{y, y+d'}, \xi^{y, y+d'}) - I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)) \\ & + \sum_{y \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_{d'}(\eta(y)) - \min_{y, y+d'}) \\ & \quad \times (I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta^{y, y+d'}, \xi) - I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)) \\ & + \sum_{y \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} (gh_{d'}(\xi(y)) - \min_{y, y+d'}) \\ & \quad \times (I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi^{y, y+d'}) - I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)). \end{aligned}$$

All of the terms above vanish except those when $y = x$, $y = x + d$, $y + d' = x$, and $y + d' = x + d$. In making a bound, of the positive terms, we shall keep the term $I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta^{y, y+d'}, \xi^{y, y+d'}) = I_{m_1+1, m_2+1, k_1-1, k_2-1}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)$ when $y = x$ and $d' = d$. For the negative terms, we shall double count the terms where $y = x$ and $d' = d$. Note also that the total aggregate rate for all the negative terms is $|gh_{d'}(\eta(y)) - gh_{d'}(\xi(y))|$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{L}I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi) & \geq \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} \min_{x, x+d} I_{m_1+1, m_2+1, k_1-1, k_2-1}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi) \\ & - \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} \sum_{\substack{y=x, x+d, \\ x-d', x+d-d'}} |gh_{d'}(\eta(y)) - gh_{d'}(\xi(y))| I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi). \end{aligned}$$

Note that in the above display, $\min_{x, x+d} = \min\{g(m_1+1)h(k_1-1), g(m_2+1)h(k_2-1)\} = C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2)$. In the ‘negative’ terms, we bound $|gh_{d'}(\eta(y)) - gh_{d'}(\xi(y))| \leq \kappa \|h\|_{\infty}(\eta(y) + \xi(y))$ (cf. (2.3)), and split into terms involving only η and only ξ . We may introduce indicator functions $\mathbf{1}(\eta(y) \leq A)$ and $\mathbf{1}(\eta(y) > A)$ onto the ‘ η ’ terms and ‘ ξ ’ terms. Items $\eta(y)\mathbf{1}(\eta(y) \leq A) \leq A$ and also $I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta, \xi)\eta(y)\mathbf{1}(\eta(y) > A) \leq \eta(y)\mathbf{1}(\eta(y) > A)$, with similar bounds for the items with ξ .

We thus obtain, moving the negative terms to the other side of the inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\|d\|^{n+\alpha}} C(m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2) \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1+1, m_2+1, k_1-1, k_2-1}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds \\ & \leq S_1 + S_2 + S_3 \quad \text{where} \\ S_1 & = \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \tilde{L}I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds, \\ S_2 & = 8A\kappa \|h\|_{\infty} \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} \tilde{E}^N \int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds \quad \text{and} \\ S_3 & = \kappa \|h\|_{\infty} \sum_{\|d'\|=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\|d'\|^{n+\alpha}} \\ & \quad \times \int_0^t \tilde{E}^N \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \sum_{\substack{y=x, x+d, \\ x-d', x+d-d'}} (\eta_s(y)\mathbf{1}(\eta_s(y) > A) + \xi_s(y)\mathbf{1}(\xi_s(y) > A)) ds. \end{aligned}$$

We now show the first and third terms vanish as $N, A \uparrow$ to finish, the term S_2 being what we would like to keep. By Lemma 4.2 and that $\xi_s \sim \nu_c$, noting $\sum_{\|d'\| \geq 1} \|d'\|^{-(n+\alpha)} <$

∞ , the term S_3 goes to zero. For the term S_1 , consider the mean-zero martingale $\tilde{M}_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(t) = I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_t, \xi_t) - I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_0, \xi_0) - \int_0^t N \tilde{L} I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds$. As $0 \leq I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d} \leq 1$, it follows that

$$\int_0^t \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \tilde{L} I_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(\eta_s, \xi_s) ds \leq \frac{1}{N^n} \sum_{|x| \leq RN} \frac{1}{N} (1 - \tilde{M}_{m_1, m_2, k_1, k_2}^{x, d}(t)).$$

Hence, the expected value $S_1 \leq C(R)/N \rightarrow 0$, as $N \uparrow \infty$, completing the proof of (A.3). $\square$

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