# Internal variables and heat conduction in non-equilibrium thermodynamics

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#### About the non-relativistic heat conduction

• Paradox of the Fourier equation: infinite speed of propagation, parabolic type equation ("a": thermal diffusivity)

$$\partial_t T = a \partial_{xx} T$$

• First modification (1958): Maxwell-Cattaneo-Vernotte (MCV) equation  $\rightarrow$  hyperbolic type, finite propagation speed  $\rightarrow$  second sound, temperature: around 1-20 K

$$T_q \partial_{tt} T + \partial_t T = a \partial_{xx} T$$

Narayanamurti et al.: Experimental proof of second sound in Bi ('74)



### Experiments I.

#### What is the heat pulse experiment?!



### Experiments II.

Beyond the phenomena of second sound  $\rightarrow$  ballistic propagation



How can it be modeled? Kinetic theory + RET: phonon hydrodynamics

### Kinetic theory - phonon hydrodynamics I.

#### $\frac{}{}$ Interactions $\rightarrow$ distributions

- Normal (N) processes: momentum is conserved
- Resistive (R) processes: momentum is not conserved
- Umklapp-processes: neither the energy, nor the momentum is conserved

#### Connection to heat conduction

- R-processes are dominant: diffusive propagation (Fourier)
- N-processes are dominant: wave propagation (MCV...)
- Ballistic propagation: heat conduction without interactions!

### Kinetic theory - phonon hydrodynamics II.

Momentum series expansion + truncation closure

$$u_{\langle i_1i_2...i_N\rangle} = \int kn_{\langle i_1...i_n\rangle} f dk.$$

$$\frac{\partial u_{\langle n \rangle}}{\partial t} + \frac{n^2}{4n^2 - 1} c \frac{\partial u_{\langle n-1 \rangle}}{\partial x} + c \frac{\partial u_{\langle n+1 \rangle}}{\partial x} = \begin{cases} 0 & n=0\\ -\frac{1}{\tau_R} u_{\langle 1 \rangle} & n=1\\ -\left(\frac{1}{\tau_R} + \frac{1}{\tau_N}\right) u_{\langle n \rangle} & 2 \le n \le N \end{cases}$$

It requires at least N=30 momentum equation to obtain the real propagation speeds. Results? See later!

### About the internal variables

- Non-equilibrium description
- Nonlocal extensions in space and time  $\rightarrow$  generalizations
  - Rheology: Kluitenberg-Verhas body
  - Dual internal variables: beyond the Newton equation
  - Wave propagation: coupling between mechanical and thermal effects
- Non-equilibrium thermodynamics  $\rightarrow$  heat conduction
  - $\bullet \ \ \text{Diffusive propagation} \rightarrow \text{Fourier}$
  - Wave propagation ("Second sound')  $\rightarrow$  Maxwell-Cattaneo-Vernotte, Guyer-Krumhansl, and so on...
  - Ballistic propagation → An unified continuum theory is missing! Propagation with speed of sound, mechanical coupling!

### Continuum theory - Generalization of heat conduction I

#### Tensorial internal variable + extended entropy current:

- $q^i$  is a basic field variable;  $Q^{ij}$  is an internal variable
- entropy density:  $s(e,q^i,Q^{ij}) = s_e(e) rac{m_1}{2}q^i \cdot q^i rac{m_2}{2}Q^{ij} \cdot Q^{ij}$
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#### Entropy production in 1 spatial dimension:

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Compatibility with kinetic theory

#### Properties of the hierarchical structure

- New quantity:  $Q^{ij} 
  ightarrow$  flux of the heat flux
- Effective model in the sense of material parameters
- Incorporates the *ballistic* effect
- Hyperbolic system:
  - finite propagation speeds
  - the existence and uniqueness of the solution is proved

#### Generalized (dimensionless) equations

- MCV:  $\tau_q \partial_{tt} T + \partial_t T = \partial_{xx} T$
- GK:  $\tau_q \partial_{tt} T + \partial_t T = \partial_{xx} T + \kappa^2 \partial_{txx} T$
- Green-Naghdi:  $\tau_q \partial_{tt} T = \partial_{xx} T + \kappa^2 \partial_{txx} T$
- Ballistic-conductive:

 $\tau_{q}\tau_{Q}\partial_{ttt}T + (\tau_{q} + \tau_{Q})\partial_{tt}T + \partial_{t}T = \partial_{xx}T + (\kappa^{2} + \tau_{Q})\partial_{txx}T$ 

### Hierarchy: Guyer-Krumhansl equation

With eliminated heat flux:

$$\tau_{q}\partial_{tt}T + \partial_{t}T = \partial_{xx}T + \kappa^{2}\partial_{txx}T$$

Fourier equation:

$$\tau_q \partial_{tt} T + \partial_t T = \partial_{xx} T + \kappa^2 \partial_{txx} T$$

Time derivative of the Fourier equation:  $au_{m{q}}=\kappa^2$ 

$$\tau_{\mathbf{q}}\partial_{tt}T + \partial_{t}T = \partial_{xx}T + \kappa^{2}\partial_{txx}T$$

Solutions when  $\tau_q \neq \kappa^2$ ? See after the experiments! Further example: rheology - hierarchy of the Hooke body...

#### Heat pulse experiments III. - NaF samples

Well-documented series of experiments...but

- The samples can be hardly distinguished (by peak thermal conductivity and sample length)
- The boundary conditions are not clear (e.g. pulse length)
- The fitted and measured material parameters → temperature dependency?!
- Cooling effect during propagation? (see the fitting...)
- Can it be simulated as 1+1D problem? (longitudinal and transverse modes, excitation...)

### The ballistic-conductive model I.

#### System of equations in *dimensionless* form:

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{\Delta} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial q}{\partial x} &= 0, \\ \tau_{q} \frac{\partial q}{\partial t} + q + \tau_{\Delta} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} + \kappa \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} &= 0, \\ \tau_{Q} \frac{\partial Q}{\partial t} + Q + \kappa \frac{\partial q}{\partial x} &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

#### Finite difference discretization

 Explicit scheme → stability conditions with von Neumann method and Jury criterion.

### The ballistic-conductive model II. - IC&BC

#### Initial conditions

All fields are zero at t=0.

#### Boundary conditions

Only for the field of heat flux  $\rightarrow$  *discretization* method!

$$q(t, x = 0) = \left\{egin{array}{c} 1 - cos(2\pi \cdot rac{t}{t_{impulse}}) & ext{if } 0 < t \leq t_{impulse} \ 0 & ext{if } t > t_{impulse} \end{array}
ight.$$



Shifted fields: One goes from x = 0to x = 1, the others shifted by  $\frac{\Delta x}{2}$ .

### The ballistic-conductive vs. RET (Dreyer-Struchtrup)

Material parameters:  $k = 13500 \frac{W}{mK}$ ,  $c = 1.8 \frac{J}{kgK}$ ,  $\rho = 2866 \frac{kg}{m^3}$ Other parameters: L = 6.3 mm  $\Delta t = 10^{-7}c$   $\tau = 10.4 \Delta t$   $\tau_0 = 2.1 \Delta t$ 

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Adiabatic boundary condition?!

#### The ballistic-conductive model vs. Y. Ma model

Complex viscosity model (Landau, Rogers...) Material parameters:  $k = 13500 \frac{W}{mK}$ ,  $c = 1.8 \frac{J}{kgK}$ ,  $\rho = 2866 \frac{kg}{m^3}$ Other parameters:

 $L = 7.9 mm, \Delta t = 0.24 \mu s, \tau_q = 0.937 \mu s, \tau_Q = 0.248 \mu s$ 



Adiabatic boundary condition?! Modify the balance equation!

#### The ballistic-conductive model - Solution

$$\partial_t e + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{q} = -\alpha (T_{wave} - T_0),$$

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Material parameters:}\\ k=10200\frac{W}{mK}, c=1.8\frac{J}{kgK}, \rho=2866\frac{kg}{m^3}\\ \tau_q=0.355\mu s, \tau_Q=0.21\mu s \text{ and } L=7.9mm, \Delta t=0.24\mu s \end{array}$ 



### The ballistic-conductive model - further solutions I.

Guyer-Krumhansl equation:

$$\tau_q \partial_{tt} T + \partial_t T = \partial_{xx} T + \kappa^2 \partial_{txx} T$$



Non-Fourier solutions... MCV-region:  $\tau_q > \kappa^2$ GK-region:  $\tau_q < \kappa^2$ On room temperature?! Inhomogeneity... EXPERIMENT!

### The ballistic-conductive model - further solutions II.



Arrangement of the measurement

### The ballistic-conductive model - further solutions III.



Measurement on room temperature, layered sample On macroscopic scale the GK equation is the relevant generalization to characterize non-Fourier heat conduction. Internal variables and heat conduction in non-equilibrium thermodynamics

## Thank you for your kind attention!