

PARTIAL REGULARITY AND BLOW-UP ASYMPTOTICS OF WEAK SOLUTIONS TO KELLER-SEGEL SYSTEMS

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Abstract

We deal with the Keller-Segel systems:

$$(KS)_m \begin{cases} \partial_t u &= \Delta u^m - \nabla \cdot (u^{q-1} \nabla v), & x \in \mathbb{R}^N, t > 0, \\ 0 &= \Delta v - \gamma v + u, & x \in \mathbb{R}^N, t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) &= u_0(x), & x \in \mathbb{R}^N \end{cases}$$

for critical case of $q = m + \frac{2}{N}$ with $N \geq 2$, $m \geq 1$, $q \geq 2$. Based on our ε -regularity theorem, we first show that the set S_u of blow-up points of the weak solution u has at most the zero-Hausdorff dimension if $u \in C_w([0, T]; L^1(\mathbb{R}^N))$. Next, we give various conditions on the weak solution u so that the set S_u consists of finitely many points. Furthermore, we obtain an explicit constant for ε in such a way that if the local concentration of mass around some point $x \in S_u$ is less than ε , then u is in fact locally bounded around x , which may be regarded as a removable singularity theorem. Simultaneously, we shall show that the solution u in $C([0, T]; L^1(\mathbb{R}^N))$ can be continued beyond $t = T$, which gives an extension criterion in the scaling invariant class associated with $(KS)_m$.