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In this paper group properties of the so-called Generalized Burnett equations are studied. In contrast to the classical Burnett equations these equations are well-posed and therefore can be used in applications. We consider the one-dimensional version of the generalized Burnett equations for Maxwell molecules in both Eulerian and Lagrangian coordinates and perform the complete group analysis of these equations. In particular, this includes finding and analyzing admitted Lie groups. Our classifications of the Lie symmetries of the Navier-Stokes equations of compressible gas and generalized Burnett equations provide a basis for finding invariant solutions of these equations. We also consider representations of all invariant solutions. Some particular classes of invariant solutions are studied in more detail by both analytical and numerical methods.

Keywords: Generalized Burnett equations; Lie group; group classification; conservation law; invariant solutions.

1. Introduction

Symmetries have always attracted the attention of scientists. One of the tools for studying symmetries is the group analysis method [14, 17, 21, 26, 27], which is a general method for constructing exact solutions of partial differential equations. It is worth to mention here that applications of the group analysis method to a wide variety of models in science (up to year 1996) were collected in [16].

The group classification of the viscous gas dynamics equations under some restrictions on the viscosity coefficients was done in [11]. The group classification of two-dimensional steady viscous gas dynamics equations for an ideal gas was done in [22]. For some models of viscous gas dynamics equations, group analysis was applied in [10]. Unsteady two-dimensional steady viscous gas dynamics equations with arbitrary state equations were studied in [23]. Many of the invariant solutions of the viscous gas dynamics equations have also been obtained by other methods [1, 2, 9, 12, 13, 30, 33].

In this paper we study symmetry properties of equations of hydrodynamics (derived from the Boltzmann equation) at the Burnett level [15, 20]. This level of description of rarefied gases is

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important because it includes, for example, physical phenomena such as dispersion of sound waves that are absent at the Navier-Stokes level. However, the well-known instability [4] of the classical Burnett equations makes these equations ill-posed and therefore practically useless for applications. There are several methods to regularize these equations (see, for example, [5, 19, 32] and references therein). In this paper we use an approach developed by one of the authors, which is based on the idea of 'infinitesimal' changes of variables. In other words, we consider the equations not for true hydrodynamic variables (density ρ^{tr} , bulk velocity \mathbf{v}^{tr} , and temperature T^{tr}), but for slightly different quantities,

$$\rho = \rho^{tr} + O(\varepsilon^2), \quad \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}^{tr} + O(\varepsilon^2), \quad T = T^{tr} + O(\varepsilon^2), \quad (1.1)$$

for which the standard notations (ρ, \mathbf{v}, T) are used. The small parameter ε denotes the Knudsen number, i.e. mean free path divided by the typical macroscopic length. It was shown in [6] that this approach leads to what are called generalized Burnett equations (GBEs). Moreover, it was proven rigorously in [7] that solutions of 'diagonal version' of these equations are more accurate (the second order approximation in Knudsen number), than the solutions of the Navier-Stokes equations (the first order of approximation) in comparison with corresponding solutions of the Boltzmann equation in the vicinity of absolute Maxwellian. Note that nothing of this kind can be proven for classical (ill-posed) Burnett equations. Therefore it definitely makes sense to study the GBEs in more detail. In particular, the investigation of the shock wave profile for the GBEs was performed in [8]. The aim of this paper is to study the group symmetry properties of the GBEs for one-dimensional flows. We shall consider below the case of Maxwell molecules since this is the only model for which the classical Burnett equations are known in fully explicit form.

This paper is organized as follows. The generalized Burnett equations are introduced and briefly discussed in Section 2. Their group properties are described in Section 3. Section 4 is devoted to invariant solutions. Some non-trivial examples of invariant solutions of the GBEs and their comparisons with invariant solutions of the NSEs are given. The group analysis of the GBEs and NSEs in Lagrangian coordinates is performed in Section 5. Comparisons of invariant solutions in Lagrangian and Eulerian coordinates are presented. Conservation laws are discussed in Section 6.

2. Generalized Burnett Equations

We consider the following set of three equations for density $\rho(x, t)$, bulk velocity $\mathbf{v}(x, t) = (v(x, t), 0, 0)$, and absolute temperature $T(x, t)$ [8]

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_t + (\rho v)_x &= 0, \\ \rho(v_t + v v_x) + (\rho T)_x + \Pi_x &= 0, \\ \frac{3}{2}\rho(T_t + v T_x) + \rho T v_x + \Pi v_x + Q_x &= 0, \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

where (x, t) are Eulerian coordinates, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$, and fluxes Π and Q are given by

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi &= -\frac{4}{3}\eta T v_x + \frac{2\eta^2}{3\rho} \left(-\frac{37}{12} \frac{T^2}{\rho} \rho_{xx} + \frac{25}{6} \frac{T^2}{\rho^2} \rho_x^2 + \frac{4}{3} T v_x^2 + 2T_x^2 - \frac{19}{6} \frac{T}{\rho} \rho_x T_x \right), \\ Q &= -\frac{15}{4}\eta T T_x + \frac{\eta^2 T}{3\rho^2} \left(\frac{317}{8} \rho T_x - \frac{5}{3} T \rho_x \right) v_x. \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

If the terms with η^2 are omitted in (2.2), then equations (2.1) correspond to the Navier-Stokes equations of compressible gas (NSEs).

As always, we set $\varepsilon = 1$ in the resulting equations. The constant positive factor η is given by

$$\eta^{-1} = \frac{3}{2} \pi \int_{-1}^1 g(\mu)(1 - \mu^2) d\mu, \quad g(\cos \theta) = |\mathbf{u}| \sigma(|\mathbf{u}|, \theta), \quad (2.3)$$

where $\sigma(|\mathbf{u}|, \theta)$ is the differential scattering cross-section for Maxwell molecules, $|\mathbf{u}|$ is the absolute value of the relative velocity of colliding particles, and $\theta \in [0, \pi]$ is the scattering angle.

Equations (1.1) for the GBEs (2.1) read as

$$\rho = \rho^{tr}, \quad \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}^{tr}, \quad T^{tr} = T - \frac{\eta^2}{2} \left(\frac{13}{18} \frac{T^2 \rho_x}{\rho^2} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{T T_x}{\rho} \right), \quad (2.4)$$

We want to make use of this relation. Our aim is to investigate group properties of the GBEs (2.1). This will be done in next two sections.

3. Admitted Lie algebra and its analysis

In this section, group properties of equations (2.1) are studied. We use the standard terminology of group analysis [26, 27], assuming that the reader is familiar with it. Readers who are mainly interested in applications of group analysis such as self-similar solutions, etc., may proceed to the next Section.

3.1. Equivalence group

The first step of the group classification of the class (2.1) is to describe the equivalence among equations from this class, up to which the group classification is carried out.

The class of equations (2.1) is parameterized by the arbitrary element η . Equivalence transformations of the class preserve the structure of its equations, but are allowed to change the arbitrary elements.

Generators of one-parameter groups of equivalence transformations [24, 27] are assumed to be in the form

$$X^e = \xi^t \partial_t + \xi^x \partial_x + \xi^\rho \partial_\rho + \xi^v \partial_v + \xi^T \partial_T + \xi^\eta \partial_\eta,$$

where all the coefficients of the generator depend on (t, x, ρ, v, T, η) .

The class of differential equations (2.1) is defined by auxiliary equations for the arbitrary elements η which are given by

$$\eta_t = 0, \quad \eta_x = 0, \quad \eta_\rho = 0, \quad \eta_v = 0, \quad \eta_T = 0.$$

For finding equivalence transformations we have used the infinitesimal criterion [27]. For this purpose the determining equations for the components of generators of one-parameter groups of equivalence transformations were derived. The solution of these determining equations gives the general form of elements of the equivalence algebra of the class (2.1). The basis elements of the equivalence

algebra of the class (2.1) are

$$\begin{aligned} X_1^e &= \partial_x, \quad X_2^e = \partial_t, \quad X_3^e = t\partial_x + \partial_v, \\ X_4^e &= x\partial_x + v\partial_v + 2T\partial_T, \quad X_5^e = t\partial_t + x\partial_x - \rho\partial_\rho, \quad X_6^e = t\partial_t + x\partial_x + \eta\partial_\eta. \end{aligned}$$

These generators define the equivalence group of equations (2.1). Because of the transformations corresponding to the generator X_6^e :

$$x' = xe^a, \quad t' = te^a, \quad \eta' = \eta e^a,$$

one can assume that $\eta = 1$ in (2.1). However, we keep η in the equations, as we also consider limits when $\eta \rightarrow 0$.

For classifying subalgebras of the admitted Lie algebra, one can use the equivalence transformation corresponding to the involution which also an equivalence transformation^a

$$x \rightarrow -x, \quad v \rightarrow -v. \quad (3.1)$$

3.2. Admitted Lie algebra

A generator admitted by equations (2.1) is considered in the form

$$X^e = \xi^t \partial_t + \xi^x \partial_x + \zeta^\rho \partial_\rho + \zeta^v \partial_v + \zeta^T \partial_T,$$

where the coefficients depend on (t, x, ρ, v, T) .

Usual calculations (see e.g. [26, 27]), which are omitted for brevity, show that the admitted Lie algebra L_5 is defined by the generators

$$\begin{aligned} X_1 &= \partial_x, \quad X_2 = \partial_t, \quad X_3 = t\partial_x + \partial_v, \\ X_4 &= x\partial_x + v\partial_v + 2T\partial_T, \quad X_5 = t\partial_t + x\partial_x - \rho\partial_\rho. \end{aligned}$$

One notices that $X_i^e = X_i$, ($i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$). This is because equations (2.1) only contain the single arbitrary element η , which is constant.

It should be mentioned that the Lie algebra L_5 coincides with the Lie algebra admitted by the Navier-Stokes equations of a compressible gas.

Using the commutator table

	X_1	X_2	X_3	X_4	X_5
X_1	0	0	0	X_1	X_1
X_2	0	0	X_1	0	X_2
X_3	0	$-X_1$	0	X_3	0
X_4	$-X_1$	0	$-X_3$	0	0
X_5	$-X_1$	$-X_2$	0	0	0

^aThe transformation $t \rightarrow -t$, $v \rightarrow -v$, $\eta \rightarrow -\eta$ does not change the structure of equations (2.1) either.

one finds the automorphisms

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 : \quad \bar{x}_1 &= x_1 + a(x_4 + x_5), \\ A_2 : \quad \bar{x}_1 &= x_1 + ax_3, \quad \bar{x}_2 = x_2 + ax_5, \\ A_3 : \quad \bar{x}_1 &= x_1 - ax_2, \quad \bar{x}_3 = x_3 + ax_4, \\ A_4 : \quad \bar{x}_1 &= e^a x_1, \quad \bar{x}_3 = e^a x_3, \\ A_5 : \quad \bar{x}_1 &= e^a x_1, \quad \bar{x}_2 = e^a x_2, \end{aligned}$$

where only the changeable coordinates are presented. Involution (3.1) gives the automorphism

$$\bar{x}_1 = -x_1, \quad \bar{x}_3 = -x_3.$$

For high-dimensional Lie algebras one can use a two-step algorithm [28]. This algorithm reduces the problem of constructing an optimal system of subalgebras with high dimensions to a problem with low dimensions.

According to the theory of the group analysis method [27], all invariant solutions split into classes of equivalent solutions. The equivalence is considered with respect to the admitted Lie group corresponding to the Lie algebra L_5 . For finding representatives of these classes one can use an optimal system of the subalgebras of the admitted Lie algebra L_5 [27].

The Lie algebra L_5 can be presented as the direct sum $L_5 = L_2 \oplus I_3$ of the subalgebra $L_2 = \{X_4, X_5\}$ and the ideal $I_3 = \{X_1, X_2, X_3\}$. First one constructs the optimal system of subalgebras of the subalgebra L_2 . As the Lie algebra L_2 is Abelian, its classification is trivial: an optimal system of one-dimensional subalgebras of the Lie algebra L_2 consists of the subalgebras

$$\{X_5 + \alpha X_4\}, \{X_4\}, \{0\}. \quad (3.2)$$

Here $\{0\}$ is included in the list for subalgebras which do not include the generators from the Lie algebra L_2 . The second step consists of joining the ideal I_3 : each of the elements from the list (3.2) is extended by generators from the ideal I_3 using their stabilizer. Finally the optimal system of one-dimensional subalgebras consists of the subalgebras:

$$\begin{aligned} \{X_5 + \alpha X_4\}, \{X_4 + \varepsilon X_2\}, \{X_5 - X_4 - X_1\}, \{X_5 + X_3\}, \\ \{X_2 + X_3\}, \{X_2\}, \{X_4\}, \{X_3\}, \{X_1\}, \end{aligned}$$

where $\varepsilon = \pm 1$, and α is an arbitrary constant.

4. Representations of invariant solutions

For finding invariant solutions one needs to choose a subalgebra from the optimal system of subalgebras of the admitted Lie algebra (see e.g. [27] for details). Then one finds all functionally independent invariants of the subalgebra. Setting the invariants for which the rank of the Jacobi matrix is equal to the number of the dependent variables by functions of the other invariants, one constructs a representation of a solution invariant with respect to the chosen subalgebra. Substituting the representation of the invariant solution into the original system, one derives a reduced system of equations. Notice that the reduced system of equations has fewer independent variables. Representations of all invariant solutions are presented in Table 1.

Consider, for example, the subalgebra with the basis generator

$$X_5 + \alpha X_4 = (\alpha + 1)x\partial_x + t\partial_t - \rho\partial_\rho + \alpha v\partial_v + 2\alpha T\partial_T.$$

For finding invariants $J(x, t, \rho, v, T)$ one should solve the equation

$$(X_5 + \alpha X_4)J = 0.$$

A set of functionally independent solutions of the latter equation can be chosen as follows,

$$z = xt^{-(\alpha+1)}, \quad \rho t, \quad vt^{-\alpha}, \quad Tt^{-2\alpha}.$$

A representation of the invariant solution is

$$\rho = t^{-1}R(z), \quad v = t^\alpha V(z), \quad T = t^{2\alpha}Q(z).$$

Substituting this representation into equations (2.1), one obtains a system of ordinary differential equations. Because for the GBEs equations these ordinary differential equations are cumbersome, we only present them for the Navier-Stokes equations of compressible gas

$$\begin{aligned} R'(V - (\alpha + 1)z) + R(V' - 1) &= 0, \\ 3R'Q + Q'(3R - 4\eta V') - 4\eta V''Q + 3V'R(V - (\alpha + 1)z) + 3\alpha RV &= 0, \\ 45\eta(Q''Q + Q'^2) - 18Q'R(V - (\alpha + 1)z) + 4Q(4\eta V'^2 - 3V'R - 9\alpha R) &= 0. \end{aligned} \quad (4.1)$$

Solutions of equations (4.1) and the reduced equations of the GBEs were constructed numerically by a six-th order Runge-Kutta scheme. For testing the code, we used solutions of these systems with $V = z$ and $\alpha \neq 0$.

The equation of conservation of mass gives that $R' = 0$, for example, $R = q_1$, where q_1 is constant. Hence, we have only one unknown function $Q(z)$ and two free parameters q_1 and α . Note that equations (2.1) in the limiting case $\eta = 0$ become the usual Euler equations for monoatomic ideal gas. Equations (4.1) for $\eta = 0$ and the above assumptions lead to

$$Q'q_1 = 0, \quad Q(1 + 3\alpha)q_1 = 0.$$

Thus we have two options:

(a) non-trivial limit with

$$Q = q_2 > 0, \quad q_1 > 0, \quad \alpha = -1/3, \quad (4.2)$$

where q_2 is constant;

(b) trivial limit with $Q = 0$ or/and $q_1 = 0$. Note that the non-trivial limit corresponds to adiabatic solution of the Euler gas dynamic equations

$$\rho = q_1/t, \quad v = x/t, \quad T = q_2t^{-2/3}, \quad (4.3)$$

which has clear physical meaning of one-dimensional spatially homogeneous expansion of gas in the whole space. This information is important because we will consider below two different classes of solutions to the NSEs and GBEs.

Case of the NSEs. The remaining equations of the reduced system become

$$Q'(3q_1 - 4\eta) = 0, \quad (4.4)$$

$$45Q''\eta Q + 45Q'^2\eta + 18Q'\alpha q_1 z + 4Q(4\eta - 3(3\alpha + 1)q_1) = 0 \quad (4.5)$$

If $Q' = 0$, for example, $Q = q_2$, then equation (4.5) gives that

$$3(3\alpha + 1)q_1 = 4\eta.$$

Then we have two options. If we want to have the non-trivial limit (4.2) at $\eta = 0$, we just define a new value of the exponent α

$$\alpha = -\frac{1}{3} + \frac{4\eta}{9q_1},$$

considering $Q = q_2$ and q_1 as free parameters. We denote this solution by $Q_{NSE} = q_2$. Alternatively we can choose to have a trivial limit at $\eta = 0$, then we obtain

$$q_1 = \frac{4\eta}{3(3\alpha + 1)},$$

considering α as a free parameter. Similarly, the case of non-zero $Q'(z)$ in (9), (10) also leads to trivial limit at $\eta = 0$.

If $Q' \neq 0$, then

$$q_1 = \frac{4\eta}{3},$$

and equation (4.5) becomes

$$15(QQ')' + 8\alpha(Q'z - 2Q) = 0.$$

Note that solutions which have trivial limit at $\eta = 0$ can be also used as tests for computer codes and numerical methods.

Case of the GBEs. The remaining equations of the reduced system become

$$Q'(24Q''\eta^2 + 8\eta^2 - 12\eta q_1 + 9q_1^2) = 0 \quad (4.6)$$

$$3Q''\eta Q(317\eta - 90q_1) + 3Q'^2\eta(349\eta - 90q_1) - 108Q'\alpha q_1^2 z + 8Q(27\alpha q_1^2 + 8\eta^2 - 12\eta q_1 + 9q_1^2) = 0 \quad (4.7)$$

If $Q = q_2$, then equation (4.7) gives that

$$\alpha = -\frac{8\eta^2 - 12\eta q_1 + 9q_1^2}{27q_1^2}. \quad (4.8)$$

We denote this solution by $Q_{GBE} = q_2$. This value of α with free parameters q_1 and $Q = q_2$ corresponds to solution of the GBEs, having the non-trivial limit (4.2) at $\eta = 0$. Other solutions of (4.6), (4.7) have trivial limit at $\eta = 0$. We present here an explicit example of such solution.

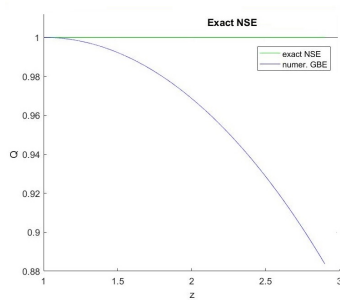


Fig. 1. The numerical solution of Q of the NSEs with $\alpha = -1.852$ coincides with exact constant solution Q_{NSE} .

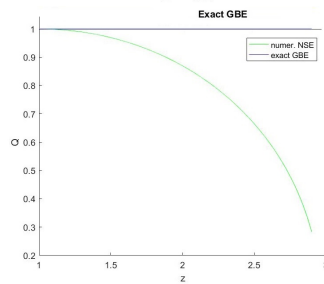


Fig. 2. The numerical solution of Q of the GBEs with $\alpha = -1.852$ coincides with exact constant solution Q_{GBE} .

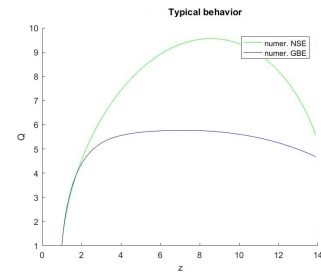


Fig. 3. The numerical solution of Q of equations (4.1) with $\alpha = -1.852$, $Q(.5) = 1$, $R(.5) = 1$, $Q'(.5) = 10$, $R'(.5) = -5$, $v(.5) = .5$.

If $Q' \neq 0$, then finding Q'' from equation (4.6), integrating it, and substituting into (4.7), one finds that

$$q_1 = \frac{317}{90}\eta, \quad \alpha = -\frac{69649}{301467},$$

and $Q = q_2 - \frac{69649}{43200}z^2$, where $q_2 = Q(0)$ is a free parameter. Notice that α in this case also satisfies relation (4.8).

Numerical solutions of Q of system (4.1) for the NSEs and GBEs are presented in Figures 1–3. For testing the code we used exact solutions obtained above with $V(z) = z$. Figures 1–2 demonstrate a good agreement of numerical solutions with exact solutions. In Fig. 1 the exact solution is for the NSEs (Q_{NSE}), and in Fig. 2 the exact solution is for the GBEs (Q_{GBE}). Fig. 3 presents the numerical solution Q of equations (4.1) for the NSEs and GBEs with the following initial data: $Q(.5) = 1$, $R(.5) = 1$, $Q'(.5) = 10$, $R'(.5) = -5$, $v(.5) = .5$. In all these cases the parameter $\alpha = -1.852$.

	Generator	ρ	v	T	z
1.	$X_5 + \alpha X_4$,	$t^{-1}R(z)$,	$t^\alpha V(z)$,	$t^{2\alpha}Q(z)$,	$xt^{-(\alpha+1)}$
2.	$X_4 + \varepsilon X_2$,	$R(z)$,	$e^{\varepsilon t}V(z)$,	$e^{2\varepsilon t}Q(z)$,	$xe^{-\varepsilon t}$
3.	$X_5 - X_4 - X_1$,	$t^{-1}R(z)$,	$t^{-1}V(z)$,	$t^{-2}Q(z)$,	$x + \ln t$
4.	$X_5 + X_3$,	$t^{-1}R(z)$,	$\ln t + V(z)$,	$Q(z)$,	$\frac{x}{t} - \ln t$
5.	$X_2 + X_3$,	$R(z)$,	$t + V(z)$,	$Q(z)$,	$x - \frac{1}{2}t^2$
6.	X_2 ,	$R(x)$,	$V(x)$,	$Q(x)$,	x
7.	X_4 ,	$R(t)$,	$xV(t)$,	$x^2Q(t)$,	t
8.	X_3 ,	$R(t)$,	$\frac{x}{t} + V(t)$,	$Q(t)$,	t
9.	X_1 ,	$R(t)$,	$V(t)$,	$Q(t)$,	t

Table 1. Representations of all invariant solutions.

Remark. Solutions of the travelling wave type were applied in [8] for studying the structure of a shock wave. This type of solution is equivalent to the solution invariant with respect to the generator X_2 , which corresponds to the set of stationary solutions. The conservative form of equations (2.1) provides three integrals of equations (2.1).

5. Analysis of equations (2.1) in Lagrangian coordinates

The Eulerian (x, t) and mass Lagrangian (ξ, t) coordinates are related by the relation $x = \varphi(\xi, t)$, where the function φ satisfies the equations

$$\varphi_t(\xi, t) = v(\varphi(\xi, t), t), \quad \varphi_\xi(\xi, t) = \rho^{-1}(\varphi(\xi, t), t).$$

In the mass Lagrangian coordinates (ξ, t) equations (2.1) take the form

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^{-2} \rho_t + v_\xi &= 0, \\ v_t + (\rho T + \Pi)_\xi &= 0, \\ \frac{3}{2} T_t + \rho T v_\xi + \Pi v_\xi + Q_\xi &= 0, \end{aligned} \quad (5.1)$$

where

$$\Pi = -\frac{4}{3} v_\xi \rho T + \frac{2}{3} \eta^2 S_1, \quad Q = -\frac{15}{4} \eta \rho T T_\xi + \frac{1}{3} \eta^2 T S_2,$$

$$S_1 = 2T_\xi^2 \rho - \frac{19}{6} \rho_\xi T_\xi T - 2\rho^{-1} \rho_\xi^2 T^2 - \frac{37}{12} \rho_{\xi\xi} T^2 + \frac{4}{3} v_\xi^2 \rho T,$$

$$S_2 = v_\xi \left(\frac{317}{8} T_\xi \rho - \frac{5}{3} \rho_\xi T \right).$$

5.1. Admitted Lie group

As the transition to the Lagrangian coordinates is not a point transformation, group analysis of these equations has to be performed independently of their representations in Eulerian coordinates. In particular, group classification of the admitted Lie algebra and invariant solutions of equations (2.1) in mass Lagrangian coordinates are obtained in this section.

Calculations show that the admitted Lie algebra L_5^2 is defined by the generators

$$Y_1 = \partial_\xi, \quad Y_2 = \partial_t, \quad Y_3 = \partial_v,$$

$$Y_4 = \xi \partial_\xi + v \partial_v + 2T \partial_T, \quad Y_5 = t \partial_t - \rho \partial_\rho.$$

The commutator table is

	Y_1	Y_2	Y_3	Y_4	Y_5
Y_1	0	0	0	Y_1	0
Y_2	0	0	0	0	Y_2
Y_3	0	0	0	Y_3	0
Y_4	$-Y_1$	0	$-Y_3$	0	0
Y_5	0	$-Y_2$	0	0	0

while the automorphisms are

$$\begin{aligned} A_1: \quad \bar{y}_1 &= y_1 + ay_4, \\ A_2: \quad \bar{y}_2 &= y_2 + ay_5, \\ A_3: \quad \bar{y}_3 &= y_3 + ay_4, \\ A_4: \quad \bar{y}_1 &= e^a y_1, \quad \bar{y}_3 = e^a y_3, \\ A_5: \quad \bar{y}_2 &= e^a y_2 \end{aligned}$$

There is also the involution^b

$$\xi \rightarrow -\xi, \quad v \rightarrow -v,$$

which provides the automorphism $y_1 \rightarrow -y_1$.

On the first step one classifies the subalgebra $L_2 = \{Y_4, Y_5\}$ which is Abelian

$$\{Y_4 + \alpha Y_5\}, \{Y_5\}, \{0\}. \quad (5.2)$$

Hence, the optimal system of one-dimensional subalgebras of Lie algebra L_5^2 consists of the subalgebras

$$\begin{aligned} \{Y_4 + \alpha Y_5\}_{\alpha \neq 0}, \quad \{Y_4 + \varepsilon Y_2\}, \quad \{Y_4\}, \quad \{Y_5 + Y_1 + \alpha Y_3\}, \quad \{Y_1 + Y_2 + \alpha Y_3\}, \\ \{Y_5 + \varepsilon Y_3\}, \quad \{Y_5\}, \quad \{Y_2 + \varepsilon Y_3\}, \quad \{Y_2\}, \quad \{Y_1 + \alpha Y_3\}, \quad \{Y_3\}. \end{aligned}$$

Representations of all invariant solutions are presented in Table 2. Notice that there are no solutions invariant with respect to Y_3 .

5.2. Relations between invariant solutions in Lagrangian and Eulerian coordinates

Consider the generator

$$Y_4 + \alpha Y_5 = \alpha \xi \partial_\xi + t \partial_t + \alpha v \partial_v + 2\alpha T \partial_T - \rho \partial_\rho.$$

It has the invariants

$$y = \xi t^{-\alpha}, \quad t\rho, \quad vt^{-\alpha}, \quad Tt^{-2\alpha}.$$

A representation of the invariant solution has the form

$$\rho = t^{-1}R(y), \quad v = t^\alpha V(y), \quad T = t^{2\alpha}Q(y).$$

Hence, the Lagrangian and Eulerian coordinates are related by the formula

$$\varphi_\xi(\xi, t) = tR^{-1}(\xi t^{-\alpha}), \quad \varphi_t(\xi, t) = t^\alpha V(\xi t^{-\alpha}). \quad (5.3)$$

Integrating the first equation of (5.3), one has that

$$\varphi = t^{\alpha+1}\hat{R} + h,$$

^bThere is also the involution $t \rightarrow -t, \quad v \rightarrow -v \quad \eta \rightarrow -\eta$.

where $\hat{R}'(y) = R^{-1}(y)$, and $h(t)$ is an arbitrary function of the integration. Substitution into the second equation of (5.3) gives that

$$t^\alpha V = (\alpha + 1)t^\alpha \hat{R} - \alpha \xi R^{-1} + h',$$

which can be rewritten in the form

$$t^\alpha (V - (\alpha + 1)\hat{R} + \alpha y R^{-1}) = h'.$$

Thus, one obtains that

$$V - (\alpha + 1)\hat{R} + \alpha y R^{-1} = k,$$

and

$$h' = kt^\alpha,$$

where k is constant. Because of the equivalence transformation related with the shift of x , the function h can be found up to an arbitrary constant.

If $\alpha + 1 = 0$, then $h = k \ln(t) + k_0$, where the constant k_0 can be assumed $k_0 = 0$. Hence, one obtains that

$$x - k \ln(t) = \hat{R}.$$

Using the inverse function theorem, one obtains that

$$\xi t^{-1} = F(z),$$

for some function F , where $z = x - k \ln(t)$. This gives that

$$\rho = t^{-1} \tilde{R}(z), \quad v = t^{-1} \tilde{V}(z), \quad T = t^{-2} \tilde{Q}(z).$$

This is a representation of a solution invariant with respect to the subalgebra $X_5 - X_4 + kX_1$, which is similar to the subalgebra number 3 in Table 1.

If $\alpha + 1 \neq 0$, then $h = k \frac{1}{\alpha+1} t^{\alpha+1} + k_0$. Hence,

$$x - \frac{1}{\alpha+1} kt^{\alpha+1} = t^{\alpha+1} \hat{R}$$

or

$$xt^{-(\alpha+1)} = \hat{R} + \frac{1}{\alpha+1} k.$$

Using the inverse function theorem, one obtains that

$$\xi t^{-\alpha} = F(z)$$

for some function F , where $z = xt^{-(\alpha+1)}$. This gives that

$$\rho = t^{-1} \tilde{R}(z), \quad v = t^{-1} \tilde{V}(z), \quad T = t^{-2} \tilde{Q}(z).$$

This is a representation of a solution invariant with respect to the subalgebra $X_5 + \alpha X_4$, which is number 1 in Table 1.

Representations of all invariant solutions are given in Table 2. Their equivalence with invariant solutions in Eulerian coordinates is presented in the last column of Table 2.

	Generator	ρ	v	T	z	Tab.1
1.	$Y_4 + \alpha Y_5,$	$t^{-1}R(z),$	$t^\alpha V(z),$	$t^{2\alpha}Q(z),$	$\xi t^{-\alpha}$	$\alpha = -1: X_5 - X_4 + X_1$ $\alpha \neq -1: X_5 + \alpha X_4$
2.	$Y_4 + \varepsilon Y_2$	R	ξV	$\xi^2 Q$	$\xi e^{-\varepsilon t}$	$X_4 + \varepsilon X_2$
3.	$Y_5 + Y_1 + \alpha Y_3,$	$t^{-1}R(z),$	$V(z) + \alpha \ln t,$	$Q(z),$	$\xi - \ln t$	$X_5 + \alpha X_3$
4.	$Y_1 + Y_2 + \alpha Y_3,$	$R(z),$	$V(z) + \alpha t,$	$Q(z),$	$\xi - t$	$X_2 + \alpha X_3$
5.	$Y_5 + \varepsilon Y_3,$	$t^{-1}R(z),$	$V(z) + \varepsilon \ln t$	$Q(z),$	ξ	$X_5 + X_3$
6.	$Y_5,$	$t^{-1}R(z),$	$V(z),$	$Q(z),$	ξ	X_5
7.	$Y_2 + \varepsilon Y_3,$	$R(\xi),$	$V(\xi) + \varepsilon t,$	$Q(\xi),$	ξ	$X_2 + \varepsilon X_3$
8.	$Y_2,$	$R(\xi),$	$V(\xi),$	$Q(\xi),$	ξ	X_2
9.	$Y_1 + \alpha Y_3,$	$R(t),$	$V(t) + \alpha \xi,$	$Q(t),$	t	$X_1 _{\alpha=0}; X_3 _{\alpha \neq 0}$
10.	Y_4	R	ξV	$\xi^2 Q$	t	X_4

Table 2. Representations of all invariant solutions.

6. Conservation laws

6.1. Eulerian coordinates

In conservative form equations (2.1) are rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_t + (\rho v)_x &= 0, \\ (\rho v)_t + (\rho(T + v^2) + \Pi)_x &= 0, \\ (\rho(3T + v^2))_t + (\rho v(5T + v^2) + 2(\Pi v + Q))_x &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

The general form of a conservation law is

$$D_t B^t + D_x B^x = 0, \quad (6.1)$$

where the functions B^t and B^x depend on the independent and dependent variables, and the derivatives of the dependent variables with respect to the independent variables up to some order.

Conservation laws provide information on the basic properties of solutions of differential equations, and they are also needed in the analyses of stability and global behavior of solutions. Noether's theorem [25] is the tool which relates symmetries and conservation laws. However, an application of Noether's theorem depends on the following condition: that the differential equations under consideration can be rewritten as Euler-Lagrange equations using some Lagrangian. Among approaches trying to overcome this limitation one can mention here the approaches developed in [3, 18, 29, 31]^c.

In the present paper we use the method applied in [31]. The method consists of substituting the functions B^t and B^x in general form into equation (6.1). Excluding the main derivatives of system (2.1), and splitting it with respect to the parametric derivatives, one derives an overdetermined system of linear partial differential equations for the functions B^t and B^x . The general solution of this system of equations provides the complete set of conservation laws.

^cTherein one can find more details and references.

The calculations show that the Navier-Stokes equations of a compressible gas only have one additional conservation law

$$B_i^t = \rho(x - tv), \quad B_i^x = \rho(xv - t(T + v^2)) + \frac{4}{3}\eta t T v_x.$$

This conservation law can be written in the form

$$B_i^t = \rho(x - tv), \quad B_i^x = x\rho v - t(\rho(T + v^2) + \Pi). \quad (6.2)$$

This conservation law in inviscid gas dynamics is called the conservation law of the center of mass. One can check directly that the (B_i^t, B_i^x) also provide densities of a conservation law for the GBEs.

6.2. Lagrangian coordinates

The conservation laws in Eulerian and mass Lagrangian coordinates are related by the formula

$$D_t B_L^t + D_\xi B_L^\xi = \varphi_\xi \left(D_x(\rho v B^t + B^x) + D_t^L(\rho B^t) \right),$$

where D_t and D_ξ are the operators of the total derivative in Lagrangian coordinates, D_t^E and D_x are the operators of the total derivative in Eulerian coordinates. Thus, the relations between coordinates of the conserved vectors in Eulerian and mass Lagrangian coordinates are

$$B_L^t = \rho^{-1} B^t, \quad B_L^\xi = B^x - v B^t. \quad (6.3)$$

The conservation of mass becomes the identity in mass Lagrangian coordinates. The conservation laws of the momentum and energy become, respectively,

$$v_t + (\rho T + \Pi)_\xi = 0,$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (3T + v^2)_t + \left(\frac{1}{2} \rho v (7T + v^2) + \Pi v + Q \right)_\xi = 0.$$

The conservation law of the center of mass is reduced to the conservation law of momentum.

7. Conclusions

In this paper we have studied group properties of the so-called Generalized Burnett equations. These equations are well-posed in contrast with the classical Burnett equations, and therefore, are used in various applied problems of rarefied gas dynamics. We considered the one-dimensional version of the GBEs in both Eulerian and Lagrangian coordinates and performed a complete group analysis of these equations. In particular, this includes finding admitted Lie groups and their analysis. The presented classifications of the Lie symmetries of the NSEs and the GBEs provides a basis for finding invariant solutions of these equations. Such solutions can be used for testing numerical schemes for these models. We also considered representations of all invariant solutions. As expected, the complete Lie group and the set of conservation laws are similar for the GBEs and for NSEs. However, there are important differences if we consider some concrete invariant solutions. On one hand, the GBEs are the more accurate equations with respect to the Knudsen number. On the other hand, they contain higher order derivatives and can therefore admit some non-physical solutions. Some classes

of invariant solutions were considered in more detail by both analytical and numerical methods. It was shown, in particular, that the GBEs admit two different classes of solutions that can have (a) non-trivial or (b) trivial limits when the mean free path of gas molecule tends to zero. In case (a) the solution tends to the corresponding solution of Euler gas dynamics equations. In case (b) the density of gas tends to zero. This is a natural phenomenon, which shows that higher order PDEs can introduce some ‘spurious’ solutions, which can be removed by boundary conditions, etc. This and other questions related to the GBEs need further investigation and we plan to continue this work.

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