

Séminaires EDP de l'ERC ReaDi

Equations de réaction-diffusion, propagation et modélisation
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Onzième séance : **jeudi 14 avril à 11h00**
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Titre : **Mathematical analysis of a three component chemotactic system**

Résumé : We consider an initial-boundary value problem describing the formation of colony patterns of bacteria *Escherichia coli*. This model consists of reaction-diffusion equations coupled with the Keller-Segel system from the chemotaxis theory in the space-time domain $\Omega \times (0, \infty)$, where Ω is a bounded domain of \mathbb{R}^d with a sufficiently smooth boundary $\partial\Omega$. More precisely, we study the problem

$$\begin{cases} u_t = \Delta u - \nabla \cdot (u \nabla \chi(c)) + g(u)nu - b(n)u & \text{in } \Omega \times (0, \infty), \\ c_t = d_c \Delta c + \alpha u - \beta c & \text{in } \Omega \times (0, \infty), \\ n_t = d_n \Delta n - \gamma g(u)nu & \text{in } \Omega \times (0, \infty), \\ w_t = b(n)u & \text{in } \Omega \times (0, \infty). \end{cases}$$

We supplement these equations with the Neumann boundary conditions

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial \nu} = \frac{\partial c}{\partial \nu} = \frac{\partial n}{\partial \nu} = 0 \quad \text{for } x \in \partial\Omega \quad \text{and } t > 0$$

as well as with nonnegative initial data

$$u(x, 0) = u_0(x), \quad c(x, 0) = c_0(x), \quad n(x, 0) = n_0(x), \quad w(x, 0) = w_0(x) \quad \text{for } x \in \Omega.$$

Here $u(x, t)$ denotes the density of active bacteria, $w(x, t)$ the density of inactive bacteria, $n(x, t)$ the density of nutrient and $c(x, t)$ the concentration of chemoattractant. We remark that the first three equations are closed for u, c and n and that if these are solved, then w can be obtained from u and n . We answer questions about the global in time existence of solutions as well as on their large time behavior. Moreover, we show that the solutions of a related model may blow up in finite time.

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