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Global Existence for Two Singular One-Dimensional Nonlinear Viscoelastic Equations with respect to Distributed Delay Term

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In this current work, we are interested in a system of two singular one-dimensional nonlinear equations with a viscoelastic, general source and distributed delay terms. The existence of a global solution is established by the theory of potential well, and by using the energy method with the function of Lyapunov, we prove the general decay result of our system.

1. Introduction

We are interested in the following system:

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - \frac{1}{x}(xu_x)_x + \int_0^t g_1(t-s) \frac{1}{x}(xu_x(x,s))_x ds + \mu_1 u_t \\ + \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\rho)| u_t(x, t-\rho) d\rho = f_1(u, v), \text{ in } Q, \\ v_{tt} - \frac{1}{x}(xv_x)_x + \int_0^t g_2(t-s) \frac{1}{x}(xv_x(x,s))_x ds + \mu_3 v_t \\ + \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\rho)| v_t(x, t-\rho) d\rho = f_2(u, v), \text{ in } Q, \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

with

$$\begin{cases} u(x, 0) = u_0(x), u_t(x, 0) = u_1(x), x \in (0, L), \\ v(x, 0) = v_0(x), v_t(x, 0) = v_1(x), x \in (0, L), \\ u_t(x, -t) = f_0(x, t), v_t(x, -t) = g_0(x, t), t \in (0, \tau_2), \\ u(L, t) = v(L, t) = 0, \int_0^L xu(x, t) dx = \int_0^L xv(x, t) dx = 0, \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

where $Q = (0, L) \times (0, T)$, $L < \infty$, $T < \infty$, $g_1(\cdot)$, $g_2(\cdot): \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$, $\mu_1, \mu_3 > 0$, the second integral represents the distributed delay and $\mu_2, \mu_4: [\tau_1, \tau_2] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are bounded functions, where τ_1, τ_2 are two real numbers satisfying $0 \leq \tau_1 < \tau_2$, and $f_1(\cdot, \cdot)$, $f_2(\cdot, \cdot): \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are defined functions later.

Three decades ago, these problems that arise in one-dimensional elasticity have been studied and developed with regard to viscosity with long-term memory. And it has been studied in many fields of science, engineering, medical sciences, and chemistry, as well as population and other matters; see, for example, [1–24]. Recently, in the absence of delay ($\mu_i = 0, i = 1..4$), problem (1) was studied in [25], and also later in [26], the authors considered problem (1) with localized frictional damping term. We also know that delay, especially distributed delay, is a phenomenon in our life and is almost found in various fields, and its inclusion in any problem makes it more important. The distributed delay in many works has been studied and many authors have taken care of it, for example, [5, 9, 27, 28]. Based on all this and the results of the research papers [14, 15, 17, 28–30, 31], the introduction of the term distributed delay as

a damping mechanism in problem (1) makes it a new problem from what has been previously studied.

And we have divided this paper into the following. We present in the second section the definitions, basics, and theories of function spaces that are required throughout the rest of the paper. In Section 3, we present the energy function while proving to be decreasing. And in the final section, the general decay is obtained by applying the energy method and the function of Lyapunov.

2. Preliminaries

Let $L_x^p = L_x^p((0, L))$ be the weighted Banach space equipped with the norm

$$\|u\|_{L_x^p} = \left(\int_0^L x|u|^p dx \right)^{1/p}, \quad (3)$$

$H = L_x^2((0, L))$ be the Hilbert space of square integral functions having the finite norm

$$\|u\|_H = \left(\int_0^L xu^2 dx \right)^{1/2}, \quad (4)$$

and $K = L_x^2((0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (\tau_1, \tau_2))$ be the Hilbert space equipped with the norm

$$\|z\|_{K, \mu_2} = \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\rho)| \|z\|_H d\rho d\rho. \quad (5)$$

$V = V_x^1$ is the Hilbert space equipped with the norm

$$\|u\|_V = (\|u\|_H^2 + \|u_x\|_H^2)^{1/2}, \quad (6)$$

$$V_0 = \{u \in V \text{ such that } u(L) = 0\}. \quad (7)$$

Theorem 1 [27]. For $2 < p < 4$ and $\forall v$ in V_0 , we have

$$\int_0^L x|v|^p dx \leq C_* \|v_x\|_{H=L_x^2(0,L)}^p, \quad (8)$$

where C_* is a constant depending on L and p only.

As in [18], introducing the new variables

$$\begin{cases} z(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = u_t(x, t - \mathbf{Q}\rho), \\ y(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = v_t(x, t - \mathbf{Q}\rho), \end{cases} \quad (9)$$

yields

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{Q}z_t(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) + z_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = 0, \\ z(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t) = u_t(x, t), \\ \mathbf{Q}y_t(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) + y_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = 0, \\ y(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t) = v_t(x, t). \end{cases} \quad (10)$$

Problem (1) arrives at

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - \frac{1}{x}(xu_x)_x + \int_0^t g_1(t-s) \frac{1}{x}(xu_x(x, s))_x ds + \mu_1 u_t \\ + \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| u_t(x, t - \mathbf{Q}) d\mathbf{Q} = f_1(u, v), \\ v_{tt} - \frac{1}{x}(xv_x)_x + \int_0^t g_2(t-s) \frac{1}{x}(xv_x(x, s))_x ds + \mu_3 v_t \\ + \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| v_t(x, t - \mathbf{Q}) d\mathbf{Q} = f_2(u, v), \\ \mathbf{Q}z_t(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) + z_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = 0, \\ \mathbf{Q}y_t(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) + y_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) = 0, \end{cases} \quad (11)$$

where

$$(x, \rho, s, t) \in (0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (\tau_1, \tau_2) \times (0, \infty). \quad (12)$$

With the initial data and boundary conditions

$$\begin{cases} (u(x, 0), v(x, 0)) = (u_0(x), v_0(x)), \text{ in } (0, L), \\ (u_t(x, 0), v_t(x, 0)) = (u_1(x), v_1(x)), \text{ in } (0, L), \\ (u_t(x, -t), v_t(x, -t)) = (f_0(x, t), g_0(x, t)), \text{ in } (0, L) \times (0, \tau_2), \\ u(0, t) = u(L, t) = v(0, t) = v(L, t) = 0, \\ z(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, 0) = f_0(x, \rho\mathbf{Q}), \text{ in } (0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (0, \tau_2), \\ y(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, 0) = g_0(x, \rho\mathbf{Q}), \\ u(L, t) = v(L, t) = 0, \int_0^L xu(x, t) dx = \int_0^L xv(x, t) dx = 0. \end{cases} \quad (13)$$

We have the following assumptions:

(G1) $g_i(t): \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ are C^1 , nonincreasing functions satisfying

$$\begin{cases} g_i(s) \geq 0, \quad g_i'(s) \leq 0, \\ g_i(0) > 0, \quad 1 - \int_0^\infty g_i(s) ds = l_i > 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

(G2) $\exists \xi(t) > 0$ a differentiable function, such that

$$g_i'(t) \leq -\xi(t)g_i^\sigma(t), \quad i = 1, 2, t \geq 0, 1 \leq \sigma < \frac{3}{2}, \quad (15)$$

and $\xi(t)$ satisfies for some $l < 1$

$$\xi'(t) \leq 0, \quad \left| \frac{\xi'(t)}{\xi(t)} \right| \leq l, \quad \int_0^\infty \xi(s) ds = +\infty, \quad \forall t > 0. \quad (16)$$

And also, where $1 < \sigma < 3/2$, $\forall t_0 > 0$ fixed, $\exists C_\sigma(\sigma) > 0$, such that

$$\frac{t}{\left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds\right)^{1/(2(\sigma-1))}} \leq C_\sigma, \quad \forall t \geq t_0. \quad (17)$$

(G3) we take

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(u, v) &= a|u + v|^{2(r+1)}(u + v) + b|u|^r u |v|^{r+2}, \\ f_2(u, v) &= a|u + v|^{2(r+1)}(u + v) + b|v|^r v |u|^{r+2}, \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

where $a, b > 0$ and $r > -1$.

We have

$$u f_1(u, v) + v f_2(u, v) = 2(r + 2)F(u, v), \forall (u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad (19)$$

where

$$F(u, v) = \frac{1}{2(r + 2)} \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right]. \quad (20)$$

(G4) $\mu_2, \mu_4 : [\tau_1, \tau_2] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ satisfying

$$\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\varrho)| d\varrho < \mu_1, \quad (21)$$

$$\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\varrho)| d\varrho < \mu_3. \quad (22)$$

Theorem 2. Assume (14) and $p < 3$. Then, $\forall (u_0, v_0) \in V_0^2$, $(v_1, v_2) \in H^2$ and $(f_0, g_0) \in K^2$ problem (1) has a unique local solution

$$(u, v, z, y) \in C(0, t_*; V_0^2 \times K^2) \cap C^1(0, t_*; H^2 \times K^2), \quad (23)$$

for $t_* > 0$ small enough.

Lemma 3. For $r > -1$, $\exists \eta > 0$ such that $\forall u, v \in V \cap V_0(0, L)$, we have

$$\|u + v\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}}^{2(r+2)} + 2\|uv\|_{L_x^{(r+2)}}^{(r+2)} \leq \eta(L_1 \|u_x\|_H^2 + L_2 \|v_x\|_H^2)^{r+2}. \quad (24)$$

Proof. It is clear that by using the Minkowski inequality we get

$$\|u + v\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}}^2 \leq 2 \left(\|u\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}}^2 + \|v\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}}^2 \right). \quad (25)$$

Also, Hölder's and Young's inequalities give us

$$\|uv\|_{L_x^{(r+2)}}^{(r+2)} \leq \|u\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}} \|v\|_{L_x^{2(r+2)}} \quad (26)$$

$$\leq c(L_1 \|u_x\|_H^2 + L_2 \|v_x\|_H^2). \quad (27)$$

By applying the embedding $V \cap V_0(0, L) \hookrightarrow L_x^{2(r+2)}(0, L)$ and (25), (27) gives (15).

Lemma 4. $\exists \Lambda_1, \Lambda_2 > 0$ such that

$$\int_0^L x |f_i(u, v)|^2 dx \leq \Lambda_i \left(l_1 \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right)^{2r+3}, \forall x \in (0, L), i = 1, 2. \quad (28)$$

Proof. We prove inequality for f_1 and the same result also holds for f_2 .

It is clear that

$$\begin{aligned} |f_1(u, v)| &\leq C(|u + v|^{2r+3} + |u|^{r+1} |v|^{r+2}) \\ &\leq C[|u|^{2r+3} + |v|^{2r+3} + |u|^{r+1} |v|^{r+2}]. \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

By Young's inequality, with

$$\begin{aligned} q &= \frac{2r + 3}{r + 1}, \\ q' &= \frac{2r + 3}{r + 2}, \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

we get

$$|u|^{r+1} |v|^{r+2} \leq c_1 |u|^{2r+3} + c_2 |v|^{2r+3}. \quad (31)$$

Therefore,

$$|f_1(u, v)| \leq C[|u|^{2r+3} + |v|^{2r+3}]. \quad (32)$$

Hence, by Poincaré's inequality and (11), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^L x |f_i(u, v)|^2 dx &\leq C \left(\|u_x\|_H^{2(2r+3)} + \|v_x\|_H^{2(2r+3)} \right) \\ &\leq \Lambda_1 (l_1 \|u_x\|_H^2 + l_2 \|v_x\|_H^2)^{(2r+3)}. \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

The proof of lemma is complete.

The energy function (see, e.g., [8, 19] and reference therein) is defined by

$$\begin{aligned} E(t) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \\ &\quad \cdot \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \\ &\quad \cdot \int_0^L x v_x^2(x, t) dx + \frac{1}{2} K(z, y) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) - \int_0^L F(u, v) dx, \end{aligned} \quad (34)$$

where

$$K(z, y) = \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x \mathbf{Q}(|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t)) d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx,$$

$$(g \circ u_x)(t) = \int_0^L \int_0^t x g(t-s) |u_x(x, t) - u_x(x, s)|^2 ds dx. \quad (35)$$

Lemma 5. Let (u, v, z, y) be the solution of system (11); then, $E(t)$ is a nonincreasing function, that is, $\forall t \geq 0$

$$E'(t) \leq -d_1 \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - d_2 \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} (g_1' \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} (g_2' \circ v_x)(t) - \frac{1}{2} g_1(t) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx - \frac{1}{2} g_2(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \leq 0, \quad (36)$$

where

$$d_1 = \mu_1 - \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| d\mathbf{Q} \right) > 0, \quad (37)$$

$$d_2 = \mu_3 - \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| d\mathbf{Q} \right) > 0.$$

Proof. Multiplying equation (11)_{1,2} by xu_t, xv_t , and integrating over $(0, L)$, we find

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^L x u_{tt} u_t dx - \int_0^L (x u_x)_x u_t dx + \mu_1 \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx \\ & + \int_0^L x u_t \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \int_0^L \int_0^t g_1(t-s) (x u_x(x, s))_x ds u_t dx \\ & + \int_0^L x v_{tt} v_t dx - \int_0^L (x v_x)_x v_t dx + \mu_3 \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\ & + \int_0^L x v_t \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \int_0^L \int_0^t g_2(t-s) (x v_x(x, s))_x ds v_t dx \\ & = \int_0^L \left[a|u+v|^{2(r+1)}(u+v) + b|u|^r |v|^{r+2} \right] x u_t dx \\ & + \int_0^L \left[a|u+v|^{2(r+1)}(u+v) + b|v|^r |u|^{r+2} \right] x v_t dx. \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

Using integration by parts, we get

$$\int_0^L x u_{tt} u_t dx = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_0^L x u_t^2 dx \right], \quad (39)$$

$$\int_0^L x v_{tt} v_t dx = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \right], \quad (40)$$

$$-\int_0^L (x u_x)_x u_t dx = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \right], \quad (41)$$

$$-\int_0^L (x v_x)_x v_t dx = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right], \quad (42)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2(r+2)} \int_0^L x f_1(u, v) u u_t dx + \frac{1}{2(r+2)} \int_0^L x f_2(u, v) v v_t dx \\ & = \frac{1}{2(r+2)} \frac{d}{dt} \int_0^L \left[a|u+v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] x dx, \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^L \int_0^t g_1(t-s) (x u_x(s))_x ds u_t(t) dx \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[(g_1 \circ u_x)(t) - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \right] \end{aligned} \quad (44)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} (g_1' \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} g_1(t) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx, \quad (45)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^L \int_0^t g_2(t-s) (x v_x(s))_x ds v_t(t) dx \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left[(g_2 \circ v_x)(t) - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right] \\ & - \frac{1}{2} (g_2' \circ v_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} g_2(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx. \end{aligned} \quad (46)$$

Now, multiplying equation (11)₃ by $xz |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|$ and integrating over $(0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (\tau_1, \tau_2)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dt} \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} \mathbf{Q} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| x z^2 d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx \\ & = - \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| x z z_\rho d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx \\ & = - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| \frac{d}{d\rho} z^2 d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| ((z(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t))^2 \\ & - (z(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t))^2) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| d\mathbf{Q} \int_0^L |x u_t|^2 dx \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| (z(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t))^2 d\mathbf{Q} dx. \end{aligned} \quad (47)$$

Similarly, by multiplying equation (11)₄ by $xy |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|$

and integrating over $(0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (\tau_1, \tau_2)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dt} \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} \varrho |\mu_4(\varrho)| xy^2 d\varrho dp dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\varrho)| d\varrho \right) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx \\ & \quad - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_4(\varrho)| y^2(x, 1, \varrho, t) d\varrho dx. \end{aligned} \tag{48}$$

Using Young's and Cauchy-Schwartz inequalities, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & - \int_0^L xu_t \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\varrho)| z(x, 1, \varrho, t) d\varrho dx \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\varrho)| d\varrho \right) \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\varrho)| xz^2(x, 1, \varrho, t) d\varrho dx. \end{aligned} \tag{49}$$

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & - \int_0^L xv_t \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\varrho)| y(x, 1, \varrho, t) d\varrho dx \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\varrho)| d\varrho \right) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\varrho)| xy^2(x, 1, \varrho, t) d\varrho dx. \end{aligned} \tag{50}$$

By combining (39), (40), (41), (42), (43), (45), (46), (47), (48), (49), and (50) in (38), we get (34) and (36).

3. Global Existence

In this section, we showed the global existence of the solutions of the system (11).

First, introducing the following notation

$$\begin{aligned} I(t) := I(u(t), v(t)) &= \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) \\ & \quad + \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx + (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) \\ & \quad + K(z, y) - 2(r+2) \int_0^L x \left[a|u+v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx, \end{aligned} \tag{51}$$

$$\begin{aligned} J(t) := J(u(t), v(t)) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2} (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} K(z, y) - \int_0^L x \left[a|u+v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx, \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

note that

$$E(t) = J(t) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx. \tag{53}$$

Lemma 6. Assume that (24), (14), (15), (16), (17), and (22) hold, and $\forall (u_0, v_0) \in V_{0'}^2$, $(u_1, v_1) \in H^2$ and $(f_0, g_0) \in L_x^2((0, L), (0, 1), (\tau_1, \tau_2))$ satisfying

$$I(0) > 0, \beta := \eta \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{(r+1)} E(0) \right)^{r+1} < 1. \tag{54}$$

Then, $\exists t_* > 0$ such that

$$I(t) > 0, \forall t \in [0, t_*], \tag{55}$$

where

$$E(0) = J(0) + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L xu_1^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L xv_1^2 dx. \tag{56}$$

Proof. As $I(0) > 0$, then by continuity of $I(t)$, $\exists T_m \leq t_*$ such that $I(t) \geq 0, \forall t \in [0, T_m]$; this implies that we have a maximum time value noting T_m such that

$$\{I(T_m) = 0 \text{ and } I(t) > 0, \text{ for all } 0 \leq t < T_m\}. \tag{57}$$

This, with (51), (52), and (14), we have

$$\begin{aligned} J(t) &= \frac{r+1}{2(r+2)} \left[\left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \right] \\ & \quad + \frac{r+1}{2(r+2)} [(g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) + K(z, y)] \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{2(r+2)} I(t) \\ & \geq \frac{r+1}{2(r+2)} \left[\left(l_1 \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) + K(z, y) \right]. \end{aligned} \tag{58}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} & l_1 \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \\ & \leq \frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} J(t) \\ & \leq \frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(t) \\ & \leq \frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0), \quad \forall t \in [0, T_m]. \end{aligned} \tag{59}$$

By (24) and (54), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
2(r+2) \int_0^L F(u(T_m), v(T_m)) dx &\leq \eta \left(l_1 \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right)^{r+2} \\
&\leq \eta \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0) \right)^{r+1} \left(l_1 \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right) \\
&= \beta \left(l_1 \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right) \\
&< \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \\
&\quad + \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \\
&\quad + (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) + K(z, y).
\end{aligned} \tag{60}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \\
&\quad + (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) + K(z, y) \\
&\quad - 2(r+2) \int_0^L x F(u, v) dx > 0.
\end{aligned} \tag{61}$$

This proves that $I(t) > 0, \forall t \in [0, T_m]$. By repeating the procedure, T_m is extended to t_* .

Theorem 7. *Let (14), (15), (16), (17), (22), and (24) hold. Then, $\forall (u_0, v_0) \in V_0^2, (u_1, v_1) \in H^2$, and $(f_0, g_0) \in L_x^2((0, L), (0, 1), (\tau_1, \tau_2))$ satisfying (54) the solution of system (11) is bounded and global.*

Proof. To prove that $\|u_x\|_H^2 + \|v_x\|_H^2 + \|u_t\|_H^2 + \|v_t\|_H^2 + \|z\|_{K, \mu_2}^2 + \|y\|_{K, \mu_4}^2$ is bounded independently of t , using (36) yields

$$E(0) \geq E(t). \tag{62}$$

Using (52), we find

$$\begin{aligned}
&-2(r+2) \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \\
&= I(t) - \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \\
&\quad - \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \\
&\quad - (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) - (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) - K(z, y).
\end{aligned} \tag{63}$$

By using (62) in (63), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
E(0) \geq E(t) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x v_x^2(x, t) dx \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{1}{2} (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} K(z, y) + I(t),
\end{aligned} \tag{64}$$

and using (14), (15), and (54) in (64), we get

$$\begin{aligned}
E(0) \geq E(t) &\geq \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\
&\quad + \left(\frac{r+1}{2(r+2)} \right) \left\{ l_1 \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + l_2 \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx + K(z, y) \right\} \\
&\geq \mu_0 \left(\int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx + K(z, y) \right).
\end{aligned} \tag{65}$$

So

$$\|u_x\|_H^2 + \|v_x\|_H^2 + \|u_t\|_H^2 + \|v_t\|_H^2 + \|z\|_{K, \mu_2}^2 + \|y\|_{K, \mu_4}^2 \leq \mu E(0) / \mu := \frac{1}{\mu_0}, \tag{66}$$

where

$$\mu_0 := \min \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{(r+1)}{2(r+2)} l_1, \frac{(r+1)}{2(r+2)} l_2, \frac{(r+1)}{2(r+2)} \right\}. \tag{67}$$

Hence, the solution of system (11) is bounded and global.

4. Decay of Solutions

In this section, the decay result is showed by using several lemmas.

As, we let

$$F(t) := E(t) + \varepsilon_1 \Phi(t) + \varepsilon_2 \chi(t) + \varepsilon_3 \Psi(t), \tag{68}$$

where $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2, \varepsilon_3 > 0$, and

$$\Phi(t) := \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t u dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t v dx, \tag{69}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(t) := & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t \int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds dx \\ & - \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t \int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds dx, \end{aligned} \tag{70}$$

$$\Psi(z, y) := \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x \rho e^{-\rho Q} (|\mu_2(Q)| z^2 + |\mu_4(Q)| y^2) dQ d\rho dx. \tag{71}$$

Lemma 8. *There exist $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 > 0$, such that*

$$\alpha_1 F(t) \leq E(t) \leq \alpha_2 F(t), \tag{72}$$

for $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2$, and ε_3 small enough.

Proof. Using the inequality of Young and the Poincaré-type inequality and $0 < \xi(t) \leq \xi(0)$, we find

$$\varepsilon_1 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t u dx \leq \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx, \tag{73}$$

$$\varepsilon_1 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t v dx \leq \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx, \tag{74}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\varepsilon_2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t \int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds dx \\ & \leq \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_1) (g_1 \circ u_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{75}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\varepsilon_2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t \int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds dx \\ & \leq \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_2) (g_2 \circ v_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{76}$$

$$\Psi(z, y) \leq \xi(0) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x Q (|\mu_2(Q)| z^2 + |\mu_4(Q)| y^2) dQ d\rho dx, \tag{77}$$

where $C_p > 0$.

A combination of (73), (74), (75), (76), and (77) in (68) gives

$$\begin{aligned} F(t) \leq & E(t) + \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2}{2}\right) \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2}{2}\right) \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\ & + \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \\ & + \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_1) (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) \\ & + \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_2) (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) \\ & + \varepsilon_3 \xi(0) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x \rho (|\mu_2(Q)| z^2 + |\mu_4(Q)| y^2) dQ d\rho dx. \end{aligned} \tag{78}$$

Then, $\exists \alpha_1 > 0$, for $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2$, and ε_3 small enough, such that

$$F(t) \leq \frac{1}{\alpha_1} E(t). \tag{79}$$

Similarly, thanks to the inequalities of Young and Poincaré-type and using $0 < \xi(t) \leq \xi(0)$ gives

$$\varepsilon_1 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t u dx \geq \frac{-\varepsilon_1}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx, \tag{80}$$

$$\varepsilon_1 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t v dx \geq \frac{-\varepsilon_1}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx - \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_p \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx, \tag{81}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\varepsilon_2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t \int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds dx \\ & \geq \frac{-\varepsilon_2}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_1) (g_1 \circ u_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{82}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\varepsilon_2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t \int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds dx \\ & \geq \frac{-\varepsilon_2}{2} \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx - \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_p \xi(0) (1 - l_2) (g_2 \circ v_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{83}$$

and

$$-\varepsilon_3 \Psi(z, y) \geq -\varepsilon_3 \xi(0) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x Q (|\mu_2(Q)| z^2 + |\mu_4(Q)| y^2) dQ d\rho dx. \tag{84}$$

By combining (80), (81), (82), (83), and (84) in (68), we find

$$\begin{aligned}
F(t) \geq & E(t) - \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2}{2}\right) \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - \left(\frac{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2}{2}\right) \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\
& - \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_\rho \xi(0) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx - \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} C_\rho \xi(0) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \\
& - \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_\rho \xi(0) (1 - l_1) (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) \\
& - \frac{\varepsilon_2}{2} C_\rho \xi(0) (1 - l_2) (g_2 \circ v_x)(t) \\
& - \varepsilon_3 \xi(0) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x \rho (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2) d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx.
\end{aligned} \tag{85}$$

Then, $\exists \alpha_2 > 0$, for $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2$, and ε_3 small enough, such that

$$F(t) \geq \frac{1}{\alpha_2} E(t). \tag{86}$$

This completes the proof.

Lemma 9. For $\sigma > 1$ and $0 < \theta < 1$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^t g(t-s) \|w(s)\|^2 ds \\
& \leq \left(\int_0^t g^{1-\theta}(t-s) \|w(s)\|^2 ds \right)^{1/\sigma} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^{(\sigma-1+\theta)/\sigma-1}(t-s) \|w(s)\|^2 ds \right)^{(\sigma-1)/\sigma},
\end{aligned} \tag{87}$$

$\forall w \in H$.

Proof. It suffices to note that

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^t g(t-s) \|w(s)\|^2 ds &= \int_0^t g^{(1-\theta)/r}(t-s) \|w(s)\|^{2/r} g^{(\sigma-1+\theta)/\sigma} \\
& \quad \cdot (t-s) \|w(s)\|^{(2(\sigma-1))/\sigma} ds,
\end{aligned} \tag{88}$$

using Hölder's inequality for

$$\begin{aligned}
p &= \sigma, \\
q &= \frac{\sigma}{\sigma-1}, \quad r > 1.
\end{aligned} \tag{89}$$

This completes the proof.

Lemma 10. Let $v \in L^\infty((0, T); H)$ be such that $v_x \in L^\infty((0, t); H)$ and g be a continuous function on $[0, T]$ and suppose

that $0 < \theta < 1$ and $\rho > 1$. Then, $\exists C > 0$ so that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^t g(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \\
& \leq C \left(\sup_{0 < s < T} \|v(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 \int_0^t g^{1-\theta}(s) ds \right)^{(\rho-1)/(\rho-1+\theta)} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^\rho(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{\theta/(\rho-1+\theta)}.
\end{aligned} \tag{90}$$

Proof. By applying Lemma 8 with $\sigma = (\rho - 1 + \theta)/(\rho - 1)$ gives

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^t g(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \\
& \leq \left(\int_0^t g^{1-\theta}(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{(\rho-1)/(\rho-1+\theta)} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^\rho(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{\theta/(\rho-1+\theta)}.
\end{aligned} \tag{91}$$

We also have

$$\int_0^t g^{1-\theta}(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \leq C \sup_{0 < s < T} \|v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 \int_0^t g^{1-\theta}(s) ds, \tag{92}$$

by combining (82) and (83). This completes the proof.

Lemma 11. Suppose that $v \in L^\infty((0, T); H)$ be such that $v_x \in L^\infty((0, T); H)$ and g be a continuous function on $[0, T]$ and assume $\rho > 1$. Then, $\exists C > 0$ so that

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^t g(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \\
& \leq c \left(t \|v_x(\cdot, t)\|_H^2 + \int_0^t \|v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{(\rho-1)/\rho} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^\rho(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{1/\rho}.
\end{aligned} \tag{93}$$

Proof. By using (82) for $\theta = 1$ gives

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_0^t g(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \\
& \leq \left(\int_0^t \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{(\rho-1)/\rho} \\
& \quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^\rho(t-s) \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{1/\rho},
\end{aligned} \tag{94}$$

where

$$\int_0^t \|v_x(\cdot, t) - v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds \leq 2t \|v_x(\cdot, t)\|_H^2 + 2 \int_0^t \|v_x(\cdot, s)\|_H^2 ds, \tag{95}$$

to obtain (93). Hence, this ends the proof.

Lemma 12. *Suppose that r satisfies (15) and (52) hold. Then, the functional $\Phi(t)$, given by (69), satisfies*

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi'(t) \leq & \left(1 + \frac{l}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_1}{2\delta_1}\right) \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx \\ & + \left(1 + \frac{l}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_3}{2\delta_2}\right) \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx - \xi(t) \\ & \cdot \left(\frac{l_1 - C_p(\delta l - 2\delta_1\mu_1)}{2}\right) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx - \xi(t) \\ & \cdot \left(\frac{l_2 - C_p(\delta l - 2\delta_2\mu_3)}{2}\right) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2l_1} \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds\right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) + \frac{\xi(t)}{2l_2} \\ & \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds\right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2\delta_1} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, l, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2\delta_2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, l, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2(r+2)} [a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2}] dx. \end{aligned} \tag{96}$$

For any $\delta, \delta_1, \delta_2 > 0$.

Proof. The derivation of (11) gives

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi'(t) = & \xi'(t) \int_0^L xu_t u dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_{tt} u dx \\ & + \xi'(t) \int_0^L xv_t v dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_{tt} v dx \\ = & \xi'(t) \int_0^L xu_t u dx + \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \\ & - \xi(t) \mu_1 \int_0^L x u u_t dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L x u \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, l, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x \int_0^t g_1(t-s) u_x(s) ds dx + \xi'(t) \int_0^L xv_t v dx \\ & + \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx - \xi(t) \mu_3 \int_0^L xv_t v dx \\ & - \xi(t) \int_0^L xv \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, l, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & + \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_x \int_0^t g_2(t-s) v_x(s) ds dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2(r+2)} [a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2}] dx. \end{aligned} \tag{97}$$

By Young's and Poincaré inequalities and (14) and (15), we find

$$\begin{aligned} & \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_x(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s) u_x(s) ds\right) dx \\ \leq & \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \int_0^L x \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s) (|u_x(s) \right. \\ & \left. - u_x(t)| + |u_x(t)|) ds\right)^2 dx \\ \leq & \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} (1 + \eta_1)(1 - l_1)^2 \int_0^L xu_x^2(t) dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\eta_1}\right) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds\right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\ = & \xi(t) \left(\frac{1 + (1 + \eta_1)(1 - l_1)^2}{2}\right) \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\eta_1}\right) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds\right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{r+2} \int_0^L [a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2}] dx. \end{aligned} \tag{98}$$

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^L xv_x(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s) v_x(s) ds\right) dx \\ \leq & \xi(t) \left(\frac{1 + (1 + \eta_2)(1 - l_2)^2}{2}\right) \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \\ & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\eta_2}\right) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds\right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t). \end{aligned} \tag{99}$$

$\forall \eta_1, \eta_2 > 0$. As we have

$$\begin{aligned} \xi'(t) \int_0^L xu_t u dx & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left|\frac{\xi'(t)}{\xi(t)}\right| \left(C_p \delta \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{\delta} \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx\right) \\ & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p l \delta \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{l}{\delta} \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx\right), \forall \delta > 0, \end{aligned} \tag{100}$$

and similarly, we find

$$\xi'(t) \int_0^L xv_t v dx \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p l \delta \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx + \frac{l}{\delta} \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx\right). \tag{101}$$

By using Young's and Poincaré's inequalities and (22) gives

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -\xi(t) \int_0^L xu \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\
 & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p \delta_1 \mu_1 \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{\delta_1} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \right),
 \end{aligned} \tag{102}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -\xi(t) \int_0^L xv \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\
 & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p \delta_2 \mu_3 \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{\delta_2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \right).
 \end{aligned} \tag{103}$$

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_x u dx & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p \delta_1 \mu_1 \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \frac{\mu_1}{\delta_1} \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx \right) \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t v dx \\
 & \leq \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(C_p \delta_2 \mu_3 \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx + \frac{\mu_3}{\delta_2} \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx \right).
 \end{aligned} \tag{104}$$

In a combination of (98), (99), (100), (101), (102), (103), and (104) in (97), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Phi'(t) & \leq \left(1 + \frac{l}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_1}{2\delta_1} \right) \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx \\
 & + \left(1 + \frac{l}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_3}{2\delta_2} \right) \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx \\
 & - \frac{\xi(t)}{2} [1 - (1 + \eta_1)(1 - l_1)^2 - \delta C_p l - 2\delta_1 C_p \mu_1] \\
 & \cdot \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx - \frac{\xi(t)}{2} [1 - (1 + \eta_2)(1 - l_2)^2 - \delta C_p l - 2\delta_2 C_p \mu_3] \\
 & \cdot \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\eta_1} \right) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\
 & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\eta_2} \right) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \\
 & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2} \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} \left(\frac{1}{\delta_1} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) \right. \\
 & \left. + \frac{1}{\delta_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) \right) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\
 & + \frac{\xi(t)}{2(r+2)} \int_0^L [a|u+v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2}] dx,
 \end{aligned} \tag{105}$$

by choosing η_1, η_1 , so that $\eta_1 = l_1/(1 - l_1)$; hence, $(1/2)(-1 + (1 + \eta_1)(1 - l_1)^2) = -l_1/2$ and $(1 + (1/\eta_1)) = 1/l_1$, and $\eta_2 = l_2/(1 - l_2)$; therefore, $(1/2)(-1 + (1 + \eta_2)(1 - l_2)^2) = -l_2/2$ and $(1 + (1/\eta_2)) = 1/l_2$.

Then, (96) is proved.

Lemma 13. Assuming that r satisfies (15), (14), and (15) and (22) and (52) hold. Then, the functional $\chi(t)$ given by (70) satisfies along the solution of (11)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \chi'(t) & \leq \xi(t) \theta [1 + c_1 + c_1' + 2(1 - l_1)^2] \left(\int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right) \\
 & + \xi(t) \theta [1 + c_2 + c_2' + 2(1 - l_2)^2] \left(\int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \right) \\
 & + \xi(t) \left[\theta - \left(\int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) + \theta l + \theta_1 \mu_1 \right] \left(\int_0^L xu_t^2 dx \right) \\
 & + \xi(t) \left[\theta - \left(\int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) + \theta l + \theta_2 \mu_3 \right] \left(\int_0^L xv_t^2 dx \right) \\
 & + \left[\frac{l}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_1 C_p}{2\theta_1} + \frac{C_p(1+l)}{4\theta} \right] \\
 & \times \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\
 & + \left[\frac{l}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_3 C_p}{2\theta_2} + \frac{C_p(1+l)}{4\theta} \right] \\
 & \times \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \\
 & - \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \xi(t) g_1(0) (g_1' \circ u_x)(t) \\
 & - \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \xi(t) g_2(0) (g_2' \circ v_x)(t) \\
 & + \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x(\theta_1 |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) \\
 & + \theta_2 |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t)) d\mathbf{Q} dx,
 \end{aligned} \tag{106}$$

for any $\theta, \theta_1, \theta_2 > 0$.

Proof. Direct calculation gives

$$\begin{aligned}
 \chi'(t) & = -\xi'(t) \int_0^L xu_t \int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds dx \\
 & - \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_{tt} \int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds dx \\
 & - \xi(t) \int_0^L xu_t \frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t) - u(s)) ds \right) dx \\
 & - \xi'(t) \int_0^L xv_t \int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds dx \\
 & - \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_{tt} \int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds dx \\
 & - \xi(t) \int_0^L xv_t \frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t) - v(s)) ds \right) dx,
 \end{aligned} \tag{107}$$

by using

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_{\alpha(t)}^{\beta(t)} f(t, s) ds \right) &= \int_{\alpha(t)}^{\beta(t)} \frac{\partial f(t, s)}{\partial t} ds \\ &+ \frac{\partial \beta(t)}{\partial t} f(t, \beta(t)) - \frac{\partial \alpha(t)}{\partial t} f(t, \alpha(t)). \end{aligned} \tag{108}$$

As we have (u, v, z, y) the solution of (11), we find

$$\begin{aligned} \chi'(t) &= -\xi'(t) \int_0^L x u_t \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &+ \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u_x(t)-u_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s) u_x(s) ds \right) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u_x(t)-u_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \mu_1 \int_0^L x u_t \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\rho)| z^2(x, 1, \rho, t) d\rho \right) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L x f_1(u, v) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1'(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx - \xi(t) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2(s) ds \right) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\ &- \xi'(t) \int_0^L x v_t \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &+ \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v_x(t)-v_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s) v_x(s) ds \right) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v_x(t)-v_x(s)) ds \right) dx - \xi(t) \mu_3 \int_0^L x v_t \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx - \xi(t) \int_0^L x \\ &\cdot \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\rho)| y^2(x, 1, \rho, t) d\rho \right) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \int_0^L x f_2(u, v) \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &- \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t \left(\int_0^t g_2'(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx. \end{aligned} \tag{109}$$

By Young's inequality and (14) and (15), we arrive to

$$\begin{aligned} &-\xi'(t) \int_0^L x u_t \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq \xi(t) \left| \frac{\xi'(t)}{\xi(t)} \right| \left[\theta \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \right] \\ &\leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{110}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u_x(t)-u_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t). \end{aligned} \tag{111}$$

Similarly, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\xi(t) \mu_1 \int_0^L x u_t \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq \theta_1 \mu_1 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{4\theta_1} C_p \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{112}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\xi(t) \mu_3 \int_0^L x v_t \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq \theta_2 \mu_3 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{1}{4\theta_2} C_p \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t), \end{aligned} \tag{113}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} &-\xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s) u_x(s) ds \right) \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u_x(t)-u_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq 2\theta(1-l_1)^2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \left(2\theta + \frac{1}{4\theta} \right) \xi(t) \\ &\cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t). \end{aligned} \tag{114}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} &-\xi(t) \int_0^L x f_1(u, v) \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ &\leq \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\ &+ c_1 \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + c_2 \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx, \end{aligned} \tag{115}$$

where

$$\begin{cases} c_1 := \Lambda_1 \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0) \right)^{2(r+1)}, \\ c_2 := \Lambda_2 \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0) \right)^{2(r+1)}, \end{cases} \quad (116)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t \left(\int_0^t g_1'(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx - \frac{g_1(0)}{4\theta} C_p \xi(t) (g_1' \circ v_x)(t). \end{aligned} \quad (117)$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi'(t) \int_0^L x v_t \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx + \frac{C_p l}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t), \end{aligned} \quad (118)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v_x(t)-v_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx + \frac{1}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t). \end{aligned} \quad (119)$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)v_x(s) ds \right) \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v_x(t)-v_x(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq 2\theta(1-l_2)^2 \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx + \left(2\theta + \frac{1}{4\theta} \right) \xi(t) \\ & \quad \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t), \end{aligned} \quad (120)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\frac{\xi(t)}{2(r+2)} \int_0^L x f_2(u, v) \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq \frac{C_p}{4\theta} \xi(t) \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) + c_1' \theta \xi(t) \\ & \quad \cdot \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + c_2' \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx, \end{aligned} \quad (121)$$

where

$$\begin{cases} c_1' := \Lambda_1' \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0) \right)^{2(r+1)}, \\ c_2' := \Lambda_2' \left(\frac{2(r+2)}{r+1} E(0) \right)^{2(r+1)}, \end{cases} \quad (122)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t \left(\int_0^t g_2'(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \\ & \leq \theta \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx - \frac{g_2(0)}{4\theta} C_p \xi(t) (g_2' \circ v_x)(t). \end{aligned} \quad (123)$$

Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\rho)| z^2(x, 1, \rho, t) d\rho \right) \\ & \quad \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1(t-s)(u(t)-u(s)) ds \right) dx \theta_1 \xi(t) \\ & \quad \cdot \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\rho)| z^2(x, 1, \rho, t) d\rho dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{4\theta_1} \mu_1 C_p \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t), \end{aligned} \quad (124)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & -\xi(t) \int_0^L x \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} \right) \\ & \quad \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2(t-s)(v(t)-v(s)) ds \right) dx \theta_2 \xi(t) \\ & \quad \cdot \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q} dx \\ & \quad + \frac{1}{4\theta_2} \mu_3 C_p \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t). \end{aligned} \quad (125)$$

A combination of (110), (111), (112), (113), (114), (115), (117), (118), (119), (120), (121), (123), (124), and (125) into (109) gives (106).

Lemma 14. Let (u, v, z, y) be the solution of (11). Then, for $\eta_3 > 0$, the functional $\Psi(t)$ satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi'(t) & \leq -\xi(t) \eta_4 \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x \mathbf{Q} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2) d\mathbf{Q} d\rho dx \\ & \quad + \xi(t) \mu_1 \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \xi(t) \mu_3 \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \\ & \quad - \xi(t) \eta_3 \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) \\ & \quad + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t)) d\mathbf{Q} dx, \end{aligned} \quad (126)$$

where $\eta_3 > 0$ and $\eta_4 = \eta_3(1-l) > 0 > 0$.

Proof. By differentiating $\Psi(t)$ and using equations (11)₃ and (11)₄, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi'(t) &= \xi'(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\rho e^{-\rho p} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|z^2) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - 2\xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} e^{-\rho p} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z z_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - 2\xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} e^{-\rho p} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|y y_\rho(x, \rho, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &= \xi'(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\mathbf{Q}e^{-\rho p} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|z^2) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\mathbf{Q}e^{-\rho p} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| [e^{-\rho} z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) - z^2(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t)] d\mathbf{Q}dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\mathbf{Q}e^{-\rho p} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|y^2 d\rho d\mathbf{Q}dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x|\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| [e^{-\rho} y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) - y^2(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t)] d\mathbf{Q}dx. \end{aligned} \tag{127}$$

Using the equality $z(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t) = u_t(x, t)$, $y(x, 0, \mathbf{Q}, t) = v_t(x, t)$, and $e^{-\rho} \leq e^{-\rho\mathbf{Q}} \leq 1$, for any $0 < \rho < 1$, we find

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi'(t) &\leq \xi(t) l \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\mathbf{Q} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|z^2) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\mathbf{Q}e^{-\rho p} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|y^2) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx \\ &\quad - \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x e^{-\rho} (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t)) d\mathbf{Q}dx \\ &\quad + \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| d\mathbf{Q} \right) \xi(t) \int_0^L x u_t^2 dx \\ &\quad + \left(\int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| d\mathbf{Q} \right) \xi(t) \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx. \end{aligned} \tag{128}$$

As $-e^{-\rho}$ is an increasing function, we have $-e^{-\rho} \leq -e^{-\tau_2}$, for any $\rho \in [\tau_1, \tau_2]$.

Then, setting $\eta_3 = e^{-\tau_2}$ and (22), we obtain (126).

Theorem 15. Let $(u_0, v_0) \in V_{\rho}^2$, $(u_1, v_1) \in H^2$, and $(f_0, g_0) \in L_x^2((0, L) \times (0, 1) \times (\tau_1, \tau_2))$ be defined and satisfy (163). Assume that r satisfies (24), (14), (15), (16), (17), and (22) hold. Then, for each $t_0 > 0$, $\exists K$ and k such that the solution of (11) satisfies $\forall t \geq t_0$, we have the following inequality for the energy function

$$E(t) \leq \begin{cases} K e^{-k \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds}, & \sigma = 1, \\ K \left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds \right)^{-1/(\sigma-1)}, & 1 < \sigma < \frac{3}{2}. \end{cases} \tag{129}$$

Proof. As g_1, g_2 is continuous and $g_1(0), g_2(0) > 0$, hence $\forall t_0 > 0$; we have

$$\begin{cases} \int_0^t g_1(s) ds \geq \int_{t_0}^t g_1(s) ds = g_{1,0} > 0, & \forall t \geq t_0, \\ \int_0^t g_2(s) ds \geq \int_{t_0}^t g_2(s) ds = g_{2,0} > 0, & \forall t \geq t_0. \end{cases} \tag{130}$$

By using (36), (96), (106), (126), and (130) and $0 < \xi(t) \leq \xi(0)$ (hence $(\xi(t)/\xi(0)) < 1$), we get

$$\begin{aligned} F'(t) &= E'(t) + \varepsilon_1 \Phi'(t) + \varepsilon_2 \chi'(t) + \varepsilon_3 \Psi'(t) \\ &\leq - \left[d_1 - \varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_1}{2\delta_1} \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \varepsilon_2 (g_{1,0} - \theta - \theta l - \mu_1 \theta_1) - \varepsilon_3 \mu_1 \right] \xi(t) \left(\int_0^L x u_t^2 dx \right) \\ &\quad - \left[d_2 - \varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_3}{2\delta_2} \right) + \varepsilon_2 (g_{2,0} - \theta - \theta l - \mu_1 \theta_1) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \varepsilon_3 \mu_3 \right] \xi(t) \left(\int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \right) + 2\varepsilon_1 \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2 \xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_1(0) \right) (g_1' \circ u_x)(t) \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2 \xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_2(0) \right) (g_2' \circ v_x)(t) \\ &\quad - \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} (l_1 - \delta C_p l - 2\delta_1 \mu_1 C_p) - \varepsilon_2 \theta \right. \\ &\quad \left. \cdot (1 + c_1 + c_1' + 2(1 - l_1)^2) \right] \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\int_0^L x u_x^2 dx \right) - \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} (l_2 - \delta C_p l - 2\delta_2 \mu_3 C_p) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \varepsilon_2 \theta (1 + c_2 + c_2' + 2(1 - l_2)^2) \right] \xi(t) \left(\int_0^L x v_x^2 dx \right) \\ &\quad + \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_1} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_1 C_p}{2\theta_1} + \frac{C_p + l C_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \\ &\quad + \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_2} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_1 C_p}{2\theta_1} + \frac{C_p + l C_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \\ &\quad - \left[\varepsilon_3 \eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_1} - \varepsilon_2 \theta_1 \right] \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})| z^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q}dx \\ &\quad - \left[\varepsilon_3 \eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_2} - \varepsilon_2 \theta_2 \right] \xi(t) \\ &\quad \cdot \int_0^L \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})| y^2(x, 1, \mathbf{Q}, t) d\mathbf{Q}dx \\ &\quad - \varepsilon_3 \eta_4 \xi(t) \int_0^L \int_0^1 \int_{\tau_1}^{\tau_2} x\rho (|\mu_2(\mathbf{Q})|z^2 + |\mu_4(\mathbf{Q})|y^2) d\mathbf{Q}d\rho dx. \end{aligned} \tag{131}$$

By choosing $\delta, \delta_1,$ and δ_2 so small that

$$\begin{cases} (l_1 - \delta C_p l - 2\mu_1 \delta_1 C_p) > \frac{l_1}{2}, \\ (l_2 - \delta C_p l - 2\mu_3 \delta_2 C_p) > \frac{l_2}{2}. \end{cases} \quad (132)$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta &< \frac{1}{4C_p l} \min \{l_1, l_2\}, \\ \delta_1 &< \frac{1}{8\mu_1 C_p} \min \{l_1, l_2\}, \\ \delta_2 &< \frac{1}{8\mu_3 C_p} \min \{l_1, l_2\}. \end{aligned} \quad (133)$$

At this point, we choose θ small enough, such that

$$\begin{aligned} k_3 &:= \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_1}{4} - \varepsilon_2 \theta \left(1 + c_1 + c'_1 + 2(1 - l_1)^2\right) > 0, \\ k_4 &:= \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_2}{4} - \varepsilon_2 \theta \left(1 + c_2 + c'_2 + 2(1 - l_2)^2\right) > 0. \end{aligned} \quad (134)$$

Then,

$$\theta < \min \left\{ \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_1}{4\varepsilon_2 (1 + c_1 + c'_1 + 2(1 - l_1)^2)}, \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_2}{4\varepsilon_2 (1 + c_2 + c'_2 + 2(1 - l_2)^2)} \right\}. \quad (135)$$

Now, $\delta, \delta_1, \delta_2,$ and θ are fixed. Then, we select $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2, \varepsilon_3,$ $\theta_1,$ and θ_2 so small that (72) and (162) remain correct and

$$\begin{aligned} k_1 &:= \left[d_1 - \varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_1}{2\delta_1}\right) + \varepsilon_2 (g_{1,0} - \mu_1 \theta_1 - (1 + l)\theta) - \varepsilon_3 \mu_1 \right] > 0, \\ k_2 &:= \left[d_2 - \varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_3}{2\delta_2}\right) + \varepsilon_2 (g_{2,0} - \mu_3 \theta_2 - (1 + l)\theta) - \varepsilon_3 \mu_3 \right] > 0, \\ k_5 &:= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2 \xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_1(0) \right) - \left\{ \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_1} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_1 C_p}{2\theta_1} + \frac{C_p + lC_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) \right\} > 0, \\ k_6 &:= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2 \xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_2(0) \right) - \left\{ \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_2} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_3 C_p}{2\theta_2} + \frac{C_p + lC_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) \right\} > 0, \\ k_7 &:= \varepsilon_3 \eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_1} - \varepsilon_2 \theta_1 > 0, \\ k_8 &:= \varepsilon_3 \eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_2} - \varepsilon_2 \theta_2 > 0. \end{aligned} \quad (136)$$

Hence, by using (15) gives, for some $\sigma > 0,$

$$\begin{aligned} F'(t) &\leq -\sigma \xi(t) \left[\int_0^L x u_t^2 dx + \int_0^L x v_t^2 dx \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_0^L x u_x^2 dx + \int_0^L x v_x^2 dx + (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) + K(z, y) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (137)$$

We choose $\theta, \theta_1,$ and θ_2 so small that

$$\begin{aligned} (g_{1,0} - \mu_1 \theta_1 - (1 + l)\theta) &> \frac{1}{2} g_{1,0}, \\ (g_{2,0} - \mu_3 \theta_2 - (1 + l)\theta) &> \frac{1}{2} g_{2,0}. \end{aligned} \quad (138)$$

By (134), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \theta &< \min \left\{ \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_1}{4\varepsilon_2 (1 + c_1 + c'_1 + 2(1 - l_1)^2)}, \frac{\varepsilon_1 l_2}{4\varepsilon_2 (1 + c_2 + c'_2 + 2(1 - l_2)^2)}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{1}{4(1 + l)} g_{1,0}, \frac{1}{4(1 + l)} g_{2,0} \right\}, \\ \theta_1 &< \frac{1}{4\mu_1 (1 + l)} g_{1,0}, \theta_2 < \frac{1}{4\mu_3 (1 + l)} g_{2,0}, \\ \frac{4\theta (1 + c_1 + c'_1 + 2(1 - l_1)^2)}{l_1} &< \frac{g_{1,0}}{2 + (l/\delta) + (\mu_1/\delta_1)}, \\ \frac{4\theta (1 + c_2 + c'_2 + 2(1 - l_2)^2)}{l_2} &< \frac{g_{2,0}}{2 + (l/\delta) + (\mu_3/\delta_2)}. \end{aligned} \quad (139)$$

With $\theta, \theta_1, \theta_2$, and α' fixed, we pick $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2$, and ε_3 such that

$$\max \left\{ \frac{4\theta(1+c_1+c'_1+2(1-l_1)^2)}{l_1}, \frac{4\theta(1+c_2+c'_2+2(1-l_2)^2)}{l_2} \right\} \varepsilon_2 < \varepsilon_1 < \frac{1}{2+(l/\delta)+\min((\mu_1/\delta_1),(\mu_3/\delta_2))}(\min(d_1,d_2)+\varepsilon_2 \min\{g_{1,0^2,0}\}+\varepsilon_3 \min(\mu_1+\mu_3)). \tag{140}$$

We will make

$$\begin{cases} k_1 := \left[d_1 - \varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_1}{2\delta_1} \right) + \varepsilon_2(g_{1,0} - \mu_1\theta_1 - (1+l)\theta) - \varepsilon_3\mu_1 \right] > 0, \\ k_2 := \left[-\varepsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{\mu_3}{2\delta_2} \right) + \varepsilon_2(g_{2,0} - \mu_3\theta_2 - \theta - \theta l) - \varepsilon_3\mu_3 \right] > 0, \\ k_3 := \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} (l_1 - 2\mu_1\delta_1 C_p - \delta C_p l) - \varepsilon_2\theta(1+c_1+c'_1+2(1-l_1)^2) > 0, \\ k_4 := \frac{\varepsilon_1}{2} (l_2 - 2\mu_3\delta_2 C_p - \delta C_p l) - \varepsilon_2\theta(1+c_2+c'_2+2(1-l_2)^2) > 0, \\ k_7 := \varepsilon_3\eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_1} - \varepsilon_2\theta_1 > 0, \\ k_8 := \varepsilon_3\eta_3 - \varepsilon_1 \frac{1}{2\delta_2} - \varepsilon_2\theta_2 > 0. \end{cases} \tag{141}$$

Then, we select $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2$, and ε_3 so small that (72) and (137) remain correct and

$$\begin{aligned} k_5 &:= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2\xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_1(0) \right) - \left\{ \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_1} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_1 C_p}{2\theta_1} + \frac{C_p + lC_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \left(\int_0^t g_1^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) \right\} > 0, \\ k_6 &:= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_2\xi(0)}{4\theta} C_p g_2(0) \right) - \left\{ \left[\frac{\varepsilon_1}{2l_2} + \varepsilon_2 \left(\frac{1}{2\theta} + 2\theta + \frac{\mu_3 C_p}{2\theta_2} + \frac{C_p + lC_p}{4\theta} \right) \right] \left(\int_0^t g_2^{2-\sigma}(s) ds \right) \right\} > 0. \end{aligned} \tag{142}$$

Next, as (137) is showed, according to the different ranges of r , we give the following two cases.

Case 1. $\sigma = 1$.

By choosing $\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2, \varepsilon_3, \theta_1, \theta_2$, and θ , (137) gives, for $\gamma > 0$ is constant so that,

$$F'(t) \leq -\gamma\xi(t)E(t), \quad \forall t \geq t_0. \tag{143}$$

Therefore, with the help of the LHS of (72) and (143), we obtain

$$F'(t) \leq -\gamma\alpha_1\xi(t)F(t), \forall t \geq t_0. \tag{144}$$

By integration of (144) over (t_0, t) gives

$$F'(t) \leq F(t_0)e^{(-\gamma\alpha_1)\int_{t_0}^t \xi(s)ds}, \quad \forall t \geq t_0. \tag{145}$$

Therefore, (129)₁ is proved by (72) as well.

Case 2. $1 < \sigma < 3/2$.

We use (11), which gives

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(t)^{1-\sigma} &\geq (\sigma-1) \left(\int_{t_0}^t \xi(s)ds \right) + g_1(t_0)^{1-\sigma}, \\ g_2(t)^{1-\sigma} &\geq (\sigma-1) \left(\int_{t_0}^t \xi(s)ds \right) + g_2(t_0)^{1-\sigma}. \end{aligned} \tag{146}$$

We have, for $0 < \tau < 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty g_1^{1-\tau}(s)ds &\leq \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\left[(\sigma-1) \left(\int_{t_0}^t \xi(s)ds \right) + g_1(t_0)^{1-\sigma} \right]^{(1-\tau)/(\sigma-1)}} ds, \\ \int_0^\infty g_2^{1-\tau}(s)ds &\leq \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\left[(\sigma-1) \left(\int_{t_0}^t \xi(s)ds \right) + g_2(t_0)^{1-\sigma} \right]^{(1-\tau)/(\sigma-1)}} ds. \end{aligned} \tag{147}$$

For $0 < \tau < 2 - \sigma < 1$, we have $(1-\tau)/(\sigma-1) > 1$ and (15), we find

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty g_1^{1-\tau}(s)ds &< \infty, \quad \forall 0 < \tau < 2 - \sigma, \\ \int_0^\infty g_2^{1-\tau}(s)ds &< \infty, \quad \forall 0 < \tau < 2 - \sigma. \end{aligned} \tag{148}$$

From (72) (for $\theta = \tau$ and $\rho = \sigma$) and (55) gives

$$\begin{aligned} (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) &\leq C_1 \left(E(0) \int_0^\infty g_1^{1-\tau}(s)ds \right)^{(\sigma-1)/(\sigma-1+\tau)} \\ &\quad \cdot ((g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t))^{\tau/(\sigma-1+\tau)} \\ &\leq C_1' ((g_1^\sigma \circ v_x)(t))^{\tau/(\sigma-1+\tau)}. \end{aligned} \tag{149}$$

Similarly, we have

$$(g_2 \circ v_x)(t) \leq C_2' ((g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t))^{\tau/(\sigma-1+\tau)}, \tag{150}$$

for some $C'_1, C'_2 > 0$. Hence, $\forall \sigma_1 > 1$, we find

$$\begin{aligned}
 E^{\sigma_1}(t) &\leq C''E^{\sigma_1-1}(0) \left(\int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx + K(z, y) \right) \\
 &\quad + C'_1((g_1 \circ u_x)(t))^{\sigma_1} + C'_2((g_2 \circ v_x)(t))^{\sigma_1} \\
 &\leq C''E^{\sigma_1-1}(0) \left(\int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx + K(z, y) \right) \\
 &\quad + C'_1((g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t))^{\tau\sigma_1/(\sigma-1+\tau)} + C'_2((g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t))^{\tau\sigma_1/(\sigma-1+\tau)}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{151}$$

We choose $\tau = 1/2$ and $\sigma_1 = 2\sigma - 1$ (therefore, $\tau\sigma_1/(\sigma - 1 + \tau) = 1$) and (144); we get, for some $\Gamma > 0$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 E^{\sigma_1}(t) &\leq \Gamma \left[\int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + K(z, y) - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + (g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) + (g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \right].
 \end{aligned} \tag{152}$$

By combining (72), (137), and (151), we find

$$F'(t) \leq -\frac{\sigma}{\Gamma} \xi(t) E^{\sigma_1}(t) \leq -\frac{\sigma}{\Gamma} \alpha_1^{\sigma_1} F^{\sigma_1}(t) \xi(t), \forall t \geq t_0. \tag{153}$$

By integrating (153) gives

$$F(t) \leq C_1^* \left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds \right)^{-1/(\sigma_1-1)}, \quad \forall t \geq t_0. \tag{154}$$

Hence,

$$\int_{t_0}^\infty F(t) dt \leq C_1^* \int_{t_0}^\infty \frac{1}{\left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds \right)^{1/(\sigma_1-1)}} dt. \tag{155}$$

From $(1/(\sigma_1 - 1)) > 0$ and $(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $t \rightarrow +\infty$, we find

$$\int_{t_0}^\infty F(t) dt < \infty. \tag{156}$$

Also, we use (24), and we get

$$tF(t) \leq \frac{C_1^* t}{\left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds \right)^{1/(\sigma_1-1)}} \leq C_\sigma. \tag{157}$$

Hence, we find

$$\sup_{t \geq t_0} tF(t) < \infty. \tag{158}$$

From $E(t)$ which is bounded, using (72), (156), and (158) to get

$$\int_{t_0}^\infty F(t) dt + \sup_{t \geq 0} (tF(t)) < \infty. \tag{159}$$

Therefore, using (55) and Lemma 10 (for $\rho = \sigma$) gives

$$\begin{aligned}
 (g_1 \circ u_x)(t) &\leq C_2^* \left(t \|u_x(x, t)\|_H^2 + \int_0^t \|u_x(x, s)\|_H^2 ds \right)^{(\sigma-1)/\sigma} \\
 &\quad \times \left(\int_0^t g^\sigma(t-s) \|u_x(x, t) - u_x(x, s)\|_H^2 ds \right) \\
 &\leq C_2^* \left(tF(t) + \int_{t_0}^t F(s) ds \right)^{(\sigma-1)/\sigma} ((g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t))^{1/\sigma} \\
 &\leq C_3^* ((g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t))^{1/\sigma}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{160}$$

This means

$$(g_1^\sigma \circ u_x)(t) \geq C_4 ((g_1 \circ u_x)(t))^\sigma, \tag{161}$$

$$(g_2^\sigma \circ v_x)(t) \geq C_5 ((g_2 \circ v_x)(t))^\sigma, \tag{162}$$

for some $C_4, C_5 > 0$.

Then, combining (137), (161), and (162) yields

$$\begin{aligned}
 F'(t) &\leq -C_6 \xi(t) \left\{ \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + K(z, y) + ((g_1 \circ u_x)(t))^\sigma + ((g_2 \circ v_x)(t))^\sigma \right\},
 \end{aligned} \tag{163}$$

for some $C_6 > 0$.

As in [1], we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 E^\sigma(t) &\leq C_7 \xi(t) \left\{ \int_0^L xu_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xv_t^2 dx + \int_0^L xu_x^2 dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \int_0^L xv_x^2 dx - \int_0^L x \left[a|u + v|^{2(r+2)} + 2b|uv|^{r+2} \right] dx \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + K(z, y) + ((g_1 \circ u_x)(t))^\sigma + ((g_2 \circ v_x)(t))^\sigma \right\},
 \end{aligned} \tag{164}$$

$\forall t \geq 0$ and some $C_7 > 0$.

Combining (163), (164), and (72), we find

$$F'(t) \leq -C_8 \xi(t) F^\sigma(t), \forall t \geq t_0, \quad (165)$$

for some $C_8 > 0$.

By integrating (163) over (t_0, t) , we get

$$F(t) \leq C_9 \left(1 + \int_{t_0}^t \xi(s) ds \right)^{-1/(\sigma-1)}, \quad \forall t \geq t_0. \quad (166)$$

Hence, $(129)_2$ is showed by (72) as well.

Data Availability

No data were used to support this study.

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