

**Chaotic hypothesis applicability:
quantum or strongly dissipative systems**

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Non Equilibrium: lack of a model playing role of Ising in 2D.

Microscopic theory of heat conduction: open

Ruelle's: NE Statistics = statistics of almost all initial data chosen with the Liouville's distr.

Non equilibrium $\rightarrow m\vec{d} = -\vec{\partial}V(\vec{q}) + \vec{F} + \alpha(\vec{p}, \vec{q})\vec{p}$.

Liouville invalid; phase space contracts (in average): its rate has the interpretation of entropy production $\sigma(\vec{q}(n), \vec{p}(n))$ rate

Are there any exact results at all?

If the system is “very chaotic” yes: Fluctuation theorem for stationary state. If $s \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{1}{T} \sum_0^T \frac{\sigma(\vec{q}(n), \vec{p}(n))}{\langle \sigma \rangle}$

$$\frac{\text{Prob}(s \in (x, x + \varepsilon))}{\text{Prob}(s \in (-x - \varepsilon, -x))} \stackrel{T \rightarrow \infty}{=} e^{-Tx \langle \sigma \rangle}$$

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No free parameters. Applications?

Cohen-G: Chaotic hypothesis: **If a system is chaotic then it can be supposed to be so “as much as possible”, i.e. it is “Anosov”**

This allows to make use of the FT and to **“test it”**.

Of course you do not “test” theorems!

Rather tests chaotic hyp. which has the role of ergodic hyp. in nonequilibrium: more proper to call **Fluctuation relation**.

- (a)** many small systems must be quantum: CH? FR? FT?
- (b)** strong dissipation $\Rightarrow$ “small attractor” is CH reasonable?

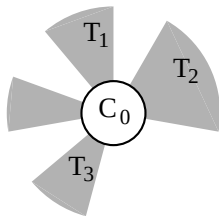


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Particles in C_0 (“system”) interact with particles in shaded regions (“thermostats”) constrained to fixed total K.E.

H operator on $L_2(C_0^{3N_0})$, (symm./antisymm.) wave funct.s Ψ ,

$$H = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2}\Delta_{\vec{x}_0} + U_0(\vec{X}_0) + \sum_{j>0} (U_{0j}(\vec{X}_0, \vec{X}_j) + U_j(\vec{X}_j) + K_j)$$

Spectrum consists of eigenvalues $E_n = E_n(\{\vec{X}_j\}_{j>0})$, for $\vec{X}_j$ fixed.

Dynamical sys. on $(\Psi, (\{\vec{X}_j\}, \{\vec{X}_j\})_{j>0})$ “phase space” def:

$$-i\hbar\dot{\Psi}(\vec{X}_0) = (H\Psi)(\vec{X}_0), \quad \text{and for } j > 0$$

$$\dot{\vec{X}}_j = -\left(\partial_j U_j(\vec{X}_j) + \langle \partial_j U_j(\vec{X}_0, \vec{X}_j) \rangle_{\Psi}\right) - \alpha_j \vec{X}_j$$

$$\alpha_j \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\langle W_j \rangle_{\Psi} - \dot{U}_j}{2K_j}, \quad W_j \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} -\vec{X}_j \cdot \vec{\partial}_j U_{0j}(\vec{X}_0, \vec{X}_j)$$

$(\langle \cdot \rangle_{\Psi} \equiv \langle \Psi | \cdot | \Psi \rangle)$. Evolution keeps $K_j \equiv \frac{1}{2}\dot{\vec{X}}_j^2$ exactly constant (defining therm. temp. T_j via $K_j = \frac{3}{2}k_B T_j N_j$, as classical case).

NOT a time dep. Schrödinger eq.: *essential interaction* *sys-thermos*. This is a **classical Dynamical system**.

Divergence: $\sigma(x) = \sum_j \frac{Q_j}{k_B T_j} + \frac{\dot{U}_1}{k_B T_1}$ (same as classical)

Equations are reversible and chaotic $\Rightarrow$ **CH $\Rightarrow$ SRB + FT**

Consistency check : system interacting with a single thermostat the SRB distribution should be equivalent to the canonical distribution. *True in classical case*).

Candidate for μ : probability proportional to $d\Psi d\vec{X}_1 d\dot{\vec{X}}_1$ times

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-\beta E_n(\vec{X}_1)} \delta(\Psi - \Psi_n(\vec{X}_1) e^{i\varphi_n}) d\varphi_n \delta(\dot{\vec{X}}_1^2 - 2K_1)$$

$\Rightarrow$ (??) expectation of O is a Gibbs state of therm. equil. with a special kind (random $\vec{X}_1, \dot{\vec{X}}_1$) of b.c. and temperature T_1 .

$$\langle O \rangle_{\mu} = Z^{-1} \int \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-\beta E_n(\vec{X}_1)} \langle \Psi_n(\vec{X}_1) | O | \Psi_n(\vec{X}_1) \rangle \delta(\dot{\vec{X}}_1^2 - 2K_1) d\vec{X}_1 d\dot{\vec{X}}_1$$

But not invariant under evolution: difficult to exhibit explicitly an invariant distribution (why should it be easy? *Aesopus*)

Nevertheless if *adiabatic approximation* (i.e' the classical motion of the thermostat particles is on a time scale much slower than the quantum evolution of the system).

Eigenstates at time 0 evolve following the variations of Hamiltonian $H(\vec{X}(t))$ due to thermostats particles motion, *without changing quantum numbers* and can check

μ is stationary if β is chosen such that $\beta = \frac{3N_1}{2K_1} \equiv (k_B T_1)^{-1}$ the distribution $\langle \cdot \rangle_\mu$ is stationary.

Conjecture: true SRB is *also* equivalent to Gibbs at temp.
 $(k_B \beta)^{-1}$ MAQFTQTT 25/4/2012

Under time evolution a time $t > 0$ infinitesimal:

$$\vec{X}_1 \rightarrow \vec{X}_1 + t\dot{\vec{X}}_1 + O(t^2)$$

$$E_n(\vec{X}_1) \rightarrow E_n + t e_n + O(t^2) \quad \text{with}$$

$$e_n \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \langle \vec{X}_1 \cdot \vec{\partial}_{\vec{X}_1} U_{01} \rangle_{\Psi_n} + t \dot{\vec{X}}_1 \cdot \vec{\partial}_{\vec{X}_1} U_1 = -t(Q_1 + \dot{U}_1)$$

$$e^{-\beta E_n(\vec{X}_1)} \rightarrow e^{-\beta t e_n}$$

thermostat phase space contracts by $e^{t\sigma} \equiv e^{t \frac{3N_1 e_n}{2K_1}}$

Thus if β is chosen such that $\beta = \frac{3N_1}{2K_1} \equiv (k_B T_1)^{-1}$ the distribution $\langle \cdot \rangle_\mu$ is stationary.

$\Rightarrow$ **possibility of defining the temperature** via the FT if Q is measurable or Q if T is measurable (originally suggested by Cugliandolo and Kurchan as a possible application of FT)

Consider another non equilibrium case in which CH does not hold exactly. In non equilibrium **dissipation** often leads to **trivial results**.

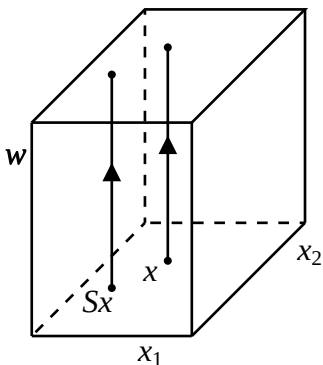
So we ask if at least in a simple case it would be possible to **check** that the system at least develops a strange attractor.

And can the attractor be described in detail? and proved to be **non trivial**? *E.g.* not a periodic orbit (either with a period close to an unperturbed one (resonance) or with a period of the external forcing (synchronization)? as it often happens.

Study a system which is “chaotic” but does not satisfy CH assumptions

Natural case: subject a system for which the CH hypotheses **would** hold to a periodic forcing.

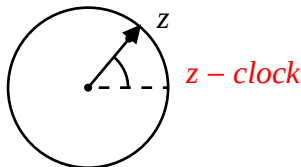
In absence of forcing **no quasi periodic** motions and **few periodic** ones: finitely many with period less than any $T < \infty$.



$$Sx = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dot{x} = \delta_1(z)(Sx - x)$$

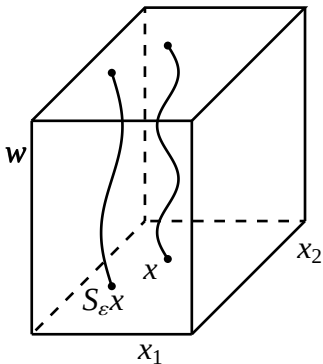
$$\dot{w} = 1 \quad \dot{z} = 1$$



Look at Poincaré's map S at $t = 2\pi n$

$$x' = Sx, \quad w' = w$$

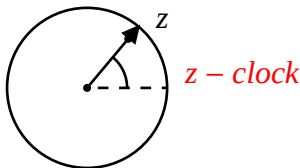
planes $w = \text{const}$ are invariant. What about perturbations?



$$\dot{x} = \delta_1(z)(Sx - x) + \varepsilon f_\varepsilon(x, w, z)$$

$$\dot{w} = 1 + \varepsilon g_\varepsilon(x, w, z)$$

$$\dot{z} = 1$$

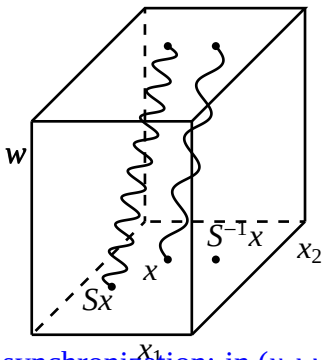


Look at Poincaré's map S at $t = n$

$$x' = Sx + \varepsilon \bar{f}_\varepsilon(x, w), \quad w' = w + \varepsilon \bar{g}_\varepsilon(x, w)$$

1gg a) volume preserving (if $\varepsilon = 0$ the S is not even ergodic, & has one “central” Lyapunov exponent zero.

Theor.: Near (in C^2) $\bar{f} = \bar{g} = 0 \exists$ open set of perturb. with S_ε



(1) Ergodic

(2) Central Lyap. exp. $\ell_\varepsilon > 0$

(3) $\exists$ S -invariant foliation
 Λ into C^1 -smooth lines l

(4) $\exists k$ and E of full vol. s.t.
 $E \cap l$ is exactly $k < \infty$ pts (!)

[Conjectures: $k > 1$ & $k = 1$]

No synchronization: in (x, w, z) the planes $w = \text{const}$ are invariant under the P.-map but **volatilize** under perturbation

b) Is synch. possible in dissipation? which attractor structure?

Three possibilities?

- 1) Simplest possibility attractor="periodic orbit" .
- 2) Attractor = "pathological " (but with Hausdorff dim. < 3).
- 3) **A periodic strange attractor**: dissipation stabilizes a single one among the unperturbed invariant surfaces $w = \text{const}$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= \delta_1(z)(Sx - x) + \varepsilon f_\varepsilon(x, w, z) \\ \dot{w} &= 1 + \varepsilon g_\varepsilon(x, w, z), \quad \dot{z} = 1\end{aligned}$$

Case $f \equiv 0$

$$\dot{x} = \delta_1(z)(Sx - x)$$

$$\dot{w} = 1 + \varepsilon g_\varepsilon(x, w, z), \quad \dot{z} = 1$$

Simulations can be consistent with 2) or 3). “Naivest” case

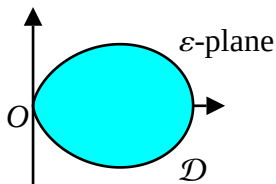
$$f = 0, \quad g(x, w, z) = (\sin(z - w) + \sin(x_1 + z + w))$$

(first studied) immediately shows an instance of (3). Special:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{average perturb. } g_0(x, w) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_0^{2\pi} g(x, w + t, t) \frac{dt}{2\pi} = \sin w \\ \text{av. compression } g_1(x, w) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\partial}{\partial w} g(x, w + t, t) \frac{dt}{2\pi} = \cos w \end{aligned}$$

Notice that in example $g_0(x, \pi) = 0$, $g_1(x, \pi) = \Gamma < 0$, $\forall x$.

Result: *If* $\exists w_0$ such that $g_0(x, w_0) = 0$, $g_1(x, w_0) = \Gamma < 0$, $\forall x$,
then $\exists \varepsilon_0$ for $0 < \varepsilon < \varepsilon_0$

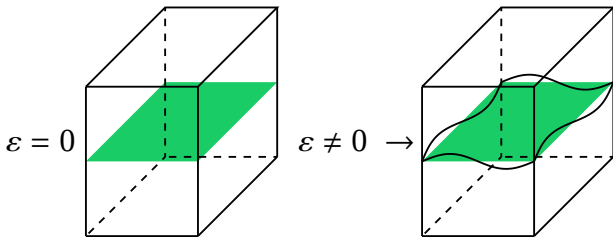


(1) $\exists$ attractor $w(x) = w_0 + U_\varepsilon(x)$

(2) $U_\varepsilon(x)$ is h -Hölder continuous

$$h \geq \frac{|\Gamma|}{\log \lambda_+} \varepsilon + O(\varepsilon^2)$$

(3) U_ε is analytic in ε in $\mathcal{D}$



Conjectures

(a') $\int_0^{2\pi} dt g(x, w_0 + t, t) = \widetilde{g}(x)$, with $\widetilde{g}(x)$ with 0 average,

(b') $\int_0^{2\pi} dt \partial_w g(x, w_0 + t, t) = \widetilde{g}_1(x)$, with $\widetilde{g}_1(x)$ with < 0 average.



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