

Lyapunov exponent of a Lennard-Jones gas: cumulant expansion

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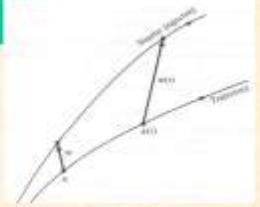
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The Lyapunov exponent

Dynamical system:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x), \quad x \in \mathcal{R}^n$$

$$\text{Asymptotically, } |w(t)| = |w| e^{\lambda t}$$



In the limit $|w| \rightarrow 0$, $w \rightarrow \xi$, we obtain the tangent dynamics

$$\frac{d\xi}{dt} = Df_{x(t)} \cdot \xi \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Linear system of differential equations with} \\ \text{time-dependent coefficients} \end{array}$$

Operational definition of Lyapunov exponent :

$$\lambda = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t} \ln |\xi(t)|$$

λ does not depend
on initial conditions x_0, ξ_0

Lyapunov exponent. II

λ indicates sensitivity to initial conditions, instability, unpredictability = chaos

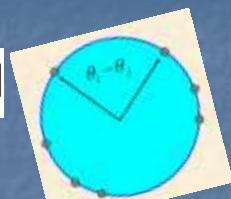
Useful concept in system modeling (economy, biology, meteorology) ; astronomy, etc.

Curiosity : solar system, $1/\lambda = 4$ million yrs.
A 15 meter error in Earth's position today makes it impossible to predict where the Earth will be in 100 million yrs.
(J. Laskar, Nature 1989).

In statistical physics,
 $\lambda > 0$ is necessary for the validity of microcanonical formalism
 $\lambda = 0$ signals thermodynamic anomalies

HMF

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{L_i^2}{2I} + \frac{J}{2N} \sum_{i,j=1}^N [1 - \cos(\theta_i - \theta_j)]$$

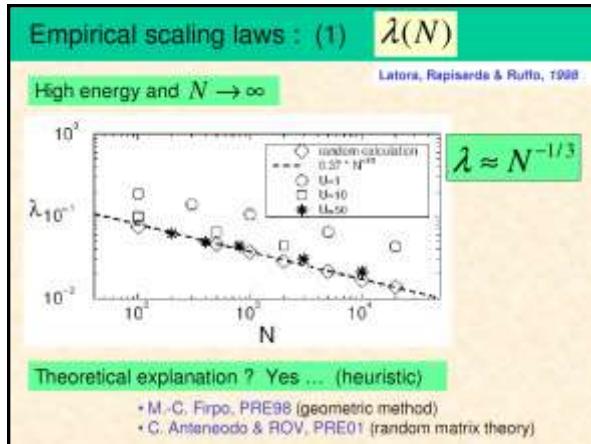


Quasi-equilibrium states

Lifetime diverges as $N \rightarrow \infty$, $E/N = \text{fixed}$

Properties : anomalous diffusion, non Maxwell-Boltzmann velocity distributions, aging, negative specific heat ...

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Theories

a) Rigid-sphere systems : well developed theory

Krylov (~1940), Sinai (~1970), Gaspard, Dorfman & van Beijeren (~1990)

b) Smooth Hamiltonians, possibly long-range

geometric method

Casati, Livi & Pettini, 1995

Casati, Clementi & Pettini, 1996

Casati, Pettini, EGQ Cohen, 2000

random matrices

Benettin, 1984

Paladin, Vulpiani, Parisi, Ruffo, Crisanil, ... >1985

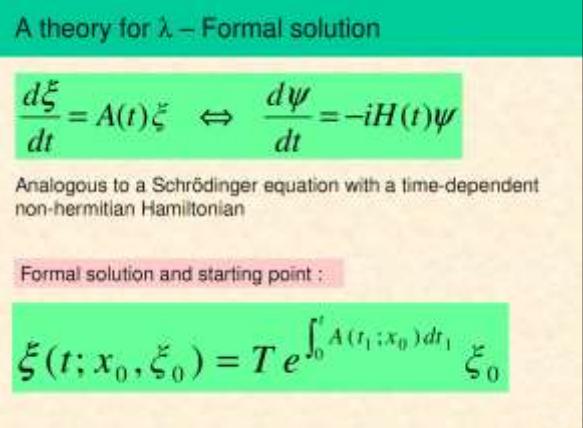
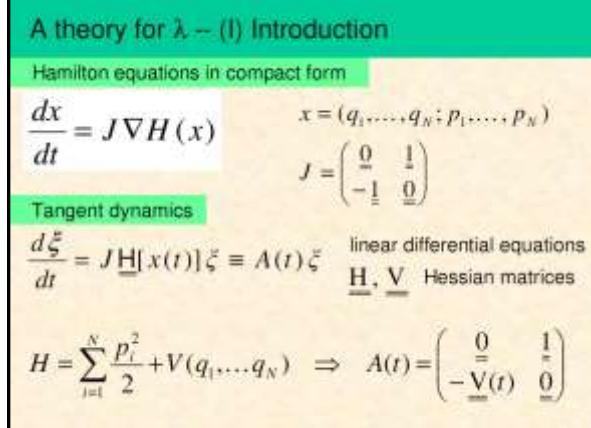
supersymmetric method

Tanase-Nicola & Kurchan, 2003

stochastic approach

Barnett, 1995

Anteneodo & ROV, 2002



A theory for λ --- First steps

Simplification : $\lambda = \lambda(E)$, does not depend on initial conditions, we can add an average

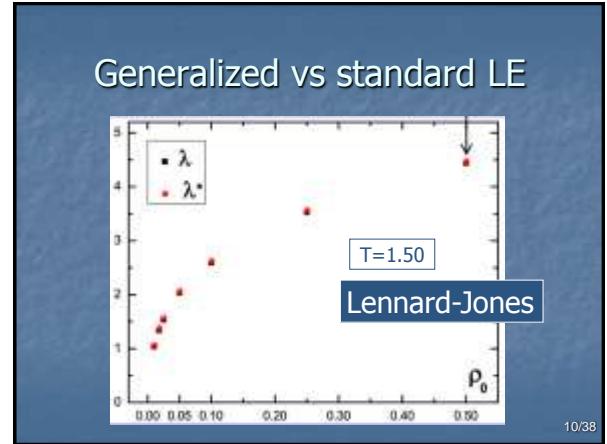
$$\lambda = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2t} \left\langle \ln |\xi|^2 \right\rangle_{x_0, \dot{x}_0}$$

$\langle \dots \rangle_{x_0}$ microcanonical average

Approximation # 1 : exchange average and logarithm

$$\lambda \approx \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2t} \ln \left\langle |\xi|^2 \right\rangle_{x_0, \dot{x}_0} = \lambda' \quad \text{may be tested a posteriori} \diamond$$

If not : replica trick, supersymmetric approach, ...
 Tanase-Nicola & J. Kurchan
cond-mat/0210380



A theory for $\left\langle |\xi|^2 \right\rangle = Tr \left(\xi \xi^T \right)$

ROV & C. Anteneodo, PRE02
 D. M. Barnett et al, PRL96

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{p_i^2}{2} + V(q_1, \dots, q_N), \quad \dot{\xi} = A(t) \xi, \quad A(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -V(t) & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Evolution equation for $\langle \xi \xi^T \rangle$

$$\frac{d\xi}{dt} = A \xi \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \langle \xi \xi^T \rangle = A \langle \xi \xi^T \rangle + \langle \xi \xi^T \rangle A^T \equiv \hat{A} \langle \xi \xi^T \rangle \quad \hat{A} \text{ is a linear operator}$$

Solution : $\langle \xi \xi^T(t) \rangle_{x_0, \dot{x}_0} = \underbrace{\left\langle T e^{\int_0^t \hat{A}(t_1; x_0) dt_1} \right\rangle}_{\propto \delta} \underbrace{\langle \xi_0 \xi_0^T \rangle}_{\delta_0}$

Preparing the perturbative expansion :

$$A = \langle A \rangle + \delta A(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -V & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -\delta V(t) & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \hat{A} = \langle \hat{A} \rangle + \delta \hat{A}$$

The cumulant expansion (Kubo, van Kampen, Fox)

Fluctuations of small amplitude and/or short correlation time

$$\left\langle T e^{\int_0^t \hat{A}(t_1; x_0) dt_1} \right\rangle = e^{\hat{O}t} \quad \hat{O} \text{ is time-independent}$$

$$\hat{O} = \langle \hat{A} \rangle + \int_0^\infty d\tau \left\langle \delta \hat{A}(t) e^{i\langle \hat{A} \rangle t} \delta \hat{A}(t-\tau) e^{-i\langle \hat{A} \rangle (t-\tau)} \right\rangle + \dots$$

average + integrated autocorrelation function + ...

Domain of validity (estimate) :

$t \gg \tau_c$	τ_c correlation time
$\sigma \tau_c \ll 1$	σ fluctuation amplitude

Cumulant expansion

$$\langle e^{ikx} \rangle = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ik)^n}{n!} \mu_n \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Gaussian} \\ \Rightarrow e^{-\frac{1}{2}k^2 \langle x^2 \rangle} \end{array}$$

or

$$\langle e^{ikx} \rangle \equiv e^{\sum_n \frac{(ik)^n}{n!} K_n} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \ln \langle \cdots \rangle = \sum_n a_n K_n$$

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Lyapunov exponent

$$\left\langle |\xi|^2 \right\rangle = \text{Tr} \langle \xi \xi^T(t) \rangle = \text{Tr} e^{\hat{O}t} \mathbb{1}$$

The Lyapunov exponent is given by $\lambda = \frac{1}{2} \Re(L_{\max})$

$L_{\max} \rightarrow$ eigenvalue of \hat{O} with the largest real part

We must calculate and diagonalize \hat{O} (non-hermitean) $6N \times 6N$

It suffices to consider the restriction of \hat{O} to the subspace $\{\mathbb{1}, \hat{O}\mathbb{1}, \hat{O}^2\mathbb{1}, \dots\}$

Second-order approximation

$$\hat{O} = \langle \hat{A} \rangle + \sum_0^\infty d\tau \left\langle \delta\hat{A}(t) e^{\tau \langle \hat{A} \rangle} \delta\hat{A}(t-\tau) e^{-\tau \langle \hat{A} \rangle} \right\rangle \quad \sigma\tau_c \ll 1$$

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Approximate the free propagator :

$$e^{\tau \langle \hat{A} \rangle} \approx e^{\tau \langle A \rangle} \quad \langle A \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\langle V \rangle & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{can be relaxed}$$

Validity : quasi-ballistic regimes,

$$\tau_c < \tau(V)$$

Diagonalization (HMF)

$$H = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2}{2} + \frac{J}{2N} \sum_{i,j} [\mathbb{1} - \cos(\theta_i - \theta_j)]$$

A basis for HMF :

- (i) all particles are statistically equivalent
- (ii) all pairs are also equivalent

For HMF one can prove that the subspace is six-dimensional $\{\mathbb{1}, \hat{O}\mathbb{1}, \hat{O}^2\mathbb{1}, \dots\}$

A suitable basis :

$$\left(\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right), \left(\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right), \left(\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array} \right), \left(\begin{array}{cc} Z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right), \left(\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & Z \end{array} \right), \left(\begin{array}{cc} 0 & Z \\ Z & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\langle Z_{ij} \rangle = \begin{cases} 1, & i \neq j \\ 0, & i = j \end{cases}$$

Diagonalizing HMF

The contribution of subspace Z is negligible for large N.
It suffices to consider the "isotropic" basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The "isotropic" basis amounts to a mean field approximation in tangent space, i.e., one effective degree of freedom.

Observation :

The mean field approximation is exact for HMF ;
it is also exact for a homogeneous gas in 3D.

Second-order + mean-field diagonalization

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{orthogonal set} \leftarrow \langle A, B \rangle = \text{Tr } AB^T$$

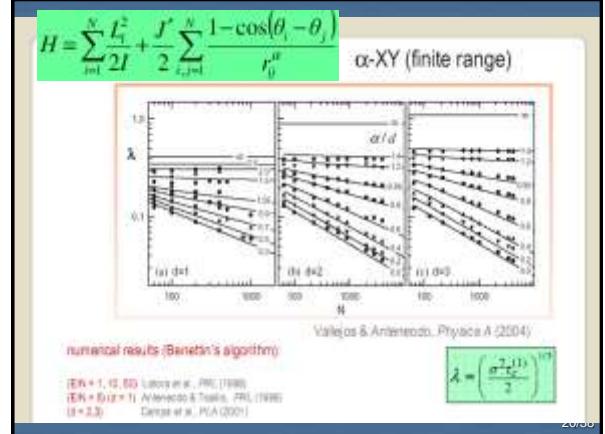
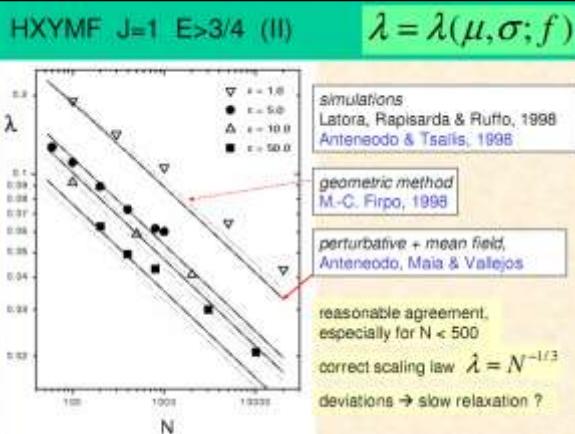
$$\|\delta\|_v = \frac{\text{Tr}(\delta I_v) I_v^T}{\text{Tr} I_v I_v^T} \quad \|\delta\| = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ -2\sigma^2 \tau_c^{(0)} & -2\sigma^2 \tau_c^{(0)} & -2\mu \\ -\mu + 2\sigma^2 \tau_c^{(2)} & 1 & -2\sigma^2 \tau_c^{(2)} \end{pmatrix}$$

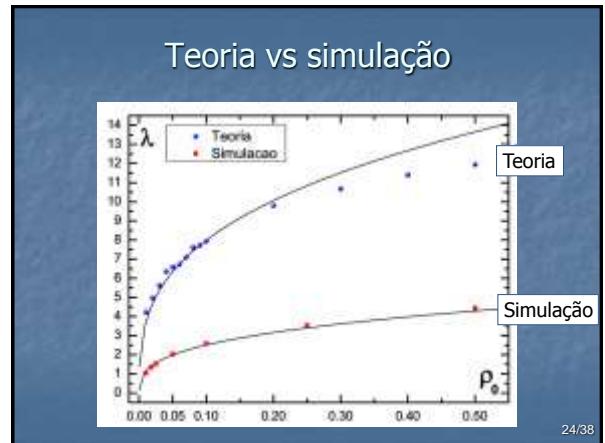
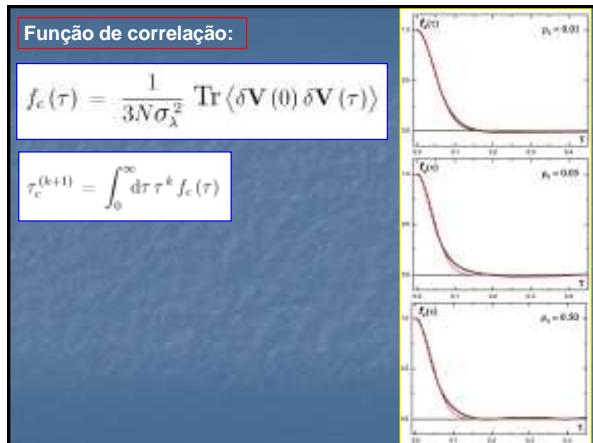
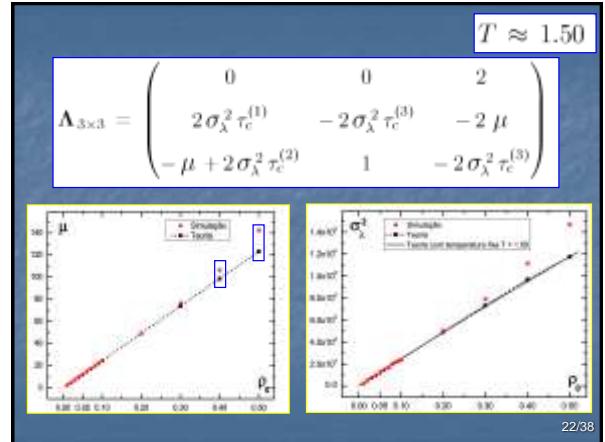
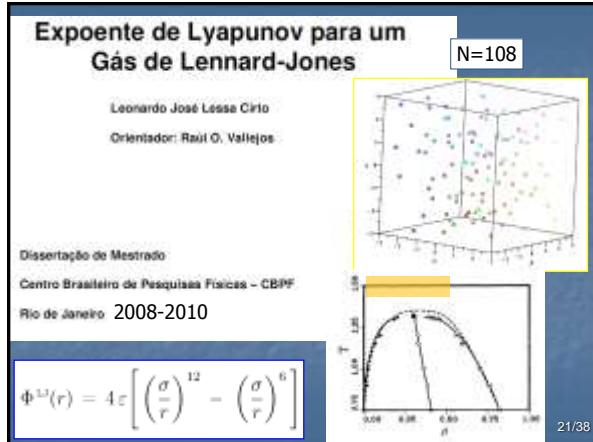
Definitions

$$\mu = \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr} \langle \underline{V} \rangle \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr} \langle (\delta \underline{V})^2 \rangle \quad \tau_c^{(k)} = \int_0^\infty d\tau \tau^{k-1} f(\tau) \quad \tau_c^{(1)}$$

$$f(\tau) = \frac{1}{N\sigma^2} \text{Tr} \langle \delta \underline{V}(0) \delta \underline{V}(\tau) \rangle = \frac{1}{N\sigma^2} \sum_{i,j=1}^N \langle \delta V_i(0) \delta V_j(\tau) \rangle \quad \text{correlation time}$$

normalized autocorrelation function





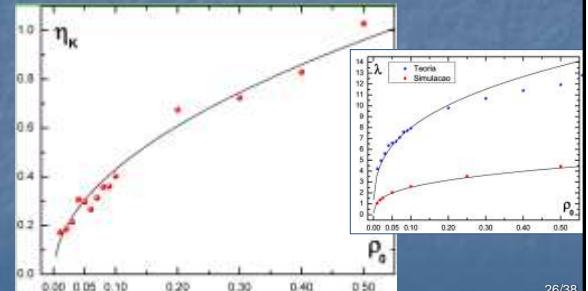
Possible reasons for failure

- Isotropic approximation?
- Generalized exponent?
- Truncation of the cumulant expansion?

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The Kubo number

$$\eta_K = \sigma_\lambda (\tau_c^{(1)})^2 \propto \sqrt{\rho_0}$$



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Third, fourth cumulants?

- Study one degree of freedom problem!
- Formally similar to the isotropic N-body
- Much simpler, even exact in some cases

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One-dimensional Kubo oscillator

Amaral & Vallejos (2010)

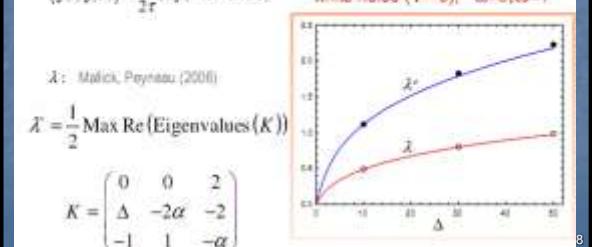
$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \alpha \frac{dx}{dt} + (1 + \xi(t))x = 0$$

$$\langle \xi(t)\xi(t') \rangle = \frac{\Delta}{2\tau} \exp(-|t-t'|/\tau)$$

white noise ($\tau=0$), $\alpha=0, \omega=1$ $\bar{\lambda}$: Mallick, Peyrard (2006)

$$\bar{\lambda} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Max}_{\text{Re}} \{ \operatorname{Eigenvalues}(K) \}$$

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ \Delta & -2\alpha & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & -\alpha \end{pmatrix}$$



Generalized LE and finite-time LEs

$\lambda = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2t} \left\langle \ln |\xi|^2 \right\rangle_{x_0, \xi_0}$

$$\lambda^*(t) = \frac{\ln \langle d^2(t) \rangle}{2t} = \frac{\ln \langle e^{2\lambda(t)t} \rangle}{2t} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2t)^{n-1}}{n!} K_n(t)$$

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Numerical method

$\Delta = 50$
 $N_{\text{max}} = 100K$
 $K_t^* + K_t^* t + 2/3 K_t^* t^2 \approx \lambda^*(t)$
 $K_t^* + K_t^* t$
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 $K_t^* = \lambda(t)$

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Random damping

Anteneodo & Vafeja (2010)

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + (\gamma + \xi(t)) \frac{dx}{dt} + x = 0$$

$$\langle \xi(t) \xi(t') \rangle = \Delta \delta(t - t')$$

A. Leprovost et al. EPJB (2006)

$$\bar{\lambda} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Max Re}(\text{Eigenvalues}(K))$$

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -2(\gamma - \Delta) & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & -\gamma + \Delta/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Colored noise + fourth cumulant

O-U ($\tau \neq 0$), $\alpha = \omega = 0$

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \alpha \frac{dx}{dt} + (1 + \xi(t)) x = 0$$

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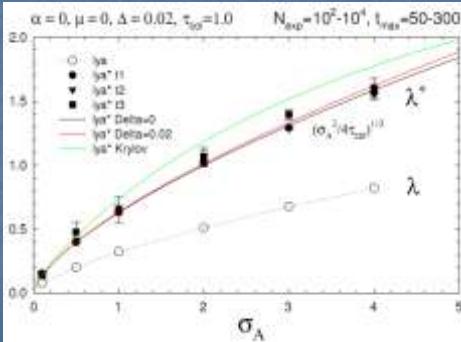
$\bar{\lambda} = ???$

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Poisson process



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Importance sampling!

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Estimating generalized Lyapunov exponents for products of random matrices

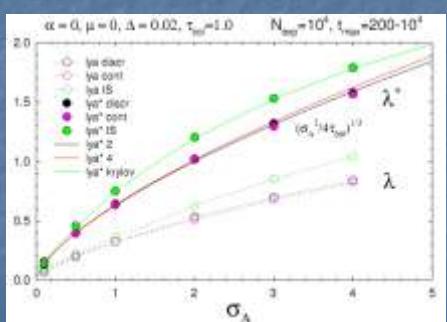
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We discuss several techniques for the evaluation of the generalized Lyapunov exponents which characterize the growth of products of random matrices in the large-deviation regime. A Monte Carlo algorithm that performs importance sampling using a single random resampling step is proposed as a general-purpose numerical method which is both efficient and easy to implement. Alternative techniques complementing this

“Resampling Monte Carlo”

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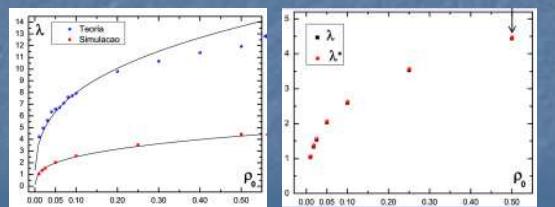
Poisson revisited



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Next steps (Conclusions)

- Adapt resampling MC to deterministic \square dynamics



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Next steps

- If resampling MC does not eliminate disagreement, then go back to cumulant expansion: Ornstein-Uhlenbeck, Poisson

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