

Celebrating 65th birthday of Rick Heller

The rate of heating in vibrating billiards

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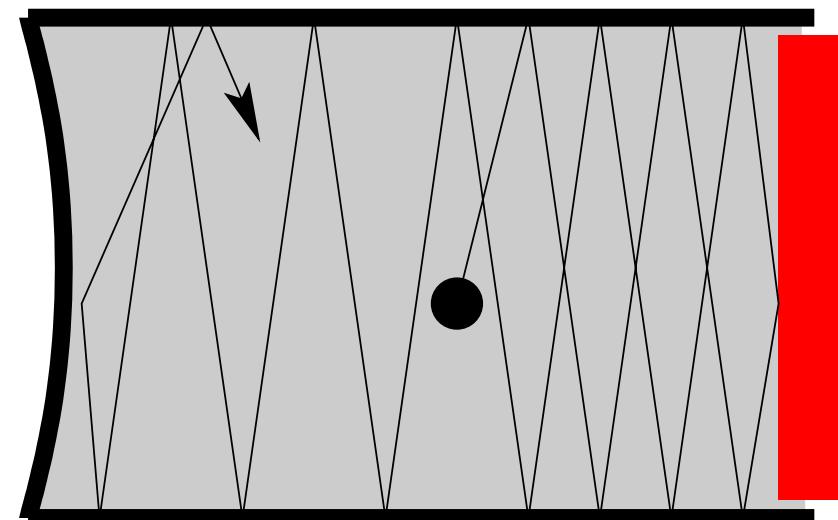
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$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{total}} = \{E_n\} - f(t)\{V_{nm}\}$$



Dynamics and spectral intensities

$$\text{FT}[\langle \psi(0)|\psi(t)\rangle] \sim |\langle E_n|\psi\rangle|^2$$

Semiclassical approaches to chaos

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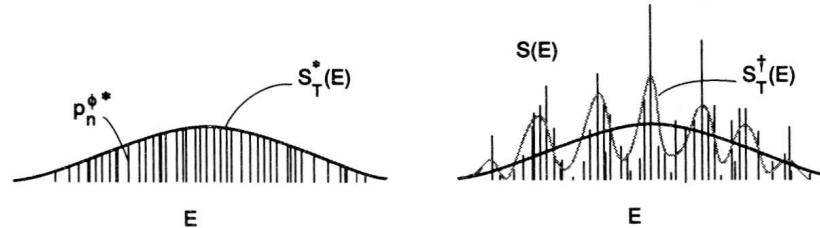


Fig. 38. Ideally ergodic (left) and typically found (right) spectral intensities and envelopes. Both spectra have the same low resolution envelope.



Les Houches 1989

Analogous relation between correlation function and band-profile:

$$\text{FT}[\langle V(0)V(t)\rangle] \sim |\langle E_n|\hat{V}|E_m\rangle|^2$$

[Feingold-Peres]

$$\tilde{C}(\omega) = \overline{\sum_n |V_{nm}|^2 2\pi\delta(\omega - (E_n - E_m))}$$

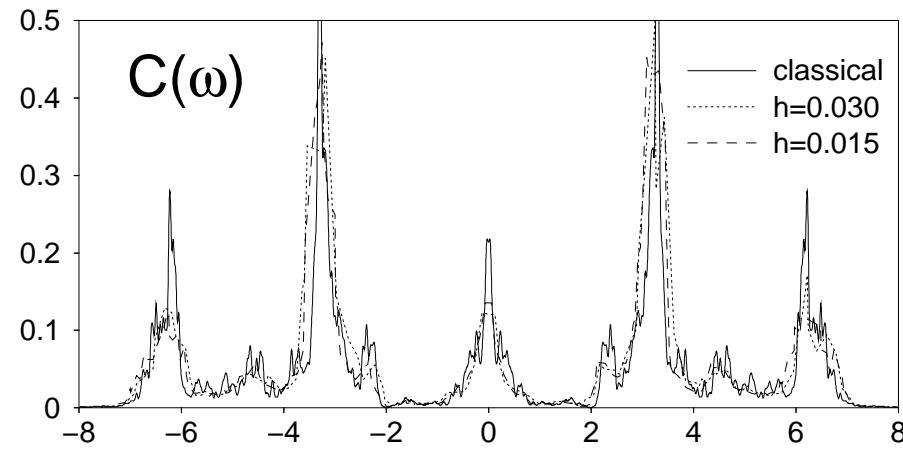
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$$|V_{nm}|^2 \approx (2\pi\varrho)^{-1} \tilde{C}_{cl}(E_n - E_m)$$

Bandprofile, sparsity and texture

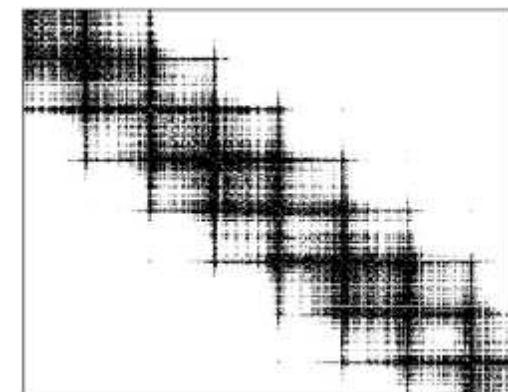
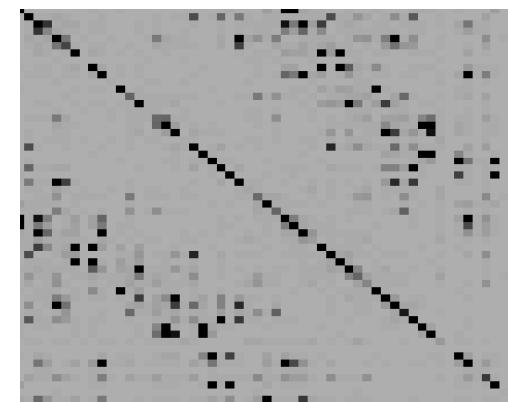
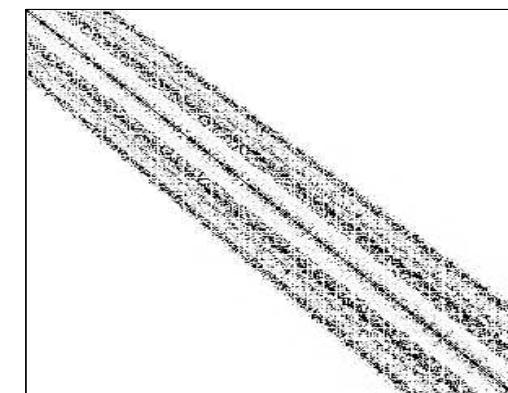
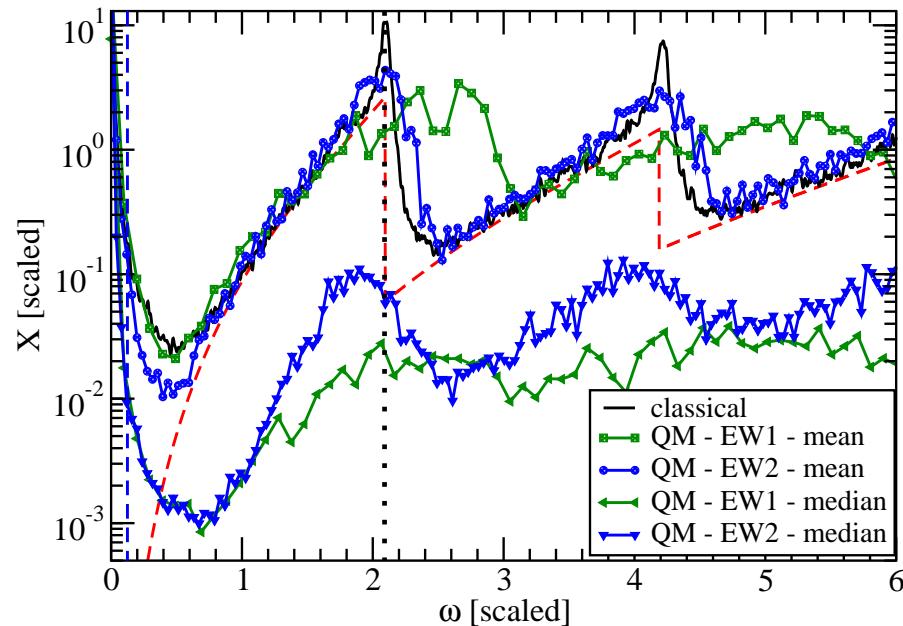
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Hard Qchaos



Weak Qchaos

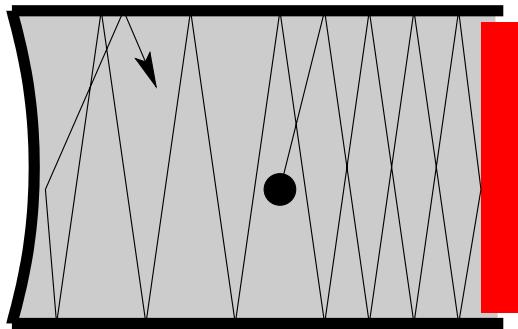
[median \ll mean]



The rate of heating: LRT and SLRT predictions

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{total}} = \{E_n\} - f(t)\{V_{nm}\}$$

$f(t)$ = low freq noisy driving



~ diffusion in energy space:

$$D_0 = \frac{4}{3\pi} \frac{M^2 v_E^3}{L_x} \overline{f^2}$$

~ energy absorption:

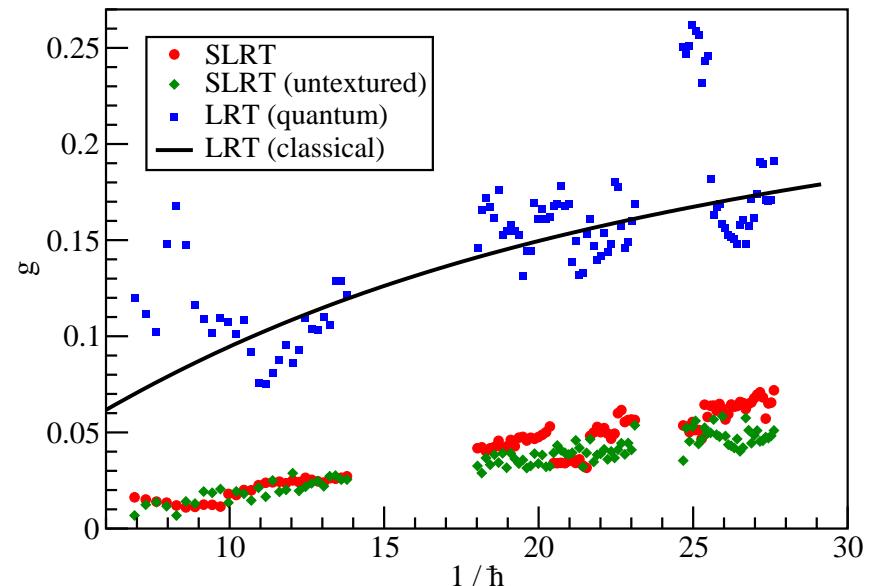
$$\dot{E} = (\text{particles/energy}) \times D$$

Beyond the “Wall Formula”

[Beyond the “Drude Formula”]

$$D_{\text{LRT}} = g_c D_0 \quad \text{[“classical”]}$$

$$D_{\text{SLRT}} = g_s D_{\text{LRT}} \quad \text{[“quantum”]}$$



LRT applies if the driven transitions are slower than the environmental relaxation, else SLRT applies

Perspective and references

The classical LRT approach: Ott, Brown, Grebogi, Wilkinson, Jarzynski, Robbins, Berry, Cohen

The Wall formula (I): Blocki, Boneh, Nix, Randrup, Robel, Sierk, Swiatecki, Koonin

The Wall formula (II): Barnett, Cohen, Heller [1] - regarding g_c

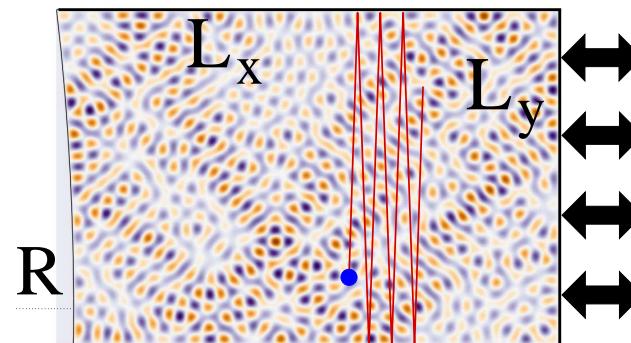
Semi Linear response theory: Cohen, Kottos, Schanz... [2-6]

Billiards with vibrating walls: Stotland, Cohen, Davidson, Pecora [7,8] - regarding g_s

Sparsity: Austin, Wilkinson, Prosen, Robnik, Alhassid, Levine, Fyodorov, Chubykalo, Izrailev, Casati

$$u = (t_R / t_L)^{-1} = (R/L)^{-1} = \text{deformation}$$

$$\hbar = \lambda_E / L = 2\pi/(k_E L) = \text{function of } E$$



- [1] A. Barnett, D. Cohen, E.J. Heller (PRL 2000, JPA 2000)
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- [3] S. Bandopadhyay, Y. Etzioni, D. Cohen (EPL 2006)
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- [5] A. Stotland, R. Budoyo, T. Peer, T. Kottos, D. Cohen (JPA/FTC 2008)
- [6] A. Stotland, T. Kottos, D. Cohen (PRB 2010)
- [7] A. Stotland, D. Cohen, N. Davidson (EPL 2009)
- [8] A. Stotland, L.M. Pecora, D. Cohen (arXiv 2010)

Digression - Bilha Segev (1963-2005)



Technion(1988-1996), Harvard (1996-1998), BGU (1998-2005).

Heating of particles by “shaking” the box

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{total}} \approx \mathcal{H} + f(t)V$$

$f(t)$ = low freq noisy driving

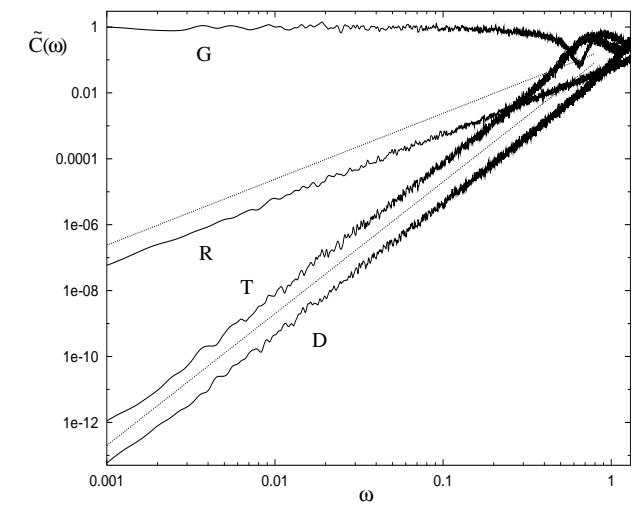
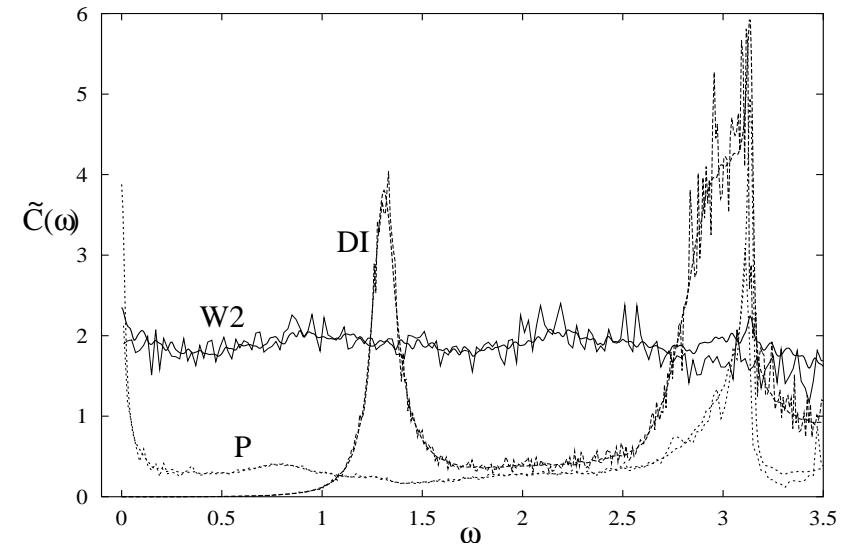
$$\tilde{C}(\omega) = \text{FT } \langle V(t)V(0) \rangle$$

$$\tilde{S}(\omega) = \text{FT } \langle \dot{f}(t)\dot{f}(0) \rangle$$

Kubo formula:

$$D = \int_0^\infty \tilde{C}(\omega) \tilde{S}(\omega) d\omega = g_c \frac{4}{3\pi} \frac{M^2 v_E^3}{L_x} \overline{\dot{f}^2}$$

- $g_c \sim 1$ for “wiggle” deformation.
- $g_c \gg 1$ for “piston” type deformation.
- $g_c \ll 1$ for dilations, translations and rotations.



Barnett, Cohen, Heller (PRL 2000, JPA 2000)

Heating of particles by “vibrating” a piston

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{total}} \approx [\mathcal{H}_0 + U] + f(t)V$$

\mathcal{H} = rectangular ($L_x \times L_y$)

U = deformation ($u = L/R$)

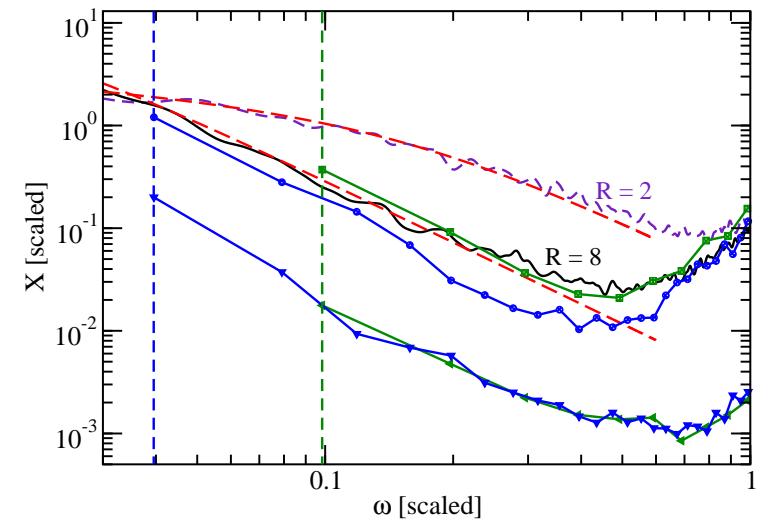
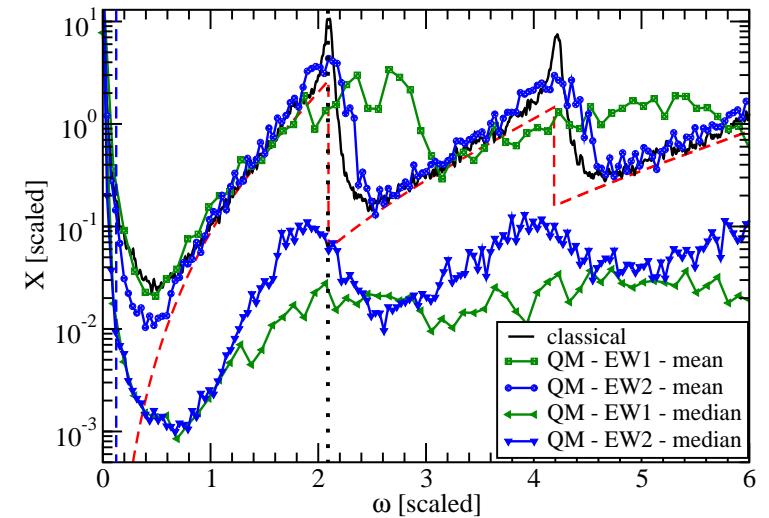
$$\tilde{C}(\omega) = \text{FT } \langle V(t)V(0) \rangle$$

$$C(\omega \gg 1/t_L) = \frac{8}{3\pi} \frac{\mathbf{M}^2 v_E^3}{L_x} \equiv C_\infty$$

$$\tilde{C}(\omega \ll 1/t_L) \approx C_\infty \times \left(\frac{1}{u} \right) \times \ln \left(\frac{2}{\omega t_R} \right)$$

Kubo formula:

$$D = \int_0^\infty \tilde{C}(\omega) \tilde{S}(\omega) d\omega = g_c \frac{4}{3\pi} \frac{\mathbf{M}^2 v_E^3}{L_x} \frac{\dot{f}^2}{f^2}$$

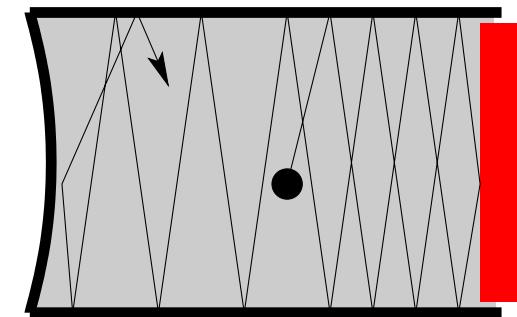


Stotland, Pecora, Cohen (2010)

The sparsity of the perturbation matrix

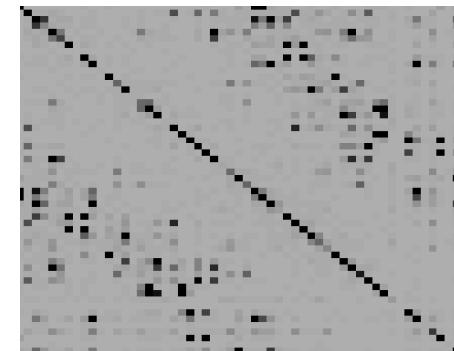
The Hamiltonian in the $\mathbf{n} = (n_x, n_y)$ basis:

$$\mathcal{H} = \text{diag}\{E_{\mathbf{n}}\} + \mathbf{u}\{U_{\mathbf{nm}}\} + f(t)\{V_{\mathbf{nm}}\}$$



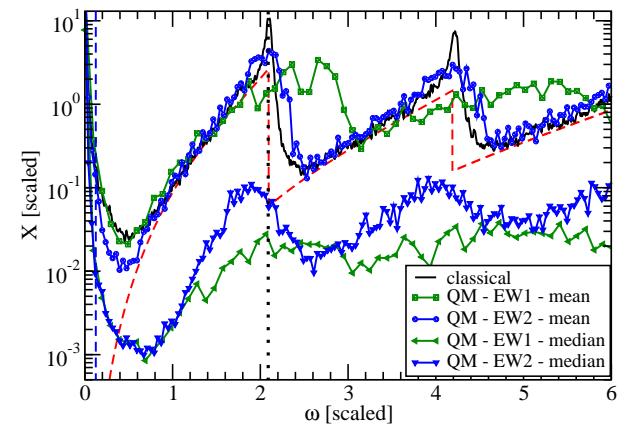
The matrix elements for the wall displacement:

$$V_{\mathbf{nm}} = -\delta_{n_y, m_y} \times \frac{\pi^2}{ML_x^3} n_x m_x \quad [\text{sparse}]$$



The Hamiltonian in the E_n basis:

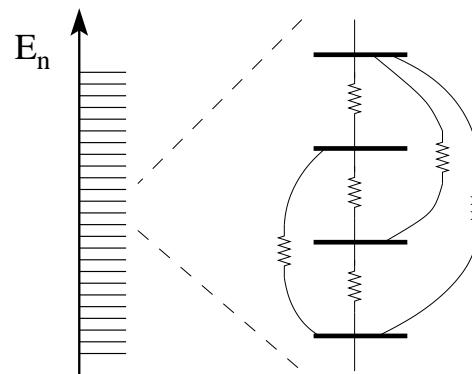
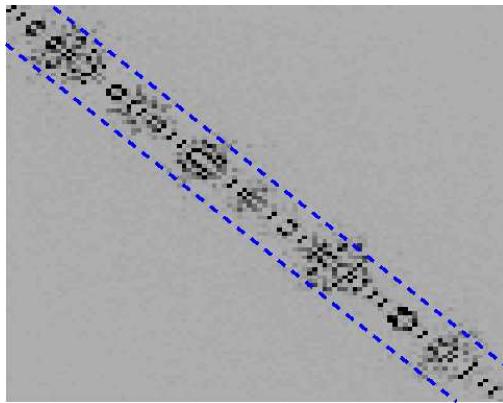
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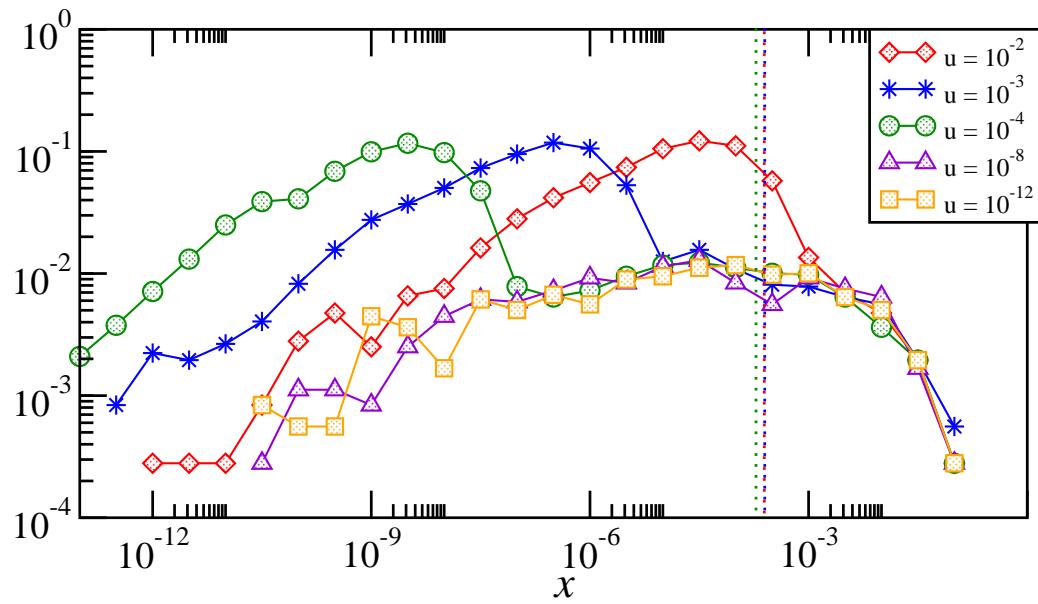
The Kubo formula (LRT):

$$D = \pi \varrho_E \langle \langle |V_{mn}|^2 \rangle \rangle_a \overline{\dot{f}^2} = g_c D_0$$

$\{|V_{nm}|^2\}$ as a random matrix $\mathbf{X} = \{x\}$



Histogram of x :



$x \sim \text{LogNormal}$

$$s[\mathbf{X}] \equiv \frac{\text{PN}[\mathbf{X}]}{\text{PN}[\mathbf{X}^{\text{unf}}]} = \text{sparsity}$$

$$g_s[\mathbf{X}] \equiv \frac{\langle\langle \mathbf{X} \rangle\rangle_s}{\langle\langle \mathbf{X} \rangle\rangle_a} = \text{connectivity}$$

For a random sparse matrix:

$$s, g_s \ll 1$$

For a uniform (along diagonals):

$$s = g_s = 1$$

For a Gaussian matrix:

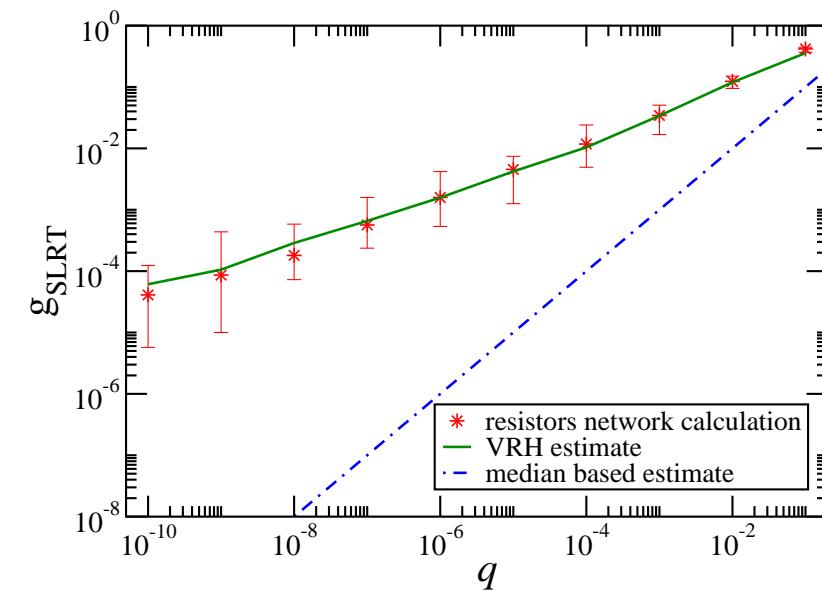
$$s = 1/3, g_s \sim 1$$

RMT modeling, generalized VRH approx scheme

- log-normal distribution q
- finite bandwidth b

$$s = q^2 = (\text{median}/\text{mean})^2$$

$$g_s \approx q \exp \left[2 \sqrt{-\ln q \ln(b)} \right]$$



Digression: Generalized VRH

Definition of the typical matrix element for a range ω transition:

$$\left(\frac{\omega}{\Delta}\right) \text{Prob}\left(x > \textcolor{blue}{x}_\omega\right) \sim 1$$

In the standard-like case (ring with strong disorder):

$$x_\omega \approx v_F^2 \exp\left(\frac{\Delta_l}{|\omega|}\right) \quad [\text{corresponding to a log-box distribution}]$$

An example for the power spectrum of the driving:

$$\tilde{S}(\omega) \propto \exp\left(-\frac{|\omega|}{T}\right) \quad [\text{here the temperature } T \iff \omega_c]$$

Generalized VRH estimate:

$$D_{\text{SLRT}} \approx \int x_\omega \tilde{S}(\omega) d\omega \quad [\text{should be contrasted with}] \quad D_{\text{LRT}} = \int \tilde{C}(\omega) \tilde{S}(\omega) d\omega$$

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$$D_{\text{SLRT}} \approx \int \exp\left(\frac{\Delta_l}{|\omega|}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{|\omega|}{T}\right) d\omega$$

The resistor network calculation

$$\mathcal{H} = \{E_n\} - f(t)\{V_{nm}\}$$

$$g_s \equiv \frac{\langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle_s}{\langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle_a}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{G} \overline{\dot{f}^2}$$

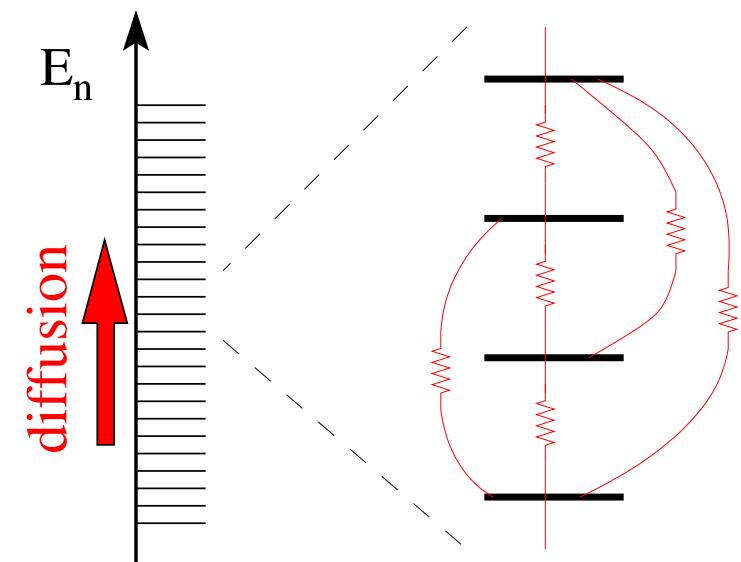
$$G_{\text{LRT}} = \pi \varrho \langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle_a$$

$$G_{\text{SLRT}} = \pi \varrho \langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle_s$$

$$g_{nm} = 2\varrho^{-3} \frac{|V_{nm}|^2}{(E_n - E_m)^2} \delta_0(E_n - E_m)$$

$\langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle_s \equiv$ inverse resistivity

LRT applies if the driven transitions are slower than the environmental relaxation



Digression: the Fermi golden rule picture

Master equation:

$$\frac{dp_n}{dt} = - \sum_m w_{nm} (p_n - p_m)$$

The Hamiltonian in the standard representation:

$$\mathcal{H} = \{E_n\} - f(t) \{V_{nm}\}$$

The transformed Hamiltonian:

$$\tilde{\mathcal{H}} = \{E_n\} - \dot{f}(t) \left\{ \frac{iV_{nm}}{E_n - E_m} \right\} \quad \tilde{S}(\omega) \equiv \text{FT} \langle \dot{f}(t) \dot{f}(0) \rangle = 2\pi \overline{|\dot{f}|^2} \delta_0(E_n - E_m)$$

The FGR transition rate due to the low frequency noisy driving:

$$w_{nm} = \left| \frac{V_{nm}}{E_n - E_m} \right|^2 \tilde{S}(E_n - E_m) \equiv \pi \varrho^3 g_{nm} \overline{\dot{f}^2}$$

The LRT / SLRT formula

$$D = \text{average} \left[\frac{1}{2} \sum_n (E_n - E_m)^2 w_{nm} \right] = \pi \varrho \langle \langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle \rangle \times \overline{\dot{f}^2} \equiv G \overline{\dot{f}^2}$$

Digression: random walk and the calculation of the diffusion coefficient

w_{nm} = probability to hop from m to n per step.

$$\text{Var}(n) = \sum_n [w_{nm}t] (n - m)^2 \equiv 2Dt$$

For n.n. hopping with rate w we get $D = w$.

The continuity equation:

$$\frac{\partial p_n}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial n} J_n$$

Fick's law:

$$J_n = -D \frac{\partial}{\partial n} p_n$$

The diffusion equation:

$$\frac{\partial p_n}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2}{\partial n^2} p_n$$

If we have a sample of length N then

$$J = -\frac{D}{N} \times [p_N - p_0]$$

D/N = inverse resistance of the chain

If the w are not the same:

$$\frac{D}{N} = \left[\sum_{n=1}^N \frac{1}{w_{n,n-1}} \right]^{-1}$$

Hence, for n.n. hopping

$$D = \langle\langle w \rangle\rangle_{\text{harmonic}}$$

FGR: $w_{nm} \sim |V_{nm}|^2$

$$D = \langle\langle |V_{nm}|^2 \rangle\rangle$$

SLRT vs LRT

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{total}} \approx \mathcal{H} + f(t)V$$

$$\tilde{C}(\omega) = \text{FT } \langle V(t)V(0) \rangle$$

$$\tilde{S}(\omega) = \text{FT } \langle \dot{f}(t)\dot{f}(0) \rangle$$

Kubo formula:

$$D = \int \tilde{C}(\omega) \tilde{S}(\omega) d\omega$$

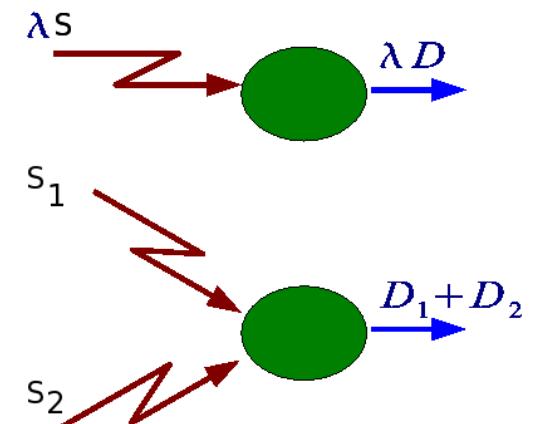
SLRT example:

$$D = \left[\int R(\omega) [\tilde{S}(\omega)]^{-1} d\omega \right]^{-1}$$

Linear response implies

$$\tilde{S}(\omega) \mapsto \lambda \tilde{S}(\omega) \implies D \mapsto \lambda D$$

$$\tilde{S}(\omega) \mapsto \sum_i \tilde{S}_i(\omega) \implies D \mapsto \sum_i D_i$$



The weak quantum chaos regime

Consider $\mathcal{H}(u)$, where u is a control parameter.

Generically there are 3 parametric regimes [1]:

- First order perturbation theory regime
- Wigner / Fermi-Golden-Rule / Kubo regime
- Non-perturbative / SC / Lyapunov regime

Deforming a chaotic billiard [2,3]

The Wigner regime: $u_c < u < u_b$

$$u_c = \hbar^{3/2} \quad \text{mixing of levels starts}$$

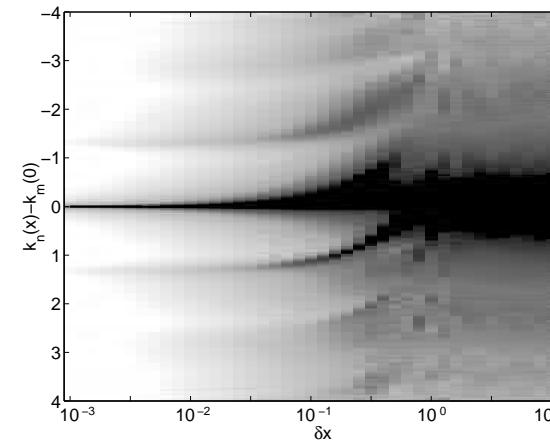
$$u_b = \hbar^1 \quad \text{mixing saturates (\sim bandwidth)}$$

Deforming a rectangular billiard [4]

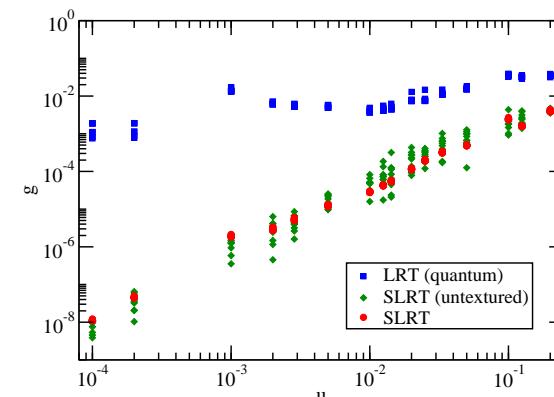
The WQC regime: $u_c < u < u_s$

$$u_c = \hbar^2 \quad \text{mixing of levels starts}$$

$$u_s = \hbar^{1/2} \quad \text{mixing saturates ($g_s \sim 1$)}$$



$$\# \text{ mixed levels} \approx (u/u_c)^2$$



Mixing is non-uniform

[1] Cohen (PRL 1999, Annals 2000)

[2] Cohen and Heller (PRL 2000)

[3] Cohen, Barnett, Heller (PRE 2001)

[4] Stotland, Pecora, Cohen (2010)

Estimates for an experiment

Consider ^{77}Rb atoms at $T = 0.1 \mu\text{K} \quad \leadsto \quad \lambda_E = 1 \mu\text{m}$

Linear size of the trap $L = 10 \mu\text{m} \quad \leadsto \quad h = \lambda_E/L = 0.01,$

SLRT suppression factor for $u \sim 10\%$ deformation is $g_s \sim 0.1$

- Ballistic frequency $\omega_L \approx 220 \text{ Hz}$
- Lyapunov frequency $\omega_R \approx 70 \text{ Hz}, \quad \text{Driving } \omega_c \sim \omega_R$
- Level spacing $\omega_0 \approx 7.5 \text{ Hz}$

FGR condition: $D/\omega_0^3 < (\omega_c/\omega_0)^{\text{power}}, \quad \text{power}=2,3$

Measurability condition: $D/(T^2 \omega_L) > 10^{-3}$

Conclusions

(*) Wigner (~ 1955):

The perturbation is represented by a random matrix whose elements are taken from a **Gaussian** distribution.

Not always...

1. “weak quantum chaos” \implies (log-wide distribution).
2. The heating process \sim a percolation problem.
3. Resistors network calculation to get G_{SLRT} .
4. Generalization of the VRH estimate
5. SLRT is essential whenever the distribution of matrix elements is wide (“**sparsity**”) or if the matrix has “**texture**”.