

V.) Synchronization in Oscillatory Media

Now consider:

(→ Continuous)

- extended system, each site performing self-sustained oscillation

and

- coupling of sites

a.) Oscillator Lattices

Consider:

1) 1D chain, nearest neighbor coupling

2) N elements, frequencies ω_k $k=1, \dots, N$

then generalizing equation for 2 coupled oscillators, find for phase dynamics:
 ↳ osc. and frequency.

$$\frac{d\phi_k}{dt} = \omega_k + \epsilon \sum_{k-1} (\phi_{k-1} - \phi_k) + \epsilon \sum_{k+1} (\phi_{k+1} - \phi_k)$$

$$k=1, \dots, N.$$

i.c.'s: $\phi_0 = \phi_1$

- $k \rightarrow$ index

$$\phi_{N+1} = \phi_N$$

- nearest neighbor coupling.

- linear \rightarrow Bloch.

obviously: (akin to $v \in \mathbb{E}$)

→ $\mathbb{E} = 0$, independent oscillators → ω_i

→ $\mathbb{E} \text{ large} \Rightarrow \mathbb{E} \gg |\omega_i|$

⇒ expect synchronization of / office
as coupling stronger than individual
frequency differences.

→ in between extremes:

as coupling is nearest neighbor,

expect → synchronized clusters / domains, with $k \ll N$
elements

→ several synchronized ω 's \Leftrightarrow 1 per cluster

(aka! Spin Glass) → local domains

[localized domains
of magnetization
order - quenched,
random]

$g = \sin x$

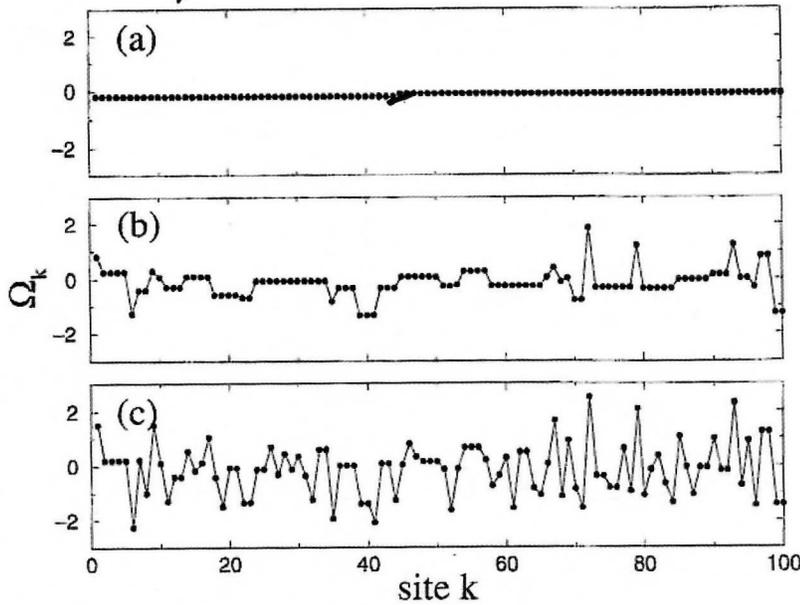


Figure 11.2. Clusters in a lattice (11.1) of 100 phase oscillators with random natural frequencies (normally distributed with unit variance) and the coupling function $g(x) = \sin x$. (a) A two-cluster state at $\epsilon = 4$. (b) Many relatively large clusters at $\epsilon = 1$. (c) A few small clusters plus many nonsynchronized oscillators at $\epsilon = 0.2$.

reminiscent of spin glass

$\epsilon = 4$
 → 2 clusters (large)

$\epsilon = 1$
 → several domains

$\epsilon = 0.2$
 → small clusters + not synchronized

n.b. → shear on ω ?

For continuum limit:

$$\frac{d\phi_k}{dt} = \omega_k + \epsilon g(\phi_{k-1} - \phi_k) + \epsilon g(\phi_{k+1} - \phi_k)$$

$$\approx \omega_k + \epsilon g'[\phi_{k-1} - 2\phi_k + \phi_{k+1}] + \frac{\epsilon g''}{2} [(\phi_{k-1} - \phi_k)^2 + (\phi_{k+1} - \phi_k)^2]$$

Taylor expansion

$$\therefore \epsilon \rightarrow \tilde{\epsilon} / (\Delta x)^2$$

$$\phi_{k+1} - \phi_k \sim O(\Delta x)$$

⇒

$$\frac{\partial \phi(x,t)}{\partial t} = \omega(x) + \alpha \nabla^2 \phi(x,t) + \beta (\nabla \phi(x,t))^2 + \text{h.o.t.}$$

⇒ Phase Diffusion } Phase Evolution Equation

$$\frac{\partial \phi(x,t)}{\partial t} = \omega(x) + \alpha \nabla^2 \phi(x,t) + \beta (\nabla \phi(x,t))^2$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \nabla \phi = -\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x} \rightarrow \text{Snell.}$$

Akin KPZ/Burgers Equation: $(\omega \rightarrow 0)$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \partial_t v + v \partial_x v - \nu \partial_x^2 v = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Burgers Eqn.} \\ \text{1D, zero-}\rho \\ \text{hydro} \end{array}$$

$$v = \partial_x \phi \Rightarrow$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \partial_t \phi + \frac{(\partial_x \phi)^2}{2} - \nu \partial_x^2 \phi = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{KPZ equation}$$

N.B. { First hint of relation/connection to turbulence → shocks.

Some Simple Cases:

a) Waves, Modes.

→ What if $\omega(x)$ non-trivial?

Like Burgers, simplify by Hopf-Cole substitution

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \omega(x) + \alpha \nabla^2 \phi + \beta (\nabla \phi)^2$$

$$\phi = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \ln u$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \frac{1}{u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} &= \omega(x) + \left\{ \alpha \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \left(\frac{1}{u} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{u^2} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)^2 \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} \frac{1}{u} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)^2 \right\} \\ &= \omega(x) + \frac{\alpha^2}{\beta} \frac{1}{u} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \omega(x) u + \alpha \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

düffn.

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \omega(x) u + \alpha \nabla^2 u$$

$$u = u(x) e^{\lambda t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda u = \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \omega(x) u + \alpha \nabla^2 u$$

Sturm-Liouville Problem!

→ If oscillators identical?

$$\omega(x) = \text{const.}$$

1D

$$\phi(x, t) = kx + (\omega + \beta k^2)t + \phi_0 \quad \text{phase}$$

plane wave solution.

- note:
- oscillations synchronous
 - phase shift between pts. non-zero
 - dispersive, sign $\beta \Rightarrow$ type.
 - sensitive to 'b.c.'s

i.e. if $\left. \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right|_{\text{bdry}} = 0 \Rightarrow k=0, \text{ only}$

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→ Recall:

- interested in systems of spatially coupled nonlinear oscillators
- issues of synchronization/coherence primarily concerned with phase

⇒ Phase Diffusion Equation:

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \underbrace{\omega(x)}_{\substack{\text{frequency} \\ \text{distribution}}} + \underbrace{\alpha \nabla^2 \phi + \beta (\nabla \phi)^2}_{\substack{\text{phase} \\ \text{coupling}}} + \underbrace{\epsilon}_{\text{noise}}$$

To obtain:

$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \underbrace{F(x)}_{\substack{\text{basic} \\ \text{oscillation}}} + \underbrace{\epsilon p}_{\substack{\text{perturbation}}}$$

basic oscillation → solves autonomous system.

Now, no loss of generality to take $\epsilon p = D \sigma^2$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \underline{F(x)} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \underline{x}} + \underline{D \nabla^2} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \underline{x}}$$

and, in lowest order perturbation theory:

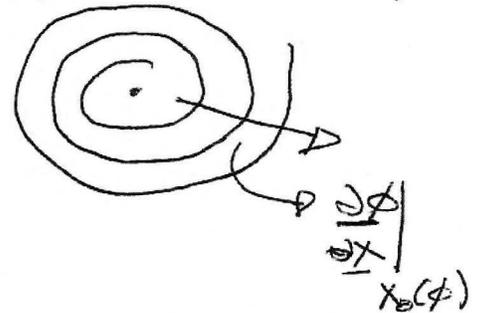
$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \underline{F(x)} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \underline{x}} \Big|_{\underline{x}_0(\phi)} + \underline{D \nabla^2} \cdot \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \underline{x}} \Big|_{\underline{x}_0(\phi)}$$

i.e. evaluated at
p.o. orbit \underline{x}_0 ,
parametrized by
 ϕ

now $\underline{Z}(\phi) \equiv \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \underline{x}} \Big|_{\underline{x}_0(\phi)} \rightarrow$ phase sensitivity
Function (gradient \leftrightarrow u.p.o.)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\phi}{dt} = \underline{F(x)} \cdot \underline{Z}(\phi) + \underline{D \nabla^2} \cdot \underline{Z}(\phi)$$

ω



$$= \omega + \underline{D \nabla^2} \cdot \underline{Z}(\phi) \Big|_{\underline{x}_0(\phi)}$$

$$= \omega + \underline{D \nabla} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{Z}(\phi) \Big|_{\underline{x}_0(\phi)}$$

$$= \omega + \underline{D \nabla} \cdot \left(\underline{Z}(\phi) \cdot \frac{d\underline{x}_0}{d\phi} \underline{\nabla} \phi \right)$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \omega + 0 \left(\frac{\underline{z}(\phi) \cdot d\underline{x}_0(\phi)}{d\phi} \right) \nabla^2 \phi + 0 \left(\frac{\underline{z}(\phi) \cdot d^2 \underline{x}_0}{d\phi^2} \right) (\nabla \phi)^2$$

so finally have phase diffusion equation: (PDE)

$$\boxed{\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \omega + \alpha \nabla^2 \phi + \beta (\nabla \phi)^2}$$

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not a perturbation

here $\alpha = \alpha(\phi) = \underline{z}(\phi) \cdot \frac{d\underline{x}_0(\phi)}{d\phi} \rightarrow$ periodic in T
(basic u.p.o.)

$\beta = \beta(\phi) = \underline{z}(\phi) \cdot \frac{d^2 \underline{x}_0}{d\phi^2} \rightarrow$ periodic in T
(basic u.p.o.)

consistent with p.t., can average: (slow evolution relative T)

$$\bar{\alpha} = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \alpha(\phi(t)) dt$$

\Rightarrow PDE, with const. coefficients.

$$\bar{\beta} = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \beta(\phi(t)) dt$$

all this now begs the question:

How does one actually compute α, β , for a model? ??

→ Computing α, β ! ! → key is $\underline{z}(\phi)$!

- recall, PDE is piece of CGL-esque amplitude equation, i.e. $w = Ae^{i\phi}$
 - attracting cycle
 - ϕ dynamics fast
 - can perturb and solve A variation to ϕ perturbation.

- CGL, in turn, derived from reductive perturbation theory (i.e. glorified Poincaré-Lindstedt p.t.) which is:

- perturbation about limit cycle
- restricted close to threshold
- solvability equation for secularity removal.

⇒ will look at perturbation about cycle!

Thus, not surprisingly can exploit Floquet theory to construct α, β !

Recall: Floquet theory from parametric instabilities!

↳ solutions of pde/ode with T-periodic potential

now, consider: $\underline{x}(t) = \underbrace{\underline{x}_0(t)}_{\text{u.p. cycle}} + \underline{u}(t)$ (perturbation)

$$\frac{d\underline{y}}{dt} = \frac{\partial \underline{F}}{\partial \underline{x}} \cdot \underline{y}$$

(i.e. small perturbation about cycle)

$$= \underline{L}(t) \cdot \underline{y}(t) \quad \rightarrow \quad T\text{-periodic system}$$

(i.e. \underline{L} has period T)

$$\underline{L}(t) = \left. \frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} \right|_{\underline{x}_b(t)}$$

In general, Floquet theory tells us:

$$\underline{u}(t) = \underline{S}(t) \cdot e^{\underline{\Lambda}t} \cdot \underline{u}(0)$$

\rightarrow structure of solution

constant matrix (from linearization)
 T -periodic matrix, $S(0) = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\underline{S}(t) \cdot e^{\underline{\Lambda}t} \cdot \underline{u}(0) \right) &= \frac{d\underline{S}(t)}{dt} \cdot e^{\underline{\Lambda}t} \cdot \underline{u}(0) + \underline{S}(t) \cdot \underline{\Lambda} \cdot e^{\underline{\Lambda}t} \cdot \underline{u}(0) \\ &= \underline{L} \cdot \underline{S}(t) \cdot e^{\underline{\Lambda}t} \cdot \underline{u}(0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \frac{d\underline{S}(t)}{dt} + \underline{S}(t) \cdot \underline{\Lambda} - \underline{L} \cdot \underline{S}(t) = 0 \right.$$

handy identity equivalent to Floquet solution

→ key to α, β

Now, to construct $\underline{Z}(\phi)$, etc:

define right and left $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{eigenvalues} \\ \text{eigenvectors} \end{array} \right.$

(not Hermitian, etc.)

$$\underline{A} \underline{u}_e = \lambda_e \underline{u}_e$$

$$e = 0, \dots, n-1$$

$$\underline{u}_e^* \underline{A} = \lambda_e \underline{u}_e^*$$

with $\underline{u}_e^* \underline{u}_m = \delta_{m,e}$

→ normalization condition

Now, as basic motion is cyclic oscillation,
 \exists one $\lambda = 0$ (other $\lambda < 0$!)

⇒ corresponds to "rotation mode" - i.e. rotation on cycle

i.e. $\frac{dx}{dt} = F(x)$

$$\frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dx}{dt} \right) = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

∴ $\frac{d}{dt} \underline{u} = \underline{L} \cdot \underline{u}$ satisfied

so $\frac{d\underline{x}_0}{dt} = \underline{S}(t) \cdot e^{-\int_0^t \underline{S}(t) dt} \left(\frac{d\underline{x}_0}{dt} \right)_{t=0}$ \rightarrow as particular solution

and since zero eigenvalue for:

$$\underline{u}_0 = \left. \frac{d\underline{x}_0}{dt} \right|_{t=0}$$

$$\underline{S}(t) \cdot \underline{u}_0 = \frac{d\underline{x}_0(t)}{dt}$$

Now, noting definitions:

$I(\phi) \equiv$ isochronal surface (surface of orbits $\underline{x}(\phi)$)
 $T(\phi) \equiv$ tangent surface to $I(\phi)$

$I(\phi) \rightarrow n$ dims.

$T(\phi) \rightarrow n-1$ dims.

and \underline{A} eigenvalues $\begin{cases} 1 \text{ zero} \\ \text{others negative} \end{cases}$

so for any $\underline{u}(t)$ on $T(\phi)$, $\underline{u}(t) \rightarrow 0$
 $t \rightarrow \infty$

if $\underline{u}(0) \cdot \underline{u}_0 = 0$

Now, then: $\underline{Z}(\phi) \cdot \underline{U}_\rho = 0$, for $\rho \neq 0$
 (i.e. not corresponding to zero eigenvalue)

$$\left. \frac{dx}{d\phi} \right|_{x(\phi)} \rightarrow \underline{so} \quad \underline{Z}(\phi) \perp T(\phi)$$

∴ can take $\underline{U}_0^* = \underline{Z}(0)$

de eigenvector for left zero eigenvalue determines $\underline{Z}(0)$!

Note: Proportionality? (= us ~, above)

$$\underline{U}_0^* \cdot \underline{U}_0 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \underline{Z}(0) \cdot \frac{dx_0}{dt} \right|_{t=0} = 1, \quad \text{for } \omega = 1 \quad (\text{Kuramoto normalization})$$

Now, can note:

$$\underline{Z}(t) \cdot \frac{dx_0(t)}{dt} = 1, \quad \underline{on} \quad \underline{cycle} \quad (\text{defines } \omega = 1)$$

and for particular solution: $\underline{S}(t) \cdot \underline{U}_0 = \frac{dx_0}{dt}$
 ($\lambda = 0$)

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$$1 = \frac{d\underline{x}_0}{dt} \cdot \underline{Z}(t)$$

$$1 = \frac{d\underline{x}_0}{dt} \cdot \underline{U}_0^* \underline{S}^{-1}(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\underline{Z}(t) = \underline{U}_0^* \underline{S}^{-1}(t)} \rightarrow \text{solves for } \underline{Z} / \underline{0}$$

so, can immediately write: (PDE)

$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = 1 + \epsilon \Omega(\phi) + \Omega^{(1)}(\phi) \nabla^2 \phi + \Omega^{(2)}(\phi) (\nabla \phi)^2$$

↳ perturbation

$$\Omega(\phi) = \frac{\partial \phi / \partial x}{X(\phi)} \cdot P(X) \equiv \underline{Z}(\phi) \cdot \underline{\Pi}(\phi)$$

$$\Omega^{(1)}(\phi) = \underline{Z}(\phi) \cdot \underline{D} \cdot \frac{d\underline{X}_0(\phi)}{d\phi} \quad (\text{in general, } \underline{D})$$

$$\Omega^{(2)}(\phi) = \underline{Z}(\phi) \cdot \underline{D} \cdot \frac{d^2 \underline{X}_0(\phi)}{d\phi^2}$$

$$\text{here: } \Omega(\phi) = \underline{U}_0^* \underline{S}^{-1}(\phi) \cdot \underline{\Pi}(\phi)$$

and $\Omega^{(1)}(\phi) = \underline{u}_0^\dagger \underline{S}^{-1}(\phi) \cdot \underline{D} \cdot \underline{S}(\phi) \cdot \underline{u}_0$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{dx_0/d\phi}$

$$\Omega^{(2)}(\phi) = \underline{u}_0^\dagger \cdot \underline{S}^{-1}(\phi) \cdot \underline{D} \cdot \frac{d\underline{S}(\phi)}{d\phi} \cdot \underline{u}_0$$

→ "Now isn't that special!"

- Church Lady (SNL)

→ Application to CGL

- before, derived phase equation for Stuart-Landau systems, i.e. no spatial coupling

- now, add such coupling

∴ prototypical CGL:

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial t} = \underbrace{(1 + iC_0)}_{\substack{\text{growth} \\ \text{Frequency}}} W + \underbrace{(1 + iC_1) \nabla^2 W}_{\substack{\text{diffusive} \\ \text{coupling}}} - \underbrace{(1 + iC_2) |W|^2 W}_{\substack{\text{nonlinear} \\ \text{saturation}}} \quad \text{NL Frequency shift.}$$

Now, CGL can be written in matrix form:

$$\begin{cases}
 W = x + iy \\
 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda(R) + D^2 & -\omega(R) - C_1 D^2 \\ \omega(R) + C_1 D^2 & \lambda(R) + D^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \\
 \lambda = 1 - R^2 \rightarrow \text{per Landau-Stuart (usual)} \\
 \omega(R) = C_0 - C_2 R^2 \rightarrow \text{differential rotation}
 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases}
 \partial_t x = (1 - R^2)x + D^2 x - (C_0 - C_2 R^2)y - C_1 D^2 y \\
 \partial_t y = (C_0 - C_2 R^2)x + C_1 D^2 x + (1 - R^2)y + D^2 y \\
 R^2 = x^2 + y^2
 \end{cases}$$

so can re-write as:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = x - c_0 y - (x - c_2 y)(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$- \frac{dy}{dt} = y + c_0 x - (y + c_2 x)(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\text{and } \underline{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -C_1 \\ C_1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{e.g. } \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & -\omega \\ \omega & \lambda \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + \underline{D} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

Now, to construct PDE, need Λ and its eigenvalues, eigenvectors.

so
$$W(t) = W_0(t) [1 + \hat{W}(t)]$$

$$\underbrace{W_0(t)}_{\text{periodic soln}} \rightarrow \text{perturbation}$$

$$\frac{dW}{dt} = (1 + ic_1)W - (1 + ic_2)|W|^2 W$$

so
$$\begin{cases} W_0(t) = \exp[i\omega_0 t] \\ \omega_0 = c_1 - c_2 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{periodic solution (u.p.o.)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (W_0(t) [1 + \hat{W}(t)]) = (1 + ic_1) W_0(t) [1 + \hat{W}(t)] - (1 + ic_2) |1 + \hat{W}(t)|^2 W_0(t) (1 + \hat{W}(t))$$

Linearizing \Rightarrow

$$\boxed{\frac{d\hat{W}}{dt} = (1 + ic_2) (\hat{W} + \hat{W}^*)}$$

Taking $W = \Sigma + i\eta$, can re-write above:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \xi \\ \eta \end{pmatrix} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \xi \\ \eta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\Delta}} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \xi(t) \\ \eta(t) \end{pmatrix} = e^{\Delta t} \begin{pmatrix} \xi(0) \\ \eta(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

Also need $S(t)$ (ultimately tied to $W_0(t)$).

Now;

$$W(t) = W_0(t) [1 + \tilde{W}(t)]$$

$$\text{if } \begin{cases} x = x - x_0(t) \\ y = y - y_0(t) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = S(t) \begin{pmatrix} \xi \\ \eta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S(t) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \omega t & -\sin \omega t \\ \sin \omega t & \cos \omega t \end{pmatrix}$$

so have:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{pmatrix} = S(t) e^{\Delta t} \begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ y(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

↳ requisite form

Now, need diagonalize Δ :

$$\underline{\Delta} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ c_2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \underline{u}_0 &= u_0 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \underline{u}_0^+ &= u_0^{-1} (-c_2, 1) \end{aligned} \right\} \lambda_0 = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \underline{u}_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ c_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ \underline{u}_1^+ &= (1, 0) \end{aligned} \right\} \lambda_1 = -2$$

and can now calculate $\Omega^{(1)}, \Omega^{(2)}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega^{(1)}(\phi) &= \underline{u}_0^+ \cdot \underline{S}^{-1}(\phi) \cdot \underline{0} \cdot \underline{S}(\phi) \cdot \underline{u}_0 \\ &= 1 + c_1 c_2 \\ &\equiv \alpha \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\Omega(\phi) = \underline{u_0^*} \cdot \underline{S^{-1}(\phi)} \cdot \underline{D} \cdot \underline{dS} \cdot \underline{u_0}$$
$$\underline{\underline{\frac{d\phi}{dt}}}$$

$$\Omega = u_0 (C_2 - C_1) \equiv \beta$$

Note: For $1 + C_1 C_2 < 0 \Rightarrow$ negative phase diffusion!

\Rightarrow "phase turbulence"

And now for something completely different... 87%
 - Monty Python

→ Phase Roughening and De Coherence Roughening
→ variability
of phase
profile.
 ↳ { Coherence / De Coherence
 of oscillator system

have PDE, with $\alpha, \beta = \text{const.}$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dt} = \omega(\underline{x}) + \alpha (\underline{\nabla}\phi)^2 + \beta \nabla^2 \phi \quad (\text{n.b. reversed notation})$$

if: $\omega = \text{const.} \Rightarrow$ KPZ / Burgers Equation

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \omega + \alpha (\underline{\nabla}\phi)^2 + \beta \nabla^2 \phi$$

$$\frac{\partial \underline{\nabla}\phi}{\partial t} = \underline{\nabla}\omega + \beta \nabla^2 (\underline{\nabla}\phi) + 2\alpha \underline{\nabla}\phi \cdot \underline{\nabla}(\underline{\nabla}\phi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \underline{v}}{\partial t} + \lambda \underline{v} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{v} &= \nu \nabla^2 \underline{v} \\ \underline{v} &= \underline{\nabla}\phi \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} N\text{-dim} \\ \text{Burgers Eqn.} \\ (\text{zero-pressure hydro.}) \end{array}$$

⇒ - Burgers solvable by Hopf-Cole subst. ($\phi = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \ln u$)
 - with noise → Burgers turbulence → Fluids

- $\omega = \omega(x) \Rightarrow$ convert to imaginary time Schrödinger equation via Hopf-Cole substitution

$$i\hbar \rightarrow \hbar = \hbar x + (\omega + \beta \hbar^2) t + \phi_n \rightarrow \text{b.c. sensitivity.}$$

→ Now, consider synchronization with noise:

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \omega + \alpha (\nabla \phi)^2 + \beta \nabla^2 \phi + \underbrace{\Sigma(x, t)}_{\text{noise}}$$

Key questions: ① - how "rough" does phase profile get

⇒ "roughness" ↔ measure of deviation from mean value

nb: obviously: "smooth" phase profile ↔ synchronization
"rough" ↔ decoherence
i.e. phase variability large, even for const. ω .

→ ② - understand roughness as function of scale → effective coherence domain size! ?

Thus: Need pdf of phase fluctuations! → F-P Eqn.

Note in weak fluctuation limit, can linearize PDA:

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = \omega + \alpha (\nabla \phi)^2 + \beta \nabla^2 \phi + \Sigma(x, t)$$

$\langle \phi \rangle$ and linear term ⇒ Doppler shift

so, in Fourier space:

$$\frac{\partial \phi_k}{\partial t} = \omega \delta_{k,0} - \beta k^2 \phi_k + \Sigma_k(t)$$

Now, for simple case of white noise:

$$\langle \Sigma_k(t) \Sigma_{k'}(t') \rangle = 2\nu^2 \delta_{k,k'} \delta(t-t')$$

so, can write F.P.E. from Langevin equation:

$$P = P(\phi_k) \rightarrow \text{pdf of phases } (k \neq 0)$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial t} = - \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi_k} \left\{ (-k^2 \beta \phi_k) P - \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi_k} D P \right\} \quad \frac{d\phi}{dt} = -\alpha \phi + \Sigma$$

$$D = \nu^2 \left\langle \frac{d\phi_k}{dt} \right\rangle^2 = \frac{\langle \partial \phi_k \partial \phi_k \rangle}{2\Delta t}$$

so isomorphic to Brownian motion \Rightarrow

$$P_{\text{equ}}(\phi_k) = c \exp \left[-\phi_k^2 / (D/\beta k^2) \right]$$

$\therefore \phi_k$ has: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Gaussian Pdf (linearized)} \\ \text{with variance: } \text{Var}(\phi_k) \simeq D/\beta k^2 \end{array} \right.$

$\therefore \rightarrow \text{var}(\phi_k) \Rightarrow \text{divergent at large scale}$

\rightarrow for spectrum:

$$|\phi_k|_{\omega}^2 = 2\sigma^2 / (\omega^2 + (\beta k^2)^2)$$

$$|\phi_k|^2 = \int \frac{d\omega}{(\beta k^2)} \frac{2\sigma^2}{\left(\frac{\omega}{\beta k^2}\right)^2 + 1} \frac{\beta k^2}{(\beta k^2)^2}$$

$$\approx 1/\beta k^2$$

(retaining ω_0 no effect) $\langle \phi \rangle$

\therefore spectrum of phase fluctuations divergent at large scale, too

Thus, roughness "intensity" can be determined by integration:

$$|\phi|^2 = \int_{k_{\min}}^{k_{\max}} 1/\beta k^2 k^{d-1} dk$$

(for arbitrary dimension)

$$= \begin{cases} 1/k_{\min} \sim L_{\max} & - & d=1 \\ \ln L & - & d=2 \\ \text{infrared convergent} & - & d \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

⇒ "phase roughness is a strong function of dimensionality of system" is the lesson ...

What is the Point - What Does "Roughening" Mean?

- smooth phase profile ⇒ coherence
- "rough" " " ⇒ decoherence
- ↳ large variance



in spite of:

- all frequencies can, in principle, be the same at all points

⇒ oscillators can be
 { synchronized
 but
not coherent }

- profile random walks

- { synchronized and coherent on small scale
- { de-coherent on large scale.

→ The Fans now ask - "What about the nonlinear case?"

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{\partial \phi_k}{\partial t} = -\beta k^2 \phi_k + \alpha (\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \phi)_k + \tilde{\epsilon}_k(t)$$

seek extract "effective β " from $(\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \phi)_k$

i.e.

$$(\nabla \phi \cdot \nabla \phi)_k = \alpha \sum_{k'} -i \hat{\phi}_{-k'} \cdot i (k+k') \hat{\phi}_{k+k'} \equiv -\gamma_k \hat{\phi}_k$$

⇒

$$\frac{\partial \hat{\phi}_{k+k'}}{\partial t} + \beta k^2 \hat{\phi}_{k+k'} + \gamma_{k+k'} \hat{\phi}_{k+k'} = -\alpha \underline{k}' \cdot \underline{k} \hat{\phi}_{k'} \hat{\phi}_k$$

$$\hat{\phi}_{k+k'} = (-i\omega'' + \beta k''^2 + \gamma_{k+k'})^{-1} (-\alpha \underline{k}' \cdot \underline{k} \hat{\phi}_{k'} \hat{\phi}_k)$$

$$\Rightarrow +\gamma_k = +\alpha^2 \sum_{k', \omega'} (\underline{k}' \cdot \underline{k} + \underline{k}') (\underline{k}' \cdot \underline{k}) (-i\omega'' + \beta k''^2 + \gamma_{k+k'})^{-1} |\hat{\phi}_{k'}|^2$$

$$\approx \alpha^2 \sum_{k', \omega'} (\underline{k} \cdot \underline{k}) |\hat{\phi}_{k'}|^2 (-i\omega'' + \beta k''^2 + \gamma_{k+k'})^{-1}$$

(parity)

$$\gamma_k = \alpha^2 \sum_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} \left(k \cdot k' \right) \left| \phi_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} \right|^2 \left\{ \frac{\beta k'^2 + \gamma_{k+k'}}{\omega'^2 + (\beta k'^2 + \gamma_{k+k'})^2} \right\}$$

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$$\gamma_k = \alpha^2 k^2 \sum_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} k'^2 \left| \phi_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} \right|^2 \left\{ \frac{\beta k'^2 + \gamma_{k+k'}}{\omega'^2 + (\beta k'^2 + \gamma_{k+k'})^2} \right\}$$

$$\equiv \beta_k k^2$$

$$\beta_k = \alpha^2 \sum_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} k'^2 \left| \phi_{\frac{k'}{\omega'}} \right|^2 \left\{ \frac{(\beta + \beta_k) k'^2}{\omega'^2 + (\beta + \beta_k) k'^2} \right\}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{so}}{\equiv} \left| \hat{\phi}_{\frac{k}{\omega}} \right|^2 = \left\{ \frac{2\nu^2}{\omega^2 + (\beta + \beta_k) k^2} \right\}$$

and need compute β_k by recursion.

$k \rightarrow 0$

is effectively a "renormalized" $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{dispersion} \rightarrow \text{phase} \\ \text{viscosity} \rightarrow \text{Burgers} \end{array} \right.$

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