

On Metriplectic Dynamics: Joining Hamiltonian and Dissipative Dynamics

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Dynamics – Theories – Models

Goal:

Predict the future or explain the past \Rightarrow

$$\dot{z} = V(z), \quad z \in \mathcal{Z}, \text{ Phase Space}$$

A dynamical system. Maps, ODEs, PDEs, etc.

Whence vector field V ?

- Fundamental parent theory (microscopic, N interacting gravitating or charged particles, BBGKY hierarchy, Vlasov-Maxwell system, ...). Identify small parameters, rigorous asymptotics \rightarrow Reduced Computable Model V .
- Phenomena based modeling using known properties, constraints, etc. used to intuit \rightarrow Reduced Computable Model V . \leftarrow structure can be useful.

Types of Vector Fields, V

Natural Split:

$$V(z) = V_H + V_D$$

- Hamiltonian vector fields, V_H : conservative, properties, etc.
- Dissipative vector fields, V_D : not conservative, relaxation, etc.

General Hamiltonian Form:

$$V_H = J \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} \quad \text{or} \quad V_H = \mathcal{J} \frac{\delta H}{\delta \psi}$$

where $J(z)$ is Poisson tensor/operator and H is the Hamiltonian.
Basic product decomposition.

General Dissipation:

$$V_D = ? \dots \quad \rightarrow \quad V_D = G \frac{\partial F}{\partial z}$$

Why investigate? General properties of theory. Useful for computation.

Overview

- I. Review Hamiltonian systems via noncanonical Poisson brackets
- II. Review previous bracket formalisms for dissipation
- III. Encompassing metriplectic 4-bracket theory

I. Noncanonical Hamiltonian Dynamics

Hamilton's Canonical Equations

Phase Space with Canonical Coordinates: (q, p)

Hamiltonian function: $H(q, p)$ ← the energy

Equations of Motion:

$$\dot{p}_i = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q^i}, \quad \dot{q}^i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_i}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N$$

Phase Space Coordinate Rewrite: $z = (q, p)$, $\alpha, \beta = 1, 2, \dots, 2N$

$$\dot{z}^\alpha = J_c^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\partial H}{\partial z^\beta} = \{z^\alpha, H\}_c, \quad (J_c^{\alpha\beta}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0_N & I_N \\ -I_N & 0_N \end{pmatrix},$$

$J_c :=$ Poisson tensor, Hamiltonian bi-vector, cosymplectic form

Noncanonical Hamiltonian Structure

Sophus Lie (1890) \longrightarrow PJM (1980) \longrightarrow Poisson Manifolds etc.

Noncanonical Coordinates:

$$\dot{z}^\alpha = \{z^\alpha, H\} = J^{\alpha\beta}(z) \frac{\partial H}{\partial z^\beta}$$

Noncanonical Poisson Bracket:

$$\{A, B\} = \frac{\partial A}{\partial z^\alpha} J^{\alpha\beta}(z) \frac{\partial B}{\partial z^\beta}$$

Poisson Bracket Properties:

antisymmetry $\longrightarrow \{A, B\} = -\{B, A\}$

Jacobi identity $\longrightarrow \{A, \{B, C\}\} + \{B, \{C, A\}\} + \{C, \{A, B\}\} = 0$

Leibniz $\longrightarrow \{AC, B\} = A\{C, B\} + \{C, B\}A$

G. Darboux: $\det J \neq 0 \implies J \rightarrow J_c$ Canonical Coordinates

Sophus Lie: $\det J = 0 \implies$ Canonical Coordinates plus Casimirs
(Lie's distinguished functions!)

Flow on Poisson Manifold

Definition. A Poisson manifold \mathcal{Z} is differentiable manifold with bracket

$$\{, \} : C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \times C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$$

st $C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$ with $\{, \}$ is a Lie algebra realization, i.e., is

- i) bilinear,
- ii) antisymmetric,
- iii) Jacobi, and
- iv) Leibniz, i.e., acts as a derivation.

Flows are integral curves of noncanonical Hamiltonian vector fields, JdH .

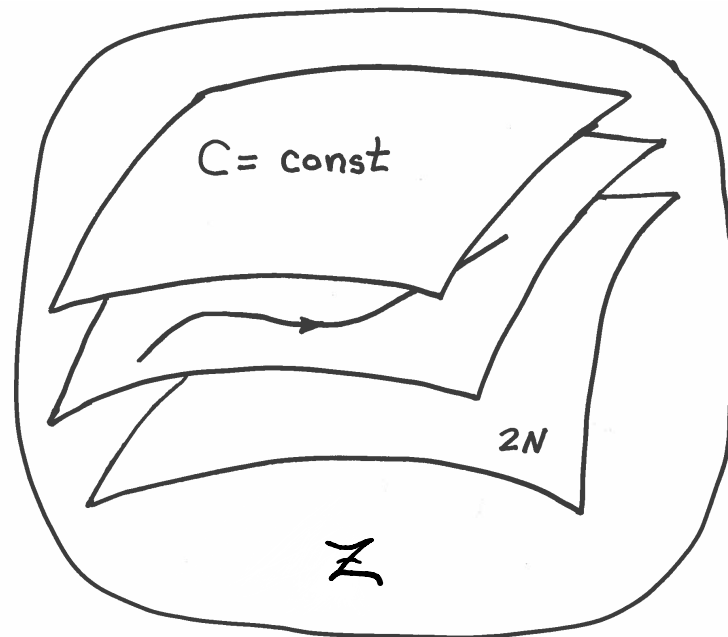
Because of degeneracy, \exists functions C st $\{A, C\} = 0$ for all $A \in C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$. Called Casimir invariants (Lie's distinguished functions!).

Poisson Manifold (phase space) \mathcal{Z} Cartoon

Degeneracy in $J \Rightarrow$ Casimirs:

$$\{A, C\} = 0 \quad \forall A : \mathcal{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

Lie-Darboux Foliation by Casimir (symplectic) leaves:



Lie-Poisson Brackets

Lie-Poisson brackets are special kind of noncanonical Poisson bracket that are associated with any Lie algebra, say \mathfrak{g} .

Natural phase space \mathfrak{g}^* . For $f, g \in C^\infty(\mathfrak{g}^*)$ and $z \in \mathfrak{g}^*$.

Lie-Poisson bracket has the form

$$\begin{aligned}\{f, g\} &= \langle z, [\nabla f, \nabla g] \rangle \\ &= \frac{\partial f}{\partial z^i} c_{ij}^k z_k \frac{\partial g}{\partial z^j}, \quad i, j, k = 1, 2, \dots, \dim \mathfrak{g}\end{aligned}$$

Pairing $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle: \mathfrak{g}^* \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, z^i coordinates for \mathfrak{g}^* , and c_{ij}^k structure constants of \mathfrak{g} . Note $J^{ij} = c_{ij}^k z_k$.

Classical Field Theory for Classical Purposes

Dynamics of matter described by

- **Fluid models**
 - Euler's equations, Navier-Stokes, ...
- **Magnetofluid models**
 - MHD, XMHD (Hall, electron mass physics), 2-fluid, ...
- **Kinetic theories**
 - Vlasov-Maxwell, Landau-Lenard-Balescu, gyrokinetics, ...
- **Fluid-Kinetic hybrids**
 - MHD + hot particle kinetics, gyrokinetics, ...

Applications:

atmospheres, oceans, fluidics, natural and laboratory plasmas

Hamiltonian and Dissipative structures are organizing principles

Free Rigid Body

Angular momenta (L^1, L^2, L^3) , Lie-Poisson bracket with Lie algebra $\mathfrak{so}(3)$, $c_{jk}^{ij} = -\epsilon_{ijk}$.

Hamiltonian:

$$H = \frac{(L^1)^2}{2I_1} + \frac{(L^2)^2}{2I_2} + \frac{(L^3)^2}{2I_3}$$

principal moments of inertia, I_i

Casimir

$$C = (L^1)^2 + (L^2)^2 + (L^3)^2,$$

Euler's equations:

$$\dot{L}^i = \{L^i, H\}$$

Noncanonical MHD (pjm & Greene 1980)

Equations of Motion:

Force	$\rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} = -\rho \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{v} - \nabla p + \frac{1}{c} \mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}$
Density	$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v})$
Entropy	$\frac{\partial s}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla s$
Ohm's Law	$\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B} = \eta \mathbf{J} = \eta \nabla \times \mathbf{B} \approx 0$
Magnetic Field	$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = -\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$

Energy:

$$H = \int_D d^3x \left(\frac{1}{2} \rho |\mathbf{v}|^2 + \rho U(\rho, s) + \frac{1}{2} |\mathbf{B}|^2 \right)$$

Thermodynamics:

$$p = \rho^2 \frac{\partial U}{\partial \rho} \quad T = \frac{\partial U}{\partial s} \quad \text{or} \quad p = \kappa \rho^\gamma$$

Noncanonical Bracket:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \{F, G\} = & - \int_D d^3x \left(\left[\frac{\delta F}{\delta \rho} \nabla \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{v}} - \frac{\delta G}{\delta \rho} \nabla \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \right] + \left[\frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \cdot \left(\frac{\nabla \times \mathbf{v}}{\rho} \times \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \right) \right] \right. \\
 & + \frac{\nabla s}{\rho} \cdot \left[\frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \cdot \nabla \frac{\delta G}{\delta s} - \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \cdot \nabla \frac{\delta F}{\delta s} \right] \\
 & + \mathbf{B} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \cdot \nabla \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{B}} - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \cdot \nabla \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{B}} \right] \\
 & \left. + \mathbf{B} \cdot \left[\nabla \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \right) \cdot \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{B}} - \nabla \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta G}{\delta \mathbf{v}} \right) \cdot \frac{\delta F}{\delta \mathbf{B}} \right] \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

Dynamics:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = \{\rho, H\}, \quad \frac{\partial s}{\partial t} = \{s, H\}, \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} = \{\mathbf{v}, H\}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \{\mathbf{B}, H\}.$$

Densities:

$$\mathbf{M} := \rho \mathbf{v} \quad \sigma := \rho s \quad \text{Lie – Poisson form}$$

Casimir Invariants:

Recall $\mathcal{J}\delta H/\delta\psi$, Casimirs determined by \mathcal{J} for any H .

Casimir Invariants:

$$\{F, C\}^{MHD} = 0 \quad \forall \text{ functionals } F.$$

Casimirs Invariant entropies:

$$C_S = \int d^3x \rho f(s), \quad f \text{ arbitrary}$$

Casimirs Invariant helicities:

$$C_B = \int d^3x \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{A}, \quad C_V = \int d^3x \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

Helicities have topological content, linking etc.

Maxwell-Vlasov Equations

Maxwell's Equations:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = -c \nabla \times \mathbf{E}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} = c \nabla \times \mathbf{B} - 4\pi \mathbf{J}_e$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = 4\pi \rho_e$$

Coupling to Vlasov

$$\frac{\partial f_s}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla f_s - \frac{e_s}{m_s} \left(\mathbf{E} + \frac{\mathbf{v}}{c} \times \mathbf{B} \right) \cdot \frac{\partial f_s}{\partial \mathbf{v}}$$

$$\rho_e(\mathbf{x}, t) = \sum_s e_s \int f_s(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}, t) d^3v, \quad \mathbf{J}_e(\mathbf{x}, t) = \sum_s e_s \int \mathbf{v} f_s(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}, t) d^3v$$

$f_s(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}, t)$ is a phase space density for particles of species s with charge and mass, e_s, m_s .

$$\psi = \left(\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{x}, t), \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x}, t), f_s(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}, t) \right)$$

Maxwell-Vlasov Hamiltonian Structure

Hamiltonian:

$$H = \sum_s \frac{m_s}{2} \int |\mathbf{v}|^2 f_s d^3x d^3v + \frac{1}{8\pi} \int (|\mathbf{E}|^2 + |\mathbf{B}|^2) d^3x ,$$

Bracket:

$$\begin{aligned} \{F, G\} = & \sum_s \int \left(\frac{1}{m_s} f_s \left(\nabla F_{f_s} \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} G_{f_s} - \nabla G_{f_s} \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} F_{f_s} \right) \right. \\ & + \frac{e_s}{m_s^2 c} f_s \mathbf{B} \cdot \left(\partial_{\mathbf{v}} F_{f_s} \times \partial_{\mathbf{v}} G_{f_s} \right) \\ & + \left. \frac{4\pi e_s}{m_s} f_s \left(G_{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} F_{f_s} - F_{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \partial_{\mathbf{v}} G_{f_s} \right) \right) d^3x d^3v \\ & + 4\pi c \int (F_{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \nabla \times G_{\mathbf{B}} - G_{\mathbf{E}} \cdot \nabla \times F_{\mathbf{B}}) d^3x , \end{aligned}$$

where $\partial_{\mathbf{v}} := \partial/\partial\mathbf{v}$, F_{f_s} means functional derivative of F with respect to f_s etc.

pjm 1980,1982; Marsden and Weinstein 1982

Maxwell-Vlasov Structure (cont)

Equations of Motion:

$$\frac{\partial f_s}{\partial t} = \{f_s, H\}, \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} = \{\mathbf{E}, H\}, \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \{\mathbf{B}, H\}.$$

Casimirs invariants:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_s^f[f_s] &= \int \mathcal{C}_s(f_s) d^3x d^3v \\ \mathcal{C}^E[\mathbf{E}, f_s] &= \int h^E(x) \left(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} - 4\pi \sum_s e_s \int f_s d^3v \right) d^3x, \\ \mathcal{C}^B[\mathbf{B}] &= \int h^B(x) \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} d^3x, \end{aligned}$$

where \mathcal{C}_s , h^E and h^B are arbitrary functions of their arguments. These satisfy the degeneracy conditions

$$\{F, C\} = 0 \quad \forall F.$$

Summary

Poisson brackets defined by J , dynamics $\partial\psi/\partial t = \{\psi, H\}$:

$$\begin{array}{lll} J_{RB} & \rightarrow & \text{Casimirs} \\ \mathcal{J}_{MHD} & \rightarrow & \text{Casimirs} \\ \mathcal{J}_{M-V} & \rightarrow & \text{Casimirs} \end{array}$$

Good theories in their ideal limit ($\nu, \eta, \dots \rightarrow 0$) conserve energies, H , and have **Poisson brackets**. Bad theories do bad things: unaccounted energy, unphysical instabilities, etc.

Dissipation? Casimirs are candidates for entropies!

II. Dissipation Formalisms

Codifying Dissipation – Some History

Is there a framework for dissipation akin to the Hamiltonian formulation for nondissipative systems?

Rayleigh (1873): $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{q}_\nu} \right) - \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial q_\nu} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{F}}{\partial \dot{q}_\nu} \right) = 0$

Linear dissipation e.g. of sound waves. *Theory of Sound*.

Cahn-Hilliard (1958): $\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} = \nabla^2 \frac{\delta F}{\delta n} = \nabla^2 (n^3 - n - \nabla^2 n)$

Phase separation, nonlinear diffusive dissipation, binary fluid ..

Other Gradient Flows: $\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \mathcal{G} \frac{\delta F}{\delta \psi}$

Otto, Ricci Flows, Poincarè conjecture on S^3 , Perelman (2002)...

Bracket Dissipation 1980 →

- Symmetric bilinear brackets (pjm 1982)
- Degenerate Antisymmetric Bracket (Kaufman and pjw 1982)
- Metriplectic Dynamics (pjm 1984,1986)
- Double Brackets (Vallis, Carnevale; Brockett, Bloch ... 1990)
- Generic (Grmela, Oettinger 1997) \equiv Metriplectic Dynamics!

Brackets for Dissipation

Two ingredients: Bilinear Bracket + Generator

$$\dot{z} = \{z, H\} + (z, F)$$

where

$$(\cdot, \cdot) : C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \times C^\infty(\mathcal{Z}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$$

What is F and what are the algebraic properties of (\cdot, \cdot) ?

K-M Brackets 1982

Done for plasma quasilinear theory.

Dynamics:

$$\dot{z} = [z, H]_S$$

Properties:

- bilinear
- antisymmetric
- entropy production

$$\dot{S} = [S, H]_S \geq 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad z \mapsto z_{eq}$$

Double Bracket 1989

Good Idea:

Vallis, Carnevale, and Young, Shepherd (1989,1990)

$$\frac{d\mathcal{F}}{dt} = \{\mathcal{F}, H\} + ((\mathcal{F}, H)) = ((\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F})) \geq 0$$

where

$$((F, G)) = \int d^3x \frac{\delta F}{\delta \chi} \mathcal{J}^2 \frac{\delta G}{\delta \chi}$$

Lyapunov function, \mathcal{F} , yields asymptotic stability to rearranged equilibrium.

- Maximizing energy at fixed Casimir: Works fine sometimes, but limited to circular vortex states

Simulated Annealing

Use various bracket dynamics to effect extremization.

Many relaxation methods exist: gradient descent, etc.

Simulated annealing: an **artificial** dynamics that solves a variational principle with constraints for equilibria states.

Coordinates:

$$\dot{z}^i = ((z^i, H)) = J^{ik} g_{kl} J^{jl} \frac{\partial H}{\partial z^j}$$

symmetric, definite, and kernel of J .

$$\dot{C} = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad \dot{H} \leq 0$$

Simulated Annealing with Generalized (Noncanonical) Dirac Brackets

Dirac Bracket:

$$\{F, G\}_D = \{F, G\} + \frac{\{F, C_1\}\{C_2, G\}}{\{C_1, C_2\}} - \frac{\{F, C_2\}\{C_1, G\}}{\{C_1, C_2\}}$$

Preserves any two incipient constraints C_1 and C_2 .

New Idea:

Do simulated Annealing with Generalized Dirac Bracket

$$((F, G))_D = \int d\mathbf{x}d\mathbf{x}' \{F, \zeta(\mathbf{x})\}_D \mathcal{G}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') \{\zeta(\mathbf{x}'), G\}_D$$

Preserves any Casimirs of $\{F, G\}$ and Dirac constraints $C_{1,2}$

For successful implementation with contour dynamics see PJM (with Flierl) Phys. Plasmas **12** 058102 (2005).

Double Bracket SA for Reduced MHD

M. Furukawa, T. Watanabe, pjm, and K. Ichiguchi, *Calculation of Large-Aspect-Ratio Tokamak and Toroidally-Averaged Stellarator Equilibria of High-Beta Reduced Magnetohydrodynamics via Simulated Annealing*, Phys. Plasmas **25**, 082506 (2018).

High-beta reduced MHD (Strauss, 1977) given by

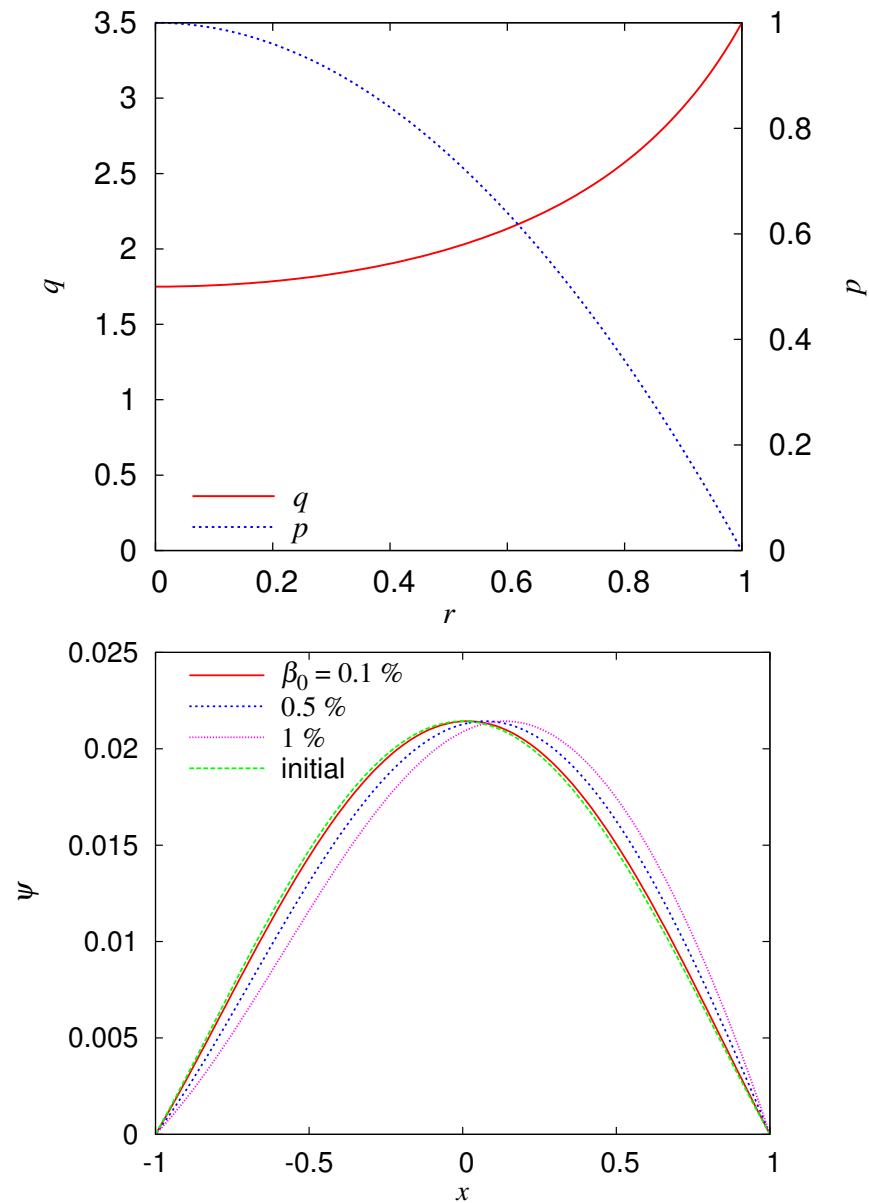
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} &= [U, \varphi] + [\psi, J] - \epsilon \frac{\partial J}{\partial \zeta} + [P, h] \\ \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} &= [\psi, \varphi] - \epsilon \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \zeta} \\ \frac{\partial P}{\partial t} &= [P, \varphi]\end{aligned}$$

Extremization

$$\mathcal{F} = H + \sum_i C_i + \lambda^i P_i, \rightarrow \text{equilibria, maybe with flow}$$

C s Casimirs and P s dynamical invariants.

Sample Double Bracket SA equilibria



Nested Tori are level sets of ψ ; q gives pitch of helical B -lines.

Double Bracket SA for Stability

M. Furukawa and P. J. Morrison, *Stability analysis via simulated annealing and accelerated relaxation*, Phys. Plasmas, 2022.

Since SA searches for an energy extremum, it can also be used for stability analysis when initiated from a state where a perturbation is added to an equilibrium. Three steps:

- 1) choose **any** equilibrium of unknown stability
- 2) perturb the equilibrium with dynamically accessible (leaf) perturbation
- 3) perform double bracket SA

If it finds the equilibrium, then it is an energy extremum and must be stable

Sample Double Bracket SA unstable equilibria

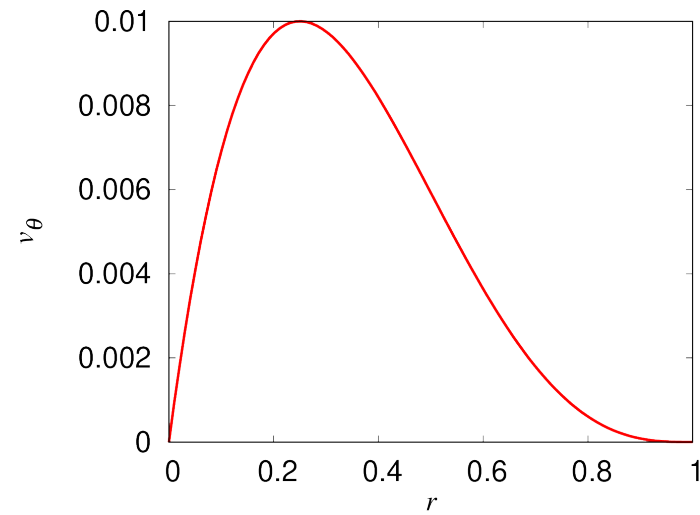
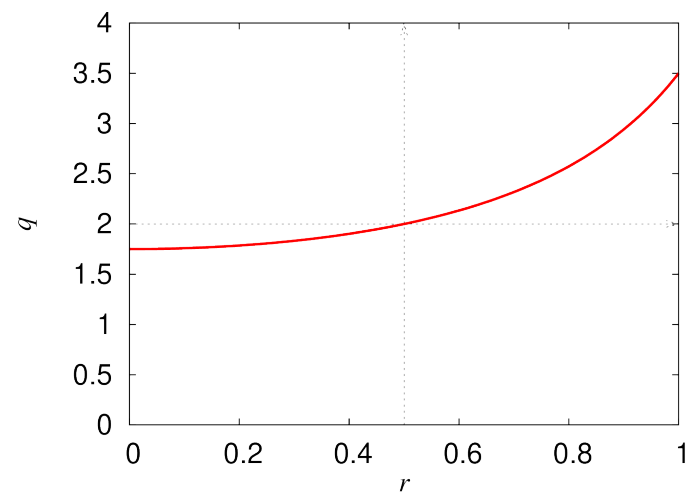
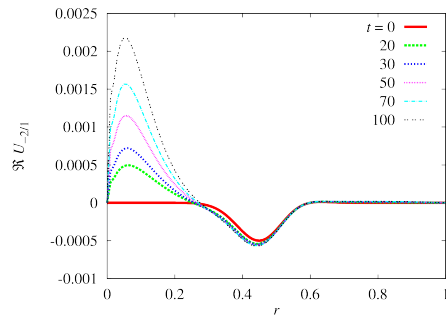
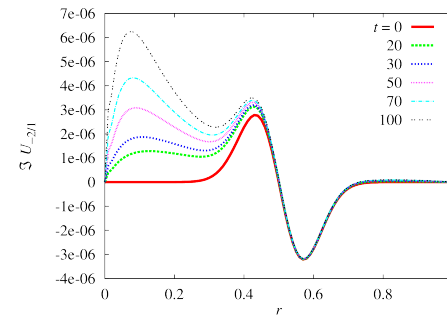


FIG. 12: Poloidal rotation velocity v_θ profile.

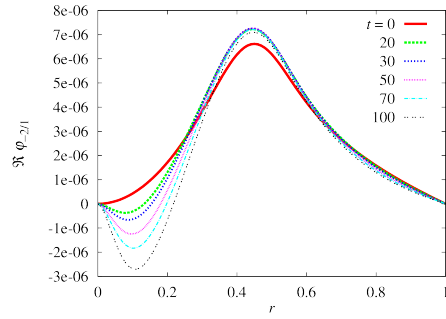




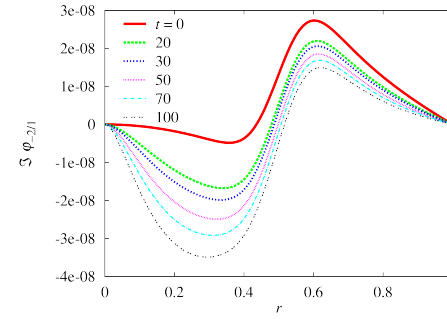
(a) Radial profile of $\Re U_{-2,1}$.



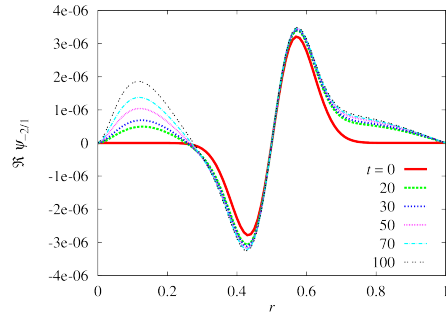
(b) Radial profile of $\Im U_{-2,1}$.



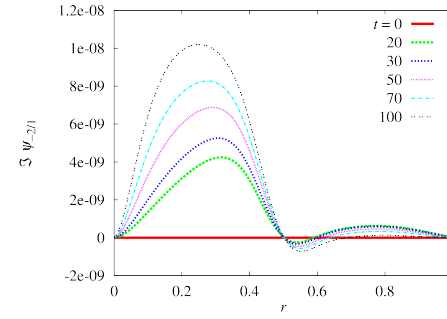
(c) Radial profile of $\Re \varphi_{-2,1}$.



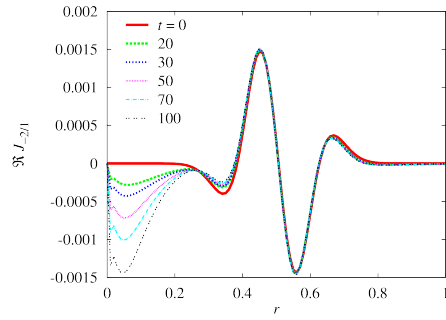
(d) Radial profile of $\Im \varphi_{-2,1}$.



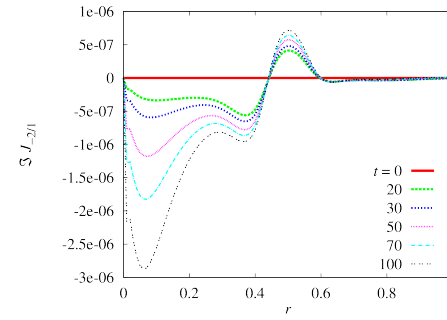
(e) Radial profile of $\Re \psi_{-2,1}$.



(f) Radial profile of $\Im \psi_{-2,1}$.



(g) Radial profile of $\Re J_{-2,1}$.



(h) Radial profile of $\Im J_{-2,1}$.

Metriplectic Dynamics 1984, 1986

A dynamical model of thermodynamics that 'captures':.

- First Law: conservation of energy
- Second Law: entropy production

Metriplectic Dynamics – Entropy, Degeneracies, and 1st and 2nd Laws

- Casimirs of noncanonical PB $\{, \}$ are ‘candidate’ entropies. Election of particular $S \in \{\text{Casimirs}\} \Rightarrow$ thermal equilibrium (relaxed) state.

- Generator: $F = H + S$

- 1st Law: identify energy with Hamiltonian, H , then

$$\dot{H} = \{H, F\} + (H, F) = 0 + (H, H) + (H, S) = 0$$

Foliate \mathcal{Z} by level sets of H , with $(H, A) = 0 \forall A \in C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$.

- 2nd Law: entropy production

$$\dot{S} = \{S, F\} + (S, F) = (S, S) \geq 0$$

Lyapunov relaxation to the equilibrium state. Dynamics solves the equilibrium variational principle: $\delta F = \delta(H + S) = 0$.

Geometrical Definition

A *metriplectic system* consists of a smooth manifold \mathcal{Z} , two smooth vector bundle maps $J, G : T^*\mathcal{Z} \rightarrow T\mathcal{Z}$ covering the identity, and two functions $H, S \in C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$, the *Hamiltonian* and the *entropy* of the system, such that

- (i) $\{f, g\} := \langle \mathbf{d}f, J(\mathbf{d}g) \rangle$ is a Poisson bracket; $J^* = -J$;
- (ii) $(f, g) := \langle \mathbf{d}f, G(\mathbf{d}g) \rangle$ is a positive semidefinite symmetric bracket, i.e., $(,)$ is \mathbb{R} -bilinear and symmetric, so $G^* = G$, and $(f, f) \geq 0$ for every $F \in C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$;
- (iii) $\{S, f\} = 0$ and $(H, f) = 0$ for all $f \in C^\infty(\mathcal{Z})$
 $\iff J(\mathbf{d}S) = G(\mathbf{d}H) = 0$.

Two examples of pjm 1984

Vlasov with Collisions

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = -v \cdot \nabla f - a \cdot \nabla_v f + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} \right)_c$$

where

$$\text{Collision term} \rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} \right)_c$$

could be, Landau, Lenard Balescu, etc.

Conserves, mass, momentum, energy,

$$\frac{dH}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \int \frac{1}{2} m v^2 f + \text{interaction} = 0$$

and makes entropy

$$\frac{dS}{dt} = - \frac{d}{dt} \int f \ln(f) \geq 0$$

Landau Collision Operator

Metriplectic bracket:

$$(A, B) = \int dz \int dz' \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial v_i} \frac{\delta A}{\delta f(z)} - \frac{\partial}{\partial v'_i} \frac{\delta A}{\delta f(z')} \right] T_{ij}(z, z') \\ \times \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial v_j} \frac{\delta B}{\delta f(z)} - \frac{\partial}{\partial v'_j} \frac{\delta B}{\delta f(z')} \right]$$

$$T_{ij}(z, z') = w_{ij}(z, z') f(z) f(z') / 2$$

Conservation and Lyapunov:

$$w_{ij}(z, z') = w_{ji}(z, z') \quad w_{ij}(z, z') = w_{ij}(z', z) \quad g_i w_{ij} = 0 \text{ with } g_i = v_i - v'_i$$

Landau kernel:

$$w_{ij}^{(L)} = (\delta_{ij} - g_i g_j / g^2) \delta(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}') / g$$

Entropy:

$$S[f] = \int dz f \ln(f)$$

Ideal fluid with viscous heating and thermal conductivity.

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$$\frac{\partial v_i}{\partial t} = \{v_i, \mathcal{H}\} \quad (18)$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = \{\rho, \mathcal{H}\} \quad (19)$$

$$\frac{\partial s}{\partial t} = \{s, \mathcal{H}\} \quad (20)$$

where the GPB, $\{, \}$, is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \{F, G\} = & - \int \left(\frac{\delta F}{\delta \rho} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \frac{\delta G}{\delta \vec{v}} + \frac{\delta F}{\delta \vec{v}} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \frac{\delta G}{\delta \rho} + \right. \\ & \left. \frac{\delta F}{\delta \vec{v}} \cdot \left[\frac{(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v})}{\rho} \times \frac{\delta G}{\delta \vec{v}} \right] + \frac{\vec{\nabla} s}{\rho} \cdot \left[\frac{\delta F}{\delta s} \frac{\delta G}{\delta \vec{v}} - \frac{\delta F}{\delta \vec{v}} \frac{\delta G}{\delta s} \right] \right) d^3x. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Upon inserting the quantities shown on the right hand side of Eqs. (18)-(20), into Eq. (21) and performing the indicated operations one obtains, as noted, the invicdd adiabatic limit of Eqs. (10)-(12).

The Casimirs for the bracket given by Eq. (21) are the total mass $M = \int \rho d^3x$ and a generalized entropy functional $\mathcal{S}_f = \int \rho f(s) d^3x$, where f is an arbitrary function of s . The latter quantity is added to the energy [Eq. (17)] to produce the generalized free energy of Eq. (4): $\mathcal{Q} = \mathcal{H} + \mathcal{S}_f$.

In order to obtain the dissipative terms, we introduce the following symmetric bracket:

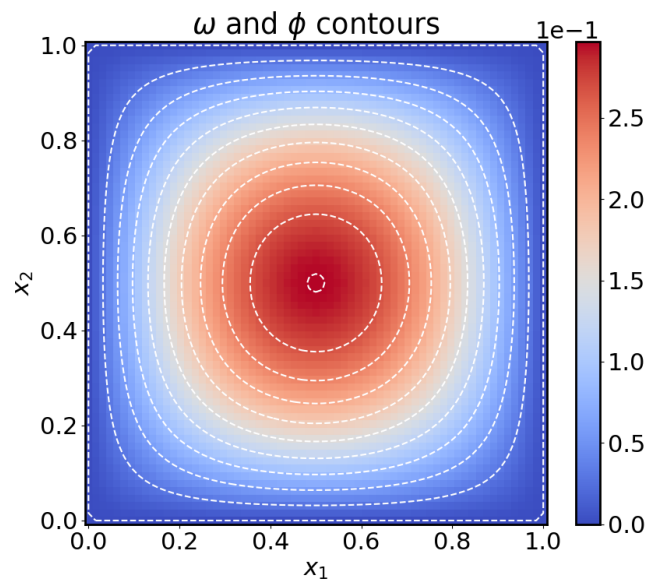
$$\begin{aligned} (F, G) = & \frac{1}{\lambda} \int \left\{ \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta v_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{\sigma_{ik}}{\rho} \frac{\delta G}{\delta s} \right] + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta G}{\delta v_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{\sigma_{ik}}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta s} \right] \right. \\ & + \frac{\sigma_{ik}}{T} \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta s} \frac{\delta G}{\delta s} \right] + T^2 \kappa \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{1}{\rho T} \frac{\delta F}{\delta s} \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{1}{\rho T} \frac{\delta G}{\delta s} \right] \\ & \left. + T \Lambda_{ikmn} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \left[\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta F}{\delta v_n} \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} \left[\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\delta G}{\delta v_i} \right] \right\} d^3x, \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

Metriplectic Simulated Annealing

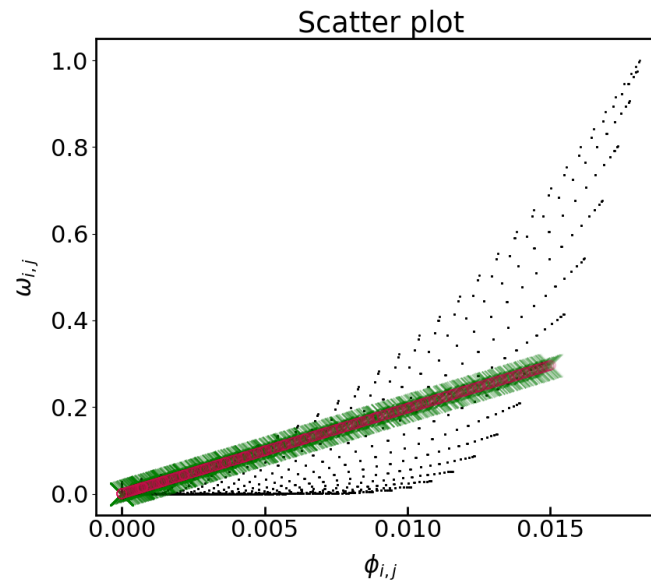
Extremizes an entropy (Casimir) at fixed energy (Hamiltonian)

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Two cases: 2D Euler and Grad Shafranov MHD equilibria.

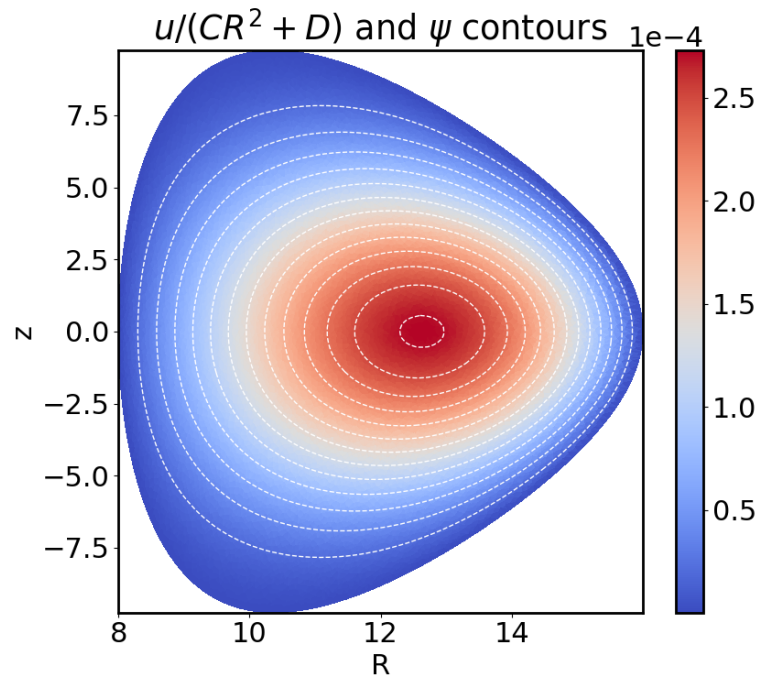


(a) Color plot.

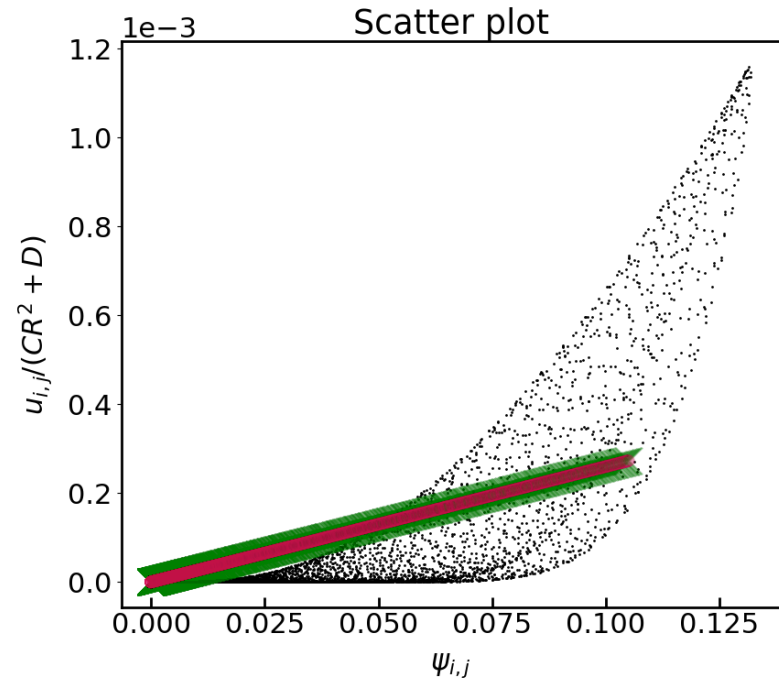


(b) Scatter plot.

Figure 6.7: **Relaxed state for the test case *euler-ilgr*.** The same as in Figure 6.2, but for the collision-like operator.



(a) Color plot.



(b) Scatter plot.

Figure 6.29: **Relaxed state for the *gs-imgc* test case.** The same as in Figure 6.23, but for the collision-like operator and the case of the Czarny domain discussed in Section A.4.2. With respect to Figure 6.27(b) for the diffusion-like operator, we see from (b) that the agreement between the relaxed state and the prediction of the variational principle is better.

III. Metriplectic 4-Brackets for Dissipation

The Metriplectic 4-Bracket

A blend of ideas: Two important functions H and S , symmetries, curvature idea, multilinear brackets all in pjm 1984, 1986. Manifolds with both Poisson tensor J and compatible metric, g .

4-bracket on 0-forms (functions):

$$(\cdot, \cdot; \cdot, \cdot) : \Lambda^0(\mathcal{Z}) \times \Lambda^0(\mathcal{Z}) \times \Lambda^0(\mathcal{Z}) \times \Lambda^0(\mathcal{Z}) \rightarrow \Lambda^0(\mathcal{Z})$$

For functions f, k, g , and n

$$(f, k; g, n) := R(df, dk, dg, dn),$$

In a coordinate patch the metriplectic 4-bracket has the form:

$$(f, k; g, n) = R^{ijkl}(z) \frac{\partial f}{\partial z^i} \frac{\partial k}{\partial z^j} \frac{\partial g}{\partial z^k} \frac{\partial n}{\partial z^l}.$$

Metriplectic 4-Bracket Properties

(i) linearity in all arguments, e.g,

$$(f + h, k; g, n) = (h, k; g, n) + (f, k; g, n)$$

(ii) algebraic identities/symmetries

$$(f, k; g, n) = -(k, f; g, n)$$

$$(f, k; g, n) = -(f, k; n, g)$$

$$(f, k; g, n) = (g, n; f, k)$$

$$(f, k; g, n) + (f, g; n, k) + (f, n; k, g) = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{not needed}$$

(iii) derivation in all arguments, e.g.,

$$(fh, k; g, n) = f(h, k; g, n) + (f, k; g, n)h$$

which is manifest when written in coordinates. Here, as usual, fh denotes pointwise multiplication. Symmetries of algebraic curvature. Although R^l_{ijk} or R_{lijk} but not R^{lijk} . **Metriplectic Minimum.**

Reduction to Metriplectic 2-Bracket

Symmetric 2-bracket:

$$(f, g)_H = (f, H; g, H) = (g, f)_H \quad (1)$$

Dissipative dynamics:

$$\dot{z} = (z, S)_H, \quad (2)$$

Energy conservation:

$$(f, H)_H = (H, f)_H = 0 \quad \forall f. \quad (3)$$

Entropy dynamics:

$$\dot{S} = (S, S)_H = (S, H; S, H) \geq 0$$

Metriplectic 4-brackets \rightarrow metriplectic 2-brackets of 1984, 1986!

Reduction to K-M

Kaufman & pjm, Phys. Lett. A 88, 405 (1982).

K-M dynamics:

$$\dot{z}^i = [z^i, H]_S,$$

K-M bracket emerges from any metriplectic 4-bracket:

$$[f, g]_S := (f, g; S, H)$$

Thus,

$$[f, g]_S = -[g, f]_S$$

and

$$\dot{H} = [H, H]_S = (H, H; S, H) = 0,$$

and

$$\dot{S} = [S, H]_S = (S, H; S, H) \geq 0$$

Reduction to Double Brackets

Interchanging the role of H with a Casimir S :

$$(f, g)_S = (f, S; g, S)$$

Can show with assumptions (Kozul construction)

$$(C, g)_S = (C, S; g, S) = 0$$

for any Casimir C . Therefore $\dot{C} = 0$.

Easy Construction: K-N Product

Given σ and μ , two symmetric bivector fields operating on 1-forms df, dk and dg, dn , the Kulkarni-Nomizu (K-N) product is

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma \oslash \mu (df, dk, dg, dn) &= \sigma(df, dg) \mu(dk, dn) \\ &\quad - \sigma(df, dn) \mu(dk, dg) \\ &\quad + \mu(df, dg) \sigma(dk, dn) \\ &\quad - \mu(df, dn) \sigma(dk, dg).\end{aligned}$$

Metriplectic 4-bracket:

$$(f, k; g, n) = \sigma \oslash \mu (df, dk, dg, dn).$$

In coordinates:

$$R^{ijkl} = \sigma^{ik} \mu^{jl} - \sigma^{il} \mu^{jk} + \mu^{ik} \sigma^{jl} - \mu^{il} \sigma^{jk}.$$

K-N Product \rightarrow Landau Collision Operator

Metriplectic 4-bracket on functionals:

$$\begin{aligned}(F, K; G, N) &= \int \int d^6 z d^6 z' \mathcal{G}(z, z') \\ &\quad \times (\Sigma \otimes M)(F_f, K_f, G_f, N_f)(z, z') \\ &= \int d^6 z \int d^6 z' \mathcal{G}(z, z') \\ &\quad \times (\delta \otimes \delta)_{ijkl} P[F_f]_i P[K_f]_j P[G_f]_k P[N_f]_l,\end{aligned}$$

where

$$F_f := \frac{\delta F}{\delta f} \quad \text{and} \quad P[w]_i = \frac{\partial w(z)}{\partial v_i} - \frac{\partial w(z')}{\partial v'_i}$$

$(f, H; g, H) = (f, g)_H$ becomes metriplectic 2-bracket (pjm 1984).

$(f, H; S, H) =$ Landau collision operator!