

Deformations of Chaotic Billiards and a New ‘Wall Formula’ for Heating Rate

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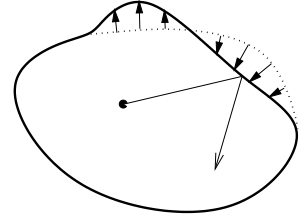
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Summary of the thesis

1. Dissipation rate in deforming chaotic billiards

Doron Cohen PRL **85**, 1412 (2000); [nlin.CD/0003018](#); [nlin.CD/0008040](#)

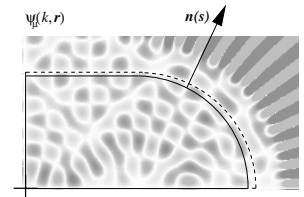
- Quantum-classical correspondence (QCC)
- ‘Special’ deformations
- Improving the ‘wall formula’



2. Improved numerical methods for billiard quantization

Michael Haggerty unpublished

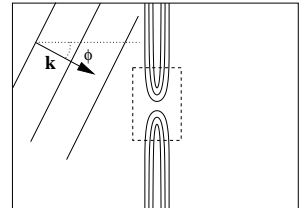
- New ‘sweep’ methods for eigenstates
- Analysis of scaling method of Vergini and Saraceno
- Explained quasi-orthogonality on the boundary



3. Mesoscopic QPC conductance, and scattering in the half-plane

Miriam Blaauboer, Areez Mody [cond-mat/0008279](#)

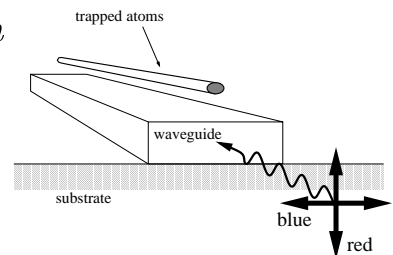
- Transmission cross-section replaces Landauer
- Derivation of maximum tunneling conductance



4. Design of atom waveguide using two-color evanescent light fields

Steve Smith, Maxim Ol'shanii, Kent Johnson, Allan Adams, Mara Prentiss PRA **61**, 023608 (2000)

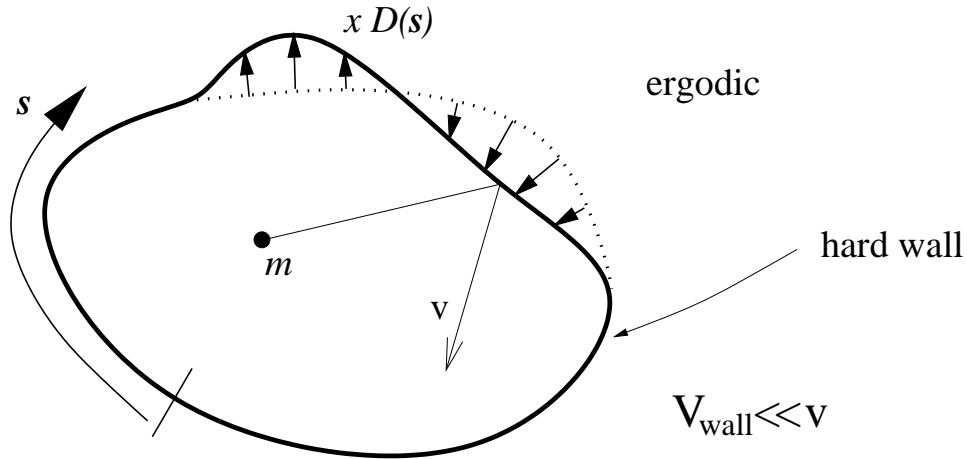
- Solved arbitrary dielectric optical bound modes
- Design equations for atom guiding properties



Outline of today's talk

- Deforming billiards + motivation
- Key statements :
 1. Special class of deformations
 2. Vergini's numerical method
 3. Improve 'wall formula'
- Theory of heating (classical picture)
- The 'wall formula'
- Explain 'special' deformations
- Quantum-classical correspondence + quasi-orthogonality
- Components of a general deformation
- Improved 'wall formula' in action

Deforming billiard (cavity) systems



$D(\mathbf{s}) =$ deformation shape function
 $x(t) = A \sin \omega t$ periodic 'driving'

Question: At what rate is the 'gas' particle heated up?

Motivations

- Dissipation rate of vibrations of nuclei (3D)
 - never considered ω -dependence
- Driven mesoscopic 2D quantum dots (*e.g.* $x =$ gate voltage)
 - find heating rate of electrons

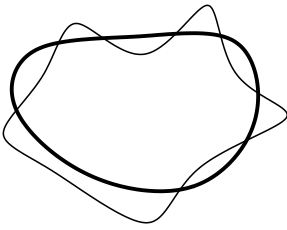
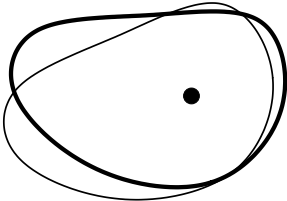
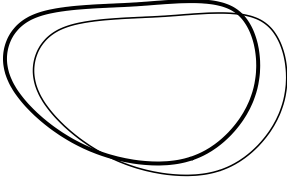
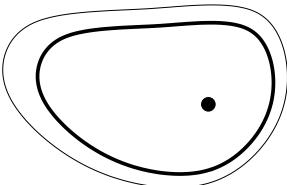
1) Special class of deformations

How does heating rate depend on deformation $D(\mathbf{s})$?

$$\text{heating } \frac{d}{dt} \langle \mathcal{H} \rangle = \mu(\omega) \cdot \frac{1}{2} (A\omega)^2$$

$\mu(\omega)$ = friction coefficient

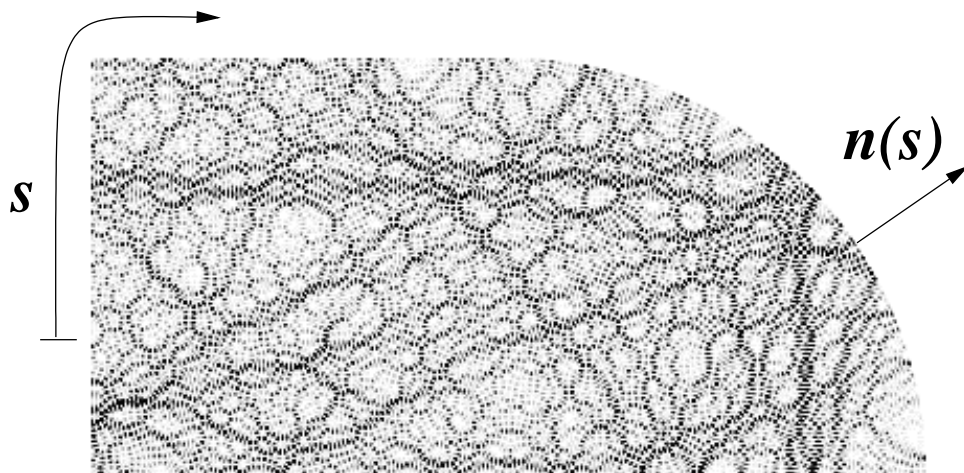
For low frequency $\omega \ll$ collision rate:

Generic		$\mu(\omega) \sim \text{const}$
Rotation		$\mu(\omega) \sim \omega^2$
Translation		$\mu(\omega) \sim \omega^4$
Dilation		$\mu(\omega) \sim \omega^4$

Does **not** depend on billiard shape or chaoticity

Special class surprise: **friction vanishes at dc** $\mu(\omega \rightarrow 0) = 0$

2) Vergini's numerical method



eigenstate ψ_n

boundary function $\varphi_n \equiv \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \psi_n$

Quasi-orthogonality on boundary:

$$\oint (\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{n}) ds \varphi_n(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_m(\mathbf{s}) \propto \delta_{nm} + \text{error} \left(\frac{E_n - E_m}{\hbar} \right)$$

Numerical method for finding eigenstates ψ_n (Vergini)

- 10^3 times more efficient than any other known method!
- finds clusters of eigenstates simultaneously
- needs *error* small close to diagonal

No-one has known size of *error*—including Vergini

I show: mean square $\text{error}(\omega) = a\omega^4$

Due to $\mu(\omega) \sim \omega^4$ for **dilation** deformation

3) Improved ‘wall formula’ estimate for $\mu(0)$

Nuclear physics interest (last 25 years):

- estimate friction $\mu(0)$ given $D(\mathbf{s})$
- assume uncorrelated collisions (strong chaos)
→ ‘wall formula’
- they knew $\mu(0) = 0$ for translations and rotations
→ *ad hoc* corrections

But I know special class of $D(\mathbf{s})$ for which $\mu(0) = 0$

(even for strong chaos)

I show: there is consistent way to *subtract* all special components of a general $D(\mathbf{s})$

...**now** applying wall formula gives *improved* estimate of $\mu(0)$.

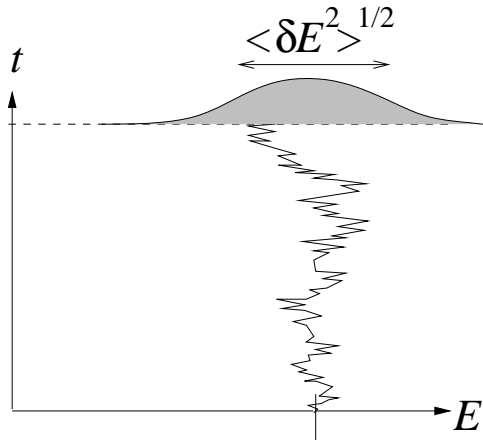
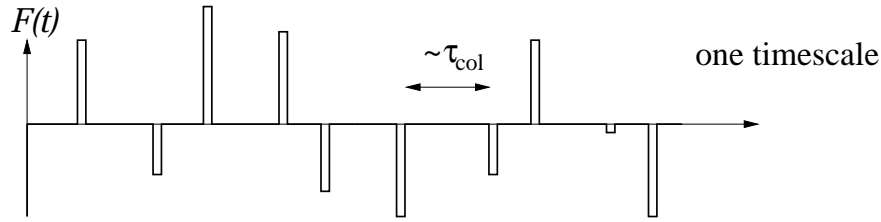
This

- replaces all *ad hoc* corrections
- incorporates special nature of dilation for first time
- allows predictions for $\mu(\omega)$ at finite ω for first time

Theory of heating rate: energy spreading

Particle energy gets random ‘kicks’: $\dot{\mathcal{H}} = -\dot{x}(t)\mathcal{F}(t)$

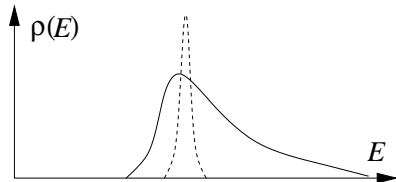
where generalized ‘force’ on parameter $\mathcal{F}(t) \equiv -\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x}(t)$



Diffusive spreading $\langle \delta E^2 \rangle \approx 2D_E t$

$$D_E = \frac{1}{2} \tilde{C}_E(\omega) \cdot \frac{1}{2} (\omega A)^2$$

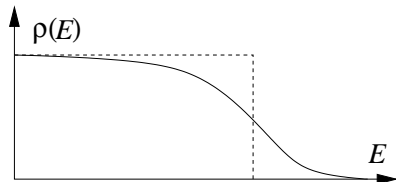
$\tilde{C}_E(\omega) \equiv$ **power spectrum** of $\mathcal{F}(t)$



Causes irreversible energy growth
(Jarzynski, Cohen)

Why?

- D_E increases with E
- drift due to Liouville’s theorem



Friction coefficient $\mu(\omega) \propto \tilde{C}_E(\omega)$... relation depends on $\rho(E)$

The ‘wall formula’: white noise approximation

Seek simple analytic **estimate** of $\tilde{C}_E(0)$

Assume uncorrelated collisions (impulses): $\mathcal{F}(t) = \text{white noise}$

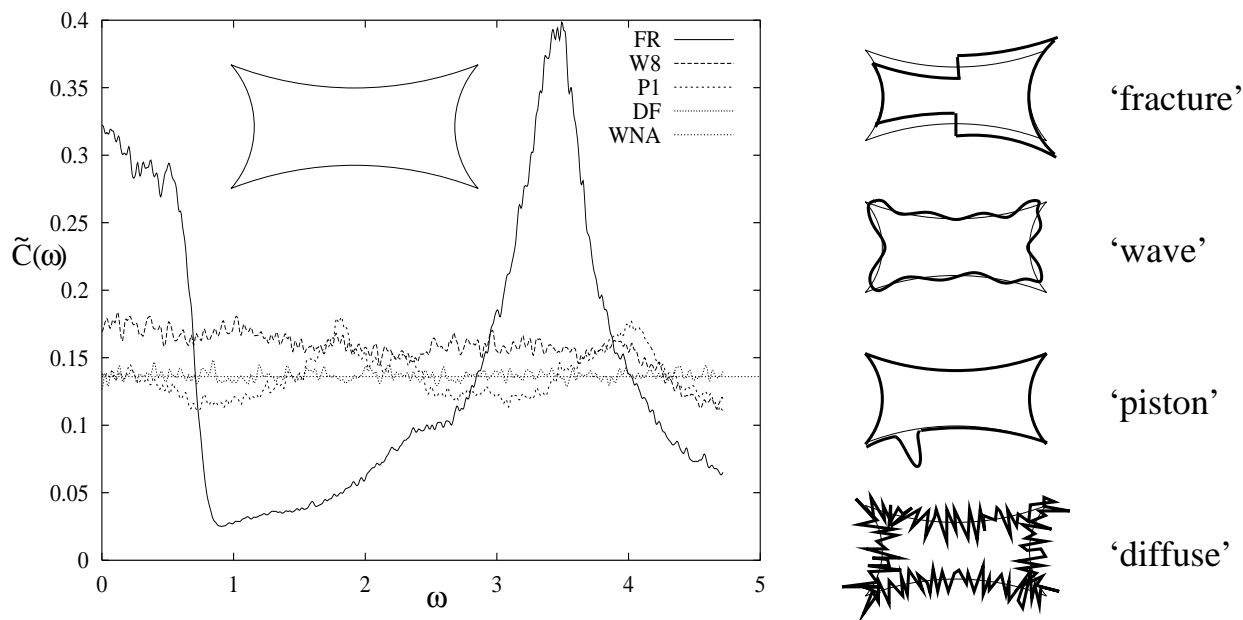
$$\tilde{C}_E(0) \approx \left\langle \sum_{\text{impulses}} \text{self-correlation of impulses} \right\rangle_E$$

$\xrightarrow{\text{ergodicity}} b_E \cdot \oint [D(\mathbf{s})]^2 ds, \quad \text{‘wall formula’ (Swiatecki)}$

Predicts power spectrum **flat**: $\tilde{C}_E(\omega) = \text{const}$

Numerical tests in 2D billiard:

$D(\mathbf{s})$



If $D(\mathbf{s})$ emphasizes correlations \rightarrow deviates from WNA

Explanation of ‘special’ deformations

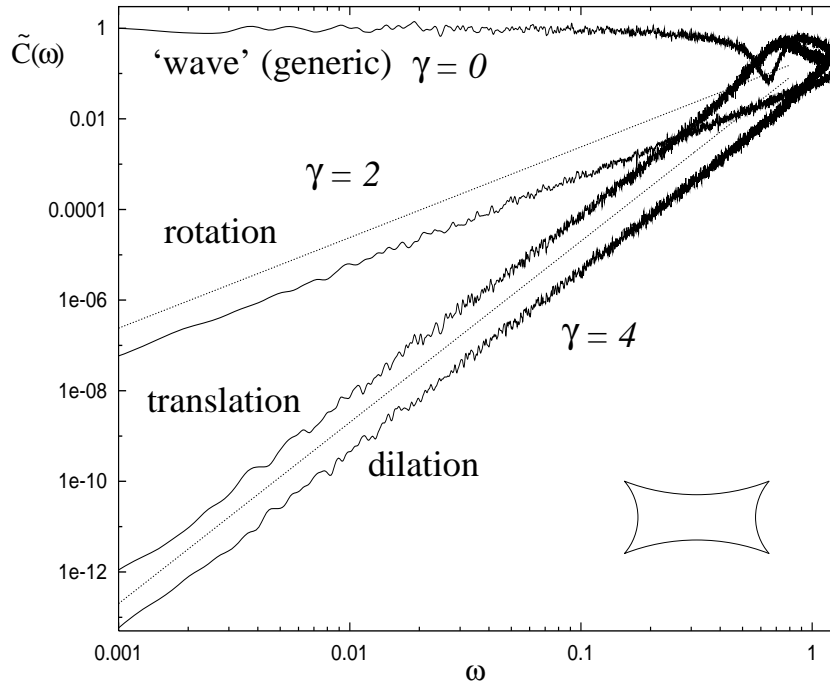
Some $D(\mathbf{s})$, WNA **fails**: $\tilde{C}_E(0) = 0$ (even in strong chaos)

Could always write $\mathcal{F}(t) = \left(\frac{d}{dt}\right)^n \mathcal{G}(t)$

\Rightarrow power spectra $\tilde{C}_E(\omega) = \omega^{2n} \tilde{C}_G(\omega)$ ($d/dt \xrightarrow{\text{FT}} i\omega$)

Special deformations: $\mathcal{G}(t) =$ some function of $(\mathbf{r}(t), \mathbf{p}(t))$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{C}_G(0)$ finite $\Rightarrow \tilde{C}_E(0)$ vanishes



Generic $\tilde{C}_G(\omega) \sim \omega^0 \rightarrow$ power laws $\tilde{C}_E(\omega) \sim \omega^\gamma$, $\gamma = 2n$

- Dilation: $(n = 2) \mathcal{G}(t) = -\frac{1}{2}m\mathbf{r}^2$ since $\mathcal{H} = \text{const}$
- Translation: $(n = 2) \mathcal{G}(t) = m\mathbf{e} \cdot \mathbf{r}$ $\mathbf{e} = \text{const direction}$
- Rotation: $(n = 1) \mathcal{G}(t) = -\mathbf{e} \cdot (\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{p})$ ang. mom.

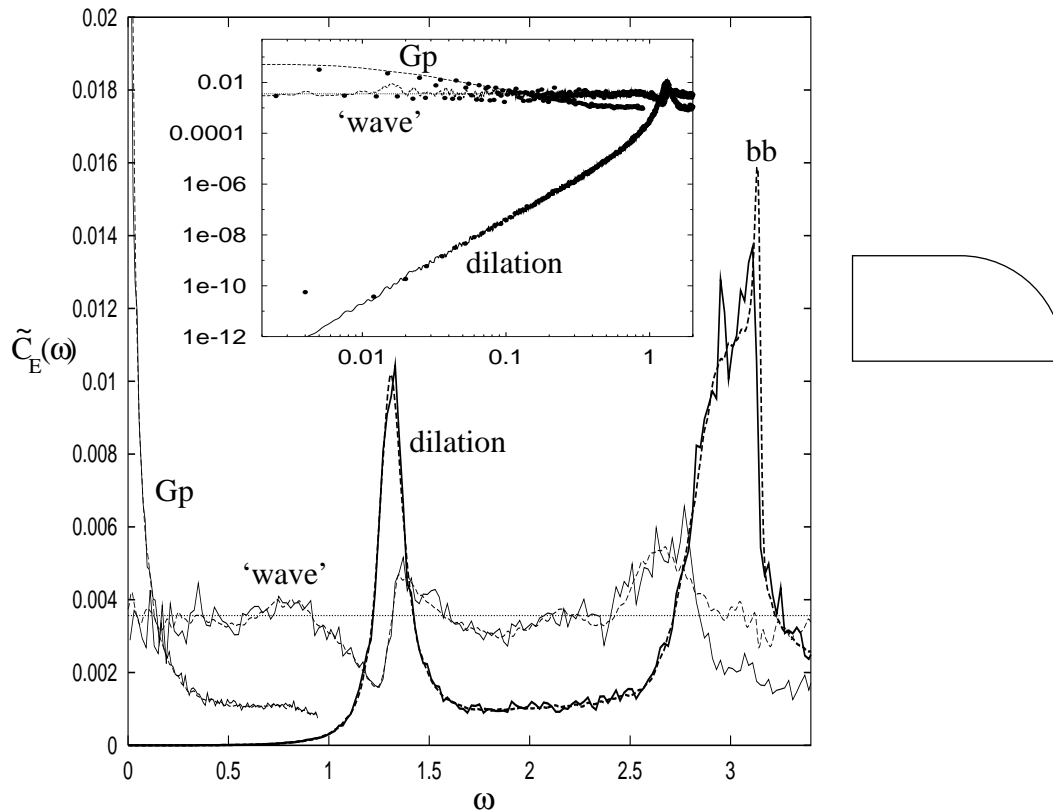
Quantum-classical correspondence (QCC) ?

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{classical} & & \text{QM} \\
 \tilde{C}_E(\omega) \xleftarrow{\text{average}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\tau e^{i\omega\tau} \mathcal{F}(t)\mathcal{F}(t+\tau) & \xrightarrow{\text{expectation}} & \tilde{C}_E^{\text{qm}}(\omega) \\
 (E\text{-shell}) & & (\text{many states at } E)
 \end{array}$$

Semiclassical prediction: $\tilde{C}_E^{\text{qm}}(\omega) \approx \tilde{C}_E(\omega)$ (Feingold, Wilkinson)

Why? Correspondence of dynamics up to ergodic time

Numerical test—excellent agreement (even for special):

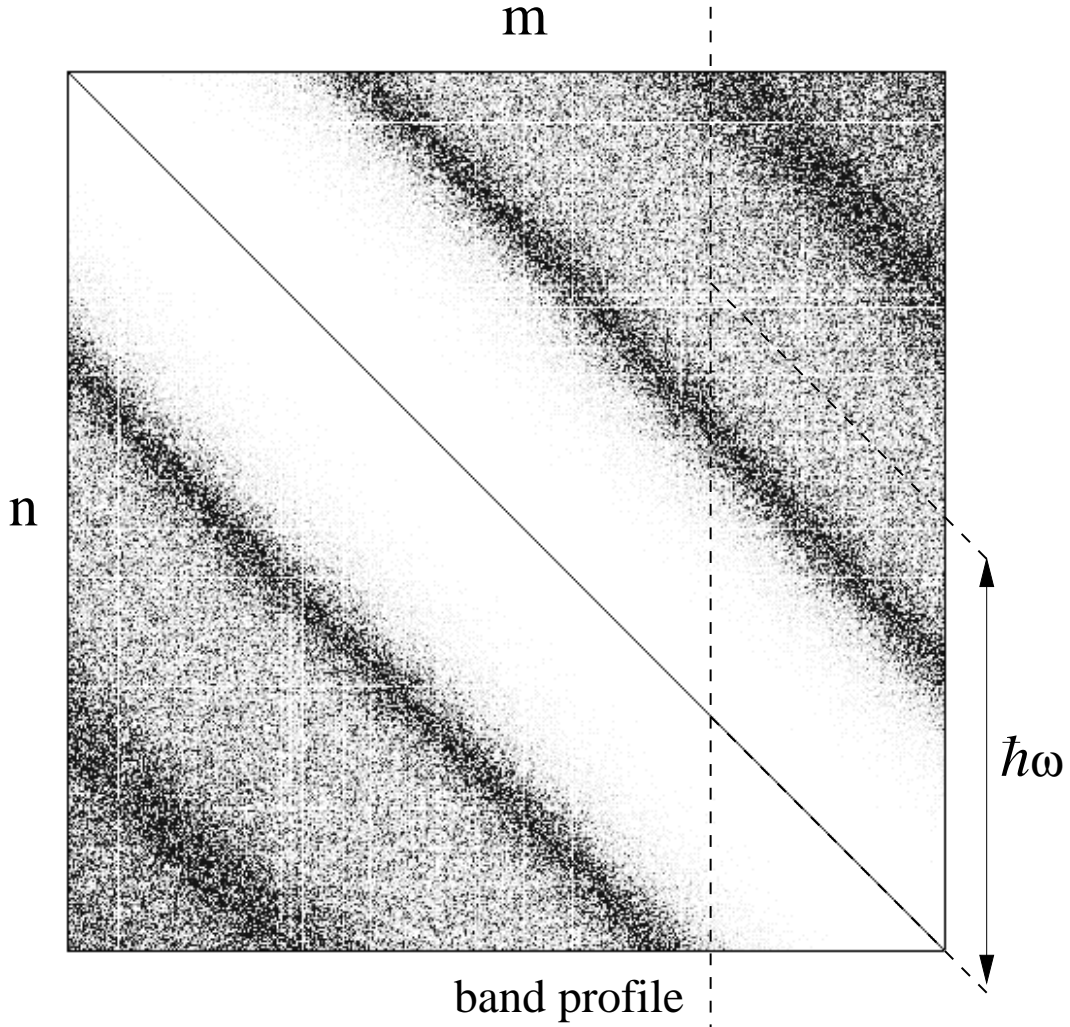


\Rightarrow Equivalence: QM (linear response) = classical heating rate

Quasi-orthogonality on the boundary

$$\tilde{C}_E^{\text{qm}}(\omega) = \text{average 'band profile' of } \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x} \right)_{nm} \leftarrow \text{eigenstate basis}$$

Matrix $\left| \left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x} \right)_{nm} \right|^2$ for **Dilation** ($D(\mathbf{s}) = \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{n}$) :



$$\left(\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial x} \right)_{nm} \propto \oint (\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{n}) ds \varphi_n(\mathbf{s}) \varphi_m(\mathbf{s}) \propto \delta_{nm} + O(\omega_{nm}^2)$$

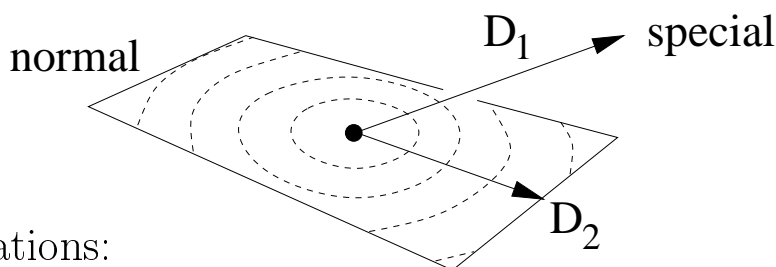
Semiclassical QCC \Rightarrow Success of scaling method (Vergini and Saraceno)

General deformations: 'special' and 'normal' components

Want to 'subtract' special part of $D(\mathbf{s})$, only then apply WNA for $\tilde{C}_E(0)$

- Special defs = linear sub-space (*special + special = special*)
- 'Normal' (WNA-good) defs = linear sub-space (ergodicity)

Show sub-spaces orthogonal. In what sense?



Add deformations:

$$D(\mathbf{s}) = D_1(\mathbf{s}) + D_2(\mathbf{s}) \longrightarrow \tilde{C}(\omega) = \tilde{C}_1(\omega) + \tilde{C}_2(\omega) + \overbrace{2\tilde{C}_{1,2}(\omega)}^{\text{cross-correlation}}$$

$D_1(\mathbf{s})$	$D_2(\mathbf{s})$	result (analytic, numerically verified)
special	general	$\tilde{C}_{1,2}(\omega \rightarrow 0) = 0$
general	normal	$\tilde{C}_{1,2}(\omega) \approx b_E \cdot \oint d\mathbf{s} D_1(\mathbf{s}) D_2(\mathbf{s})$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Orthogonality : } 1 \perp 2 \Leftrightarrow \oint d\mathbf{s} D_1(\mathbf{s}) D_2(\mathbf{s}) = 0$$

Defines inner product: now can decompose any $D(\mathbf{s})$ into special and 'normal' (\perp special) components...

Improved estimate for $\tilde{C}_E(0)$ in action

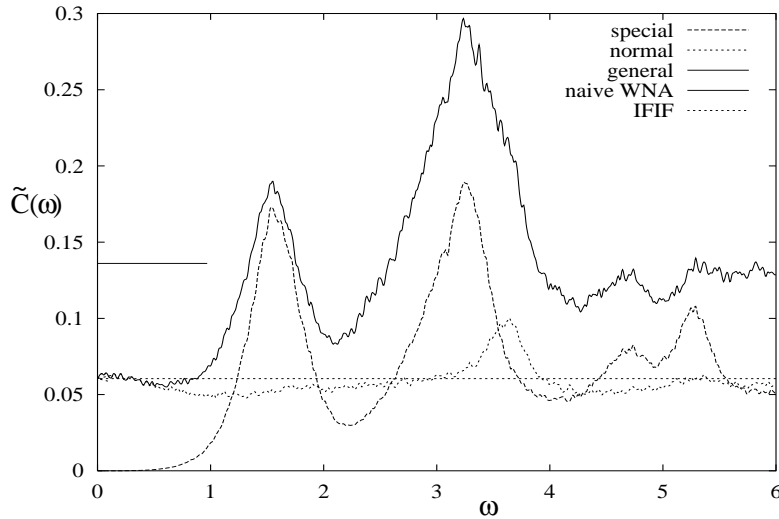
- SUBTRACT SPECIAL COMPONENT:

Make orthonormal set $\{D_i(\mathbf{s})\}$ of special defs, $i = 1 \cdots 1 + \frac{1}{2}d(d+1)$

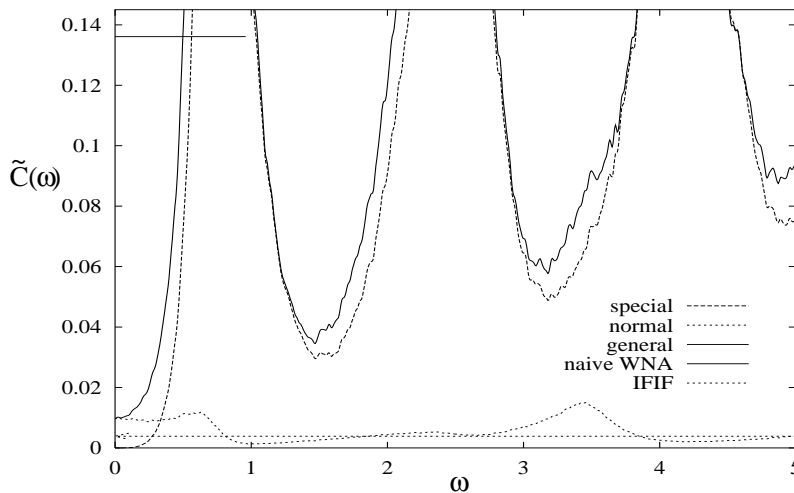
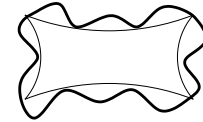
Special projections given by $\alpha_i = \oint ds D_i(\mathbf{s}) D(\mathbf{s})$

Subtract: $D_{\text{normal}}(\mathbf{s}) = D(\mathbf{s}) - \sum_i \alpha_i D_i(\mathbf{s})$

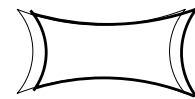
- NOW APPLY WHITE NOISE ESTIMATE TO $D_{\text{normal}}(\mathbf{s})$:



‘wave + const’



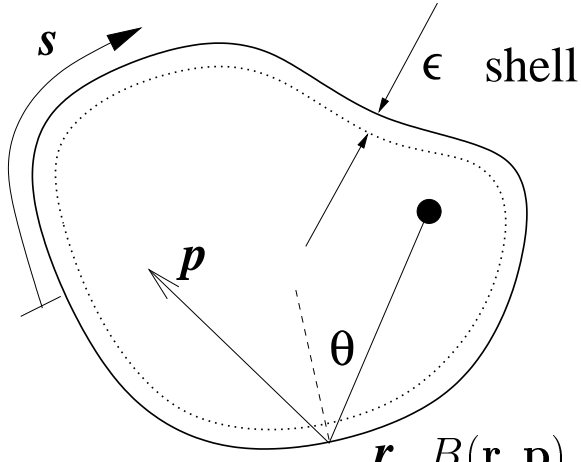
‘shift-x’



Conclusions

1. Classical & quantum dissipation rates computed in 2D billiards
 - first study of frequency-dependence in billiards
 - semiclassical correspondence found
 - Applications to driven quantum dots, nuclei. . .
2. Class of ‘special’ deformations: power spectrum $\tilde{C}_E(0) = 0$
 - friction coefficient μ vanishes at dc
 - predicts heating rate power laws $\tilde{C}_E(\omega) \sim \omega^\gamma$ (*new*)
 - dilation (*new*) \rightarrow eigenstates quasi-orthogonal on boundary
(*semiclassical* reason for Vergini numerical method success)
3. Systematic subtraction of ‘special’ components of general $D(\mathbf{s})$
 - improved upon 25-year-old heating rate estimate
 - subtraction of dilation (*new*)
 - subtraction of trans. & rot. corrects nuclear bad habits

Ergodicity: time average \rightarrow boundary integral



$$B(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{p}) \equiv \begin{cases} |\cos \theta|^3 D(\mathbf{s})^2 & \text{within shell} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

TIME AVERAGE

$$\text{impulse} \begin{cases} \text{time} = t_i \\ \text{value} = |\cos \theta_i|^3 D(\mathbf{s}_i)^2 \\ \text{duration} = 2\epsilon/v \cos \theta_i \end{cases}$$

$$\langle B \rangle_t = \frac{2\epsilon}{v} \left\langle \sum_i \cos^2 \theta_i D(\mathbf{s}_i)^2 \delta(t - t_i) \right\rangle_t$$

PHASE SPACE AVERAGE

$$\text{fraction of position space in shell} = \frac{\epsilon \text{ Area}}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$\langle B \rangle_E = \frac{\epsilon \text{ Area}}{\text{Volume}} \left\langle |\cos \theta|^3 D(\mathbf{s})^2 \right\rangle_{\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{p}}$$

Ergodicity: equate, $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$:

$$\left\langle \sum_i \cos^2 \theta_i D(\mathbf{s}_i)^2 \delta(t - t_i) \right\rangle_t = \frac{v \langle |\cos \theta|^3 \rangle}{2 \text{Volume}} \oint D(\mathbf{s})^2 ds$$

Spreading and irreversible energy growth

Fokker-Planck diffusion for PDF in Ω -space $\rightarrow E$ -space:

$$\dot{\eta} = (D_{\Omega}\eta) \quad \xrightarrow{\text{d.o.s. } g(E)} \quad \dot{\rho} = \left(g D_E \left(\frac{\rho}{g} \right)' \right)'$$

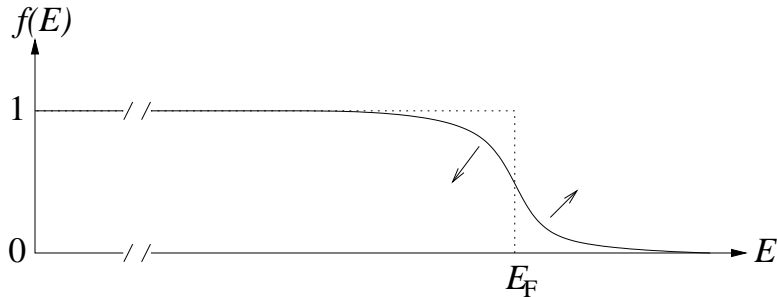
Growth in mean energy:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \dot{E} \rangle &\equiv \int_0^{\infty} dE E \dot{\rho}(E) \\ &= - \int_0^{\infty} dE g D_E \left(\left(\frac{\rho}{g} \right)' \right) \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} dE \frac{\rho}{g} (g D_E)' \end{aligned}$$

Gives friction coefficient (general $\rho(E)$)

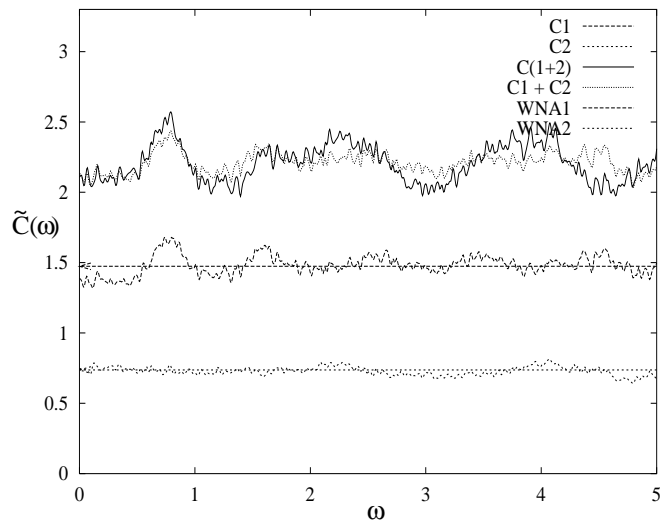
$$\mu(\omega) = \int_0^{\infty} dE \frac{\rho}{g} (g \tilde{C}_E(\omega))'$$

- Fermi distribution case $\mu(\omega) = \frac{g(E_F) \tilde{C}_F(\omega)}{2\Omega_F}$



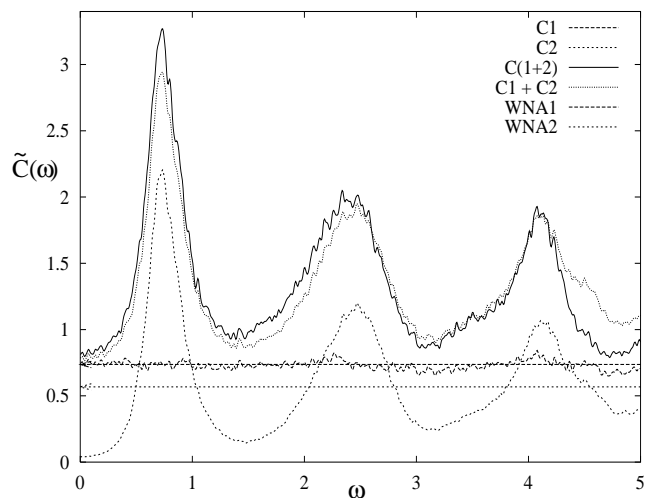
‘Special’ and ‘normal’ details

- Normal (1) + normal (2) = normal (no correlations between \mathcal{F} spikes):



power spectrum of sum is given by WNA

- General (1) + normal (2) (when orthogonal):



$1 \perp 2$

power spectra add

Quality is only as good as ‘goodness’ of 2.

- Special (1) + general (2): $\tilde{C}_{1,2}(\omega \rightarrow 0) = \nu_{1,2} = 0$

Follows from special $D(\mathbf{s}) =$ zero-eigenvector of ν quadratic form.

Contours of const ν form tubes parallel to *special* directions.

Correspondence and band profile