

Effect of intrinsic noise on chimera states in populations of hierarchically coupled oscillators: beyond Ott–Antonsen theory

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Systems of the type:

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)e^{-i\varphi_k}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N.$$

Kuramoto-Sakaguchi ensemble:

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega + \frac{\mu}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \text{sin}(\varphi_j - \varphi_k - \alpha), \quad h(t) = \mu \langle e^{i\varphi_j} \rangle_j e^{-i\alpha}.$$

Chain of superconducting (Josephson) junctions in parallel with a resistive load:

$$\frac{1}{\gamma} \ddot{\varphi}_k + \dot{\varphi}_k = I_{\text{inp}}(t) + I_0 \text{sin} \varphi_k - \frac{\mu}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \text{sin} \varphi_j,$$

$$\Omega = I_{\text{inp}}(t) + \mu \text{Im} \langle e^{i\varphi_j} \rangle_j, \quad h(t) = I_0 / 2, \quad \gamma \gg 1.$$

S. A. Marvel, S. H. Strogatz, Chaos **19**, 013132 (2009)

Active rotators (and theta-neurons):

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega + \frac{\mu}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N K_j \text{sin}(\varphi_j - \varphi_k) - B \text{sin} \varphi_k, \quad h(t) = \frac{1}{2} (B + \langle K_j e^{i\varphi_j} \rangle_j).$$

Sh. Shinomoto, Y. Kuramoto, Prog. Theor. Phys. **75**(5), 1105 (1986)

Advance: Watanabe–Strogatz theory

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)e^{-i\varphi_k}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N.$$

In terms of ψ_k and z :

$$e^{i\varphi_k} = \frac{z + e^{i\psi_k}}{1 + z^* e^{i\psi_k}}, \quad z : \sum_{k=1}^N e^{i\psi_k} = \mathbf{0},$$

ψ_k evolve with identical rate;

$$\dot{z} = i\Omega z + h - h^* z^2, \quad \dot{\psi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)z^*).$$

Dynamics is partially integrable:

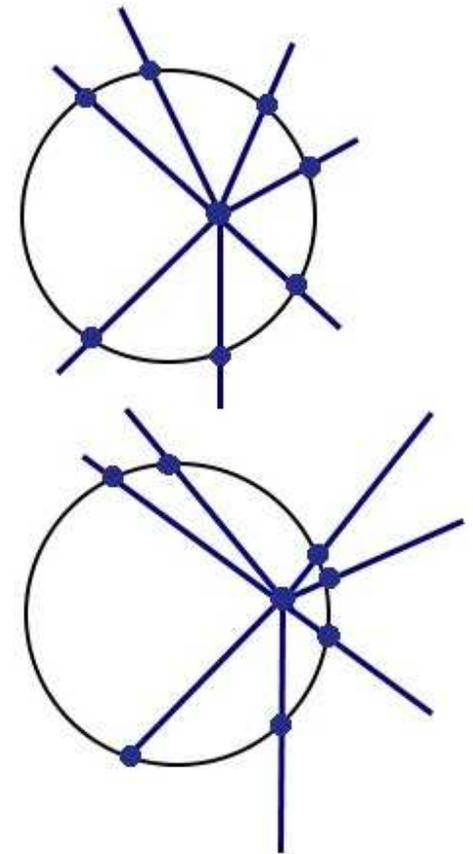
3 variables + (N–3) integrals of motion

S. Watanabe, S. H. Strogatz, Phys. D **74**, 197 (1994)

A. Pikovsky, M. Rosenblum, Phys. Rev. Lett. **101**, 2264103 (2008)

S. A. Marvel, R. E. Mirollo, S. H. Strogatz, Chaos **19**, 043104 (2009)

Interpretation in terms of order parameters?



Ott–Antonsen theory (has simple interpretation)

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)e^{-i\varphi_k}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N.$$

E. Ott, T. M. Antonsen, Chaos **18**, 037113 (2008)

The Master-equation for the probability density $w(\varphi, t)$:

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi} ((\Omega - ihe^{-i\varphi} + ih^*e^{i\varphi})w) = 0.$$

Particular solution $w(\varphi, t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[1 + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (a^m e^{-im\varphi} + \text{c.c.}) \right],$

where complex amplitude a is the order parameter $a = \langle e^{i\varphi} \rangle$:

$$\dot{a} = i\Omega a + h - h^* a^2$$

- According to W–S theory, **OA manifold is not attracting in *ideal* situations**
- **In *real* systems**, small detuning of parameters makes the **OA manifold attracting**

Powerful Tool & Expectation of Troubles

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)e^{-i\varphi_k}), \quad k = 1, \dots, N$$

- We can describe and understand the collective dynamics reliably and in great detail.
- Our main sources of intuition for the theory of collective phenomena are very specific systems. Here many of collective phenomena (e.g., clustering) are forbidden by conservation laws.
- In reality, the OA conditions are (slightly?) violated.
- The perturbation theory cannot be constructed in a regular way.

A perturbation theory is needed.

Preferably, for OA ansatz (not for WS theory).

V. Vlasov, M. Rosenblum, A. Pikovsky, J. Phys. A Math. Theor. **49**, 31LT02 (2016)

Populations of Oscillators with Intrinsic Noise

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega(t) + \text{Im}(2h(t)e^{-i\varphi_k}) + f_k$$

$$f_k = \sigma \xi_k(t), \quad \xi_k(t): \text{Gaussian noise signals, } \langle \xi_k(t) \xi_m(t') \rangle = 2\delta_{km} \delta(t - t').$$

Fokker–Planck equation:

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi} [(\Omega - ihe^{-i\varphi} + ih^*e^{i\varphi})w] = \sigma \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial \varphi^2}$$

In Fourier space, $w(\varphi, t) = (2\pi)^{-1} [1 + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (a_m e^{-im\varphi} + c.c.)]$:

$$\dot{a}_m = im\Omega a_m + mha_{m-1} - mh^*a_{m+1} - \sigma^2 m^2 a_m.$$

With Lorentzian distribution of frequencies $g(\Omega) = \frac{\gamma}{\pi [(\Omega - \Omega_0)^2 + \gamma^2]}$:

$$\dot{a}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)a_m + mha_{m-1} - mh^*a_{m+1} - \sigma^2 m^2 a_m.$$

'Circular' Cumulants

I.V.T., D.S.G., L.S.K., A.P., Phys. Rev. Lett. **120**, 264101 (2018)

Perturbation to O-A manifold $a_m = a_1^m$?

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_1 = a \\ a_2 = a^2 + [\text{smthg.}] \\ a_3 = a^3 + G([\text{smthg.}], a) + [\text{smthg.2}] \\ \dots \end{array} \right.$$

For $a_m = \langle (e^{i\varphi_j})^m \rangle$, moment-generating function $F(k) = \langle e^{ke^{i\varphi_j}} \rangle = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m \frac{k^m}{m!}$

Cumulant-generating function:

$$\Phi(k) = k \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \ln F(k) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \kappa_m k^m.$$

$$\kappa_1 = a_1, \quad \kappa_2 = a_2 - a_1^2, \quad \kappa_3 = \frac{1}{2}(a_3 - 3a_2a_1 + 2a_1^3).$$

Cumulant Expansion

$$k \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \ln F(k) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \kappa_m k^m$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\kappa}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_m + h\delta_{m1} - h^*(m^2\kappa_{m+1} + m \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} \kappa_{m-j}\kappa_{j+1}) \\ - \sigma^2(m^2\kappa_m + m \sum_{j=0}^{m-2} \kappa_{m-1}\kappa_{j+1}) \end{aligned}$$

instead of

$$\dot{a}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)a_m + mha_{m-1} - mh^*a_{m+1} - \sigma^2 m^2 a_m.$$

OA solution = wrapped Cauchy distribution of phases:

$$\kappa_1 = a_1, \quad \kappa_{m>1} = 0$$

Expansion

$$\kappa_1 \sim \varepsilon \ll 1$$

$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \varepsilon^m$$

$$\kappa_1 \sim 1$$

$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \sigma^{2(m-1)}$$

Conventional Cumulants *versus* 'Circular' Cumulants

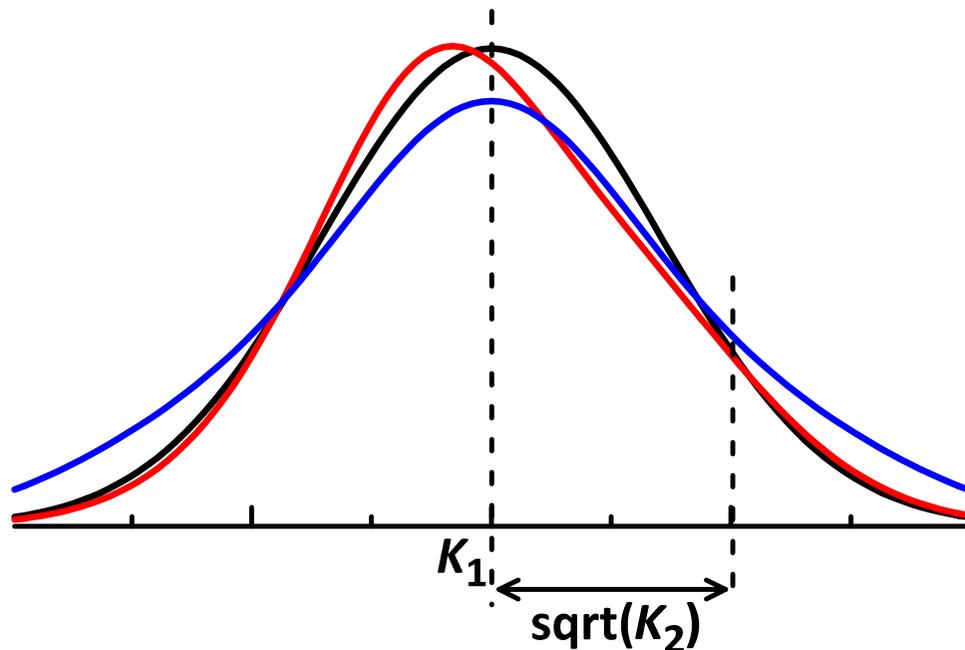
Gaussian distribution

$$K_j \in \mathbb{R}, \quad K_1, K_2, K_{j>2} = \mathbf{0}$$

K_1 : centered (mean), K_2 : width

Deviation from Gaussian distribution:

K_3 : skewness K_4 : kurtosis



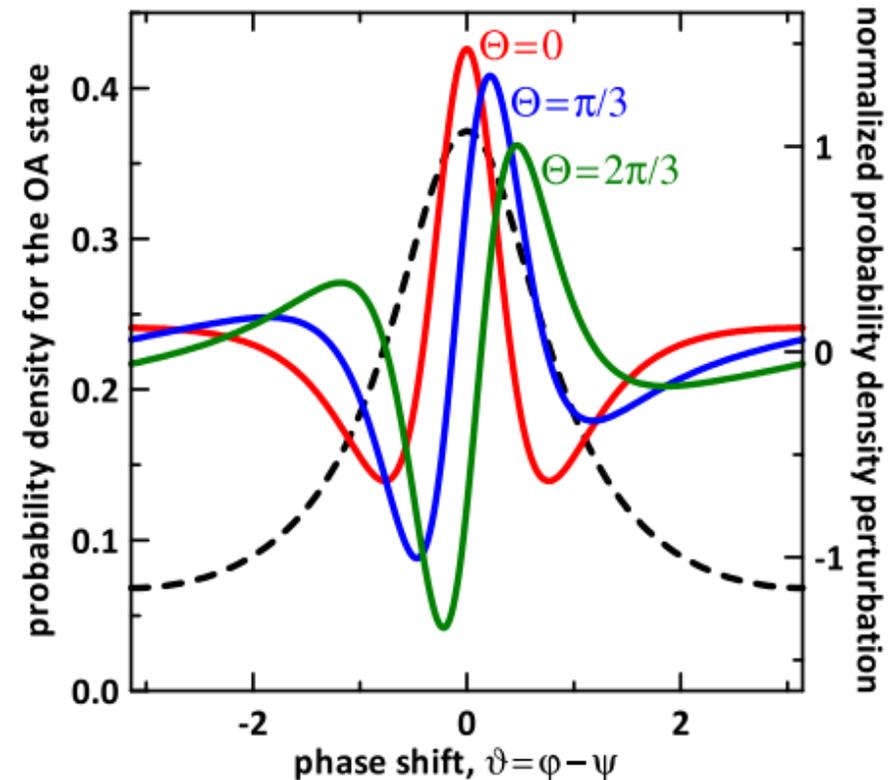
wrapped Cauchy distribution on circle

$$\kappa_j \in \mathbb{C}, \quad \kappa_1 = \langle e^{i\varphi} \rangle, \quad \kappa_{j>1} = \mathbf{0}$$

$\arg(\kappa_1)$: centered, $|\kappa_1| = e^{-[\text{width}]}$

Deviation from wrap. Cauchy distr.:

$$\kappa_2: \quad |\kappa_2|, \quad \arg(\kappa_2 / \kappa_1^2) = \Theta$$



$$\dot{\kappa}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_m + h\delta_{m1} - h^*(m^2\kappa_{m+1} + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-1}\kappa_{m-j}\kappa_{j+1}) \\ - \sigma^2(m^2\kappa_m + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-2}\kappa_{m-1}\kappa_{j+1})$$

Model Reductions: Series Truncations

Expansion

$$\kappa_1 \sim \varepsilon \ll 1$$

$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \varepsilon^m$$

$$\kappa_1 \sim 1$$

$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \sigma^{2(m-1)}$$

Two-cumulant truncations: $\kappa_3 = \mathbf{0}$, $\kappa_3 = \frac{3}{2}\frac{\kappa_2^2}{\kappa_1}$, $\kappa_3 = \frac{3}{2}\kappa_2^2\kappa_1^*$

$$\dot{\kappa}_1 = (i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_1 + h - h^*(\kappa_1^2 + \kappa_2) - \sigma^2\kappa_1,$$

$$\dot{\kappa}_2 = (i2\Omega_0 - 2\gamma - 4h^*\kappa_1)\kappa_2 - 4h^*\kappa_3 - \sigma^2(4\kappa_2 + 2\kappa_1^2).$$

$$\dot{\kappa}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_m + h\delta_{m1} - h^*(m^2\kappa_{m+1} + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-1}\kappa_{m-j}\kappa_{j+1}) - \sigma^2(m^2\kappa_m + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-2}\kappa_{m-1}\kappa_{j+1})$$

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$$\dot{\kappa}_1 = (i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_1 + h - h^*(\kappa_1^2 + \kappa_2) - \sigma^2\kappa_1,$$

$$\dot{\kappa}_2 = (i2\Omega_0 - 2\gamma - 4h^*\kappa_1)\kappa_2 - 4h^*\kappa_3 - \sigma^2(4\kappa_2 + 2\kappa_1^2).$$

Wrapped Gaussian distribution:

$$a_m = R_1^{m^2} e^{im\psi} = e^{-\frac{1}{2}m^2\sigma^2} e^{im\psi}$$

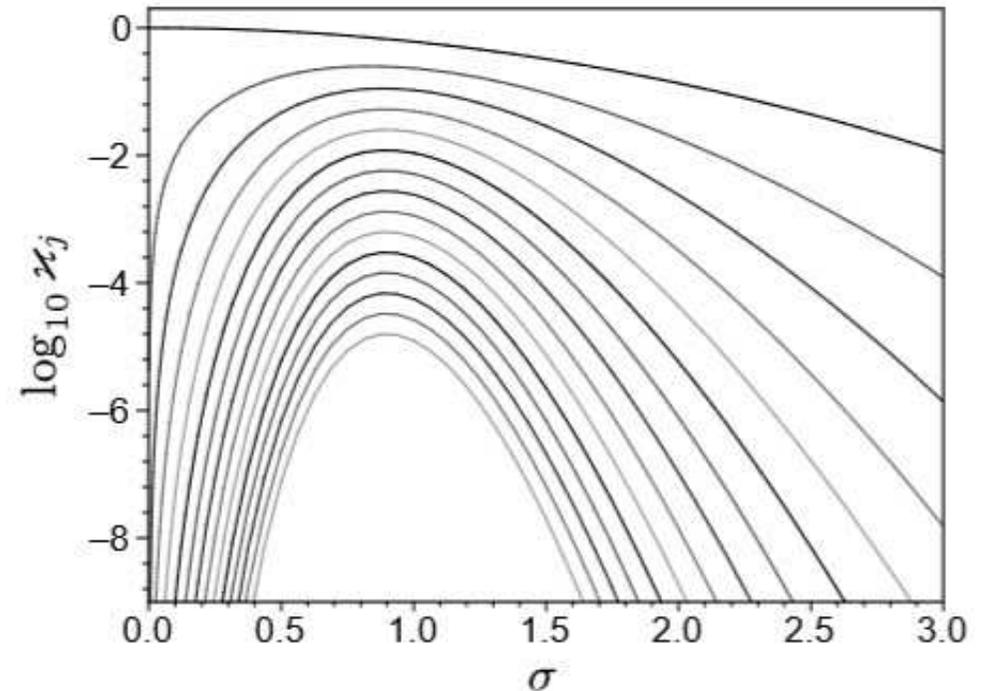
Zaks *et al.*, Phys. Rev. E **68**, 066206 (2003);
Hannay *et al.*, Sci. Adv. **4**, e1701047 (2018)

$$\kappa_1 \sim \varepsilon \ll 1$$

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$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \varepsilon^m$$

$$\kappa_{m>1} \sim \varepsilon^{m-1}$$



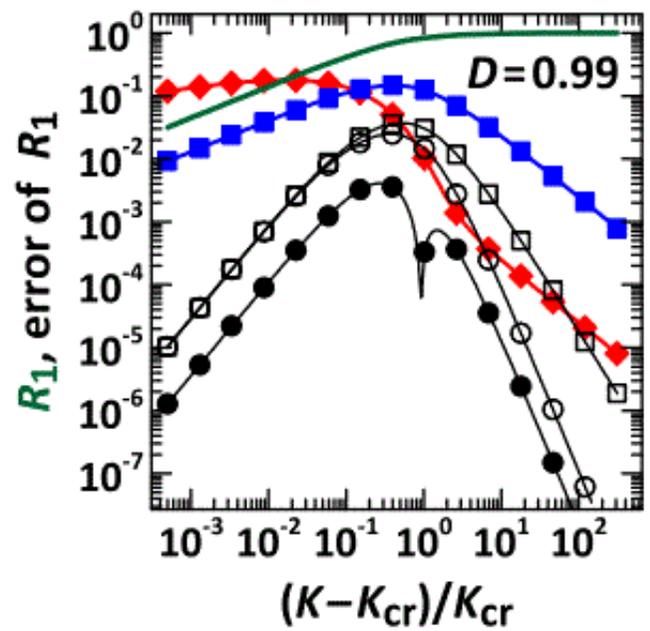
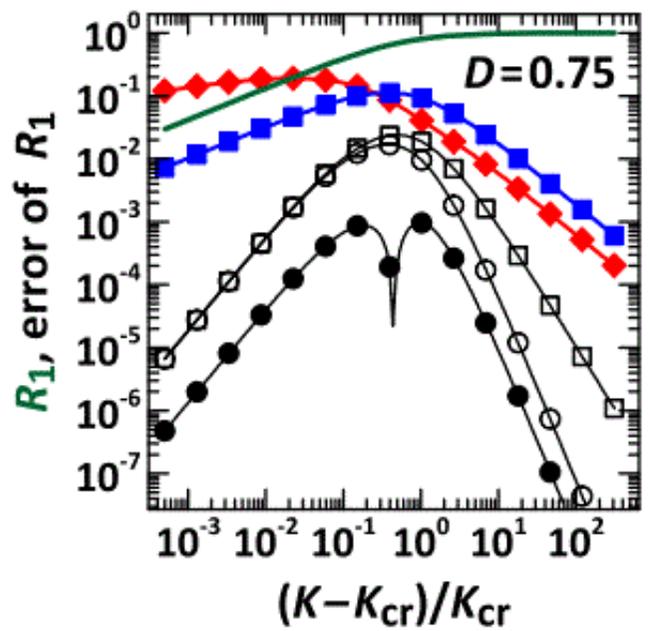
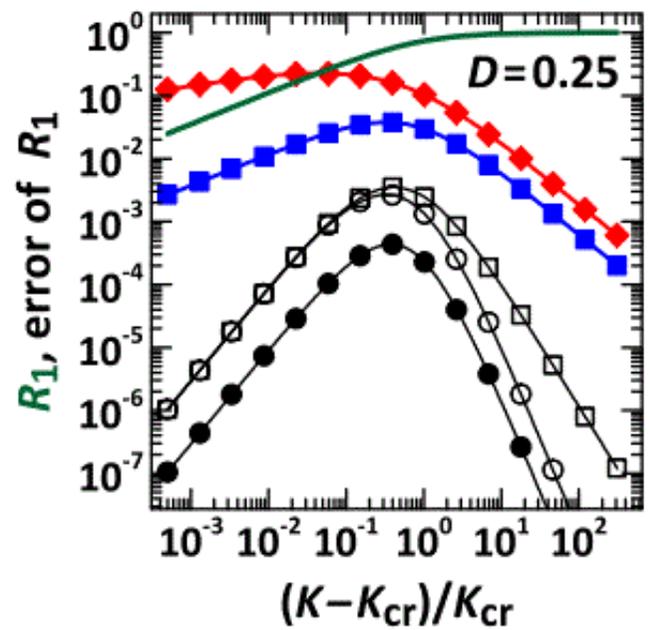
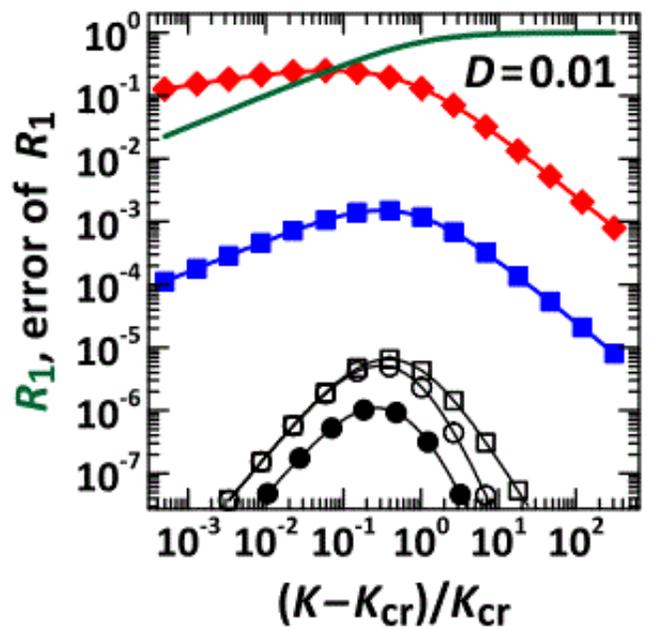


Fig: Kuramoto model with intrinsic noise

OA ansatz: **blue squares**

Gauss. ans.: **red diamonds**

$\kappa_3 = 0$: **open squares**

$\kappa_3 = \frac{3 \kappa_2^2}{2 \kappa_1}$: **filled circles**

$\kappa_3 = \frac{3}{2} \kappa_2^2 \kappa_1^*$: **open circles**

D.S.G., I.V.T., L.S.K., A.P.,
Chaos **28**, 101101 (2018)

$$\dot{\kappa}_m = m(i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_m + h\delta_{m1} - h^*(m^2\kappa_{m+1} + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-1}\kappa_{m-j}\kappa_{j+1}) \\ - \sigma^2(m^2\kappa_m + m\sum_{j=0}^{m-2}\kappa_{m-1}\kappa_{j+1})$$

For $\sigma = 0$, extension of Ott–Antonsen solution $\kappa_1 \neq 0$, $\kappa_{2n} \neq 0$, $\kappa_{2n+1} = 0$:

$$\dot{\kappa}_1 = (i\Omega_0 - \gamma)\kappa_1 + h - h^*(\kappa_1^2 + \kappa_2)$$

$$\dot{\kappa}_2 = (i2\Omega_0 - 2\gamma - 4h^*\kappa_1)\kappa_2.$$

$$\kappa_{2n} = C_n(\kappa_2(t))^n, \quad \{C_n\} = \left\{ 1, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{15}, -\frac{17}{315}, \dots \right\}$$

This is a **two-bunch solution** with equipartition of elements between bunches.

IVT, DSG, LSK, AP, Radiophys. Quantum Electron. **61**, no.8–9, 640–649 (2019)

Analytical study of some problems without expansion truncation

Chimera States in Coupled Kuramoto Ensembles

$$\dot{\varphi}_k = \Omega + \frac{1+A}{2N} \sum_{j=1}^N \sin(\varphi_j - \varphi_k - \alpha) + \frac{1-A}{2N} \sum_{j=1}^N \sin(\phi_j - \phi_k - \alpha) + \sigma \xi_k(t),$$

$$\dot{\phi}_k = \Omega + \frac{1+A}{2N} \sum_{j=1}^N \sin(\phi_j - \phi_k - \alpha) + \frac{1-A}{2N} \sum_{j=1}^N \sin(\varphi_j - \varphi_k - \alpha) + \sigma \zeta_k(t).$$

$\sigma = 0$:

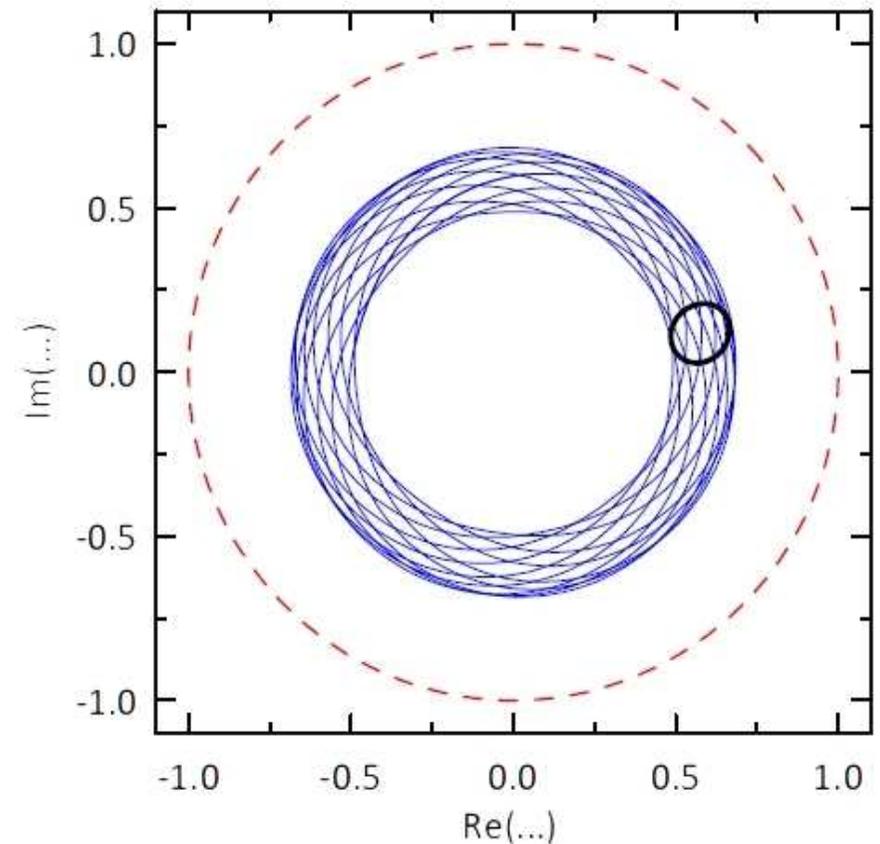
D. M. Abrams, R. Mirollo, S. H. Strogatz,
D. A. Wiley, PRL **101**, 084103 (2008)

$$\phi_1 = \phi_2 = \dots = \phi_N = \Phi,$$

$$\mathbf{Z} = \langle e^{i\varphi} \rangle, \quad \mathbf{0} < |\mathbf{Z}| < \mathbf{1}$$

$\mathbf{Z}e^{-i\Phi}$: (i) static or (ii) periodic in time

I.V.T. *et al.*, PRL **120**, 264101 (2018)

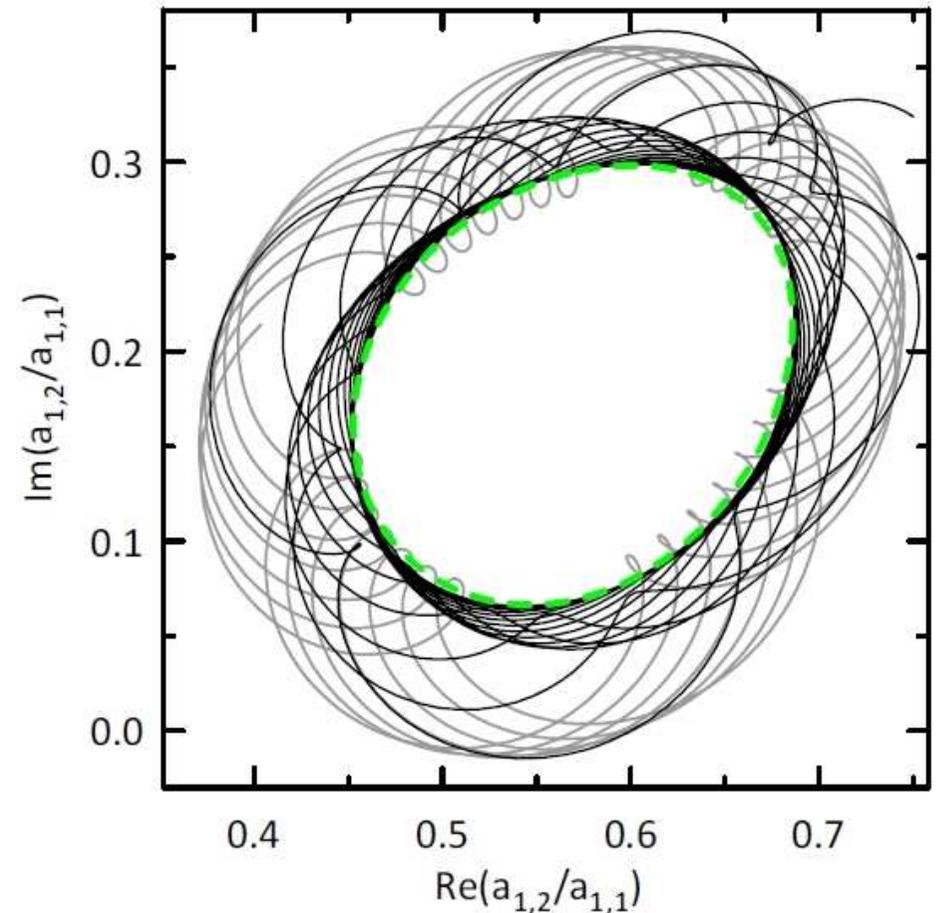
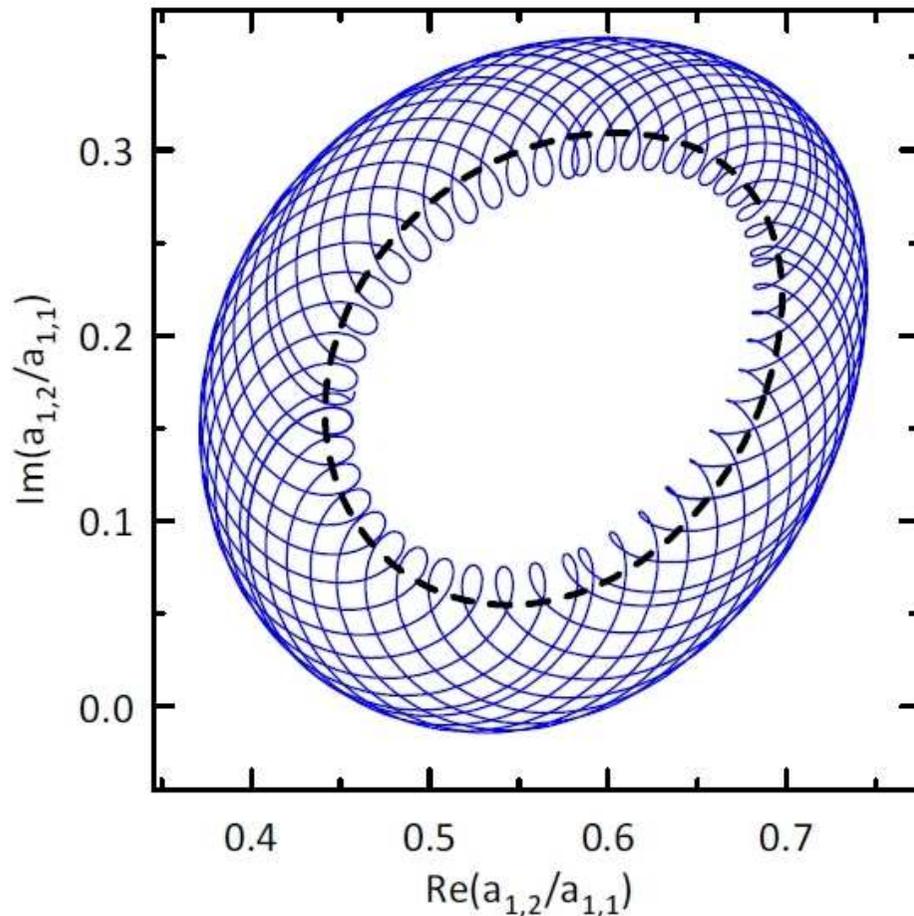


A. Pikovsky, M. Rosenblum, PRL **101**, 264103 (2008)

if φ_j are not on the OA manifold, + 1 frequency:

static \rightarrow periodic;

periodic \rightarrow quasiperiodic



$A = 0.3$, $\alpha = \pi / 2 - 0.15$. Left panel: Two-bunch state for $\sigma = 0$.
Right panel: Two-bunch state for $\sigma = 0.01$.

Conclusion

- **‘Circular’ cumulant approach for the extension of OA theory**

- **Hierarchies of cumulants**

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Radiophys. Quantum Electron. **61**, no.8–9, 640–649 (2019).

Open questions:

- **Weak intrinsic noise makes the heir of OA manifold attracting. Or?**

- **Numerical instability of truncation with more than 2 cumulants.**

- **Relationships between the higher-order cumulants and $W(\psi, t)$.**

D.S. Goldobin, Fluct. Noise Lett. **18**, no.2, 1940002 (2019).

- **Perturbation theory for other situations (small inertia, ‘deterministic’ perturbations)?**

- **Constrains on cumulant values; e.g., $|\kappa_2| \leq 1 - |Z_1|^2$.**