

PV Dynamics and Phase Space Structure Evolution in Vlasov and Drift Wave Turbulence

OR:

Whatever Happened to Dynamical Friction?

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Sequence of Two Related Presentations:

- P.D.
 - ✓ Basic theory of phase space structure dynamics in Vlasov and Drift Wave Turbulence
 - ✓ Dupree-Balescu-Lenard theory for turbulent relaxation in collisionless drift wave turbulence
- Maxime Lesur
 - ✓ Simulation of *subcritical* phase structure growth and dynamics in the Berk-Breizman model

Outline

- Motivating Issues
 - Whatever happened to dynamical friction (anti-friction) in models of turbulent transport?
 - how accommodate dynamical friction in models of turbulent relaxation?
- OV of relevant paradigms
 - commonalities of Vlasov and drift wave (QG) systems
 - single structure dynamics
 - G.I. Taylor's take on Rayleigh criterion and implications for zonal flows
 - B+B model : dynamical anti-friction by *collisionless dissipative coupling*

Outline (cont'd)

- CDIA : dynamical friction by momentum exchange
- collisionless DW-ZF interaction
 - dynamical friction by ambipolarity + polarization charge flux
 - kinetic pseudo-momentum and relation to Charney-Drazin non-acceleration theorem
- multi-structure calculation
 - generic structure of mean field relaxation
 - D-B-L equation for drift wave turbulence
 - Relation to momentum theorems
- Outlook for Future Work

I.) Motivation

→ **Whatever Happened to Dynamical Friction?**

- In M.F.E. studies, transport **usually** proclaimed to be “in agreement with quasi-linear prediction” (?)
- Mean Field Electrodynamics (MFE?!) is effectively exercise in quasi-linear theory as applied to MHD EMF

- paradox: → Q.L.T. $\tau_{a,c} < \tau_{str,circ}$ $\tau_{ac} \sim (\Delta\bar{\omega}|_{res})^{-1}$

$$\text{requires Kubo \# } K = \tau_{ac} \frac{\tilde{v}}{\Delta} < 1$$

→ saturation levels “ \sim mixing length prediction”

$$\text{M.L.T.} \rightarrow \text{L.T.} \sim \text{N.L.T.} \rightarrow K \sim 1$$

“Critical Balance” $\leftrightarrow K \sim 1$ for Alfvénic turbulence

How reconcile? \leftrightarrow transport modeling studies are often rather simplified

- Generally:

- Q.L.T. views transport as ensemble of \sim linear waves and/or wave responses
- yet real turbulence is “soup” of structures, eddies, blobs, holes, etc.
(c.f. Lesur, this meeting)

→ structures in the ensemble ('soup') should exert **drag** on one another!

- akin to collisions, but **collectively mediated**, via screening
 → wave radiation transmits energy/momentum from structure → fluid, as in a ship wake

- manifested in $\partial_t \langle f \rangle$ via drag

∴ enter **dynamical friction!** i.e.

QLT

$$D = D_{QL} = \sum_{k, \omega} \langle \tilde{E}_{k, \omega}^2 \rangle \pi \delta(\omega - kv)$$

$$\partial_t \langle f \rangle = \partial_v D \partial_v \langle f \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_t \langle f \rangle = -\partial_v (-D \partial_v \langle f \rangle + F \langle f \rangle)$$

↑
drag effect $\sim \text{Im } \varepsilon$

- analogous to Cerenkov wake effect in Balescu-Lenard screened Landau collision operator

- can allow novel relaxation mechanism via momentum exchange not based on linear waves, etc

- DISCLAIMER: calculational approaches (D-B-L) *not* rigorous, but at least *try* to confront relevant effects in $K \sim 1$ regime

N.B.: Mean field electrodynamics validity also dubious

→ How was it missed?

- it **wasn't!** - pioneering theoretical work by Lynden-Bell, Dupree, Kadomtsev; '60s - '70s
→ initiated theory of phase space structure turbulence
- applications to non-trivial DWT, CTEM systems: P.D., Terry, Hahm; '80s
- discovery of subcritical CDIA instability in **simulation**, Berman, et. al. '80s
- coherent structures (phase space holes), Dupree '80s-'90s

then studiously forgotten...

- Exception: B+B → reduced model of E.P. resonance dynamics akin B-O-T

c.f. Breizman, N.F. '11 → emergent BGK mode solution
also this conference

- **SLOWLY** re-emerging in glorious epoch of massively-parallelized HPC...



II.) OV of Paradigms

Comparison of QG, Vlasov/GK dynamics

↔ Role of Conserved PV

QG, GK systems structurally similar, i.e.

$$q = \beta y + \omega \quad f = \langle f \rangle + \delta f$$

	QG system	Vlasov, GK system
Dynamical variable	PV, $q(x, t)$	distribution function, $f(x, v, t)$
Time evolution	$dq/dt = \partial_t q + \{q, \phi\} = 0$	$df/dt = \partial_t f + \{f, H\} = 0$
Circulation	$\Gamma = \oint (V + 2\Omega a \sin \theta) dl$	$\Gamma = \oint \mathbf{v} \cdot d\mathbf{x}$
 Kelvin's Thm.	Yes	Yes (Lynden-Bell, '67)
 Feedback	PV, $q = \nabla^2 \phi + F(\phi, n)$	GK Poisson, Pol Charge $\int d^3v f + \rho_s^2 \nabla^2 \phi = g(\phi, n_e, \dots)$
ZF Generation	Vorticity Flux	Pol. Charge Flux
C-D Theorem	Yes	???

Some general observations:

- ▶ GK Poisson equation **links** fluid vorticity to kinetic dynamics
- ▶ Spatial flux of polarization charge is underpinning of Z.F. generation mechanism in GK systems
- ▶ C-D Theorem for GK systems!? - has Kelvin's Theorem!

Yes, as has Kelvin's Theorem!

- Phase space density correlation similar to potential enstrophy

$$\langle \delta f^2 \rangle \leftrightarrow \langle \delta q^2 \rangle \quad \rightarrow \langle \delta f^2 \rangle \sim \text{potential enstrophy in phase space}$$

\rightarrow phasetrophy D+I+I, '10

- Phasetrophy: comparison to other physical quantity

Quasi-geostrophic system

Potential enstrophy

$$\langle \delta q^2 \rangle$$



Wave activity density

$$\langle \delta q^2 \rangle / \langle q \rangle'$$

\rightarrow pseudomomentum

Gyrokinetic system

Phase space density correlation

$$\langle \delta f(1) \delta f(2) \rangle$$



Kinetic wave activity density

$$\int \sqrt{E} dE \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / \langle f \rangle'|_0$$

\rightarrow pseudomomentum \Rightarrow momentum budget

\Leftrightarrow

\Leftrightarrow

Fluctuation entropy

$$\int \sqrt{E} dE \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / \langle f \rangle$$

\Rightarrow entropy budget



II) Examples: Single Structure Dynamics → What Can We Learn?

– G.I. Taylor's take on Rayleigh criterion

- consider effect on (zonal) flow by displacement of PV: δy

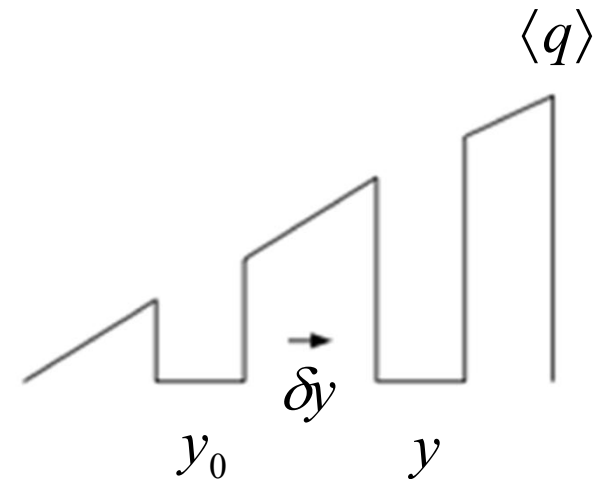
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \langle v_x \rangle = \langle \tilde{v}_y \tilde{q} \rangle$$

$\tilde{q} = (\text{PV of vorticity blob at } y) - (\text{mean PV at } y)$

$$\langle q(y) \rangle = \langle q(y_0) \rangle + (y - y_0) \left. \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} \right|_{y_0}$$

Small displacement

$$\therefore \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \langle v_x \rangle = -\langle \tilde{v}_y \delta y \rangle \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} = -\left(\partial_t \frac{\langle \tilde{\varepsilon}^2 \rangle}{2} \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} \right)$$




So, for instability $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \partial_t \langle \tilde{\varepsilon}^2 \rangle > 0 \quad ; \text{growing displacement} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{-a}^a dy \langle v_x \rangle = 0 \quad ; \text{momentum conservation} \end{array} \right.$

$$-\int_{-a}^a dy \left(\partial_t \frac{\langle \tilde{\varepsilon}^2 \rangle}{2} \right) \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} = 0 \quad \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} \text{ must change sign within flow interval}$$

\Rightarrow inflection point

also,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\{ \langle v_x \rangle + \frac{\langle \tilde{\varepsilon}^2 \rangle}{2} \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy} \right\} = 0 \quad \tilde{q} = -\tilde{\varepsilon} \frac{d\langle q \rangle}{dy}$$

 $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\{ \langle v_x \rangle - \left(-\frac{\langle \tilde{q}^2 \rangle}{2 \partial \langle q \rangle / \partial y} \right) \right\} = 0$

$-\langle \tilde{q}^2 \rangle / 2 \partial \langle q \rangle / \partial y \equiv$
Pseudomomentum for
QG system

\rightarrow no slip condition of flow + quasi-particle gas

\rightarrow (significant) step toward momentum theorem

→ Examples: Single Structure, cont'd

Vlasov Plasma

b.) B+B = B.O.T. + background dissipation

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + v \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + E \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} = C(f - f_0) \quad ; \quad C(f - f_0) = \frac{\nu_f^2}{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial v} (f - f_0) + \frac{\nu_d^3}{k^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial v^2} (f - f_0)$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial t} = - \int dv v (f - f_0) - 2\gamma_d E$$

→ generic background dissipation
(i.e. electron L.D of A.W.)

→ Consider localized δf → hole (collisionless limit)
→ displacement in velocity δV

$$f = \langle f \rangle + \delta f$$

$$\langle f \rangle = f_0 + (v - u) \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \right|_u = f_0 + (v - u) \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial u}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int dv \delta f^2 = -2 \frac{d}{dt} \int dv \langle f \rangle \delta f$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int dv \delta f^2 = -2 \left(\frac{\partial f_0}{\partial u} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \int dv (v - u) \delta f \equiv -2 \left(\frac{\partial f_0}{\partial u} \right) \frac{d \langle p \rangle}{dt} \frac{1}{m}$$

structure momentum
balance is critical!

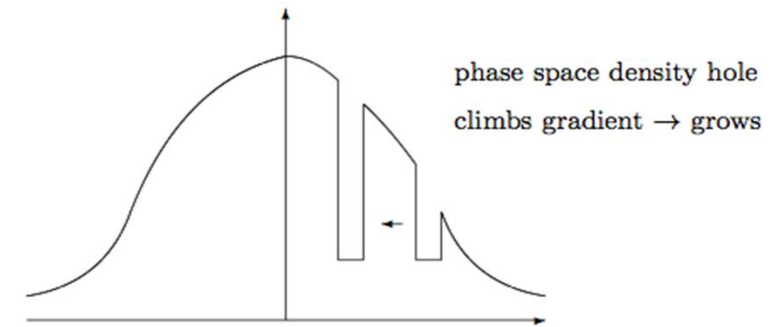
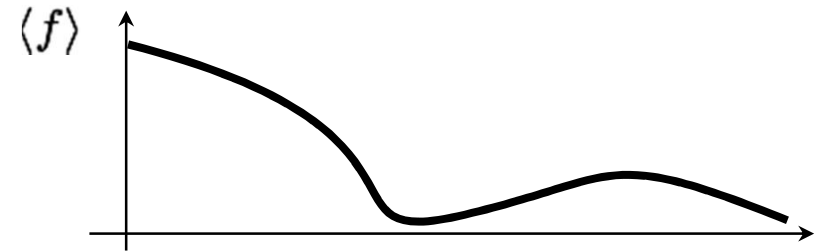


FIG. 4. hole in phase space

Aside: Holes and Blobs – Why? – What holds a hole together?

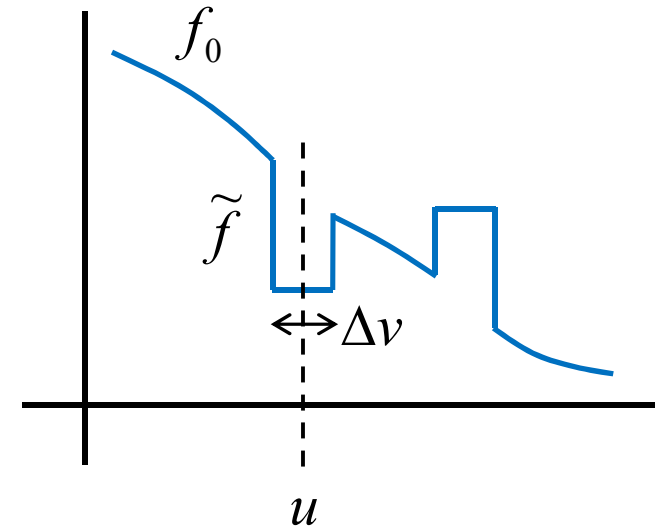
⇒ Jeans Instability

$$\omega^2 = k^2 c_s^2 - 4\pi G \rho_0$$

⇒ Plasma Electrostatic self-interaction

$$(\omega - ku)^2 = -\frac{4\pi\omega_p^2 \tilde{f} \Delta v}{\varepsilon(k, ku)} + k^2 (\Delta v)^2$$

↑ screening by background



Points:

⇒ marginality ⇒ $\tilde{f} \sim \Delta v \rightarrow$ size vs depth relation

⇒ $\varepsilon > 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{f} > 0$ is marginal ⇒ blob

$\varepsilon < 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{f} < 0$ is marginal ⇒ hole

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int dv \delta f^2 = -2 \left(\frac{\partial f_0}{\partial u} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\langle p \rangle}{m} \right) \rightarrow \text{structure grows by collective momentum exchange}$$

→ For B+B

$$\partial_t \int dv \langle \delta f^2 \rangle = - \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \right|_u \int dv \langle \tilde{E} \delta f \rangle \rightarrow \text{growth by acceleration}$$

$$(-i\omega + 2\gamma_d) E_{k,\omega} = - \int dv v \delta f \rightarrow \text{feedback}$$

$$\partial_t \int dv \langle \delta f^2 \rangle = 2\gamma_d \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \right|_u \int dv' \int dv \frac{v' \langle \delta f(v') \delta f(v) \rangle}{(ku)^2 + (2\gamma_d)^2}$$

$$\gamma \cong (\Delta v) \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \right|_u \frac{4\pi\gamma_d u}{(ku)^2 + (2\gamma_d)^2}$$

basic result for structure growth rate

where $\Delta v \sim \text{hole extent} \sim (q\phi / m)^{1/2}$

- Result for B+B:

$$\gamma \cong (\Delta v) \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \Big|_u \frac{4\pi\gamma_d u}{(ku)^2 + (2\gamma_d)^2}$$

See Lesur, this meeting

observe:

- growth is **nonlinear**, i.e. $\gamma \sim \Delta v \sim \sqrt{\phi}$

- linear instability **not** required

i.e. if δf sufficient, can have $\gamma_{L,0} < \gamma_d$ where $\gamma_{L,0} = \frac{\omega_p}{2} \frac{\pi\omega_p^2}{|k|k} \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial v} \Big|_{\omega/k}$
 contrast $\gamma_L \sim \gamma_{L,0} - \gamma_d$

- of course, need free energy: $\partial f_0 / \partial v|_u > 0$ required

- critical δf ? \leftrightarrow likely Jeans marginality condition, but still under study

- easily extended to include collisions \rightarrow c.f. Lesur

c.) CDIA = Electron with current + Ions

- classic ancient paradigm for anomalous resistivity

(Sagdeev, et.al., '60s), still frequently invoked

- physics: overlap of distribution functions

$$\gamma = -(\epsilon_{IM}^e + \epsilon_{IM}^i) / \partial \epsilon / \partial \omega |_{\omega_k}$$

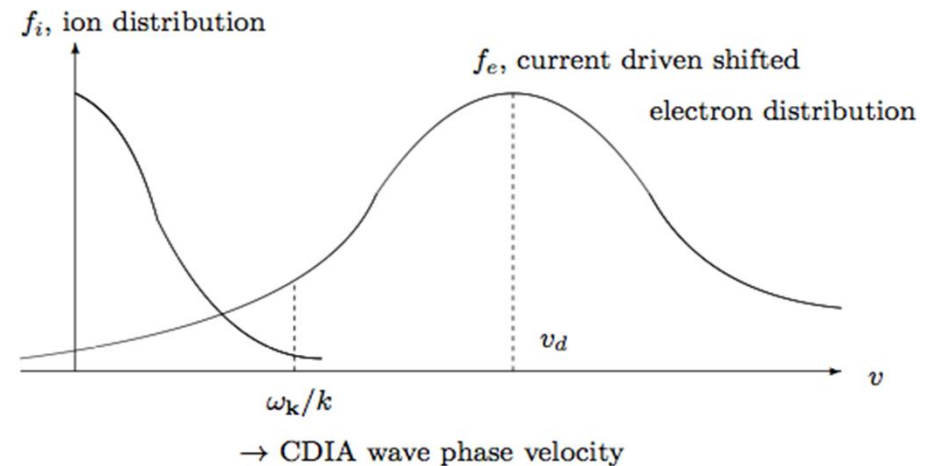
$v_d > c_s$ required for free energy

- recall:
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int dv \delta f_i^2 = -2 \left(\frac{\partial f_{i,0}}{\partial u} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \int dv (v - u) \delta f \equiv -2 \left(\frac{\partial f_{i,0}}{\partial u} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\langle p_i \rangle}{m_i}$$

(n.b.: assumed ION hole) – growth in both species possible

- now:
$$\frac{d}{dt} (\langle p_i \rangle + p_e + p_w) = 0$$

→ momentum exchange with electrons **and/or** waves triggers relaxation!



→ For ions (with waves stationary);

$$\frac{d}{dt} \langle p_i \rangle = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{m_i}{(\partial f_{0,i}/\partial v)|_u} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_i^2 \quad ;$$

For electrons similarly;

$$\frac{d}{dt} p_e = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{m_e}{(\partial f_{0,e}/\partial v)|_u} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_e^2$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{m_e}{(\partial f_{0,e}/\partial v)|_u} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_e^2 = -\frac{m_i}{(\partial f_{0,i}/\partial v)|_u} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_i^2$$

- growth possible if $\left. \frac{\partial f_{i,0}}{\partial v} \right|_u \left. \frac{\partial f_{e,0}}{\partial v} \right|_u < 0$

n.b. kinetic pseudomomentum:

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \int dv \frac{\delta f^2}{\partial f_0 / \partial v}$$

→ generalizes wave momentum density idea

- overlap of distributions allows momentum exchange to scatter δf_i producing growth

- **require** overlap for maximal nonlinear growth → **complementary** to ancient linear story...

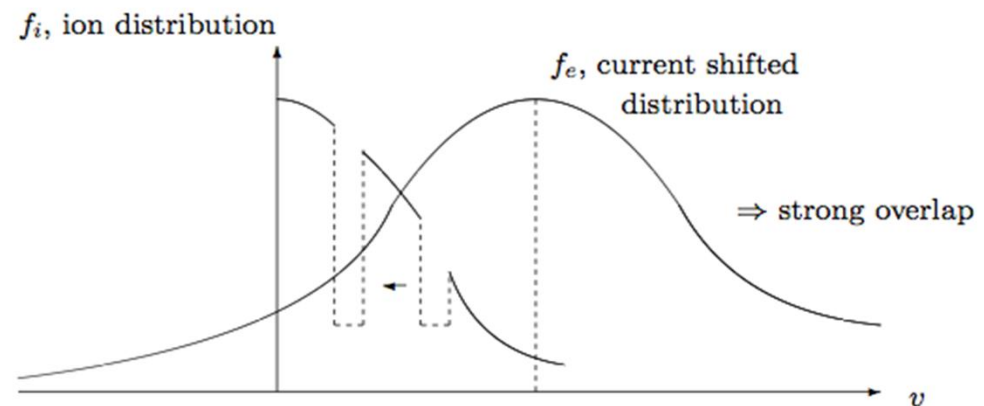


FIG. 8. Ion hole growth in current carrying Vlasov plasma

- Calculation

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{m_i}{(\partial f_{0,i}/\partial v)|_u} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_i^2 = -\frac{d\langle p_i \rangle}{dt} = \frac{dp_e}{dt}$$

- using linear electron response for simplicity (can be expanded)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dp_e}{dt} &= -m_e \int dv D(v) \frac{\partial}{\partial v} \langle f_e \rangle \\ &\simeq -m_e D(u) \left. \frac{\partial f_{0,e}}{\partial v} \right|_u \Delta u \end{aligned} \quad D(v) = \frac{q^2}{m_e^2} \sum_{k\omega} \langle E^2 \rangle_{k\omega} \pi \delta(\omega - kv)$$

Results:

spread of structure-generated phase velocities

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \int dv \delta f_i^2 &\cong -\frac{m_e}{m_i} \left. \frac{\partial f_{0,i}}{\partial v} \right|_u \int dv D(v) \frac{\partial}{\partial v} \langle f_e \rangle \\ &\cong -\frac{m_e}{m_i} \Delta u D(u) \left. \frac{\partial f_{0,i}}{\partial v} \right|_u \left. \frac{\partial f_{0,e}}{\partial v} \right|_u \end{aligned}$$

$$- \langle \tilde{E}^2 \rangle \sim \int dv \int dv' \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / |\epsilon|^2 \sim \Delta v^2 \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / |\epsilon|^2$$

which brings us to:

- The result:

$$\gamma \simeq k \Delta v \left[-\frac{\partial f_{0,i}}{\partial v} \frac{\partial f_{0,e}}{\partial v} \right]_u F(\text{mess})$$

- F(mess) is complicated function of BGK mode/hole structure

NOT INSTRUCTIVE

Elements of Growth:

- rate \rightarrow set by trapping time $\gamma \sim k \Delta v \rightarrow$ nonlinear ($\sim \sqrt{\phi}$)

- free energy: $-\frac{\partial f_{0,i}}{\partial v} \frac{\partial f_{0,e}}{\partial v} > 0 \rightarrow$ electron current required

- mechanism: electron scattering off ion structure, **not** related to wave scattering

- no apparent critical current if δf sufficient

- observed in simulations (R.H Berman, et.al.) 1986

d.) Collisionless Drift Wave Turbulence

Example: Darnet Model, A Simplified Interesting Prototype

- ▶ Darnet '06: Trapped Ion Induced ITG
- ▶ Bounce Averaged DKE for Trapped Ions + GK Poisson Equations

$$\partial_t f + v_d \partial_y f + \{\phi, f\} = C(f)$$

$$\alpha_e (\phi - \langle \phi \rangle_\theta) - \rho^2 \nabla^2 \phi = \frac{2}{n_{eq} \sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty dE \sqrt{E} f - 1$$

- ▶ Drive: $Q = -\chi_{col} \langle T \rangle' + \int dE \sqrt{E} E \langle v_r \delta f \rangle$
to match applied heat flux

- ▶ Irreversibility

- ▶ trapped ion drift resonance
- ▶ $\sim 1D$ resonance dynamics ($v_{ph\phi} \leftrightarrow v_d$)

→ possibility of **long** wave-ion coherence time, $Kubo\# > 1$

\therefore phase space structure formation, failure of QLT are *both* likely

- Drift resonance relatively coherent $\rightarrow K > 1$ easily satisfied (P.D. et. al. '82)
 $\leftrightarrow \sim 1\text{D}$ structure

$$K = \frac{\tilde{v}}{|d\omega/dk_\theta - \omega/k_\theta| |\Delta k_\theta| \Delta_r}$$

\rightarrow strongly resonant structure formation likely

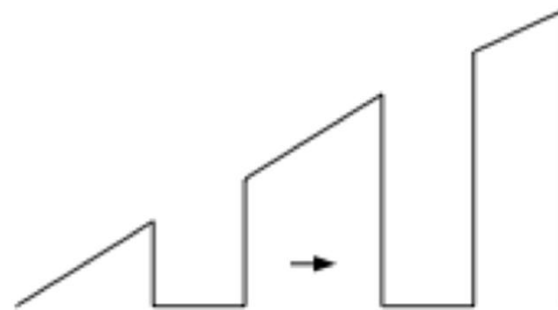
\rightarrow Dynamics \rightarrow consider displacement δr :

$$\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt}(f_0 + \delta f) = 0$$

$$\partial_t \int dE \sqrt{E} \langle \delta f^2 \rangle = -2 \frac{d}{dt} \int dE \sqrt{E} f_0 \delta f \quad ; \quad f_0 = f_0(x_0) + (x - x_0) \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial x} \right|_{x_0} + \dots$$

$$\partial_t \int dE \sqrt{E} \langle \delta f_i^2 \rangle = -2 \langle \tilde{v}_r \delta n_i \rangle \left. \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial x} \right|_{x_0}$$

and QN $\rightarrow -\rho^2 \nabla^2 \tilde{\phi} = \delta n_i - \delta n_e$

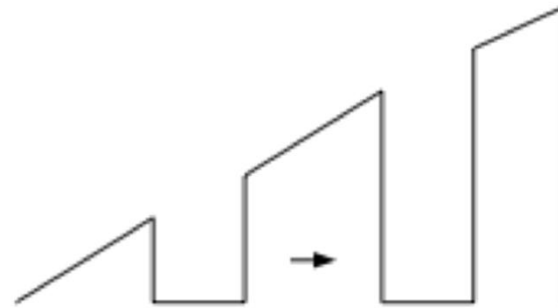


$$\delta f_i \left(\frac{x-x_0}{\Delta x}, \frac{E-E_0}{\Delta E} \right)$$

→ Physics: Ambipolarity / PV conservation

- total dipole moment conserved, including polarization charge

$$\int dx \sum_{\alpha} q_{\alpha} n_{\alpha}(x) x = \text{const}$$



$$\delta f_i \left(\frac{x-x_0}{\Delta x}, \frac{E-E_0}{\Delta E} \right)$$

- Polarization Flux → Reynolds Force

$$\partial_t \left\{ \int dE \sqrt{E} \frac{\delta f_i^2}{2 \langle f \rangle' |_{x_0}} + \langle V_{\theta} \rangle \right\} = -\nu \langle V_{\theta} \rangle - \langle \tilde{v}_r \delta n_e \rangle$$

Observe:

- even for localized phase space structure dynamics → ZF coupling appears
- For TIM regime, non-adiabatic electrons dissipative (i.e. collisional response)

$$\partial_t \left\{ \int dE \sqrt{E} \frac{\delta f_i^2}{2 \langle f \rangle' |_{x_0}} + \langle V_{\theta} \rangle \right\} = -\nu \langle V_{\theta} \rangle + D_{DT} \frac{\partial \langle n \rangle}{\partial x}$$

Observe:

- structure + Z.F. evolution

$$\partial_t \left\{ \int dE \sqrt{E} \frac{\delta f_i^2}{2 \langle f \rangle' |_{x_0}} + \langle V_\theta \rangle \right\} = -\nu \langle V_\theta \rangle + D_{DT} \frac{\partial \langle n \rangle}{\partial x}$$

- Charney - Drazin Non-Acceleration Theorem for H-W model

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \{ \langle v_\theta \rangle - WAD \} = -\nu \langle V_\theta \rangle - \langle \tilde{V}_r \tilde{n} \rangle - \frac{1}{\langle q \rangle'} \left\{ \mu \langle (\nabla \tilde{q})^2 \rangle + \partial_r \langle \tilde{V}_r \tilde{q}^2 \rangle \right\}$$

$$WAD = - \frac{\langle \delta q^2 \rangle}{\langle q \rangle'}$$

$$q = n - \nabla^2 \phi$$

→ ~ very close correspondence!

- $\int dE \sqrt{E} \delta f_i^2 / 2 \langle f \rangle |_{x_0}$ → equivalent to structure zonal pseudomomentum

- momentum conservation of structure + ZF is fundamental ↔ follows from flux of polarization charge

- electron flux drives NET system momentum → ambipolarity

- ▶ C-D Thm. for Darnet Model ($KPD \equiv \int \sqrt{E} dE \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / \langle f \rangle'$)

$$\partial_t \{ \langle v_\theta \rangle - KPD \} = -\nu \langle V_\theta \rangle - \int dE \sqrt{E} \left[\frac{1}{\langle f \rangle'} \{ \partial_r \langle \tilde{v}_r \delta f^2 \rangle + \langle \delta f C(\delta f) \rangle \} \right]$$

- ▶ $KPD \equiv -\int dE \sqrt{E} \langle \delta f^2 \rangle / \langle f \rangle'$, Kinetic 'Phasetrophy' Density

In non-resonant limit:

$$\delta f_k = -\tilde{v}_{rk} \langle f \rangle' / (-i\omega_k), \quad KPD \sim \int \sqrt{E} dE \langle \tilde{v}_r^2 \rangle_k \langle f \rangle' / \omega_k^2 \sim -k_\theta \mathcal{E} / \omega_k$$

→ corresponds to kinetic pseudomomentum

→ reduces to wave momentum in small amplitude limit, $P_k = kN_k$,

$$N_k = (\partial \epsilon / \partial \omega)|_{\omega_k} (|E_k|^2 / 8\pi)$$

- ▶ Non-Acceleration: Absent KPD/spreading or collisional dissipation, **cannot** accelerate or maintain Z.F. with stationary KPD
 → Momentum Freezing-in Law for ZF and QP gas!!

Aside: Kinetic 'Phasetrophy' Density - What Does it Mean?

- ▶ c.f. Antonov Energy Principle for collisionless Self-Gravitating Matter (Stellar Dynamics, $F'_0 = \partial F_0 / \partial E$)

$$\delta W = \boxed{\int d^3x d^3v \frac{\delta f^2}{|F'_0|}} - G \int d^3x d^3x' d^3v d^3v' \frac{\delta f(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}) \delta f(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{v}')}{|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}'|}$$

→ KPD corresponds to **fluctuation dynamic pressure**

→ opposes self-gravity in usual Jean's balance

- ▶ Formulate as response to external force
- ▶ Appears in Kruskal-Oberman Kinetic Energy Principle

Is There a Non-Acceleration Theorem for 1D Vlasov Plasma ?

$$\partial_t f + v \partial_x f + E \partial_v f = C(f)$$

$$-\nabla^2 \phi = 4\pi \int f dv$$

⇒ Phasetrophy Evolution:

drives $\partial_t \langle v \rangle$

$$\partial_t \int \frac{\langle \delta f^2 \rangle}{2 \langle f \rangle'} dv - \int \frac{\langle f \rangle''}{\langle f \rangle'^2} \langle \tilde{E} \delta f^2 \rangle dv = -\langle \tilde{E} \delta n \rangle + \int \langle \tilde{C}(f) \delta f \rangle dv$$

Pseudomomentum: $-\int \frac{\langle \delta f^2 \rangle}{2 \langle f \rangle'} dv \Rightarrow$ WMD, for linear perturbations

⇒ Non-Acceleration Theorem

$$\partial_t \left\{ \langle v \rangle - \left(-\int \frac{\langle \delta f^2 \rangle}{2 \langle f \rangle'} dv \right) \right\} = \int \frac{\langle f \rangle'}{\langle f \rangle'^2} \langle \tilde{E} \delta f^2 \rangle dv + \int \langle \delta f \tilde{C}(f) \rangle dv + \int \langle C(f) \rangle v dv$$

Collisional phasetrophy dissipation

Collisional mean flow damping

Implications for 'Anomalous Resistivity' ?

III) Relaxation + Transport in phase space turbulence for $K \sim 1$

- An approach: Dupree+Balescu+Lenard (DBL)
- Evolution of **Mean** by **turbulent granulation**

$$\partial_t \langle f \rangle = -\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \langle \tilde{v}_r \delta f \rangle = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(D \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \langle f \rangle - F \langle f \rangle \right)$$

$$\delta f = \delta f^c + \tilde{\delta f}$$

Coherent response

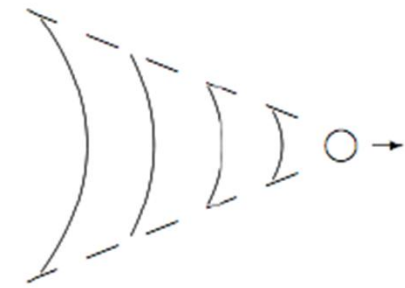
→ similar to quasilinear theory

Incoherent granulation → **Dynamical Friction!**

→ Structure = 'Macro' particle (Dupree '70)

→ Cerenkov emission, leading to wake

$$\tilde{\phi}_{k\omega} = \frac{1}{\epsilon(k, \omega)} \int dv \tilde{\delta f}$$



- Evolution of **turbulence**

$$\partial_t \langle \delta f(1) \delta f(2) \rangle + \tau^{-1} \langle \delta f(1) \delta f(2) \rangle = P(1, 2)$$

Life time of correlation due:

→ relative streaming, turbulent scattering, collisions

Production due to free energy relaxation

$$-\langle \tilde{v}_r \delta f \rangle \langle f \rangle'$$

mixing of phase space density

→ mixing of pol. charge → zonal flow coupling

Production term

$$\delta f = -(q\tilde{\phi}/T_i)\langle f_i \rangle + \delta h$$

- Phase space density fluctuation: $\delta h = \delta h^c + \tilde{\delta h}$

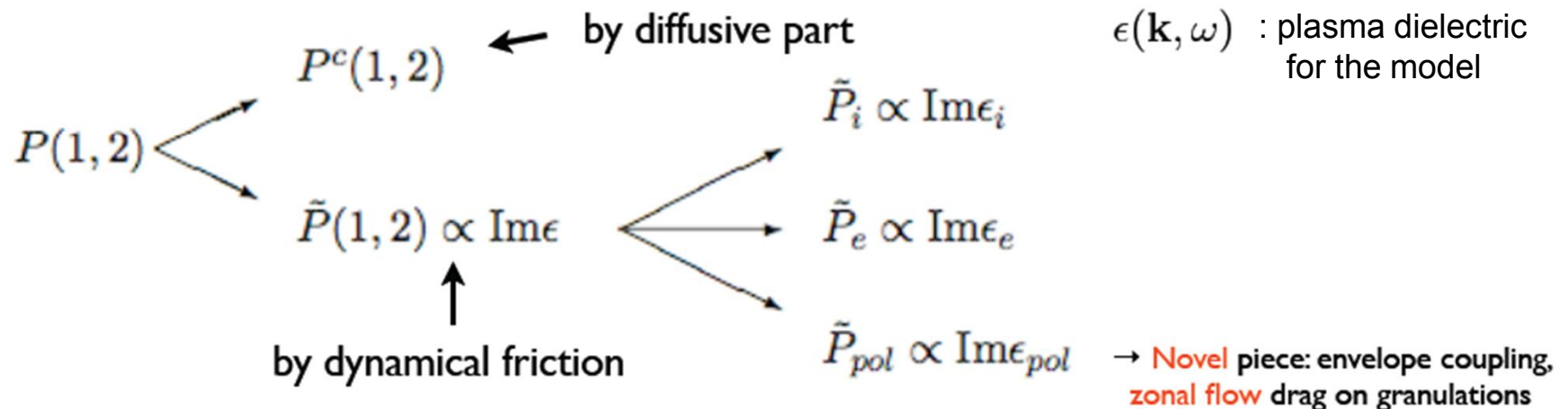
↑ **coherent** response

↗ **incoherent** granulation

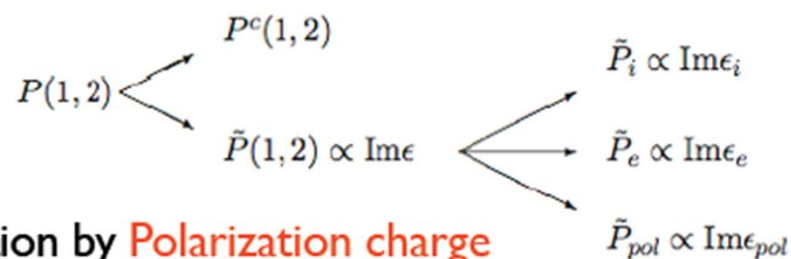
$$P(1, 2) = \text{Re} \sum_{k\omega} (-i\omega + i\omega_*^i(1)) \left\langle \frac{q\tilde{\phi}(1)}{T_i} \underline{\delta h^{c*}(2)} \right\rangle_{k\omega} e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{x} - \langle f_i(1) \rangle} + (1 \leftrightarrow 2)$$

$$+ \text{Re} \sum_{k\omega} (-i\omega + i\omega_*^i(1)) \left\langle \frac{q\tilde{\phi}(1)}{T_i} \underline{\tilde{\delta h}^*(2)} \right\rangle_{k\omega} e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{x} - \langle f_i(1) \rangle} + (1 \leftrightarrow 2)$$

→ **Coherent** and **Incoherent** Production



Incoherent Production (pol. charge)



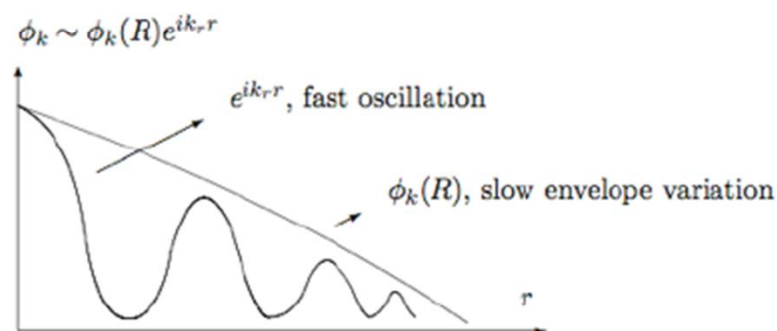
- **Novel** piece: Incoherent Production due Dynamical Friction by **Polarization charge**

$$\tilde{P}_{pol} \simeq -2 \sum_{k\omega} (\omega - \omega_*^i(E)) \langle f_i(E) \rangle (-2\rho_i^2 k_r) \frac{1}{|\epsilon(k, \omega)|^2} \left\langle \frac{\delta n}{n_0} \partial_r \delta h^* \right\rangle_{k\omega}$$

- $\text{Im}\epsilon_{pol} \propto k_r \partial_r$: envelope coupling \rightarrow **mesoscales**

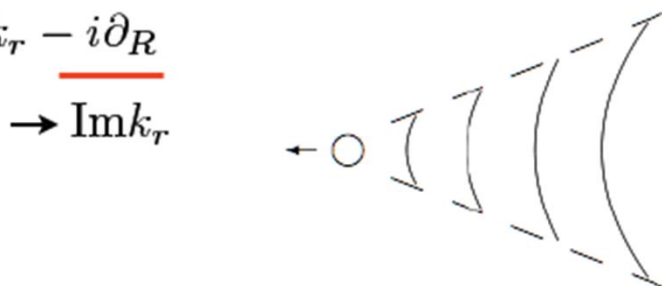
$$\phi_k \sim \phi_k(R) \exp(ik_r r)$$

\swarrow **slow envelope variation**
 \searrow **fast oscillation**

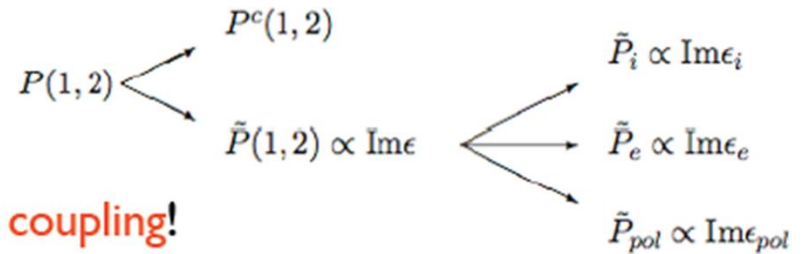


Radial derivative: $\partial_r \rightarrow ik_r + \partial_R$ i.e. $k_r \rightarrow k_r - i\partial_R$

so $\text{Im}\epsilon_{pol} \propto \text{Im}k_{\perp}^2 \propto k_r \text{Im}k_r$



Incoherent Production (pol. charge)



- Incoherent production by pol. charge? → **Zonal Flow coupling!**

$$\int d^3v \frac{\tilde{P}_{pol}}{2\langle f_i \rangle} \simeq \frac{v_*^i}{v_{thi}^2} \partial_r \langle \tilde{v}_r \tilde{v}_\theta \rangle$$

→ Dynamical Friction on ion phase space density due to Zonal flow coupling

→ n.b. closely analogous to zonal flow coupling via pol. charge in single structure case

→ akin to wake of granulation in zonal flow

- **Relative magnitude** of dynamical friction by pol. charge

$$\frac{\tilde{P}_{pol}}{\tilde{P}_e} \sim \frac{\overline{k_r k_\theta}}{k_\theta^2} \frac{\eta_e}{1 + 3\eta_e/2} \frac{\nu_e/\epsilon_0}{v_{thi}/L_{Te}} \frac{1}{\epsilon_0^{1/2}} \sqrt{\frac{\rho_i}{L_{Te}}}$$

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 $O(1) \quad \text{large} \quad \text{modest}$

where $\overline{(\dots)} \equiv \sum_{k\omega} (\dots) \langle \tilde{\phi}^2 \rangle_{k\omega} / \sum_{k\omega} \langle \tilde{\phi}^2 \rangle_{k\omega}$

→ Can be order unity!

Implication: Momentum Theorem for phase space turbulence

- Full Evolution → Extension of **momentum theorem by Charney-Drazin** to granulation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int d^3v \frac{\langle \delta h^2 \rangle}{2\langle f \rangle} = \int d^3v \frac{P_{i,i} + P_{i,e}}{2\langle f \rangle} + \frac{v_*^i}{v_{thi}^2} \partial_r \langle \tilde{v}_r \tilde{v}_\theta \rangle - \tau_L^{-1} \int d^3v \frac{\langle \delta h^2 \rangle}{2\langle f \rangle} \quad \text{: for GK turbulence}$$

Forcing in turbulence
due relaxation

ZF coupling

dissipation by turbulent mixing

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \frac{\langle \delta q^2 \rangle}{2\langle q \rangle'} = -\langle \tilde{v}_r \tilde{n}_e \rangle + \partial_r \langle \tilde{v}_r \tilde{v}_\theta \rangle - \frac{1}{\langle q \rangle'} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left\langle \tilde{v}_r \frac{\delta q^2}{2} \right\rangle + D_0 \langle (\nabla \delta q)^2 \rangle \right) \quad \text{: for Hasegawa + Wakatani system}$$

$$dq/dt = D_0 \nabla^2 q$$

$$q = n - \nabla^2 \phi$$

- An implication → **Non-Acceleration** theorem:

In the absence of production/dissipation of phase space turbulence (granulation), stationary granulation cannot accelerate flow against collisional drag

→ With production/dissipation, granulation can drive zonal flow

Transport

- Flux of phase space density

$$J(r) \equiv \langle \tilde{v}_r \delta f \rangle = J_{i,i} + J_{i,e} + J_{i,pol} \quad \rightarrow \text{total radial flux}$$

$$J_{i,i} = \sum_{k\omega} (\omega - \omega_*^i(E)) \langle f_i(E) \rangle k_\theta \rho_i v_{thi} \text{Re} g_{k\omega} S_{k\omega} \quad \rightarrow \sim \text{QL diffusion; } S_{k,\omega} \text{ includes i,i drag}$$

$$J_{i,e} = - \sum_{k\omega} k_\theta \rho_i v_{thi} \frac{\text{Im} \epsilon_e}{|\epsilon(k, \omega)|^2} \left\langle \frac{\tilde{\delta n}}{n_0} \tilde{\delta h}^* \right\rangle_{k\omega} \quad \rightarrow \text{dynamical friction from electrons}$$

$$J_{i,pol} = - \sum_{k\omega} k_\theta \rho_i v_{thi} \frac{(-2\rho_i^2 k_r)}{|\epsilon(k, \omega)|^2} \left\langle \frac{\tilde{\delta n}}{n_0} \partial_r \tilde{\delta h}^* \right\rangle_{k\omega} \quad \rightarrow \text{dynamical friction from zonal flow}$$

→ Dynamical Friction by zonal flow competes against G.C. fluxes

→ **Unlike** conventional shear decorrelation/suppression of turbulence (enter propagator)

IV.) Summary and Outlook

- Dynamical friction is alive and well in Vlasov turbulence
- Dynamical anti-friction possible \Rightarrow subcritical structure growth predicted
- Physics of Dynamical friction efficiently revealed by consideration of δf blob scattering in phase space
- Localized structures carry a pseudo-momentum and thus excite zonal flows
- Correspondence between single structure and statistical D-B-L calculations demonstrated
- Time to re-investigate the ‘declaration of victory’ for quasilinear models...

Outlook and Open Questions

- Feedback of structure generated zonal flow on violent relaxation process of structure formation? BGK structure in shear flow – Okubo-Weiss balance?
- Effect of zonal flow shear on hole growth and saturation dynamics
⇒ yet another variation on the predator-prey theme?
- Applications to more interesting systems i.e. EPM?