Coarse graining dynamics using the Mori-Zwanzig formalism: algorithms to reconstruct the projected dynamics

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Introduction

• Description of diffusion of a particle in a fluid



- Mechanism, collective variables?
- e.g. proton transport, hops between cages...

Diffusion of CO₂ molecule in molten CaCO₃



D. Corradini, F.-X. Coudert, RV, Nature Chemistry 8 (2016): 454-460.

Introduction

- Mori-Zwanzig formalism for projecting on a slow variable
- Application to the diffusion of a particle in a fluid
- Other slow variables: hydrodynamic modes
- Long-time behaviour of the memory kernel?

Mori-Zwanzig formalism for the diffusion of a tagged particle in a fluid

 Here, we will consider the case of diffusion and consider the velocity v as relevant variable The projector of any quantity A on v is defined as

$$\mathcal{P} \mathbf{A} = oldsymbol{v} rac{\langle \mathbf{v} \mathbf{A}
angle}{\langle \mathbf{v}^2
angle}; \quad \mathcal{Q} = 1 - \mathcal{P}$$

 $\langle \bullet \rangle$ is the average over the canonical distribution function at temperature ${\cal T}$

• The microscopic dynamics is decomposed in components othorgonal and along the projection space

$$i\mathcal{L} = i\mathcal{P}\mathcal{L} + i\mathcal{Q}\mathcal{L}$$

Generalized Langevin equation for the tagged particle velocity

• GLE

$$m rac{\mathrm{d} \mathbf{v}}{\mathrm{d} t}(t) = -\int_0^t K(u) \mathbf{v}(t-u) \,\mathrm{d} u + \mathbf{R}(t),$$

Mori-Zwanzig Memory kernel

$$\mathcal{K}(u) = rac{\langle \mathbf{F} \, e^{i\mathcal{Q}\mathcal{L}u}\mathbf{F}
angle}{k_B T} = rac{\langle \mathbf{F} \, \mathbf{R}(u)
angle}{k_B T}$$

• Random force $\mathbf{R}(t) = e^{i\mathcal{QL}t}\mathbf{F}$

• Projection operator $\mathcal{P} = 1 - \mathcal{Q}$: $\mathcal{P}\mathbf{A} = \frac{\langle \mathbf{v}\mathbf{A} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{v}^2 \rangle} \mathbf{v}$

Computation of projected dynamics

We want to compute

$$\mathbf{R}(t) = \exp(i\mathcal{QL}t)\mathbf{F}$$

We first note that

$$i\mathcal{QL} = i(1-\mathcal{P})\mathcal{L} = i\mathcal{L} + \mathbf{v} \frac{\langle \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{\bullet} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{v}^2 \rangle}$$

So that the time evolution of ${\boldsymbol{\mathsf{R}}}$ is

$$rac{d}{dt} {f R}(t) = i {\cal L} {f R}(t) + {f v} rac{\langle {f F} \cdot {f R}(t)
angle}{\langle {f v}^2
angle}$$

Projected dynamics along the flow

• Force is transported unchanged backward in the phase-space flow:

$$rac{d}{dt} \mathbf{F}(t) = i \mathcal{L} \mathbf{F}(t)$$

 $\mathbf{F}(q, p; t + \delta t) = \mathbf{F}(q_{\delta t}, p_{\delta t}; t)$

• Total derivative of the random force in the flow is non zero

$$\begin{split} \frac{d}{dt} \mathbf{R}(t) &= i\mathcal{L}\mathbf{R}(t) + \mathbf{v} \frac{\langle \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{R}(t) \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{v}^2 \rangle} \\ \mathbf{R}(q, p; t + \delta t) &= \mathbf{R}(q_{\delta t}, p_{\delta t}; t) + \frac{\langle \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{R}(t) \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{v}^2 \rangle} \mathbf{v}(q_{\delta t}, p_{\delta t}; t) \end{split}$$

Going backward

$$\mathsf{R}(q, p; t + \delta t) = \mathsf{R}(q_{\delta t}, p_{\delta t}; t) + rac{\langle \mathsf{F} \cdot \mathsf{R}(t)
angle}{\langle \mathsf{v}^2
angle} \mathsf{v}(q_{\delta t}, p_{\delta t}; t)$$



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Illustration: double well potential

• Characteristic function for the products and reactants

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } x > 0 \\ 0 \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• Reaction rate τ^{-1} :

$$\int_{0}^{+\infty} K(t) dt = \int_{0}^{+\infty} \frac{\langle \dot{h} e^{i\mathcal{Q}\mathcal{L}t} \dot{h} \rangle}{k_B T} dt = \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{\langle \dot{h} e^{i\mathcal{Q}\mathcal{L}t} h \rangle}{k_B T} = \tau^{-1}$$

but

$$\int_{0}^{+\infty} C(t) dt = \int_{0}^{+\infty} \frac{\langle \dot{h} \dot{h}(t) \rangle}{k_B T} dt = \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{\langle \dot{h} h(t) \rangle}{k_B T} = 0$$

Illustration: double well potential

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } x > 0 \\ 0 \text{ otherwise} \end{cases} \qquad \int_0^T C(t) \, dt = \langle \dot{h}(0)h(T) \rangle = \langle \dot{h} e^{i\mathcal{L}T}h \rangle$$



Illustration: double well potential - projection

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } x > 0 \\ 0 \text{ otherwise} \end{cases} \int_0^T K(t) dt = \langle \dot{h} e^{i\mathcal{QLT}} h \rangle \quad \mathcal{P}\mathbf{A} = \frac{\langle h\mathbf{A} \rangle}{\langle h^2 \rangle} h$$



Diffusion in a Lennard-Jones fluid – correlation function MD simulations of liquid Argon at $T^* = 1.5$, $\rho^* = 0.5$ (10000 particles)



Asymptotic behaviour: MD results



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Asymptotic behaviour: theory

• Velocity autocorrelation function (Bedeaux and Mazur)

$$Z(t)=rac{1}{3}\langle \mathbf{v}\cdot\mathbf{v}(t)
angle \sim rac{2k_BT}{3
ho m}[4\pi(D+
u)t]^{-rac{3}{2}}$$

• Force autocorrelation function

$$\langle F(t)F(0)\rangle = \frac{\mathrm{d}^2}{\mathrm{d}t^2}Z(t) \sim t^{-\frac{7}{2}}$$

• Random force autocorrelation function: Corngold (PRA 1972)

$$\mathcal{K}(t)\sim -rac{\xi^2}{k_BT}Z(t)\sim -rac{2\xi^2}{3
ho m}[4\pi(D+
u)t]^{-rac{3}{2}}$$

Retrieving the hydrodynamic solution: Basset-Boussinesq force

• Integrating by parts the GLE (for long times t)

$$m\frac{\mathrm{d}\mathbf{v}}{\mathrm{d}t}(t) = -\int_0^t \mathcal{K}(u)\mathbf{v}(t-u)\,\mathrm{d}u + \mathbf{R}(t)$$
$$= -\xi\mathbf{v}(t) - \int_0^t \mathcal{L}(u)\dot{\mathbf{v}}(t-u)\,\mathrm{d}u$$

with

$$L(u) = \int_{u}^{+\infty} K(\tau) \,\mathrm{d}\tau$$

• Generalized friction force

$$m\dot{\bar{\mathbf{v}}}(t) = f_{\epsilon}(t) - \xi\bar{\mathbf{v}}(t) - m_0\dot{\bar{\mathbf{v}}}(t) - \alpha\pi^{-1/2}\int_0^t (t-u)^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{\bar{\mathbf{v}}}(u)\,\mathrm{d}u$$

• Hydrodynamic added mass $m_0^{BB} = \frac{2}{3}\pi R^3 \rho_0$

Added mass



 $m_0 = -0.18$

Interpretation of the negative contribution to the added mass

Retardated force

$$m\bar{\dot{v}}(t) = f_{\epsilon}(t) - \xi_{E}\bar{v}(t-\tau_{0}) = f_{\epsilon}(t) - \xi_{E}\bar{v}(t) + \xi_{E} \times \tau_{0} \times \dot{\bar{v}}(t)$$

• Short-time decay of the memory kernel

$$K(t) = \frac{\xi_E}{\tau_0} e^{-t/\tau_0}$$

• Enskog contribution to the added mass

$$m_0^E = -\xi_E \tau_0 \approx -0.29 \ m,$$

with $au_0 \sim 0.05 \ t^*$ and $\xi_E \approx 5.8$

• Sum of contributions

$$\textit{m}_0 = \textit{m}_0^{\textit{E}} + \textit{m}_0^{\textit{BB}} \approx -0.16 \textit{ m}$$

Random force distribution

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Eigenfunctions of i QL for the double well potential

- $\bullet~i\mathcal{QL}$ has a non-trivial eigenfunction with zero eigenvalue
- On the left:

$$h(i\mathcal{QL})=0$$

since Qh = 0

• On the right:

$$i\mathcal{QL} au_h = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad i\mathcal{L} au_h \propto h$$

Formally,

$$\tau_h = \frac{1}{i\mathcal{L}}h = \int_0^\infty e^{i\mathcal{L}t}h\,dt = \int_0^\infty h(t)\,dt$$

Committor time

1D model



Overdamped dynamics: $i\mathcal{L} = -\frac{D}{kT}\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + D\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$

$$D = 1, kT = 2$$

$$\tau_h = t_A - t_B$$
: committor time

1D model



Relation between τ_h and p_c

Committor p_c

Rescaling $\langle h(t) \rangle$ by p_c :



 $\tau_h \approx \tau_0 \times p_c$, with τ_0 the reaction time

Equation for τ_h and p_c

• τ_h satisfies

$$\left(-\frac{D}{kT}\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial x}+D\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}\right)\tau_h=-h$$

A: source, B: sink; $\tau_h \rho_0$ stationary state • p_c satisfies

$$\left(-\frac{D}{kT}\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial x}+D\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}\right)p_c=0;\quad p_c(\partial A)=1,\quad p_c(\partial B)=-1$$

Can be solved using Lagrange multipliers

$$\left(-\frac{D}{kT}\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\frac{\partial}{\partial x}+D\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}\right)p_c=\lambda(x)$$

1D model



in 1D: $\tau_h = \tau_0 \times p_c$ outside A and B

Inspection of $\lim_{T\to\infty} e^{i\mathcal{QLT}}v$

- Taking limits in the GLE
- It can be shown with some algebra that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{0} \langle \mathbf{v}(t) \mathbf{B} \rangle \, \mathrm{d}t = \frac{\int_{0}^{+\infty} \langle \mathbf{v}\mathbf{v}(t) \rangle \, \mathrm{d}t}{\langle \mathbf{v}^{2} \rangle} \times \lim_{T \to +\infty} \langle \mathbf{B}e^{-i\mathcal{QLT}}\mathbf{v} \rangle$$

in the sense of a density, we can say that

$$\lim_{T \to +\infty} e^{-i\mathcal{QLT}} \mathbf{v} = \int_{-\infty}^{0} \mathbf{v}(t) = \lim_{T \to +\infty} (\mathbf{r}(0) - \mathbf{r}(-T))$$

Comparison with linear response

Infinitesimal force

force f applied on particle 1 since $t = -\infty$ along x

Averages of observables

$$\langle A \rangle_f \approx \langle A \rangle_0 + \beta f \int_{-\infty}^0 dt \langle v_{1,x}(t) A \rangle_0$$

 $\approx \langle A \rangle_0 + f \times \beta \langle \Delta r_{1,x} A \rangle_0$

 $\Delta r_{1,x}$: displacement along x of particle 1 from $t = -\infty$ to t = 0

 $A \equiv v_1$: $\beta \langle \Delta r_{1,x} v_1 \rangle_0$ is the mobility

Observables \mathbf{B}

Induced local structure

• Particle density:

$$\rho(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{i} m_i \delta^3 \left(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_i \right)$$

Induced flow around the diffusing particle

• Momentum density:

$$\rho \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{i} m_{i} \left(\mathbf{v}_{i} - \mathbf{v}_{1} \right) \delta^{3} \left(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_{i} \right)$$
$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\rho \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r})}{\rho(\mathbf{r})\mathcal{U}}$$

Use of symmetries

• Density

$$\delta\rho(\mathbf{r}) = \gamma_1(\mathbf{r})\cos\theta$$

• Momentum density

$$\rho \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = \Theta_L(r) \cos \theta \mathbf{u}_r + \Theta_T(r) \sin \theta \mathbf{u}_\theta$$

Same symmetries as Stokes flow!

Density map

$$\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}) = \beta \langle \Delta r_{1,x} \, \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_{1i}) \rangle = h(\mathbf{r}) \cos \theta$$



Force felt by the particle = applied force

Velocity field: diffusing particle frame

$$\rho \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = \beta \langle \Delta r_{1,x} \left(\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_1 \right) \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}_{1i}) \rangle = f(\mathbf{r}) \cos \theta \cdot \mathbf{e}_r + g(\mathbf{r}) \sin \theta \cdot \mathbf{e}_{\theta}$$



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Summary

- An algorithm to compute accurately projected correlation function and random noise from equilibrium MD simulations
- We found the expected long-time behaviour of the projected correlation function
- Extraction of an added mass
- Determination of molecular flow
- Extension to collective variables to describe diffusion mechanism of diffusion?
- Proton transport,...

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