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Hypocoercivity without changing the scalar product

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- **Some hypocoercive dynamics**

- Langevin dynamics and its overdamped limit
- Random time HMC (linear Boltzmann)
- Structural form of hypocoercive operators
- Longtime convergence by a standard hypocoercive approach

- **Hypocoercive approaches without changing the scalar product**

- Space-time Poincare inequalities¹ and longtime convergence
- Schur method and direct bound on the resolvent²

¹Armstrong/Mourrat (2019), Cao/Lu/Wang (2019)

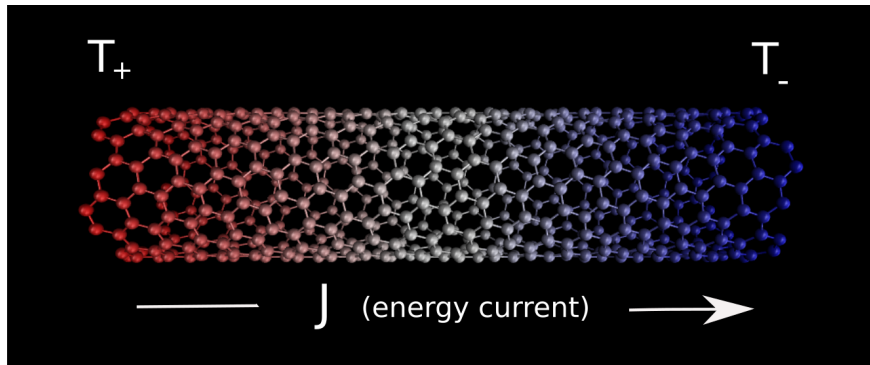
²Bernard/Fathi/Levitt/Stoltz (2020)

Some hypocoercive dynamics

My motivation: computational statistical physics

- **Aims of computational statistical physics**

- numerical microscope
- computation of **average properties**, static or dynamic



“Given the structure and the laws of interaction of the particles, what are the **macroscopic properties** of the matter composed of these particles?”

Langevin dynamics (1)

- Positions $q \in \mathcal{D} = (LT)^d$ or \mathbb{R}^d and momenta $p \in \mathbb{R}^d$
→ phase-space $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{D} \times \mathbb{R}^d$
- **Hamiltonian** $H(q, p) = V(q) + \frac{1}{2}p^T M^{-1}p$

Stochastic perturbation of the Hamiltonian dynamics

$$\begin{cases} dq_t = M^{-1}p_t dt \\ dp_t = -\nabla V(q_t) dt - \gamma M^{-1}p_t dt + \sqrt{\frac{2\gamma}{\beta}} dW_t \end{cases}$$

- Given (known) **friction** $\gamma > 0$ (could be a position-dependent matrix)

Langevin dynamics (2)

- Evolution semigroup $(e^{t\mathcal{L}}\varphi)(q, p) = \mathbb{E} \left[\varphi(q_t, p_t) \mid (q_0, p_0) = (q, p) \right]$
- Generator of the dynamics \mathcal{L}

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\mathbb{E} \left[\varphi(q_t, p_t) \mid (q_0, p_0) = (q, p) \right] \right) = \mathbb{E} \left[(\mathcal{L}\varphi)(q_t, p_t) \mid (q_0, p_0) = (q, p) \right]$$

Generator of the Langevin dynamics $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} + \gamma\mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} = p^T M^{-1} \nabla_q - \nabla V^T \nabla_p, \quad \mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}} = -p^T M^{-1} \nabla_p + \frac{1}{\beta} \Delta_p$$

- Existence and uniqueness of the invariant measure characterized by

$$\forall \varphi \in C_c^\infty(\mathcal{E}), \quad \int_{\mathcal{E}} \mathcal{L}\varphi \, d\mu = 0$$

- Here, **canonical measure**

$$\mu(dq \, dp) = Z^{-1} e^{-\beta H(q, p)} \, dq \, dp = \nu(dq) \, \kappa(dp)$$

Fokker–Planck equations

- Evolution of the law $\psi(t, q, p)$ of the process at time $t \geq 0$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_{\mathcal{E}} \varphi \psi(t) \right) = \int_{\mathcal{E}} (\mathcal{L}\varphi) \psi(t)$$

- Fokker–Planck equation (with \mathcal{L}^\dagger adjoint of \mathcal{L} on $L^2(\mathcal{E})$)

$$\partial_t \psi = \mathcal{L}^\dagger \psi$$

- It is convenient to work in $L^2(\mu)$ with $f(t) = \psi(t)/\mu$
 - denote the adjoint of \mathcal{L} on $L^2(\mu)$ by \mathcal{L}^*

$$\mathcal{L}^* = -\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} + \gamma \mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}}$$

- Fokker–Planck equation $\partial_t f = \mathcal{L}^* f$
- Convergence results for $e^{t\mathcal{L}}$ on $L^2(\mu)$ are very similar to the ones for $e^{t\mathcal{L}^*}$

Hamiltonian and overdamped limits

- As $\gamma \rightarrow 0$, recover **Hamiltonian** dynamics

$$\frac{d}{dt} \mathbb{E} [H(q_t, p_t)] = -\gamma \left(\mathbb{E} [p_t^T M^{-2} p_t] - \frac{1}{\beta} \text{Tr}(M^{-1}) \right) dt$$

Time $\sim \gamma^{-1}$ to change energy levels in this limit³

- Overdamped** limit $\gamma \rightarrow +\infty$: rescaling of time γt

$$\begin{aligned} q_{\gamma t} - q_0 &= -\frac{1}{\gamma} \int_0^{\gamma t} \nabla V(q_s) ds + \sqrt{\frac{2}{\gamma\beta}} W_{\gamma t} - \frac{1}{\gamma} (p_{\gamma t} - p_0) \\ &= -\int_0^t \nabla V(q_{\gamma s}) ds + \sqrt{2\beta^{-1}} B_t - \frac{1}{\gamma} (p_{\gamma t} - p_0) \end{aligned}$$

which converges to the solution of $dQ_t = -\nabla V(Q_t) dt + \sqrt{2\beta^{-1}} dB_t$

- In both cases, **slow convergence**, with rate scaling as $\min(\gamma, \gamma^{-1})$

³Hairer and Pavliotis, *J. Stat. Phys.*, **131**(1), 175-202 (2008)

Ergodicity results for Langevin dynamics (1)

- Almost-sure convergence⁴ of **ergodic averages** $\widehat{\varphi}_t = \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \varphi(q_s, p_s) ds$
- **Asymptotic variance** of ergodic averages

$$\sigma_\varphi^2 = \lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} t \mathbb{E} [\widehat{\varphi}_t^2] = 2 \int_{\mathcal{E}} (-\mathcal{L}^{-1} \mathcal{P}\varphi) \mathcal{P}\varphi d\mu$$

where $\mathcal{P}\varphi = \varphi - \mathbb{E}_\mu(\varphi)$

- A central limit theorem holds⁵ when the equation has a solution in $L^2(\mu)$

Poisson equation in $L^2(\mu)$

$$-\mathcal{L}\Phi = \mathcal{P}\varphi$$

- Well-posedness of such equations?

⁴Kliemann, *Ann. Probab.* **15**(2), 690-707 (1987)

⁵Bhattacharya, *Z. Wahrsch. Verw. Gebiete* **60**, 185-201 (1982)

Ergodicity results for Langevin dynamics (2)

- **Invertibility** of \mathcal{L} on subsets of $L_0^2(\mu) = \left\{ \varphi \in L^2(\mu) \mid \int_{\mathcal{E}} \varphi d\mu = 0 \right\}$?

$$-\mathcal{L}^{-1} = \int_0^{+\infty} e^{t\mathcal{L}} dt$$

- **Exponential convergence** of $e^{t\mathcal{L}}$ in various Banach spaces $E \cap L_0^2(\mu)$
 - **Lyapunov** techniques⁶ $B_W^\infty(\mathcal{E}) = \left\{ \varphi \text{ measurable, } \sup \left| \frac{\varphi}{W} \right| < +\infty \right\}$
 - standard **hypo-coercive**⁷ setup $H^1(\mu)$
 - $E = L^2(\mu)$ after hypoelliptic regularization⁸ from $H^1(\mu)$
 - Directly $E = L^2(\mu)$ (recently⁹ Poincaré using $\partial_t - \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}$)
 - **coupling** arguments¹⁰

⁶Wu ('01); Mattingly/Stuart/Higham ('02); Rey-Bellet ('06); Hairer/Mattingly ('11)

⁷Villani (2009) and before Talay (2002), Eckmann/Hairer (2003), Hérau/Nier (2004)

⁸F. Hérau, *J. Funct. Anal.* **244**(1), 95-118 (2007)

⁹Armstrong/Mourrat (2019), Cao/Lu/Wang (2019)

¹⁰A. Eberle, A. Guillin and R. Zimmer, *Ann. Probab.* **47**(4), 1982-2010 (2019)

Random time HMC / linear Boltzmann

- **PDMP**: resampling of momenta at exponential times

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}} = \Pi_0 - 1, \quad (\Pi_0 \varphi)(q) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} \varphi(q, p) \kappa(dp)$$

- **Other possibilities**: resample momenta componentwise (Andersen dynamics), zigzag, BPS, ...

Generator of RTHMC $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} + \gamma \mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} = p^T M^{-1} \nabla_q - \nabla V^T \nabla_p, \quad \mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}} = \Pi_0 - 1$$

- **Proofs of convergence**: Lyapunov techniques¹¹, hypocoercivity¹², coupling techniques¹³

¹¹Bou-Rabee/Sanz-Serna (2017), Bierkens/Roberts/Zitt (2019), ...

¹²Dolbeault/Mouhot/Schmeiser (2009), Andrieu/Durmus/Nüsken/Roussel (2018), Deligiannidis/Paulin/Bouchard-Côté/Doucet (2020)

¹³Bou-Rabee/Eberle/Zimmer (2020)

Common structure of the operators

- Hilbert space $\mathcal{H} = \left\{ \varphi \in L^2(\mu) \mid \int_{\mathcal{E}} \varphi \mu = 0 \right\}$
- Decomposition into **symmetric** and **antisymmetric** parts

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{A} + \gamma \mathcal{S}$$

with $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}$, and $\mathcal{S} = -\frac{1}{\beta} \nabla_p^* \nabla_p$ (Langevin) or $\mathcal{S} = \Pi_0 - 1$ (RTHMC)

- Note that $\Pi_0 \mathcal{A} \Pi_0 = 0$ and $\Pi_0 \mathcal{S} = \mathcal{S} \Pi_0 = 0$, so that

$$\mathcal{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathcal{A}_{0+} \\ \mathcal{A}_{+0} & \mathcal{L}_{++} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_0 \oplus \mathcal{H}_+, \quad \mathcal{H}_0 = \Pi_0 \mathcal{H}$$

Saddle-point like structure!

A standard hypocoercive approach

Direct $L^2(\mu)$ approach: lack of coercivity

- The generator, considered on $L^2(\mu)$, is the sum of...
 - a **degenerate** symmetric part $\mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}} = -p^T M^{-1} \nabla_p + \frac{1}{\beta} \Delta_p$
 - an **antisymmetric** part $\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}} = p^T M^{-1} \nabla_q - \nabla V^T \nabla_p$
- Standard strategy for coercive generators: consider φ with average 0 with respect to μ and compute

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\|e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 \right) &= \langle e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi, \mathcal{L} e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi \rangle_{L^2(\mu)} = \langle e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi, \mathcal{L}_{\text{FD}} e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi \rangle_{L^2(\mu)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\beta} \|\nabla_p e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 \leq 0, \end{aligned}$$

but no control of $\|\phi\|_{L^2(\mu)}$ by $\|\nabla_p \phi\|_{L^2(\mu)}$ for a Gronwall estimate...

- **Change of scalar product** in order to use the antisymmetric part

Almost direct $L^2(\mu)$ approach: convergence result

- Assume that the potential V is **smooth** and¹⁴
 - the marginal measure ν satisfies a **Poincaré** inequality

$$\|\mathcal{P}\varphi\|_{L^2(\nu)} \leq \frac{1}{K_\nu} \|\nabla_q \varphi\|_{L^2(\nu)}$$

- there exist $c_1 > 0$, $c_2 \in [0, 1)$ and $c_3 > 0$ such that V satisfies

$$\Delta V \leq c_1 + \frac{c_2}{2} |\nabla V|^2, \quad |\nabla^2 V| \leq c_3 (1 + |\nabla V|)$$

There exist $C > 0$ and $\lambda_\gamma > 0$ such that, for any $\varphi \in L_0^2(\mu)$,

$$\forall t \geq 0, \quad \|e^{t\mathcal{L}}\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)} \leq C e^{-\lambda_\gamma t} \|\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}$$

with convergence rate of order $\min(\gamma, \gamma^{-1})$: there exists $\bar{\lambda} > 0$ such that

$$\lambda_\gamma \geq \bar{\lambda} \min(\gamma, \gamma^{-1})$$

¹⁴Dolbeault, Mouhot and Schmeiser, *Trans. AMS*, **367**, 3807–3828 (2015)

Sketch of proof (1)

- **Change of scalar product** to use the antisymmetric part \mathcal{L}_{ham} :

- bilinear form $\mathcal{H}[\varphi] = \frac{1}{2} \|\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 - \varepsilon \langle R\varphi, \varphi \rangle$ with¹⁵

$$R = \left(1 + (\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}\Pi_0)^*(\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}\Pi_0)\right)^{-1} (\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}\Pi_0)^* = (1 + \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*$$

- $R = \Pi_0 R(1 - \Pi_0)$ and $\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}R$ are bounded
 - modified square norm $\mathcal{H} \sim \|\cdot\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2$ for $\varepsilon \in (-1, 1)$
 - Approach less quantitative (**optimize scalar product**)
- **Interest:** $\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0} = \beta^{-1}\nabla_q^*\nabla_q$ coercive in q , and

$$R\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}\Pi_0 = \frac{\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0}}{1 + \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0}}$$

- **Note:** could consider $R_\eta = (\eta + \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*$ for any $\eta > 0$

¹⁵Hérau (2006), Dolbeault/Mouhot/Schmeiser (2009, 2015), ...

Sketch of proof (2)

- Poincaré inequalities: $-\mathcal{S} \geq \beta^{-1} K_\kappa^2 \Pi_+$ and $\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0} \geq \beta^{-1} K_\nu^2 \Pi_0$

Coercivity in the scalar product $\langle\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle\rangle$ induced by \mathcal{H}

$$\mathcal{D}[\varphi] := \langle\langle -\mathcal{L}\varphi, \varphi \rangle\rangle \geq \lambda \|\varphi\|^2$$

- Upon controlling the remainder terms

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D}[\varphi] &= \gamma \langle -\mathcal{S}\varphi, \varphi \rangle + \varepsilon \langle R\mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}\Pi_0\varphi, \varphi \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\gamma\varepsilon) \\ &= \frac{\gamma}{\beta} \|\nabla_p \varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 + \varepsilon \left\langle \frac{\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0}}{1 + \mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0}} \Pi_0 \varphi, \Pi_0 \varphi \right\rangle + \mathcal{O}(\gamma\varepsilon) \\ &\geq \frac{\gamma K_\kappa^2}{\beta} \|\Pi_+ \varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 + \frac{\varepsilon K_\nu^2}{\beta + K_\nu^2} \|\Pi_0 \varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 + \mathcal{O}(\gamma\varepsilon) \end{aligned}$$

- Remainder involves **elliptic estimates** for $\Pi_+ \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}^2 \Pi_0 (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}$

- Gronwall inequality $\frac{d}{dt} (\mathcal{H} [e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi]) = -\mathcal{D} [e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi] \leq -\frac{2\lambda}{1+\varepsilon} \mathcal{H} [e^{t\mathcal{L}} \varphi]$

Schur complements and direct bounds on the resolvent

Obtaining directly bounds on the resolvent (1)

- “Saddle-point like” structure for typical hypocoercive operators on $L_0^2(\mu)$

$$\mathcal{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathcal{A}_{0+} \\ \mathcal{A}_{+0} & \mathcal{L}_{++} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_0 \oplus \mathcal{H}_+, \quad \mathcal{H}_0 = \Pi_0 \mathcal{H}, \quad \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}$$

Formal inverse with Schur complement $\mathfrak{S}_0 = \mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0}$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathfrak{S}_0^{-1} & -\mathfrak{S}_0^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{0+} \mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} \\ -\mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0} \mathfrak{S}_0^{-1} & \mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} + \mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0} \mathfrak{S}_0^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{0+} \mathcal{L}_{++}^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

- **Invertibility of \mathfrak{S}_0 is the crucial element:** two ingredients
 - $-\mathcal{S} \geq s\Pi_+ = s(1 - \Pi_0)$ (Poincaré on $\kappa(dp)$ for Langevin)
 - “macroscopic coercivity” $\|\mathcal{A}_{+0}\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)} \geq a\|\Pi\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}$
Amounts to $\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0} \geq a^2 \Pi_0$
Guaranteed here by a Poincaré inequality for $\nu(dq)$, with $a^2 = K_\nu^2/\beta$

Obtaining directly bounds on the resolvent (2)

- Further decompose \mathcal{L} using $\Pi_1 = \mathcal{A}_{+0} (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{+0}^*$

$$\mathcal{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathcal{A}_{01} & 0 \\ \mathcal{A}_{10} & \mathcal{L}_{11} & \mathcal{L}_{12} \\ 0 & \mathcal{L}_{21} & \mathcal{L}_{22} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{A}_{01} = -\mathcal{A}_{10}^*.$$

Abstract resolvent estimates in $\mathcal{B}(L_0^2(\mu))$

$$\|\mathcal{L}^{-1}\| \leq 2 \left(\frac{\|\mathcal{S}_{11}\|}{a^2} + \frac{\|\mathcal{R}_{22}\| \|\mathcal{L}_{21} \mathcal{A}_{10} (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\|^2}{s} \right) + \frac{3}{s}$$

- Valid under the following **additional technical assumptions**

- There exists an involution \mathcal{R} on \mathcal{H} such that

$$\mathcal{R}\Pi_0 = \Pi_0\mathcal{R} = \Pi_0, \quad \mathcal{R}\mathcal{S}\mathcal{R} = \mathcal{S}, \quad \mathcal{R}\mathcal{A}\mathcal{R} = -\mathcal{A}$$

- Operators \mathcal{S}_{11} and $\mathcal{L}_{21} \mathcal{A}_{10} (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}$ bounded: **Schur again**

$$\mathfrak{S}_0^{-1} = -(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1} \mathcal{A}_{10}^* (\mathcal{S}_{11} - \mathcal{L}_{12} \mathcal{L}_{22}^{-1} \mathcal{L}_{21}) \mathcal{A}_{10} (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}$$

Scaling with the friction and the dimension

- Final estimate for Fokker–Planck operators: **scaling** $\max(\gamma, \gamma^{-1})$

$$\|\mathcal{L}^{-1}\|_{\mathcal{B}(L_0^2(\mu))} \leq \frac{2\beta\gamma}{K_\nu^2} + \frac{4}{\gamma} \left(\frac{3}{4} + \left\| \Pi_+ \mathcal{L}_{\text{ham}}^2 \Pi_0 (\mathcal{A}_{+0}^* \mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1} \right\|_{\mathcal{B}(L_0^2(\mu))}^2 \right)$$

- Estimate $2 \left(C + C' K_\nu^{-2} \right)$ for operator norm on r.h.s.

- $C = 1$ and $C' = 0$ when V is convex;
- $C = 1$ and $C' = K$ when $\nabla_q^2 V \geq -K \text{Id}$ for some $K \geq 0$;
- $C = 2$ and $C' = O(\sqrt{d})$ when $\Delta V \leq c_1 d + \frac{c_2 \beta}{2} |\nabla V|^2$ (with $c_2 \leq 1$)
and $|\nabla^2 V|^2 \leq c_3^2 (d + |\nabla V|^2)$

- Better scaling $C' = O(\log d)$ when logarithmic Sobolev inequality and

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad \|\nabla^2 V(q)\|_{\mathcal{B}(\ell^2)} \leq c_3 (1 + |\nabla V(q)|_\infty)$$

Space-time Poincaré inequalities

Poincaré inequality with antisymmetric part of generator

- “Macroscopic coercivity” $\|\mathcal{A}_{+0}\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)} \geq a\|\Pi\varphi\|_{L^2(\mu)}$

Poincaré inequality with \mathcal{A} (Theorem 1.2 in Armstrong/Mourrat)

Assume that the operators $\Pi_+\mathcal{A}^2\Pi_0$ ($\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0}$) and \mathcal{S}_{11} are bounded. Then,

$$\forall f \in C_c^\infty, \quad \|f - \langle f, \mathbf{1} \rangle\| \leq C_1\|(1 - \Pi_0)f\| + C_2\|(1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2}\mathcal{A}f\|$$

- Note that $\|(1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2}\cdot\| = \text{norm on } L^2(\nu, H^{-1}(\kappa))$
- **Proof:** need only to control $\|\Pi_0f\|$

$$\begin{aligned}\|\Pi_0f\|^2 &= \langle \mathcal{A}_{+0}f, \mathcal{A}_{+0}(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f \rangle = \langle \mathcal{A}\Pi_0f, \mathcal{A}_{+0}(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f \rangle \\ &= \langle \mathcal{A}f, \mathcal{A}_{+0}(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f \rangle - \langle \mathcal{A}(1 - \Pi_0)f, \mathcal{A}_{+0}(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f \rangle \\ &\leq \|(1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2}\mathcal{A}f\| \|(1 - \mathcal{S}_{11})^{1/2}\mathcal{A}_{10}(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f\| \\ &\quad + \|(1 - \Pi_0)f\| \|\Pi_+\mathcal{A}^2\Pi_0(\mathcal{A}_{+0}^*\mathcal{A}_{+0})^{-1}\Pi_0f\|\end{aligned}$$

- Bound works also with $\|(1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2}(i\omega + \mathcal{A})(f - \langle f, \mathbf{1} \rangle_{L^2(\mu)})\|_{L^2(\mu)}$

Space-time Poincaré inequality

- Consider the Hilbert space (for a given time $T > 0$)

$$\mathcal{H}_T = \left\{ \varphi \in L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T) \mid \langle \varphi, \mathbf{1} \rangle_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)} = 0 \right\}, \quad \tilde{\mu}_T = \mu(dq dp) \otimes \frac{\mathbf{1}_{[0,T]}(t) dt}{T}$$

- Replace \mathcal{L} by $-\partial_t + \mathcal{L}$: total **antisymmetric part** $-\partial_t + \mathcal{A}$

Poincaré inequality with $-\partial_t + \mathcal{A}$ (Armstrong/Mourrat, Prop. 7.2)

There exist $C_{1,T}, C_{2,T} \in \mathbb{R}_+$ such that, for any $f \in C_c^\infty([0, T] \times \mathcal{E})$,

$$\|f - \tilde{\mu}_T(f)\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)} \leq C_{1,T} \|(1 - \Pi_0)f\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)} + C_{2,T} \left\| (1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2} (-\partial_t + \mathcal{A}) f \right\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)}$$

• Elements of proof:

- Formally amounts to replacing \mathcal{A} by $-\partial_t \Pi_0 + \mathcal{A}_{+0}$
- Issue with some integration by parts in the time variable¹⁶

¹⁶See Lemma 2.6 in Cao/Lu/Wang (2019)

Exponential decay from the space-time Poincaré inequality

- Show that $\varphi(t) = e^{t\mathcal{L}}\varphi_0 \rightarrow 0$ for $\varphi_0 \in \mathcal{H}$ given
- Decay inequality from $-\gamma\mathcal{S}\varphi(t) = \Pi_+(-\partial_t + \mathcal{A})\varphi(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} \|\varphi(t)\|^2 \right) &= \gamma \langle \varphi(t), \mathcal{S}\varphi(t) \rangle = -\frac{1}{\gamma} \left\| (-\mathcal{S})^{-1/2} (-\partial_t + \mathcal{A})\varphi(t) \right\|^2 \\ &\leq -\frac{1}{\gamma} \left\| (1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2} (-\partial_t + \mathcal{A})\varphi(t) \right\|^2\end{aligned}$$

- Young inequality to keep some $\langle \varphi(t), \mathcal{S}\varphi(t) \rangle$ + integrate in time

$$\begin{aligned}\|\varphi(T)\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 - \|\varphi(0)\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2 &\leq -\frac{\gamma s T}{\gamma^2 s C_{2,T}^2 + C_{1,T}^2} \left[C_{1,T} \|\Pi_+\varphi(t)\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)} + C_{2,T} \left\| (1 - \mathcal{S})^{-1/2} (-\partial_t + \mathcal{A})\varphi(t) \right\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)} \right]^2 \\ &\leq -\frac{\gamma s T}{\gamma^2 s C_{2,T}^2 + C_{1,T}^2} \|\varphi\|_{L^2(\tilde{\mu}_T)}^2 \leq -\frac{\gamma s T}{\gamma^2 s C_{2,T}^2 + C_{1,T}^2} \|\varphi(T)\|_{L^2(\mu)}^2,\end{aligned}$$

- **Exponential decay** $\|\varphi(T)\| \leq \alpha_T \|\varphi(0)\|$ with $\log \alpha_T \sim \min \left(\gamma, \frac{1}{\gamma} \right)$

Generalizations/perspectives for direct resolvent estimates

- **Schur approach works for other hypocoercive dynamics**¹⁷
 - non-quadratic kinetic energies
 - Andersen dynamics
 - adaptive Langevin dynamics (additional Nosé–Hoover part)
- **Work needed to extend it approach to more degenerate dynamics**
 - PDMPs such as BPS and zigzag
 - **generalized Langevin dynamics**¹⁸
 - chains of oscillators¹⁹
- **Current work also on obtaining...**
 - resolvent estimates $(i\omega - \mathcal{L})^{-1}$
 - **space-time Poincaré inequalities with our algebraic framework**

¹⁷E. Bernard, M. Fathi, A. Levitt, G. Stoltz, *arXiv preprint* **2003.00726**

¹⁸Ottobre/Pavliotis (2011), Pavliotis/Stoltz/Vaes (2021)

¹⁹Menegaki (2020)