

RECAP: coord. transf $\Rightarrow (\vec{\phi}, \vec{I})$
 angle action

integrable systems:

$$\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}(\vec{I})$$

$$\dot{I}_k = - \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial \phi_k} = 0$$

$$\dot{\phi}_k = \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial I_k}(\vec{I}) \equiv \omega_k(\vec{I})$$

integ. eq. of motion: $I_k = \text{constant}$

$$\phi_k = \omega_k(\vec{I})t + \phi_k(0)$$

$$\phi_k + 2\pi = \phi_k$$

geometrical interpretation of integrable sys.

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\phi}(t) = (\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n)$$

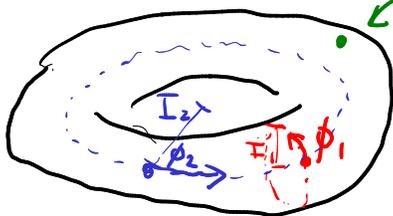
coords on $T^n = S^1 \times S^1 \times \dots \times S^1$

hypertorus

circle

(ϕ_1, ϕ_2)

$n=2$:



Convention: I_1, I_2 two "radii" of torus

each choice of \vec{I} const. of motion

\Rightarrow one torus in a "foliation" of phase space

classify tori:

1) resonant tori:

there exists a vector \vec{v} of integers

$$\vec{v} \neq 0 \quad v_i \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{such that } \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\omega} = 0$$

$$\text{" } (\omega_1(\vec{I}), \omega_2(\vec{I}), \dots, \omega_n(\vec{I}))$$

special case: $\omega_i = \mathbb{Z}_i \cdot \text{constant integer}$

\Rightarrow periodic, closed orbits on torus

2) non-resonant tori: no such \vec{v} exists

\Rightarrow never return to orig. position

\Rightarrow traj. densely fill up torus

\Rightarrow you will return arbitrarily close to initial position

\Rightarrow quasi periodicity (even if system is integrable)

What happens if you break integrability via a small perturbation?

$$H(\vec{\phi}, \vec{I}) = H_0(\vec{I}) + \alpha H_1(\vec{\phi}, \vec{I})$$

original
integ.
Hamiltonian \hookrightarrow small

Kolmogorov, Arnold, Moser (KAM) theorem:

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non-technical: for small α , donuts persist
 \Rightarrow traj. live on "deformed" donuts

KAM theorem:

conditions for our proof:

1) torus is strongly non-resonant

non-res: no $\vec{v} \neq 0$ exists where $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{\omega} = 0$

strongly non-res: for any $\vec{v} \neq 0$ of integers

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{\omega} \geq \frac{\epsilon}{|\vec{v}|^\tau} \quad \text{for some real num } \epsilon + \tau > n-1$$

note: for small ϵ , most tori are strongly non-resonant

2) system is non-degenerate:

$$M_{ij} = \frac{\partial^2 H_0}{\partial I_i \partial I_j} = \frac{\partial \omega_i(\vec{I})}{\partial I_j}$$

n x n matrix

non-deg: $\det(M) \neq 0$

KAM statement: there exists $\delta > 0$

such that for perturb. $\alpha \leq \delta \epsilon^2$

all strongly non-resonant tori
survive, & are only slightly deformed

\Rightarrow we still get quasi-period. trajectories

note: FPUT system is technically
degenerate \Rightarrow KAM does not apply

1970s: Nishida conj.: for
low energies FPUT behaves
like KAM

2005: Bob Rink proved conj.

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