

Interactions Destroy Dynamical Localization with Strong & Weak Chaos

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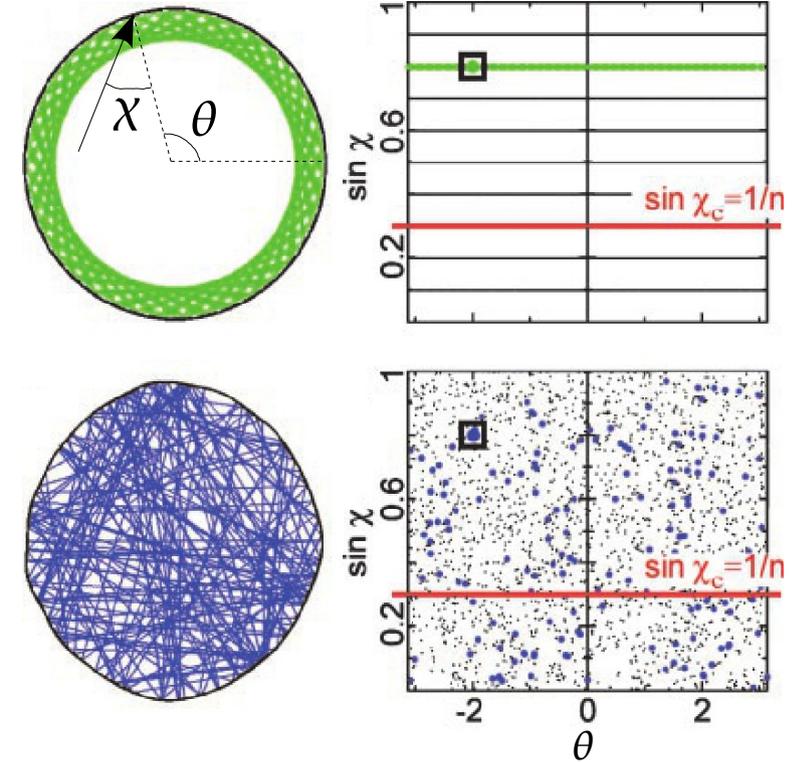
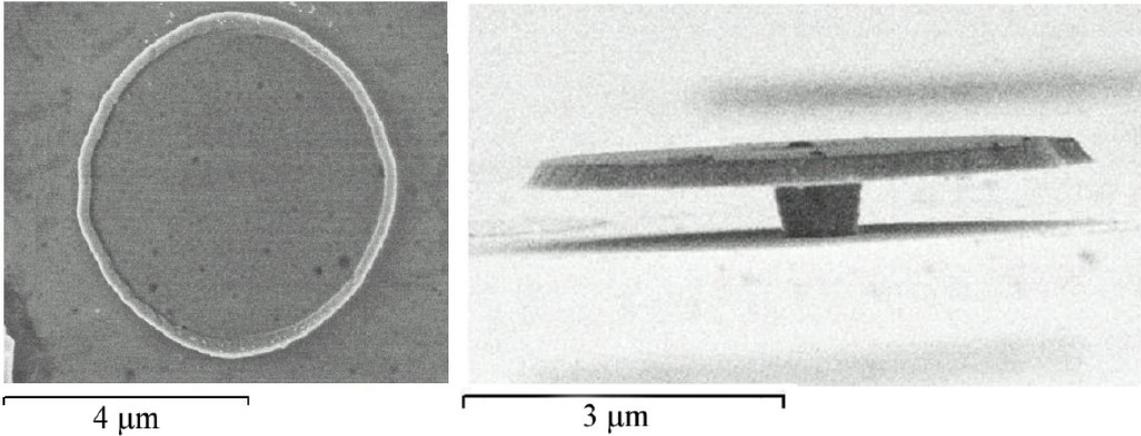
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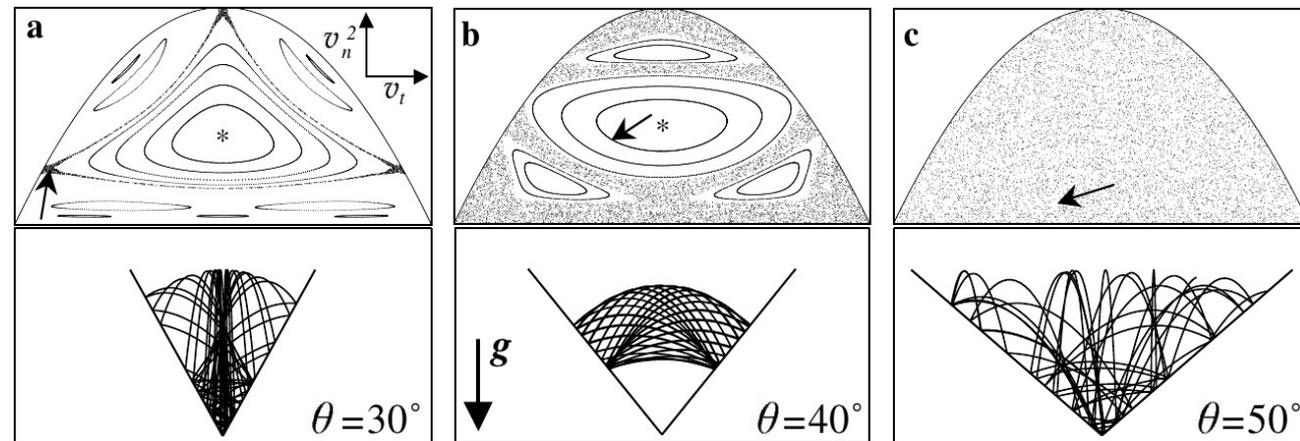
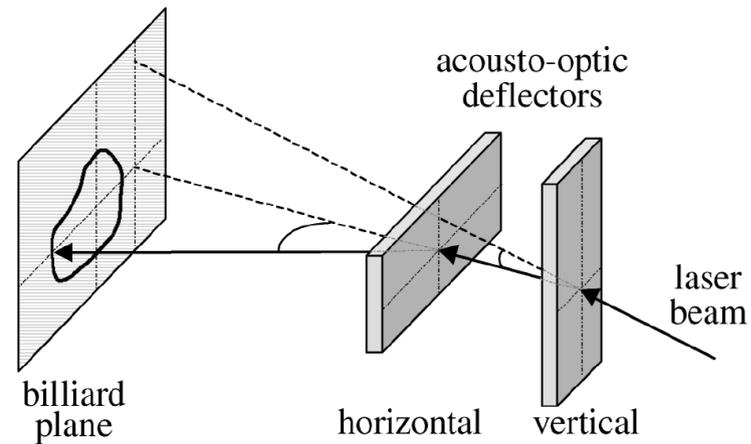
Experimental Motivation

• Microcavity Lasing

Podolskiy et al., Proc.Nat.Acad.Sci. 101, 10498 (2004)



• Ultracold Atomic Gases (BEC)

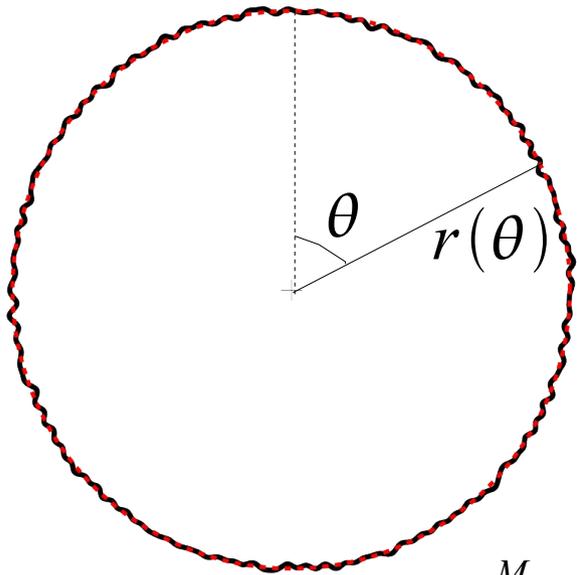


Raizen et al., Phys.Rev.Lett. 86, 1514 (2001)

A Brief Synopsis

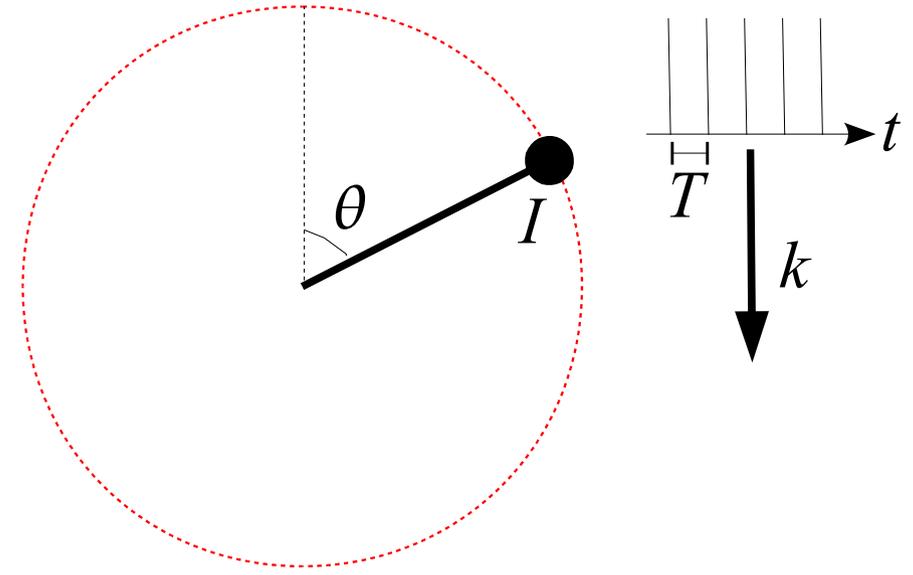
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Billiards & Kicked Rotors



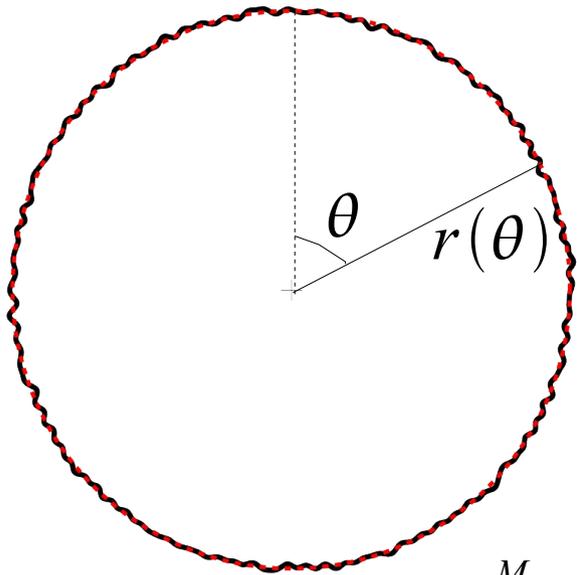
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Billiards & Kicked Rotors

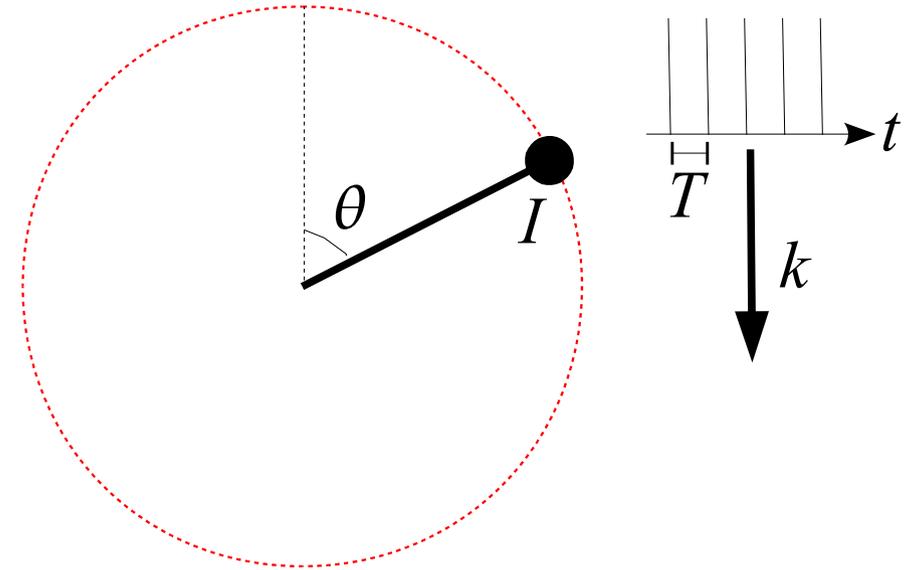


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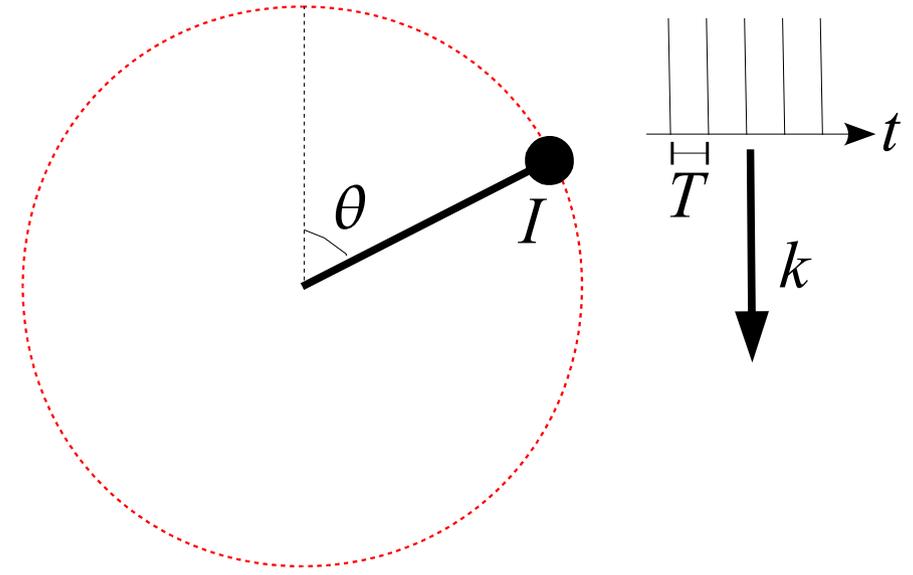
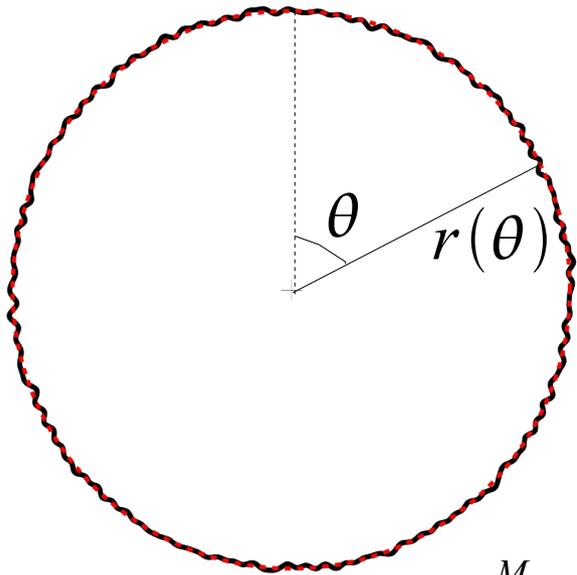


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The Quantum Case: Dynamical Localization

$$i \partial_t \psi = - \frac{2\pi}{\tilde{T}} \partial_\theta^2 \psi + k \cos(\theta) \psi \sum_m \delta(t - mT)$$

$$\psi(\theta, t+1) = \hat{U} \cdot \psi(\theta, t) = \hat{B} \cdot \hat{G} \cdot \psi(\theta, t)$$

Free Rotation:

$$\hat{G}\left(\frac{\tau}{2}, \theta\right) = \exp\left(-i \frac{\tau}{2} \partial_\theta^2\right), \quad \tau = 4\pi T / \tilde{T}$$

Single Kick:

$$\hat{B}(k, \theta) = \exp(-i k \cos \theta)$$

$$\psi(\theta, t) = \sum_n A_n(t) e^{in\theta}$$



$$A_n(t+1) = \sum_m (-i)^{n-m} J_{n-m}(k) A_m(t) \exp[-i \tau m^2 / 2]$$

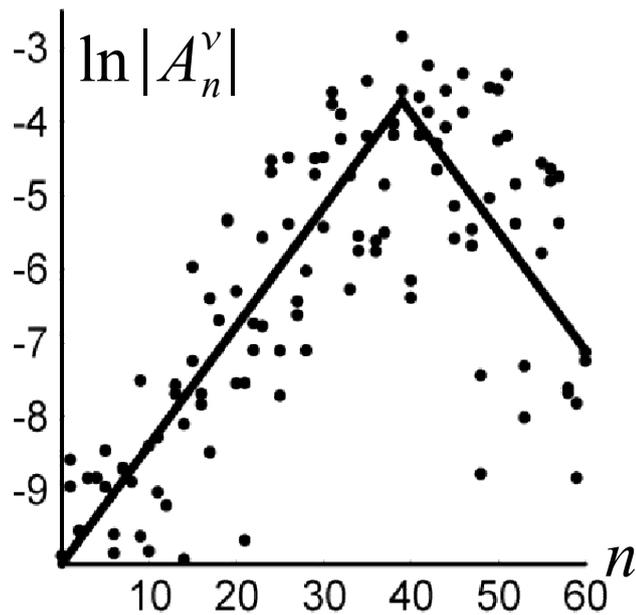
Floquet theory: $\psi(\theta, t) = e^{-i\lambda t} \phi_\lambda(\theta, t); \quad \phi_\lambda(\theta, t+1) = \phi_\lambda(\theta, t)$

Eigenproblem! $\rightarrow \lambda_\nu A_n^\nu = \sum_m (-i)^{n-m} J_{n-m}(k) \exp[-i \tau m^2 / 2] \cdot A_m^\nu$

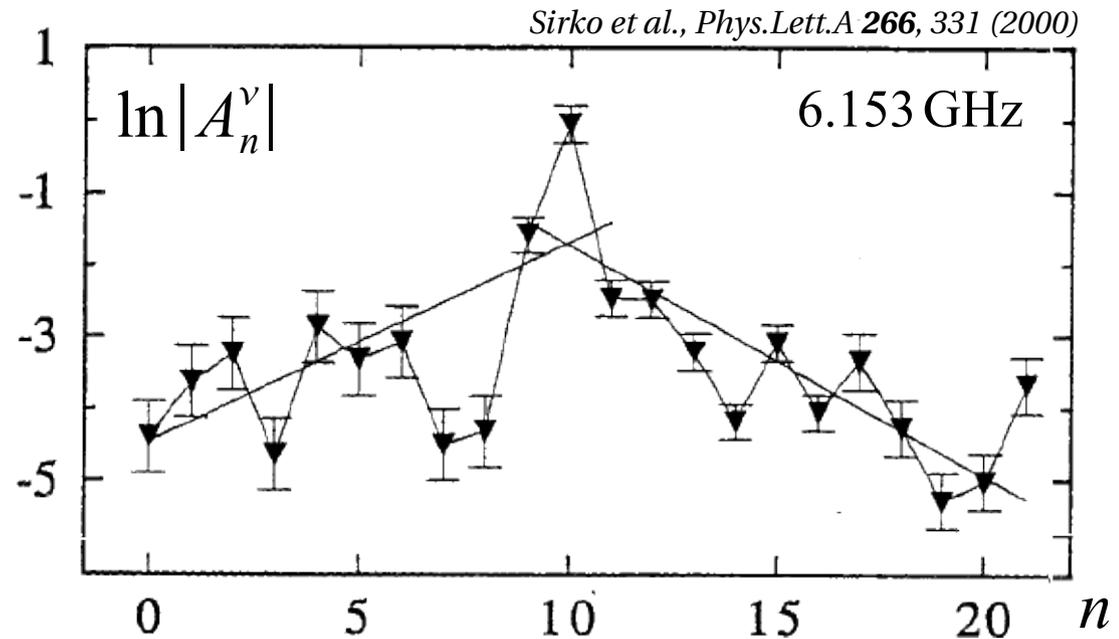
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$$\ln |A_n^\nu| \sim \frac{|n - n_0|}{\xi_\nu}$$



Feng et al., *Opt. Express* **13**, 5641 (2005)



$$\lambda_\nu = \exp(i \chi_\nu) \rightarrow \Delta = 2\pi$$

$$\xi \sim V^{-1} = \langle \sum_n |A_n^\nu|^4 \rangle_\nu \rightarrow d = \Delta / V$$

The Nonlinear Kicked Rotor

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$$\exp(i\beta |A_m|^2) \approx i\beta |A_m|^2$$

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$$I_{\nu, \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3} \propto \sum_{n, m} A_n^{\nu*} A_m^{\mu_1} A_m^{\mu_2*} A_m^{\mu_3}$$

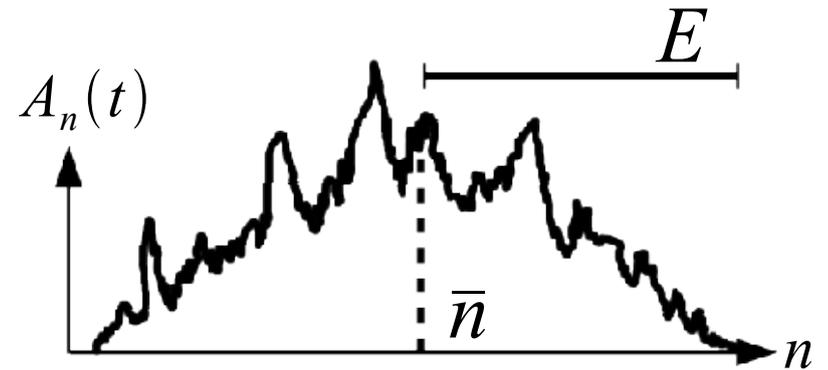
$$\beta \langle |A_m|^2 \rangle_m \sim \beta \langle |\phi_\nu|^2 \rangle_\nu = \beta \rho$$

Spreading: Measures of Interest

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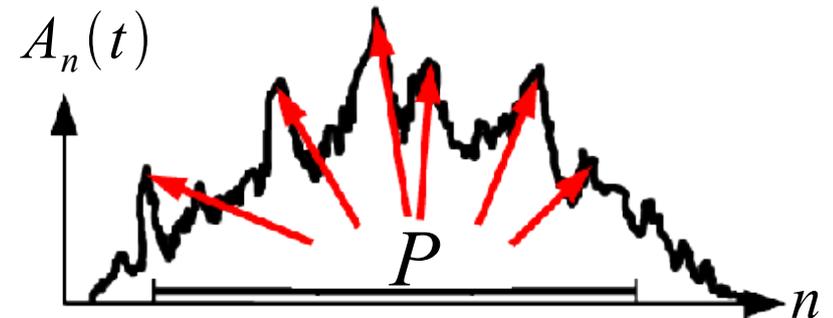
$$\bar{n} = \sum_n n |A_n(t)|^2$$

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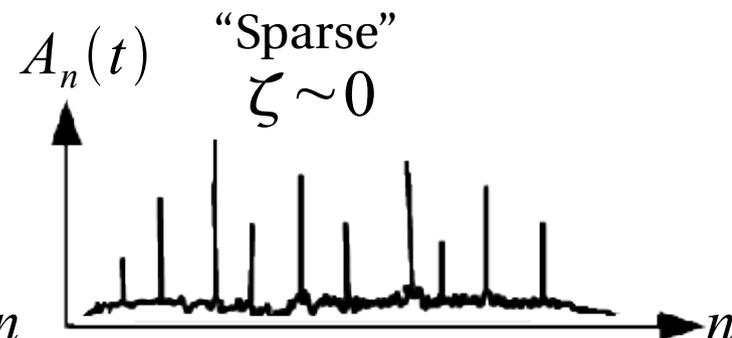
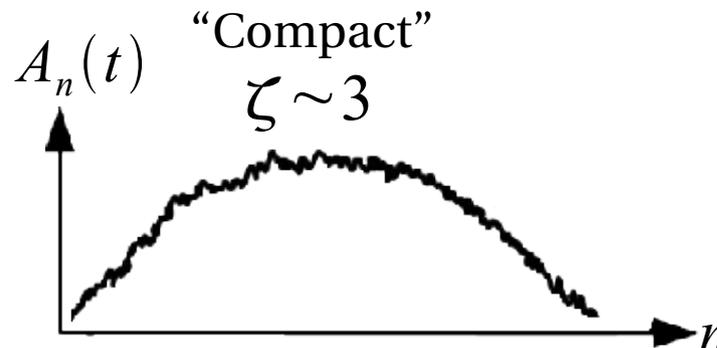
Participation:

$$P = \left[\sum_n |A_n(t)|^4 \right]^{-1}$$



Compactness Index:

$$\zeta = P^2 / 2 E$$

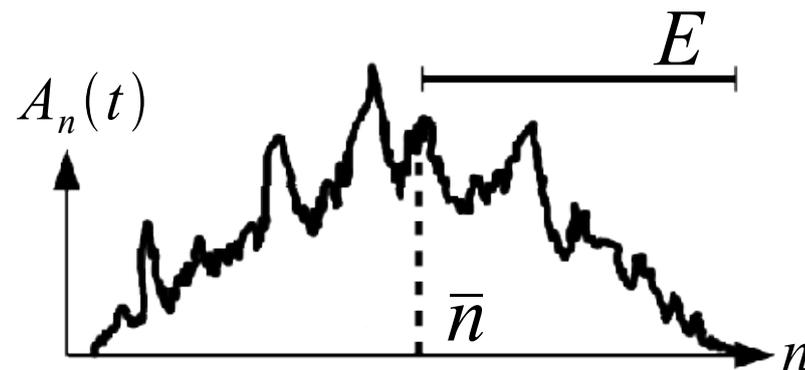


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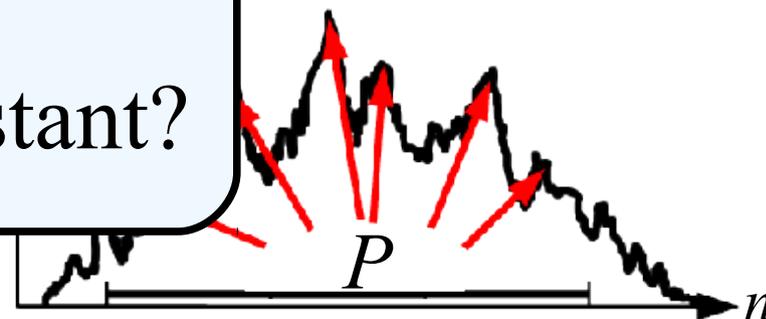


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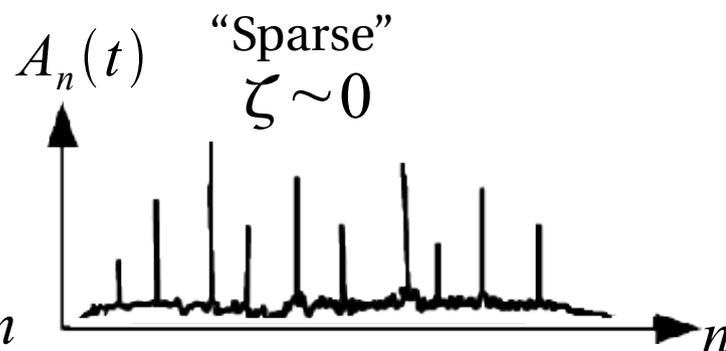
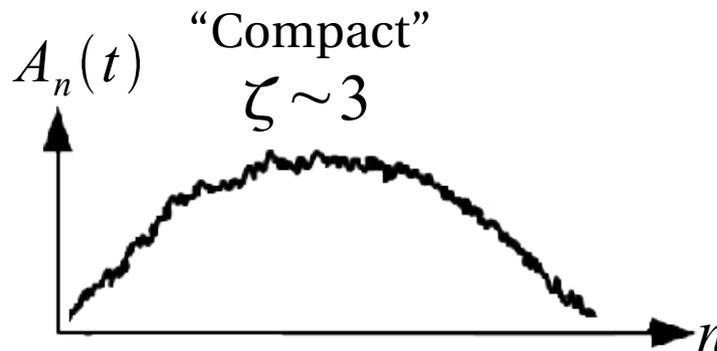
$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \sim t^\alpha, \quad \alpha = ?$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \zeta = \text{constant?}$$



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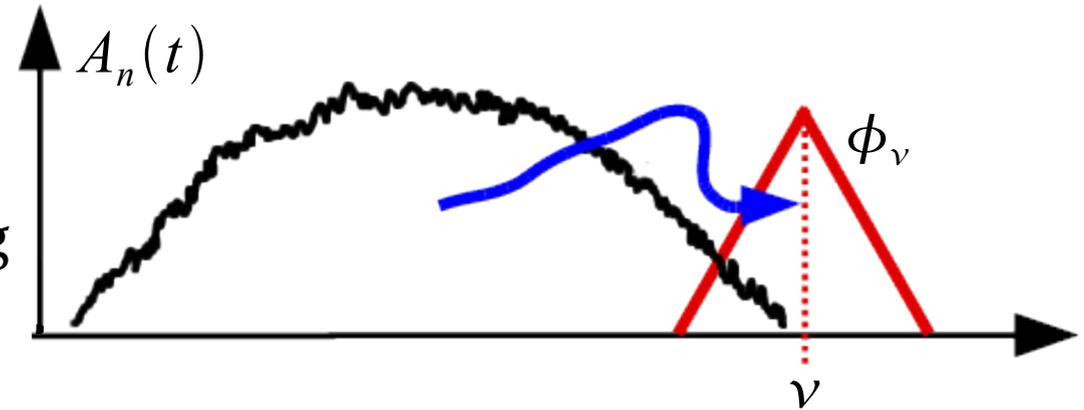
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The Incoherent Heating Conjecture

Chaos = Nonintegrability + Resonance

“Resonance” = Incoherent Heating of an Exterior Eigenmode



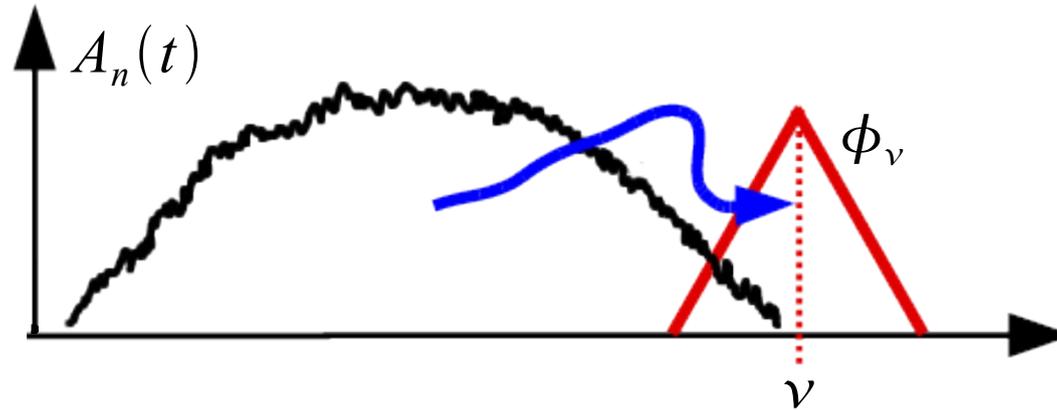
$$A_n(t) = \sum_{\mu} \phi_{\mu}(t) A_n^{\nu}$$

$$\partial_t \phi_{\nu} = \lambda_{\nu} \phi_{\nu} + \beta \sum_{\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3} I_{\nu, \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3} \phi_{\mu_1} \phi_{\mu_2}^* \phi_{\mu_3}, \quad I_{\nu, \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3} \propto \sum_{n, m} A_n^{\nu*} A_m^{\mu_1} A_m^{\mu_2*} A_m^{\mu_3}$$

Minimum Resonance Condition: $R_{\nu} = \min_{\{\mu_j\}} \left| \frac{\lambda_{\nu} - \lambda_{\mu_1} + \lambda_{\mu_2} - \lambda_{\mu_3}}{I_{\nu, \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3}} \right|$

Probability of a Resonance: $P(\beta \rho) = \int_0^{\beta \rho} W(R) dR \sim 1 - \exp(-\beta \rho / d)$

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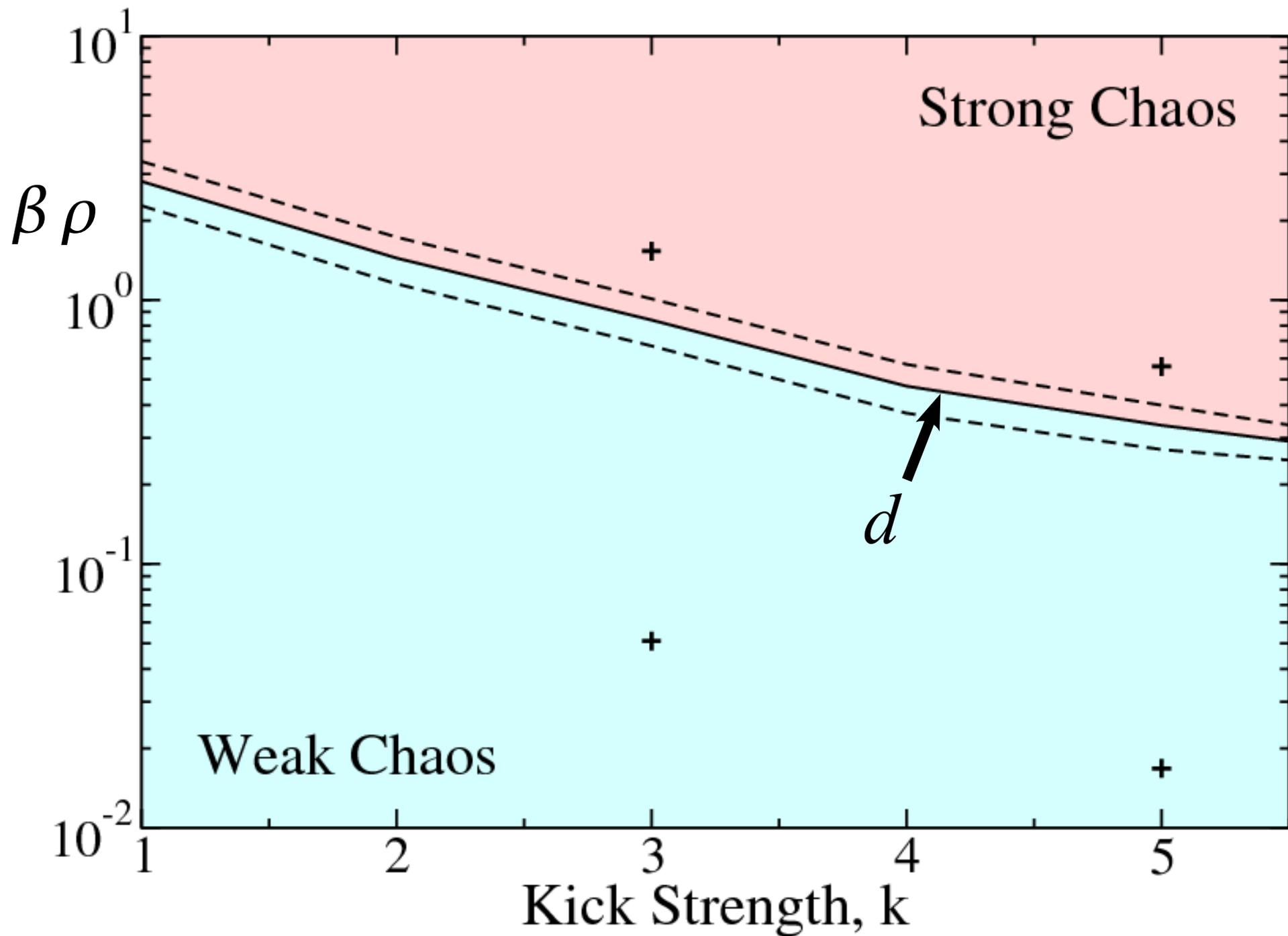
Conjecture

$$\partial_t \phi_\nu = \lambda_\nu \phi_\nu + \beta \rho^{3/2} P(\beta \rho) \cdot f(t), \quad \langle f(t) f(t') \rangle = \delta(t - t')$$

$$\partial_t \rho \sim (\beta \rho P)^2 \rho t \rightarrow D = (\beta \rho P)^2, \quad E = Dt$$

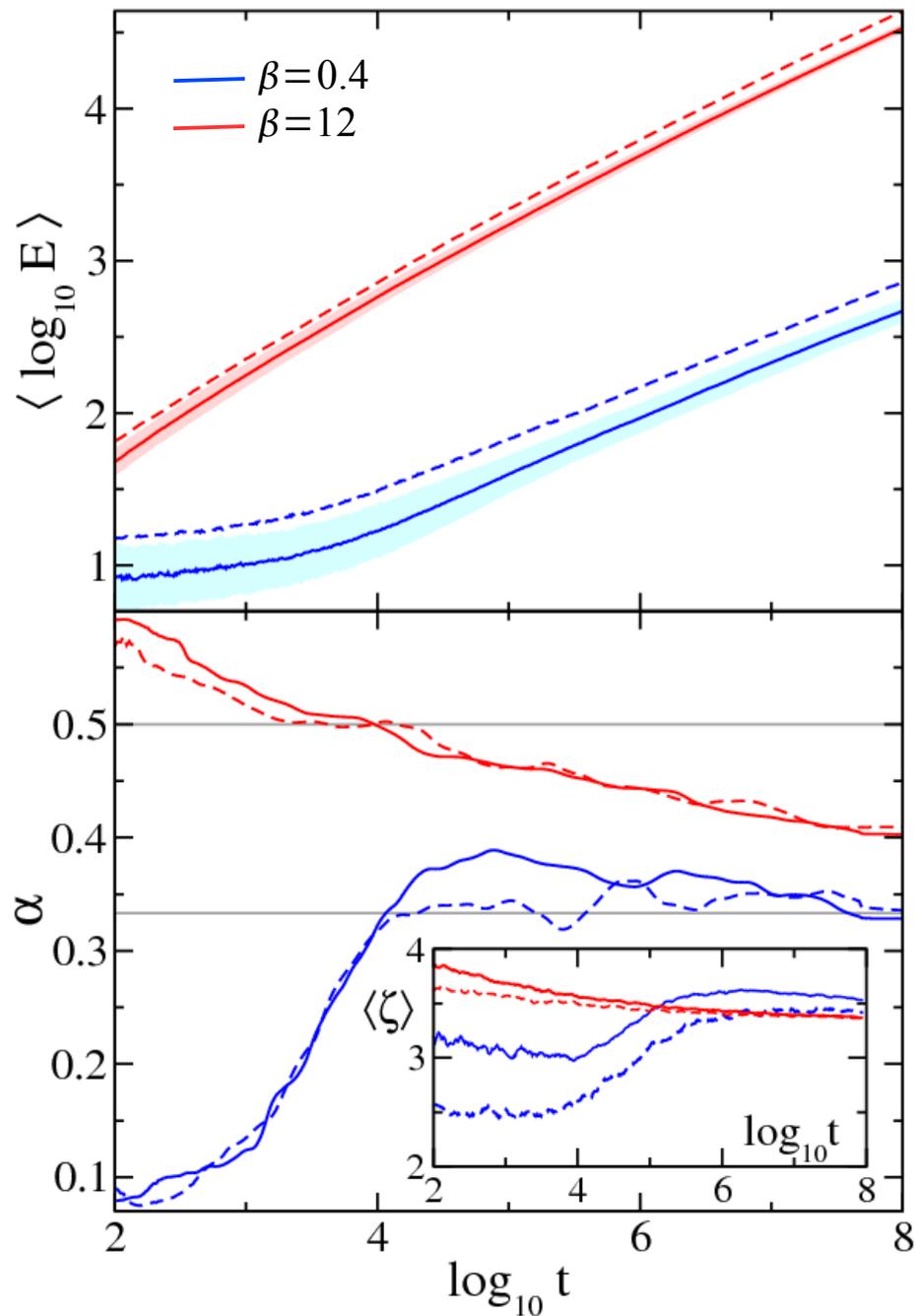
“Strong Chaos”: $P \sim 1 \rightarrow E \sim \beta t^{1/2} \rightarrow \alpha = 1/2$
 “Weak Chaos”: $P \sim \beta \rho / d \rightarrow E \sim \beta^{4/3} t^{1/3} \rightarrow \alpha = 1/3$

Defining a Parameter Space

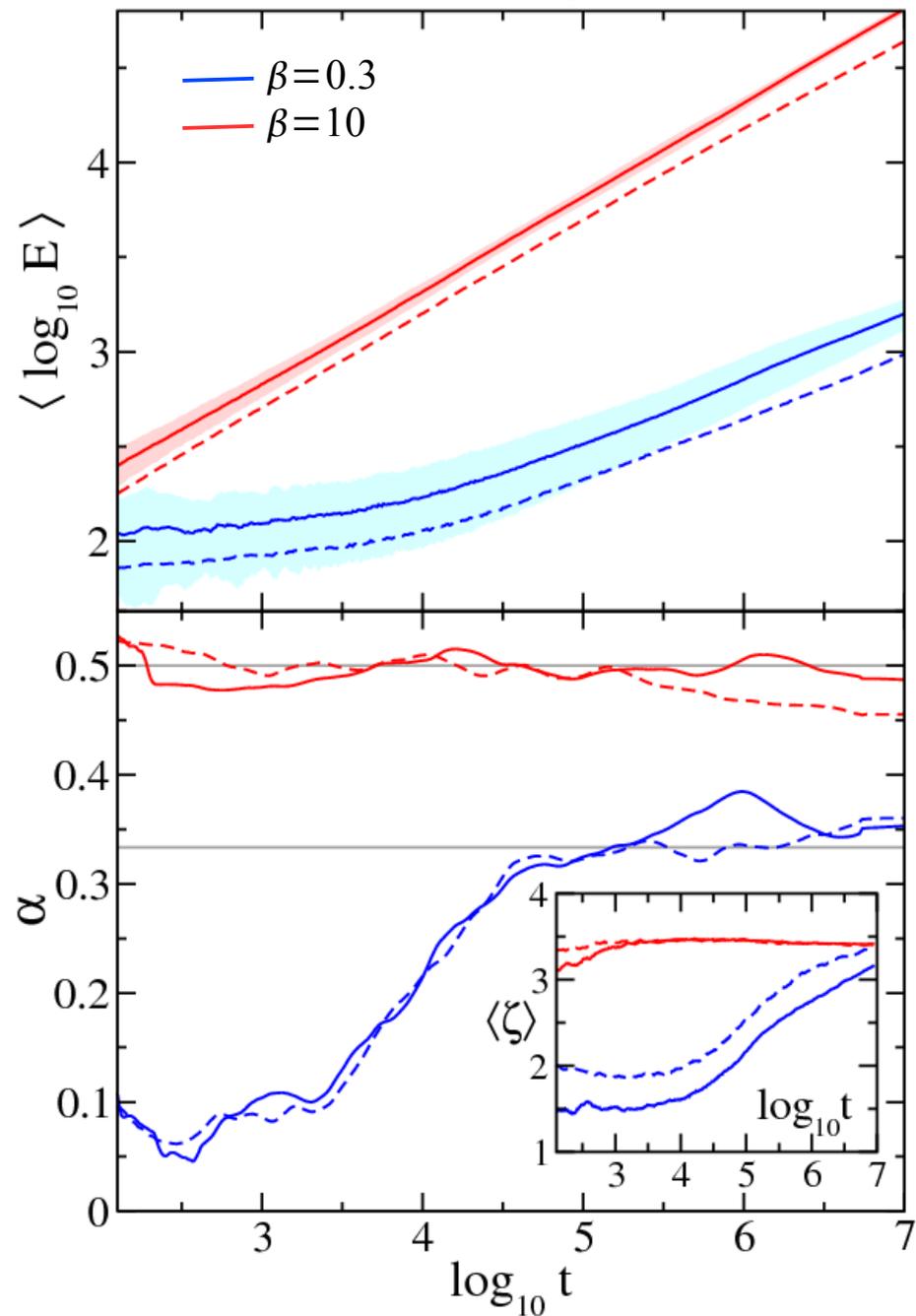


Numerical Results

$k=3$



$k=5$



Outlook & Foods for Thought

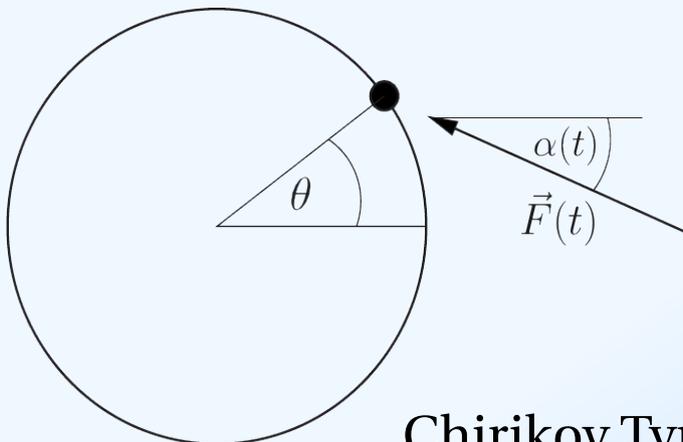
Regimes hold for kicked rotor, albeit NO self-trapping.

- Incommensurate Multiple Kicking → '2d' and '3d' rotors
- Nonlinear Powers → $|\psi|^2 \psi \rightarrow |\psi|^\sigma \psi$

Generalized Conjecture true also?

$$\alpha = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{1+d\sigma}, & \text{Weak Chaos} \\ \frac{2}{2+d\sigma}, & \text{Strong Chaos} \end{cases}$$

- “Exotic” Models?



Chirikov Typical Map

Kicked Billiards

