

# Nonequilibrium Thermodynamics and Gravitational Wave Detectors

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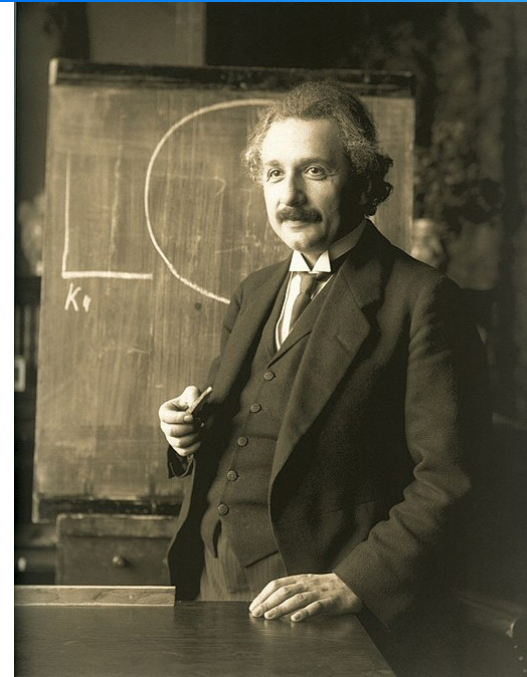
We so much owe to Einstein.

In 1905 (Annus Mirabilis)

- Special relativity
  - Finally it evolved to general relativity, and predict GW
- Photoelectric effect
  - Quantum mechanics. Then we get coherent light source.
- Brownian motion
  - Fluctuation dissipation theorem, stochastic thermodynamics.

All above is much related to our research!

Today's seminar is related to third one.



# Abstract

Today, I will talk some topics about nonequilibrium thermodynamics related to GW detector community.

Main topic:

- Stochastic Thermodynamics
- Fluctuation Theorem
- Information Thermodynamics

# Motivation

Equilibrium state = macroscopic quantity do not change in time

How about our experiment?

- Laser: Strongly pumped
- Feedback: Controlled
- (Cryogenic: Heat flow through fibers and heatlinks)

We often consider systems far from equilibrium!

For better understanding of our experiment, we should care about physics under nonequilibrium state.

# Brief History of NETD (1)

- Einstein's relation (1905):
  - Einstein, 1905
  - Relation btw diffusion of particle and viscosity

$$D = \mu k_B T$$

diffusion constant

mobility,  $\mu = \frac{v_d}{F}$

- Johnson noise
  - Measurement by Johnson, Theory by Nyquist (1928)
  - Thermal fluctuation of electrical voltage (or current)

$$S_V(\omega) = 4k_B TR$$

single-sided PSD  
of voltage

resistance

# Brief History of NETD (2)

- Fluctuation dissipation theorem (FDT)
  - Callen, Welton (1952)
  - Generalization of Johnson noise to arbitrary system

$$S_F(\omega) = 4k_B T R(\omega) \frac{\hbar\omega}{2} \coth\left(\frac{\beta\hbar\omega}{2}\right)$$

$Z(\omega) = \frac{F(\omega)}{v(\omega)}$  : generalized impedance,  $R(\omega) = \text{Re}[Z(\omega)]$ : generalized resistance

- Levin's approach
  - Levin (1998)
  - Mathematically equivalent, calculated easily

$$S_x(\omega) = \frac{8k_B T}{\omega^2} \frac{W_{\text{diss}}}{F_0^2}$$

dissipation energy per period  
applied force  $F = F_0 \cos \omega t$

# Brief History of NETD (3)

- Linear response theory
  - Kubo, Nakano, ... (1950s)

$$C_{\{A,B\}}(\omega) = \coth\left(\frac{\beta\hbar\omega}{2}\right) C_{[A,B]}(\omega)$$

$$C_{\{A,B\}}(\omega) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt e^{i\omega t} \langle \{\hat{A}(t), \hat{B}(0)\} \rangle : \text{fluctuation at equilibrium}$$

$$C_{[A,B]}(\omega) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt e^{i\omega t} \langle [\hat{A}(t), \hat{B}(0)] \rangle : \text{response function}$$

All of these relations state that **fluctuation at equilibrium** is related to **response to external force applied**

far from equilibrium  $\longleftrightarrow$  equilibrium  
related!

# Noise out of equilibrium

Can we satisfied with FDT?

- ▶ No! There is shot noise!

$$S_I(\omega) = 2e\langle I \rangle$$

PSD of current                      average current

Apparently shot noise and Johnson noise is different.

- Johnson noise depends on temperature, but shot noise doesn't
- Johnson noise exists even average current flows, but shot noise appear only when average current exists

As a stochastic process, there noises can be described as

- Johnson noise: Gaussian
- Shot noise: Poissonian



# Stochastic Thermodynamics

## Conventional thermodynamics

- System is macroscopic
- Dynamics is deterministic

## Stochastic thermodynamics

- System is mesoscopic (e.g. a particle driven by brownian motion)
- Dynamics is stochastic

# Langevin Equation

Langevin equation

$$m\ddot{x} = -\gamma\dot{x} + F(x, \lambda) + \xi$$

$F(x, \lambda) = -\frac{\partial U(x, \lambda)}{\partial x}$  : some controllable potential force

$\xi$  : random force acted by the thermal bath,  $\langle \xi(t)\xi(t') \rangle := D^2\delta(t - t')$

- Then, modifying the equation like this:

$$dp = \left( -\frac{\gamma}{m}x + F(x, \lambda) \right) dt + \xi dt, \quad dp = \frac{x}{m}dt$$

Here,  $\xi dt = DdW$  is Gaussian process.

Now  $x$  and  $p$  are stochastic quantities. If you know the probability density of them, you can calculate any quantities depending  $x$  and  $p$ .

# 1st Law of Thermodynamics

- Next, define heat  $\langle d'Q \rangle$  work  $\langle d'W \rangle$  as follows:

$$d'Q := (\gamma \dot{x} - \xi) \circ dx, \quad d'W := \frac{\partial U}{\partial \lambda} d\lambda$$

exerted force x velocity  
→ energy dissipation

potential change  
due to external operation  
→ work done by external system

- From Langevin equation, we get:

$$dU = d'Q + d'W$$

- 1st law of thermodynamics in terms of stochastic process!

# FDT Appears Naturally

- Consider average heat flow:

$$\langle d'Q \rangle = \frac{2\gamma}{m} \left( \left\langle \frac{p^2}{2m} \right\rangle - \frac{D^2}{4\gamma} \right)$$

- At equilibrium state, 1st term is equal to  $k_B T/2$
- And, at equilibrium there is no heat flow

$$\left\langle \frac{p^2}{2m} \right\rangle = \frac{k_B T}{2} \quad \left\langle \frac{p^2}{2m} \right\rangle - \frac{D^2}{4\gamma} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow D = \sqrt{2\gamma k_B T}, \quad \langle \xi(t)\xi(t') \rangle = 2\gamma k_B T \delta(t - t')$$

This means  $S_\xi(\omega) = 4\gamma k_B T \rightarrow$  FDT!

# Some Remarks

- Stochastic view of system can describe thermodynamics structure
  - 1st law of thermodynamics
  - 2nd law of thermodynamics (I omit its derivation)
- If the system is at equilibrium, FDT also appears naturally.
- Next, let's consider the system far from equilibrium by stochastic way
  - ▶ Fluctuation theorem

# Fluctuation Theorem

A strong relation which holds even when the system is out of equilibrium.

Consider “forward process” (ordinary time evolution) and “backward process” (time-reversed and T transformation) process.

Now define the measurement probability of a quantity  $\Omega$  as

- Forward:  $p(\Omega)$
- Backward:  $p^\dagger(-\Omega)$

Fluctuation states that

$$p^\dagger(-\Omega) = p(\Omega)e^{-\Omega} \quad (k_B = 1)$$

even the system is out of equilibrium!

# FT Family

Last equation is one of FT. There are many “so-called FT”

- Crooks FT

$$\frac{P^\dagger(-A)}{P(A)} = e^{-\sigma}$$

$\sigma$ : entropy generation rate

- Detailed FT

$$p(-\Omega) = p(\Omega)e^{-\sigma}$$

- Integral FT

zoology of theorem...

$$\langle e^{-\sigma} \rangle = 1$$

- Jarzynski equality

$$\langle e^{-\beta W} \rangle = e^{-\beta \Delta F}$$

Review of FTs: [Rep. Prog. Phys. 75 126001](#)

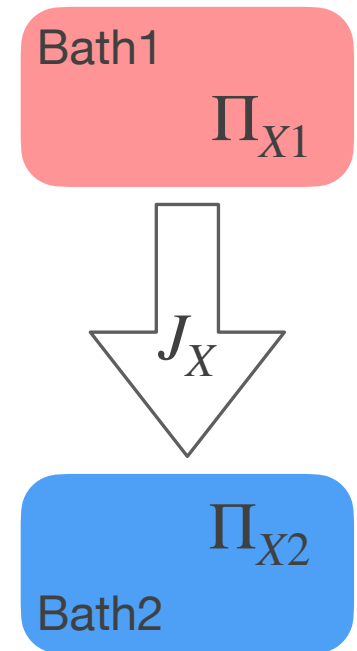
# FT contains FDT (1)

- Consider two baths 1,2 and between baths current of  $X$  flows.
- Define intensive variables conjugative to  $X$  in terms of entropy and energy:

$$\Pi_X := \frac{\partial S}{\partial X}, P_X := \frac{\partial U}{\partial X} = T\Pi_X$$

- Suppose that flowing current is  $J_X$  and difference of  $\Pi_X$  btw 2 baths is  $\Delta\Pi_X$ , entropy generation rate is written as:

$$\sigma = J_X \Delta\Pi_X$$





# FT contains FDT (2)

- From integral FT,

$$P(J_X) = P(-J_X)e^\sigma = P(-J_X)e^{J_X\Delta\Pi_X}$$

- Taking average, you'll get this:

$$\langle J_X \rangle = \langle -J_X e^{-J_X\Delta\Pi_X} \rangle$$

- Now consider the situation near equilibrium. Expanding RHS and considering up to  $O(\Delta\Pi_X)$  terms,

$$\langle J_X^2 \rangle \Big|_{\Delta\Pi_X=0} = 2 \frac{\partial \langle J_X \rangle}{\partial \Delta\Pi_X} \Big|_{\Delta\Pi_X=0} = 2T \frac{\partial \langle J_X \rangle}{\partial \Delta P_X} \Big|_{\Delta P_X=0}$$

# FT contains FDT: Example

Let's apply it to a circuit.

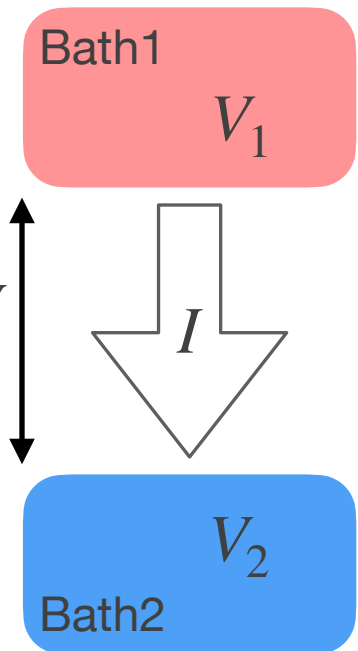
- Now,  $X = q$  (charge),  $\Delta P_X = V$  (voltage),  $J_X = \dot{q} = I$  (current)

$$\blacktriangleright \frac{\partial \langle J_X \rangle}{\partial \Delta P_X} = \frac{\langle I \rangle}{V} = \frac{1}{R}$$

- Substituting this, you'll get

$$\langle I^2 \rangle = \frac{2T}{R} \quad \text{or} \quad \langle V^2 \rangle = 2RT$$

Johnson noise!



# Violation of FDT under Steady Flow

Harada-Sasa (HS) equality: violation of FDT

[PRL 95, 130602 \(2005\)](#)

- For (over-damped) Langevin system

$$\gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + f(x) + \xi$$

thermal force

external force to measure  $R(t)$

relation btw PSD of velocity and response function:

$$\frac{J}{\gamma} = v_s^2 + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} [C(\omega) - k_B T (R(\omega) - R(-\omega))]$$

= 0 if equilibrium

≠ 0 for nonequilibrium steady state

$C(\tau) := \langle (\dot{x}(\tau) - v_s)(\dot{x}(0) - v_s) \rangle$  : autocorrelation of velocity

$\langle \dot{x}(t) \rangle = v_s + \int_{-\infty}^t dt' R(t - t') f(t')$  : response function

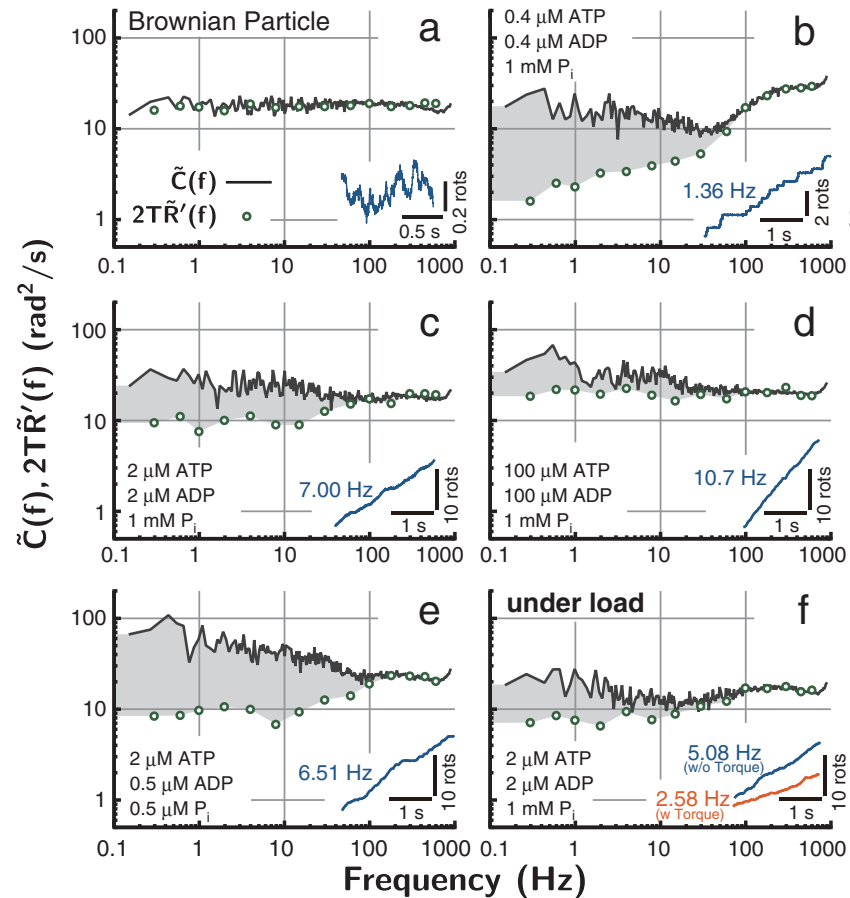
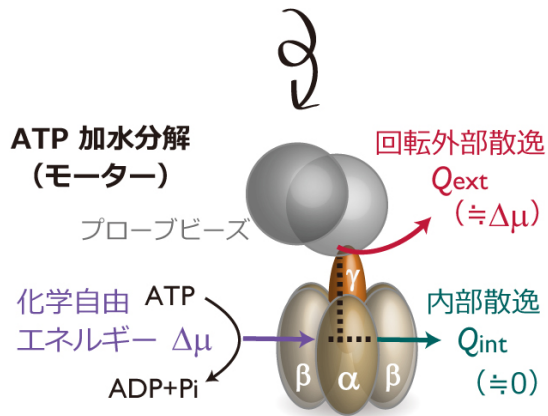
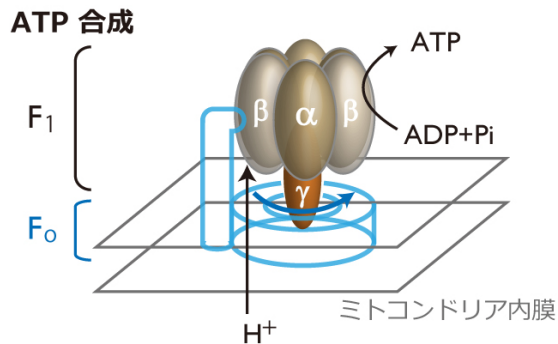
$J dt = \langle (\gamma \dot{x} - \xi) \circ dx \rangle$  : energy dissipation

# Application of HS equality

Measurement of energy loss of molecular motors

[PRL 104, 198103 \(2010\)](#)

- Estimation of energy dissipation at steady state ( $\rightarrow$  nonequilibrium)



line:  $C(\omega)$   
 circle:  $R(\omega)$   
 shaded: violation

# Information Thermodynamics

Relation between work & information obtained by measurement

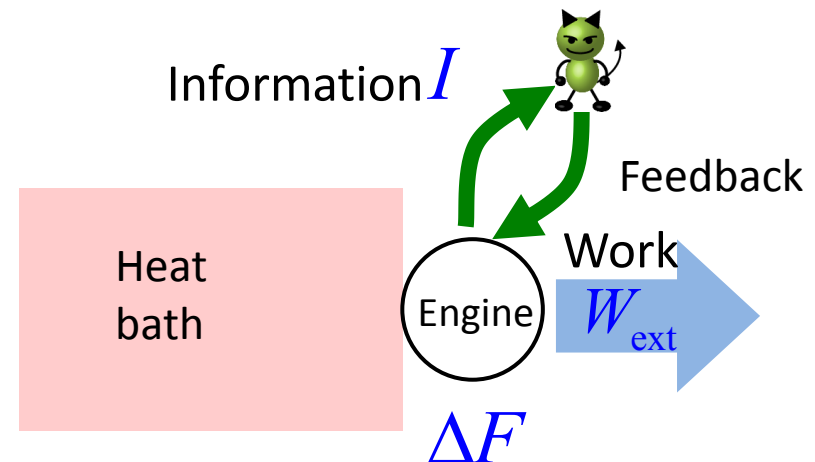
$$\Delta S_{\text{system}} - \beta \langle Q \rangle \geq \Delta I$$

It says that:

Entropy change of the system must be greater than entropy change of the bath + **information obtained by the measurement**

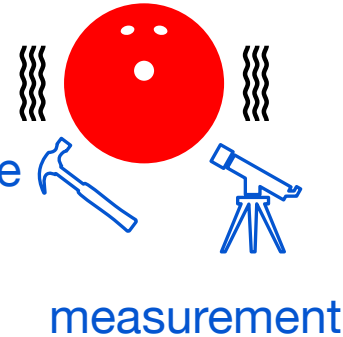
Equivalently,

$$W_{\text{ext}} + \Delta F \leq k_B \Delta I$$



# Cooling Limit by Feedback

What can we extract from information thermodynamics?



- ▶ Cooling limit by feedback control
- For a Langevin system like

$$m\ddot{x} = -\gamma\dot{x} + F_{\text{fb}}(x, \lambda) + \xi$$

- Effective temperature is bounded by mutual information:

$$\frac{k_{\text{B}}T_{\text{eff}}}{2} := \left\langle \frac{m\dot{x}^2}{2} \right\rangle \rightarrow \frac{T - T_{\text{eff}}}{T} \leq \left\langle \sum_{i \in [0, \frac{m}{\gamma}]} I_i \right\rangle$$

mutual information  
obtained by measurement

- How much Information you got during system's timescale puts limit for feedback cooling

[PRE 84, 021123 \(2011\)](#)

# Application to our research

Harada-Sasa equality

- Energy loss measurement → Q value ?

Feedback cooling limit

- Better way to damp oscillation?

Other concern

- How about quantum case? → under discussion

My ambition:

- Unified description of quantum noise due to photons and thermal noise of oscillators
- Analytical calculation of nonequilibrium thermal noise of cooled pendulum (like Komori-san's paper)

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