

Introduction to
Stochastic Thermodynamics

Lecture 3

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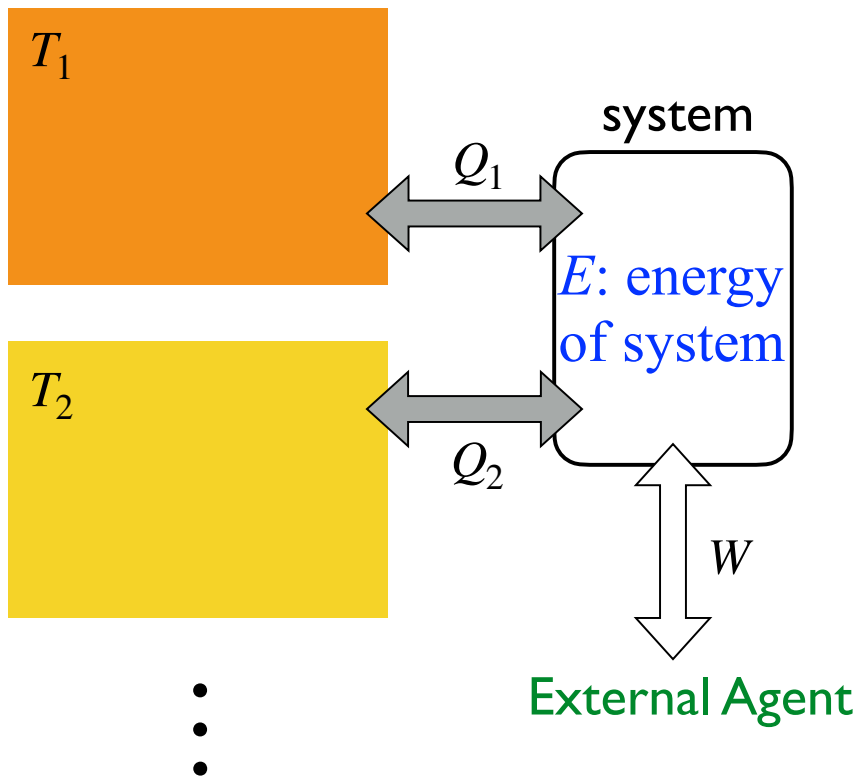
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What is Thermodynamics?

a branch of physics that deals with **heat, work, and temperature**, and **their relation** to **energy, entropy**...

Wikipedia: Thermodynamics

environment
(reservoir, bath)



heat: energy transfer btw system and bath

work: energy transfer btw system and **E.A.**

→ open system

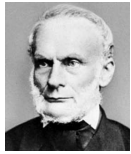
Relation for energy

$$1^{\text{st}} : \Delta E = Q_1 + Q_2 + W$$

Relation for entropy

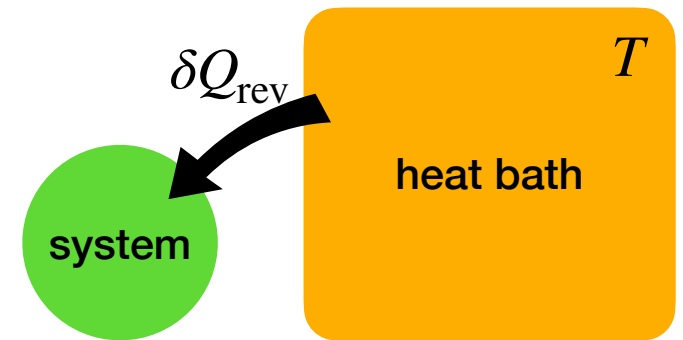
$$2^{\text{nd}} : \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \geq 0$$

Entropy



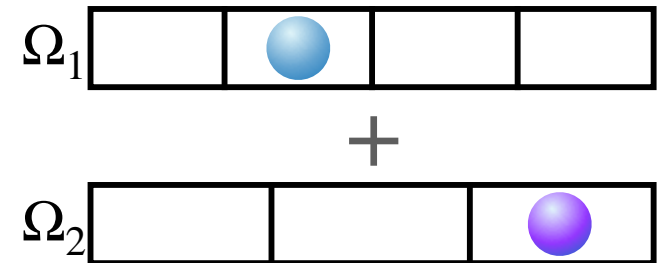
Rudolf Clausius (1865):
thermodynamic definition

$$dS_{\text{sys}} = \frac{\delta Q_{\text{rev}}}{T}$$



Ludwig Boltzmann (1877):
statistical mechanics definition

Ω : # of state



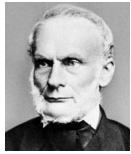
two independent systems

additivity: $S_1 = k_B \ln \Omega_1$

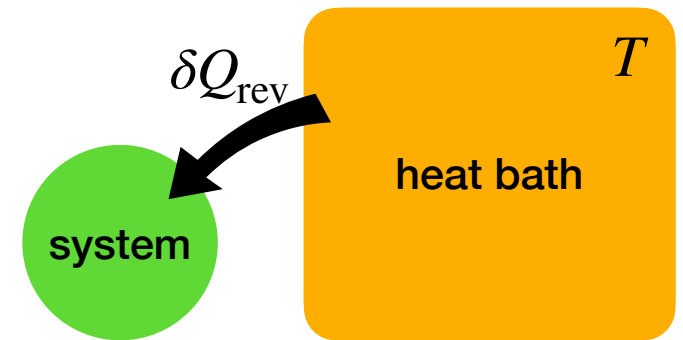
$$S_2 = k_B \ln \Omega_2$$

$$S = k_B \ln(\Omega_1 \Omega_2) = S_1 + S_2$$

Entropy



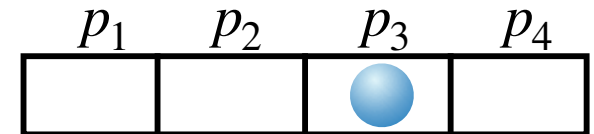
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$$S = -k_B \sum_i p_i \ln p_i$$



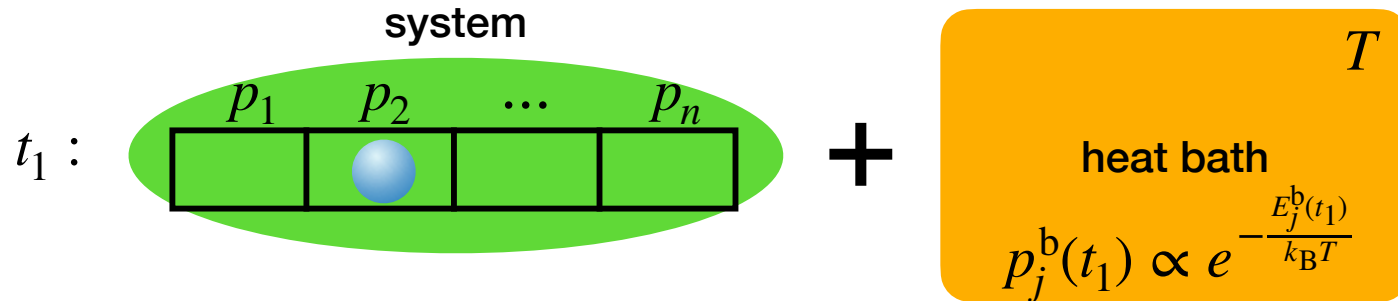
when $p_i = 1/\Omega$, $S = k_B \ln \Omega$



Claude Shannon (1948): $S = - \sum_i p_i \ln p_i$ (information, uncertainty)

In equilibrium, Clausius (thermodynamic) and Shannon (stat-mech) are identical.

Entropy Production



Entropy : $S_{\text{sys}}(t_1) = -k_B \sum_i p_i(t_1) \ln p_i(t_1)$

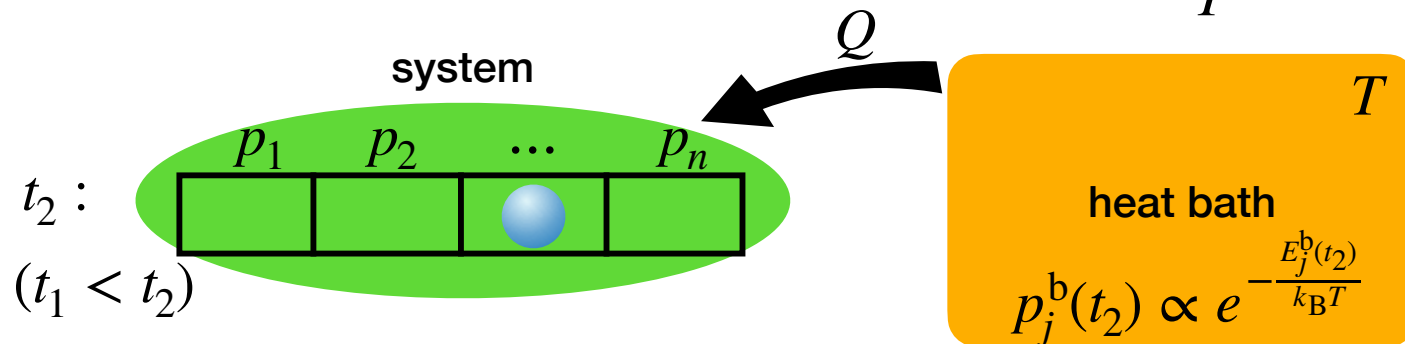
(assume independence of system and bath)

$$S_{\text{tot}}(t_1) = S_{\text{sys}}(t_1) + S_b(t_1)$$

$$S_b(t_1) = -k_B \sum_j p_j^b(t_1) \ln p_j^b(t_1)$$

$$= \sum_j p_j^b(t_1) E_j^b(t_1) / T + c$$

$$= \frac{\langle E^b(t_1) \rangle}{T} + c$$

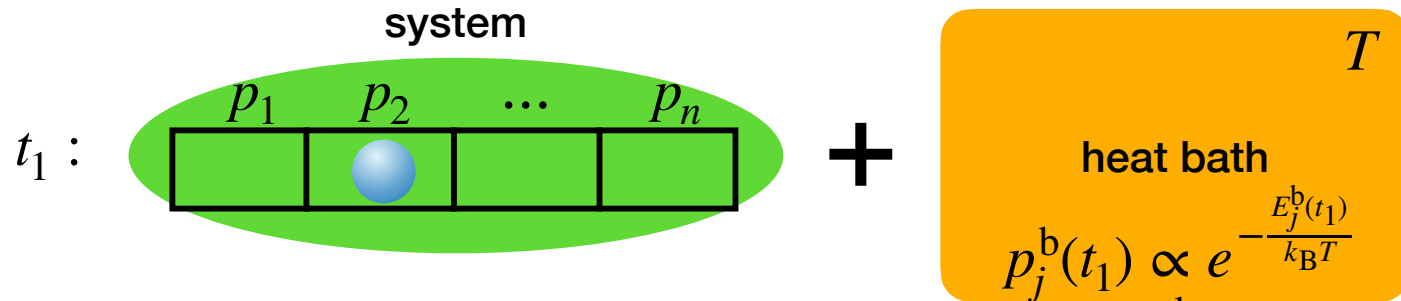


$$S_{\text{tot}}(t_2) = S_{\text{sys}}(t_2) + S_b(t_2)$$

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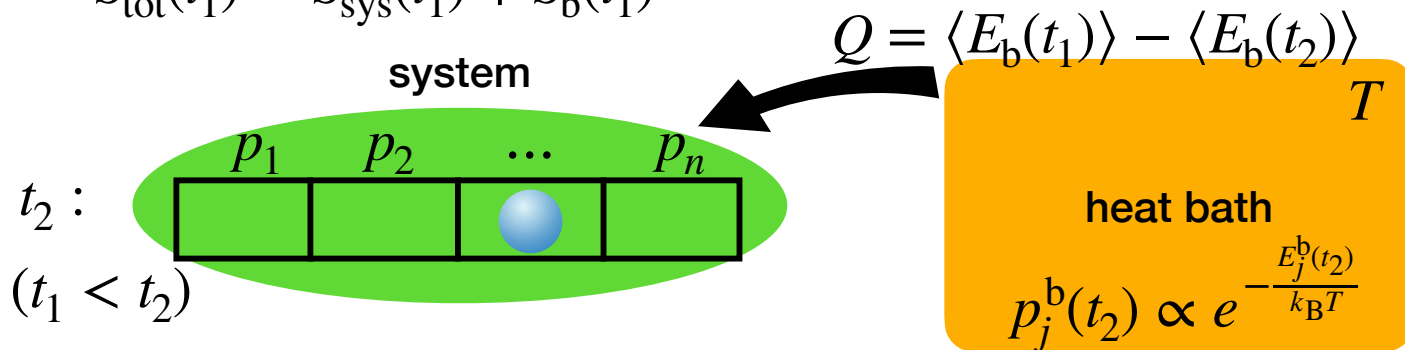
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$(t_1 < t_2)$

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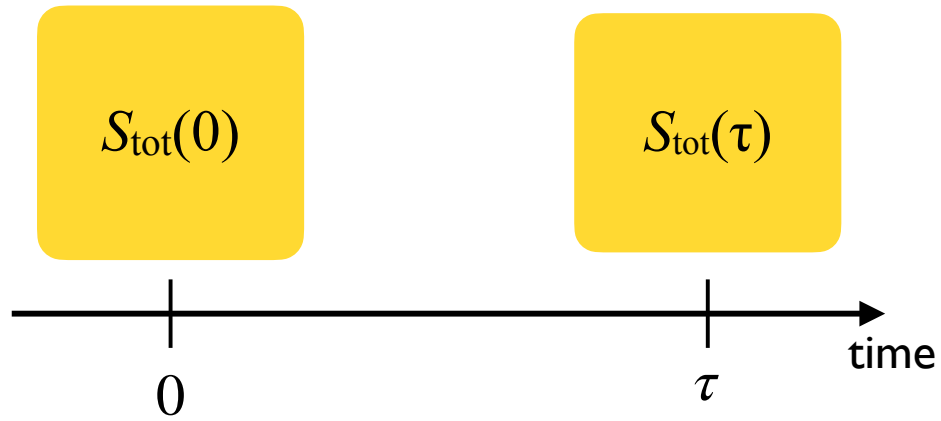
$$S_b(t_2) = \frac{\langle E^b(t_2) \rangle}{T} + c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta S_{\text{tot}} &= S_{\text{tot}}(t_2) - S_{\text{tot}}(t_1) = \Delta S_{\text{sys}} + \Delta S_b \\ &= \Delta S_{\text{sys}} - \frac{Q}{T} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta S_{\text{sys}} = S_{\text{sys}}(t_2) - S_{\text{sys}}(t_1)$$

$$\Delta S_b = S_b(t_2) - S_b(t_1) = -\frac{Q}{T}$$

Thermodynamic Second Law

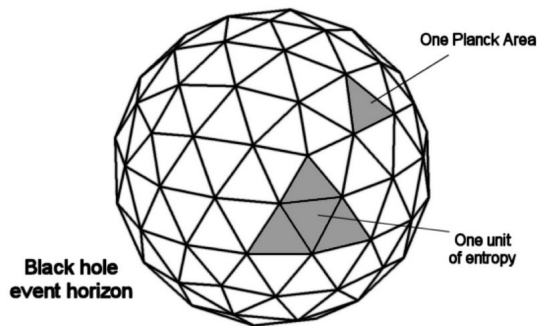


$$\Delta S_{\text{tot}} = S_{\text{tot}}(\tau) - S_{\text{tot}}(0) \geq 0$$

($\Delta S_{\text{tot}} = 0$ when process is reversible)

Simple, but governing whole universe!

Black hole



$$S_{\text{BH}} = \frac{c^3 A}{4G\hbar}$$

Quantum system

$$S(\rho) = -\text{Tr}(\rho \ln \rho)$$

John von Neumann (1932)



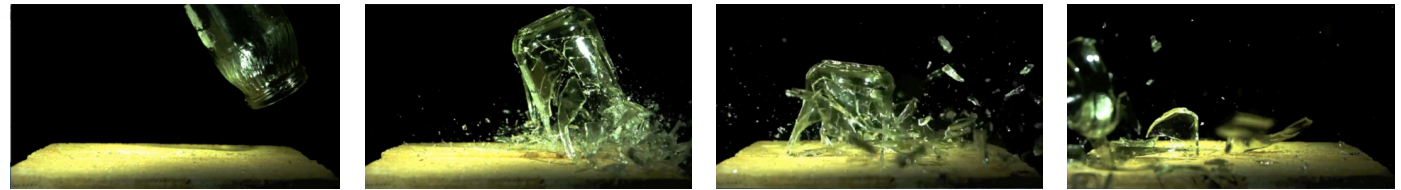
entanglement entropy...

Entropy Production

I. Irreversibility Seifert, PRL 95, 040602 (2005)

irreversible process

forward: more probable
time-reversal: less probable



reversible process

forward, time-reversal
: equally probable



Irreversibility

time-forward path probability: $\mathcal{P}(\Gamma) = p_0(z_0)\mathcal{P}(\Gamma | z_0)$

time-reverse path probability: $\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma}) = p_\tau(z_\tau)\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma} | \tilde{z}_\tau)$

$$R \equiv \ln \frac{\mathcal{P}(\Gamma)}{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma})} = 0 \text{ (reversible)}$$

$$R \equiv \ln \frac{\mathcal{P}(\Gamma)}{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma})} \neq 0 \text{ (irreversible)}$$

$$= \underbrace{-\ln p_\tau(z_\tau) + \ln p_0(z_0)}_{= \Delta S_{\text{sys}}} + \ln \frac{\mathcal{P}(\Gamma | z_0)}{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma} | \tilde{z}_\tau)} = -\frac{Q}{T} = \Delta S_{\text{bath}} \quad (\text{in } k_B = 1 \text{ unit})$$

$$= \Delta S_{\text{sys}} + \Delta S_{\text{bath}} = \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rightarrow R = \Delta S_{\text{tot}} : \text{(stochastic) total entropy production!}$$

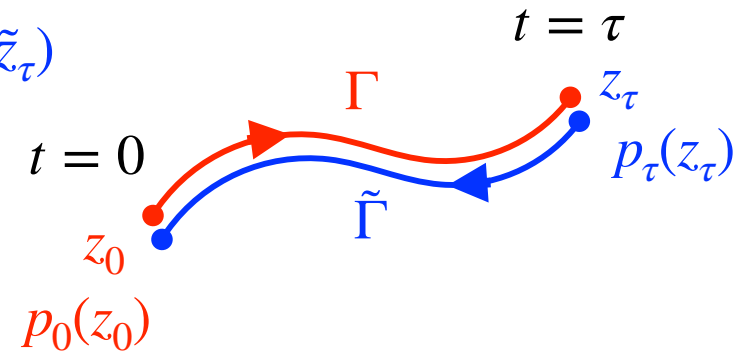
Property of R

$$\langle e^{-R} \rangle = \sum_{\text{all paths}} \mathcal{P}(\Gamma) e^{-R} = \sum_{\text{all paths}} \tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma}) = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \langle e^{-R} \rangle = 1 : \text{Fluctuation Theorem}$$

Jensen's inequality: $\langle f(x) \rangle \geq f(\langle x \rangle)$ for convex function $f(x)$

$$\rightarrow 1 = \langle e^{-R} \rangle \geq e^{-\langle R \rangle} \rightarrow \langle R \rangle \geq 0 \rightarrow \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 0$$

ΔS_{tot} can be negative, but its mean is nonnegative. (2nd law in stochastic systems)



Fluctuation Theorems

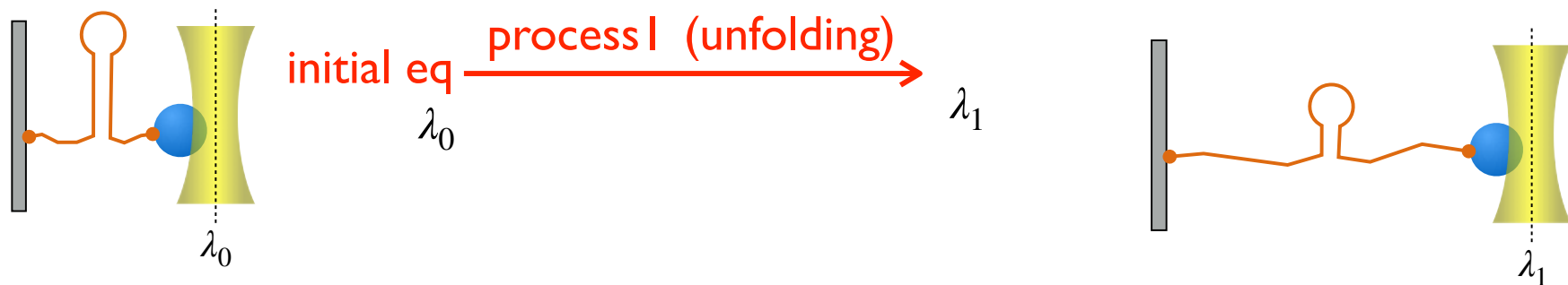
→ $\langle e^{-R} \rangle = 1$: Fluctuation Theorem

1) $\langle e^{-\Delta S_{\text{tot}}} \rangle = 1$

2) Jarzynski equality $\langle e^{-\beta W} \rangle = e^{\beta \Delta F}$

3) Hatano-Sasa FT $\Delta S_{\text{tot}} = \Delta S_{\text{ex}} + \Delta S_{\text{hk}} \rightarrow \langle e^{-\Delta S_{\text{ex}}} \rangle = 1 \quad \langle e^{-\Delta S_{\text{hk}}} \rangle = 1$

4) Information FT: $\langle e^{-\Delta S_{\text{tot}} + I} \rangle = 1 \rightarrow \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq \langle I \rangle$ Sagawa and Ueda, PRL 109, 180602 (2012)



Expression of Entropy Production Rate

I. Overdamped Langevin system

$$\dot{x} = \frac{1}{\gamma} f(x(t), t) + \frac{1}{\gamma} \xi(t) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \partial_t P(x, t) = -\partial_x J(x, t) \quad J(x, t) = \frac{1}{\gamma} (f(x, t) - k_B T \partial_x) P(x, t)$$

Risken (The Fokker-Planck Equation)

$$\dot{S}_{\text{sys}} = -\frac{d}{dt} k_B \ln P(x, t) = -\frac{k_B}{P} \frac{dP}{dt} = -\frac{k_B}{P} (\partial_x P \circ \dot{x} + \partial_t P)$$

$$= -\frac{f}{T} \circ \dot{x} + \frac{\gamma}{T} \frac{J}{P} \circ \dot{x} - \frac{k_B}{P} \partial_t P$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \underbrace{(-\gamma \dot{x} + \xi)} \circ \dot{x} + \frac{\gamma}{T} \frac{J}{P} \circ \dot{x} - \frac{k_B}{P} \partial_t P$$

$= \dot{Q}$

$$\rightarrow \dot{S}_{\text{tot}} = \dot{S}_{\text{sys}} - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T} = \frac{\gamma}{T} \frac{J}{P} \circ \dot{x} - \frac{k_B}{P} \partial_t P$$

$$\rightarrow \langle \dot{S}_{\text{tot}} \rangle = \frac{\gamma}{T} \left\langle \frac{J}{P} \circ \dot{x} \right\rangle - \left\langle \frac{k_B}{P} \partial_t P \right\rangle$$

$$= \int dx \frac{\gamma}{T} \frac{J(x, t)^2}{P(x, t)}$$

$$\partial_x P = \frac{f}{k_B T} P - \frac{\gamma}{k_B T} J$$

$$\langle \dots \rangle = \int dx \dots P(x, t)$$

$$\left\langle \frac{k_B}{P} \partial_t P \right\rangle = k_B \partial_t \underbrace{\int dx P(x, t)}_{= 1} = 0$$

$$\langle g(x(t), t) \circ \dot{x} \rangle = \int dx g(x, t) J(x, t)$$

Summary I

1. Irreversibility

$$R \equiv \ln \frac{\mathcal{P}(\Gamma)}{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma})} = 0 \text{ (reversible)}$$
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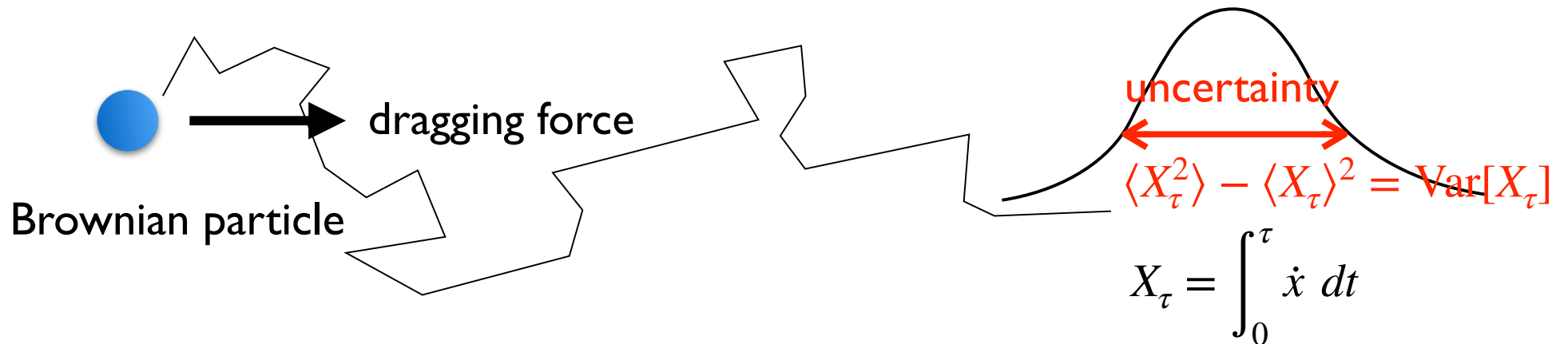
2. Fluctuation theorem: $\langle e^{-R} \rangle = 1$

3. Entropy production rate: $\langle \dot{S}_{\text{tot}} \rangle = \int dx \frac{\gamma}{T} \frac{J(x, t)^2}{P(x, t)}$

(overdamped Langevin dynamics)

Beyond the Thermodynamic Second Law

: **T**hermodynamic **U**ncertainty **R**elations (TUR)



$$\frac{\text{Var}[X_\tau]}{\langle X_\tau \rangle^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \quad (\text{steady state})$$

relative uncertainty cost

$$\frac{\text{Var}[X_\tau]}{\langle X_\tau \rangle^2} \downarrow \quad \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \uparrow \quad \frac{\text{Var}[X_\tau]}{\langle X_\tau \rangle^2} \uparrow \quad \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \downarrow$$

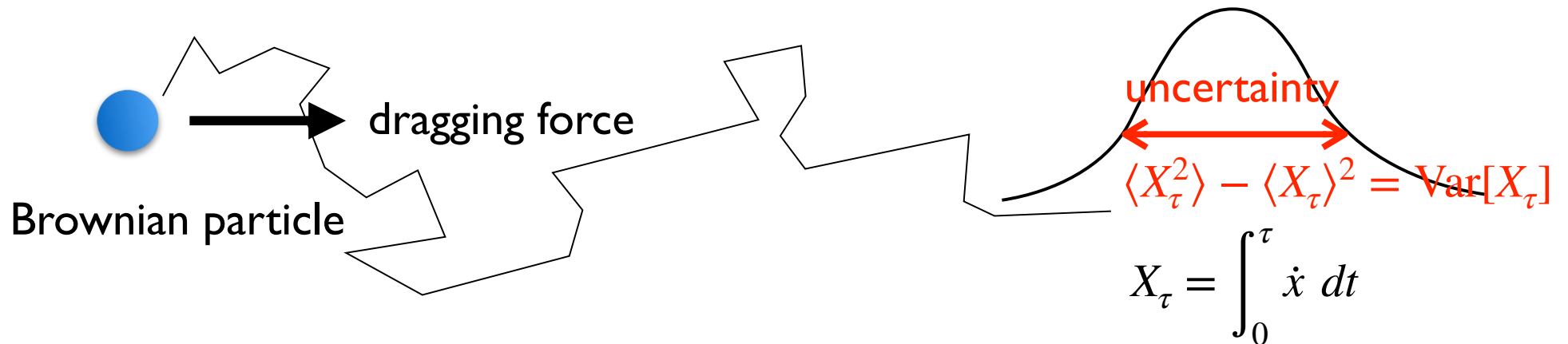
trade-off relation:

we have to pay thermodynamic cost for reducing uncertainty

Is it possible to make the uncertainty arbitrarily small?

Beyond the Thermodynamic Second Law

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For general current Θ_τ ,
heat, work, displacement etc.

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \quad (\text{steady state})$$

trade-off relation btw thermodynamic cost and uncertainty of current

thermodynamic second law: $\langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 0$

TUR: **stronger bound** $\langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \frac{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle^2}{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]} > 0$

TUR - Brief History

Derivation history of TUR (2015~2019)

- first report in 2015 Barato et al, PRL 114, 158101 (2015)
- first proof via large deviation theory in 2016 Gingrich et al, PRL 116, 120601 (2016)
Horowitz and Gingrich, PRE 96, 020103(R) (2017)
- proof via generating function method in 2018 Dechant and Sasa, J Stat Mech 063209 (2018)
- proof via Cramér-Rao inequality in 2019 Hasegawa and Vu, PRE 99, 062126 (2019)

$$\frac{\text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta]}{(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon)^2} \geq \frac{1}{\mathcal{F}(\epsilon)}$$

$\mathcal{F}(\epsilon)$: Fisher information

This greatly simplifies the TUR derivation.

Cramér-Rao Inequality

$\Theta(z)$: observable

$P_\epsilon(z)$: probability distribution $\rightarrow \langle \dots \rangle_\epsilon = \int dz \dots P_\epsilon(z) \rightarrow \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon = \int dz \Theta(z) P_\epsilon(z)$

$$(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon)^2 = \left(\int dz \Theta(z) \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) \right)^2 \quad \text{note : } \int dz \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) = \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon \partial_\epsilon \int dz P_\epsilon(z) = 0$$

$$= \left(\int dz \Theta(z) \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) - \int dz \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) \right)^2$$

$$= \left(\int dz [\Theta(z) - \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon] \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) \right)^2 \quad \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) = P_\epsilon(z) \partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z)$$

$$= \left(\int dz [\Theta(z) - \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon] [\partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z)] P_\epsilon(z) \right)^2$$

Cauchy-Schwarz $(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{c})^2 \leq |\mathbf{a}|^2 |\mathbf{c}|^2$

$$\leq \int dz [\Theta(z) - \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon]^2 P_\epsilon(z) \int dz [\partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z)]^2 P_\epsilon(z)$$

$$= \text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta]$$

$$= \text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta] \mathcal{F}(\epsilon)$$

$$= \int dz \partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z) \partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z) P_\epsilon(z)$$

$$= \int dz \partial_\epsilon \ln P_\epsilon(z) \partial_\epsilon P_\epsilon(z) = - \int dz \partial_\epsilon^2 \ln P_\epsilon(z) P_\epsilon(z)$$

$$= - \langle \partial_\epsilon^2 \ln P_\epsilon(z) \rangle_\epsilon \equiv \mathcal{F}(\epsilon)$$



$$\frac{\text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta]}{(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon)^2} \geq \frac{1}{\mathcal{F}(\epsilon)}$$

Cramér-Rao Inequality

$\Theta(z)$: observable $\rightarrow \Theta(\Gamma)$: observable (work, heat, displacement, etc.)

$P_\epsilon(z)$: probability distribution $\rightarrow \mathcal{P}_\epsilon(\Gamma)$: path probability

$$\frac{\text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta]}{(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon)^2} \geq \frac{1}{\mathcal{J}(\epsilon)} \rightarrow \frac{\text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta] |_{\epsilon=0}}{(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon |_{\epsilon=0})^2} \geq \frac{1}{\mathcal{J}(0)} \longleftrightarrow \frac{\text{Var}[\Theta]}{\langle \Theta \rangle^2} \langle S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta] |_{\epsilon=0} = \text{Var}[\Theta]$$

$$\rightarrow \partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon |_{\epsilon=0} = \langle \Theta \rangle$$

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{J}(0) = \frac{\langle S_{\text{tot}} \rangle}{2k_B}$$

original dynamics: $\gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + \xi$

ϵ -perturbed dynamics: (e.g.) $\gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + \epsilon G(x) + \xi$ ($\epsilon \rightarrow 0$: original)

TUR Derivation for Overdamped Langevin Dynamics

What perturbation leads to these?

$$\Rightarrow \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon = (1 + \epsilon) \langle \Theta \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon \big|_{\epsilon=0} &= \langle \Theta \rangle \\ \rightarrow \mathcal{J}(0) &= \frac{\langle S_{\text{tot}} \rangle}{2k_B} \end{aligned}$$

In a steady state:

$$\langle \Theta \rangle^{\text{ss}} = \tau \langle \dot{\Theta} \rangle^{\text{ss}} \quad (0 \leq t \leq \tau) \quad \tau \rightarrow (1 + \epsilon)\tau : \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon^{\text{ss}} = (1 + \epsilon)\tau \langle \dot{\Theta} \rangle^{\text{ss}}$$

\therefore time scaling perturbation : $t \rightarrow (1 + \epsilon)t$ ← Equivalent to time perturbation

original dynamics: $\gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + \xi$

$$\rightarrow \text{perturbed dynamics: } \gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + \epsilon G(x) + \xi$$

Fokker-Planck equation: $\partial_t P(x, t) = -\partial_x \gamma^{-1} (F(x) - k_B T \partial_x) P(x, t)$

perturbed FP equation: $\partial_t P(x, (1 + \epsilon)t) = -(1 + \epsilon) \partial_x \gamma^{-1} (F(x) - k_B T \partial_x) P(x, (1 + \epsilon)t)$

steady state: $\partial_t P^{\text{ss}}(x) = 0 = -(1 + \epsilon) \partial_x \gamma^{-1} (F(x) - k_B T \partial_x) P^{\text{ss}}(x)$

$$J^{\text{ss}}(x) = \gamma^{-1} (F(x) - k_B T \partial_x) P^{\text{ss}}(x)$$

$$= -\partial_x \gamma^{-1} (F(x) - k_B T \partial_x) P^{\text{ss}}(x) - \partial_x \epsilon J^{\text{ss}}(x)$$

$$= -\partial_x \gamma^{-1} (F(x) + \epsilon \frac{\gamma J^{\text{ss}}(x)}{P^{\text{ss}}(x)} - k_B T \partial_x) P^{\text{ss}}(x)$$

$$G(x) \equiv \frac{\gamma J^{\text{ss}}(x)}{P^{\text{ss}}(x)}$$

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→ these are satisfied.

In a steady state:

$$\rightarrow \text{perturbed dynamics: } \gamma \dot{x} = F(x) + \epsilon G(x) + \xi \quad G(x) \equiv \frac{\gamma J^{\text{ss}}(x)}{P^{\text{ss}}(x)}$$

Fisher information

$$\mathcal{F}(\epsilon) = - \langle \partial_\epsilon^2 \ln \mathcal{P}_\epsilon(\Gamma) \rangle_\epsilon = \left\langle \partial_\epsilon^2 \int_0^\tau dt \frac{\gamma}{4k_B T} \left(\dot{x} - \frac{F(x) + \epsilon G(x)}{\gamma} \right)^2 \right\rangle_\epsilon$$

$$\mathcal{P}_\epsilon(\Gamma) = \prod_{n=0}^N \left(\frac{dx(t_n)}{\sqrt{4\pi k_B T / \gamma}} \right) \exp \left[\int_0^\tau dt \left(-\frac{1}{4k_B T / \gamma} \left\{ \dot{x} - F(x)/\gamma - \epsilon G(x)/\gamma \right\}^2 \right) \right] p_0(x(0)) \quad a = 1 \text{ (Ito)}$$

$$= \left\langle \partial_\epsilon^2 \int_0^\tau dt \frac{\gamma}{4k_B T} \left[\left(\dot{x} - \frac{F(x)}{\gamma} \right)^2 + 2 \left(\dot{x} - \frac{F(x)}{\gamma} \right) \frac{\epsilon G(x)}{\gamma} + \left(\frac{\epsilon G(x)}{\gamma} \right)^2 \right] \right\rangle_\epsilon$$

$$= \int_0^\tau dt \left\langle \frac{G^2(x)}{2\gamma k_B T} \right\rangle_\epsilon = \frac{1}{2k_B} \int_0^\tau dt \int dx \frac{\gamma J^{\text{ss}}(x)^2}{T P^{\text{ss}}(x)} = \frac{\langle S_{\text{tot}} \rangle^{\text{ss}}}{2k_B}$$

$$\langle \dots \rangle_\epsilon = \int_x \dots P_\epsilon(x)^{\text{ss}} \quad (P_\epsilon(x)^{\text{ss}} = P^{\text{ss}}(x)) \quad = \langle \dot{S}_{\text{tot}} \rangle$$

TUR Derivation for Overdamped Langevin Dynamics

$$\frac{\text{Var}_\epsilon[\Theta] |_{\epsilon=0}}{(\partial_\epsilon \langle \Theta \rangle_\epsilon |_{\epsilon=0})^2} \geq \frac{1}{\mathcal{F}(0)} \longleftrightarrow \frac{\text{Var}[\Theta]}{\langle \Theta \rangle^2} \langle S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B$$

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TUR and Variants of TUR

Steady-state TUR (overdamped Langevin system + Markov jump process)

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \quad (\text{steady state})$$

Dechant and Sasa, JStatMech 063209 (2018)
Hasegawa and Vu, PRE 99, 062126 (2019)

TUR with an arbitrary state (overdamped Langevin system + Markov jump process)

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{(\hat{h}_o \langle \Theta_\tau \rangle)^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \quad (\text{arbitrary time-dependent protocol})$$

Koyuk and Seifert, PRL 125, 260604 (2020)

$$\hat{h}_o \equiv \tau \partial_\tau - \omega \partial_\omega \quad (\tau : \text{final time}, \omega : \text{protocol change speed})$$

TUR with an arbitrary state (underdamped Langevin system)

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{(\hat{h}_u \langle \Theta_\tau \rangle)^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B \quad (\text{arbitrary time-dependent protocol})$$

JSL, Park, Park, PRE 104, L052102 (2021)
Kwon, Park, JSL, Baek, arXiv:2311.01098

$$\hat{h}_u = \tau \partial_\tau - s \partial_s - \omega \partial_\omega$$

Summary2

I. TUR (for overdamped systems in steady-state)

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle^2} \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq 2k_B$$

: trade-off relation btw thermodynamic cost and uncertainty of current

Application of TUR

Estimation of entropy production: How to measure?

1. using definition of entropy production

$$\Delta S_{\text{tot}} \equiv \ln \frac{\mathcal{P}(\Gamma)}{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\Gamma})} \quad : \text{ not possible to measure all trajectories}$$

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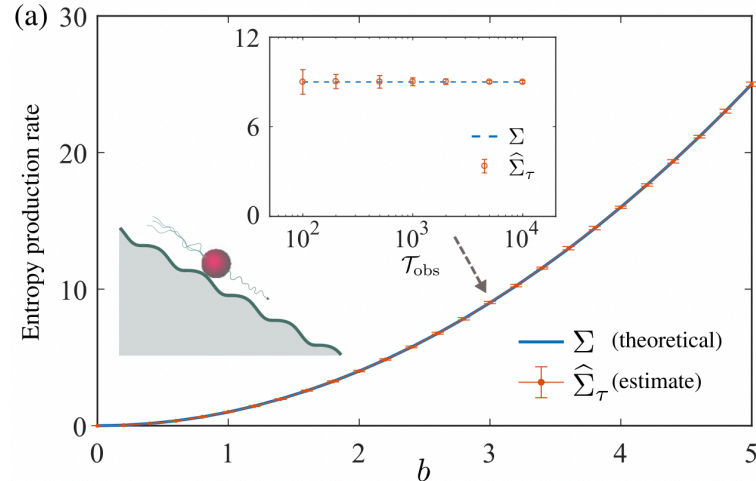
Application of TUR

Estimation of entropy production: How to measure?

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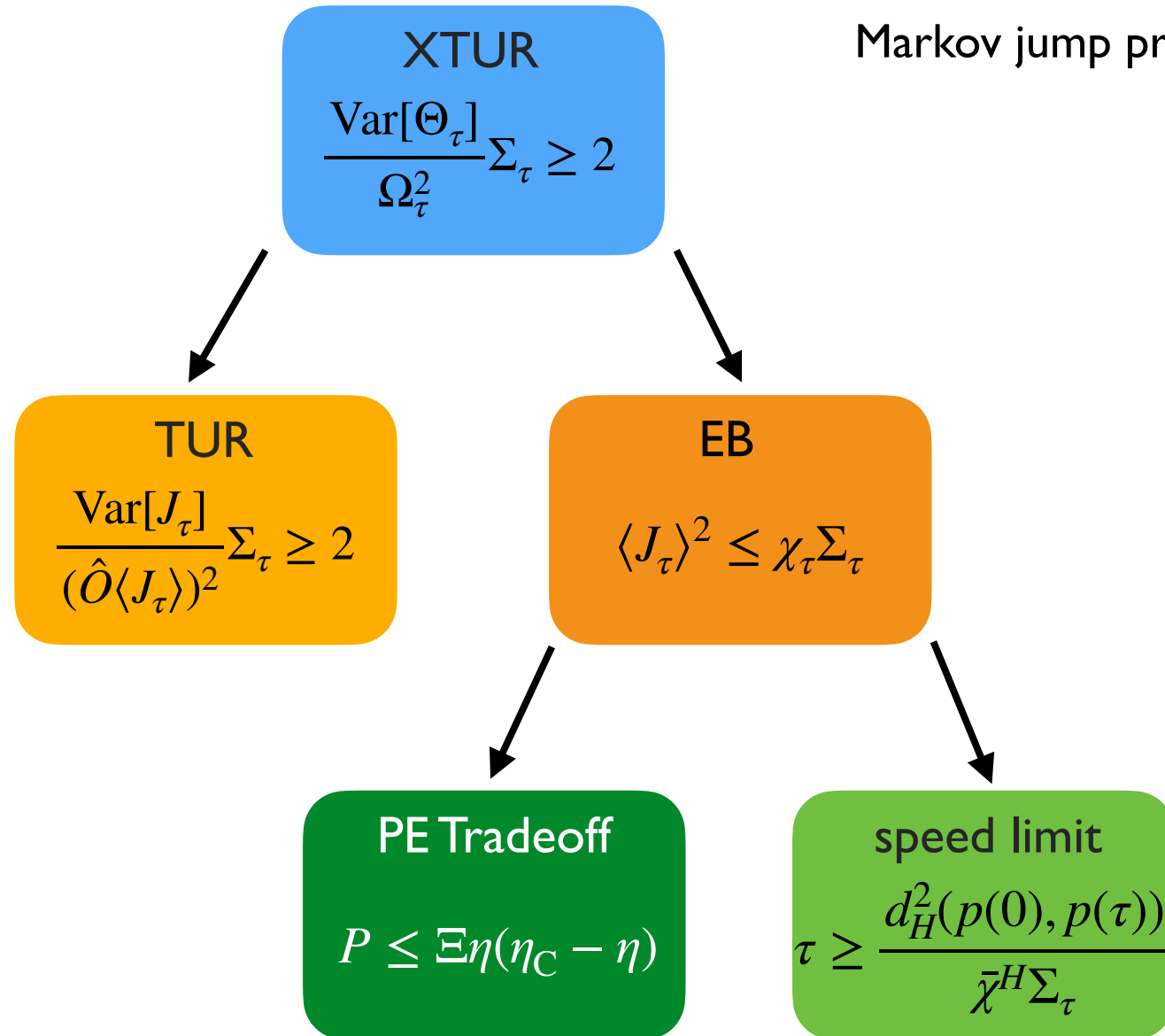
Vu, Vo, Hasegawa, PRE 101, 042138 (2020)

3. multidimensional entropic bound Lee, JSL et al., PRR 5, 013194 (2023)

4. Using machine learning technique Kim et al., PRL 125, 140605 (2020)

valid for Langevin systems

Markov jump processes



Extension to Quantum Systems

Quantum Jarzynski equality Campisi et al, Rev Mod Phys 83, 771 (2011)

$$\langle e^{-\beta W} \rangle = e^{\beta \Delta F} \quad \text{for isolated quantum system (unitary evolution)}$$

Quantum Fluctuation Theorem with Information Yada, Yoshioka, Sagawa, PRL 128, 170601 (2022)

$$\langle e^{-\beta(\Delta S_{\text{tot}} + I_{\text{QC}})} \rangle = 1 \quad \rightarrow \langle \Delta S_{\text{tot}} \rangle \geq - \langle I_{\text{QC}} \rangle$$

Quantum TUR Vu, Saito, PRL 128, 140602 (2022)

$$\frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle} \geq \frac{2(1 + \delta J)^2}{\Delta S_{\text{tot}} + 2Q_1} \quad \rightarrow \frac{\text{Var}[\Theta_\tau]}{\langle \Theta_\tau \rangle} \geq \frac{2(1 + \delta)^2}{\Delta S_{\text{tot}}} \quad \text{in preparation}$$

Quantum Speed Limit Vu, Saito, PRX 13, 011013 (2023)

$$\tau \geq \frac{\mathcal{W}_q(\rho(0), \rho(\tau))}{\sqrt{\langle m \rangle_\tau \langle \dot{S}_{\text{tot}} \rangle_\tau}}$$

Quantum fluctuation-response inequality Kwon, Chun, Par, JSL, arXiv:2411.18108

$$\sum_{k=1}^K \frac{R_{\theta_k}^2(\tau)}{\tau a_k} \leq \text{Var}(\Theta_\tau)$$