

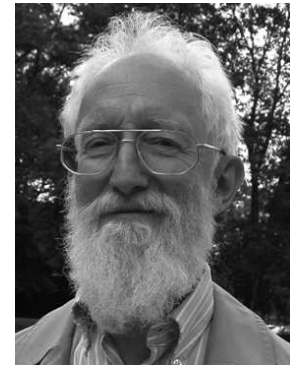
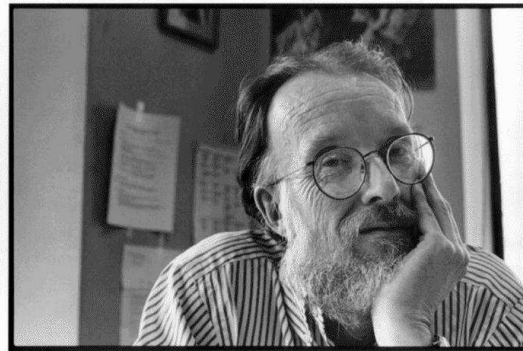
# Variations of Kac's model of a particle system

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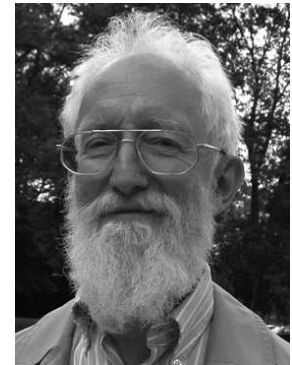
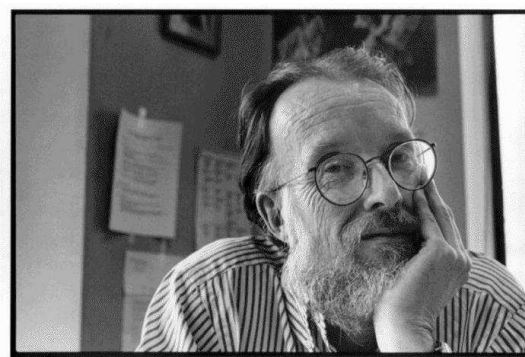
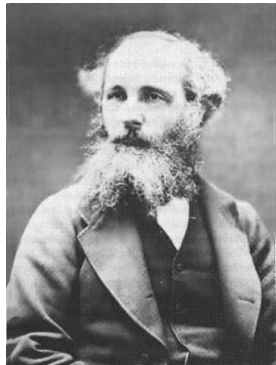
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- o Based on Dawan Mustafa's thesis *Propagation of chaos for Kac-like particle models*, dec 2015.

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- o - Deterministic: Liouville equation
- o - Stochastic: Master equation (Kolmogorov equation)

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- o Key concepts:

- Symmetry: the densities  $F_N(v_1, \dots, v_N)$  invariant under permutation of indices
- Chaos and propagation of chaos



## Propagation of chaos according to Kac

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## Kac's microscopic model

- o  $N$ -particle system:

$$V = (v_1, \dots, v_N), \quad v_i \in \mathbb{R} \quad (\text{the } \textit{master vector})$$

- o Phase space:

$$S^{N-1}(\sqrt{N}) = \left\{ (v_1, \dots, v_N) \mid v_1^2 + \dots + v_N^2 = N \right\}$$

- o Markov jump process:

- Exponentially distributed intervals between jumps:

$$\Delta t \sim e^{-Nt}$$

- Jumps involve two coordinates:

$$(v_1, \dots, v_i, \dots, v_j, \dots, v_N) \mapsto (v_1, \dots, v'_i, \dots, v'_j, \dots, v_N)$$

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- o Energy conservation:

$$v_i'^2 + v_j'^2 = v_i^2 + v_j^2$$

- o No conserved momentum:

$$v_i' + v_j' \neq v_i + v_j$$

(in general)

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Here  $L_N$  is a bounded, self adjoint operator



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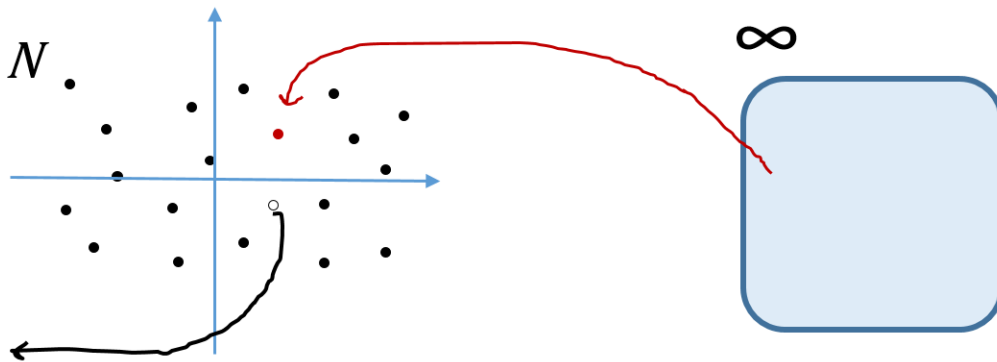
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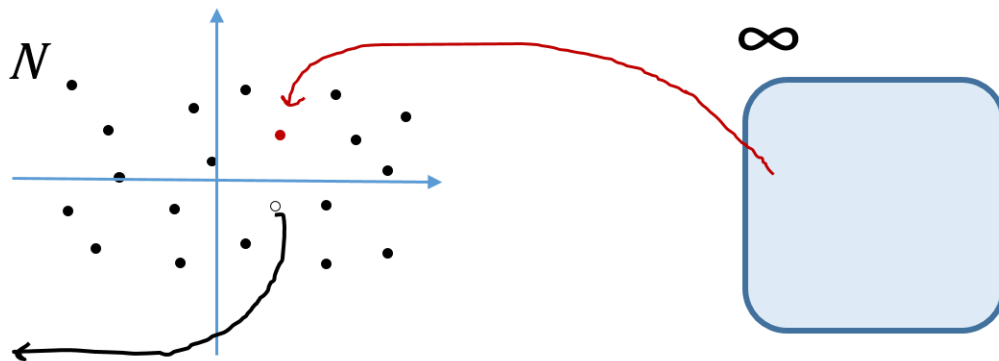
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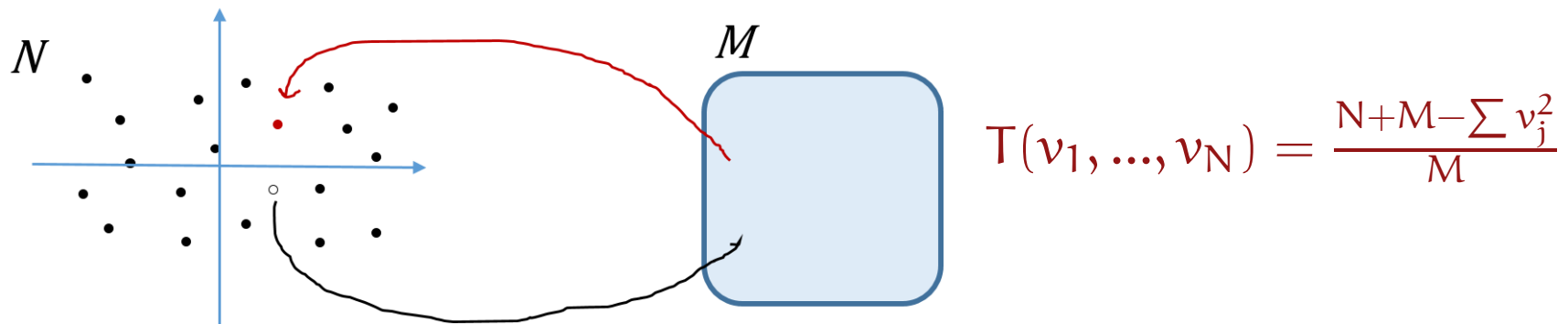
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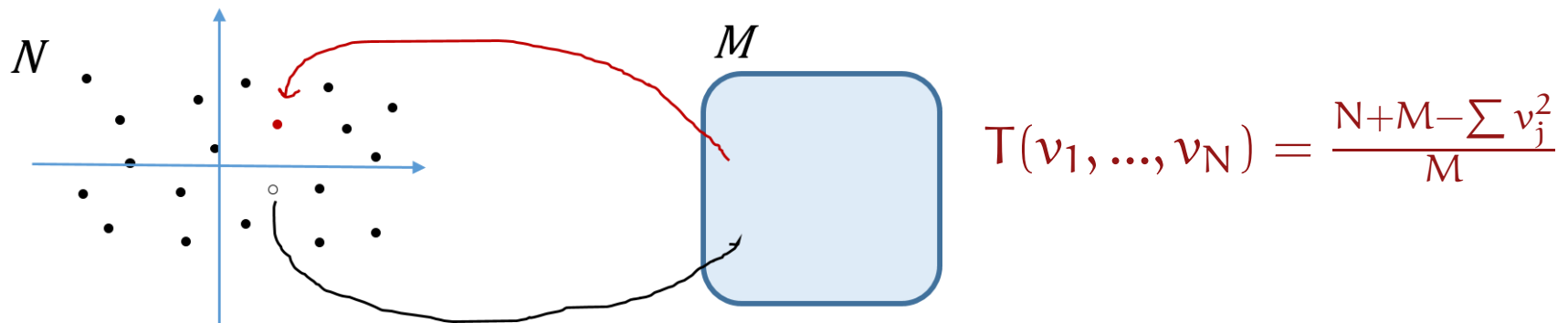
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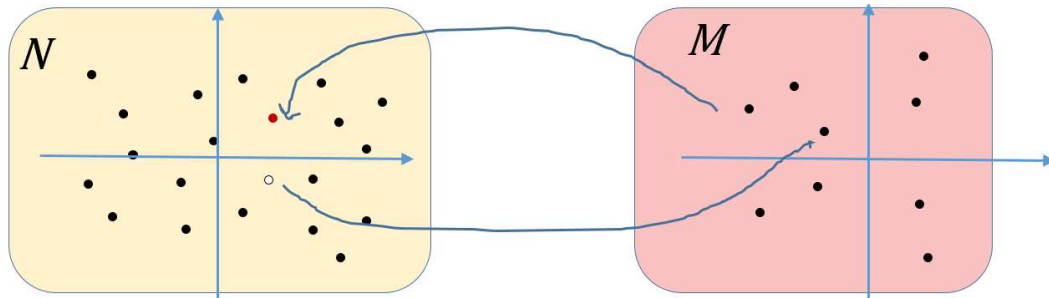
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- o Integrand depends only on  $x_1^2 + v_2^2 + \cdots + v_N^2$
- o  $\mathbb{E}(T) \rightarrow 1$  when  $N \rightarrow \infty$
- o In fact:  $T \rightarrow 1$  n.s.

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- o  $N$  passive particles  $V = (v_1, \dots, v_N)$
- o  $M$  active particles  $W = (w_1, \dots, w_M)$
- o Exchange between active and passive as before
- o Pairwise collisions between active particles at very high rate
- o  $M, N \rightarrow \infty$
- o  $M/N \rightarrow 0$  when  $N \rightarrow \infty$
- o **Purpose:** to get the BGK-equation from pure, conservative, particle system.

## The BGK equation

- o  $F = F(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{W}) = F(v_1, \dots, v_N, w_1, \dots, w_M) \in L^1(S^{N+M-1}(\sqrt{N+M}))$

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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} F(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{W}, t) = (\mathcal{L}_{NM\lambda_2} + \mathcal{U}_{NM\lambda_1}) F(\mathbf{V}, \mathbf{W}, t)$$

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$$\int_{S^{N+M-1}(\sqrt{N+M})} \phi(V_n, W_m) F(V, W) d\sigma(V, W)$$

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+m}} \phi(V_n, W_m) f_{N,M}^{(n,m)}(V_n, W_m) dV_n dW_m,$$

- Average

$$\bar{F}(V) = \int_{\Omega_{N,0}} F(V, W) d\sigma(W).$$

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- o Then, for  $0 < t_0 \leq t \leq T$ ,  $T < \infty$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_{B_N} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f_{N,M}^{N,0}(V, t) g(v_1) dV = \int_{\mathbb{R}} (\Phi(v_1) - f(v_1, t)) g(v_1) dv_1,$$

where

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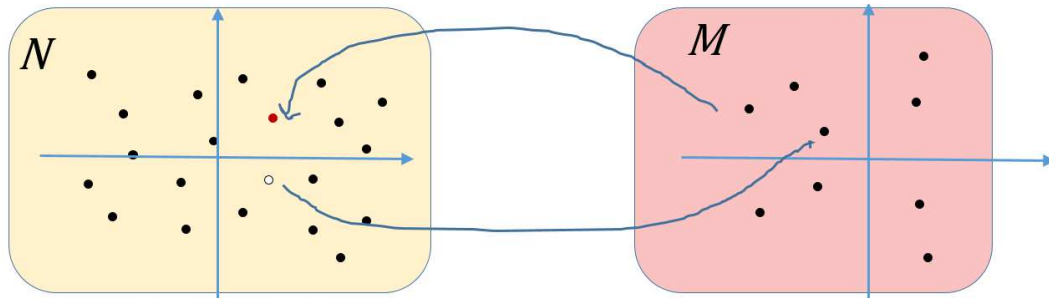
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o An estimate for the second term:

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- o  $N$  particles  $V = (v_1, \dots, v_N)$
- o  $M$  “thermostat” particles  $W = (w_1, \dots, w_M)$
- o Exchange between active and passive as before
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