

Fractional Kinetics

→ More systematic, though sometimes more obscure, than ETRW

→ FK relevant if singular domains which are "sticky" on phase space

and

↗ self-similar

→ Phase space 'rough', or fractal, so must treat roughness / fractal structure.

→ Key is critical exponents - scaling!
idea $\frac{dx}{dt}$, $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$

To derive:

critical exponents generalize

$$\begin{cases} \langle x^2 \rangle \sim t \\ \langle x^2 \rangle \sim t^2 \end{cases} \quad \langle x^2 \rangle \sim t^\alpha$$

= phenomenological derivation of eqn.

= relation between exponents.

$$\text{Now } P(x, t) = W(\underline{x}, \underline{x}_0, t - t_0) = W(x, x_0, t)$$

is transition probability

$\Delta_t P \rightarrow$ shift in P along t , by Δ_t
normal kinetics

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_t P(x,t) &= P(x, t+\Delta t) - P(x,t) \\ &= \Delta t \frac{\partial P}{\partial t} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Now, if fractal time:

$$\Delta_t^\beta P \equiv \frac{\partial^\beta P}{\partial t^\beta} (\Delta t)^\beta + \dots (\Delta t)^{\beta_1} \quad \boxed{0 < \beta < 1}$$

fractional order $\beta_1 > \beta$

where:

$$(-i\omega)^\beta P(\omega) = \int \left\{ \frac{\partial^\beta P}{\partial t^\beta} \right\} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{see } \boxed{\beta < 1} \\ \mathbb{Z} \text{ for} \\ \text{techn. details} \end{array} \right.$$

RHS singular as $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$!

N.B. Fractal time can obviously represent sticking, flights etc.

Similarly, proceed to space

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_x^\alpha P &= \int dy W(x,y, \Delta t) P(y,t) - P(x,t) \\ &+ o(\Delta t)^\beta \end{aligned}$$

So can represent curvature of P -particle, due steps in space, time as:

$$\Delta_t^\beta P(x,t) = \Delta_x^\alpha P(x,t) + o(\Delta t^{\beta_3})$$

min α, β_3

$$\lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(\Delta t)^\beta} \Delta_t^\beta P(x,t) = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta_x^\alpha P(x,t)}{(\Delta t)^\beta}$$

= Formal expr FK - continuity eqn pdf

= how calc R.H.S.?

Now, using expansion for Δ_t^β :

$$\frac{\partial^\beta P}{\partial t^\beta} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(\Delta t)^\beta} \left\{ \int dy w(x,y,\Delta t) P(y,t) - P(x,t) \right\}$$

$0 < \beta \leq 1$

still no switches re: w

Now assume expansion of W :
($\Delta t \rightarrow 0$)

concepts
 \downarrow
 $\sim \Delta X$

$$W(x, y, \Delta t) = d(x-y) + A(y, \Delta t) d^{\alpha}(x-y)$$

$$+ B(y, \Delta t) d^{2\alpha}(x-y)$$

$$\sim \langle (\Delta X)^2 \rangle$$

$$0 < \alpha < 1, \alpha \leq 2$$

$\alpha = 1$
For 2 standard

- finite # terms in exp. (also $F=0$)

- $A(y, \Delta t), B(y, \Delta t)$ index $P(x, t)$

i.e. linear eqn., specify transition prob

Point: $W \rightarrow$ local features dynamics

$P \rightarrow$ strongly non-local features
 $\rightarrow \infty$

sp

A, B index $P \Rightarrow$ independence of local transitions from long time behavior.

Can then show,

$$\langle \Delta x | \alpha_1 \rangle = \int dx |x-y| W(x,y, \Delta t)$$

$$\equiv \int dx |x-y|^{\alpha_1} \left[\cancel{d(x-y)} + A \cancel{e^{i\alpha_1(x-y)}} + B d^{\alpha_1}(x-y) \right]$$

leaves $(x-y)^{\alpha_1}$ $i\hbar \partial \rightarrow \Delta$

$$\Rightarrow \langle \Delta x | \alpha_1 \rangle = \Gamma(1+\alpha_1) B(y, \Delta t)$$

characteristic vs time scale

- A not so simple...

$$\int dy W(x,y, \Delta t) =$$

$$\cancel{\int dy W} = \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1} A}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}} + \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1} B}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}}$$

by IBP

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1} A(x)}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}} + \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1} B(x)}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}} = 0$$

ok! Analogue:
 $\rightarrow \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} = \frac{\partial D}{\partial x}$

where:

$$A(x) = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(x, \Delta t)}{(\Delta t)^B}$$

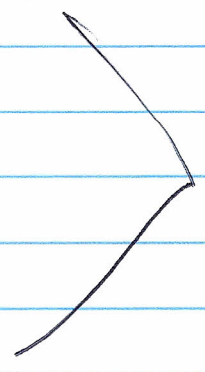
$$B(x) = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{B(y, \Delta t)}{(\Delta t)^B}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(B(x))} \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\langle \Delta x^{x_1} \rangle}{(\Delta t)^B}$$

Recall on standard kinetics,

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} B$$

$$\frac{\langle \Delta x \rangle}{\Delta t} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} D$$



exercise
→ show

80, FKE is

$$\frac{\partial^B}{\partial t^B} P(x,t) = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(\Delta t)^B} \left\{ \int dy [W(x,y,t+\Delta t) - \delta(x-y)] P(x,t) \right\}$$

so expanding as before, and using A, B defs:

$$\frac{\partial^B}{\partial t^B} P(x,t) = \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial (-x)^\alpha} (A(x) P(x,y)) + \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1}}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}} (B(x) P(x,y))$$

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Fractional diffy.

For $\alpha_1 = \alpha + 1$

$$\frac{\partial^B P}{\partial t^B} = \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial (-x)^\alpha} \left(B \frac{\partial P}{\partial x} \right)$$

$\rightarrow \alpha = 1, B = D/2 \rightarrow$ diffy

→ Can consider simplified case:

d.e

$$\frac{\partial^\beta P(x,t)}{\partial t^\beta} = \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial (-x)^\alpha} (A(x) P(x,t))$$

$$+ \frac{\partial^{\alpha_1}}{\partial (-x)^{\alpha_1}} (B(x) P(x,t))$$

$$x_1 = 1+x$$

$$\frac{\partial^\beta P}{\partial t^\beta} = - \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial (-x)^\alpha} (B \frac{\partial P}{\partial x})$$

⇒

so if B negligible:

$$\alpha = 2$$

$$0 < \beta < 1$$

$$\frac{\partial^\beta P}{\partial t^\beta} = \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial |x|^\alpha} (A P)$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = 1$$

$$\alpha = 2$$

⇒ normal/diffn

→ zn of fractional BM

$$|x|^\alpha \sim t^\beta$$

likewise, for:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{d^\alpha}{dt^\alpha} (AP) \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \beta = 1 \\ 1 < \alpha < 2 \end{array} \right.$$

→ Levy process

β, α, α_1 → critical exponents → how extract? → phase space structure

→ Conditions for FKE

Physical systems demand constraints:

- interval : need define space-time intervals to ensure integrability of P

- positivity: $P(x,t) \geq 0$

⇒ constraints critical exponent.

⇒ need: $0 < \alpha \leq 2$

$0 < \beta \leq 1, 0 < \alpha \leq 2$

Levy

- Intermediate asymptotics - different asymptotics, diff eq windar

- Definition fractional integro-dif.

Moments / Transport \rightarrow centers phys obs.

$P(x,t)$ solves FKE

Moments:

$$\langle |x|^{\alpha} \rangle = \int dx |x|^{\alpha} P(x,t) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} = \text{macro observable} \\ = \text{defines transport} \end{array} \right.$$

if $A = \text{const}$ in:

$$\frac{\partial^{\beta} P}{\partial t^{\beta}} = \frac{\partial^{\alpha}}{\partial |x|^{\alpha}} (AP)$$

then

$$\int |x|^{\alpha} \frac{\partial^{\beta} P}{\partial t^{\beta}} = \int |x|^{\alpha} \frac{\partial^{\alpha}}{\partial |x|^{\alpha}} (AP)$$

So

$$\frac{\partial^{\beta} \langle |x^\alpha| \rangle}{\partial t^{\beta}} = A \int dx \rho \frac{\partial^{\alpha}}{\partial |x|^{\alpha}} |x|^{\alpha}$$

$$= A \Gamma^{\nu}(1+\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle |x^\alpha| \rangle = \frac{A \Gamma^{\nu}(1+\alpha) t^{\beta}}{\Gamma^{\nu}(1+\beta)}$$

$$\sim (A \#) t^{\beta}$$

⇒ So, for self-similarity:

$$\langle |x| \rangle \sim t^{\beta/2} \sim t^{\nu/2}$$

which gives:

↗ set by ratio of critical exponents

$$\nu = 2\beta/2 \rightarrow \text{transport exponent}$$

Meaning }

Now, for $\langle x^2 \rangle < \infty$

$\Rightarrow \langle x^2 \rangle \sim t^\mu$

$\mu < 2$
 $\mu = 2\beta/\alpha$

$\mu > 1 \rightarrow$ superdiffusion

$\mu < 1 \rightarrow$ subdiffusion

set by α, β critical

Now, also recall:

$x^2 \sim Dt$
 $x \sim \sqrt{Dt}$

$x \sim \sqrt{D}/\sqrt{t}$

\Rightarrow diffn exhibits false high speed at short t

but $\langle x^2 \rangle \sim Dt \sim D \tau_{cut}$

$\sim \langle \dot{x} \rangle \tau_{cut}$

so D ill defined for $t \lesssim \tau_{cut}$.

Have similar state here: (in FK)

Can take:

$$\frac{\langle dx \rangle^\alpha}{\langle dt \rangle^\beta} \sim \left(\frac{dx}{dt} \right)^\alpha dt^{\alpha-\beta}$$

$$\sim v^\alpha dt^{\alpha-\beta}$$

but:

normal diffn

$$\lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\Delta t} \langle \Delta x \rangle \equiv A(x)$$

and with α, β

$$\langle dx^\alpha \rangle \sim A (dt)^\beta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\langle dx^\alpha \rangle}{\langle dt \rangle^\beta} \sim \overset{\rightarrow \infty}{\uparrow} v^\alpha dt^{\alpha-\beta} \overset{\text{const.}}{\downarrow} \sim A$$

\downarrow
 $\rightarrow \infty$

$$\alpha - \beta = \alpha(1 - \mu/2)$$

$$\underline{\mu < 2}$$

$$> 0$$

$$V \propto dt^{\alpha-\beta} \sim A$$

$$\Rightarrow V \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } dt \rightarrow 0$$

similar to short time, high speed requirement in diffn.

~~we~~ have short time ($\sim \tau_c$) cut-off

Now, $\beta=1$ } Levy conditions
 $1 < \alpha < 2$

$$\mu = 2\beta/\alpha = 2/\alpha < 2,$$

as higher moments

$$\boxed{1 < \mu < 2} \rightarrow \text{superdiffusive (sub } \frac{1}{2} \text{)}$$

$\mu \geq 2$ diverge

$$\underline{\text{so}} \quad \boxed{1 < \alpha < 2}$$

$$\boxed{0 < \alpha < 1 \text{ unclear why}}$$

\rightarrow Origin of Critical Exponents,

where α, β etc from β ? \rightarrow phase space street

Recall standard map (OH 7):

$$p_{n+1} = p_n + \sin \psi_n$$

$$\psi_{n+1} = \psi_n + 2\pi M / \lambda_{n+1}$$

⇒

$$I_{n+1} = I_n + k \sin \theta_n$$

↳ strength \propto velocity \rightarrow $\cos \psi$

$$\theta_{n+1} = \theta_n + I_n$$

↑
stream

both next

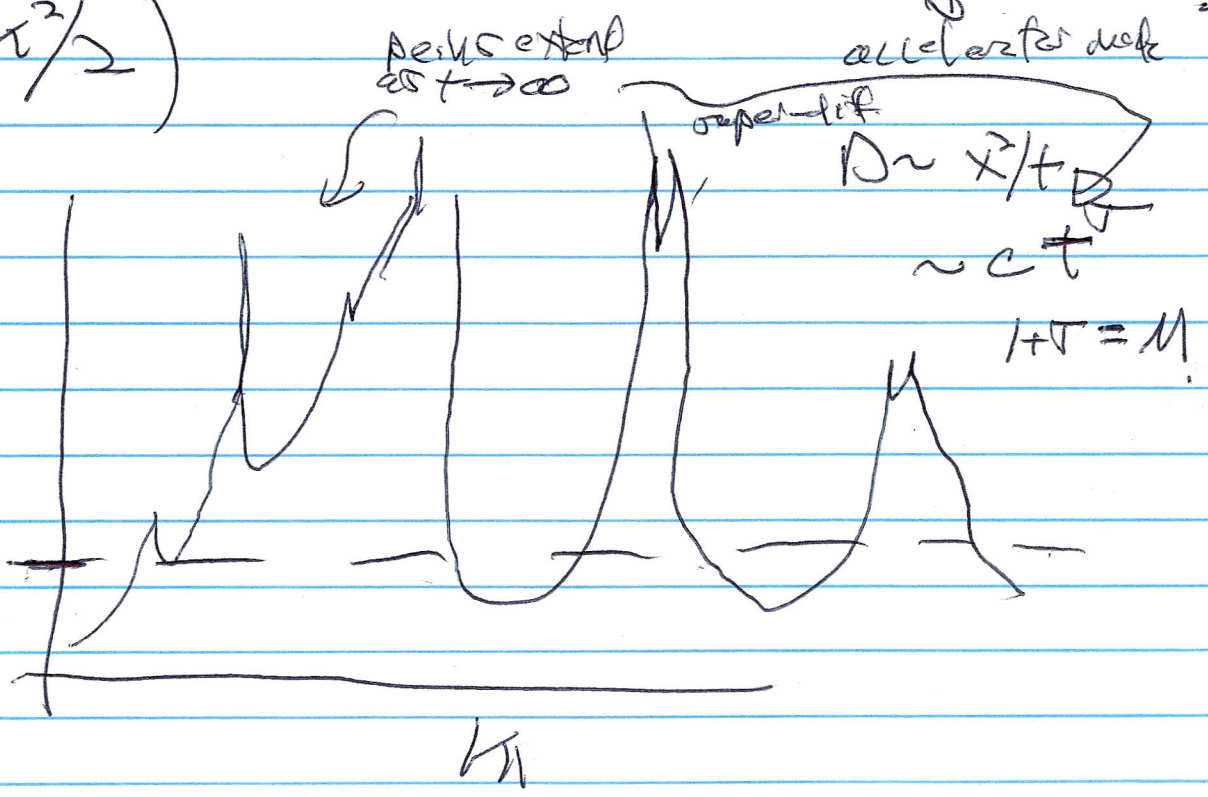
($k \sin \theta_{i,l} = 2\pi l$)

$$(D_{QL} = k^2/2)$$

Now

$$\frac{20}{k^2}$$

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- Now, scims show $D(H) \neq k^2/\lambda = \lambda_{eff}$
- indeed \rightarrow high peak in effective D

$\langle \rho^2 \rangle \sim \text{const } t^{\mu}$, $\mu > 1$
super-diffusive

$\mu > 1 \Rightarrow \exists \alpha, \beta$ $\mu = 2\beta/\alpha$

- many peaks, many sets exponents
- exponents localized in elements,

Punchline:

- on standard map, accelerator modes underpin super-diffusive scatt,
- special values of k underpin flights
- no universal behaviour. Each range flights has own crit. exp.