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THE ONSET OF SYNCHRONISM IN  
SYSTEMS OF GLOBALLY COUPLED  
CHAOTIC AND PERIODIC OSCILLATORS

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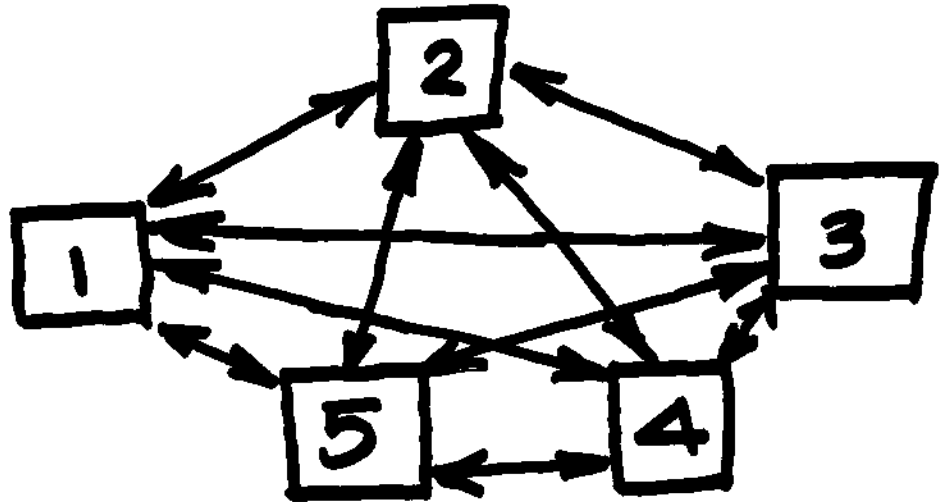
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# GLOBALY COUPLED SYSTEMS

$N=5$



□ = Dynamical system

- Dynamics of uncoupled system may be periodic (limit cycle attractor) or chaotic.
- We are interested in  
 $N \gg 1$  (Numerical)  
 $N \rightarrow \infty$  (Analytical)

# PREVIOUS WORK

## Limit cycles with spread of natural frequencies

N. Wiener

Y. Kuramoto

A. Winfree

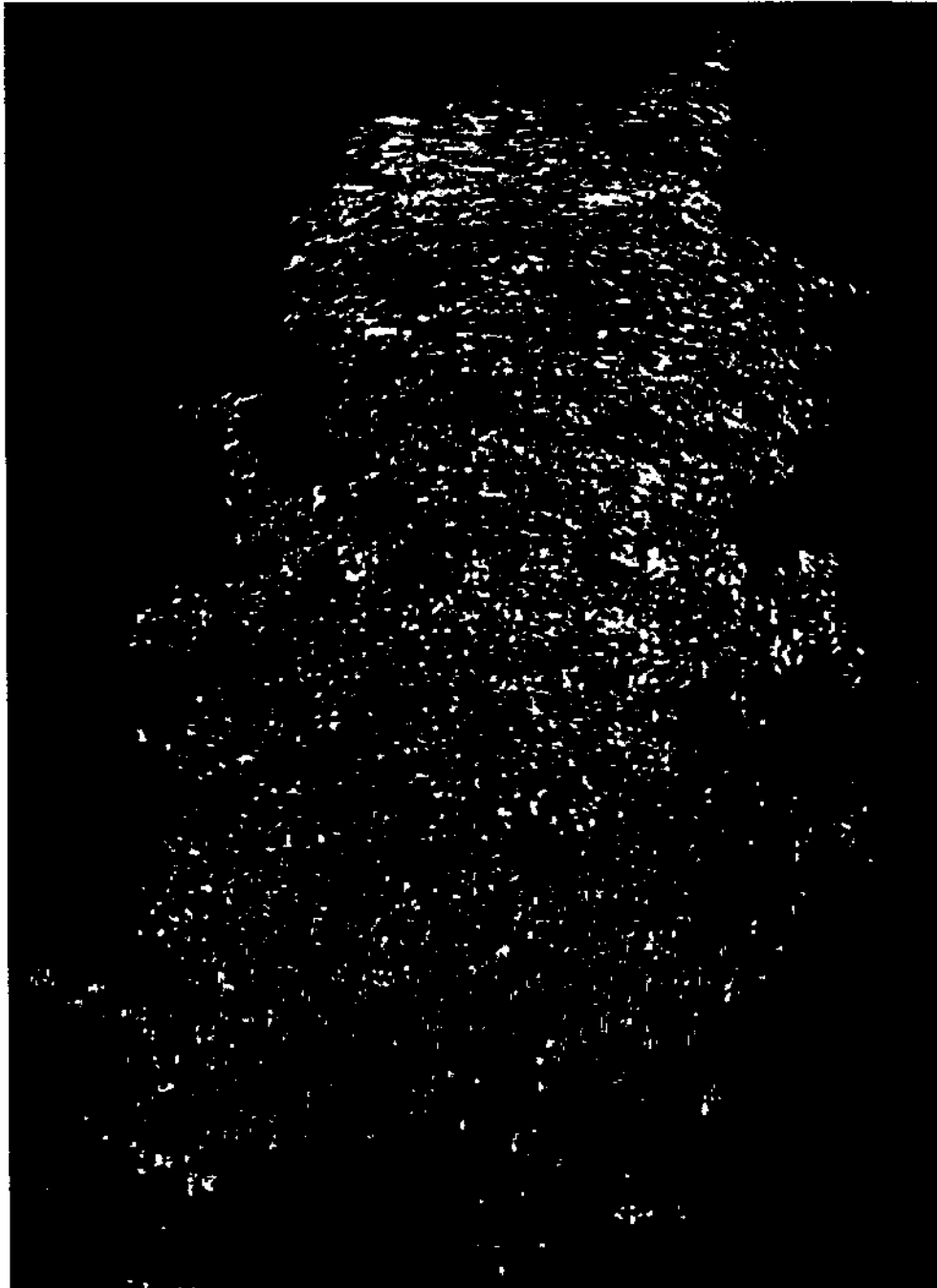
+ many others

- Motivations: chirping crickets, flashing fire flies, Josephson junction arrays, semiconductor laser arrays, cardiac pacemaker cells, etc

## Globally coupled <sup>chaotic</sup> ~~nonlinear~~ system

- Pikovsky, Rosenblum, Kurths, Em. L. '99
- Sakaguchi, Phys. Rev. E '00.
- Topaj, Kye, Pikovsky, PRL '01

- Fireflies on a tree.



# Review of the Onset of Synchrony in the Kuramoto Model

(Ref. E. Ott 'Chaos in Dynamical Sys.' 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Ch. 6, Sec. 5 )

$N$  coupled periodic oscillators  
whose states are described by  
phase angles  $\theta_i$ ;  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ .

$$d\theta_i/dt = \omega_i + \sum_j K_{ij}(\theta_j - \theta_i)$$

All-to-all sinusoidal coupling

$$K_{ij}(\theta) = (K/N) \sin \theta$$

$$\bullet \quad d\theta_i/dt = \omega_i + K \left\{ \frac{1}{N} \sum_j \sin(\theta_i - \theta_j) \right\}$$

Complex Order Parameter

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{N} \sum_j \sin(\theta_i - \theta_j) \right\} = \text{Im} \left\{ e^{-i\theta_i} \underbrace{\left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_j e^{i\theta_j} \right]}_{r e^{i\psi}} \right\}$$

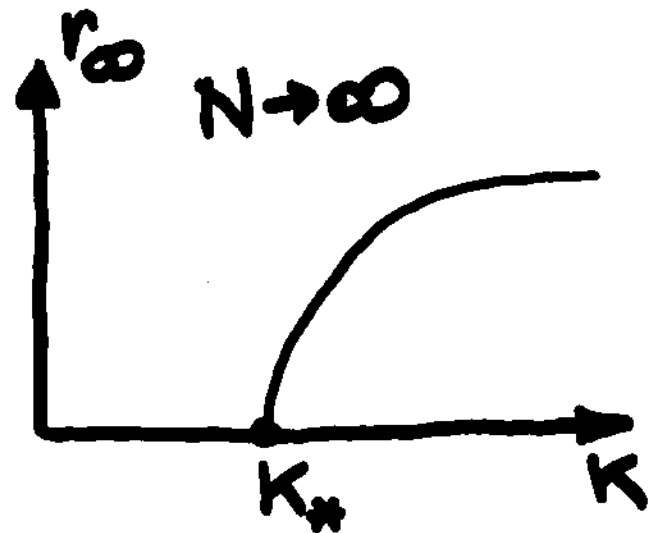
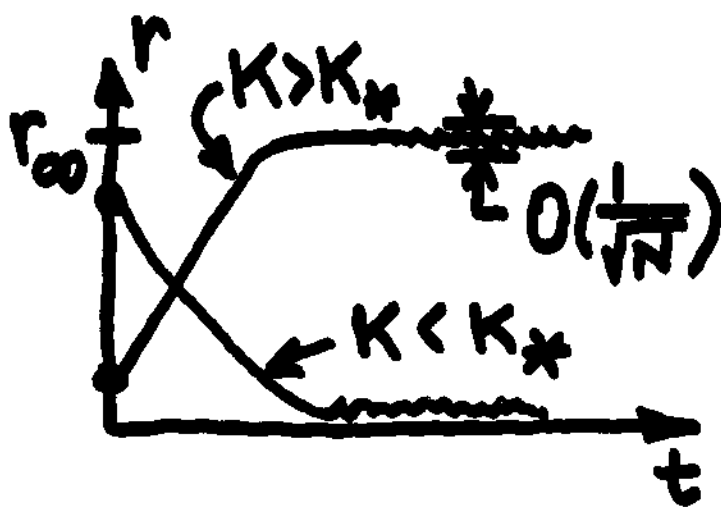
$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} d\theta_i/dt &= \omega_i + Kr \sin(\psi - \theta_i) \\ r e^{i\psi} &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N e^{i\theta_j} \end{aligned}}$$

# Typical Behavior

System specified by  $\omega_i$ 's and  $K$ .

Consider  $N \gg 1$ .

$G(\omega)d\omega$  = fraction of oscillation  
freqs. between  $\omega$  and  $\omega+d\omega$



$N \rightarrow \infty$

$\hat{F}(\theta, \omega, t)d\theta d\omega$  = fraction of oscillators  
whose phases and frequencies lie in  
the ranges  $\theta$  to  $\theta+d\theta$  and  $\omega$  to  $\omega+d\omega$ .

$$\partial \hat{F} / \partial t + \partial / \partial \theta \left( \frac{d\theta}{dt} \hat{F} \right) + \partial / \partial \omega \left( \frac{d\omega}{dt} \hat{F} \right) = 0$$

$$\partial \hat{F} / \partial t + \partial / \partial \theta \left[ (\omega + Kr \sin(\psi - \theta)) \hat{F} \right] = 0$$

$$r e^{i\psi} = \iint_0^{2\pi} \hat{F} e^{i\theta} d\theta d\omega$$

# Linear Stability

Incoherent state:

$$\bar{F} = \frac{G(\omega)}{2\pi}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

This is a steady state solution.

Is it stable?

Linear perturbation:  $\hat{F} = \bar{F} + f$ ;  $|f| \ll \bar{F}$

Laplace transform  $\Rightarrow$   
ODE in  $\theta$  for  $f \Rightarrow$

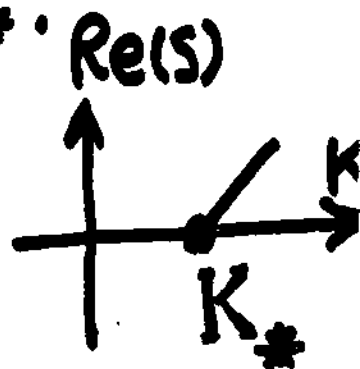
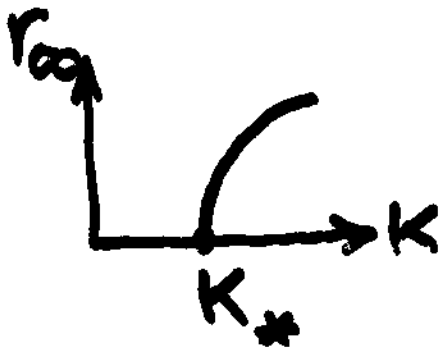
$$D(s, K) = 0 \quad \text{for given } G(\omega)$$

$\text{Re}(s) > 0$  implies instability

Results: Critical coupling  $K_*$ .

Growth rates.

Oscillation freqs.





## A POTENTIALLY SIGNIFICANT RESULT

Even when the coupled units are chaotic systems that are individually not in any way oscillatory (e.g.,  $2x \bmod 1$  maps or logistic maps), the global average behavior can have a transition from incoherence to oscillatory behavior (i.e., a supercritical Hopf bifurcation).

# GLOBALY COUPLED LORENZ SYSTEMS

$$dx_i/dt = \sigma(y_i - x_i) - r \langle x \rangle$$

$$dy_i/dt = r_i x_i - y_i - x_i z_i$$

$\langle x \rangle = N^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i(t)$

$$dz_i/dt = -b z_i + x_i y_i$$

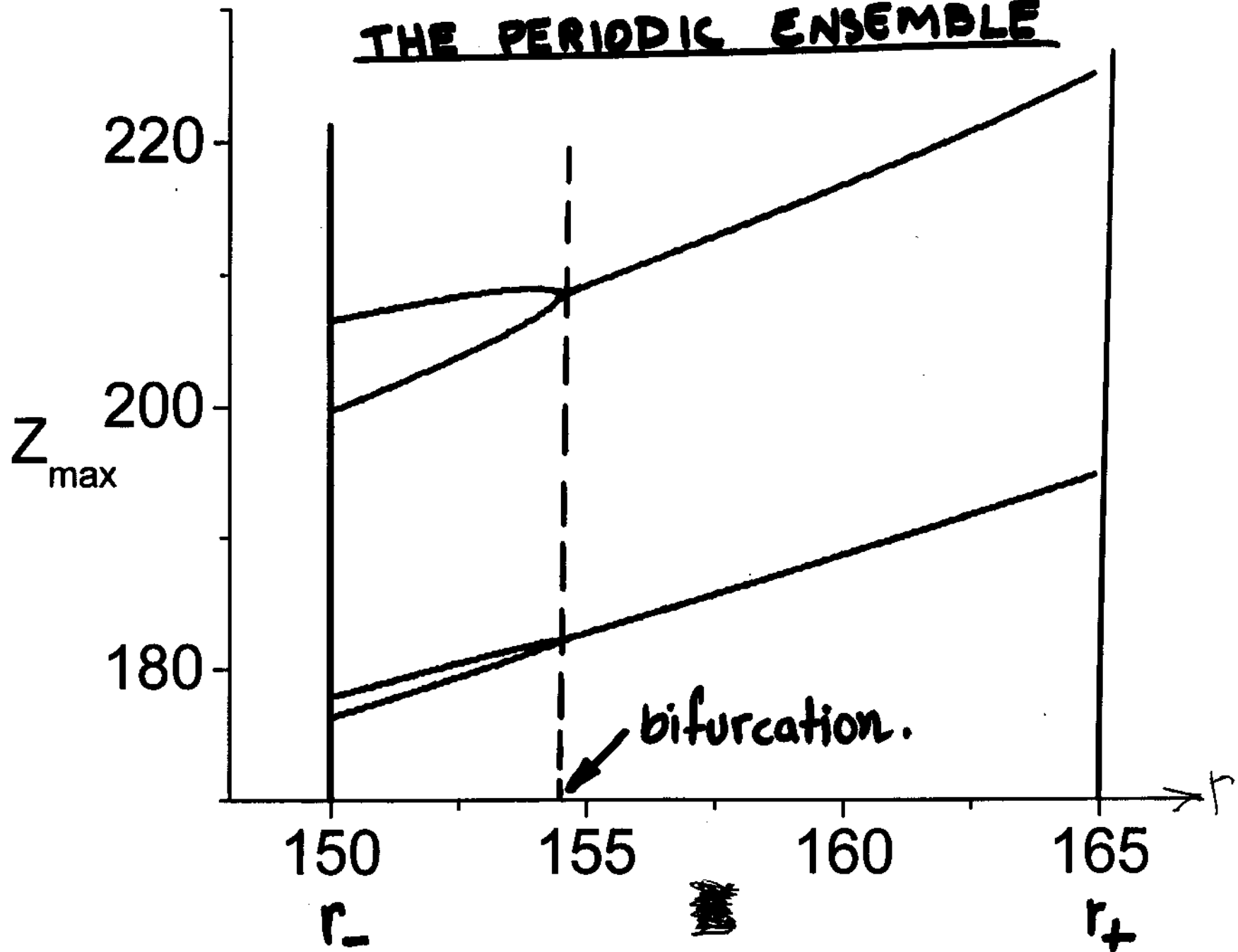
$$\sigma = 10 ; b = 8/3$$

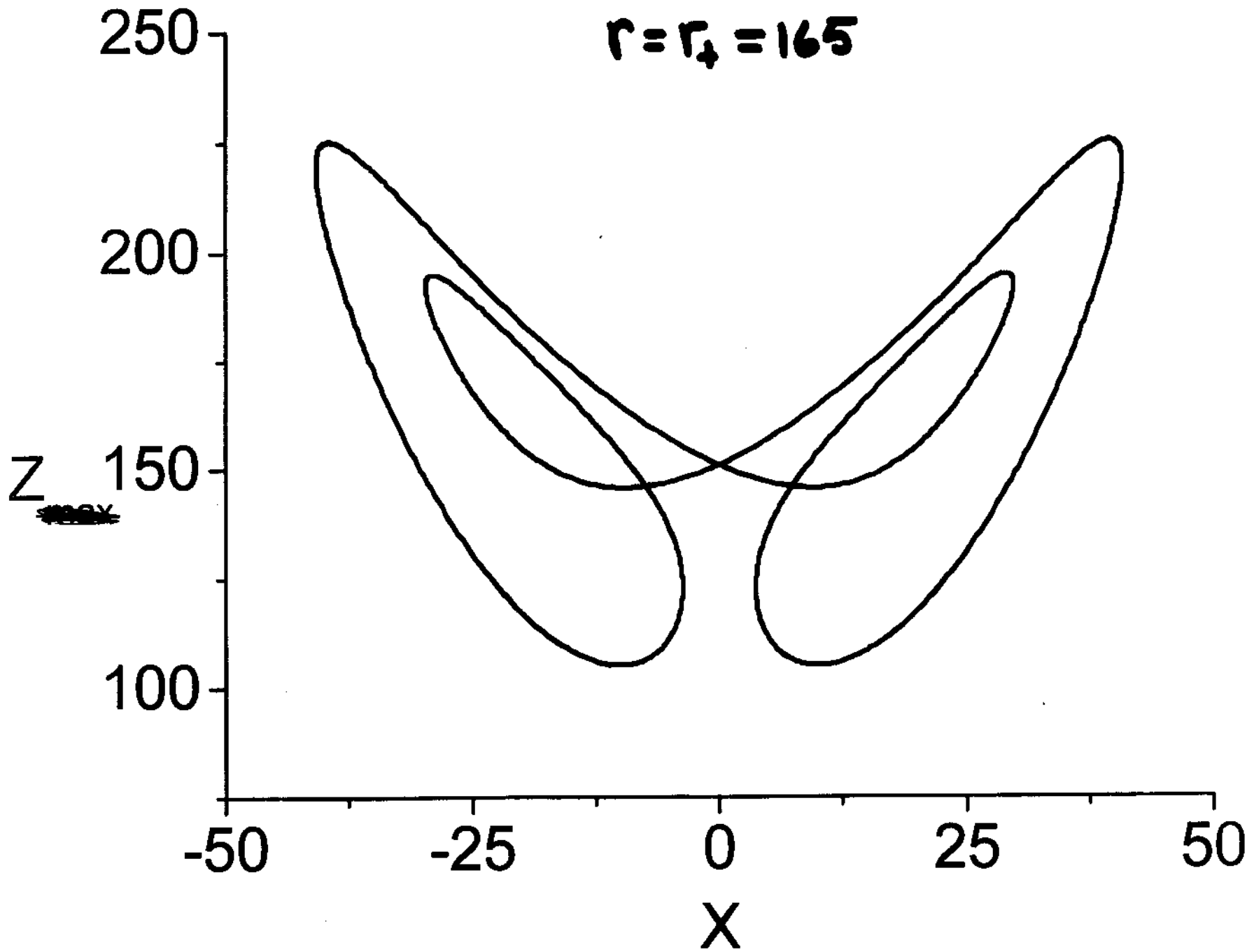
$r_i$  uniformly distributed in  $[r_-, r_+]$

## 3 ENSEMBLES

- Periodic ensemble:  $r$  in  $[150, 160]$
- Chaotic ensemble:  $r$  in  $[28, 52]$
- Mixed ensemble:  $r$  in  $[167, 202]$

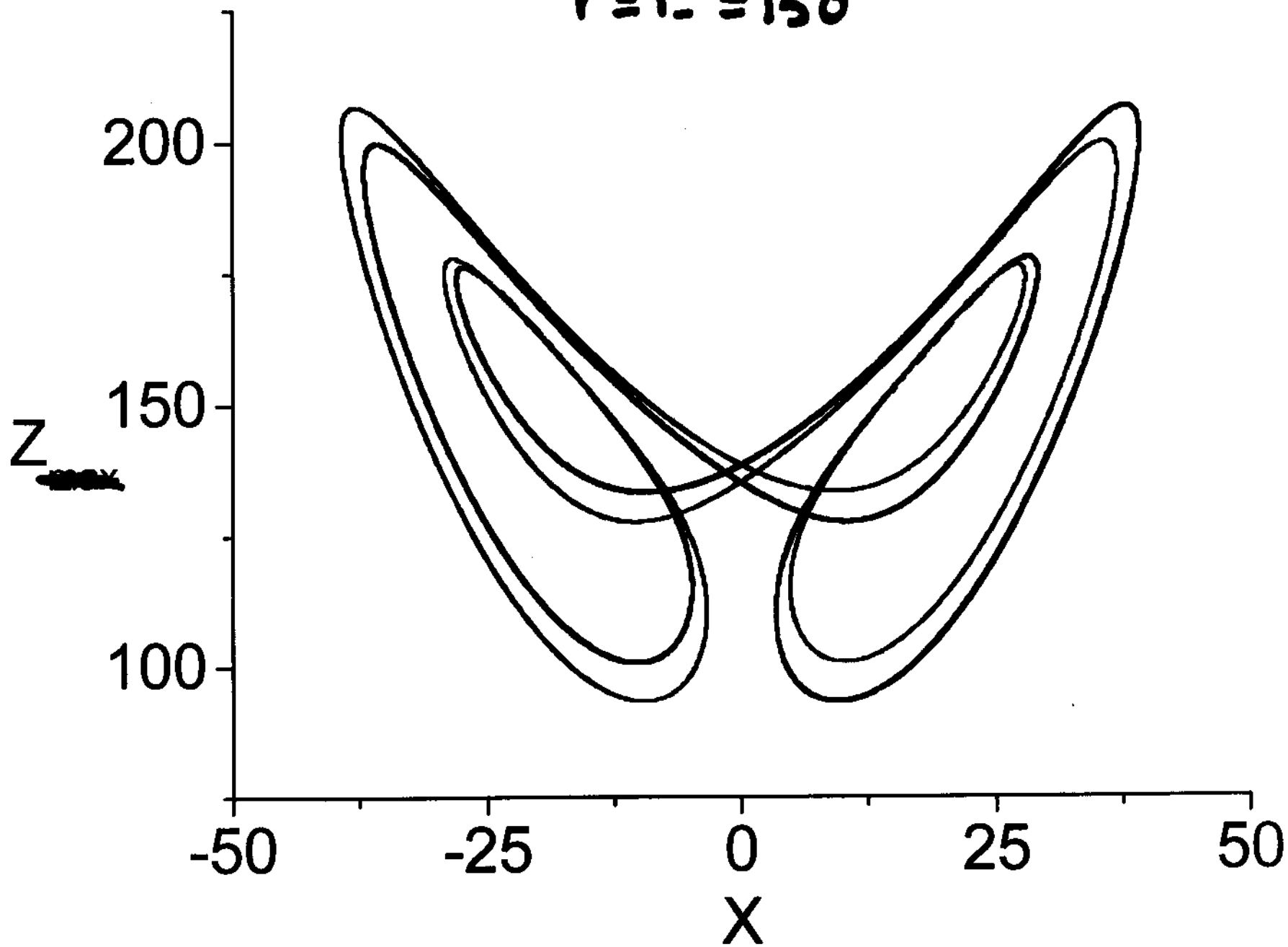
BIFURCATION DIAGRAM FOR  
THE PERIODIC ENSEMBLE





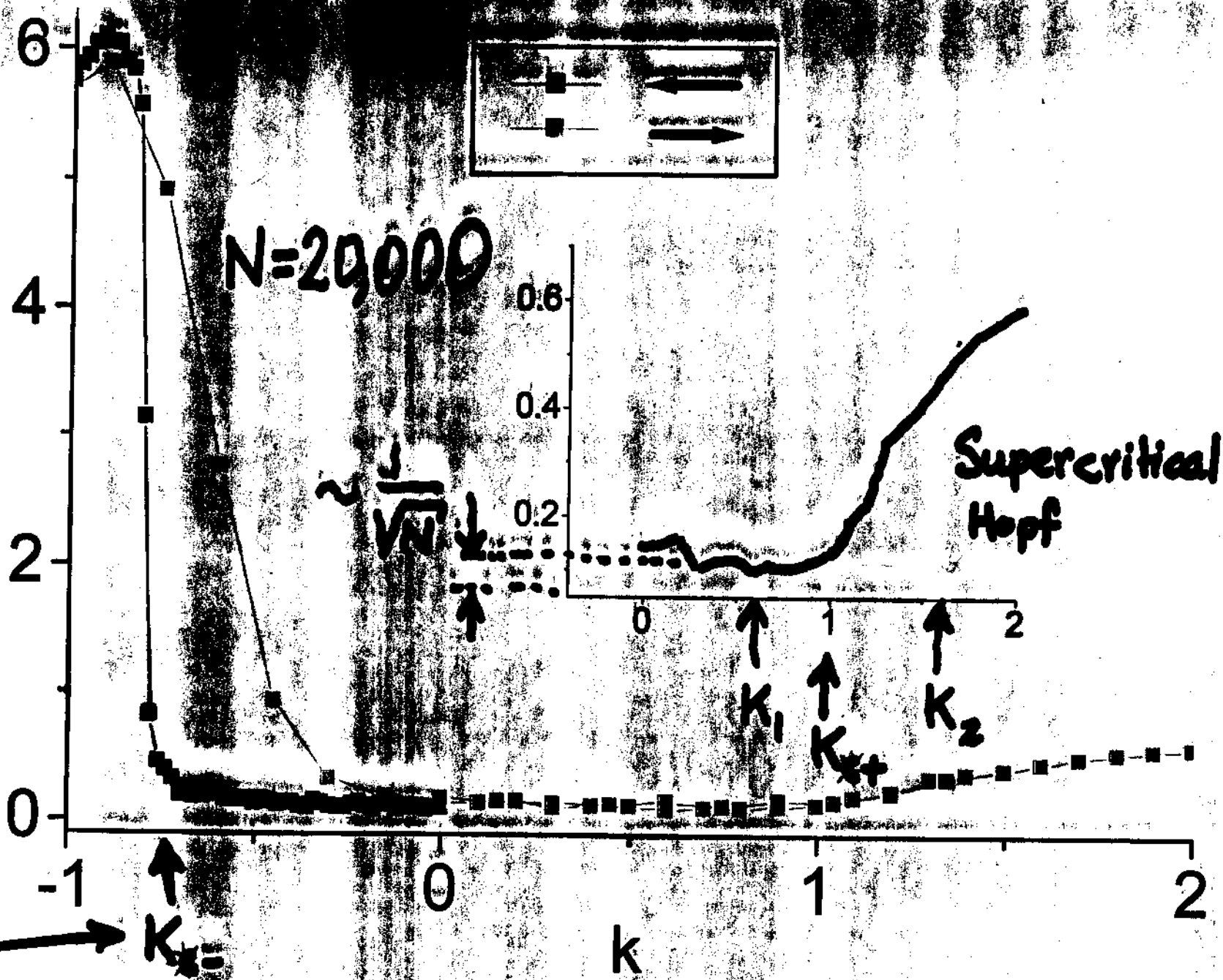
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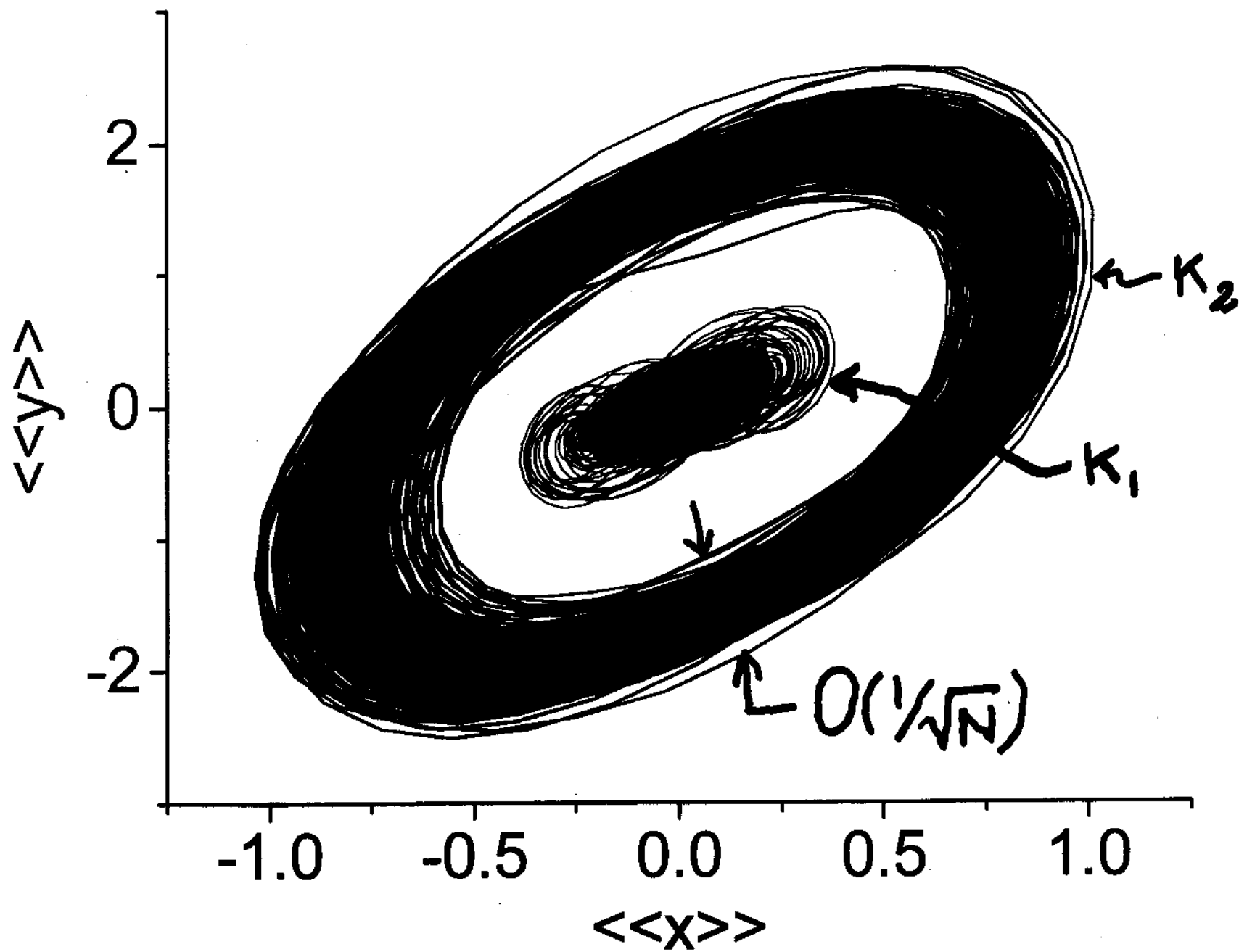
$r = r_c = 150$



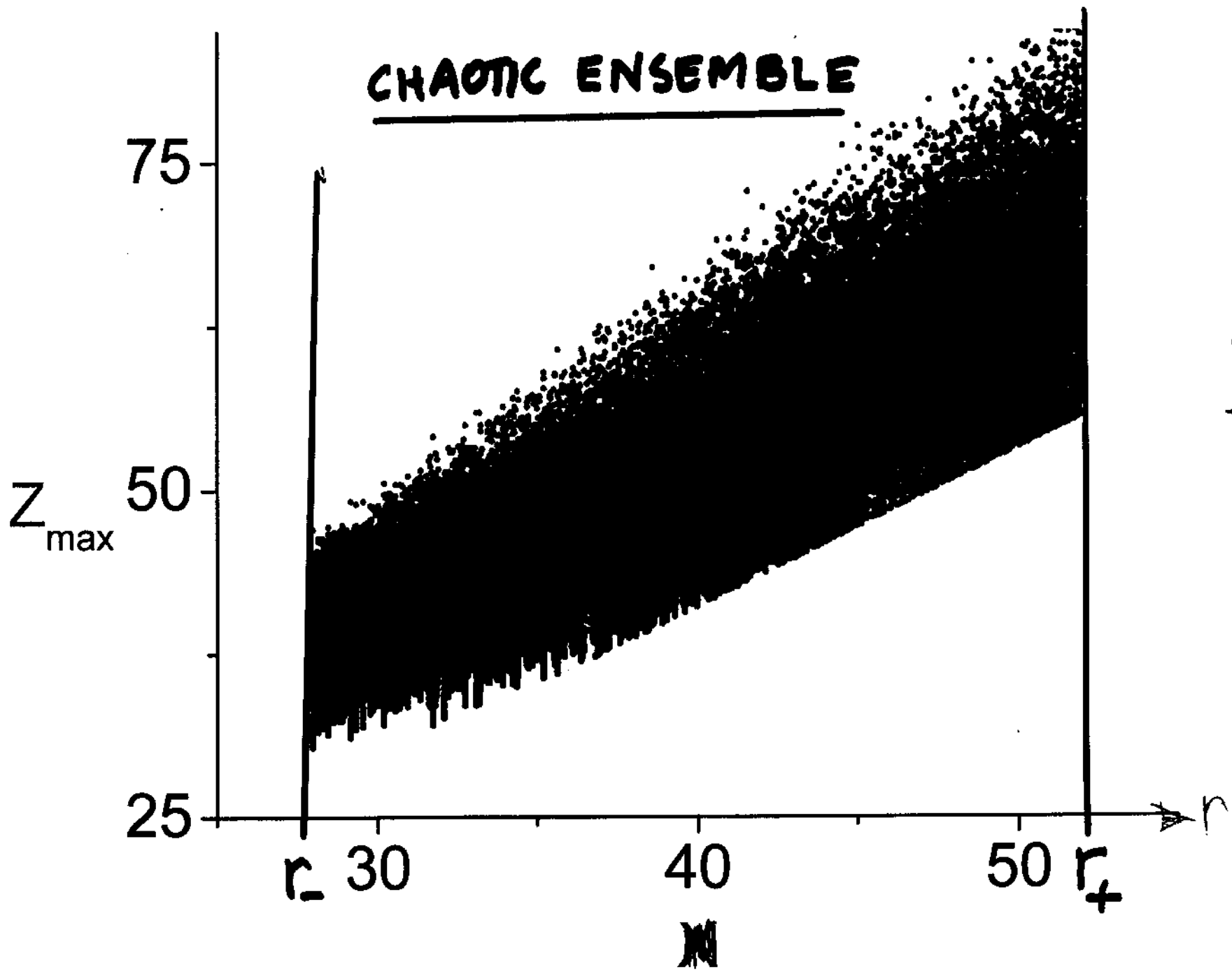
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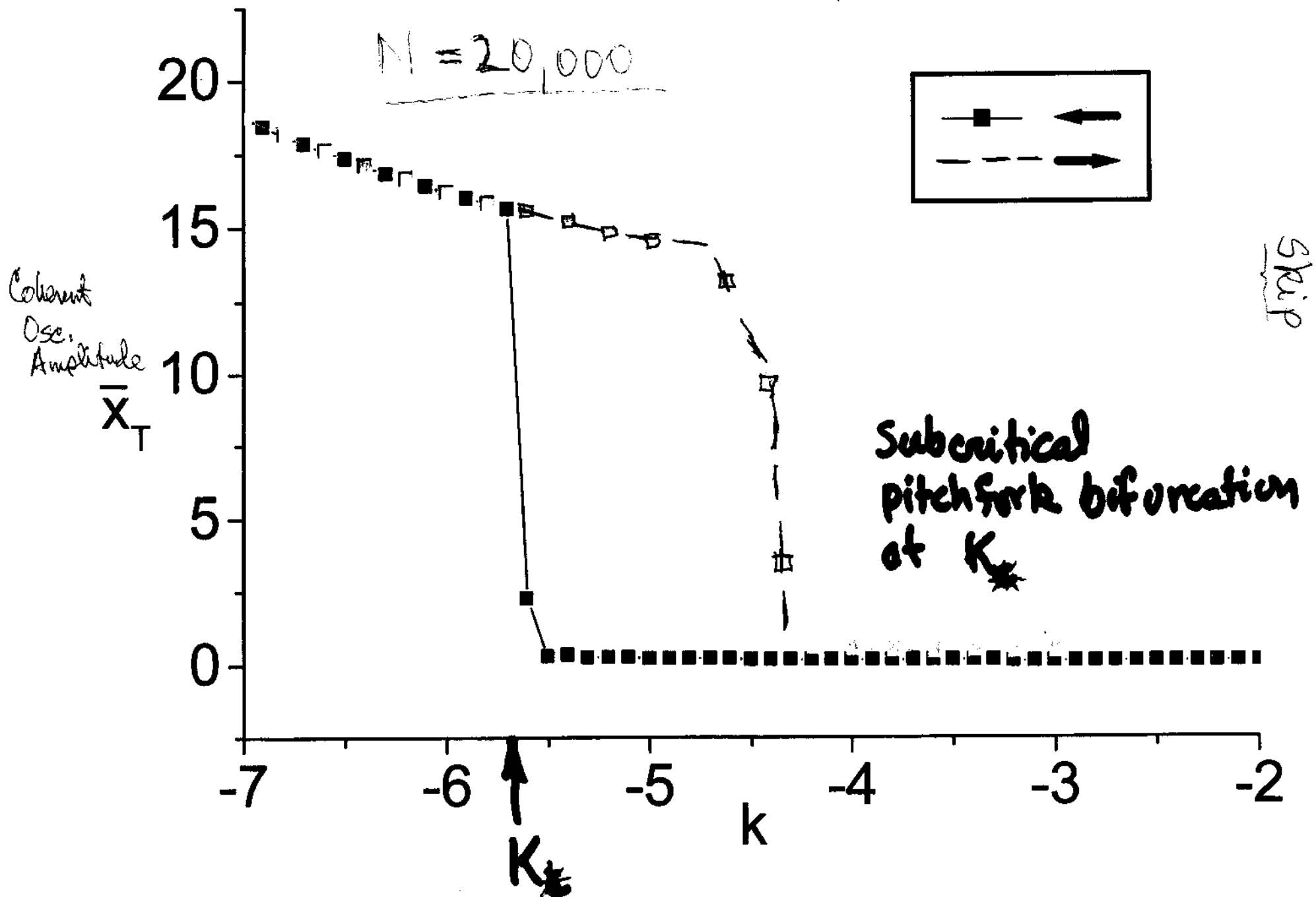
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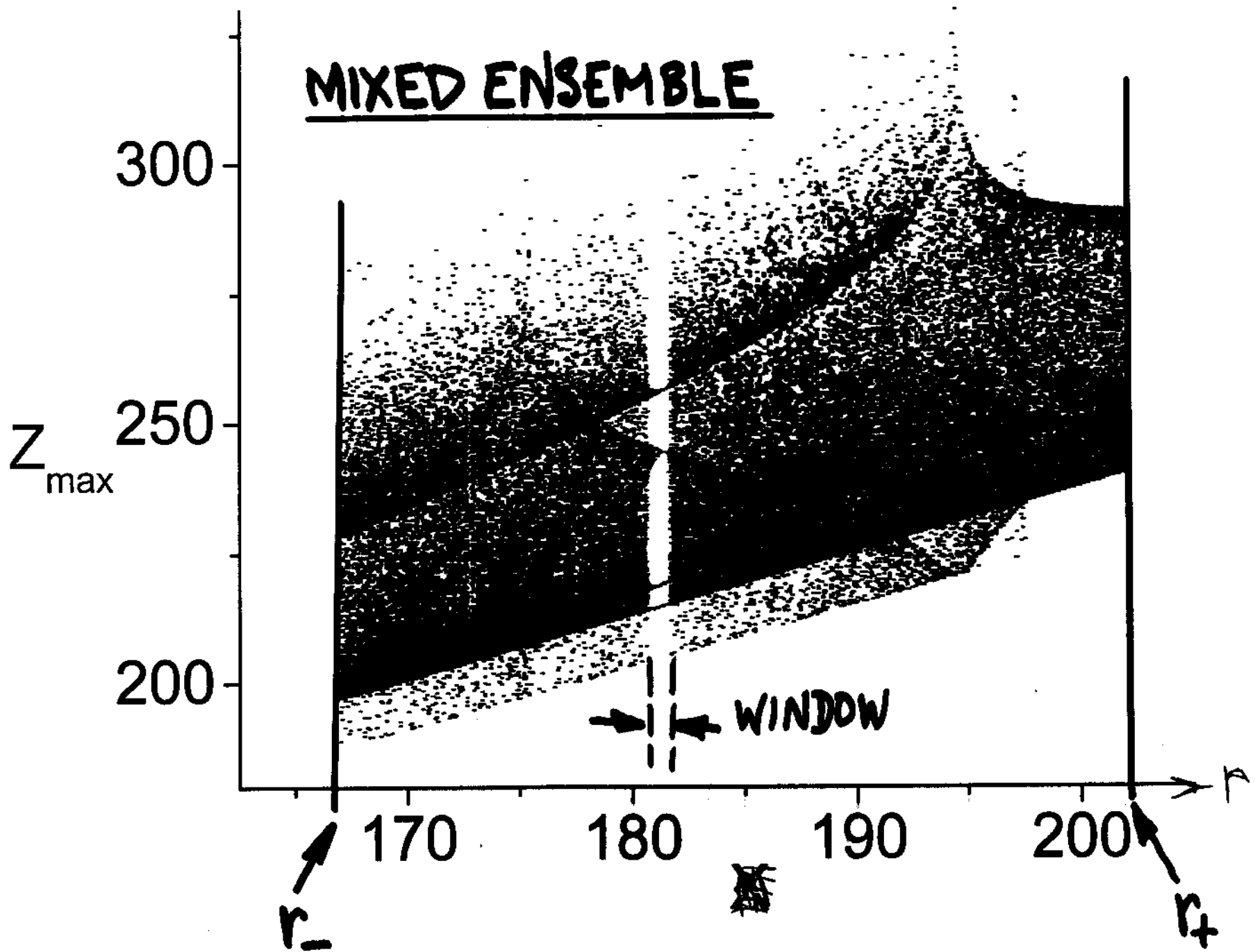


CHAOTIC ENSEMBLE





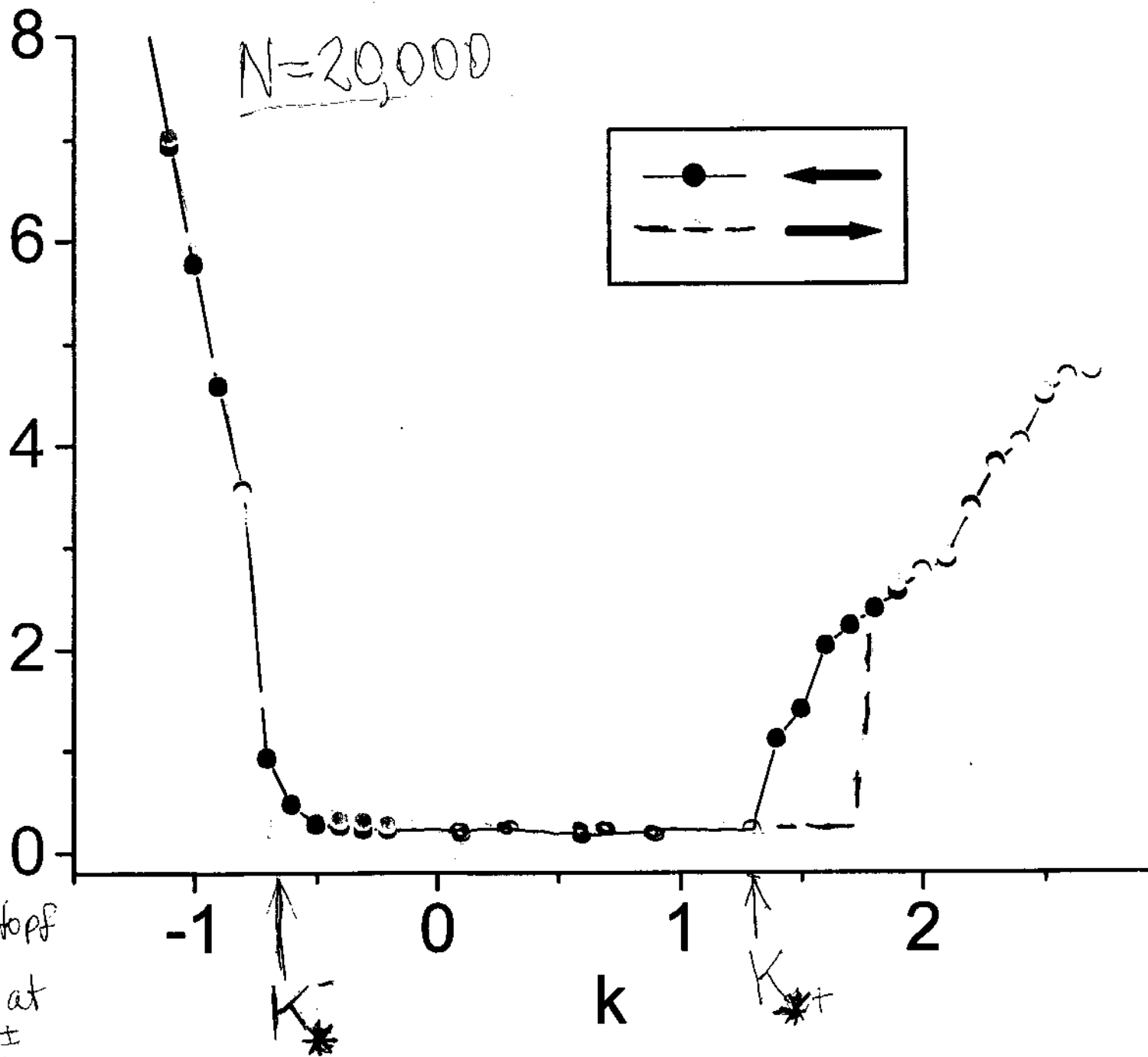
# MIXED ENSEMBLE



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Coherent  
oscillation  
amplitude  
 $\bar{X}_T$

Supercritical Hopf  
bifurcations at  
 $K = K_{\pm}^*$



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## FORMULATION

- $d\underline{x}_i(t)/dt = \underline{G}(\underline{x}_i(t), \underline{\Omega}_i) + \underline{K} \cdot (\langle\langle \underline{x} \rangle\rangle_* - \langle\langle \underline{x} \rangle\rangle)$

- $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$  labels ensemble members

$\underline{\Omega}_i$  = parameter vector with smooth density distribution  $\rho(\underline{\Omega})$

- $\underline{x}_i(t) = [x_i^{(1)}(t), x_i^{(2)}(t), \dots, x_i^{(q)}(t)]^T$

- $\underline{K} = q \times q$  coupling matrix

- $\langle\langle \underline{x}(t) \rangle\rangle = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} N^{-1} \sum_i \underline{x}_i(t)$

- $\langle\langle \underline{x} \rangle\rangle_* = \int \underline{x} \rho(\underline{\Omega}) d\mu_{\underline{\Omega}} d\underline{\Omega}$

- $\mu_{\underline{\Omega}}$  = natural invariant measure.

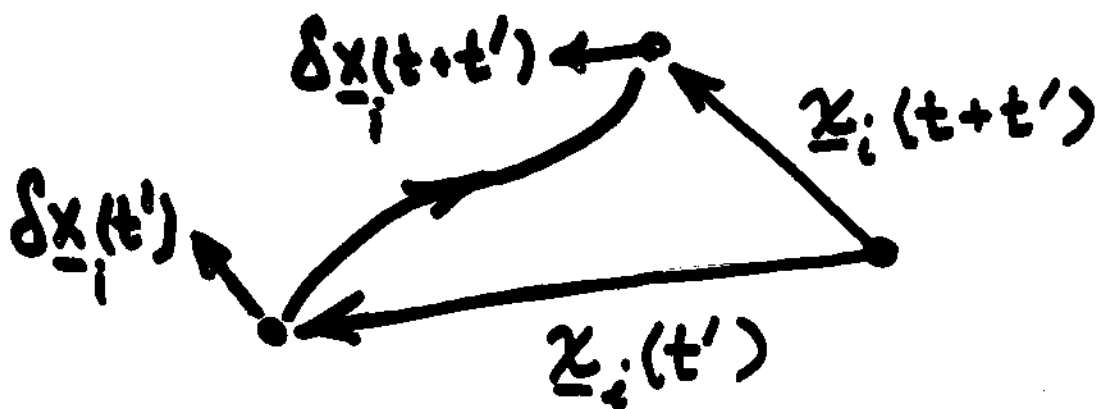
"Incoherent State":  $\langle\langle \underline{x} \rangle\rangle = \langle\langle \underline{x} \rangle\rangle_*$

# STABILITY OF THE INCOHERENT STATE

Goal: Obtain stability of coupled system from dynamics of the uncoupled components

- $\underline{x}_i(t) \rightarrow \underline{x}_i(t) + \delta \underline{x}_i(t)$
- $d\delta \underline{x}_i/dt = \underline{D} \underline{G}(\underline{x}_i(t), \underline{\Omega}_i) \delta \underline{x}_i - \underline{K} \llbracket \delta \underline{x}_i \rrbracket$

Fundamental (Lyapunov) matrix  $\underline{M}_i$  of the uncoupled system:



$$\delta \underline{x}_i(t+t') = \underline{M}_i(t, t'; \underline{x}(t')) \delta \underline{x}(t')$$

$$\underline{M}_i(0, t'; \underline{x}(t')) \equiv \underline{1}$$

$$d\underline{M}_i / dt = \underline{D} \underline{G} (\underline{x}_i(t+t'), \underline{\Omega}_i) \underline{M}_i$$

$$\underline{M}_i(0, t'; \underline{x}(t')) = \underline{1}$$

Solution for  $\delta \underline{x}_i$ :

$$\delta \underline{x}_i = - \int_{-\infty}^t \underline{M}_i(t-\tau, \tau; \underline{x}_i(\tau)) \underline{K} \langle \langle \delta \underline{x} \rangle \rangle_{\tau} d\tau$$

Dispersion function:

Take  $\langle \dots \rangle_{*}$ , assume  $\langle \langle \delta \underline{x} \rangle \rangle_{*} = \underline{\Delta} e^{st}$ ,  
and let  $T = t - \tau$ :

$$\{ \underline{1} + \tilde{\underline{M}}(\Delta) \underline{K} \} \cdot \underline{\Delta} = 0 \Rightarrow D(s) = \det \{ \dots \} = 0$$

where

$$\tilde{\underline{M}}(\Delta) = \langle \langle \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sT} \underline{M}_i(T, \dots) dT \rangle \rangle_{*}$$

$$\tilde{\underline{M}}(\lambda)$$

$$\tilde{\underline{M}}(\lambda) = \left\langle \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sT} \underline{M}_i(T) dT \right\rangle^*$$

## Convergence

- $\text{Re}(\lambda) > \Gamma \equiv \max_{\underline{x}_i, \underline{\Omega}_i} h_i$

$h_i(\underline{x}_i, \underline{\Omega}_i) =$  largest Lyap. exponent

$h_i = 0$  for limit cycles

$h_i$  and  $\Gamma > 0$  for chaotic attractors

For  $\text{Re}(\lambda) > \Gamma$ :

$$\tilde{\underline{M}}(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sT} \left\langle \underline{M}_i(T) \right\rangle dT^*$$

(Not yet useful.)

# DECAY OF $\langle\langle \underline{M}_i \rangle\rangle$ $\leftarrow$

## Mixing Chaotic Attractors



$$\underline{x}_i(0) \rightarrow \underline{x}_i(0) + \delta_k \underline{a}_k$$

$\underline{a}_k$  = unit vector in  $k$  direction

$\left[ \langle\langle \underline{M}_i \rangle\rangle \right]_{k^{\text{th}} \text{ column}} \delta_k$  = perturbation of centroid of cloud ~~in direction  $k$~~

$\rightarrow$   
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mixing  $\Rightarrow$  perturbation decays to zero. (Typically exponentially.)

Step

## Limit Cycle Attractors

- Not mixing

$\langle \underline{M}_i \rangle_* =$  average over invariant measure  $\mu_i$ .

- Example:

$$\langle \underline{M}_i \rangle_* = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Omega_i t & -\sin \Omega_i t \\ \sin \Omega_i t & \cos \Omega_i t \end{bmatrix}$$

- Average over  $\rho(\Omega)$  to get  $\langle \underline{M} \rangle_*$ :

$$\int \rho(\Omega) \begin{Bmatrix} \cos \Omega t \\ \sin \Omega t \end{Bmatrix} d\Omega \sim e^{-\gamma t}$$

$\gamma > 0$  for  $\rho(\Omega)$  analytic.

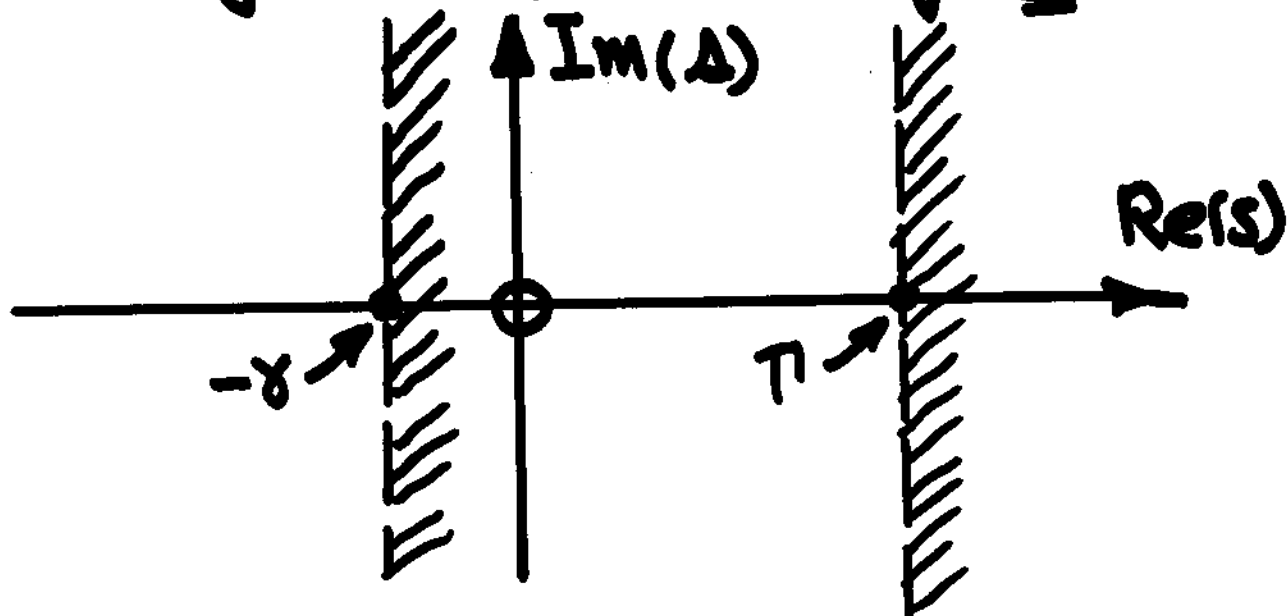
# ANALYTIC CONTINUATION

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{\tilde{M}}(\Delta) &= \left\langle \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sT} \underline{M}_i(T) dT \right\rangle_* \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-sT} \left\langle \underline{M}_i(T) \right\rangle_* dT \quad \text{for } \operatorname{Re}(s) > \sigma > 0\end{aligned}$$

- Reasonable assumption

$$\left\| \left\langle \underline{M}_i(t) \right\rangle_* \right\| < K e^{-\delta t}, \quad \delta > 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Analytic continuation of  $\underline{\tilde{M}}(\Delta)$ :



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# EXAMPLE: A KURAMOTO-TYPE MODEL

$$\underline{x}_i(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_i(t) \\ y_i(t) \end{bmatrix} \quad 2D$$

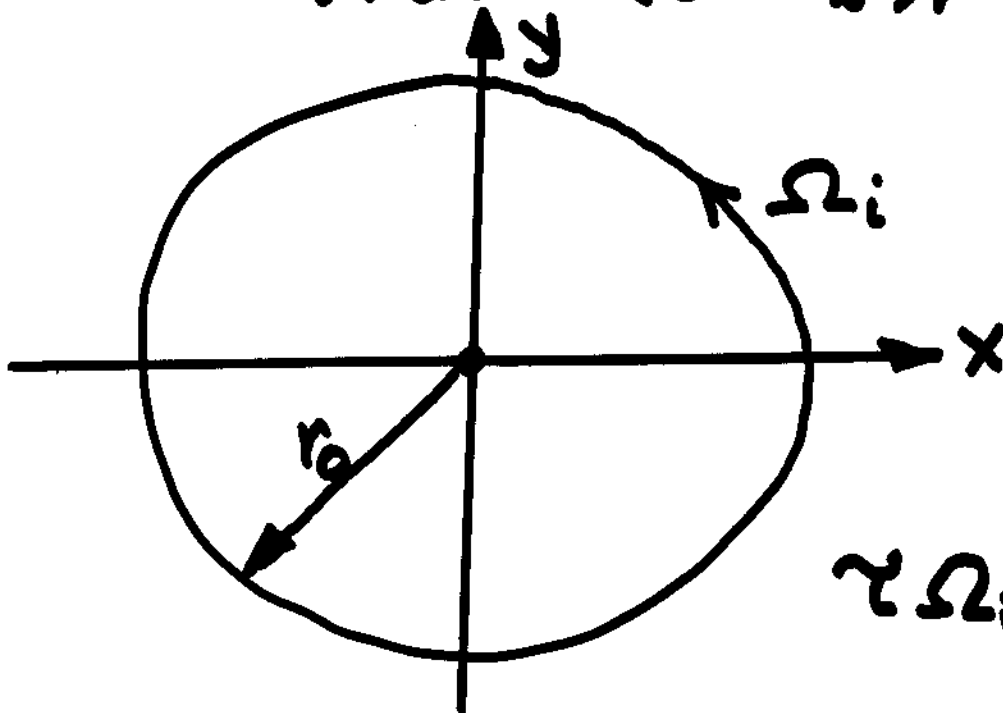
$$dx_i/dt = G^{(x)}(x_i, y_i, \Omega_i) + R(\langle\langle x \rangle\rangle_* - \langle\langle x \rangle\rangle)$$

$$dy_i/dt = G^{(y)}(x_i, y_i, \Omega_i) + R(\langle\langle y \rangle\rangle_* - \langle\langle y \rangle\rangle)$$

In polar coordinates with  $k=0$

$$d\theta_i/dt = \Omega_i$$

$$dr_i/dt = (r_0 - r_i)/\tau$$



$$\tau \Omega_i \ll 1$$

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# STABILITY FOR KURAMOTO MODEL

- Approximation:  $\tau \Omega_i \ll 1 \quad t \gg \tau$
- Infinitesimal orbit perturbation at  $t=0$ :

$$\underline{\Delta}_{0i} = \underline{a}_x dx_{0i} + \underline{a}_y dy_{0i}$$

- At time  $t$  such that  $\frac{2\pi}{\Omega} \gg t \gg \tau$   
 $r \rightarrow r_0, \quad \theta \cong \theta_{0i}$

$$\underline{\Delta}_i(t) \cong \Delta_{0i}^+ \underline{a}_\theta \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{evaluated} \\ \text{at } \theta = \theta_{0i} \end{array}$$

- Subsequently  
 $\underline{\Delta}_i(t) = \Delta_{0i}^+ \underline{a}_\theta \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{evaluated at} \\ \theta = \theta_{0i} + \Omega_i t \end{array}$

- Can evaluate  $\underline{M}_i$  from def.:

$$\begin{bmatrix} dx_i(t) \\ dy_i(t) \end{bmatrix} = \underline{M}_i \begin{bmatrix} dx_{0i} \\ dy_{0i} \end{bmatrix}$$

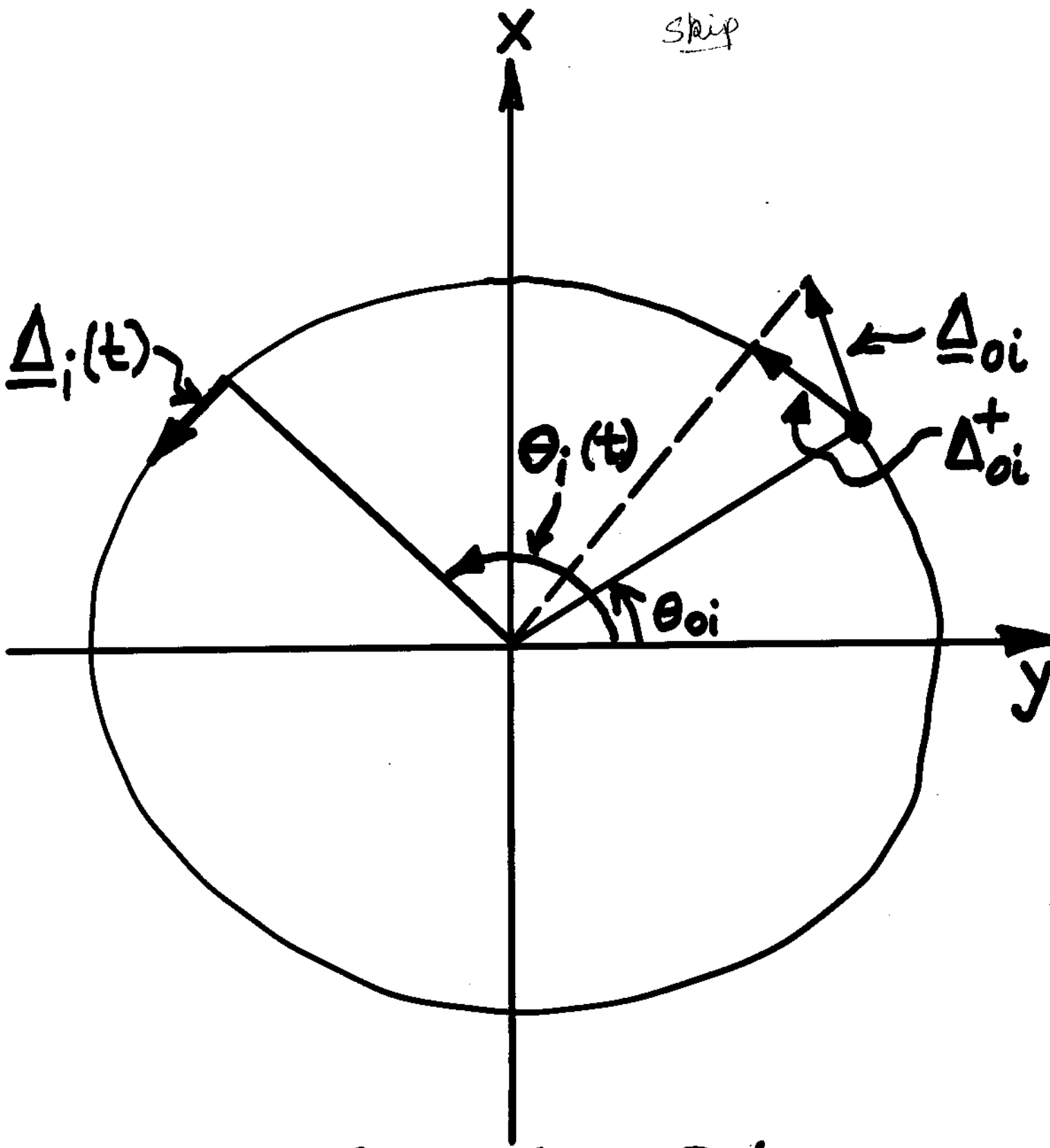
- Average over  $\theta_{0i}$ :  $\Rightarrow \langle \underline{M}_i \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \Omega_i t \dots \\ \sin \Omega_i t \dots \end{bmatrix}^*$

- Dispersion

Relation:

$$1 + \frac{k}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{\rho(\Omega) d\Omega}{s \pm i\Omega} = 0$$

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$$\theta_i(t) = \theta_{oi} + \Omega_i t$$

$$\underline{\Delta}_{oi} = \begin{pmatrix} dx_{oi} \\ dy_{oi} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\Delta}_i(t) = \begin{pmatrix} dx_i(t) \\ dy_i(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

# Numerical Implementation

$x$ -equation of Lorentz ensemble:

$$\dot{x}_i = \sigma(y_i - x_i) - k \langle x \rangle$$

Dispersion function:

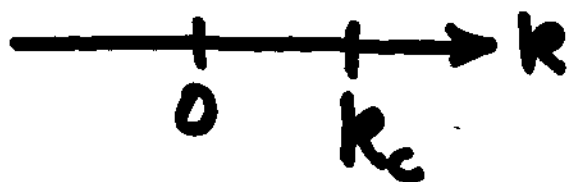
$$D(\Delta) = 1 \mp k \tilde{M}_{11}(\Delta) = 0$$

Marginal stability:  $\Delta = -i\omega$

$$1 \mp k \tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega) = 0$$

$$\text{Im} \tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega) = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = \omega_*$$

$$k_c = +1 / \tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega_*)$$



Perturb around  $k_c$ :  $k = k_c + \delta k$

$$s = -i(\omega_* + \delta\omega) + \gamma \quad (\gamma, \delta\omega, \delta k \text{ small})$$

$$\gamma = -\frac{\delta k}{(k_c)^2} \frac{\text{Im} \partial \tilde{M}_{11} / \partial \omega}{|\partial \tilde{M}_{11} / \partial \omega|^2}$$

# Methods for Evaluating $\tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega)$

- Displace orbits in the ensemble by a small amount. Look at relaxation of centroid back to its equilibrium position. Take Laplace (or Fourier) transform.

•  $\tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega)$  is

(response to  $\Delta e^{-i\omega t}$ )  $\div$  ( $\Delta e^{-i\omega t}$ )

$$dx_i^{c,s} / dt = \sigma (y_i^{c,s} - x_i^{c,s}) + \Delta \begin{cases} \cos \omega t \\ \sin \omega t \end{cases}$$

$$\tilde{M}_{11}(-i\omega) \approx \Delta^{-1} e^{i\omega t} \langle\langle x_i^c - i x_i^s \rangle\rangle$$

- For hyperbolic chaotic attractors the measure can be expressed via an average over unstable periodic orbits embedded in the attractor.

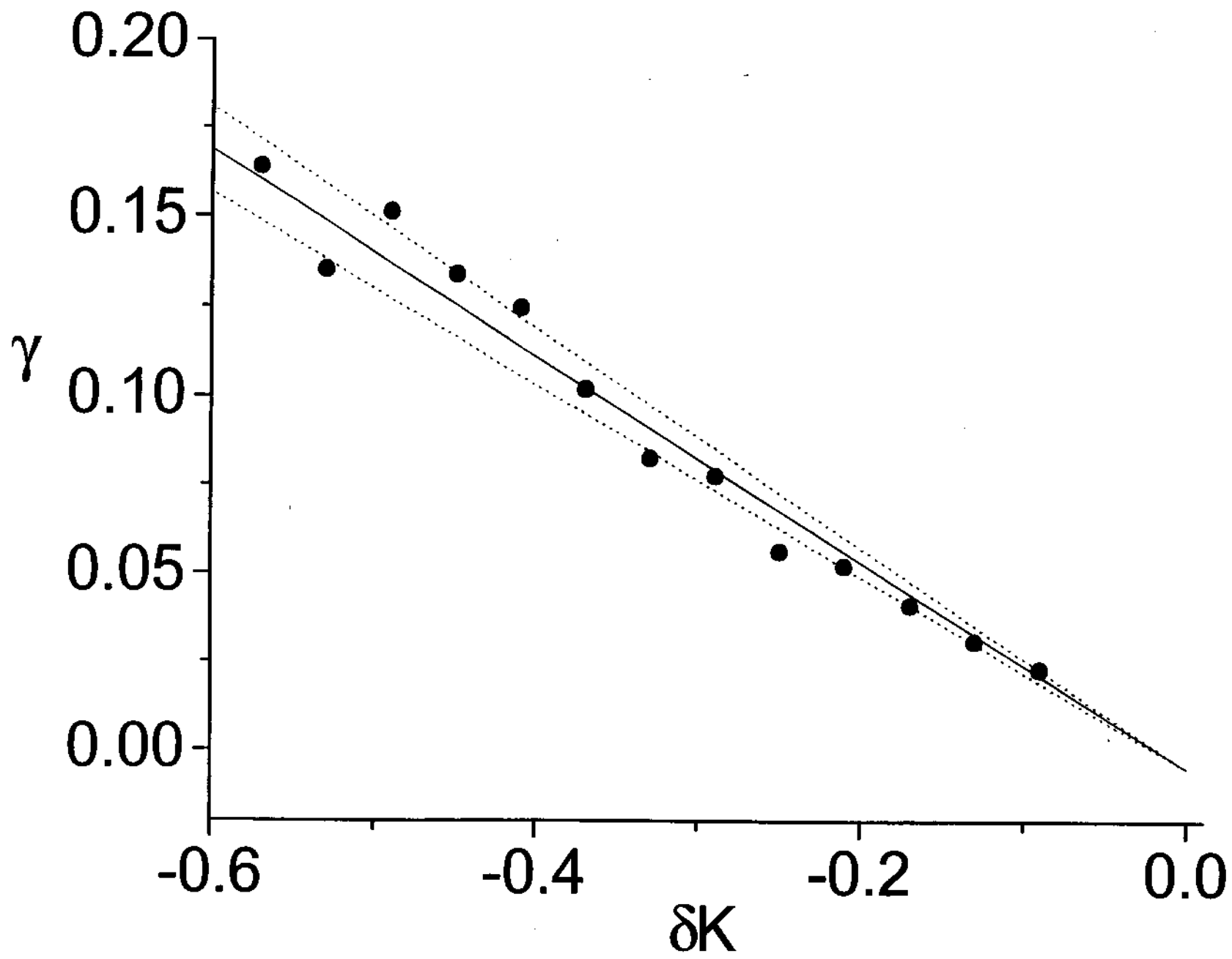


Fig. 16

# CONCLUSION

- Useful formalism for the study of globally coupled ensembles of dynamical systems.
- Applies to periodic, chaotic and "mixed" ensembles.