

Correlated Resetting Gas

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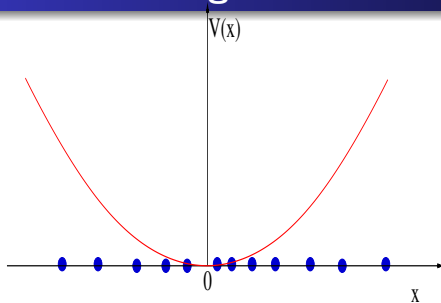
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- Correlated gas in **nonequilibrium** stationary state created by **resetting**
- Exact results for various observables:
 - Average density
 - Extreme and Order statistics
 - Gap statistics
 - Full Counting statistics
- Summary and Conclusion

One dimensional **Correlated Gas** In Thermal **Equilibrium**

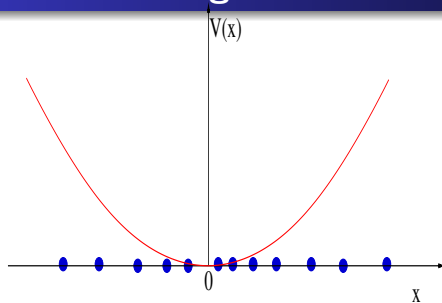
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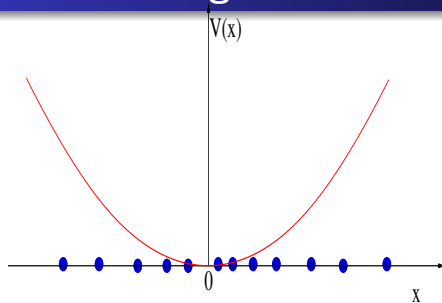
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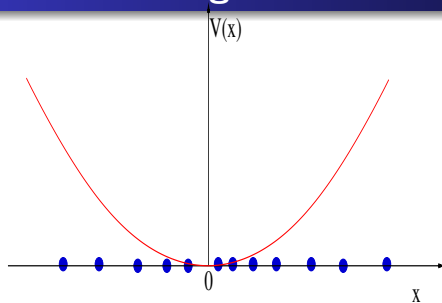
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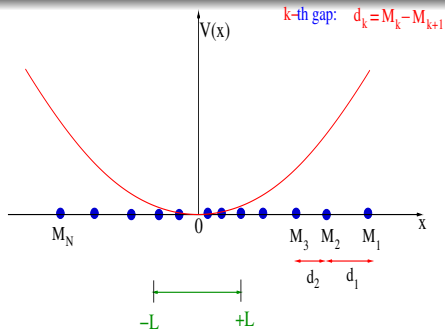
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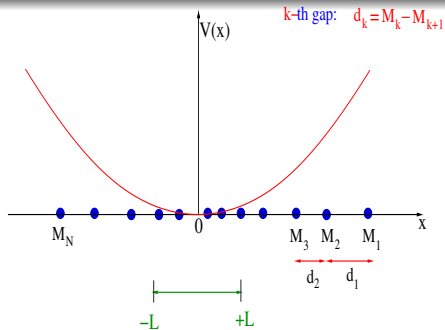
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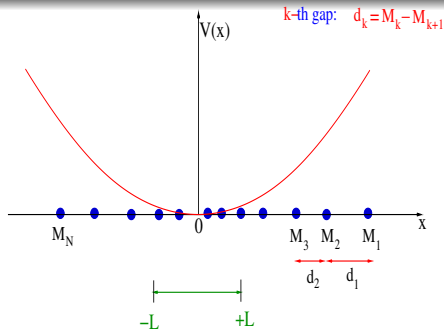


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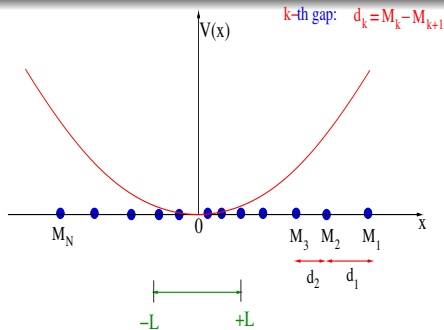


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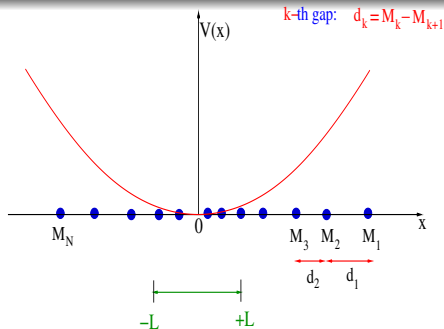


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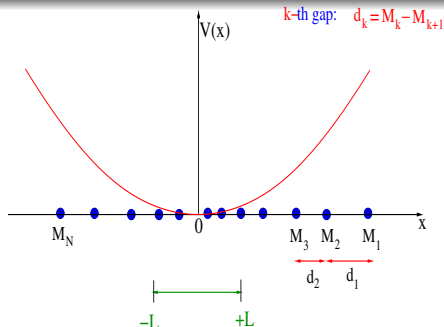
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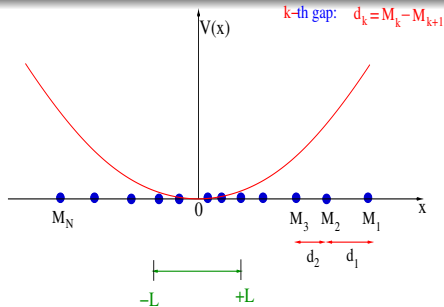
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Generally hard to compute for a **correlated/interacting** gas !

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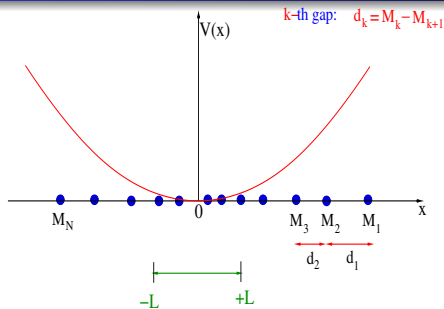
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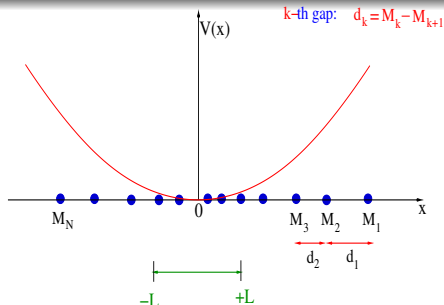
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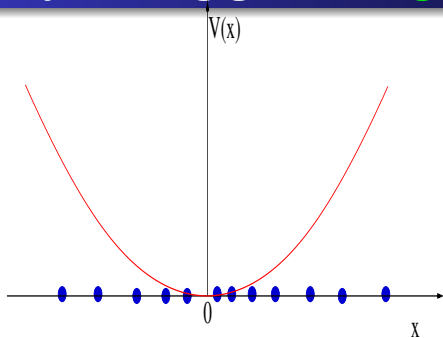
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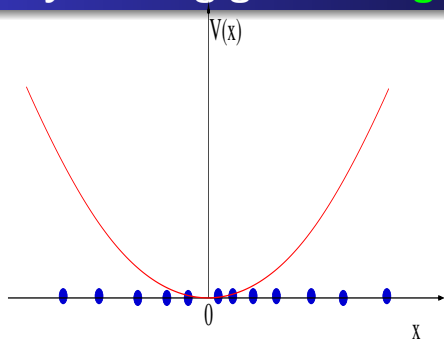


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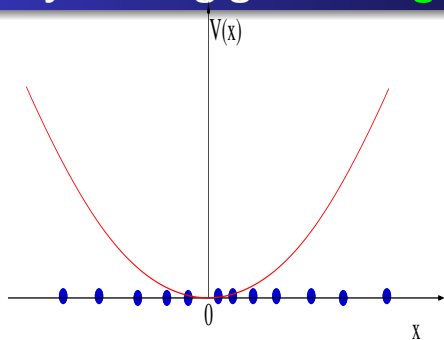
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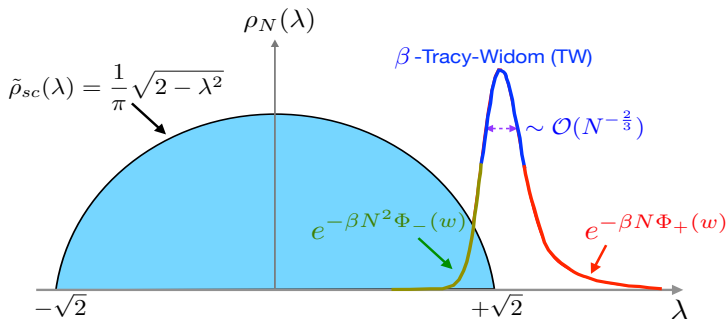
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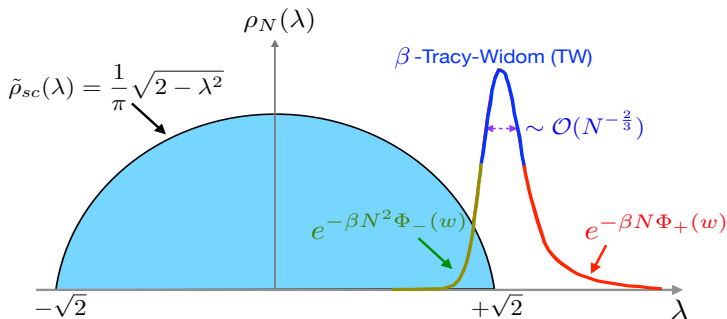
Hence one can identify the eigenvalues $\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N\} \equiv \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$ as the positions of a 1-d gas of N particles with pairwise log-repulsion with $\beta = 2$ (Dyson, 1962)

Most of the observables can be computed exactly \Rightarrow not that **easy** !

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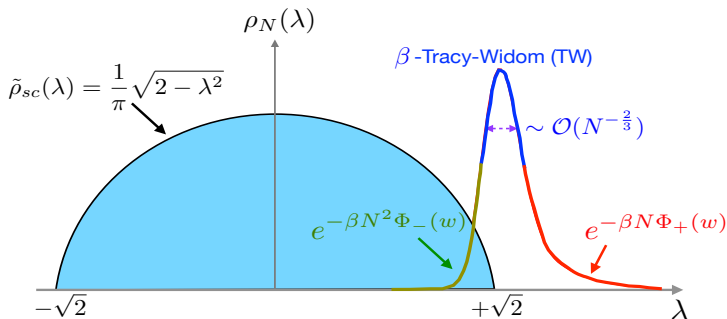


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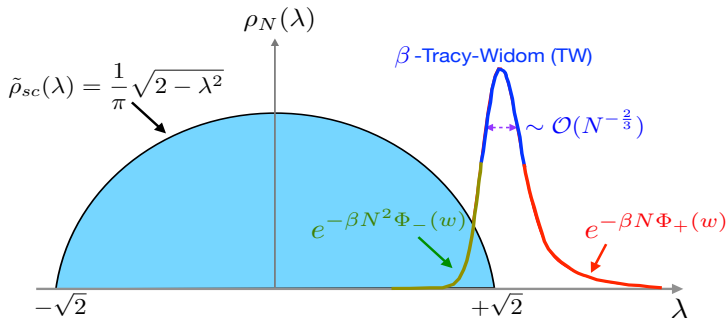
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Similarly, other observables are also known \implies huge literature

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- Even if one can determine $P_{\text{st}}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$ explicitly, computing observables such as **average density**, **extreme/order statistics**, **gap statistics**, **full counting statistics** etc. are typically **very hard** due to the presence of **strong correlations**

In search of interacting many-body systems

- Are in a Nonequilibrium Stationary State
- Are Strongly Correlated
- Are still Exactly Solvable for different physical observables:
 - average density
 - extreme value statistics
 - gap statistics
 - full counting statistics

Strongly correlated gas in a **Nonequilibrium** Stationary State

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Stochastic Resetting \Rightarrow explosion of activities

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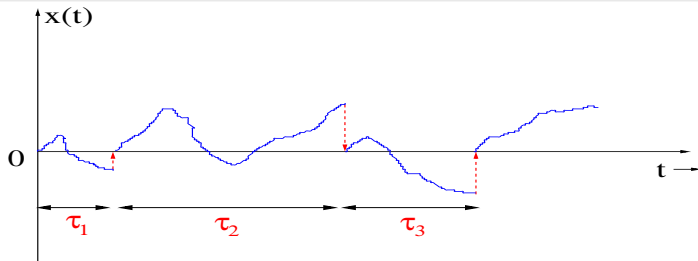
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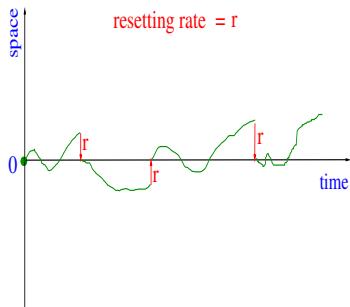
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Stochastic Resetting in a nutshell



- **Natural** dynamics \Rightarrow deterministic/stochastic/classical/quantum
- **Resetting** at random times and then natural dynamics restarts afresh
- Intervals $\{\tau_1, \tau_2, \tau_3, \dots\}$ between **resettings** $\Rightarrow p(\tau)$ independently
 \Rightarrow **renewal** process
- If $p(\tau) = r e^{-r\tau} \Rightarrow$ Poissonian resetting

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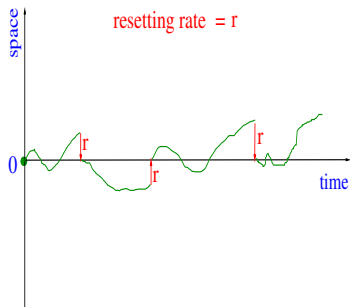


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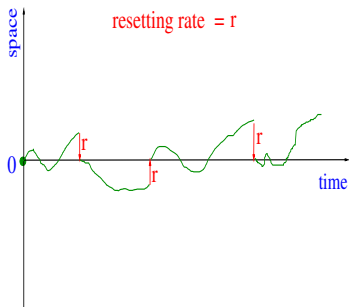
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Dynamics: In a small time interval Δt

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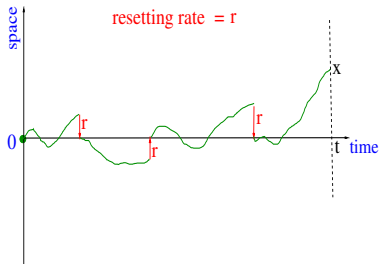
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$$= x(t) + \eta(t) \Delta t \quad \text{with prob. } 1 - r\Delta t \quad (\text{diffusion})$$

$\eta(t) \rightarrow$ Gaussian white noise: $\langle \eta(t) \rangle = 0$ and $\langle \eta(t)\eta(t') \rangle = 2D\delta(t - t')$

[M.R. Evans & S.M., PRL, 106, 160601 (2011)]

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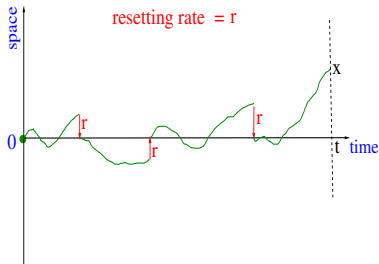


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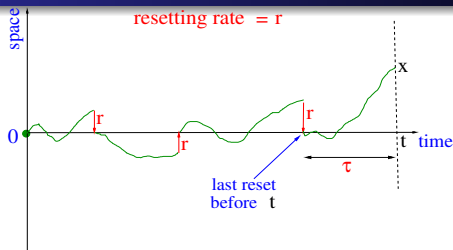
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This **linear** equation can be solved at all **t** exactly by Fourier transform

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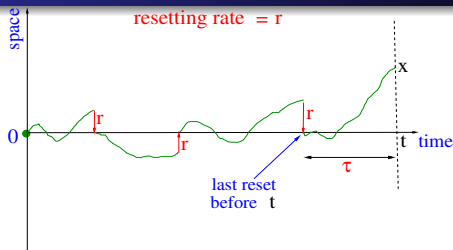


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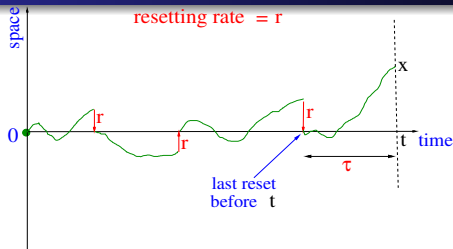
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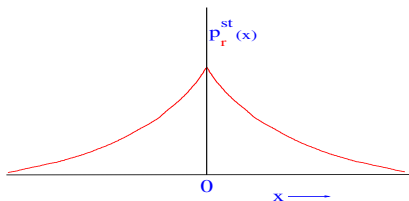
- As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $p_r^{\text{st}}(x) = r \int_0^\infty p_0(x, \tau) e^{-r\tau} d\tau = \frac{\alpha_0}{2} \exp[-\alpha_0 |x|]$
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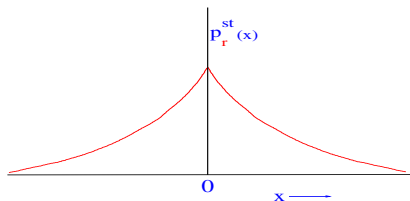
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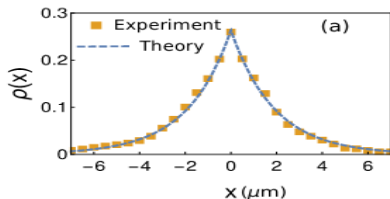
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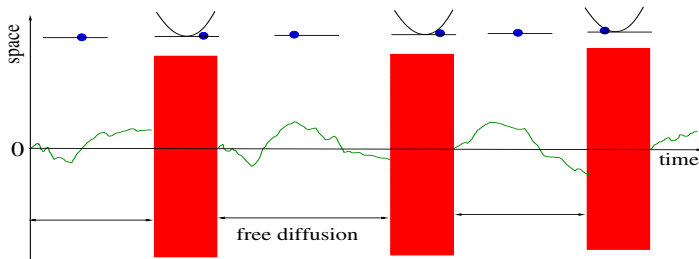
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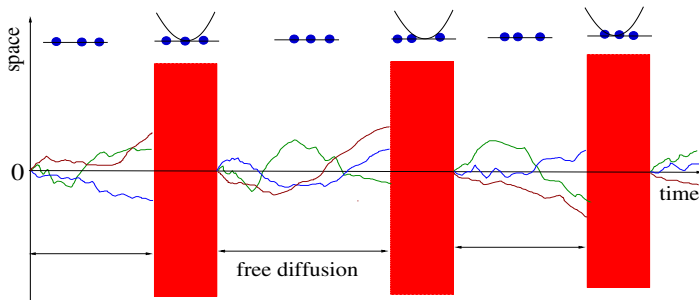
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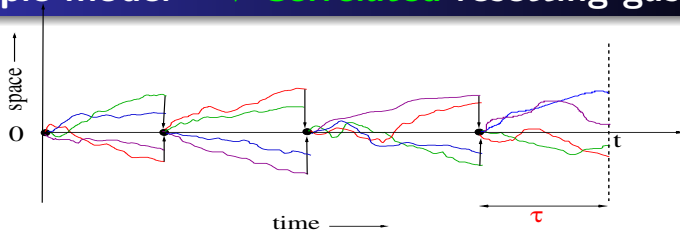
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Resetting Brownian Gas

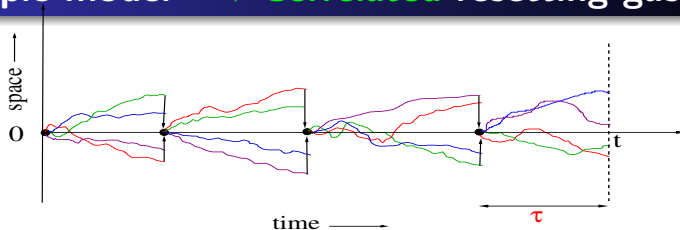
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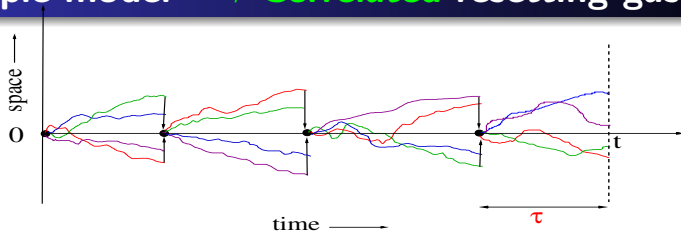
Joint distribution at any time t :

$$P_r(\{x_i\}, t) = e^{-rt} \prod_{i=1}^N p_0(x_i, t) + r \int_0^t d\tau e^{-r\tau} \prod_{i=1}^N p_0(x_i, \tau)$$

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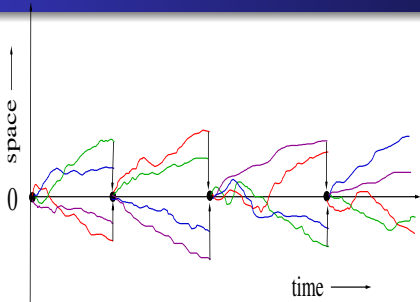
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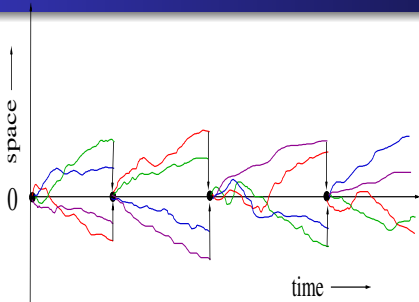
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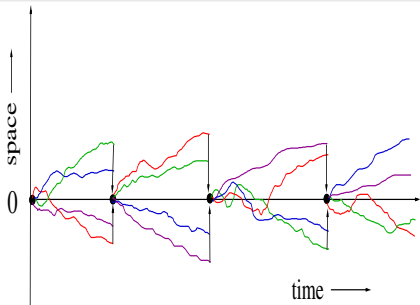
The gas is **strongly** correlated in the **NESS**

For any pair $i \neq j$:

While $\langle x_i x_j \rangle - \langle x_i \rangle \langle x_j \rangle = 0$ by **symmetry**

$\langle x_i^2 x_j^2 \rangle - \langle x_i^2 \rangle \langle x_j^2 \rangle = 4 \frac{D^2}{r^2} \Rightarrow$ **attractive all-to-all** interaction

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The stationary joint distribution has a **CIID** structure \Rightarrow Solvable

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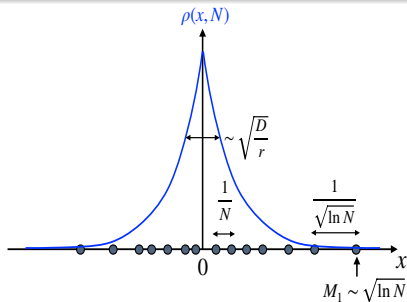
Examples:

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Explicit Results

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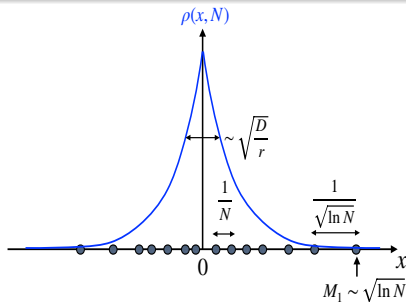
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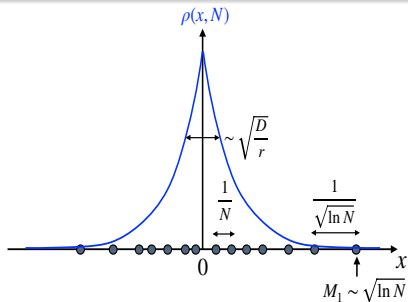
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\Rightarrow same as the **single** particle position distribution

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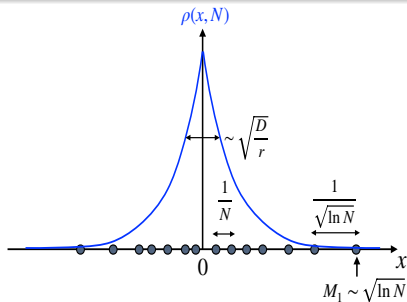
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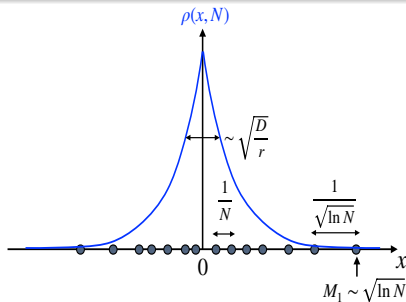
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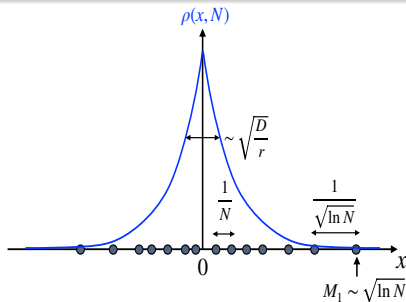
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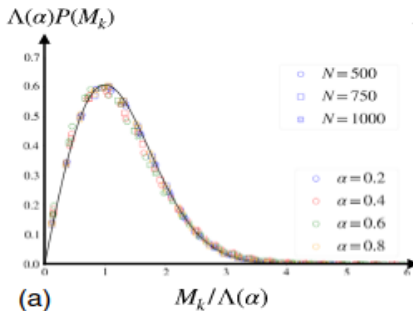
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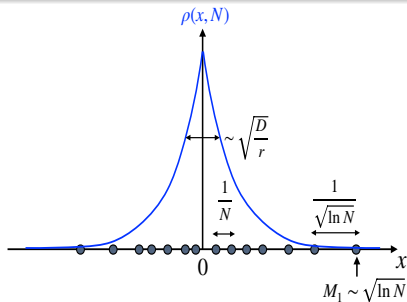


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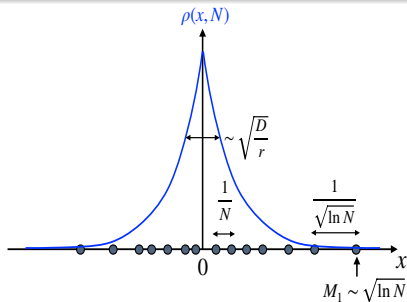
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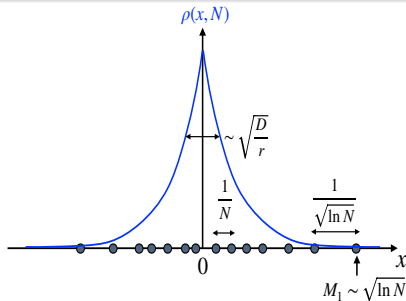
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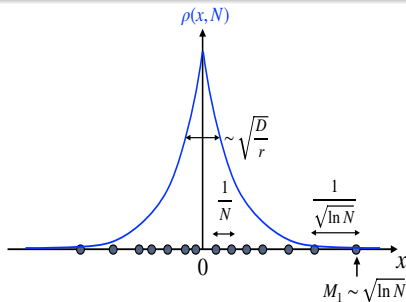
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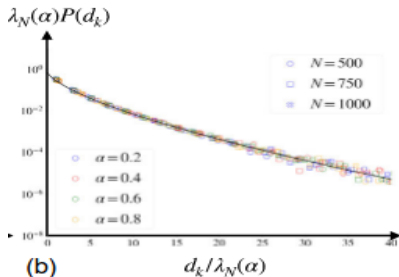
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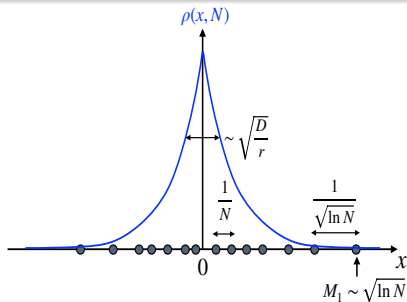
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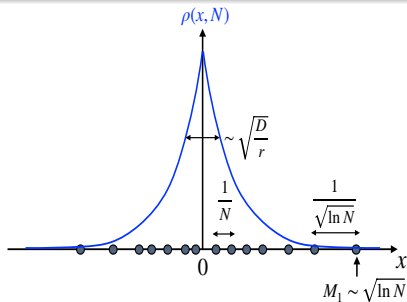


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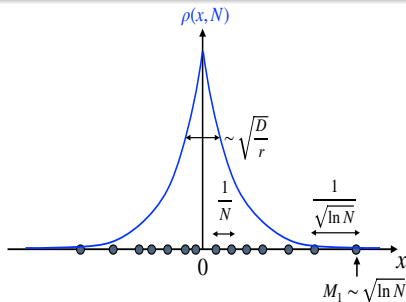
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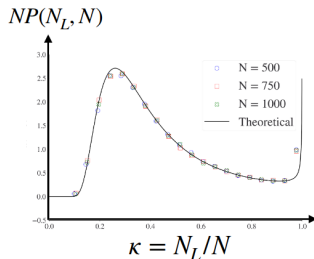
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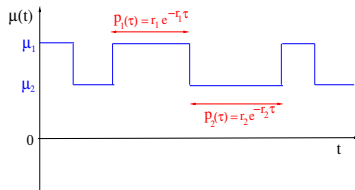
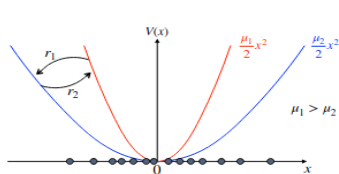
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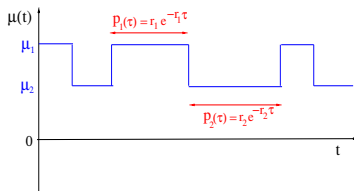
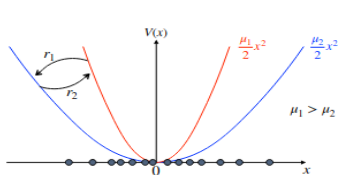
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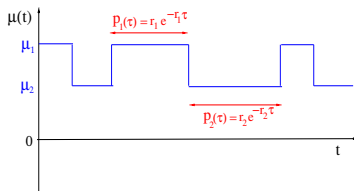
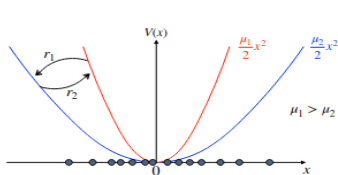


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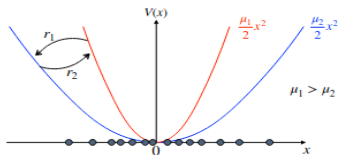
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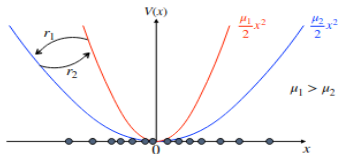


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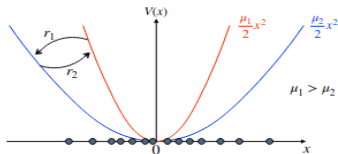
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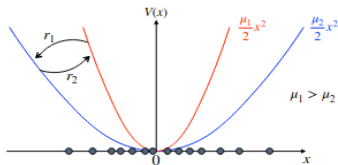
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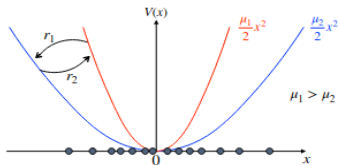
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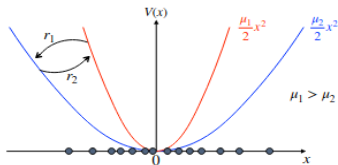
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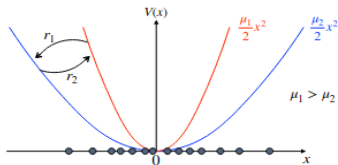
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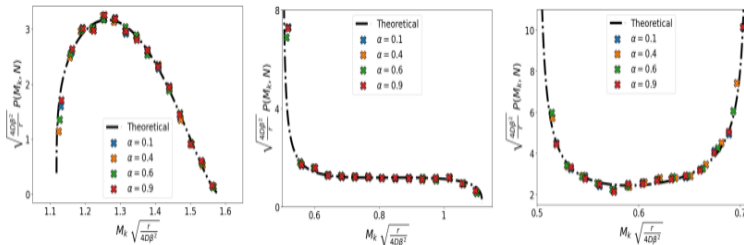
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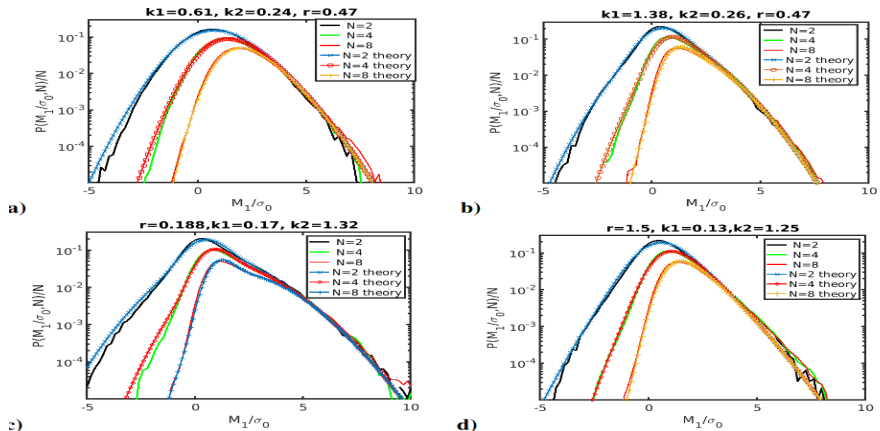


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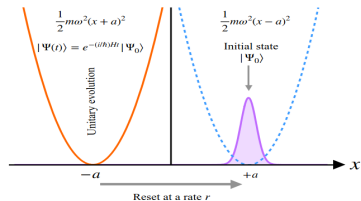
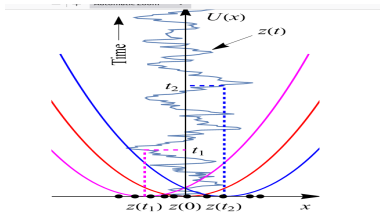
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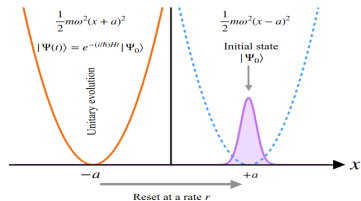
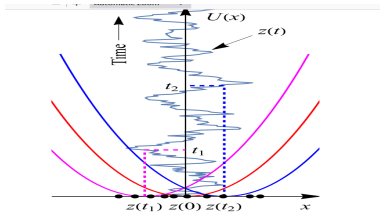
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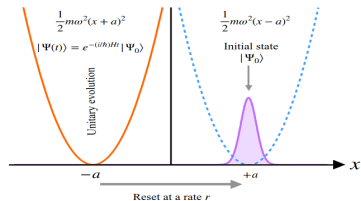
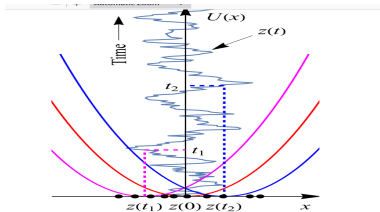


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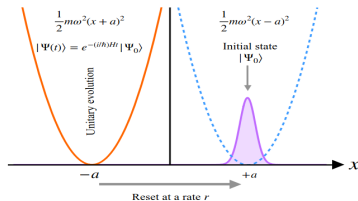
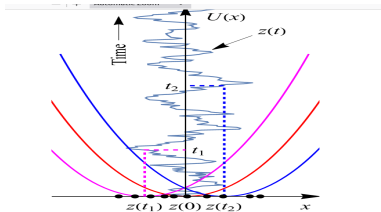
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Summary and Conclusion

- A simple **solvable** model of a **correlated** gas of N diffusing particles in their **nonequilibrium** stationary state driven by **simultaneous** stochastic resetting
- The **NESS** has a **CIID** structure
 - ⇒ Several physical observables are **exactly** computable and have rich interesting behaviors, despite being a **strongly correlated** system
- Easily generalisable to a whole new class of **solvable** correlated gases in their **nonequilibrium** stationary state → **ballistic** particles, **Lévy** flights, particles in a **switching harmonic potential** etc.
 - ⇒ all have this **CIID** structure ⇒ **Exactly solvable**

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