

# Stochastic Arnold diffusion of deterministic systems

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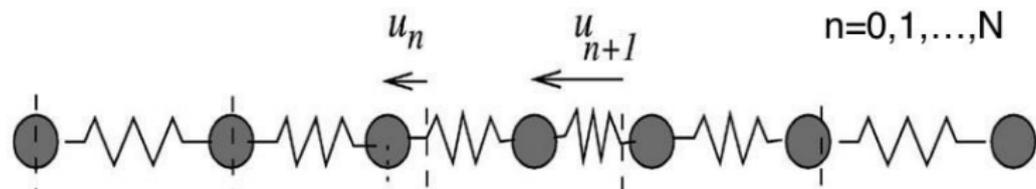
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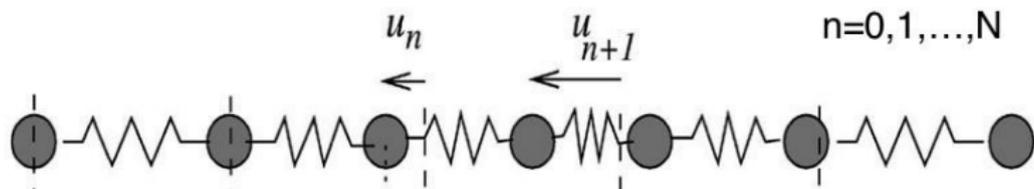
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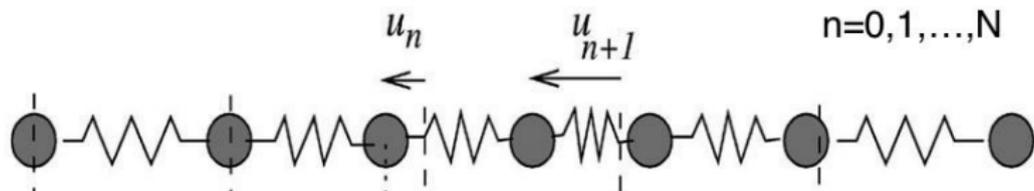
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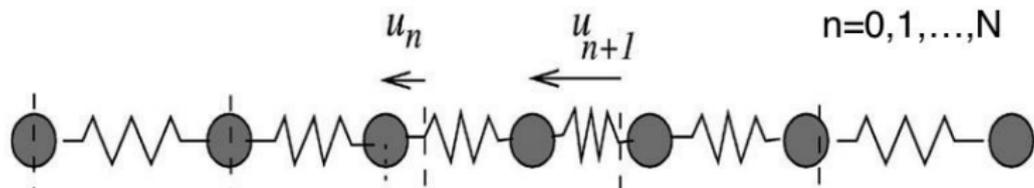
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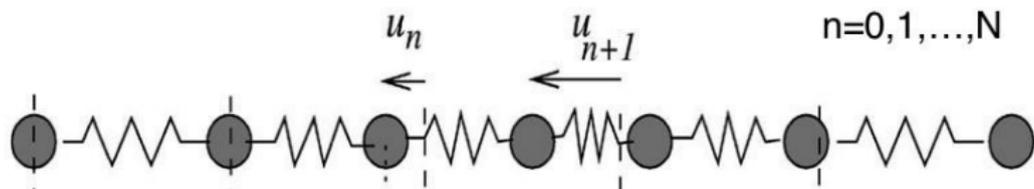
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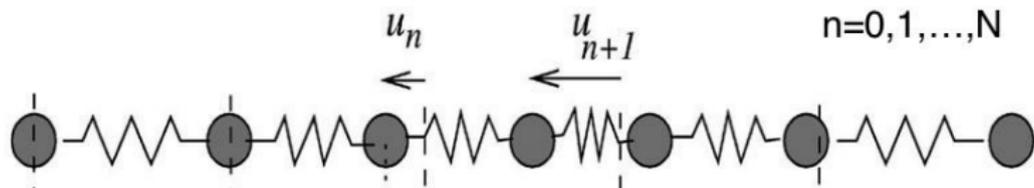
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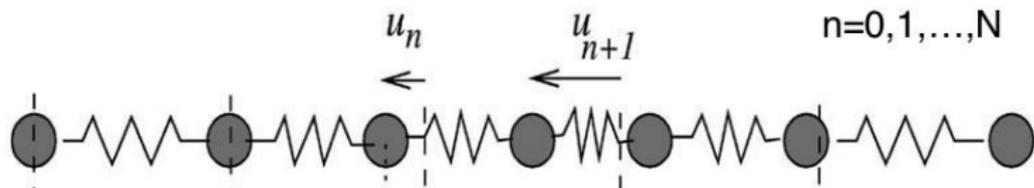
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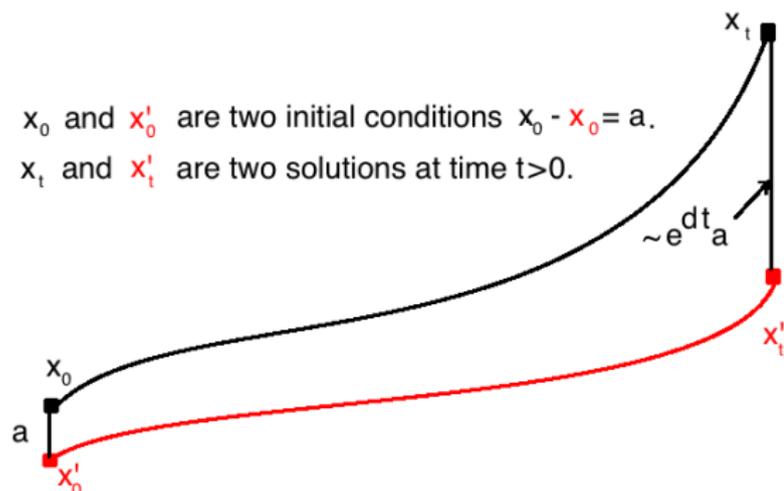
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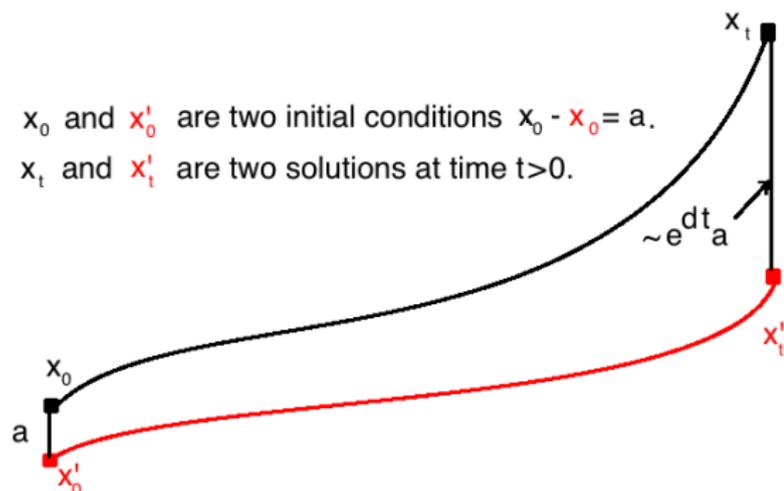


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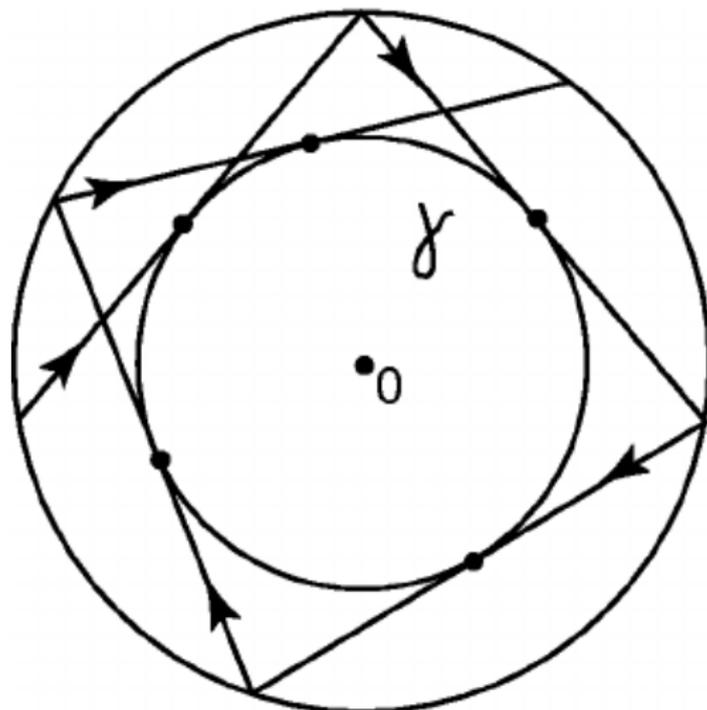
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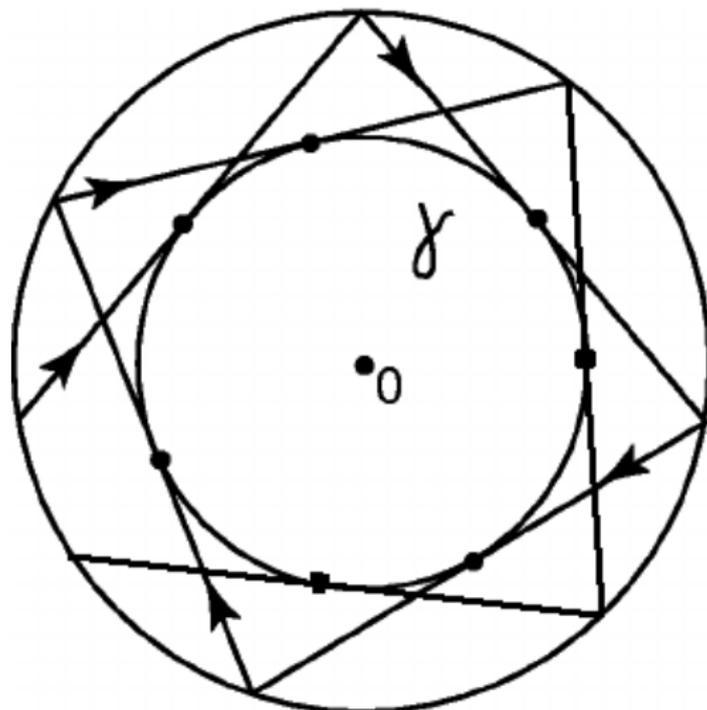
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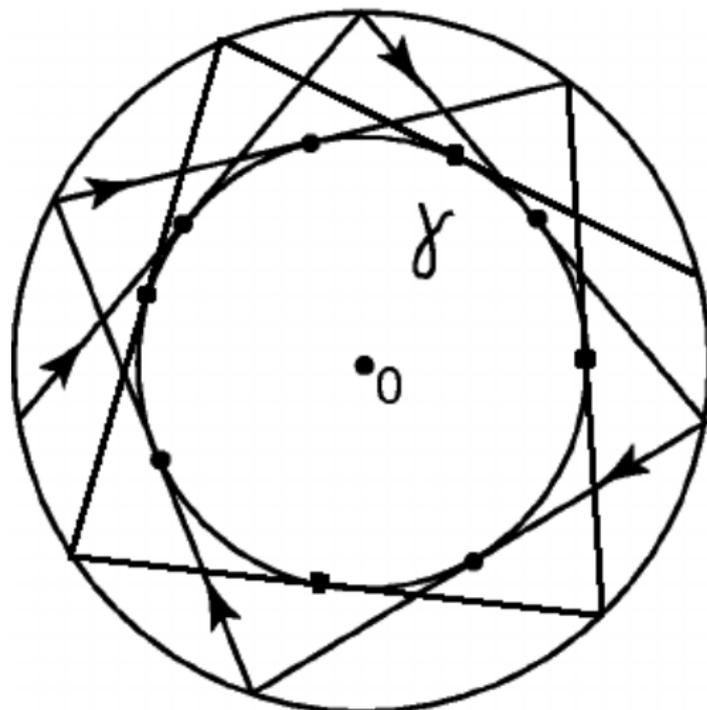
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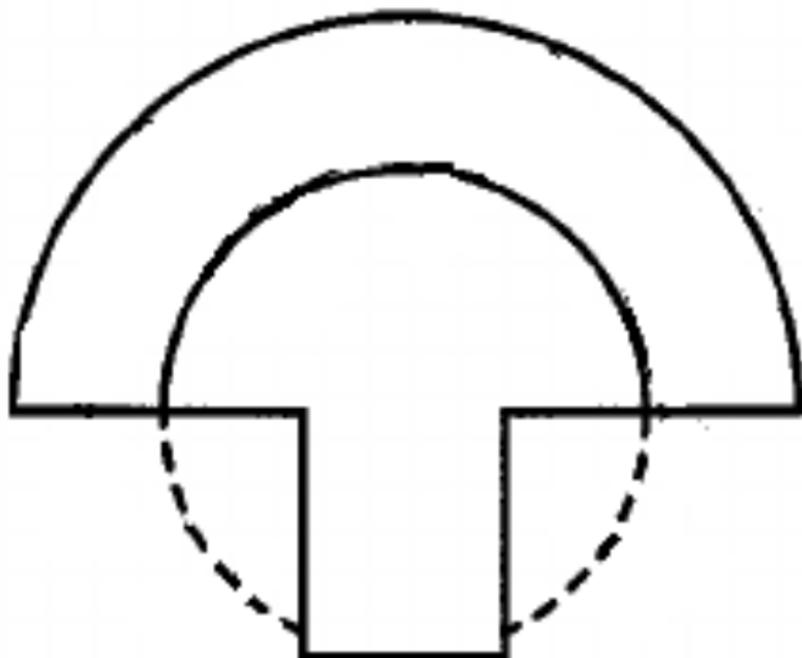
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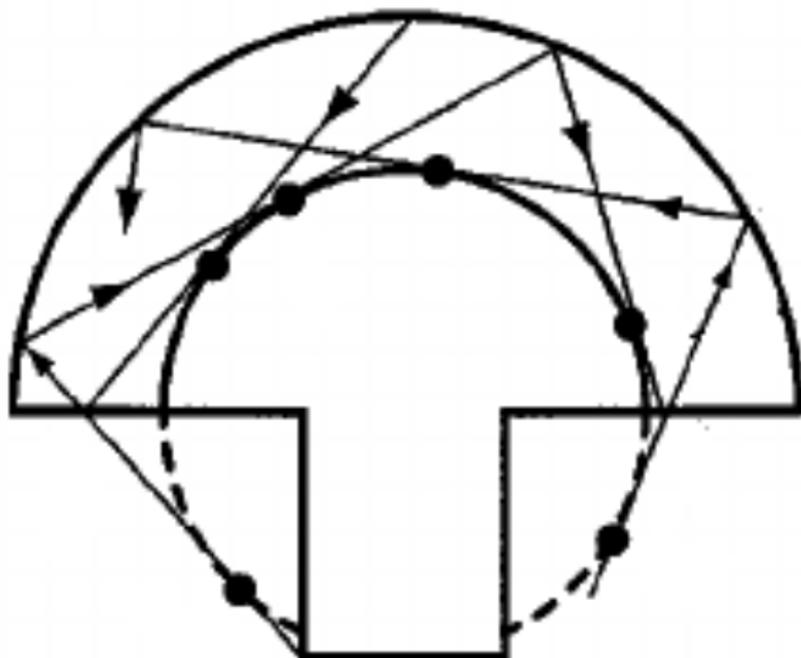
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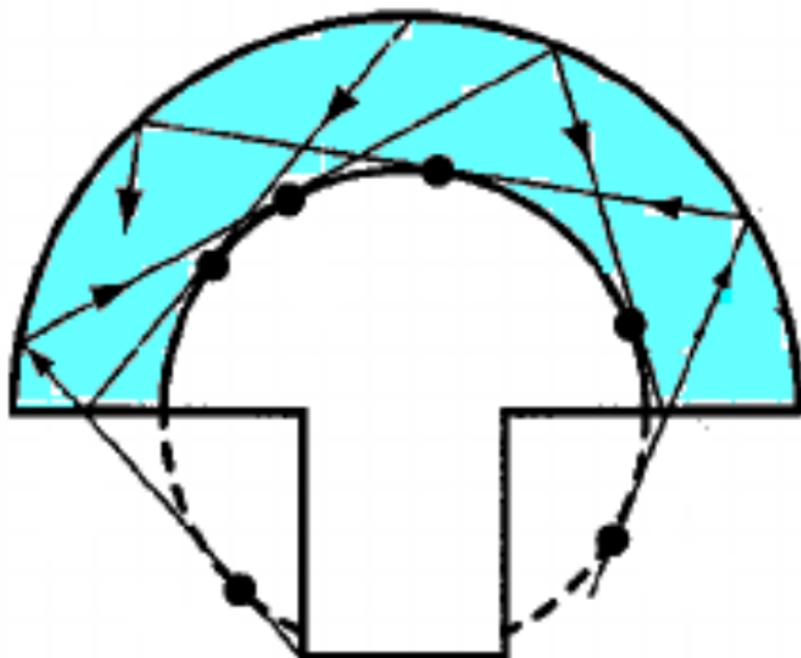
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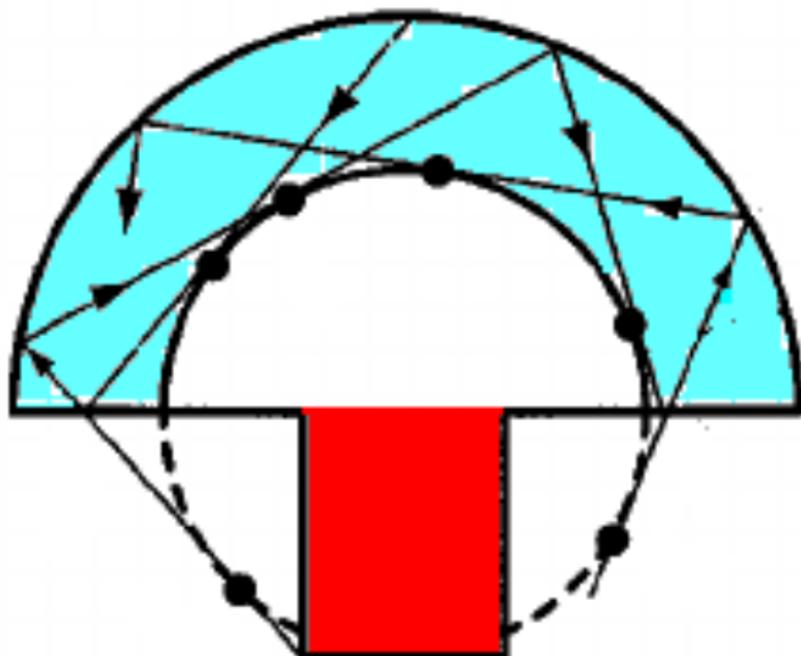
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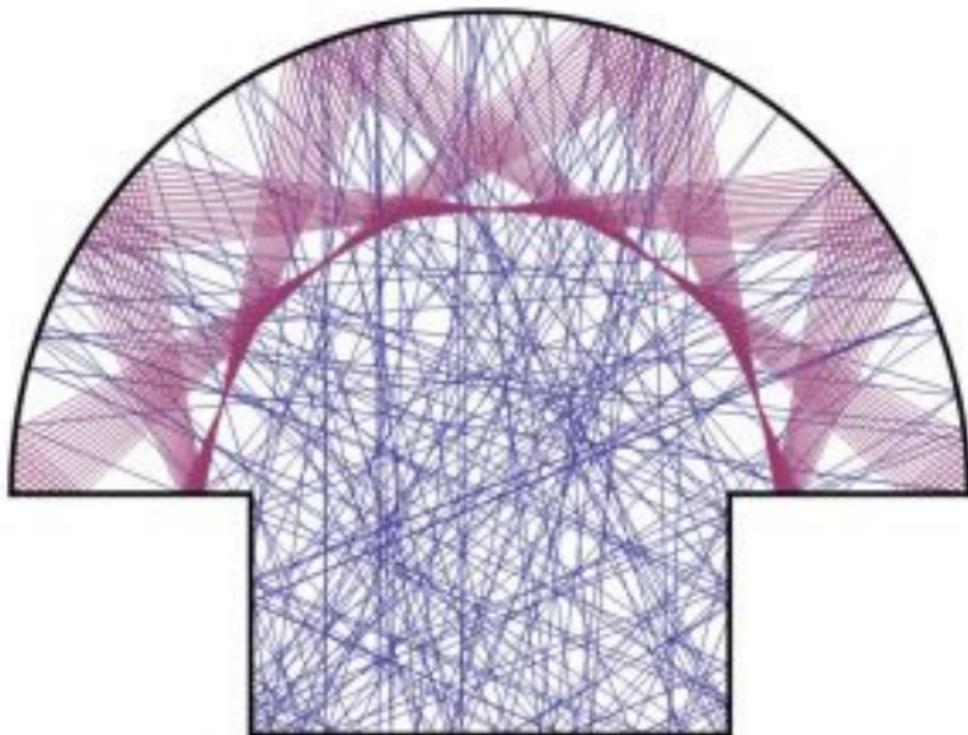
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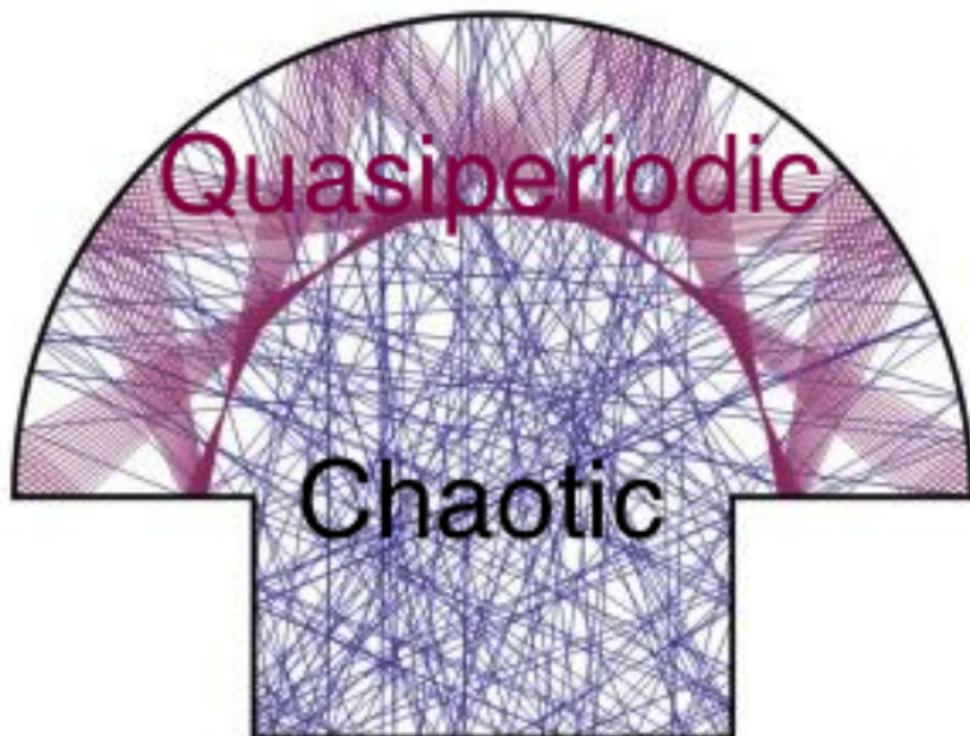


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By Pallab Ghosh  
Science correspondent, BBC News

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"It will be complete devastation," said Professor Laskar.

"The planet is coming in at 10km per second - 10 times the speed of a bullet - and of course Mars is much more massive than a bullet."

Professor Laskar's calculations also show that there is a possibility of Mercury crashing into Venus. But in that scenario, the Earth would not be significantly affected.



Figure: Venus and Earth collide

# Laskar simulations on instability of the Solar system



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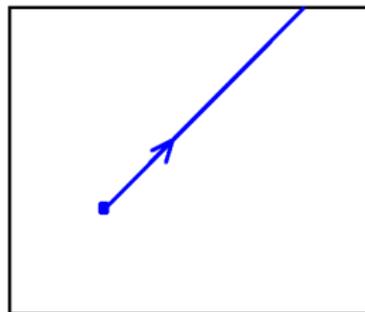
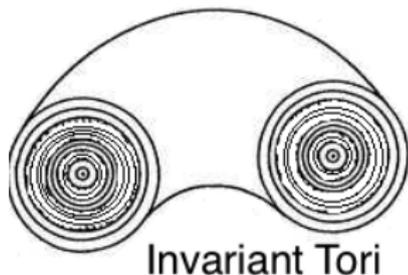
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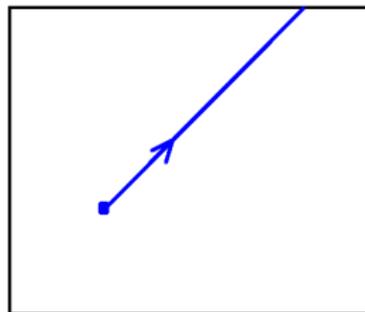
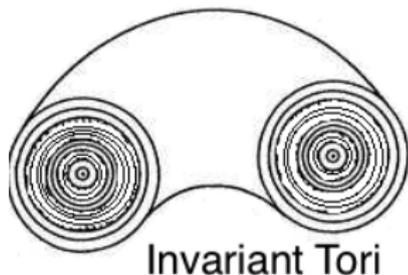
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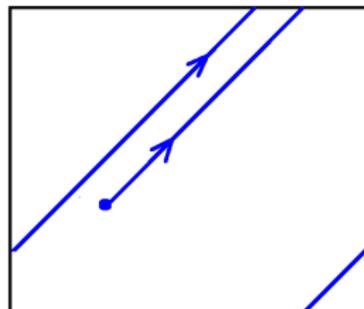
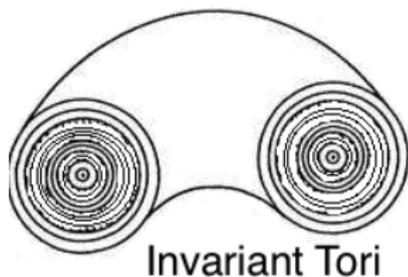
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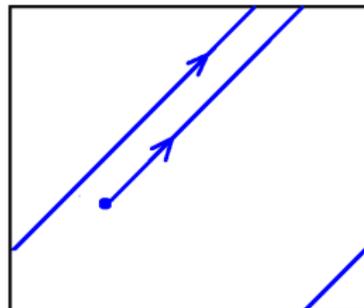
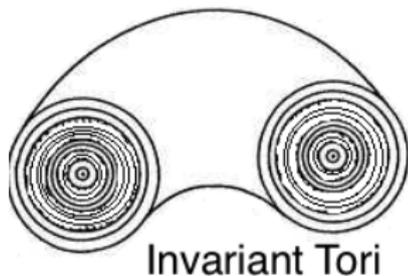
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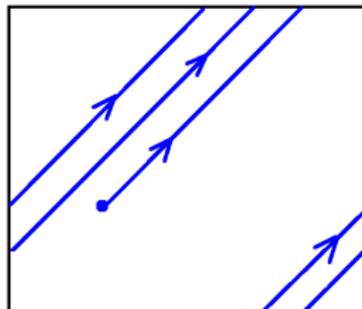
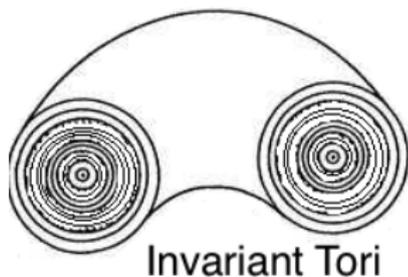
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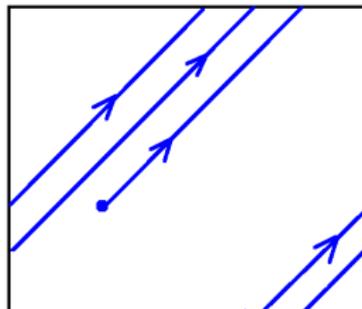
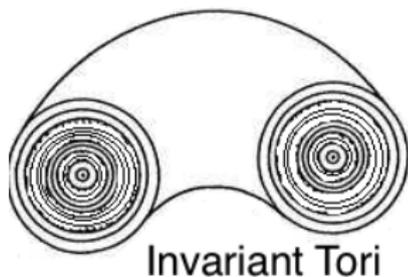
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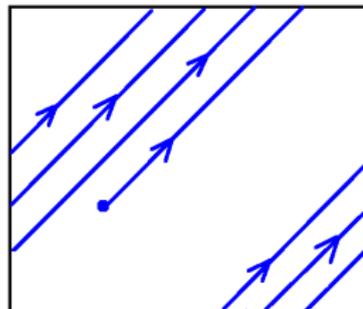
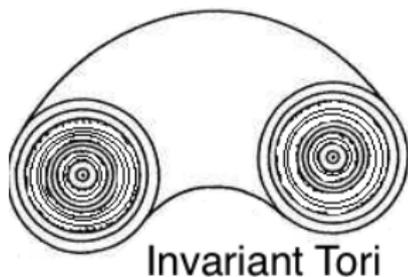
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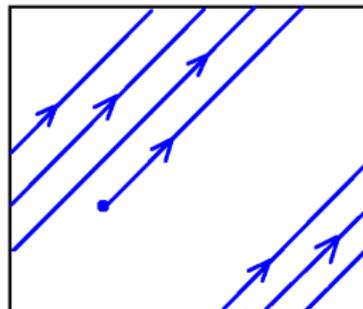
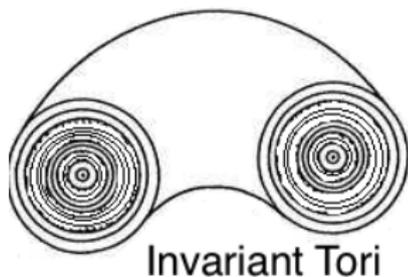
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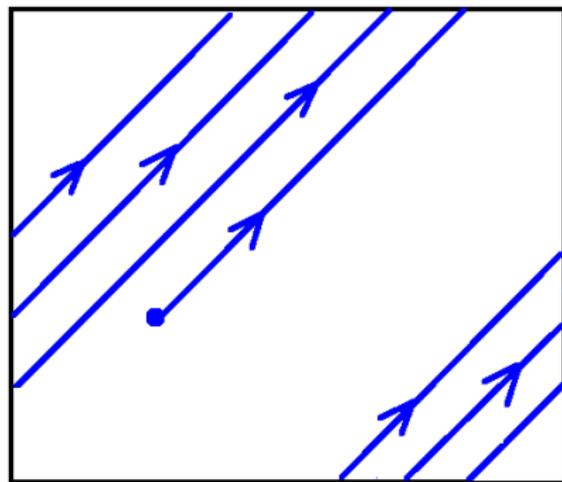
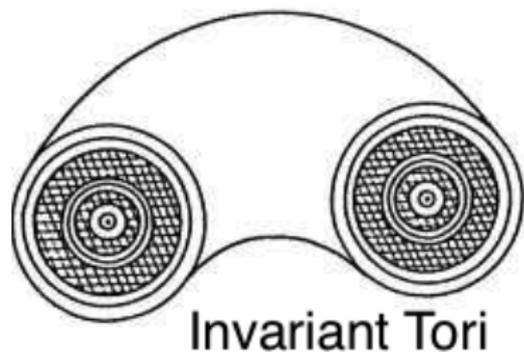
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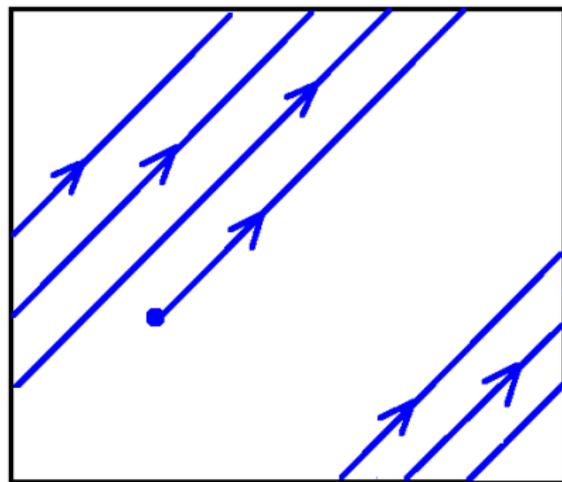
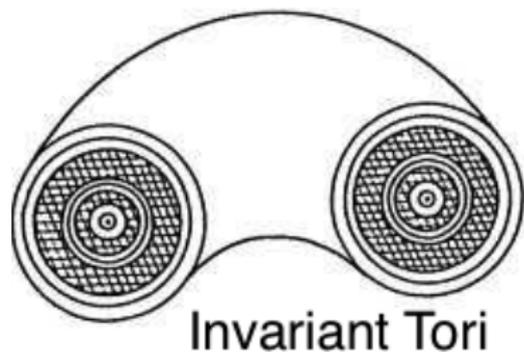
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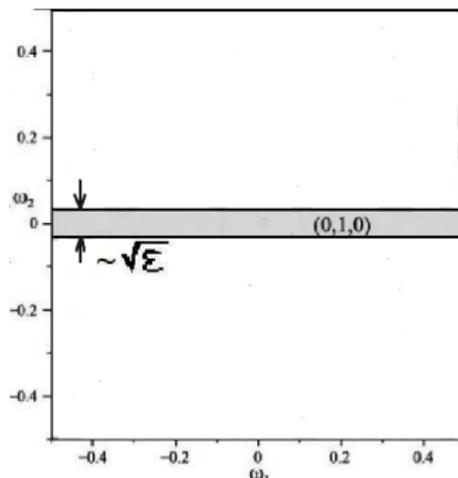
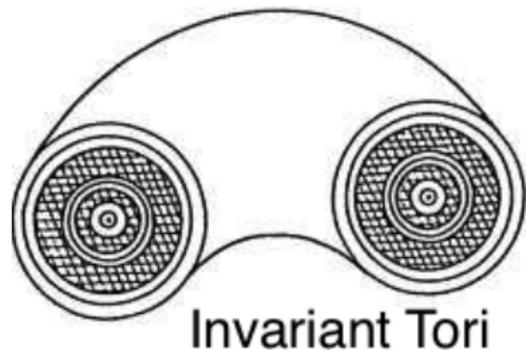
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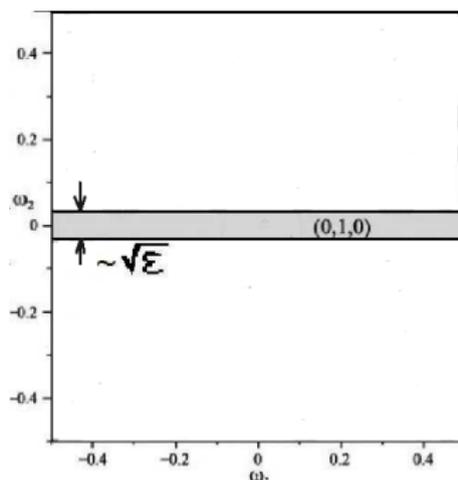
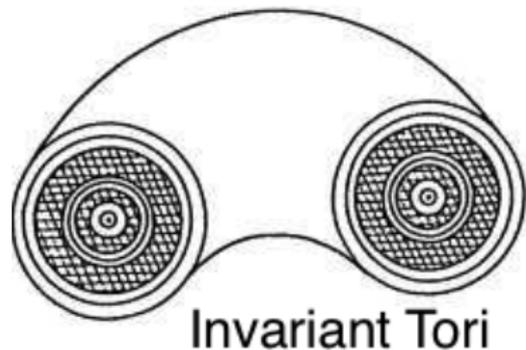
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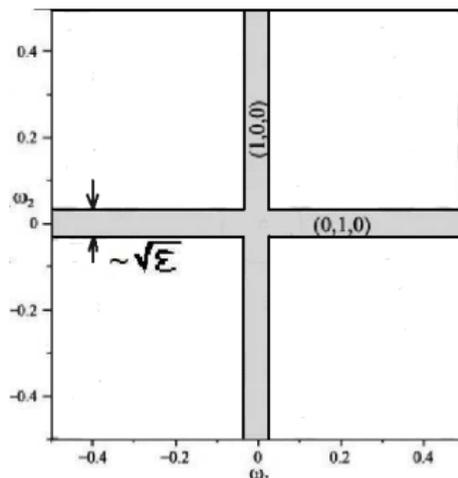
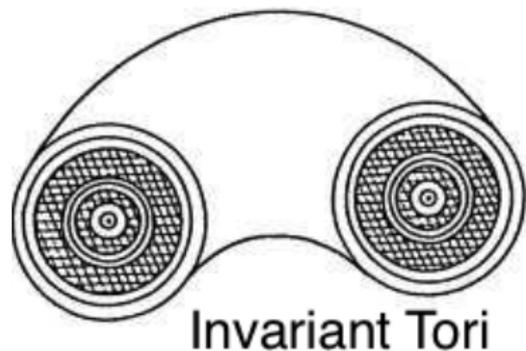
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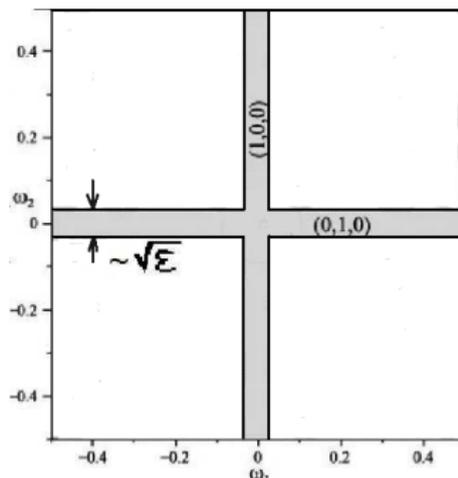
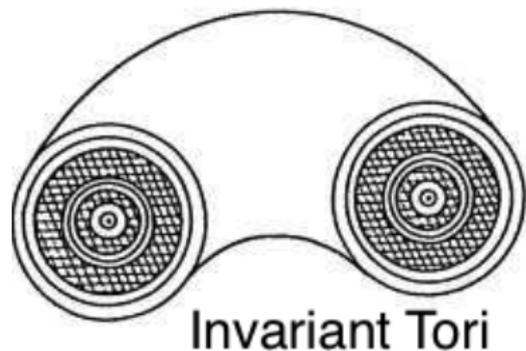
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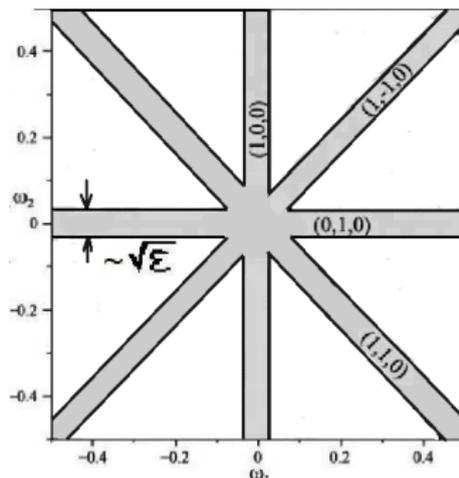
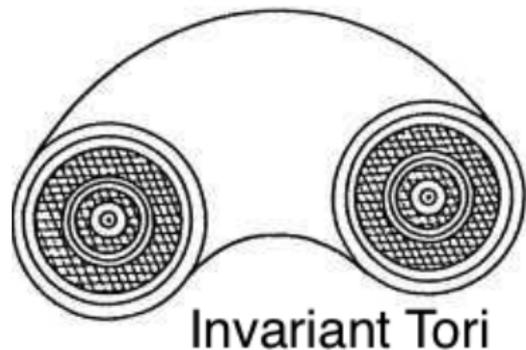
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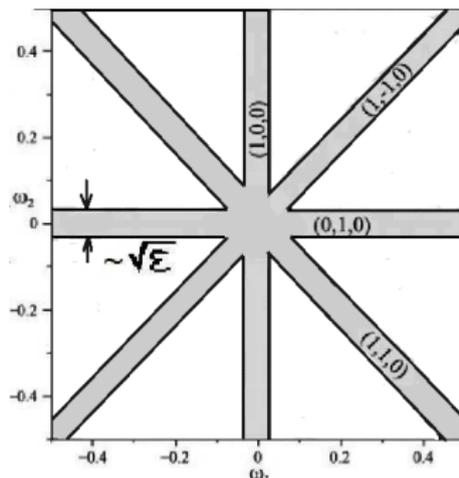
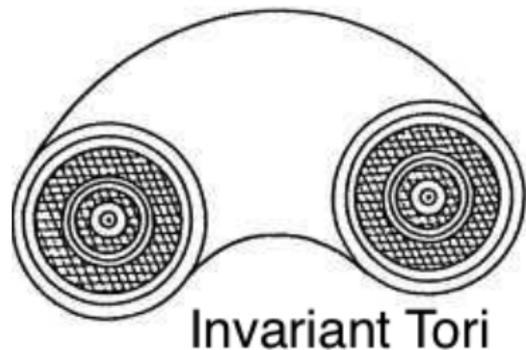
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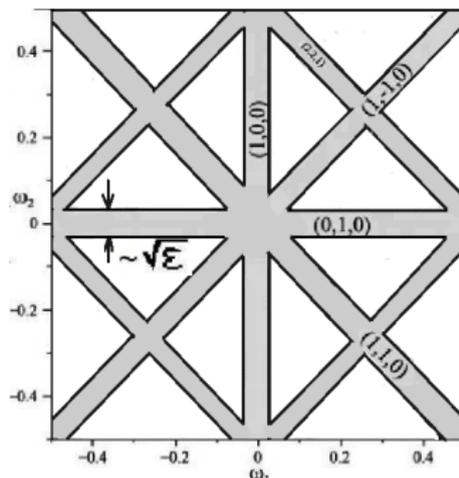
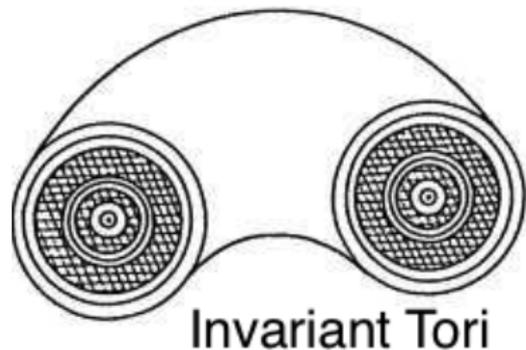




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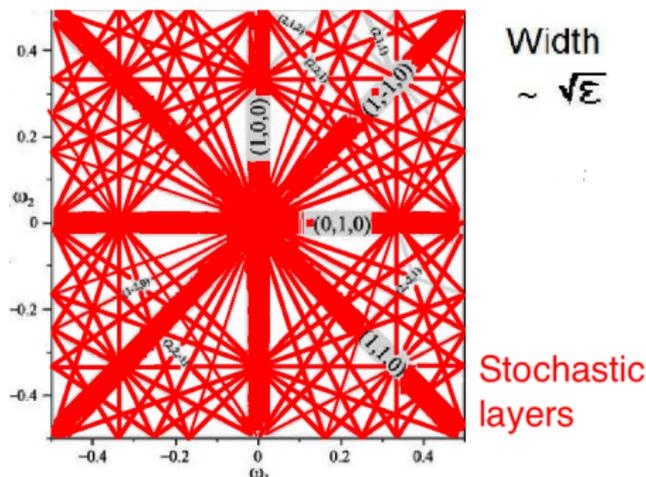
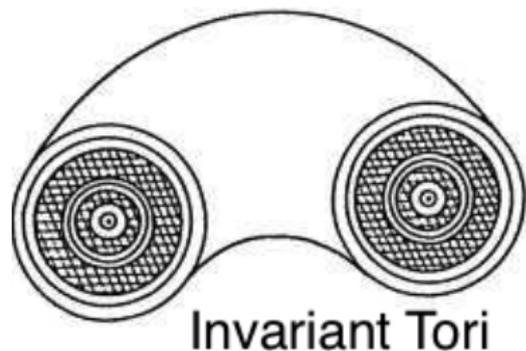
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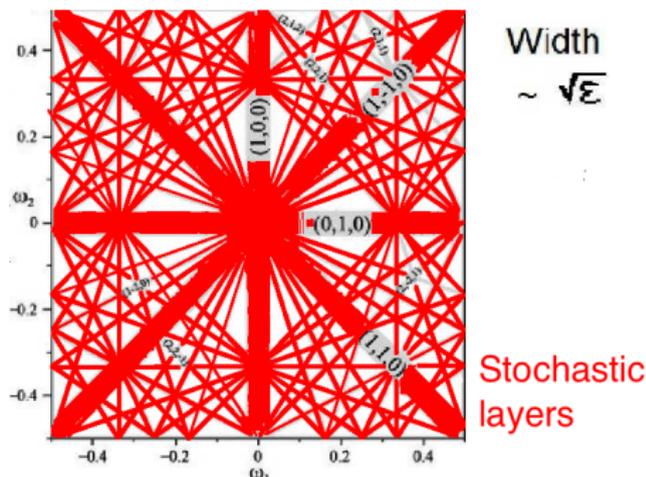
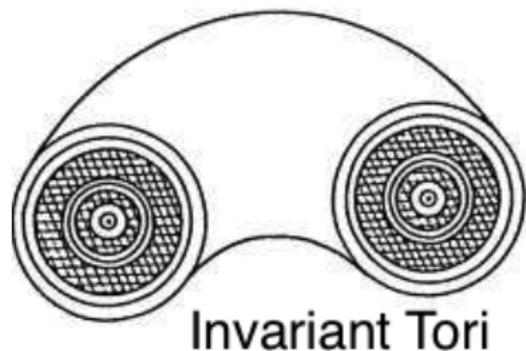
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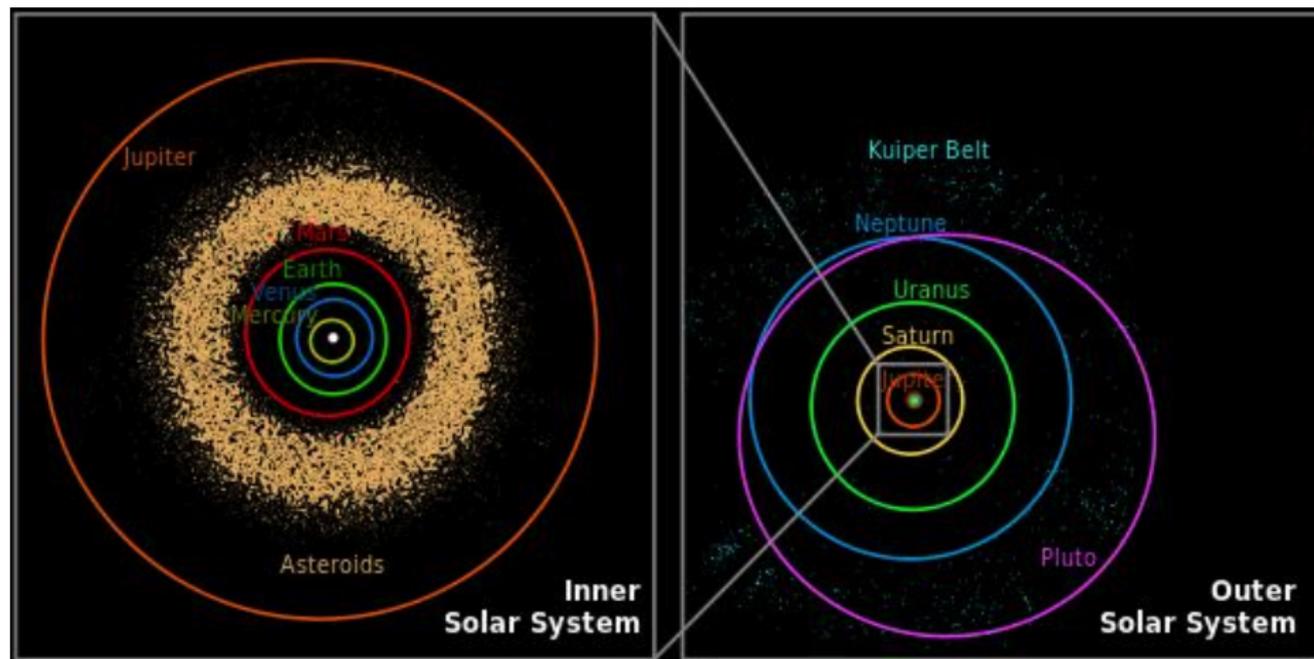
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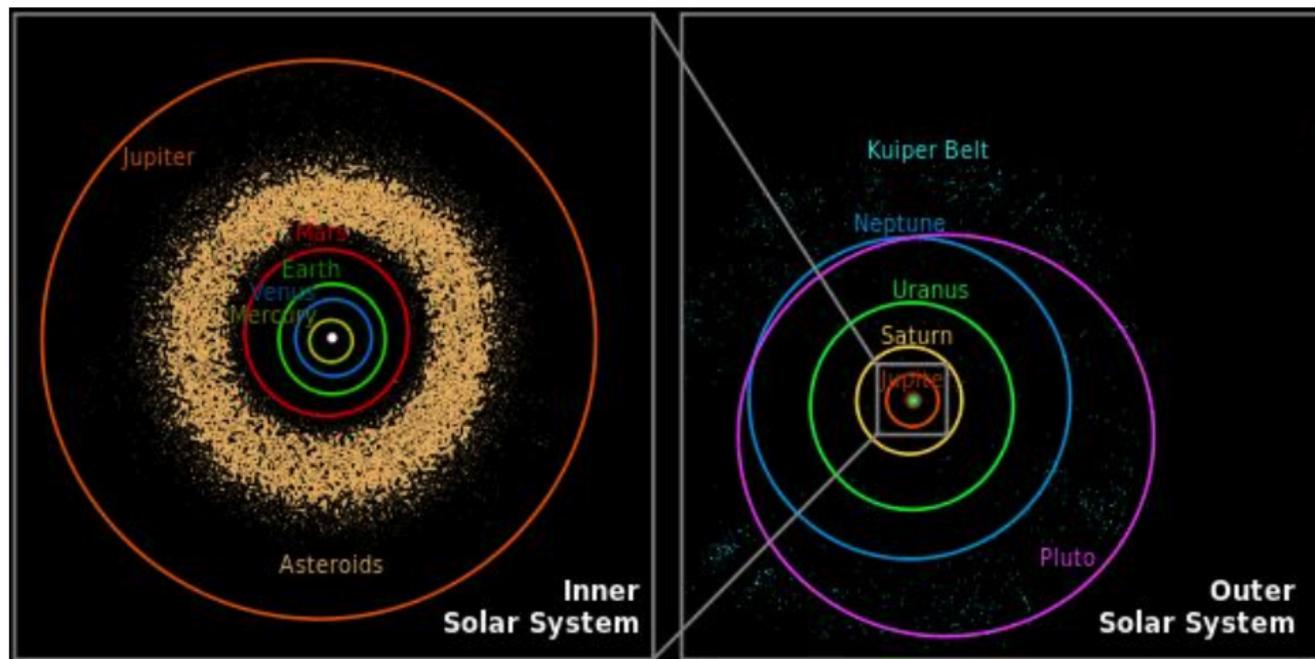
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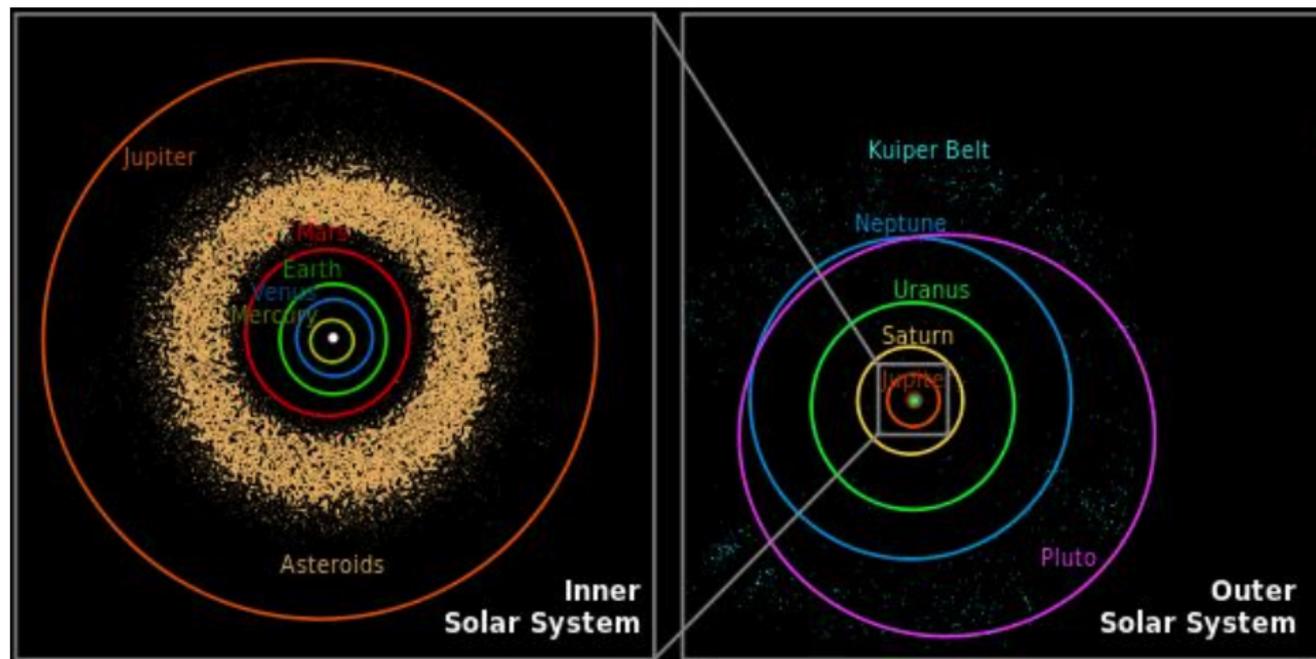
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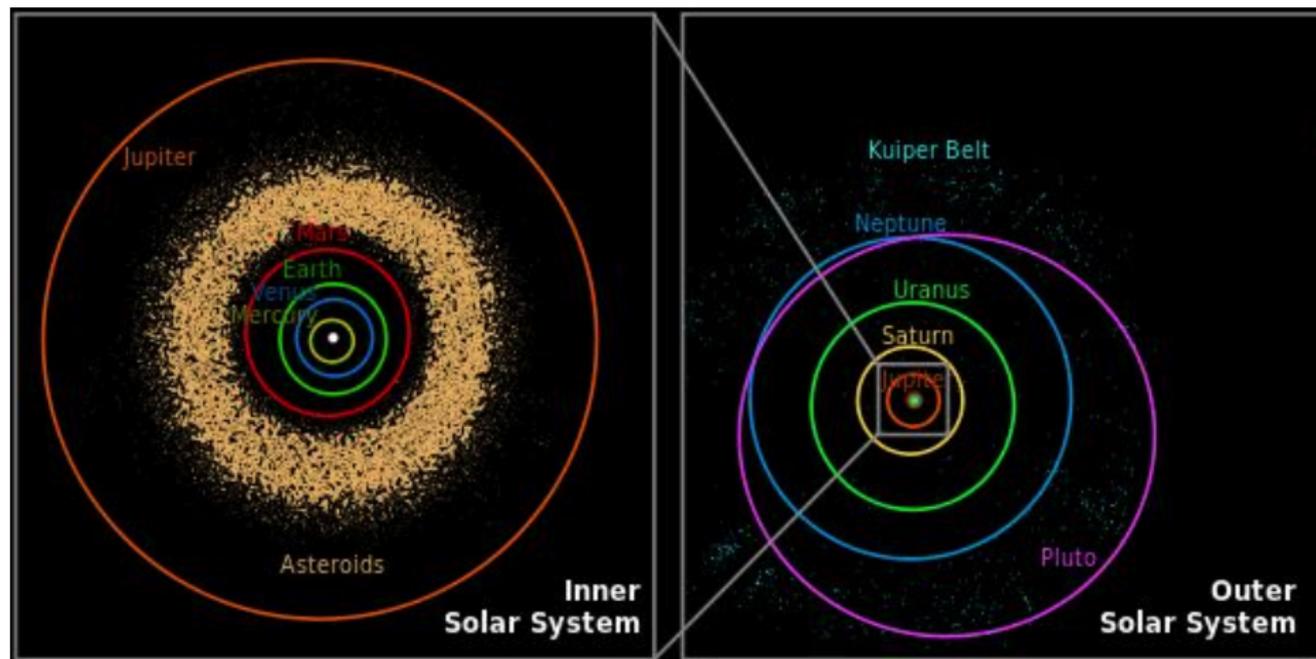
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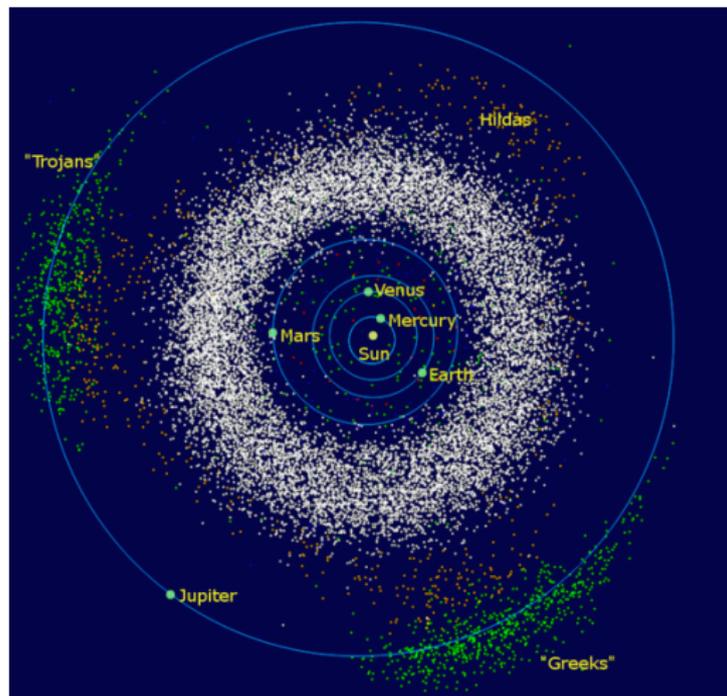


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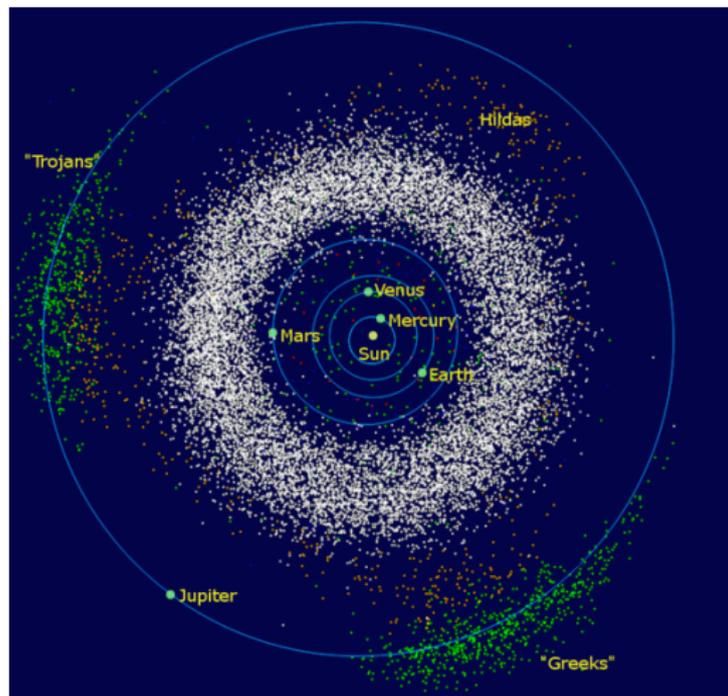
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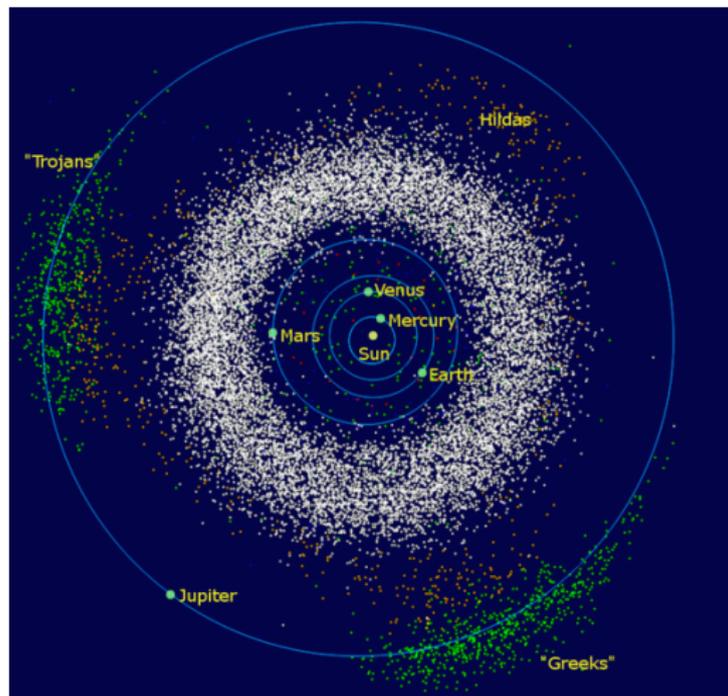
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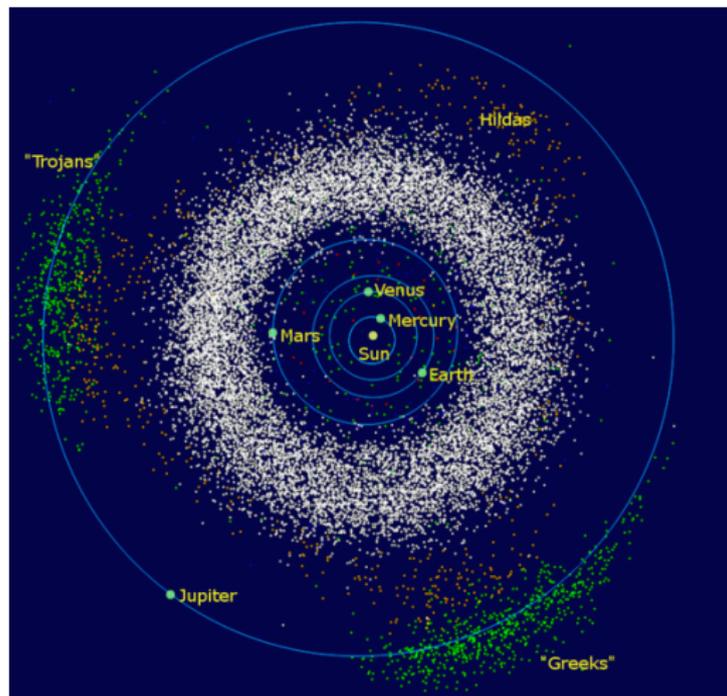
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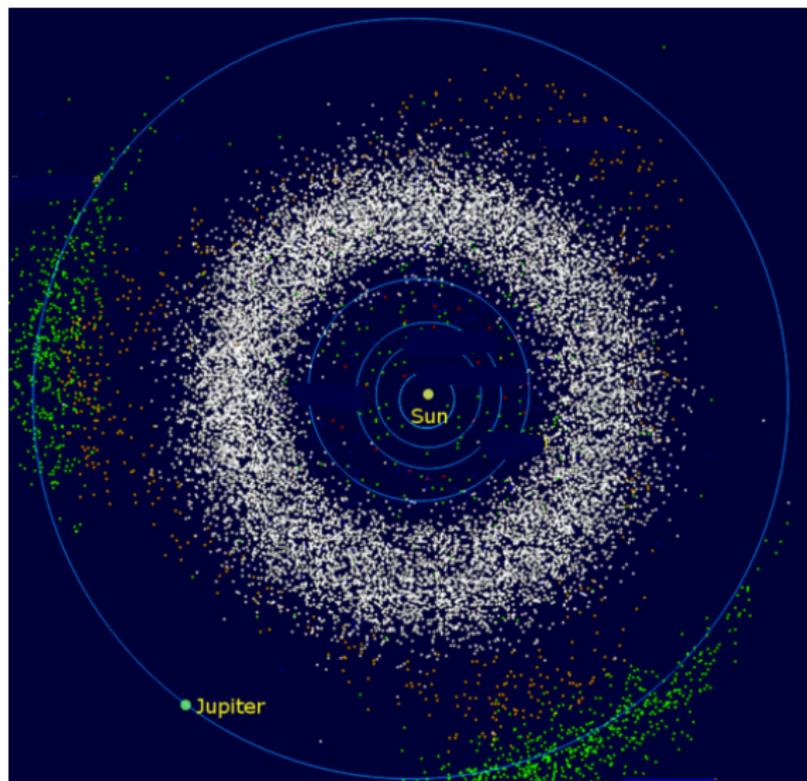
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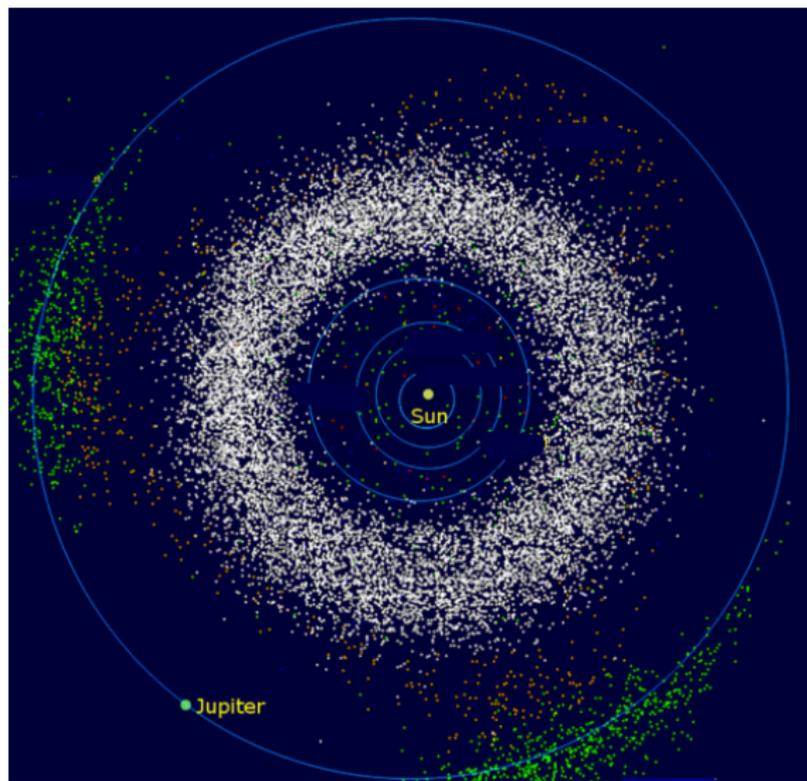


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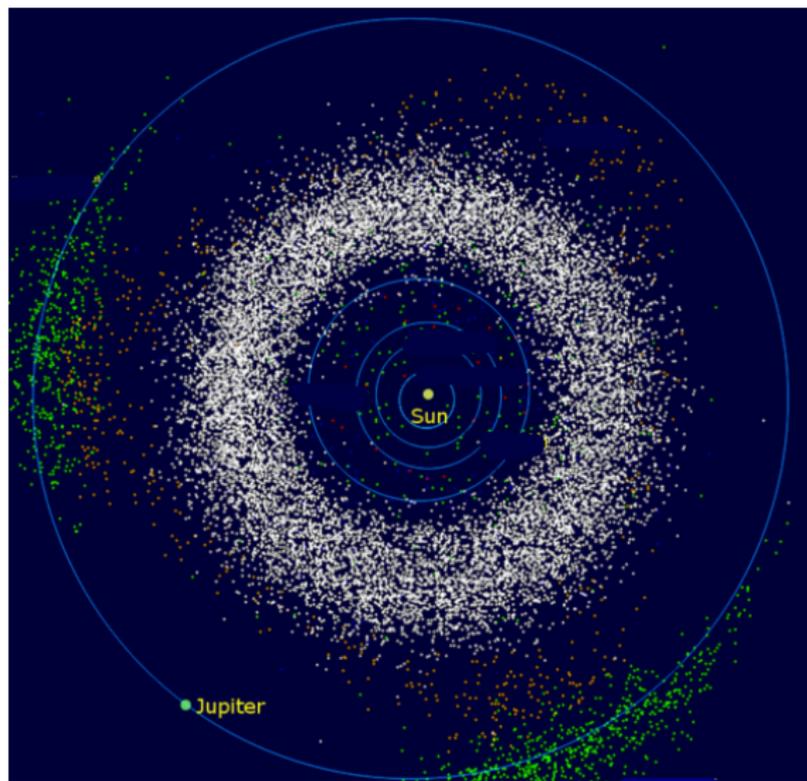
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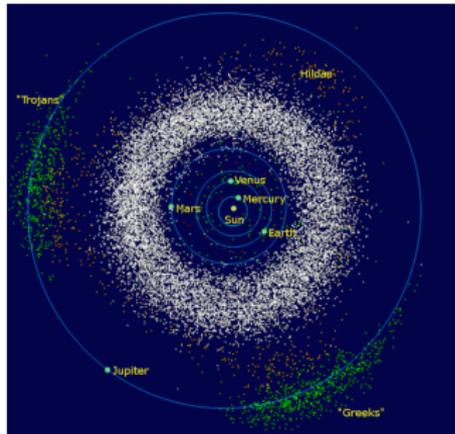
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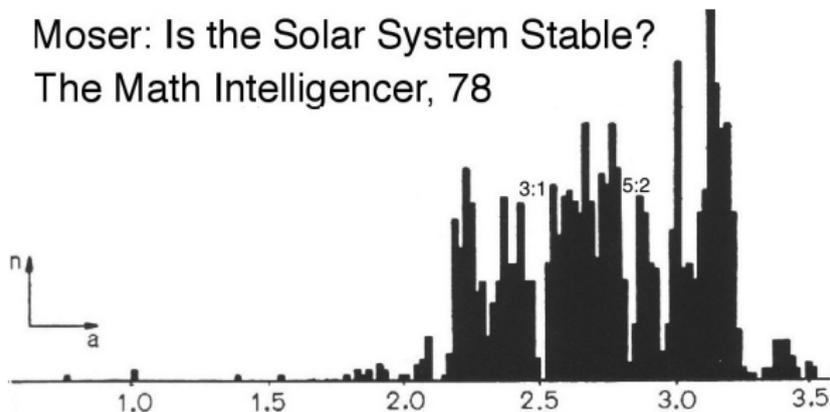


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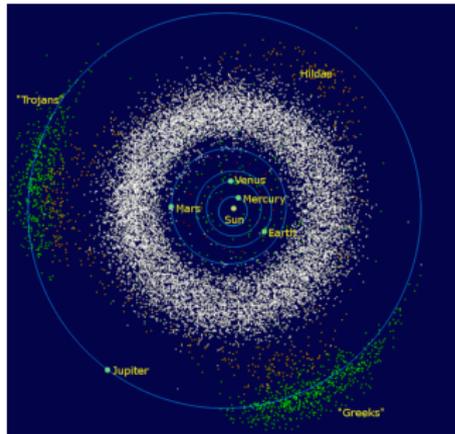
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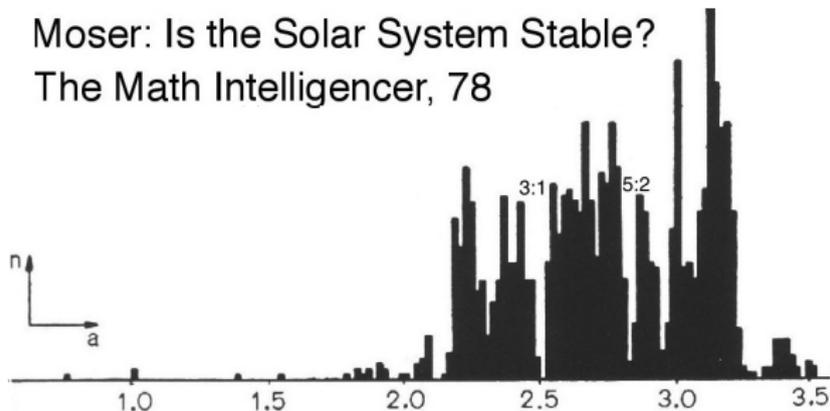
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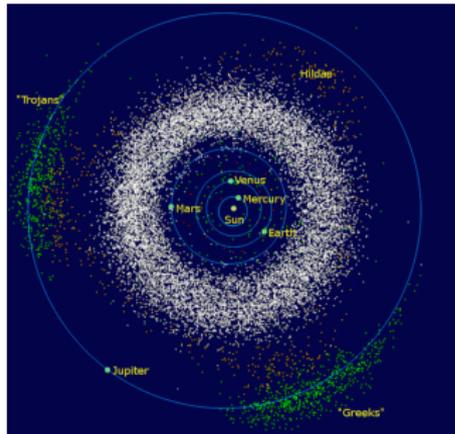
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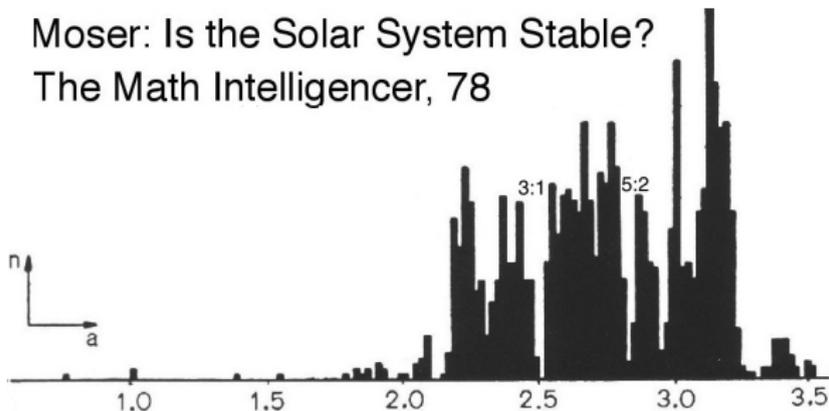
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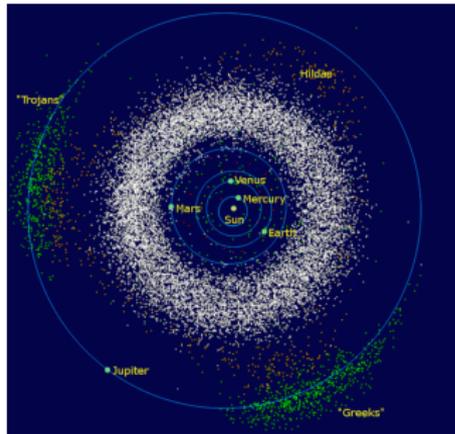
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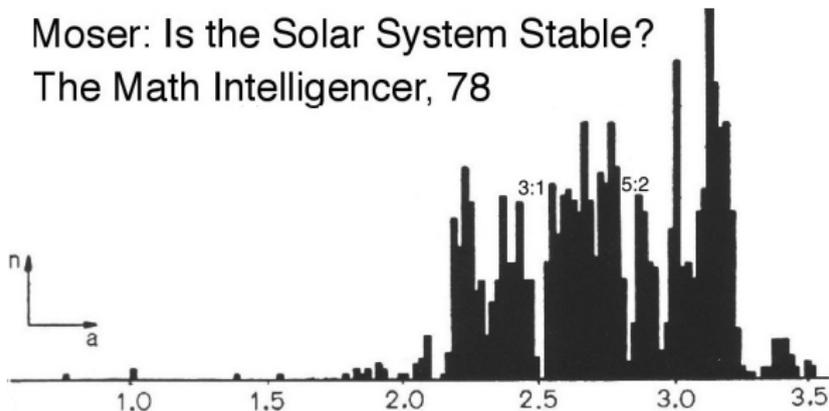
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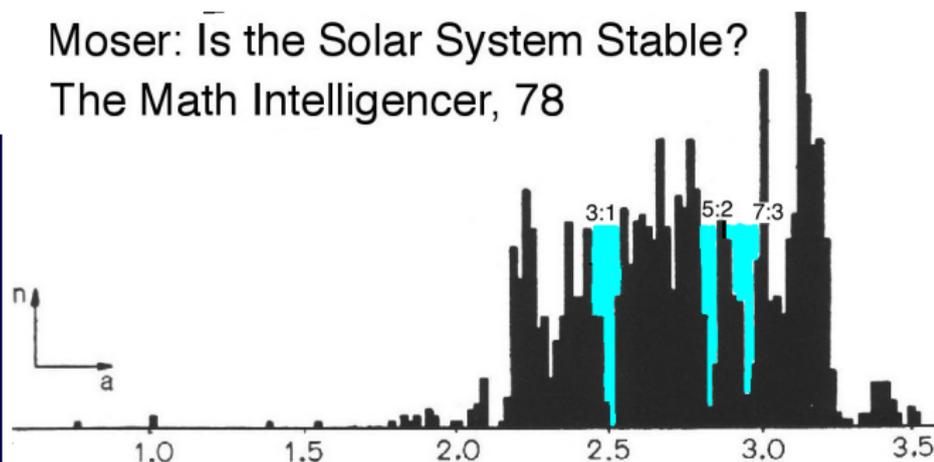
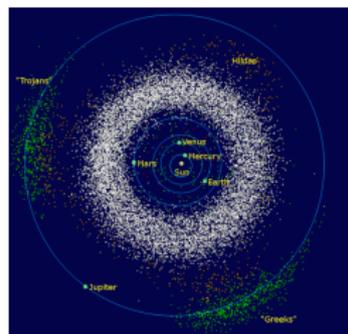


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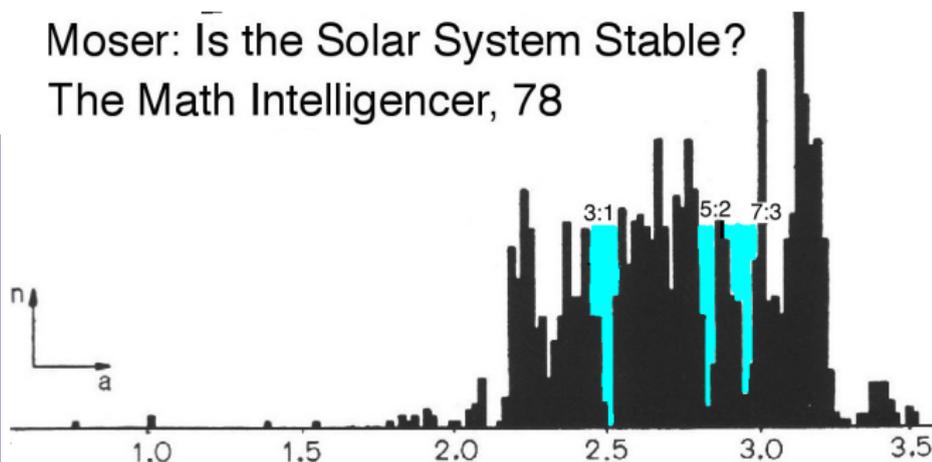
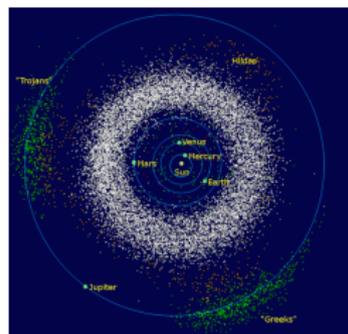
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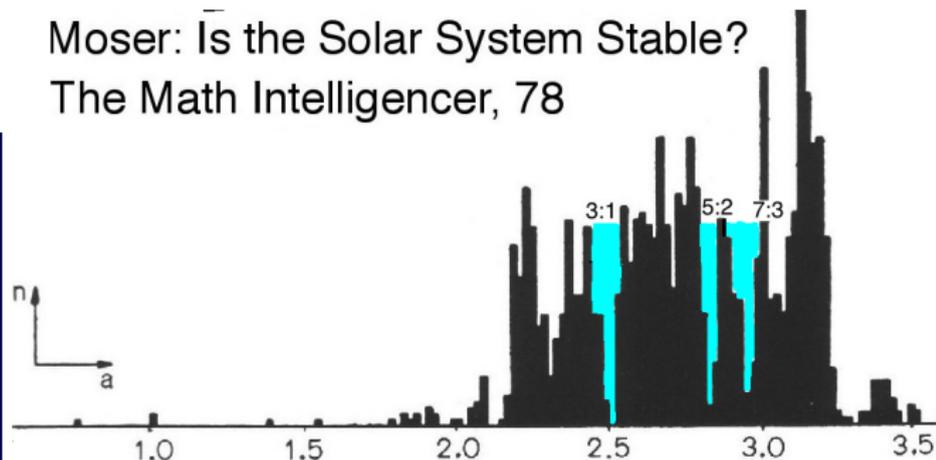
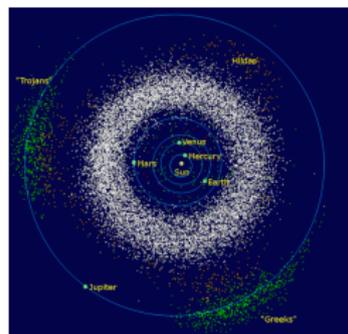
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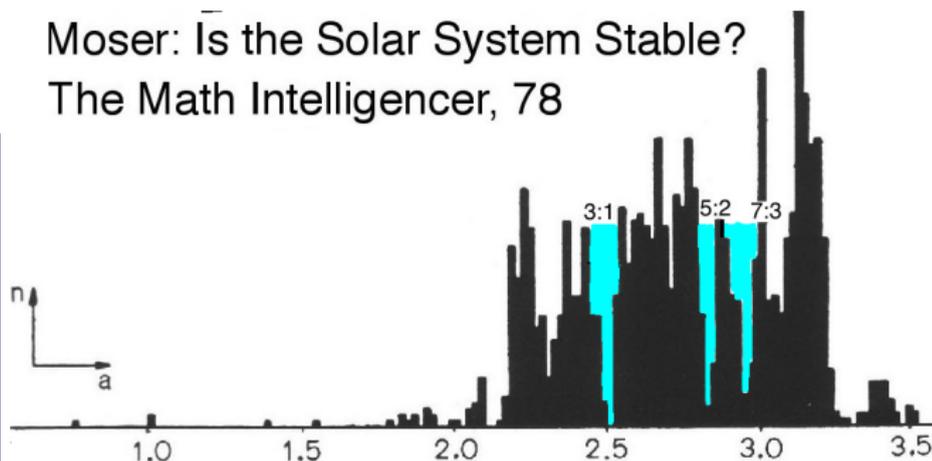
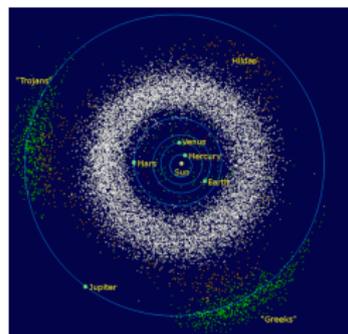
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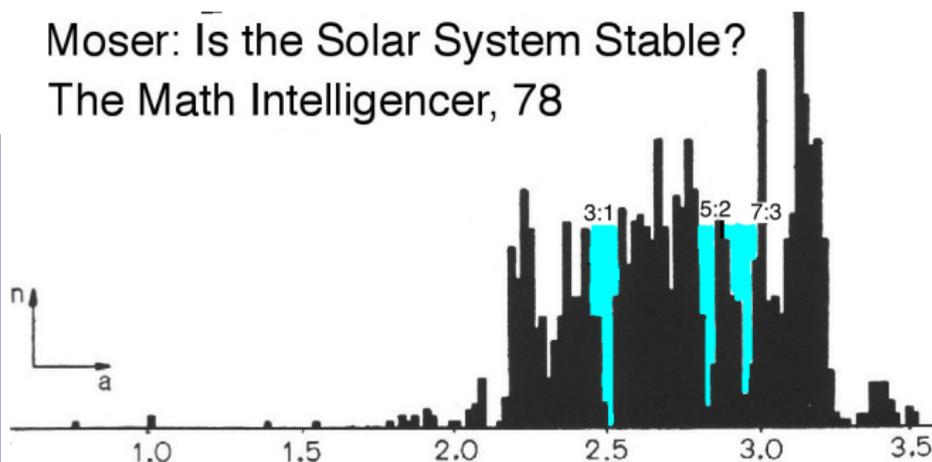
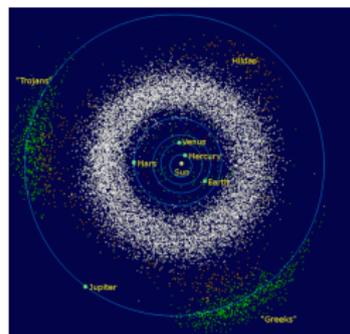
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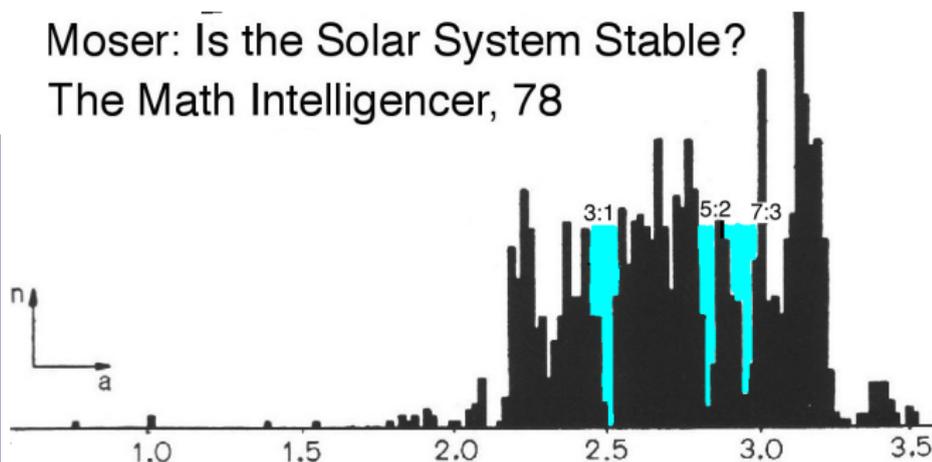
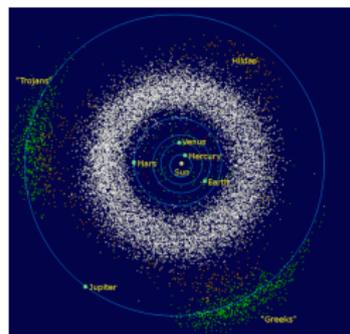
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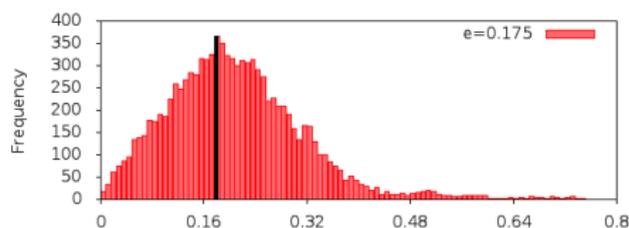
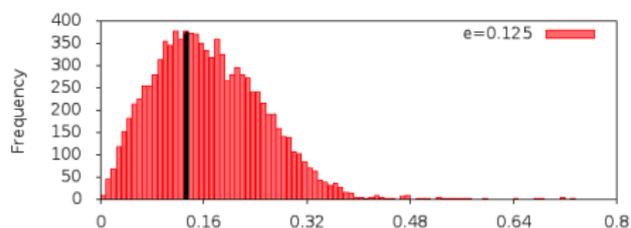
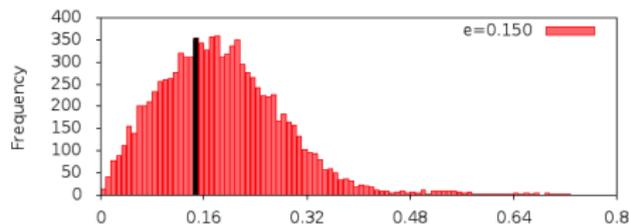
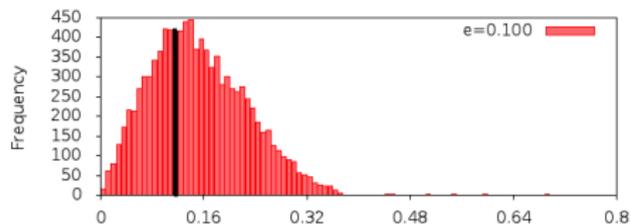
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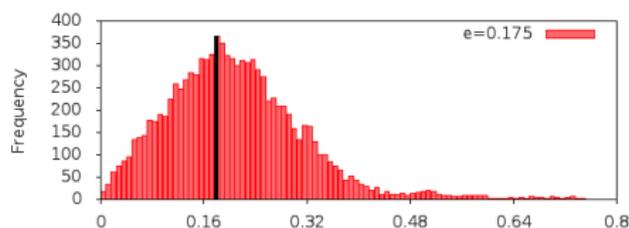
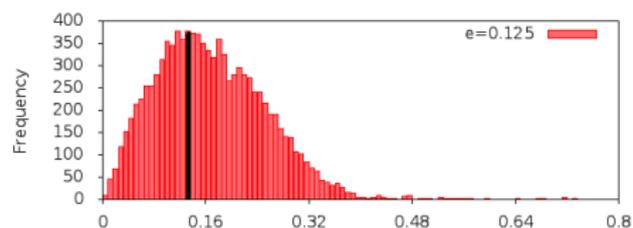
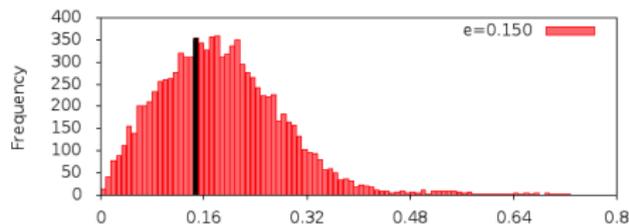
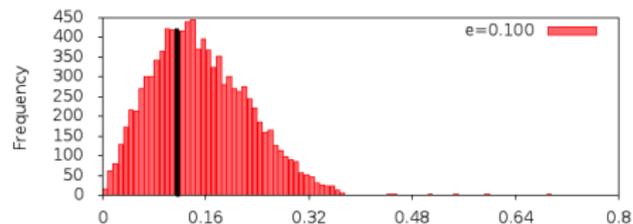
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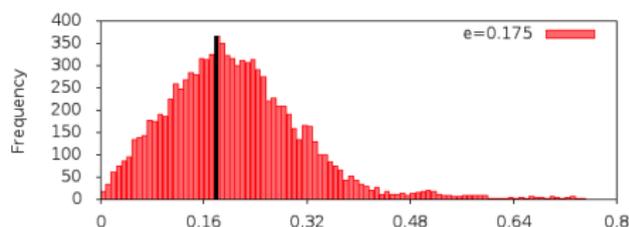
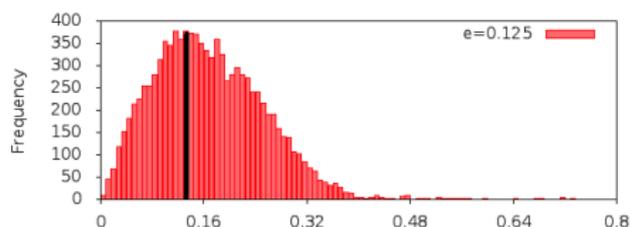
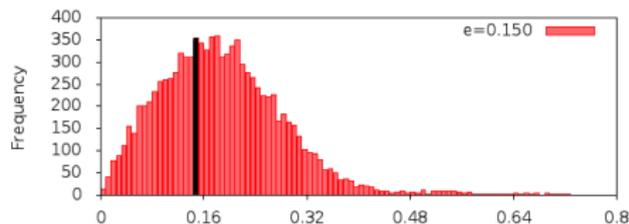
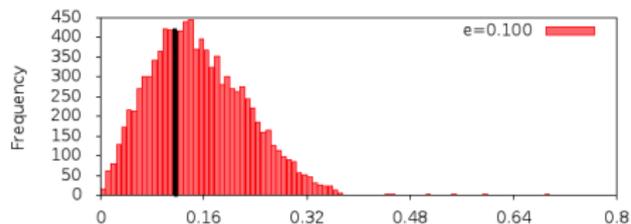
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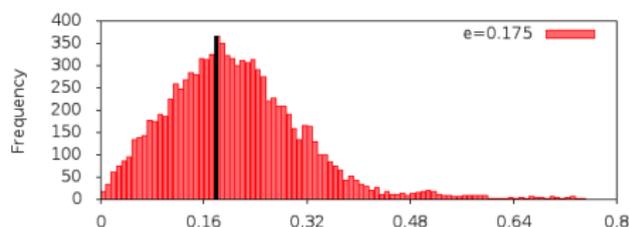
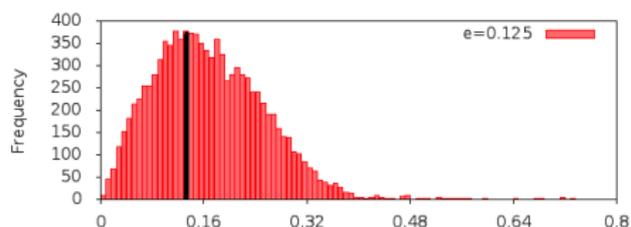
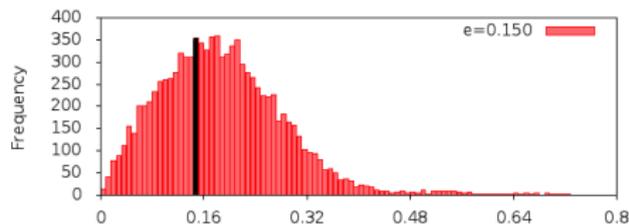
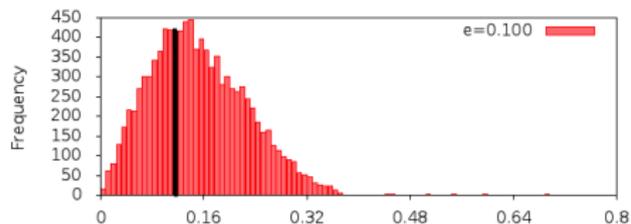
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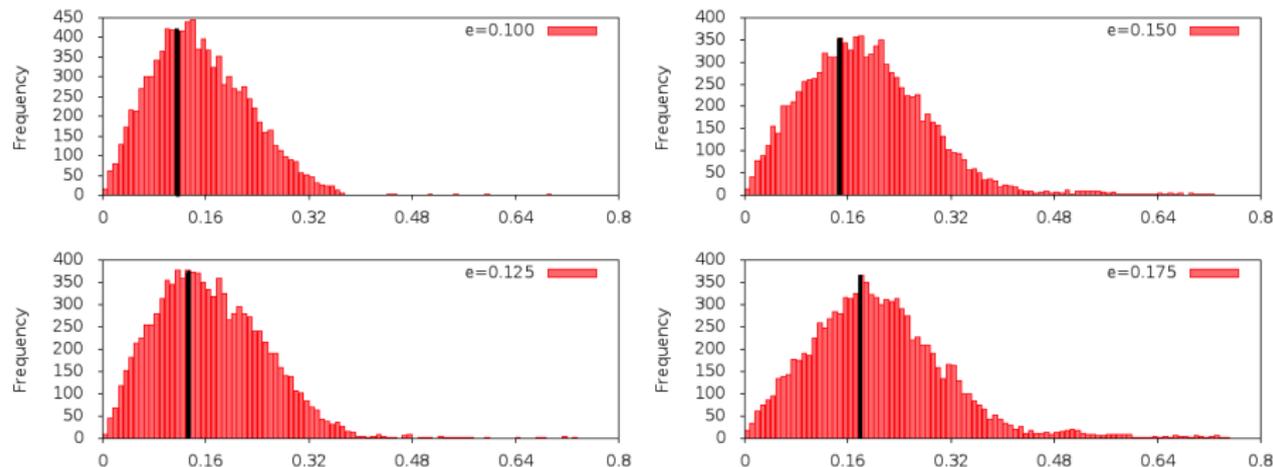
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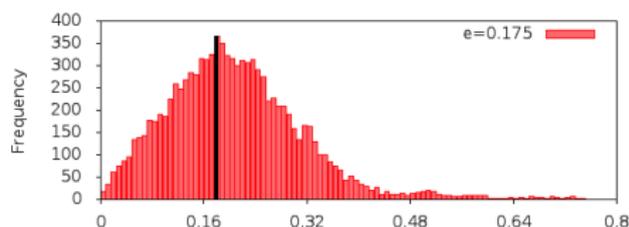
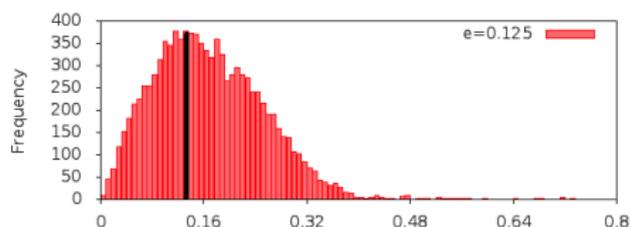
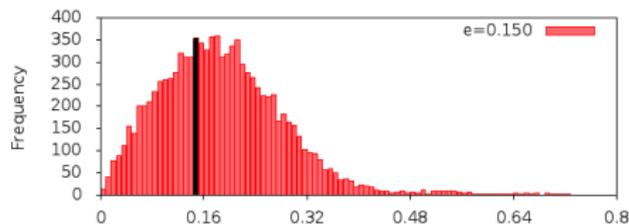
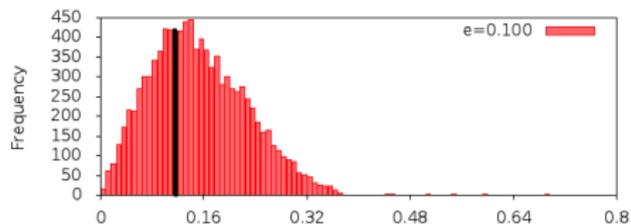
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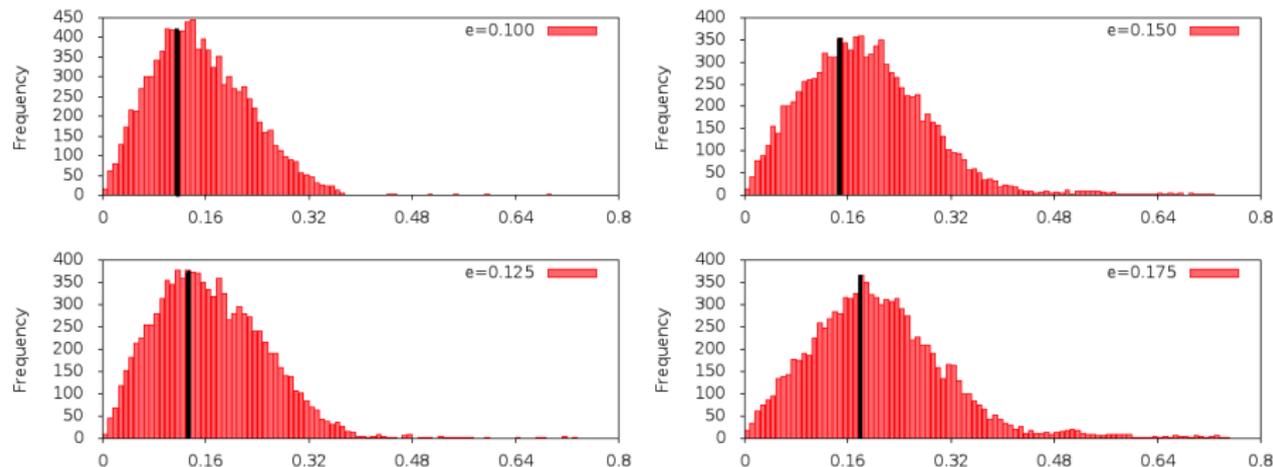
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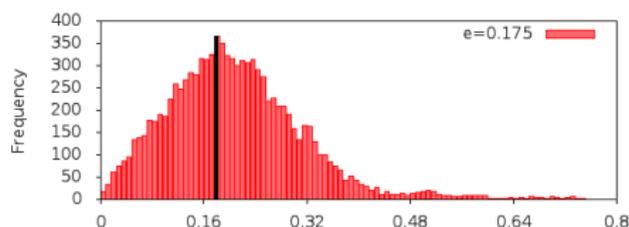
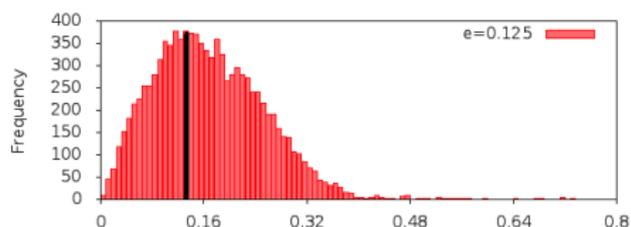
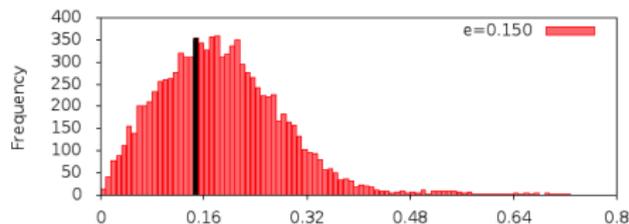
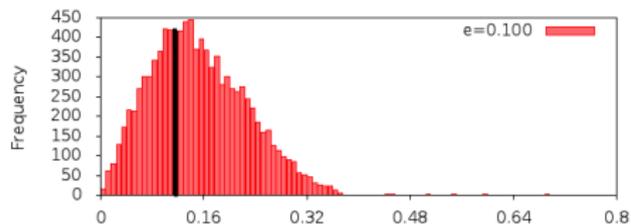
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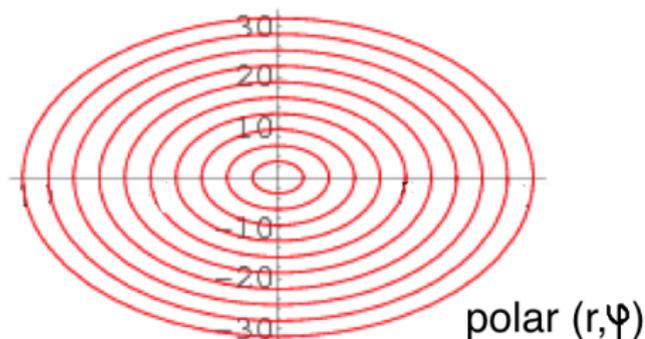
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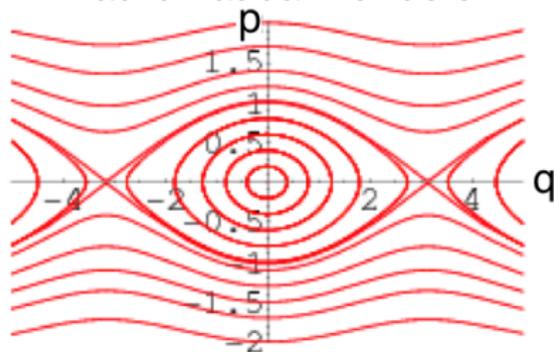
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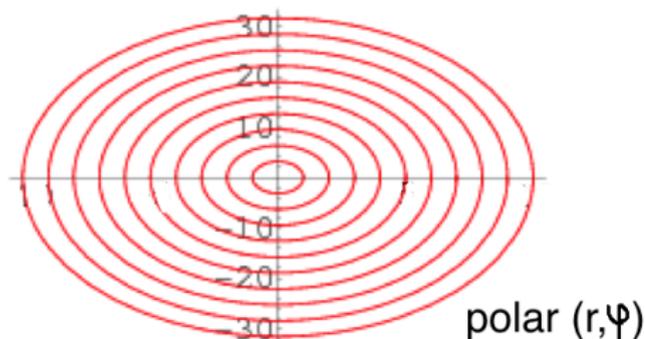
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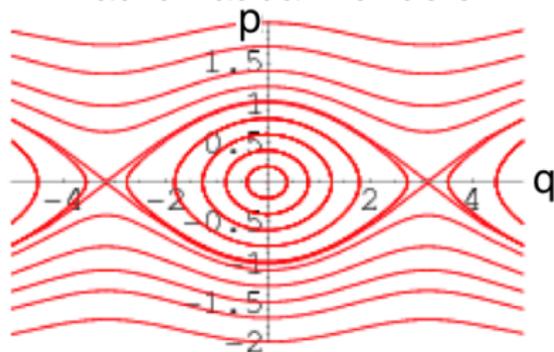
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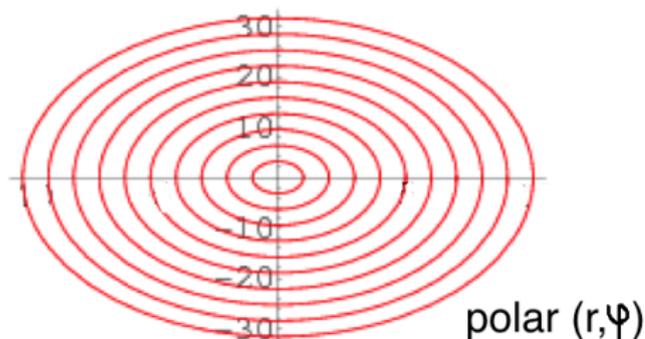
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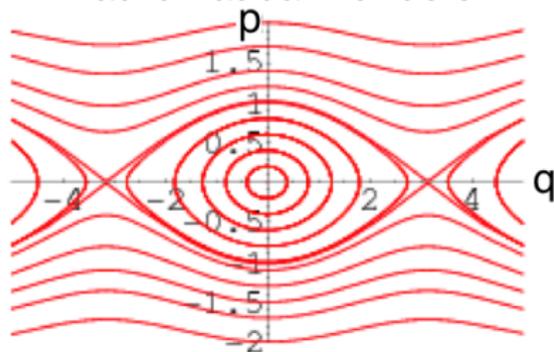
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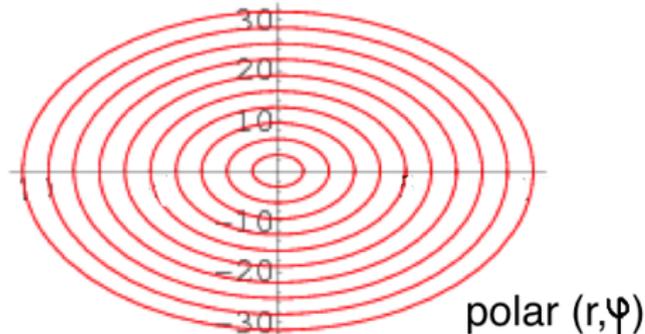
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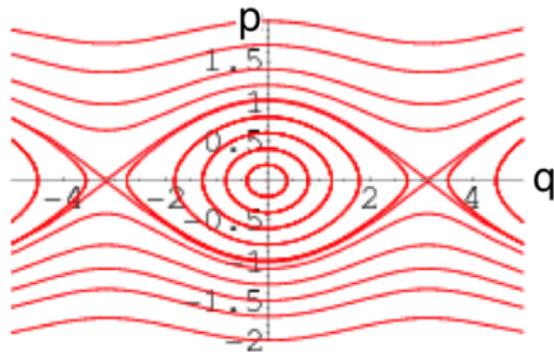
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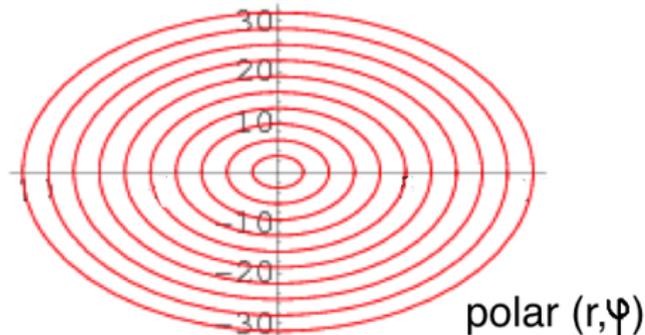
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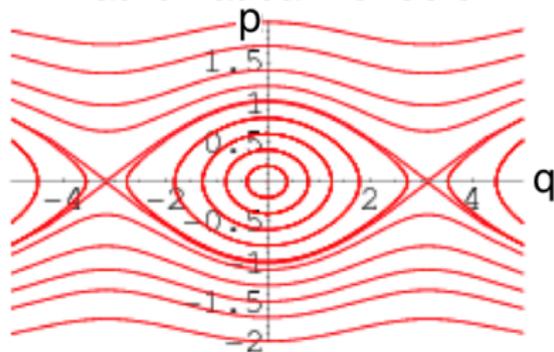
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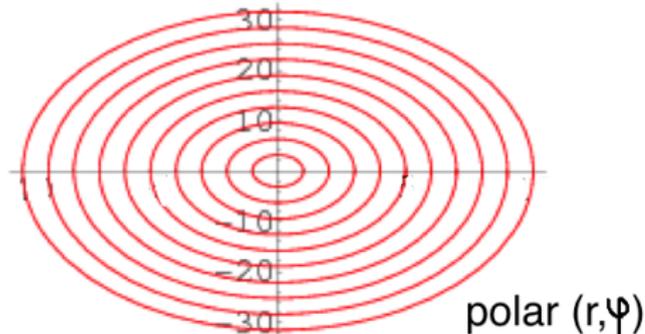
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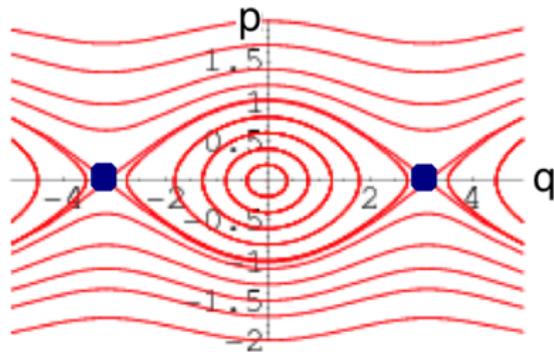
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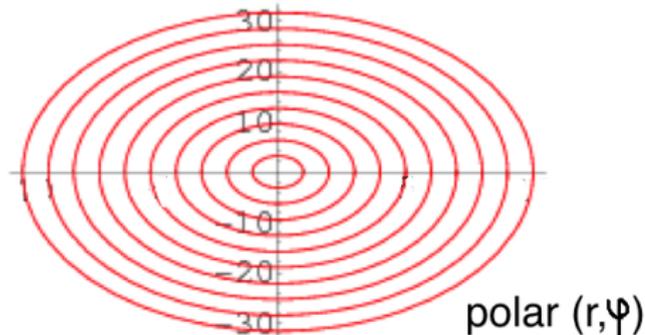
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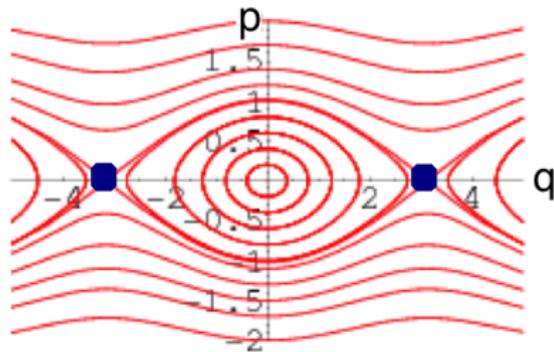
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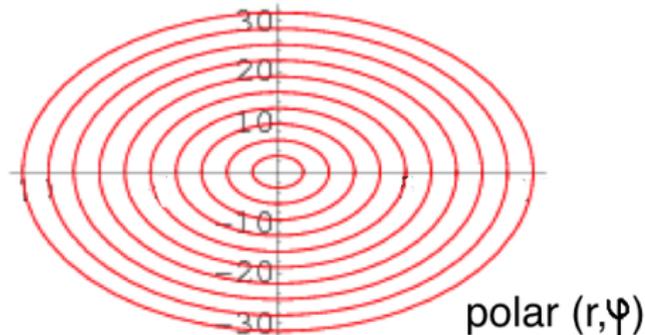
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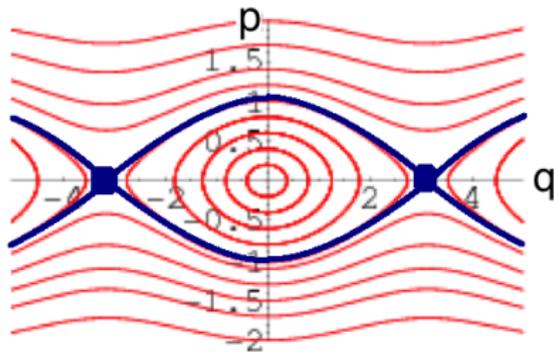
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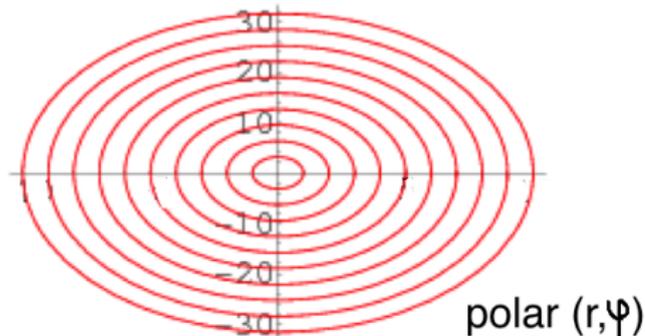
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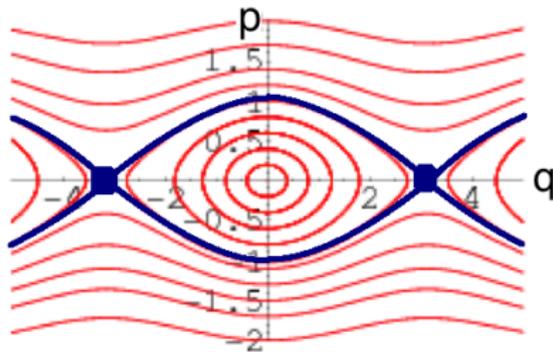
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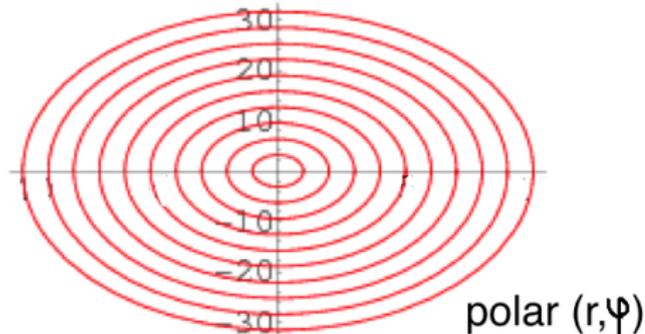
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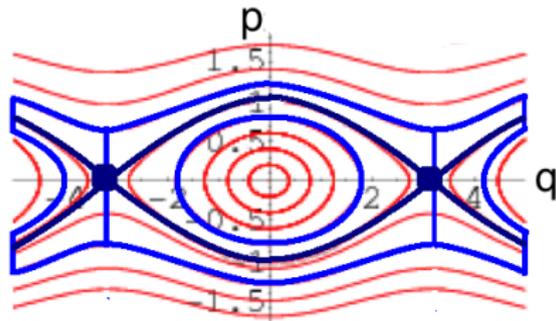
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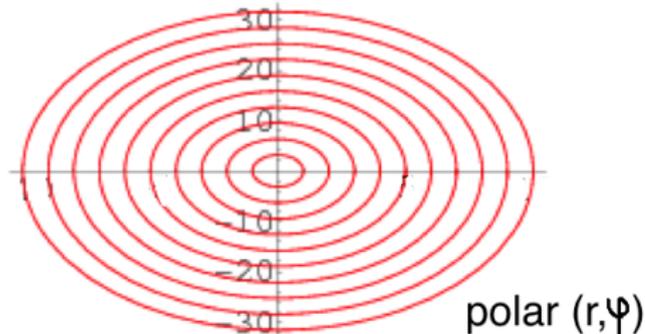
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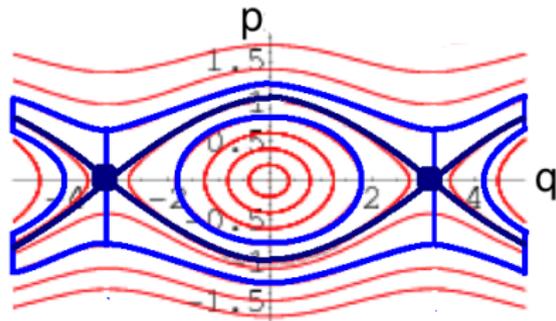
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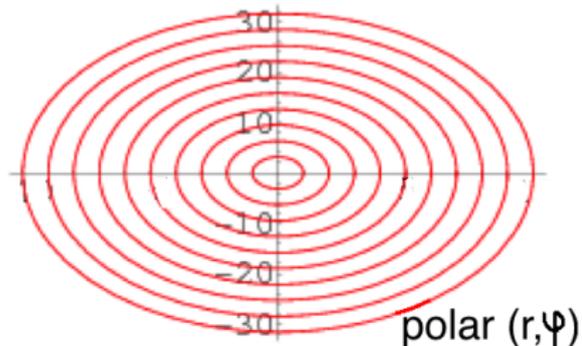
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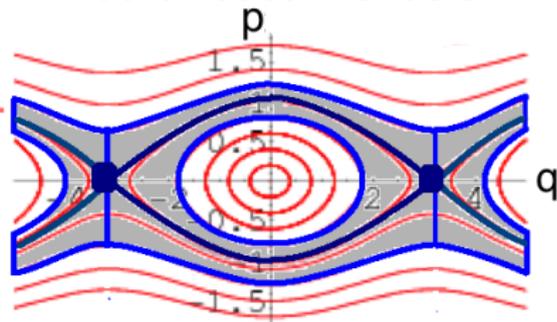
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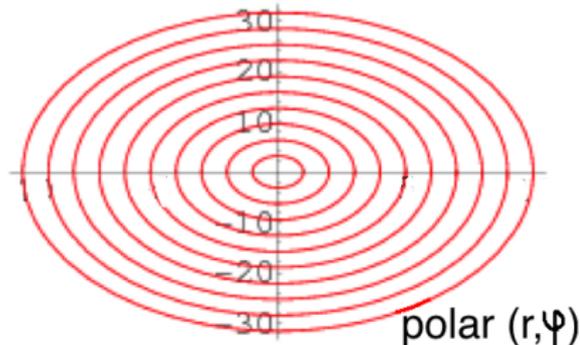
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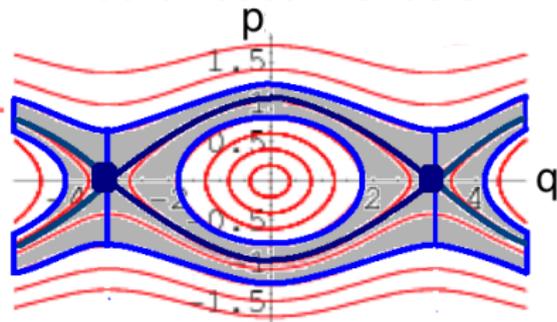
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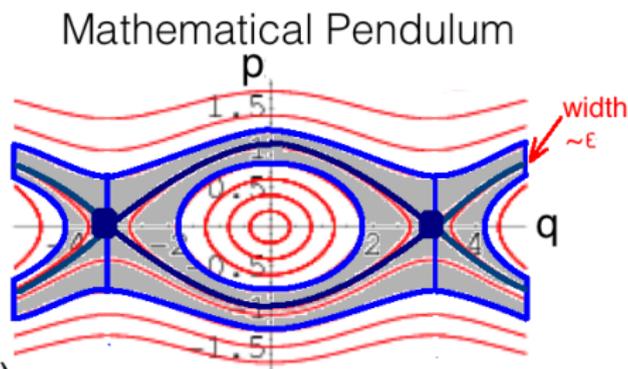
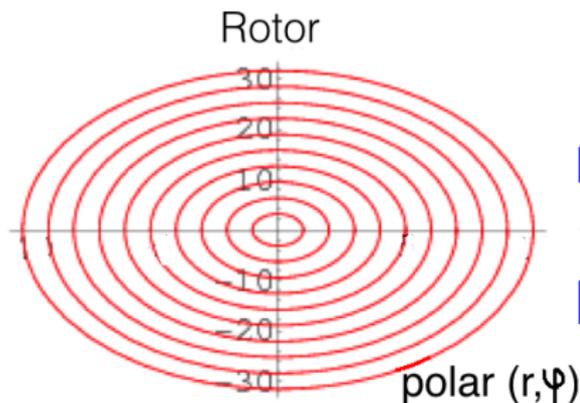
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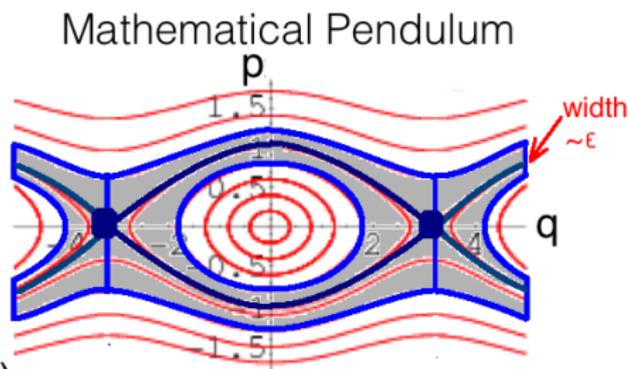
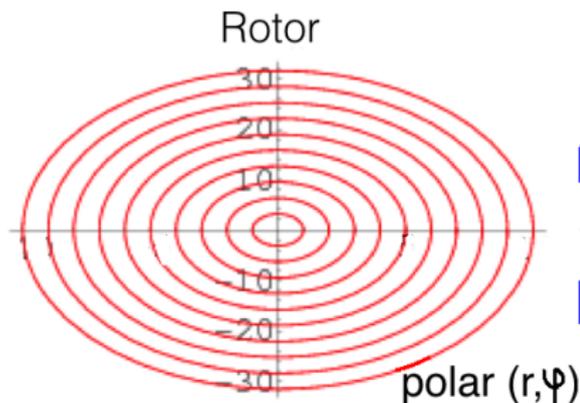
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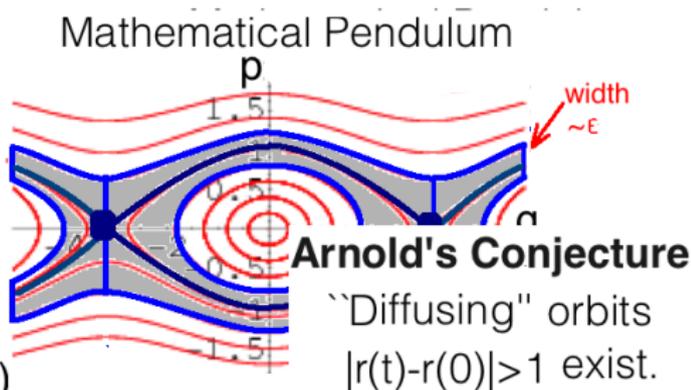
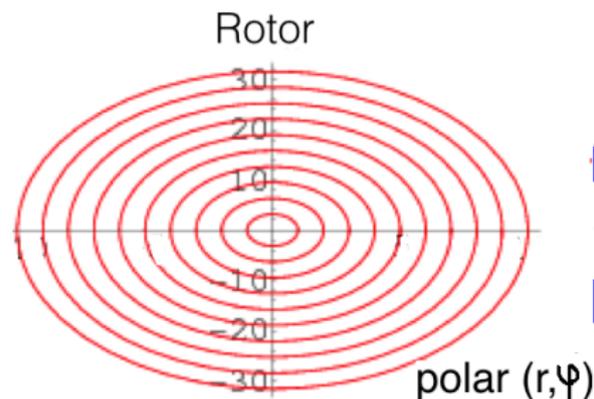
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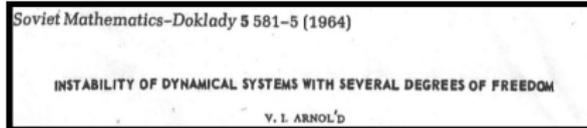
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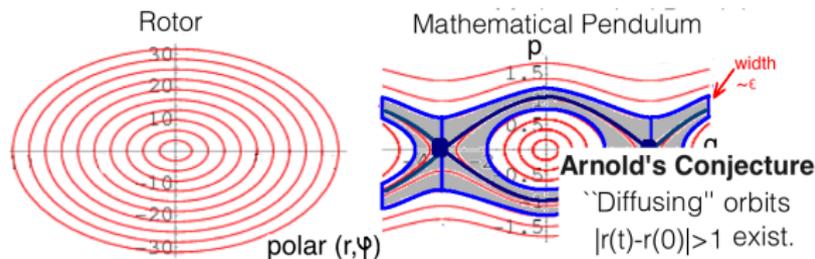


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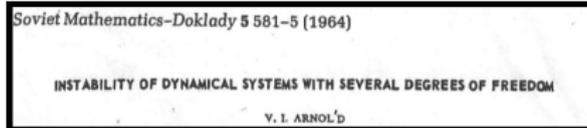
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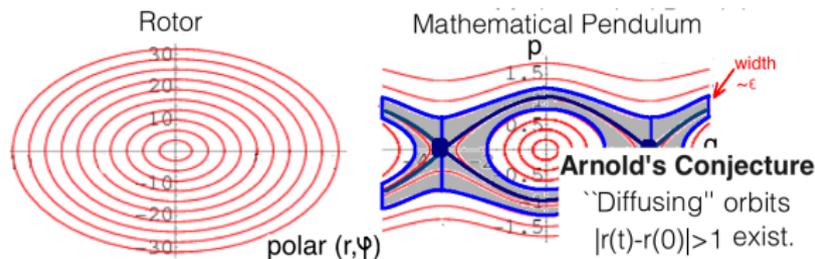
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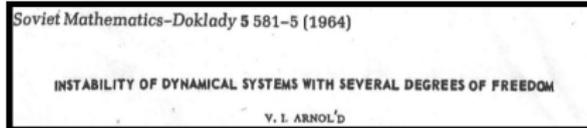
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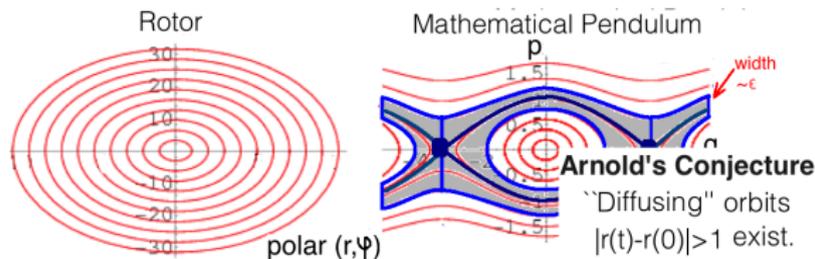
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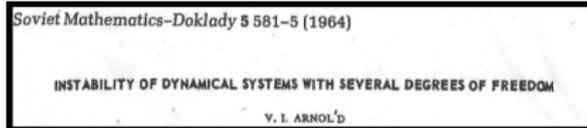
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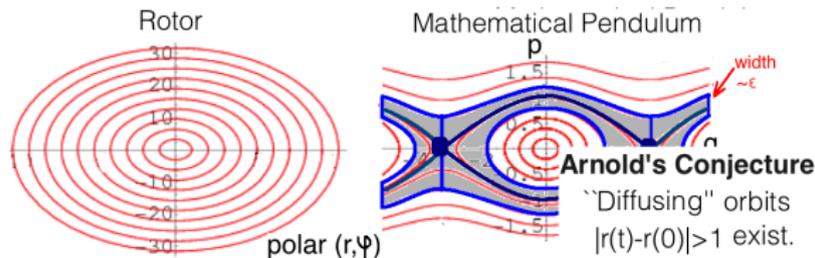
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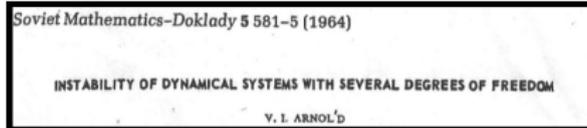
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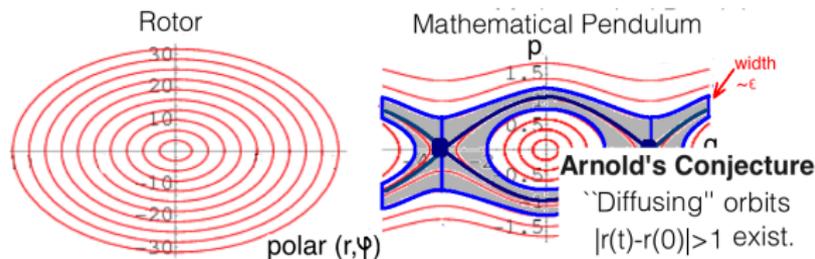
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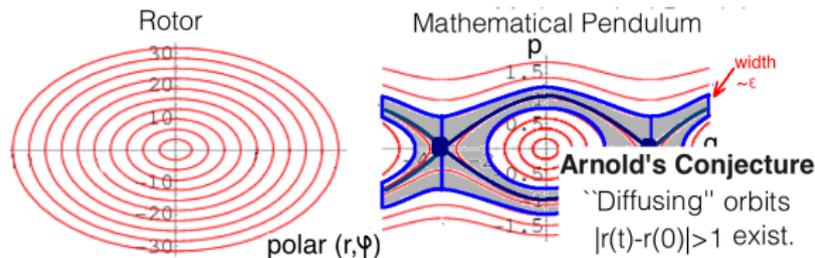
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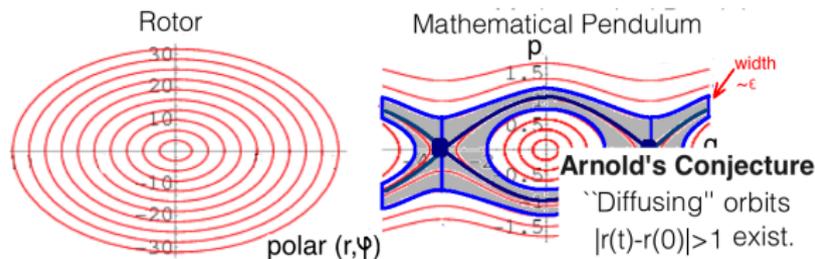
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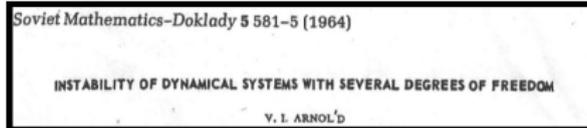
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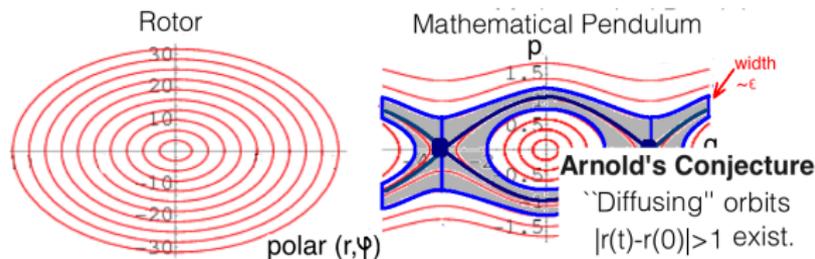
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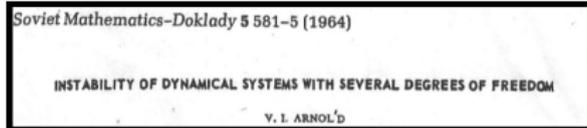
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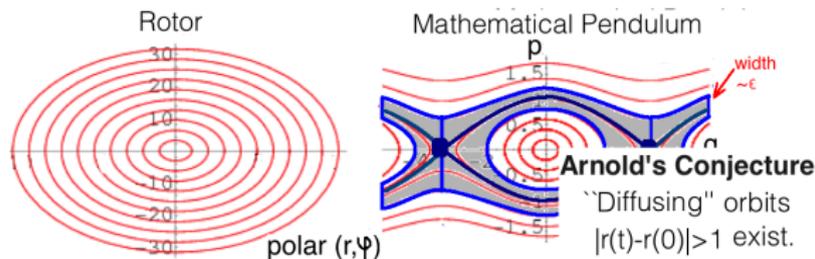
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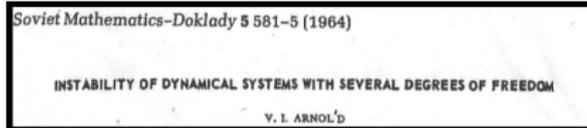
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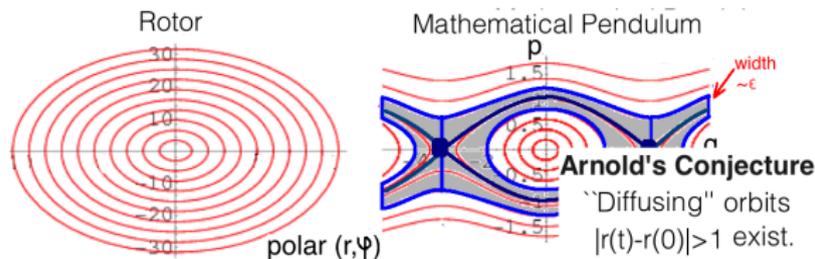
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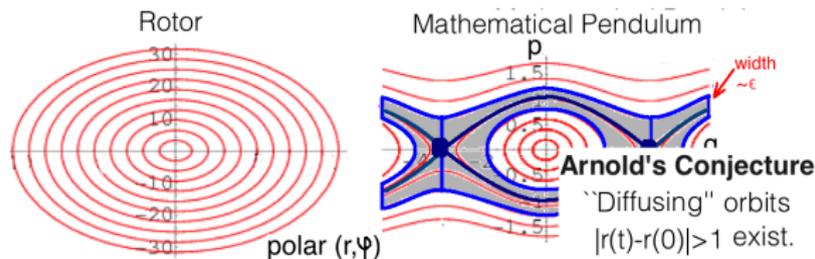
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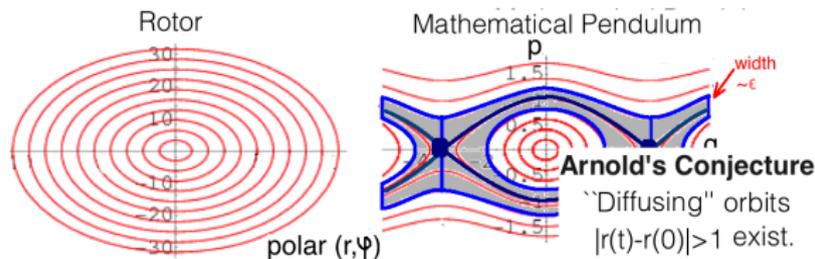
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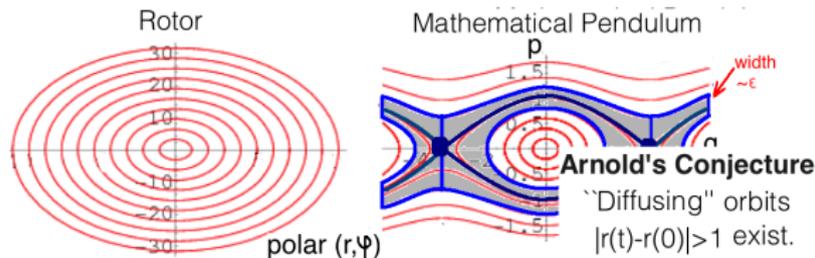
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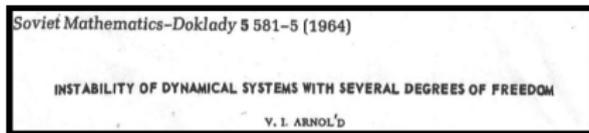
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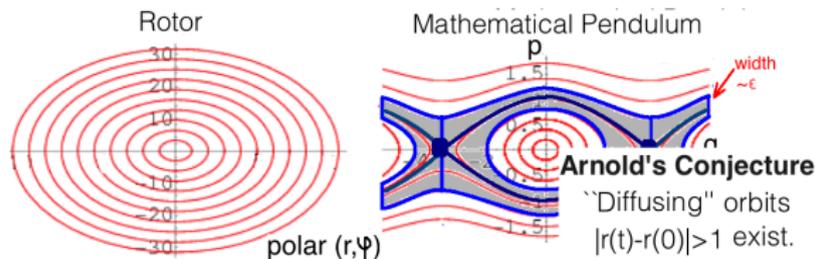
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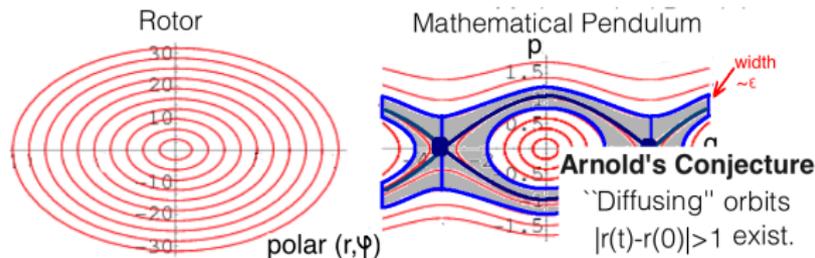
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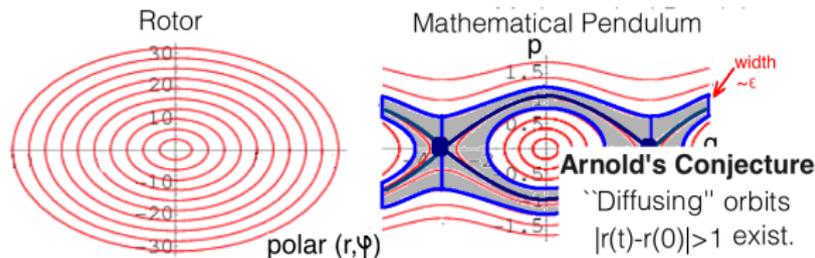
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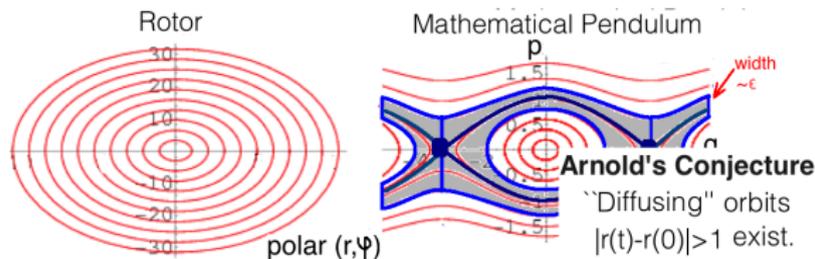
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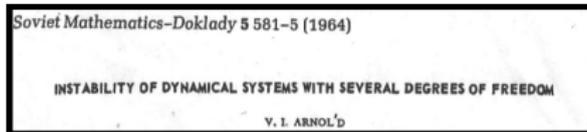
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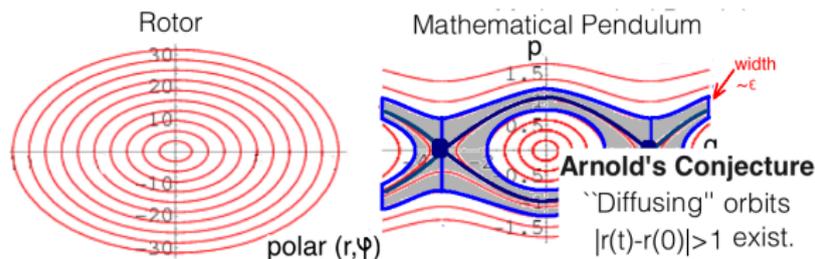
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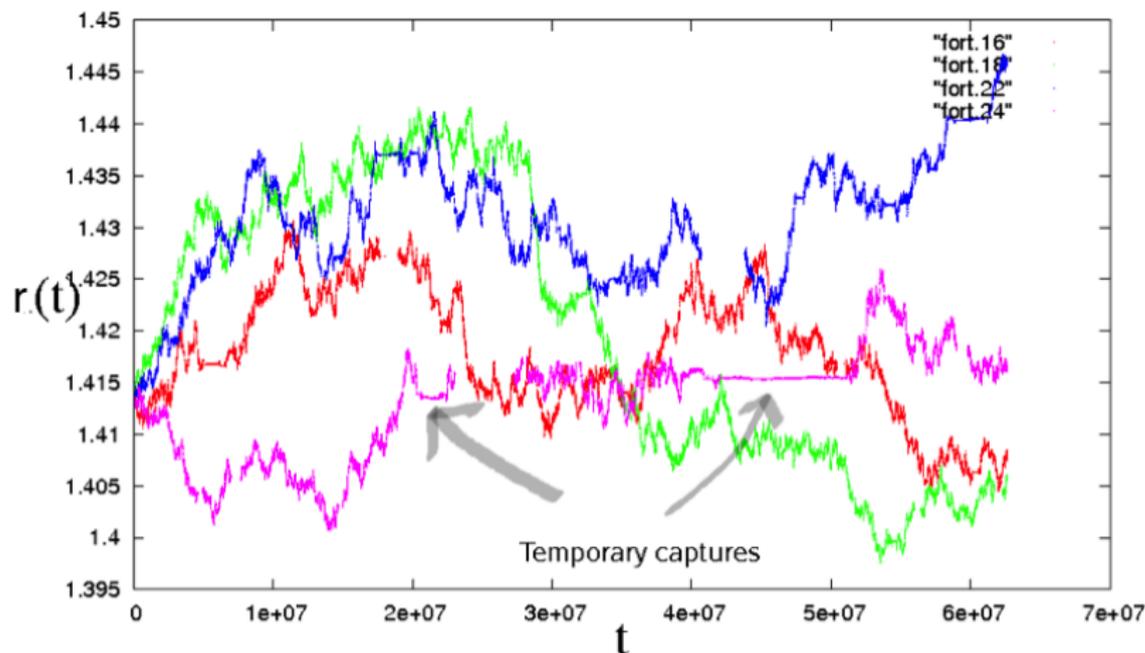
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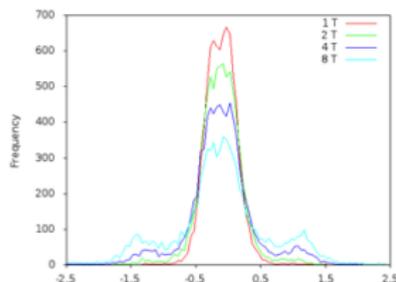
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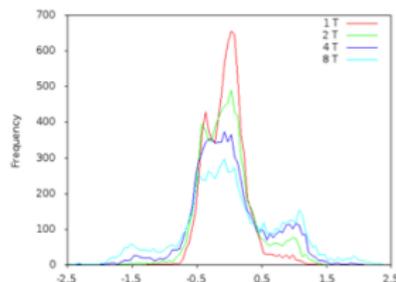


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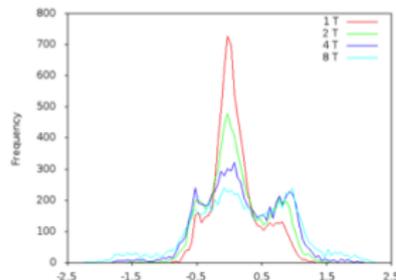
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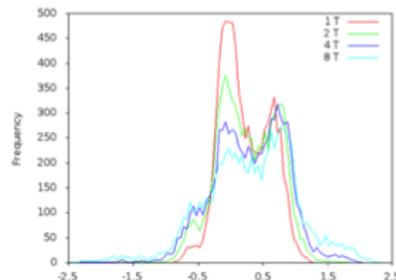
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