

# **Simulations numériques d'EDP Hamiltoniennes: Temps long et résonances**

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# Linear systems and time integration

- Hamiltonian linear systems :

$$\partial_t y = iAy \quad y \in \mathbb{C}^N, \quad A^* = A.$$

- Preservation of the energy  $y^* Ay = \langle y | A | y \rangle \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- Solutions oscillate at the frequencies of the matrix

$$A = Q^* \Omega Q, \quad Q^* Q = I, \quad \Omega = \text{diag}(\omega_k), \quad \omega_k \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \exp(itA)y(0) = Q^* \text{diag}(\exp(it\omega_k))Q y(0) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^N \exp(it\omega_k) z_k^0. \end{aligned}$$

- Stability for all times :  $\|y(t)\| \leq C$ .

# Linear systems and time integration

- Time integration :  $y_n \simeq y(\tau n) = \exp(i\tau n A) y(0)$ .

$$\begin{cases} y_{n+1} = y_n + i\tau A y_n, & Euler \\ y_{n+1} = y_n + i\tau A \left( \frac{y_n + y_{n+1}}{2} \right) & Midpoint \ rule \end{cases}$$

- Stability function

$$y_{n+1} = \phi(i\tau A) y_n \quad \begin{cases} \phi(z) = 1 + z & Euler \\ \phi(z) = \frac{1 + \frac{z}{2}}{1 - \frac{z}{2}} & Midpoint \ rule \end{cases}$$

- Numerical frequencies

$$A = Q^* \Omega Q \implies \phi(i\tau A) = Q^* \phi(i\tau \Omega) Q \implies y_n = Q^* \phi(i\tau \Omega)^n Q y(0).$$

$$\exp(i\tau n \omega_k) \simeq \phi(i\tau \omega_k)^n = \begin{cases} (1 + i\tau \omega_k)^n & Euler \\ \left( \frac{1 + i\frac{\tau \omega_k}{2}}{1 - i\frac{\tau \omega_k}{2}} \right)^n & Midpoint \ rule \end{cases}$$

# Linear systems and time integration

Stability problem :

$$|\exp(i\tau\omega_k)| = 1, \quad |1 + i\tau\omega_k| > 1, \quad \left| \frac{1 + i\frac{\tau\omega_k}{2}}{1 - i\frac{\tau\omega_k}{2}} \right| = 1$$

$$\|y(t)\| \leq C, \quad \text{but} \quad \begin{cases} \|y_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} +\infty & \text{Euler} \\ \|y_n\| \leq C \quad \forall n & \text{Midpoint rule.} \end{cases}$$

**Shadow equation :**  $y_{n+1} = \exp(i\tau \frac{1}{i\tau} \log(\phi(i\tau A))) y_n$ .

Numerically, we see the exact solution of

$$\dot{y} = i \left( \frac{1}{i\tau} \log \phi(i\tau A) \right) y = iA_\tau y \quad \begin{cases} A_\tau = \frac{1}{i\tau} \log(1 + i\tau A) & \text{Euler} \\ A_\tau = \frac{2}{\tau} \arctan\left(\frac{\tau A}{2}\right) & \text{Midpoint rule.} \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{1 + ix}{1 - ix} = \exp(2i \arctan(x)). \quad A_\tau^* = A_\tau \quad \text{for midpoint.}$$

# Linear systems and time integration

Time integration : Modified equation

$$\dot{y} = iAy \quad \xrightarrow{\text{time grid}} \quad \dot{y} = iA_\tau y$$

- $A_\tau$  symmetric if and only if the method is **symplectic**
- Symplectic methods are always implicit and stable.  
RK4 not symplectic.
- Order of the method :  $\|A - A_\tau\| = \mathcal{O}(\tau^p)$ .
- High Frequencies are smoothed

$$\omega_k \xrightarrow[k \rightarrow \infty]{} \infty \quad \text{but} \quad \omega_{k,\tau} = \frac{2}{\tau} \arctan\left(\frac{\tau \omega_k}{2}\right) \leq \frac{\pi}{\tau} \quad \forall k.$$

Always a difference between exact frequencies and numerical frequencies, except when  $A$  is diagonal or easily diagonalizable.

- Modified energy  $\langle y | A_\tau | y \rangle$  preserved for all times.

# Splitting and modified energy

$$\partial_t y = iAy + iBy, \quad A, B \text{ symmetric}$$

- Exact flow :  $u(t) = \exp(it(A+B))u^0$
- Splitting methods : order 1 (Lie)

$$y_{n+1} = \exp(i\tau A) \exp(i\tau B) y_n = \exp(i\tau(A+B)) y_n + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$$

- Order 2 (Strang, Störmer-Verlet)

$$y_{n+1} = \exp\left(i\frac{\tau}{2}A\right) \exp(i\tau B) \exp\left(i\frac{\tau}{2}A\right) y_n = \exp(i\tau(A+B)) y_n + \mathcal{O}(\tau^3)$$

- Idea :  $\exp(i\tau A)$  and  $\exp(i\tau B)$  easy to compute.  
Typically :  $A$  operator diagonal in frequency,  
 $B$  multiplication potential. Inbetween : FFT.

# Splitting and modified energy

Schrödinger systems :

$$\partial_t u = iA u + iB u$$

Baker-Campbell-Haussdorf formula

$$\exp(i\tau A) \circ \exp(i\tau B) = \exp(iZ(\tau))$$

$$Z(\tau) = \tau(A + B) + \frac{1}{2}i\tau^2[A, B] + \dots$$

- $[A, B] = AB - BA =: \text{ad}_A(B)$
- Convergence of the series for  $\tau(\|A\| + \|B\|) < 2\pi$ .
- Modified energy :

$$\langle y | \frac{1}{\tau} Z(\tau) | y \rangle = \langle y | A + B | y \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\tau).$$

# Linear Hamiltonian PDEs

Main examples : Schrödinger equations.  $u(t, x)$  solution of

$$iu = -\Delta u \quad x \in \mathbb{T}^d \quad \text{Torus}$$

$$iu = Hu = (-\Delta + |x|^2)u \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^d \quad \text{Full space}$$

To define the solution : diagonalization of the operators

$$\begin{cases} -\Delta e^{ik \cdot x} = |k|^2 e^{ik \cdot x} & k \in \mathbb{Z}^d, \quad \text{Plane waves in } \mathbb{T}^d \\ H\varphi_n = (2|n| + d)\varphi_n = \omega_n \varphi_n & n \in \mathbb{N}^d, \quad \text{Hermite functions on } \mathbb{R}^d. \end{cases}$$

Solution preserve the Sobolev norms  $H^s$  (torus) or  
 $\mathcal{H}^s = \{u \mid \langle x \rangle^s u \in L^2, \quad \langle \nabla \rangle^s u \in L^2\}$  (harmonic oscillator).

$$\begin{cases} u(t) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^d} e^{-it|k|^2} \hat{u}_k^0 e^{itk \cdot x} & \hat{u}_k^0 \quad \text{Fourier transform of } u^0 \\ u(t) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}^d} e^{-it\omega_n} u_n^0 \varphi_n(x) & u_n^0 \quad \text{Hermite transform of } u^0. \end{cases}$$

# Linear Hamiltonian PDEs : Space and time discretization

Finite differences on  $\mathbb{T}^d$ .

Space grid  $x_j = jh$  on  $\mathbb{T}^d$ ,  $K \simeq 1/h$  points.

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u \quad \xrightarrow{\text{space grid}} \quad i\partial_t u_j = -\frac{u_{j+1} - 2u_j + u_{j-1}}{h^2}$$

$$i\dot{y} = A_h y, \quad A_h = \frac{1}{h^2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & & & \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ & & & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with } y = (u_j) \in \mathbb{C}^K.$$

Eigenvalue of the matrix :  $|k|^2 \sim \frac{4}{h^2} \sin^2\left(\frac{h|k|^2}{2}\right)$ . After time discretization

$$\dot{y} = A_{\tau,h} y, \quad |k|^2 \sim \begin{cases} \frac{2}{\tau} \arctan\left(\frac{2\tau}{h^2} \sin^2\left(\frac{h|k|^2}{2}\right)\right) & \text{midpoint} \\ \omega_{\tau,h,k} + i\gamma_{\tau,h,k} & \text{Explicit method } \gamma_{\tau,h,k} \neq 0. \end{cases}$$

# Linear Hamiltonian PDEs : Space and time discretization

Spectral methods. Grid  $x_j = jh$  on  $\mathbb{T}^d$ ,  $K \simeq 1/h$  points.

$$u(t, x) \simeq \sum_{k \in \left\{ \frac{K-1}{2}, \dots, \frac{K}{2} \right\}} e^{ik \cdot x} u_k^K(t)$$

- After discrete FFT on the grid  $x_j$ , the equation is

$$\forall k \quad i\partial_t u_k^K(t) = |k|^2 u_k^K(t) \quad \text{diagonal matrix.}$$

Exact up to spectral approximation.

- On  $\mathbb{R}^d$  : we embed in a large torus of size  $L$ .  
(or with Dirichlet boundary condition)  
And **hope** for not too much error... (boundary effects)
- Advantage : Easy to switch from the frequency space to the physical space  $\mathcal{O}(K \log K)$  operation (potential evaluation, nonlinearity).

# Linear Hamiltonian PDEs : Space and time discretization

- Problem with the Harmonic oscillator : No Fast Hermite transform.

$$u(t, x) \simeq \sum_{n \in \{0, \dots, K\}} \varphi_n(x) u_n^K(t)$$

The “Hermite grids” are not included and change when  $K$  vary.  
No divide and conquer algorithm.

- Idea of splitting ?

$$e^{-i\tau H} \simeq e^{-i\frac{\tau}{2}|x|^2} e^{i\tau\Delta} e^{-i\frac{\tau}{2}|x|^2}$$

but  $\Delta$  and  $|x|^2$  are operator of the same order : Large error .

- Quadratic evolution operator : Bernier splitting of the form

$$e^{-itH} = e^{i\alpha(t)|x|^2} e^{i\beta(t)\Delta} e^{i\gamma(t)|x|^2}$$

Exact with explicit formulas for  $\alpha(t), \beta(t) \dots$  Using FFT  $\mathcal{O}(K \log K)$

Preliminary results by Blanes & Bader (2018), full generalization by Joackim Bernier (2020) for any quadratic operator.

Only error comes from the large torus approximation.

# A numerical example

Focusing Schrödinger equation on  $\mathbb{R}$

$$i\partial_t u(x, t) = -\Delta u(x, t) - |u(x, t)|^2 u(x, t)$$

- Preservation of the  $L^2$  norm  $\|u(t)\|_{L^2}^2 = \|u(0)\|_{L^2}^2$  and of the energy

$$H(u) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\partial_x u(x)|^2 - \frac{1}{2} |u(x)|^4 dx = T(u) + P(u)$$

- Pseudospectral discretisation : Large torus  $\mathbb{T}_L = \mathbb{R}/(2\pi L\mathbb{Z})$ .

$$\varphi_T^t(u) = e^{it\Delta} u \quad (\varphi_P^t(u))(x) = e^{it|u(x)|^2} u(x)$$

Two parts are “explicit” up to FFT and space discretization.

- Splitting schemes : For small  $\tau$ ,

$$\phi_H^\tau = \phi_{T+P}^\tau \simeq \phi_T^\tau \circ \phi_P^\tau, \quad \implies \phi_H^{n\tau}(u^0) \simeq (\phi_T^\tau \circ \phi_P^\tau)^n(u^0).$$

# Solitary waves

$$i\partial_t u(t, x) = -\partial_{xx} u(t, x) - |u(t, x)|^2 u(t, x), \quad u(0, x) = u^0(x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- Family of solutions (solitary waves)

$$u(t, x) = \rho(x - ct - x_0) \exp(i(\frac{1}{2}c(x - ct - x_0) + \theta_0)) \exp(i(a + \frac{1}{4}c^2)t)$$

$a, c, x_0$  and  $\theta_0$  are real parameters,

$$\rho(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2a}}{\cosh(\sqrt{a}x)}.$$

- Stable solitons (orbital stability)
- Very particular solution :

$$u(t, x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}e^{it}}{\cosh(x)}.$$

# Solitary waves

- Space discretization : large window  $[-\pi/\sigma, \pi/\sigma]$  ( $\sigma$  small). Fourier pseudo spectral methods with  $K$  equidistant points.
- First case : Explicit splitting method.

$$\phi_H^\tau = \phi_{T+P}^\tau \simeq \phi_T^\tau \circ \phi_P^\tau$$

- $K = 256$ ,  $\sigma = 0.11$ . Courant-Friedrichs-Lowy number :

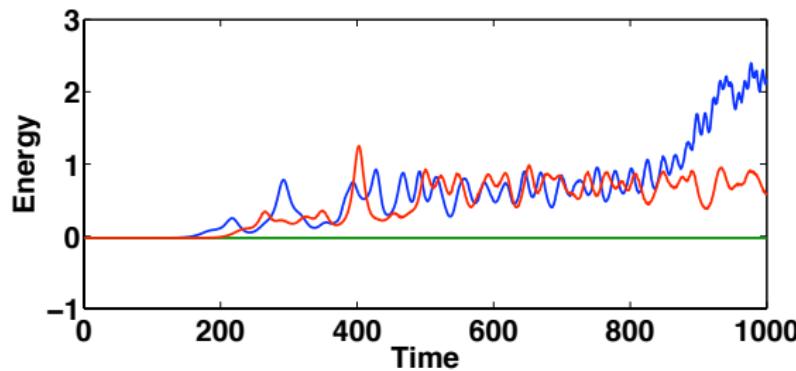
$$cfl = \tau \sigma^2 \left( \frac{K}{2} \right)^2.$$

- $\tau = 0.1$  ( $cfl = 19.8$ ),
- $\tau = 0.05$  ( $cfl = 9.9$ ),
- $\tau = 0.01$  ( $cfl = 1.9$ ).

# Solitary waves

## Evolution of the energy

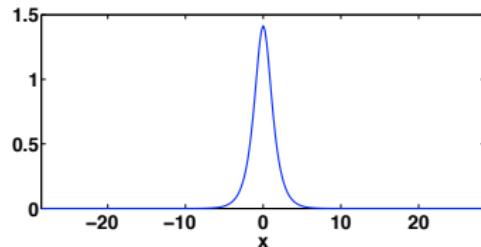
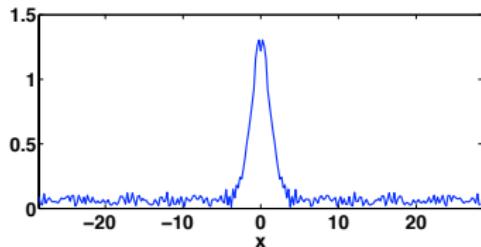
$$H(u, \bar{u}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} |\partial_x u(x)|^2 - \frac{1}{2} |u(x)|^4 dx$$



- $\tau = 0.1$  (cfl = 19.8) : Energy drift
- $\tau = 0.05$  (cfl = 9.9) : Energy drift
- $\tau = 0.01$  (cfl = 1.9) : No drift.

# Solitary waves

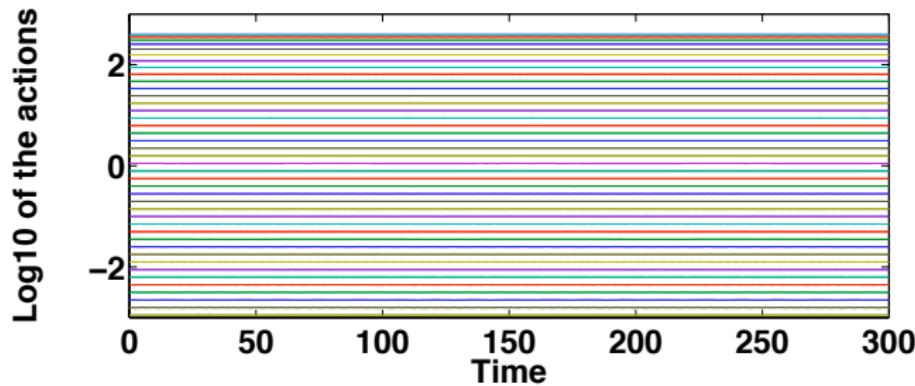
Profile of the solution :  $|u^n(x)|$



- $cfl = 19.8$  at time  $t = 300$  (left)
- $cfl = 1.9$  at time  $t = 10000$  (right)

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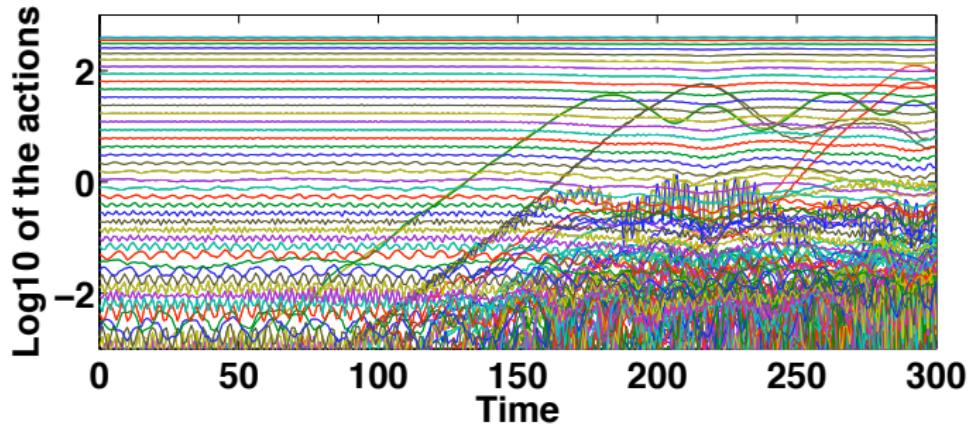
Plot of the Fourier coefficients  $|\hat{u}_k(t)|^2$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  in log scale.



First case : cfl = 1.9

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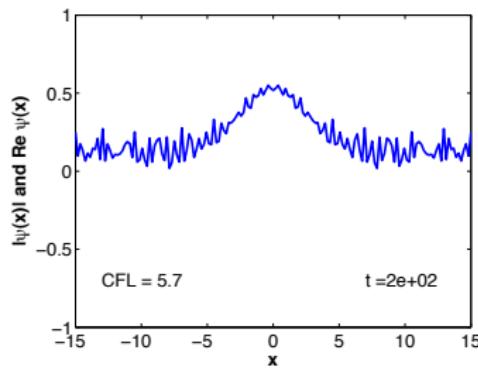
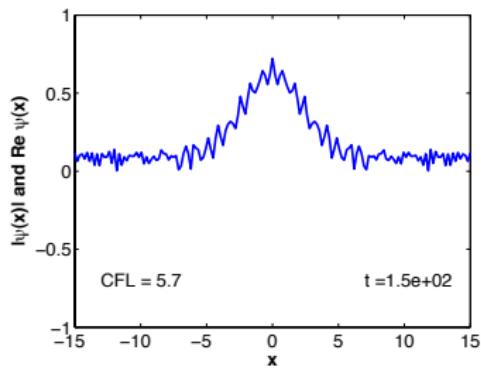
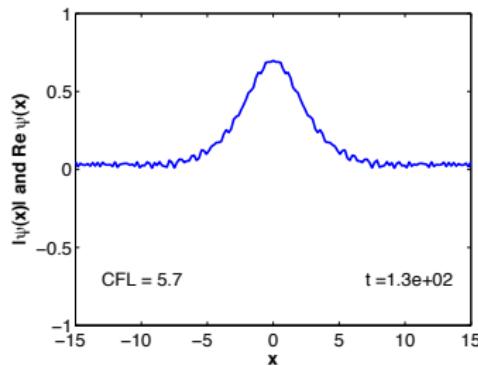
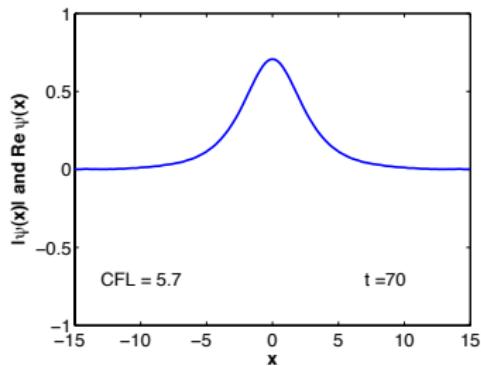
Plot of the Fourier coefficients  $|\hat{u}_k(t)|^2$  for  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  in log scale.



Second case : cfl = 19.8. Leak of energy in the high modes.

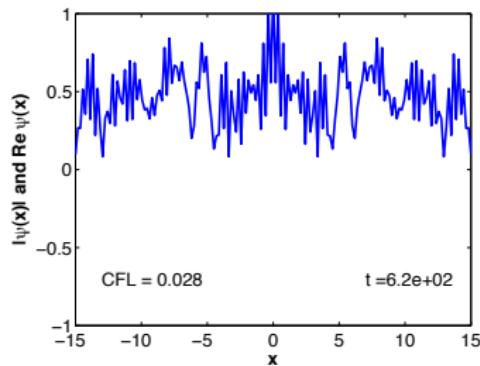
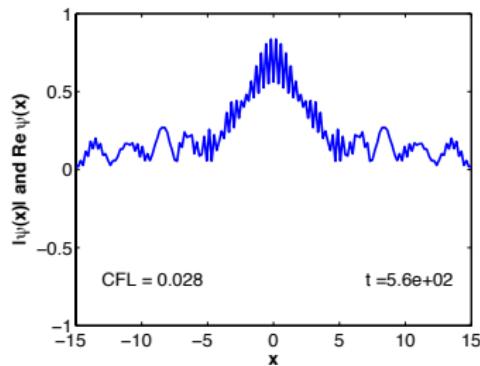
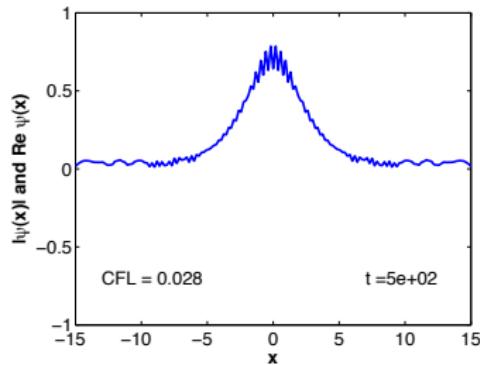
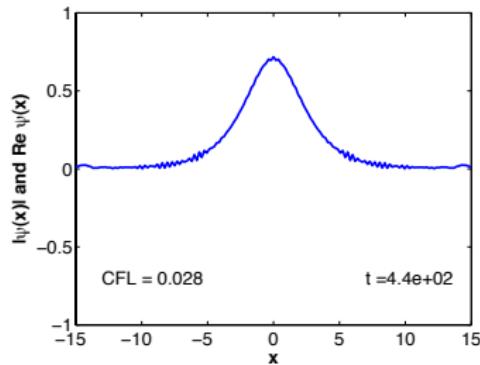
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Symplectic splitting, cfl = 5.7.



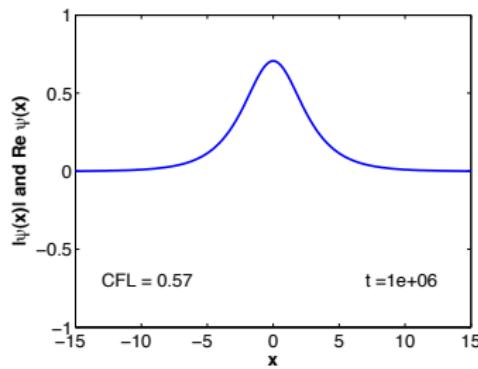
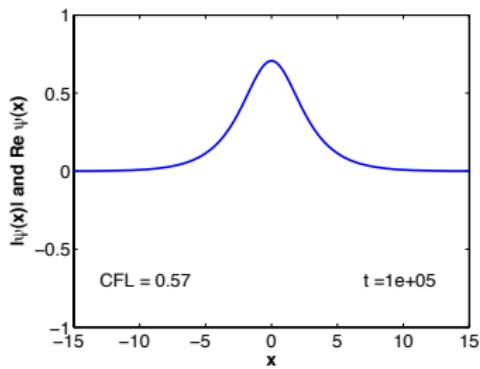
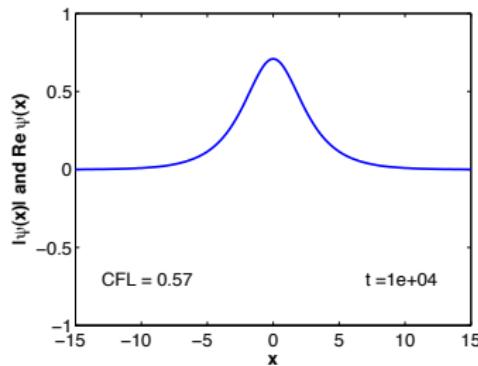
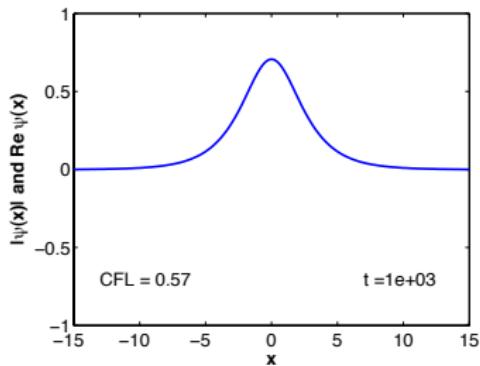
# Solitary waves

Non symplectic integrators :  $\exp(\tau A) \simeq I + \tau A + \frac{\tau^2}{2} A^2$ , cfl = 0.028.



# Solitary waves

Symplectic splitting :  $cfl = 0.57$ .



# Solitary waves

Same computation with the implicit-explicit (IMEX) integrator :

$$\phi_H^\tau = \phi_{T+P}^\tau \simeq R(i\tau\Delta) \circ \phi_P^\tau$$

with

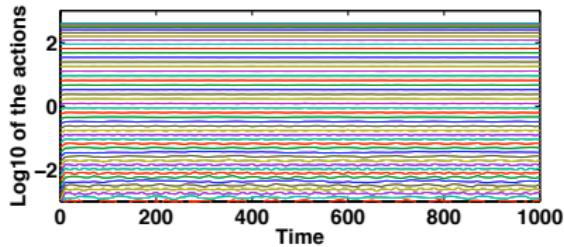
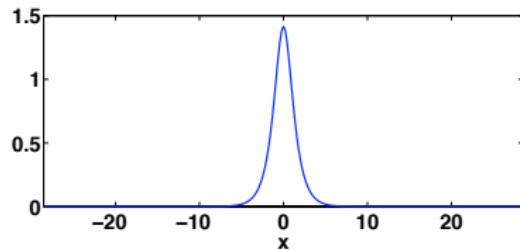
$$R(i\tau\Delta) = \frac{1 + i\tau\Delta/2}{1 - i\tau\Delta/2} \simeq \exp(i\tau\Delta)$$

Midpoint rule applied to the free Schrödinger equation

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u \implies u^{n+1} = u^n + i\tau\Delta \left( \frac{u^{n+1} + u^n}{2} \right)$$

We use  $cfl = 19.8$ .

# Solitary waves



No energy drift, preservation of the regularity, even with  $cfl = 19.8$ .  
Results for discrete solitons :

- Symmetric case : Bambusi & Penati (2010) (space discretization), Bambusi, Faou & Grébert (2013)
- Moving discrete solitary waves : Bernier & Faou (2019)
- CFL condition must always be imposed, except for some energy preserving schemes (Delfour, Fortin & Payre (1981)).
- Weinstein conjecture ?

# Backward error analysis : principles

Schrödinger systems :

$$\partial_t u = iA u + iB u$$

- $A$  and  $B$  real operators (possibly unbounded, possibly nonlinear)
- Exact flow :  $u(t) = \exp(it(A+B))u^0$
- Splitting methods

$$u^1 = \exp(i\tau A) \circ \exp(i\tau B) u^0 = u(\tau) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$$

- Global order 1, Existence of high order splitting.
- preservation of the  $L^2$  norm
- Convergence in  $H^s$  under smoothness assumption in  $H^{s+\eta}$  (for finite times).  $e^{i\tau A} = 1 + \tau A + O(\tau^2 A^2)$

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- Convergence of the series for  $\tau(\|A\| + \|B\|) < 2\pi$ .  
 $A = -\Delta$  or  $A = H$  : no convergence to hope.

$$\|\exp(i\tau A) \circ \exp(i\tau B)y - \exp(i\tau(A+B))y\|_{L_2} = \mathcal{O}(\tau^N \|y\|_{H^{2N}}).$$

Need an a posteriori bound of the numerical solution in all the  $H^s$ .  
Not true in general.

## BCH with unbounded part

$A = -\Delta$ , writing  $\exp(i\tau A) = I + i\tau A - \frac{\tau^2}{2}A^2 + \dots$  not an option.

$$\exp(i\tau A) \circ \exp(i\tau B) = \exp(iZ_0) \circ \exp(i\tau B) = \exp(iZ(\tau))??$$

- $Z_0 = \text{diag}(\lambda_k)$  bounded but not small.
- Explicit integrators :  $\lambda_k = \tau|k|^2$  modulo  $2\pi$  in Fourier.

$$\exp(-i\tau\Delta) = \text{diag}(\exp(i\tau|k|^2))$$

- Implicit-explicit integrators :  $\lambda_k = 2 \arctan(h|k|^2/2)$

$$R(-i\tau\Delta) = \frac{1 - i\tau\Delta/2}{1 + i\tau\Delta/2} = \exp(2i \arctan(-\tau\Delta/2)) =: \exp(iZ_0).$$

## BCH with unbounded part

Find  $Z(t)$  such that

$$\forall t \in [0, \tau], \quad \exp(iZ_0) \circ \exp(itB) = \exp(iZ(t)), \quad Z(0) = Z_0.$$

$$\implies Z'(t) = (\mathrm{d} \exp_{iZ(t)})^{-1} \exp(-iZ(t))B = \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{B_n}{n!} \mathrm{ad}_{iZ(t)}^n(B).$$

- $\mathrm{ad}_A B = [A, B]$ .
- $B_n$  Bernoulli numbers.  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{B_n}{n!} x^n = \frac{x}{e^x - 1}$ .
- Expansion :  $Z(t) = Z_0 + tZ_1 + \dots$
- Second term :

$$Z_1 = \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{B_n}{n!} i^k \mathrm{ad}_{Z_0}^n(B).$$

Nonlinear case :  $\mathrm{ad}_H(K) = \{H, K\}$  (Hamiltonian).

# Linear Schrödinger equation

$$\partial_t u(t, x) = -i\Delta u(t, x) + iV(x)u(t, x), \quad u(0, x) = u_0(x).$$

- $x \in \mathbb{T}^d$ . In Fourier  $A = -\Delta = \text{diag}(|k|^2)$  .  $B = (\widehat{V}_{k-\ell})_{k,\ell \in \mathbb{Z}^d}$  .

$$\partial_t u_k(t) = i|k|^2 u_k(t) + i \sum_{\ell \in \mathbb{Z}^d} \widehat{V}_{k-\ell} u_\ell(t)$$

- $Z_0 = \text{diag}(\lambda_k)$  with  $\lambda_k = \tau|k|^2$  or  $\lambda_k = 2 \arctan(\tau|k|^2/2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{ad}_{Z_0} W)_{k\ell} &= ((Z_0)_{kk} - (Z_0)_{\ell\ell}) W_{k\ell}, \\ &= (\lambda_k - \lambda_\ell) W_{k\ell}. \end{aligned}$$

- $(Z_1)_{k\ell} = B_{k\ell} \frac{i(\lambda_k - \lambda_\ell)}{\exp(i(\lambda_k - \lambda_\ell)) - 1}$  well defined for  $|\lambda_k - \lambda_\ell| < 2\pi$

# Modified energy

Theorem (Debussche & Faou 2008)

For the implicit-explicit integrator, there exists a symmetric operator  $S(\tau)$  such that for all  $\tau \leq \tau_0$

$$R(-i\tau\Delta) \exp(i\tau V) = \exp(i\tau S(\tau))$$

Moreover

$$S(\tau) = \frac{2}{\tau} \arctan(-\tau\Delta/2) + \tilde{V}(\tau)$$

- $\tilde{V}(\tau)$  modified (bounded and smooth) potential
- $\langle u|S(\tau)|u\rangle$  invariant of the numerical scheme
- No residual term.
- Backward error analysis result.
- Same result for explicit splitting with CFL.

## Modified energy

$$S(\tau) = \frac{2}{\tau} \arctan(-\tau\Delta/2) + \tilde{V}(\tau)$$

We have for the numerical solution  $u^n$  :

$$\langle u^n | S(\tau) | u^n \rangle = \langle u^0 | S(\tau) | u^0 \rangle$$

### Corollary

for all  $n$  we have

$$\sum_{|k| \leq 1/\sqrt{\tau}} |k|^2 |u_k^n|^2 + \frac{1}{\tau} \sum_{|k| > 1/\sqrt{\tau}} |u_k^n|^2 \leq C_0 \|u^0\|_{H^1}^2.$$

- Fully discrete system : aliasing problems
- Under CFL conditions :  $H^1$  bounds of the solution independent on  $K$ .

# Cubic nonlinear Schrödinger equation

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u + |u|^2 u = \frac{\partial H}{\partial \bar{u}}(u, \bar{u})$$

Wave function  $u(t, x) \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{T}$ .

- Hamiltonian

$$H(u, \bar{u}) = \int_{\mathbb{T}} (|\nabla u|^2 + \frac{1}{2} |u|^4) dx.$$

- Decomposition  $u = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} u_k e^{ikx}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} H(u, \bar{u}) &= T(u, \bar{u}) + P(u, \bar{u}) \\ &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} |k|^2 |u_k|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k+m-\ell-j=0} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j. \end{aligned}$$

# Cubic nonlinear Schrödinger equation

- Hamiltonian system : for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,

$$\dot{u}_k = -i|k|^2 u_k - i \sum_{k=k-\ell+m} u_k \bar{u}_\ell u_m.$$

- $A = -\Delta$ ,  $B = P$  Polynomial Hamiltonian  $P$

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k+m-\ell-j=0} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j$$

Action of  $Z_0 = \sum_k \lambda_k |u_k|^2$  :

$$\{Z_0, u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j\} = i \Omega_{km\ell j} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j$$

where

$$\Omega_{km\ell j} = \lambda_k + \lambda_m - \lambda_\ell - \lambda_j$$

# Modified energy

First term :

$$Z_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k+m-\ell-j=0} \left( \frac{i\Omega_{km\ell j}}{e^{i\Omega_{km\ell j}} - 1} \right) u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j$$

- $Z_1$  : Control of the small denominator at the order 4.
- $Z_2$  : defined similarly, but of degree 6.
- Construction of  $Z_n$  :  $\lambda_k \leq \frac{2\pi}{n+1}$ .
- In general : CFL condition  $\tau|k|^2 \leq \frac{2\pi}{n+1}$  or  $\tau|k|^2 \leq 2 \tan(\frac{\pi}{n+1})$

# Modified flow

## Theorem (Faou & Grébert 2009)

There exists a polynomial Hamiltonian  $H_\tau$  such that for all  $u \in B_M = \{ u \in \ell^1 \mid \|u\|_{\ell^1} \leq M \}$ , we have

$$\|\phi_P^\tau \circ \phi_{Z_0}^1(u) - \phi_{H_\tau}^\tau(u)\|_{\ell^1} \leq \tau^{N+1} (CN)^N.$$

In general,  $N$  is given by the CFL condition.  $\|u\|_{\ell^1} := \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} |u_k|$ .

$$H_\tau(u, \bar{u}) = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{1}{\tau} \lambda_k |u_k|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k+m-\ell-j=0} \frac{i\Omega_{km\ell j}}{e^{i\Omega_{km\ell j}} - 1} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j + \mathcal{O}(\tau)$$

Finite dimensional case : in the 90's [Benettin & Giorgilli 94] [Tang 94]  
[Hairer & Lubich 97] [Reich 99]

# CFL conditions

Splitting or implicit explicit method : **CFL condition**

For cubic NLS : cfl numbers

$\tau^{N+1}$	x	$2 \arctan(x/2)$
$\tau^2$	3.14	$\infty$
$\tau^3$	2.10	3.46
$\tau^4$	1.57	2.00
$\tau^5$	1.27	1.45
$\tau^6$	1.05	1.15
$\tau^7$	0.90	0.96
$\tau^8$	0.80	0.83
$\tau^9$	0.70	0.73
$\tau^{10}$	0.63	0.65

## Fully discrete case

The discretized Hamiltonian writes (in dimension 1)

$$\sum_{k \in B_K} |k|^2 |u_k|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\substack{k, m, \ell, j \in B_K^4 \\ k+m-\ell-j \in K\mathbb{Z}}} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j.$$

where  $B_K = \{j \in \mathbb{Z} \mid -\frac{K}{2} \leq j \leq \frac{K}{2} - 1\}$ .

Modified Hamiltonian for the explicit splitting with CFL ( $\lambda_k = \tau |k|^2$ ).

$$H_\tau(u, \bar{u}) = \sum_{k \in B_K} |k|^2 |u_k|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\substack{k, m, \ell, j \in B_K^4 \\ k+m-\ell-j \in K\mathbb{Z}}} \frac{i\Omega_{kmlj}(\tau)}{e^{i\Omega_{kmlj}(\tau)} - 1} u_k u_m \bar{u}_\ell \bar{u}_j + \mathcal{O}(\tau)$$

Aliasing problems and resonances.

Classical splitting :  $\Omega_{kmlj}(\tau) = \tau(|k|^2 + |m|^2 - |\ell|^2 - |j|^2)$ .

## Numerical experiments

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u + V \star u + |u|^2 u, \quad x \in \mathbb{T}^1.$$

$\hat{V}(k) = -\frac{2}{10+2k^2}$ . Linear frequencies of the operator  $H_0 = -\Delta + V \star$  :

$$\omega_k = k^2 - \frac{2}{10 + 2k^2}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

Initial value :

$$u^0 = \frac{0.1}{4 - 2 \cos(x)}$$

We use a collocation space discretization with  $K = 400$  Fourier coefficients.

# Numerical experiment : Standard splitting

Plot : Fourier coefficients  $|\hat{u}_k|^2$  in logarithmic scale. Splitting algorithm.

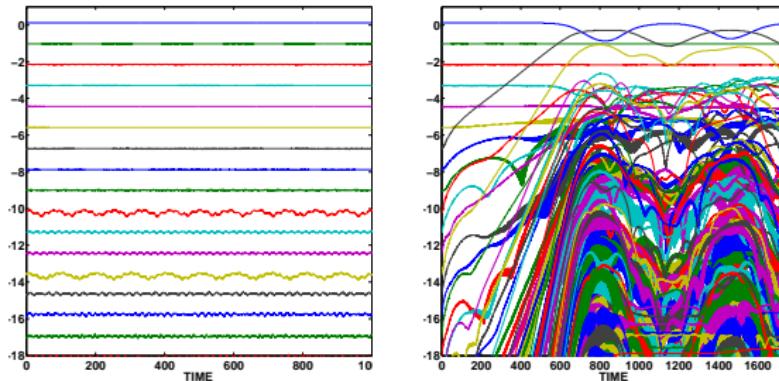


Figure – Right :  $\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_7 - \omega_1} \simeq 0.17459\dots$ , Left :  $\tau = 0.174$

# Implicit-explicit integrator

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u + V \star u + |u|^2 u, \quad x \in \mathbb{T}^1.$$

$$u^{n+1} = R(-i\tau H_0) \circ \varphi_P^\tau(u^n), \quad \text{with} \quad \begin{cases} R(z) = \frac{1+z/2}{1-z/2}, \\ \varphi_P^\tau(u)(x) = e^{-i\tau|u(x)|^2} u(x) \end{cases}$$

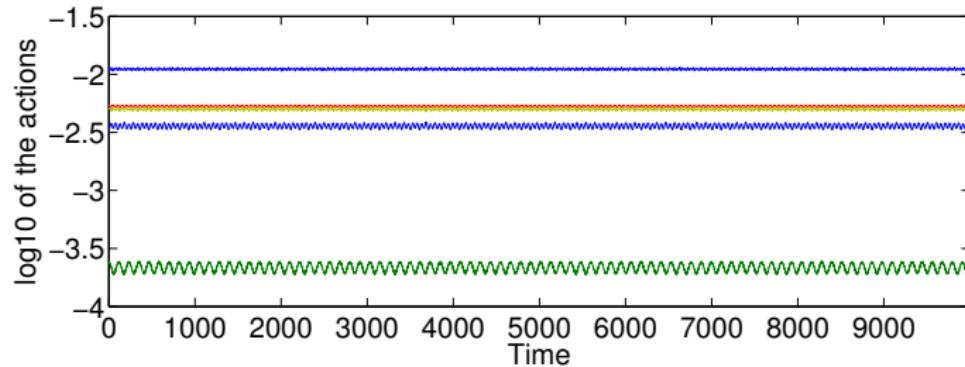
We consider as initial value the function

$$u^0 = \frac{0.1}{4 - 2 \cos(x)} + 0.05(2e^{2ix} - 2e^{5ix} + 3e^{7ix}).$$

Collocation space discretization with  $K = 200$  Fourier modes.

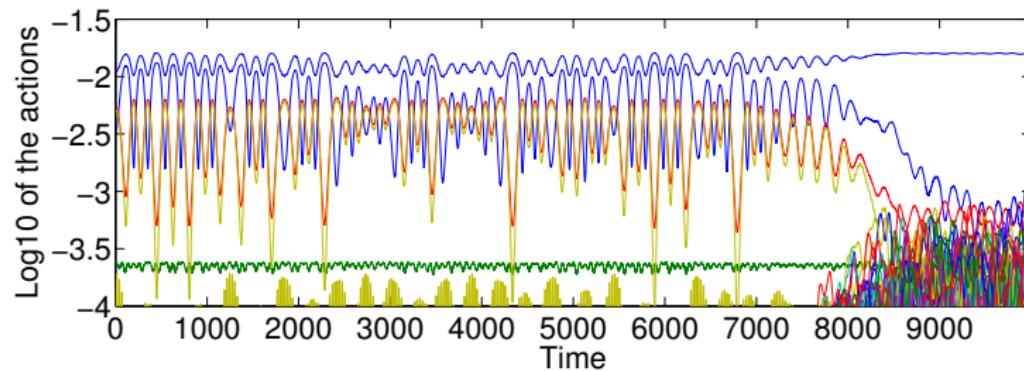
# Implicit-explicit integrator

Evolution of the sum of the numerical actions  $|\hat{u}_k^n|^2$  in logarithmic scale.



Stepsize  $\tau = 0.13$ . Long-time behavior as expected.

# Implicit-explicit integrator



Stepsize  $\tau = 0.1278\dots$  such that

$$\arctan(\tau\omega_2/2) + \arctan(\tau\omega_5/2) - \arctan(\tau\omega_{-7}/2) = 0$$

Cancellation of the small divisor

$$\exp(2i \arctan(\tau\omega_2/2) + 2i \arctan(\tau\omega_5/2) - 2i \arctan(\tau\omega_{-7}/2)) - 1$$

## Midpoint rule (Work with G. Maierhofer and K. Schratz)

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u + V \star u + |u|^2 u, \quad x \in \mathbb{T}^1.$$

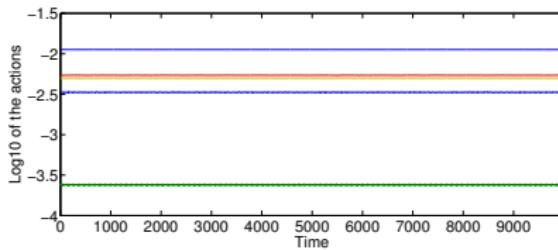
$$u^{n+1} = u^n - i\tau H_0 \left( \frac{u^{n+1} + u^n}{2} \right) - i\tau g \left( \frac{u^{n+1} + u^n}{2} \right)$$

$$g(u) = |u|^2 u.$$

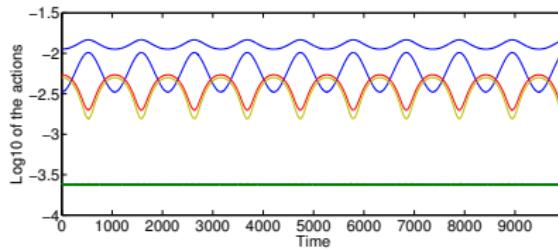
$$\begin{aligned} u^{n+1} &= R(-i\tau H_0) \circ \left( u^n - \frac{2i\tau}{2 - i\tau H_0} g \left( \frac{u^{n+1} + u^n}{2} \right) \right) \\ &= R(-i\tau H_0) \circ \varphi_{P_\tau}^\tau \end{aligned}$$

- Can be interpreted as a splitting schemes where  $P_\tau$  is a pseudodifferential Hamiltonian.
- Same procedure as before (Rigorous results more technical)  
*Existence of modified energy under CFL condition.*
- Same parameters as before

# Numerical experiment



Non-resonant step size.



Resonant step size with the arctan

## Physical resonances.

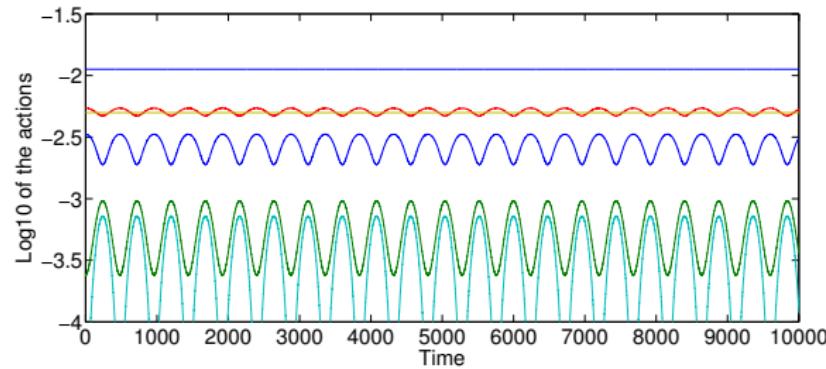
Same problem, but we construct a resonant situation :

$$\omega_2 = 10, \quad \omega_5 = 30 \quad \text{and} \quad \omega_{-7} = 40,$$

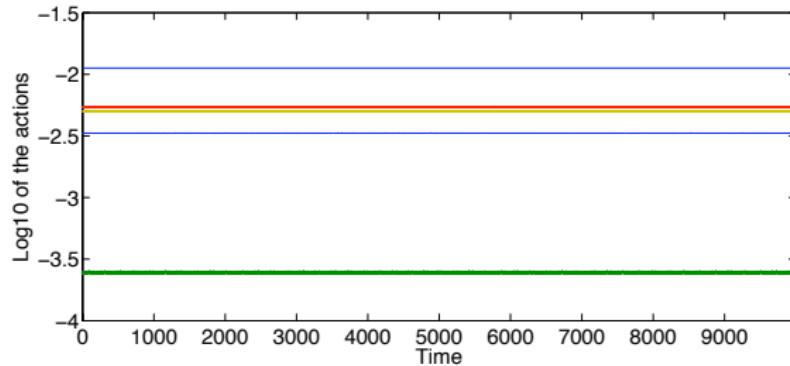
so that the (“physical”) resonance relation holds :

$$\omega_2 + \omega_5 - \omega_{-7} = 0.$$

Exact solution : energy exchanges (Splitting scheme, CFL = 1)



## Breaking physical resonances



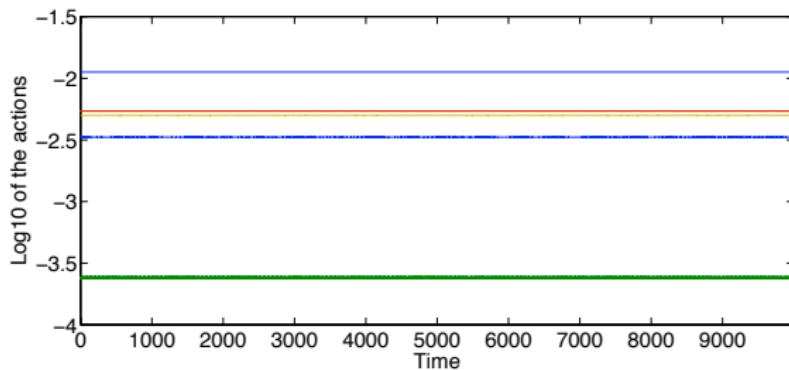
Implicit-explicit integrator with  $\tau = 0.0812\dots$  such that

$$2 \arctan(\tau \omega_2/2) + 2 \arctan(\tau \omega_5/2) - 2 \arctan(\tau \omega_{-7}/2) = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$|\exp(2i \arctan(\tau \omega_2/2) + 2i \arctan(\tau \omega_5/2) - 2i \arctan(\tau \omega_{-7}/2)) - 1| \simeq 0.485\dots$$

but  $\omega_2 + \omega_5 - \omega_7 = 0 !!$

# Breaking physical resonances



Undesired actions preservation by the midpoint rule.

# Energy cascades

NLS on the two-dimensional torus

$$i\partial_t u = -\Delta u + \varepsilon|u|^2 u, \quad x \in \mathbb{T}^2,$$

and we take as initial data

$$u(0, x) = 1 + 2 \cos(x_1) + 2 \cos(x_2).$$

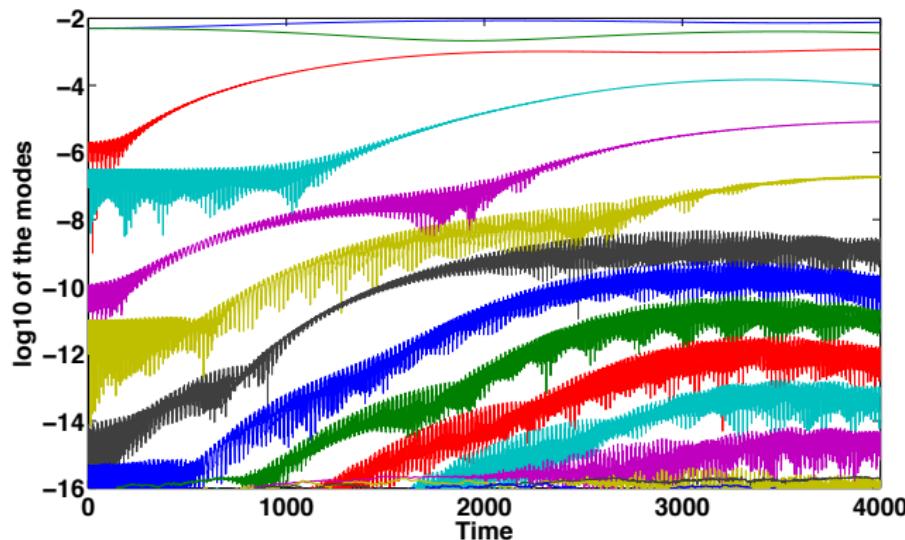
There exists energy cascades (Carles & Faou, 2012).

Resonant modulus

$$\begin{cases} |a|^2 + |b|^2 - |c|^2 - |d|^2 = 0 \\ a + b - c - d = 0 \in \mathbb{Z}^2 \end{cases} \implies (a, c, b, d) \text{ rectangle.}$$

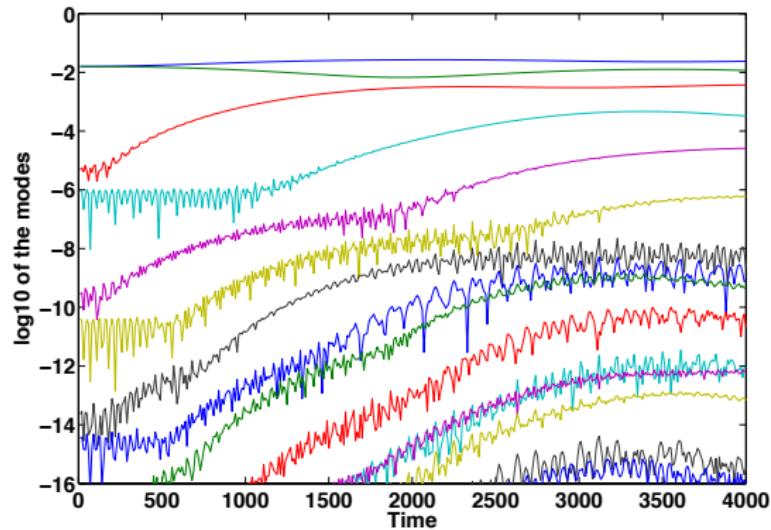
## Energy cascade

Numerical reproduction of these energy exchanges is not guaranteed in general. Explicit scheme,  $CFL = 0.1$



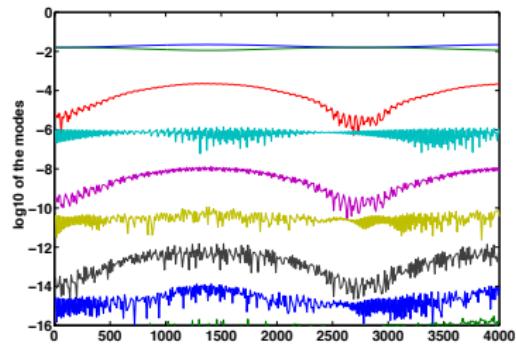
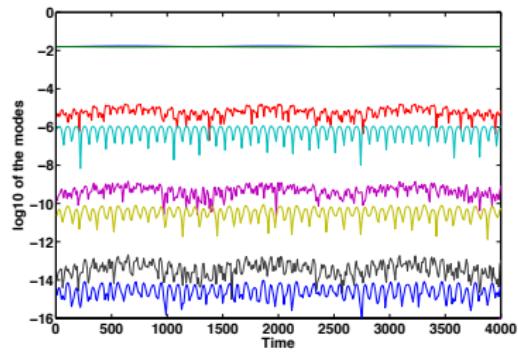
# Energy cascade

Explicit scheme,  $\tau = 0.1$ , grid  $128 \times 128$ .



# Midpoint barrage

Implicit explicit integrators : No energy cascade.



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