

A construction of integrable systems with positive entropy

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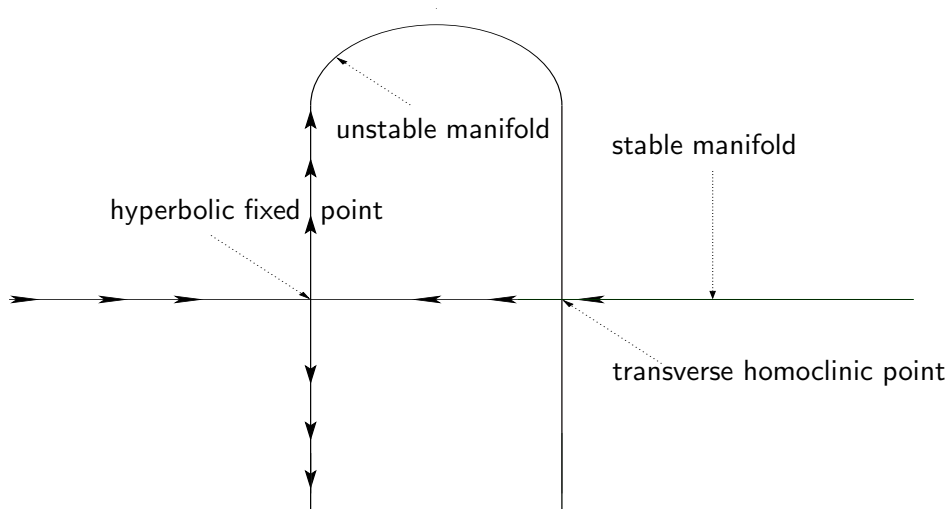
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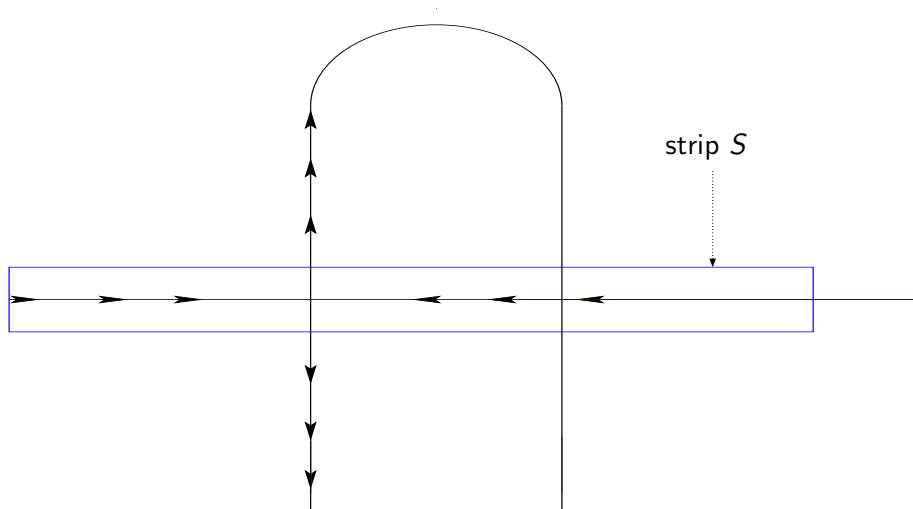
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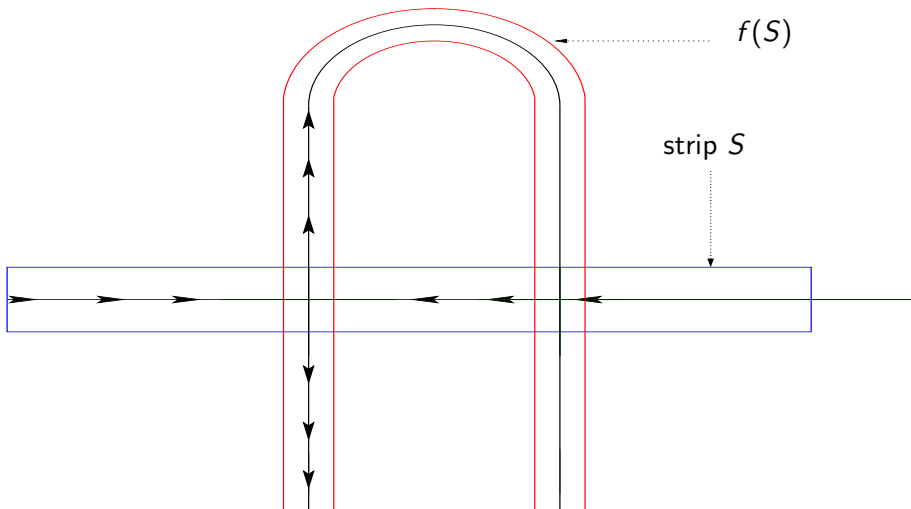
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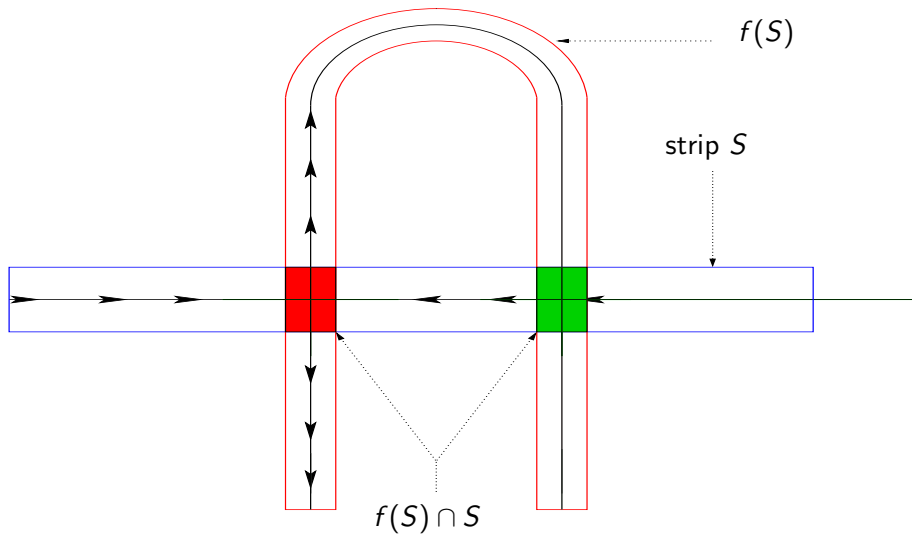
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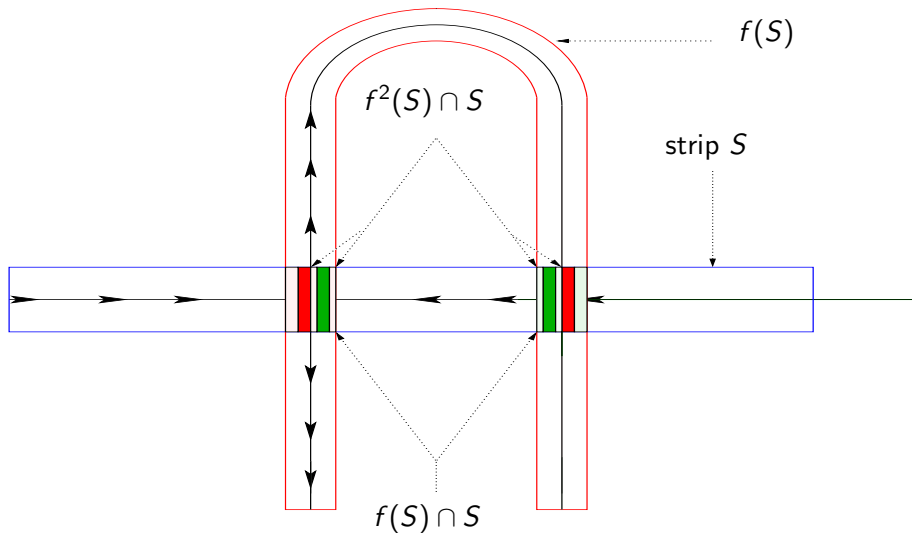
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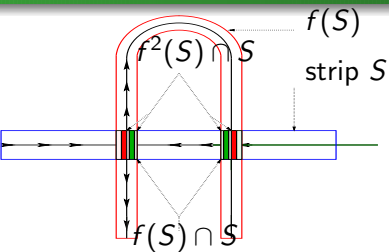
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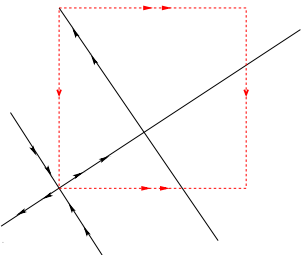
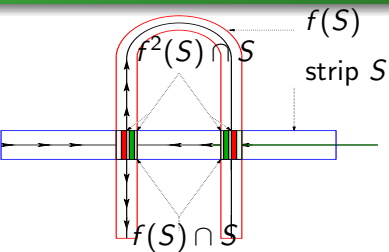
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Example: \mathbf{T}^2 automorphism

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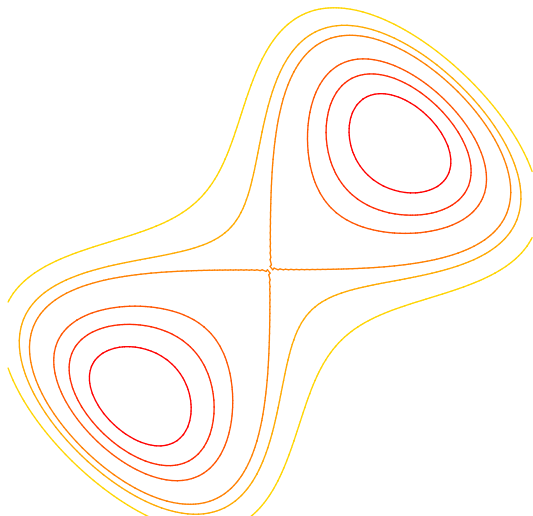
is a compact, non-empty, regular level set, then

- T_c is diffeomorphic to the n -torus \mathbf{T}^n ;
- there is an open neighbourhood of T_c diffeomorphic to $\mathbf{T}^n \times \mathbf{R}^n$;
- there are coordinates (θ, I) such that
 - each $F_j = F_j(I)$;
 - each vector field is linear

$$\dot{\theta} = \frac{\partial F_j(I)}{\partial I} \quad \dot{I} = 0.$$

Integrability

- A **typical** phase portrait:



- fibred by tori
- tori degenerate
- degenerations **controlled** by Morse-like behaviour

▶ To horseshoe

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This implies:

- 1 Surfaces: S^2, \mathbf{T}^2 ;
- 2 3-manifolds:
 - $b_1 = 0$: \tilde{M} is a homotopy S^3 ;
 - $b_1 = 1$: M is finitely covered by a homotopy $S^1 \times S^2$;
 - $b_1 = 2$: can't happen (Reidemeister);
 - $b_1 = 3$: M is finitely covered by a homotopy \mathbf{T}^3 .

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- Discrete group: $u = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$

$$\Delta = \left\{ (u^k, \mathbf{y}) : y_0 = \frac{n + m\sqrt{5}}{2}, y_1 = \frac{n - m\sqrt{5}}{2}, k, m, n \in \mathbf{Z} \right\}.$$

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- abelian subgroups of $\text{Aut}(\mathbf{T}^n) \rightarrow$ algebraic extensions of \mathbf{Q}
- “best” subgroup \rightarrow group of units.

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\mathbf{Z}^n	\rightarrow	module over \mathcal{O}_F
\mathbf{T}^n	\rightarrow	sum of copies of $\mathcal{O}_F \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}} \mathbf{R} / \mathcal{O}_F$
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Toda Lattices and Positive-Entropy Integrable Systems

Theorem (B. 2004, B. 2008)

Let $\mathbf{Q} \subset F \subset E$ be algebraic number fields. Let $\Delta = \mathcal{U}_F^+ \star \mathcal{O}_E$. There is a bundle $\mathbf{T}^b \hookrightarrow \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbf{T}^a$ with $\pi_1(\Sigma) = \Delta$ such that

- 1 for each periodic Toda lattice Ψ of rank n , there is an integrable hamiltonian $H_\Psi : T^*\Sigma \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$;
- 2 the flow of H_Ψ contains a subsystem isomorphic to $u \in \mathcal{U}_F$ for all u ;
- 3 for $n = 1$ and $F = \mathbf{Q}(\sqrt{5})$, the $A_1^{(1)}$ Toda lattice yields the Bolsinov-Taimanov example.

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The entropy of the $A_a^{(1)}$ Toda flow on $\mathfrak{v}^\perp \times \Sigma \cap S^*\Sigma$ is

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Let $h : \mathcal{U}_F^+ \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ be the entropy functional:

$$h(u) = h_{\text{top}}(u) \quad u \in \text{Aut}(\mathbf{V}/\mathcal{O}_E).$$

If the flows φ_1 and φ_2 are topologically conjugate on their unit sphere bundles, then there is $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathcal{U}_F)$ such that

$$h \circ f = h.$$

If F is *totally hyperbolic*, then f is induced by some $\beta \in \text{Aut}(F/\mathbf{Q})$.

Continuing Questions

- 1 These systems have positive topological entropy, but zero Liouville entropy. Are there positive Liouville entropy integrable systems?
- 2 What about other *Sol*-manifolds? E.g. suspensions of non-maximal abelian groups of automorphisms?
- 3 How essential is total hyperbolicity?
- 4 Connections with magneto-hydrodynamics.