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# Numerical Methods and Solutions of Nonlinear Dirac Equation

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# 1、Introduction

- **Dirac equation** is a relativistic wave equation in particle physics, formulated by Paul Dirac in 1928, and describes fields corresponding to elementary spin- $\frac{1}{2}$  particles (such as the electron) as a vector of four complex numbers (a bi-spinor), in contrast to the Schrödinger equation which describes a field of only one complex value.



Paul Dirac shared the 1933 **Nobel Prize** for physics with Erwin Schrödinger "for the discovery of new productive forms of atomic theory."

# 1、Introduction

Dirac equation in the covariant form

unified form for all inertial coordinate

$$\frac{1}{i}\gamma^\mu\partial_\mu\psi + m\psi = 0$$

where  $\{\gamma^0, \gamma^1, \gamma^2, \gamma^3\}$  are four contravariant **gamma matrices**, also known as the **Dirac matrices**

$$\gamma^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -i \\ 0 & 0 & i & 0 \\ 0 & i & 0 & 0 \\ -i & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

satisfying the anticommutation relation:

$$\{\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu\} = \gamma^\mu\gamma^\nu + \gamma^\nu\gamma^\mu = 2\eta^{\mu\nu}I_4$$

**metric tensor**

$$\eta = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# 1、Introduction

Dirac equation in the rest frame

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi(\mathbf{x}, t)}{\partial t} = \left( \frac{1}{i} \boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} + \beta m \right) \psi(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

where  $m$  is the rest mass of spin-1/2 particle (electron), the reduced Planck constant is:  $\hbar \equiv \frac{h}{2\pi} = 1.054\,571\,68(18) \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}$ ,

The matrices are all Hermitian and have squares equal to the identity matrix, and they all mutually anticommute:

$$\alpha_i^2 = \beta^2 = I_4, \quad \alpha_i \alpha_j + \alpha_j \alpha_i = 0, \quad \alpha_i \beta + \beta \alpha_i = 0, \quad i \neq j$$

They are usually taken as

$$\beta = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & -I \end{pmatrix} \quad \alpha_i = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma_i \\ \sigma_i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\sigma_i$  is Pauli matrix

$$\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



# 1、Introduction

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- It is consistent with both the principles of quantum mechanics and the theory of special relativity, and is the first theory to account fully for relativity in the context of quantum mechanics.
- It implies the existence of a new form of matter, ***antimatter***, hitherto unsuspected and unobserved, and actually predated its experimental discovery.

# 1、Introduction

- The **nonlinear Dirac (NLD)** system in quantum field theory is used to model extended particles by the spinor field equation.
- To make the resulting NLD model to be Lorentz invariable, the so-called self-interaction Lagrangian can be built up from the bilinear (in the spinor) covariant which are categorized into five types: **scalar, pseudoscalar, vector, axial vector and tensor**.
- Different self-interactions give rise to different NLD models.

Classification	Covariant Form	no. of Components
Scalar	$\bar{\psi}\psi$	1
Pseudoscalar	$\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\psi$	1
Vector	$\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\psi$	4
Axial Vector	$\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu\psi$	4
Rank 2 antisymmetric tensor	$\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi$	6
Total		16

# 1、Introduction

- For example, (1+1)-d Soler model (based on the scalar bilinear covariant)

$$i\partial_t\psi = \left[ -i\sigma_1\partial_x + m\sigma_3 - 2\lambda(\psi^\dagger\sigma_3\psi)\sigma_3 \right] \psi$$
$$\sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

which is a classical spinorial model with **scalar self-interaction**.

- A key feature of the NLD equation is that it allows solitary wave solutions or particle-like solutions: the stable localized solutions with finite energy and charge.
- It describes the motion of the positive & negative electrons with high-speed.



# 1、Introduction

- Standing wave solution

$$\psi^{sw}(x, t) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1^{sw}(x, t) \\ \psi_2^{sw}(x, t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A(x) \\ iB(x) \end{pmatrix} e^{-i\Lambda t},$$

$$0 < \Lambda \leq m,$$

$$A(x) = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda}(m^2 - \Lambda^2)(m + \Lambda) \cosh(\sqrt{(m^2 - \Lambda^2)x})}}{m + \Lambda \cosh(2\sqrt{(m^2 - \Lambda^2)x})},$$

$$B(x) = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{\lambda}(m^2 - \Lambda^2)(m - \Lambda) \sinh(\sqrt{(m^2 - \Lambda^2)x})}}{m + \Lambda \cosh(2\sqrt{(m^2 - \Lambda^2)x})}.$$

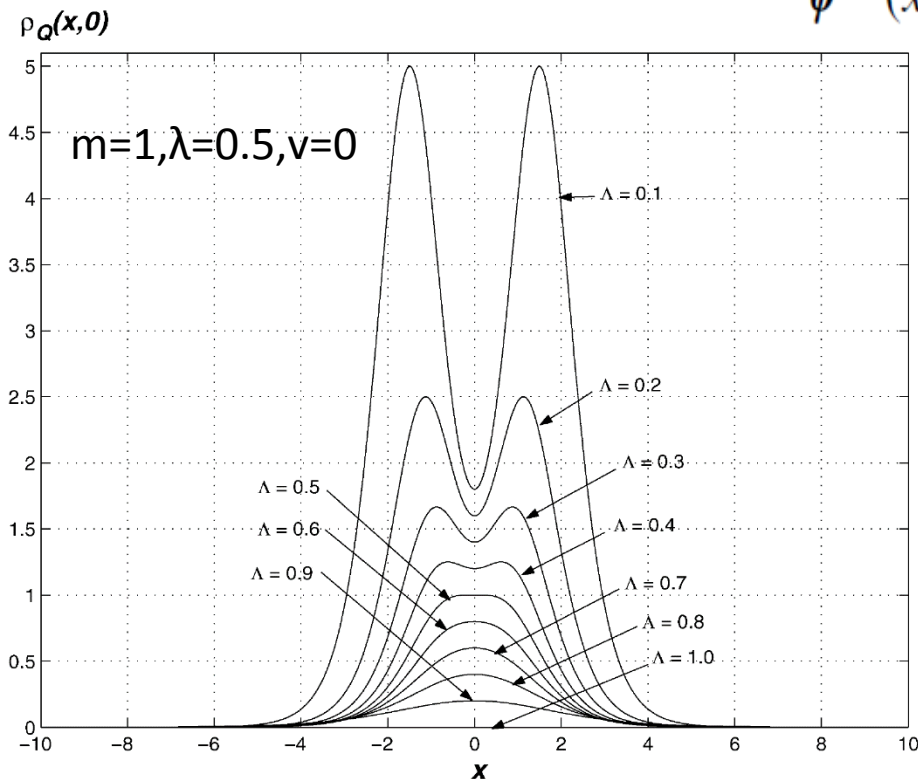
$$\begin{aligned} E(t) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx [\text{Im}(\psi_1^* \partial_x \psi_2 + \psi_2^* \partial_x \psi_1) \\ &\quad + m(|\psi_1|^2 - |\psi_2|^2) - \lambda(|\psi_1|^2 - |\psi_2|^2)^2] \\ &\equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \rho_E(x, t), \end{aligned}$$

$$Q(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx (|\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2) \equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \rho_Q(x, t),$$

# 1、Introduction

- solitary wave solution

$$\psi^{ss}(x - x_0, t) = (\psi_1^{ss}(x - x_0, t), \psi_2^{ss}(x - x_0, t))^T$$



$$\psi_1^{ss}(x - x_0, t)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\gamma + 1}{2}} \psi_1^{sw}(\tilde{x}, \tilde{t}) + \text{sign}(v) \sqrt{\frac{\gamma - 1}{2}} \psi_2^{sw}(\tilde{x}, \tilde{t})$$

$$\psi_2^{ss}(x - x_0, t)$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\gamma + 1}{2}} \psi_2^{sw}(\tilde{x}, \tilde{t}) + \text{sign}(v) \sqrt{\frac{\gamma - 1}{2}} \psi_1^{sw}(\tilde{x}, \tilde{t})$$

$$\gamma = 1/\sqrt{1-v^2}, \tilde{x} = \gamma(x - x_0 - vt), \tilde{t} = \gamma(t - v(x - x_0))$$

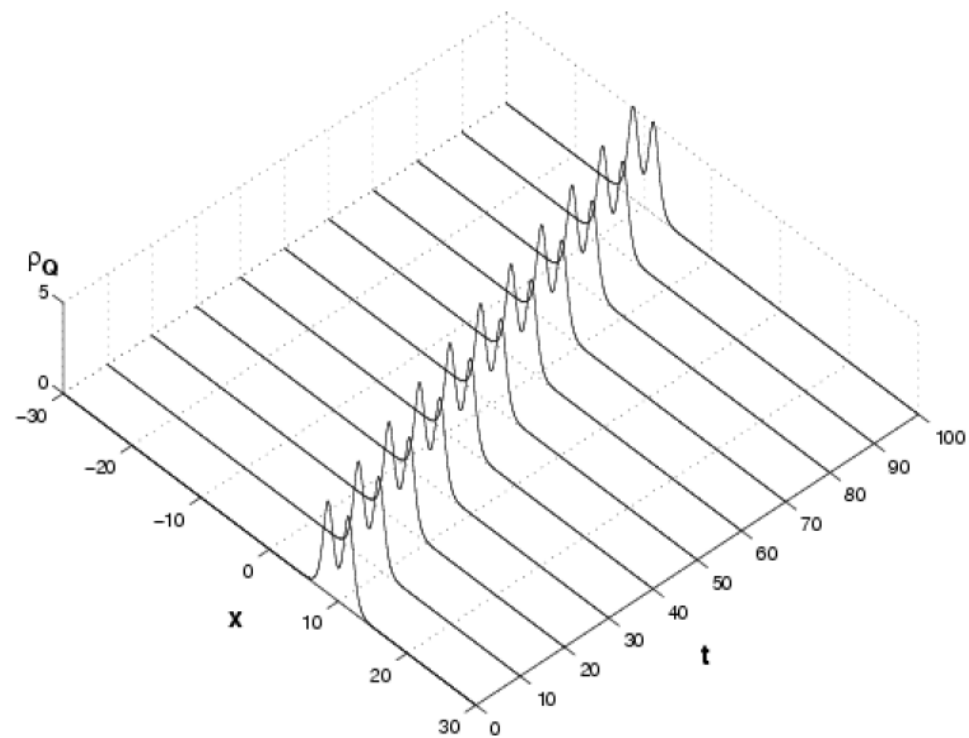
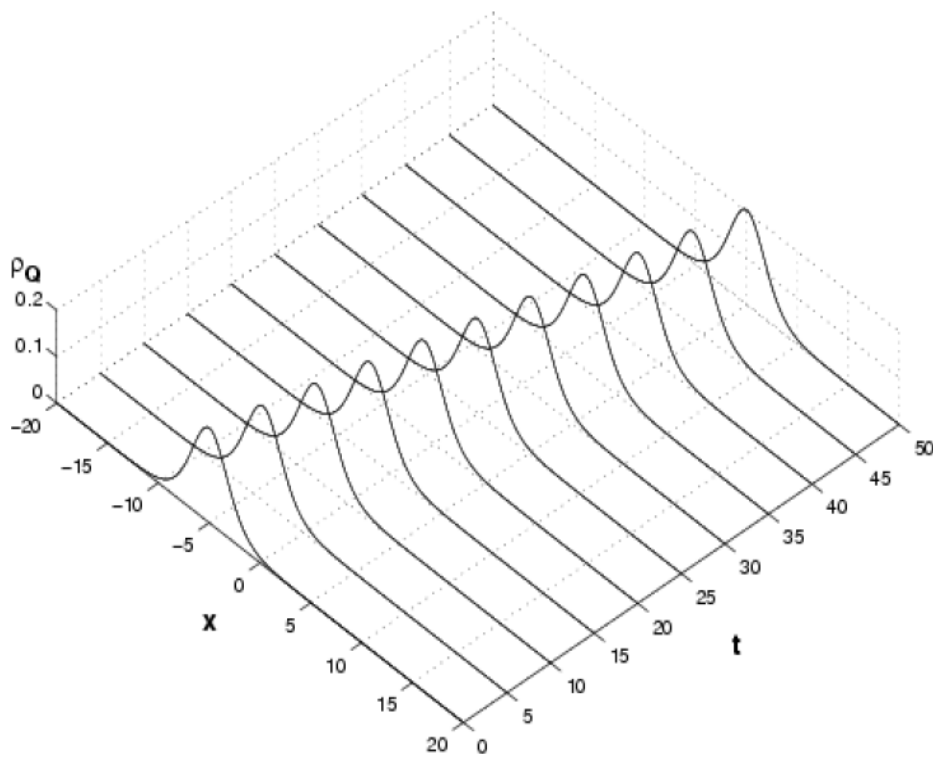
For  $0 < \Lambda < m/2$ , two-humped soliton (with two peaks) in the charge density;

For  $m/2 \leq \Lambda < m$ , one-humped soliton;

For  $\Lambda = m$ ,  $\psi^{ss}(x - x_0, t) \equiv 0$

# 1、Introduction

- Motion of Dirac solitary waves



# 1、Introduction

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## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves

The **two-hump profile** is first pointed out by Shao and Tang [Phys. Lett. A, 345(2005), 119] and later gotten noticed by other researchers *e.g.* [Phys. Rev. E **82**, 036604 (2010)].

**Question:** Is there the multi-hump profile in Dirac solitary wave?



## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves

$$(i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m)\Psi + \frac{\partial L_I}{\partial \bar{\Psi}} = 0, \quad \leftarrow \text{the Euler-Lagrange equation } \partial_\mu \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial (\partial_\mu \bar{\Psi})} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial \bar{\Psi}} = 0$$

Lagrangian  $L$  reads  $L = L_D + L_I$ .

Dirac Lagrangian  $L_D = \frac{i}{2} (\bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \Psi - (\partial_\mu \bar{\Psi}) \gamma^\mu \Psi) - m \bar{\Psi} \Psi,$

General linear combined self-interaction

$$L_I = s(L_S)^{k+1} + p(L_P)^{k+1} + v(L_V)^{\frac{1}{2}(k+1)},$$

$$L_S = \bar{\Psi} \Psi = |\Psi_1|^2 - |\Psi_2|^2 \in \mathbb{R},$$

$$L_P = -i \bar{\Psi} \gamma^5 \Psi = 2 \text{Im}(\Psi_1^* \Psi_2) \in \mathbb{R},$$

$$L_V = \bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \Psi \bar{\Psi} \gamma_\mu \Psi,$$

self-interaction Lagrangian  $L_I$  is a nonlinear functional of the spinors  $\Psi$  and  $\bar{\Psi}$  and is invariant under the Lorentz transformation.

$$L_A = \bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 \Psi \bar{\Psi} \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 \Psi,$$

$$L_V = -L_A$$

It is also subject to conservation laws for the current vector and the energy-momentum tensor

$$\partial_\mu j^\mu = 0,$$

$$\partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} = 0,$$

$$j^\mu = \bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \Psi,$$

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \frac{i}{2} (\bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \partial^\nu \Psi - (\partial^\nu \bar{\Psi}) \gamma^\mu \Psi) - \eta^{\mu\nu} L.$$



## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves

Consider solitary wave solution in the form

$$\Psi(x, t) = e^{-i\omega t} \psi(x), \quad \psi(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi(x) \\ \chi(x) \end{pmatrix} = R(x) \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta(x)) \\ i \sin(\theta(x)) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L_I = (R(x))^{2(k+1)} G(x)$$

$$G(x) := s(\cos(2\theta(x)))^{k+1} + p(\sin(2\theta(x)))^{k+1} + v$$

- When  $m > \omega \geq 0$

$$\theta(x) = \tan^{-1}(\alpha \tanh(k\beta x)) \in (-\tan^{-1}(\alpha), \tan^{-1}(\alpha)) \subseteq \left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{m - \omega}{m + \omega}}, \quad \beta = \sqrt{m^2 - \omega^2}.$$

- When  $\omega = m > 0$

$$\theta(x) = \cot^{-1}(2mkx) \in (0, \pi)$$



## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves

- When  $\omega > m \geq 0$

$$\theta(x) = \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{\omega - m}{\omega + m}} \tan \left( -k \sqrt{\omega^2 - m^2} x \right) \right) \in \left( -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$R(x) = \pm \left( \frac{m \cos(2\theta(x)) - \omega}{G(x)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2k}},$$

The physical solutions are with which the total charge  $Q(t)$  is finite.  
Therefore, the physical solutions may exist only in the situation:

$$k \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \text{ and } m \geq \omega \geq 0$$

We may further analyze the hump number for the above solitary waves of NLD.





## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves

### Lemma:

For a given integer  $k$ , the hump number in the charge density is not bigger than 4, while that in the energy density is not bigger than 3.

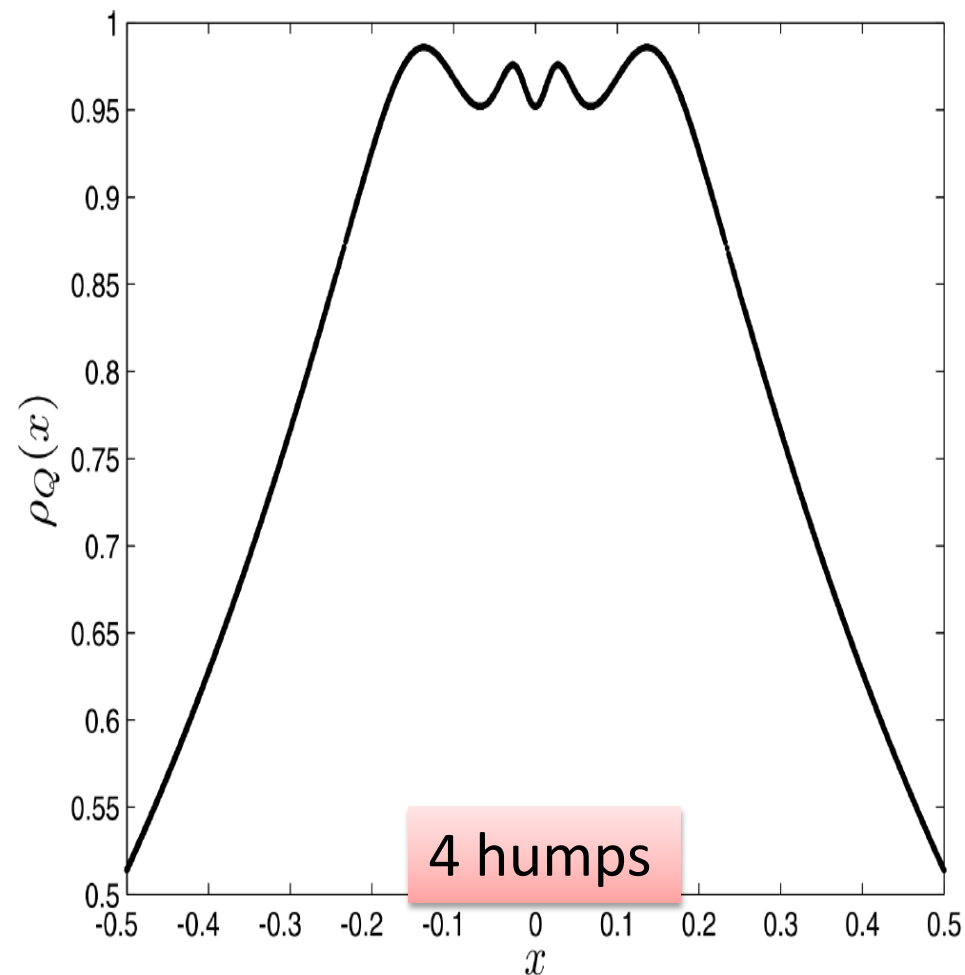
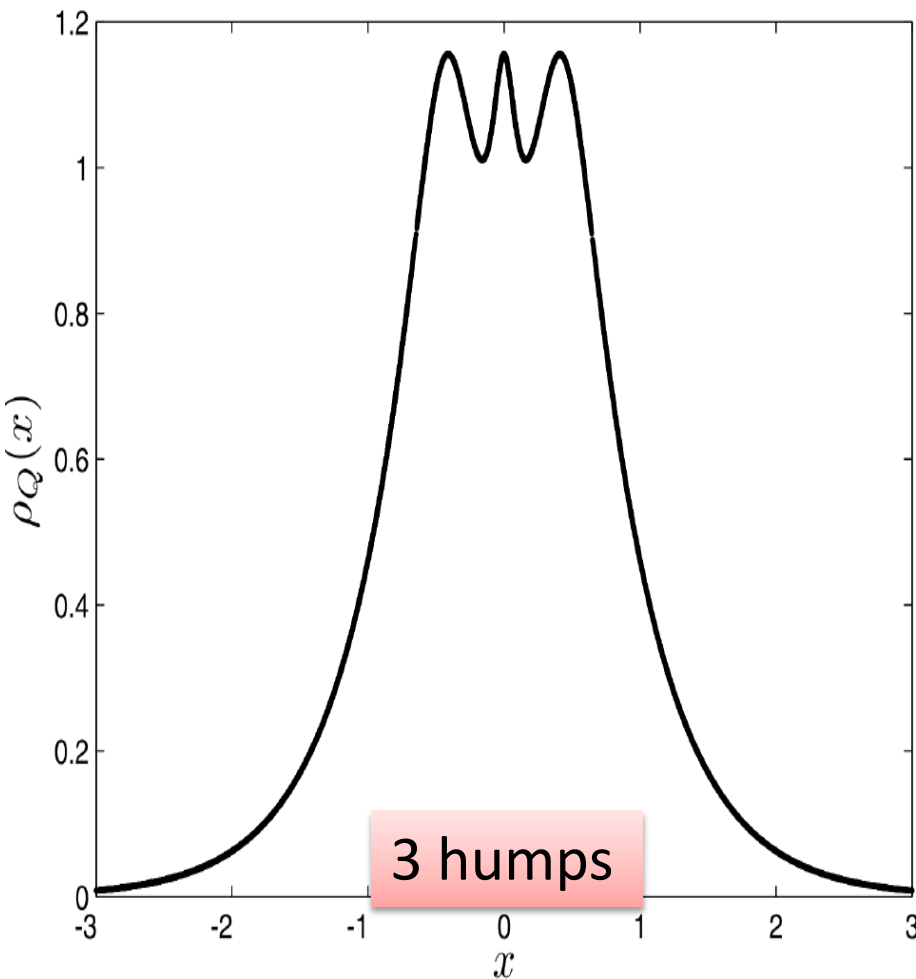
### Remarks:

1. Those upper bounds can only be achieved in the situation of higher nonlinearity, namely,  $k \in \{5; 6; 7; \dots\}$  for the charge density and  $k \in \{3; 5; 7; \dots\}$  for the energy density;
2. The momentum density has the same multi-hump structure as the energy density;
3. More than two humps (resp. one hump) in the charge (resp. energy) density can only happen under the linear combination of the pseudoscalar self-interaction and at least one of the scalar and vector (or axial vector) self-interactions.



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## 2、 Multi-hump solitary waves



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The natural features of the RKDG methods are their formal high order accuracy, their nonlinear stability, their ability to capture the discontinuities or strong gradients of the exact solution without producing spurious oscillations, and their excellent parallel efficiency. Up to now, the DG methods have been successfully extended to various problems.

### 3、RKDG method

- IVP of (1+1)-d Soler model

$$\partial_t \psi_1 + \partial_x \psi_2 + im\psi_1 + 2i\lambda(|\psi_2|^2 - |\psi_1|^2)\psi_1 = 0$$

$$\partial_t \psi_2 + \partial_x \psi_1 - im\psi_2 + 2i\lambda(|\psi_1|^2 - |\psi_2|^2)\psi_2 = 0$$

$$\psi_1(x, 0) = \psi_1^0(x), \quad \psi_2(x, 0) = \psi_2^0(x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$|\psi_i^0(x)| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } |x| \rightarrow +\infty, \quad i = 1, 2.$$

### 3、RKDG method

**Proposition 1** (Conservation laws). Assume that  $\lim_{|x| \rightarrow +\infty} |\psi(x, t)| = 0$  and  $\lim_{|x| \rightarrow +\infty} |\partial_x \psi(x, t)| < +\infty$  hold uniformly for  $t \geq 0$ . The energy  $E$ , the linear momentum  $P$ , and the charge  $Q$  defined above satisfy:  $\frac{d}{dt}Q(t) = 0$ ,  $\frac{d}{dt}P(t) = 0$ , and  $\frac{d}{dt}E(t) = 0$ .

$$E(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx [\operatorname{Im}(\psi_1^* \partial_x \psi_2 + \psi_2^* \partial_x \psi_1) + m(|\psi_1|^2 - |\psi_2|^2) - \lambda(|\psi_1|^2 - |\psi_2|^2)^2] =: \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx \rho_E(x, t),$$

$$P(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx [\operatorname{Im}(\psi_1^* \partial_x \psi_1 + \psi_2^* \partial_x \psi_2)] =: \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx \rho_P(x, t),$$

$$Q(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx (|\psi_1|^2 + |\psi_2|^2) =: \int_{\mathbb{R}} dx \rho_Q(x, t),$$

### 3、RKDG method

For any given partition of the domain

$$I_{j+\frac{1}{2}} = (x_j, x_{j+1}), h_{j+\frac{1}{2}} = x_{j+1} - x_j, x_{j+\frac{1}{2}} = (x_{j+1} + x_j) / 2$$

For each  $t$ , find approximate solution

$$\psi_h = (\psi_{1,h}, \psi_{2,h})$$

where

$$\text{Re}(\psi_{i,h}), \text{Im}(\psi_{i,h}) \in \mathcal{V}_h^q = \left\{ \phi \mid \phi(x) \in P^q(I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}) \text{ if } x \in I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}, \forall j \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$$

$P^q(I_{j+\frac{1}{2}})$  denotes the space of the real-valued polynomials on  $I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}$  of degree at most  $q$ .



### 3、RKDG method

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_1 \frac{\partial \psi_{1,h}}{\partial t} dx + (\hat{\psi}_2 \phi_1^-)_{j+1} - (\hat{\psi}_2 \phi_1^+)_{j+1} - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{2,h} \frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial x} dx \\ & + \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} i (m + 2\lambda f(|\psi_{1,h}|^2, |\psi_{2,h}|^2)) \psi_{1,h} \phi_1 dx = 0 \\ & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_2 \frac{\partial \psi_{2,h}}{\partial t} dx + (\hat{\psi}_1 \phi_2^-)_{j+1} - (\hat{\psi}_1 \phi_2^+)_{j+1} - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{1,h} \frac{\partial \phi_2}{\partial x} dx \\ & - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} i (m - 2\lambda g(|\psi_{1,h}|^2, |\psi_{2,h}|^2)) \psi_{2,h} \phi_2 dx = 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$(\phi_i^+)_{j+1} = \phi_i(x_{j+1}+0), (\phi_i^-)_{j+1} = \phi_i(x_{j+1}-0), \quad (\hat{\psi}_i)_j \approx \psi_{i,h}(x_j, t)$$

### 3、RKDG method

- Numerical flux

$$(\hat{\psi}_i)_j := \hat{h}_i(\psi_h(x_j - 0, t), \psi_h(x_j + 0, t)), \quad \hat{h}_i(\psi, \psi) = \psi_i, \quad i = 1, 2$$

For example:

$$(\hat{\psi}_1)_j = \frac{1}{2}((\psi_1)_j^+ + (\psi_1)_j^- - (\psi_2)_j^+ + (\psi_2)_j^-)$$

$$(\hat{\psi}_2)_j = \frac{1}{2}((\psi_2)_j^+ + (\psi_2)_j^- - (\psi_1)_j^+ + (\psi_1)_j^-)$$

where  $(\psi_i)_j^+ = \psi_{i,h}(x_j + 0, t)$  and  $(\psi_i)_j^- = \psi_{i,h}(x_j - 0, t)$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ .



### 3、RKDG method

**Proposition 2.** *If assume  $Q_h(0) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} (|\psi_1^0(x)|^2 + |\psi_2^0(x)|^2) dx < \infty$ , then the solution to the weak formulation (26)-(29) satisfies*

$$\frac{d}{dt} Q_h(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\mathbb{R}} (|\psi_{1,h}|^2 + |\psi_{2,h}|^2) dx \leq 0,$$

*or  $Q_h(t) \leq Q_h(0)$  for all  $t \geq 0$ .*

### 3、RKDG method

- In practical computation, the solution may be written as

$$\psi_i(x, t) = \psi_i^r(x, t) + i\psi_i^s(x, t), \quad i = 1, 2.$$

satisfying

$$\partial_t \psi_1^r + \partial_x \psi_2^r - m\psi_1^s - 2\lambda f(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)\psi_1^s = 0,$$

$$\partial_t \psi_1^s + \partial_x \psi_2^s + m\psi_1^r + 2\lambda f(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)\psi_1^r = 0,$$

$$\partial_t \psi_2^r + \partial_x \psi_1^r + m\psi_2^s - 2\lambda g(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)\psi_2^s = 0,$$

$$\partial_t \psi_2^s + \partial_x \psi_1^s - m\psi_2^r + 2\lambda g(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)\psi_2^r = 0,$$



### 3、RKDG method

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_1^r \partial_t \psi_1^r \, dx + (\widehat{\psi}_2^r \phi_1^{r,-})_{j+1} - (\widehat{\psi}_2^r \phi_1^{r,+})_j - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_2^r \partial_x \phi_1^r \, dx \\ & \quad - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m + 2\lambda f(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)) \psi_1^s \phi_1^r \, dx = 0, \\ & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_1^s \partial_t \psi_1^s \, dx + (\widehat{\psi}_2^s \phi_1^{s,-})_{j+1} - (\widehat{\psi}_2^s \phi_1^{s,+})_j - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_2^s \partial_x \phi_1^s \, dx \\ & \quad + \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m + 2\lambda f(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)) \psi_1^r \phi_1^s \, dx = 0, \\ & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_2^r \partial_t \psi_2^r \, dx + (\widehat{\psi}_1^r \phi_2^{r,-})_{j+1} - (\widehat{\psi}_1^r \phi_2^{r,+})_j - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_1^r \partial_x \phi_2^r \, dx \\ & \quad + \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m - 2\lambda g(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)) \psi_2^s \phi_2^r \, dx = 0, \\ & \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \phi_2^s \partial_t \psi_2^s \, dx + (\widehat{\psi}_1^s \phi_2^{s,-})_{j+1} - (\widehat{\psi}_1^s \phi_2^{s,+})_j - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_1^s \partial_x \phi_2^s \, dx \\ & \quad - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m - 2\lambda g(|\psi_1|^2, |\psi_2|^2)) \psi_2^r \phi_2^s \, dx = 0. \end{aligned}$$

### 3、RKDG method

choose the Legendre polynomials  $P_l(\xi)$  as local basis functions

$$\int_{-1}^1 P_l(\xi) P_k(\xi) d\xi = \frac{2}{2l+1} \delta_{l,k}, \quad l \leq k,$$

$$P_l(1) = 1 \quad P_l(-1) = (-1)^l$$

$$\psi_i^z(x, t) = \sum_{l=0}^q \boxed{\psi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{z,(l)}(t)} \phi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{z,(l)}(x) = \psi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^z(x, t), \quad \text{if } x \in I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}$$

where  $i = 1, 2$ , the superscript  $z = r$  or  $s$ , and

$$\phi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{z,(l)}(x) = P_l(\xi_{j+\frac{1}{2}}), \quad \xi_{j+\frac{1}{2}} := \frac{2(x - x_{j+\frac{1}{2}})}{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}}.$$



### 3、RKDG method

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left( \frac{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}}{2l+1} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} + \widehat{\psi}_{2,j+1}^r - (-1)^l \widehat{\psi}_{2,j}^r - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^r \partial_x \phi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} dx \\
 & - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m + 2\lambda f(|\psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2, |\psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2)) \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^s \phi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} dx = 0, \\
 & \left( \frac{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}}{2l+1} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} + \widehat{\psi}_{2,j+1}^s - (-1)^l \widehat{\psi}_{2,j}^s - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^s \partial_x \phi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} dx \\
 & + \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m + 2\lambda f(|\psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2, |\psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2)) \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^r \phi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} dx = 0, \\
 & \left( \frac{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}}{2l+1} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} + \widehat{\psi}_{1,j+1}^r - (-1)^l \widehat{\psi}_{1,j}^r - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^r \partial_x \phi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} dx \\
 & + \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m - 2\lambda g(|\psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2, |\psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2)) \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^s \phi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{r,(l)} dx = 0, \\
 & \left( \frac{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}}{2l+1} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} + \widehat{\psi}_{1,j+1}^s - (-1)^l \widehat{\psi}_{1,j}^s - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}^s \partial_x \phi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} dx \\
 & - \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} (m - 2\lambda g(|\psi_{1,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2, |\psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}|^2)) \psi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^r \phi_{2,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{s,(l)} dx = 0,
 \end{aligned}$$

### 3、RKDG method

$$\psi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{z,(l)}(0) = \frac{2l+1}{h_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \int_{I_{j+\frac{1}{2}}} \psi_i^z(x,0) \phi_{i,j+\frac{1}{2}}^{z,(l)}(x) dx$$

integrals will be computed numerically, e.g. by using Gaussian quadrature.

$$\frac{d}{dt}U(t) = L(U)$$

$$U^{(1)} = U^n + \Delta t L(U^n),$$

$$U^{(2)} = \frac{3}{4}U^n + \frac{1}{4}U^{(1)} + \frac{1}{4}\Delta t L(U^{(1)}),$$

$$U^{n+1} = \frac{1}{3}U^n + \frac{2}{3}U^{(2)} + \frac{2}{3}\Delta t L(U^{(2)}),$$

$$\frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \leq \frac{\mu}{2q+1}$$

$$U^{(1)} = U^n + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t L(U^n),$$

$$U^{(2)} = U^n + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t L(U^{(1)}),$$

$$U^{(3)} = U^n + \Delta t L(U^{(2)}),$$

$$U^{n+1} = \frac{1}{3} \left( U^{(1)} + 2U^{(2)} + U^{(3)} - U^n + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t L(U^{(3)}) \right)$$

# 3、RKDG method

	Real part of $\psi_1^{ss}$				Imaginary part of $\psi_1^{ss}$			
$N$	$L^2$ error	order	$L^\infty$ error	order	$L^2$ error	order	$L^\infty$ error	order
$P^1$	280	-	9.68e-03	-	7.30e-03	-	4.08e-03	-
	560	2.99	1.27e-03	2.93	9.50e-04	2.94	5.76e-04	2.82
	1120	2.99	1.79e-04	2.88	1.26e-04	2.92	9.81e-05	2.69
	2240	3.00	2.94e-05	2.78	1.89e-05	2.86	2.13e-05	2.53
$P^2$	140	-	5.13e-04	-	3.18e-04	-	2.51e-04	-
	280	4.57	4.57e-05	3.49	1.80e-05	4.14	2.36e-05	3.41
	560	3.98	5.21e-06	3.31	1.88e-06	3.70	3.35e-06	3.11
	1120	3.67	6.34e-07	3.22	2.32e-07	3.47	4.30e-07	3.06
$P^3$	70	-	3.03e-04	-	1.50e-04	-	1.26e-04	-
	140	4.96	1.44e-05	4.40	4.99e-06	4.91	1.14e-05	3.47
	280	4.50	9.36e-07	4.17	3.05e-07	4.47	7.27e-07	3.72
	560	4.30	5.93e-08	4.11	2.01e-08	4.29	4.70e-08	3.80
	Real part of $\psi_2^{ss}$				Imaginary part of $\psi_2^{ss}$			
$N$	$L^2$ error	order	$L^\infty$ error	order	$L^2$ error	order	$L^\infty$ error	order
$P^1$	280	-	3.45e-03	-	3.40e-03	-	1.75e-03	-
	560	2.92	4.98e-04	2.79	4.67e-04	2.86	2.89e-04	2.60
	1120	2.88	8.66e-05	2.66	7.50e-05	2.75	7.26e-05	2.30
	2240	2.78	1.83e-05	2.52	1.50e-05	2.61	1.95e-05	2.16
$P^2$	140	-	2.45e-04	-	1.57e-04	-	2.50e-04	-
	280	3.61	3.48e-05	2.82	1.69e-05	3.22	2.91e-05	3.10
	560	3.34	4.75e-06	2.84	2.10e-06	3.11	3.61e-06	3.06
	1120	3.23	6.06e-07	2.89	2.63e-07	3.07	4.50e-07	3.04
$P^3$	70	-	1.73e-04	-	8.54e-05	-	1.75e-04	-
	140	4.27	1.29e-05	3.75	5.18e-06	4.04	1.19e-05	3.88
	280	4.14	8.84e-07	3.81	3.26e-07	4.02	7.45e-07	3.94
	560	4.09	5.62e-08	3.86	2.10e-08	4.00	4.78e-08	3.95

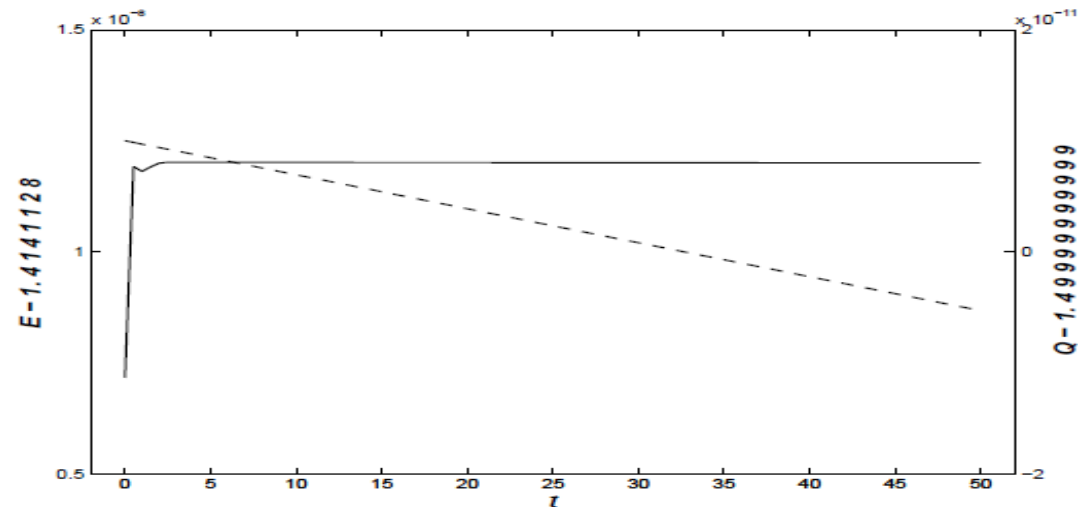




### 3、RKDG method

	$P^1$		$P^2$		$P^3$	
$N$	$\Delta Q_{50}$	$\Delta E_{50}$	$\Delta Q_{50}$	$\Delta E_{50}$	$\Delta Q_{50}$	$\Delta E_{50}$
140	-	-	-4.86e-05	-6.45e-05	-1.35e-07	6.84e-07
280	-1.99e-03	-2.42e-03	-1.39e-06	-2.35e-06	-1.08e-09	5.32e-08
560	-2.52e-04	-3.64e-04	-4.90e-08	-1.05e-07	-1.02e-11	3.42e-09
1120	-3.15e-05	-5.98e-05	-1.54e-09	-4.95e-09	-	-

where  $\Delta Q_{50} = (Q_h(50) - Q_h(0))/Q_h(0)$   $\Delta E_{50} = (E_h(50) - E_h(0))/E_h(0)$

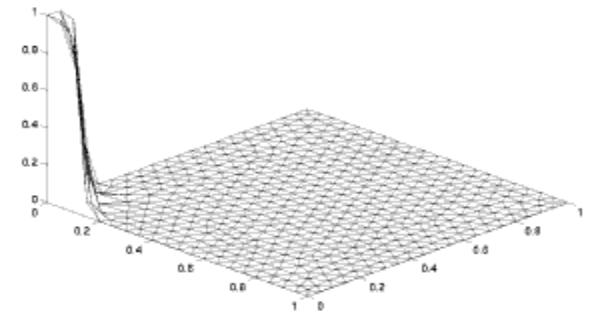
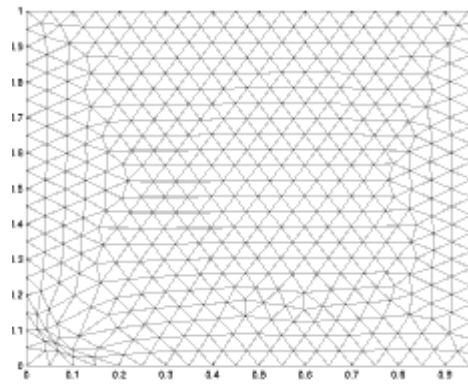
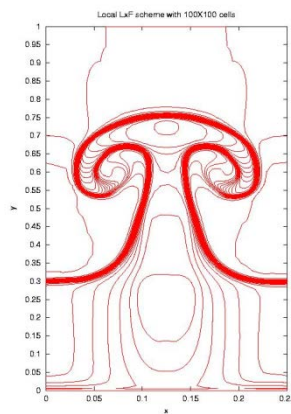
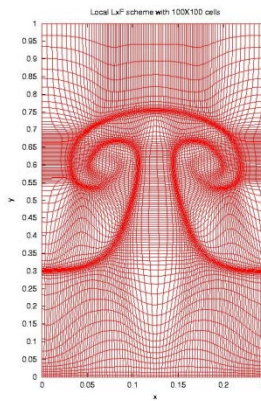






## 4、Moving mesh method

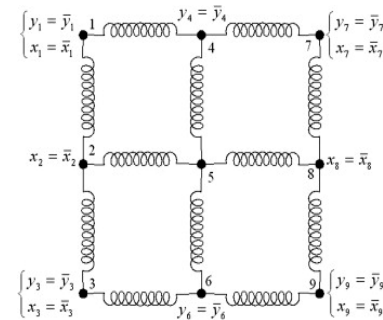
- It is also known as **r**-method (**r**edistribution), and relocates mesh / grid points having a fixed number of nodes in such a way that the nodes remain concentrated in regions of rapid variation of the solution.





## 4、 Moving mesh method

- **Equi-distribution principle** [C. de Boor, In Lecture Notes in Mathematics, vol.363, Springer-Verlag, 1973]: an appropriately chosen mesh should equally distribute some measure of the solution variation or computational error over the entire domain.
  - **Spring analogy scheme**[J.T. Batina, AIAA 89-0115]: each edge of the mesh is represented by a spring whose stiffness is proportional to the reciprocal of the length of the edge.
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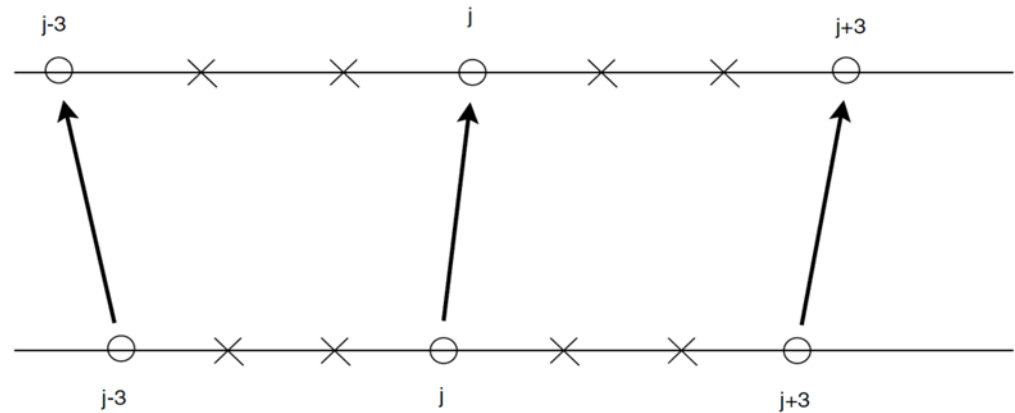
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## 4、Moving mesh method

Two decoupled steps:

- Redistribute the mesh points iteratively
  - Solve coarse mesh equation an iterative step
  - Divide the coarse mesh cell into several uniform fine cells
  - Remap solution from the “old” fine mesh to the “new”
- Solve NLD eq. on a fixed fine mesh





## 4、Moving mesh method

- (1+1)-d Dirac eq.

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{u})}{\partial x} = \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{u}) \quad \text{(quasi-linear) balance law}$$

$$\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{u} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1^r \\ \psi_1^s \\ \psi_2^r \\ \psi_2^s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = (\psi_1^r, \psi_1^s, \psi_2^r, \psi_2^s)^T, \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{u}) = g(x, t)(\psi_1^s, -\psi_1^r, -\psi_2^s, \psi_2^r)^T$$

$$\psi_i(x, t) = \psi_i^r(x, t) + \mathrm{i}\psi_i^s(x, t), \quad i = 1, 2$$



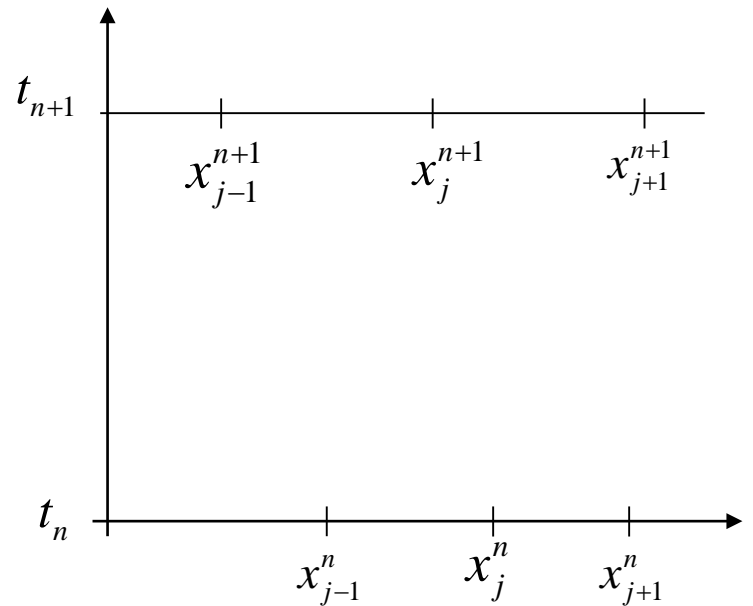
## 4、Moving mesh method

- 1D (quasi-linear) balance law

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f(u)}{\partial x} = s(u)$$

- “Initial” mesh & data

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} t_n, x_j^n \\ u_{j+1/2}^n \approx \frac{1}{h_{j+1/2}^n} \int_{x_j^n}^{x_{j+1}^n} u(x, t_n) dx \end{array} \right.$$





## 4、Moving mesh method

- **Question:** How to get  $\{x_j^{n+1}, u_{j+1/2}^{n+1}\}$ ?
- Redistribute the mesh points iteratively

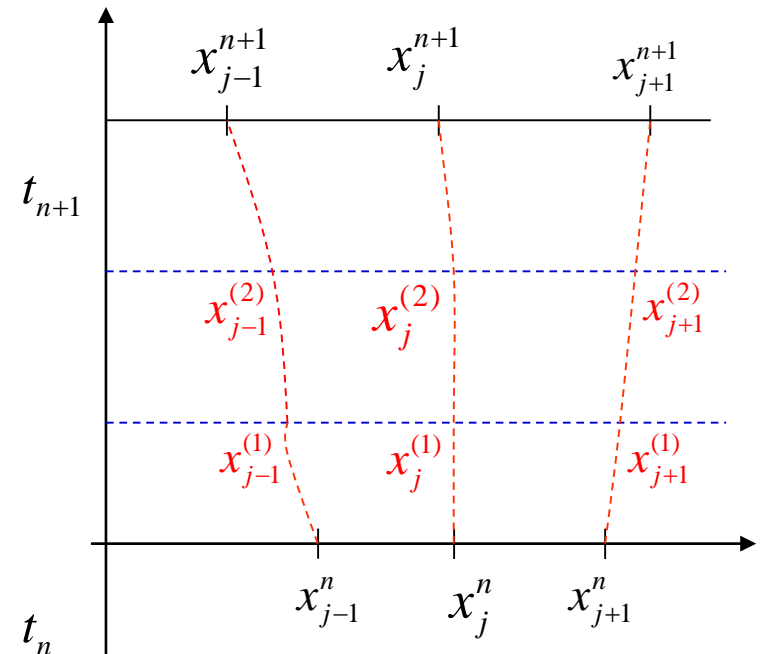
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \xi} \left( w \frac{\partial x}{\partial \xi} \right) = 0$$

$$w_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)} (x_{j+1}^{(\nu)} - x_j^{(\nu+1)}) - w_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)} (x_j^{(\nu+1)} - x_{j-1}^{(\nu)}) = 0$$

$$\nu = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \mu$$

$$x_j^{(0)} := x_j^n, u_{j+1/2}^{(0)} := u_{j+1/2}^n;$$

$$x_j^{n+1} := x_j^{(\mu)}, u_{j+1/2}^n := u_{j+1/2}^{(\mu)}$$



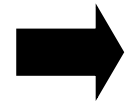


## 4、Moving mesh method

- Remap the solution, that is, get  $u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu+1)}$

$$x_j^{(\nu+1)} = x_j^{(\nu)} - c_j^{(\nu)}, x^{(\nu+1)}(\xi) = x^{(\nu)}(\xi) - c^{(\nu)}(\xi)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\tilde{x}_j}^{\tilde{x}_{j+1}} \tilde{u}(\tilde{x}) d\tilde{x} &= \int_{x_j}^{x_{j+1}} u(x - c(x))(1 - c'(x)) dx \\ &\approx \int_{x_j}^{x_{j+1}} (u(x) - c(x)u_x(x))(1 - c'(x)) dx \\ &\approx \int_{x_j}^{x_{j+1}} (u(x) - (cu)_x) dx \\ &= \int_{x_j}^{x_{j+1}} u(x) dx - ((cu)_{j+1} - (cu)_j), \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} h_{j+1/2}^{(\nu+1)} u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu+1)} &= h_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)} u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)} \\ &\quad - (cu)_{j+1}^{(\nu)} + (cu)_j^{(\nu)} \end{aligned}$$

Conservative remap

$$\{x_j^{(\nu)}, u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)}\} \Rightarrow \{x_j^{(\nu+1)}, u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu)}\} \Rightarrow \{x_j^{(\nu+1)}, u_{j+1/2}^{(\nu+1)}\}$$



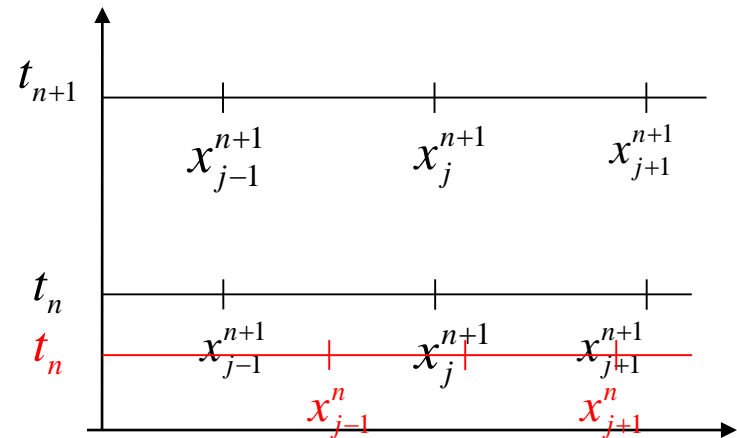
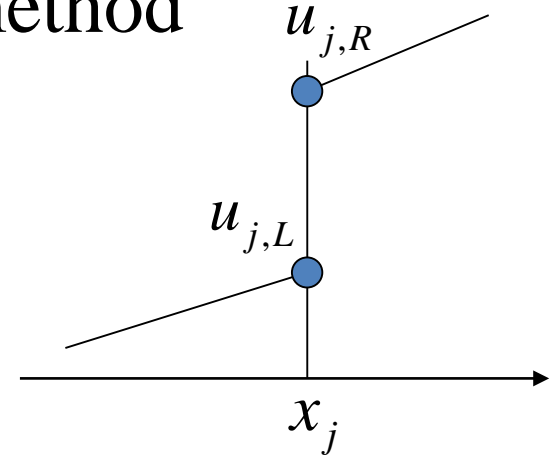
# 4、Moving mesh method

- Solve Dirac eq. by finite volume method

$$h_{j+1/2}^{n+1} u_{j+1/2}^{n+1} = h_{j+1/2}^{n+1} u_{j+1/2}^n - \tau_n (\hat{f}_{j+1}^n - \hat{f}_j^n) + \tau_n h_{j+1/2}^{n+1} s_{j+1/2}^n$$

$$\hat{f}_j^n = \hat{f}(u_{j,L}^n, u_{j,R}^n), \hat{f}(u, u) = f(u)$$

$$x_j^{n+1} := x_j^{(\mu)}, u_{j+1/2}^n := u_{j+1/2}^{(\mu+1)} \Rightarrow \mathbf{u}_{j+1/2}^{n+1}$$







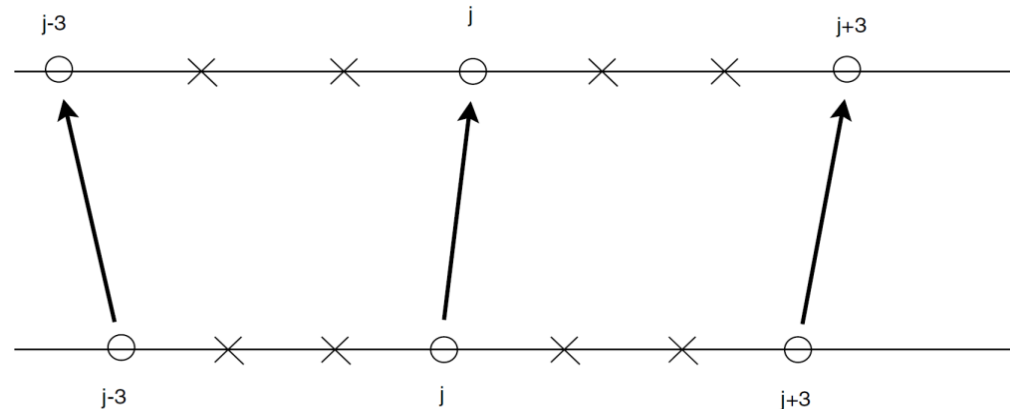
## 4、Moving mesh method

- Move the coarse mesh points “o” by solving iteratively the mesh equation:

$$\omega\left(x_{j+\frac{1}{2}}^{[v]}\right)\left(x_{j+1}^{[v]}-x_j^{[v+1]}\right)-\omega\left(x_{j-\frac{1}{2}}^{[v]}\right)\left(x_j^{[v+1]}-x_{j-1}^{[v+1]}\right)=0 \quad \nu=0,1,\cdots,\mu-1.$$

$$\omega=\sqrt{1+\alpha|\mathbf{u}|^2+\beta|\mathbf{u}_x|^2}$$

- Move fine mesh points “X” by uniformly dividing each coarse mesh cell.



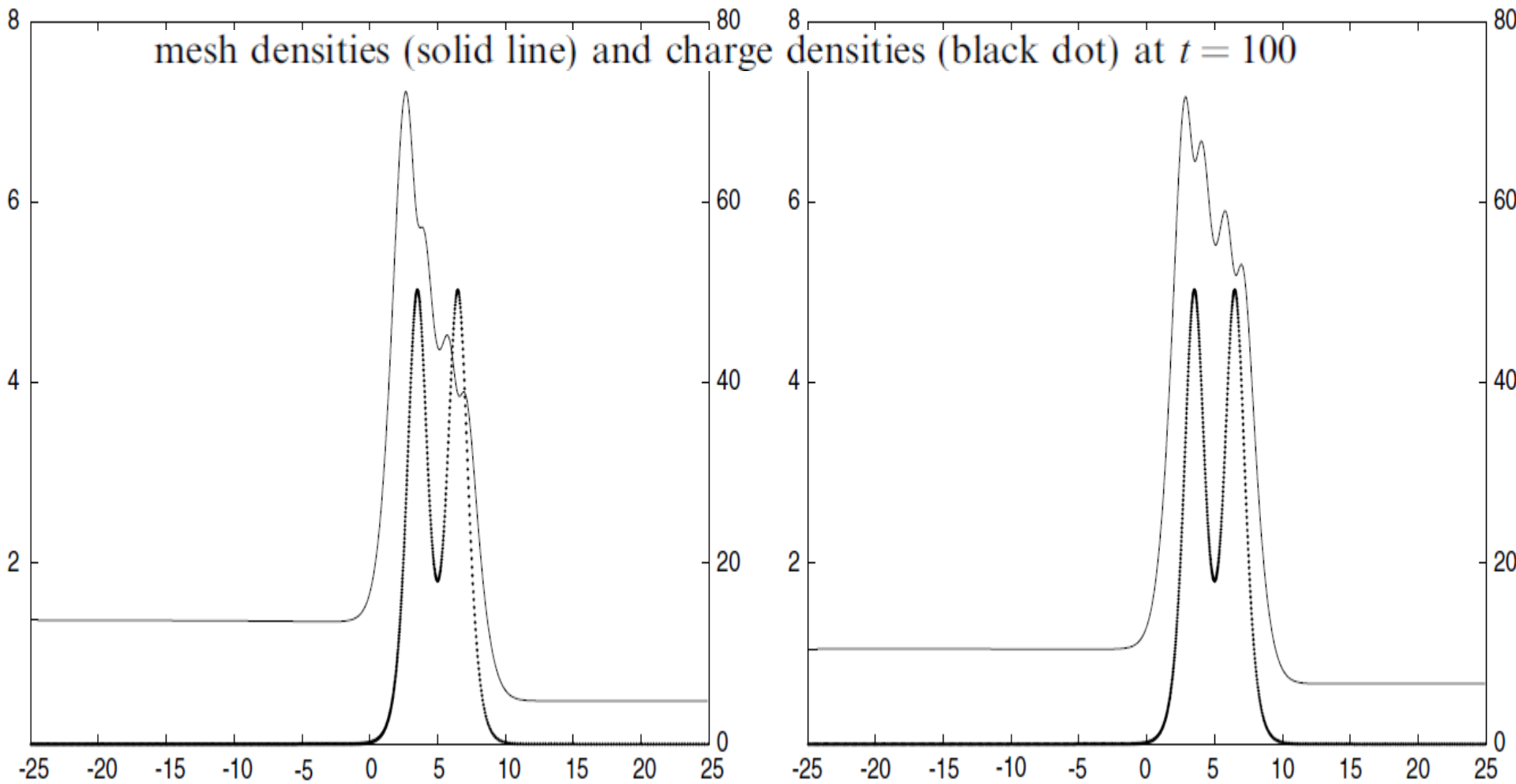
## 4、Moving mesh method

Accuracy test:

$N$	100	200	400	800	1600	3200
$l^1$ -error order	3.782	4.725e-1	5.848e-2	7.331e-3	9.293e-4	1.184e-04
	–	3.00	3.01	3.00	2.98	2.97
$l^2$ -error order	2.989	3.715e-1	4.504e-2	5.463e-3	6.597e-4	7.775e-05
	–	3.01	3.04	3.04	3.05	3.08
$l^\infty$ -error order	1.003	1.156e-1	1.435e-2	1.775e-3	2.177e-4	2.858e-05
	–	3.12	3.01	3.02	3.03	2.93
CPU time (s)	1.04	3.43	12.20	48.89	183.70	707.75



## 4、Moving mesh method



**Figure:** Charge and mesh densities.  $\mu=10, 30$ ;  $N=800$



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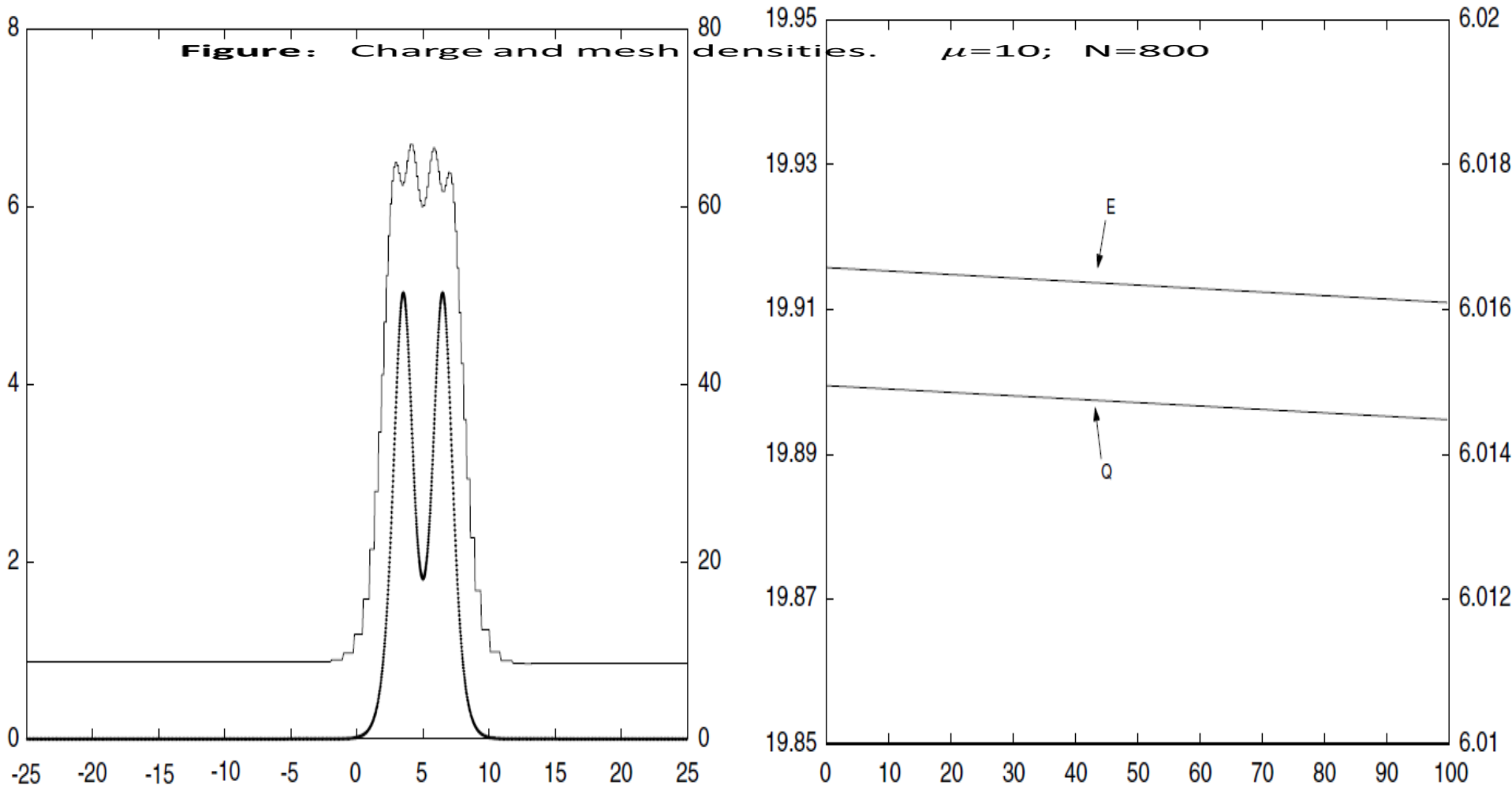
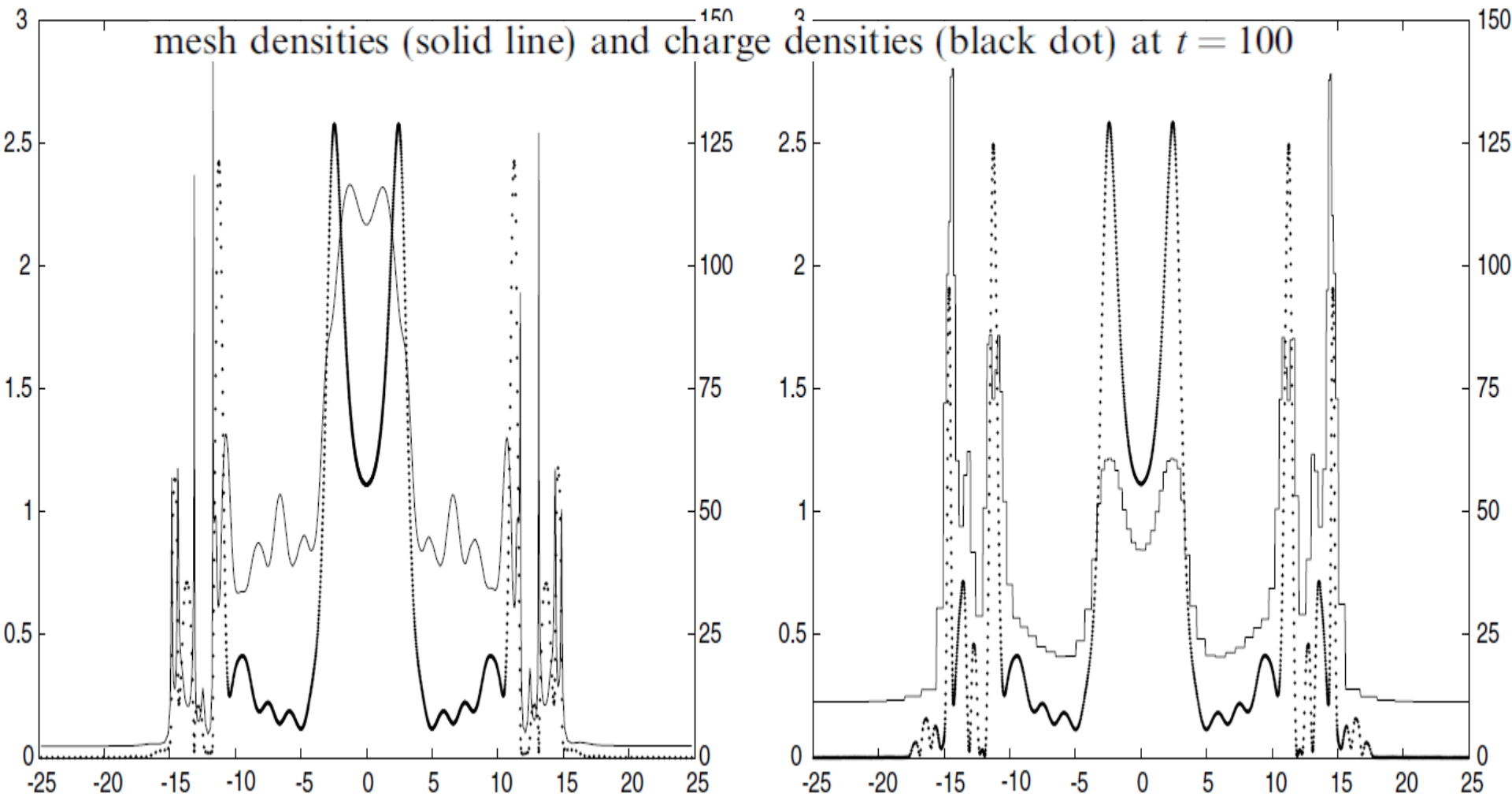


Figure: Charge and mesh densities.  $\mu=10$ ;  $N=800$



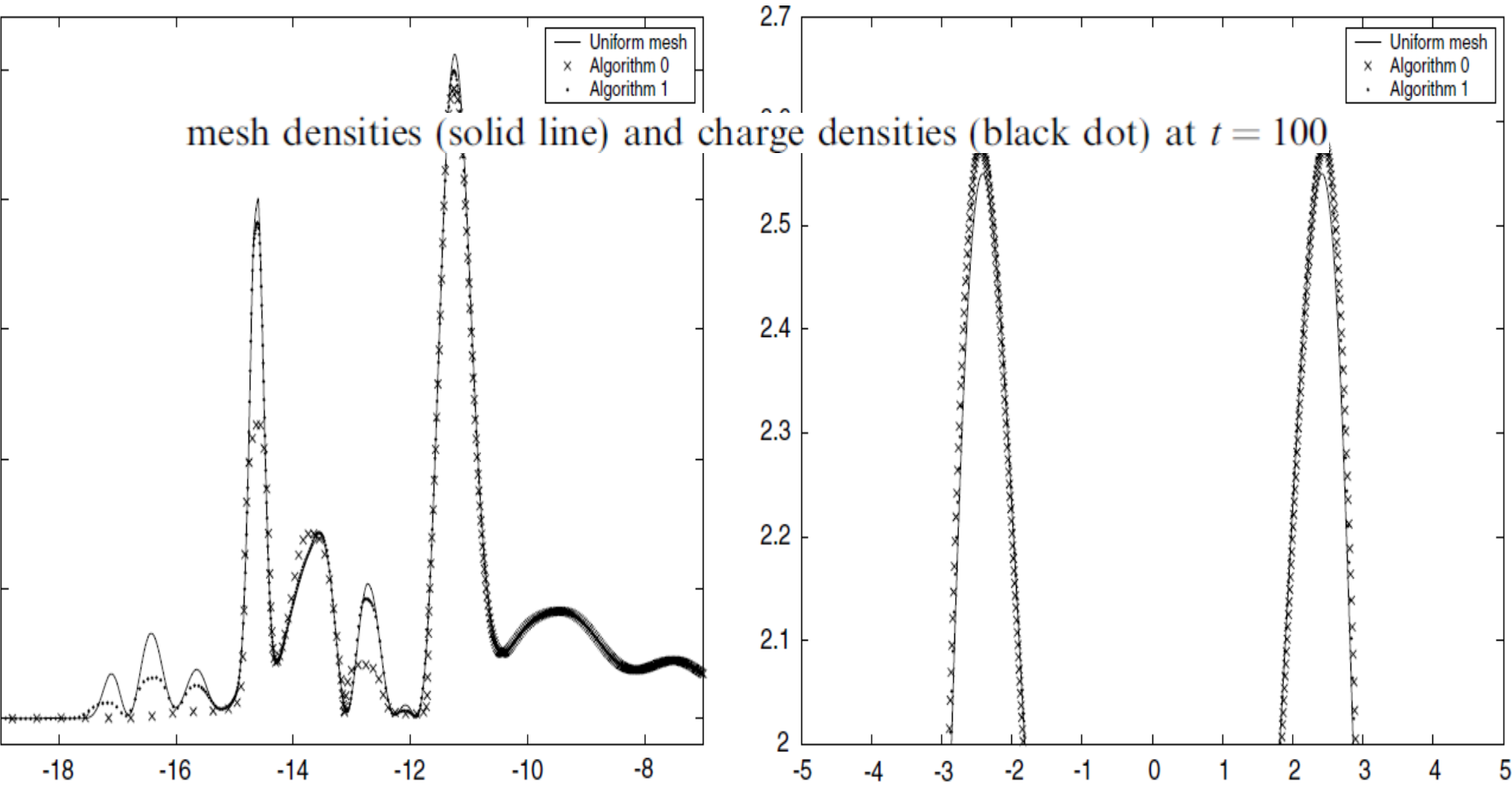
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**Figure:** Charge and mesh densities.  $N=1600$



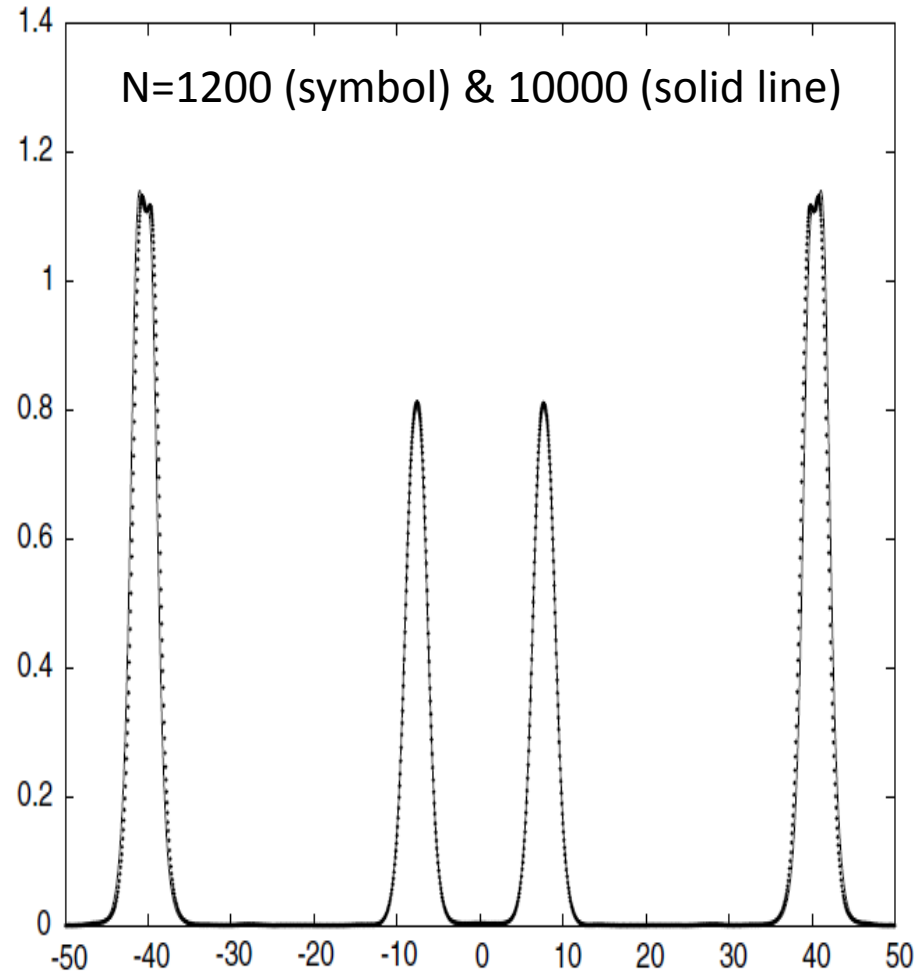
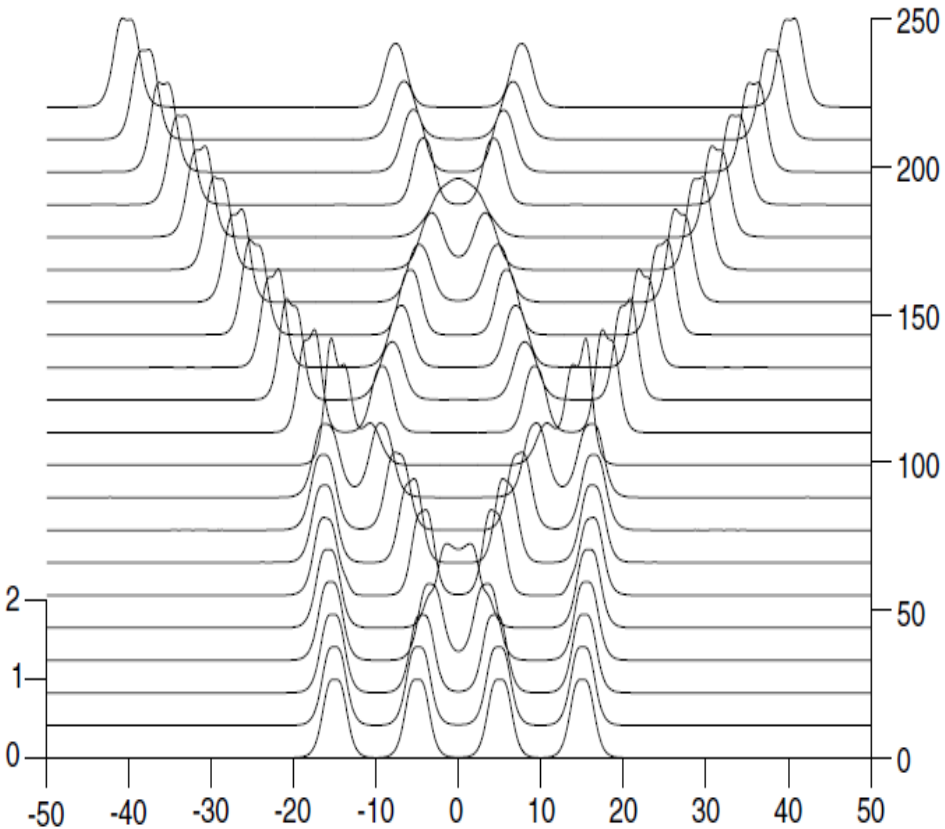
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**Figure:** Close-up of the charge densities.  $N=1600$  vs 10000

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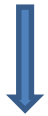
The time evolution of the charge density



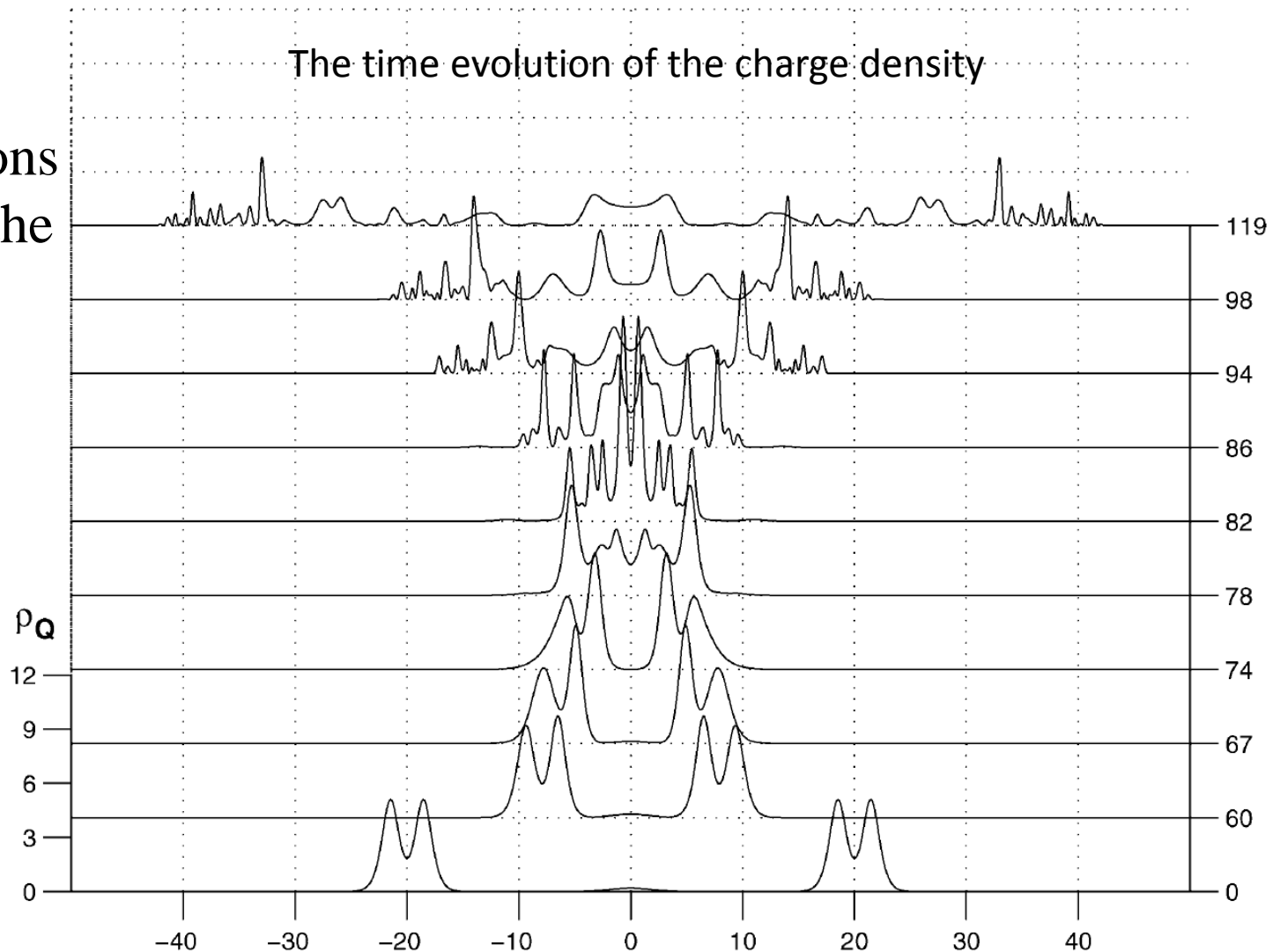
**Figure:** Charge densities.  $\mu=10$ .

# 5、 Numerical experiments

**Test 1:** left &  
 right two-  
 humped solitons  
 interact with the  
 one-humped



Collapsing  
 phenomenon



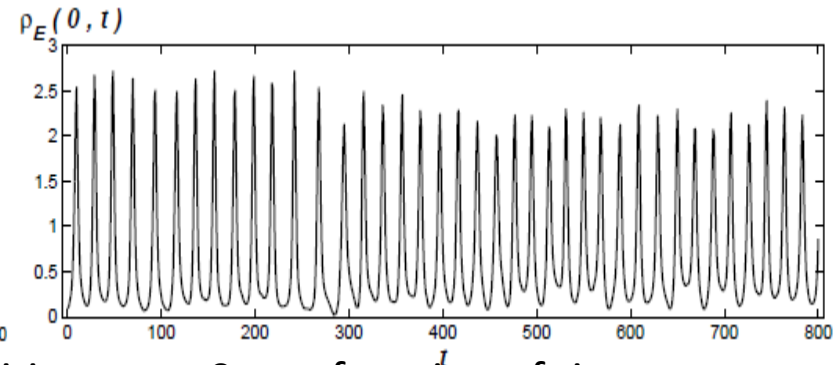
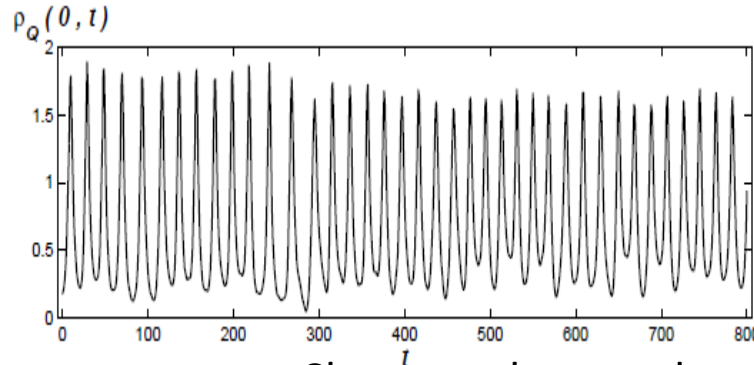
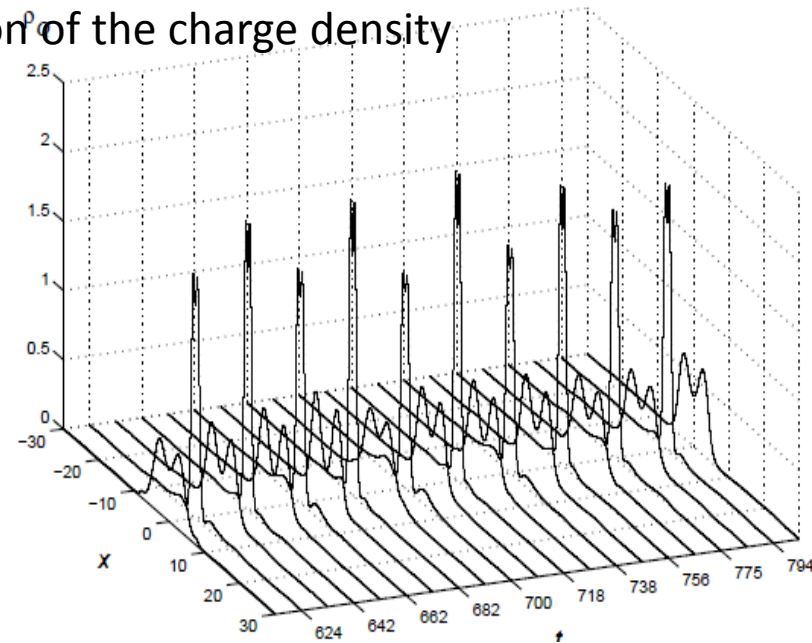
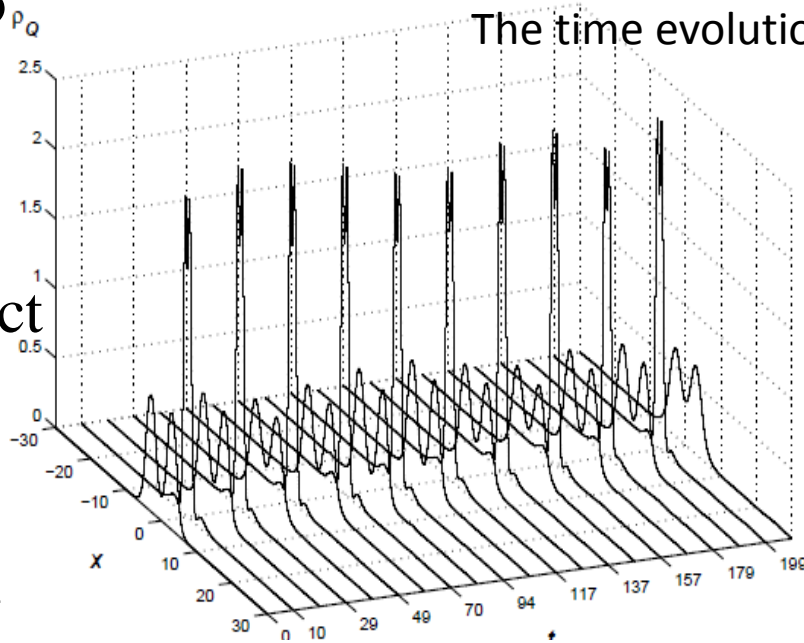


# 5、 Numerical experiments

**Test 2:** two one-humped solitons at rest interact each other



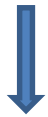
oscillating state with a long lifetime



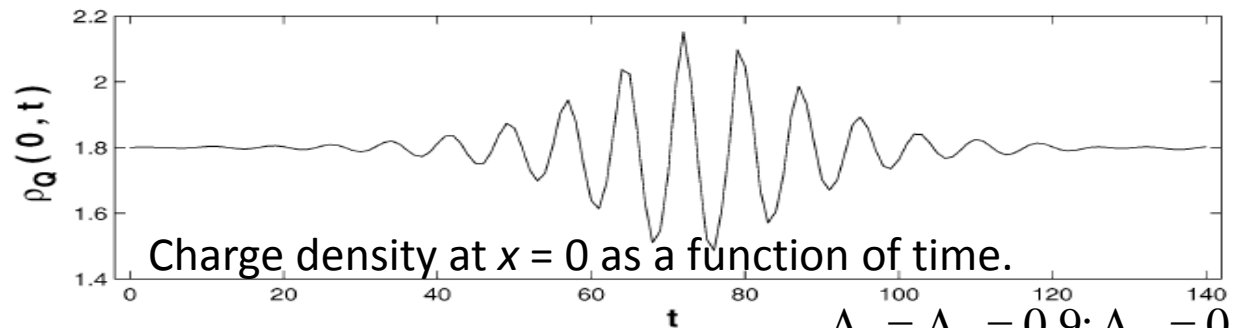
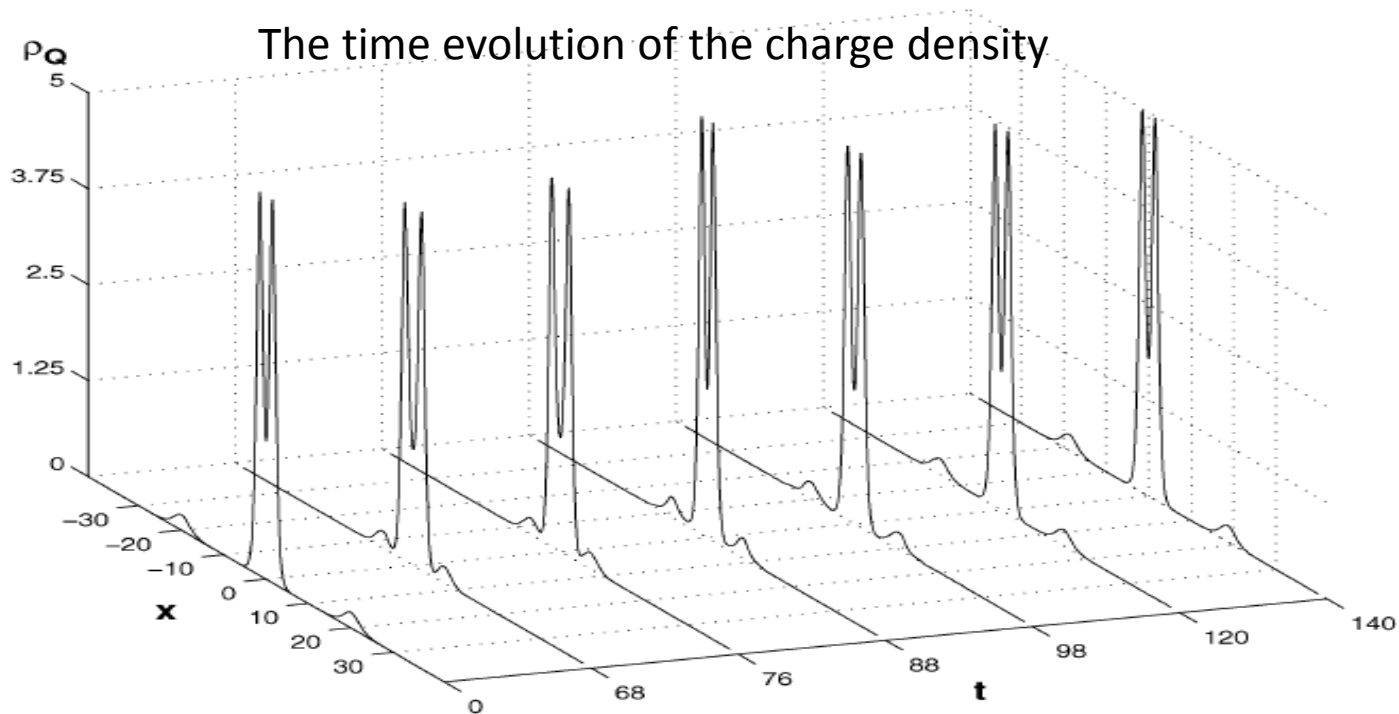
Charge and energy densities at  $x = 0$  as a function of time.

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**Test 3:** left & right one-humped solitons interact with the two-humped



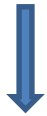
A short-lived bound state in the ternary collisions



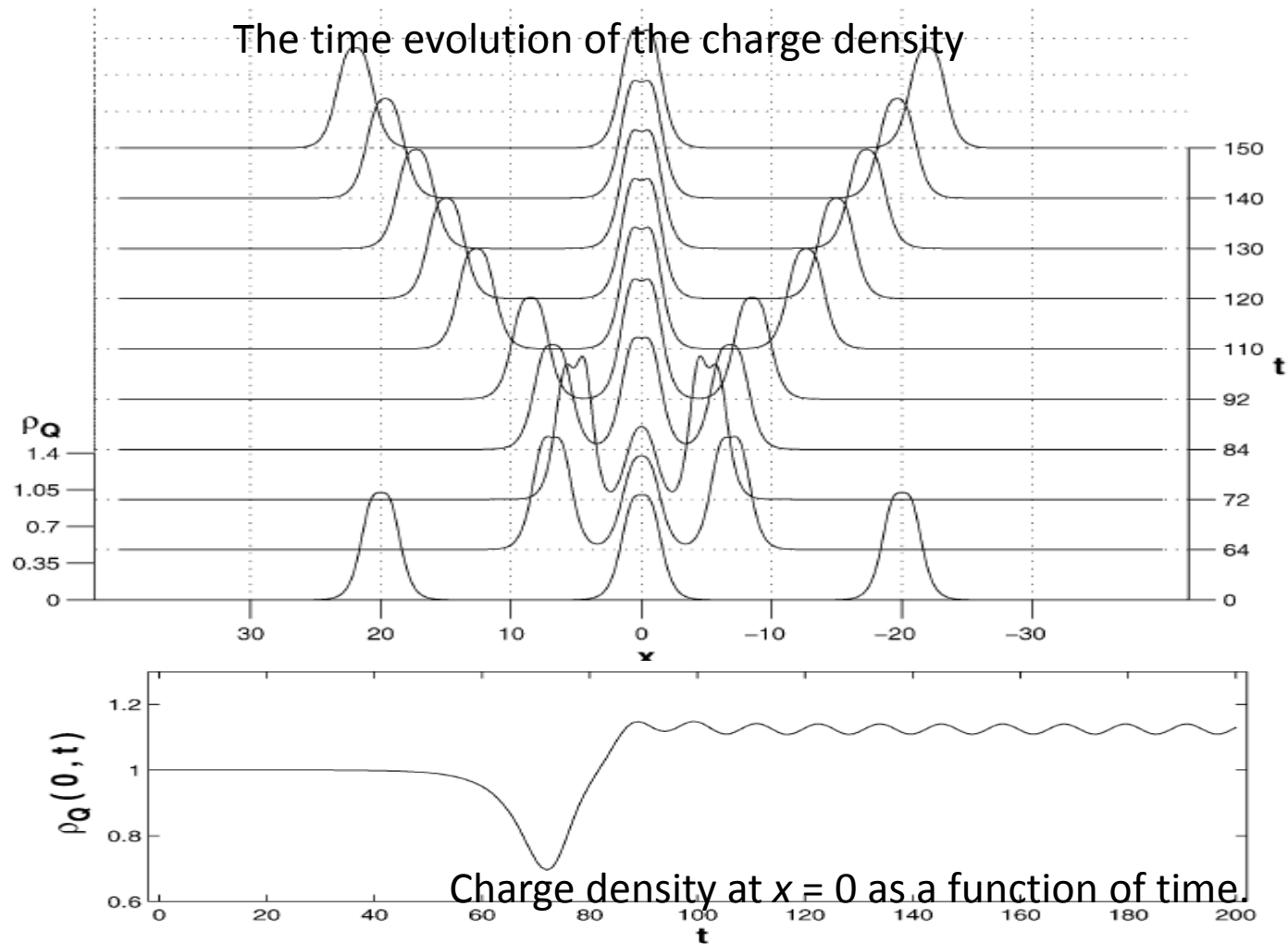
$$\Lambda_l = \Lambda_r = 0.9; \Lambda_m = 0.1$$

# 5、 Numerical experiments

**Test 4:** Three one-humped solitons interact each other

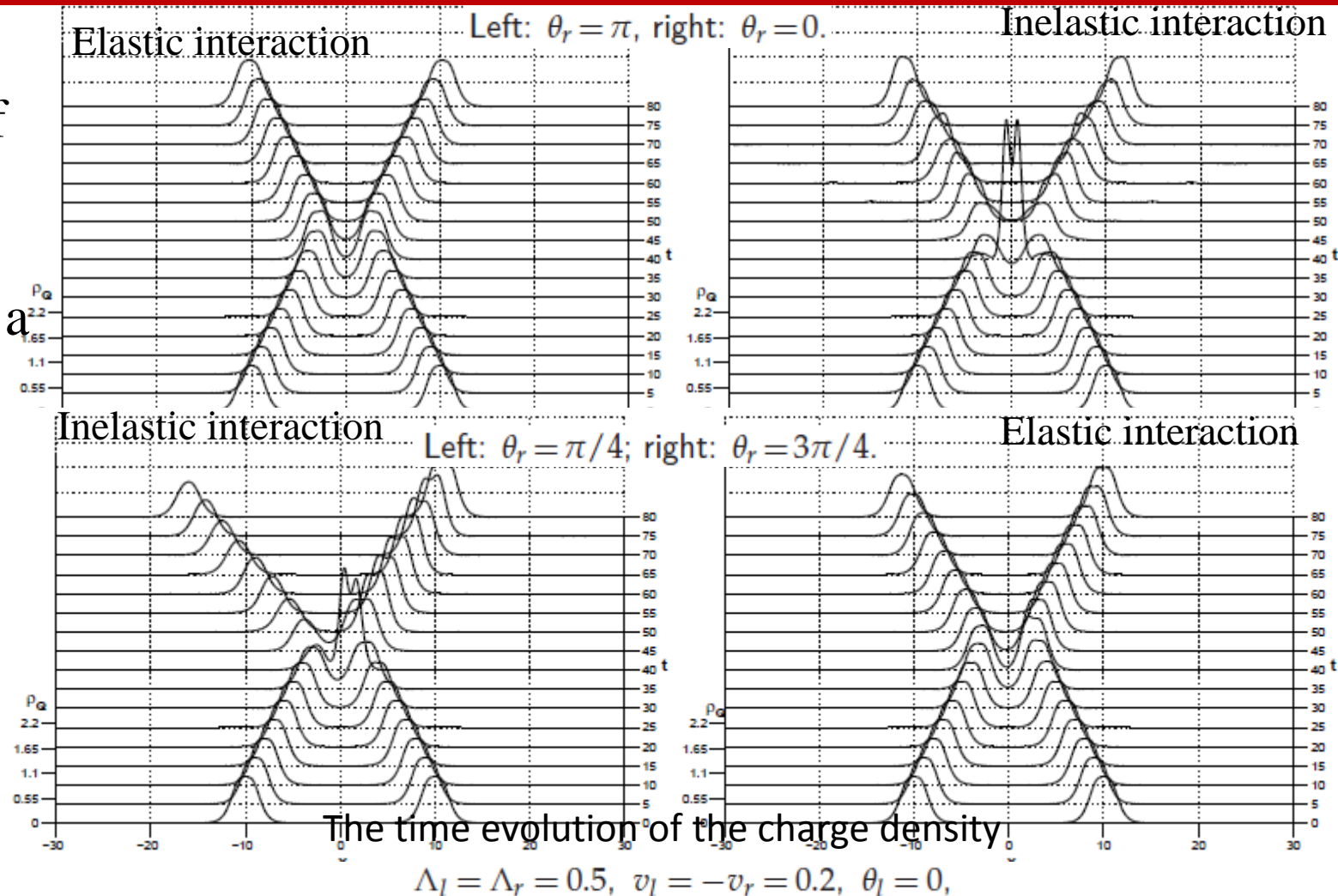


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# 5、 Numerical experiments

**Test 5:**  
 Interaction of  
 two one-  
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 solitons with a  
 phase shift



## 5、 Numerical experiments

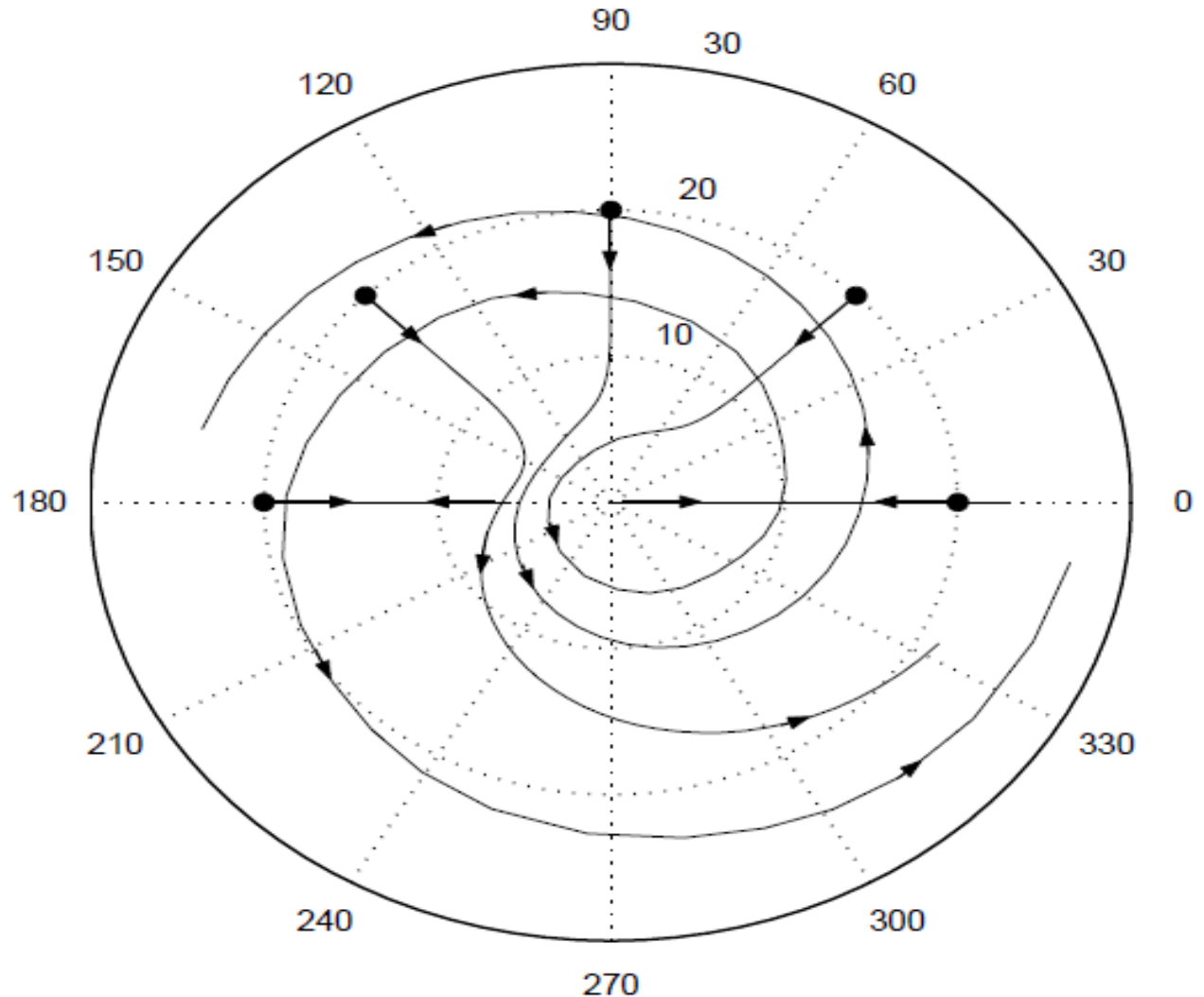
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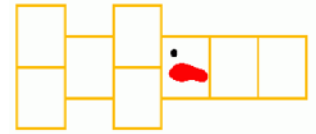
phase plane method



their relative phase  
may vary with  
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# 5、 Numerical experiments

## Test 6:

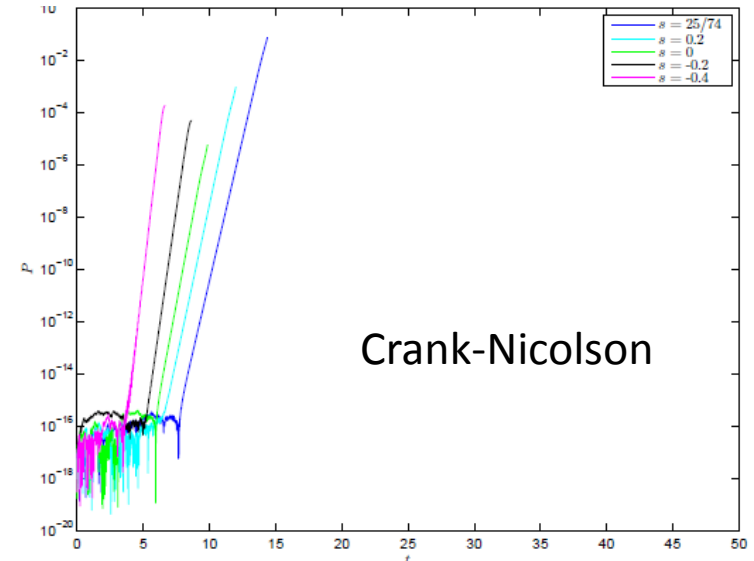
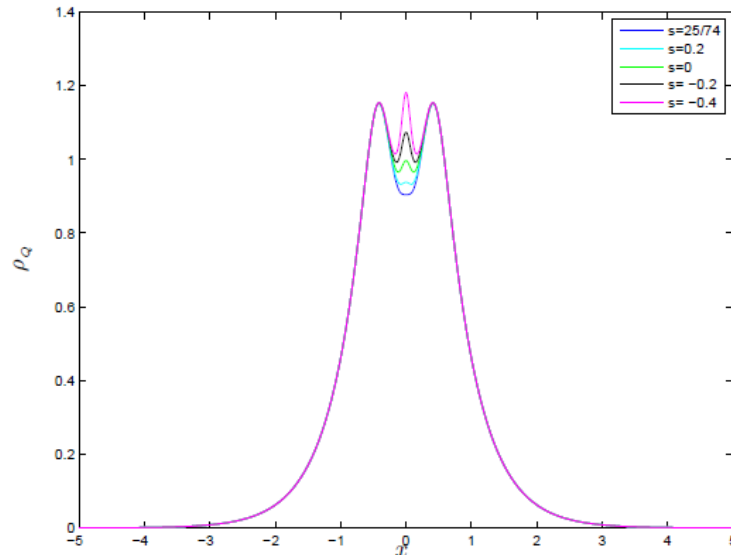
Compara.  
of several  
methods

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HP=Hopscotch;  
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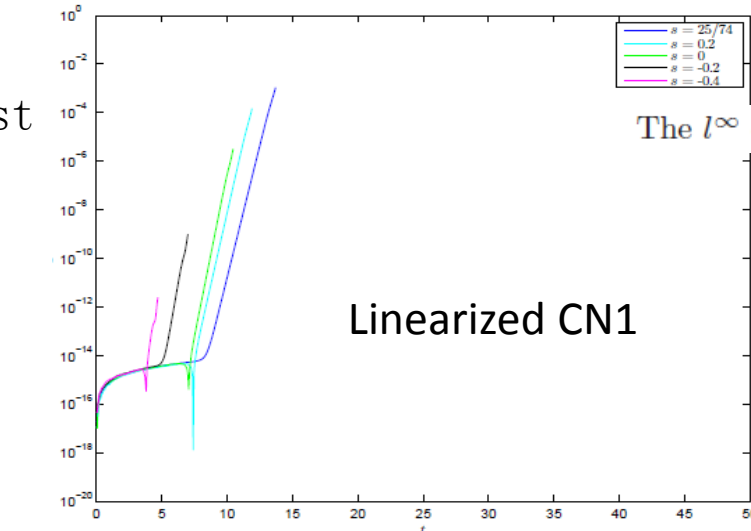
Method	Charge	Energy	Linear momentum	time
CN	Conserved	Conserved	Not conserved	Reversible
LCN1	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not reversible
LCN2	Conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not reversible
SI	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Reversible
HP	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Reversible
LF	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Reversible
WENO	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not reversible
DG	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Not reversible
OS	Conserved	Not conserved	Not conserved	Reversible
Method	linearized stability	Truncation error	$L^\infty$ error	Scheme
CN	Stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Implicit, nonlinear
LCN1	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Implicit
LCN2	Stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Implicit
SI	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Implicit
HP	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Explicit
LF	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^2 + h^2)$	Linear increasing	Explicit
WENO	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^4 + h^5)$	Linear increasing	Explicit
DG	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^4 + h^4)$	Oscillating	Explicit
OS	Conditional stable	$\mathcal{O}(\tau^4)$	Linear increasing	Explicit

# 5、 Numerical experiments

## Test 6: Compara. of several methods

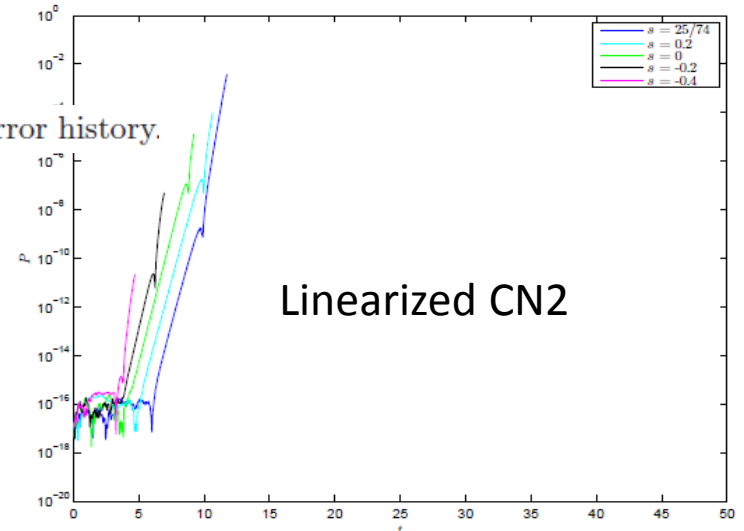


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Linearized CN1

The  $l^\infty$  error history.



Linearized CN2

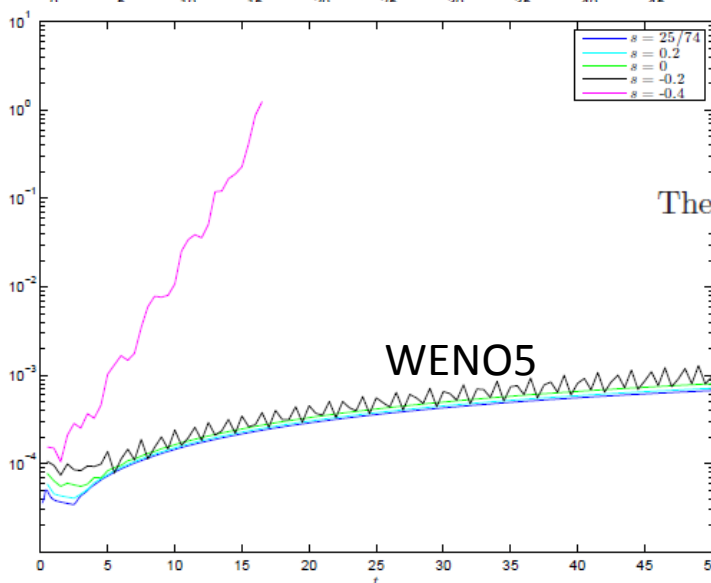
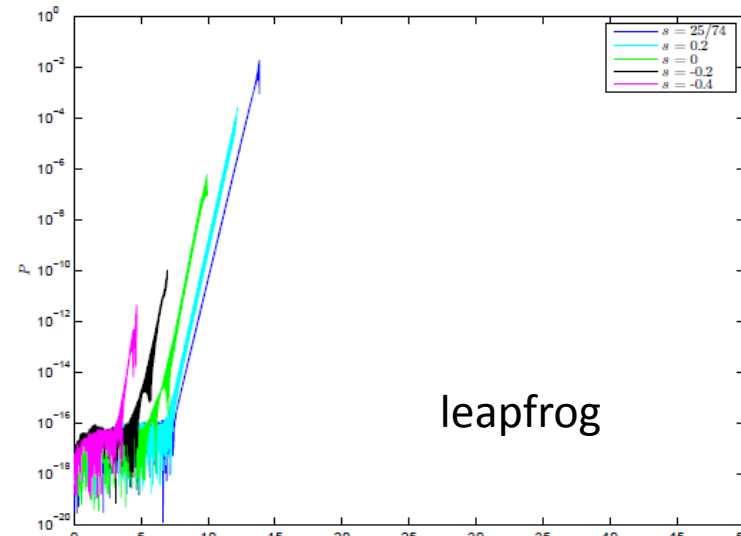
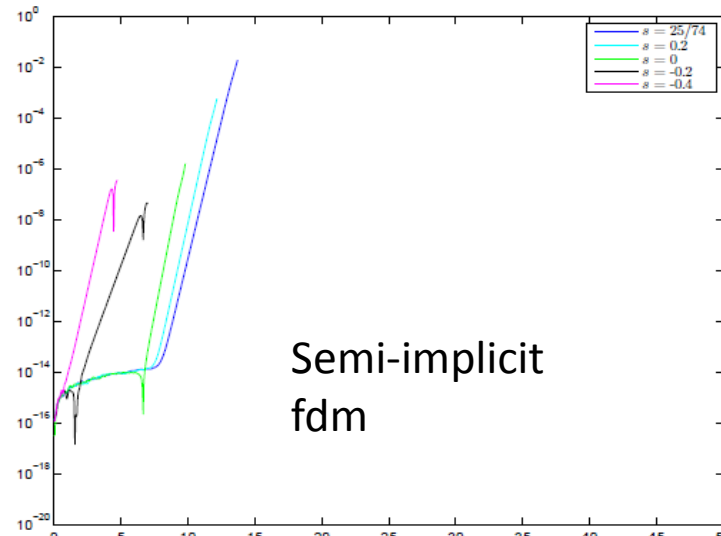
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all schemes  
increase almost  
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the time.

# 5、 Numerical experiments

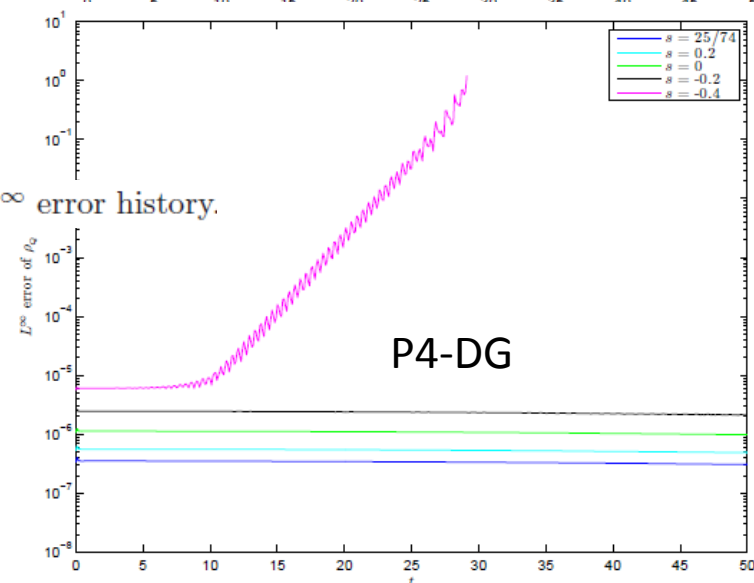
## Test 6: Compara. of several methods

$l^\infty$  errors of  
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increase with  
t too.

The smaller the  
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scheme could  
simulate to.



The  $l^\infty$  error history.

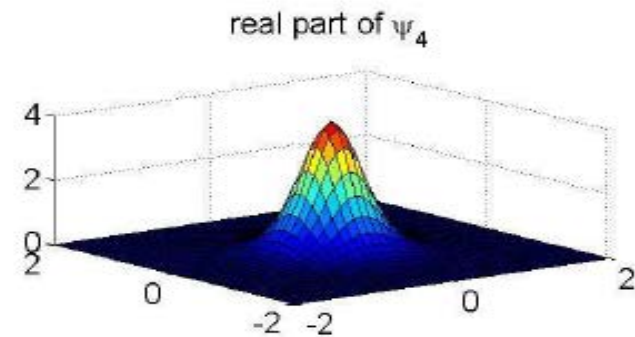
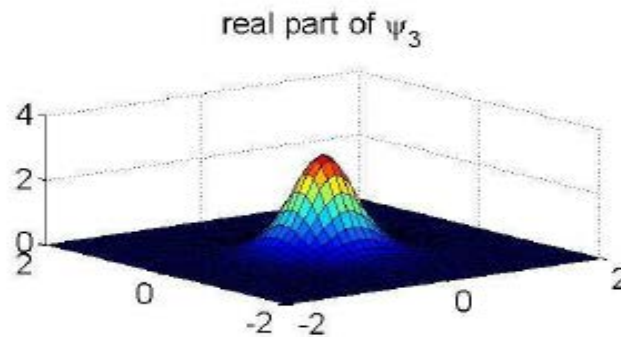
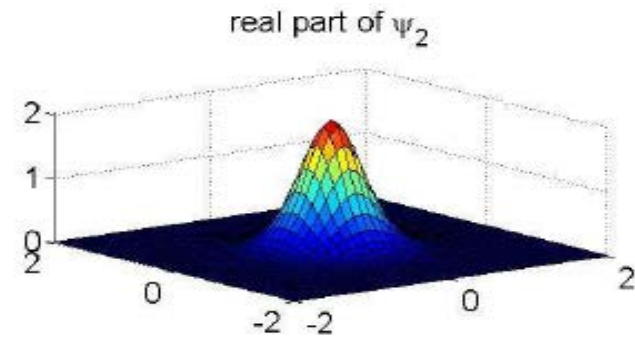
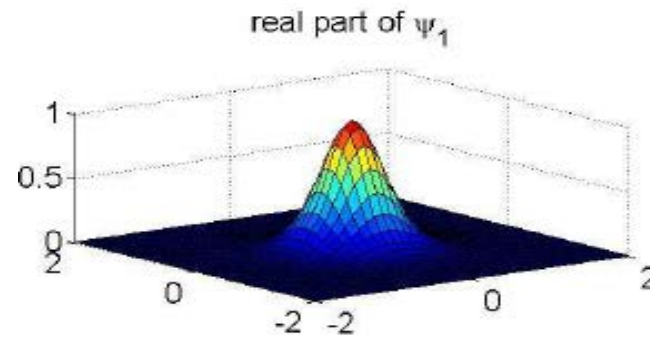




# 5、 Numerical experiments

**Test 7:**  
RKDG for  
(1+2)-d  
Dirac eq.

$k$	$N$	Real part of $\psi_1$					
		$L^\infty$ -error	order	$L^1$ -error	order	$L^2$ -error	order
4	$10 \times 10$	5.02e-03	—	1.48e-03	—	1.11e-03	—
	$20 \times 20$	2.15e-04	4.54	5.41e-05	4.78	4.72e-05	4.56
	$40 \times 40$	7.80e-06	4.79	1.72e-06	4.98	1.56e-06	4.92
	$80 \times 80$	2.21e-07	5.14	5.36e-08	5.01	4.90e-08	4.99



## 6、Conclusions

- For (1+1)-d NLD eq. with *a general self-interaction*, *a linear combination of the scalar, pseudoscalar, vector and axial vector self-interactions to the power of the integer  $k$* , its soliton solutions are analytically derived, and the number of soliton humps in the charge and energy densities is proved in theory: *the number of soliton humps in charge (or energy / momentum) density is not bigger than 4 (or 3)*.
- Several numerical methods are discussed and compared. Interaction dynamics for Dirac solitons is studied. Some new phenomena are observed: *(a) a new quasi-stable long-lived oscillating bound state from binary collisions of a single-humped soliton & a two-humped soliton; (b) collapse in binary & ternary collisions; (c) strongly inelastic interaction in ternary collisions; and (d) bound states with a short or long lifetime from ternary collisions*. Phase plane method reveals that the relative phase of those waves may vary with the interaction.

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In 2004 readers of *《Physics World》* voted for their favourite equation “The greatest equations” :

**No.1** The Maxwell's Eqs.

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D} &= \rho_f & \nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} &= 0 \\ \nabla \times \mathbf{E} &= -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} & \nabla \times \mathbf{H} &= \mathbf{J}_f + \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial t}\end{aligned}$$

电的高斯定律、磁的高斯定律、  
法拉第定律以及安培定律

**No.2** Euler's Identity

$$e^{i\pi} + 1 = 0$$

**No.3** Newton's 2nd  
Law of Motion

$$\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$$


**No.5** Mass–energy  
Equivalence

$$E_0 = mc^2$$

**No.6** The Schrodinger Eq.

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = \hat{H} \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

**No.4** Pythagorean Theorem



$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

**No.7**  
**1+1=2**

**No.8** The de Broglie  
Relations

$$\begin{aligned}p &= \hbar k \\ E &= \hbar \omega\end{aligned}$$

**No.9** The Fourier Transform

$$\hat{f}(\xi) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-2\pi i x \xi} dx,$$

**No.10** The Length of the  
Circumference of a Circle

$$c = 2\pi r$$