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Chaos induced by coupled-expanding maps

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1. Introduction

A general discrete system

$$x_{n+1} = f(x_n), \quad n \geq 0,$$

where $f : D \subset X \rightarrow X$ is a map and (X, d) is a metric space.

Orbit: $x_0, x_1 = f(x_0), x_2 = f(x_1), \dots$

What is chaos?

◇ No general definition of chaos

Li and Yorke [1975], Devaney [1987], Wiggins [1990]

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1. Li-Yorke chaos

The system has an **uncountable scrambled set**.

Scrambled set:

Let $S \subset D$, containing at least two distinct points. Then, S is called a scrambled set if $\forall x_0, y_0 \in S, x_0 \neq y_0$,

(i) $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, y_n) = 0$;

(ii) $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} d(x_n, y_n) > 0$.

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2. [Devaney chaos](#) [1987]:

$f : V \subset D \rightarrow V$ satisfies

- (i) dense periodic points in V ;
- (ii) topologically transitive in V ;
- (iii) sensitive dependence on initial conditions in V .

3. [Wiggins chaos](#) [1990]: (ii) + (iii)

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Relationships: they are not equivalent in general.

1. Devaney chaos $\implies$ Wiggins chaos.

2. Let V be a compact set of X , containing infinitely many points, and let $f : V \rightarrow V$ be continuous and surjective.

(i) Devaney chaos $\implies$ Li-Yorke chaos.

(ii) Wiggins chaos + one periodic point in $V \implies$ Li-Yorke chaos.

3. The converses are not true in general.

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How to determine whether a given system is chaotic?

1. One-dimensional systems: period $k \neq 2^n$, positive entropy, turbulence
2. Higher-dimensional systems: snap-back repeller
3. Infinite-dimensional systems?

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2. Concept of coupled-expanding map

Block LS and Coppel WA [1992] Lecture Notes in Mathematics, Vol.1513.

A C^0 map $f : I \rightarrow I$ is said to be **turbulent** if $\exists$ closed and bounded subintervals J and K , with at most one common point, s.t.

$$f(J) \supset J \cup K, \quad f(K) \supset J \cup K.$$

Further, it is said to be **strictly turbulent** if $J \cap K = \phi$.

* J and K are compact and connected.

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◇ A turbulent map f is chaotic in the sense of Li-Yorke.

Example 1. The logistic map: $f(x) = \mu x(1 - x)$, $\mu \geq 4$.

Example 2. The tent map

$$T(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1/2 \\ 2(x - 1/2), & \text{if } 1/2 < x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

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Extended to maps in metric spaces, 2005.

“Turbulent map” $\implies$ “Coupled-expanding map”

DEFINITION $f : D \subset X \rightarrow X$.

Assume that $\exists m (\geq 2)$ subsets $V_i \subset D$, $1 \leq i \leq m$, s.t.

$$V_i \cap V_j = \partial_D V_i \cap \partial_D V_j, \quad 1 \leq i \neq j \leq m$$

$$f(V_i) \supset \bigcup_{j=1}^m V_j, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m.$$

Then f is said to be **coupled-expanding** in V_i , $1 \leq i \leq m$.

Strictly coupled-expanding: $d(V_i, V_j) > 0$ for all $1 \leq i \neq j \leq m$.

coupled-expanding — CE

strictly coupled-expanding — SCE



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DEFINITION [Shi, Ju and Chen, 2006]

Let $f : D \subset X \rightarrow X$ and $A = ((A)_{ij})$ be an $m \times m$ transitive matrix ($m \geq 2$). Assume that $\exists m$ subsets $V_i \subset D$ s.t.

$$V_i \cap V_j = \partial_D V_i \cap \partial_D V_j, \quad 1 \leq i \neq j \leq m,$$

$$f(V_i) \supset \bigcup_{(A)_{ij}=1}^j V_j, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m$$

Then f is said to be **CE for matrix A** in V_i , $1 \leq i \leq m$.
SCE for matrix A : $d(V_i, V_j) > 0$ for all $1 \leq i \neq j \leq m$.

* **A transitive matrix** $A = ((A)_{ij})_{m \times m}$ ($m \geq 2$)

$(A)_{ij} = 0$ or 1 for all i, j ;

$\sum_{j=1}^m (A)_{ij} \geq 1$ for all i ; $\sum_{i=1}^m (A)_{ij} \geq 1$ for all j .



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3. SCE maps and subshifts of finite type

3.1. One-sided symbolic dynamical systems

$$S := \{1, 2, \dots, m\}, m \geq 2,$$

$$\sum_m^+ := \{\alpha = (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) : a_i \in S, i \geq 0\}$$

$$\rho(\alpha, \beta) := \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{d(a_i, b_i)}{2^i},$$

$$d(a_i, b_i) := 0 \text{ if } a_i = b_i,$$

$$d(a_i, b_i) := 1 \text{ if } a_i \neq b_i,$$

where $\alpha = (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots)$ and $\beta = (b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots)$.

◇ $(\sum_m^+, \rho)$ is a complete metric space and a Cantor set (compact, perfect, and totally disconnected).



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The shift map

$$\sigma : \sum_m^+ \rightarrow \sum_m^+, \quad \sigma(a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots).$$

$(\sum_m^+, \sigma)$ is called the one-sided symbolic dynamical system on m symbols.

It is chaotic in the sense of both Devaney and Li-Yorke.

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3.2 Subshift of finite type

Let A be an $m \times m$ transitive matrix.

$$\sum_m^+(A) := \{\alpha = (a_0, a_1, \dots) \in \sum_m^+ : (A)_{a_i a_{i+1}} = 1, i \geq 0\}$$

is a compact invariant set under σ .

The subshift of finite type

$$\sigma_A := \sigma|_{\sum_m^+(A)} : \sum_m^+(A) \rightarrow \sum_m^+(A).$$

Q: Under what conditions the subshifts are chaotic in the sense of Li-Yorke or Devaney?



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THEOREM [Shi, Ju and Chen, 2006]

Assume that A is **irreducible**. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i) σ_A is chaotic in the sense of Devaney on the infinite set $\sum_m^+(A)$;
- (ii) σ_A is chaotic in the sense of Li-Yorke;
- (iii) $\sum_m^+(A)$ is infinite;
- (iv) $\sum_m^+(A)$ is a Cantor set;
- (v) $\sum_{j=1}^m (A)_{i_0 j} \geq 2$ for some i_0 ;
- (vi) $\sum_{i=1}^m (A)_{i j_0} \geq 2$ for some j_0 .

* **Irreducible transitive matrix**: $\forall (i, j), 1 \leq i, j \leq m, \exists k \geq 1$ s.t.
 $(A^k)_{ij} > 0$.

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3.3. Relationships

THEOREM [Shi, Ju and Chen, 2006] $f : D \subset X \rightarrow X$ is C^0 .
 f is topologically conjugate to σ_A

if and only if

$\exists m$ disjoint **compact** subsets $V_i \subset D$, $1 \leq i \leq m$, s.t.

(i) f is SCE for A in V_i , $1 \leq i \leq m$;

(ii) $\forall \alpha = (a_0, a_1, \dots) \in \Sigma_m^+(A)$,

$$\bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} f^{-n}(V_{a_n})$$

is a singleton.

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THEOREM [Shi, Ju and Chen, 2006] $f : D \subset X \rightarrow X$.

Assume that $\exists m(\geq 2)$ nonempty **bounded and closed** subsets $V_i \subset D$ with $d(V_i, V_j) > 0$ s.t. f is C^0 in $\bigcup_{i=1}^m V_i$ and satisfies

(i) f is SCE for some A in V_i , $1 \leq i \leq m$;

(ii) $\forall \alpha = (a_0, a_1, \dots) \in \Sigma_m^+(A)$,

$$d\left(\bigcap_{i=0}^n f^{-i}(V_{a_i})\right) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Then f in some invariant set $V \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^m V_i$ is topologically conjugate to σ_A .

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4. Chaos induced by coupled-expanding maps

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4.1. SCE maps in compact sets

THEOREM [Shi and Chen, 2004]

Let V_j , $1 \leq j \leq m$, be **disjoint compact** sets of X , and $f : \bigcup_{j=1}^m V_j \rightarrow X$ be C^0 . If

(i) f is **SCE** in V_j , $1 \leq j \leq m$;

(ii) $\exists \lambda > 1$ s.t.

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \geq \lambda d(x, y), \quad \forall x, y \in V_j, \quad 1 \leq j \leq m;$$

then $\exists$ a Cantor set $\Lambda \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^m V_j$ s.t. $f : \Lambda \rightarrow \Lambda$ is topologically conjugate to $\sigma : \Sigma_m^+ \rightarrow \Sigma_m^+$.

$\Rightarrow$ Chaotic on Λ in the sense of **Devaney** as well as **Li-Yorke**.



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THEOREM [Shi and Yu, 2005]

If f satisfies (i) and

(ii') $\exists$ a j_0 , and $\lambda > 1$ s.t.

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \geq \lambda d(x, y) \quad \forall x, y \in V_{j_0};$$

and f is **injective** in the other sets V_j , $j \neq j_0$;

then f is **chaotic in the sense of both Wiggins and Li-Yorke** on a perfect and compact invariant set.

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THEOREM [Shi, Ju and Chen, 2006]

Assume that $\exists$ an $m \times m$ **irreducible** transitive matrix A with $\sum_{j=1}^m (A)_{i_0 j} \geq 2$ for some i_0 ; m **disjoint compact** subsets V_i of D , $1 \leq i \leq m$, and f is C^0 in $\bigcup_{i=1}^m V_i$.

If f satisfies that

(i') f is SCE for A in V_i , $1 \leq i \leq m$;

(ii) $\exists \lambda > 1$ s.t.

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \geq \lambda d(x, y) \quad \forall x, y \in V_i, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m.$$

Then, f in a Cantor set V is topologically conjugate to σ_A .

$\Rightarrow f$ is chaotic on V in the sense of **Devaney as well as Li-Yorke**.

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4.2. SCE maps in bounded and closed sets

In the following, (X, d) is a **complete metric space**.

THEOREM [Shi and Chen, 2004] Let $V_j \subset X$, $1 \leq j \leq m$, be **bounded and closed** subsets of X with $d(V_i, V_j) > 0$, and $f : \bigcup_{i=1}^m V_i \rightarrow X$ be C^0 . If

(i) f is **SCE** in V_j , $1 \leq j \leq m$;

(ii) $\exists \mu \geq \lambda > 1$ s.t.

$$\lambda d(x, y) \leq d(f(x), f(y)) \leq \mu d(x, y) \quad \forall x, y \in V_j, \quad 1 \leq j \leq m;$$

then $\exists$ a Cantor set $\Lambda \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^m V_i$ s.t. $f : \Lambda \rightarrow \Lambda$ is topologically conjugate to $\sigma : \sum_m^+ \rightarrow \sum_m^+$.

$\implies f$ is chaotic on Λ in the sense of **Devaney** as well as **Li-Yorke**.

* Similarly, these two conditions can be weakened as we have done before.



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5. Some applications

1. Anti-control of chaos (or chaotification)

The original system

$$x_{n+1} = f(x_n), \quad n \geq 0.$$

Objective: Design a control input sequence $\{u_n\}$ s.t.

$$x_{n+1} = f(x_n) + u_n, \quad n \geq 0$$

is chaotic.

$$u_n = \mu g(x_n) \text{ or } u_n = g(\mu x_n).$$

- * Shi Y and Chen G [2005] Int J Bifur Chaos, 15, 547–556. (R^n)
- * Lu J [2005] Chinese Physics 14, 1082-1087; 1342-1346. (R^n)
- * Shi Y, Yu P and Chen G [2006] Int J Bifur Chaos, 16, 2615-2636.
(Banach spaces)



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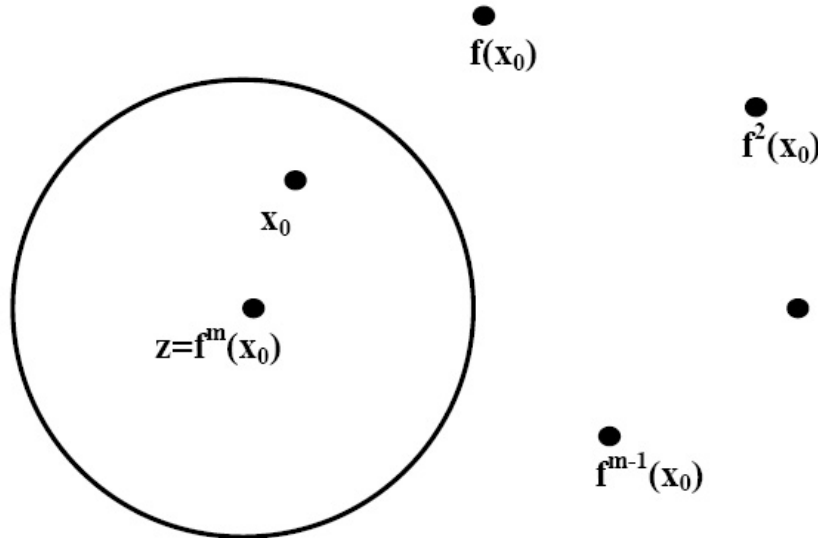
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2. Snap-back repeller theory

[Marotto FR](#) [1978] J. Math. Anal. Appl. 63, 199-223.

$f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is C^1 , $f(z) = z$.



A snap-back repeller implies Li-Yorke chaos.



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Recent developments:

(1) The concept is extended to maps in metric spaces in 2004:

Regular and singular; nondegenerate and degenerate.

* In the Marotto paper, a snap-back repeller is regular and nondegenerate.

(2) C^1 maps in $\mathbb{R}^n$:

- Improvement of the Marotto theorem:

A snap-back repeller in the Marotto paper implies Devaney chaos as well as Li-Yorke chaos.

- The assumptions of the Marotto theorem were weakened:

A regular snap-back repeller implies Li-Yorke chaos.

(3) Snap-back repellers in Banach spaces and in general complete metric spaces.



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3. Partial difference equations [Y Shi, 2006]

4. Time-varying discrete systems [Y Shi and G Chen, 2005]

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6. Examples with simulations

Example 1.

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 4(x, y), & \text{if } (x, y) \in B_2(0) \\ \left(\sin^3(x - 3) + \sin x \cos^2(y - 3), \sin(y - 3) \right), & \text{if } (x, y) \notin B_2(0). \end{cases}$$

The origin is a **regular and nondegenerate snap-back repeller**.

$\Rightarrow f$ is chaotic in the sense of both Devaney and Li-Yorke.

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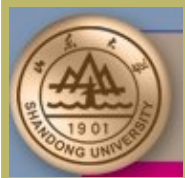
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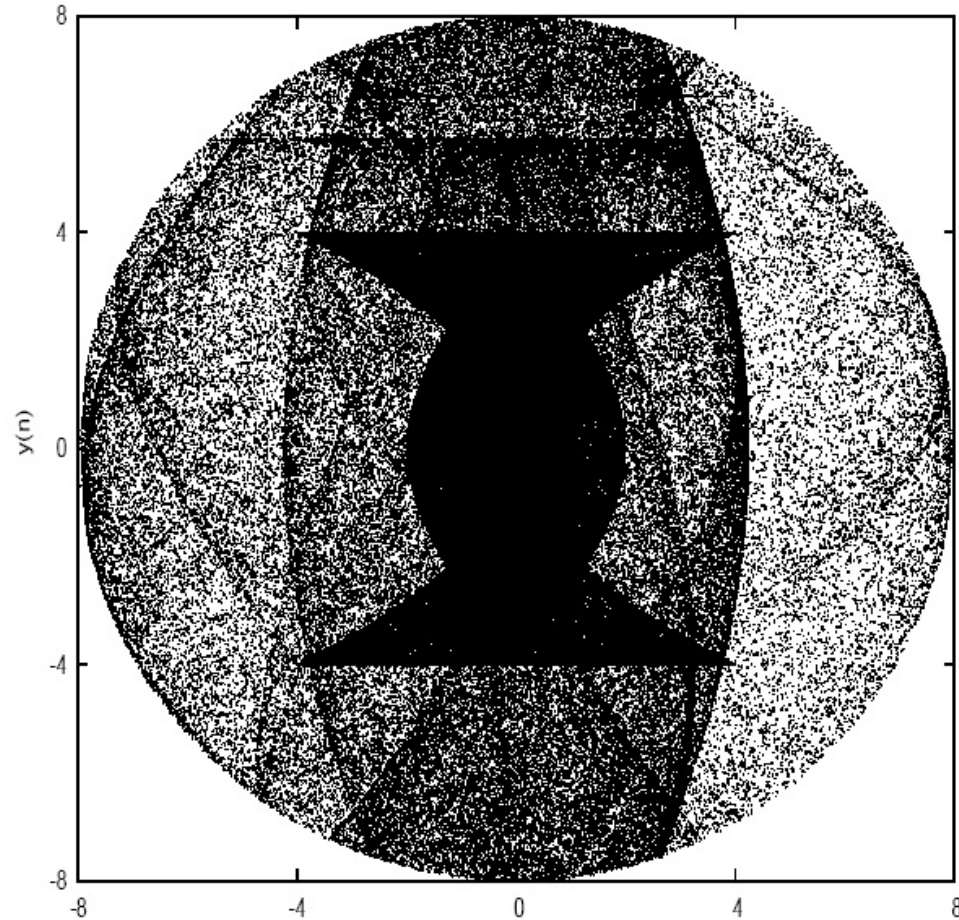


Figure 1a: Simulation result in the (x, y) space in the rectangular box $[-8, 8] \times [-8, 8]$.



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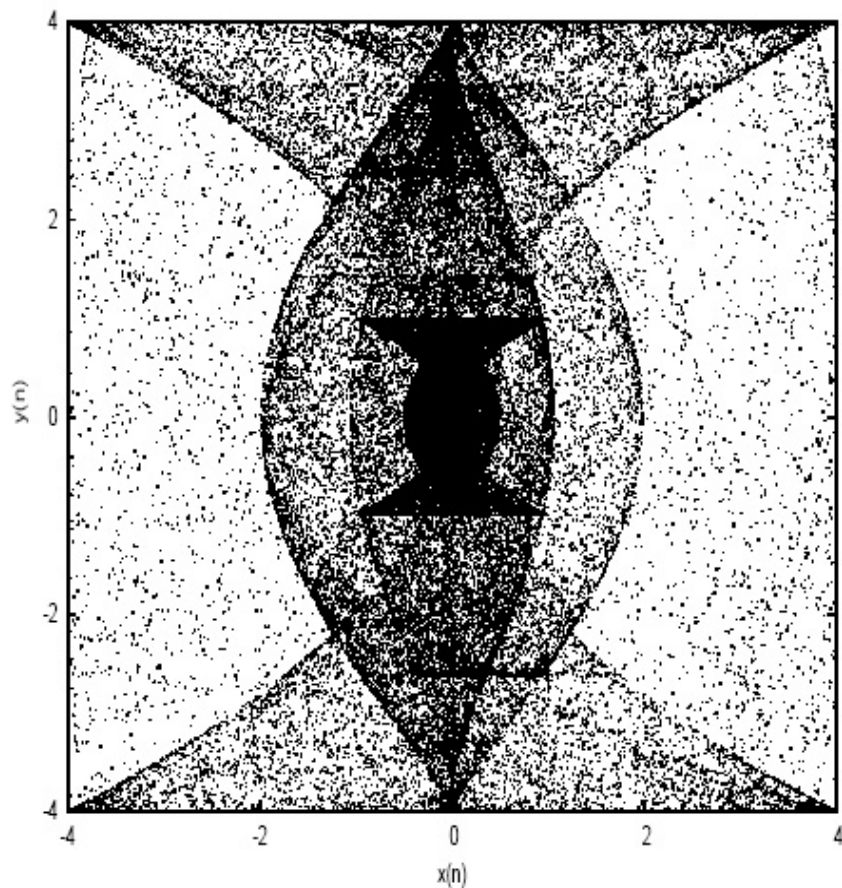


Figure 1b: Simulation result in the (x, y) space in the rectangular box $[-4, 4] \times [-4, 4]$.



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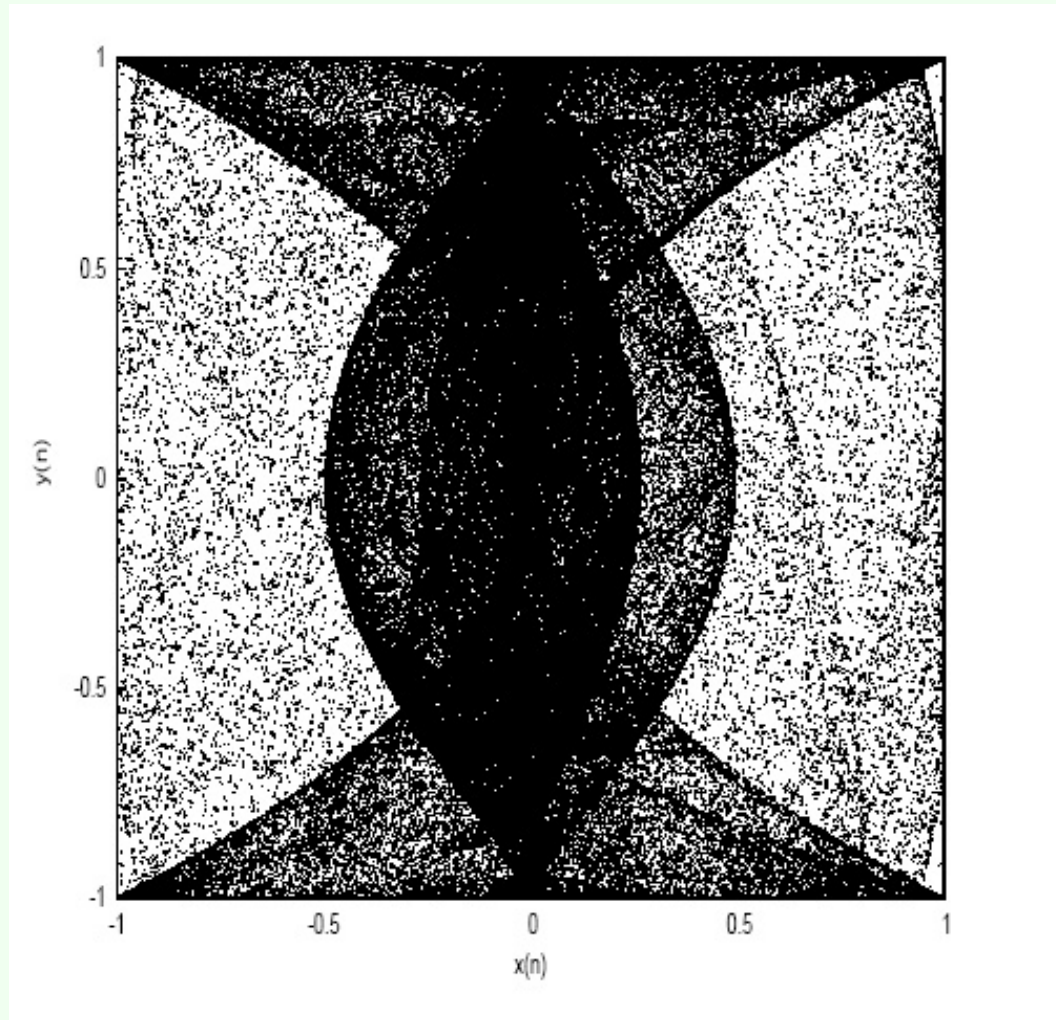


Figure 1c: Simulation result in the (x, y) space in the rectangular box $[-1, 1] \times [-1, 1]$.



Example 2.

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 4(x, y), & \text{if } (x, y) \in B_2(0) \\ \left(\sin((x-3)^3 + x(y-3)^2), \sin(y-3) \right), & \text{if } (x, y) \notin B_2(0). \end{cases}$$

The origin is a **regular and degenerate snap-back repeller**.

$\Rightarrow f$ is chaotic in the sense of both Wiggins and Li-Yorke.

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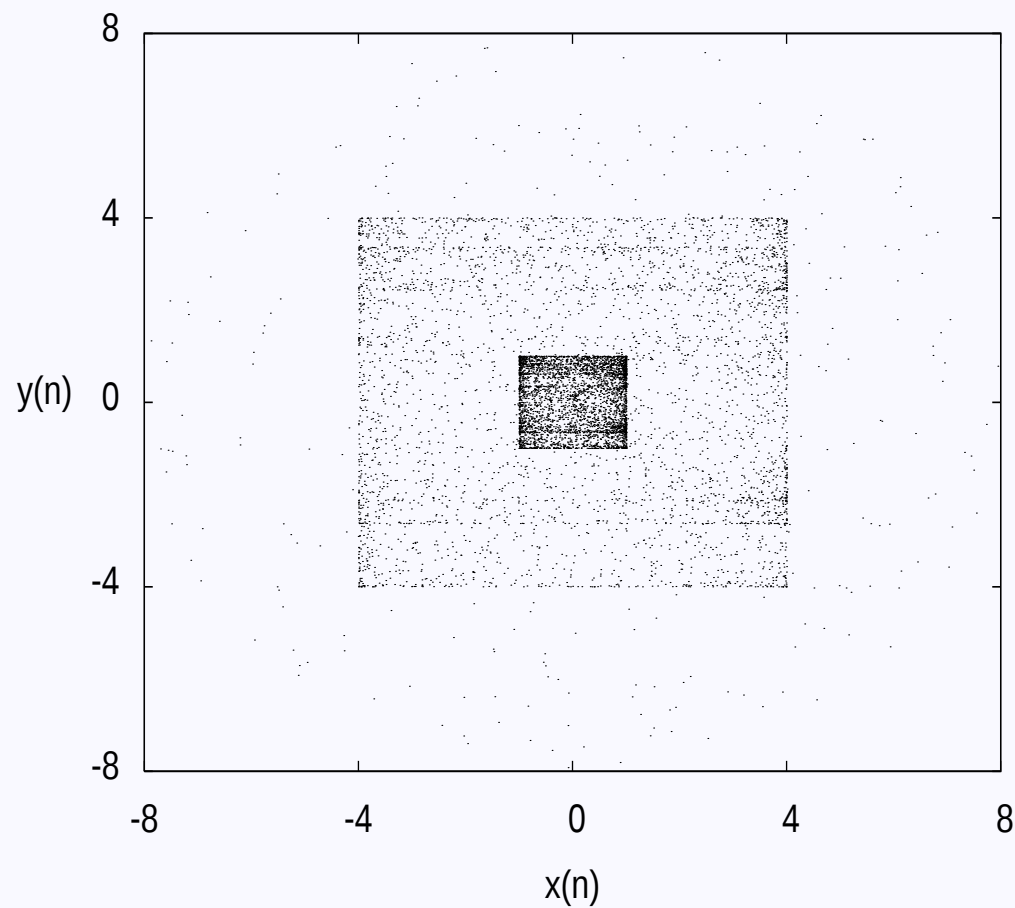


Figure 2a. Simulation result in the rectangular box $[-8, 8] \times [-8, 8]$



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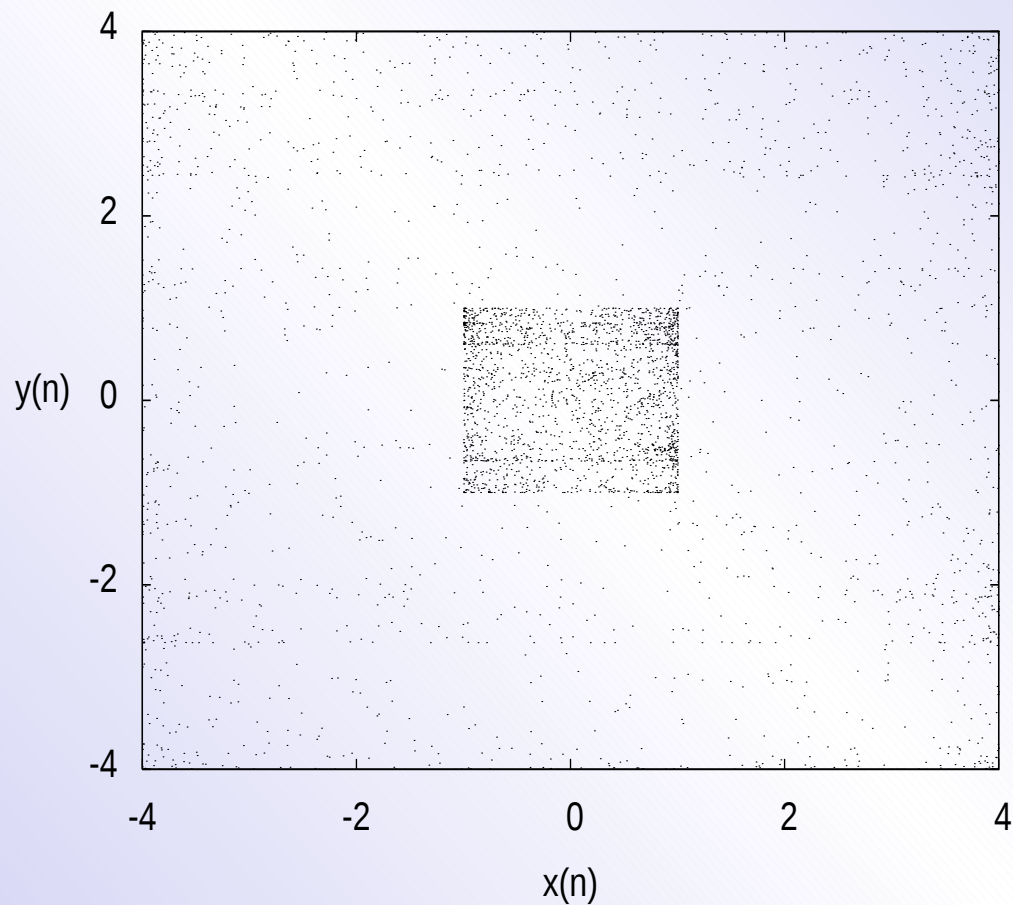


Figure 2b. Zoom area of the rectangular box $[-4, 4] \times [-4, 4]$



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Thanks for your attention!

DEFINITION [Shi and Chen, 2004] $f : X \rightarrow X$, $f(z) = z$.

Expanding fixed point (EFP): $\exists \lambda > 1$ s.t.

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \geq \lambda d(x, y), \quad \forall x, y \in \bar{B}_r(z).$$

Snap-back repeller (SBR): z is an EFP in $\bar{B}_r(z)$.

$\exists x_0 \in B_r(z)$, $x_0 \neq z$, s.t. $f^m(x_0) = z$ for some $m \geq 2$.

Nondegenerate SBR: $\exists \mu > 0$ s.t.

$$d(f^m(x), f^m(y)) \geq \mu d(x, y), \quad \forall x, y \in \bar{B}_{r_0}(x_0) \subset \bar{B}_r(z).$$

Regular SBR: $f(B_r(z))$ is open, and $\exists \delta_0 > 0$ s.t. z is an interior point of $f^m(B_\delta(x_0))$ for any $\delta \leq \delta_0$.

* In the Marotto paper, a SBR is regular and nondegenerate.



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