

Global Numerics I: Invariant Sets, GAIO

Discrete dynamical systems

$X \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ **state space**, $f : X \rightarrow X$ diffeomorphism.

For $x_0 \in X$ consider the iteration

$$x_{k+1} = f(x_k), \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Invariant sets

- A set A is called **invariant**, if $f(A) = A$.
- A point $x \in X$ is called **periodic** if there is a k such that $f^k(x) = x$.
The smallest such k is the **period** of x .

$\text{Per}(f)$: set of periodic points of f .

- The sets

$$\omega_f(x) = \{y \in X : \exists (n_i)_i \rightarrow +\infty \text{ s.t. } f^{n_i}(x) \rightarrow y\}$$

$$\alpha_f(x) = \{y \in X : \exists (n_i)_i \rightarrow -\infty \text{ s.t. } f^{n_i}(x) \rightarrow y\}$$

are the ω -limit set and the α -limit set of x .

$$L(f, X) = \overline{\bigcup_{x \in X} \omega_f(x)} \cup \overline{\bigcup_{x \in X} \alpha_f(x)}.$$

Exercise 1 Show that $L(f, X)$ is invariant.

- A point x is called **nonwandering** if for every neighbourhood U of x there is a $k > 0$ such that $f^k(U) \cap U$ is nonempty.

$\Omega(f, X)$: set of nonwandering points.

- A sequence $(x_i)_i$ of points $x_i \in X$ is an ε -pseudo-orbit for f , if

$$d(f(x_i), x_{i+1}) < \varepsilon.$$

An ε -pseudo-orbit is ε -pseudo-periodic if there is an n such that $x_i = x_{i+n}$ for all i . A point is chain recurrent if it is element of an ε -pseudo-periodic orbit for all positive ε .

$R(f, X)$: set of chain recurrent points.

- Maximal invariant set:

$$\text{Inv}(f, X) = \{x \in X : f^k(x) \in X \text{ for all } k\}.$$

Lemma 1

$$\text{Per}(f) \subset L(f) \subset \Omega(f) \subset R(f) \subset \text{Inv}(f).$$

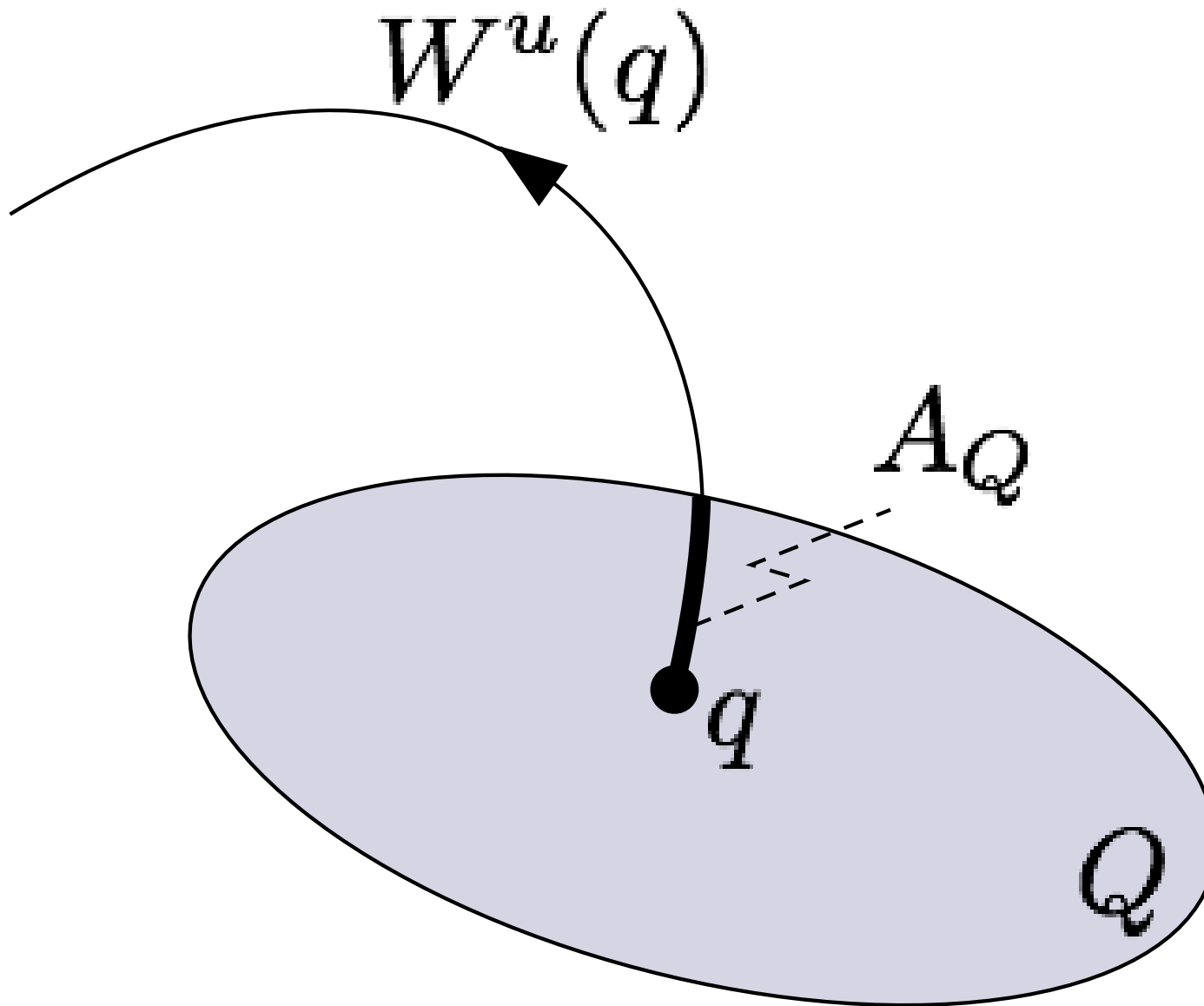
The relative global attractor

$Q \subset X$ compact, the set

$$A_Q = \bigcap_{k=0}^{\infty} f^k(Q)$$

is the **global attractor relative to Q** .

- A_Q is compact;
- A_Q contains all invariant sets in Q ;
- $A_Q \subset f(A_Q)$, but in general $f(A_Q) \not\subset A_Q$.
- A_Q contains (part of) the **unstable set** of an invariant set in Q ;



A subdivision algorithm [Dellnitz, Hohmann, 97]

Input: $Q \subset X$ compact; **Output:** sequence $\mathcal{B}_0, \mathcal{B}_1, \dots$ of finite collections of compact subsets of Q .

Set $\mathcal{B}_0 = \{Q\}$. Given $\mathcal{B}_{k-1}$, $\mathcal{B}_k$ is constructed in two steps:

Subdivision: construct a collection $\hat{\mathcal{B}}_k$ such that

$$\bigcup_{B \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k} B = \bigcup_{B \in \mathcal{B}_{k-1}} B \quad \text{and} \quad \text{diam}(\hat{\mathcal{B}}_k) \leq \theta \text{diam}(\mathcal{B}_{k-1})$$

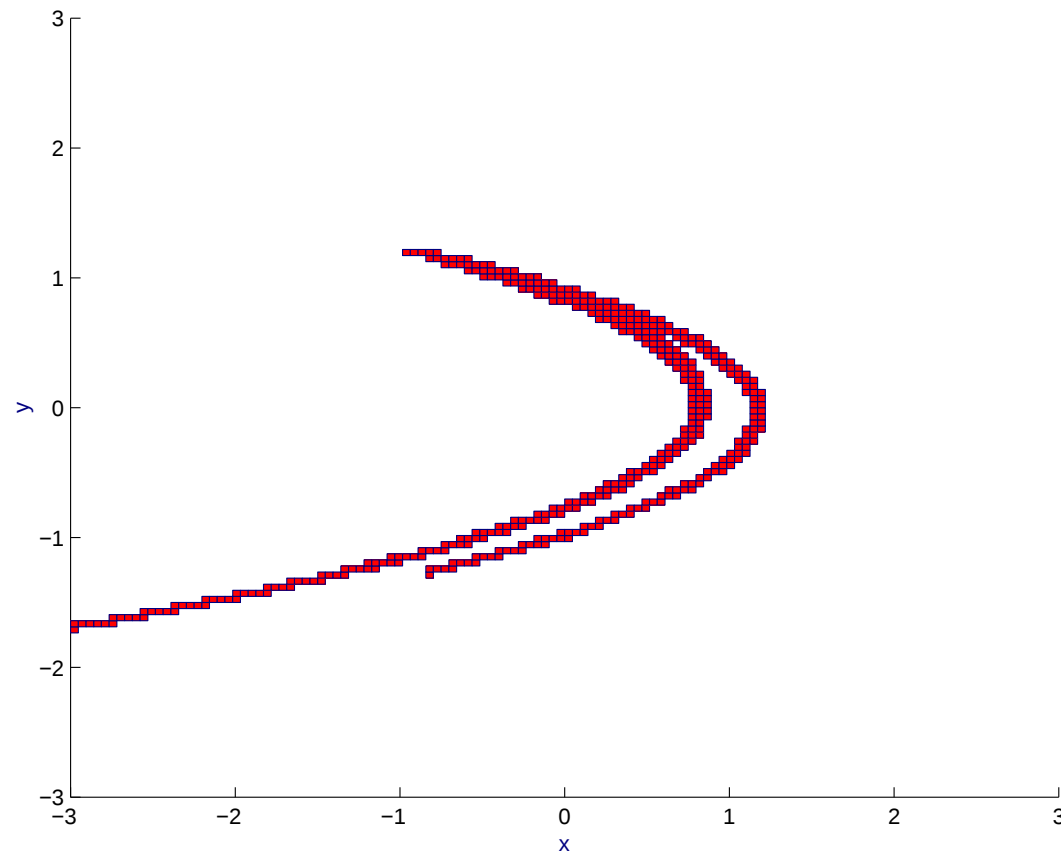
for some $0 < \theta_{\min} \leq \theta \leq \theta_{\max} < 1$.

Selection: Set

$$\mathcal{B}_k = \{B \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k : f(B') \cap B \neq \emptyset \text{ for some } B' \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k\}.$$

Example: The Hénon-map

$$f(x, y) = (1 - ax^2 + y, bx)$$



Convergence

Let

$$Q_k = \bigcup_{B \in \mathcal{B}_k} B,$$

obviously $Q_{k+1} \subset Q_k$.

Theorem 1 (Dellnitz, Hohmann, 97) *The sets Q_k converge to A_Q in Hausdorff-distance as $k \rightarrow \infty$, i.e.*

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} h(Q_k, A_Q) = 0.$$

Equivalently let $Q_\infty = \bigcap_{k=0,1,\dots} Q_k$, then

$$Q_\infty = A_Q.$$

Proof of Theorem 1 (1)

Lemma 2 $A_Q \subset Q_k$ for all $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

Proof:

By definition $A_Q \subset Q = Q_0$. Suppose there is an $x \in A_Q \subset Q_{k-1}$ such that $x \notin Q_k$ for some $k > 0$. Then the set $B \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k$ containing x is removed in the selection step, i.e.

$$f(Q_{k-1}) \cap B = \emptyset.$$

Hence, $x \notin f(Q_{k-1})$, but this contradicts the fact that $x \in A_Q \subset f(A_Q) \subset f(Q_{k-1})$.

Proof of Theorem 1 (2)

Lemma 3 *Let $B \subset Q$ be a subset such that*

$$B \subset f(B).$$

Then B is contained in the global attractor A_Q relative to Q .

Proof:

We know that $B \subset f^j(B)$ for all $j \geq 0$. Therefore,

$$B \subset \bigcap_{j \geq 0} f^j(B) \subset \bigcap_{j \geq 0} f^j(Q) = A_Q.$$

Proof of Theorem 1 (3)

Lemma 4 $Q_\infty \subset f(Q_\infty)$.

Proof: Suppose that there is a point $x \in Q_\infty$, such that $x \notin f(Q_\infty)$. Since Q is compact there is $\delta > 0$ such that

$$d(x, f(Q_\infty)) > \delta.$$

Hence there is an integer $K > 0$ such that

$$d(x, f(Q_k)) > \delta/2 \quad \text{for } k > K.$$

For each k let $B_k(x) \subset \mathcal{B}_k$ be a set containing x . By continuity there is an $\ell > K$ such that

$$B_\ell(x) \cap f(Q_\ell) = \emptyset.$$

By construction of the algorithm this is impossible. □

Hyperbolic sets

A compact invariant set A is called **hyperbolic**, if for every $x \in A$ there is a decomposition $T_x X = E_x^s \oplus E_x^u$ such that

- (i) $Df_x E_x^{s,u} = E_{f(x)}^{s,u}$;
- (ii) There are $C > 0$, $\lambda < 1$, such that

$$\begin{aligned} \|Df_x^k v\| &\leq C\lambda^k \|v\| && \text{for } v \in E_x^s, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ \|Df_x^{-k} v\| &\leq C\lambda^k \|v\| && \text{for } v \in E_x^u, k \in \mathbb{N}; \end{aligned}$$

- (iii) $E_x^{s,u}$ depend continuously on x .

Speed of convergence

Theorem 2 (Dellnitz, Hohmann, 97) *Let A_Q be the global attractor relative to Q with respect to the diffeomorphism f^q , $q \in \mathbb{N}$. If A_Q is attractive and hyperbolic and [...] then*

$$h(A_Q, Q_k) \leq \text{diam}(\mathcal{B}_k)(1 + \alpha + \cdots + \alpha^k),$$

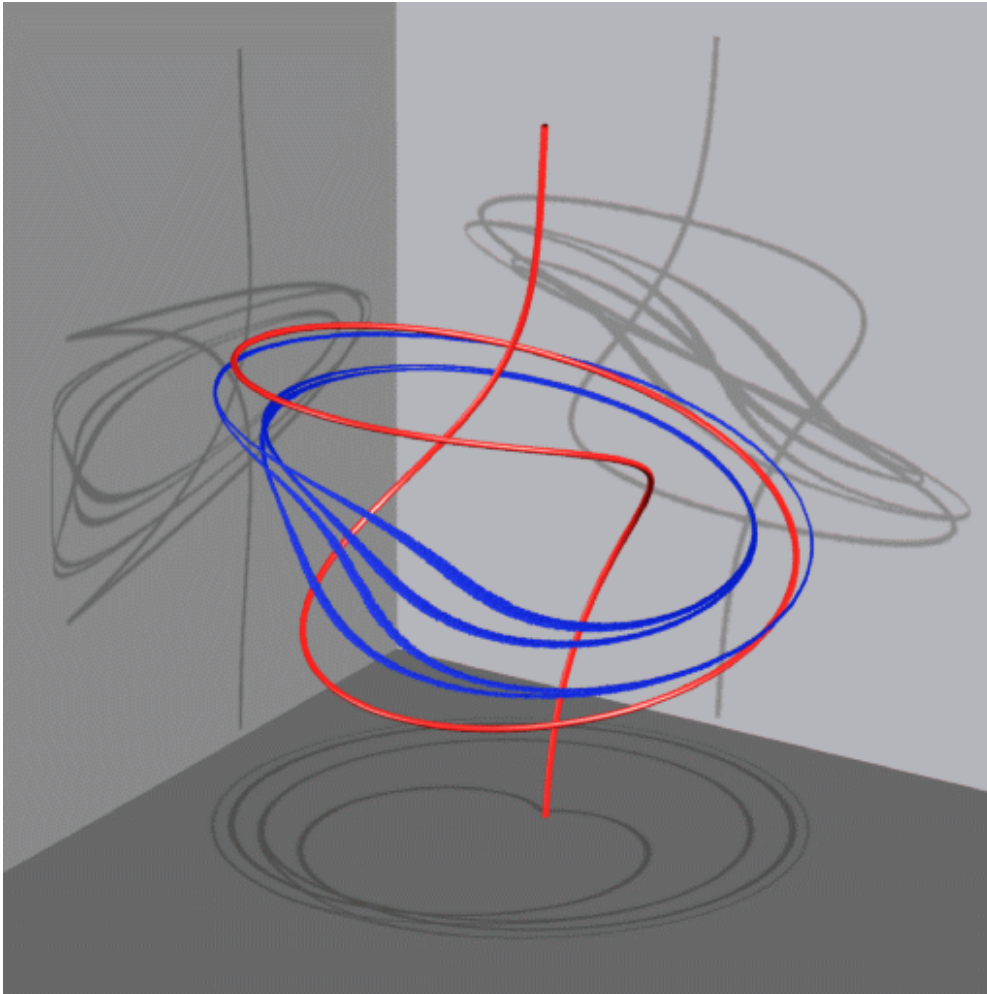
where

$$\alpha = C \frac{\lambda^q}{\theta_{\min}}.$$

If $\alpha < 1$ then

$$h(A_Q, Q_k) \leq \text{diam}(\mathcal{B}_k) \frac{1}{1 - \alpha}.$$

Example: A “knotted” flow



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The stable manifold theorem

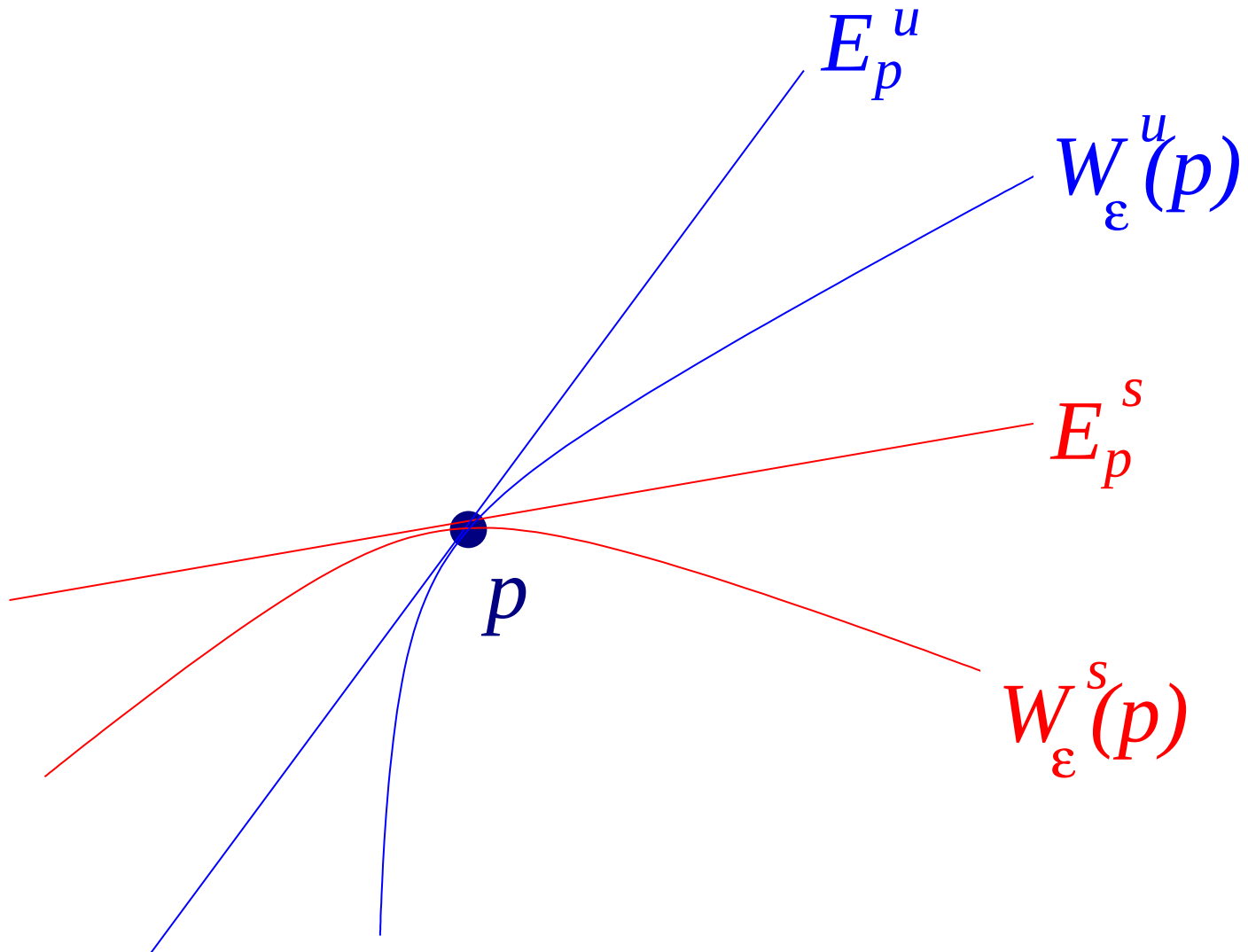
For a fixed point $p = f(p)$ let

$$W_\varepsilon^s(p) = \{x : \|f^k(x) - p\| \leq \varepsilon \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

Let E_p^s be the subspace spanned by the eigenspaces to eigenvalues λ with $|\lambda| < 1$ of Df_p .

Theorem 3 *If p is hyperbolic then for ε small enough $W_\varepsilon^s(p)$ is a smooth submanifold of X . $W_\varepsilon^s(p)$ is tangent to E_p^s in p and of the same dimension.*

$W_\varepsilon^s(p)$: local stable manifold of p .



Global (un-)stable manifolds

The sets

$$W^u(p) = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} f^k(W_\varepsilon^u(p)), \quad W^s(p) = \bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} f^{-k}(W_\varepsilon^s(p))$$

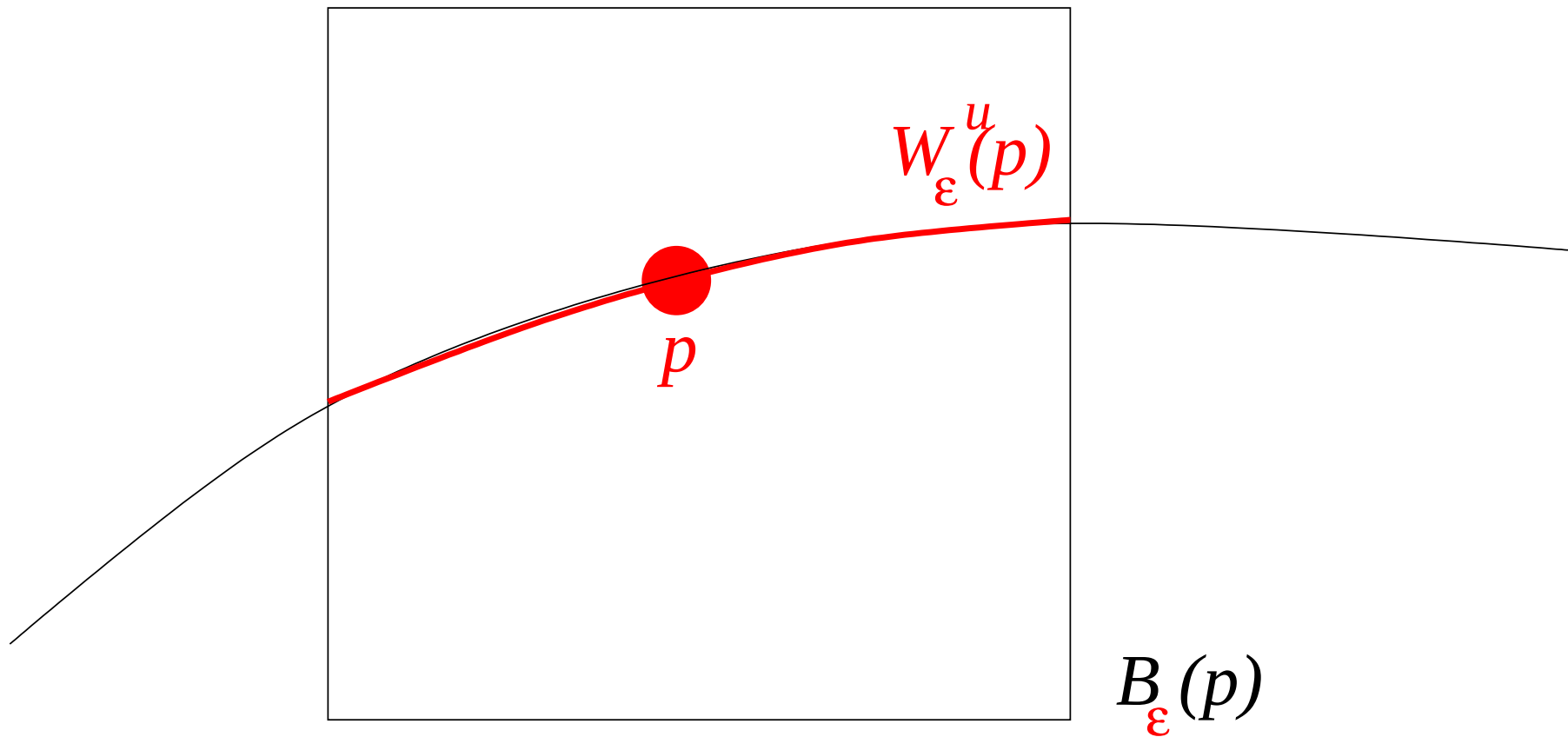
are the (global) unstable/stable manifold of p .

Computing the local unstable manifold

p hyperbolic fixed point, $B_\varepsilon(p)$ ε -neighbourhood of p .

Observation: If ε is small enough, then

$$A_{B_\varepsilon(p)} = W_\varepsilon^u(p).$$



The continuation algorithm [Dellnitz, Hohmann, 96]

Input: $Q \subset X$ compact, $p \in Q$ hyperbolic fixed point.

Output: collection $\mathcal{B}$, covering part of $W^u(p)$.

$\mathcal{P}_0 < \mathcal{P}_1 < \dots$: nested sequence of finite partitions of Q .

$\mathcal{P}_\ell(p)$: set of $\mathcal{P}_\ell$ containing p .

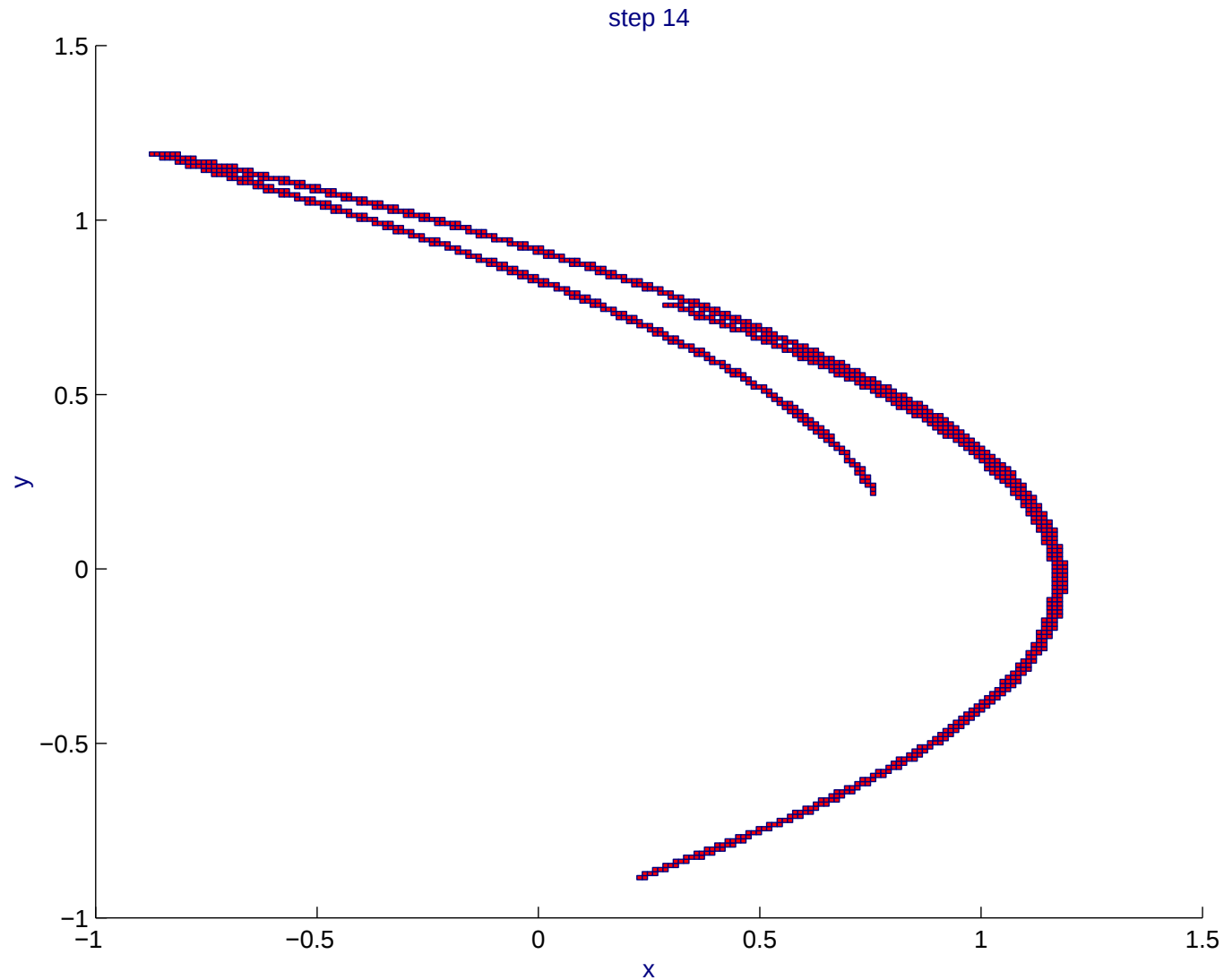
Initialization: For ℓ big enough approximate $W_{loc}^u(p) \cap \mathcal{P}_\ell(p)$ by subdivision, yielding a collection $\mathcal{B}_k^{(0)} \subset \mathcal{P}_{\ell+k}$.

Continuation: From $\mathcal{B}_k^{(j-1)}$ compute

$$\mathcal{B}_k^{(j)} = \{B \in \mathcal{P}_{\ell+k} : f(B') \cap B \neq \emptyset \text{ for some } B' \in \mathcal{B}_k^{(j-1)}\}.$$

until $\mathcal{B}_k^{(j)} = \mathcal{B}_k^{(j-1)}$. Set $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B}_k^{(j)}$.

Example: The Hénon map



Convergence

Set $W_0 = W_{loc}^u(p) \cap \mathcal{P}_\ell(p)$ and for $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$W_{j+1} = f(W_j) \cap Q.$$

Denote

$$Q_k^{(j)} = \bigcup_{B \in \mathcal{B}_k^{(j)}} B.$$

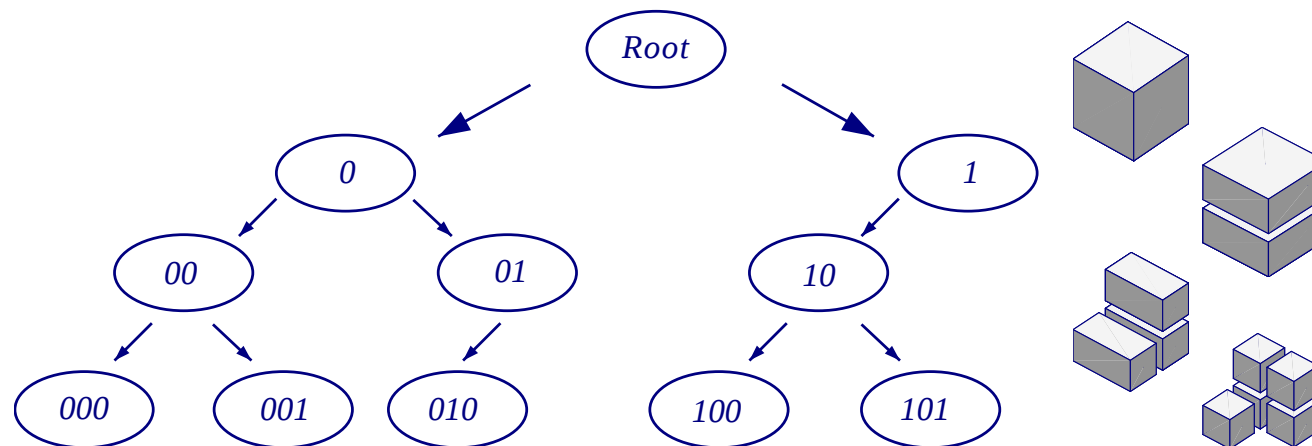
Lemma 5 (Dellnitz, Hohmann, 96) *The set $Q_k^{(j)}$ is a covering of W_j for all $j, k = 0, 1, \dots$. Moreover, for fixed j , $Q_k^{(j)}$ converges to W_j in Hausdorff distance if the number k of subdivision steps in the initialization goes to infinity.*

Storage of the set collections

Collections: set of **boxes** $B = B(c, r) = \{x : |x_i - c_i| \leq r_i, i = 1, \dots, n\}$.

Subdivison: by **bisection** w.r.t to one coordinate direction.

Storage of the boxes: binary tree:



The multivalued box map

Recall the **selection step** of the subdivision algorithm:

$$\mathcal{B}_k = \{B' \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k : f(B) \cap B' \neq \emptyset \text{ for some } B \in \hat{B}_k\}.$$

Define the **image** of a box $B \in \mathcal{B}$ in some collection $\mathcal{B}$ as

$$\mathcal{F}_{\mathcal{B}}(B) = \{B' \in \mathcal{B} : f(B) \cap B' \neq \emptyset\}.$$

Then

$$\mathcal{B}_k = \bigcup_{B \in \hat{\mathcal{B}}_k} \mathcal{F}_{\hat{\mathcal{B}}_k}(B).$$

Discretization of the selection step

Question: How to compute $\mathcal{F}_{\mathcal{B}}(B)$?

Heuristic method: Choose a finite set $T \subset B$ of **test points** and compute

$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{\mathcal{B}}(B) = \{B' \in \mathcal{B} : f(T) \cap B' \neq \emptyset\}.$$

Evidently

$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{\mathcal{B}}(B) \subset \mathcal{F}_{\mathcal{B}}(B),$$

but possibly

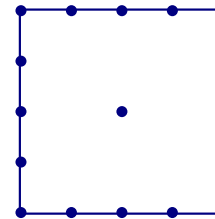
$$\tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{\mathcal{B}}(B) \neq \mathcal{F}_{\mathcal{B}}(B),$$

i.e. one is **missing** some boxes of the image.

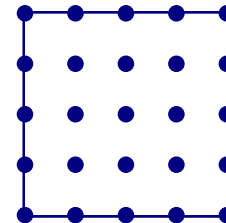
Choice of testpoints

In a low dimensional phase space ($d \leq 3$):

- on the **edges** of the box (+ center):

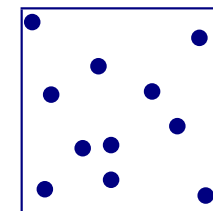


- on a uniform **grid** within the box:



In a higher dimensional phase space:

- **randomly** (from a uniform distribution):



Invoking GAIO

GAIO: “Global Analysis of Invariant Objects”

```
shell> setenv GAIODIR /software/gaio-2.1.3
```

```
shell> matlab -nojvm
```

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```
>> addpath ~/software/gaio-2.1.3/matlab/
```

Defining a new **model**: the C-file

```
char *typ = "map";
char *name = "The Henon map";
int   dim   = 2;
int   paramDim = 2;
char *paramNames[] = { "a", "b" };
double a = 1.3, b = 0.2;
double c[2] = { 0, 0 };
double r[2] = { 3, 3 };
double tFinal = 1;

void rhs(double *x, double *u, double *y)
{
    y[0] = 1 - a*x[0]*x[0] + x[1]/5;
    y[1] = b*x[0]*5;
}
```

Compilation and loading

Compile the file

```
shell> cc -c henon.c
```

Make it a shared object (platform specific)

```
shell> ld -shared -o henon.so henon.o
```

Load it within GAIO

```
>> henon = Model('henon')
```

Parameters of a model

```
>> henon.info
```

```
Model at 1245c0:
```

```
  handle = ef4201c4
```

```
  filename = henon
```

```
  tmpname = /var/tmp/aaa0MiM9Y
```

```
  name = The Henon map
```

```
  type = map
```

```
  dim = 2
```

```
  uDim = 0
```

```
  center = 0 0
```

```
  radius = 3 3
```

```
  tFinal = 1
```

```
  number of parameters = 2
```

```
  parameters:  a = 1.3  b = 0.2
```

```
  rhs() at ef4426e8
```

```
  fixed_point() at ef442814: x = 0.621772767199582 0.621772767199582
```

Querying and changing parameters

```
>> henon.center
```

```
ans =
```

```
0
```

```
0
```

```
>> henon.a
```

```
ans =
```

```
1.3
```

```
>> henon.a = 1.4
```

Loading an integrator

```
>> map = Integrator('Map')  
>> map.info
```

```
integrator at 815e260:  
  handle = 815e078  
  filename = Map  
  tmpname = /tmp/08332aaa  
  name = Map  
  task at 0  
  tFinal = 0  
  h = 1  
  h_min = 1  
  h_max = 1  
  eps = 1e-06  
  count = 0  
  Step() at 405ac980  
  Init() at 0
```

Available integrators

```
>> map = Integrator('Map')
```

- **Map**: discrete mapping
- **Newton**: Newton's method (i.e. one or several Newton steps)
- **Euler**: the Euler scheme (constant stepsize)
- **RungeKutta4**: fourth order Runge-Kutta scheme (const. stepsize)
- **DormandPrince853**: embedded Runge-Kutta scheme of order 8(5,3) with adaptive stepsize control
- **MidpointRule**: simple implicit scheme
- **Gauss6**: implicit scheme of higher order

Using an integrator

```
>> map.model = henon
```

```
>> map.eval([1; 1])
```

```
1.0000  -0.2000
```

```
1.0000   1.0000
```

```
>> orbit = map.eval([1; 1], 100)
```

```
>> orbit
```

```
...
```

```
Columns 99 through 101
```

```
-0.0292    1.1768   -0.9448
```

```
0.8902   -0.0292    1.1768
```

Creating a tree

```
>> tree = Tree([0;0], [3;3])
```

respectively

```
>> tree = Tree(henon.center, henon.radius)
```

Initially the tree consist only of the root box:

```
>> tree.depth
```

```
ans =
```

```
0
```

Tree methods (1)

```
>> tree.set_flags('all', to_be_subdivided)
```

```
>> tree.subdivide()
```

```
>> tree.depth
```

```
ans =
```

```
1
```

```
>> tree.count(-1)
```

```
ans =
```

```
2
```

Loading test points

```
>> edges = Points('Edges', 2, 20)
```

```
>> edges.info
```

```
points at 0x813f620:
```

```
  filename = Edges
```

```
  tmpname = /tmp/130573aa
```

```
  name = Edges
```

```
  dim = 2
```

```
  noOfPoints = 17
```

```
  info = 20
```

```
  Set() at 0x4079ac90
```

```
  Get() at 0x4079acd0
```

Available test points

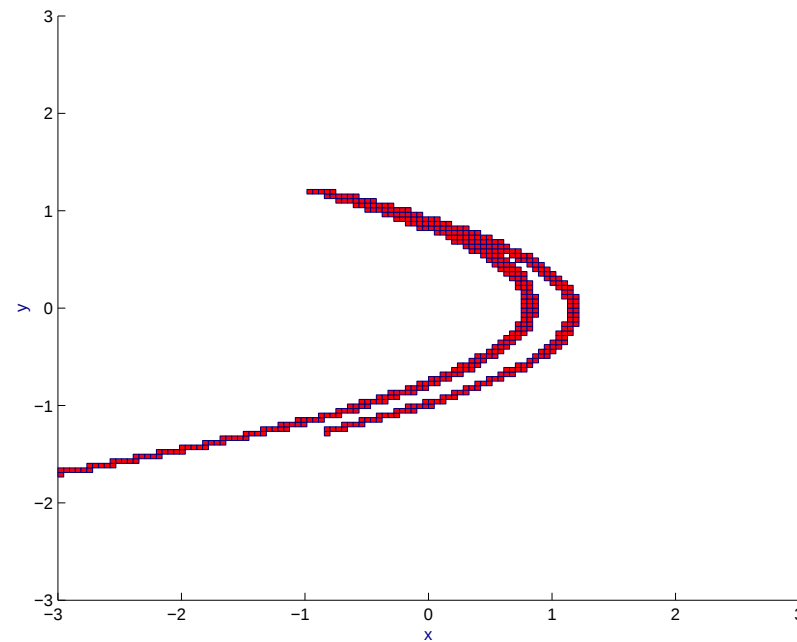
- **Edges**: edges + center
- **Grid**: uniform grid
- **MonteCarlo**: randomly (uniform distribution)
- **Vertices**: vertices
- **Center**: only the center
- **Data**: specified by a file
- **Lipschitz**: grid, depending on Lipschitz-estimate of the map

The subdivision algorithm

```
for i=1:no_of_steps
    tree.set_flags('all', to_be_subdivided);
    tree.subdivide;
    b = tree.first_box(-1);
    while (~isempty(b))
        center = b(1:d);
        radius = b(d+1:2*d);
        p = domain_points.get(center, radius, integrator, radius);
        fp = integrator.map(p);
        tree.set_flags(fp, hit);
        b = tree.next_box(-1);
    end
    tree.remove(hit);
end
```

Output

```
>> plotb(tree)
>> tree.bboxes(-1)
>> b = tree.bboxes(-1)
>> show2(b',2, 'r')
```



Inserting specific boxes into the tree

```
>> x = henon.fixed_point
```

```
ans =
```

```
0.6064
```

```
0.6064
```

```
>> tree.insert(x, 16)
```

```
>> tree.depth
```

```
ans =
```

```
16
```

```
>> tree.count(16)
```

```
ans =
```

```
1
```

The continuation algorithm

```
for i=1:no_of_steps
    tree.change_flags('all', inserted, to_be_expanded);
    b = tree.first_box(depth);
    while (~isempty(b))
        center = b(1:d);
        radius = b(d+1:2*d);
        flags = b(2*d+1);
        if (bitand(flags, to_be_expanded))
            p = domain_points.get(center, radius, integrator, radius);
            fp = integrator.map(p);
            tree.insert(fp, depth, inserted, none);
        end
        b = tree.next_box(depth);
    end
    tree.unset_flags('all', to_be_expanded);
end
```