Collisionless collision integrals, the bad, the worse, and the ugly

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☐ This conserves phase volume:

$$\Gamma_{\alpha}(\eta) = \iint d\mathbf{r} d\mathbf{v} H (f_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{v}) - \eta)$$

where, H(x) is the Heaviside function

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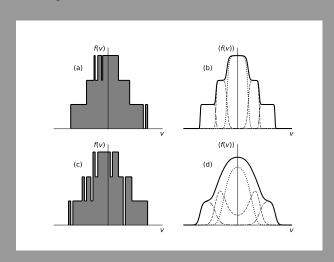
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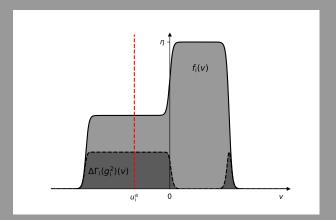
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$$\begin{split} f_i(\boldsymbol{v}) & \to \Delta \Gamma_i \int \mathrm{d} \eta \, \left[\eta - f_i(\boldsymbol{v}) \right]^2 P_i(\boldsymbol{v}, \eta) \\ n_i &= \int \mathrm{d} \boldsymbol{v} \, f_i(\boldsymbol{v}) \\ \boldsymbol{u}_i &= \int_{n_i} \int \mathrm{d} \boldsymbol{v} \, v f_i(\boldsymbol{v}) \overset{\to}{\to} \boldsymbol{u}_i^\mathrm{a} = \int_{n_i^\mathrm{a}} \int \int \mathrm{d} \boldsymbol{v} \, \mathrm{d} \eta \, \left[\eta - f_i(\boldsymbol{v}) \right]^2 P_i(\boldsymbol{v}, \eta) \\ \boldsymbol{F}_\mathrm{ei} & \propto - \left(\boldsymbol{u}_\mathrm{e} - \boldsymbol{u}_i \right) & \boldsymbol{F}_\mathrm{ei} & \propto - \left(\boldsymbol{u}_\mathrm{e} - \boldsymbol{u}_i^\mathrm{a} \right) \end{split}$$

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☐ The evolution of the mean distribution function is

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We will try to compute $C_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}')$ by writing down its evolution equation and looking for steady states

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial C_{\mathbf{k}}}{\partial t} + i \mathbf{k} \cdot (\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}') C_{\mathbf{k}} &= S_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}') + N_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}') \\ &+ i \frac{4\pi q^2}{mk^2} \int \mathrm{d}\mathbf{v}'' \, C_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{v}'', \mathbf{v}') \mathbf{k} \cdot \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial \mathbf{v}} - C_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{v}', \mathbf{v}'') \mathbf{k} \cdot \frac{\partial f_0}{\partial \mathbf{v}'} \end{split}$$

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 For now, I'm going to aim to solve this within the Bogoliubov hypothesis

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Iterate until satisfied

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Bonus slides: H-theorem

$$S = -\sum_{\alpha} \frac{1}{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha}} \int d\mathbf{r} \, d\mathbf{v} \, d\eta \, P_{0\alpha} \ln P_{0\alpha}.$$

$$\begin{split} \frac{\mathrm{d}S}{\mathrm{d}t} &= -\sum_{\alpha} \frac{V}{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha}} \int \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{v} \, \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{\eta} \left(1 + \ln P_{0\alpha} \right) \frac{\partial P_{0\alpha}}{\partial t} \\ &= \sum_{\alpha} \sum_{\alpha''} \frac{16\pi^3 q_{\alpha}^2 q_{\alpha''}^2}{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha} \Delta \Gamma_{\alpha''}} \int \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{v} \, \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{v}'' \, \sum_{\boldsymbol{k}} \frac{\delta(\boldsymbol{k} \cdot (\boldsymbol{v} - \boldsymbol{v}''))}{k^4 |\epsilon_{\boldsymbol{k} \boldsymbol{k} \cdot \boldsymbol{v}}|^2} \int \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{\eta} \, \mathrm{d}\boldsymbol{\eta}'' \, \boldsymbol{\eta}'' \\ &\left[\frac{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha''}^2}{m_{\alpha}^2} (\boldsymbol{\eta}'' - f_{0\alpha''}(\boldsymbol{v}'')) \frac{P_{0\alpha''}(\boldsymbol{v}'', \boldsymbol{\eta}'')}{P_{0\alpha}(\boldsymbol{v}, \boldsymbol{\eta})} \left(\boldsymbol{k} \cdot \frac{\partial P_{0\alpha}}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\eta}} \right)^2 - \right. \\ &\left. \frac{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha} \Delta \Gamma_{\alpha''}}{m_{\alpha} m_{\alpha''}} (\boldsymbol{\eta} - \left| f_{0\alpha}(\boldsymbol{v}) \right|) \boldsymbol{k} \cdot \frac{\partial P_{0\alpha}}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\eta}} \boldsymbol{k} \cdot \frac{\partial P_{0\alpha}}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}''} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\eta}''} \right]. \end{split}$$

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Bonus slides: H-theorem # 2

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\left(\frac{\Delta \Gamma_{\alpha''}}{m_{\alpha}} (\boldsymbol{\eta}'' - f_{0\alpha''}(\boldsymbol{v}'')) \sqrt{\frac{P_{0\alpha''}(\boldsymbol{v}'', \boldsymbol{\eta}'')}{P_{0\alpha}(\boldsymbol{v}, \boldsymbol{\eta})}} \boldsymbol{k} \cdot \frac{\partial P_{0\alpha}}{\partial \boldsymbol{v}} \right|_{\boldsymbol{\eta}}
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