README

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Software versions

- LAMMPS (29 Oct 2020)
- Python 3.6.9
- Matplotlib 3.3.4
- SciPy 1.5.4

Folder structure

Every script is meant to be run from the parent folder.

Dynamic brush

Main folder

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/`

Initial configurations

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/Initial_configurations/SpacingX/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/`

Hexagonal

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/Initial_configurations/SpacingX/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Hexagonal/`

Results

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Hexagonal/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Nocut/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Results/`
Need to have `indices_for_fit.txt` or `indices_for_fit_better_rms.txt` in `Nocut/` to get results.

Charged free beads

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/ChargeY/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/ChargeY/Nocut/`
Need to have `indices_for_fit_Nestimates10_chargeY.tx` in `Nocut/` to get results.

Hexagonal

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Hexagonal/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/SpacingX/damp10_diffseedLgv/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Hexagonal/Nocut/`
Need to have `indices_for_fit.txt` in `Nocut/` to get results.

Collecting results for multiple d

`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/D_vs_d/Bulk/Varysigmas/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/D_vs_d/Brush/Sigma_bead_1/Nocut/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/d_vs_Rg/`
Old analysis folders that might still be linked:
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/D_vs_d/Bulk/d_vs_th/`
`Diffusion_bead_in_brush/D_vs_d/Bulk/d_vs_tr/`

Static brush

Main folder

`Diffusion_staticbrush/`

Initial configurations

`Diffusion_staticbrush/RadiusX/Initial_configs/Before_bead/`
`Diffusion_staticbrush/RadiusX/Initial_configs/`

Results

`Diffusion_staticbrush/RadiusX/`
`Diffusion_staticbrush/RadiusX/Results/`
`Diffusion_staticbrush/RadiusX/Nocut/`
Need to have `indices_for_fit.txt` in `Nocut/` to get results.

Collecting results for multiple d

`Diffusion_staticbrush/D_vs_d/Nocut/`

Scripts

Finding the persistence length:

find_persistencelength_severalchains_lpstdv_corrected_2ndattempt.py

Finding the persistence length, end-to-end distance, bond length, $\langle \cos\theta_1 \rangle$ and the z-coordinates of the last bead.

Bead-in-brush simulations

makesystem_explicitsubstrate.py

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_equilibrate_chains

Create an equilibrated system of brushes on a substrate for insertion of diffusing bead.

makesystem_placebead.py

Takes the equilibrated system and places a bead at a random position near the substrate. At the same time, the script checks that the diffusing bead is not placed too close to the substrate or the beads in the chain. The script repeats this a number of times and writes the results to file.

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_readfromfile_varyradius

Reads the `data.`-file generated using the two former scripts. This is where you set the radius of the diffusing bead. Only looped over the file number, i.e. you have to do run the script once for each combination of d and σ_b.

diffusion_bead_in_grid_manual_substrate_loop.py

Reads the MD data and finds $\langle R^2 \rangle$, $\langle dz^2 \rangle$ and $\langle dx^2 + dy^2 \rangle$. This is done in python and not in LAMMPS because we want to study the bead *in* the brush and not outside of it. Makes plots and writes to file. Also makes a feeble attempt to find D through a linear fit of all the data. Won't use these D's and might remove that functionality. This script removes unphysical trajectories. (By 'unphysical trajectories' I mean trajectories where the bead bounces back and forth between the substrate and its periodic image)

Look at the plots

To determine where the graph is linear.

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut.py

To use this, you have to have run `diffusion_bead_in_grid` for both cut and no cut. Each direction is plotted separately.

Bead-in-brush simulations, no cuts

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in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_readfromfile_varyradius

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in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_readfromfile_varyradius_logfilesonly_potenergychain

For finding the potential energy of the chains.

diffusion_bead_in_grid_dynamic_anomaliesaway.py

Reads the diffusion data from the script above and performs a fit. This extra step is included so that we can look at the plots and determine the suitable interval for the line fit used in finding D

Look at the plots

To determine where the graph is linear.

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut.py

To use this, you have to have run read_and_analyze for both cut and no cut. Each direction is plotted separately. Make file `indices_for_fit.txt` and put in the `Nocut/` folder.

diffusion_avgandrms_dynamic_nocut_anomaliesaway.py

read_and_analyze_diffusion_nocut_better_rms.py

D **vs** *d*: **gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_nocut_better_rms.py**

Gathers the diffusion coefficients vs d for a given σ.

radgyr_explicitsubstrate.py

Finding the radius of gyration of the chains in the bead-in-brush simulations (dynamic).

radgyr_writetogether.py

Gathering the data from `radgyr_explicitsubstrate.py`

plotavgenergy.py

Writing the potential energy of the free bead to terminal.

writeavgenergy_chain.py

Writing the potential energy of the chain bead to terminal.

vacf_bead_in_grid_dynamic_nocut.py

Finding the velocity autocorrelation function from the simulations.

gatherdata_D_from_vacf_nocut_divbydim.py

Plotting the velocity autocorrelation function as a function of d.

Dd_dynamic_vs_static_nocut_Dpar_Dz_with_nostiffness_forest_better_rms.py

Generate plot D/D_{bulk} vs D. Needs to have a file for D_{bulk} first, and have run the `gatherdata`-scripts on all system types. This script also gives the exponential fit to $D_{\perp}/D_{\parallel}$.

plottogether_MDdynstat_and_RWfixedgeom_norefl_allmodels_fits.py

Performing fits and finding D vs a and diffusion times. Need to have run the `gatherdata`-scripts for dynamic and static systems (and bulk).

Charged brush

Use equilibrated files from dynamic brush

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_readfromfile_varyradius_setcharge

diffusion_bead_in_grid_dynamic_anomaliesaway_setcharge.py

Nocut.

diffusion_bead_in_grid_manual_substrate_loop_setcharge.py

Cut.

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_setcharge.py

Inspect plot and make `indices_for_fit_Nestimates10_chargeY.txt` to get results

diffusion_avgandrms_nocut_anomaliesaway_setcharge.py

gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_nocut_setcharge.py

plottogether_D_vs_d_charges.py

R_vs_d.py

Finding the conductivity σ_e, resistivity ρ_e and the resistance R.

Bead-in-brush simulations, hexagonal grid

in.set_hexagonal_tethergrid

make_hexagonal_withsubstrate.py

in.brushdiffusion_HEX_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_equilibrate_chains

makesystem_placebead_hexagonal.py

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_readfromfile_varyradius_hexagonal

diffusion_bead_in_grid_dynamic_hexagonal.py

diffusion_bead_in_grid_dynamic_anomaliesaway_hexagonal.py

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_hexagonal.py

read_and_analyze_diffusion_nocut_hexagonal.py

gatherdata_diffusion_quadr_vs_hex_nocut.py

Bead-in-brush simulations, no stiffness

makesystem_explicitsubstrate.py

in.brushdiffusion_equilibrate_nostiffness

makesystem_placebead_nostiffness.py

in.brushdiffusion_nostiffness

diffusion_bead_in_grid_nostiffness_anomaliesaway.py

diffusion_bead_in_grid_nostiffness_cut.py

Will run this too, in order to find a suitable interval.

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_nostiffness.py

diffusion_avgandrms_nostiffness_nocut_anomaliesaway.py

gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_nostiffness_nocut_better_rms.py

Bead-in-static-brush simulations

makesystem_explicitsubstrate.py

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_makestaticconfigs

makesystem_placebead_to_static.py

makesystem_placebead_to_static_varyradius

This is the script I prefer now. Have a few cases where I tried to use different radii, and the naming kind of got stuck after that.

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_staticbrush

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_staticbrush_different_sigma_b

diffusion_bead_in_grid_static.py

All unphysical trajectories are discarded.

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_static.py

To use this, you have to have run read_and_analyze for both cut and no cut. Each direction is plotted separately. Write `indices_for_fit.txt`

Bead-in-static-brush simulations, no cut

makesystem_explicitsubstrate.py

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_makestaticconfigs

makesystem_placebead_to_static_varyradius

This USED to be the script I preferred. Have a few cases where I tried to use different radii, and the naming kind of got stuck after that.

makesystem_placebead_to_static_indepconfigs_varyradius.py

This is the script I prefer now. I need more statistics, so I need more brush configs.

in.brushdiffusion_lj_debye_angle_bonds_Langevin_ljunits_staticbrush_different_sigma_b

diffusion_bead_in_grid_static_anomaliesaway.py

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_static.py

To use this, you have to have run read_and_analyze for both cut and no cut. Each direction is plotted separately. After inspecing the graph, make `indices_for_fit.txt` in `Nocut/`

diffusion_avgandrms_static_nocut_anomaliesaway.py

***D* vs *d*: gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_static_nocut_better_rms.py**

Gathers the diffusion coefficients vs d for a given σ. Reads results from `read_and_analyze_diffusion_static.py`, which in turn treats the results from `read_and_analyze_diffusion_static.py` or `diffusion_bulk.py`.

read_and_analyze_diffusion_static_nocut_better_rms.py

To better estimate uncertainty.

D **vs** *d*: **gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_static_nocut.py**

D **vs** *d*: **gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_static_nocut_better_rms.py**

Bead in straight system, cut

makesystem_placebead_forest.py

in.forest_lj_debye_Langevin_units

diffusion_forest_cut.py

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_cutandnocut_forest_nocut.py

Bead in straight system, no cut

makesystem_placebead_forest.py

in.forest_lj_debye_Langevin_units

diffusion_forest.py

diffusion_replot_find_slopes_forest_nocut.py

read_and_analyze_diffusion_forest_nocut.py

gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_d_forest_nocut.py

Bulk diffusion

makesystem_emptybox.py

in.bulkdiffusion_withoutsubstrate

diffusion_bulk_pure.py

Perform analysis on bulk simulations (without substrate).

diffusion_avgandrms_bulk_anomaliesaway.py

Find values with better rms values.

gatherdata_diffusion_D_vs_sigma_bulk_better_rms.py

Collect and plot D vs sigma.

Notes

There are slightly different setups for the `indices_for_fits`-files. If you want to recreate the results using the scripts, look at the `diffusion_avgandrms`-scripts in order to find the setup.