

# MODELLING AND DESIGN OF A PAUL ION TRAP

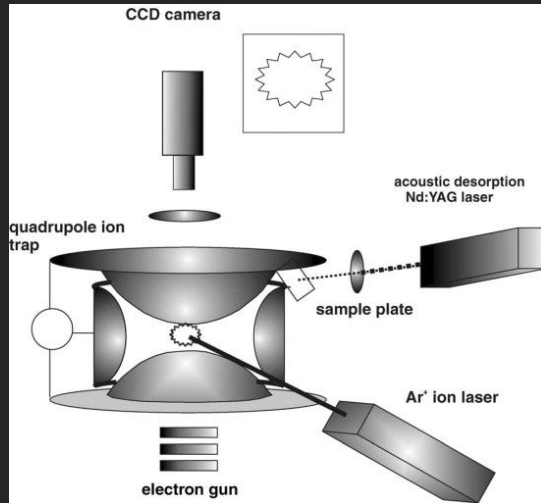


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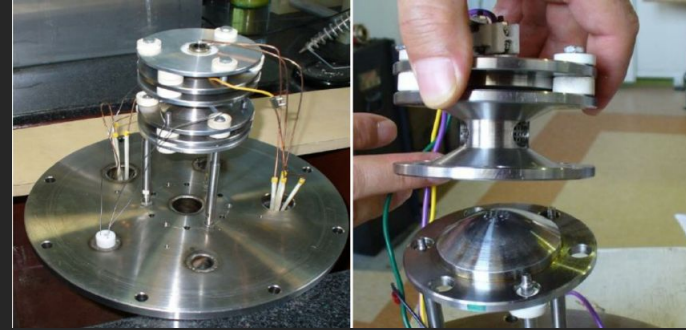
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# INTRODUCTION

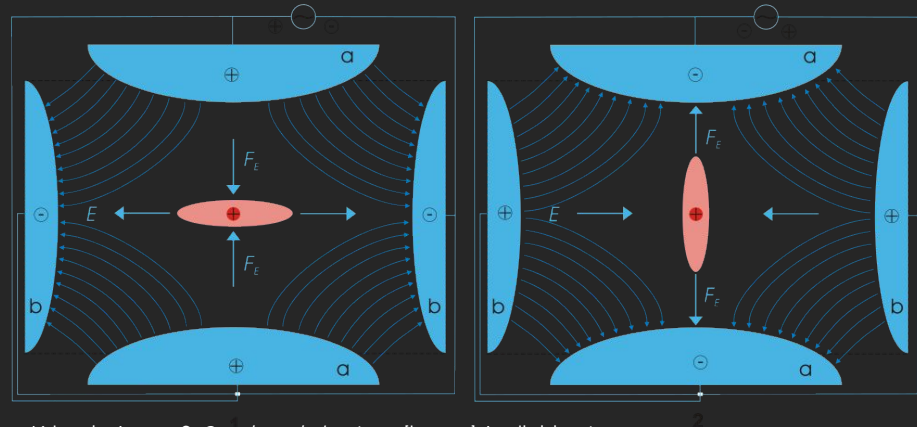
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# OUR PROJECT



**01**

Discretization  
of EM  
equations and  
geometry

**02**

Easier models:  
2D and 3D  
capacitors

**03**

Reduction of  
the  
computational  
cost

**04**

Confinement  
of ions in the  
trap

$$w = 3.1416e+03$$

$$V_{01} = (7.818, 0.759, 3.997e-14)$$

$$V_{02} = (-8.195, -1.636, -5.276e-14)$$

# MATHEMATICAL INSIGHT

Poisson's equation

$$\nabla^2 \phi(\vec{r}) = -\frac{q(\vec{r})}{\epsilon}$$

$$V_0 = \int_S q(\vec{r}) \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} d\vec{r}' \Big|_S$$

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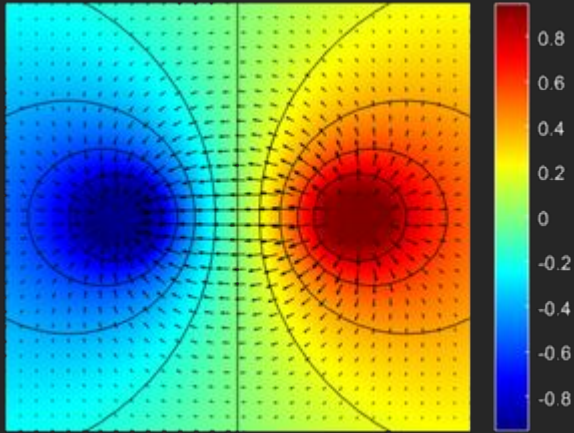
## Method of Moments


$$\mathcal{L}q_N(\vec{r}) = \sum_{n=1}^N q_N \mathcal{L}x_n(\vec{r}) \approx V_0(\vec{r})$$

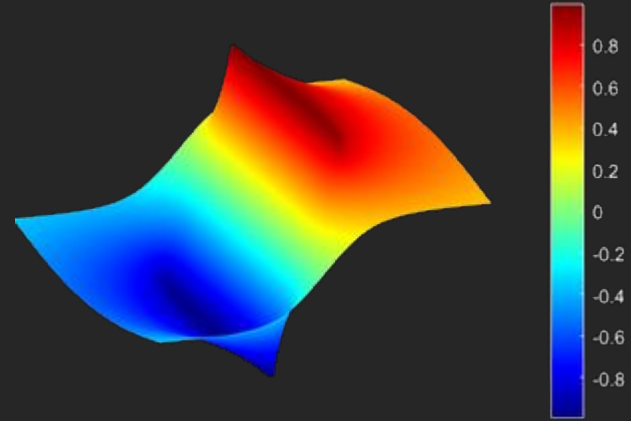
$$[Z][q] = [b] \Rightarrow Z_{mn} = \mathcal{L}x_n(\vec{r}_m), b_m = V_0(\vec{r}_m)$$

# GEOMETRIES AND POTENTIALS

## Capacitors

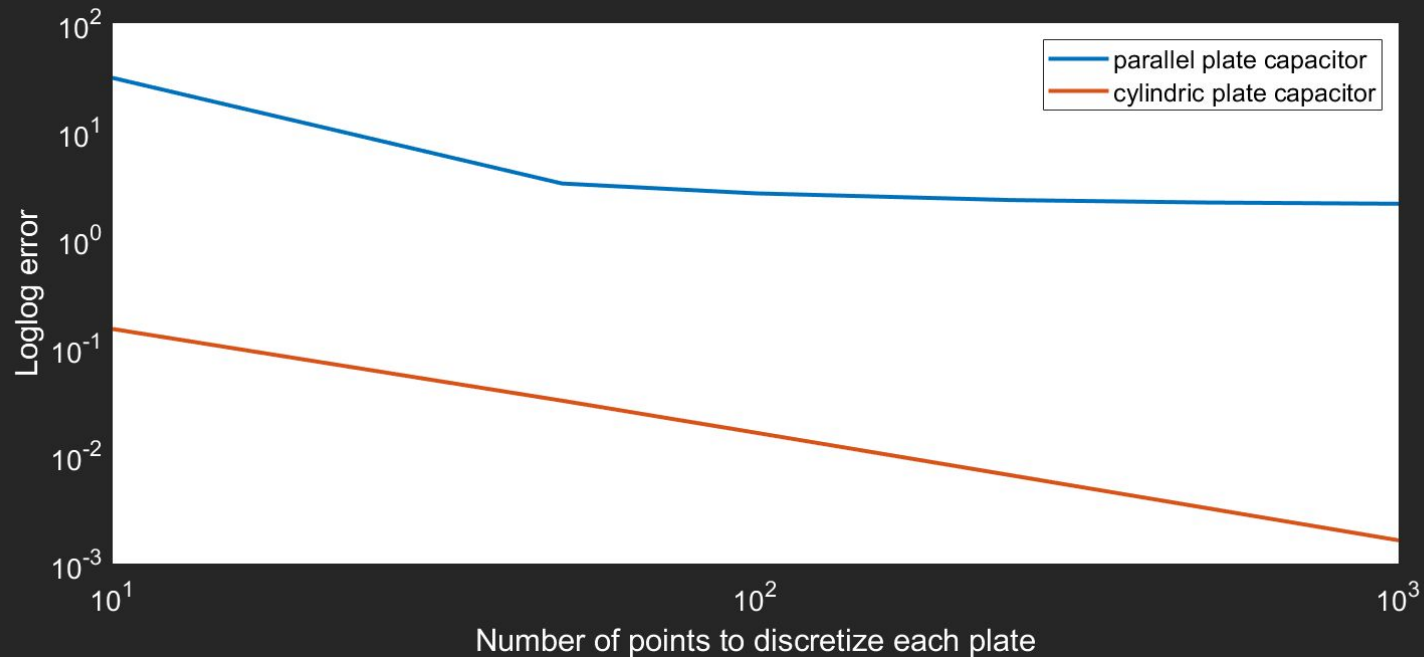


Circular



Parallel-plate

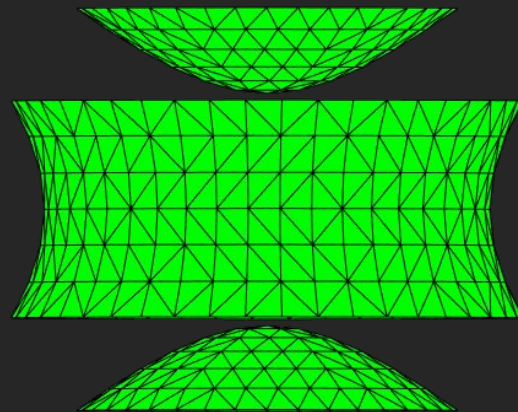
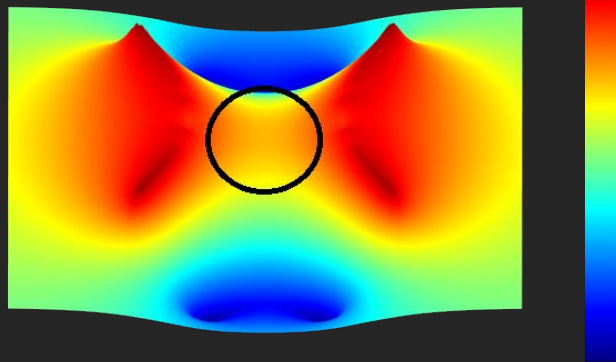
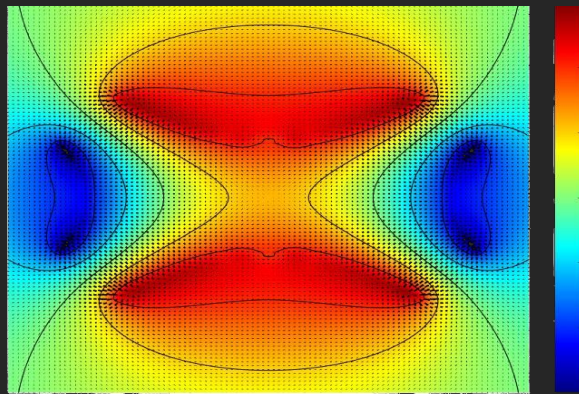
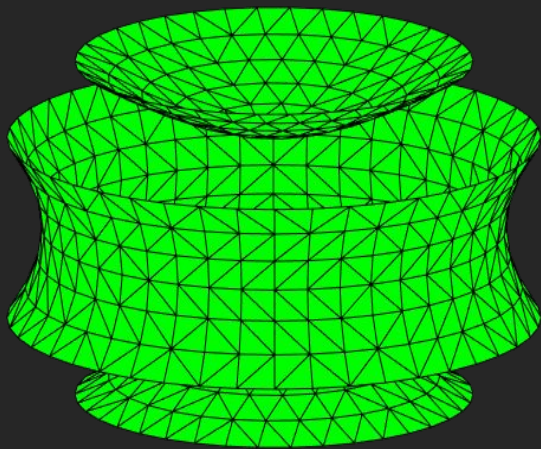
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Quadruple trap

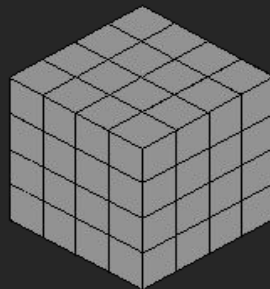




# COMPUTATIONAL COST CONCERNS

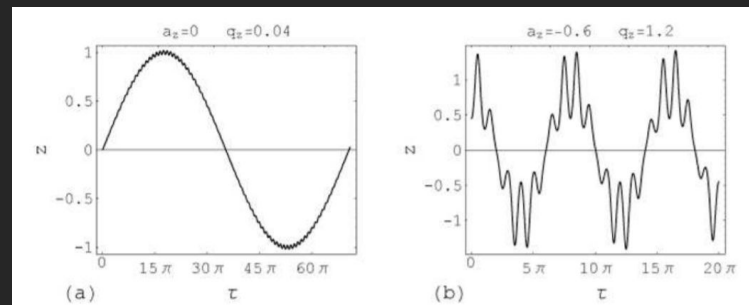
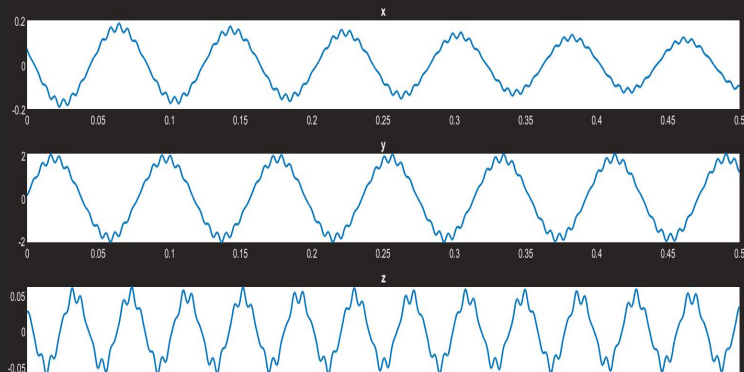
$$\mathbb{V}(t) = V_{mod} \cdot \sin(\omega t) \cdot \mathbb{V}_{V_0=1}$$

*Distribution of  
potential in all  
space for  $V=1$*

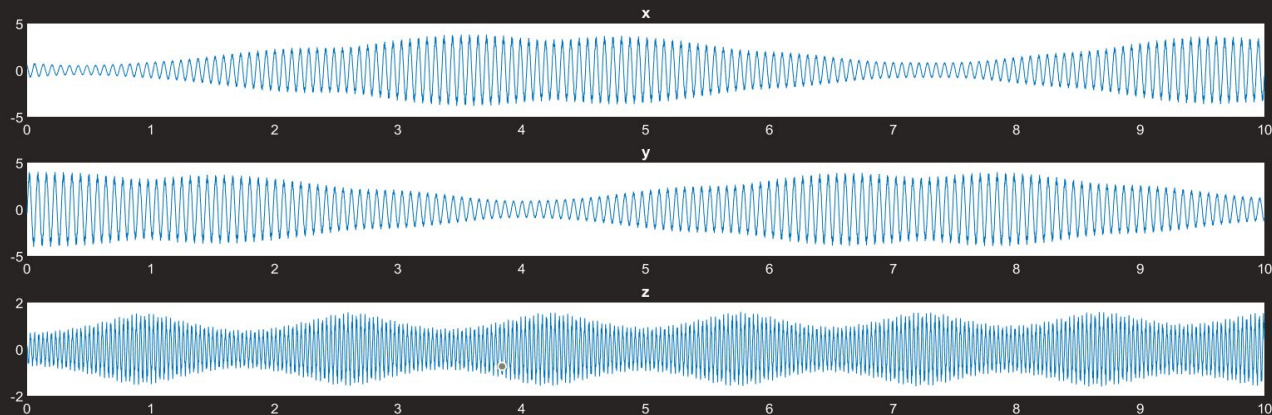


*Vertex: grid point  
64 nearest  
neighbours*

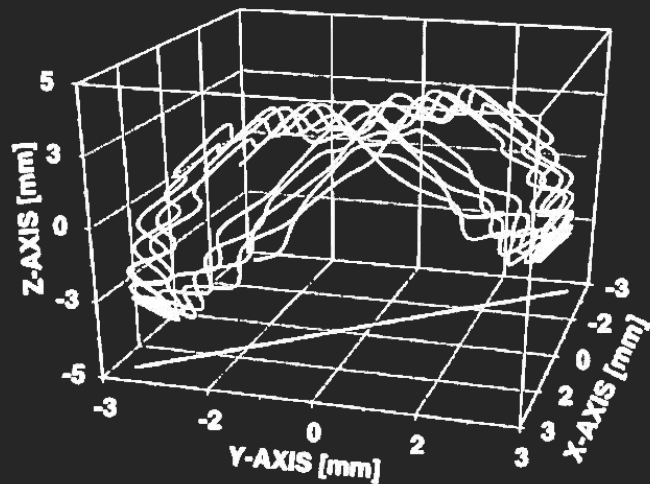
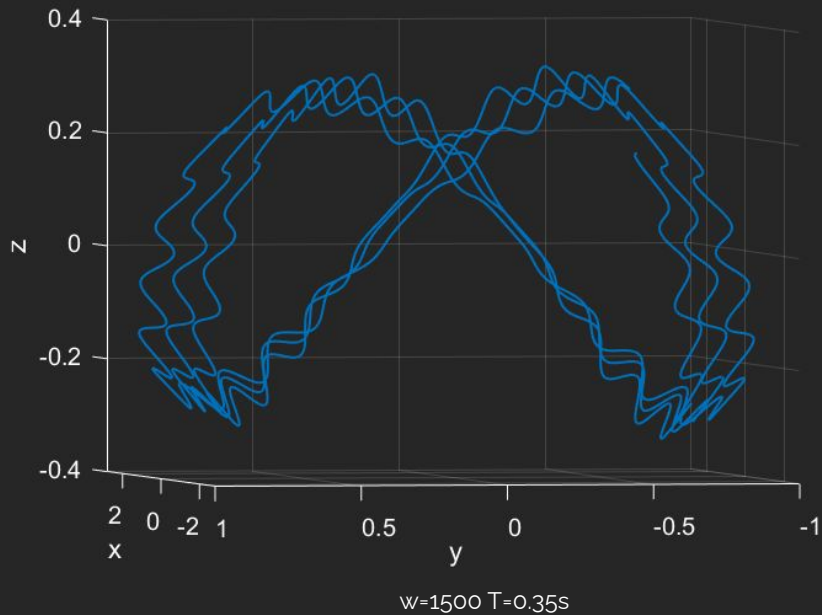
# TRAJECTORIES



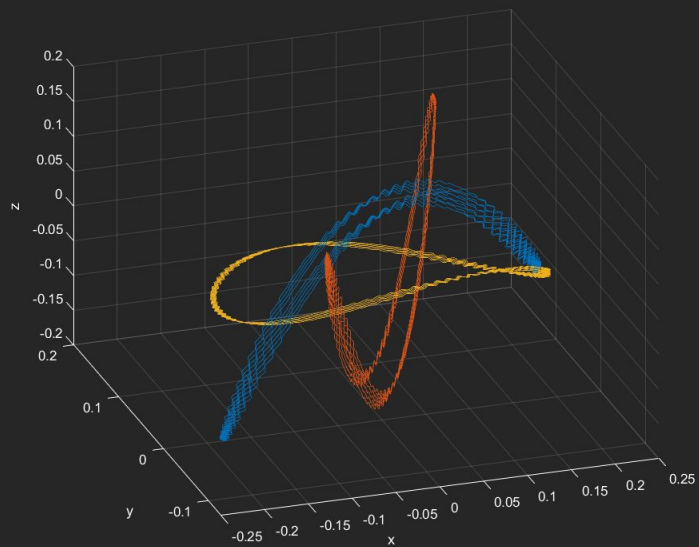
G. Werth. Basics of Ion Traps (page 16)



# TRAJECTORIES



R.E. March. An Introduction to Quadrupole Ion Trap Mass Spectrometry (page 8)



$$w = 2.6180e+03$$

$$V_{01} = (2.935, 0.830, 3.012e-14)$$

$$V_{02} = (-1.558, -2.711, -3.414e-14)$$

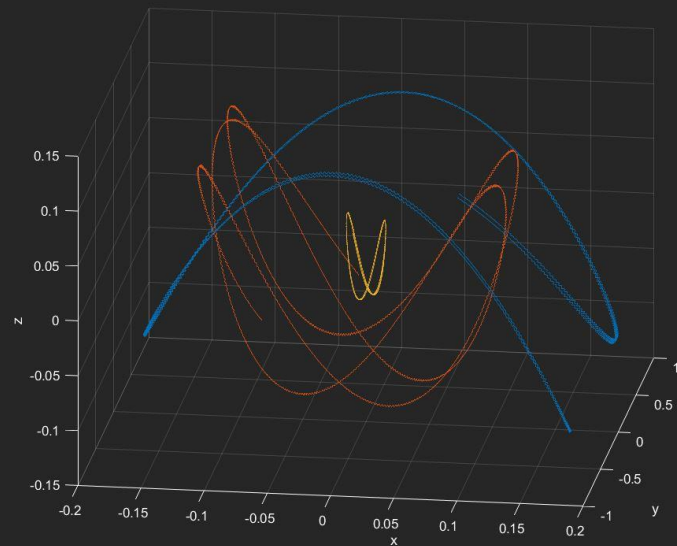
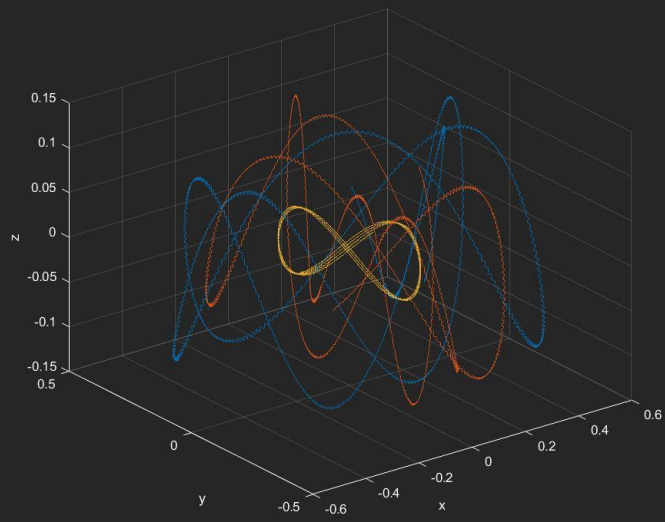
$$V_{03} = (-6.463, 2.151, -1.848e-14)$$

$$w = 3.9270e+03$$

$$V_{01} = (7.599, 4.478, 7.805e-14)$$

$$V_{02} = (5.801, -7.327, -2.302e-16)$$

$$V_{03} = (-3.080, 4.837, -7.847e-14)$$

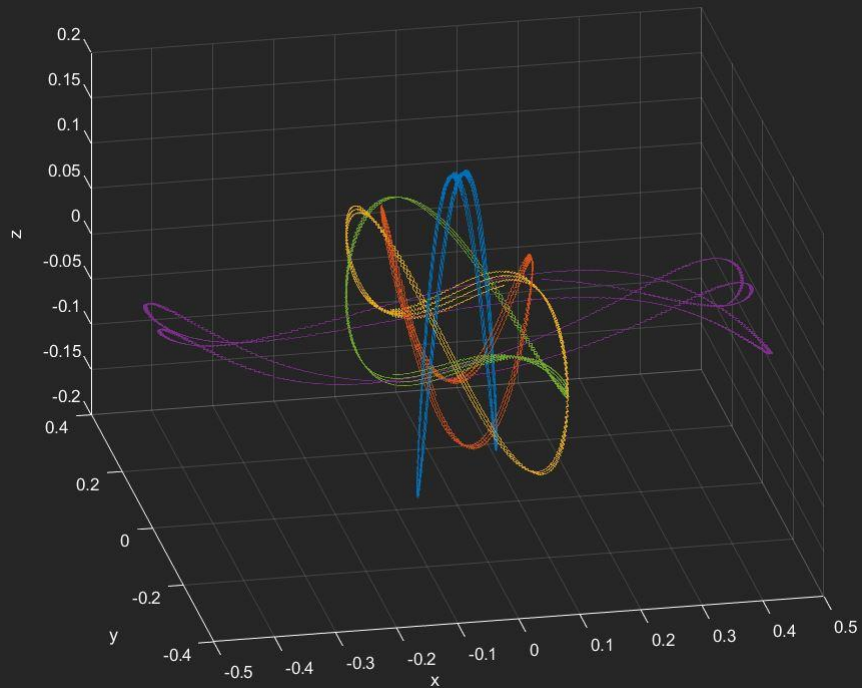


$$w = 5.2360e+03$$

$$V_{01} = (0.969, 7.250, 8.796e-14)$$

$$V_{02} = (0.337, -5.528, -6.254e-14)$$

$$V_{03} = (-0.376, 1.197, -4.709e-14)$$



$$w = 3.9270e+03$$

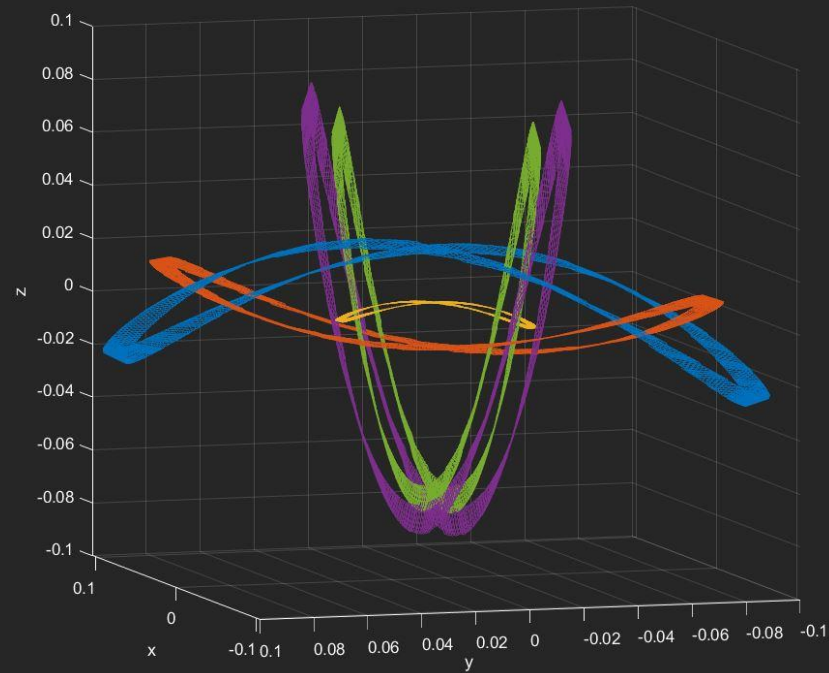
$$V_{01} = (0.246, 0.422, 1.420e-13)$$

$$V_{02} = (-0.260, 4.656, -1.457e-13)$$

$$V_{03} = (-3.737, 6.890, -8.589e-13)$$

$$V_{04} = (3.188, -0.803, -3.088e-15)$$

$$V_{05} = (4.994, -3.736, -1.296e-13)$$



$$w = 3.1416e+03$$

$$V_{01} = (-8.530, -4.976, -3.509e-15)$$

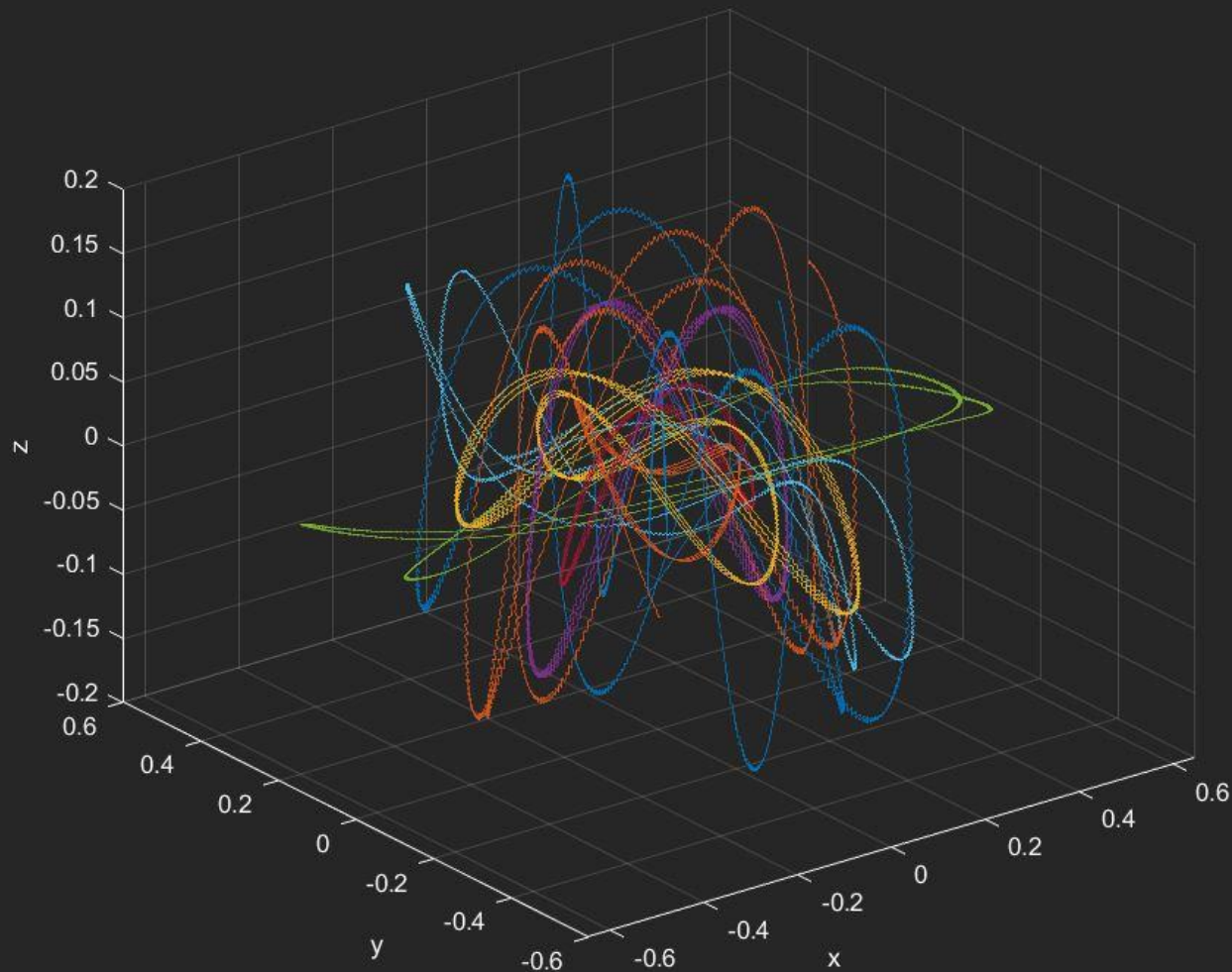
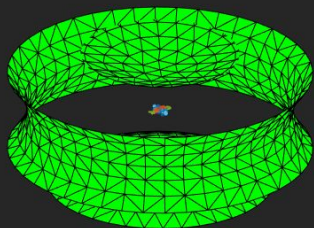
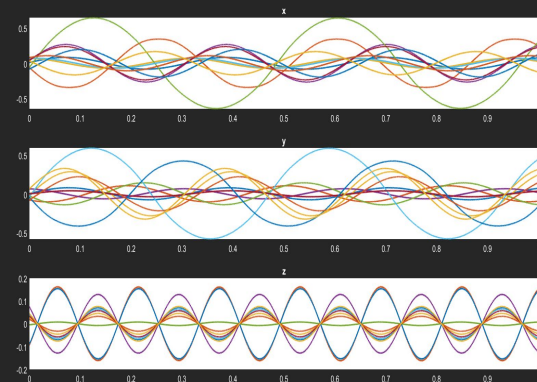
$$V_{02} = (2.399, 0.986, 1.839e-15)$$

$$V_{03} = (-9.027, -7.558, -4.908e-15)$$

$$V_{04} = (3.691, 0.889, 7.802e-15)$$

$$V_{05} = (0.964, 1.055, 9.4e-15)$$

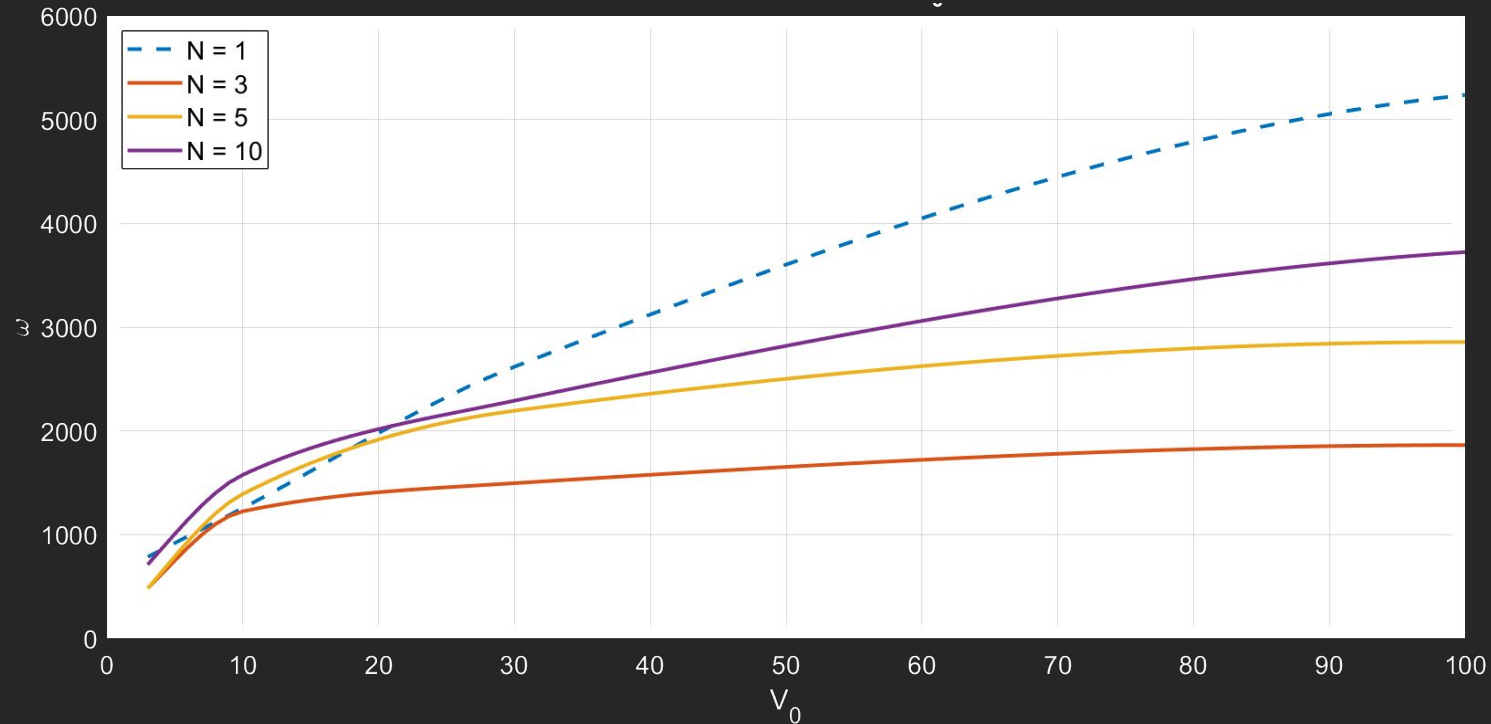
$w = 3.9270e+03$   
 $V_{01} = (1.345, 1.463, 7.635e-13)$   
 $V_{02} = (-4.863, 0.960, -2.777e-14)$   
 $V_{03} = (-2.121, 6.027, -4.848e-13)$   
 $V_{04} = (4.160, -2.086, -1.499e-14)$   
 $V_{05} = (11.32, -1.942, -8.848e-14)$   
 $V_{06} = (-1.578, 10.251, -7.040e-13)$   
 $V_{07} = (3.394, 0.810, -1.970e-14)$   
 $V_{08} = (5.867, -6.152, -7.935e-11)$   
 $V_{09} = (-0.864, 6.323, 9.493e-14)$   
 $V_{010} = (-4.167, 4.613, 1.672e-10)$





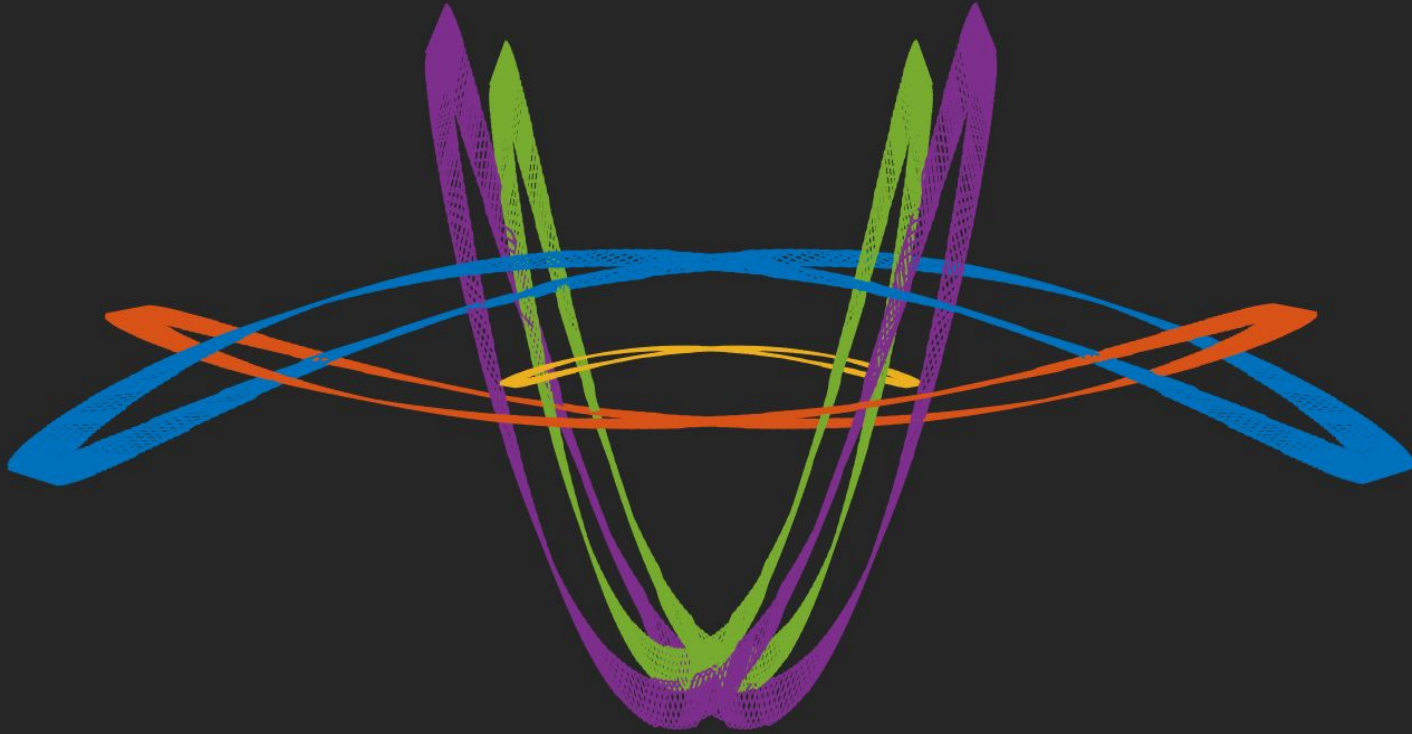
# RESULTS OF STUDY

## Limit frequencies for different particles



$x_0 = (1e-3*rand, 1e-3*rand, 1e-14*rand)$      $V_0 = (1e-3*rand, 1e-3*rand, 1e-14*rand)$

# QUESTIONS



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