

# Large-Scale Numerical Investigations into the Dynamics of Nonlinear Classical Systems

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# Introduction

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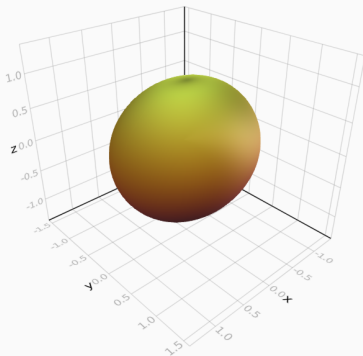
- The physical system that we model is the surface of heavy nuclei.
- The Hamiltonian describes the constrained motion of the vibrational quadrupole degrees of freedom of nuclear surface.

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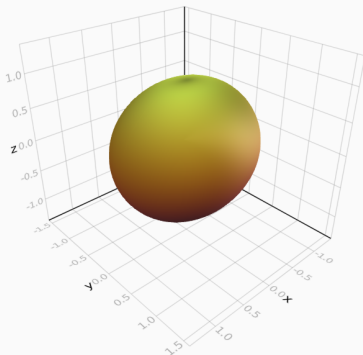


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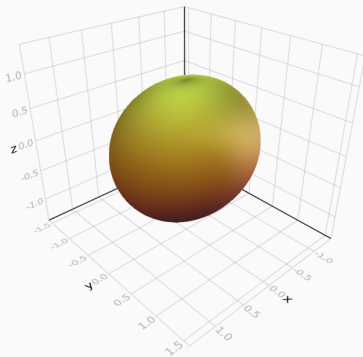


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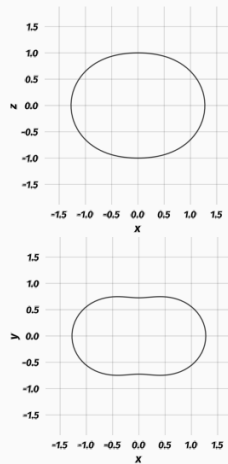
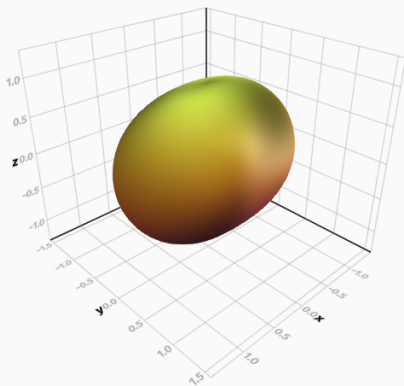
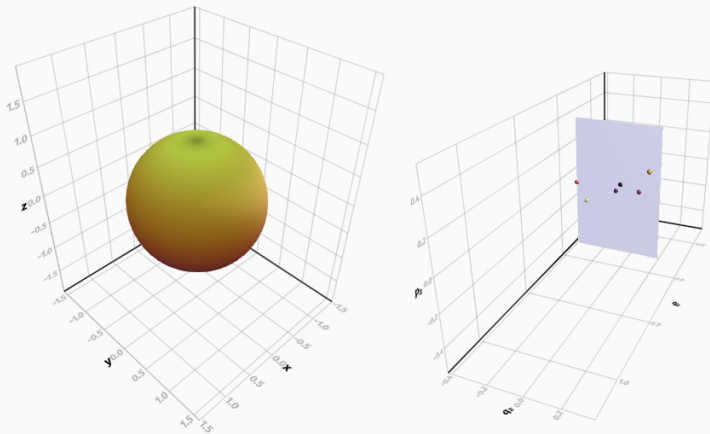


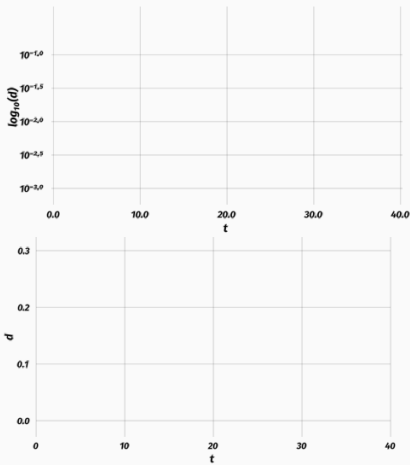
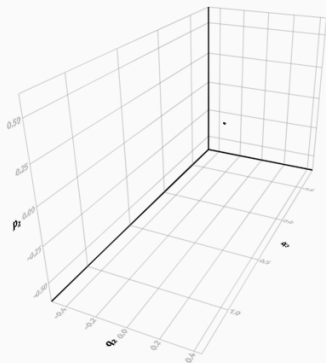
Figure 1: The nuclear surface and its sections



**Figure 2:** The nucleus and the corresponding trajectory in the phase space for a chaotic trajectory with  $B = 0.5, E = 0.3$

# Numerical simulations

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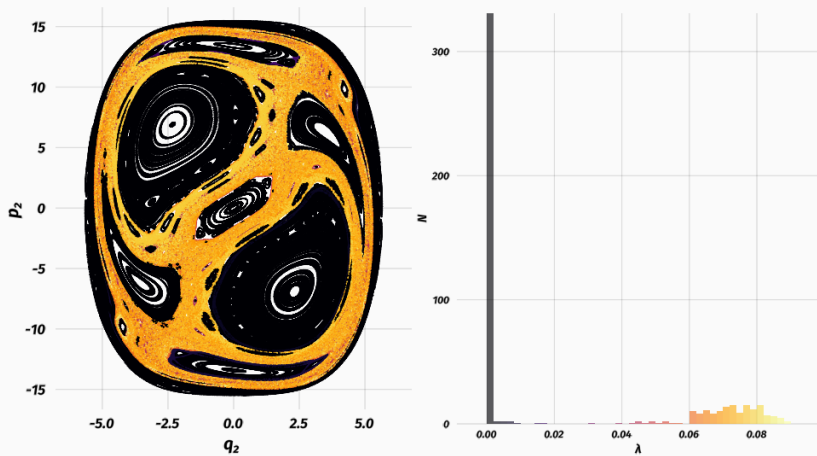
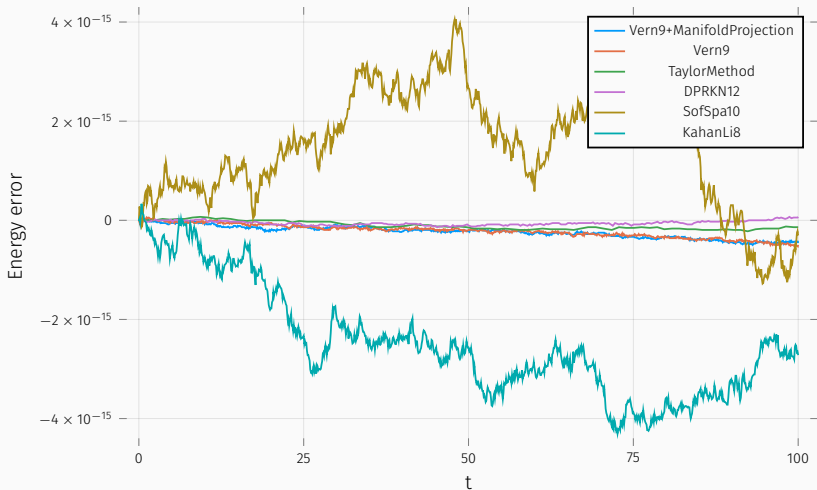
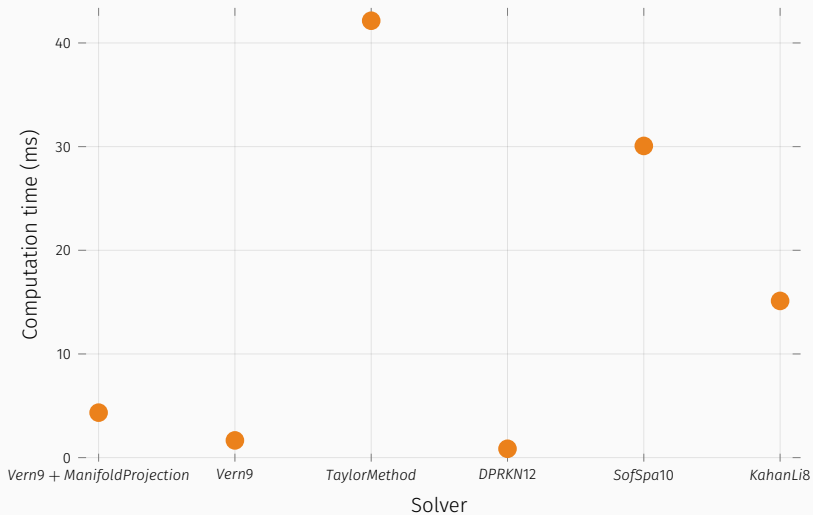


Figure 4: A Poincaré section at  $B = 0.5, E = 120$





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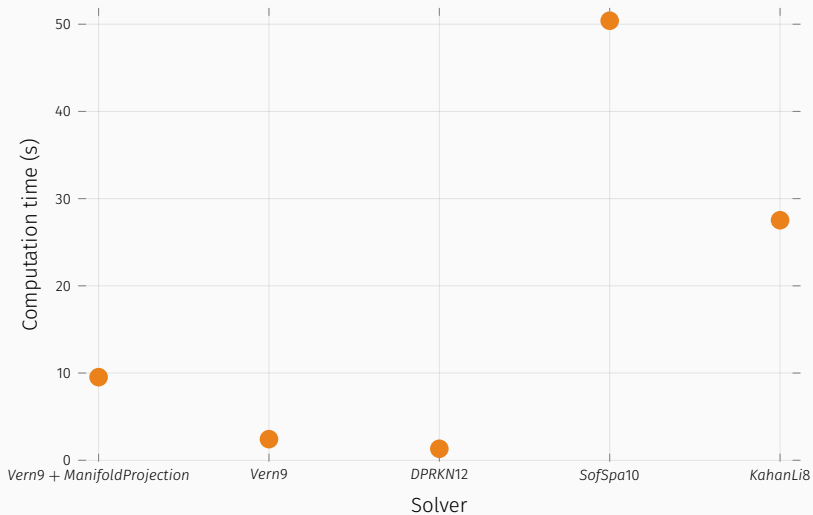


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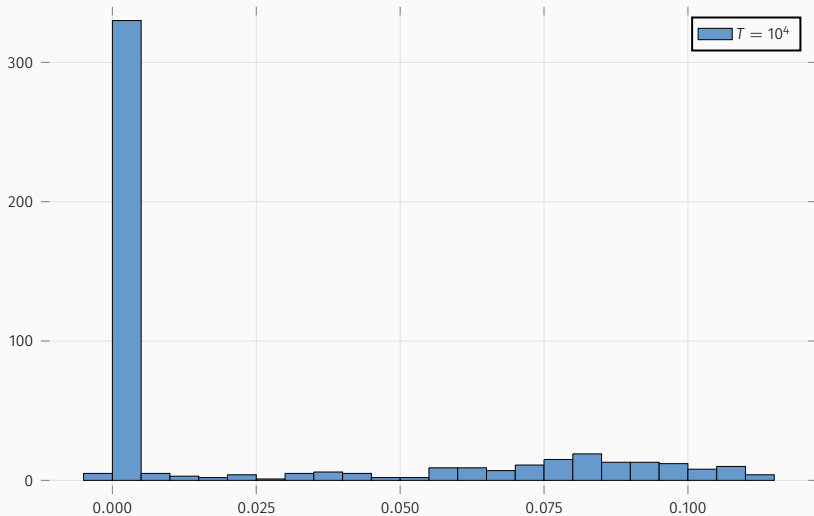




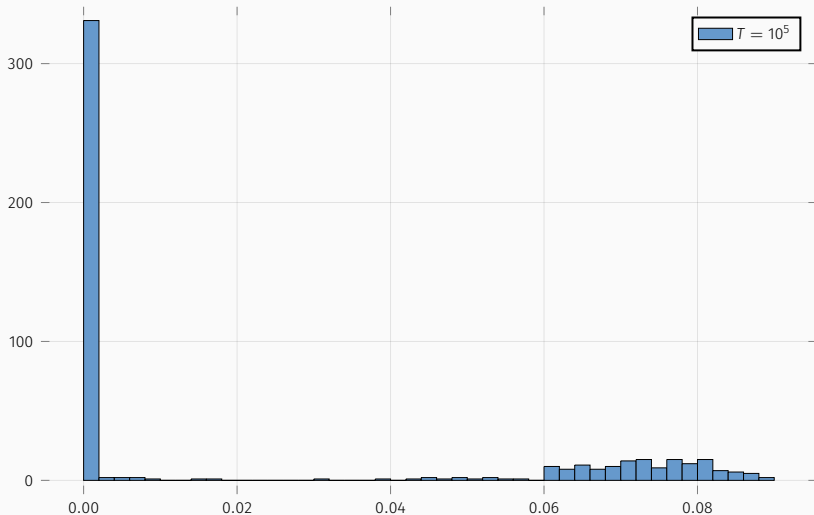
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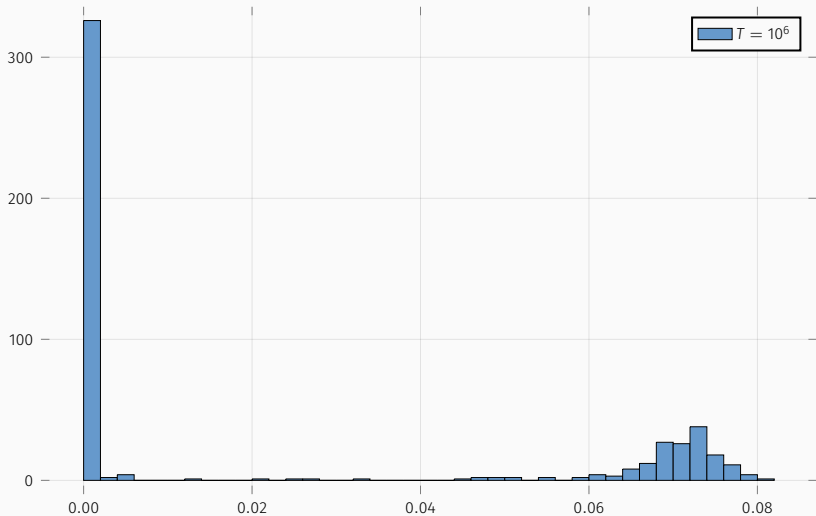
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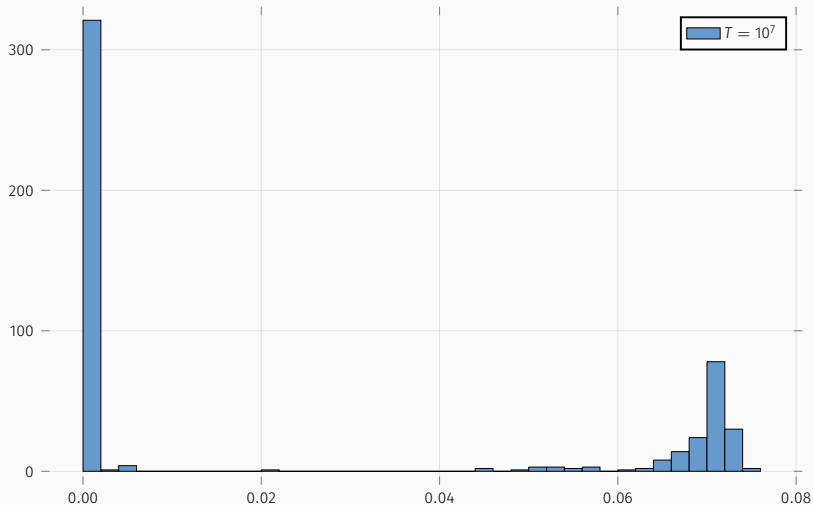
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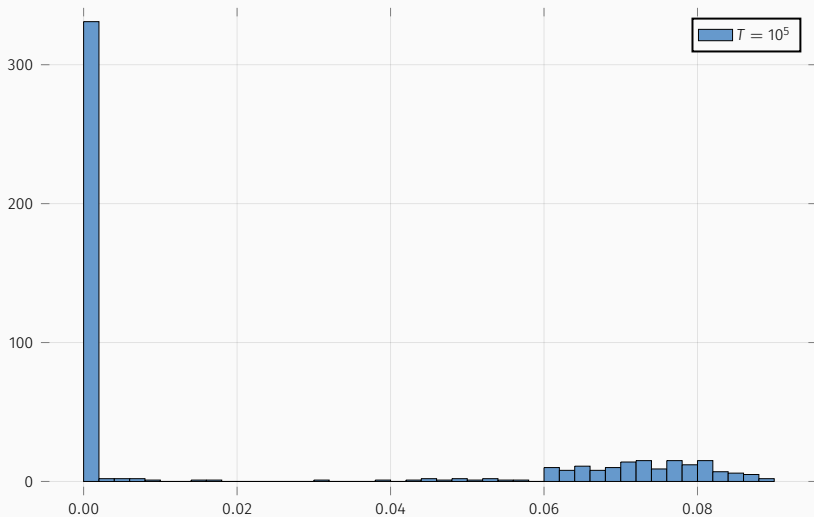
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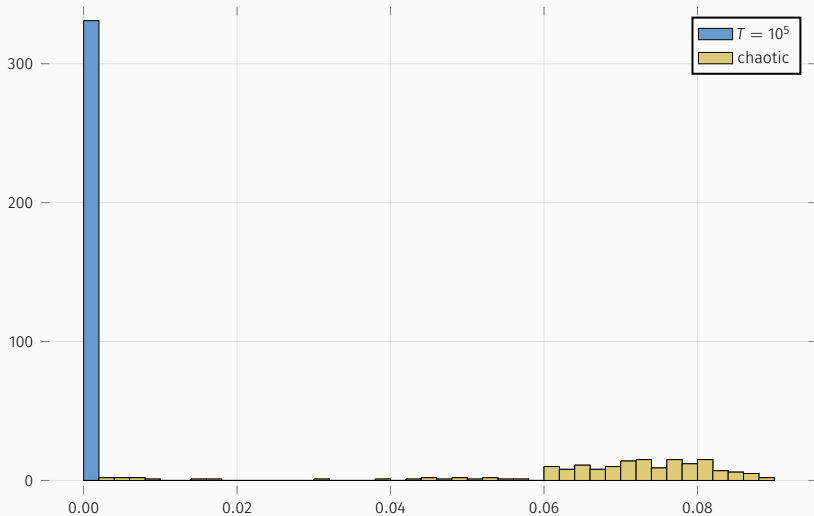
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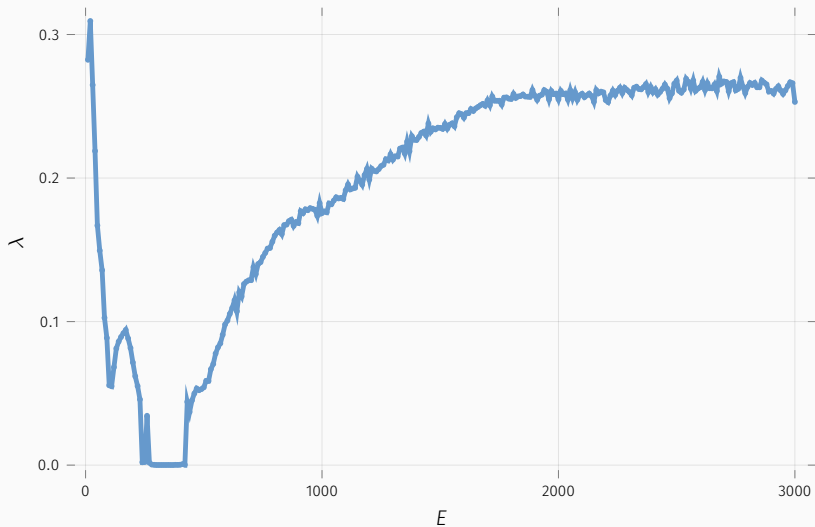
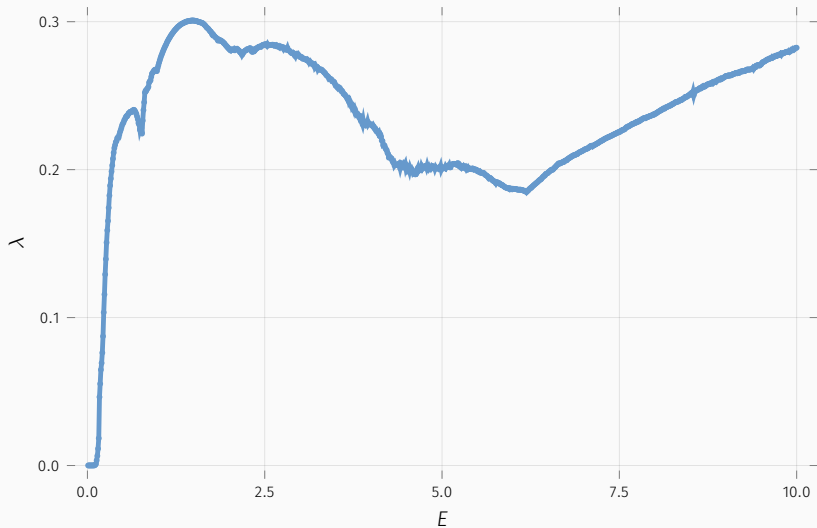
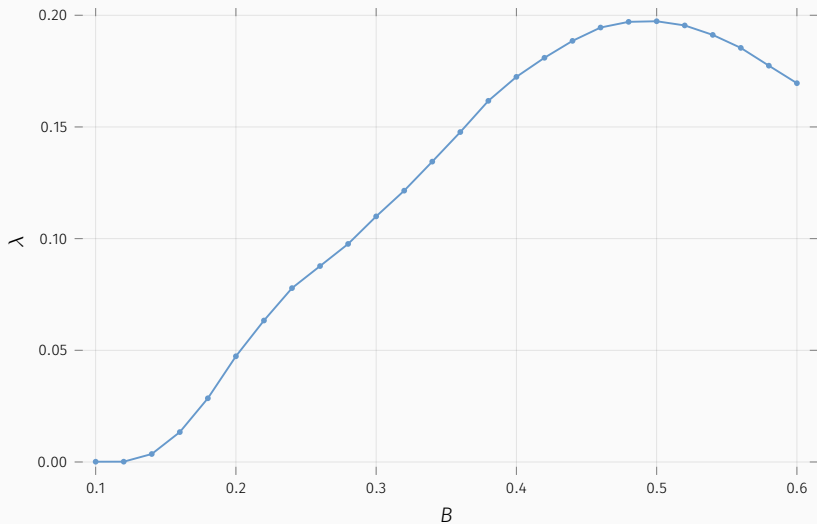


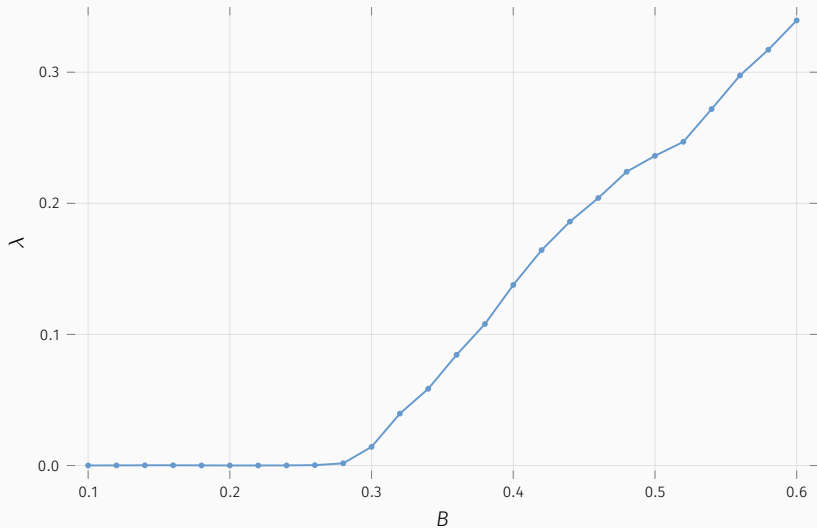
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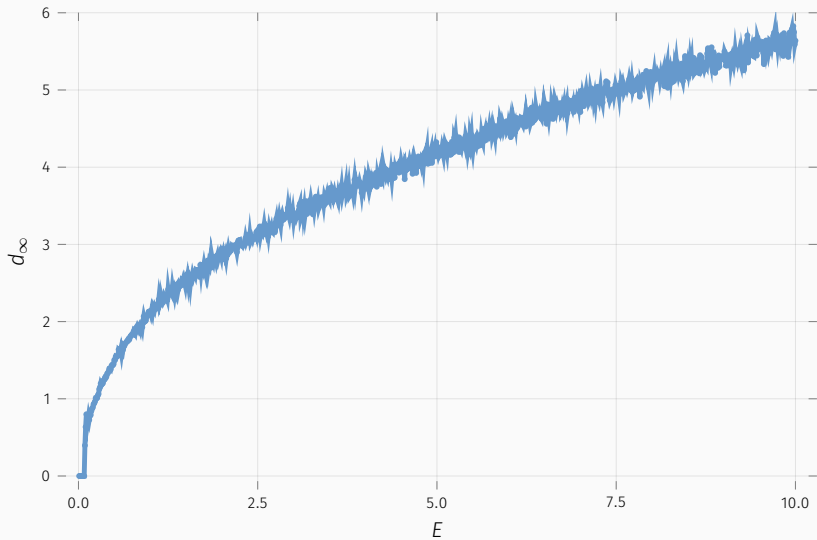


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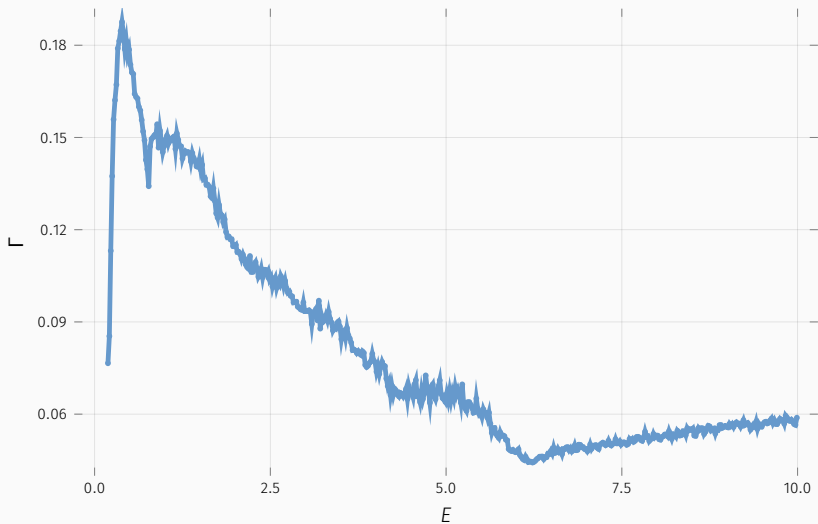


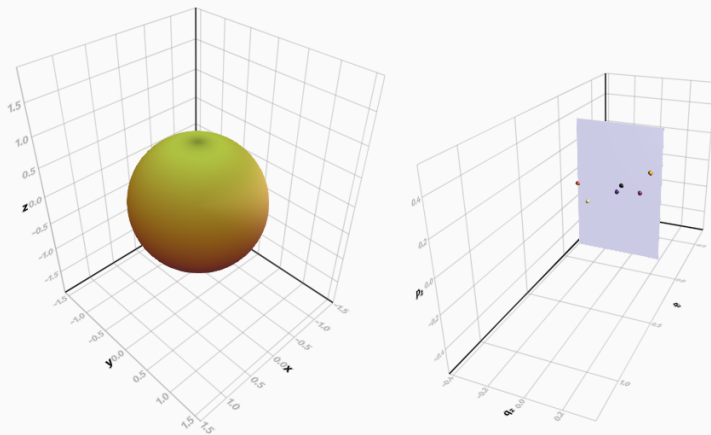
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# Conclusions

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Thank you!

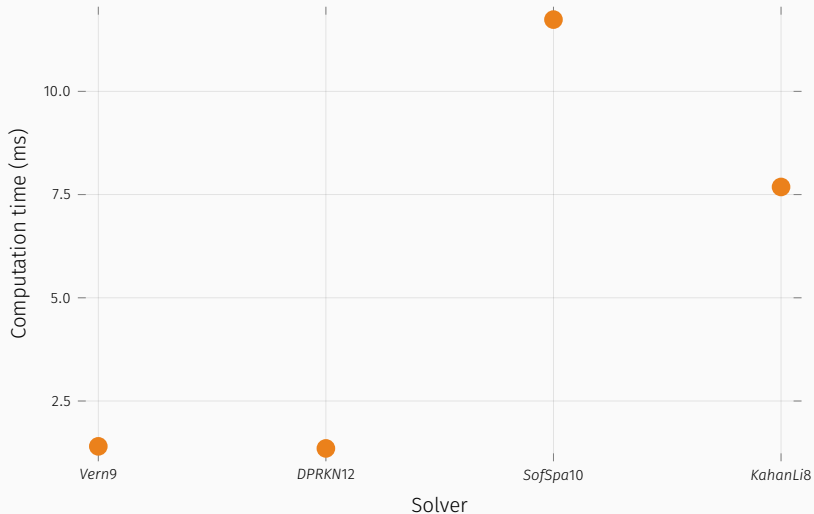




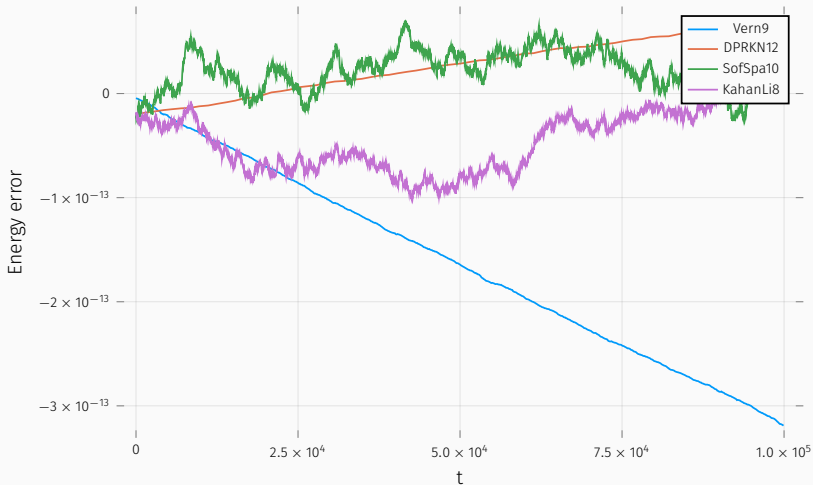
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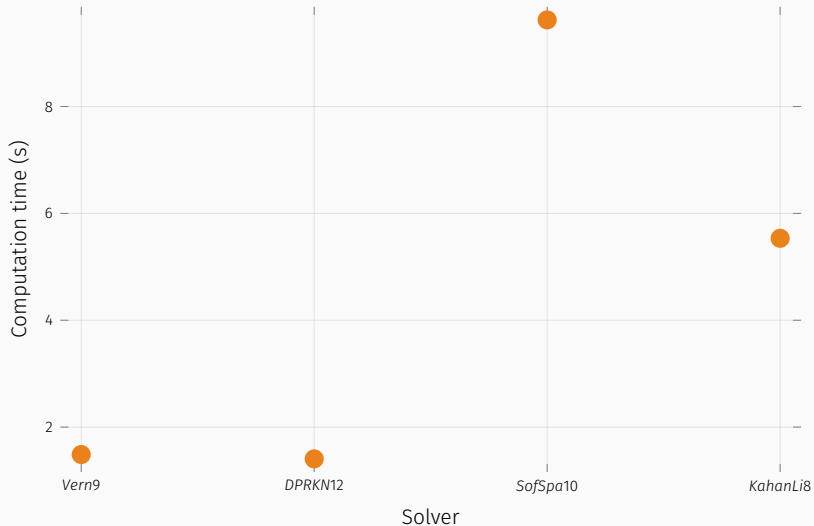
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**Figure 23:** Computational time benchmark for short integration time with rescaling



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