

Review:

1-Particle distribution function: $f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) := N \int \prod_{i=2}^N d^3\vec{r}_i d^3\vec{p}_i f(\{\vec{r}_i, \vec{p}_i\})$

evolution: $\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t} = \{H_1, f_1\} + \left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}}$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = \int d^3\vec{r}_2 d^3\vec{p}_2 \frac{\partial U(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_2)}{\partial \vec{r}} \cdot \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \vec{p}}$$

$$f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}_2, \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) := N(N-1) \int \prod_{i=3}^N d^3\vec{r}_i d^3\vec{p}_i f(\{\vec{r}_i, \vec{p}_i\})$$

$$n(\vec{r}) = \int f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) d^3\vec{p}$$

$$\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} = \int \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t} d^3\vec{p} = \int (\{H_1, f_1\} + \int d^3\vec{r}_2 d^3\vec{p}_2 \frac{\partial U(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_2)}{\partial \vec{r}} \cdot \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \vec{p}}) d^3\vec{p}$$

$$\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} = \int \{H_1, f_1\} d^3\vec{p} + \int d^3\vec{r}_2 d^3\vec{p}_2 \frac{\partial U(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_2)}{\partial \vec{r}} \cdot \underbrace{\left(\int \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \vec{p}} d^3\vec{p} \right)}_0$$

$$\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} = \int \{H_1, f_1\} d^3\vec{p}$$

independent of collision integral!

Boltzmann equation:

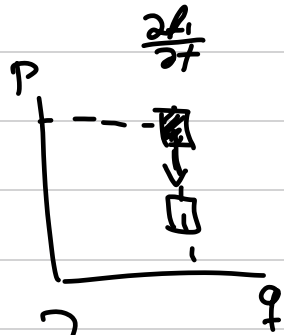
$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t} = \{H_1, f_1\} + \left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = \int d^3\vec{r}_2 d^3\vec{p}_2 \frac{\partial U(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_2)}{\partial \vec{r}} \cdot \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \vec{p}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}}$$

$$\text{Rate} = \omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) d^3\vec{p}_2 d^3\vec{p}_1' d^3\vec{p}_2'$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = \int d^3\vec{p}_2 d^3\vec{p}_1' d^3\vec{p}_2' \left[\omega(\vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2' | \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') - \omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) \right]$$



Properties of $\omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2')$:

Conservation of Energy: $p^2 + p_2^2 = p_1'^2 + p_2'^2$

" Momentum: $\vec{p} + \vec{p}_2 = \vec{p}_1' + \vec{p}_2'$

Symmetries:

time-reversal:

$$\omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') = \omega(-\vec{p}_1', -\vec{p}_2' | -\vec{p}, -\vec{p}_2)$$

$(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) \rightarrow (-\vec{r}, -\vec{p})$ - Parity:

$$\omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') = \omega(-\vec{p}, -\vec{p}_2 | -\vec{p}_1', -\vec{p}_2')$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') = \omega(\vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2' | \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2)$$

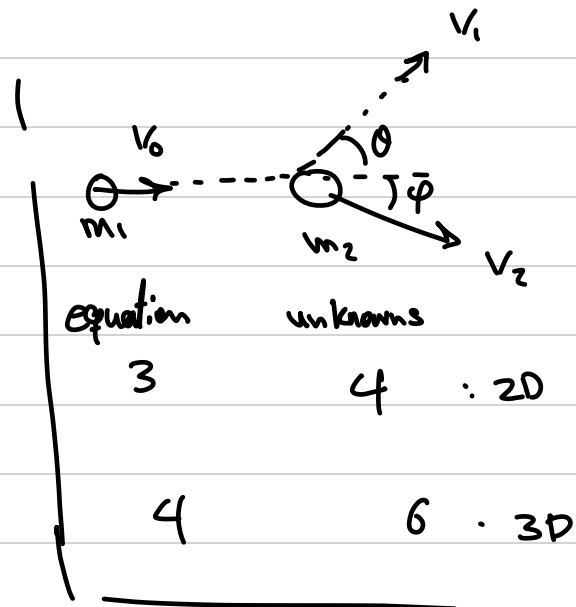
$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = \int d^3\vec{p}_2 d^3\vec{p}_1' d^3\vec{p}_2' \omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') \left[f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') - f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) \right]$$

* $f_2(\vec{r}, \vec{r}, \vec{p}, \vec{p}_2) = f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2)$ * \rightarrow Assumption

molecular chaos

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = \int d^3\vec{p}_2 d^3\vec{p}_1' d^3\vec{p}_2' \omega(\vec{p}, \vec{p}_2 | \vec{p}_1', \vec{p}_2') \left[f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_1') f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2') - f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2) \right]$$

Boltzmann Equation



Detailed Balance:

$$\vec{V}=0 \rightarrow H_1 = \frac{p^2}{2m}$$

$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t} = 0 \rightarrow \underbrace{\{H_1, f_1\}}_{f(\vec{p})} + \left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial t}\right)_{\text{coll.}} = 0 \rightarrow f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_1') f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2') - f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_1) f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2) = 0 \quad \text{"detailed balance"}$$

$$f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_1') f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2') = f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_1) f_1(\vec{r}, \vec{p}_2)$$

$$\underbrace{\ln f_1(\vec{p}_1') + \ln f_1(\vec{p}_2')}_{\substack{\sum \ln f \\ \text{after collision}}} = \underbrace{\ln f_1(\vec{p}_1) + \ln f_1(\vec{p}_2)}_{\substack{\sum \ln f \\ \text{before collision}}}$$

$$\ln f_1 = -\beta \left(\mu + E(\vec{p}) + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{p} \right)$$

$$E(p) = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \quad ; \quad \vec{p} = m \vec{v}$$

$$\ln f_1 = -\beta \left(\mu + \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + m \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} \right) = -\beta \left(\mu - \frac{1}{2} m u^2 + \frac{1}{2} m (\vec{v} - \vec{u})^2 \right)$$

$$f_1(\vec{v}) = A e^{-\beta \left(\frac{1}{2} m (\vec{v} - \vec{u})^2 \right)}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{kT} \quad ; \quad \vec{u}: \text{Possible drift}$$