

From Chaos to Order

Modeling Natural Phenomena with Fractals

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Abstract

In this paper, I aim to explore the relationship between Chaos Theory and Fractal Geometry in nature. By providing a comprehensive overview of chaos theory and fractal geometry, the paper investigates mathematical models that can explain the complex patterns observed in nature, such as coastlines, trees, and mountains. Ultimately, this research bridges the gap between theoretical mathematics and real-world applications, demonstrating how chaos can give rise to order.

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1 Introduction

2 Chaos Theory

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