

# Statistics\_of\_Polymer\_Models

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## 1 Statistics of Polymer Models

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Here explore some statistical properties of two simple polymer models. We use the freely jointed and the freely rotating chain and simulate both using random walk models. In all cases  $N$  denotes the number of chain segments and  $a$  is the segment length. For the freely rotating chain model  $\theta$  is the rotation angle. In this exercise we work in two dimensions exclusively.

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In [1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib as mpl
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy import stats
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In [2]: # define measurement functions here
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```
def get_msd(X, Y, sampleLengths):
    """
    Calculates the msd of two-dimensional trajectories.
    """
    msd = np.zeros((len(sampleLengths),))

    for i in range(len(sampleLengths)):

        msd[i] = np.mean(np.square(X[i, :]) + np.square(Y[i, :]))

    return msd

def FloryC(theta):
    """
    Flory's characteristic ratio  $C_{\infty}$ 
    """
    return (1.0 + np.cos(theta)) / (1.0 - np.cos(theta))
```

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In [3]: def FJC(sampleLengths, m, a = 1.0e-3, x0 = 0.0, y0 = 0.0):
    """
    Random walk model for the freely jointed chain (FJC) in two dimensions (d = 2).
    """
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nSamples = len(sampleLengths)
iterations = (sampleLengths).astype(int)
iterations[1:] = iterations[1:] - iterations[0:-1]
totalIterations = np.cumsum(iterations)[-1]
print("totalIterations = ",totalIterations)

LOW, HIGH = 0.0, 2.0 * np.pi

outx = np.zeros((nSamples, m))
outy = np.zeros((nSamples, m))

for k in range(m):

    x, y = x0, y0 # set initial position

    for j in range(nSamples):

        for i in range(iterations[j]):

            phi = np.random.uniform(low = LOW, high = HIGH)

            x += a * np.cos(phi)
            y += a * np.sin(phi)

        outx[j, k] = x
        outy[j, k] = y

    return outx, outy

In [4]: def FJC_vec(sampleLengths, m, a = 1.0e-3, x0 = 0.0, y0 = 0.0):
    '''
    Random walk model for the freely jointed chain (FJC) in two dimensions (d = 2).
    Vectorized version of the FJC algorithm.
    '''
    nSamples = len(sampleLengths)
    iterations = (sampleLengths).astype(int)
    iterations[1:] = iterations[1:] - iterations[0:-1]
    totalIterations = np.cumsum(iterations)[-1]
    print("totalIterations = ",totalIterations)

    LOW, HIGH = 0.0, 2.0 * np.pi

    outx = np.zeros((nSamples, m))
    outy = np.zeros((nSamples, m))

    x = np.ones((1, m)) * x0
    y = np.ones((1, m)) * y0

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outx[0, :] = x
outy[0, :] = y

for j in range(nSamples):

    for i in range(iterations[j]):

        phis = np.random.uniform(low = LOW, high = HIGH, size = m)

        x += a * np.cos(phis)
        y += a * np.sin(phis)

        outx[j, :] = x
        outy[j, :] = y

return outx, outy

```

To understand the implementation for the FRC algorithm below recall that in two dimensions the standard rotation matrix  $R(\theta)$  reads

$$R(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}. \quad (1)$$

The binary coin flip choice at each iteration then simply decides whether the current orientation is either rotated by  $R_+ := R(+\theta)$  or by  $R_- := R(-\theta)$ . Given a starting orientation vector  $f$  we update the orientation by invoking

$$f_{i+1} = \begin{cases} R_+ \cdot f_i & \text{for } p_{\text{coin}} > 0.5 \\ R_- \cdot f_i & \text{else} \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

Then the position update follows immediately as

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + a \cdot f_{i+1}. \quad (3)$$

Here  $x$  and  $f$  are both two-dimensional position and orientation vectors, respectively.

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In [5]: def FRC(sampleLengths, m, a = 1.0e-3, theta = 0.2 * np.pi, x0 = 0.0, y0 = 0.0):
        '''
        Random walk model for the freely rotating chain (FRC) in two dimensions (d = 2).
        '''
        nSamples = len(sampleLengths)
        iterations = (sampleLengths).astype(int)
        iterations[1:] = iterations[1:] - iterations[0:-1]
        totalIterations = np.cumsum(iterations)[-1]
        print("totalIterations = ",totalIterations)

        LOW, HIGH = 0.0, 2.0 * np.pi

        outx = np.zeros((nSamples, m))

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outy = np.zeros((nSamples, m))

# make sure to precalculate R0 and R1 outside of all the loops below!
R0 = np.matrix([[np.cos(theta), -np.sin(theta)],\
                 [np.sin(theta), np.cos(theta)]])
R1 = np.matrix([[np.cos(-theta), -np.sin(-theta)],\
                 [np.sin(-theta), np.cos(-theta)]])

for k in range(m):

    x = np.array([[x0], [y0]]) # set initial position
    phi = np.random.uniform(LOW, HIGH)
    ori = np.array([[np.cos(phi)], [np.sin(phi)]])

    for j in range(nSamples):

        for i in range(iterations[j]):

            flip = np.random.choice([0, 1])

            if (flip == 1):
                ori = np.dot(R1, ori)
            else:
                ori = np.dot(R0, ori)

            x += a * ori

        outx[j, k] = x[0]
        outy[j, k] = x[1]

    return outx, outy

```

The implementation of the FRC function above is a very literal and explicit implementation. It is a straight forward implementation of the described formulaes and very literally implements the algorithm. This makes it clear to understand what is going on, at the expense of computational speed. Below I show you a vectorized version for the FRC model, which is much faster and hence recommended for more extensive statistical analysis of the model.

```

In [6]: def FRC_vecSingle(N, a = 1.0e-3, theta = 0.2 * np.pi, x0 = 0.0, y0 = 0.0):
        '''
        Random walk model for the freely rotating chain (FRC) in two dimensions (d = 2).
        Vectorized version for a single trajectory (polymer).
        '''
        outx = np.zeros((N + 1,))
        outy = np.zeros((N + 1,))

        # initialize the random walker at the origin
        outx[0], outy[0] = x0, y0

```

```

angles = np.zeros((N))
# initial orientation uniformly sampled in [0, 2 * Pi)
angles[0] = np.random.uniform(0.0, 2.0 * np.pi)
angles[1:] = theta * np.random.choice([-1.0, 1.0], N - 1)

angles = np.cumsum(angles)
outx[1:] = np.cumsum(a * np.cos(angles))
outy[1:] = np.cumsum(a * np.sin(angles))

return outx, outy

def FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, a = 1.0e-3,\
                theta = 0.2 * np.pi, x0 = 0.0, y0 = 0.0):
    '''
    Wrapper function which creates m statistically
    independent realizations of the FRC model.
    '''
    xVals = np.zeros((len(sampleIndices), m))
    yVals = np.zeros((len(sampleIndices), m))

    N = sampleIndices[-1]

    for i in range(m):
        tmpX, tmpY = FRC_vecSingle(N, a, theta, x0, y0)
        xVals[:, i] = tmpX[sampleIndices]
        yVals[:, i] = tmpY[sampleIndices]

    return xVals, yVals

In [7]: def plot_trajectories(X, Y, m = 10):

    f, ax = plt.subplots(1)
    f.set_size_inches(5.5, 5.5)

    ax.set_xlabel('$x$ coordinate', fontsize = 18)
    ax.set_ylabel('$y$ coordinate', fontsize = 18)
    labelfontsize = 15.0
    for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
    for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

    for i in range(m):
        ax.plot(X[:, i], Y[:, i], lw = 1.0, alpha = 0.80)

    rx = np.max(X)
    ry = np.max(Y)

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r = np.max([rx, ry])
ax.set_xlim(-r, r)
ax.set_ylim(-r, r)

return None

```

## 1.2 Assay 1 - Random walk model for the FJC

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In [8]: %%time
np.random.seed(123456789)
# create m = 25 FJC polymer configurations
m = 25
sampleLengths = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1)
X1, Y1 = FJC(sampleLengths, m)

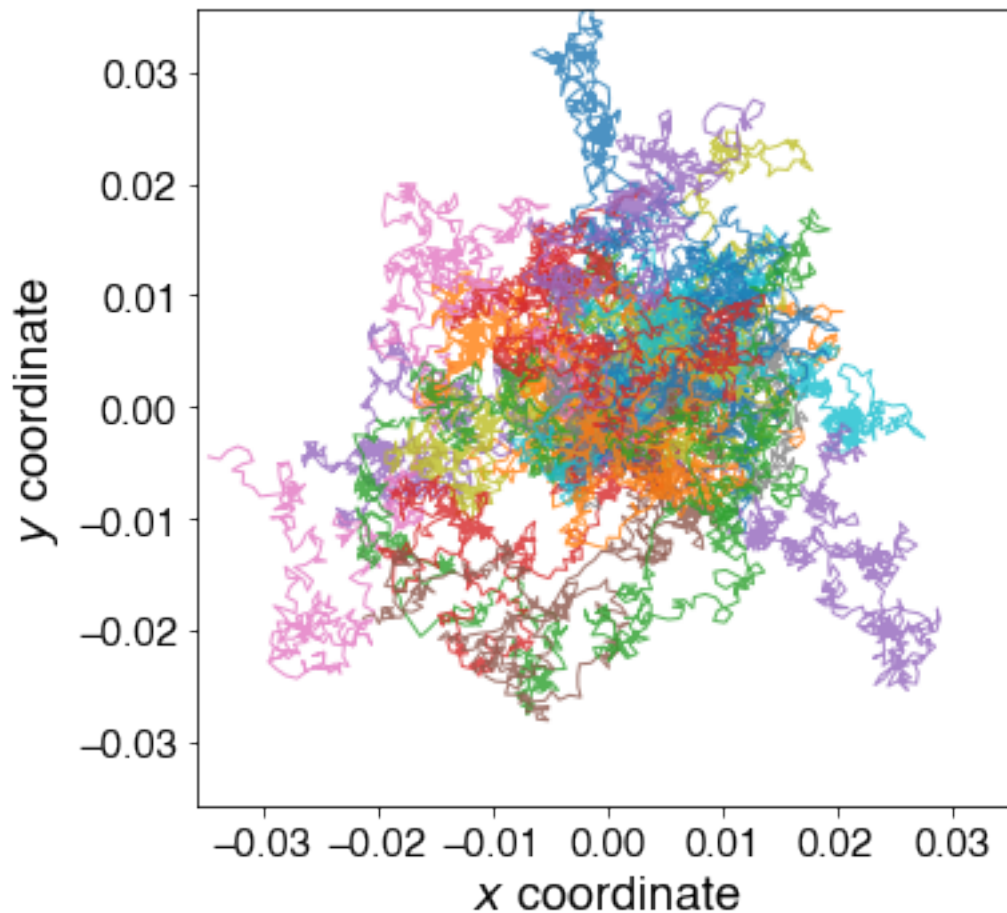
totalIterations = 500
CPU times: user 92.2 ms, sys: 4.81 ms, total: 97 ms
Wall time: 108 ms

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In [9]: m = 25
plot_trajectories(X1, Y1, m)

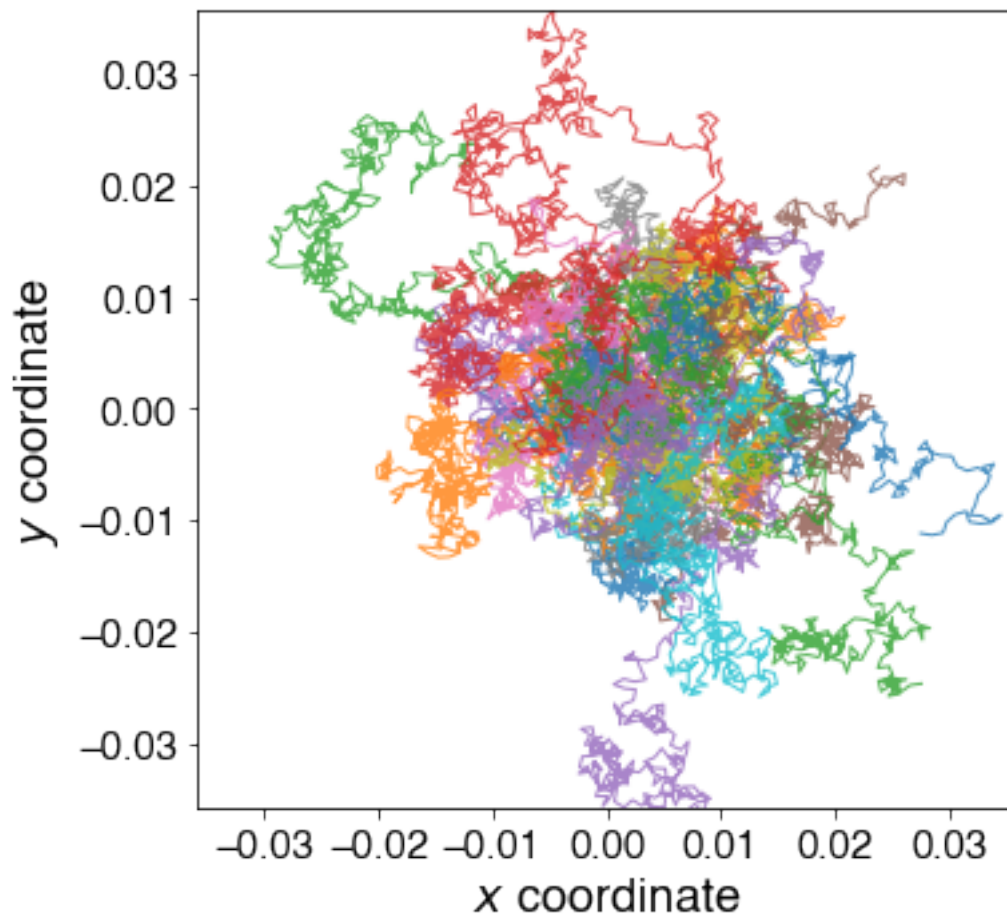
```



```
In [10]: %%time
         np.random.seed(923456789)
         # create m = 25 FJC polymer configurations
         m = 25
         sampleLengths = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1)
         X1vec, Y1vec = FJC_vec(sampleLengths, m)

totalIterations = 500
CPU times: user 16.8 ms, sys: 1.94 ms, total: 18.7 ms
Wall time: 18.4 ms

In [11]: m = 25
         plot_trajectories(X1vec, Y1vec, m)
```



### 1.3 Random walk model for the FRC

```
In [12]: %%time
         np.random.seed(123456789)
         # create m = 25 FRC polymer configurations
         m = 25
         sampleLengths = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1)
         X2, Y2 = FRC(sampleLengths, m, theta = 0.1 * np.pi)
```

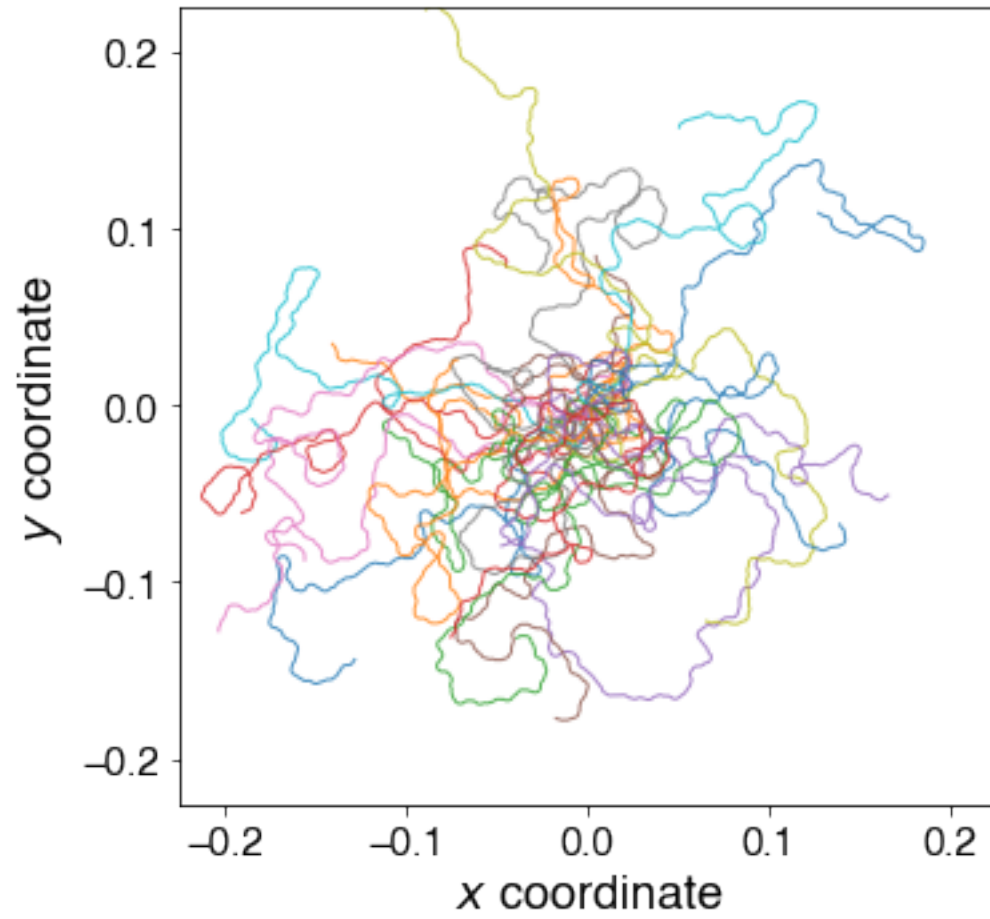
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totalIterations = 500
CPU times: user 325 ms, sys: 32.1 ms, total: 357 ms
Wall time: 337 ms
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In [13]: %%time
         # We repeat the same, using the vectorized version of the FRC algorithm.
         np.random.seed(223456789)
         # create m = 25 FJC polymer configurations
         m = 25
         sampleIndices = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1).astype(int)
         X2_vec, Y2_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, a = 1.0e-3, theta = 0.1 * np.pi)
```

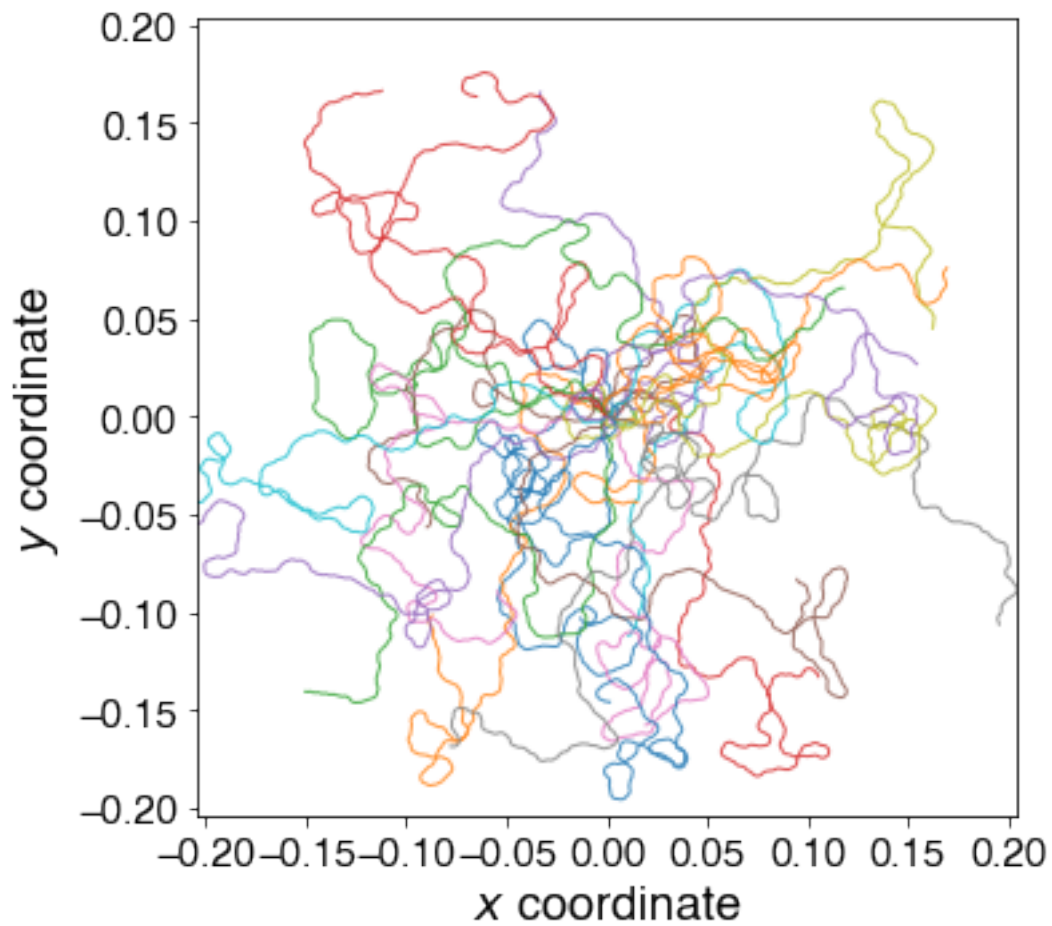
```
CPU times: user 4.88 ms, sys: 1.02 ms, total: 5.9 ms
Wall time: 5.18 ms
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```
In [14]: m = 25
         plot_trajectories(X2, Y2, m)
```





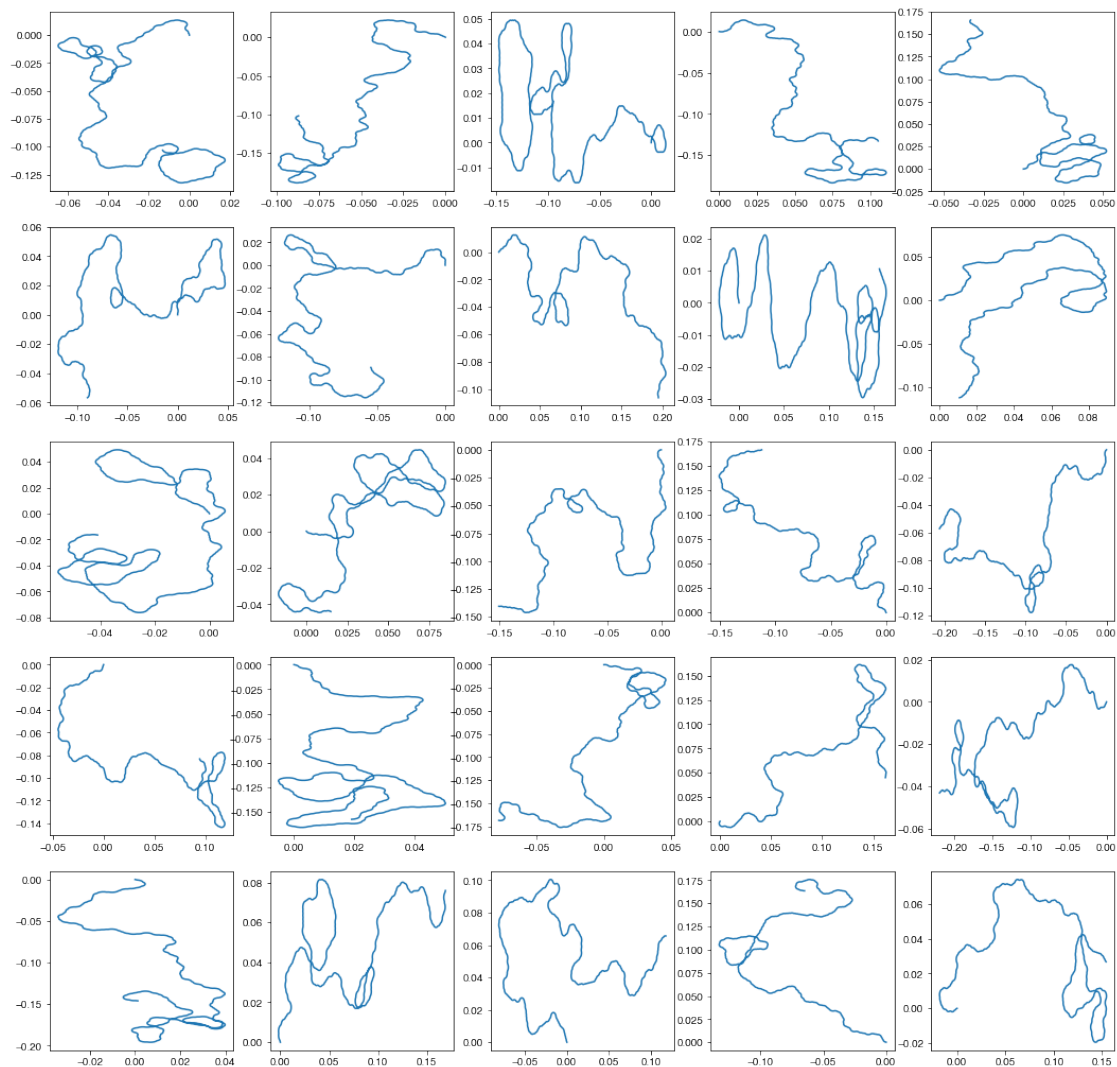
```
In [15]: m = 25  
         plot_trajectories(X2_vec, Y2_vec, m)
```



```
In [16]: # separate plotting for m = 25 polymer chains
print(X2_vec.shape)
print(Y2_vec.shape)
f, ax = plt.subplots(5, 5, figsize = (18.0, 18.0))
for i in range(25):
    plt.subplot(5, 5, i + 1)
    plt.plot(X2_vec[:, i], Y2_vec[:, i])
```

(501, 25)

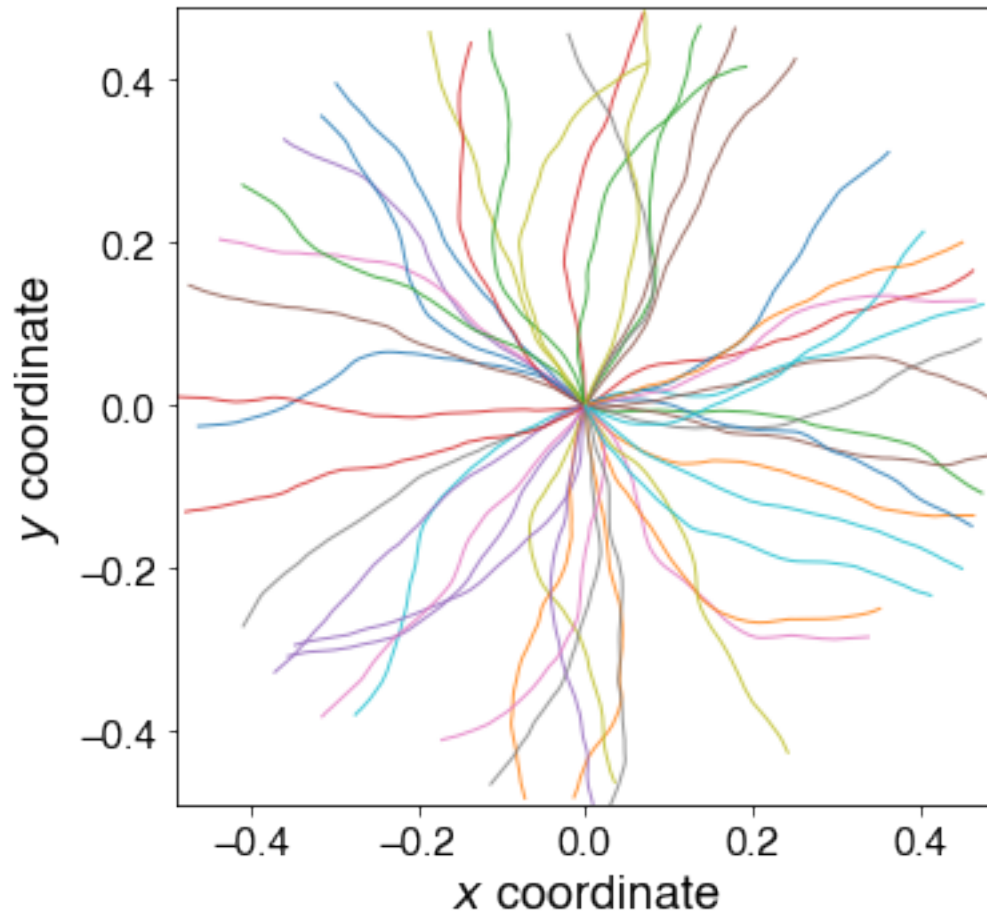
(501, 25)



```
In [17]: %%time
np.random.seed(923456789)
# create m = 50 FRC polymer configurations
m = 50
sampleIndices = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1).astype(int)
X3_vec, Y3_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, theta = 0.01 * np.pi)
```

```
CPU times: user 7.86 ms, sys: 1.11 ms, total: 8.98 ms
Wall time: 8.14 ms
```

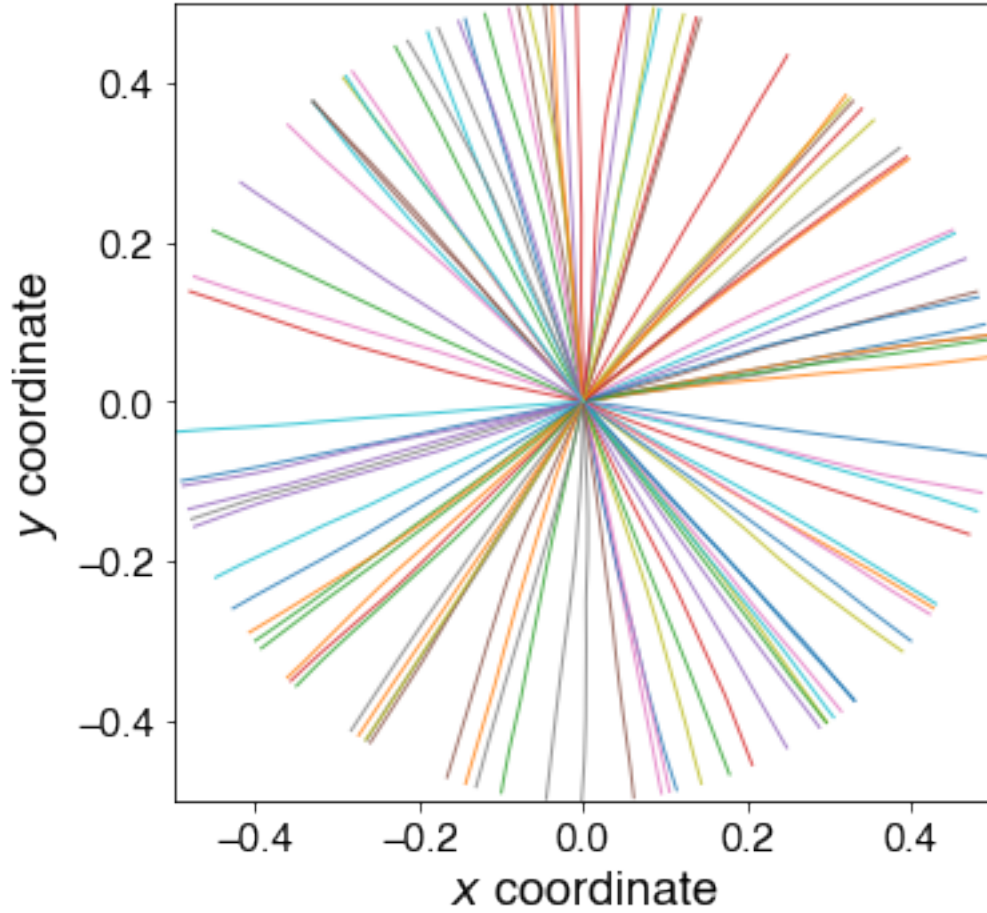
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In [18]: m = 50
plot_trajectories(X3_vec, Y3_vec, m)
```



```
In [19]: %%time
         np.random.seed(123456789)
         # create m = 100 FRC polymer configurations
         m = 100
         sampleIndices = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1).astype(int)
         X3_vec, Y3_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, theta = 0.001
                                     * np.pi)
```

```
CPU times: user 12 ms, sys: 1.31 ms, total: 13.4 ms
Wall time: 12.3 ms
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In [23]: m = 100
         plot_trajectories(X3_vec, Y3_vec, m)
```



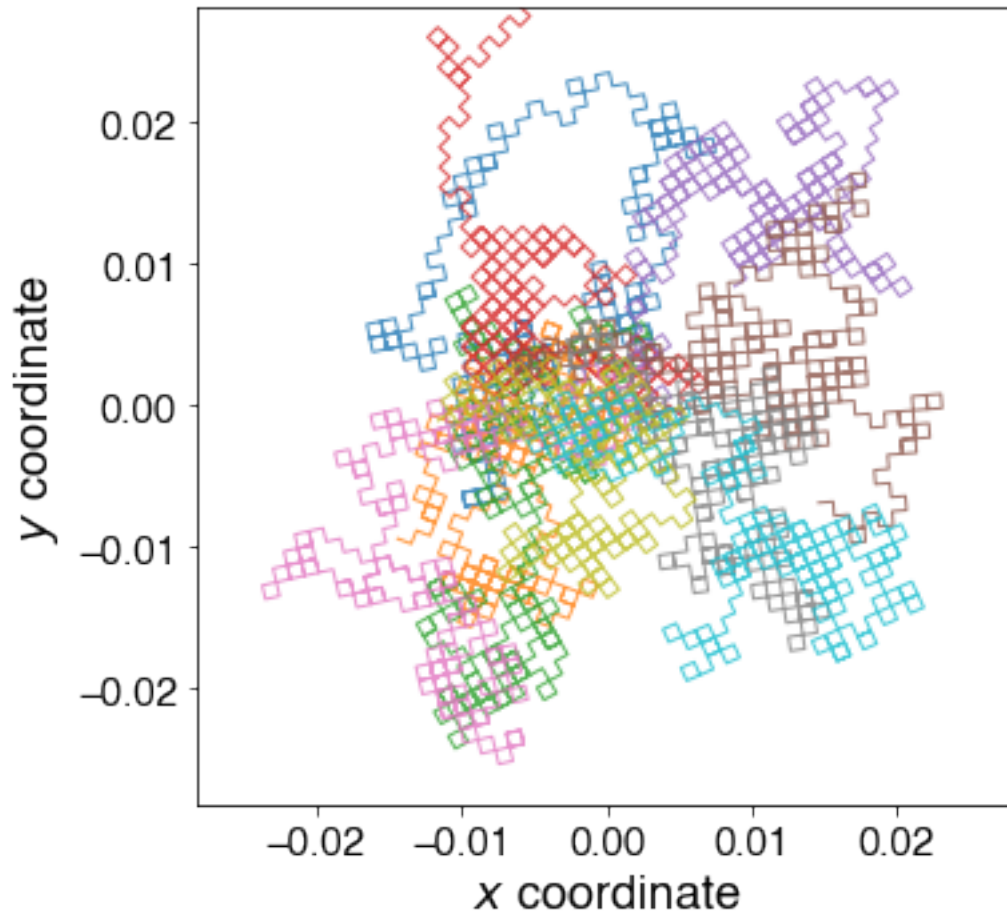
Changing the rotation angle  $\theta$  we can change the polymers persistence length  $l_p$ . The well established relation for the freely rotating chain model reads

$$l_p = -\frac{a}{\ln(\cos \theta)}. \quad (4)$$

```
In [20]: %%time
          np.random.seed(123456789)
          # create m = 25 FRC polymer configurations
          m = 10
          sampleIndices = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1).astype(int)
          X3_vec, Y3_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, theta = 0.5 * np.pi)
```

CPU times: user 2.48 ms, sys: 654  $\mu$ s, total: 3.13 ms  
Wall time: 2.7 ms

```
In [21]: m = 10
          plot_trajectories(X3_vec, Y3_vec, m)
```

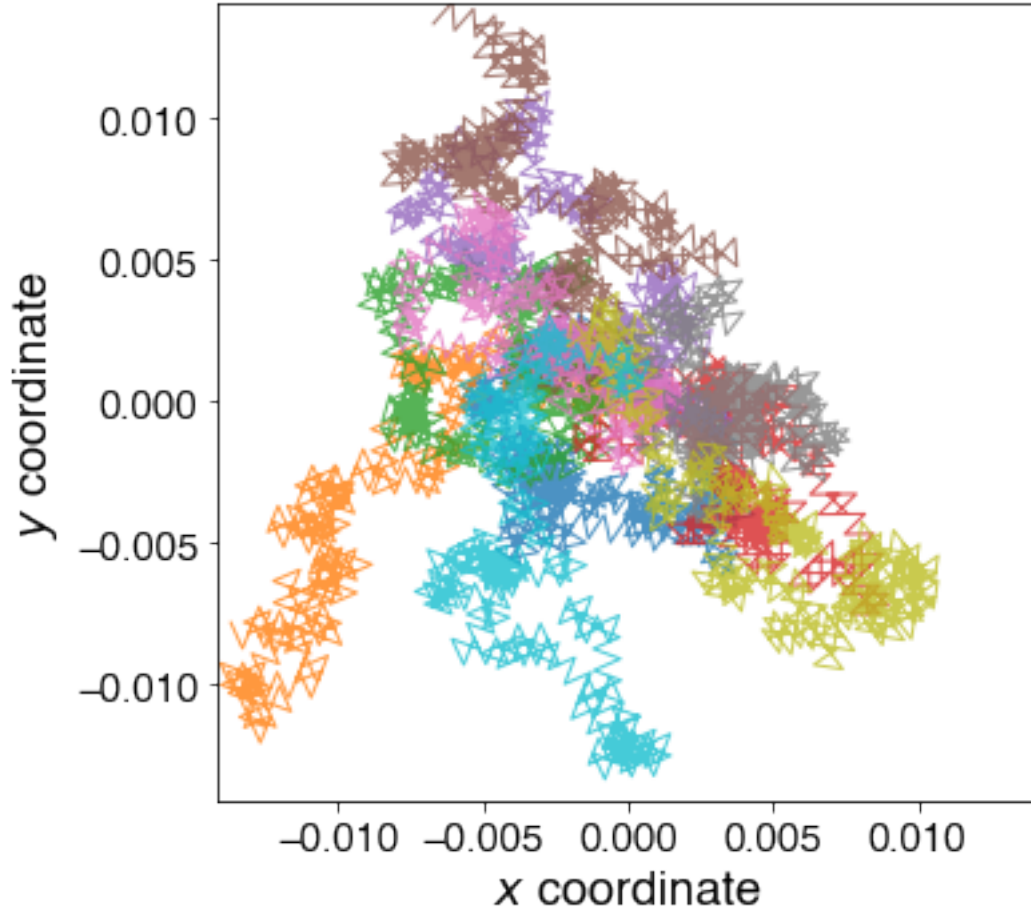


```
In [22]: %%time
         np.random.seed(123456789)
         # create m = 25 FRC polymer configurations
         m = 10
         sampleIndices = np.arange(0.0, 501.0, 1).astype(int)
         X3_vec, Y3_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleIndices, m, theta = 0.75 * np.pi)
```

CPU times: user 2.57 ms, sys: 691  $\mu$ s, total: 3.26 ms

Wall time: 2.86 ms

```
In [23]: m = 10
         plot_trajectories(X3_vec, Y3_vec, m)
```



#### 1.4 Assay 2 - FJC mean-squared-end-to-end vector as a function of chain length $N$

Next, we analyze the mean-squared end-to-end vector as a function of segment length. The goal is of course to verify, that the well known relation

$$\langle \mathbf{R}^2 \rangle = Na^2 \quad (5)$$

holds for the freely jointed chain (FJC). This is of course equivalent to

$$R = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{R}^2 \rangle} = \sqrt{Na}. \quad (6)$$

In the first part of this section on the FJC model we will show the  $\sim N$  scaling and in the second part we verify the  $\sim a^2$  scaling of the MSD.

```
In [24]: %%time
         np.random.seed(123456789)
         m = 1000 # number of statistically independent configurations
         sampleLengths = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
```

```

X_ex2, Y_ex2 = FJC(sampleLengths, m)

print(X_ex2.shape)
print(Y_ex2.shape)

totalIterations = 5000
(5, 1000)
(5, 1000)
CPU times: user 23.4 s, sys: 294 ms, total: 23.7 s
Wall time: 24.8 s

```

```

In [25]: %%time
np.random.seed(123456789)
m = 1000 # number of statistically independent configurations
sampleLengths = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])

X_ex2_vec, Y_ex2_vec = FJC_vec(sampleLengths, m)

print(X_ex2_vec.shape)
print(Y_ex2_vec.shape)

totalIterations = 5000
(5, 1000)
(5, 1000)
CPU times: user 420 ms, sys: 3.91 ms, total: 423 ms
Wall time: 427 ms

```

Here you can compare the execution time of the vectorized version against the execution time of the naive implementation of the FJC model. One gets a speed up of roughly 50 times faster code.

```

In [26]: def plot_msd_FJC(X, Y, a = 1.0e-3):

    f, ax = plt.subplots(1)
    f.set_size_inches(5.5, 4.0)

    ax.set_xlabel('chain length $N$', fontsize = 18)
    ax.set_ylabel(r'$\langle R^2 \rangle$', fontsize = 18)
    labelfontsize = 15.0
    for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
    for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

    ax.plot([-2.0, 6000.0], [a ** 2 * (-2.0), a ** 2 * (6000.0)],
            lw = 2.0,

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        color = 'C0',
        label = r'$\langle R^2 \rangle = Na^2$',
        zorder = 1)
ax.scatter(X, Y, color = 'k',
           s = 80,
           marker = 'o',
           facecolors = 'None',
           edgecolors = 'k',
           linewidth = 1.5,
           label = r'FJC (numeric)', zorder = 2)

ax.set_xlim(-200.0, 5200.0)
ax.set_ylim(-0.0005, 0.0062)

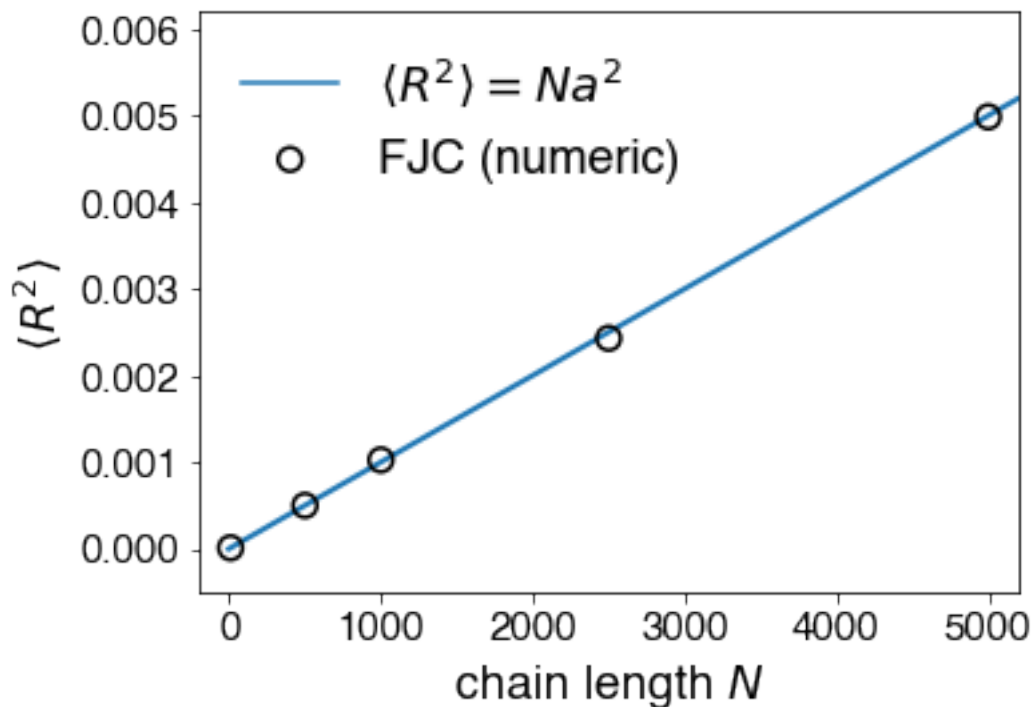
leg = ax.legend(scatterpoints = 1,
                markerscale = 1.0,
                ncol = 1,
                fontsize = 18)
for i, legobj in enumerate(leg.legendHandles):
    legobj.set_linewidth(1.5)
leg.draw_frame(False)
return None

```

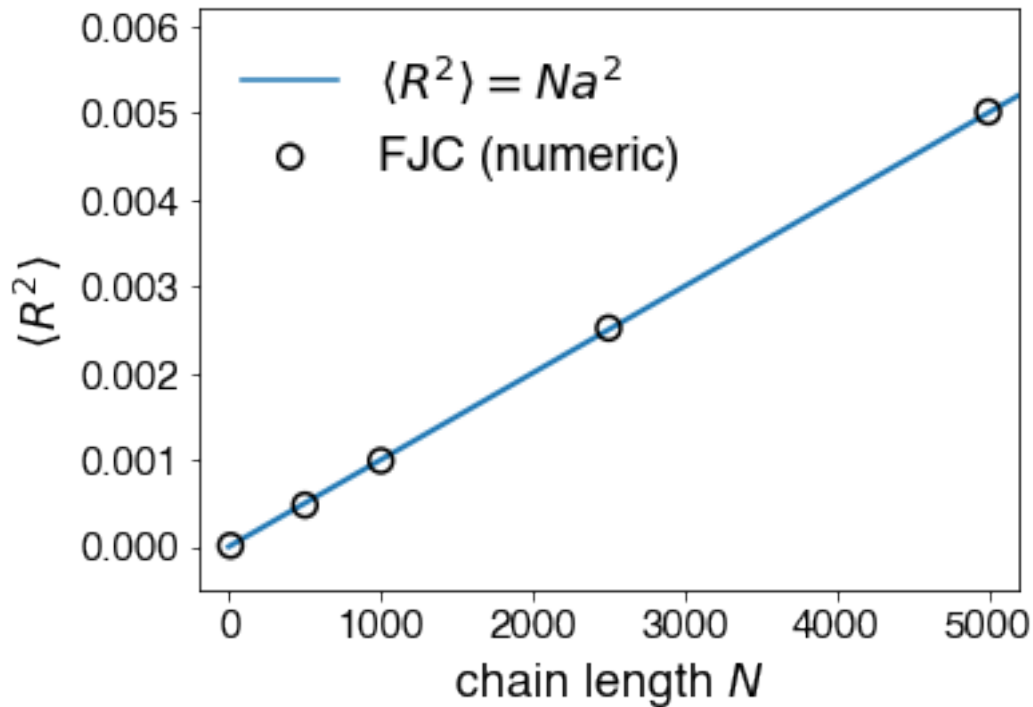
```

In [27]: sampleLengths_ex2 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
msd_ex2 = get_msd(X_ex2, Y_ex2, sampleLengths_ex2)
plot_msd_FJC(sampleLengths_ex2, msd_ex2, a = 1.0e-3)

```



```
In [28]: sampleLengths_ex2 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
msd_ex2_vec = get_msd(X_ex2_vec, Y_ex2_vec, sampleLengths_ex2)
plot_msd_FJC(sampleLengths_ex2, msd_ex2_vec, a = 1.0e-3)
```



### 1.5 Assay 3 FJC mean-squared-end-to-end vector as a function of the segment length $a$

```
In [29]: %%time
np.random.seed(123456789)
m = 1000
N = 2000
sampleLengths_ex3 = np.array([N])
stepSizes_ex3 = np.array([1.0e-3, 2.0e-3, 3.0e-3, 5.0e-3, 7.5e-3, 1.0e-2])
res_ex3 = np.zeros((len(stepSizes_ex3)))
for i, a in enumerate(stepSizes_ex3):
    print("segment length", a)
    tmpX, tmpY = FJC(sampleLengths_ex3, m, a)
    msd = get_msd(tmpX, tmpY, sampleLengths_ex3)
    res_ex3[i] = msd[0]
```

```

segment length 0.001
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.002
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.003
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.005
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.0075
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.01
totalIterations = 2000
CPU times: user 53.1 s, sys: 390 ms, total: 53.5 s
Wall time: 54.1 s

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In [30]: %%time
         np.random.seed(123456789)
         m = 10000 # we can afford 10000 here
         N = 2000
         sampleLengths_ex3 = np.array([N])
         stepSizes_ex3 = np.array([1.0e-3, 2.0e-3, 3.0e-3, 5.0e-3, 7.5e-3, 1.0e-2])
         res_ex3_vec = np.zeros((len(stepSizes_ex3)))
         for i, a in enumerate(stepSizes_ex3):
             print("segment length", a)
             tmpX, tmpY = FJC_vec(sampleLengths_ex3, m, a)
             msd = get_msd(tmpX, tmpY, sampleLengths_ex3)
             res_ex3_vec[i] = msd[0]

```

```

segment length 0.001
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.002
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.003
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.005
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.0075
totalIterations = 2000
segment length 0.01
totalIterations = 2000
CPU times: user 8.57 s, sys: 157 ms, total: 8.72 s
Wall time: 9.74 s

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In [31]: def plot_msd_FJC_a(X, Y, N = 2000.0):

         f, ax = plt.subplots(1)

```

```

f.set_size_inches(5.5, 4.0)

ax.set_xlabel('segment length $a$', fontsize = 18)
ax.set_ylabel(r'$\langle R^2 \rangle$', fontsize = 18)
labelfontsize = 15.0

for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
    tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
    tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

xVals = np.linspace(0.0, 1.05e-2, 500)
yVals = np.array([N * a ** 2 for a in xVals])
ax.plot(xVals, yVals,
        lw = 2.0, color = 'C0', label = r'$\langle R^2 \rangle = Na^2$')

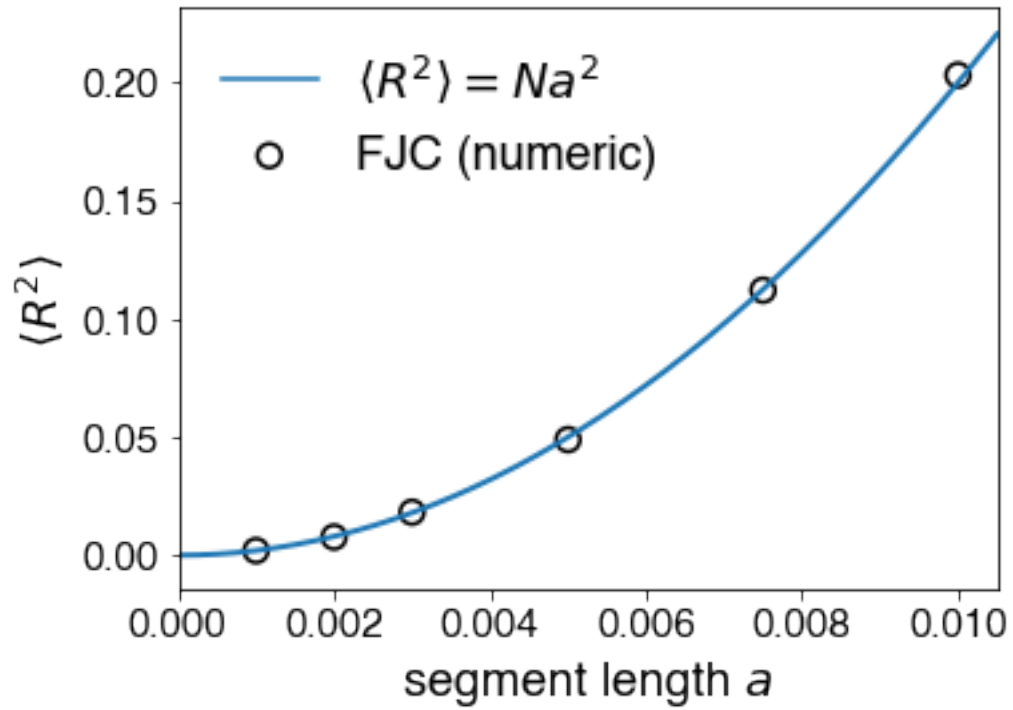
ax.scatter(X, Y, color = 'k',
          s = 80,
          marker = 'o',
          facecolors = 'None',
          edgecolors = 'k',
          linewidth = 1.5,
          label = r'FJC (numeric)', zorder = 2)

ax.set_xlim(0.0, 1.05e-2)
#ax.set_ylim(-0.0005, 0.0062)

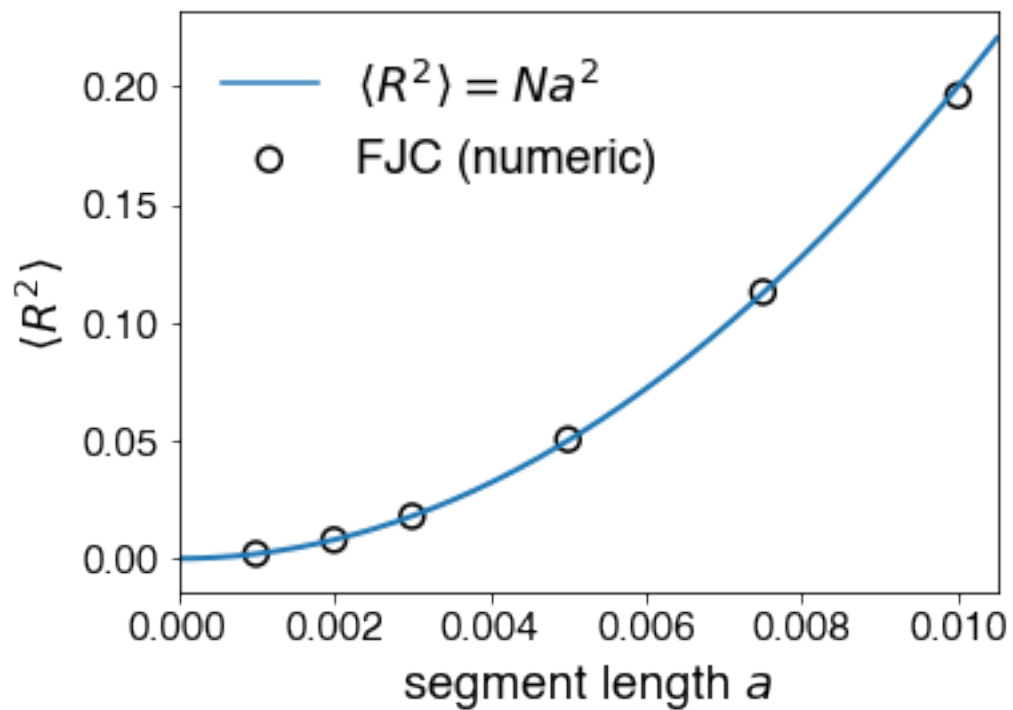
leg = ax.legend(scatterpoints = 1,
               markerscale = 1.0,
               ncol = 1,
               fontsize = 18)
for i, legobj in enumerate(leg.legendHandles):
    legobj.set_linewidth(1.5)
leg.draw_frame(False)
return None

In [32]: stepSizes_ex3 = np.array([1.0e-3, 2.0e-3, 3.0e-3, 5.0e-3, 7.5e-3, 1.0e-2])
plot_msd_FJC_a(stepSizes_ex3, res_ex3, N = 2000.0)

```



```
In [33]: stepSizes_ex3 = np.array([1.0e-3, 2.0e-3, 3.0e-3, 5.0e-3, 7.5e-3, 1.0e-2])
         plot_msd_FJC_a(stepSizes_ex3, res_ex3_vec, N = 2000.0)
```



## 1.6 Assay 4 FRC mean-squared-end-to-end vector as a function of N

```
In [34]: %%time
np.random.seed(923456789) # fix random seed
m = 2000 # number of independent configurations
sampleLengths_ex4 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
X_ex4, Y_ex4 = FRC(sampleLengths_ex4, m)

np.savetxt('./assay_4_xdata.txt', X_ex4, fmt = '%.8f')
np.savetxt('./assay_4_ydata.txt', Y_ex4, fmt = '%.8f')

totalIterations = 5000
CPU times: user 3min 6s, sys: 1.77 s, total: 3min 7s
Wall time: 3min 10s
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In [36]: %%time
# vectorized version
np.random.seed(923456789) # fix random seed
m = 2000 # number of independent configurations
sampleLengths_ex4 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
X_ex4_vec, Y_ex4_vec = FRC_wrapper(sampleLengths_ex4, m)

CPU times: user 811 ms, sys: 10.1 ms, total: 821 ms
Wall time: 839 ms
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In [37]: def plot_msd_FRC(X, Y, a = 1.0e-3, theta = 0.2 * np.pi):

    f, ax = plt.subplots(1)
    f.set_size_inches(5.5, 4.0)

    ax.set_xlabel('chain length  $N$ ', fontsize = 18)
    ax.set_ylabel(r' $\langle R^2 \rangle$ ', fontsize = 18)
    labelfontsize = 15.0
    for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
    for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

    xVals = np.linspace(0.0, 6000.0, 500)
    yVals = np.array([N * a ** 2 * FloryC(theta) for N in xVals])
    ax.plot(xVals, yVals,
            lw = 2.0,
            color = 'C3',
            label = r' $\langle R^2 \rangle = C_{\infty}(\theta) N a^2$ ',
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        zorder = 1)

ax.scatter(X, Y, color = 'k',
          s = 80,
          marker = 'o',
          facecolors = 'None',
          edgecolors = 'k',
          linewidth = 1.5,
          zorder = 2,
          label = r'FRC (numeric)')

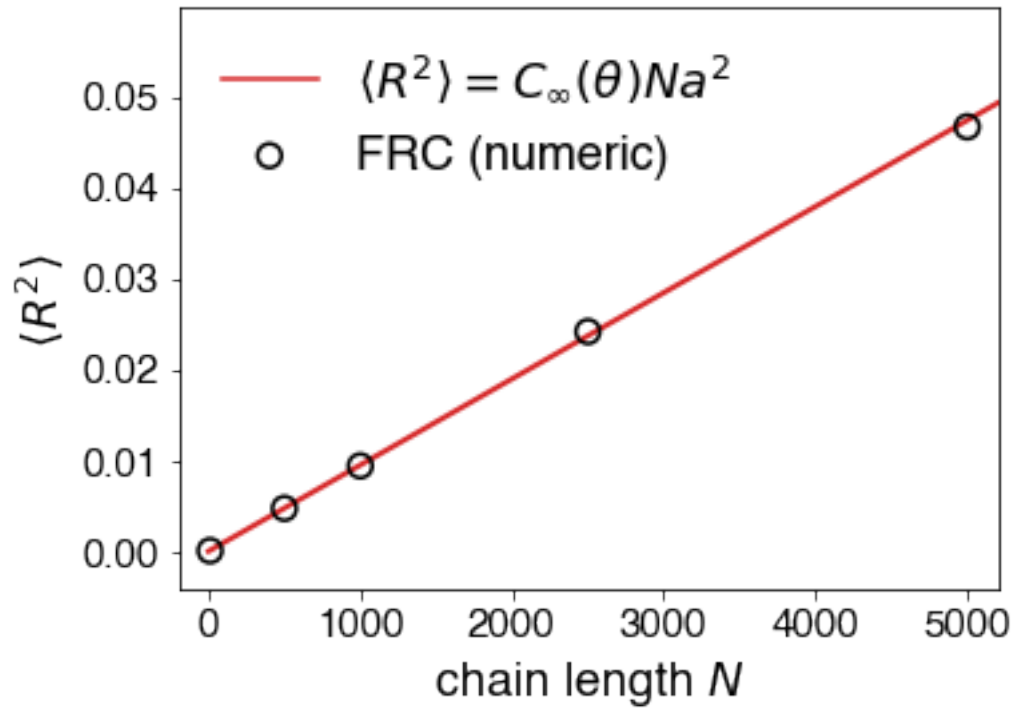
ax.set_xlim(-200.0, 5200.0)
#ax.set_ylim(-0.0005, 0.0062)

leg = ax.legend(scatterpoints = 1,
               markerscale = 1.0,
               ncol = 1,
               fontsize = 18)
for i, legobj in enumerate(leg.legendHandles):
    legobj.set_linewidth(1.5)
leg.draw_frame(False)
return None

In [38]: file = './assay_4_xdata.txt'
X_ex4 = np.genfromtxt(file)
file = './assay_4_ydata.txt'
Y_ex4 = np.genfromtxt(file)

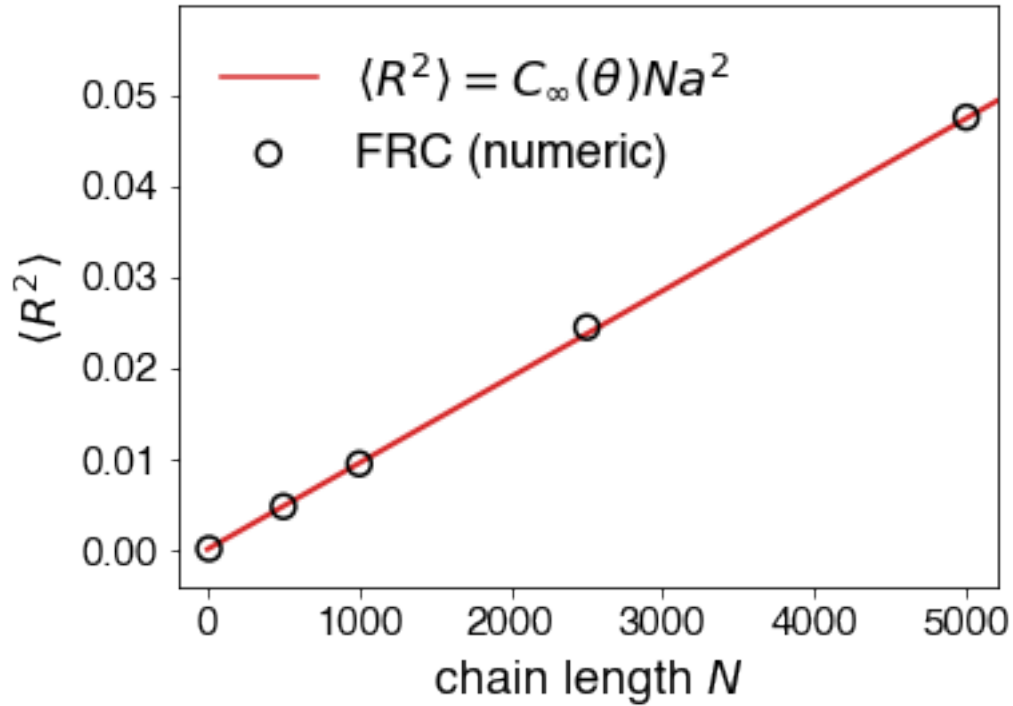
In [39]: sampleLengths_ex4 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
msd_ex4 = get_msd(X_ex4, Y_ex4, sampleLengths_ex4)
plot_msd_FRC(sampleLengths_ex4, msd_ex4)

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In [40]: # visualization of the same result, using the vectorized FRC code
sampleLengths_ex4 = np.array([10, 500, 1000, 2500, 5000])
msd_ex4_vec = get_msd(X_ex4_vec, Y_ex4_vec, sampleLengths_ex4)
plot_msd_FRC(sampleLengths_ex4, msd_ex4_vec)
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The proportionality factor here is Flory's characteristic ratio  $C_\infty$ , which for the freely rotating chain model is

$$C_\infty(\theta) = \frac{1 + \cos(\theta)}{1 - \cos(\theta)}. \quad (7)$$

With this, the MSD for the FRC model is of course

$$\langle R^2 \rangle = C_\infty(\theta)Na^2 = \frac{1 + \cos(\theta)}{1 - \cos(\theta)} Na^2. \quad (8)$$

## 1.7 Assay 5 FRC mean-squared-end-to-end vector as a function of the rotation angle $\theta$

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In [41]: %%time
np.random.seed(123456789)
m = 1000 # number of independent configurations
N = 2000

sampleLengths_ex5 = np.array([N])

thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi, \
                    0.1 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, np.pi])

res_ex5 = np.zeros((len(thetas)))
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    for i, theta in enumerate(thetas):
        print("theta", theta)
        tmpX, tmpY = FRC(sampleLengths_ex5, m, a = 1.0e-3, theta = theta)
        tmpMSD = get_msd(tmpX, tmpY, sampleLengths_ex5)
        res_ex5[i] = tmpMSD[0]

    np.savetxt('./assay_5_msd.txt', res_ex5, fmt = '%.8f')

theta 0.06283185307179587
totalIterations = 2000
theta 0.15707963267948966
totalIterations = 2000
theta 0.3141592653589793
totalIterations = 2000
theta 0.9424777960769379
totalIterations = 2000
theta 1.8849555921538759
totalIterations = 2000
theta 3.141592653589793
totalIterations = 2000
CPU times: user 3min 47s, sys: 2.35 s, total: 3min 49s
Wall time: 3min 54s

In [43]: file = './assay_5_msd.txt'
        res_ex5 = np.genfromtxt(file)
        print(res_ex5.shape)

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In [44]: %%time
        np.random.seed(123456789)
        m = 1000 # number of independent configurations
        N = 2000

        sampleLengths_ex5 = np.array([N])

        thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi, \
                           0.1 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, np.pi])

        res_ex5_vec = np.zeros((len(thetas)))

        for i, theta in enumerate(thetas):
            print("theta", theta)
            tmpX, tmpY = FRC_wrapper(sampleLengths_ex5, m, a = 1.0e-3, theta = theta)
            tmpMSD = get_msd(tmpX, tmpY, sampleLengths_ex5)
            res_ex5_vec[i] = tmpMSD[0]

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theta 0.06283185307179587
theta 0.15707963267948966
theta 0.3141592653589793
theta 0.9424777960769379
theta 1.8849555921538759
theta 3.141592653589793
CPU times: user 1.2 s, sys: 16.4 ms, total: 1.22 s
Wall time: 1.24 s

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In [45]: def plot_msd_FRC_theta(X, Y, N = 2000.0, a = 1.0e-3):

    f, ax = plt.subplots(1)
    f.set_size_inches(5.5, 4.0)

    ax.set_xlabel(r'rotation angle  $\theta$ ', fontsize = 18)
    ax.set_ylabel(r' $\langle R^2 \rangle$ ', fontsize = 18)
    labelfontsize = 15.0
    for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
    for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

    xVals = np.linspace(0.05, 1.2 * np.pi, 500)
    yVals = np.array([N * a ** 2 * FloryC(theta) for theta in xVals])
    ax.plot(xVals, yVals,
            lw = 2.0,
            color = 'C3',
            label = r' $\langle R^2 \rangle = C_{\infty}(\theta)Na^2$ ',
            zorder = 1)
    ax.scatter(X, Y, color = 'k',
              s = 80,
              marker = 'o',
              facecolors = 'None',
              edgecolors = 'k',
              linewidth = 1.5,
              zorder = 2,
              label = r'FRC (numeric)')

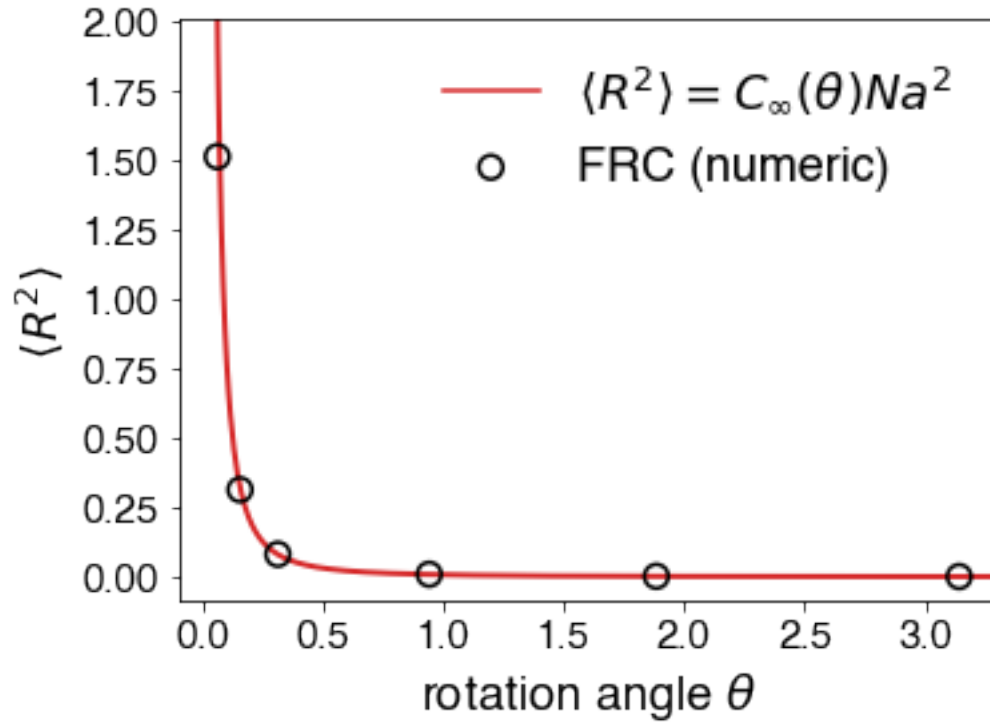
    ax.set_xlim(-0.1, 1.05 * np.pi)
    ax.set_ylim(-0.085, 2.0062)

    leg = ax.legend(scatterpoints = 1,
                    markerscale = 1.0,
                    ncol = 1,
                    fontsize = 18)
    for i, legobj in enumerate(leg.legendHandles):
        legobj.set_linewidth(1.5)

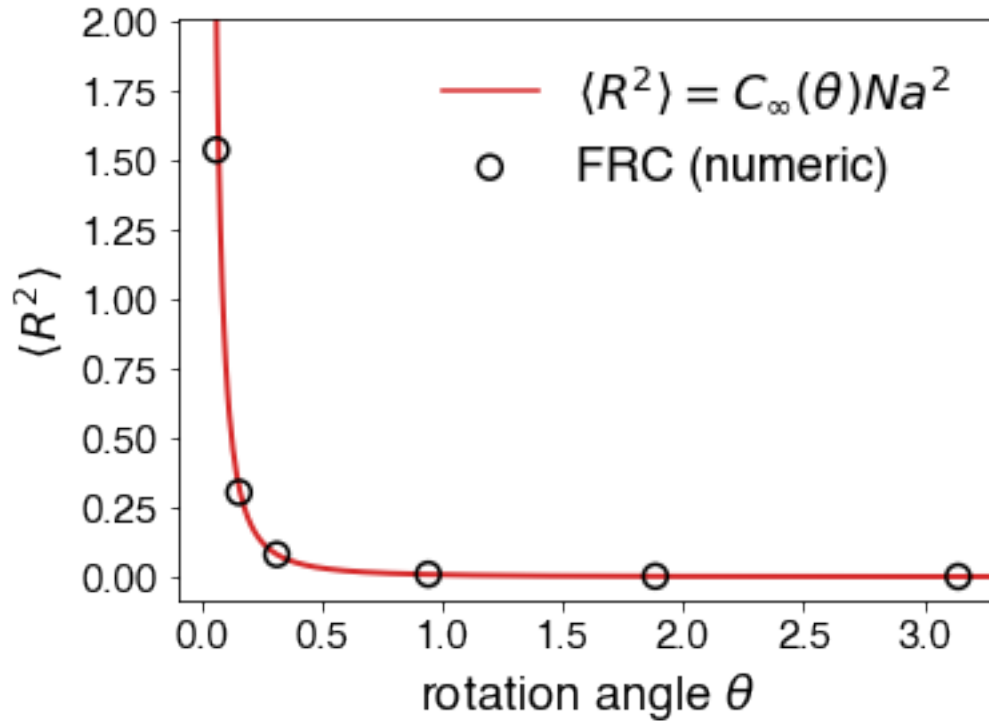
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leg.draw_frame(False)
return None
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In [46]: thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi,\
                           0.1 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, np.pi])
plot_msd_FRC_theta(thetas, res_ex5, N = 2000.0)
```



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In [47]: # visualization of the same result using the vectorized version of the FRC model
thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi,\
                   0.1 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, np.pi])
plot_msd_FRC_theta(thetas, res_ex5_vec, N = 2000.0)
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In [48]: def plot_msd_FRC_theta_LOG(X, Y, N = 2000.0, a = 1.0e-3):

    f, ax = plt.subplots(1)
    f.set_size_inches(5.5, 4.0)

    ax.set_xlabel(r'rotation angle $\theta$', fontsize = 18)
    ax.set_ylabel(r'$\langle R^2 \rangle$', fontsize = 18)
    labelfontsize = 15.0
    for tick in ax.xaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)
    for tick in ax.yaxis.get_major_ticks():
        tick.label.set_fontsize(labelfontsize)

    xVals = np.linspace(0.01, 1.2 * np.pi, 500)
    yVals = np.array([N * a ** 2 * FloryC(theta) for theta in xVals])
    ax.plot(xVals, yVals,
            lw = 2.0,
            color = 'C3',
            label = r'$\langle R^2 \rangle = C_{\infty}(\theta)Na^2$',
            zorder = 1)
    ax.scatter(X, Y, color = 'k',
              s = 80,
              marker = 'o',
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        facecolors = 'None',
        edgecolors = 'k',
        linewidth = 1.5,
        zorder = 2,
        label = r'FRC (numeric)')

ax.set_xlim(-0.1, 1.05 * np.pi)
ax.set_ylim(1.0e-9, 5.1)

ax.set_yscale('log')

leg = ax.legend(scatterpoints = 1,
                markerscale = 1.0,
                ncol = 1,
                fontsize = 18)
for i, legobj in enumerate(leg.legendHandles):
    legobj.set_linewidth(1.5)
leg.draw_frame(False)
return None

In [49]: %%time
np.random.seed(123456789)
m = 10000 # number of independent configurations
N = 2000

sampleLengths_ex6 = np.array([N])

thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi,\
                    0.1 * np.pi, 0.2 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.4 * np.pi,\
                    0.5 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, 0.7 * np.pi, 0.8 * np.pi,\
                    0.9 * np.pi, 0.95 * np.pi, 0.98 * np.pi, 0.99 * np.pi])

res_ex6_vec = np.zeros((len(thetas)))

for i, theta in enumerate(thetas):
    print("theta", theta)
    tmpX, tmpY = FRC_wrapper(sampleLengths_ex6, m, a = 1.0e-3, theta = theta)
    tmpMSD = get_msd(tmpX, tmpY, sampleLengths_ex6)
    res_ex6_vec[i] = tmpMSD[0]

theta 0.06283185307179587
theta 0.15707963267948966
theta 0.3141592653589793
theta 0.6283185307179586
theta 0.9424777960769379
theta 1.2566370614359172
theta 1.5707963267948966
theta 1.8849555921538759

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theta 2.199114857512855
theta 2.5132741228718345
theta 2.827433388230814
theta 2.9845130209103035
theta 3.078760800517997
theta 3.1101767270538954
CPU times: user 26.6 s, sys: 191 ms, total: 26.7 s
Wall time: 27.1 s

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In [50]: # visualization of the same result using the vectorized version of the FRC model
thetas = np.array([0.02 * np.pi, 0.05 * np.pi,\
                    0.1 * np.pi, 0.2 * np.pi, 0.3 * np.pi, 0.4 * np.pi,\
                    0.5 * np.pi, 0.6 * np.pi, 0.7 * np.pi, 0.8 * np.pi,\
                    0.9 * np.pi, 0.95 * np.pi, 0.98 * np.pi, 0.99 * np.pi])
plot_msd_FRC_theta_LOG(thetas, res_ex6_vec, N = 2000.0)
# print(res_ex6_vec)

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