

Kinks effective dynamics under slow POSITIVE oscillations

#twokinks

#1D

#constantC

If $C(t)$ is

- **Strictly positive** $C(t) > 0 \forall t$
- And its **oscillations are slow** ($T \gg \tau_c$)

following the idea presented in [Kink effective dynamics.pdf](#) (and generalized for C constant \rightarrow slow oscillations limit in [Kink effective dynamics under slow POSITIVE oscillations \(theory\)](#)) it is possible to describe the evolution dictated by the TDGL with an **effective law** for the velocity of each kink. If x_n is the position of the n -th kink (the n -th zero of $u(x)$) and $l_n \equiv x_{n+1} - x_n$ is the length of the n -th domain:

$$\dot{x}_n(t) = 16C^{\frac{1}{2}}(t) \frac{[e^{-2^{\frac{1}{2}}C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}l_n} - e^{-2^{\frac{1}{2}}C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}l_{n+1}}]}{\int_{\chi_{n-0.5}}^{\chi_{n+0.5}} d\chi \partial_{\chi} u_p(\chi)}$$

where $u_p(\chi)$ is the periodic stationary state with period $(\chi_{n+1} - \chi_{n+1})$ and $\chi_n = C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}x_n$. If there are only two kinks and PBC boundaries are adopted (so if the distance from the right is d then the distance from the left is $L - d$) the distance $d(t)$ will decrease in this way ($L > d$)

$$\dot{d}(t) = -2 * 16C^{\frac{1}{2}}(t) \frac{[e^{-2^{\frac{1}{2}}C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}d} - e^{-2^{\frac{1}{2}}C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}(L-d)}]}{\int_{\chi_{n-0.5}}^{\chi_{n+0.5}} d\chi \partial_{\chi} u_p(\chi)}$$

Where the integral at the denominator can be approximated by the integral of the single-kink stationary state and the integration is carried on the whole real axis:

$$\int_{\chi_{n-0.5}}^{\chi_{n+0.5}} d\chi \partial_{\chi} u_p(\chi) \simeq \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\chi u_k(\chi) = I_1$$

where I_1 has been calculated in the [Master Report.pdf](#) and $I_1 = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$.

If also the smaller exponential is neglected, in the limit $L \gg d$

$$\dot{d}(t) \simeq -24\sqrt{2}C^{\frac{1}{2}}(t)e^{-2^{\frac{1}{2}}C(t)^{\frac{1}{2}}d}$$

Annihilation time

To estimate the time-scale of the annihilation process, we consider the case where C is constant. The solution to the differential equation for \dot{d} is

$$d(t) = A + \log(\alpha(t_c - t))$$

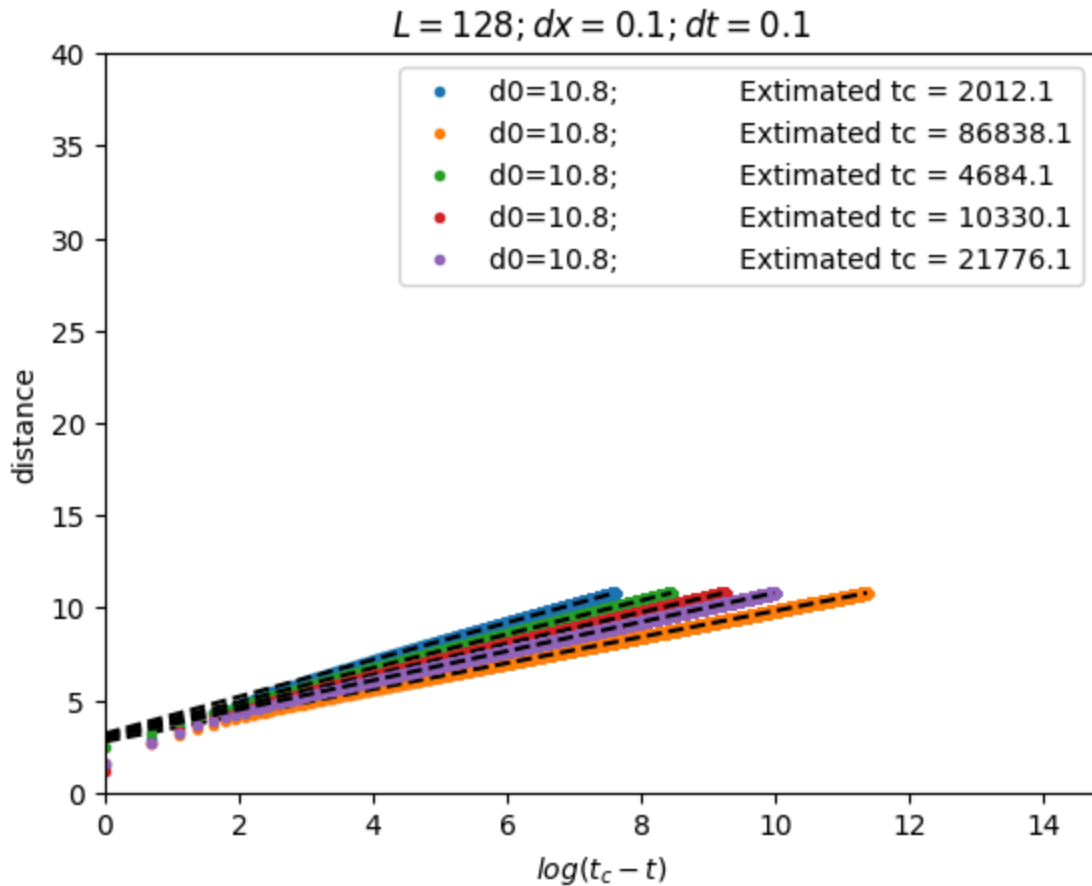
$A = (2C)^{-0.5}$; $\alpha = 48C$ and the annihilation time is

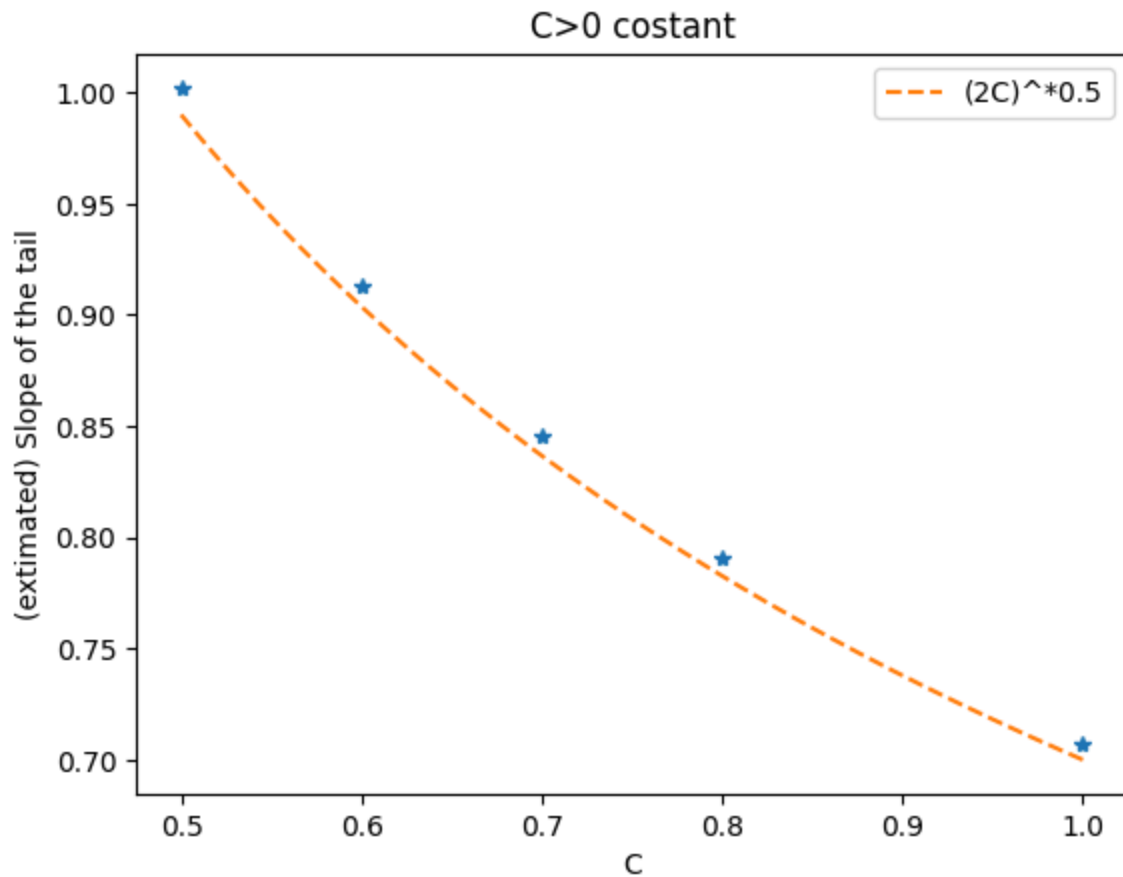
$$t_c = \frac{e^{d_0/A}}{\alpha} = \frac{e^{d_0(2C)^{0.5}}}{48C}$$

Simulations

C is constant

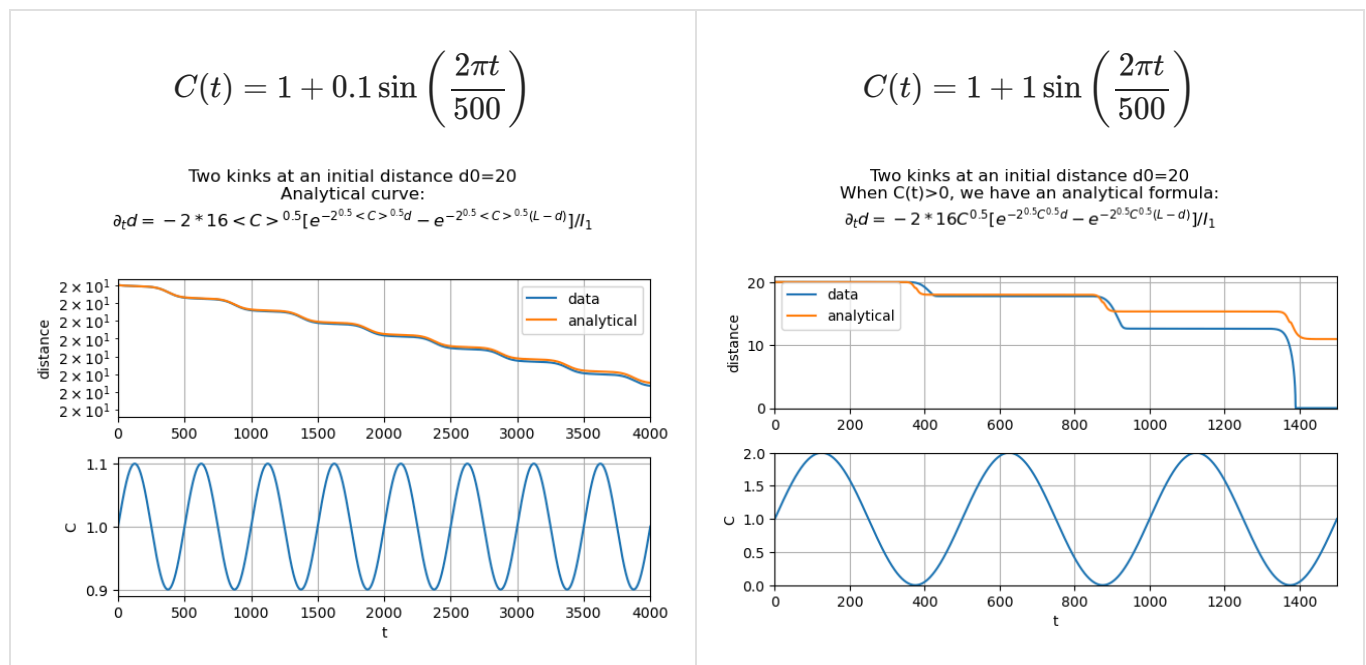
In this case, we can verify the predicted result that prefactor of the logarithm, is $(2C)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$.





C(t) is a slow and positive oscillation

Here we can compare the expected law for \dot{d} with a numerical simulation. Here the equation for \dot{d} is integrated with Explicit Euler.

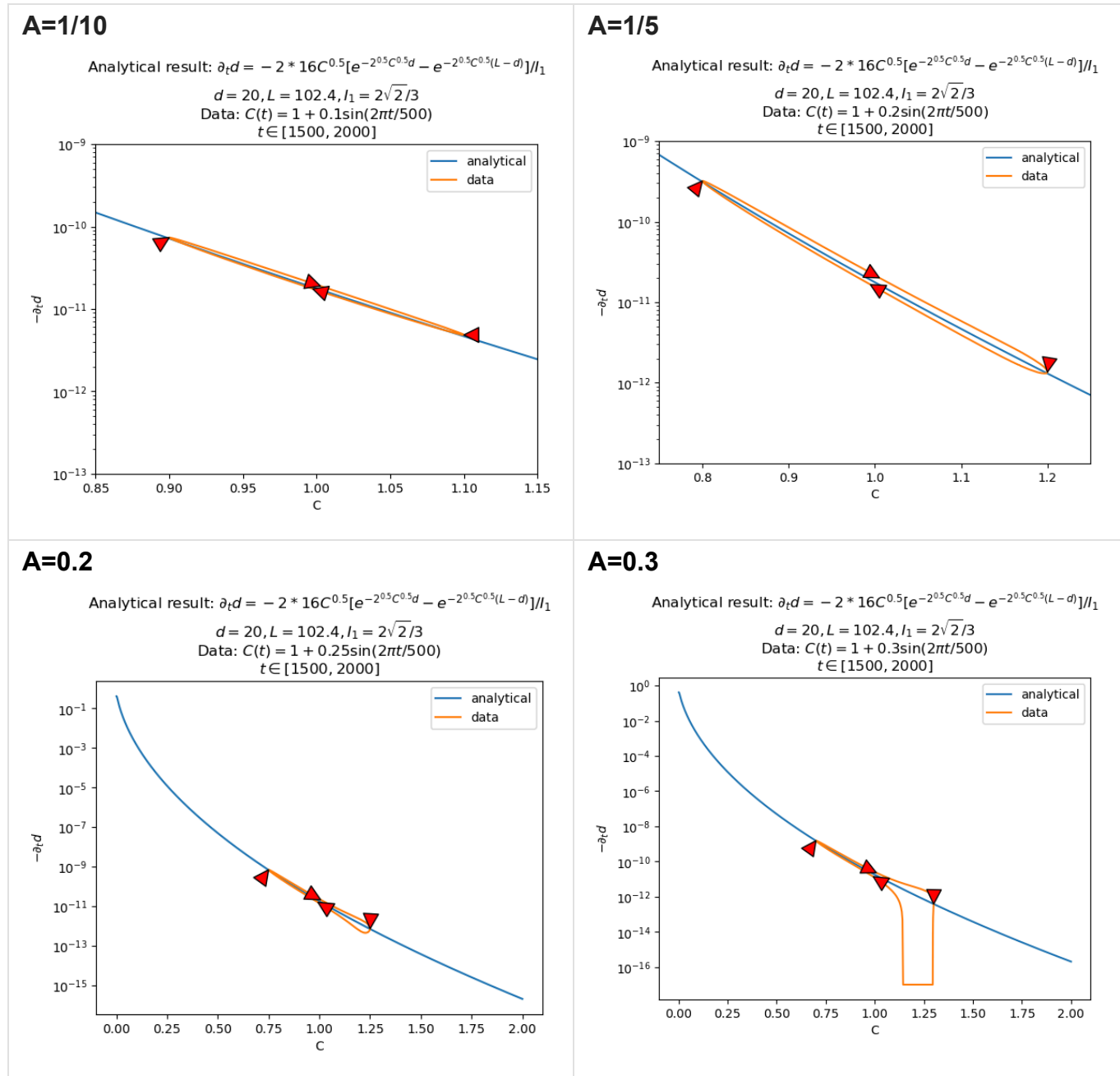


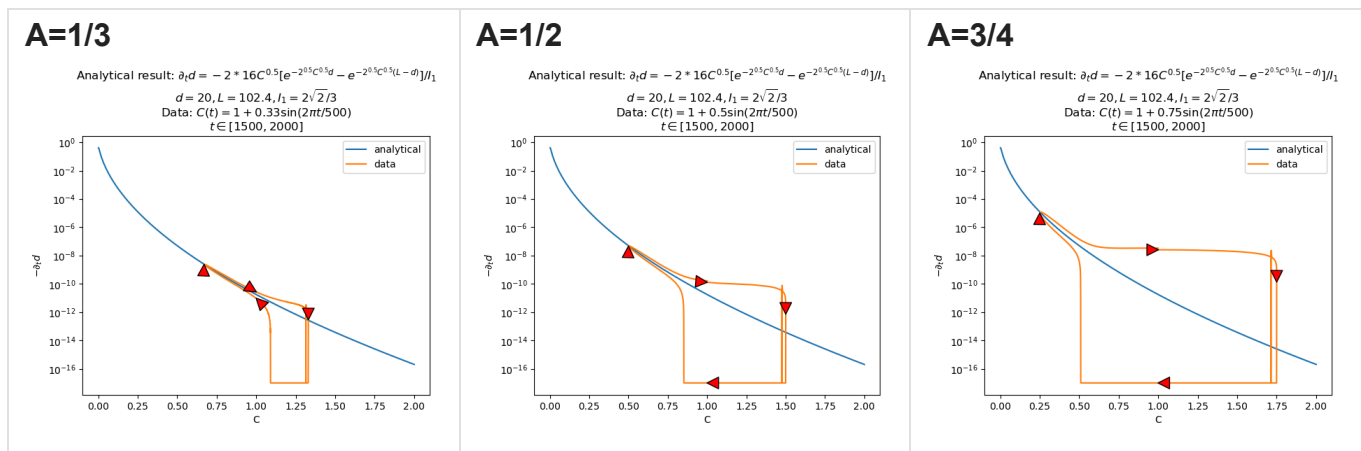
There isn't a good match when $A = 1$, probably because the distance decays when C is very close to zero and there **the intrinsic timescale of the problem** $\tau_C \sim C^{-1}$ **diverges**, so we are no more in the limit of slow oscillations.

Comparing $\partial_t d$

Below, if the measured value of $\partial_t d$ is less than 1e-15, then it is put to 1e-17.

$$\bar{C} = 1; T = 500$$



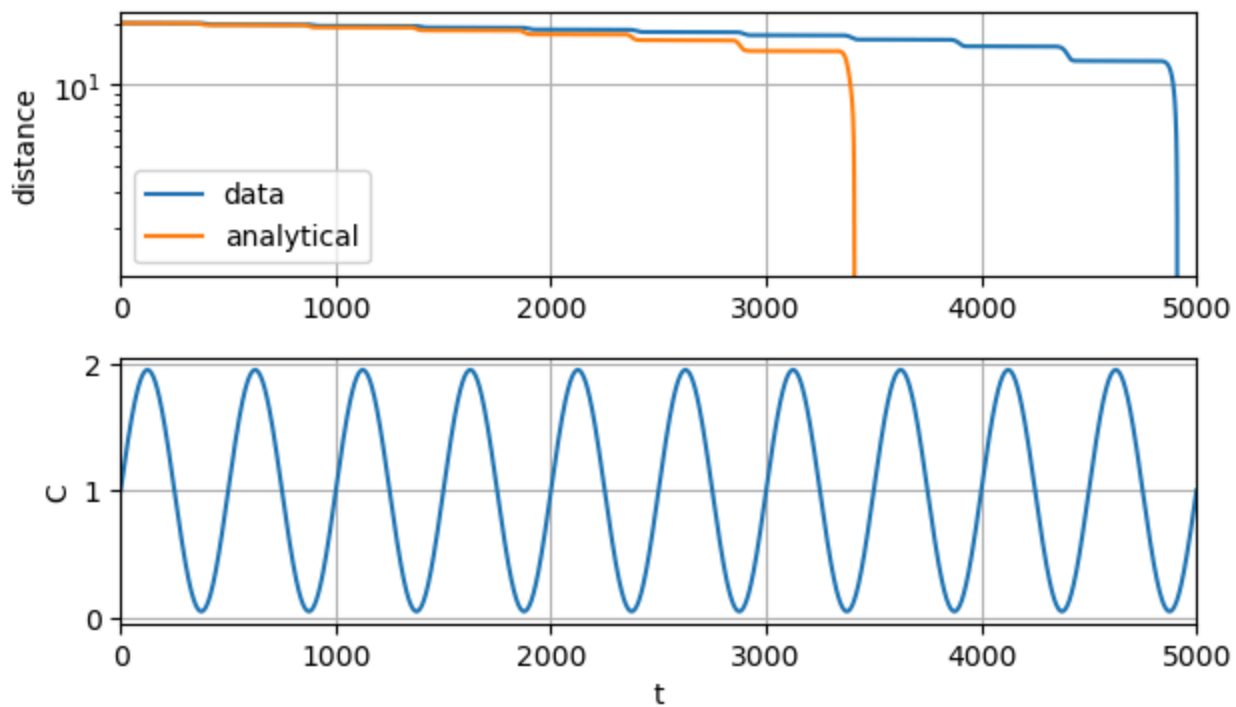


An if $C(t)$ gets too close to zero (**A=0.95**)

Two kinks at an initial distance $d_0=20$

Analytical curve:

$$\partial_t d = -2 * 16 < C >^{0.5} [e^{-2^{0.5} < C >^{0.5} d} - e^{-2^{0.5} < C >^{0.5} (L-d)}] / l_1$$

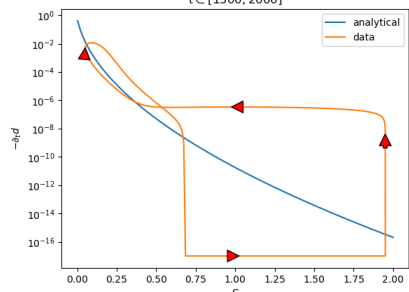


Analytical result: $\partial_t d = -2 * 16C^{0.5}[e^{-2^{0.5}C^{0.5}d} - e^{-2^{0.5}C^{0.5}(L-d)}]/l_1$

$d = 20, L = 102.4, l_1 = 2\sqrt{2}/3$

Data: $C(t) = 1 + 0.95\sin(2\pi t/500)$

$t \in [1500, 2000]$

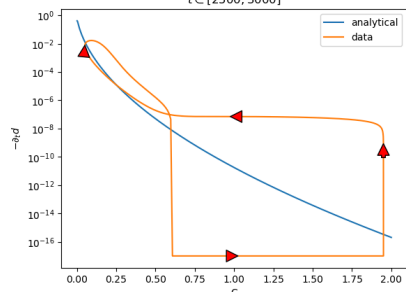


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$d = 20, L = 102.4, l_1 = 2\sqrt{2}/3$

Data: $C(t) = 1 + 0.95\sin(2\pi t/500)$

$t \in [2500, 3000]$



Analytical result: $\partial_t d = -2 * 16C^{0.5}[e^{-2^{0.5}C^{0.5}d} - e^{-2^{0.5}C^{0.5}(L-d)}]/l_1$

$d = 20, L = 102.4, l_1 = 2\sqrt{2}/3$

Data: $C(t) = 1 + 0.95\sin(2\pi t/500)$

$t \in [3500, 4000]$

