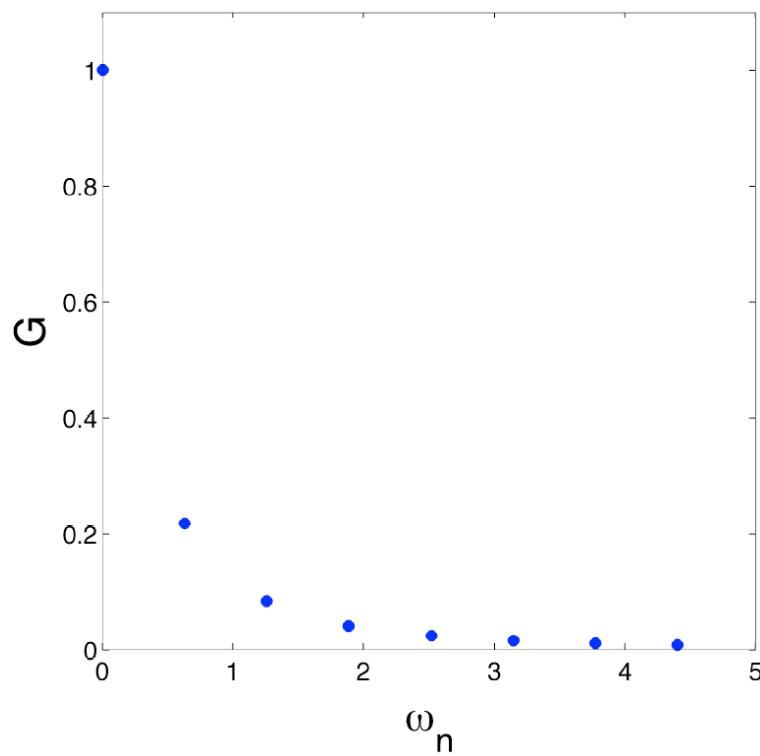


Analytic continuation

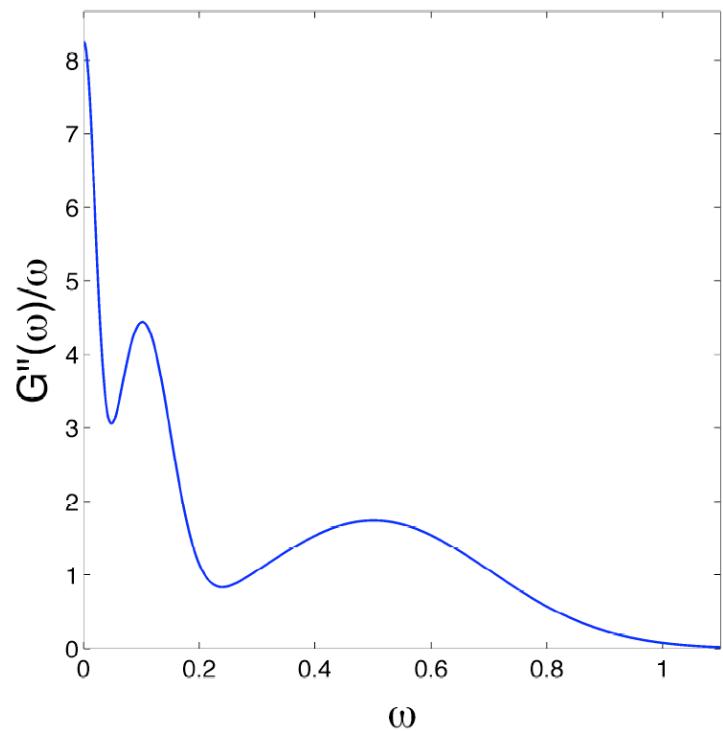
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The analytic continuation problem

$$G(i\omega_n) \Rightarrow G(\omega)?$$



\Rightarrow



Analytically : $i\omega_n \rightarrow \omega + i\eta : G^R(\omega)$

Numerically?

Simplest approach : exact fitting

Padé approximant : $P_N(z) = \frac{A_N(z)}{B_N(z)} = \frac{a_1}{1 + \frac{a_2(z - z_1)}{1 + \frac{a_3(z - z_2)}{\dots + \frac{1}{1 + a_N(z - z_{N-1})}}}}$

$P_N(i\omega_n) = G(i\omega_n), \quad n = 1 \dots N$

$a_n = g_{n,n}, \quad g_{1,n} = G(i\omega_n),$

$\Rightarrow g_{i,j} = \frac{g_{i-1,i-1} - g_{i-1,j}}{(i\omega_j - i\omega_{i-1})g_{i-1,j}}$

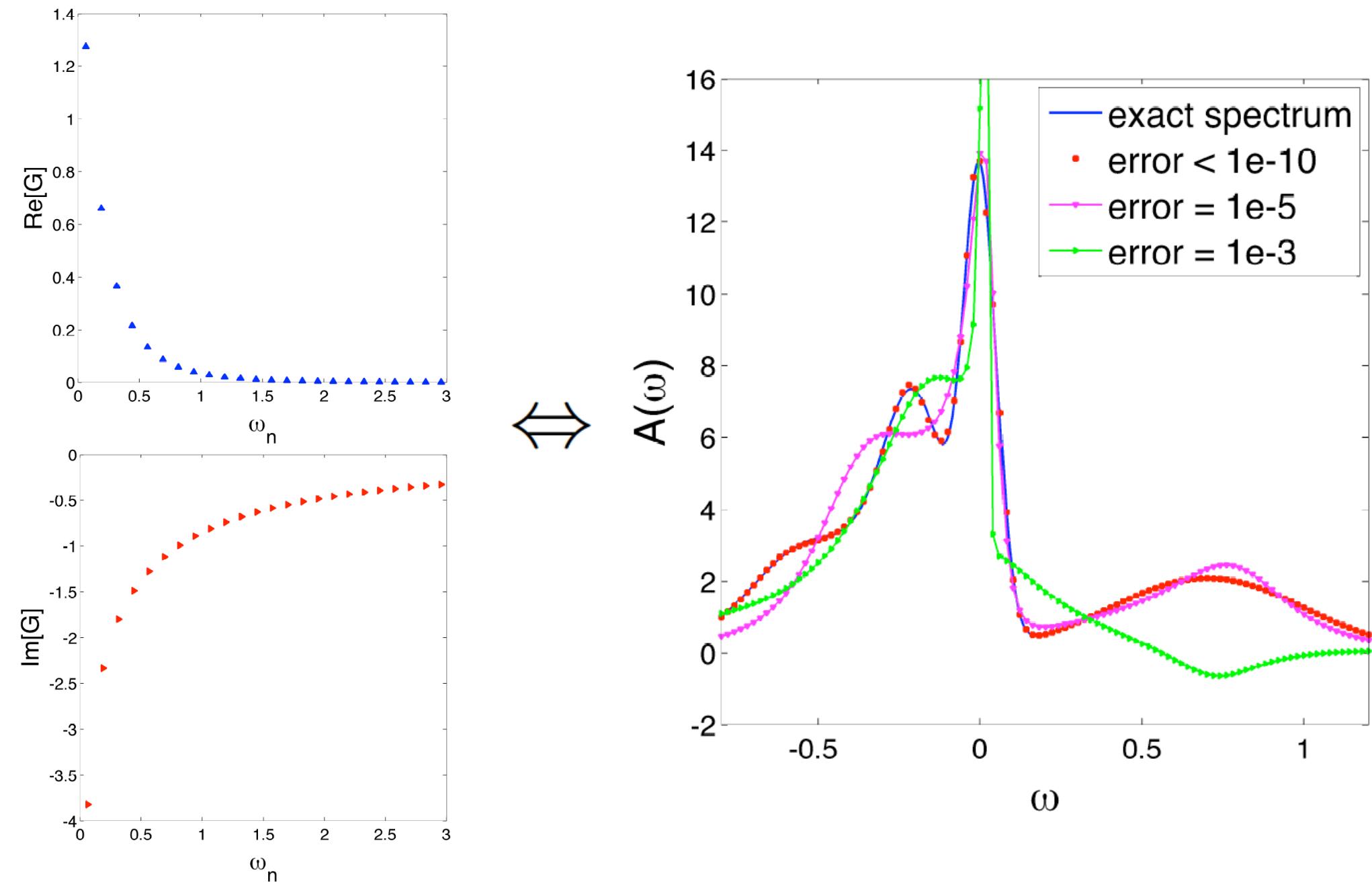
$\Rightarrow A_{n+1}(z) = A_n(z) + a_{n+1}(z - z_n)A_{n-1}(z)$

$B_{n+1}(z) = B_n(z) + a_{n+1}(z - z_n)B_{n-1}(z)$

$A_0 = 0, A_1 = a_1, B_0 = B_1 = 1$

Then $z \rightarrow \omega + i\eta$ with small finite η

Padé approximant : example



Regression using spectral representation

Can we invert $G(i\omega_n) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \frac{A(\omega)}{i\omega_n - \omega}$.

or

$$G(\tau) = - \int \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \frac{e^{-\omega\tau} A(\omega)}{1 \pm e^{-\beta\omega}} \quad ?$$

⇒ Problem: discrete approximation $G = \mathbf{K}A$ is ill-conditioned : $\frac{\|\delta A\|}{\|A\|}$ can be large, even if $\frac{\|\delta G\|}{\|G\|}$ is small.

⇒ Regularization required (constraints)

Maximum entropy

Bayes rule: $P(A|G) = \frac{P(G|A)P(A)}{P(G)}$

Likelihood:
$$P(G|A) \propto e^{-\frac{\chi^2}{2}}$$

$$\chi^2 = (G - \mathbf{K}A)^T \mathbf{C}^{-1} (G - \mathbf{K}A)$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^N (G^i - \bar{G})(G^i - \bar{G})^T$$

Prior:
$$P(A) \propto e^{\alpha S}$$

$$S = - \int \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} A(\omega) \ln \frac{A(\omega)}{D(\omega)}$$

$D(\omega)$: default model

Maximum entropy

$$\Rightarrow P(A|G) \propto e^{\alpha S - \frac{\chi^2}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\min_A \left(\frac{\chi^2}{2} - \alpha S \right)}$$

Why entropy S as regularization?

- 1) Does not induce false correlations.
- 2) Imposes $A(\omega) > 0$

Other advantages of MaxEnt:

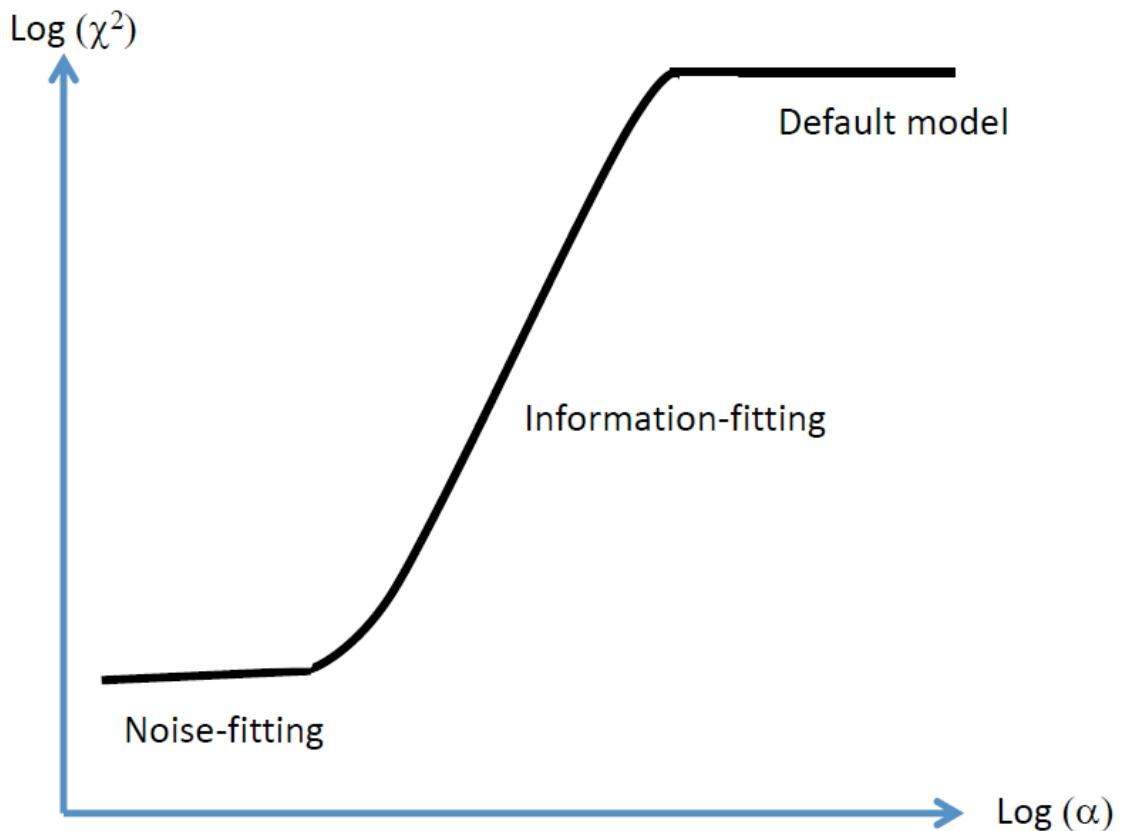
- high tolerance to noise
- easy inclusion of constraints (Bayesian)

Maximum entropy: choosing α

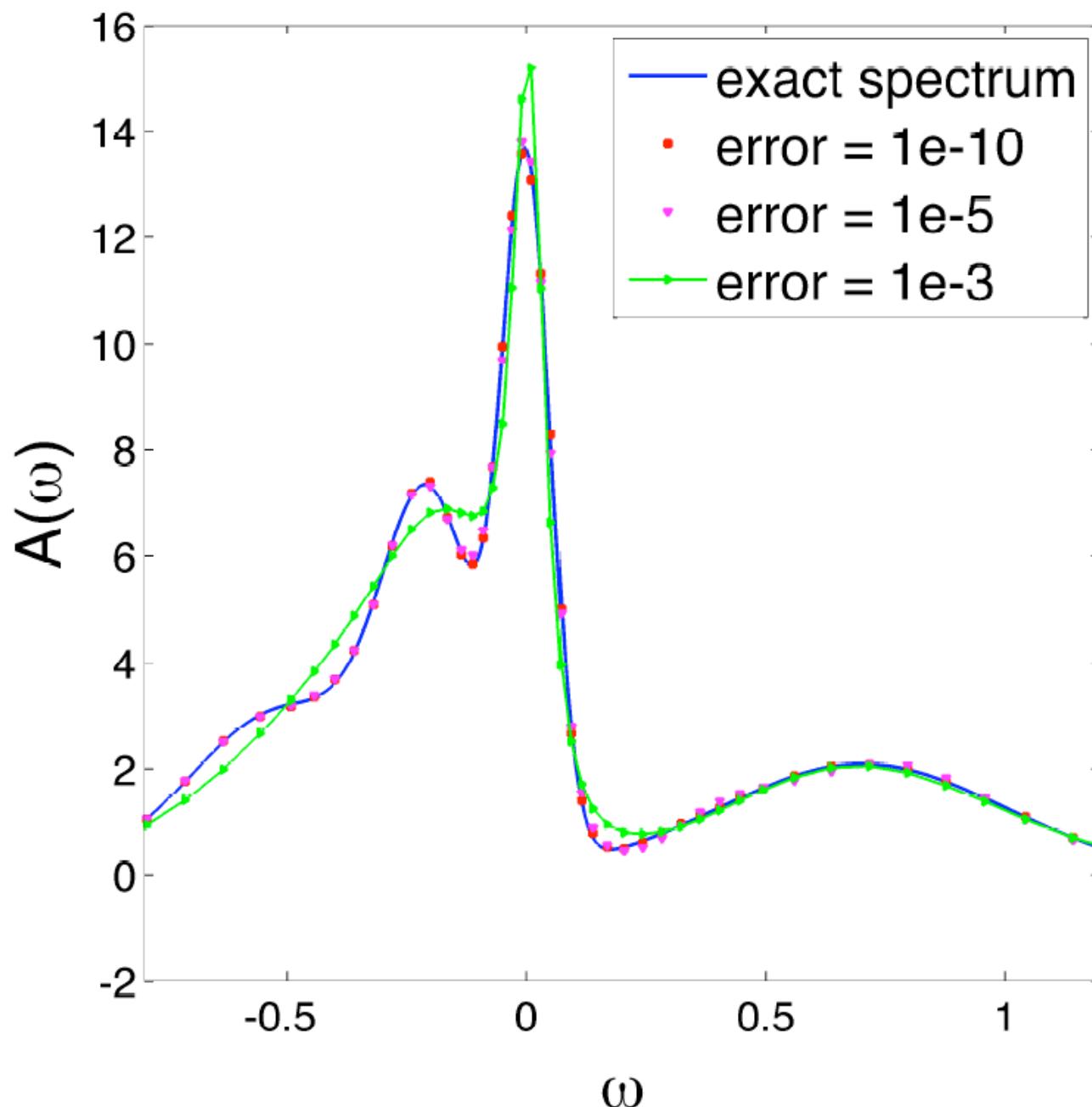
Old method : Bayesian inference

$$\Rightarrow P(\alpha|G) \propto \frac{P(\alpha)}{Z_\alpha^S} \int \mathcal{D}A e^{\alpha S - \frac{\chi^2}{2}}$$

New method :



Maximum entropy : example

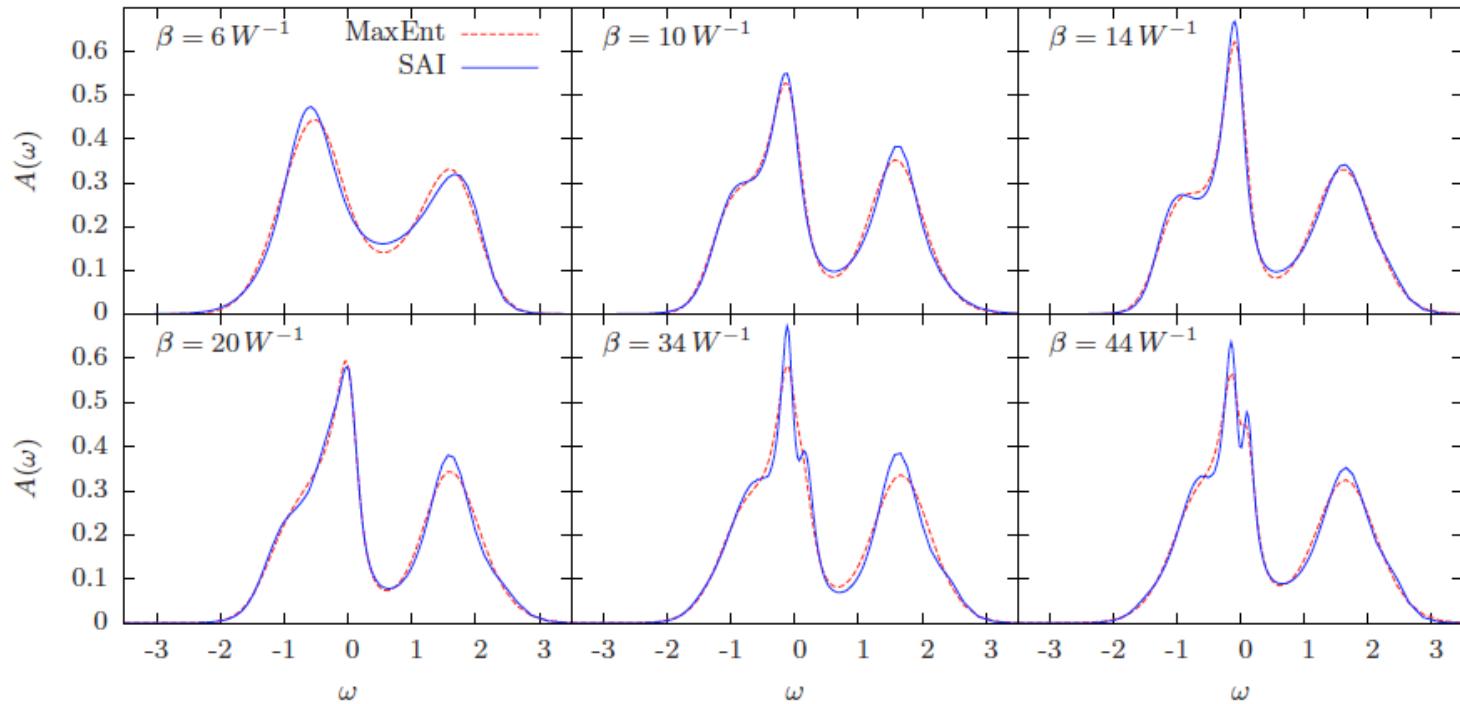


Stochastic analytic continuation

Use Monte Carlo sampling to compute

$$\langle A \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int D A e^{-\chi^2[A]/\alpha} A$$

$$Z = \int D A e^{-\chi^2[A]/\alpha}$$



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Non positive spectral functions

$$C_{AB}(\tau) = -\langle T_\tau A(\tau)B \rangle$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{ll} \text{Fermions : } & \text{Im}[C_{AA^\dagger}^R(\omega)] < 0 \\ \text{Bosons : } & \frac{\text{Im}[C_{AA^\dagger}^R(\omega)]}{\omega} < 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{MaxEnt}$$

In general, $\text{Im}[C_{AB}^R(\omega)] \not< 0$ (f), $\frac{\text{Im}[C_{AB}^R(\omega)]}{\omega} \not< 0$ (b)

⇒ Direct MaxEnt not possible

Solution : auxiliary Green functions

MaxEntAux

$$\boxed{O = A + \mu B^\dagger, \\ P = A + i\nu B^\dagger}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} R(\tau) = C_{OO^\dagger}(\tau) - C_{AA^\dagger}(\tau) - \mu^2 C_{B^\dagger B}(\tau) \\ \quad = \mu [C_{AB}(\tau) + C_{B^\dagger A^\dagger}(\tau)] \\ S(\tau) = C_{PP^\dagger}(\tau) - C_{AA^\dagger}(\tau) - \nu^2 C_{B^\dagger B}(\tau) \\ \quad = -i\nu [C_{AB}(\tau) - C_{B^\dagger A^\dagger}(\tau)], \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{C_{AB}^R(\omega) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{\mu} R^R(\omega) + i \frac{1}{\nu} S^R(\omega) \right] \\ R^R(\omega) = C_{OO^\dagger}^R(\omega) - C_{AA^\dagger}^R(\omega) - \mu^2 C_{B^\dagger B}^R(\omega) \\ S^R(\omega) = C_{PP^\dagger}^R(\omega) - C_{AA^\dagger}^R(\omega) - \nu^2 C_{B^\dagger B}^R(\omega)}$$

MaxEntAux

$$Im[C_{AB}^R(\omega)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{\mu} Im[R^R(\omega)] + \frac{1}{\nu} Re[S^R(\omega)] \right] ?$$

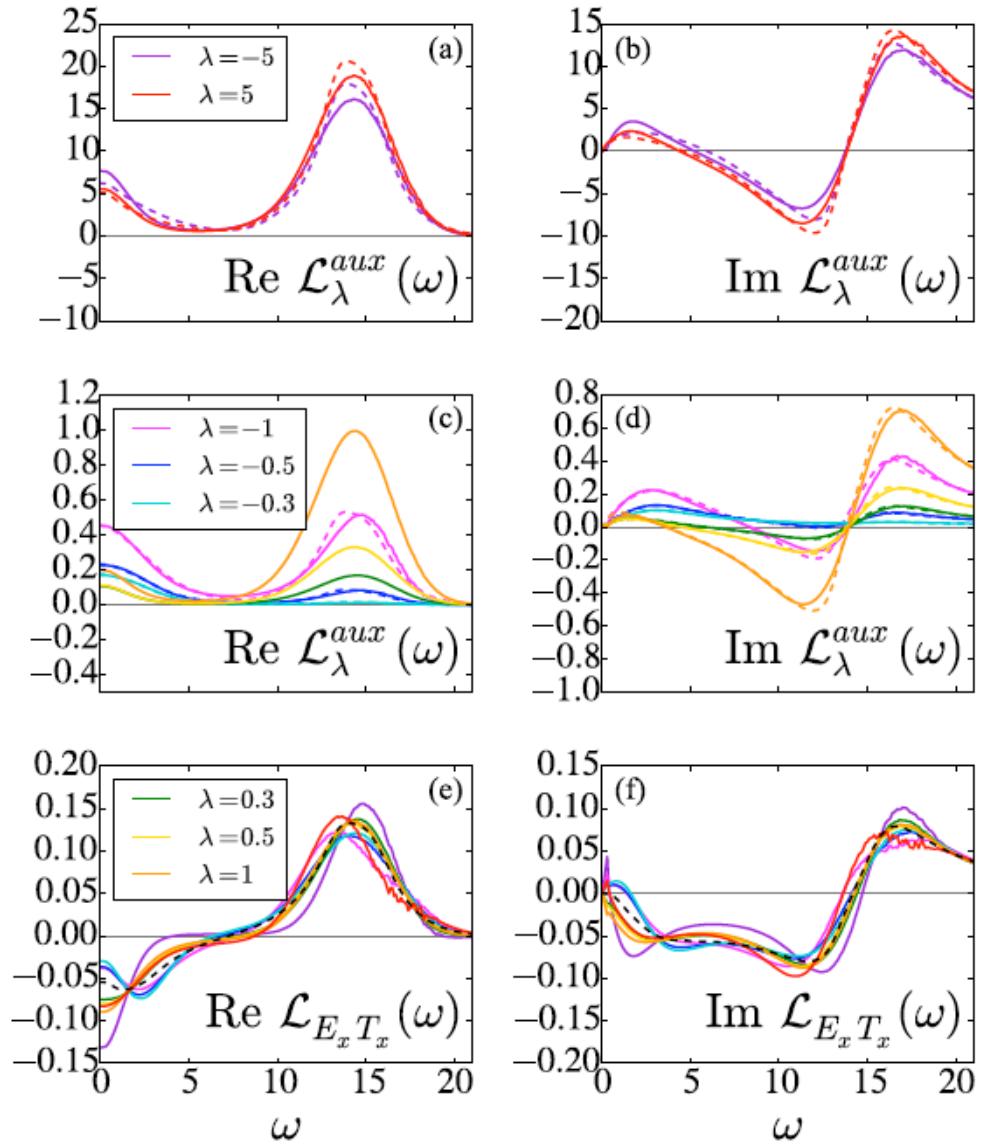
1. Compute $C_{AB}(\tau)$, $C_{B^\dagger A^\dagger}(\tau)$, $C_{AA^\dagger}(\tau)$ and $C_{B^\dagger B}(\tau)$
2. Define μ and ν and compute $C_{OO^\dagger}(\tau)$, $C_{PP^\dagger}(\tau)$
3. Use MaxEnt to compute $Im[C_{OO^\dagger}^R(\omega)]$, $Im[C_{PP^\dagger}^R(\omega)]$, $Im[C_{AA^\dagger}^R(\omega)]$ and $Im[C_{B^\dagger B}^R(\omega)]$, then $Im[R^R(\omega)]$
4. Use Kramers-Krönig to obtain $Re[C_{PP^\dagger}(\omega)]$, $Re[C_{AA^\dagger}(\omega)]$ and $Re[C_{B^\dagger B}(\omega)]$, then $Re[S^R(\omega)]$

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MaxEntAux: Thermoelectric response

$$\text{Re } \mathcal{L}_{\gamma\delta}(\omega) = \lim_{\vec{k} \rightarrow \vec{0}} \left[\frac{\chi''_{\gamma\delta}(\vec{k}, \omega)}{\omega} \right],$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{E_x T_x}(\omega) = \frac{1}{2\lambda} [\mathcal{L}_\lambda^{\text{aux}}(\omega) - \mathcal{L}_{E_x E_x}(\omega) - \lambda^2 \mathcal{L}_{T_x T_x}(\omega)]$$



$\Omega MaxEnt$

Input :

- $G(i\omega_n)$ or $G(\tau)$
- Fermionic ($A(\omega) > 0$) or bosonic ($A(\omega)/\omega > 0$)
- Diagonal or general covariance matrix
- User can modify most parameters

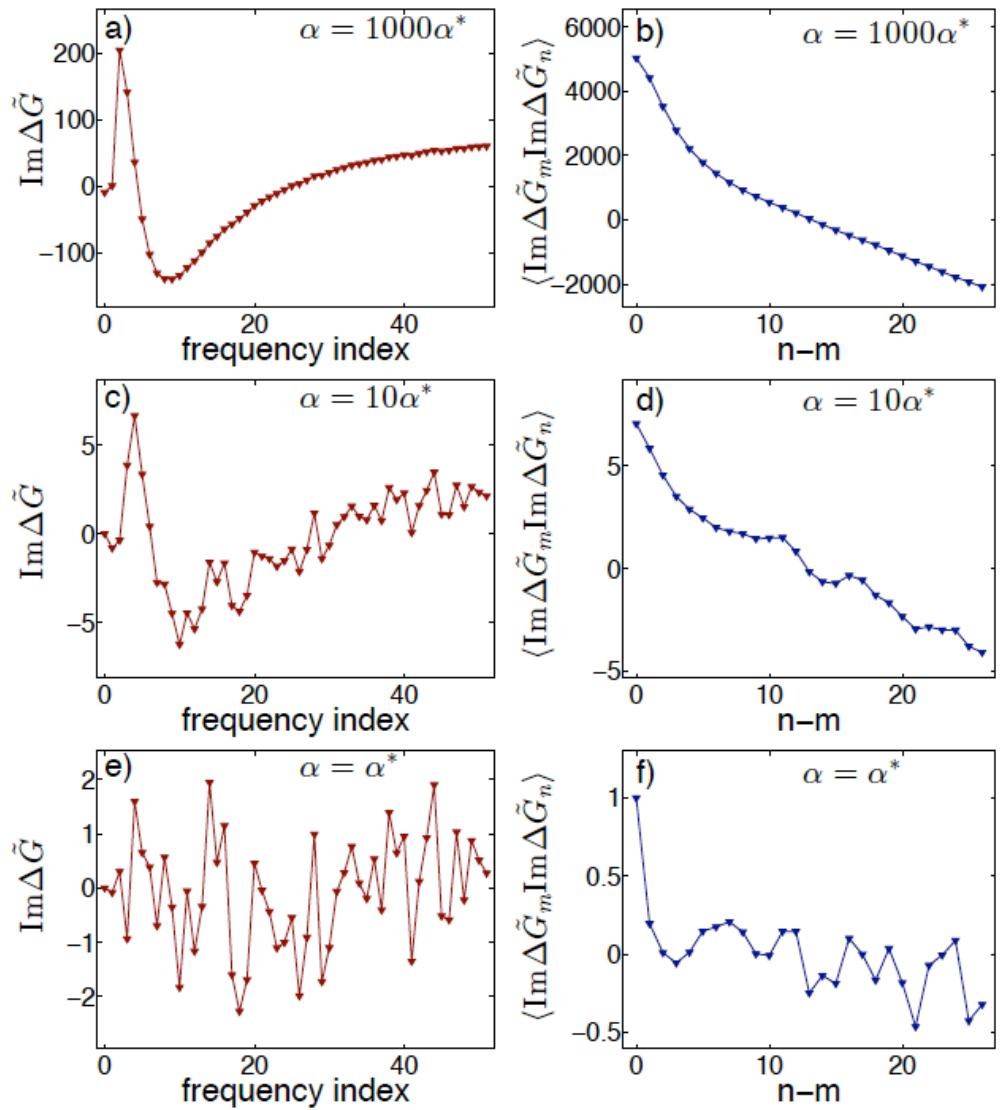
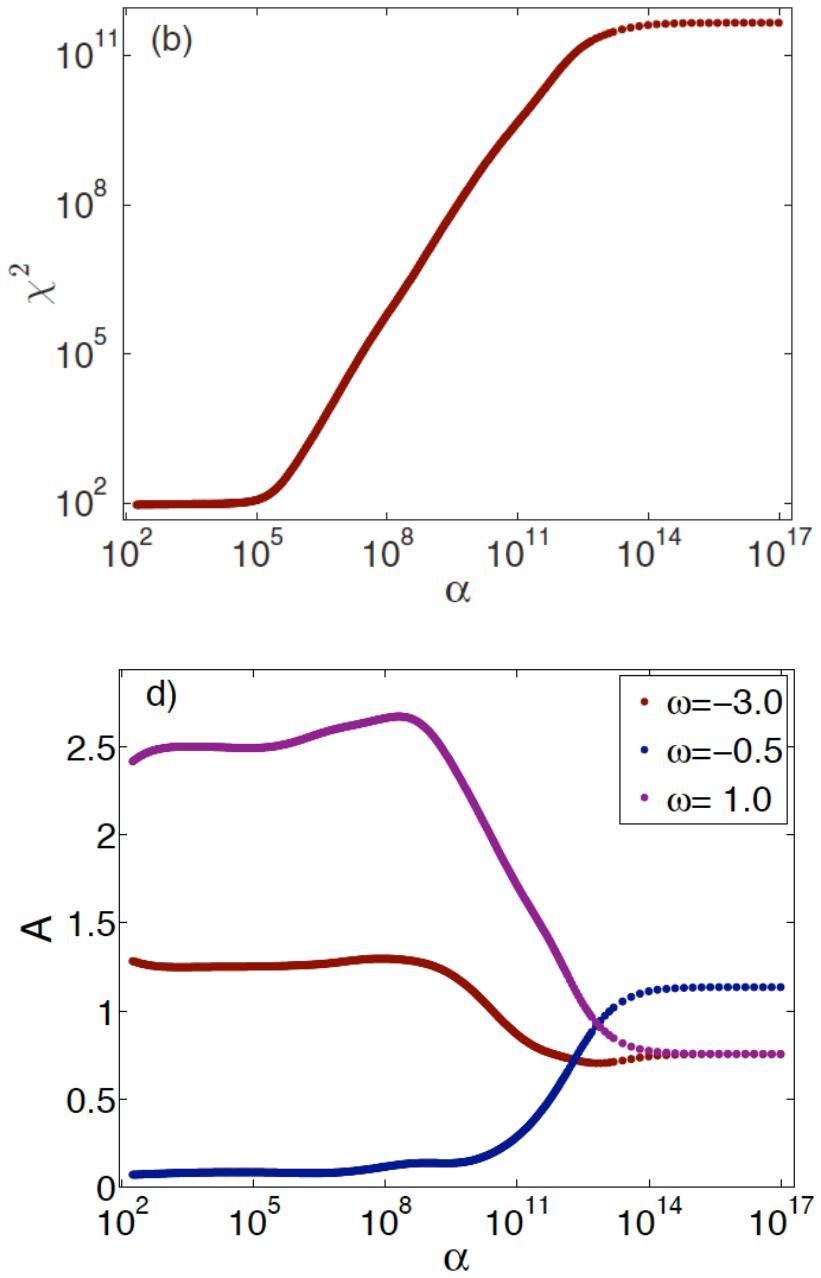
Optimizations:

- Adapted ω and ω_n grids
- Spline model for $A(\omega)$ and analytical integration
- Computation complexity weakly dependant on T and spectrum shape
- Robust method of choosing α

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$\Omega MaxEnt$: diagnostic tools



Thanks !

