



Thermodynamics of Information Processing

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Outline

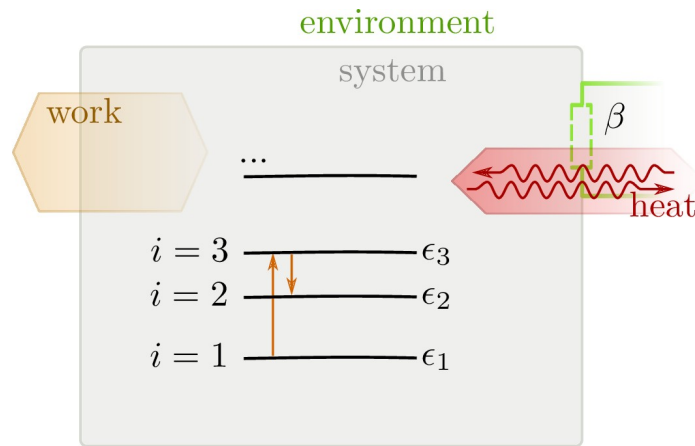
- Work principle in Stochastic Thermodynamics
- Work principle in Chemical Reaction Networks

Homogeneous

Reaction-Diffusion

- Conclusions

Stochastic Thermodynamics



Master Equation

$$d_t p_i = \sum_j W_{ij} p_j$$

Local Detailed Balance

$$\ln \frac{W_{ij}}{W_{ji}} = -\beta(\epsilon_i - \epsilon_j)$$

may depend on time

0th law: at equilibrium

$$p_i^{\text{eq}} = e^{-\beta(\epsilon_i - F^{\text{eq}})}$$

$$\text{Energy: } E = \sum_i \epsilon_i p_i \quad \text{Entropy: } S = \sum_i p_i \{-k_B \ln p_i\}$$

1st law
Energy Balance

$$d_t E = \underbrace{\sum_i d_t \epsilon_i p_i}_{\text{Work } \dot{W}} + \underbrace{\sum_i \epsilon_i d_t p_i}_{\text{Heat } \dot{Q}}$$

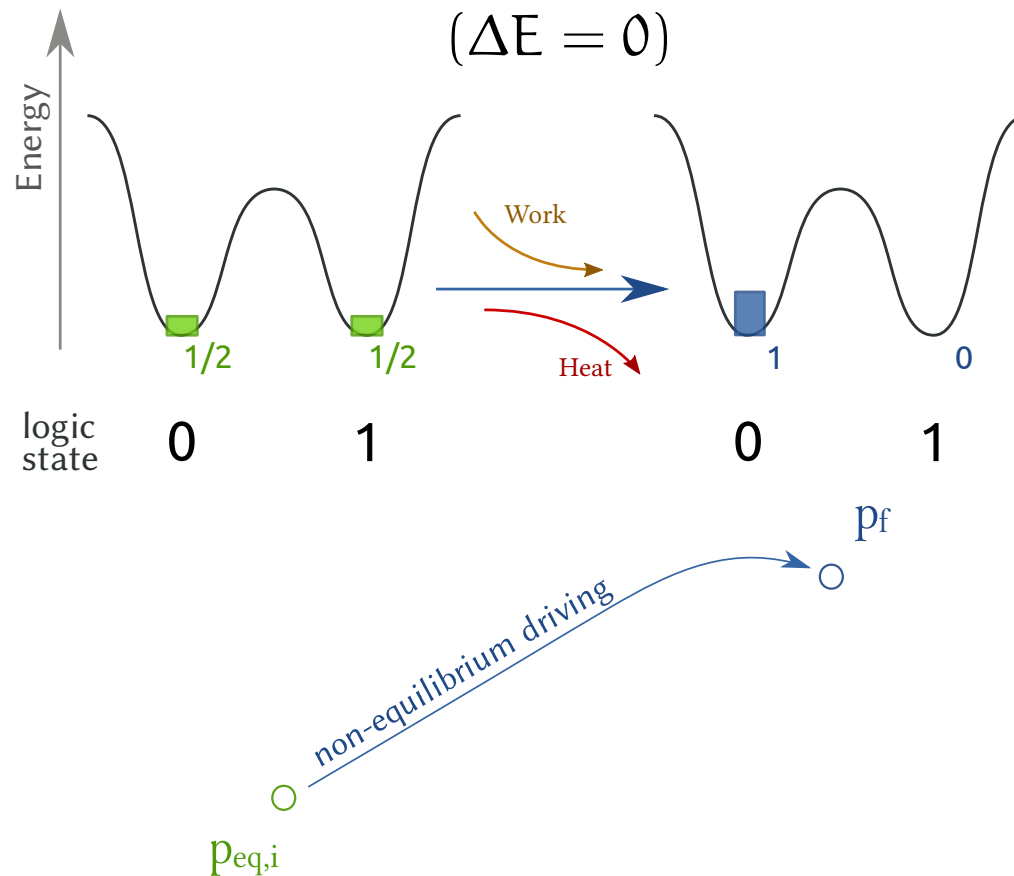
2nd law
Entropy Balance

$$\dot{\Sigma} = \underbrace{d_t S}_{\text{Entropy change}} - \underbrace{\frac{\dot{Q}}{T}}_{\text{Entropy change in the reservoir}} \geq 0$$

Entropy production

$$\dot{\Sigma} = k_B \sum_{i,j} (W_{ij} p_j - W_{ji} p_i) \ln \frac{W_{ij} p_j}{W_{ji} p_i} \geq 0$$

Landauer's Principle

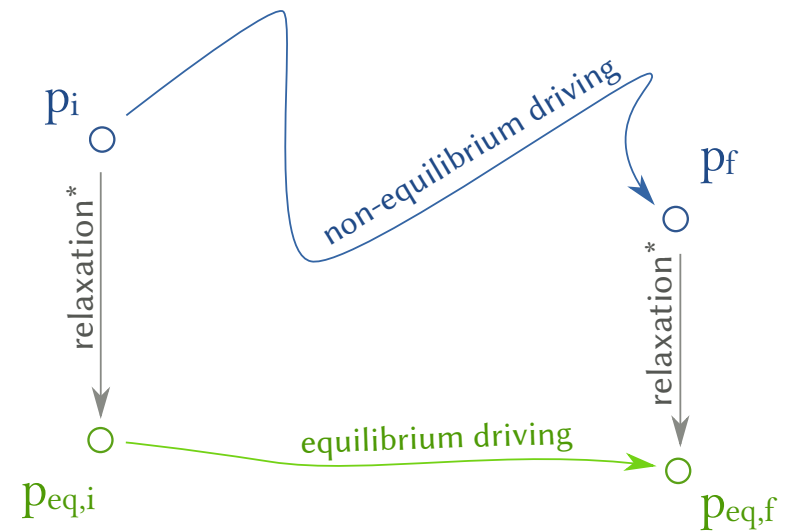
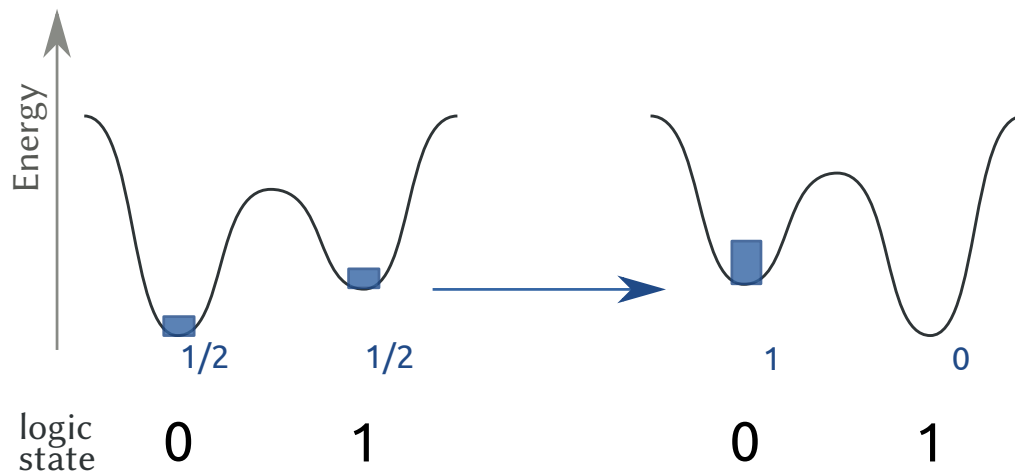


$$W = -Q \geq T(S_i^{eq} - S_f) = k_B T \ln 2$$

In finite time: accuracy-dissipation trade-offs

[Diana, Bagci, Esposito, *PRES* 85, 041125 (2012)]

Work Principle



In general (combining 1st and 2nd law):

$$T\dot{\Sigma} = W - \Delta F \geq 0$$

nonequilibrium free energy:

$$F := E - TS = F_{eq} + k_B T \mathcal{D}(p \| p^{eq})$$

relative entropy:

$$\mathcal{D}(p \| p^{eq}) := \sum_i p_i \ln \frac{p_i}{p_i^{eq}} \geq 0$$

$$W = \underbrace{\Delta F^{eq}}_{\geq 0} + k_B T \underbrace{\mathcal{D}(p_f \| p_f^{eq})}_{\leq 0} - k_B T \underbrace{\mathcal{D}(p_i \| p_i^{eq})}_{\geq 0} + T\Delta_i S$$

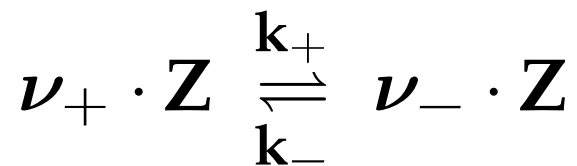
Nonequilibrium State as a Resource

Nonequilibrium state in a given energy landscape

$$k_B T \mathcal{D}(p_i \| p_i^{\text{eq}}) = -(W - \Delta F^{\text{eq}}) + T \Delta_i S + k_B T \mathcal{D}(p_f \| p_f^{\text{eq}})$$

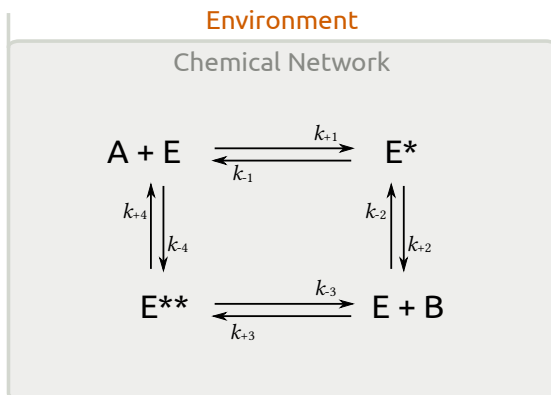
Pure waist:	0	0	x	0
Optimal extraction:	x	0	0	0

Dynamics of Closed CRNs



Stoichiometric matrix

$$\nu_- - \nu_+ =: \mathcal{S}$$



$$\mathcal{S} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{E} \\ \text{E}^* \\ \text{E}^{**} \\ \text{A} \\ \text{B} \end{array}$$

Rate equations

$$d_t[\mathbf{Z}] = \mathcal{S} \mathbf{J}$$

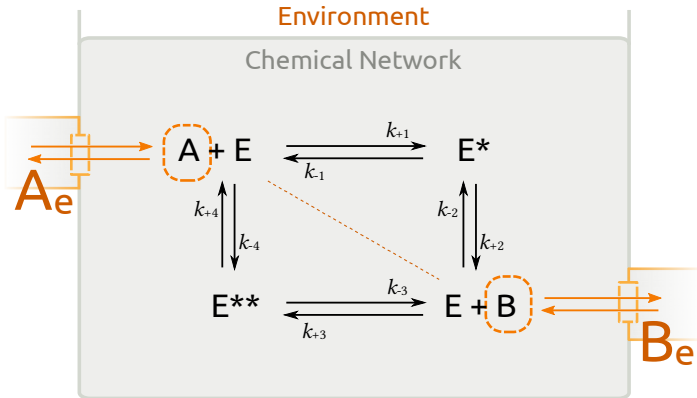
Reactions

Ideal Dilute Solution + Elementary Reactions
= Mass action kinetics

$$\mathbf{J} = \mathbf{J}_+ - \mathbf{J}_-$$

$$\mathbf{J}_\pm = \mathbf{k}_\pm[\mathbf{Z}] \cdot \nu_\pm$$

Dynamics of Open CRNs



$$\nu_+ \cdot \mathbf{Z} \xrightleftharpoons[k_-]{k_+} \nu_- \cdot \mathbf{Z}$$

Stoichiometric matrix

$$\nu_- - \nu_+ =: \mathbf{S} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{S}^X \\ \mathbf{S}^Y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[\mathbf{Z}] = \begin{pmatrix} [\mathbf{X}] \\ [\mathbf{Y}] \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{Internal} \\ \text{Chemostatted} \end{array}$$

Rate equations

$$d_t [\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{S}^X \mathbf{J}$$

$$d_t [\mathbf{Y}] = \mathbf{S}^Y \mathbf{J} + \mathbf{I}$$

Reactions Exchange

$$\mathbf{S} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{S}^X \\ \mathbf{S}^Y \end{array}$$

In open *nondriven* CN $d_t [\mathbf{Y}] = 0$

Thermodynamics of CRNs

Enthalpy of formation $-Ts$ Entropy of formation

Ideal Dilute Solutions
Local equilibrium

$$\mu = \underbrace{h^\circ}_{\mu^\circ} - \underbrace{Ts^\circ}_{-Ts} + RT \ln[\mathbf{Z}]$$

Standard-state chemical potential

Local Detailed Balance

$$\ln \frac{k_+}{k_-} = -\frac{\mu^\circ \cdot S}{RT}$$

0th law of Thermodynamics: Closed CRN relax to equilibrium

$$\mathbf{J}^{\text{eq}} = \mathbf{J}_+^{\text{eq}} - \mathbf{J}_-^{\text{eq}} = 0 \quad \text{detailed-balance}$$

First and Second Law

CRN Enthalpy:

$$H = h^\circ \cdot [Z]$$

CRN Entropy:

$$S = (s^\circ - T \ln[Z]) \cdot [Z] + R[Z]$$

total
concentration

1st law
Enthalpy Balance

$$d_t H = h^\circ \cdot S J + h_Y \cdot I = h^\circ \cdot S J + \underbrace{T s_Y \cdot I + \mu_Y \cdot I}_{\text{Heat Flow } \dot{Q}} + \underbrace{\mu_Y \cdot I}_{\text{Chemical Work } \dot{W}_{\text{chem}}}$$

2nd law
Entropy Balance

$$\dot{\Sigma} = d_t S - \underbrace{\dot{Q}/T}_{\text{Entropy change in (thermal \& chemical) reservoirs}}$$

Entropy production: $T \dot{\Sigma} = -\mu \cdot S J = (J_+ - J_-) \cdot RT \ln \frac{J_+}{J_-} \geq 0$

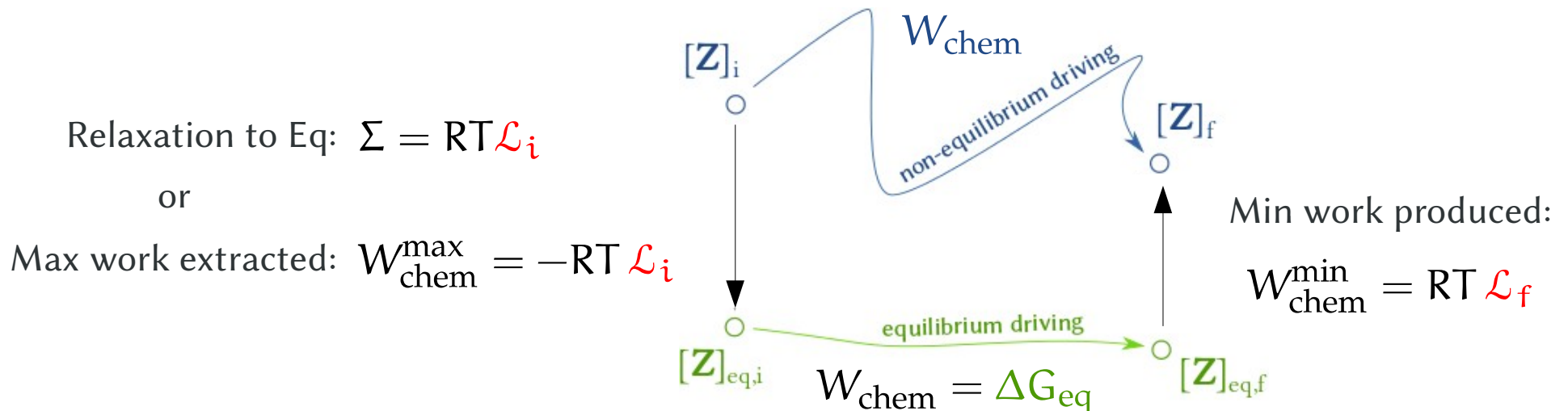
Cost for manipulating Nonequilibrium States

Non-Eq. Gibbs free energy $G := H - TS = G_{\text{eq}}^{\uparrow} + RT \underbrace{\mathcal{L}([Z] | [Z]_{\text{eq}})}_{\text{“Relative entropy”}}$

Closed CRN

$$= [Z] \cdot \ln \frac{[Z]}{[Z]_{\text{eq}}} - ([Z] - [Z]_{\text{eq}}) \geq 0$$

$$W_{\text{chem}} = \Delta G + T\Sigma = \Delta G_{\text{eq}} + RT \underbrace{\Delta \mathcal{L}}_{\mathcal{L}_f - \mathcal{L}_i} + T\Sigma \geq 0$$



Reaction–Diffusion

Reaction–Diffusion Equations

$$d_t[\mathbf{X}]_r = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J}_r^{\mathbf{X}} + \mathbf{S}^{\mathbf{X}} \mathbf{j}_r$$

$$d_t[\mathbf{Y}]_r = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J}_r^{\mathbf{Y}} + \mathbf{S}^{\mathbf{Y}} \mathbf{j}_r + \mathbf{I}_r$$

Diffusion
Reactions
Exchange

Mass-action kinetics

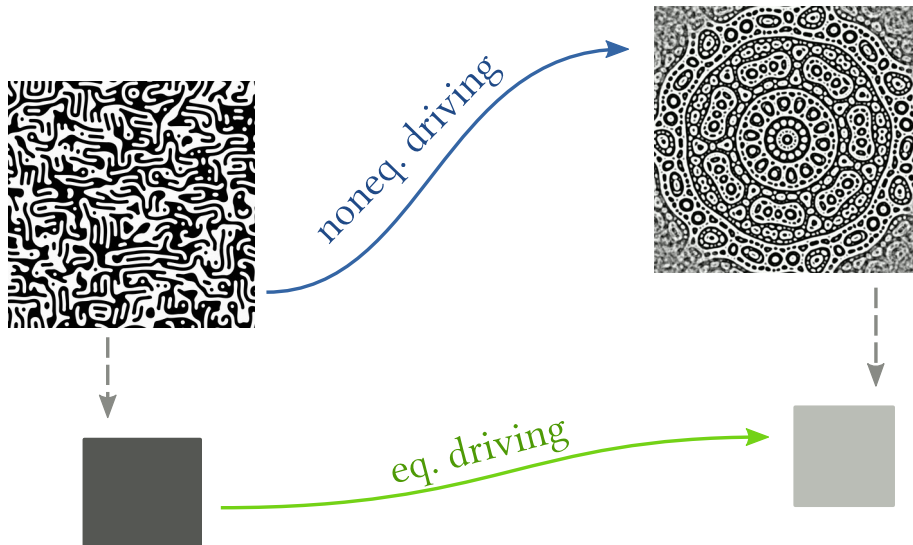
$$\mathbf{j}_r^{\pm} = \mathbf{k}_{\pm} [\mathbf{Z}]_r^{\circ \nu_{\pm}}$$

Diffusion: Fick's Law

$$\mathbf{J}_r = -\mathbb{D} \nabla [\mathbf{Z}]_r$$

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Diffusion coefficients

$$W = \Delta G_{eq} + RT \Delta \mathcal{L} + T \Sigma \geq 0$$



$$= \int_{\mathcal{V}} d\mathbf{r} \left[[\mathbf{Z}]_r \circ \ln \frac{[\mathbf{Z}]_r}{[\mathbf{Z}]_{eq}} - ([\mathbf{Z}]_r - [\mathbf{Z}]_{eq}) \right] \geq 0$$

Spatial structuring takes work:

$$\mathcal{L}([\mathbf{Z}]_{patt} | [\mathbf{Z}]_{eq}) \geq \mathcal{L}(\bar{[\mathbf{Z}]} | [\mathbf{Z}]_{eq})$$

Conclusions

- Stochastic dynamics: multiple reservoirs & conservation laws

[Rao & Esposito. *New J. Phys.* **20**, 023007 (2018)]

- Stochastic CRNs

[Rao & Esposito, *JCP* **149** , 245101 (2018)]