## Herglotz Functions and Anderson Transitions in Composites

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## **Surface Plasmon Resonances**

#### collective oscillations of electrons on metal / dielectric interface



suspension of gold nanoparticles absorbs green and blue light:

WE SEE RED





Michael Faraday's gold colloids - origins of nanoscience 1850s

## thin silver film

## **Arctic melt ponds**

kilometers



(Perovich, 2005)

#### optical properties

#### composite geometry -- area fraction of phases, connectedness, necks

nanometers



(Davis, McKenzie, McPhedran, 1991)

## sea ice is a multiscale composite

#### **Brine Channels**







Pack Ice





Polycrystals





Gully et al. Proc. R. Soc. A 2015

J. Weller

**Brine Inclusions** 



Golden et al GRL 2007

mm

cm



# What is this talk about?

## A tour of Herglotz functions and how they arise in the study of composites, and sea ice in particular.

Addressing the problem of linking scales in Earth's sea ice system **MULTISCALE HOMOGENIZATION for SEA ICE** drives advances in theory of Herglotz functions for composites.

Find unexpected Anderson transition in composites along the way!

- 1. Fluid flow through sea ice, percolation
- 2. Analytic continuation for two phase composites remote sensing, inversion, spectral measures

random matrix theory and Anderson transitions

3. Stieltjes representations for advection diffusion, polycrystals, ocean waves in the sea ice pack

# fluid flow through the porous microstructure of sea ice governs key processes in polar climate and ecosystems

evolution of Arctic melt ponds and sea ice albedo



nutrient flux for algal communities







Antarctic surface flooding and snow-ice formation

evolution of salinity profiles
ocean-ice-air exchanges of heat, CO<sub>2</sub>

# fluid permeability of a porous medium



Darcy's Law

for slow viscous flow in a porous medium



how much water gets through the sample per unit time?

**k** = fluid permeability tensor

## HOMOGENIZATION

mathematics for analyzing effective behavior of heterogeneous systems

# Critical behavior of fluid transport in sea ice



# RULE OF FIVES

Golden, Ackley, Lytle Science 1998Golden, Eicken, Heaton, Miner, Pringle, Zhu, Geophys. Res. Lett. 2007Pringle, Miner, Eicken, Golden J. Geophys. Res. 2009

# percolation theory

### probabilistic theory of connectedness



*bond*  $\longrightarrow$  *open with probability p closed with probability 1-p* 

**percolation threshold**  $p_c = 1/2$  for d = 2

smallest *p* for which there is an infinite open cluster

# order parameters in percolation theory

#### geometry

#### transport



#### **UNIVERSAL critical exponents for lattices -- depend only on dimension**

 $1 \le t \le 2$  (for idealized model), Golden, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 1990; *Comm. Math. Phys.* 1992

#### non-universal behavior in continuum

#### Thermal evolution of permeability and microstructure in sea ice

Golden, Eicken, Heaton, Miner, Pringle, Zhu, Geophysical Research Letters 2007



#### percolation theory

$$k(\phi) = k_0 (\phi - 0.05)^2 \qquad \underset{\text{exponent}}{\text{critical}}$$
$$k_0 = 3 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}^2 \qquad t$$

hierarchical model network model rigorous bounds

agree closely with field data

X-ray tomography for brine inclusions

unprecedented look at thermal evolution of brine phase and its connectivity

## confirms rule of fives

Pringle, Miner, Eicken, Golden J. Geophys. Res. 2009

micro-scale controls macro-scale processes

# **Remote sensing of sea ice**



# sea ice thickness ice concentration

## **INVERSE PROBLEM**

Recover sea ice properties from electromagnetic (EM) data

**8**\*

effective complex permittivity (dielectric constant, conductivity)



brine volume fraction brine inclusion connectivity Effective complex permittivity of a two phase composite in the quasistatic (long wavelength) limit



the components

$$\epsilon^* = \epsilon^* \left( \frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2} , \text{ composite geometry} \right)$$

**Herglotz function** 

## Analytic continuation method for bounding complex $\epsilon^*$

Bergman (1978), Milton (1979), Golden and Papanicolaou (1983)

$$m(h) = \frac{\epsilon^*}{\epsilon_2} \left(\frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}\right) \qquad h = \frac{\epsilon_1}{\epsilon_2}$$



## Theory of Effective Electromagnetic Behavior of Composites analytic continuation method

**Forward Homogenization** Bergman (1978), Milton (1979), Golden and Papanicolaou (1983) *Theory of Composites*, Milton (2002)

> **composite geometry** (spectral measure μ)



integral representations, rigorous bounds, approximations, etc.

$$F(s) = 1 - \frac{\epsilon^*}{\epsilon_2} = \int_0^1 \frac{d\mu(z)}{s-z} \qquad s = \frac{1}{1 - \epsilon_1/\epsilon_2} \qquad \xrightarrow{\circ} \qquad$$

*Inverse Homogenization* Cherkaev and Golden (1998), Day and Thorpe (1999), Cherkaev (2001) McPhedran, McKenzie, Milton (1982), *Theory of Composites*, Milton (2002)



recover brine volume fraction, connectivity, etc.

# **Stieltjes integral representation** separates geometry from parameters

$$F(s) = 1 - \frac{\epsilon^*}{\epsilon_2} = \int_0^1 \frac{d\mu(z)}{s-z}$$

spectral measure of self adjoint operator Γ χ
 mass = p<sub>1</sub>
 higher moments depend on *n*-point correlations

$$\Gamma = \nabla (-\Delta)^{-1} \nabla \cdot$$

 $\chi = {\rm characteristic \, function} \\ {\rm of \, the \, brine \, phase}$ 

$$E = (s + \Gamma \chi)^{-1} e_k$$

# $\Gamma \chi$ : microscale $\rightarrow$ macroscale $\Gamma \chi$ *links scales*

#### forward and inverse bounds on the complex permittivity of sea ice









0 < q < 1

Golden 1995, 1997 Bruno 1991

#### inverse bounds and recovery of brine porosity

Gully, Backstrom, Eicken, Golden *Physica B, 2007* 



inversion for brine inclusion separations in sea ice from measurements of effective complex permittivity  $\epsilon^*$ 

#### rigorous inverse bound on spectral gap

construct algebraic curves which bound admissible region in (p,q)-space

Orum, Cherkaev, Golden *Proc. Roy. Soc. A, 2012* 

## direct calculation of spectral measure

- 1. Discretization of composite microstructure gives lattice of 1's and 0's (random resistor network).
- 2. The fundamental operator  $\chi\Gamma\chi$  becomes a random matrix depending only on the composite geometry.
- 3. Compute the eigenvalues  $\lambda_i$  and eigenvectors of  $\chi \Gamma \chi$  with inner product weights  $\alpha_i$

$$\mu(\lambda) = \sum_{i} \alpha_{i} \, \delta(\lambda - \lambda_{i})$$

Dirac point measure (Dirac delta)

earlier studies of spectral measures

Day and Thorpe 1996 Helsing, McPhedran, Milton 2011

## **Spectral statistics for 2D random resistor network**



### **Eigenvalue Statistics of Random Matrix Theory**

Wigner (1951) and Dyson (1953) first used random matrix theory (RMT) to describe quantized energy levels of heavy atomic nuclei.

 $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{N} \end{bmatrix}_{ij} \sim N(0,1), \qquad \mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{N} + \mathbf{N}^{\mathsf{T}})/2 \qquad \textbf{Gaussian orthogonal ensemble (GOE)}$  $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{N} \end{bmatrix}_{ij} \sim N(0,1) + iN(0,1), \quad \mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{N} + \mathbf{N}^{\dagger})/2 \qquad \textbf{Gaussian unitary ensemble (GUE)}$ 

Short range and long range correlations of eigenvalues are measured by various eigenvalue statistics



RMT used to characterize **disorder-driven transitions** in mesoscopic conductors, neural networks, random graph theory, etc.

Phase transitions ~ transitions in universal eigenvalue statistics.

## **Spectral computations for Arctic melt ponds**



Ben Murphy Elena Cherkaev Ken Golden 2017

eigenvalue statistics for transport tend toward the UNIVERSAL Wigner-Dyson distribution as the "conducting" phase percolates

#### **Spectral computations for Arctic sea ice pack**





metal / insulator transition localization

Anderson 1958 Mott 1949 Shklovshii et al 1993 Evangelou 1992

## Anderson transition in wave physics: quantum, optics, acoustics, water waves, ...

## we find a surprising analog

## Anderson transition for classical transport in composites

Murphy, Cherkaev, Golden Phys. Rev. Lett. 2017





transition to universal eigenvalue statistics (GOE) extended states, mobility edges

## -- but without wave interference or scattering effects ! --

#### eigenvector localization and mobility edges

Inverse Participation Ratio: 
$$I(\vec{v}_n) = \sum_{i=1}^N |(\vec{v}_n)_i|^4$$

Completely Localized:  $I(\vec{e}_n) = 1$ 

Completely Extended:  $I\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}\vec{1}\right) = \frac{1}{N}$ 



FIG. 4. (Color online) IPR for Anderson model in two dimensions with x = 6.25 (w = 50) from exact diagonalization (solid line) and from LDRG with different values of the cutoff  $m_0$ . LDRG data are averaged over 100 runs of systems with 100 × 100 sites.

PHYSICAL REVIEW B 90, 060205(R) (2014)

# Localization properties of eigenvectors in random resistor networks





$$I_n = \sum_i (\vec{v}_n)_i^4$$

Bounds on the complex permittivity of polycrystalline materials by analytic continuation

> Adam Gully, Joyce Lin, Elena Cherkaev, Ken Golden

 Stieltjes integral representation for effective complex permittivity

Milton (1981, 2002), Barabash and Stroud (1999), ...

- Forward and inverse bounds orientation statistics
- Applied to sea ice using two-scale homogenization
- Inverse bounds give method for distinguishing ice types using remote sensing techniques





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# **PROCEEDINGS A**



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A method to distinguish between different types of sea ice using remote sensing techniques A computer model to determine how a human should walk so as to expend the least energy



## two scale homogenization for polycrystalline sea ice



Gully, Lin, Cherkaev, Golden, Proc. Roy. Soc. A (and cover) 2015

#### advection enhanced diffusion

#### effective diffusivity

sea ice floes diffusing in ocean currents diffusion of pollutants in atmosphere salt and heat transport in ocean heat transport in sea ice with convection

#### advection diffusion equation with a velocity field $\,\vec{u}\,$

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{\nabla} T = \kappa_0 \Delta T$$
$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{u} = 0$$
$$homogenize$$
$$\frac{\partial \overline{T}}{\partial t} = \kappa^* \Delta \overline{T}$$

#### $\kappa^{*}$ effective diffusivity

#### Stieltjes integral for $\kappa^*$ with spectral measure

#### Avellaneda and Majda, PRL 89, CMP 91

Murphy, Cherkaev, Xin, Zhu, Golden, *Ann. Math. Sci. Appl.* 2017 Murphy, Cherkaev, Zhu, Xin, Golden, 2018







#### Stieltjes Integral Representation for Advection Diffusion

[Murphy, Cherkaev, Zhu, Xin & Golden 2018] [Murphy, Cherkaev, Xin, Zhu & Golden 2017]

$$\kappa^* = \kappa \left( 1 + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\mu(\tau)}{\kappa^2 + \tau^2} \right), \quad F(\kappa) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\mu(\tau)}{\kappa^2 + \tau^2}$$

- $\mu$  is a positive definite measure corresponding to the spectral resolution of the self-adjoint operator  $i\Gamma H\Gamma$
- H = stream matrix ,  $\kappa = \text{local diffusivity}$
- $\Gamma := 
  abla (-\Delta)^{-1} 
  abla \cdot$  ,  $\Delta$  is the Laplace operator
- $i\Gamma H\Gamma$  is bounded for time independent flows
- $F(\kappa)$  is analytic off the spectral interval in the  $\kappa$ -plane

separation of material properties and flow field spectral measure calculations

#### RIGOROUS BOUNDS on convection - enhanced thermal conductivity of sea ice

Kraitzman, Hardenbrook, Murphy, Zhu, Cherkaev, Golden 2018



Murphy, Cherkaev, Zhu, Xin, Golden 2018

### Spectral measures and eigenvalue spacings for cat's eye flow

 $H(x,y) = sin(x) sin(y) + A cos(x) cos(y), \quad A \sim U(-p,p)$ 



Murphy, Cherkaev, Zhu, Xin, Golden

# Storm-induced sea-ice breakup and the implications for ice extent

Kohout et al., Nature 2014

- during three large-wave events, significant wave heights did not decay exponentially, enabling large waves to persist deep into the pack ice.
- Iarge waves break sea ice much farther from the ice edge than would be predicted by the commonly assumed exponential decay





ice extent compared with significant wave height

#### Waves have strong influence on both the floe size distribution and ice extent.

## **Two Layer Models and Effective Parameters**



 $\nu$ 

Viscous fluid layer (Keller 1998) Effective Viscosity  $\nu$ 

Equations of  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{\rho}\nabla P + \nu\nabla^2 U + g$ 

Viscoelastic fluid layer (Wang-Shen 2010) Effective Complex Viscosity  $\nu_e = \nu + iG/\rho\omega$ 

Equations of  $\frac{\partial U}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{\rho}\nabla P + \nu_e \nabla^2 U + g$ 

Viscoelastic thin beam (Mosig et al. 2015) Effective Complex Shear Modulus  $G_v = G - i\omega\rho\nu$ 

#### **Stieltjes integral representation** for effective complex viscoelastic parameter; bounds

Sampson, Murphy, Cherkaev, Golden 2018

# wave propagation in the marginal ice zone







#### **Stieltjes Integral Representation for Complex Viscoelasticity**

**homogenized**  

$$\begin{cases}
\langle \sigma_{ij} \rangle = C_{ijkl}^* \langle \epsilon_{kl} \rangle \\
\text{local} \quad \nabla \cdot \sigma = 0 \qquad \sigma_{ij} = C_{ijkl} \epsilon_{kl} & \text{Strain Field} \\
C_{ijkl} = (\nu_1 \chi + (1 - \chi)\nu_2)\lambda_s \qquad \epsilon = \frac{1}{2} [\nabla u + (\nabla u)^T] = \nabla^s u \\
\nabla \cdot ((\nu_1 \chi + (1 - \chi)\nu_2)\lambda_s; \epsilon) = 0 \qquad \epsilon = \epsilon_0 + \epsilon_f \text{ where } \epsilon_f = \nabla^s \phi \\
s = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{\nu_1}{\nu_2}} & \text{Elasticity Tensor} \\
c_{ijkl}^* = \nu^* \left( \delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} + \delta_{il} \delta_{jk} - \frac{2}{3} \delta_{ij} \delta_{kl} \right) = \nu^* \lambda_s
\end{cases}$$
**RESOLVENT** 
$$\epsilon = \left( 1 - \frac{1}{s} \Gamma \chi \right)^{-1} \epsilon_0 \qquad \Gamma = \nabla^s (\nabla \cdot \nabla^s)^{-1} \nabla \cdot \epsilon_0 \text{ avg strain} \\
\chi^*$$

$$F(s) = 1 - \frac{v}{v_2} \qquad F(s) = \left\| \epsilon_0 \right\|^{-2} \int_{\Sigma} \frac{d\mu(n)}{s - \lambda}$$

## bounds on the effective complex viscoelasticity

complex elementary bounds $V_1$ (fixed area fraction of floes) $V_2$ 

 $V_1 = 10^7 + i\,4875$  pancake ice

 $V_2 = 5 + i \, 0.0975$  slush / frazil



Sampson, Murphy, Cherkaev, Golden 2018

# Conclusions

- 1. Summer Arctic sea ice is **melting rapidly**, and **melt ponds** and other processes must be accounted for in order to predict melting rates.
- 2. Fluid flow through sea ice mediates melt pond evolution and many processes important to climate change and polar ecosystems.
- 3. Statistical physics and homogenization help *link scales*, provide rigorous methods for finding effective behavior, and advance how sea ice is represented in climate models.
- 4. Random matrix theory and an unexpected Anderson transition arises in our studies of percolation in sea ice structures.
- 5. Our research will help to improve projections of climate change and the fate of the Earth sea ice packs.

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