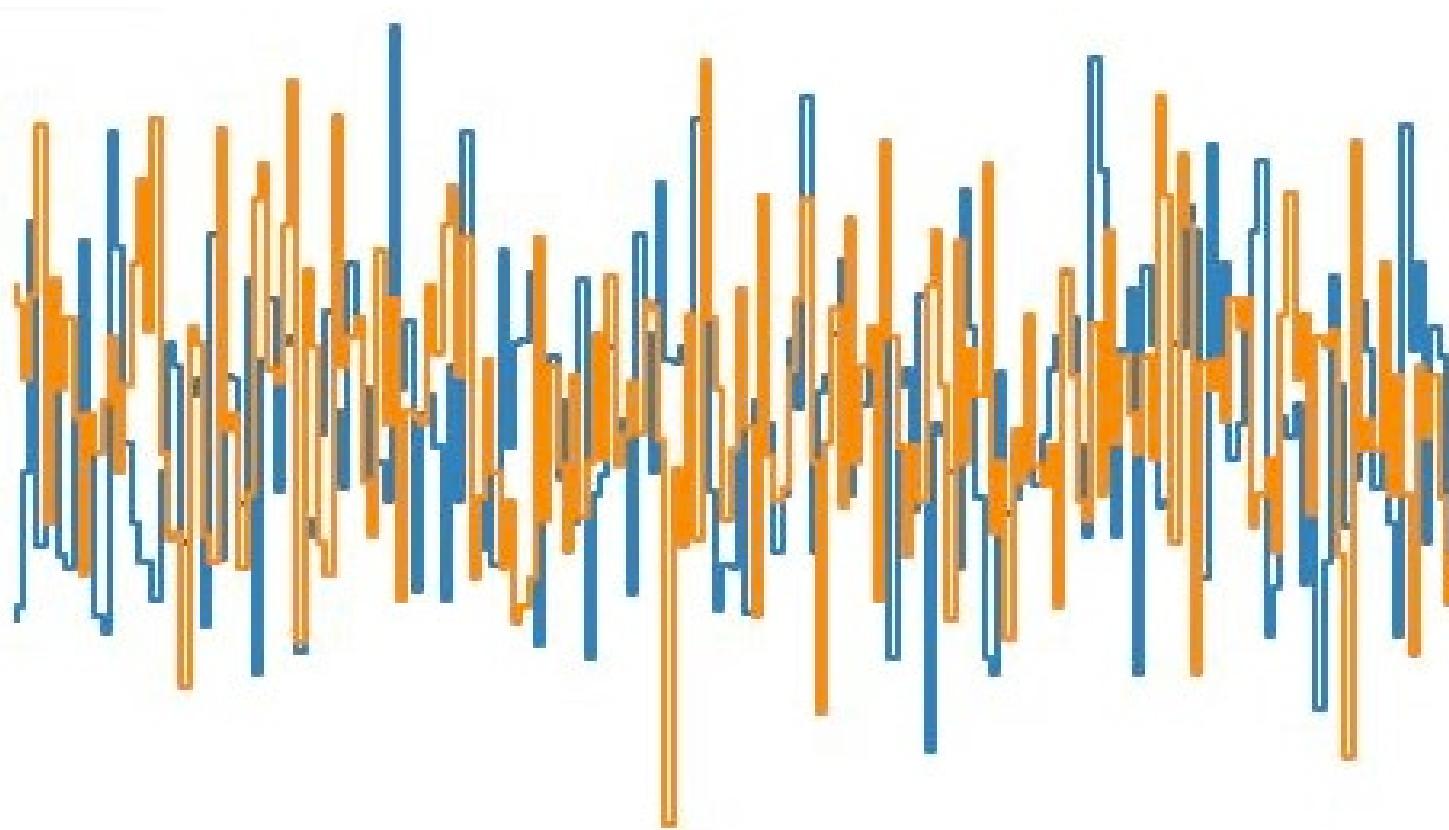


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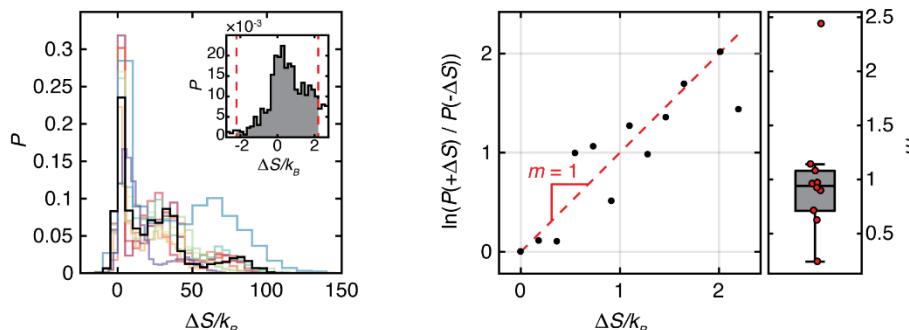
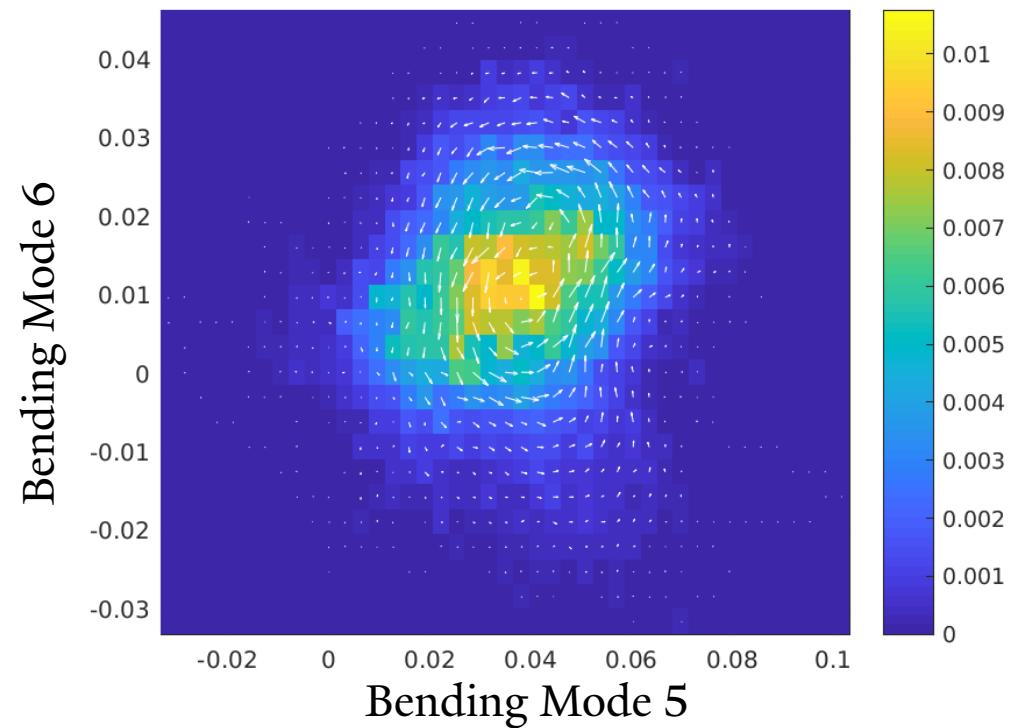
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EPR on random variables

from phase space fluxes: correlating bending modes



$$\frac{P(+\Delta S)}{P(-\Delta S)} = e^{\Delta S/k_B}.$$

(1) Overdamped Langevin Equation:

$$\dot{\mathbf{a}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{F}\xi$$

(2) Fokker-Planck Equation:

$$\frac{\partial p(\mathbf{a}, t)}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{a}, t) = -\nabla \cdot (\mathbf{A}\mathbf{a} p(\mathbf{a}, t) - \mathbf{D} \nabla p(\mathbf{a}, t)),$$

(3) The phase space velocity, $\dot{\mathbf{a}}$, in terms phase space current $\mathbf{j}(\mathbf{a}, t)$ ¹¹

$$\dot{\mathbf{a}} = \frac{\mathbf{j}(\mathbf{a}, t)}{p(\mathbf{a}, t)} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{D} \nabla \ln(p(\mathbf{a}, t))$$

$$S_{sys}(t) \equiv -\ln(p(\mathbf{a}, t), t)$$

$$\Delta S(t) = \int_0^t d\tau \dot{\mathbf{a}}^T(\tau) \mathbf{D}^{-1} \mathbf{v}^{ss}[\mathbf{a}(\tau)]$$

EPR on fields

High cost to oscillate, low cost to synchronize

$$\left\langle \frac{dS}{dt} \right\rangle = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \sum_{\mathbf{x}(t)} P[\mathbf{x}] \ln \frac{P[\mathbf{x}]}{P[\tilde{\mathbf{x}}]}$$

$$P[\mathbf{x}(\omega)] \propto \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} C_{\mu\nu}^{-1}(\omega) x^\mu(-\omega) x^\nu(\omega) \right)$$

$$C^{\mu\nu}(\omega) = \langle x^\mu(\omega) x^\nu(-\omega) \rangle$$

$$E(\omega) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{C}^{-1}(-\omega) - \mathbf{C}^{-1}(\omega))]$$

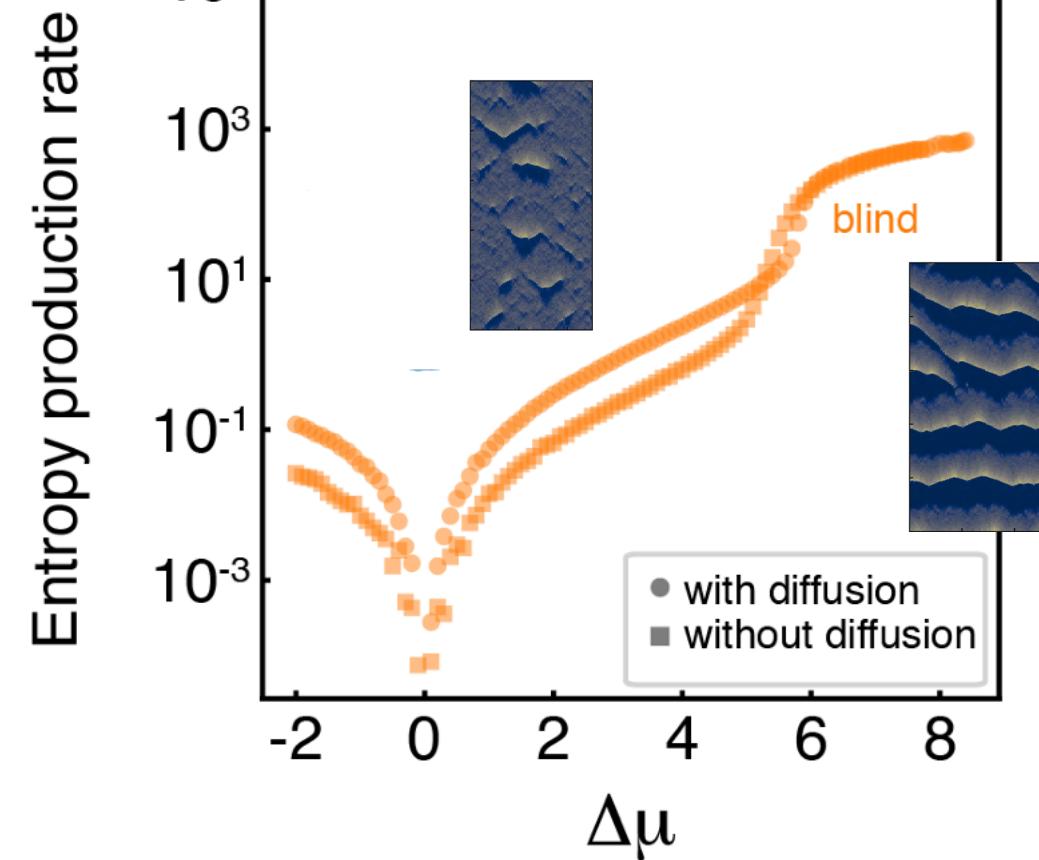
$$E(\mathbf{q}, \omega) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{C}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}, -\omega) - \mathbf{C}^{-1}(\mathbf{q}, \omega))]$$

$$\left\langle \frac{dS}{dt} \right\rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} E(\omega)$$

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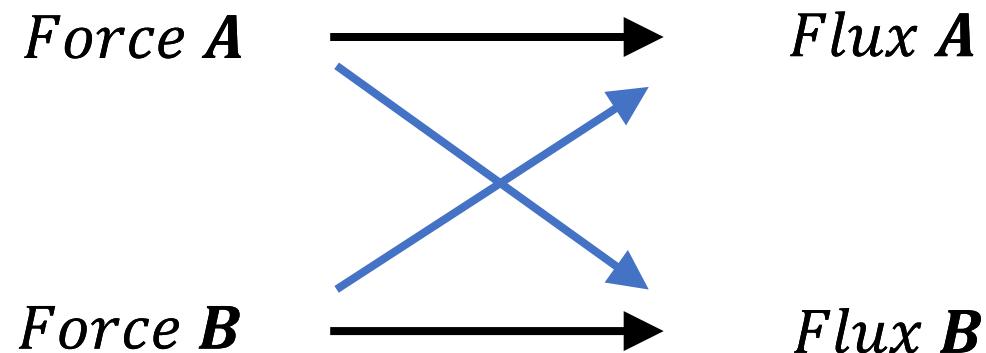
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Onsager reciprocal relation

Linear force-flux relation:

When a system is near equilibrium with time-reversal-symmetry (TRS), the “fluxes” in each of its sub-processes are linearly related to the “forces”

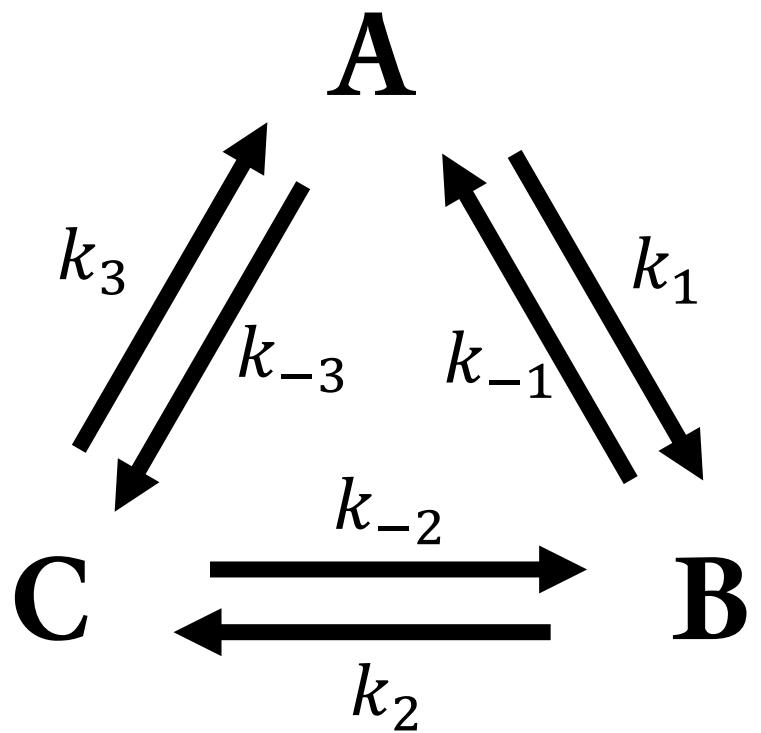


$$L_{BA} = L_{AB}$$

(Onsager reciprocal relation)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \text{Flux } A \\ \text{Flux } B \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} L_{AA} & L_{AB} \\ L_{BA} & L_{BB} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \text{Force } A \\ \text{Force } B \end{pmatrix}$$

Onsager reciprocal relation: reversible cyclic reaction



ABC cyclic network:

- Species A, B, C

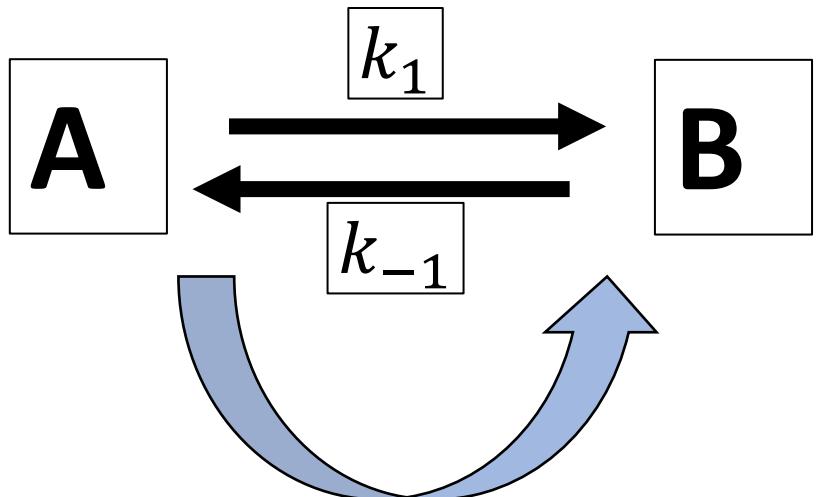
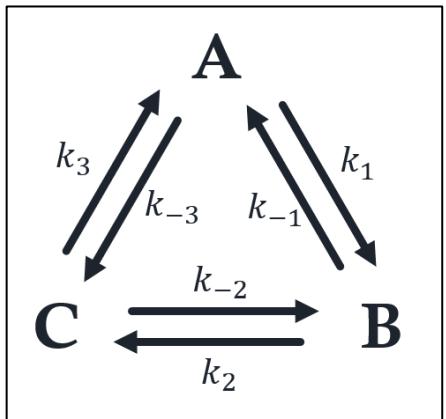
forward reaction coefficients:

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backward reaction coefficients:

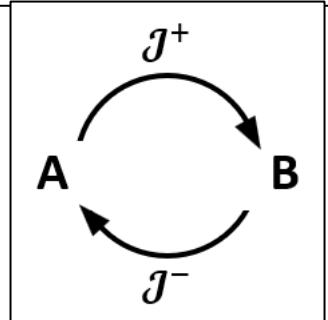
$$k_{-1}, k_{-2}, k_{-3}$$

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net chemical flux:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{J}_1 &= \mathcal{J}_1^+ - \mathcal{J}_1^- \\ &= k_1 A - k_{-1} B\end{aligned}$$

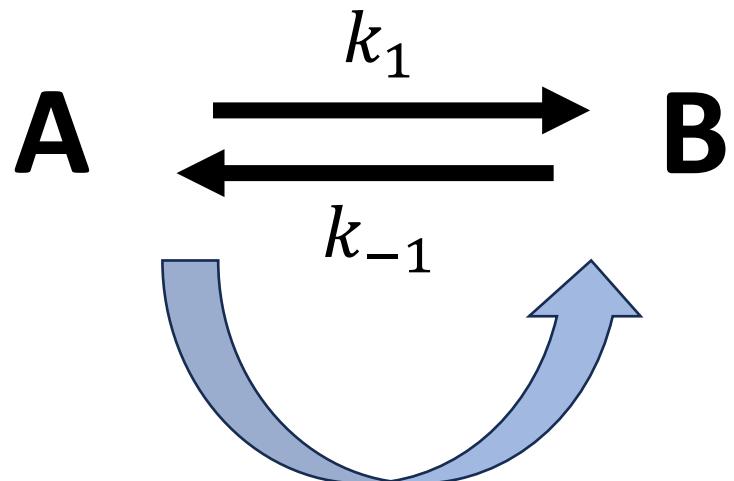
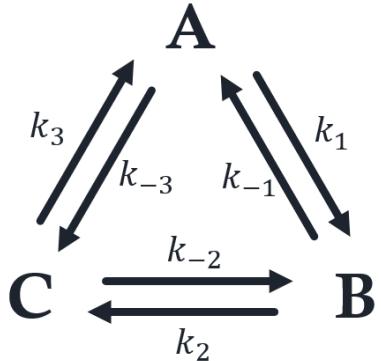


chemical affinity (“force”):

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{F}_1 &= \mu_A - \mu_B \\ &= k_B \ln(k_1 A / k_{-1} B)\end{aligned}$$

μ_A, μ_B : chemical potential
 k_B : Boltzmann constant

Onsager reciprocal relation: reversible cyclic reaction



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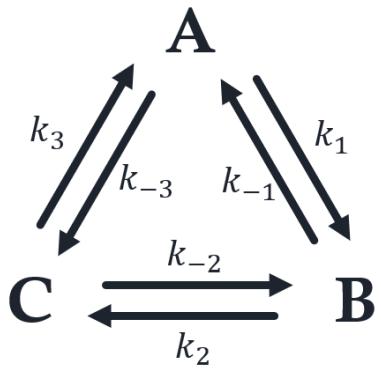
$$\mathcal{F}_2 = \mu_B - \mu_C = k_B \ln(k_2 B / k_{-2} C)$$

$$\mathcal{F}_3 = \mu_C - \mu_A = k_B \ln(k_3 C / k_{-3} A)$$

$$\mathcal{F}_1 + \mathcal{F}_2 + \mathcal{F}_3 = 0$$

(two independent forces)

Onsager reciprocal relation: reversible cyclic reaction



two independent forces:

$$\mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2$$

corresponding chemical flux:

$\mathcal{J}_{n1}, \mathcal{J}_{n2}$

Entropy production rate (Onsager's form):

$$\dot{S} = \sum_i \mathcal{J}_i \mathcal{F}_i = \mathcal{J}_1 \mathcal{F}_1 + \mathcal{J}_2 \mathcal{F}_2 + \mathcal{J}_3 \mathcal{F}_3$$

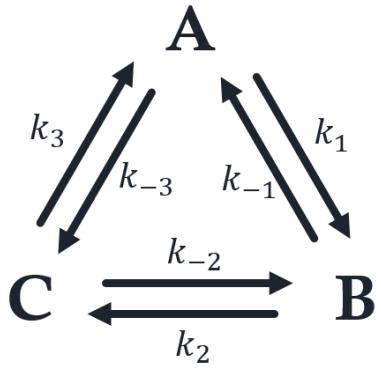
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Onsager reciprocal relation: reversible cyclic reaction



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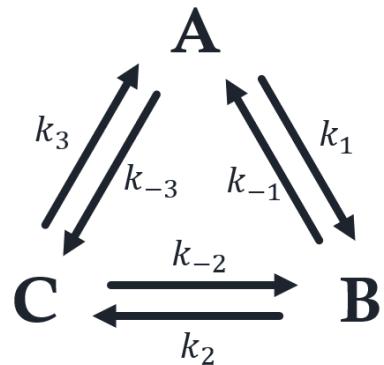
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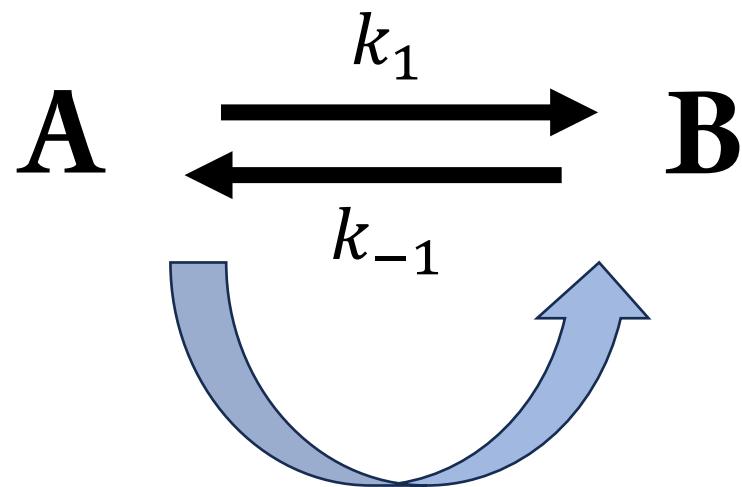


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(near equilibrium)

chemical flux:

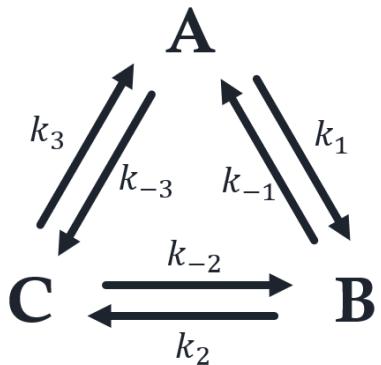
$$\mathcal{J}_1^+ \approx \mathcal{J}_1^- \Rightarrow k_1 A \approx k_{-1} B$$



chemical affinity (“force”):

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}_1 &= k_B \ln(k_1 A / k_{-1} B) \\ &\approx k_B \cdot \frac{k_1 A - k_{-1} B}{k_{-1} B_0} = k_B \cdot \frac{k_1 A - k_{-1} B}{k_1 A_0} \\ &= \frac{k_B}{k_1 A_0} \mathcal{J}_1 \end{aligned}$$

Onsager reciprocal relation: reversible cyclic reaction



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$$\mathcal{F}_1 \approx \frac{k_B}{k_1 A_0} \mathcal{J}_1, \mathcal{F}_2 \approx \frac{k_B}{k_2 B_0} \mathcal{J}_2, \mathcal{F}_3 \approx \frac{k_B}{k_3 C_0} \mathcal{J}_3$$

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$L_{12} = L_{21}$

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