

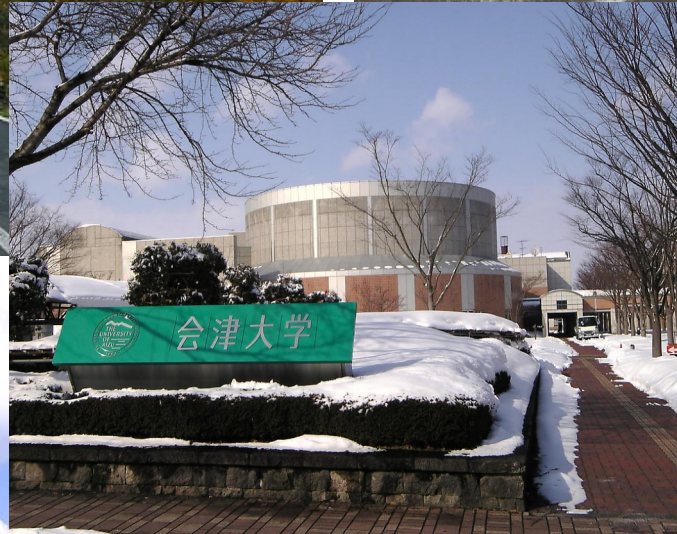
Физика систем с мотивацией: Проблемы моделирования человеческих действий

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Durkheim-Weber Dilemma

E. Durkheim: Math. & Physics
are **useful** in
Social Sciences

M. Weber: Math. & Physics
are **inapplicable** to
Social Sciences

Overcoming the Durkheim-Weber dilemma by reformulating it:

- *Durkheim's horn:* There is a wide class of phenomena observed in individual behavior of humans as well as social systems that admit mathematical description dealing with general laws independent of individual features of humans
- *Weber's horn:* New notions and mathematical formalism should be developed **in addition** to ones inherited from physics and applied mathematics

social systems with cooperative dynamics



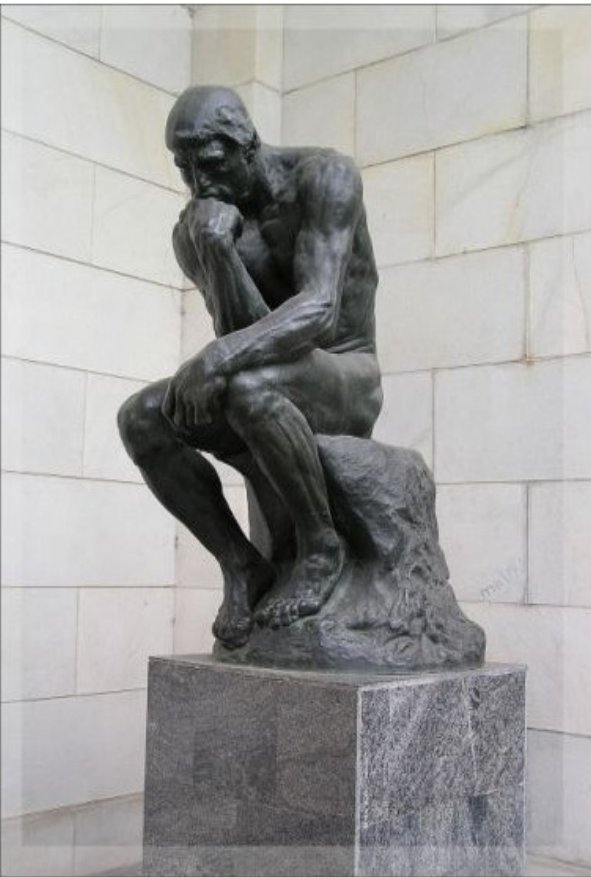
social systems with cooperative dynamics



regular
actions
of
humans



Systems with self-averaging & Characteristic element



- Final goal: what elements want
- Strategy of behavior:
 - how elements are going to act:
 - perception
 - imagination
 - prediction
- Learning:
 - how elements improve their behavior
- Social and moral norms
- Culture

the notion of
characteristic element:

- Regular properties
- Individuality as random factor

Ceteris paribus laws (laws with exceptions)

Multilevel nature of humans being:

Latin: ceteris paribus => with other things being the same

Our case:

Exclusive => non-controllable & non-disturbing

indefinite => unknown & unrecognized factors

ceteris paribus laws

Systems with cooperative or reproducible dynamics:

Holistic ceteris paribus laws

Nomological machines

Nancy Cartwright (1989)

A nomological machine **is** union of

- a fixed arrangement of components with stable capacities
- in a stable environment

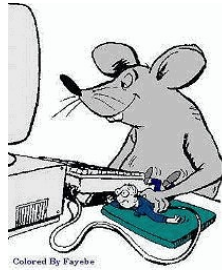
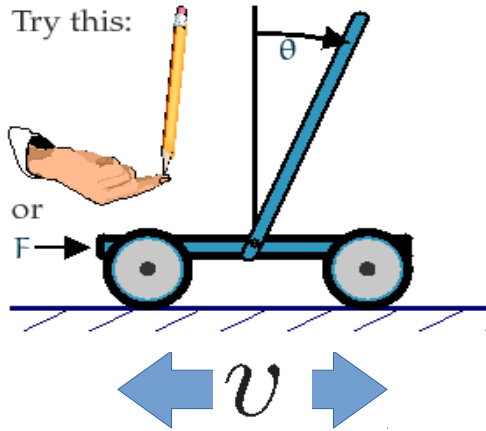
that withing repeated operation reproduces the same kind of regular behavior described by a given scientific law (CP-law) (Cartwright, 1999)

Examples: Pendulum, Solar System, etc.

Problem: Amount of nomological machines ?
How to merge nomological machines?

Examples of nomological machines

Stick balancing

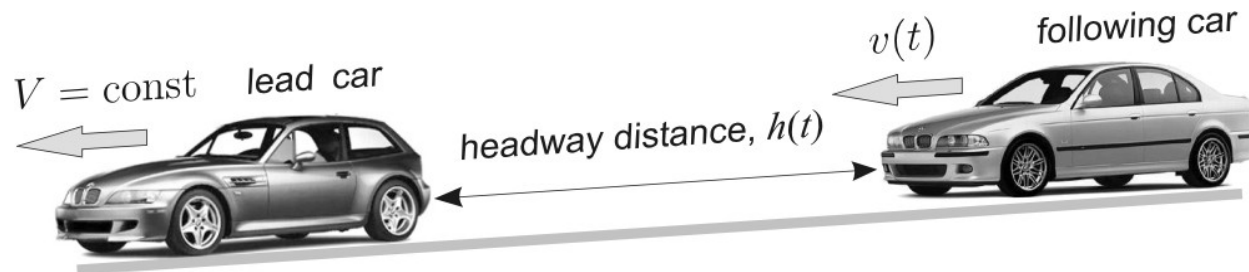


Model ?

$$\ddot{\theta} - \frac{1}{T^2} \sin \theta + \frac{1}{\tau} \dot{\theta} = -\mathcal{R}(\theta, \dot{\theta})$$

$$\mathcal{R}(\theta, \dot{\theta}) = \beta(\theta - \theta_{th}) \left\{ p_0 \theta_{t-\tau} + p_1 \dot{\theta}_{t-\tau} \right\}$$

Car following

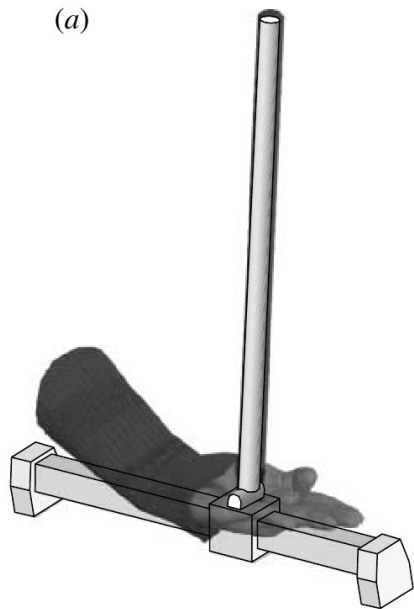


Model (Social force model) ?

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = a_{\text{opt}}(h, v)$$

$$a_{\text{opt}}(h, v) = \frac{1}{\tau_v} \left[v_{\text{max}} \frac{h^2}{h^2 + D^2} - v \right]$$

Human Intermittent Control: Dynamical Trap Theory & Virtual Experiments on Stick Balancing



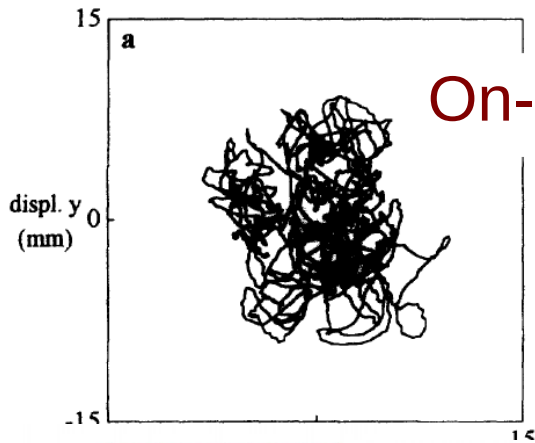
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Characteristic properties of human response:

Discontinuous control by human actions

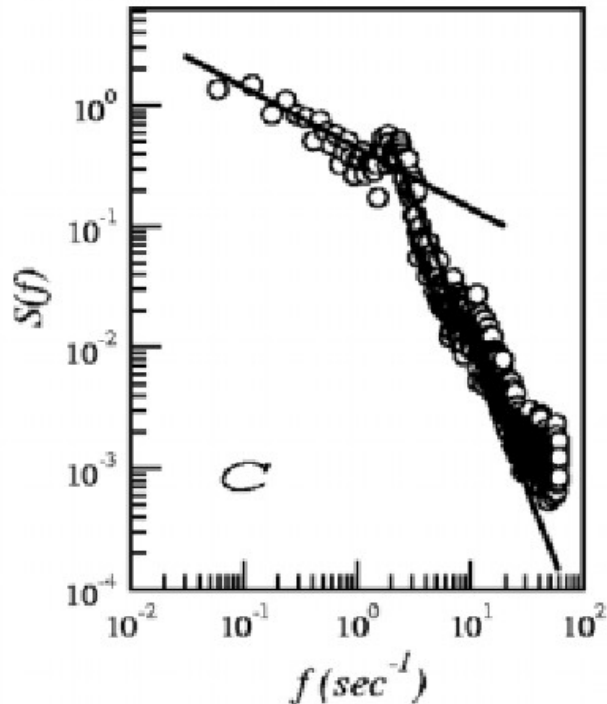
Empirical data of muscles behavior during body sway



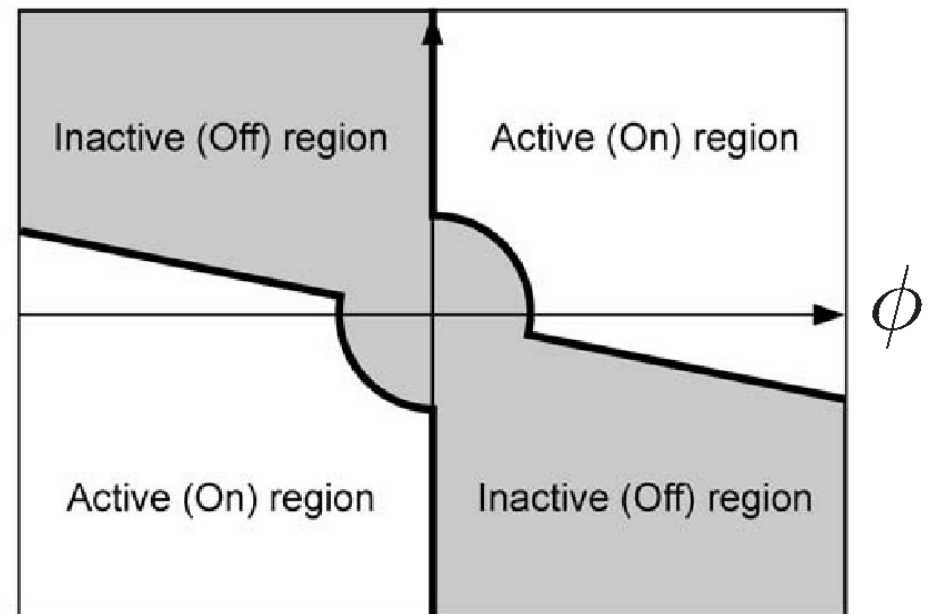
On-Off Intermittency

Act-and-Wait or Event-Driven models

Different regions in the phase space $\{\phi, \dot{\phi}\}$



MODEL 4

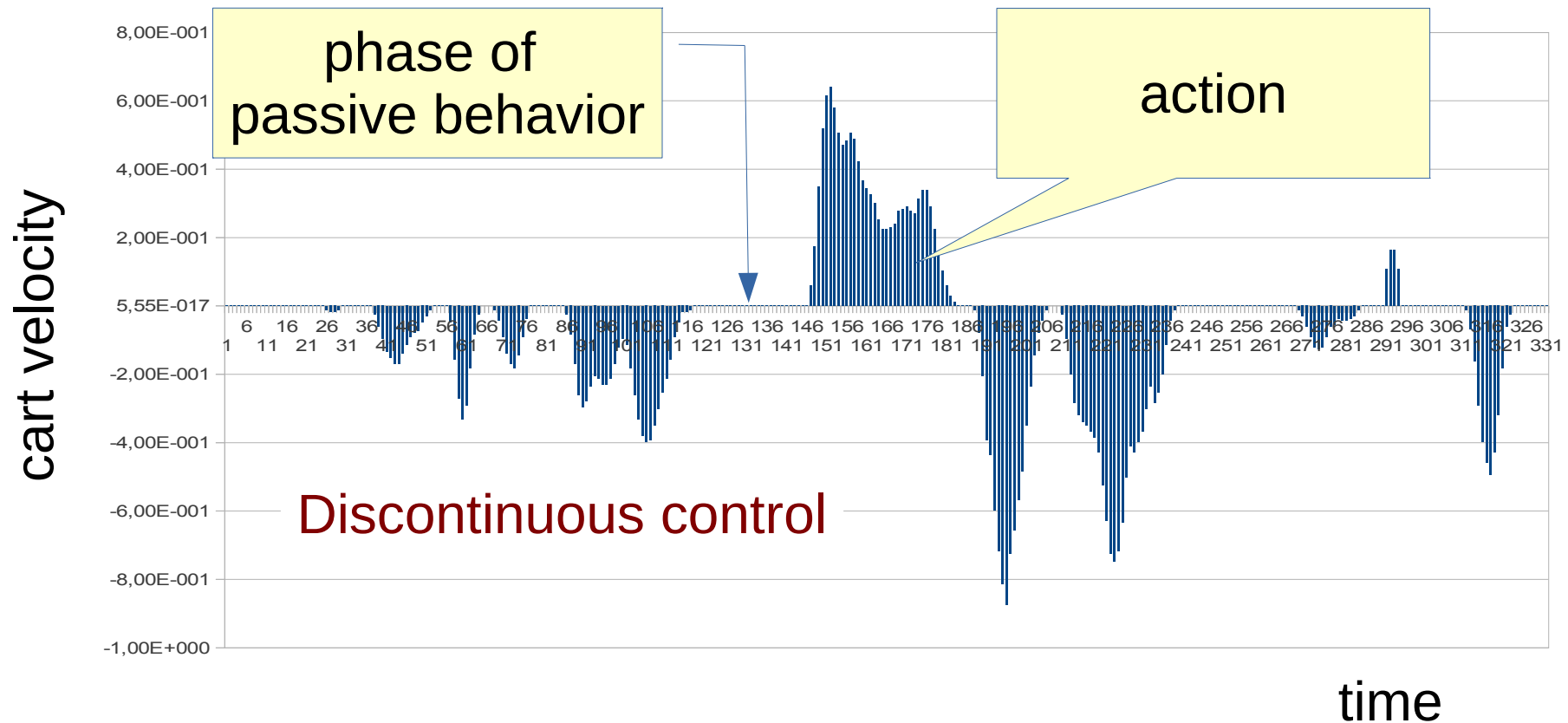
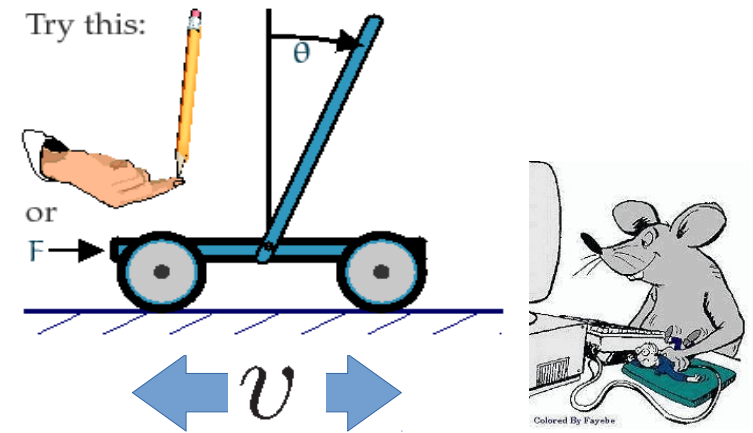


Virtual experiments with over-damped inverted pendulum

Mechanics:

$$\tau \dot{\phi} = \sin \phi + \frac{\tau}{l} \cdot v \cdot \cos \phi$$

Human action: $v = U\{\phi, \dot{\phi}\}$



Human Intermittent Control (*Modern paradigm*)

Human actions in control over unstable mechanical systems form a sequence of alternate fragments of

- **Passive phase:** When the system state is rather close to the equilibrium the operator cannot recognize its deviation from the desired state and does nothing (“Status quo bias”)
- **Active phase:** Open-loop control, during a given fragment of active phase the operator practically does not react to the current system dynamics

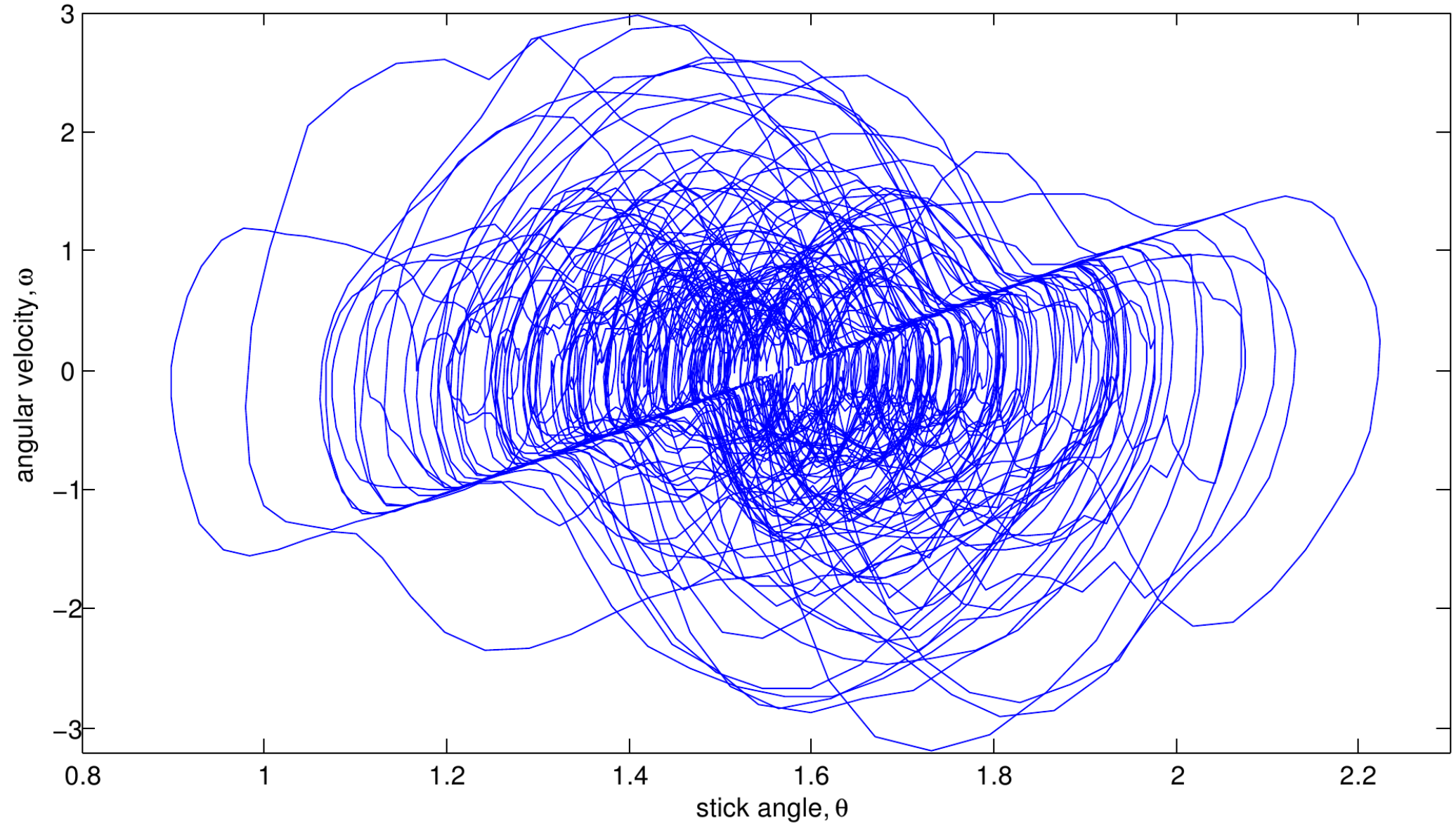
Two phase transitions:



Virtual inverted pendulum:

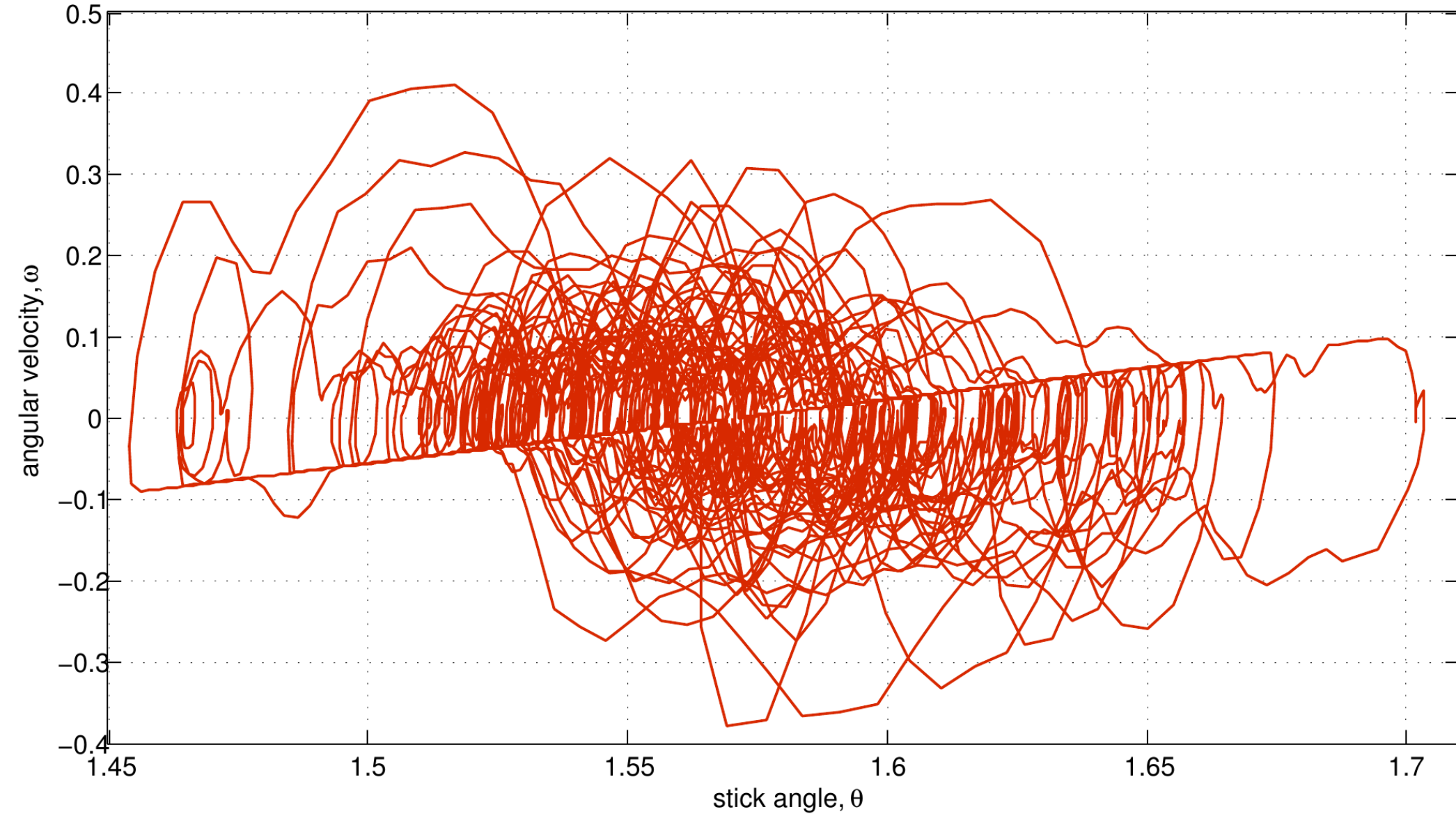
Phase portrait:

$\tau = 1$ sec



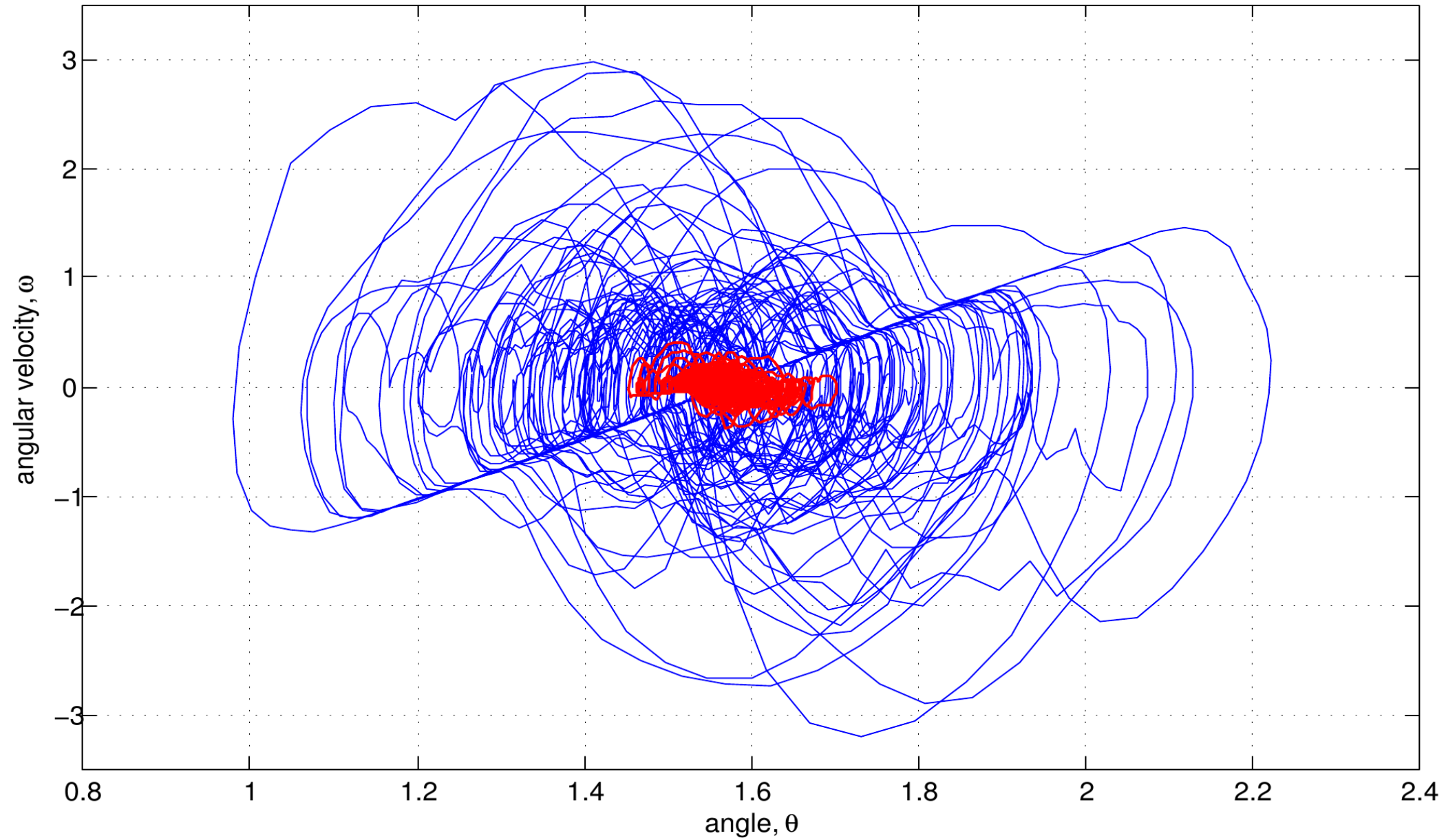
Virtual inverted pendulum:

Phase portrait: $\tau = 5$ sec



Virtual inverted pendulum:

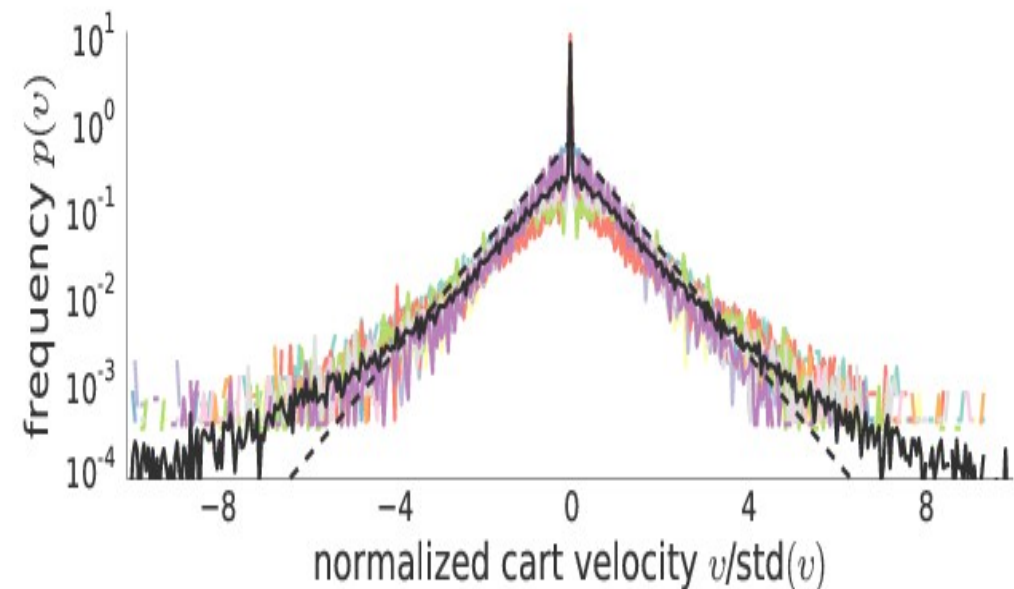
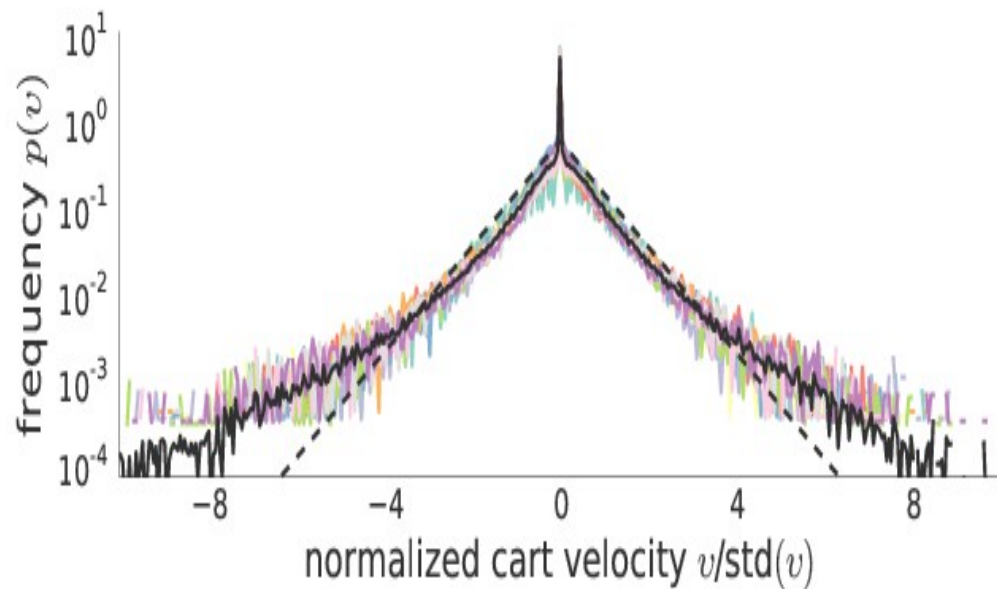
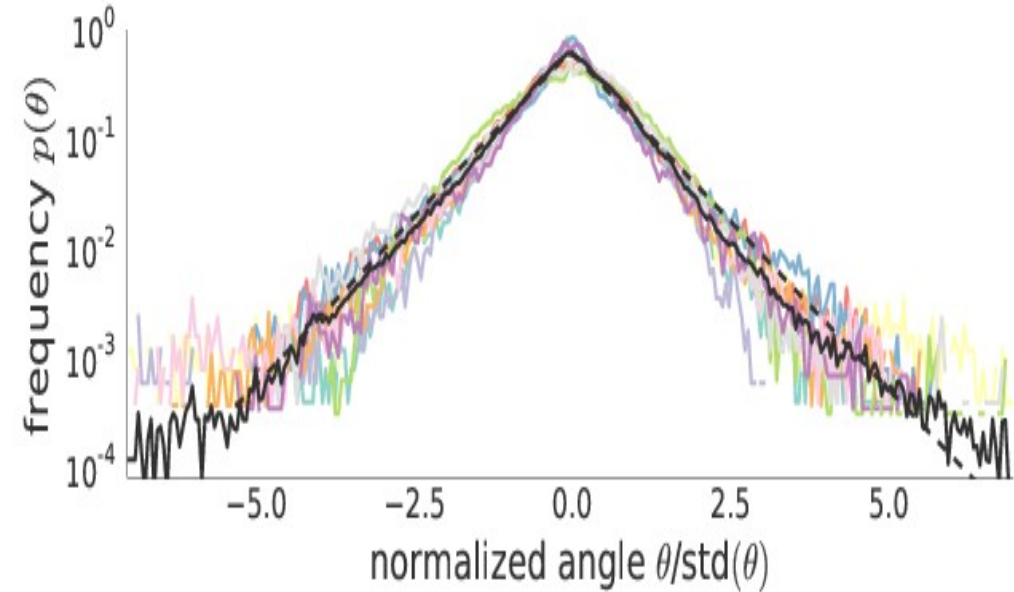
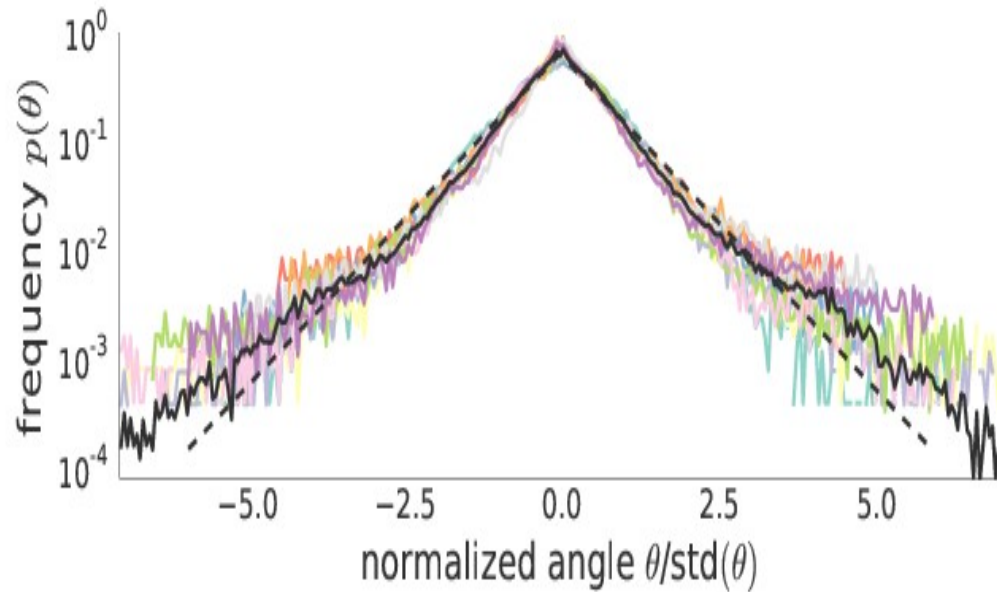
Phase portrait: $\tau = 1$ & 5 sec



Virtual inverted pendulum: Experimental data

“Fast” stick

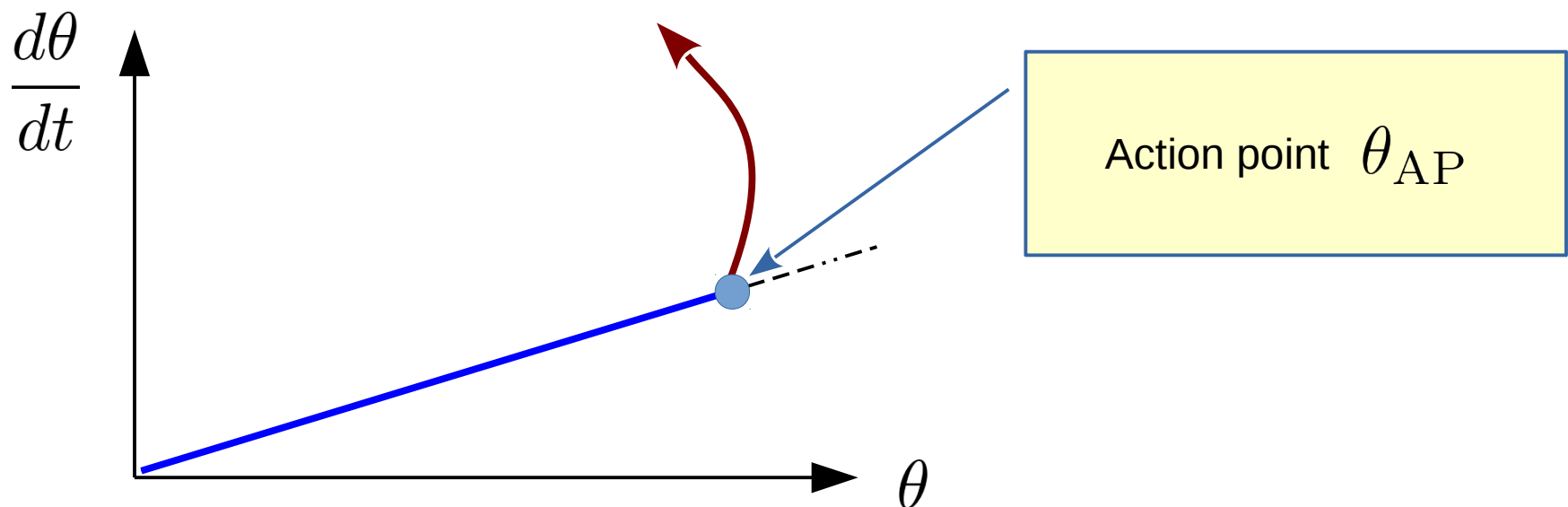
“Slow” stick



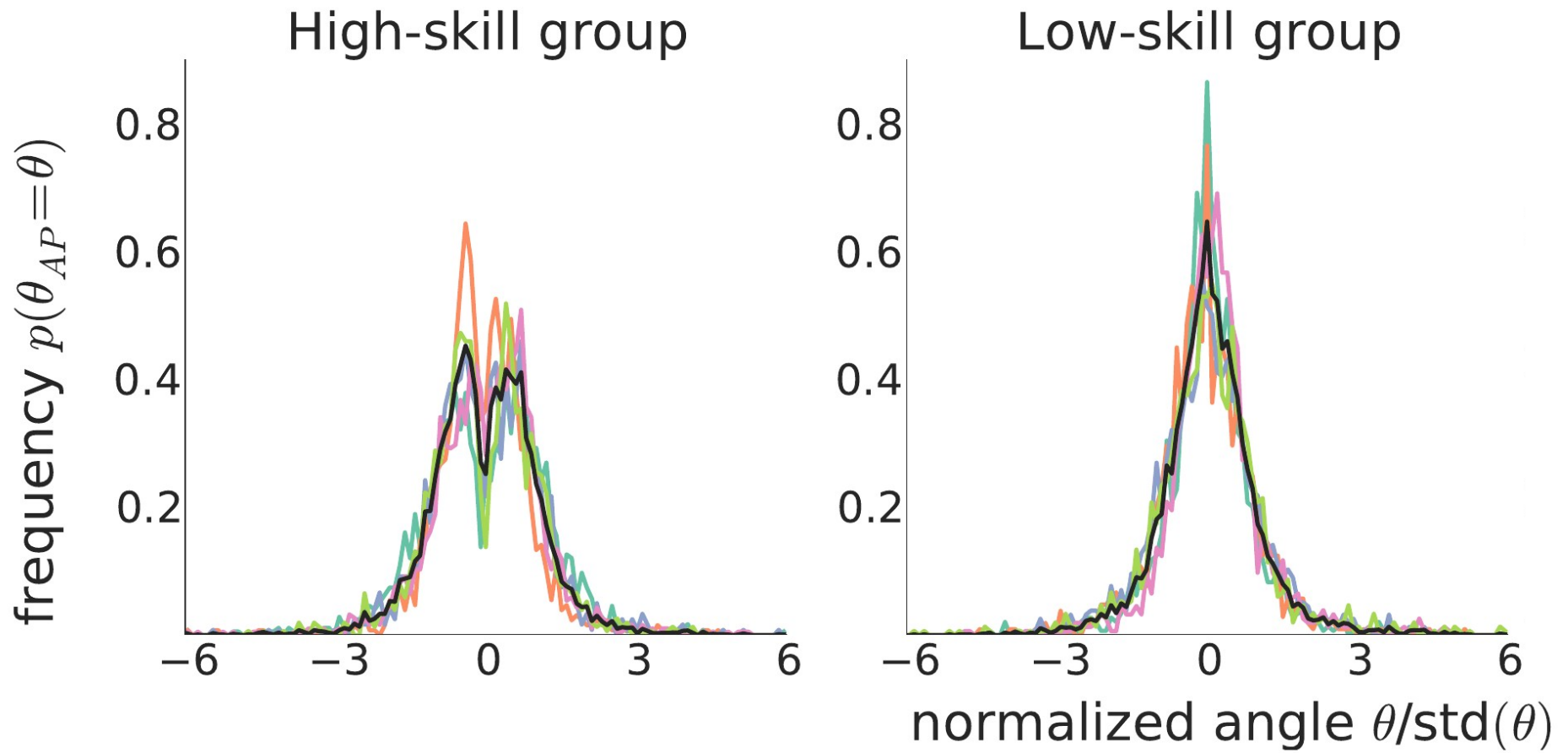
Phase transition: Passive phase  Active phase

Passive phase: The operator does nothing and “accumulates information” about the system state

The system dynamics is governed by its mechanical laws and can be described by the corresponding **phase space**. All the human factors such as a delay time (regular and probabilistic) can be incorporated into the concept of **action points** and their probabilistic properties:



Virtual inverted pendulum: Experimental data





Human Bounded Rationality and Dynamical Trap Concept

phase space $\{x, y\}$

if human perception were strictly rational

$$\begin{aligned} \tau \frac{dx}{dt} &= P(x, y) \\ \tau \frac{dy}{dt} &= Q(x, y) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} P(x, y) &= 0 \\ Q(x, y) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



stationary point

$$\{x_{st}, y_{st}\}$$

stable or unstable

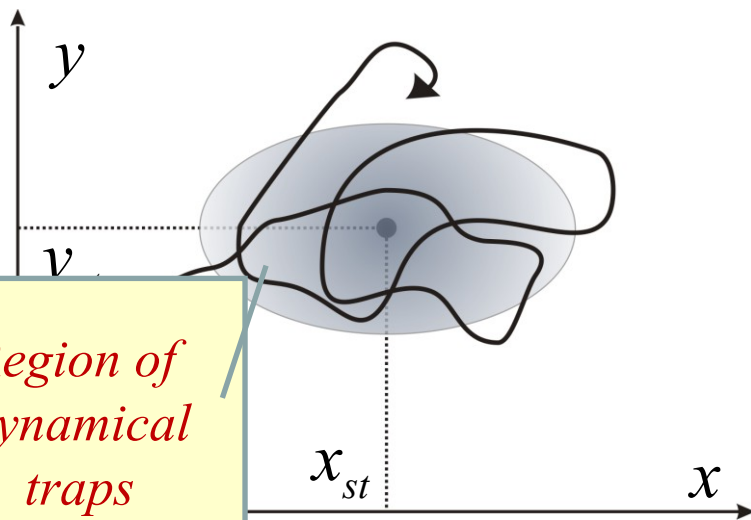
Bounded Rationality $\{x, y\} \rightarrow \{x_{st}, y_{st}\}$

$$\tau(x, y) \rightarrow \infty$$

$$P(x, y) \rightarrow P(x, y) + \epsilon_x(x, y)\xi_x(t)$$

$$Q(x, y) \rightarrow Q(x, y) + \epsilon_y(x, y)\xi_y(t)$$

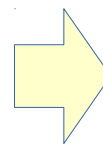
person just **cannot** “see” the point $\{x_{st}, y_{st}\}$



*Region of
dynamical
traps*

Phase transition:

Active phase

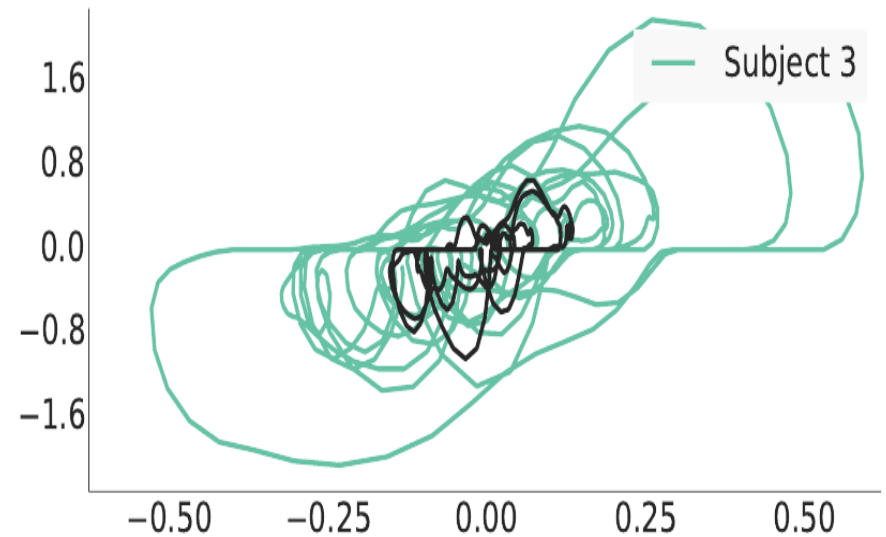
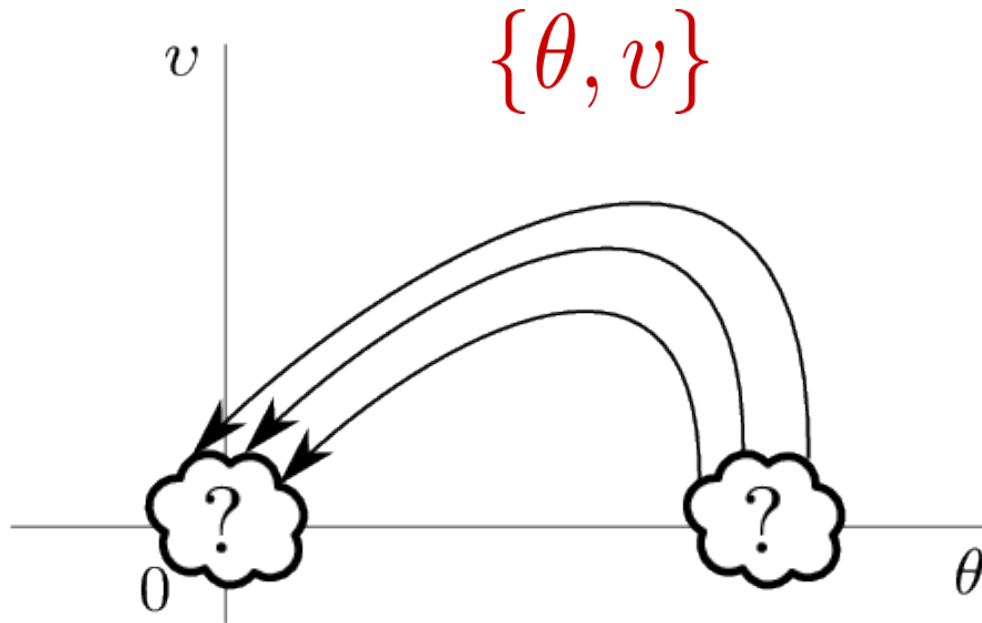


Passive phase

Active phase:

Open loop control:

Extended Phase Space



Rational approximation: minimize

subject to

$$\mathcal{F}\{v\} = \int_t^\infty \left[\frac{\tau^2}{2l^2} (v^2 + \tau_m^2 \dot{v}^2) + \frac{\theta^2}{2\theta_m^2} \right] dt'$$

$$\tau \dot{\theta} = \theta - \frac{\tau}{l} v$$

Dynamical Trap Model

System mechanics:

$$\tau \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \theta - \frac{\tau}{l} v$$

Effective noise for
Passive Phase



Active Phase

Human actions:

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = \Omega(v)(\gamma\theta - \sigma v) + \epsilon\xi(t)$$

Active Phase



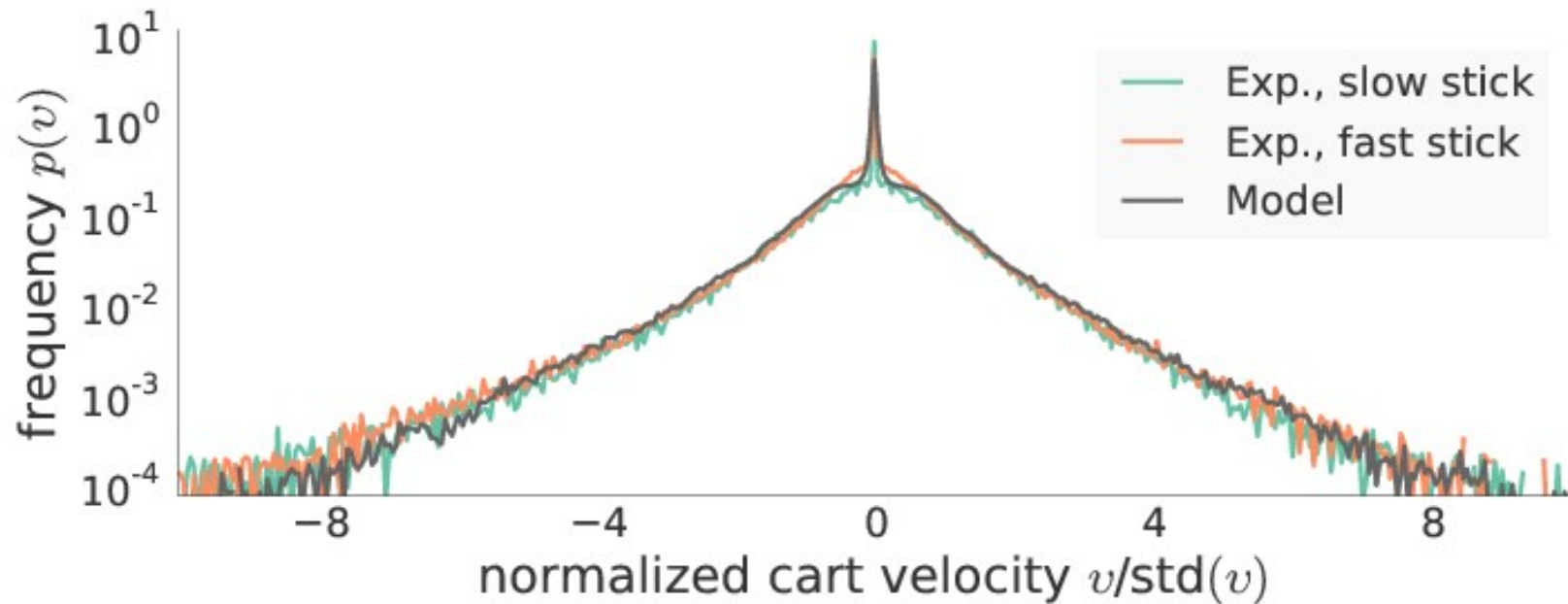
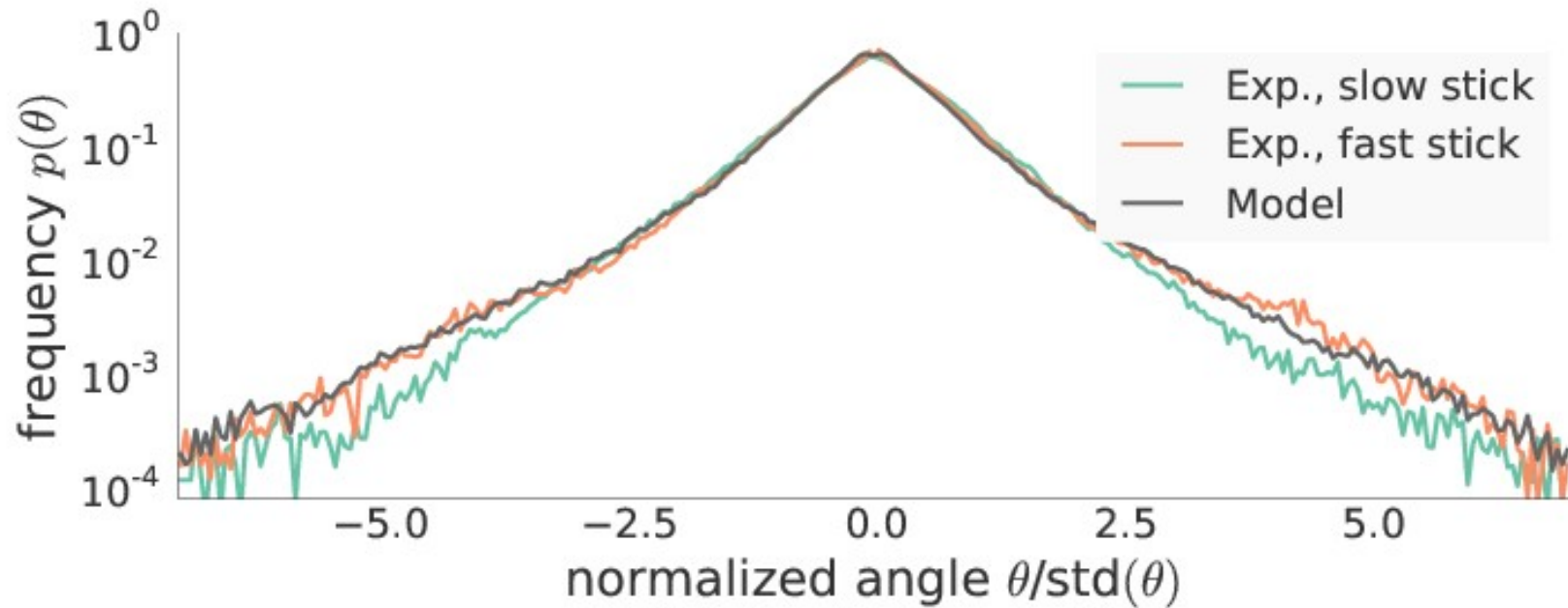
Passive Phase

Open Loop Control

$$\Omega(v) = \frac{v^2}{v^2 + v_{th}^2}$$

Dynamical Trap Factor
for the Cart Velocity

Model vs. Experiments: Angle & Cart velocity

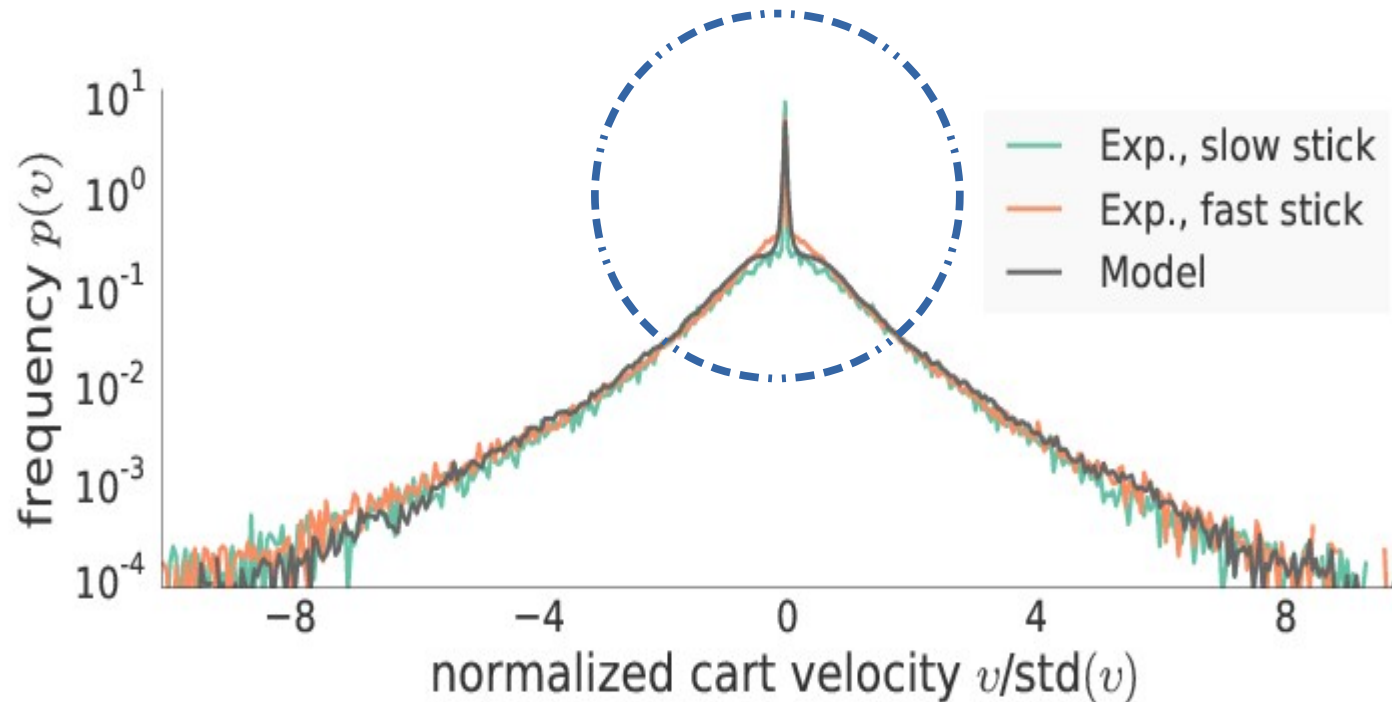


Characteristic Property of Intermittent Control

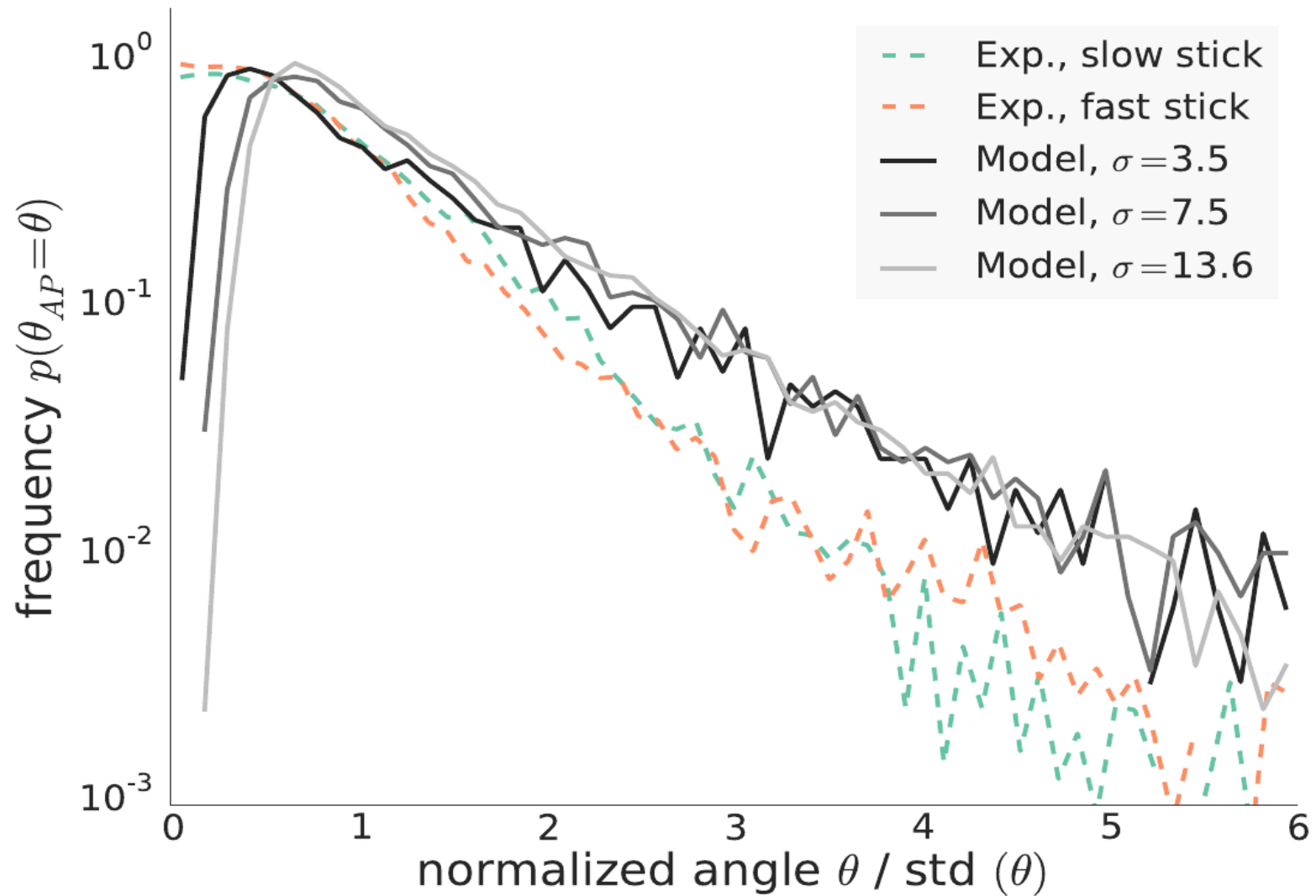
Peak of
the cart velocity
distribution:



- Measure of the passive phase amount
- Cart velocity as additional phase variable describing human actions

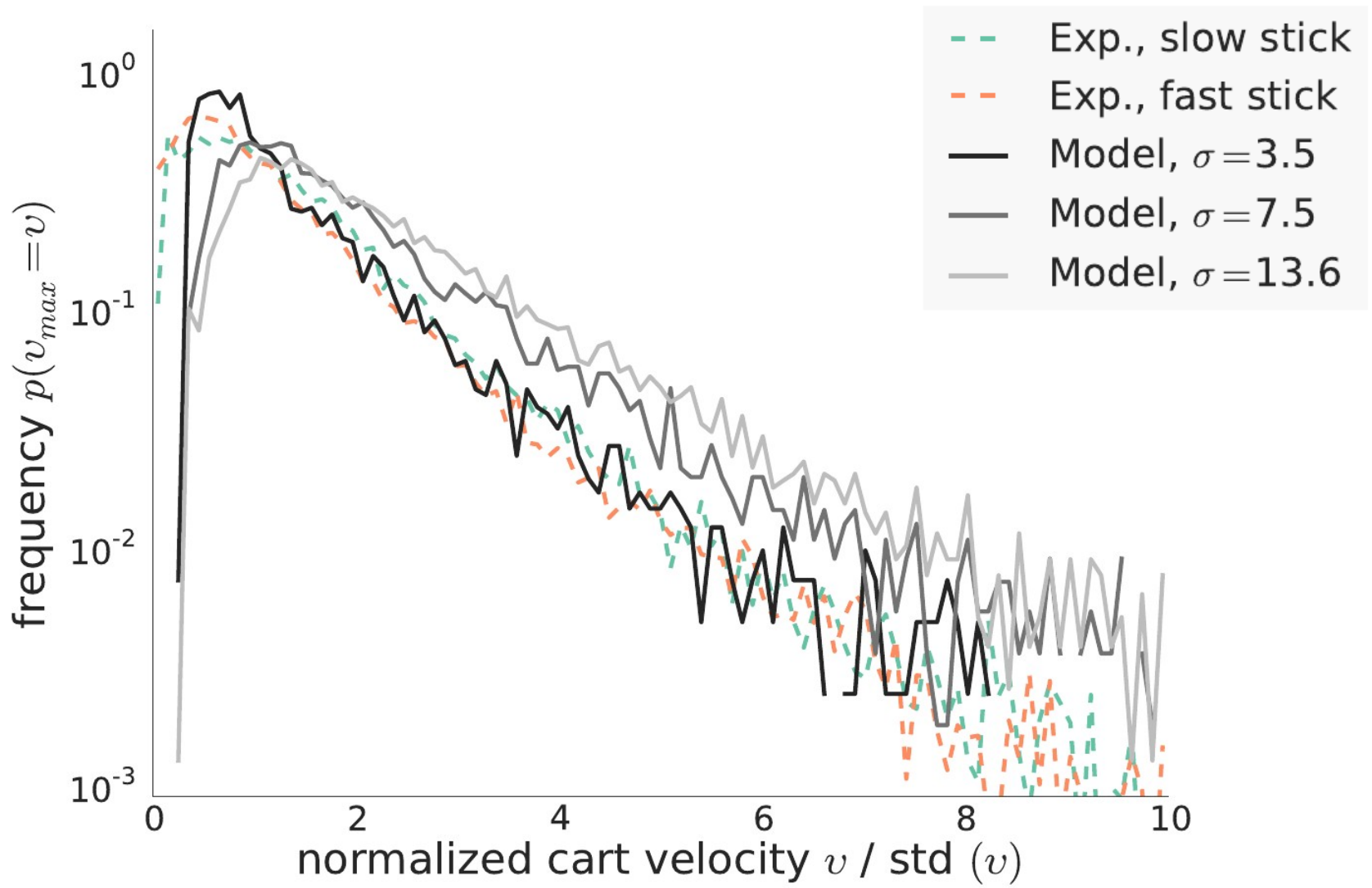


Model vs. Experiments: Action Points



(a) Action point distribution.

Model vs. Experiments: Maximum velocity



(b) Peak velocity distribution.

Conclusion to Over-Damped Stick Balancing Experiments

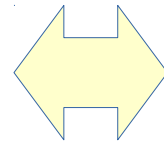
Description of the dynamics of

the balancing of over-damped pendulum

does not belong to the Newtonian mechanics paradigm.

The dynamics of such human intermittent control is based on a sequence of alternate phase transitions of probabilistic nature

Active phase



Passive phase

Open-loop control
requiring the extended
phase space:

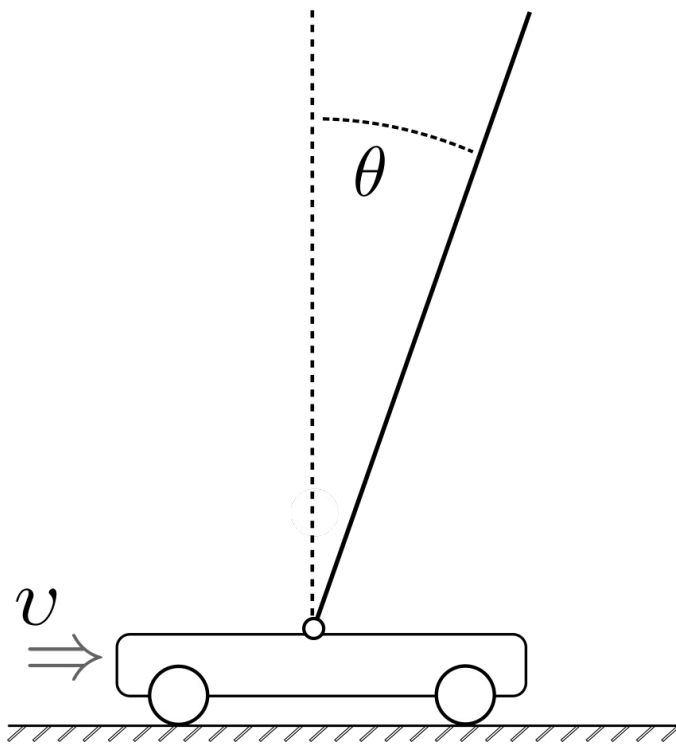
stick angle – θ

cart velocity – v

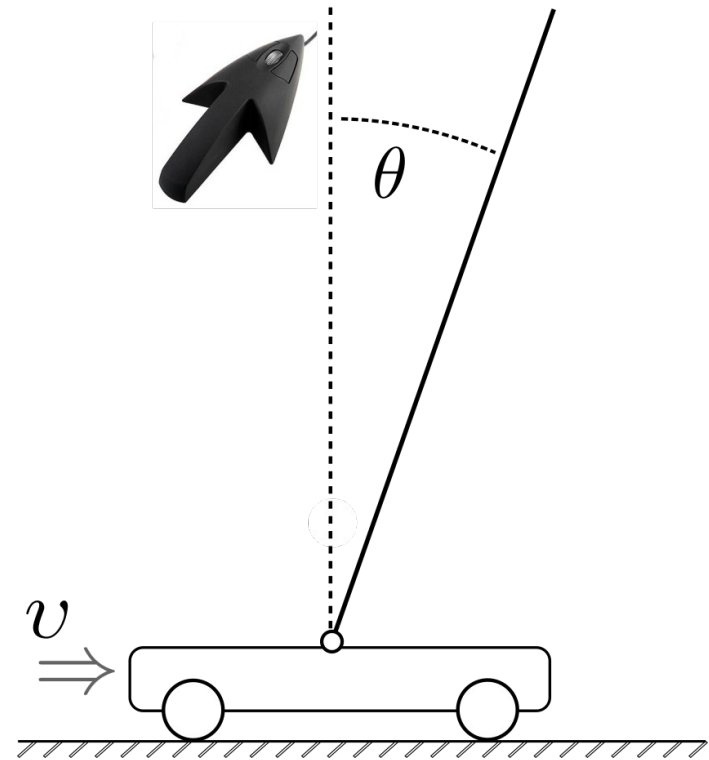
System dynamics is
described by the
standard phase space

Stick balancing: two nomological machines

no mouse

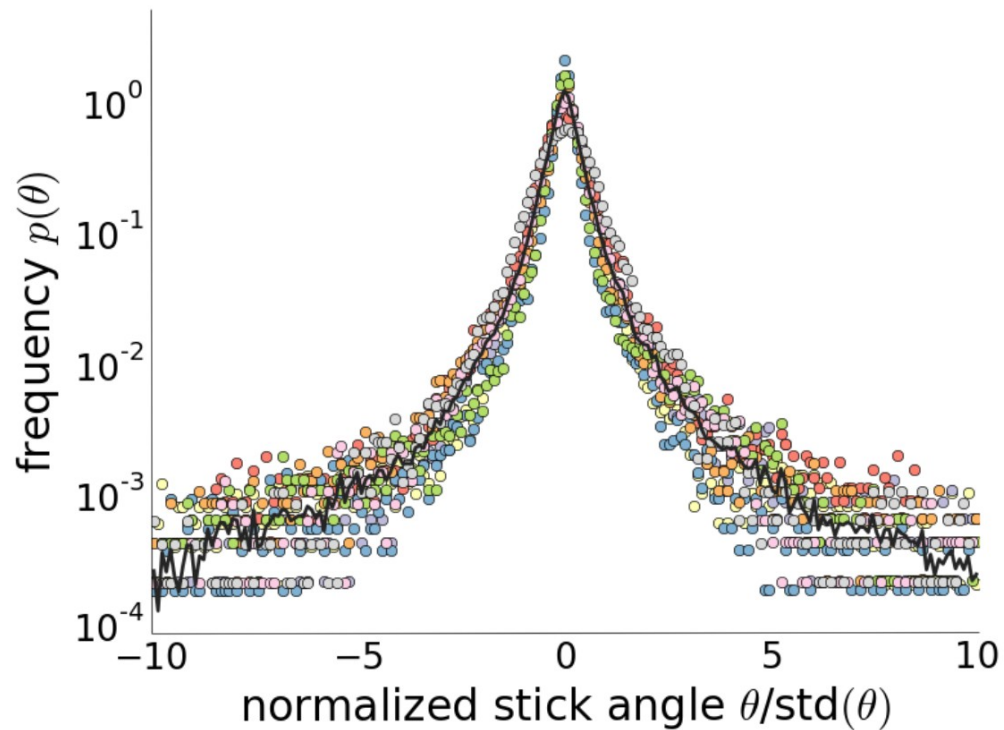


mouse is visible

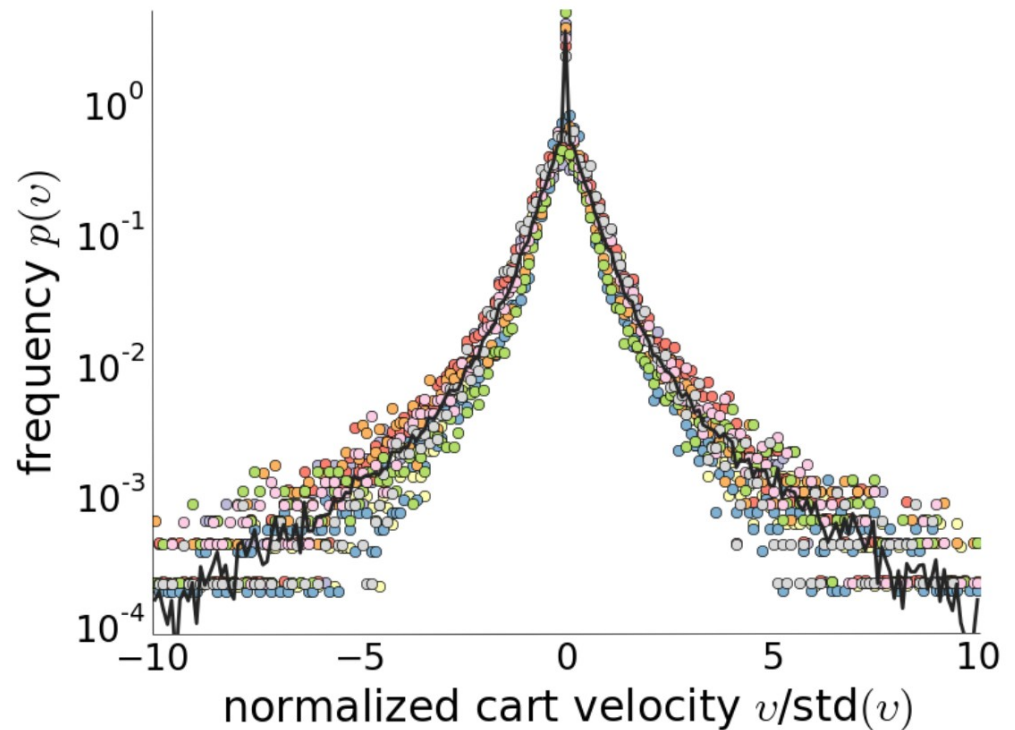


Visible mouse experiments, 8 subjects

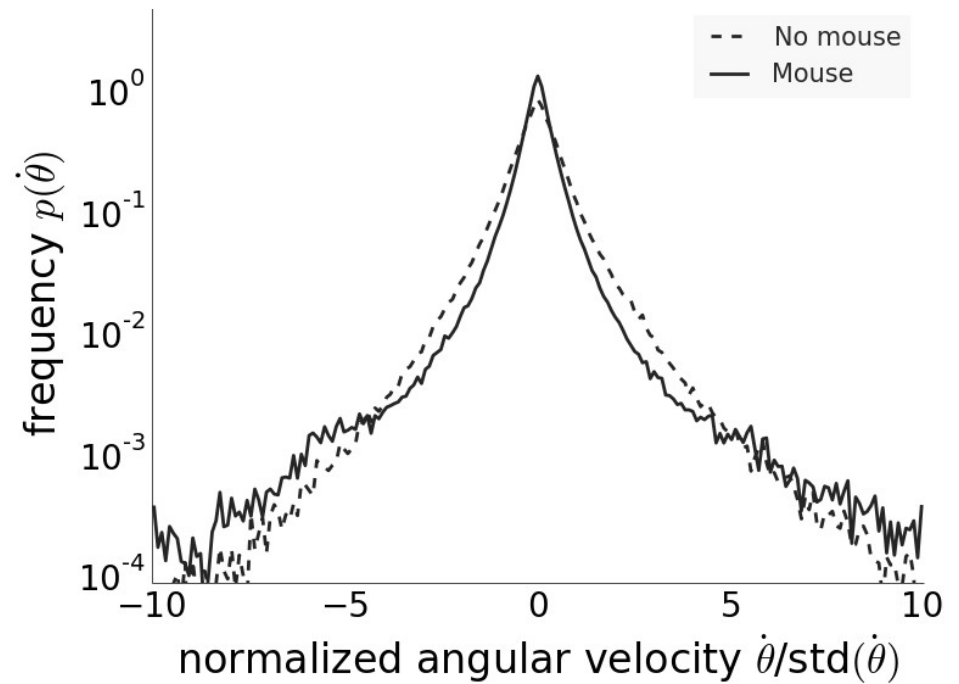
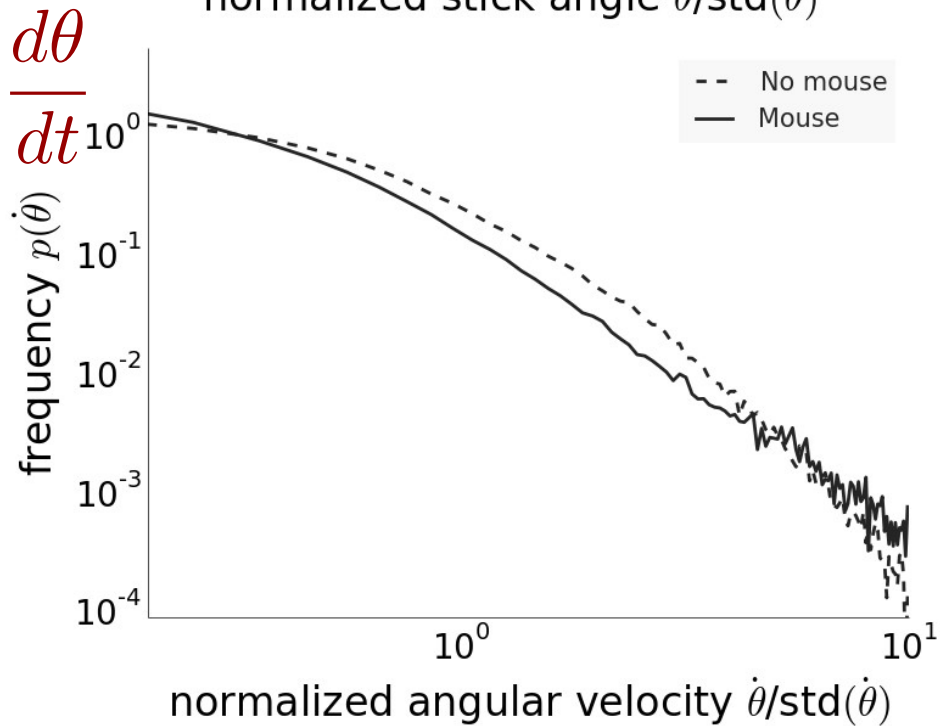
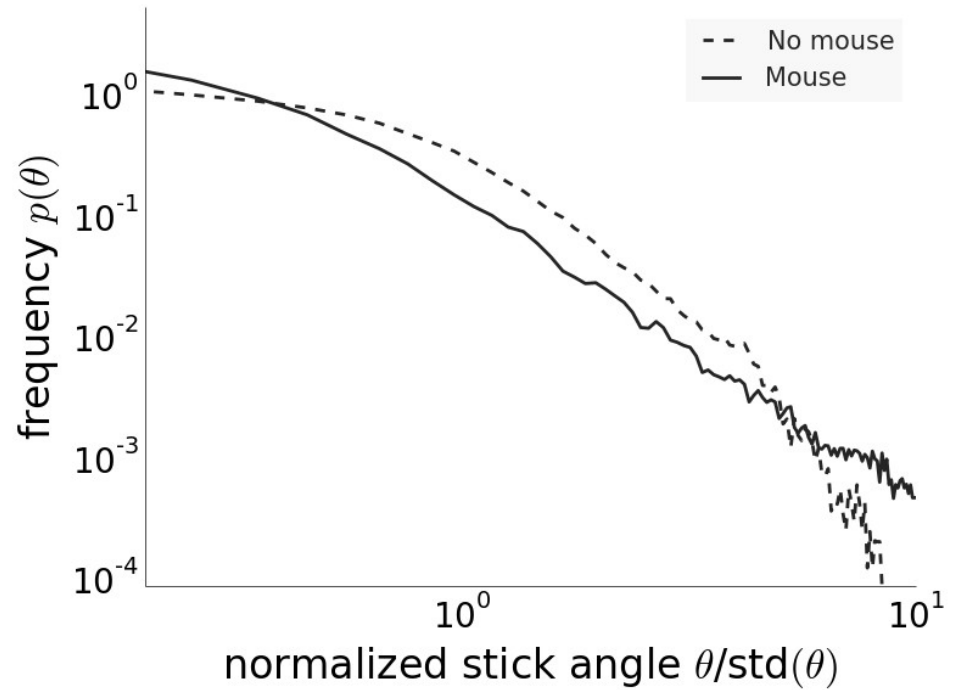
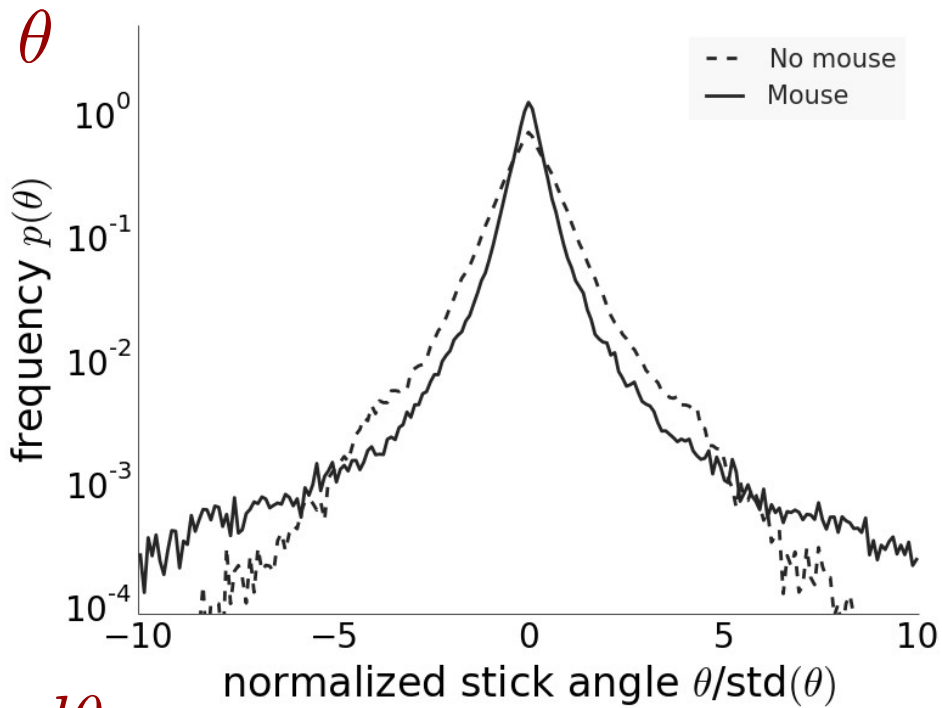
Angle distribution



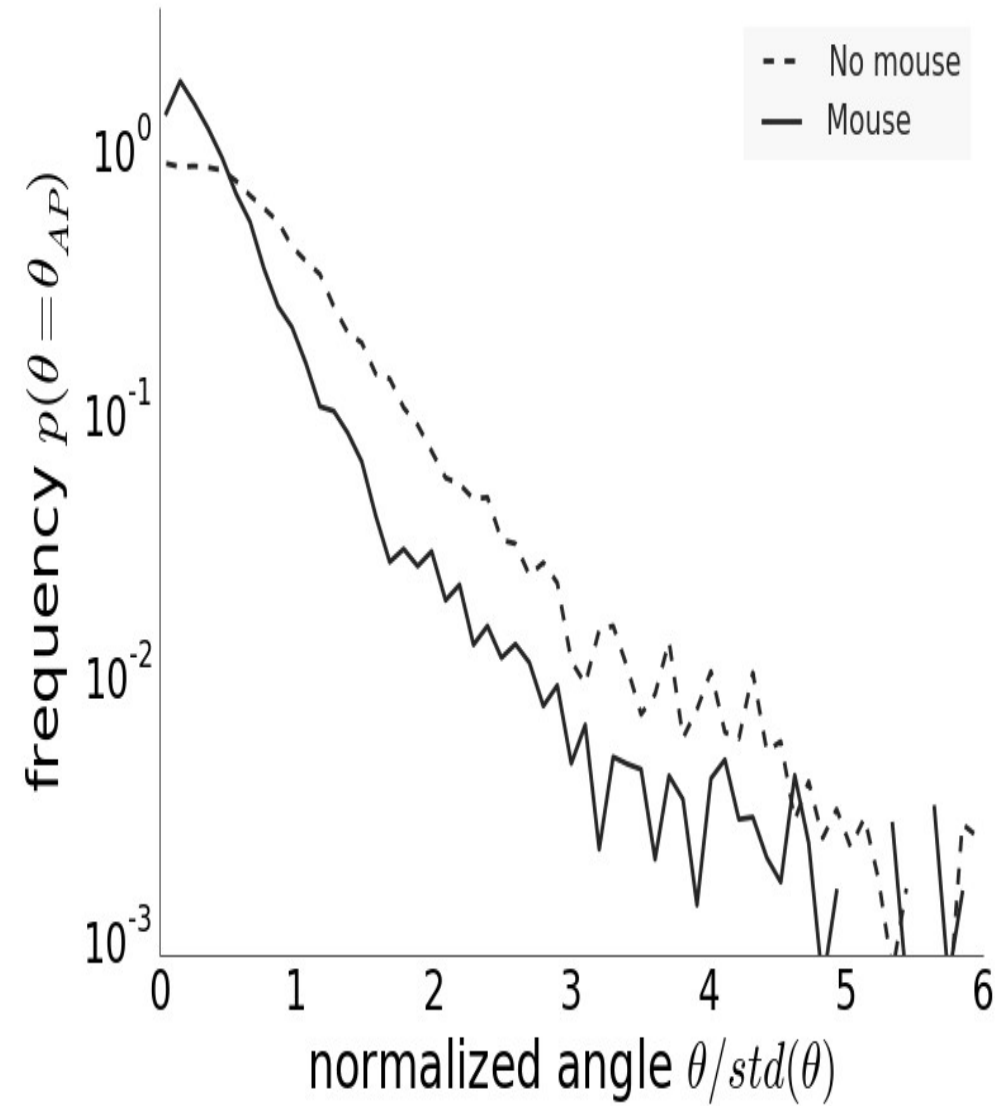
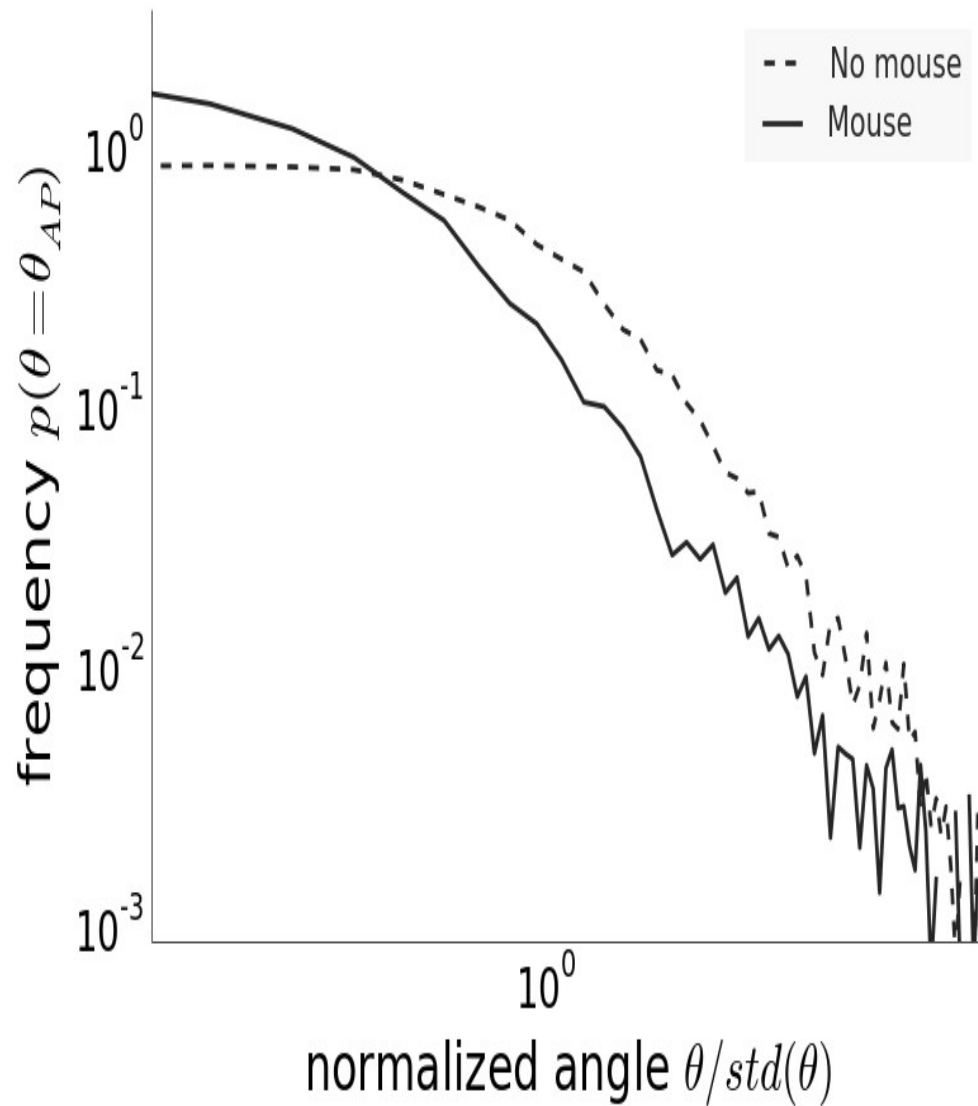
Car velocity distribution



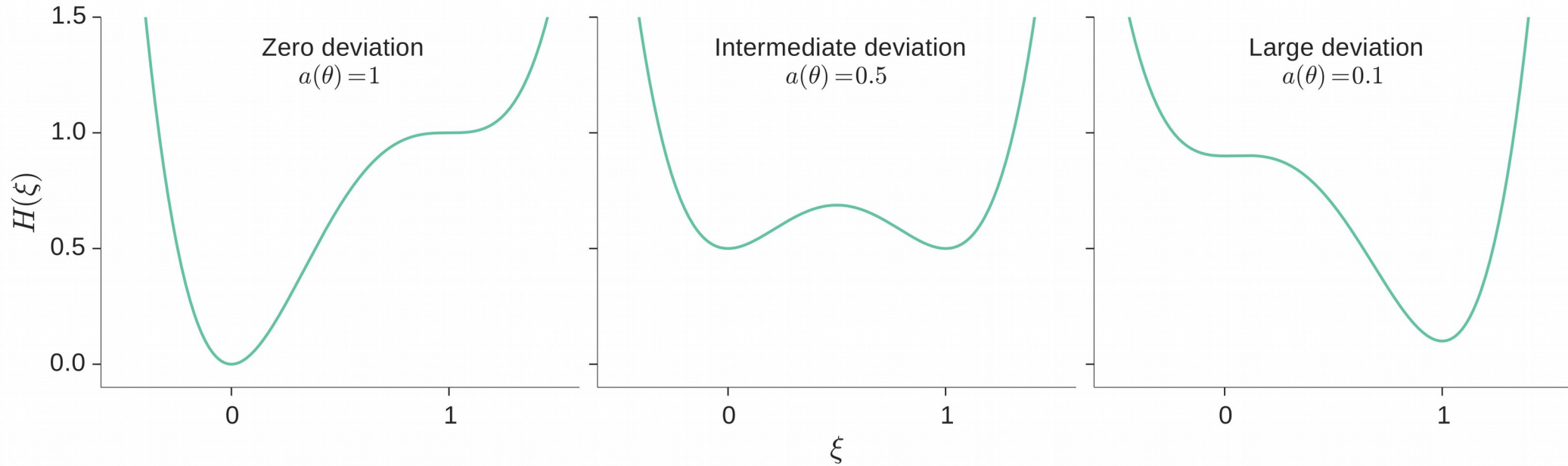
“Mouse – No-mouse” comparison



“Mouse – No-mouse” comparison: Action Points



Double-well dynamics of control activation



Governing equations

Model of potential

$$\dot{\theta} = \theta - v,$$

$$H(\xi, a(\theta)) = 3\xi^4 - 4(1 + a)\xi^3 + 6a\xi^2 + 1 - \dots$$

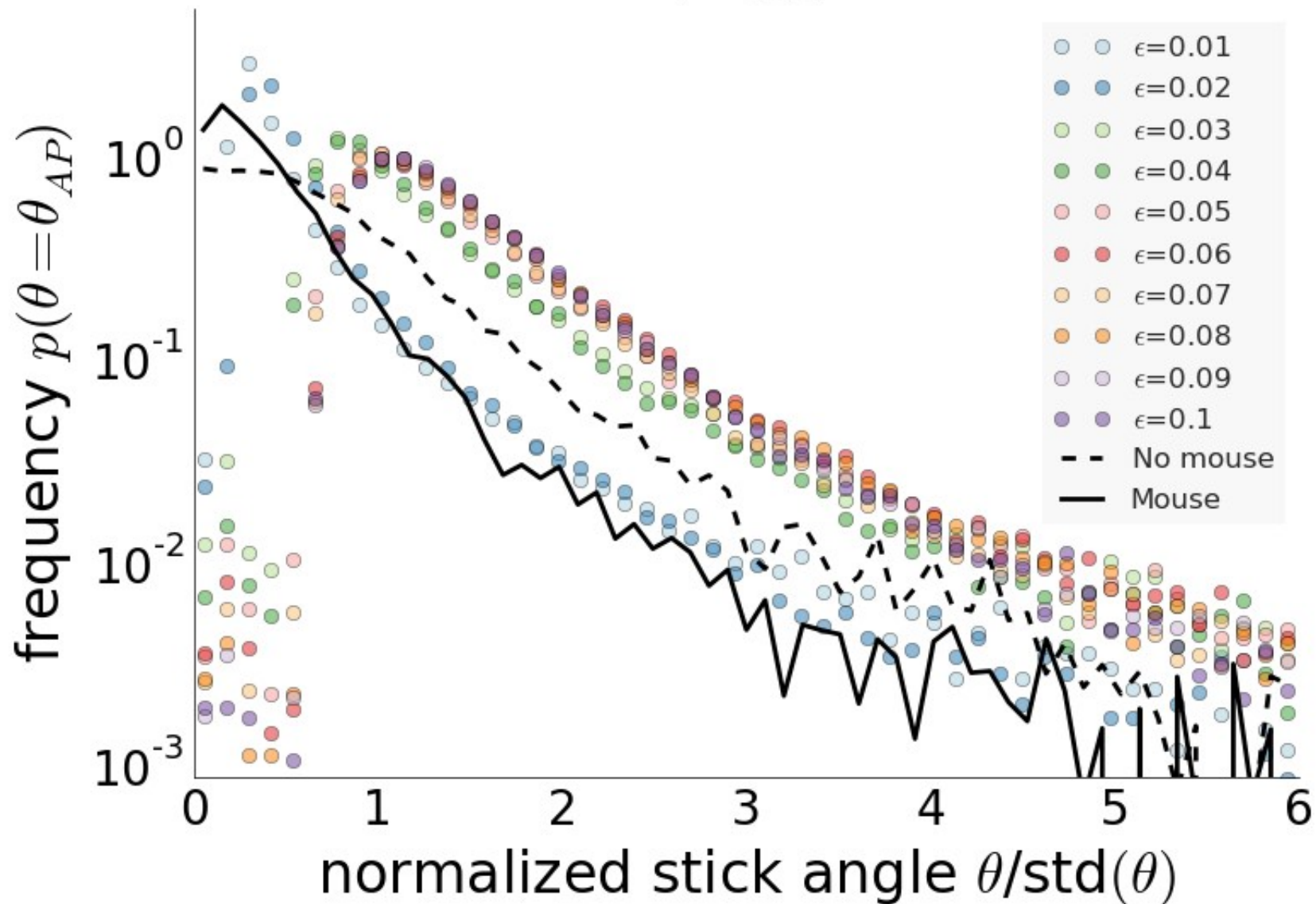
$$\dot{v} = \gamma\theta\xi - \sigma v,$$

$$\tau \dot{\xi} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} + \sqrt{\epsilon H} \zeta,$$

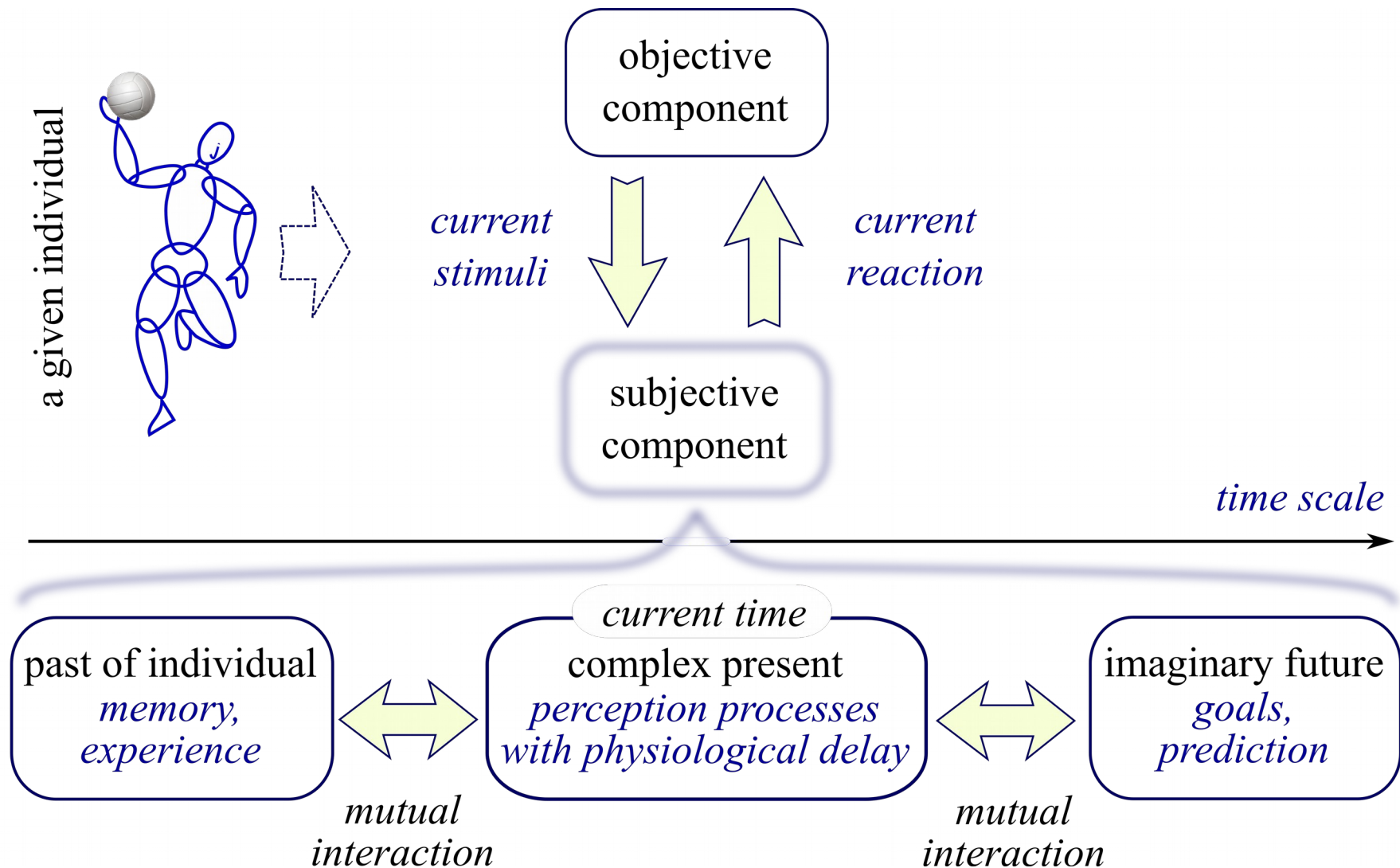
$$a(\theta) = 1/(1 + \theta^2)$$

Double well potential: Phase transition in the action point distribution

$\tau=0.2$



Description of human actions: Two individual components



Car driving simulator (TORCS)



4 subjects with different driving skill

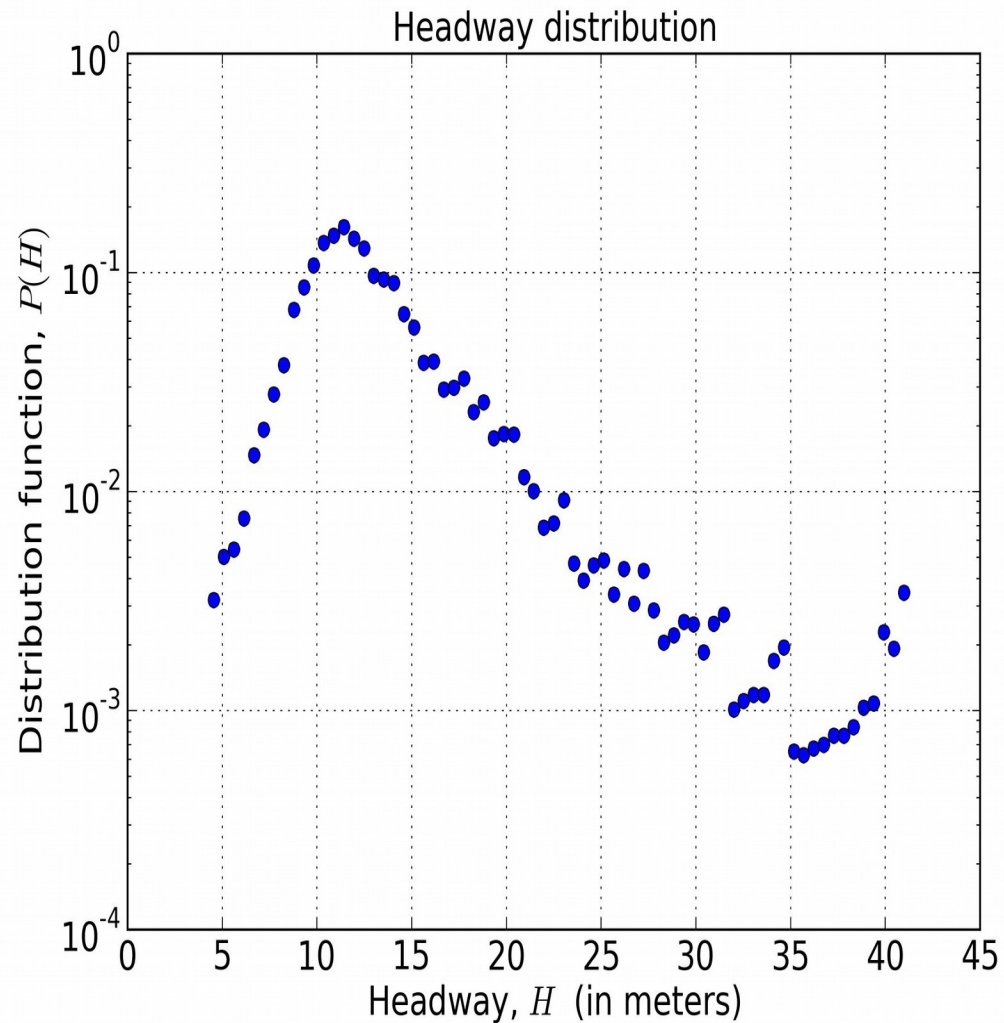
Car following setup

- follow a lead car without overtaking;
- keep a convenient headway without losing the lead car

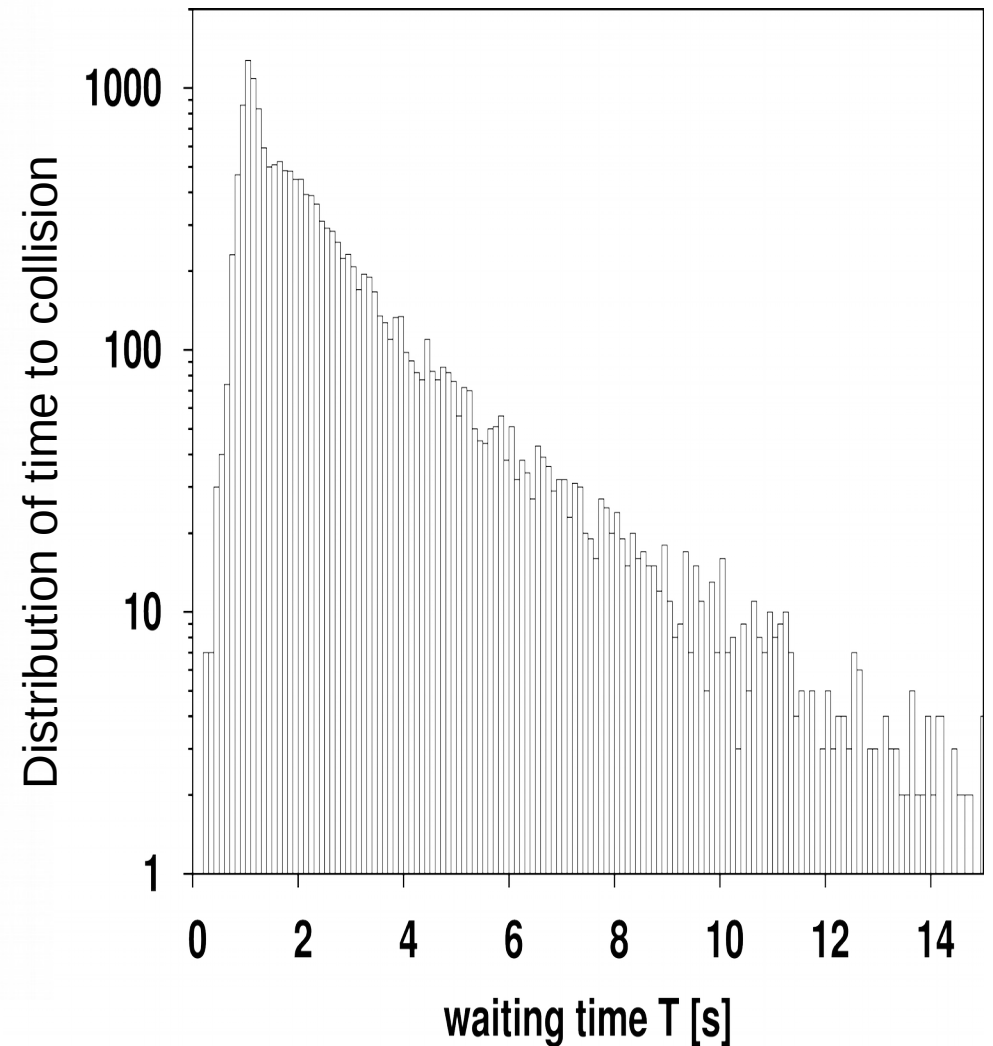
Duration of experiment: 30 minutes

Headway distribution (TORCS)

Data of virtual experiments

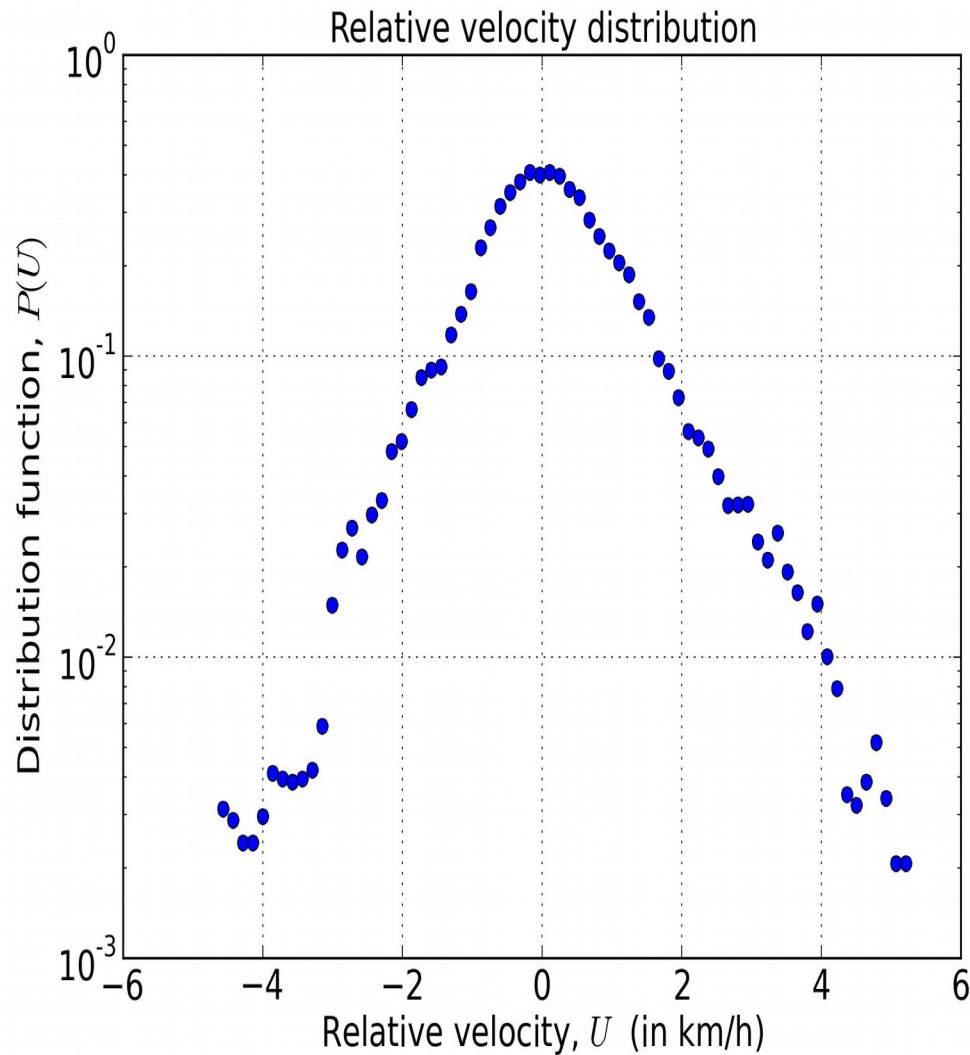


Data of real traffic

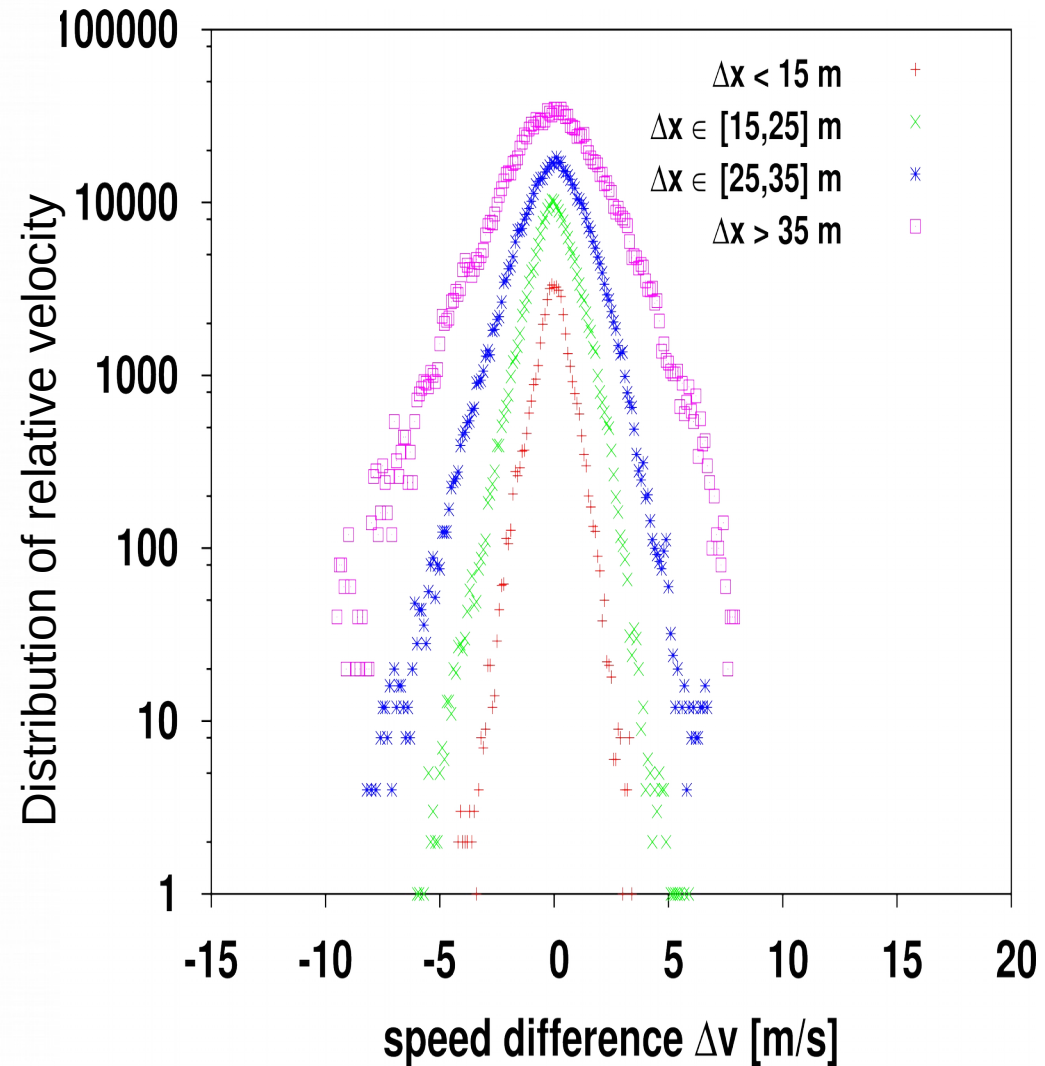


Velocity distribution (TORCS)

Data of virtual experiments



Data of real traffic



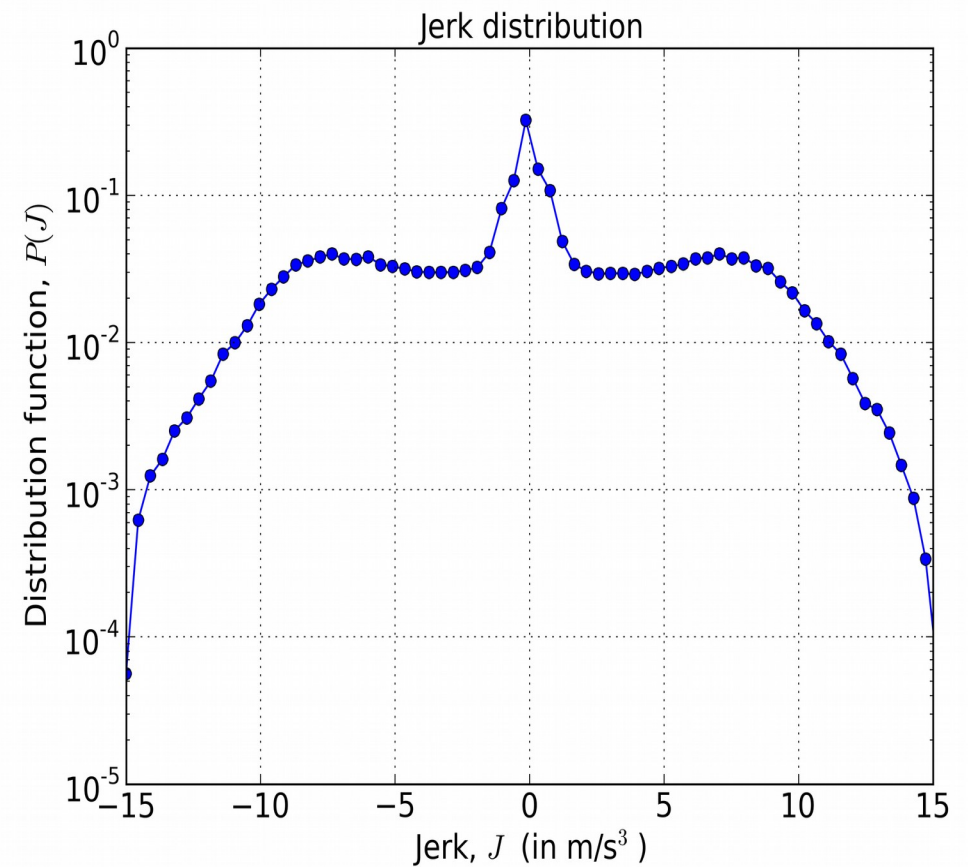
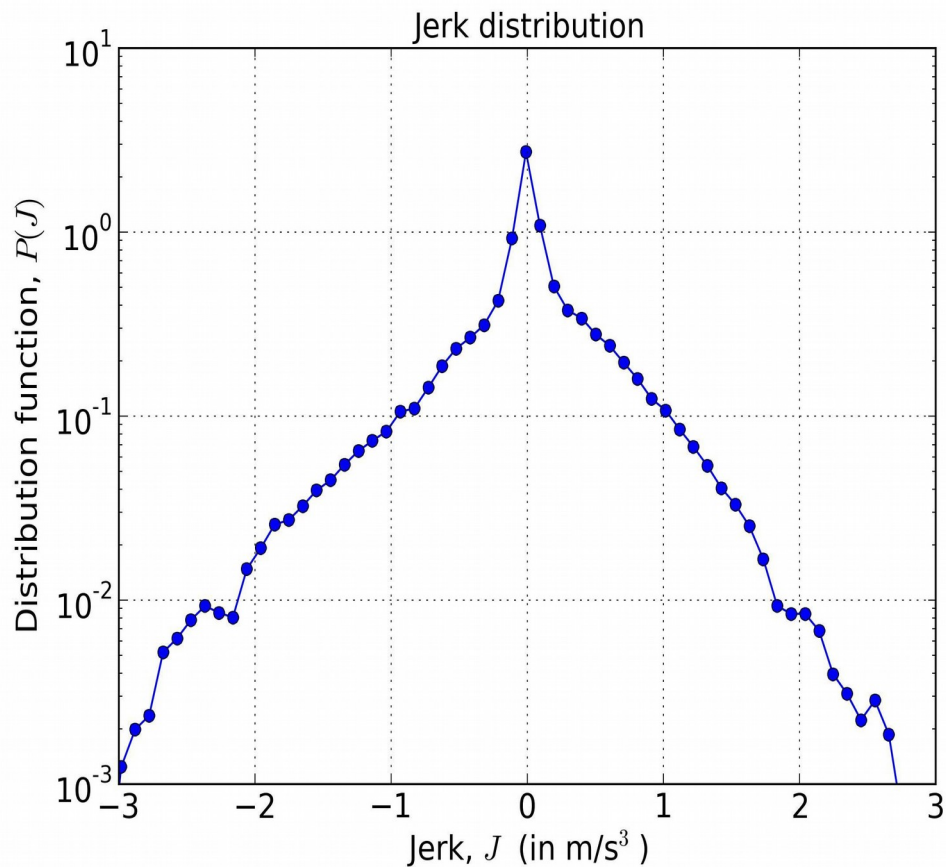
Jerk distribution:

Car following setup

$$\text{Jerk: } j = \frac{da}{dt} = \frac{d^3x}{dt^3}$$

Subject with driving experience

Subject without driving experience



Conclusion to Driving Simulator Experiments

Hyporthesis: In order to describe car dynamics
the **extended phase** space is required.

It consists of the car ...

position – x

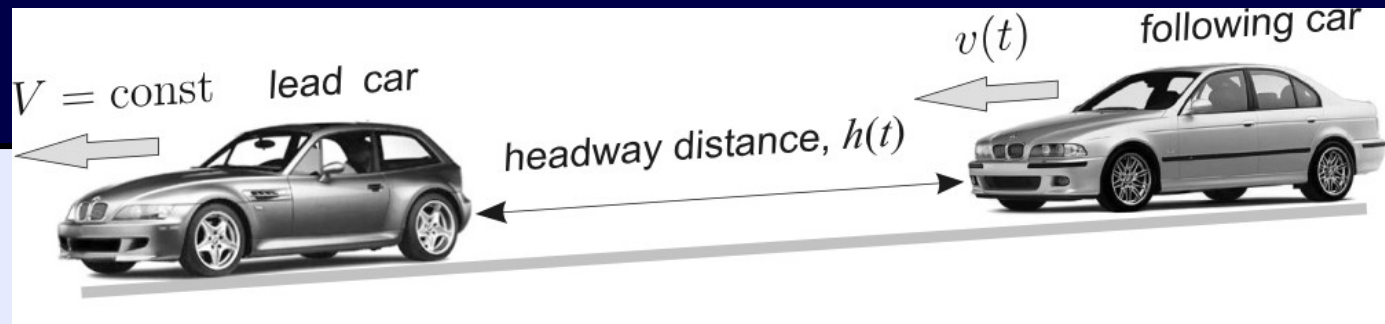
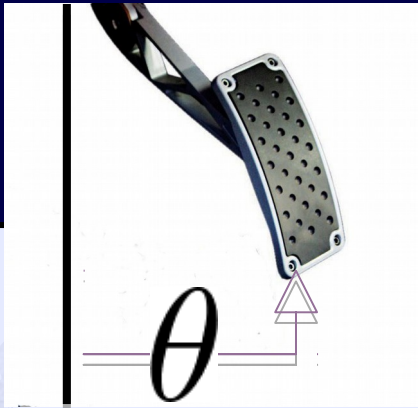
velocity – v

Phase variables
of Newtonian
mechanics

acceleration – a

jerk – j

Phase variables
allowing for
human actions



$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dh}{dt} &= V - v && \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Kinematic relations} \\ \text{Car mechanical reaction} \end{array} \right\} \\
 \frac{dv}{dt} &= a \\
 \tau_C \frac{da}{dt} &= \theta - a && \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Human behavior} \\ \text{Car mechanical reaction} \end{array} \right\} \\
 \tau_\theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} &= \Omega(a - \theta) \{a_{\text{opt}}(h, v) - a\} + \epsilon \xi(t)
 \end{aligned}$$

