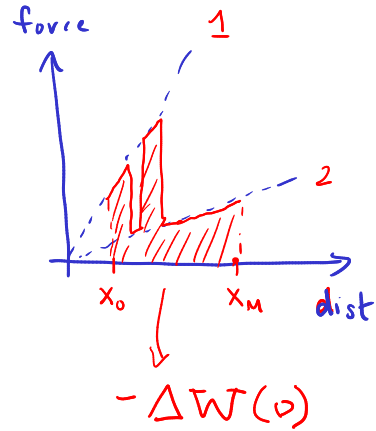
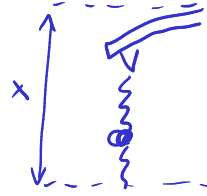
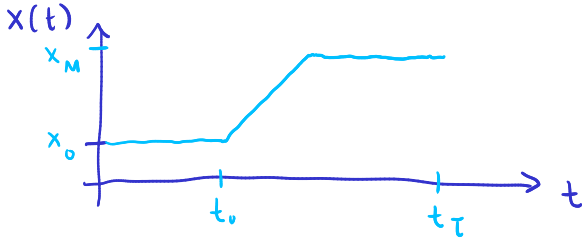


# PHYS 414: 4-15-20

$$\Delta S^i(\nu) = \frac{-\Delta W(\nu) - \Delta F}{T}$$



$$F^e(x_M) - F^e(x_0) \equiv \Delta F$$

fluct. theorem:  $\frac{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\nu})}{\mathcal{P}(\nu)} = e^{-\Delta S^i(\nu)/k_B}$

↓  
Crooks fluct. theorem (1998)

$$\begin{aligned} \langle e^{-\Delta S^i(\nu)/k_B} \rangle &= \sum_{\nu} \mathcal{P}(\nu) e^{-\Delta S^i(\nu)/k_B} \\ &\stackrel{\text{avg. over many traj.}}{=} \sum_{\nu} \mathcal{P}(\nu) \frac{\tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\nu})}{\mathcal{P}(\nu)} \\ &= \sum_{\nu} \tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\nu}) \\ &= \sum_{\tilde{\nu}} \tilde{\mathcal{P}}(\tilde{\nu}) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

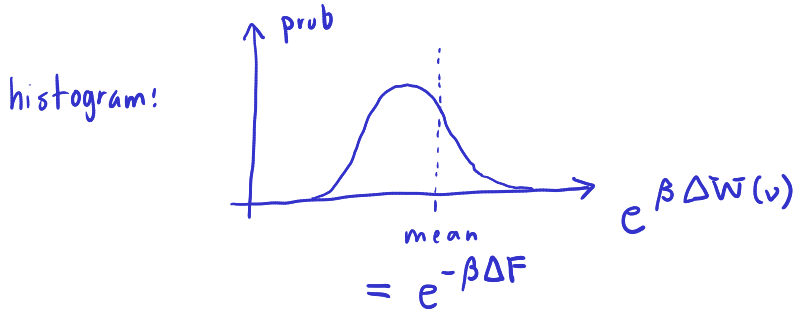
IFT:  $\langle e^{-\Delta S^i(\nu)/k_B} \rangle = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \langle e^{\beta[\Delta W(\nu) + \Delta F]} \rangle = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\langle e^{\beta \Delta W(\nu)} \rangle = e^{-\beta \Delta F}}$$

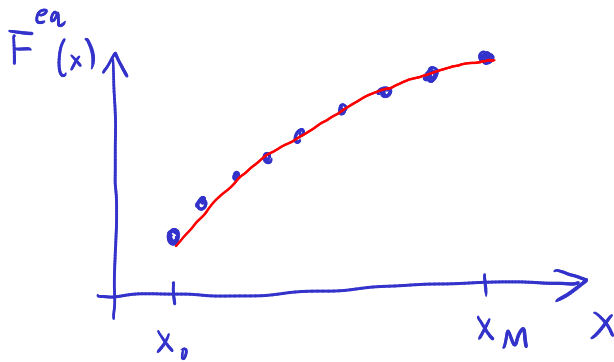
Jarzynski equality (1997)

many experiments: each one calculate  $\Delta W(v)$



from mean  
 $\Rightarrow$  extract

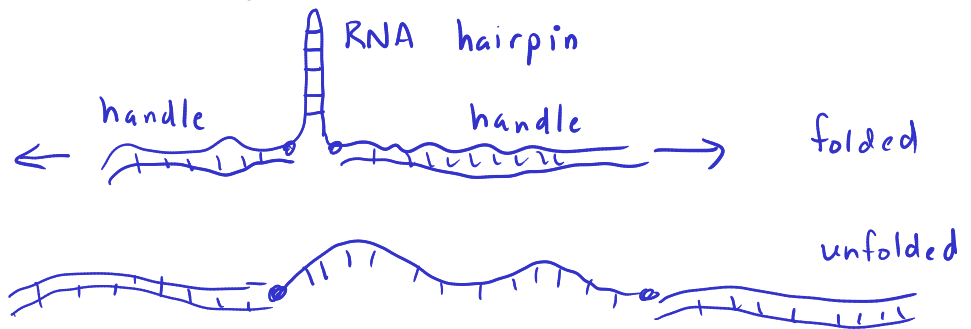
$$\Delta F = F^{eq}(x_M) - F^{eq}(x_0)$$



change ending dist.  
 $x_M$  and vary it  
to get entire curve  
of  $F(x)$

experimental proofs:

pulling RNA (sys of interest)



RNA free energy can be known  
to good approx. from seq. of base  
pairs  $\Rightarrow$  know  $\Delta F$  & can  
check Jarzynski equal.

• Jarzynski validation: 2002 (Liphardt et al.,  
Science)

• Crooks validation: 2005 (Collin et al.,  
Nature)

$\Rightarrow$  can be generalized to quantum as well

• quantum Jarzynski: 2015 (An et al.,  
Nature Phys.)

Everything so far:

ensembles  
+ probabilities  
+ master equations } classical systems



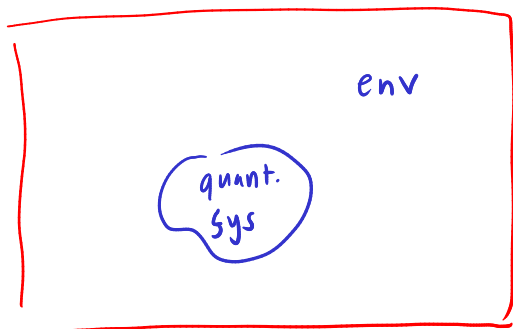
quantum mechanics:

GOAL: to derive a

open  
quantum  
systems

{ "quantum master equation"  
for a system coupled to environ.  
⇒ Lindblad-Kossakowski equation  
(1976)

⇒ foundation of our understanding  
of decoherence



interactions b/t env + system:

- example: "measurement" where this interaction leads to proj. sys onto one eigenstate
- in general: "generalized measurement" that does not lead to collapse onto one eigenstate

LAST PART:

Open questions!

⇒ def'n of thermo quantities  
like work

⇒ meaning of "chaos" in QM  
+ its relation to equilibration

# Quantum stat. mech

return to the idea of ensemble :

many copies of the system prepared at  $t=0$

classical ensemble:

$P_n(0)$  = fraction of ensemble prepared in state  $n$

quantum ensemble:

$P_n(0)$  = frac. of ensemble prepared in quantum state  $|\psi_n\rangle$

Here  $\{|\psi_n\rangle\}$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$  is some arbitrary set of quantum states in a Hilbert space

Note:  $\{|\psi_n\rangle\}$  does not have to be orthogonal to each other, or form a complete

but we will require normalization:

$$\langle \psi_n | \psi_n \rangle = 1$$

copies:

ensemble:

$|\psi_1\rangle \quad |\psi_1\rangle \quad |\psi_1\rangle \quad |\psi_2\rangle \quad |\psi_2\rangle \quad |\psi_3\rangle \dots$

probabilities:

$P_1(0)$

$P_2(0)$

$$P_n(0) \geq 0 \quad + \quad \sum_n P_n(0) = 1$$

Classical state  $n$  is charact. by a definite set of physical quantities:  $E_n, x_n, N_n$ , etc.

Quantum state  $|\psi_n\rangle$  is different:

observable ( $\hat{A}$  operator):

in state  $|\psi_n\rangle$  the mean value  $\langle A \rangle = \langle \psi_n | \hat{A} | \psi_n \rangle$

for a general ensemble:

$$\langle A \rangle = \sum_n p_n \langle \psi_n | \hat{A} | \psi_n \rangle$$

$\hat{A}$  is Hermitian, e-vecs  $|a\rangle$  such that  $\hat{A}|a\rangle = a|a\rangle$   
↳ complete basis ↑  
e-vals

$$\langle A \rangle = \sum_{n,a} p_n \langle \psi_n | \hat{A} | a \rangle \langle a | \psi_n \rangle$$

$$\sum_a |a\rangle \langle a| = \hat{I}$$

$$= \sum_{n,a} p_n a \langle \psi_n | a \rangle \langle a | \psi_n \rangle$$

$$= \sum_{n,a} a p_n \underbrace{|\langle a | \psi_n \rangle|^2}$$

two contrib. to prob:

•  $p_n$  from choosing state  $|\psi_n\rangle$   
from ensemble

•  $|\langle a | \psi_n \rangle|^2$  prob. to get  
result  $a$  when doing  
measurement of  $A$  in state  $|\psi_n\rangle$