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Outline of lecture.

- What is wave turbulence?
- A solved problem? Closure ✓ Solutions ✓ Weaknesses ??
- Outline of theory + premises on which closure is based.
Connections with the over and misused phrase "random phase approximation."
- Kinetic equation; its equilibrium and Kolmogorov-Zakharov (KZ) solutions.
Consequences of nonuniformity in k space of validity of KZ solns.
Whitcapping, collapses and cycle of intermittency. Notions of finite capacities.
- Detailed derivation of wave turbulence closure for Rossby waves
are given in accompanying notes.
- Open questions and challenges.

Rossby wave equation (Charney, Hasegawa, Mima)

Conservation of the potential vorticity of a column of fluid between two isentropic surfaces of vertical distance $h + \eta$, $\eta \ll h$,

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{D}{Dt} \left(\frac{f(2\Omega \cos \theta) - \nabla^2 \psi}{h + \eta} \right) = 0$$

where Ω is earth's rotation, θ co-latitude, horizontal velocity $\vec{u} = (u, v) = (v_y, -v_x)$, $\eta = -f/g\psi$ (from hydrostatic balance)
 x is east-west, y is north-south, $\frac{D}{Dt} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$, $\frac{df}{dy} = \beta$.

To quadratic order in nonlinearity,

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla^2 - \alpha^2) \psi + \beta \psi_x = J(\psi, \nabla^2 \psi), \quad J(u, v) = u_x v_y - u_y v_x$$

Let $\psi(\vec{x}, t) = \int A(\vec{k}, t) e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{x}} d\vec{k}$, $A(\vec{k}, t) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int \psi(\vec{x}, t) e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{x}} d\vec{x}$

Because ψ is bounded at ∞ , $A(\vec{k}, t)$ is a generalized function of \vec{k} .

$$\textcircled{3} \quad A_{k_1 t} + i\omega_k A_k = \int H(\vec{k}, \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) A(\vec{k}_1) A(\vec{k}_2) \delta(\vec{k}, \vec{k}_1 - \vec{k}_2) d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2, \quad \omega_k = \frac{-\beta k_x}{\alpha^2 + k^2} = -\omega_{-k}$$

$$H(\vec{k}, \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) = H_{012} = \frac{(\vec{k}_1 \times \vec{k}_2) \cdot (\vec{k}_1^2 - \vec{k}_2^2)}{\alpha^2 + k^2}$$

Whereas A_k is generalized function, its product averages can be written as the product of Dirac delta functions and "good" functions.

We assume $\psi(\vec{x}, t)$ is a spatially random function with zero mean. $\langle \psi \rangle = 0$.

$$\langle \psi(\vec{x}) \psi(\vec{x} + \vec{r}) \rangle = R^{(2)}(\vec{r})$$

Since $\langle \psi(\vec{x} - \vec{r}) \psi(\vec{x}) \rangle = R^{(2)}(-\vec{r}) = R^{(2)}(\vec{r})$ is real & symmetric.

$$\langle A(\vec{k}) A(\vec{k}') \rangle = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \langle \psi(\vec{x}) \psi(\vec{x}') \rangle e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{x}')} e^{-i\vec{k}' \cdot (\vec{x}' - \vec{x})} d\vec{x} d\vec{x}' = \frac{\delta(\vec{k} + \vec{k}')}{(2\pi)^2} \int R^{(2)}(\vec{r}) e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} d\vec{r}$$

is an ordinary function.

$$= f(\vec{k} + \vec{k}') \Phi^{(2)}(\vec{k}) \text{ where } \Phi^{(2)}(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int R^{(2)}(\vec{r}) e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}} d\vec{r}$$

Since ψ is real, $R^{(2)}(\vec{r})$ real & sym. $\Rightarrow \Phi^{(2)}(\vec{k}) = \Phi^{(2)}(-\vec{k}) = \Phi^{(2)*}(\vec{k})$.

Energy density $\langle \frac{1}{2} \rho (\psi_x^2 + \psi_y^2 + \alpha^2 \psi^2) \rangle$ in \vec{k} space $E(\vec{k}) = \int (\alpha^2 + k^2) \Phi^{(2)}(\vec{k}) d\vec{k}$

↓ potential $\rho \int_0^{\beta H} g z dz \cdot dx dy$

Likewise

$$\langle A(k) A(k') A(k'') \rangle = \int \delta(\vec{k} + \vec{k}' + \vec{k}'') \varphi^{(3)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \vec{k}'')$$

$$\langle A(k) A(k') A(k'') A(k''') \rangle = \int \delta(\vec{k} + \vec{k}' + \vec{k}'' + \vec{k}''') \varphi^{(4)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \vec{k}'', \vec{k}''') + \int \delta(k+k') \int \delta(k''+k''') \varphi^{(2)}(k') \varphi^{(2)}(k''') + \int \delta(k+k'') \int \delta(k'+k''') \varphi^{(2)}(k'') \varphi^{(2)}(k''') + \int \delta(k+k''') \int \delta(k'+k'') \varphi^{(2)}(k') \varphi^{(2)}(k'').$$

We use cumulants rather than moments because their physical transforms $R^{(n)}$ have the property that $R^{(n)} \rightarrow 0$ as the arguments $\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \dots \rightarrow \infty$. Therefore, at least initially, $\varphi^{(n)}$ are "good" functions; i.e. have ordinary FT's - at least initially!

Wave turbulence cumulant hierarchy

Multiply (3) by $A_{k'}$, mult. (3) with k replaced by k' by A_k , and add to get

$$\textcircled{4} \int \delta(\vec{k}, \vec{k}') \cdot \frac{d\varphi^{(2)}(k')}{dt} + i(\omega_{k'} + \omega_k) \varphi^{(2)}(k') = \int_{\text{permutation over } 0, 0'} \int \text{Horiz } \varphi^{(3)}(k', k_1, k_2) \int_{\delta(\vec{k} + \vec{k}_1 + \vec{k}_2)} \int_{\int_{0, 1, 2}} d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2$$

Similarly, multiply (3) by $A_{k''} A_{k'''}$, (add) to obtain

$$\textcircled{5} \int \delta(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \vec{k}'') \cdot \frac{d\varphi^{(3)}(k, k', k'')}{dt} + i(\omega_k + \omega_{k'} + \omega_{k''}) \varphi^{(3)}(k, k', k'') = \int_{\text{permutation over } 0, 0', 0''} \int \text{Horiz } \varphi^{(4)}(k, k', k'', k_1) \int_{\int_{0, 1, 2}} d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2 + 2H_{0-0'-0''} \varphi^{(2)}(k') \varphi^{(2)}(k'')$$

Continue in this way to find eqns. for $\varphi^{(n)}$, $n = 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$. The resulting hierarchy is not closed. This is the main challenge facing theoretical approaches to turbulence. How to effect a consistent closure!! In wave turbulence, we take advantage of both (a) weak nonlinearity and (b) The Riemann-Lebesgue lemma, which uses the fact that the waves are dispersive, to bring about a natural asymptotic closure.

Asymptotic closure of the wave turbulence hierarchy.

Because the nonlinearity is weak, the RHS's of (4) and (5) are multiplied by "ε", 0 < ε << 1. Therefore it is natural to solve the hierarchy (4), (5), ... iteratively as

(6)
$$\varphi^{(2)} = \varphi_0^{(2)} + \varphi_1^{(2)} + \varphi_2^{(2)} + \dots \quad \varphi^{(3)} = \varphi_0^{(3)} + \varphi_1^{(3)} + \dots$$

and then look at the long time behaviors of the iterates $\varphi_{1,2,\dots}^{(n)}$. The closure arises because the secular terms in $\varphi_2^{(2)}, \varphi_2^{(3)}, \dots$ depend respectively only on $\varphi_0^{(2)}$ and products of $\varphi_0^{(n)}$ for $n \geq 3$.

We remove the secular terms from $\varphi_2^{(n)}, n \geq 2$, by choosing the slow time behaviors of $q_0^{(2)}(\vec{k}) = \varphi_0^{(2)}(\vec{k}), q_0^{(n)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \dots) = \varphi_0^{(n)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \dots) e^{i(\omega_0 - \omega_1 - \dots)t}$

(7)
$$\frac{dq_0^{(n)}}{dt} = F_1^{(n)} + F_2^{(n)} + \dots, \quad F_j^{(n)} \text{ slowly varying in } t,$$

where $F_1^{(n)}$ is chosen to remove secular growths in $\varphi_1^{(n)}$ (there are none) and $F_2^{(n)}$ is chosen to remove secular growths in $\varphi_2^{(n)}$. The resulting equations for $q_0^{(n)}$ are closed.

These calculations are usually most easily carried out by iterating directly the equation for $a_k = A e^{i\omega_k t}$ and then forming the iterates $q_1^{(n)}, q_2^{(n)}$ from the averages $\langle a_0 a_{-k} \rangle, \langle a_0 a_{-k_1} + a_{-k_2} \rangle, \dots$ and then we will do on p. 9.

Notation this requires, we will first work directly with (4) and (5) and show that the secular terms in $\varphi_2^{(2)}$ only involve $q_0^{(2)}$ and not $q_0^{(3)}$ nor $q_0^{(4)}$. For Rossby waves, secular terms have the algebraic behavior "ε²t".

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At leading order (i.e. to order one ϵ^0)

(4) $\frac{dq_0^{(2)}}{dt} = 0$

(5) $\frac{dq_0^{(1)}}{dt} = 0$, $\varphi_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}', \dots) = q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}, \vec{k}') e^{-i(\omega_k + \omega_{k'} + \dots)t}$

At first order (i.e. to order ϵ^1)

(4) $\frac{dq_1^{(2)}}{dt} = -F_1^{(2)} + \int_{\mathcal{P}^{001}} H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}', \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) e^{i(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2)t} \delta_{12,0} d\vec{k}_2$
 (where $\omega_2 + \omega_1 = \omega_k + \omega_{k'} = 0$)

where \mathcal{P}^{001} is the permutation over \vec{k}, \vec{k}' .

Integrating the second term we find $\int_{\mathcal{P}^{001}} H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}', \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) \Delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta_{12,0} d\vec{k}_2$
 where $\Delta(x) = \int_0^t e^{ixt} dt = \frac{e^{ixt} - 1}{ix}$. For "smooth" ($\in L_2$) $f(x)$,

$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int f(x) \Delta(x) dx = \pi \text{sgn} t f(0) + iP \int \frac{f(x)}{x} dx$ so $\Delta(x) \sim \tilde{\Delta}(x) = \pi \text{sgn} t \delta(x) + iP(\frac{1}{x})$.
 Cauchy principal value

Therefore this term is bounded and we may choose $F_1^{(2)} = 0$.

(5) $\frac{dq_1^{(1)}}{dt} = -F_1^{(1)} + \int_{\mathcal{P}^{0010}} H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}', \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) e^{i(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2)t} \delta_{12,0} d\vec{k}_2$
 $+ 2 H_{0-0'-0''} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}') q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}'') e^{i(\omega + \omega' + \omega'')t}$

(8) $q_1^{(1)} = -F_1^{(1)} t + \int_{\mathcal{P}^{0010}} H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}', \vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2) \Delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta_{12,0} d\vec{k}_2 + 2 H_{0-0'-0''} q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}') q_0^{(1)}(\vec{k}'') \Delta(\omega + \omega' + \omega'')$

The long time behavior of $\int_{\mathcal{P}^{0010}} \dots$ is bounded so we choose $F_1^{(1)} = 0$.

However, the long time behavior of $q_1^{(2)}$ is also non-smooth because of the last terms.

We call them the asymptotic singulars. It is these terms which lead to nontrivial closure. Because the asymptotic singulars for $q_1^{(2)}$ at $O(\epsilon)$ contain only products of $q_0^{(1)}$, for $q_2^{(1)}$ at $O(\epsilon^2)$ contain only $q_0^{(1)}$ products, a natural closure is achieved without the need for restrictive statistical assumptions.

More on this in my lecture and later in this set of notes.

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(6)

At second order (i.e. order ϵ^2)

$$(4) \frac{dq_2^{(2)}}{dt} = -F_2^{(2)} + P^{(0)} \int \text{Hoiz } q_1^{(3)}(k', k_1, k_2) e^{-i(\omega' - \omega_1 - \omega_2)t} \delta_{12,0} dz$$

The part of $q_1^{(3)}$ which involves $q_0^{(4)}$ as given by (5) will, when integrated, give bounded solutions as $t \rightarrow \infty$. The part which involves the asymptotic $F_2^{(2)}$ survivors will all lead to terms growing proportional to t . We use $F_2^{(2)}$ to remove these terms. Then $\frac{dq_0^{(2)}}{dt} = F_2^{(2)} = F_2^{(2)} \{ q_0^{(2)} \}$ will be a closed equation for $q_0^{(2)}$. It is called the kinetic equation.

From (8) (including only the asymptotic survivor terms with products of $q_0^{(2)}$), and (4) above, we obtain (on applying $P^{(0)}$ and then (5))

$$\int \text{Hoiz } q_1^{(3)}(k, k_1, k_2) e^{-i(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2)t} \delta_{12,0} dz + \int \text{H}_{-0-1-2} q_1^{(3)}(k, -k_1, -k_2) e^{i(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2)t} \delta_{12,0} dz$$

in this integral \uparrow we have changed $\vec{k}_1, \vec{k}_2 \rightarrow -\vec{k}_1, -\vec{k}_2$

$$= 2 \int \text{Hoiz} \left(\text{H}_{-0-1-2} q_0^{(2)}(k_1) q_0^{(2)}(k_2) + \text{H}_{1-2-0} q_0^{(2)}(k_2) q_0^{(2)}(k) + \text{H}_{2-0-1} q_0^{(2)}(k) q_0^{(2)}(k_1) \right) \Delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta_{12,0} dz$$

$$+ 2 \int \text{H}_{-0-1-2} \left(\text{Hoiz } q_0^{(2)}(k_1) q_0^{(2)}(k_2) + \text{H}_{1-2-0} q_0^{(2)}(k_2) q_0^{(2)}(k) + \text{H}_{-2-0-1} q_0^{(2)}(k) q_0^{(2)}(k_1) \right) \Delta(-\omega + \omega_1 + \omega_2) \delta_{12,0} dz$$

where we have used $q_0^{(2)}(-k) = q_0^{(2)}(k)$ and $\Delta(x) e^{-ixt} = \Delta(-x)$. We will also use the property that $\text{H}_{-0-1-2} = \text{Hoiz}$. Because $\Delta(x) \sim \tilde{A}(x) = \pi \delta(x) + iP(\frac{1}{x})$, the principal value terms in the two integrals cancel because the arguments of $\Delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2)$ and $\Delta(-\omega + \omega_1 + \omega_2)$ are of opposite signs. We choose $F_2^{(2)}$ to remove secular terms and then find:

$$(9) \frac{dq_0^{(2)}}{dt} = kx \text{sgnt} \int \text{Hoiz } q_0^{(2)}(k) q_0^{(2)}(k_1) q_0^{(2)}(k_2) \left\{ \frac{\text{Hoiz}}{q_0^{(2)}(k)} + \frac{\text{H}_{1-2-0}}{q_0^{(2)}(k_1)} + \frac{\text{H}_{2-0-1}}{q_0^{(2)}(k_2)} \right\} \delta(\vec{k}_1 + \vec{k}_2 - \vec{k}) d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2$$

$\int (\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta(\vec{k}_1 + \vec{k}_2 - \vec{k}) d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2 = kxk_2 = k_1xk_2$

Recall the energy $e(k) = (\omega^2 + k^2) q_0^{(2)}(k)$. Then (recall $k_1xk_2 = kxk_2 = k_1xk_1$)

$$(10) \frac{de(k)}{dt} = kx \text{sgnt} \int \frac{(k_1xk_2)^2 (k_1^2 - k_2^2) e(k_1) e(k_2) e(k)}{(k_1^2 + k_2^2)(\omega^2 + k^2)} \left\{ \frac{k_1^2 - k_2^2}{e(k_1)} + \frac{k_2^2 - k_1^2}{e(k_2)} + \frac{k_1^2 - k_2^2}{e(k)} \right\} \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta(\vec{k}_1 + \vec{k}_2 - \vec{k}) d\vec{k}_1 d\vec{k}_2$$

Note the equipartition solution $e(k) = \text{const.}$, $e(k)(k^2 + k^2) = \text{const.}$, energy & entropy.

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In carrying out calculations, it may be preferable to compute iterates of (7) cumulants from iterates of $a_R = A_R e^{i\omega_R t}$. From (3),

$$a_{Rt} = \int H_{012} a_1 a_2 e^{-i\omega_{12} t} \delta_{12,0} d_{12}, \quad \omega_{012} = \omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2, \quad d_{12} = d_{k_1, k_2}$$

Defn $\Delta(x) = \int_0^t e^{ixt} dx = \frac{e^{ixt} - 1}{ix} \underset{t \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} \tilde{\Delta}(x) = \pi \text{sigt} f(x) + iP(\frac{1}{x})$

$$E(x, y) = \int_0^t \Delta(x-y) e^{iyt} dt. \quad E(x, 0) \sim \tilde{\Delta}(x) (t - i\frac{\partial}{\partial x}).$$

$$\Delta(x) \Delta(-x) \sim 2\pi t \text{sigt} f(x) + 2P(\frac{1}{x}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x}.$$

i.e. for "smooth" $f(x) \in L_2$ & diff. $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int f(x) \Delta(x) \Delta(-x) dx = 2\pi t \text{sigt} f(0) + 2P \int \frac{f(x)}{x} dx$

Iterate: $a = a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots$ + find $(\text{permutation over } 1, 2)$

$$a_{0t} = 0 \Rightarrow a_0 \text{ slowly varying in time}$$

$$a_{1t} = \int H_{012} a_0 a_2 e^{i\omega_{012} t} \delta_{12,0} d_{12} \Rightarrow a_1 = \int H_{012} a_0 a_2 \Delta_{012} \delta_{12,0} d_{12}$$

$$a_{2t} = \int \int P H_{012} H_{134} a_0 a_2 a_3 a_4 \delta_{34,1} \delta_{12,0} d_{12} d_{34}$$

Iterates of cumulants $\varphi^{(n)}(k, k', \dots) = \langle a_n a_{k'} \dots \rangle = \langle a_n a_{k'} \dots \rangle + \binom{00'}{P} \langle a_n a_{k'} \dots \rangle + \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} f(k+k') q_2^{(2)}(k, k') &= \langle a_n a_{k'} \rangle = \langle a_n a_{k'} \rangle + \binom{00'}{P} \langle a_n a_{k'} \rangle + \dots \\ f(k+k'+k'') q_3^{(3)}(k, k', k'') &= \langle a_n a_{k'} a_{k''} \rangle = \langle a_n a_{k'} a_{k''} \rangle + \binom{000'}{P} \langle a_n a_{k'} a_{k''} \rangle + \dots \end{aligned}$$

2nd order cumulants $f(k+k') q_2^{(2)}(k, k') = \int \int P H_{012} H_{134} \langle a_{0k'} a_{02} a_{03} a_{04} \rangle \delta_{34,1} \delta_{12,0} E(0, 234; 0, 12) d_{12} d_{34}$

$q_2^{(2)}(k) = \int \int P H_{012} H_{134} \langle a_{0k'} a_{02} a_{03} a_{04} \rangle \delta_{34,1} \delta_{12,0} E(0, 234; 0, 12) d_{12} d_{34}$

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NOTE: Principal value secular terms in $\langle a_0 a_2 \rangle$ vanish on application of \int in 2nd \int , $k_1, k_2 \rightarrow -k_1, -k_2$

$$q_2^{(2)} \text{ secular} = 4\pi t \text{sigt} \int (H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(k_1) q_0^{(1)}(k_2) + H_{012} q_0^{(1)}(k) (H_{1,0-2} q_0^{(1)}(k_2) + H_{2,0-1} q_0^{(1)}(k_1))) \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \delta(\bar{k} - \bar{k}_1 - \bar{k}_2) d\bar{k}_{12}$$

$\therefore H_{0-1-2} \uparrow H_{012}$ +ive feed

negative (losses from k via resonances)

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• $f(k+k'+k'') (q_{1}^{(3)}(k, k', k'') + q_{2}^{(3)}(k, k', k'')) = P \langle a_{1k} a_{0k'} a_{0k''} \rangle + P \langle a_{2k} a_{0k'} a_{0k''} + a_{1k} a_{1k'} a_{1k''} \rangle$

The first term leads to bounded but nonsmooth contribution discussed in .

The second term will give us secular (t growth) behavior which we now calculate.

$$P \left\{ \int P H_{012} H_{134} \langle a_{0k} a_{0k'} a_{02} a_{03} a_{04} \rangle E(0, 234; 0, 12) \delta_{012} \delta_{341} \delta_{1234} \right. \\ \left. + \int H_{0'12} H_{0''34} \langle a_{0k} a_{01} a_{02} a_{03} a_{04} \rangle \Delta_{0'12} \Delta_{0''34} \delta_{120'} \delta_{340''} \delta_{1234} \right\}$$

The only secular term arises from $P \langle a_{0k} a_{0k'} a_{02} a_{03} a_{04} \rangle$ in the 1st integral as it is the only way we get $E(0; 0, 12)$.

$q_{2}^{(3)} |_{\text{secular}} = \text{assume } t > 0 \quad q_{0}^{(3)}(k, k', k'') \quad 2t P \left(\int H_{012} (H_{10-2} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2) + H_{20-1} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1)) \right. \\ \left. (\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) + i P \frac{1}{\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2}) \delta_{012} dz \right)$

Secular terms are removed by choices of $F_2^{(2)}$ and $F_2^{(3)}$ giving

$$\frac{dq_{0}^{(2)}}{dt} = k\pi \int H_{012} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1) q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2) \left(\frac{H_{10-1-2}}{q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1)} + \frac{H_{10-2}}{q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2)} + \frac{H_{20-1}}{q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2)} \right) \delta(\bar{k} - \bar{k}_1 - \bar{k}_2) dz$$

$$\frac{1}{q_{0}^{(3)}} \frac{dq_{0}^{(3)}}{dt} = 2P \int H_{012} (H_{10-2} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2) + H_{20-1} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1)) (\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) + i P \frac{1}{\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2}) \delta_{012} dz$$

It is equivalent to (recall $q_{0}^{(3)} = q_{0}^{(2)} e^{-i(\omega + \omega_1 + \omega_2)t}$)

$$\omega_k \rightarrow \omega_k - 2 \int H_{012} (H_{10-2} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2) + H_{20-1} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1)) \left(P \frac{1}{\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2} - i\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \right) \delta_{012} dz$$

Can show $\text{Im } \omega_k < 0$ s.t., due to resonances, higher order cumulants leading order decay.

One can show the same result holds for all higher order cumulants

$$\frac{1}{q_{0}^{(n)}} \frac{dq_{0}^{(n)}}{dt} = 2P \int H_{012} (H_{10-2} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_2) + H_{20-1} q_{0}^{(2)}(k_1)) (\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2) + i P \frac{1}{\omega - \omega_1 - \omega_2}) \delta_{012} dz$$

(*) Whereas leading order terms decay, $q_{2}^{(n)}$ has asymptotic survivors at $O(\epsilon^{n-2})$