

# ANR CODYS

Orbites des systèmes dynamiques discrets en informatique

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# CODYS

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  - LABRI, Univ. Bordeaux S. Labbé

# Tasks

- GEN: Genericity and randomness.
- PER: study of finite and periodic orbits, it describes their characteristics, and compares them to the orbits of the initial system.
- DIS: discretization with a view toward simulation.
- SIM: simulation directed toward numerical computing but also toward the study of dynamical systems as computing models.
- SPE: algorithmic checkability of properties, together with the construction of special orbits and invariants for dynamical systems.

- Valérie Berthé Coordinator **All tasks** Arithmetic dynamics, continued fractions.
- Olivier Carton **Task GEN, SIM, SPE** Algorithmic randomness, normal numbers.
- Paulina Cecchi Bernales **Task GEN, PER** Ergodic theory and symbolic dynamics.
- Pierre-Antoine Guihéneuf **Task GEN, PER, DIS, SIM** Discretization of dynamical systems, mathematical aspects of visualisation.
- Peter Habermehl **Task GEN, SIM, SPE** Program verification, invariant synthesis.
- Pierre Ohlmann **Task GEN, SPE** Invariant synthesis for linear dynamical systems.
- Loïck Lhote **Task GEN, PER, DIS, SIM, SPE** Probabilistic analysis of algorithms, analytical combinatorics, generating functions, dynamical analysis.

- Frédéric Paccaut Task GEN, PER, DIS Discrete stochastic processes, analysis of random data structures, stochastic modelling.
- Amaury Pouly Task GEN, SIM, SPE Decision, control, and synthesis problems for continuous and discrete linear DS.
- Wolfgang Steiner Task GEN, PER, DIS Numeration dynamics, continued fractions.
- Brigitte Vallée Task GEN, PER, DIS, SPE Analytical combinatorics, dynamical analysis of algorithms, transfer operators.
- Postdoc Task GEN, SIM, PER 24 mois

- Sébastien Labbé Coordinator **All tasks** Symbolic dynamics, discrete geometry, Sage implementation.
- Vincent Delecroix **Task GEN, PER, DIS, SIM, SPE** Dynamical systems and ergodic theory.
- Nathanaël Fijalkow **Task GEN, SIM, SPE** Probabilistic computation models around automata theory, invariant synthesis.
- Doctorant.e **Task GEN, SIM, SPE**

# CODYS

- **Dynamical systems** model physical processes but also numerous phenomena from the digital world (execution of an algorithm, a loop in a program as the action of a multidimensional linear map).
- A **discrete-time dynamical system**  $(X, T)$  is defined as the action of a map  $T$  acting on a space  $X$  (usually assumed to be compact).
- **Orbit/trajectory**  $\mathcal{O}(x) = \{T^n x, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$
- **Discrete orbits** orbits of discrete-time dynamical systems that are relevant in computer science for **computer simulations** and for **computational models**.

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We thus consider two main types of **discrete orbits**, namely

- **finite and periodic orbits**; these orbits have usually an arithmetic meaning for the systems we consider and form a countable set;
- **orbits for discretizations of dynamical systems** with the discretization usually being performed with respect to a finite space.

# Reachability and statistical properties of orbits

The first question we can ask about a trajectory is

- whether it will enter (once or infinitely often) a given subregion  $Z$  of  $X$  or even reach a given point  $z$ . This is a **reachability problem**. It will be handled by focusing on the construction of special invariants and orbits.
- We can also ask about its **recurrence** and **long-term behavior**: how long will it stay in the subregion  $Z$ ? This type of questions will be handled through the use of ergodic theory and probabilistic methods.

# Reachability problems and invariants

- Reachability problems often lead to **undecidable problems**.
- One strategy to tackle them is to consider **invariant sets**, instead of orbits (verification or control theory): subsets invariant under the action of  $T$  that contain a point  $x$  and not  $y$ .
- The viewpoint we develop here is mainly the **synthesis of invariants**.
- We are thus interested here in **exact** properties of the **total** orbits and their relations with invariants.
- Affine and algebraic invariants, as well as polyhedral invariants. We focus here on the case where the system  $(X, T)$  is given by a **linear map with rational entries**.

# From discretization to simulation

- The computer **simulation** of a dynamical system is inherently partial.
- How distorted is the qualitative behavior of the system  $(X, T)$  once **discretized**? What happens when the number of points of the discretization space tends to infinity? To what extent does the dynamics of the discretized application **reflect** the dynamics of the map  $T$ ?
- We associate with the dynamical system  $(X, T)$  a **sequence of discretizations**  $(X_N, T_N)_N$  which depend on a parameter  $N$  (related to the number of points of the discretization space).  
Is it true that this asymptotic behavior will be **close** to the one of the initial system, and reminiscent of it? or, does it completely forget the initial system and behaves as a random finite dynamical system?

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- We focus on the study and comparison of **discrete orbits** (finite, periodic, and orbits of discretizations).
- We address the question of the **relevance of ergodic and dynamical methods** for their study, and more generally, for **simulation**.
- What are the limits of the ergodic theorem? Are methods from dynamical systems (ergodic and probabilistic) relevant for the study of discrete orbits and discretizations of discrete-time dynamical systems?
- We want to develop both a theoretical and practical study of **discretization and simulation** for simple systems like expanding maps of the interval or linear maps.
- We want to **construct in an effective way special orbits and invariants**, and to study the asymptotic statistical behavior of a dynamical system, from a computability and effective perspective.

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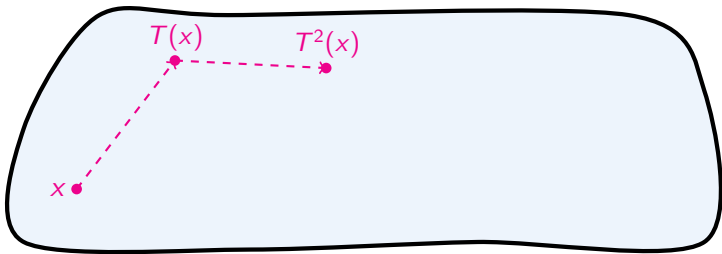


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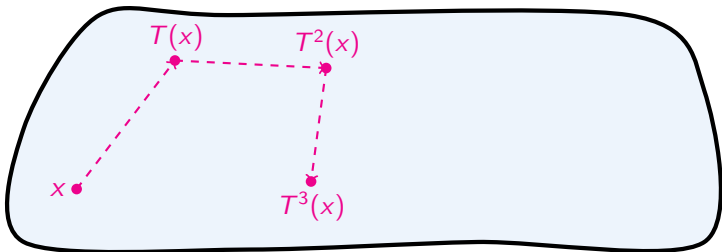




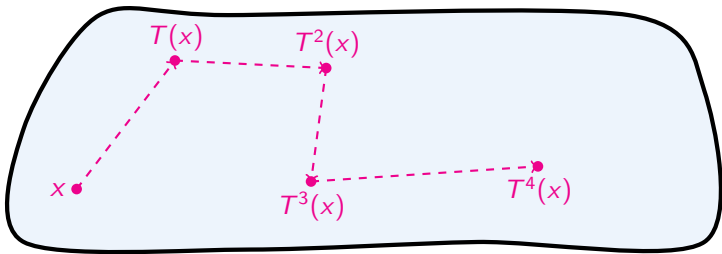
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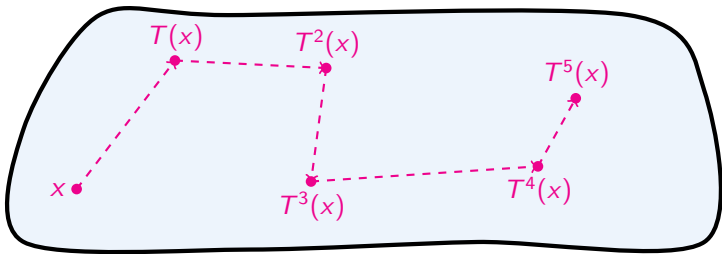
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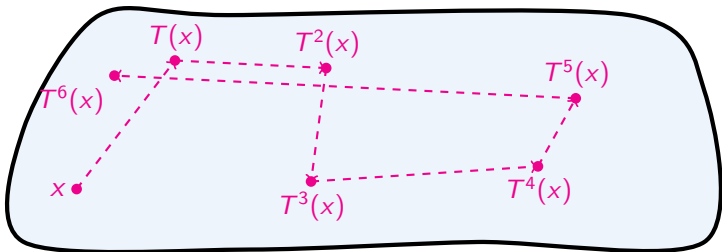
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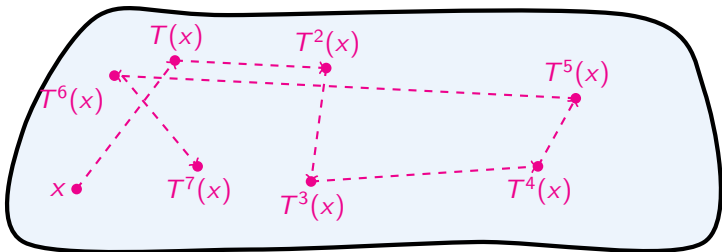
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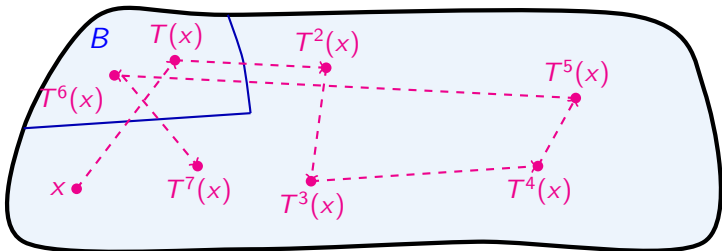
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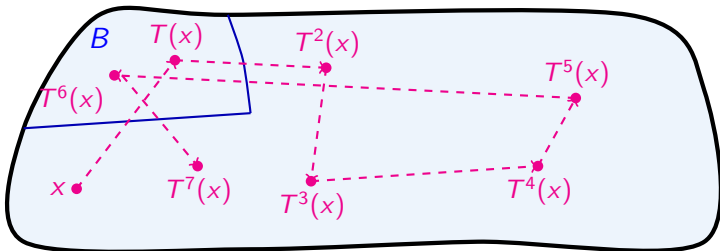
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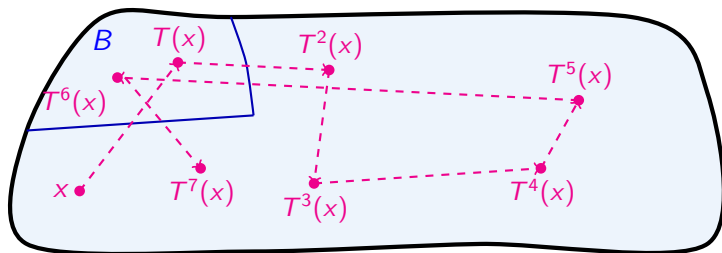


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Let  $1_B$  be the characteristic function of  $B$

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How often do they visit  $B$ ?  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{0 \leq n < N} 1_B(T^n x)$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{0 \leq n < N} 1_B(T^n x) = \mu(P) \quad \text{a.e. } x$$

# Discrete dynamical system

We are given a dynamical system

$$T: X \rightarrow X$$

- Topological dynamics describes the qualitative/topological asymptotic behaviour of trajectories/orbits

The map  $T$  is continuous and the space  $X$  is compact

- Ergodicity describes the long term statistical behaviour of orbits

The space  $X$  is endowed with a probability measure and  $T$  is measurable  $(X, T, \mathcal{B}, \mu)$

How well are the orbits distributed?

According to which measure?

## Ergodic theorem

We are given a **dynamical system**  $(X, T, \mathcal{B}, \mu)$  with  $T: X \rightarrow X$   
An ergodic system is such that the time spent by a system in some region is proportional to the volume of this region, it has the same behavior averaged over time as averaged over all the space

- **Average time values:** one particle over the long term
- **Average space values:** all particles at a particular instant

## Ergodicity

$$\mu(B) = \mu(T^{-1}B) \quad T\text{-invariance}$$

$$T^{-1}B = B \implies \mu(B) = 0 \text{ or } 1 \quad \text{ergodicity}$$

Ergodic theorem      space mean = average mean

$$\text{If } f \in L_1(\mu), \quad \lim_N \frac{1}{N} \sum_{0 \leq n < N} f(T^n x) = \int f d\mu \quad \text{a.e. } x$$

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$$x = \frac{a_1}{10} + \frac{x_1}{10}$$

$$x_2 = T(x_1) = T^2(x) \quad a_2 = [10T(x)]$$

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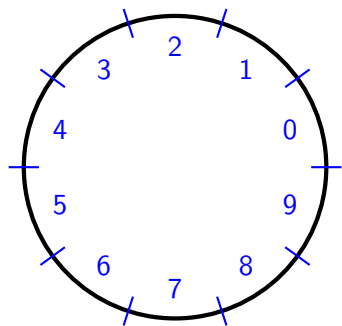
The action of  $T$  can be seen as a shift on the sequence of digits

$$x \sim a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 \cdots \quad T(x) \sim a_2 a_3 a_4 \cdots$$

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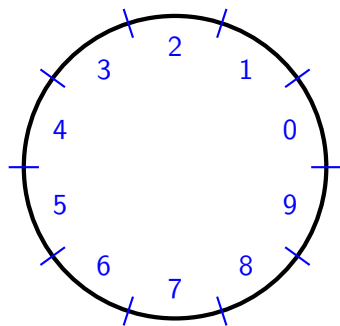
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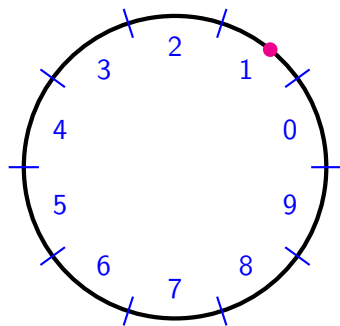
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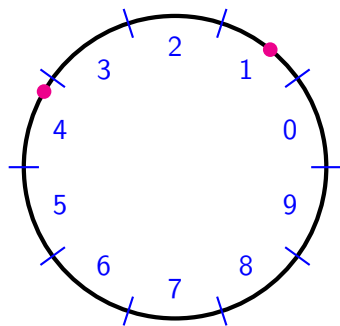


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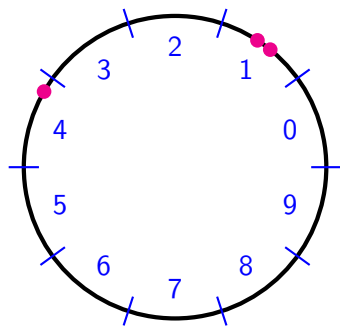


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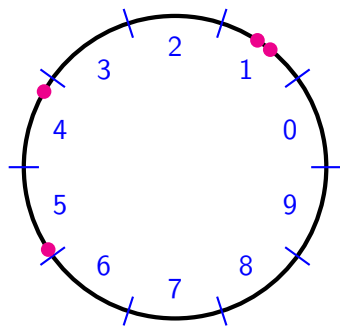


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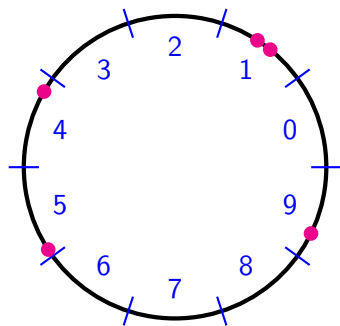


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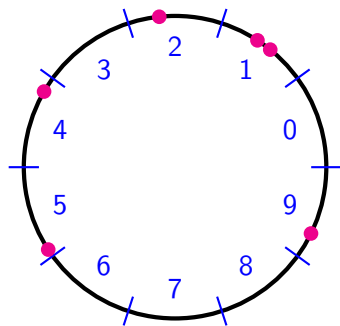


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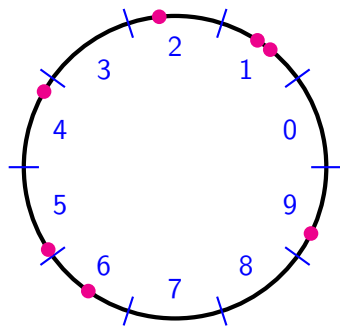


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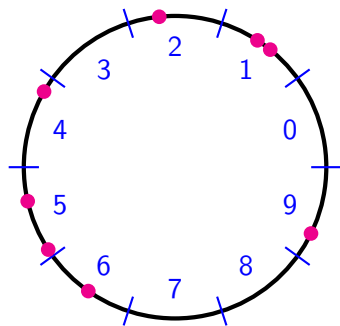


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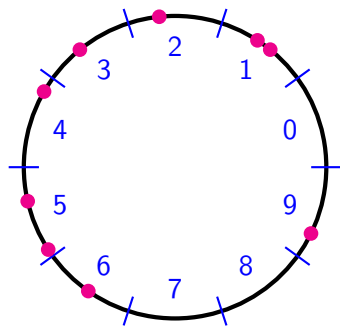
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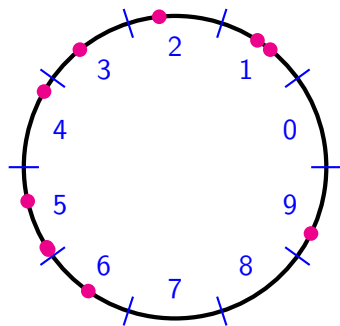


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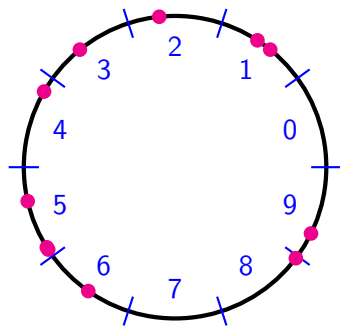


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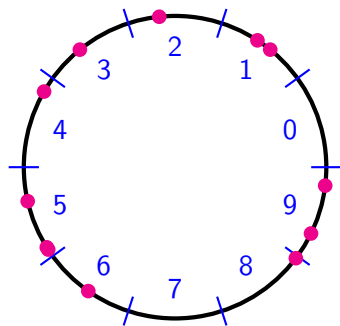


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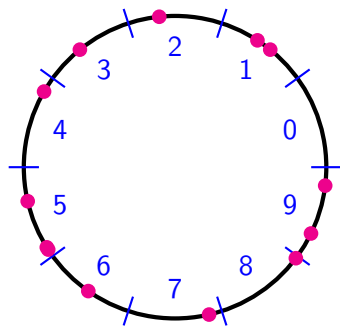


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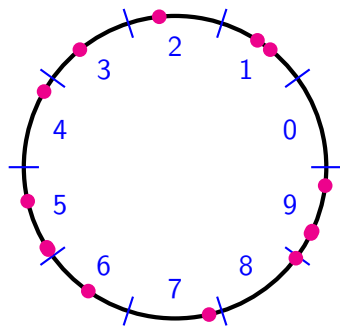


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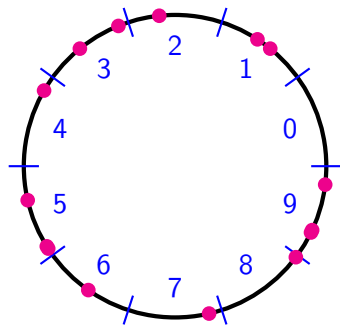
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Codings  $\iff$  decimal expansions

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**Ergodic theorem** Let  $f: X \rightarrow X$  be in  $L^1(\mu)$ , and  $\mu$  be  $T$ -invariant. If  $(X, T, \mu)$  is ergodic then, for  $\mu$ -almost all  $x$  in  $X$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} f(T^i(x)) = \int_X f(x) d\mu$$

**Unique ergodicity**  $(X, T)$  is **uniquely ergodic** if it admits a unique invariant measure  $\mu$ .

**Theorem** If  $(X, T)$  is uniquely ergodic and  $f$  and  $T$  are continuous, then the convergence is valid for every  $x$ .



# Numeration dynamical systems

- Numeration  $T: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1], x \mapsto 10x - [10x] = \{10x\}$
- Beta-transformation  $T: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1], x \mapsto \{\beta x\}$
- Continued fractions  $T: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1], x \mapsto \{1/x\}$
- Kronecker dynamics  $R_\alpha: x \mapsto \alpha + x \bmod 1$  unique ergodicity

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$$x = \frac{1}{a_1 + x_1} = \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{a_2 + \frac{1}{a_3 + \frac{1}{a_4 + \cdots}}}}$$

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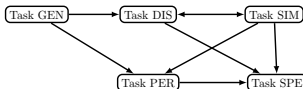
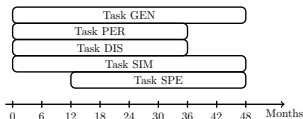
Task GEN runs during all the project. This is the place where a common tool and culture is developed.

Task SIM also runs during the whole project: simulations are needed for all the other tasks, and it will be nourished by theoretical results from Task DIS.

Task PER and DIS have to start from the beginning of the project.

Task SPE will be started once a common culture will have been developed in particular through Task GEN.

During year 2 and 3 all the tasks will be conducted.



## Task GEN

- What is a **generic trajectory**?

Genericity = most of the initial conditions = a typical orbit, whose initial condition satisfies the ergodic theorem.

- But since we restrict ourselves to discrete trajectories (i.e., periodic orbits of  $(X, T)$ , and orbits of the discretization  $(X_N, T_N)$ ), a specific notion of genericity has to be formulated. How to adapt the definition of genericity (defined for continuous systems) to a discrete genericity?
- Since we work with finite sets  $X_N$ , reasonable notions of genericity rely on a notion of **convergence** (when  $N$  tends to infinity) toward a standard notion of genericity issued from the continuous world: for all  $N$ , the property has to hold on  $X_N$ , out of an exceptional set of small size, which tends to 0 with  $N$ , and in a rather fast way.
- What is a generic **dynamical system** (generic in a class of dynamical systems having some prescribed property)?

# Genericity

- **Measure-theoretic genericity** Ergodic genericity: an initial point whose orbit satisfies Birkhoff's ergodic theorem; it is a typical orbit. This requires in particular to understand with respect to which invariant measure.
- **Topological genericity** in the sense of Baire. A property is generic if it is satisfied (at least) on a countable intersection of dense open sets.
- **Computational genericity** will be well suited to the construction of effective orbits. It refers to algorithmic randomness (Martin-Löf randomness, Schnorr randomness, etc.) and to exact computation models of effective analysis where topological notions are revisited in an effective way.

# Task PER-Finite and periodic orbits for the original system $(X, T)$ - V. Berthé

- What are the **finite and the periodic expansions** of the dynamical system  $(X, T)$ ? How to characterize them?
- **Long-term behavior of finite and periodic orbits.** Do finite and periodic expansions for  $(X, T)$  have a typical behavior? With respect to which invariant measure?

**Toy example: the case of the  $\beta$ -numeration with  $\beta$  being the golden ratio.**

- **Transfer operator** with the question of the extension of the application field (which is a priori Euclidean dynamics) for the methodology of dynamical analysis of algorithms. Is it possible to give to the transfer operator a generating role even when the dynamical system is not of homographic type?



# Task DIS-Discretization: study of the system $(X_N, T_N)$ -P.-A. Guihéneuf

- Which **discretizations** to consider?  
uniform vs. non-uniform (floating-point arithmetics); finite state machine simulations of dynamical systems; symbolic dynamical systems.
- What dynamical properties of  $T$  can be read on the (global) dynamics of the discretizations  $T_N$ ?
- What are the finite or the periodic expansions of the dynamical system  $(X_N, T_N)$ ? Do the discretizations  $(X_N, T_N)$  asymptotically behave as random maps (when the parameter  $N$  becomes large)?
- **Long-term behavior of orbits of the discretized system  $(X_N, T_N)$ .**  
Action of the discretization on the invariant measures. Does discretization detect typical behavior? What is the spatial distribution of periodic cycles for  $(X_N, T_N)$ ?
- **Non-stationary dynamics:** the map  $T$  can be changed with respect to time. Ex: (generic) compositions of linear maps, which is useful for the study of  $\mathcal{C}^1$ -diffeomorphisms.

## Task SIM- Simulation-S. Labbé

- Which properties of the original system can be checked by a computer? What can computers simulate?
- Conceptual aspects of discrete machines: **computational power**.
- Rounding and truncation errors. What can be said concerning the **roundoff errors** when simulating trajectories?
- **Convergence** of the sequence of discretized systems  $(X_N, T_N)$  toward  $(X, T)$ . For each dynamical feature of the homeomorphism, do its discrete analogues appear on an infinite number of discretizations? Are periodic orbits of  $(X, T)$  **shadowed** by periodic orbits of  $(X_N, T_N)$  with the same period for an infinite number of discretizations?
- **Simulation of  $\mathbb{Z}^d$ -actions**.
- **Numerical simulation for dynamical parameters**. Ex: Lyapunov exponents, and invariant measures.

# Task SPE - Construction of special orbits and invariants-N. Fijalkow

Effective constructions of **generic and special orbits** together with the question of the **existence and algorithmic synthesis of invariants**, and their related **decision problems**.

- Invariants for linear dynamical systems. Going beyond the case of linear dynamical systems on one hand, and beyond semi-algebraic sets for the invariants on the other hand.
- Constructions of **normal points**.
- Random generation of **generic objects**: probabilistic study of truncations.