ATTRACTORS FOR INTERNAL OR INERTIAL WAVES

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Motivated by experiments of physicists, in particular Thierry Dauxois (ENS-Lyon), we started this work with Laure Saint-Raymond. Using a simplified linear model, we are able to give a precise mathematical status to these attractors. Using Mourre theory and some pseudo-differential calculus, we can show that such attractors exist generically in 2D.

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