

# Hall1Dinterference

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## 1 From Poiriers Bohmian Mechanics without Wavefunctions To Halls Many Interacting Worlds

Ref:

1. Quantum Phenomena Modeled by Interactions between Many Classical Worlds Michael J. W. Hall Dirk-André Deckert and Howard M. Wiseman, PHYSICAL REVIEW X 4, 041013 (23 October 2014) <http://arxiv.org/abs/1402.6144>
2. Quantum Mechanics Without Wavefunctions Jeremy Schiff and Bill Poirier J. Chem. Phys. 136, 031102 (2012) <http://arxiv.org/abs/1201.2382v1>
3. Verletintegration(Wikipedia)

```
%typeset_mode True
from numpy import array, concatenate
from mpmath import erfinv
```

## 1.1 1-D

Comparison of Poiriers many-D expression to Halls 1-D toy expression.

```
vars= [ 'x' ] ; d = 1
X = map(function,vars)
# world index
%var n
ind=[n]
# position of particle in world n
P=map(lambda x:x(*ind),X);P
[x(n)]
```

### 1.1.1 Difference operators

For Halls finite number of interacting worlds we need the following difference operators instead of derivatives.

```
def Dminus(x,i):return(x-x.subs(ind[i]==ind[i]-1))
def Dplus(x,i):return(x.subs(ind[i]==ind[i]+1)-x)

Dminus(P[0],0)
Dminus(Dminus(P[0],0),0)
Dplus(Dminus(Dminus(P[0],0),0),0)
Dplus(Dplus(Dminus(Dminus(P[0],0),0),0),0)
-x(n-1)+x(n)
-2x(n-1)+x(n-2)+x(n)
x(n+1)+3x(n-1)-x(n-2)-3x(n)
x(n+2)-4x(n+1)-4x(n-1)+x(n-2)+6x(n)
```

etc.

### 1.1.2 Halls toy expression

eqs. (24,25)

```
%var hbar,mm

def sif(n): return(1/((X[0](n))-(X[0](n-1))))
def sigma(n): return((sif(n)^2)*(sif(n+1)-2*sif(n)+sif(n-1)))
def r(n): return(hbar^2/4/mm*(sigma(n+1)-sigma(n)))
def U(n): return(hbar^2/8/mm*(sif(n+1)-sif(n))^2)
```

### 1.1.3 Poiriers expression

```
# Ensemble of Bohmian trajectories
En = map(lambda x:x(*ind),X);En
# Jacobian: How trajectories change with trajectory index (i.e. as a \
function of the initial position).
```

```

Jn = matrix(map(lambda e:map(lambda c:Dminus(e,c),[i for i in range(d)]),\
    En));Jn
Kn = Jn^(-1);Kn
bool(sif(n)==Kn[0,0])

```

$$x(n) \\ (-x(n-1)+x(n)) \\ \left( -\frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n)} \right)$$

True

### 1.1.4 Quantum Force

Schiff and Poirier eq. (18)

```

eq18n = [ sum([ sum([ sum([
(hbar^2/4/mm)*Dplus( Kn[k,i]*Kn[p,j]*Dplus( Dminus( Kn[l,j],k ),l ),p )
for p in range(d)]) for k in range(d)]) for j in range(d)]) for l in \
range(d)]) for i in range(d)]
eq18n[0]

```

$$\frac{\hbar^2 \left( \frac{\frac{1}{x(n+2)-x(n+1)} - \frac{2}{x(n+1)-x(n)} - \frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n)}}{(x(n+1)-x(n))^2} - \frac{\frac{1}{x(n+1)-x(n)} + \frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n-2)} + \frac{2}{x(n-1)-x(n)}}{(x(n-1)-x(n))^2} \right)}{4 mm}$$

Compare to Halls MIW quantum force

```

bool(eq18n[0]==r(n))

```

True

### 1.1.5 Fast Numeric Functions

Create a numeric function that depends on the nearest neighbors:  $x(n-2) x(n-1) x(n) x(n+1) x(n+2)$

```

xsk=[X[i](n+j) for i in range(d) for j in [-2,-1,0,1,2]];xsk
xsv=[var(vars[i]+str(2+j)) for i in range(d) for j in [-2,-1,0,1,2]]; xsv

```

$$[x(n-2), x(n-1), x(n), x(n+1), x(n+2)]$$

$$[x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4]$$

```

eq18n3=map(lambda ex: ex.subs(dict(zip(xsk,xsv))),eq18n); eq18n3

```

$$\left[ \frac{\hbar^2 \left( \frac{\frac{1}{x_0-x_1} - \frac{2}{x_1-x_2} + \frac{1}{x_2-x_3}}{(x_1-x_2)^2} - \frac{\frac{1}{x_1-x_2} - \frac{2}{x_2-x_3} + \frac{1}{x_3-x_4}}{(x_2-x_3)^2} \right)}{4 mm} \right]$$

```

rf=fast_callable(eq18n3[0].subs({hbar:2/10,mm:1}), vars=xsv, domain=float\
)

```

```

p1=[random() for i in xsv];p1

```

```
[0.600471360389, 0.755886986663, 0.605153493182, 0.0762442866092, 0.934690481751]
```

```
rf(*p1)
-7.89998173363
```

```
%timeit [rf(*p1)]
625 loops, best of 3: 373 ns per loop
```

### 1.1.6 Quantum Potential

Why does Poirier eq. (20) include a second term?

```
eq20n = sum([ sum([ sum([
(hbar^2/4/mm)*(Kn[k,j]*Dplus( Dplus( Kn[1,j],1 ),k )+1/2*Dplus(Kn[1,j],1 \
)*Dplus(Kn[k,j],k))
for k in range(d)]) for j in range(d)]) for l in range(d)])
eq20n

$$\frac{\left(\left(\frac{1}{x(n+1)-x(n)} + \frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n)}\right)^2 - \frac{2\left(\frac{1}{x(n+2)-x(n+1)} - \frac{2}{x(n+1)-x(n)} - \frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n)}\right)}{x(n-1)-x(n)}\right)hbar^2}{8 mm}$$

```

Only the first term corresponds to Halls expression.

```
U(n)

$$\frac{hbar^2\left(\frac{1}{x(n+1)-x(n)} + \frac{1}{x(n-1)-x(n)}\right)^2}{8 mm}$$

```

```
bool(eq20n==U(n))
False
```

```
eq20n3=eq20n.subs(dict(zip(xsk,xsv))); eq20n3

$$\frac{\left(\left(\frac{1}{x_1-x_2} - \frac{1}{x_2-x_3}\right)^2 + \frac{2\left(\frac{1}{x_1-x_2} - \frac{2}{x_2-x_3} + \frac{1}{x_3-x_4}\right)}{x_1-x_2}\right)hbar^2}{8 mm}$$

```

```
ru=fast_callable(eq20n3.subs({hbar:2/10,mm:1}), vars=xsv, domain=float)
ru(*p1)
0.224489215087
```

Computation of total energy below shows that Halls expression is correct.

```
eq20n4=U(n).subs(dict(zip(xsk,xsv))); eq20n4

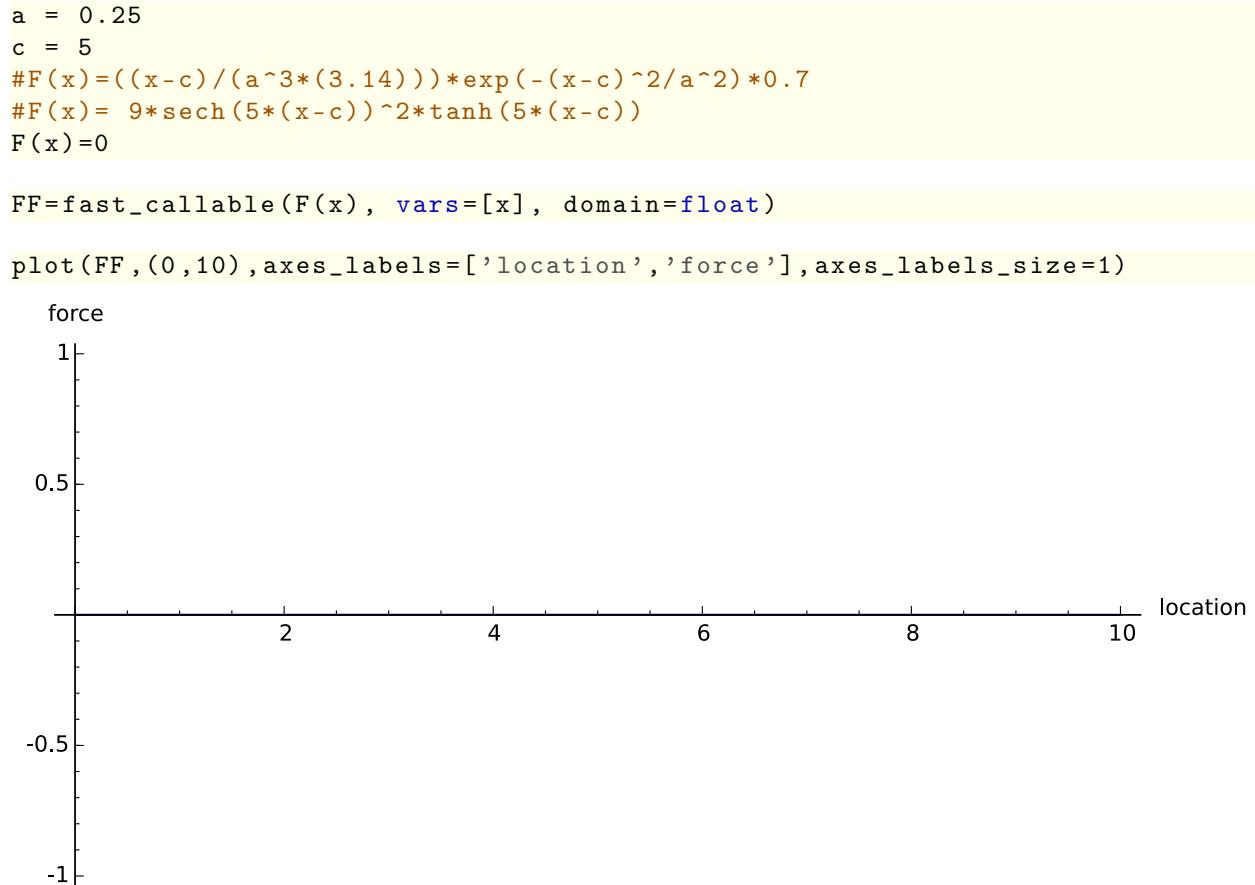
$$\frac{hbar^2\left(\frac{1}{x_1-x_2} - \frac{1}{x_2-x_3}\right)^2}{8 mm}$$

```

```
rU=fast_callable(eq20n4.subs({hbar:2/10,mm:1}), vars=xsv, domain=float)
```

```
rU(*p1)
0.112505949801
```

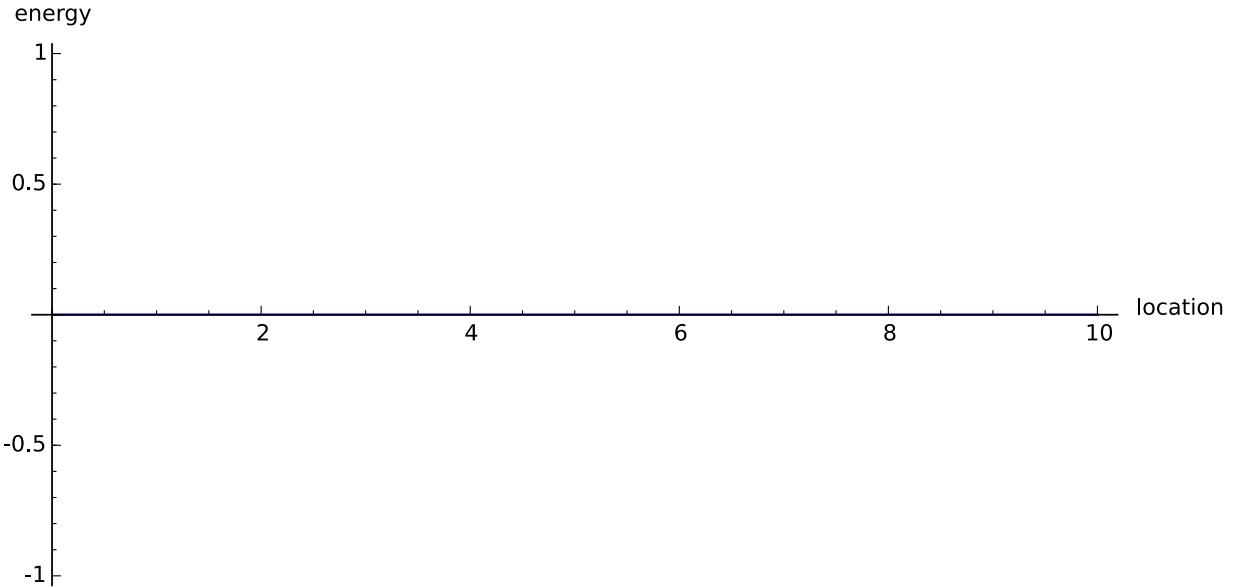
### 1.1.7 Classical force



### 1.1.8 Classical potential

```
#P0=sage_eval("lambda x:"+fricas(-F(x)).integrate(x).simplify().\
unparsed_input_form());P0(x)
#P0(x)=9/(10*cosh(5*x+-5*c)^2)
P0(x)=0

plot(P0,(0,10),axes_labels=['location','energy'],axes_labels_size=1)
```



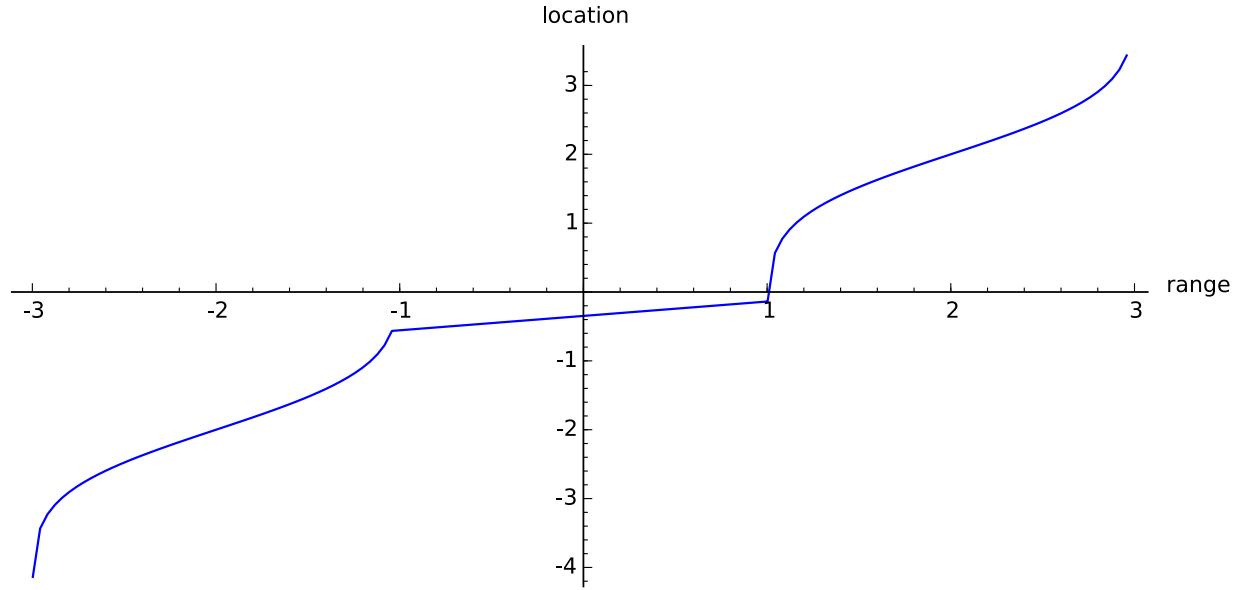
## 1.2 Simulation

Simulation of a single particle in one dimension over 100 worlds. The initial spacial distribution is a Gaussian wave packet. The uniformizing function is the cummulative distribution, this case the error function. We can use the inverse of the uniformizing function to create a gaussian packet from a uniform range.

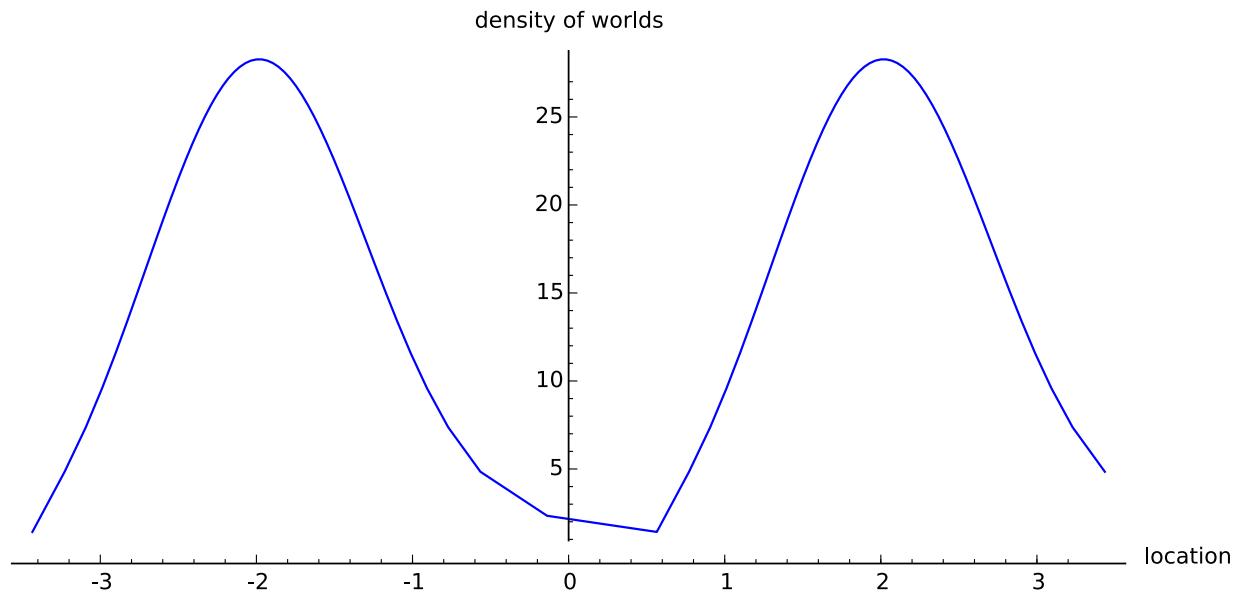
### 1.2.1 Initial conditions

```
N=50
r=[1.995*i/N for i in range(-N/2,(N+1)/2)]
r0=map(lambda x:x-2,r)+map(lambda x:x+2,r)
p=map(lambda x:float(1.0*erfinv(x)),r)
p0=map(lambda x:x-2,p)+map(lambda x:x+2,p);
N=len(p0)

line2d(zip(r0,p0),axes_labels=['range','location'],axes_labels_size=1)
```



```
# density
import numpy
def den(p): return map(lambda x:1/x,p[1:]-p[0:N-1])
line2d(zip(p0[1:N],den(array(p0))),axes_labels=['location','density of \
worlds'],axes_labels_size=1)
```



ensembles are approaching each other

```
# initial velocity of particle in each world
v0=[0.0 for i in p]+[0.0 for i in p]
```

### 1.2.2 Acceleration

```
# (quantum force + classical force)/mass
def rf1(X,i):
    global N
    lm2=X[i-2] if i>1 else -(10.0^10)
    lm1=X[i-1] if i>0 else -(10.0^6)
    rp1=X[i+1] if i+1<N else 10.0^6
    rp2=X[i+2] if i+2<N else 10.0^10
    return rf(lm2,lm1,X[i],rp1, rp2)+FF(X[i])
```

Total classical potential

```
def PU(x): return sum([P0(x[i]) for i in range(N)])
```

Total quantum Potential

```
def ru1(X,i):
    global N
    lm2=X[i-2] if i>1 else -(10.0^10)
    lm1=X[i-1] if i>0 else -(10.0^6)
    rp1=X[i+1] if i+1<N else 10.0^6
    rp2=X[i+2] if i+2<N else 10.0^10
    # (quantum potential
    return rU(lm2,lm1,X[i],rp1, rp2)
def QU(x): return sum([ru1(x,i) for i in range(N)])
```

Total kinetic energy

```
def K(x): return sum(x^2)/2
```

## 1.3 Solution

Run the integration

### 1.3.1 Velocity Verlet

Störmer–Verlet discretization with continuous integrating stepsize controller

Ref: `Explicit`, `TimeReversible`, `AdaptiveStepSizeControl` by Ernst Hairer and Gustaf Söderlind

```
%time
t1 = 20; step = 0.1;
def A(x): return array([rf1(x,i) for i in range(N)])
XX = array(p0)
VV = array(v0)
AX = A(XX)
# minimum step size
ds = 0.002
# controller
def G(p,q): return -alpha*sum(map(prod,zip(p,q)))/(eps+sum(map(prod,zip(q\
    ,q))))+beta*(1-ds/dt)
alpha = 0.1
```

```

beta = 0.0
eps = 10^-10
# step density
rho = 1; dt=ds/rho; rho = rho - G(AX,VV)*dt/2
t = 0
XV = [concatenate((XX,VV))]; tt = [t]
rhos = [rho]
while t<t1:
    # Check total energy conservation
    T1=K(VV)+PU(XX)+QU(XX)
    for i in range(int(step/dt)):
        rho = rho + G(AX,VV)*dt
        dt = ds/rho; t += dt
        XX += VV*dt + AX/2*dt^2
        VV += AX/2*dt; AX = A(XX); VV += AX/2*dt
    T2=K(VV)+PU(XX)+QU(XX)
    if abs(T1-T2)>0.05:
        print "Integration failed at %s.%t,"Try a shorter time step: %s.\n \
            "%ds/2
        break
    XV.append(concatenate((XX,VV))); tt += [t]; rhos.append(rho)
CPU time: 4.97 s, Wall time: 4.98 s

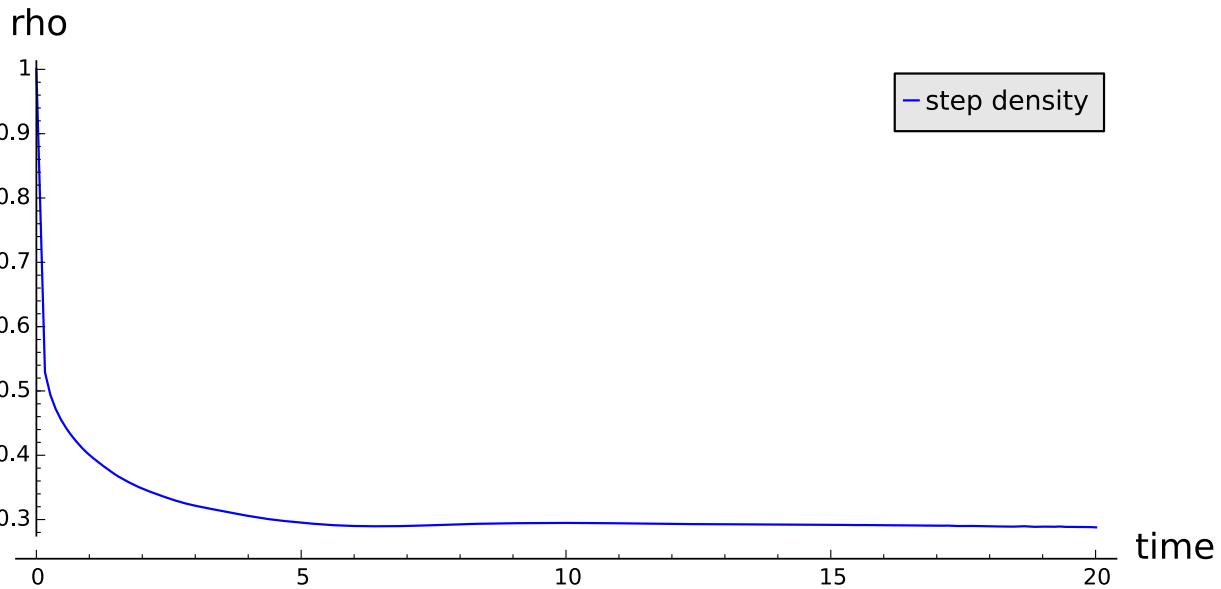
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```

len(rhos)
line2d(zip(tt,rhos),axes_labels=['time','rho'],legend_label='step density\
')

```

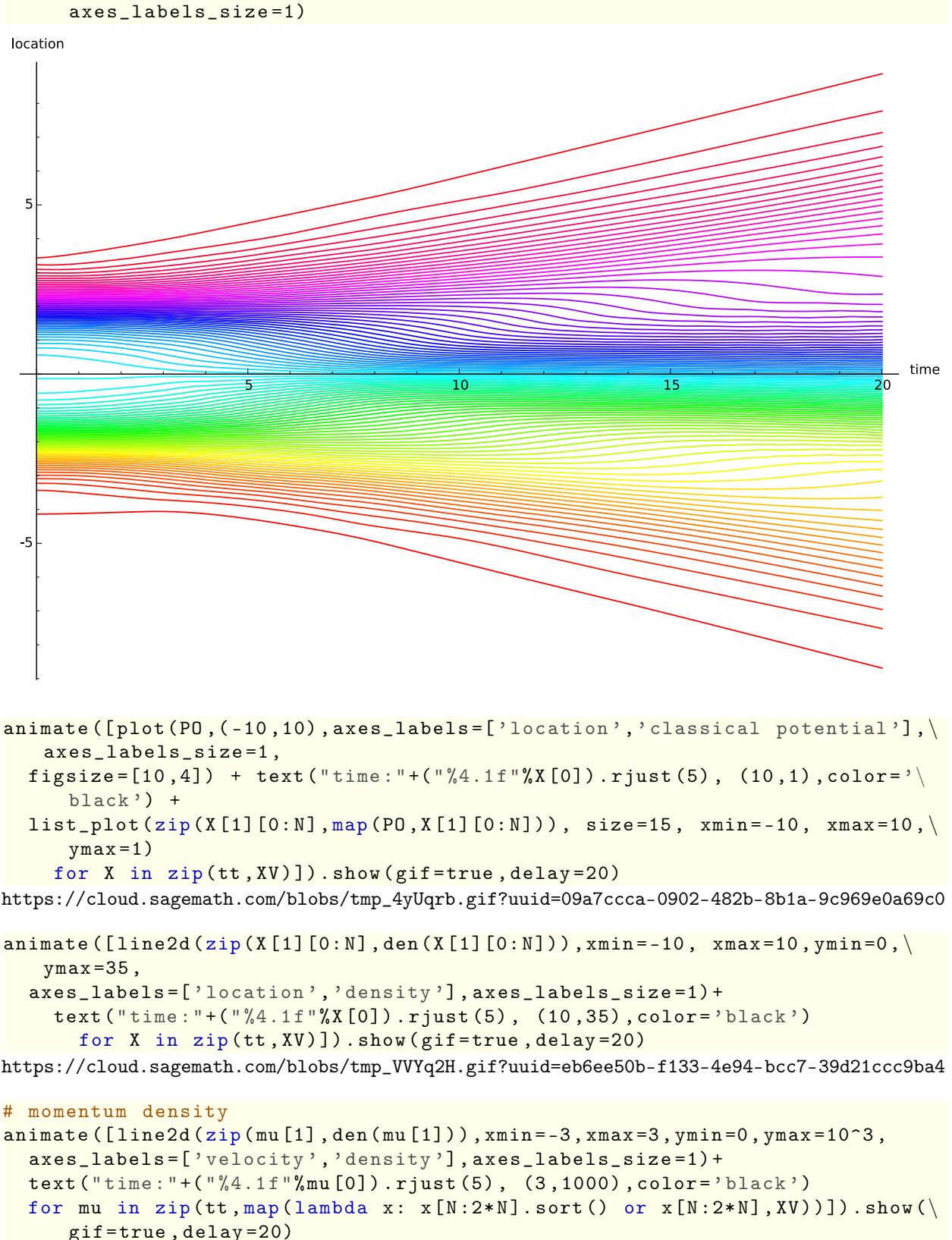
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```

show(sum([line([[tt[i],XV[i][j]] for i in range(0,len(tt))],rgbcolor = \
hue(float(j)/N))
for j in range(N)]),figsize=[10,7],axes_labels=['time','location'],\

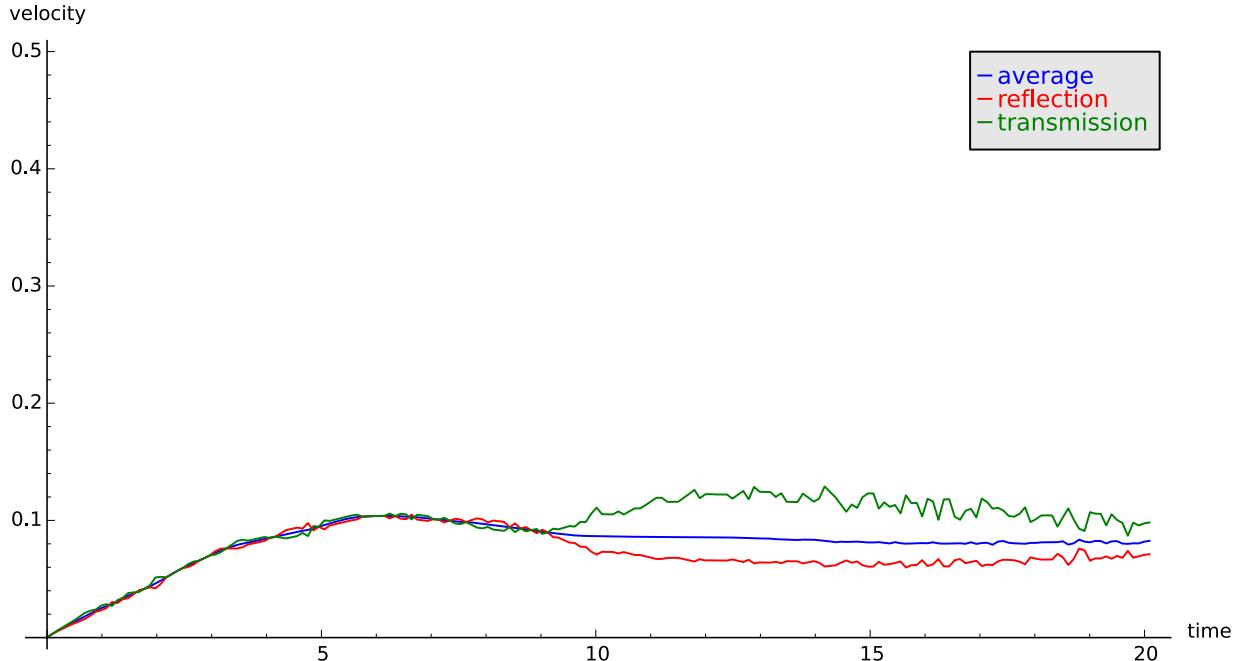
```



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### 1.3.2 Velocity

```
def average_velocity(t): return sum(map(abs,XV[t][N:2*N]))/N
def num_left(t): return sum(map(lambda x:1 if x<0 else 0,XV[t][N:2*N]))
def average_left(t): return sum(map(lambda x:-x if x<0 else 0,XV[t][N:2*N]))/(0.000001+num_left(t))
def num_right(t): return sum(map(lambda x:1 if x>=0 else 0,XV[t][N:2*N]))
def average_right(t): return sum(map(lambda x: x if x>0 else 0,XV[t][N:2*N]))/(0.000001+num_right(t))
tot=line2d([[tt[i],average_velocity(i)] for i in range(len(tt))],color='blue',legend_label='average',legend_color='blue',ymax=0.5)
left=line2d([[tt[i],average_left(i)] for i in range(len(tt))],color='red',legend_label='reflection',legend_color='red',ymax=0.5)
right=line2d([[tt[i],average_right(i)] for i in range(len(tt))],color='green',legend_label='transmission',legend_color='green',ymax=0.5)
show(tot+left+right,figsize=[9,5],axes_labels=['time','velocity'],axes_labels_size=1)
```



```
sum(map(abs,XV[len(tt)-1][N:2*N]))-sum(map(abs,XV[0][N:2*N]))
8.1831853166
```

Final state

```
print "# of worlds with particles moving left: ", num_left(len(tt)-1), \
      average velocity: ",average_left(len(tt)-1)
```

```

print "# of worlds with particles moving right: ", num_right(len(tt)-1), \
      "average velocity: ", average_right(len(tt)-1)
print "overall average: ", average_velocity(len(tt)-1)
# of worlds with particles moving left: 56 average velocity: 0.0739570105298
# of worlds with particles moving right: 44 average velocity: 0.0941271036102
overall average: 0.082831853166

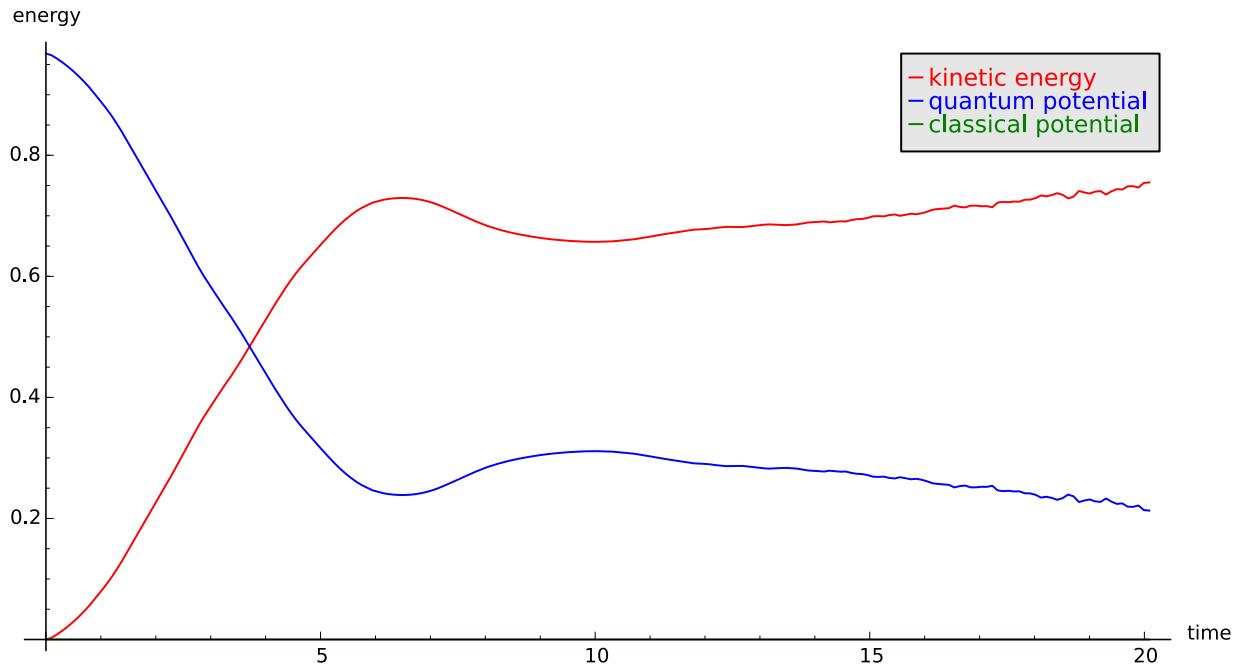
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### 1.3.3 Conservation of energy

```

U1=line2d([[tt[i],QU(XV[i][0:N])] for i in range(len(tt))],
          color='blue',legend_color='blue',legend_label="quantum potential")
U2=line2d([[tt[i],PU(XV[i][0:N])] for i in range(len(tt))],
          color='green', legend_color='green', legend_label="classical potential"\
          )
K1=line2d([[tt[i],K(XV[i][N:2*N])] for i in range(len(tt))],
          legend_color='red',color='red',legend_label="kinetic energy")
show(K1+U1+U2,figsize=[9,5],axes_labels=['time','energy'],\
      axes_labels_size=1)

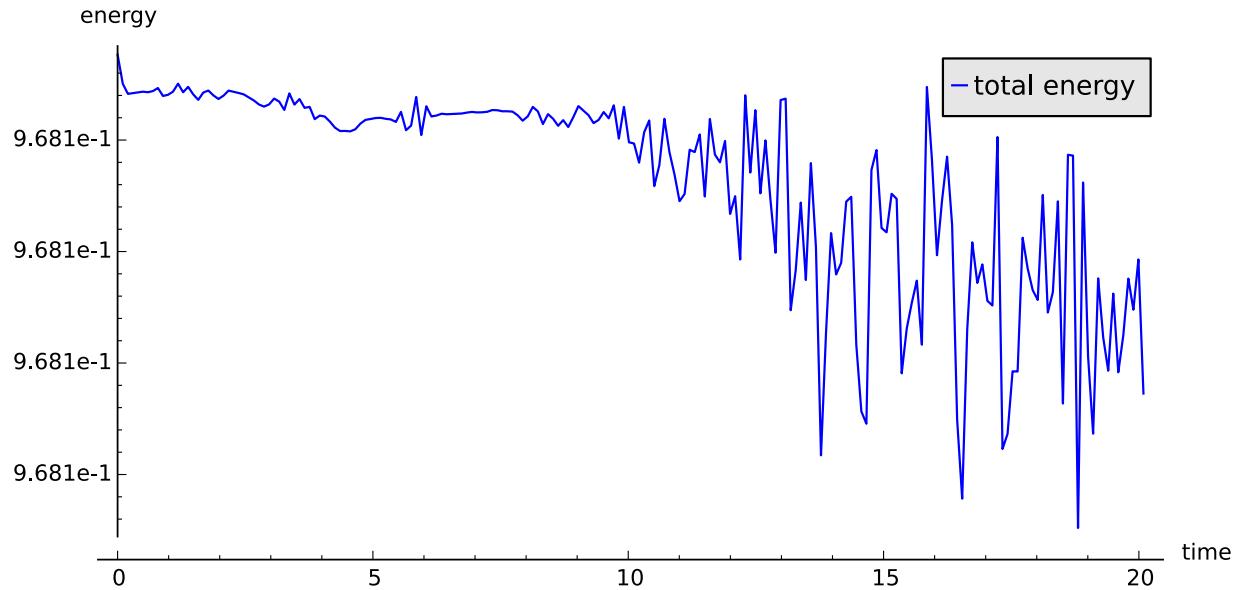
```



```

line([[tt[i],K(XV[i][N:2*N])+PU(XV[i][0:N])+QU(XV[i][0:N])] for i in \
      range(len(tt))],
      legend_label="total energy",axes_labels=['time','energy'],\
      axes_labels_size=1)

```



```
K(XV[len(tt)-1][N:2*N])+QU(XV[len(tt)-1][0:N])+PU(XV[len(tt)-1][0:N])-K(\n
XV[1][N:2*N])-QU(XV[1][0:N])-PU(XV[1][0:N])
-2.77788740755 × 10-6
```