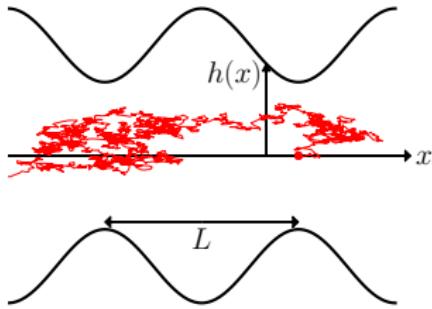


## Dispersion in periodic channels

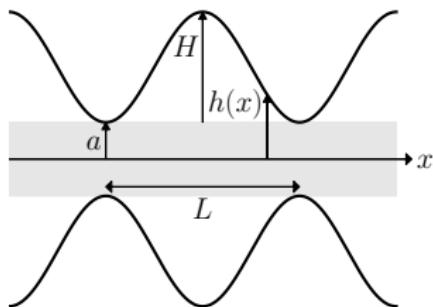
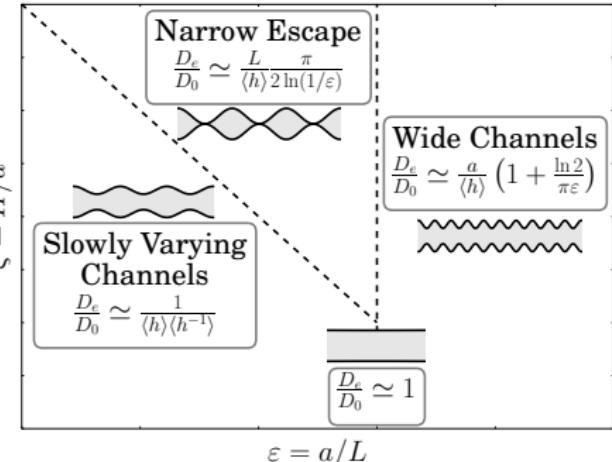
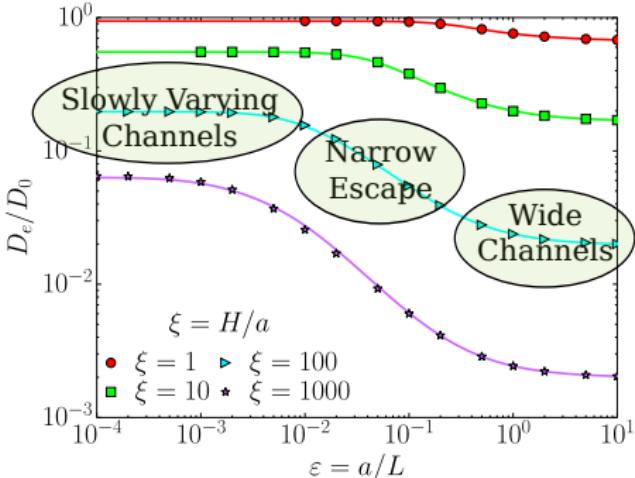
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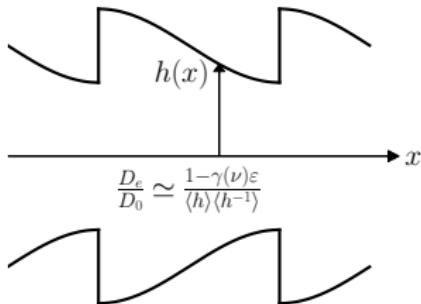
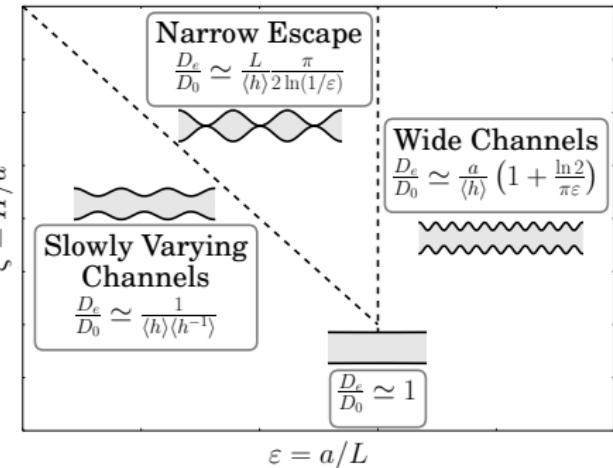
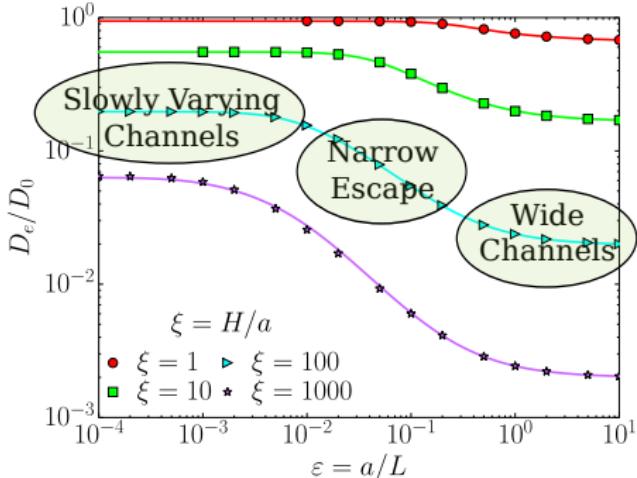
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  - $D_e = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\langle x^2(t) \rangle}{2t} < D_0.$
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  - effective entropy  $s(x) = \ln h(x).$
  - $\frac{D_e}{D_0} \simeq \frac{1}{\langle h \rangle \langle h^{-1} \rangle}, h'(x) \ll 1.$



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