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RECHARGE PROCESSES REVISITED

- **BAROCLINIC STORMS (AMBAUM AND NOVAK, 2013)**
- **CONVECTIVE CYCLES (YANO AND PLANT, 2012)**
- **NEW: NAMBU (NONCANONICAL HAMILTONIAN)**
- **FORCED WAVE-MEAN FLOW INTERACTION MODEL (BLENDER ET** AL, 2013)
- **FORCED ROSSBY WAVE TRIAD (BLENDER AND FREGIN, 2020).**

AMBAUM AND NOVAK (2014): STORM TRACKS

Mechanism: Storms reduce baroclinicity

Baroclinicity

FORCED WAVE TRIAD

Real Amplitude equations for a resonant wave triad with forcing of the intermediate wavenumber (2)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}Y_1}{\mathrm{d}t} = -Y_2Y_3$$
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}Y_2}{\mathrm{d}t} = Y_1Y_3 + f_2$$
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}Y_3}{\mathrm{d}t} = -Y_1Y_2$$

The amplitude Y_2 shows a recharge cycle Unforced waves: grow with opposite sign



WAVE-MEAN FLOW INTERACTION

Flow: Discharge by waves and Recharge by forcing f

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}u}{\mathrm{d}t} = -\frac{v^2 + w^2}{12} + f$$

Waves amplification and oscillation

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}v}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{uv}{6} + uw$$
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}w}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{uw}{6} - uv$$





CANONICAL HAMILTONIAN

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$$H(s, y) = (s - s_0)^2 / 2 + f / 2 - F / 2 \ln f$$
$$\dot{y} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial s} \text{ and } \dot{s} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial y} \qquad y = (1/2) \ln f$$

YANO AND PLANT (2012): CONVECTION





Cloud base mass flux, Convection (solid) x

(dashed) y

NAMBU FORM OF THE FORCED EQUATIONS

Nambu (1973): Extension of Hamiltonian dynamics with additional conservation laws

> Hamiltonian $H_2^f = H + f_2(D_2/2)\ln(Y_1 + Y_3)^2$

> > Casimir $C_2 = \frac{1}{2D_2} (Y_3^2 - Y_1^2)$

Nambu Dynamics Divergence-free with two stream-functions

 $\mathrm{d}\mathbf{Y}$ $\frac{dt}{dt} = \nabla C_2 \times \nabla H_2^f$



NAMBU FORM WITH A HAMILTONIAN AND TWO CASIMIRS, A DIVERGENCE FACTOR IS NECESSARY

$$H_f = H_0 + H_w - 3f\ln H_w$$

 $\frac{\mathrm{d}X}{\mathrm{d}t} = g(v, w)\nabla C_{RD} \times \nabla H_f + 2\nabla C_w \times \nabla H_f$

CANONICAL HAMILTONIAN

$$H(y,\eta) = y^2/2 - fe^{\eta} + \eta$$

$$\dot{\eta} = \partial H / \partial y$$
 and $\dot{y} = -\partial H / \partial \eta$ $\eta = \ln(1+x)$

Cloud work function

Nambu Bracket

 $dF/dt = \{F, C_2, H_2^f\}$

Rigid body Nambu bracket

 $\{F, A, B\} = \nabla F \cdot \nabla A \times \nabla B$

Reduces to a *Lie-Poisson* bracket with a Casimir C

 $C_{RD} = w/v \qquad \qquad C_w = H_w$

$g(v, w) = v^2/2$

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