



# Monte Carlo with the repelled Poisson point process

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1 Numerical integration 

2 Repelled point process 

3 Conclusion 

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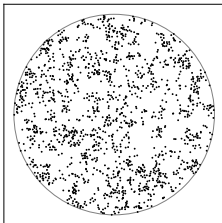
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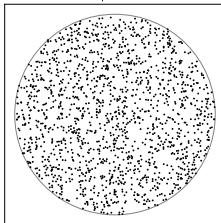
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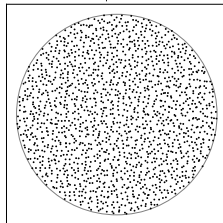
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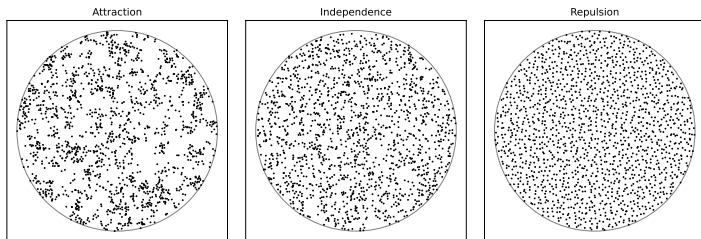
Independence



Repulsion



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Simple Monte Carlo:

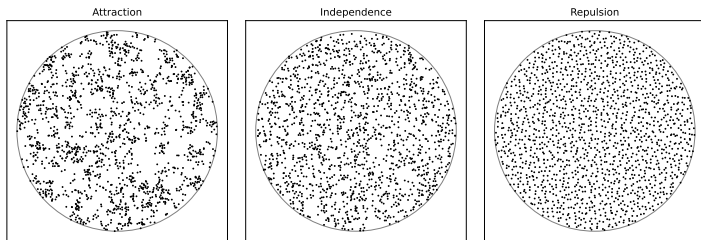
- $\mathcal{X}$  a homogeneous Poisson point process (PPP) of intensity  $\rho$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ .
- Sampling from  $\mathcal{X}$  is fast. 😊
- $\text{Var}[\hat{I}(f)] = \frac{\int_K f^2(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x}}{\rho} = \mathcal{O}(N^{-1})$ . ☹️



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A. B. Owen. Monte Carlo theory, methods and examples. 2013.



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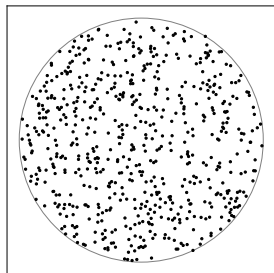
- Monte Carlo with DPP <sup>1 2</sup> : Convergence rate  $\mathcal{O}(N^{-1-1/d})$  (with PPP we had  $\mathcal{O}(N^{-1})$ ). 
- Sampling from the DPP is expensive ( $\sim \mathcal{O}(N^3)$ ). 

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<sup>2</sup>J.-F. Coeurjolly, A. Mazoyer, and P.-O. Amblard. Monte Carlo integration of non-differentiable functions on  $[0, 1]^d$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, d$ , using a single determinantal point pattern defined on  $[0, 1]^d$ . Electronic Journal of Statistics, 2021.

# ✈ Repelled point process

$\mathcal{X}$  a (simple) stationary point process of intensity  $\rho$  of  $\mathbb{R}^d$ .



Poisson

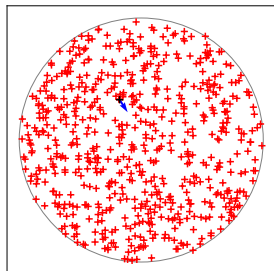
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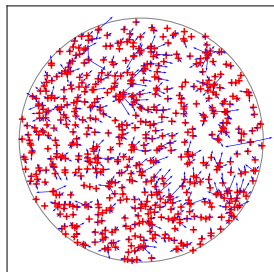
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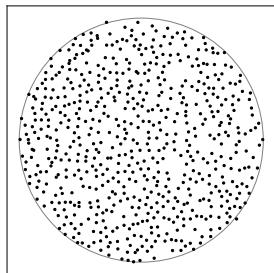
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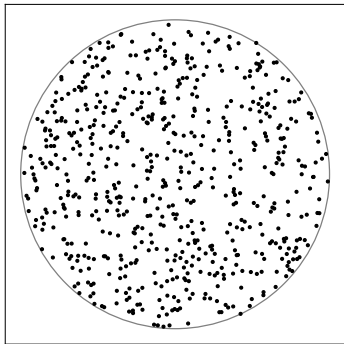
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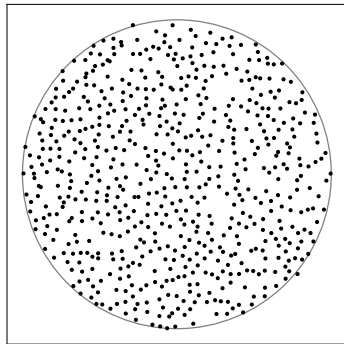
Repelled Poisson

# Construction

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Poisson



Repelled Poisson

Let  $\mathcal{P} \in \mathbb{R}^d$  be a PPP of intensity  $\rho > 0$  with  $d \geq 3$ .

- For any  $\varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}$ , and any two distinct points  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{P}$ , we have a.s.

$$\mathbf{x} + \varepsilon F_{\mathcal{P}}(\mathbf{x}) \neq \mathbf{y} + \varepsilon F_{\mathcal{P}}(\mathbf{y}).$$

Moreover,  $\Pi_{\varepsilon}\mathcal{P}$  is a stationary and isotropic point process of intensity  $\rho$ .



# Main result

Let  $\mathcal{P} \in \mathbb{R}^d$  be a PPP of intensity  $\rho > 0$  with  $d \geq 3$ .

- Let  $\varepsilon \in (-1, 1)$  and  $R > 0$ . For any positive integer  $m$ ,

$$\mathbb{E} \left[ \left( \sum_{\mathbf{x} \in \Pi_\varepsilon \mathcal{P}} \mathbf{1}_{B(0,R)}(\mathbf{x}) \right)^m \right] < \infty.$$

# Main result

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- Let  $\varepsilon \in (-1, 1)$ . For any function  $f \in C^2(\mathbb{R}^d)$  of compact support  $K$ , we have

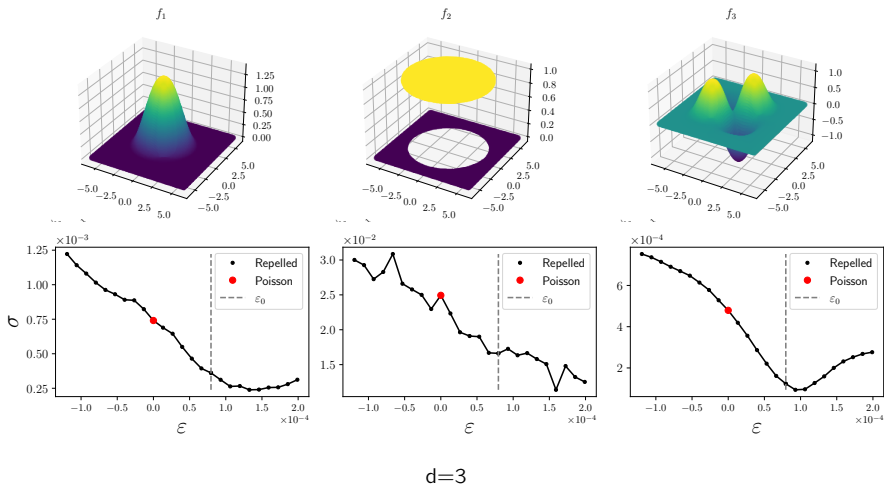
$$\text{Var} \left[ \widehat{I}_{\Pi_\varepsilon \mathcal{P}}(f) \right] = \text{Var} \left[ \widehat{I}_{\mathcal{P}}(f) \right] (1 - 2d\kappa_d\rho\varepsilon) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2).$$

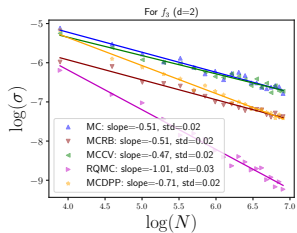
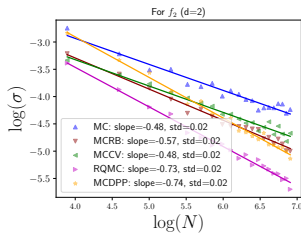
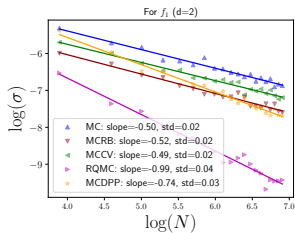
- For  $\varepsilon > 0$  small enough,

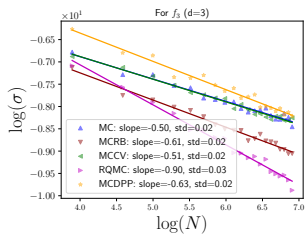
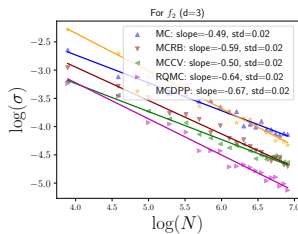
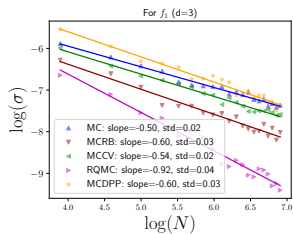
$$\text{Var} \left[ \widehat{I}_{\Pi_\varepsilon \mathcal{P}}(f) \right] < \text{Var} \left[ \widehat{I}_{\mathcal{P}}(f) \right].$$

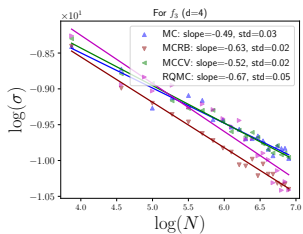
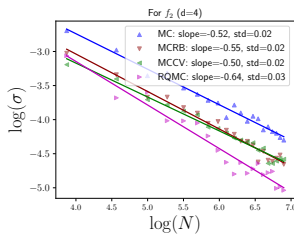
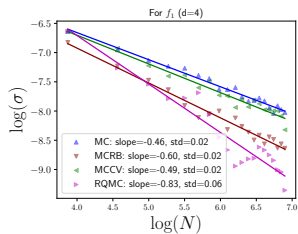
- Computational complexity  $\mathcal{O}(N^2)$  (parallalizable).

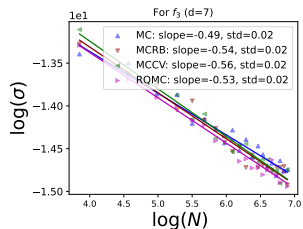
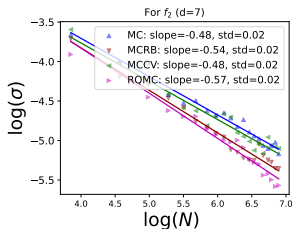
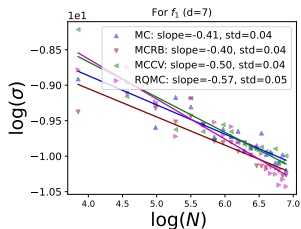
 Experiment







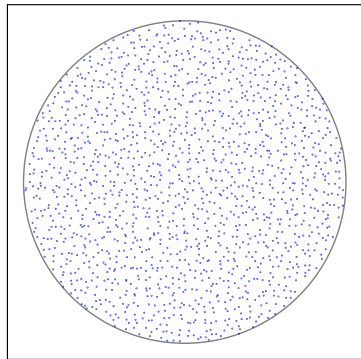




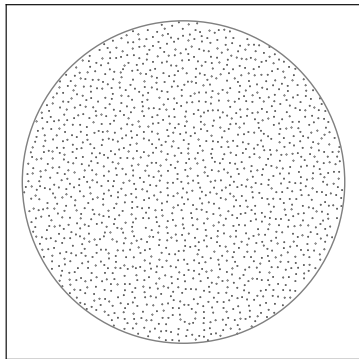


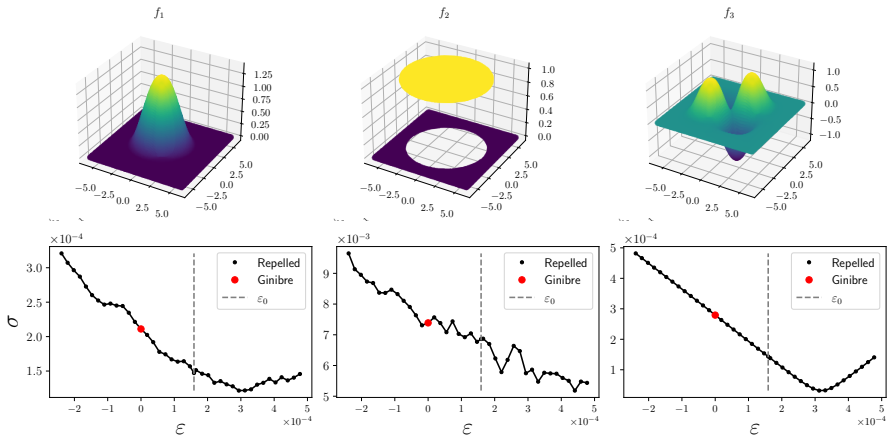


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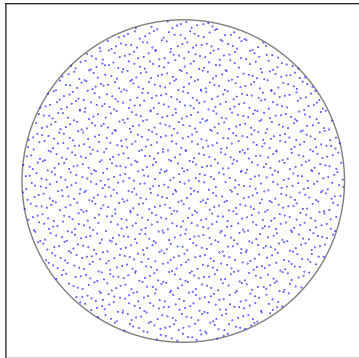
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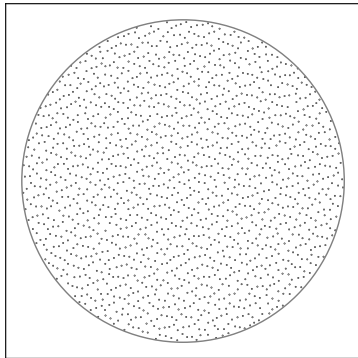


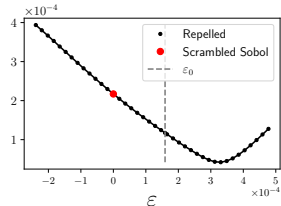
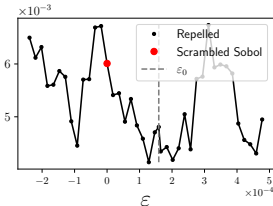
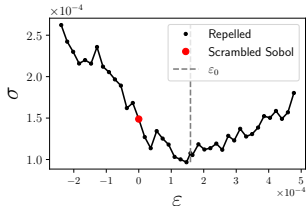
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Scrambled Sobol

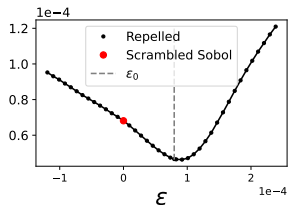
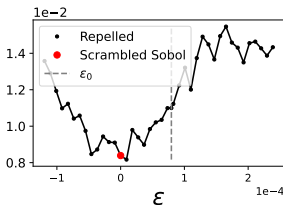
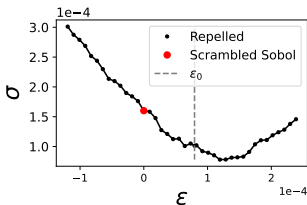


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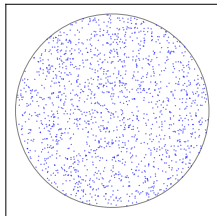


## Conclusion

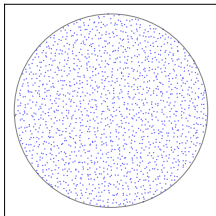
- The repelled point process
- Monte Carlo variance reduction with the repelled Poisson point process
-  Open source Python toolbox MCRPPy

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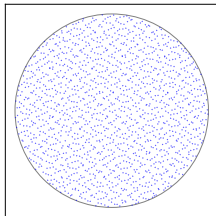
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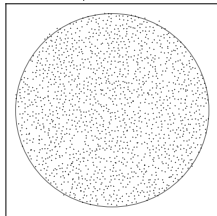
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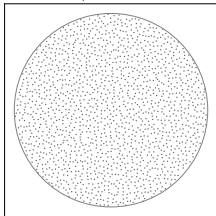
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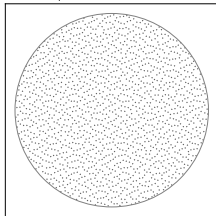
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