

# Continuum-wise Expansive Homoclinic classes

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- In this talk, we will study the **hyperbolicity of continuum-wise expansive homoclinic classes**.

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  - $Df$  is contractive on  $E_\Lambda^s$  and  $Df$  is expansive on  $E_\Lambda^u$ .

There are several notions extending (uniform) hyperbolicity;  
**partial hyperbolicity, dominated splitting, etc.**

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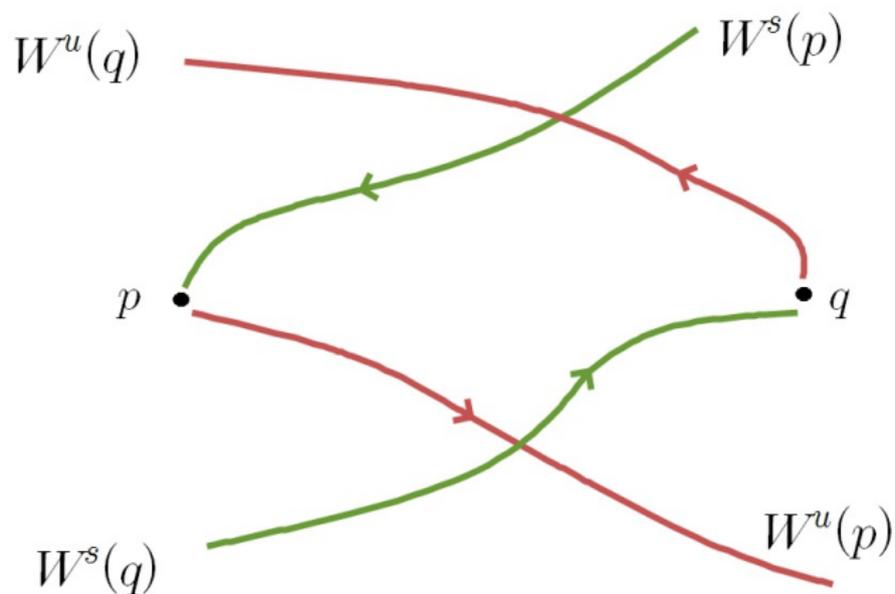
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In this way, we can construct many diffeomorphisms on  $\mathbb{S}^2$  which are CW-expansive.

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