

Potential energy functions

One-dimensional example potential for projects 01 and 11

$$V(x) = -\ln \left[e^{-\frac{(x-30)^2}{70}} + e^{-\frac{(x-60)^2}{500}} + e^{-\frac{(x-130)^2}{800}} + e^{-\frac{(x-180)^2}{600}} \right] \quad (1)$$

Range: $0 \leq x \leq 300$

Two-dimensional example potentials for projects 05, 06, and 07

The potential energy functions are constructed as

$$V(x, y) = -\ln[f(x, y)] \quad (2)$$

where examples for $f(x, y)$ are

$$f(x, y) = e^{-\frac{(x-30)^2}{200}} e^{-\frac{(y-50)^2}{170}} + 2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-80)^2}{800}} e^{-\frac{(y-80)^2}{170}} + 2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-140)^2}{1100}} e^{-\frac{(y-140)^2}{1100}} \quad (3)$$

and

$$f(x, y) = e^{-\frac{(x-30)^2}{200}} e^{-\frac{(y-40)^2}{170}} + 2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-80)^2}{800}} e^{-\frac{(y-80)^2}{170}} + 2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-190)^2}{1000}} e^{-\frac{(y-190)^2}{1000}} \\ + 1.2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-100)^2}{2000}} e^{-\frac{(y-200)^2}{200}} + 1.2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-200)^2}{200}} e^{-\frac{(y-100)^2}{2000}} + e^{-\frac{(x-110)^2}{2000}} e^{-\frac{(y-110)^2}{170}}. \quad (4)$$

Range: $0 \leq x \leq 300, 0 \leq y \leq 300$

Two-dimensional example potentials for projects 08, 09, and 11

The potential energy functions are constructed as

$$V(x) = -\ln[f(x)] \quad (5)$$

where examples for $f(x)$ are

$$f(x) = 3 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-30)^2}{150}}, \quad (6)$$

$$f(x) = e^{-\frac{(x-125)^2}{800}} + 1.2 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-165)^2}{200}} + e^{-\frac{(x-215)^2}{600}}, \quad (7)$$

$$f(x) = 2.5 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-140)^2}{100}} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-160)^2}{100}} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-180)^2}{100}}, \quad (8)$$

$$f(x) = 1.5 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-80)^2}{800}}, \quad (9)$$

and

$$f(x) = e^{-\frac{(x-100)^2}{800}} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-180)^2}{600}}, \quad (10)$$

Range: $0 \leq x \leq 300$