Statistics of transmitted power in multichannel dissipative ergodic structures

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We use the random matrix theory (RMT) to study the probability distribution function and moments of the wave power transmitted inside systems with ergodic wave motion. The results describe either open multichannel systems or their closed counterparts with local-in-space internal dissipation. We concentrate on the regime of broken time-reversal invariance and employ two different analytical approaches: the exact supersymmetry method and a simpler technique that uses RMT eigenstatistics for closed nondissipative systems as an input. The results of the supersymmetric method were confirmed by numerical simulation. The simpler method is found to be adequate for closed systems with uniform dissipation, or in the limit of a large number of weak local dampers.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Transport through open chaotic systems is often viewed as a scattering process. Standard examples of systems of that kind are compound nuclei, mesoscopic quantum dots and wires, microwave cavities, and acoustic or ultrasonic bodies [1-12] Incident waves are introduced into a disordered or irregularly shaped part of the structure via channels, e.g., waveguides, or infinitely long ideal leads. Assuming negligible dissipation, transport properties are obtained by relating incident and outgoing wave fields in terms of the unitary scattering matrix *S*. If internal dissipation is not negligible, it can be simulated by the action of additional open channels [9]. This is the case, for example, with microwave cavities where nonperfectly reflecting walls cause loss of wave energy or with ultrasonic solids where internal friction acts in the bulk [8,9,12].

The scattering model thus applies to open systems both with and without internal dissipation. The scattering approach provides a useful tool for statistical characterization of chaotic transport. Assuming the wave dynamics inside the system to be ergodic so that the entire phase space of the system is explored [2-6], the scattering approach is combined with a statistical analysis based on random matrix theory (RMT). For systems without losses, one can make assumptions on the statistics of the S matrix [2,11]. An alternative method uses a random matrix assumption on the level of the wave equation associated with the closed nondissipative structure. Here the basic object is the Green function (resolvent) related to that wave equation, and the method works equally well in both open and closed, dissipative and nondissipative complex structures [1-10,12]. Matrices from a random matrix ensemble then replace the wave equation's linear differential operator, and the problem of constructing various moments of the transport characteristics is expressed in terms of ensemble averages of the products of the resolvents. Transport characteristics calculated in that way are known, under certain conditions, to describe the results of experimental measurements in systems with ergodic wave motion [1-6].

In this paper we are interested in characterizing the wave

power T transmitted between a source at site i and a receiver at site *j* in a closed system with internal losses. The statistics of T are potentially useful for studies of power transmission in complex reverberant structures [12-14], where both the mean power and the magnitude of its fluctuations away from the mean are important. In particular, we wish to calculate the average T and T^2 with the ultimate goal of comparing with measurements such as those of Ref. [12]. The complex amplitude of the transmitted wave is simply proportional to the off-diagonal matrix element of the resolvent: G(E) $\equiv [EI + i\varepsilon I - H + i\Gamma]^{-1}$. Here *H* corresponds to the Hamiltonian of the closed nondissipative chaotic structure. The matrix Γ describes coupling to external channels or internal local-in-space losses, I is the identity matrix, the parameter $\varepsilon > 0$ describes uniform dissipation, and E is the spectral variable. The quantity of prime interest is $T = |G_{ii}(E)|^2$, $i \neq j$, i.e., the product of retarded and advanced Green functions (propagators): $G_{ji}^{R}(E) \equiv [EI + i\varepsilon I - H + i\Gamma]_{ji}^{-1}$ and G_{ij}^{A} $=(G_{ii}^{R}(E))^{*}$, respectively. Except for the slowly varying factors of receiver gain and source strength, the quantity T represents the ultrasonic power of Ref. [12]; see also [10-13].

The fluctuations in T, as measured in Ref. [12], were in only modest agreement with theoretical predictions based on a simplified version of the random matrix approach. The moments of T were calculated there using a naive form of ensemble averaging [8,12–14]. This relatively simple approach uses statistical assumptions for eigenfunctions and the real parts of eigenvalues of the open system identical to those of the corresponding closed system. As will be seen later, such an assumption is strictly justified only for a special case of uniform dissipation. In a more general situation this approach fails. A proper treatment calls for a more elaborate technique, which we outline and present below.

When losses are negligible the systems discussed in Refs. [12-14] are invariant under time reversal. The appropriate choice for the corresponding random matrix *H* should therefore be a real symmetric matrix taken, e.g., from the Gaussian orthogonal ensemble (GOE). In principle, the powerful methods of ensemble averaging we employ here can be used for such an ensemble, but the calculations are technically

involved and will be presented in a separate publication.

Here we address ourselves to the somewhat simpler case in which H is complex Hermitian, generic for systems with broken time-reversal invariance. Correspondingly, H is treated as a Hermitian $N \times N$ matrix consisting of uncorrelated centered random complex numbers, their variances defined by $\langle H_{ii}H_{lm}^*\rangle = (\lambda^2/N) \delta_{il} \delta_{im}$ with angular brackets indicating ensemble averaging. Such an H is a member of the Gaussian unitary ensemble (GUE) of random matrices [1]. Although our present results on the statistics of T are not directly applicable to the time-reversal invariant systems discussed in [12-14], they may elucidate the discrepancies found in Ref. [12] between measurements and the predictions of the "naive" averaging. They also develop and illustrate the mathematical methods which will be used for a proper nonperturbative analysis of the time-reversalinvariant problem. The present calculations are also relevant for scattering systems with broken time-reversal invariance as exemplified in certain chaotic billiards [8], optical and semiconductor superlattices [15], and quantum graphs [16]. In fact, our results on the distribution of the off-diagonal elements of the resolvent extend earlier studies concentrated on *diagonal* entries for the same quantity (see [17,18] and references therein). Let us finally mention that there exists a clear analogy between our research and that presented in the paper [19] (see also the review [20]). However, the model considered in [19,20] did not take local dampers into account, but rather addressed effects of Anderson localization.

The damping matrix Γ is in general Hermitian positive semidefinite. In our model there is no loss of generality in assuming it to be diagonal. Indeed, in view of the rotational invariance of the Gaussian unitary ensemble, $H \mapsto UHU^{-1}(U^{-1} = U^{\dagger})$, we can always select a basis that diagonalizes Γ , bringing it into the form Г = diag{ $\gamma, \gamma, \ldots, \gamma, 0, \ldots, 0$ }. The number M < N of nonzero entries can be interpreted either as a number of equivalent open channels in the scattering system [3,4,9] or as a number of equivalent localized "dampers" in a closed system with losses. While we take all the γ 's to be equal, the expressions we develop are easily generalized to the case of varying damper strengths. It should be stressed that in general the matrices Γ and H do not commute, and therefore the eigenvectors and eigenvalues of the "effective non-Hermitian Hamiltonian" $H - i\Gamma$ are not trivially related to those of H. This very fact makes the naive averaging incorrect. In contrast, the term $i \varepsilon I$ interpreted as the "uniform damping" preserves eigenvectors of H and just adds a uniform shift $i\varepsilon$ to all eigenvalues.

The presence of an $N \times N$ random Hamiltonian H in the expression for the resolvent matrix G enables us to carry out the ensemble averaging exactly using the supersymmetry method [3,4,20–23]. Application of this nonperturbative technique leads to an expression for the entire probability distribution function of T. We present the corresponding derivation in Sec. II. In Sec. III, we compare the results for the first two moments of T as obtained using the supersymmetry method and the methods of Refs. [12–14]. The results are then verified numerically by direct simulation of the model. Section IV contains conclusions.

II. PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION OF THE POWER. SUPERSYMMETRIC CALCULATION

In the previous section we defined the power *T* as a product of advanced and retarded Green functions G_{ij} . Our goal is to compute the statistics, i.e., ensemble averages $\langle T \rangle_H$, $\langle T^2 \rangle_H$, etc., where subscript *H* designates averaging with the Gaussian weight $\exp\{-(N/2\lambda^2) \operatorname{Tr} H^{\dagger}H\}$. At the first stage of the supersymmetric calculation we make use of the following identities for the inverse propagator $D_{ij} = [E + i\varepsilon - H + i\Gamma]_{ij}$ [3,4,20–23]:

$$\det \mathfrak{D}_b^{-1} = \int [dS^{\dagger}] [dS] \exp\{i\mathfrak{L}_b(E,S)\},$$
$$\det \mathfrak{D}_f = (-1)^N \int [d\chi^*] [d\chi] \exp\{i\mathfrak{L}_f(E,\chi)\}.$$

Here we introduced 2*N*-dimensional vectors $S^T = (S_1^T, S_2^T)$ and $\chi^T = (\chi_1^T, \chi_2^T)$, consisting of complex commuting or bosonic (*b*) variables and anticommuting or fermionic (*f*) variables, respectively. $\mathfrak{D}_b = \text{diag}\{D, -D^{\dagger}\}$ and \mathfrak{D}_f $= \text{diag}\{D, D^{\dagger}\}$ are $2N \times 2N$ block diagonal matrices, and $\mathfrak{L}_b(E,S) = S^{\dagger}\mathfrak{D}_bS$, $\mathfrak{L}_f(E,\chi) = \chi^{\dagger}\mathfrak{D}_f\chi$. The negative sign of \mathfrak{D}_b^{22} is necessary for convergence of the integrals in what follows. Differentiating the first equality with respect to \mathfrak{D}_{bji}^{11} and \mathfrak{D}_{bij}^{22} , and then combining the result with the second equality, we obtain

$$T = \mathfrak{D}_{ij}^{-1} \mathfrak{D}_{ij}^{*-1} = \int [d\Phi^{\dagger}] [d\Phi] S_{1j}^* S_{1i} S_{2i}^* S_{2j} \exp\{i\mathfrak{L}(E,\Phi)\},$$
(1)

where the integration involves four-component supervectors $\Phi^T = (S^T, \chi^T)$, and where $\mathfrak{L}(E, S) = \mathfrak{L}_b(E, S) + \mathfrak{L}_f(E, \chi) = \Phi^{\dagger} \mathfrak{D} \Phi$, $\mathfrak{D} = \text{diag} \{\mathfrak{D}_b, \mathfrak{D}_f\}$ [3,4,20–23]. Because the random matrix *H* is in the exponent, *T* is now suitable for ensemble averaging.

In a similar fashion, employing the Wick theorem one can verify the following formula necessary for the calculation of an arbitrary moment of transmitted power $\langle T^n \rangle_H$:

$$T^{n} = (n!)^{-2} \int [d\Phi^{\dagger}] [d\Phi] S_{1j}^{*n} S_{1i}^{n} S_{2i}^{*n} S_{2j}^{n} \exp\{i\mathfrak{L}(E,\Phi)\}$$
$$= \langle S_{1i}^{*n} S_{2i}^{n} S_{2i}^{*n} S_{2i}^{n} \rangle_{\Phi}.$$
(2)

The shorthand notation $\langle \cdots \rangle_{\Phi}$ has been introduced for the "Gaussian" integration over the supervector components. Hereafter we use the more convenient [1,2] ("retarded-advanced") block notation for supervectors and supermatrices (see, for example, Ref. [4]). With the supervector $\Psi^T = (S_1^T, \chi_1^T, S_2^T, \chi_2^T)$ and the 4×4 supermatrices $L = \text{diag}\{1, 1, -1, 1\}$, $\Lambda = \text{diag}\{1, 1, -1, -1\}$, the exponent in the integrand reads:

$$\begin{split} \mathfrak{L}(E,\Psi) = & E\Psi^{\dagger}(I \otimes L)\Psi + i\Psi^{\dagger}(\Gamma \otimes \Lambda L)\Psi - \Psi^{\dagger}(H \otimes L)\Psi \\ & + i\varepsilon\Psi^{\dagger}(I \otimes \Lambda L)\Psi, \end{split}$$

and Eq. (2) becomes

$$T^{n} = (n!)^{-2} \langle F^{n}[\Psi] \rangle_{\Psi}, \quad F[\Psi] = S^{*}_{1j} S_{1i} S^{*}_{2i} S_{2j}.$$
(3)

The ensemble averaging can now be performed with the aid of the identities [4]

$$\langle \exp\{i\Psi^{\dagger}(H\otimes L)\Psi\}\rangle_{H} = \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2N}\operatorname{Str} A^{2}\right\},$$

$$A_{pq}^{(kl)} = L_{kk,pp}^{1/2} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (\Psi_{i})_{k}^{p}(\Psi_{i}^{\dagger})_{l}^{q}L_{ll,qq}^{1/2},$$

$$\operatorname{Str} AL = \Psi^{\dagger}(I\otimes L^{1/2}\Lambda L^{1/2})\Psi = \Psi^{\dagger}(I\otimes\Lambda L)\Psi,$$

where we have set $\lambda = 1$ and introduced a 4×4 supermatrix *A* and Str stands for the supertrace. Thus

$$\langle T^{n} \rangle_{H} = (n!)^{-2} \int [d\Psi^{\dagger}] [d\Psi] F^{n} [\Psi] \exp \left\{ i E \Psi^{\dagger} (I \otimes L) \Psi - \Psi^{\dagger} (\Gamma \otimes \Lambda L) \Psi - \frac{1}{2N} \operatorname{Str} A^{2} - \varepsilon \operatorname{Str} AL \right\},$$
(4)

where k, l distinguish between retarded and advanced (1 and 2) supermatrix block indices and p,q are equal to b or f [4,21]. The next stages of the supersymmetric procedure include [1,3,4,20–23] (1) the Hubbard-Stratonovich transformation, which removes quartic (in Ψ) term in the exponential; (2) Ψ variable integration; and (3) evaluation of the remaining integral using the saddle point approximation in the limit $N \rightarrow \infty$. We have, after step 1,

$$\langle T^{n} \rangle_{H} = (n!)^{-2} \int [dR] \exp \left\{ -\frac{N}{2} \operatorname{Str} R^{2} + i \varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R \Lambda \right. \\ \left. + i \operatorname{Str} RA \right\} \int [d\Psi^{\dagger}] [d\Psi] F^{n} [\Psi] \exp \{i [E\Psi^{\dagger} L\Psi + i\Psi^{\dagger} (\Gamma \otimes \Lambda L)\Psi] \}.$$

$$(5)$$

Since Str $RA = \Psi^{\dagger} L^{1/2} R L^{1/2} \Psi$, for an arbitrary 4×4 supermatrix *R*,

$$\langle T^n \rangle_H = (n!)^{-2} \int [dR] \exp \left\{ -\frac{N}{2} \operatorname{Str} R^2 + i \varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R \Lambda \right\}$$

$$\times \int [d\Psi^{\dagger}] [d\Psi] F^n [\Psi] \exp\{-i\Psi^{\dagger} L^{1/2}$$

$$\times (-EI_4 \otimes I_N - R \otimes I_N - i\Lambda \otimes \Gamma) L^{1/2} \Psi \}.$$
(6)

Using the Gaussian nature of the integral

$$\int [d\Psi^{\dagger}][d\Psi] \exp\{-i\Psi^{\dagger}f\Psi\} = S \det f^{-1},$$

the following general relation can be derived similarly to Eq. (3):

$$[d\Psi^{\dagger}][d\Psi][(\Psi_{i})^{b}(\Psi_{j}^{\dagger})^{b}(\Psi_{i})^{b}(\Psi_{j}^{\dagger})^{b}]^{n}\exp\{-i\Psi^{\dagger}f\Psi\}$$
$$=(n!)^{2}f_{12,bb_{ij}}^{-1}f_{21,bb_{ji}}^{-1}S\det f^{-1}.$$
(7)

Setting $f = L^{1/2} (-EI_4 \otimes I - R \otimes I - i\Lambda \otimes \Gamma)L^{1/2}$, we integrate out the components of Ψ with the help of Eq. (7):

$$\langle T^n \rangle_H = \int [dR] F^n [\mathfrak{G}] \exp\{-N\mathcal{L}[R] + \delta \mathcal{L}\},$$
 (8)

where

$$F[\mathfrak{G}] = \mathfrak{G}_{12,bb}^{-1} \mathfrak{G}_{21,bb}^{-1}, \mathfrak{G} = -EI_4 - R,$$
$$\mathcal{L}[R] = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Str} R^2 + \operatorname{Str} \ln(-EI_4 - R),$$
$$\delta \mathcal{L} = i \varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R \Lambda - M \operatorname{Str} \ln[I_4 - i \gamma \Lambda (-EI_4 - R)^{-1}]$$

See Appendix A for the details.

 $\langle T^n \rangle_H$ is now written as an integral over the 4×4 supermatrix *R*. The stationarity condition for $\mathcal{L}[R]$, in the limit of large *N*, yields a stationary point R_s , satisfying $R_s=1/(-EI_4-R_s)$. The solution is not unique, it is a saddle manifold in a space of 4×4 supermatrices, spanned by "pseudounitary" supermatrices $\mathfrak{T}:R_s=-EI_4/2$ $+i\pi\nu\mathfrak{T}^{-1}\Lambda\mathfrak{T}=-EI_4/2-\pi\nu Q$, where $\nu=\sqrt{4-E^2}/(2\pi)$ is Wigner's semicircular mean density of eigenvalues (GUE, $\lambda=1$). See Refs. [4,21] for the explicit form of the supermatrix *Q*.

After integrating out local fluctuations over directions R orthogonal to the manifold of stationary points (the procedure is asymptotically exact for large N) the remaining integration goes over the manifold parametrized by Q:

$$\langle T^{n} \rangle_{H} = (\pi \nu)^{2n} \int [dQ] (Q_{12,bb} Q_{21,bb})^{n} S \det^{-M} \left[I_{4} + i \frac{E}{2} \gamma \Lambda + i \pi \nu \gamma Q \Lambda \right] \exp\{-i\varepsilon \pi \nu N \operatorname{Str} Q \Lambda\}.$$
(9)

The expression for the *n*th moment of power allows one to find the entire distribution function P(T) (cf. [19–21]):

$$\mathcal{P}(T) = \int \left[dQ \right] \delta(T - (\pi\nu)^2 Q_{12,bb} Q_{21,bb}) Y(Q),$$

or, for the "scaled" power $y = T/(\pi \nu)^2$,

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \int [dQ] \,\delta(y - Q_{12,bb} Q_{21,bb}) Y(Q), \qquad (10)$$

where

$$Y(Q) = S \det^{-M} \left[I_4 + i \frac{E}{2} \gamma \Lambda + i \pi \nu \gamma Q \Lambda \right] \exp \left\{ -i\varepsilon \pi \nu N \operatorname{Str} Q \Lambda \right\}.$$

Evaluation of the superintegral in Eq. (10) is presented in Appendix A. The result reduces to

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \delta(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \int_1^\infty d\lambda_1 \int_{-1}^1 d\lambda_2 \,\delta(y+1-\lambda_1^2) \frac{\lambda_1^2 - \lambda_2^2}{(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)^2} \exp\{-\epsilon(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)\} \left(\frac{g+\lambda_2}{g+\lambda_1}\right)^M \\ = \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \frac{\exp\{-\epsilon\sqrt{1+y}\}}{2\sqrt{1+y}(g+\sqrt{1+y})^M} \int_{-1}^1 d\lambda_2 \frac{\sqrt{1+y}+\lambda_2}{\sqrt{1+y}-\lambda_2} \exp\{\epsilon\lambda_2\}(g+\lambda_2)^M, \tag{11}$$

where $g = (1/\gamma + \gamma)/(2\pi\nu)$ and $\epsilon = 2\pi\nu N\epsilon$.

Setting the "uniform damping" ϵ to zero we were able to evaluate the remaining integral explicitly (see Appendix A for the details) and Eq. (11) yielded

$$P(y) = \frac{\{(g-1)^{M+1} - (g+1)^{M+1}\}p_1 + \{(g+1)^{M+1} + (g-1)^{M+1}\}p_2}{8\sqrt{(1+y)^5}(g+\sqrt{1+y})^{M+2}},$$

$$p_1 = \frac{g(y-2)}{(M+1)}[g+(M+2)\sqrt{1+y}] - (y+1)[2+(M+1)(y+2)],$$

$$p_2 = 2(y+1)[g+(M+2)\sqrt{1+y}].$$
(12)

Equations (11) and (12) constitute the main result of this section.

At this point it is interesting to observe that Eq. (12) can in fact be used to cover the case of uniform damping in a closed system: $\epsilon > 0$, M = 0. For this we note that in the limit $\gamma \rightarrow 0$ (i.e., $g \sim 1/2\pi\nu\gamma \rightarrow \infty$) and $M \rightarrow \infty$ but $\gamma M \sim \text{const}$ the factor $(g + \lambda_2)^M/(g + \lambda_1)^M$ in the integrand of Eq. (11) is converted to $\exp\{2\pi\nu\gamma M(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)\}$. Such a replacement is equivalent to generating an effective uniform damping ϵ $= 2\pi\nu\gamma M$. The fact that the large number of weakly open channels (or weak local-in-space dampers) is essentially equivalent to uniform damping is well known (see, e.g., [4]). Performing the limit $g \rightarrow \infty, M \rightarrow \infty$ while keeping the product $2\pi\nu\gamma M = \epsilon$ finite, we find that the distribution Eq. (12) is reduced to

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \frac{\exp\{-\epsilon\sqrt{1+y}\}\sinh\epsilon}{4\epsilon\sqrt{(1+y)^5}} \times [\epsilon^2(y+1)(y+2) - (y-2)(1+\epsilon\sqrt{1+y})] + \frac{\exp\{-\epsilon\sqrt{1+y}\}\cosh\epsilon(1+\epsilon\sqrt{1+y})}{2\sqrt{(1+y)^3}}.$$
 (13)

This distribution of transmitted power for systems with uniform damping is interesting and important on its own.

Let us consider now a few other regimes. For the weakly damped system (*M* is fixed, $g \ge 1$), Eq. (12) can be approximated by

$$\mathcal{P}(y) \sim \frac{4+y}{4\sqrt{(1+y)^5}} + O\left(\frac{1}{g^2}\right).$$
 (14)

The asymptotic behavior of $\mathcal{P}(y)$ in the limit $y \to \infty$ for any *M* and *g* is given by

$$\mathcal{P}(y) \sim \frac{(M+1)}{4y^{(M+3)/2}} \{ (g+1)^{M+1} - (g-1)^{M+1} \} + O\left(\frac{1}{y^{(M+4)/2}}\right),$$
(15)

which shows that the moments $\langle y^n \rangle$ exist only for n < (M + 1)/2. At the same time, as follows from Eq. (11), any nonzero ϵ guarantees the existence of all moments. For large *y*, the asymptotic forms of the probability distribution function at nonzero ϵ are

$$\mathcal{P}(y) \sim \frac{\epsilon \sinh \epsilon}{\sqrt{y}} \exp\{-\epsilon y^{1/2}\},$$
 (16)

$$\mathcal{P}(y) \sim \frac{g^M \exp\{-\epsilon y^{1/2}\}}{y^{(M+1)/2}},$$
 (17)

for M = 0 and for finite M, respectively.

Finally, we want to compare the results of this section with numerical solution of the model RMT problem. For this goal we numerically generate an ensemble of $N \times N$ Hermitian random matrices H, typically choosing 1500 samples from the ensemble and N=1000. The entries of the matrix Hare constructed using a random number generator, with $\langle H_{ij}H_{lm}^* \rangle = (1/N) \delta_{il} \delta_{jm}$. To simulate the uniform damping and the case of a finite number of local dampers we take Γ $= \varepsilon I$ and $\Gamma = \text{diag}\{\gamma, \gamma, \ldots, \gamma, 0, \ldots, 0\}$ (with $M \leq N$ nonzero entries), respectively. Then, for all members of our ensemble we generate the off-diagonal elements of the resolvent matrix $G_{ij}(E) = [EI + i\Gamma - H]^{-1}$, modeling the response at site *i* due to excitation at site *j*, with *E* being the spectral parameter.

We first consider the case of uniform damping: $\Gamma = \varepsilon I$. The modal density ν for such a system is approximated by Wigner's semicircular law: $\nu = \sqrt{4 - E^2}/(2\pi)$. Therefore, for a fixed size of the matrices *N* and spectral variable *E*, we can



FIG. 1. Probability distribution function [Eq. (11)] and histograms of power for (a) ϵ =1.0, (b) ϵ =2.0, (c) ϵ =4.0, (d) ϵ =6.0, as obtained numerically. Data are scaled to unit area. For each plot 1500 samples of $|G_{ij}(E)|^2, i \neq j$, were computed. Deviations from theory show no particular trend and have magnitudes consistent with *a priori* known statistical fluctuations.

explore the range of ϵ by changing ϵ . For E=0 the modal density is $\nu = 1/\pi$ and so we need not distinguish between T and y. In Fig. 1, the numerically obtained histograms are compared with $\mathcal{P}(y)$ (Eq. (11)) for several values of ϵ . We see that numerical results correspond well with the theoretical curves.

This procedure was repeated for the damping matrix Γ = diag{ $\gamma, \gamma, \ldots, \gamma, 0$, ..., 0} with *M* nonzero entries, by computing $G_{ij}(E=0)$ for different combinations of parameters *M* and *g*. The results are presented in Fig. 2. Again, the predictions of the supersymmetry method agree well with the numerical results.

III. MOMENTS OF POWER

In this section we analyze the first two moments of power y using two different approaches, both based on the RMT. These moments as obtained using the supersymmetric calculation [Eqs. (11) and (12)] will be compared to those obtained using the naive approach. We first consider uniform damping and then $M \neq 0$.

In the simpler, but inexact, approach G_{ij} is constructed as a modal sum,

$$G_{ij}(E) = \sum_{r} \frac{u_i^r u_j^{r*}}{E - E_r - i\zeta_r}$$

and then averaged using the eigenstatistics of the undamped GUE system. Here u^r is the *r*th eigenmode and we call the imaginary part ζ_r of the eigenenergy E_r the resonance width.

We first consider the case when ζ_r is uniform, $\zeta_r = \varepsilon$, for all r [12]:

$$y(\pi\nu)^2 = \sum_r \sum_m \frac{u_i^r u_j^{r*}}{E - E_r - i\varepsilon} \frac{u_i^{m*} u_j^m}{E - E_m + i\varepsilon}.$$
 (18)

On averaging Eq. (18) over the eigenmodes u^r , and assuming they are uncorrelated, $\langle y \rangle$ becomes



FIG. 2. Probability distribution function [Eq. (12)] and histograms of power for (a) M=2,g=2.16, (b) M=6,g=2.16, (c) M=40,g=400, (d) M=40,g=40, (e) M=400,g=400, (f) M=400,g=40. Data are scaled to unit area. For each plot 1500 samples of $|G_{ij}(E)|^2$ were computed. We imposed the restrictions $i \neq j$ and i > M, j > M for the nonuniform damping case, to avoid "recording" the response from damped sites or from the "source" site *j*, and to correspond to the assumptions in the theoretical analysis. Note that for large values of *g* [plots (c) and (e)], P(y) is not sensitive to either *g* or *M* [Eq. (14)]. Deviations from theory show no particular trend and have magnitudes consistent with *a priori* known statistical fluctuations.

$$\langle y \rangle (\pi \nu)^2 = \sum_r \frac{\langle |u|^2 \rangle^2}{(E - E_r - i\varepsilon)(E - E_r + i\varepsilon)}$$

The summation over the eigenenergies E_r is then replaced by an integral $(\Sigma_r \rightarrow N\nu \int dE_r)$

$$\langle y \rangle = \frac{\langle |u|^2 \rangle^2}{(\pi \nu)^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{(N\nu) dE_r}{(E - E_r - i\varepsilon)(E - E_r + i\varepsilon)}$$

where $\nu = \sqrt{4 - E^2}/(2\pi)$ is the GUE modal density. Therefore, in the uniform damping case, the naive procedure produces

$$\langle y \rangle = \pi \nu \frac{\langle |u|^2 \rangle^2}{(\pi \nu)^2} \frac{\pi}{\varepsilon} = N^2 \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 \frac{2}{2\pi \nu N \varepsilon} = \frac{2}{\epsilon}, \quad (19)$$

where $\langle |u|^2 \rangle$ has been set to 1/N (by normalization).

The second moment of power is calculated in Appendix B by means of the same approach, and is given by

$$\langle y^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi^3 \nu^3 N^3 \varepsilon^3} + \frac{1}{4 \pi^4 \nu^4 N^4 \varepsilon^4} \times [1 + 8 \pi^2 (N \nu)^2 \varepsilon^2 - \exp(-4 \pi N \nu \varepsilon)].$$
 (20)

For the uniform damping case ($\zeta_r = \varepsilon$ for all modes), application of the results of Sec. II is especially straightfor-

ward. As already discussed, Eq. (11) shows that in our model this case is realized either by setting M = 0 with finite ϵ or by letting M be large and γ be small, such that γM is finite. One can use Eq. (13) for this purpose, but it is more convenient to start with the first part of Eq. (11). Setting M = 0 and introducing

$$\mathfrak{f} = \int_{1}^{\infty} d\lambda_{1} \int_{-1}^{1} d\lambda_{2} \,\delta(y+1-\lambda_{1}^{2}) \frac{\lambda_{1}^{2}-\lambda_{2}^{2}}{(\lambda_{1}-\lambda_{2})^{2}} \\ \times \exp\{-\epsilon(\lambda_{1}-\lambda_{2})\},$$

we integrate by parts in Eq. (11):

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \delta(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right)\mathfrak{f},$$

$$\langle y^n \rangle = \int_0^\infty y^n \mathcal{P}(y) dy$$

$$= -y^n (n\mathfrak{f} + y\mathfrak{f}'_y) \big|_0^\infty + n^2 \int_0^\infty y^{n-1} \mathfrak{f} dy$$

$$= n^2 \int_0^\infty y^{n-1} \mathfrak{f} dy. \qquad (21)$$

Integration with respect to y in Eq. (21) eliminates the δ function, and gives

$$\langle y \rangle = \int_{1}^{\infty} d\lambda_{1} \int_{-1}^{1} d\lambda_{2} \exp\{-\epsilon(\lambda_{1} - \lambda_{2})\} \left(\frac{\lambda_{1} + \lambda_{2}}{\lambda_{1} - \lambda_{2}}\right) = \frac{2}{\epsilon},$$
(22)

$$\langle y^2 \rangle = 4 \int_0^\infty y \mathfrak{F} dy = \frac{4}{\epsilon^4} (1 - \exp\{-2\epsilon\}) + \frac{8}{\epsilon^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\epsilon}\right),$$
(23)

which takes the same form as Eqs. (19) and (20) upon substitution of $2\pi\nu N\varepsilon$ for ϵ . Thus, for uniform damping, the "naive" and supersymmetric methods agree, for both $\langle y \rangle$ and $\langle y^2 \rangle$. This is not unexpected, because uniform damping with M=0 leaves eigenstatistics identical to those of closed systems, merely shifting all eigenenergies by $i\varepsilon$. The results (22) and (23) can readily be reproduced by using P(y) as given by Eq. (13). These moments are plotted in Fig. 3 together with the results of numerical simulations. The first two moments of y were obtained numerically, by inverting matrix $EI + i\Gamma - H$ for each member of the ensemble. More precisely, we computed the column vector $G_{ii}(E)$ (*j* is fixed, $i=1,\ldots,N$) by solving the algebraic equations $[EI+i\Gamma]$ $-H]G_{ii} = \delta_{ii}$ for a fixed value of E. Repeating this procedure 1500 times and averaging over the ensemble of H and over the N-1 values of $i \neq j$, we obtained $\langle y \rangle$ and $\langle y^2 \rangle$ for $\epsilon = 1, 2, 4, 6$. As seen in Fig. 3, the correspondence is excellent.

Our next goal is to calculate $\langle y \rangle$ and $\langle y^2 \rangle$ for the system with *M* equivalent dampers and without additional uniform damping (i.e., with $\epsilon = 0$). For this problem the probability



FIG. 3. (a) $\ln\langle y \rangle$ and (b) $\ln\langle y^2 \rangle$ plotted as functions of the parameter ϵ for the case of uniform damping. The solid lines represent theoretical predictions [Eqs. (19) and (20)]. The 1 σ error bars were computed based on the observed variances of y and y^2 .

distribution function of scaled power is given by Eq. (12) and closed form expressions for the mean value of y and its variance are cumbersome. It is, therefore, reasonable to carry out the corresponding integrations numerically. In contrast, the naive averaging, which now also includes integration over the resonance widths ζ_r , distributed [1,8] according to a χ^2 distribution

$$p\left(\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right) = \frac{M^M}{\Gamma(M)} \left(\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right)^{M-1} \exp\left\{-M\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right\},\,$$

where $\overline{\Gamma}$ is the mean resonance width, produces a relatively compact answer for the statistics of *y* (see Appendix B):

$$\langle y \rangle (\pi \nu)^2 = (\pi \nu)^2 \frac{2}{\epsilon_M} \frac{M}{M-1},$$
 (24)

$$\langle y^2 \rangle = \frac{4M^2}{(M-2)(M-1)\epsilon_M^2} f(\epsilon_M, M),$$

$$f(\epsilon_M, M) = 2 + \frac{4M(M-1)}{(M-3)\epsilon_M} - \frac{M(4M\epsilon_M - 4\epsilon_M - M)}{(2M-3)\epsilon_M^2} - \frac{(\epsilon_M + M)^4}{M^2(2M-3)\epsilon_M^2} \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon_M}{M}\right)^{4-2M},$$

$$(25)$$

where $\epsilon_M = 2 \pi \nu N \overline{\Gamma}$. We note that the χ^2 distribution for ζ_r is strictly correct only for the case of $\overline{\Gamma}$ much less than the mean level distance. It does, however, correspond well with the actual distribution [4] for more arbitrary values of $\overline{\Gamma}$, as long as *M* is large.

In order to compare Eqs. (24) and (25) to corresponding results obtained by numerical integration of Eq. (12), it is necessary to establish how $\overline{\Gamma}$ is related to the parameters



FIG. 4. $\ln\langle y \rangle$ plotted as a function of mean scaled width $\overline{\gamma}$ for different numbers of channels: (a) M = 6; (b) M = 8; (c) M = 40; (d) M = 400. Here we computed $G_{ij}(E=0)$ ($i \neq j$ and i > M, j > M) for fixed *i* and *j* and averaged *y* over 1500 samples from the ensemble of *H*. The naive averaging prediction (solid line) is compared to the prediction by the supersymmetry method (dotted line). The 1σ error bars were computed based on the observed variance of *y*.

N, *M*, and *g* of the supersymmetric calculation. By definition, the mean scaled resonance width in open systems is proportional to the product of modal density ν and average resonance width $\overline{\Gamma}$ [4]. Under the condition of uniform damping, the eigenmodes are equally damped, and the latter quantity is just equal to the individual damper strength ε . In general, the relationship is not that simple and is given by the Moldauer-Simonius formula [4]

$$\bar{\gamma} = 2\pi \frac{\bar{\Gamma}}{\Delta} = 2N\nu\pi\bar{\Gamma} = \frac{1}{2}\sum_{a}^{M}\ln\frac{g_{a}+1}{g_{a}-1},$$
$$g_{a} = \frac{1}{2\pi\nu} \left(\frac{1}{\gamma_{a}} + \gamma_{a}\right), \qquad (26)$$

for the mean scaled resonance width, where $\Delta = 1/\nu N$ is the mean eigenenergy spacing and γ_a is the coupling constant of the *a*th channel. Note that our definitions of $\overline{\gamma}$ and eigenwidth ζ_r are different by a factor of 2 from the notation of Ref. [4]. For the uniformly damped system we find

$$\bar{\gamma} \simeq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a}^{N} \ln \frac{1/2 \pi \nu \varepsilon + 1}{1/2 \pi \nu \varepsilon - 1} \sim 2 \pi \nu \varepsilon N \equiv \epsilon, \qquad (27)$$

which was also shown at the end of Sec. II. Thus, we conclude that our parameter ϵ coincides with the mean scaled resonance width in the limit of a large number of equivalent weak channels. Moreover, the parameter ϵ_M in Eqs. (24) and (25) is the same as $\overline{\gamma}$.

FIG. 5. $\ln\langle y^2 \rangle$ plotted as a function of mean scaled width $\overline{\gamma}$ for different numbers of channels: (a) M = 6; (b) M = 8; (c) M=40; (d) $M = 400. \langle y^2 \rangle$ was obtained from the same data for $G_{ii}(E=0)$ as $\langle y \rangle$ in Fig. 4. The naive averaging prediction (solid line) is compared to the prediction by supersymmetry method (dotted line). The error bars in cases (c) and (d) were computed based on the observed variance of y^2 . Error bars for cases (a) and (b) are omitted, as 1σ bars would misrepresent the confidence intervals. Indeed, the standard deviation in case (a) do not exist.



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FIG. 6. Relative variance of power as a function of mean scaled width $\overline{\gamma}$ for different numbers of channels: (a) M=6; (b) M=8; (c) M=40; (d) M=400. The results of naive averaging (solid line) consistently underestimate the results by the supersymmetry method (dotted line).

The averaging performed in Ref. [12] for the uniformly damped GOE system led to the dependence of the first two moments of the transmitted ultrasonic power on a single structural parameter, the modal overlap \mathcal{M} . \mathcal{M} was defined in Ref. [12] in terms of the average imaginary part of the eigenfrequency ω_r and the modal density, $\mathcal{M} = 2\pi \langle \text{Im } \omega_r \rangle (\partial N / \partial \omega)$. We see that the modal overlap may be identified with $\overline{\gamma}$.

 $\langle y \rangle$ and $\langle y^2 \rangle$ as predicted by supersymmetric calculation [from Eq. (12)] and by "naive" averaging [Eqs. (24) and (25)] are compared in Fig. 4 and Fig. 5 with numerical results for several different values of *M* and $\overline{\gamma}$. The prediction by the supersymmetry method agrees with the numerical results. In contrast, the results of the "naive" averaging underestimate both first and second moments of the power, except for very large *M*, close to the uniform damping case.

Finally, in connection with discussion of Ref. [12] we present the comparison of the relative variance $(\langle y^2 \rangle / \langle y \rangle^2 - 1)$ of power in Fig. 6, and compare the supersymmetric and naive predictions.

IV. CONCLUSIONS

We investigated the statistical behavior of the power transmitted in a closed RMT system with internal dissipation, or an open RMT system coupled to the exterior via a finite number of equally strong channels. Using the supersymmetry method for systems with broken time-reversal invariance, we derived an expression for the probability distribution function for this quantity and studied its first two moments. The theoretical predictions were compared to the results of numerical simulations on GUE systems with dissipation, and to the results of a "naive" theory based on the RMT eigenstatistics of a closed nondissipative system. The results of the supersymmetric calculation agree with the numerical data for the full range of parameters studied.

The naive averaging predictions are in general inconsis-

tent with numerical results, because its assumptions (χ^2 distribution of resonance widths and decoupled uncorrelated Gaussian eigenmode amplitudes) follow from the first order perturbation theory, valid for small scaled resonance width. However, because the χ^2 distribution reduces to the exact distribution for the case of uniform damping or in the limit of a large number of weak channels, the naive theory is accurate in this limit, for all values of scaled level width.

Taking into account the growing interest in microwave resonators with broken time-reversal chaotic dynamics [24], it is possible that the statistics of point-to-point transmitted power in systems of that type will soon be checked experimentally. In a separate publication we will extend the present results to the case of systems with preserved time-reversal invariance [25]. All qualitative conclusions of the present research hold for those systems as well. The analytical results for the power variance are quite cumbersome and can only be obtained by employing the symbolic manipulation package EPICGRASS [26]. Let us note that even direct verification of the equivalence of the results obtained by naive averaging to those for the case of uniform damping turned out to be a nontrivial exercise.

Finally, we would like to mention that various statistical aspects of quantum chaotic scattering in systems with internal dissipation and decay have recently attracted considerable attention [27-29]. Our consideration has some overlap with the scope of these papers in the model studied and the methods exploited, but not directly in the quantities investigated.

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APPENDIX A: EVALUATION OF THE SUPERINTEGRAL

The result of "Gaussian" integration in Eq. (6) has to be simplified. To bring the integrand into a form convenient for saddle point integration, we use the series of identities for the supermatrix $f = L^{1/2} \tilde{f} L^{1/2} (L^2 = I_A)$

$$\begin{split} \widetilde{f} &= -EI_4 \otimes I_N - R \otimes I_N - i\Lambda \otimes \Gamma = [I_N \otimes I_4 - i\Gamma \otimes (\Lambda \mathfrak{G}^{-1})]\mathfrak{G}, \\ \widetilde{f}^{-1} &= \mathfrak{G}^{-1} [I_4 \otimes I_N - (\Lambda \mathfrak{G}^{-1}) \otimes i\Gamma]^{-1} \\ &= \mathfrak{G}^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (i)^k [(\Lambda \mathfrak{G}^{-1}) \otimes i\Gamma]^k, \end{split}$$
(A1)

where $\mathfrak{G} = -EI_4 - R$ was introduced. The supermatrix \tilde{f}^{-1} is diagonal in *i* and *j*, and thus

$$f^{bb} = L^{1/2} \tilde{f}^{bb} L^{1/2}, \quad f_{12,bb}{}_{ii} f_{21,bb}{}_{jj} = \mathfrak{G}_{12,bb} \mathfrak{G}_{21,bb} \,.$$

Substituting $S \det f^{-1} = \exp\{-\operatorname{Str}_i \ln \tilde{f}\}$ into the result of Gaussian integration with respect to the supervector components, and considering

$$\langle T^n \rangle_H = (n!)^{-2} \int [dR] (\mathfrak{G}_{12,bb}^{-1} \mathfrak{G}_{21,bb}^{-1})^n S \det f^{-1} \\ \times \exp\left\{-\frac{N}{2} \operatorname{Str} R^2 + i\varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R\Lambda\right\}, \qquad (A2)$$

we separated the terms in the exponent according to their order in N and obtained Eq. (8):

$$\mathcal{L}[R] = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Str} R^{2} + \operatorname{Str} \ln \mathfrak{G},$$

$$\delta \mathcal{L} = i \varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R \Lambda - \operatorname{Str} \ln[I_{N} - i \Gamma \otimes (\Lambda \mathfrak{G}^{-1})]$$

$$= i \varepsilon N \operatorname{Str} R \Lambda - M \operatorname{Str} \ln[I_{4} - i \gamma \Lambda \mathfrak{G}^{-1}]. \quad (A3)$$

The last identity was proved by expanding the logarithm into the series (see Ref. [4]).

After the Gaussian integration around the saddle point in Eq. (A2) the probability distribution function for the scaled power is expressed as an integral over the manifold formed by supermatrices $Q = \mathfrak{T}^{-1}\Lambda\mathfrak{T}$:

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \int [dQ] \delta(y - Q_{12,bb} Q_{21,bb}) Y(Q).$$

Q is parametrized by four commuting variables $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \mu_1, \mu_2$ and four anticommuting $\alpha, \alpha^*, \beta, \beta^*$ [4,21]. Here $\lambda_1 \in (1,\infty)$, $\lambda_2 \in (-1,1)$, and $|\mu_1|^2 = \lambda_1^2 - 1$, $|\mu_2|^2 = 1 - \lambda_2^2$. We can also introduce another set of variables, according to $\lambda_1 = \cosh \theta_1$, $\mu_1 = \sinh \theta_1 \exp\{i\phi_1\}$, $\lambda_2 = \cos \theta_2$, $\mu_2 = \sin \theta_2 \exp\{i\phi_2\}$, where $\theta_1 \in (0,\infty)$, $\theta_2 \in (0,\pi)$, $\phi_1, \phi_2 \in (0,2\pi)$. Next we observe [4]

$$\operatorname{Str} Q\Lambda = -2i(\lambda_{1} - \lambda_{2}), \quad Y(Q) = S \operatorname{det} {}^{-M} \left[I_{4} + i\frac{E}{2}\gamma\Lambda + i\pi\nu\gamma Q\Lambda \right] \exp\{-i\varepsilon\pi\nu N\operatorname{Str} Q\Lambda\}$$
$$= \left(\frac{1 + 2\pi\nu\gamma\lambda_{2} + \gamma^{2}}{1 + 2\pi\nu\gamma\lambda_{1} + \gamma^{2}}\right)^{M} \exp\{-2\varepsilon\pi\nu N\operatorname{Str}(\lambda_{1} - \lambda_{2})\}$$
$$= \left(\frac{g + \lambda_{2}}{g + \lambda_{1}}\right)^{M} \exp\{-2\varepsilon\pi\nu N\operatorname{Str}(\lambda_{1} - \lambda_{2})\}, \quad (A4)$$

where $g = (1/\gamma + \gamma)/(2 \pi \nu)$,

$$Q_{12,bb} = \mu_1 (1 - \alpha^* \alpha/2) (1 + \beta^* \beta/2) - \alpha^* \beta \mu_2^*,$$

$$Q_{21,bb} = \mu_1^* (1 - \alpha^* \alpha/2) (1 + \beta^* \beta/2) + \alpha \beta^* \mu_2,$$

$$Q_{12,bb} Q_{21,bb} = |\mu_1|^2 + |\mu_1|^2 \alpha^* \beta^* \alpha \beta + |\mu_2|^2 \alpha^* \beta^* \alpha \beta$$

$$+ |\mu_1|^2 (\beta^* \beta - \alpha^* \alpha)$$

$$+ |\mu_1| |\mu_2| e^{i(\phi_1 + \phi_2)} \alpha \beta^*$$

$$- |\mu_1| |\mu_2|^{-i(\phi_1 + \phi_2)} \alpha^* \beta,$$
 (A5)

and the integration measure was defined as

$$dQ = \frac{d\alpha^* d\beta^* d\alpha d\beta d\lambda_1 d\lambda_2 d\phi_1 d\phi_2}{[2\pi(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)]^2}$$

Substituting Eqs. (A4) and (A5) we proceed with integration with respect to Grassman variables. First, we need to expand the δ function, retaining only the terms of zero and maximum order in these variables [4,21,22]. Setting $Q_{12,bb}Q_{21,bb} = -1 + \lambda_1^2 + z$, we expand the δ function,

$$\begin{split} \delta(y - Q_{12}^{bb} Q_{21}^{bb}) &= \delta(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2 - z) \\ &= \delta(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) - \left[\delta_z'(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) + \delta_{zz}'(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) - \left[\delta_z'(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) + \lambda_1^2 + \lambda_1^2\right] (\lambda_1^2 - \lambda_2^2) \\ &\times \alpha^* \beta^* \alpha \beta + \cdots \\ &= \delta(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y \frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \delta(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) \\ &\times \alpha^* \beta^* \alpha \beta + \cdots, \end{split}$$

where we used the fact that the argument of a δ function is linear in y (z and $1-\lambda_1^2$), in order to be able to take the differential operator out of the integral. Then, we calculate the integral over ϕ_1, ϕ_2 , and the Grassman variables,

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \delta(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \int_1^\infty d\lambda_1 \int_{-1}^1 d\lambda_2 \,\delta(y+1) \\ -\lambda_1^2 \frac{\lambda_1^2 - \lambda_2^2}{(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)^2} \exp\{-\epsilon(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)\} \left(\frac{g+\lambda_2}{g+\lambda_1}\right)^M,$$
(A6)

where $\epsilon = 2\epsilon \pi \nu N$ and we have used

$$\int [dQ] \exp\{-\epsilon(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)\} \left(\frac{g + \lambda_2}{g + \lambda_1}\right)^M \delta(y + 1 - \lambda_1^2) = \delta(y)$$

for the "Efetov-Wegner" term [4,22]. Integration with respect to λ_1 is simple because of the presence of the δ function:

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \delta(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \frac{\exp\{-\epsilon\sqrt{1+y}\}\theta(y)}{2\sqrt{1+y}(g+\sqrt{1+y})^M} \int_{-1}^{1} d\lambda_2 \frac{\sqrt{1+y}+\lambda_2}{\sqrt{1+y}-\lambda_2} \exp\{\epsilon\lambda_2\}(g+\lambda_2)^M$$
$$= \delta(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right)\theta(y)\mathfrak{F}(y).$$

Using the property $\delta(y) = -y \delta'(y)$, we arrive at

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \delta(y) + \delta(y)y\frac{d}{dy}\mathfrak{F}(y) + \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right)\mathfrak{F}(y).$$
(A7)

Equation (A7) completes the calculation of probability distribution function for the scaled power. This equation yields Eq. (11) upon substitution of $\lim_{y\to 0} y(d/dy)\mathfrak{F}(y) = -1$.

Finally, we set $\epsilon = 0$ and derive Eq. (12). We note that the integral in $\mathfrak{F}(y)$ is a table integral:

$$\mathcal{P}(y) = \left(\frac{d}{dy} + y\frac{d^2}{dy^2}\right) \times \frac{(g+1)^{M+1}f(g+1) - (g-1)^{M+1}f(g-1)}{(M+1)(g+\sqrt{y+1})^{M+1}},$$

$$f(u) = {}_{2}F_{1}\left(M+1, 1, M+2, \frac{u}{g+\sqrt{y+1}}\right).$$

Thus, it is possible to apply a differential operator to obtain the final form of $\mathcal{P}(y)$ for this case. However, we notice that

$$\mathfrak{F}(y) = \frac{-1}{(g + \sqrt{y+1})^M} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{(g + \lambda_2)^M}{\lambda_2 - \sqrt{y+1}} d\lambda_2 - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y+1}(g + \sqrt{y+1})^M} \int_{-1}^1 (g + \lambda_2)^M d\lambda_2.$$
(A8)

The second term in the above equation can be evaluated immediately, while for the first one we can use an identity:

$$(g+\lambda_2)^M = \sum_{m=0}^M (g+\sqrt{y+1})^m (\lambda_2 - \sqrt{y+1})^{M-m} \frac{M!}{m!(M-m)!}$$

We integrate each term in Eq. (A8) separately, and after the first differentiation of the result with respect to y, the series can be summed back, so that the remaining procedure becomes straightforward and leads to Eq. (12).

APPENDIX B: CALCULATION OF THE POWER VARIANCE

In this appendix we demonstrate the intermediate steps leading to Eqs. (20), (24), and (25). We start with the modal expansion for T^2 without making an assumption about uniform damping:

$$y^{2}(\pi\nu)^{4} = \sum_{r,m,l,k} \frac{u_{i}^{r} u_{j}^{r*}}{E - E_{r} - i\zeta_{r}} \frac{u_{i}^{m*} u_{j}^{m}}{E - E_{m} + i\gamma_{m}} \frac{u_{i}^{l*} u_{j}^{l}}{E - E_{l} - i\zeta_{l}} \frac{u_{i}^{k*} u_{j}^{k}}{E - E_{k} + i\gamma_{k}}.$$
 (B1)

Absence of correlation between different eigenmodes produces the following result for the variance of y:

$$\langle y^{2} \rangle (\pi \nu)^{4} = \sum_{r} \frac{\langle |u_{i}^{r}|^{4} \rangle \langle |u_{j}^{r}|^{4} \rangle}{(E - E_{r} - i\zeta_{r})^{2} (E - E_{r} + i\zeta_{r})^{2}} + \sum_{r \neq l} \frac{\langle |u_{i}^{r}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{j}^{r}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{l}^{l}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{j}^{l}|^{2} \rangle}{(E - E_{r} - i\zeta_{r})^{2} (E - E_{l} + i\zeta_{l})^{2}} + \sum_{r \neq l} \frac{\langle |u_{i}^{r}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{i}^{r}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{j}^{r}|^{2} \rangle \langle |u_{j}^{l}|^{2} \rangle}{(E - E_{r} - i\zeta_{r}) (E - E_{r} + i\zeta_{r}) (E - E_{l} - i\zeta_{l}) (E - E_{l} + i\zeta_{l})}.$$
(B2)

Next, we replace summation over E_r and E_l with integration $(\Sigma_r \rightarrow N\nu \int dE_r)$ and take into account the correlation between the GUE eigenvalues in Eq. (B2) by introducing the factor $1 - Y_2 [\pi N\nu (E_r - E_l)] [1]$:

$$\langle y^{2} \rangle = \frac{N\nu \langle |u|^{4} \rangle^{2}}{(\pi\nu)^{4}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{(x-i\zeta_{r})^{2}(x+i\zeta_{r})^{2}} + \frac{2(N\nu)^{2} \langle |u|^{2} \rangle^{4}}{(\pi\nu)^{4}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{[1-Y_{2}(\pi N\nu z)]dxdz}{(x^{2}+\zeta_{r})[(x-z)^{2}+\zeta_{l}^{2}]} + \frac{(N\nu)^{2} \langle |u|^{2} \rangle^{4}}{(\pi\nu)^{4}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{[1-Y_{2}(\pi N\nu z)]dxdz}{(x-i\zeta_{r})^{2}(x-z+i\zeta_{l})^{2}},$$
(B3)

where $x = E - E_r$, $z = E_r - E_l$, and the Dyson two-level correlation function for the GUE is $Y_2(\xi) = (\sin \xi/\xi)^2$.

Integration over x and z in Eq. (B3) for the case of uniform damping $\zeta_r = \zeta_l = \varepsilon$ yields Eq. (20):

$$\begin{split} \langle y^2 \rangle &= \frac{N\nu \langle |u|^4 \rangle^2}{(\pi\nu)^4} \frac{\pi}{2\zeta_r^3} \\ &+ \frac{2(N\nu)^2 \langle |u|^2 \rangle^4}{(\pi\nu)^4} \frac{\zeta_r + \zeta_l}{2\zeta_r \zeta_l} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{[1 - Y_2(\pi N\nu z)]dz}{z^2 + (\zeta_r + \zeta_l)^2} \\ &= \langle |u|^4 \rangle^2 \frac{N}{2(\pi\nu)^3 \varepsilon^3} + \langle |u|^2 \rangle^4 \frac{1}{4(\pi\nu)^4 \varepsilon^4} \\ &\times [1 + 8(N\nu)^2 \pi^2 \varepsilon^2 - \exp\{-4N\nu \pi \varepsilon\} - 4N\nu \pi \varepsilon], \end{split}$$
(B4)

upon substituting $\langle |u|^4 \rangle / \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 = 2$ (as is the case for complex Gaussian random numbers) and $\langle |u|^2 \rangle = 1/N$.

In the case of a finite number M of weak dampers ($\epsilon = 0$), the ensemble averaging includes an integration over a distribution of widths, given by [1,8]:

$$p\left(\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right) = \frac{M^M}{\Gamma(M)} \left(\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right)^{M-1} \exp\left\{-M\frac{\zeta_r}{\overline{\Gamma}}\right\}, \qquad (B5)$$

where $\overline{\Gamma}$ is the average resonance width and $\Gamma(M)$ is a Gamma function. Starting with Eq. (21) we average y over the eigenmodes and eigenenergies to get

$$\langle y \rangle (\pi \nu)^2 = N \nu \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 \frac{\pi}{\zeta_r},$$
 (B6)

which becomes Eq. (24) upon integration over $p(\zeta_r)$. We indicate this averaging by an overbar:

$$\langle y \rangle (\pi \nu)^2 = \overline{N \nu \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 \frac{\pi}{\zeta_r}} = \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 \frac{\pi N \nu}{\overline{\Gamma}} \frac{M}{M-1}$$

To evaluate the second moment of the power we integrate over *x*, and then over ζ_r and ζ_l in Eq. (B3):

$$\langle y^{2} \rangle (\pi \nu)^{4} = \overline{N\nu \langle |u|^{4} \rangle^{2} \frac{\pi}{\zeta_{r}^{3}}} + \overline{2(N\nu)^{2} \langle |u|^{2} \rangle^{4} I}$$
$$I = \frac{\zeta_{r} + \zeta_{l}}{2\zeta_{r}\zeta_{l}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{[1 - Y_{2}(\pi N\nu z)]dz}{z^{2} + (\zeta_{r} + \zeta_{l})^{2}}.$$
(B7)

For the remaining integral with respect to z in \overline{I} it is convenient to use the Fourier transform of $Y_2(\xi)$, which has the form

$$b(q) = \begin{cases} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} Y_2(\xi) \exp\{2\pi i\xi q\} d\xi = 1 - |q|, \ |q| \le 1, \\ 0, \ |q| \ge 1, \end{cases}$$
$$\bar{I} = \frac{\overline{\zeta_r + \zeta_l}}{4\zeta_r \zeta_l} \int_{-1}^{1} \left(1 - \frac{|q|}{2\pi}\right) \exp\{-N\nu(\zeta_r + \zeta_l)\} dq.$$
(B8)

The average over ζ_r and ζ_l is now straightforward. Finally, substituting the result into Eq. (B7), and taking into account $\langle |u|^4 \rangle / \langle |u|^2 \rangle^2 = 2$, we obtain the second moment in its closed form [Eq. (25)]. The derivation presented above assumes that the resonance widths ζ_r and eigenmodes u^r are statistically independent.

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