This is a map  $\tau$  from  $(\mathbf{R}^n)^k \to (\mathbf{R}^n)^k$ . Vectors are coupled by the dot product  $\mathbf{r} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ .

The smallest unit of the algorithm is a pair of points with the transformation  $\mathbf{R}^n \times \mathbf{R}^n \to \mathbf{R}^n \times \mathbf{R}^n$ .

Given vectors:  $r_1, r_2, r_{12}, dr_{12} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  with  $r_{12} = r_2 - r_1$ ;  $|dr_{12}| = 1$ . The map  $\tau$  depends of two scalars e and s with  $e \ge s$ .

 $au({m r_1},{m r_2})$  :

First calculation of next  $dr_{12}$ .

For  $|r_{12}| \le e$  then  $dr_{12} = constant$ . For  $|r_{12}| > e$  then  $|r_{12} \land dr_{12}| = s$  and  $r_{12} \cdot dr_{12} > 0$ . Then calculation of the new positions of the two points  $\tau(r_1) = r_1 + dr_{12}$ ,  $\tau(r_2) = r_2 + dr_{21} = r_2 - dr_{12}$ .

The map  $\tau$  extends to a map  $(\mathbf{R}^n)^k \to (\mathbf{R}^n)^k$ , defined for a list of k points, via a principle of superposition.

Given vectors:  $r_1, r_2, \dots, r_k, r_{\{ab\}}, dr_{\{ab\}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  with  $r_{\{ab\}} = r_b - r_a$ ;  $|dr_{\{ab\}}| = 1$ , where  $\{ab\}$  are the chosen pairs of points.

 $\tau(\boldsymbol{r}_1, \boldsymbol{r}_2, \dots \boldsymbol{r}_k)$  :

First calculation of all next  $dr_{\{ab\}}$ .

For  $|\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}}| \le e$  then  $d\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}} = constant$ . For  $|\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}}| > e$  then  $|\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}} \land d\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}}| = s$  and  $\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}} \cdot d\mathbf{r}_{\{ab\}} > 0$ .

Then calculation of the new positions of all points by superposition  $\tau(\mathbf{r}_i) = \mathbf{r}_i + \sum d\mathbf{r}_{\{ij\}}$  with  $d\mathbf{r}_{\{ij\}} = -d\mathbf{r}_{\{ji\}}$  where i = 1, 2, ... k.

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