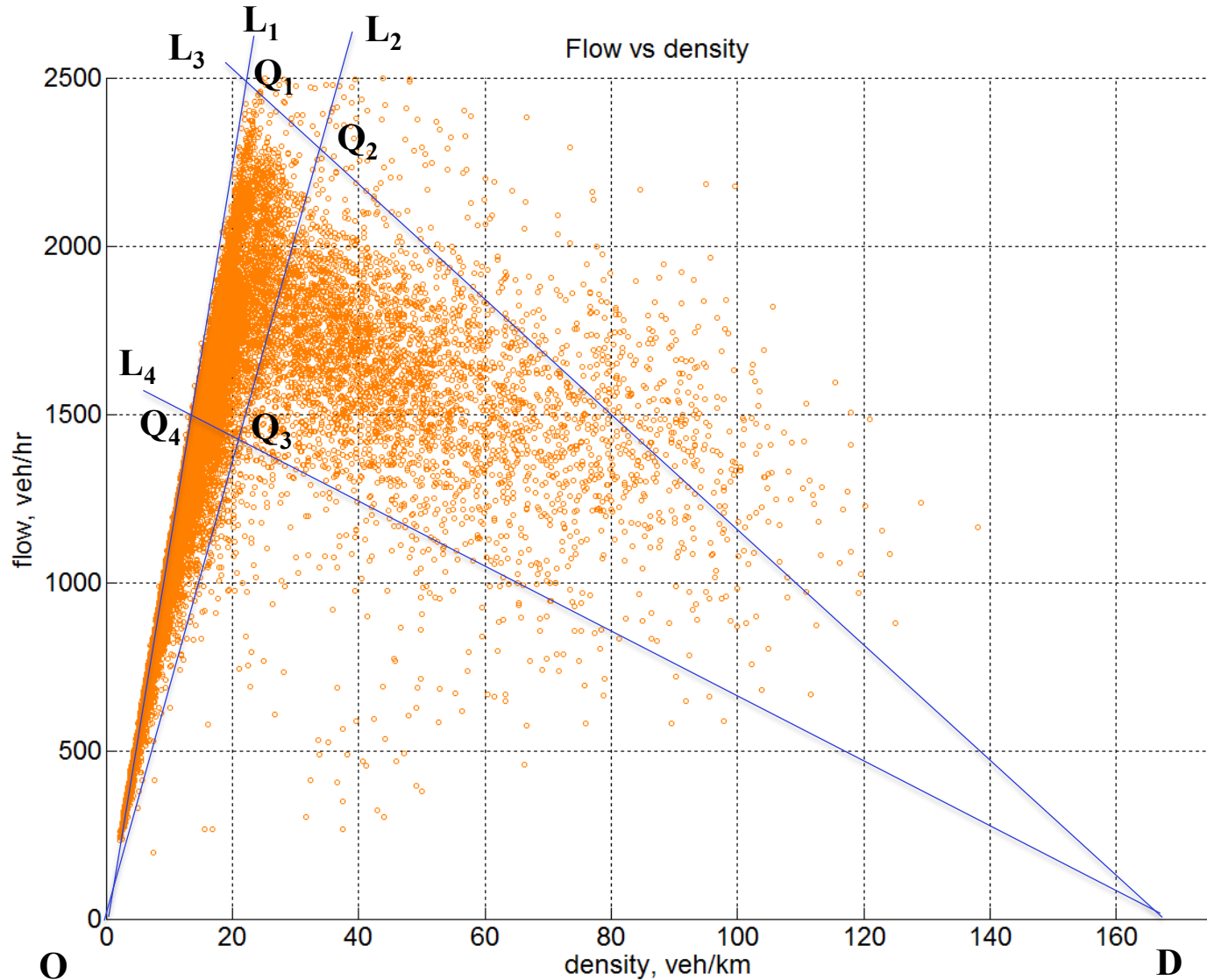
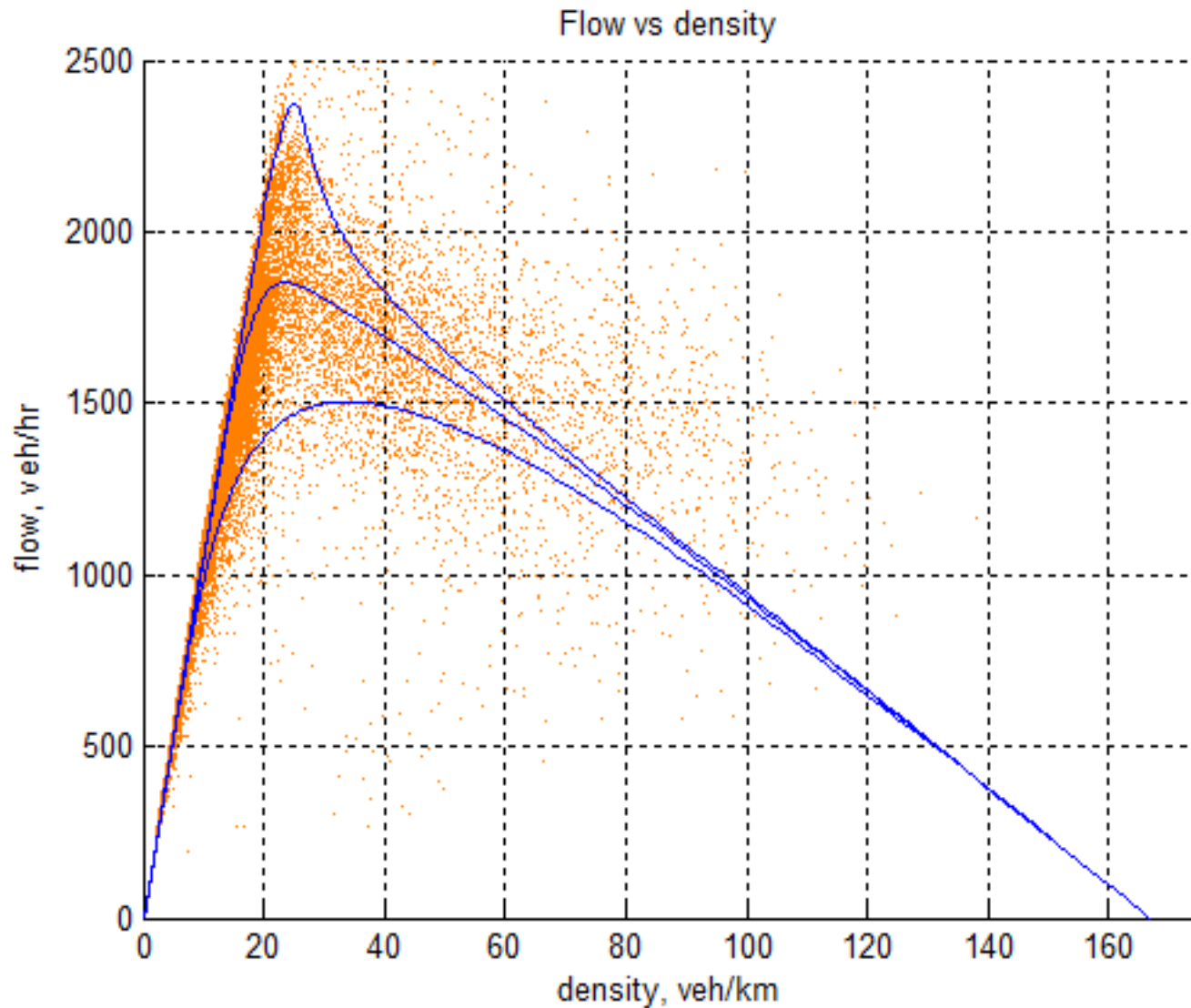


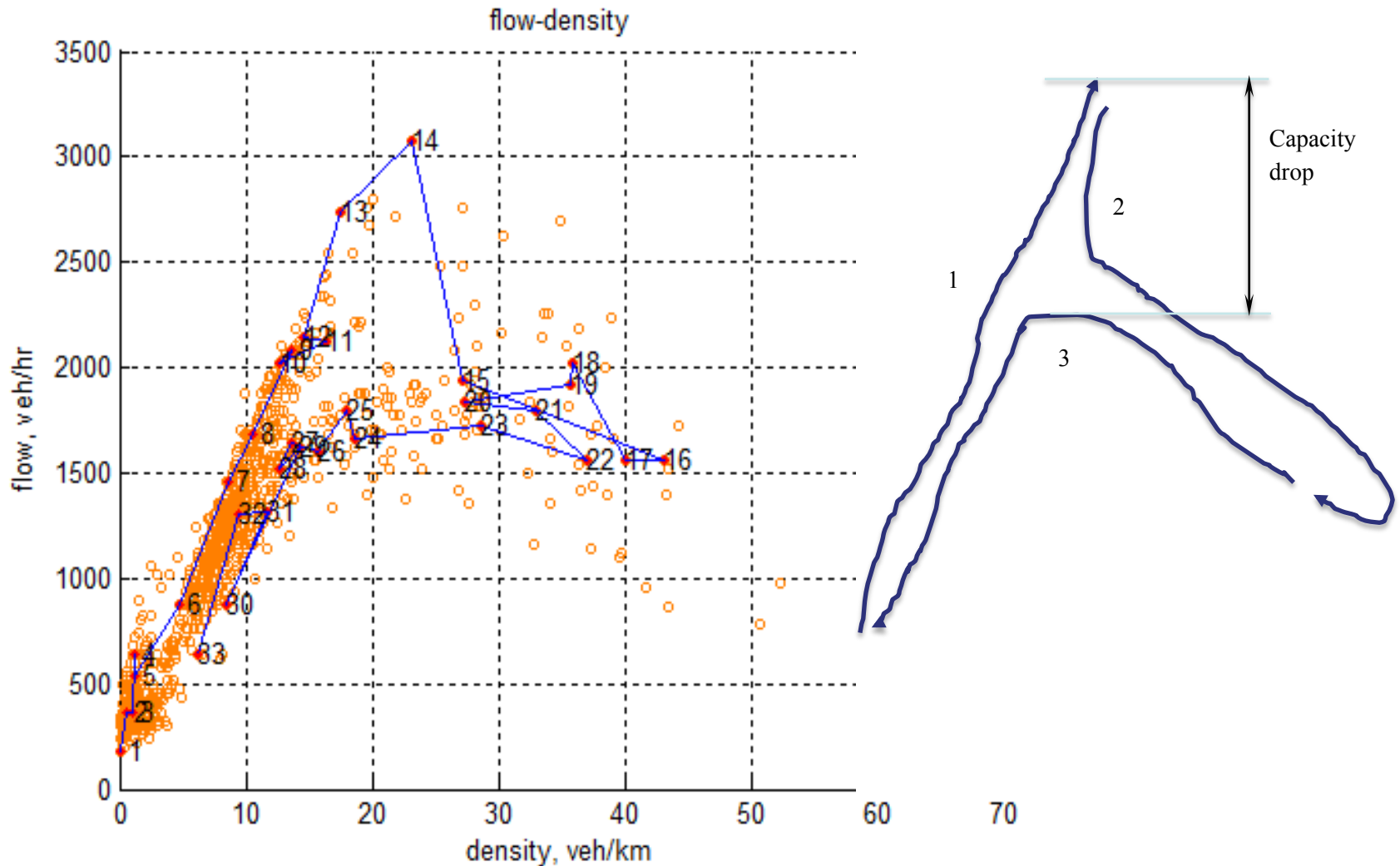
# Three Influence Regions



# Three Types of q-k Curves



# Capacity Drop



# Acting Factors Behind?

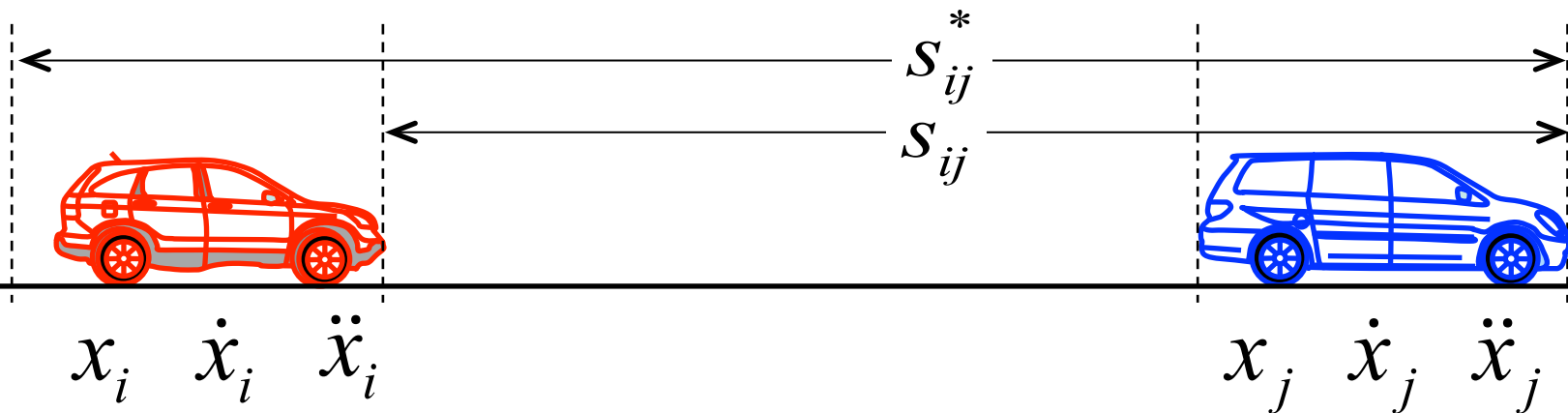
## □ Microscopic View

Good Driving Rule (GDR)

$$s_{ij}^* = \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

Safe Driving Rule (SDR)

$$s_{ij}^* = \frac{\dot{x}_i^2}{2b_i} - \frac{\dot{x}_j^2}{2B_j} + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$



# SDR can be Aggressive

SDR

$$s_{ij}^* = \frac{\dot{x}_i^2}{2b_i} - \frac{\dot{x}_j^2}{2B_j} + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

$$s_{ij}^* = \gamma_i \dot{x}_i^2 + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

$$\gamma_i = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{b_i} - \frac{1}{B_j} \right)$$

Aggressiveness

$$\gamma_i > 0$$

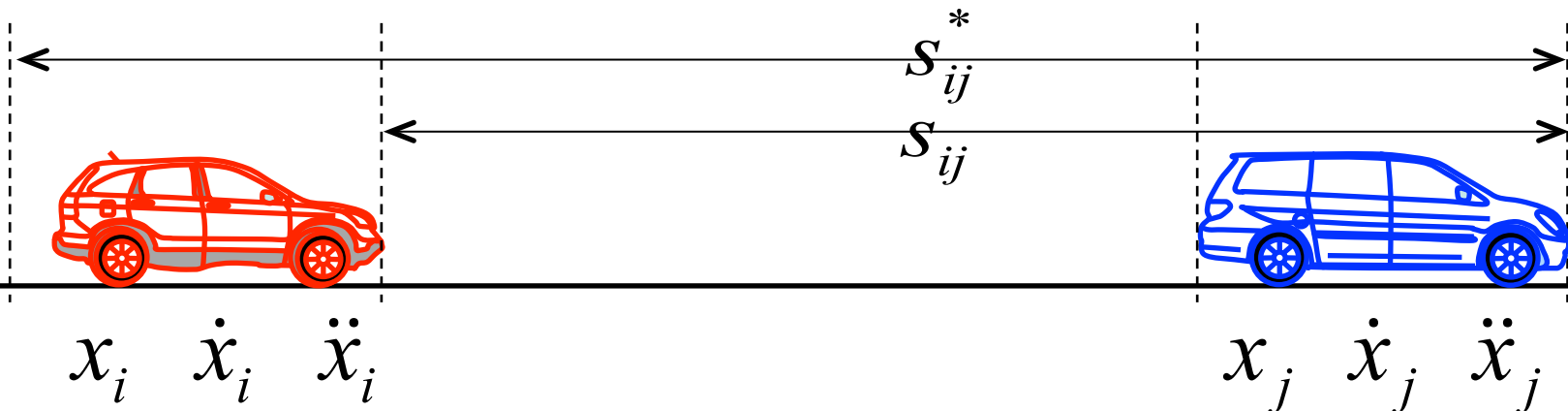
Safe Driving Rule

$$\gamma_i = 0$$

Good Driving Rule

$$\gamma_i < 0$$

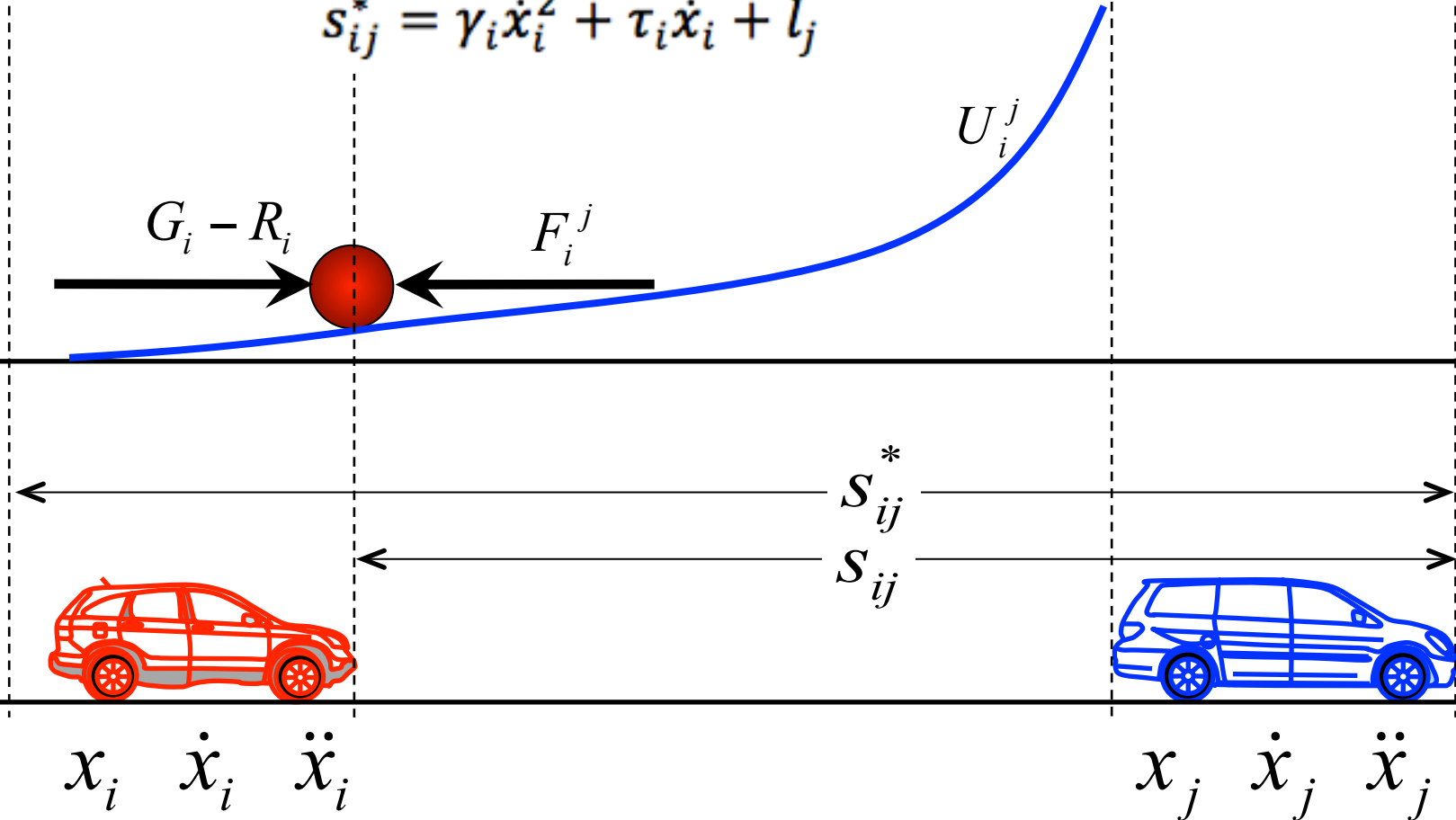
Aggressive Driving Rule



# Longitudinal Control Model

LCM  $\ddot{x}_i(t + \tau_i) = A_i \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\dot{x}_i}{v_i} \right) - e^{1 - \frac{s_{ij}}{s_{ij}^*}} \right]$

$$s_{ij}^* = \gamma_i \dot{x}_i^2 + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$



# Acting Factors Behind?

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## □ Macroscopic View

Good Driving Rule (GDR)

$$q = \frac{1}{\tau} - \frac{l}{\tau}k$$

Safe Driving Rule (SDR)

$$q = kv \quad \text{and} \quad k = \frac{1}{\gamma v^2 + \tau v + l}$$

Longitudinal Control Model (LCM)

$$q = kv \quad \text{and} \quad k = \frac{1}{(\gamma v^2 + \tau v + l) \left[ 1 - \ln \left( 1 - \frac{v}{v_f} \right) \right]}$$

# Influencing Human Factors

## Microscopic

- Desired speed  $v_i$
- Effective length  $l_j$
- Response time  $\tau_i$
- Aggressiveness  $\gamma_i$

$$s_{ij}^* = \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

$$s_{ij}^* = \gamma_i \dot{x}_i^2 + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

$$\ddot{x}_i(t + \tau_i) = A_i \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\dot{x}_i}{v_i} \right) - e^{1 - \frac{s_{ij}}{s_{ij}^*}} \right]$$

## Macroscopic

- Free-flow speed  $v_f$
- Average length  $l$
- Response time  $\tau$
- Aggressiveness  $\gamma$

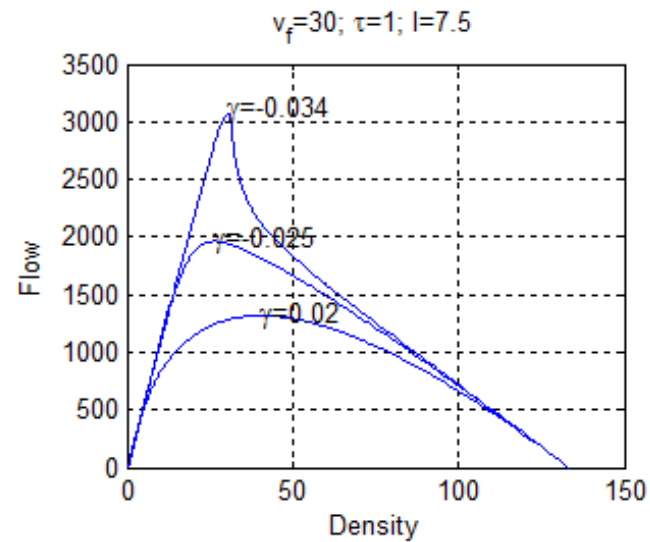
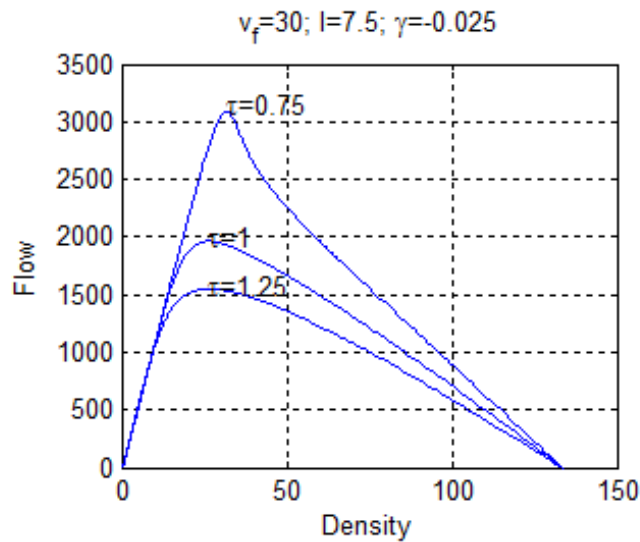
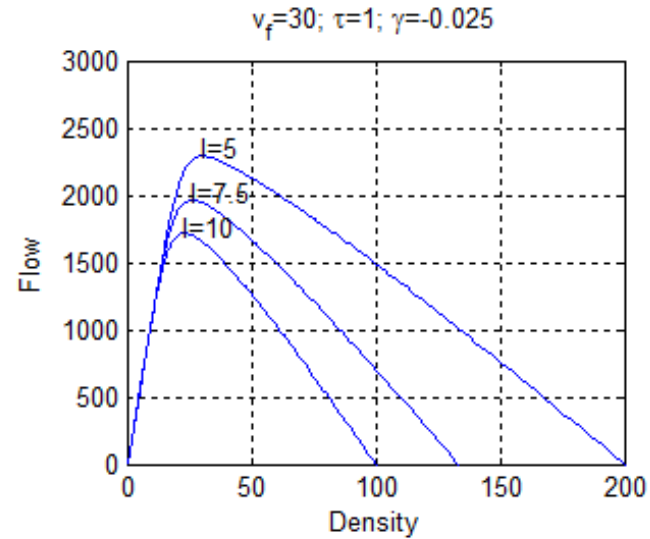
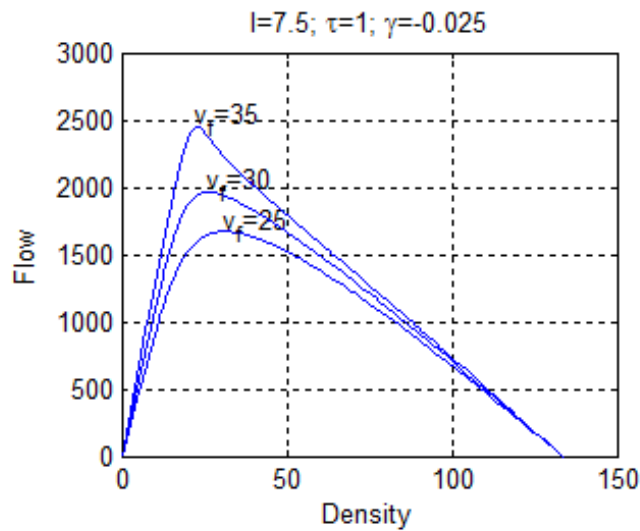
$$q = \frac{1}{\tau} - \frac{l}{\tau} k$$

$$k = \frac{1}{\gamma v^2 + \tau v + l}$$

$$k = \frac{1}{(\gamma v^2 + \tau v + l) \left[ 1 - \ln \left( 1 - \frac{v}{v_f} \right) \right]}$$



# Influencing Human Factors



# Capacity Condition

## □ SDR

$$\dot{x}_i = v_i \text{ when } s_{ij} > s_{ij}^* = \gamma_i \dot{x}_i^2 + \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

$$q_m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\gamma l} + \tau} \quad v_m = \sqrt{\frac{\gamma}{l}} \quad k_m = \frac{l}{\gamma^2 + \tau\sqrt{\gamma l} + l^2}$$

## □ GDR

$$\dot{x}_i = v_i \text{ when } s_{ij} > s_{ij}^* = \tau_i \dot{x}_i + l_j$$

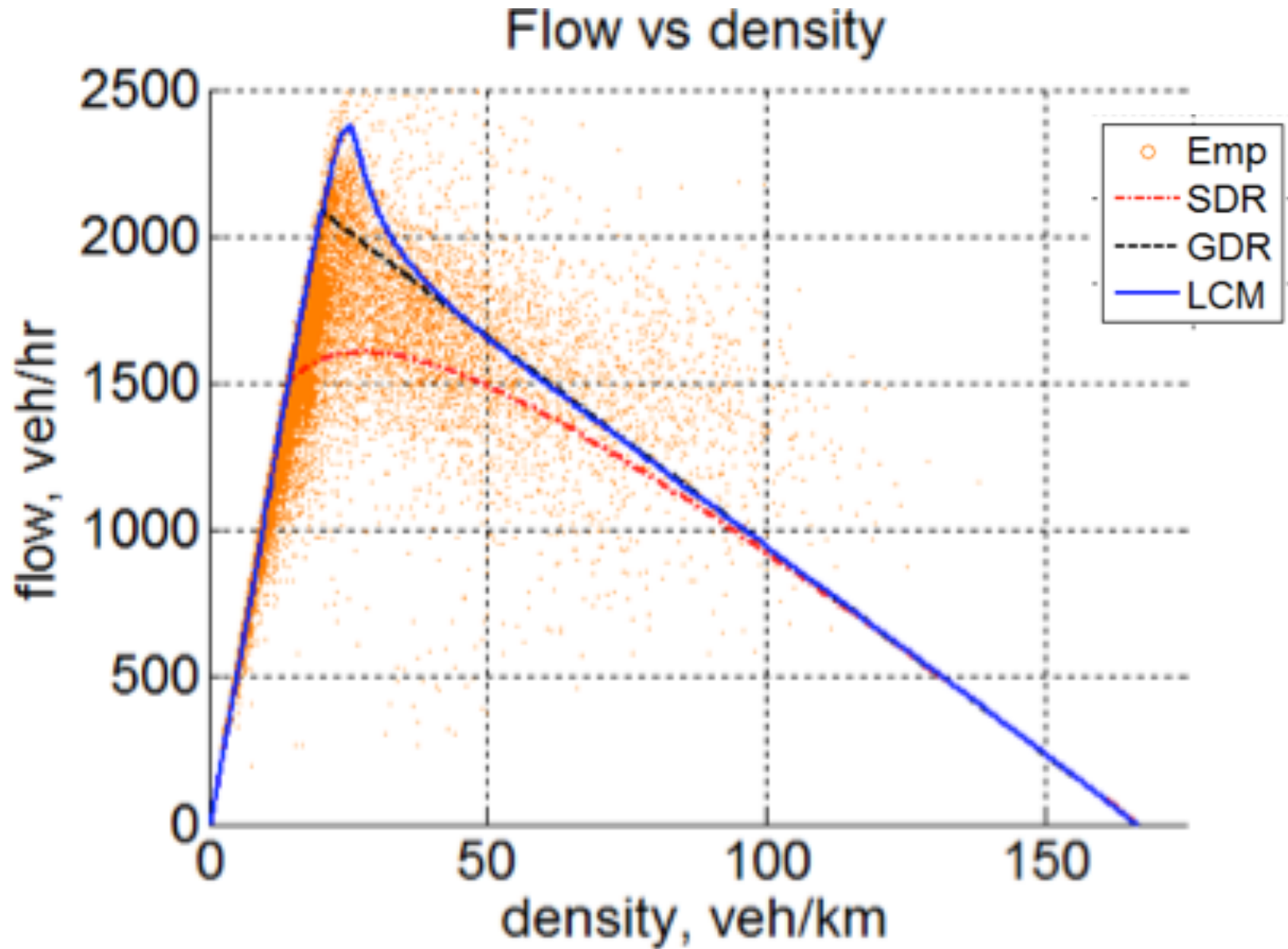
$$q_m = \frac{v_f}{\tau v_f + l} \quad v_m = v_f \quad k_m = \frac{1}{\tau v_f + l}$$

## □ LCM

$$\dot{x}_i = v_i \left( 1 - e^{-\frac{s_{ij}}{s_{ij}^*}} \right) \text{ for all } s_{ij} \text{ where } \dot{x}_i \sim v_i \text{ when } s_{ij} > s_{ij}^*$$

LCM does not yield a closed form of capacity, but can be solved numerically

# Capacity Drop



# Backward Wave Speed

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□ SDR

$$\omega_j = \left. \frac{dq}{dk} \right|_{k=k_j} = \left( v - \frac{\gamma v^2 + \tau v + l}{2\gamma v + \tau} \right)_{v=0} = -\frac{l}{\tau}$$

□ GDR

$$\omega_j = \left. \frac{dq}{dk} \right|_{k=k_j} = -\frac{l}{\tau}$$

□ LCM

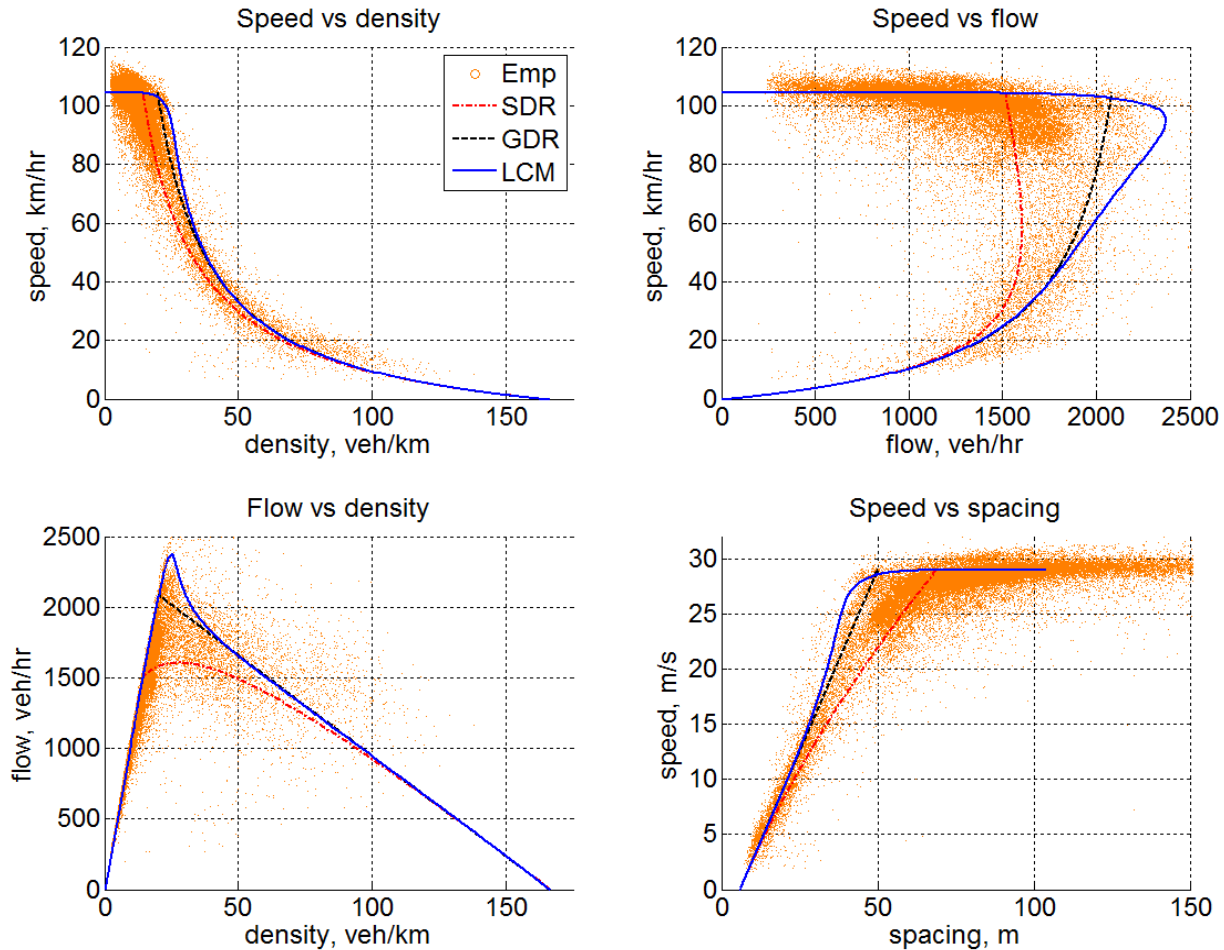
$$\omega_j = \left. \frac{dq}{dk} \right|_{k=k_j} = -\frac{l}{\tau + l/v_f}$$

# Influencing Human Factors

Human Factor Parameters	$v_i$	$l_i$	$\tau_i$	$\gamma_i$
Free-flow speed $v_f$	Y	N	N	N
Capacity – magnitude $q_m$	N Y Y	Y	Y	Y N Y
Capacity – location $k_m$	N Y Y	Y	Y	Y N Y
Capacity – transition	N N Y	N	N N Y	Y
Capacity – drop	N N Y	N	N N Y	N N Y
Backward wave speed at jam $\omega_j$	N	Y	Y	N
Jam density $k_j$	N	Y	N	N

Note: Y – has influence; N – no influence. Single letter denotes that the same comment applies to the three models. Three letters (e.g., N N Y) means the comments of SDR, GDR, and LCM, respectively.

# What Do Data Say?



Model	$v_f$ (m/s)	$\tau$ (s)	$l$ (m)	$\gamma$ (s <sup>2</sup> /m)
Safe driving rule	29	1.5	6	0.023
Good driving rule	29	1.5	6	0
LCM	29	1.3	6	-0.041

# Questions? Comments?

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