

FIG. 1: A few snapshots showing different time points for two different initial configurations. a) A straight initial configuration and b) a random extended configuration.

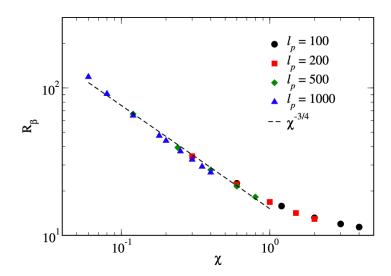


FIG. 2: The curvature radius  $(R_{\beta})$  at  $\rho=0$  as a function of flexure number defined as  $\chi=l_0Pe/l_p$  for various persistence lengths  $(l_p=100,200,500,$  and 1000) as mentioned in the plot .