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Exploring Synthetic Quantum Matter with Cold Atoms & Tensor Networks



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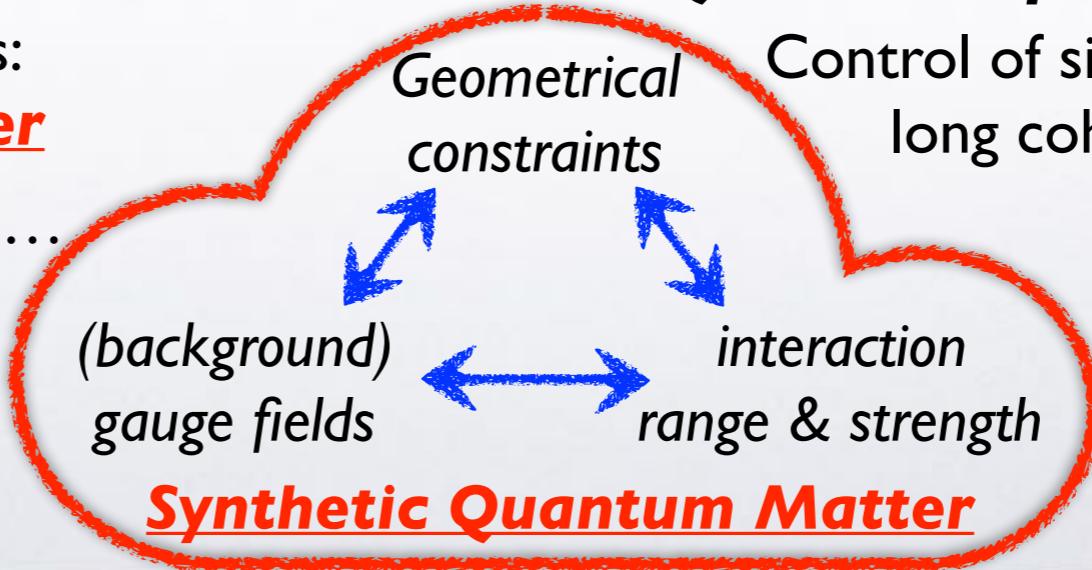
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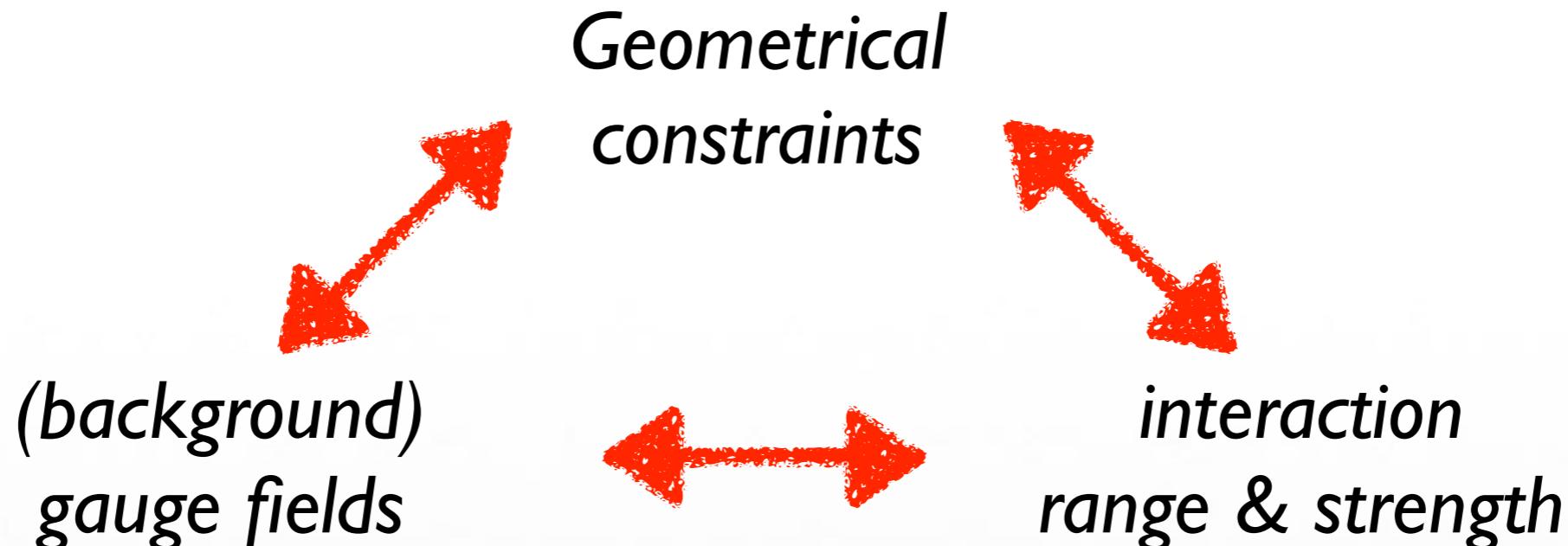
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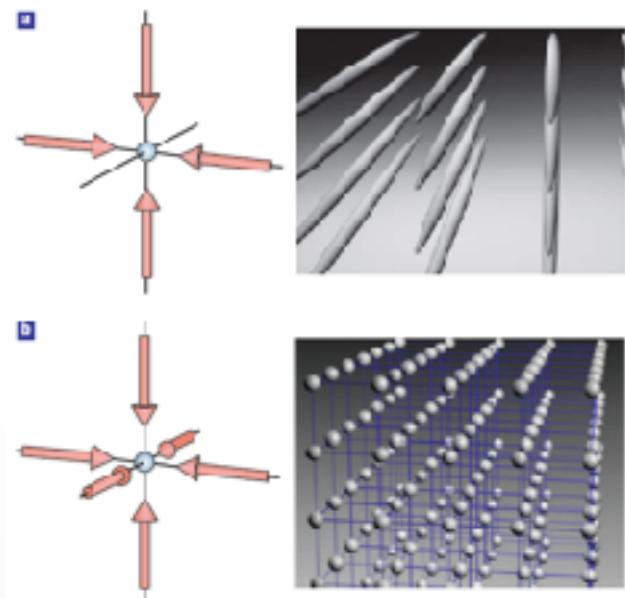
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Fermionic Models: studies via Mappings & Tensor Networks

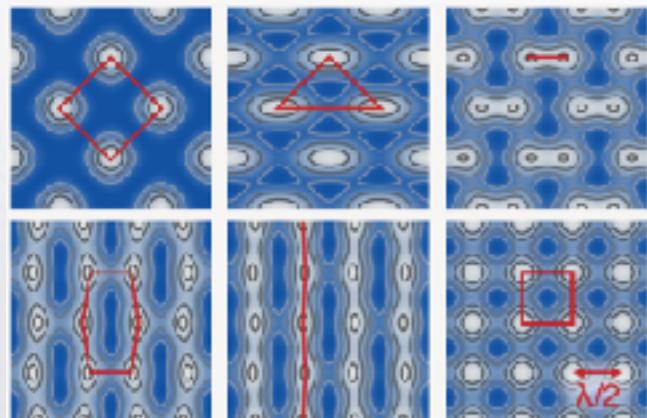
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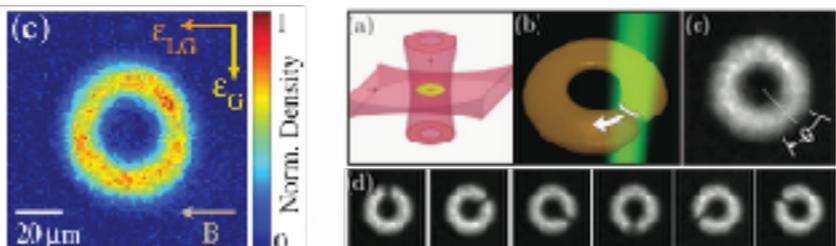
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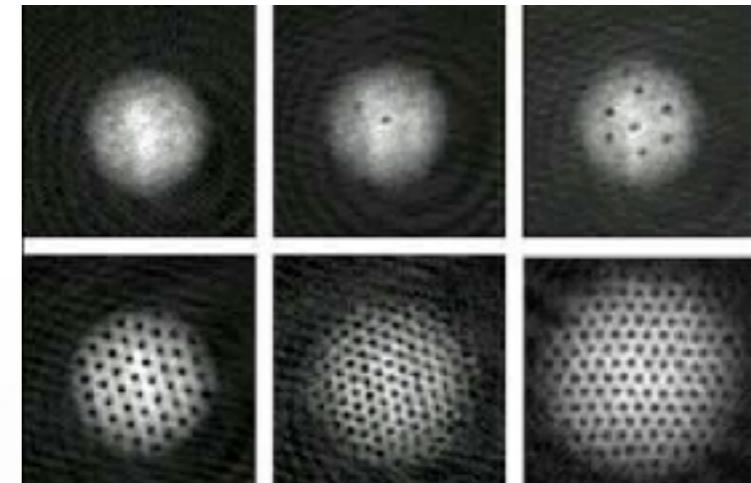
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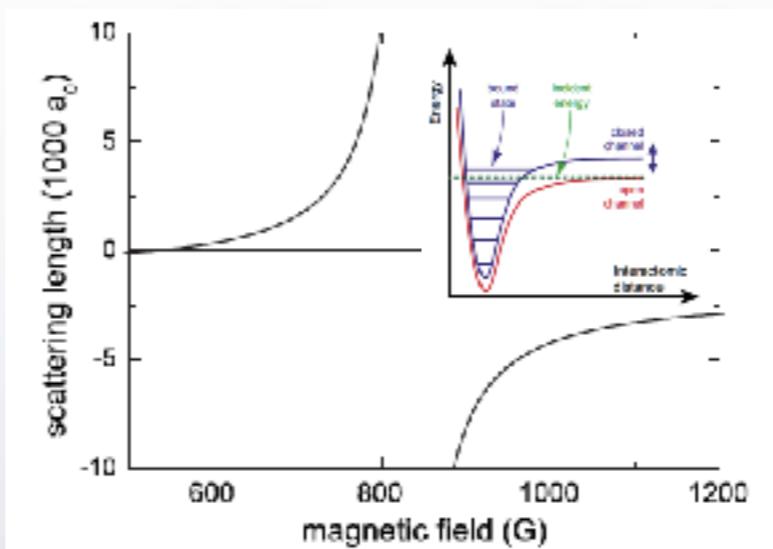
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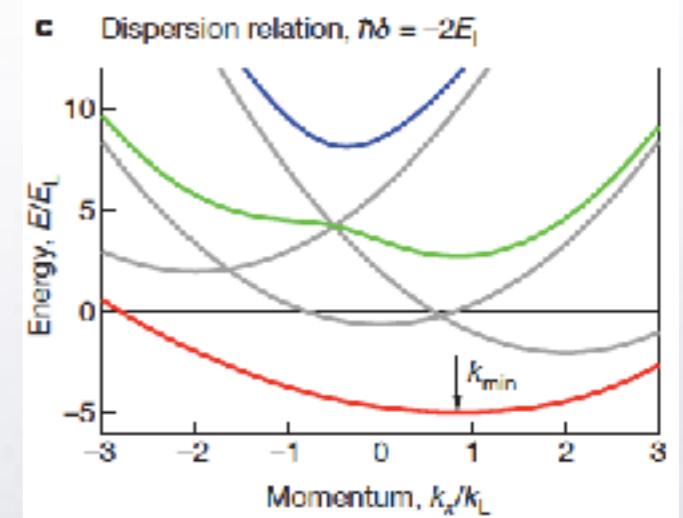
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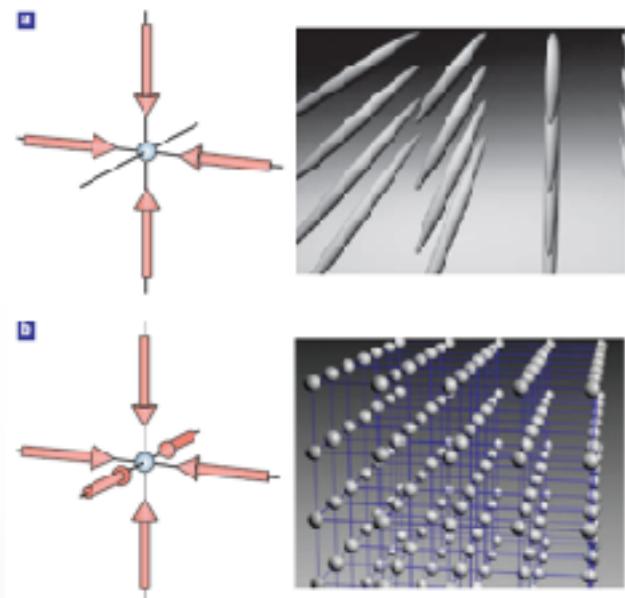


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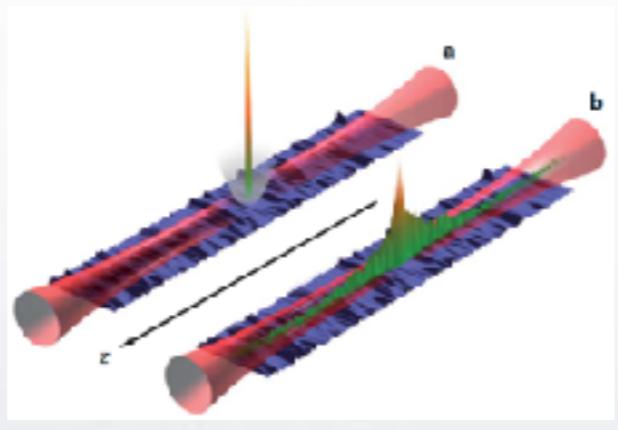
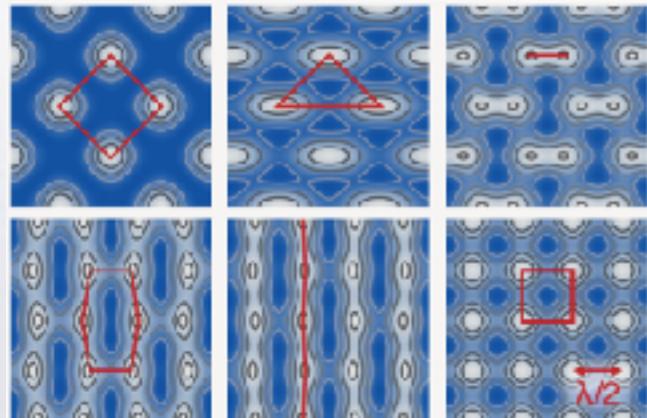
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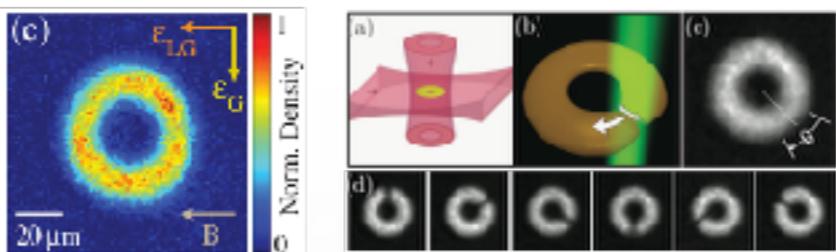


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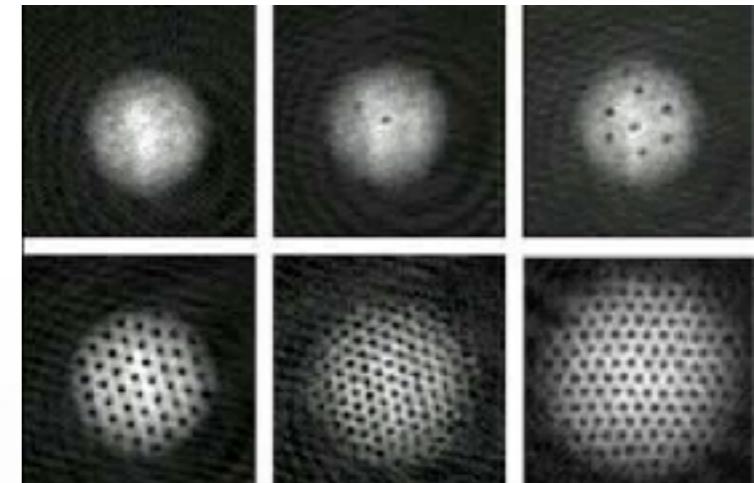
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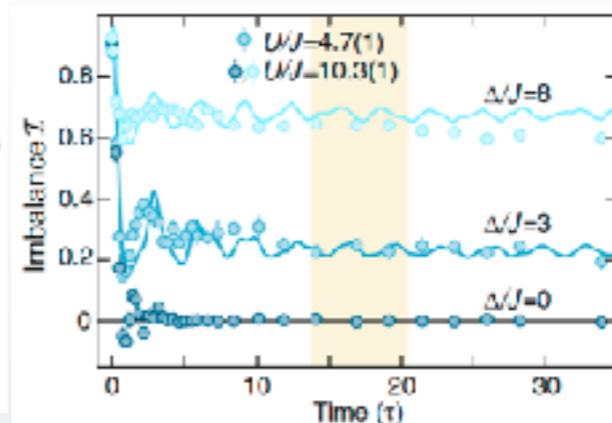
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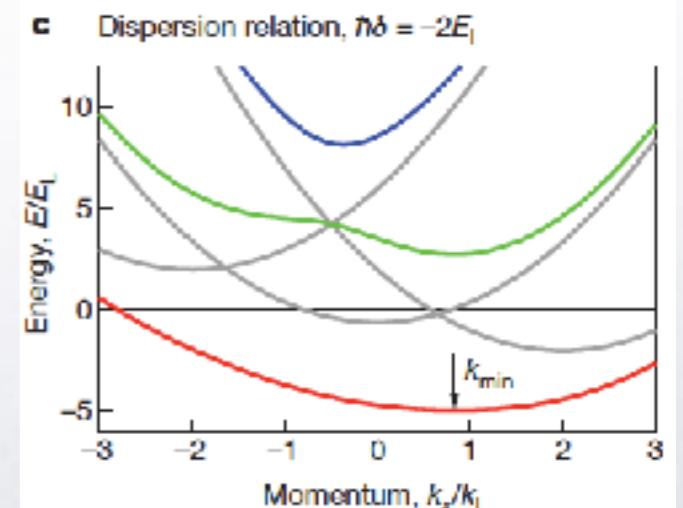
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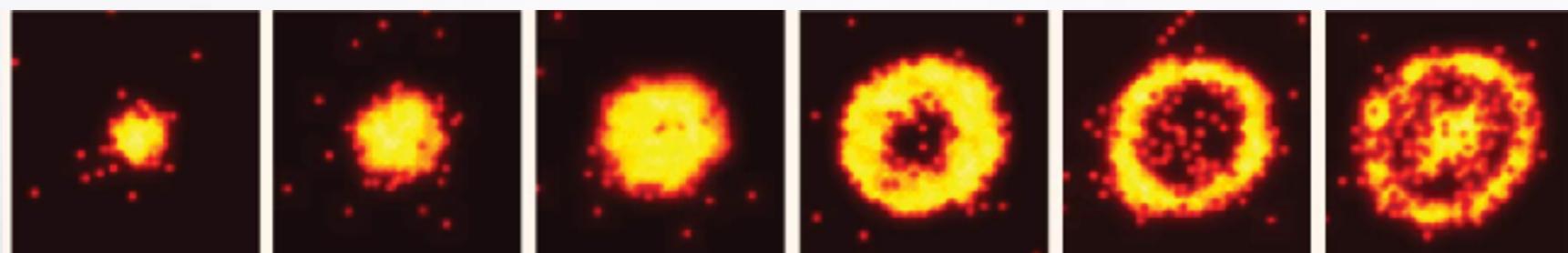
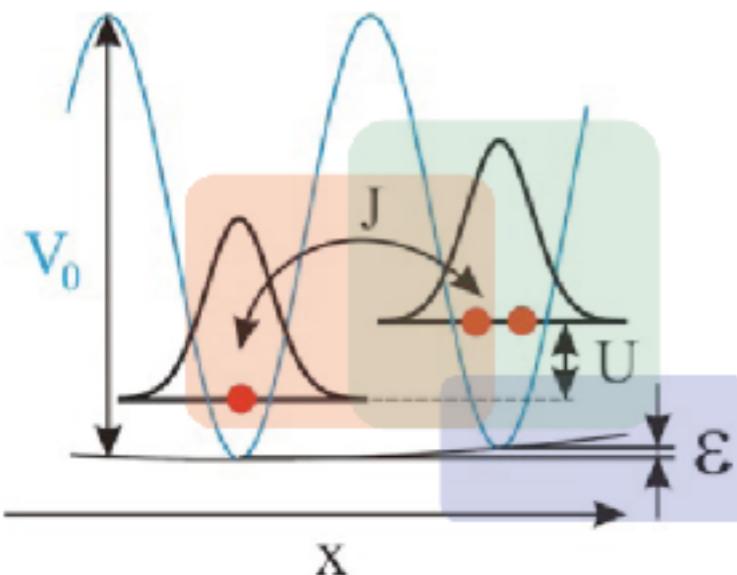
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Sherson, et al. Nature **467**, 68 (2010).

nowadays: spectacular progresses with 2D Fermi-Hubbard!

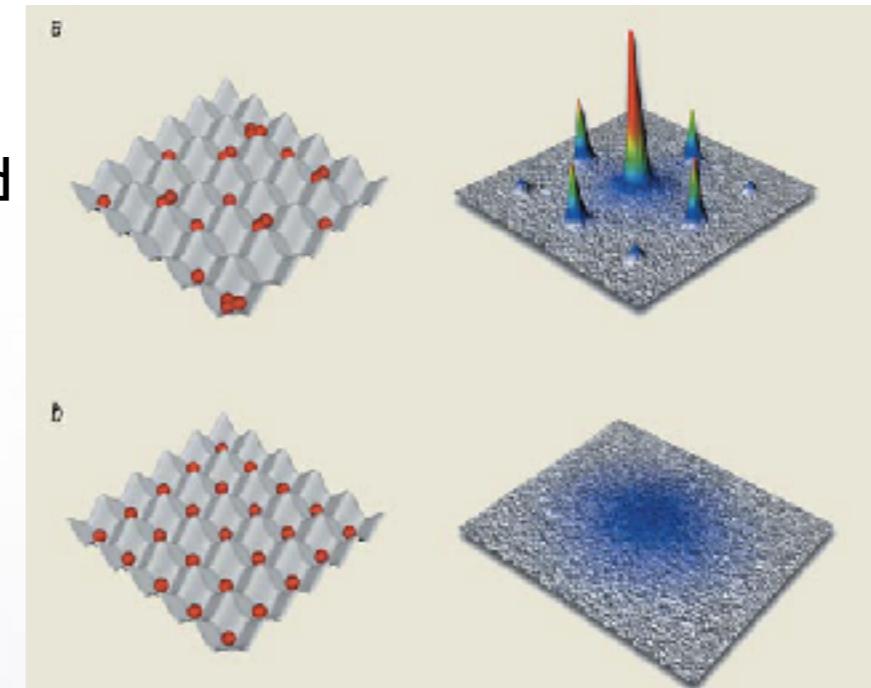
e.g., Greiner & Bloch & Esslinger labs

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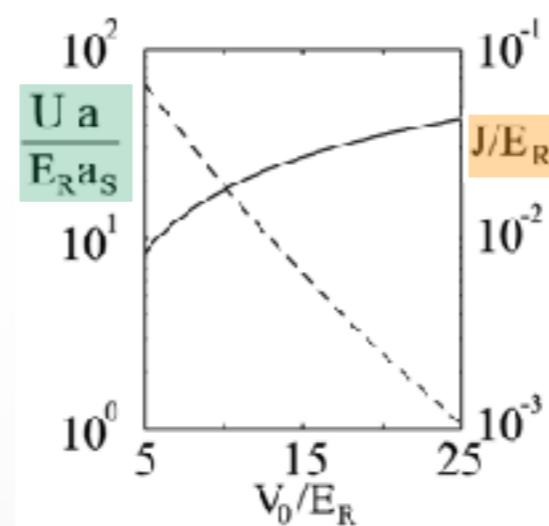
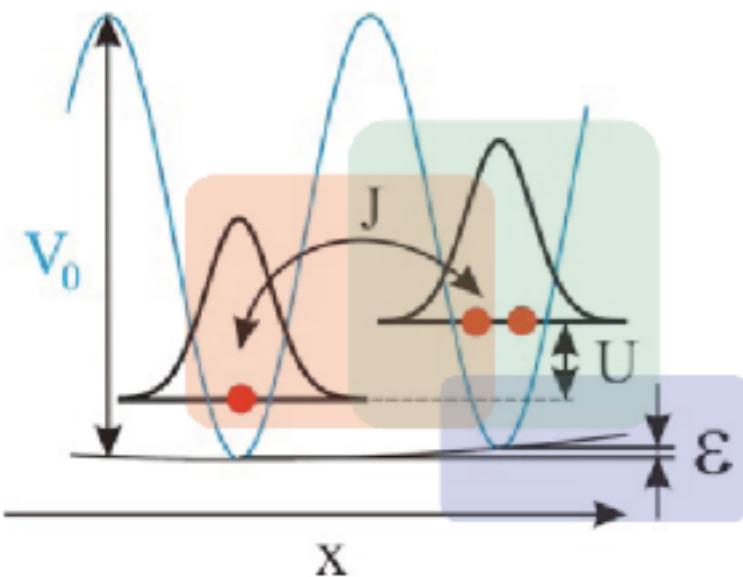
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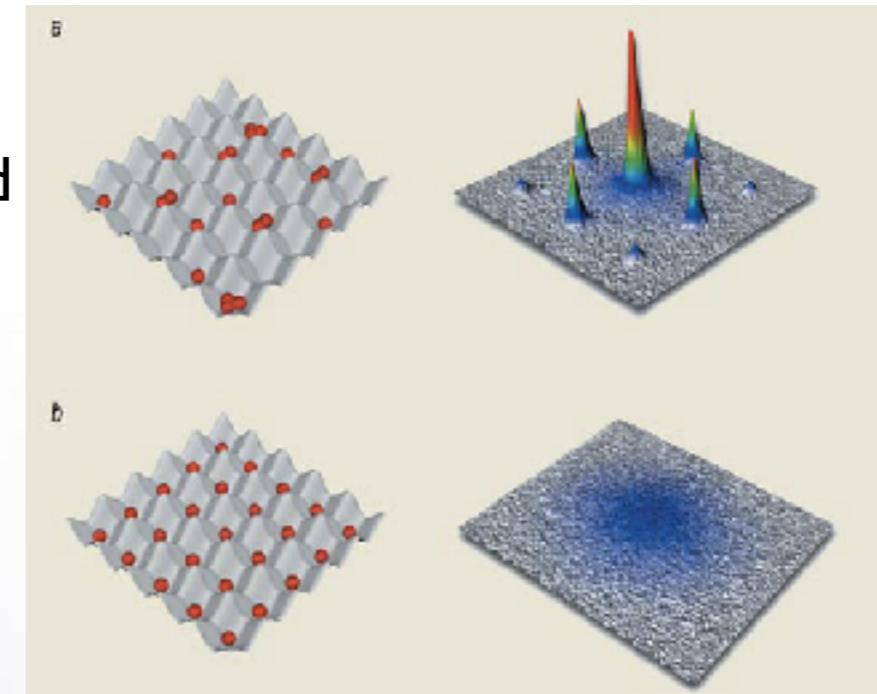


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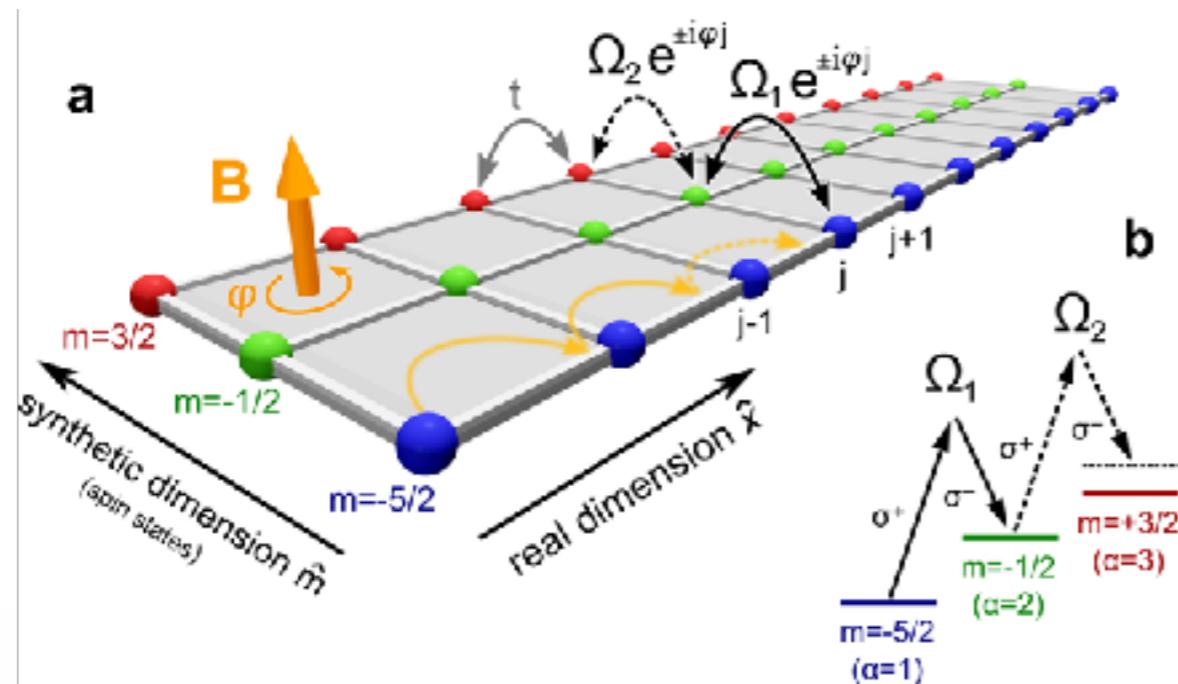
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nuclear / hyperfine levels

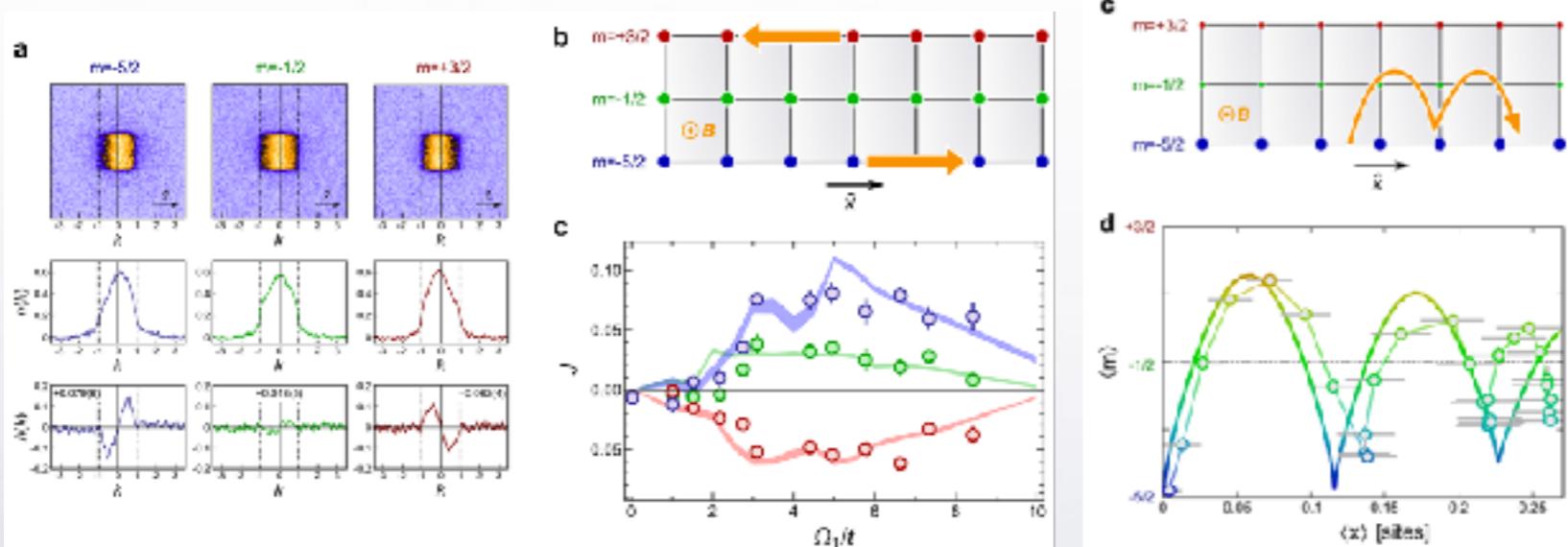
multi-flavor / multi-orbital Hubbard models
synthetic (extra-)dimension

A. Celi et al., PRL **108**, 133001 (2012) & **112**, 043001 (2014)

Synthetic ladders

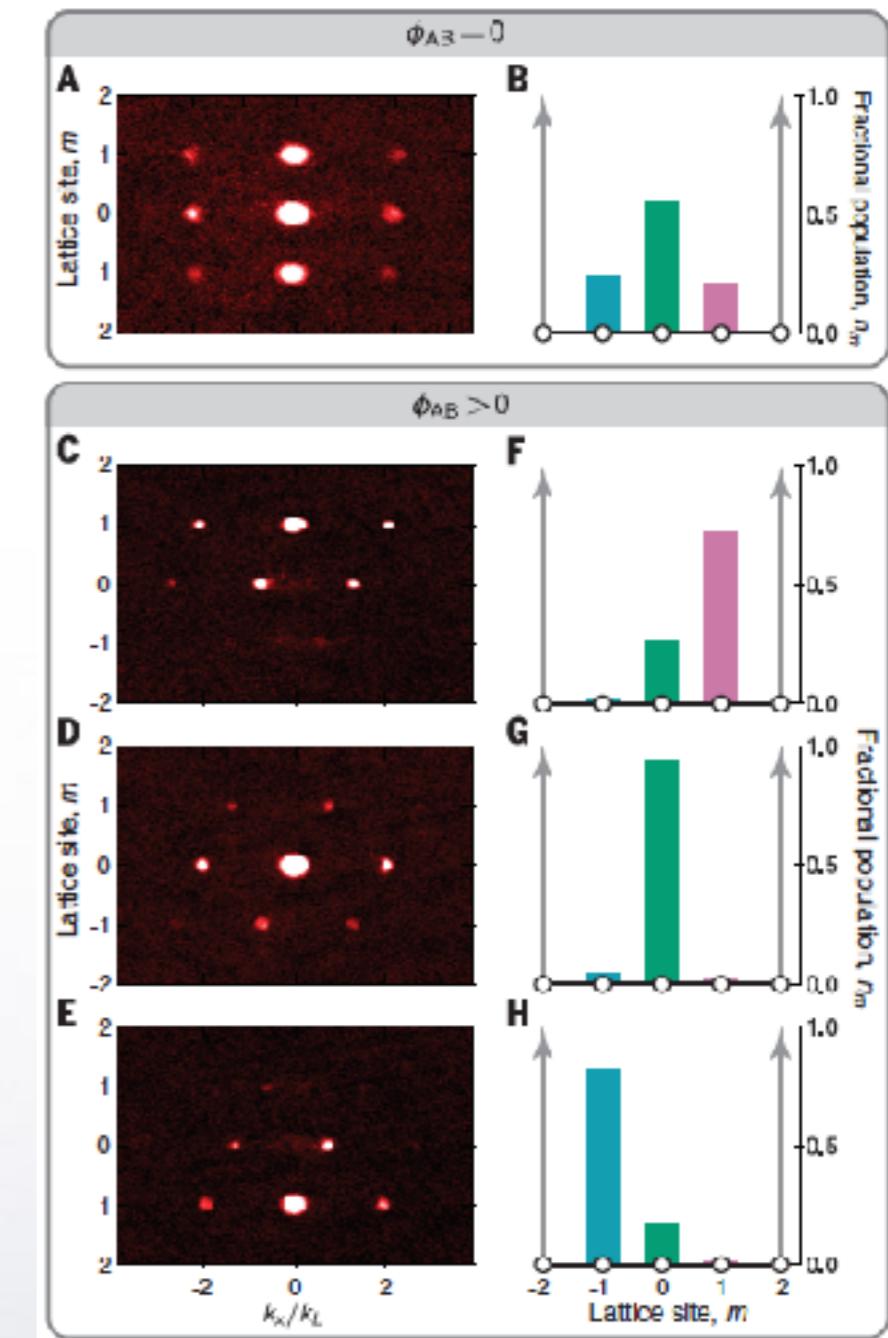


Chiral edge currents & skipping orbits



M. Mancini, et al., Science **349**, 1510 (2015)

+ many more related experiments @ Harvard, MIT, Munich, Paris, etc.



B.K. Stuhl, et al., Science **349**, 1514 (2015)

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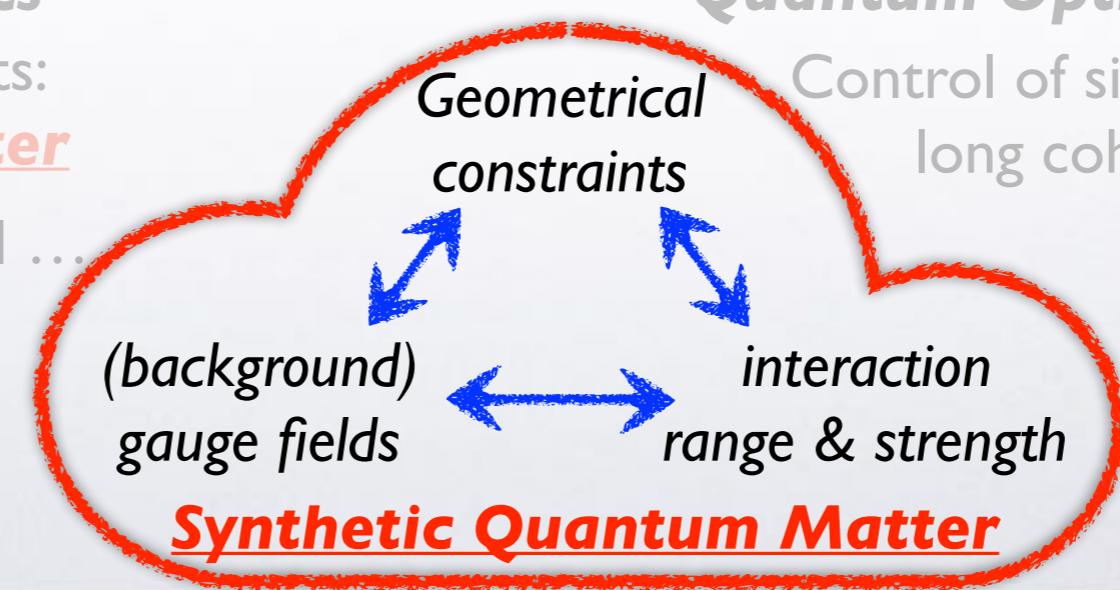
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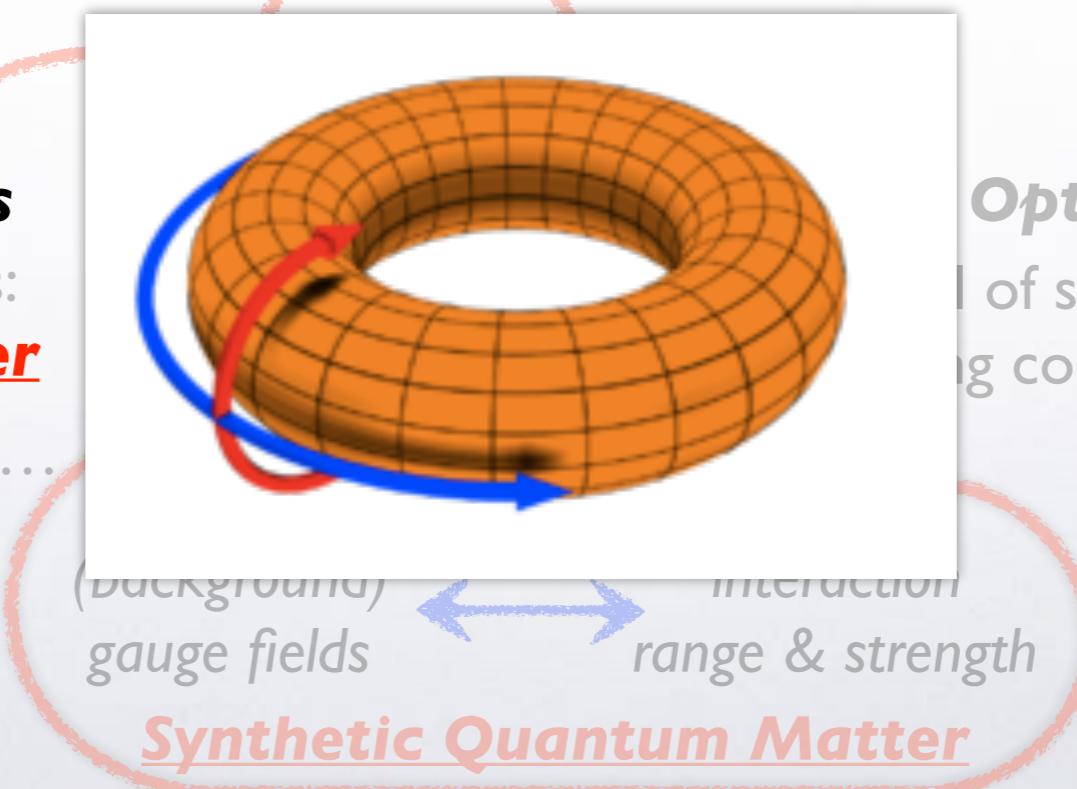
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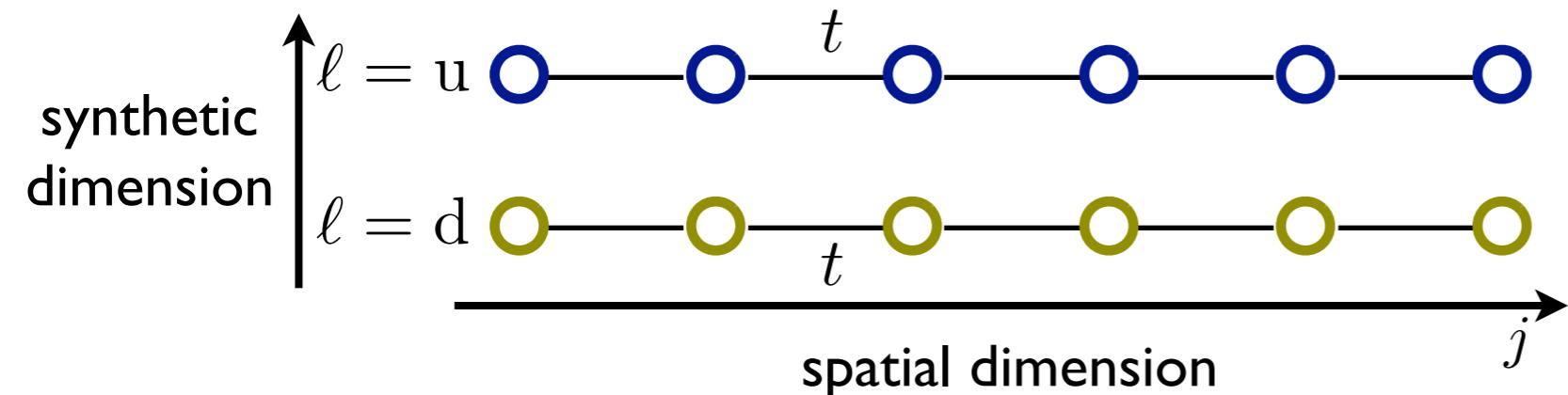


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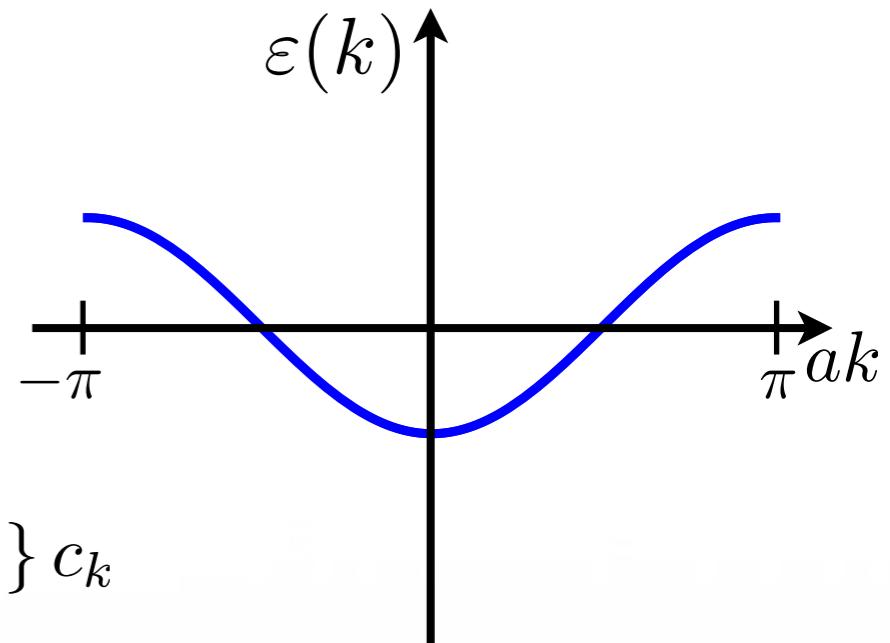
OUTLINE

- The Creutz-Hubbard Ladder: general features
- Topology & Interactions
 - SPT vs orbital magnetism at half-filling
 - relation to high-energy models
 - interacting SPT phases at fractional filling
- Tuning the Drude Weight of Dirac fermions
- Other related works & plans

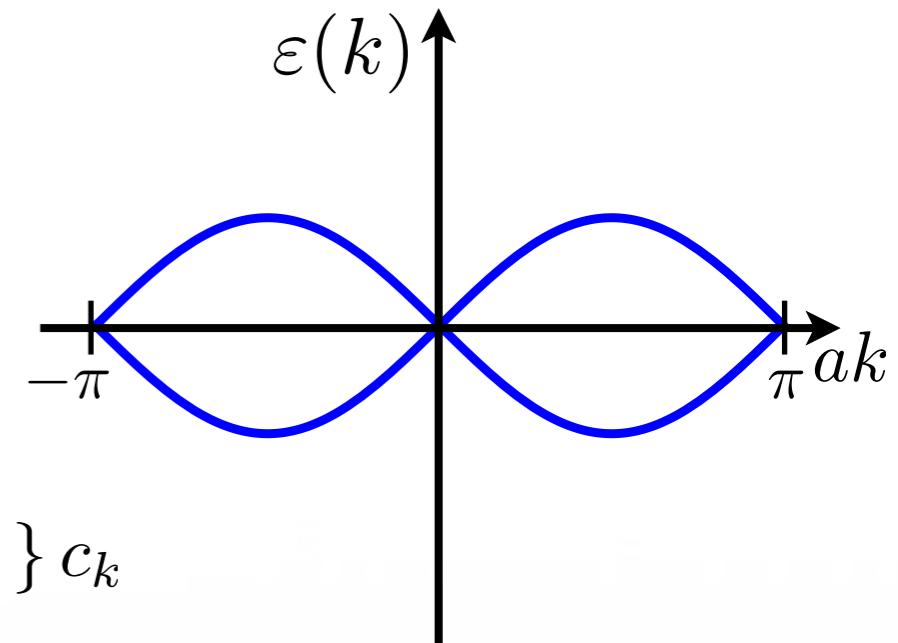
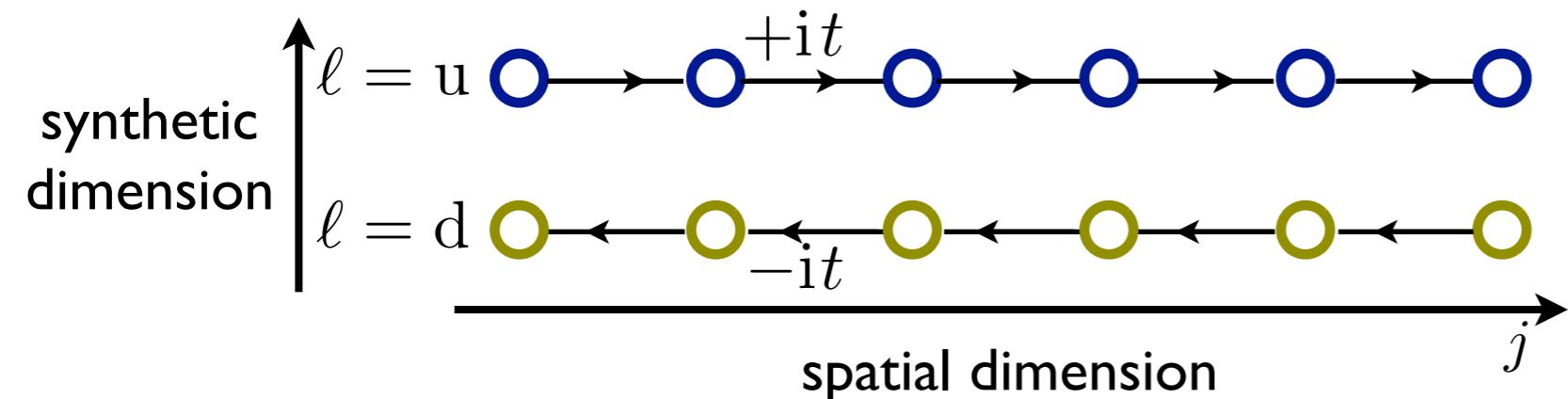
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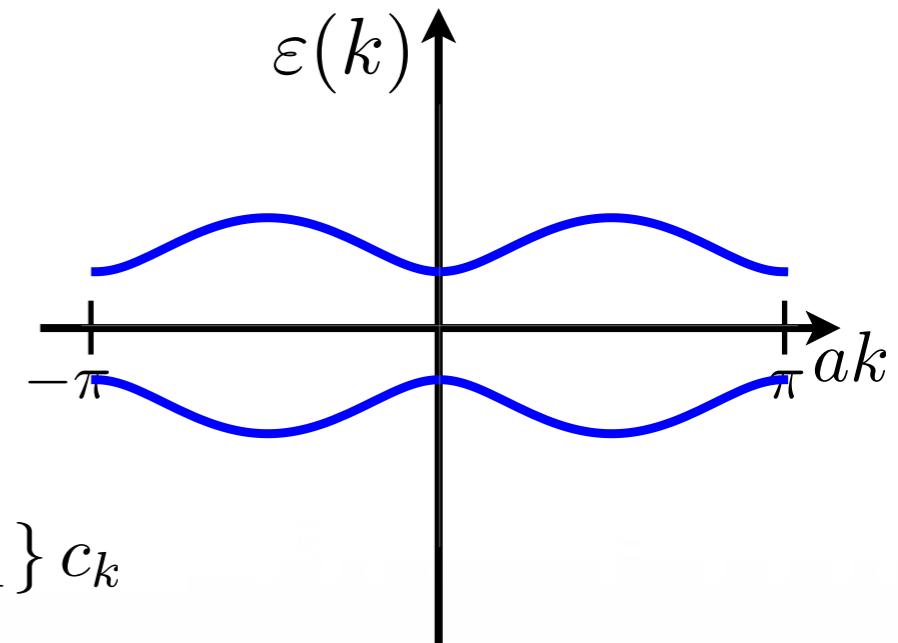
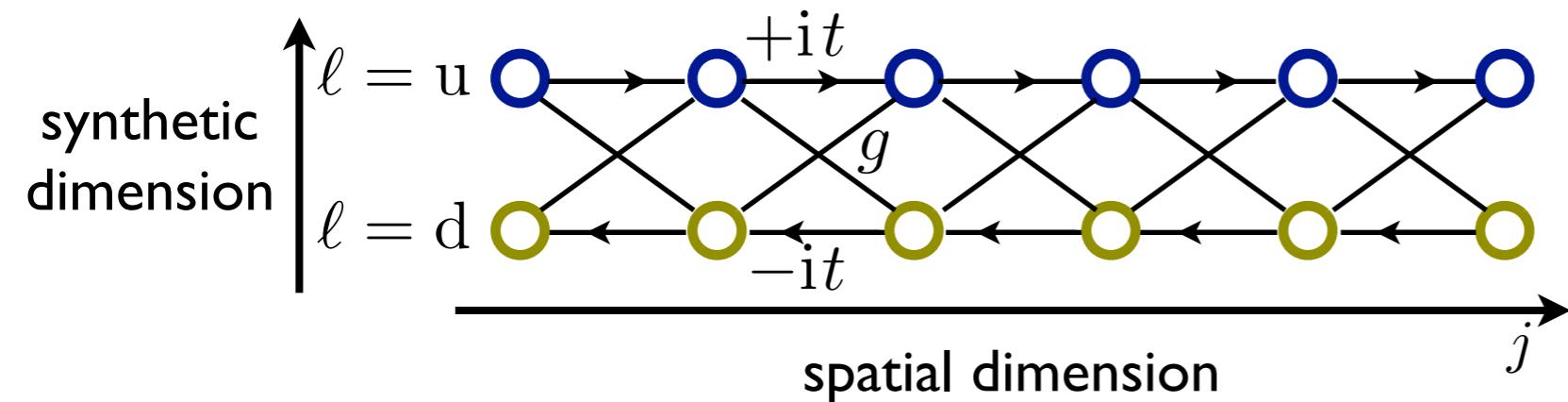
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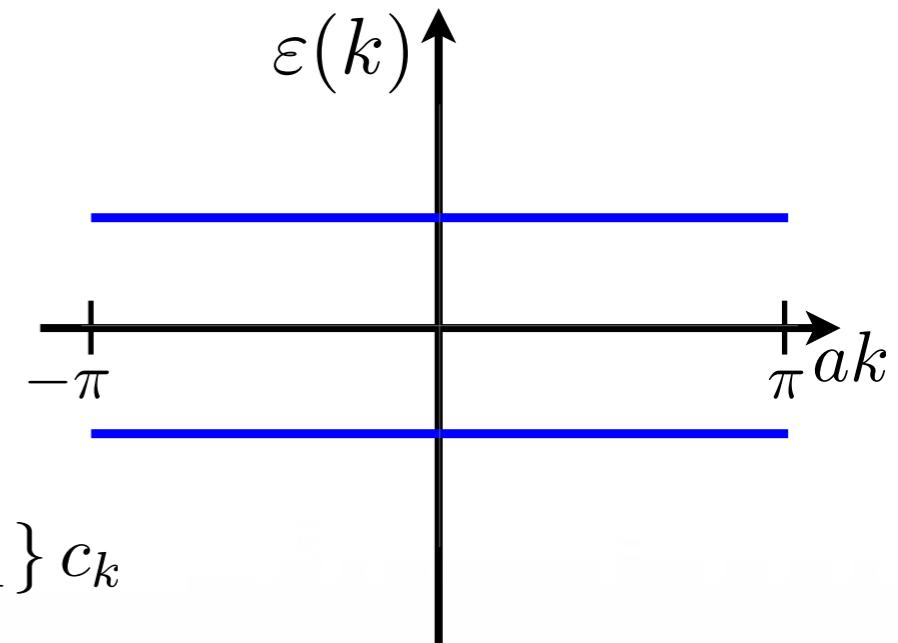
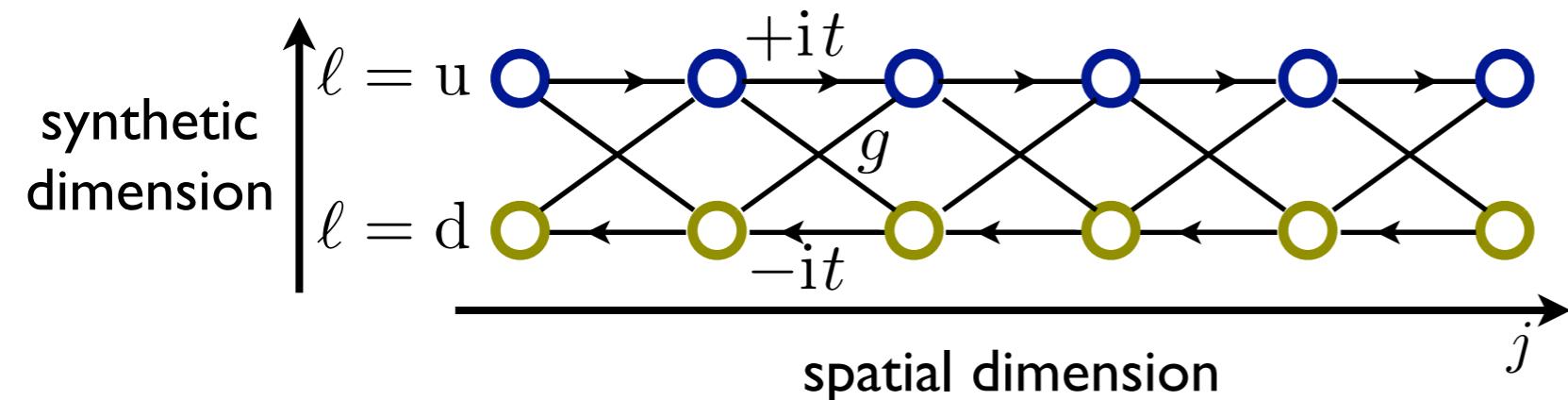
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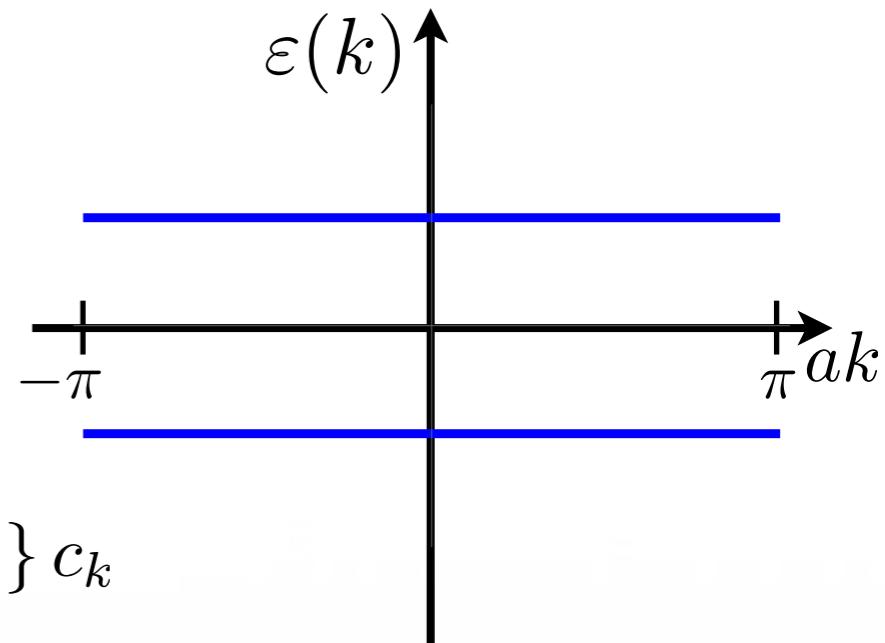
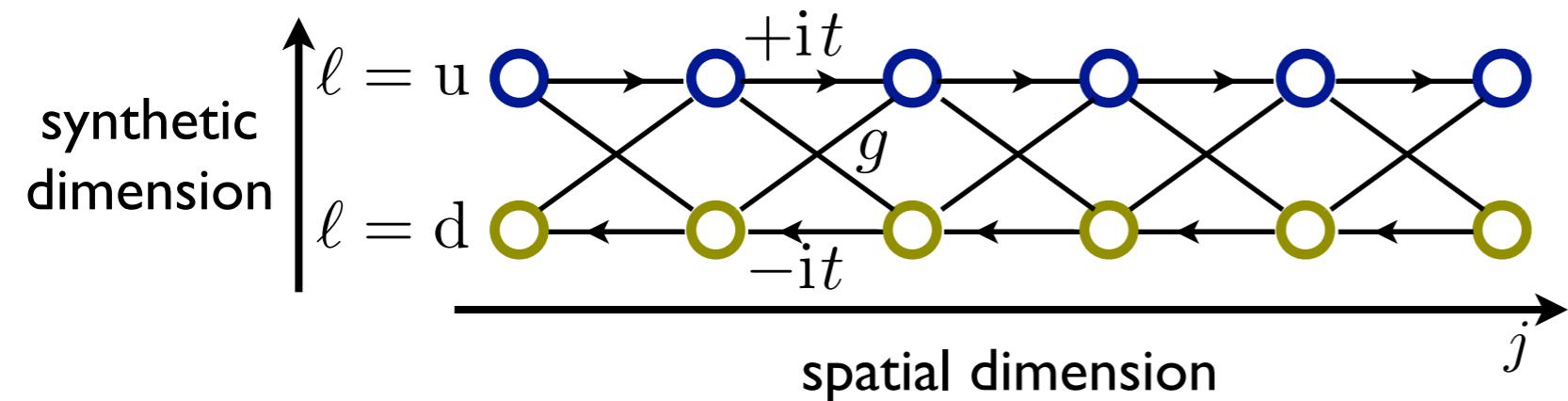
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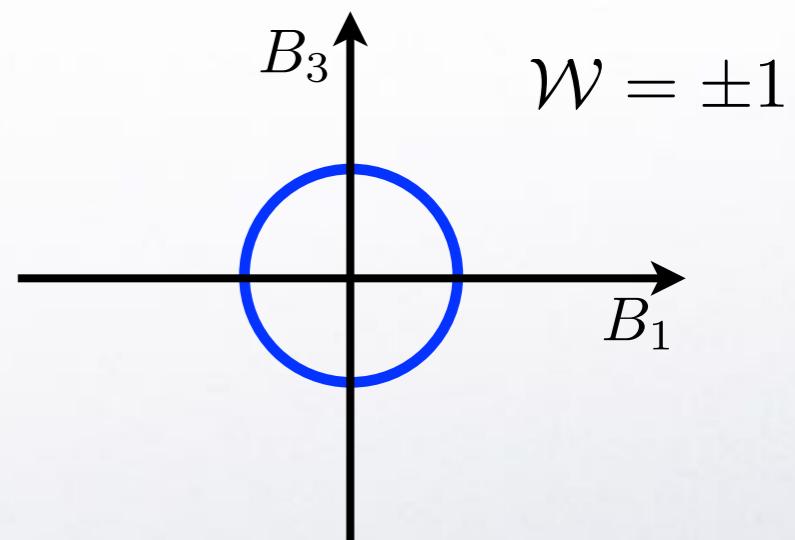
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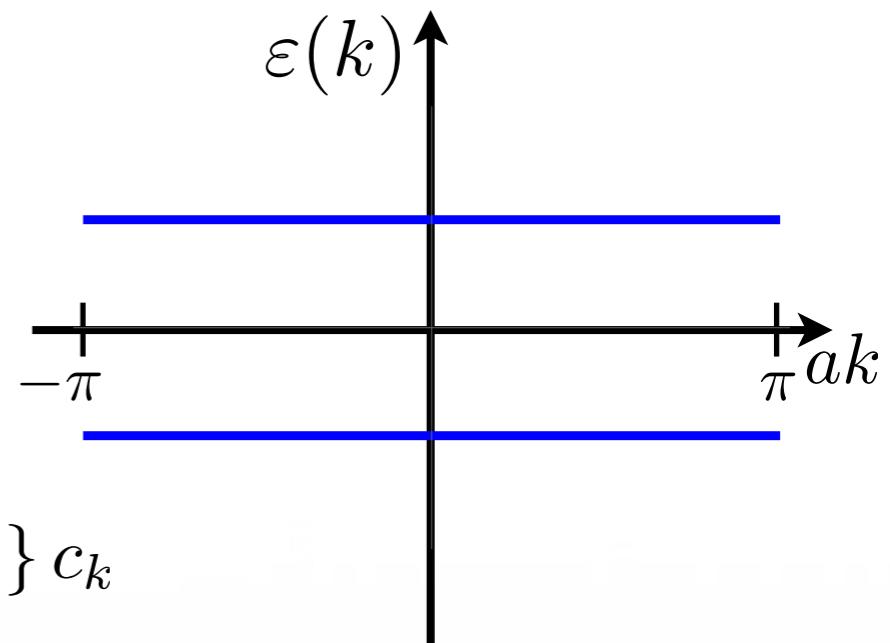
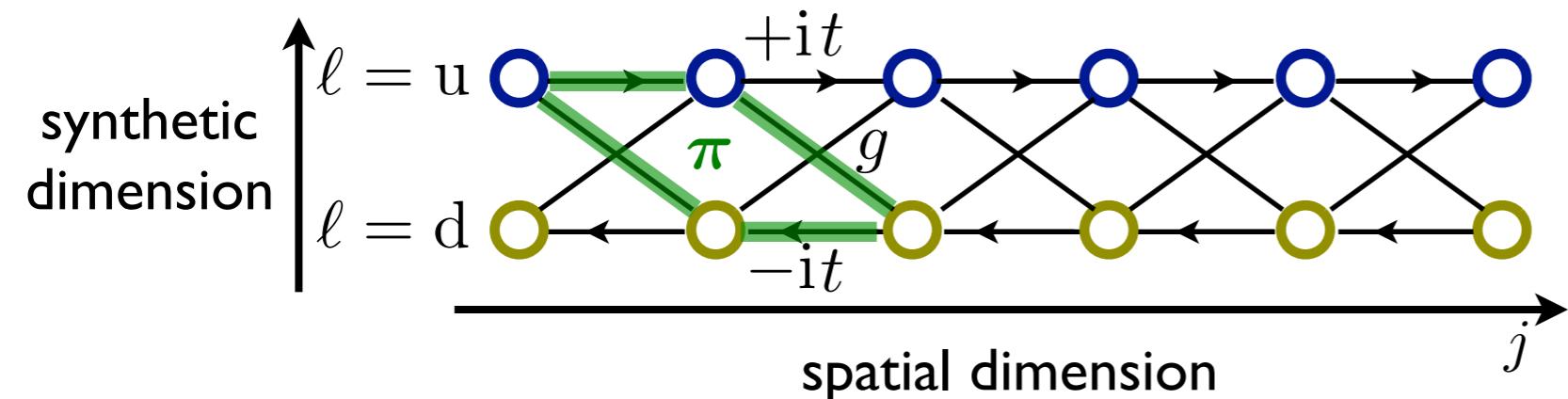
Symmetry Protected Topological (SPT) Order

$$\mathcal{A}_\pm(k) = \langle \varepsilon_\pm(k) | i\partial_k | \varepsilon_\pm(k) \rangle \quad \varphi_{\text{Zak}, \pm} = \int_{\text{BZ}} dk \mathcal{A}_\pm(k) = \pi$$

e.g., S. Ryu, et al., *NJP* **12**, 065010 (2010), D. Xiao, et al., *RMP* **82**, 1959 (2010)

φ_{Zak} measured in cold gases
via Ramsey interferometry
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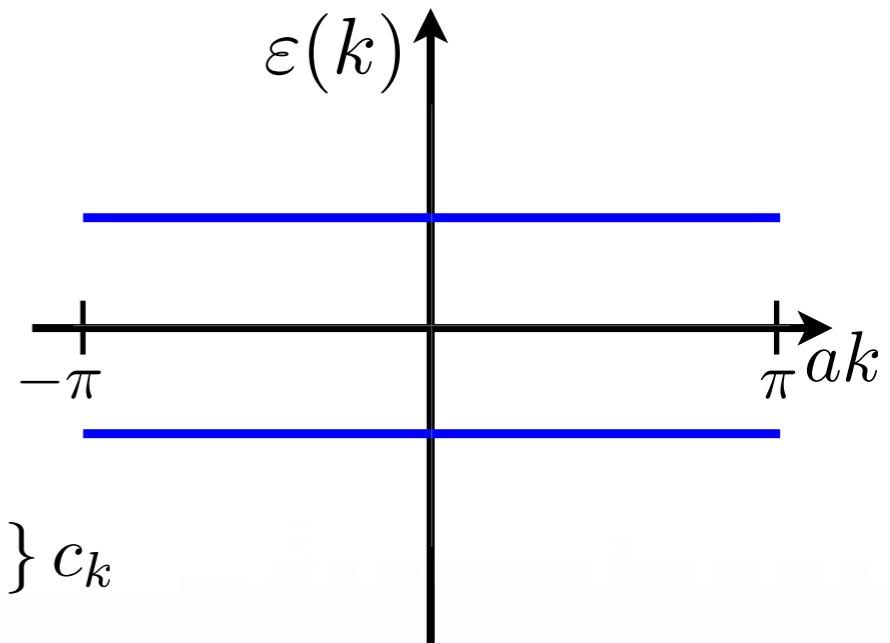
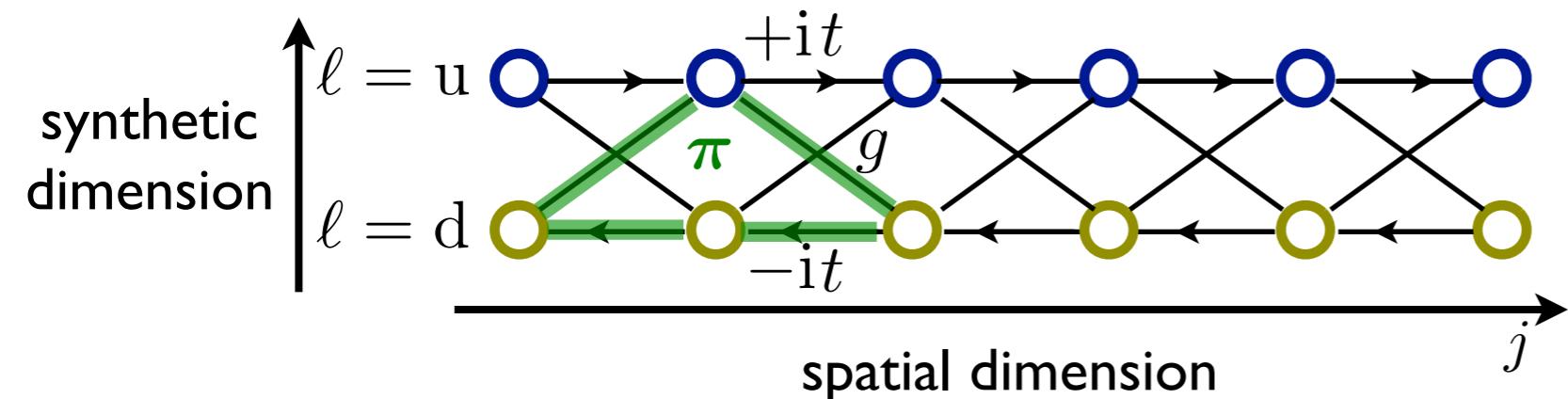
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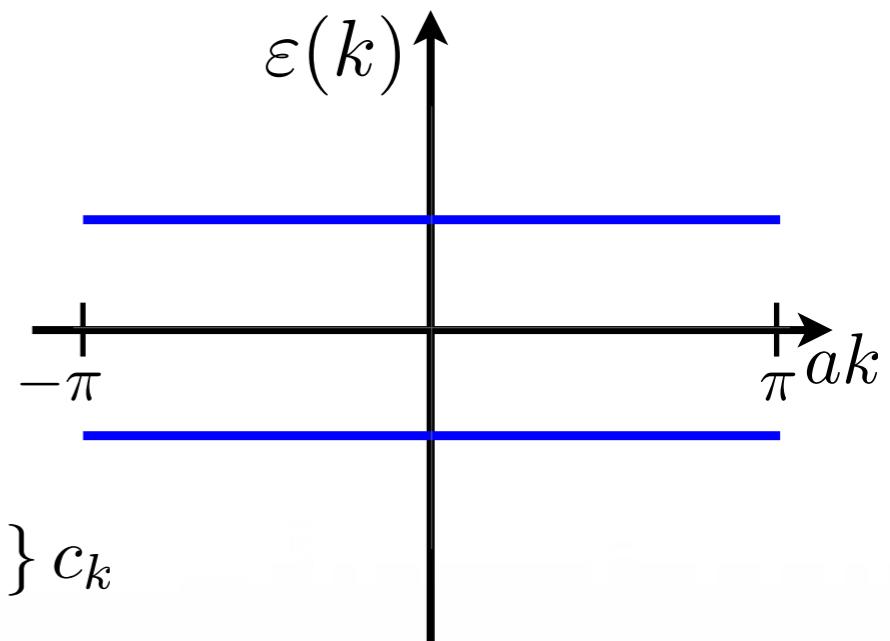
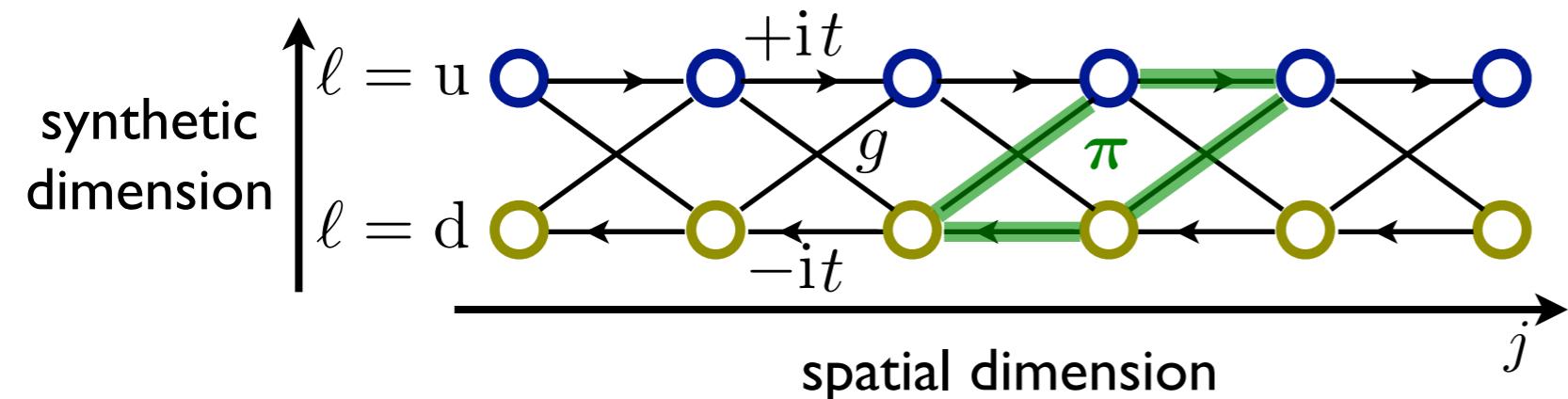
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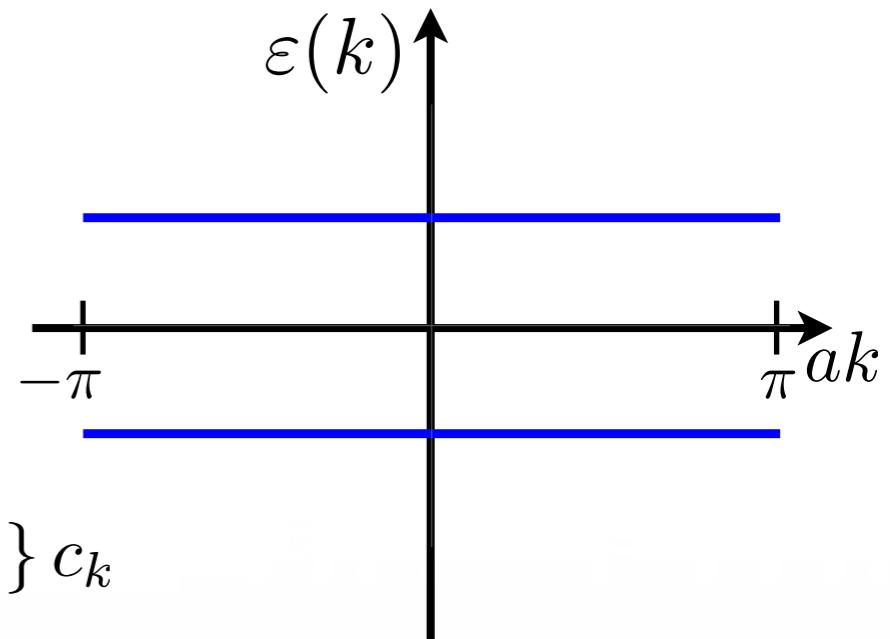
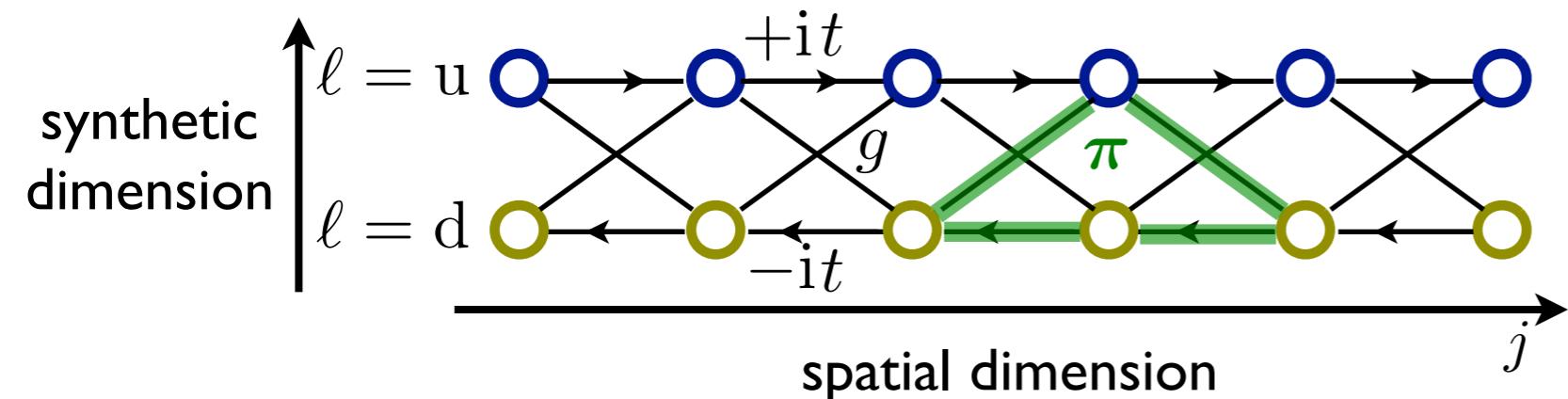
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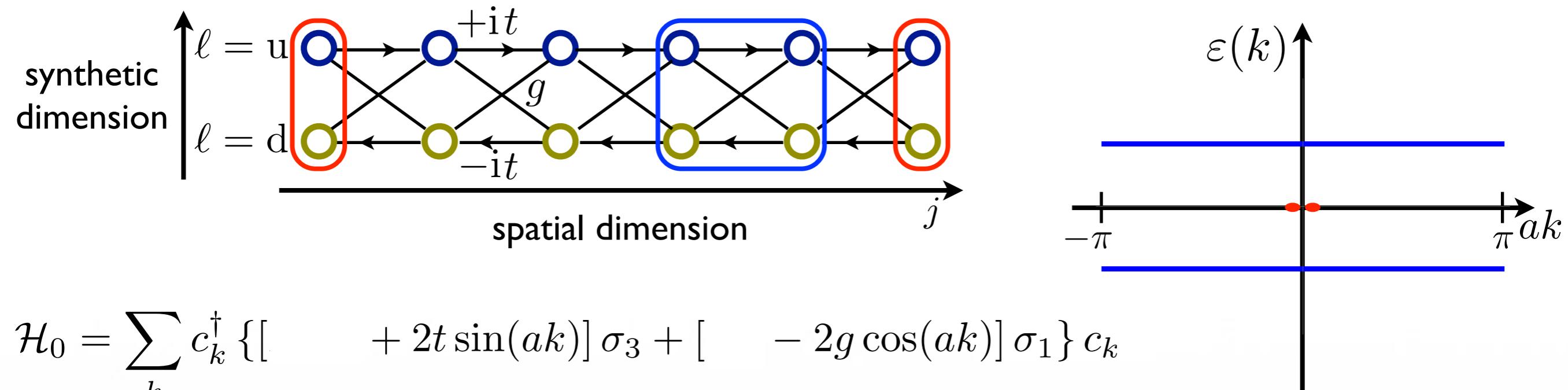
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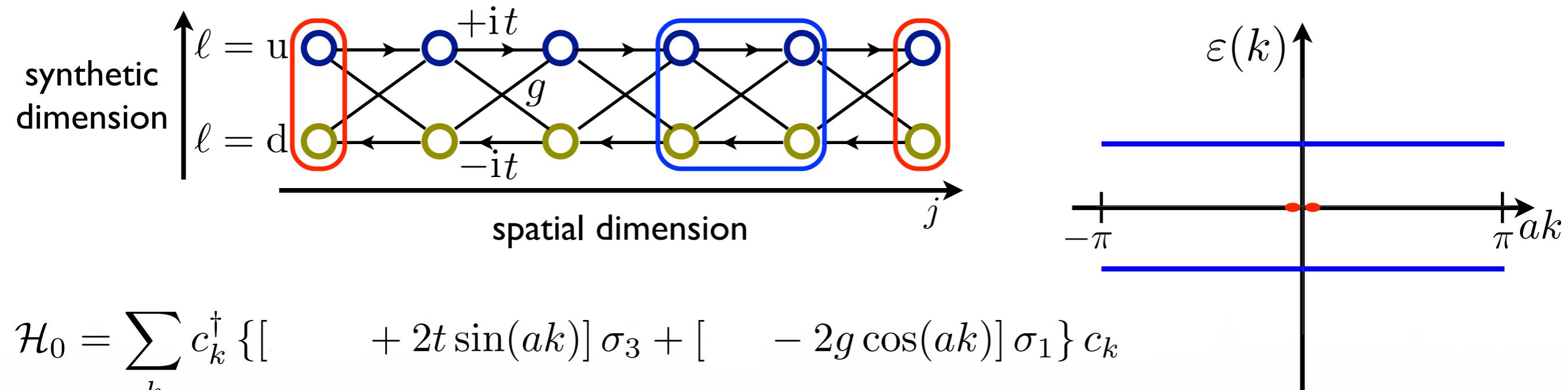
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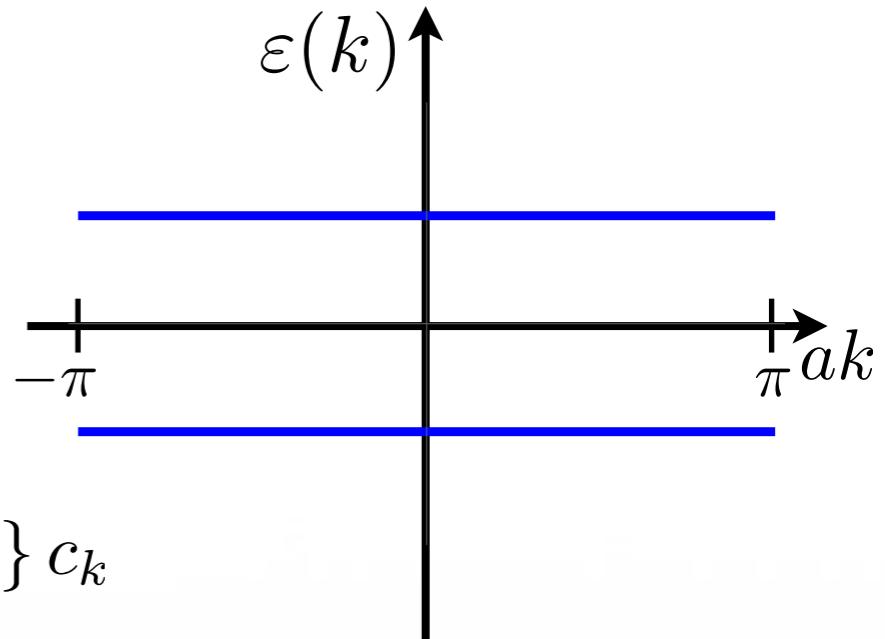
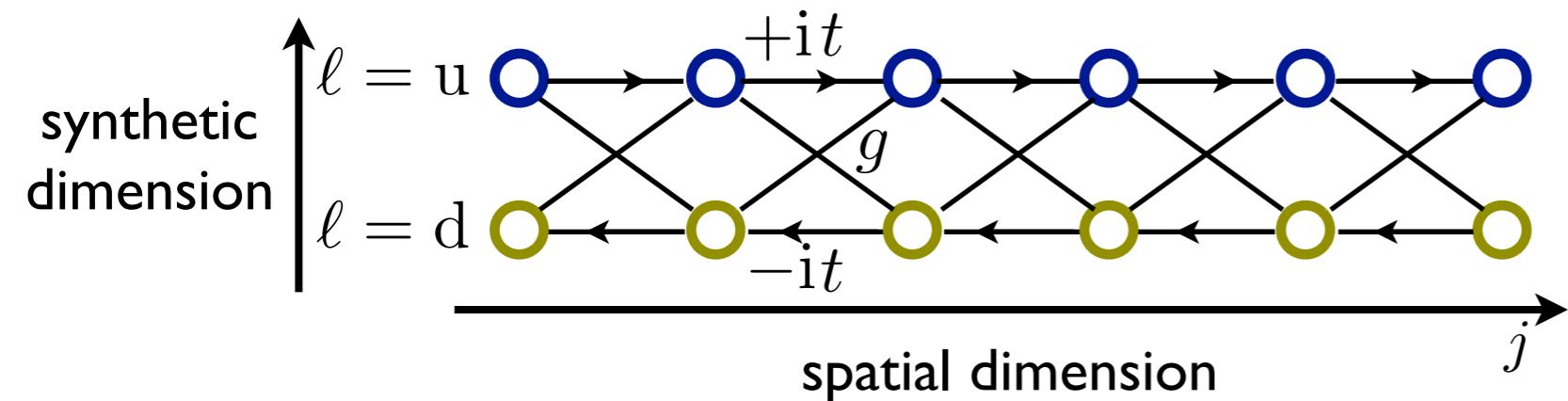
a workhorse for flat-band & SPT physics:

- Tovmasyan, van Nieuwenburg, & Huber, PRB **88**, 220510(R) (2013)
- Takayoshi, Katsura, Watanabe, & Aoki, PRA **88**, 063613 (2013)
- Huber & Altman, PRB **82**, 184502 (2010)
- Tovmasyan, Peotta, Törmä, & Huber, PRB **94**, 245149 (2016)
- Sticlet, Seabra, Pollmann, & Cayssol, PRB **89**, 115430 (2014)

Bragg techniques
to measure edge states
in ultracold cold atoms

Goldman, Beugnon, Gerbier,
PRL 108, 255303 (2012)

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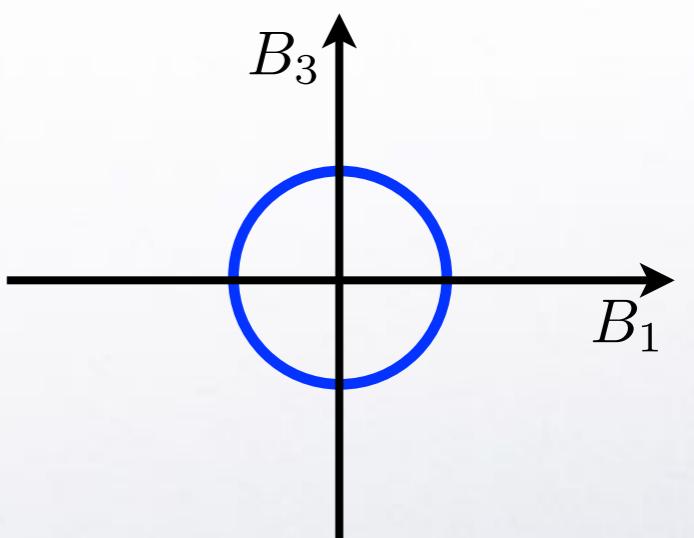
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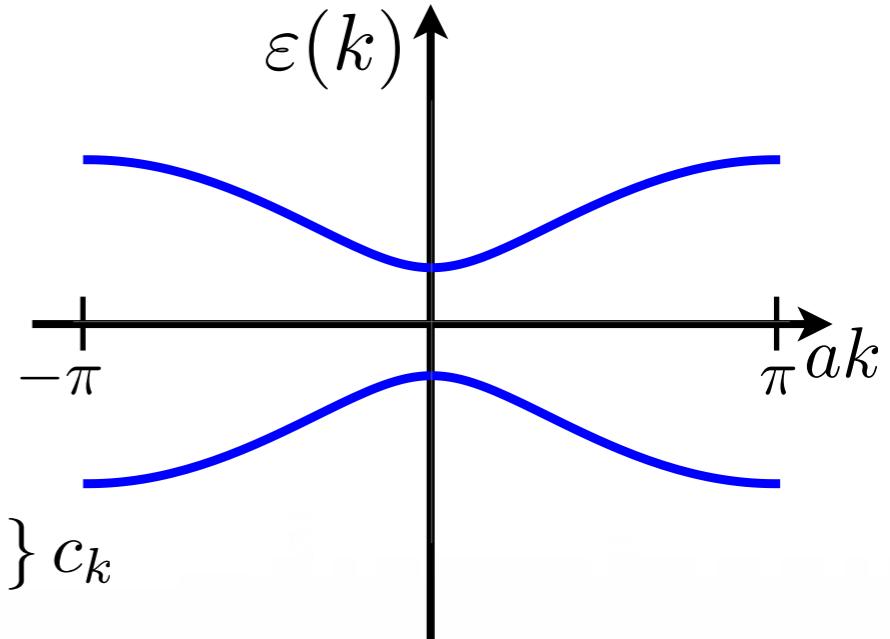
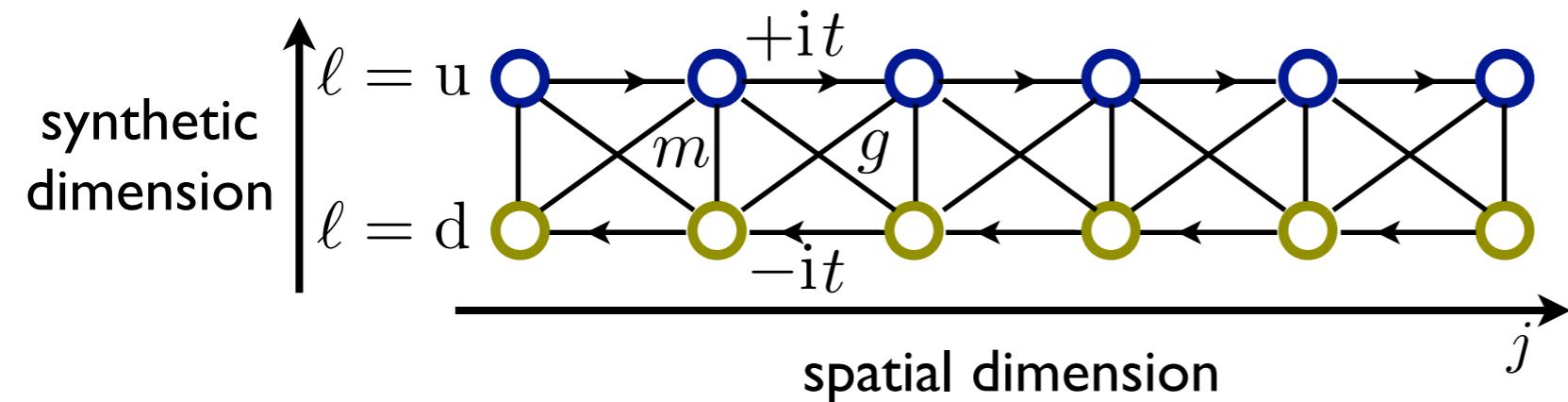
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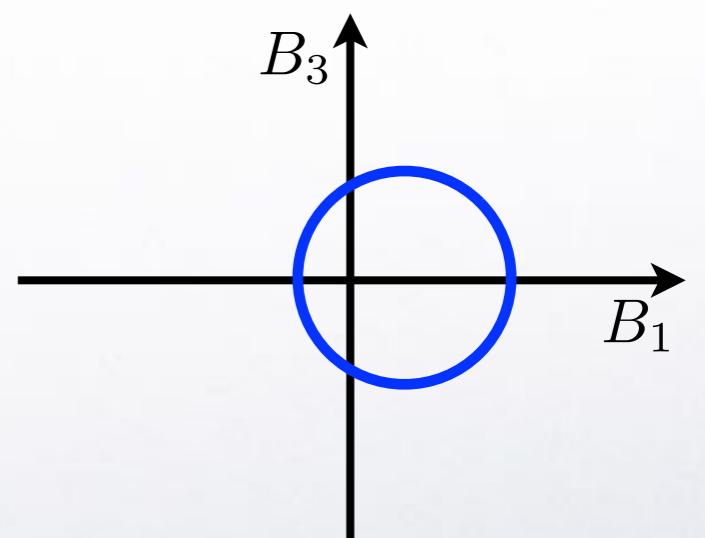
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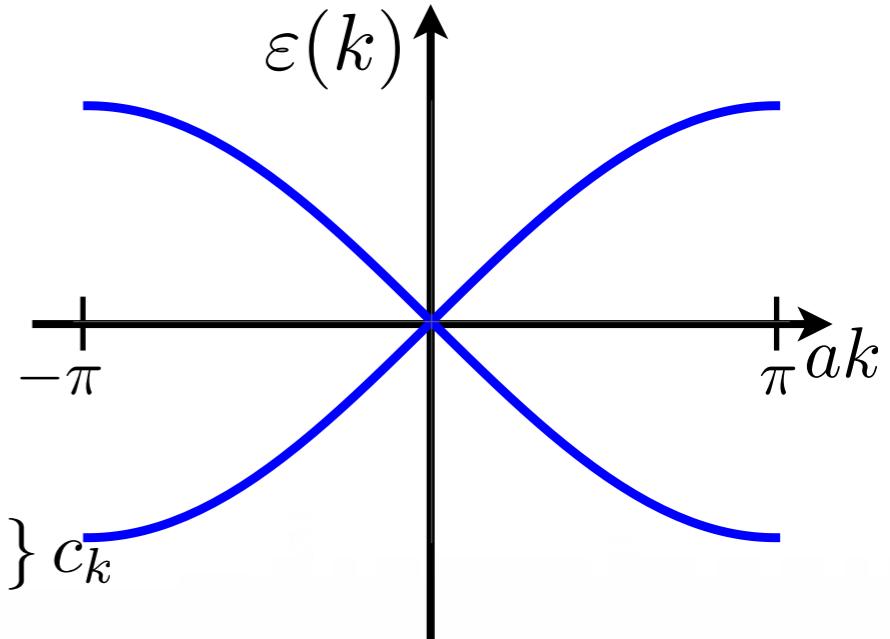
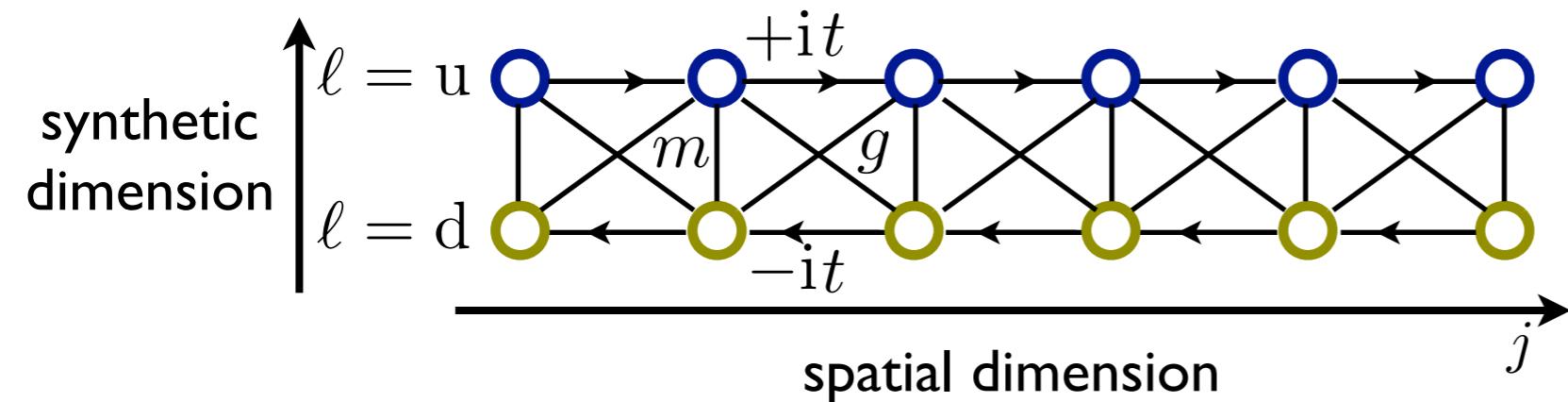
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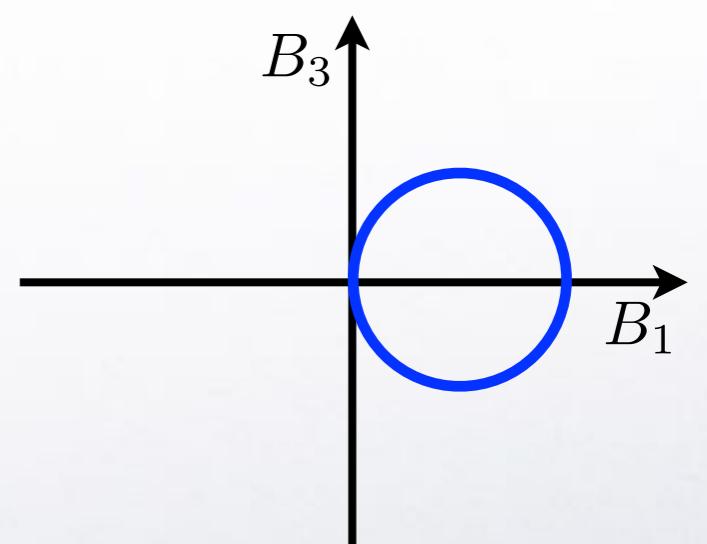
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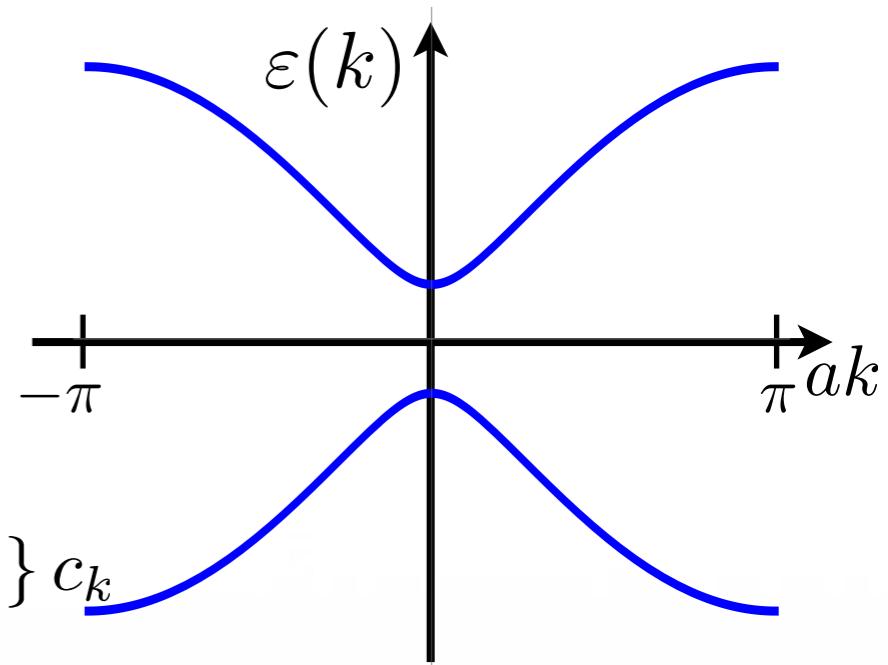
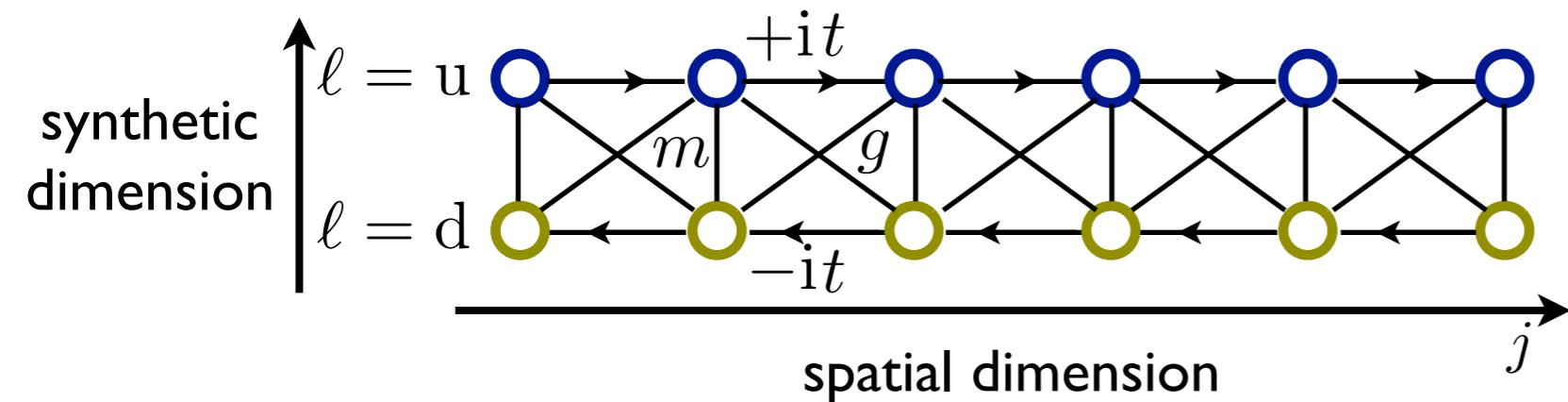
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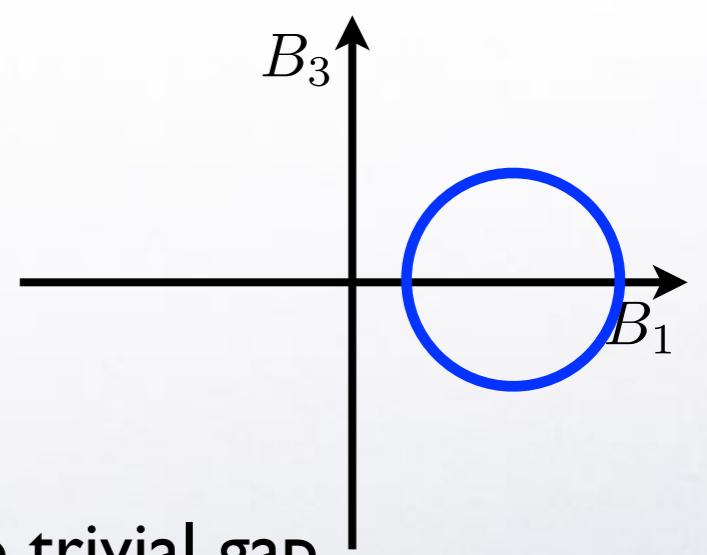
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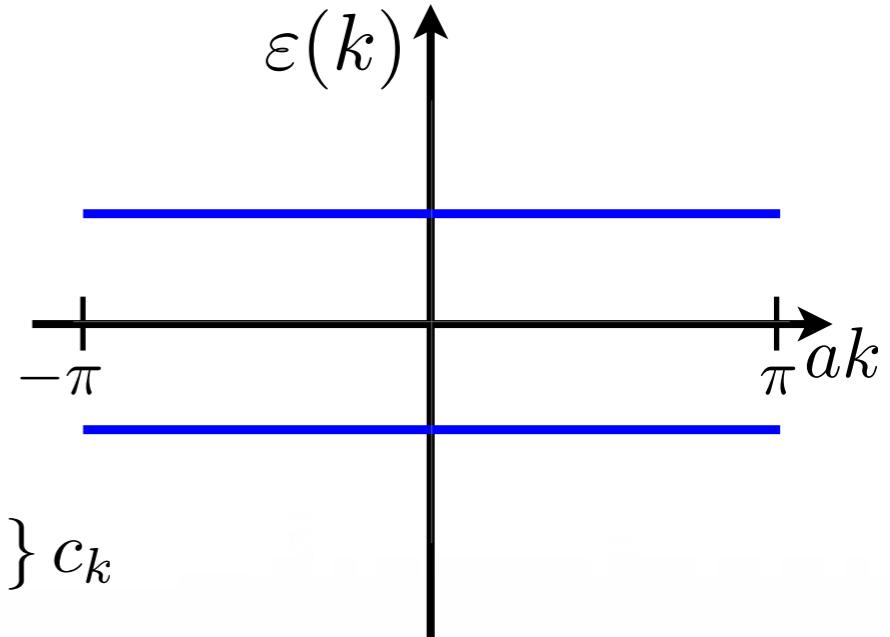
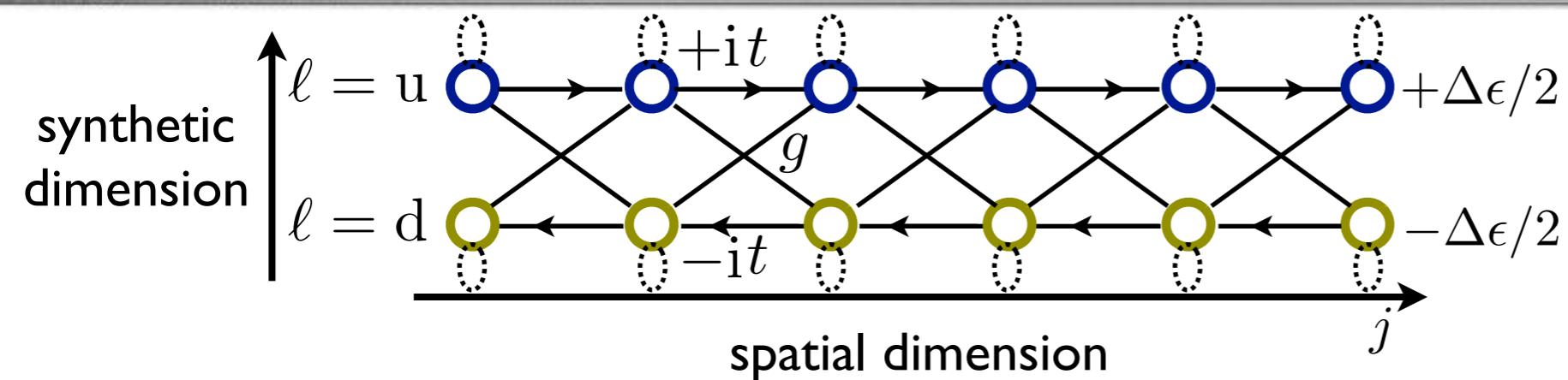


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AIII SPT phase



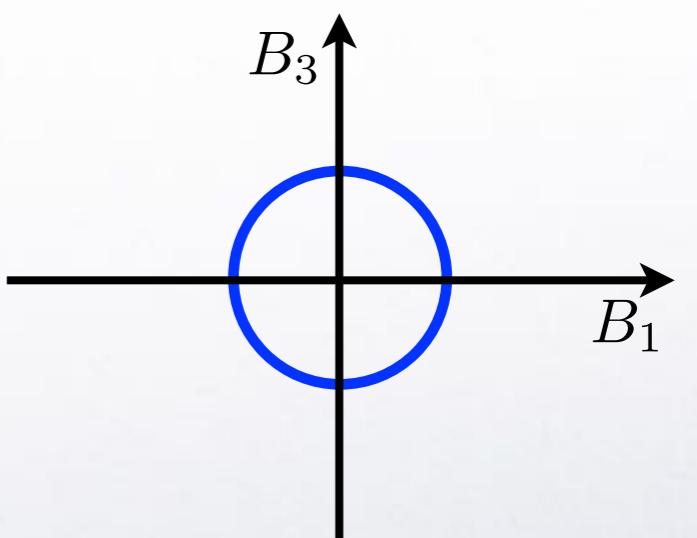
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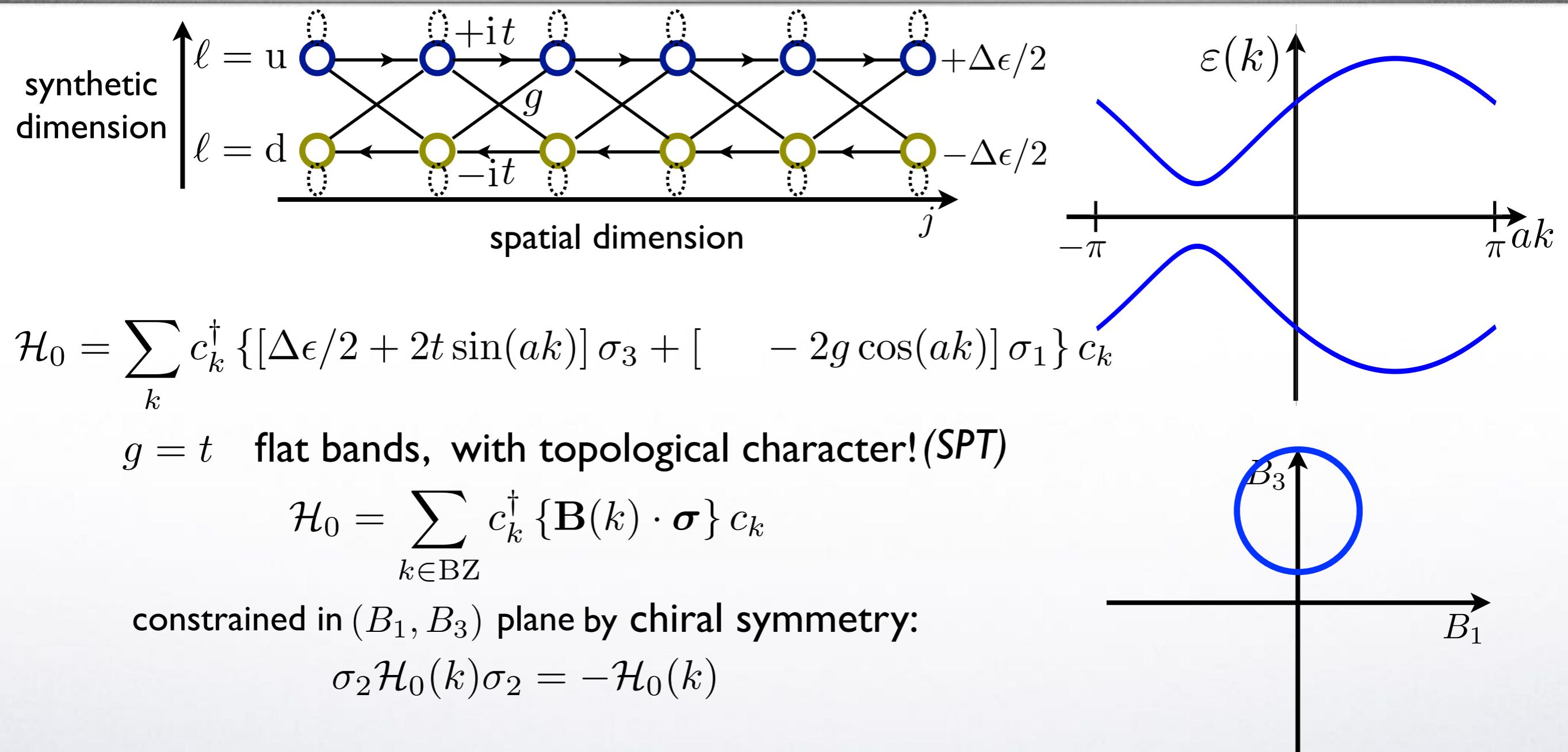
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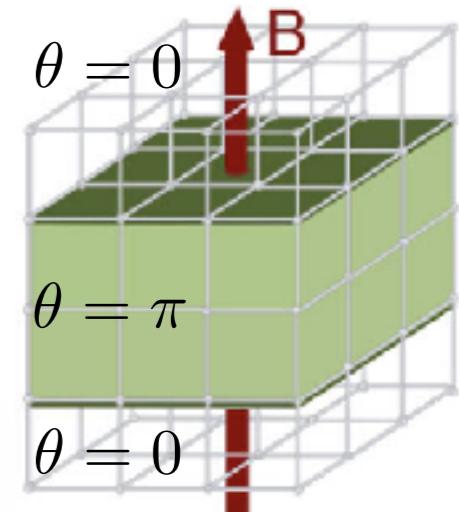
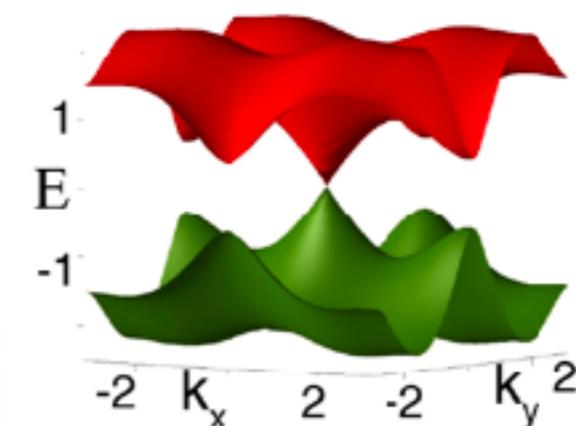
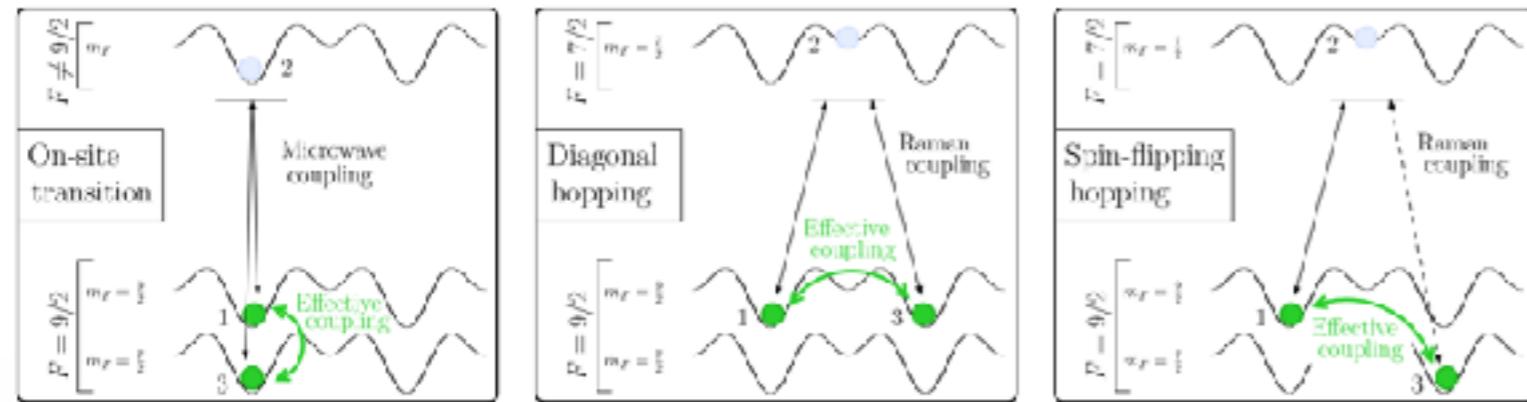
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[another scheme
Velasco, Paredes,
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Experimental schemes

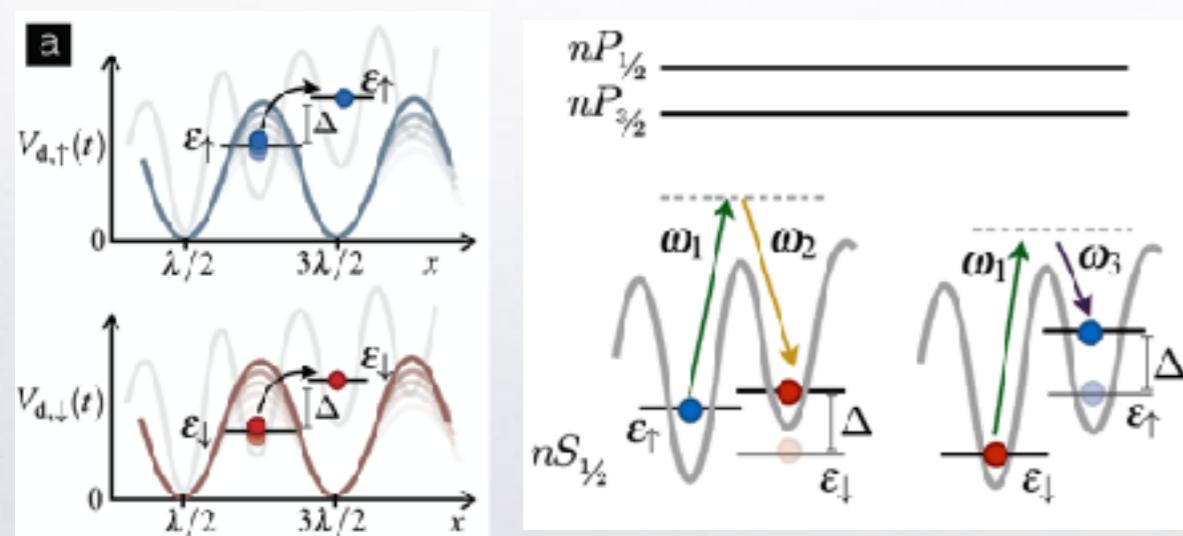
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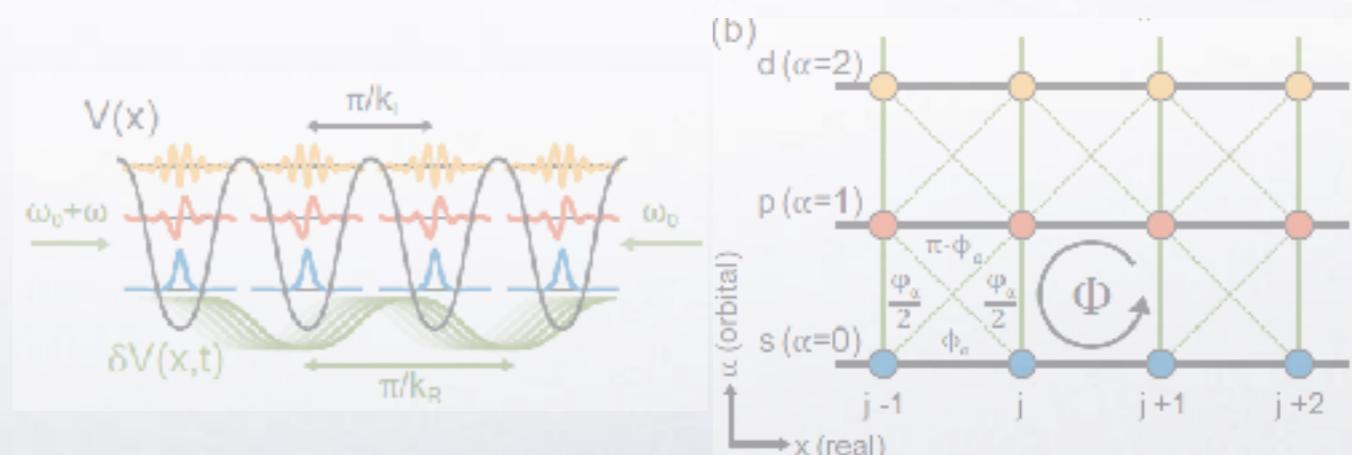
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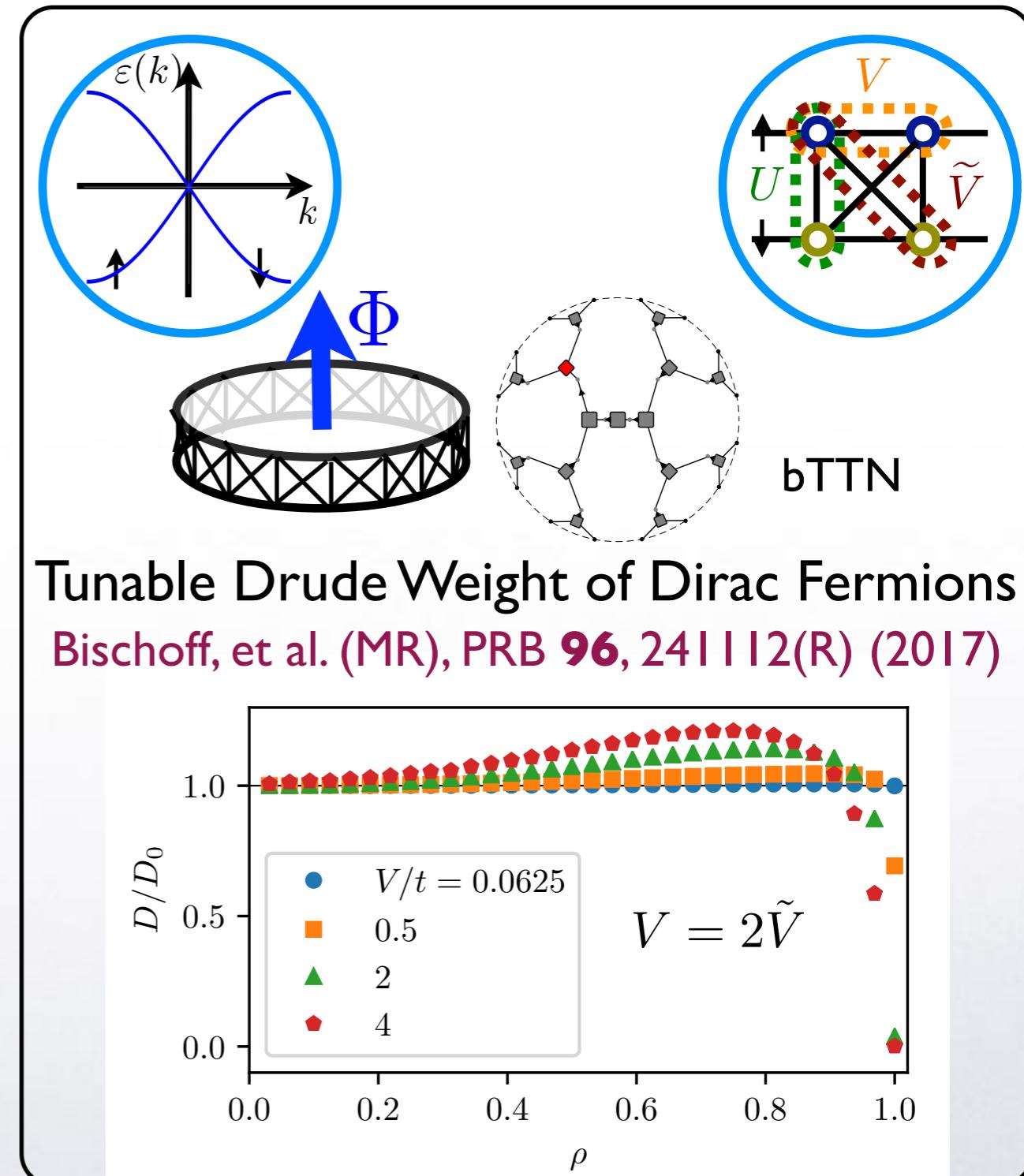
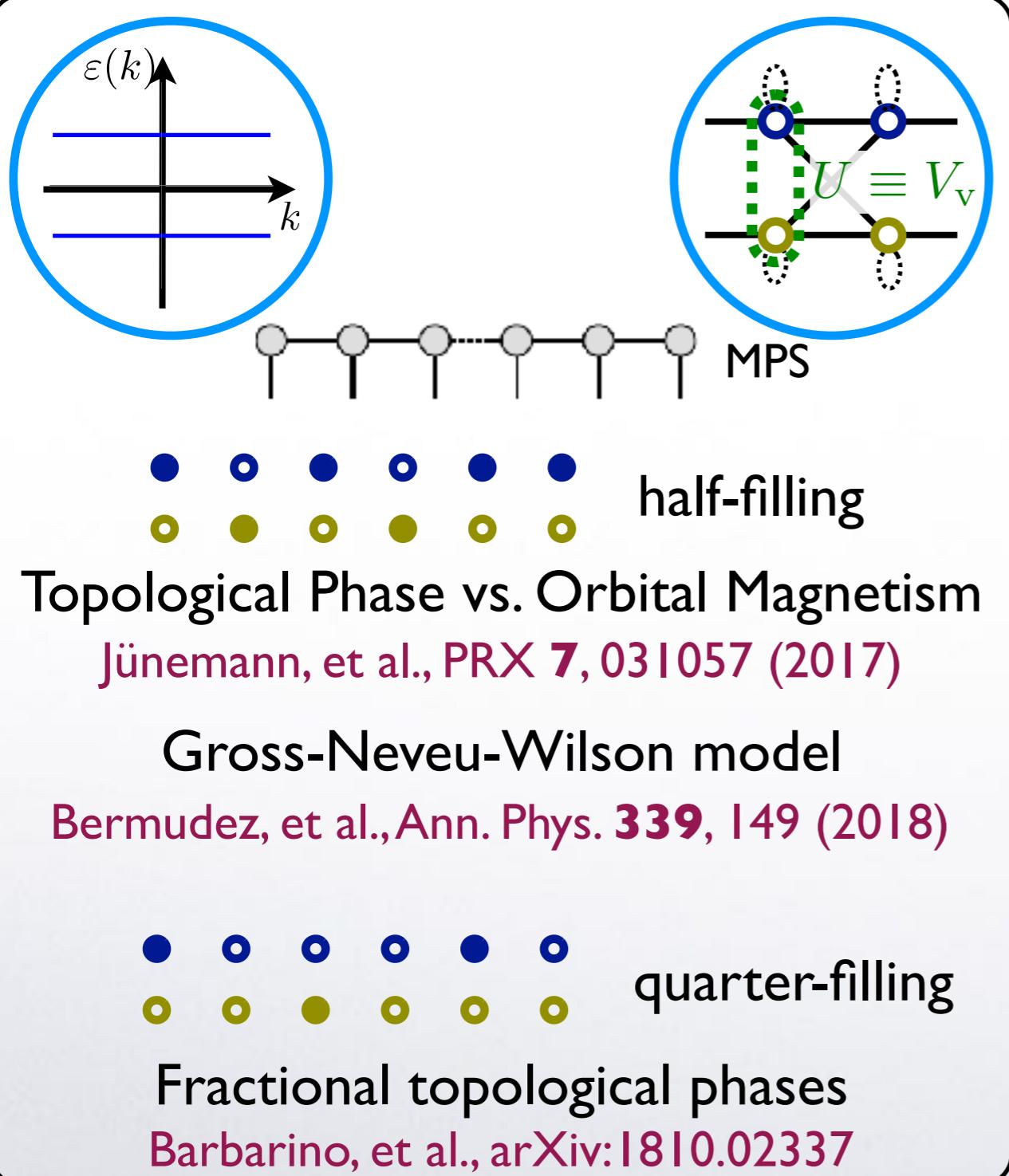
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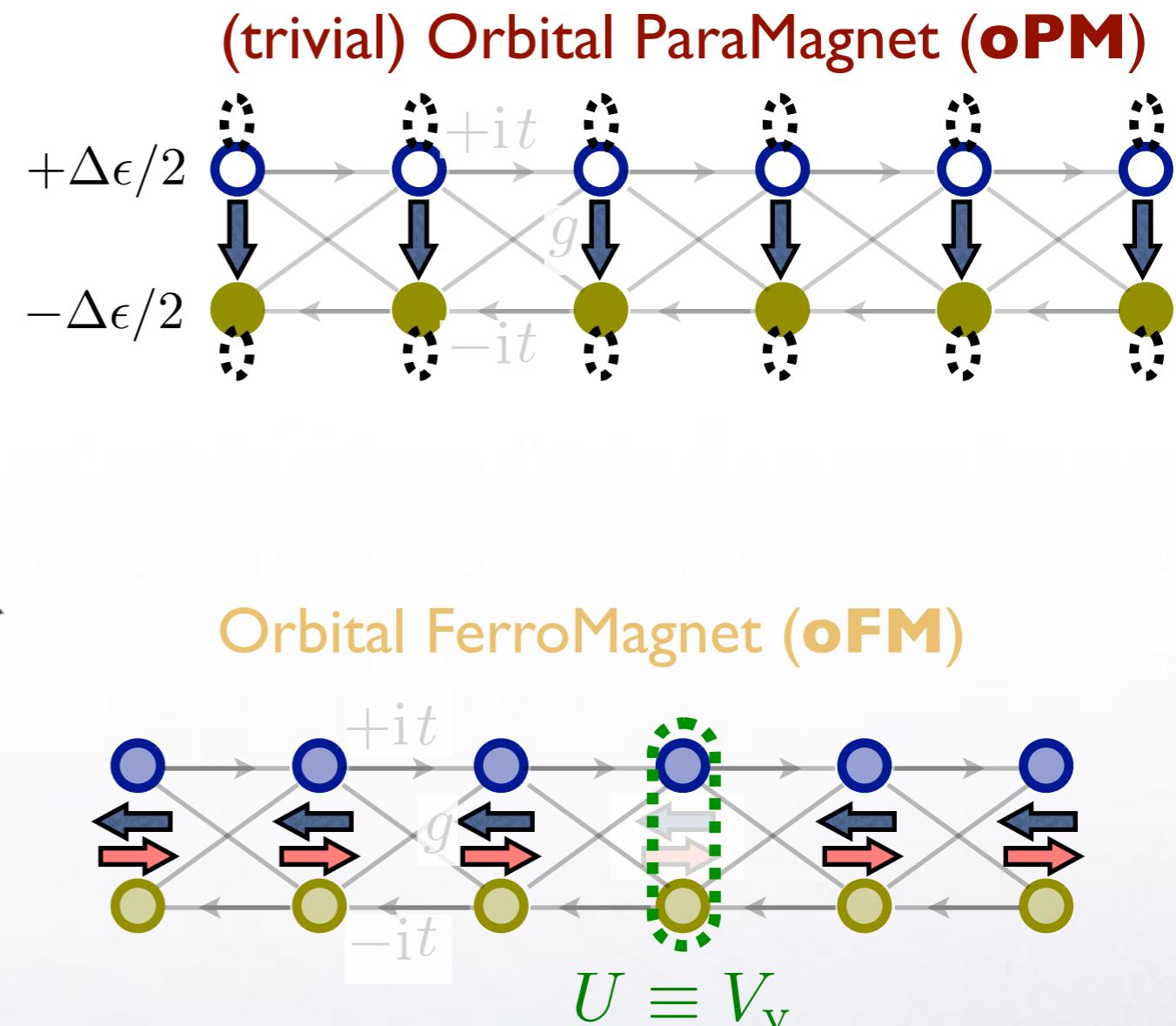
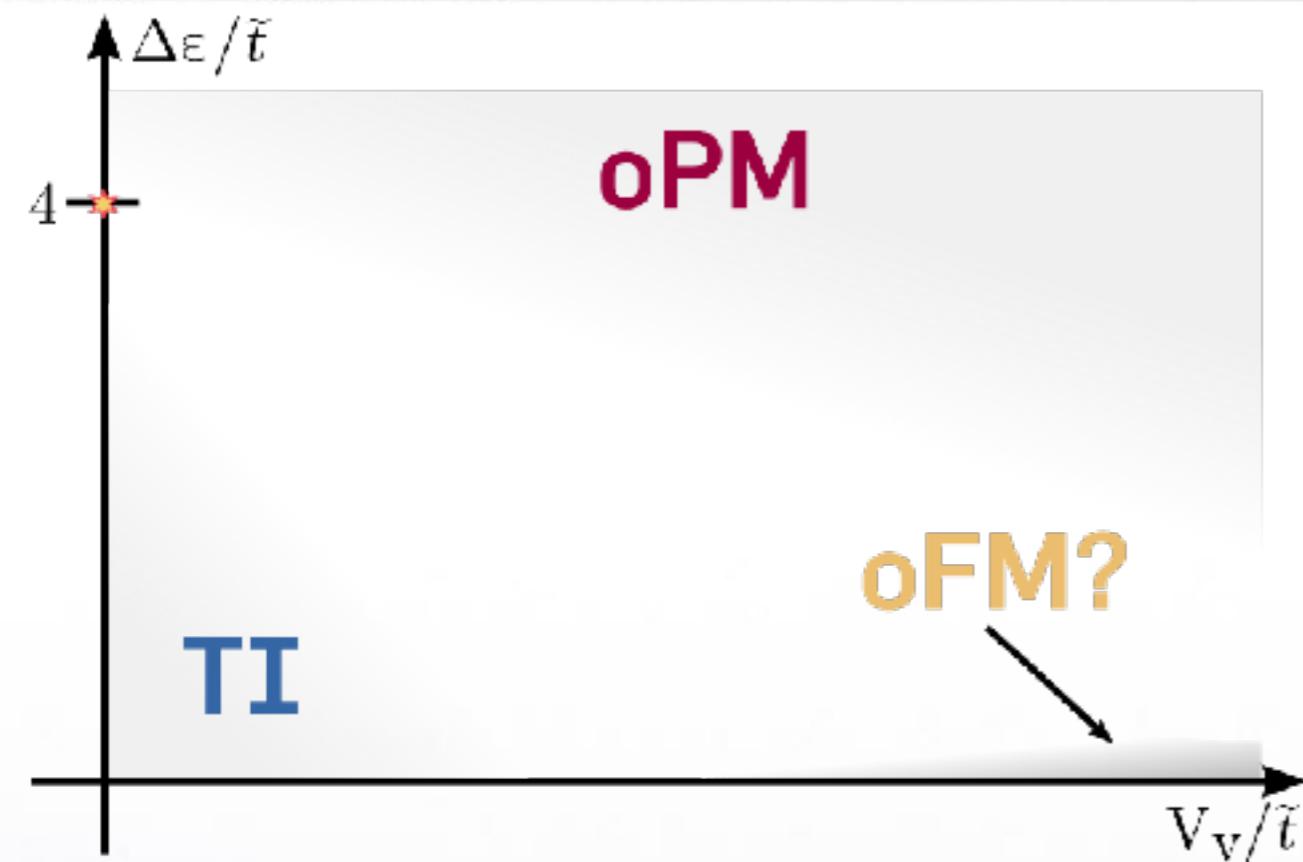
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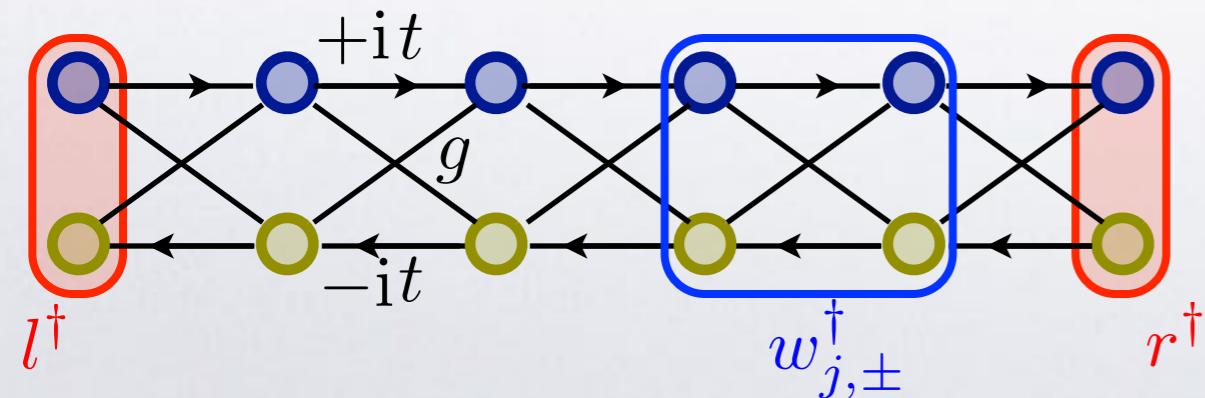
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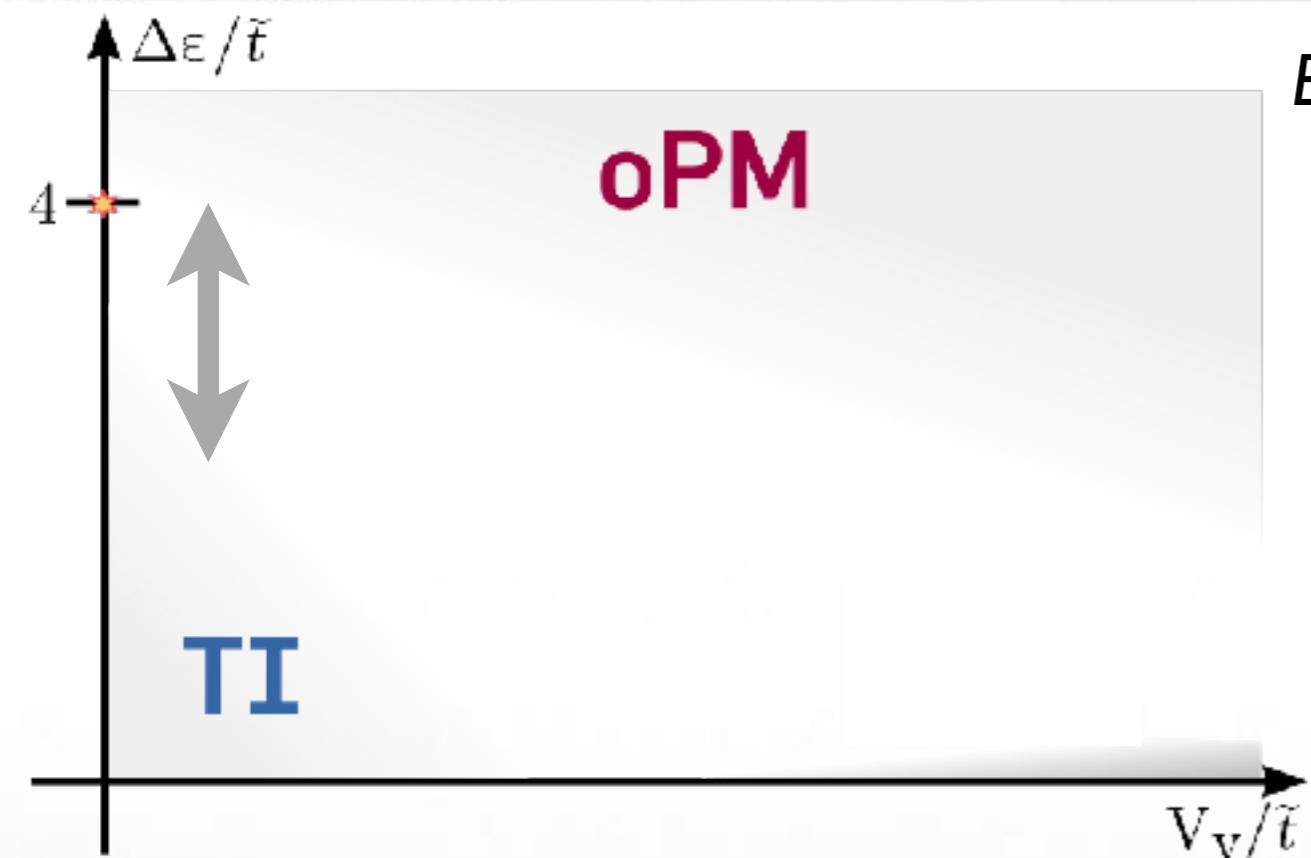
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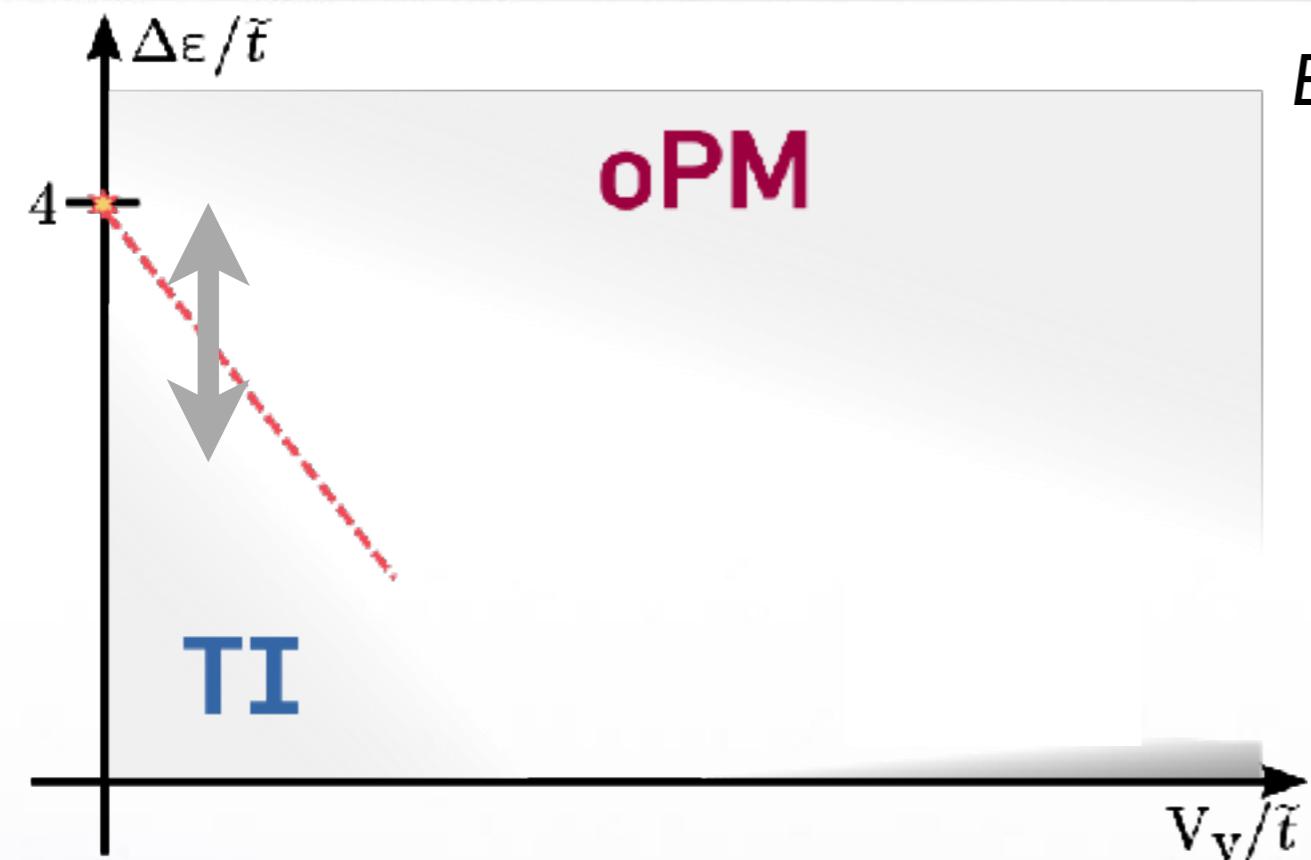
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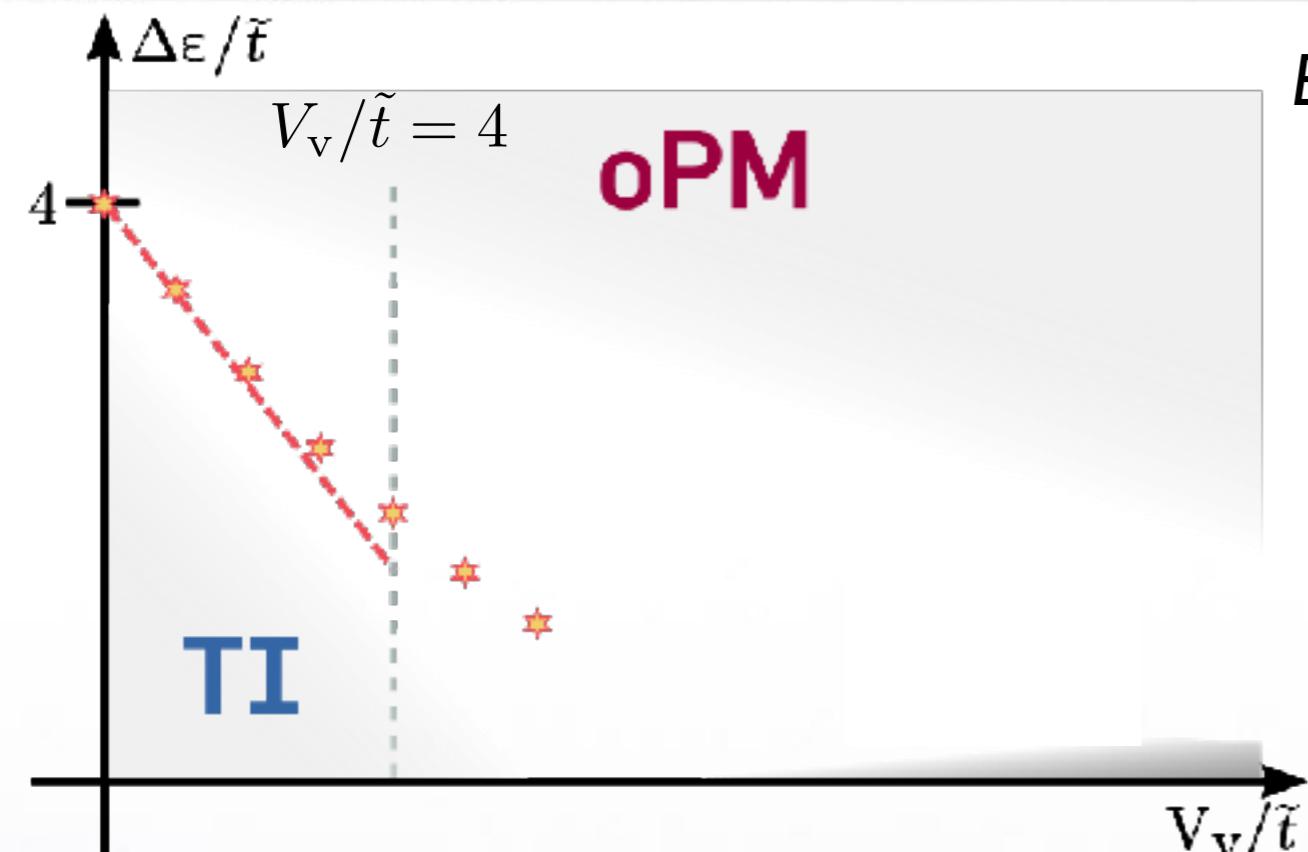
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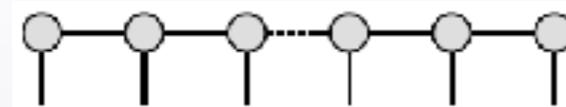
For a more complete **RG treatment**
(possibly extensible to more than 1D)

Tirrito, et al. (MR), arXiv:1812.05973 - PRB in press

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MPS calculations $N = 8 \dots 256$



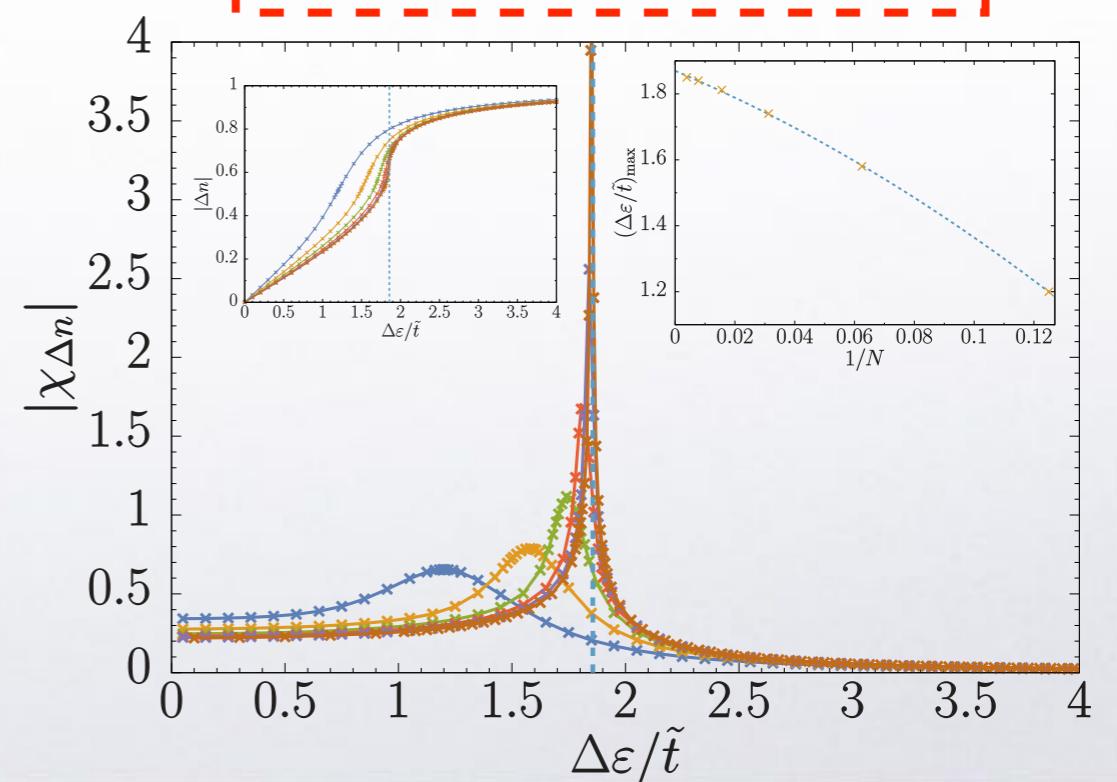
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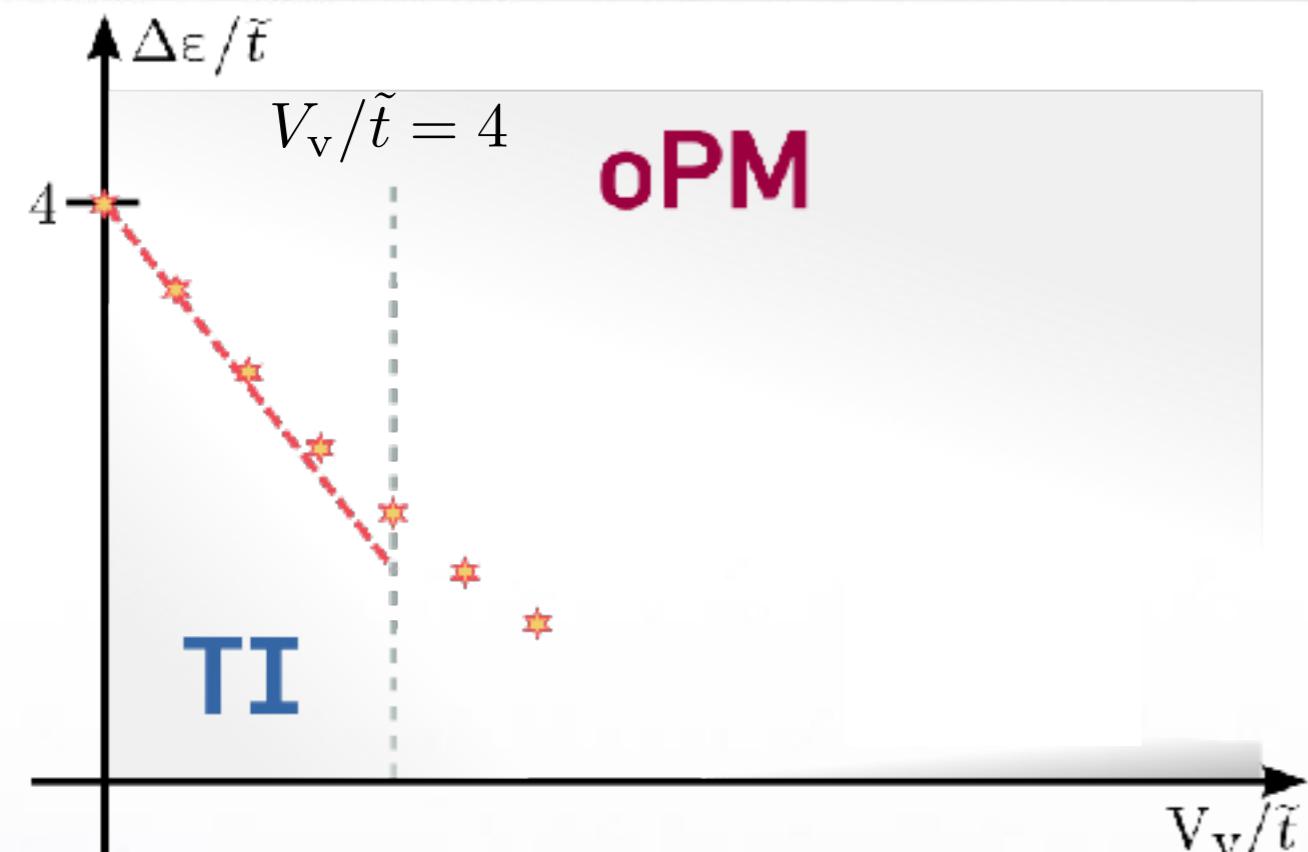
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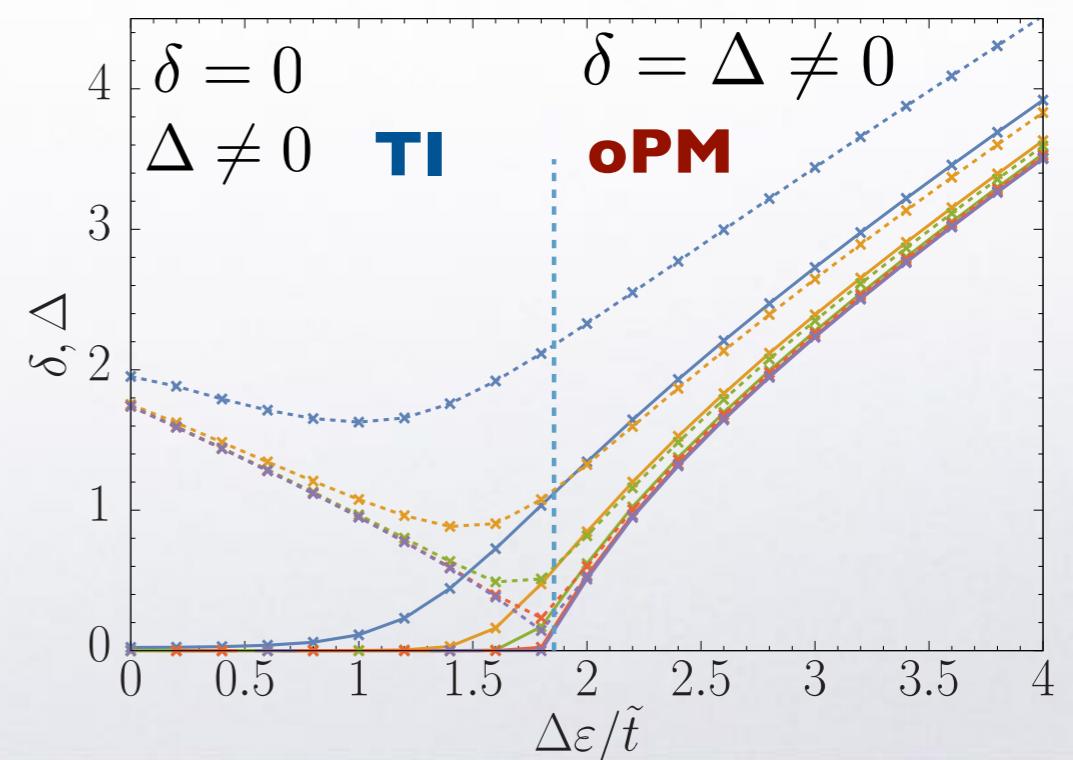
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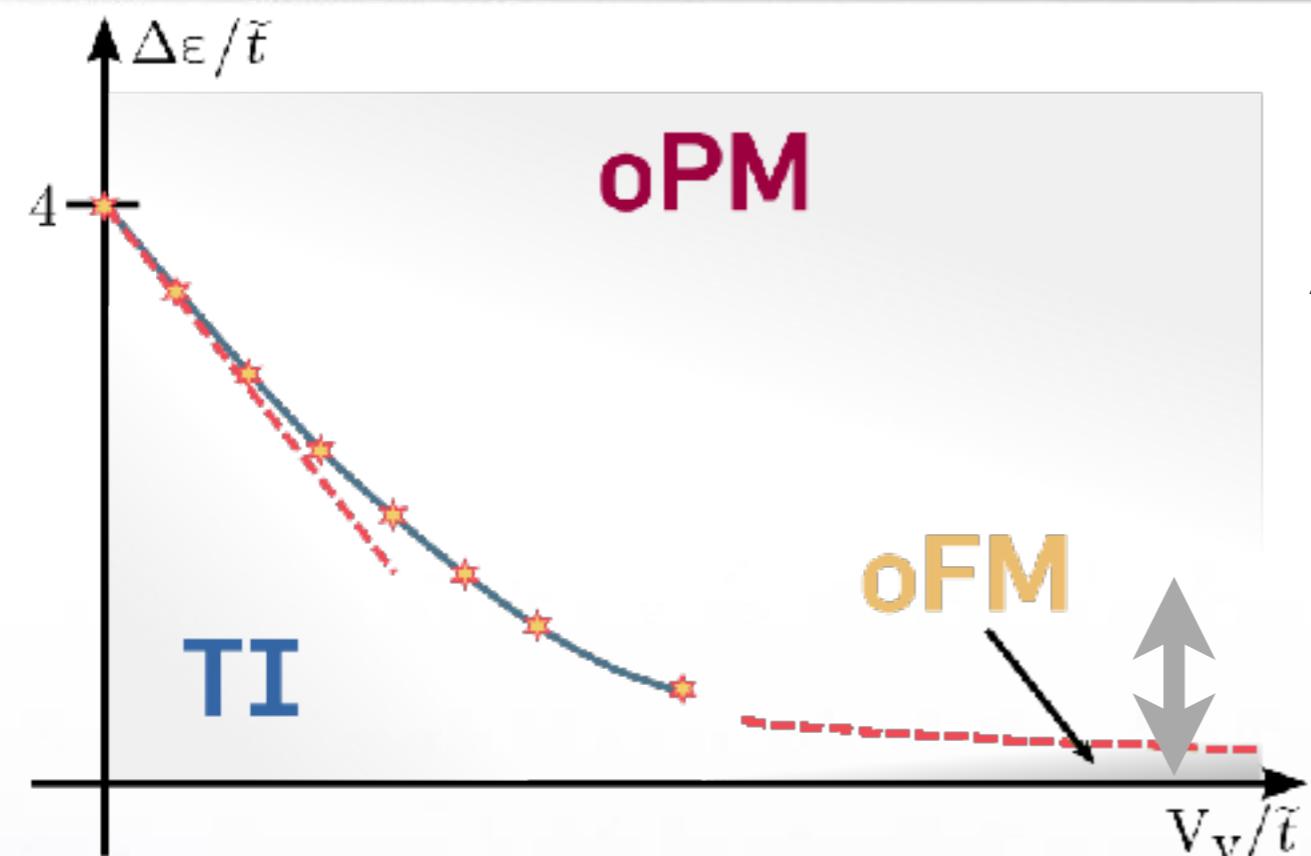
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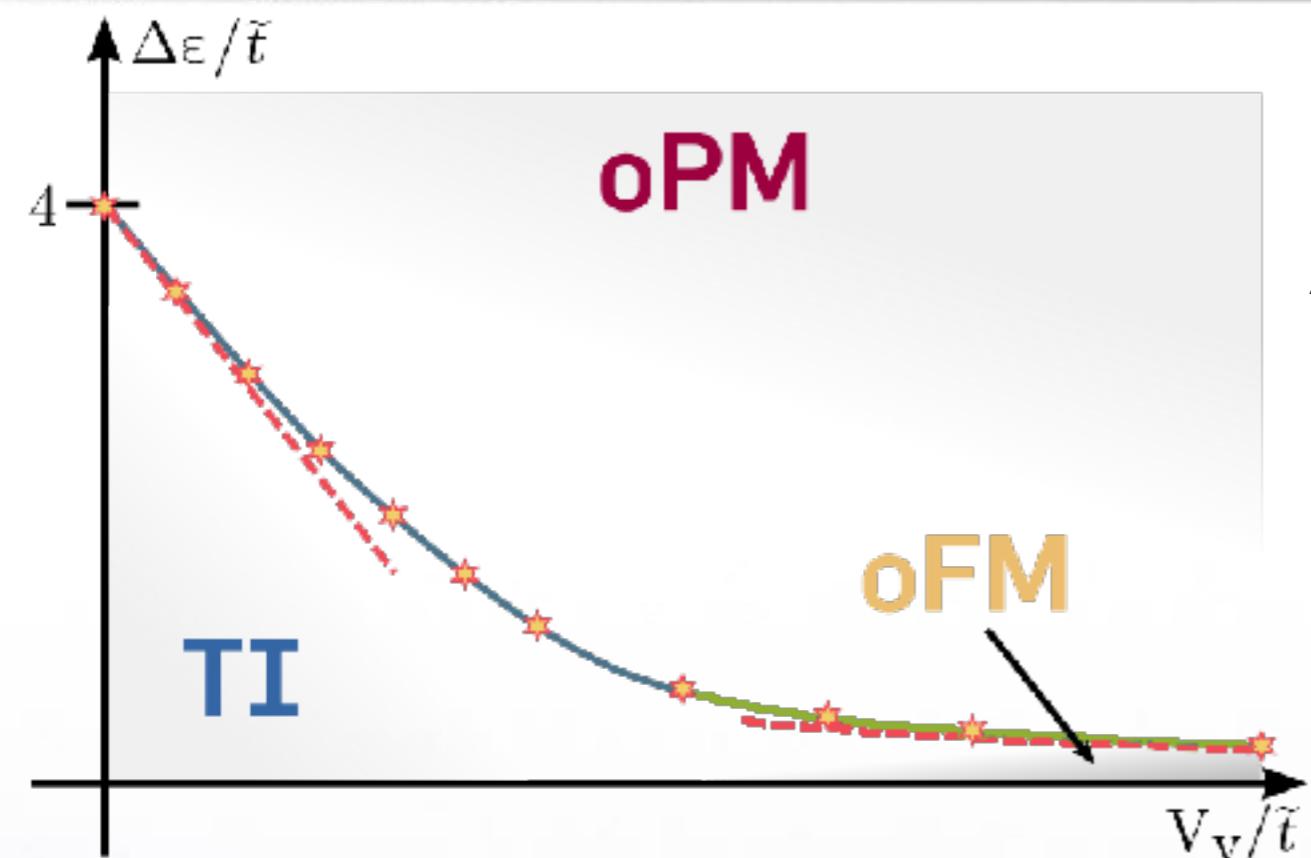
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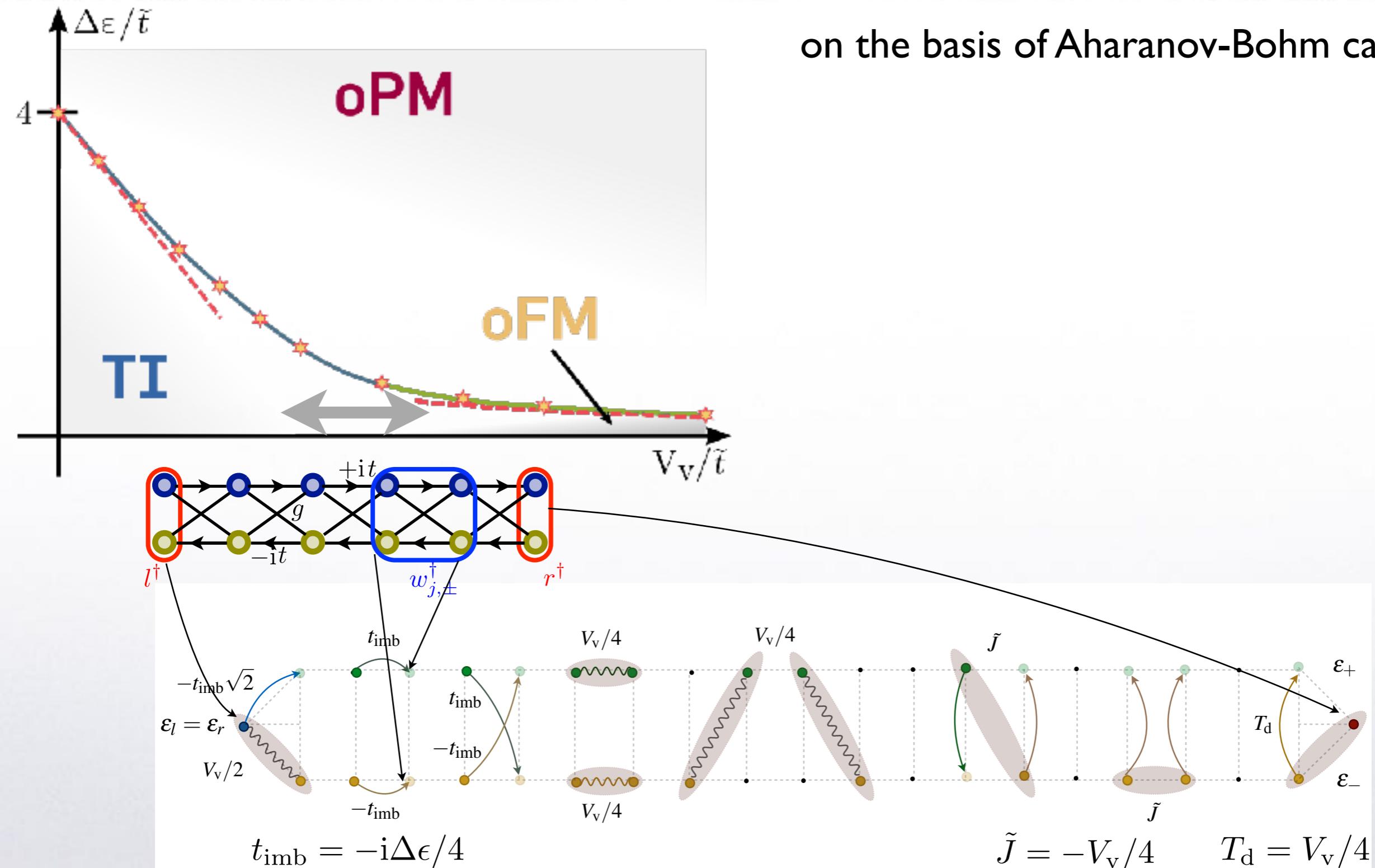
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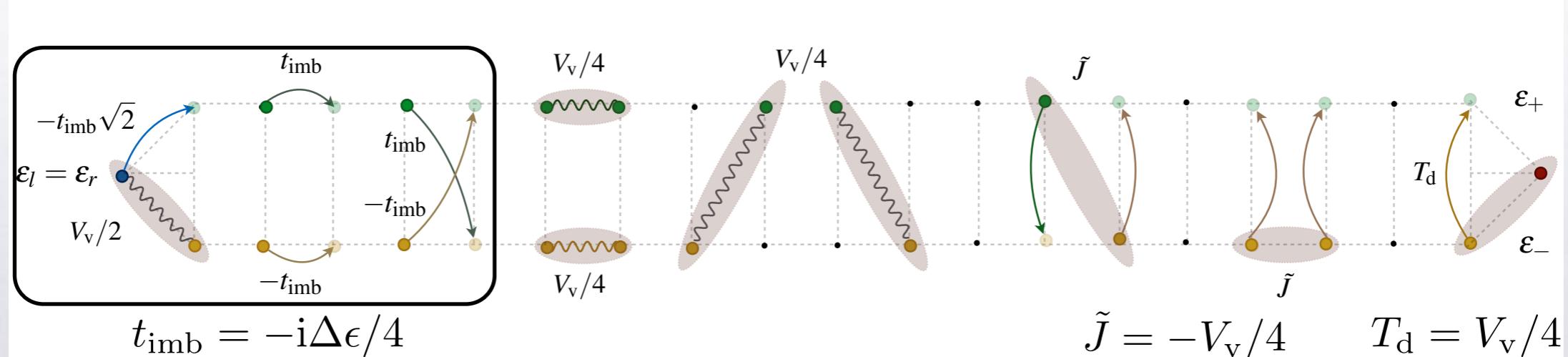
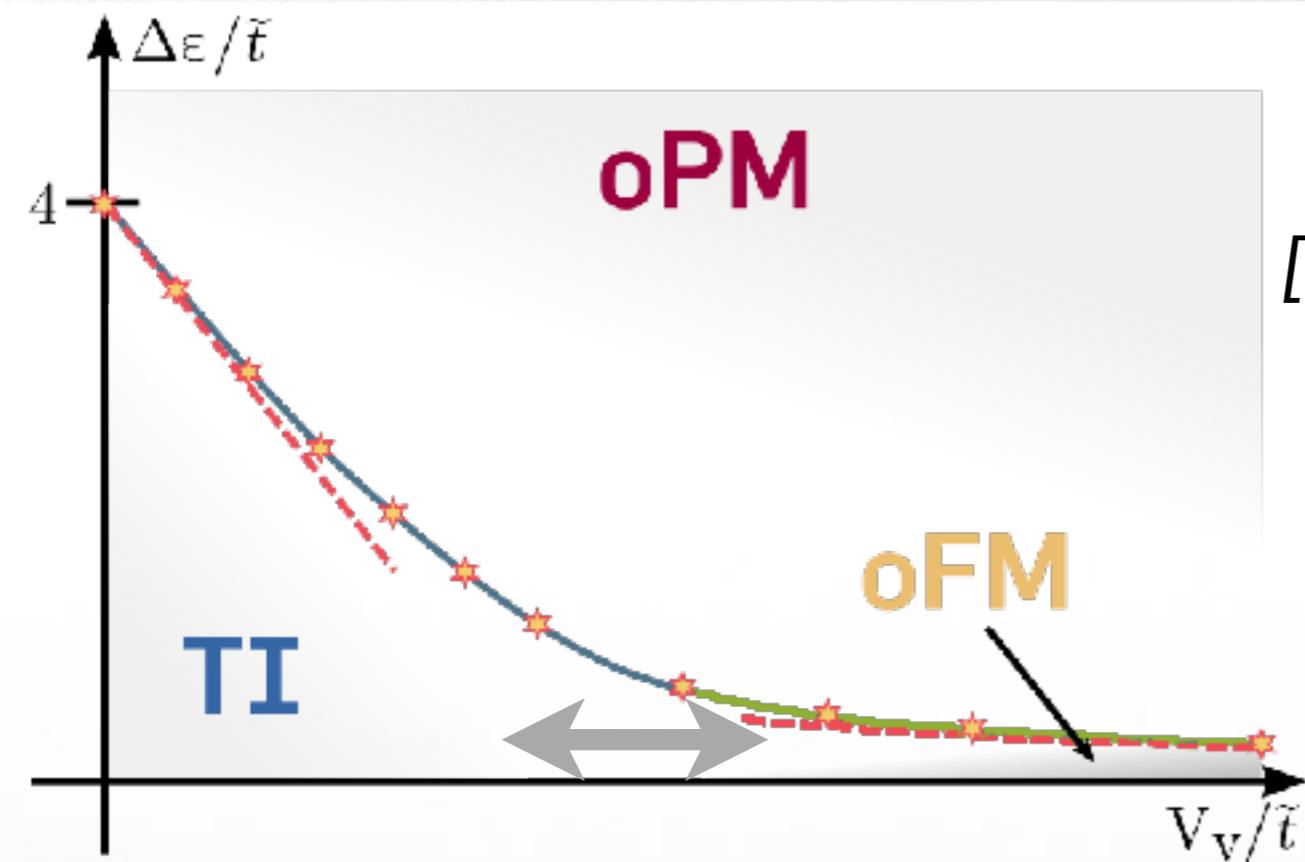
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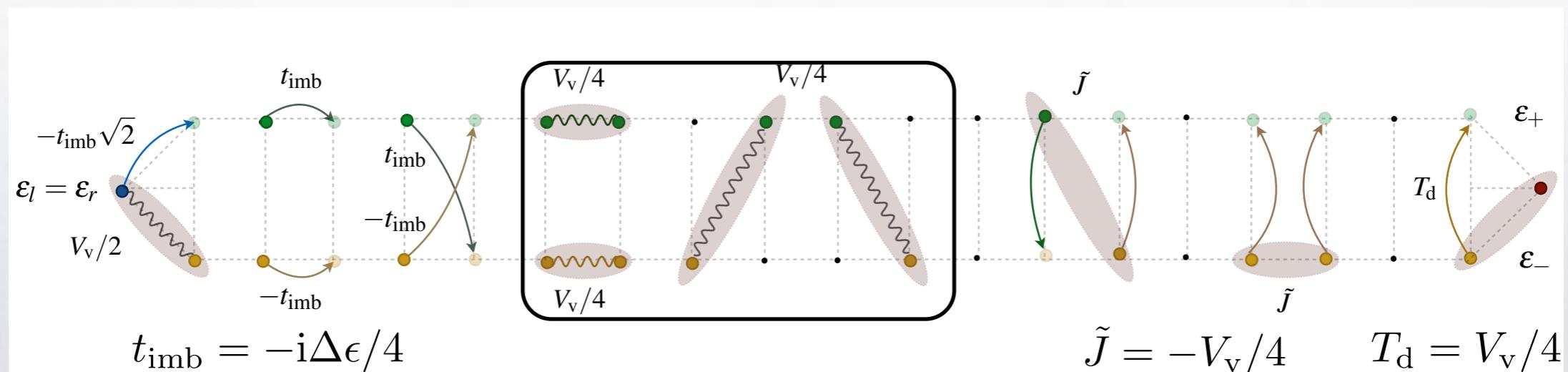
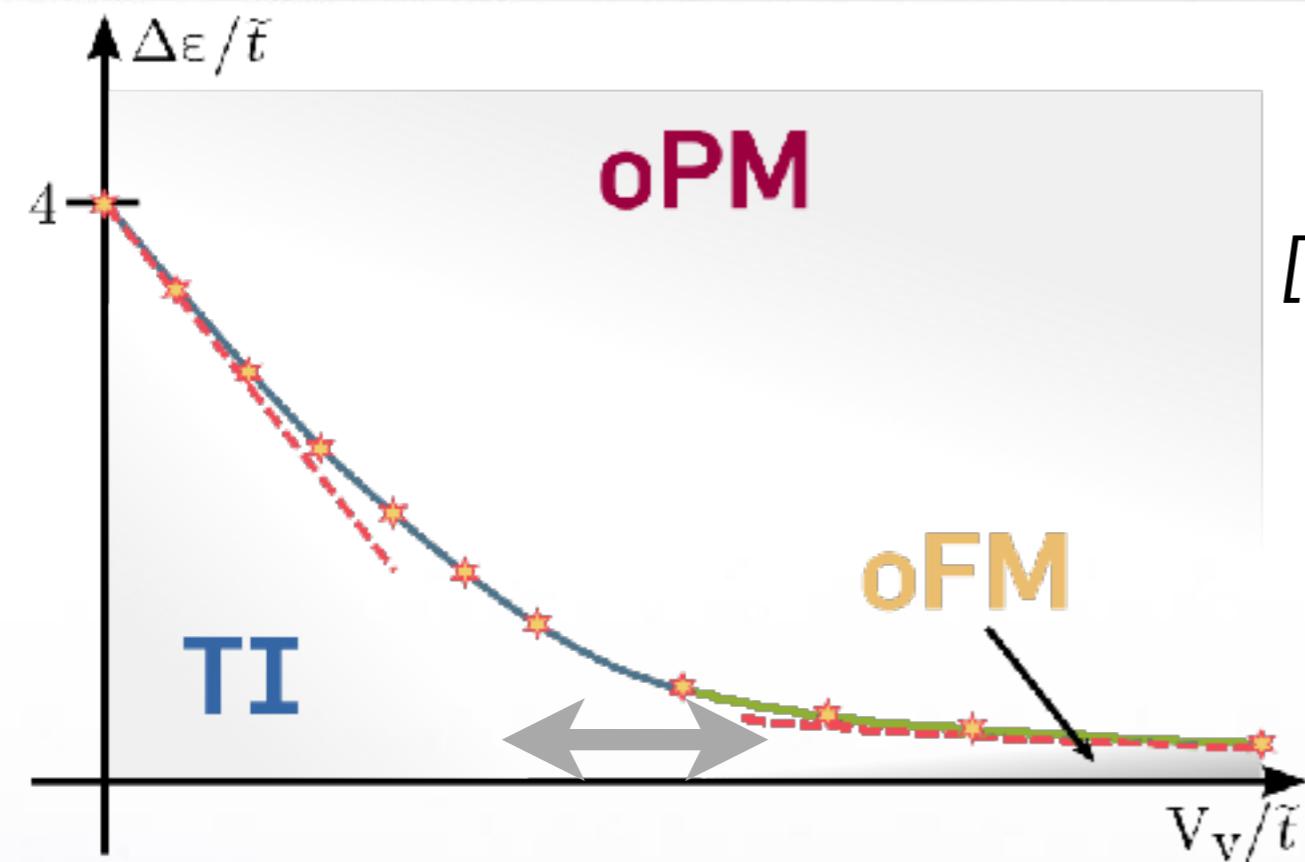
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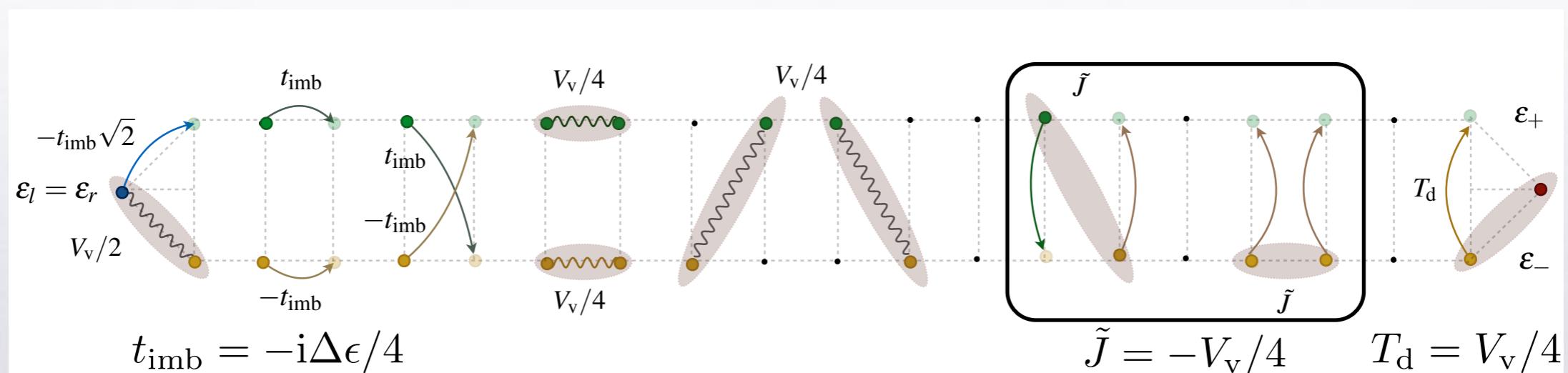
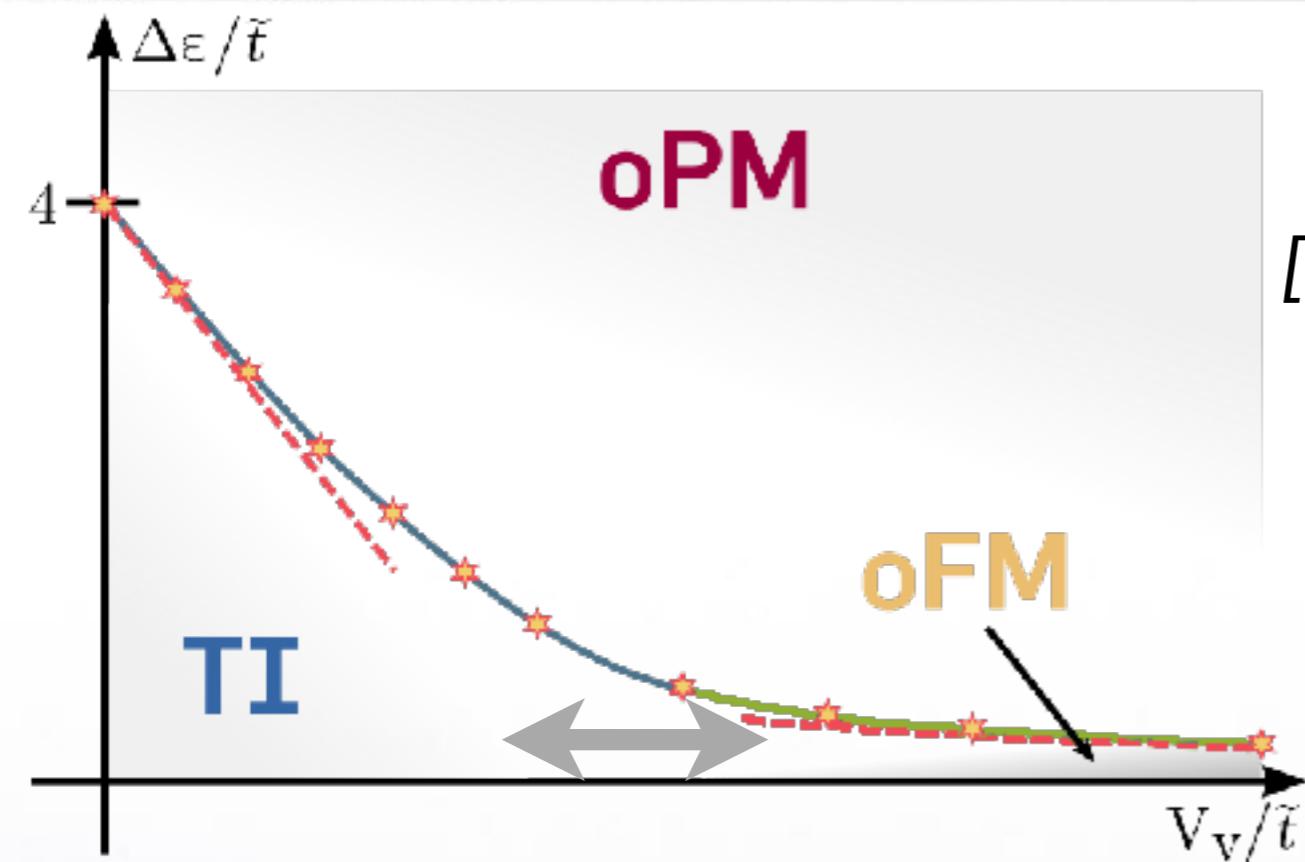
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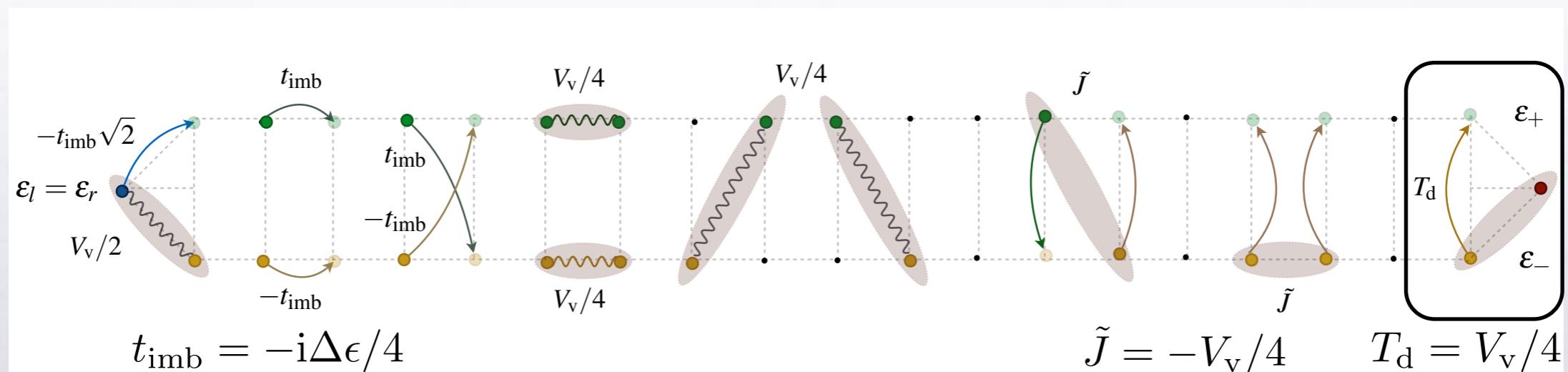
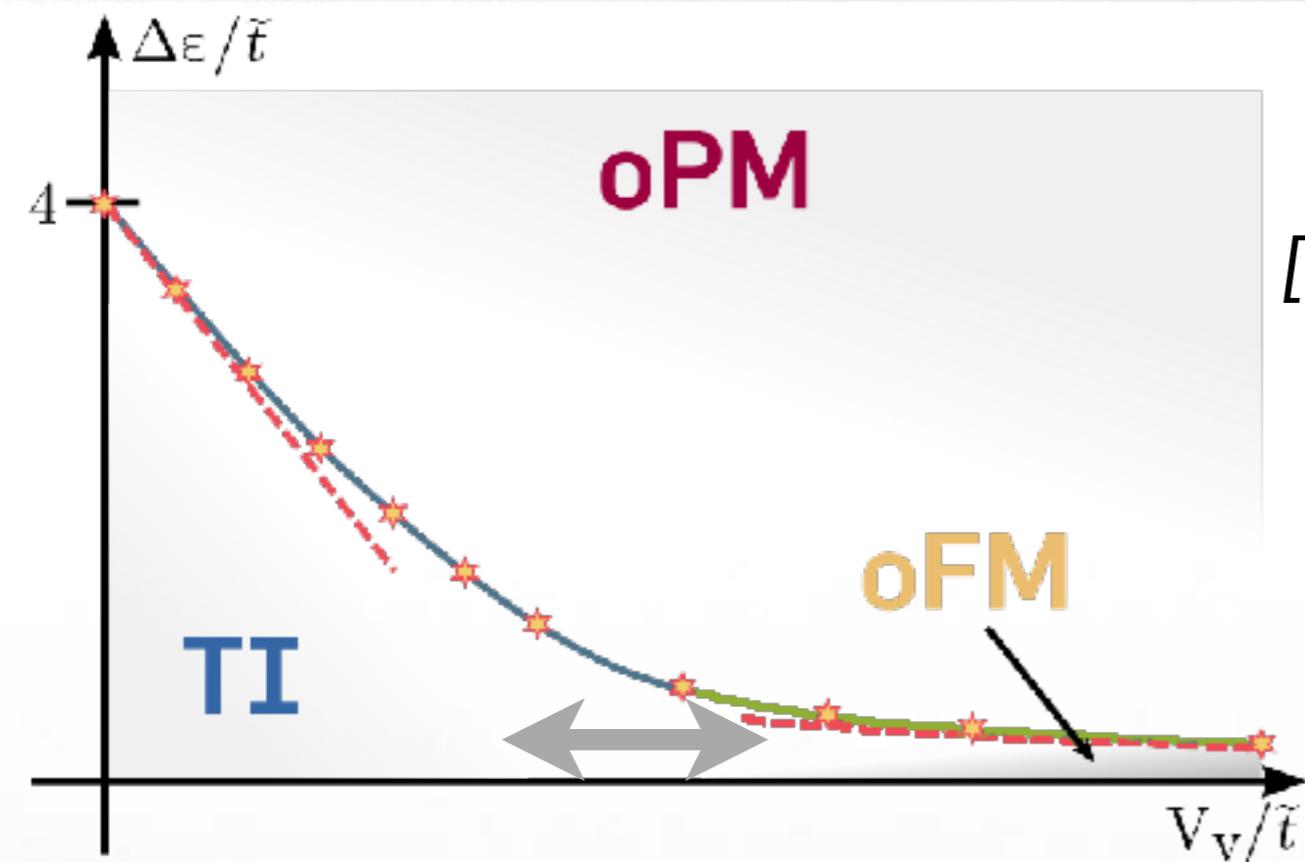
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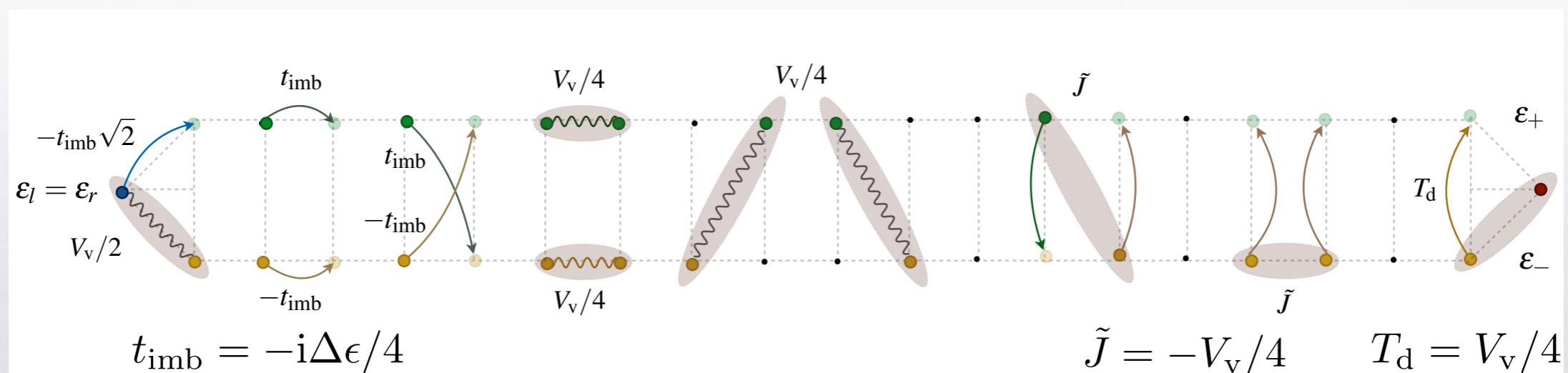
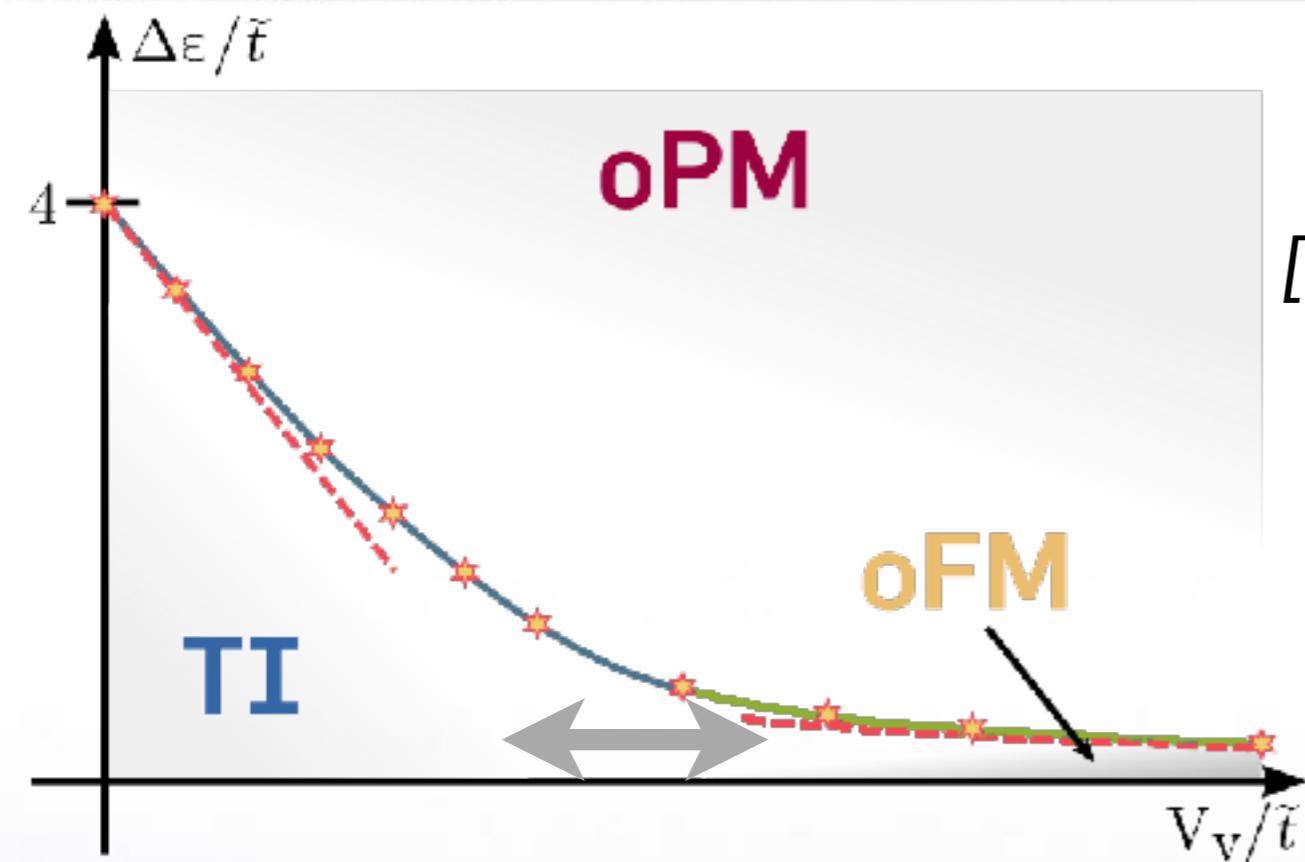
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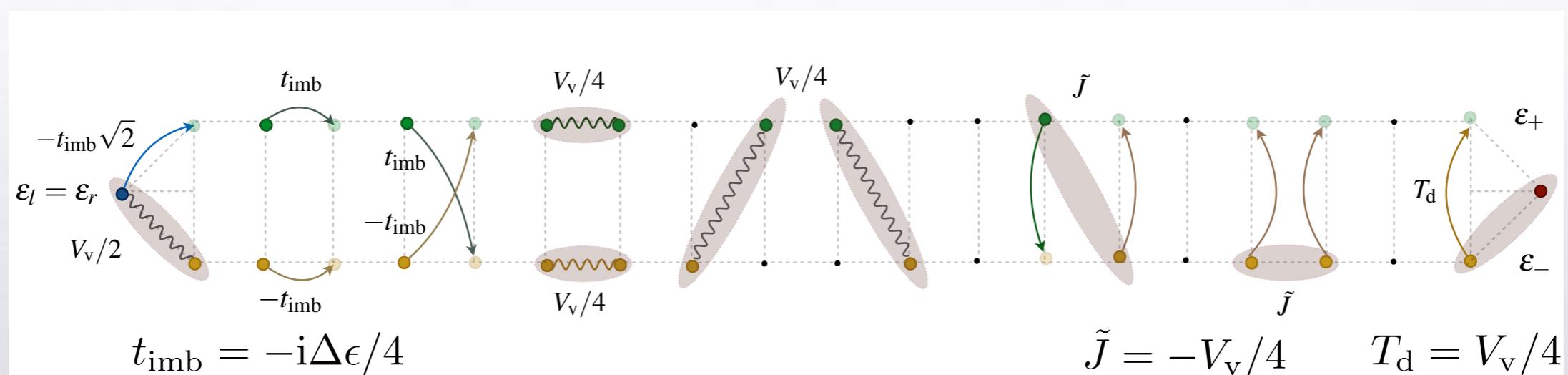
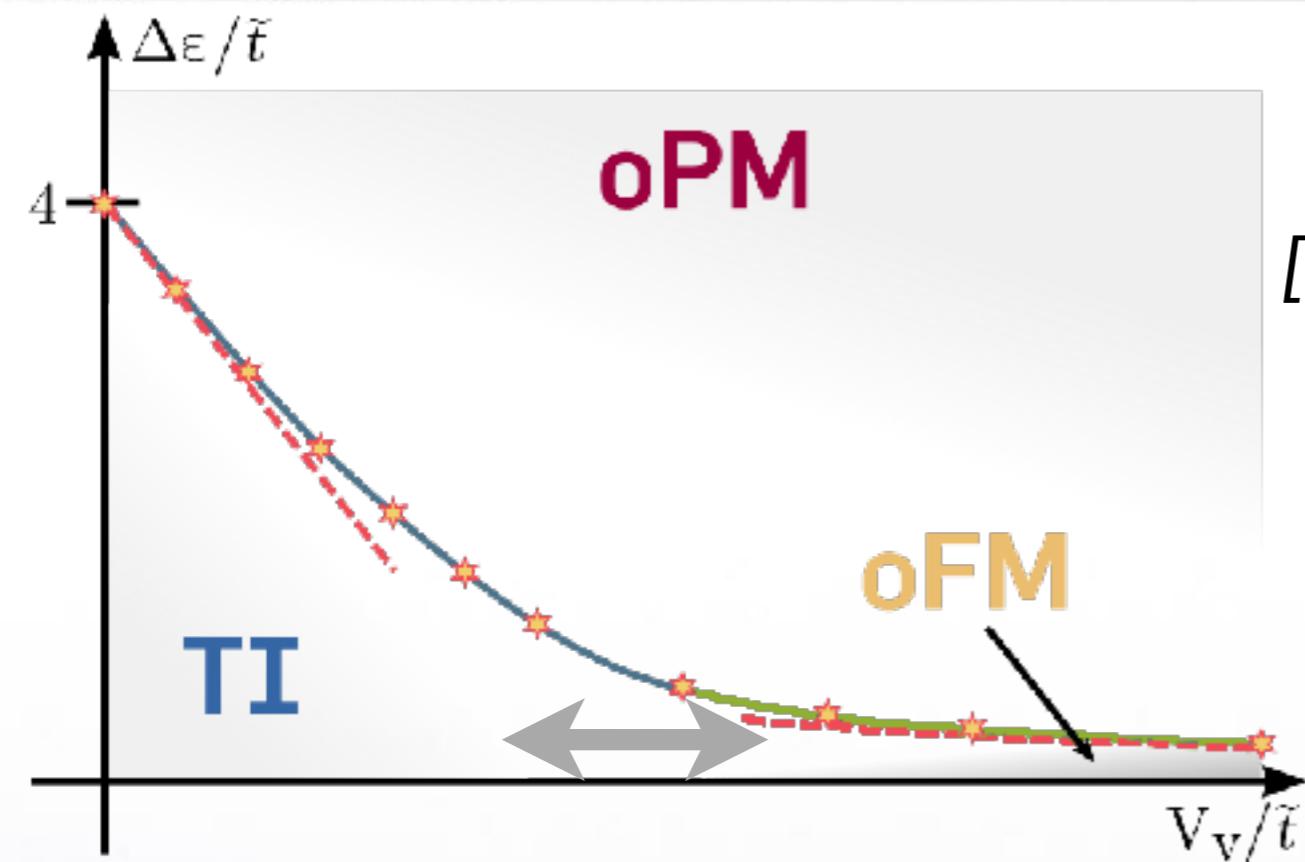
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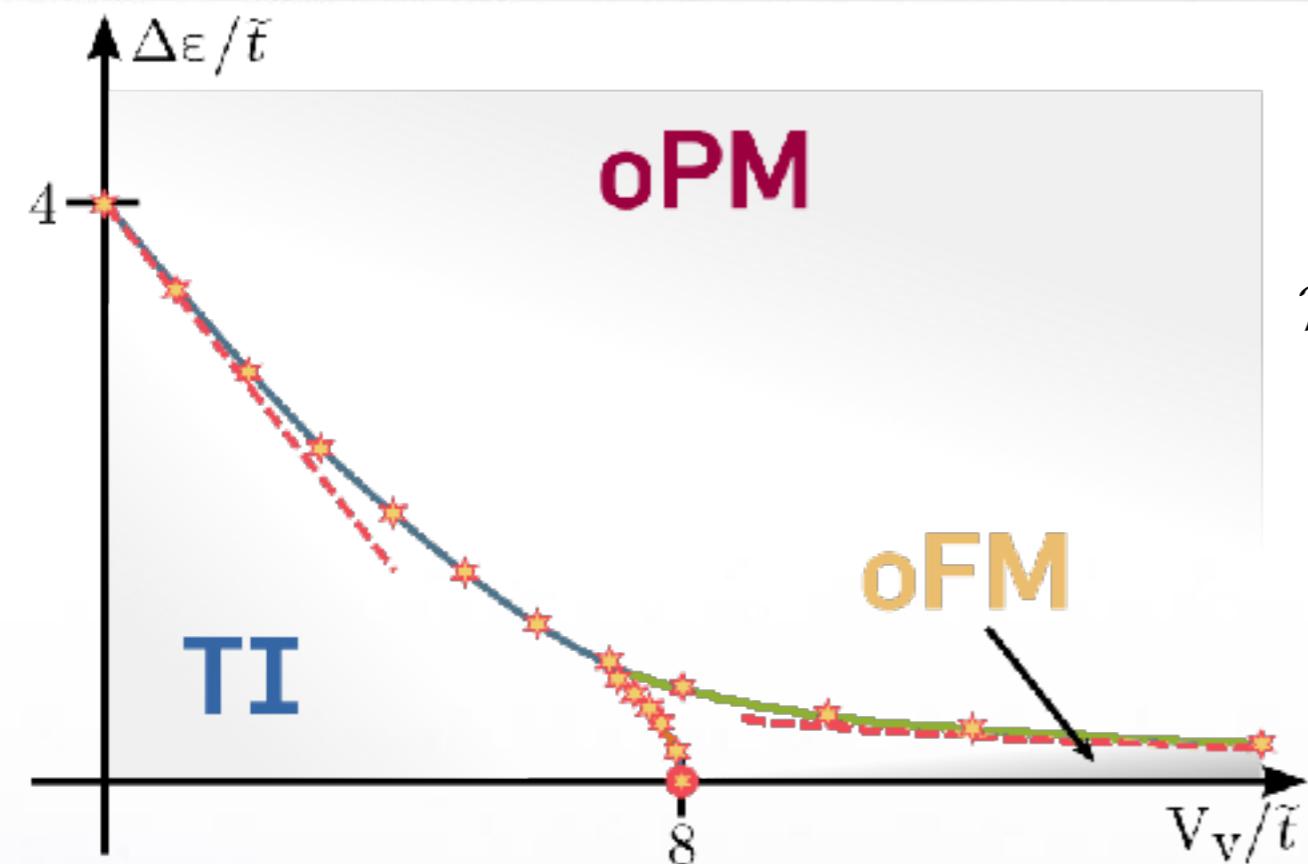
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bulk-mediated [*à la Fano-Anderson*]
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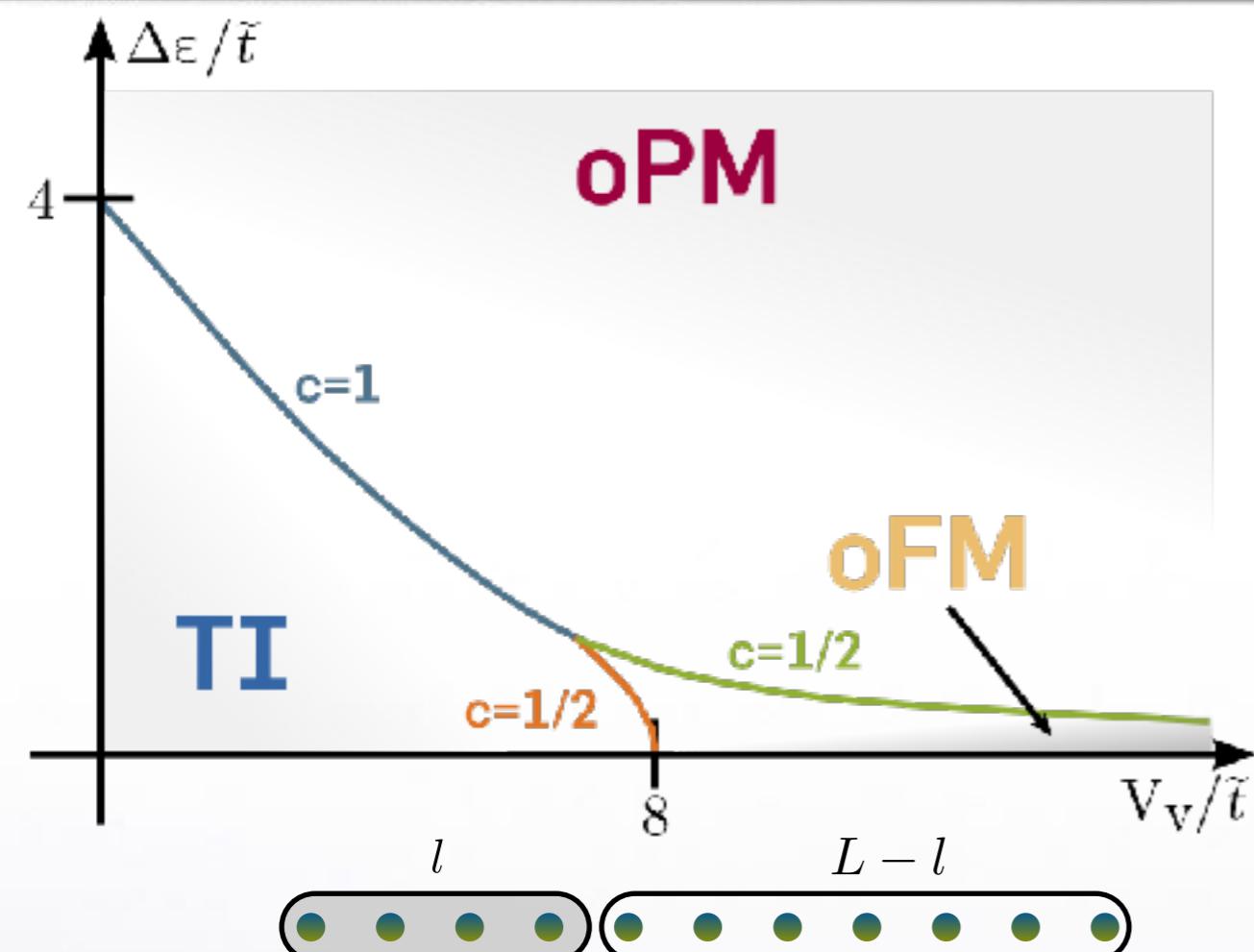
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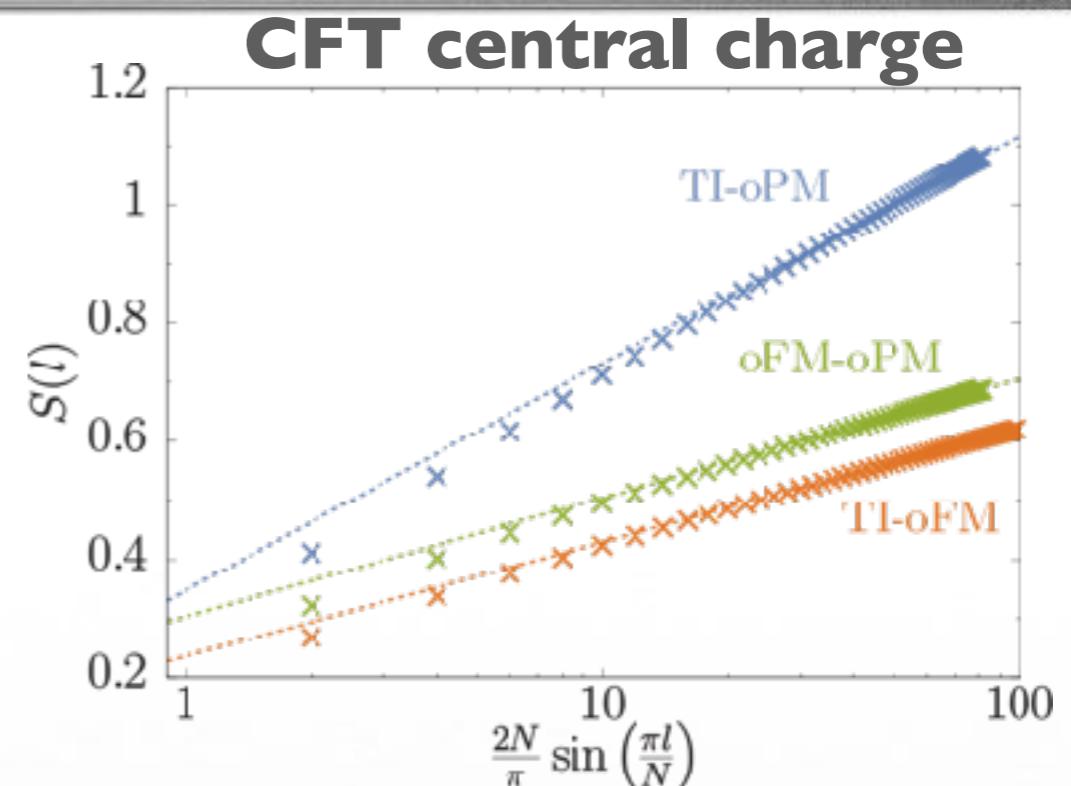
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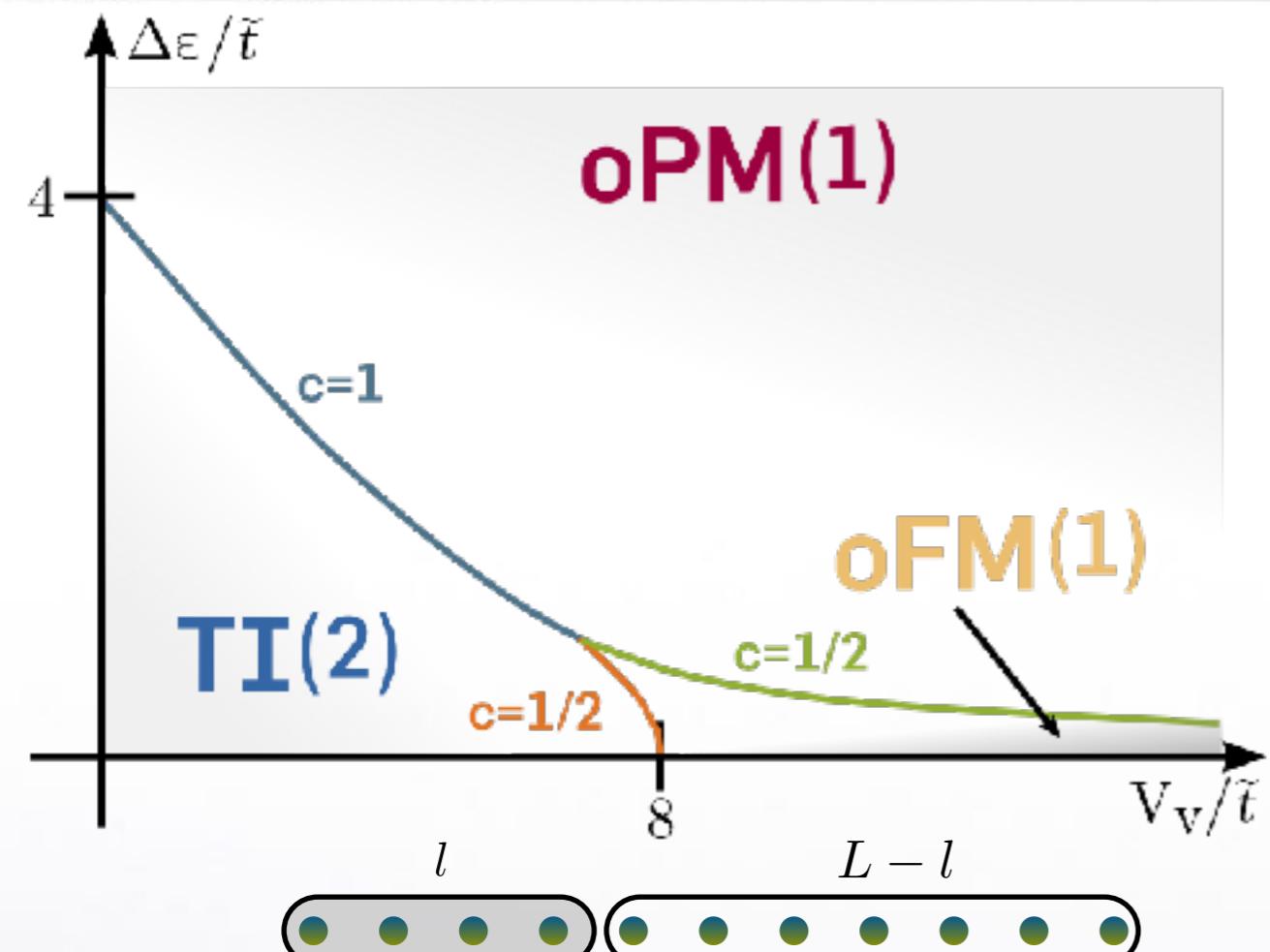


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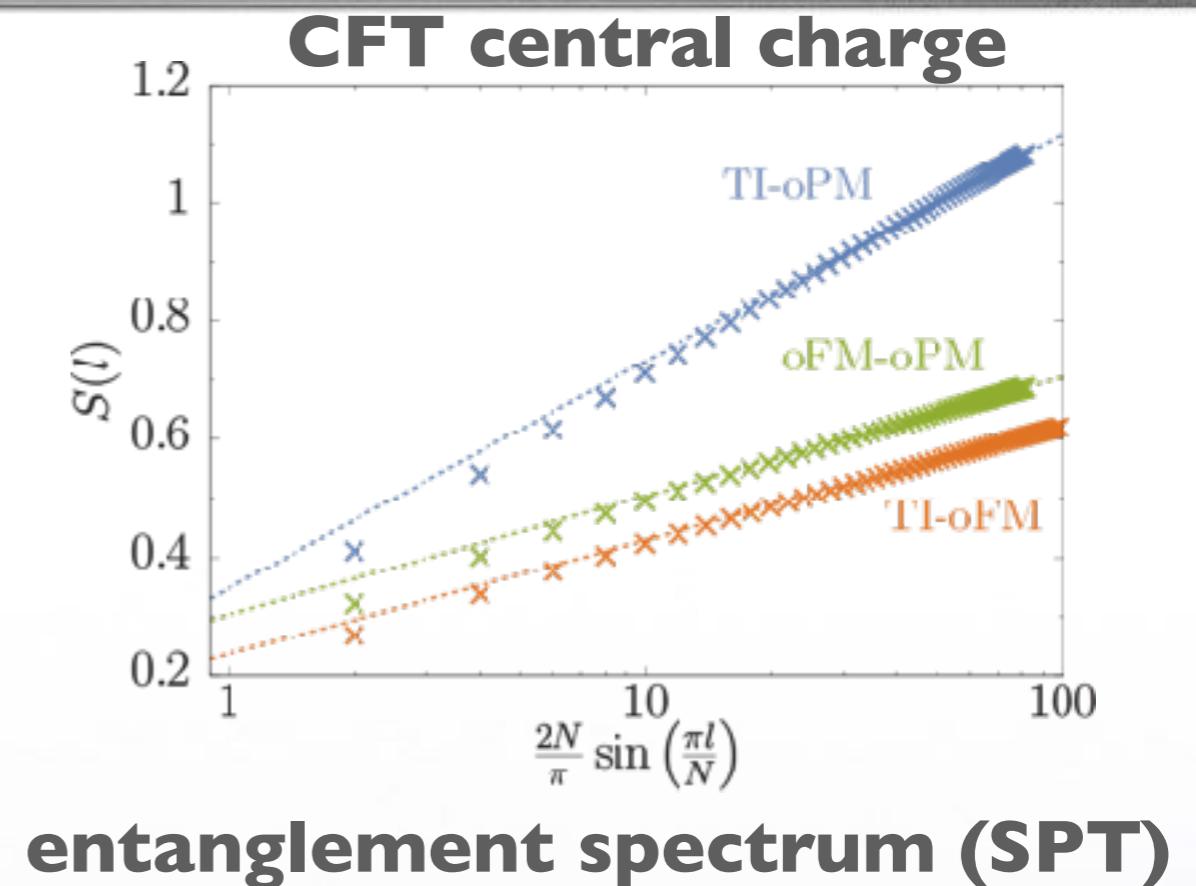


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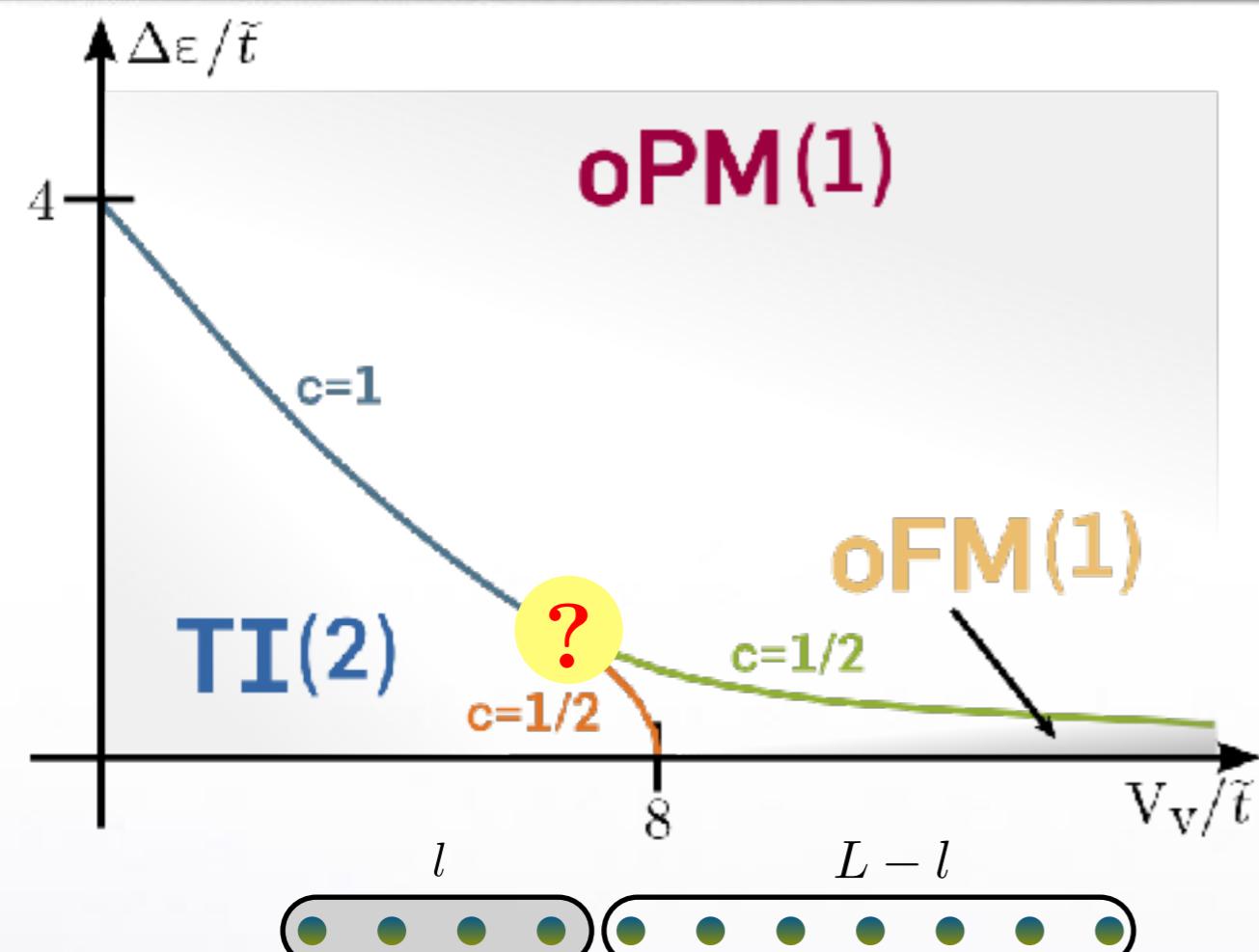
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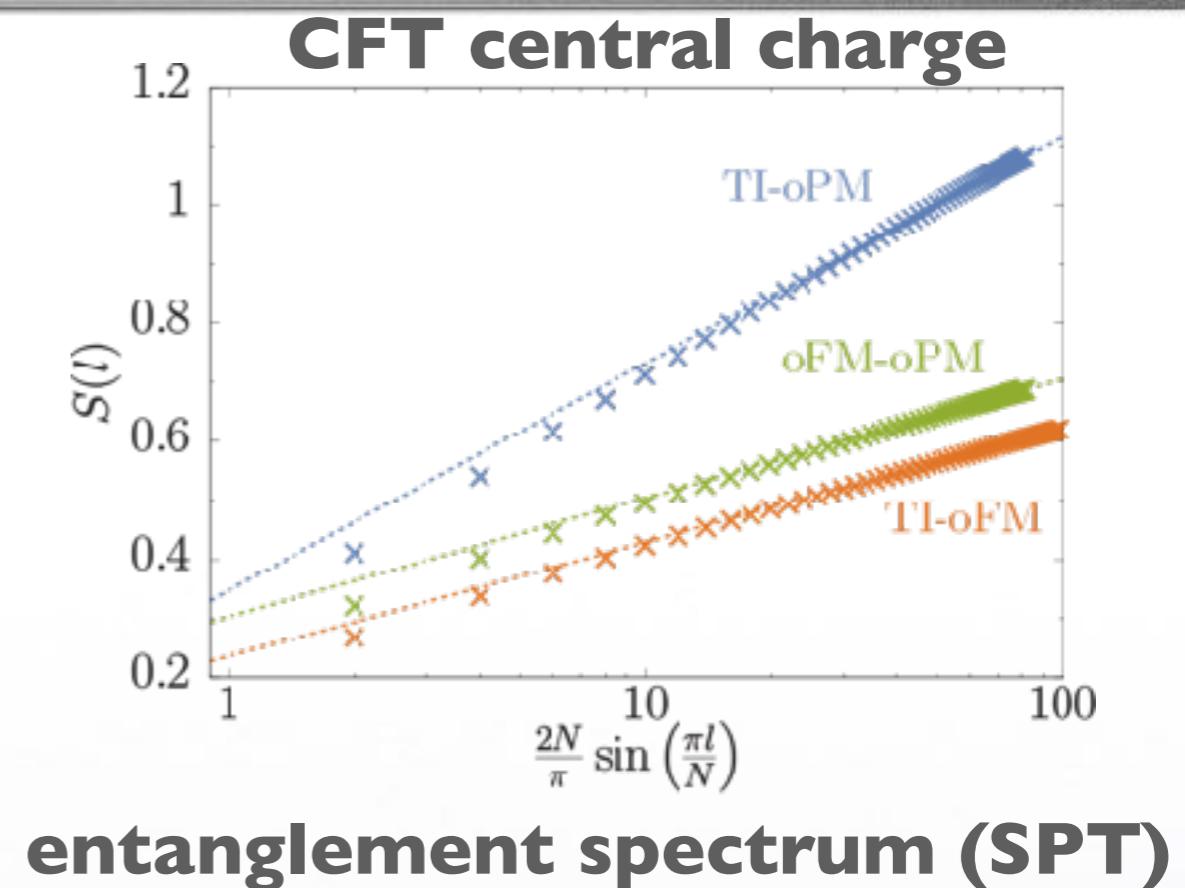


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Gross-Neveu model

(1+1)D toy model for QCD

D.J. Gross and A. Neveu, PRD **10**, 3235 (1974)

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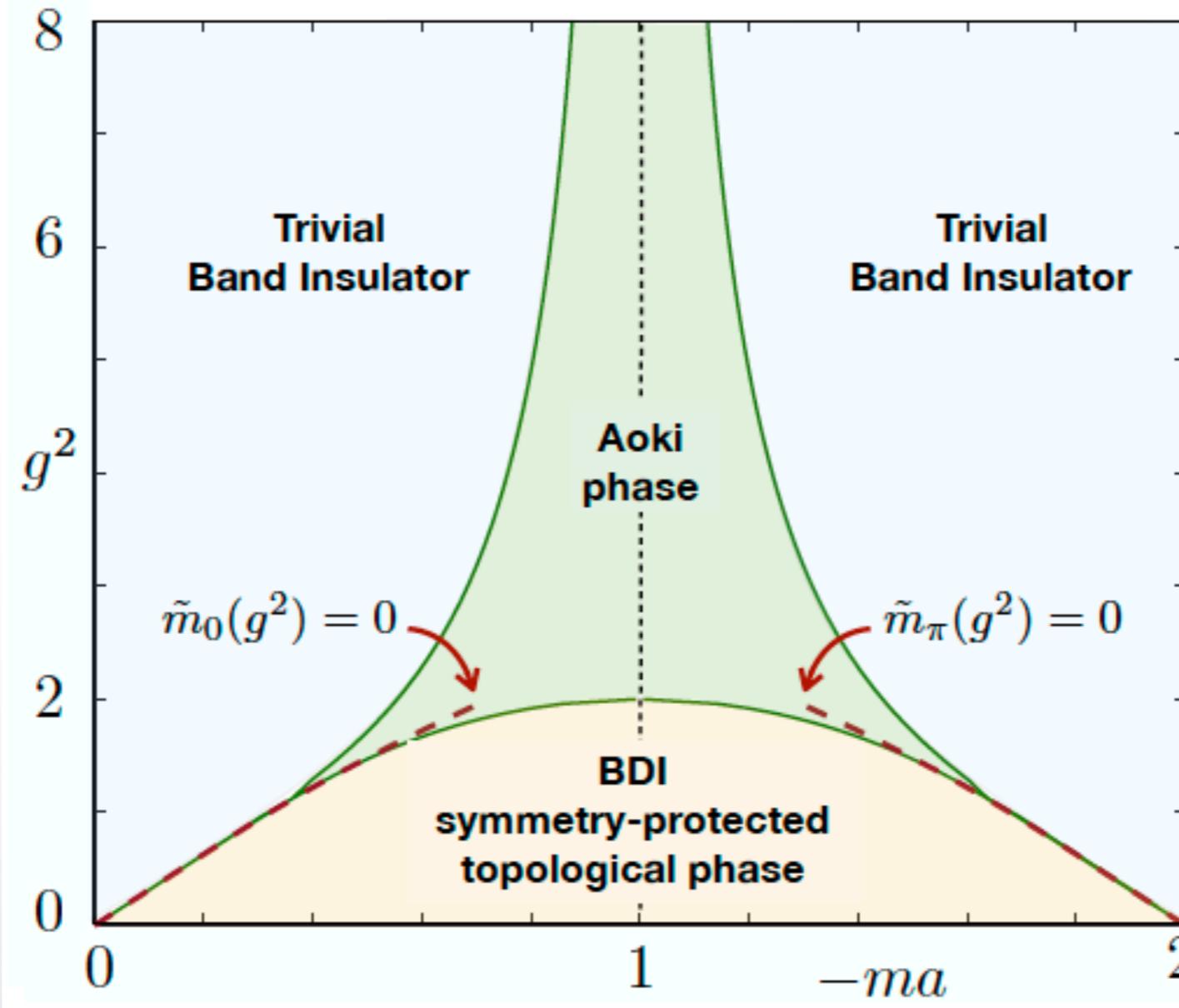
pseudo-scalar cond.

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S.Aoki, PRD **30**, 2653 (1984);
Izubuchi, Noaki, Ukawa,
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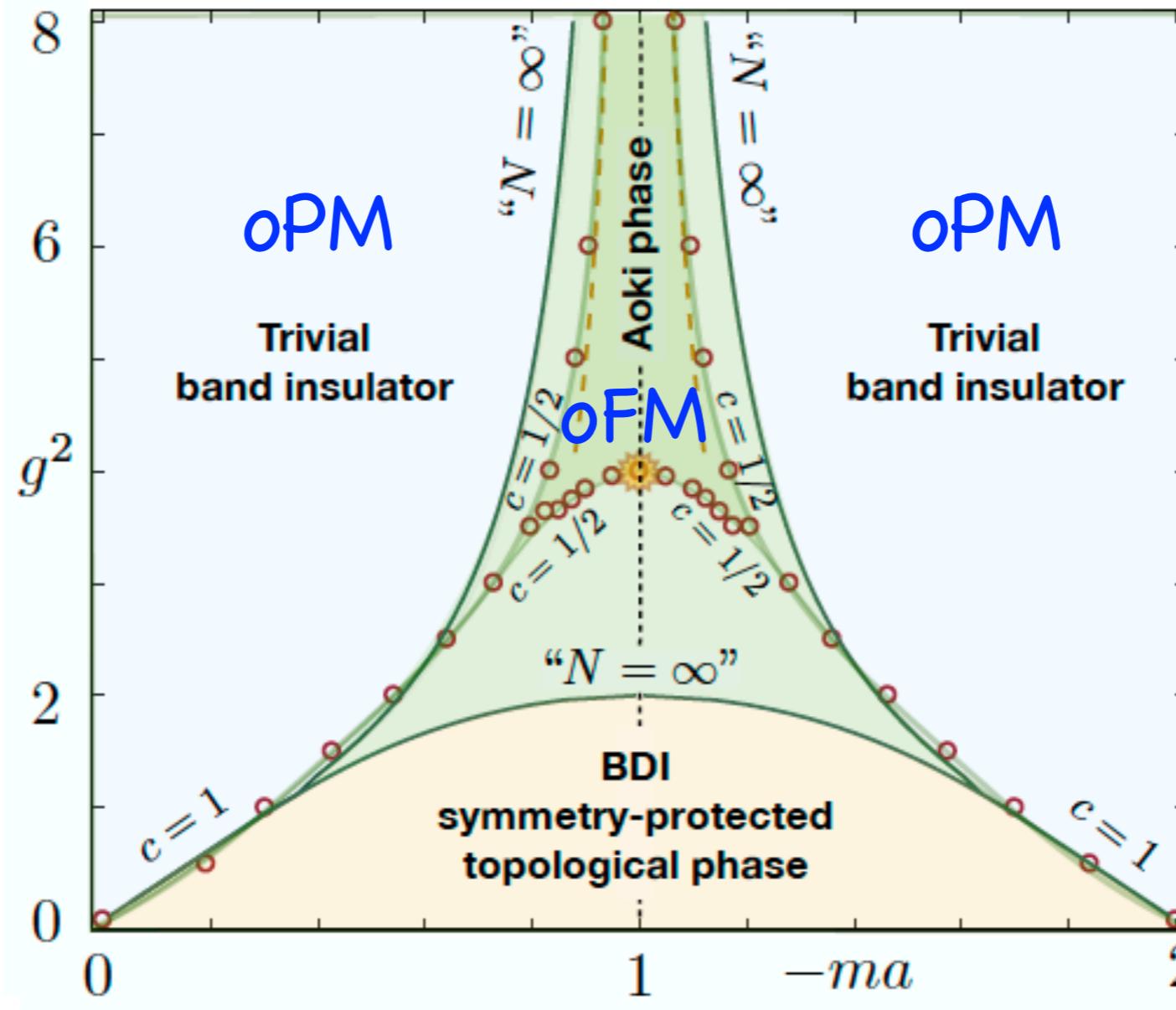
$$\sigma_0 \simeq \frac{g^2}{\pi a} + \frac{8}{a} e^{-2\pi/g^2}$$

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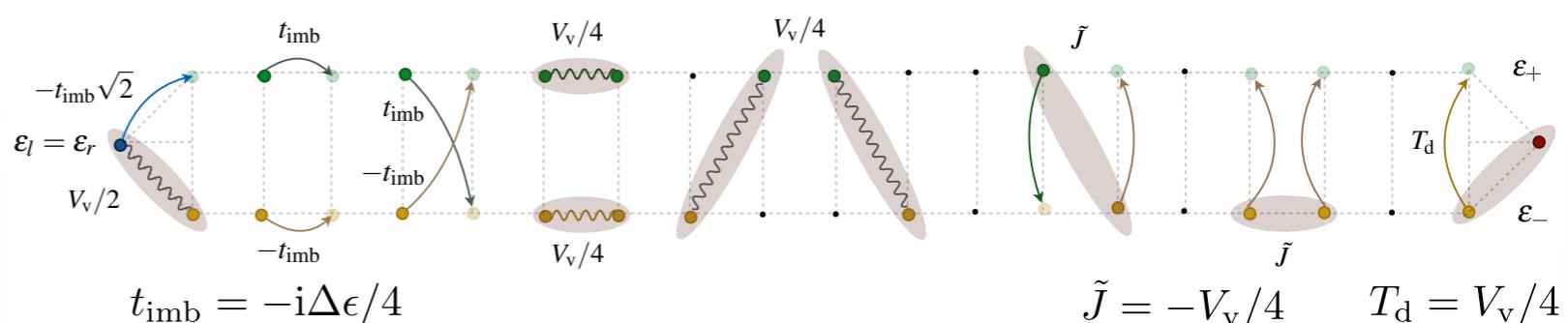


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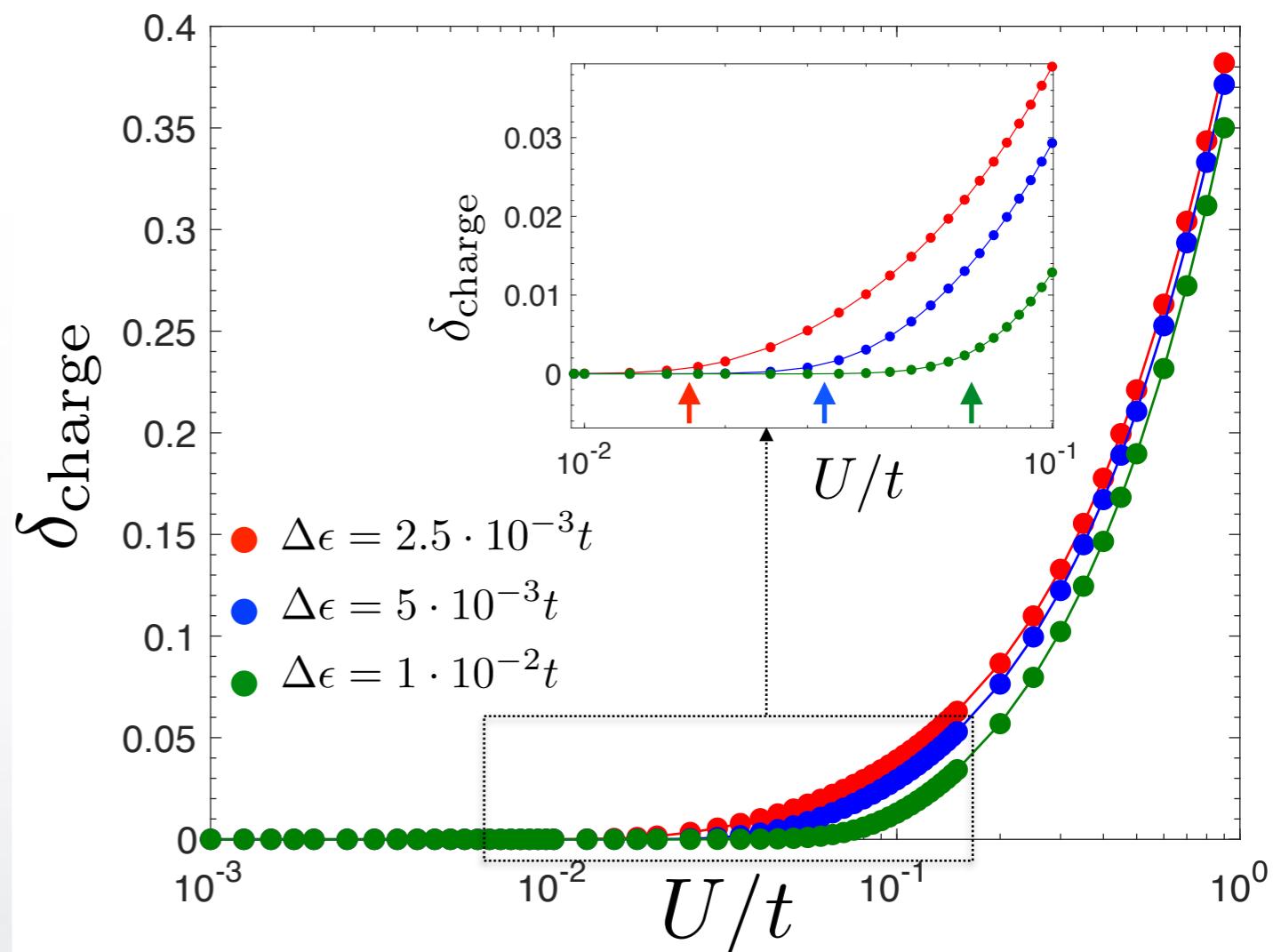
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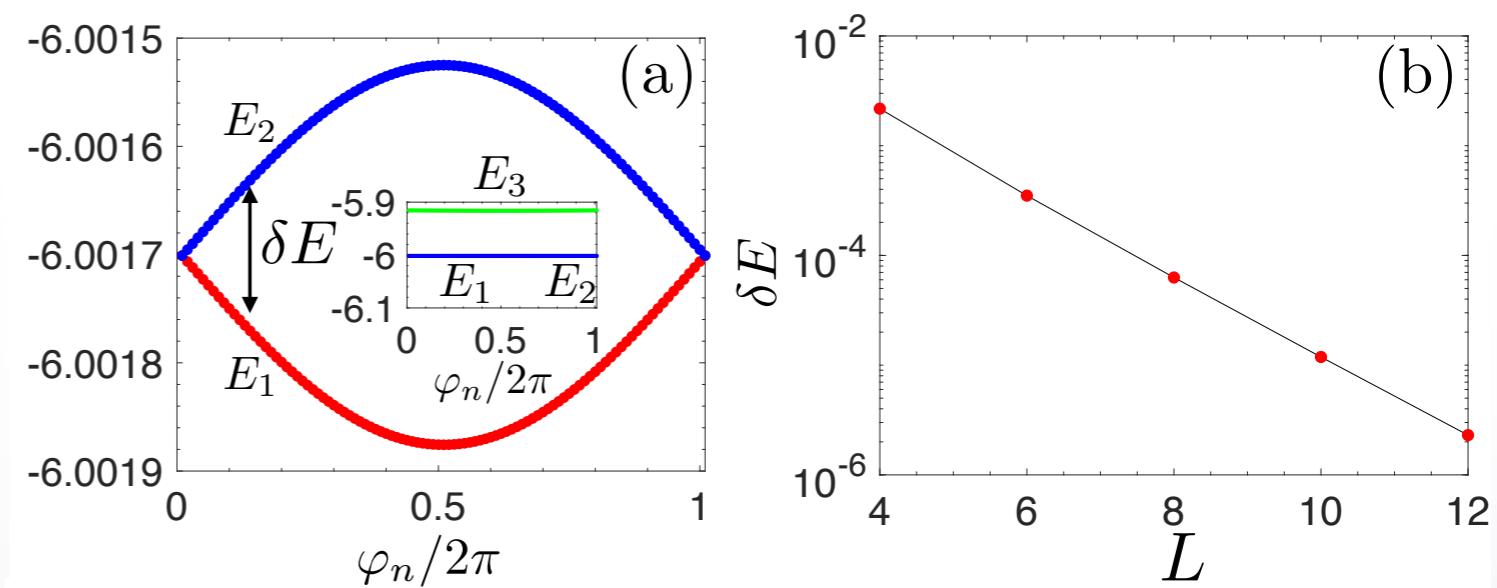
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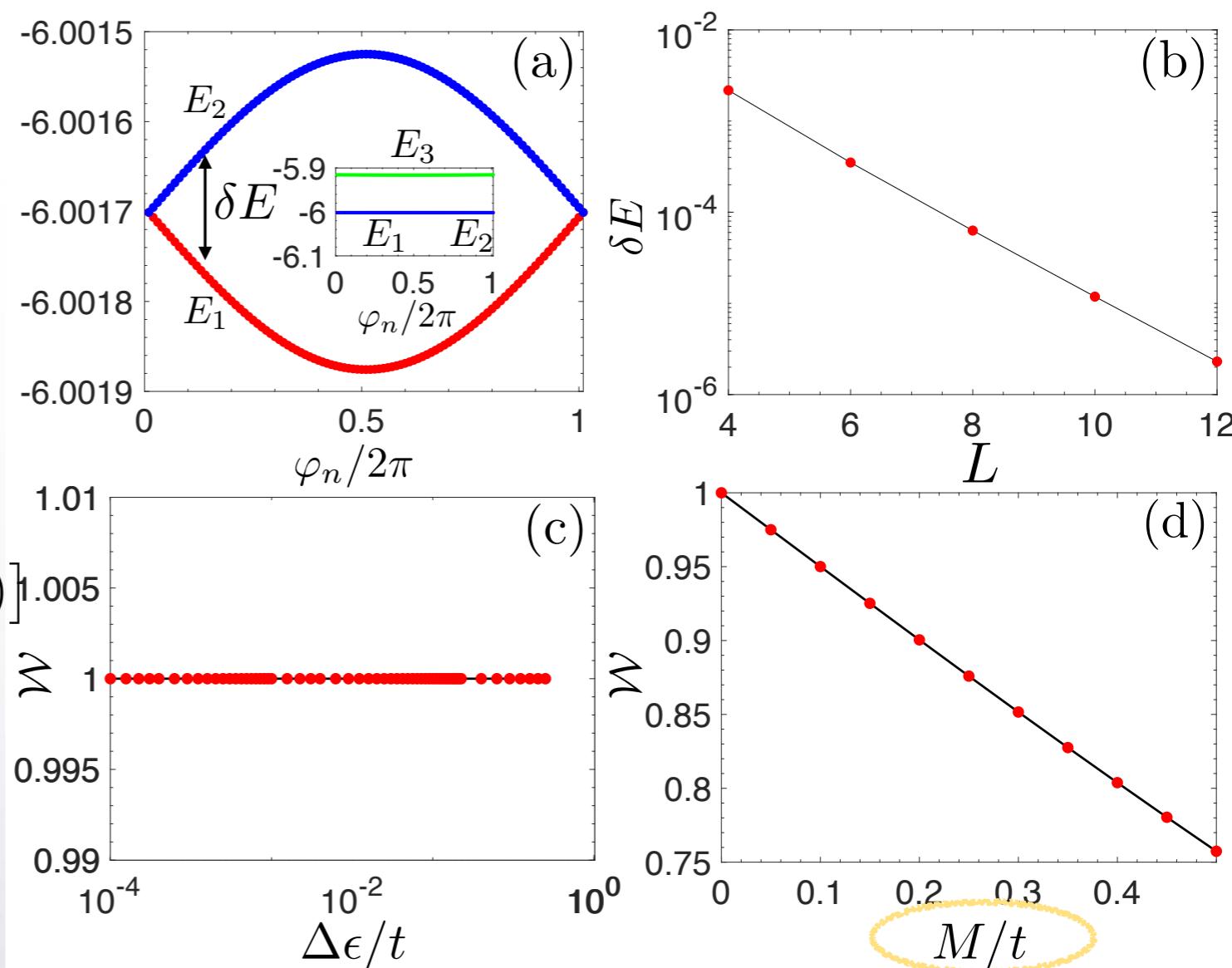
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F.Wilczek & A. Zee., PRL 52, 2111 (1984)



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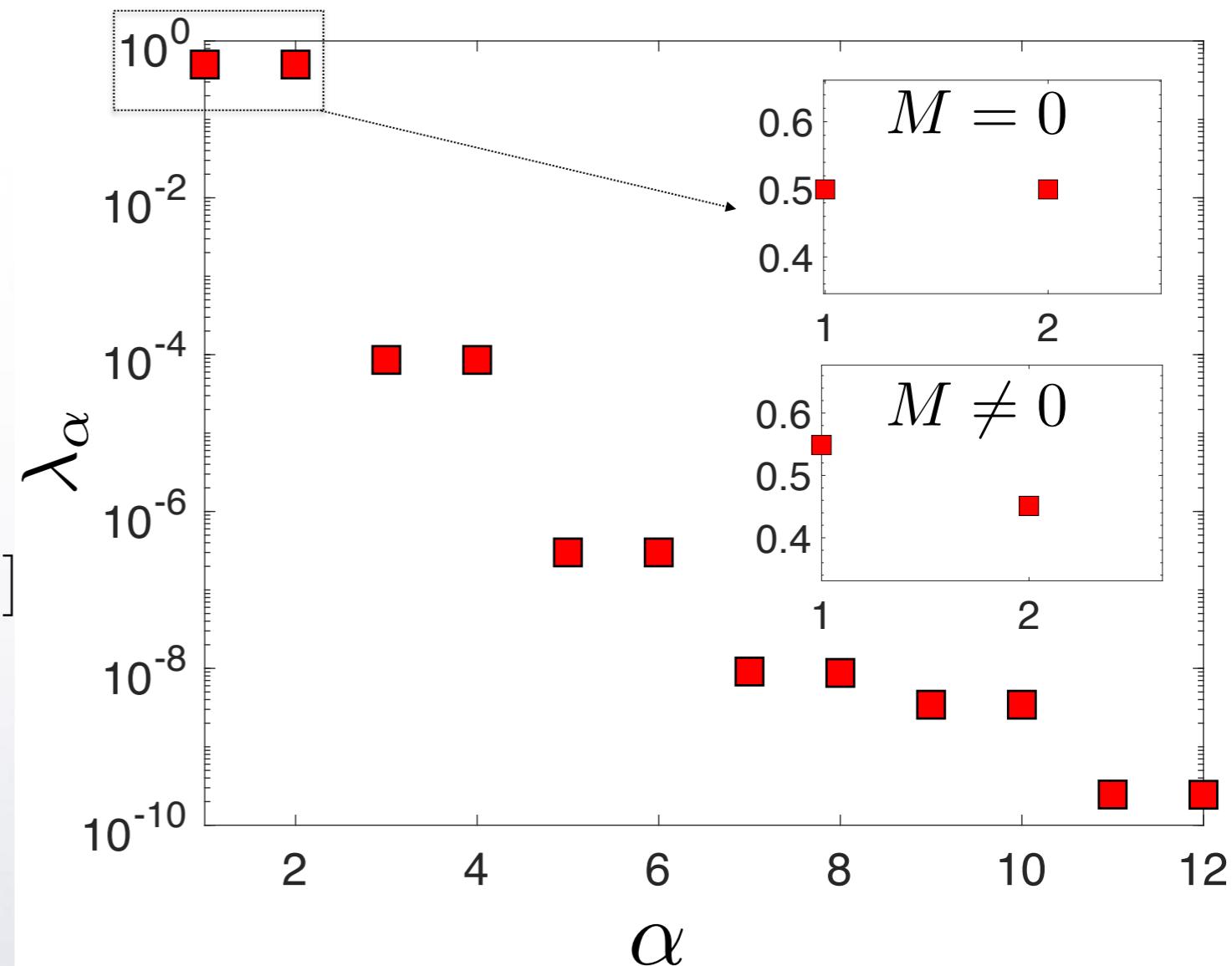
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Dirac Fermions

For graphene (i.e., 2D Dirac Fermions), interactions give **positive** correction to magnetic susceptibility χ_{orb} !

McClure, PR **104**, 666 ('56) & PR **119**, 606 ('60)
Sharma, Johnson, and McClure, PRB **9**, 2467 ('74)
Principi, et al., PRL 104, 225503 ('10)
& many more!!!

1D Systems:

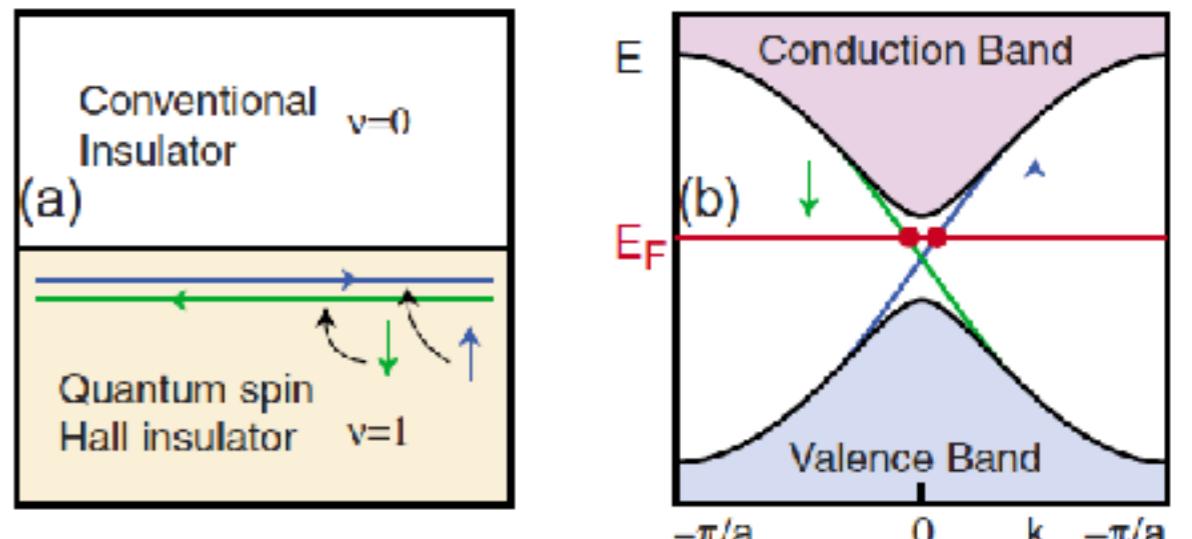
- Dirac-like dispersions possible, too

M.Z. Hasan and C.L. Kane, RMP 82, 3045 ('10)

X.-L. Qi and S.-C. Zhang, RMP 83, 1057 ('11)

- no *true* electric/magnetic field distinction

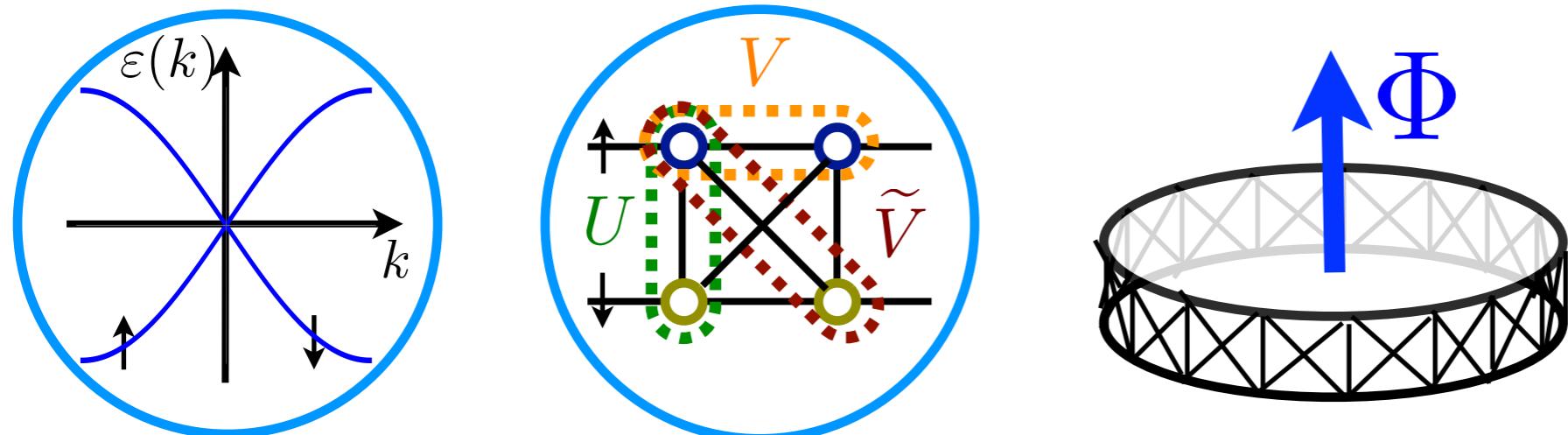
$$D \simeq \chi_{\text{orb}} \quad \sigma_1(\omega) = D \delta(\omega) + \sigma_1^{\text{reg}}(\omega)$$



QUESTION HERE:

do many-body effects (i.e., interactions)
lead to a **qualitative** change of the transport properties
of 1D Dirac Fermions?

Model & Methods



Rings are not essential to measure transport, e.g., D from quenches

C. Karrasch, et al.,
PRB **95**, 060406(R) (2017)

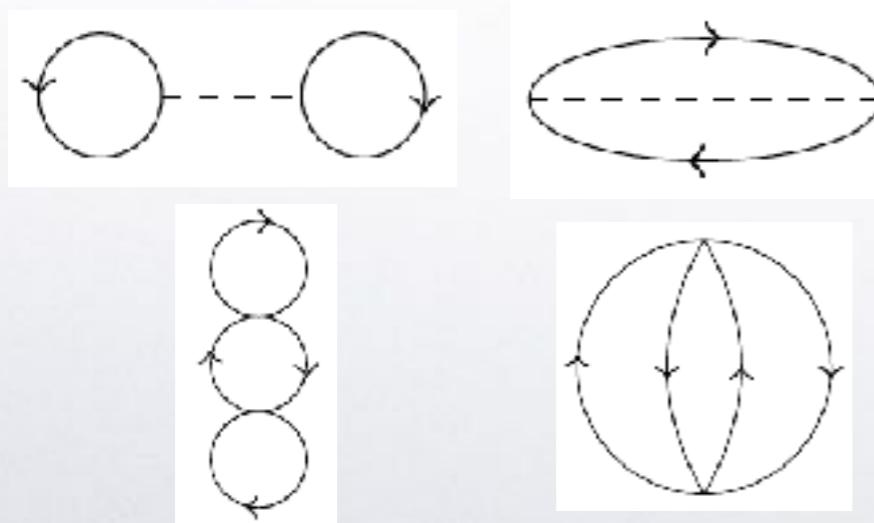
$$\varphi = \frac{2\pi}{L} \frac{\Phi}{\Phi_0}$$

Persistent Current

$$I(\Phi) = -\frac{\partial E}{\partial \Phi}$$

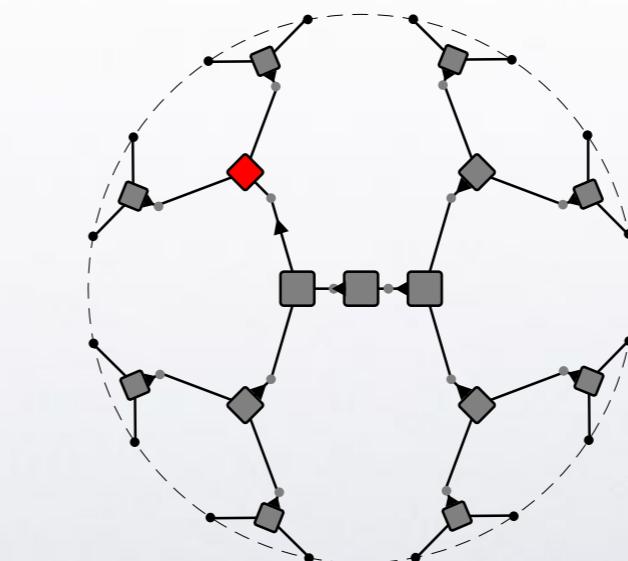
Drude Weight

$$D = \frac{L}{2\pi} \left. \frac{\partial^2 E}{\partial \Phi^2} \right|_{\Phi=0}$$



Perturbative calculations

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Tree Tensor Networks DMRG calculations

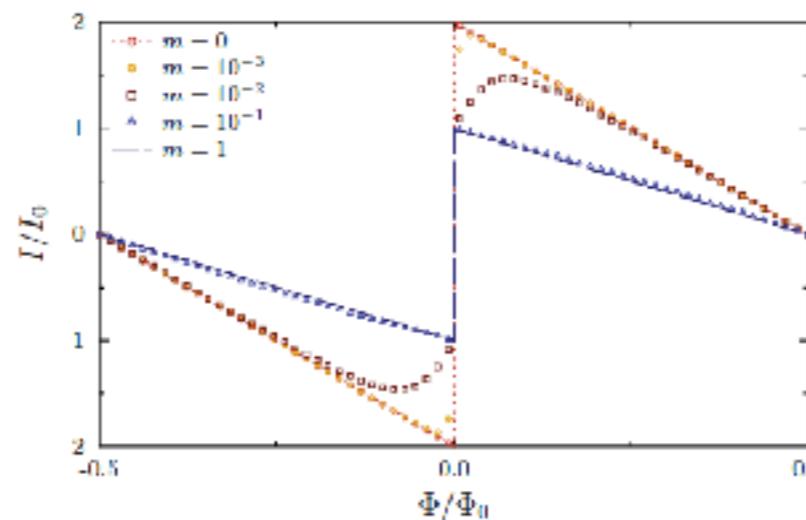
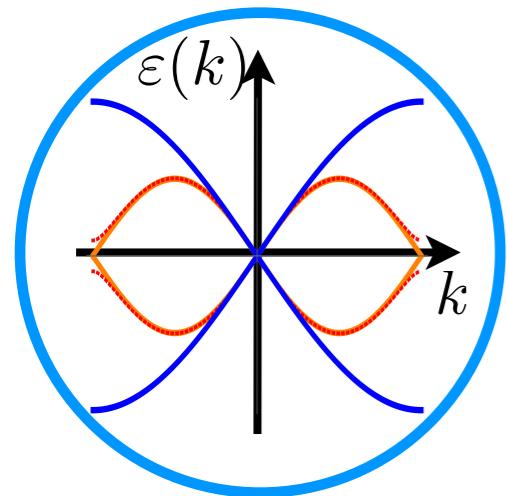
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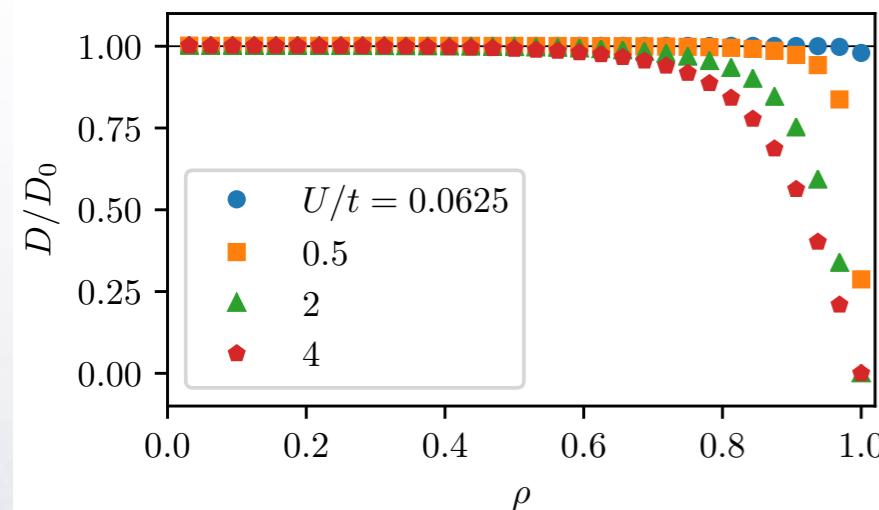
P. Silvi, MR, et al.,
[arXiv:1710.03733v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/1710.03733v1)

Key Results



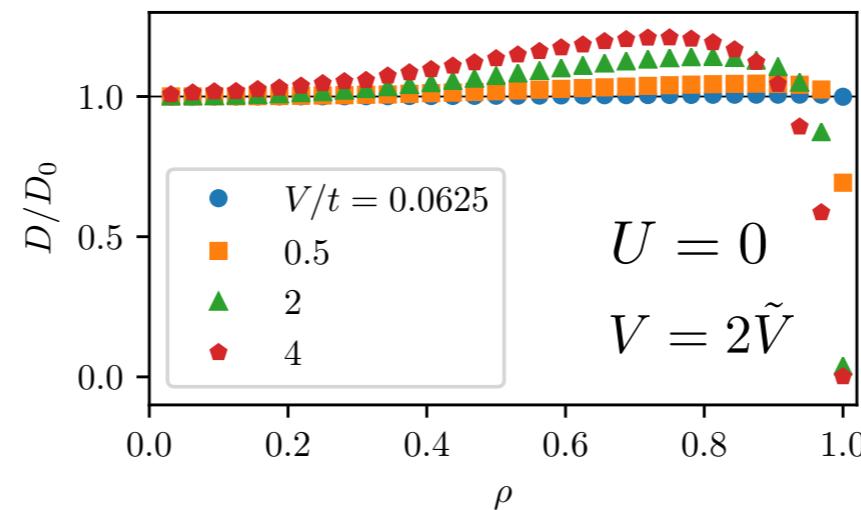
$$D/D_0 = \left(1 + \frac{4 \sin^3(\frac{\pi\rho}{2})}{3\pi} (V - \tilde{V}) - \left[U^2 \frac{\sin^4(\frac{\pi\rho}{2})}{32\pi^2 \cos(\frac{\pi\rho}{2})} \int_{\pi(1-\rho)}^{\pi} \frac{\cos(k) + 3}{\sin(\frac{k}{2})} dk + \tilde{V}^2 \dots + \dots \right] \right)$$

[on-going bosonization
with M. Filippone
@ UniGe.ch]



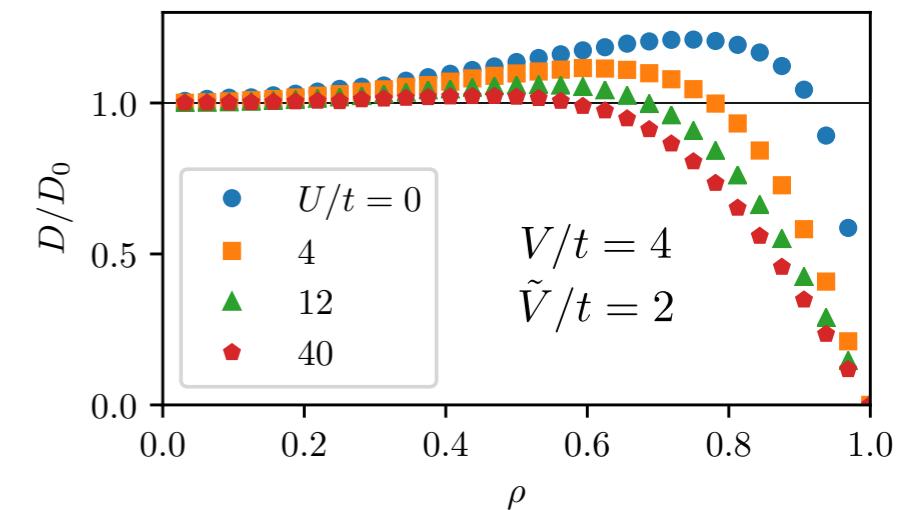
Onsite-interacting:
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Longer-range & Spin-dep.:
qualitative difference,
tunable Drude Weight !

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Robust effect
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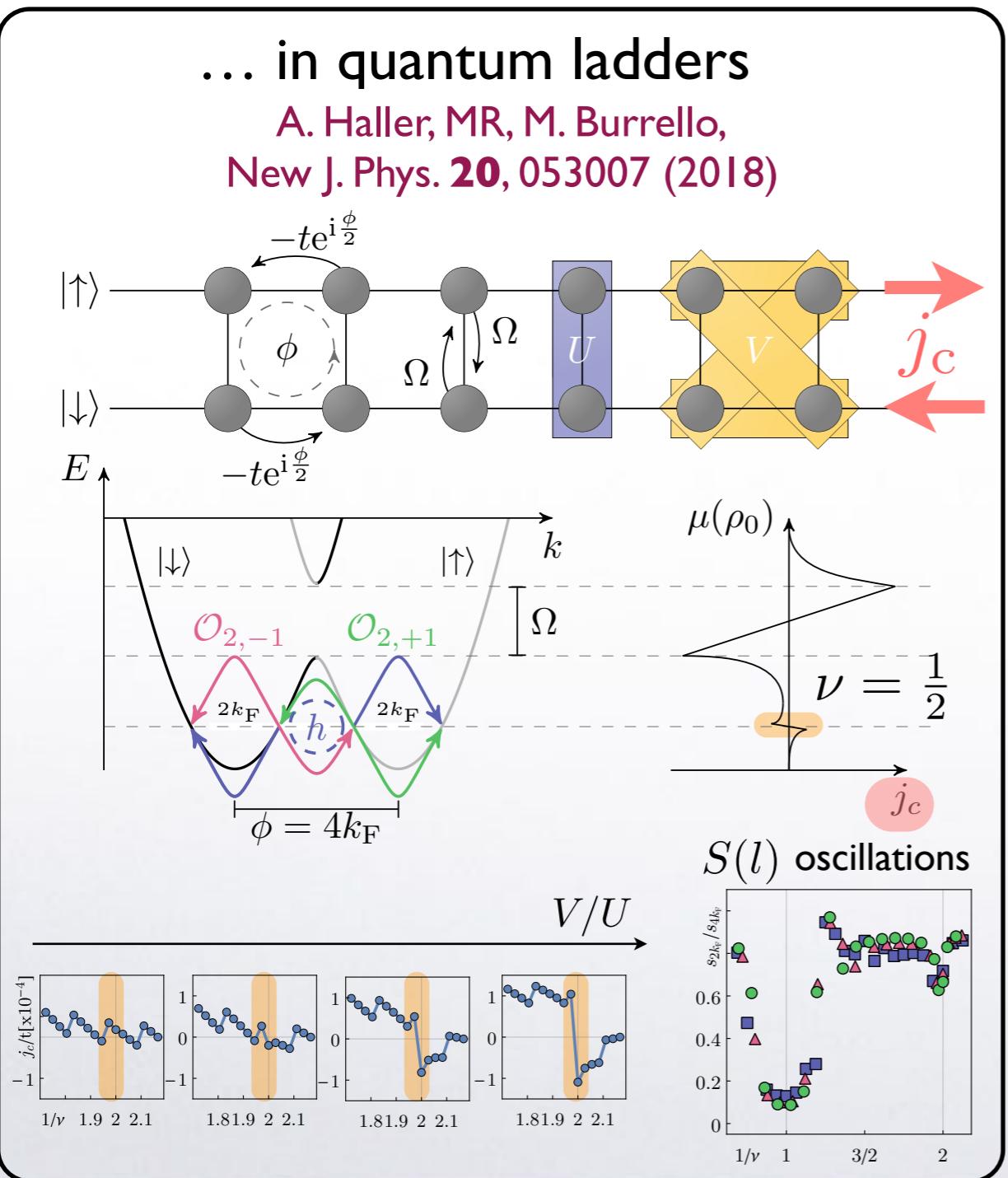
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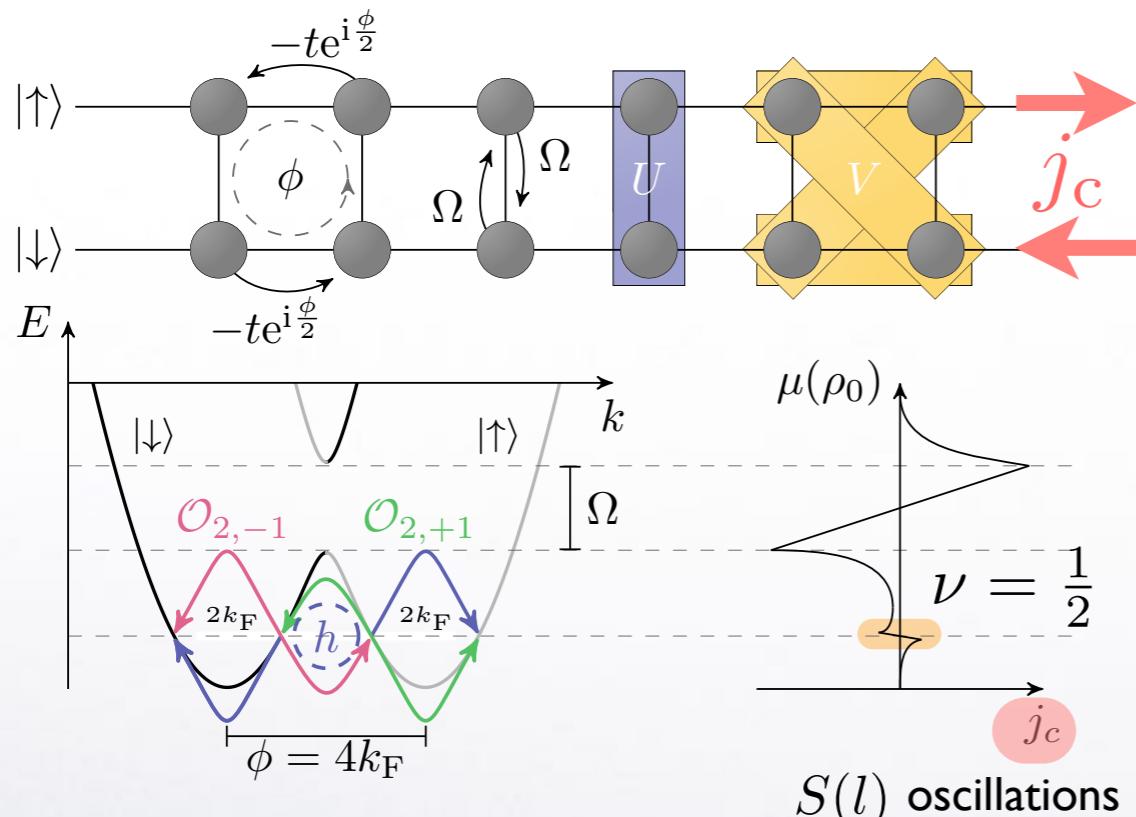


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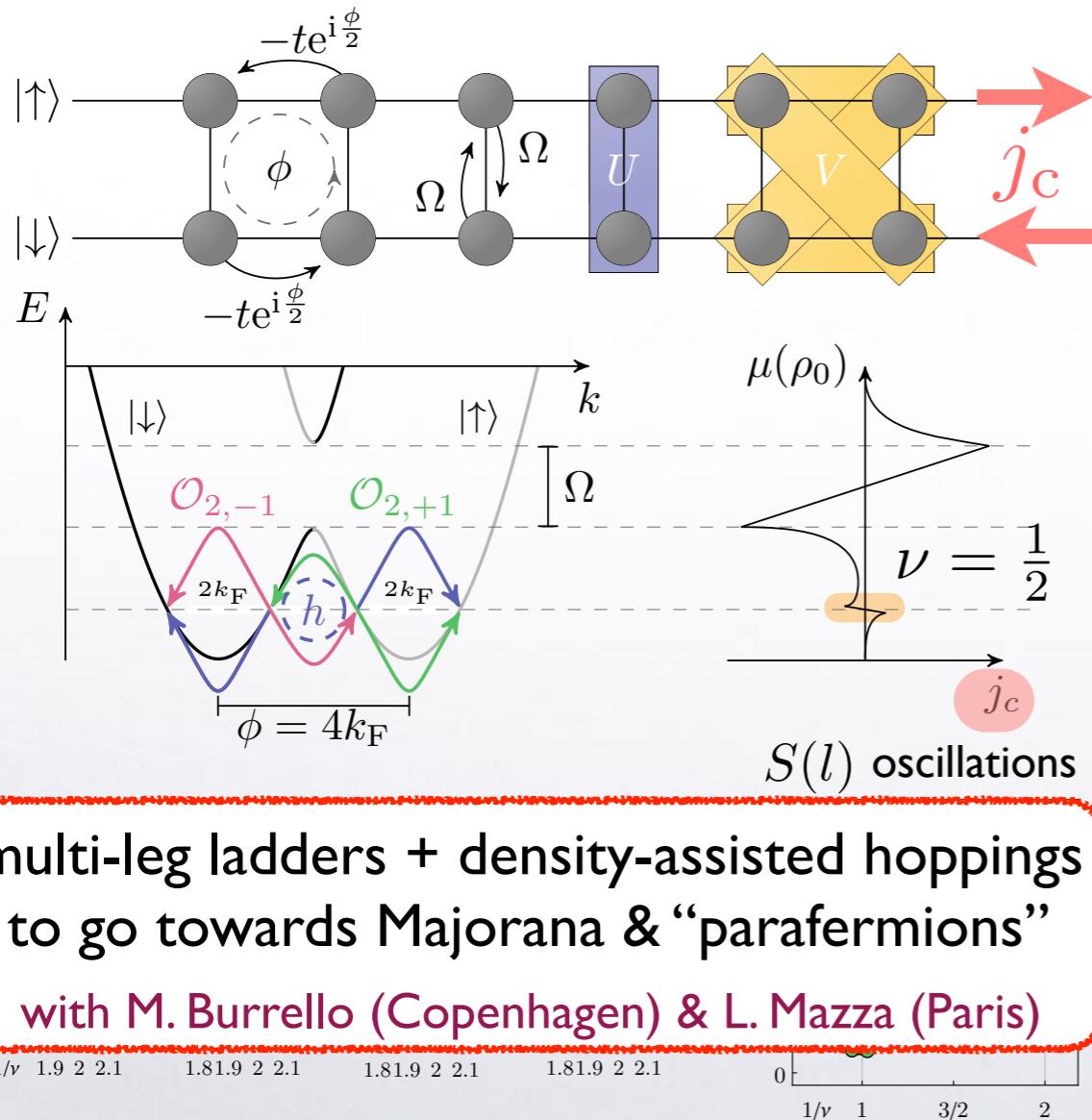
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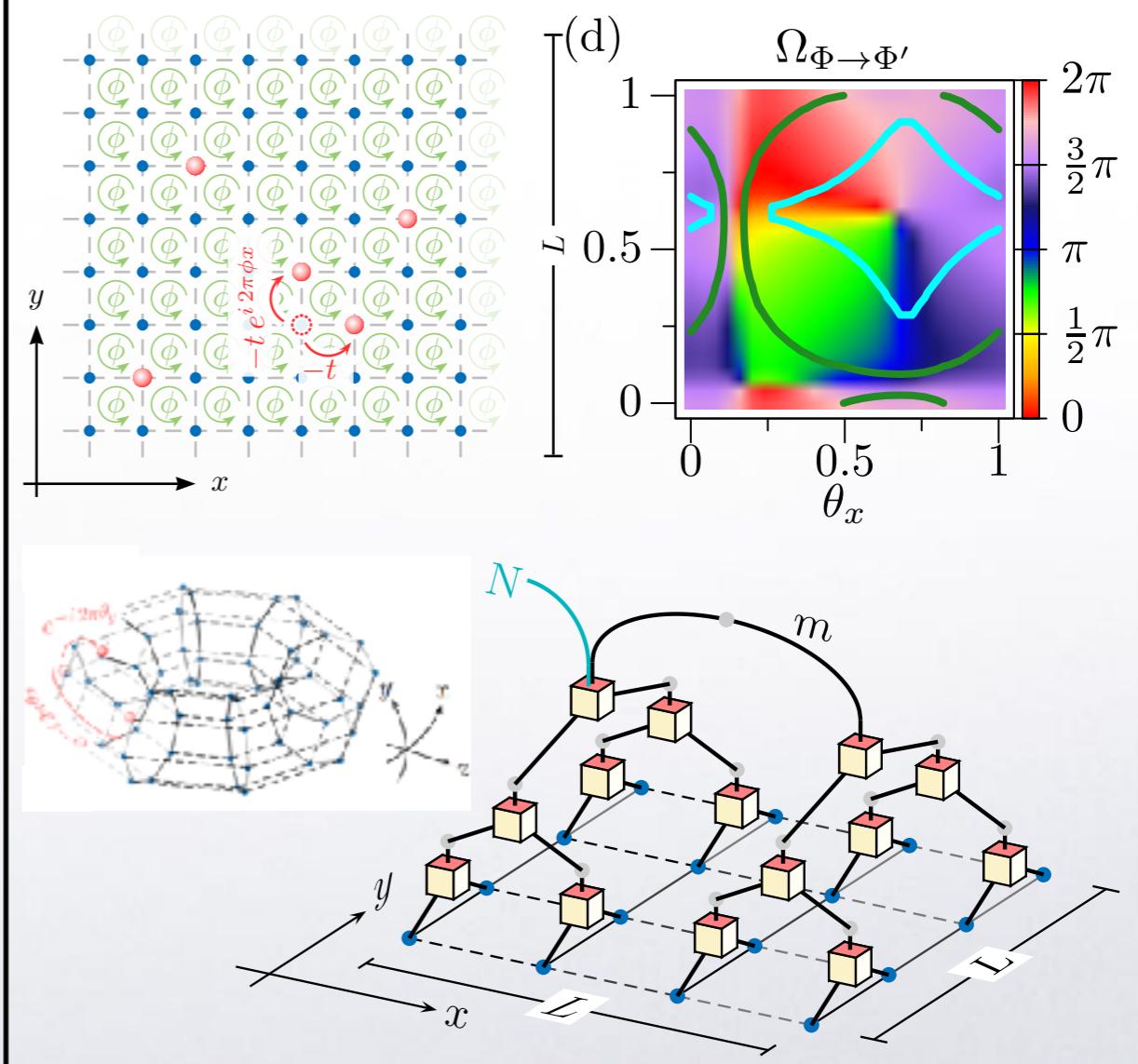
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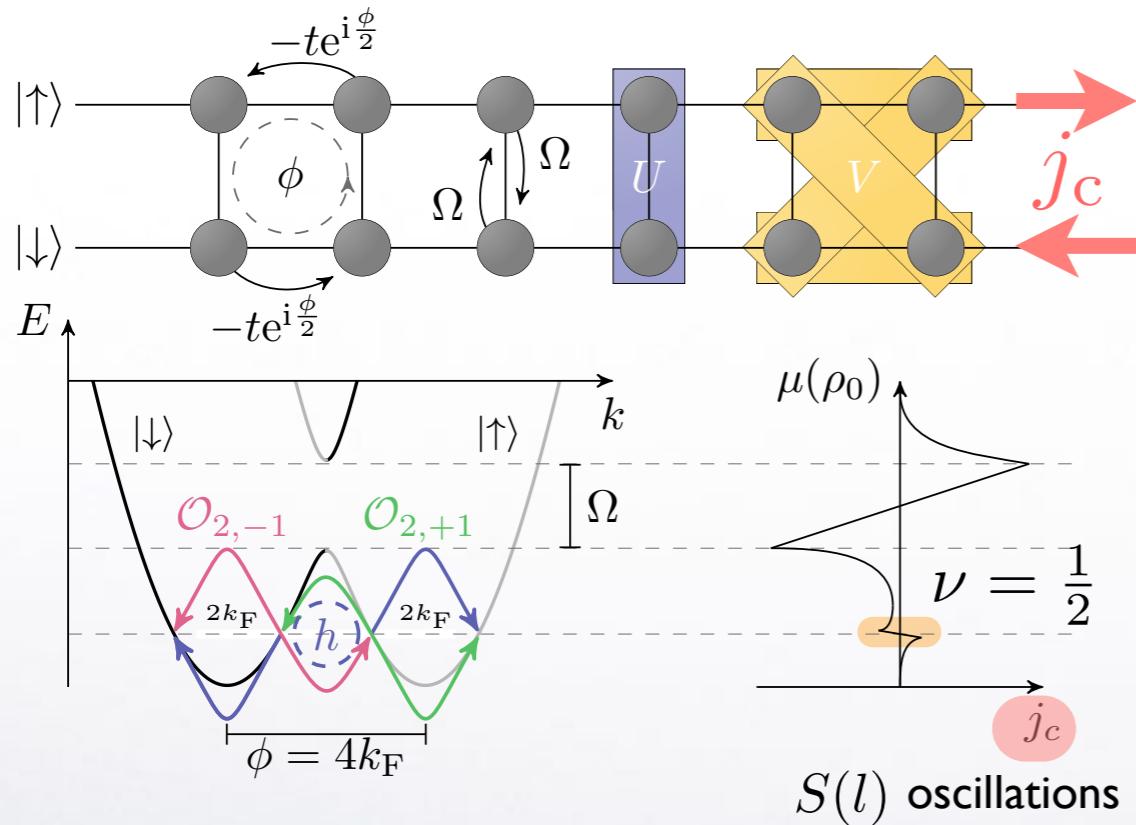


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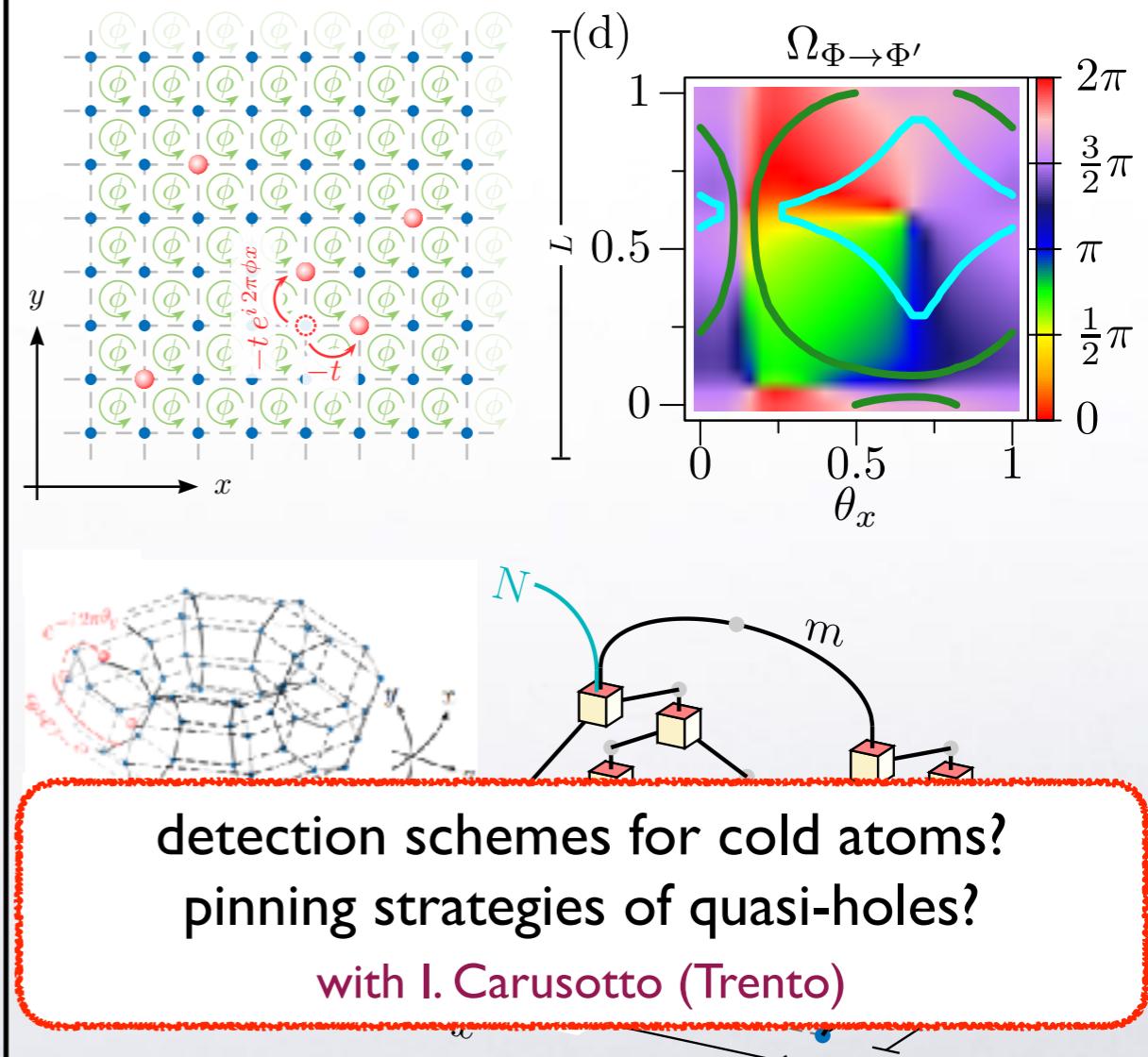
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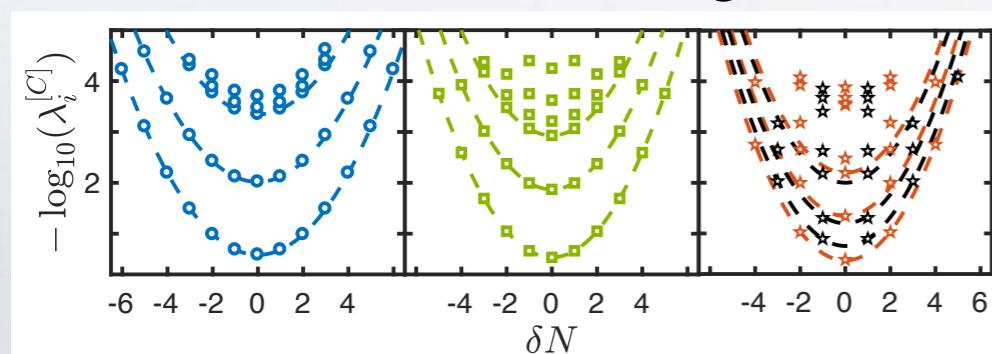
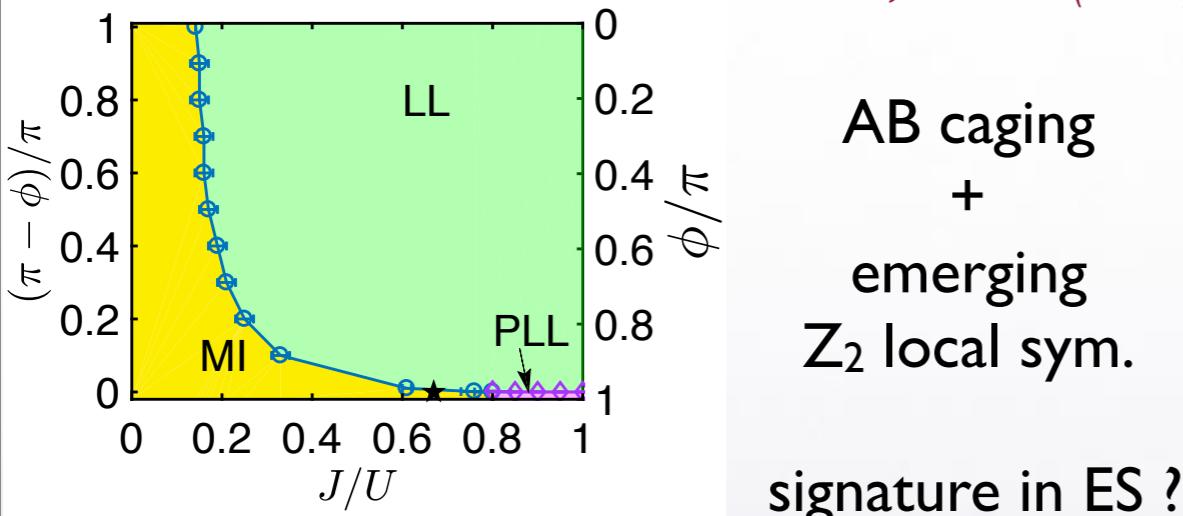
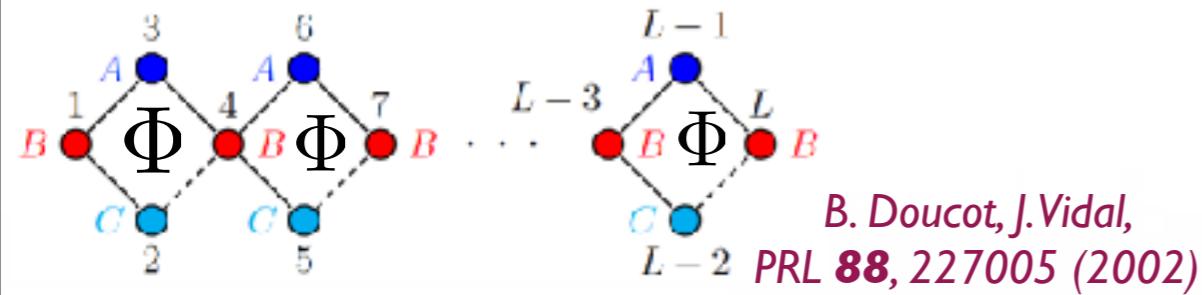
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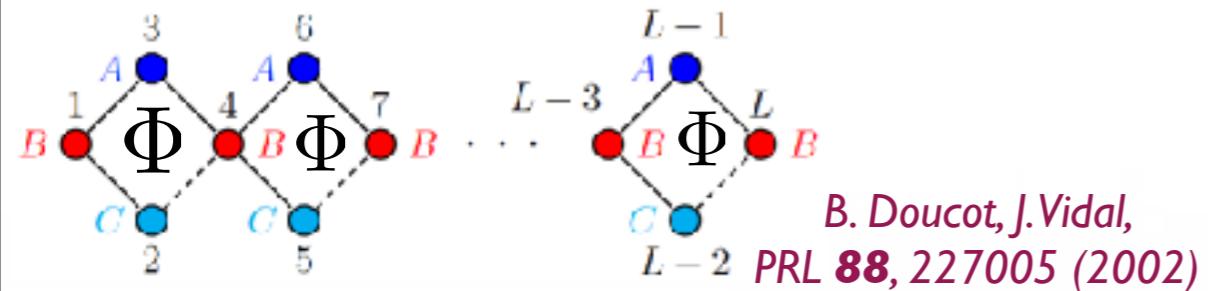
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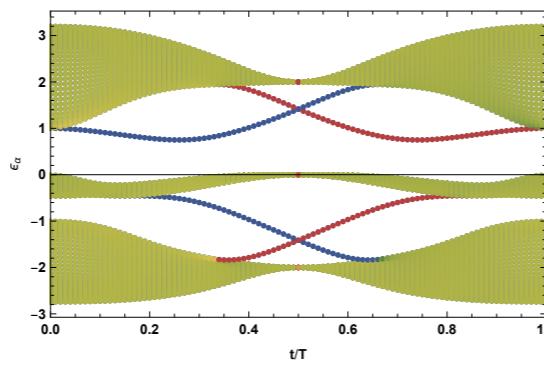
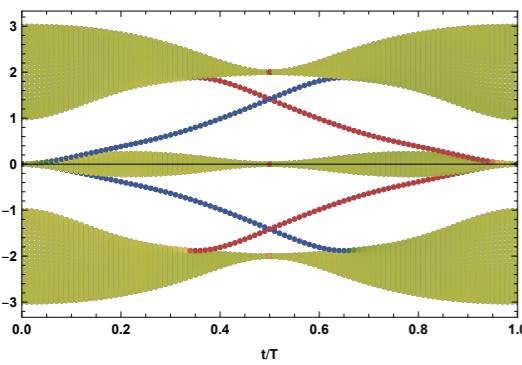
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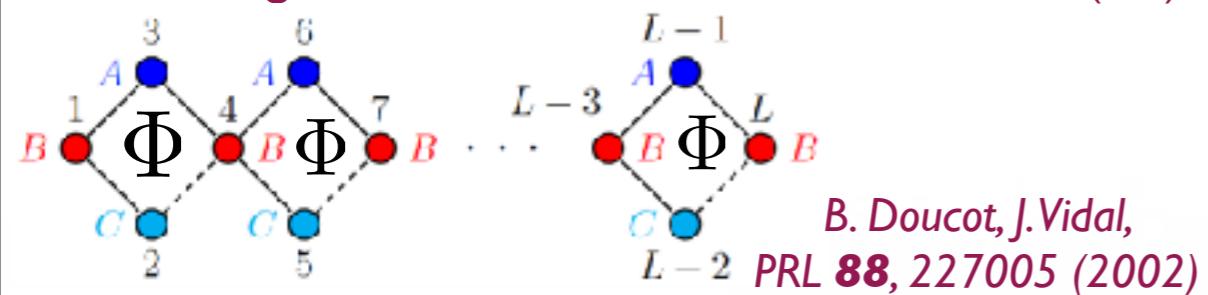
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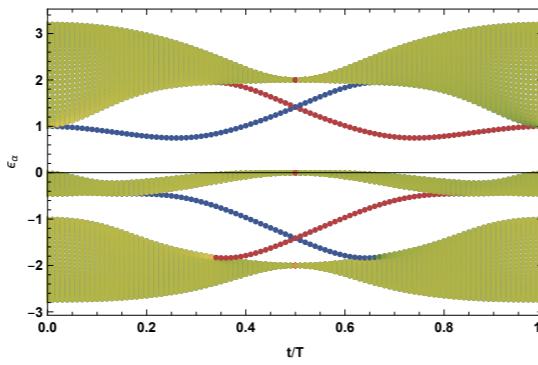
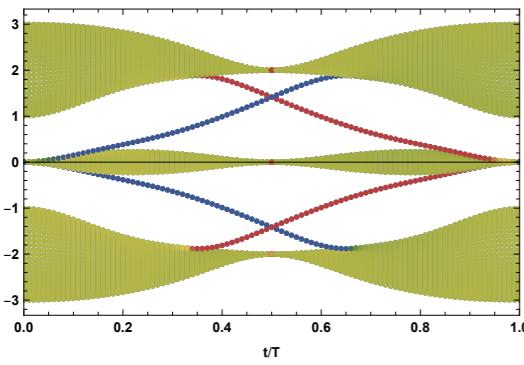
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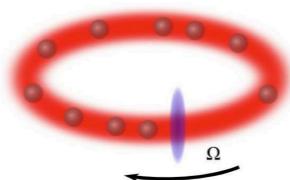
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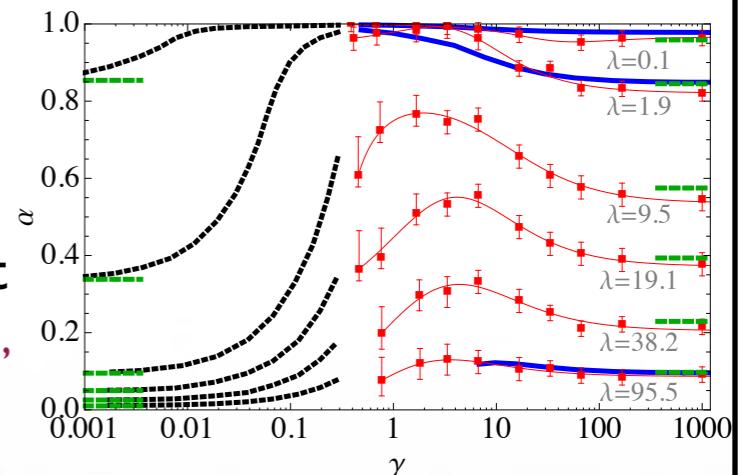


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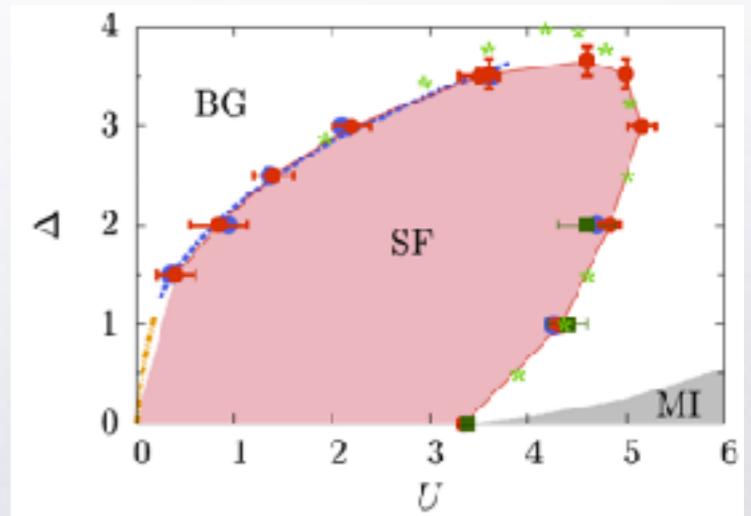
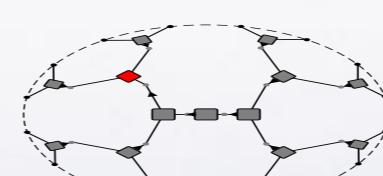
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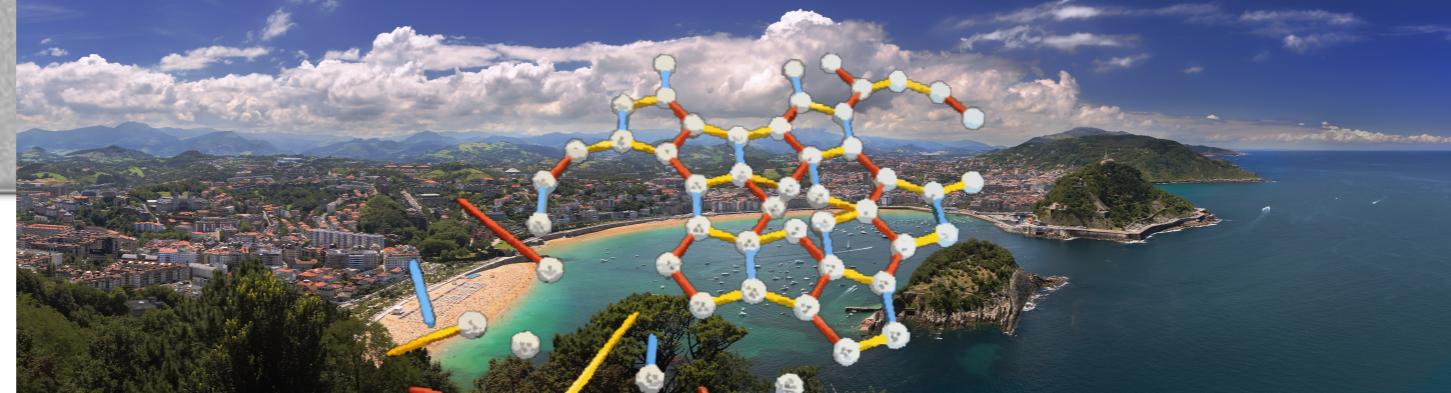


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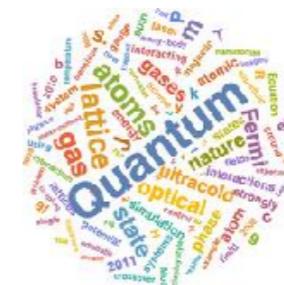
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