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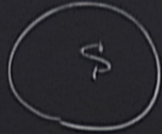
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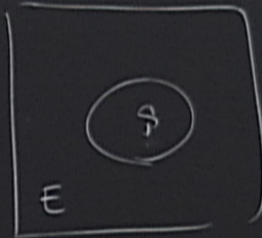
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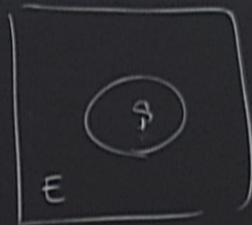
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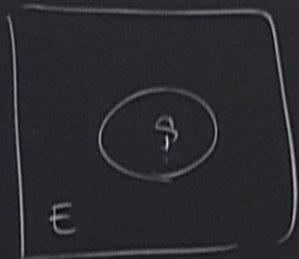
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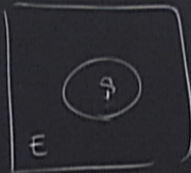
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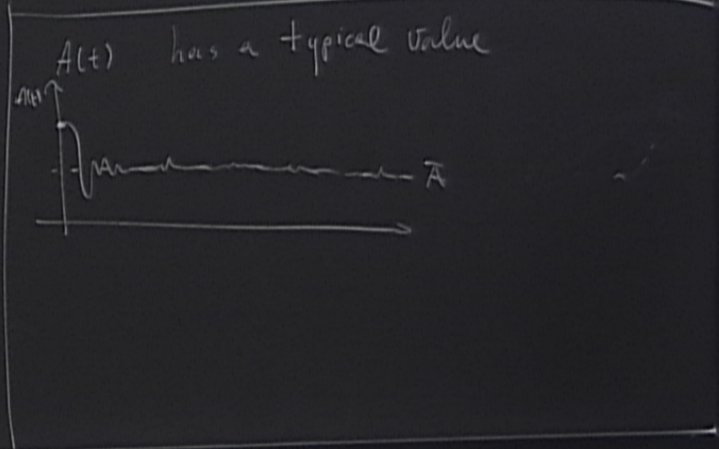
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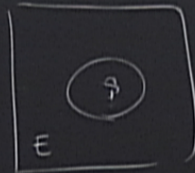


$$U_t^\dagger \rho U_t$$

$$\| \rho - \rho_{eq} \| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty$$



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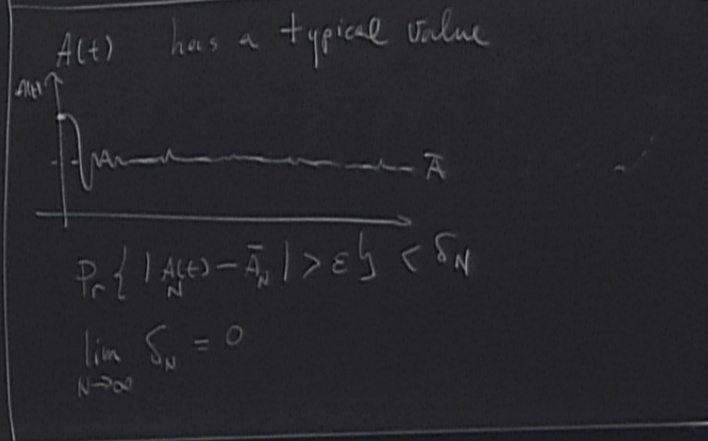
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$$t \rho U_t^\dagger$$

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$$\rho_{eq}(t) - \text{Tr}_E \rho(t) = d_t \bar{\rho}$$

$$\bar{A} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T A(t) dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \langle \psi(0) | e^{+iHt} \hat{A} e^{-iHt} | \psi(0) \rangle dt$$

$$|\psi(0)\rangle = \sum_n a_n |E_n\rangle$$

$$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \sum_{n, n'} a_n^* a_{n'} e^{i(E_{n'} - E_n)t} A_{nn'} dt$$

$$= \sum_n |a_n|^2 A_{nn}$$

$$= \text{Tr}[\hat{A} \bar{\psi}(0)]$$

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$$|\psi(0)\rangle \langle \psi(0)| = \begin{pmatrix} |a_1|^2 & a_1^* a_2 & \dots \\ a_2^* a_1 & & \\ \vdots & & \\ & & |a_n|^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad A_{nn} = \langle E_n | A | E_n \rangle$$

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$$\bar{\psi}(0) = \begin{pmatrix} |a_1|^2 & 0 \\ 0 & |a_n|^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{completely dephased state}$$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sigma_N = 0$$

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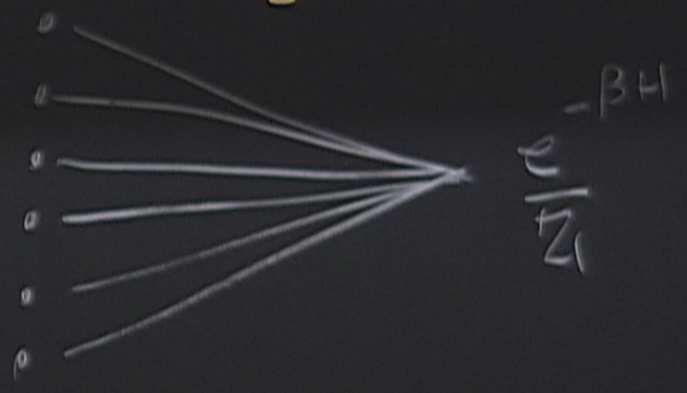
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$P_{VN}(\psi(t)) =$

$$\theta_k(t) = \tan^{-1} \frac{\gamma_{mk}}{E_k + \Lambda_k}$$

$\sigma_1 \rightarrow \sigma_2$

$$\psi(t) = e^{-iH(\sigma_2)t}$$

$$\psi_{in} = \prod_{k>0} \left(\cos(\theta_k^{(2)} - \theta_k^{(1)}) - i \sin(\theta_k^{(2)} - \theta_k^{(1)}) b_{k+}^\dagger b_{k-} \right) |0_k\rangle$$

$$d(t) = |\langle \psi(t) | e^{-iH(\sigma_2)t} | \psi(0) \rangle|^2 = \prod_{k>0} \left[1 - \sin^2(2\chi_k) \tanh^2(\Lambda_k^{(2)} t) \right]$$

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