

Title: Exciton Condensates are Super!

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Abstract: <p>The spatially-indirect exciton condensates (SIXC) is an interesting ordered electronic state in which coherence is spontaneously established between particles localized in separate two-dimensional layers. I will discuss some of the properties SIXCs, commenting on their counterflow superfluidity, their collective excitations, and on similarities and differences relative to superconductors, easy-plane ferromagnets and anti-ferromagnets, and the standard model of particle physics. Finally I will discuss the prospects of achieving SIXC states at elevated temperatures in multi-layer 2D material systems. </p>

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Excitons are Super!

JPE and AHM - Nature (2004)
JPE - Annual Review of CMP (2014)
Fengcheng Wu and Fei Xue - UT Austin



Bose Condensates

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT,
Dacca University.

Dacca, the 24th June 1924.

Prof. Dr. Sir - I have ventured to send you
the accompanying article for your perusal and
opinion. I am anxious to know what you think
of it. You will be that (I have tried to
deduce the coefficient $\frac{h\nu}{kT}$ in Planck's law
independent of the classical electrodynamics)
only assuming $\frac{h\nu}{kT} \ll 1$ that the ultimate
elementary process in the theory of a gas has
the latent heat sufficient to give rise to the
formation of a new paper - If you
think the paper is not sufficient, I shall
be grateful if you will let me know through a
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We are all yours
S. N. Bose

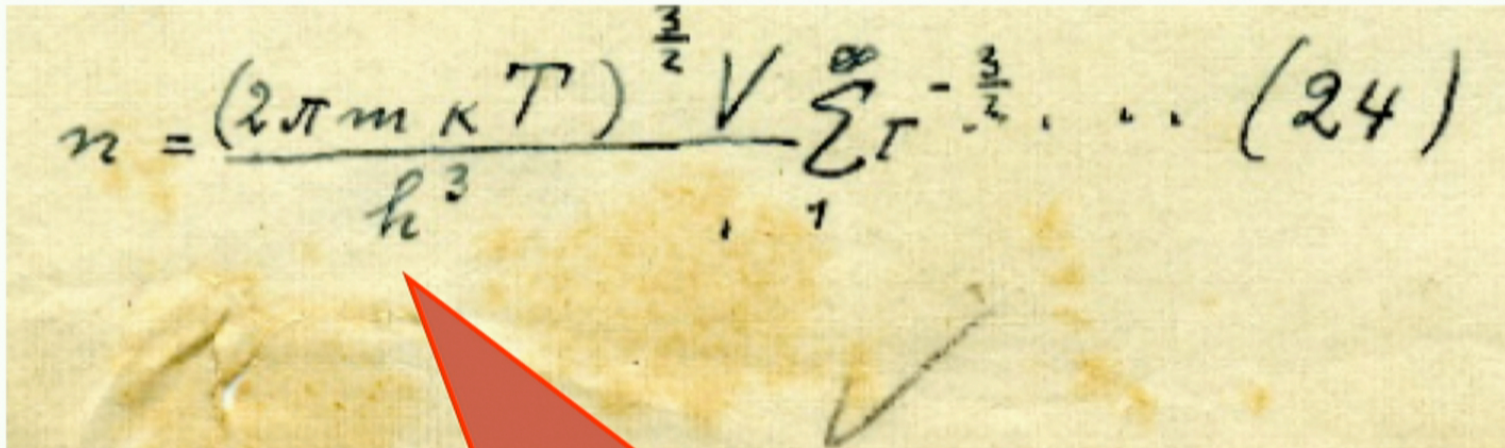


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Bose-Einstein Condensation

Einstein 1925

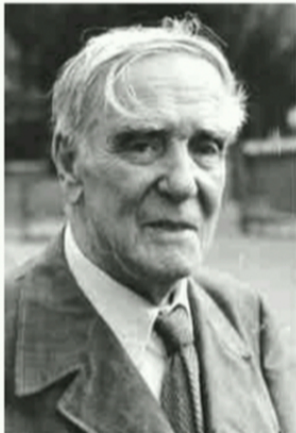


A photograph of a handwritten equation on aged, yellowed paper. The equation is
$$n = \frac{(2\pi m k T)^{\frac{3}{2}} V}{h^3} \sum_{l=1}^{\infty} T^{-\frac{3}{2}} \dots (24)$$
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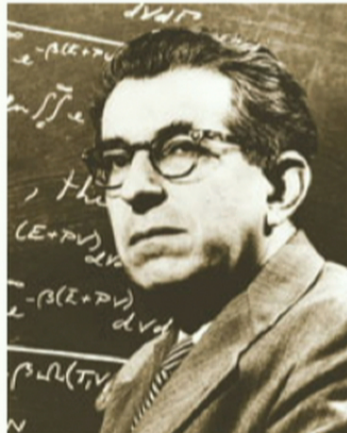
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Bose-Einstein Condensation

$$\langle \hat{\Psi}(\vec{r}) \rangle \neq 0$$



Kapitza



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- Finite Fraction of all Particles in Same State
- Broken Symmetry
- Matter-Wave Interference Phenomena
- Superfluidity

Pair Condensation

$$\langle \hat{\Psi}_{\uparrow}(\vec{r}) \hat{\Psi}_{\downarrow}(\vec{r}) \rangle \neq 0$$

Cooper Pairs

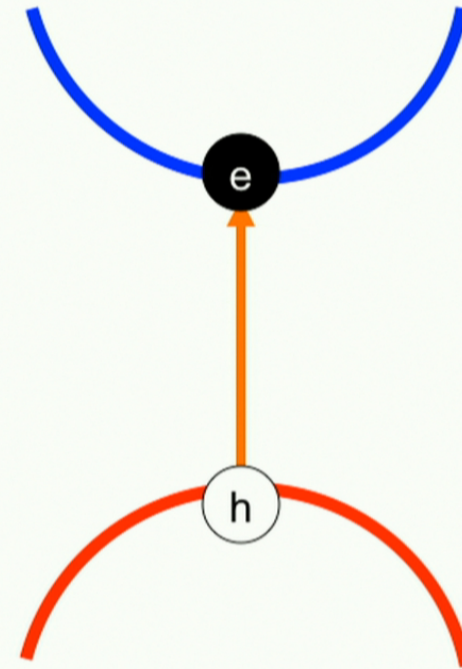
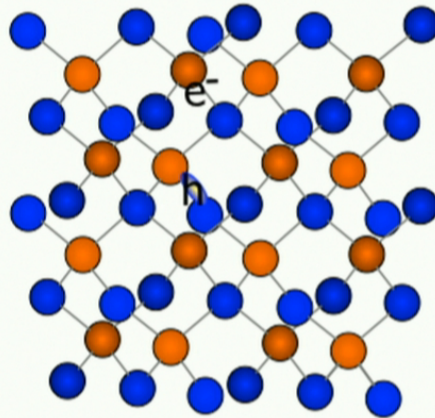
$$\langle \hat{\Psi}_c^{\dagger}(\vec{r}) \hat{\Psi}_v(\vec{r}) \rangle \neq 0$$

Excitons

CDW, SDW
Ferromagnetism

Some History of Exciton Condensates

Excitons - Elementary Excitations of Intrinsic Semiconductors



Bose-Einstein Condensation of Excitons

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Since excitons are electrically neutral, we cannot expect to detect such condensation by spectacular electrical effects.

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6. NECESSARY AND SUFFICIENT CONDITION FOR SUPERFLUIDITY

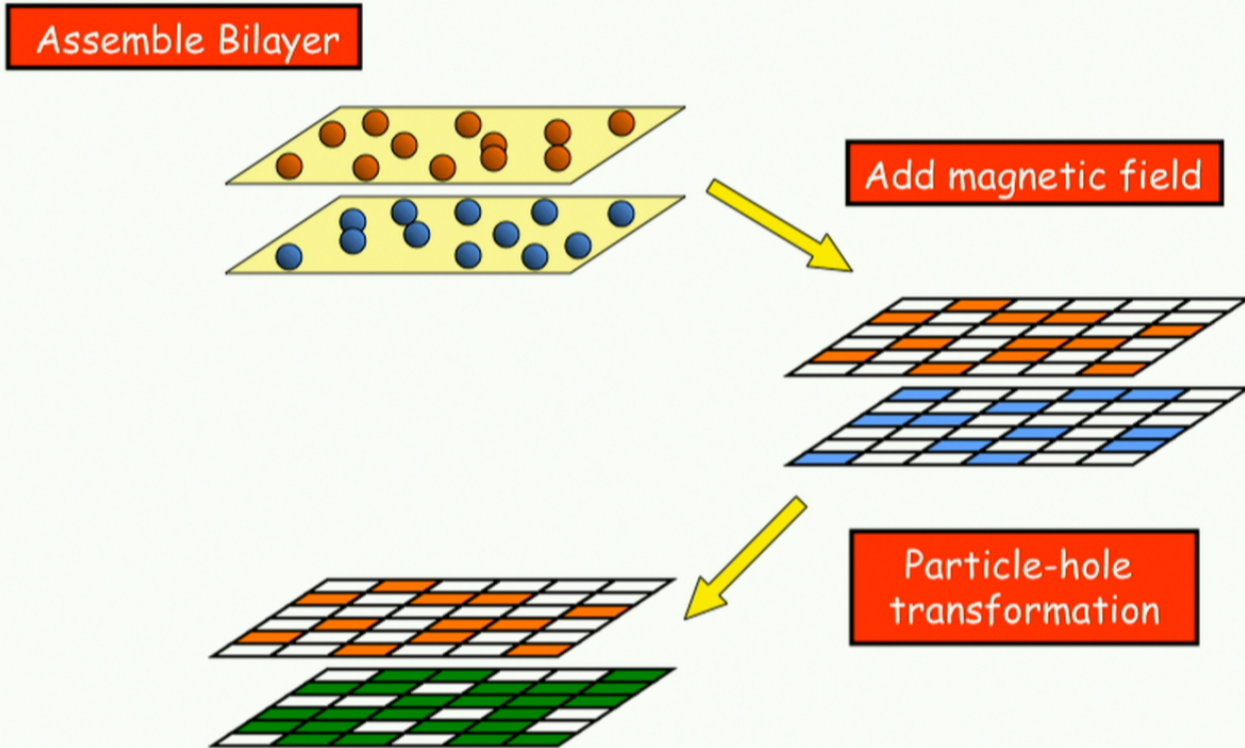
On the other hand, a boson of type II is an elementary excitation of a many-body system which is essentially a bound complex of equal numbers of fermions and their holes. An exciton is an example of this type.

When they condense, the resultant state is not superfluid.

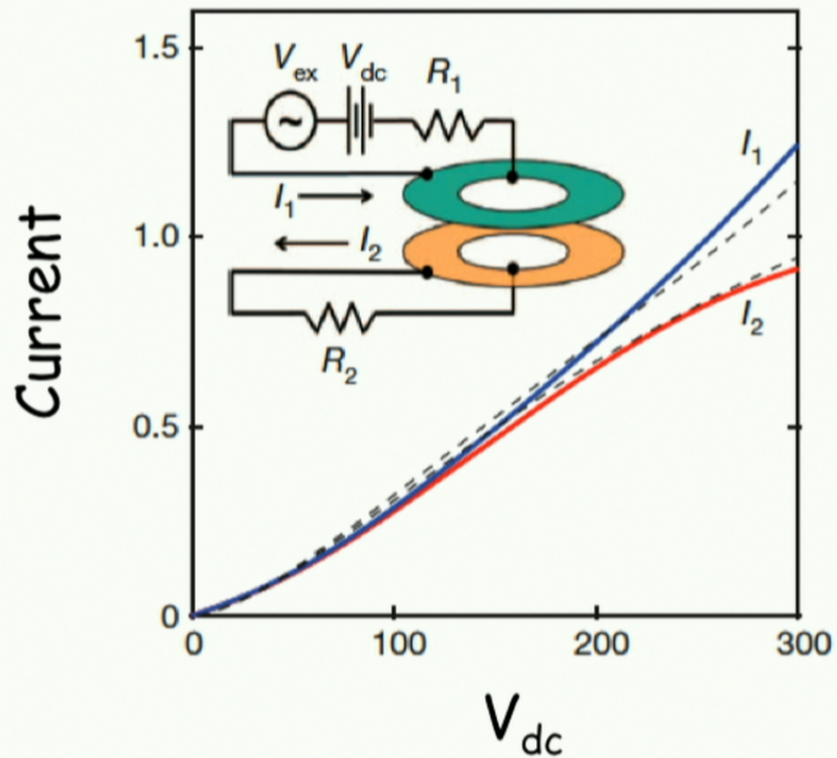
Walter Kohn & David Sherrington RMP (1970)

Transport Properties of Equilibrium Exciton Condensates

Electrons and Holes in the QH Regime



Transport Properties of Bilayer Exciton Condensates



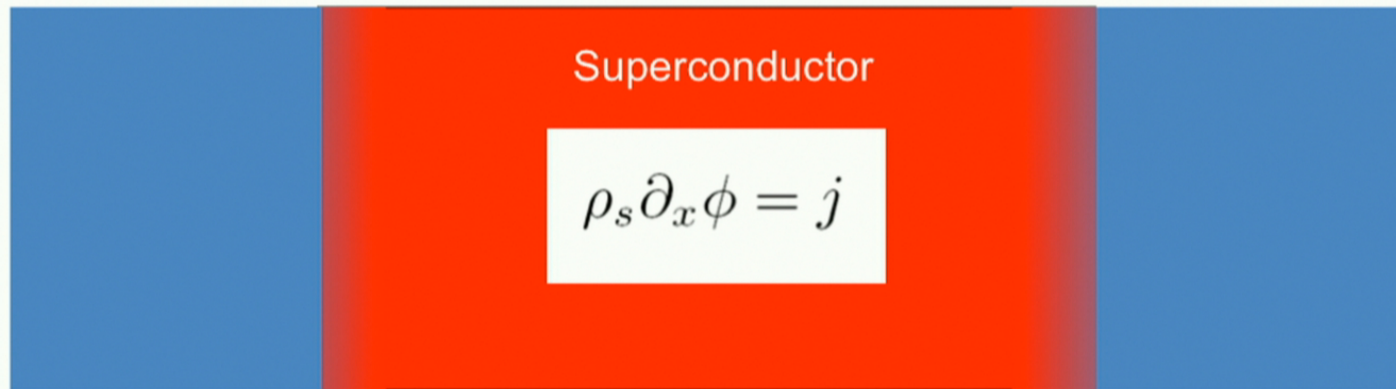
Nandi et al.
Nature
(2012)

Scattering off the Condensate

Interlayer
Tunneling
Mean-Field

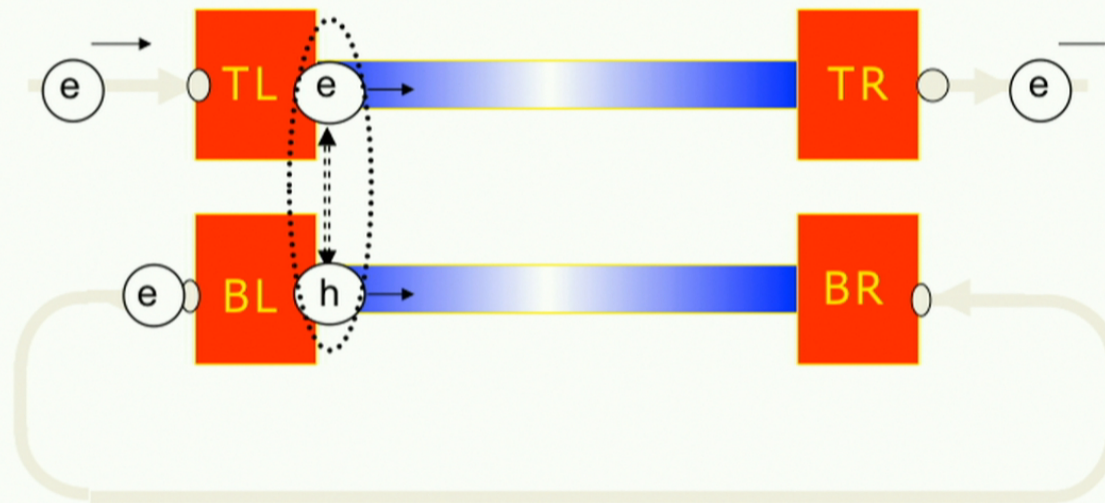
$$U \Psi_T^* \Psi_T \Psi_B^* \Psi_B \approx U \Psi_T^* \Psi_B \langle \Psi_T \Psi_B^* \rangle + \text{h.c.}$$

Andreev Scattering



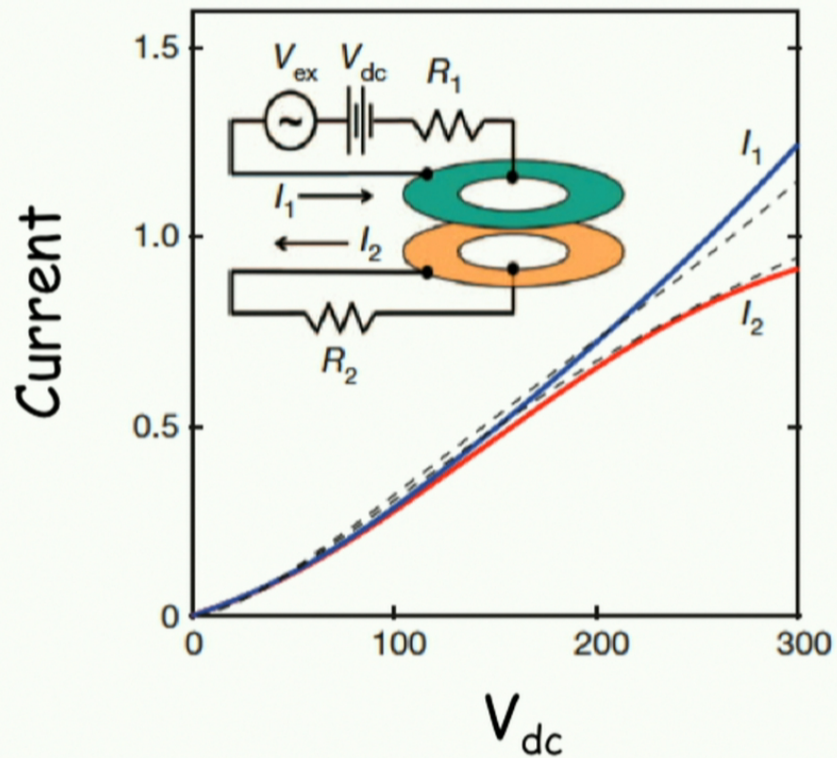
Charge Conservation

Exciton Superflow - in pictures



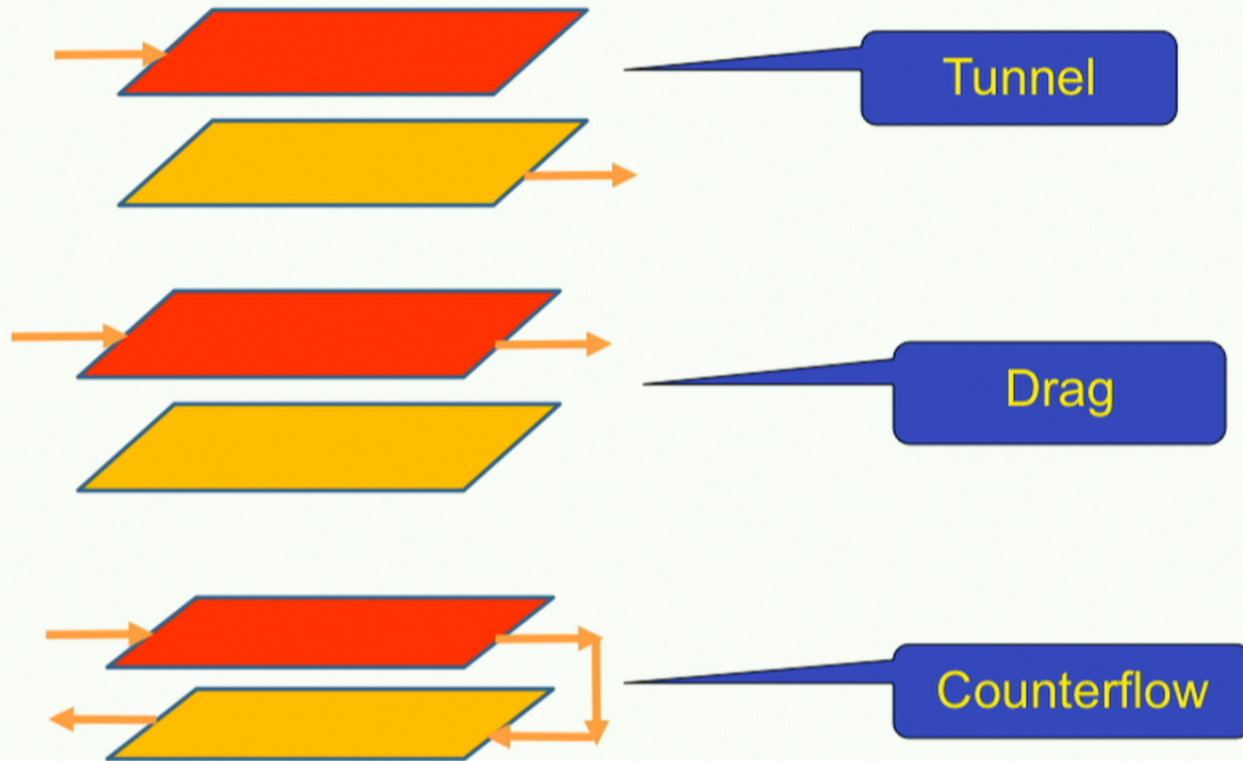
Drag Counterflow
Su & AHM
Nature Phys. (2008)

Transport Properties of Bilayer Exciton Condensates



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Nature
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Three Transport Experiments



Interlayer Tunneling

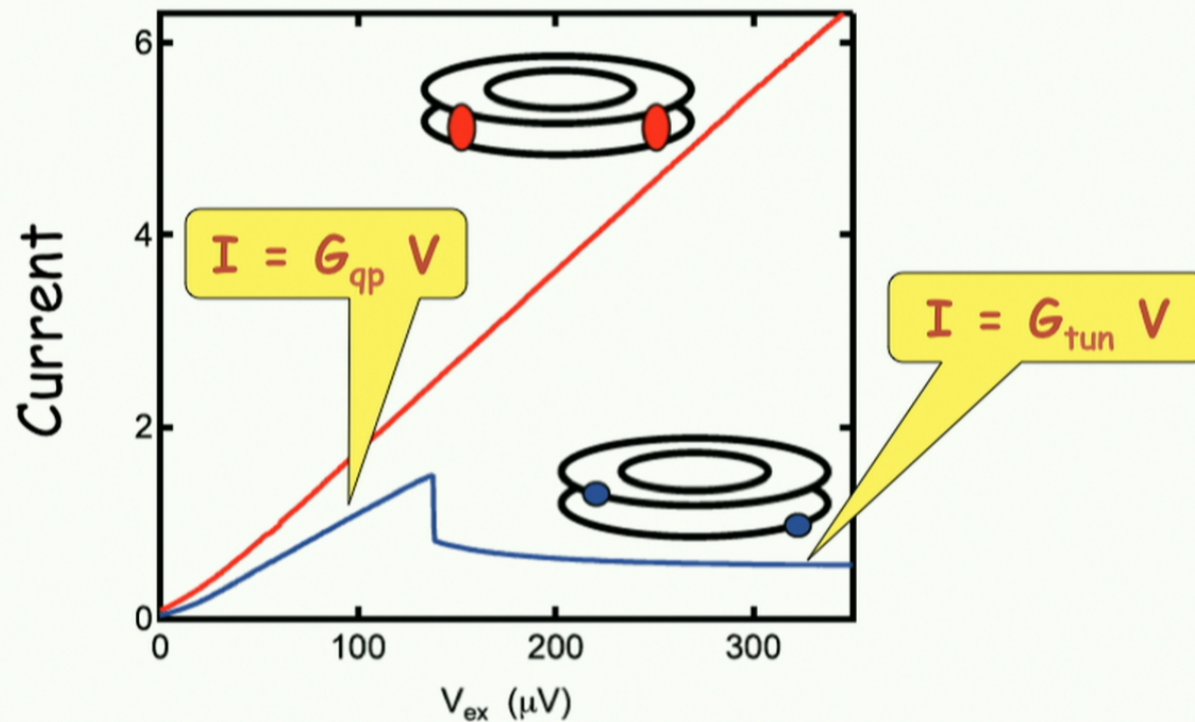
Dipolar Exciton Density

$$\mathcal{E}[\phi, M_z] = -\Delta \cos \phi + \rho |\nabla \phi|^2 + \frac{e^2}{2c} M_z^2$$

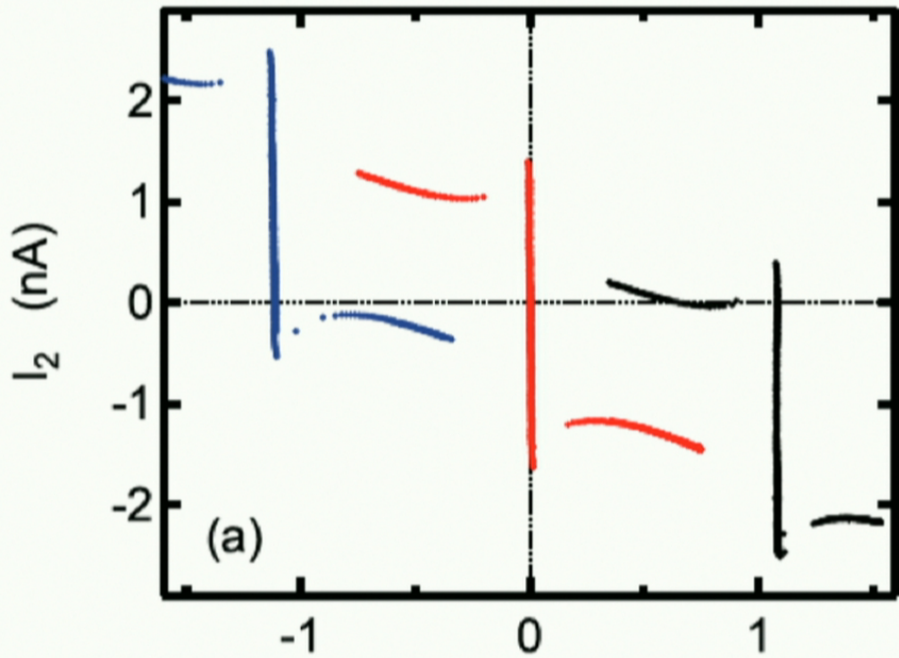
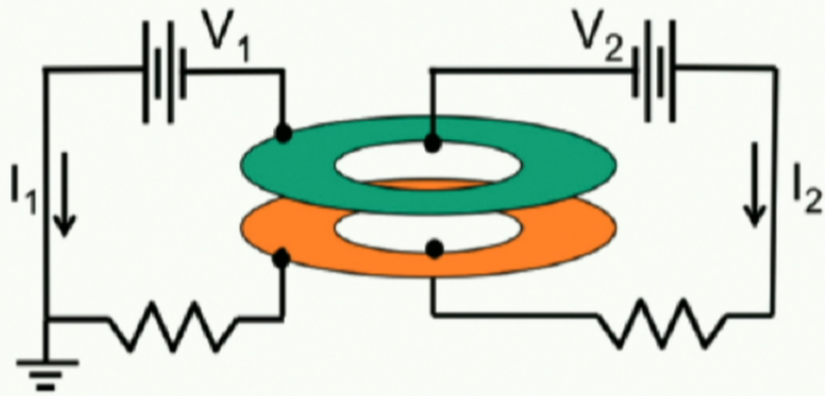
Exciton Andreev
Scattering

$$\hbar \dot{M}_z = -\Delta \sin \phi + 2\rho \nabla^2 \phi - \frac{g_{qp}}{A} \hbar \dot{\phi} + \sum_k \frac{\hbar I_k}{2} l_k \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{R}_k)$$

Transport Properties of Bilayer Exciton Condensates



Nandi et al. PRB (2013)



BISFET

Nandi et al.
PRB (2013)

BISFET DEVICE

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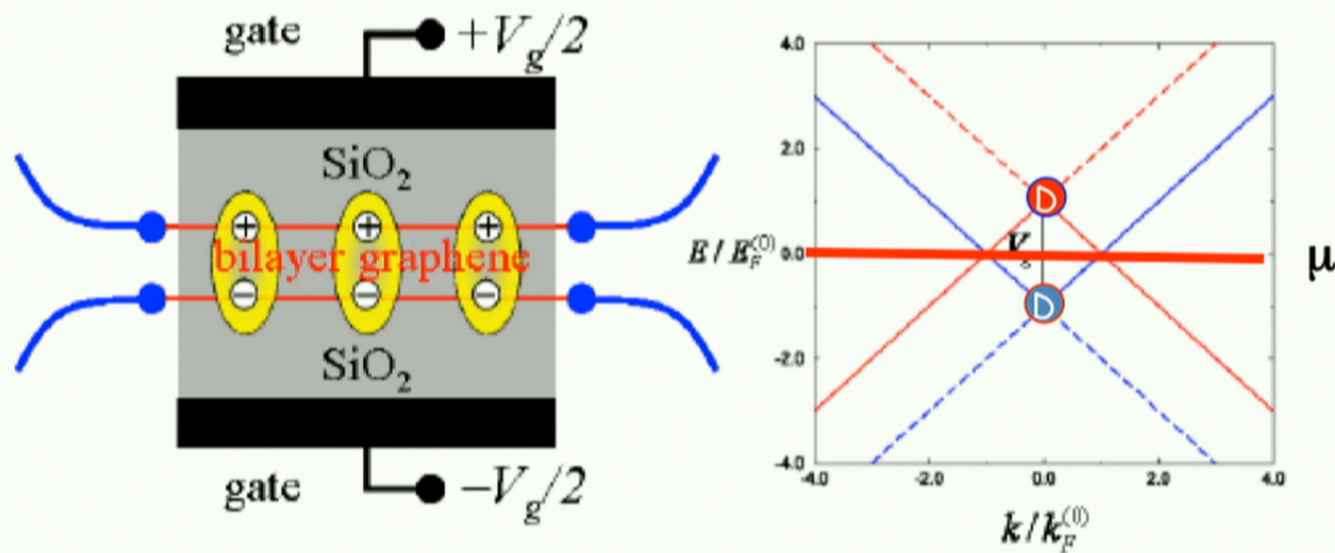
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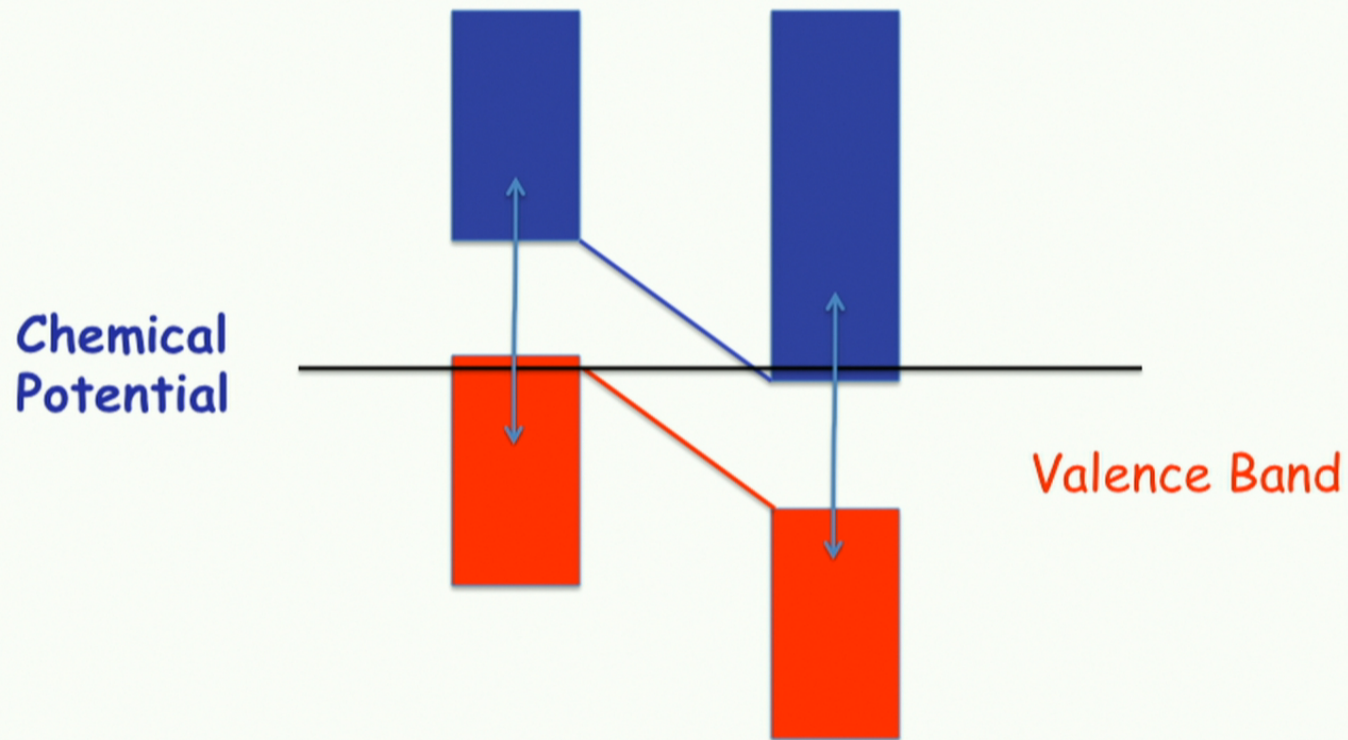
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Seeking
Room Temperature

Neutral Graphene Bilayer

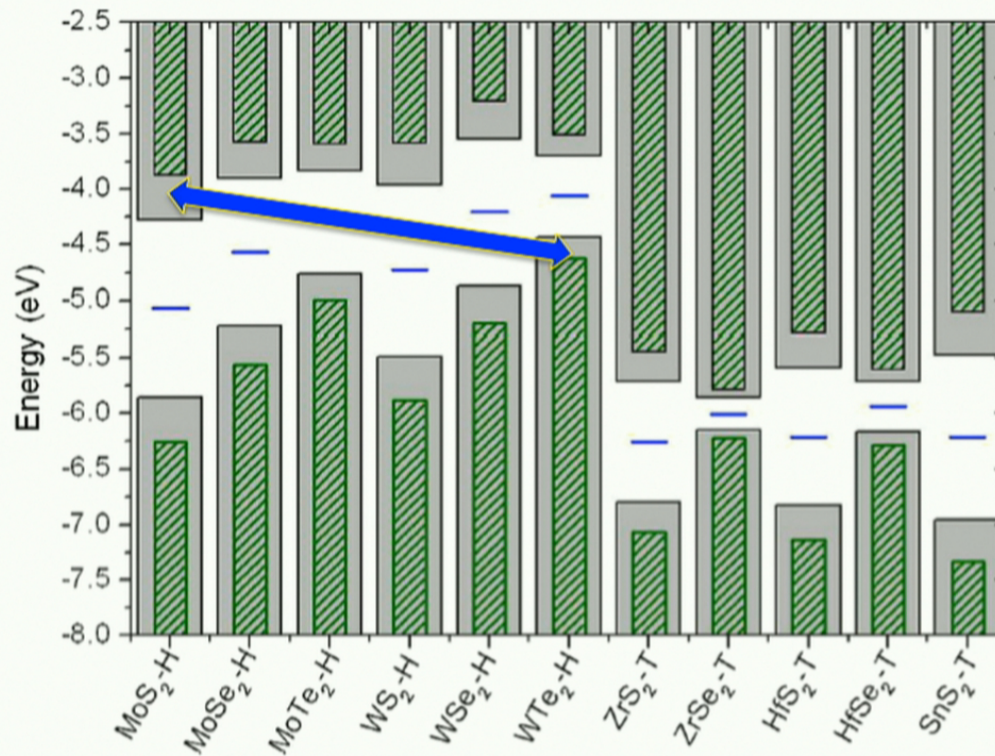


Min et al. , Joglekar, Aleiner PRB (2008)

Gapped 2D Materials are Simpler

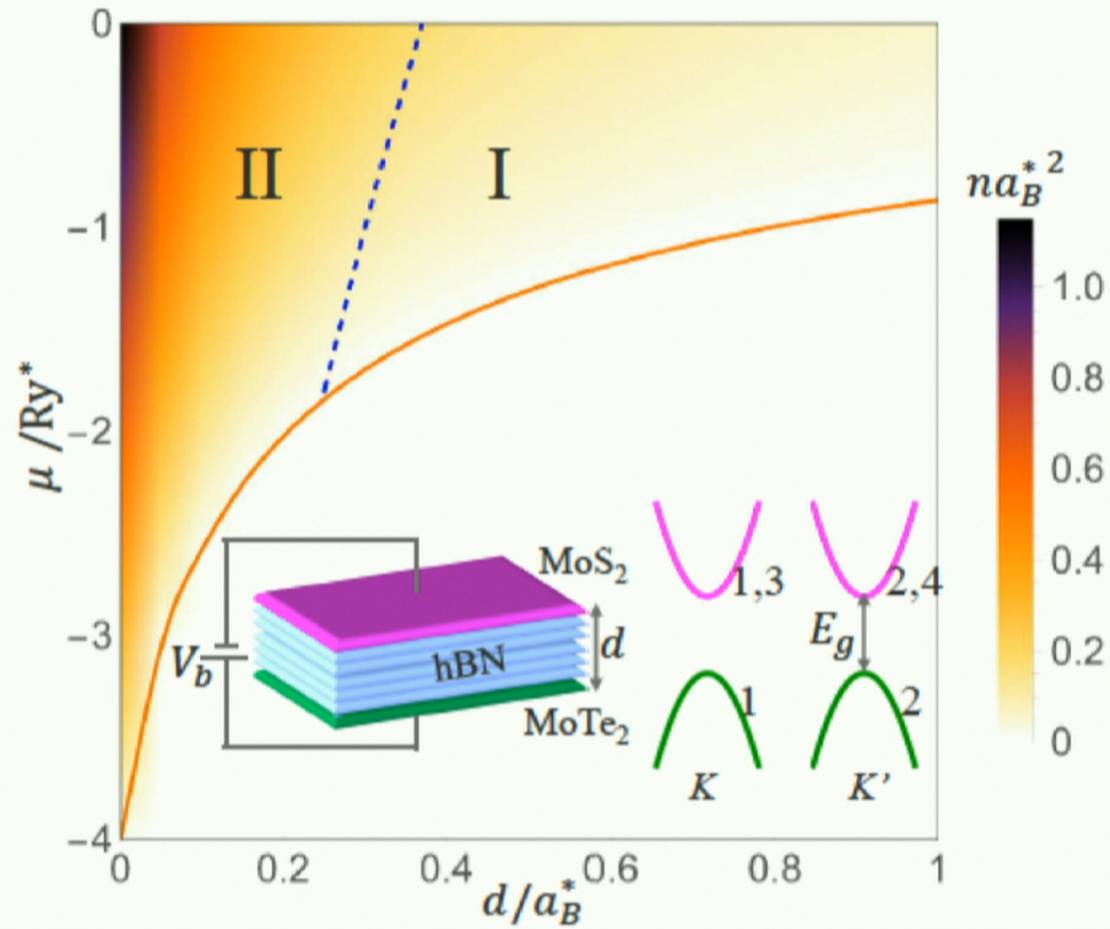


TMD Band Alignments

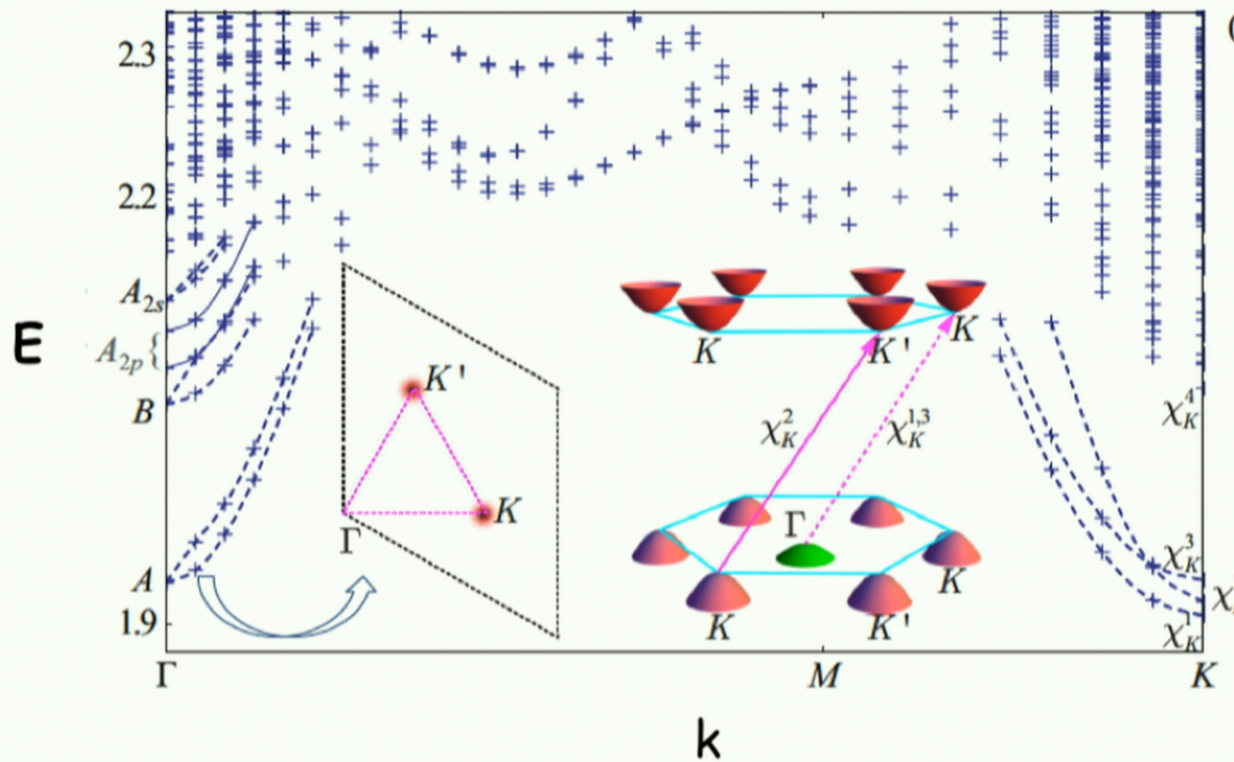


Cho et al. - UTD - APL (2013)

TMD Bilayer XC Phase Diagram

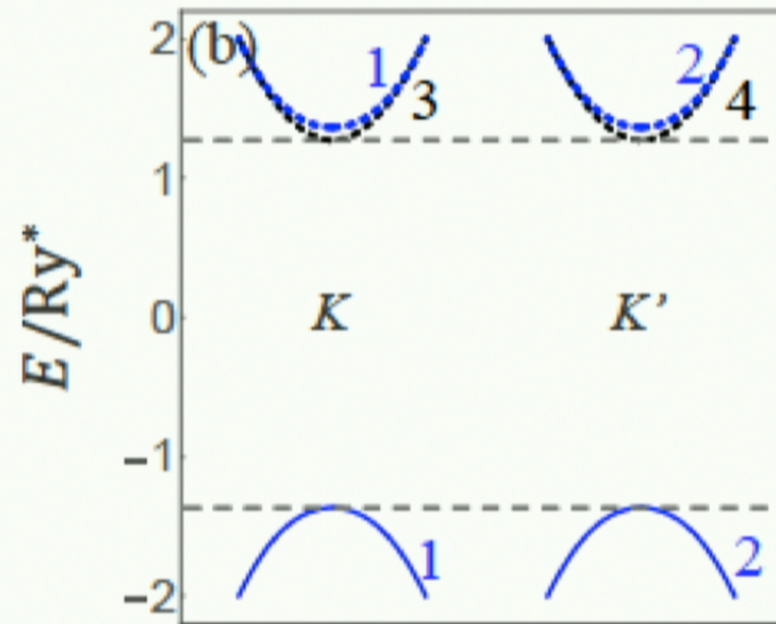


TMD Exciton Band Structure



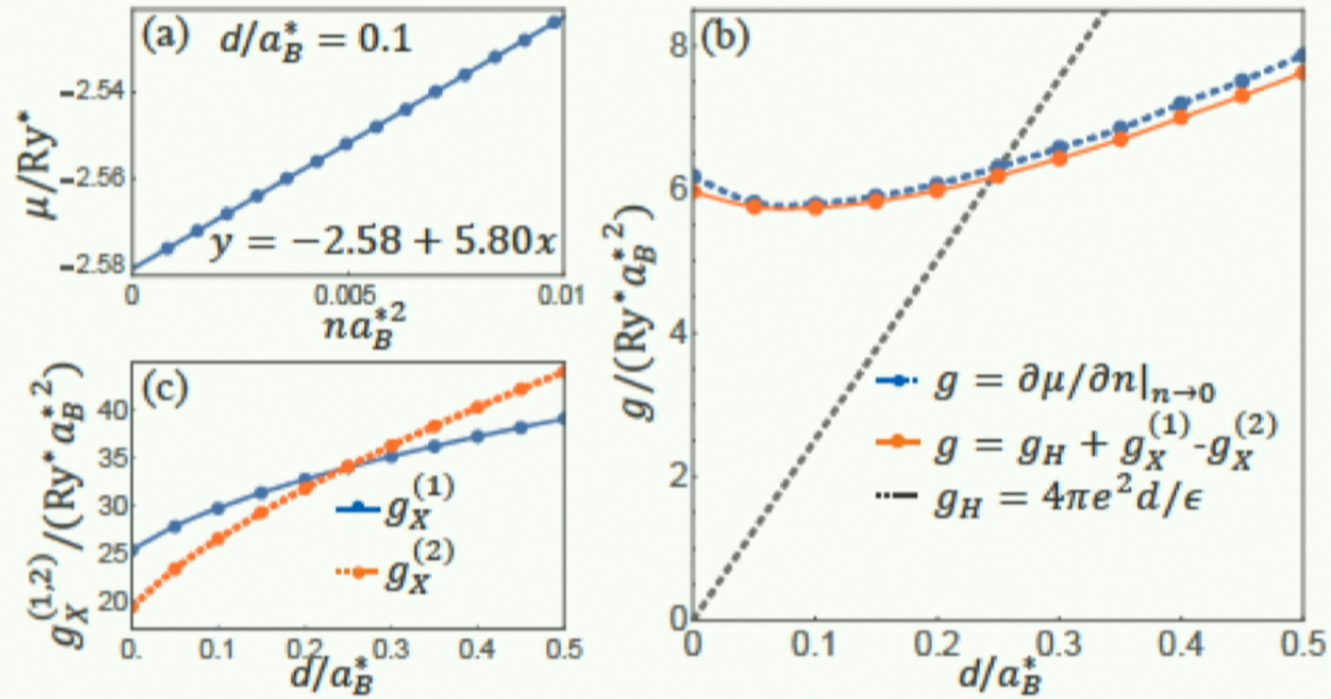
Wu and AHM - PRB (2015)

Many Exciton States



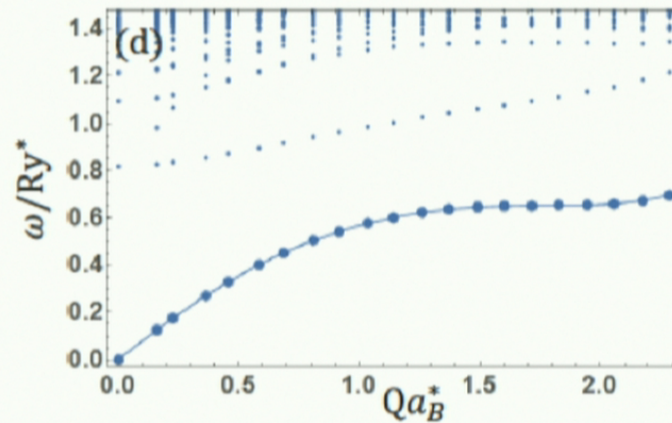
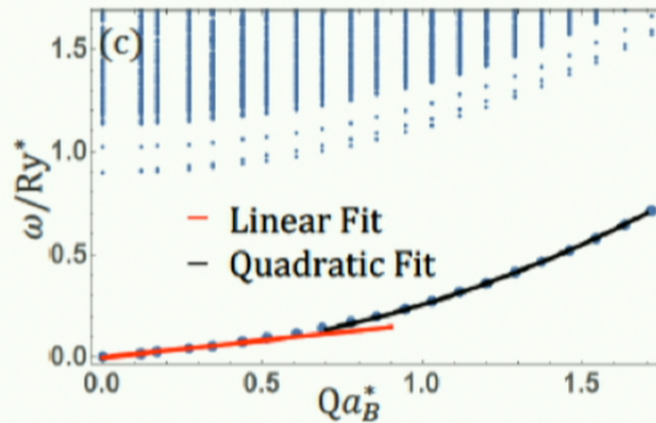
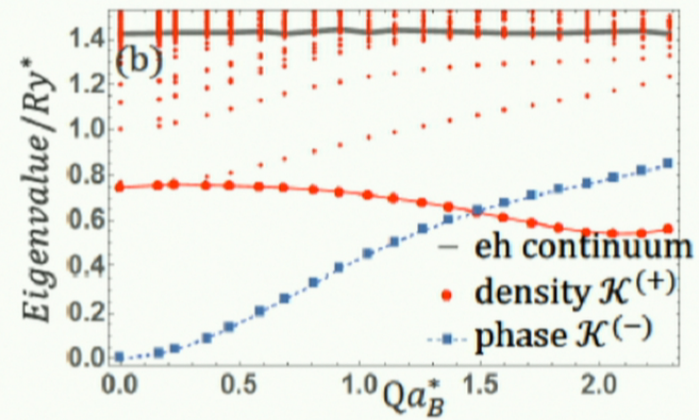
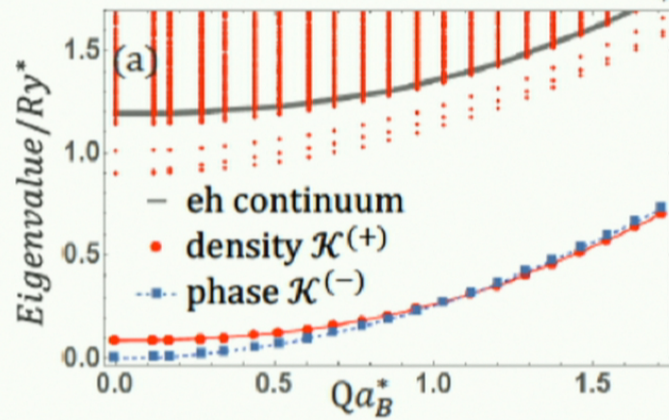
$$|XC\rangle = \prod_k (u_k |vk\rangle + v_k |ck\rangle)$$

Exciton-Exciton Interactions



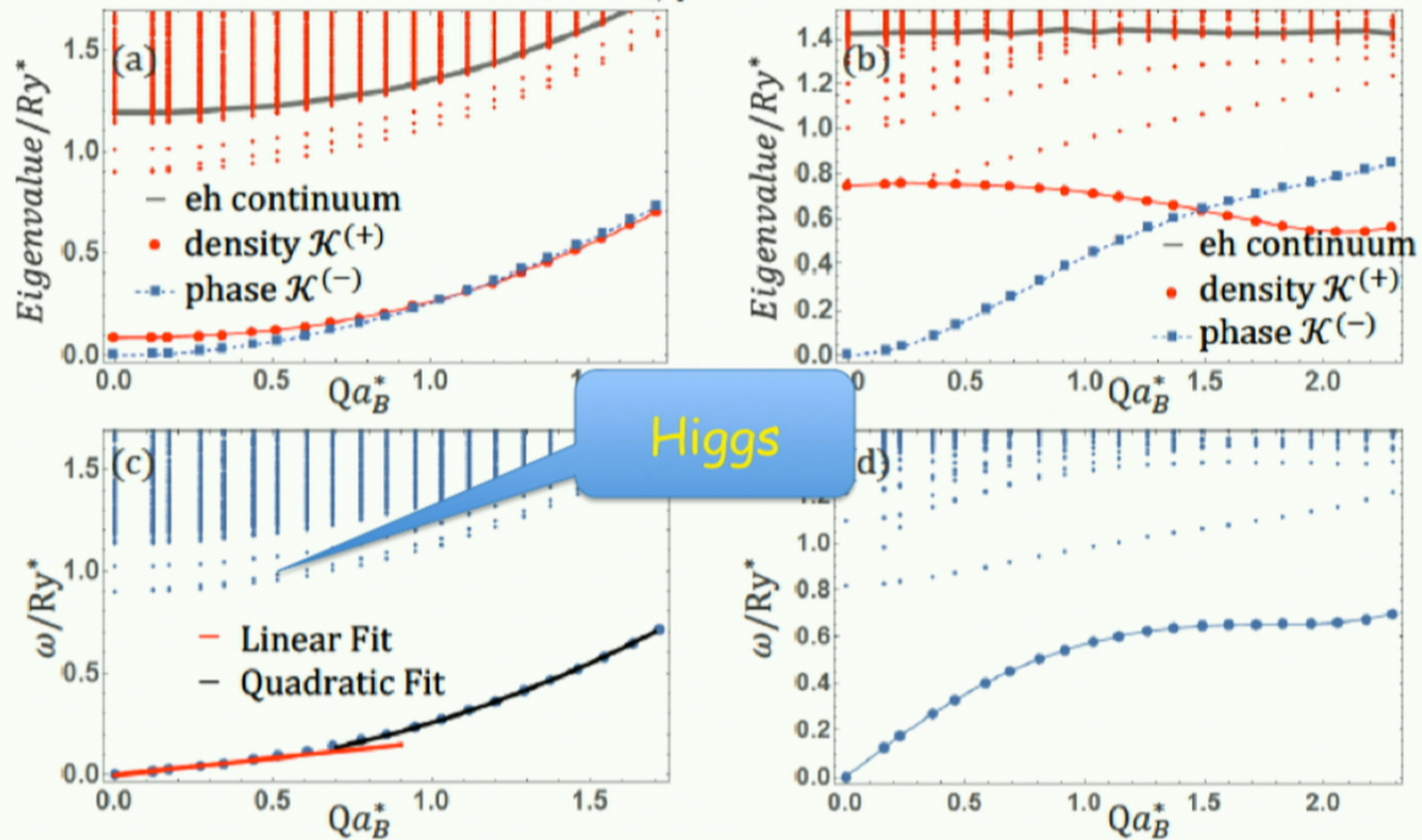
Fluctuation Lagrangian

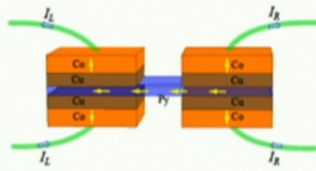
$$|\Phi\rangle = \left[\mathcal{Z} + \sum_{\vec{k}, \vec{Q}} z_{\vec{k}}(\vec{Q}) \gamma_{(\vec{k}+\vec{Q}), 1}^\dagger \gamma_{\vec{k}, 0} \right] |XC\rangle$$



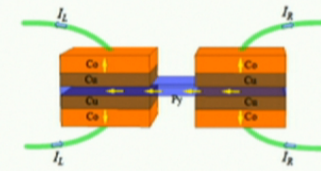
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Magnetic Correspondence

Top Layer Electrode = Spin-Up Electrode

Bottom Layer Electrode = Spin-Down Electrode

(Capacitance)⁻¹ = Easy-Plane Anisotropy

Tunneling = In-Plane Anisotropy

Chen, Kent, AHM PRB (2014)