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Abstract:

Using Monte Carlo methods we explore how well does the recent proposal for computing conformal dimensions, using a large charge expansion, work. We focus on the $O(2)$ and the $O(4)$ Wilson-Fisher fixed points as test cases. Since the traditional Monte Carlo approach suffers from a severe signal-to-noise ratio problem in the large charge sectors, we use worldline formulations that eliminate such problems. In particular we argue that the $O(4)$ model can be simplified drastically by studying what we refer to as a "qubit" formulation. Such simpler formulations of quantum field theories have become interesting recently from the perspective of quantum computing. Using our studies we confirm that the conformal dimensions of both conformal field theories with $O(2)$ and $O(4)$ symmetries obey a simple formula predicted by the large charge expansion. We also compute the two leading universal low energy constants in both cases , that play an important role in the large charge expansion.

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Motivation

Conformal field theories are characterized by conformal dimensions D_Q of primary field operators.

Another proposal: “Q-expansion” (large charge expansion)

Hellerman, Orlando, Reffert, Watanabe JHEP 12(2015) 71.



Alvarez-Gaume, Loukas, Orlando, Reffert, JHEP 4 (2017) 59.

Idea:

Identify a conserved charge Q in the theory

Consider computing the conformal dimension D_Q associated with the primary field with large Q .

Use “radial quantization”, to argue that computing D_Q is equivalent to computing the energy of the theory on a sphere with unit radius.

When Q is large this energy can be computed in a semiclassical expansion in powers of $1/Q$ starting using ideas of effective field theories with unknown constants.

Idea:

Since the only scale in the problem is R we must be able to compute $E(R)$ as a function of R in the charge Q sector.

$$E(R) = 4\pi R^2 \times (\text{EnergyDensity})$$

$$(\text{Charge Density}) \sim \left(\frac{Q}{4\pi R^2} \right)$$

Q: How well does this approach work in practice?

A: Compute D_Q using a Monte Carlo method and check!

Challenge: Computing D_Q using Monte Carlo methods suffers from severe signal to noise ratio problems with conventional methods for large Q .



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Qubit Formulations

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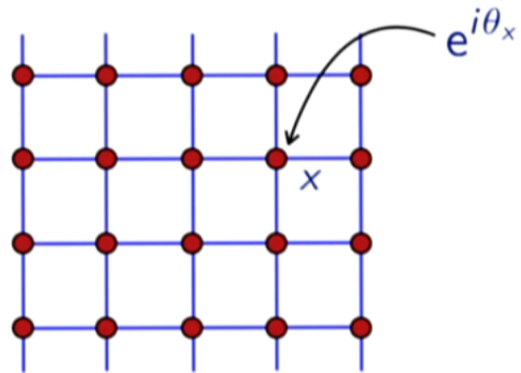


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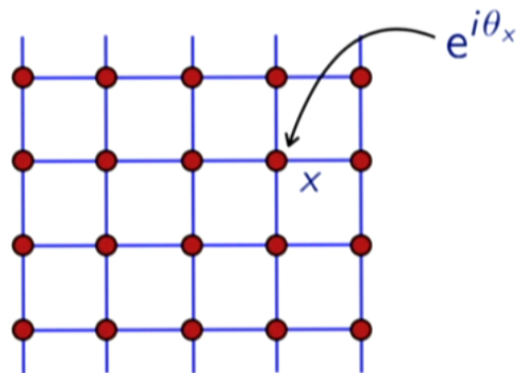


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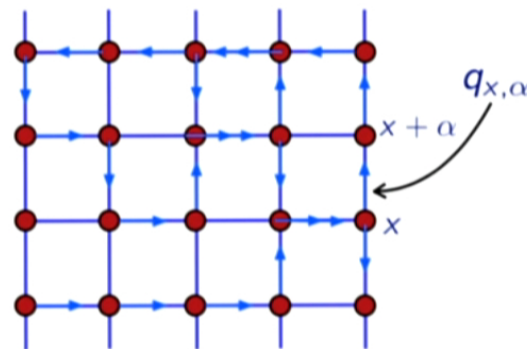
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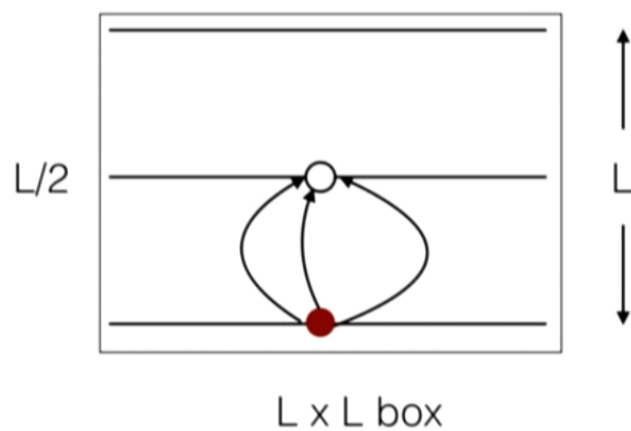
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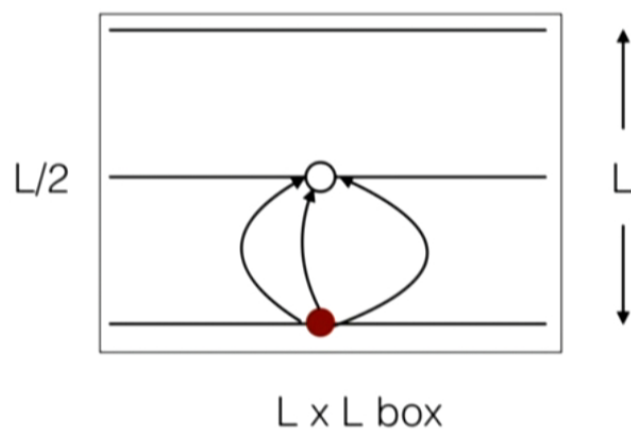
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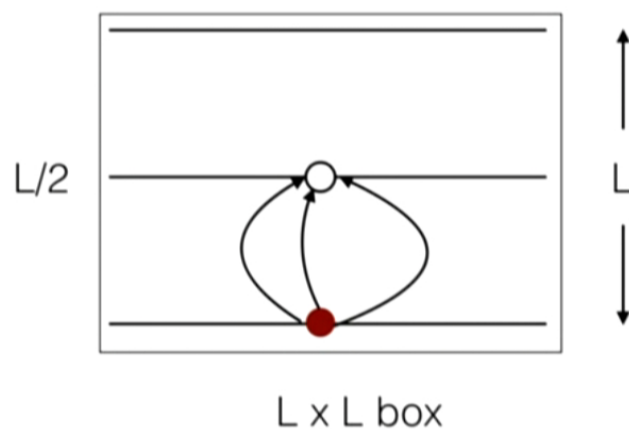
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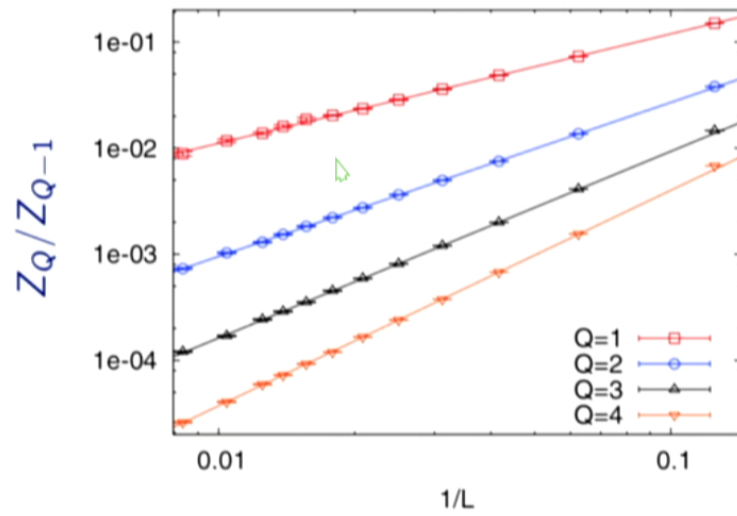
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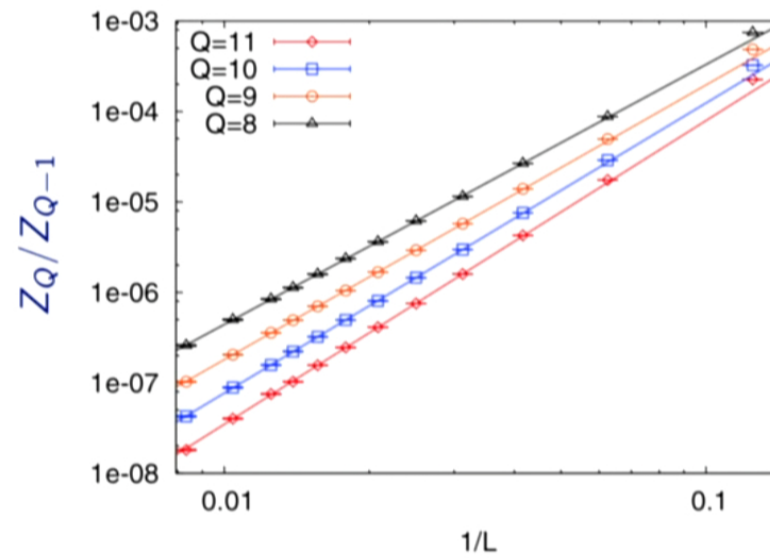
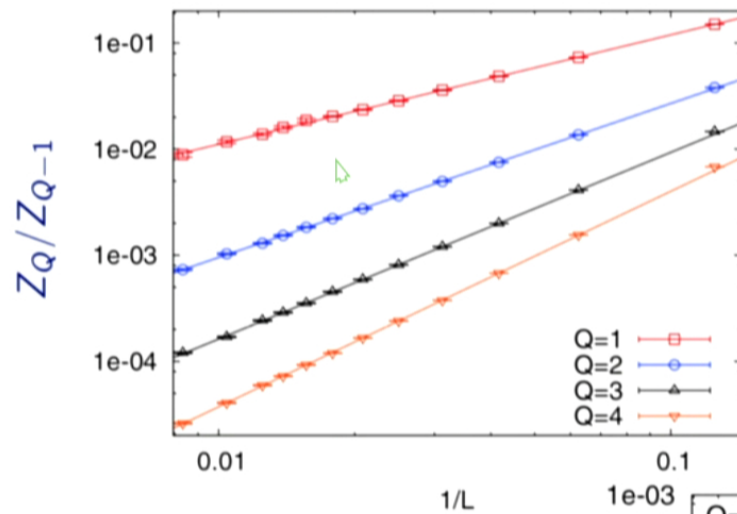
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2	0.722(4)	1.238(5)	8	1.437(4)	8.278(9)
3	0.878(4)	2.116(6)	9	1.518(2)	9.796(9)
4	1.012(2)	3.128(6)	10	1.603(2)	11.399(10)
5	1.137(2)	4.265(6)	11	1.678(5)	13.077(11)
6	1.243(3)	5.509(7)	12	1.748(5)	14.825(12)

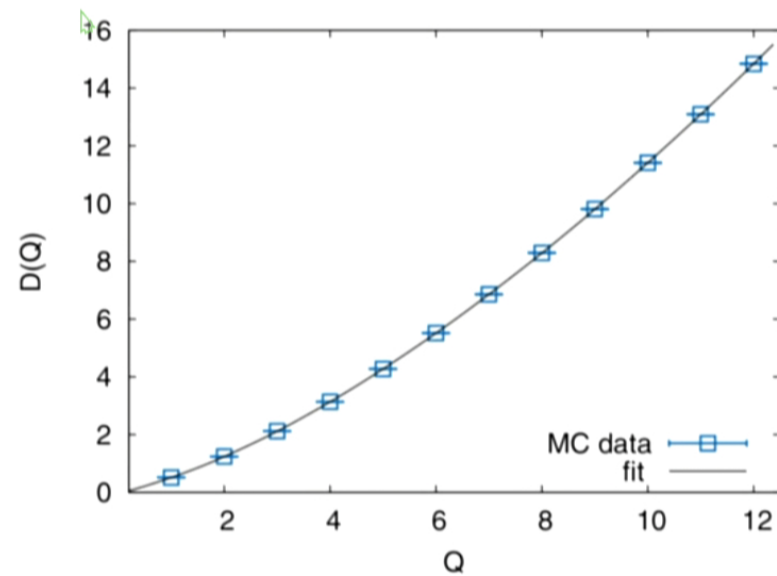
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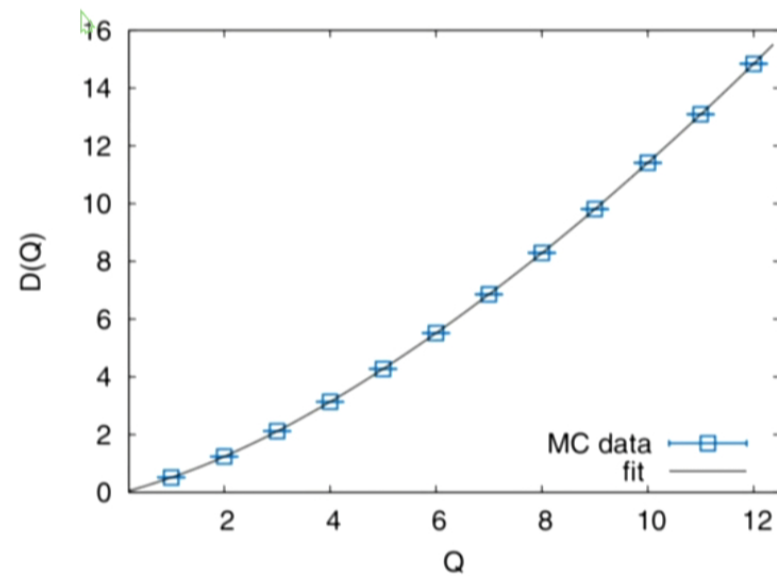
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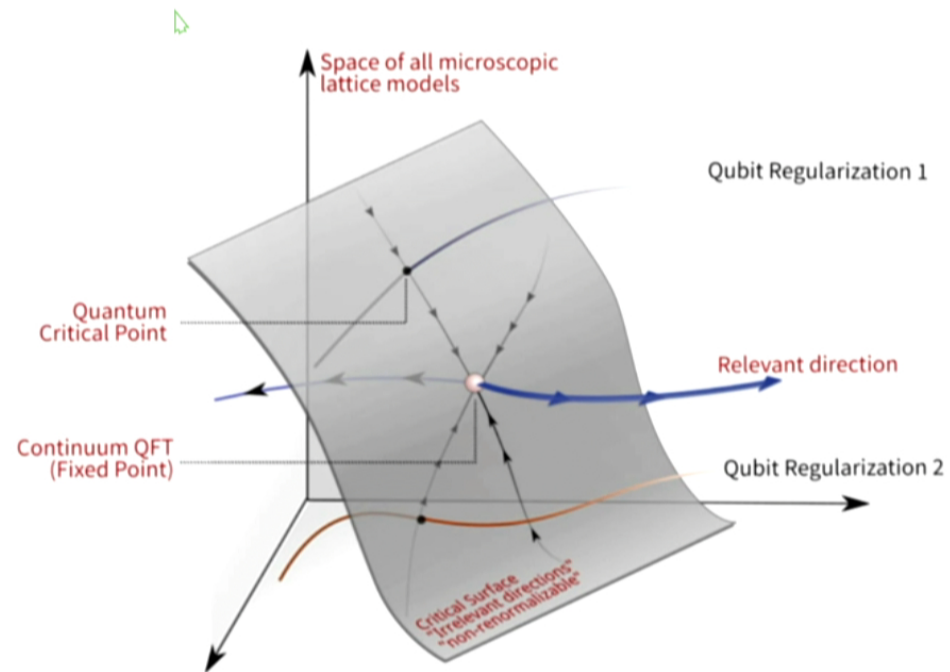
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Fermions are already qubits, but with anti-commutation relations.

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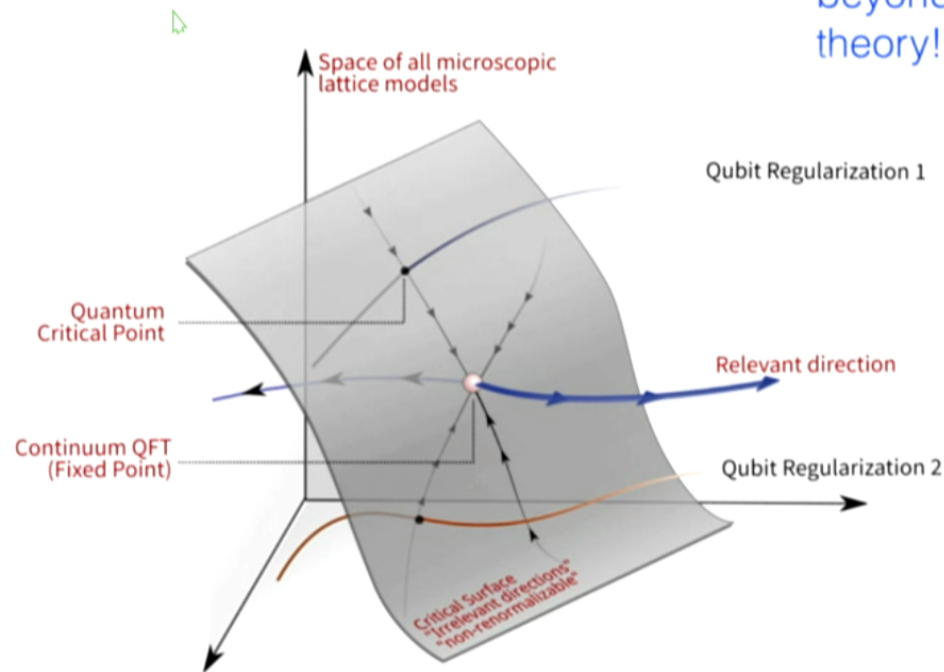


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Identifying QCPs usually requires tools beyond perturbation theory!



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This talk: They helped us to explore the large Q-expansion in the $O(4)$ model!

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(pair creation-annihilation term)

$$+ \mu \sum_{x, \alpha} a_{x, \alpha}^\dagger a_{x, \alpha}$$

(chemical potential term)

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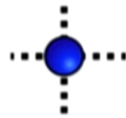
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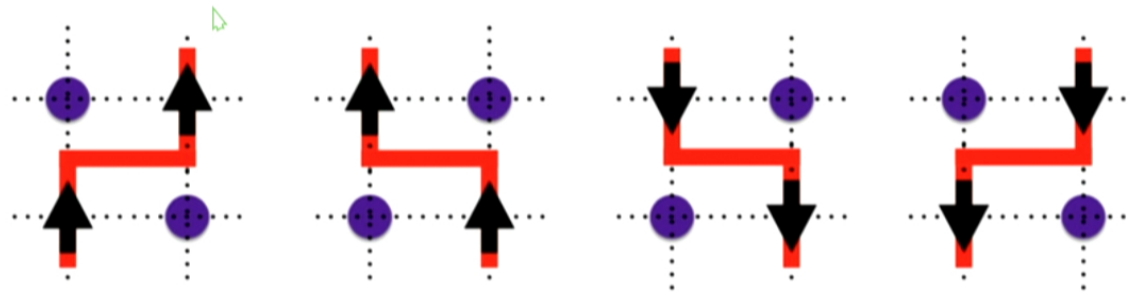
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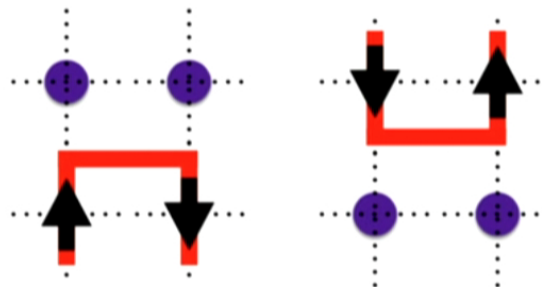
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Euclidean Qubit $O(4)$ Model



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 Biz
Seems important, right?
As of today, we're less than six months away from el...

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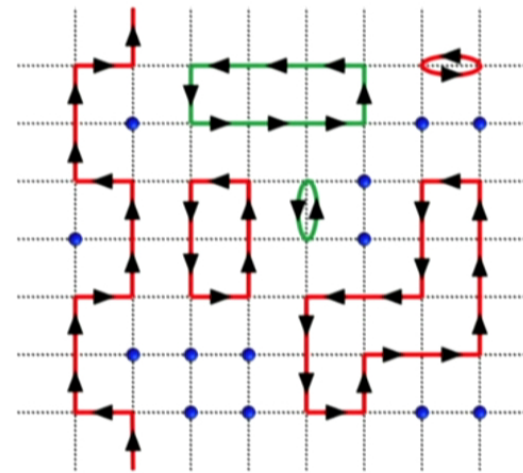
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Hamiltonian limit $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

Can study using classical QMC
 (directed loop/worm algorithms)



$$W_s = \varepsilon t \quad W_t = \exp(-\varepsilon \mu)$$

Observables

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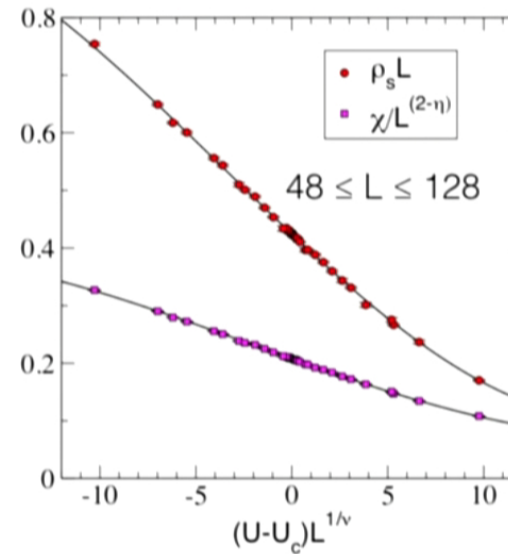
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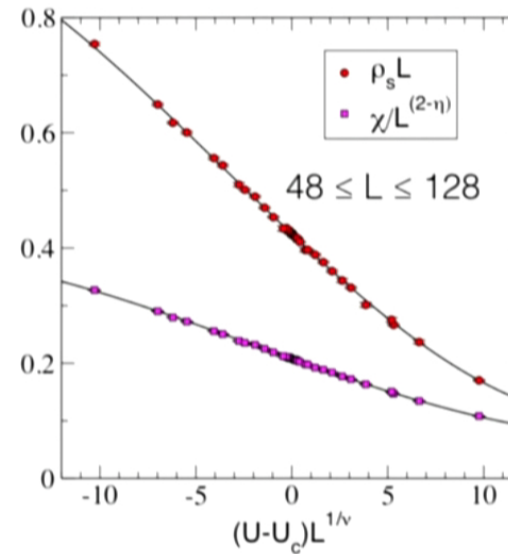
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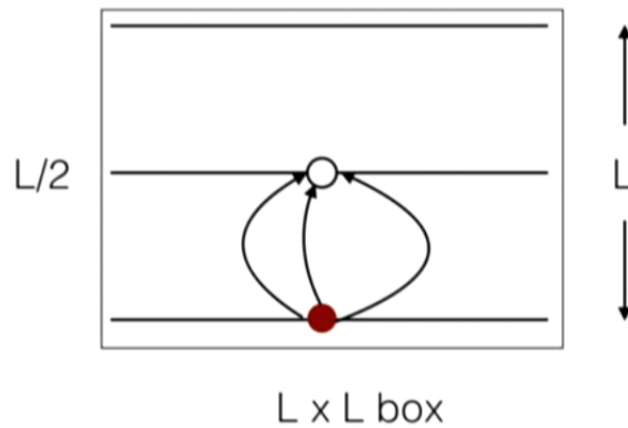
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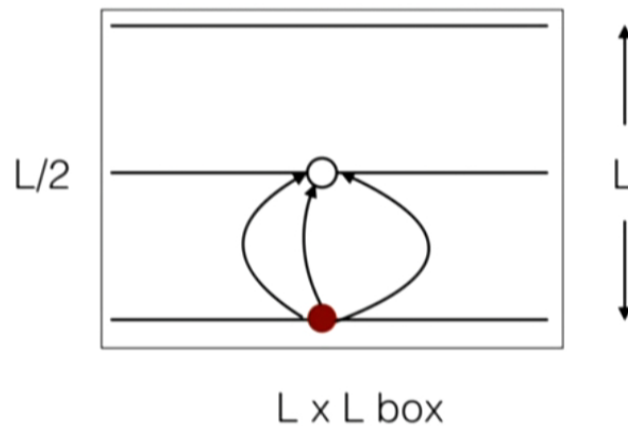
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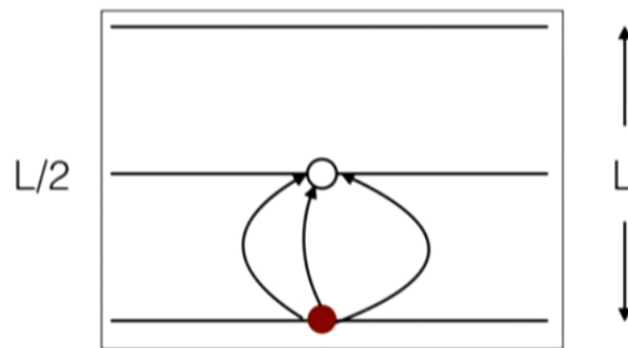
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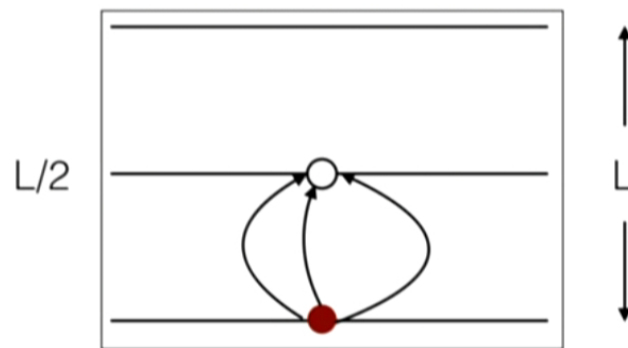
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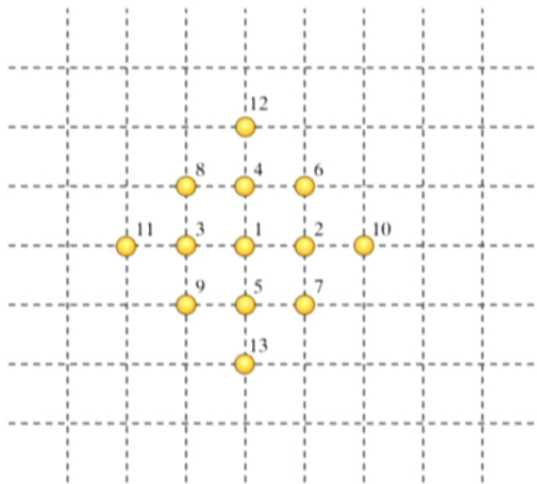
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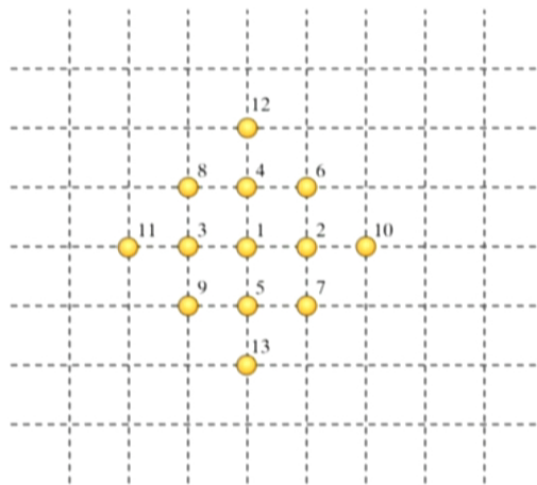
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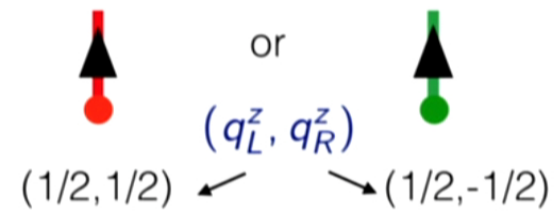


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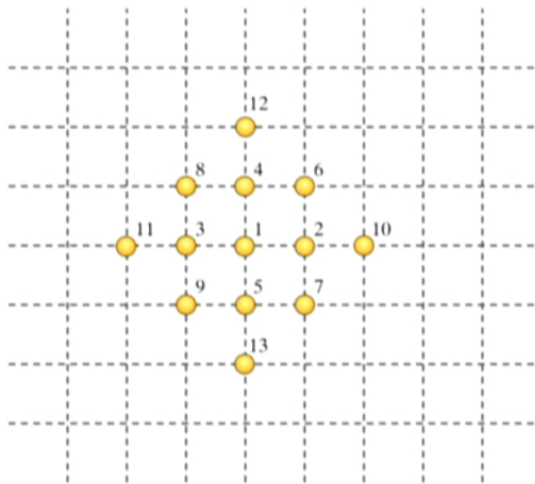
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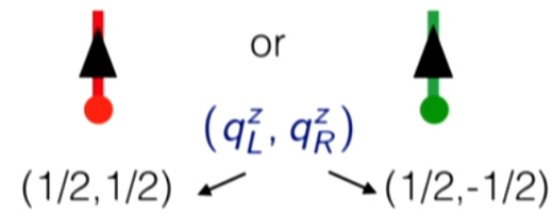
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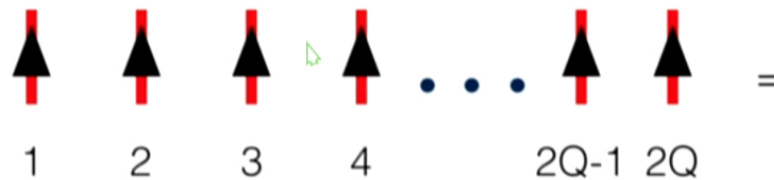


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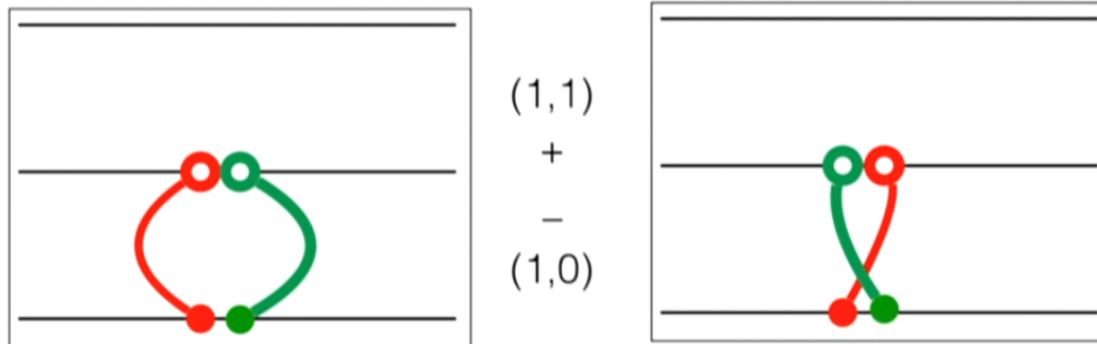
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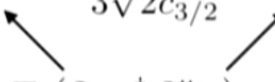
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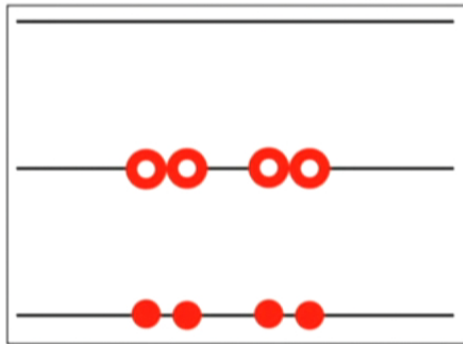
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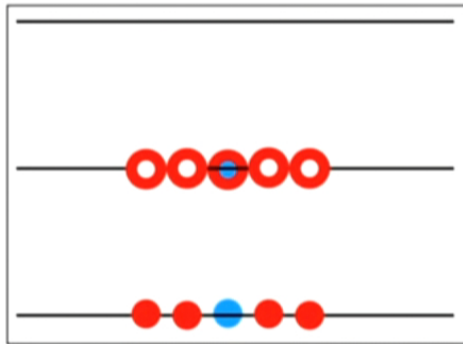
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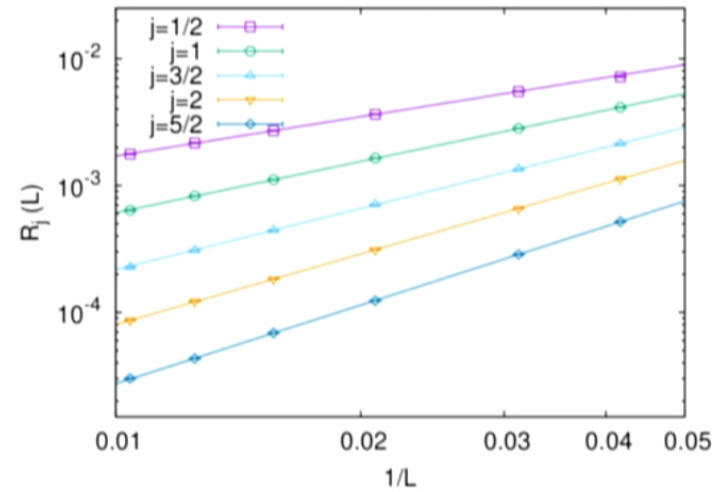
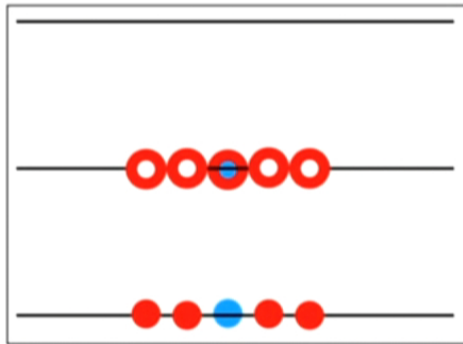
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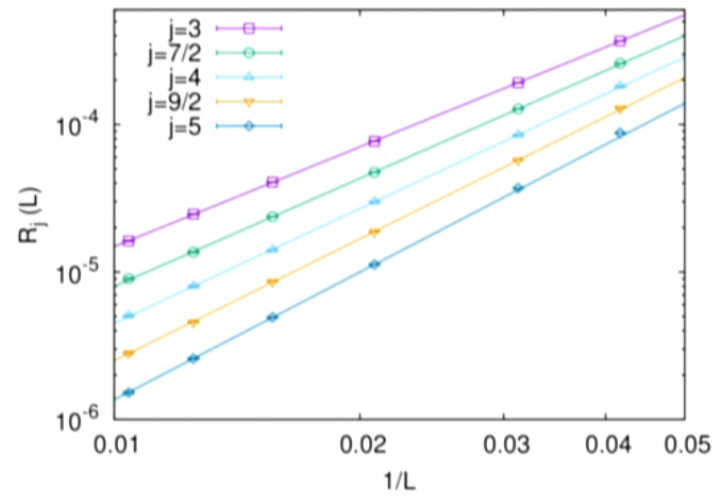
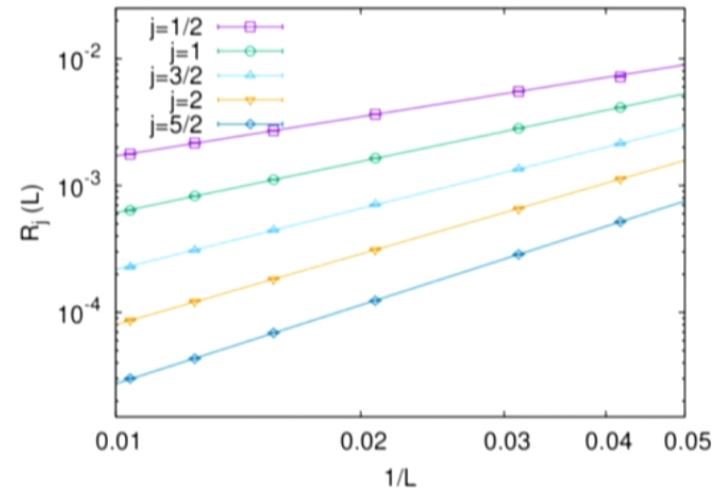
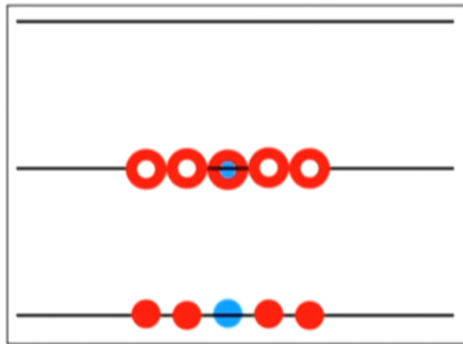
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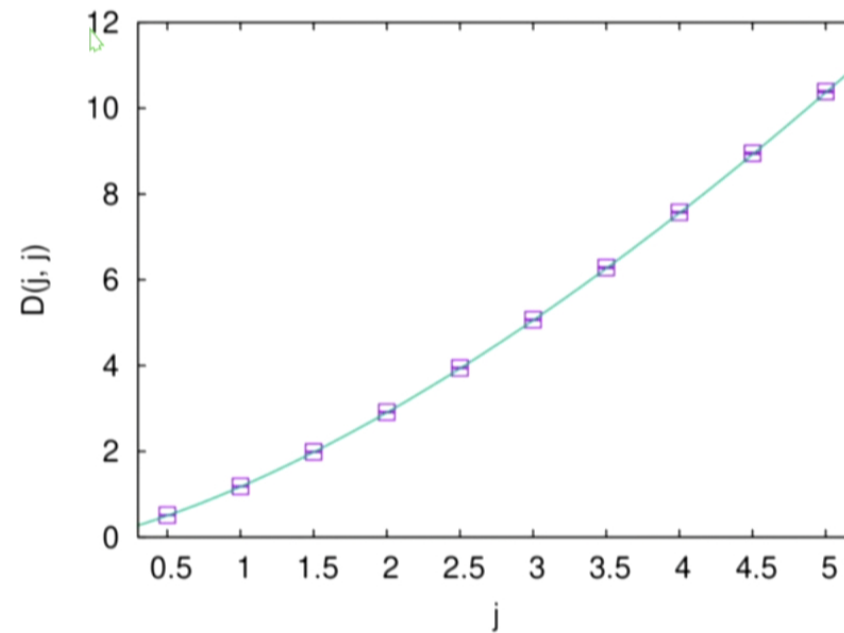


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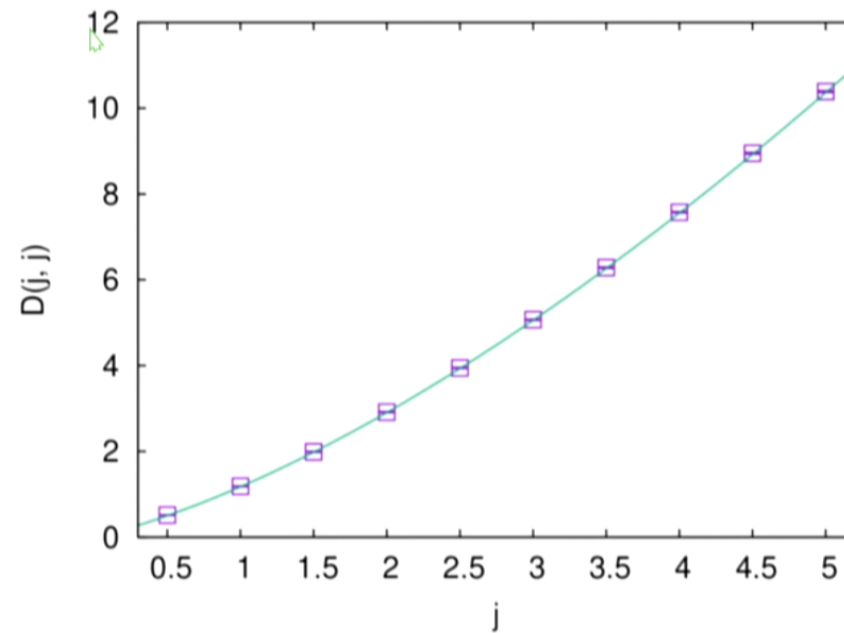
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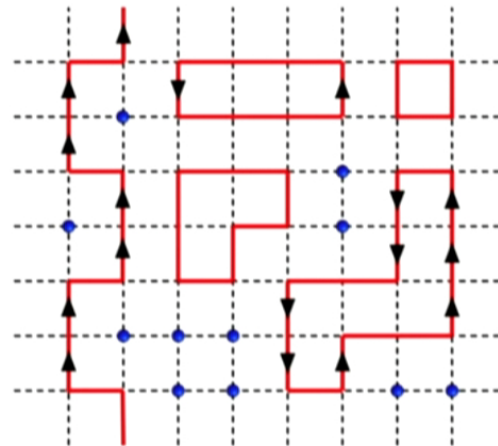
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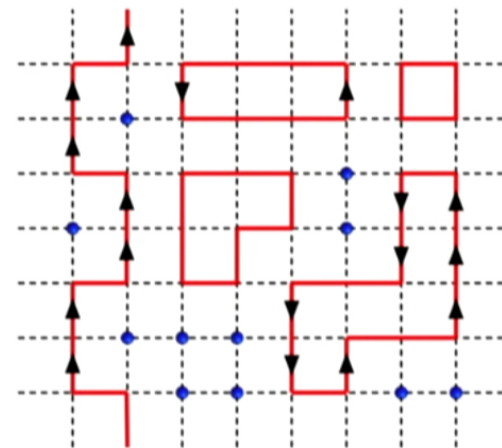
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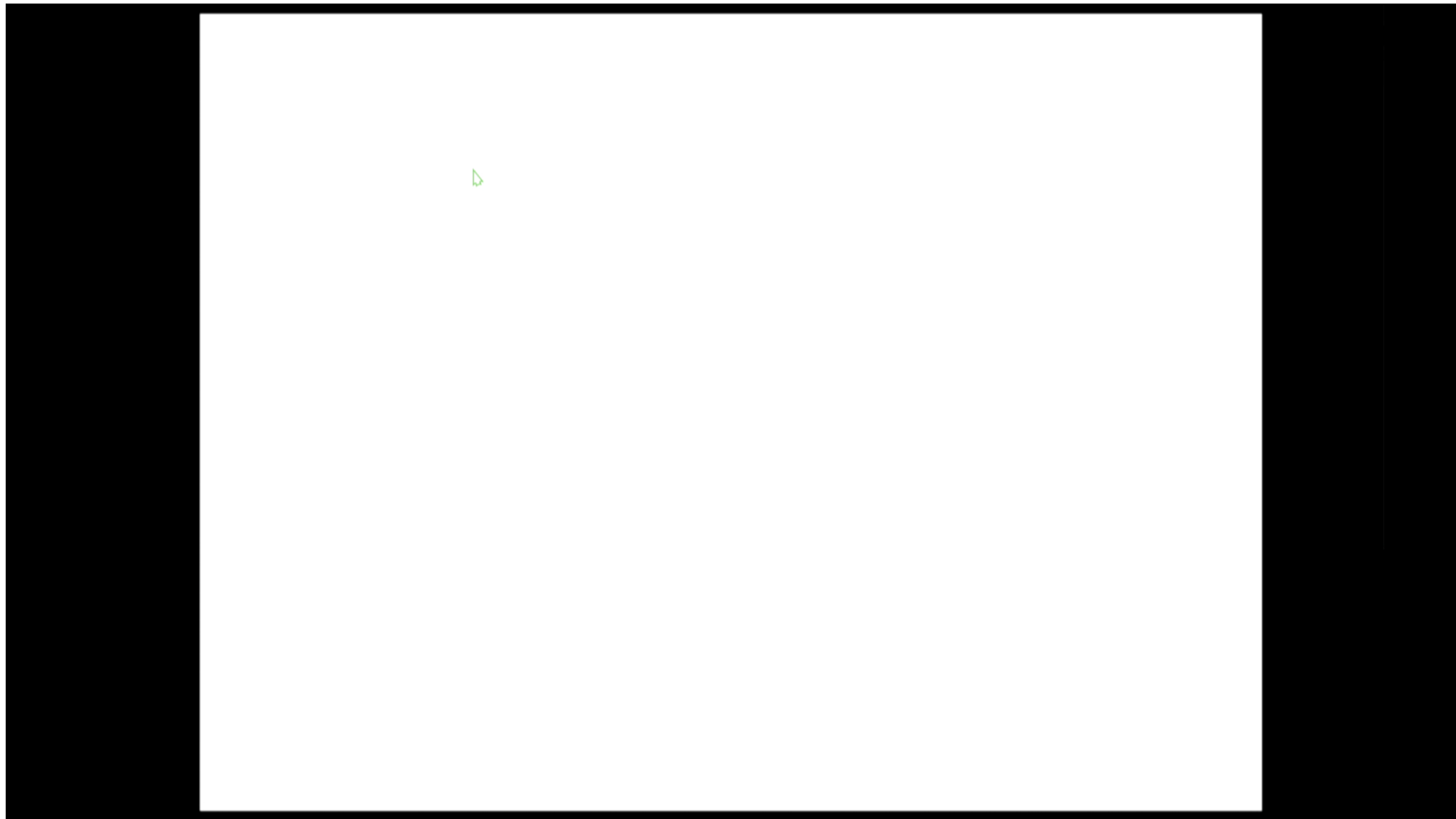
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Can study using classical QMC
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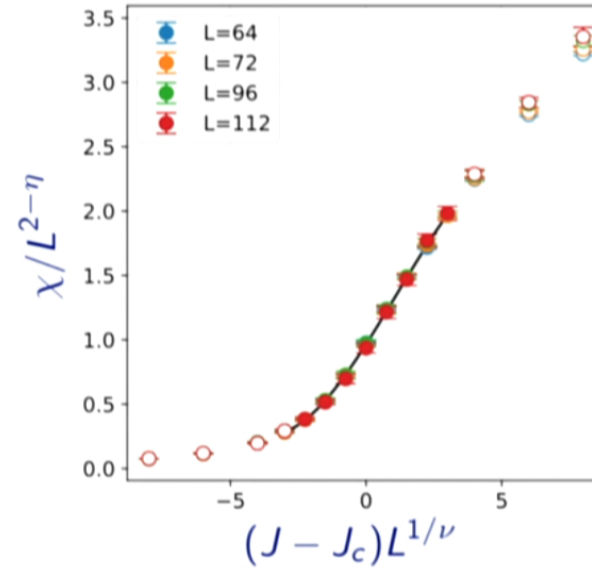
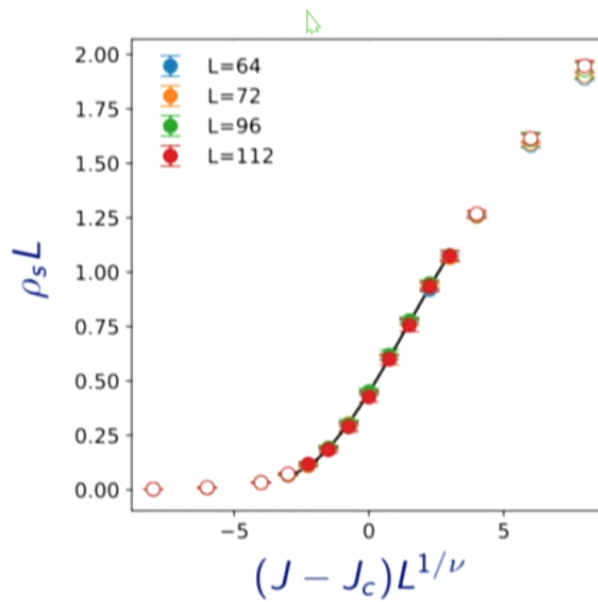
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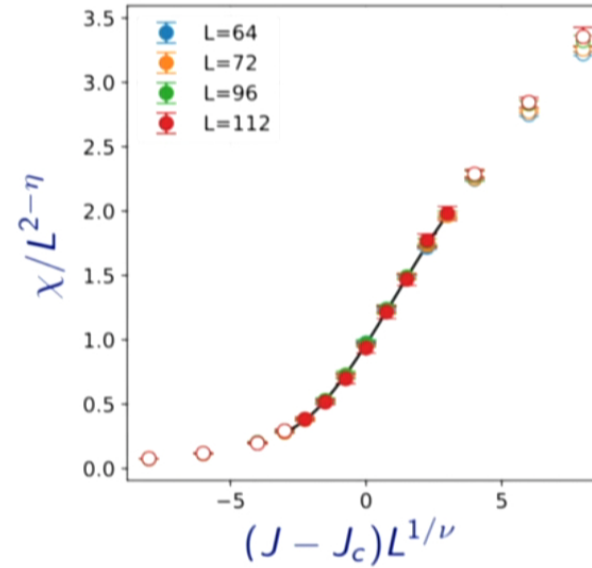
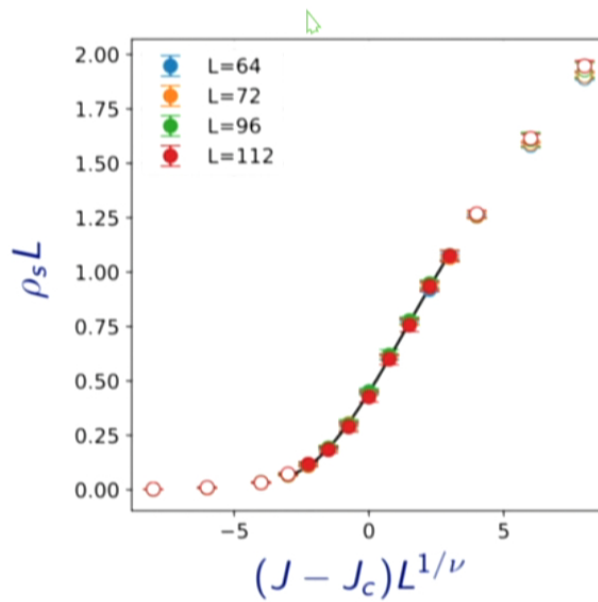
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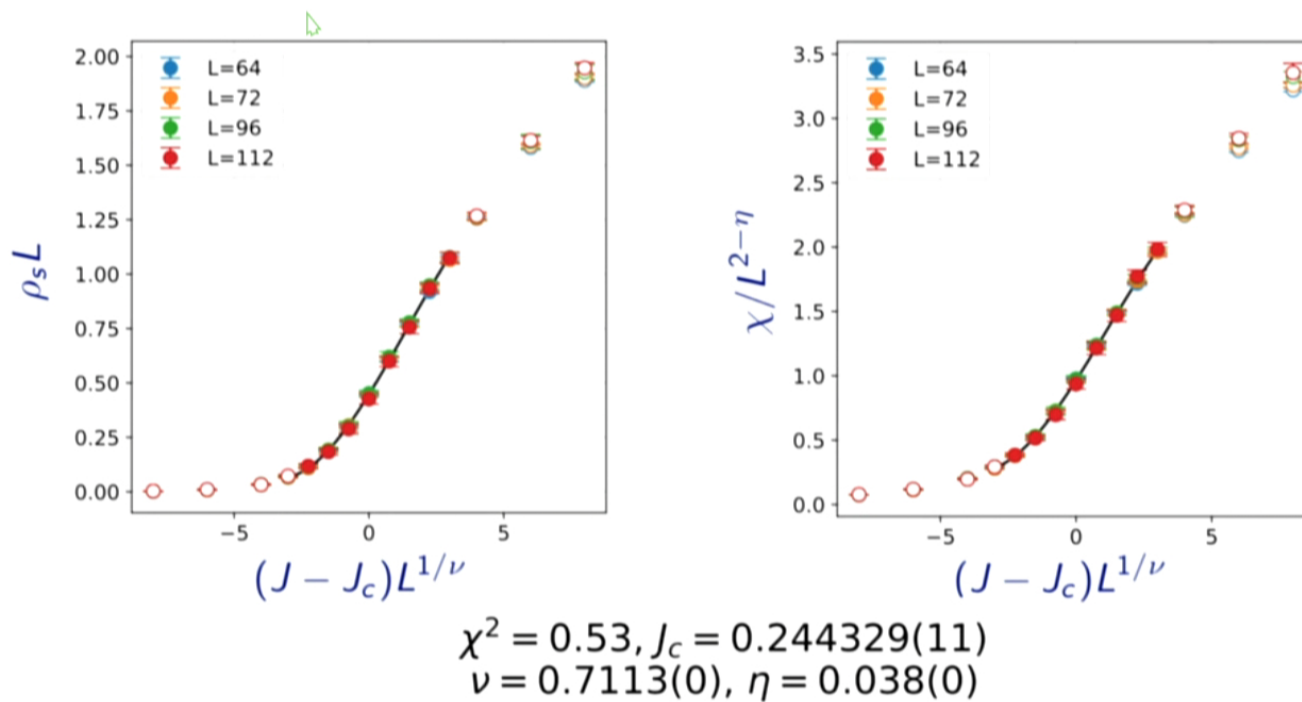
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