

Quantum Dissipative Systems



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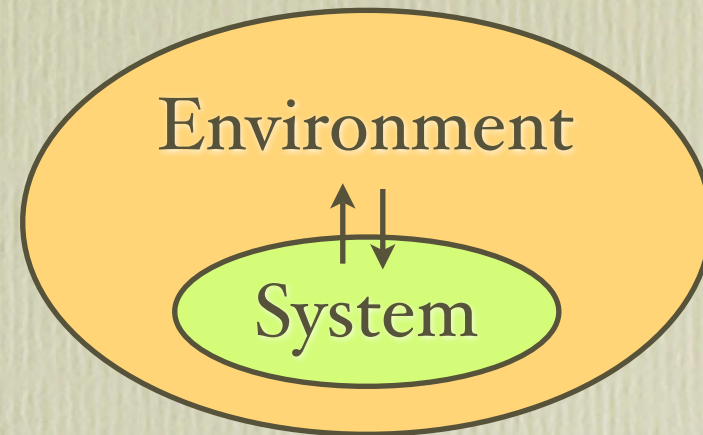
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Open Quantum Systems

Langevin Equation

$$M\ddot{q} + \eta\dot{q} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial q} = \xi(t)$$



Caldeira Leggett model

$$H = \frac{p^2}{2M} + V(q) + \sum_j \left\{ \frac{p_j^2}{2m_j} + \frac{1}{2} m \omega_j^2 \left(x_j - \frac{C_j q}{m \omega_j^2} \right)^2 \right\}$$

$$J(\omega) = \frac{\pi}{2} \sum_j \frac{C_j^2}{m_j \omega_j} \delta(\omega - \omega_j) = \eta \omega \quad \text{Ohmic damping}$$

General form

$$J(\omega) = A \omega^s$$

$s > 1$ Superohmic

$s < 1$ Subohmic

Relevant Systems/Phenomena

- ✓ Macroscopic Quantum Phenomena (MQP)
 - Josephson devices, quasi-particle tunneling
- ✓ Fabrication of quantum bits (qubits)
 - Various systems, various decoherence sources
- ✓ Polaron problem, heavy particle motion in metals
- ✓ Impurity problem in Tomonaga-Luttinger Liquids
- ✓ Dynamical mean-field study of phonon systems

Outline of the talk

- ✓ Striking features of Ohmic damping (Analytic)
 - Localization transition
 - Relation to the Kondo problem
 - Experiments of Josephson devices
- ✓ Simulation of quantum dissipation (Numerical)
 - Path-integral Monte Carlo (PIMC) method
 - Resistance-shunted Josephson junctions
 - Dissipative double-well potential systems

Path-integral formalism

$$Z = \oint \mathcal{D}q(\tau) \prod_j \oint \mathcal{D}x_j(\tau) \exp(-S)$$

$$= \oint \mathcal{D}q(\tau) \exp(-S_{\text{eff}})$$

Effective action

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d\tau \left(\frac{1}{2} M \dot{q}^2 + V(q) \right) + \int d\tau \int d\tau' k(\tau - \tau') q(\tau) q(\tau')$$

Retardation effect



Damping kernel $k(\tau) \sim \frac{A}{(\tau - \tau')^{s+1}}$

Long-range interaction along imaginary time

→ Significant effects on quantum mechanics of the system

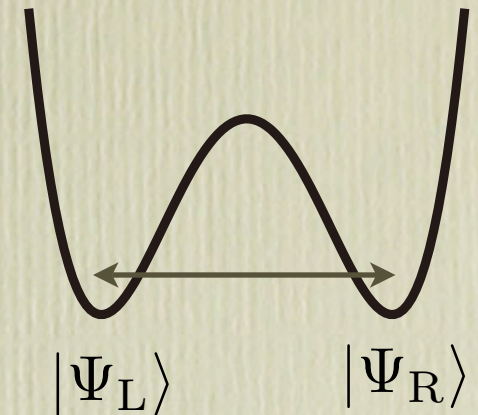
Localization transition

Simple derivation for double-well systems

Adiabatic bases (two-state approx.)

$$|\Psi_R\rangle = |\sigma_z = 1\rangle \prod_a |a+\rangle$$

$$|\Psi_L\rangle = |\sigma_z = -1\rangle \prod_a |a-\rangle$$



$$p\omega_c < \omega < \omega_c$$

$$(p\omega_c \ll \Delta)$$

Renormalized tunneling matrix

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta' &= \Delta \prod_a \langle a+ | a-\rangle = \Delta \exp \left(- \int_{p\omega_c}^{\omega_c} \frac{a^2}{2\pi\hbar} \frac{J(\omega)}{\omega^2} d\omega \right) \\ &= \Delta p^\alpha \end{aligned}$$

For $\alpha > 1$ $\Delta' \rightarrow 0$ ($p \rightarrow 0$)

$$\alpha = \frac{\eta a^2}{2\pi\hbar} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Dimensionless} \\ \text{damping strength} \end{array}$$

Particle is localized.

Kondo problem

Spin-boson model (two-state approximation)

$$H = -\frac{\Delta}{2}\sigma_x + \sum_i \omega_i \left(a_i^\dagger a_i + \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{a}{2}\sigma_z \sum_i \frac{C_i}{\sqrt{2m_i\omega_i}} (a_i + a_i^\dagger)$$

↕ Equivalent! (by bosonization technique)

$$H = \sum_{k,\sigma} \varepsilon_k c_{k,\sigma}^\dagger c_{k,\sigma} + \frac{J_\perp}{2} \sum_{k,k'} (c_{k,\uparrow}^\dagger c_{k',\downarrow} S^- + c_{k,\downarrow}^\dagger c_{k',\uparrow} S^+) \\ + \frac{J_\parallel}{2} \sum_{k,k'} (c_{k,\uparrow}^\dagger c_{k,\uparrow} - c_{k,\downarrow}^\dagger c_{k,\downarrow}) S^z$$

Parameter relations

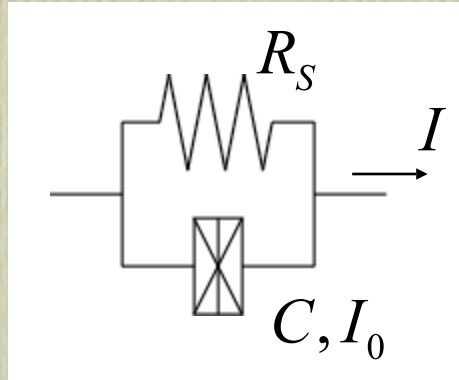
$$\frac{\Delta}{\omega_c} = \rho J_\perp \quad \alpha = \left(1 + \frac{2\delta}{\pi} \right)^2$$

$$\delta = -\frac{\pi\rho J_\parallel}{4} + O(J_\parallel^2)$$

Phase shift

Josephson devices

Classical equation of motion



$$C \left(\frac{\Phi_0}{2\pi} \right)^2 \ddot{\phi} + \frac{1}{R} \left(\frac{\Phi_0}{2\pi} \right)^2 \dot{\phi} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} = 0$$

$$V(\phi) = -I \frac{\Phi_0}{2\pi} \phi - E_J \cos \phi$$

E_J : Josephson energy

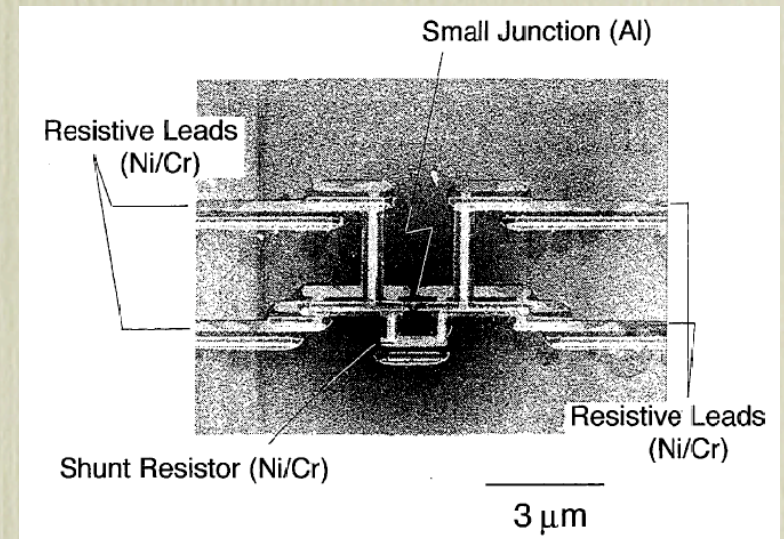
$E_C = \frac{(2e)^2}{2C}$: Charging energy

$1/R$: Damping factor

Two control parameters

$$E_J/E_C, \alpha = R_Q/R$$

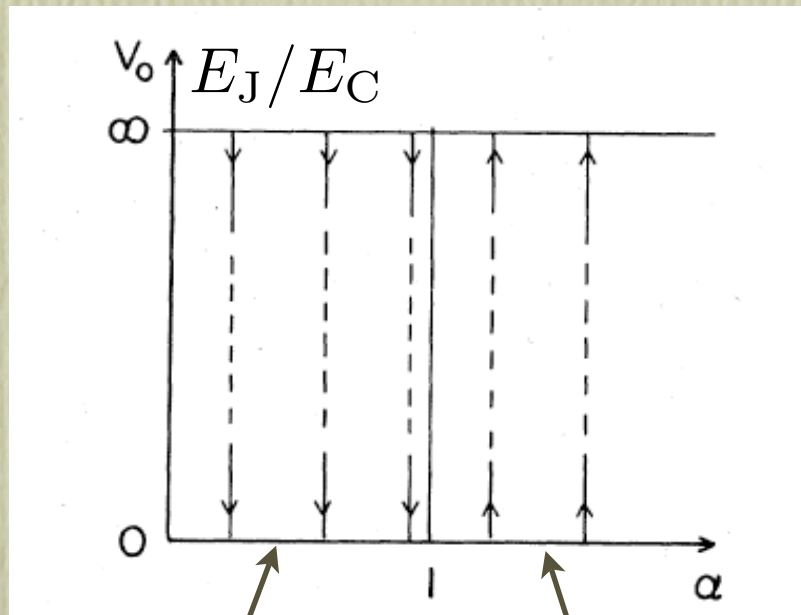
$$(R_Q = h/(2e)^2 = 6.45 \text{ k}\Omega)$$



Yagi et.al. 1997

Phase diagram

Renormalization group
(Perturbative approach)

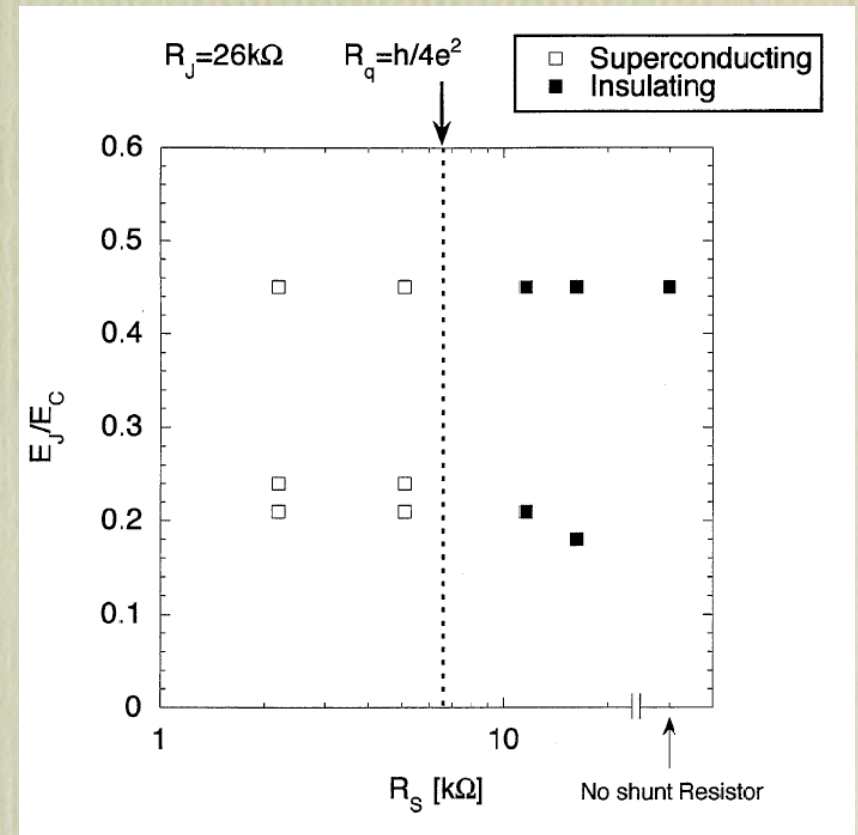


delocalized (insulator) localized (superconductor)

$\alpha = R_Q/R$

Fisher-Zwenger 1985

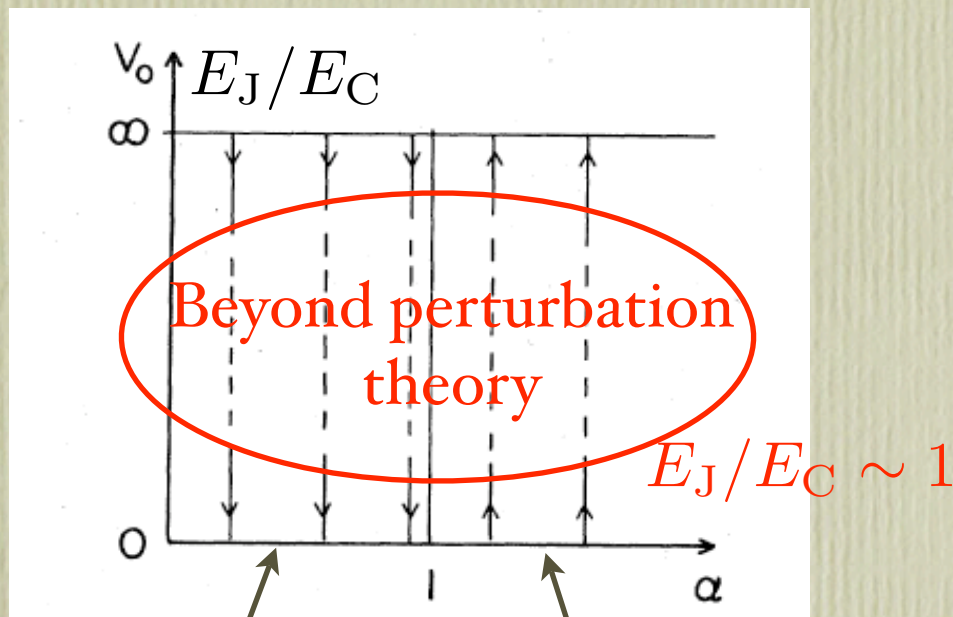
Experiment



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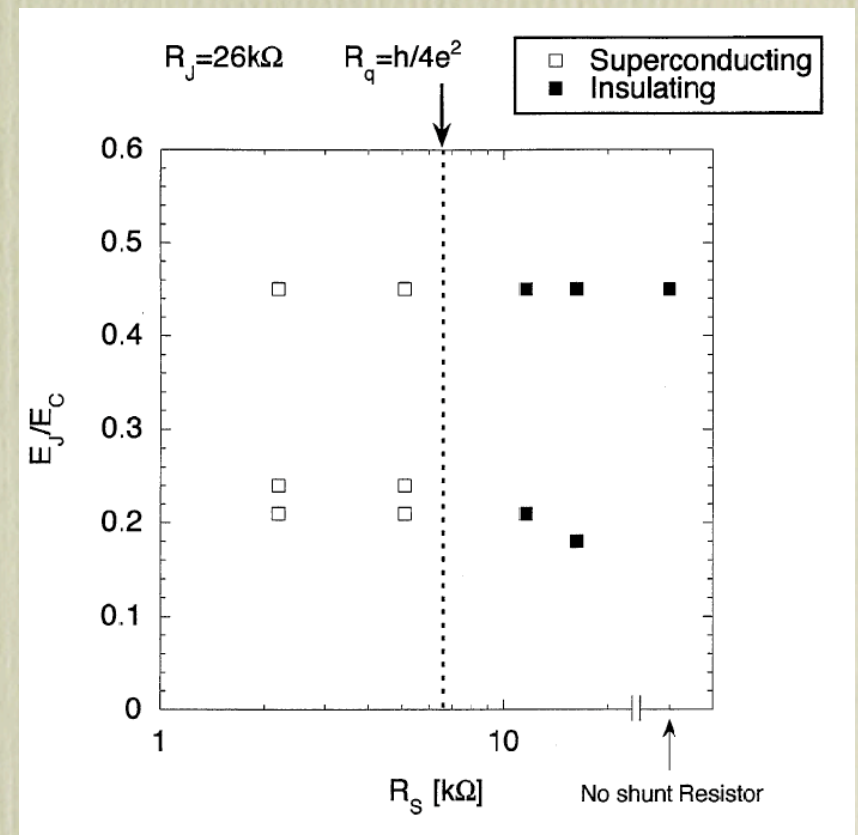


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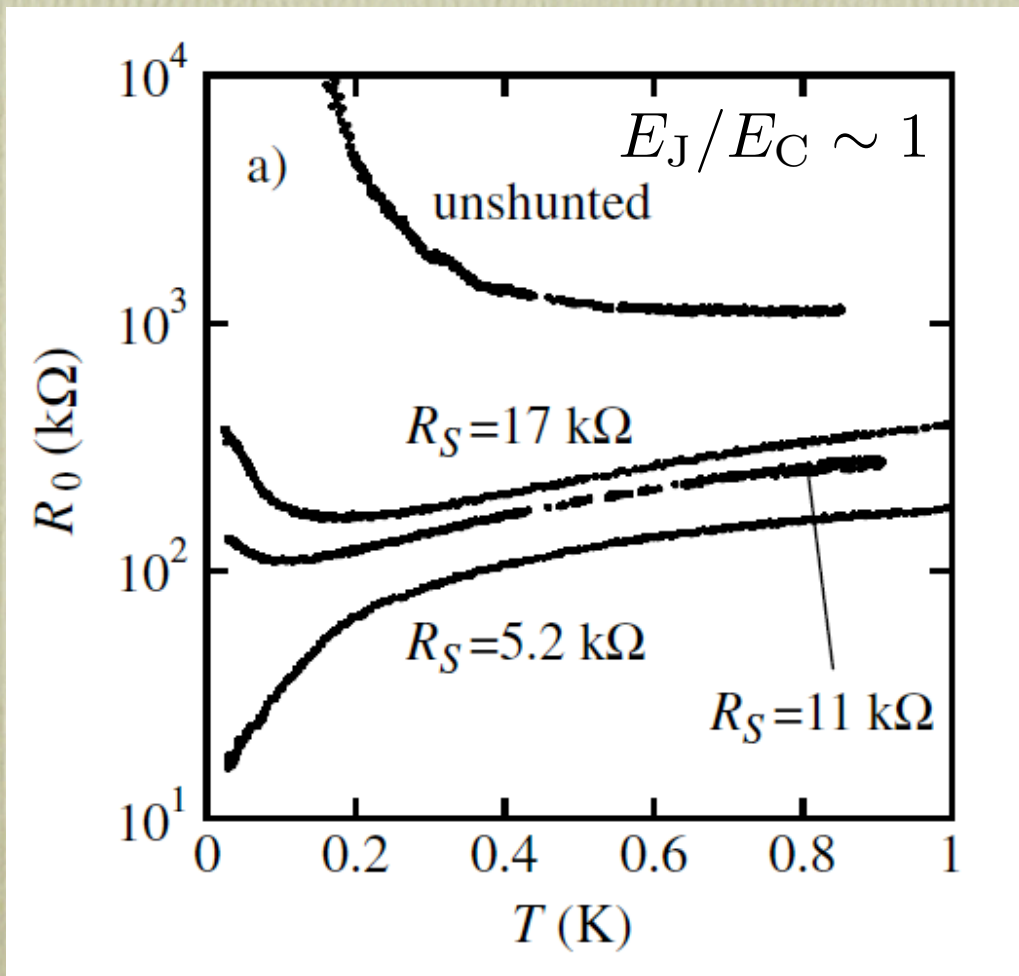
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Temperature dependence

Miyazaki et.al. 2002

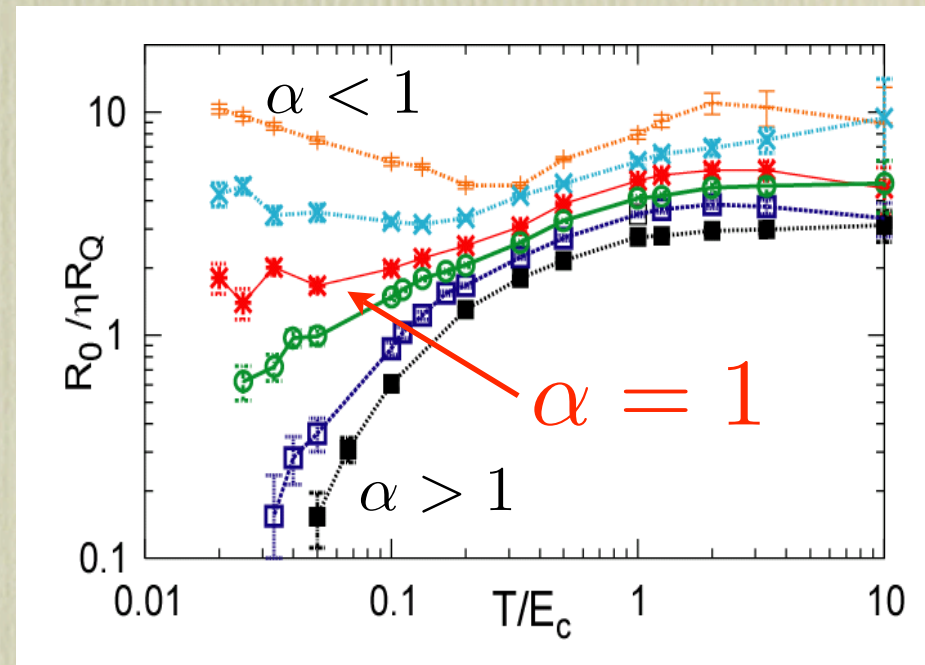
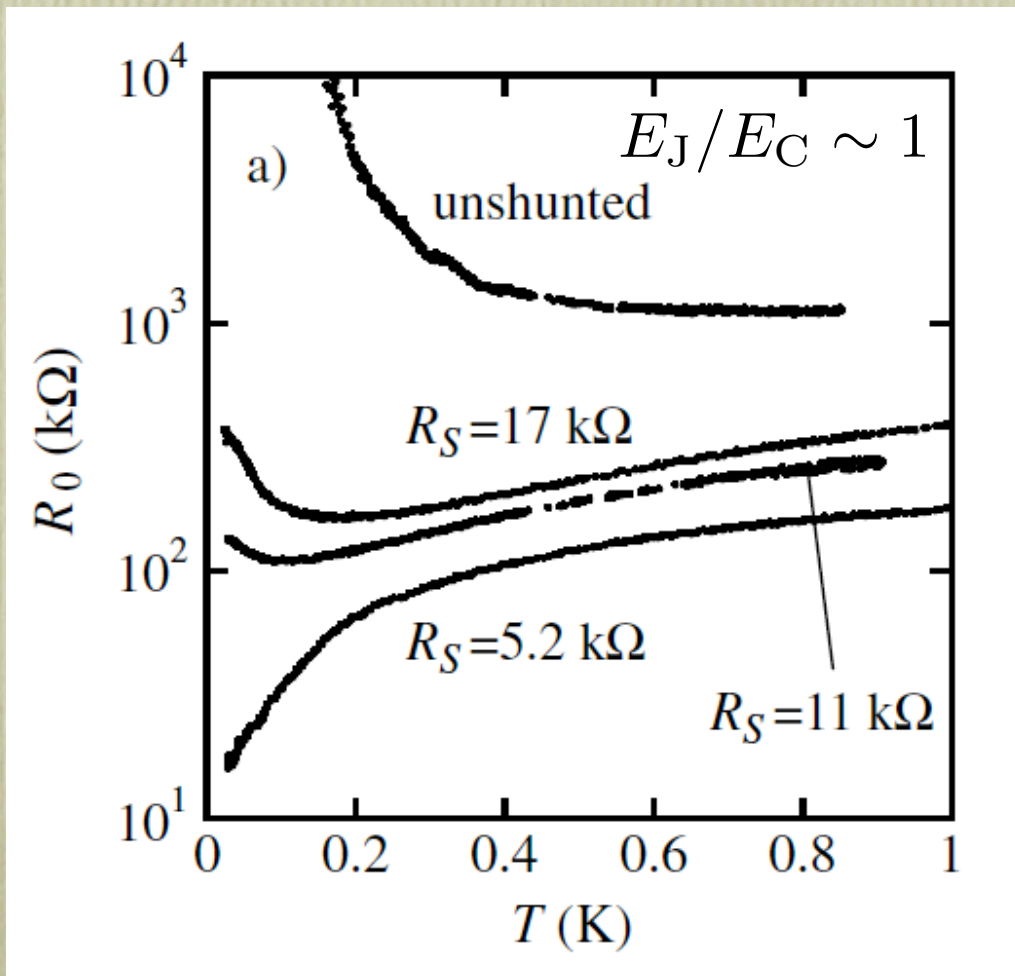


Phase transition at $\alpha = 1$

Temperature dependence

Miyazaki et.al. 2002

Kimura and TK, 2004



Numerical simulation by
Path-Integral Monte Carlo

Phase transition at $\alpha = 1$

Path-Integral Monte Carlo

- Imaginary-time path-integral formulation
- Discretization of the particle path
- No approximation except for discretization errors
 - (Exact in the limit of the large Trotter number)
- Application to Helium 4, melting problem, etc.
- Local update, Uniform update, Cluster update
 - (Particle exchange for Bosonic systems)
- Improvement on local updates

Discretization of the path

$$Z = \int \mathcal{D}q(\tau) \exp(-S_{\text{eff}})$$

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d\tau \left(\frac{1}{2} M \dot{q}^2 + V(q) \right) + \int d\tau \int d\tau' k(\tau - \tau') q(\tau) q(\tau')$$

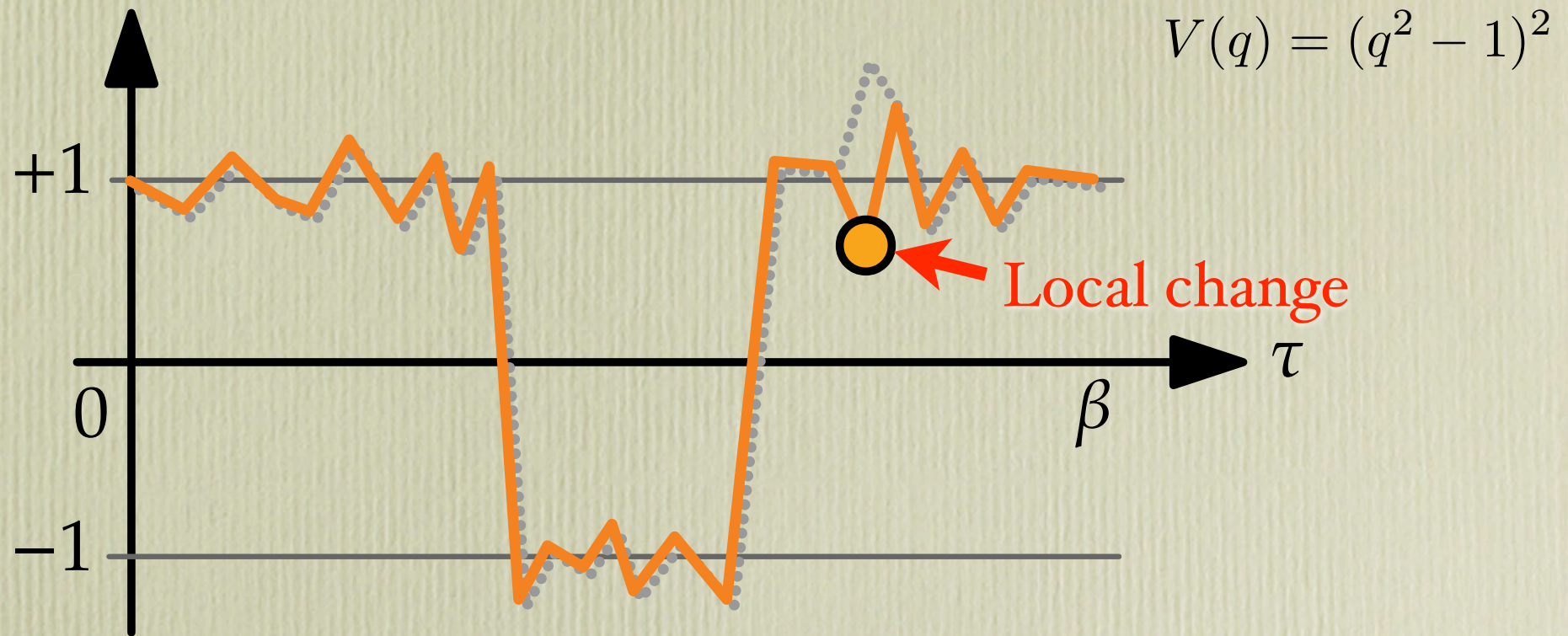
↓ Discretization $q(\tau) \rightarrow q_j \quad (0 \leq j \leq N - 1)$

$$Z = \int \prod_j dq_j \exp(-S_{\text{eff}}(\{q_j\}))$$

$$S_{\text{eff}}(\{q_j\}) = \sum_{i < j} K(i - j) q_i q_j + \Delta\tau \sum_j V(q_j)$$

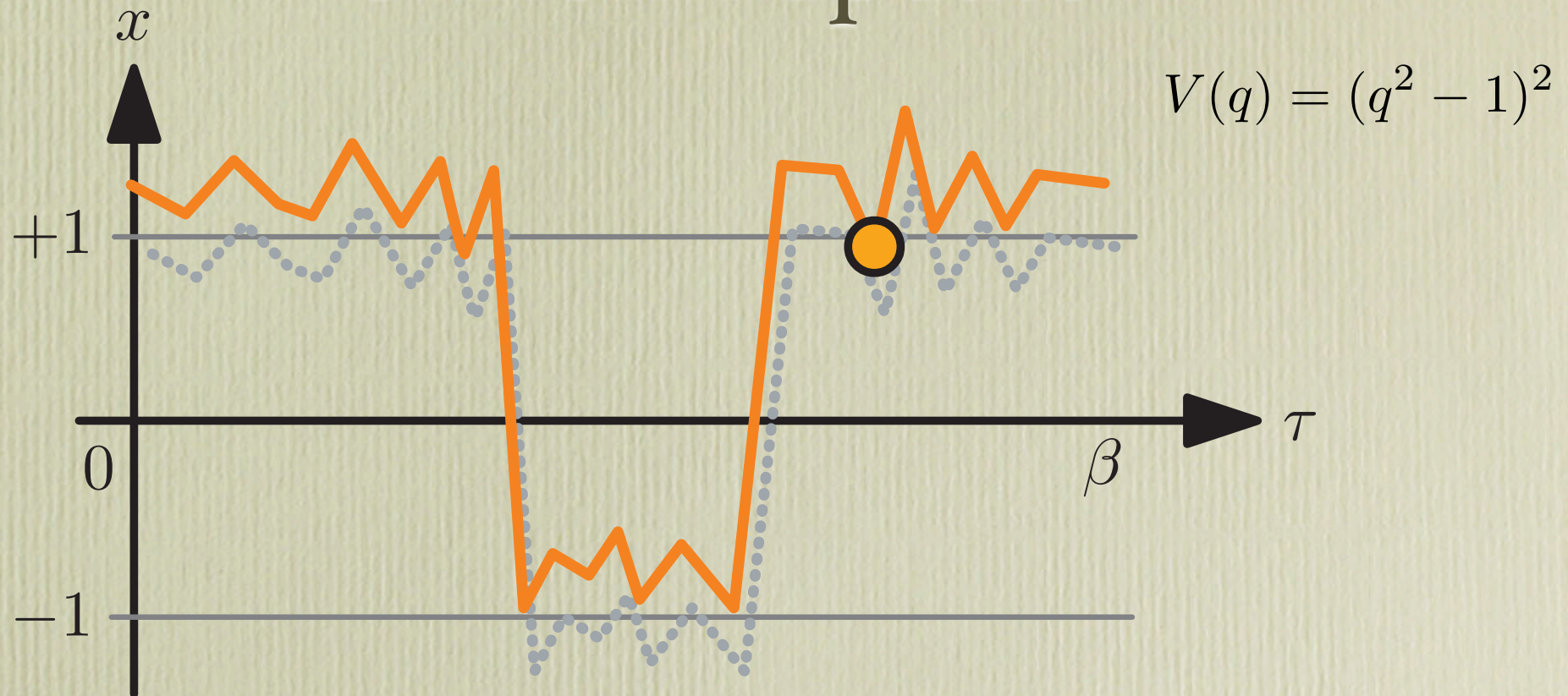
The problem is mapped to a classical statistics of 'polymers'

Local update (traditional)



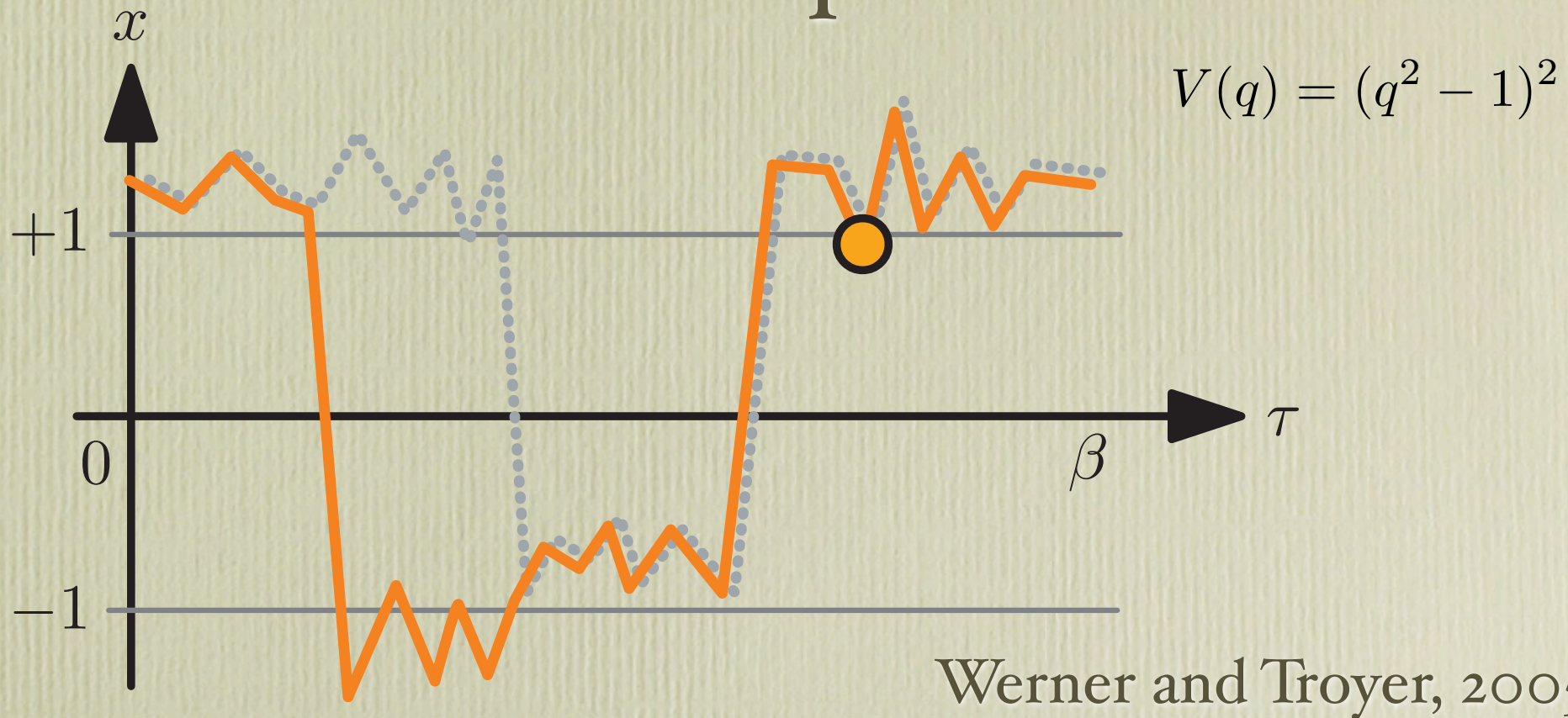
1. Change the path **locally** as $q_j^{(\text{new})} = q_j^{(\text{old})} + \epsilon$ $\epsilon \in [-\delta, \delta]$ for fixed j
2. Generate a random number g
3. Accept this change if $g < \min[e^{-(S[\{q_j^{(\text{new})}\}] - S[\{q_j^{(\text{old})}\}])}, 1]$
4. Do this procedure for all path fragments

Uniform update



1. Change the path **uniformly** as $q_j^{(\text{new})} = q_j^{(\text{old})} + \epsilon$ $\epsilon \in [-\delta, \delta]$ for all j
 2. Generate a random number $g \in [0, 1]$
 3. Accept this change if $g < \min[e^{-(S_{\text{pot}}[\{q_j^{(\text{new})}\}] - S_{\text{pot}}[\{q_j^{(\text{old})}\}])}, 1]$
- (This update becomes important for high temperatures.)

Cluster update



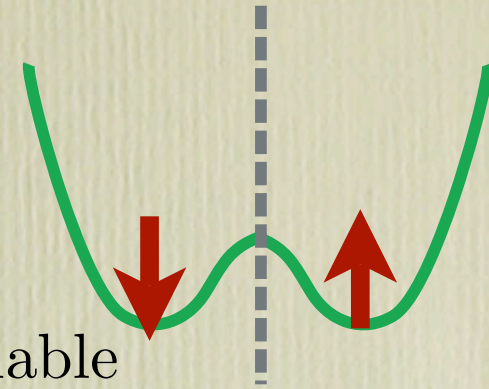
1. Define a cluster by choosing the path fragments.
(Details of cluster construction is described next.)
2. All the path fragments of the cluster is changed as $q_j \rightarrow -q_j$

Cluster construction

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \sum_{i < j} K(i - j) q_i q_j \\ &= \sum_{i < j} K(i - j) |q_i| |q_j| \sigma_i \sigma_j \\ &= \sum_{i < j} J(i - j) \sigma_i \sigma_j \end{aligned}$$

$$q_i \equiv |q_i| \sigma_i$$

σ_i : Ising variable



Potential term is irrelevant for sign change of the path

$$V(-q) = V(q)$$

Wolff algorithm (long-range version)

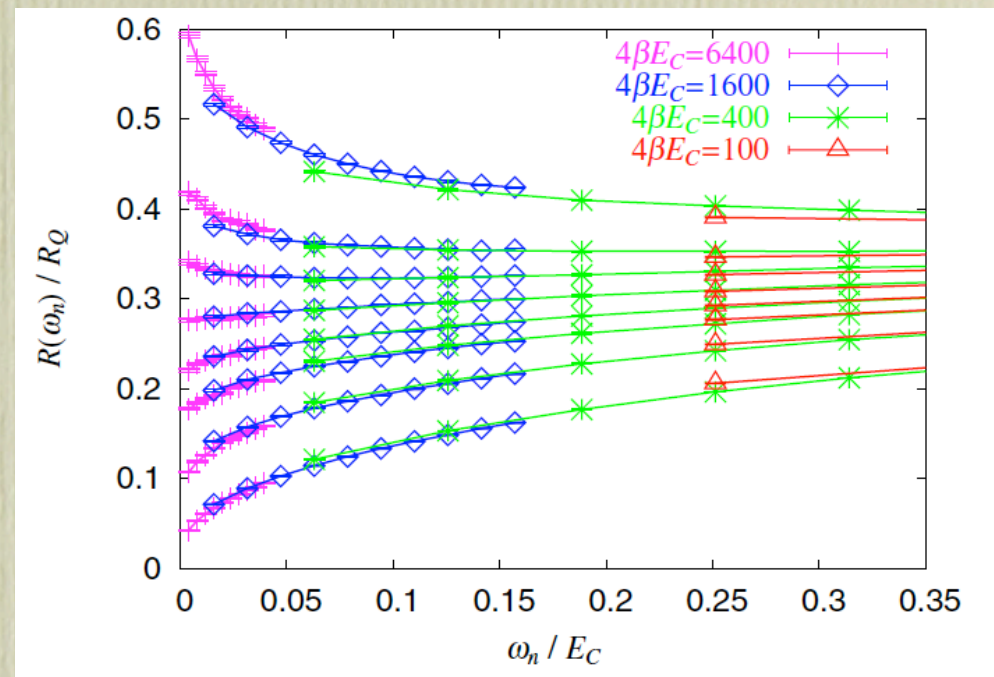
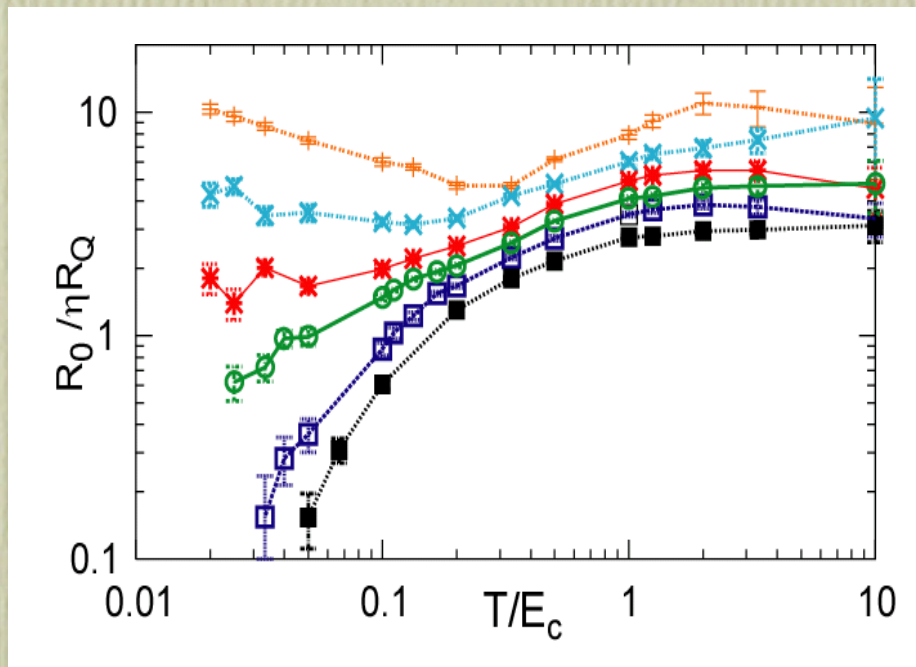
1. Choose j randomly. Current spin = j . Add spin j to a stack.
2. Try to activate the bond between the current spin j and another spin k with the probability $1 - e^{-2J_{j,k}}$
3. Try this for all possible spin k . If succeeded, add spin k to a stack. Remove the current spin j from the stack.
4. Repeat 2 and 3 until the stack become empty.

Comparison

Periodic potential $V(q) = \cos q$

Kimura and TK, 2004

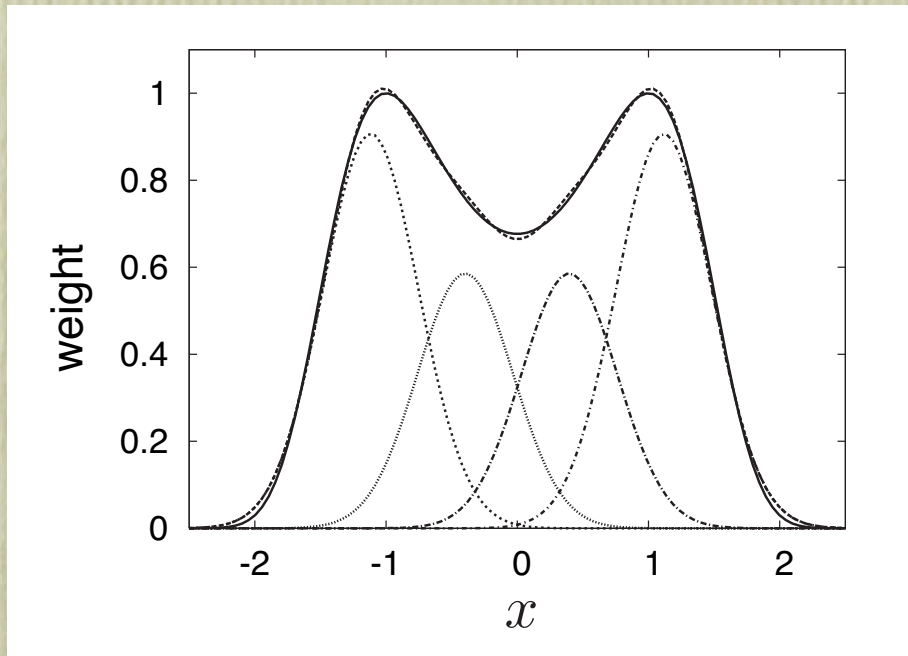
Werner and Troyer, 2005



Without cluster updates

With cluster updates

Improved local update



Double-well potential

$$V(q) = (q^2 - 1)^2$$

Approximate decomposition

$$e^{-\Delta\tau V(q)} \simeq \sum_{m=1}^M \mu_m e^{-\lambda(q - \sigma_m)^2}$$

(Matsuo and TK, unpublished)

$$Z = \sum_{\{m_j\}} \int \prod_j dq_j \exp(-\tilde{S})$$

(Step 1) Path $\{q_j\}$ is changed for fixed $\{m_j\}$

(Step 2) Auxiliary field $\{m_j\}$ is changed for fixed $\{q_j\}$

Improved local update (Step 1)

Consider the update $\{q_j\} \rightarrow \{m_j\}$

Weight

$$\exp(-S[\{q_j\}, \{m_j\}]) = f(\{q_j\}) \prod_j w(q_j, m_j)$$

$$w(q_j, m_j) = \mu_{m_j} \exp(-\lambda(x_j - \sigma_{m_j})^2)$$

1. From the configuration q_j , choose m_j with the probability

$$t(m_j | q_j) = \frac{w(q_j, m_j)}{\sum_{m_j} w(q_j, m_j)}$$

2. This update can be done efficiently, because only local information is needed for it.

Improved local update (Step 2)

Consider the update $\{m_j\} \rightarrow \{q_j\}$

$$\begin{aligned} S &\simeq \sum_n (c_n |\tilde{q}_n|^2 + \lambda N |\tilde{q}_n - \tilde{\sigma}_n|^2) \\ &\simeq \sum_n (c_n + \lambda N) \left| \tilde{q}_n - \frac{\lambda N \tilde{\sigma}_n}{c_n + \lambda N} \right|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$c_n = \frac{16N^2}{\beta g^2} \sin^2 \frac{\pi n}{N} + \frac{\pi^2 \alpha}{2} |n|$$

$$q_j = \sum_n \tilde{q}_n e^{-2\pi i j n / N}$$

$$\sigma_j = \sum_n \tilde{\sigma}_n e^{-2\pi i j n / N}$$

1. Calculate the Fourier components.
2. Generate a random number with the Gaussian distribution with the average $\frac{\lambda N \tilde{\sigma}_n}{c_n + \lambda N}$ and width $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{c_n + \lambda N}}$
3. All the Fourier components are updated at once.

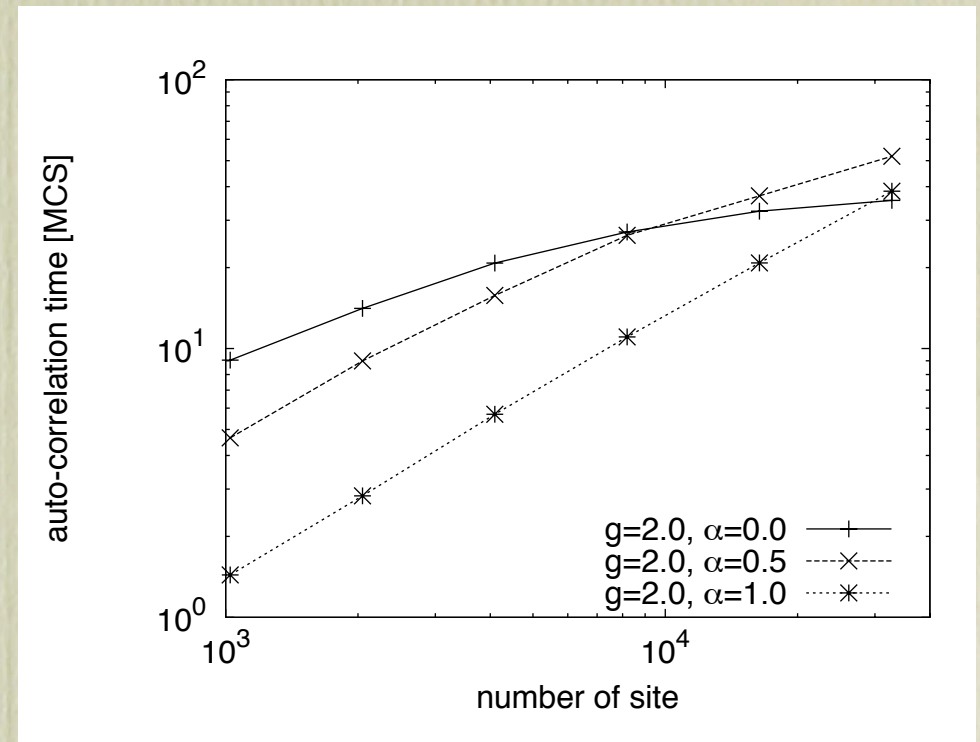
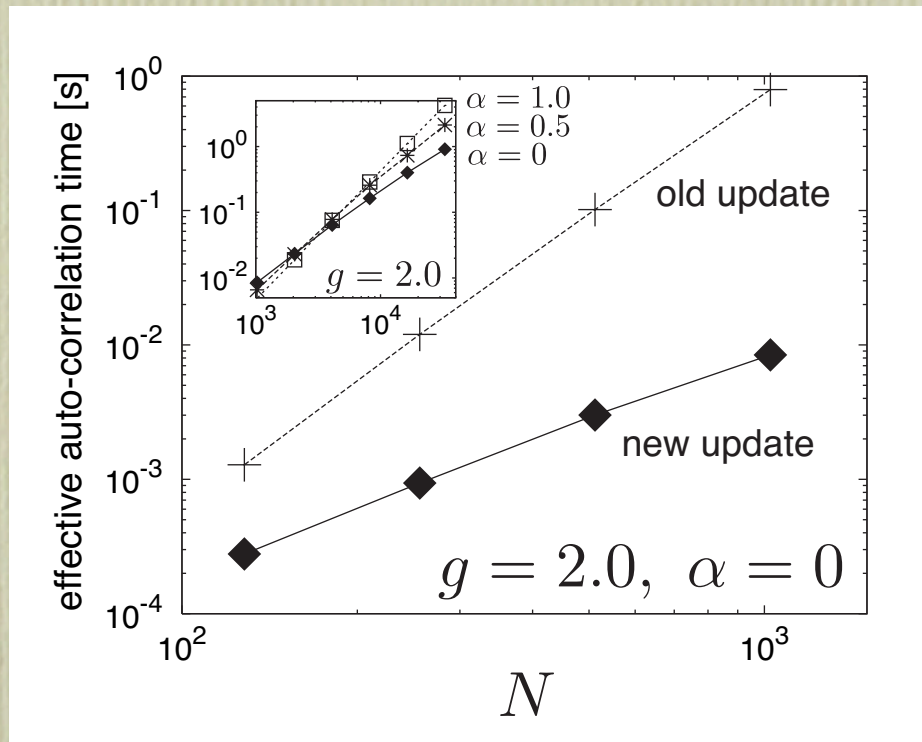
(No rejection. Very efficient.)

Efficiency

$$V(q) = (q^2 - 1)^2$$

Effective CPU time

Auto-correlation time



Traditional $O(N^2 \log N)$

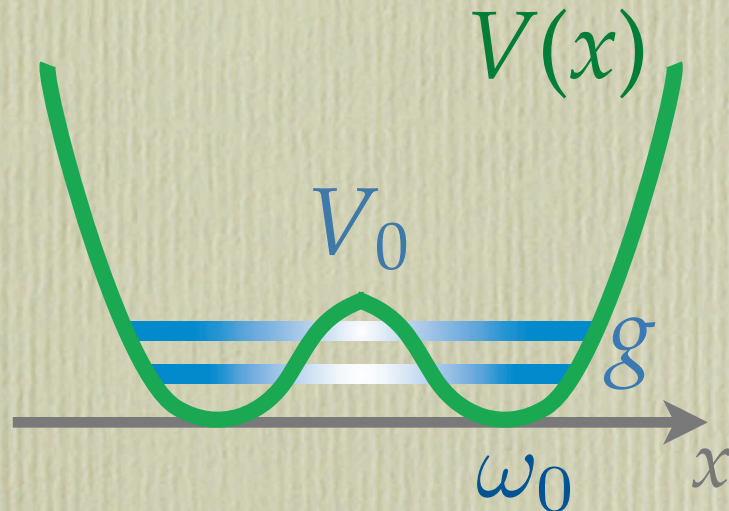
Local update $O(1)$

Improved $O(N \log N)$

Cluster update $O(N)$

Localization transition

$$g = \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{V_0}, \quad V_0 = 1$$



$$Z = \int \mathcal{D}q(\tau) \exp(-S[q(\tau)])$$

$$S[q(\tau)] = \int d\tau \left\{ \frac{4}{g} \left(\frac{dq}{d\tau} \right)^2 + (q^2 - 1)^2 \right\} - \int d\tau \int d\tau' k(\tau - \tau') q(\tau) q(\tau')$$

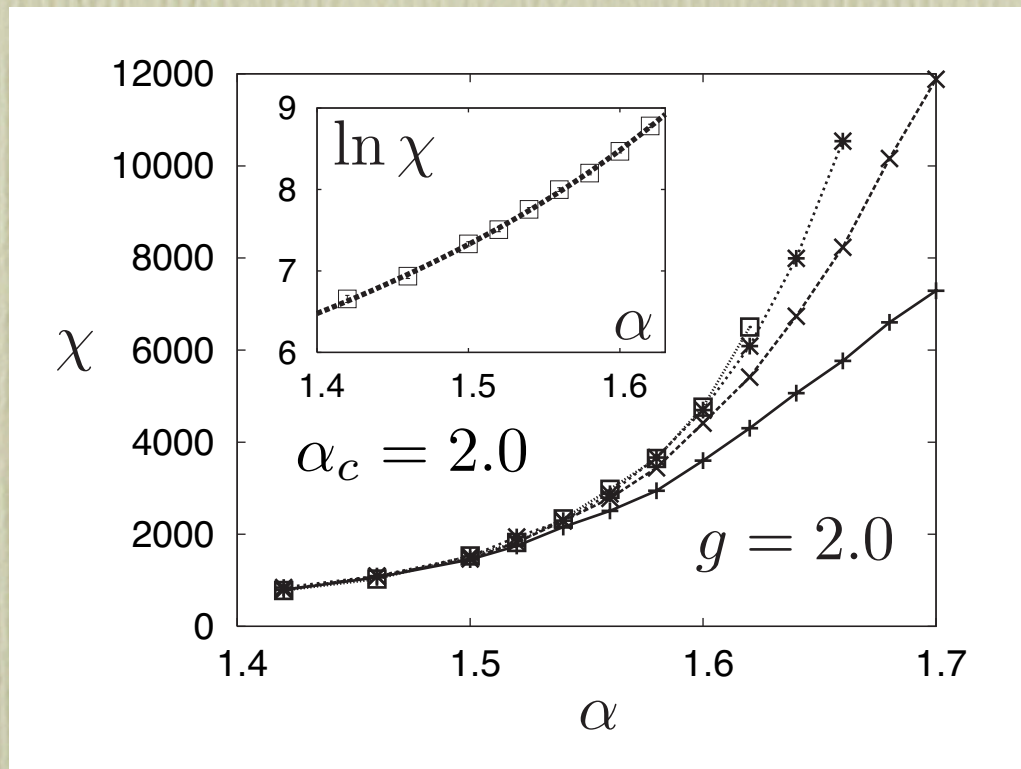
Two-state limit

$$g \rightarrow 0 : \alpha_c = 1$$

Problem : Localization transition for general g

Is there localization transition even when quantum fluctuation dominates the potential barrier?

Determine the critical point



$$N = 2^{14}, 2^{15}, 2^{16}, 2^{17} (\simeq 1.2 \times) 10^5$$

Susceptibility

$$\chi \equiv \left\langle \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{i,j} q_i q_j \right\rangle / \left\langle \frac{1}{N} \sum_j q_j \right\rangle^2$$

Long-range Ising universality

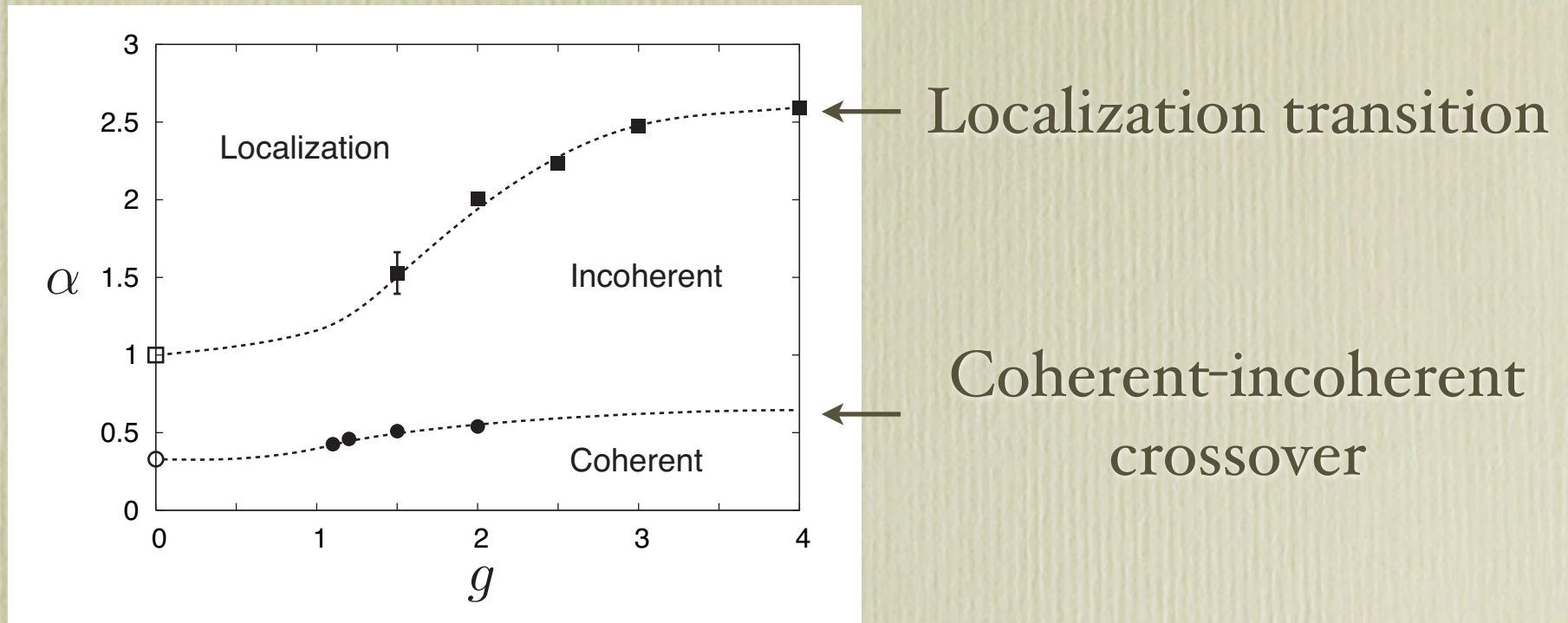
$$\chi \propto e^{b_1 |\alpha - \alpha_c|^\nu + b_2 |\alpha - \alpha_c|^{-\nu}}$$

$$\nu = 1/2$$

Kosterlitz-Thouless transition

(Luijten 2001)

Phase diagram



1. Localization transition occurs even for a small barrier.
cf. Renormalization approach by Fisher et.al.
2. Tendency of saturation in critical dissipation strength

Summary

- Brief introduction to ‘dissipative quantum systems’
- Brief review on Path-Integral Monte Carlo (PIMC)
- Recent improvement of local updates
- Future problems: Application to other systems
 - Impurity problem in Tomonaga-Luttinger Liquid
 - Field theoretical model, e.g., ϕ^4 model
 - Phonon: Nonlinearity, electron-phonon