

Continuous-time Quantum Monte Carlo (CTQMC) approach for quantum impurity problems in Tomonaga-Luttinger liquids

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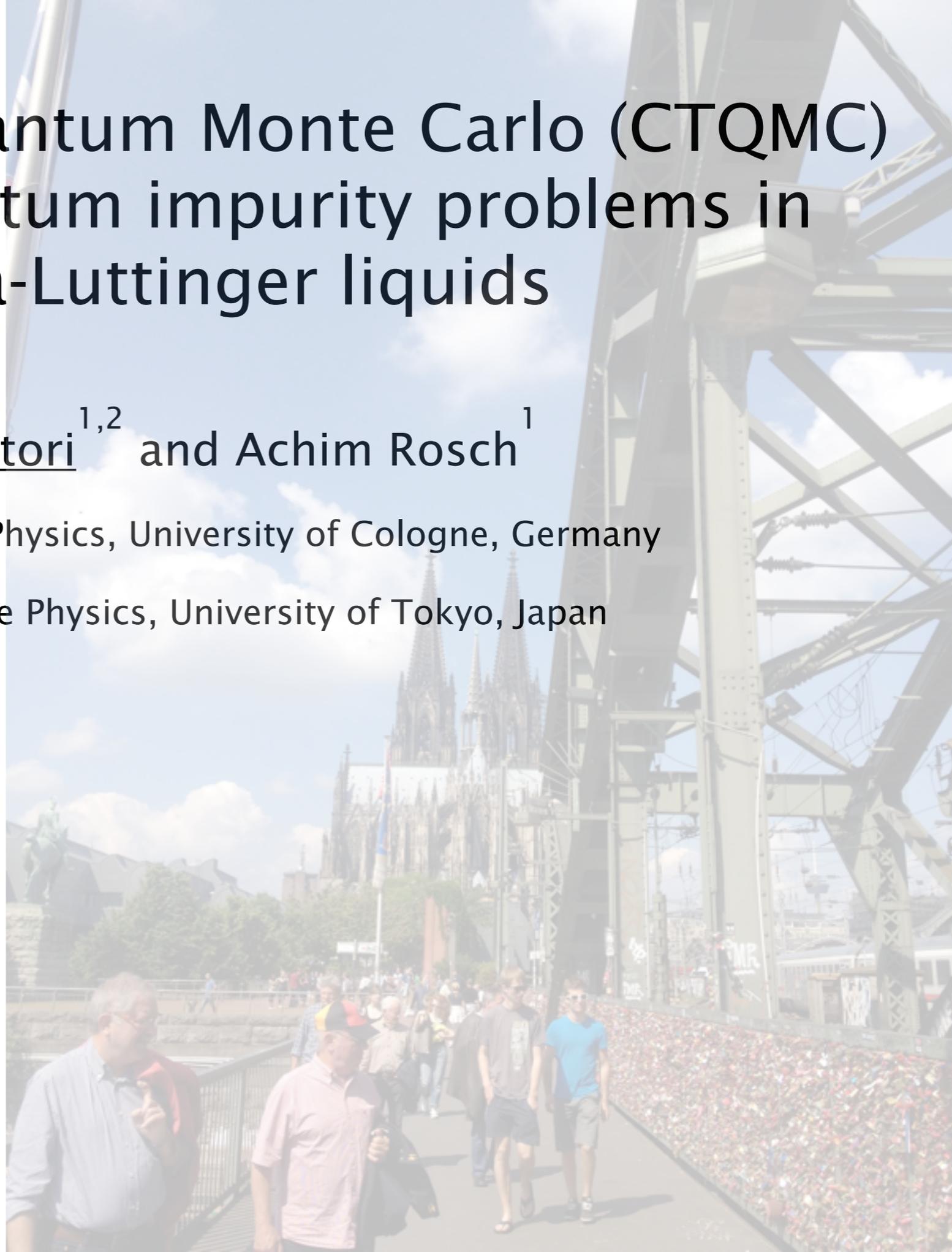
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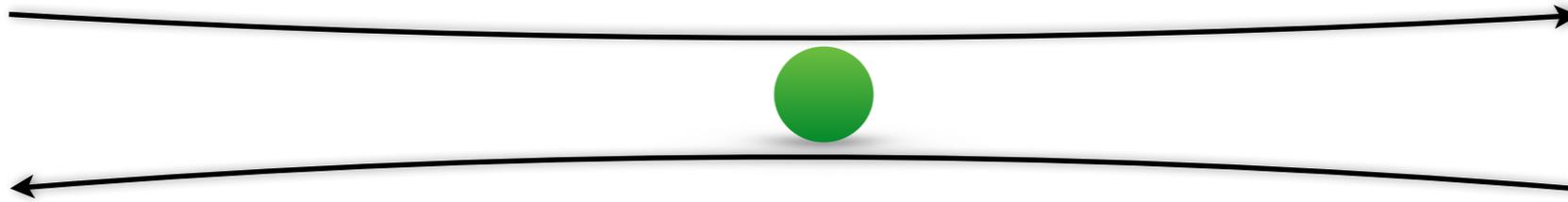
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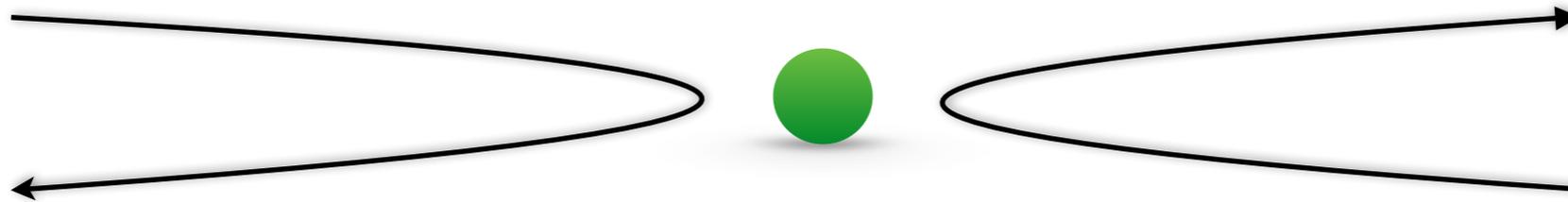
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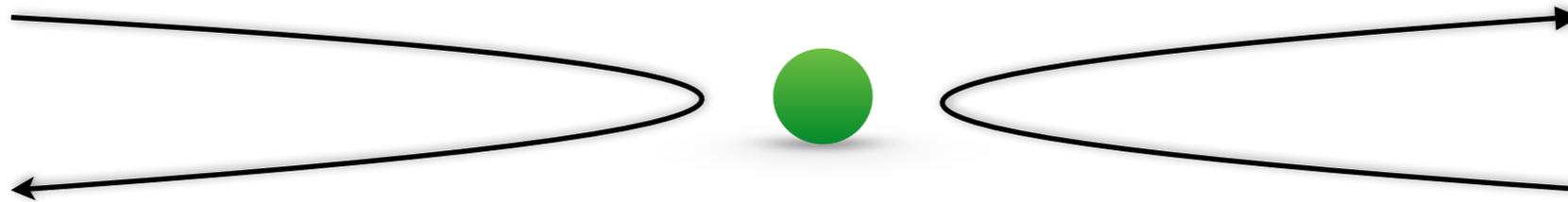
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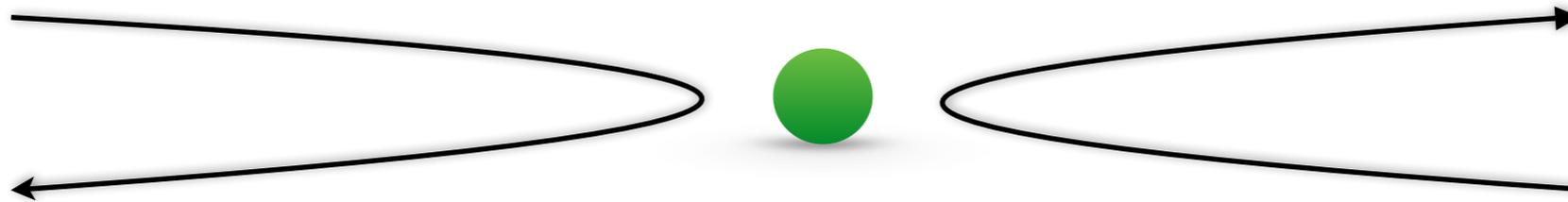
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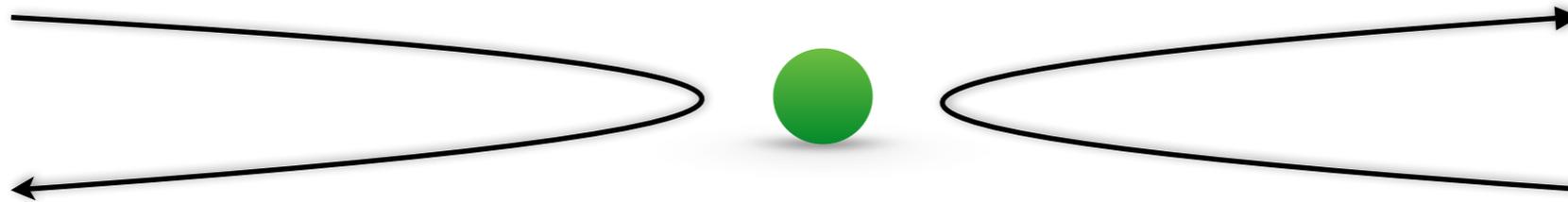
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- ❖ We try to construct algorithm of modern Continuous-time MC for quantum wires in a bosonization formulation

CTQMC for impurity models

see, a review: Gull et al (2011)

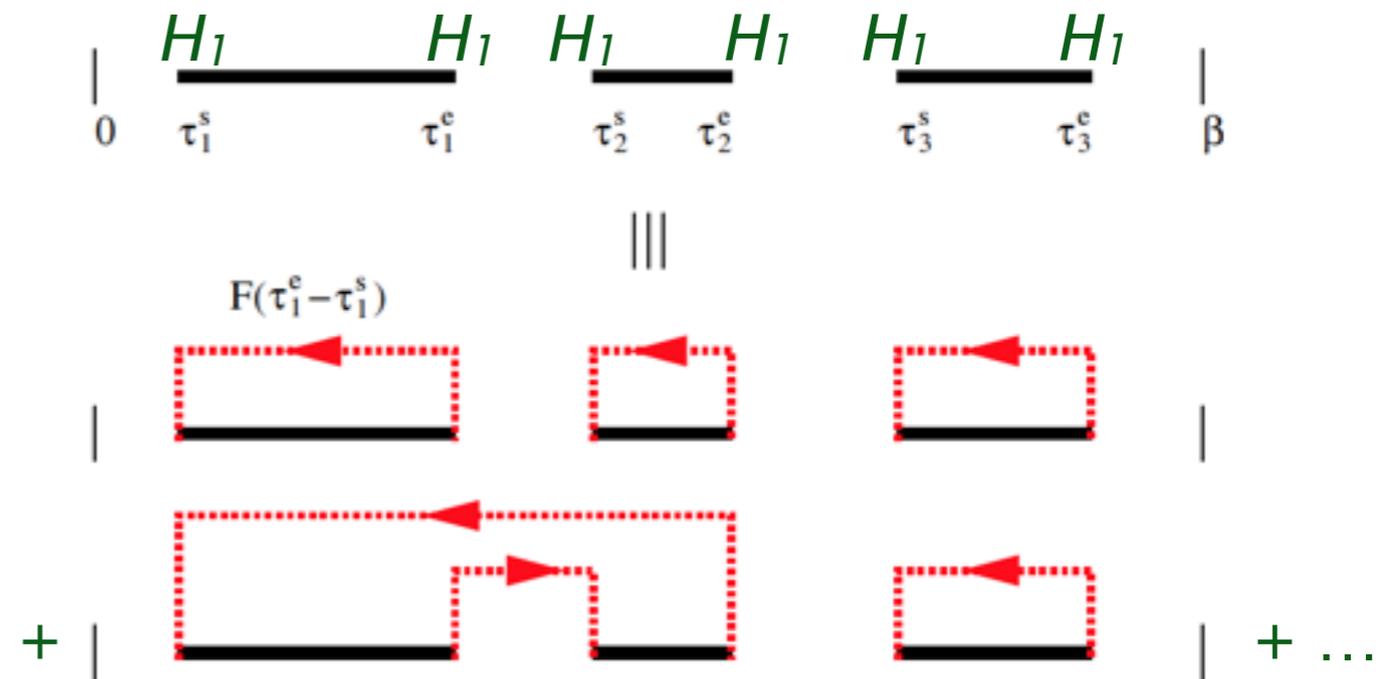
- CTQMC for impurity problems: Rubtsov (2005), Werner (2006), Otsuki (2007)
- Applied to strongly correlated electron systems combined with DMFT
- No negative sign problem [Werner (2006), Otsuki (2007)] for simple models
- Bosonic versions are also developed by Anders (2010), Otsuki (2012)

CTQMC: Infinite series of diagrams are summed efficiently

$$Z/Z_0 = \left\langle T_\tau \exp \left[- \int_0^\beta d\tau H_1(\tau) \right] \right\rangle_0$$

$$Z_0 = \text{Tr} e^{-\beta H_0}$$

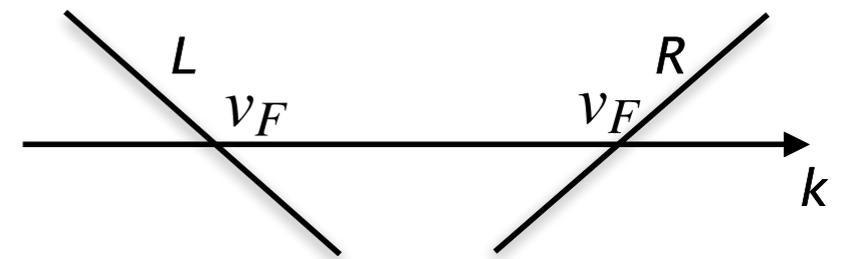
$$\langle A \rangle_0 = \frac{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta H_0} A)}{Z_0}$$



Werner et al.(2006)

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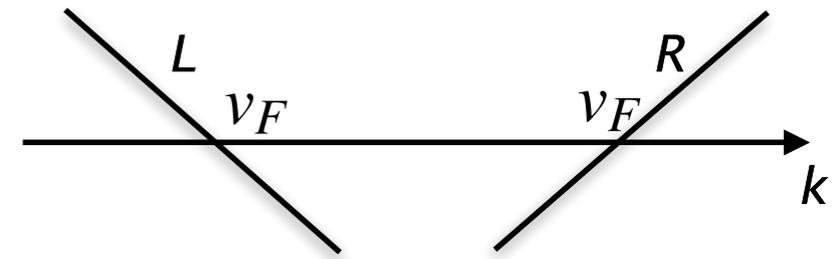
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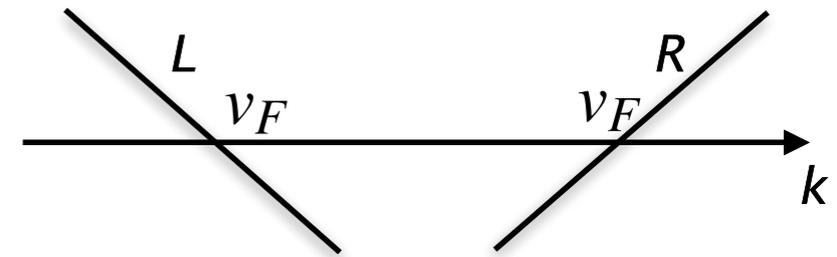
We will show that the CTQMC works very well in several models, as examples

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Bosonization

Here, we just start letting you know our notations for bosonization, since one can easily be confused in almost all textbook of bosonization, when one studies it at first! (even experts sometimes make mistakes...)

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Bosonization for beginners – refermionization for experts

Jan von Delft and Herbert Schoeller

“we hope that experts too might find useful our explicit treatment of certain subtleties that can often be swept under the rug, but are crucial for some applications, such as the calculation of $\rho_{dos}(\omega)$ – these include the proper treatment of the so-called Klein factors”

Klein factors

Bosonization (*a la* Shankar)

Shankar RMP (1994)

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \left[(\partial_x \phi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x))^2 + \Pi_{\text{Sha}}^2(t, x) \right] \quad \begin{aligned} \Pi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x) &\equiv \partial_t \phi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x) \\ [\phi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x), \Pi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x')] &= i\delta(x - x') \end{aligned}$$

$$\psi_{\pm\text{Sha}}(t, x) = (2\pi a)^{-1/2} e^{\pm i\sqrt{4\pi}\phi_{\pm\text{Sha}}(t, x)}$$

with $\phi_{\pm\text{Sha}}(t, x) \equiv \lim_{x_0 \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left[\phi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x) \mp \int_{x_0}^x dx' \Pi_{\text{Sha}}(t, x') \right]$

Anticommutation relations are reproduced without Klein factors.

When one consider, e.g., one-particle fermion Green's function, the bosonization formula without Klein factors makes no sense.

Constructive bosonization:

$$\psi_{L,R}(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} F_{L,R} e^{-i\phi_{L,R}(x)}$$

Note also $F_{\rho} F_{\rho} \neq 1$

$$\{F_{\rho}, F_{\rho'}^{\dagger}\} = 2\delta_{\rho\rho'} \quad F_{\rho} F_{\rho}^{\dagger} = 1$$

$$\{F_{\rho}, F_{\rho'}\} = 0, \quad \text{for } \rho \neq \rho'$$

ϕ_L and ϕ_R are independent

Preparation: 1D TLL

Hamiltonian with interaction U:

$$H_0 = H_L^0 + H_R^0 + H_U = \frac{v}{4} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \frac{dx}{2\pi} : \left[\frac{1}{g} \left(\partial_x \phi_-(x) \right)^2 + g \left(\partial_x \phi_+(x) \right)^2 \right] :$$

$$\phi_{\pm}(x) = \phi_L(x) \pm \phi_R(x) \quad v = \frac{v_F}{g} \quad g = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 2U/v_F}} : \text{TL parameter}$$

We can define two left-moving bosons:

$$\Phi_{\pm}(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} + \sqrt{g} \right) \left[\phi_L(x) \mp \phi_R(-x) \right] \pm \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{g}} - \sqrt{g} \right) \left[\phi_L(-x) \mp \phi_R(x) \right] \right\}$$

Now, Hamiltonian consists of two independent left-moving bosons

$$H_0 = \frac{v}{2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \frac{dx}{2\pi} : \left[\left(\partial_x \Phi_+(x) \right)^2 + \left(\partial_x \Phi_-(x) \right)^2 \right] :$$

Multi-point correlator

One important formula is a multi-point correlator expression:

$$\begin{aligned} a^{-\sum_i \lambda_i^2 / 2} \langle T_\tau e^{i\lambda_1 \phi(\tau_1)} e^{i\lambda_2 \phi(\tau_2)} \dots e^{i\lambda_N \phi(\tau_N)} \rangle &= \left(\frac{2\pi}{L} \right)^{\frac{1}{2} (\sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i)^2} \prod_{i < j} \left(\frac{\beta}{\pi} \sin [\pi T (|\tau_i - \tau_j| \pm a/v)] \right)^{\lambda_i \lambda_j} \\ &= \prod_{i < j} \left(\frac{\beta}{\pi} \sin [\pi T (|\tau_i - \tau_j| \pm a/v)] \right)^{\lambda_i \lambda_j} \end{aligned}$$

For thermodynamic limit, neutral condition emerges: $\sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i = 0$

This expression serves as “Wick’s theorem” and will be extensively used in our CTQMC

local boson field: $\phi(\tau) = \phi(x=0, \tau)$

sign for cutoff is chosen as

$$+a/v \quad \text{for } \tau_i - \tau_j \sim 0$$

$$-a/v \quad \text{for } \tau_i - \tau_j \sim \beta$$

Fermionic CTQMC

Let us consider Kane-Fisher model for $g=1$ i.e., non-interacting wire

$$H = H_0 + (\lambda_B \psi_L^\dagger(0) \psi_R(0) + \text{h.c.})$$

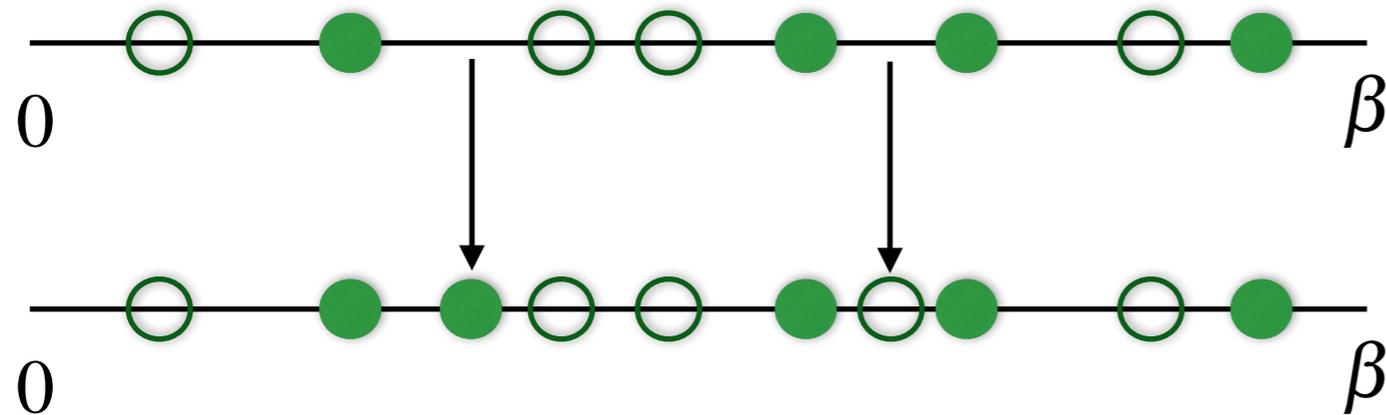
A general term in perturbation series of Z is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{Z}{Z_0} &= \lambda_B^{2k} \int_{\tau_1 > \tau_2 > \dots > \tau_{2k}} d\tau_1 \dots d\tau_{2k} \left\langle T_\tau \psi_L^\dagger(\tau_1) \psi_R(\tau_1) \dots \psi_R^\dagger(\tau_{2k}) \psi_R(\tau_{2k}) \right\rangle \\ \text{snap shot} &\rightarrow \lambda_B^{2k} \left\langle \psi_L^\dagger(\tau_1) \psi_L(\tau_2) \psi_L(\tau_3) \dots \right\rangle \left\langle \psi_R(\tau_1) \psi_R^\dagger(\tau_2) \psi_R^\dagger(\tau_3) \dots \right\rangle \\ &= \lambda_B^{2k} \det \hat{G} \cdot \det (\hat{G}^T) \\ &= \lambda_B^{2k} (\det \hat{G})^2 \quad \rightarrow \text{“weight” for the snapshot configuration (= } W) \end{aligned}$$

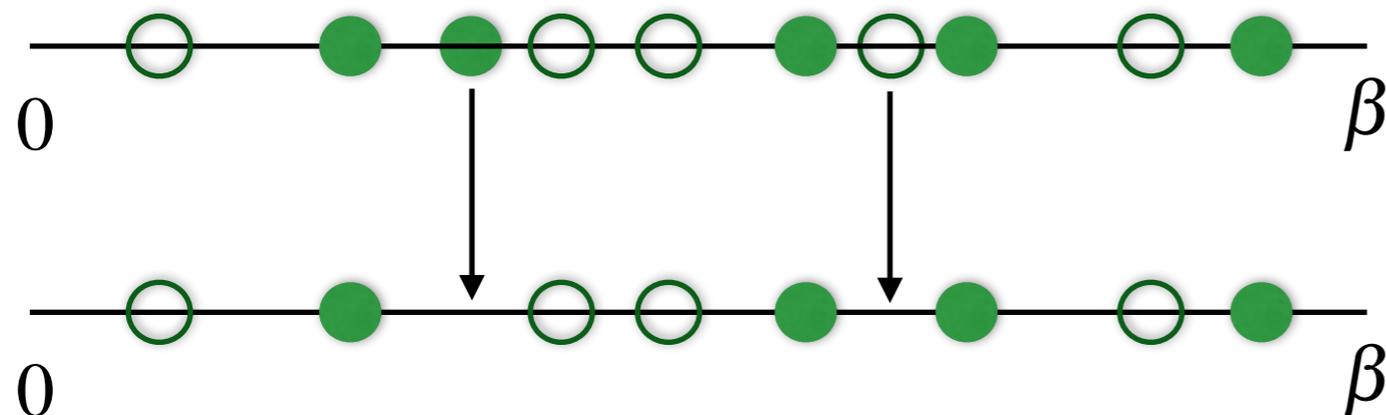
Green's func matrix: $(\hat{G})_{ij} = G_0(\tau_i - \tau_j)$

Updates

Insertion



Remove



Metropolis

$$R = \frac{W_{\text{new}}}{W_{\text{old}}} F$$

accept if

$$\min(R, 1) > r, \quad 0 \leq r \leq 1$$

deny otherwise

$$F = \frac{\beta^2}{(k+1)^2} \quad \text{for insertion}$$

$$F = \frac{k^2}{\beta^2} \quad \text{for removal}$$

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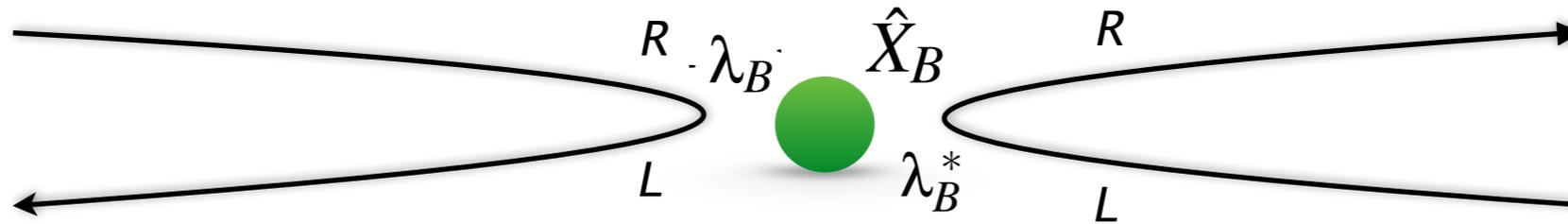
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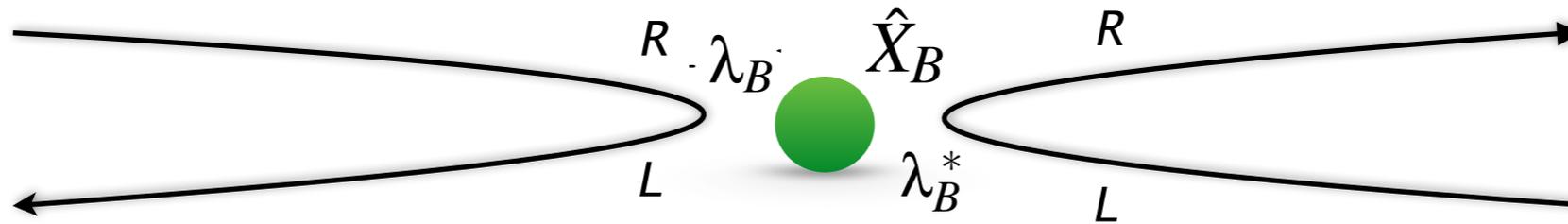
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$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= V_B + V_B^\dagger = -\lambda_B \psi_L^\dagger(0) \psi_R(0) \hat{X}_B + \lambda_B^* \psi_R^\dagger(0) \psi_L(0) \hat{X}_B^\dagger, \\
 &= a^{g-1} \lambda_B \underbrace{F_L^\dagger F_R}_{\equiv V_{\sqrt{2g}}} \left(a^{-g} e^{i\sqrt{2g}\Phi_+} \right) \hat{X}_B + a^{g-1} \lambda_B^* \underbrace{F_R^\dagger F_L}_{\equiv V_{-\sqrt{2g}}} \left(a^{-g} e^{-i\sqrt{2g}\Phi_+} \right) \hat{X}_B^\dagger
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Here, we have defined

$$\Phi_\pm \equiv \Phi_\pm(0) = \frac{g^\mp \frac{1}{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\phi_L(0) \mp \phi_R(0) \right]$$

only "+" boson appears in V
 "-" boson is decoupled and can be ignored

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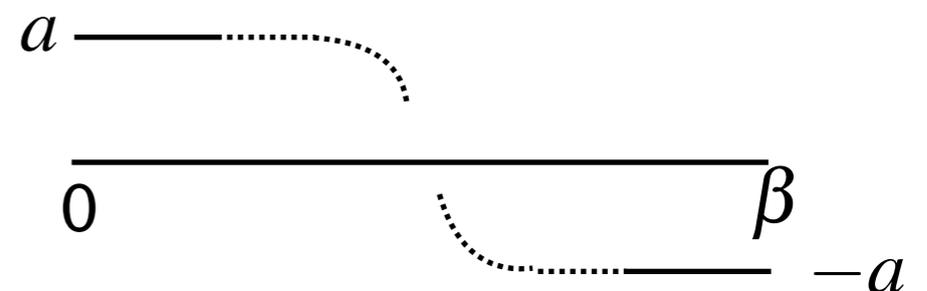
$$\frac{(-1)^N}{N!} \int_0^\beta d\tau_1 \cdots \int_0^\beta d\tau_N \langle T_\tau V_B(\tau_1) V_B^\dagger(\tau_2) \cdots V_B^\dagger(\tau_N) \rangle_0$$

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- ❖ Weight is **positive definite**
- ❖ This simple form represents **all the interaction effects** in the bulk part

non-int. “electron” Green’s func.:

$$s_{0ij} \equiv \frac{v\beta}{\pi} \sin \left[\frac{\pi}{v\beta} (v|\tau_i - \tau_j| \pm a) \right] > 0$$

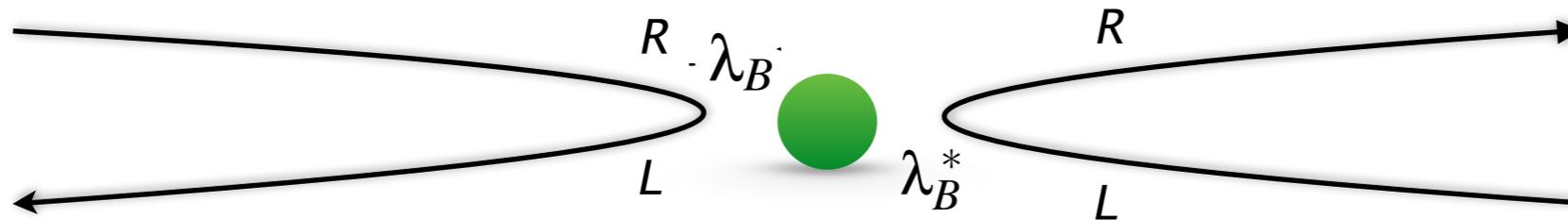
$$[\hat{S}]_{lm} = -\text{sgn}(\tau_l^- - \tau_m^+) / s_{0lm}$$

$$\tau^\pm : \tau \text{ for } \pm \lambda$$

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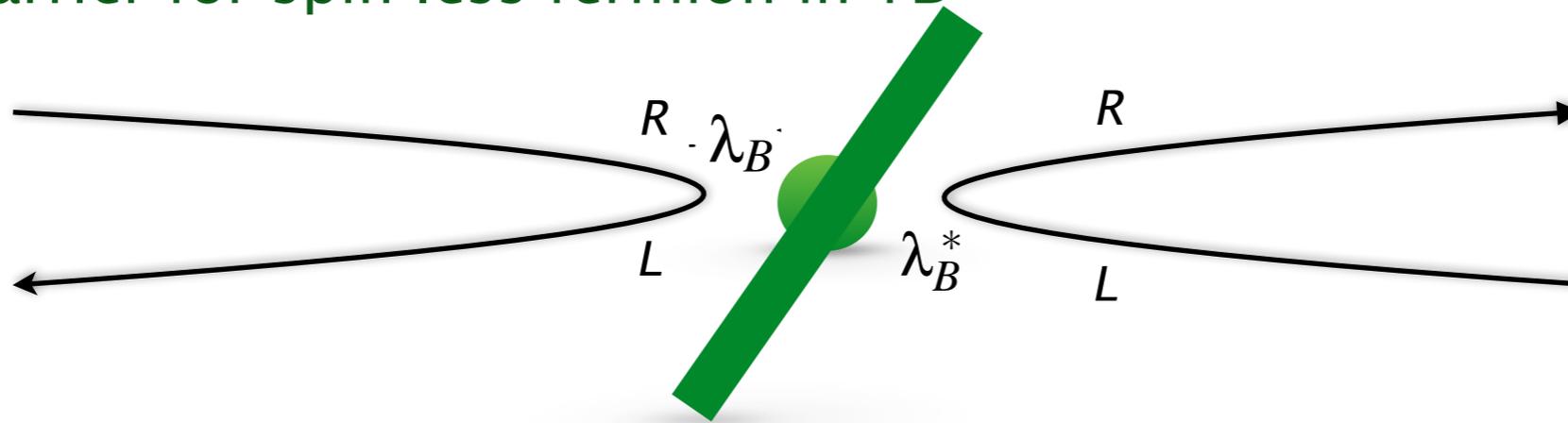
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RG eq.:

$$\partial \lambda_B = (1 - g) \lambda_B \quad \lambda_B \rightarrow \infty \quad (g < 1)$$

Completely decoupled chains at low-energy for repulsive int. $g < 1$

This model is intensively analyzed so far, here we will show

- ❖ electron Green's function (1st numerically exact data in our knowledge)
- ❖ Conductance $G \rightarrow 0$ at $T=0$ (compare exact result @ $g=0.5 \rightarrow$ check)

Both consistent with RG result.

Kane & Fisher PRL (1992)

Electron Green's functions

Fermion operator:

$$\begin{aligned}\psi_L(x=0) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} F_L e^{-i\phi_L(x=0)} \\ &= a^{\frac{g}{4} + \frac{1}{4g} - \frac{1}{2}} \left(a^{-\frac{1}{4g}} e^{-\frac{i}{\sqrt{2g}} \Phi^-} \right) F_L \left(a^{-\frac{g}{4}} e^{-i\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}} \Phi_+} \right) \\ &= a^{\frac{g}{4} + \frac{1}{4g} - \frac{1}{2}} V_{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2g}}}^- \cdot F_L V_{-\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}}^+\end{aligned}$$

Green's function:

$$s(\tau) = \frac{v\beta}{\pi} \sin \left[\frac{\pi}{v\beta} (v|\tau| \pm a) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}-G(\tau) &= \langle T_\tau \psi_L(\tau, 0) \psi_L^\dagger(0, 0) \rangle \\ &= a^{\frac{g}{2} + \frac{1}{2g} - 1} \langle T_\tau V_{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2g}}}^- (\tau) V_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2g}}}^- (0) \rangle \langle T_\tau F_L V_{-\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}}^+ (\tau) F_L^\dagger V_{\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}}^+ (0) \rangle \\ &= a^{\frac{g}{2} + \frac{1}{2g} - 1} [1/s(\tau)]^{\frac{1}{2g}} [-G^+(\tau)]\end{aligned}$$

Direct sampling of G^+ (P_{ij} : No. of vertices between i and j in a snapshot) @2nth order

$$\mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} = - \left\langle F_L(\tau_i) V_{-\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}} (\tau_i) F_L^\dagger(\tau_j) V_{\sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}} (\tau_j) \right\rangle_{\text{MC}}$$

Indirect sampling (fast)

$$= \left\langle -(-1)^{P_{ij}} s_{0ij}^{\frac{g}{2}} \left| \frac{\det \hat{S}_{n \oplus ij}}{\det \hat{S}_n} \right|^g \right\rangle_{\text{MC}} \quad \tilde{\mathcal{G}}_{i>j}^{(2k)} = \left\langle \frac{(-1)^{P_{ij}}}{|\lambda_B(g)|^2} s_{0ij}^{\frac{g}{2}} \left| \frac{\det \hat{S}_{n \ominus ij}}{\det \hat{S}_n} \right|^g \right\rangle_{\text{MC}}$$

Bench mark for $g=1$

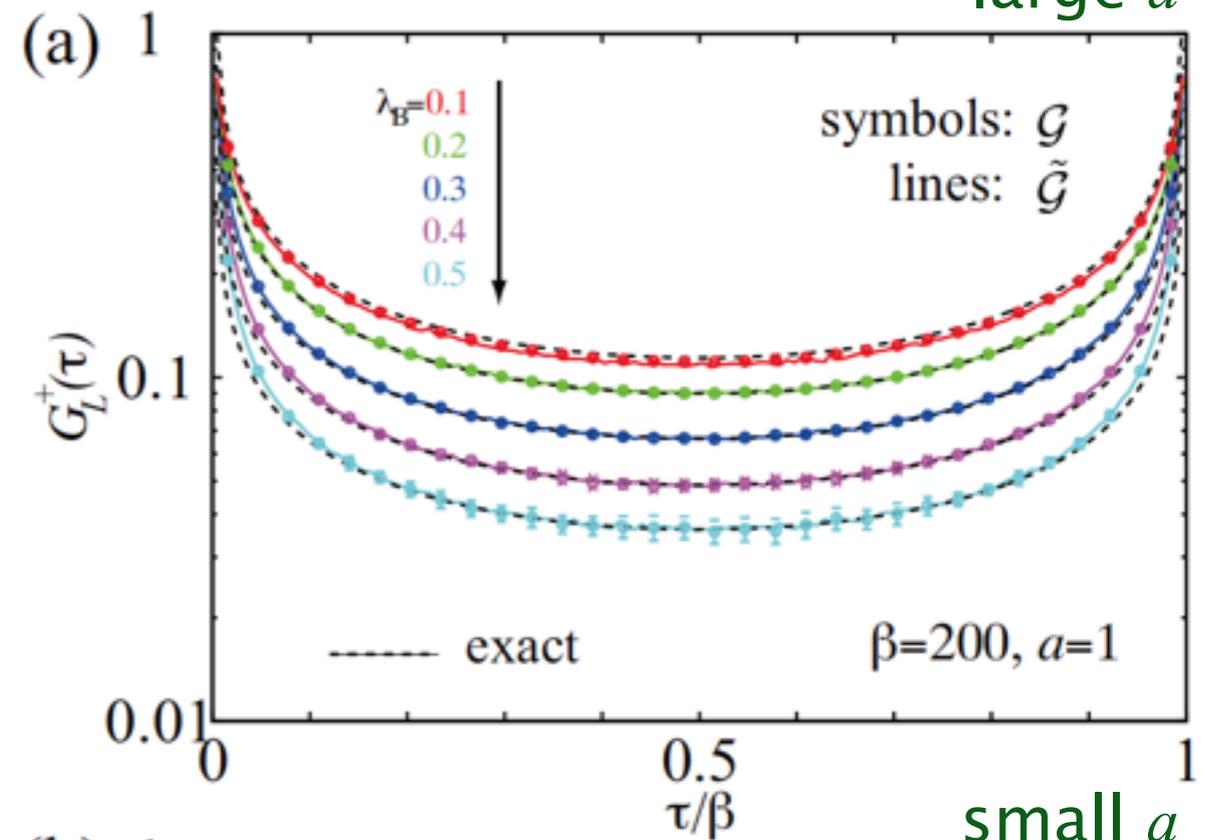
Let us check the Green's function for non-interacting case ($g=1$)

Exact G can be obtained via EOM as

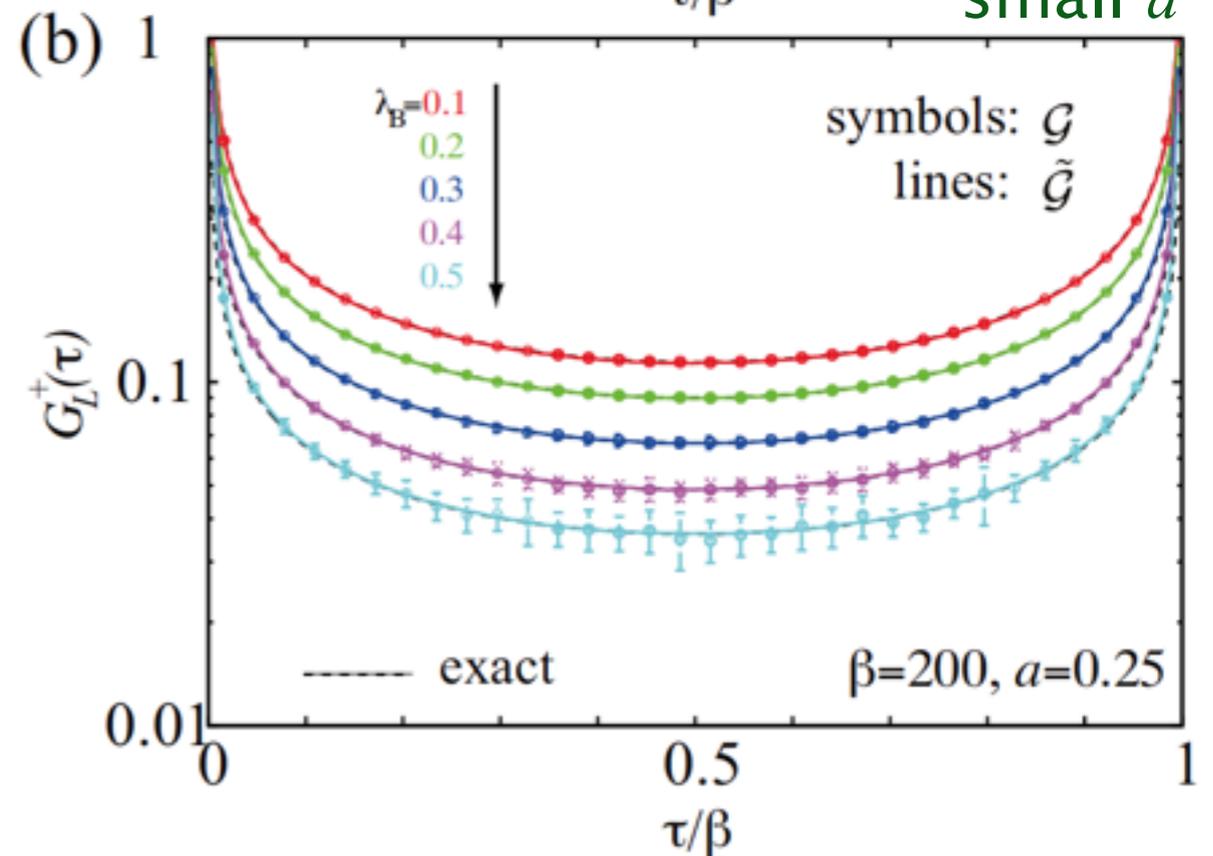
$$G_L^{+,ex}(\tau) = \frac{[s(\tau)]^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{1 + \pi^2 \lambda_B^2 / v^2}$$

for $a \rightarrow 0$

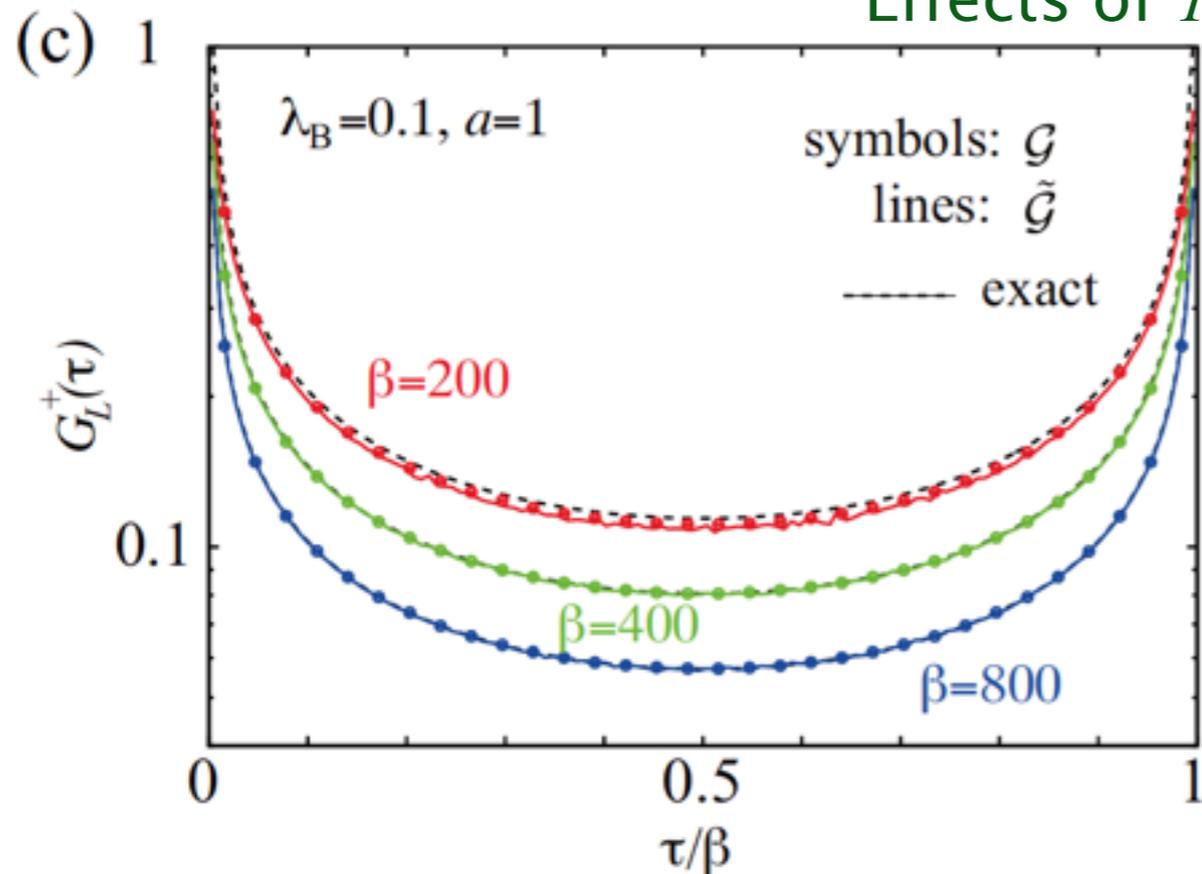
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Electron Green's function

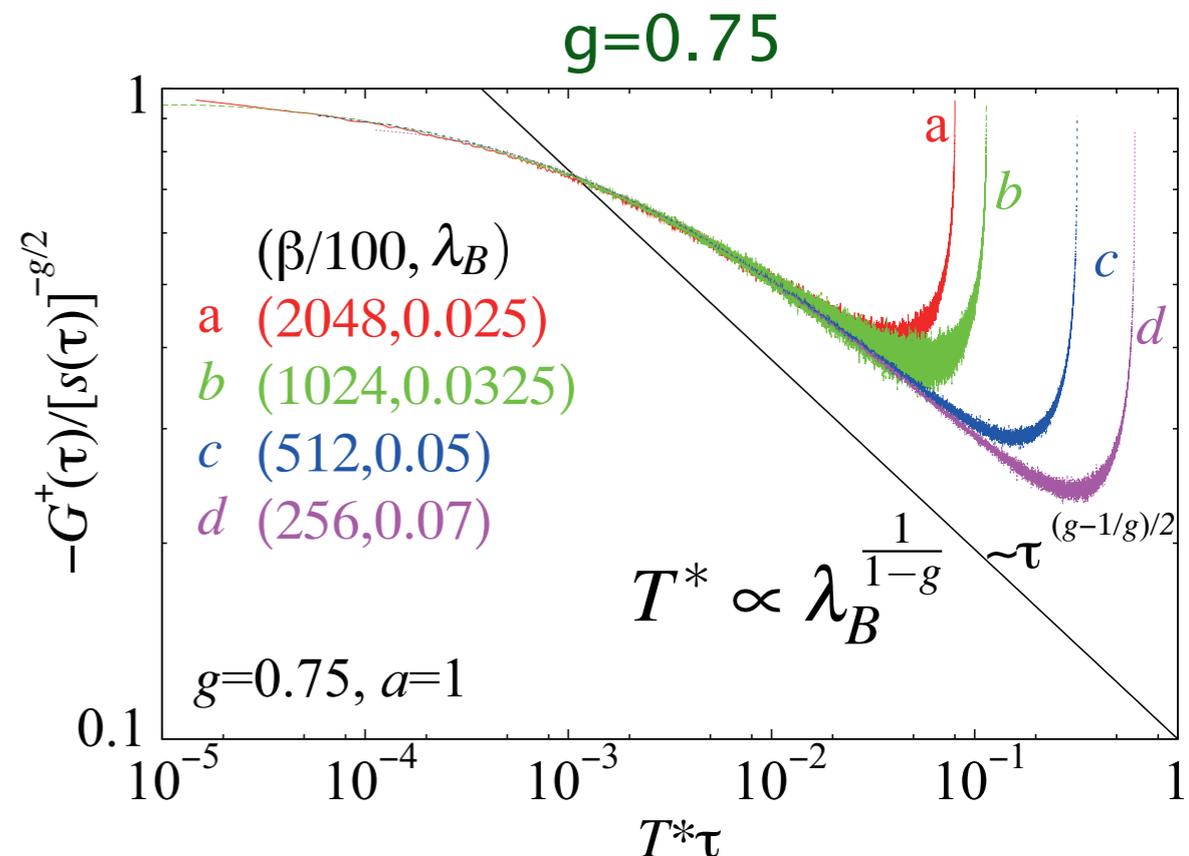
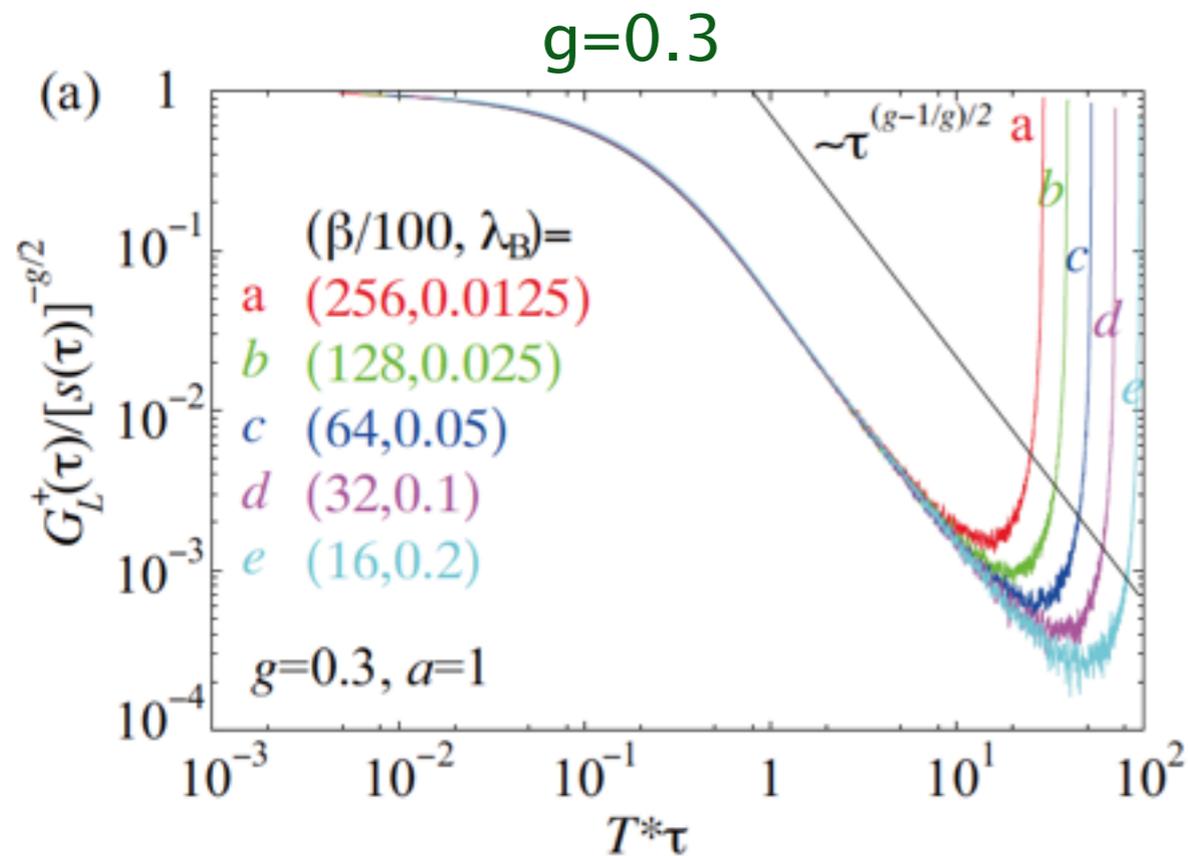
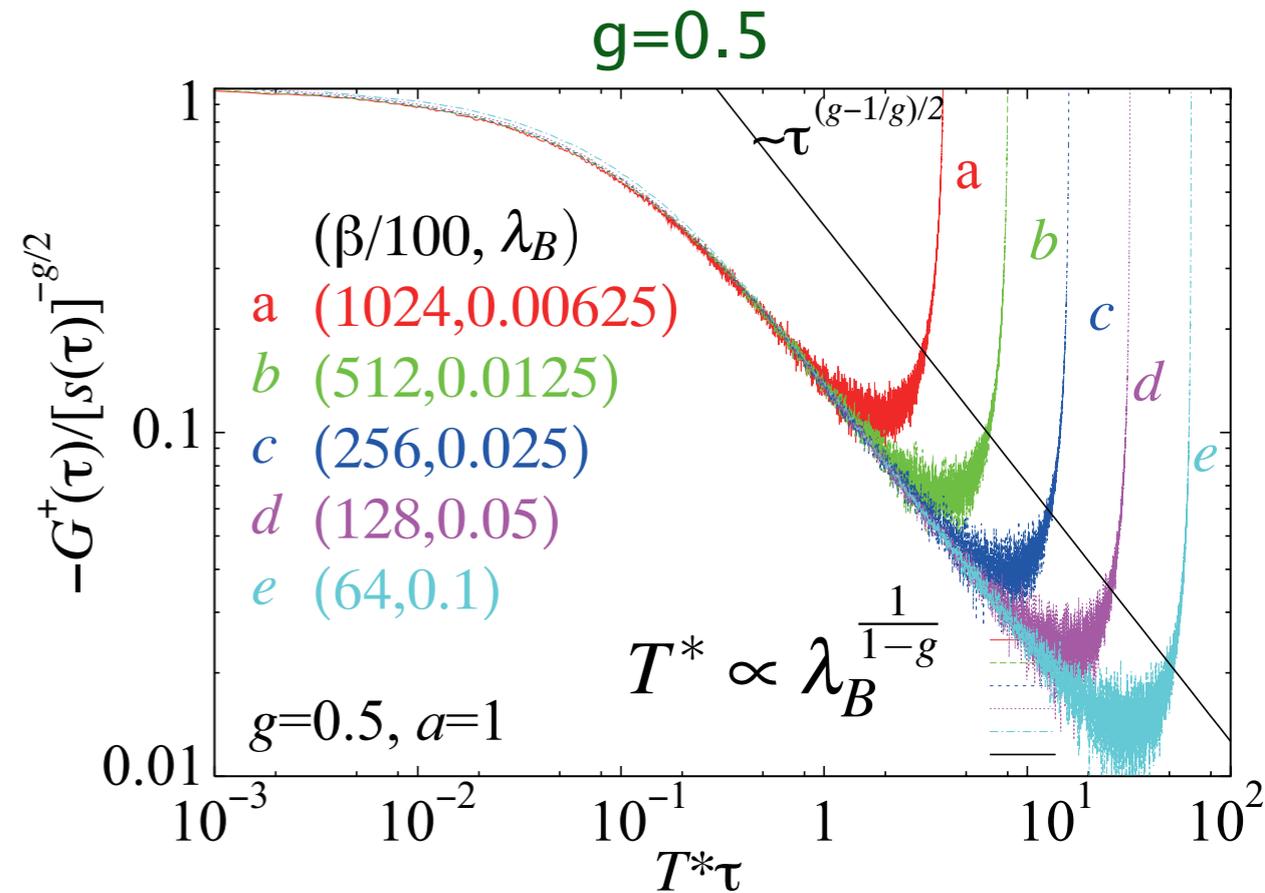
Nontrivial part:

$$G_L^+(\tau) = \langle F_L(\tau) \hat{V}_{-\sqrt{\frac{\alpha g}{2}}}(\tau) F_L(0) \hat{V}_{\sqrt{\frac{\alpha g}{2}}}(0) \rangle_{\Phi_+}$$

We found:

$$G_L^+(\tau) \sim \tau^{-\frac{1}{2g}} \quad \text{for } \tau \rightarrow \infty$$

consistent with result by Furusaki (1997)
reflecting vanishing DOS $\omega^{1/g-1}$ at $x=0$



Universal function @ T=0

Green's function is expressed as

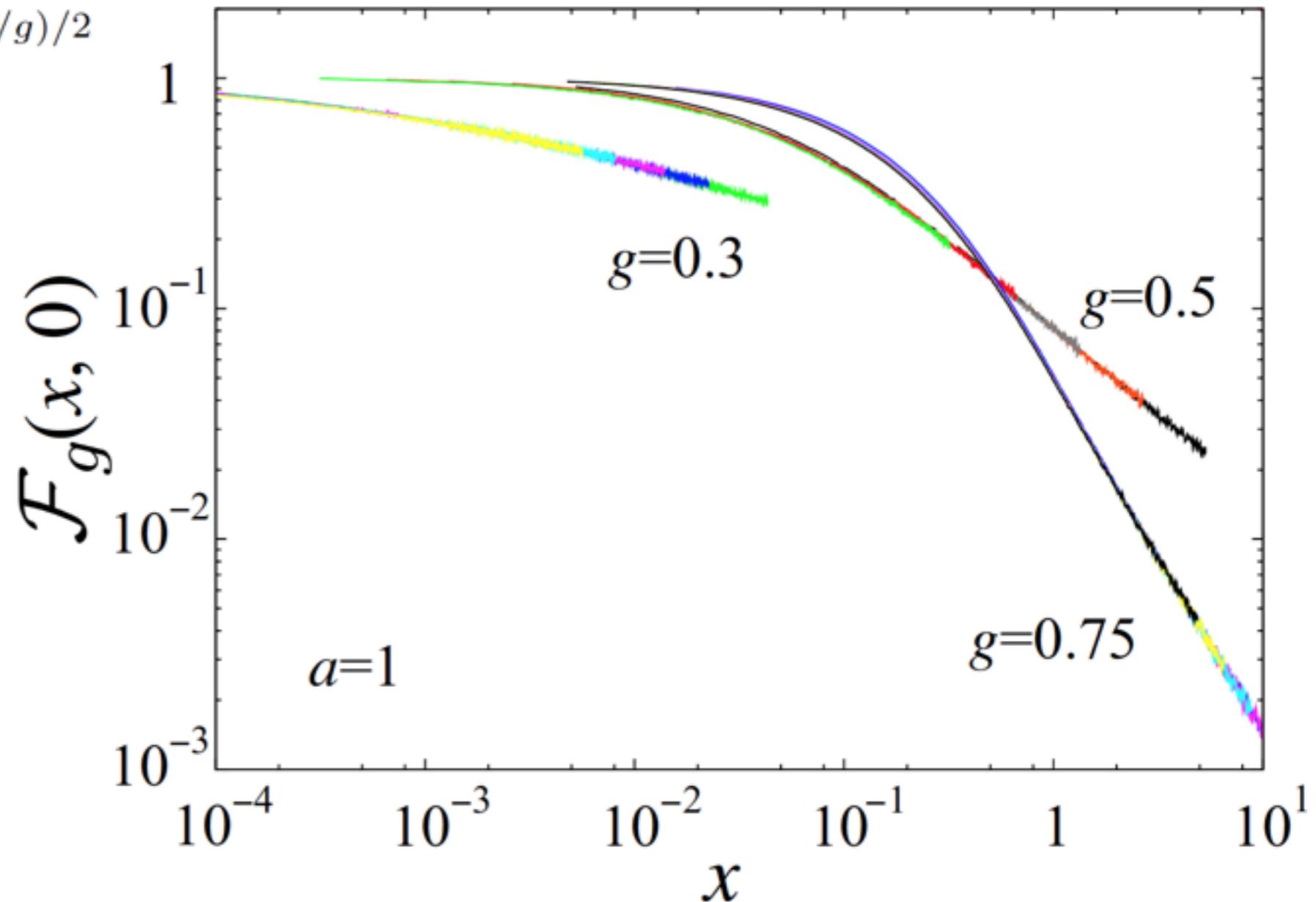
$$G_L^+(\tau) \approx [s(\tau)]^{-g/2} \mathcal{F}_g(T^* \tau, T/T^*) \quad T^* = \frac{v}{a} \left(\frac{\lambda_B}{v} \right)^{1/(1-g)}$$

Universal part has two obvious limits:

$$\mathcal{F}_g(x \rightarrow \infty, 0) \propto x^{(g-1/g)/2}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_g(x \rightarrow 0, 0) = 1$$

T=0 universal func. is drawn from our T>0 data by using data for $\tau/\beta < 1/6$



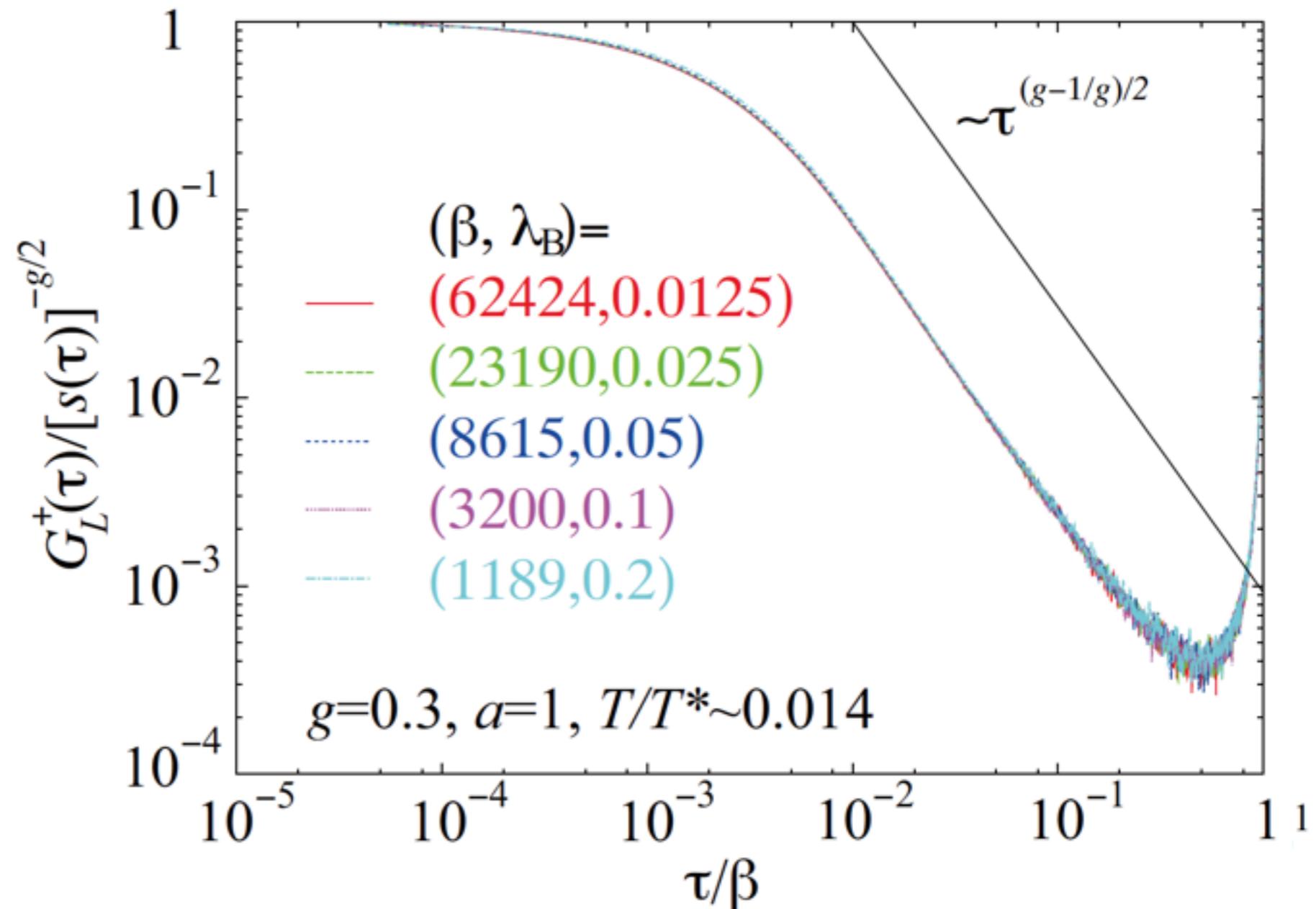
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For T>0, universal func. depends only T/T*.

This can be checked by examining data with fixed T/T*.



$$T^* \tau = \frac{T^*}{T} \cdot \frac{\tau}{\beta}$$

Conductance

Kubo formula:

$$G(x, y) = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\omega} \int dt e^{i\omega t} \langle [j(x, t), j(y, 0)] \rangle \theta(t)$$

In the bosonization language, the current operator is:

$$j(x, \tau) = \frac{ev}{2\pi} \partial_x (\phi_L(x, \tau) + \phi_R(x, \tau)) \longrightarrow j(x, \tau) = i \frac{e}{2\pi} \partial_\tau (\phi_L(x, \tau) - \phi_R(x, \tau))$$

In our basis @x=0,

$$j(0, \tau) = i \frac{e\sqrt{g}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \partial_\tau \Phi_+(\tau)$$

we can calculate G in our CTQMC

c.f., PIMC, Moon et al (1993),
real-time PIMC, Leung et al (1995)

There are some complicated things... about G in TLL wire:

$$G = \frac{e^2 g}{h} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{e^2}{h}$$

With leads:

Maslov-Stone (1995), Ponomarenko (1995)

Feed-back effect of interactions:

Kawabata (1996)

without leads: Apel-Rice (1982)

Conductance for $g=0.5$

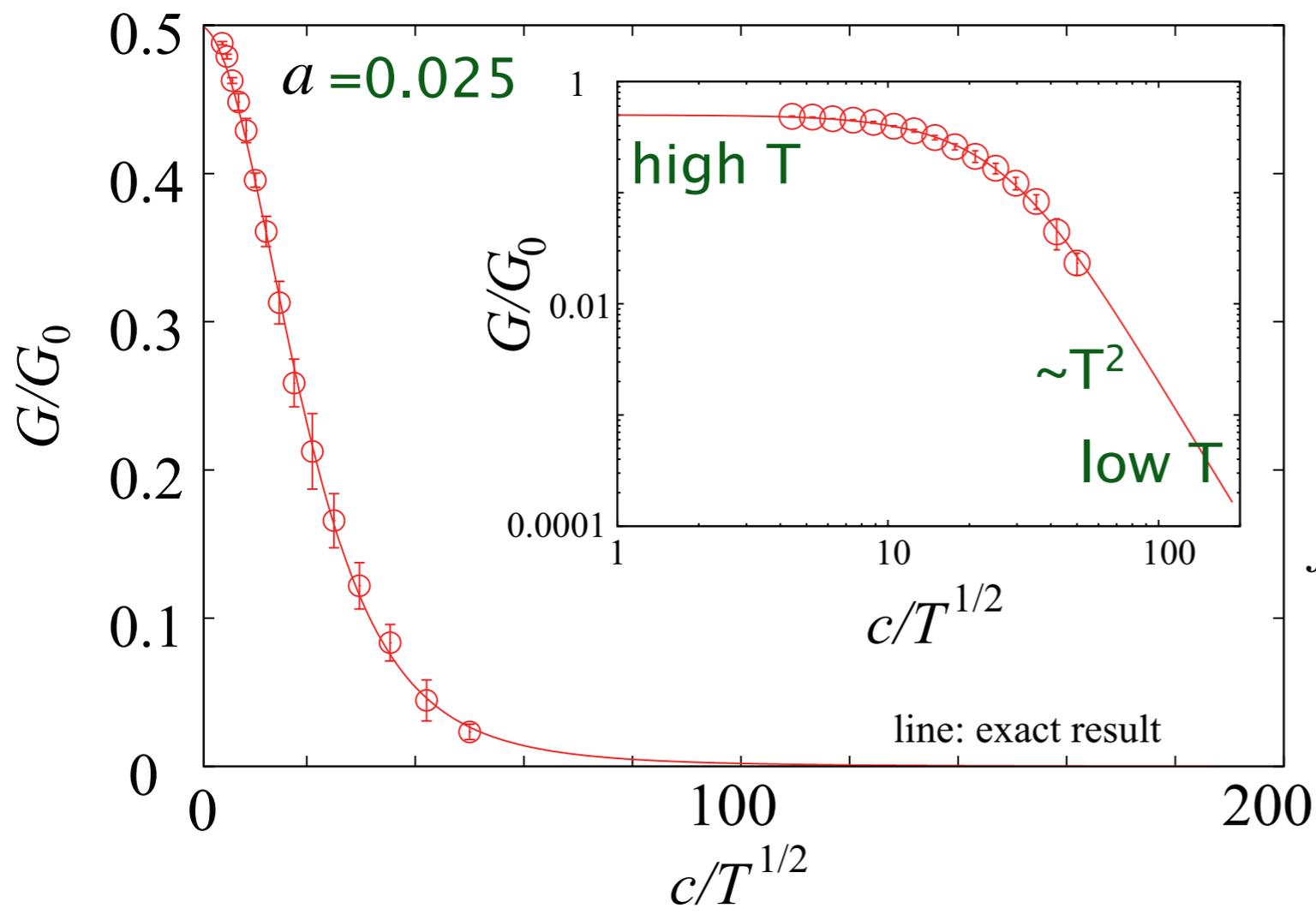
For small cutoff a , results are consistent with the exact one by Kane&Fisher (1992)

$$\frac{G}{G_0} = -\lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \frac{g}{\pi\omega} \text{Im} \left(D(i\omega_n) \Big|_{i\omega_n \rightarrow \omega + i0} \right), \quad D(\tau) = -\langle T_\tau \partial_\tau \Phi_+(\tau) \partial_\tau \Phi_+(0) \rangle$$

In CTQMC, $D(\tau)$ is calculated by

$$-\mathcal{D}(\tau_l - \tau_m) = v^2 s_{0lm}^{-2} + (\pi T)^2 Q(\tau_l) Q(\tau_m) \quad Q(\tau) = \sum_{p=\pm, i} q_i^p(\tau) \cot \left[\frac{\pi}{\beta} (|\tau - \tau_i^p| \pm \frac{a}{v}) \right]$$

$$q_i^\pm(\tau) = \pm \sqrt{2g} \text{sgn}(\tau - \tau_i^\pm)$$



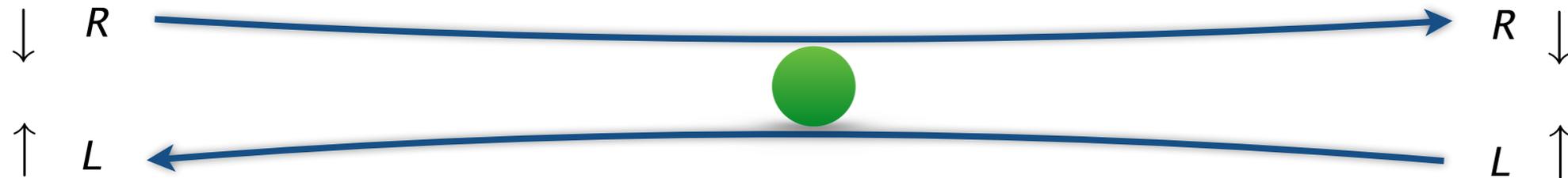
Analytic continuation is done by fitting $D(i\omega_n)$ for low frequency by

$$f(\omega_n) = a - b\omega_n + c\omega_n^2 + d\omega_n^2 \log(\omega_n)$$

Helical Kondo problem

Impurities in a helical liquid

What kinds of impurities are interesting in a helical liquid (e.g., on the edge of 2d topological insulator) ?



- ❖ Non-magnetic impurity (like Kane-Fisher): **impossible due to TRS**

$$\sim u \psi_{\uparrow}^{\dagger}(0) \psi_{\downarrow}(0)$$

- ❖ Two-particle backward scattering: possible and relevant for $g < 1/4$

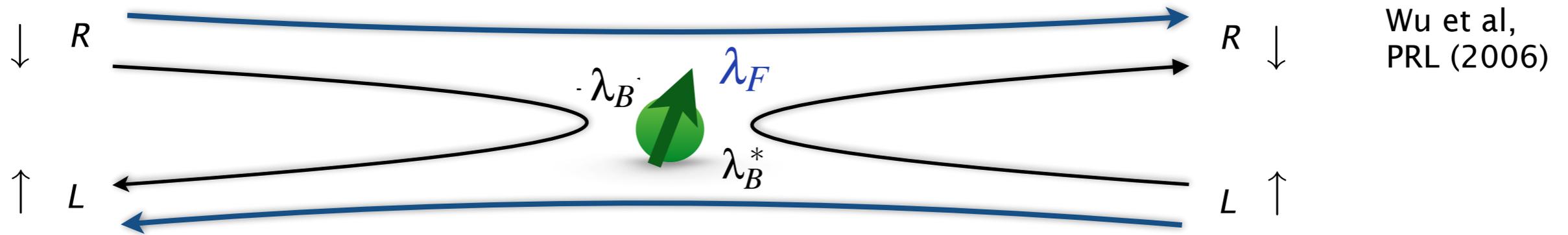
$$\sim u' \psi_{\uparrow}^{\dagger}(0) \psi_{\uparrow}^{\dagger}(a) \psi_{\downarrow}(a) \psi_{\downarrow}(0)$$

- ❖ **Magnetic impurity: possible**

Since general Kondo interactions are highly anisotropic due to the SO interaction (Eriksson et al., 2012), we here analyze a simpler XXZ model (Maciejko, 2012) by CTQMC

Helical Kondo problem

A magnetic impurity on the edge of 2d topological insulator (without Rashba term)



$$H = H_0 + \lambda_F \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \partial_x \Phi_+(0) S^z + a^{g-1} \lambda_B F_L^\dagger F_R \left(a^{-g} e^{i\sqrt{2g}\Phi_+} \right) S^- + a^{g-1} \lambda_B^* F_R^\dagger F_L \left(a^{-g} e^{-i\sqrt{2g}\Phi_+} \right) S^+$$

Remove forward scattering term via $U \equiv \exp \left[i \frac{\sqrt{2g}\lambda_F}{gv} \Phi_+(0) S^z \right]$

$$U H U^\dagger = H_0 + a^{\tilde{g}-1} \lambda_B F_L^\dagger F_R \left(a^{-\tilde{g}} e^{i\sqrt{2\tilde{g}}\Phi_+} \right) S^- + a^{\tilde{g}-1} \lambda_B^* F_R^\dagger F_L \left(a^{-\tilde{g}} e^{-i\sqrt{2\tilde{g}}\Phi_+} \right) S^+$$

now, exponent is shifted:

$$\sqrt{2\tilde{g}} \equiv \sqrt{2g} (1 - \lambda_F / gv)$$

$$\lambda_F = gv : \text{decoupled point (dP)}$$

Poor man's scaling

Interactions:

$$V = \frac{J^z a}{\sqrt{2g}} \partial_x \Phi_+(0) S^z + \frac{J^\pm a^g}{2} \left(F_L^\dagger F_R V_\lambda S^- + F_R^\dagger F_L V_{-\lambda} S^+ \right)$$

2nd order perturbation for partition func. (only S^z terms shown):

$$-(J^\pm)^2 \frac{a^{2g}}{4} \int_0^\infty d\tau_1 \int_0^{\tau_1} d\tau_2 \left\langle \left(V_\lambda(\tau_1) V_{-\lambda}(\tau_2) - V_{-\lambda}(\tau_1) V_\lambda(\tau_2) \right) S^z \right\rangle$$

OPE:

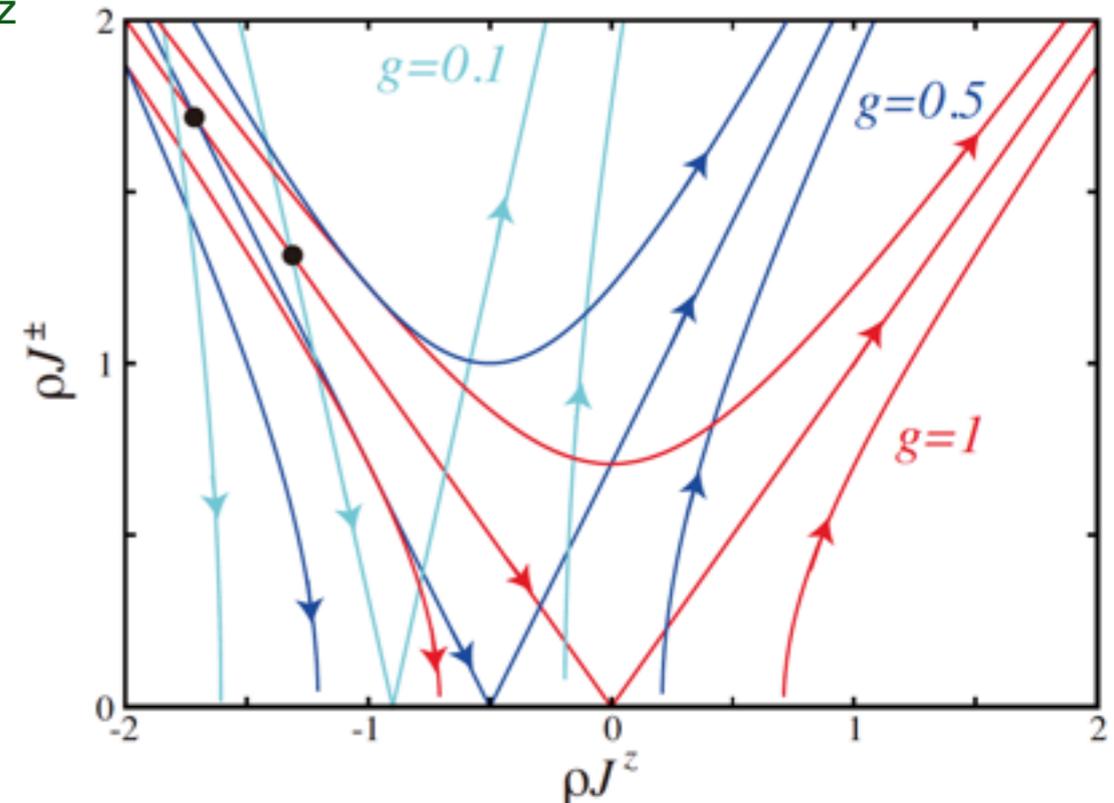
$$V_\lambda(z) V_{-\lambda}(z') \sim \frac{1}{(z-z'+a)^{\lambda^2}} + \lambda \frac{\partial_x \Phi(z)}{(z-z'+a)^{\lambda^2-1}} + \dots$$

Thus, we have effective interaction correction to J^z as

$$-g(J^\pm)^2 \frac{a\Delta\tau}{\sqrt{2g}} \int_0^\infty d\tau_1 \left\langle \partial_x \Phi(\tau_1) S^z \right\rangle$$

1-loop RG eqs. are given as (with adding trivial part):

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_l J^\pm &= (1-g)J^\pm + \rho J^\pm J^z, \\ \partial_l J^z &= \rho g J^{\pm 2}. \end{aligned}$$



RG flow & decoupled points

Exchange up and down local spin indices:

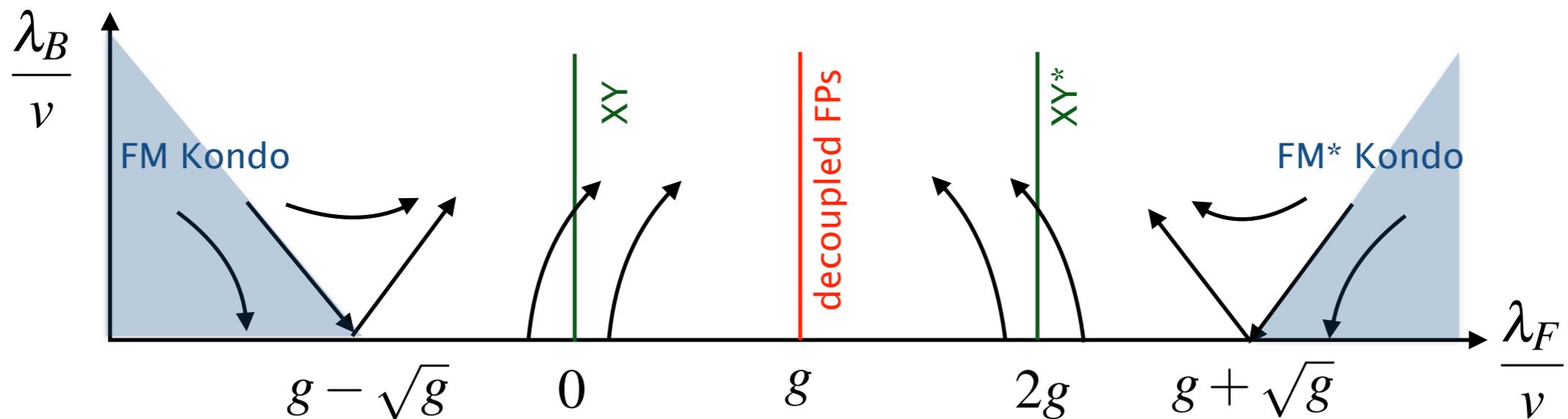
$$S^z \rightarrow -S^z, S^\pm \rightarrow S^\mp$$

Then, Hamiltonian reads,

$$UHU^\dagger \rightarrow H_0 + \left[a^{g-1} \lambda_B F_L^\dagger F_R \left(a^{-g} e^{-i\sqrt{2g}(\lambda_F/gv-1)\Phi_+} \right) S^+ + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

originally $F_R^\dagger F_L$
originally $1 - \lambda_F/gv$

Equivalent
 $\lambda_F/gv \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad (2 - \lambda_F/gv)$



Trajectories based on Anderson-Yuval-Hamann's method

Maciejko PRB (2012)

Spin-spin correlations

Sampling transverse spin-spin correlations is similar to that of G in Kane-Fisher model

$$\chi^{+-}(\tau_{ij}) \equiv \langle T_\tau \hat{S}^+(\tau_i) \hat{S}^-(\tau_j) \rangle$$

but note that we are in a transformed system: $\hat{U} \hat{S}^\pm \hat{U}^\dagger = e^{\pm i \sqrt{2g} \lambda_F / (gv) \Phi_+(0)} \hat{S}^\pm$

Indirect sampling of transverse spin susceptibility:

$$\chi^{+-}(\tau) = \frac{1}{\beta} \left\langle \sum_{ij}^k \mathcal{M}_{ij} \left[\delta(\tau - \tau_{ij}) + \delta(\beta + \tau_{ij} - \tau) \right] \right\rangle$$

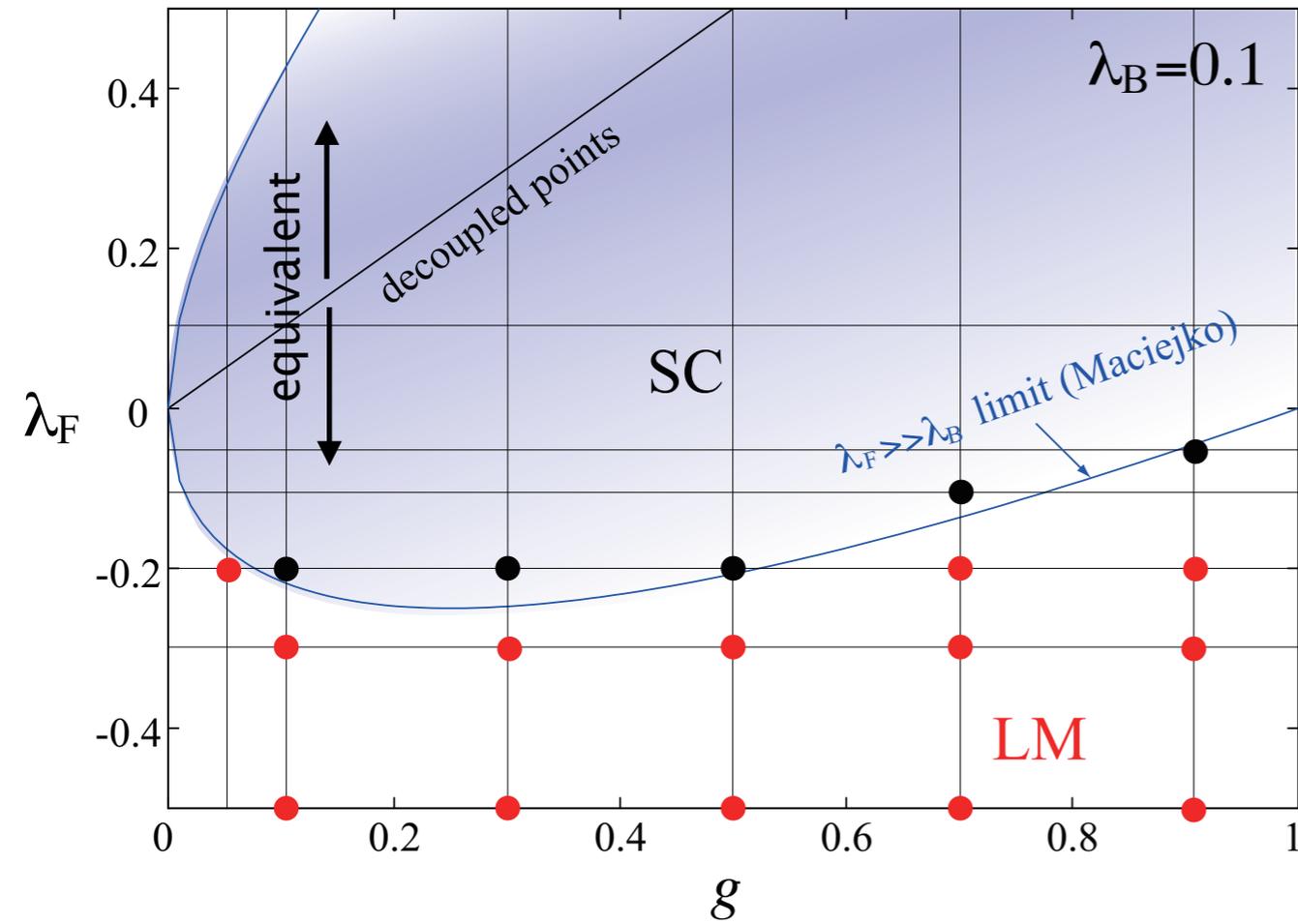
with
$$\mathcal{M}_{ij} = \frac{a^{2g(\frac{\lambda_F}{gv})^2}}{|\lambda'_B|^2} [s(\tau_{ij})]^{-\frac{2\lambda_F}{v}} \left| \frac{\det \hat{S}_{k-1} \{ \tau \ominus \tau_i^-, \tau_j^+ \}}{\det \hat{S}_k \{ \tau \}} \right|^{2g'} \quad g' = g - \lambda_F/v$$

direct sampling of longitudinal spin susceptibility:

$$\chi^z(\tau_i - \tau_j) = \frac{\langle S^\pm(\tau_1) \cdots S^z(\tau_i) \cdots S^z(\tau_j) \cdots \rangle}{\langle S^\pm(\tau_1) \cdots \rangle}$$

Phase diagram

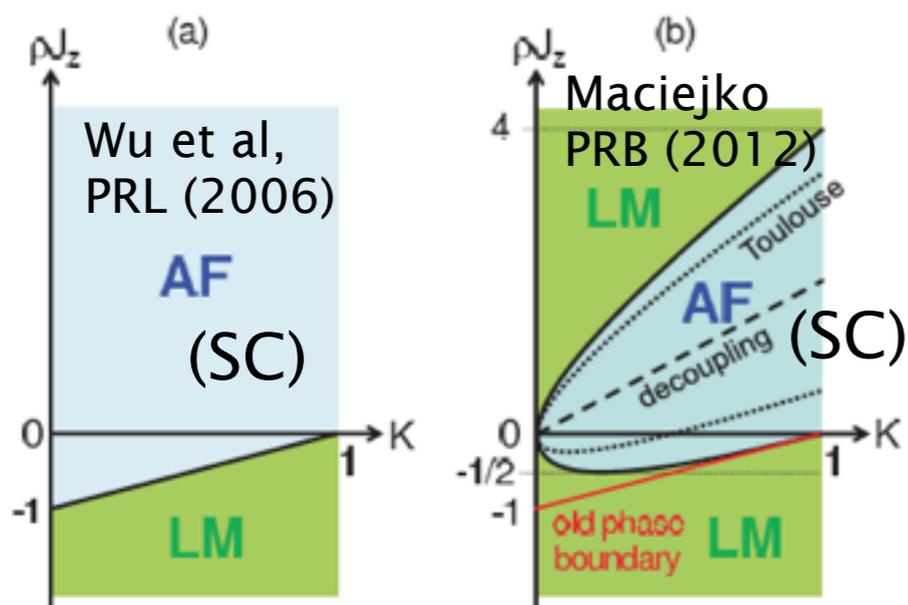
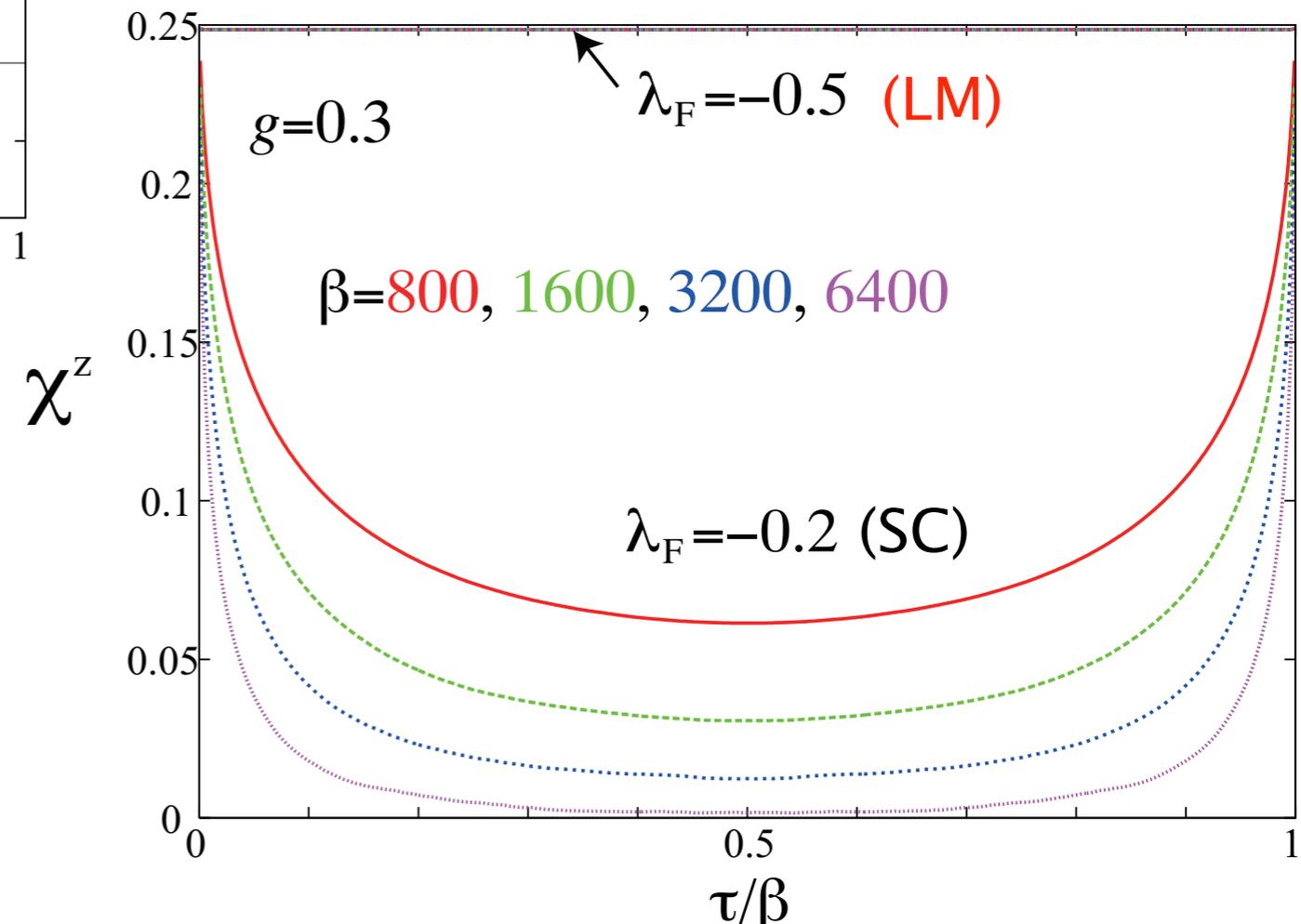
Phase boundary is well described by RG calculation (Maciejko, 2012)



SC: screened phase (“strong coupling”)

LM: local-moment phase (Ferro Kondo)

Typical T-dependence of spin correlation

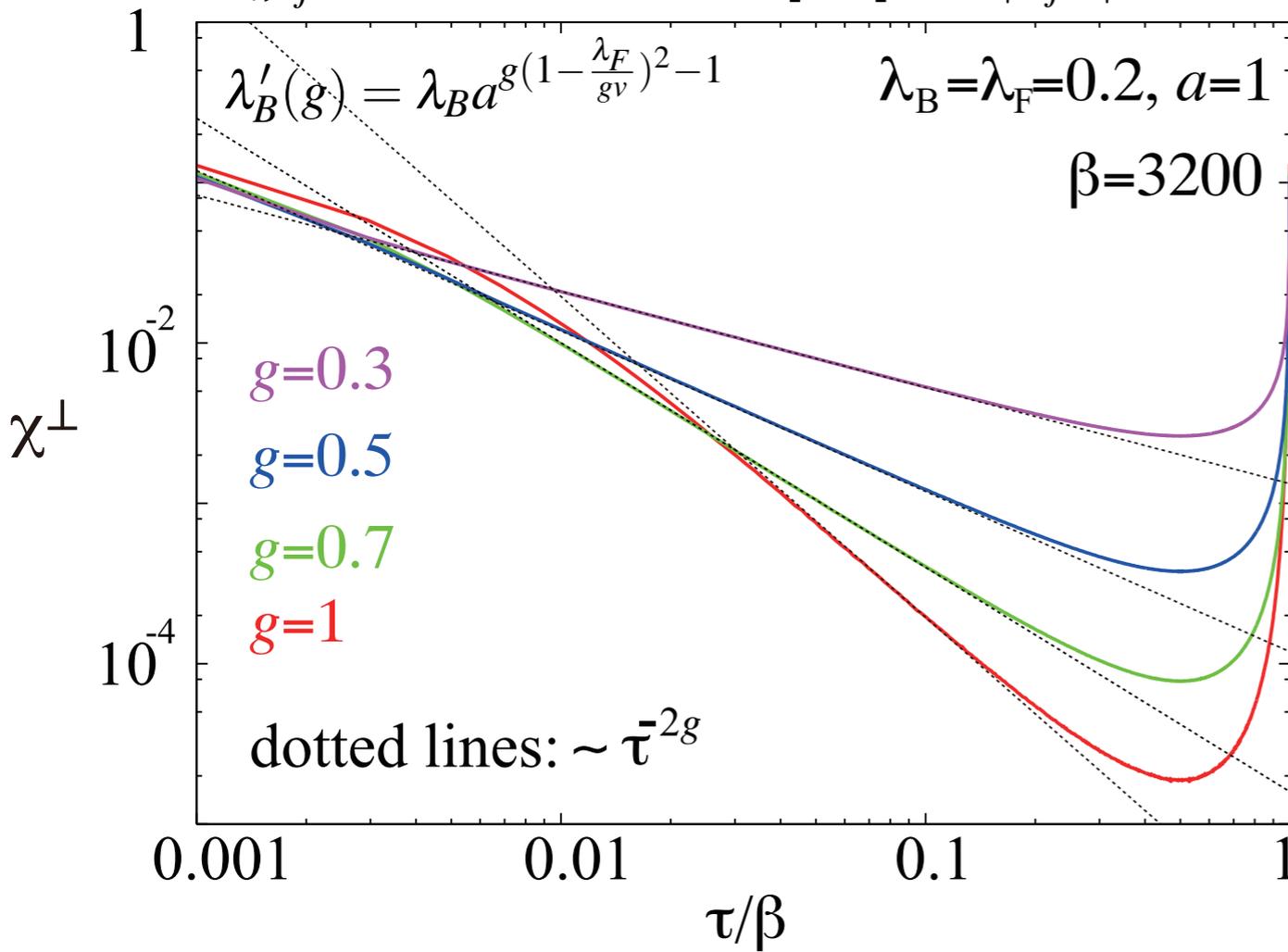


“Strong-coupling” Fixed Point

Dynamical impurity spin-spin correlations

transverse

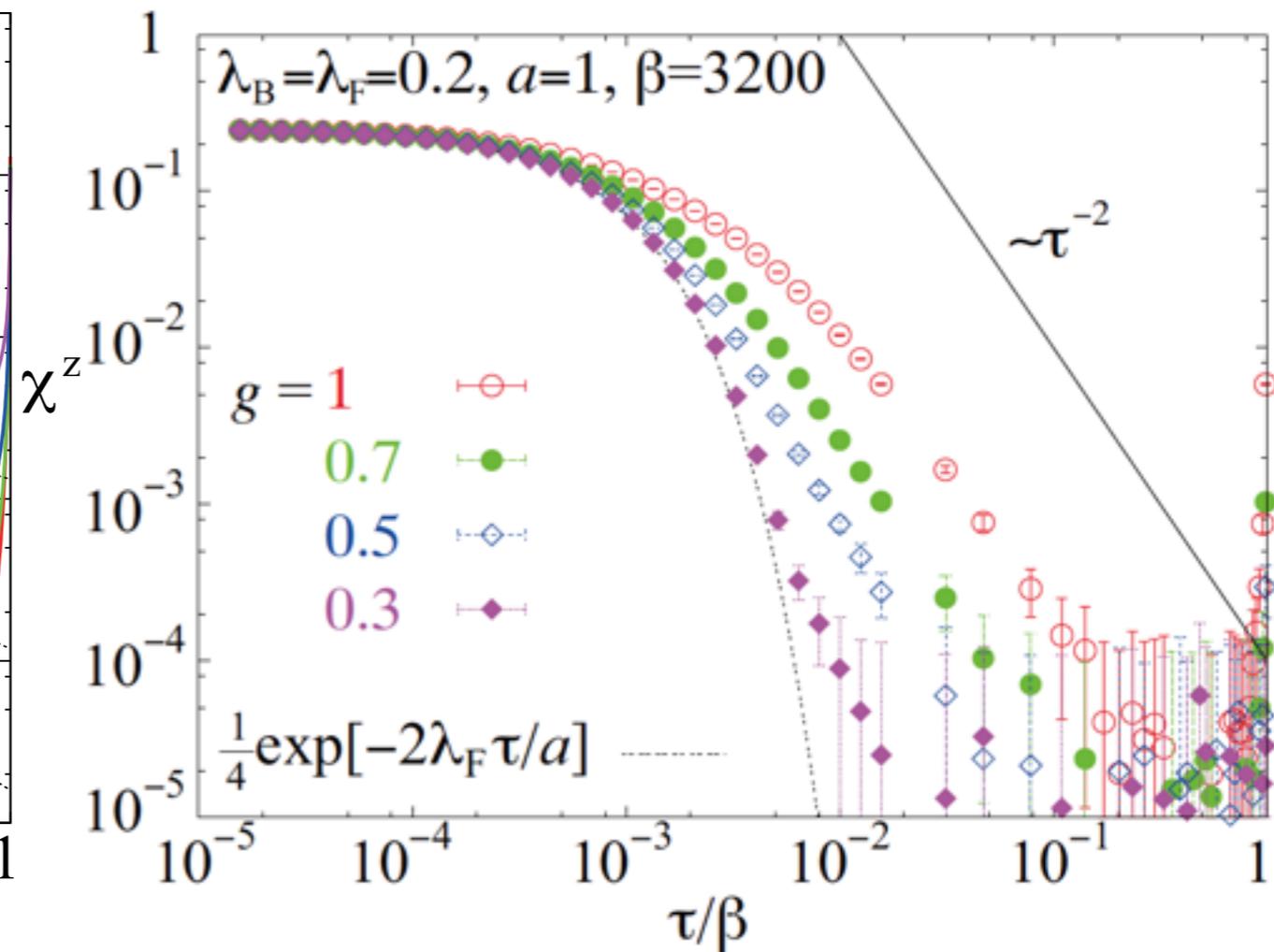
$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_{i>j}^{(2k)} = a^{2g(\frac{\lambda_F}{g\nu})^2} |\lambda'_B(g)|^{-2} [s_{0ij}]^{-\frac{2\lambda_F}{\nu}} |\hat{S}_{ji}^{-1}|^{2(g-\frac{\lambda_F}{\nu})}$$



$1/\tau^{2g}$: The exponent is precisely the exponent @ dP

longitudinal

(directly calculated)



$1/\tau^2$: dP+ perturbation; dP@g=0.2

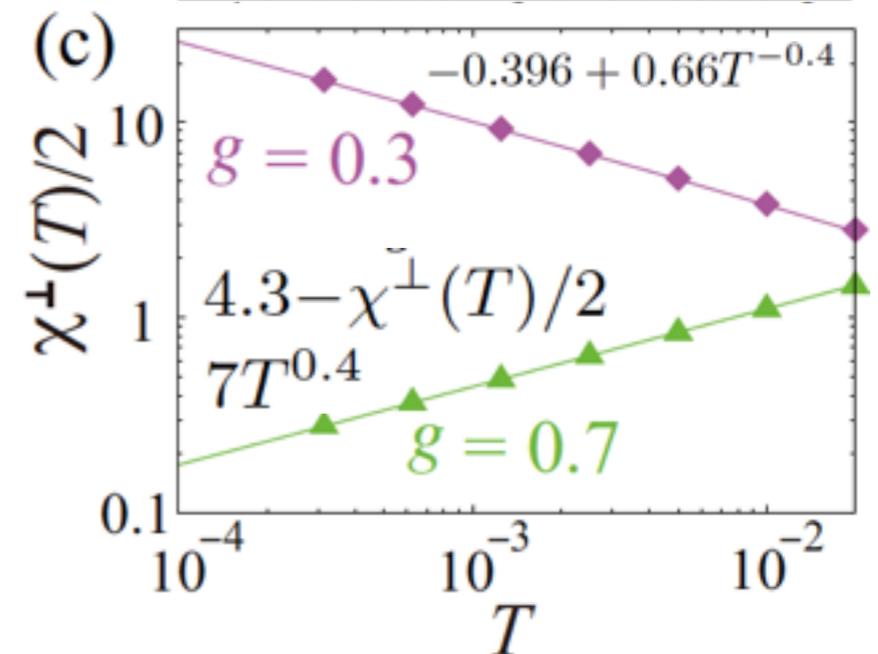
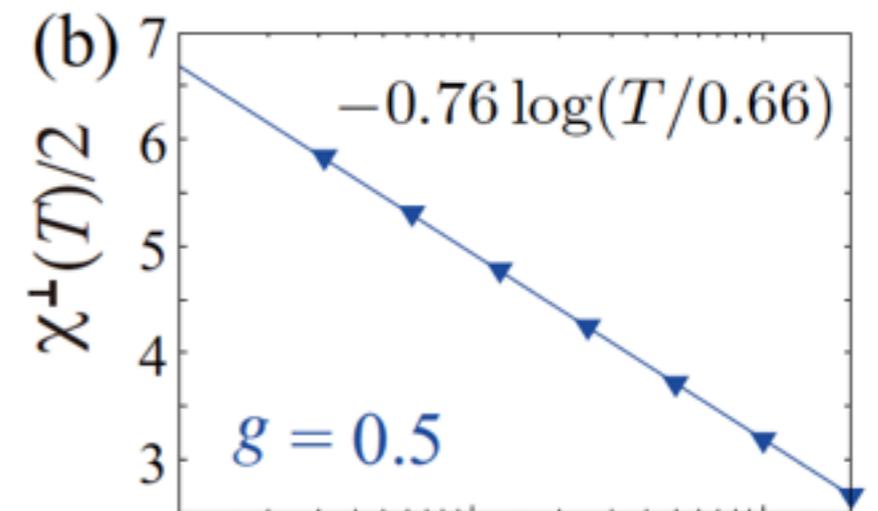
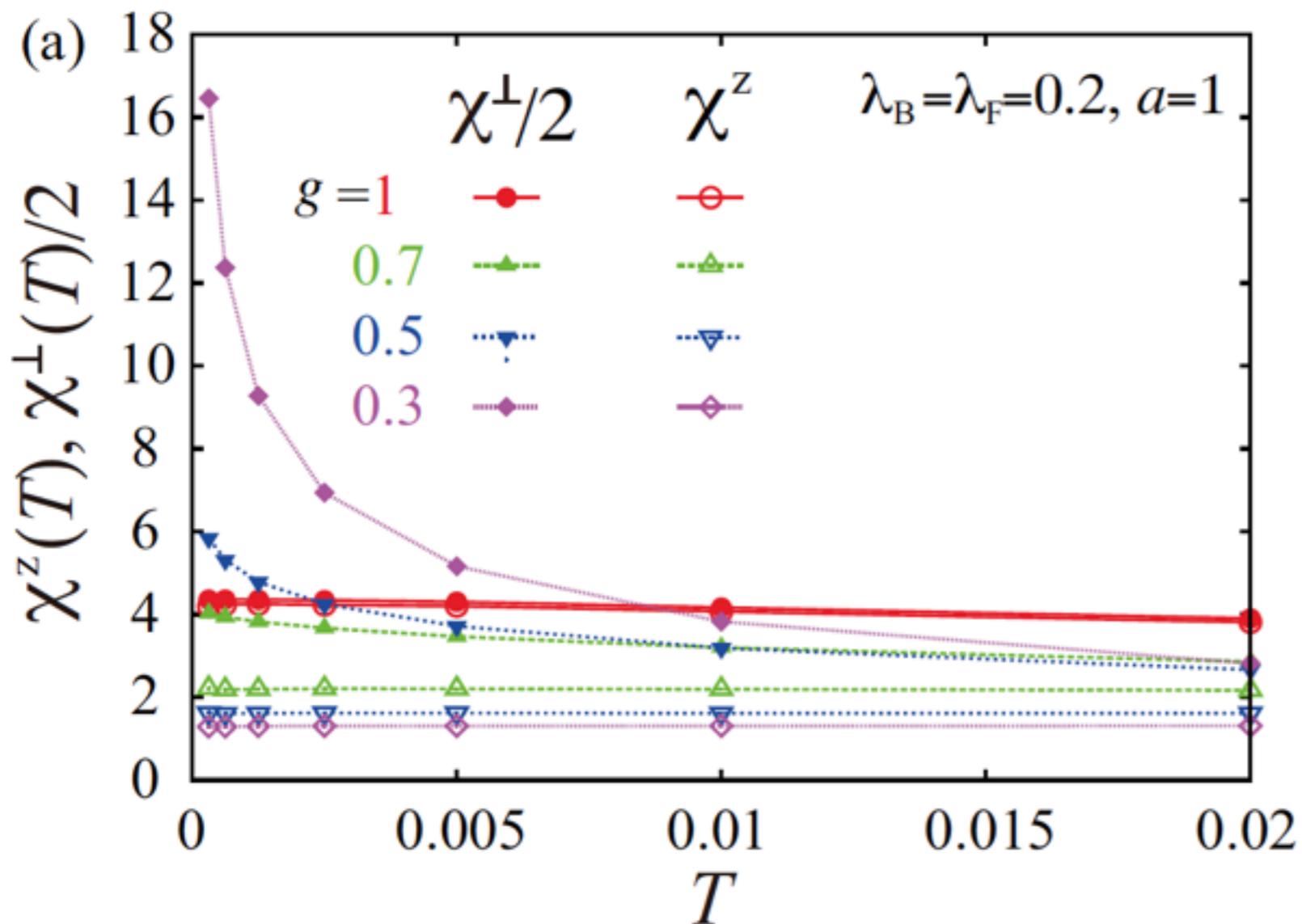
spin susceptibility $\chi^\perp \propto 1/T^{1-2g}$ diverges for $g < 1/2$, log corrections for $g=1/2$

Spin susceptibility

$$\chi_O(\tau) \equiv \langle O(\tau)O(0) \rangle \sim \tau^{-2\Delta_O} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \chi_O(T) = \int_0^\beta d\tau \chi_O(\tau) \sim T^{2\Delta_O-1}$$

$$\chi_O(T) \sim -\ln T \quad \text{for } \Delta_O = \frac{1}{2}$$

in our case, $\Delta_O = g$ for χ^\perp



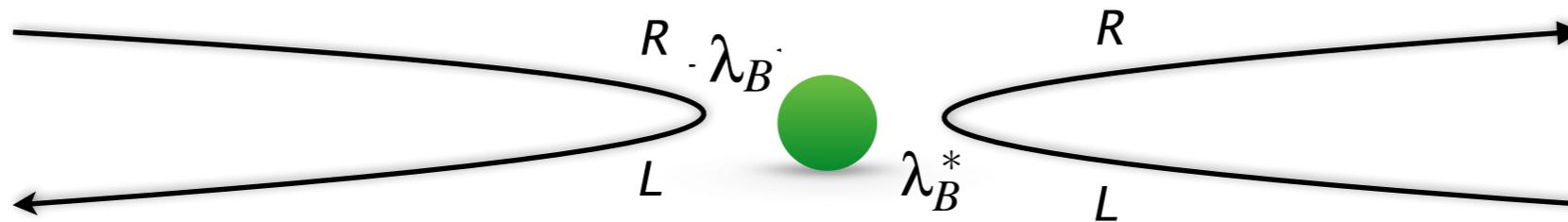
Summary

- CTQMC applied to TLL successfully **without negative sign** in several models (also applicable to other models → future studies):
- Kane-Fisher model
 - Green's functions **for all TL parameters g**
 - Confirmed approx. exponent **$1/(2g)$** by Furusaki (1997)
$$G_L^+(\tau) \sim \tau^{-1/2g}$$
 - Conductance is also calculable
- Helical Kondo model
 - Phase diagram
$$\chi^\perp \sim \tau^{-2g}, \quad \chi^z \sim \tau^{-2}$$
 - Spin-spin correlation functions

Other applications

- ❖ Two-particle backward scattering problem
 - ❖ Almost the same as Kane-Fisher model
 - ❖ But there needs a special care for electron Green's func.
- ❖ Topological Kondo problem(s)
 - ❖ Majorana fermions in SC island coupled with leads
 - ❖ negative-sign free CTQMC is applicable (with odd-order perturbations present)

Two-particle backward scattering problem



$$H = H_0 + a^{2g-1} \lambda_B (F_L^\dagger F_R)^2 V_\lambda + a^{2g-1} \lambda_B (F_R^\dagger F_L)^2 V_{-\lambda}$$

$$\sim H_0 + 2a^{2g-1} \lambda_B \cos(\lambda \Phi_+)$$

$$\lambda = \sqrt{8g}$$

RG eq.:

$$\partial \lambda_B = (1 - 4g) \lambda_B$$

$$\lambda_B \rightarrow \infty \quad (g < 1/4)$$

Kane & Fisher PRB (1992)

Completely decoupled chains at low-energy for $g < 1/4$

Is this the full story? & Is there any quantitative difference from Kan-Fisher model?

There is a difference in electron Green's function!, which is closely related to Klein factors

Green's function

Let us consider “fermion sign” in G , i.e. Klein factor part

For any terms in perturbation series, we have something like

$$F_L(\tau) [(F_{L,R}^\dagger F_{R,L})^q \dots] F_L^\dagger(\tau = 0) \quad q = 1(KFM), \quad 2(2PBM)$$

For even No. of vertices in []:

$$\rightarrow (-1)^p F_L(\tau) [(F_{L,R}^\dagger)^n (F_{R,L})^n] F_L^\dagger(\tau = 0) \rightarrow (-1)^p [(F_{L,R}^\dagger)^n (F_{R,L})^n]$$

For odd No. of vertices in []:

$$\begin{aligned} &\rightarrow (-1)^p F_L(\tau) [(F_{L,R}^\dagger)^n (F_{R,L})^n (F_{L,R}^\dagger F_{R,L})^q] F_L^\dagger(\tau = 0) \\ &\rightarrow (-1)^{p+q} [(F_{L,R}^\dagger)^n (F_{R,L})^n] \end{aligned}$$

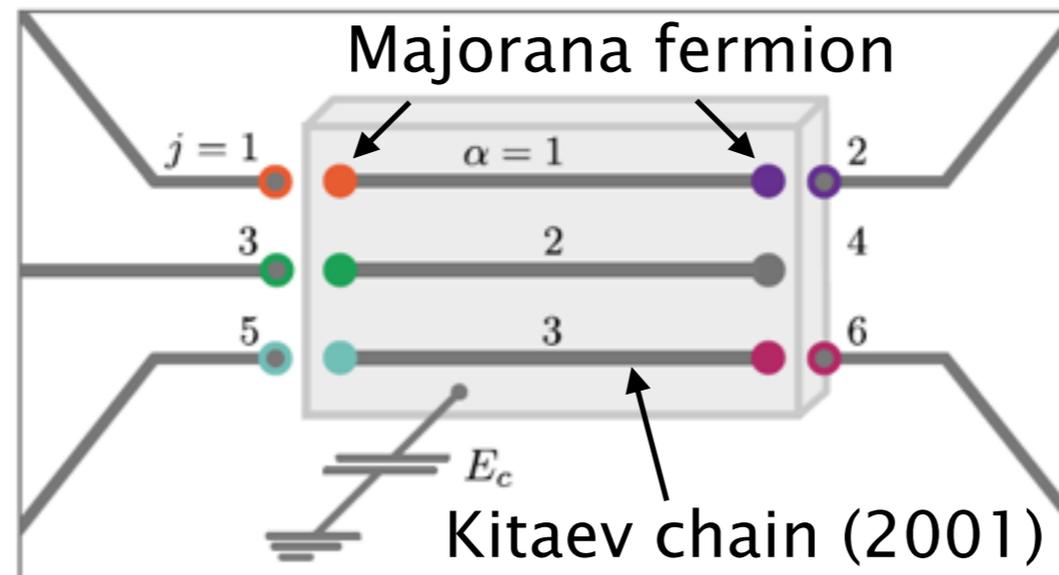
Note: there is no time dependence in Klein fac.

This clearly indicates difference in the two models

❖ No sign in 2-particle backscattering model

$$\begin{aligned} \langle T_\tau \psi_L(\tau) \psi_L^\dagger(0) \rangle &= \langle T_\tau e^{-i\sqrt{g/2}\Phi_+(\tau)} e^{i\sqrt{g/2}\Phi_+(0)} \rangle && \text{i.e., no Klein fac.} \\ &\sim \langle e^{-i\sqrt{g/2}\Phi_+(0)} \rangle \langle e^{i\sqrt{g/2}\Phi_+(0)} \rangle && \text{Finite value remains} \end{aligned}$$

Topological Kondo problems



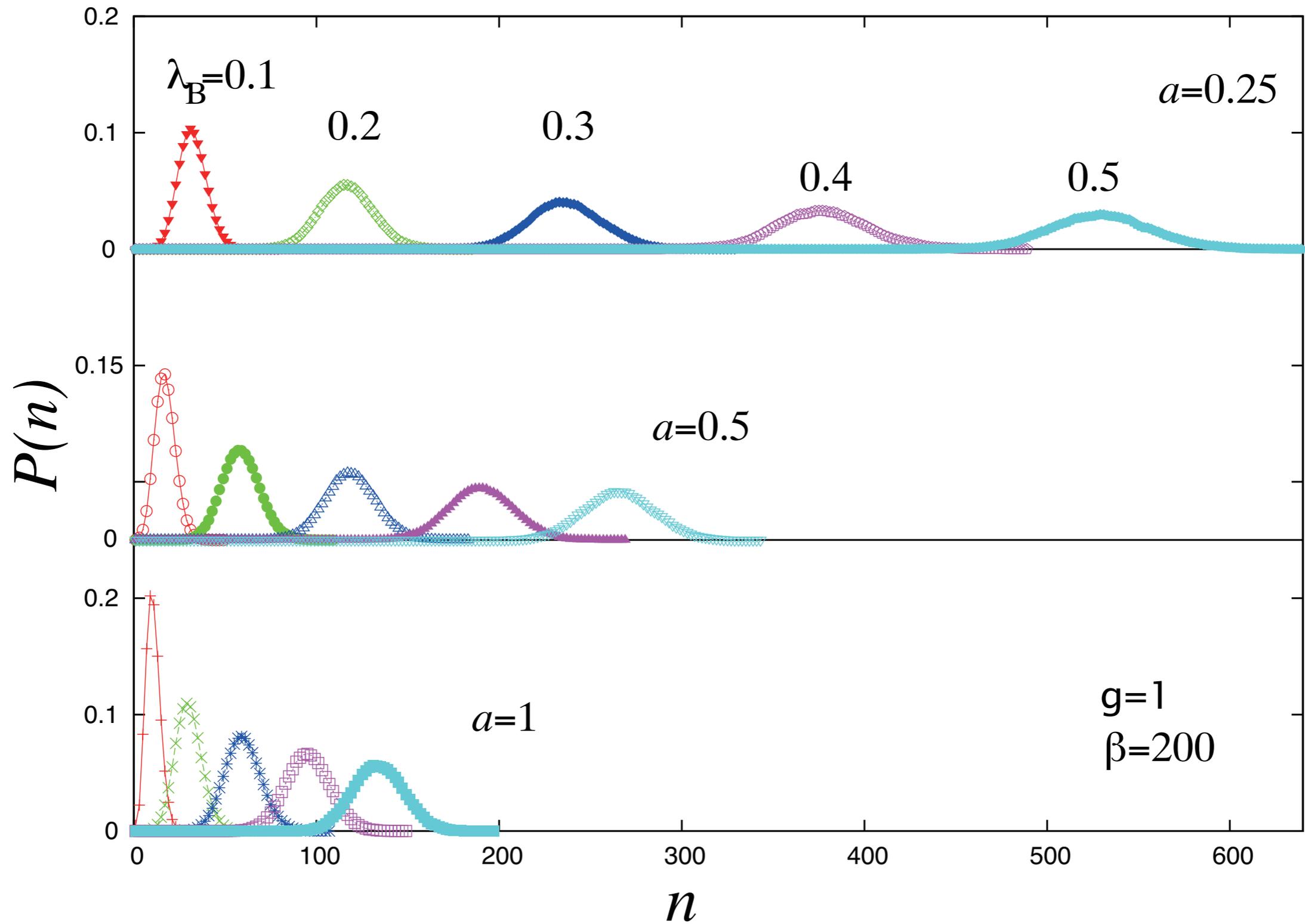
Beri&Cooper (2012)
Altland&Egger (2013)

$$H = -i \sum_{j=1}^M \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \psi_j^\dagger(x) \partial_x \psi_j(x) + \sum_{j \neq k} \lambda_{jk} \gamma_j \gamma_k \psi_k^\dagger(0) \psi_j(0)$$

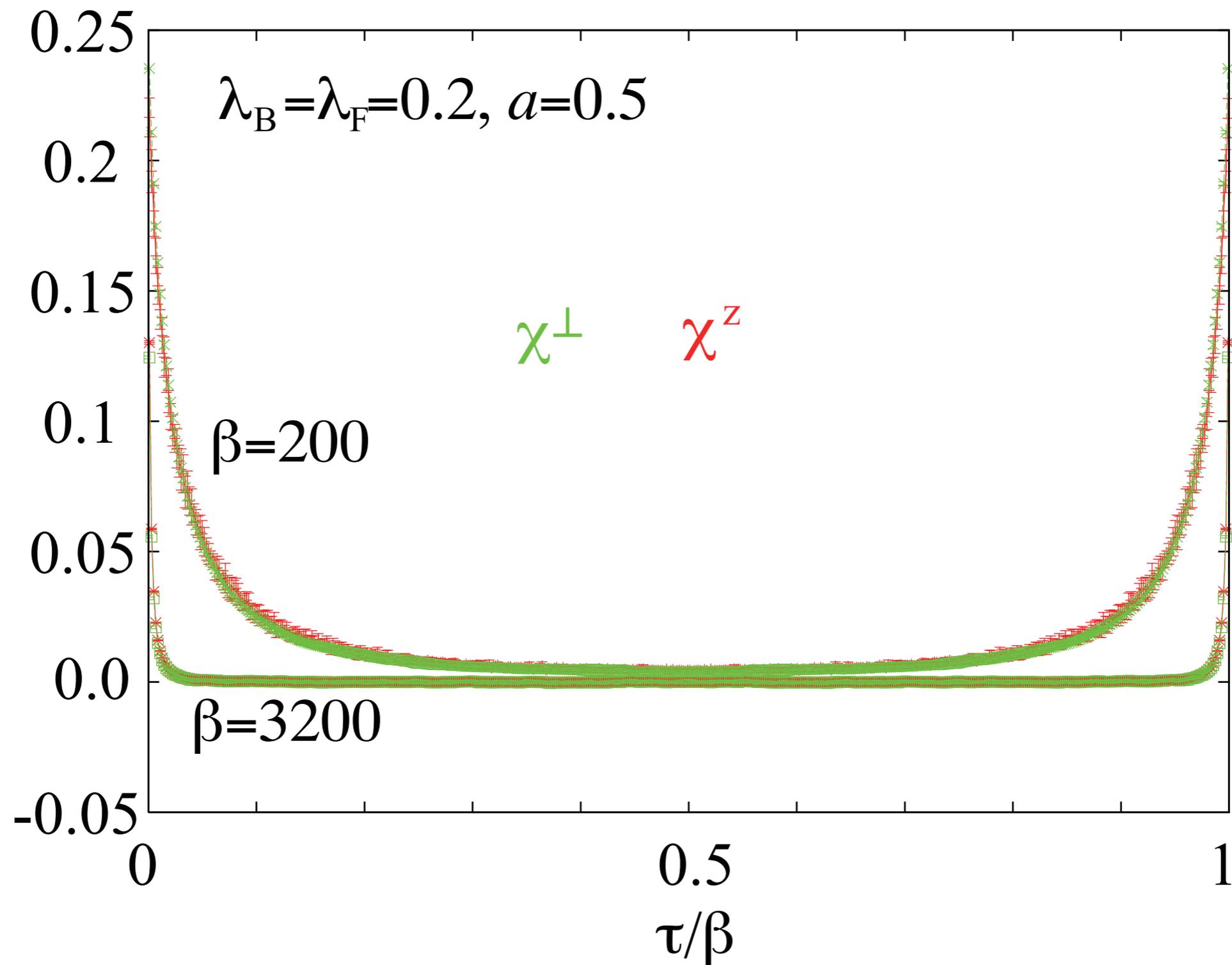
- ❖ Robust (~topologically protected) NFL is realized (SO(M) sym.)
- ❖ As for CTQMC, no negative sign, but we need to introduce an update operation with cyclic three vertices insertion/removal or equivalent ones.

$$\psi_1^\dagger(\tau) \psi_2(\tau) \psi_2^\dagger(\tau') \psi_3(\tau') \psi_3^\dagger(\tau'') \psi_1(\tau'')$$

Probability density



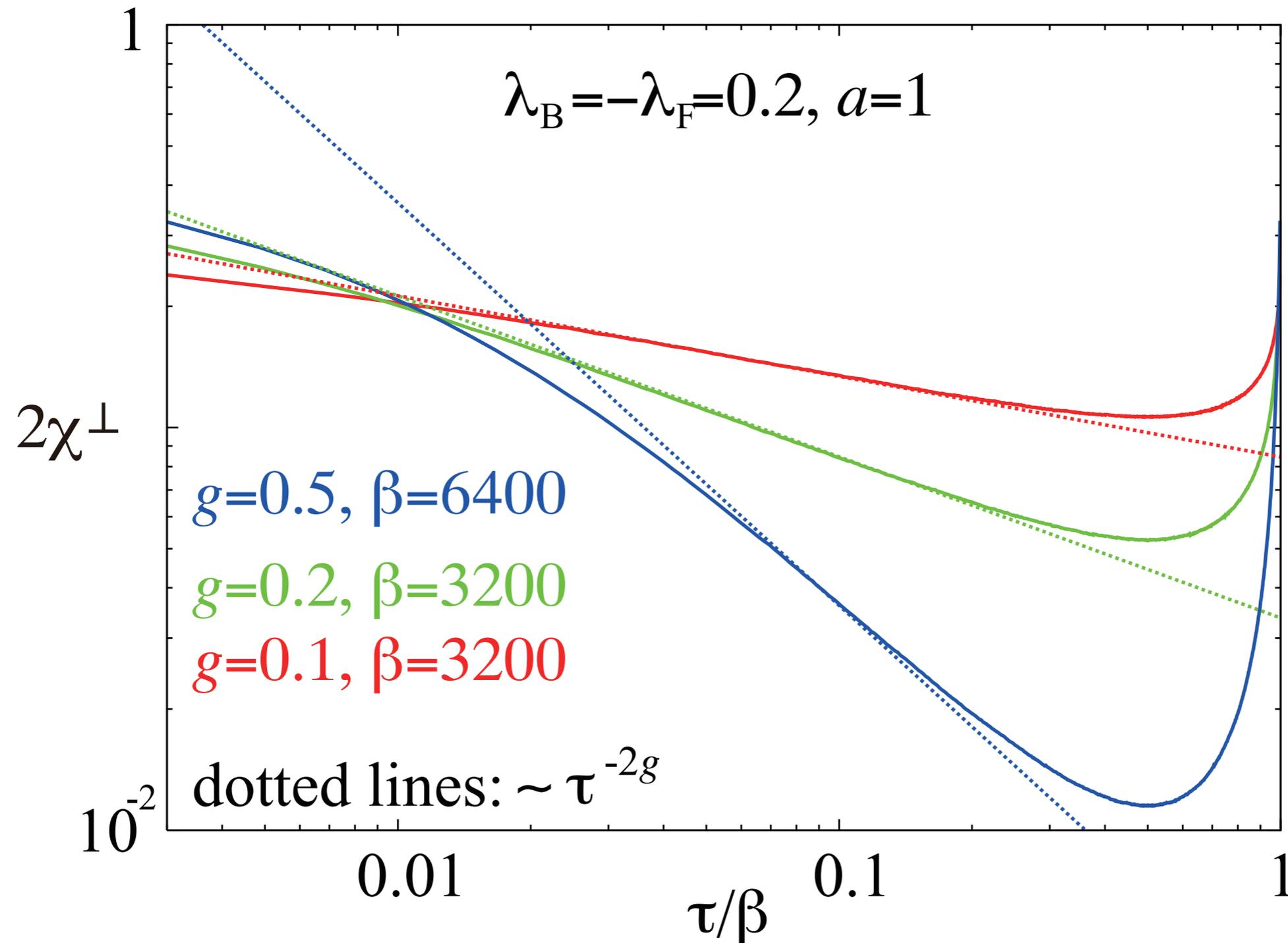
Check $SU(2)$ symmetry for $g=1$



FM cases

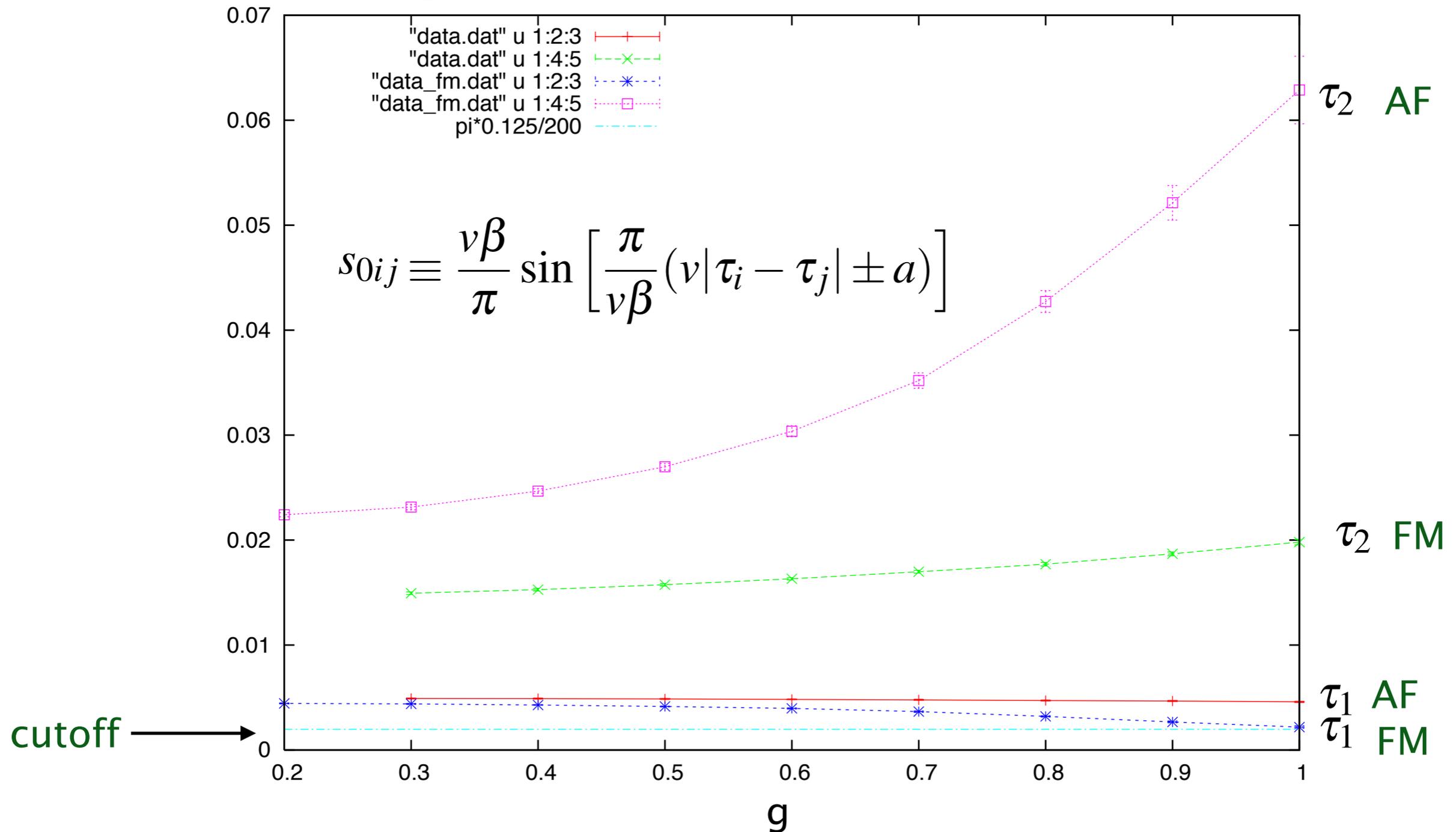
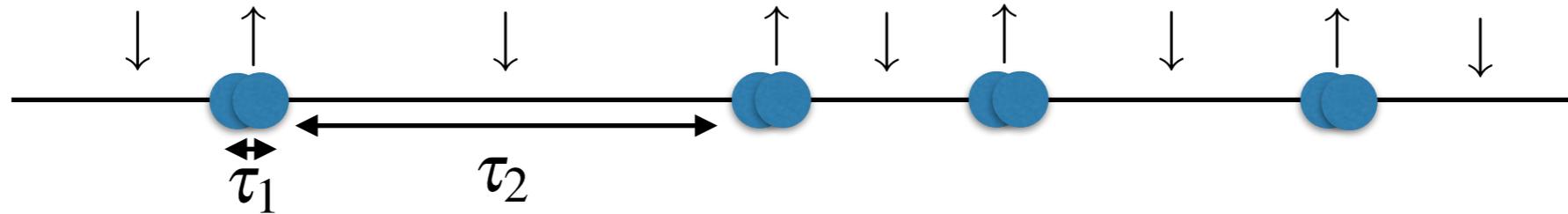
For small g , we succeeded to get the strong-coupling fixed point.

But, numerical difficulty appears when we approach $g=1$ for isotropic case



Effects of cutoff in LM phase

Config. includes many $\tau_1 \sim a$, which affects SU(2) symmetry: finite cutoff effect



Decoupled-point Hamiltonian

$$UHU^\dagger = H_0 + \frac{\lambda_B}{a} [F_L^\dagger F_R S^- + \text{h.c.}]$$

$$(-1)^{N_R} \begin{pmatrix} & & & h \\ & 0 & & \\ & & -h & \\ & & & \\ h & & & 0 \\ & & -h & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} |N_R N_L ; \uparrow \rangle \\ |N_R+1 N_L-1 ; \uparrow \rangle \\ |N_R N_L ; \downarrow \rangle \\ |N_R-1 N_L+1 ; \downarrow \rangle \end{matrix}$$

→ $UHU^\dagger = H_0 + \frac{\lambda_B}{a} (S^+ + S^-) \quad h = \frac{\lambda_B}{a}$

Decoupled point

@ $\lambda_F = gv$

$$UHU^\dagger = H_0 + \frac{\lambda_B}{a} [F_L^\dagger F_R S^- + \text{h.c.}] \longrightarrow UHU^\dagger = H_0 + \frac{\lambda_B}{a} (S^+ + S^-)$$

Klein Factors play no role

Spin-spin correlations are trivial (T=0):

$$\chi_{+-}^{\text{dFP}} = \langle T_\tau S^+(\tau) S^-(0) \rangle_{\text{dFP}} = \frac{1}{4} (1 + e^{-2h\tau})$$

$$\chi_{zz}^{\text{dFP}} = \langle T_\tau S^z(\tau) S^z(0) \rangle_{\text{dFP}} = \frac{1}{4} e^{-2h\tau} \quad h = \frac{\lambda_B}{a}$$

In the original language (T=0):

$$US^\pm U^\dagger = e^{\pm\sqrt{2g}\Phi_+} S^\pm \quad US^z U^\dagger = S^z$$

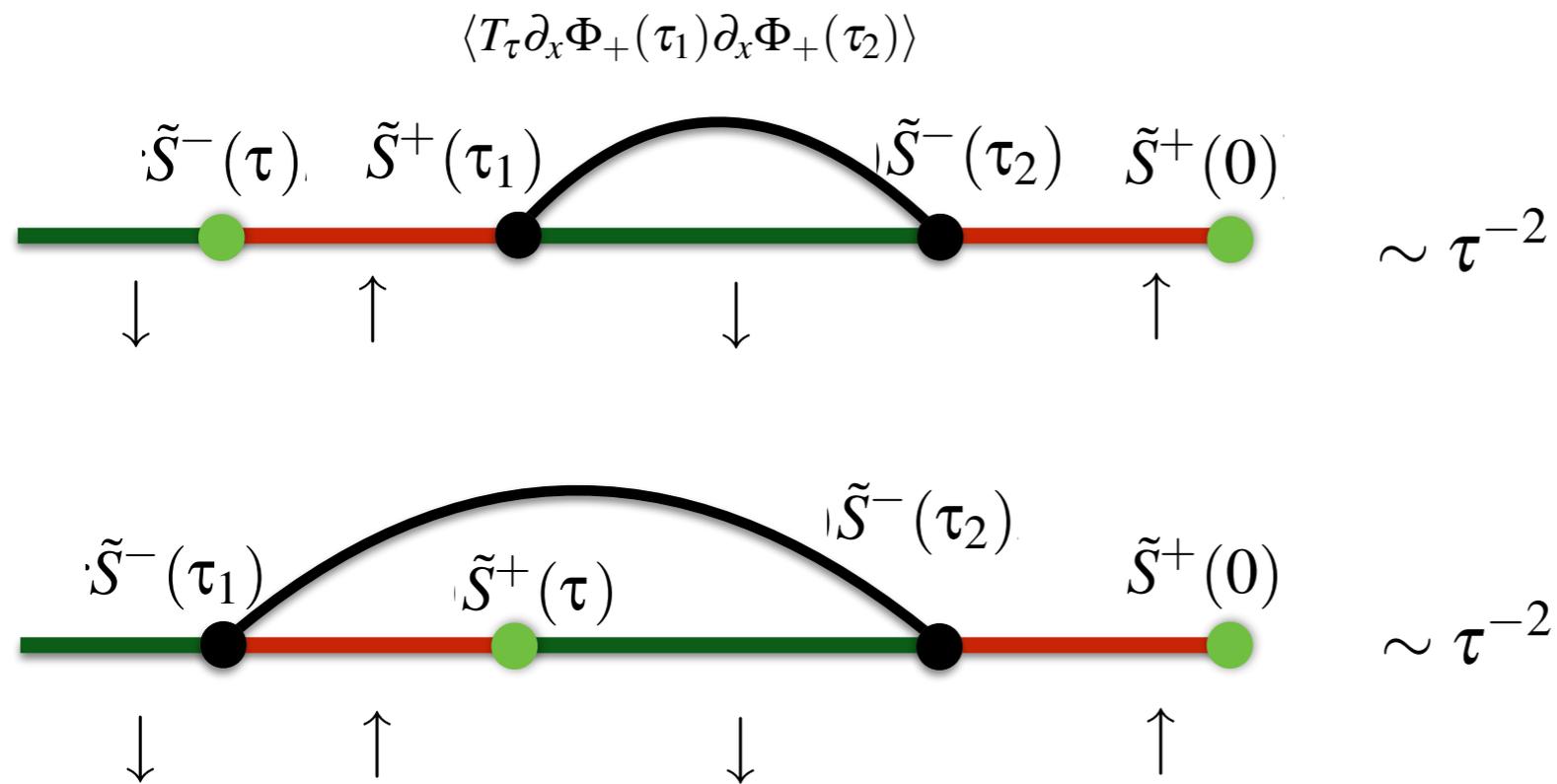
$$\begin{aligned} \longrightarrow \chi_{+-} &= \langle T_\tau S^+(\tau) S^-(0) \rangle = \frac{1}{4} (1 + e^{-2h\tau}) \left(\frac{a}{v\tau} \right)^{2g} \\ \chi_{zz} &= \langle T_\tau S^z(\tau) S^z(0) \rangle = \frac{1}{4} e^{-2h\tau} \end{aligned}$$

Perturbations from decoupled FP

$$U\delta VU^\dagger = \delta\lambda_F \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \partial_x \Phi_+(0) S^z = \delta\lambda_F \sqrt{\frac{1}{2g}} \partial_x \Phi_+(0) (\tilde{S}^+ + \tilde{S}^-)$$

change quantization axis
 $\delta\lambda_F = \lambda_F - gv$

$\delta\chi_{zz}^{\text{dFP}}(\tau)$: power-law decay appears in two diagrams



→ $\delta\chi_{zz}^{\text{dFP}}(\tau) \simeq \frac{a^2 \delta\lambda_F^2}{16gv^2 \lambda_B^2} \frac{1}{\tau^2}$

$\delta\chi_{+-}^{\text{dFP}}(\tau)$: stronger decay than the fixed point susceptibility, i.e., not important

Notations

$$2\sqrt{\pi}\phi_{\text{Maciejko}} = \phi_L - \phi_R \quad \frac{J_{\perp, \text{Maciejko}} a_{\text{Maciejko}}}{2\pi\xi} = \frac{\lambda_B}{a}$$

$$2\sqrt{\pi}\Pi_{\text{Maciejko}} = \partial_x(\phi_L + \phi_R) \\ \rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} \partial_x \Phi_+(0) \quad (x \rightarrow 0)$$

$$S_{\text{Maciejko}}^{\pm} = S^{\mp}, S_{\text{Maciejko}}^z = -S^z \quad \rho_{\text{Maciejko}} J_{z, \text{Maciejko}}^{\text{dFP}} = 2K = \frac{2\lambda_F}{v}$$

consistent with ours

$$-\frac{J_{z, \text{Maciejko}} a_{\text{Maciejko}}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}} (-1) = \lambda_F \sqrt{\frac{2}{g}}$$

$$J_{z, \text{Maciejko}} a_{\text{Maciejko}} = 2\pi\lambda_F$$

$$\rho_{\text{Maciejko}} J_{z, \text{Maciejko}}^{*, \pm} = 2(K \pm \sqrt{K}) = 2\pi\lambda_F \rho / a = \frac{2\lambda_F}{v}$$

$$\lambda_F^{*, \pm} / v = (g \pm \sqrt{g})$$

Details of G's

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} &= -\langle T_{\tau} F_L(\tau_i) V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) F^{\dagger}(\tau_j) V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \hat{P}_{2n} \rangle / \delta Z_{2n} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_L(\tau_i) \cdots F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_L(\tau_i) F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle (-1)^{P_{ij}}}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}
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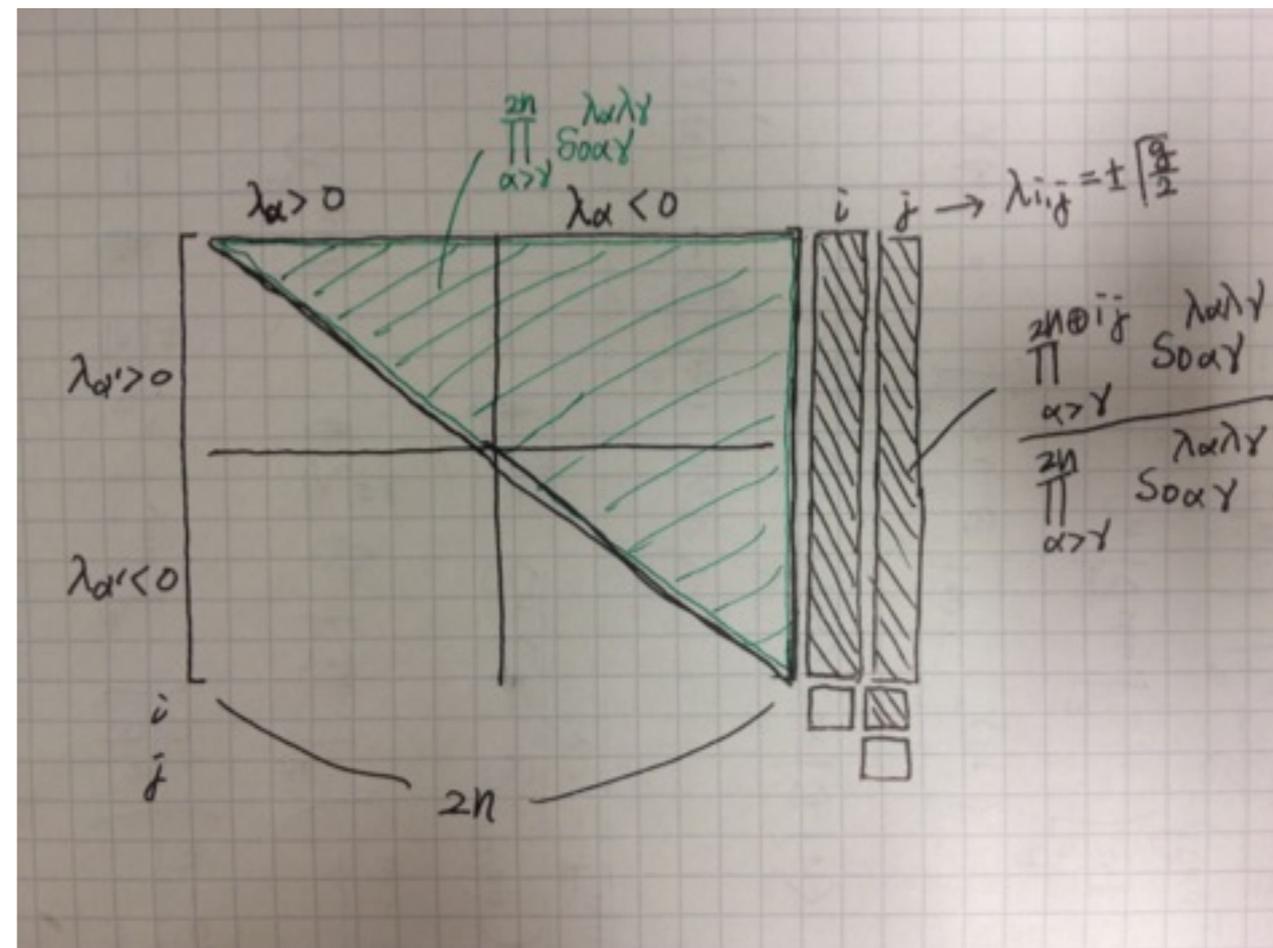
$$\lambda = \sqrt{\frac{g}{2}}$$

$$\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{2n} = \pm \sqrt{2g}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} &= -\langle T_{\tau} F_L(\tau_i) V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) F^{\dagger}(\tau_j) V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \hat{P}_{2n} \rangle / \delta Z_{2n} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_1) \cdots F_L(\tau_i) \cdots F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_L(\tau_i) F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle (-1)^{P_{ij}}}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{*}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} \frac{\prod_{\alpha>\gamma}^{2n \oplus ij} s_{0\alpha\gamma}^{\lambda_{\alpha}\lambda_{\gamma}}}{\prod_{\alpha'>\gamma'}^{2n} s_{0\alpha'\gamma'}^{\lambda_{\alpha'}\lambda_{\gamma'}}}, \\
 &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} s_{0ij}^{-\lambda^2} \prod_{\gamma}^{2n} s_{0i\gamma}^{-\lambda\lambda_{\gamma}} \prod_{\alpha}^{2n} s_{0\alpha j}^{\lambda\lambda_{\alpha}}
 \end{aligned}$$



Details of G 's

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} &= -\langle T_{\tau} F_L(\tau_i) V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) F^{\dagger}(\tau_j) V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \hat{P}_{2n} \rangle / \delta Z_{2n} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_L(\tau_i) \cdots F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle} \\
 &= \frac{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{-\lambda}(\tau_i) \cdots V_{\lambda}(\tau_j) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_L(\tau_i) F_L^{\dagger}(\tau_j) F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle (-1)^{P_{ij}}}{\langle V_{\lambda_1}(\tau_1) \cdots V_{\lambda_{2n}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle_+ \langle F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_1) \cdots F_*^{\dagger} F_{\bar{*}}(\tau_{2n}) \rangle}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{G}_{i>j}^{(2n)} &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} \frac{\prod_{\alpha>\gamma}^{2n \oplus ij} s_{0\alpha\gamma}^{\lambda_{\alpha}\lambda_{\gamma}}}{\prod_{\alpha'>\gamma'}^{2n} s_{0\alpha'\gamma'}^{\lambda_{\alpha'}\lambda_{\gamma'}}}, & \lambda &= \sqrt{\frac{g}{2}} \\
 &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} s_{0ij}^{-\lambda^2} \prod_{\gamma}^{2n} s_{0i\gamma}^{-\lambda\lambda_{\gamma}} \prod_{\alpha}^{2n} s_{0\alpha j}^{\lambda\lambda_{\alpha}} & \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{2n} &= \pm \sqrt{2g} \\
 &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} s_{0ij}^{\frac{g}{2}} \left(\frac{\prod_{\alpha>\gamma}^{2n \oplus ij} s_{0\alpha\gamma}^{w_{\alpha}w_{\gamma}}}{\prod_{\alpha>\gamma}^{2n} s_{0\alpha\gamma}^{w_{\alpha}w_{\gamma}}} \right)^g & \text{with } w_{\alpha}, w_{\gamma} &= \text{sgn}(\lambda_{\alpha}), \text{sgn}(\lambda_{\gamma}) \\
 &= -(-1)^{P_{ij}} s_{0ij}^{\frac{g}{2}} \left| \frac{\det \hat{S}_{n \oplus ij}}{\det \hat{S}_n} \right|^g.
 \end{aligned}$$

Basic algorithm of CTQMC

To be specific, let us consider Anderson model [Werner (2006)]

“Non-interacting” part:

$$H_c = \sum_{\mathbf{k}, \sigma} \epsilon_{\mathbf{k}} c_{\mathbf{k}\sigma}^\dagger c_{\mathbf{k}\sigma}$$

$$H_0 = H_c + H_f$$

$$H_f = \epsilon_f \sum_{\sigma} n_{f\sigma} + U n_{f\uparrow} n_{f\downarrow}$$

“perturbation” part:

$$H_1 = \sum_{\sigma} H_{1\sigma}, \quad H_{1\sigma} = v c_{\sigma}^\dagger f_{\sigma} + \text{h.c.} \quad c_{\sigma} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} c_{\mathbf{k}\sigma}$$

Only even-order terms survive ($n=2k$), and these are something like...

$$\begin{aligned} (-)^{2k} \langle H_1(\tau_1) \cdots \rangle &= \pm v^{2k} \langle c_{\uparrow}^\dagger(\tau_1) c_{\uparrow}(\tau_2) c_{\uparrow}^\dagger(\tau_3) \cdots c_{\uparrow}(\tau_{n_{\uparrow}}) \rangle_{\uparrow, c} \langle c_{\downarrow}^\dagger(\tau'_1) c_{\downarrow}(\tau'_2) c_{\downarrow}^\dagger(\tau'_3) \cdots c_{\downarrow}(\tau'_{n_{\downarrow}}) \rangle_{\downarrow, c} \\ &\quad \times \langle f_{\uparrow}(\tau_1) f_{\uparrow}^\dagger(\tau_2) f_{\downarrow}(\tau'_1) \cdots \rangle_f \\ &= \pm v^{2k} \det \hat{G}_{c_{\uparrow}} \det \hat{G}_{c_{\downarrow}} \langle f_{\uparrow}(\tau_1) f_{\uparrow}^\dagger(\tau_2) f_{\downarrow}(\tau'_1) \cdots \rangle_f \equiv W \end{aligned}$$

“weight” for the config.

• • Wick’s theorem

with $n_{\uparrow} + n_{\downarrow} = 2k$

Some details

Green's function matrix:

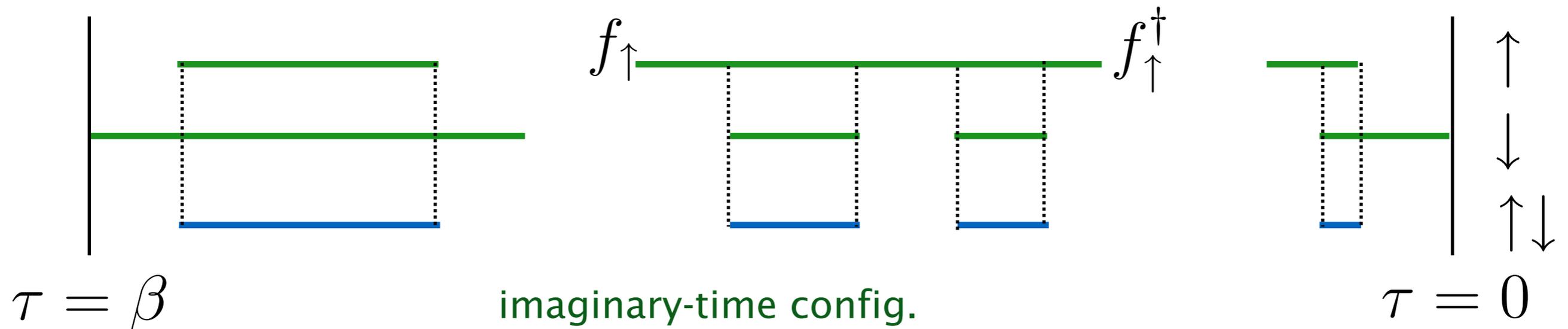
$$[\hat{G}_{c\uparrow}]_{ij} = \langle c_{\uparrow}^{\dagger}(\tau_{2i-1}) c_{\uparrow}(\tau_{2j}) \rangle = G_{c\uparrow}^0(\tau_{2j} - \tau_{2i-1}) : \text{free electron Green's function}$$

Matrix products for local degrees of freedom:

$$\langle f_{\uparrow}(\tau_1) f_{\uparrow}^{\dagger}(\tau_2) f_{\downarrow}(\tau'_1) \cdots \rangle_f = \exp\{-\epsilon_f(l_{\uparrow} + l_{\downarrow}) - U l_{\text{doublon}}\} / Z_f$$

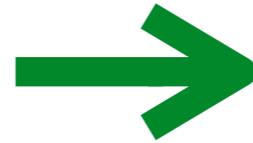
$$Z_f = 1 + 2e^{-\beta\epsilon_f} + e^{-\beta(2\epsilon_f + U)}$$

“Segment” representation:



Update operations

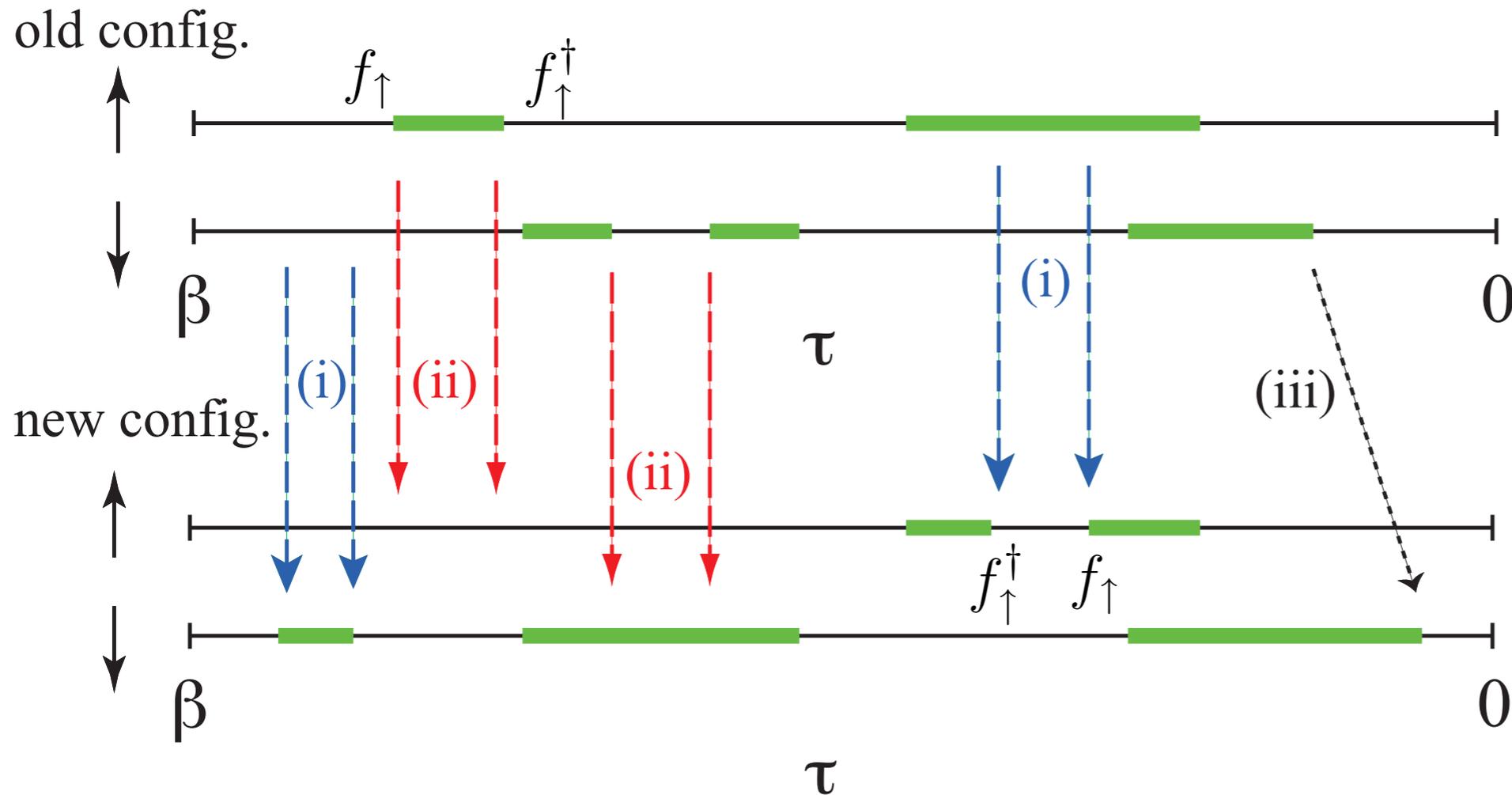
- (i) Insert a vertex pair
- (ii) Remove a vertex pair
- (iii) Shift a vertex



calculate ratio: $R = \frac{W_{\text{new}}}{W_{\text{old}}} F$

accept if $\min(R, 1) > r, \quad 0 \leq r \leq 1$

deny otherwise (Metropolis)



F : config. dep.
for (i) and (ii)

$F = 1$ for (iii)

R = empirically positive for Anderson model