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Berry connection

Consider a **time-dependent system** with instantaneous eigenstates $\{|\phi_n(t)\rangle\}$



Berry connection matrix entries

$$\gamma_{nm} = i\langle\phi_n(t)|\dot{\phi}_m(t)\rangle = i\left\langle\phi_n(t)\left|\frac{d}{dt}\right|\phi_m(t)\right\rangle$$



Berry phase

$$\beta = \oint_0^T \gamma_{nn} dt$$

Quantum geometric potential $Q_{nj}(t) = \gamma_{nn}(t) - \gamma_{jj}(t) + \frac{d}{dt} \arg \gamma_{jn}(t), \forall n \neq j$

JW*, M. Zhao, J. Chen, and Y. Zhang, Phys. Rev. A 77, 062114 (2008)

Topological quantities can be further constructed.....

A theorem

Consider a **time-dependent system** whose **low-energy physics** can be organized by quantum integrable field theory (QIFT) instantaneously. At each moment we have **instantaneous** eigenfunction

$$|\phi_n(t)\rangle = U_a(t)|\phi_n(t=0)\rangle$$

$$U_a(t) = \sum_m |\phi_m(t)\rangle \langle \phi_m(0)|$$



Adiabatic Hamiltonian

$$H_{adia} = iU_a^{-1}(t)\dot{U}_a(t)$$

Yongde Zhang, *Advanced Quantum Mechanics* (Science Press, Beijing, China, 2010, in Chinese)

Focusing on the **low energy sector** if

$$H_{adia} = \sum_{i=1}^{N_\phi} \int_0^L f_i(t) \mathcal{O}_i(x) dx$$

then in the thermodynamic limit $L \rightarrow \infty$ the corresponding Berry connection matrix entries

$$\gamma_{nm} = i \langle \phi_n(t) | \dot{\phi}_m(t) \rangle$$

can be analytically determined as excitations up to two particles of the initial QIFT.

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A short background on QIFT

In QIFT,

The conserved charges $[P_S, H_{IFT}] = 0$

$$P_S |A_{a_1}(\theta_1) \dots A_{a_N}(\theta_N)\rangle_{(\text{in,out})} = \sum_{i=1}^N q_{S,a_i} e^{s\theta_i} |A_{a_1}(\theta_1) \dots A_{a_N}(\theta_N)\rangle_{(\text{in,out})}$$

e.g. $P_1 = \mathbf{p}^0 + \mathbf{p}^1 = E + p = m e^\theta \rightarrow q_{1,a_i} = m_{a_i}$

$$E^2 = p^2 + m^2 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} E = m \cosh \theta \\ p = m \sinh \theta \end{cases}$$

- Stable quasiparticle excitations

$$\text{Normalization } \langle A_{a_i}(\theta_1) | A_{a_j}(\theta_2) \rangle = 2\pi \delta_{a_i a_j} \delta(\theta_1 - \theta_2)$$

- Systematic form factor bootstrap

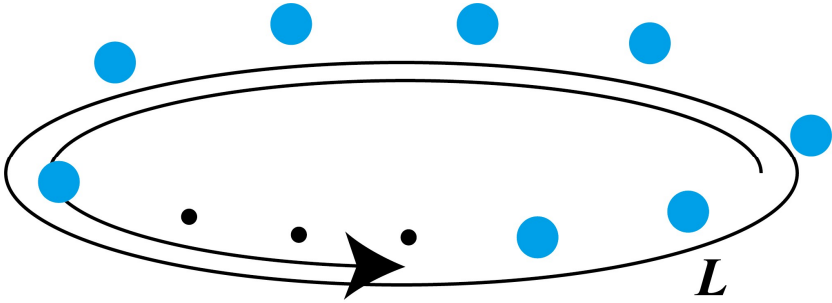
$$\langle 0 | O | \theta_1 \dots \theta_n \rangle = F_n^O(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)$$

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A. B. Zamolodchikov, Int. J. Mod. Phys. A 04, 4235 (1989).

Form factor elements $\rightarrow$ Berry connection matrix $\rightarrow$ Quantum geometry

Preparation before proof: QIFT at finite size

QIFT with finite system size L : General formalism



The Bethe-Yang quantization condition,

$$e^{iP_j L} \prod_{j \neq k} S_{jk}(\theta_j - \theta_k) = 1$$

$$Q_j(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) = m_j \sinh \theta_j L - i \sum_{j \neq k} \log S_{jk}(\theta_j - \theta_k) = 2\pi I_j$$

$$\langle 0|O|A_{a_1}(I_1) \dots A_{a_n}(I_n)\rangle_L = \frac{F_{a_1, \dots, a_n}^O(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)}{\sqrt{\rho(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)}}$$

$$\sum_{I_1, \dots, I_n} = \int \frac{d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_n}{(2\pi)^n} \rho(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)$$

$$\rho(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) = \text{Det} \left[\frac{\partial Q_k(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)}{\partial \theta_j} \right]$$

NOTE: the measure transformation for one particle

$$\rho \Delta \theta = \Delta Q = 2\pi \Delta I$$

$$|A_{a_1}(I_1) \dots A_{a_n}(I_n)\rangle_L = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\rho(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)}} |A_{a_1}(\theta_1) \dots A_{a_n}(\theta_n)\rangle$$

Normalization ${}_L \langle A_{a_i}(I_1) | A_{a_j}(I_2) \rangle_L = \delta_{a_i a_j} \delta_{I_1 I_2}$

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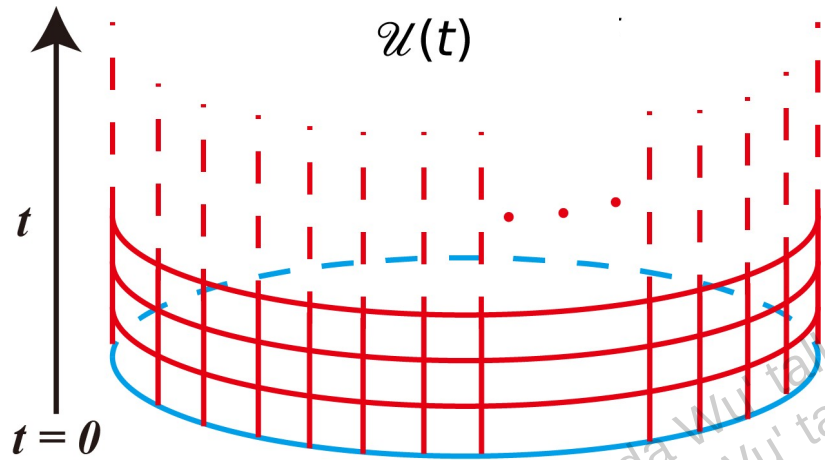
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Proof

Quenching from finite size QIFT



The initial state $|\psi_n\rangle_{\text{ini},L} = |A_{a_1}(I_1) \dots A_{a_N}(I_N)\rangle_L$

$$|\phi_n(t)\rangle_L = U_a(t)|\phi_n\rangle_{\text{ini},L},$$

$$H_{adia} = iU_a^{-1}\dot{U}_a, \quad H_{adia} = \sum_i^{N_O} \int_0^L dx f_i(t) O_i(x)$$

The Berry connection matrix element:

$$\gamma_{nm} = i\langle\phi_n(t)|\partial_t|\phi_m(t)\rangle$$

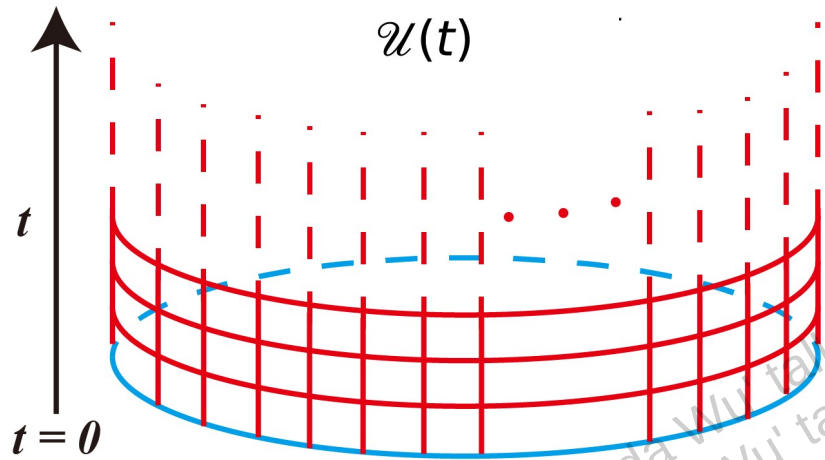
$$= \langle\phi_n(0)|iU_a^{-1}\dot{U}_a|\phi_m(0)\rangle = \langle\phi_n(t)|H_{adia}|\phi_m(t)\rangle$$

$$\gamma_{nm} = L \sum_i f_i(t) {}_L\langle\phi_n|O_i|\phi_m\rangle_L$$

$$= L \sum_i f_i(t) {}_L\langle A_1(I'_1) \dots A_N(I'_N)|O_i|A_1(I_1) \dots A_M(I_M)\rangle_L$$

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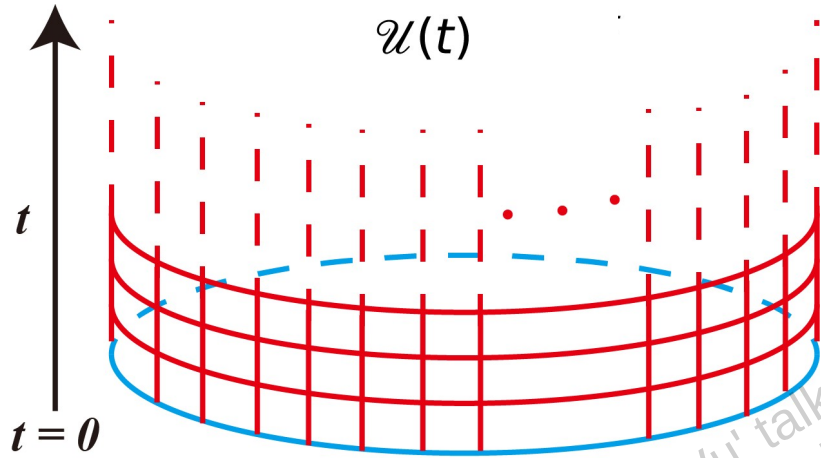
The Berry connection matrix element $\gamma_{nm} = \langle \psi_n(t) | H_{\text{adia}} | \psi_m(t) \rangle =$

$$\begin{cases} n \neq m, \frac{\gamma_{nm}}{L} \approx \sum_i f_i(t) \frac{F_{NM}^{O_i}(\theta'_1 + i\pi, \dots, \theta'_N + i\pi, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_M)}{\sqrt{\rho_N(\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_N)} \sqrt{\rho_M(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_M)}} \\ n = m, \frac{\gamma_{nn}}{L} \approx \sum_i f_i(t) \left[{}_L\langle O_i \rangle_L + \sum_{A \subset \{A_1, \dots, A_N\}} \frac{\mathcal{F}^{O_i}(A) \rho(\{A_1, \dots, A_N\} \setminus A)_L}{\rho(\{A_1, \dots, A_N\})_L} \right] \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{F}^{O_i}(A) = F_{AA}^{O_i}(\{\theta_A + i\pi\}, \{\theta_A\})$$

Proof

Quenching from finite size QIFT



Theorem: Consider time-dependent many-body quantum systems with emergent quantum integrable field theory instantaneously, if the effective adiabatic Hamiltonian follows $H_{adia} = \sum_i^{N_0} \int_0^L dx f_i(t) O_i(x)$, then the corresponding BCM entries with total quasiparticle number Z follow the asymptotic behavior $L^{1-Z/2}$, corresponding to excitations up to two particles in the thermodynamic limit ($L \rightarrow \infty$).

The initial state $|\phi_n\rangle_{\text{init},L} = |A_{a_1}(I_1) \dots A_{a_N}(I_N)\rangle_L$

$$|\phi_n(t)\rangle_L = U(t)|\phi_n\rangle_{\text{init},L}, U(t): H_{adia} = \sum_i^{N_0} \int_0^L dx f_i(t) O_i(x)$$

The Berry connection matrix element $\gamma_{nm} = i\langle\psi_n(t)|\partial_t|\psi_m(t)\rangle =$

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$$\mathcal{F}^{0i}(A) = F_{AA}^{0i}(\{\theta_A + i\pi\}, \{\theta_A\})$$

Recalling $\rho(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) \sim L^n$, as $L \rightarrow \infty$, only contributions up to **two particle matrix elements** will be left.

Proof

QIFT with finite system size L : Expansion for diagonal matrix element

Crossing relation of form factor:

$$F_{mn}^O(\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_m | \theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) = \langle A_{j_1}(\theta'_1) \dots A_{j_m}(\theta'_m) | O | A_{i_1}(\theta_1) \dots A_{i_n}(\theta_n) \rangle$$

$$= F_{m-1, n+1}^O(\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_{m-1} | \theta'_m + i\pi, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) + \sum_{k=1}^n 2\pi \delta_{j_m i_k} \delta(\theta'_m - \theta_k) \prod_{l=1}^{k-1} S_{i_l i_k}(\theta_l - \theta_k) F_{m-1, n-1}^O(\theta'_1, \dots, \theta'_{m-1} | \theta_1, \dots, \theta_{k-1}, \theta_{k+1}, \dots, \theta_n)$$

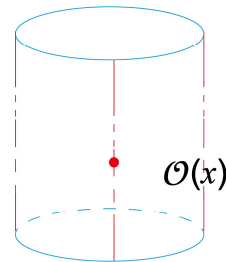
$$\mathcal{F}^O(A) = F_{AA}^O(\{\theta_A + i\pi\}, \{\theta_A\})$$

Finite size expansion:

Diagonal matrix element: disconnected term

$${}_L \langle I_1 \dots I_n | O | I_1 \dots I_n \rangle_L = {}_L \langle O \rangle_L + \sum_{A \subset \{A_1, \dots, A_n\}} \frac{F^O(A) \rho(\{A_1, \dots, A_n\} \setminus A)_L}{\rho(\{A_1, \dots, A_n\})_L}$$

$$\langle A_1(\theta_1) \dots A_n(\theta_n) | O | A_1(\theta_1) \dots A_n(\theta_n) \rangle = \text{Diagram: A circle labeled } \mathcal{O}(\theta) \text{ with } n \text{ vertical lines entering from the top and } n \text{ vertical lines exiting from the bottom, labeled } A_1, \dots, A_n \text{ on both sides.}$$



$$= \frac{1}{\rho_{1, \dots, n}(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)} \left(\text{Diagram: } \mathcal{O}(\theta) \text{ with } n \text{ lines, labeled } \rho_{1, \dots, n}(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) \right. \\ + \sum_i^n \text{Diagram: } \mathcal{O}(\theta) \text{ with } n \text{ lines, one line } A_i \text{ is crossed, labeled } \rho_{1, \dots, \bar{i}, \dots, n}(\theta_1, \dots, \bar{\theta}_i, \dots, \theta_n) \\ + \sum_{i \neq j}^n \text{Diagram: } \mathcal{O}(\theta) \text{ with } n \text{ lines, two lines } A_i, A_j \text{ are crossed, labeled } \rho_{1, \dots, \bar{i}, \dots, \bar{j}, \dots, n}(\theta_1, \dots, \bar{\theta}_i, \dots, \bar{\theta}_j, \dots, \theta_n) \\ + \dots \left. \right)$$

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Quantum geometric potential and effective energy gap

Quantum geometric potential (QGP) $Q_{nj}(t) = \gamma_{nn}(t) - \gamma_{jj}(t) + \frac{d}{dt} \arg \gamma_{jn}(t), \forall n \neq j$

- Local (in time) U(1)-invariant under transform $|\phi_n(t)\rangle \rightarrow e^{if_n(t)} |\phi_n(t)\rangle$
- $Q_{mn}(t)/2|\gamma_{mn}|$ characterizes geodesic curvature of Bloch sphere of 2-level system

$$H = A(t) + B(t)\vec{n}(t) \cdot \vec{\sigma}, \vec{n}(t) = [\sin\theta(t)\cos\varphi(t), \sin\theta(t)\sin\varphi(t), \cos\theta(t)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} |+, t\rangle = \cos\frac{\theta(t)}{2} |0\rangle + e^{i\varphi} \sin\frac{\theta(t)}{2} |1\rangle \\ |-, t\rangle = \sin\frac{\theta(t)}{2} |0\rangle - e^{i\varphi} \cos\frac{\theta(t)}{2} |1\rangle \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Q_{mn}(t)}{2|\gamma_{mn}(t)|} = \rho = \left(\vec{n} \times \frac{d\vec{n}}{ds} \right) \cdot \frac{d^2\vec{n}}{ds^2}, \text{ with } ds = |d\vec{n}|.$$

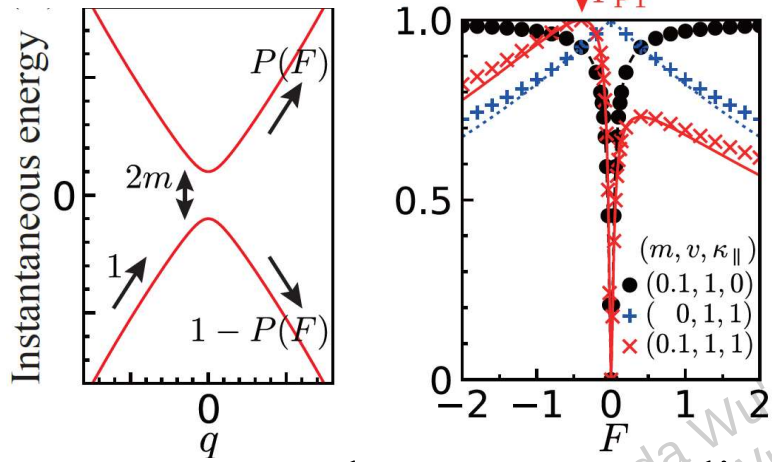
- Gives effective energy gap $\Delta_{jn}(t) = E_j(t) - E_n(t) + Q_{nj}(t)$

Quantum geometric potential and effective energy gap

Effective energy gap $\Delta_{jn}(t) = 0 \rightarrow$ Landau-Zener tunneling maximizes

$$H(F, t) = m\sigma^z + vq\sigma^x + \frac{1}{2}\kappa_{\parallel}v^2q^2\sigma^y$$

The tunneling probability ($q = -Ft$)



Landau-Zener tunneling

$$P(F) = \exp\left[-\frac{\pi\left(m + \frac{\kappa_{\parallel}vF}{4}\right)^2}{v|F|}\right] = \exp\left[-\frac{\pi}{4v|F|}\left(\Delta + \frac{FR_{+-}}{2}\right)^2\right]$$

$$\Delta_{eff} = E_+ - E_- + \frac{FR_{+-}}{2}, R_{+-} = \kappa_{\parallel}v$$

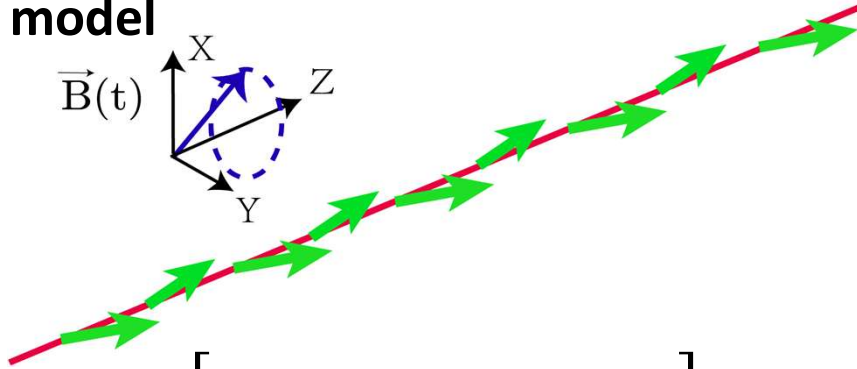
Calculate the QGP and effective energy gap

Perfect tunneling F_{PT} happens at $\Delta_{eff} = 0$

How about quantum many-body system?

Quantum geometry in a time-dependent quantum Ising chain

The model



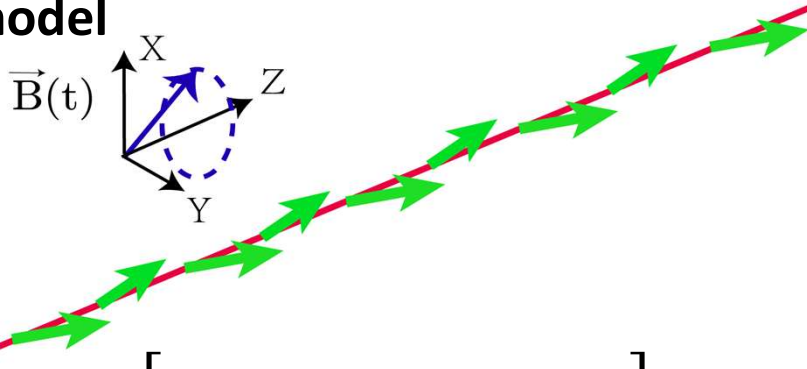
$$H(t) = -J \left[\sum_i \sigma_i^z \sigma_{i+1}^z + \vec{B}(t) \cdot \vec{\sigma}_i \right]$$

$$\vec{B} = (\cos \omega_0 t, -\sin \omega_0 t, h_z), \omega_0, h_z \rightarrow 0^+, J = 1$$

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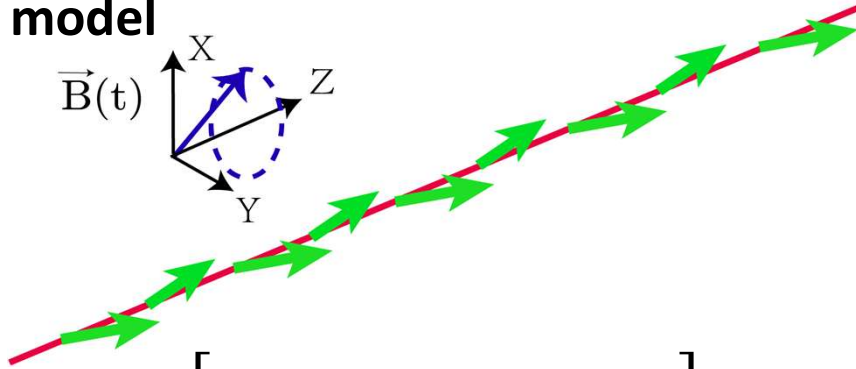


scaling limit, $h \sim J^{\frac{15}{8}} h_z$

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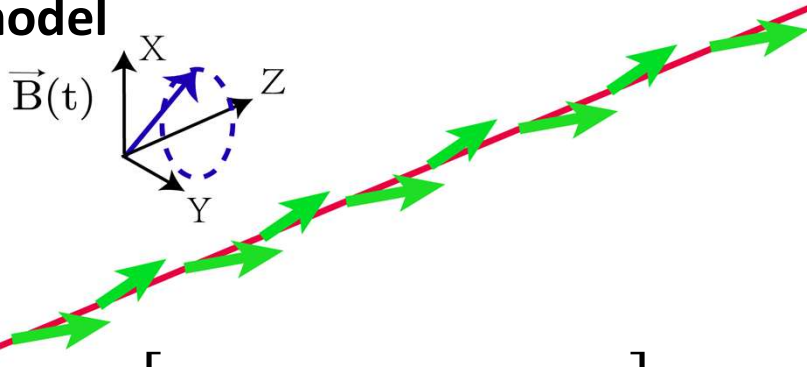
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$$\text{Unitary transformation } U(t) = \exp \left\{ -\frac{i}{2} \omega_0 t \sum_i \sigma_i^z \right\}$$

$$\text{Exact evolution } |\psi(t)\rangle = U^{-1}(t) \exp \{ -i H_{\text{eff}} t \} |\psi(0)\rangle$$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = -J \sum_i \left[\sigma_i^z \sigma_{i+1}^z + \sigma_i^x + \left(h_z - \frac{\omega_0}{2J} \right) \sigma_i^z \right]$$

$$H_{E_8, \text{eff}} = H_{c=1/2} - \left(h - \frac{\omega}{2} \right) \int \sigma(x) dx$$

Instantaneous eigen functions

$$|\psi_n(t)\rangle_{\text{ins}} = e^{i\varphi_n(t)} U^{-1}(t) |\psi_n(0)\rangle, E_n(t) = E_n(0)$$

U^{-1} is also an adiabatic transformation!

Reduced parameter $\kappa = h_z / (\omega_0 / 2)$.

Quantum geometry in a time-dependent quantum Ising chain

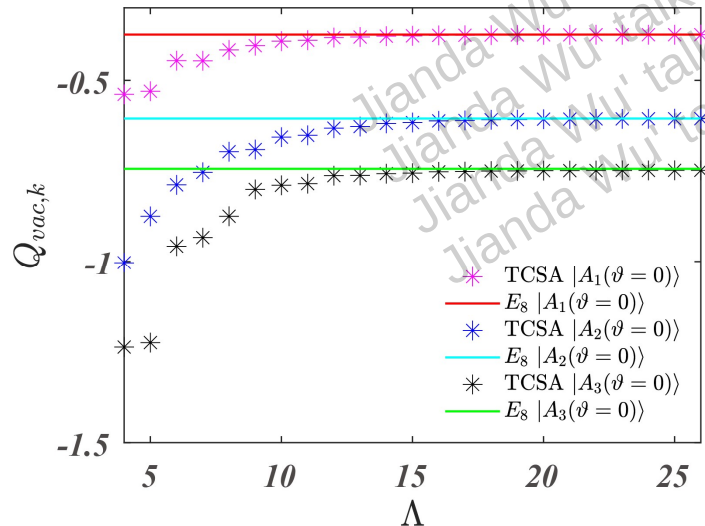
Adiabatic Hamiltonian
$$H_{adia} = iU_a^{-1}(t)\dot{U}_a(t) = -\frac{\omega_0}{2} \sum_i \sigma_i^z = -\frac{\omega}{2} \int_0^{L \rightarrow \infty} \sigma(x) dx$$

Here, $\omega = J^{7/8} \omega_0$ and the continuum limit condition $2Ja = \hbar c = 1$

The QGP between $|\psi_n(t)\rangle_{ins}$ and $|\psi_m(t)\rangle_{ins}$ containing N and M E_8 particles, respectively

$$Q_{nm}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{F_{jj}^\sigma(i\pi, 0)}{m_j \cosh \theta_j} - \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{F_{ii}^\sigma(i\pi, 0)}{m_i \cosh \theta_i} = -\frac{8}{15\kappa} \left(\sum_{j=1}^M \frac{m_j}{\cosh \theta_j} - \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{m_i}{\cosh \theta_i} \right)$$

e.g. the QGP between E_8 vacuum and single E_8 particle state: $Q_{vac,k} = \frac{F_{kk}^\sigma(i\pi, 0)}{m_k}$,



Verified by truncated conformal space approach (TCSA)

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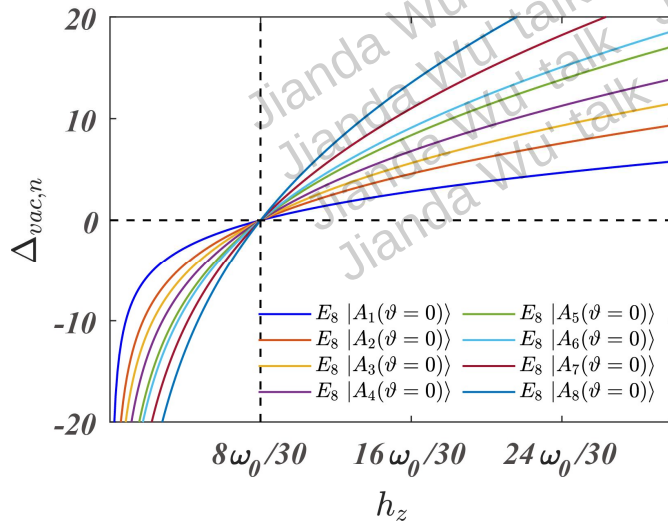
The effective energy gap (EEG) between $|\psi_n(t)\rangle_{ins}$ and $|\psi_m(t)\rangle_{ins}$ containing N and M E_8 particles

$$\Delta_{nm}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^M m_j \cosh \theta_j - \sum_{i=1}^N m_i \cosh \theta_i - \frac{8}{15\kappa} \left(\sum_{j=1}^M \frac{m_j}{\cosh \theta_j} - \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{m_i}{\cosh \theta_i} \right)$$

- Existence of zeros for EEG between E_8 vacuum and any number of E_8 particles

$$\text{upper bound } \kappa = \frac{8}{15}$$

- Existence of zeros for EEG between E_8 vacuum and single E_8 particles

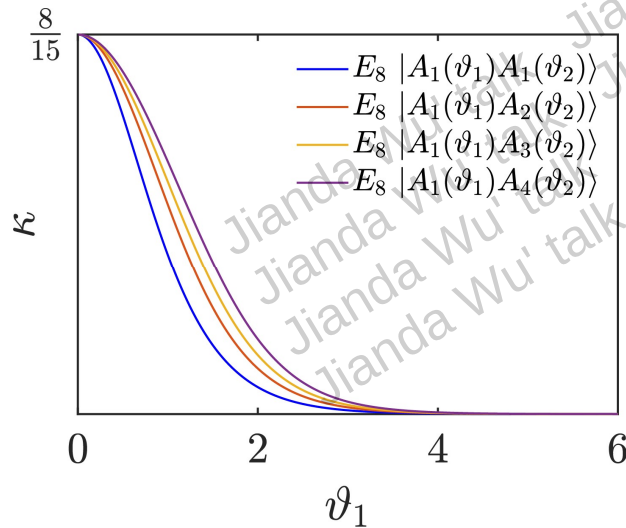


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The zeros of EEG between E_8 vacuum and two- E_8 -particle continuum: $\kappa = \frac{8}{15}$ serves as an upper bound



As the total energy increases, the zeros keep decreases.

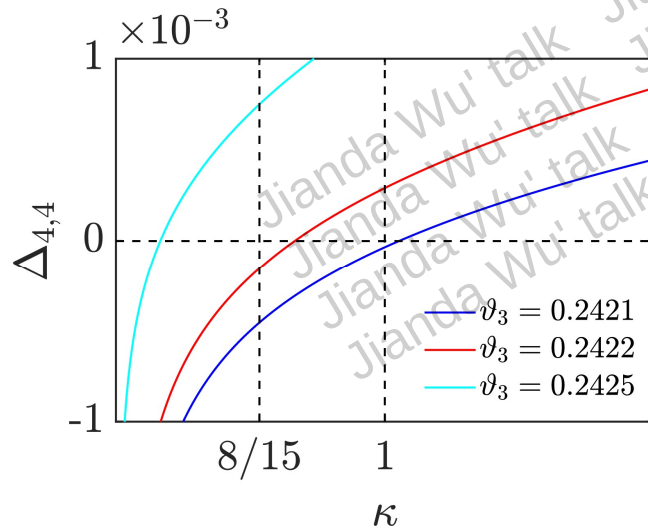
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The zeros of EEG between any two multi- E_8 -particle states: the upper bound can be larger

e.g.



The density of states for such multi-particle states with large upper bound is small.

Spectral entropy of Loschmidt echo

$$\text{Loschmidt echo } L(t) = \text{ins} \langle \psi_0(t) | \psi(t) \rangle = \langle \psi(0) | e^{-iH_{\text{eff}}t} | \psi(0) \rangle$$

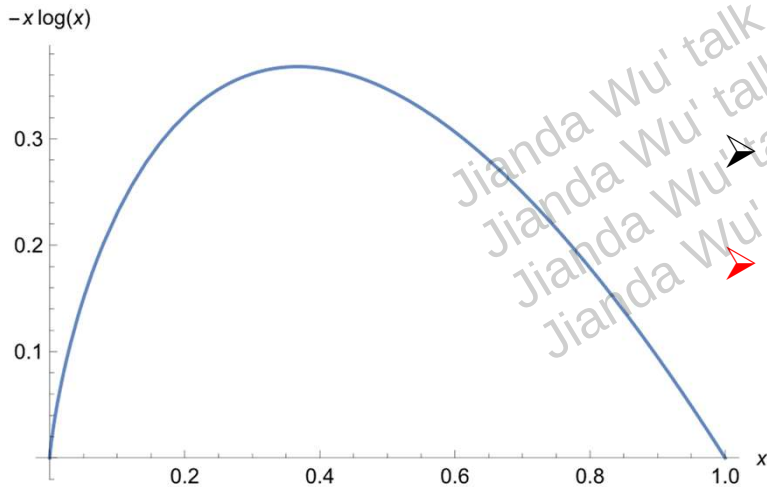
- Characterize strength of Landau-Zener tunneling
- May be detected through “image” cold-atom experiment

$$\text{Loschmidt echo spectrum } L(\omega) = \int dt e^{i\omega t} L(t) = \sum_m |\langle \phi_m | \psi(0) \rangle|^2 \delta(\omega - E_m)$$

Eigen states and eigenenergies of H_{eff}

Introducing the Loschmidt echo spectral entropy

$$S_{LE} = -\sum_m p_m \ln p_m, p_m = |\langle \phi_m | \psi(0) \rangle|^2, \sum_m p_m = 1$$



➤ if $p_m \rightarrow 0$ or 1 then those states contribute negligibly to S_{LE}

➤ Increasing S_{LE} implies enhancement of MBLZT

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Loschmidt echo spectral entropy: **The truncated lattice free fermion approach (TLFFA)**

$$H = -J \sum_i (\sigma_i^z \sigma_{i+1}^z + g \sigma_i^x + h_z \sigma_i^z) = \underbrace{H_{TFIC}}_{\text{red circle}} - J h_z \sum_i \sigma_i^z$$

Connect R and NS sectors

$$H_{TFIC} = \sum_q \varepsilon_q \left(r_q^\dagger r_q - \frac{1}{2} \right), \quad \varepsilon_q = 2J \sqrt{1 + g^2 - 2g \cos q}$$

${}_R \langle P | \sigma^z | Q \rangle_{NS}$ is known

The Hilbert space: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Ramond Sector: } |P\rangle_R = r_{p_1}^\dagger r_{p_2}^\dagger \dots r_{p_n}^\dagger |0\rangle_R \\ \text{Neveu - Schwarz Sector: } |Q\rangle_{NS} = r_{q_1}^\dagger r_{q_2}^\dagger \dots r_{q_n}^\dagger |0\rangle_{NS} \end{array} \right.$

$$\begin{pmatrix} H_{TFIC} & -J h_z \sum_i \sigma_i^z \\ -J h_z \sum_i \sigma_i^z & H_{TFIC} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P: \left\{ p = \frac{2\pi}{L} j \right\}, Q: \left\{ q = \frac{2\pi}{L} \left(j - \frac{1}{2} \right) \right\}, j = -\frac{L}{2} + 1, -\frac{L}{2} + 2, \dots, \frac{L}{2}.$$

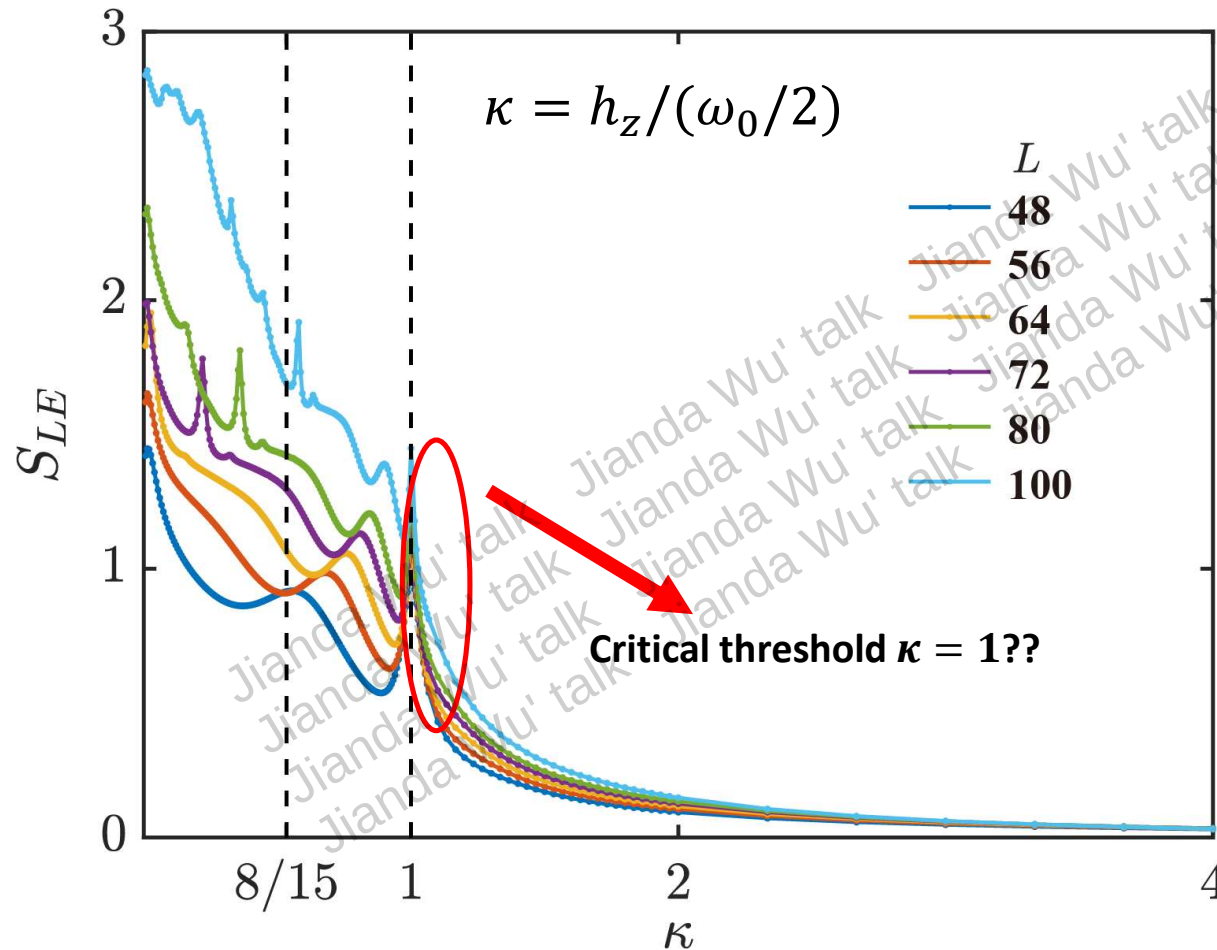
Truncation according to **energy** and **# of states**

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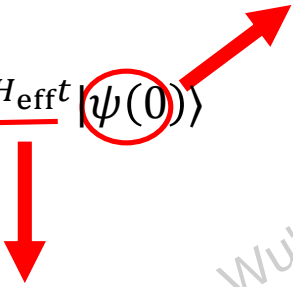
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As $\kappa \leq 1, h_z \leq \omega_0/2$. The low energy excitations:

$$\kappa = h_z/(\omega_0/2).$$

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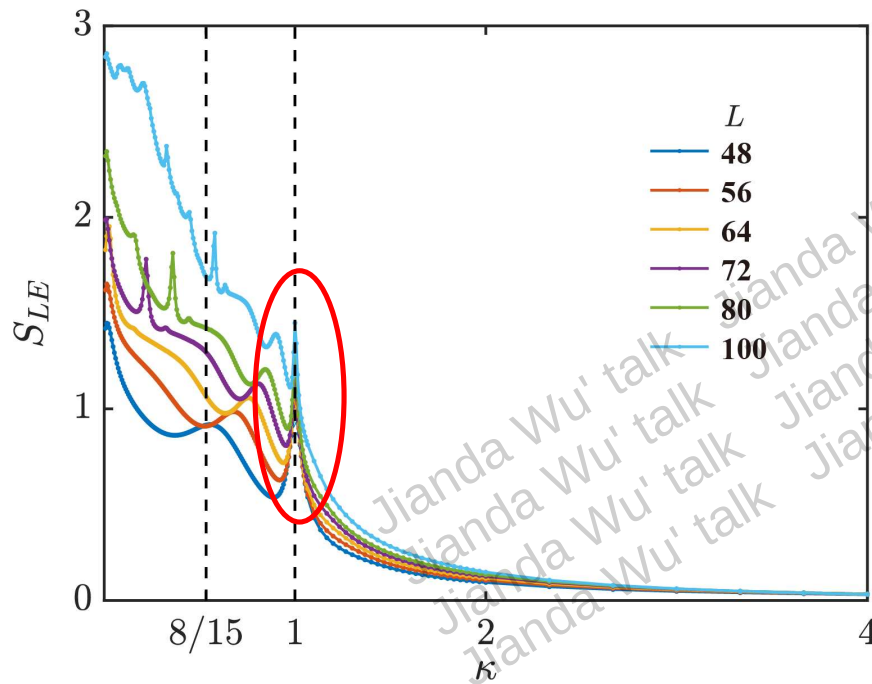
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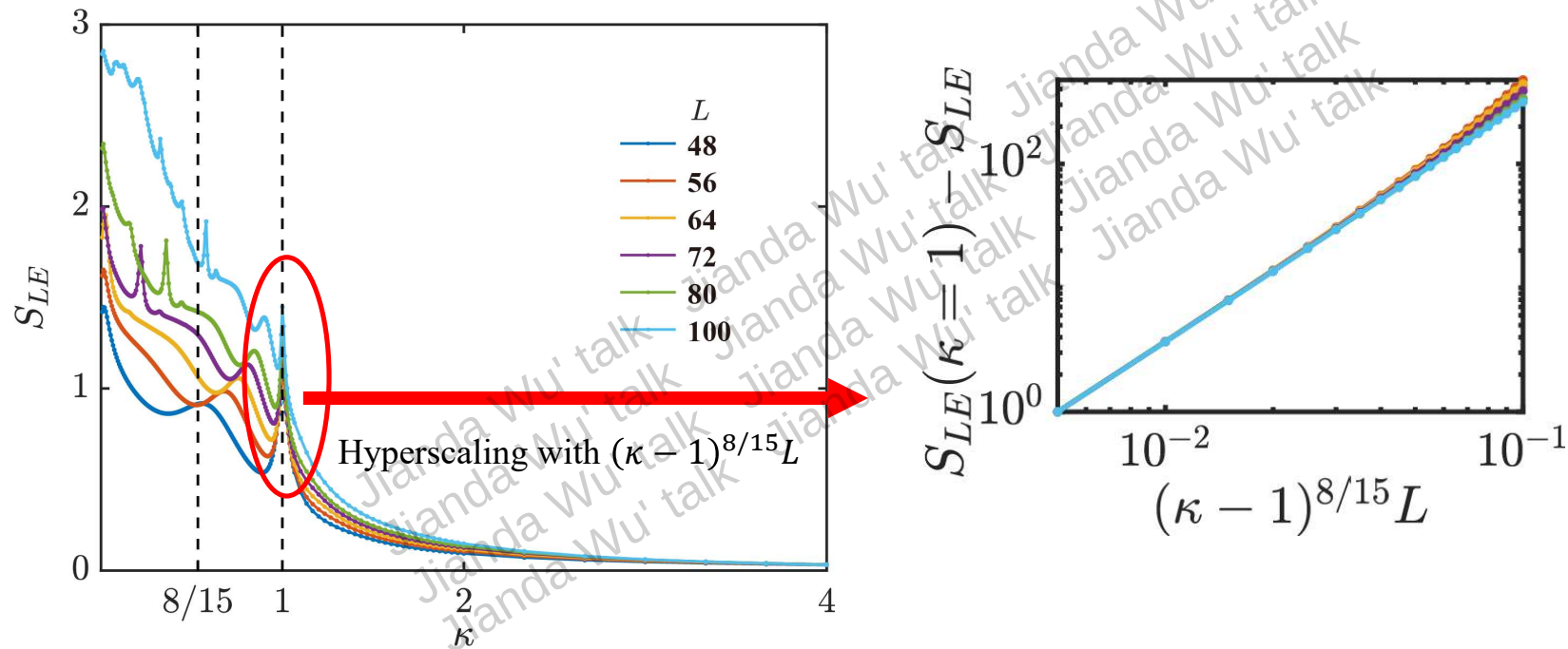
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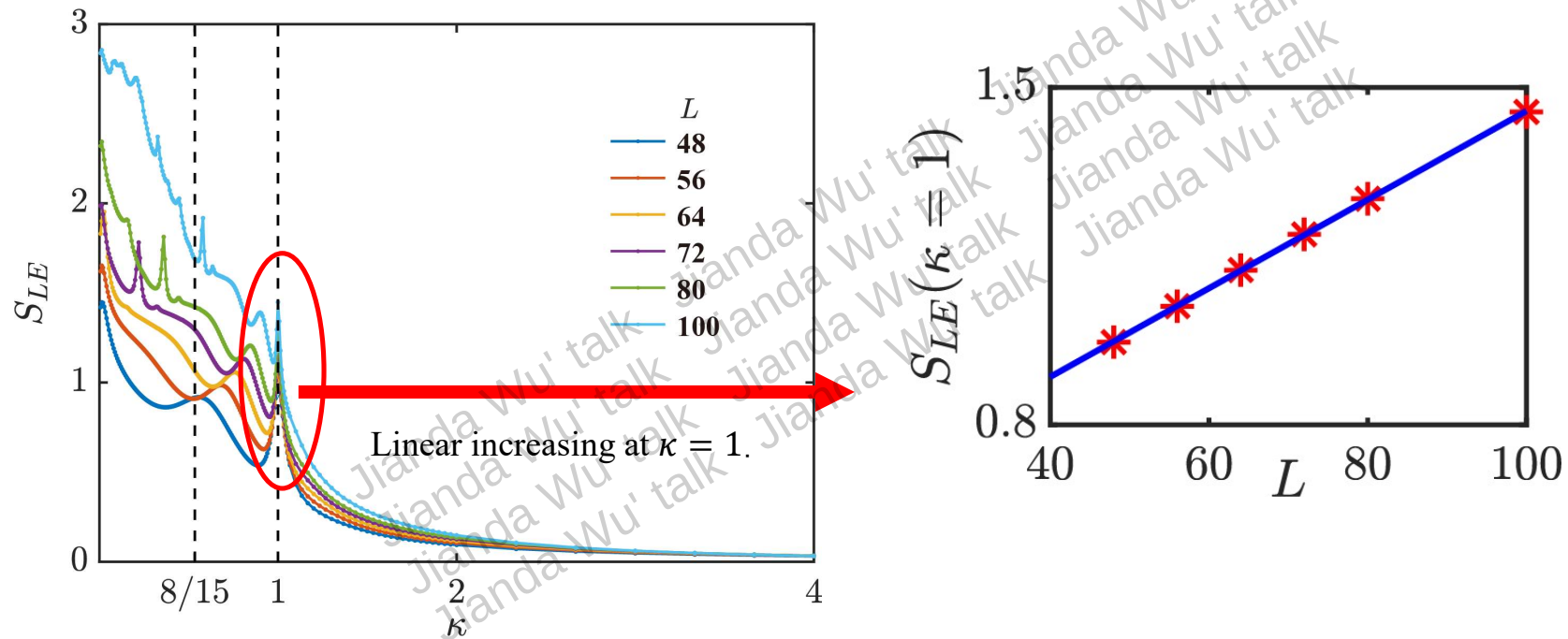
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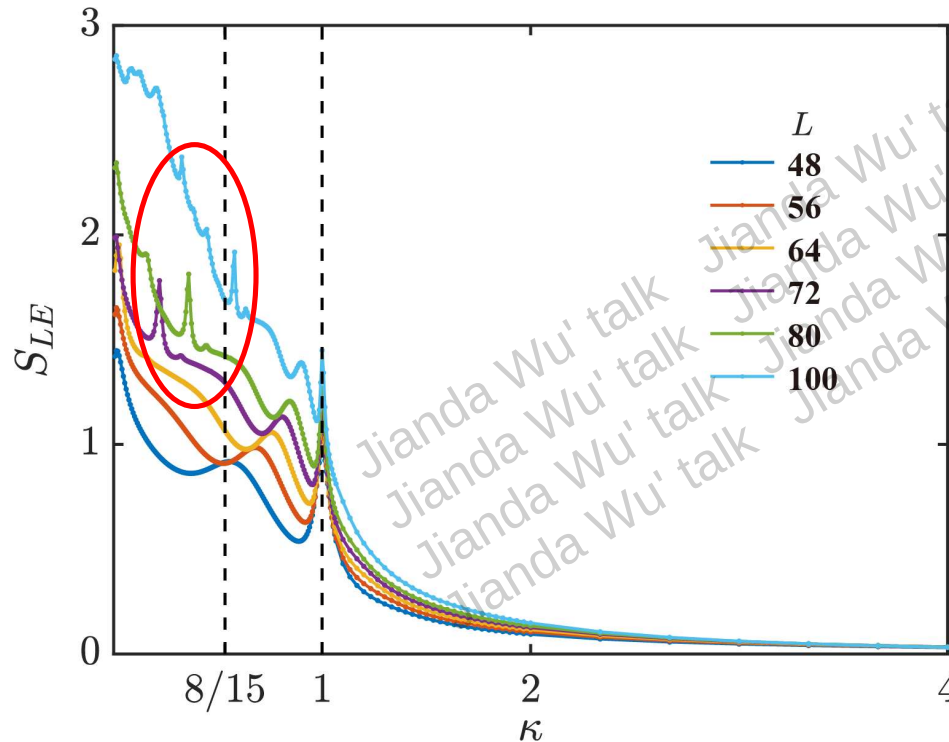
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Many-body Landau-Zener tunneling (MBLZT):

The second enhancement around $\kappa = \frac{8}{15} \Leftarrow$ **Low energy sectors begin to involve**
the ***upper bound*** for EEG from ground state to excited states



Multi-new “divergent” behaviors?

Limited by the computational power

Summary

- The many-body Berry connection matrix can be determined for time-dependent systems whose low-energy physics can be organized by quantum integrable field theory instantaneously. And it can be explicitly determined up to at most two-particle process in the thermodynamical limit.
- The zeros of effective energy gap can serve as a good pointer for Landau-Zener tunneling.
- The Loschmidt echo spectral entropy is proposed to serve as a powerful tool to illustrate the many-body Landau Zener tunneling, and reveals critical behavior that follows hyperscaling in the time-dependent quantum Ising chain we study.
- The methodology of the spectral entropy analysis can also apply to other non-equilibrium systems.

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