

# Quantum simulations of high-energy physics models

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# QUANTUM PHYSICS

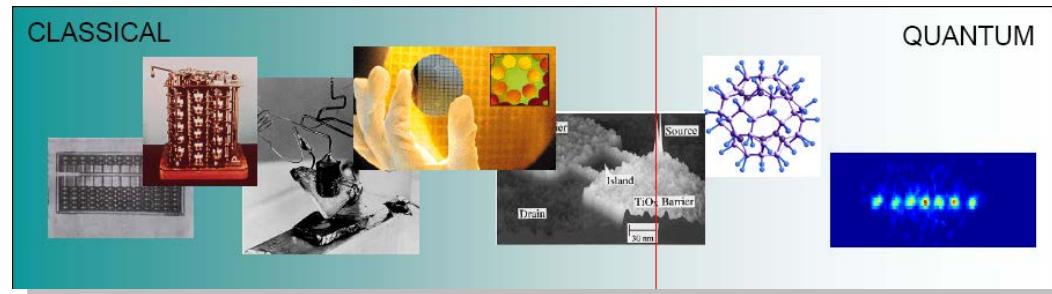


„There is plenty of room at the bottom“

Ricard Feynman, 29.12.1959. Annual meeting  
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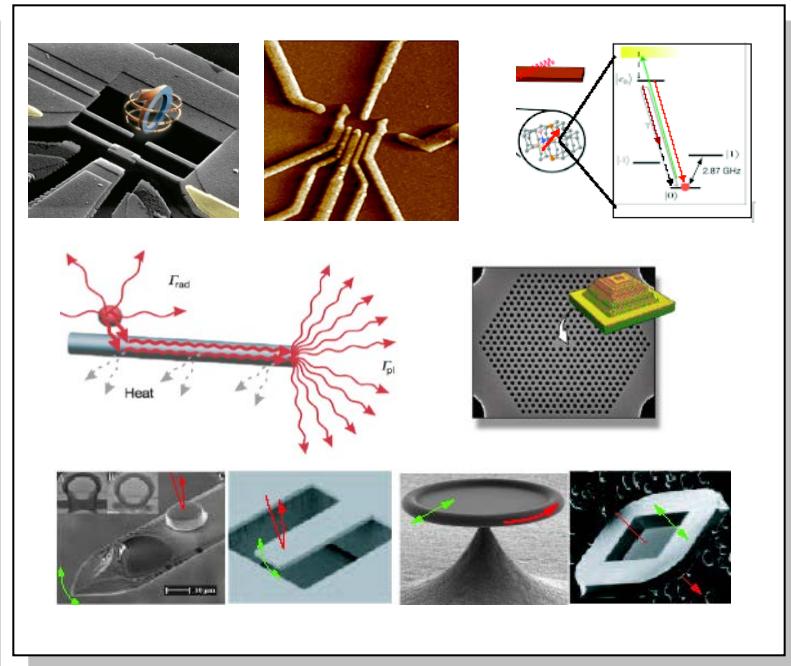
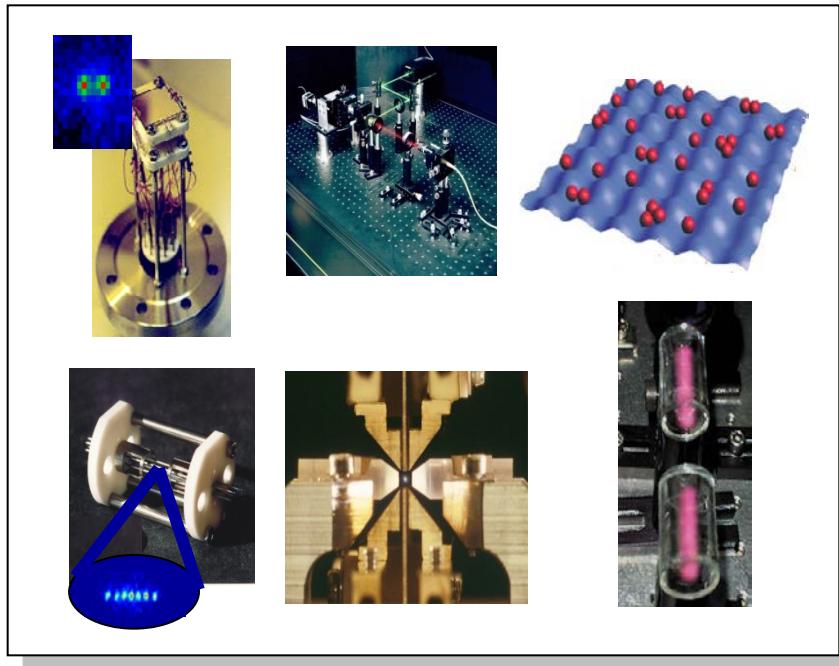


- When we get to the very, very small world we have a lot of new things that would happen that represent completely new opportunities for design.
- Atoms on a small scale behave like nothing on a large scale, for they satisfy the laws of quantum mechanics.
- We are working with different laws, and we can expect to do different things.





# QUANTUM PHYSICS PROGRESS





# QUANTUM SIMULATION



## Simulating Physics with Computers

Richard P. Feynman

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*Received May 7, 1981*



### 1. INTRODUCTION

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be understood very well in analyzing the situation. And I'm not happy with all the analyses that go with just the classical theory, because nature isn't classical, dammit, and if you want to make a simulation of nature, you'd better make it quantum mechanical, and by golly it's a wonderful problem, because it doesn't look so easy. Thank you.



# OUTLINE

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- Simulating many-body systems
- Analog quantum simulation
- Cold atoms in optical lattices
- Quantum simulation of HEP models
- Tensor Networks and HEP models

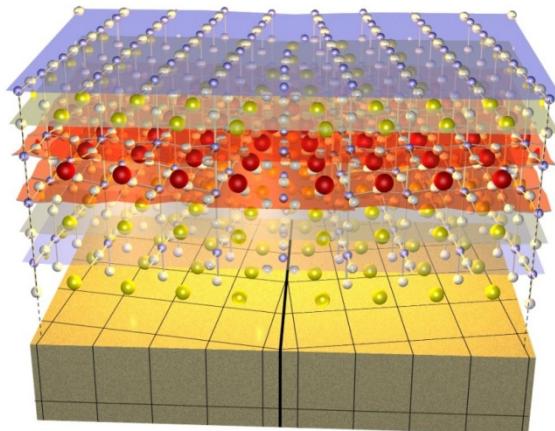
# SIMULATING MANY-BODY SYSTEMS



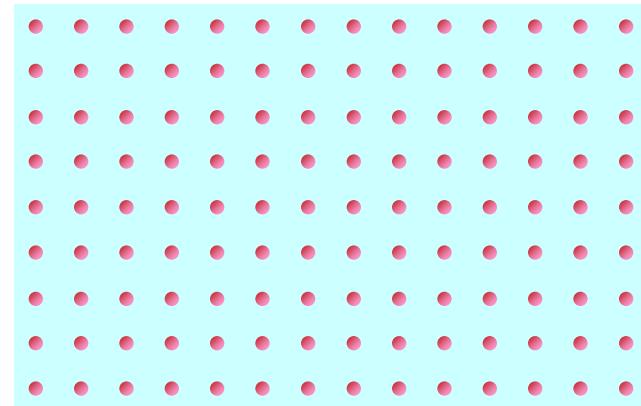
# MANY-BODY SYSTEM MODELS



## PHYSICAL SYSTEM



## MODEL



Model Hamiltonian

- Dynamics
- Thermal equilibrium (T)

$$H = \dots$$

Computation time/memory scales exponentially with the number of constituents



# MANY-BODY SYSTEM CLASSICAL MODELS



- EXAMPLE: classical spins

Which is the spin configuration at T=0?

Configuration	Energy
000...000	0.274
000...001	0.298
000...010	0.345
000...011	-0.177 •
...	...
111...111	-0.122

$$E = E(1,2) + E(2,3) + \dots$$

- There are  $2^N$  different configurations
- Impossible if  $N > 100$

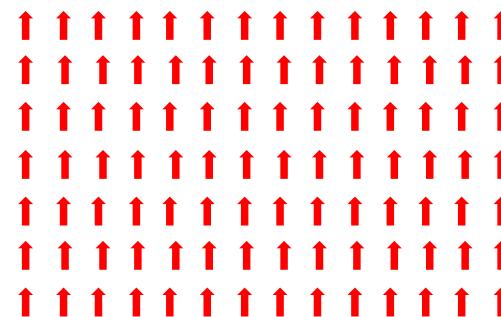
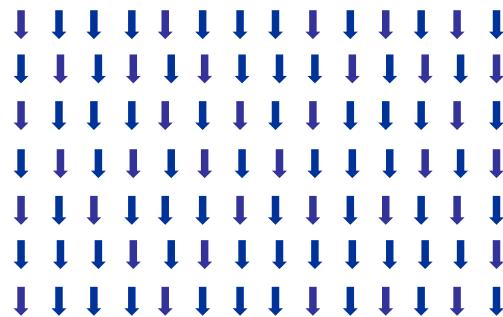


# MANY-BODY SYSTEM CLASSICAL MODELS



- EXAMPLE: classical spins      + SYMMETRIES

Which is the spin configuration at T=0?



- Ferromagnetic
- Symmetries: simple

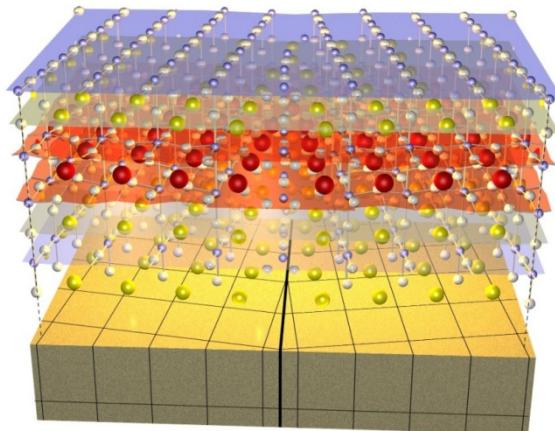
The problem is difficult in general (NP-Hard)  
In practice, it may turn to be simple



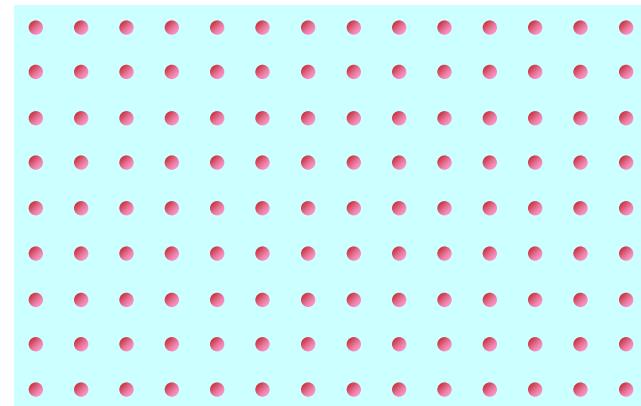
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Model Hamiltonian

$$H = \dots$$

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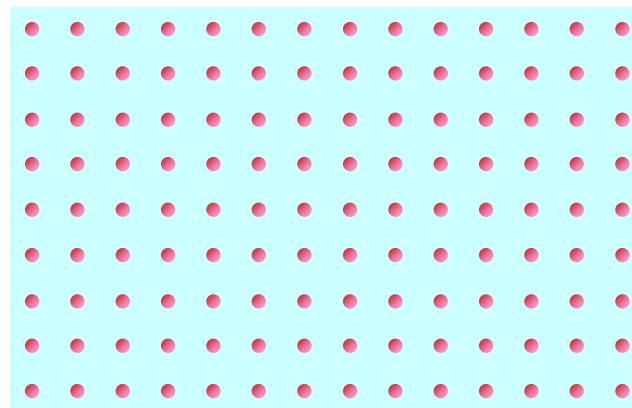
$$|\Psi\rangle = c_1 |000\dots 0\rangle + c_2 |000\dots 1\rangle + \dots + c_{2^N} |111\dots 1\rangle$$



# QUANTUM SIMULATIONS QUANTUM SYSTEMS



- Quantum spins:  $|\Psi\rangle = c_1 |000\dots0\rangle + c_2 |000\dots1\rangle + \dots + c_{2^N} |111\dots1\rangle$



N. spins	Memory
10	128 bytes
50	150 Tbytes
100	$10^{29}$ bytes
500	$10^{150}$ bytes

- Symmetries do not help much



# QUANTUM SIMULATIONS QUANTUM SYSTEMS



- Quantum superpositions are responsible for many physical phenomena:
  - Superconductivity
  - Superfluidity
  - Giant magnetoresistence
  - Insulators (Mott, Anderson, topological)
  - Nuclear reactions
  - Chemical reactions
  - Quark confinement
- There are many theoretical techniques
  - In some relevant problems they fail

# ANALOG QUANTUM SIMULATION



# QUANTUM SIMULATORS



## Simulating Physics with Computers

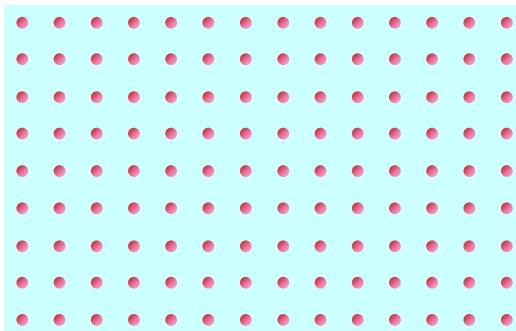
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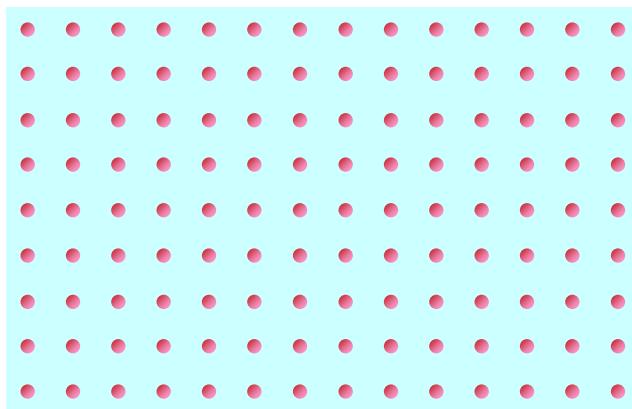


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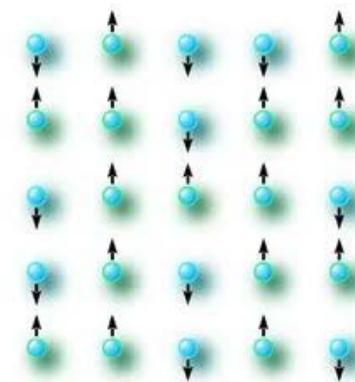
MODEL



Model Hamiltonian

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QUANTUM SIMULATOR

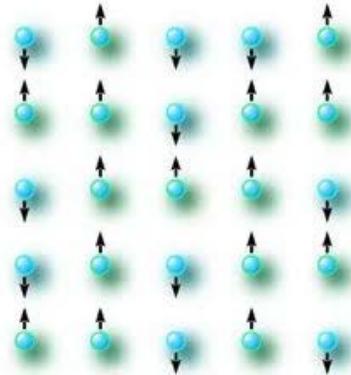


Model Hamiltonian

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# QUANTUM SIMULATORS



$$H = \dots$$

## ■ Questions:

- Ground state:  $H |\Psi_0\rangle = E_0 |\Psi_0\rangle$
- Thermal state:  $\rho \propto e^{-H/T}$
- Dynamics:  $|\Psi(t)\rangle = e^{-iHt} |\Psi(0)\rangle$
- Physical properties:  $\langle \sigma_n \rangle, \langle \sigma_n \sigma_m \rangle, \dots$

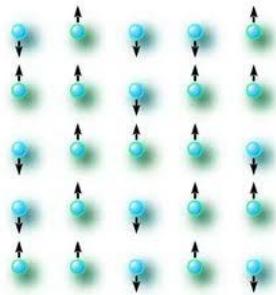


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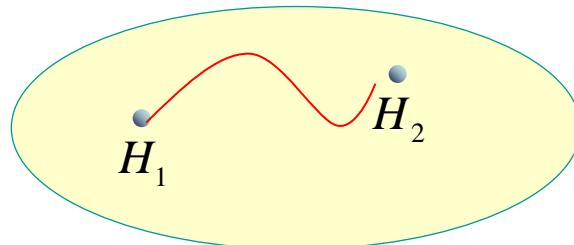


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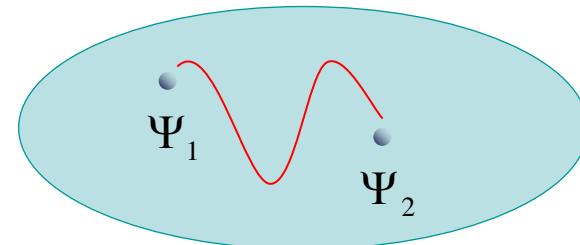


- Dynamics:
- Ground state:

Hamiltonians  $H$



States  $|\Psi\rangle$



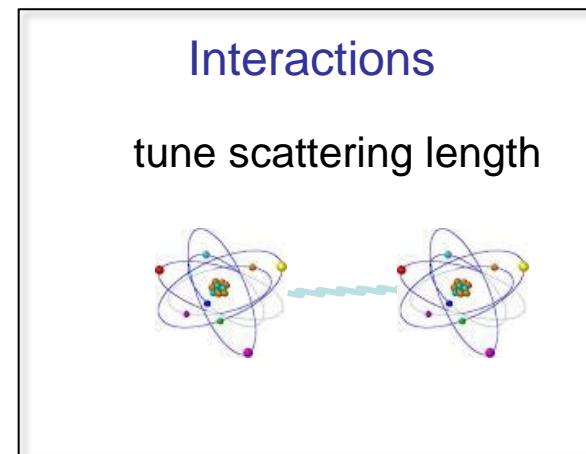
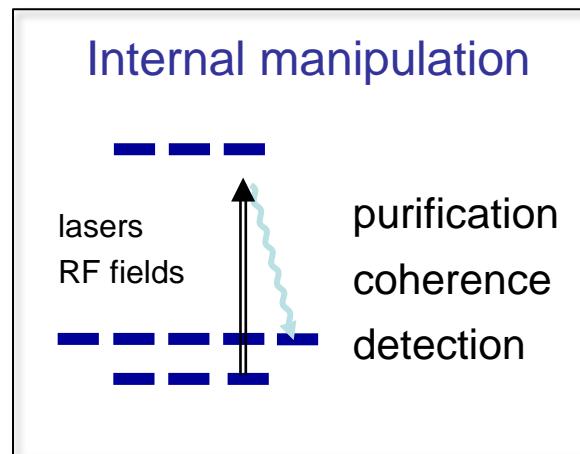
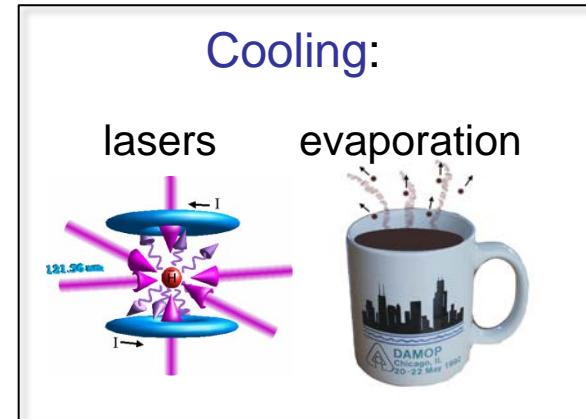
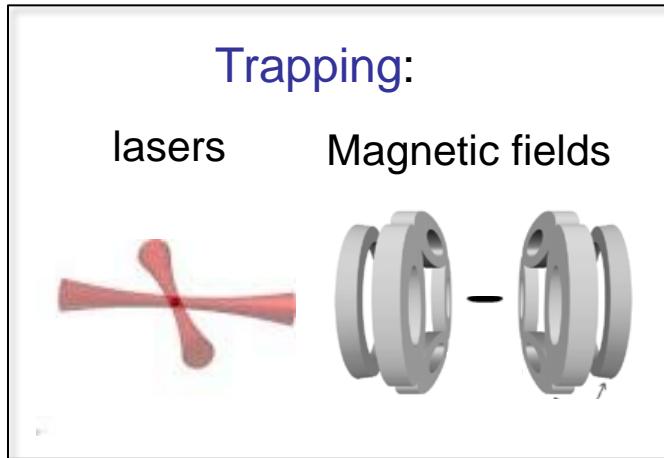
# COLD ATOMS IN OPTICAL LATTICES



# COLD ATOMS



## ■ Control: External fields





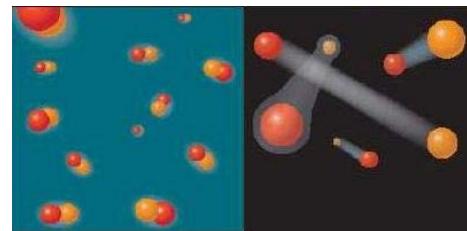
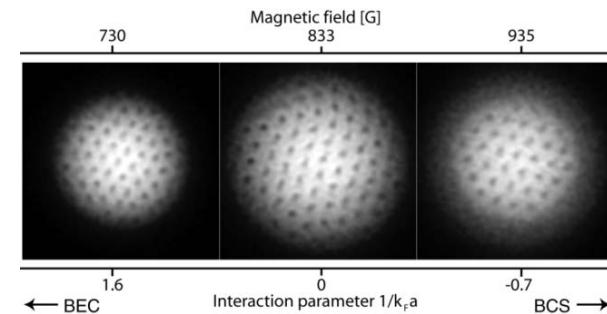
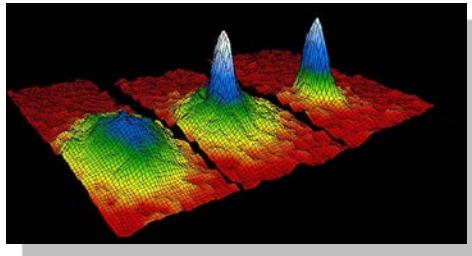
# COLD ATOMS ACHIEVEMENTS



## ■ Many-body phenomena

- Degeneracy: bosons and fermions (BE/FD statistics)
- Coherence: interference, atom lasers, four-wave mixing, ...
- Superfluidity: vortices
- Disorder: Anderson localization
- Fermions: BCS-BEC

+ many other phenomena





# COLD ATOMS



- Cold atoms are described by simple quantum field theories:

$$H = \int \Psi_\sigma^\dagger (-\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi_\sigma + u_{\sigma_i} \int \Psi_{\sigma_1}^\dagger \Psi_{\sigma_2}^\dagger \Psi_{\sigma_3} \Psi_{\sigma_4}$$

- We can have bosons or fermions (or both).
- We can have different internal states (spin).
- The external potential,  $V$ , and interaction coefficients,  $u$ , can be engineered using lasers, and electric and magnetic fields.
- In certain limits, one obtains effective theories that are interesting in other fields of Physics.



Quantum Simulations



# COLD ATOMS OPTICAL LATTICES



- Laser standing waves: dipole-trapping

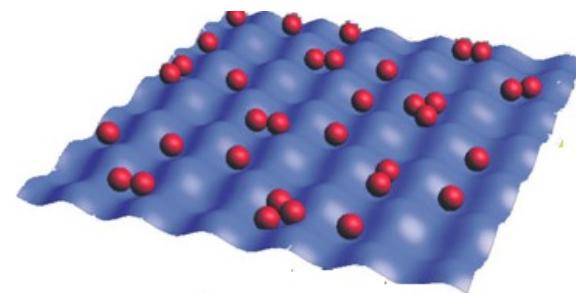
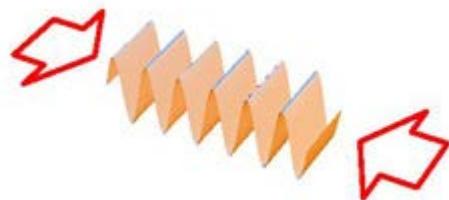
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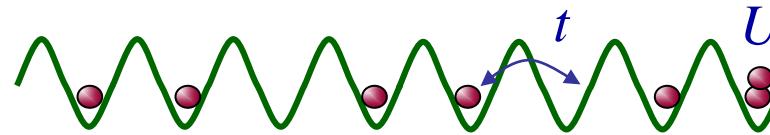


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Lattice theory: Bose/Fermi-Hubbard model

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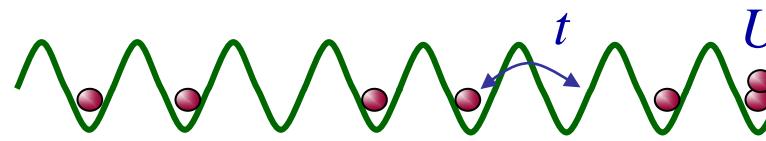


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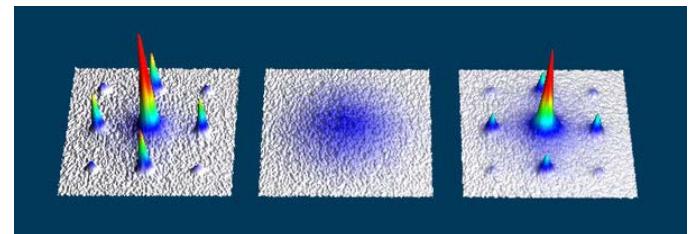
## articles

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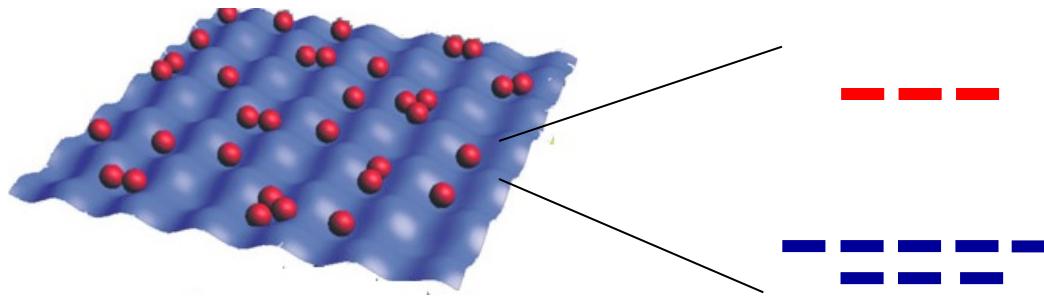
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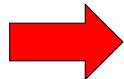


# COLD ATOMS QUANTUM SIMULATION



- Bosons/Fermions: 
$$H = - \sum_{\substack{< n, m > \\ \sigma, \sigma'}} \left( t_{\sigma, \sigma'} a_{n, \sigma}^\dagger a_{m, \sigma'} + h.c \right) + \sum_n \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} U_{\sigma, \sigma'} a_{n, \sigma}^\dagger a_{n, \sigma'}^\dagger a_{n, \sigma'} a_{n, \sigma}$$

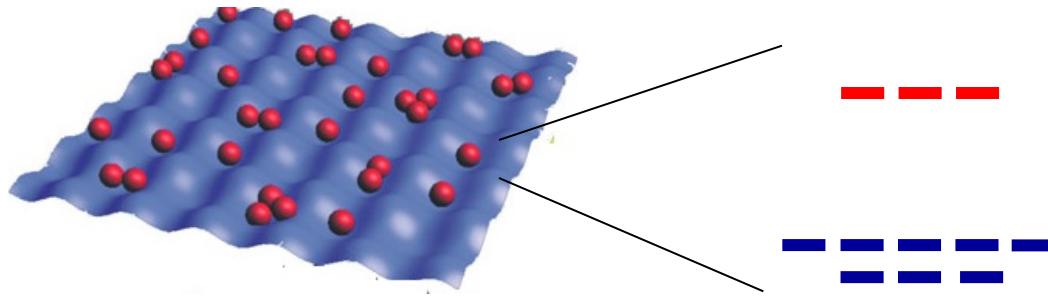
- Spins: 
$$H = - \sum_{\substack{< n, m > \\ \sigma, \sigma'}} \left( J_x S_n^x S_m^x + J_y S_n^y S_m^y + J_z S_n^z S_m^z \right) + \sum_n \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} B_n S_n^z$$



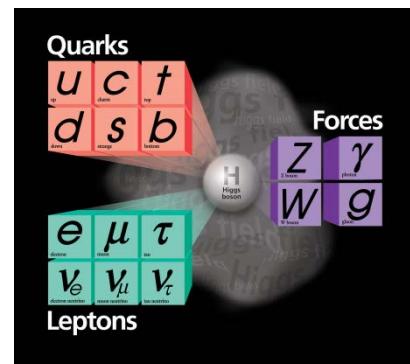
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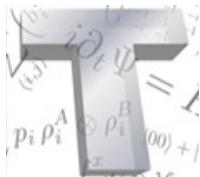
# COLD ATOMS QUANTUM SIMULATION



HIGH ENERGY PHYSICS?



# QUANTUM SIMULATIONS OF HEP MODELS



# QUANTUM SIMULATION HEP MODELS INGREDIENTS



$$S = \int \bar{\Psi} (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \Psi - Q \int A_\mu \bar{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \Psi - \frac{1}{4} \int F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \dots$$

■ Matter + Gauge Fields

■ Relativistic theory

■ Gauge invariant

■ Hamiltonian formulation:

- Gauss law

$$i\partial_t |\Psi\rangle = H |\Psi\rangle$$

$$G(x) |\Psi\rangle = 0$$

$$[H, G(x)] = 0$$



# QUANTUM SIMULATION HEP MODELS INGREDIENTS



## ■ Problem:

$$H = \int \Psi_\sigma^\dagger (-\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi_\sigma + u \int \Phi_\mu^\dagger \Phi_\sigma \Psi_\sigma^\dagger \Psi_\sigma + v \int \Phi_\sigma^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'}^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Phi_\sigma + \dots$$

choose  $V(r)$ ,  $u$ ,  $v$ , etc such that (in some limit), we have

$$\begin{aligned} i\partial_t |\Psi\rangle &= H |\Psi\rangle \\ G(x) |\Psi\rangle &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad [H, G(x)] = 0$$

corresponding to

$$S = \int \overline{\Psi} (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \Psi - Q \int A_\mu \overline{\Psi} \gamma^\mu \Psi - \frac{1}{4} \int F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \dots$$



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We need **bosonic** and **fermionic** atoms

We need **interactions** among themselves

$$H = \int \Psi_\sigma^\dagger (-\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi_\sigma + u \int \Phi_\mu^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Psi_\sigma^\dagger \Psi_{\sigma'} + v \int \Phi_\sigma^\dagger \Phi_\sigma^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Phi_{\sigma'} + \dots$$



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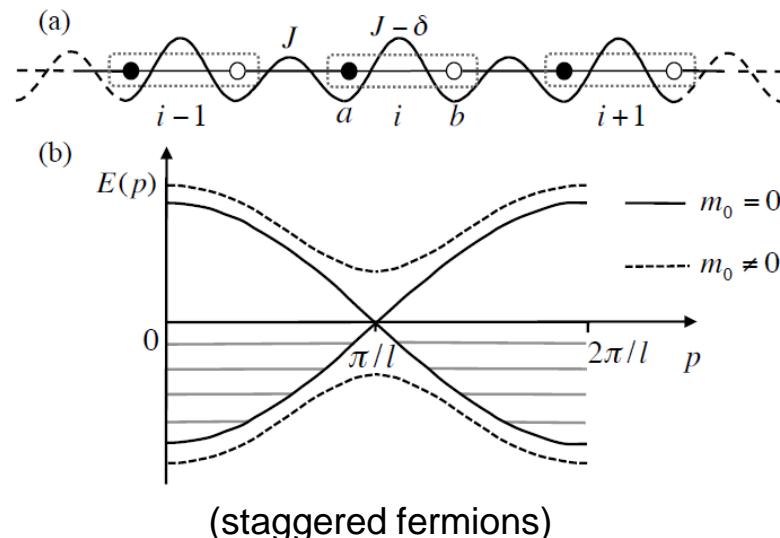


## ■ Relativistic

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→ Use a superlattice: it possesses the right limit in the continuum





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Lattice

Fermion-gauge field  
coupling

Gauge field  
dynamics

- Matter + Gauge Fields
- Relativistic theory
- Hamiltonian formulation:

- Gauge invariance: abelian, non-abelian
- Gauss law

→ Bosonic and Fermionic atoms  
Low energy sector

→ Lattices

→ Angular momentum  
Interactions / Initial conditions

+ perturbation theory

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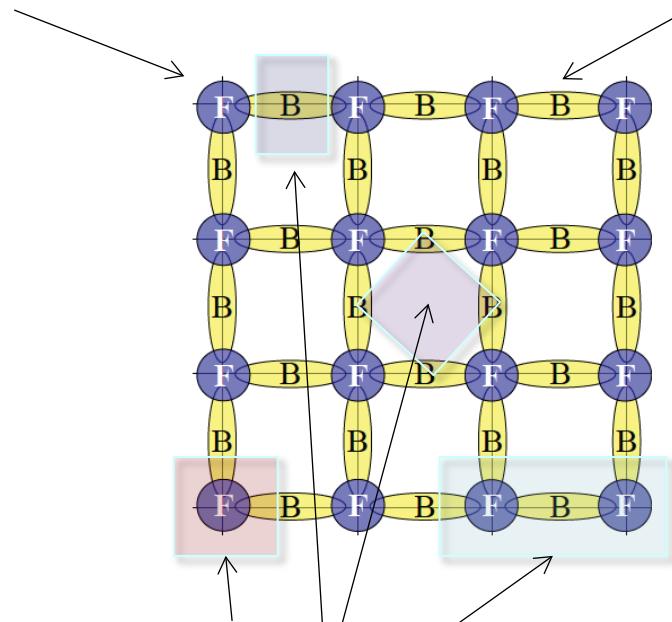
# HEP LATTICE MODELS

## HAMILTONIAN FORMULATION



Matter (Fermions): can move

Gauge fields (Bosons): Static



- Hamiltonian:  $H = H_M + H_{KS} + H_{\text{int}}$



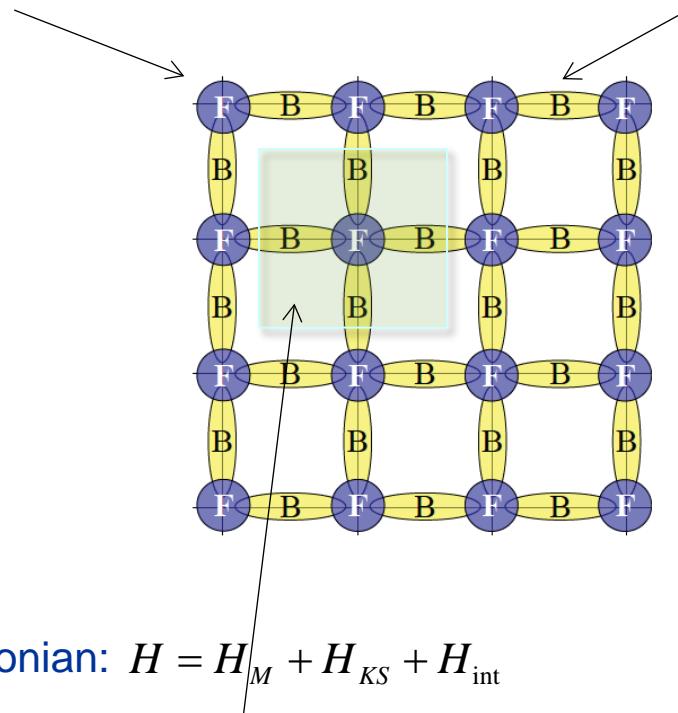
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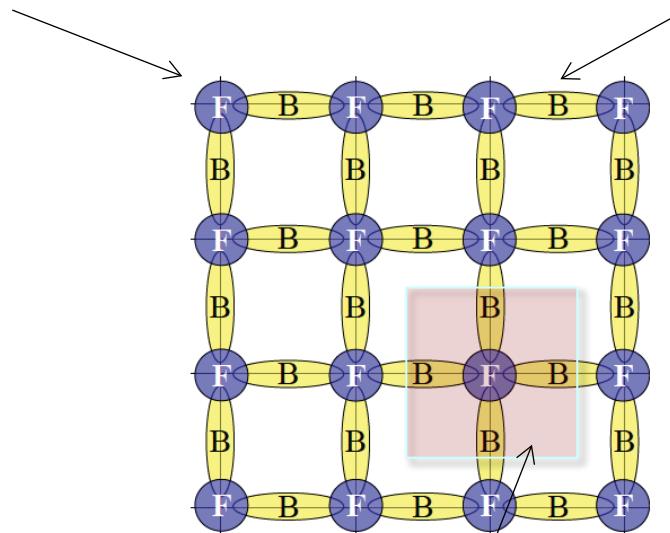
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- Gauss law:  $G_{\text{plaquette}} | \text{phys} \rangle = 0$



# HEP LATTICE MODELS

## HAMILTONIAN FORMULATION



- Example: compact-QED in 1D

- Hamiltonians:



$$H_M = \sum_{\mathbf{n}} M_{\mathbf{n}} \psi_{\mathbf{n}}^\dagger \psi_{\mathbf{n}}$$

$$H_{int} = \epsilon \sum_{\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{k}} \left( \psi_{\mathbf{n}}^\dagger e^{i\phi_{\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{k}}} \psi_{\mathbf{n} + \mathbf{k}} + \psi_{\mathbf{n} + \mathbf{k}}^\dagger e^{-i\phi_{\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{k}}} \psi_{\mathbf{n}} \right)$$

$$H_{KS} = H_E = \frac{g^2}{2} \sum_{n, k} E_n^2$$

$$[E_{\mathbf{n}, k}, \phi_{\mathbf{m}, l}] = -i\delta_{\mathbf{n}\mathbf{m}}\delta_{kl} \quad (\text{ie, compact})$$

- Gauss law:  $G_n |phys\rangle = 0$
- Gauge invariance:  $e^{-i\theta G_n} H e^{i\theta G_n} = H$

$$G_n = E_{n+1} - E_n - \psi_n^\dagger \psi_n$$

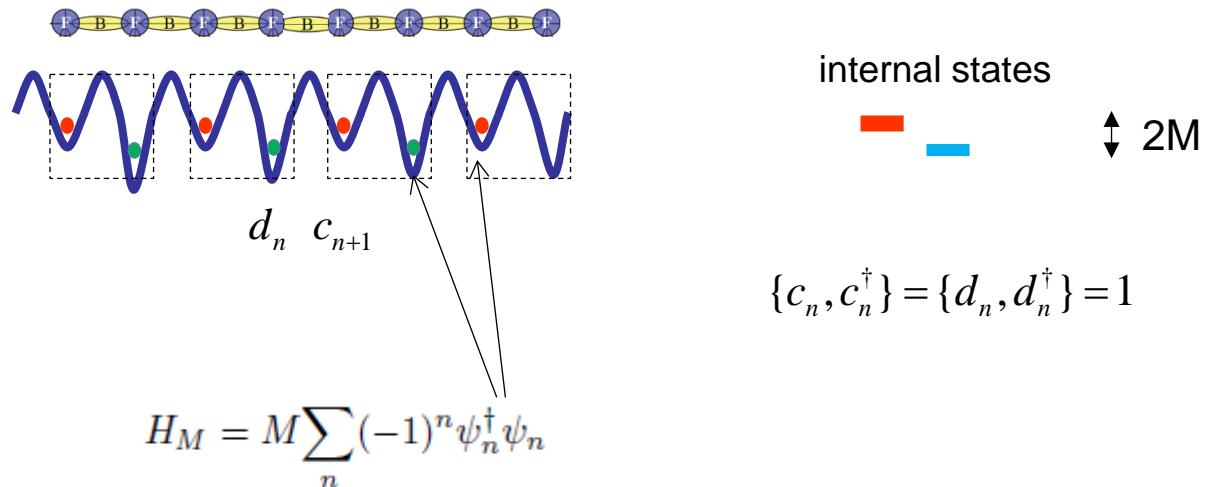
SCHWINGER MODEL



# QUANTUM SIMULATION SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



## ■ Fermions:



$$\{c_n, c_n^\dagger\} = \{d_n, d_n^\dagger\} = 1$$

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- Even sites: hole = particle
- Odd sites: fermion = antiparticle

Staggered Fermions:

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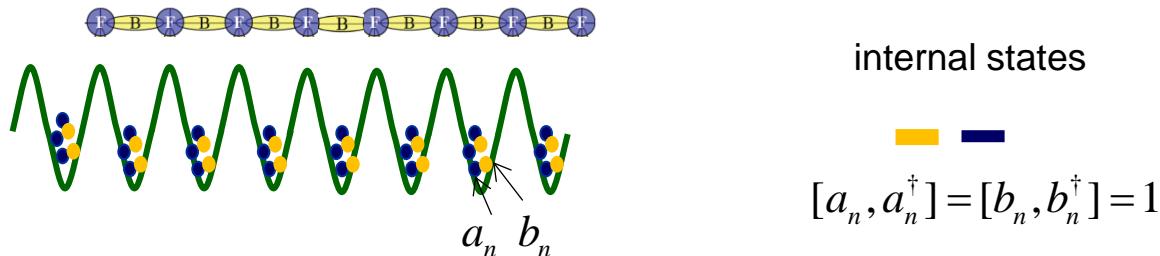


# QUANTUM SIMULATION

## SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



### ■ Bosons:



### ● Schwinger rep:

$$\begin{aligned} L_+ &= a^\dagger b \\ L_z &= \frac{1}{2} (N_a - N_b) \\ \ell &= \frac{1}{2} (N_a + N_b) \end{aligned} \quad \xrightarrow{\ell \gg 1} \quad \begin{aligned} L_+ &\approx \ell e^{i\phi} \\ L_z &\approx i\partial_\phi \end{aligned}$$

- If  $\ell$  is small (eg 2 atoms), we obtain a truncated version
- One can also use a single atom with few internal levels ( $Z_M$  is the gauge group)

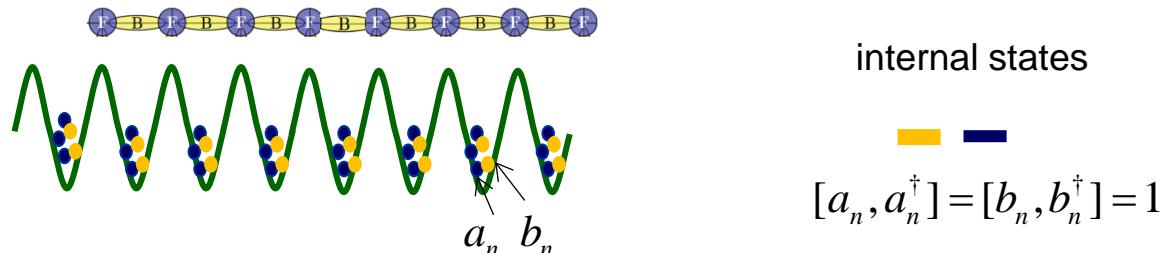


# QUANTUM SIMULATION

## SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



### ■ Bosons:



$$\begin{aligned} H_E &= \frac{g^2}{2} \sum_n L_{z,n}^2 \\ &= \frac{g^2}{8} \sum_n (N_{a,n}^2 + N_{b,n}^2 - 2N_{a,n}N_{b,n}) \end{aligned}$$

Schwinger rep:

$$\begin{aligned} L_+ &= a^\dagger b \\ L_z &= \frac{1}{2} (N_a - N_b) \\ \ell &= \frac{1}{2} (N_a + N_b) \end{aligned}$$

$$H = \int \Psi_\sigma^\dagger (-\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi_\sigma + u \int \Phi_\mu^\dagger \Phi_\sigma \Psi_\sigma^\dagger \Psi_\sigma + v \int \Phi_\sigma^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'}^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Phi_\sigma + \dots$$

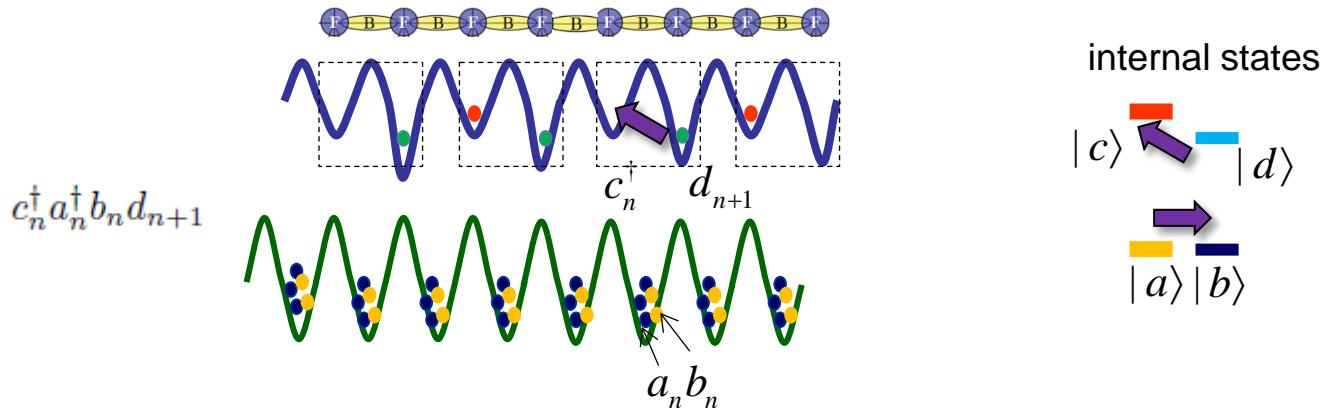


# QUANTUM SIMULATION

## SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



### ■ Interactions:



$$H = \int \Psi_\sigma^\dagger \left( -\nabla^2 + V(r) \right) \Psi_\sigma + u \int \Phi_\mu^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Psi_\sigma^\dagger \Psi_{\sigma'} + v \int \Phi_\sigma^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'}^\dagger \Phi_{\sigma'} \Phi_\sigma + \dots$$

conserves angular momentum locally

→ Gauge invariance

$$H_{int} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\ell(\ell+1)}} \psi_n^\dagger a_n^\dagger b_n \psi_{n+1} \approx \psi_n^\dagger e^{i\phi_n} \psi_{n+1}$$

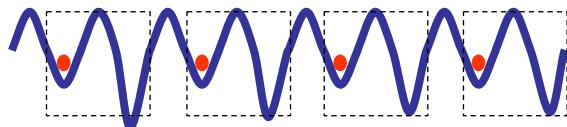


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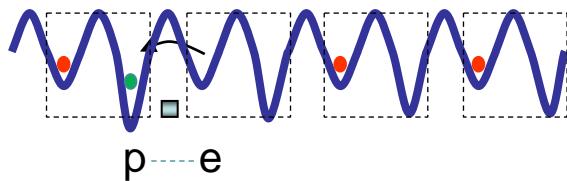
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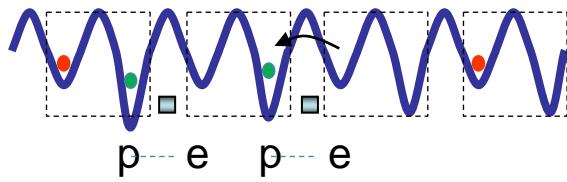
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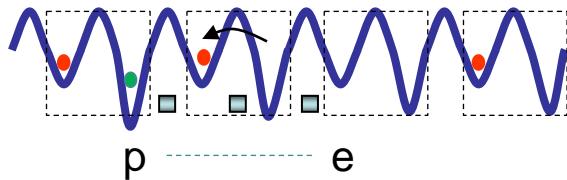
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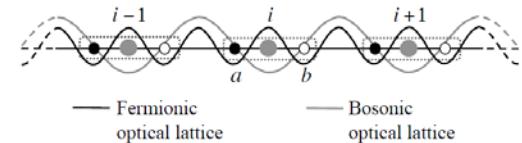
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p - e



Fermionic  
optical lattice

Bosonic  
optical lattice

### TABLE

$|0\rangle_e |0\rangle_p$

$|1\rangle_e |0\rangle_p$

$|1\rangle_e |1\rangle_p$

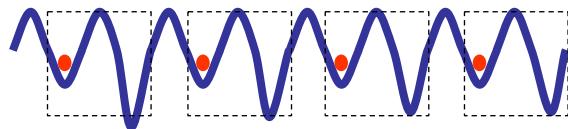
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# QUANTUM SIMULATION SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1

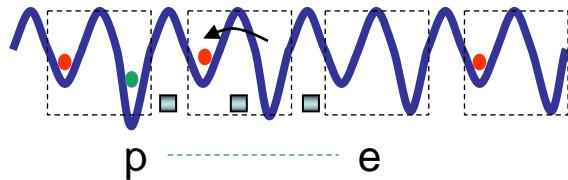


## ■ Preparation:



non-interacting  
vacuum

switch on interactions



interacting  
vacuum

- Confinement
- Excitations: vector + scalar
- Time-dependent phenomena
- First experiments: few bosonic atoms

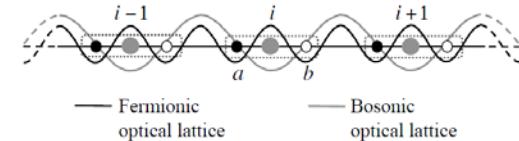


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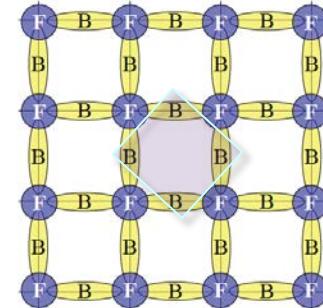


# QUANTUM SIMULATION HIGHER DIMENSIONS, NON-ABELIAN



## ■ Plaquette interactions:

$$H_B = -\frac{2\epsilon^4}{\lambda^3} \sum_{\mathbf{n}} \left( U_{\mathbf{n},1} U_{\mathbf{n}+\hat{1},2} U_{\mathbf{n}+\hat{2},1}^\dagger U_{\mathbf{n},2}^\dagger + h.c. \right) = \\ -\frac{4\epsilon^4}{\lambda^3} \sum_{\mathbf{n}} \cos \left( \phi_{\mathbf{n},1} + \phi_{\mathbf{n}+\hat{1},2} - \phi_{\mathbf{n}+\hat{2},1} - \phi_{\mathbf{n},2} \right)$$

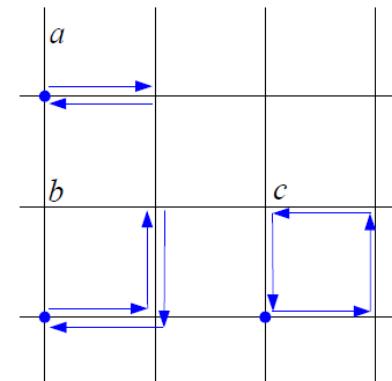


## ■ Non-abelian gauge theories:

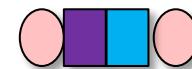
$$H_E = \frac{g^2}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{n}, k, a} (E_{\mathbf{n},k})_a (E_{\mathbf{n},k})_a$$

$$H_B = -\frac{1}{g^2} \sum_{\text{plaquettes}} \left( \text{Tr} \left( U_1 U_2 U_3^\dagger U_4^\dagger \right) + h.c. \right)$$

$$H_{int} = \epsilon \sum_{\mathbf{n}, k} \left( \psi_{\mathbf{n}}^\dagger U_{\mathbf{n},k}^r \psi_{\mathbf{n}+\hat{k}} + h.c. \right)$$



Link



$\{a_1, a_2\}$        $\{b_1, b_2\}$   
L    R  
bosonic modes



# COLD ATOMS

## EXPERIMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS



- Cold bosons in optical lattices
  - Mott insulator – superfluid transition
  - Exchange interaction (2nd order perturbation theory)
  - Dynamics
  - Anderson-Higgs mechanism in 2D
- Cold fermions in optical lattices
  - Mott insulator in 2D
- Cold fermions and bosons in optical lattices
  - Mean-field dynamics
- Techniques
  - Tuning of interactions: Magnetic/optical Feschbach resonances
  - Lattice geometry
  - Time of flight measurements
  - Single-site addressing: initializaton
  - Single-site measurement
- Challanges: temperature, decoherence, control ...



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# QUANTUM SIMULATION

## HIGH ENERGY MODELS

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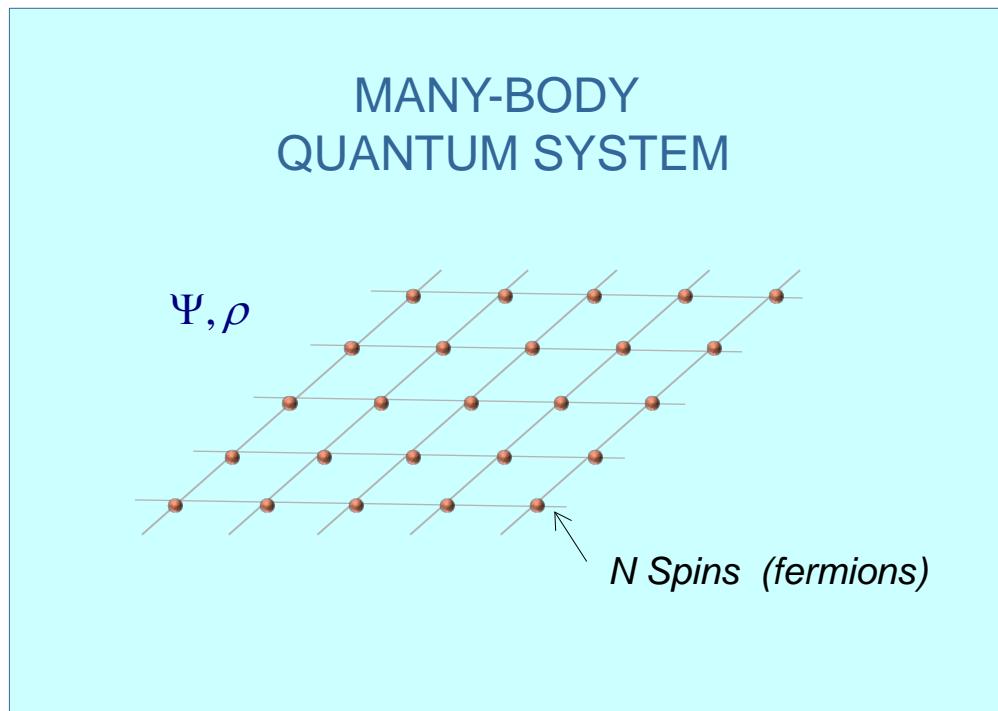


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# NEW METHODS: TENSOR NETWORKS

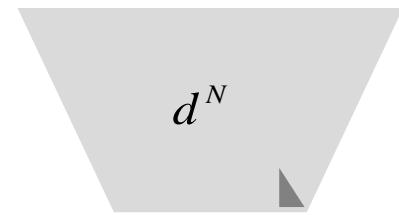


# QUANTUM STATES

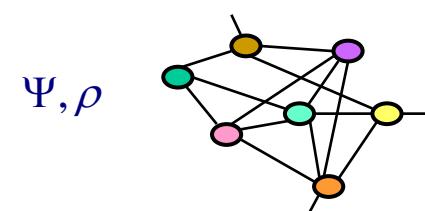


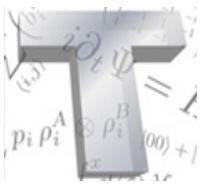
Hilbert space

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum c^{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N} |i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N\rangle$$



Tensor networks

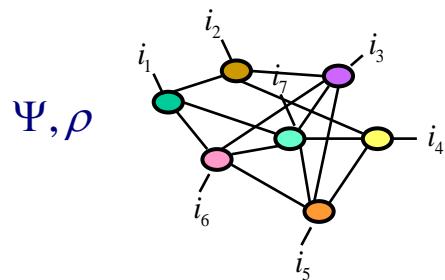




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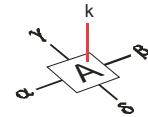


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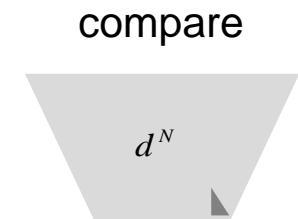


$\Psi, \rho$

N tensors:



# parameters:  $NdD^z$



- Provide a local description
- Represent a wide range of physical behavior
- Classification of (gapped) phases (in 1D)
- Bulk-boundary correspondence
- Algorithms



# TENSORS NETWORKS APPLICATIONS



## 1+1 dimensions:

- Schwinger models
- Non-abelian models
- $T=0$ , finite temperature
- Dynamics

Collaboration: M. Banuls, S. Kühn (MPQ)  
K. Jansen, H. Saito (Desy)  
K. Cichy (Frankfurt)

## 2+1 dimensions:

- (non-relativistic) abelian
- (non-relativistic) non-abelian models
- $T=0$

Collaboration: E. Zohar, M. Burrello (MPQ)  
T. Wahl (Cambridge)  
J. Haegeman, F. Verstraete (Ghent)

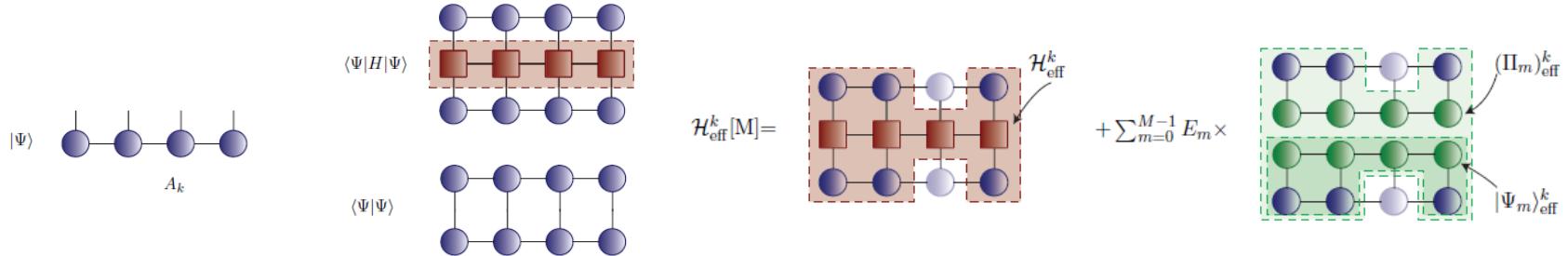


# NUMERICAL METHODS

## SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



### Method: Tensor networks



### Results

$m/g$	Scalar binding energy		
	MPS with OBC	SCE result [35]	exact
0	1.1283(10)	1.11(3)	1.12838
0.125	1.221(2)	1.22(2)	-
0.25	1.239(6)	1.24(3)	-
0.5	1.213(5)	1.20(3)	-



# NUMERICAL METHODS

## SCHWINGER MODEL 1+1



### ■ Truncation + adiabatic evolution

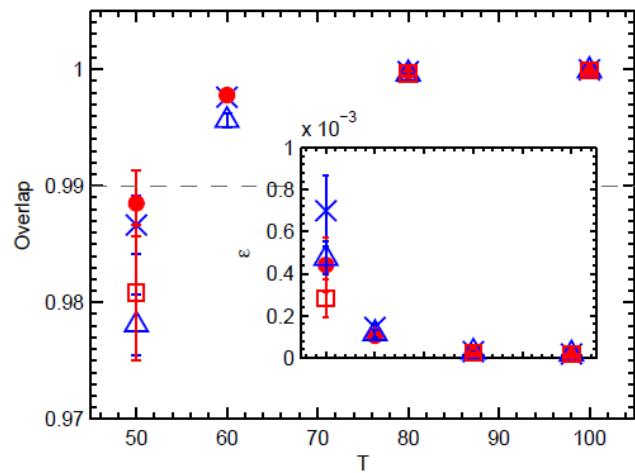


FIG. 3. Truncated cQED model with  $D = 50$ . Final overlap with the exact ground state at the end of the adiabatic preparation as a function of the total evolution time. The (blue)  $\times$ 's represent the data for  $N = 50$ ,  $d = 3$ ; (blue) triangles for  $N = 100$ ,  $d = 3$ ; (red) circles, for  $N = 50$ ,  $d = 9$ ; and (red) squares for  $N = 100$ ,  $d = 9$ . Error bars were obtained from the difference in results with bond dimension  $D = 50$  vs  $D = 30$ . Inset: Relative error of the energy with respect to the exact ground state.

### ■ Broken gauge invariance:

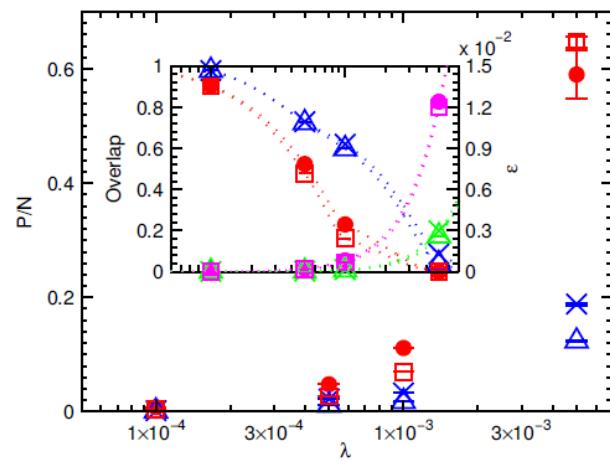
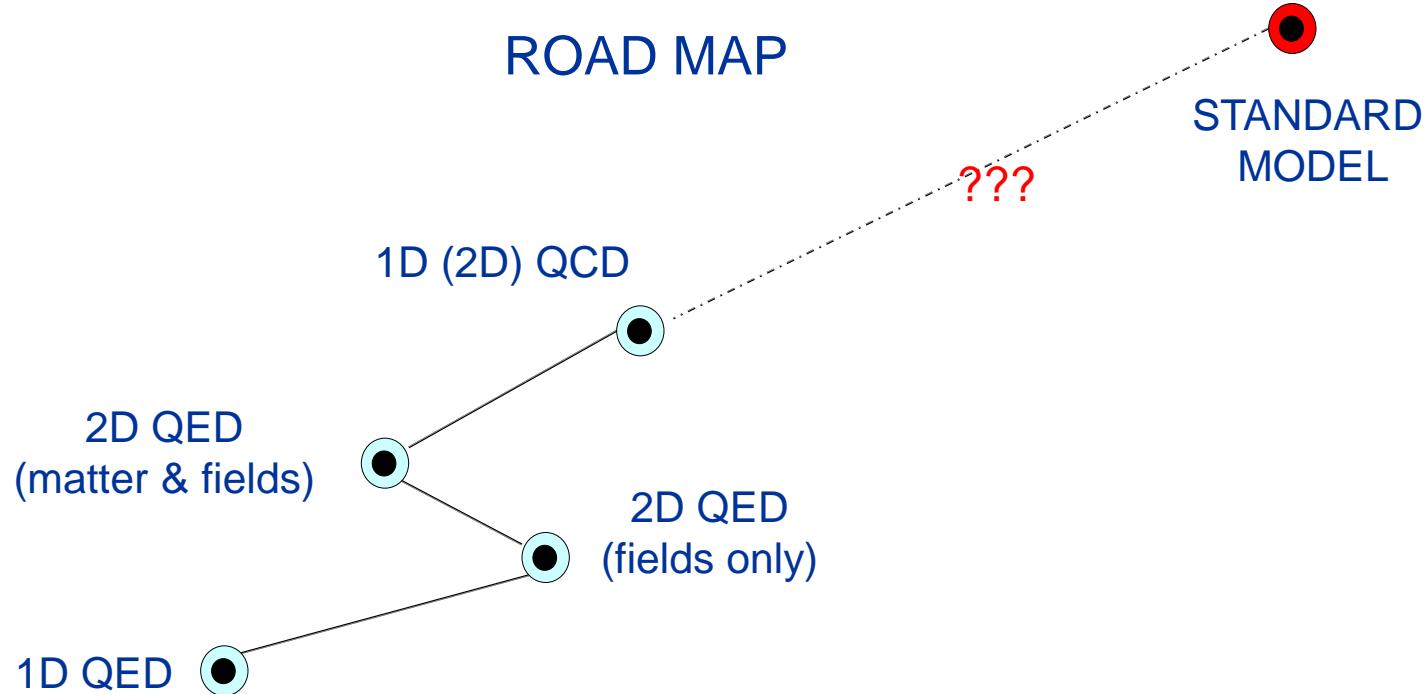


FIG. 5. Truncated cQED model. Penalty energy per site at the end of the noisy adiabatic preparation as a function of the noise strength. The [blue (green)]  $\times$ 's represent the values for  $N = 50$ ,  $d = 3$ ; the [blue (green)] triangles, the  $N = 100$ ,  $d = 3$  case; the [red (magenta)] circles, the  $N = 50$ ,  $d = 5$  case; and the [red (magenta)] squares, the  $N = 100$ ,  $d = 5$  case. Error bars were computed the same way as in the noiseless case. Inset: Overlap (blue and red symbols) and relative error in energy (green and magenta symbols) with respect to the noise-free exact ground state. As a guide for the eye, data points are connected.



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