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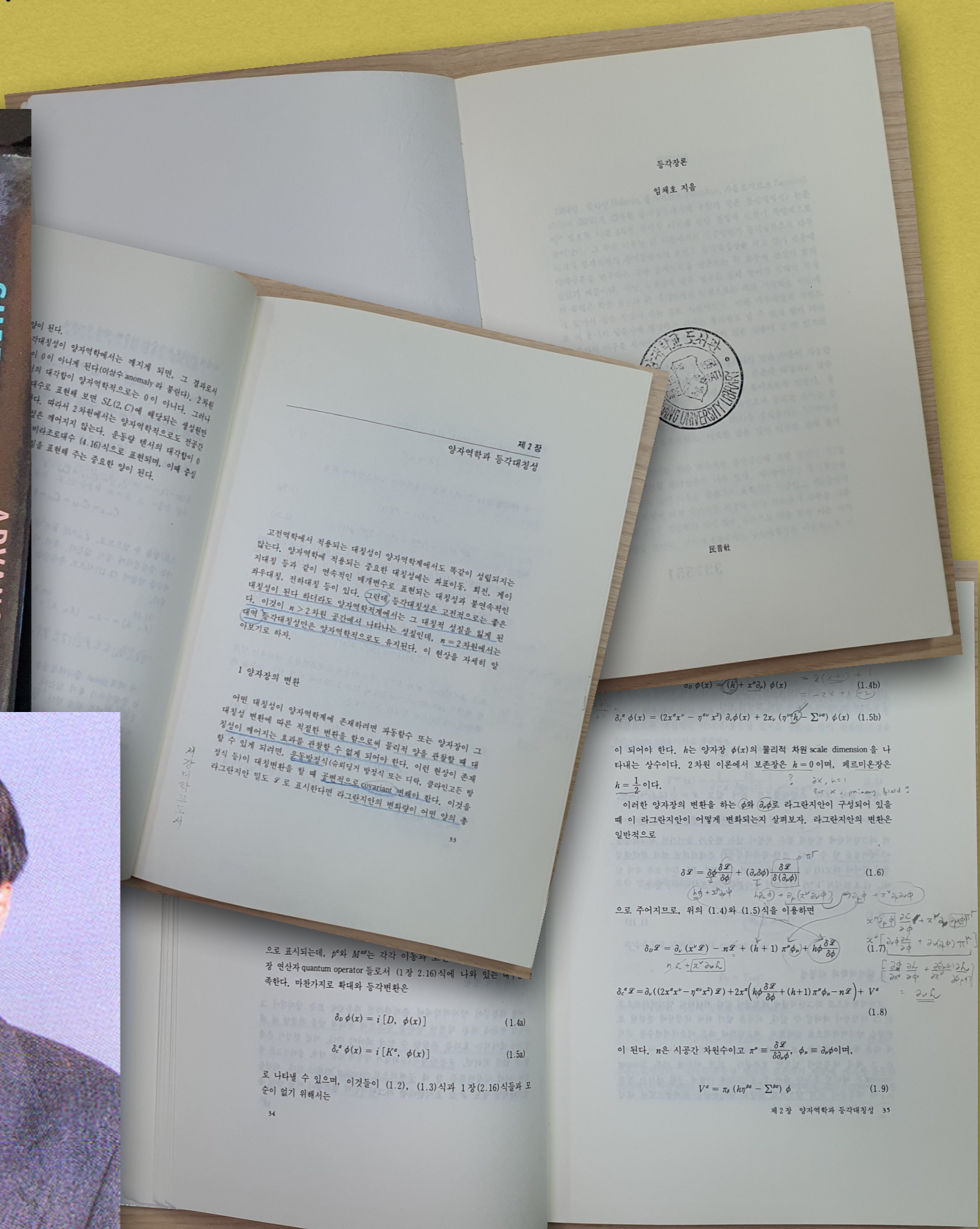
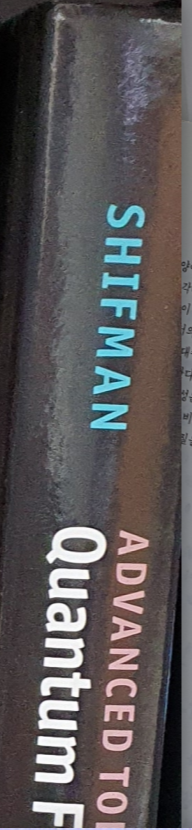
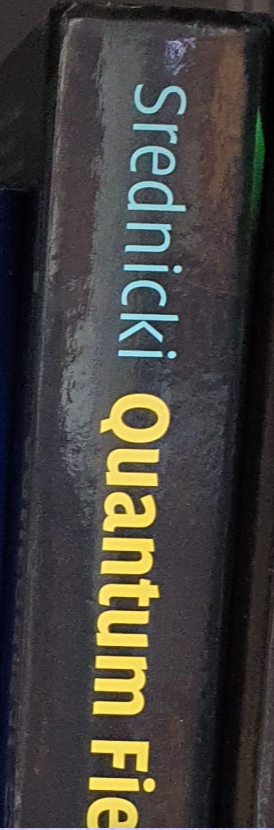
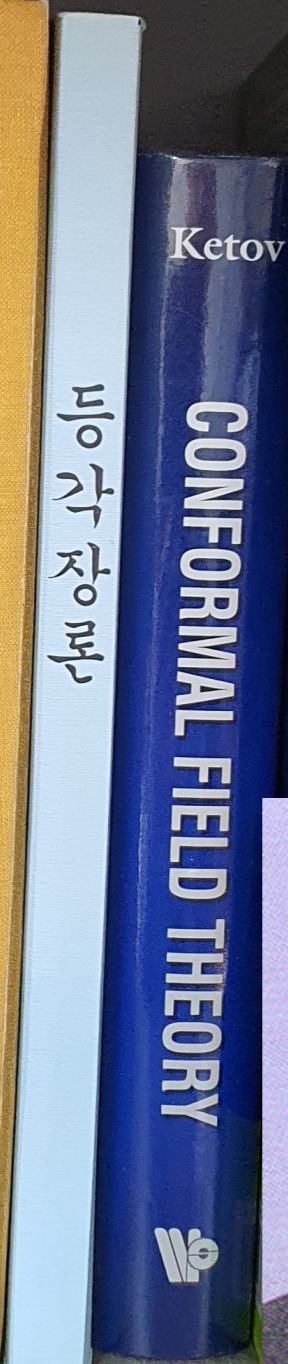
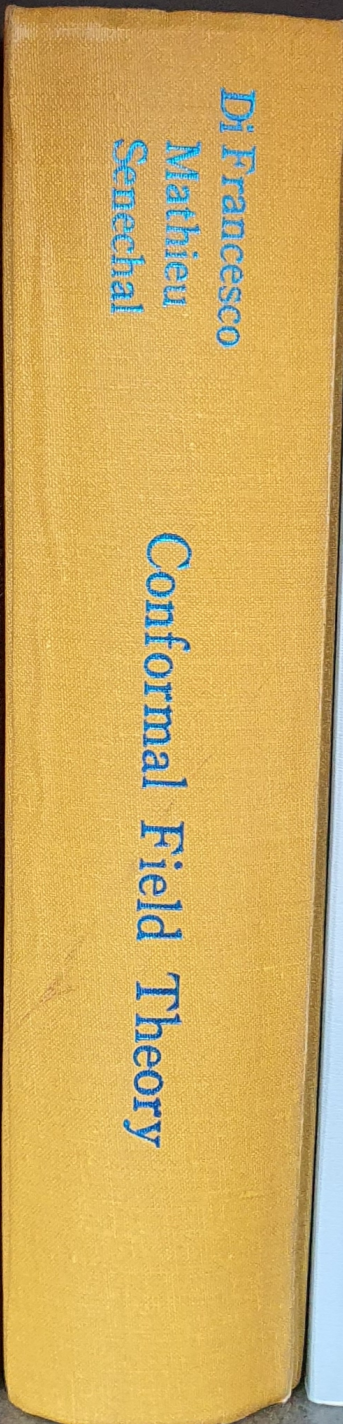
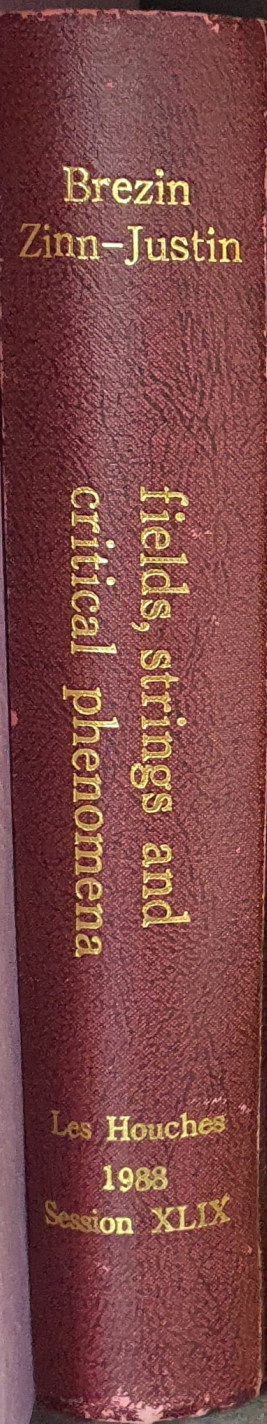
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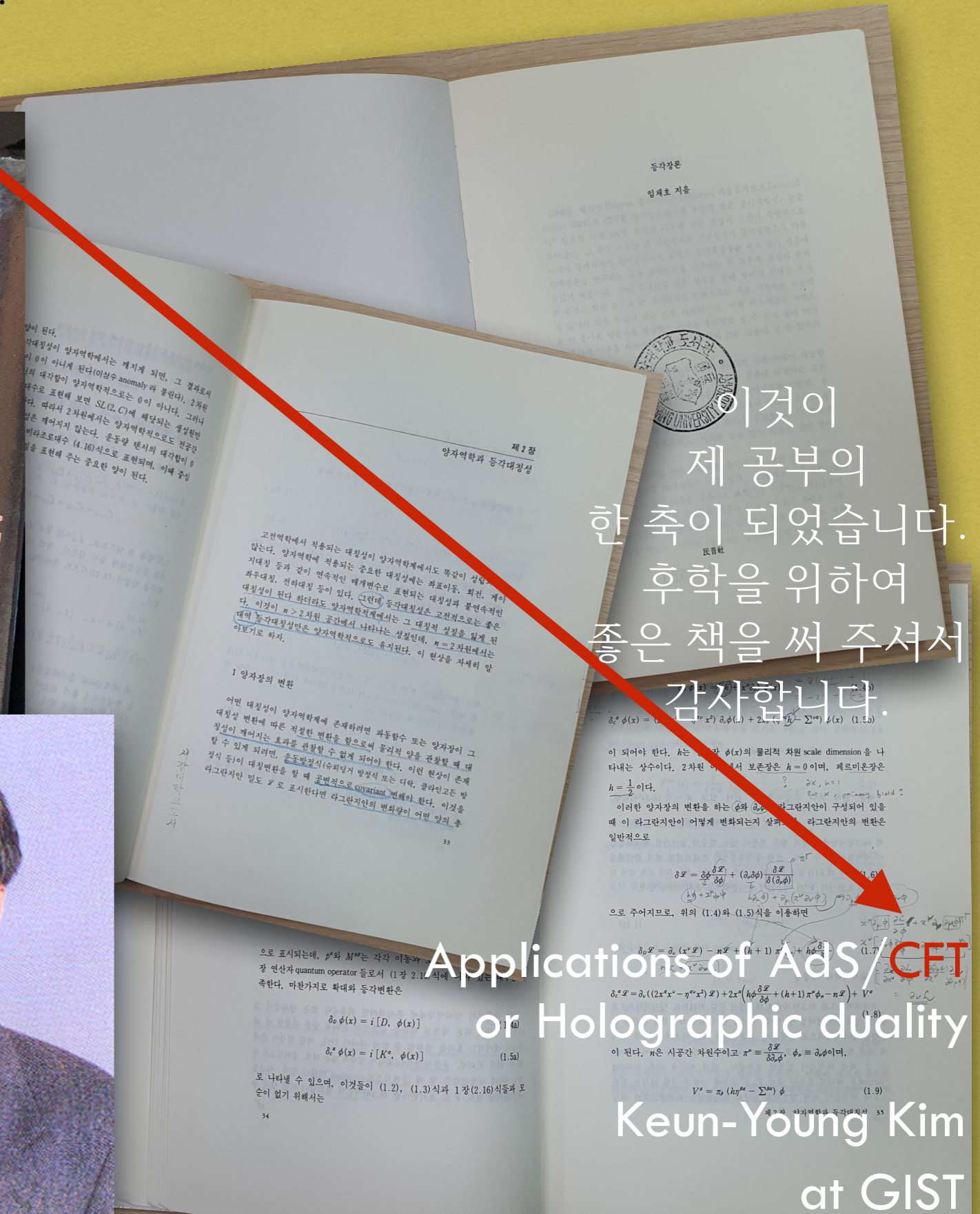
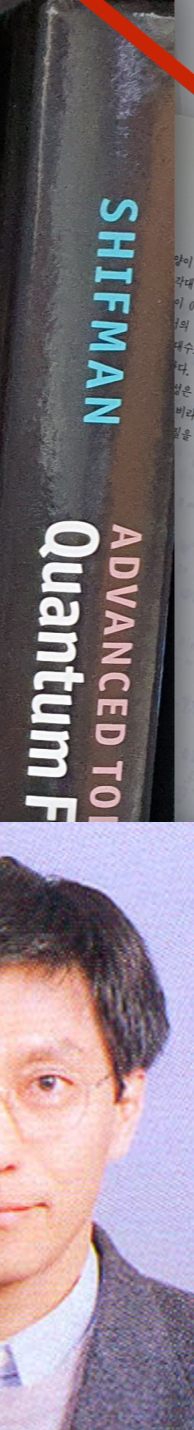
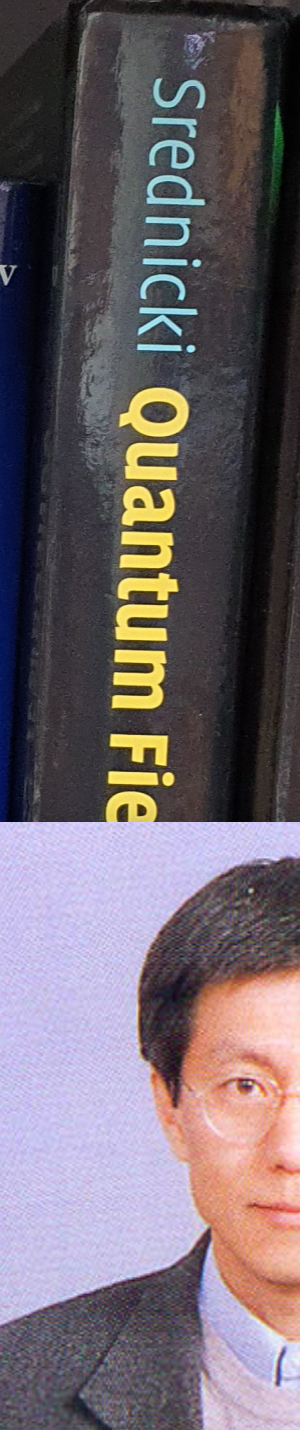
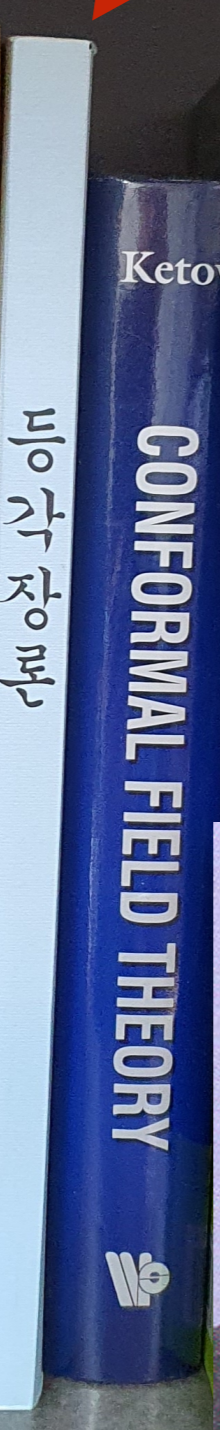
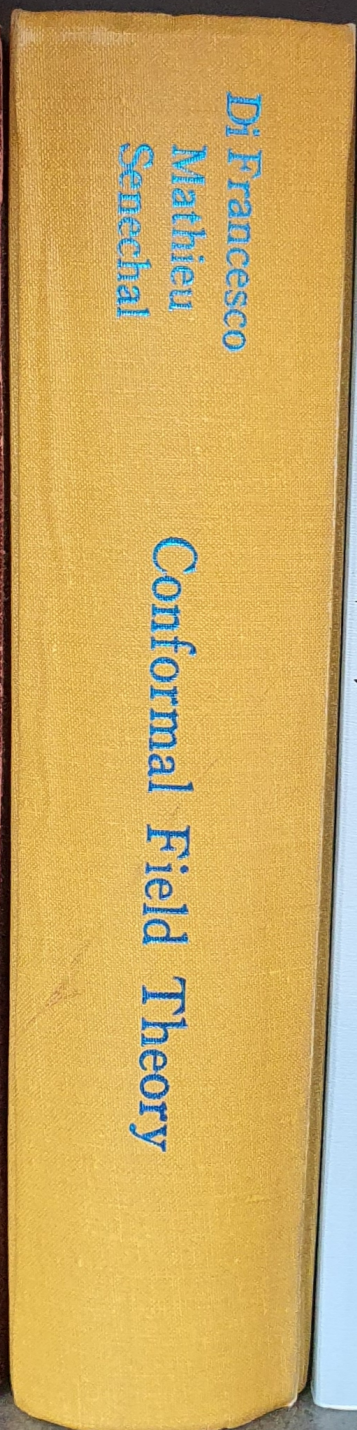
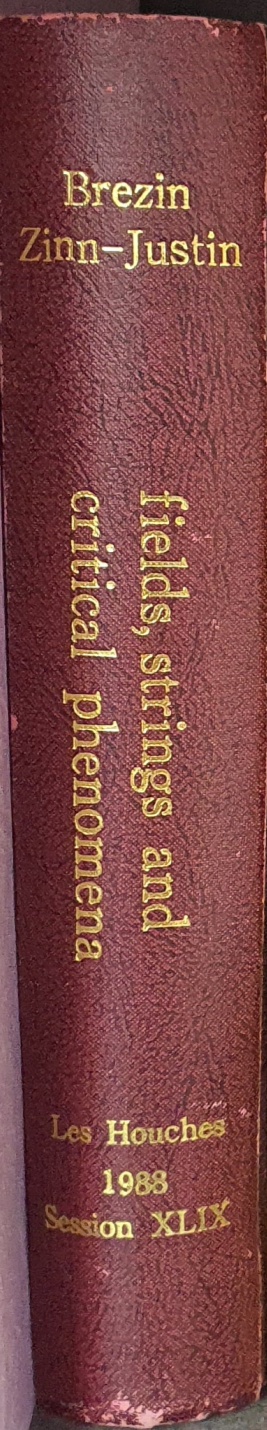
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The beginning

N D3 Branes



Type IIB string theory on $AdS_5 \times S^5$	\longleftrightarrow	$\mathcal{N} = 4 U(N)$ Super Yang–Mills theory
$g_s, R/l_s$	\longleftrightarrow	g_{YM}, N
	$g_{YM}^2 = 4\pi g_s$ $(R/l_s)^4 = 4\pi g_s N$	
Classical strings $g_s \rightarrow 0, R/l_s$ fixed.	\longleftrightarrow	't Hooft limit $N \rightarrow \infty, \lambda = g_{YM}^2 N$ fixed.
Classical supergravity $g_s \rightarrow 0, R/l_s \rightarrow \infty.$	\longleftrightarrow	Large 't Hooft coupling limit $N \rightarrow \infty, \lambda \rightarrow \infty.$

$$Z_{\text{String}} = Z_{\text{Field Theory}}$$

$$Z_{\text{Gravity}}^{\text{On-Shell}} = Z_{\text{Field Theory}} \equiv e^{-W_{FT}}$$

$$W_{FT} = S_{\text{gravity}}^{\text{on-shell}} + \mathcal{O}(1/N^2) + \mathcal{O}(1/\sqrt{\lambda})$$

AdS space

Anti de Sitter (AdS)

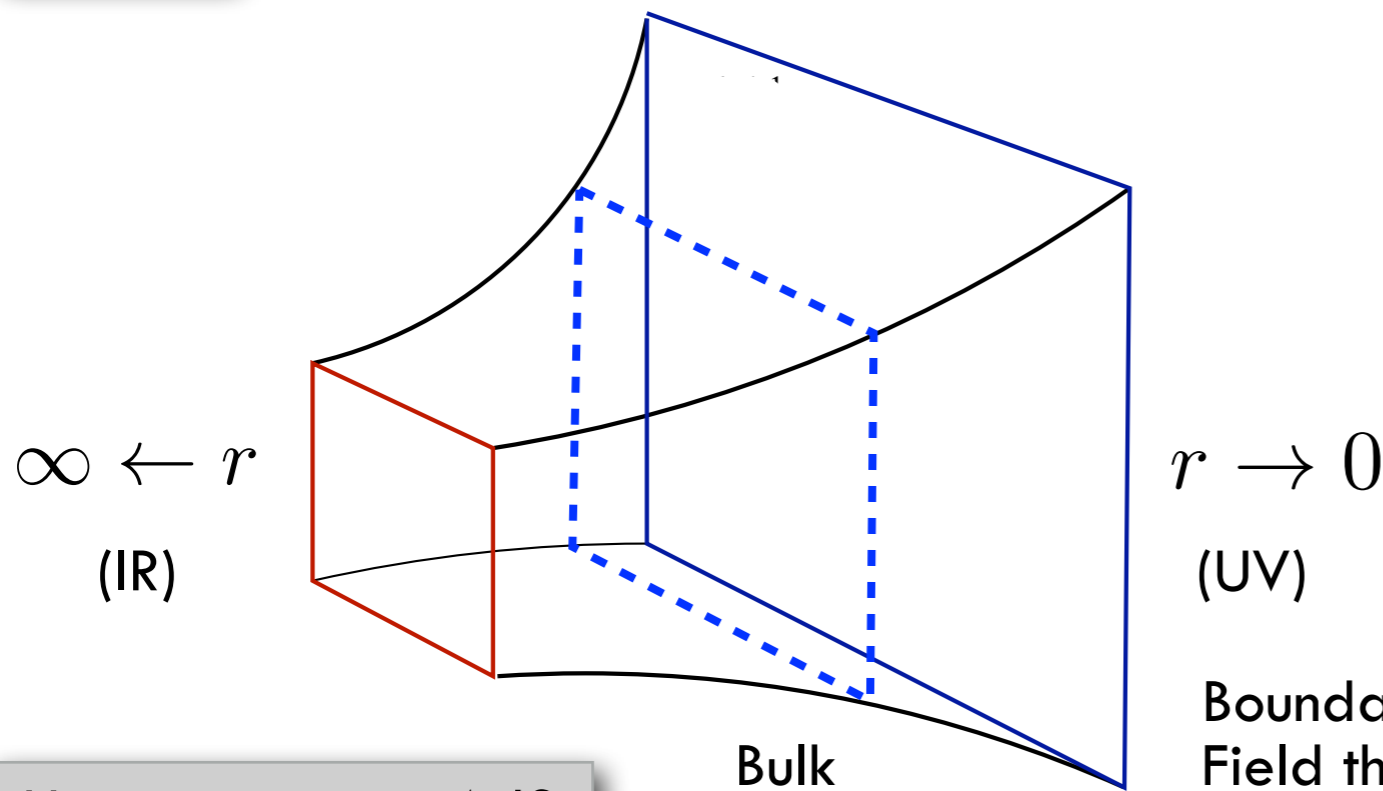
Action

$$S = \frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \int d^{d+1}x \sqrt{-g} \left(R + \frac{d(d-1)}{L^2} \right) \quad (\kappa^2 = 8\pi G_N)$$

Solution

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{r^2} (-dt^2 + dr^2 + dx^i dx^i)$$

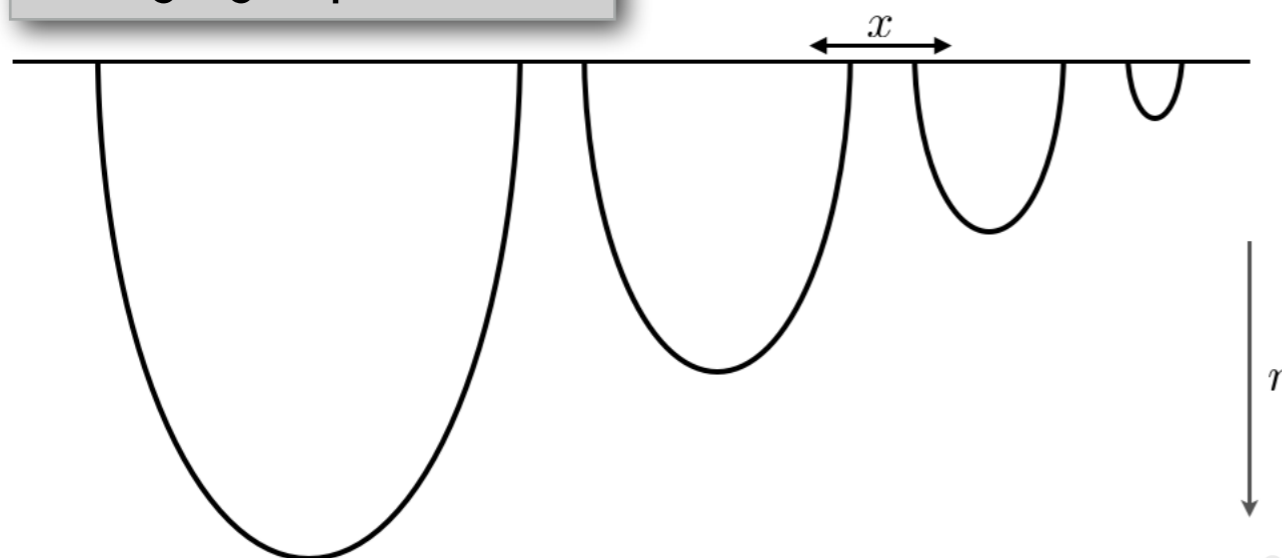
Negative cosmological constant: $R - 2\Lambda$



1. r (holographic direction): Energy scale
2. AdS is a Box
3. Conformal Invariance

$$x^\mu \rightarrow \lambda x^\mu, \quad r \rightarrow \lambda r$$

Hanging rope in AdS



Trap for gravity

A slowly moving massive particle feels a gravitational potential

$$\sim \sqrt{-g_{00}} = \frac{1}{r}$$

Thermal AdS (AAAdS)

Action

$$S = \frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \int d^{d+1}x \sqrt{-g} \left(R + \frac{d(d-1)}{L^2} \right)$$

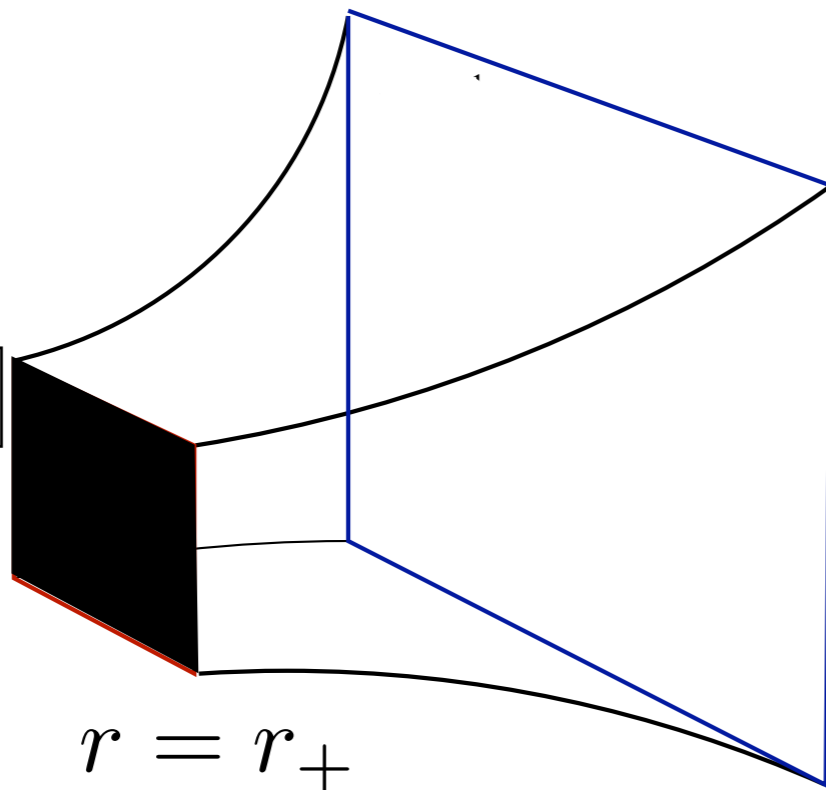
Solution

$$ds^2 = \frac{L^2}{r^2} \left(-f(r) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{f(r)} + dx^i dx^i \right)$$

$$f(r) = 1 - \left(\frac{r}{r_+} \right)^d$$

$$T = \frac{f'(r_+)}{4\pi} = \frac{d}{4\pi r_+}$$

Black brane



Thermodynamics

$$F = -T \log Z = T S_E[g_\star] = -\frac{(4\pi)^d L^{d-1}}{2\kappa^2 d^d} V_{d-1} T^d$$

$$S = -\frac{\partial F}{\partial T} = \frac{(4\pi)^d L^{d-1}}{2\kappa^2 d^{d-1}} V_{d-1} T^{d-1} = \text{area}/4G$$

Bekenstein-Hawking

Charged AdS (AAdS)

Action

$$S = \int d^{d+1}x \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \left(R + \frac{d(d-1)}{L^2} \right) - \frac{1}{4g^2} F^2 \right]$$

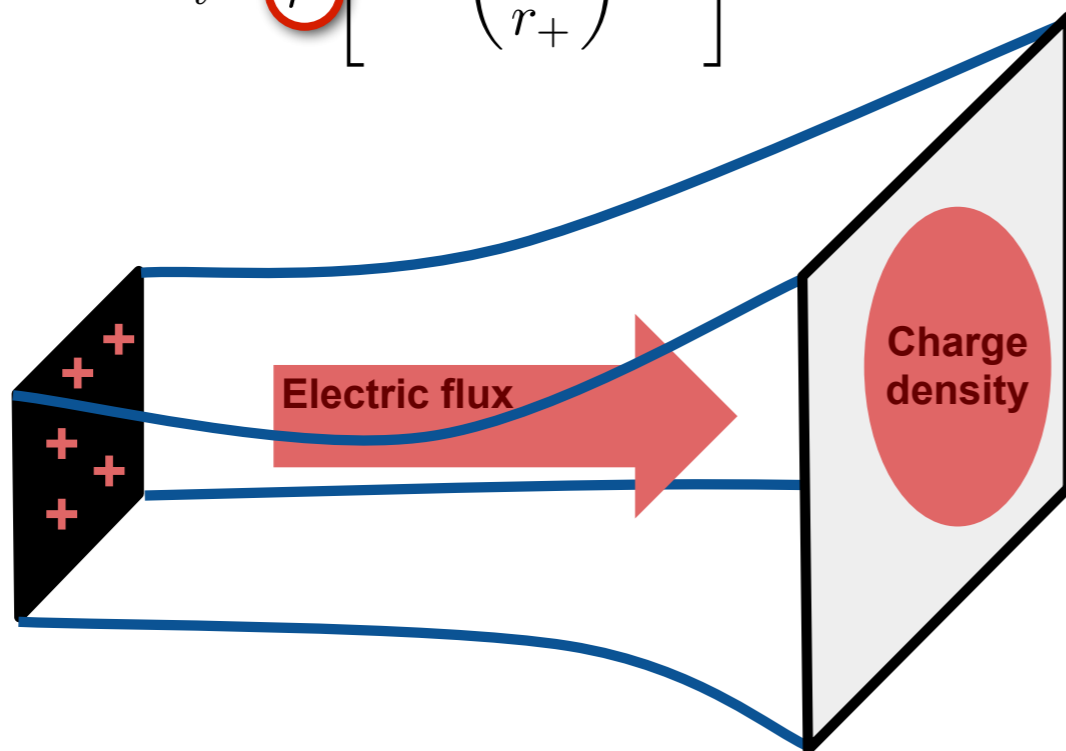
Solution

$$ds^2 = \frac{L^2}{r^2} \left(-f(r) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{f(r)} + dx^i dx^i \right)$$

$$f(r) = 1 - \left(1 + \frac{r_+^2 \mu^2}{\gamma^2} \right) \left(\frac{r}{r_+} \right)^d + \frac{r_+^2 \mu^2}{\gamma^2} \left(\frac{r}{r_+} \right)^{2(d-1)}$$

$$\gamma^2 = \frac{(d-1)g^2 L^2}{(d-2)\kappa^2}$$

$$A_t = \mu \left[1 - \left(\frac{r}{r_+} \right)^{d-2} \right]$$



$$T = \frac{1}{4\pi r_+} \left(d - \frac{(d-2)r_+^2 \mu^2}{\gamma^2} \right)$$

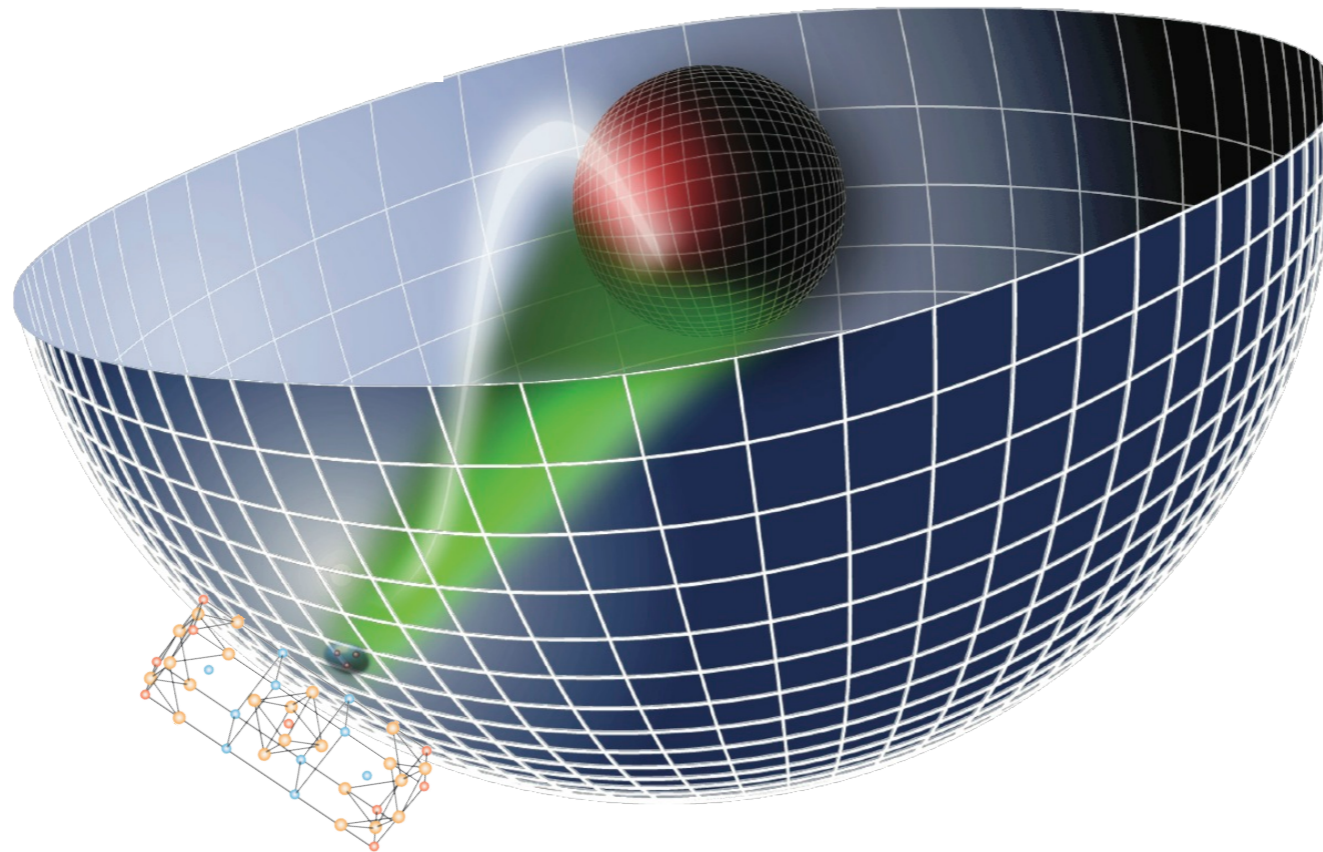
$$\Omega = -\frac{L^{d-1}}{2\kappa^2 r_+^d} \left(1 + \frac{r_+^2 \mu^2}{\gamma^2} \right) V_{d-1} = \mathcal{F} \left(\frac{T}{\mu} \right) V_{d-1} T^d$$

Field \sim Operator

Holographic “duality”

gravity system: 5D

Classical fields



$$g_{\mu\nu} \sim T^{\mu\nu}$$
$$A_{\mu} \sim J^{\mu}$$

field theory: 4D

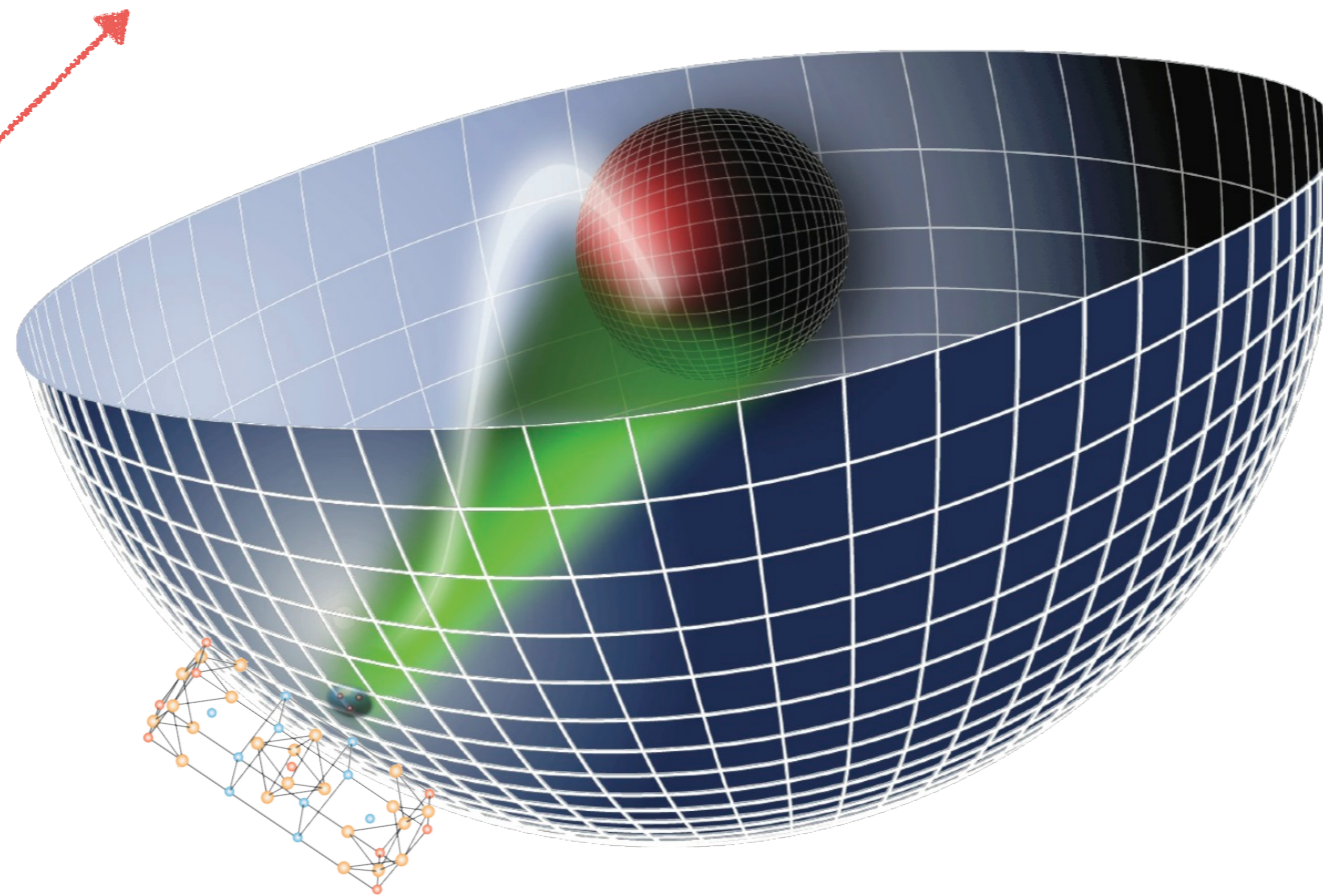
Quantum operators

Holographic “duality”

“Classical” gravity system: 5D

Classical fields

Narrow sense

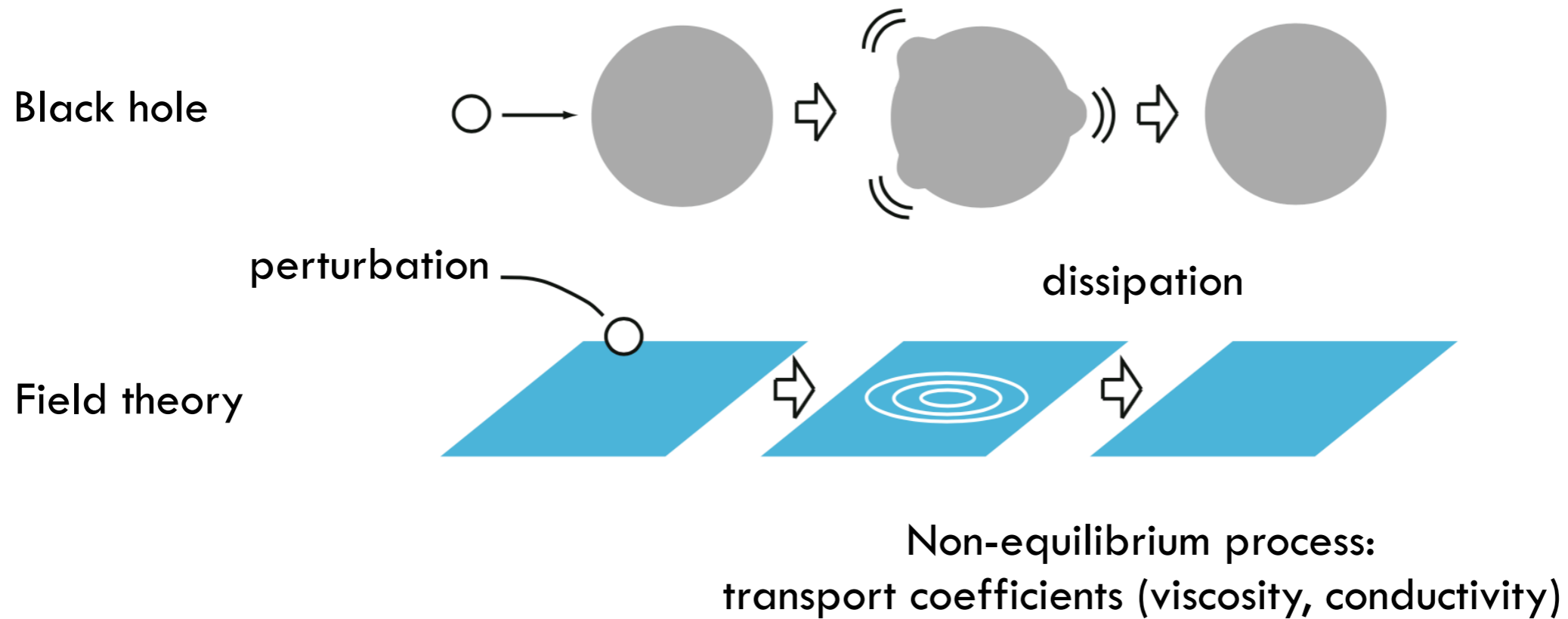


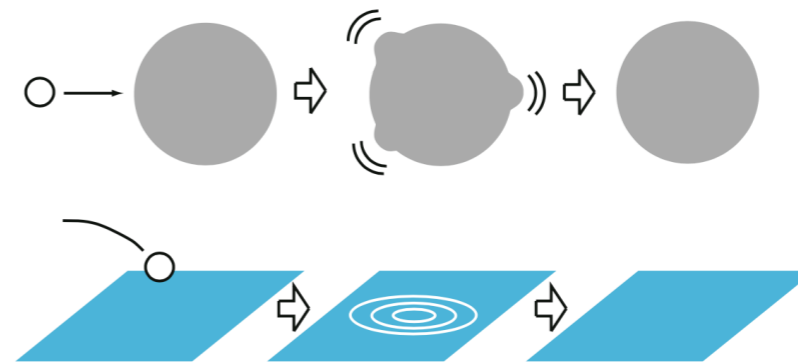
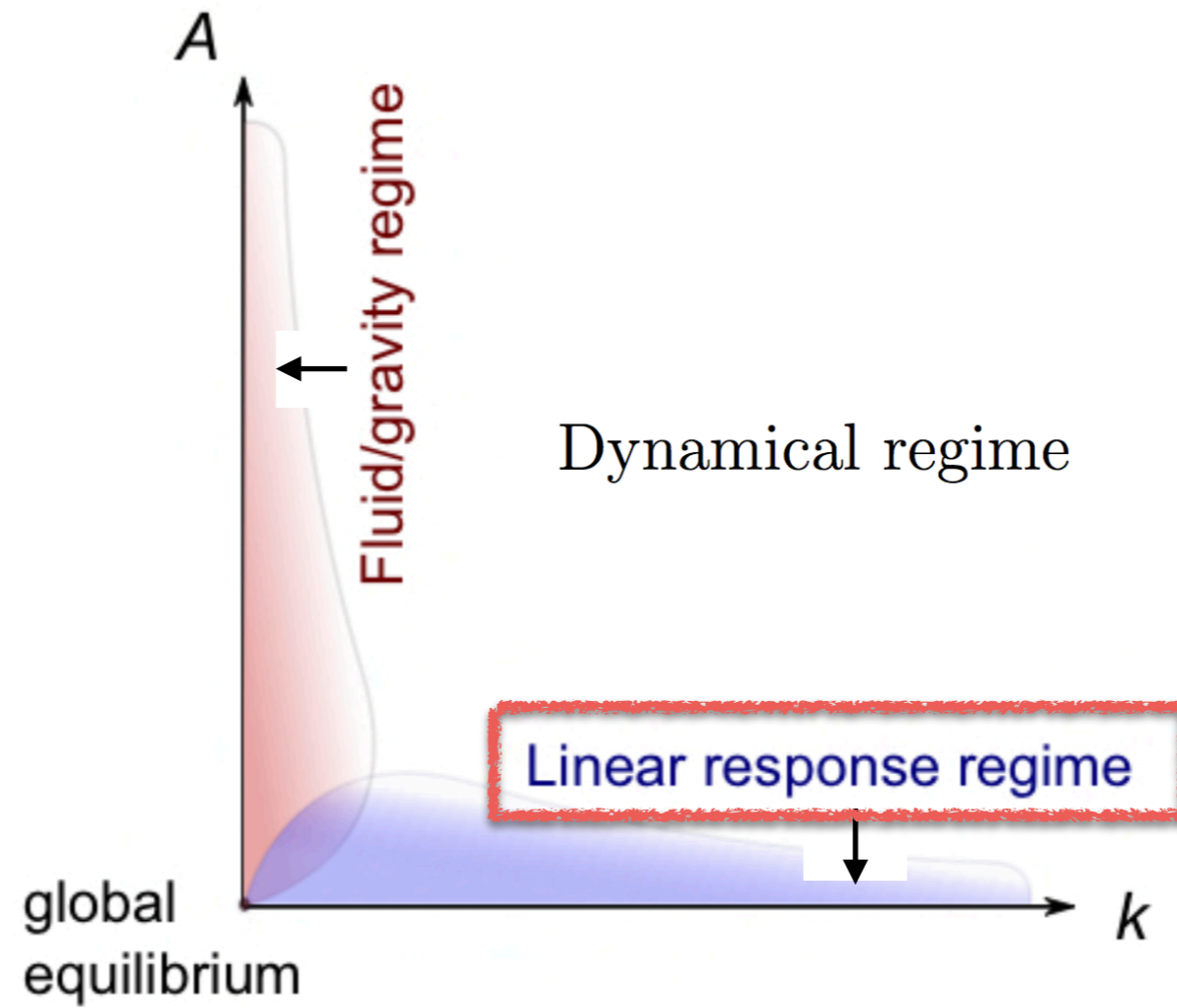
$$g_{\mu\nu} \sim T^{\mu\nu}$$
$$A_{\mu} \sim J^{\mu}$$

“Strongly” coupled field theory: 4D

Quantum operators

Non-equilibrium physics





(Classical Mechanics: Hamilton-Jacobi theory)

On-shell action as a function of the coordinates

$$\delta S = \left[\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} \delta q \right]_{t_1}^{t_2} + \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial q} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{q}} \right) \delta q dt$$

$$\frac{\delta S}{\delta q} = p \quad (\delta q(t_1) = 0)$$

One-point function

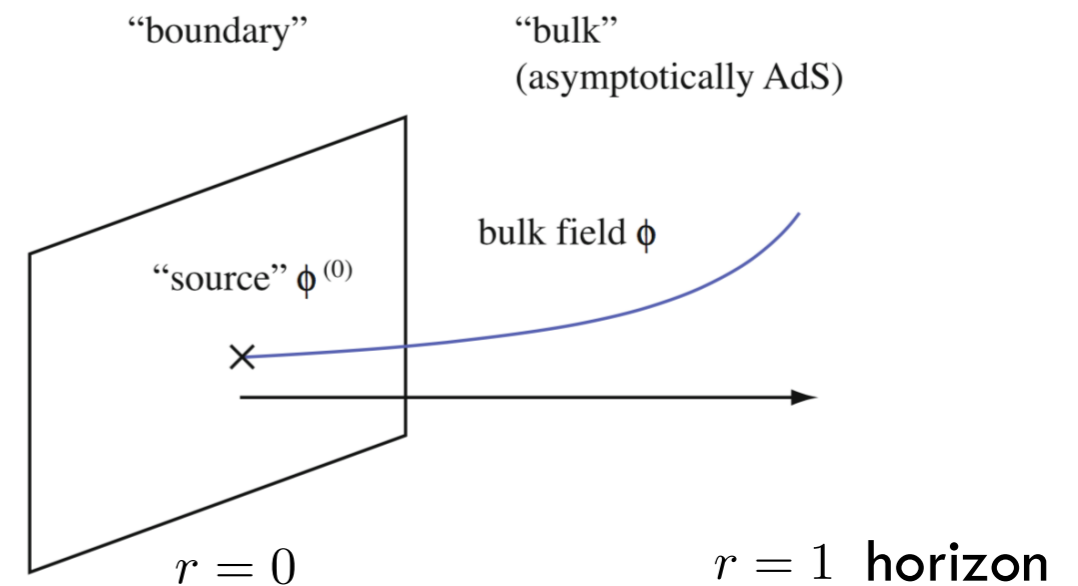
$$\langle O \rangle_s = \frac{\delta \underline{S}[\phi^{(0)}]}{\delta \phi^{(0)}}$$

GKP-Witten Relation

$$Z_{\text{gauge}} = Z_{\text{AdS}}$$

$$\left\langle \exp \left(i \int \phi^{(0)} O \right) \right\rangle = e^{i \underline{S}[\phi|_{u=0}=\phi^{(0)}]}.$$

Corollary



$$\delta A_x(r, \omega) = \frac{E}{i\omega} + J_x(\omega)r + \dots$$

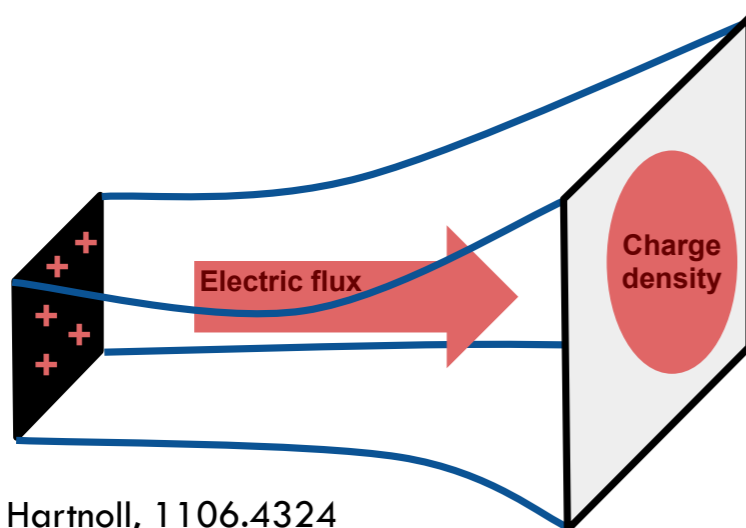
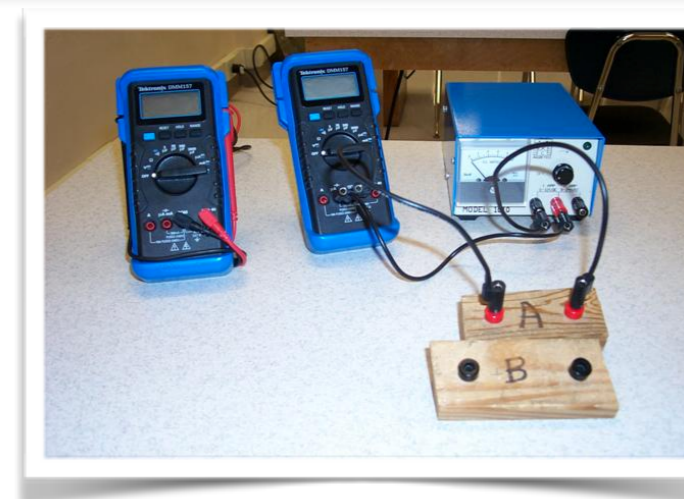
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 Source Expectation value

Holographic conductivity

- Einstein-Maxwell system

$$S_{\text{EM}} = \int_M d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[R - 2\Lambda - \frac{1}{4} F^2 \right]$$

- Reissner-Nordstrom-AdS black hole
 \sim Boundary field theory at finite temperature and density



Hartnoll, 1106.4324

$$+ \quad (f\delta A'_x)' + \frac{\omega^2}{f}\delta A_x - \frac{4\mu^2 r^2}{\gamma^2 r_+^2}\delta A_x = 0$$

$$E_j = -\partial_t A_j$$

$$A_j \sim e^{-i\omega t}$$

- Electric conductivity

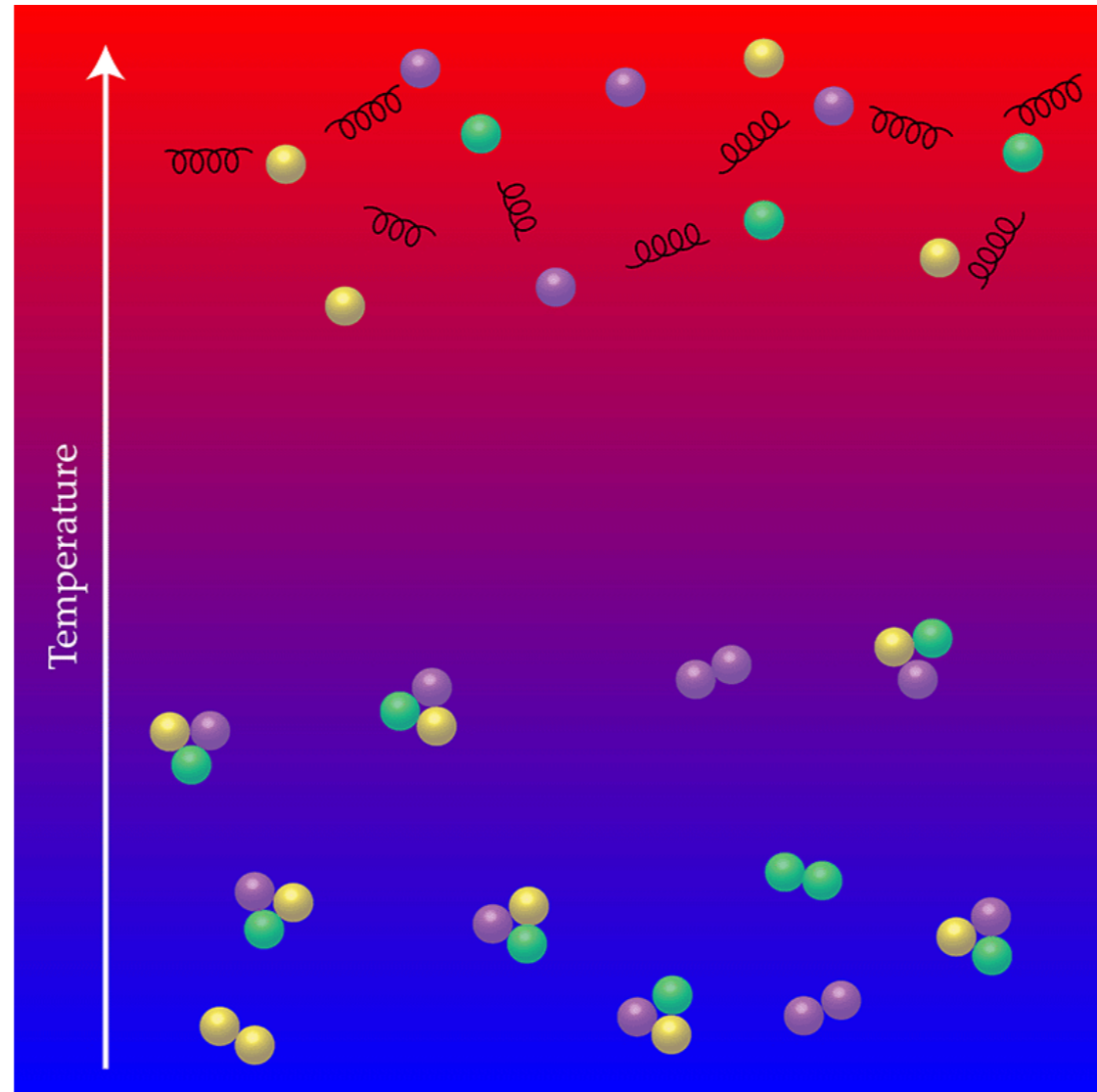
Tail of the field $\sim \delta A_x(r, \omega) = \frac{E}{i\omega} + J_x(\omega)r + \dots \quad J_x = \sigma E_x$

- on-shell action $\sim \delta A_x(\delta A'_x) \sim (E/i\omega)J_x \sim (E/i\omega)\frac{J_x}{(E/i\omega)}(E/i\omega) \sim \delta A_x^{(0)}G_{11}\delta A_x^{(0)}$

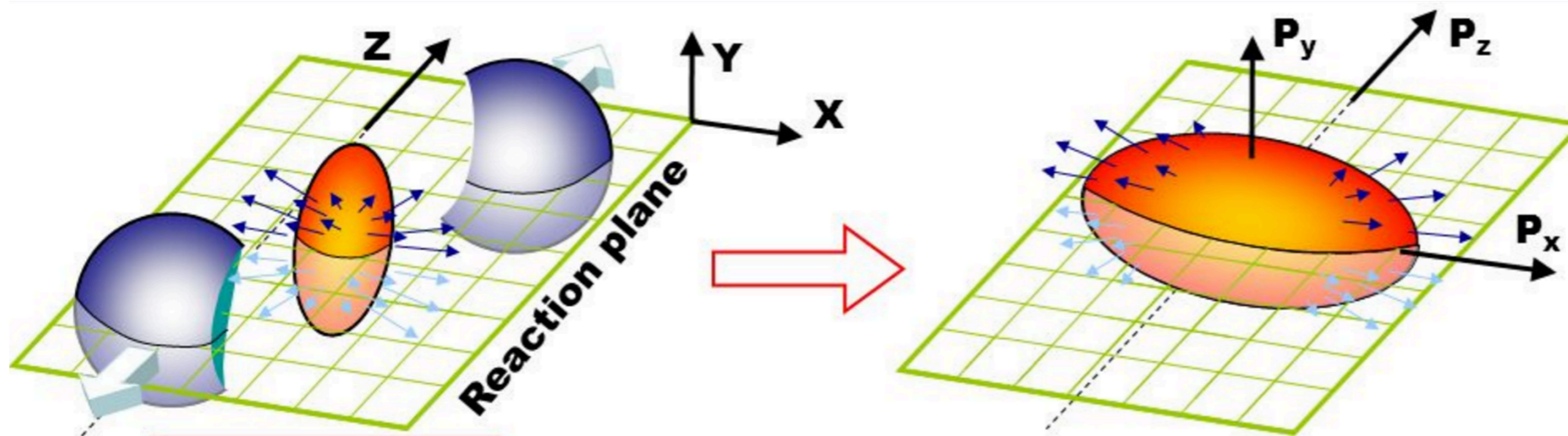
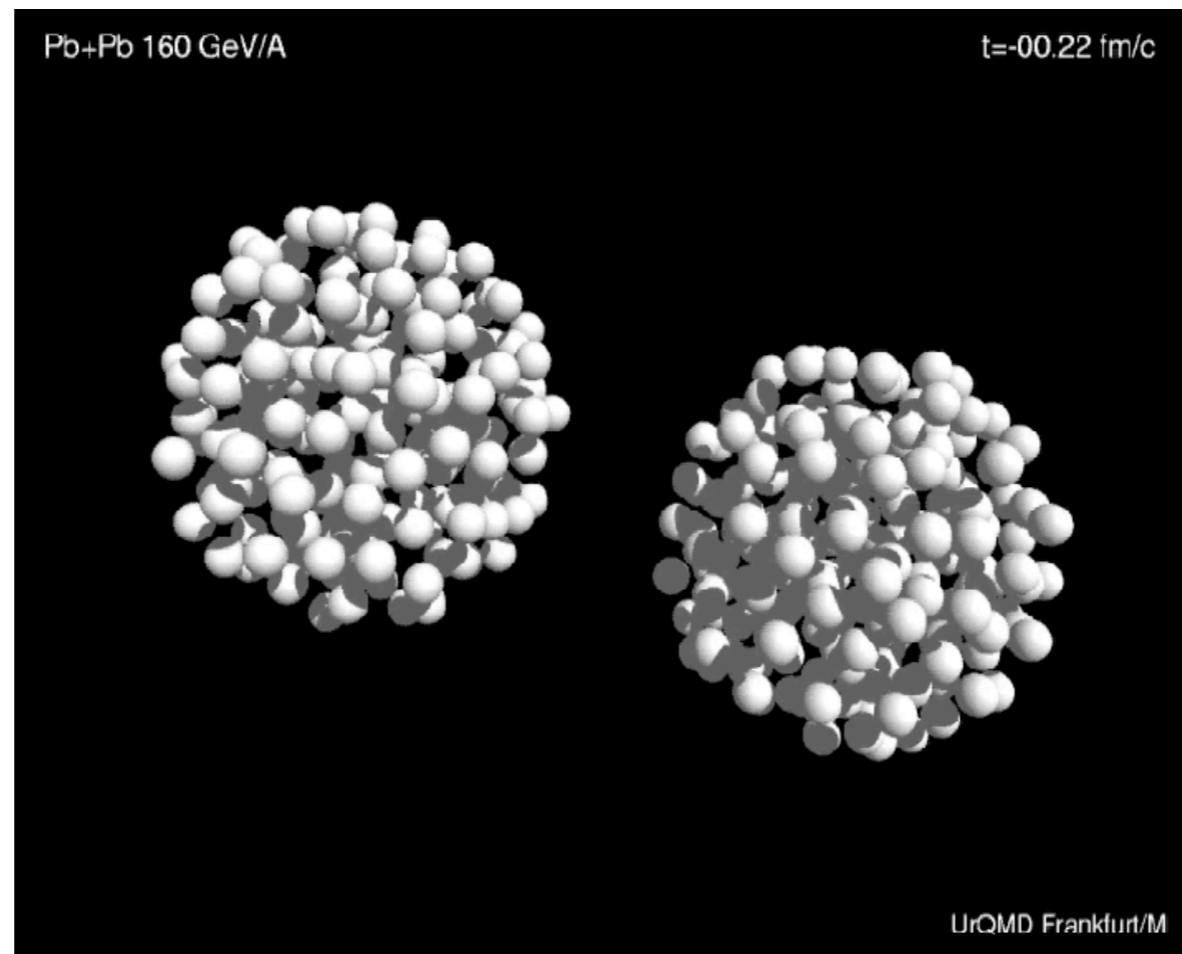
$$\frac{G_{11}}{i\omega} \sim \frac{J_x}{E} = \sigma$$

Strong coupling problems
- QCD/nuclear physics

Quark gluon plasma

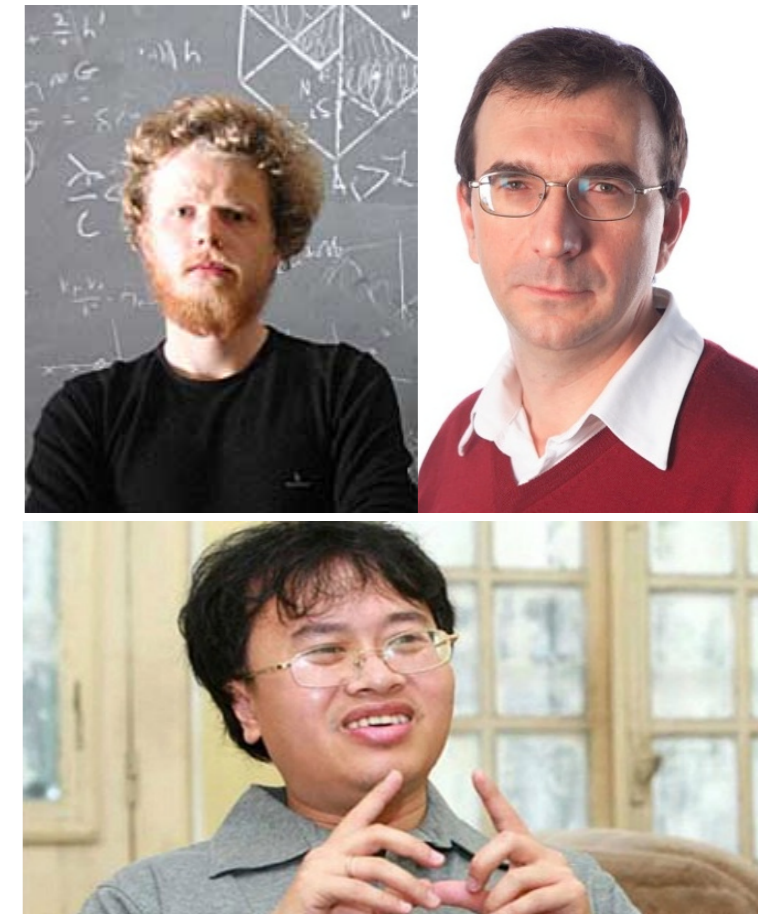
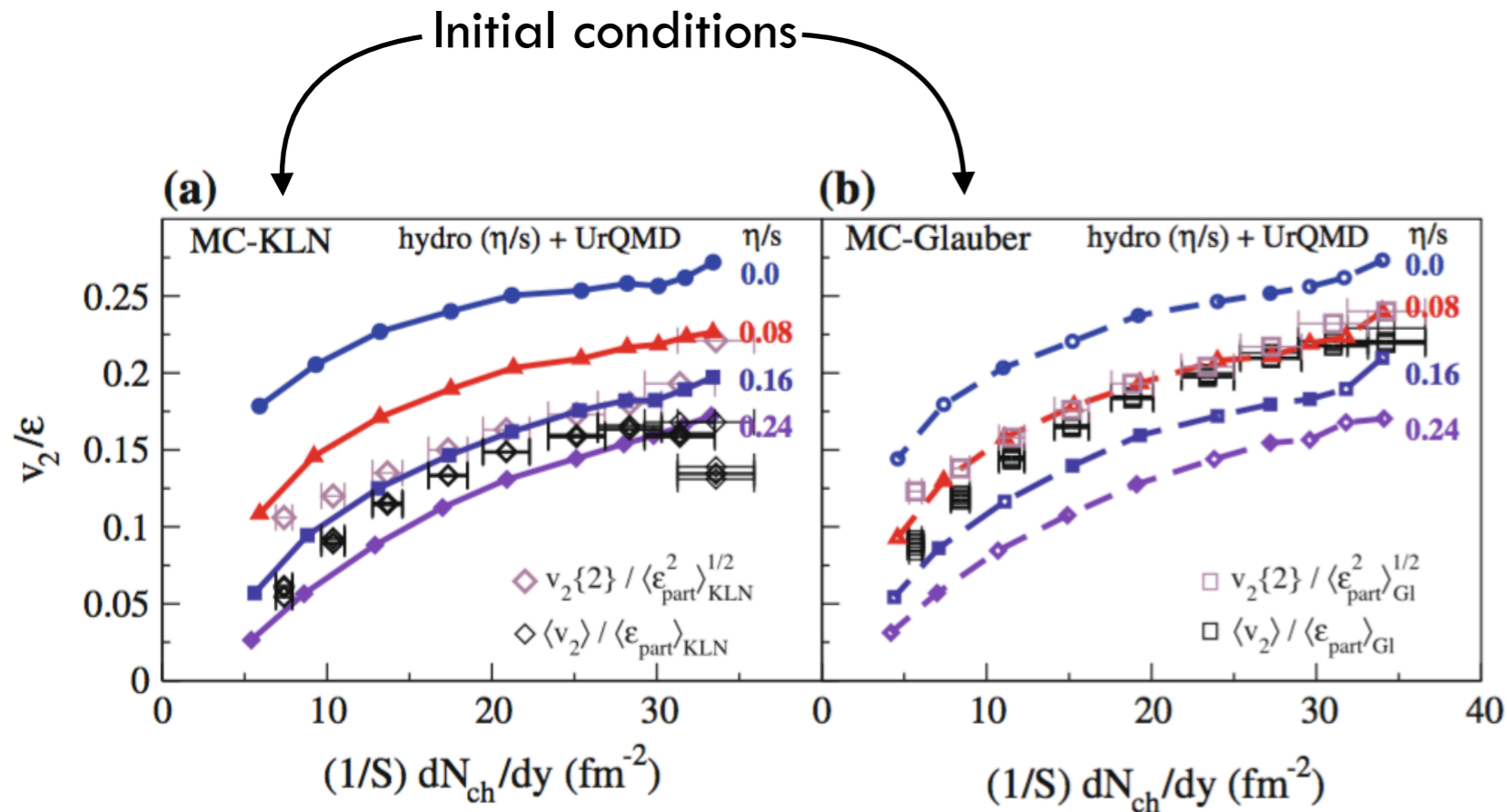


Elliptic flow: shear viscosity



large elliptic flow
small viscosity/entropy
strong coupling

Experiment vs hydrodynamics simulation



Comparison between RHIC results and hydrodynamic simulations

Holographic
(gravity) result

$$\eta = \frac{1}{16\pi G_5} \left(\frac{r_0}{L}\right)^3 = \frac{\pi}{8} N_c^2 T^3, \quad \frac{\eta}{s} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \sim 0.08 \quad (\text{KSS bound})$$

$$s = \frac{1}{4G_5} \left(\frac{r_0}{L}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{2} \pi^2 N_c^2 T^3$$

A friend of mine in nuclear physics joked....
The first useful paper to come out of string theory

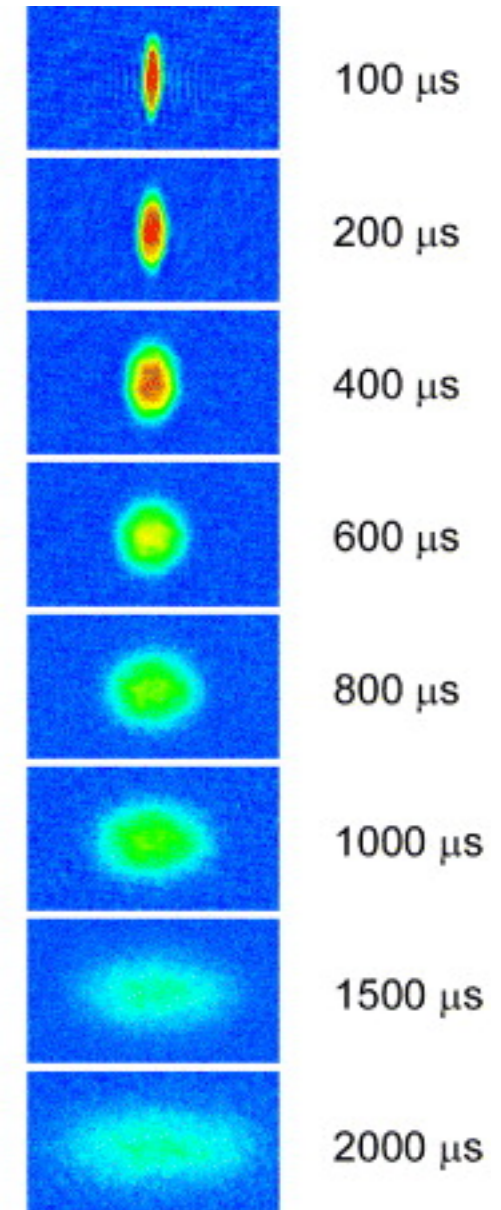
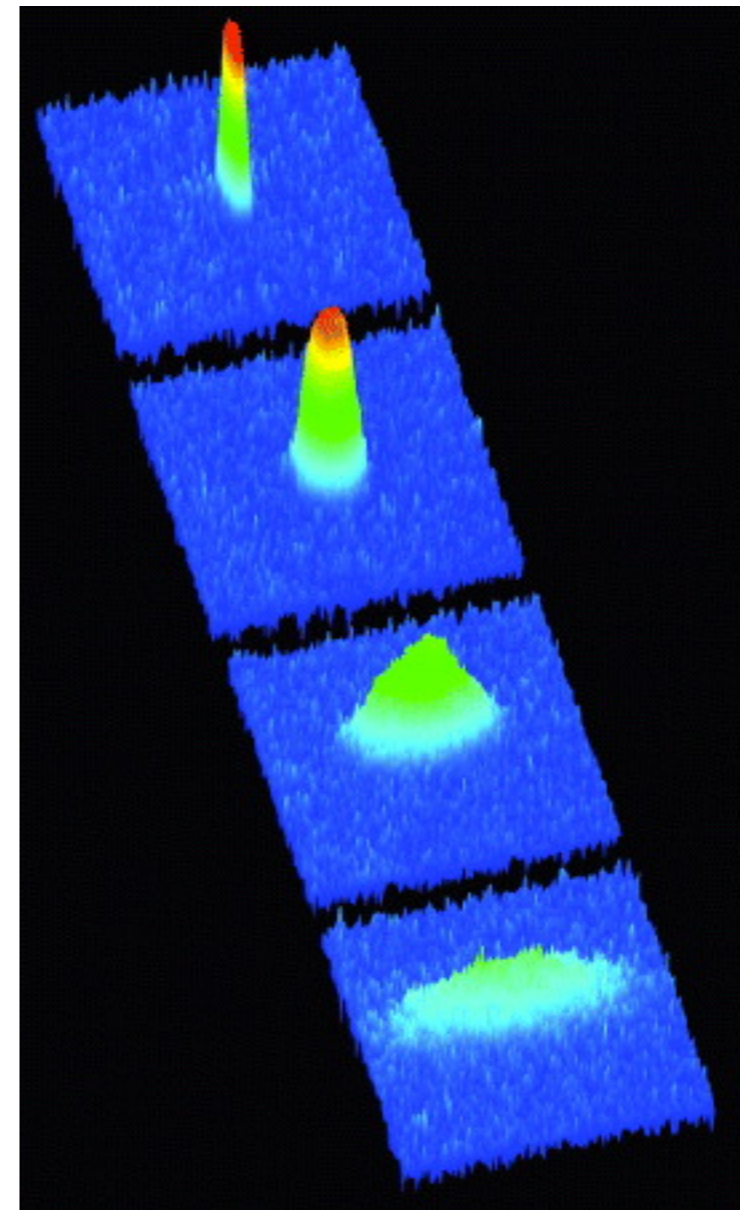
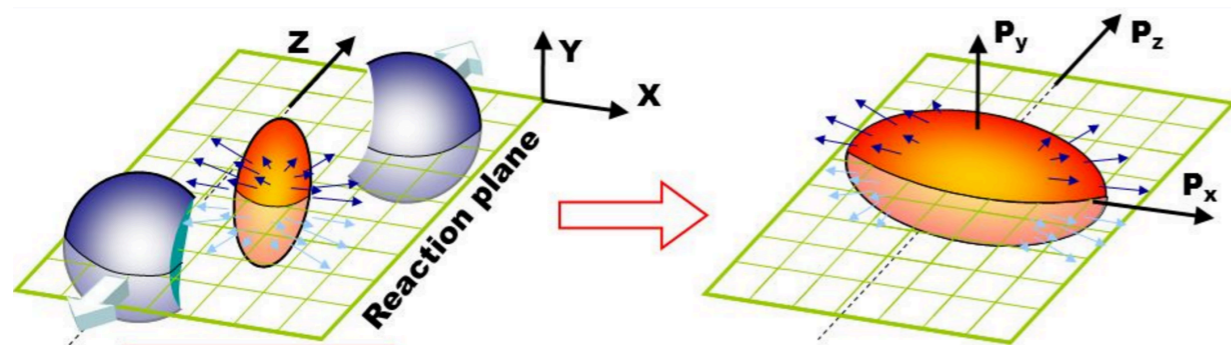
Strong coupling problems
- **More than** QCD/nuclear physics

Observation of a Strongly Interacting Degenerate Fermi Gas of Atoms

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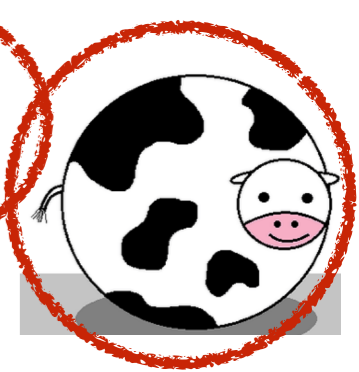
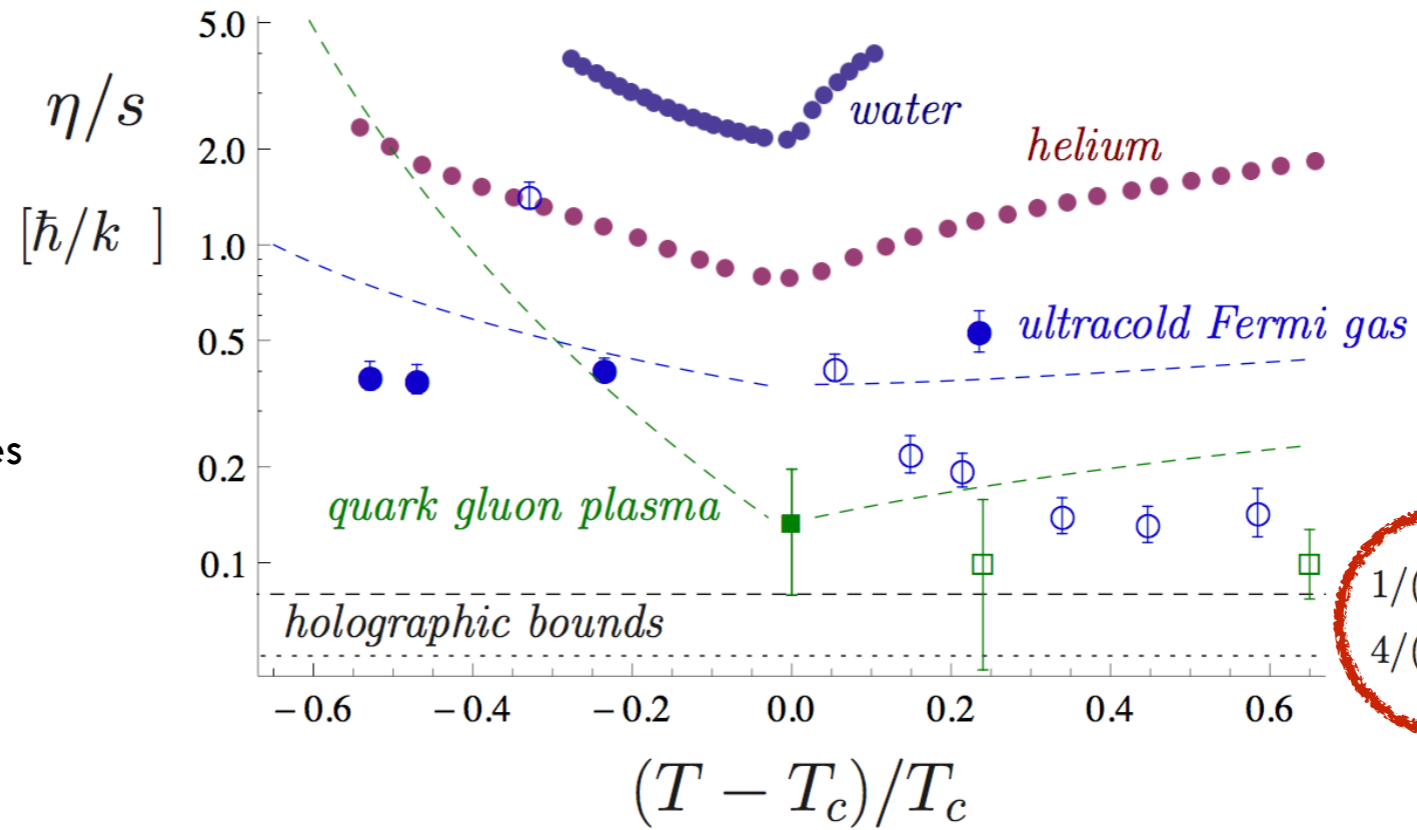
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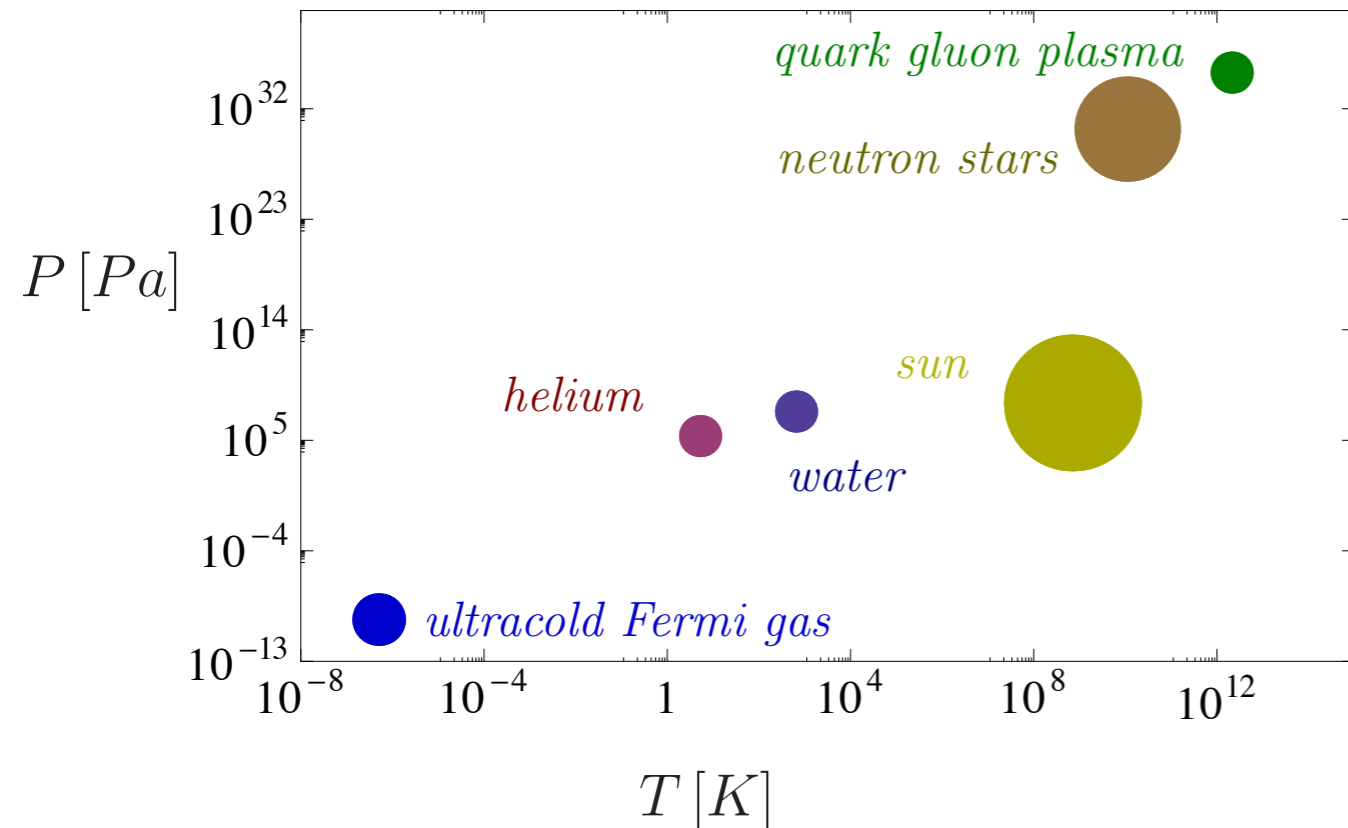
Elliptic flow of a strongly interacting Fermi gas as a function of time after release from a cigar-shaped optical trap

Universal bound

Experiment: colored circles
 Lattice: open squares and circles
 Theory: dashed curves



- Gas-liquid transition of water, helium
- Superfluid transition of Fermi gas
- Deconfinement transition of QCD



**Strong coupling problems
AdS/CMT**

It is often said
the **conductivity**
is
the first quantity to be measured
and
the last to be understood

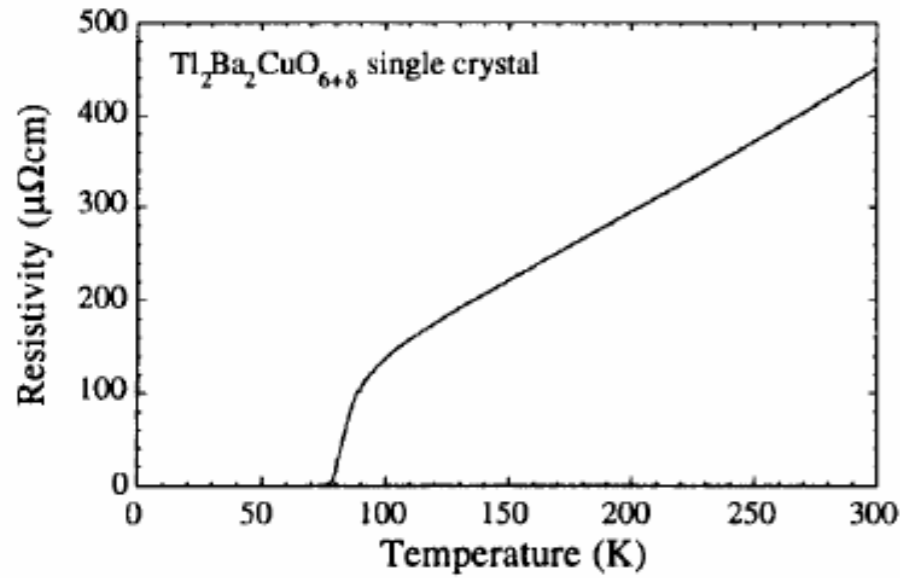


Strong interaction

- ~ No quasi particle picture & Fast thermalization
- ~ No Fermi-liquid theory
- ~ “**Strange metal**” or “**Non-Fermi-liquid**”

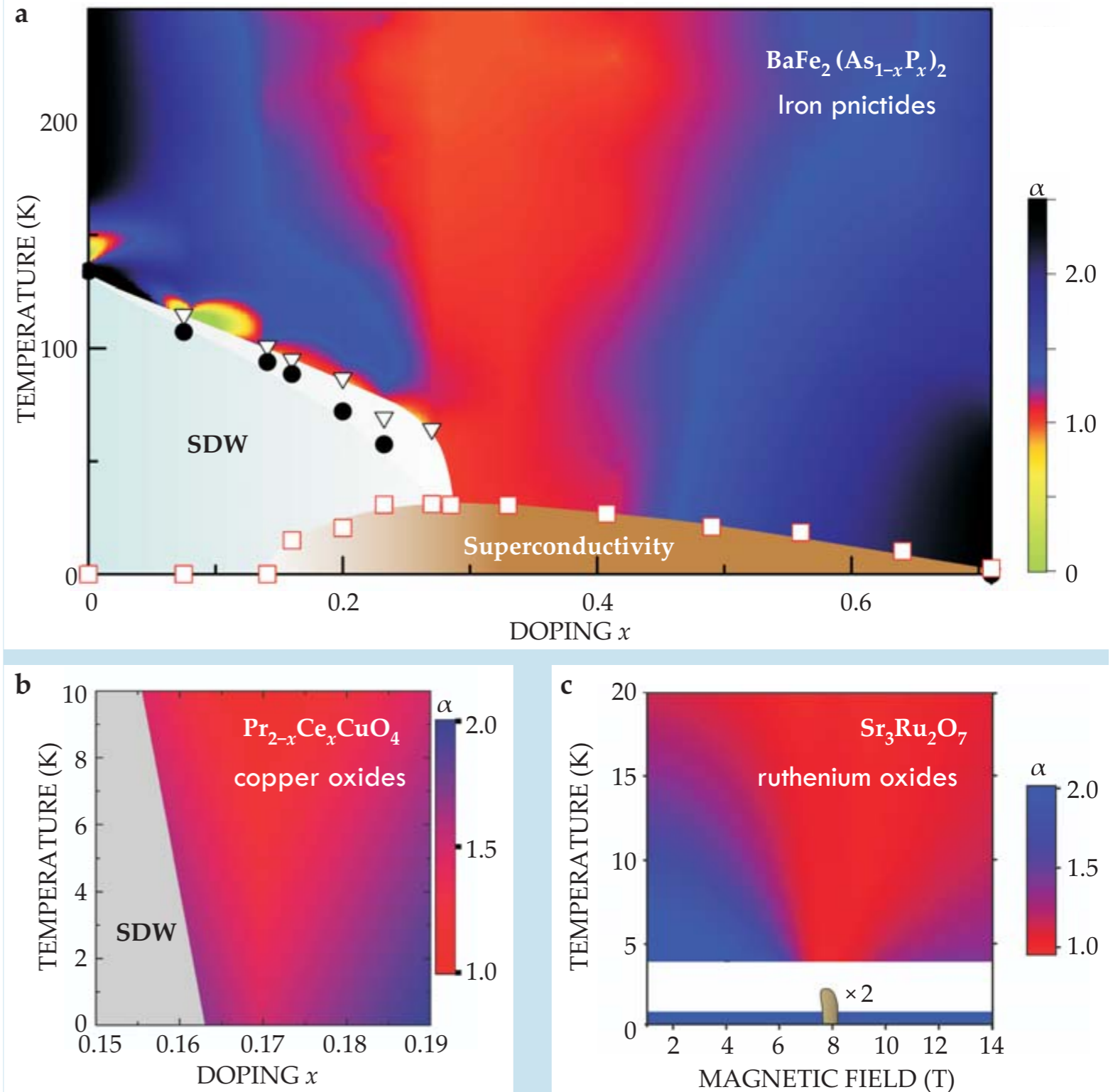


Resistivity: $\rho \sim \rho_0 + AT^\alpha$



Fermi liquid theory $\rho \sim T^2$

Anomalous and **universal**



Effective classical gravity for strong correlation

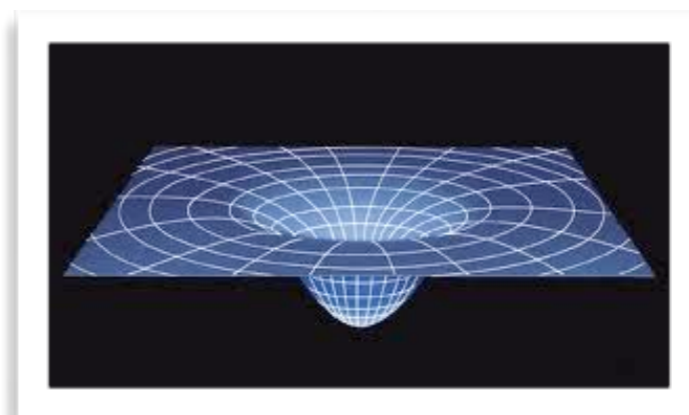


String theory

Good for
microscopic
understanding



Top-down
models



Classical gravity in **higher** dimension

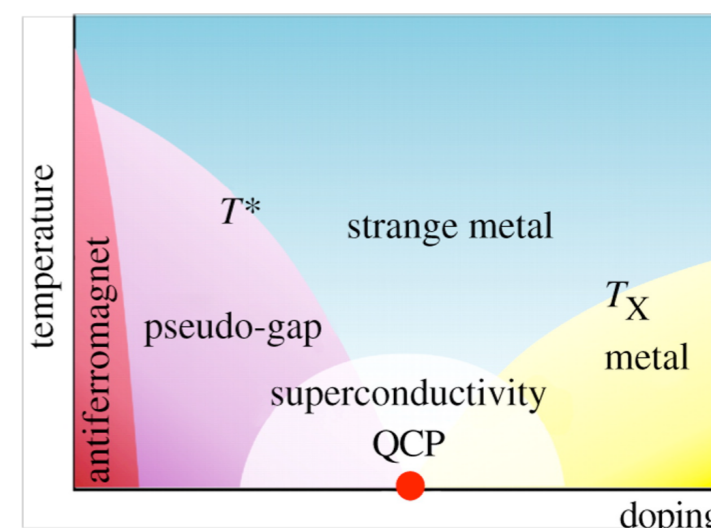
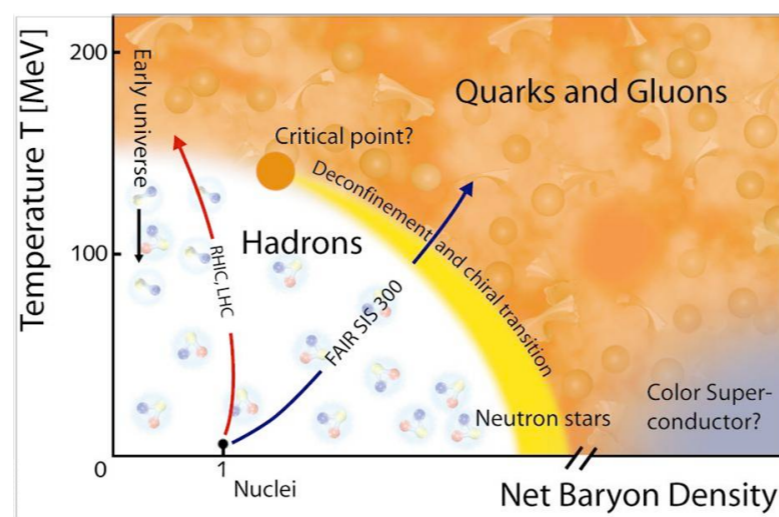
Bottom-up
models

Good for universality

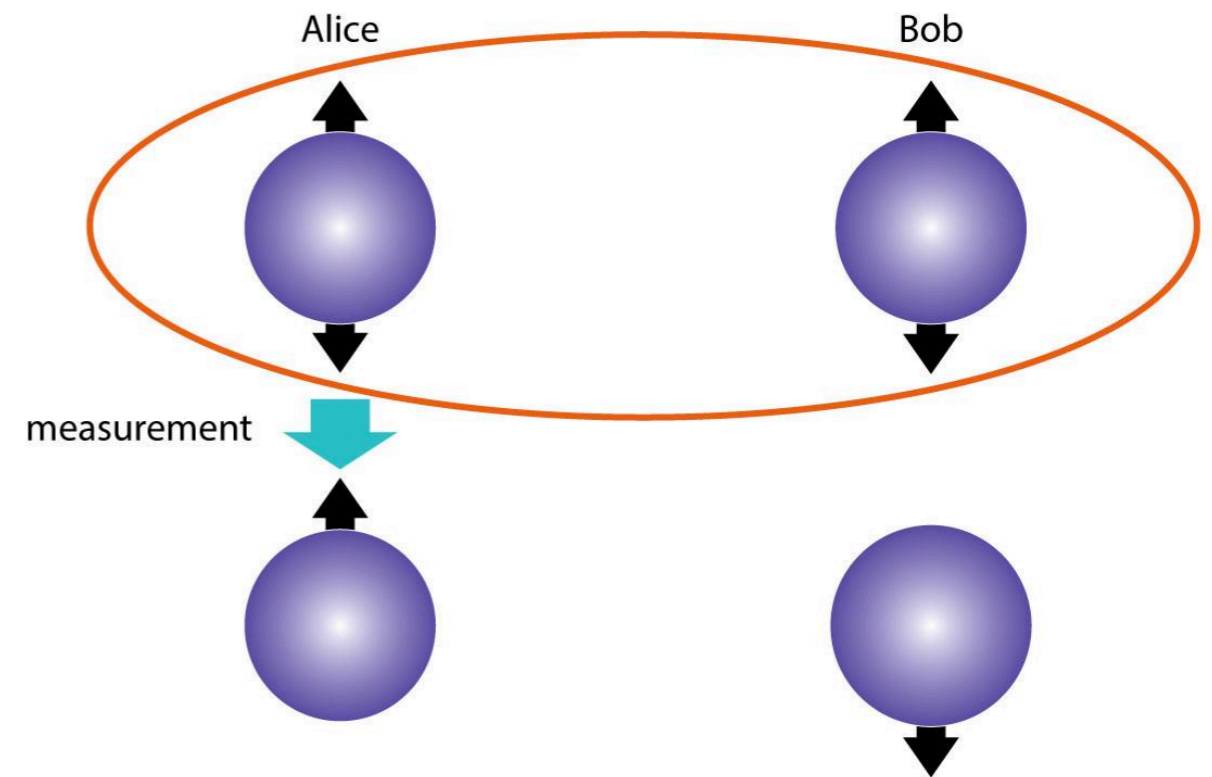
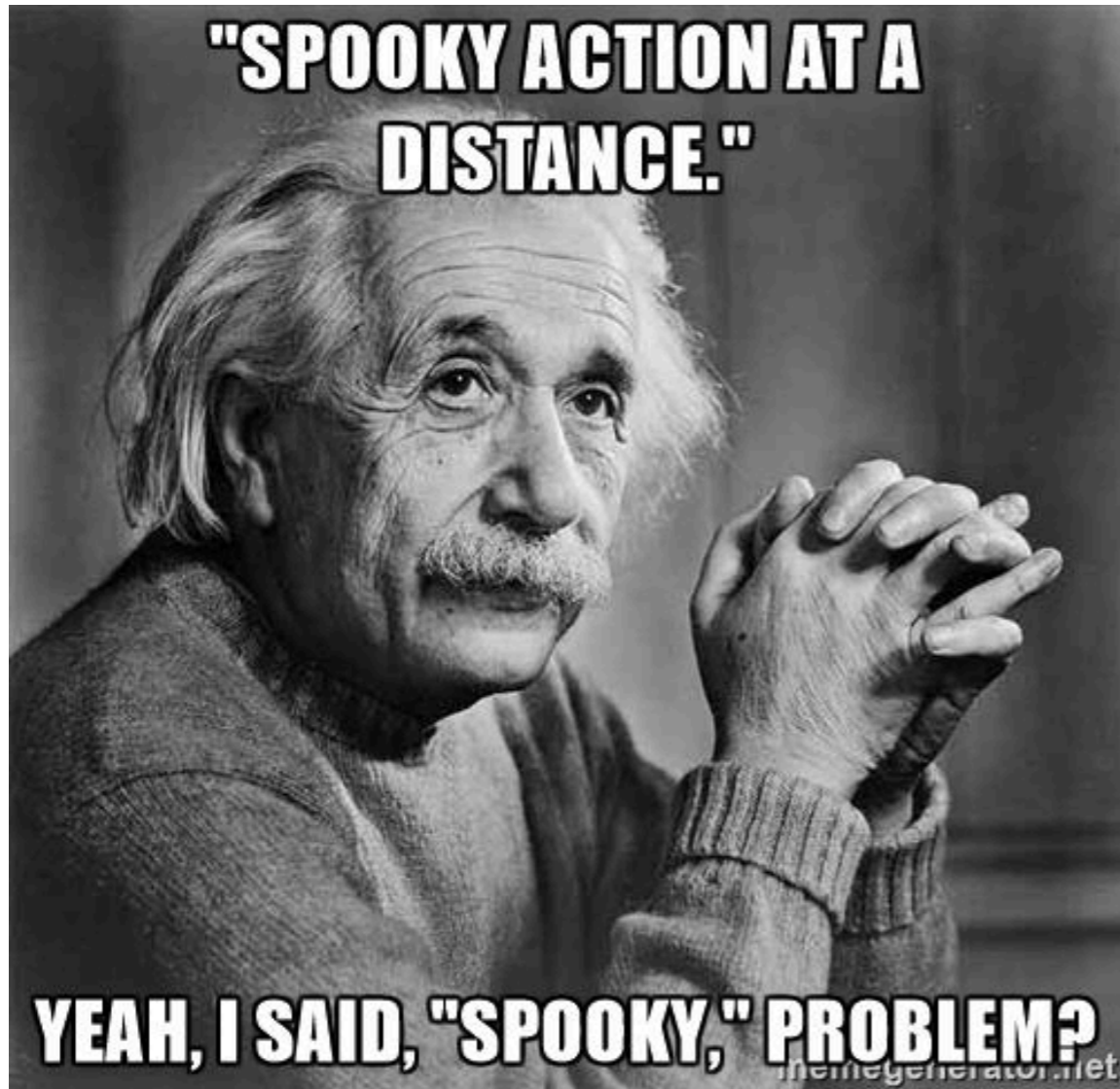
Guide:

- Self-consistency
- Compare with the first principle computation
- Intuition from CMT
- Experimental results (Proposal for Exp.)

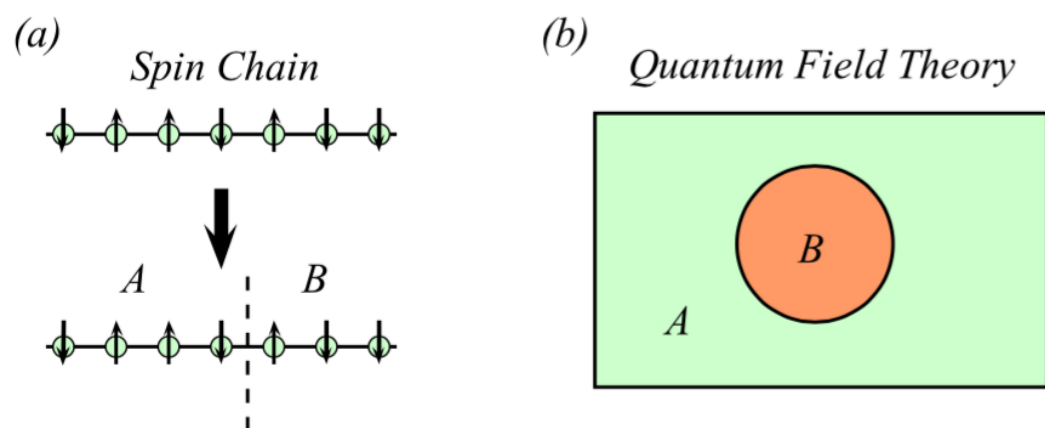
Strong correlation



AdS/Quantum Information
-Entanglement entropy



Entanglement Entropy



$$S_A = -\text{tr}_A \rho_A \log \rho_A$$

$$\rho_A = \text{tr}_B \rho_{tot}$$

The Simplest Example: two spins (2 qubits)

$$(i) |\Psi\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \left[|\uparrow\rangle_A + |\downarrow\rangle_A \right] \otimes \left[|\uparrow\rangle_B + |\downarrow\rangle_B \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_A = \text{Tr}_B [|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|] = \frac{1}{2} \left[|\uparrow\rangle_A \langle\uparrow|_A + |\downarrow\rangle_A \langle\downarrow|_A \right]$$

Not Entangled

$$S_A = 0$$

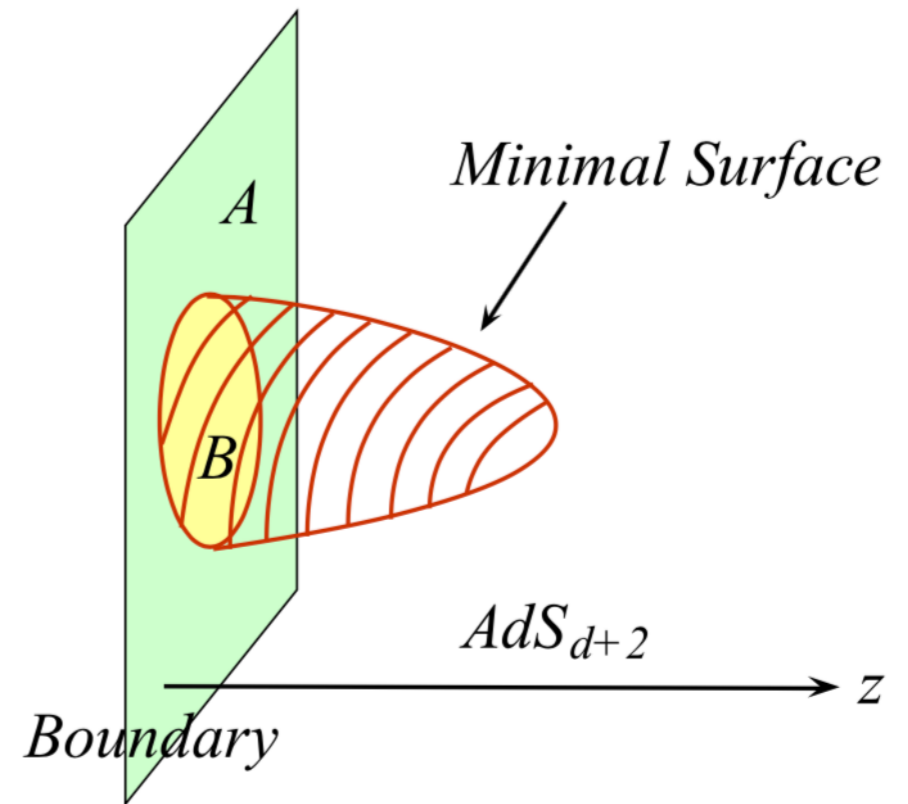
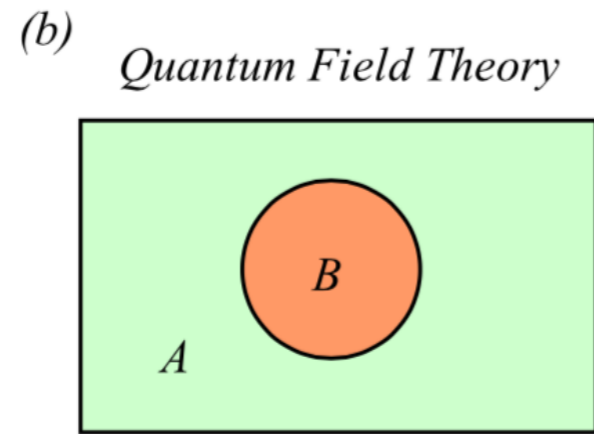
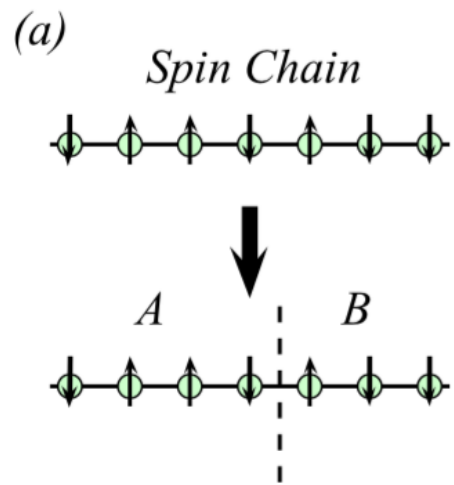
$$(ii) |\Psi\rangle = \left[|\uparrow\rangle_A \otimes |\downarrow\rangle_B + |\downarrow\rangle_A \otimes |\uparrow\rangle_B \right] / \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_A = \text{Tr}_B [|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|] = \frac{1}{2} \left[|\uparrow\rangle_A \langle\uparrow|_A + |\downarrow\rangle_A \langle\downarrow|_A \right]$$

Entangled

$$S_A = \log 2$$

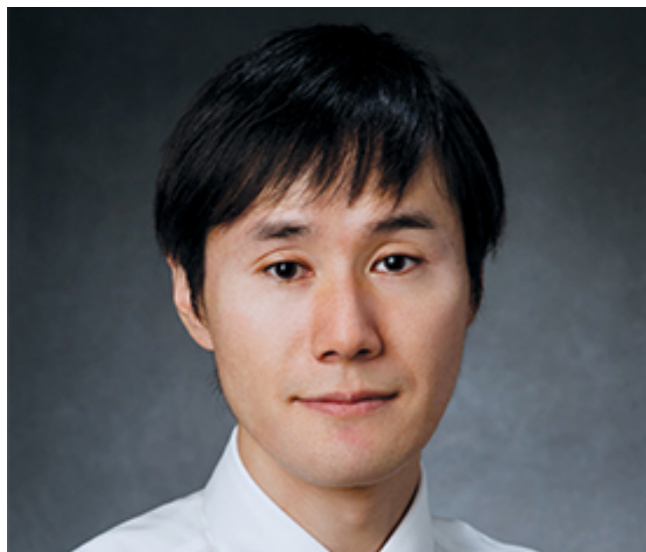
Entanglement Entropy



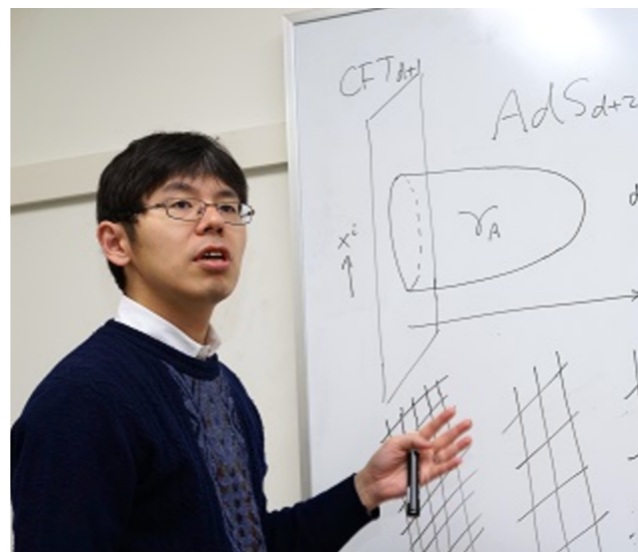
$$S_A = -\text{tr}_A \rho_A \log \rho_A$$

$$\rho_A = \text{tr}_B \rho_{\text{tot}}$$

$$S_A = \frac{\text{Area}(\gamma_A)}{4G_N^{(d+2)}}$$



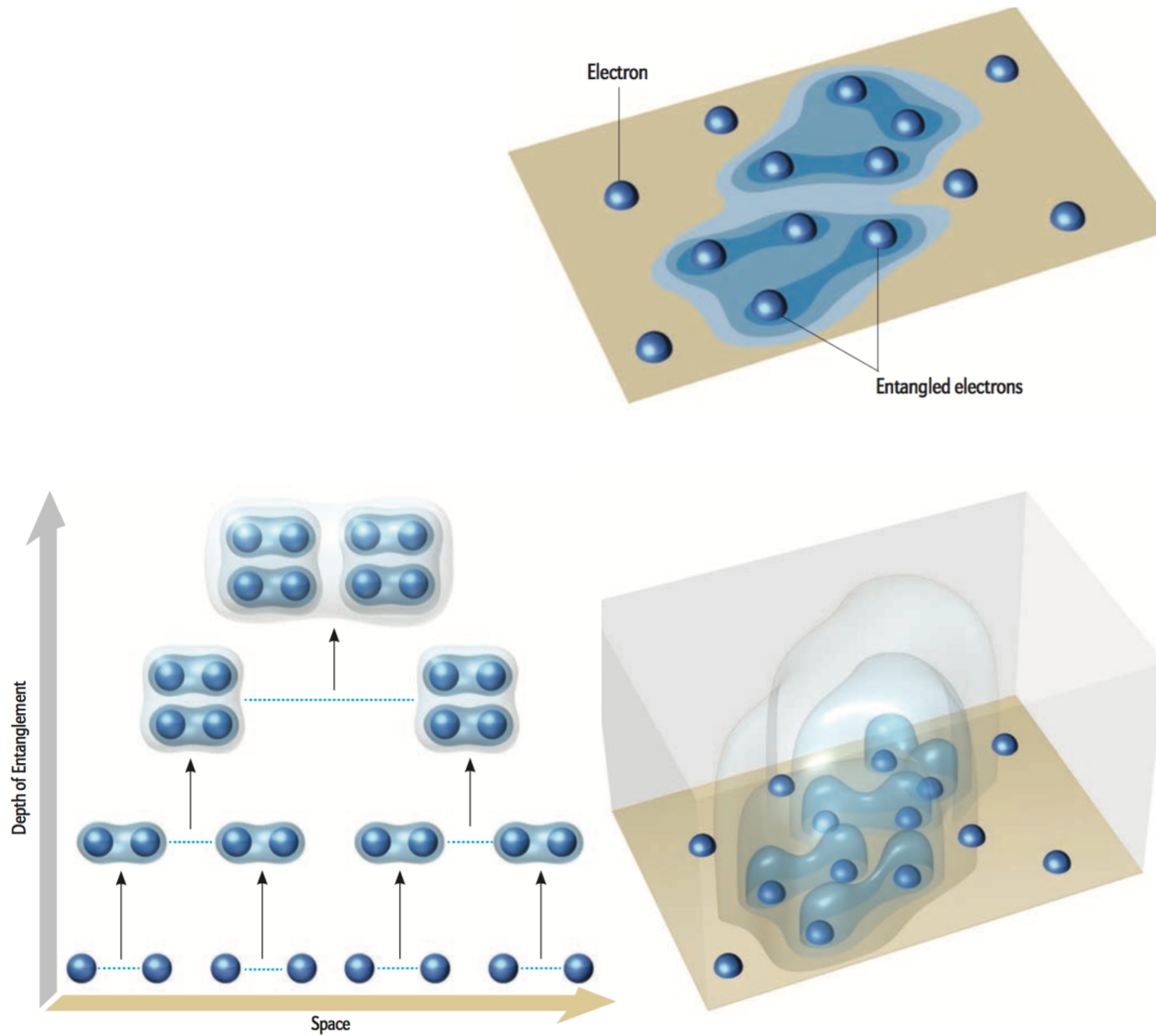
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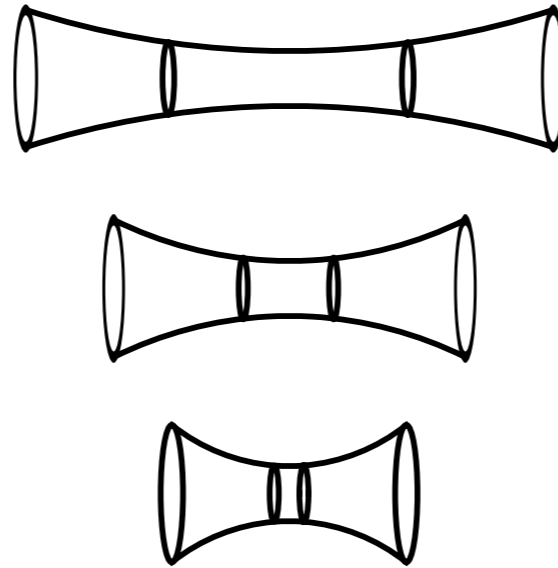
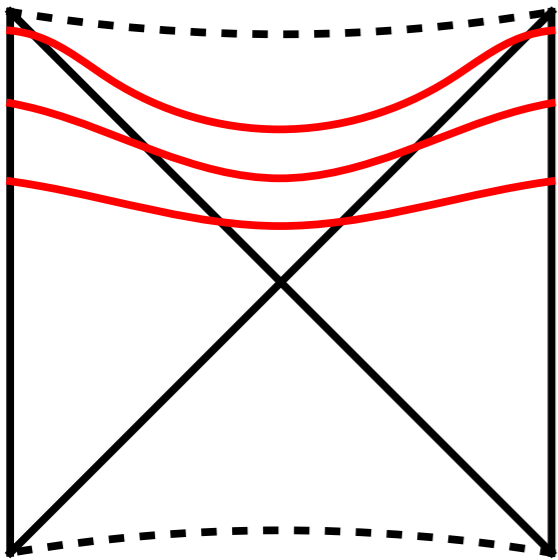
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Successful agreements
with field theory computation

Entanglement Entropy and Quantum information



AdS/Quantum Information
-Entanglement is not enough?



$$C_V = \max_{\partial\Sigma=t_L \cup t_R} \left[\frac{V(\Sigma)}{G_N \ell} \right]$$

$$|\text{TFD}\rangle := Z^{-1/2} \sum_{\alpha} \exp[-E_{\alpha}/(2T)] |E_{\alpha}\rangle_L |E_{\alpha}\rangle_R$$

$$|\text{TFD}(t_L, t_R)\rangle := e^{-i(t_L H_L + t_R H_R)} |\text{TFD}\rangle$$

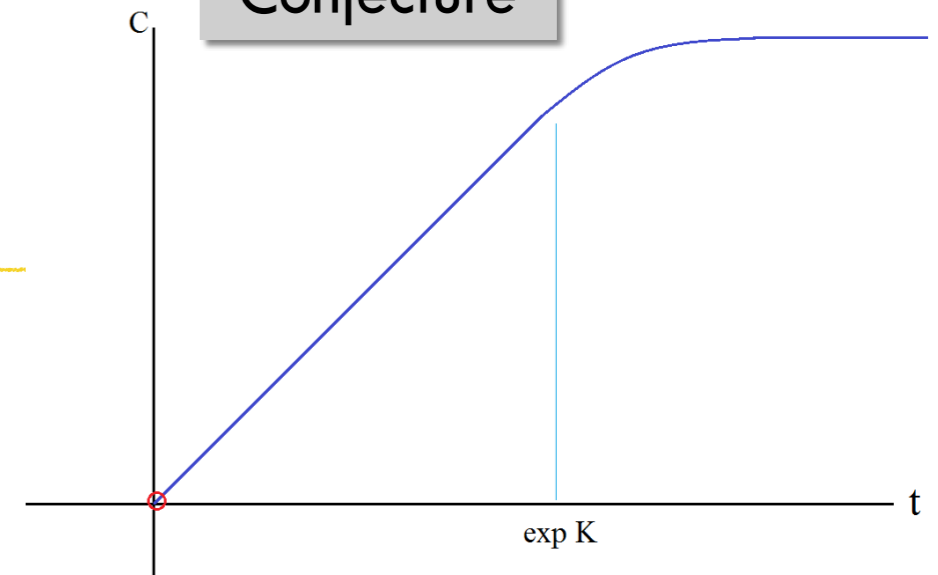
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Fig. from [Koji, Norihiro, Sotaro: 1707.03840]

Entanglement is not enough?

1. Einstein-Rosen bridge increases even after thermalization
2. The field theory meaning of this?
3. Physics inside black hole?

Conjecture



Complexity

$$|R\rangle \longrightarrow |T\rangle$$

Minimum number of operation

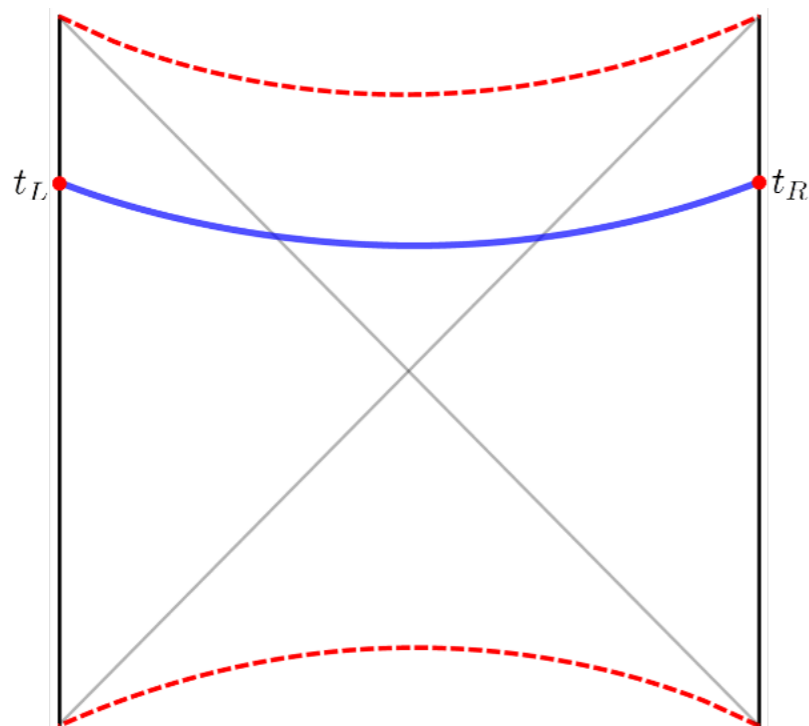
K-coins (00110110001....) $C_{max} \sim K \sim t_{max.comp}$

K-qubits $|\psi\rangle = \sum_1^{2^K} \alpha_i |i\rangle$ $C_{max} \sim 2^K \sim t_{max.comp}$

Holographic conjecture for complexity

CV (complexity-volume)

[Susskind: 1402.5674
Stanford and Susskind: 1406.2678]

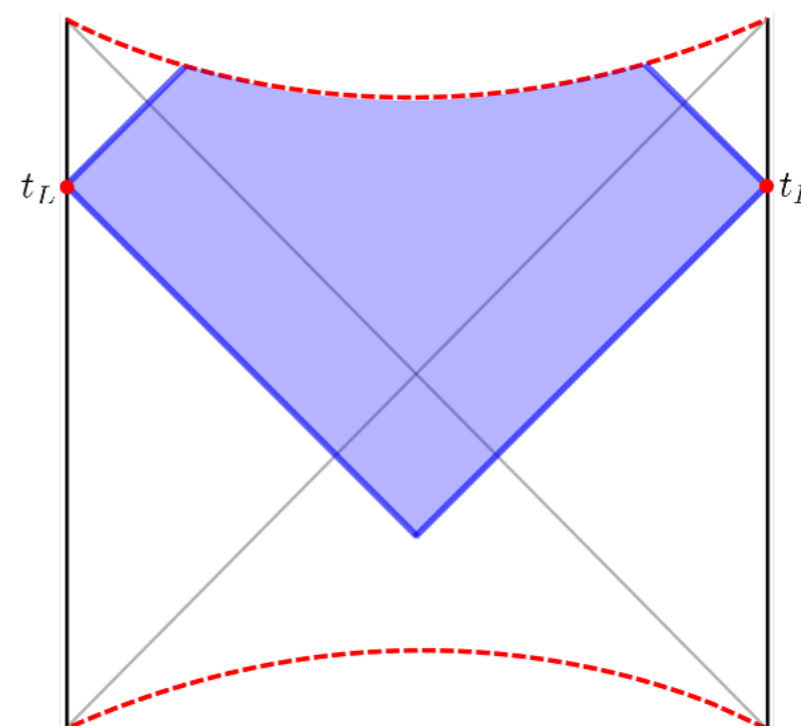


$$\mathcal{C}_V = \max_{\partial\Sigma=t_L \cup t_R} \left[\frac{V(\Sigma)}{G_N \ell} \right]$$

- Equation of motion
- Free scale: ambiguity

CA (complexity-action)

[Brown, Roberts, Susskind Swingle and Zhao:
1509.07876, 1512.04993]



$$\mathcal{C}_A = \frac{I_{\text{WDW}}}{\pi \hbar}$$

- Boundary terms
- Singularity

Fig. from [Jefferson, Myers: 1707.08570]

Field theory conjecture for complexity

- Complexity geometry is a **Finsler** geometry.
- **Puzzle**: for a given operator, the **right(-invariant) complexity** and **Left(-invariant) complexity** are **different**.

$$\tilde{F}(H_r = i\dot{c}c^{-1}) \neq \tilde{F}(H_l = ic^{-1}\dot{c})$$

- By considering physical conditions, the **puzzle** is resolved: **Left/right equivalence** and **bi-invariance**. $\tilde{F}(H_\alpha) = \tilde{F}(\hat{U}H_\alpha\hat{U}^\dagger)$

$$\tilde{F}(H_r = i\dot{c}c^{-1}) = \tilde{F}(H_l = ic^{-1}\dot{c})$$

- SU(n) operator complexity is **uniquely** determined.

$$\mathcal{C}(\hat{O}) = \min \left\{ \text{Tr} \sqrt{\bar{H}\bar{H}^\dagger} \mid \forall \bar{H}, s.t., \exp(-i\bar{H}) = \hat{O} \right\} \quad \text{(Finsler)}$$
$$\mathcal{C}(\hat{O}) = \min \left\{ \left[\text{Tr} \left(\bar{H}\bar{H}^\dagger \right)^{\frac{p}{2}} \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \mid \forall \bar{H}, s.t., \exp(-i\bar{H}) = \hat{O} \right\}$$

Applications?

- SYK model: complexity growth in a chaotic model

Complexity growth

SYK model

$$H(\mathcal{J}, N) = \sum_{i < j < k < l}^N J_{ijkl} \chi_i \chi_j \chi_k \chi_l \quad (\text{N Majorana Fermions})$$

mean = 0 variance $\sigma^2 = \frac{6\mathcal{J}^2}{N^3}$

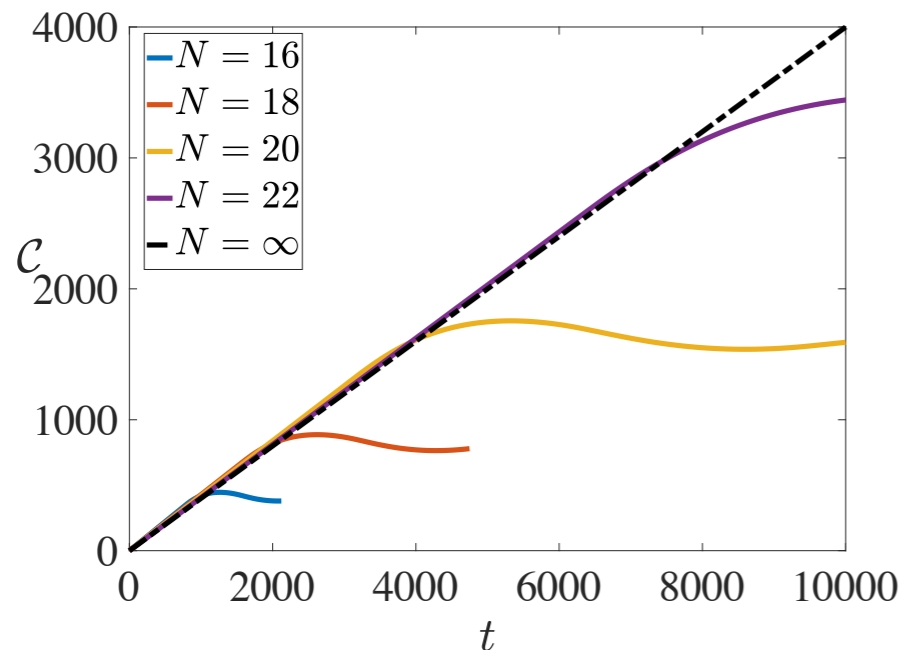
Complexity

$$\mathcal{C}(t) = \min \left\{ \lambda \operatorname{Tr} \sqrt{V V^\dagger} \mid \forall V, \text{ s.t. } \exp(-iV) = \hat{U}(t) = \exp(-iH(\mathcal{J}, N)t) \right\}$$

$$V = \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} (E_n t + 2\pi k_n) |n\rangle \langle n| \quad k_n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} k_n = 0$$

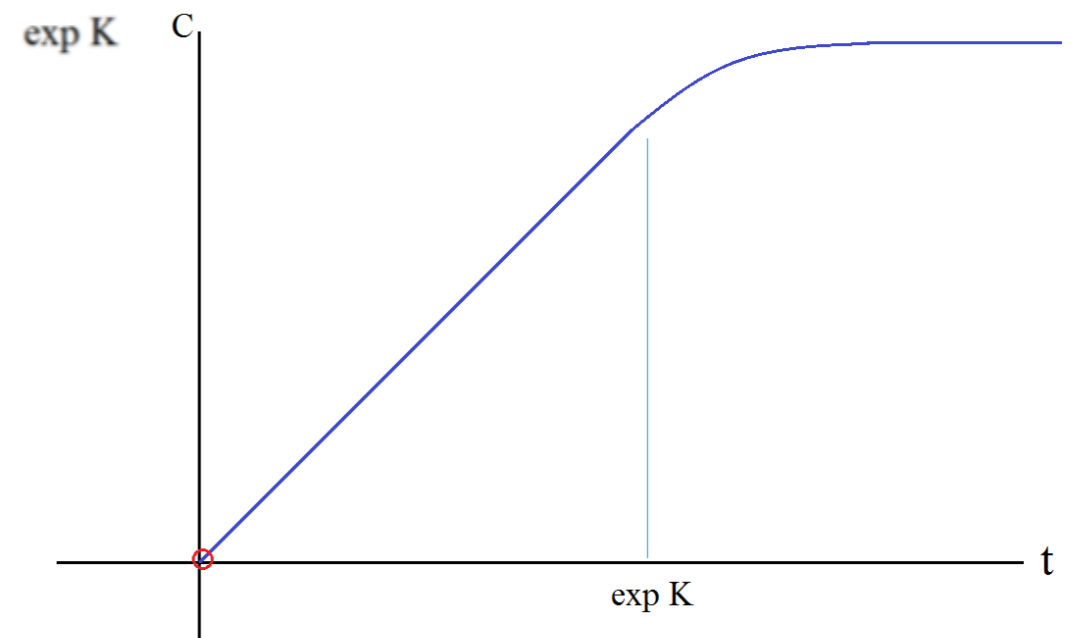
$$\hat{U}(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} e^{-iE_n t} |n\rangle \langle n|$$

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$$C_c \sim 2^{N/2}$$

$$t_c \sim 2^{N/2}$$



Complexity growth

$$C(t) = \min \left\{ \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} |E_n t + 2\pi k_n| \mid \forall k_n \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ s. t. } \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} k_n = 0 \right\}$$

$$C(t) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} |E_n t - 2\pi \lceil [E_n t / 2\pi] \rceil|$$

$$\lceil [1.2] \rceil = 1, \lceil [1.7] \rceil = 2 \text{ and } \lceil [-2.7] \rceil = -3$$

$$C(t) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} |E_n| t \quad t < \frac{\pi}{E_{\max}} \quad t_c \sim \frac{\pi}{E_{\max}} \sim \frac{2^{N/2}}{\langle E \rangle}$$

“total energy” $\langle E \rangle \approx \sum_{n=1}^{2^{N/2}} |E_n|$

$$C_c \approx \langle E \rangle t_c$$

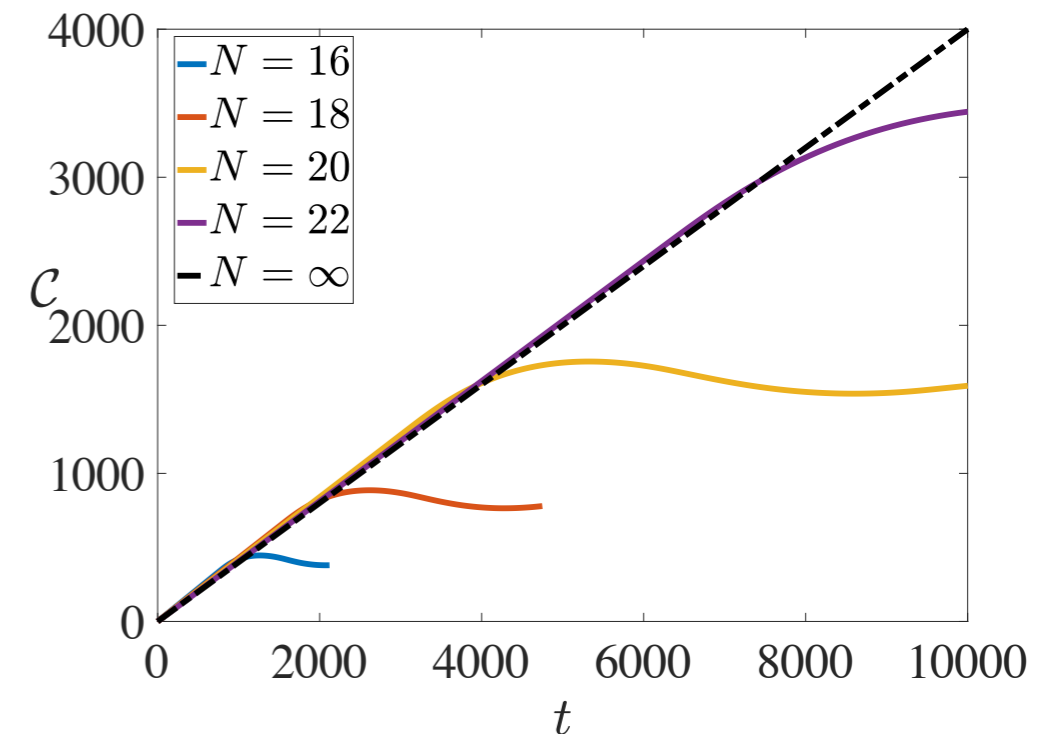
$$\sim 2^{N/2}$$

$$\frac{dC}{dt} \sim \frac{C_c}{t_c} \sim \langle E \rangle$$

SYK information

$$\langle E \rangle = 2^{N/2} \langle E_{\max}(\mathcal{J}, N) \rangle$$

$$\langle E_{\max}(\mathcal{J}, N) \rangle \approx (0.055 + 0.029N) \mathcal{J}$$



More general analysis:
Statistical properties of eigenvalues
work in progress

For fixing J (consequently fixing E_{\max}), see

“Quantum complexity of time evolution with chaotic Hamiltonian” [1905.05765]
Balasubramanian, DeCross, Kar, Parrikar

Summary and outlook

History of gauge/gravity duality

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AdS/QCD
Quark-Gluon Plasma:
Small $\frac{\eta}{s}$ bound

Many many QCD,
CMT, gravity
applications,
Quantum information

Nuclear Physics:
Sakai-Sugimoto model

AdS/QCD
bottom-up model

Quantum information:
Entanglement entropy

The principle is
not proven yet,
But many supporting evidences

AdS/CMT

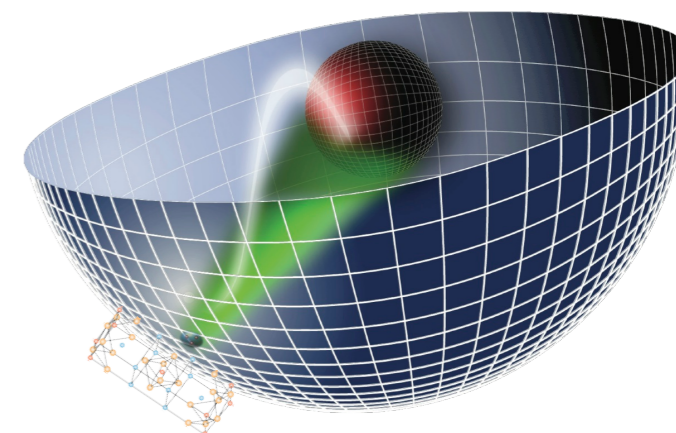
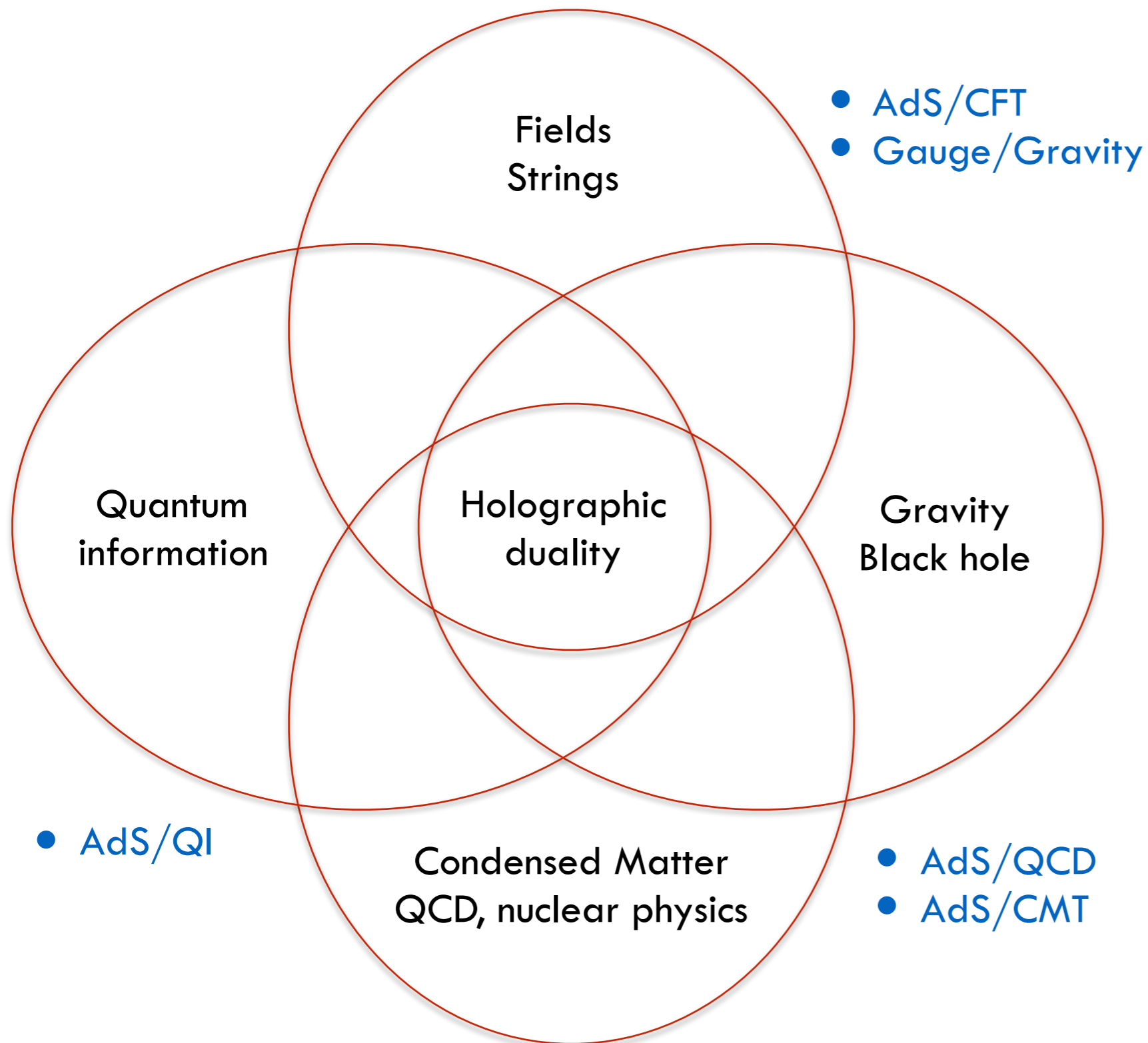
Holographic
superconductor

AdS/tensor-network

AdS/CMT: Strange metal

AdS/CFT

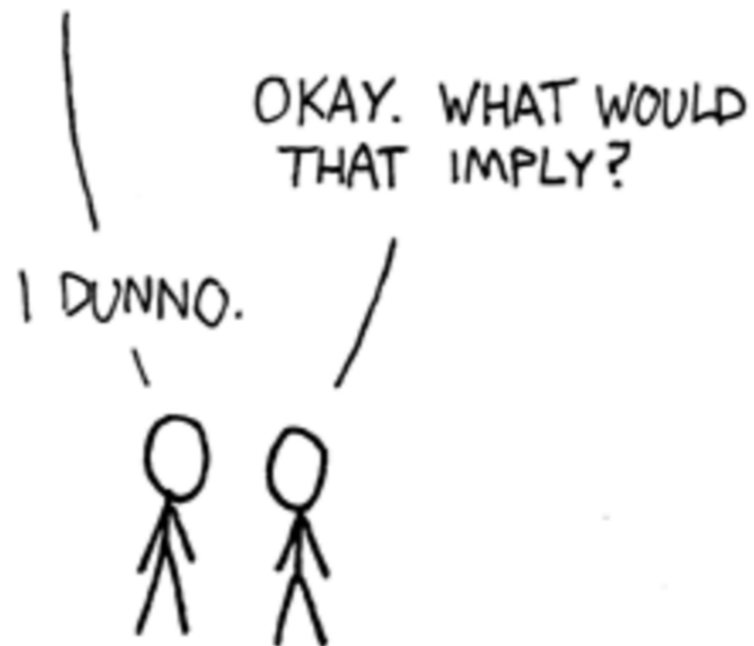
1. Finding more supporting evidences.
2. Towards less symmetric cases.
3. Adding flavours.



- Guide:**
- Self-consistency
 - Compare with the first principle simulation
 - Intuition from CMT/QI
 - Proposal for CMT/QI
 - Experimental results
 - Proposal for Exp.

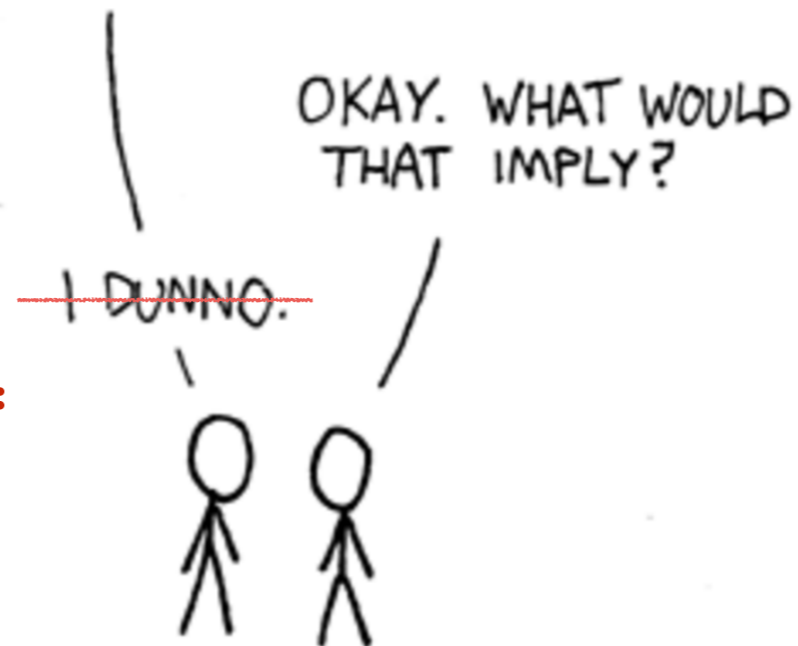
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Thank you

