

Characterization of quantum chaos using the quantum Lyapunov spectrum and two-point functions: the case of the Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model as an example

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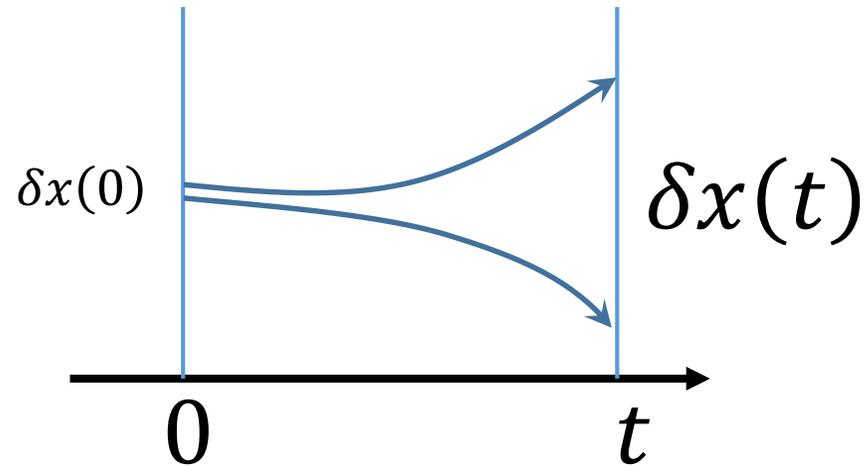
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Plan of the talk

- Characterization of many-body quantum chaos
- The Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model
- **The quantum Lyapunov spectrum**
- **The singular values of two-point correlators**
- The case of the XXZ spin chain
- Summary

Chaos in deterministic classical dynamics

- Sensitivity to initial conditions: exponential growth of initial perturbation



“butterfly effect”

Bounded, nonperiodic dynamics with **nonlinearity**
What happens in quantum mechanics?

How to characterize quantum chaos?

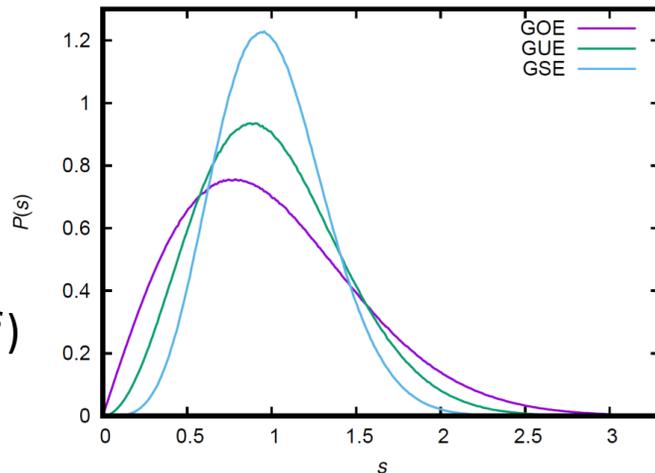
$$i \frac{d}{dt} |\psi\rangle = \hat{H} |\psi\rangle \quad |\psi(t)\rangle = \hat{T} \exp \left[-i \int_0^t \hat{H}(t') dt' \right] |\psi(t=0)\rangle \stackrel{\hat{H} = \text{const.}}{=} \exp(-i\hat{H}t) |\psi(t=0)\rangle$$

Linear dynamics

Unitary time evolution

- Long time: energy level statistics

Correlation between levels, as in random matrices



$P(s)$: normalized level separation distribution
Uncorrelated: Poisson (e^{-s})

cf. Bohigas-Giannoni-Schmit conjecture

- Short time: out-of-time correlator

Classically,

$$\{x_i(t), p_j(0)\}_{\text{PB}}^2 = \left(\frac{\partial x_i(t)}{\partial x_j(0)} \right)^2 \rightarrow e^{2\lambda_L t} \text{ for large } t$$

Quantum version:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{OTOC: } C_T(t) &= \left\langle \left| [\hat{W}(t), \hat{V}(t=0)] \right|^2 \right\rangle \\ &= \langle \hat{W}^\dagger(t) \hat{V}^\dagger(0) \hat{W}(t) \hat{V}(0) \rangle + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Numerically \rightarrow limited to very small systems

\rightarrow Hard to see exponential time dependence

Characterization of quantum many-body chaos

- Random-matrix like energy level correlation

- Exponential Lyapunov growth of out-of-time-order correlators (OTOC)

$$\langle \widehat{W}^\dagger(t) \widehat{V}^\dagger(0) \widehat{W}(t) \widehat{V}(0) \rangle \sim C + \# e^{2\lambda_L t}$$

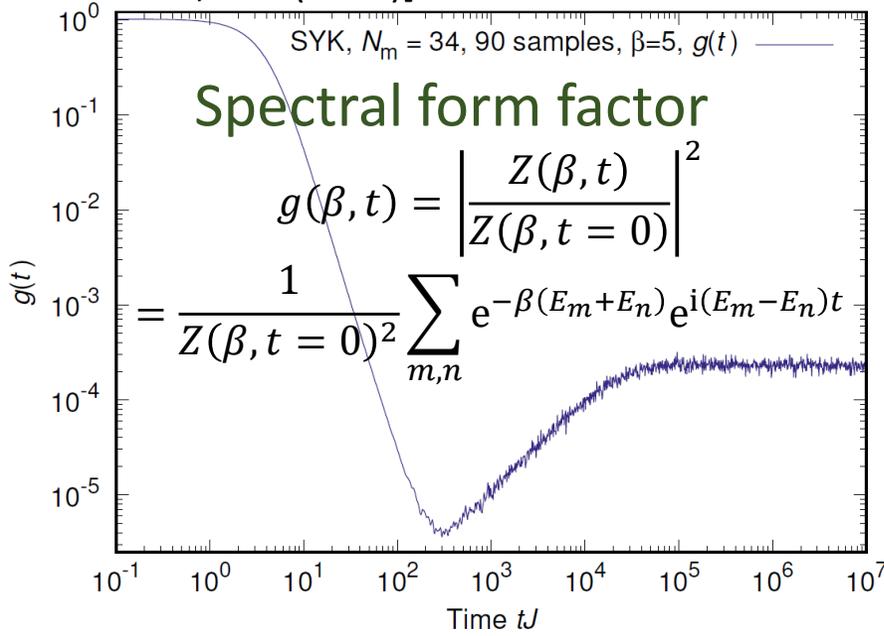
Example: the Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model

$$\widehat{H} = \frac{\sqrt{3!}}{N^{3/2}} \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d \leq N} J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d$$

$\{\hat{\chi}_a, \hat{\chi}_b\} = \delta_{ab}$
 J_{abcd} : Gaussian random
 $(\langle J_{abcd}^2 \rangle = J^2 = 1)$

[Kitaev 2015]

[Cotler, MT et al.,
JHEP **1705**, 118 (2017)]



$N \bmod 8$	RMT
0	GOE
2	GUE
4	GSE
6	GUE

Lyapunov exponent

$$\lambda_L = \frac{2\pi k_B T}{\hbar} \text{ in low } T \text{ limit}$$

(Maldacena-Shenker-Stanford chaos bound)

The Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model

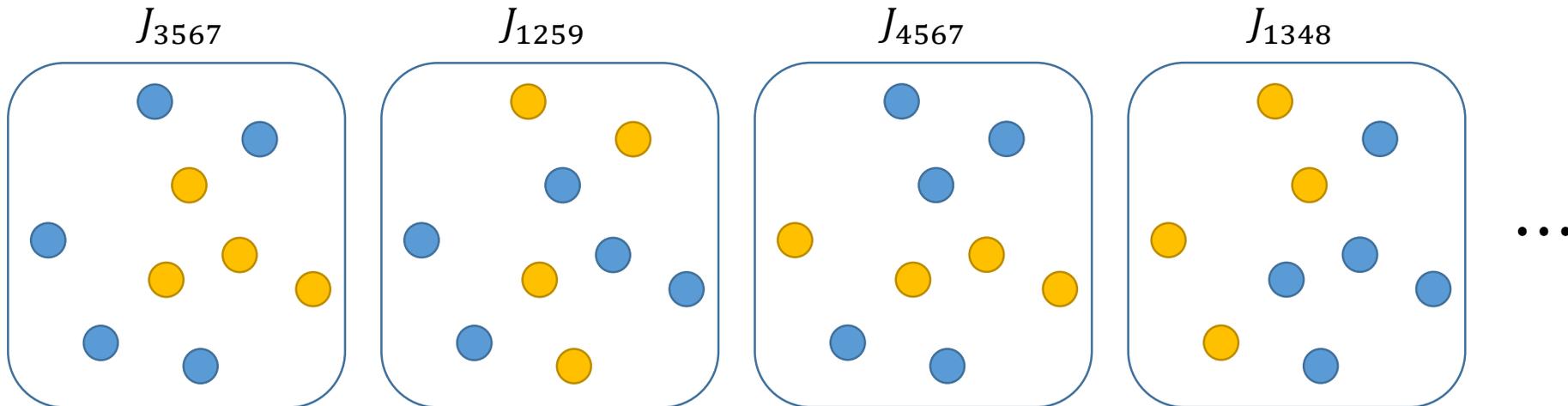
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cf. Sachdev-Ye model (1993)

$\hat{\chi}_{a=1,2,\dots,N}$: N Majorana fermions ($\{\hat{\chi}_a, \hat{\chi}_b\} = \delta_{ab}$)

[A. Kitaev, talks at KITP (2015)]

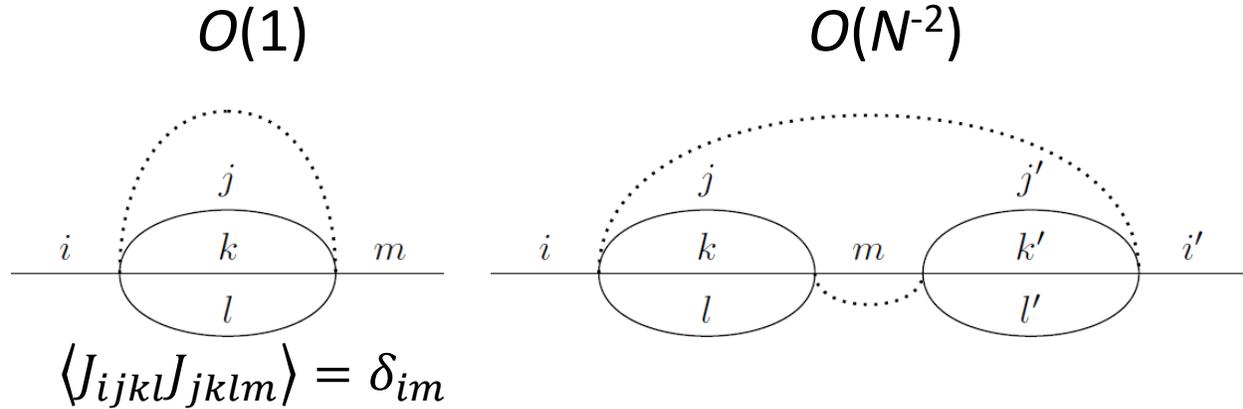
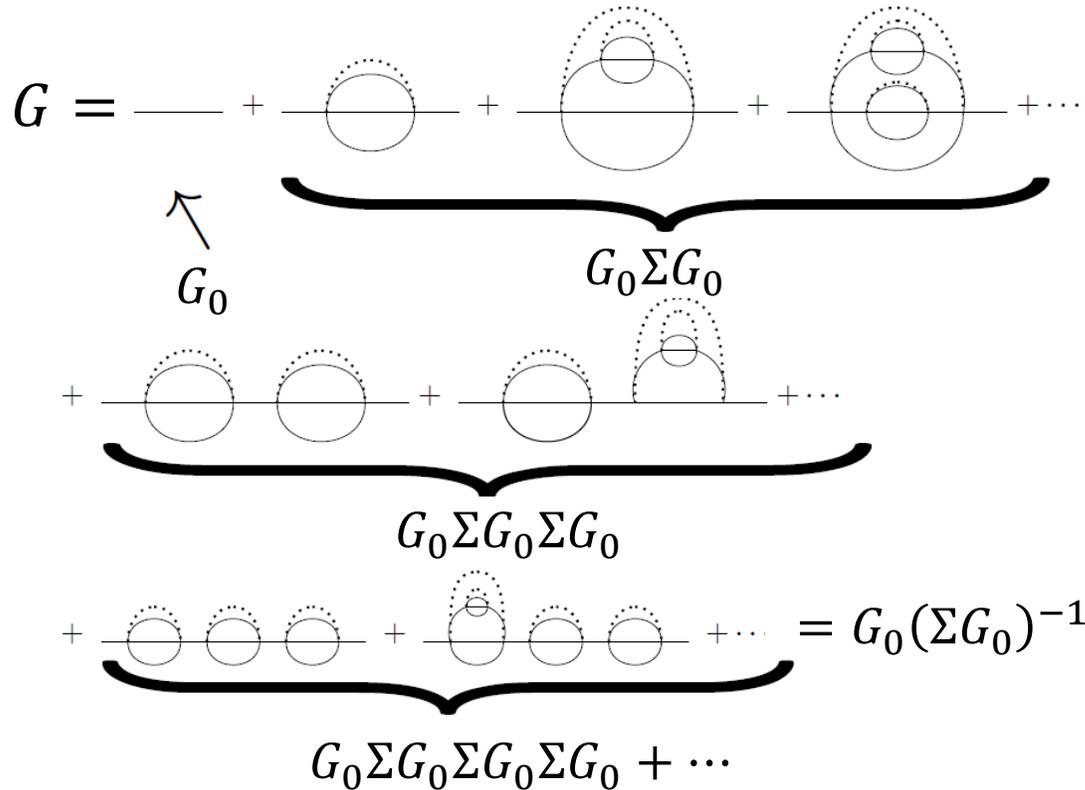
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The SYK model

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Analytically solvable in $N \gg 1$ limit



Only "melon-type" diagrams survive

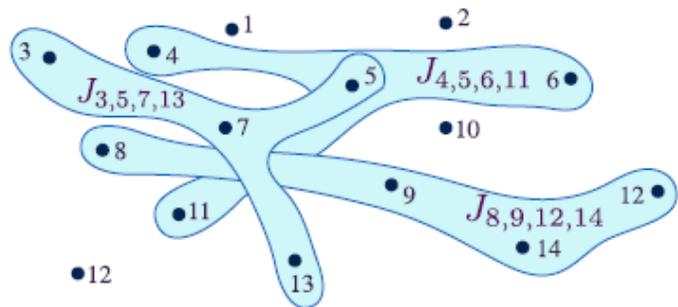
Satisfies the "chaos bound" $\lambda_L \leq \frac{2\pi k_B T}{\hbar}$ in the $T \rightarrow 0$ limit



Figures from [I. Danshita, MT, and M. Hanada: Butsuri 73(8), 569 (2018)]

Holographic connection to gravity?

$$H = \frac{1}{(2N)^{3/2}} \sum_{i,j,k,l=1}^N J_{ij;kl} c_i^\dagger c_j^\dagger c_k c_l$$



$$Q = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \langle c_i^\dagger c_i \rangle.$$

$$-\langle c_i(\tau) c_i^\dagger(0) \rangle \sim \begin{cases} -\tau^{-1/2}, & \tau > 0 \\ e^{-2\pi\mathcal{E}} |\tau|^{-1/2}, & \tau < 0. \end{cases}$$

Known “equation of state” determines \mathcal{E} as a function of Q

Microscopic zero temperature entropy density \mathcal{S} obeys

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{S}}{\partial Q} = 2\pi\mathcal{E}$$

Einstein-Maxwell theory
+ cosmological constant

Horizon area \mathcal{A}_h ;
 $\text{AdS}_2 \times R^d$
 $ds^2 = (d\zeta^2 - dt^2)/\zeta^2 + d\vec{x}^2$
Gauge field: $A = (\mathcal{E}/\zeta)dt$

Boundary
area \mathcal{A}_b ;
charge
density Q

$\zeta = \infty$

ζ

\vec{x}

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi} \Gamma^\alpha D_\alpha \psi + m \bar{\psi} \psi$$

$$-\langle \psi(\tau) \bar{\psi}(0) \rangle \sim \begin{cases} -\tau^{-1/2}, & \tau > 0 \\ e^{-2\pi\mathcal{E}} |\tau|^{-1/2}, & \tau < 0. \end{cases}$$

“Equation of state” relating \mathcal{E}
and Q depends upon the geometry
of spacetime far from the AdS_2

Black hole thermodynamics
(classical general relativity) yields

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{S}_{\text{BH}}}{\partial Q} = 2\pi\mathcal{E}$$

[S. Sachdev,
Phys. Rev. X **5**,
041025 (2015)]

Sachdev-Ye model

- Strongly interacting random systems: model with analytical solutions?

[S. Sachdev and J. Ye, PRL **70**, 3339 (1993)] **cond-mat/9212030** (Submitted on 21 Dec 1992)

N $SU(M)$ spins \widehat{S} with **all-to-all random coupling** J_{ij} (notation below: from [Sachdev, PRX 2015])

$$H = \frac{1}{(NM)^{1/2}} \sum_{i,j=1}^N \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1}^M J_{ij} c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{i\beta} c_{j\beta}^\dagger c_{j\alpha}, \quad \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha} c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{i\alpha} = Q,$$

- Non-Fermi liquid with nonzero entropy at $T \rightarrow 0$

Local dynamic spin susceptibility

$$\bar{\chi}(\omega) = X \left[\ln \left(\frac{1}{|\omega|} \right) + i \frac{\pi}{2} \text{sgn}(\omega) \right] + \dots,$$

cf. Dynamic neutron scattering experiments on disordered antiferromagnets

[B. Keimer et al. PRL 1991 (LSCO); S.M. Hayden et al. PRL 1991 (LBCO);

C. Broholm et al. PRL 1990 (Kagome planes of Cr^{3+} ions in $\text{Sr}(\text{Cr,Ga})_{12}\text{O}_{19}$)]

Proposals for experimental realization

s : molecular levels

$$\hat{H}_m = \sum_{s=1}^{n_s} \left\{ \nu_s \hat{m}_s^\dagger \hat{m}_s + \sum_{i,j} g_{s,ij} \left(\hat{m}_s^\dagger \hat{c}_i \hat{c}_j - \hat{m}_s \hat{c}_i^\dagger \hat{c}_j^\dagger \right) \right\}.$$

Modified SYK model:

$$\hat{H}_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{s,i,j,k,l} \frac{g_{s,ij} g_{s,kl}}{\nu_s} \hat{c}_i^\dagger \hat{c}_j^\dagger \hat{c}_k \hat{c}_l.$$

Setup:

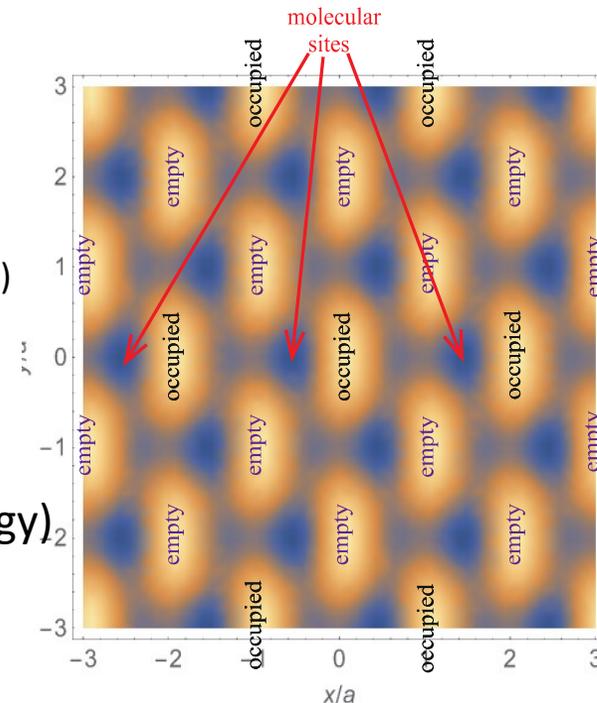
A double-well optical lattice

(no degeneracy in the band levels)

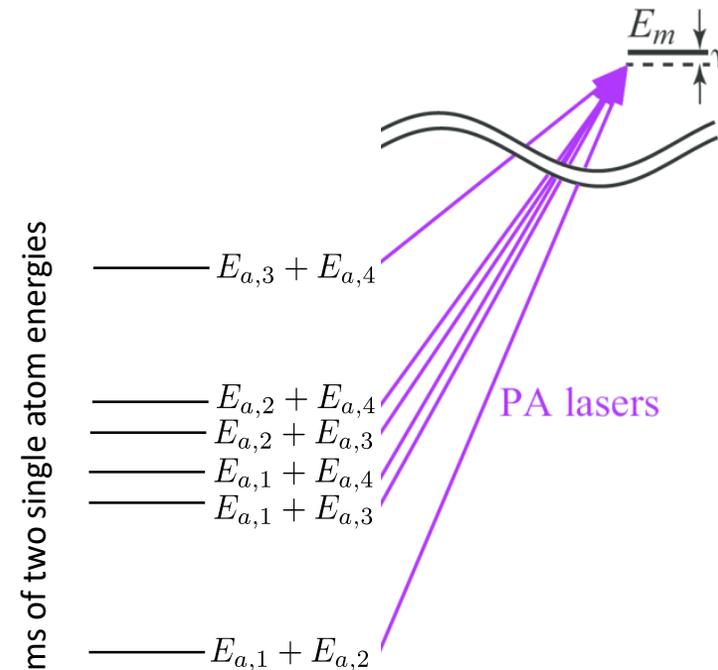
with

${}^6\text{Li}$

(large recoil energy)

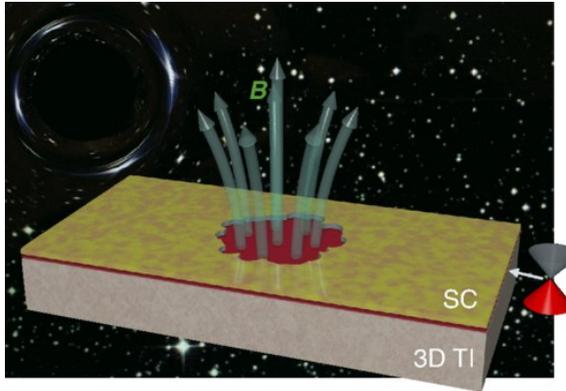


[I. Danshita, M. Hanada, MT: arXiv:1606.02454; PTEP **2017**, 083I01 (2017)]
(also a proceedings manuscript arXiv:1709.07189)



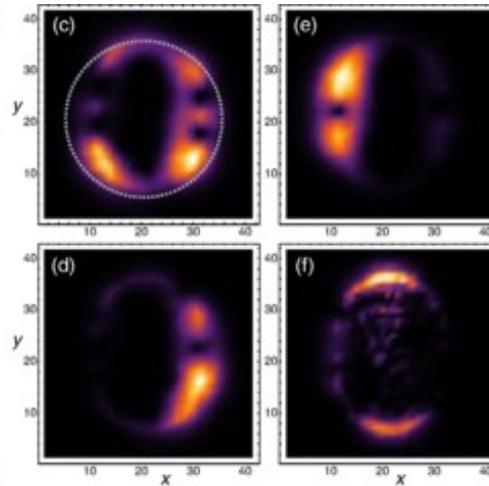
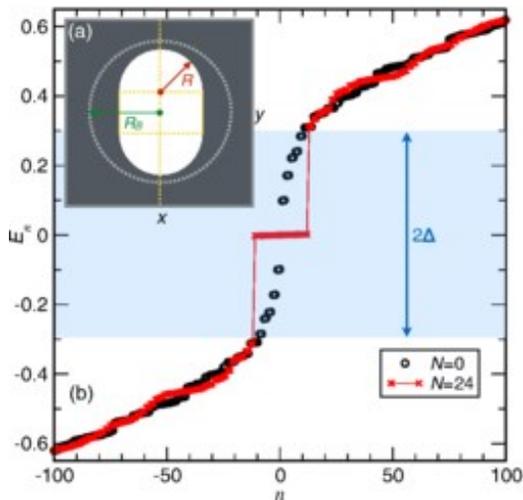
Proposals for experimental realization

arXiv:1702.04426



N quanta of magnetic flux through a nanoscale hole

Inhomogeneous wave functions due to the irregular shape of the hole

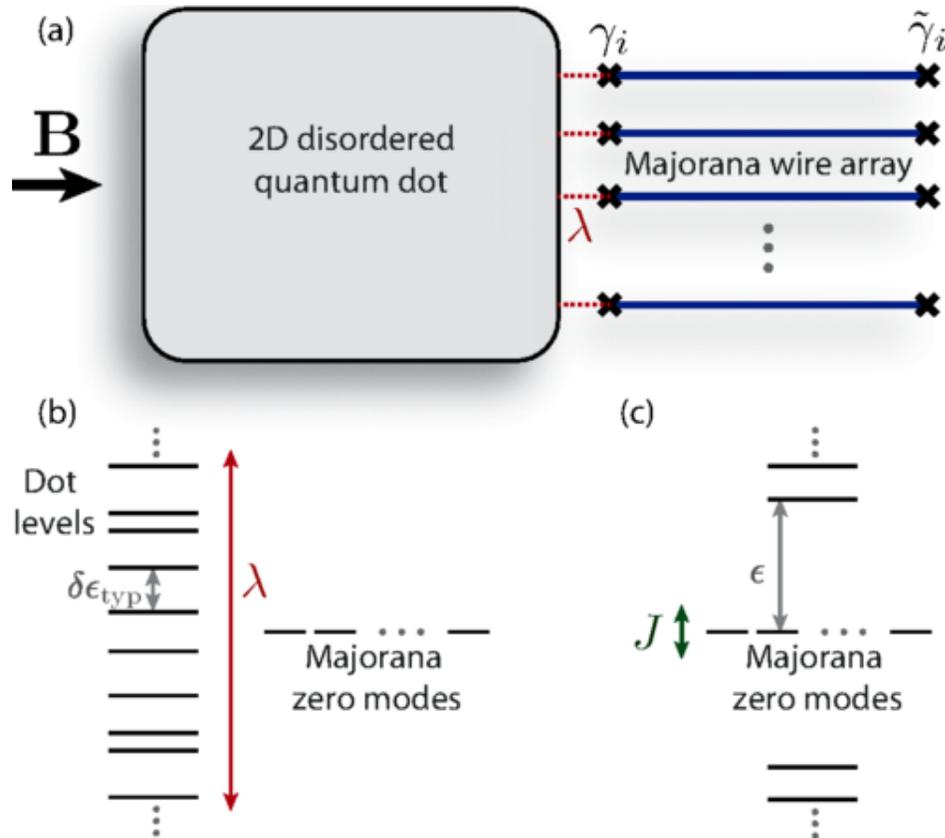


Zero energy states: Majorana fermions

D. I. Pikulin and M. Franz,
“Black Hole on a Chip: Proposal
for a Physical Realization of the
Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model in a
Solid-State System”,
PRX **7**, 031006 (2017)

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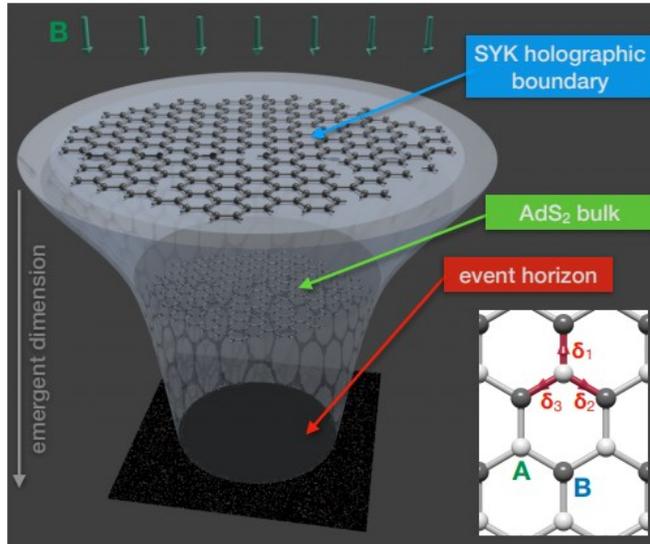
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Aaron Chew, Andrew Essin, and Jason Alicea,
“Approximating the Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model with Majorana wires”, PRB **96**, 121119(R) (2017)

Proposals for experimental realization

arXiv:1802.00802



Anfany Chen, R. Ilan, F. de Juan, D.I. Pikulin, M. Franz,
“Quantum holography in a graphene flake with an irregular boundary”,
arXiv:1802.00802 [PRL **121**, 036403 (2018)]

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Mimicking black hole event horizons in atomic and solid-state systems

Marcel Franz  & Moshe Rozali

Nature Reviews Materials **3**, 491–501 (2018) | [Download Citation](#) 

Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model

N Majorana- or Dirac- fermions randomly coupled to each other

[Majorana version]

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\sqrt{3!}}{N^{3/2}} \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d \leq N} J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d$$

[A. Kitaev: talks at KITP

(Feb 12, Apr 7 and May 27, 2015)]

[Dirac version]

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{(2N)^{3/2}} \sum_{ij;kl} J_{ij;kl} \hat{c}_i^\dagger \hat{c}_j^\dagger \hat{c}_k \hat{c}_l$$

[A. Kitaev's talk]

[S. Sachdev: PRX **5**, 041025 (2015)]

- Solvable in the large N limit, Sachdev-Ye “spin liquid” ground state
- Nearly conformal symmetric at low temperature (“emergent ...”)
- Connection to topological phases of matter
- Holographically corresponds to a quantum black hole?
- Realizes the Maldacena-Shenker-Stanford chaos bound $\lambda_L = 2\pi k_B T / \hbar$

Classification and random matrix theory

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\sqrt{3!}}{N^{3/2}} \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d \leq N} J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d$$

SPT phase classification for class BDI:

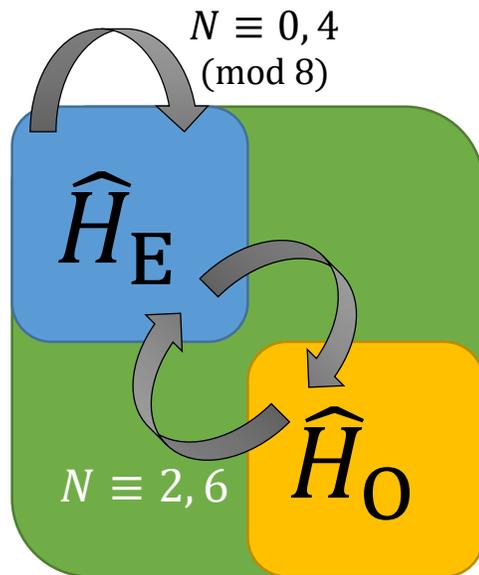
$\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_8$ due to interaction

[L. Fidkowski and A. Kitaev, PRB 2010, PRB 2011]

Introduce $N/2$ complex fermions $\hat{c}_j = \frac{(\hat{\chi}_{2j-1} + i\hat{\chi}_{2j})}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d$ respects the complex fermion parity

Even (\hat{H}_E) and odd (\hat{H}_O) sectors: $L = 2^{N/2-1}$ dimensions



$N \pmod{8}$	0	2	4	6
η	-1	+1	+1	-1
\hat{X}^2	+1	+1	-1	-1
\hat{X} maps H_E to	H_E	H_O	H_E	H_O
Class	AI	A+A	AI	A+A
Gaussian ensemble	GOE	GUE	GSE	GUE

$$\hat{X} = \hat{K} \prod_{j=1}^{N/2} (\hat{c}_j^\dagger + \hat{c}_j)$$

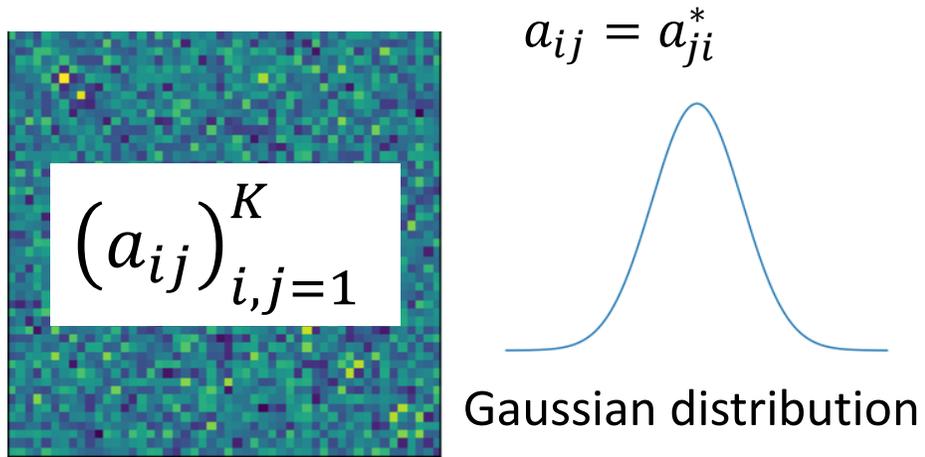
$$\hat{X} \hat{c}_j \hat{X} = \eta \hat{c}_j^\dagger$$

[You, Ludwig, and Xu, PRB 2017]

Sparse, but energy spectral statistics strongly resemble that of the corresponding (dense) Gaussian ensemble

[Cotler, ..., MT, JHEP 2017]

Gaussian random matrices



$$\text{Density} \propto e^{-\frac{\beta K}{4} \text{Tr} H^2} = \exp\left(-\frac{\beta K}{4} \sum_{i,j} |a_{ij}|^2\right)$$

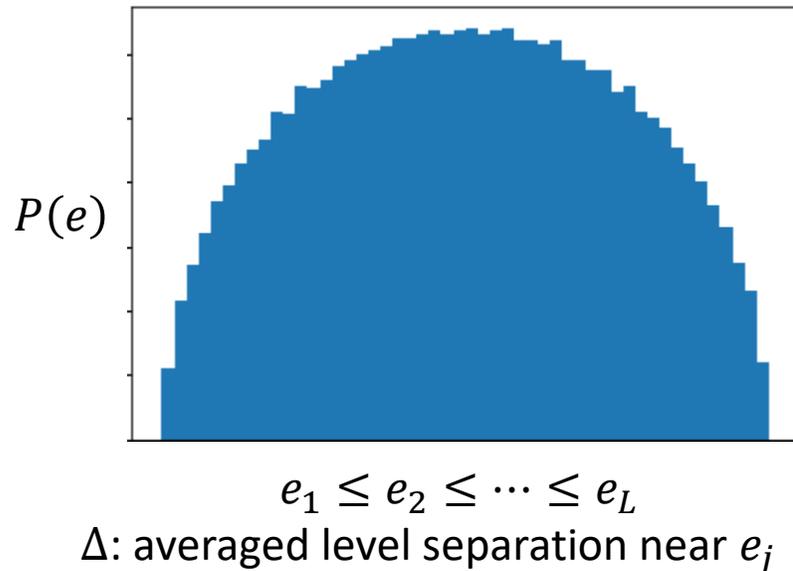
[F. J. Dyson, J. Math. Phys. **3**, 1199 (1962)]

Real ($\beta=1$): Gaussian Orthogonal Ensemble (GOE)

Complex ($\beta=2$): G. Unitary E. (GUE)

Quaternion ($\beta=4$): G. Symplectic E. (GSE)

Eigenvalue distribution: semi-circle law



Joint distribution

$$p(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_K) \propto \prod_{1 \leq i < j \leq K} |e_i - e_j|^\beta \prod_{i=1}^K e^{-\beta K e_i^2 / 4}$$

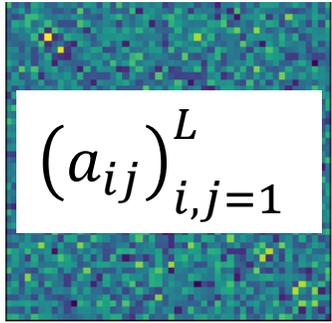
Level repulsion

- $P(s)$: Distribution of normalized level separation $s = \frac{e_{j+1} - e_j}{\Delta(\bar{e})}$

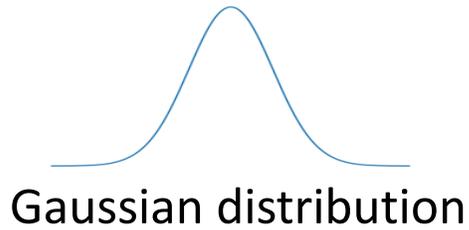
GOE/GUE/GSE: $P(s) \propto s^\beta$ at small s , has e^{-s^2} tail

Uncorrelated: $P(s) = e^{-s}$ (Poisson distribution)

Gaussian random matrices



$$a_{ij} = a_{ji}^*$$

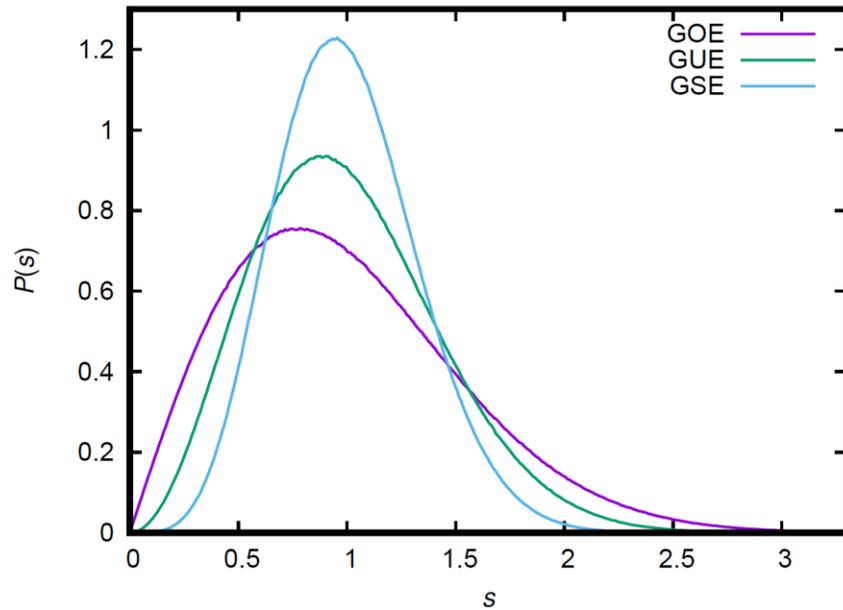


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$$r = \frac{\min(e_{i+1} - e_i, e_{i+2} - e_{i+1})}{\max(e_{i+1} - e_i, e_{i+2} - e_{i+1})}$$

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Uncorrelated: $P(s) = e^{-s}$ (Poisson distribution)

- $\langle r \rangle$: Average of neighboring gap ratio

Uncorrelated: $2 \log 2 - 1 \approx 0.386$

GOE/GUE/GSE: larger (e.g. 0.599 for GUE [Y. Y. Atas *et al.* PRL 2013])

➔ SYK model results: indistinguishable from corresponding Gaussian ensemble

Density of states

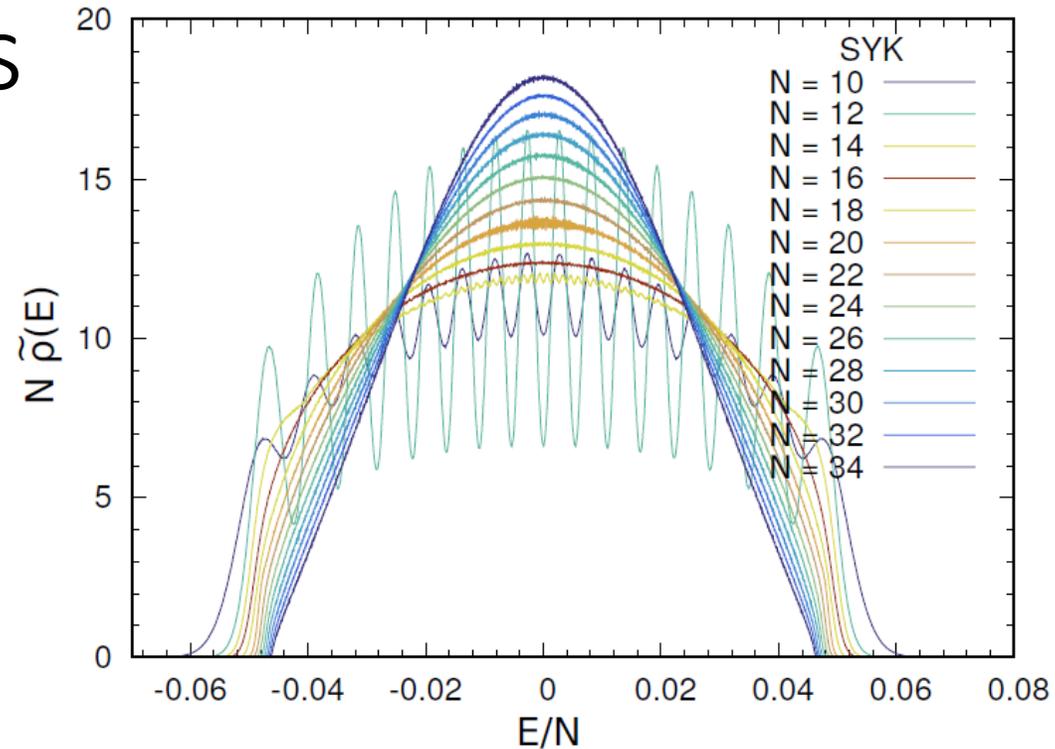
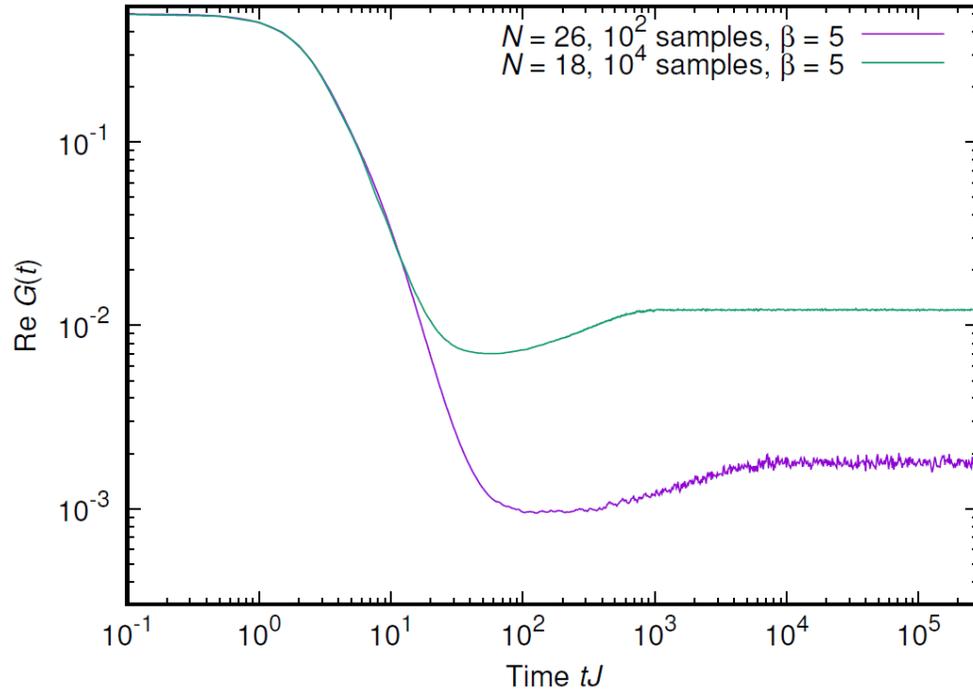


Figure 15. Normalized density of states $\tilde{\rho}(E)$ for the SYK model with $N = 10, 12, \dots, 34$. The bin width is $10^{-3}J$. Notice that the energy is measured in units of NJ . The numbers of samples are 21600000 ($N = 10$), 10800000 ($N = 12$), 5400000 ($N = 14$), 1200000 ($N = 16$), 600 000 ($N = 18$), 240 000 ($N = 20$), 120 000 ($N = 22$), 48 000 ($N = 24$), 10 000 ($N = 26$), 3 000 ($N = 28$), 1 000 ($N = 30$), 516 ($N = 32$), 90 ($N = 34$).

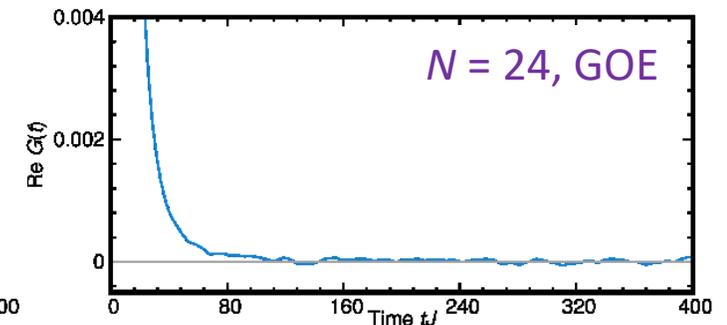
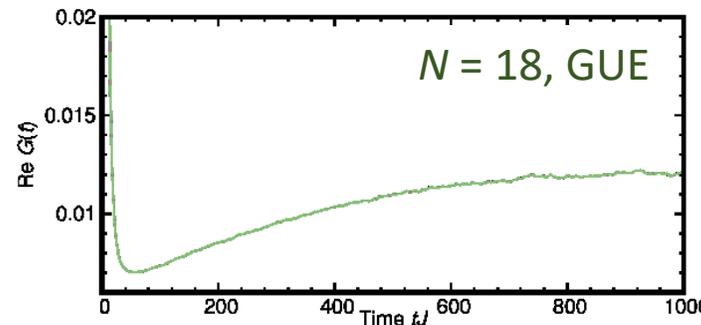
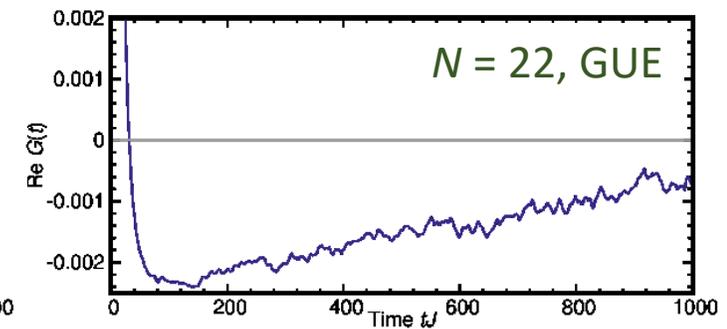
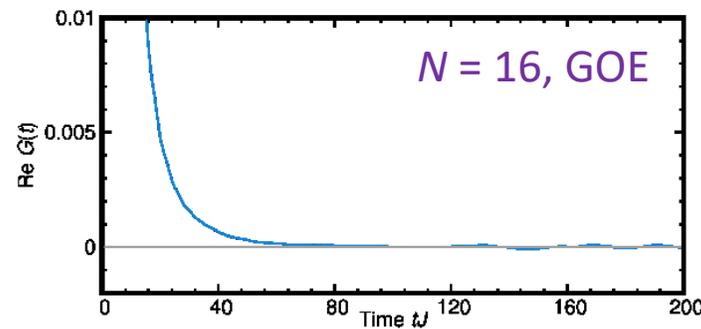
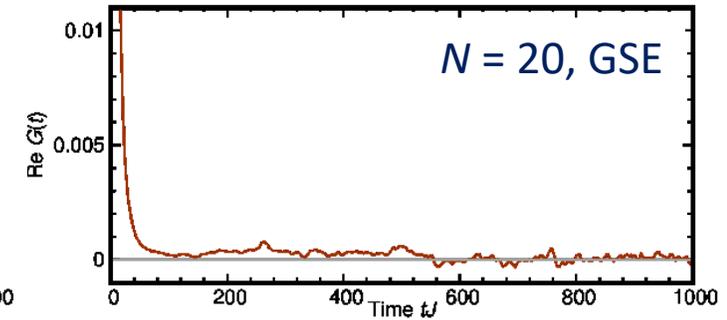
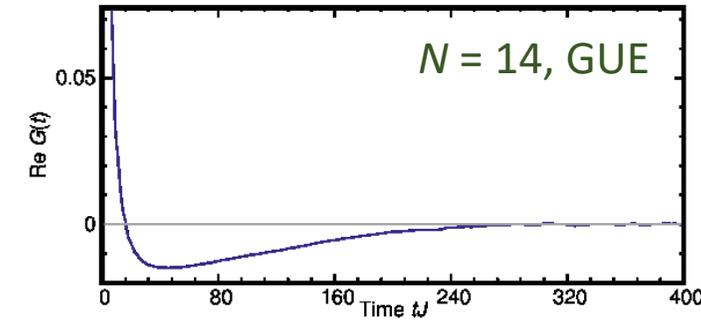
Correlation function

$$G(t) = \langle \hat{\chi}_a(t) \hat{\chi}_a(0) \rangle_\beta = \frac{1}{Z(\beta)} \sum_{m,n} e^{-\beta E_m} |\langle m | \hat{\chi}_a | n \rangle|^2 e^{i(E_m - E_n)t}$$

Dip-ramp-plateau structure for $N \equiv 2 \pmod{8}$



$N \pmod{8}$	0	2	4	6
\hat{X} maps H_E to	H_E	H_O	H_E	H_O
$\langle \text{even} \chi \text{odd} \rangle$		finite		0
Gaussian ensemble	GOE	GUE	GSE	GUE

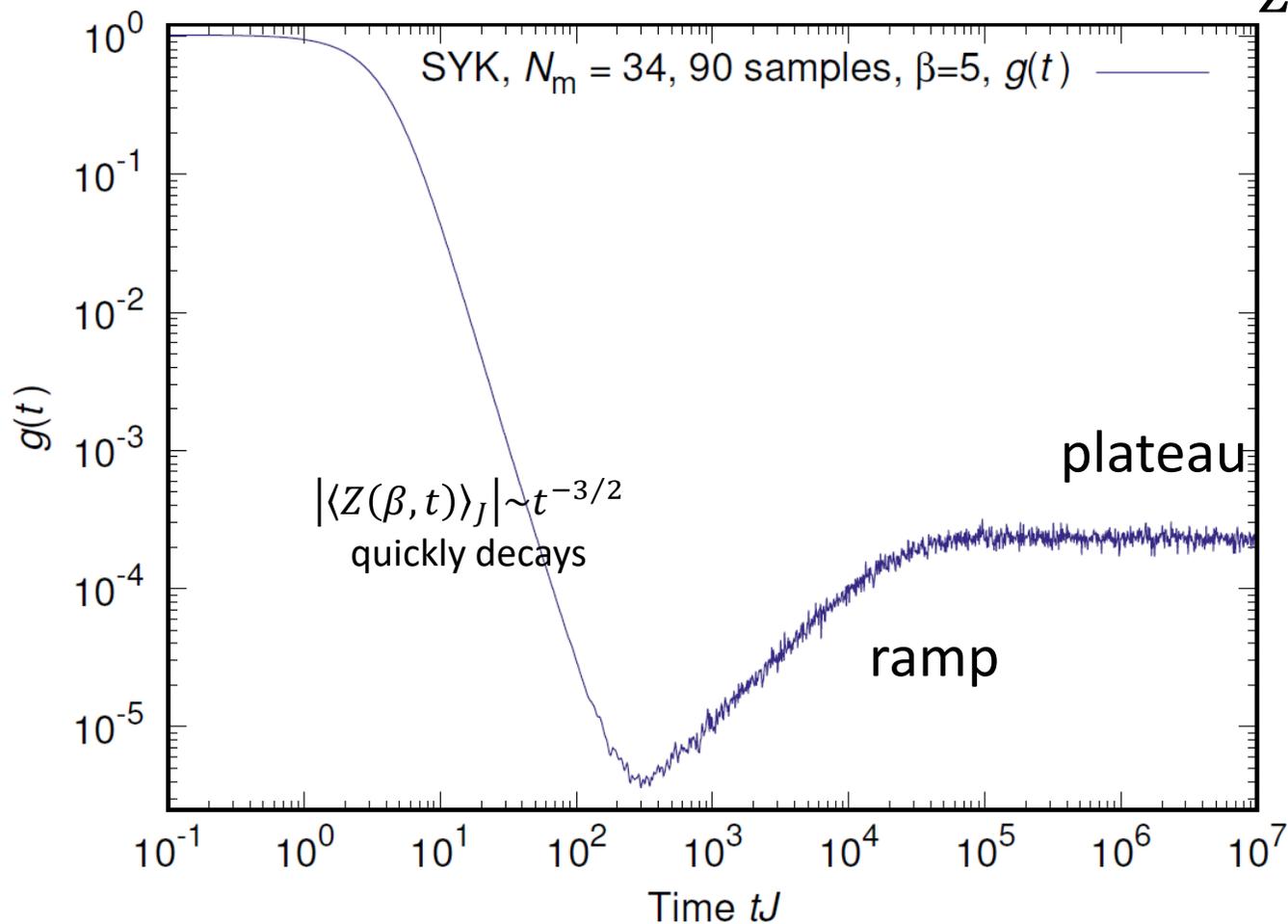


Spectral form factor

$$G(t) = \langle \hat{\chi}_a(t) \hat{\chi}_a(0) \rangle_\beta = \frac{1}{Z(\beta, t=0)} \sum_{m,n} e^{-\beta E_m} |\langle m | \hat{\chi}_a | n \rangle|^2 e^{i(E_m - E_n)t}$$

$$g(\beta, t) = \left| \frac{Z(\beta, t)}{Z(\beta, t=0)} \right|^2 = \frac{1}{Z(\beta, t=0)^2} \sum_{m,n} e^{-\beta(E_m + E_n)} e^{i(E_m - E_n)t}$$

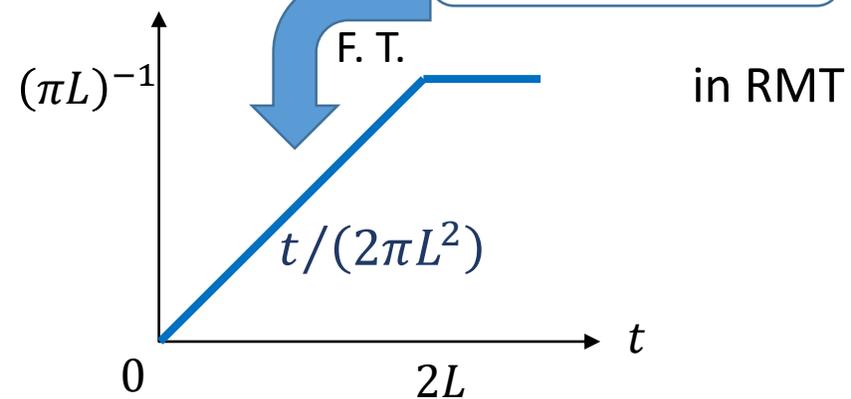
$$Z(\beta, t) = Z(\beta + it) = \text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H} - i \hat{H} t})$$



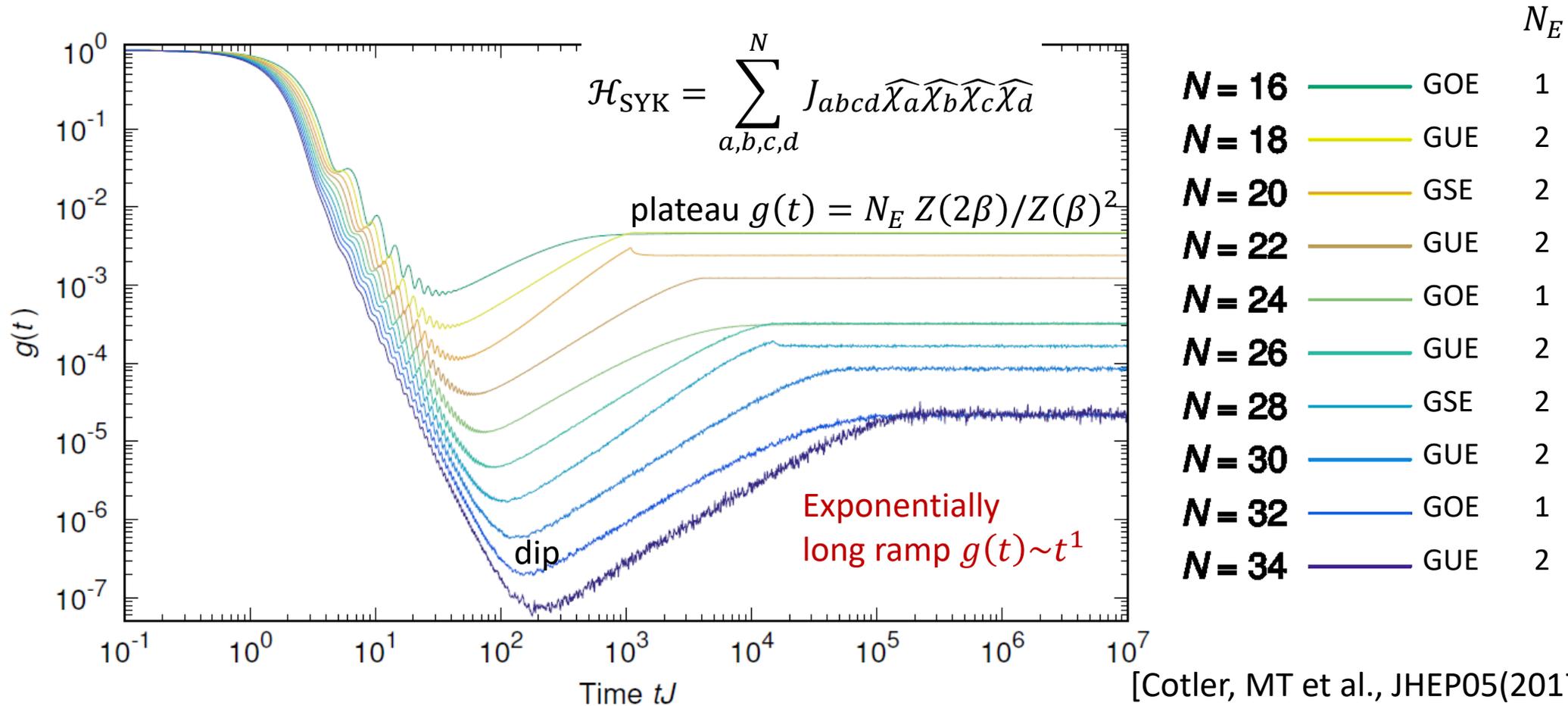
$$g_c(\beta, t) = \frac{\langle |Z(\beta, t)|^2 \rangle_J - |\langle Z(\beta, t) \rangle_J|^2}{\langle Z(\beta) \rangle_J^2}$$

$$\sim \iint d\lambda_1 d\lambda_2 \langle \delta\rho(\lambda_1) \delta\rho(\lambda_2) \rangle e^{it(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)}$$

$$R(\lambda) = \langle \delta\rho(\lambda_1) \delta\rho(\lambda_1 - \lambda) \rangle = -\frac{\sin^2 L\lambda}{(\pi L\lambda)^2} + \frac{1}{\pi L} \delta(\lambda)$$



N dependence of the spectral form factor



Characterization of quantum many-body chaos

- Random-matrix like energy level correlation

- Exponential Lyapunov growth of out-of-time-order correlators (OTOC)

$$\langle \widehat{W}^\dagger(t) \widehat{V}^\dagger(0) \widehat{W}(t) \widehat{V}(0) \rangle \sim C + \# e^{2\lambda_L t}$$

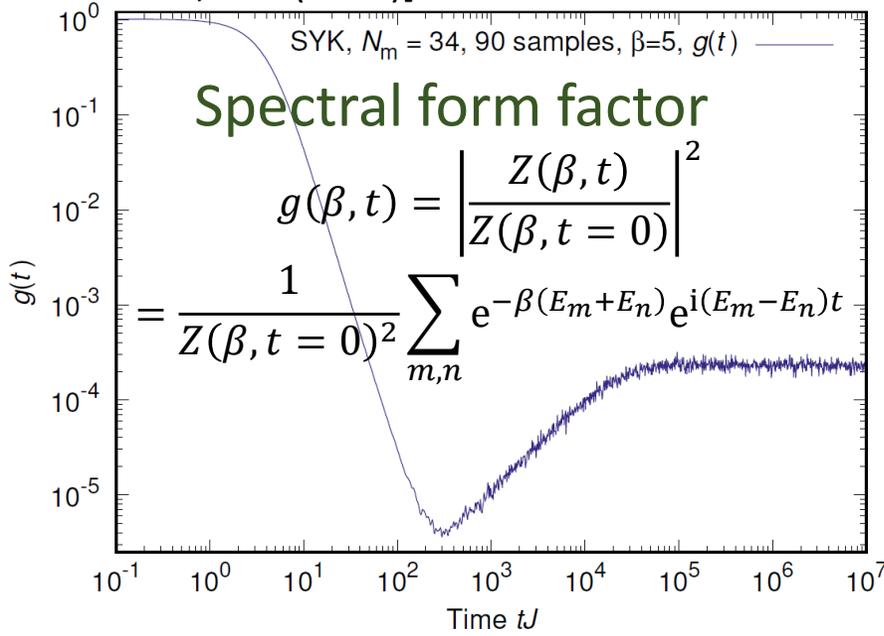
Example: the Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model

$$\widehat{H} = \frac{\sqrt{3!}}{N^{3/2}} \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d \leq N} J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d$$

$\{\hat{\chi}_a, \hat{\chi}_b\} = \delta_{ab}$
 J_{abcd} : Gaussian random
 $(\langle J_{abcd}^2 \rangle = J^2 = 1)$

[Kitaev 2015]

[Cotler, MT et al.,
JHEP **1705**, 118 (2017)]



$N \bmod 8$	RMT
0	GOE
2	GUE
4	GSE
6	GUE

Lyapunov exponent

$$\lambda_L = \frac{2\pi k_B T}{\hbar} \text{ in low } T \text{ limit}$$

(Maldacena-Shenker-Stanford chaos bound)

We propose two new characterizations of quantum chaos

- Quantum Lyapunov spectrum:
Quantum version of finite-time Lyapunov spectrum

- Two-point correlations:

$\widehat{M}_{ab}(t)$: (anti)commutator of $\widehat{O}_a(t)$ and $\widehat{O}_b(0)$

$$\widehat{L}_{ab}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^N \widehat{M}_{ja}(t)^\dagger \widehat{M}_{jb}(t)$$

$\left\{ \lambda_k(t) = \frac{\log s_k(t)}{2t} \right\}$ for singular values
 $\{s_k(t)\}_{k=1}^N$ of $N \times N$ matrix $\langle \phi | \widehat{L}_{ab}(t) | \phi \rangle$.

$G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi | \widehat{O}_a(t) \widehat{O}_b(0) | \phi \rangle$ as matrix,
log (singular values)

[arXiv:1809.01671](https://arxiv.org/abs/1809.01671)

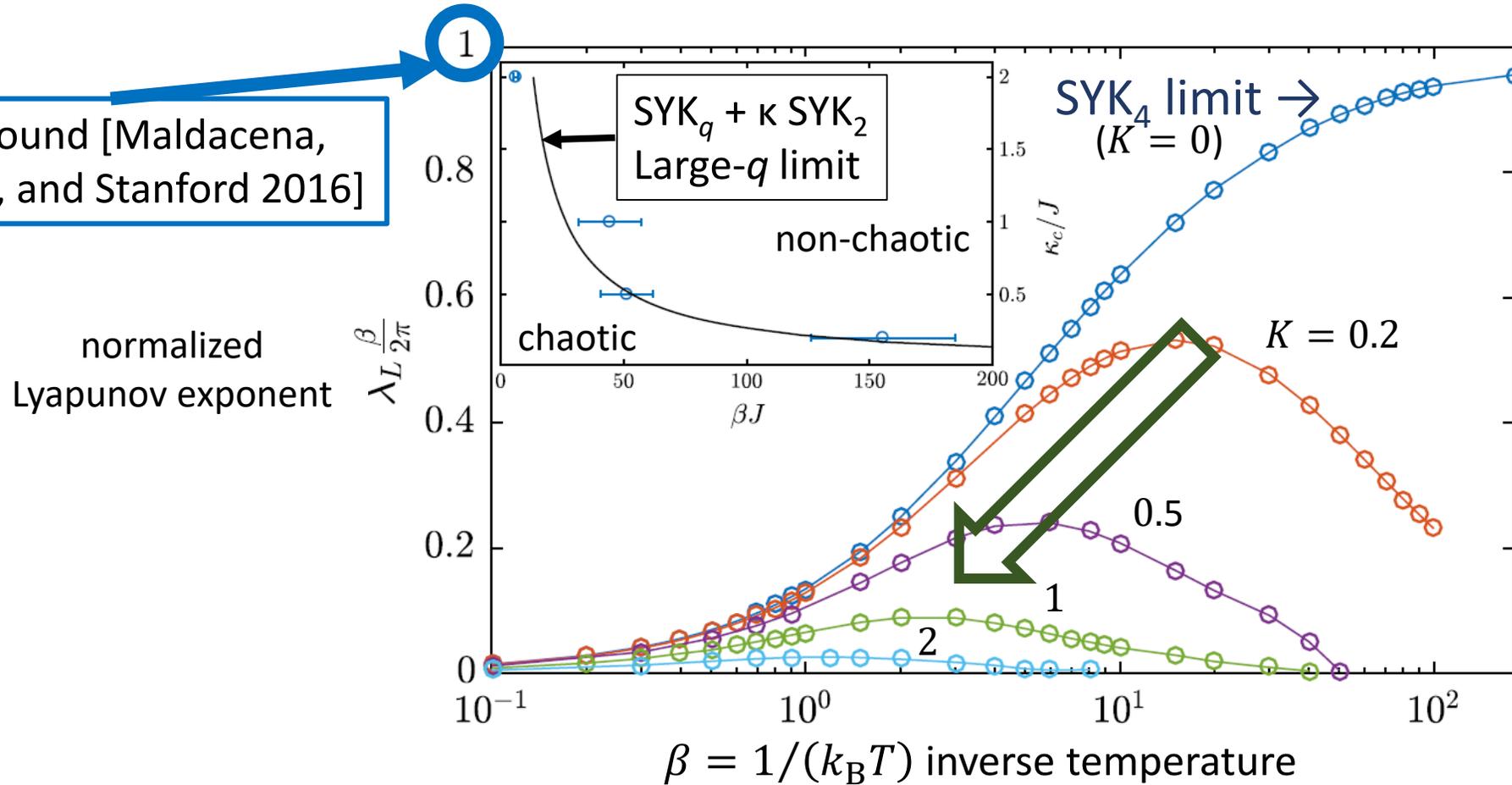
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Modified SYK model: Large- N calculation for OTOC

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d}^N \text{SYK}_4 J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d + i \sum_{1 \leq a < b}^N \text{SYK}_2 K_{ab} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b$$

K_{ab} : standard deviation $\frac{K}{\sqrt{N}}$

Chaos bound [Maldacena, Shenker, and Stanford 2016]



A. M. Garcia-Garcia,
B. Loureiro,
A. Romero-Bermudez,
and MT, PRL **120**,
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Deviation from the chaos bound as SYK₂ component is introduced

1. Quantum Lyapunov spectrum

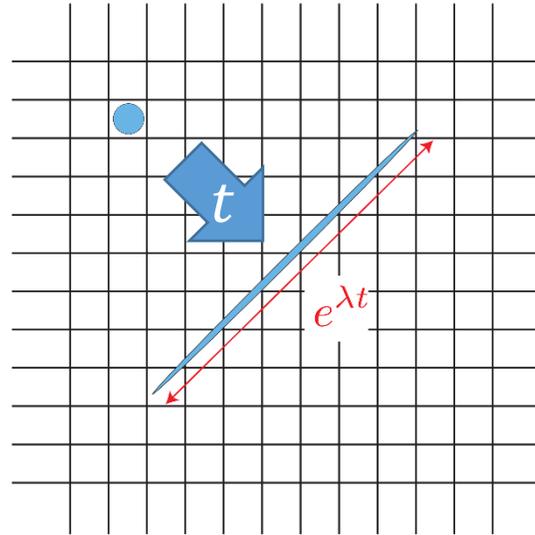
OTOCs have been intensively studied:

$$F(t) = \langle \hat{W}^\dagger(t) \hat{V}^\dagger(0) \hat{W}(t) \hat{V}(0) \rangle$$

- Measurement protocols
 - [B. Swingle, G. Bentsen, M. Schleier-Smith, P. Hayden, PRB **94**, 040302 (2016)] and experimental proposal papers for the SYK model
- Experimental measurements
 - trapped ions [M. Gärttner et al. Nat. Phys. **13**, 781 (2017) 1608.08938]
 - NMR [J. Li et al. PRX **7**, 031011 (2017) 1609.01246]
- Quantum information (scrambling, ...)
- Many-body localization
- Fluctuation-dissipation theorem
 - [N. Tsuji, T. Shitara, and M. Ueda, PRE **97**, 012101 (2018)]

Q. Which operators should we use?

Lyapunov growth of phase space



Coarse-grained phase space

- Just one direction?
- If more than one, what are relations between λ ?

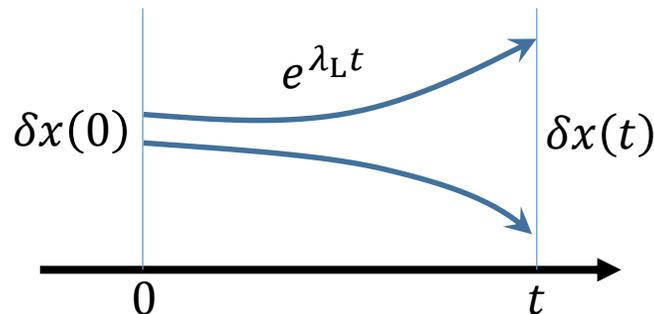
Observation for classical chaos

Classical system with K degrees of freedom

Deviation at t initial infinitesimal deviation

$$\delta x_i(t) = M_{ij} \delta x_j(0)$$

$$M_{ij} = \frac{\delta x_i(t)}{\delta x_j(0)} = \{x(t), p(0)\}_{\text{PB}}$$



(Usually $t \rightarrow \infty$ limit is taken for obtaining λ_L)

$$L = \left(\frac{\delta x_i(t)}{\delta x_j(0)} \right)^2 \quad \{x(t), p(0)\}_{\text{PB}}^2 = \left(\frac{\partial x(t)}{\partial x(0)} \right)^2 \rightarrow e^{2\lambda_L t}$$

We consider finite t

Singular values of M_{ij} : $\{a_k(t)\}_{k=1}^K$

Time-dependent Lyapunov spectrum

$$\left\{ \lambda_k(t) = \frac{\log a_k(t)}{t} \right\}_{k=1,2,\dots,K}$$

obeys random matrix-like statistics

in several chaotic systems

- Logistic map
- Lorenz attractor
- D0 brane matrix model (without fermions)

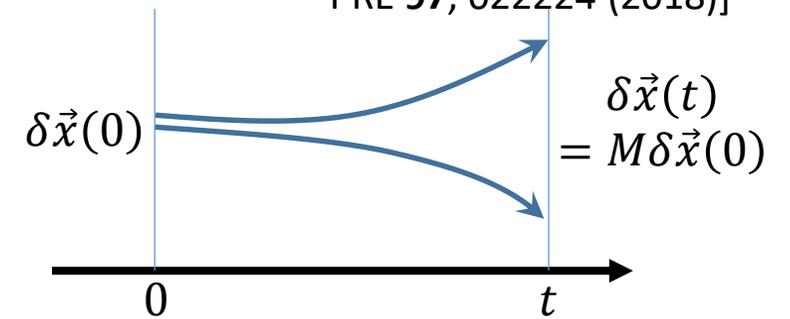
Quantum Lyapunov spectrum

Finite-time **classical Lyapunov spectrum**: obeys RMT statistics for chaos

[Hanada, Shimada, and MT:
PRE **97**, 022224 (2018)]

Singular values of $M_{ij} = \left(\frac{\partial x_i(t)}{\partial x_j(0)} \right)$ at finite t : $\{s_k(t)\} = \{e^{\lambda_k t}\}$

$$L = \{x_i(t), p_j(0)\}_{\text{PB}}^2 = \left(\frac{\partial x_i(t)}{\partial x_j(0)} \right)^2 \rightarrow e^{2\lambda_L t} \text{ for large } t$$



$$\text{OTOC: } C_T(t) = \left\langle \left| [\hat{W}(t), \hat{V}(t=0)] \right|^2 \right\rangle = \langle \hat{W}^\dagger(t) \hat{V}^\dagger(0) \hat{W}(t) \hat{V}(0) \rangle + \dots$$

Quantum Lyapunov spectrum: Define $\hat{M}_{ab}(t)$ as (anti)commutator of $\hat{O}_a(t)$ and $\hat{O}_b(0)$

$$\hat{L}_{ab}(t) = [\hat{M}(t)^\dagger \hat{M}(t)]_{ab} = \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{M}_{ja}(t)^\dagger \hat{M}_{jb}(t)$$

For $N \times N$ matrix $\langle \phi | \hat{L}_{ab}(t) | \phi \rangle$, obtain singular values $\{s_k(t)\}_{k=1}^N$.

The Lyapunov spectrum is defined as $\left\{ \lambda_k(t) = \frac{\log s_k(t)}{2t} \right\}$.

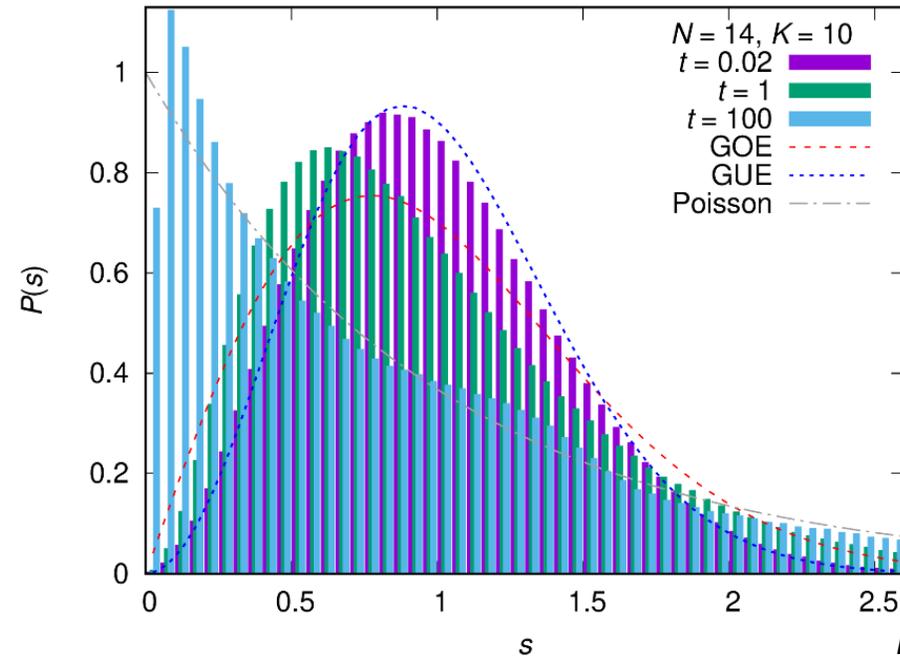
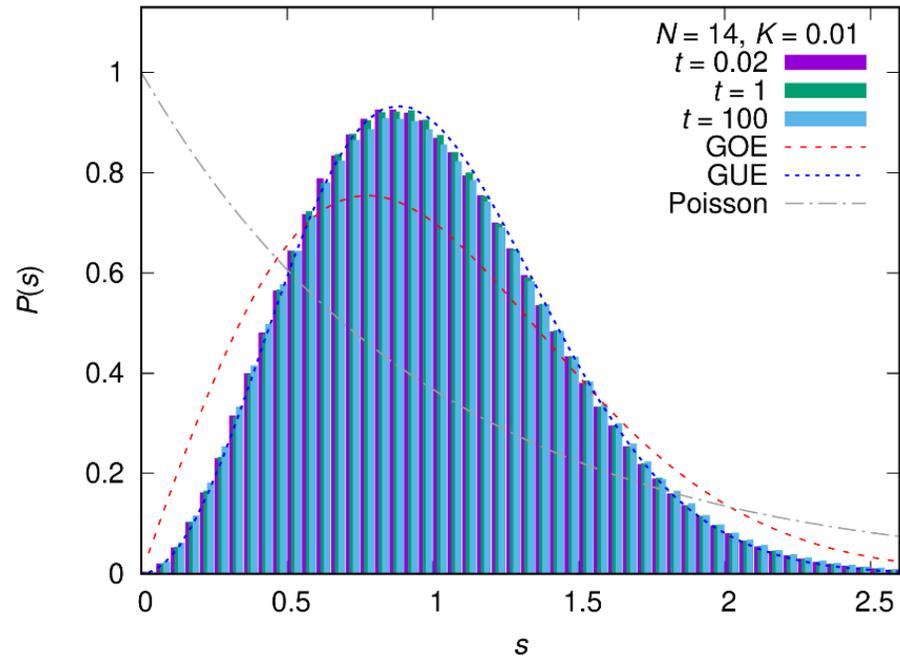
Quantum Lyapunov spectrum for SYK model + modification

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{1 \leq a < b < c < d}^N J_{abcd} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b \hat{\chi}_c \hat{\chi}_d + i \sum_{1 \leq a < b}^N K_{ab} \hat{\chi}_a \hat{\chi}_b$$

J_{abcd} : s. d. = $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{N^{3/2}}$
 K_{ab} : s. d. = $\frac{K}{\sqrt{N}}$

- Define $\hat{L}_{ab}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{M}_{ja}(t) \hat{M}_{jb}(t)$ for time-dependent anticommutator $\hat{M}_{ab}(t) = \{\hat{\chi}_a(t), \hat{\chi}_b(0)\}$.
- Obtain the singular values $\{a_k(t)\}_{k=1}^K$ of $\langle \phi | \hat{L}_{ab}(t) | \phi \rangle$
- Quantum Lyapunov spectrum: $\left\{ \lambda_k(t) = \frac{\log a_k(t)}{2t} \right\}_{k=1,2,\dots,K}$
(also dependent on state ϕ)

Spectral statistics of quantum Lyapunov spectrum: SYK



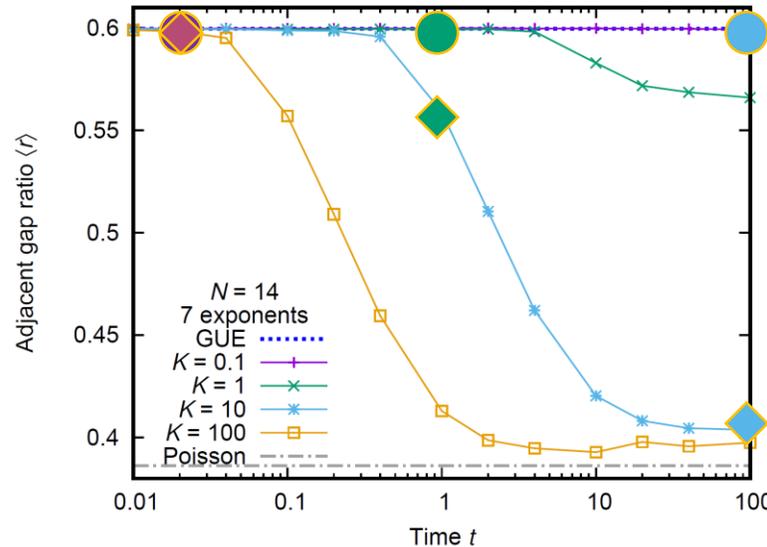
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Energy eigenstates
 $N/2$ larger exponents

$K = 0.01$ (●):
 Remains GUE for long time

Exponents are nearly constant until the singular values of $\langle \phi | \hat{L}_{ab}(t) | \phi \rangle$ saturate: Lyapunov growth

$K = 10$ (◆):
 Approaches Poisson

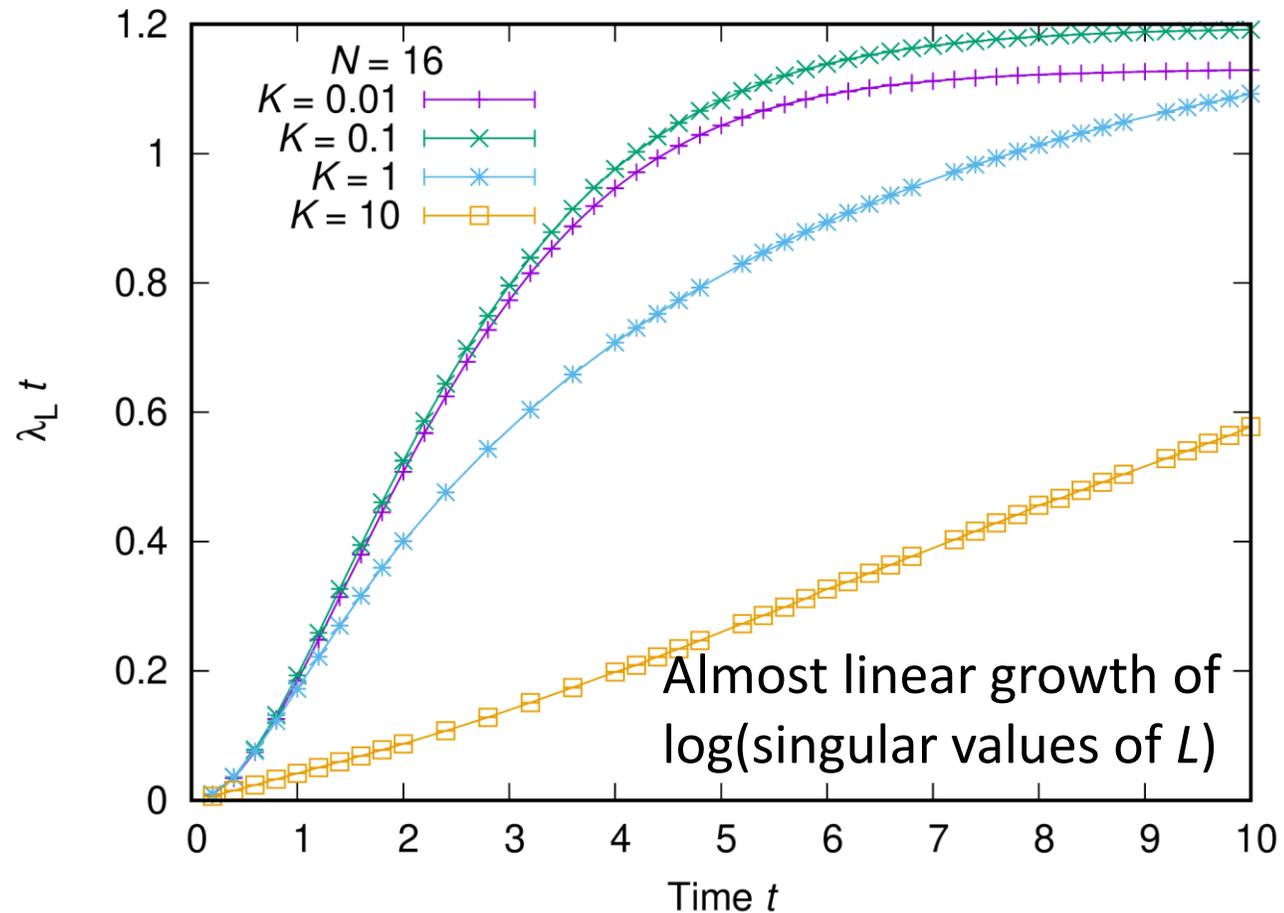


$\langle r \rangle$: average of

$$\frac{\min(\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_i, \epsilon_{i+2} - \epsilon_{i+1})}{\max(\epsilon_{i+1} - \epsilon_i, \epsilon_{i+2} - \epsilon_{i+1})}$$

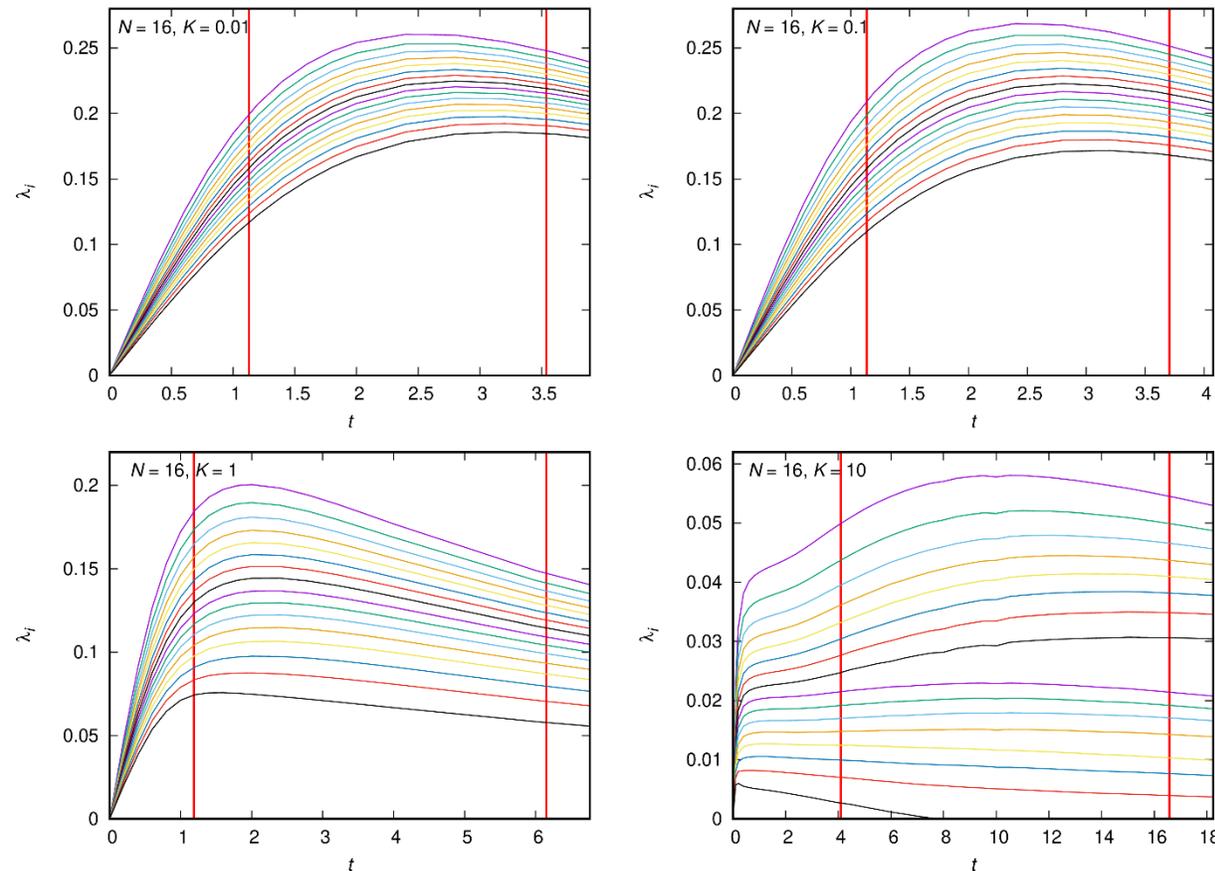
(fixed- i unfolding: unfold each gap $\lambda_{i+1} - \lambda_i$ using its average)

Growth of (largest Lyapunov exponent)*time



Full Lyapunov spectrum

Sample- and state-averaged



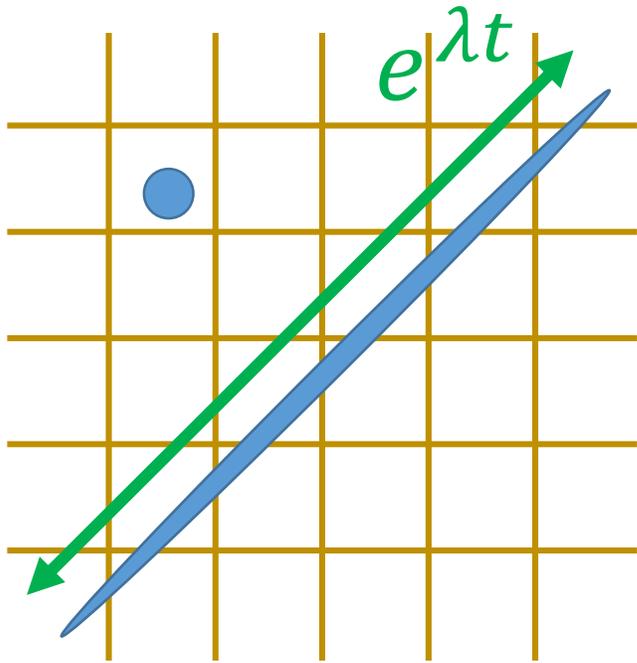
Close to constant between red lines
(20 % and 80 % of the saturated value of $\lambda_N t$)

Kolmogorov-Sinai entropy

Coarse-grained entropy

= $\log(\# \text{ of cells covering the region})$

$\sim (\text{sum of positive } \lambda) t$



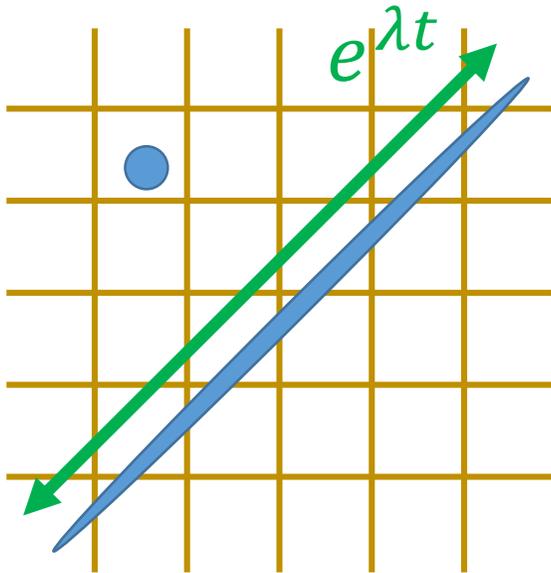
Kolmogorov-Sinai entropy h_{KS}

= (sum of positive λ)

= entropy production rate

Kolmogorov-Sinai entropy vs entanglement entropy production

Coarse-grained entropy
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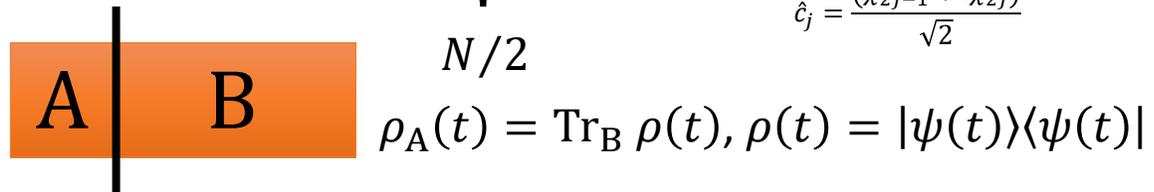


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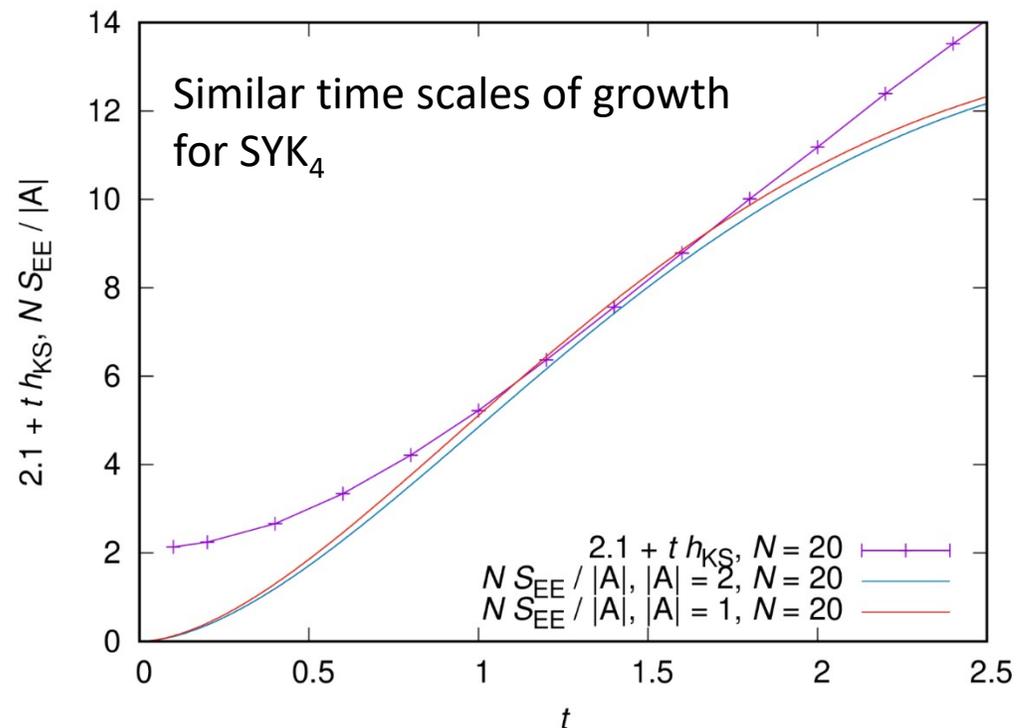
Initial state with $S_{\text{EE}} = 0$:

$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = |000 \dots 000\rangle$ in the complex fermion basis

$$\hat{c}_j = \frac{(\chi_{2j-1} + i\chi_{2j})}{\sqrt{2}}$$



$$S_{\text{EE}}(t) = -\text{Tr} \rho_A(t) \log(\rho_A(t))$$

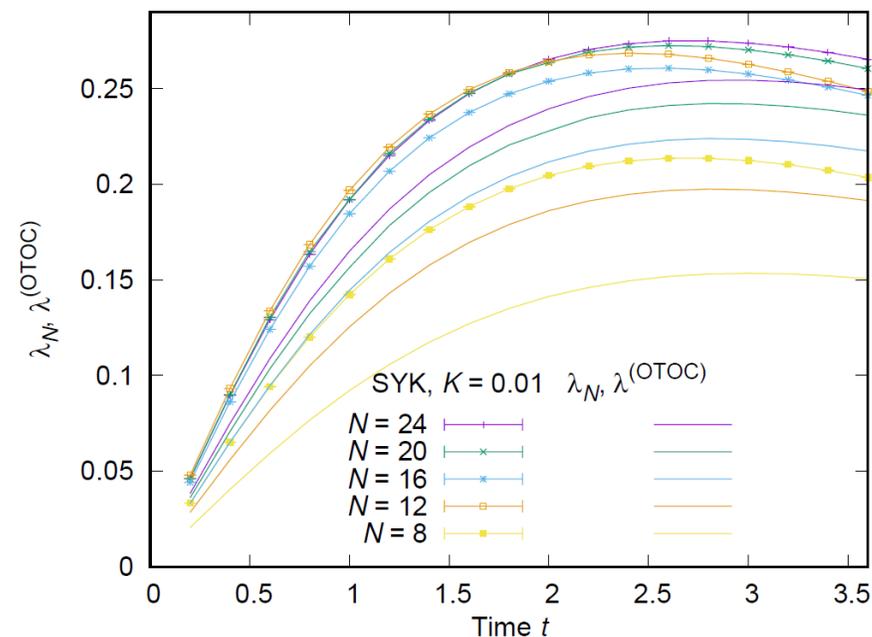


Fastest entropy production?

SYK₄ limit

- λ_N and $\lambda_{\text{OTOC}} = \frac{1}{2t} \log \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N e^{2\lambda_i t} \right)$ approach each other; difference decreases as $1/N$
- Same for λ_N and λ_1 :
all exponent \rightarrow single peak
- All saturate the MSS bound at strong coupling (low T) limit
- Growth rate of entanglement entropy $\sim h_{\text{KS}} = \text{sum of positive (all) } \lambda_i$

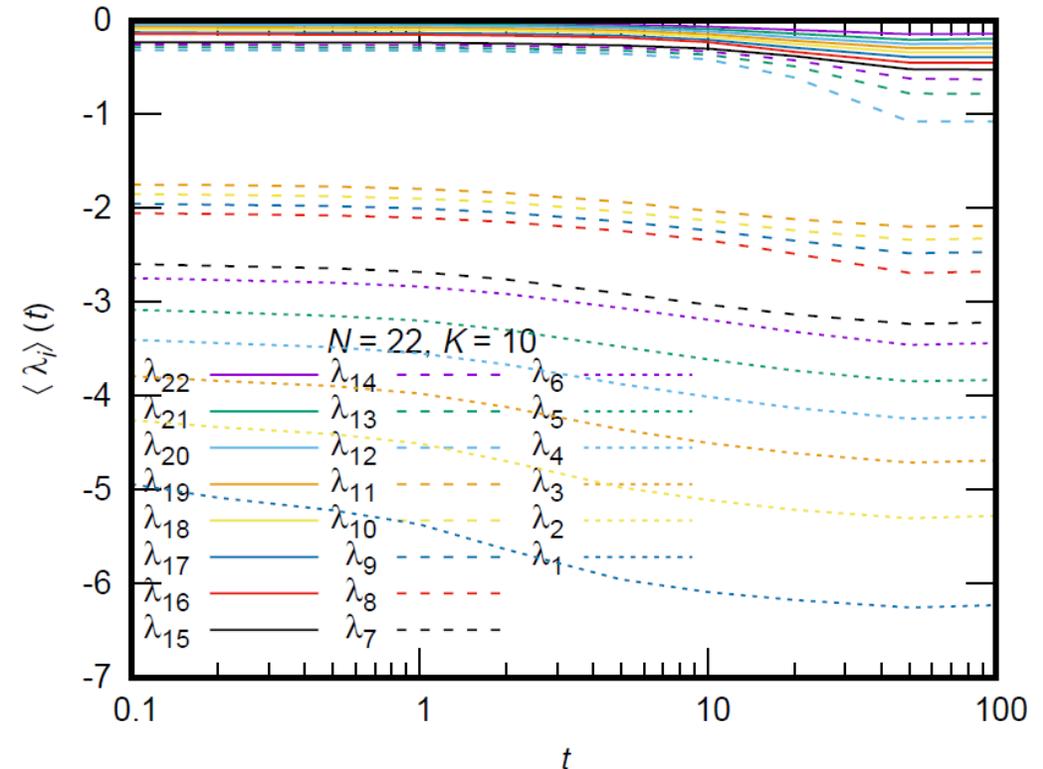
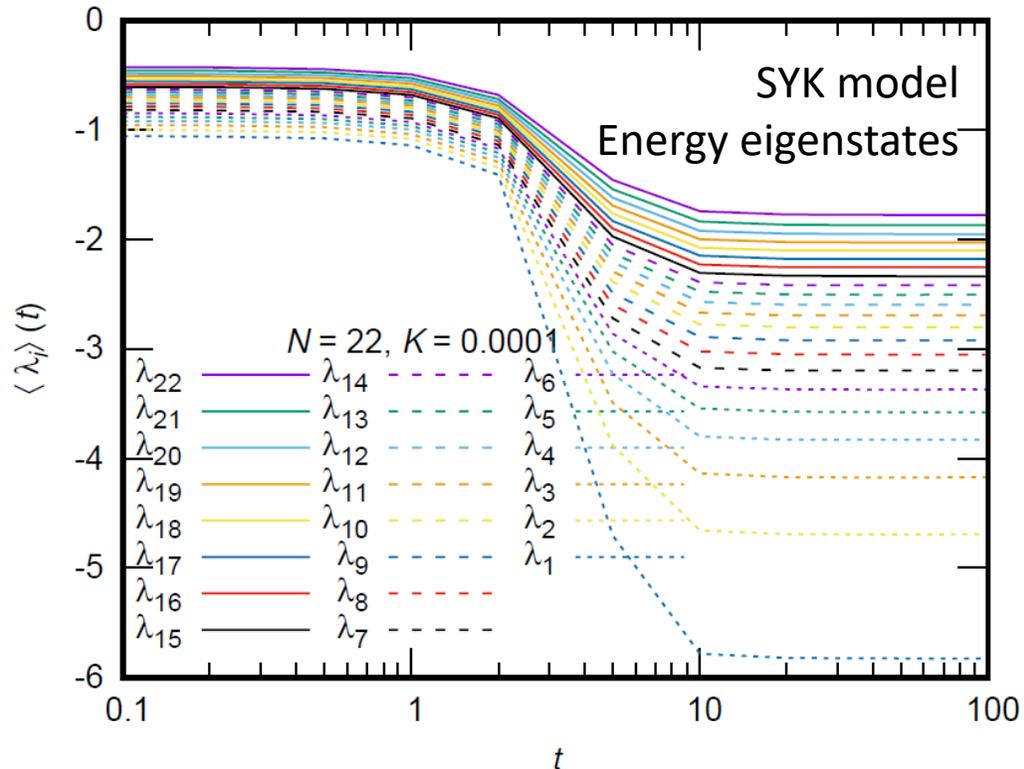
\rightarrow [conjecture] SYK model: not only the fastest scramblers, but also fastest entropy generators



2. Singular value statistics of two-point functions

$$G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi | \hat{\chi}_a(t) \hat{\chi}_b(0) | \phi \rangle$$

$$\lambda_j = \log \left[\text{singular values of } \left(G_{ab}^{(\phi)} \right) \right]$$

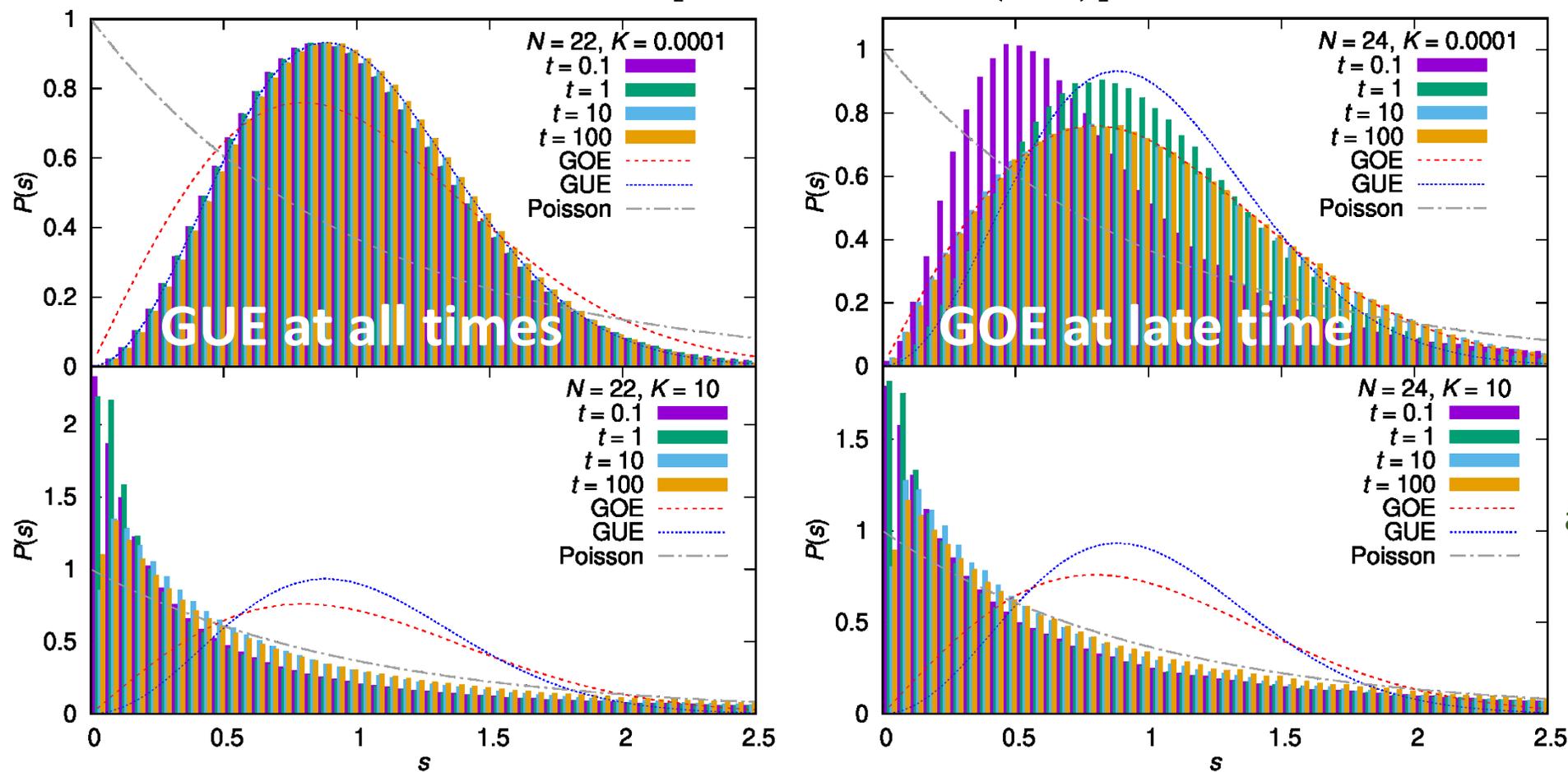


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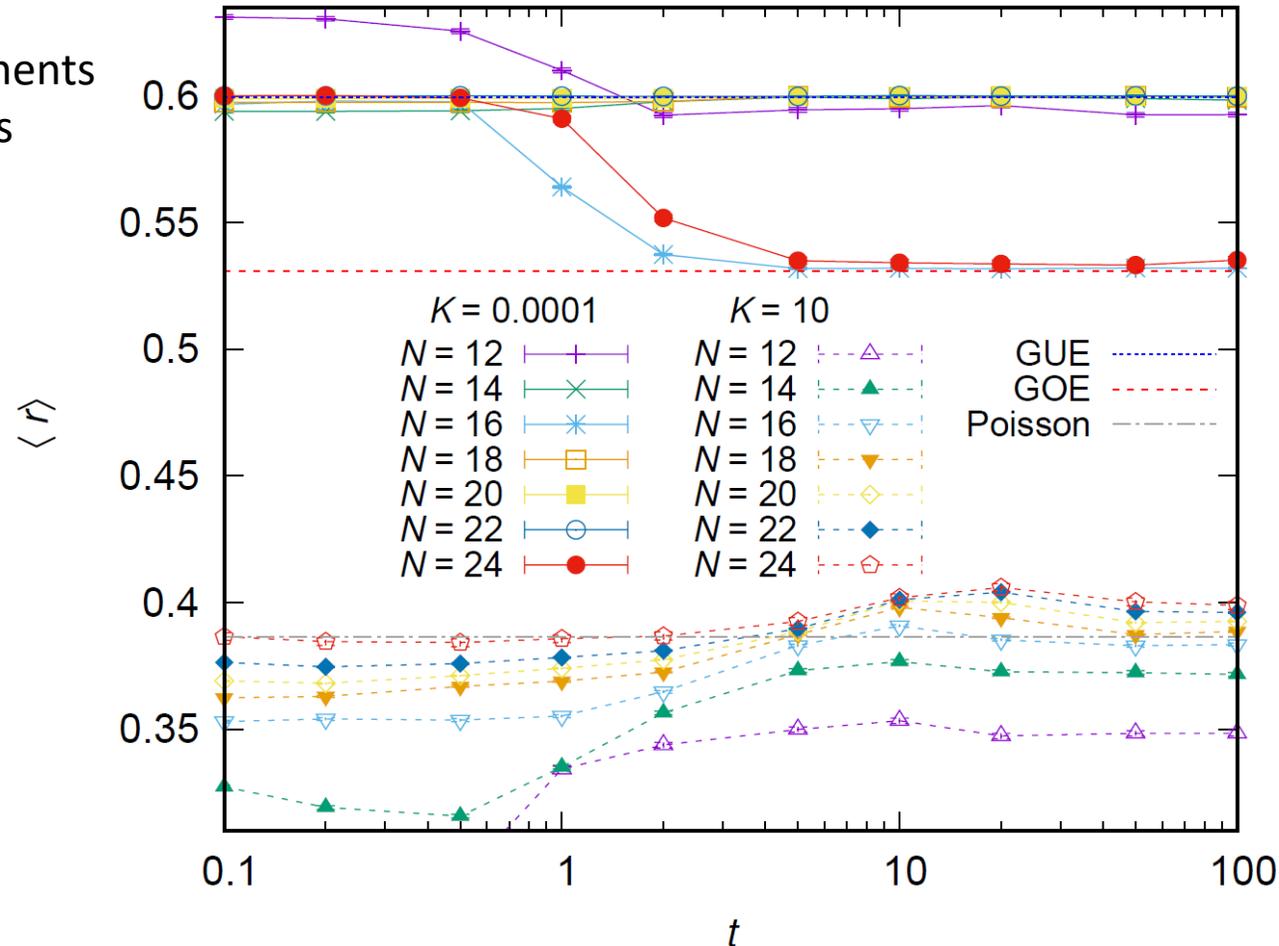
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$\langle r \rangle$: average of the adjacent gap ratio $\frac{\min(\lambda_{i+1}-\lambda_i, \lambda_{i+2}-\lambda_{i+1})}{\max(\lambda_{i+1}-\lambda_i, \lambda_{i+2}-\lambda_{i+1})}$

Uncorrelated (Poisson): $2 \log 2 - 1 \approx 0.386$

Correlated: larger (GOE: 0.5307, GUE: 0.5996 etc.) [Atas *et al.*, PRL 2013]

SYK, larger $N/2$ exponents
 ϕ : energy eigenstates



$N \bmod 8 = 2, 4, 6$: GUE

$N \bmod 8 = 0$: GOE
 (the matrix is symmetric)

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fixed- i unfolded

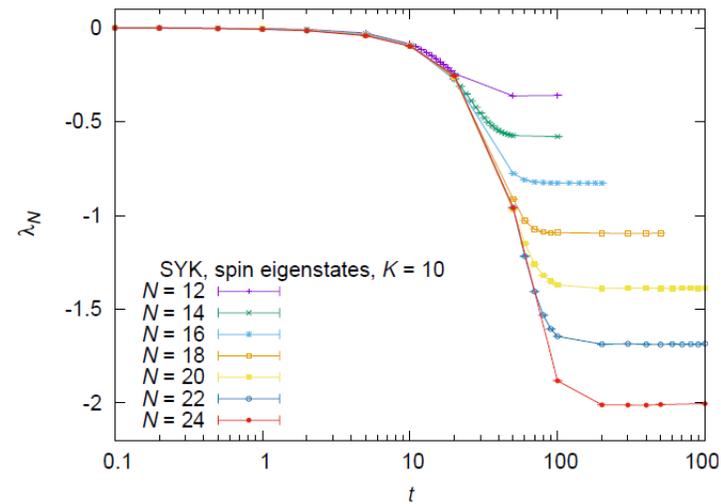
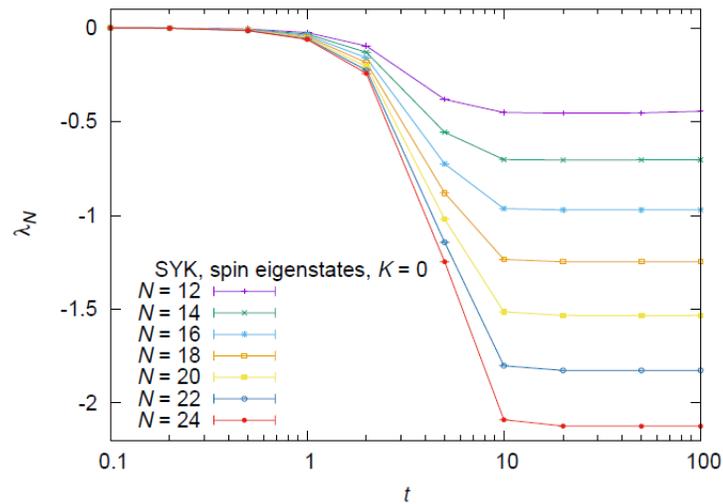
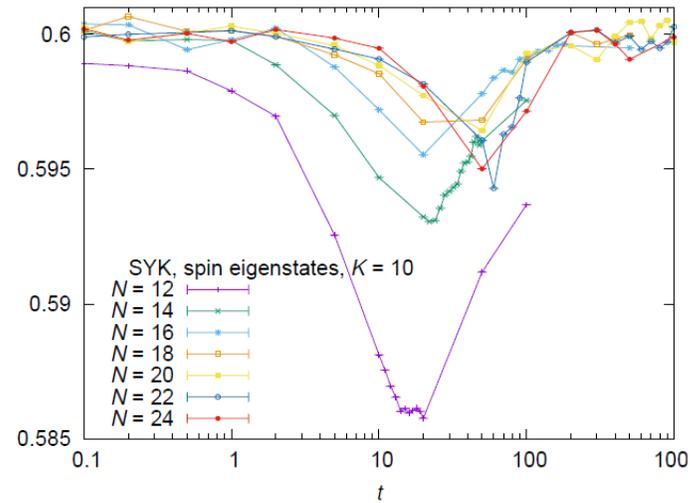
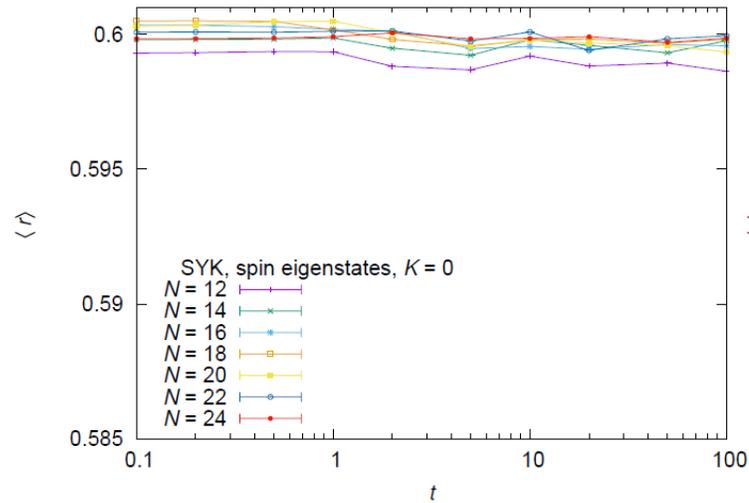
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At late time,

Random matrix behavior \Leftrightarrow chaotic (also for XXZ model + random field)

Random-matrix like for **complex fermion number eigenstates**, even for non-chaotic regime

Empty state in complex fermion description: state without long-range entanglement



The case of the random field XXZ model

$$\hat{H} = \sum_i^N \hat{\mathbf{S}}_i \cdot \hat{\mathbf{S}}_{i+1} + \sum_i^N h_i \hat{S}_i^Z \quad h_i: \text{uniform distribution } [-W, W]$$

Many-body localization transition at $W = W_c \sim 3.6$

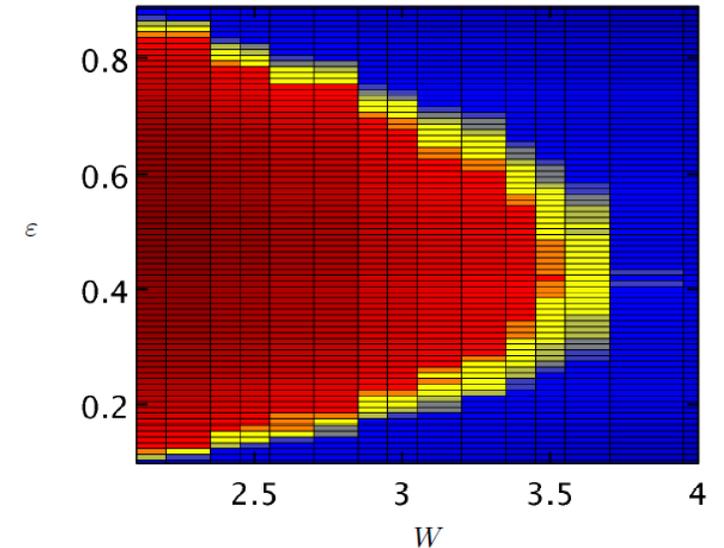
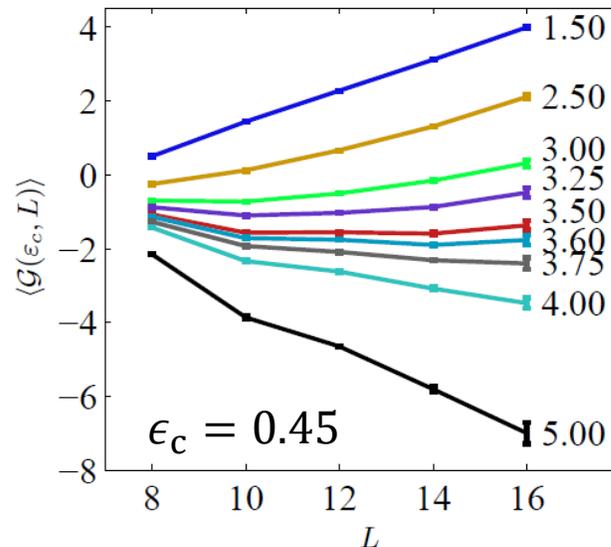
(though recently disputed; e.g. $W_c \geq 5$ proposed in E. V. H. Doggen et al., [1807.05051]
using large systems with time-dependent variational principle & machine learning)

e.g. M. Serbyn, Z. Papić, and D. A. Abanin,
Phys. Rev. X **5**, 041047 (2015) (arXiv:1507.01635)

Matrix element of local perturbation

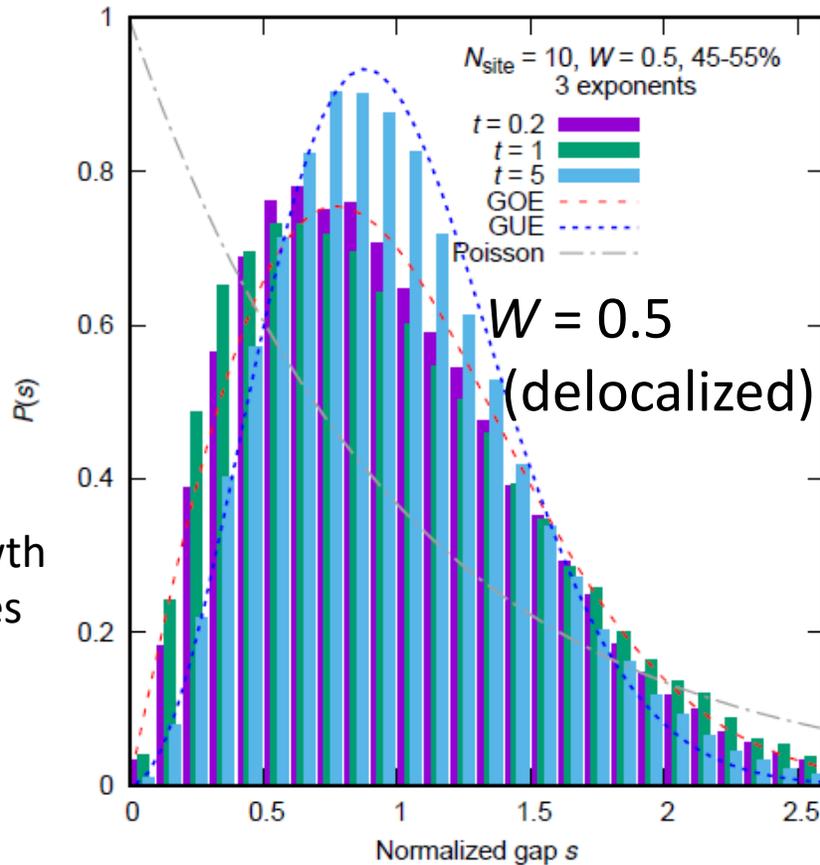
$$\mathcal{G}(\varepsilon, L) = \ln \frac{|V_{n,n+1}|}{E'_{n+1} - E'_n}$$

Energy separation of
neighboring energy eigenstates

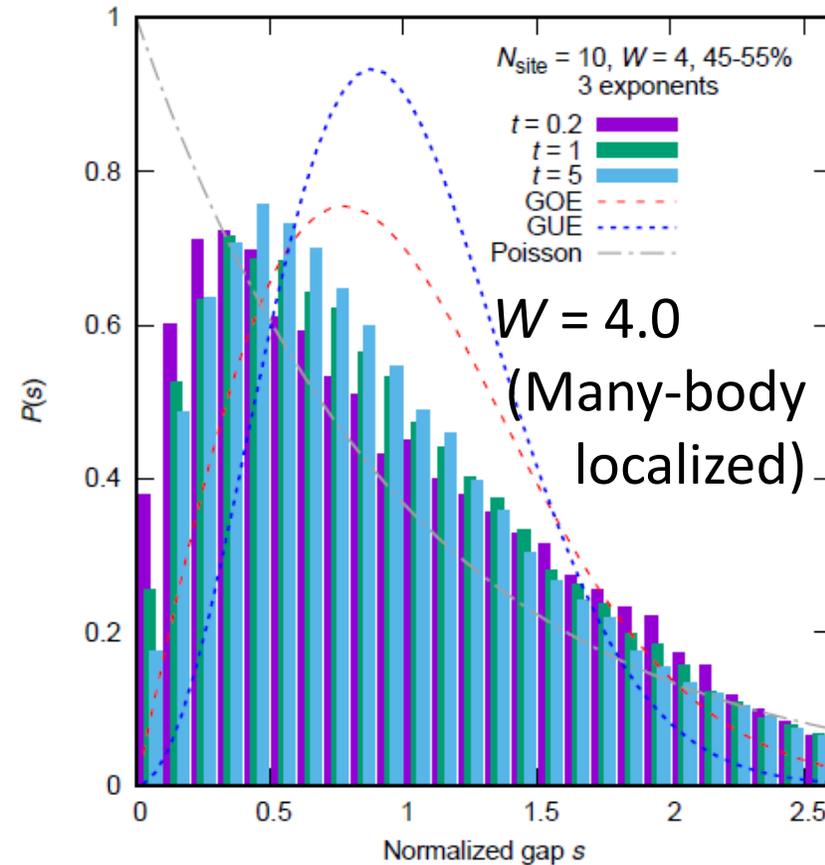


Spectral statistics of QLS for random field XXZ

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✘ Exponential growth of the singular values is not observed, but the statistics approach GUE



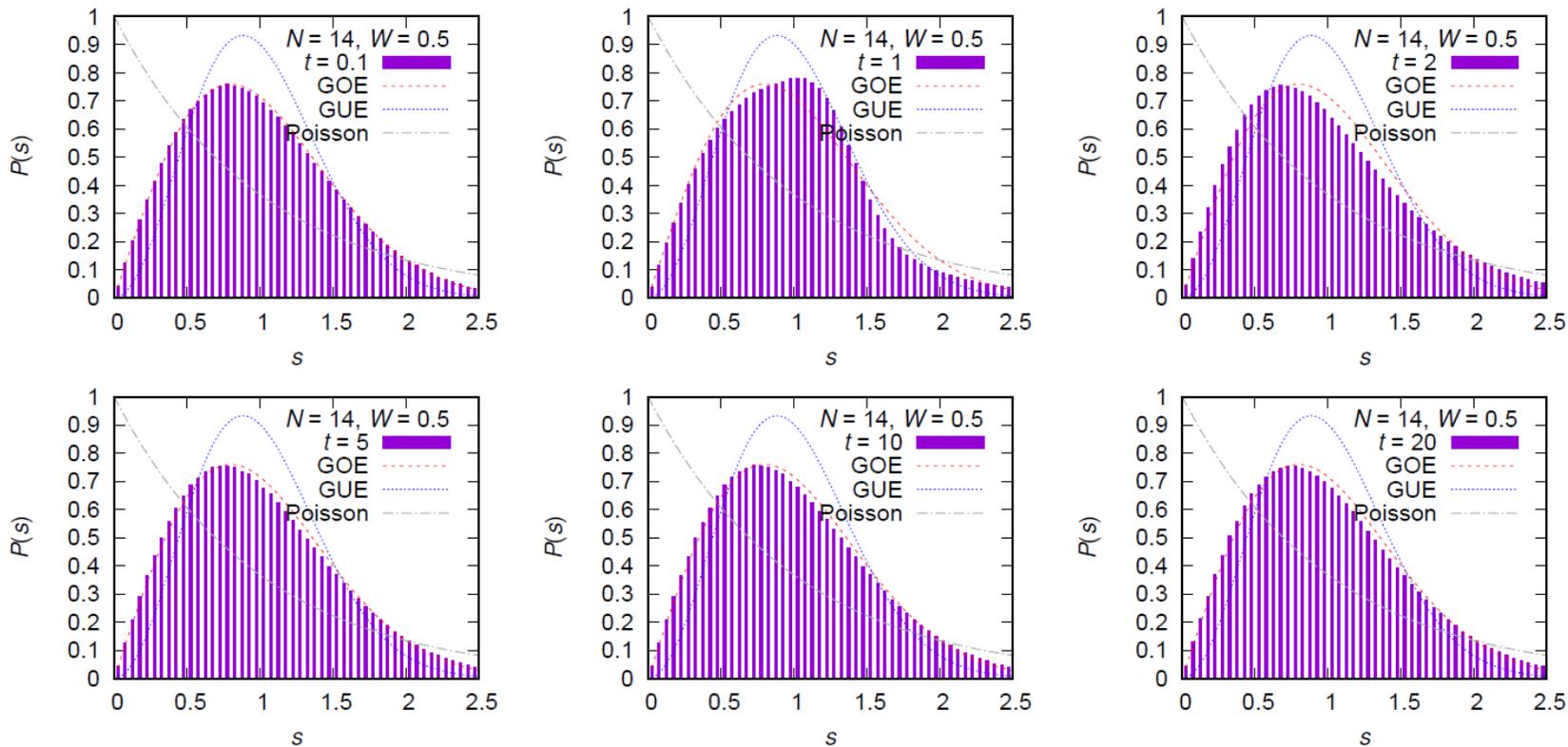
Quantum Lyapunov spectrum distinguishes chaotic and non-chaotic phases

Two-point function

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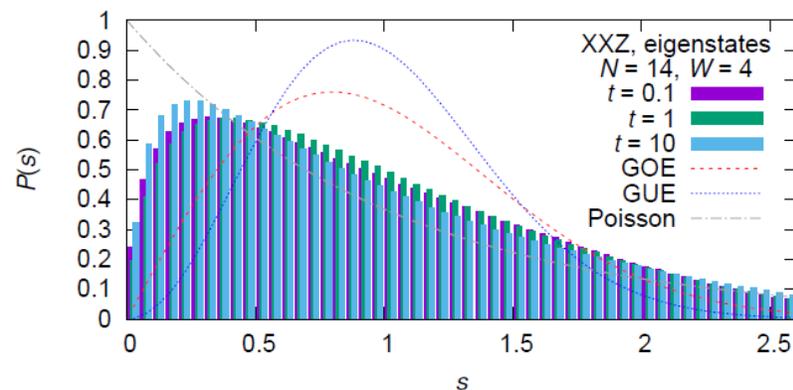
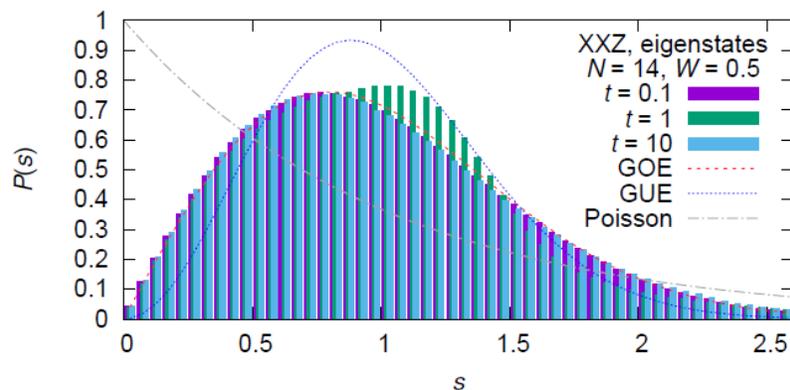
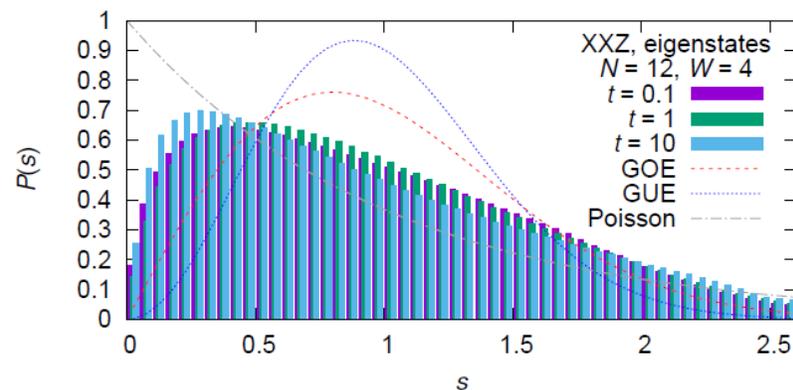
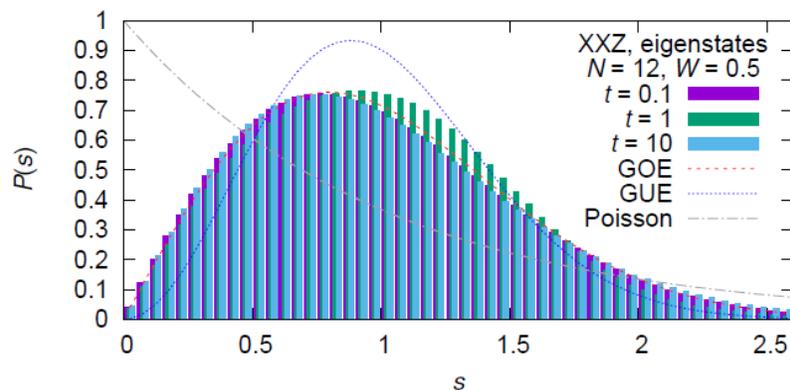
Energy eigenstates (not close to the spectral edges): GOE at short and long times for small W



Weak vs strong W

$$G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi | \widehat{\sigma}_a^+(t) \widehat{\sigma}_b^-(0) | \phi \rangle$$

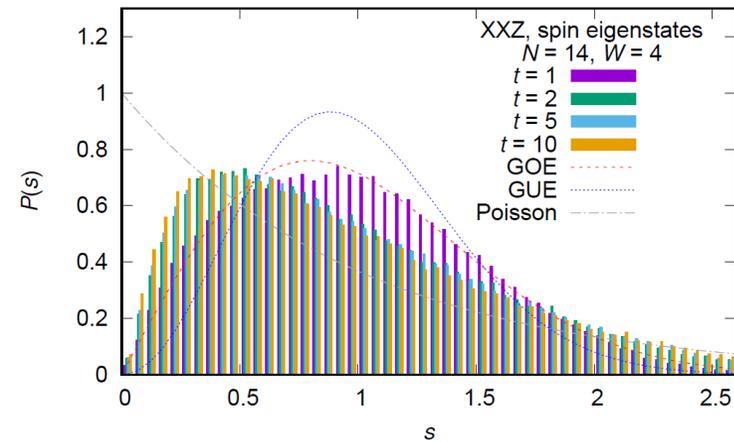
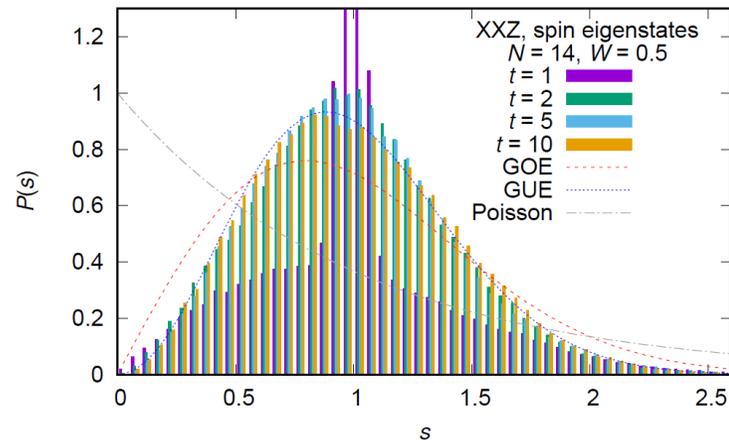
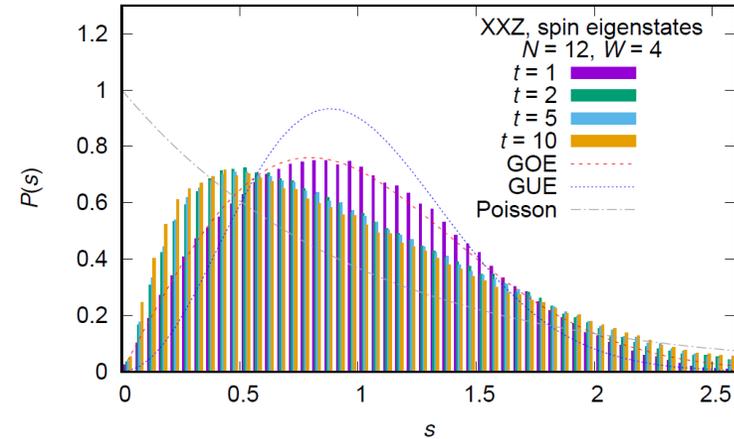
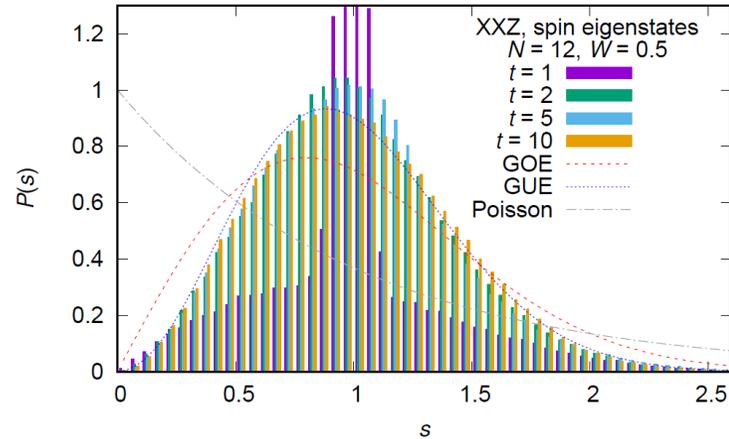
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Energy eigenstates GOE at short and long times for small W , close to Poisson at any time for large W

XXZ model: Spin eigenstates \rightarrow GUE

$$G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi | \widehat{\sigma}_a^+(t) \widehat{\sigma}_b^-(0) | \phi \rangle$$



Singular value statistics of two-point correlation function

Model	Chaotic (small K / small W)	Not chaotic (large K / large W)
SYK ₄ + SYK ₂	<p>Energy eig. → GUE at late time except for $N \equiv 0 \pmod{8}$: GOE</p> <p>Spin eig. → GUE at any time</p>	<p>Energy eig. → Poisson at any time</p> <p>Spin eig. → off from GUE at some time</p>
XXZ + random field	<p>Energy eig. → off from GOE at some time $(G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi \widehat{\sigma}_a^+(t) \widehat{\sigma}_b^-(0) \phi \rangle$ is symmetric)</p> <p>Spin eig. → converges to GUE $(G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi \widehat{\sigma}_a^+(t) \widehat{\sigma}_b^-(0) \phi \rangle$ is not symmetric)</p>	<p>Energy eig. → close to Poisson</p> <p>Spin eig. → approaches Poisson from RMT-like</p>

Outlook / related recent works

- Euclidean time; two-point correlations in classical dynamics; experiments?
 - In progress
- Time scale?
 - cf. “Onset of Random Matrix Behavior in Scrambling Systems”
H. Gharibyan, M. Hanada, S. H. Shenker, and MT, JHEP07(2018)124 (1803.08050)
- Many-body localization (MBL) in other systems?
 - cf. MBL in a finite-range SYK model
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- Relation between randomness and chaos?
 - cf. SYK₂ model: “Randomness and chaos in qubit models”
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- Holographic interpretation?
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Summary

- Many-body quantum chaos: characterizations
- The Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev model
- Quantum Lyapunov spectrum defined from local operators: characterizes quantum chaos [1809.01671]
 - Random matrix behavior in chaotic systems
 - Lyapunov growth
 - Fastest entropy production in the SYK model?
- Two-point correlation function: singular values exhibit random matrix behavior in chaotic cases [1902.11086]
 - Experiments should be possible with phase-sensitive measurements
- Both characterizations of chaos demonstrated also for XXZ spin chain + random field

$$\hat{L}_{ab}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{M}_{ja}(t) \hat{M}_{jb}(t) \text{ for}$$
$$\hat{M}_{ab}(t) = \{\hat{\chi}_a(t), \hat{\chi}_b(0)\}$$

QLS: $\log(\text{singular values of } \langle \phi | \hat{L}_{ab}(t) | \phi \rangle) / (2t)$

$$G_{ab}^{(\phi)} = \langle \phi | \hat{\chi}_a(t) \hat{\chi}_b(0) | \phi \rangle$$