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Cluster extensions of dynamical mean field theory

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Cluster Extensions of Dynamical Mean Field Theory

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1. DMFT : a starting point for some SCES ?
2. Clusters extensions
3. Mott transition in frustrated systems

Coll: G. Kotliar (Rutgers), M. Civelli (Rutgers), G. Biroli (Saclay)

DMFT : a functional definition

- Approximations on effective action for a local physical quantity

- Ising model $H_{\text{Ising}} \equiv -J \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} S_i S_j$

Local Magnetisation: $m_i = \langle S_i \rangle$, $\Gamma[m_i] \approx \Gamma_{\text{Mean Field}}[m_i]$

- Weakly correlated electronic systems

Local density $n(x)$. Density Functional Theory, LDA.

- Strongly correlated systems :

$$H_{\text{Hubbard}} = - \sum_{ij\sigma} t_{ij} c_{i\sigma}^\dagger c_{j\sigma} + U n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow}$$

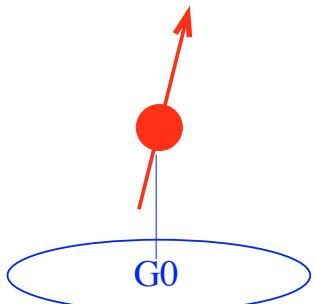
$$\Gamma[G_{ij}] = \text{Tr} \ln G_{ij} - \text{Tr}(g_{0ij}^{-1} G_{ij}) + \Phi_{LW}[G_{ij}]$$

$$G_{ij}(t) \equiv - \left\langle T c_i(t) c_j^\dagger(0) \right\rangle \quad \Sigma_{ij} = \frac{\delta \Phi_{LW}}{\delta G_{ij}}$$

Local Green Function $G(t) \equiv G_{ii}(t)$

Dynamical Mean Field Theory (DMFT) : $\Phi_{LW}[G_{ij}] \approx \phi[G_{ii}]$

DMFT : a self-consistent impurity problem

	Local Quantity	Effective problem	Weiss Field
Ising	$m = \langle S_i \rangle$	Ising spin in field h_{eff} $m = \tanh(\beta h_{\text{eff}})$	$h_{\text{eff}} = Jzm$
DMFT	Local Green function G $G(t) \equiv - \langle T c_i(t) c_i^\dagger(0) \rangle$	Quantum impurity 	Bath $G_0(t)$ $G_0 = F[G]$

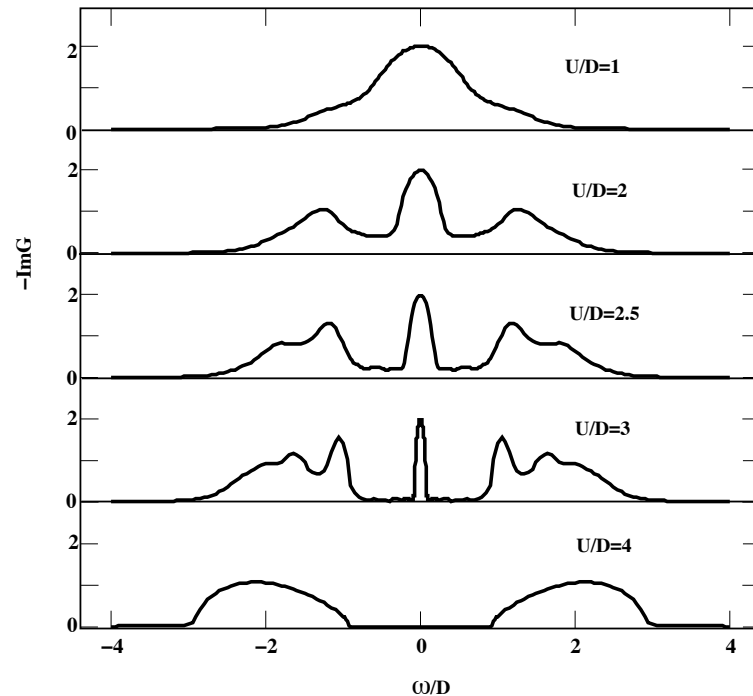
A. Georges, G. Kotliar (1992)

- Explicit realisation as a limit $d \rightarrow \infty$ W. Metzner, D. Vollhardt PRL (1989)

Mott transition in DMFT

- Why is the local Green function $G(\omega)$ the “order parameter “ ?

$\rho(\omega) \equiv -\frac{1}{\pi} \text{Im}G(\omega)$ vs. U (Hubbard model, DMFT, IPT, $T = 0$)

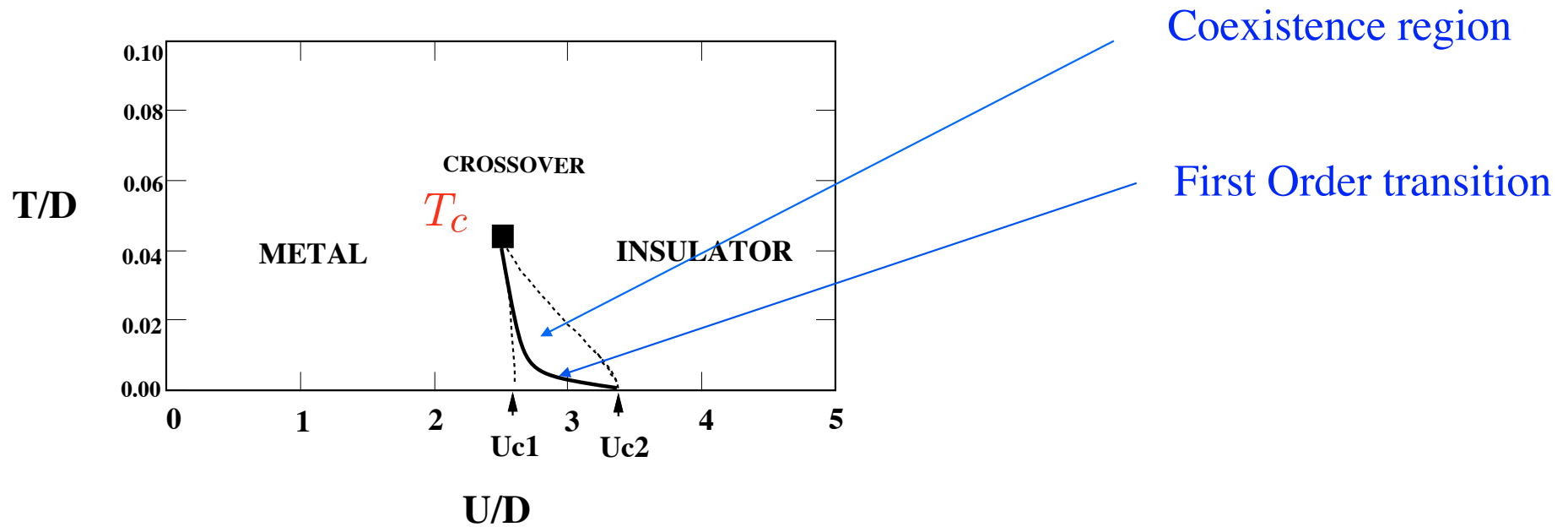


- Transfer of spectral weight.
- Fermi liquid with low coherence scale $\epsilon_F^* = ZD$.
- Coherent and incoherent part
- Describe low and high ω

Mott transition in DMFT : Phase diagram

- Frustrated Hubbard model at half filling : $\delta = 0$, paramagnet

A. Georges, G. Kotliar, W. Krauth, M. Rozenberg RMP (1996)



- $U \sim 1/p$ (p : pressure) in experiments

Frustration is essential to see this Mott transition

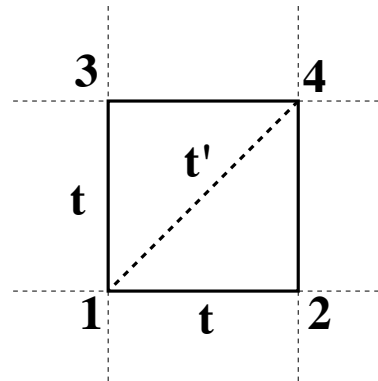
DMFT, a starting point for some SCES ?

- 2D organics : κ -(BEDT-TTF)₂Cu[N(CN)₂]Cl.
- Modelisation with a 2d frustrated Hubbard model

$$t'/t \approx 1$$

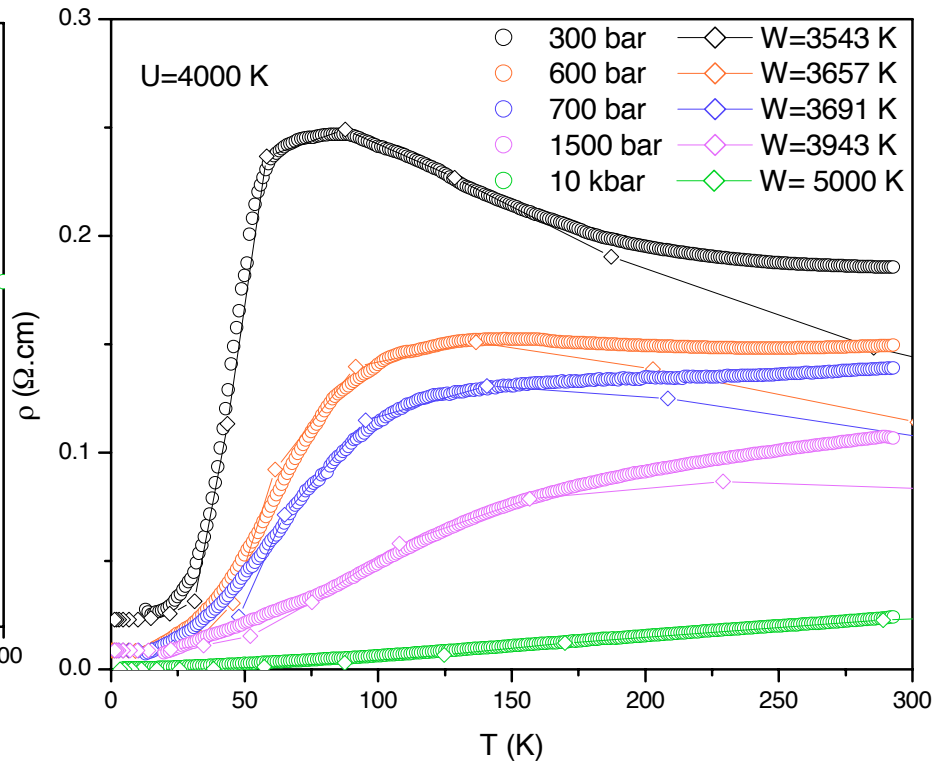
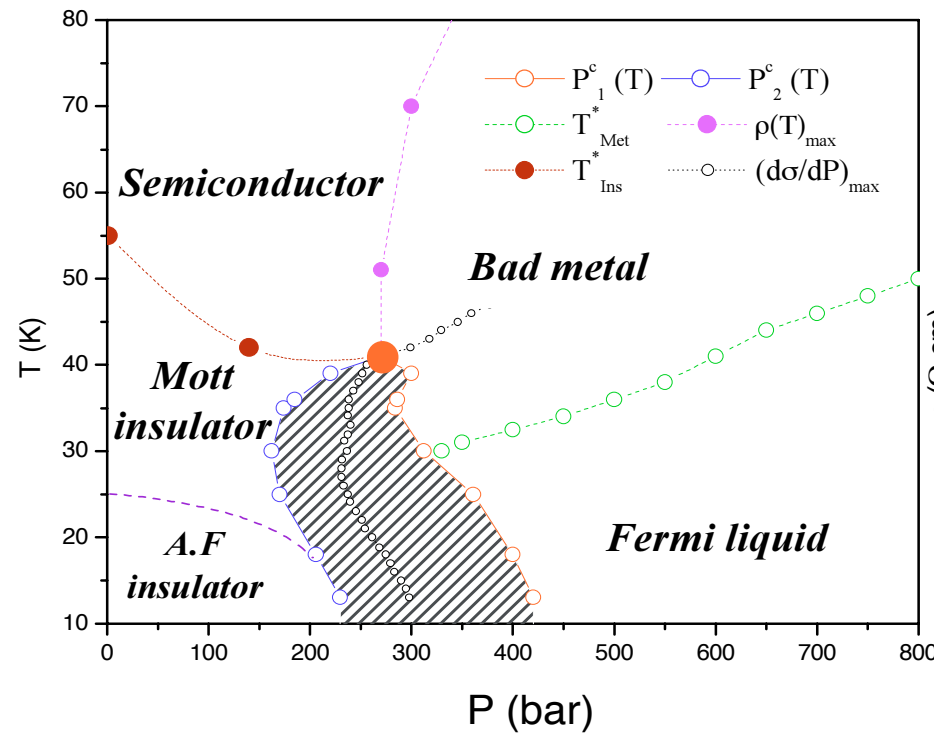
H. Kino, H. Fukuyama J. Phys. Soc. Jpn.65 2158 (1996)

$$H = - \sum_{i,j,\sigma} t_{i,j} c_{i,\sigma}^\dagger c_{j,\sigma} + \sum_i U \left(n_{i\uparrow} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \left(n_{i\downarrow} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$



DMFT, a starting point for some SCES ?

● 2D organics : κ -(BEDT-TTF)₂Cu[N(CN)₂]Cl



P.Limelette, P.Wzietek, S.Florens, A.Georges, T.A.Costi, C.Pasquier, D.J rome, C.M zi re, P.Batail PRL (2003)

● Stability of the DMFT picture ?

● Shape of the transition line ?

● Critical point : not Ising (\neq 3D V_2O_3) ? **K. Kanoda et al.**

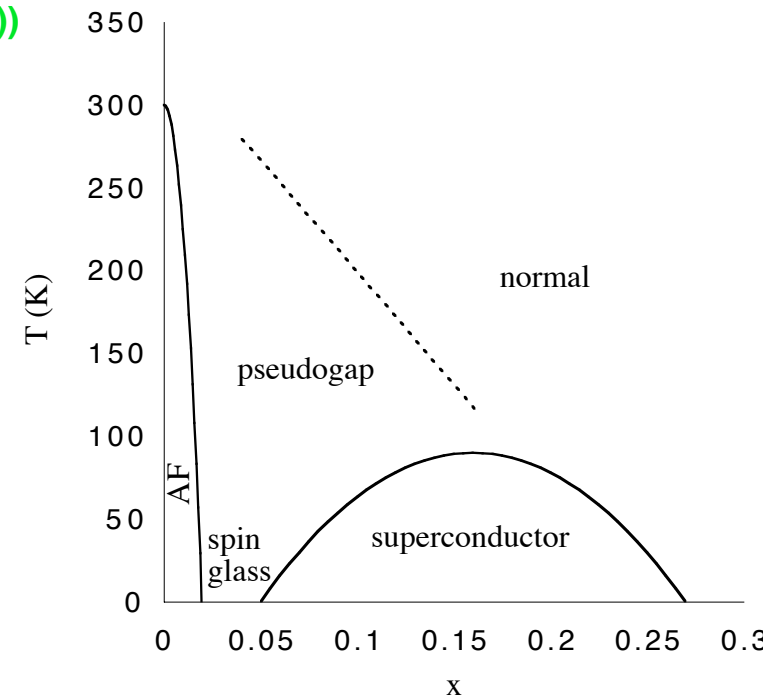
DMFT, a starting point for some SCES ?

- 2D organics : κ -(BEDT-TTF)₂Cu[N(CN)₂]Cl.
- V₂O₃
- Pu (Realistic computations)

(S. Savrasov, G. Kotliar, E. Abrahams, Nature 410, 793 (2001))

● High-Tc Cuprates

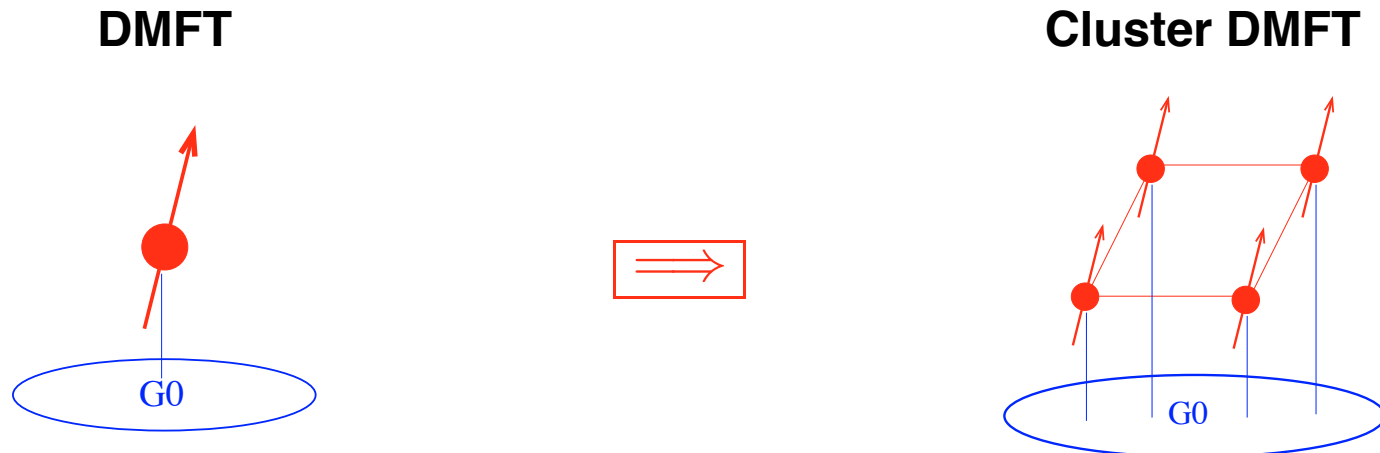
- Doped Mott insulators.
- Short range correlation
- SCS Cf M. Capone's talk



Cluster DMFT (1)

- Missing in DMFT ...
 - Various orders : e.g. d-SC, DDW, (AF).
 - k dependence of $\Sigma(k, \omega) \implies Z \sim \frac{m}{m^*}$
 - Variations of Z, m^*, τ on the Fermi surface.
 - Non trivial insulators (frustrated magnets ?)
 - Non-local interactions (e.g. nearest neighbours).
- ... but present in cluster methods

spatially short range quantum fluctuations



Cluster DMFT (2)

- Interpolate between DMFT and finite dimensions.
- Finite size systems BUT :
 - in a bath G_0 (like “Boundary Conditions”)
 - in thermodynamic limit
- Static (Hartree-Fock) approximation possible at longer distance.
- Choices :
 - Type, shape of clusters (e.g. (linear) size L_c).
 - Self-consistency condition : $G_0 = F[G]$.
 - How to compute lattice quantities from cluster quantities.
 - Various possible parametrisations of $\Sigma(k)$

Cluster DMFT is not unique

Many Cluster Schemes

- **CDMFT** (Cellular DMFT) (G. Kotliar, S. Savrasov, G. Pálsson, G. Biroli PRL (2001))

Real space clusters.

- **PCDMFT** : Periodised CDMFT. (G. Biroli, OP, G. Kotliar, PRB 2004)

- **DCA** (M.H. Hettler, A.N. Tahvildar-Zadeh, M. Jarrell, T. Pruschke, H.R. Krishnamurthy PRB (1998))

Reciprocal-space cluster. $\Sigma(k)$ piecewise constant in B.Z.

- **NCS** : Nested Cluster Scheme. (G. Kotliar, A. Georges, RMP (1996))

$$\Phi_{PS} = (1 - z) \sum_i \phi_{1site}(G_{ii}) + \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \phi_{pair}(G_{ii}, G_{jj}, G_{ij})$$

- **Chain DMFT** (S. Biermann, A. Georges, A. Lichtenstein, T. Giamarchi PRL (2001))

1d chain in a self-consistent bath. Quasi-1d materials.

- **CPT** (not self-consistent) (S. Pairault, D. Sénéchal, A.M. Tremblay PRL (1998))

- **Fictive impurity** models (S. Okamoto, A.J. Millis, H. Monien, A. Fuhrmann PRB (2003))

Requirements for a good cluster method

- **Convergence** to the exact solution for large cluster.
- **Ordered phases possible** : AF, (d-)SC, CDW, DDW, stripes...
- **Causality** :
 - $\text{Im}\Sigma(\omega), \text{Im}G(\omega) \leq 0$
 - CDMFT, PCDMFT and DCA are causal.
 - Recent proof using t'Hooft-Veltman-Cutkovsky “cutting rules”.
(G. Biroli, OP, G. Kotliar, PRB 2004)
 - NCS are not causal in general.
 - Causality violation appear in metallic phase, for small size.
- CDMFT (and variants e.g. PCDMFT) and DCA pass the tests.
- Comparisons in 1d, classical limit, large- N ...

DMFT equations

Hubbard model

$$H = - \sum_{ij\sigma} t_{ij} c_{i\sigma}^\dagger c_{j\sigma} + U n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow}$$

$$G(\tau) = - \langle T c(\tau) c^\dagger(0) \rangle_{S_{\text{eff}}}$$

$$S_{\text{eff}} = - \int_0^\beta c_\sigma^\dagger(\tau) G_0^{-1}(\tau - \tau') c_\sigma(\tau') + U \int_0^\beta d\tau n_\uparrow n_\downarrow$$

$$\Sigma = G_0^{-1} - G_c^{-1}$$

$$G_0^{-1}(i\omega_n) = \left(\sum_k \frac{1}{i\omega_n + \mu - t(k) - \Sigma(i\omega_n)} \right)^{-1} + \Sigma(i\omega_n)$$

Ising model

$$H = -J \sum_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j$$

$$m = \langle \sigma \rangle$$

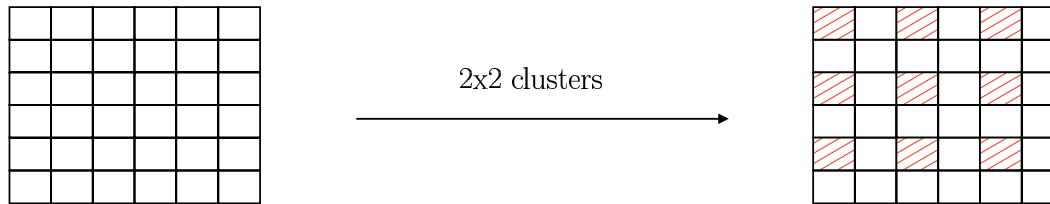
$$H_{\text{eff}} = -J h_{\text{eff}} \sigma$$

$$m = \tanh(\beta h_{\text{eff}})$$

$$h_{\text{eff}} = z J m$$

CDMFT

$$H = - \sum_{R_m \mu R_n \nu} \hat{t}_{\mu\nu} (R_m - R_n) c_{R_m \mu}^\dagger c_{R_n \nu} + \sum_{\substack{R_1 \mu R_2 \nu \\ R_3 \rho R_4 \varsigma}} U_{\mu\nu\rho\varsigma}(\{R_i\}) c_{R_1 \mu}^\dagger c_{R_2 \nu}^\dagger c_{R_4 \varsigma} c_{R_3}$$



$$S_{\text{eff}} = - \int \int_0^\beta d\tau d\tau' c_\mu^\dagger(\tau) G_{0,\mu\nu}^{-1}(\tau, \tau') c_\nu(\tau') + \int_0^\beta d\tau U_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}(0) (c_\alpha^\dagger c_\beta c_\gamma^\dagger c_\delta)(\tau)$$

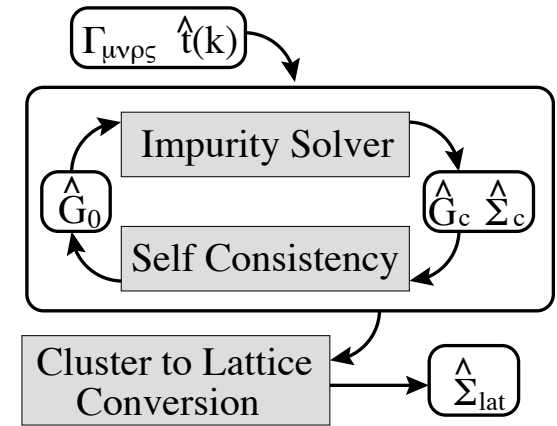
$$G_{c\mu\nu}(\tau) = - \left\langle T c_\mu(\tau) c_\nu^\dagger(0) \right\rangle_{S_{\text{eff}}}$$

$$\Sigma_c = G_0^{-1} - G_c^{-1}$$

$$G_0^{-1}(i\omega_n) = \left[\sum'_{K \in R.B.Z.} \left(i\omega_n + \mu - \hat{t}(K) - \Sigma_c(i\omega_n) \right)^{-1} \right]^{-1} + \Sigma_c(i\omega_n)$$

CDMFT (2)

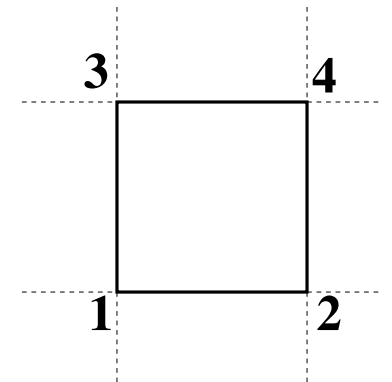
- Lattice quantities \neq cluster quantities
- Lattice self energy is computed at the end
- Restore translation invariance on lattice :



$$\Sigma_{ij}^{lattice} = \sum_{\alpha, \beta: \alpha - \beta = i - j} w_{\alpha, \beta} (\Sigma_c)_{\alpha\beta} \quad w > 0, \quad \sum_{\alpha\beta; \alpha - \beta = x} w_{\alpha, \beta} \rightarrow 1 \quad \forall x$$

- Simplest case : 2×2 clusters

$$\Sigma_{lattice}(k) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=1}^4 \Sigma_{ii} + \frac{1}{2} \left[(\Sigma_{12} + \Sigma_{34}) \cos(k_x) + (\Sigma_{24} + \Sigma_{13}) \cos(k_y) + \Sigma_{14} \cos(k_x + k_y) + \Sigma_{23} \cos(k_x - k_y) \right]$$

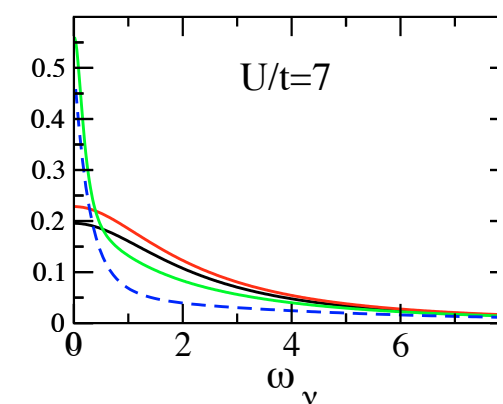
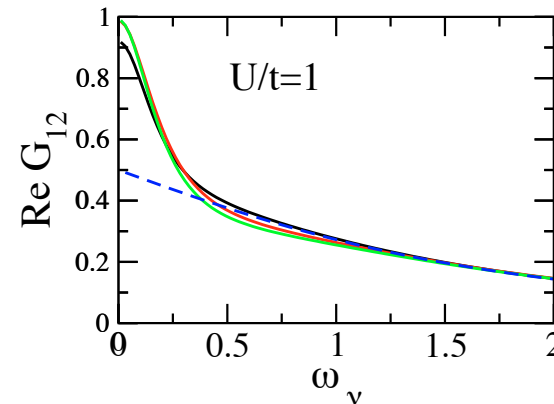
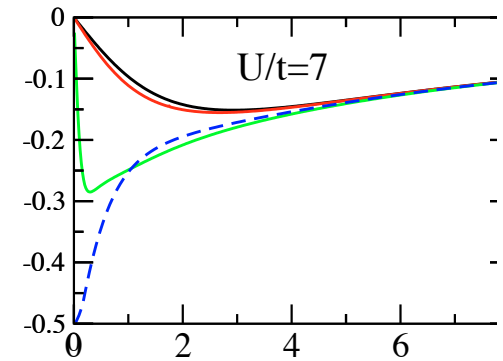
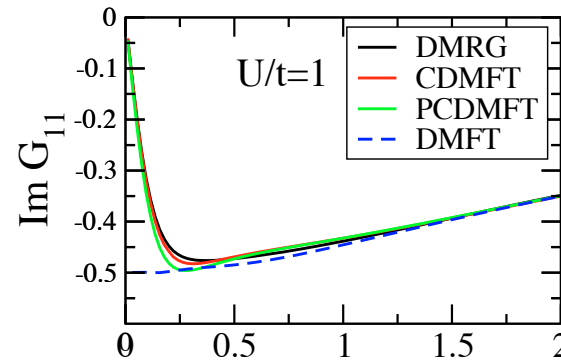
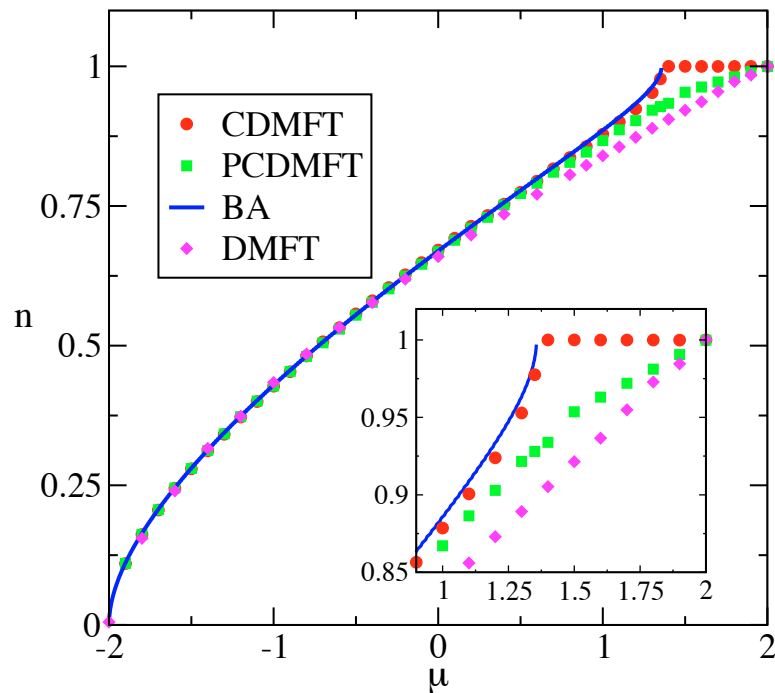


- Phase with broken translation invariance captured by the cluster.

Test in one dimension

- Solve the 1D Hubbard model with 2 sites clusters and E.D. solver
- Compare with Bethe Ansatz solution and DMRG.

M. Capone, M. Civelli, S.S. Kancharla, C.Castellani,G. Kotliar PRB (2004)



$$n(\mu) \text{ for } U/t = 4, N_{\text{cluster}} = 2, N_{\text{bath}} = 8$$

Some results on the 2d Hubbard model

- AF + d -wave SC
 - Variant of PCDMFT.
 - A. Lichtenstein, M. Katsnelson, PRB (2000)
 - DCA M. Jarrell, T. Maier et al.
 - CDMFT : d -SC, $T_c < T_c^{\text{DCA}}$.
- Recent results with E.D.

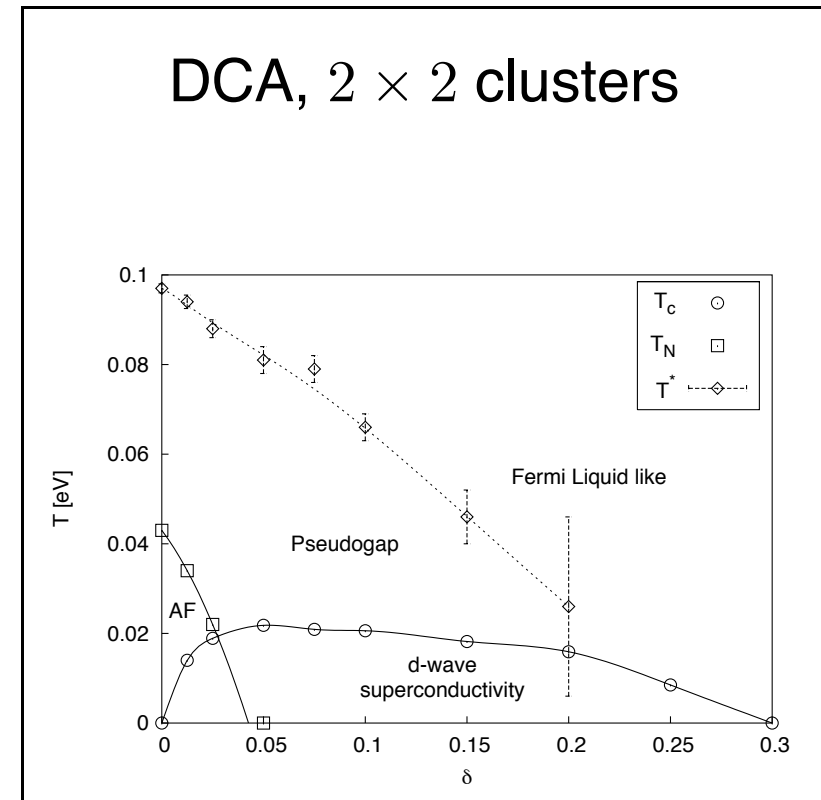
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- Pseudogap phase

$$\chi_c(\omega), \chi_s(\omega)$$

Recent work with CPT : A.M. Tremblay et al., CDMFT S. Kancharla.

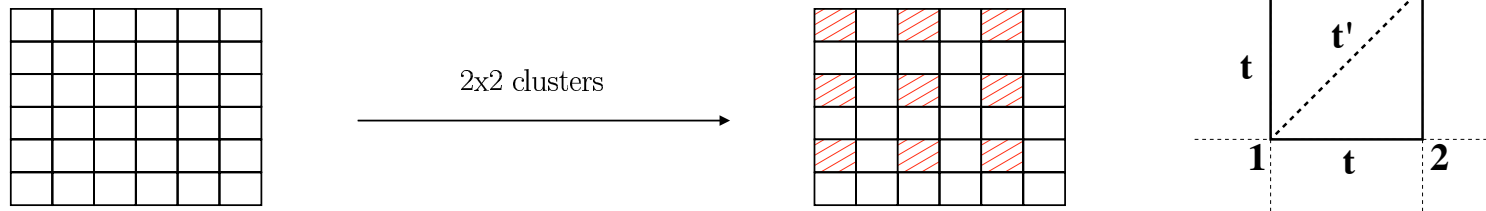
- Mott transition in frustrated Hubbard model OP, G. Biroli, G. Kotliar, PRL (2004)



Cluster solution of a frustrated Hubbard model

O.P, G. Biroli, G. Kotliar, PRL (2004)

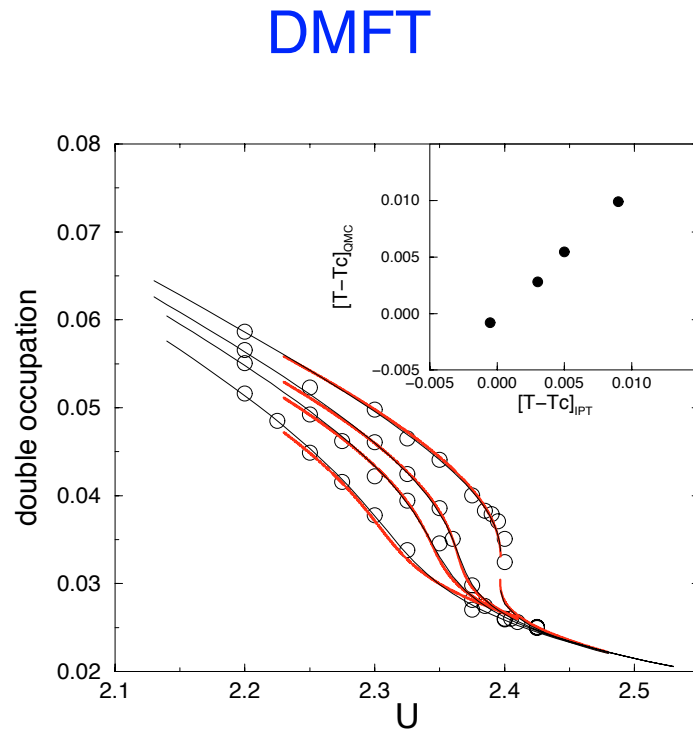
- Frustrated Hubbard model for organics $t'/t = 0.9$, $\delta = 0$.
- Solve CDMFT for 2×2 cluster with QMC.



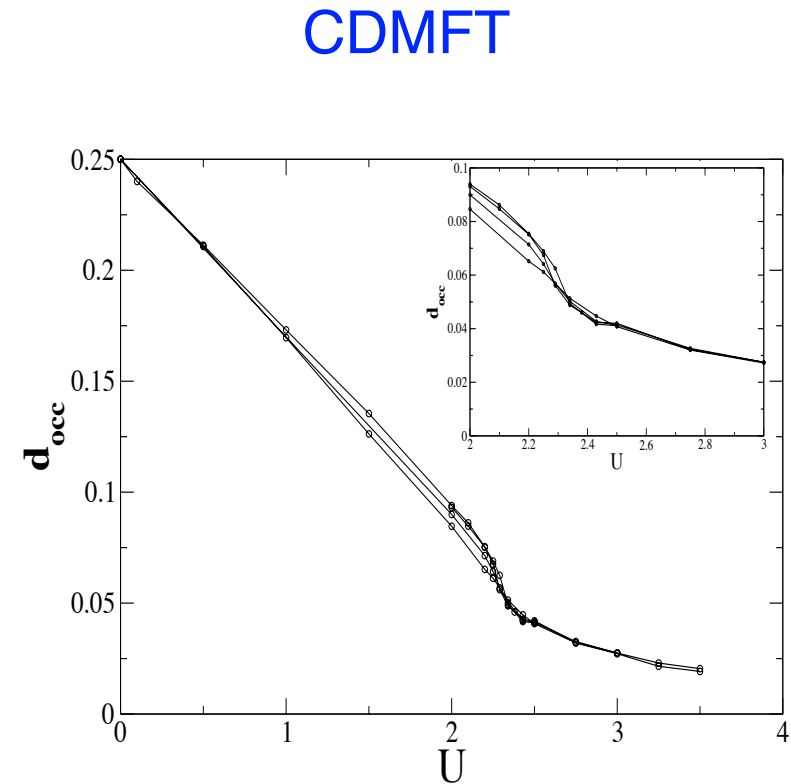
- In DMFT, paramagnetic solutions of an unfrustrated model are solutions of a frustrated model
- But in CDMFT one must solve a frustrated model

A DMFT-like Mott transition ...

- No AF order (at the temperature of the QMC).
- DMFT-like Mott transition. Double occupation $d_{occ} = \sum_i \langle n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow} \rangle$



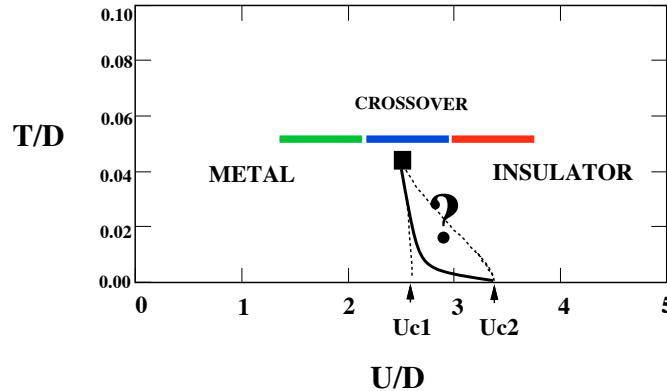
G. Kotliar, E. Lange, M. J. Rozenberg et al. PRL (2000)



$T/D = 1/20, 1/30, 1/40, 1/44$

... with k -dependent self-energy

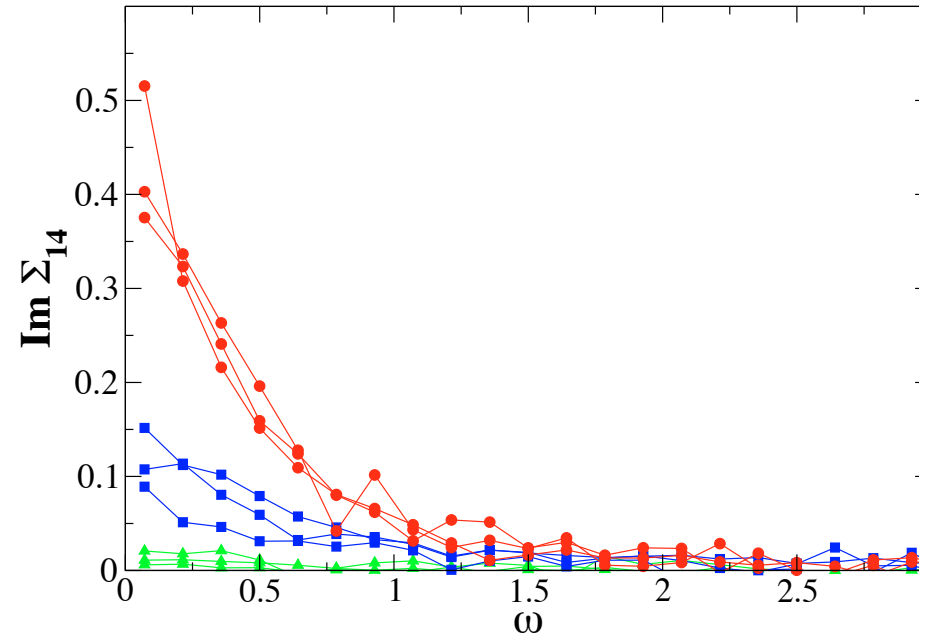
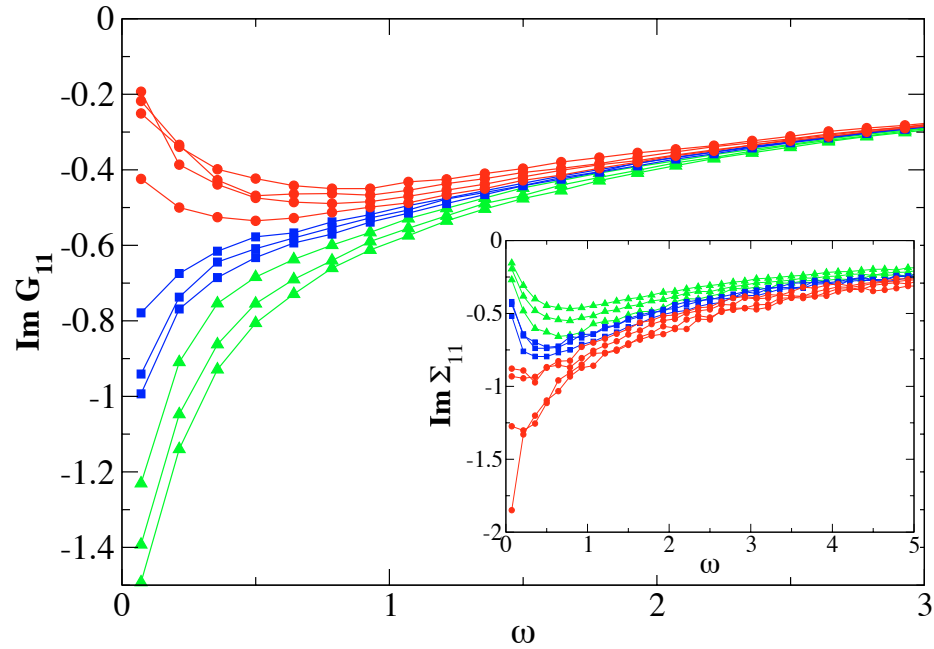
- Fixed $T/D = 45 > T_c$, various U : 3 regions in U .



DMFT metal	Metal. Hot-Cold spots	Finite T insulator
$U/D \leq 2.2$	$2.25 \leq U/D \leq 2.3$	$2.35 \leq U/D$
$\Sigma''_{11} \sim c_1 + \left(1 - \frac{1}{Z}\right) i\omega_n$	$\Sigma''_{11} \sim c_2 + \left(1 - \frac{1}{Z}\right) i\omega_n$	$\Sigma''_{11} \sim c_3$
$\Sigma''_{12}, \Sigma''_{14} \approx 0$	$\Sigma''_{14} \neq 0$	
$\partial_k \Sigma_{\text{lattice}} \approx 0$	Modulation of the finite T lifetime	

- $\Sigma'(\omega = 0) \neq 0 \implies t'_{eff}$ more isotropic

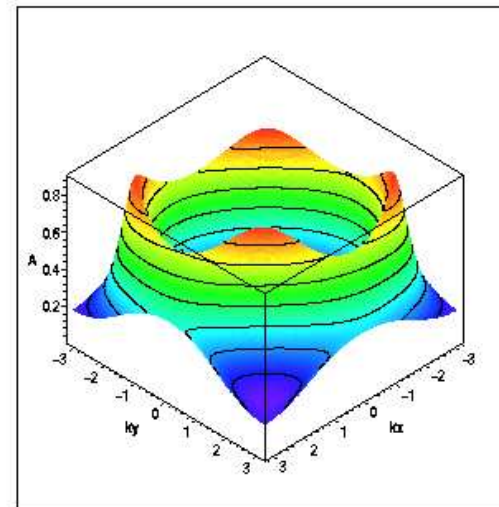
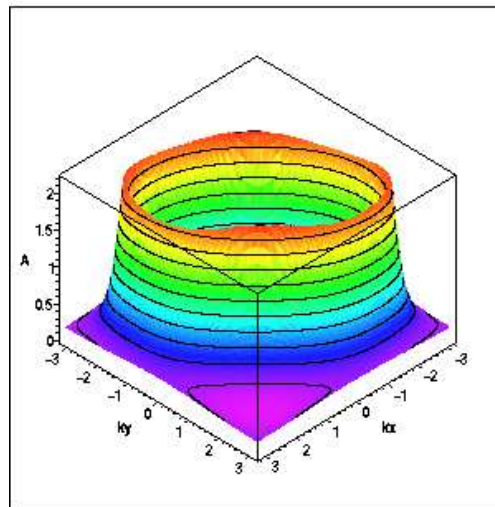
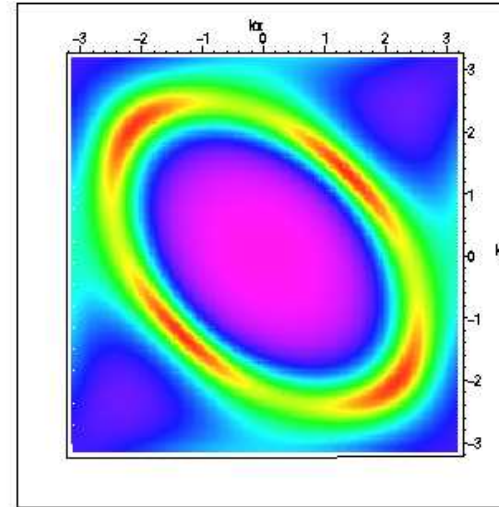
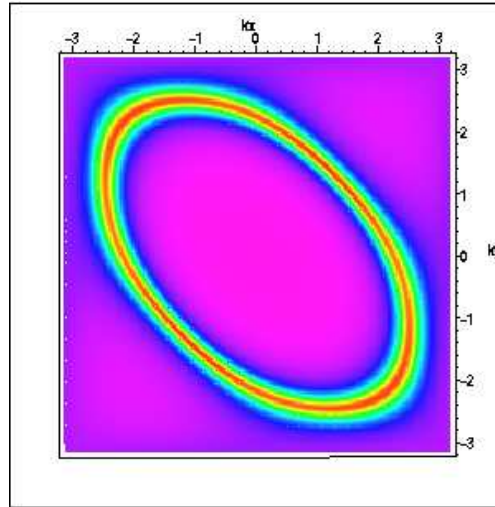
Self-energies in imaginary time



$$U = 2, 2.1, 2.2, 2.25, 2.29, 2.31, 2.34, 2.43, 2.5 \quad T/D = 1/44.$$

Hot and Cold regions

- $A(k, \omega = 0)$ in the metallic region : $U/D = 2.0, 2.25$



A possible scenario

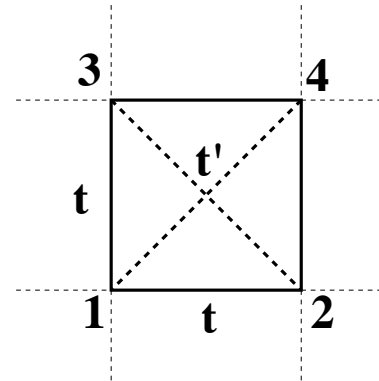
- For $T \rightarrow 0$, $\text{Im}\Sigma_{14} \rightarrow 0$: $Z_{(\pi,\pi)} \neq Z_{(0,\pi)}$
- Above T_c , continuity from metal to insulator.
 k -dependence is due to the proximity of the Mott insulator.
- Different coherence temperatures for (π, π) and $(0, \pi)$ directions.
- Strong frustration : weak AF fluctuations.

- Need for solutions for lower T and higher U
- Problem : QMC is inefficient (sign problems).
 \implies Exact Diagonalisation at $T = 0$.

Preliminary results at $T = 0$ (1)

Coll : M. Civelli, S. Kancharla, M. Capone

- On isotropic model, 2×2 clusters, CDMFT.



- 8 Sites in the bath ($2 \times$ cluster size)
- Coexistence Metal-Insulator like in DMFT.
- Non magnetic insulator for $U/D > 3$.
Does not break translation symmetry.

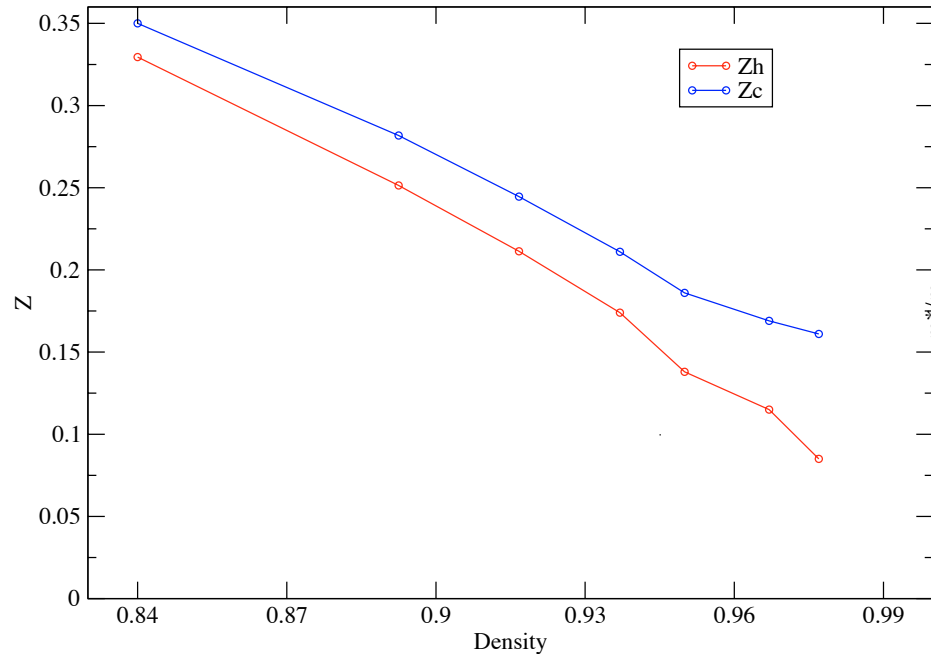
Preliminary results at $T = 0$ (2)

- Close to the Mott transition, for large U : $U/D = 4$:

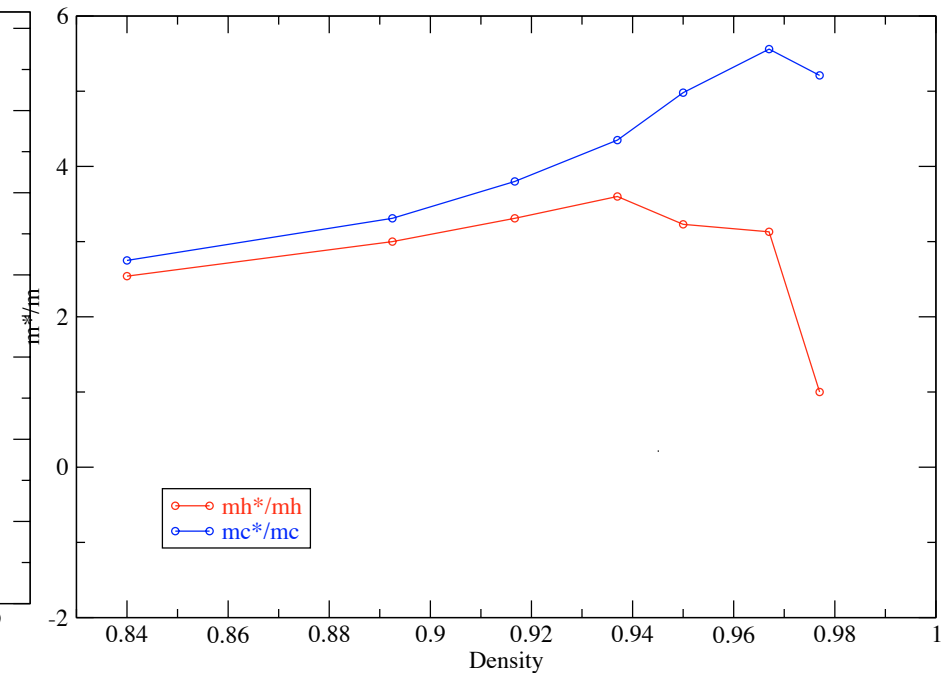
$$Z_{(0,\pi)} > Z_{(\pi,\pi)}$$

$m_{(\pi,\pi)}^*$ does not diverge.

Z



m^*/m



Conclusion

- DMFT as a starting point for SCES.
- Many DMFT cluster methods...
- Mott transition in frustrated systems in CDMFT.
 - DMFT-like Mott transition ...
 - ... with cluster corrections close to CP and large U .
 - Hot-Cold regions.
- Open questions
 - Nature of the Mott insulator : VBS ? Spin liquids ?
 - Complete phase diagram
 - Shape of the transition line
 - Transport.