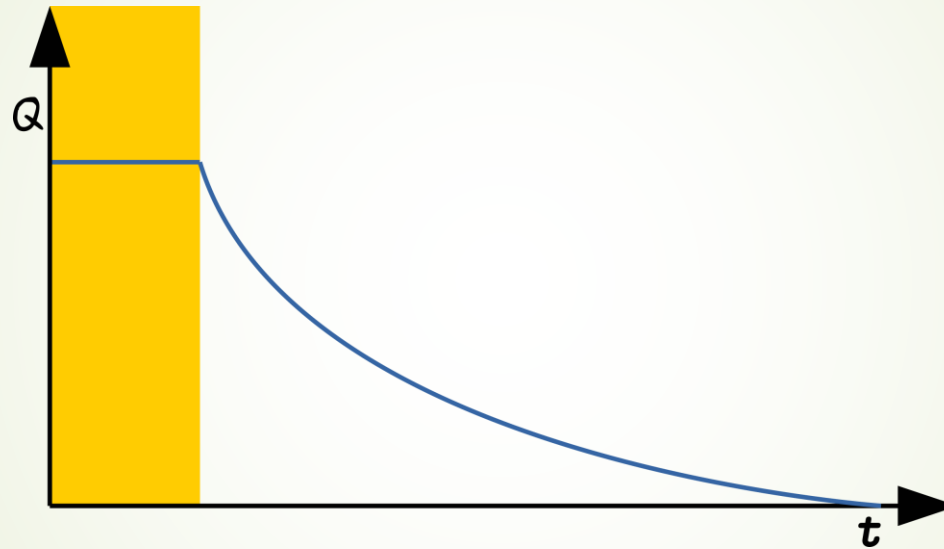




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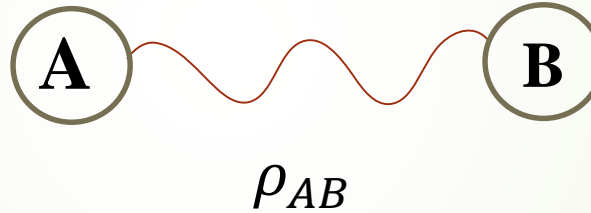


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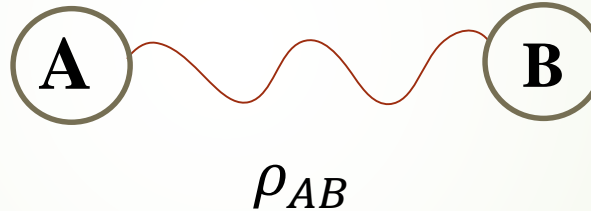
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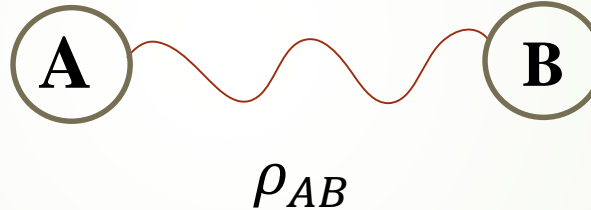
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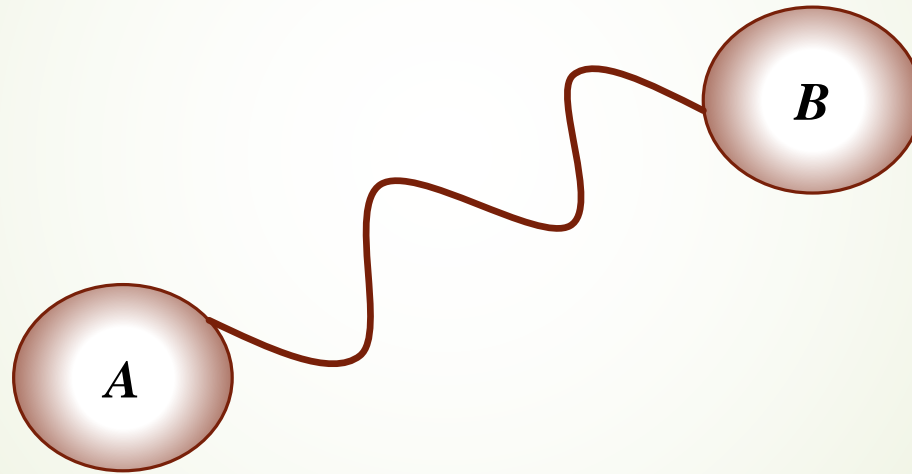
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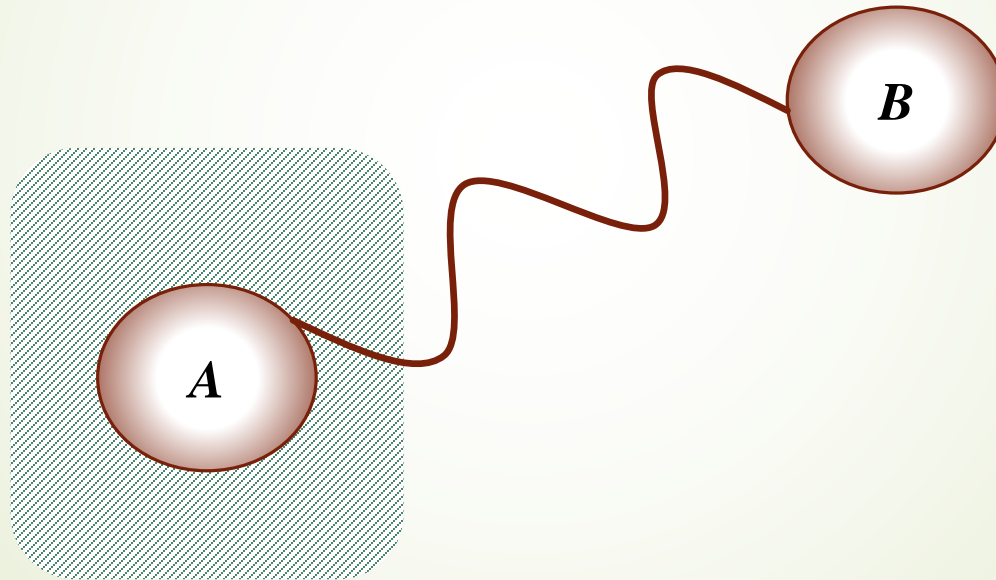
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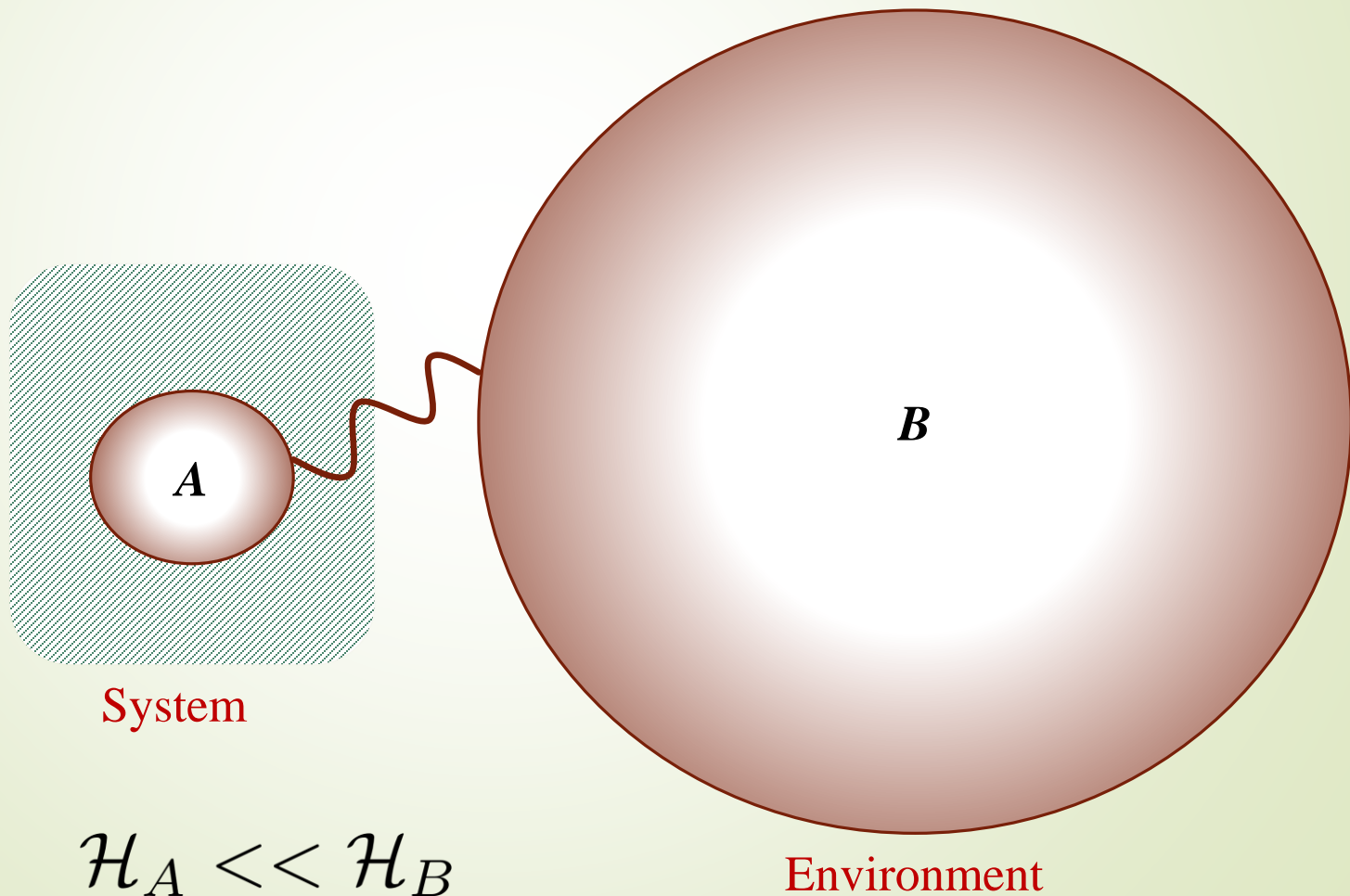
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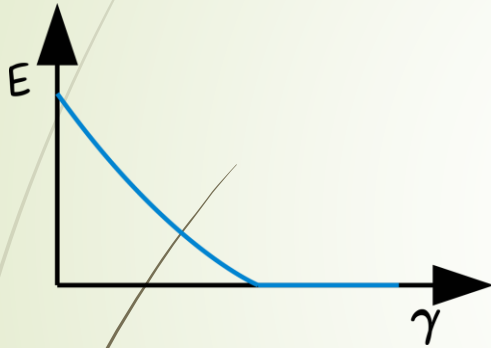


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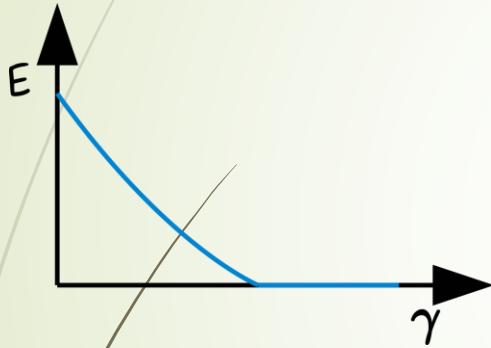


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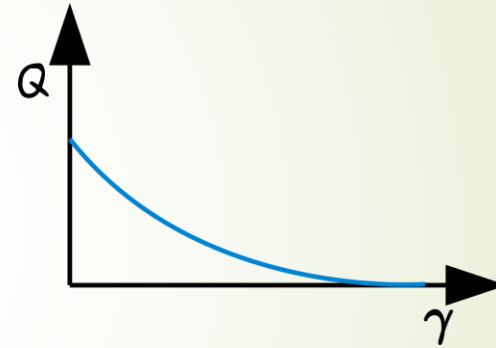
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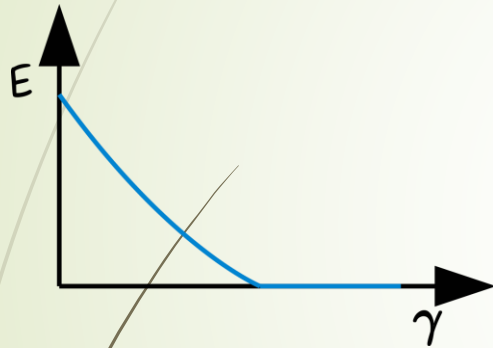


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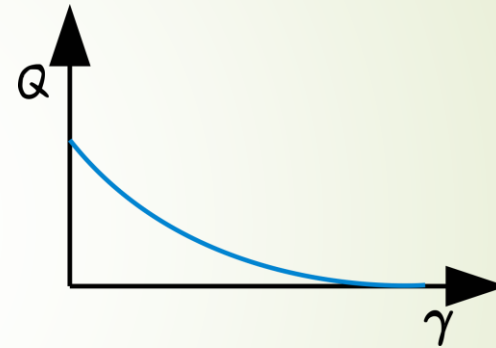
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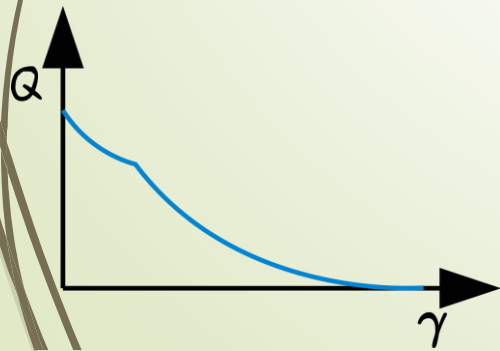
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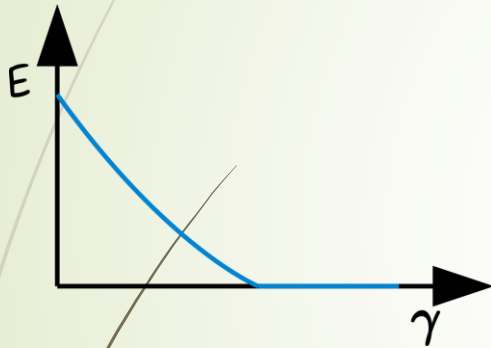




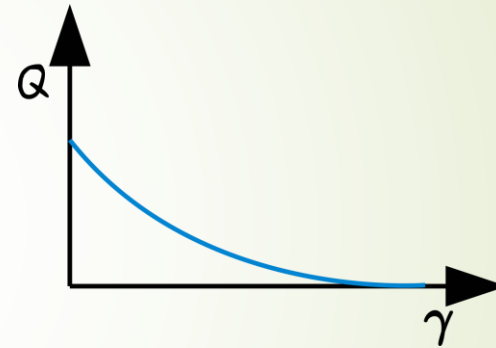
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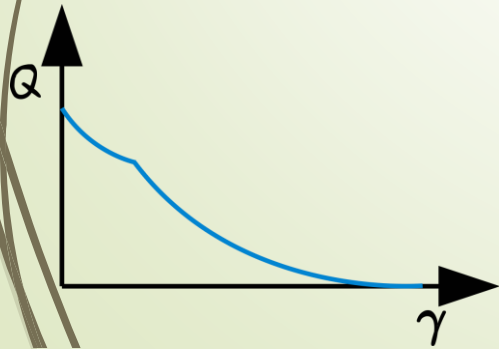
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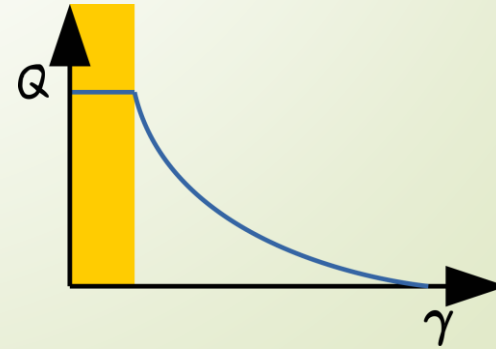
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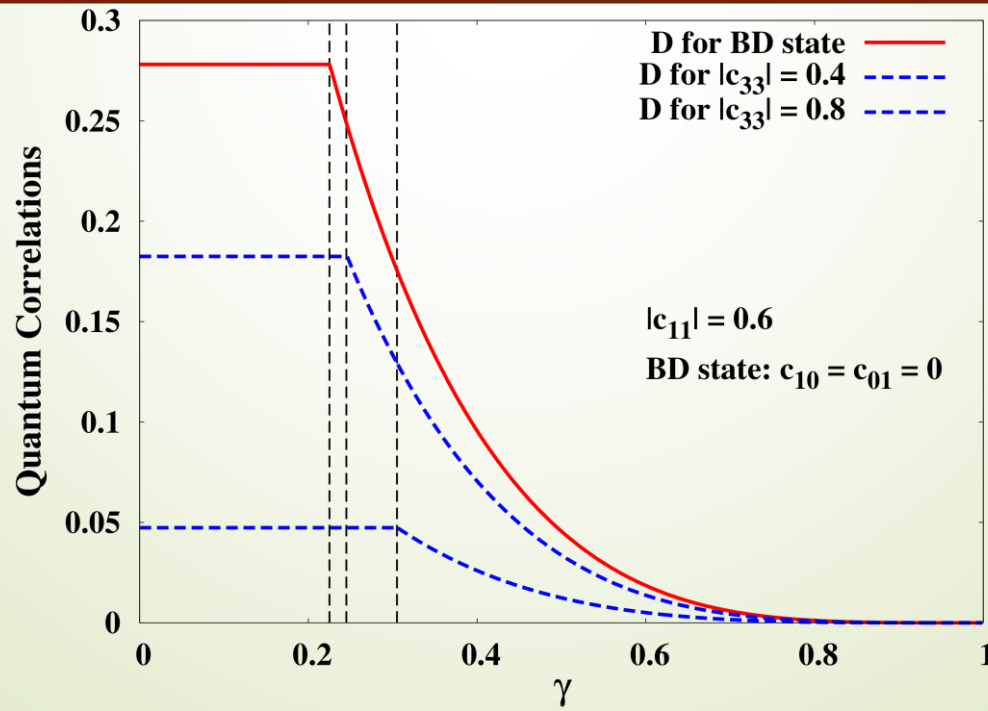
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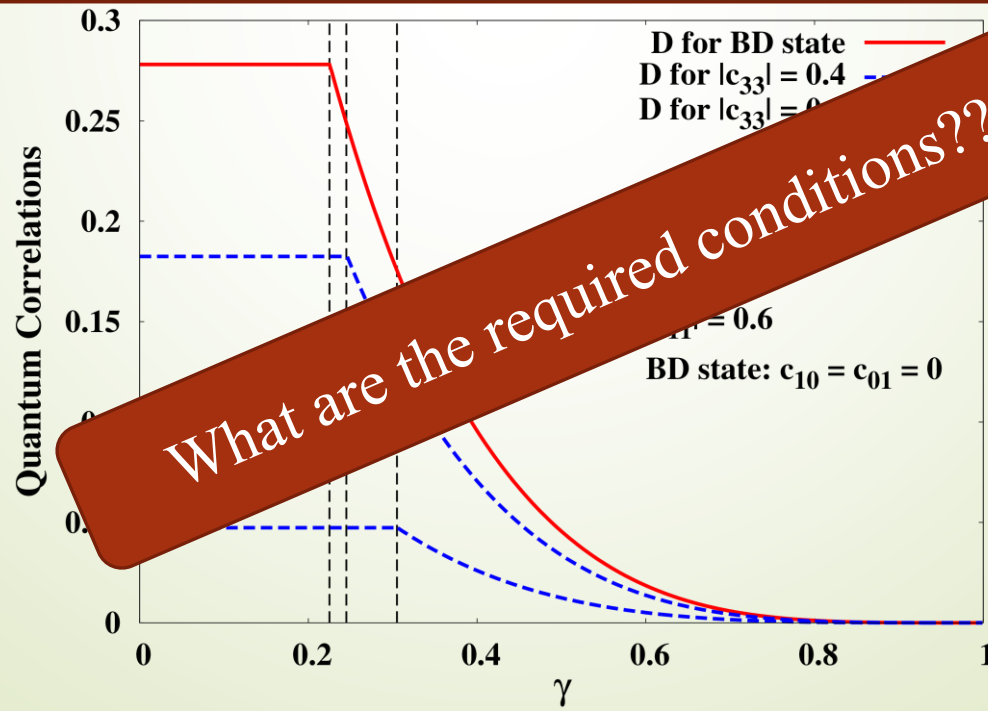
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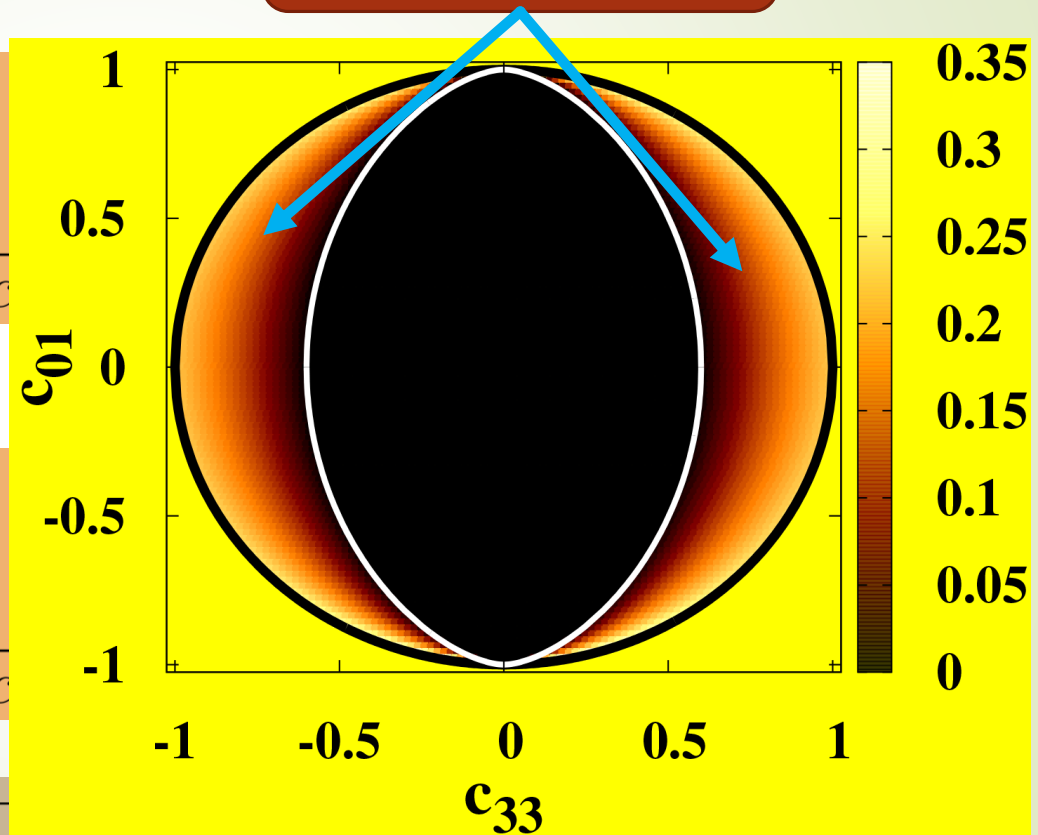
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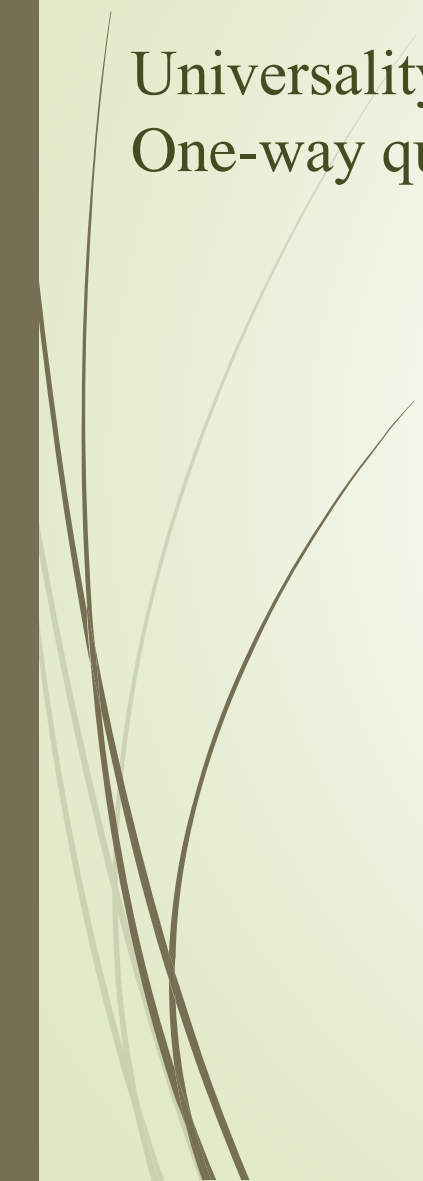
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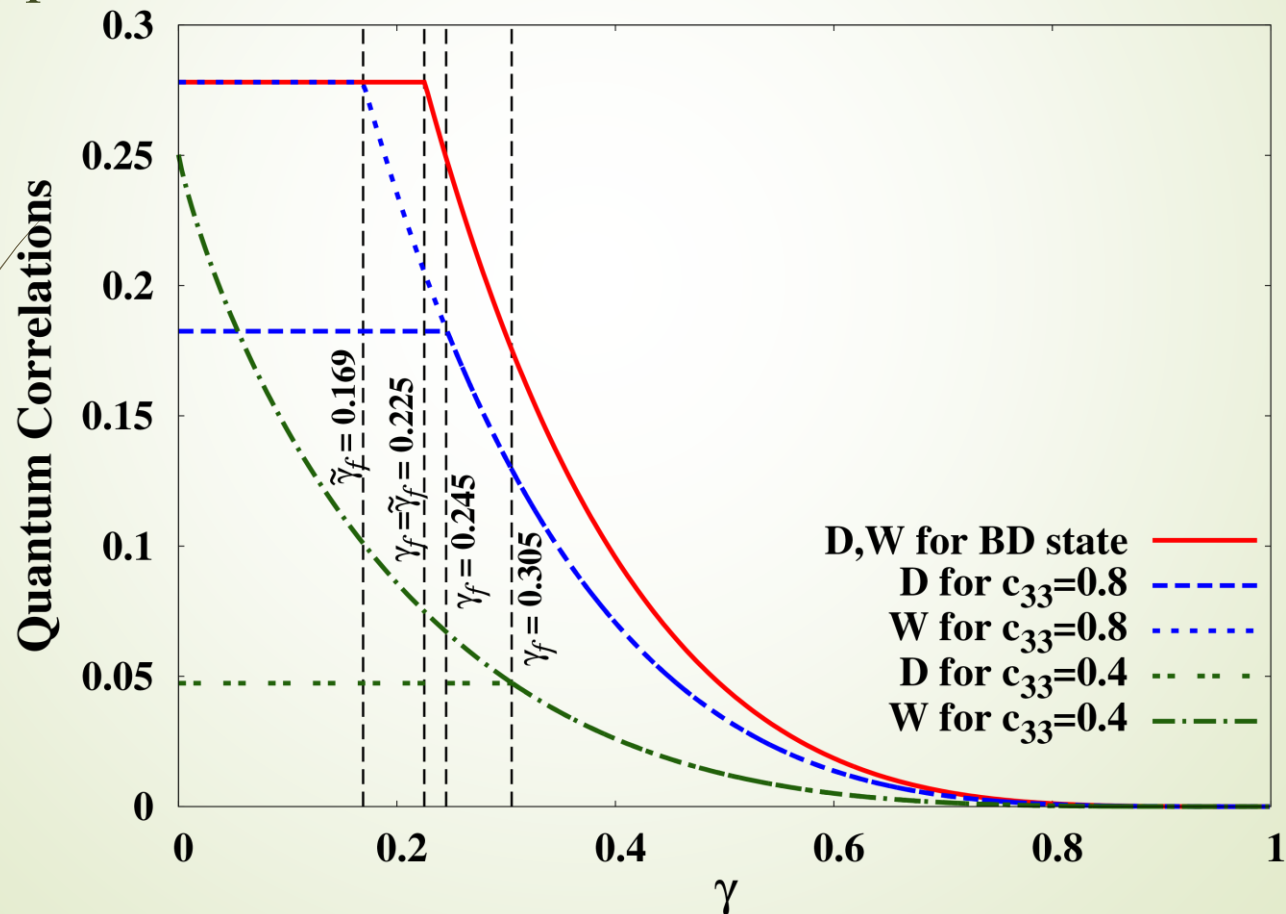
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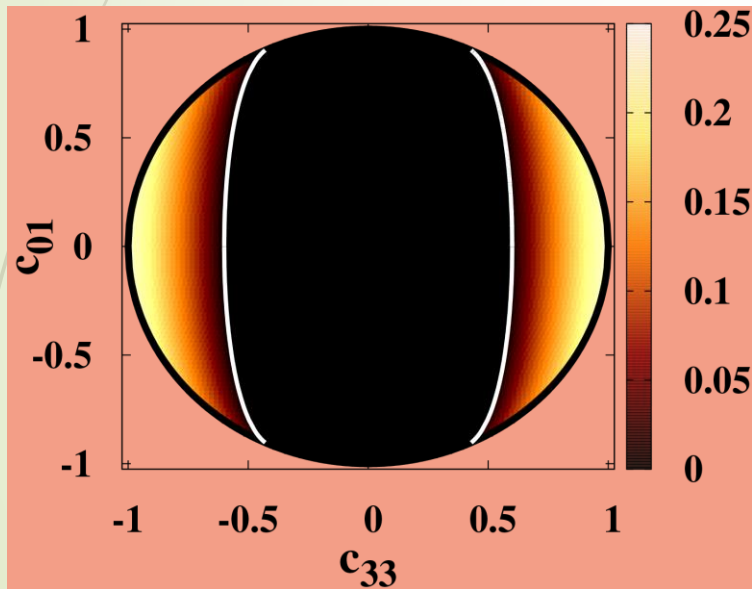
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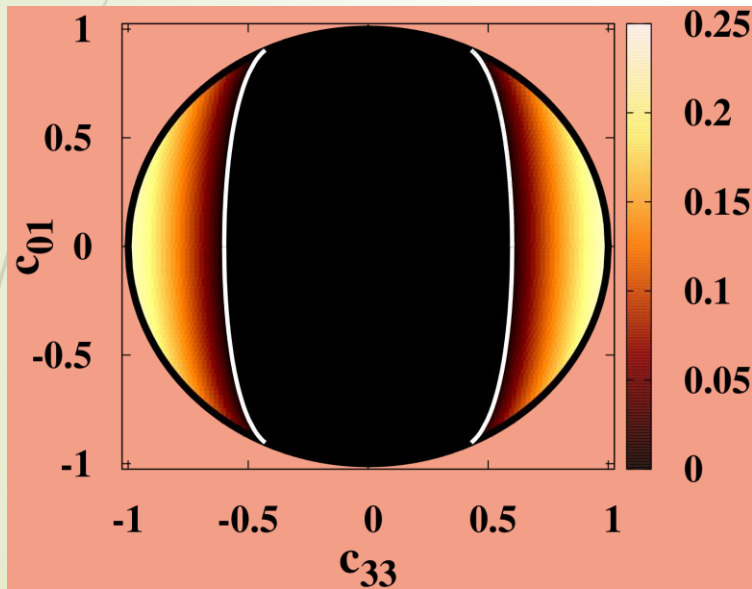
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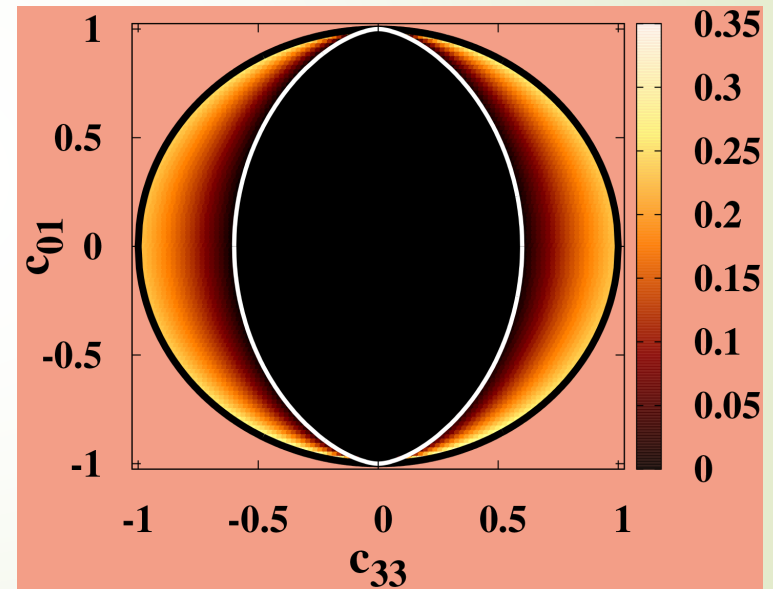
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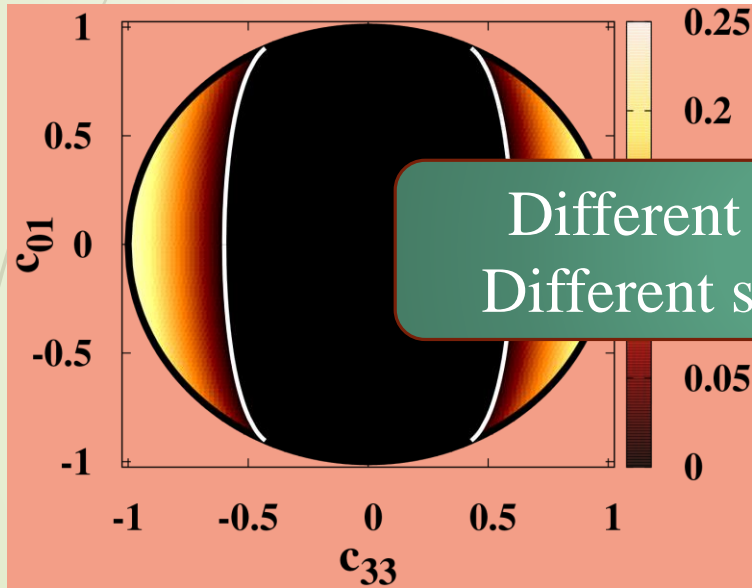
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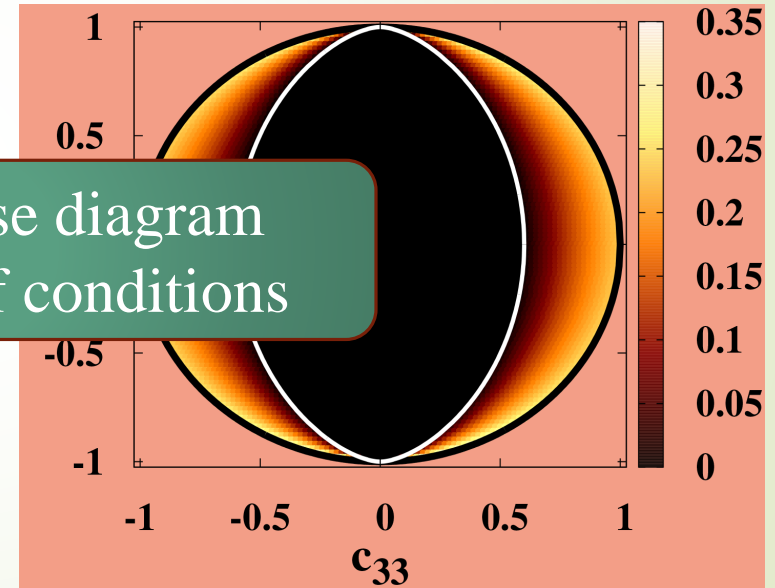
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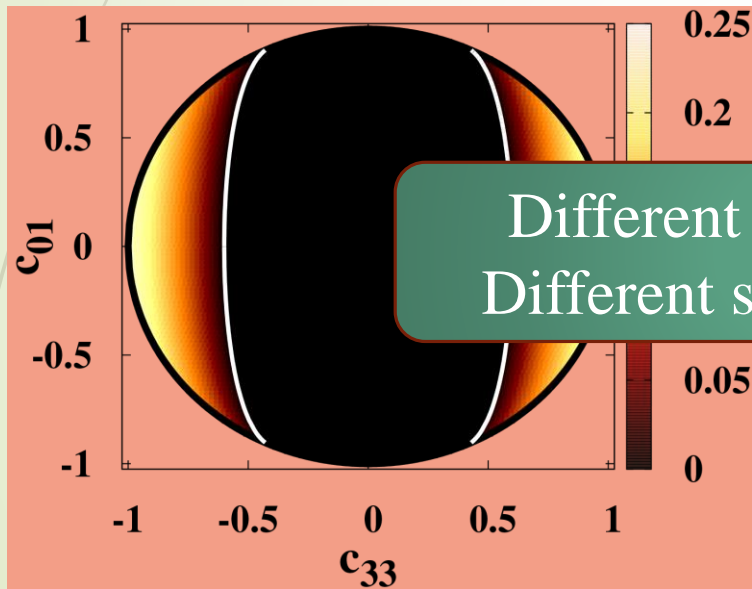


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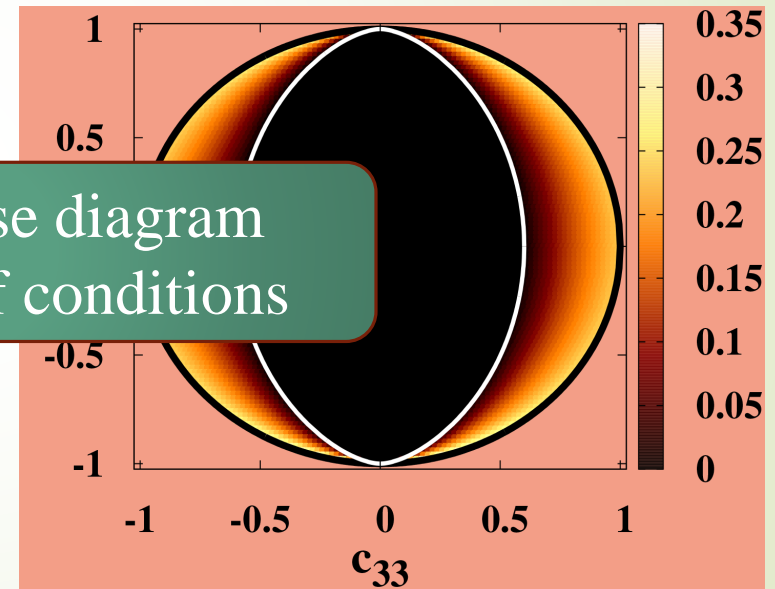
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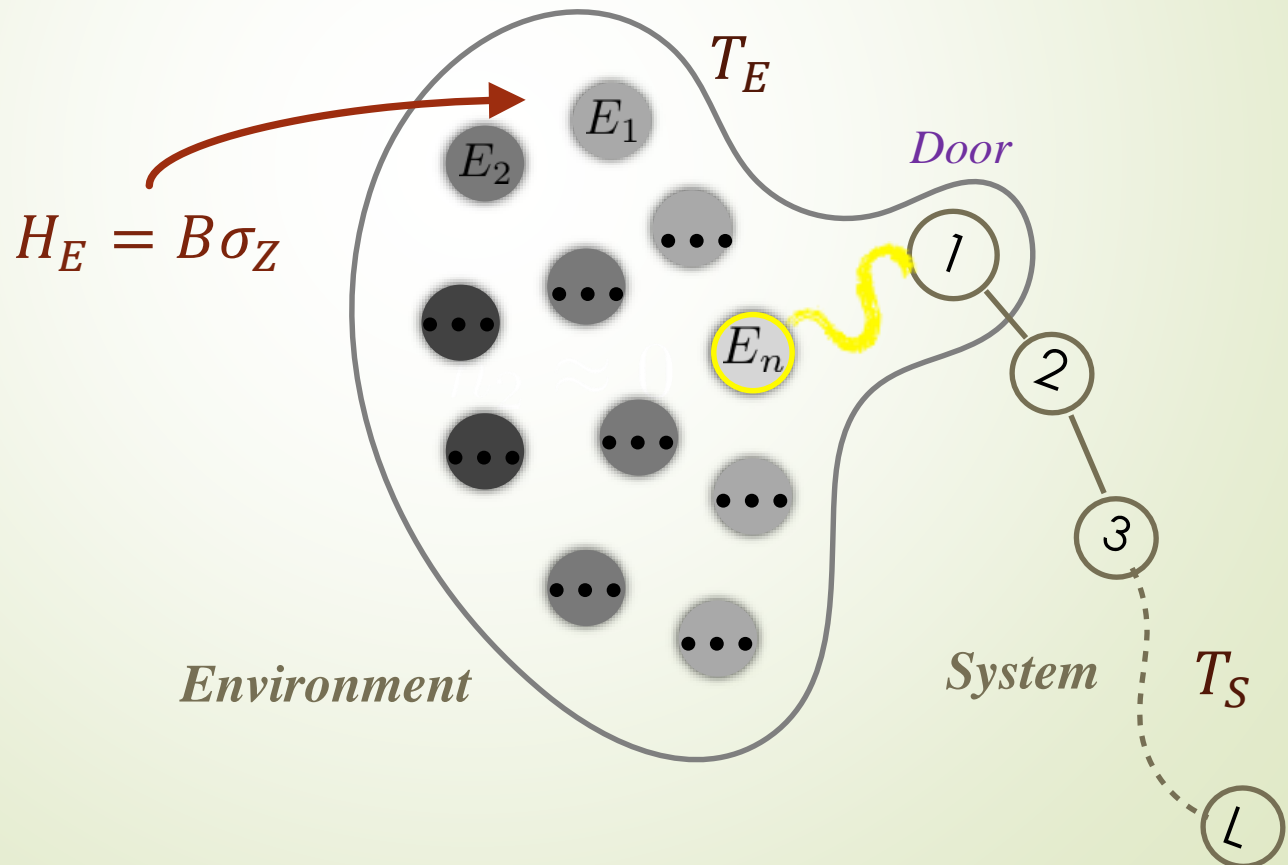




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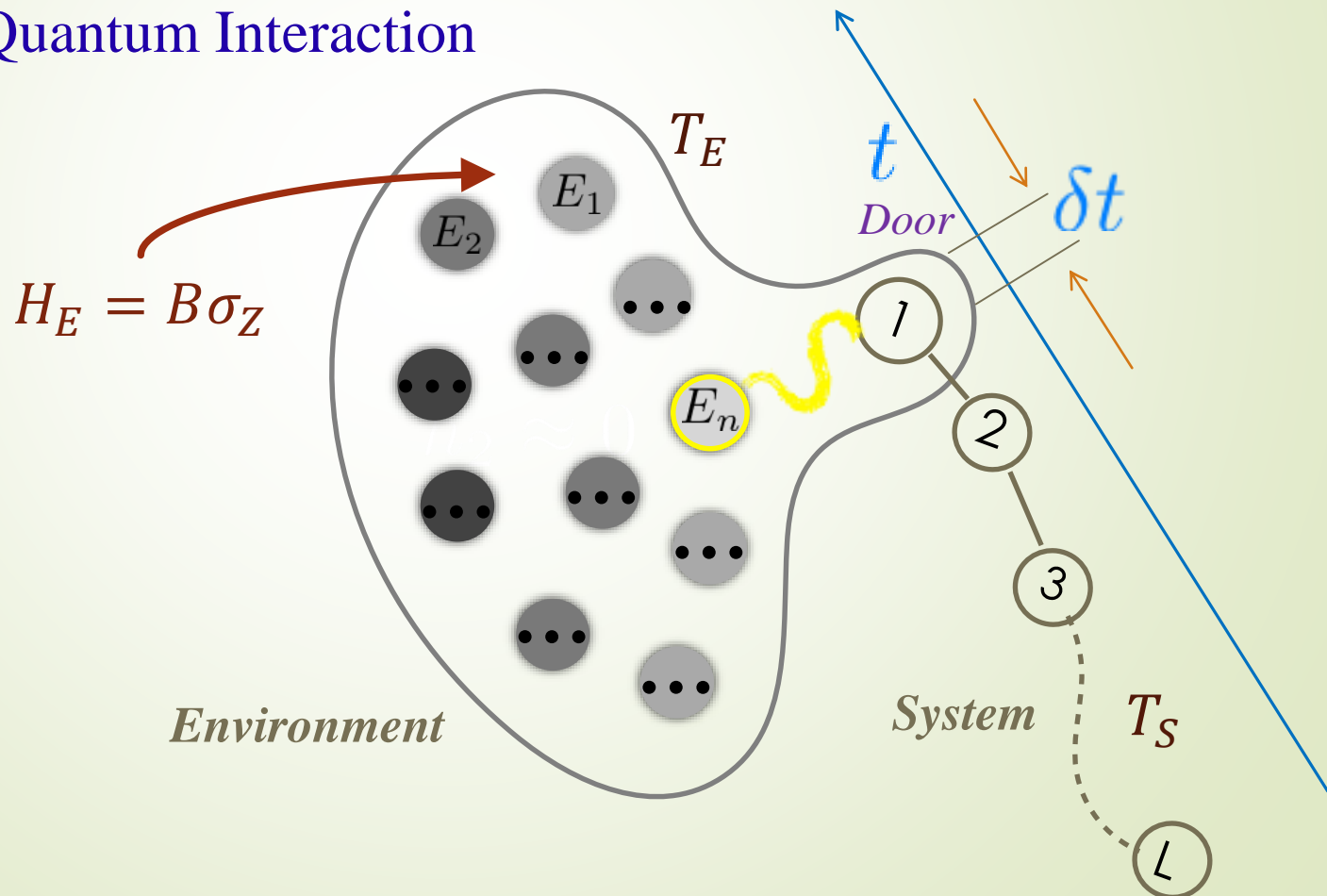
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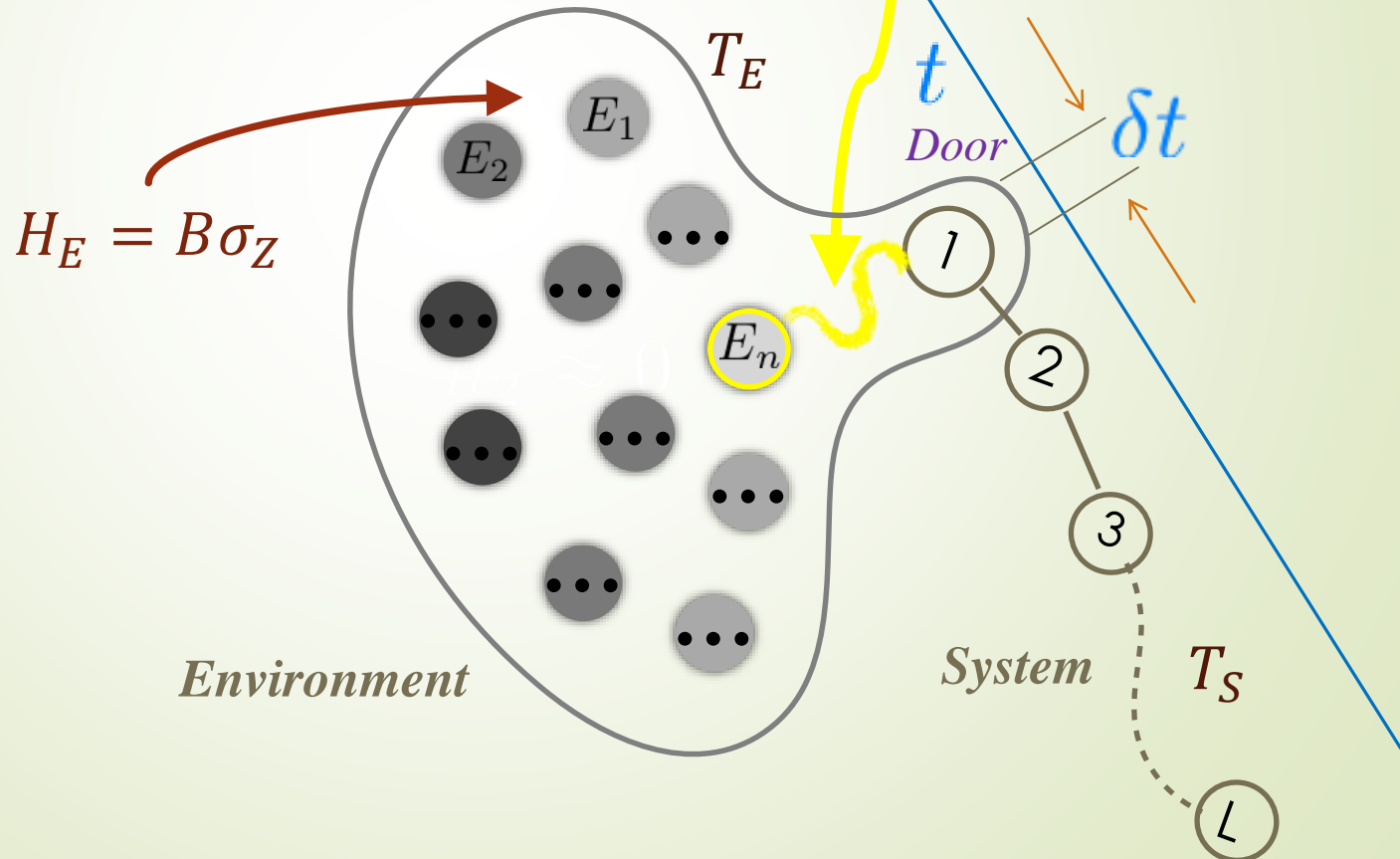


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where...

$$Z_E = \text{Tr}[\exp -\beta_E \hat{H}_E], \text{ and } \hat{\eta}_{d_l}^\alpha = \hat{\sigma}_{d_l}^x + (-1)^\alpha \hat{\sigma}_{d_l}^y$$



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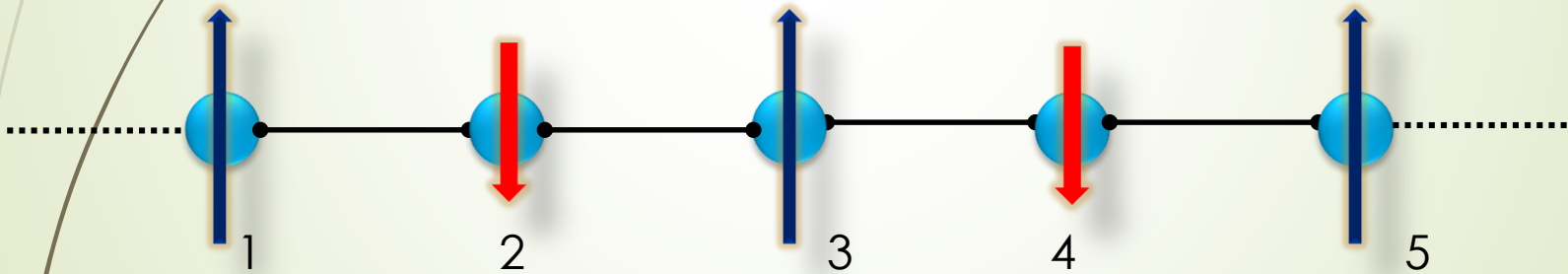
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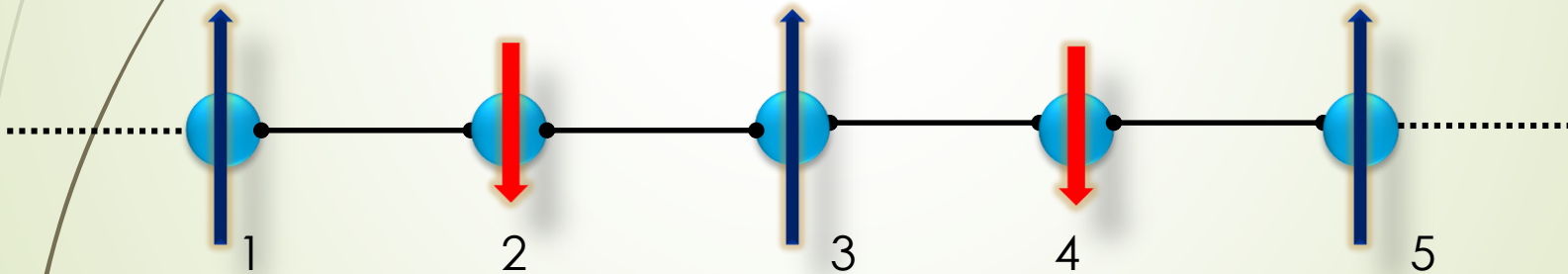
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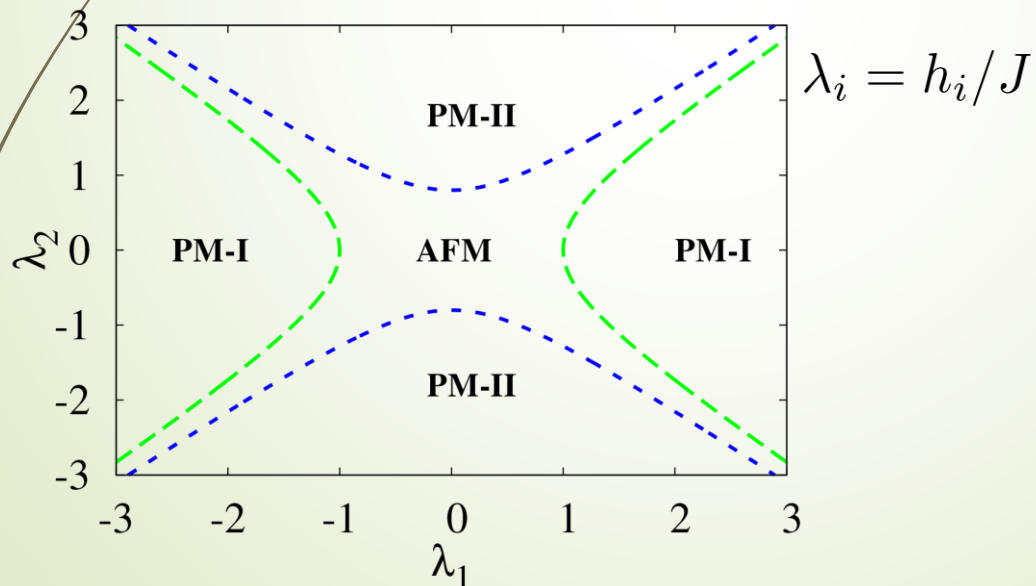


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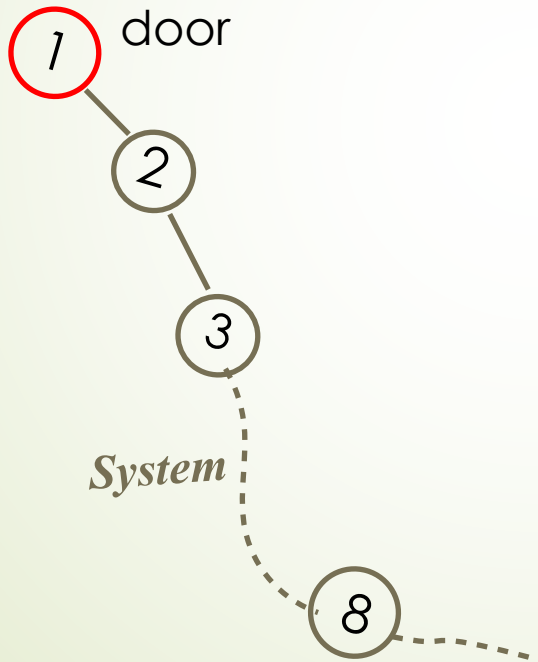
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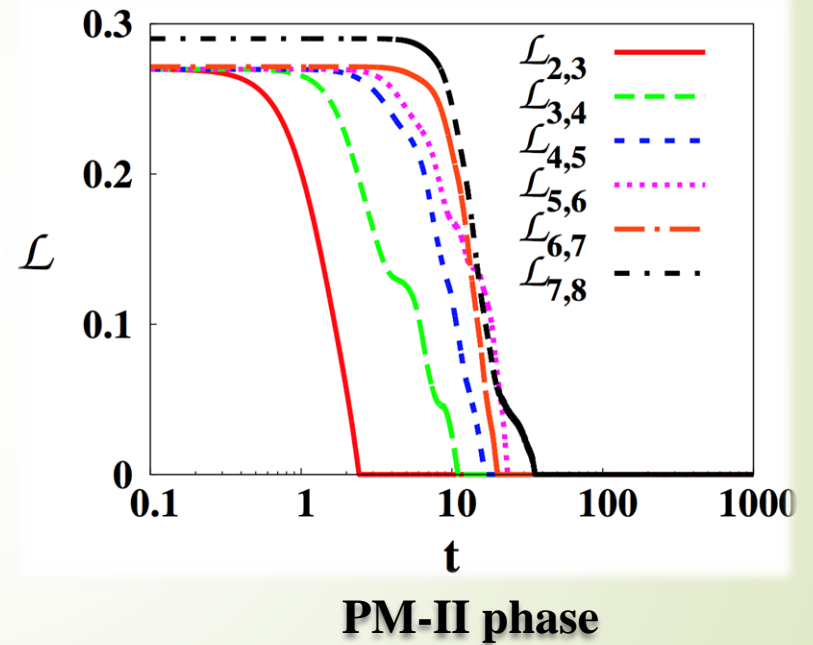
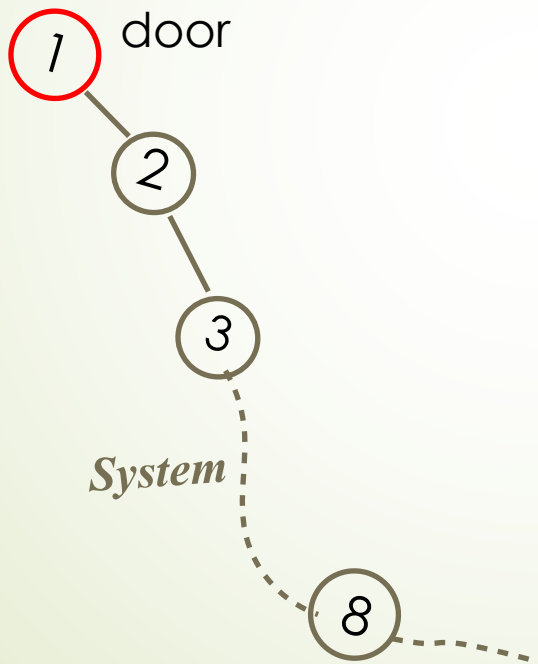
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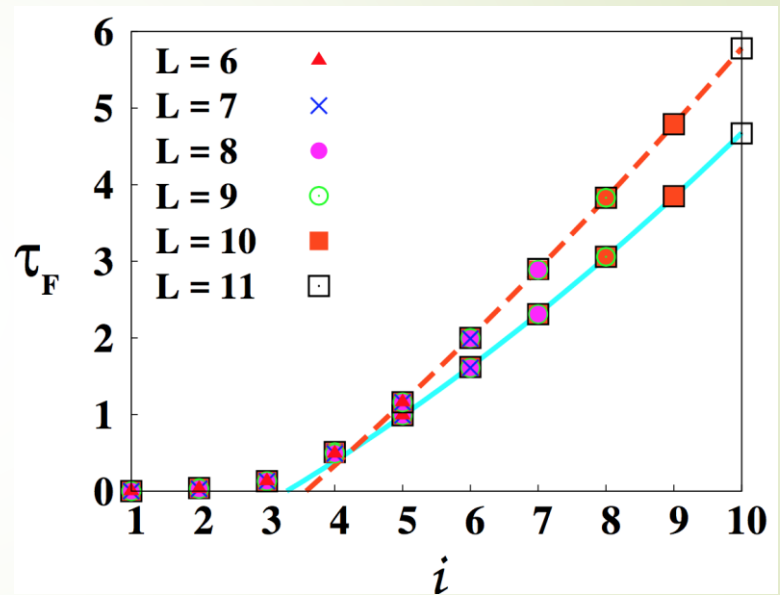
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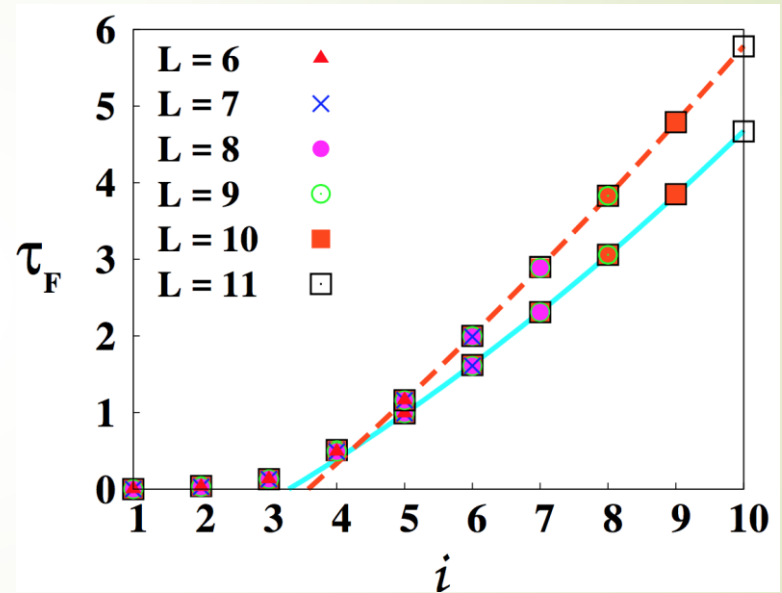
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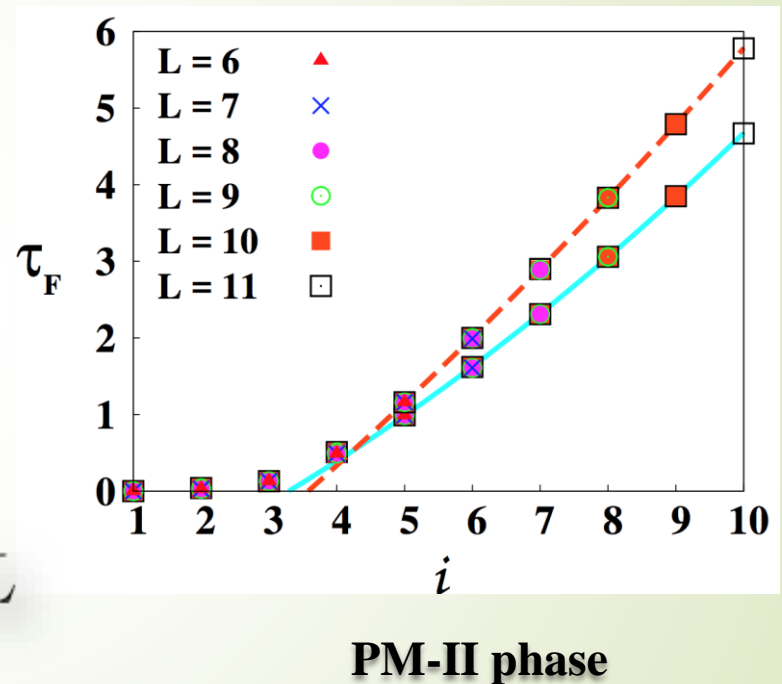
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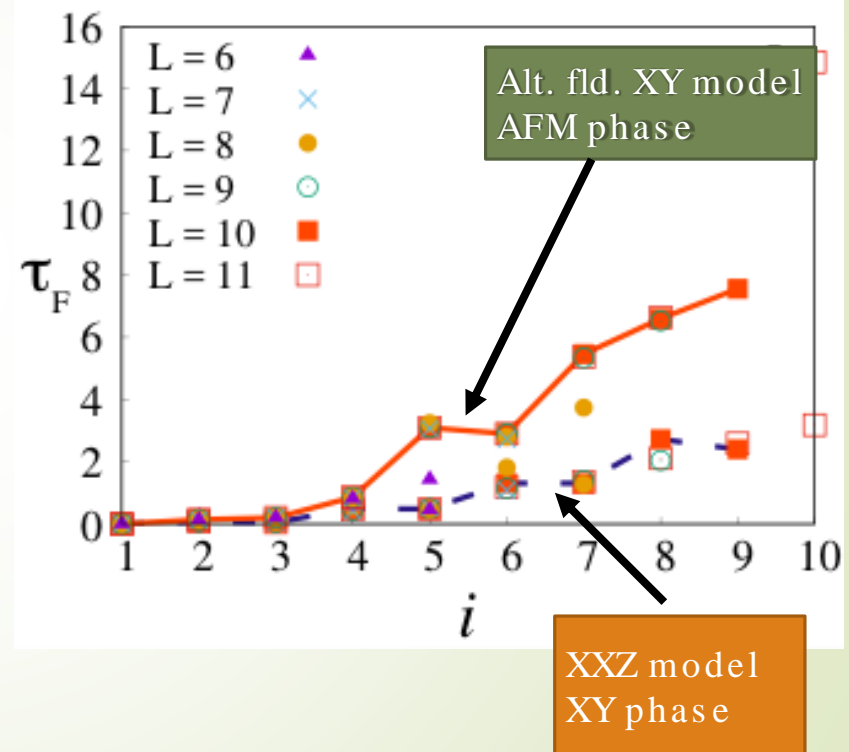
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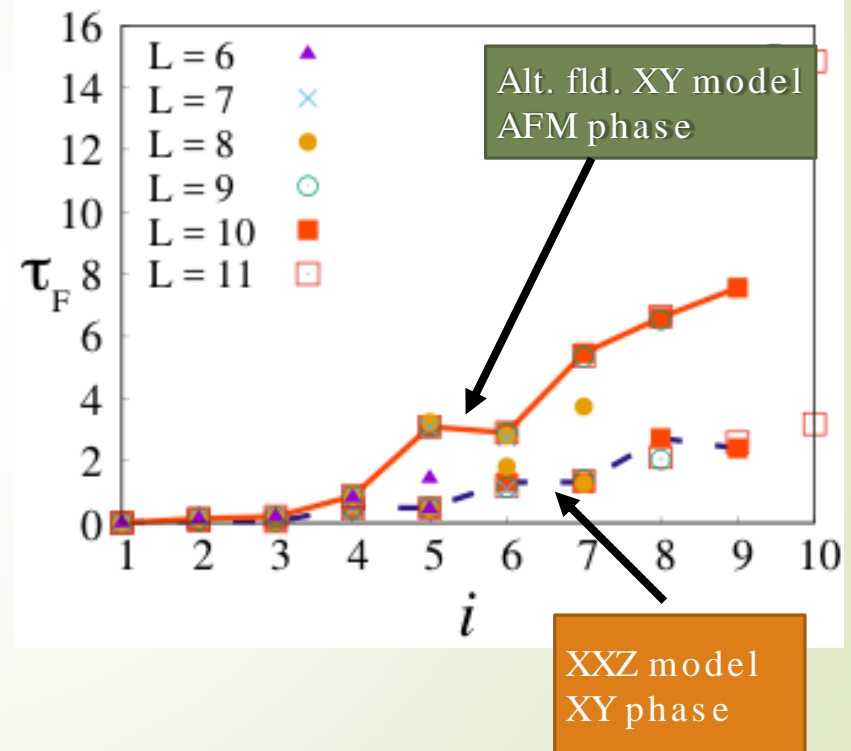


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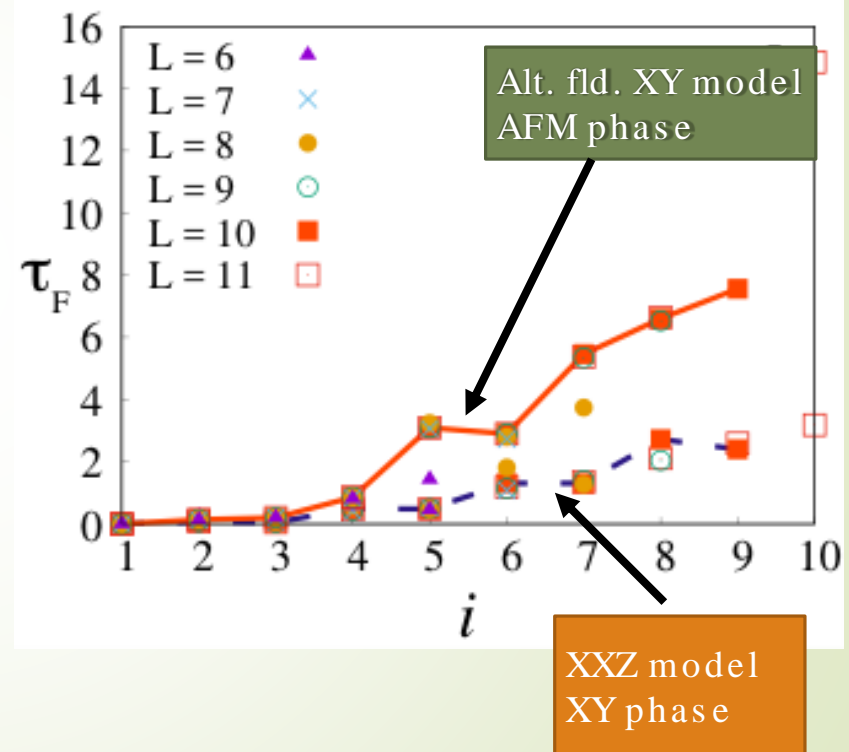
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**No scale invariance**





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## Freezing:

$\tau(i, i+1)$

To conclude:

1. Frozen discord and its allies
2. Scale invariant freezing of entanglement

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4. Different entanglement measures
5. Schmidt decomposition, purification etc.
6. State of the art random object generators
7. Apply arbitrary (control) quantum gates
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