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**MINIWORKSHOP ON STRONG CORRELATIONS
AND QUANTUM CRITICAL PHENOMENA
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MOTT TRANSITIONS - UNIVERSALITY AND VARIETY

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MOTT TRANSITIONS

— UNIVERSALITY
 &
 VARIETY

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§1. INTRODUCTION

§2. 2D FERMION CASE

- (I) Mass or Density ?
- (II) Spin-Charge Separation
- (III) Growth of Correlation
 - Criticality

§3. General Theory

- (I) 1D
- (II) 2D Bosons
- (III) Classification
- (IV) Critical Analysis of Existing Theories

§4. EXPERIMENTAL ASPECTS

- (I) Phenomenological Theory of Spin Correlation
- (II) Two Types of Mott Transitions
 - Charge Crossover and Spin Gap in High-T_c Cuprates

1. Introduction

INCOMPRESSIBLE STATES formed
by many-body interaction

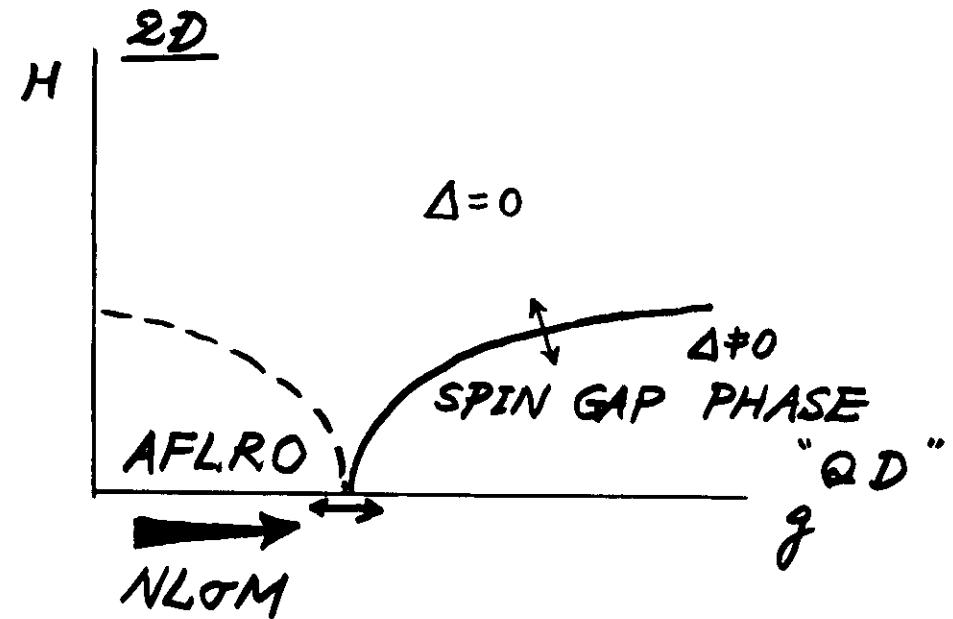
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{gap} \\ \chi = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

Mott insulator: charge incompressible
 { fermion
 | boson

spin gap state spin incompressible
 QAFM

- 1D
- spin integer Haldane
 - spin half-integer + dimerization
 - spin half-integer + frustration
 - even-number chain

- 2D
- dimerization
 - two-layer



Chakravarty, Halperin & Nelson

FQH state charge incompressible

Quantum Liquid \longleftrightarrow Incompressible States
Transition

- Interest on "critical phenomena" at $T=0$
- Probe for investigating the nature of quantum liquid
- Realization of anomalous quantum liquid example

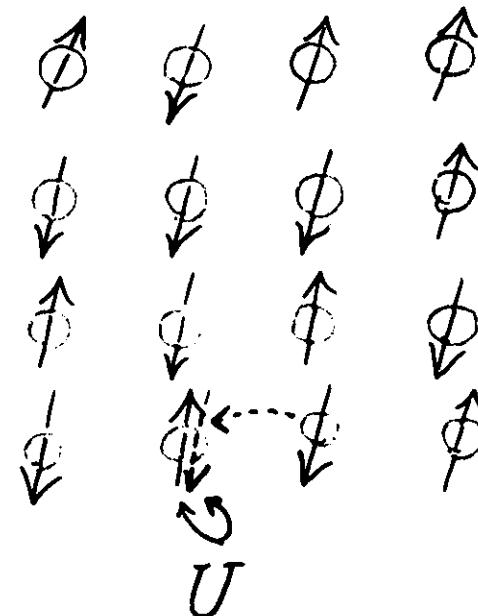
1D Hubbard, Tomonaga-Luttinger liquid

spin-charge separation

$\chi_c, \chi_s, C, D, \dots$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \chi_c \neq \chi_s \text{ at transition} \\ \text{spin, charge correlation} \end{array} \right.$

$$\sigma(\omega) = D\delta(\omega) + \sigma_{\text{reg}}(\omega)$$

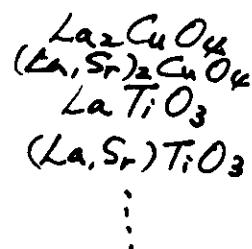


TRANSITION TO MOTT INSULATOR

1937 de Boer Verway NiO
 Peterls
 "Strong Correlation"
 Mott

1949 Mott

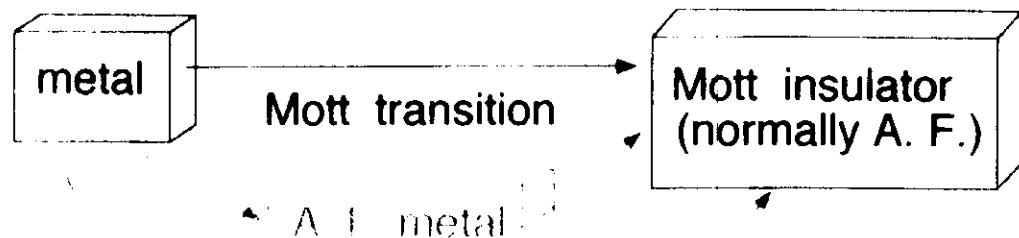
70's Hubbard
 Brinkman Rice
 Hasegawa - Moriya
 slave particle
 QMC



Mott insulator:

- integer number of electrons per unit cell (or site)
- band not filled

Mott 1949 NiO



- Anderson localization
- typical examples of Mott transition
 $(V, Ti)_2O_3$, $(La, Sr)TiO_3$, cuprates
- Note : two possible routes
 1. change in doping
 2. change in U/t pressure

§1. INTRODUCTION

RICHNESS OF THE TRANSITION

- route

U/t

Pilling

- magnetic order

1D

2D

3D

∞D

0

AF...II

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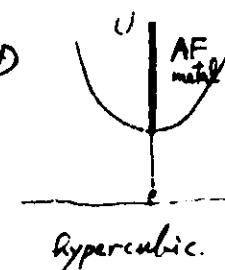
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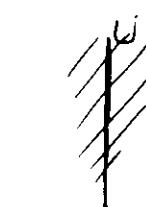
3D, ∞D



frustrated

- randomness

"Mott Anderson Transition."



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→ Peierls transition
cf. DCNQ salt

- electron-phonon interaction

- phase separation

in short-ranged interaction model

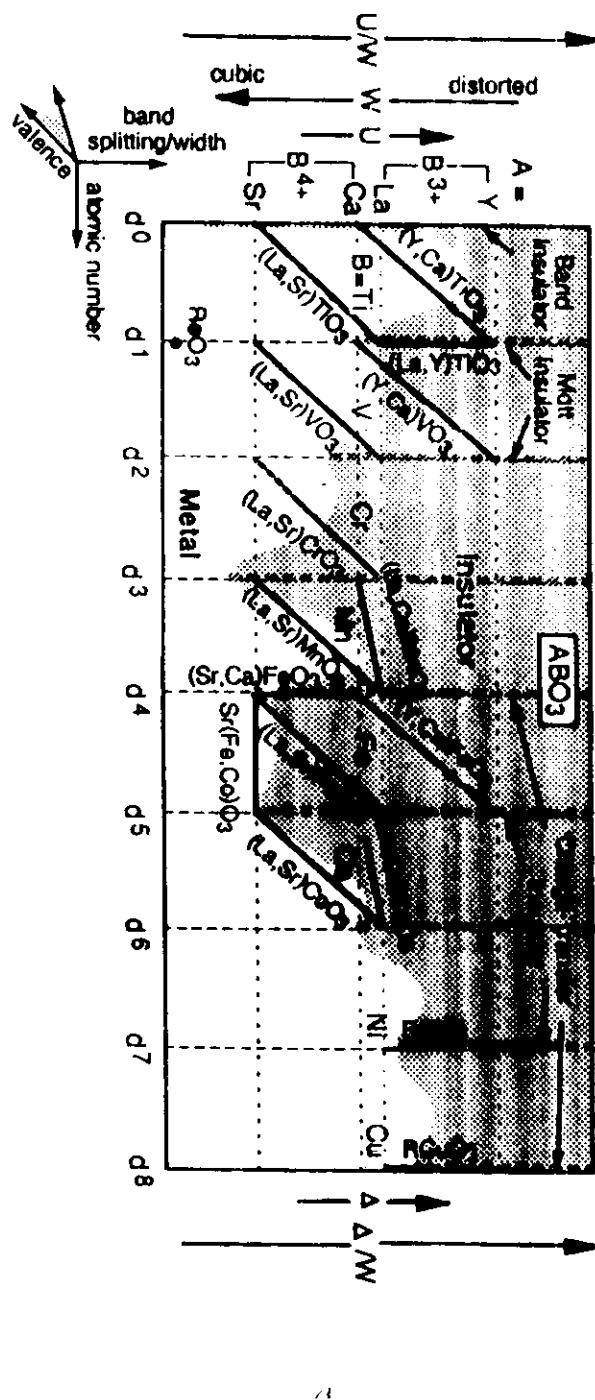


Fig. 1: Various ternary and pseudo-ternary perovskite-type oxides plotted against the A-site cation and the d-band filling n . Band-gap closure occurs along vertical lines; valence control is realized along oblique directions and atomic-number control along the horizontal direction.

Order of the transition

half-filling (change in $\langle \hat{n} \rangle$)

electron-phonon.

Long-ranged culture. > 200 mts.

1961

Geological Map of Hampshire

3-73 図 コラントム病態
黒丸: 陽イオノ, V^{3+} ,
白丸: 陰イオノ, O^{2-}

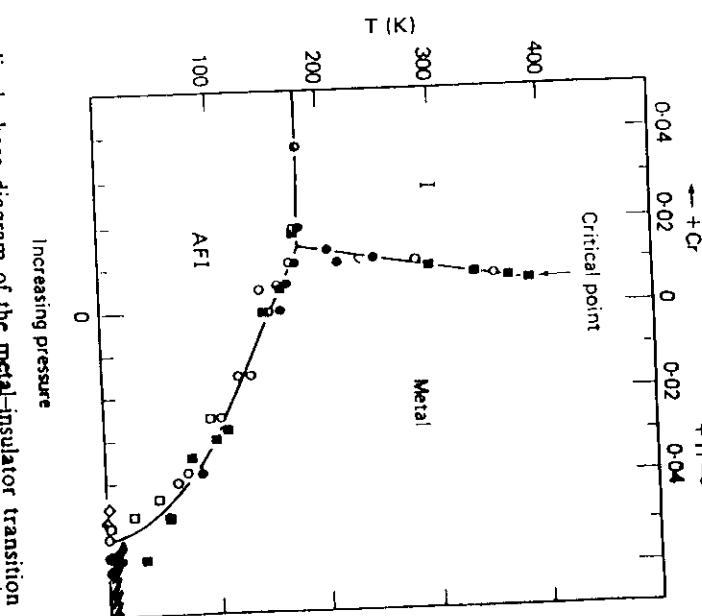
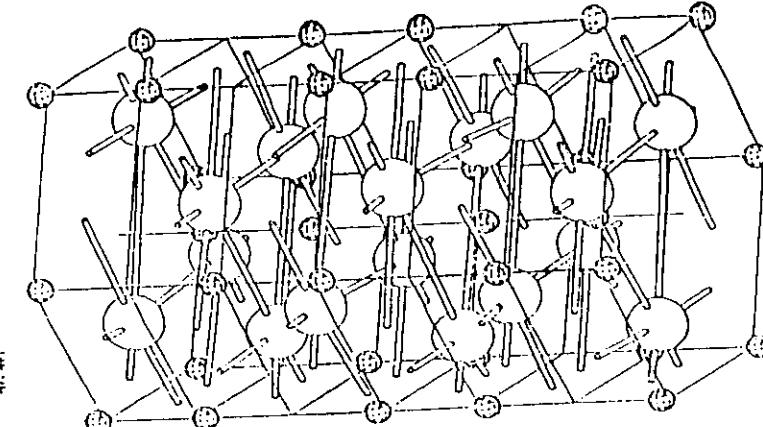
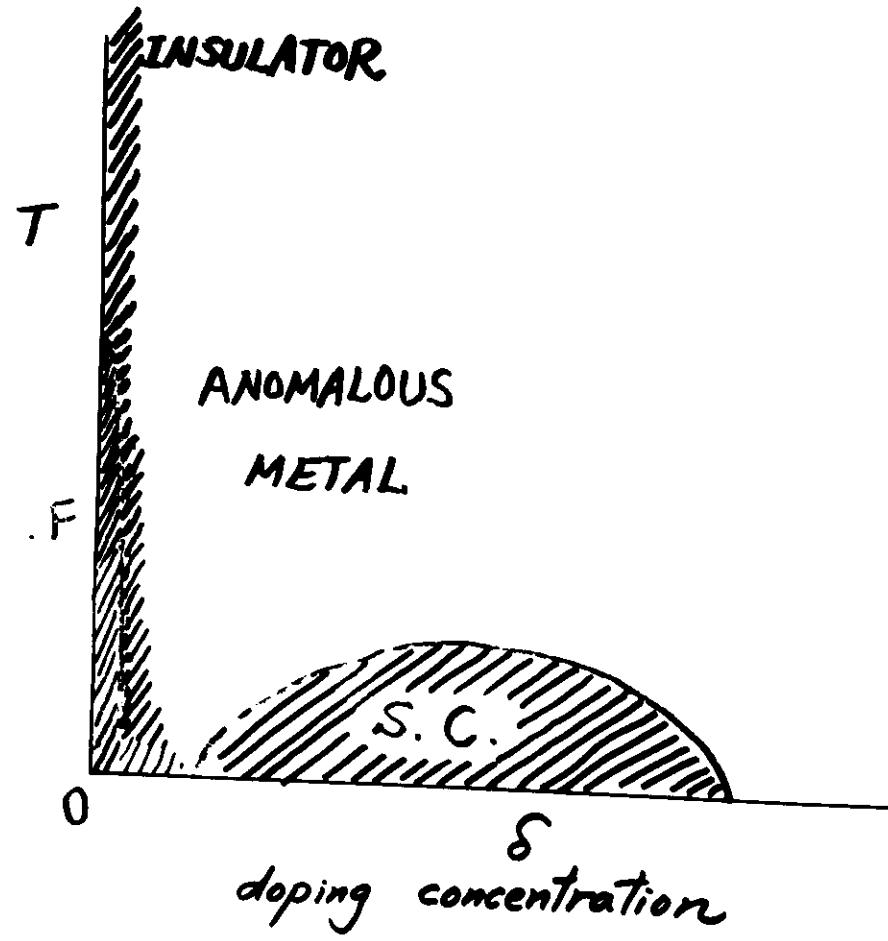
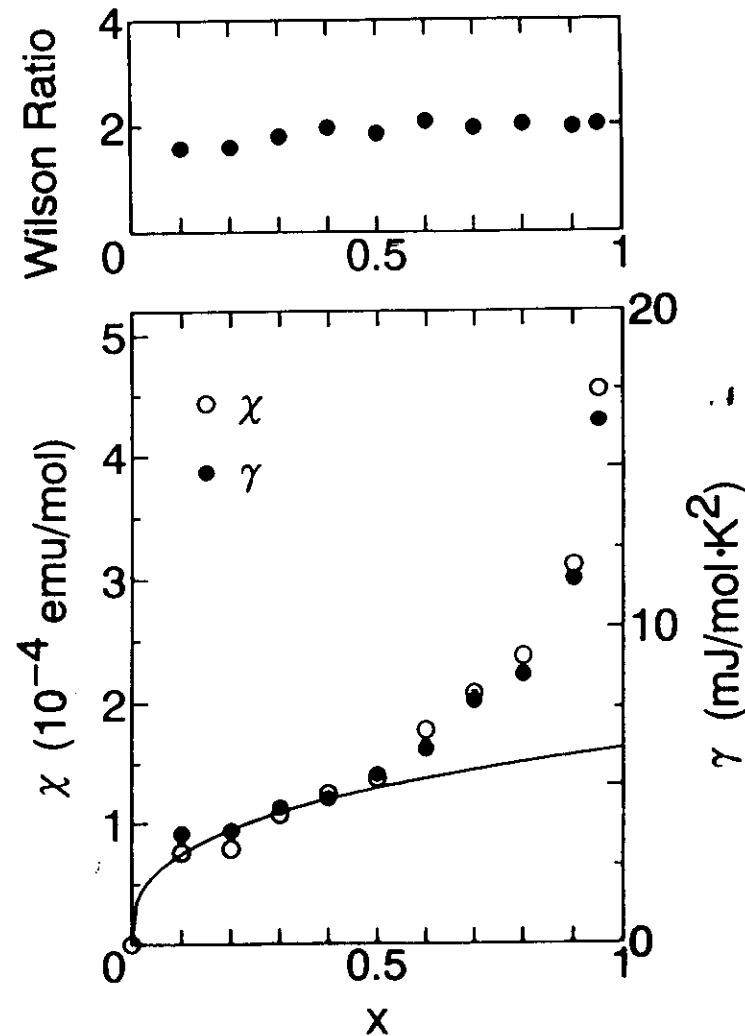


Fig. 6.3 Generalized phase diagram of the metal-insulator transition in V_2O_3 as a function of doping with Cr or Ti and as a function of pressure, showing the critical point function (McWhan *et al.* 1971).



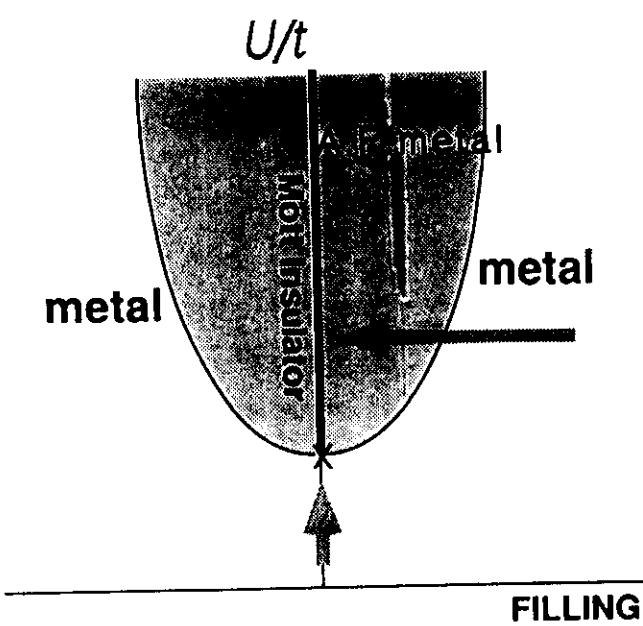
BASIC PHASE DIAGRAM
OF CUPRATES

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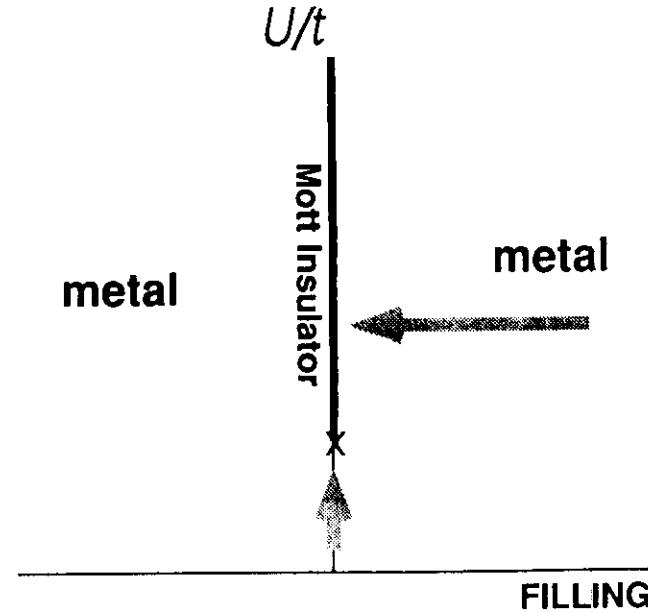


$\text{La}_{\frac{x}{2}} \text{Sr}_{\frac{x}{2}} \text{TiO}_3$
 Tokura et al.

Fig. 3 Tokura et al.



Two Routes to the Mott Insulator



Two Routes to the Mott Insulator

A PARADIGM OF THE MOTT TRANSITION

PARAMAGNETIC METAL \longleftrightarrow MOTT INSULATOR

SUPPRESSION OF

1) RANDOMNESS ; ANDERSON LOCALIZATION

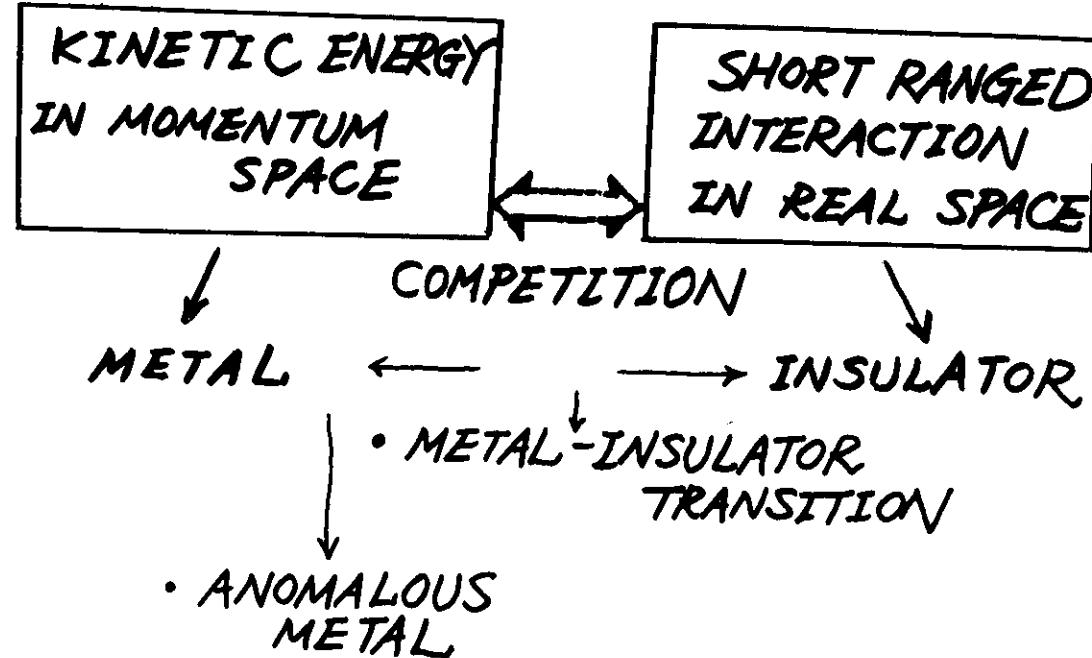
- more than or equal to 4 components
in transition metal oxides
- correct charge filling condition

2) ANTIFERRIMAGNETIC METAL.

- low dimensionality
- mutual analysis of lattice structure and orbital degeneracy

3) LATTICE DISTORTION
Structural phase transition

(I)



TMO , HTC

bridge $\begin{cases} \text{"band structure people"} \\ \text{"strong correlation people"} \end{cases}$

-called "Mott insulator"

GROUND STATE OF THE INSULATOR

ITINERANT
PICTURE

Slater

↓
SIC-LDA Slane-Gunnarsson

parametrized HF Grant-McMahon

LDA + U Anisimov - A.K. Andersen

In usual circumstances, it is hard to decide superiority between itinerant and localized at $T=0$

single particle description is qualitatively bad

LOCALIZED
PICTURE

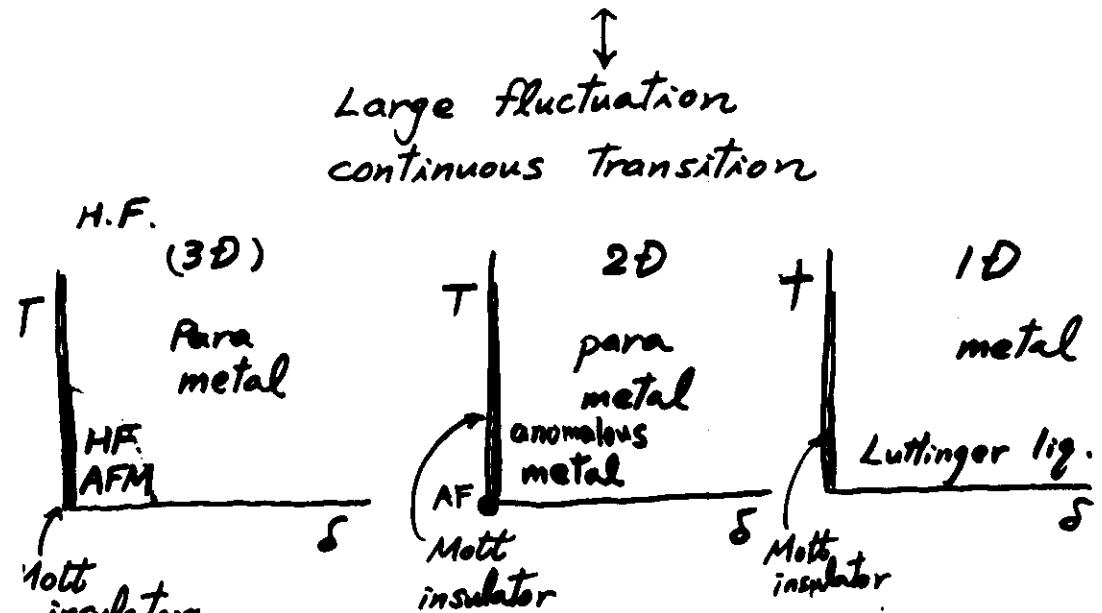
Mott

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CI

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DOPING

"BAND PICTURE"
quasi-particle description ← →
with Luttinger theorem discontinuously separated
Mott insulator · AF insulator · strongly hybridized insulator



MOTT INSULATOR

SPIN GAP $\Delta_s \neq 0$ { "valence bond insulator"
strong hybridization
 \downarrow
low spin state Na_2CuO_2 dimerization
· 2-layer 2-chain
· 1D
 $\Delta_s = 0$, no symmetry breaking

(AF) symmetry breaking

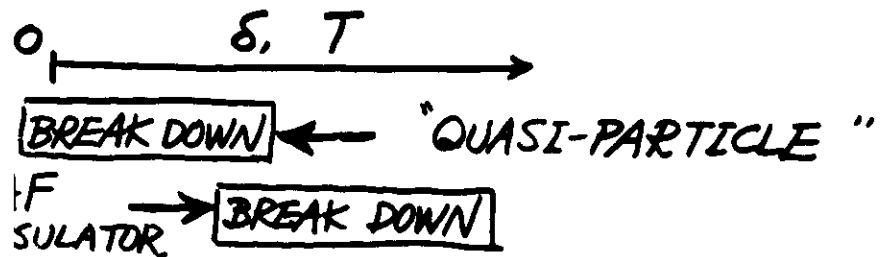
- La_2CuO_4
- LaTiO_3
- :

I). EXCITATION FROM THE INSULATOR
· DOPING → ANOMALOUS METAL
EXCITATION
spin gap ≠ charge gap
 \leftrightarrow "band picture"
Koopman

{ AF insulator → Goldstone mode
"valence bond insulator"
Kondo insulator

RECENT TRENDS

MORE ANOMALOUS STATE!
MORE FLUCTUATION!



RELEVANT QUANTITIES

Drude weight D

$$\sigma(\omega) = D \delta(\omega) + \sigma_{\text{reg}}$$

$$D \propto \frac{n}{m^*}$$

 $D=0$ at $\delta=0$ compressibility κ

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{V} \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{n^2} \chi_c \quad \begin{matrix} \kappa=0 & \text{at } \delta=0 \\ \text{incompressible} & \end{matrix}$$

$$\chi_c = \frac{\partial n}{\partial \mu}$$

density of states $N(\omega)$ $\Delta_c \neq 0$ uniform susceptibility χ specific heat coefficient γ

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METAL TO BAND-INSULATOR TRANSITION

HOW DOES A METAL BREAK DOWN TO
AN INSULATOR ?

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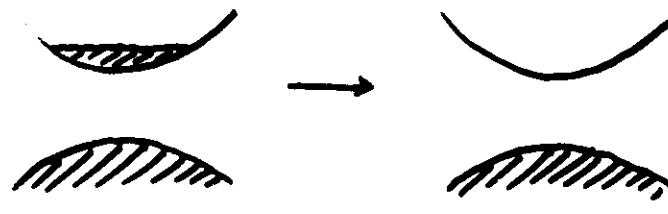
HOW DOES AN INSULATOR GROW UP
FROM A METAL ?

() MASS or DENSITY ?

$$\sigma(\omega) = D \delta(\omega) + \sigma_{\text{reg}}$$

$$D \propto \frac{n_c}{m_c^*} \quad \leftarrow \text{single particle picture}$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} n_c \rightarrow 0 \\ m_c^* \rightarrow \infty \end{array} \right.$$



$$n \rightarrow 0$$

~~$m_c^* \rightarrow \infty$~~

$$\delta \rightarrow +0$$

$$D \rightarrow 0$$

$$K \rightarrow \begin{cases} \infty & (1D) \\ \text{const} & (2D) \\ 0 & (3D) \end{cases}$$

$$\gamma$$

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charge susceptibility

(charge compressibility)

= a direct probe to see the charge mass

m_c^*

$T = 0$

$$\mu = -\frac{\partial E_g}{\partial n_e}$$

$$X_c \approx \frac{m^*}{m_e}$$

$$\kappa = -\frac{1}{V} \cdot \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{n^2} X_c$$

cf. isotropic Fermi liquid

$$f_i = N(\epsilon_i) \frac{1}{1 + F_0} \propto m^*$$

$$N_i = N(\epsilon_i) \frac{1}{1 + F_0} \propto$$

$$X_{c,i} = \frac{1}{V} \int \sum_i f_i(\epsilon) n_i(0) d\epsilon$$

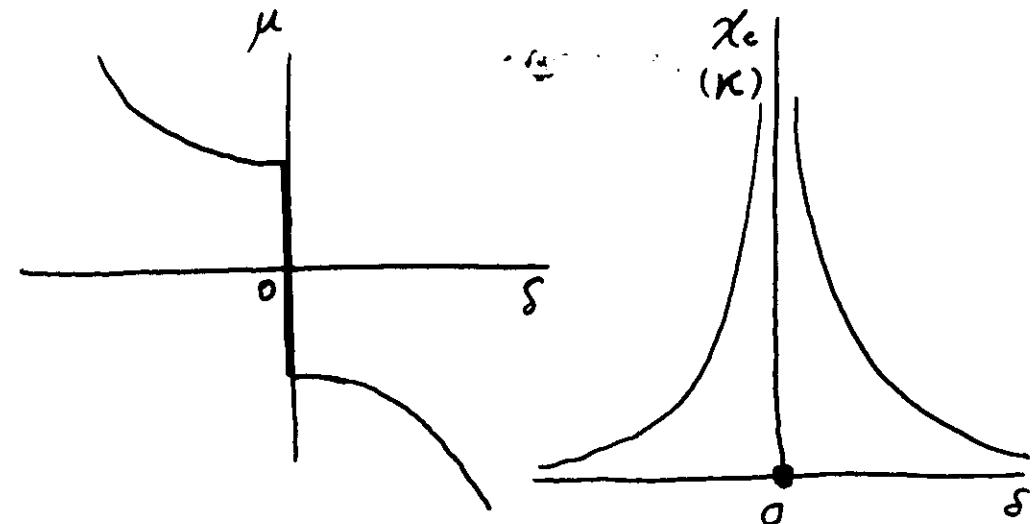
charge mass

localization

attractive interaction { phase separation
pairing

Metal-Insulator Transition

in the Hubbard Model

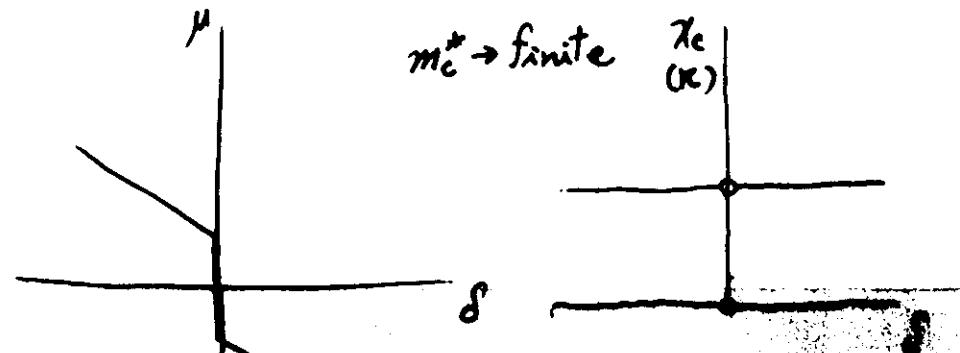


$$; \quad \chi_c \approx 1/81 \quad \delta \neq 0$$

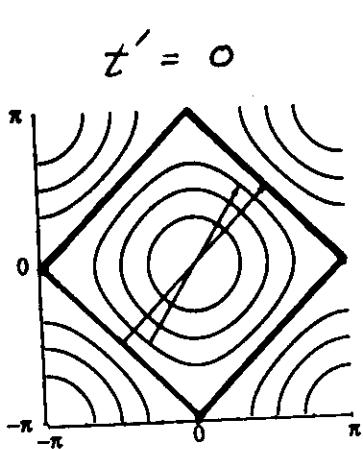
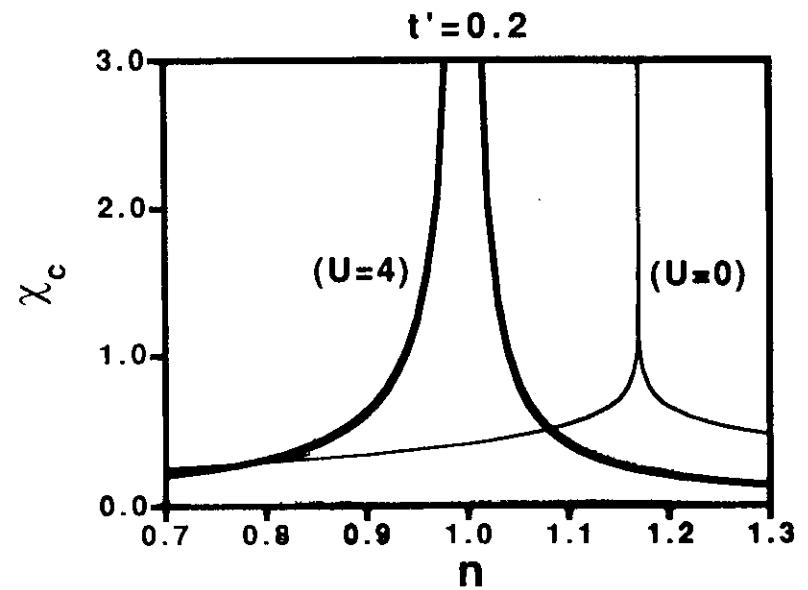
$$\boxed{\chi_c = 0 \quad \delta = 0}$$

$$\rightarrow m_c^* \rightarrow \infty \quad \text{as } 1/81 \rightarrow 0$$

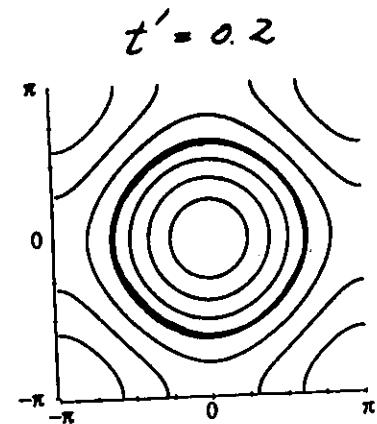
2D Metal-Band Insulator Transition



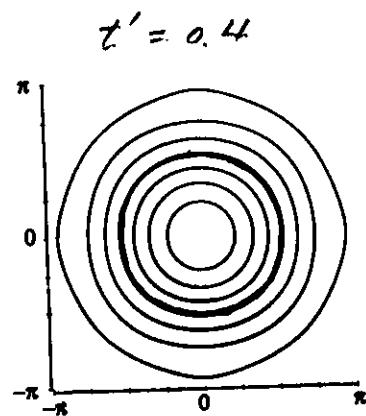
Energy Contour Line of Noninteracting System



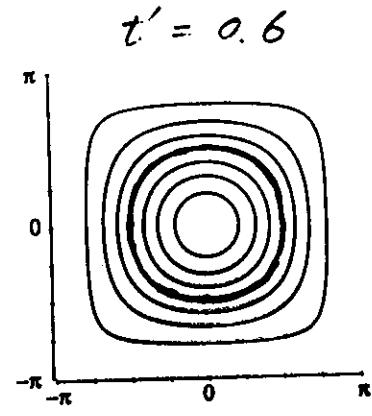
(a)



(b)



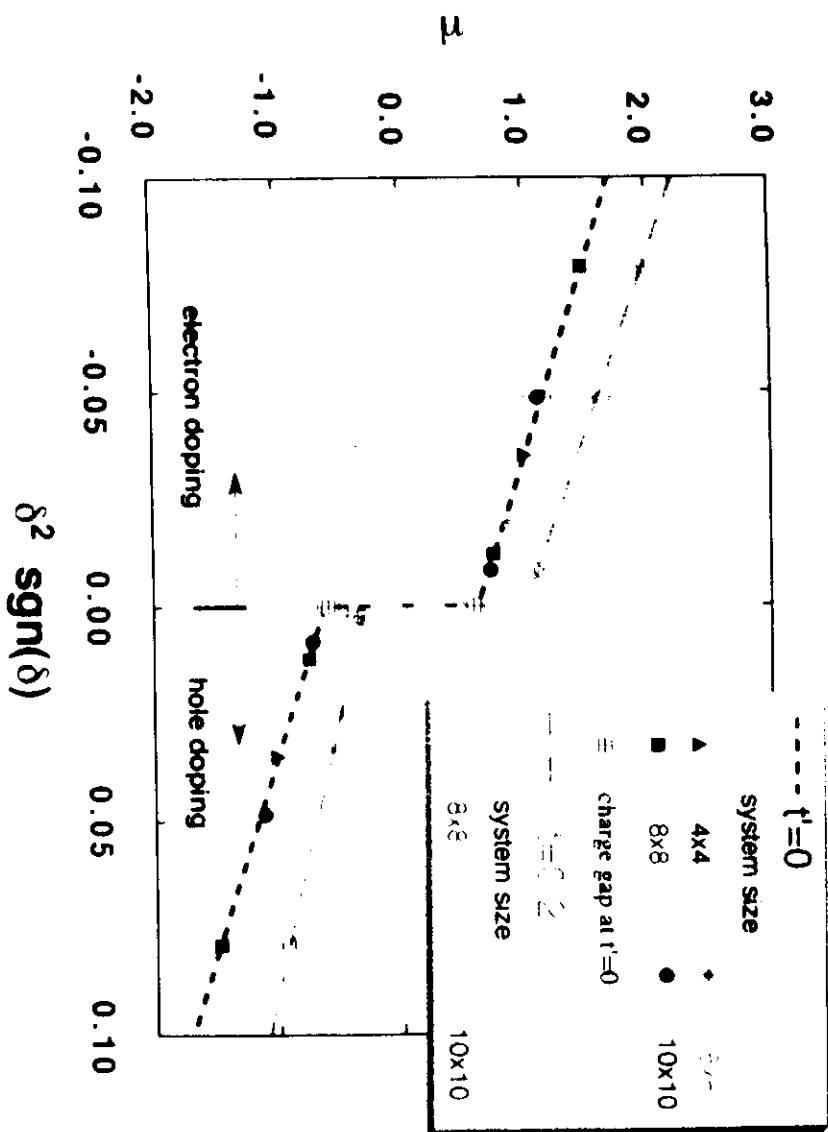
(c)



(d)

Figure 1B

Monte Carlo results of 2D Hubbard



$$U = -J_r + \frac{e^2}{\epsilon} c^2 \quad J=1-2L$$

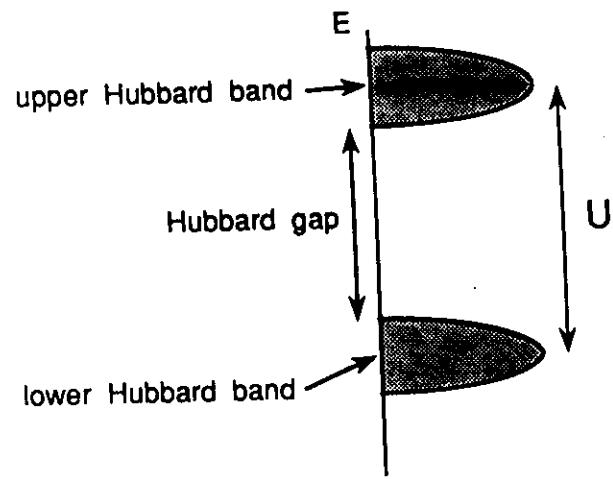
$$x_c \propto e^{-1}$$

$$\text{large mass} \quad m_c^* \propto e^{-1}$$

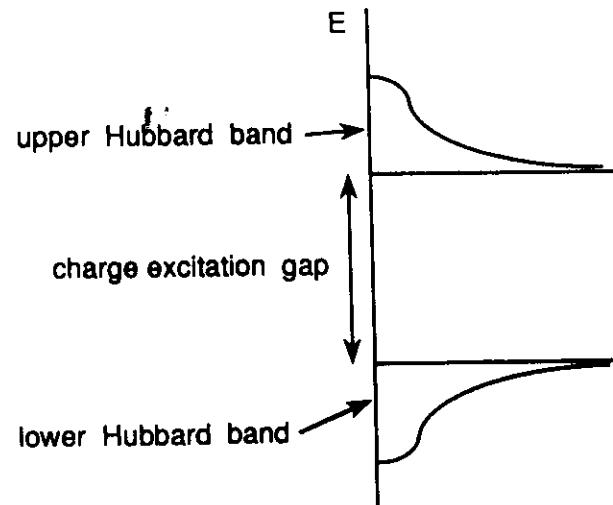
$$t' \neq 0$$

~~electron-hole symmetry~~

~~van-Hove singularity at E_F~~

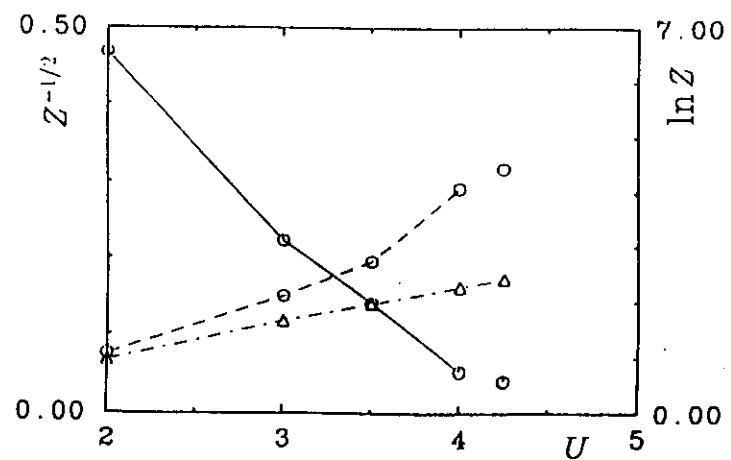
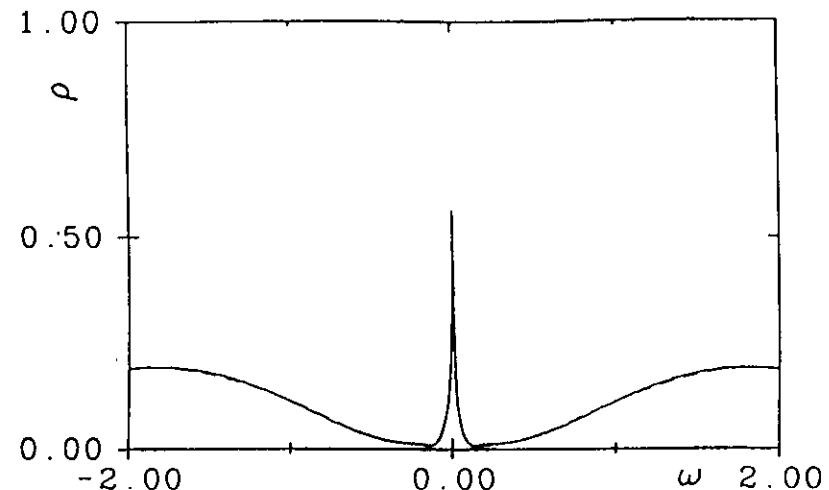


DENSITY OF STATES IN THE HUBBARD APPROXIMATION



SCHEMATIC DENSITY OF STATES OF THE HUBBARD MODEL

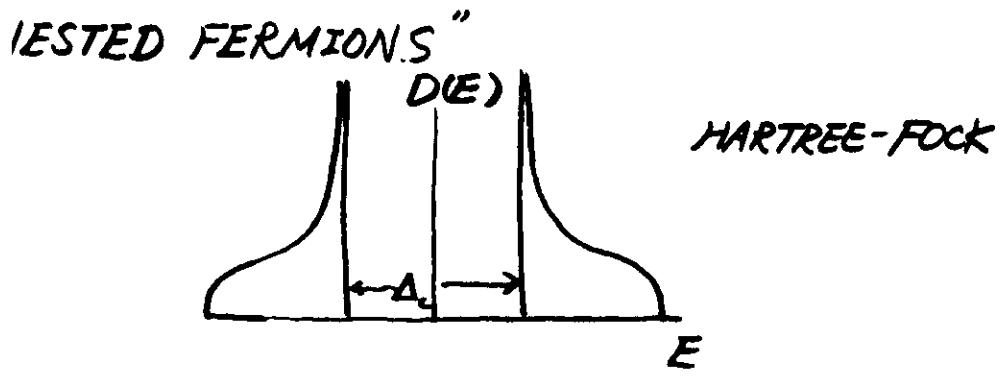
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Sakai & Kuramoto

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E MECHANISM OF MASS DIVERGENCE IN MULTI-COMPONENT SYSTEMS



k -independent gap \leftrightarrow square root singularity in $D(E)$

destruction of AFLRO immediately upon doping

F ordering as "entropy releasing process"

law of thermodynamics \downarrow cf. $\propto D$

one kind of ordering in insulator "Kondo resonance"
acc enhancement in metal

THE MECHANISM OF MASS DIVERGENCE

insulator

$m \rightarrow \infty$ finite para "Kondo" resonance $\propto D$

* $m \rightarrow \infty \rightarrow k$ -dependence in $\Sigma(g, \omega)$?
yes $\rightarrow \kappa \rightarrow \delta^{-1}$ symmetry breaking (mostly AF)
2D

"GROWTH IN INSULATING (AF) CORRELATION (SPIN)"
nesting c.f. H.F.

renormalization flow to

(II) SPIN-CHARGE SEPARATION

spin gap \neq charge gap
 \leftrightarrow band picture

spin response \neq charge response

TYPE 1

$$\begin{cases} \chi_c \rightarrow \delta^{-1} \\ \chi_s \rightarrow \text{finite} \end{cases}$$

TYPE 2

metal, superconducting

$$\begin{cases} \chi_c \text{ finite} \\ \chi_s = 0 \end{cases}$$

$\rightarrow 1D$

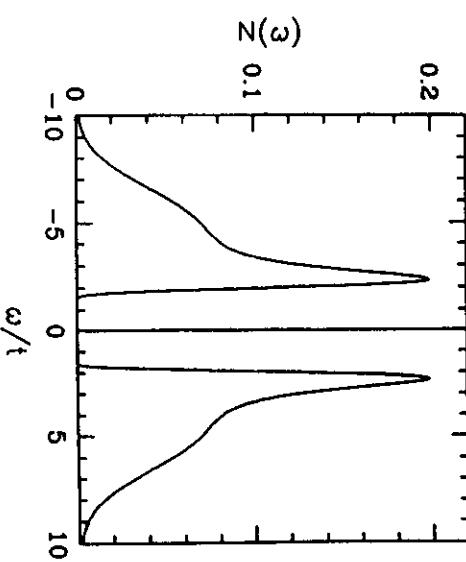


Fig. 3

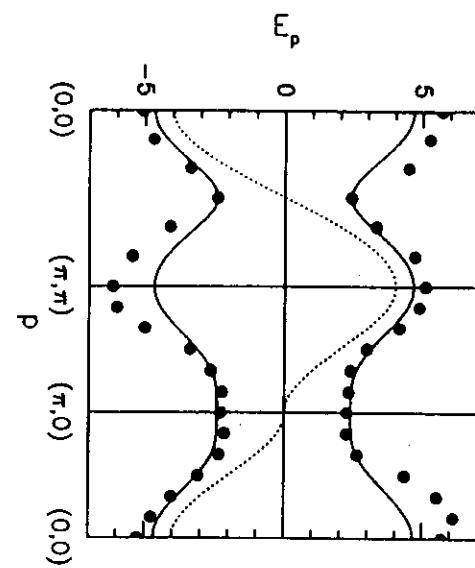
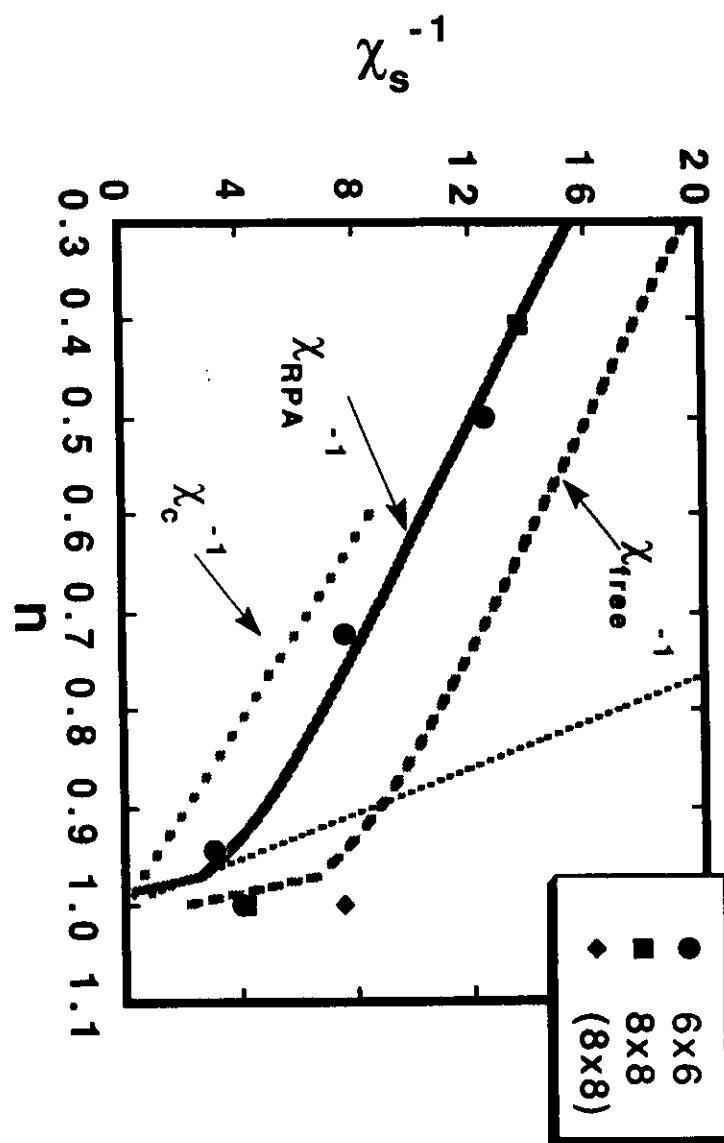


Fig. 4

GENERAL THEORY

1 D case



- fermion Hubbard
- bosons

hard-core boson

$$\mathcal{H} = -t \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} (b_i^\dagger b_j + H.c.)$$

$$\mathcal{H} = -t \sum_s \langle i,j \rangle (b_{is}^\dagger b_{js} + H.c.)$$

$$+ J_{xy} \sum_s (\mathbf{S}_i^x \mathbf{S}_j^x + \mathbf{S}_i^y \mathbf{S}_j^y)$$

$$+ J_z \sum_s (\mathbf{S}_i^z \mathbf{S}_j^z + \mathbf{S}_i^z \mathbf{S}_j^z)$$

2-component hard-core boson $J_{xy} = J_z = 0$
 (color flavor)

boson $t-J$

$$J_{xy} = J_z > 0$$

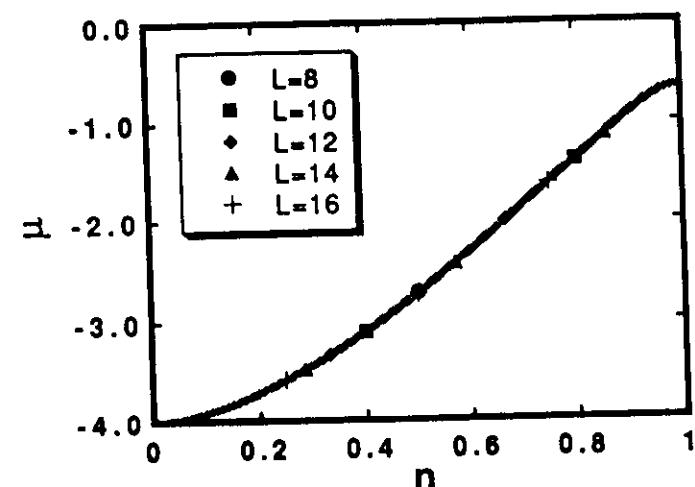
modified boson $t-J$

$$-J_{xy} = J_z > 0$$

boson $t-J_z$
 (Ising boson $t-J$)

$$J_{xy} = 0, J_z > 0$$

1D Hubbard



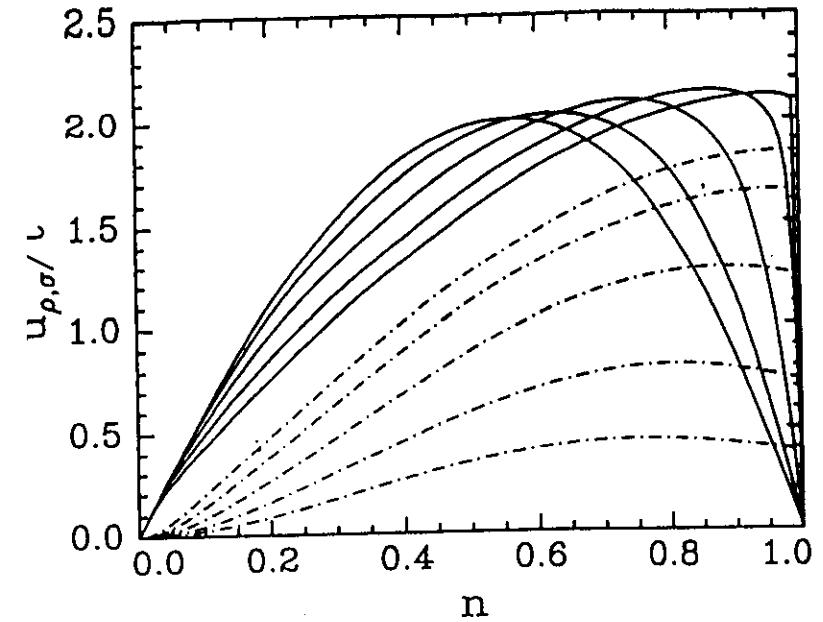


Figure 1: The charge and spin velocities u_p , (full line) and u_s , (dash-dotted line) for the Hubbard model, as a function of the band filling for different values of U/t : for u_s , $U/t = 1, 2, 4, 8, 16$ from top to bottom, for u_p , $U/t = 16, 8, 4, 2, 1$ from top to bottom in the left part of the figure.

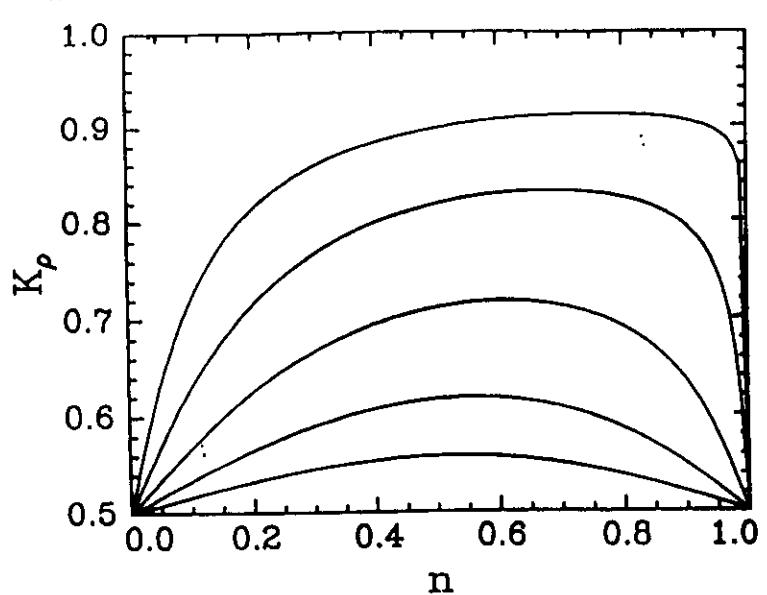


Figure 3: The correlation exponent K_p as a function of the bandfilling n for different U/t : $1, 2, 4, 8, 16$ (the top to bottom curves). Note the rapid variation

fermion Hubbard
 $t-J$

$$\delta \rightarrow 0 \quad v_c \rightarrow 0 \\ v_s \rightarrow \text{finite}$$

hard core boson

$$H = -t \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} b_i^\dagger b_j$$

\longleftrightarrow XY model

$$\text{Katsura} \quad m = \frac{1}{\pi} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{H}{J} \right)$$

$$\begin{cases} S^z = 1/2 \rightarrow n = 1 & JS_i^\dagger S_j^- \rightarrow t c_i^\dagger c_j \\ S^z = -1/2 \rightarrow n = 0 & \end{cases}$$

$$\chi_c = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2 - \mu^2}}$$

$$\chi_c \propto \delta^{-1}$$

$$\gamma \propto \delta^{-1}$$

(hard core boson $C \propto T \leftarrow \varepsilon \propto \delta$
 free boson $C \propto T^{1/2} \leftarrow \varepsilon \propto \delta^2$
 mapping between $\delta \leftrightarrow 1-\delta$)

1D

All the Mott Transitions have the same feature

$$\begin{cases} \chi_c \propto \delta^{-1} \\ \gamma \propto \delta^{-1} \\ \chi_s \sim \text{const.} \end{cases}$$

- ① Mott Transition $\xleftrightarrow[\chi_c \propto \delta^{-1}, \gamma \propto \delta^{-1}]{n \rightarrow 0}$ band insulator transition
- ② "spin-charge separation" $\chi_c \leftrightarrow \chi_s$

fermion Hubbard.
 $t - J$

hard-core boson

"two-color" hard-core boson

boson $t - J$

§ 2.2 2D

fermion	χ_c	γ	χ_s
Hubbard	δ^{-1}	(δ^{-1})	const

hard core boson $\frac{m^*}{\hbar} \propto \delta^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_c &\sim \underset{\log}{\text{const.}} \quad C \propto \gamma T^2 \quad \leftarrow \epsilon \propto g \\ \text{p. h. transformation} \quad C &\propto T \quad \leftarrow E \propto g^2 \\ \delta &\longleftrightarrow 1 - \delta \quad \text{at } n=1 \end{aligned}$$

"two flavor" hard core boson $n \rightarrow 0$ c.f. spinless fermion

the same as "one flavor" boson

same ground state distinguishable
boson $t - J$

\uparrow
boson

- "antiferromagnetic" order at $n=1$

- $\chi_c \rightarrow \infty$

- $\chi_s \sim \text{finite}$

"flavor"-charge separation

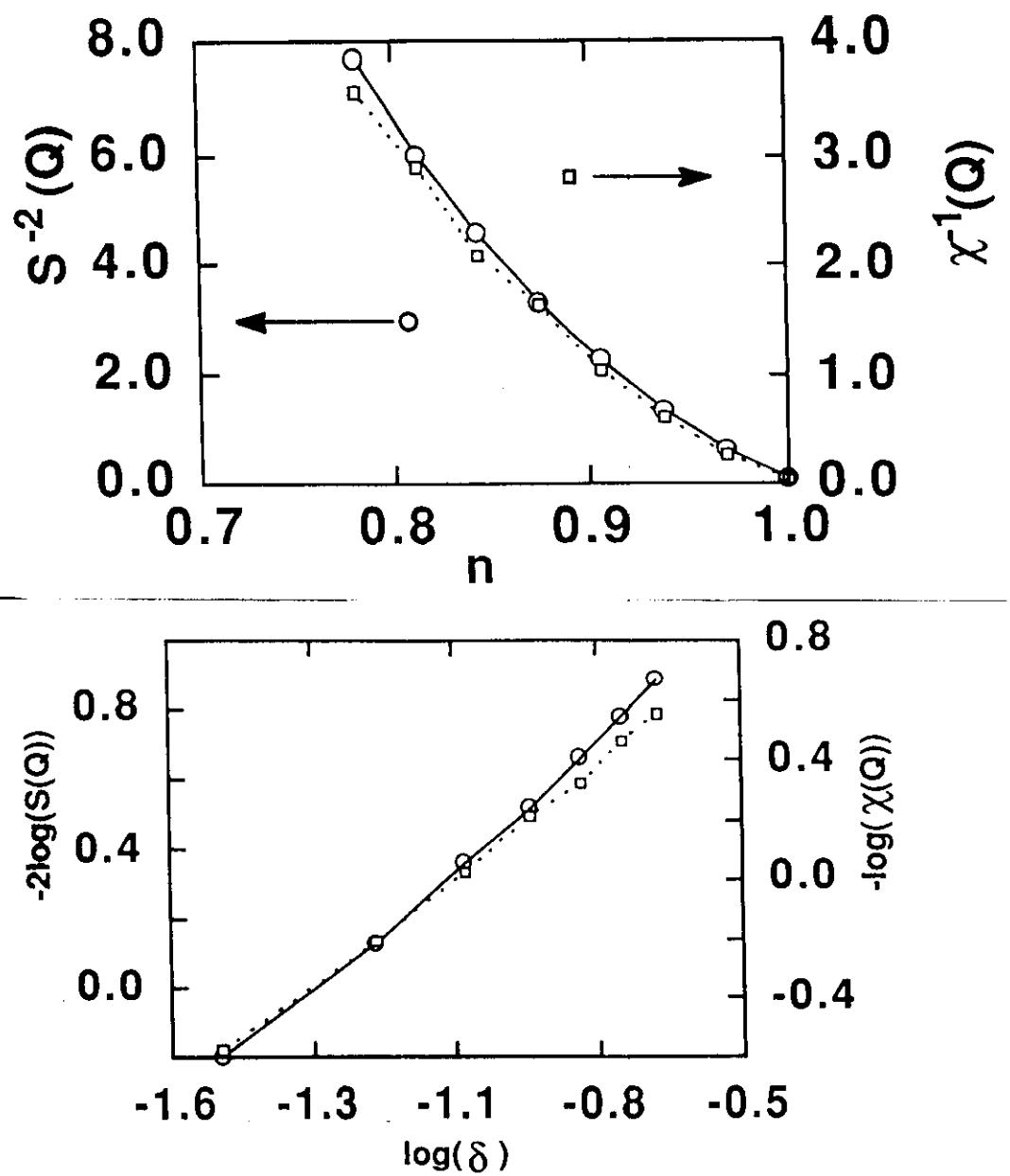
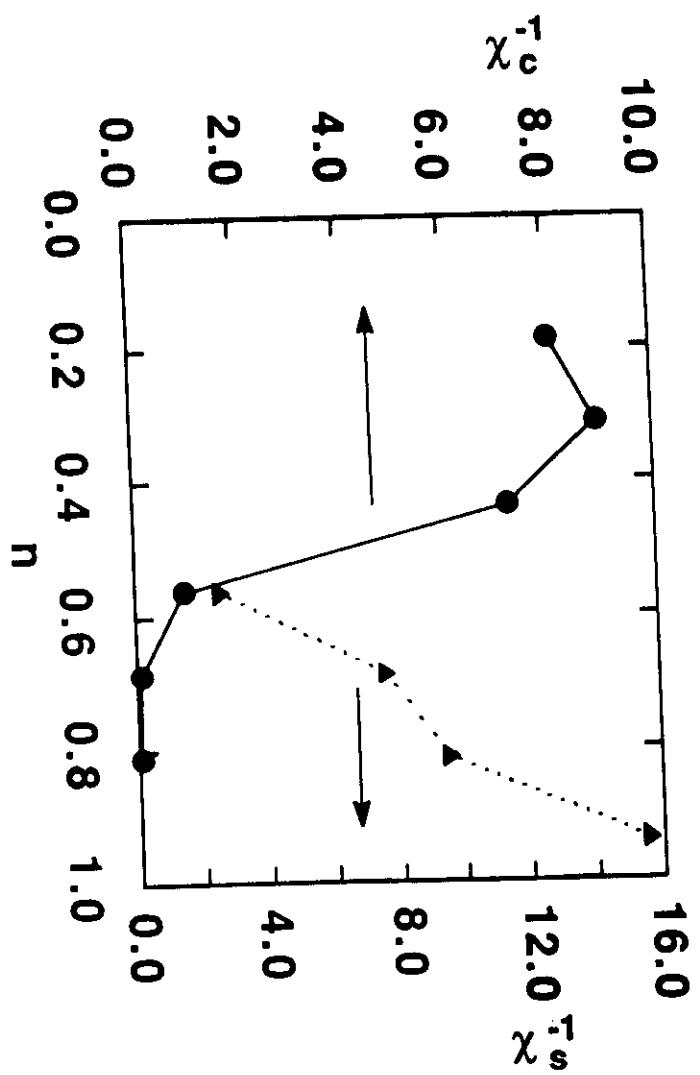


Fig. 5^a

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$-2 \log(S(Q))$

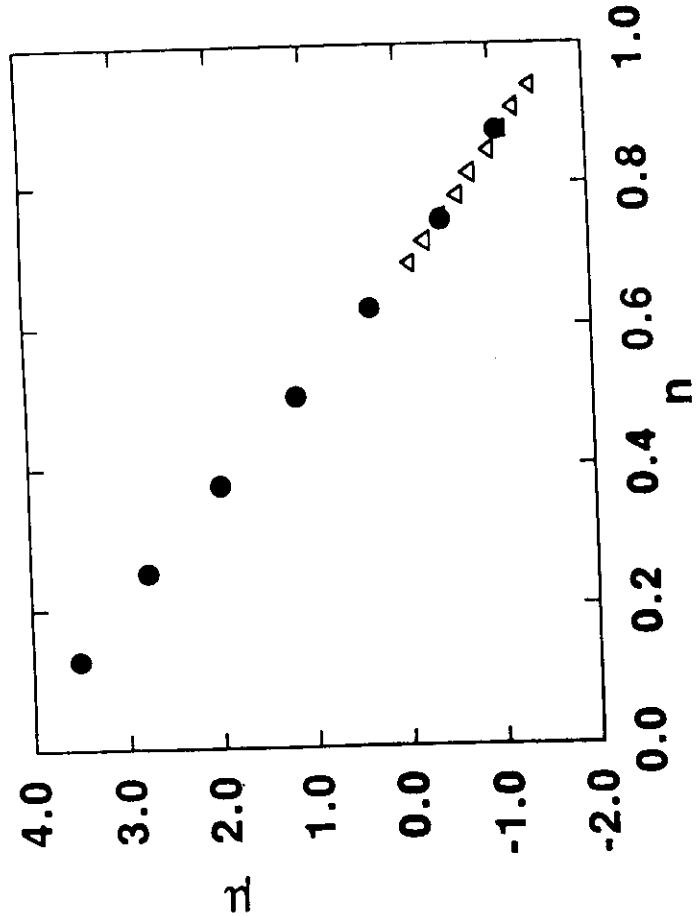


Fig. 6

μ_{int}

General theory of Mott transitions

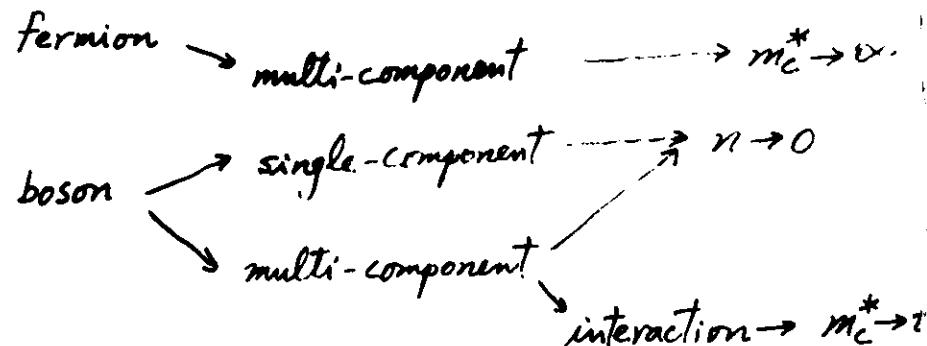
{ statistics
 # components
 dimensionality
 interaction

at least useful classification

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} m_c^* \rightarrow \infty \\ n_c \rightarrow 0 \end{array} \right.$$

1D universal. $x_c \propto D$
 x_s

2D variety



Mott insulator	M-I transition	metal
	electronic system	more generally
<u>spin gapless</u> AF insulator	TYPE 1 $m_c^* \rightarrow \infty$ High T_c ? Bump picture	Spin gapless metal e.g. fermi liquid Tomonaga-Luttinger lqg.
	TYPE 2 $n_c \rightarrow 0$	1 - component quantum fluid superconductivity or superfluid

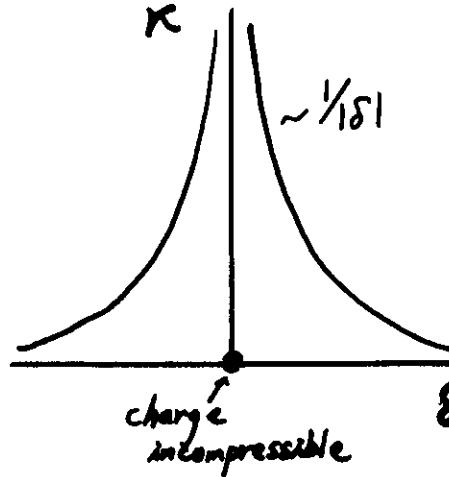
spin gap - valence bond insulator
strongly hybridized insulator

CHARGE COMPRESSIBILITY

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{V} \frac{\partial V}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{n^2} \chi_c$$

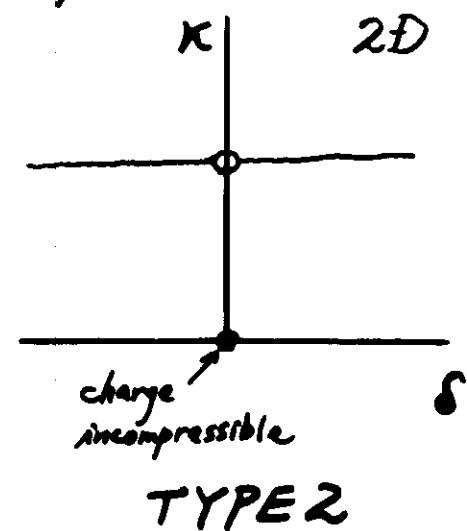
$$\chi_c = \frac{\partial n}{\partial \mu}$$

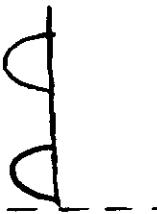
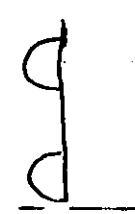
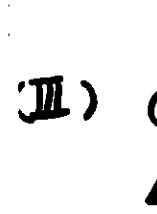
$\kappa = 0$ at $\delta = 0$: insulator incompressible



TYPE 1

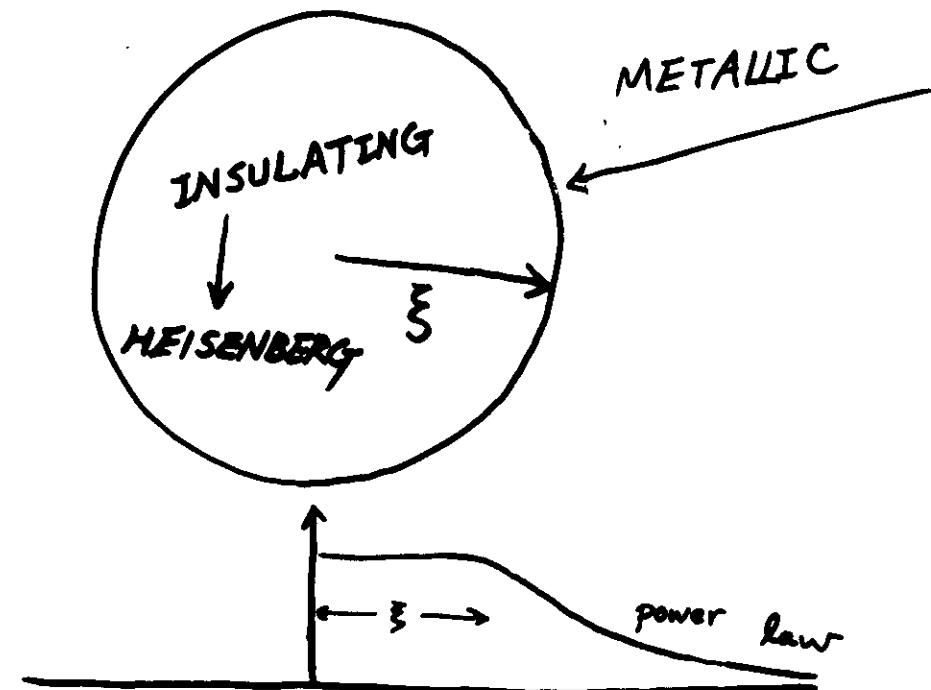
$$\text{if } \kappa \rightarrow \delta^{-1} \rightarrow m_c^* \rightarrow \infty$$



	κ	χ_s	γ	ζ	ξ_c	"Fermi surface"	$D(E)$	$A.F.$
Hubbard III	const (2D)	const (2D)	const (2D)	1	0	small		
	δ (3D)	δ (3D)	δ (3D)	1	0			
interpolater	const (2D)	δ^{-1}	δ^{-1}	0	0	large		
	δ (3D)							
IF-RPA	const	const	const	const	large (AF)	large		
oD para	(δ)	$\sim 1/\zeta$	δ^{-1}	0	0	large		
lattice-boson-gauge-field (2D)	const	const	const	ζ	?			
D-Hubbard M.C.				$\sim \zeta^{-1}$	(δ^{-1})			

III) GROWTH OF CORRELATION LENGTH

— CRITICALITY —



transition is always driven by the shorter length scale ξ

§3. Antiferromagnetic Transition

§3.1. 1D Hubbard model

$$S(Q) = \int dR \langle S(0) \cdot S(r) \rangle e^{-iQr}$$

Q : incommensurate wave vector

$$Q = \pi(1 - \delta)$$

$$S(Q) \propto -\ln \delta$$

$$\langle S(0) \cdot S(r) \rangle \propto \begin{cases} \frac{1}{r} e^{-iQr} & r < \xi \\ \frac{1}{r^2} e^{-iQr} & r > \xi \end{cases}$$

$$\xi = \delta^{-1}$$

crossover length

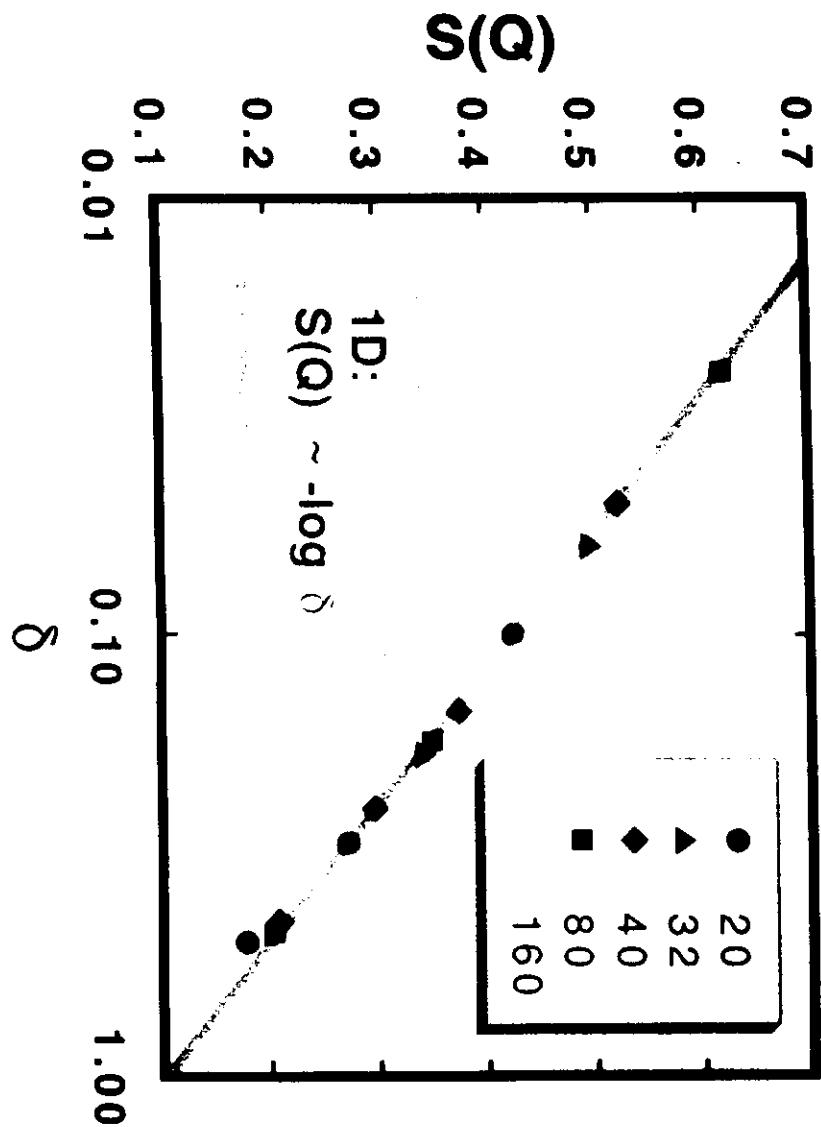
$$\beta = \alpha \quad \text{Hubbard} \quad f = \sum \Phi$$

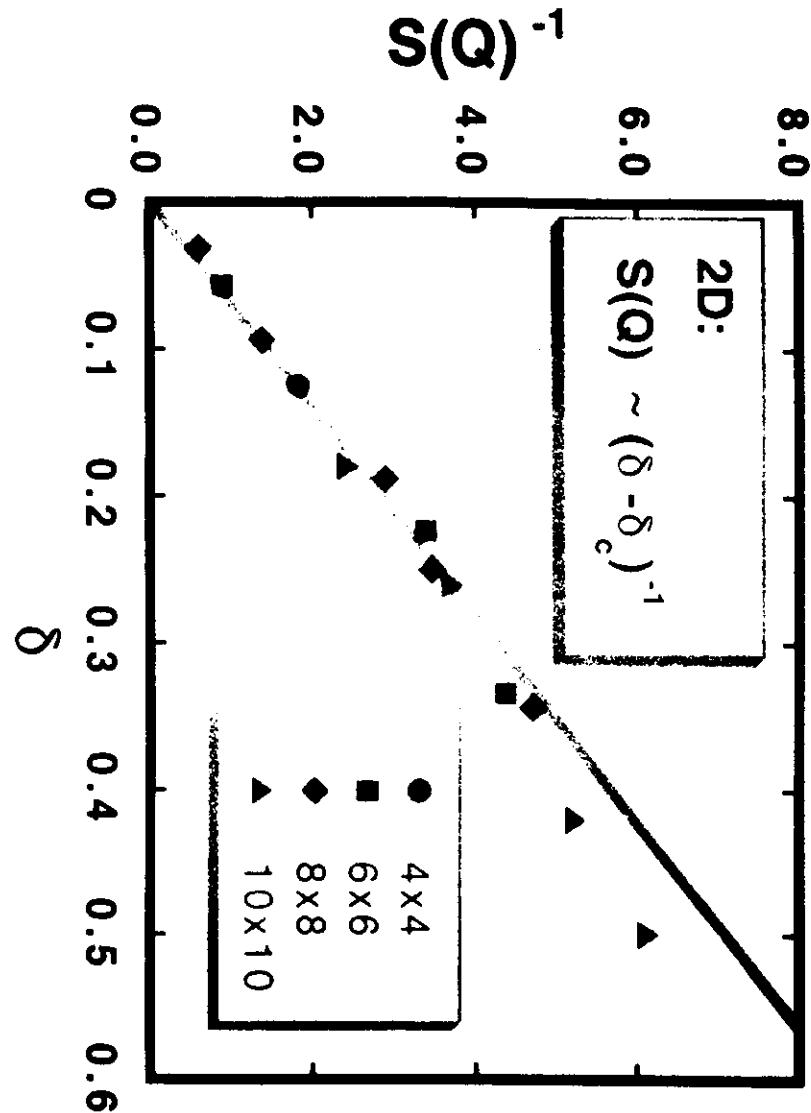
$$\langle S(0) \cdot S(r) \rangle \propto \frac{1}{r} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \{ \ln(\delta r) - c_i(2\pi\delta r) \right. \\ \left. - \cos(2\pi\delta r) - 2\pi\delta r s_i(2\pi\delta r) \} \right]$$

$$\sim \begin{cases} e^{-iQr} / \delta^{1/2} r^{3/2} & \delta r \gg 1 \\ e^{-iQr} e^{-\pi^2 \delta r / 2} / r & \delta r \ll 1 \\ r \gg 1 \end{cases}$$

$$Q = \pi(1 - \delta)$$

$$\xi = \delta^{-1}$$

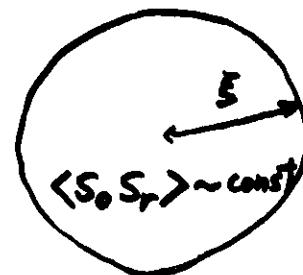




A. F. ordering of 2D & 1D Fermions

different from the usual critical phenomena

2D



$$\langle S_0 S_r \rangle \sim \frac{1}{r^\gamma}$$

$$2 < \gamma \leq 3$$

$$S(Q) \sim \delta^{-1}$$

$$\text{"}\nu = 0.25\text{"}$$

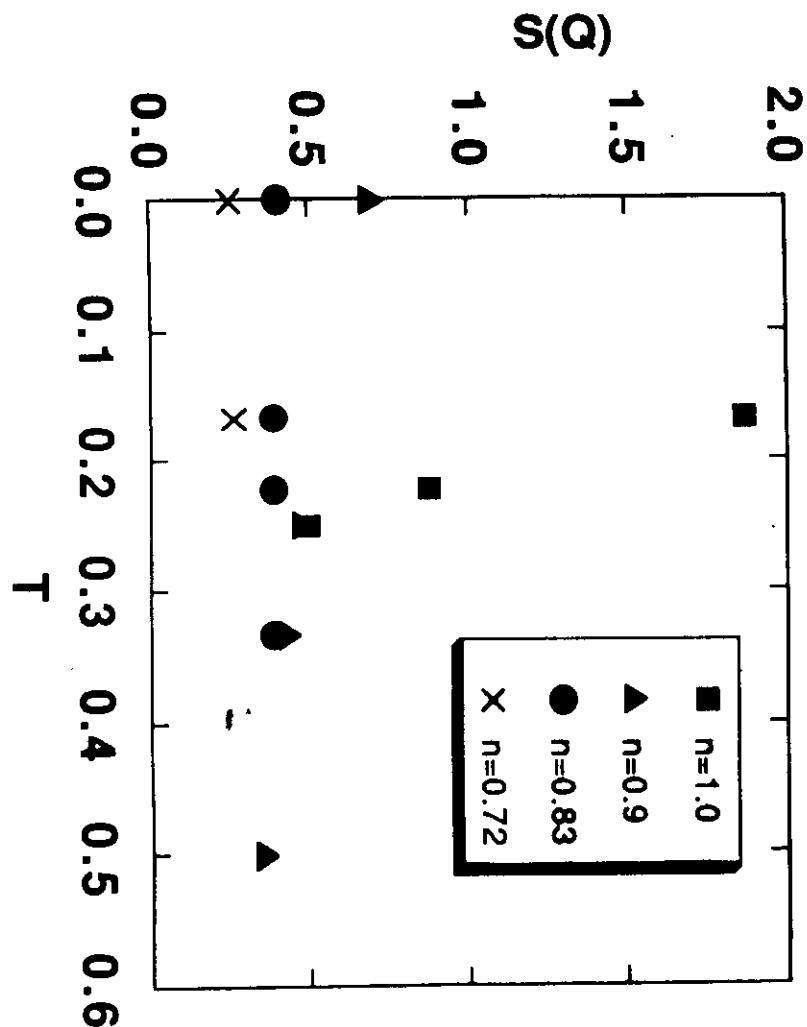
1D

$$\langle S_0 S_r \rangle \sim \frac{1}{r} \quad \langle S_0 S_r \rangle \sim \frac{1}{r^\gamma} \quad 1 < \gamma \leq 2$$

$$S(Q) \sim \ln \delta$$

$\xi \rightarrow \infty$ as $\xi \propto \delta^{-1/d}$
 { ξ well defined
 power law asymptotically

M.C. Results on A.F. Correlation.



① $T = 0$

$$\int S(Q, \omega) d\omega \propto \delta^{-1}$$

$$\xi_0 \simeq a \delta^{-1/2}$$

②

$r > \xi_0$ metallic
 $r < \xi_0$ insulating

Crossover

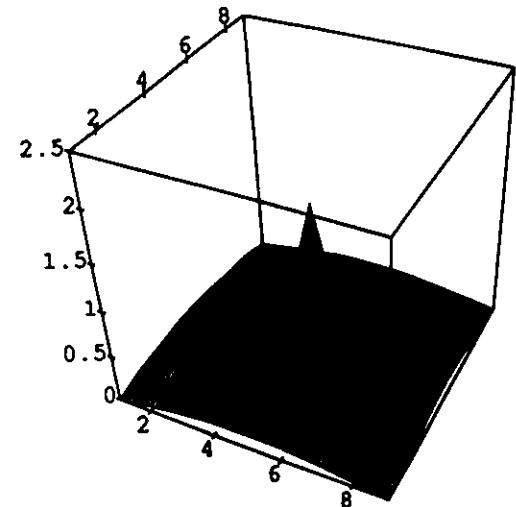
③

$\int S(Q, \omega) d\omega$, ξ
weak T-dependence at low T

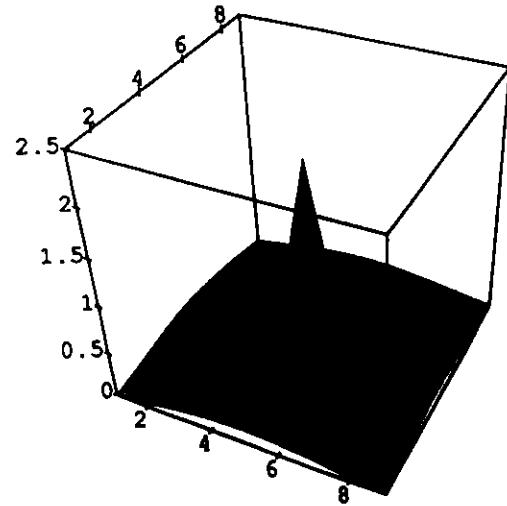
④

no evidence for spin gap in
canonical models

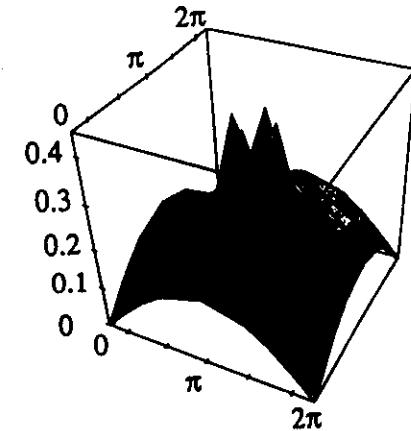
$(31+31)/8 \times 8$



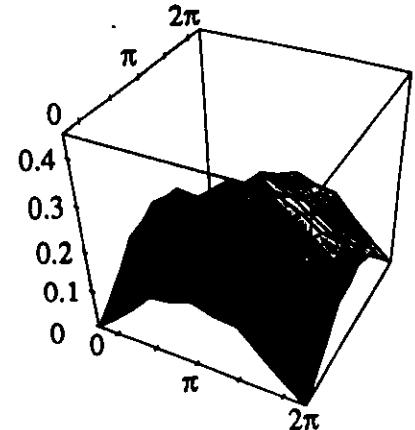
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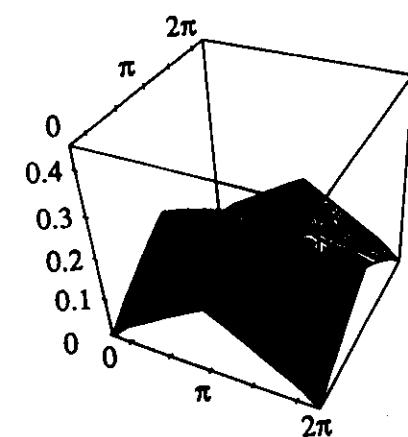
$\frac{82}{10 \times 10}$



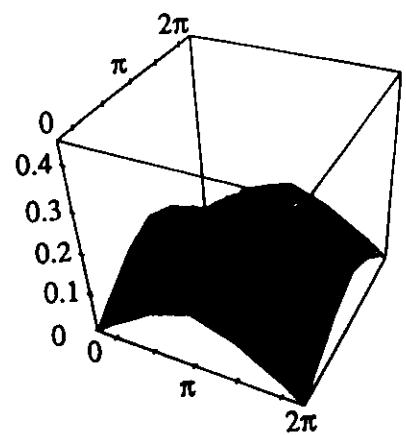
$\frac{74}{10 \times 10}$



$\frac{58}{10 \times 10}$



$\frac{50}{10 \times 10}$



RPA does not reproduce the correct critical behavior

$$\chi_{RPA} = \frac{\chi_0}{1 - U\chi_0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Im } \chi_{RPA} &= \frac{\text{Im } \chi_0}{(1 - U \text{Re } \chi_0)^2 + (U \text{Im } \chi_0)^2} \\ &= \frac{c\omega + \dots}{a(\delta - \delta_c)^2 + b\omega^2 + \dots} \end{aligned}$$

$$S(Q, \omega) = \frac{1}{1 - e^{-\beta\omega}} - \frac{c\omega + \dots}{a(\delta - \delta_c)^2 + b\omega^2 + \dots}$$

$T=0$

$$S(Q, t=0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} S(Q, \omega) d\omega \simeq \frac{c}{2b} \ln \frac{b}{a(\delta - \delta_c)^2}$$

$$S(Q, t=0) \propto \ln(\delta - \delta_c)$$

cf.

$$t \cdot J \quad U \rightarrow J_Q$$

T_{scr}

CROSSOVER OF ξ

ξ_0 : intrinsic correlation length at $T=0$
 $\xi_0 \simeq a\delta^{-1/2}$

$r < \xi_0$: Heisenberg-like $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim e^{iQr} \times \text{const.}$
 $r > \xi_0$: metallic $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim e^{iQr} \cdot r^{-\gamma}$
 $\gamma > 2$

ξ_T : thermal correlation length

$r < \xi_T$: $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim \begin{cases} e^{iQr} \cdot \text{const} \\ r^{-\gamma} e^{iQr} \end{cases}$

$r > \xi_T$: $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim e^{-r/\xi_T}$
 $\xi_T \rightarrow \infty$ as $T \rightarrow 0$

ξ : $\text{Min}(\xi_0, \xi_T)$

effective correlation length

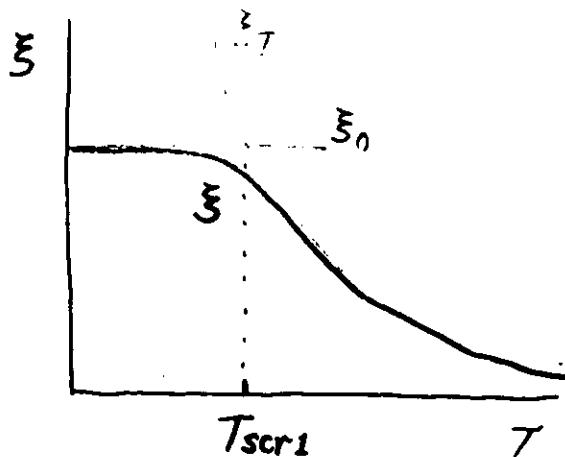
$r < \xi$: $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim e^{iQr}$

$r > \xi$: $\langle S(0)S(r) \rangle \sim \begin{cases} e^{-r/\xi} \\ r^{-\gamma} \quad \gamma > 2 \end{cases}$

C-H-N

Makivic-Ding

$$\xi_T \sim b \exp[cJ/T]$$



$$T_{scr1} \simeq -2cJ \frac{1}{\ln[(\frac{a}{b})^2 \delta]}$$

$$J \sim 1500 \text{ K}$$

$$a/b \sim 0.4$$

$$c \sim 1.2$$

$f(g, \omega, \kappa)$: metallic regime

$$\frac{f(g, \omega, \kappa)}{\omega}$$

- peak at $g = \omega = 0$
- short-ranged
A.F. correlation
- T -independent

c.f. RPA

$$f(g, \omega, \kappa) = \frac{\tilde{C}\omega}{\tilde{D}^2(\kappa^2 + g^2)^2 + \omega^2}$$

$\tilde{C}, \tilde{D}, \kappa$: T -independent

- incommensurability
- $2k_F$ singularity

disordered insulating regime

hydrodynamic approach Kawasaki
mode-mode coupling

$$\int d\mathbf{r} e^{i\mathbf{g}\cdot\mathbf{r}} \langle S(\mathbf{r}, t) S(0, 0) \rangle \propto e^{-t/\tau(g)}$$

T_{scr2}

CROSSOVER BETWEEN METALLIC
AND INSULATING

for $\omega > 0$

$$\text{Im } \chi(g, \omega) \sim \begin{cases} f(g, \omega, \kappa) & \text{Max}(T, \omega) < T_{scr2} \\ \frac{C(1-e^{-\beta\omega})}{\omega^2 + D^2(\kappa^2 + g^2)^2} & \text{Max}(T, \omega) > T_{scr2} \end{cases}$$

$\kappa = \xi^{-1}$ disordered hydrodynamic region

$$T_{scr2} \sim \tau^{-1} \equiv D(\kappa^2 + g^2)$$

$$\text{for } \omega < 0 \leftarrow \text{Im } \chi(g, -\omega) = -\text{Im } \chi(g, \omega)$$

$$g = k - Q \quad \text{hydrodynamic region}$$

$\text{Im } \chi(T, \omega) < T_{scr2}$: metallic

$\text{Im } \chi(T, \omega) > T_{scr2}$: insulating

κ : always T -independent

$$\therefore T_{scr2} < T_{scr1}$$

EXPERIMENTAL INDICATIONS OF A.F. CORRELATION IN CUPRATES

- Overall width of the peak of $\text{Im } \chi(g, \omega)$ around $g \sim Q$
 $\rightarrow T$ insensitive
- "Fermi surface effect" (" k_F -effect") or $\text{Im } \chi(g \sim Q, \omega)$ (fine structure) $\rightarrow T$ dependent
- $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{T_1} \sim \text{const.} & \text{at high temp.} \\ \frac{1}{T_1} \sim T & \text{at low temp.} \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{Crossover}$
- $\int S(Q, \omega) d\omega \sim \xi^{-1}$
 Q : coarse grained
- g -integrated intensity around $g \sim Q$
 $\int dg \text{Im } \chi(g, \omega)$ $\rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{single parameter scaling} \\ \text{by } \omega/T \end{cases}$
- $\begin{cases} (T_1 T)^{-1} \sim (T_{2G})^{-1} \\ (T_1 T)^{-1} \sim (T_{2G})^{-2} \end{cases}$
 $\sim \text{enormous}$

$$1. \int S(\theta=0, \omega) d\omega \propto \delta^{-1} \rightarrow \text{Endoh et al.}$$

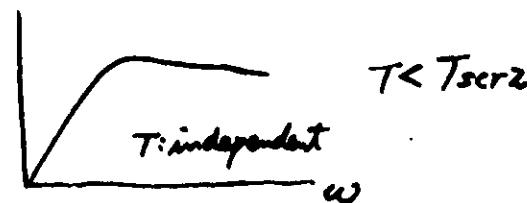
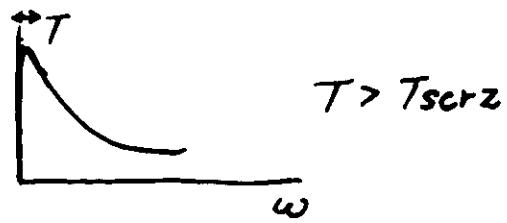
$$2. T_2^{-1} \propto \begin{cases} T & T < T_{scr2} \\ \text{const} & T > T_{scr2} \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{Imai et al.}$$

3. temperature independent ξ at $T < T_{scr1}$

$$4. Q = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \text{Im} \chi(\theta, \omega) / \omega$$

$$Q \propto \begin{cases} \text{const} & T < T_{scr2} \\ T^{-1} & T > T_{scr2} \end{cases}$$

$$5. \int \text{Im} \chi d\theta$$



6. universal scaling of $\int \text{Im} \chi(T) d\theta / \int \text{Im} \chi(T_{MO}) d\theta$
by a single parameter ω/T

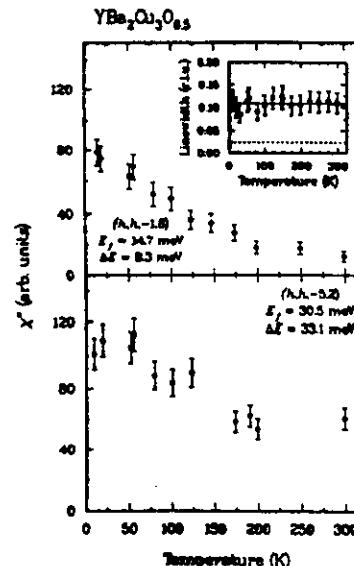


FIG. 4. Temperature dependence of $\chi''(\omega)$ at 8.3 and 33.1 meV. Points represent the peak intensity of constant- E scans determined after fitting to a Gaussian line shape and correcting for background. Data have been corrected by the base factor. The temperature dependence of the linewidth (full width at half maximum), measured in reciprocal lattice units (r.l.u.), is shown in the inset.

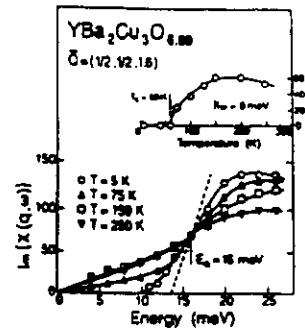


FIGURE 7
 $\ln [\chi''(q, \omega)]$ (in arbitrary unit) as a function of the energy for $\text{YBa}_2\text{Cu}_3\text{O}_{6.5}$ below ($T = 5$ K) and above ($T = 75, 150, 250$ K) the superconducting transition ($T_c = 39$ K). An energy gap ($\text{EG} = 16$ meV) in the spin excitation spectrum clearly persists above T_c .

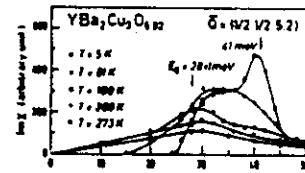
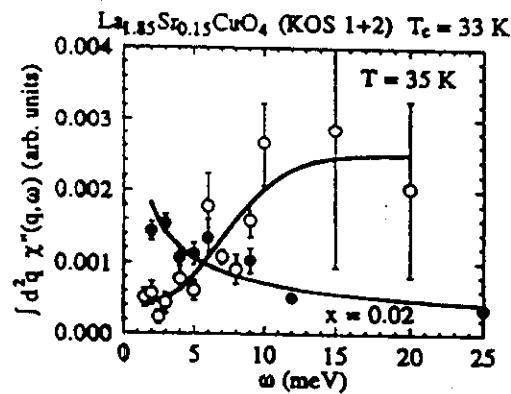
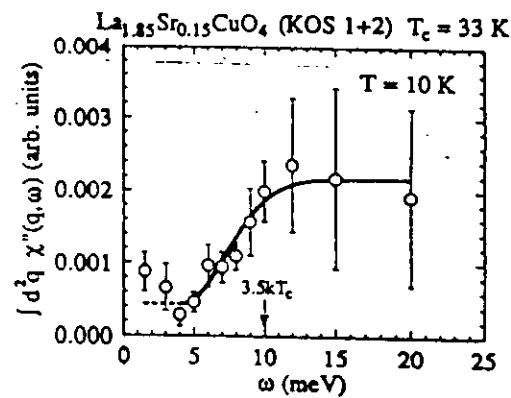
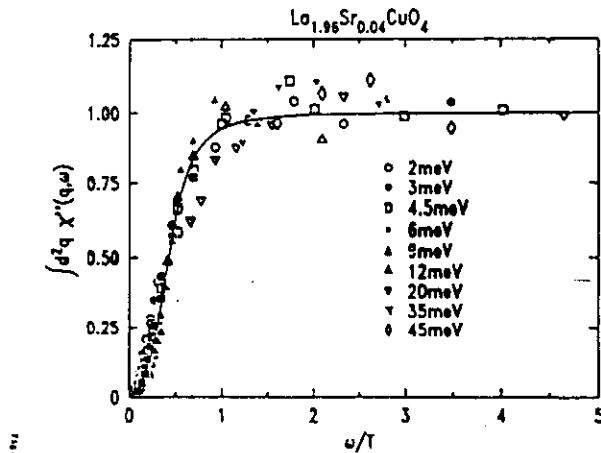
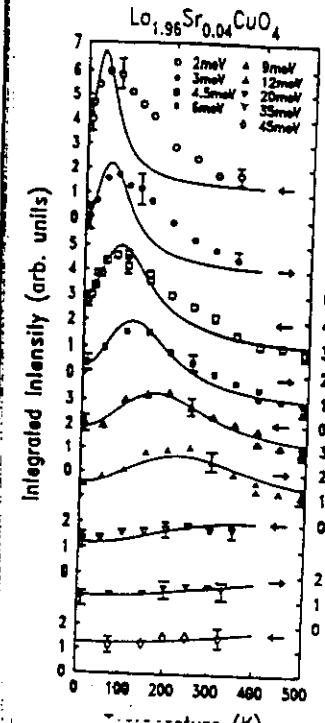


FIGURE 11
 $\ln [\chi''(q, \omega)]$ (in arbitrary unit) as a function of the energy for $\text{YBa}_2\text{Cu}_3\text{O}_{6.92}$ for increasing temperatures below and above $T_c = 31$ K. An energy gap ($\text{EG} = 21$ meV) is clearly seen in the spin excitation spectrum.



Neutron Scattering Data

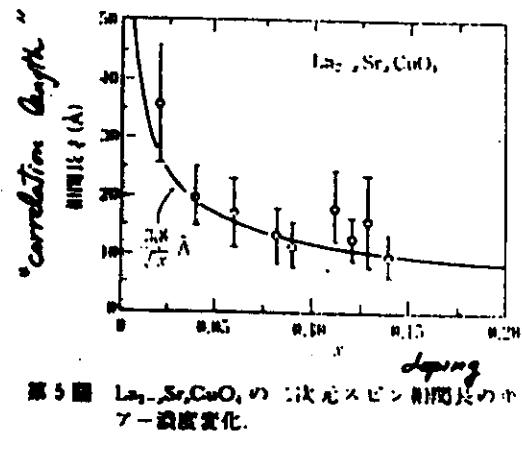


図5 ■ $\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$ の構造変化と超電導性の関係
 γ -濃度変化.

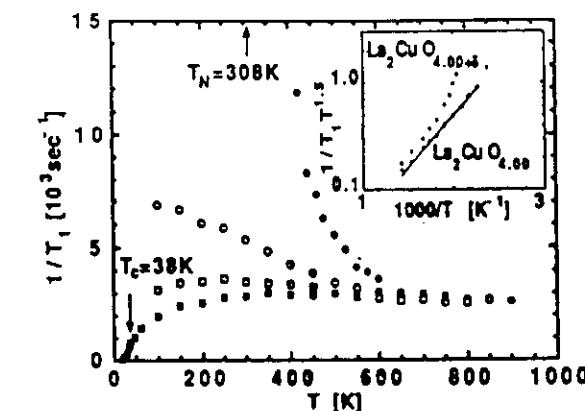


FIG. 2. Temperature dependence of $^{63}\text{T}/T_1$ measured by NQR for $\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$ (\bullet , $x = 0$; \circ , $x = 0.04$; \square , $x = 0.075$; \blacksquare , $x = 0.15$). The data below 100 K for $x = 0.15$ are from Yoshimura *et al.* in Ref. [5]. Inset: The semilogarithmic plot of $^{63}\text{T}/T_1 T^{1/2}$ (in units of $\text{sec}^{-1} \text{K}^{-1/2}$) vs $1000/T$ for the clean sample of La_2CuO_4 and for $\text{La}_2\text{CuO}_{4.00+x}$. The solid curve is the best fit by Eq. (2).

CONCLUSION

- Most of A.F. correlations are accounted for by the present theory in δ , T_c and w plane. ... i.e. "spin gap"
- Some predictions, seemingly controversial, data.
e.g., $\Delta T_c \propto \ln \omega$ and ω scattering are not often consistent.

REMARKS

- Some predictions for other experiments

R.I.T.A. etc.

$\text{Re } X(g, w)$

$\text{Im } X(g, w)$

$S(g, w)$

- Microscopic theory with more quantitative analysis

Hints for MI transition in cuprates

1. 2D Hubbard QMC data

$$X_c \propto \delta^{-1}$$
$$\frac{m_c^*}{m_e} \rightarrow \infty$$



2. Experiments in cuprates

- specific heat γ'
- Hall coefficient R_H

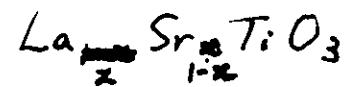
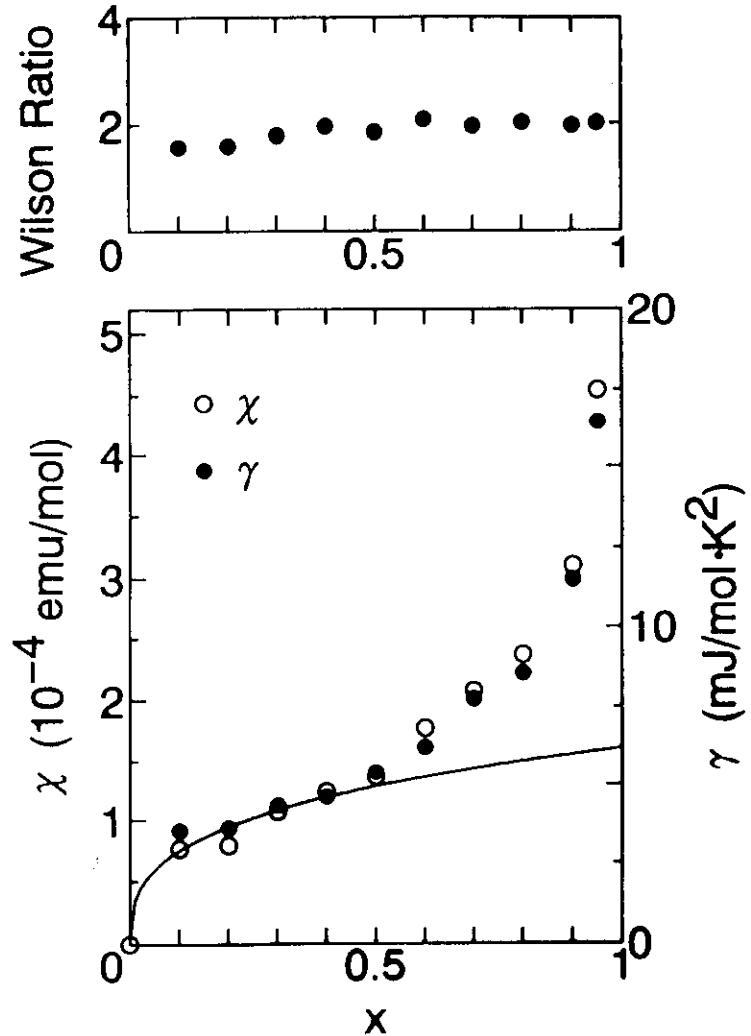
3. Comprehensive theory of Mott transitions

Two types of Mott transitions $\begin{cases} m_c^* \rightarrow \infty \\ n_c \rightarrow 0 \end{cases}$

single-component vs. multi-component

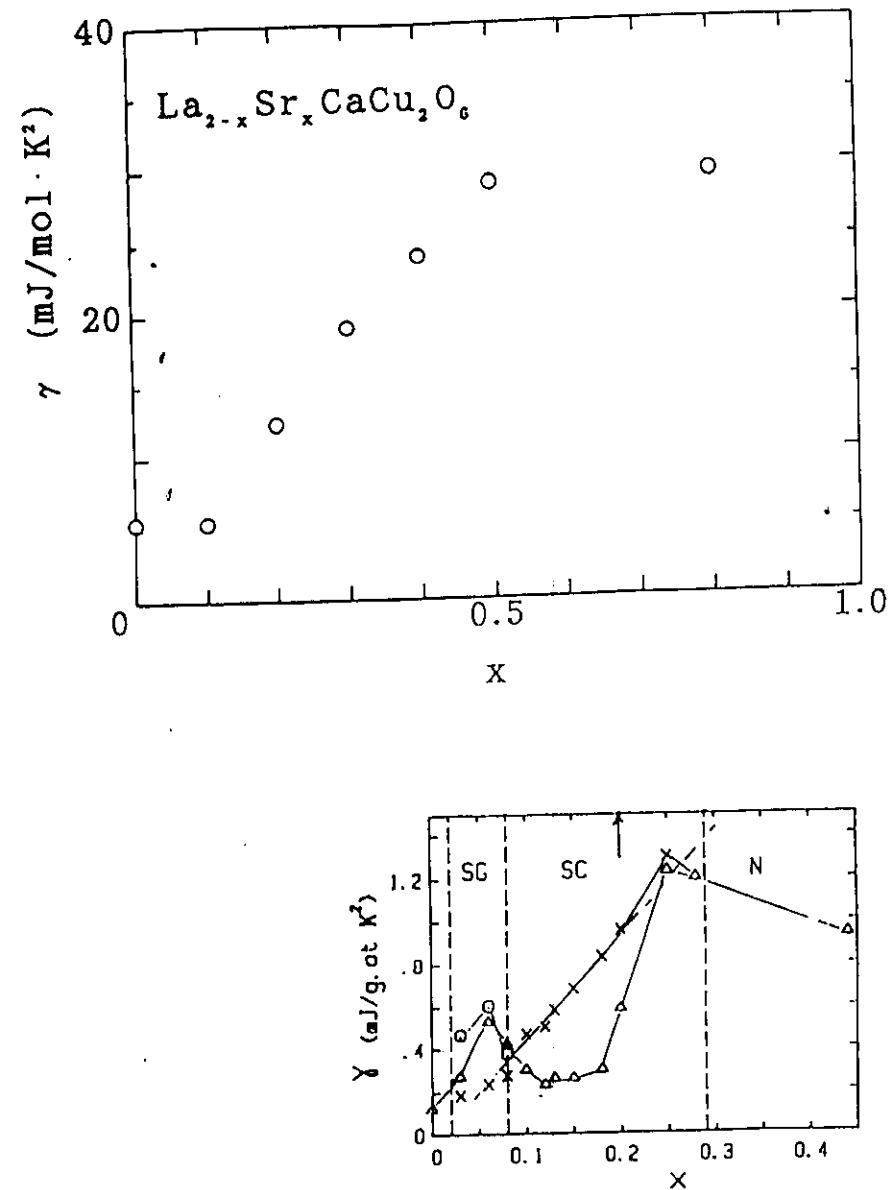
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Crossover between single-component
and multi-component

DUALITY OF MOTT TRANSITION
IN CUPRATES



Tokura et al.

Fig. 3 Tokura et al.



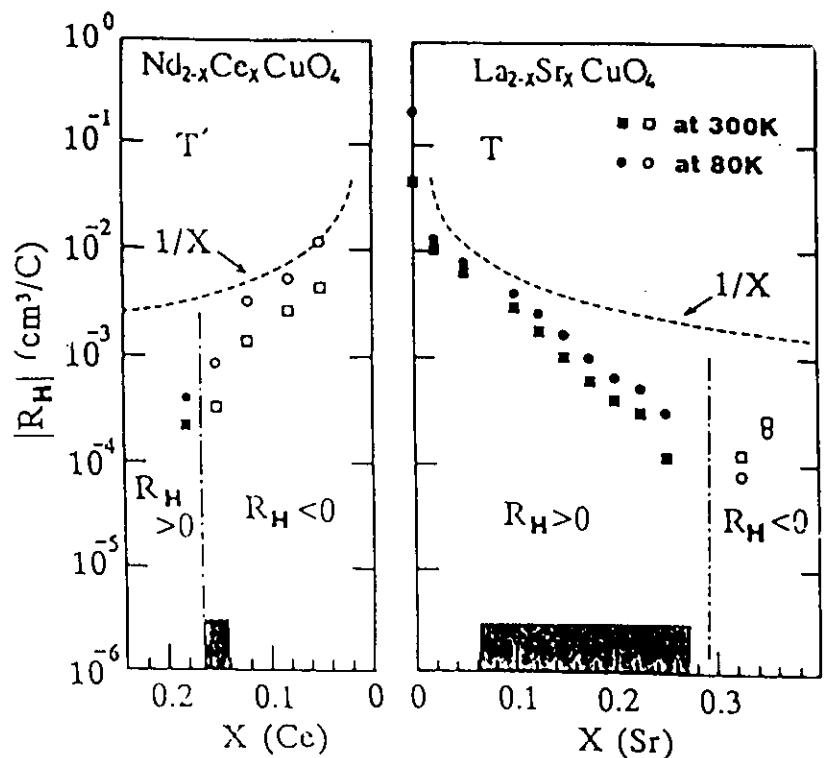
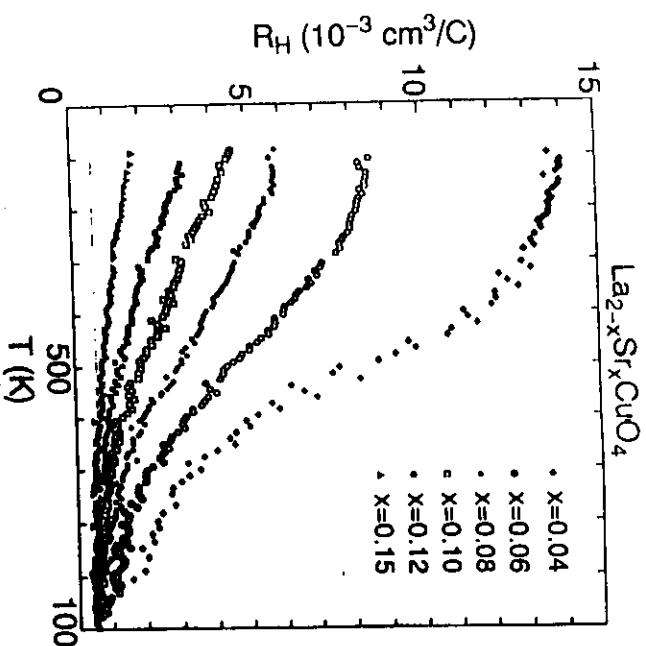
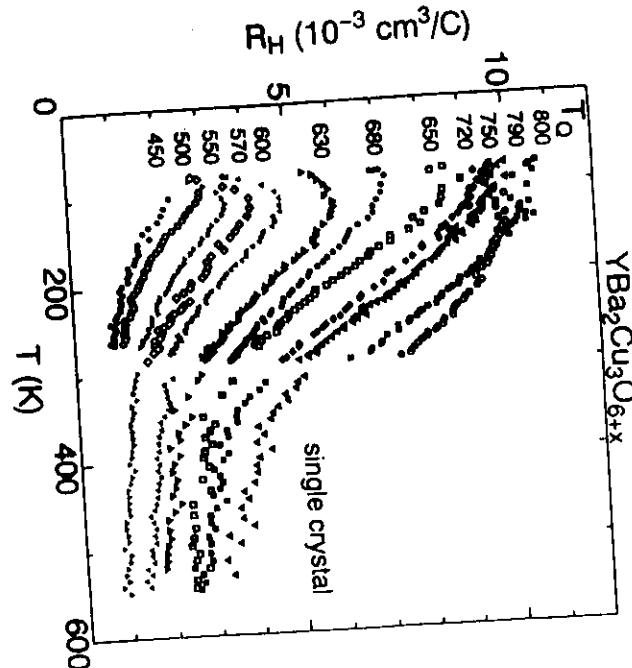


Fig. 8 The absolute value of the Hall coefficient as a function of Ce composition for reduced $Nd_{2-x}Ce_xCuO_{4-y}$. The same plotted for $La_{2-x}Sr_xCuO_4$ are shown for comparison. The shaded area indicates composition region where superconductivity is observed.

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Duality in cuprates — ONE SCENARIO —

LOW TEMP.

HIGH TEMP

$$n \rightarrow 0$$

CROSSOVER

$$m^* \rightarrow \infty$$

$\sim 500\text{ K}$

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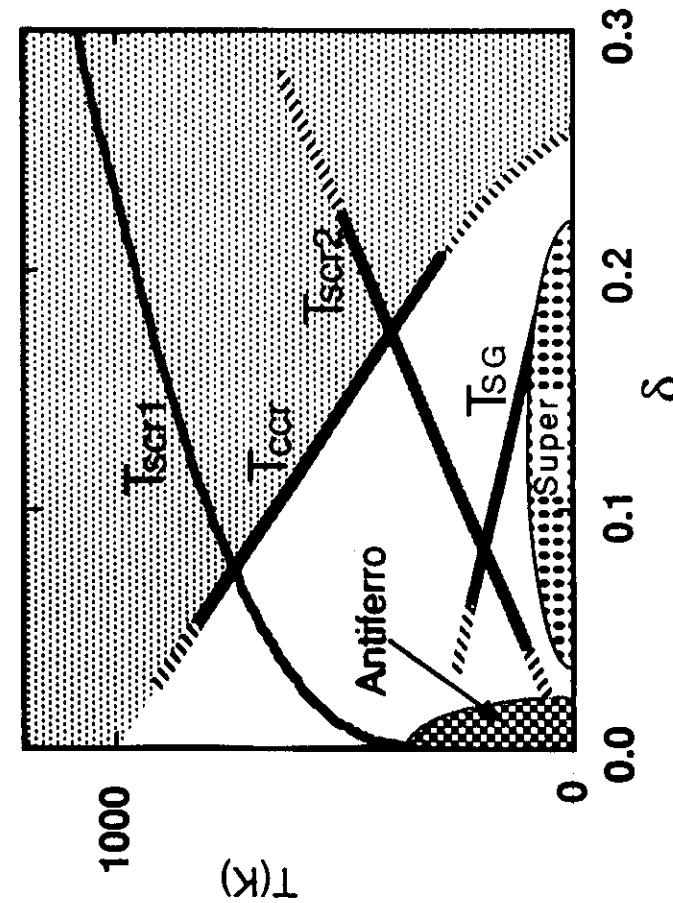
2D Hubbard

single-component

bi-componer

Hall coeff.
plasma freq.
specific heat

charge compressibility



summary

New Field of Quantum Phase Transitions

- Metal-Insulator (Mott) Transition
- Antiferromagnetic Transition

CRITICALITY \longleftrightarrow CROSSOVER

metal \longleftrightarrow insulator

classification of Mott transition:
 $m_c^* \rightarrow \infty$ multi-component $Z=4$
 $n_c \rightarrow 0$ single-component $Z=2$

1D, 2D spin-charge separation

metal \longleftrightarrow metal,

single-component \longleftrightarrow multi-component

\rightarrow cuprates
duality

$\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow$

difference from $T \neq 0$ critical phenomena
unified picture of spin correlation in cuprates
phase diagram of cuprates in (δ, T) plane