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Goal: Construct and Analyze non-Fermi liquid phases of  
strongly interacting 2d *itinerant* electrons

- “Parton” construction for NFL (Gutzwiller wf’s)
- Example of a NFL: “D-wave Metal”
- Hamiltonian and energetics (DMRG) for “D-wave Metal”?

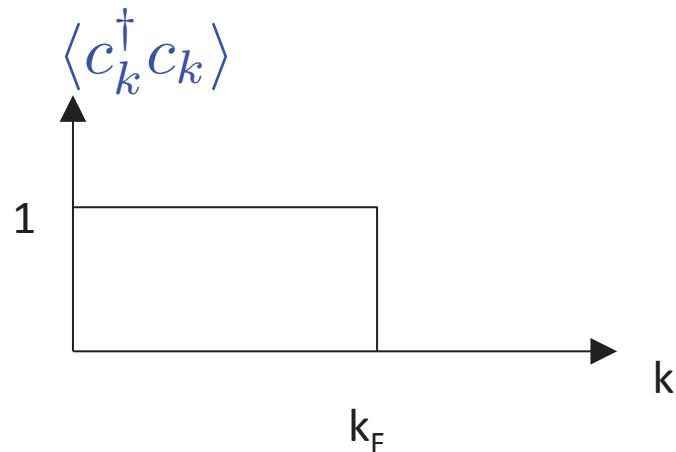
# What is a “Non-Fermi-liquid metal”?

First: Fermi Liquid Metal

# 2D Free Fermi Gas

Momentum Distribution Function:

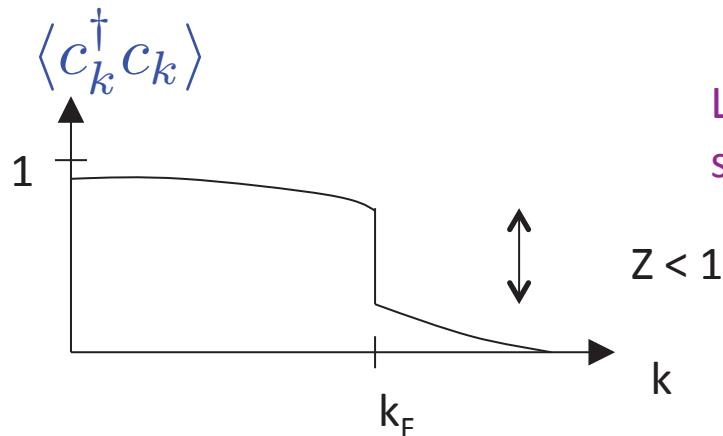
$$n_k = \langle c_k^\dagger c_k \rangle$$



Volume of Fermi sea set by  
particle density

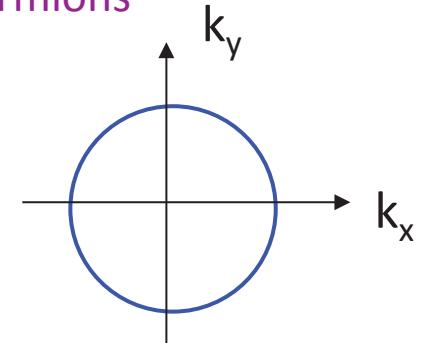
$$\rho = k_F^2 / 4\pi$$

## 2D Fermi Liquid Metal



Luttinger's Thm: Volume inside Fermi surface  
still set by total density of fermions

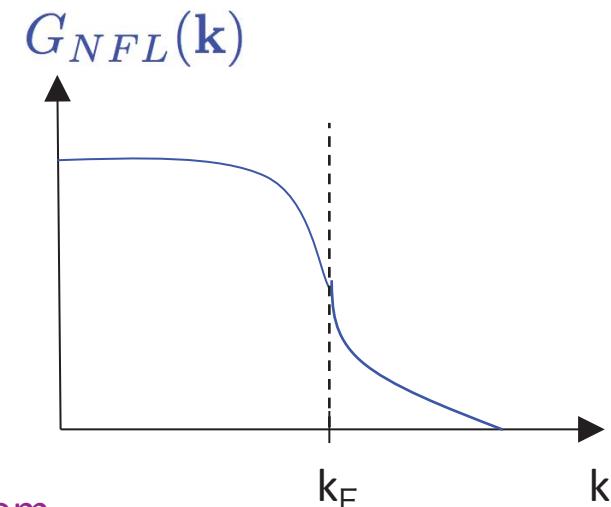
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# 2D Non-Fermi Liquid Metal

Various possibilities:

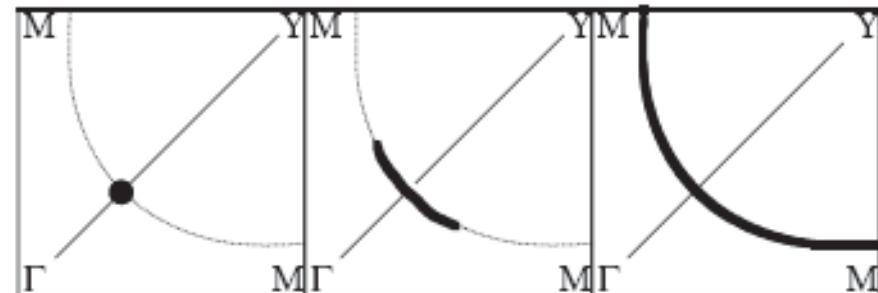
- 1) A singular “Fermi surface” that satisfies Luttinger’s theorem but without a jump discontinuity in momentum distribution function



- 2) A singular Fermi surface that violates Luttinger’s theorem (eg. volume “x” rather than “1-x”)

- 3) A singular “Fermi surface” with ‘‘arc’’

- 4.) Other....



# Wavefunction(s) for NFL metals?

# Wavefunction for 2D Free Fermi gas

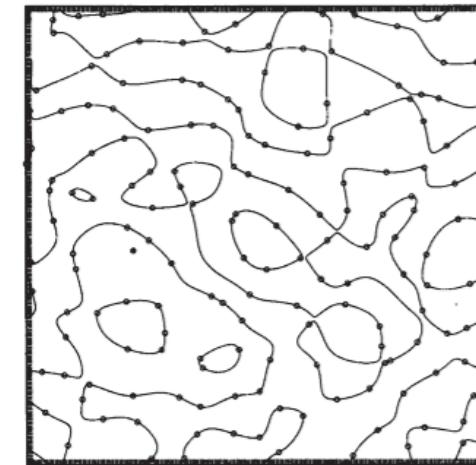
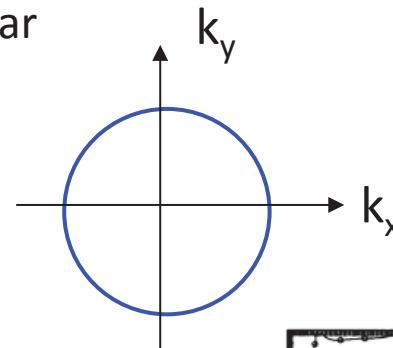
Free Fermion determinant: (eg with 2D circular Fermi surface)

$$\Psi_{FF}(\{\mathbf{r}_i\}) = \det[e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_j}]$$

Real space “*nodal structure*”

Define a “relative single particle function”

$$\Phi_{\mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N}(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \Psi(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}_2, \dots, \mathbf{r}_N)$$



Nodal lines:  
Ultraviolet and infrared “locking”

# Wavefunction for interacting Fermi liquid?

Retain sign (nodal) structure of free fermions, modify amplitude, eg to keep particles apart.

Common form: Multiply free fermion wf by a Jastrow factor,

$$\Psi_{FL} = e^{-\sum_{i < j} u(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)} \psi_{FF}$$

with  $u(r)$  a variational function

## For Spinful Electrons: Gutzwiller Projection

Slater determinant     $\Psi_{FF}(\mathbf{r}_{i\uparrow}, \mathbf{r}_{i\downarrow}) = \det[e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\uparrow}}] \det[e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\downarrow}}]$

$\Psi_G = \mathcal{P}_G[\Psi_{FF}]$       Project out doubly occupied sites

# Parton approach to NFL wavefunctions

Decompose electron:  
spinless charge e boson,  
 $s=1/2$  neutral fermionic spinon

$$c_\sigma = b f_\sigma$$

## Mean Field Theory

Treat “Spinons” and Bosons as Independent:  $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_f + \mathcal{H}_b$

Wavefunctions       $\psi_f(\mathbf{r}_{i\uparrow}, \mathbf{r}_{i\downarrow})$        $\psi_b(\mathbf{R}_i)$

(enlarged Hilbert space - twice as many particles)

## “Fix-up” Mean Field Theory

“Glue” together Fermion and Boson “partons”

$$\Psi \equiv \psi_f(\mathbf{r}_{i\alpha}) \times \psi_b(\mathbf{R}_i \rightarrow \mathbf{r}_{i\alpha})$$

Project back into physical Hilbert space

# Fermi and Non-Fermi Liquids via partons?

Spinons in a filled Fermi sea

$$\psi_f = \det[e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\uparrow}}] \det[e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\downarrow}}]$$

**Fermi Liquid:** Bosons into  
Bose condensate

$$\Psi_{FL} = \psi_f^{FF} \times \psi_b^{BEC}$$

$$\psi_b^{BEC} = e^{-\sum_{i < j} u(\mathbf{R}_i - \mathbf{R}_j)} \quad c_\sigma = \langle b \rangle f_\sigma \sim (const) f_\sigma$$

**Non-Fermi Liquid:** Bosons into *uncondensed* fluid - a “Bose metal”

$$\Psi_{NFL} = \psi_f^{FF} \times \psi_b^{BoseMetal}$$

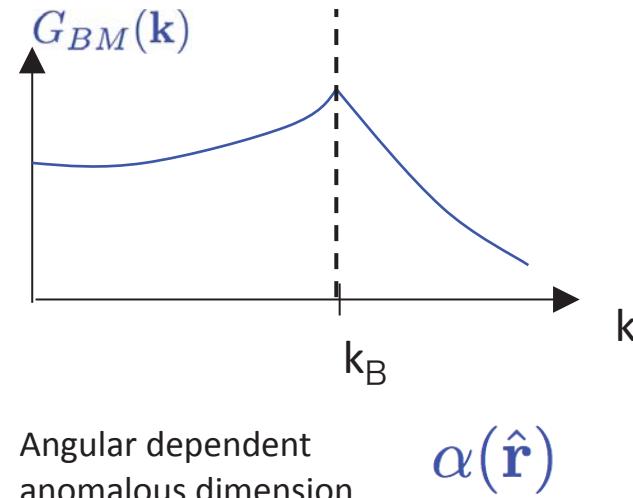
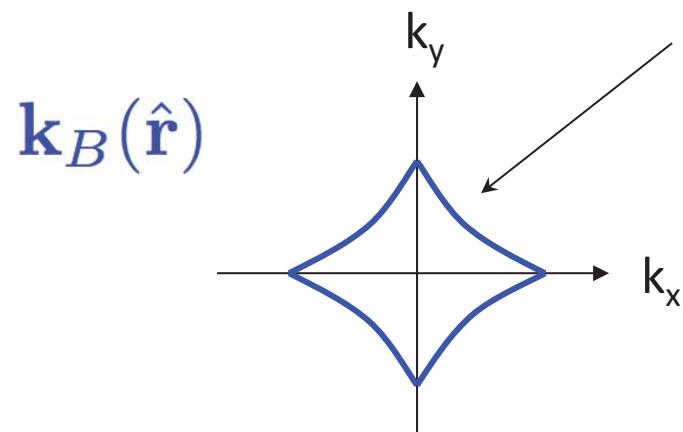
**NFL Metal:** *Product of Fermi sea and uncondensed “Bose-Metal”*

# 2D Bose-Metal

- A **stable  $T=0$  liquid phase** of bosons that is not a superfluid
- Green's function has oscillatory power law decay
- Momentum distribution function singular on a "**Bose surface**"

$$G_{BM}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \frac{\cos[\mathbf{k}_B(\hat{\mathbf{r}}) \cdot \mathbf{r}]}{|\mathbf{r}|^{\alpha(\hat{\mathbf{r}})}}$$

$$G_b(\mathbf{k}) = \langle b_{\mathbf{k}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{k}} \rangle$$



# Parton Construction for Bose metal (following Lesik's talk)

$$b = d_1 d_2$$

$$\psi_b = \det_1 \times \det_2$$

Gutzwiller wavefunction:

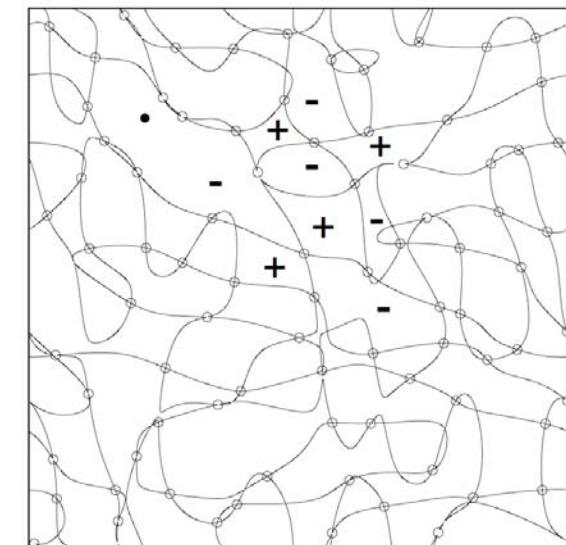
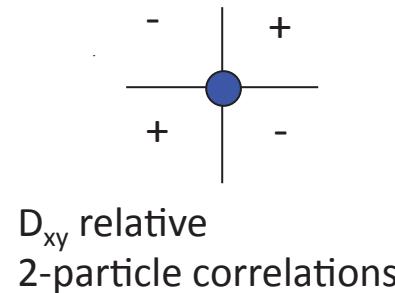
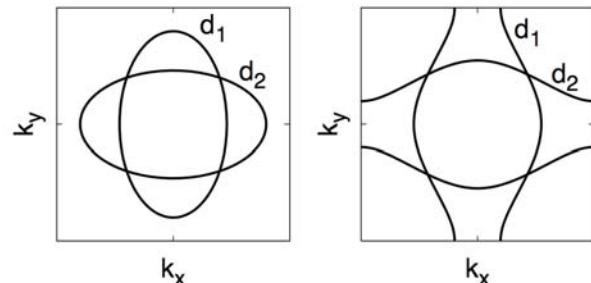
All Fermionic decomposition of electron

$$c_\alpha = b f_\alpha = d_1 d_2 f_\alpha$$

## Wf for D-wave Bose-Metal (DBM)

Product of 2 Fermi sea determinants, elongated in the x or y directions

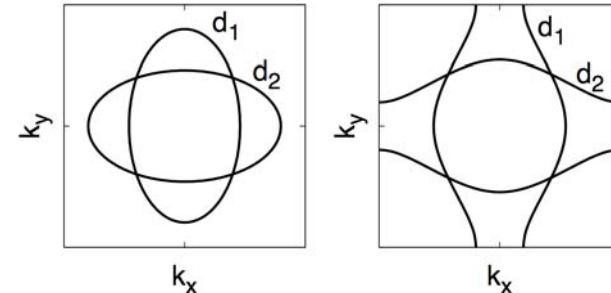
$$\psi_{DBM} = \det_x \times \det_y$$



# Bose Surfaces in D-wave Bose-Metal

Mean Field Green's functions factorize:

$$G_b^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau) = G_{d_1}^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau)G_{d_2}^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau)/\bar{\rho}$$

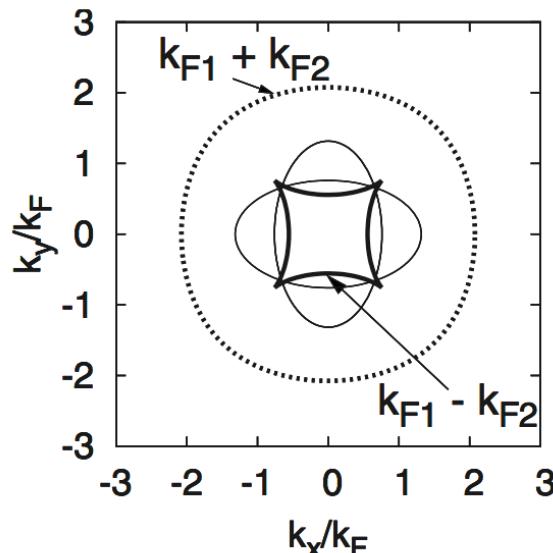


Momentum distribution function:

$$n_b(\mathbf{k}) = \int G_b(\mathbf{r}) e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{r}} d\mathbf{r}$$

Two singular lines in momentum space, Bose surfaces:

$$\mathbf{k}_{F_1}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}) \pm \mathbf{k}_{F_2}(\hat{\mathbf{r}})$$



# “D-Wave Metal”

Itinerant NFL phase of 2d electrons?

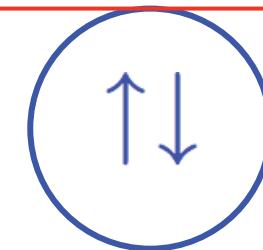
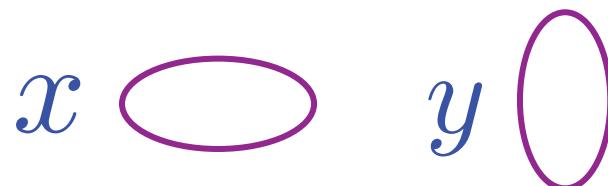
All fermionic Parton  
construction

$$c_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r}) = b^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r})f_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r}) = d_x^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r})d_y^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r})f_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(\mathbf{r})$$

Wavefunction; Product of determinants

$$\{\vec{R}_i\} = \{\vec{r}_{i\uparrow}, \vec{r}_{j\downarrow}\}$$

$$\Psi_{d_{xy}}^{Metal} = \det_x [e^{i\mathbf{K}_i \cdot \mathbf{R}_j}] \cdot \det_y [e^{i\mathbf{K}_i \cdot \mathbf{R}_j}] \times \det [e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\uparrow}}] \cdot \det [e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\downarrow}}]$$



Can use Variational Monte Carlo to extract equal time correlation functions from wf  
But what about energetics???

Hamiltonians with Bose-metal  
or NFL metal ground states??

# Ring Hamiltonian for D-wave Bose-Metal?

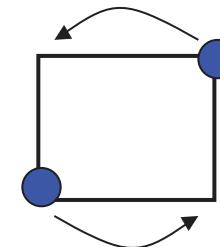
Strong coupling limit of parton gauge theory:

*“Ring exchange”*

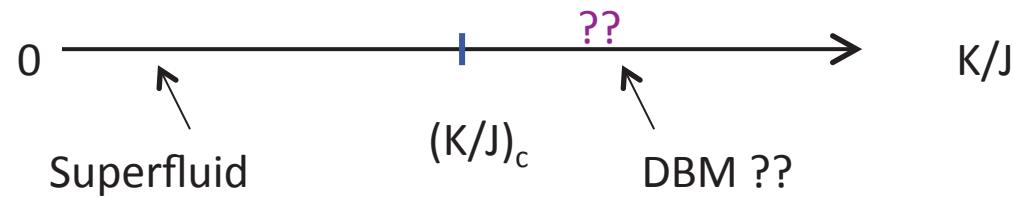
$$H = H_J + H_4 ,$$

$$H_J = -J \sum_{\mathbf{r}; \hat{\mu}=\hat{\mathbf{x}}, \hat{\mathbf{y}}} (b_{\mathbf{r}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mu}} + h.c.) ,$$

$$H_4 = K_4 \sum_{\mathbf{r}} (b_{\mathbf{r}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{x}}} b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{x}}+\hat{\mathbf{y}}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{y}}} + h.c.) ,$$



Phase diagram:  $K/J$  and density of bosons

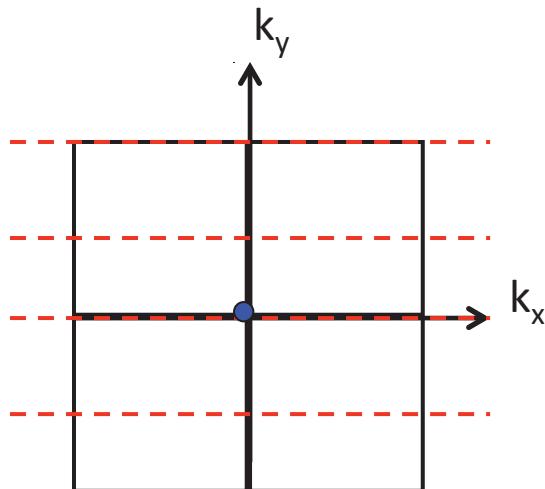


J-K Model has a sign problem for non-zero  $J$  and  $K$

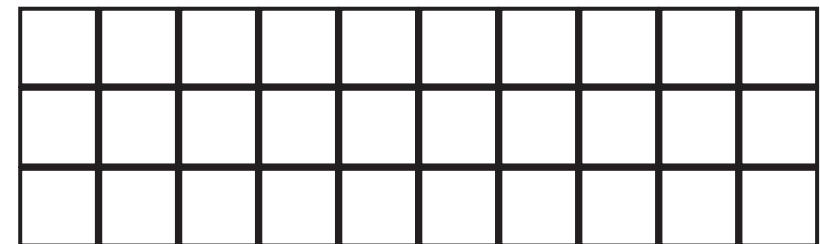
# Ladders

Transverse y-components of momentum become quantized

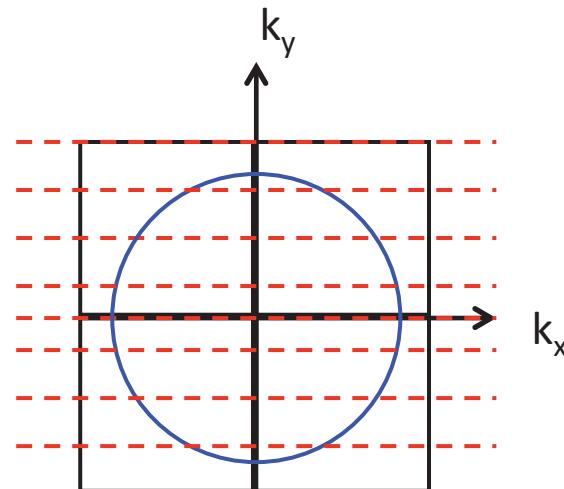
Put Bose superfluid on n-leg ladder



Single gapless 1d mode



Put D-wave Bose metal on n-leg ladder



Many gapless 1d modes, one for each “Bose” point

Signature of 2d Bose surface present on ladders

***Expectation: Signature of Bose surface in Bose-Metal on n-leg ladders***

# Boson ring model on the 2-Leg Ladder

- Exact Diag.
- Variational Monte Carlo
- DMRG
- Bosonization of quasi-1d gauge theory



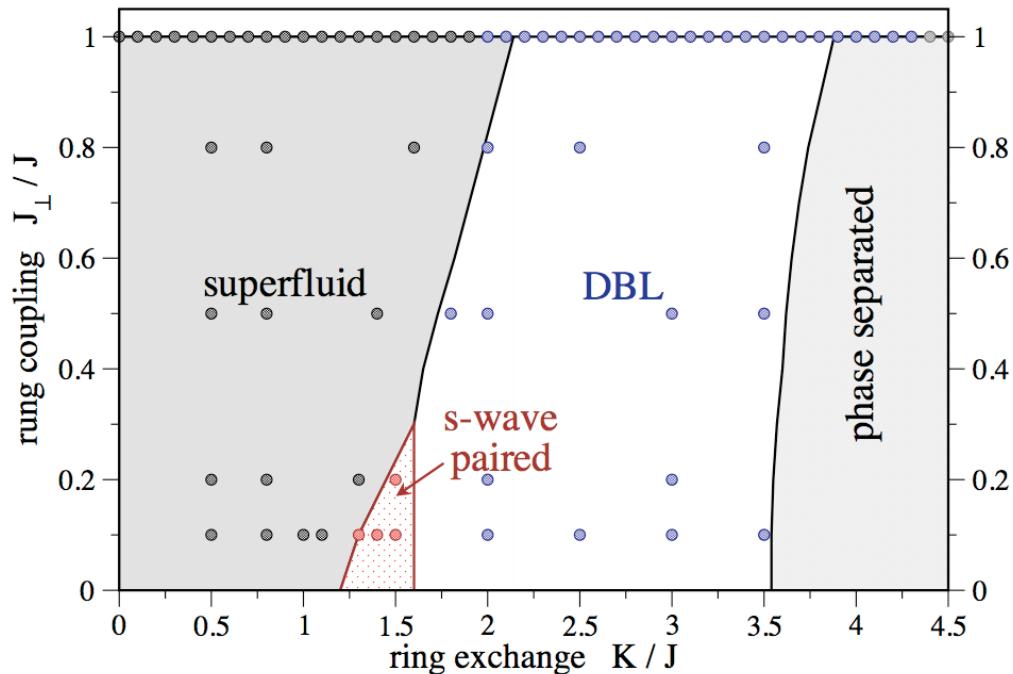
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$$\begin{aligned} H &= H_J + H_4 , \\ H_J &= -J \sum_{\mathbf{r}; \hat{\mu}=\hat{\mathbf{x}}, \hat{\mathbf{y}}} (b_{\mathbf{r}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mu}} + h.c.) , \\ H_4 &= K_4 \sum_{\mathbf{r}} (b_{\mathbf{r}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{x}}} b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{x}}+\hat{\mathbf{y}}}^\dagger b_{\mathbf{r}+\hat{\mathbf{y}}} + h.c.) , \end{aligned}$$

*Ladder descendant of 2D Bose-metal??*

# Phase Diagram for 2-leg ladder

$\rho = 1/3$

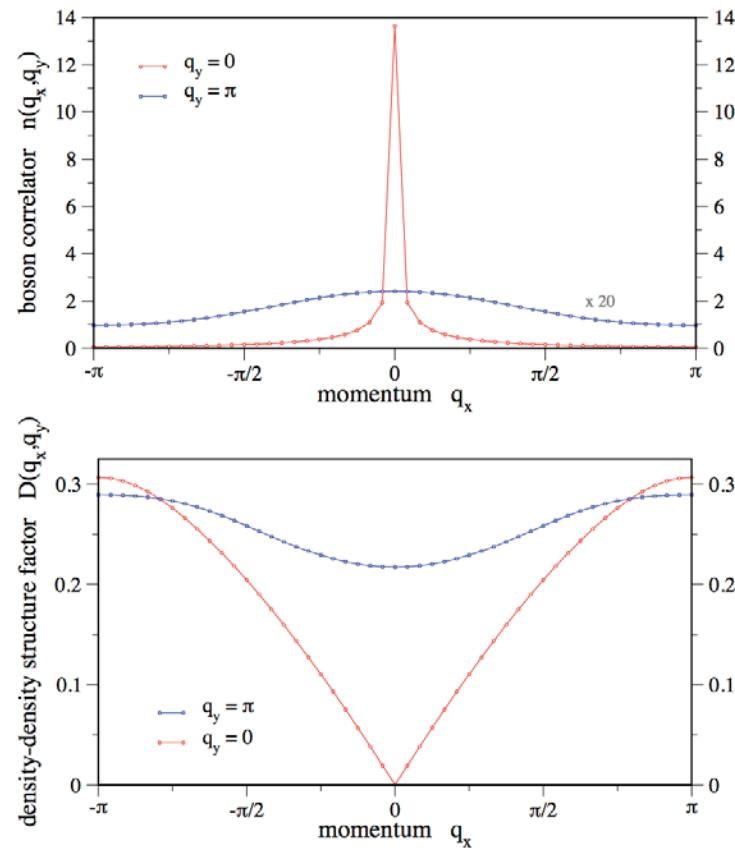


Phases:

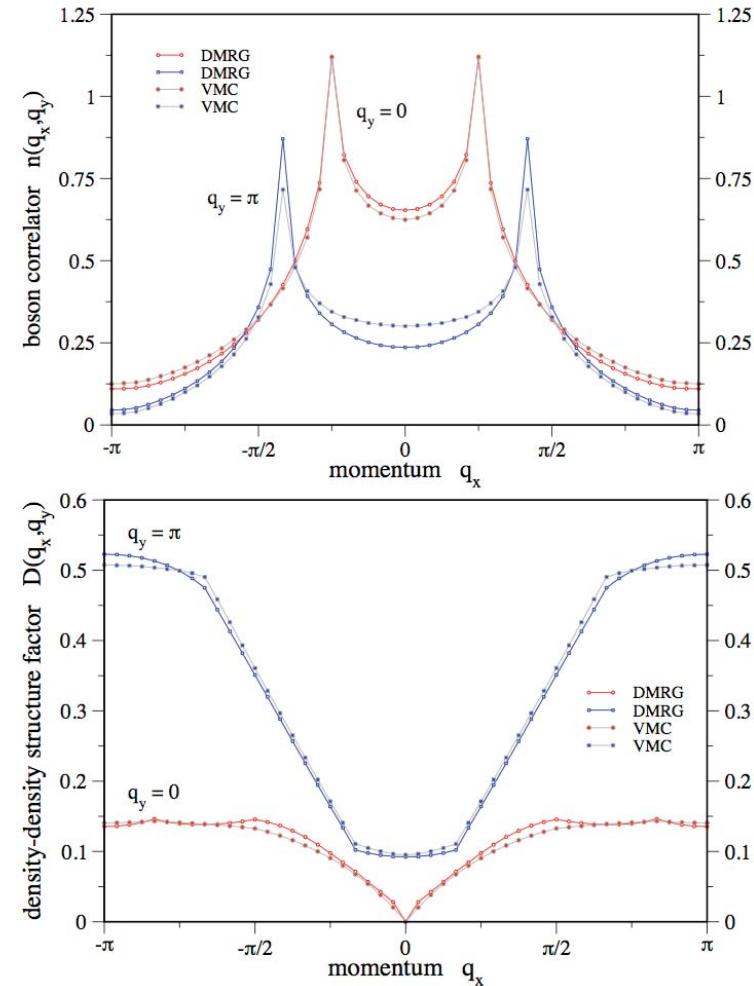
- 1) Superfluid – “Bose condensate”
- 2) D-Wave Bose Metal - DBL
- 3) s-wave Pair-Boson “condensate”

D-wave Bose-Metal occupies large region of phase diagram

# Superfluid versus D-wave Bose-Metal



Superfluid - “condensed”  
at zero momentum



D-wave Bose-Metal; Singular  
“Bose points” at  $q_y = 0, \pi$

# Variational Wf for D-wave Bose-metal on 2-leg ladder



STRONG-COUPLING PHASES OF FRUSTRATED BOSONS...

In DBM:

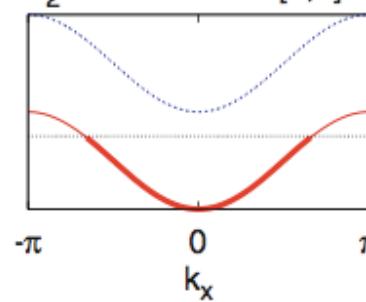
Bonding/Antibonding occupied  
For  $d_1$  Fermion

Just Bonding occupied  
For  $d_2$  Fermion

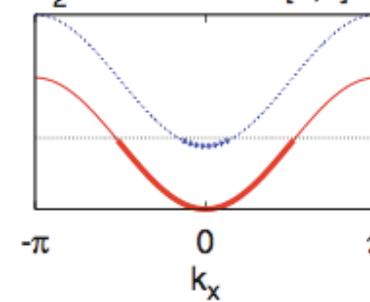
Variational parameter:  
Fermi wavevectors in  $d_1$   
bands



$d_2$  bands for DBL[2,1]

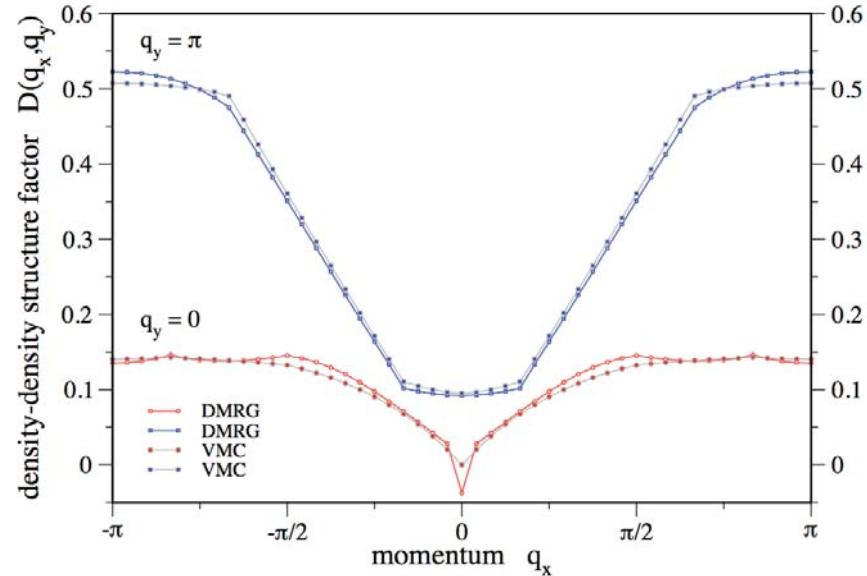
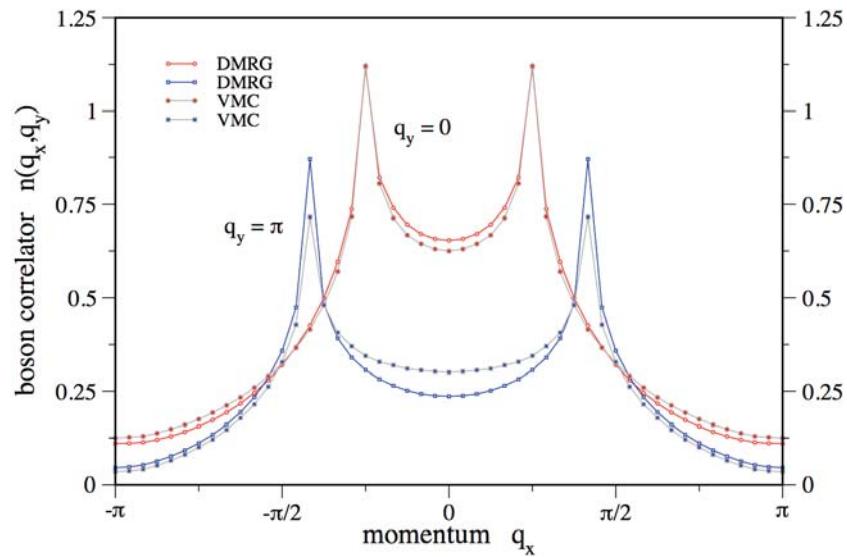


$d_2$  bands for DBL[2,2]



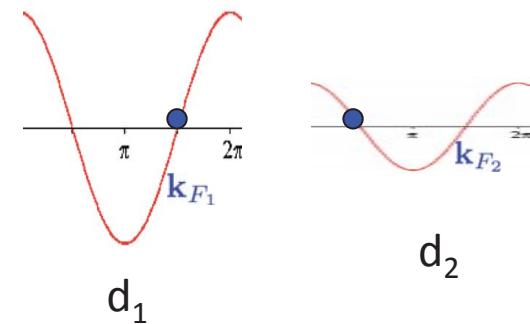
$$\Psi_{\text{bos}}(r_1, r_2, \dots) = \Psi_{d_1}(r_1, r_2, \dots) \cdot \Psi_{d_2}(r_1, r_2, \dots).$$

# DBM: How good is ladder variational wavefunction?



Gauge mean field theory predicts singularities  
in momentum distribution function at:  $\mathbf{k}_{F_1} \pm \mathbf{k}_{F_2}$

Both DMRG and  $\det_1 \times \det_2$  Wavefunction  
show singular cusps *only* at  $\mathbf{k}_{F_1} - \mathbf{k}_{F_2}$   
(Ampere's law)



# Hamiltonian for D-wave Metal?

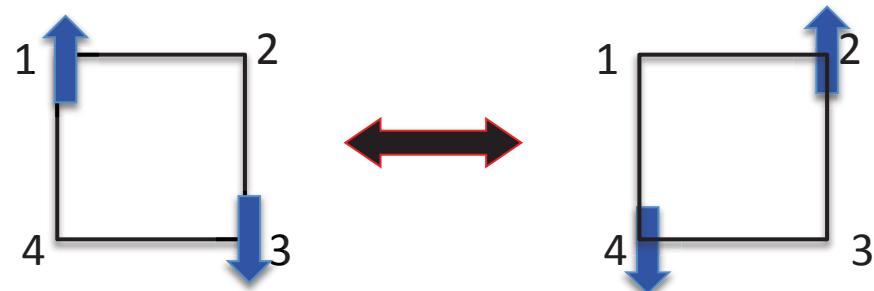
Strong coupling limit of parton gauge theory     $c_\alpha = f_\alpha d_x d_y$

t-K “Ring” Hamiltonian (no double occupancy constraint)

$$\mathcal{H}_{tK} = -t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} [c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{j\alpha} + h.c.] + K \sum_{\langle 1234 \rangle} [\mathcal{S}_{13}^\dagger \mathcal{S}_{24} + h.c.]$$

$$\mathcal{S}_{ij}^\dagger = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [c_{i\uparrow}^\dagger c_{j\downarrow}^\dagger - c_{i\downarrow}^\dagger c_{j\uparrow}^\dagger]$$

Electron singlet pair  
“rotation” term



# Phase diagram of electron t-K Hamiltonian?

$$\mathcal{H}_{tK} = -t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} [c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{j\alpha} + h.c.] + K \sum_{\langle 1234 \rangle} [\mathcal{S}_{13}^\dagger \mathcal{S}_{24} + h.c.]$$

(Density and K/t)

Severe sign problem - intractable

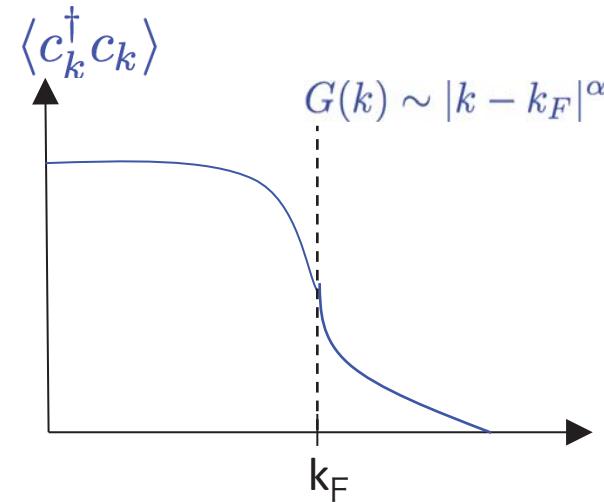
Once again: Analyze t-K electron ring Hamiltonian on **2-leg ladder**

# Possible to identify a NFL on a 2-leg ladder?

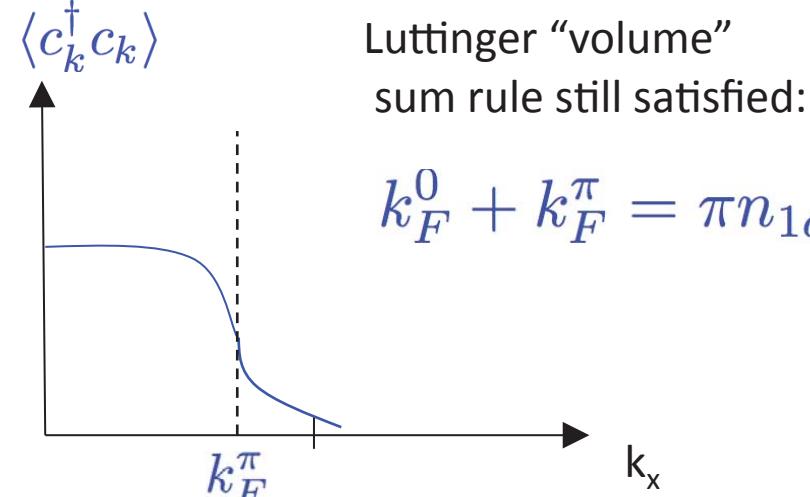
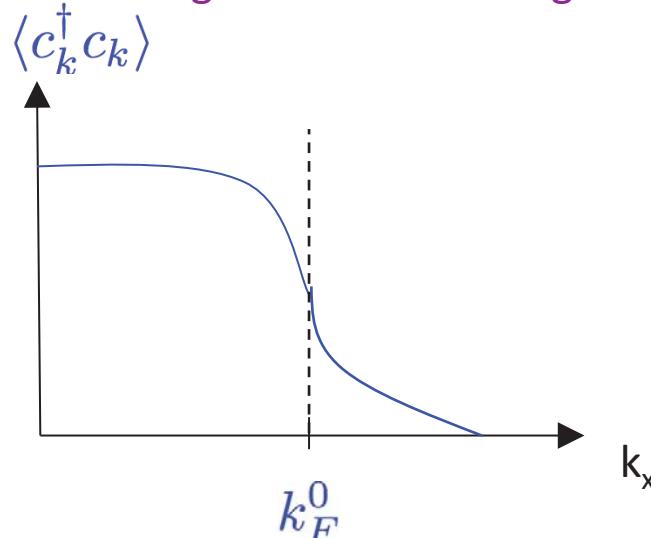
Interacting Fermions in 1d: A Luttinger liquid

$$G(x) \sim \sin(k_F x)/x^{1+\alpha} \quad \text{Luttinger liquid exponent: } \alpha$$

Momentum distribution function has (dominant) singularity at  $k=k_F$  satisfying Luttinger sum rule



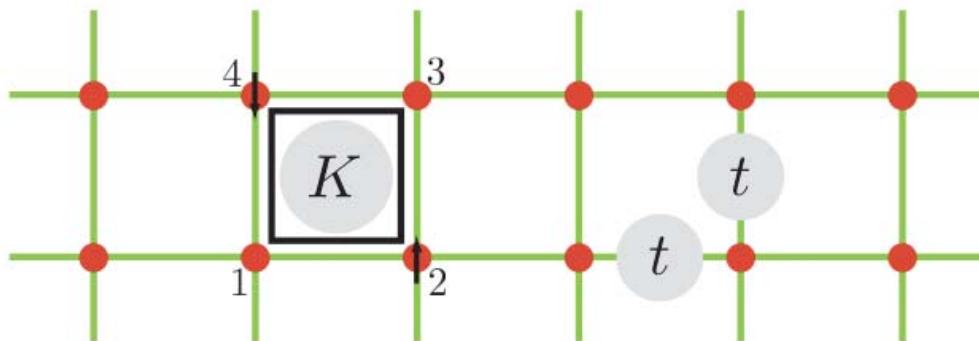
Interacting Fermions on 2-leg ladder: 2-bands



Searching for a “non-Luttinger liquid” (ie. a Luttinger-liquid violating Luttinger’s sum rule)

# Electron t-K model on 2-leg ladder

$$\mathcal{H}_{tK} = -t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} [c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{j\alpha} + h.c.] + K \sum_{\langle 1234 \rangle} [\mathcal{S}_{13}^\dagger \mathcal{S}_{24} + h.c.]$$



Two dimensionless parameters:  
 $K/t$  and density  $n$   
**( $n=1/3$  henceforth)**  
No double occupancy

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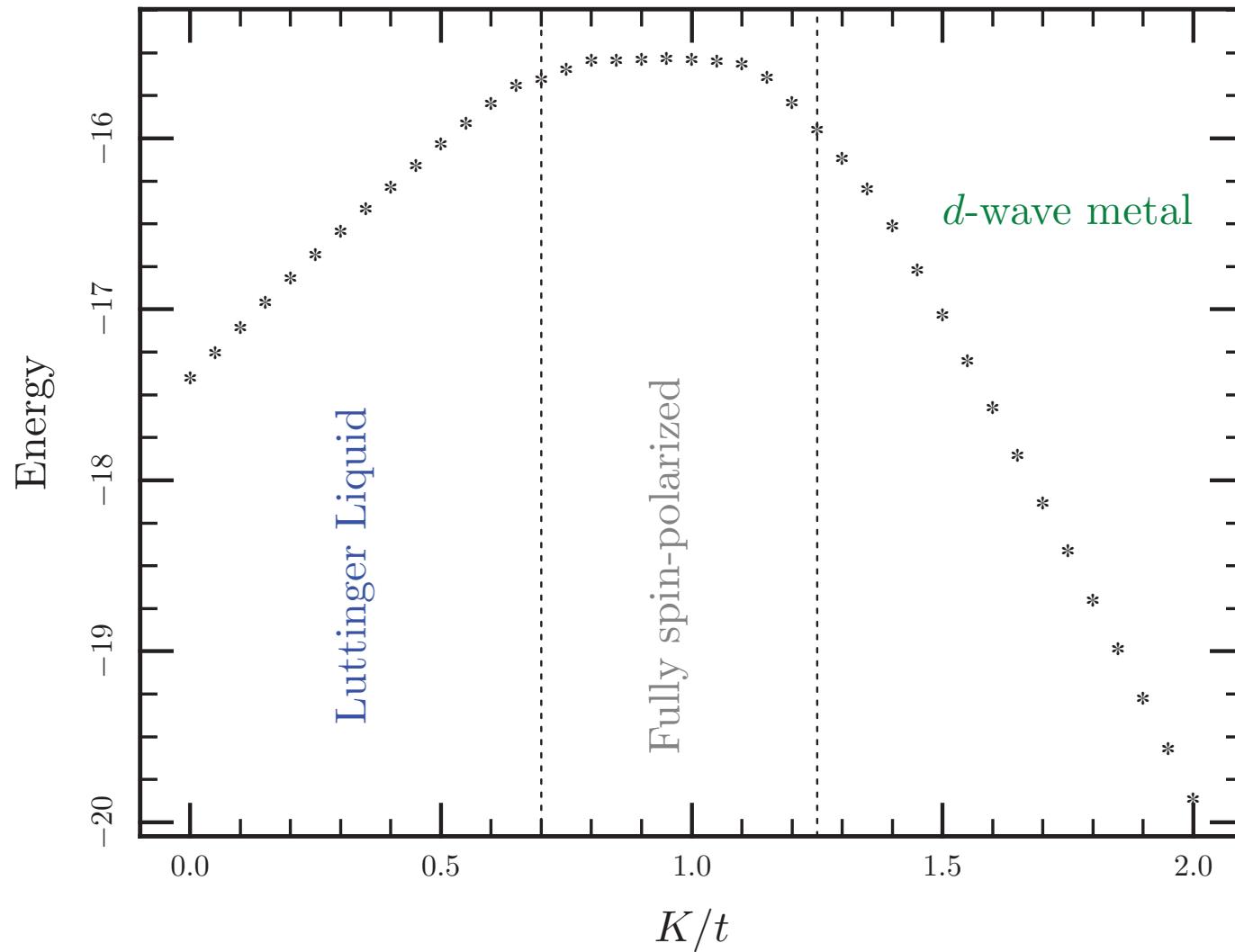
DMRG

VMC

Bosonization of Quasi-1d U(1) gauge theory

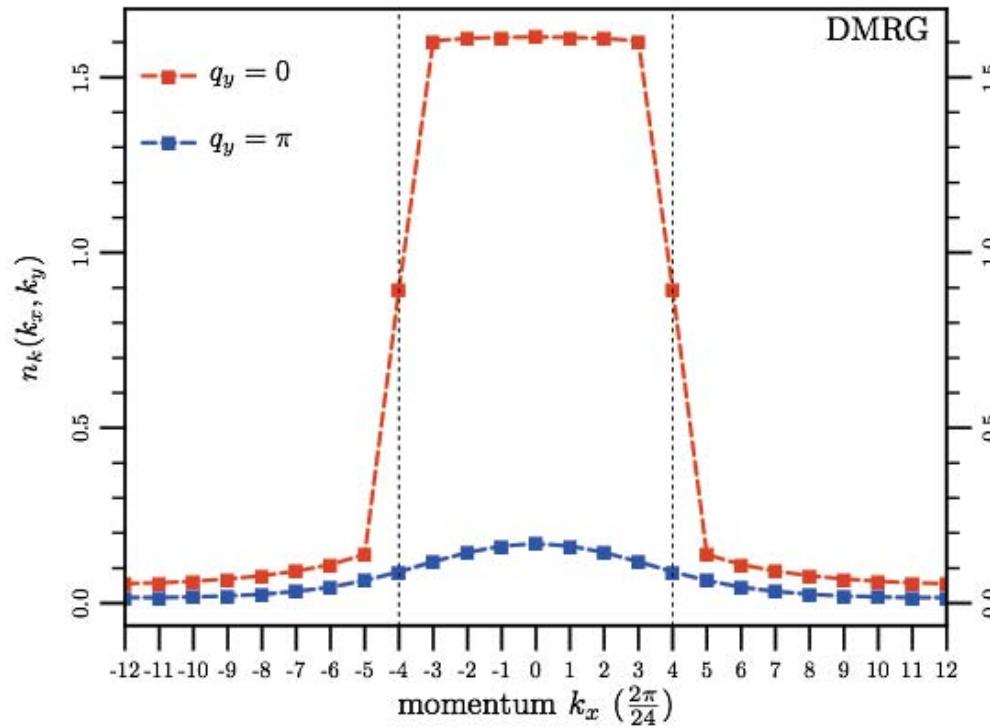
# Ground State energy: DMRG

DMRG Energy,  $L_x = 12$ ,  $N_{\text{elec}} = 8$



# $K/t < 0.7$ Luttinger Liquid

Electron Momentum Distribution Function:  $K = 0.0$

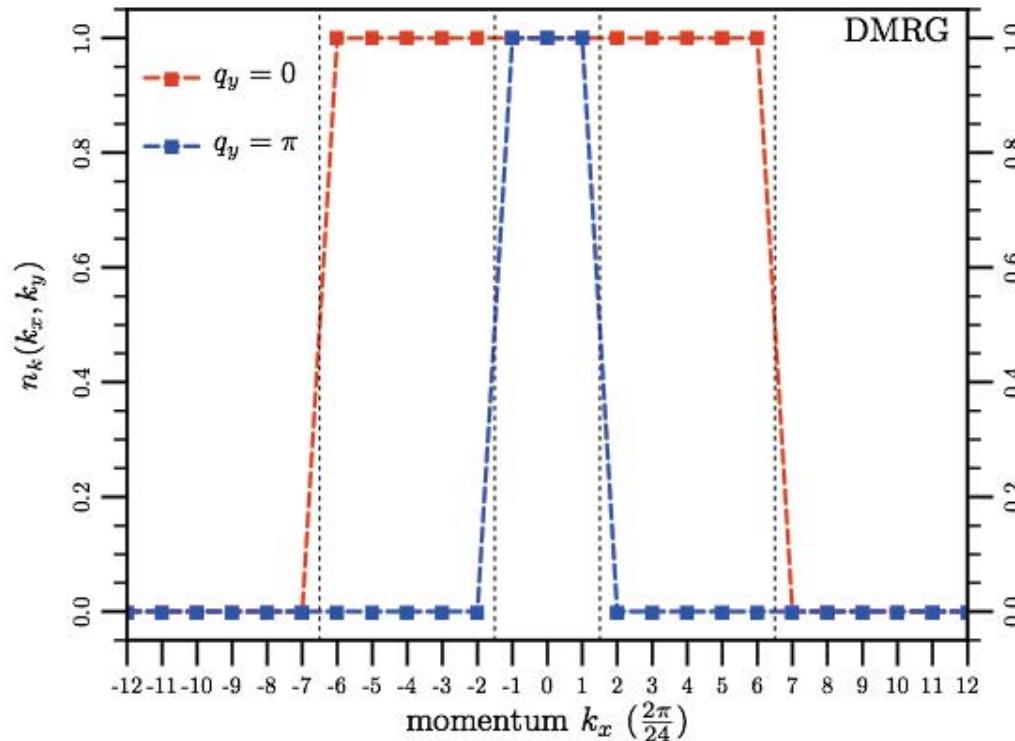


Satisfies Luttinger's Theorem: the volume enclosed by the “Fermi surface” yields the particle density. (16 particles, singlet, 8 up and 8 down)

A canonical (single band) Luttinger liquid

# $0.7 < K/t < 1.25$ : Spin Polarized

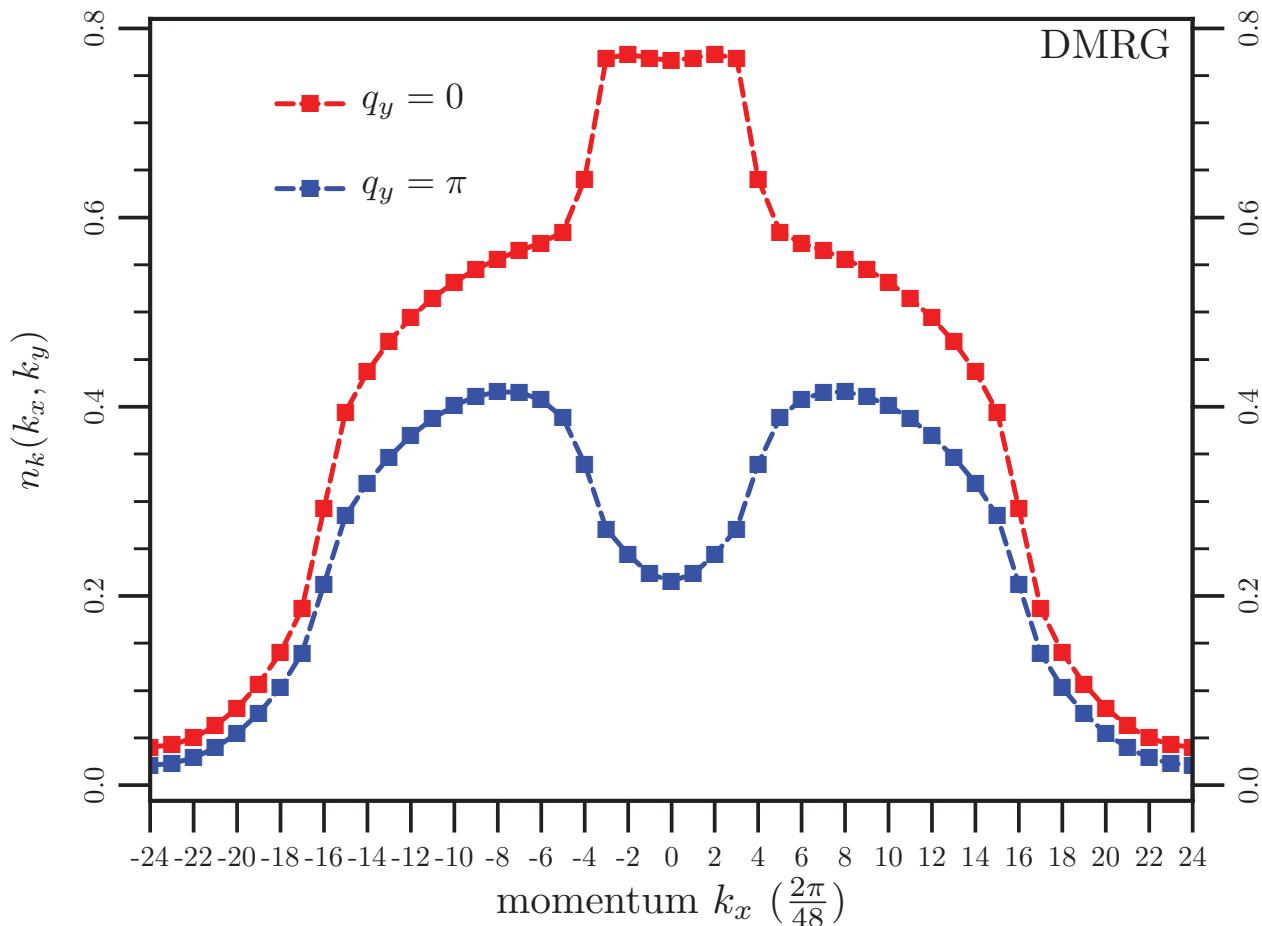
Electron Momentum Distribution Function:  $K = 1.0$



Non-interacting spin polarized Fermi sea is exact ground state here.  
Luttinger theorem satisfied

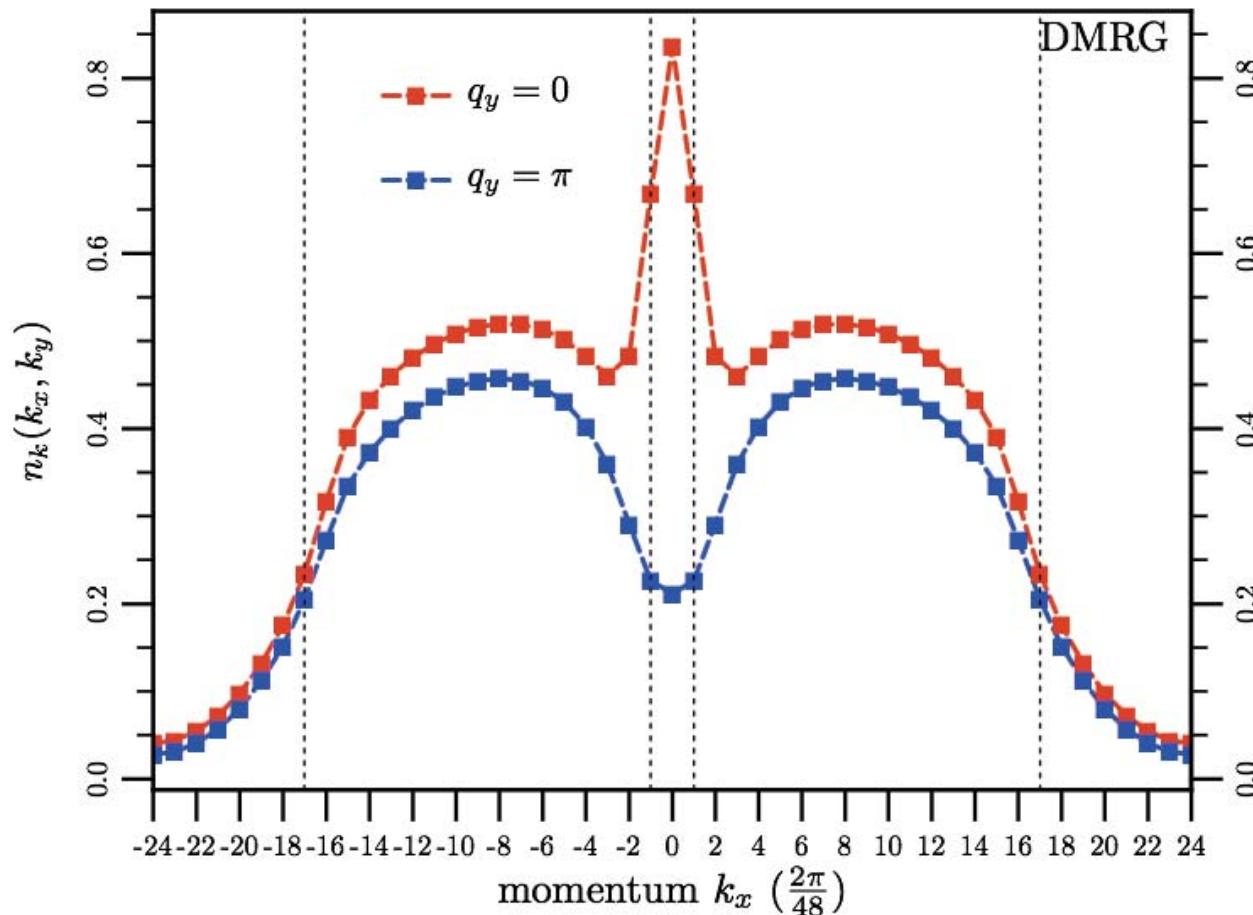
# $K/t > 1.25$ : Non-LL Phase

Electron Momentum Distribution Function:  $K = 2.0$



# $K/t > 1.25$ : Non-LL Phase

Electron Momentum Distribution Function:  $K = 2.5$



Non-monotonic momentum distribution function; No sign of Luttingers volume

# Non-Luttinger-Liquid phase for K>1.25?

Electron momentum distribution function: Singular features,  
but at momenta which do not satisfy Luttinger's volume theorem

$$n_{k\sigma}(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{L_x L_y} \sum_{i,j} \langle c_{i\sigma}^\dagger c_{j\sigma} \rangle e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)}$$

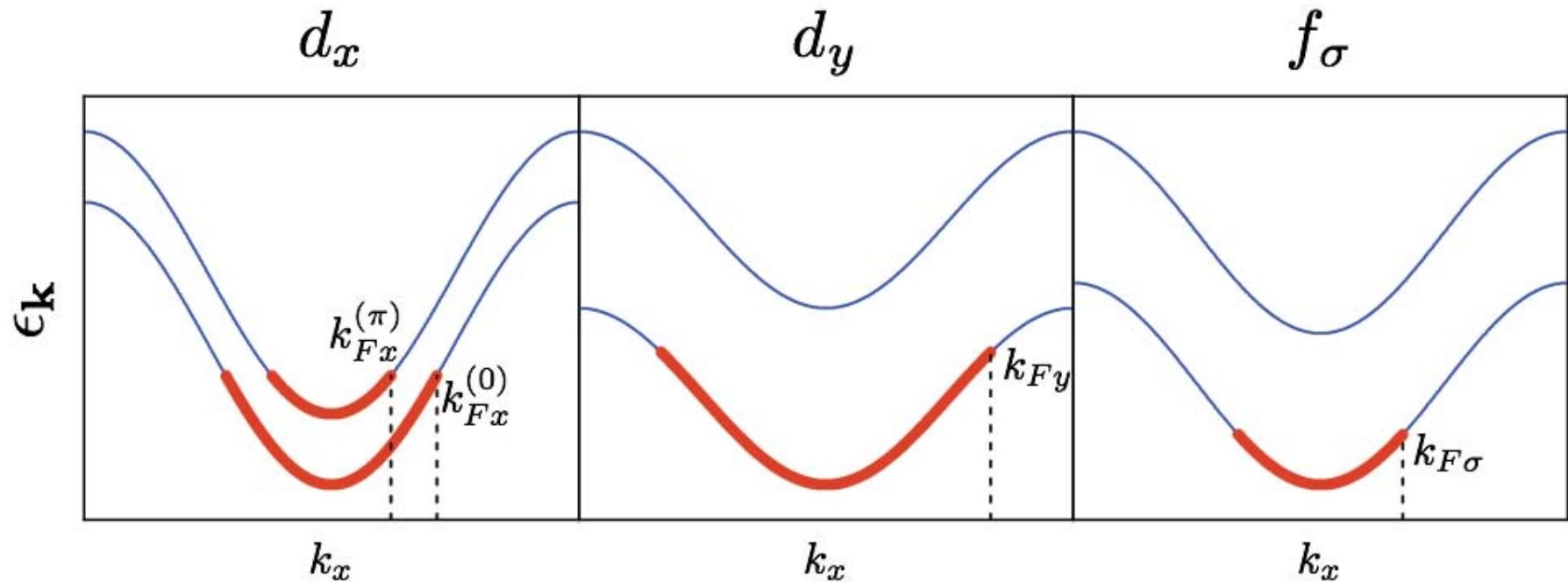
Can we understand in terms of  
D-wave Metal on 2-leg ladder??

Employ parton construction, gauge theory and VMC

$$c_\alpha = f_\alpha d_x d_y$$

# The $d$ -wave Metal on 2 Legs

$$c_{\sigma}^{\dagger} = d_x^{\dagger} d_y^{\dagger} f_{\sigma}^{\dagger}$$



$$k_{Fx}^{(0)} + k_{Fx}^{(\pi)} = k_{Fy} = 2k_{F\sigma} = 2\pi\rho$$

Gauge theory: Projects down to physical Hilbert space

Number of 1d modes = (number in MFT) – (gauge constraints) = (2+1+2)-(2) = 3

Central charge  $c=3$ , strongly entangled

# Electron momentum distribution function

**Mean Field Theory:** electron momentum distribution, convolution of partons

$$n_c^{MFT}(k) = n_{d_x}(k) \otimes n_{d_y}(k) \otimes n_f(k) \quad c_\sigma = d_x d_y f_\sigma$$

Gauge theory - certain wavevectors enhanced

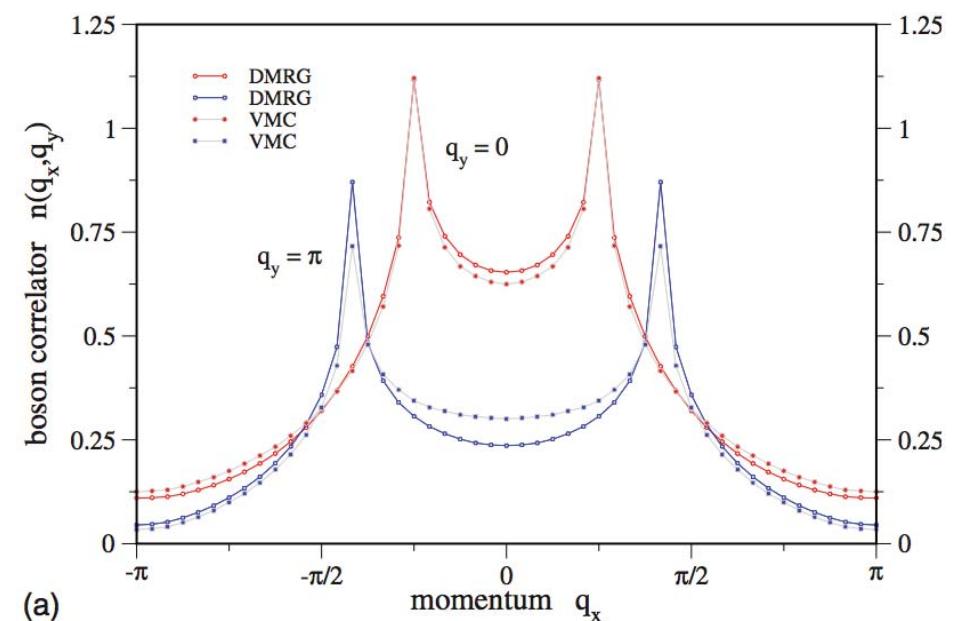
Illustrate with Boson ring model (MFT)

$$n_b^{MFT}(k) = n_{d_x}(k) \otimes n_{d_y}(k)$$

$$b = d_x d_y$$

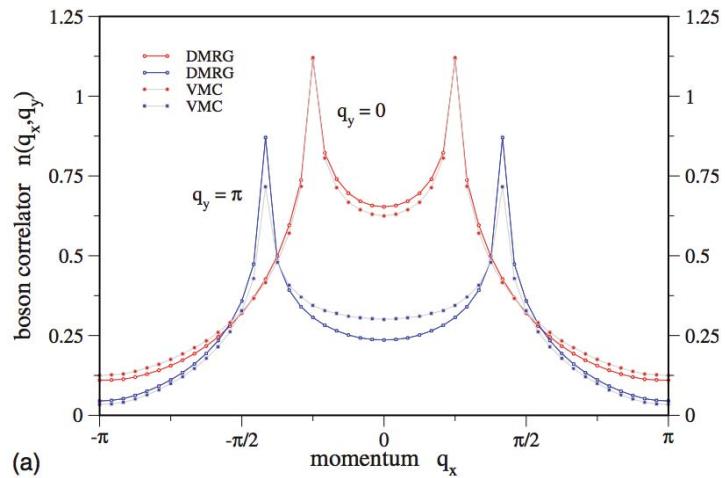
Very sharp peaks in the **exact** boson momentum distribution function!  
(from DMRG)

$$n_b(k)$$

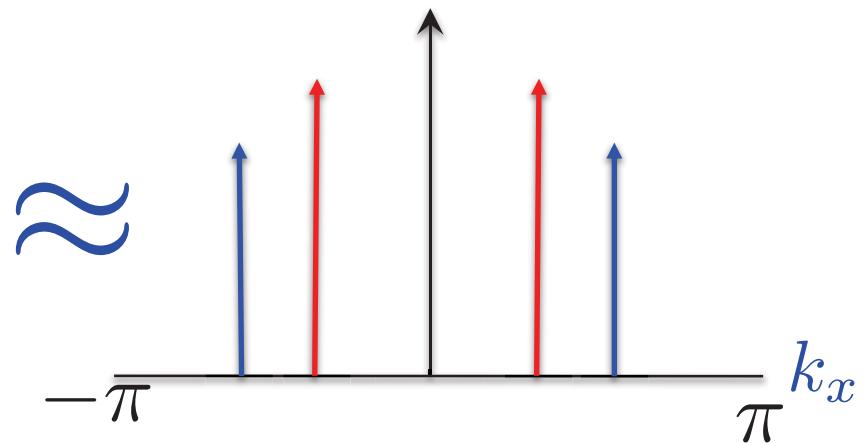


# Momentum distribution function in the d-wave metal?

$$n_b(k)$$



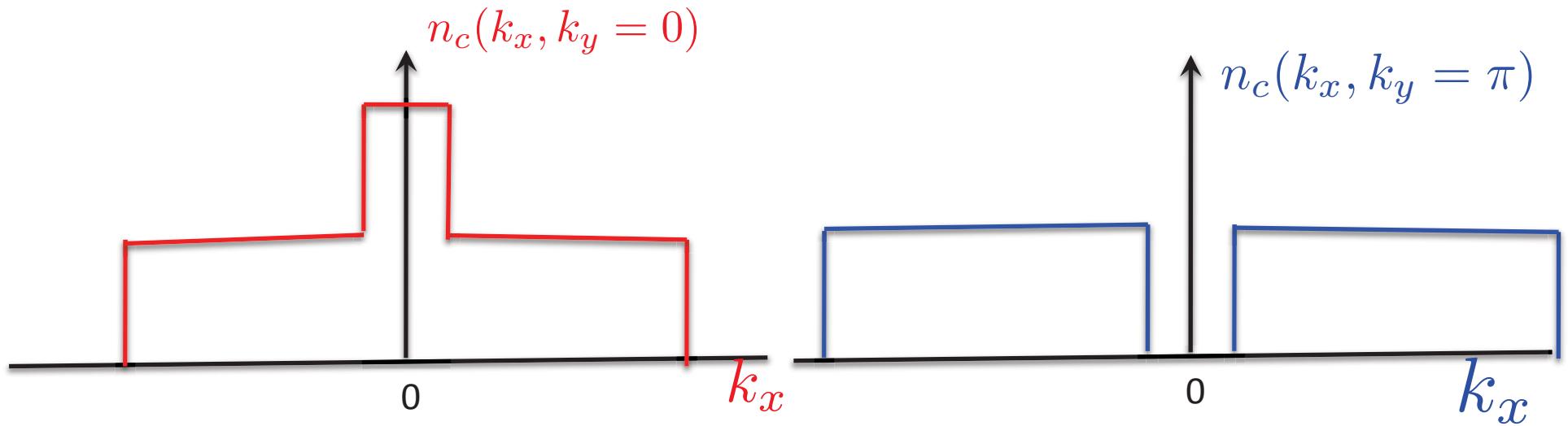
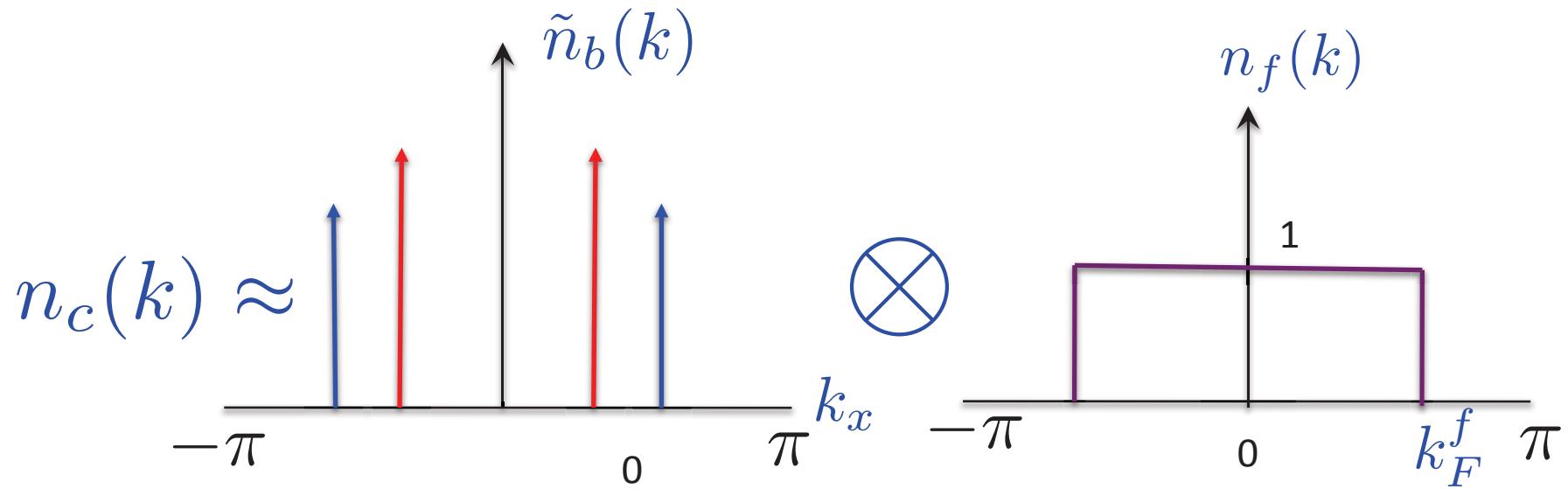
$$\tilde{n}_b(k)$$



$$n_c(k) \stackrel{?}{\approx} \tilde{n}_b(k) \otimes n_f(k)$$

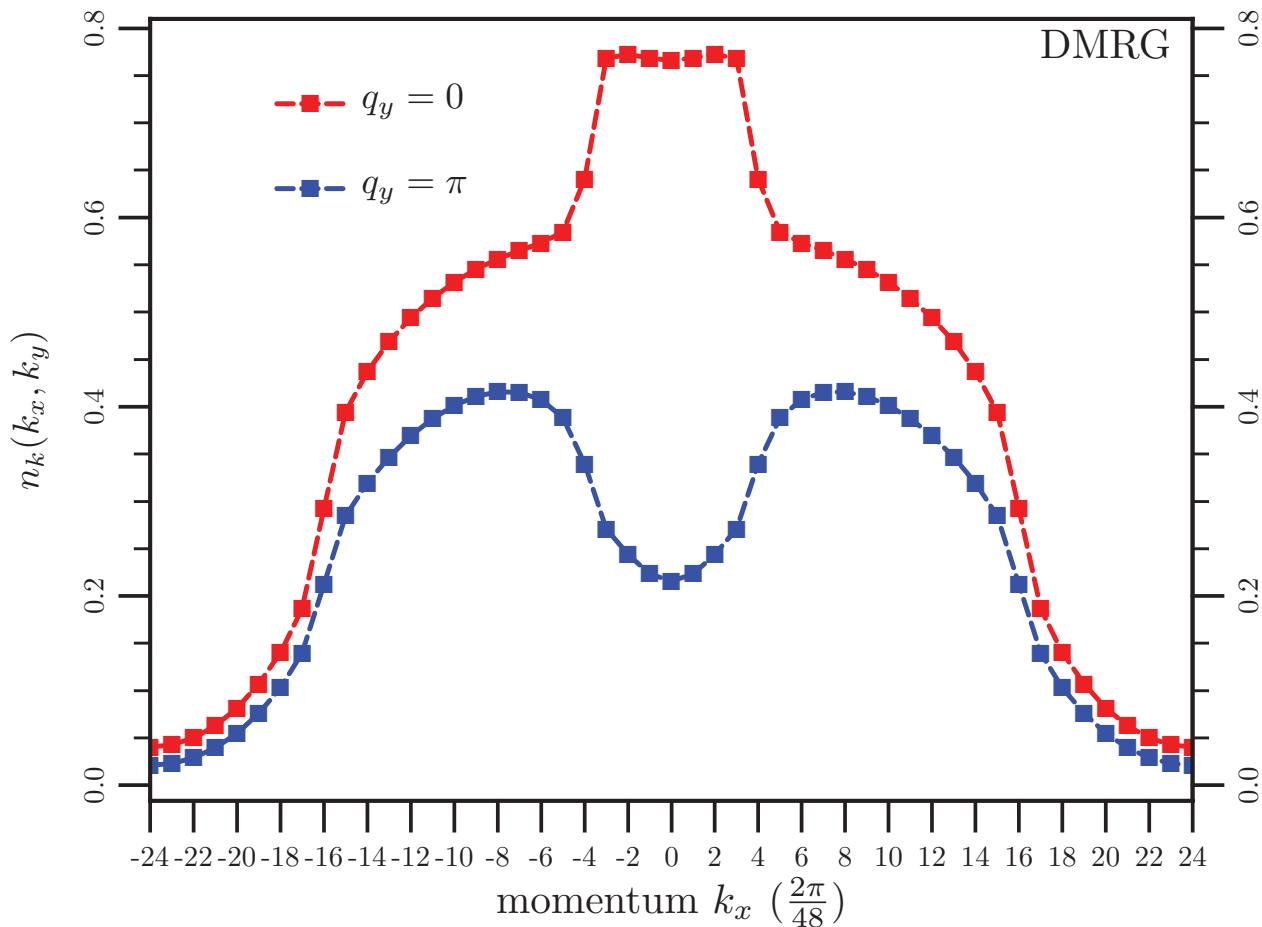
$$n_f(k) = \Theta(K_F^f - |k|) \text{ (Free spinon sea)}$$

# Convolution: $c = b f$



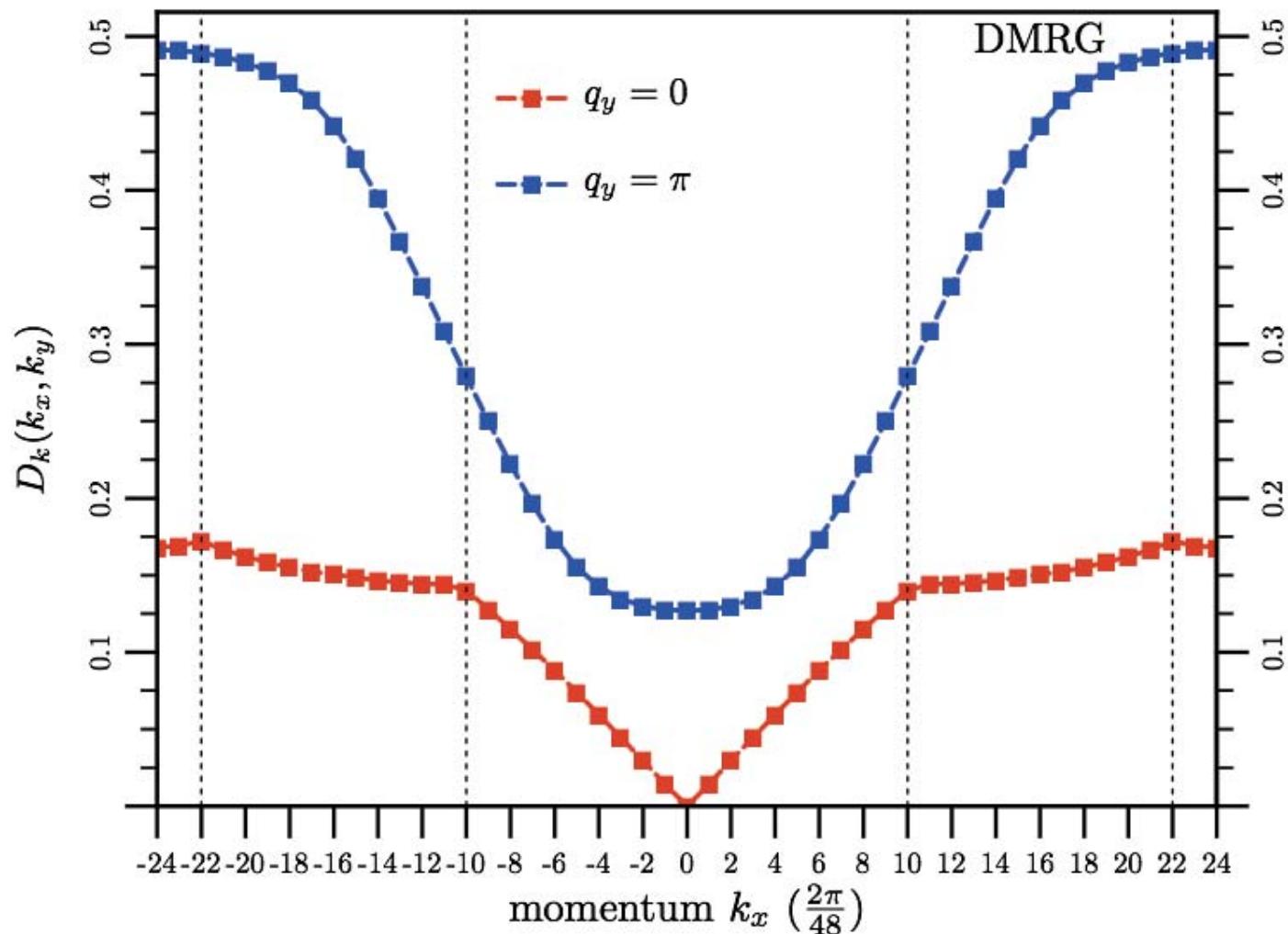
# $K/t > 1.25$ : Non-LL Phase

Electron Momentum Distribution Function:  $K = 2.0$



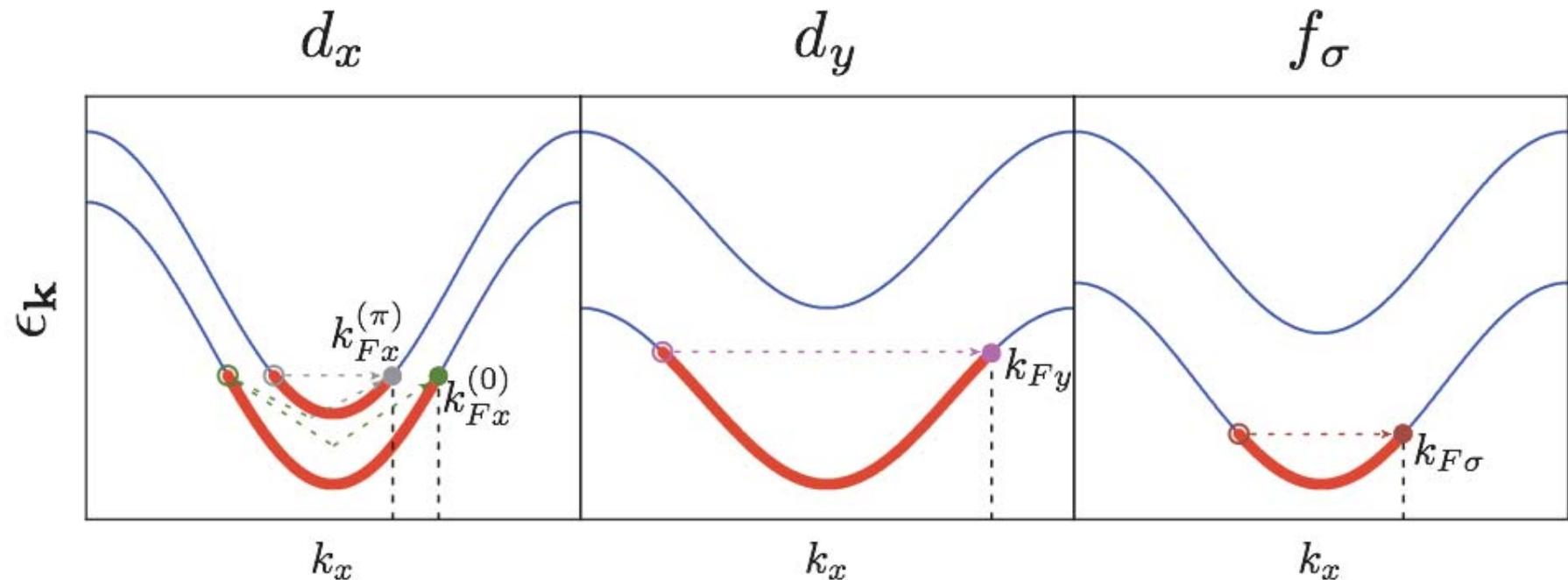
# Density-density structure factor: DMRG

Density-density Structure Factor:  $K = 1.5$



# The $d$ -wave Metal on 2 Legs

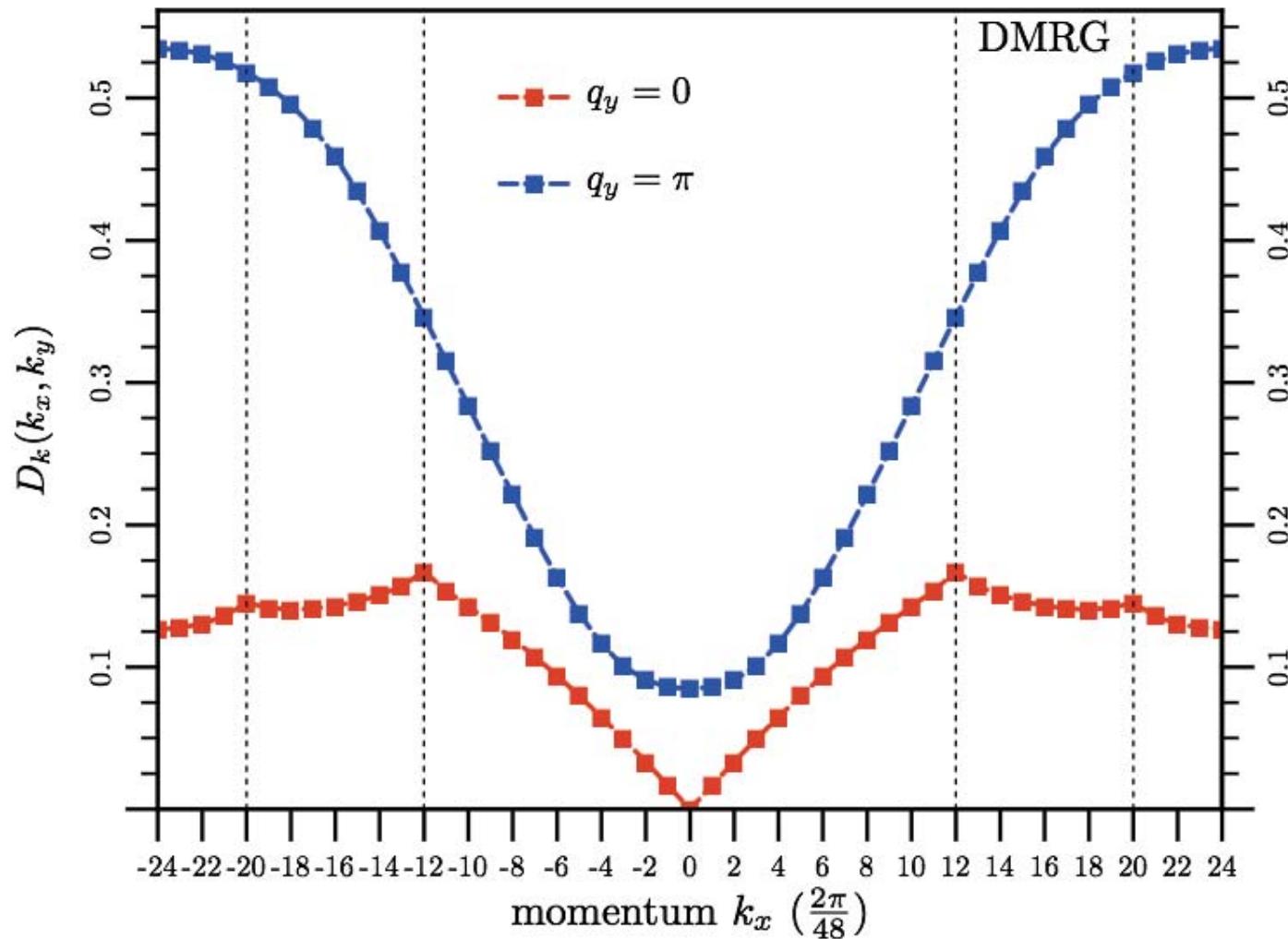
$$c_{\sigma}^{\dagger} = d_x^{\dagger} d_y^{\dagger} f_{\sigma}^{\dagger}$$



In  $D_k$ , enhanced singularities are predicted by the gauge theory at various “ $2k_F$ ” wavevectors.

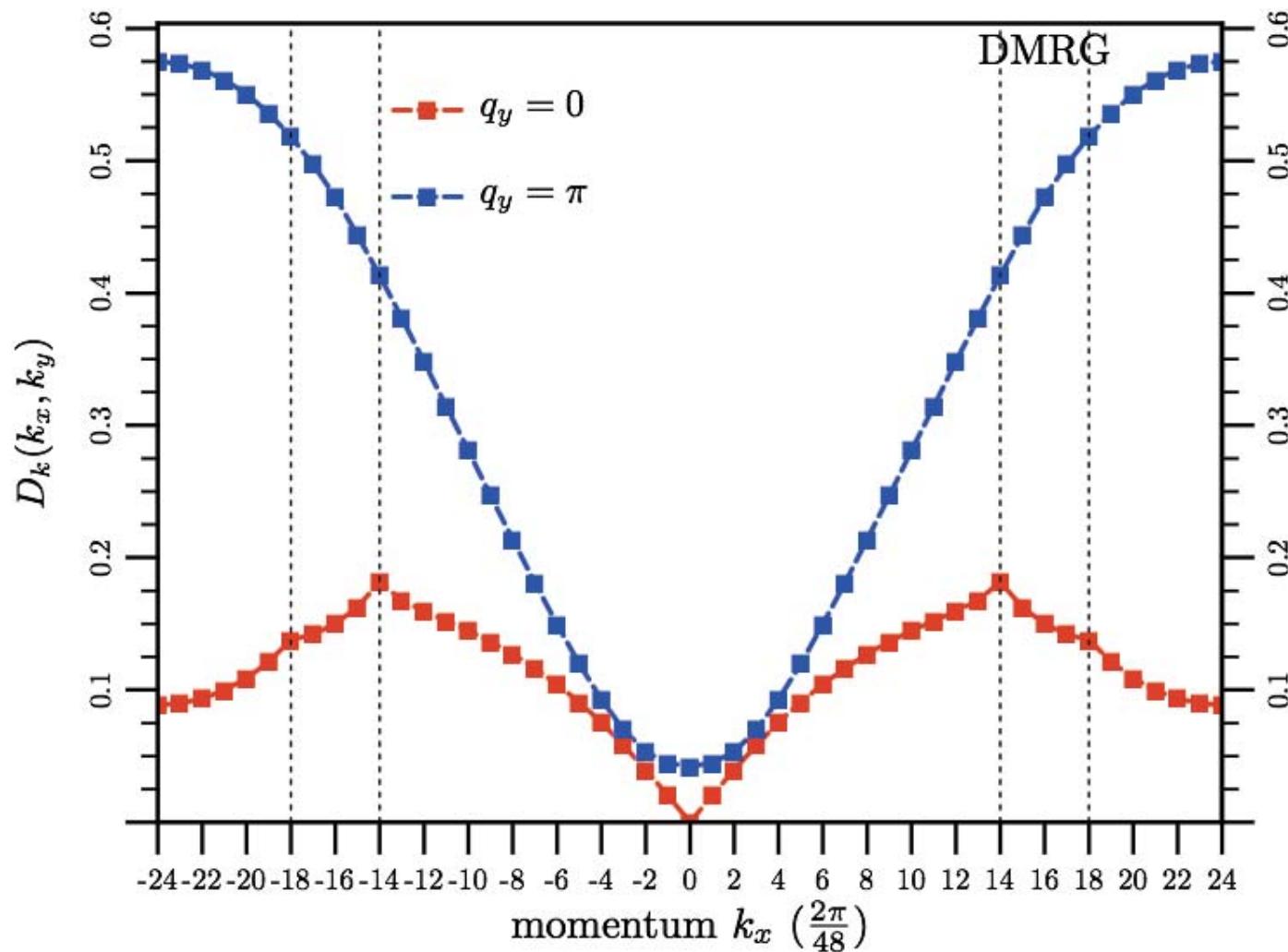
# Evolution of Peak Locations

Density-density Structure Factor:  $K = 2.0$



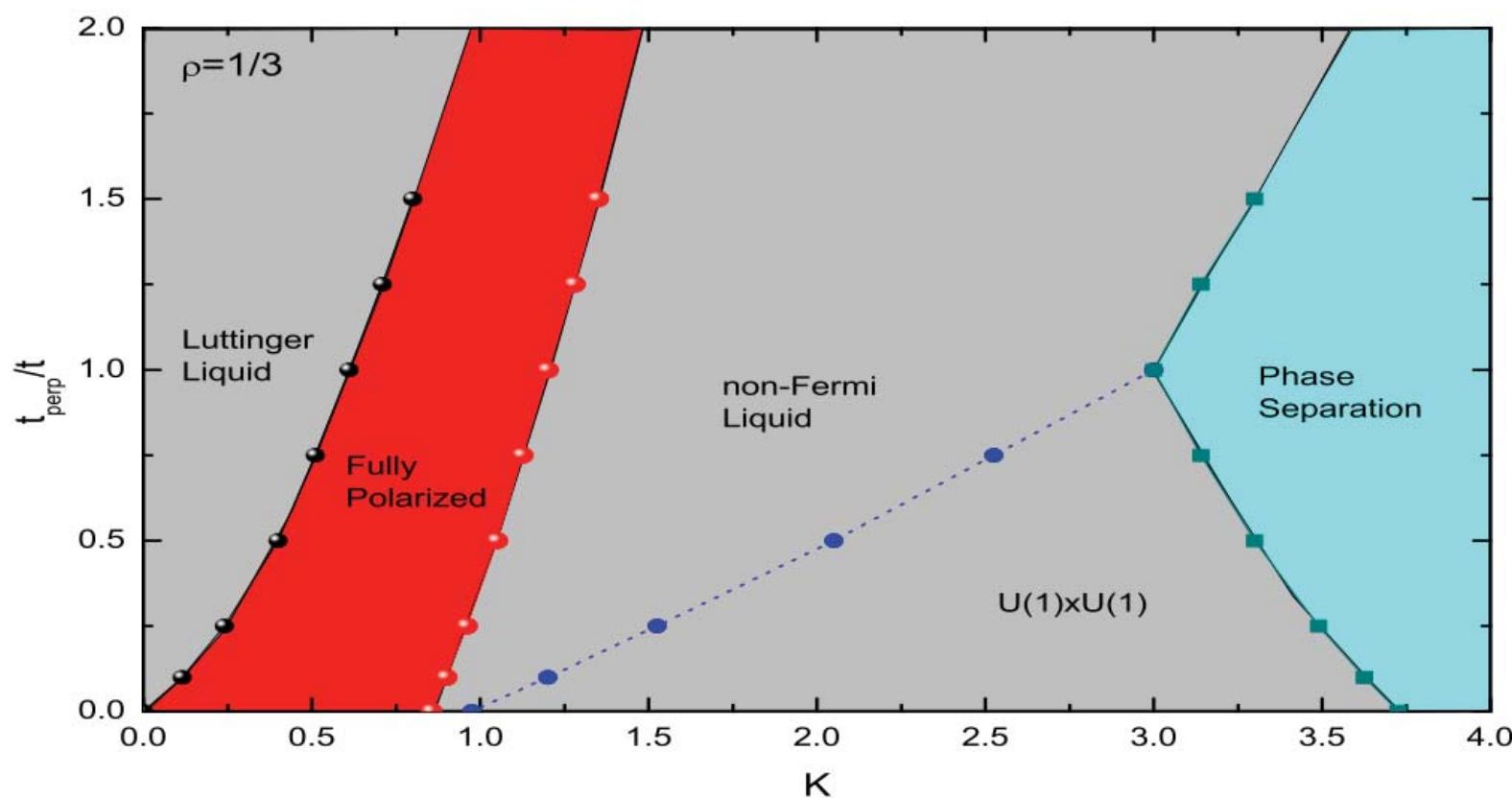
# Evolution of Peak Locations

Density-density Structure Factor:  $K = 2.5$



# DMRG Phase diagram varying transverse electron hopping, $t_{\text{perp}}$

$$\mathcal{H}_{tK} = -t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} [c_{i\alpha}^\dagger c_{j\alpha} + h.c.] + K \sum_{\langle 1234 \rangle} [\mathcal{S}_{13}^\dagger \mathcal{S}_{24} + h.c.]$$



# Variational Monte Carlo (VMC)

D-wave Metal: Product of Slater determinants

$$\Psi_{d_{xy}}^{Metal} = \det_x [e^{i\mathbf{K}_i \cdot \mathbf{R}_j}] \cdot \det_y [e^{i\mathbf{K}_i \cdot \mathbf{R}_j}] \times \det [e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\uparrow}}] \cdot \det [e^{i\mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{r}_{j\downarrow}}]$$

Variational Parameters:

Distribution of  $d_x$  partons between bonding/anti-bonding bands (f-spinons and  $d_y$  partons only in bonding band)

2 parameters to tune the Luttinger exponents

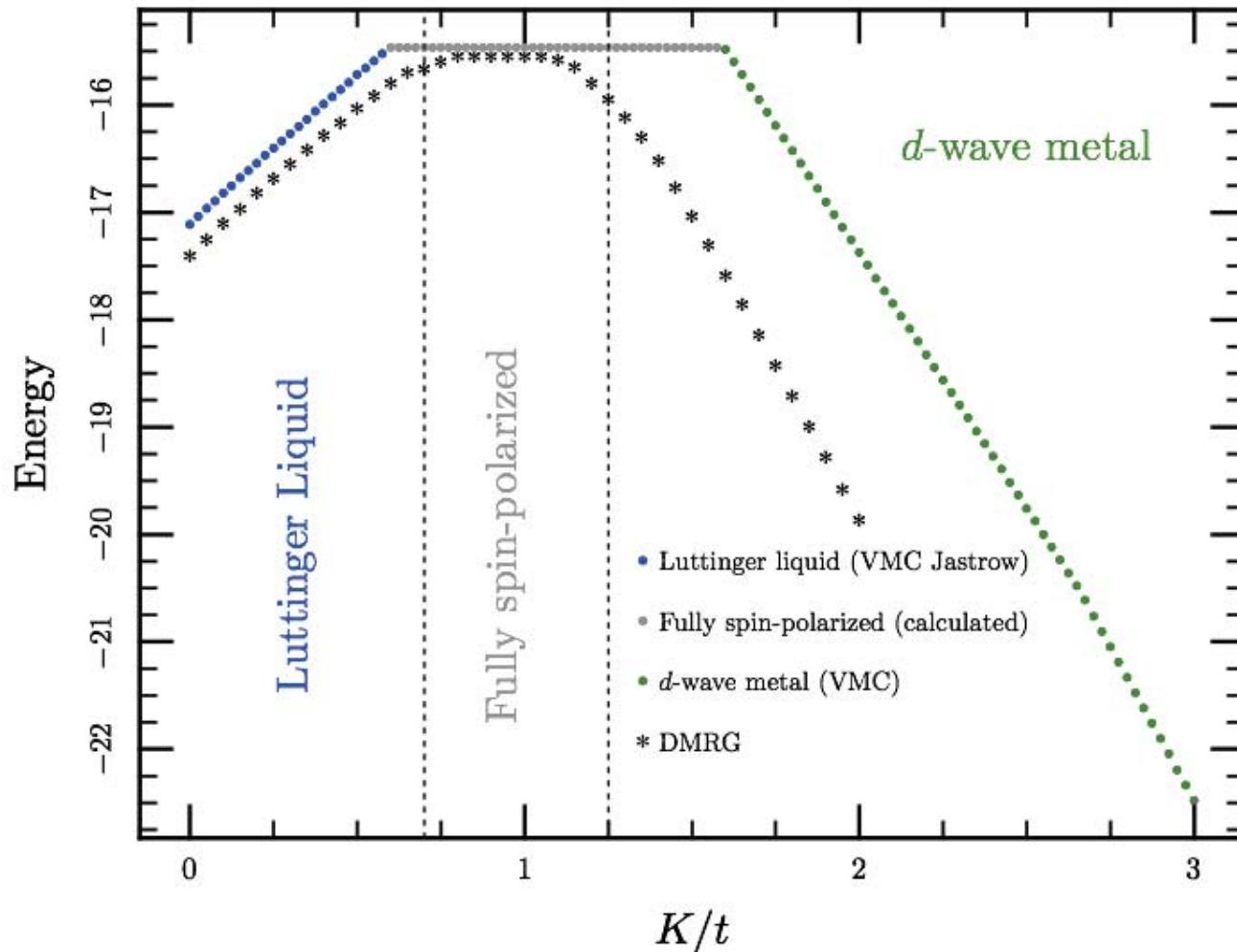
$$det_x = |det_x| sgn(det_x) \rightarrow |det_x|^{\gamma_x} sgn(det_x)$$

$$det_y = |det_y| sgn(det_y) \rightarrow |det_y|^{\gamma_y} sgn(det_y)$$

(Luttinger liquid phase: Jastrow factor multiplying filled Fermi sea)

# Ground State energy: DMRG vs VMC

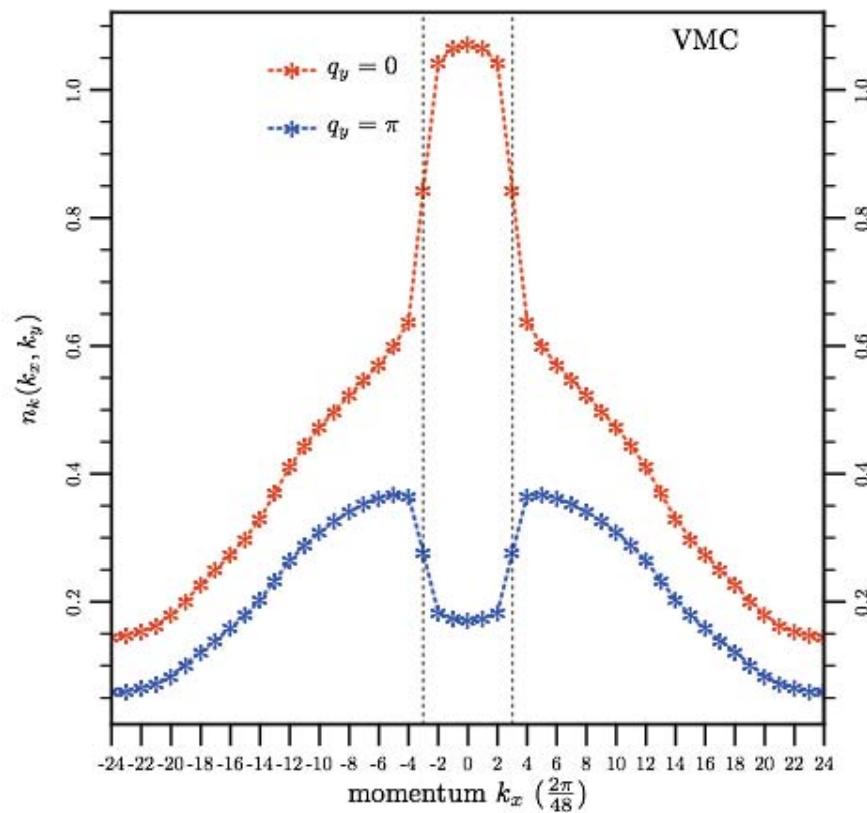
VMC vs. DMRG: Energy,  $L_x = 12$ ,  $N_{\text{elec}} = 8$



# Evolution of VMC States

$d_x : N_0 = 22, N_\pi = 10$

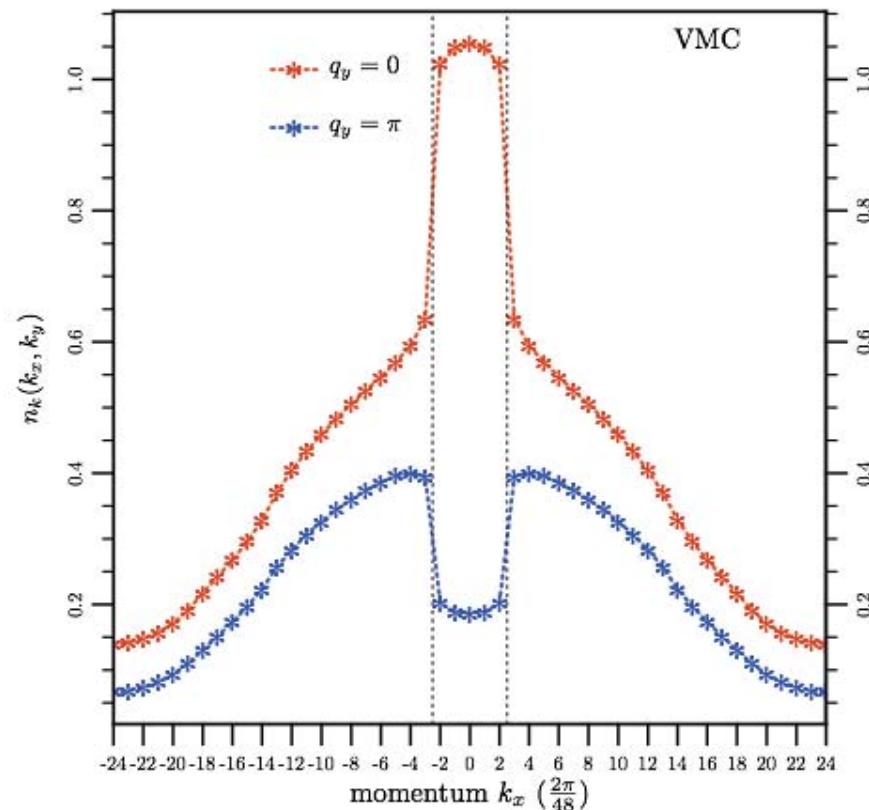
Electron Momentum Distribution Function



# Evolution of VMC States

$$d_x : N_0 = 21, N_\pi = 11$$

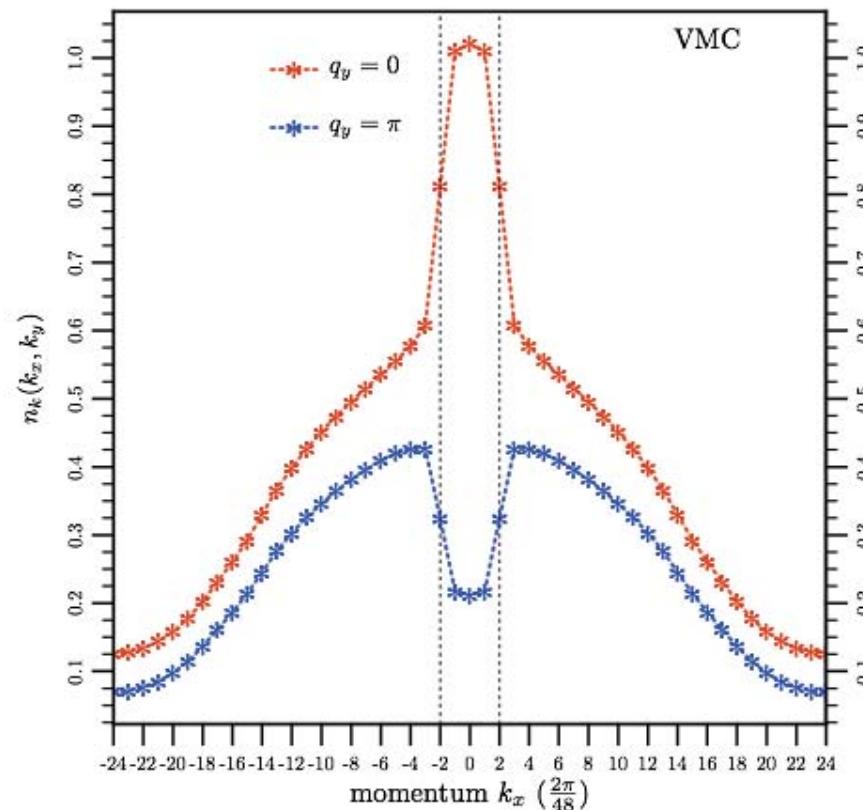
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# Evolution of VMC States

$$d_x : N_0 = 20, N_\pi = 12$$

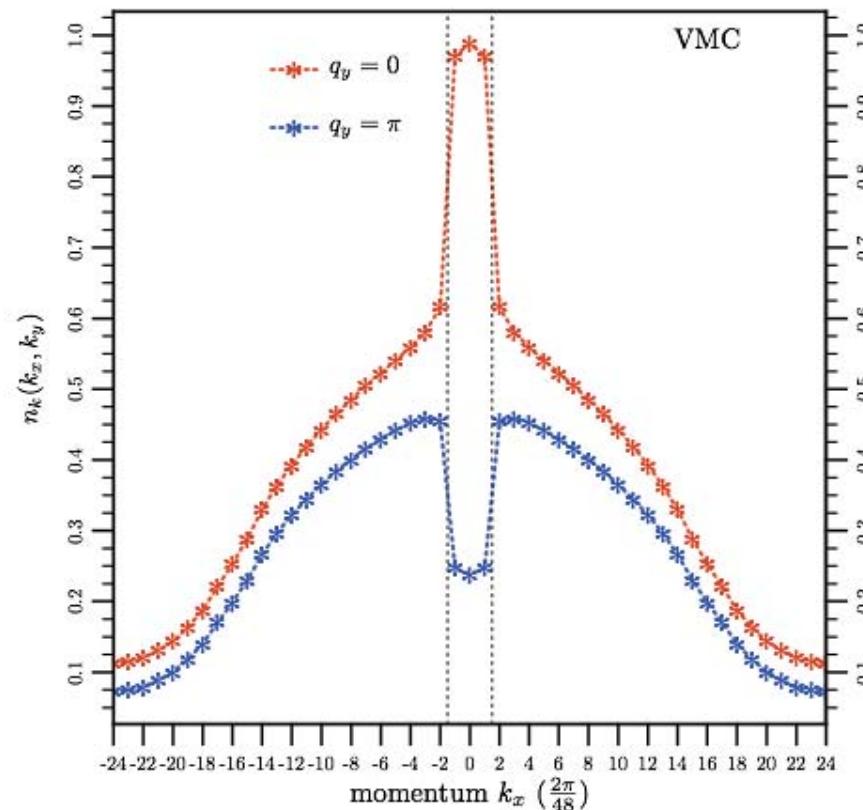
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# Evolution of VMC States

$$d_x : N_0 = 19, N_\pi = 13$$

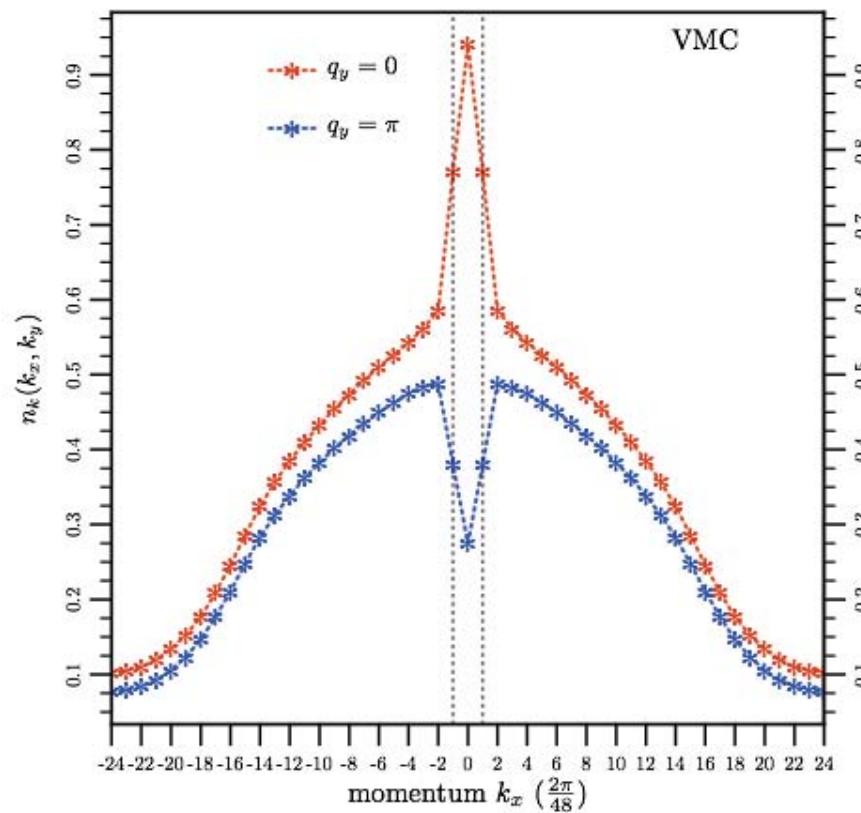
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# Evolution of VMC States

$$d_x : N_0 = 18, N_\pi = 14$$

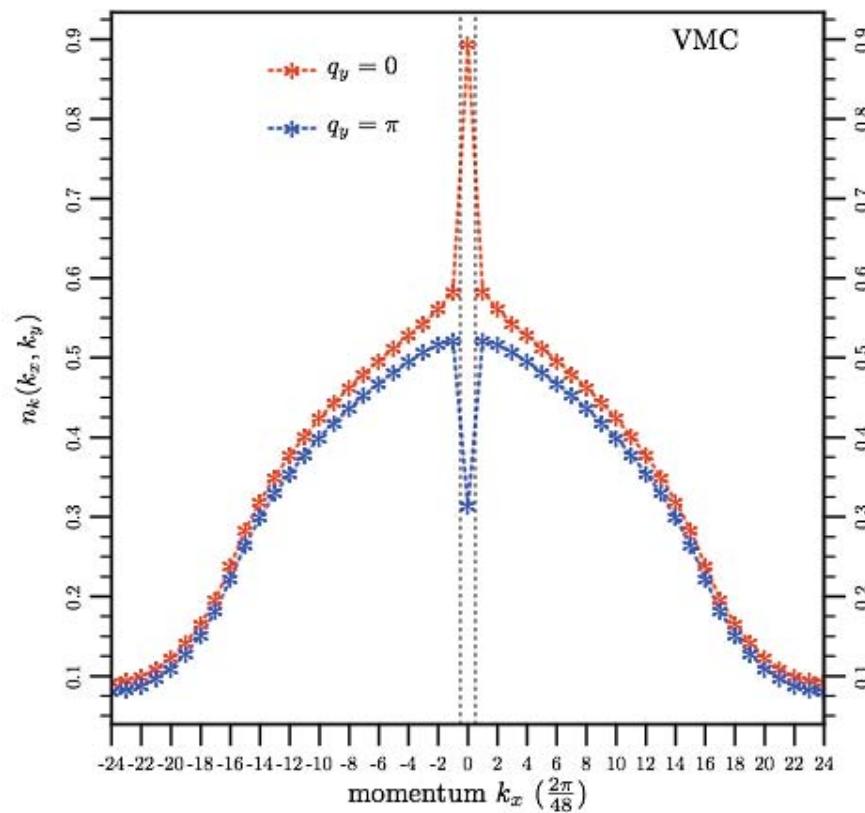
Electron Momentum Distribution Function



# Evolution of VMC States

$$d_x : N_0 = 17, N_\pi = 15$$

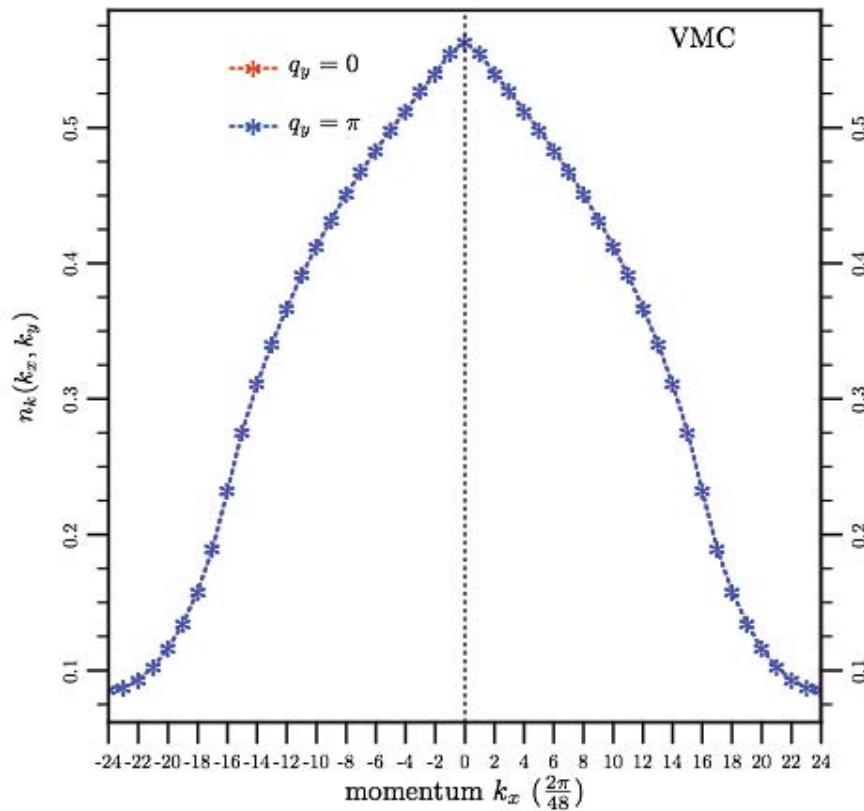
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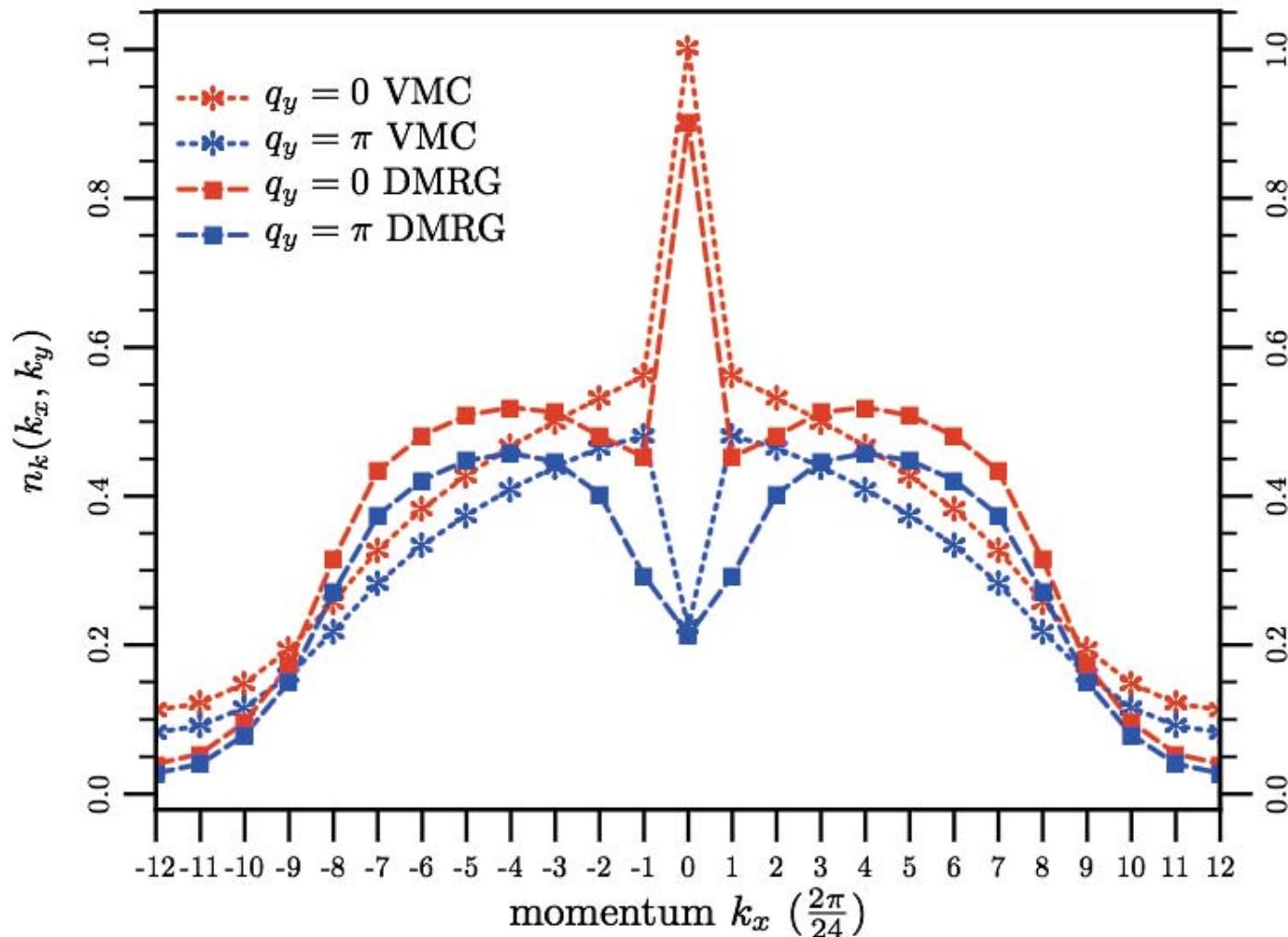
$$d_x : N_0 = 16, N_\pi = 16$$

Electron Momentum Distribution Function



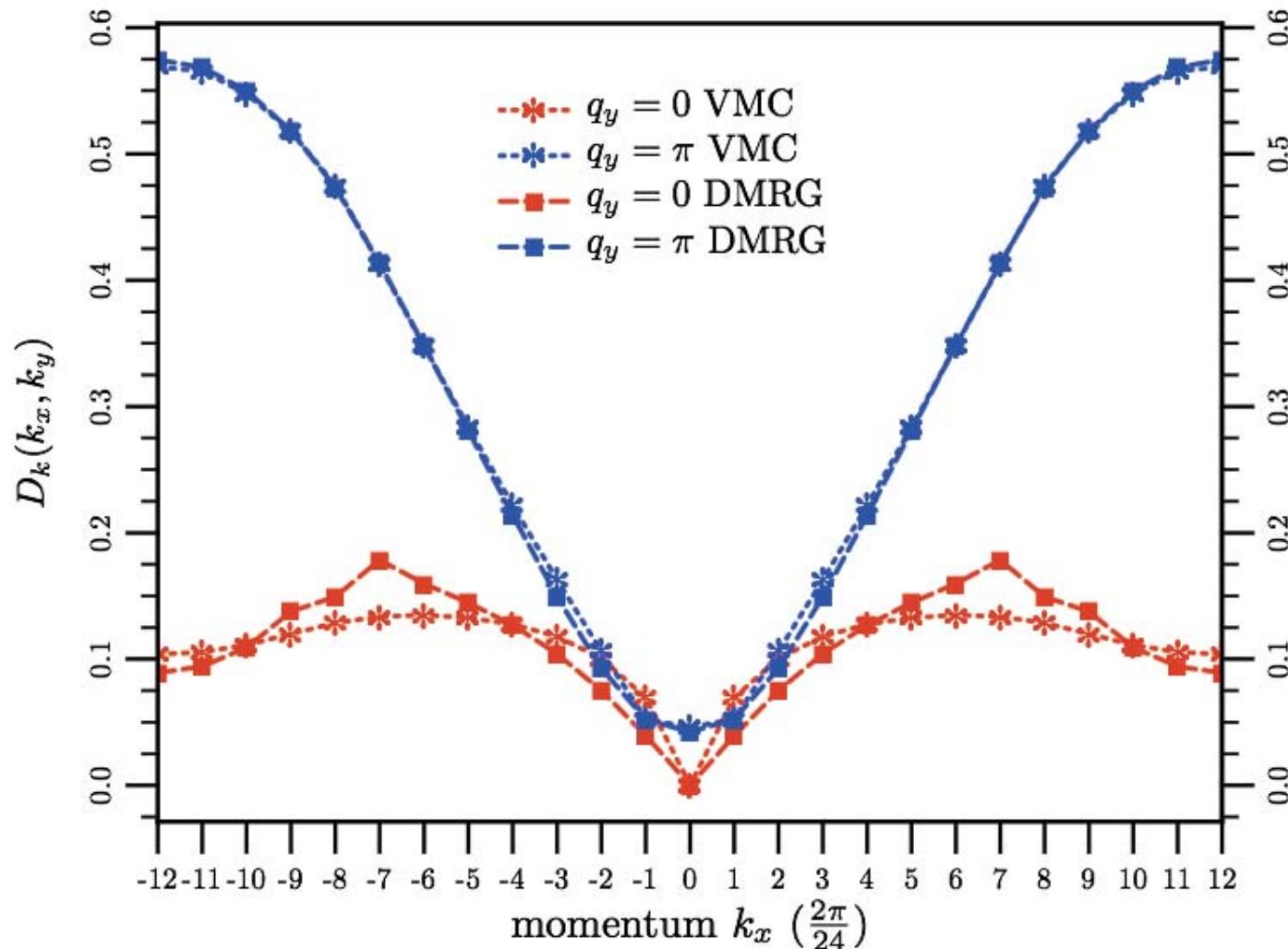
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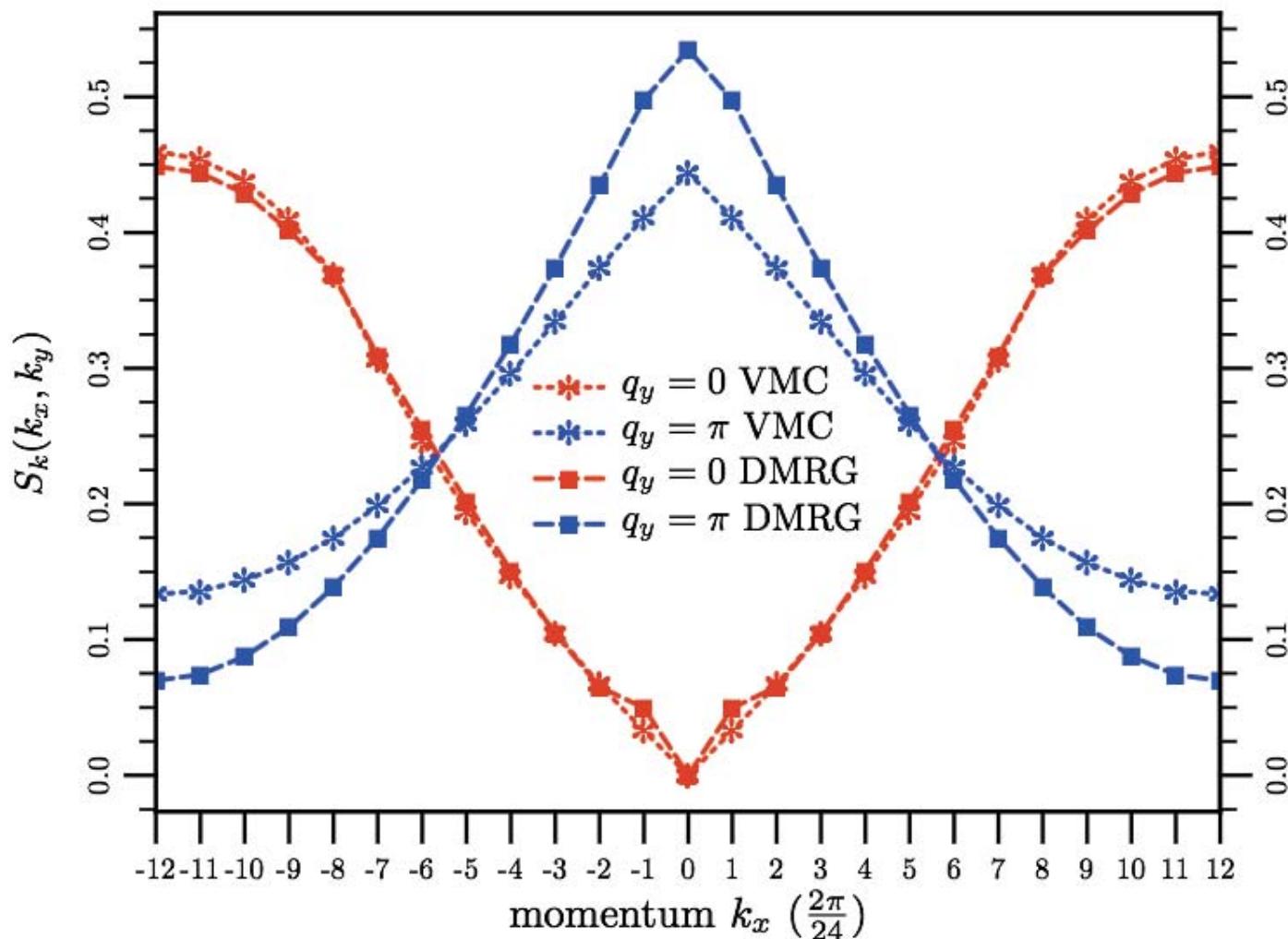
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Density-density Structure Factor:  $K = 2.5$



# VMC vs. DMRG

Spin-spin Structure Factor:  $K = 2.5$



# Conclusions

- NFL phases of 2d itinerant electrons are extremely challenging
- Example NFL: “D-wave Metal”
- Electron Ring model on 2-leg ladder has “non-Luttinger liquid” phase
- DMRG/VMC establish non-LL is a ladder descendant of the 2d D-wave Metal.

# Open Issues

- D-wave Metal on 2-legs; Dynamics, other filling factors
- Multi-leg ladders towards 2d
- t-J-K Hamiltonians with D-wave metal ground states?
- Electron ring-only model (K-model) has ***no sign problem*** – QMC?
- VMC energetics on 2d ring Hamiltonian (FL, D-wave BCS, D-wave Metal,...)
- Other wfs/Hamiltonians for 2d NFL phases??

# Correlators and Structure Factors

Electron Momentum Distribution Function:

$$n_{k\sigma}(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{L_x L_y} \sum_{i,j} \langle c_{i\sigma}^\dagger c_{j\sigma} \rangle e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)} \quad n_k = n_{k\uparrow} + n_{k\downarrow}$$

Density-density Structure Factor:

$$D_k(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{L_x L_y} \sum_{i,j} [\langle \rho(\mathbf{r}_i) \rho(\mathbf{r}_j) \rangle - \langle \rho(\mathbf{r}_i) \rangle \langle \rho(\mathbf{r}_j) \rangle] e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)}$$
$$\rho(\mathbf{r}_i) = c_{i\uparrow}^\dagger c_{i\uparrow} + c_{i\downarrow}^\dagger c_{i\downarrow}$$

Spin-spin Structure Factor:

$$S_k(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{L_x L_y} \sum_{i,j} \langle \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j \rangle e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)}$$

# Bose Surfaces in D-wave Bose-Metal

Mean Field Green's functions factorize:

$$G_b^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau) = G_{d_1}^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau)G_{d_2}^{MF}(\mathbf{r}, \tau)/\bar{\rho}$$

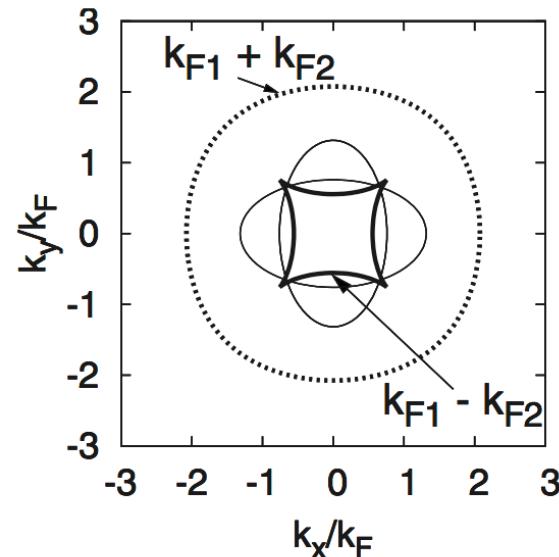
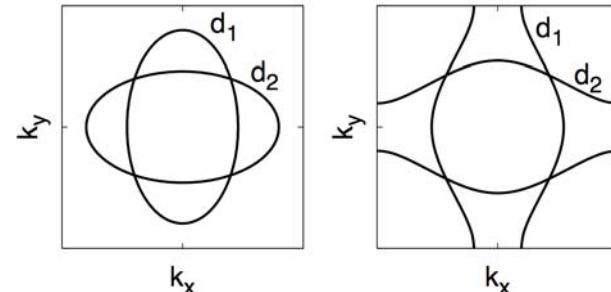
$$G_{d_\alpha}^{MF}(\mathbf{r}) \approx \frac{1}{2^{1/2}\pi^{3/2}} \frac{\cos(\mathbf{k}_{F_\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{r} - 3\pi/4)}{c_\alpha^{1/2} |\mathbf{r}|^{3/2}}. \quad (\partial\epsilon_\alpha/\partial\mathbf{k})_{\mathbf{k}_{F_\alpha}(\hat{\mathbf{r}})} = (const)\hat{\mathbf{r}}$$

Momentum distribution function:

$$n_b(\mathbf{k}) = \int G_b(\mathbf{r}) e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{r}} d\mathbf{r}$$

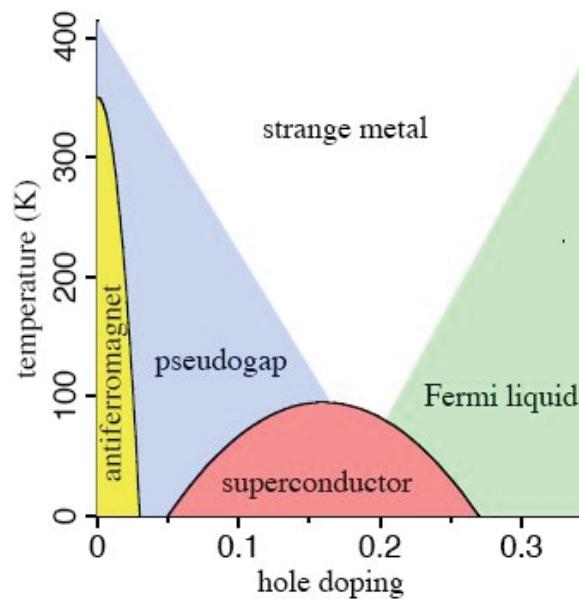
Two singular lines in momentum space, Bose surfaces:

$$\mathbf{k}_{F_1}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}) \pm \mathbf{k}_{F_2}(\hat{\mathbf{r}})$$



# Motivation for Non-Fermi-Liquid Metal: “Abnormal” state of High $T_c$ Superconductors

Phase Diagram



**Strange metal:** “Fermi surface” but quasiparticles are not “sharp”  
Spectral function measured with ARPES suggests  $Z=0$

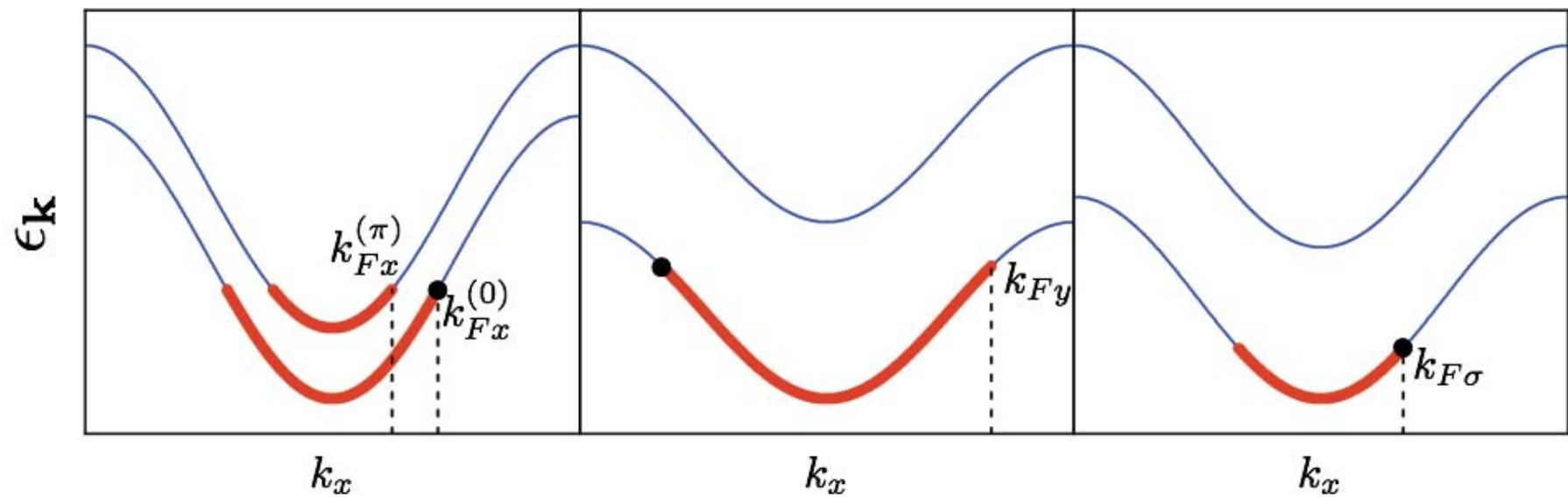
# The $d$ -wave Metal on 2 Legs

$$c_{\sigma}^{\dagger} = d_x^{\dagger} d_y^{\dagger} f_{\sigma}^{\dagger}$$

$d_x$

$d_y$

$f_{\sigma}$



In  $n_k$ , an enhanced singularity is predicted by  
the gauge theory at  $k_{Fx}^{(k_y)} - k_{Fy} + k_{F\sigma}$

# But what is a “Bose-Metal”?

First - A conventional interacting superfluid:

Boson Green's function

$$G_b(\mathbf{r}) = \langle b^\dagger(\mathbf{r})b(\mathbf{0}) \rangle$$

Off-diagonal  
long-ranged order

$$G_b(\mathbf{r} \rightarrow \infty) = \rho_c = Z\rho; \quad Z < 1$$

Momentum distribution  
function

