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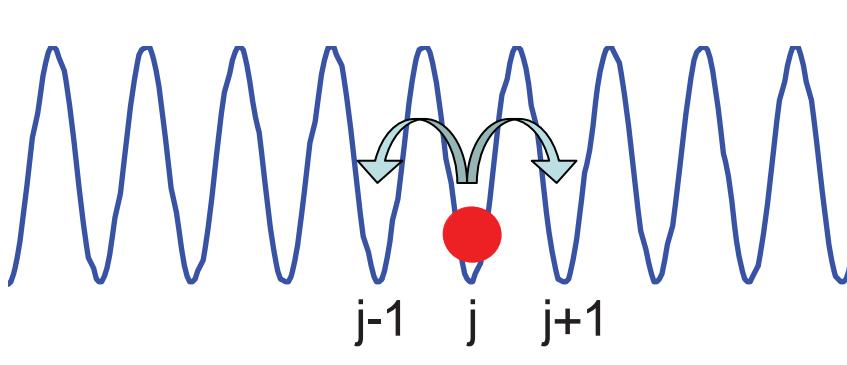
## Plan of the Presentation

1. Bose-Hubbard model for one and two particles
2. Analogy with one and two dimensional waveguide lattices
3. Conventional quantum billiards
4. Discrete quantum billiards with waveguide lattices
5. Assymmetric and disordered billiards
6. Conclusions

## Bose-Hubbard Model – one particle

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} g \left( \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j + \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{a}_{j+1} + \hat{b}_{j+1}^+ \hat{b}_j + \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{b}_{j+1} \right) + U \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j$$

$$[\hat{a}_m, \hat{a}_n^+] = [\hat{b}_m, \hat{b}_n^+] = \delta_{mn} \quad [\hat{a}_m, \hat{a}_n] = [\hat{b}_m, \hat{b}_n] = [\hat{a}_m^\pm, \hat{b}_n^\pm] = 0$$



$|n\rangle = \hat{a}_n^+ |0\rangle \quad |\Psi(t)\rangle = \sum_{n=1}^N c_n(t) |n\rangle$

$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} |\Psi(t)\rangle = \hat{H} |\Psi(t)\rangle$

$$\left( \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j \right) \hat{a}_n^+ |0\rangle = \hat{a}_{n+1}^+ |0\rangle = |n+1\rangle \quad \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j \right) \hat{a}_n^+ |0\rangle = 0$$

$$\hat{H}|n\rangle = g(|n+1\rangle + |n-1\rangle)$$

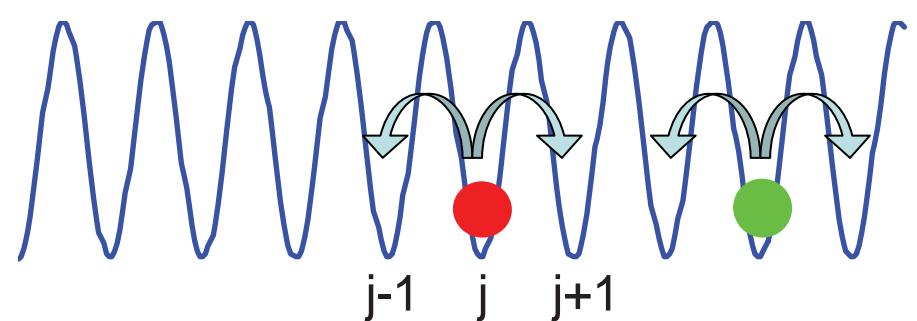
$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} c_n(t) = g [c_{n+1}(t) + c_{n-1}(t)]$$

## Bose-Hubbard Model – two particles

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} g \left( \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j + \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{a}_{j+1} + \hat{b}_{j+1}^+ \hat{b}_j + \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{b}_{j+1} \right) + U \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j$$

$$|m, n\rangle = \hat{a}_m^+ \hat{b}_n^+ |0\rangle$$

$$|\Psi(t)\rangle = \sum_{m,n=1}^N c_{mn}(t) |m, n\rangle$$



$$\left( \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j \right) \hat{a}_m^+ \hat{b}_m^+ |0\rangle = \hat{a}_{m+1}^+ \hat{b}_n^+ |0\rangle = |m+1, n\rangle$$

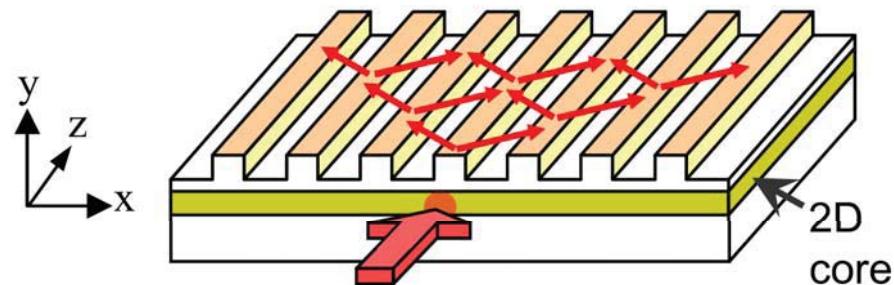
$$\left( \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j \right) \hat{a}_m^+ \hat{b}_n^+ |0\rangle = \delta_{mn} \hat{a}_m^+ \hat{b}_n^+ |0\rangle = \delta_{mn} |m, n\rangle$$

$$\hat{H}|m, n\rangle = g(|m, n+1\rangle + |m, n-1\rangle + |m+1, n\rangle + |m-1, n\rangle) + \delta_{mn} U |m, n\rangle$$

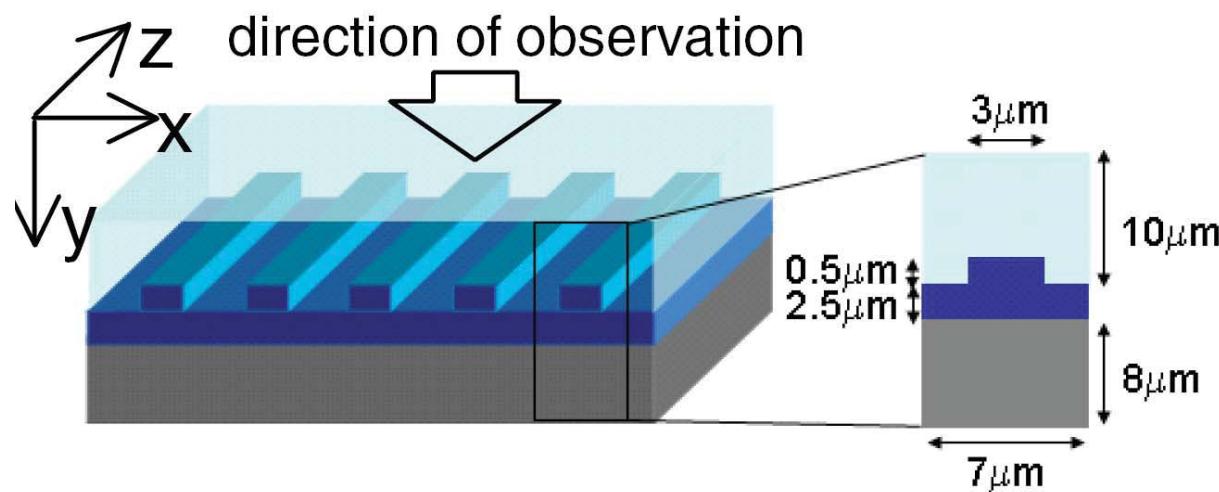
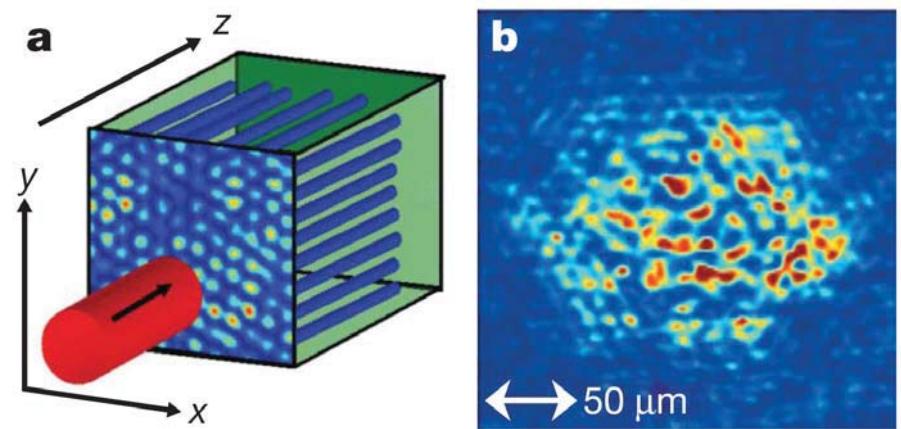
$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} c_{mn} = g [c_{m,n+1} + c_{m,n-1} + c_{m+1,n} + c_{m-1,n}] + \delta_{mn} U c_{mn}$$

# Optical Waveguide Arrays and Lattices

Perets, et.al., PRL **100**, 170506 (2008)



Schwartz, et.al., Nature, **446**, 52 (2007)



Trompeter et.al., PRL **96**, 023901 (2006)

## Maxwell Equations

$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{B}(\vec{r}, t)}{\partial t}; \quad \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{H}(\vec{r}, t) = \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{D}(\vec{r}, t)}{\partial t}; \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{D}(\vec{r}, t) = 0; \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B}(\vec{r}, t) = 0$$

$$\vec{B}(\vec{r}, t) = \vec{H}(\vec{r}, t) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 \vec{D}(\vec{r}, t)}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) \equiv E_y(y, z, t)$$



$$\frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial z^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 D_y(x, z, t)}{\partial t^2} = 0$$

$$n(x) = n_0 + n_0 \delta n(x) \quad D_y = n(x)^2 E_y = [n_0^2 + 2n_0 \delta n(x)] E_y$$

## Paraxial Approximation

$$\frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial z^2} - \frac{n_0^2}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial t^2} - \frac{2n_0 \delta n(x)}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2 E_y(x, z, t)}{\partial t^2} = 0$$

$$E_y = \Psi e^{-i(\omega t - kz)} + \Psi^* e^{i(\omega t - kz)} \quad \omega = kc/n_0$$

$$E_y = \Psi [\varepsilon x, \varepsilon^2 z] e^{i(\omega t - kz)} + (\Psi [\varepsilon x, \varepsilon^2 z])^* e^{-i(\omega t - kz)};$$

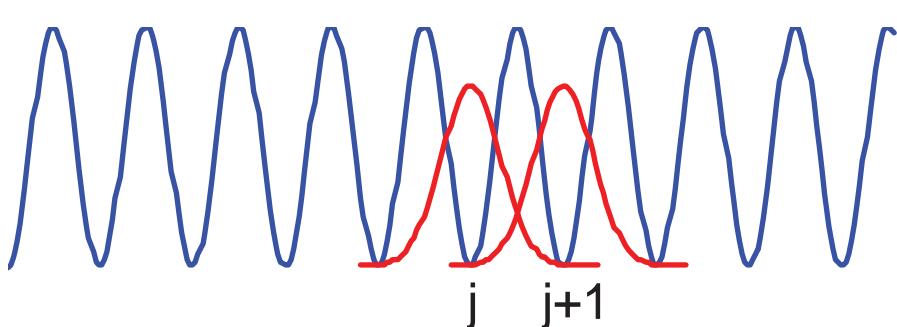
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Psi \sim \varepsilon; \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \Psi \sim \varepsilon^2$$

$$2ik \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + \omega^2 \frac{2n_0 \delta n(x)}{c^2} \Psi = 0$$

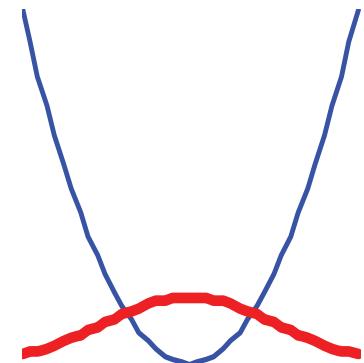
## Tight-Binding Approximation

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} - V(x) \Psi = 0$$

$$V(x) = -\frac{\omega}{c} \delta n(x)$$



$$a \sin^2 x \approx ax^2$$



$$V(x) = ax^2$$

$$\Psi(t, x) = \frac{a^{1/8}}{\pi^{1/4}} e^{-it\sqrt{a}} e^{-x^2 \sqrt{a}/2}$$

$$\Phi_n(x) = \frac{a^{1/8}}{\pi^{1/4}} e^{-(x-n\pi)^2 \sqrt{a}/2}$$

$$\Psi(t, x) = e^{-it\sqrt{a}} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_n(t) \Phi_n(x)$$

$$i\frac{\partial \psi_j}{\partial t}+g\Big(\psi_{j+1}+\psi_{j-1}\Big)+\varepsilon\psi_j=0$$

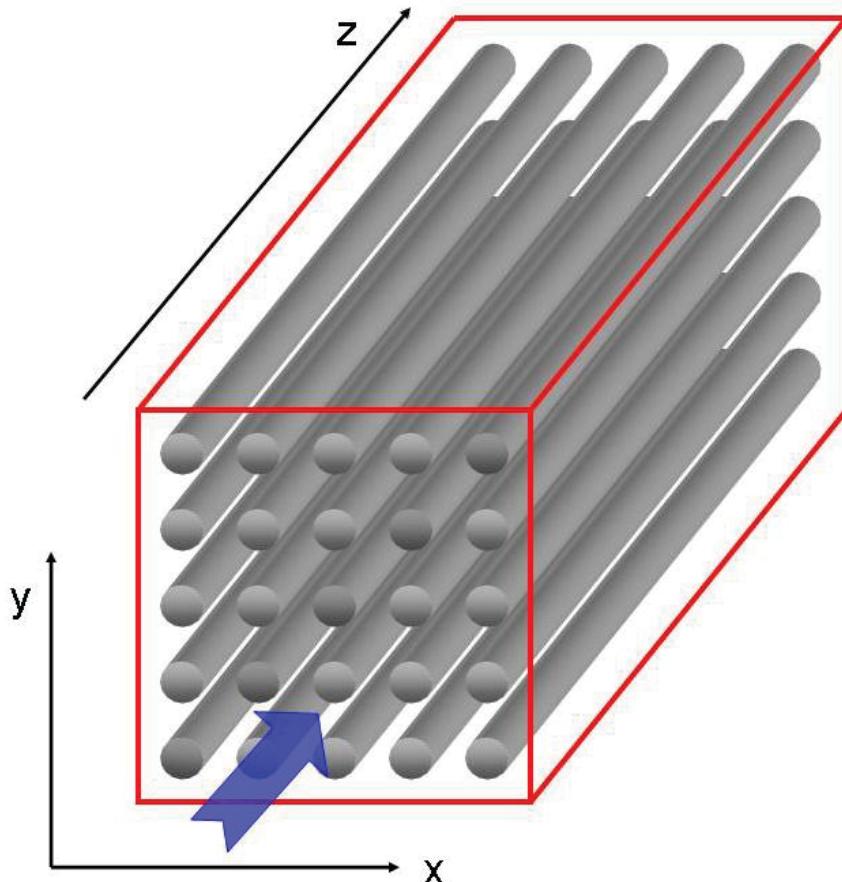
$$\int\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty}\Phi_j\Phi_{j+1}dx\approx 0\qquad\qquad\varepsilon=\int\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty}\left[-a\Phi_j\sin^2x\Phi_j+\Phi_j\frac{\partial^2\Phi_j}{\partial x^2}\right]dx$$

$$g=\int\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty}\!\!\left[-a\Phi_j\sin^2x\Phi_{j+1}+\Phi_j\frac{\partial^2\Phi_{j+1}}{\partial x^2}\right]\!dx=\int\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty}\!\!\left[-a\Phi_j\sin^2x\Phi_{j-1}+\Phi_j\frac{\partial^2\Phi_{j-1}}{\partial x^2}\right]\!dx$$

$$\psi_j \rightarrow \psi_j \exp(i\varepsilon z)$$

$$i\frac{\partial \psi_j}{\partial t}+g\Big(\psi_{j+1}+\psi_{j-1}\Big)=0$$

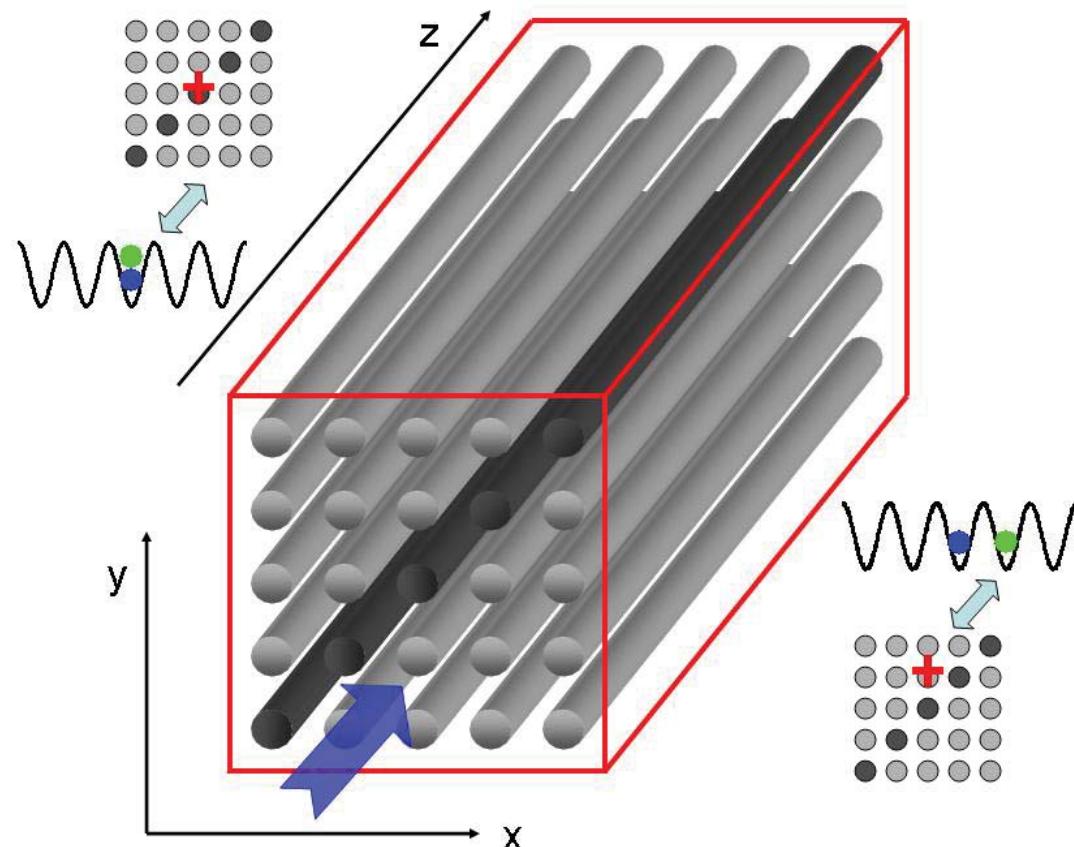
## Square Lattice of Optical Waveguides



$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_{mn} = g [\psi_{m,n+1} + \psi_{m,n-1} + \psi_{m+1,n} + \psi_{m-1,n}]$$

## Analogy between Bose Hubbard and Waveguide Lattices

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \left( \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j + \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{a}_{j+1} + \hat{b}_{j+1}^+ \hat{b}_j + \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{b}_{j+1} \right) + U \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j$$



$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi_{mn} = Q [\psi_{m,n+1} + \psi_{m,n-1} + \psi_{m+1,n} + \psi_{m-1,n}] + \delta_{mn} U \psi_{mn} + \varepsilon_{mn} \psi_{mn}$$

# Discrete Quantum Billiard with Optical Waveguides

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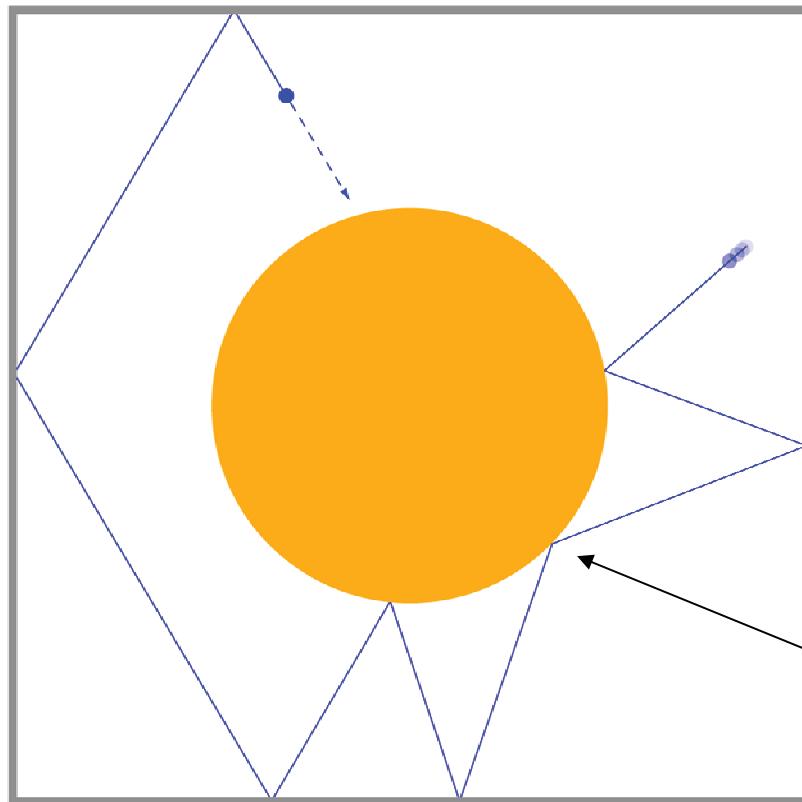
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# Chaotic Classical Billiards

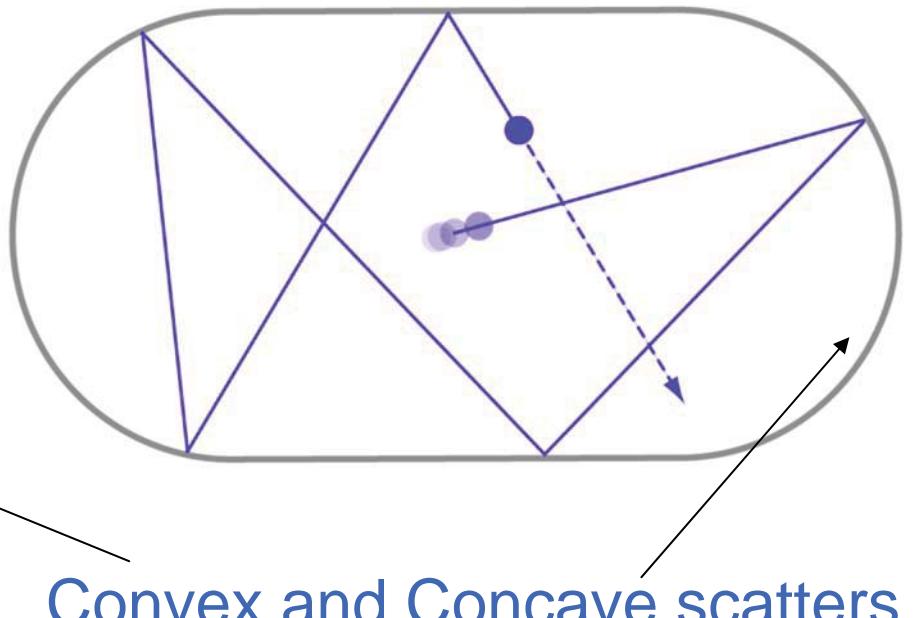
$$H(\vec{p}, \vec{r}) = \frac{\vec{p}^2}{2m} + V(\vec{r})$$

Sinai Billiard



$$V(\vec{r}) = \begin{cases} 0, & \vec{r} \in S \\ \infty, & \vec{r} \notin S \end{cases}$$

Bunimovich Stadium



Convex and Concave scatters

# Quantum Billiards

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial y^2}, \quad \Psi(\vec{r}, t)|_{\text{S}} = 0$$

$$\Psi(\vec{r}, t) = \sum_n e^{i\lambda_n t} A_n(\vec{r}); \quad -\lambda_n A_n(x, y) = \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right) A_n(x, y)$$

sorting  $\lambda_n$  we define  $s_n = |\lambda_{n+1} - \lambda_n|$

Regular Billiards –  
Poisson Distribution

$$R(s) = \exp[-s]$$

Chaotic Billiards –  
Wigner Distribution

$$R(s) = \frac{\pi}{2} s \cdot \exp[-\pi s^2/4]$$

# Discrete Quantum Billiards

$$\frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial y^2} \rightarrow \Psi_{m,n+1} + \Psi_{m,n-1} + \Psi_{m+1,n} + \Psi_{m-1,n} - 4\Psi_{m,n}$$

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi_{m,n}}{\partial t} = \Psi_{m,n+1} + \Psi_{m,n-1} + \Psi_{m+1,n} + \Psi_{m-1,n} - 4\Psi_{m,n}$$

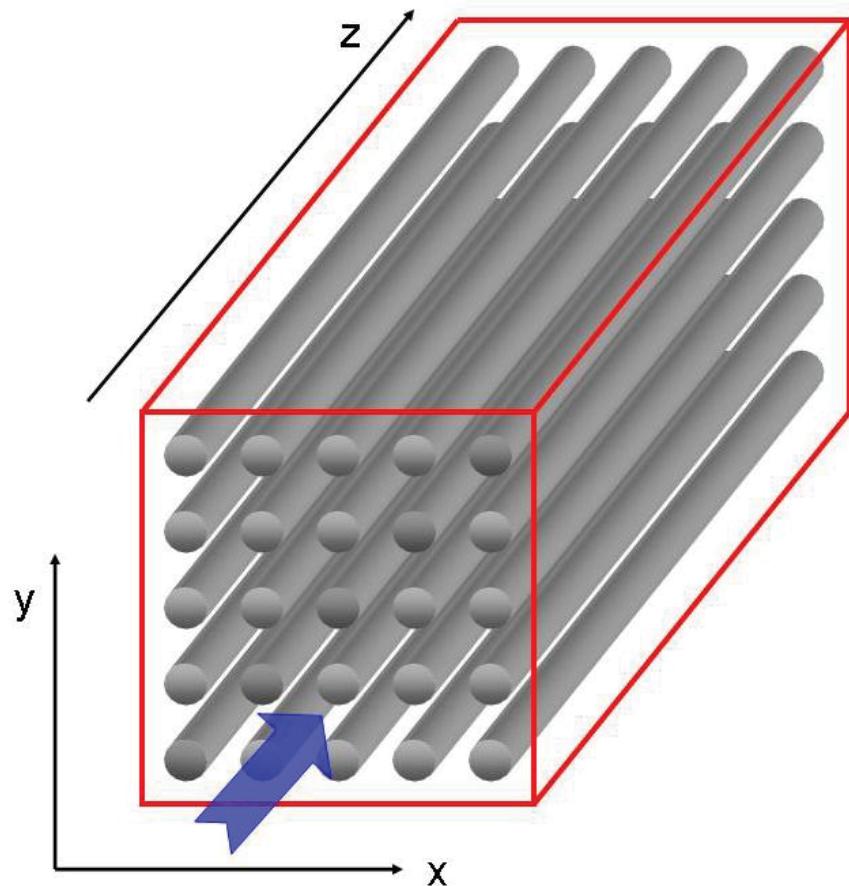
$$\Psi_{m,n} = \Phi_{mn}^{(f)} \exp[-i(\lambda_f - 4)t]$$

$$\lambda_f \Phi_{m,n}^{(f)} = \Phi_{m,n+1}^{(f)} + \Phi_{m,n-1}^{(f)} + \Phi_{m+1,n}^{(f)} + \Phi_{m-1,n}^{(f)}$$

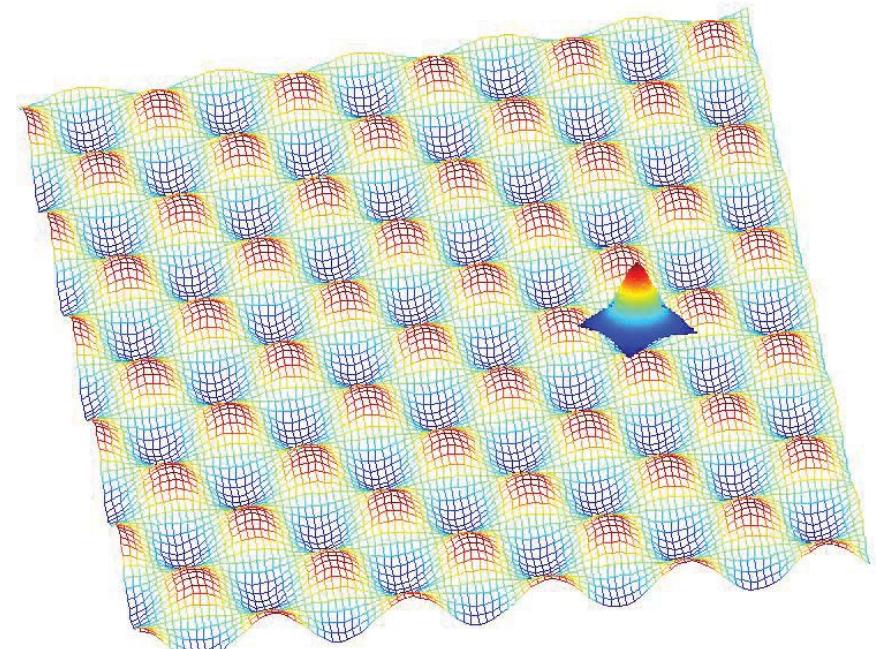
Square Boundaries:  $\Psi_{m,n} = 0$  if  $m > N$  or  $n > N$

# Realizations for Discrete Quantum Billiards

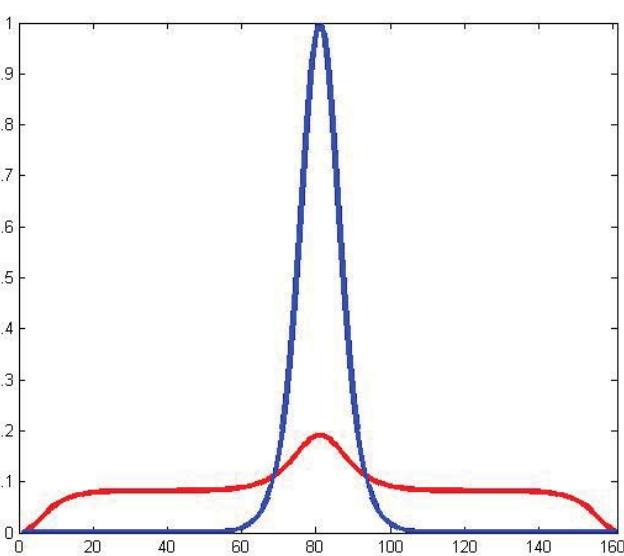
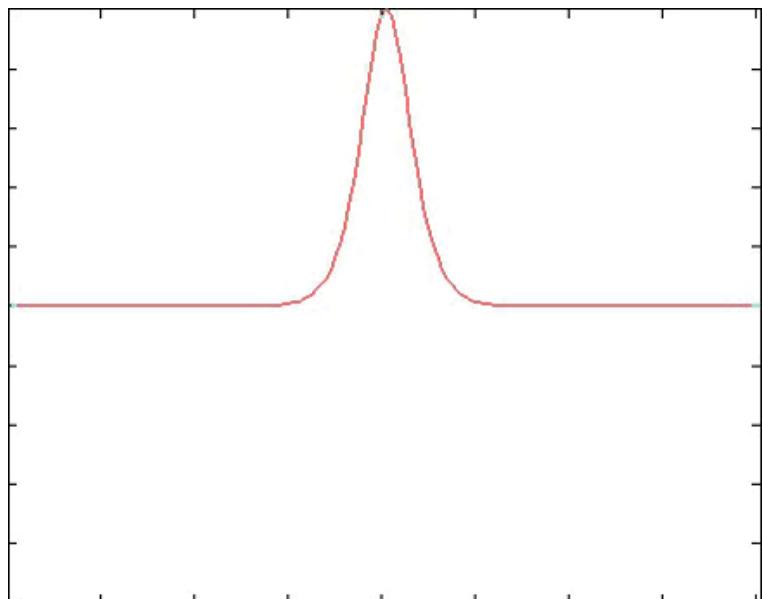
2D waveguide arrays



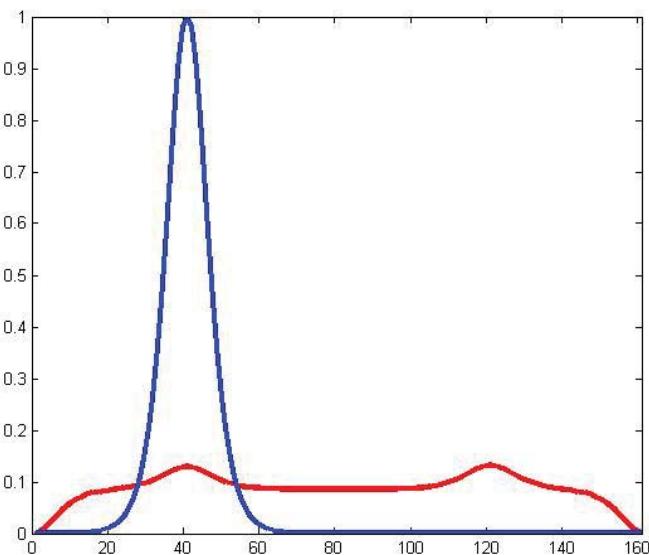
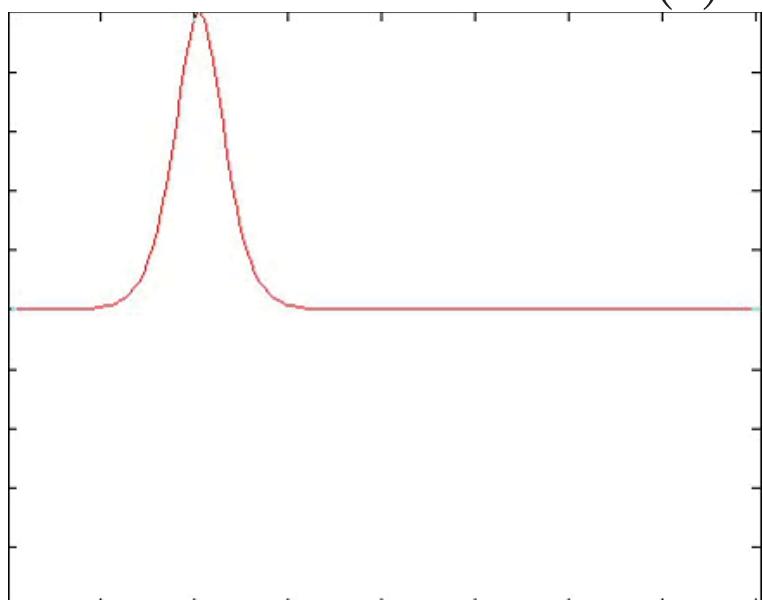
BEC in 2D optical lattices



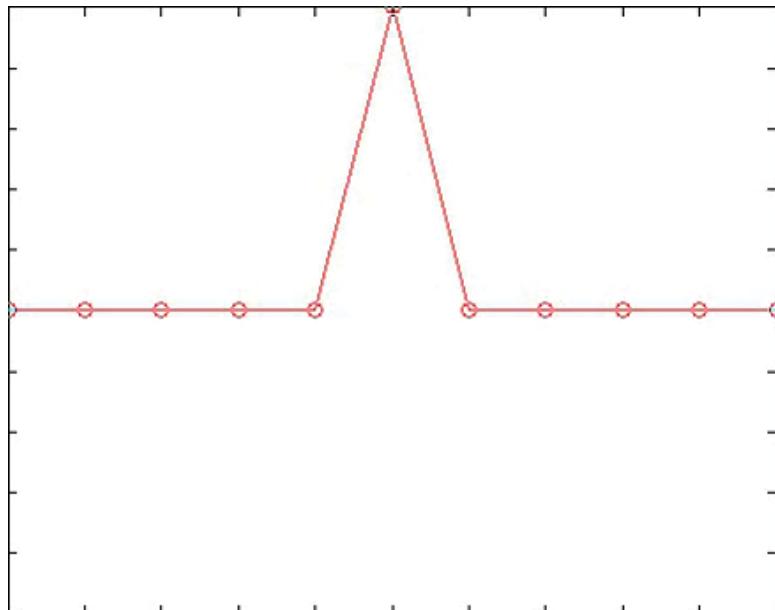
# Continuous 1D Quantum Billiard



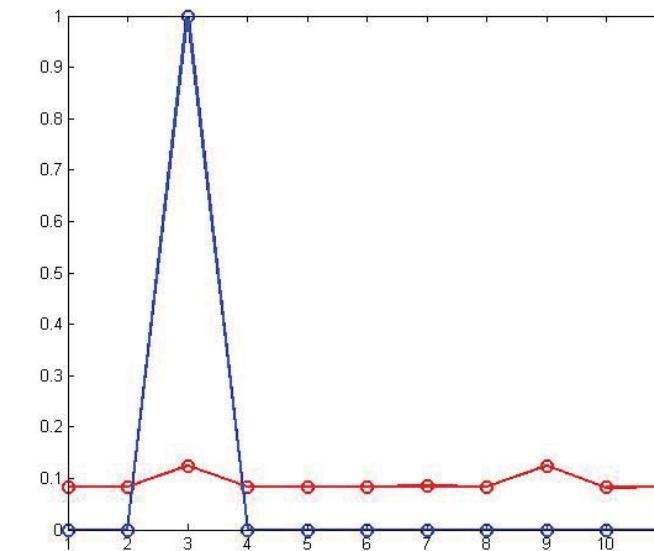
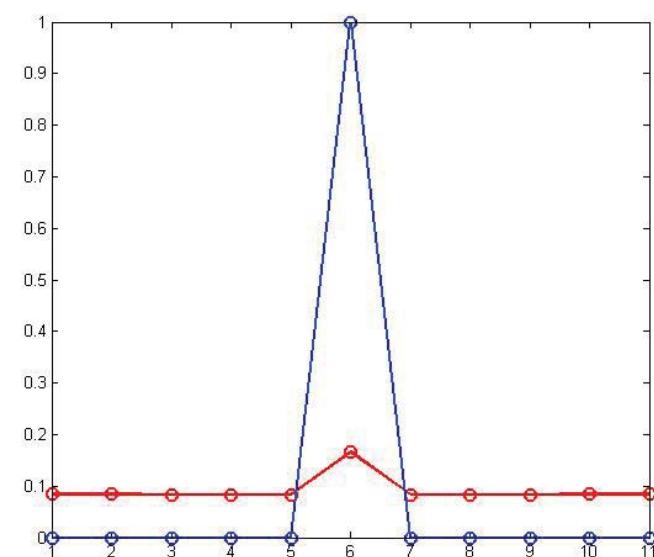
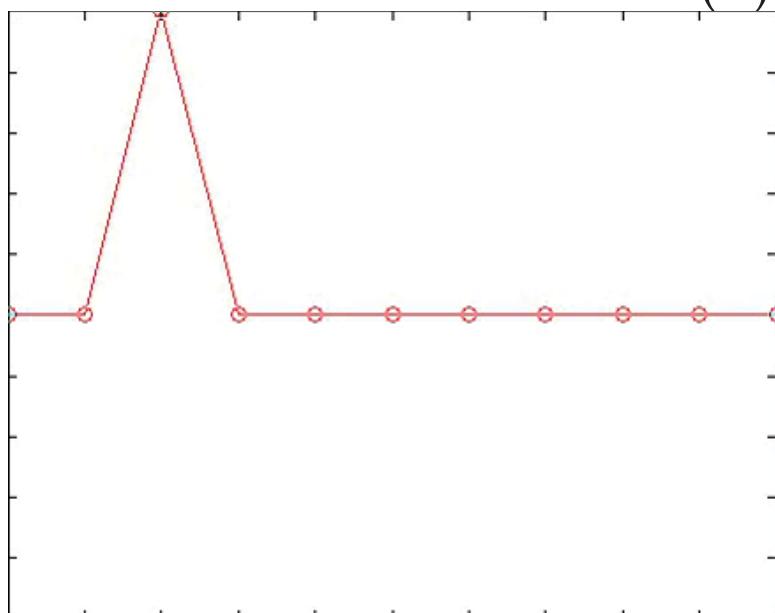
$$P(r) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T |\Psi(r, t)|^2 dt$$



# Discrete 1D Quantum Billiard



$$P(n) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T |\Psi(n, t)|^2 dt$$



# Calculation of Probability Distribution Function (PDF)

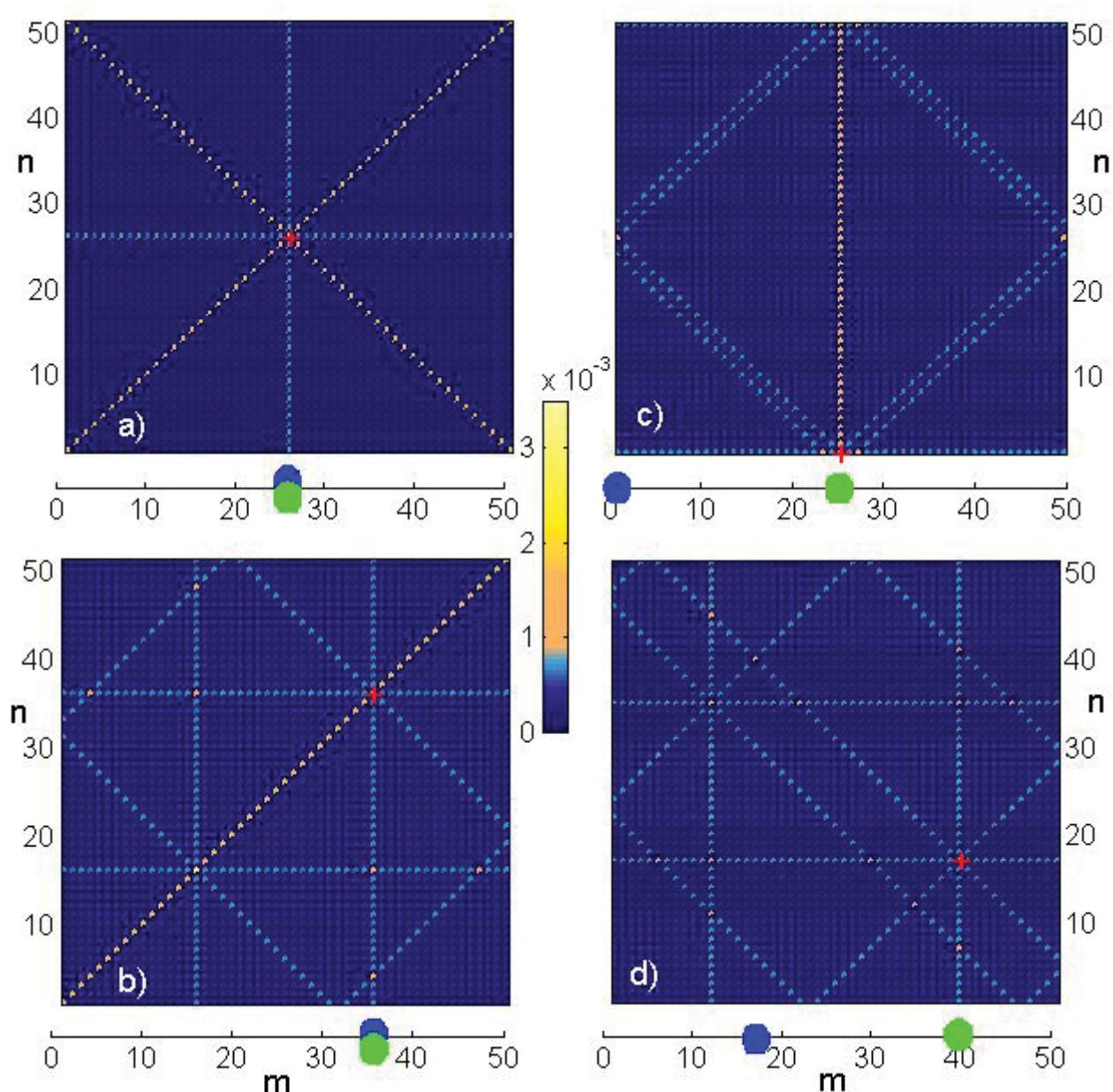
$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{m,n} &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T |\Psi_{m,n}|^2 dt \\
 \hat{H} |q\rangle = \lambda_q |q\rangle \quad \Rightarrow \quad |\Psi(t)\rangle &= \sum_q \varphi_q e^{i\lambda_q t} |q\rangle \\
 |\Psi(t)\rangle &= \sum_{m,n=1}^N \Psi_{mn}(t) |m,n\rangle
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \left. \right\}$$

$$\Psi_{mn}(t) = \sum_q \varphi_q L_{mn}^q e^{-i\lambda_q t} |m,n\rangle \quad \text{where} \quad L_{mn}^q = \langle m,n | q \rangle$$

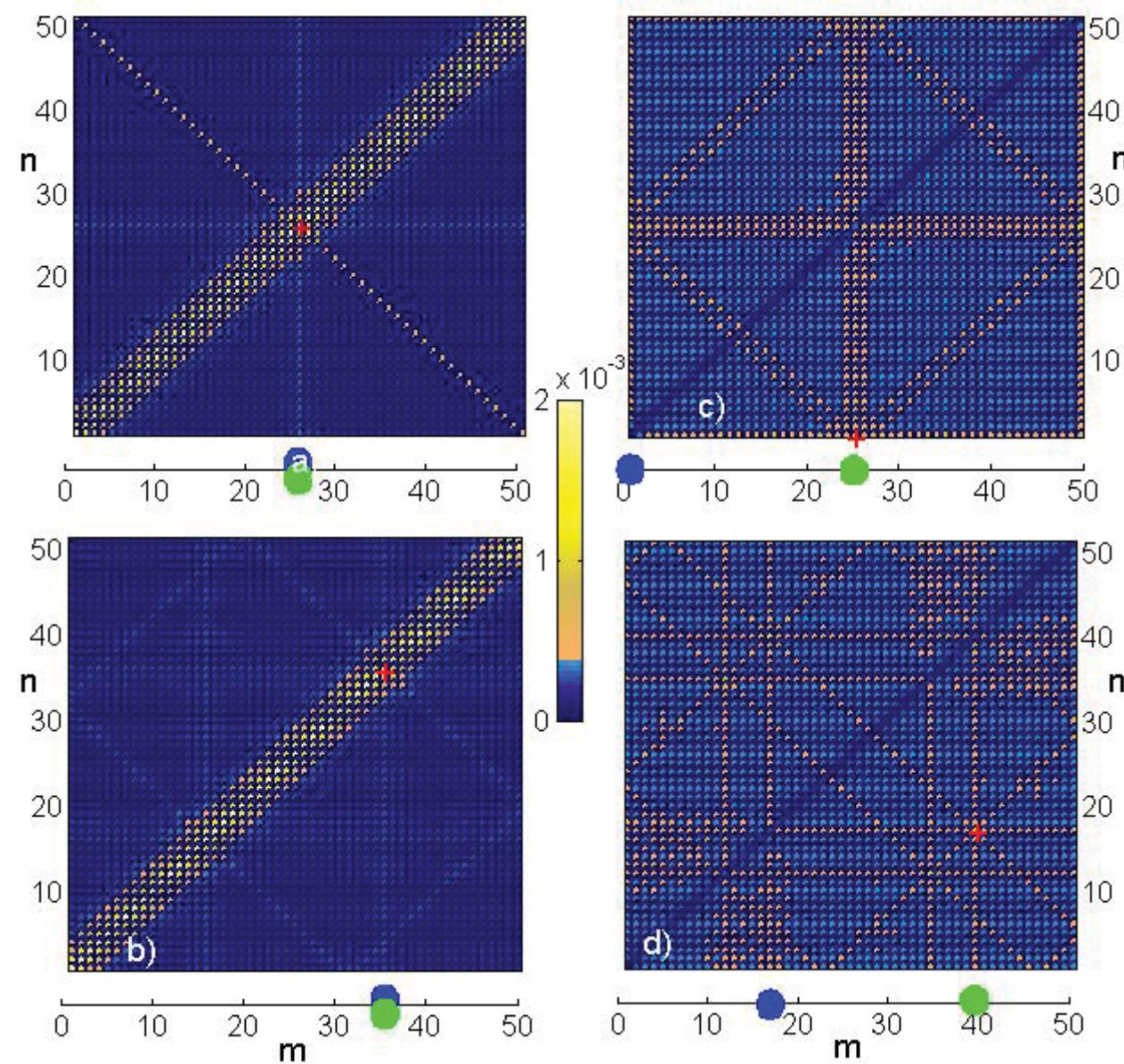
$$\varphi_q = \sum_{m,n=1}^N L_{mn}^q \Psi_{mn}(0)$$

$$P_{mn} = \sum_{q'} |\varphi_{q'}|^2 (L_{mn}^{q'})^2 + \sum_i \left| \sum_{q_i=1}^{r_i} \varphi_{q_i} L_{mn}^{q_i} \right|^2$$

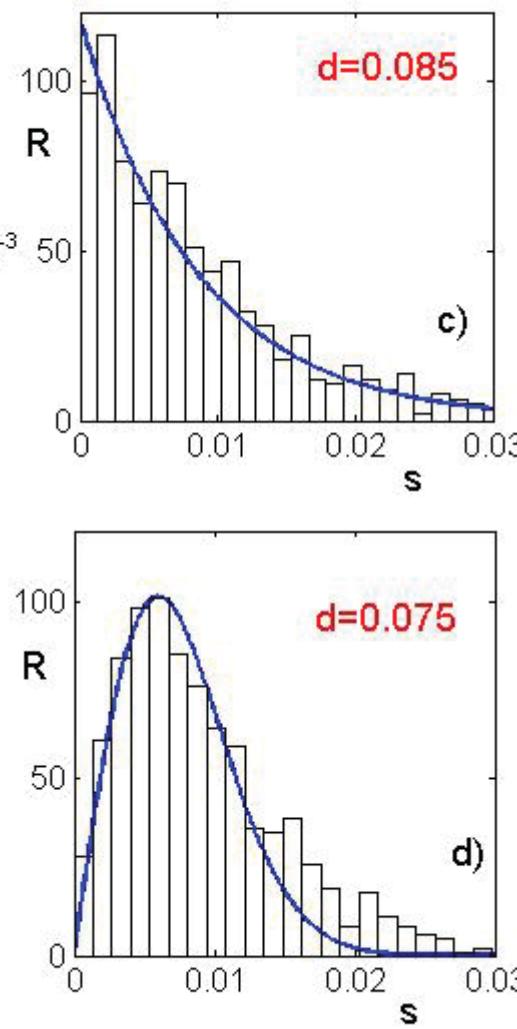
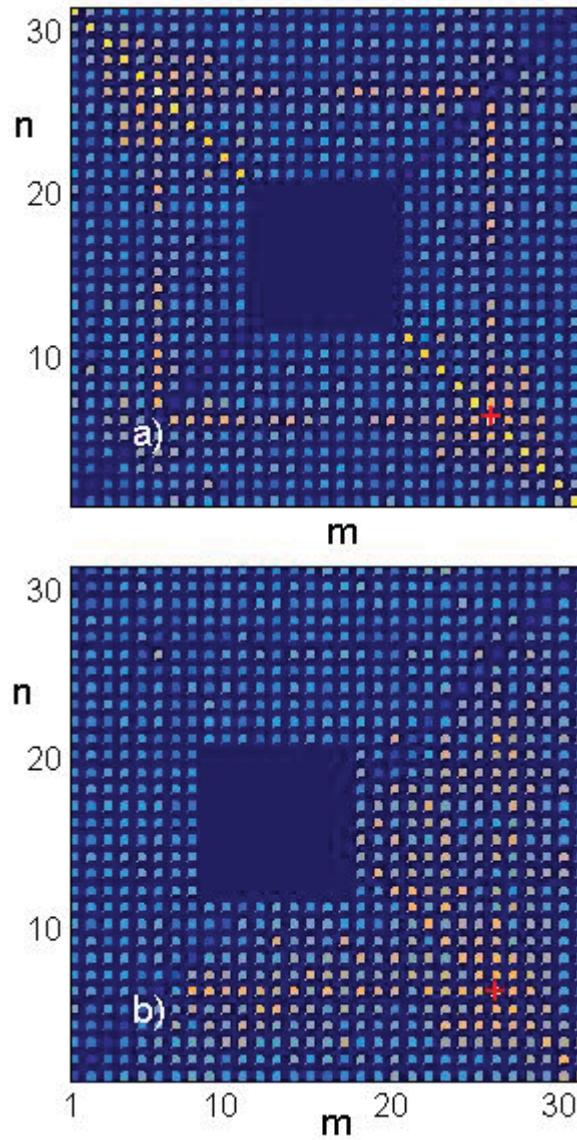
# PDF for the case $U=0$



## PDF for the case U=1



## PDF for the case U=2

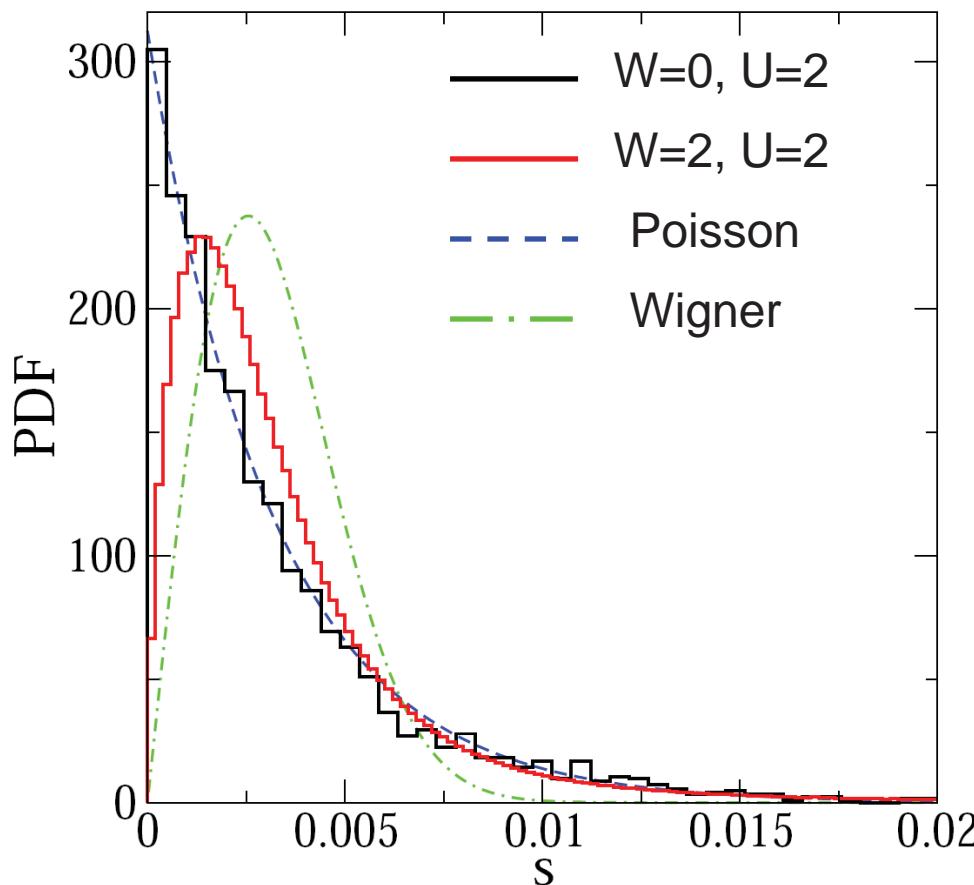


$$R(s) = \frac{1}{d} \exp\left[-\frac{s}{d}\right]$$

$$R(s) = \frac{\pi s}{2d^2} \exp\left[-\frac{\pi s^2}{4d^2}\right]$$

# Disordered 2D Billiard

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \left( \hat{a}_{j+1}^+ \hat{a}_j + \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{a}_{j+1} + \hat{b}_{j+1}^+ \hat{b}_j + \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{b}_{j+1} \right) + U \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{a}_j^+ \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{a}_j \hat{b}_j + \sum_{j=1}^N \varepsilon_j (\hat{a}_j^+ \hat{a}_j + \hat{b}_j^+ \hat{b}_j)$$



$$i\partial_t \Psi_{mn} = (W_{mn} + U\delta_{mn}) + \sum_{m',n'=1}^N R_{mn}^{m'n'} \Psi_{m'n'}$$

Correlated Disorder

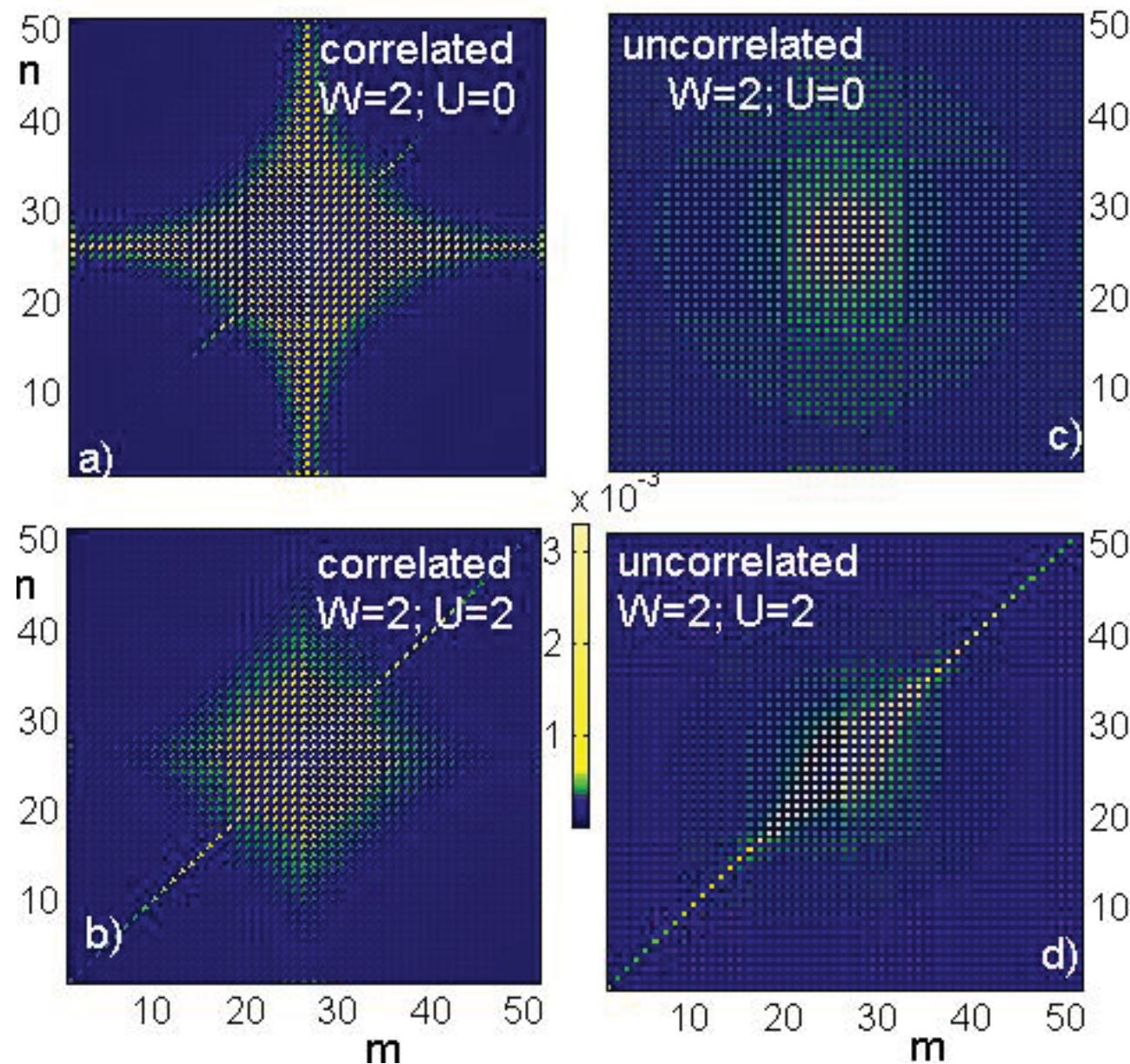
$$W_{mn} = \varepsilon_m + \varepsilon_n$$

$$\varepsilon_j \in [-W/2, W/2]$$

Uncorrelated Disorder

Each  $W_{mn}$  is a sum of two random numbers

## PDF for the case $W=2$ , $U=2$



## Conclusions

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