

Conformal dimensions in large charge sectors using “qubit” formulations

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Use a large conserved charge “Q” sectors to identify a small parameter.

Then, use Effective Field Theory ideas and “radial” quantization to solve for the conformal dimensions as a perturbative expansion.

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Challenge: Computing D_Q using Monte Carlo methods suffers from severe signal to noise ratio problems with conventional methods for large Q .

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$$SO(4) \sim SU(2) \times SU(2) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Representations: } (q_L, q_R)$$

Hence we now need to compute

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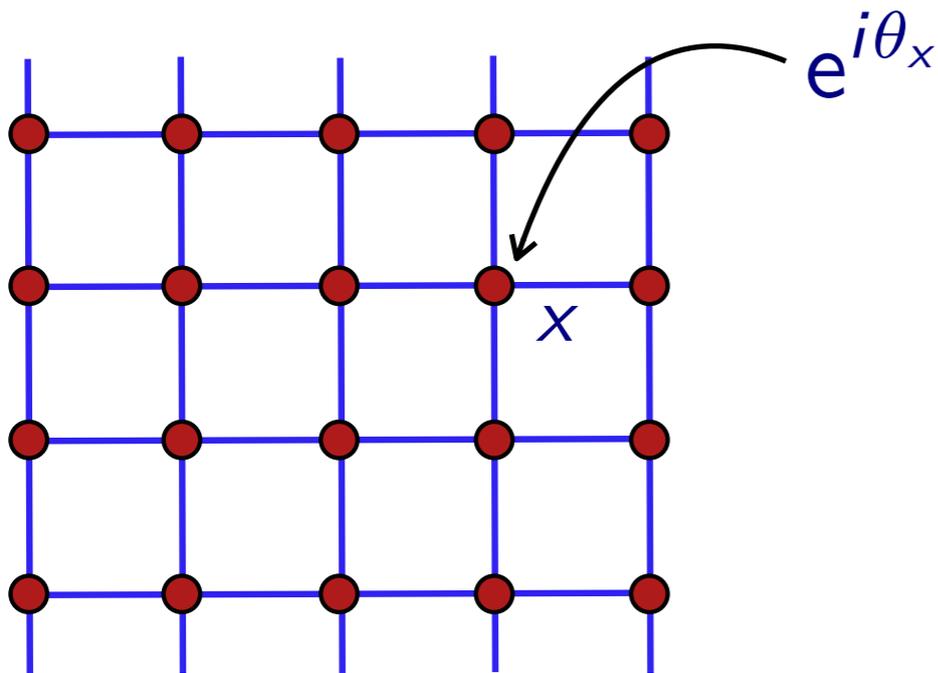
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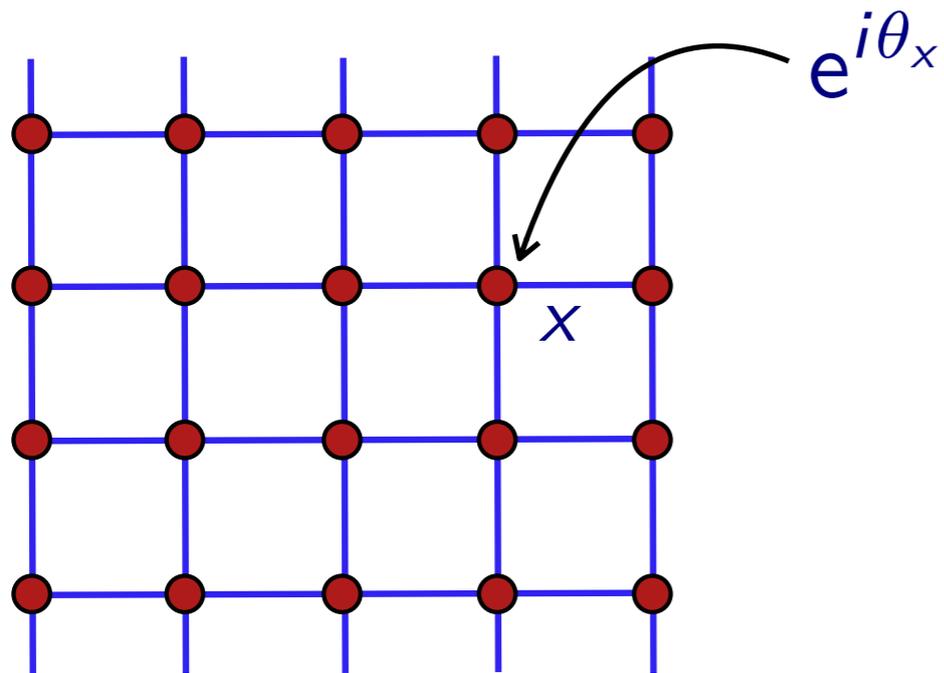


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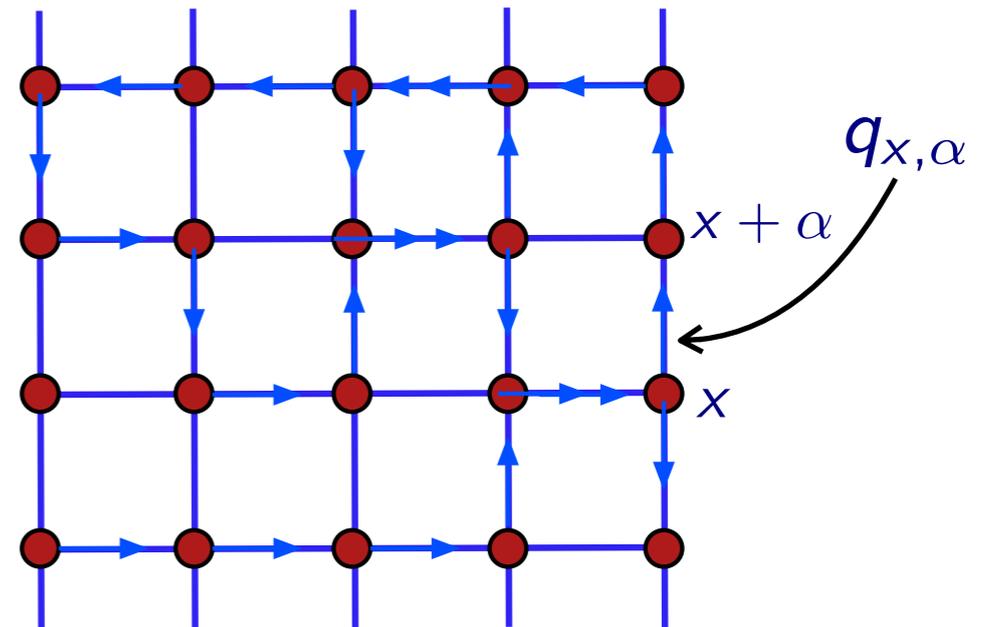
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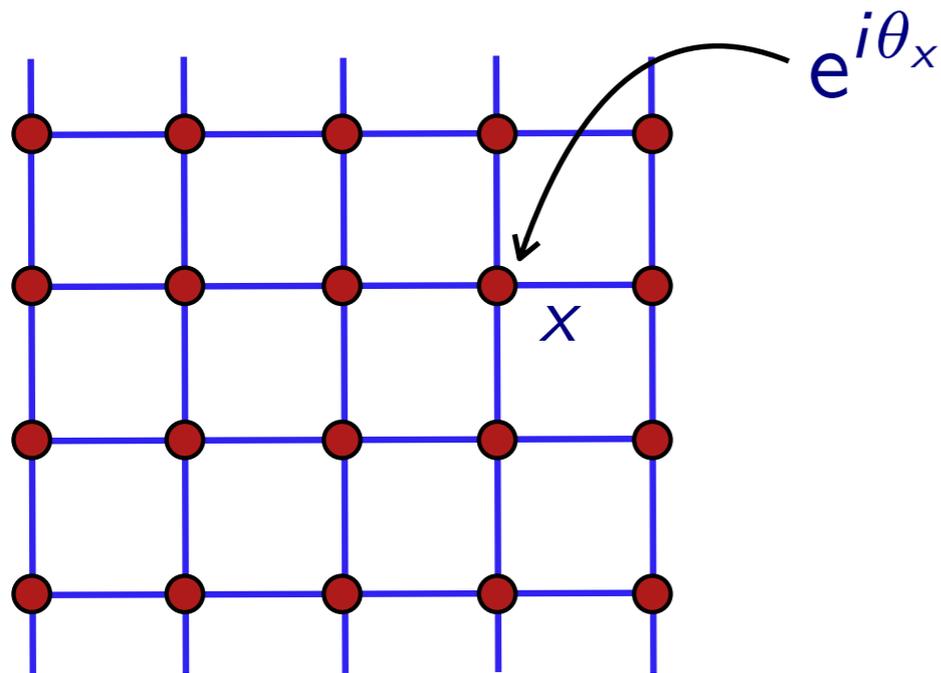


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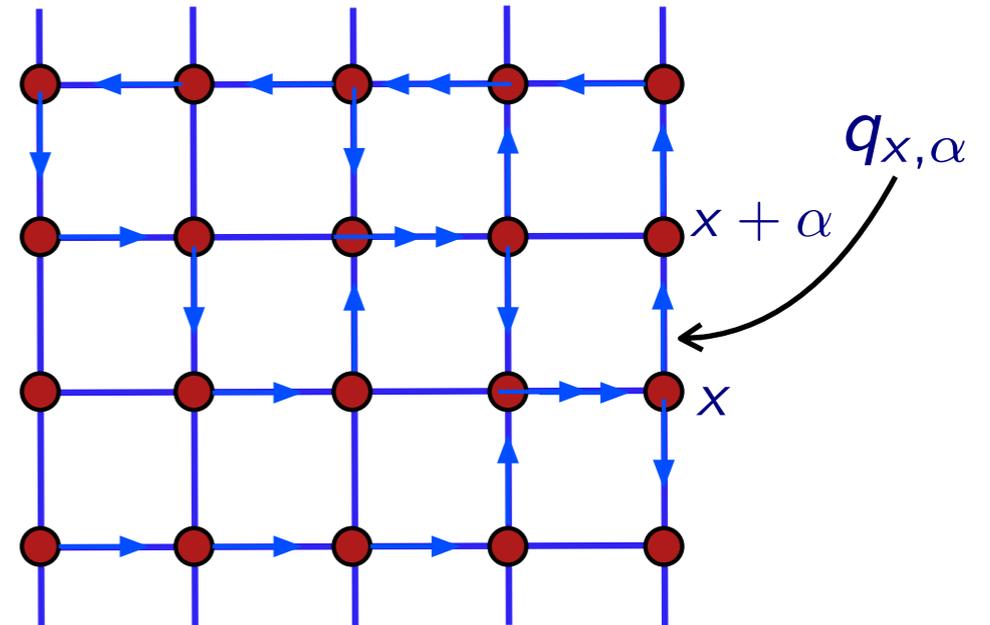
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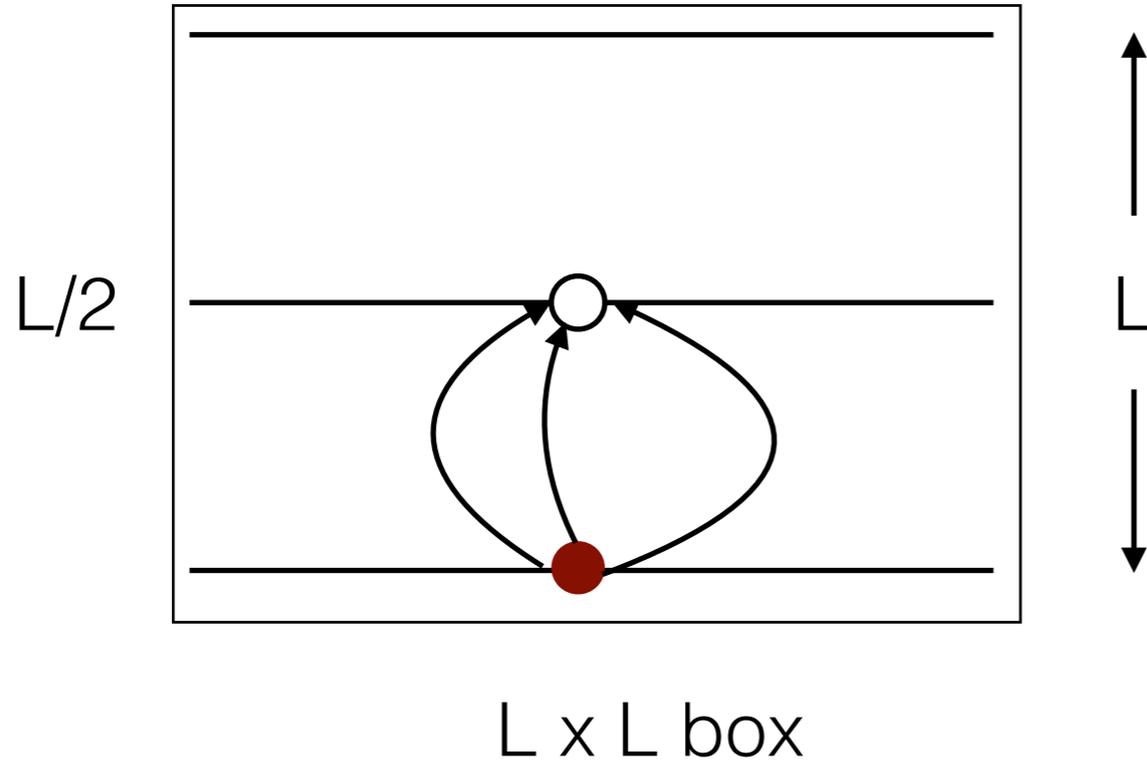
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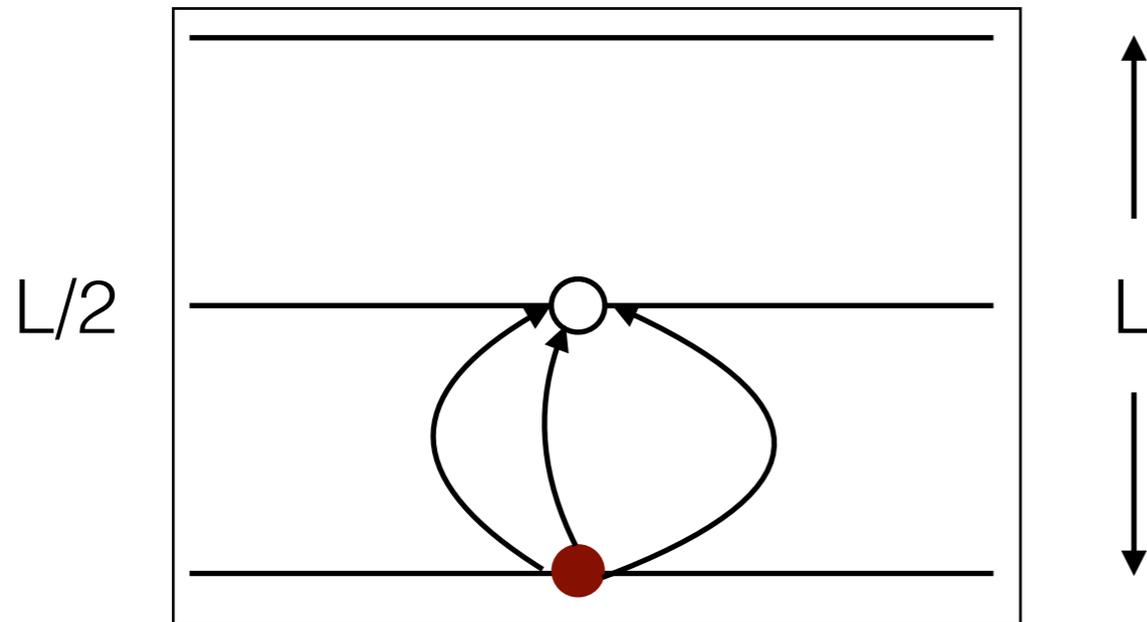
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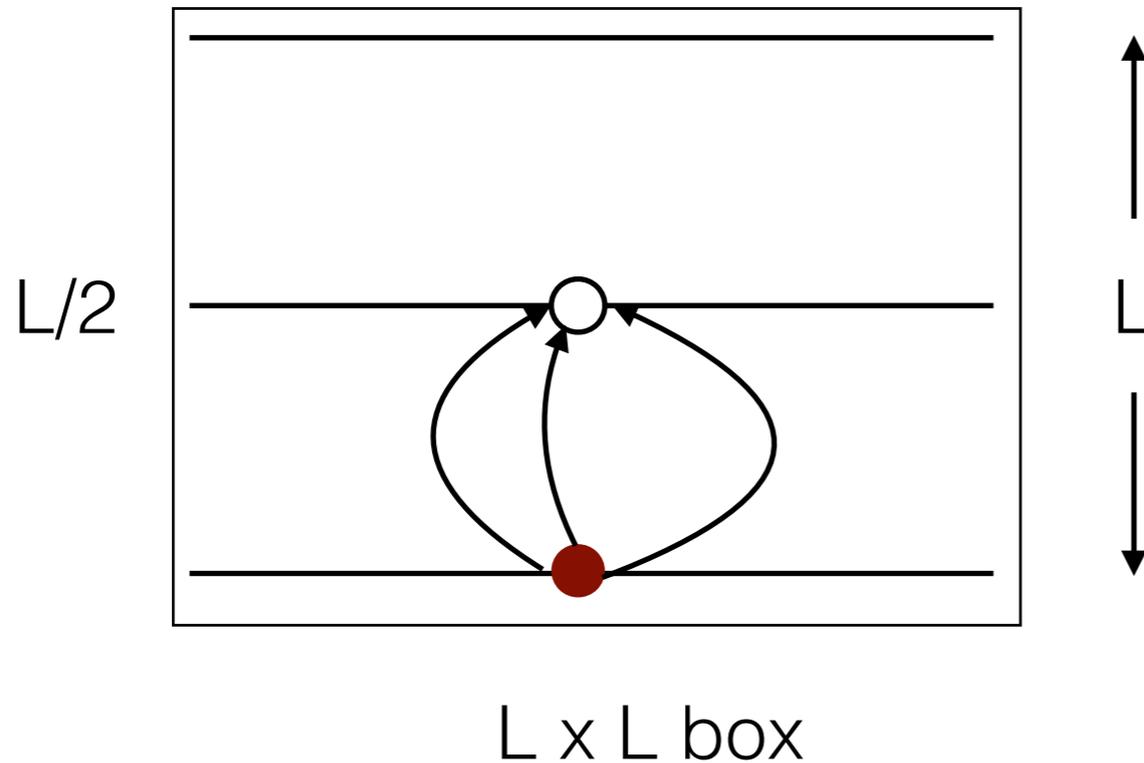
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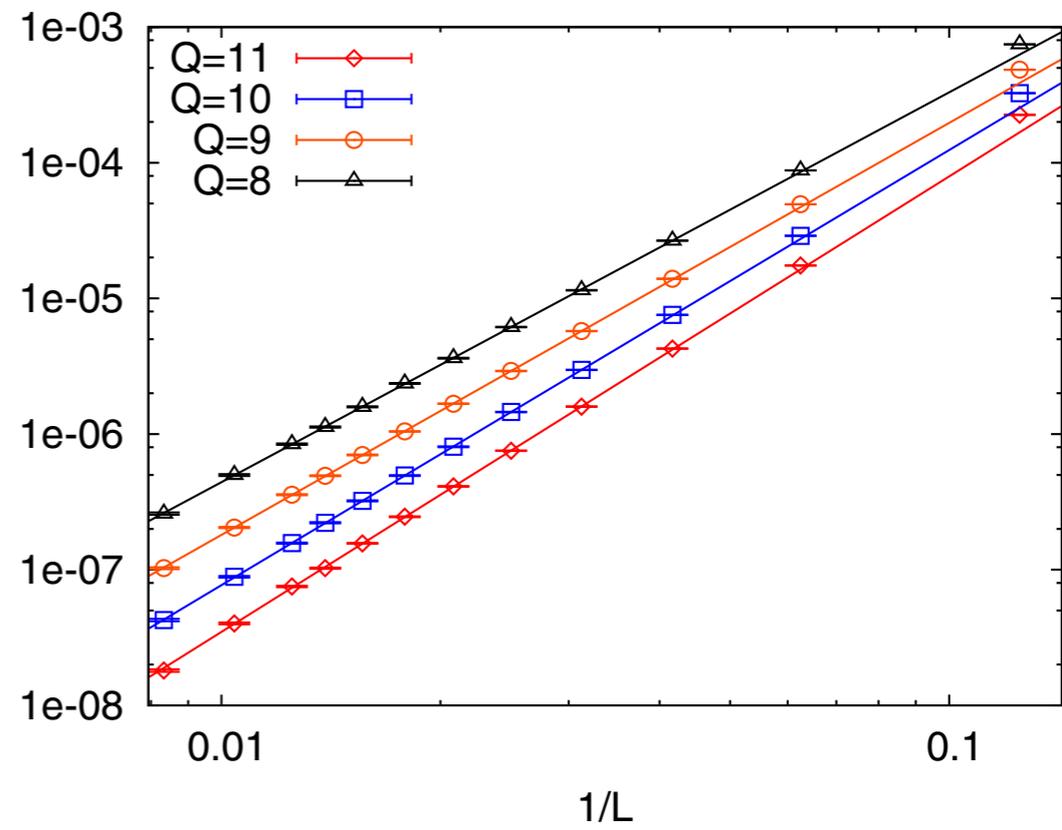
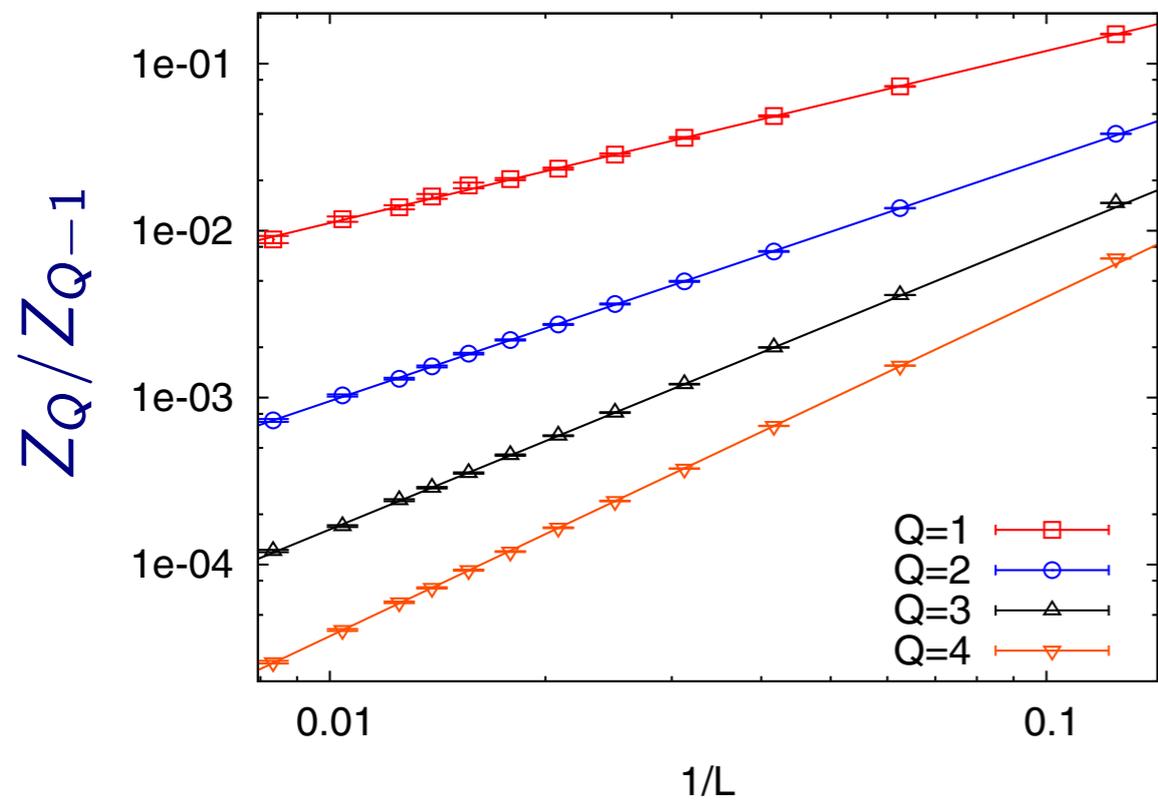
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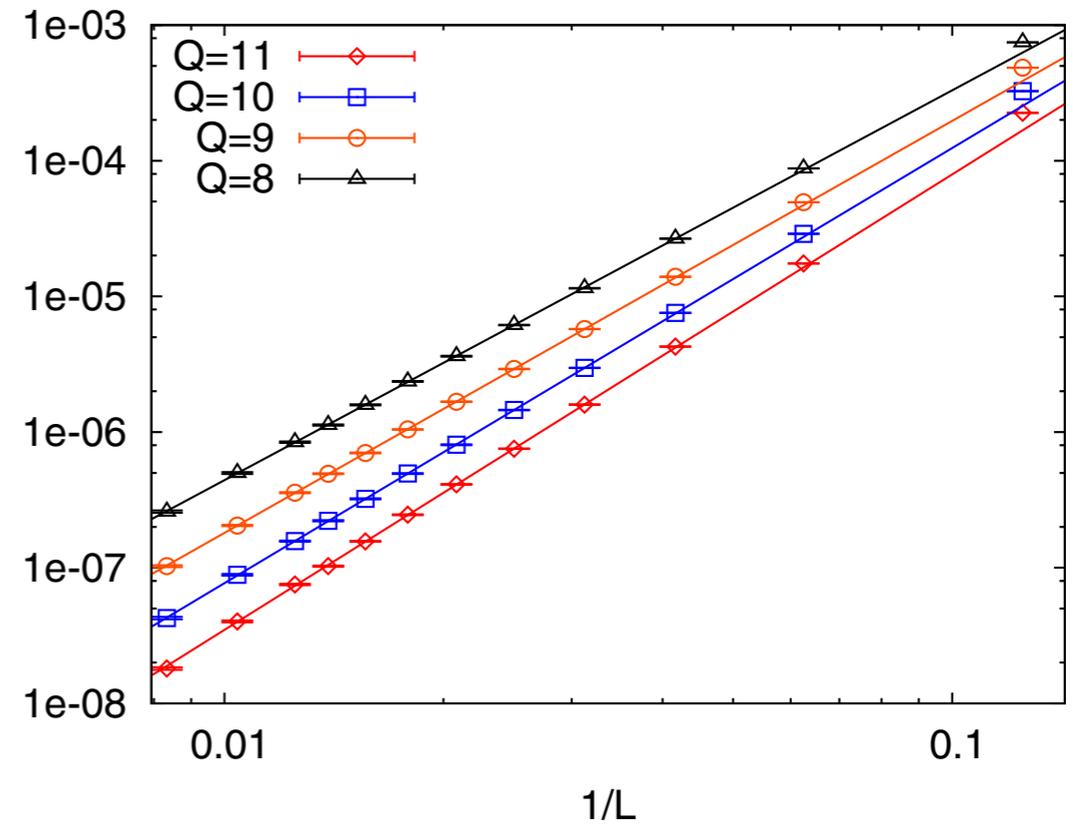
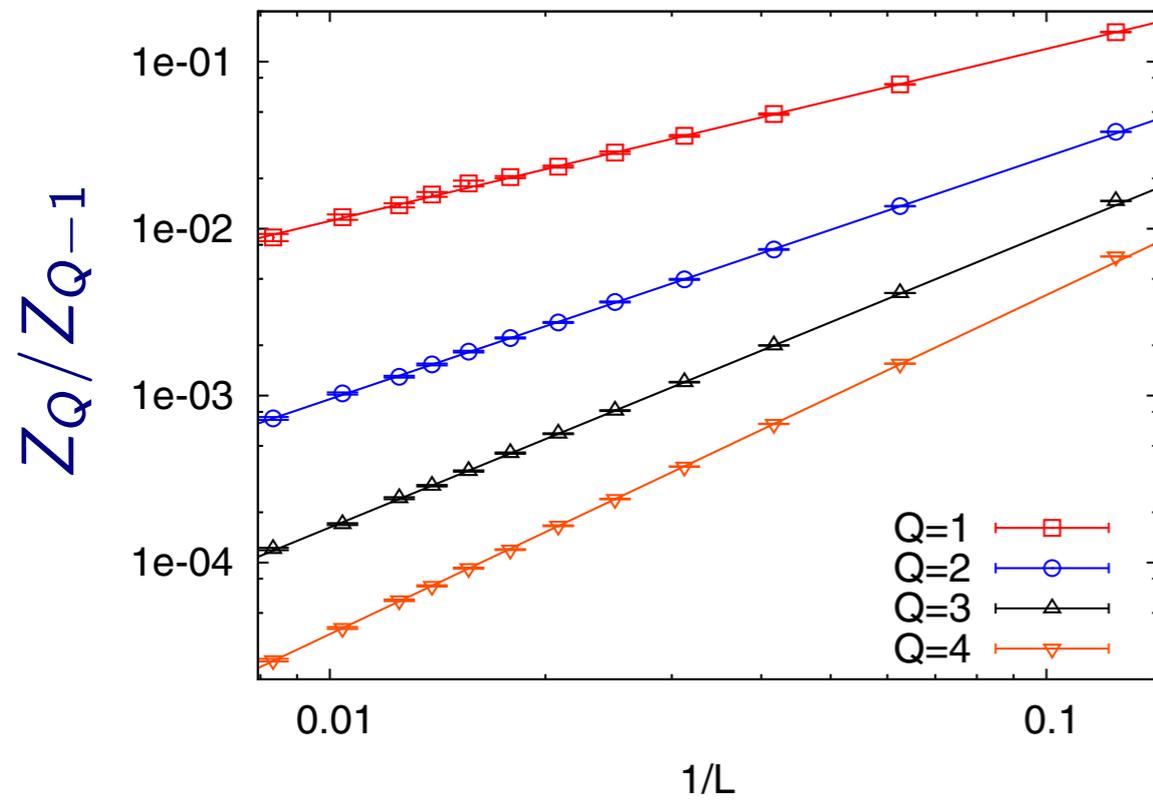
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Worm algorithms can compute

$$Z_Q/Z_{Q-1} \sim 1/L^{\Delta_Q}$$

$$\Delta_Q = D_Q - D_{Q-1}$$





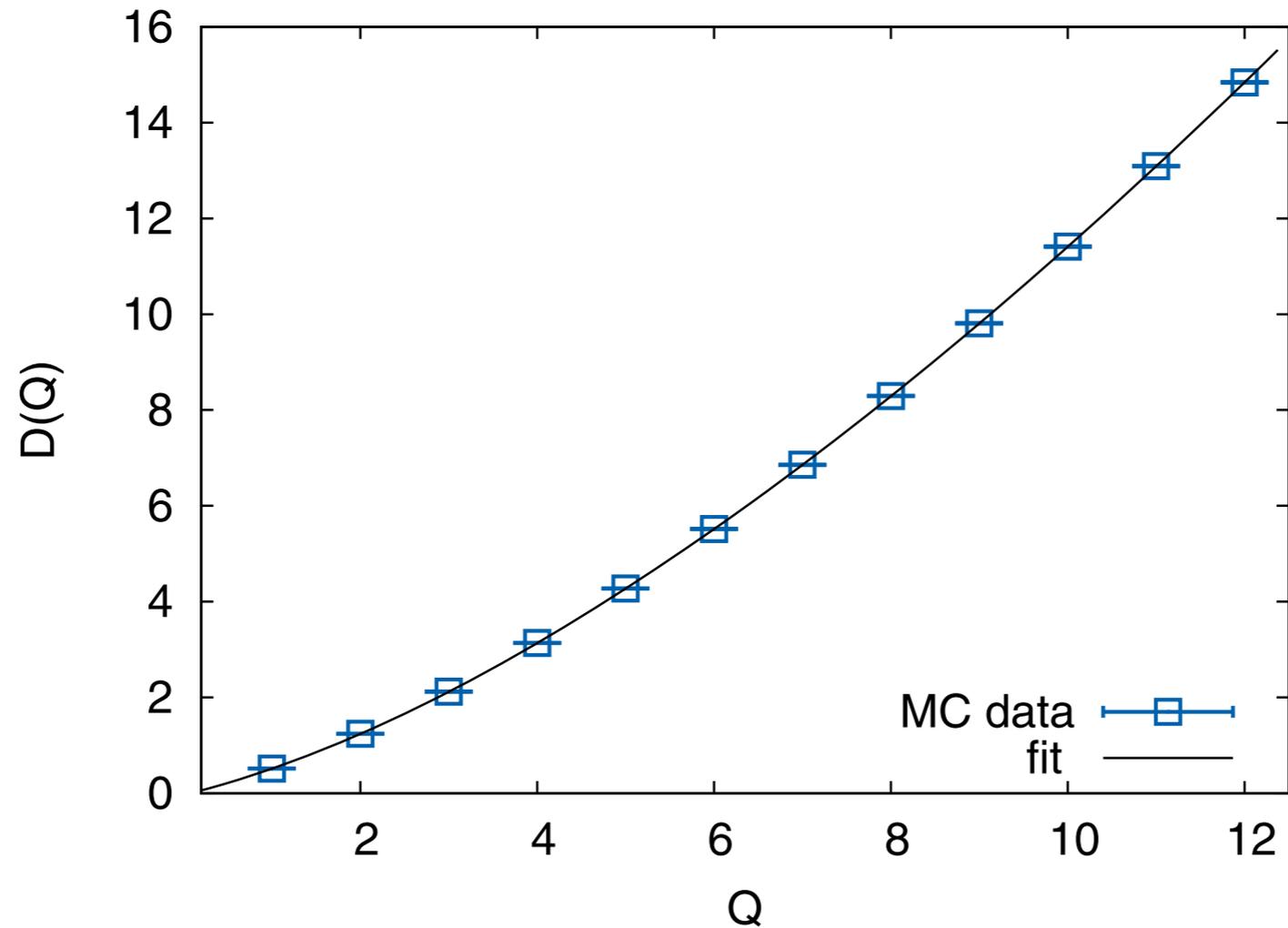
Our results:

Q	$\Delta(Q)$	$D(Q)$	Q	$\Delta(Q)$	$D(Q)$
1	0.516(3)	0.516(3)	7	1.332(5)	6.841(8)
2	0.722(4)	1.238(5)	8	1.437(4)	8.278(9)
3	0.878(4)	2.116(6)	9	1.518(2)	9.796(9)
4	1.012(2)	3.128(6)	10	1.603(2)	11.399(10)
5	1.137(2)	4.265(6)	11	1.678(5)	13.077(11)
6	1.243(3)	5.509(7)	12	1.748(5)	14.825(12)

Previous work only up to $Q=4$ [Hasenbusch, Vicari, PRB 84 \(2011\) 125136](#)

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Fit Data: $D_Q = 1.195(10) Q^{3/2} + 0.075(10) Q^{1/2} - 0.094$

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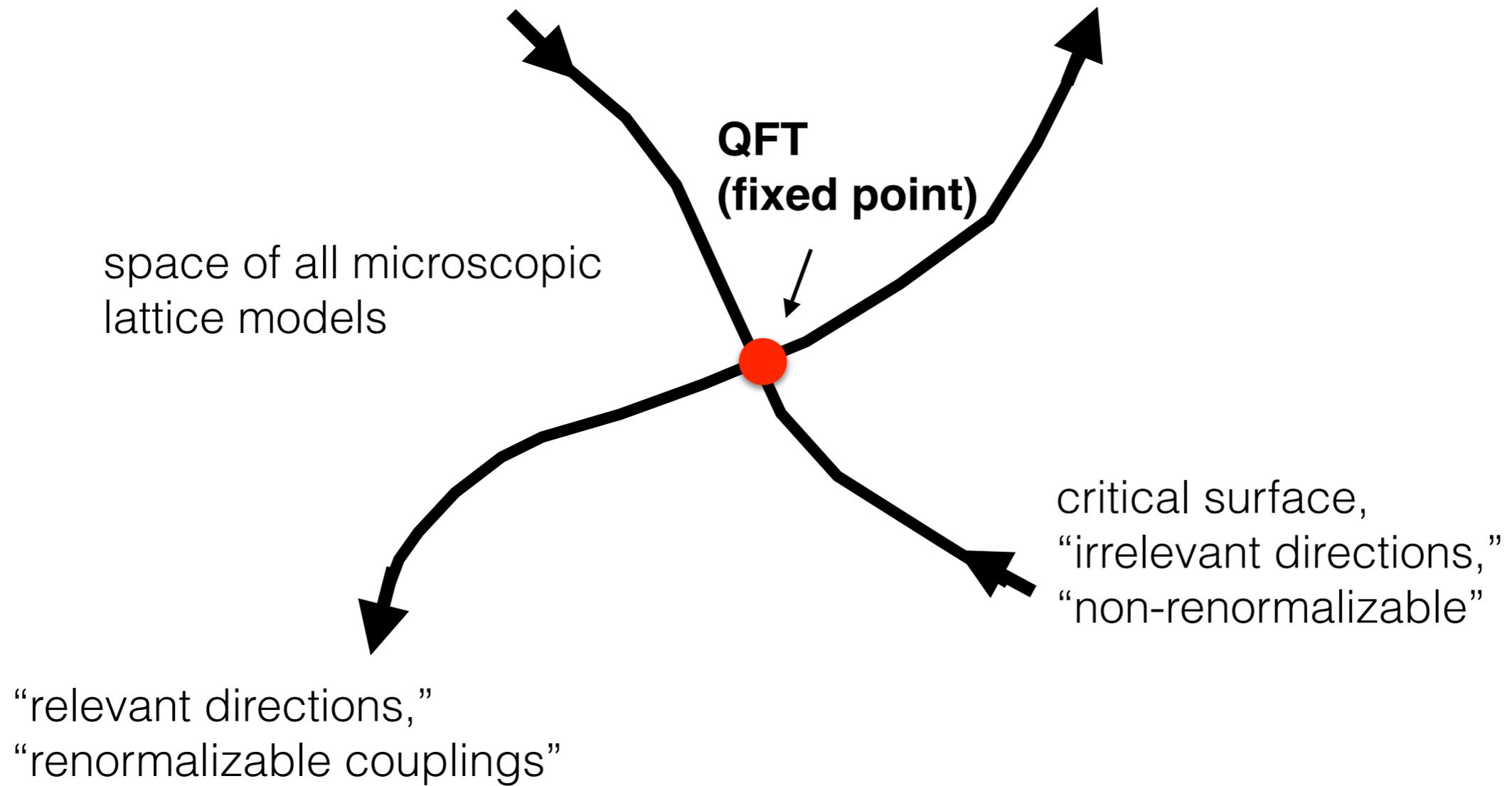
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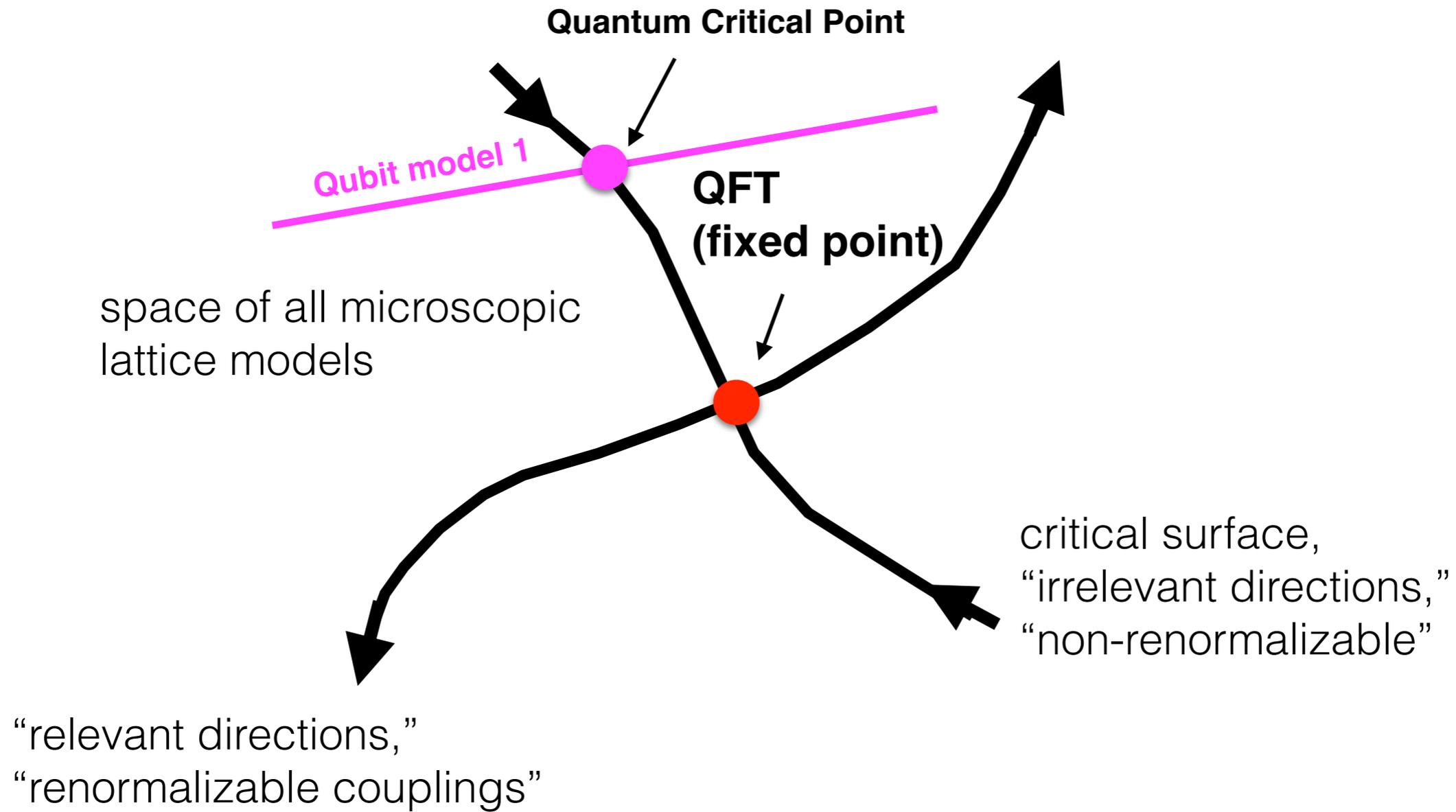
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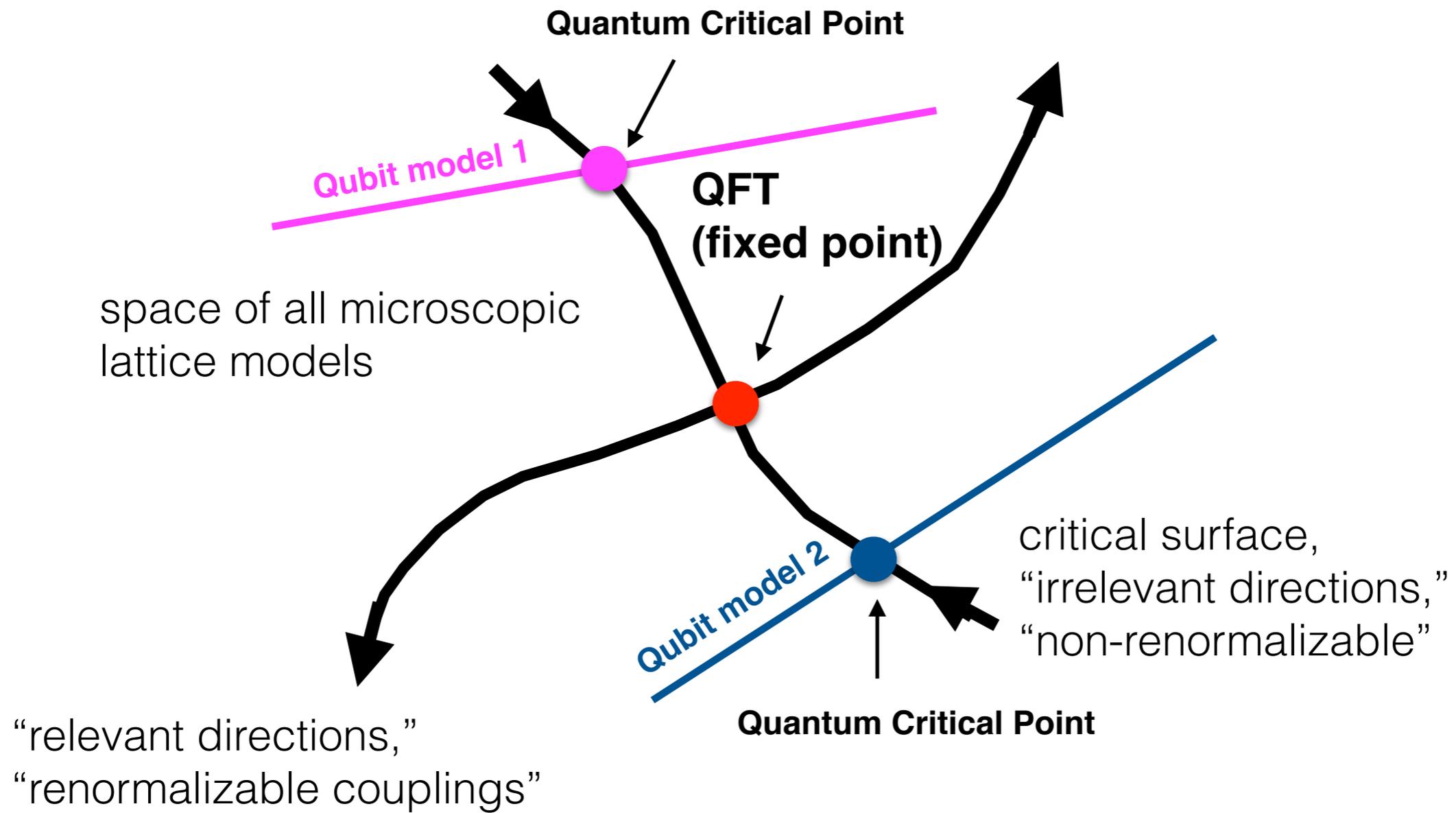
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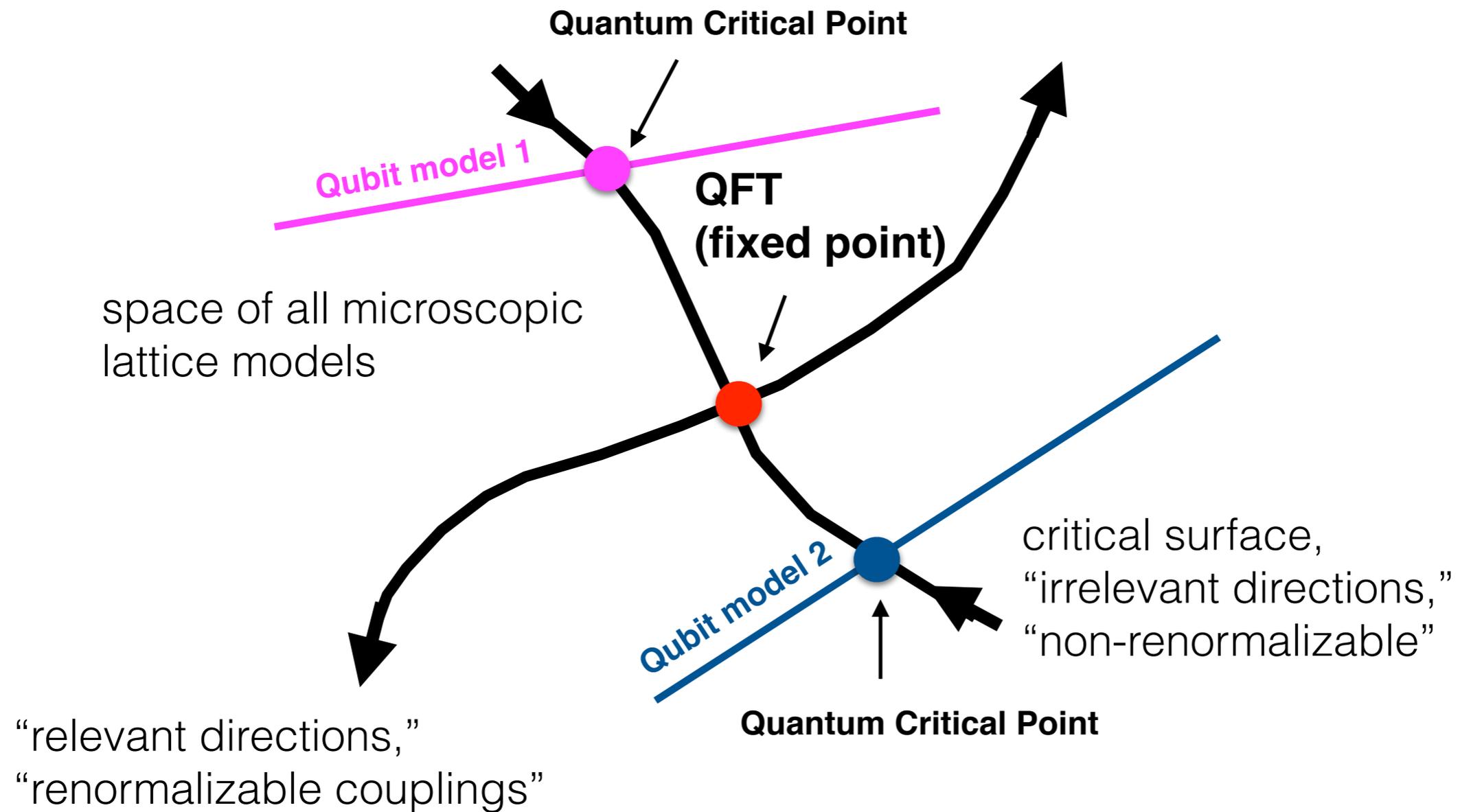
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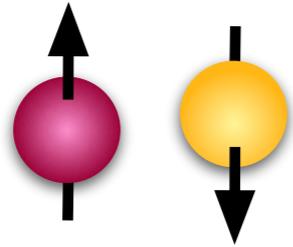
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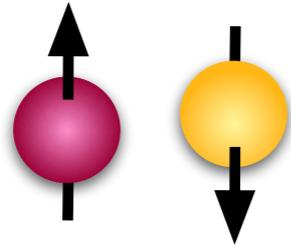
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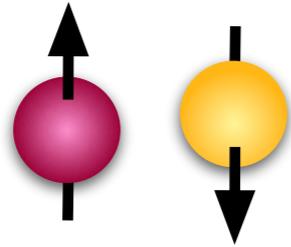


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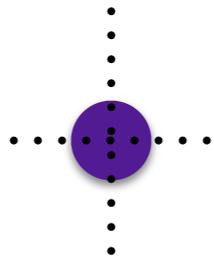
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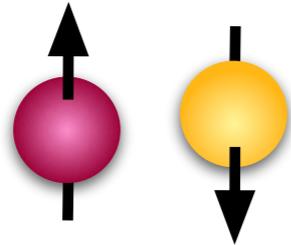
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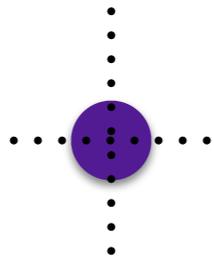
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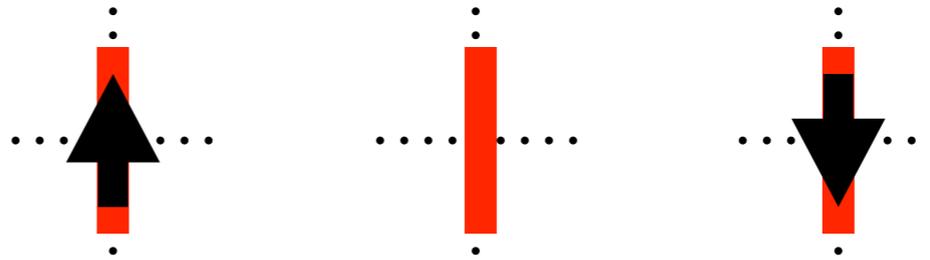
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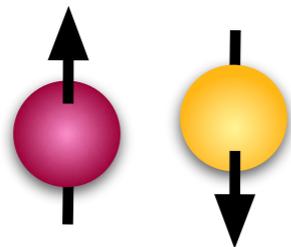


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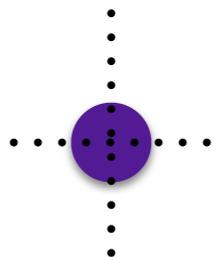
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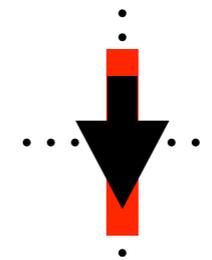
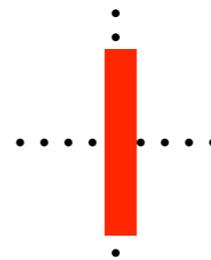
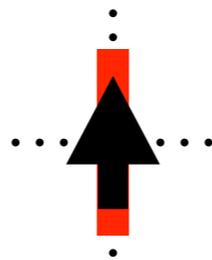
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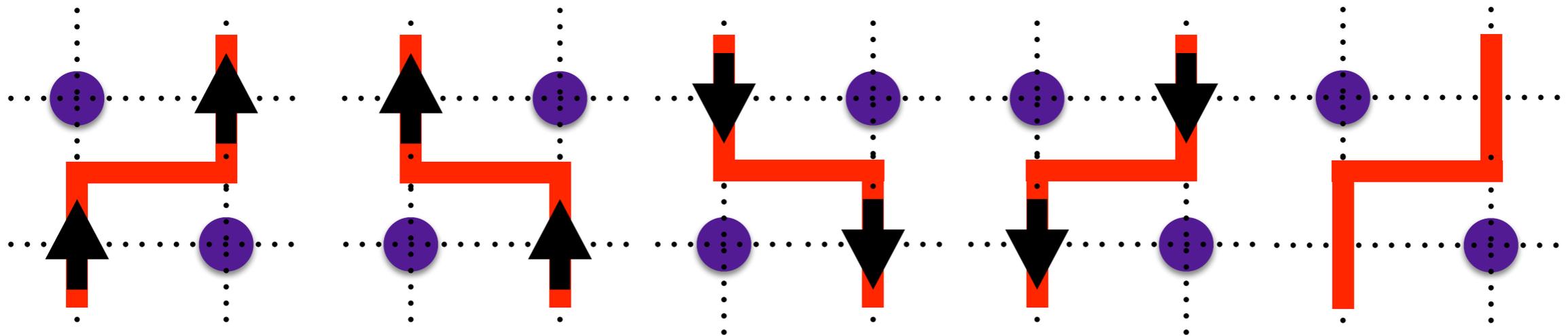


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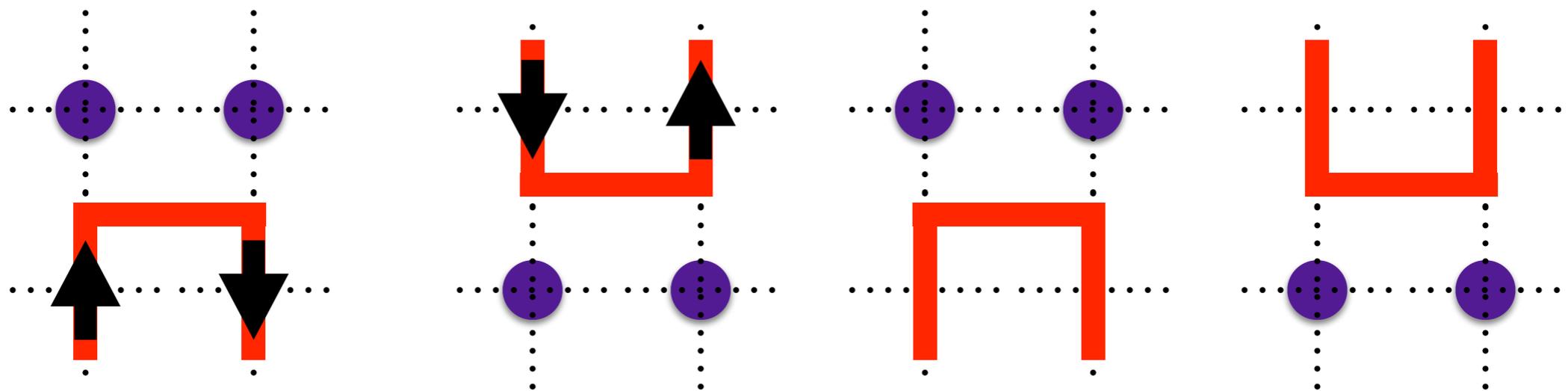
$O(3)$ invariant
Hamiltonian

$$H = J_t \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \sum_m |m, \mathbf{r}\rangle \langle m, \mathbf{r}| - \sum_{\langle \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}' \rangle} \left(J_h H_{\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'}^h + J_p H_{\mathbf{r}, i}^p \right)$$

Hopping term



Pair Creation/Annihilation term



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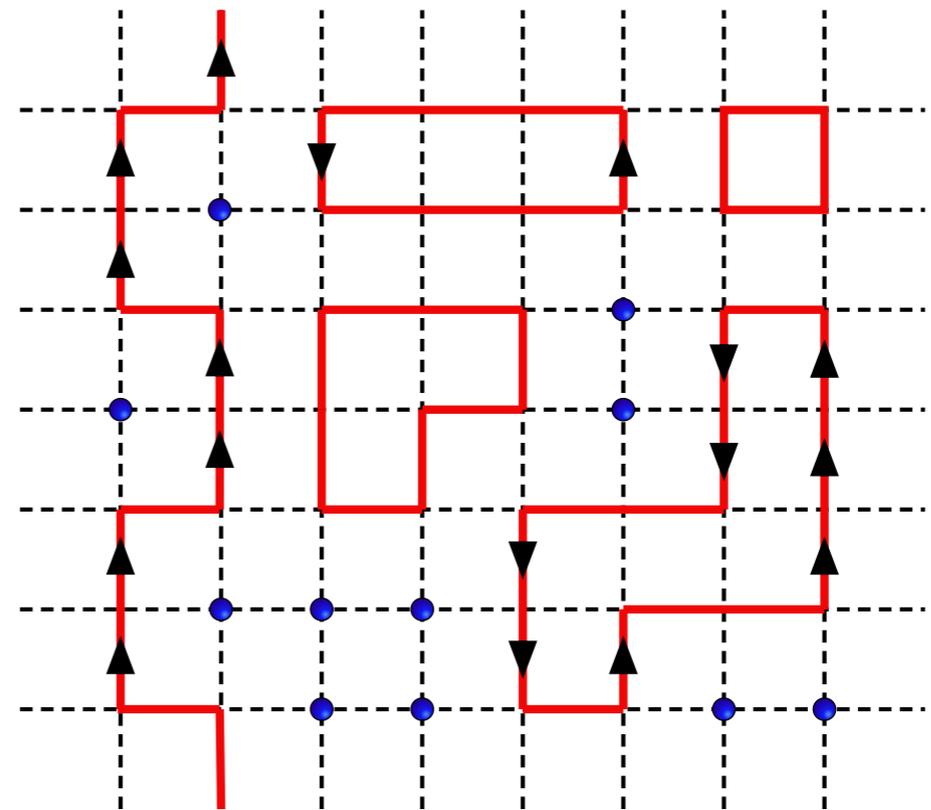
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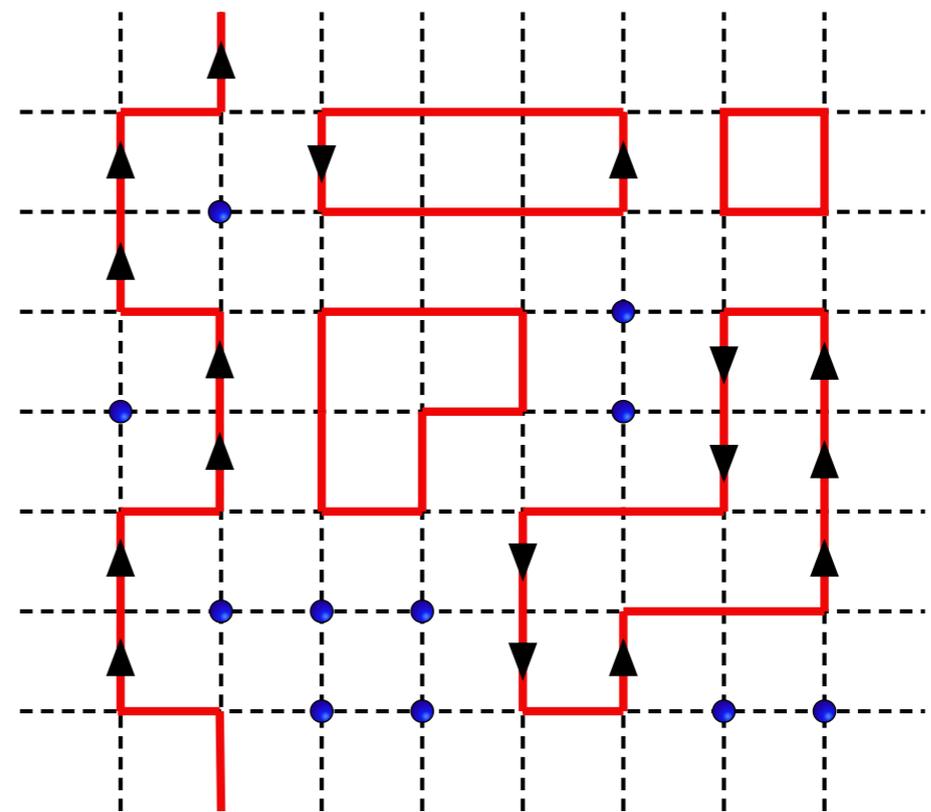
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Relativistic Limit $\varepsilon = 1$
 $W_t = W_s$

Hamiltonian limit $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$

Can study using classical QMC
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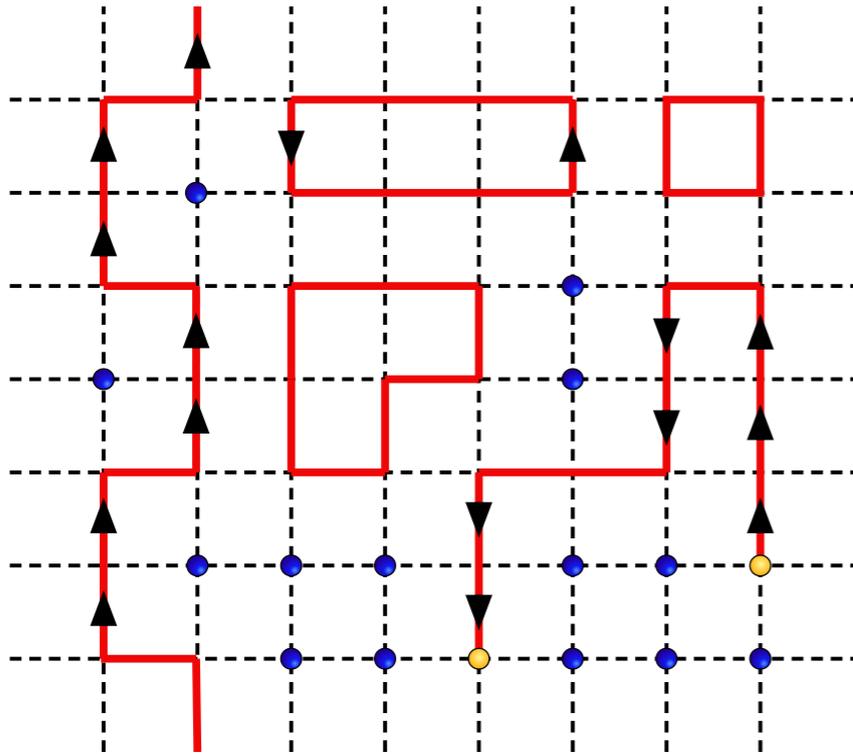


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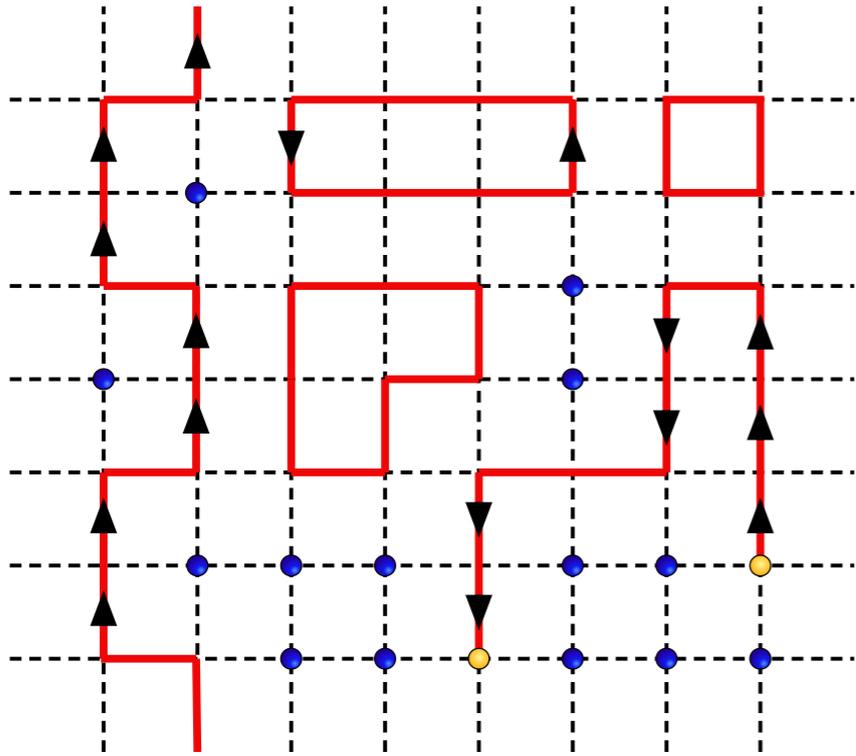
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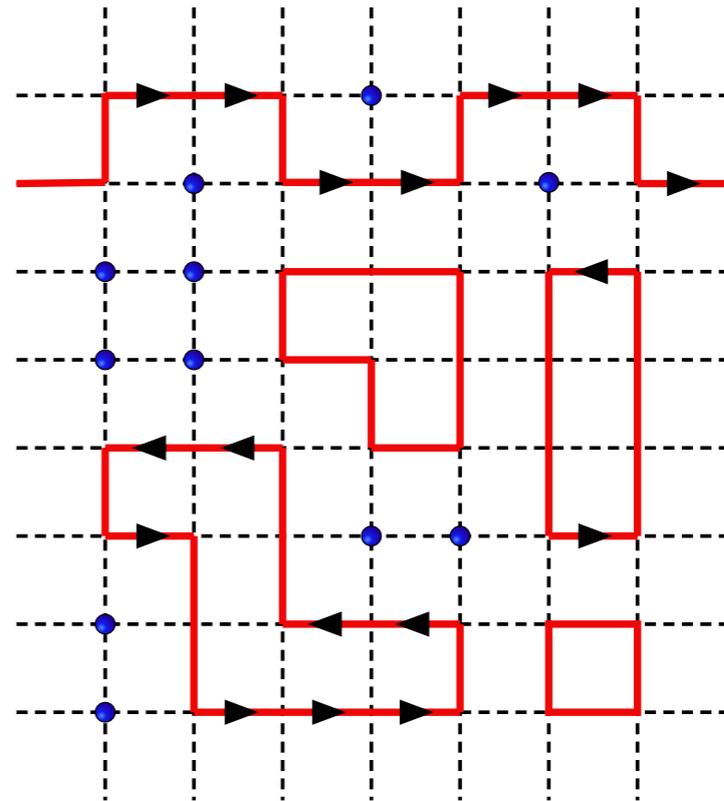
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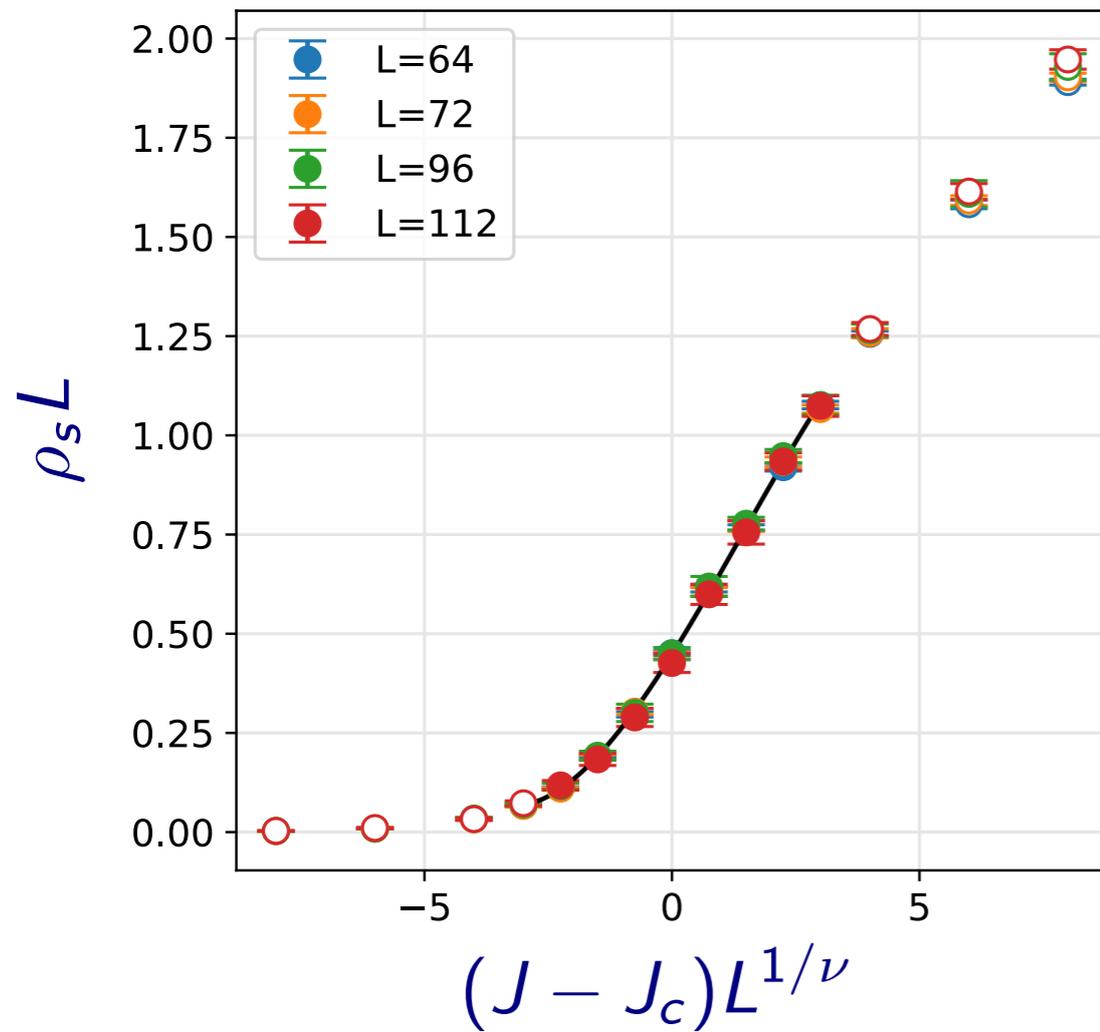
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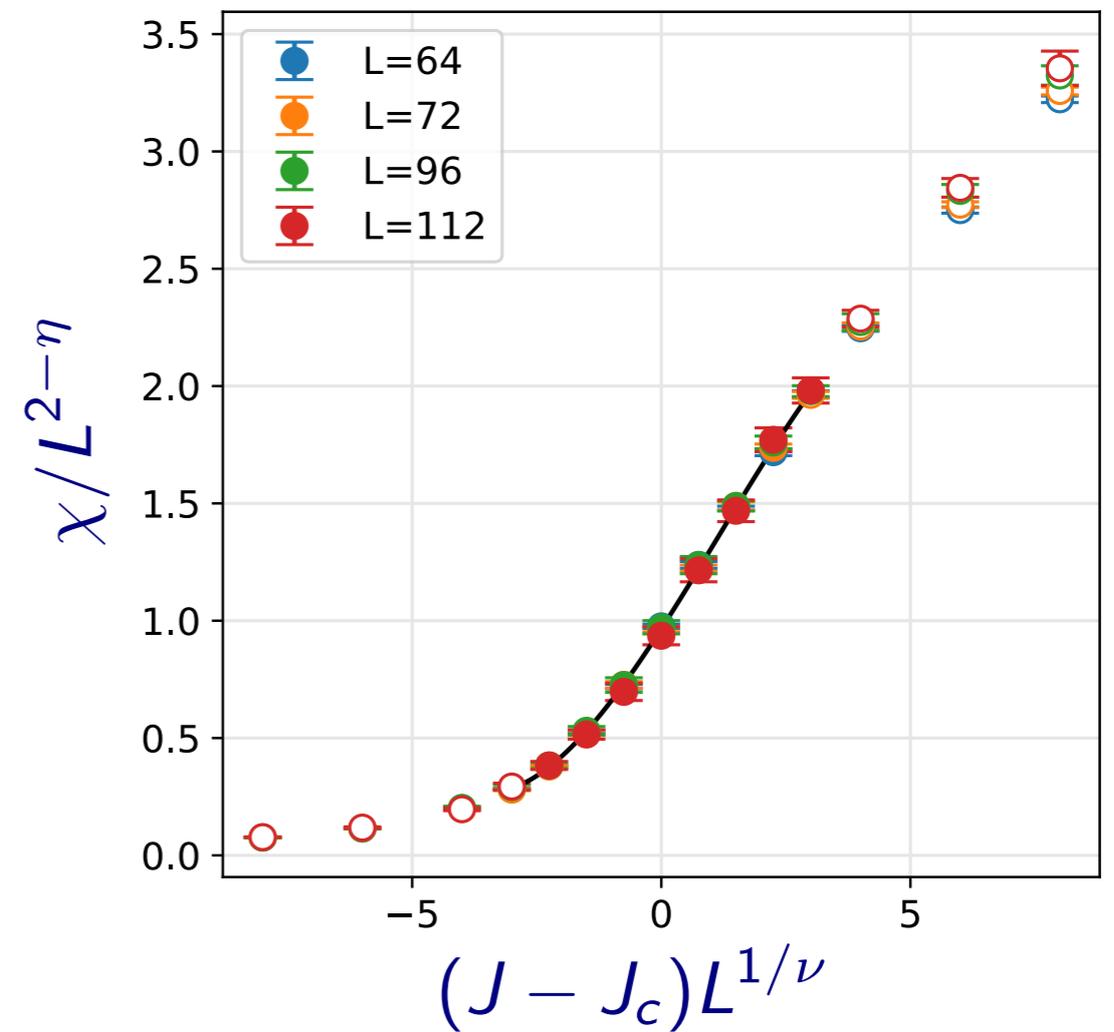
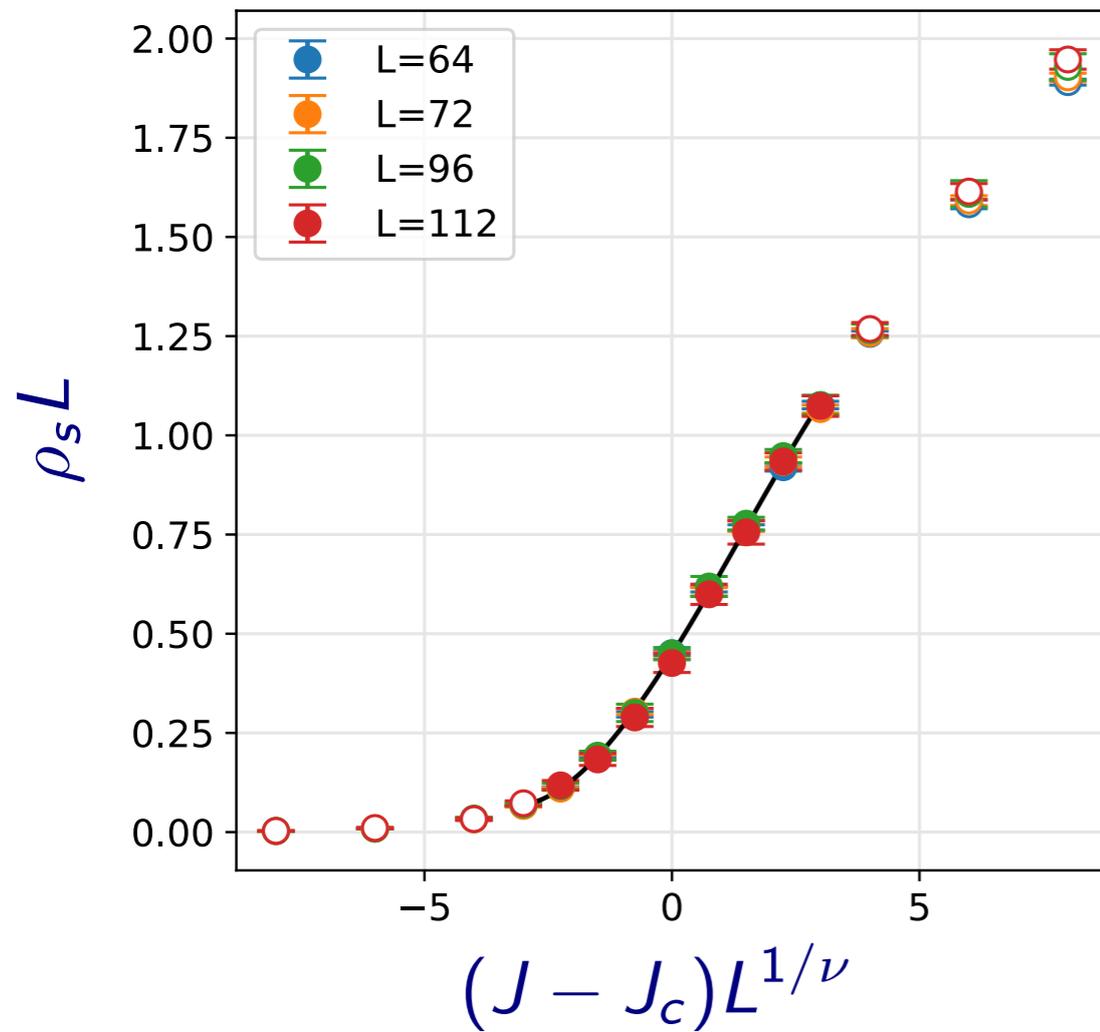
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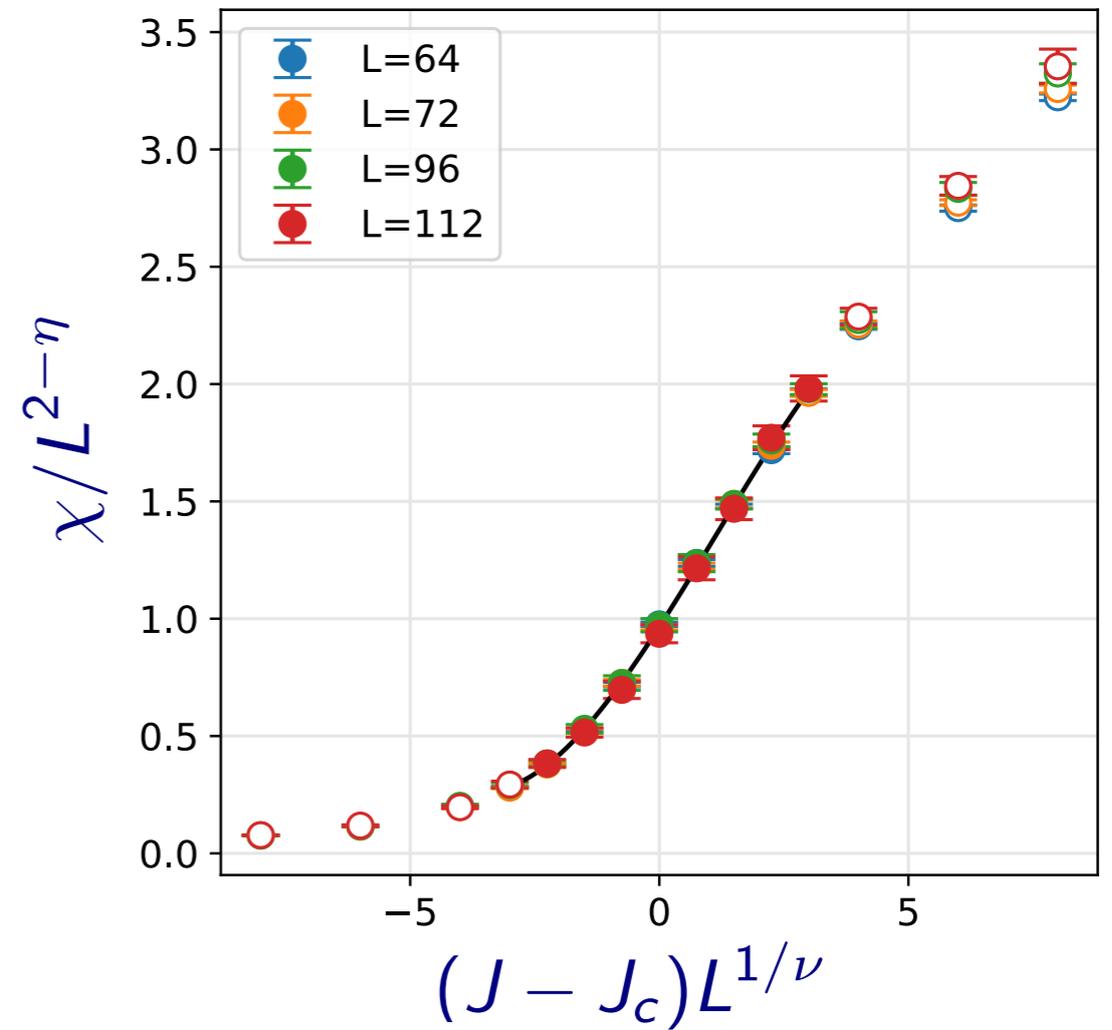
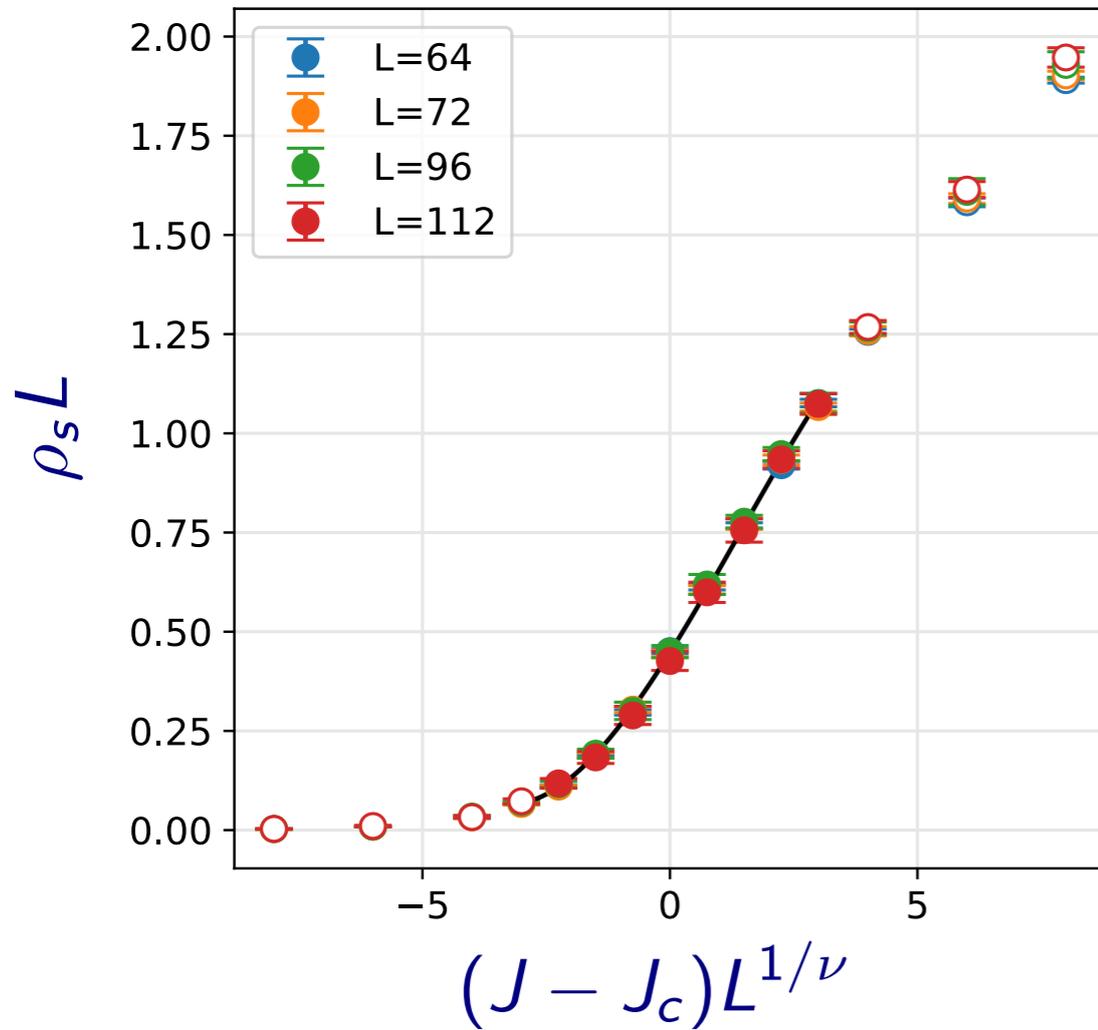
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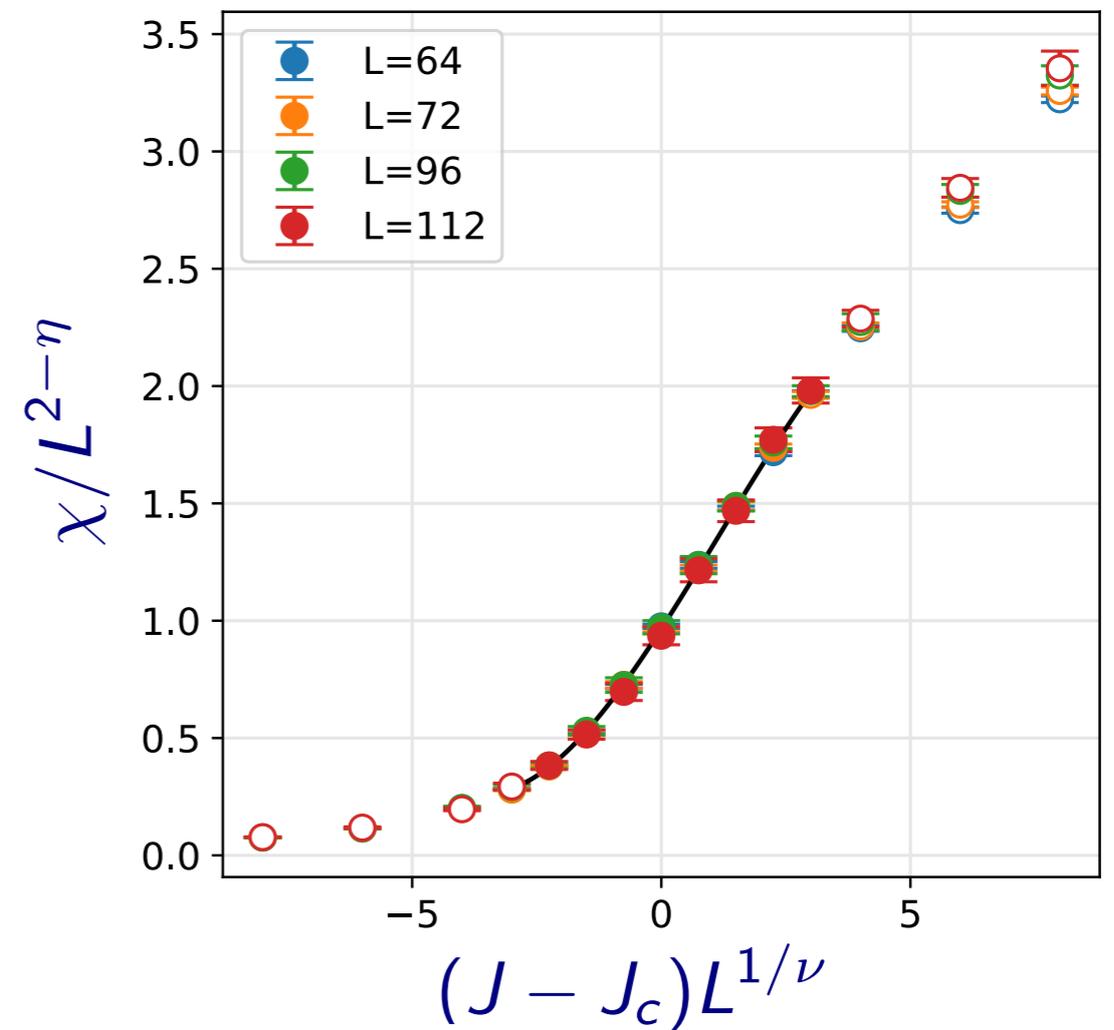
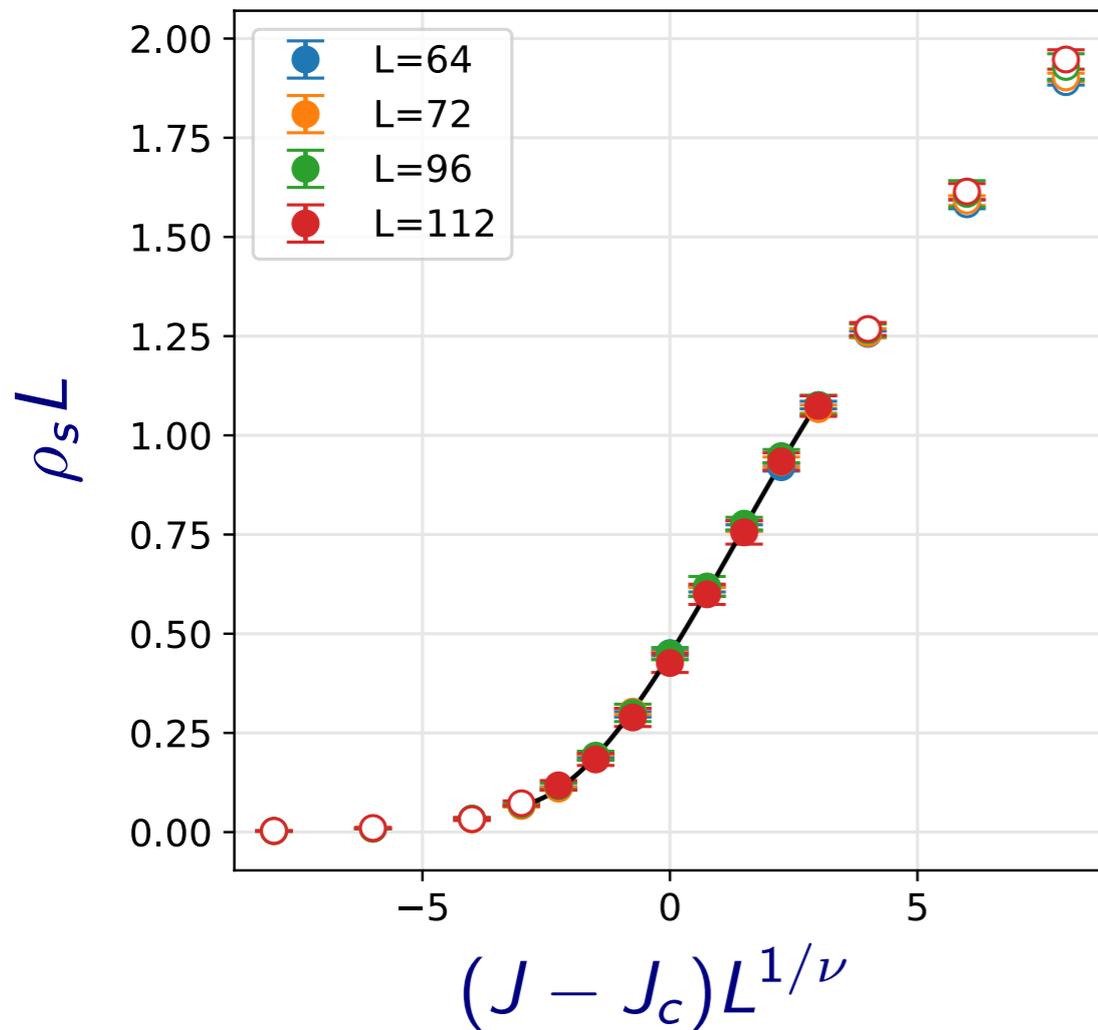


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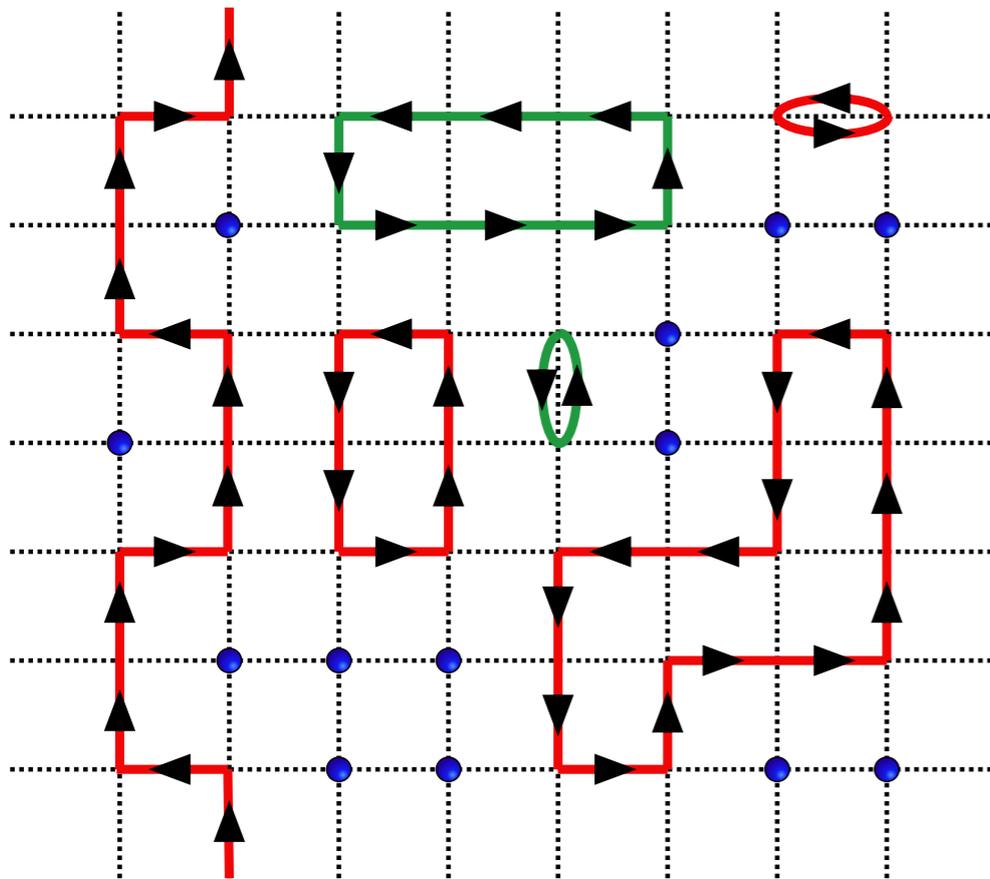
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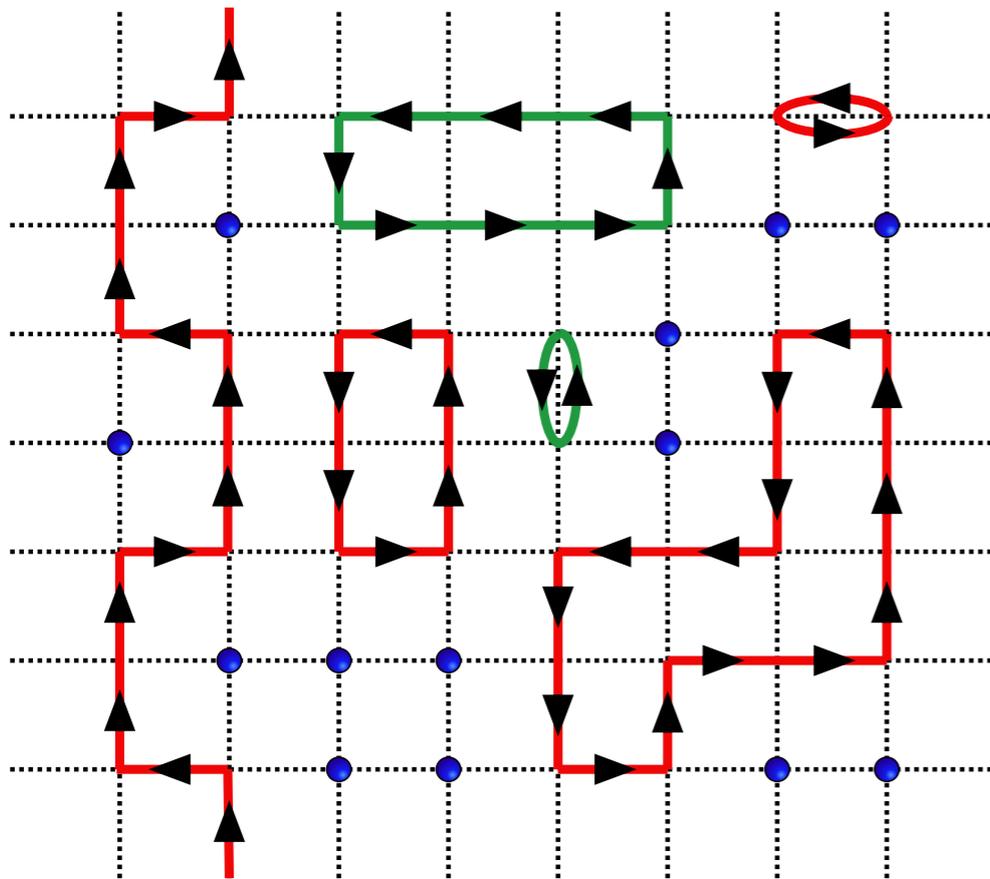


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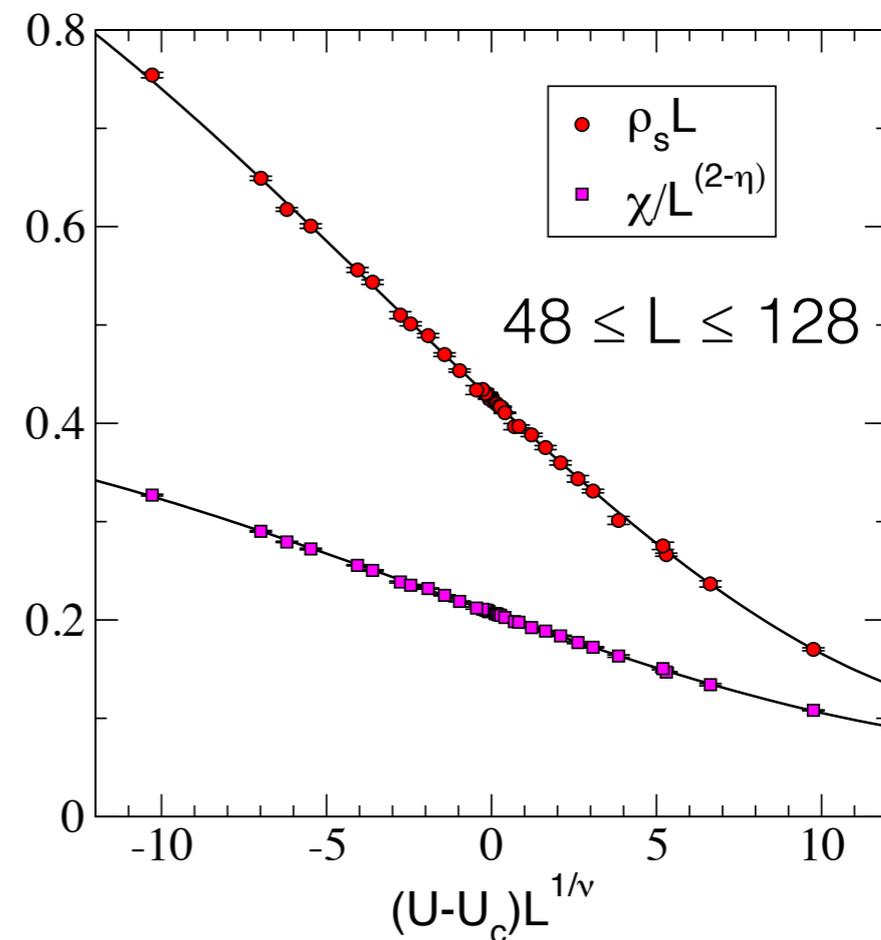
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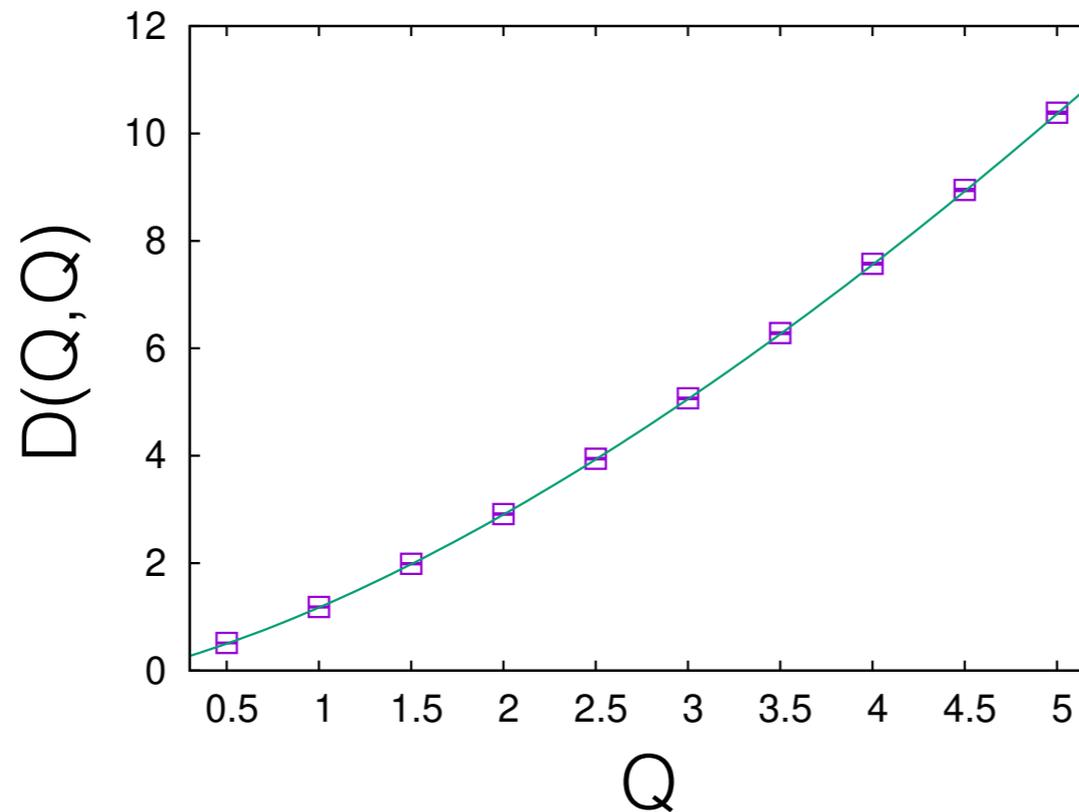
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