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#### Entanglement Hamiltonian for non-interacting systems



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$$\hat{\rho}_{A} = \operatorname{Tr}_{B} \hat{\rho} = e^{-\hat{H}_{E}}, \quad \hat{\rho} = \frac{e^{-\beta\hat{H}_{0}}}{Z}$$
$$\hat{\rho}_{A} = \det\left[1 - G_{A}\right] e^{-\hat{\mathbf{a}}^{\dagger} \ln\left[G_{A}^{-1} - 1\right]\hat{\mathbf{a}}}$$

- $G_{A}$  Single particle equal time Green function matrix in  $\mathcal{H}_{A}$
- $\forall \hat{O} \in \mathcal{H}_{A}$  Wick's theorem leads to  $\operatorname{Tr}_{A} \hat{\rho}_{A} \hat{O} = \operatorname{Tr} \hat{\rho} \hat{O}$  since

$$\operatorname{Tr}_{A}\left[\hat{\rho}_{A} \ \hat{a}_{x} \hat{a}_{y}^{\dagger}\right] \stackrel{!}{=} \operatorname{Tr}\left[\hat{\rho} \hat{a}_{x} \hat{a}_{y}^{\dagger}\right] = \left[G_{A}\right]_{xy}$$

 $\frac{1}{2} - G_A = \frac{1}{2} \tanh(H_E / 2)$ 

#### Insulating states. Band flattening.

 $\frac{1}{2}$  - G and H<sub>0</sub> are adiabatically connected → Have the same topological properties





The Rindler Hamiltoninan

$$\langle \Psi_0 | \phi_B \phi_A \rangle = \lim_{B \to \infty} \langle \Psi_T | e^{-\beta \hat{H}} | \phi_B \phi_A \rangle = \langle \phi_B | e^{-\pi \hat{H}_R} | \phi_A \rangle$$
 Lorentz invariance required!



### Detecting topological states with entanglement spectrum.





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### Measuring observables.

$$\frac{\operatorname{Tr}\left[e^{-\beta\hat{H}}\hat{c}_{x}^{\dagger}\hat{c}_{y}\right]}{\operatorname{Tr}e^{-\beta\hat{H}}} = \int D\Phi P(\Phi) G_{x,y}(\Phi) \qquad P(\Phi) = \frac{e^{-S(\Phi)}}{\int D\Phi e^{-S(\Phi)}}, \qquad G(\Phi) = (1+B_{L_{\tau}}\cdots B_{1})^{-1}$$

Wicks theorem holds for a given field configuration  $\rightarrow$ Any equal time observable can be computed from G

A different way of writing Wick's theorem. T. Grover Phys. Rev. Lett., 111, 130402, (2013).

$$\hat{\rho} \equiv \frac{e^{-\beta\hat{H}}}{Z} = \int d\Phi P(\Phi)\hat{\rho}(\Phi), \qquad \hat{\rho}(\Phi) = \det\left[1 - G(\Phi)\right]e^{-\hat{c}^{\dagger}\ln\left[G^{-1}(\Phi) - 1\right]\hat{c}}$$

$$\rightarrow \int d\Phi P(\Phi) \operatorname{Tr}\left[\hat{\rho}(\Phi)\hat{O}\right] = \left\langle \hat{O} \right\rangle$$

For all equal time observables.



#### **Entanglement Hamiltonian**

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### <u>1D Hubbard model @ U/t = 3, <n>=1</u>

$$H_{E} = \sum_{i,n,\sigma} -t_{i,i+n} \left( \hat{c}_{i,\sigma}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{i+n,\sigma} + \hat{c}_{i+n,\sigma}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{i,\sigma} \right) + \sum_{i,n} V_{i,i+n} \hat{n}_{i} \hat{n}_{i+n} + \sum_{i,n} \frac{-J_{i,i+n}}{4} \left( D_{i,i+n}^{\dagger} D_{i,i+n} + D_{i,i+n} D_{i,i+n}^{\dagger} \right) + \cdots$$











# Entanglement spectrum

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$$\left\langle a_{x}^{\dagger}(\tau)a_{y}\right\rangle = \frac{\mathrm{Tr}\left[e^{-(\beta-\tau)H}a_{x}^{\dagger}e^{-\tau H}a_{y}\right]}{\mathrm{Tr}\left[e^{-\beta H}\right]} \rightarrow \left\langle a_{x}^{\dagger}(\tau)a_{x}\right\rangle = \int d\omega \; \frac{e^{-\tau\omega}}{1+e^{-\beta\omega}}A(x,\omega)$$

$$A(x,\omega) = \frac{1}{Z}\sum_{n,m} \left(e^{-\beta E_{n}} + e^{-\beta E_{m}}\right) \left| \left\langle n \middle| a_{x}^{\dagger} \middle| m \right\rangle \right|^{2} \delta\left(\omega - E_{m} + E_{n}\right)$$

$$\hat{\rho}_{A} = e^{-\hat{H}_{E}}$$

$$\left\langle a_{x}^{\dagger}(\tau_{E})a_{y}\right\rangle_{E} = \frac{\mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{\rho}_{A}^{\ n-\tau_{E}}a_{x}^{\dagger}\hat{\rho}_{A}^{\ \tau_{E}}a_{y}\right]}{\mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{\rho}_{A}^{\ n}\right]} \rightarrow \left\langle a_{x}^{\dagger}(\tau_{E})a_{x}\right\rangle_{E} = \int d\omega \; \frac{e^{-\tau_{E}\omega}}{1+e^{-n\omega}}A^{E}(x,\omega)$$

Note: n,  $\tau_{\rm E}$  are natural numbers  $\rightarrow$  restricted to low energy sector of the entanglement spectrum.

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Replica method: Hilbert space

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathrm{tot}} = \mathcal{H}_A \otimes \mathcal{H}_B^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}_B^{(2)} \cdots \mathcal{H}_B^{(n)}$$

Time dependent Hamiltonian,  $0 < \tau < n\beta$ 

$$\hat{H}(\tau) = \sum_{r=1}^{n} \Theta \left[ \tau - (r-1)\beta \right] \Theta \left[ r\beta - \tau \right] \hat{H}^{(r)}.$$

 $\hat{H}^{(r)}$ Hamiltonian in Hilbert space  $\,\mathcal{H}_A\otimes\mathcal{H}_B^{(r)}$ 

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P. Broecker and S. Trebst. JSTAT, P08015, (2014).  $\mathcal{T}$ n = 4Replica method: Hilbert space  $4\beta$  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{tot}} = \mathcal{H}_A \otimes \mathcal{H}_B^{(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}_B^{(2)} \cdots \mathcal{H}_B^{(n)}$ B Α  $3\beta$ B<sup>(3)</sup> A Time dependent Hamiltonian,  $2\beta$ B<sup>(2)</sup>  $\hat{H}(\tau) = \sum \Theta \left[\tau - (r-1)\beta\right] \Theta \left[r\beta - \tau\right] \hat{H}^{(r)}.$ А В **B**<sup>(1)</sup> Α  $\hat{H}^{(r)}$ Hamiltonian in Hilbert space  $\,\mathcal{H}_A\otimes\mathcal{H}_B^{(r)}$  $\mathcal{H}_{A} \otimes \mathcal{H}_{P(1)} \otimes \mathcal{H}_{P(2)} \otimes \mathcal{H}_{P(3)} \otimes \mathcal{H}_{P(4)}$  $\frac{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{tot}}\left[\hat{U}(n\beta,\tau_{E}\beta)\hat{O}^{\dagger}\hat{U}(\tau_{E}\beta,0)\hat{O}\right]}{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{tot}}\left[\hat{U}(n\beta,0)\right]} = \frac{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{A}}\left[e^{-(n-\tau_{E})\hat{H}_{E}}\hat{O}^{\dagger}e^{-\tau_{E}\hat{H}_{E}}\hat{O}\right]}{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{A}}\left[e^{-n\hat{H}_{E}}\right]}$ 

 $\rightarrow$  One can study equal time and dynamical properties of the entanglement Hamiltonian

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#### Single-particle spectrum of the entanglement Hamiltonian $W_A = 16, \beta t = 4, n = 8$ 12×12, $\lambda/t = 0.2$ 8 Magnetic Insulator (a)U/t = 4(b)U/t = 5(c)U/t = 6← xyz AFM xy AFM 6 0 U/t $\pi/2$ $A_{1,1}^E(k,\omega) \\ {}_{\mathfrak{A}}$ 2 ← Semimetal Quantum Spin Hall Insulator 0 0.0 0.10.2 $\lambda/t$ $\pi/2$ 0 $\overline{\omega' t}^{0}$ 1 $\omega^{0}/t^{-1}$ 2 $\stackrel{\scriptscriptstyle 0}{\omega/t}$ 2 2 3 -2 -1 3 -2 -1 3 -3 -2 -1 $\frac{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{A}}\left[e^{-(n-\tau_{E})\hat{H}_{E}}\hat{a}_{k,m}^{\dagger}e^{-\tau_{E}\hat{H}_{E}}\hat{a}_{k,m'}\right]}{\mathrm{T}r_{\mathcal{H}_{A}}\left[e^{-n\hat{H}_{E}}\right]}$ $W_{\rm A} \stackrel{\downarrow}{=} 4$ А k: translation symmetry in a<sub>1</sub>, m: orbital index across partition A В $\delta_2$ $\delta_1$ $\delta_3$ Wick rotation (Stochastic MaxEnt) to produce spectral function a.

#### **Summary**

Part I Weak coupling methods. Direct calculation of entanglement Hamiltonian (cumulant expansion)

