

# Resurgence and continuity with $Z_N$ -twisted boundary condition

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I'll discuss the conjecture and the resurgent structure with  $Z_N$ -twist in 2D by using a couple of tools (1)semiclassics, (2)anomaly matching, (3)lattice.

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# I. Resurgence and bions in $CP^{N-1}$ models

Dunne, Unsal (12), TM, Nitta, Sakai (14-16)  
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(For SUSY case, see also Dorigoni, Glass (17))

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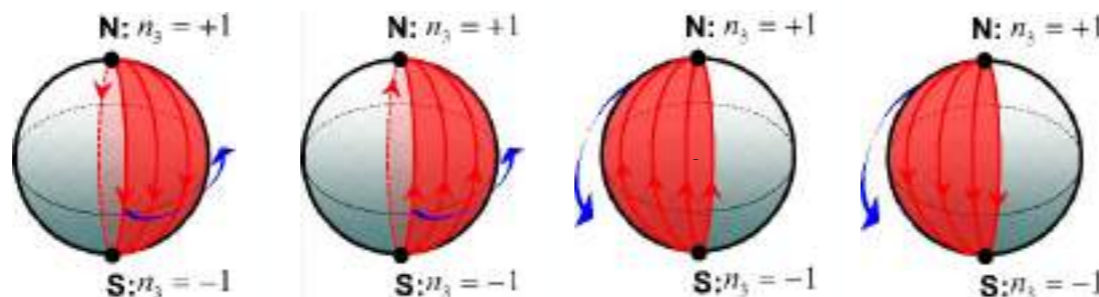
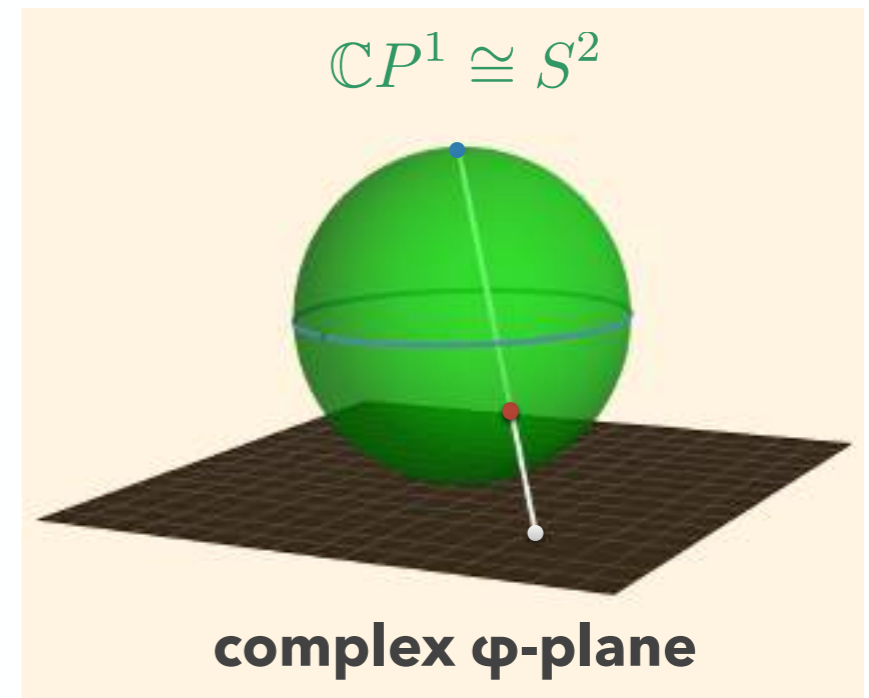
$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{g^2} \frac{|\partial_\mu \varphi|^2}{(1 + |\varphi|^2)^2} + \mathcal{L}_F$$

asymptotically-free theory

- Z<sub>2</sub> twisted boundary condition

$$\varphi(y + L) = e^{imL} \varphi(y) \quad (m=\pi/L) \rightarrow \text{exact } Z_2 \text{ symmetry}$$

→ Fractional instantons (Q=1/2, S=S<sub>I</sub>/2)



Lee, Yi(97)  
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 Eto, et.al. (04)(06)  
 Bruckmann (05)

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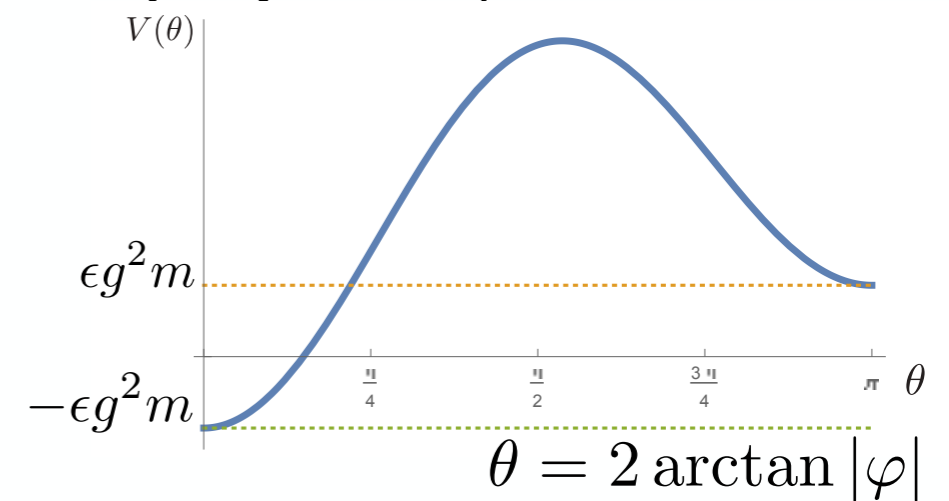
- CP<sup>1</sup> quantum mechanics (ε=1: SUSY)

$$L = \frac{1}{g^2} G \left[ \partial_t \varphi \partial_t \bar{\varphi} - m^2 \varphi \bar{\varphi} + i \bar{\psi} \mathcal{D}_t \psi + \epsilon m (1 + \varphi \partial_\varphi \log G) \bar{\psi} \psi \right] \quad G = \frac{1}{(1 + |\varphi|^2)^2}$$

- Ground-state effective bosonic theory (fermion # projection)

$$[H, \psi \bar{\psi}] = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{\psi} |\Psi\rangle = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{m^2}{4} \sin^2 \theta - \epsilon m g^2 \cos \theta$$

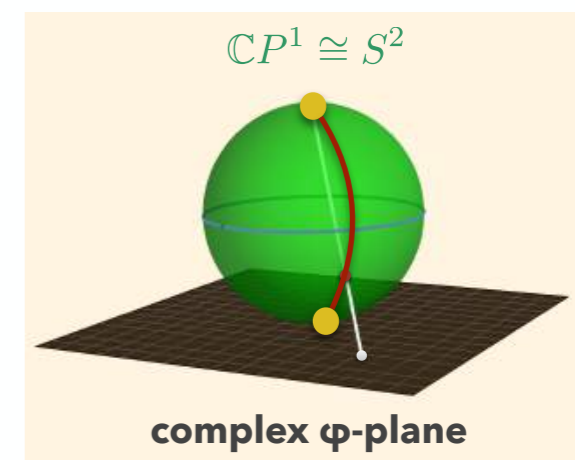


- Two local minima

North and south poles

- Instanton solution for ε=0  $S_I = \frac{m}{g^2}$

Tunneling effect between two minima





# Real bion solutions

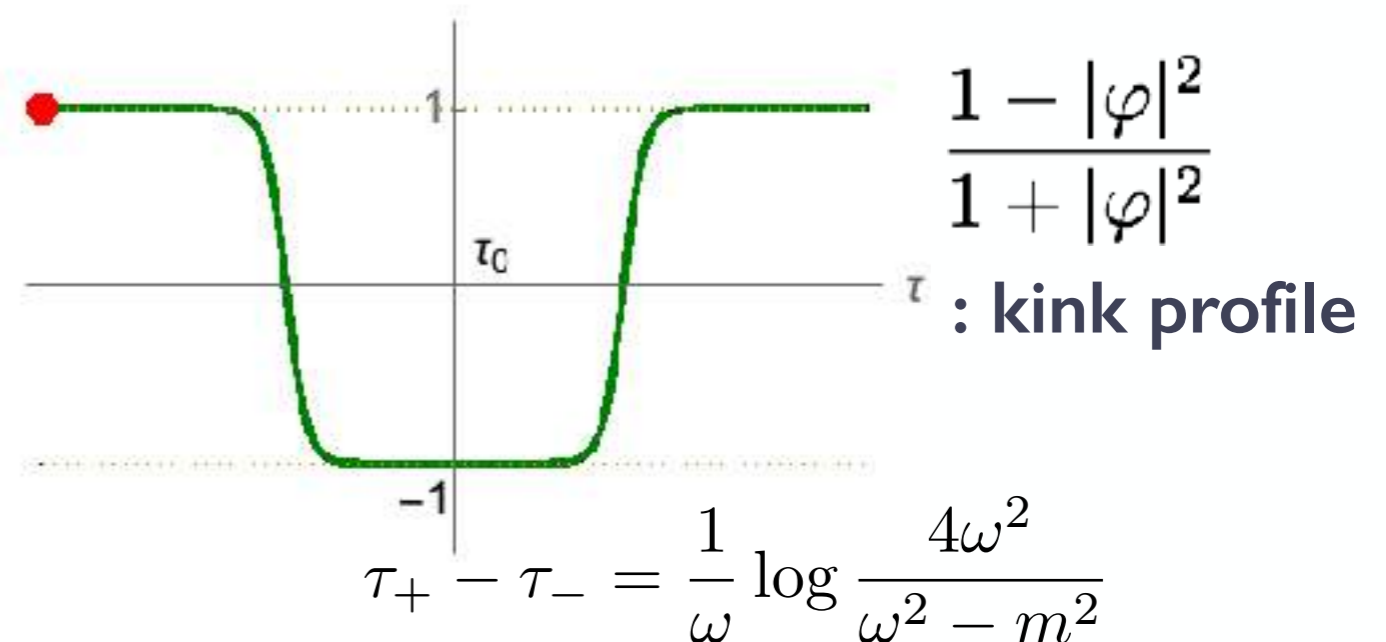
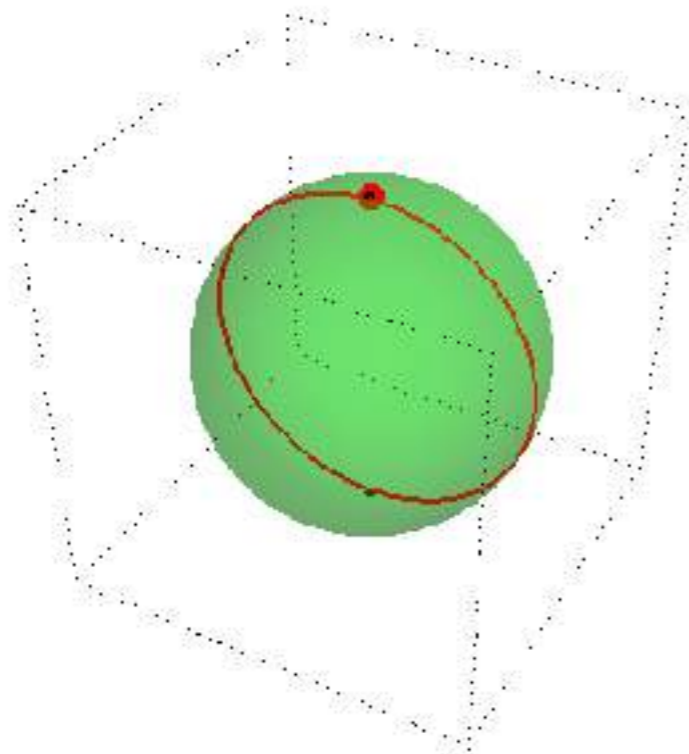
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real solution

$$\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2}} \frac{e^{i\phi_0}}{i \sinh \omega(\tau - \tau_0)}$$

$$\omega^2 = m^2 + 2\epsilon m g^2$$

Moduli parameters are  $\tau_0$  : position  $\phi_0$  : phase



# Complex bion solution

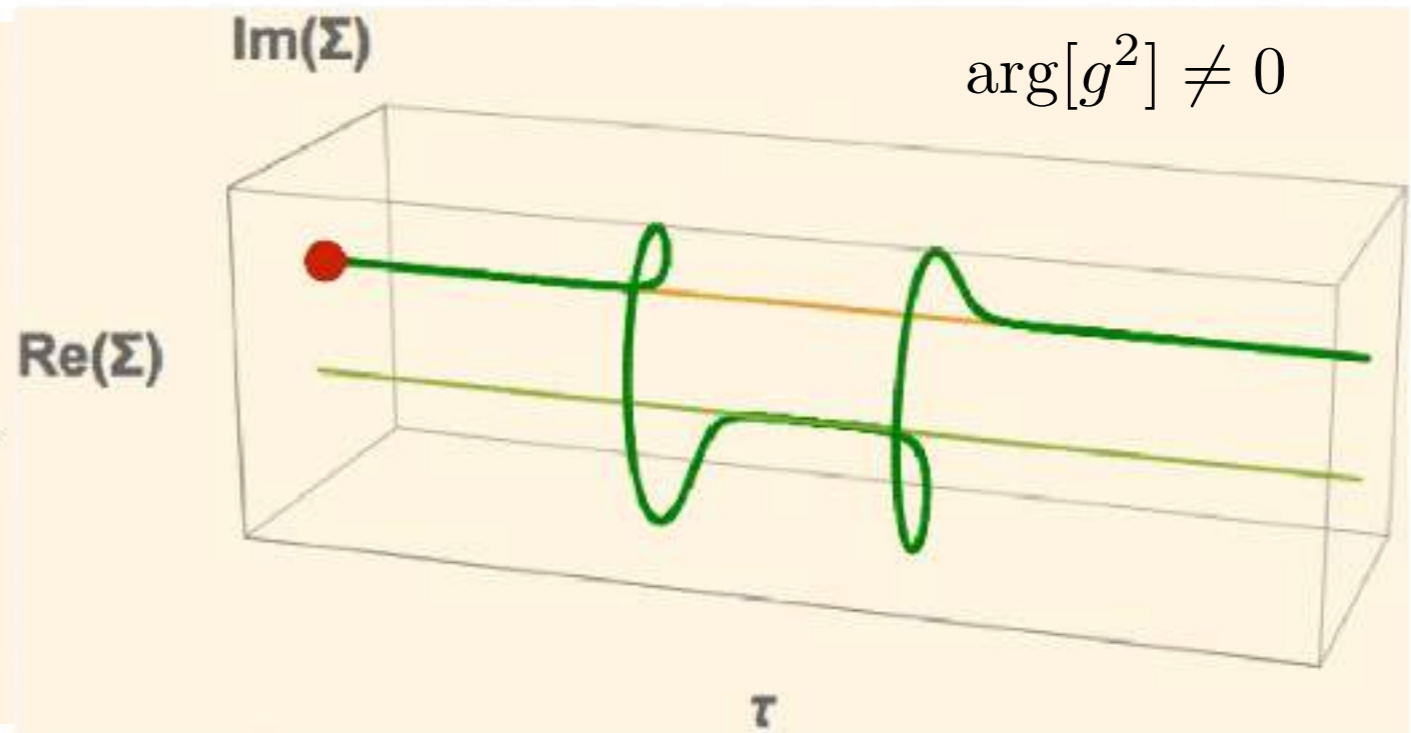
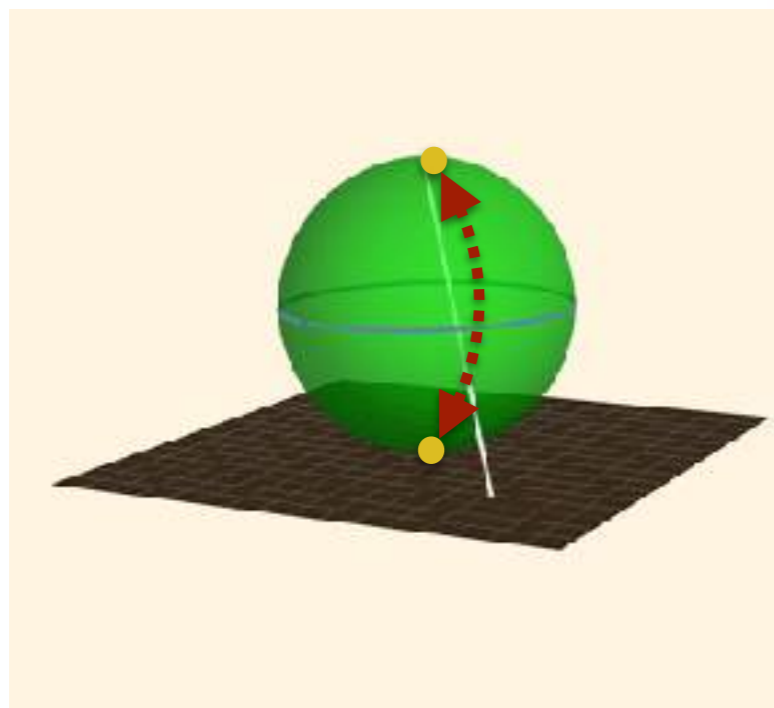
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## Complex solution

$$\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2}} \frac{e^{i\phi_0}}{\cosh \omega(\tau - \tau_0)}$$

$$\tilde{\varphi} = -\varphi^*$$

$$\mathbb{T}^*\text{CP}^1 = \frac{\text{SU}(2)^{\mathbb{C}}}{\text{U}(1)^{\mathbb{C}}}$$



$$\tau_+ - \tau_- = \frac{1}{\omega} \left( \log \frac{4\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2} + \pi i \right) : \text{“Complex relative distance”}$$

# Multi-bion solution

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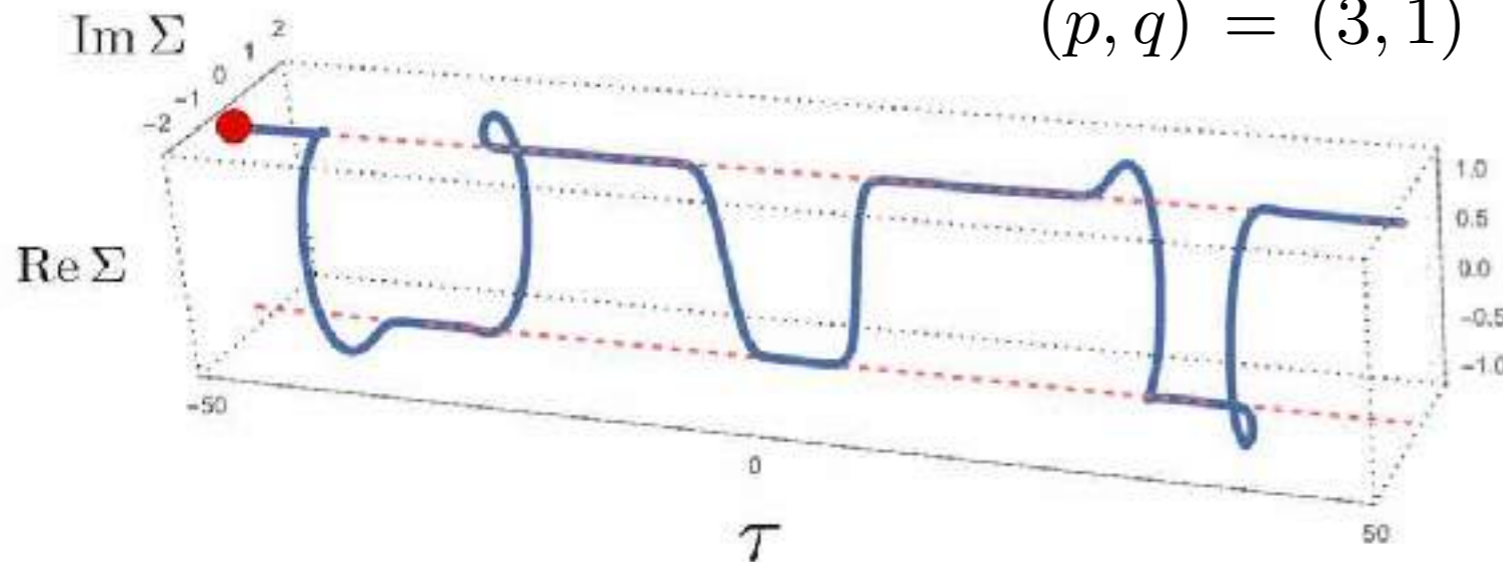
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$$\varphi = e^{i\phi_c} \frac{f(\tau - \tau_c)}{\sin^2 \alpha}, \quad \tilde{\varphi} = e^{-i\phi_c} \frac{f(\tau - \tau_c)}{\sin^2 \alpha}$$

$$f(\tau) = \text{cs}(\Omega\tau, k) \equiv \text{cn}(\Omega\tau, k) / \text{sn}(\Omega\tau, k)$$

- classified by integers  $(p, q)$
- $p$  is the number of bions
- $q$  determines shape

$$(p, q) = (3, 1)$$



$$S \approx pS_{\text{bion}} + 2\pi i\epsilon l$$

$$S_{\text{bion}} = \frac{2m}{g^2} + 2\epsilon \log \frac{\omega + m}{\omega - m}$$

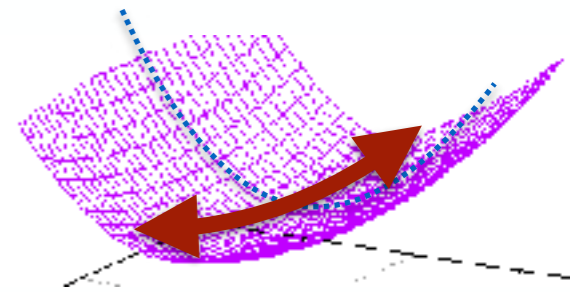
- An infinite tower of multi-bion solutions
- Contributions are calculated by (multi) quasi-moduli integral
- Contributions from real and complex bions cancel for SUSY

# Quasi-moduli integral

Behtash, Dunne, Schafer, Sulejmanpasic, Unsal (15)  
See also Aoyama, Kikuchi (92) for Valley method

Quasi moduli parameters (Nearly massless modes)

= kink distance  $\tau_r$  & relative phase  $\phi_r$



➔ Existence of these modes means 1-loop det. is not enough...

Contributions from real and complex bions

$$\frac{Z_1}{Z_0} \approx \int d\tau_r d\phi_r \exp[-V_{\text{eff}}(\tau_r, \phi_r)]$$

Effective potential in quasi-moduli space

$$V_{\text{eff}}(\tau_r, \phi_r) = -\frac{4m}{g^2} \cos \phi_r e^{-m\tau_r} + 2\epsilon m \tau_r$$

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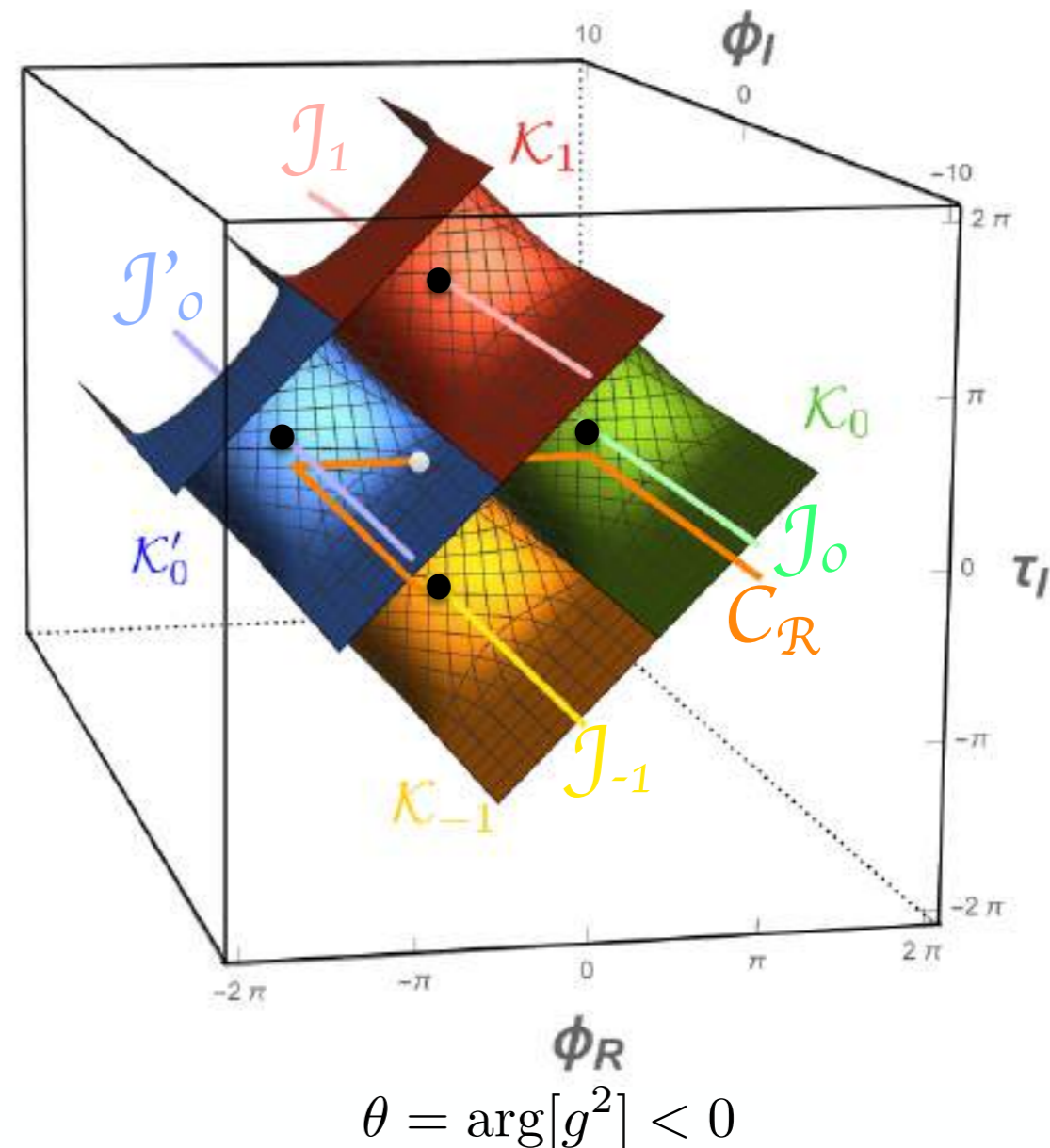
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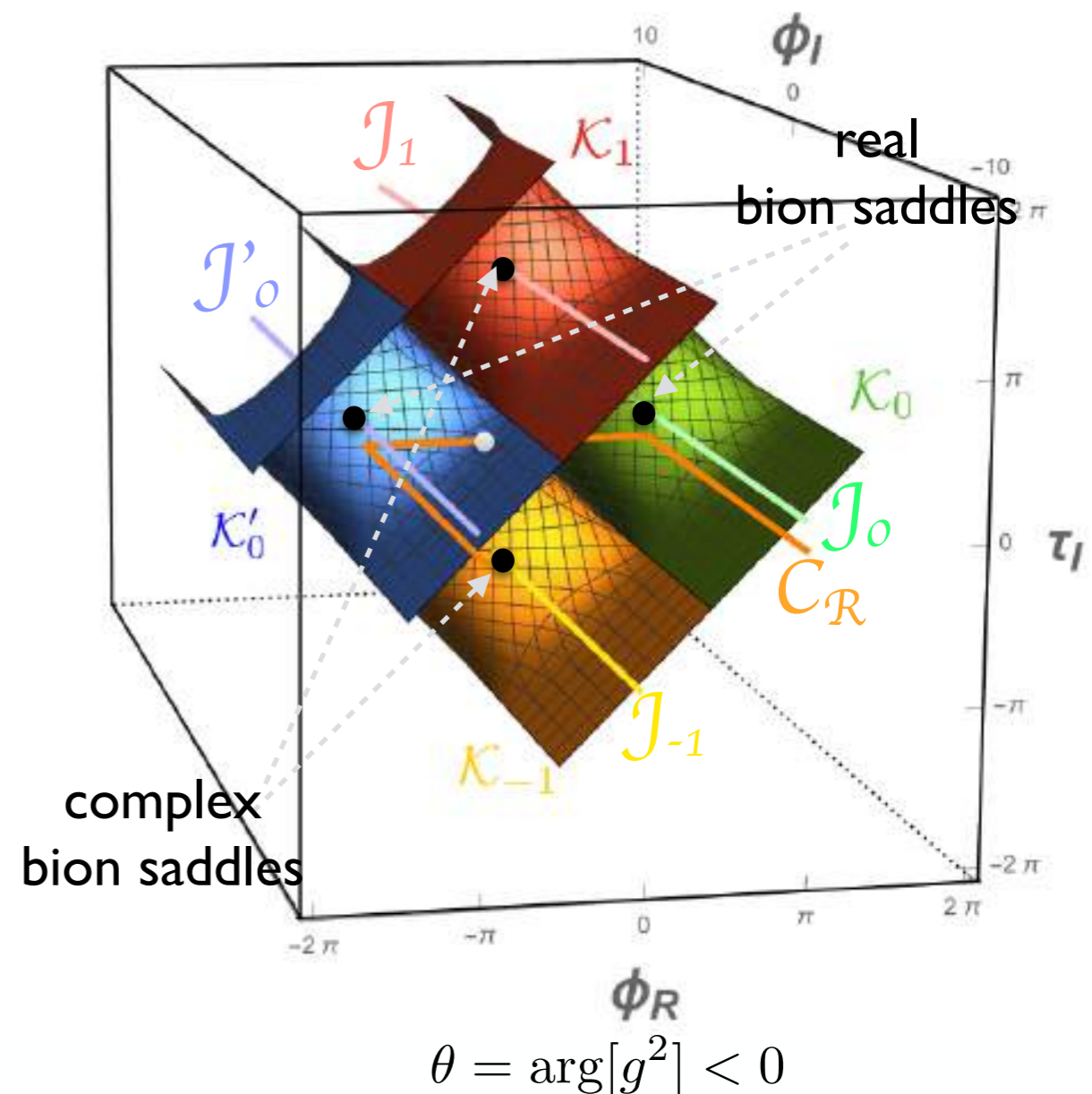
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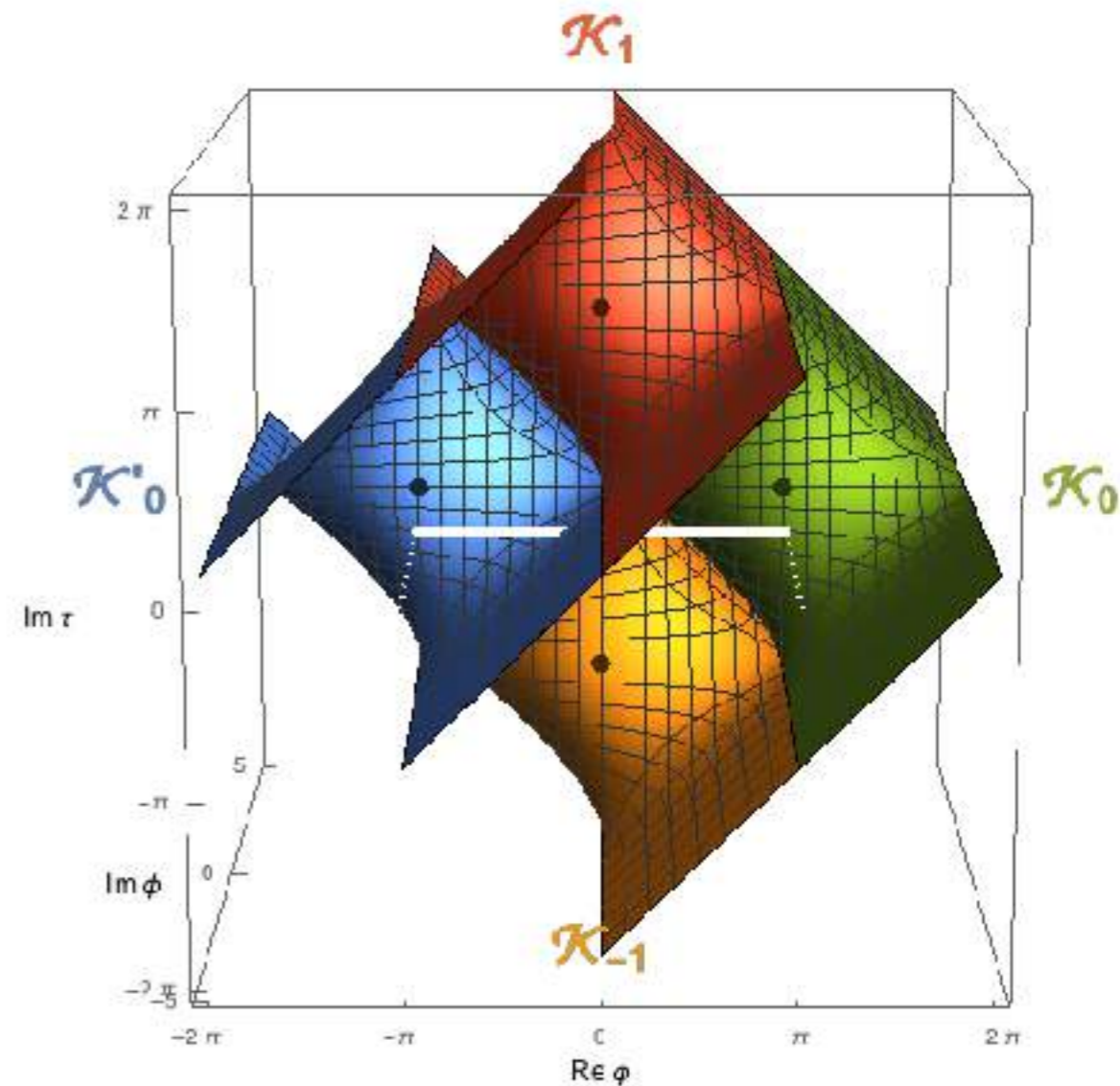
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$$\theta = \arg[g^2] < 0$$

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$$Z_{\text{q.m.}} = \sum_{\sigma} n_{\sigma} Z_{\sigma}$$

- Integral along Thimble  $J_{\sigma}$

$$Z_{\sigma} = \int_{\mathbb{R}} d\tau' \int_{i\mathbb{R}} d\phi' e^{-V} = \frac{i}{2m} \left( \frac{g^2 e^{i\theta}}{2m} \right)^{2\epsilon} e^{-2\pi i \epsilon \sigma} \Gamma(\epsilon)^2$$

- Intersection number of original contour & dual thimble  $K_{\sigma}$

$$(n_{-1}, n_0, n_1) = \begin{cases} (-1, 1, 0) & \text{for } \theta = -0 \quad \arg[g^2] < 0 \\ (0, -1, 1) & \text{for } \theta = +0 \quad \arg[g^2] > 0 \end{cases}$$

Stokes phenomena



Imaginary ambiguity



# Contributions from complex bions

Fujimori, Kamata, TM, Nitta, Sakai(16)(17)

## Bion contribution to ground-state energy

$$\delta\epsilon \equiv \epsilon - 1$$

$$E_{\text{bion}} = -2m \left( \frac{g^2}{2m} \right)^{2(\epsilon-1)} \frac{\sin \epsilon\pi}{\pi} \Gamma(\epsilon)^2 e^{-\frac{2m}{g^2}}$$

$$\times \begin{cases} e^{\pi i\epsilon} & \text{for } \theta = -0 \\ e^{-\pi i\epsilon} & \text{for } \theta = +0 \end{cases} .$$

$$= -2m e^{-\frac{2m}{g^2}} \delta\epsilon + 4m \left( \gamma + \log \frac{2m}{g^2} \pm \frac{i\pi}{2} \right) e^{-\frac{2m}{g^2}} \delta\epsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\delta\epsilon^3)$$

For  $p$  bions we obtain

$$E_p = -2m e^{-\frac{2pm}{g^2}} \delta\epsilon + 4mp^2 \left( \gamma + \log \frac{2m}{g^2} \pm \frac{i\pi}{2} \right) e^{-\frac{2pm}{g^2}} \delta\epsilon^2$$

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**Trans-series**

- Perturbative part (asymptotic form)

$$E_0^{(2)} \approx g^2 - 2m \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n-1)! \left( \frac{g^2}{2m} \right)^n \quad \leftarrow \quad A_l \sim -\frac{1}{2^{l-1}} \frac{\Gamma(l+2(1-\epsilon))}{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)^2}$$

Perturbative coefficients via  
Bender-Wu method

- Non-perturbative  $p$ -bion part (asymptotic form)

$$E_{\text{np}}^{(2)} \approx -2m \sum_{p=1}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{2mp}{g^2}} \left[ (p+1)^2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n-1)! \left( \frac{g^2}{2m} \right)^n + (p-1)^2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n-1)! \left( -\frac{g^2}{2m} \right)^n - 2p^2 \left( \gamma + \log \frac{2m}{g^2} \right) \right]$$

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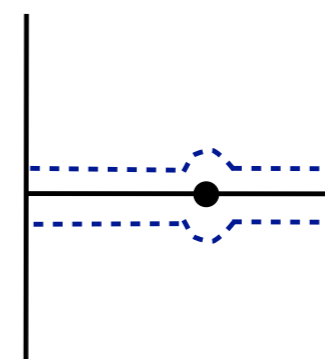
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Singularity on positive real axis

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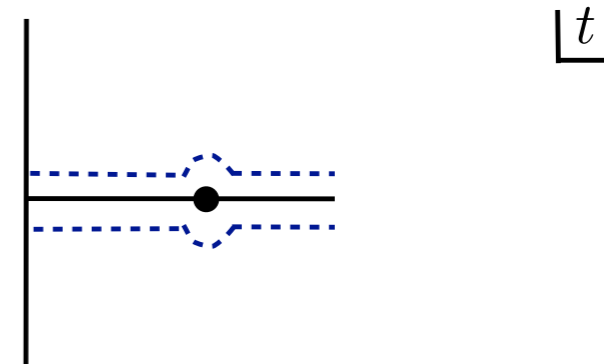
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$p$ -bion semiclassical  
contribution

= the quasi-moduli integral !

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Imaginary ambiguity of perturbation is cancelled by that of 1-bion semiclassical contribution

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$\swarrow$   $p=1$  bion

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**Cancelled**

$(p-1)$ -bion

$p$ -bion

Imaginary ambiguity of perturbation around  $(p-1)$ -bion is cancelled by that of semiclassical contribution of  $p$ -bion ! And it repeats to infinite  $p$ ...

**This is an example of the exact resurgent structure, in which exact cancellation of imaginary ambiguities to all orders of trans-series is observed.**

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- **SUSY-deformed Lagrangian**

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deformation term

- **$Z_N$ -twisted b.c.**

$$\varphi(y + 2\pi R) = e^{2\pi i m R} \varphi(y) \quad \psi_{\ell,r}(y + 2\pi R) = e^{2\pi i m R} \psi_{\ell,r}(y)$$

- **Bion solutions**

**Real:**  $\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2}} \frac{e^{i m y + i \phi_0}}{\sinh \omega(x - x_0)} \quad \left( \psi_{\ell,r} = 0 \quad \omega^2 = m^2 + \frac{m g^2 \delta\epsilon}{\pi R} \right)$

**Complex:**  $\varphi = \sqrt{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2}} \frac{i e^{i m y + i \phi_0}}{\cosh \omega(x - x_0)} \quad \tilde{\varphi} = \sqrt{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega^2 - m^2}} \frac{i e^{i m y - i \phi_0}}{\cosh \omega(x - x_0)}$



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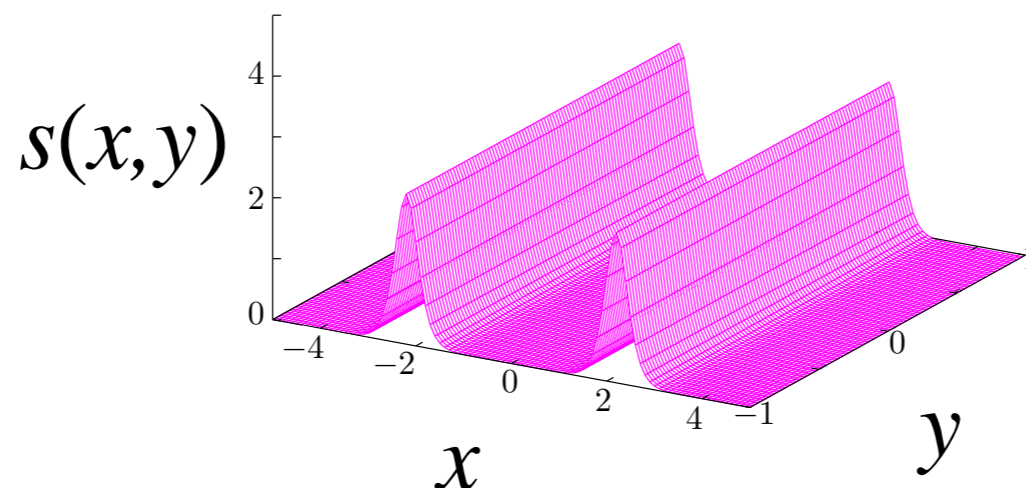
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composed of two  $1/N$  fractional instantons



homogeneous in  
compactified direction

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- **Quasi-moduli integral ( $N=2$ )**

**Bare effective action**  $S(x_r, \phi_r) = \frac{4\pi m R}{g^2} - \frac{8\pi m R}{g^2} \cos \phi_r e^{-m x_r} + 2m x_r$

**Bion contribution**  $Z_{\text{bion}} = 2\pi\beta \int_{\mathcal{M}} dx_r d\phi_r \mathcal{J} \frac{\det \Delta_F}{\det' \Delta_B} e^{-S}$  (small  $g^2$ )

**quantum fluctuation**

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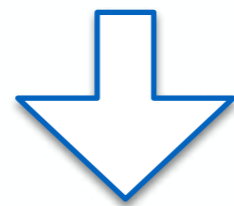
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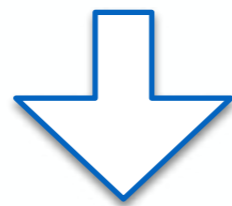
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**dynamical scale**

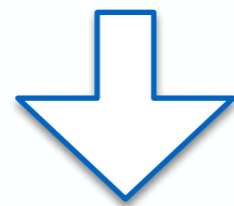
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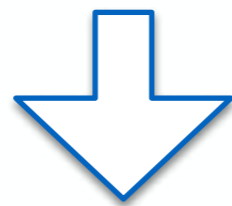
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**Resurgence with renormalized coupling**



## Question: is it related to the IR-renormalon on $\mathbb{R}^2$ ?

1. There have been intensive studies on this subject.

Ishikawa, Morikawa, Nakayama, Shibata, Suzuki, Takaura (19) Yamazaki, Yonekura (19)

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Fujimori, TM, Nishimura, Nitta, Sakai, in progress

See Marino, Reis (19)(20) for renormalons and resurgence in other models,

2. In any case, the key is whether the compactified theory is smoothly connected to the theory on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

3. This is the reason why we next discuss adiabatic continuity of  $Z_N$ -QFT by use of 't Hooft anomaly and lattice simulation

**So, let us start a journey to the continuity !**

## 2. Review of anomaly and lattice (for $Z_N$ -twisted 4D gauge theories)

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See also Shimizu, Yonekura (17)

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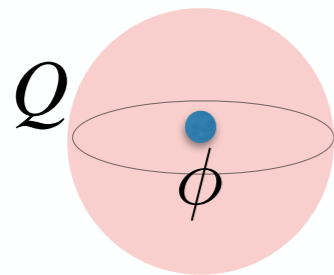
SSB of discrete sym.  
(gapped)

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# $Z_N$ 1-form symmetry in 4D

Gaiotto, Kapustin, Seiberg, Willett (14)

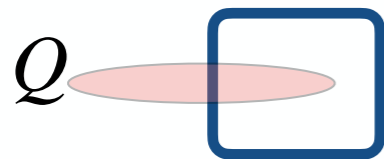
- 0-form symmetry = usual global symmetry, whose charged object is 0-dim point-like operator



$$\phi \rightarrow e^{i\frac{2\pi}{N}} \phi$$

$Z_N$  0-form symmetry

- 1-form symmetry = invariance under transf. by closed 1-form  $\epsilon^{(1)}$ , whose charged object is 1-dim line operator



$$W(C) \rightarrow \exp\left(\frac{i}{N} \int_C \epsilon^{(1)}\right) W(C) \quad a \rightarrow a + \epsilon^{(1)}/N$$

$$W(C) = \text{tr} \left[ iP \exp \int_C a \right]$$

Wilson loop in  $SU(N)$  YM

$$= e^{\frac{2\pi iZ}{N}} W(C) \quad \mathbf{Z_N 1-form symmetry}$$

$SU(N)$  Yang-Mills theory has  $Z_N$  1-form center symmetry at low- $T$

# How to gauge $Z_N$ 1-form symmetry

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•  $Z_N$ -gauged action with these U(1) fields  $\tilde{a} = a + \frac{1}{N}C$   $\tilde{G} = d\tilde{a} + i\tilde{a} \wedge \tilde{a}$

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includes discrete  
theta parameter  $p$

We note  $Z_N$  1-form symmetry itself has no 't Hooft anomaly, but  
CP symmetry may be broken  $\rightarrow$  Mixed 't Hooft anomaly

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- **If  $N$  is even, it obviously has mixed 't Hooft anomaly**
- **If  $N$  is odd, " $2p-1=0 \pmod N$ " is possible, but it's inconsistent with the anomaly-absent condition " $2p=0 \pmod N$ " for  $\theta=0$**



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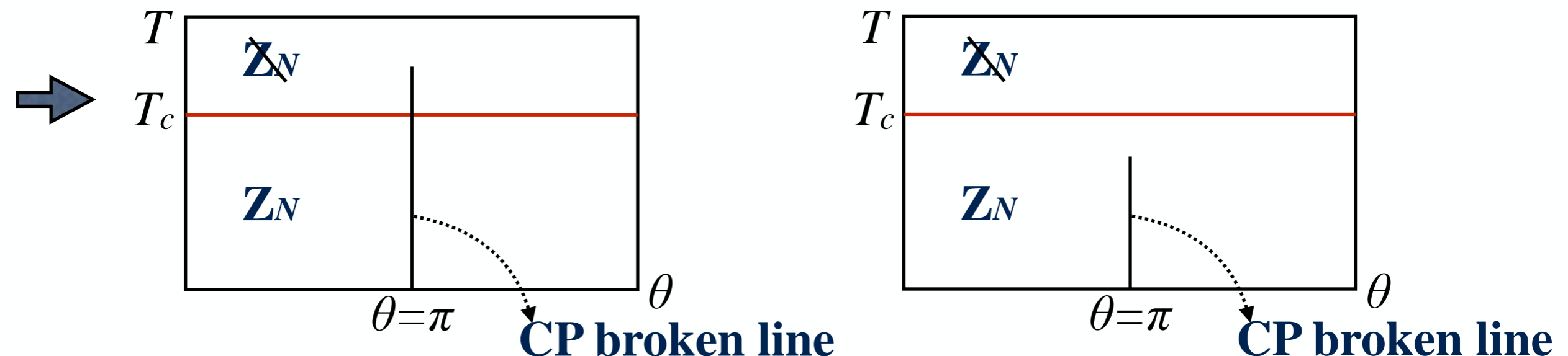
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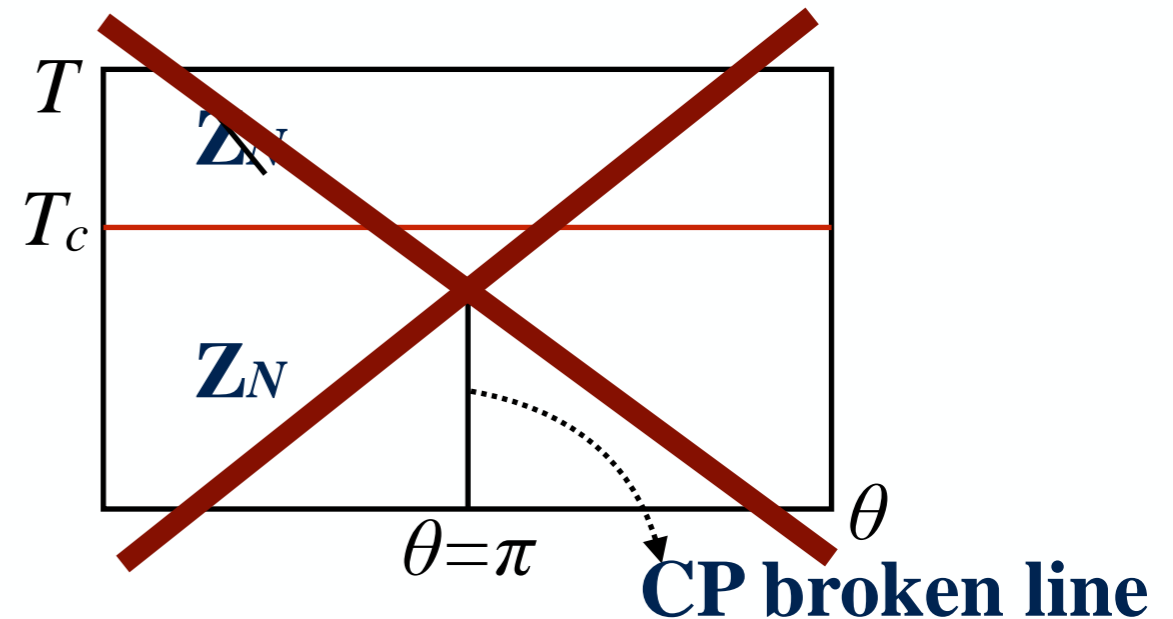
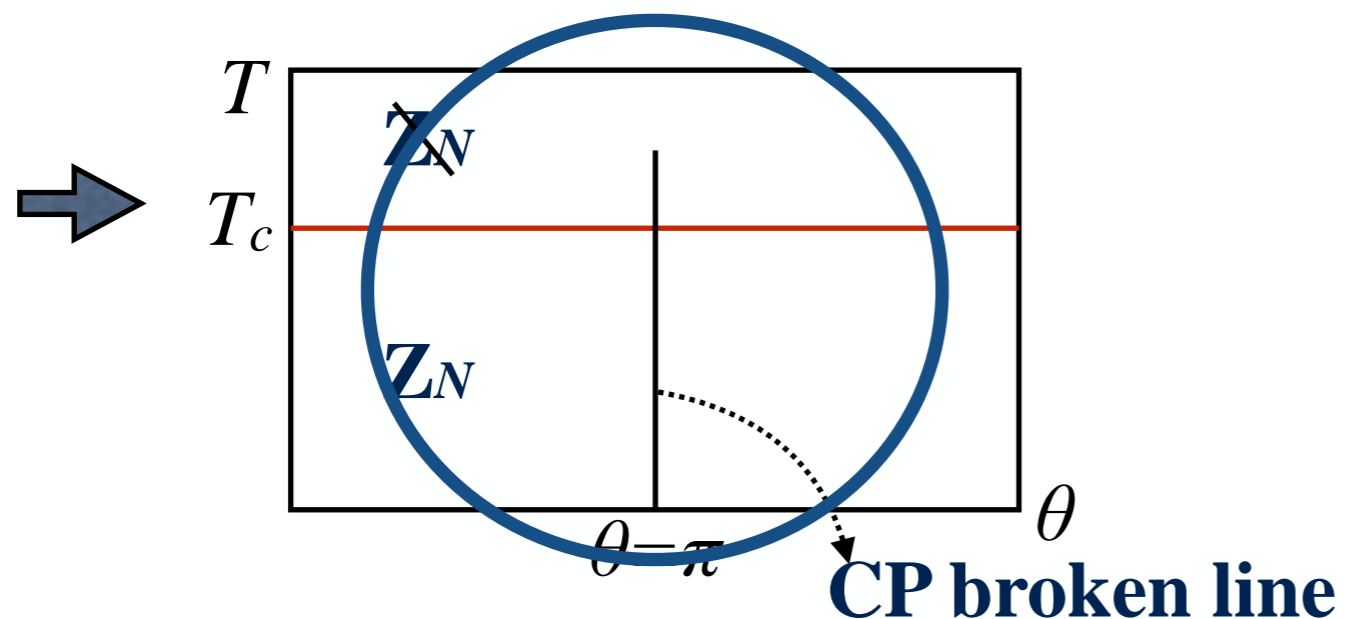
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- Flavor and chiral symmetries  $\frac{SU(N)_L \times SU(N)_R \times U(1)_V \times (\mathbb{Z}_{2N})_A}{(\mathbb{Z}_N)_{\text{color}} \times (\mathbb{Z}_N)_L \times (\mathbb{Z}_N)_R \times \mathbb{Z}_2}$
- We here concentrate only on subgroups of the symmetries

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- Procedure of gauging the vector-like symmetry is similar to that in YM
- After gauging  $SU(N)_{\text{flavor}}$ , we encounter  $\mathbb{Z}_N$  1-form symmetry  
 as a result of the quotient  $(\mathbb{Z}_N)_{\text{color-flavor}} \rightarrow (B, C)$  fields are needed

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However, this 't Hooft anomaly disappears in compactified theory...

# $Z_N$ -QCD theory on $R^3 \times S^1$

- **Introducing  $SU(N)_{\text{flavor}}$   $Z_N$  holonomy =  $Z_N$ -QCD**

Kouno, et.al. (12~)  
Iritani, Ito, TM (15)  
Cherman et.al. (16~)

$$\Omega = e^{i\phi} \text{diag}[1, \omega, \omega^2, \dots, \omega^{N-1}] \quad \omega \equiv e^{\frac{2\pi i}{N}}$$

Equivalent to flavor-dependent  $Z_N$  twisted boundary condition

$$\Psi(\mathbf{x}, x^4 + L) = \Psi(\mathbf{x}, x^4) \Omega \quad \xrightarrow{L \rightarrow \infty} \quad N\text{-flavor QCD on } R^4$$

➔ we have a new intertwined  $Z_N$  0-form symmetry

$$\frac{\Psi \mapsto \Psi S}{\text{flavor rotation}}$$

$$+ \quad \frac{\Omega \rightarrow \omega \Omega}{Z_N \text{ 0-form transf. (center)}}$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

named as color-flavor center symmetry  $(Z_N)_S$



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Let us gauge flavor and  $(Z_N)_S$ , then perform  $(Z_{2N})_{\text{axial}}$  transformation

$$\mathcal{Z}_\Omega[(A_K, B^{(1)}, B^{(2)})] = \mathcal{Z}[(A_K + B^{(1)} + A_{\text{cl}}, B^{(2)} + B^{(1)} \wedge L^{-1} dx^4)]$$

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Mixed anomaly survives !

## Mixed 't Hooft anomaly among

$(Z_N)_S$   
color-flavor  
center sym.

$U(1)^{N-1}/(Z_N)_{\text{color-flavor}}$   
flavor sym.

$(Z_{2N})_{\text{axial}}$   
axial sym.

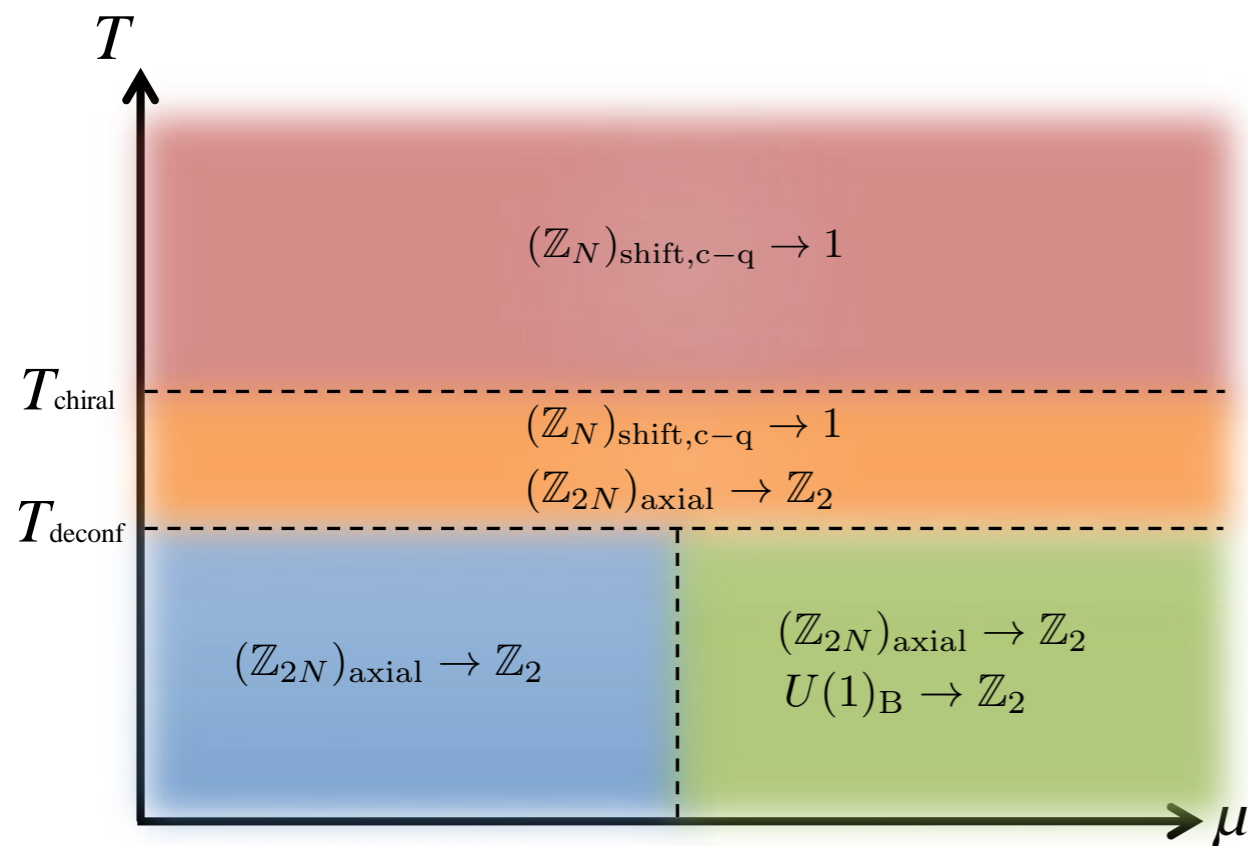
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**$Z_N$ -twisted boundary condition works to make 't Hooft anomaly survives in compactified theory.**

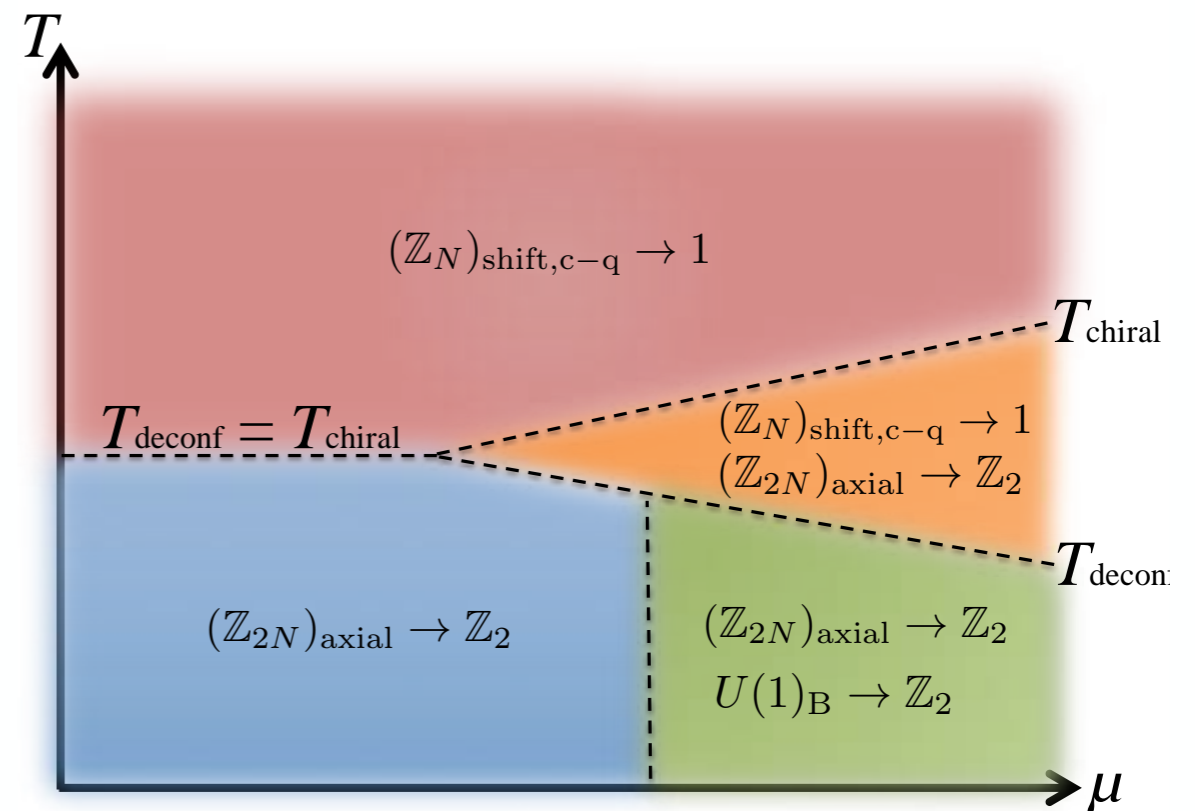
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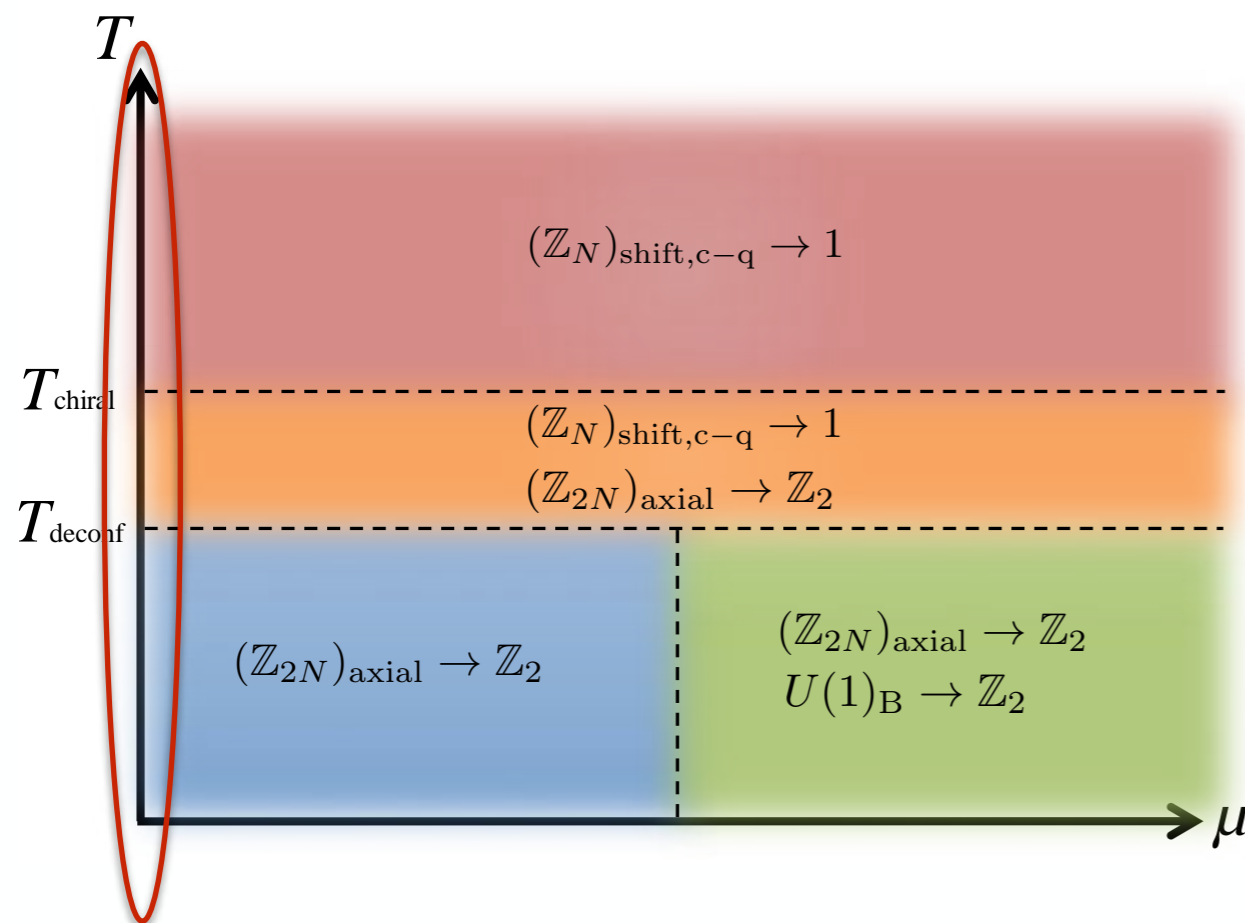


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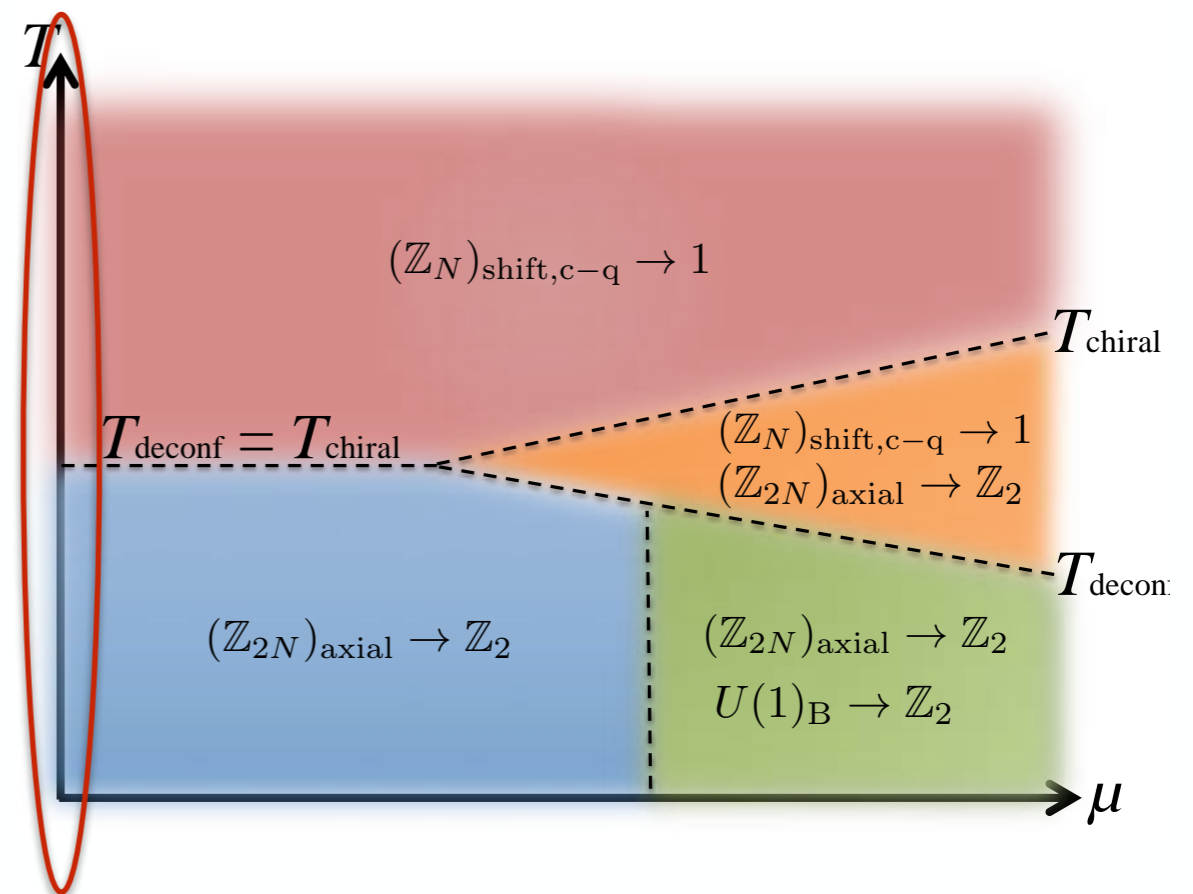
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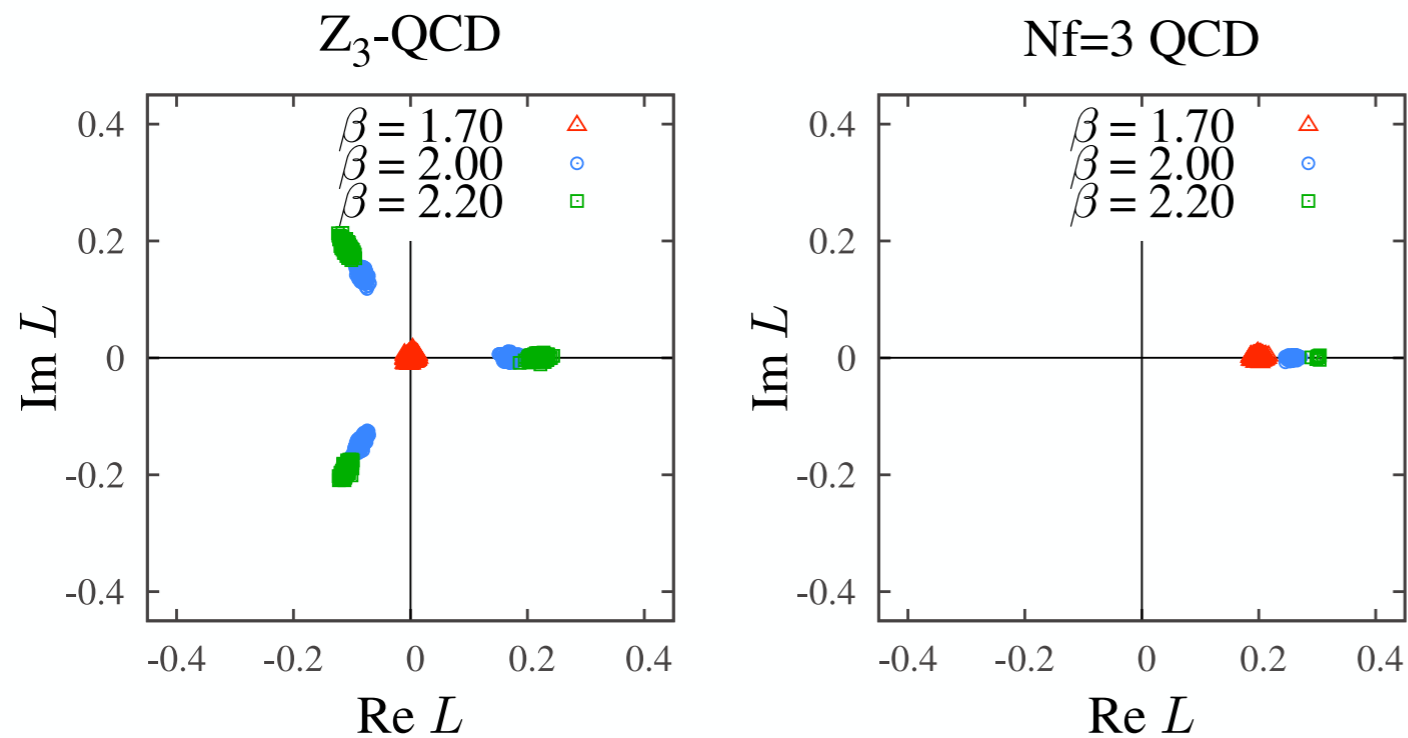
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We can compare these with the lattice results Iritani, Itou, TM (15)

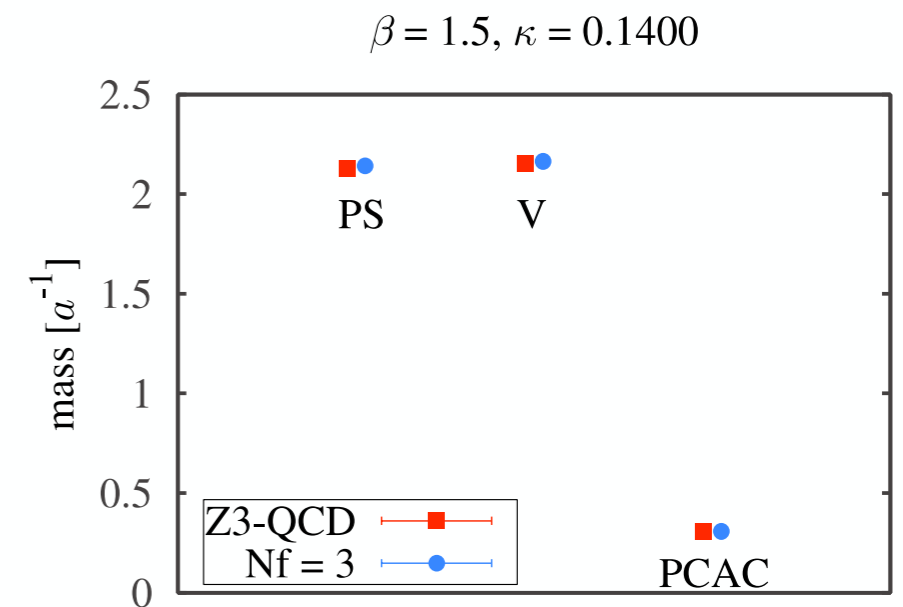
# Comparison with lattice $Z_3$ -QCD on $R^3 \times S^1$

Iritani, Itou, TM (15)

- Polyakov-loop distribution plot



- Hadron spectrum



Low-T : around the origin  $\sim Z_3$ -sym  
 High-T : equiv. 3 vacua  $\sim$  SSB of  $Z_3$   
 **$\rightarrow Z_3$  at the action level**

Low-T : on the real axis  
 High-T : on the real axis  
 **$\rightarrow$  Explicit  $Z_3$  breaking**

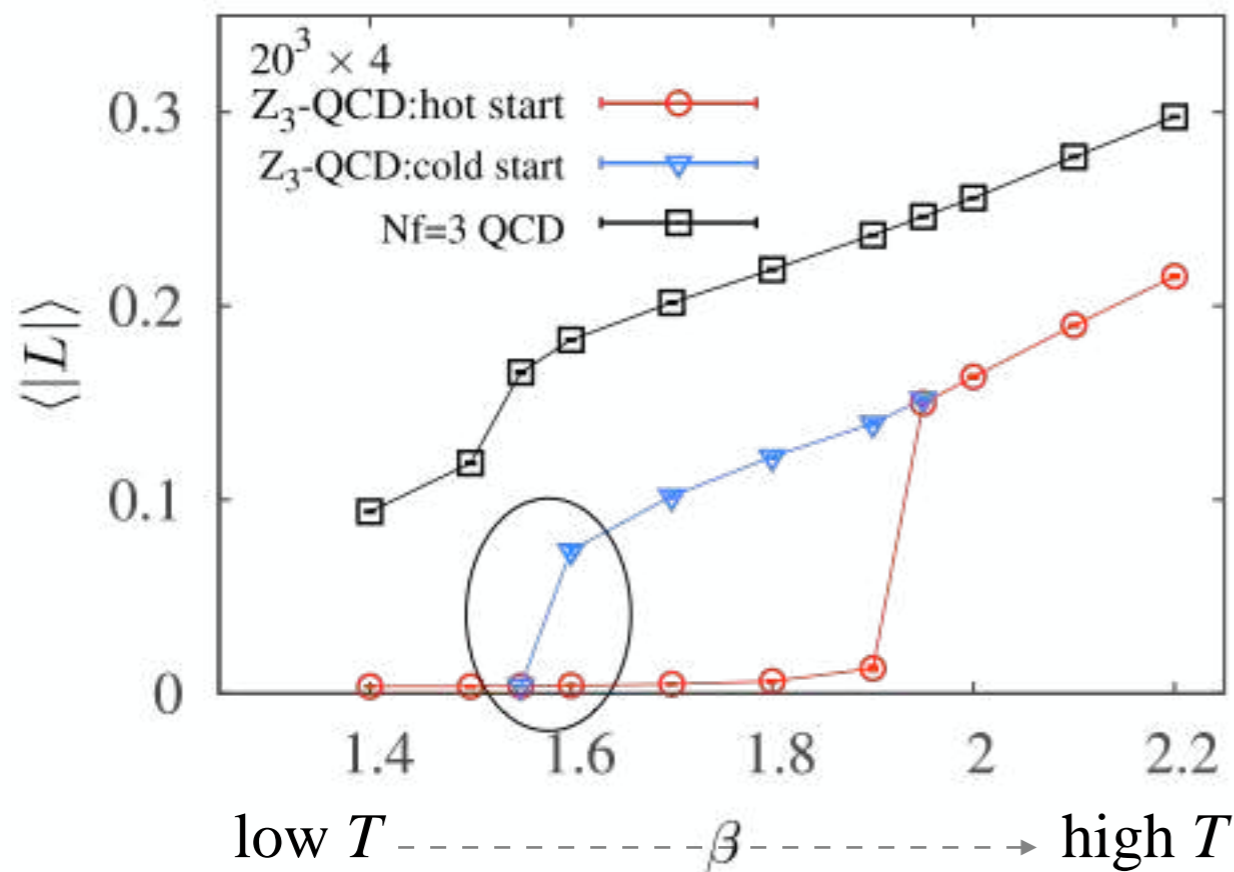
At zero temperature,  
 meson spectrum agrees with  
 that of usual QCD

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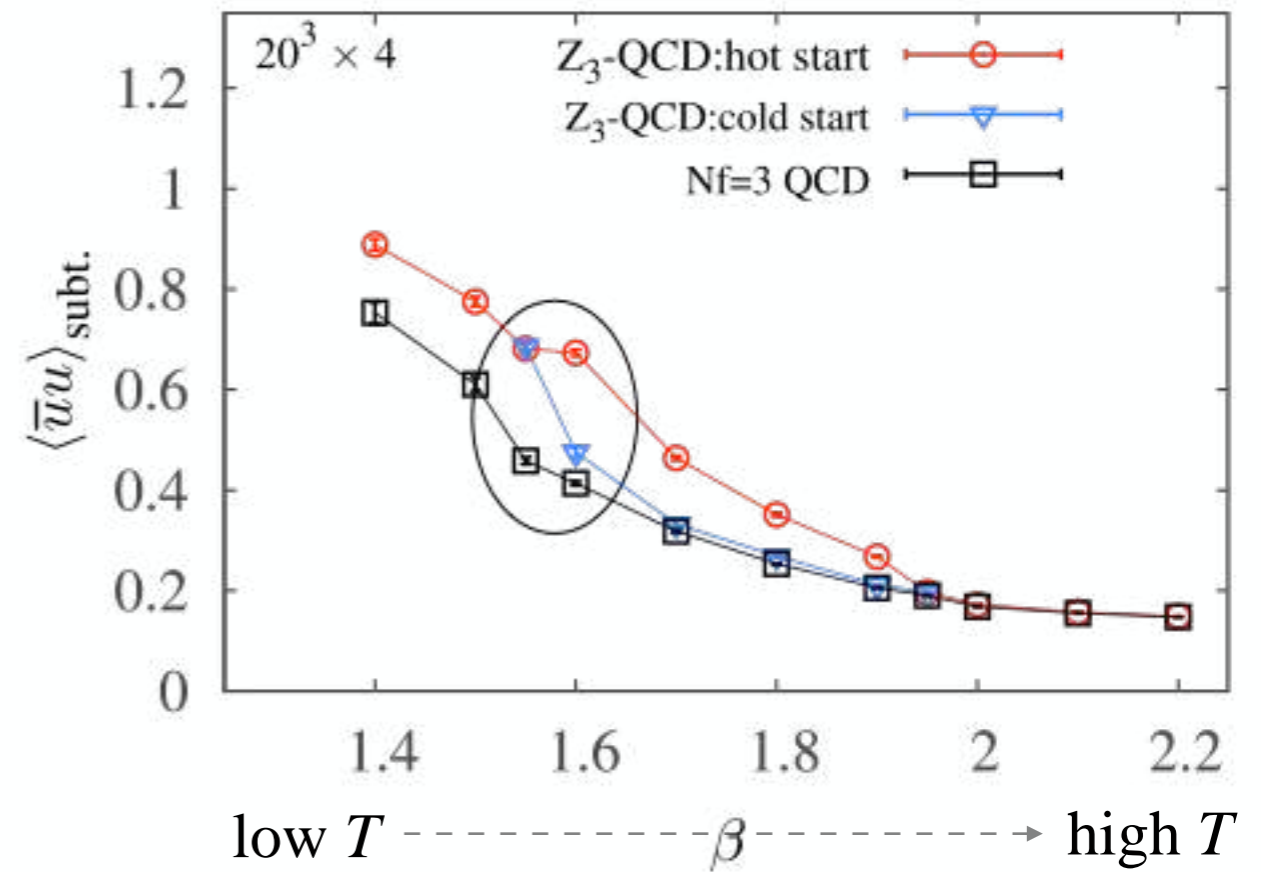
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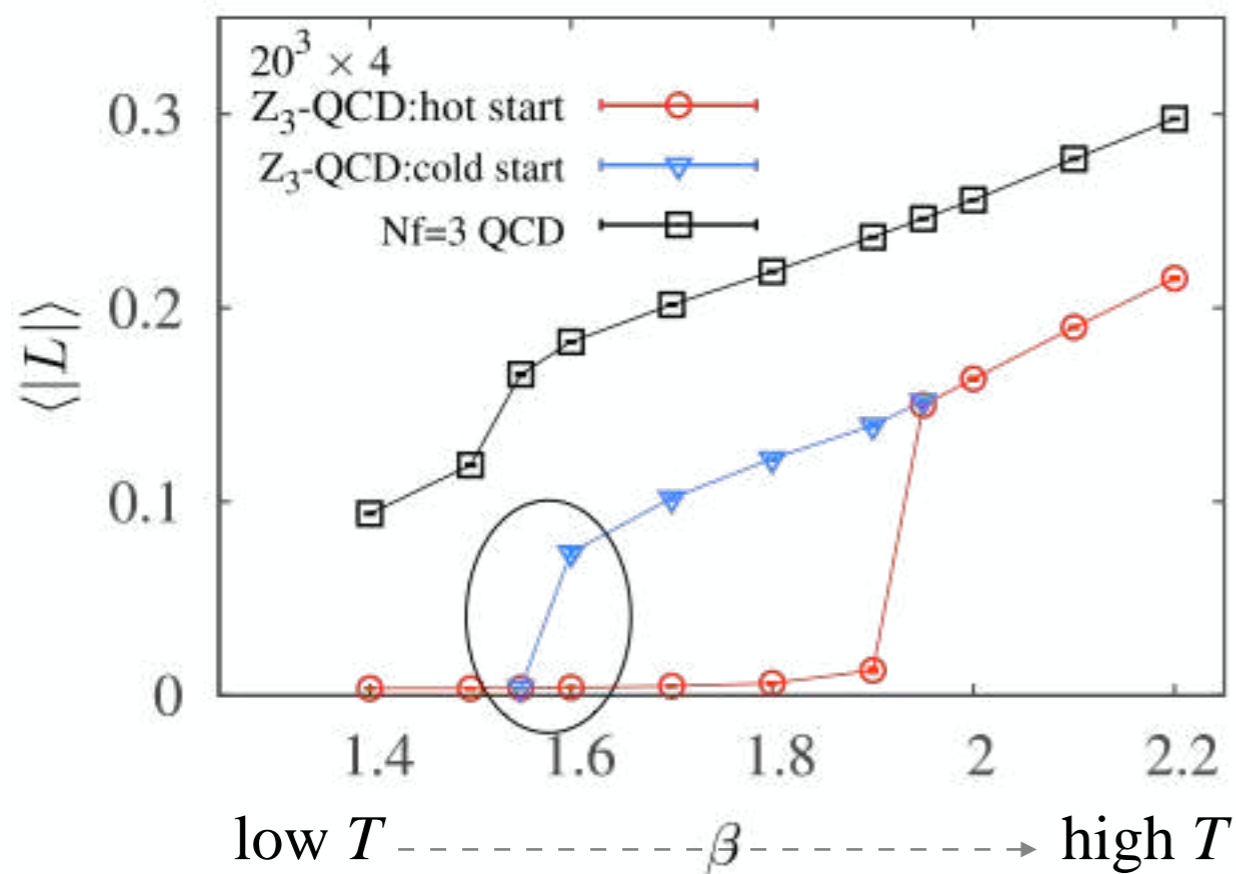
Chiral transition never occurs below the center transition temperature. It is consistent with the absence of trivially-gapped phase, or the result of the 't Hooft anomaly matching!

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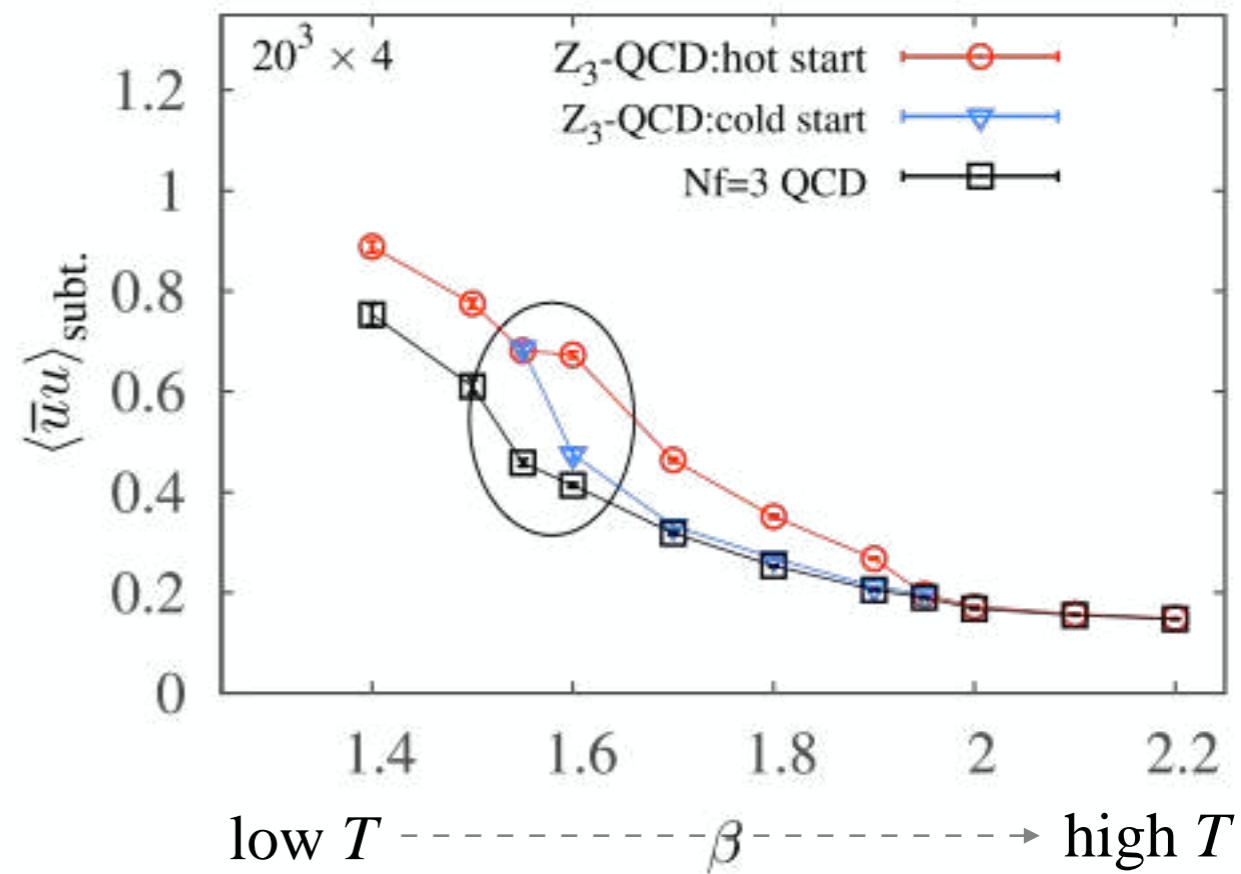
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For feasible way to realize adiabatic continuity in  $Z_N$ -QCD, see Cherman, Schafer, Unsal (16): heavy adjoint quark is a key

### 3. Adiabatic continuity in $CP^{N-1}$ model on $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$

Tanizaki, TM, Sakai (17)

Fujimori, Itou, TM, Nitta, Sakai (19)(20)



# Anomaly matching for $CP^{N-1}$ models with $\theta=\pi$

Komargodski, Sharon, Thorngren, Zhou (17)

We first study mixed 't Hooft anomaly on  $R^2$  between

flavor  $SU(N)/\mathbb{Z}_N$  time reversal  $T$

To show it, we gauge flavor sym. and perform  $T$  transformation

$$\mathcal{Z}_\pi[T \cdot (A, B)] \exp\left(-ik \int T \cdot B\right) = \mathcal{Z}_\pi[(A, B)] \exp\left(-ik \int B\right) e^{i(2k-1) \int B}$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\frac{2\pi\mathbb{Z}}{N}$

For even  $N$ , it has a mixed 't Hooft anomaly for  $\theta=\pi$

For odd  $N$ , it has global inconsistency between  $\theta=0, \pi$

➡ It indicates spontaneous  $T$  breaking at  $\theta=\pi$  on  $R^2$

On  $R \times S^1$  this mixed 't Hooft anomaly disappears.....

# $Z_N$ -twisted $CP^{N-1}$ model at $\theta=\pi$ on $R \times S^1$

Tanizaki, TM, Sakai (17)

$Z_N$  twisted boundary condition in  $S^1$  direction

$$\vec{z}(x^1, x^2 + L) = \Omega \vec{z}(x^1, x^2) \quad \Omega = \text{diag}(1, \omega, \dots, \omega^{N-1})$$

→ we have intertwined  $Z_N$  0-form shift symmetry  $(Z_N)_S$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \underline{\vec{z} \rightarrow S\vec{z}} & \& \underline{\Omega \rightarrow \omega\Omega} \\ \text{flavor rotation} & & Z_N \text{ 0-form transf.} \end{array}$$

→ we gauge  $(Z_N)_S$  by U(1) 1-form field  $B^{(1)}$  then perform T transf.

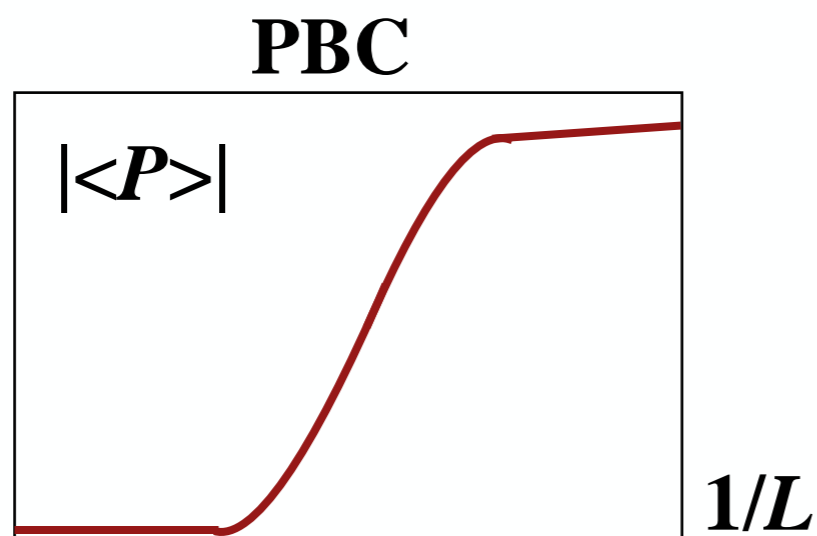
→ 
$$\mathcal{Z}_{\pi, \Omega}[\mathbb{T} \cdot B^{(1)}] = \mathcal{Z}_{\pi, \Omega}[B^{(1)}] \exp\left(-i \int B^{(1)}\right)$$
 **Mixed anomaly survives !**

Mixed anomaly (global inconsistency) btwn  $Z_N$  and T survives on  $R \times S^1$ .  
It is a necessary condition of adiabatic continuity, but not conclusive...

# Lattice simulation for $Z_N$ -twisted $CP^{N-1}$ model

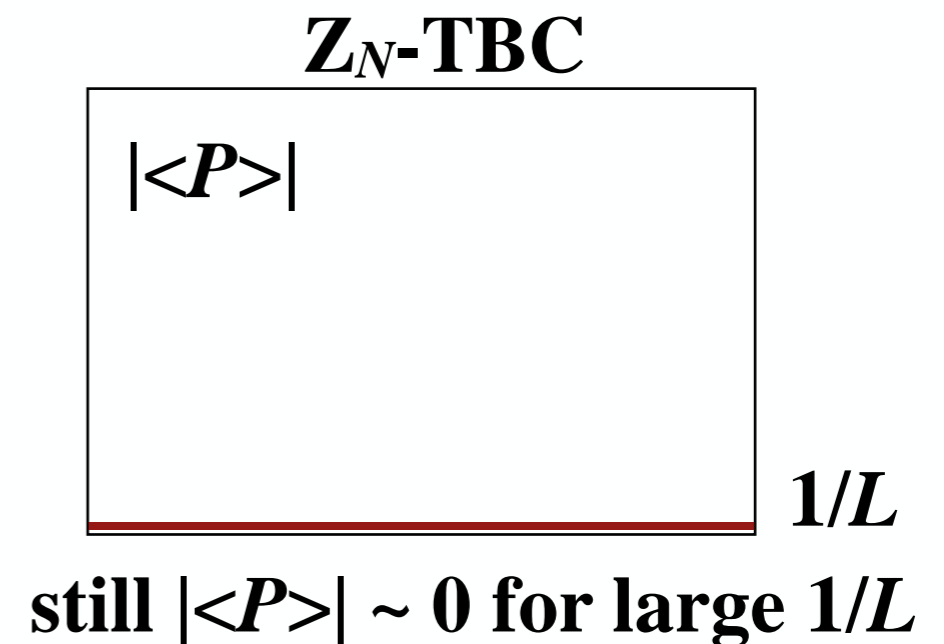
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What we want to check is the following conjecture:



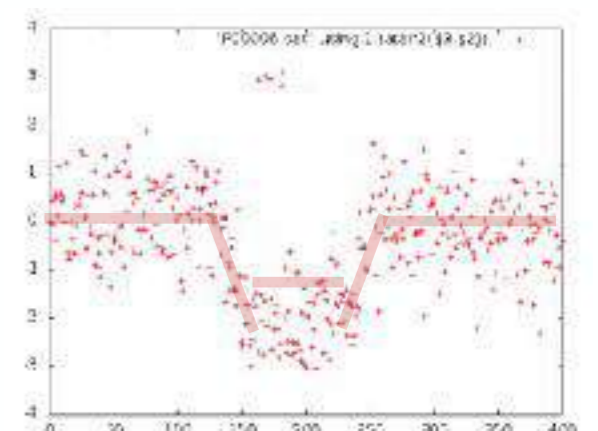
$|\langle P \rangle| \neq 0$  for large  $1/L$

Fujimori, Itou, TM, Nitta, Sakai (19)



We will show very suggestive results on fractional instantons and adiabatic continuity

Fujimori, Itou, TM, Nitta, Sakai (20)




# Setup of lattice simulation

cf.) Berg,Luscher(81), Campostrini,et.al.(92),Alles,et.al.(00), Flynn,et.al.(15),Abe,et.al.(18)

• **Lattice formulation**  $S = -N\beta \sum_{n,\mu} (\bar{z}_{n+\mu} \cdot z_n \lambda_{n,\mu} + \bar{z}_n \cdot z_{n+\mu} \bar{\lambda}_{n,\mu} - 2)$

Vector field  $\phi$  is introduced:  $\phi_{2j} = \Re[z_{n,j}], \quad \phi_{2j+1} = \Im[z_{n,j}], \quad j = 0, \dots, N-1$   
 $\phi_{\mu}^R = \Re[\lambda_{\mu}], \quad \phi_{\mu}^I = \Im[\lambda_{n,\mu}],$

  $s_{\phi} = -N\beta \phi \cdot F_{\phi} = -N\beta |F_{\phi}| \cos \theta$

Over heat-bath algorithm is adopted to update this  $\theta$

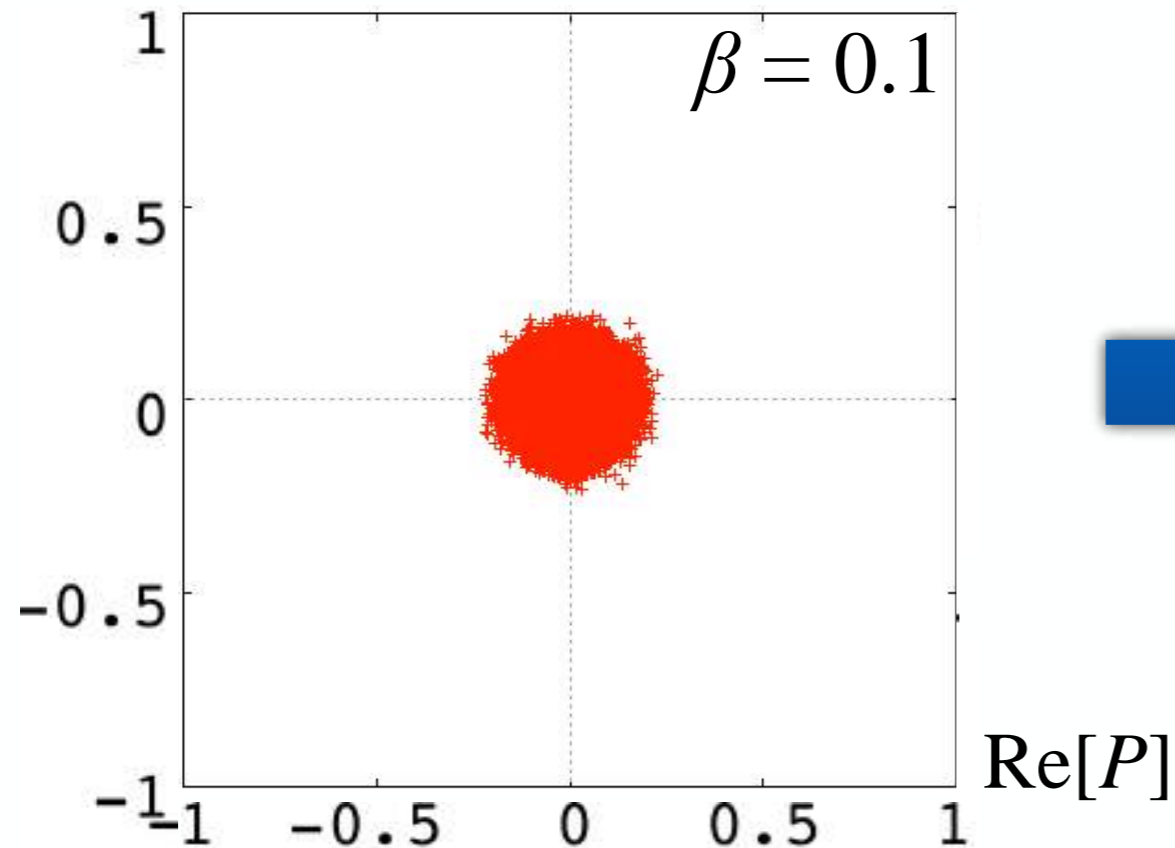
## • Parameters and quantities

$$N_x = 200 \quad N_{\tau} = 8, \quad \beta = 0.1-4.0, \quad N = 3-20, \quad N_{\text{sweep}} = 800,000$$

- Distribution and expectation values of Polyakov loop
- "Pseudo" entropy density  $s = L_{\tau}(\langle T_{xx} \rangle - \langle T_{\tau\tau} \rangle)$

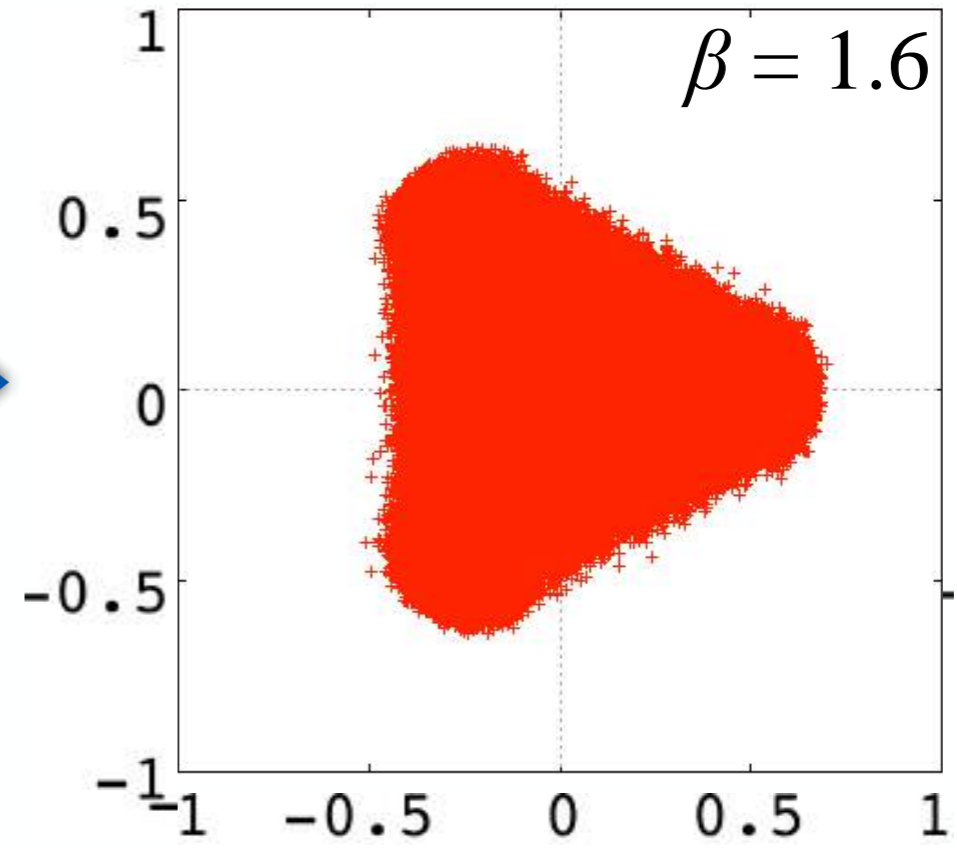
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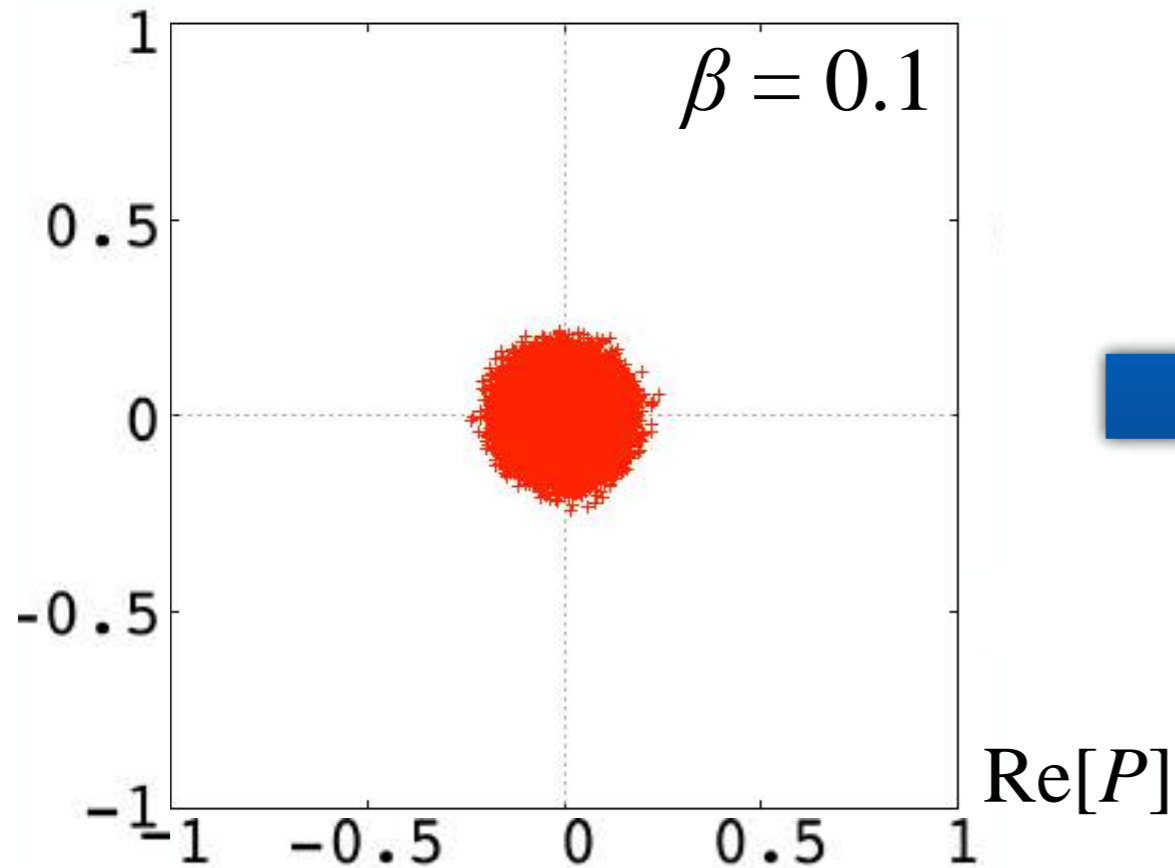
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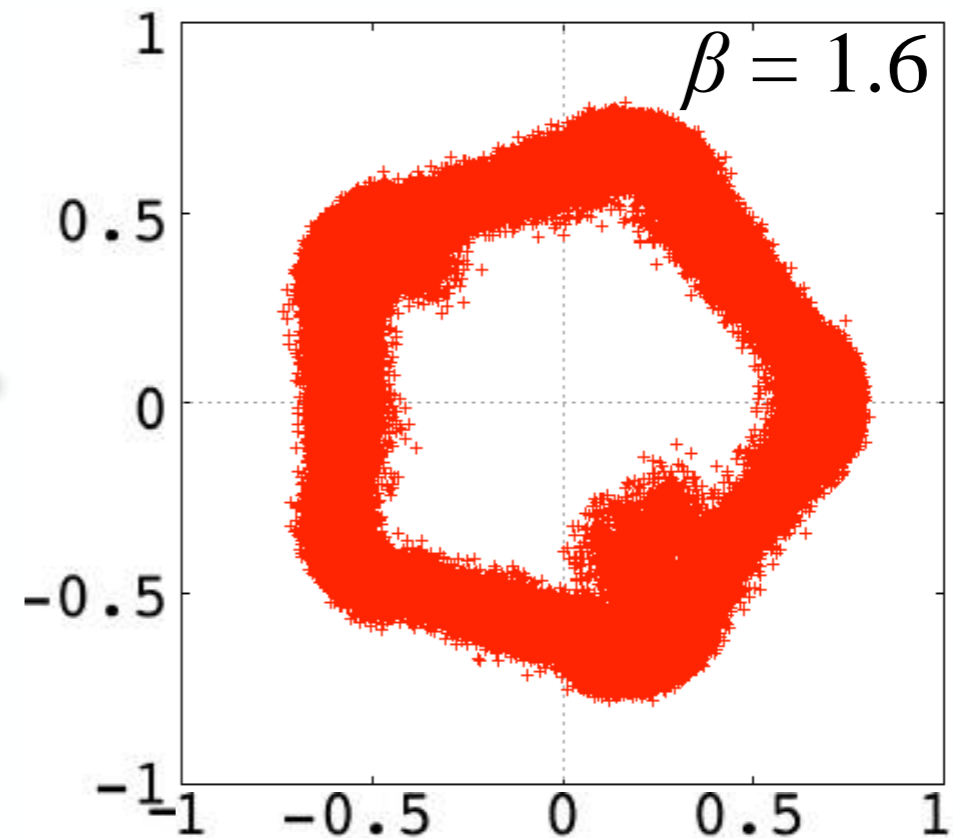
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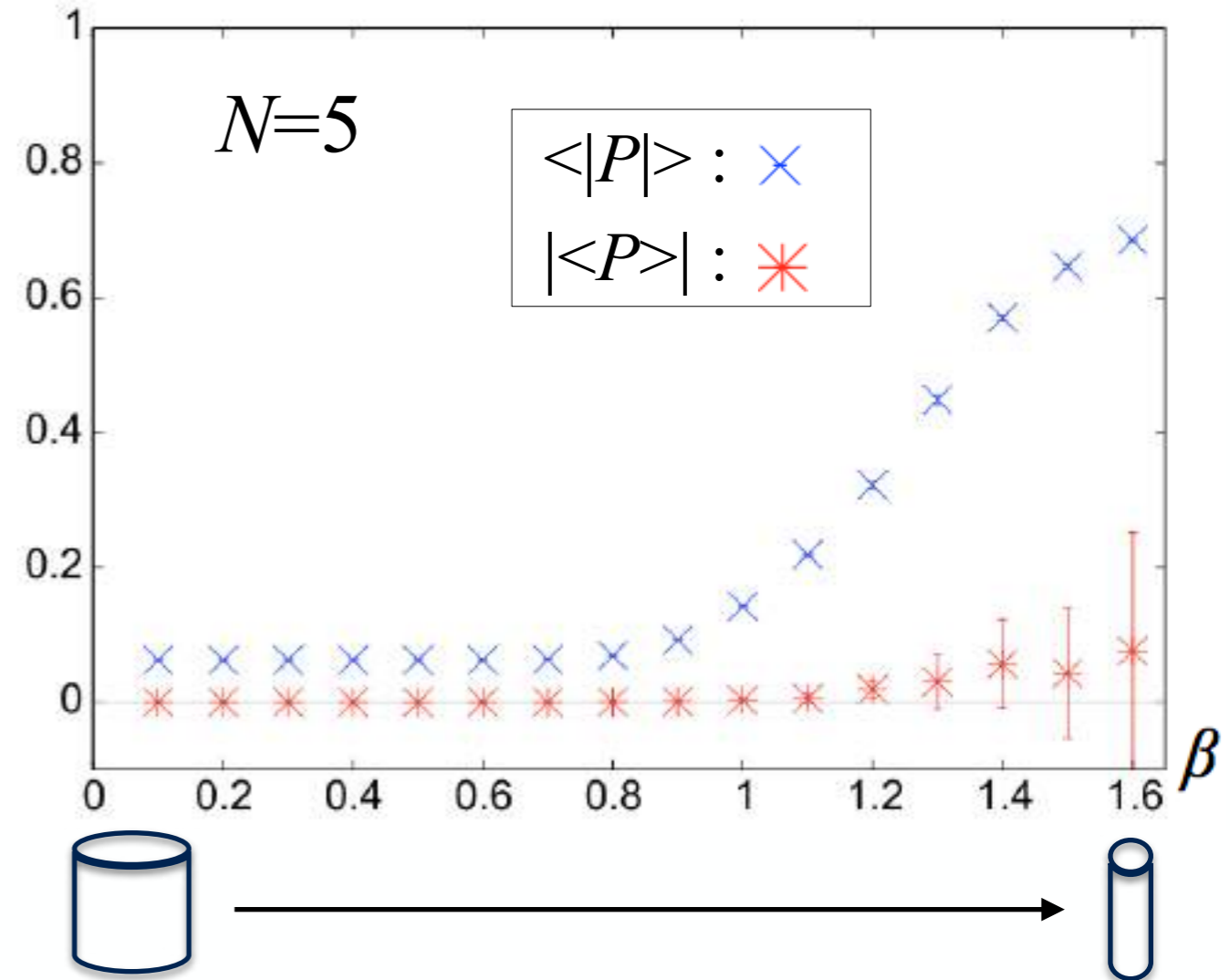
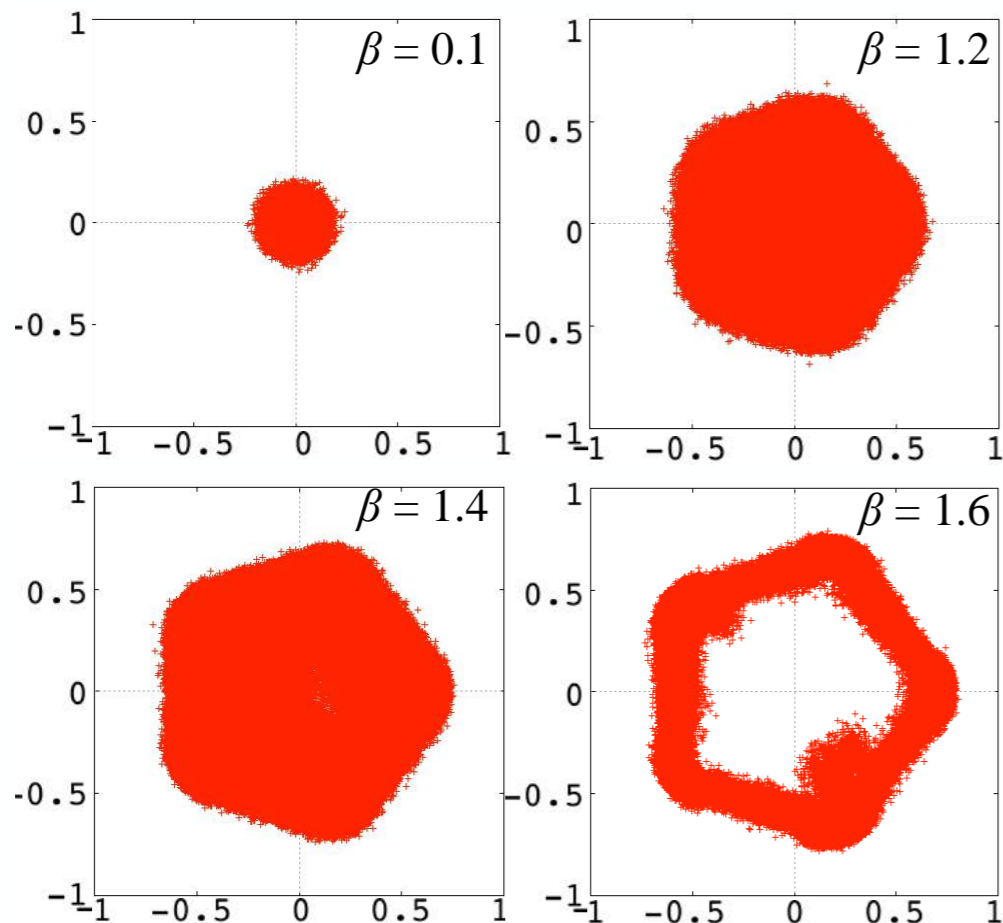
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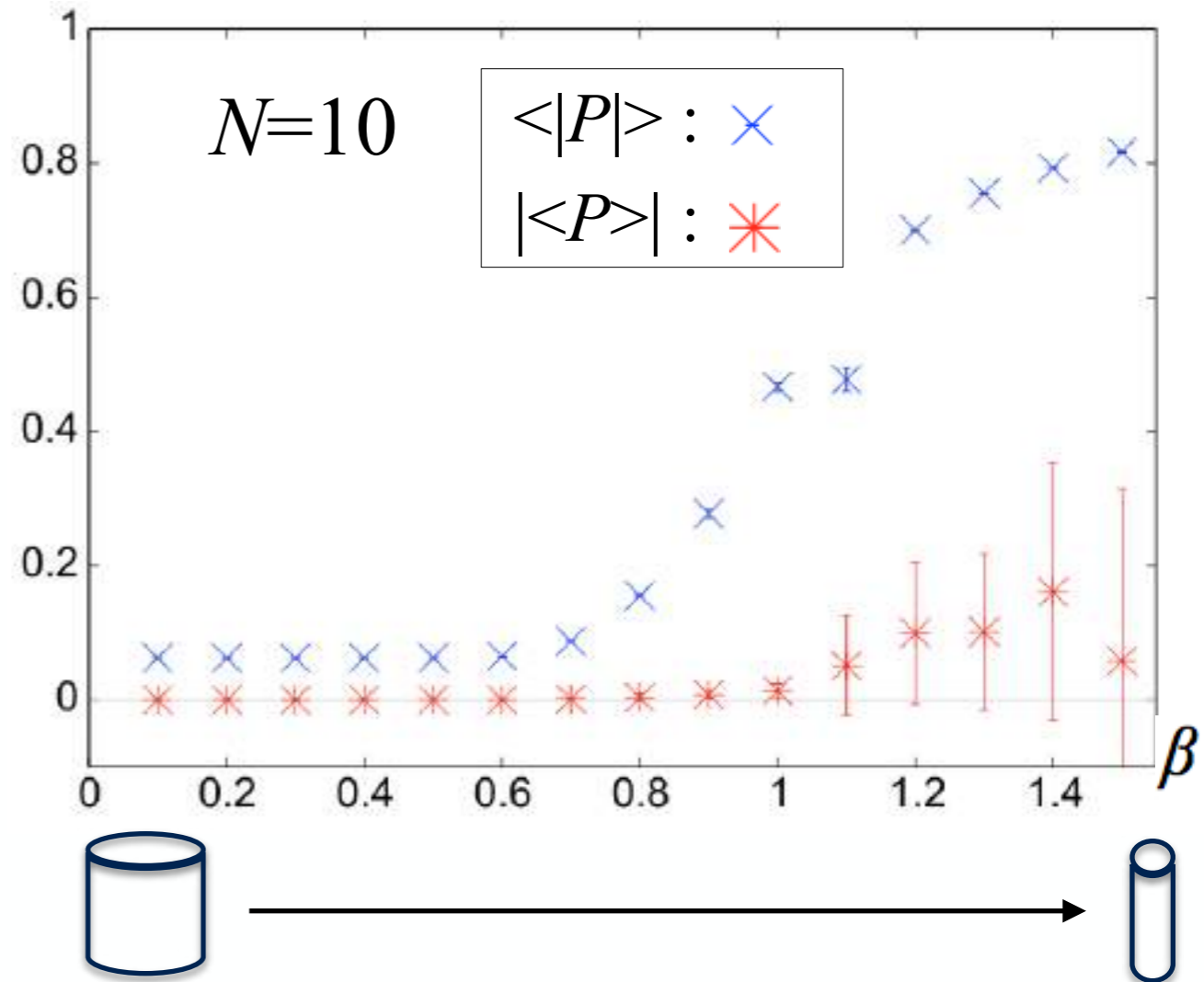
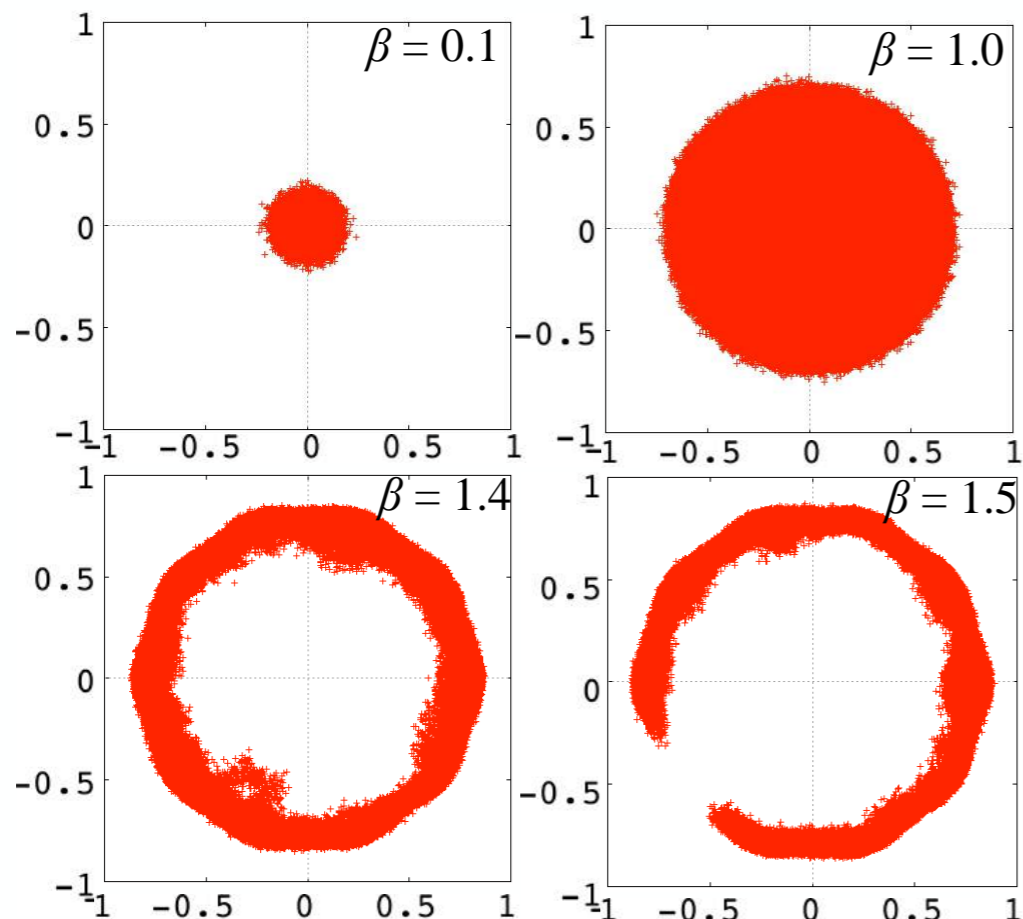


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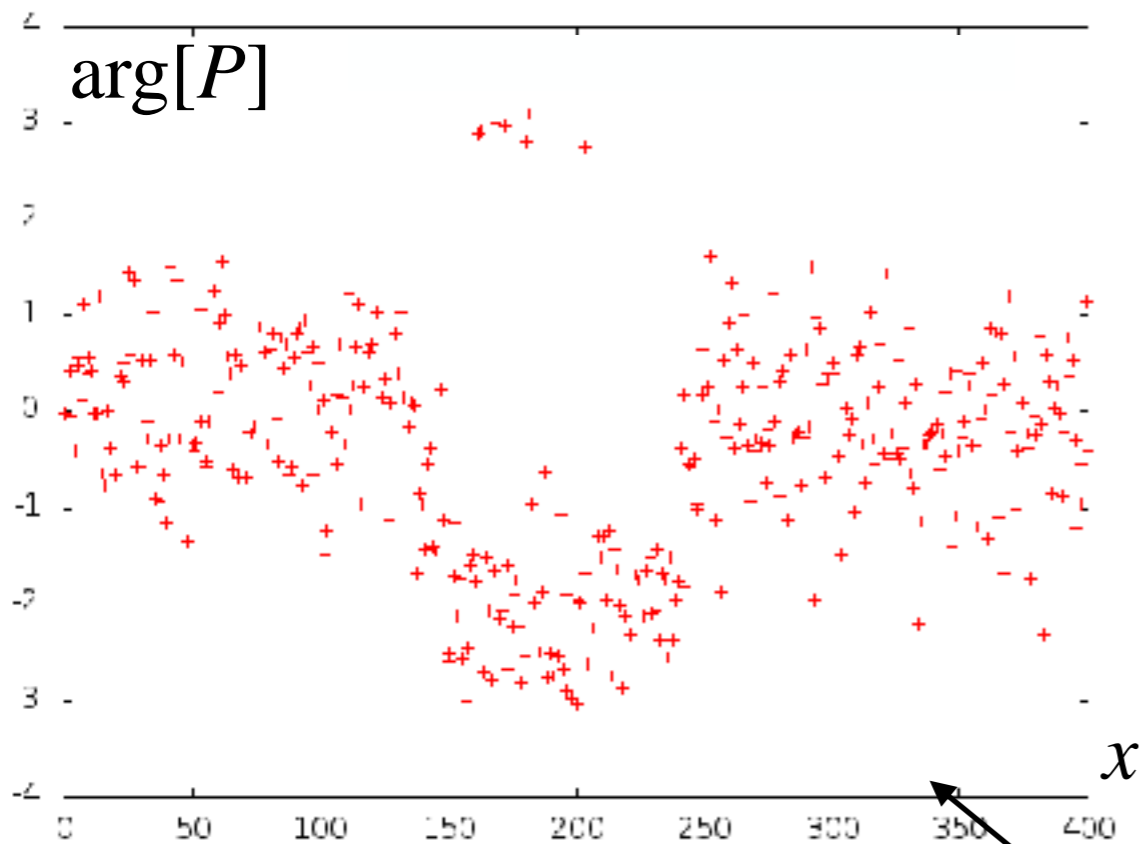
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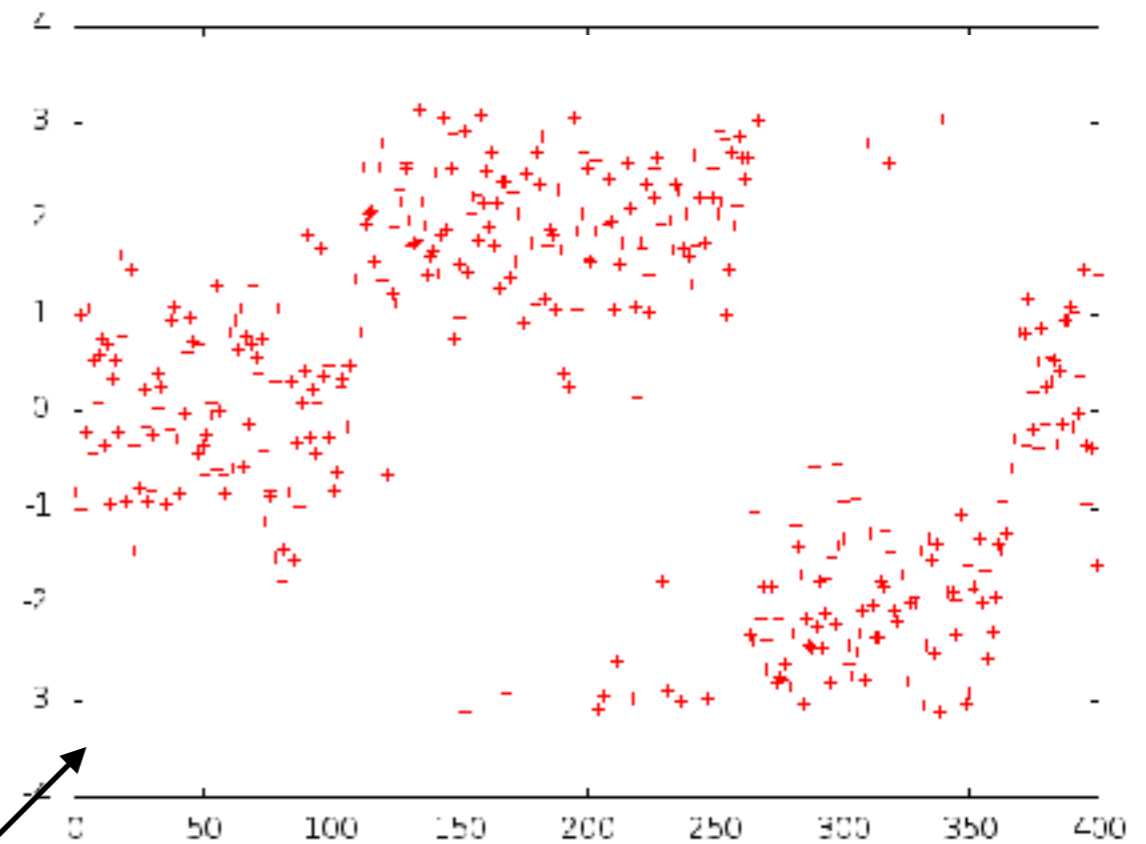


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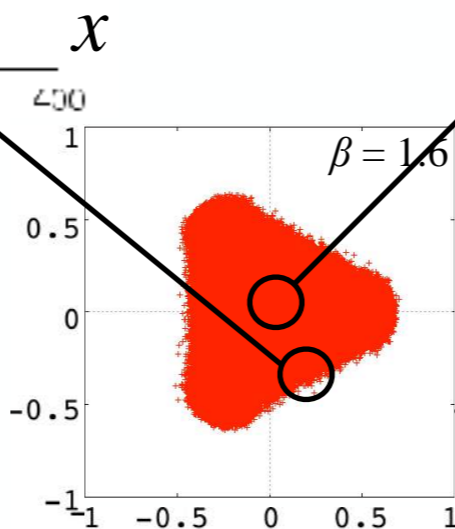
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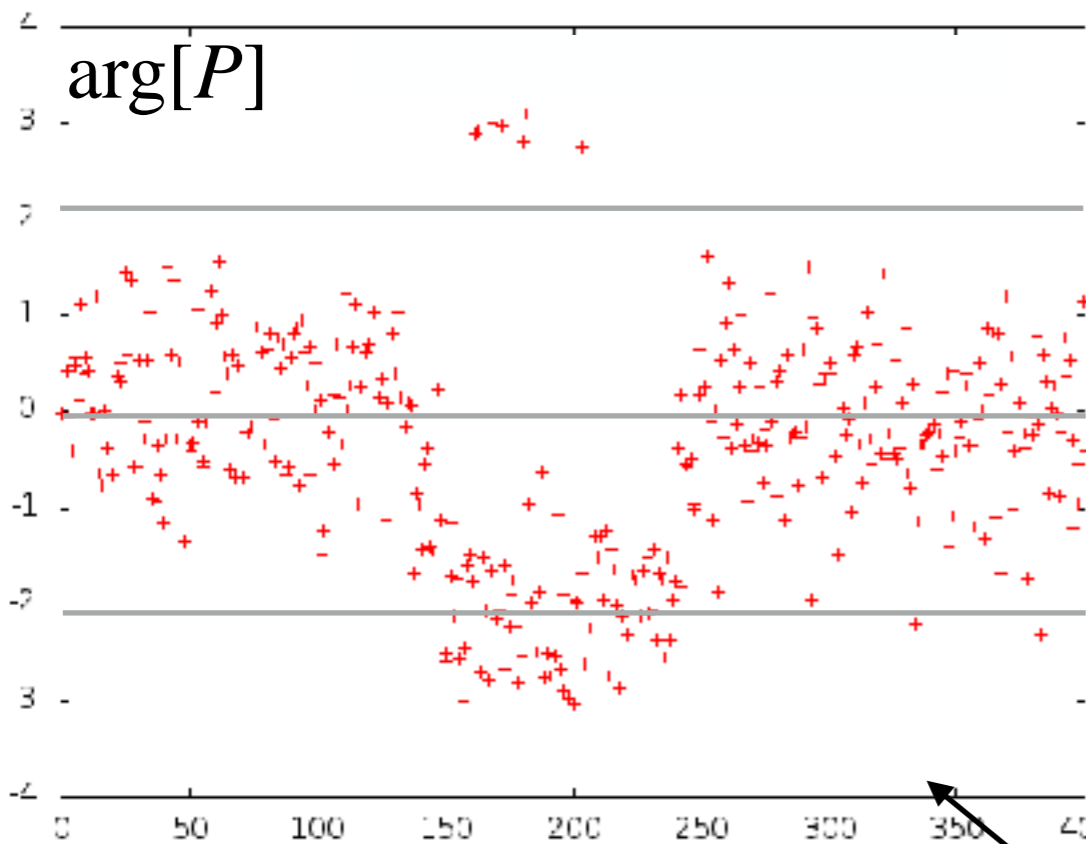
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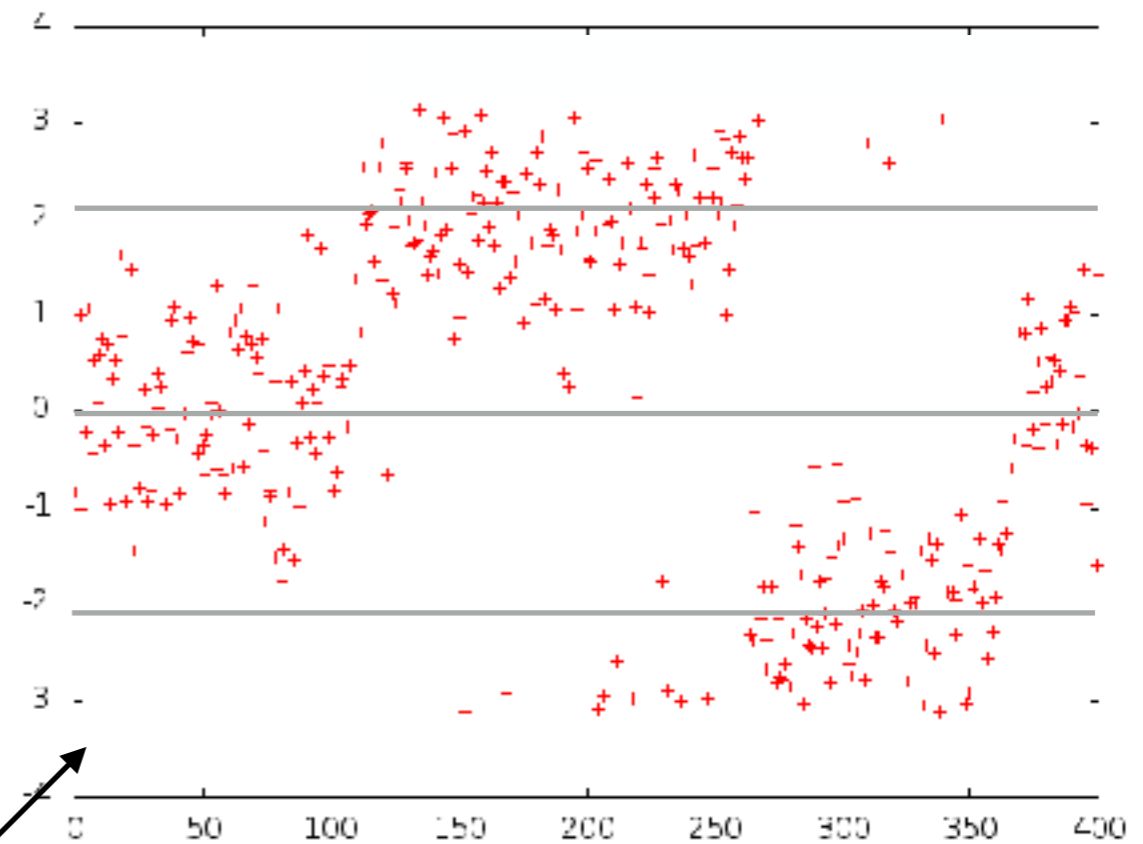
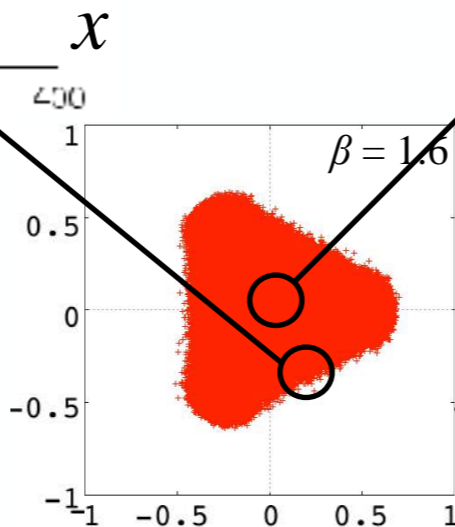
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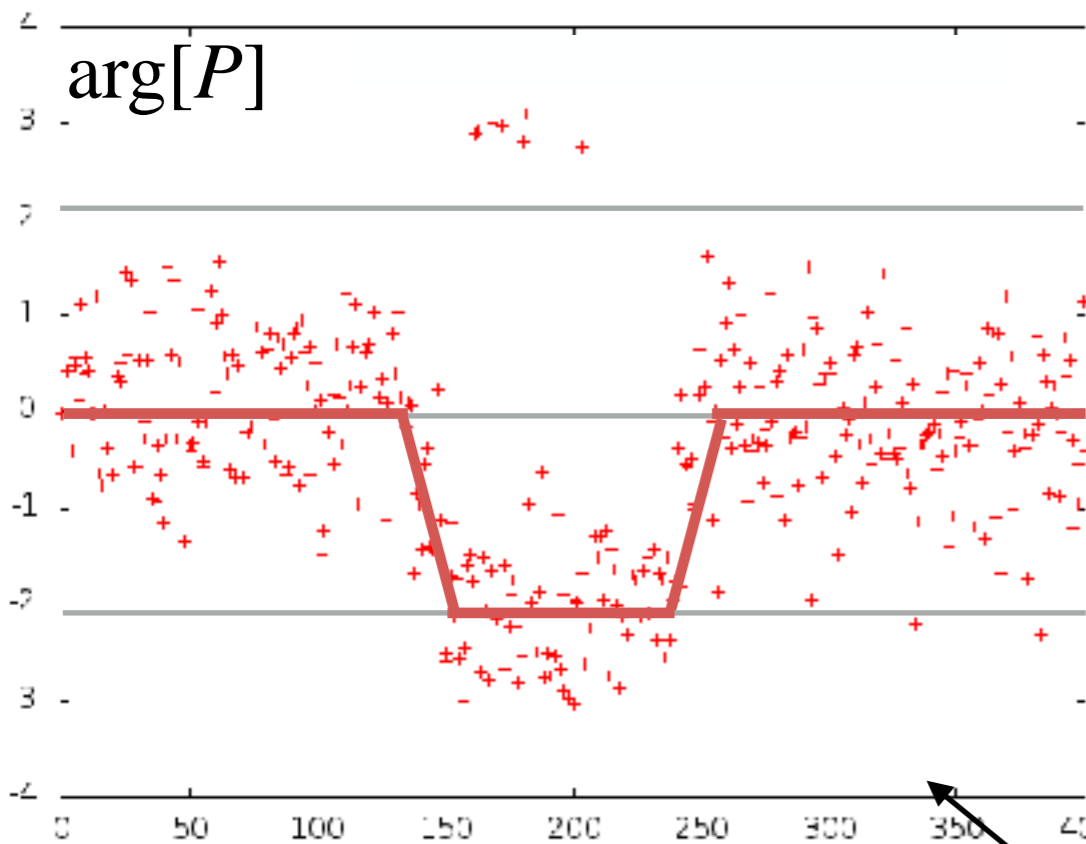


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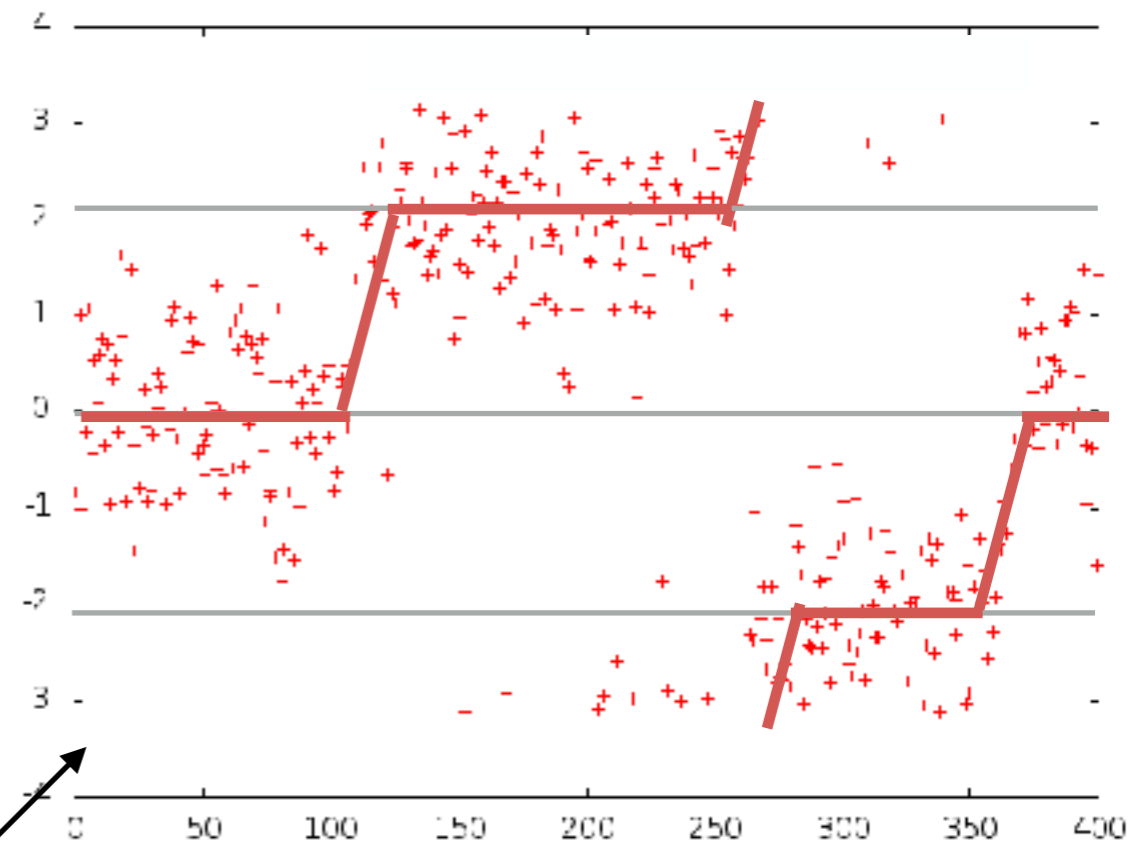
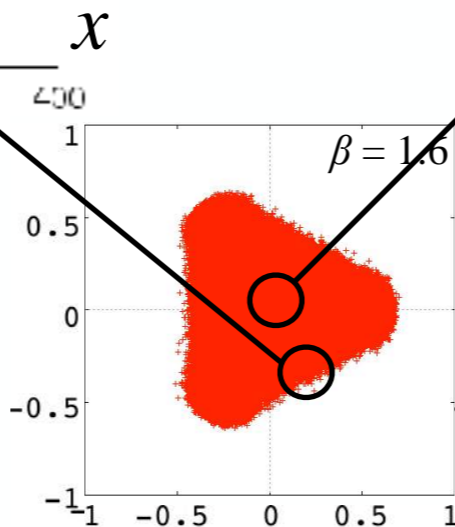
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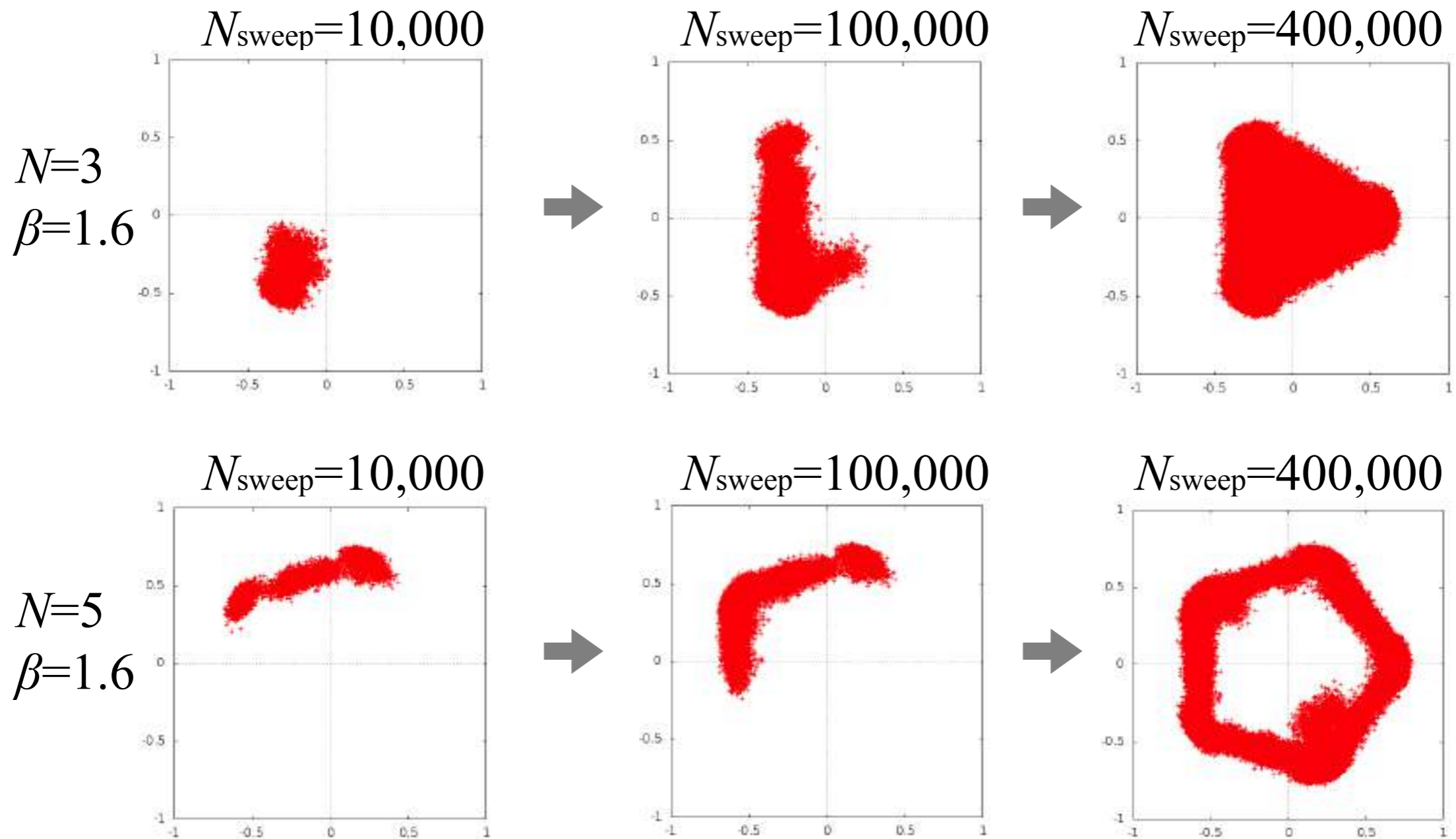


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See Ito(18) for YM fractional instantons

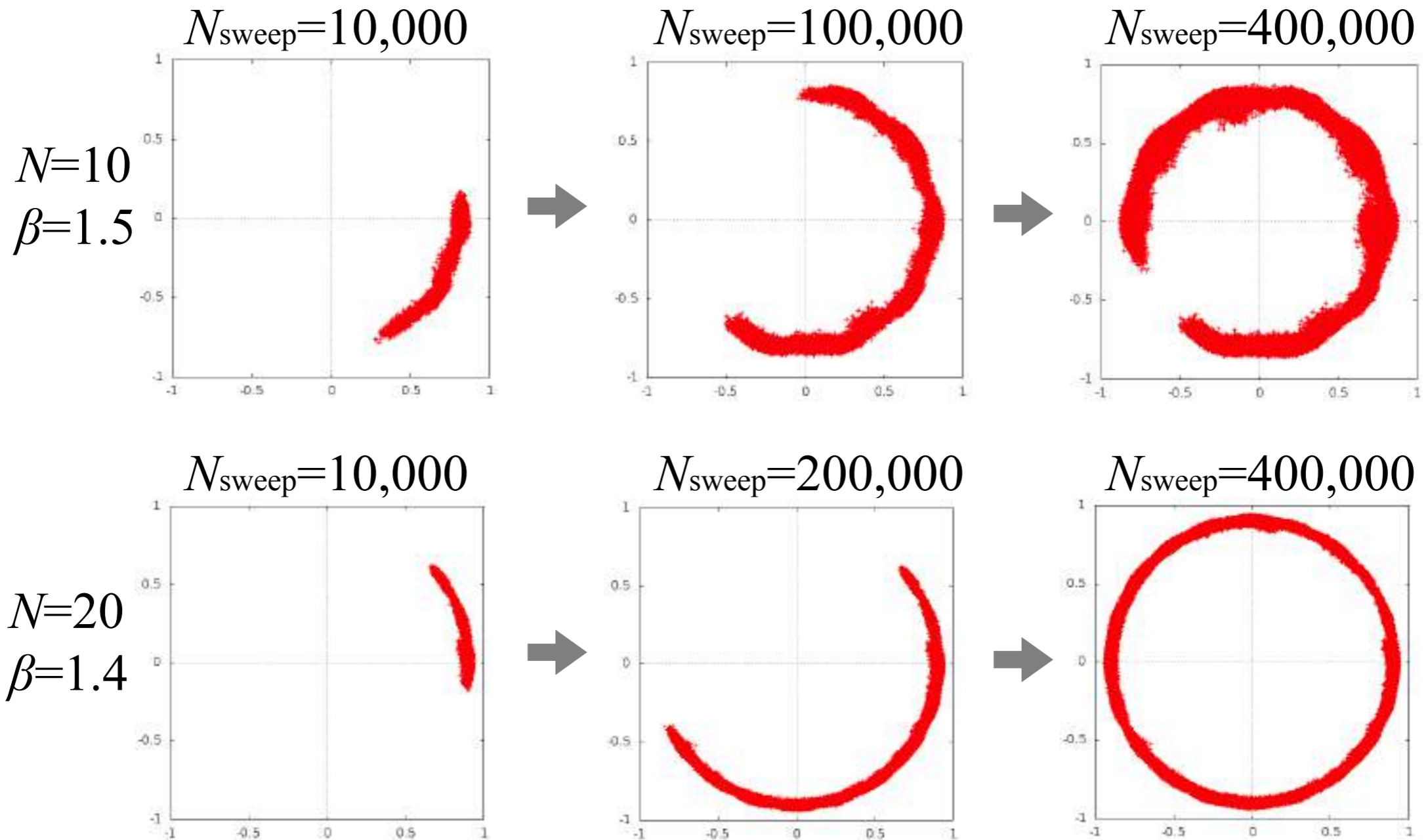
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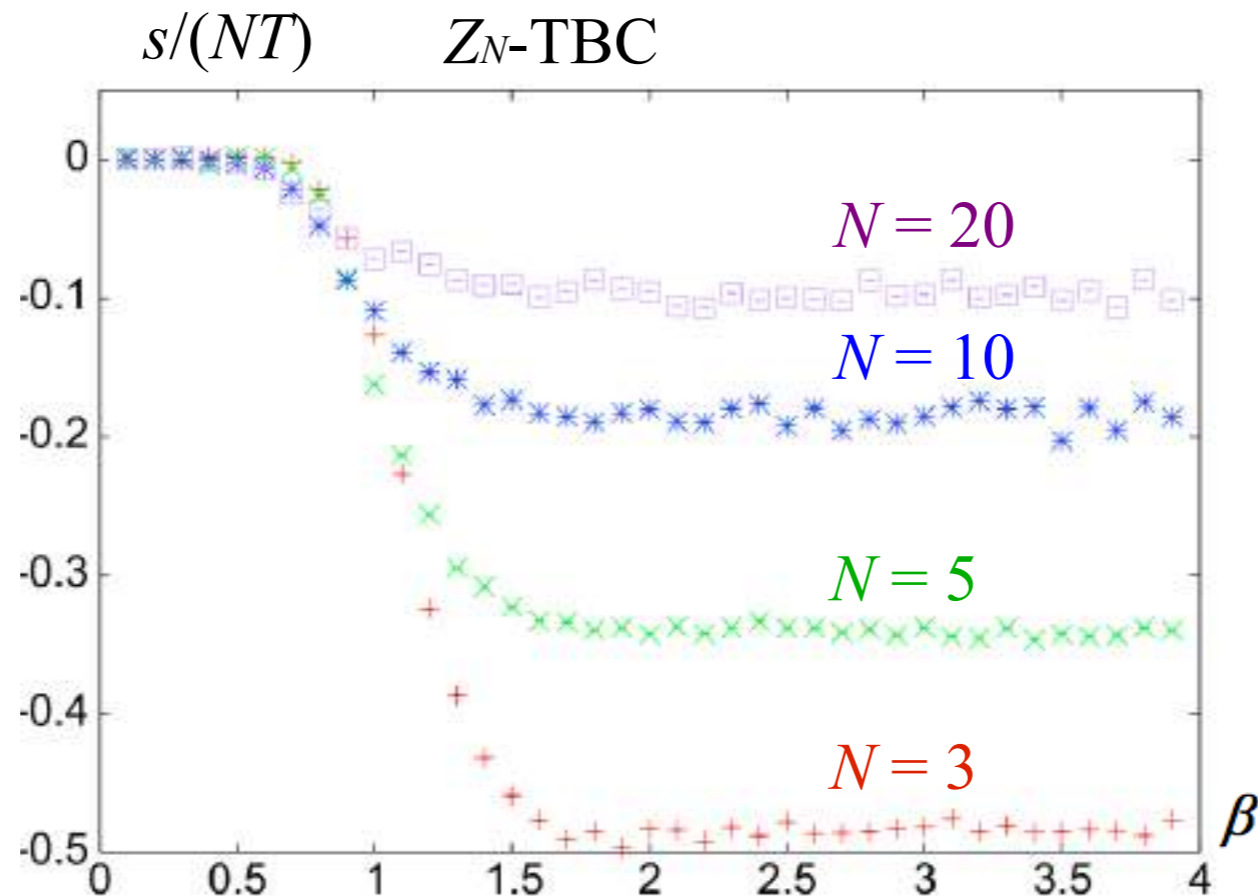


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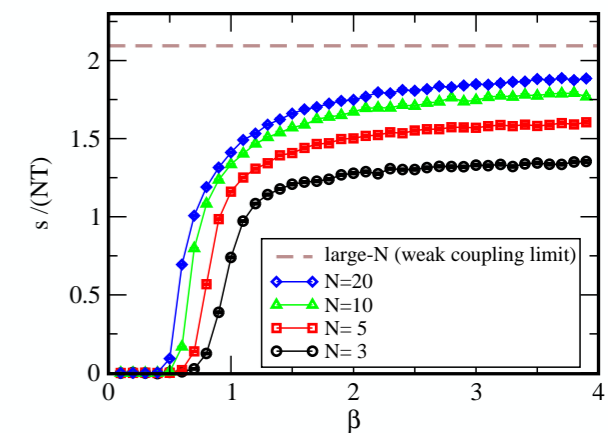
# "Pseudo entropy density"

Quantity corresponding to thermal entropy density for PBC

$$s = \langle T_{xx} - T_{\tau\tau} \rangle / T, \quad \text{with } T \equiv 1/L_\tau$$



cf.) Thermal entropy density for PBC



- It takes a negative value, unlike thermal entropy for PBC
- There is no transition, which is consistent with adiabatic continuity
- In large  $N$ , it is likely to become zero for the whole beta region, consistent with the volume independence

cf.) Sulejmanpasic (16)

All of these results imply  $Z_N$  stability  
even at small compactification circumference  
and supports adiabatic continuity conjecture !

## 4. Other theories with $Z_N$ -twisted b.c.

Hongo, TM, Tanizaki (18)  
TM, Tanizaki, Unsal (19)

Yuya will discuss them in detail in the next talk.



# SU(3)/U(1)<sup>2</sup> flag sigma model on $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$

Hongo, TM, Tanizaki(18)

$$S = - \sum_{\ell=1}^3 \int \left[ \frac{1}{2g} |(d + ia_{\ell})\phi_{\ell}|^2 - \frac{i\theta_{\ell}}{2\pi} da_{\ell} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \phi_{\ell} = (\phi_{1,\ell}, \phi_{2,\ell}, \phi_{3,\ell})^t \in \mathbb{C}^3 \quad (\ell = 1, 2, 3) \\ \bar{\phi}_{\ell} \cdot \phi_k = \delta_{\ell k} \quad \quad \quad a_1 + a_2 + a_3 = 0 \end{array}$$

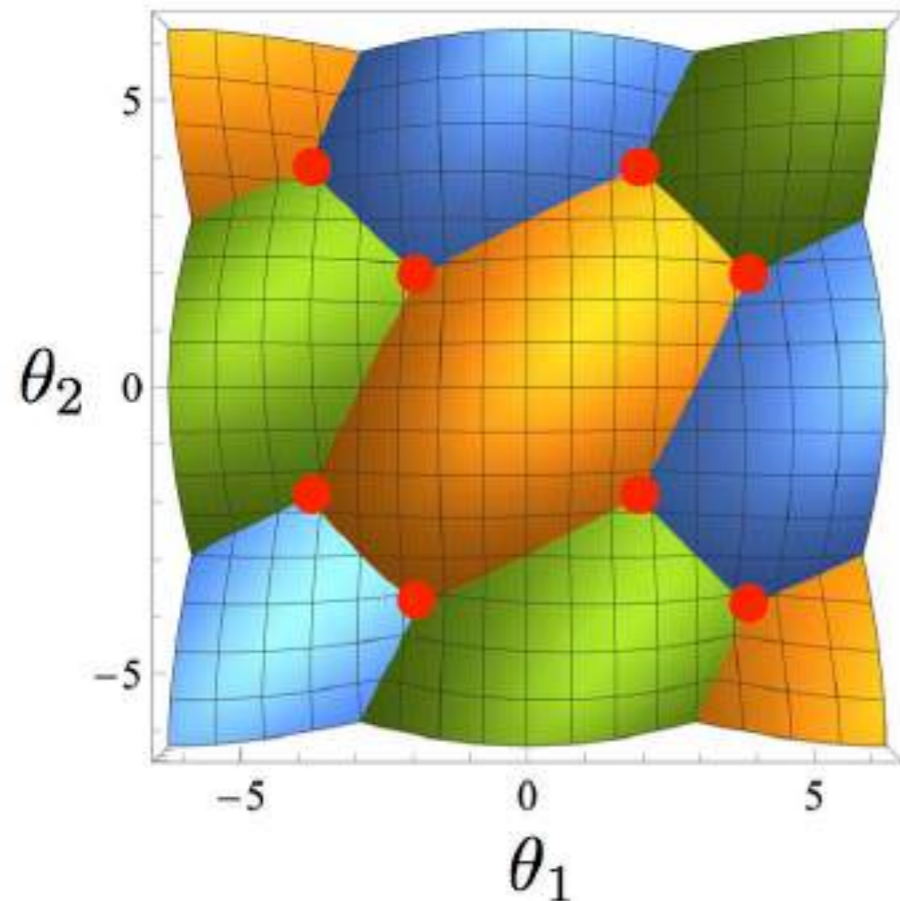
- Another extension of spin chain systems
- Another generalization of O(3) or CP<sup>1</sup> nonlinear sigma model

Bykov (11), Lajko, et.al. (17) Ohmori, Seiberg, Shao(18)

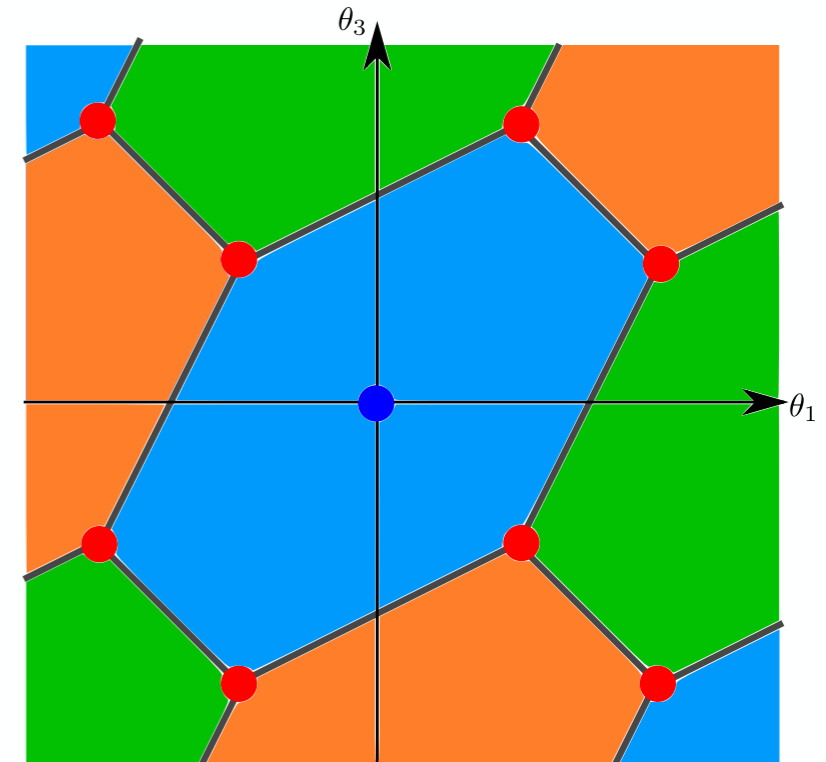
# Phase diagram on $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$ and $\mathbb{R}^2$

Hongo, TM, Tanizaki (18)

$\mathbb{R} \times S^1$



$\mathbb{R}^2$



**consistent !**

Tanizaki, Sulejmanpasic (18)

- 't Hooft anomaly survives in  $\mathbb{Z}_3$ -twisted flag sigma model on  $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$
- DIGA with fractional instantons on  $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$  gives phase structure consistent with the conjectured one on  $\mathbb{R}^2$

$\mathbb{Z}_N$ -twisted theory correctly keeps 2d vacuum structure !

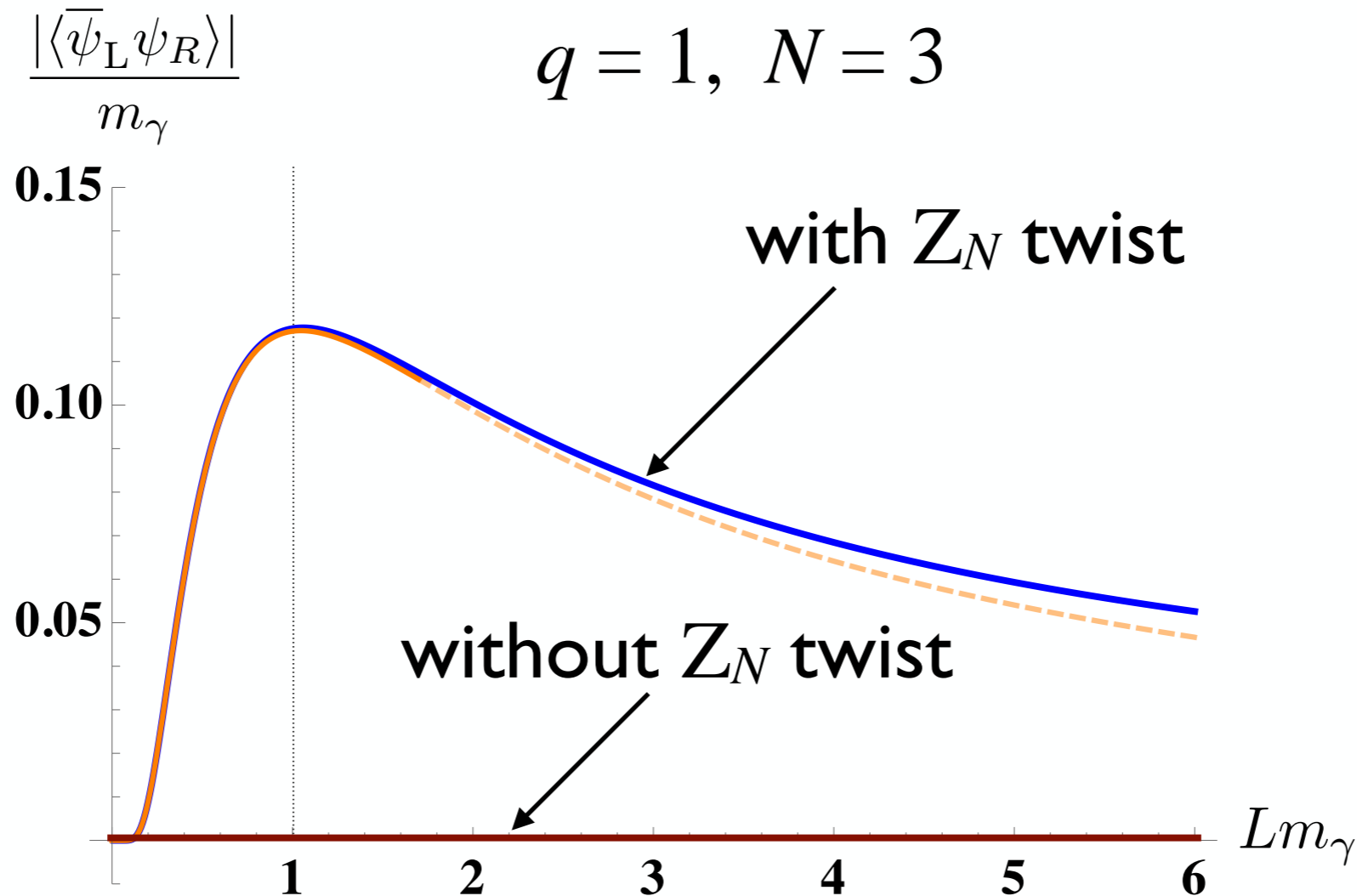
# Charge- $q$ $N$ -flavor Schwinger model on $\mathbb{R} \times S^1$

TM, Tanizaki, Unsal (19)

$$S = \frac{1}{2e^2} \int_{M_2} |da|^2 + \frac{i\theta}{2\pi} \int_{M_2} da + \sum_{f=1}^N \int_{M_2} d^2x \bar{\psi}^f \gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu + qia_\mu) \psi^f$$

- $q=2$  on domain-wall of  $\mathcal{N}=1$   $SU(2)$  SYM Anber, Poppitz (18)
- $O\bar{1} - \bar{D}\bar{1}$  system :  $q=2, N=8$  Sugimoto, Takahashi (04) Armoni, Sugimoto (18)

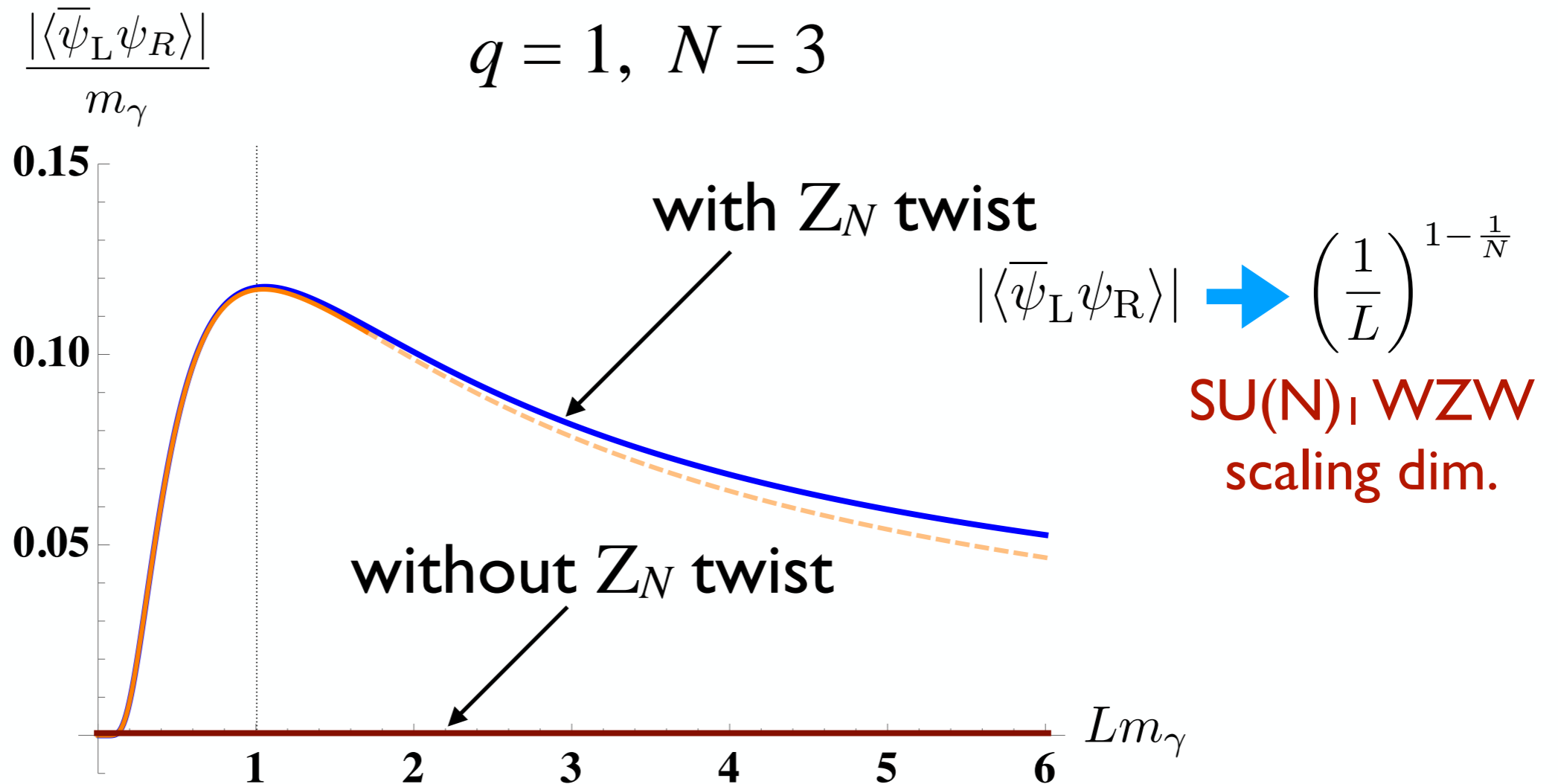
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# Summary

- Bion contributions at field theoretical levels with  $Z_N$ -twisted boundary condition yield renormalon-like imaginary ambiguity.
- The 't Hooft anomalies survive in the compactified theory with  $Z_N$ -twisted boundary condition.
- Lattice simulation exhibits  $Z_N$  stability even at small radius, which could imply adiabatic continuity in 2D.
- Other results also indicate that  $Z_N$  twisted b. c. leads to the adiabatic continuity of the vacuum and phase structures in 2D.

# Other resurgence projects

- **Exact results of 3D N=2 Chern-Simons with matters** via localization exhibit very clear resurgent structure. Fujimori, Honda, Kamata, TM, Sakai (18) inspired by Aniceto, Russo, Schiappa(14) Gukov, Marino, Putrov(16) Honda(16)
- **Quantum phase transition in 3D N=4 QED** can be elucidated by use of thimble analysis and trans-series expansion. Fujimori, Honda, Kamata, TM, Sakai, Yoda, in progress inspired by Russo, Tierz (16)
- **Relation between Stokes phenomena in exact-WKB and standard resurgent analysis** is clarified, where equivalence of several quantization conditions are shown explicitly. Sueishi, Kamata, TM, Unsal, to appear in arXiv shortly
- **Schwinger effect under time-dependent strong electric field** is analyzed by exact-WKB method, whose results are consistent with those of steepest descent method. Taya, Fujimori, TM, Nitta, Sakai in progress
- **Resurgent structure of non-relativistic quantum system** is being studied in a similar manner to the relativistic one. Fujimori, Kamata, TM, Nitta, Sakai in progress inspired by Marino, Reis (19)