Spontaneous Ergodicity Breaking in Invariant Matrix Models



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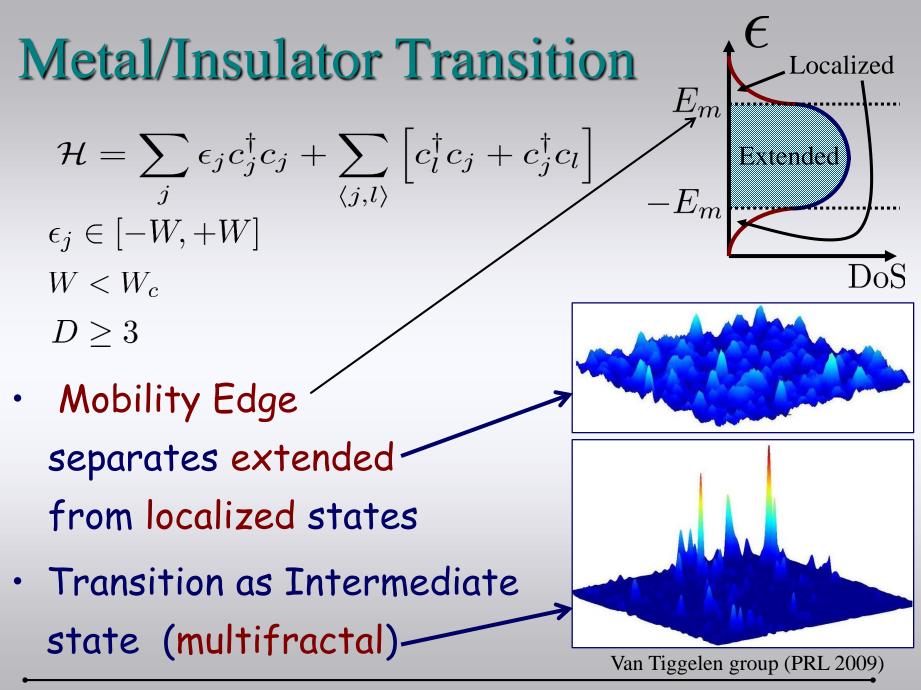
Disorder & Localization

- Anderson Model: $\mathcal{H} = \sum_{j} \epsilon_{j} c_{j}^{\dagger} c_{j} + \sum_{\langle j,l \rangle} \left[c_{l}^{\dagger} c_{j} + c_{j}^{\dagger} c_{l} \right]$ (Anderson. '58)
- Tight-binding model (nearest neighbor hopping)
- Random on-site energies: $\epsilon_j \in [-W, +W]$
- 1 (& 2) Dimensions: localized for any $W \neq 0$
- Higher D: ➤ Small W: conducting (weak loc., Random Matrices)
 - > $W > W_c$: insulating
 - (localized at low energies)
- <u>Hard problem</u> (uncontrolled perturbation expansion)

Extended

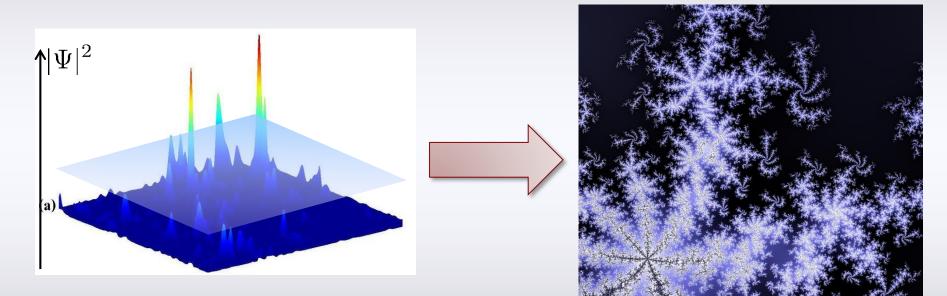
Localized

 E_m



Multifractality

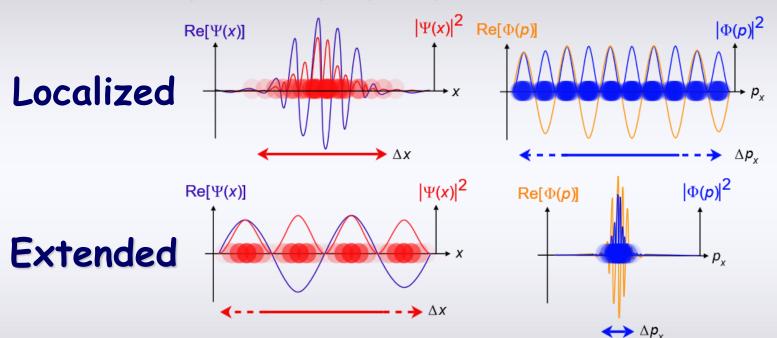
- At each height $|\Psi|^2=\alpha$, the wavefunction's amplitude draws a "curve" with a different fractal dimension $f(\alpha)$



• Behavior at mobility edge known in "perturbative" regimes \Rightarrow long-standing open problem $d = 2 + \epsilon$ $d \to \infty$

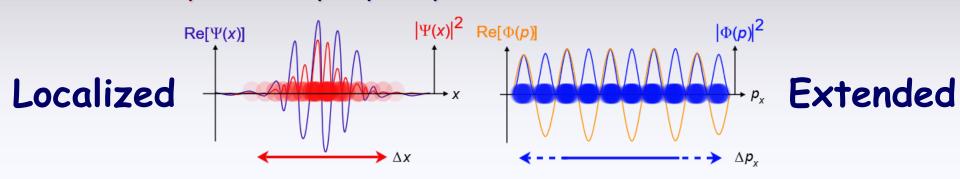
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However, level spacing statistics characterizes
 insulating/conducting systems
 Poisson ↔ Localized
 Wigner Dyson ↔ Extended

My Approach

- Spectral signature hints toward localization as basis independent property
- Random Matrix Theory ideal to test this hypothesis
- Similar ideas introduced before:
 - Moshe, Neuberger, Shapiro: PRL '94
 - *Canali, Kravtsov*: PRE '95; Bogomolny, Bohigas, Pato: PRE '97; Pato: PRE '00
 - ➢ Bonnet, David, Eynard: JPA '00 ...
- <u>However</u>: lack of analytical tools to study eigenstate behavior in RMT

(Allez & Bouchaud '11-'12; Allez & Guionnet '13)



Eigenvector and eigenvalue statistics <u>are linked</u> in RMT:

The U(N) symmetry matrix models are endowed with can be spontaneously broken

- Peculiar SSB: thermodynamic limit also takes symmetry's rank to infinity
- <u>Conjecture 1</u>: certain models break U(N) in a critical way (similar to Metal/Insulator Transition)
- <u>Conj. 2</u>: U(N) symmetry breaking as a replica breaking?

Outline

- 1. Introduction: Matrix Models
- 2. Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking:
 > Geometrical argument
 > Numerical finite size detection
 > Symmetry Breaking term
 3. Conclusions & Outlook

Random Matrix Theory
$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-W(\mathbf{M})}$$
 $\mathcal{F} = \ln \mathcal{Z}$

- Take W(M) real: statistical model
- Matrix M can represent different "objects"
- Consider M as a Hamiltonian:
 - M: Hermitean Matrix
 - > Matrix entries randomly from a distribution
 - Interaction between every degree of freedom (no preconceived notion of locality)
- Common wisdom: RMT describes delocalized systems

Invariant Ensembles

- Action invariant under rotations: $W(\mathbf{M}) = \text{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})$
- Switch to eigenvalues/eigenvectors: $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{U}^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$

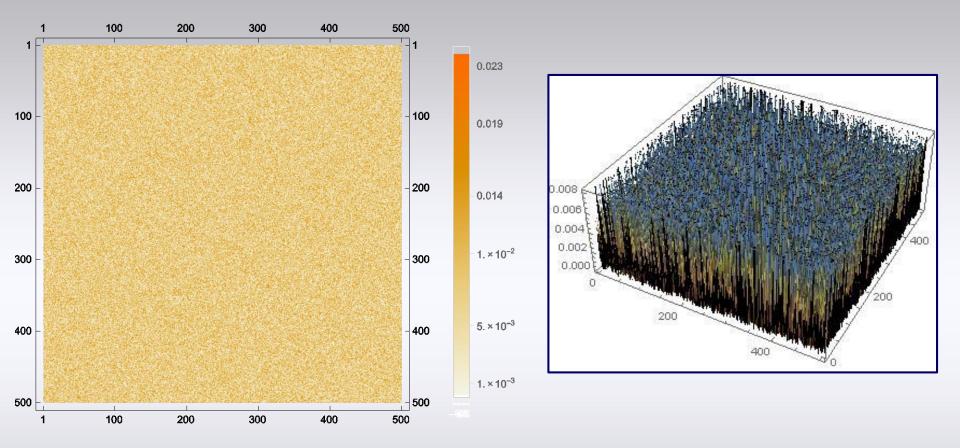
$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{U} \int d^{N}\lambda \,\Delta^{2}\left(\{\lambda\}\right)e^{-\sum_{j}V(\lambda_{j})}$$

Eigenvectors uniformly distributed over the N-dimensional sphere (Hilbert space):

independent from $V(\lambda)$

Van der Monde Determinant: $\Delta \left(\{\lambda\} \right) = \prod_{j>l}^{N} (\lambda_j - \lambda_l)$ (from Jacobian)

The Haar Measure



• Entries of Unitary matrix follow the Porther-Thomas

Distribution:
$$\mathcal{P}\left(\left|\tilde{U}_{ij}\right|^2\right) = N \exp\left[-N\left|\tilde{U}_{ij}\right|^2\right]$$

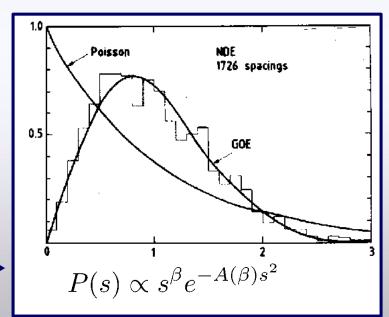
Ergodicity Loss in Invariant Matrix Models

Wigner-Dyson Universality
$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{U} \int d^{N}\lambda \,\Delta^{2}\left(\{\lambda\}\right) e^{-\sum_{j} V(\lambda_{j})}$$

Jacobian introduces interaction between eigenvalues

• Coulomb gas picture:
$$\mathcal{L} = -2\sum_{j>l} \ln |\lambda_j - \lambda_l| + \sum_j V(\lambda_j)$$

- Eigenvalues as 1-D particles with
 - Iogarithmic repulsion
 - > external confining potential V(λ)
- Universal level spacing distribution
 (distance between n.n. eigenvalues) ->
- Valid for any polynomial V(λ)



Invariant Ensembles
$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{U} \int d^{N}\lambda \,\Delta^{\beta}\left(\{\lambda\}\right) e^{-\sum_{j} V(\lambda_{j})}$$

- Wigner Dyson distribution & level repulsion:
 Jacobian introduces interaction between eigenvalues
- Extended states/conducting phases: uniform distribution means eigenvectors typically have all non-vanishing entries
- Eigenvalues interact through their eigenvectors:

$WD \Leftrightarrow extended states$

Non-Invariant Ensembles

• To study localization problems, introduce non-invariant random matrix ensembles (Random Banded Matrices)

 $\alpha > 1 \rightarrow \text{Localized states (Poisson statistics)}$ (Mirlin et al. '96; ...)



→ Multi-Fractal states (Critical Statistics: Anderson Metal/Insulator transition)

(Evers & Mirlin, '00; ...)

• <u>Limited</u> analytical tools (SUSY, cluster expansion...)

Eigenvalues/Eigenvectors Statistics

- Within Random Matrix Theory, localization problems studied through non-invariant ensembles
- Confirmation of eigenvalue/eigenvector statistics link
- However, limited analytical tools (perturbative)

New perspective:

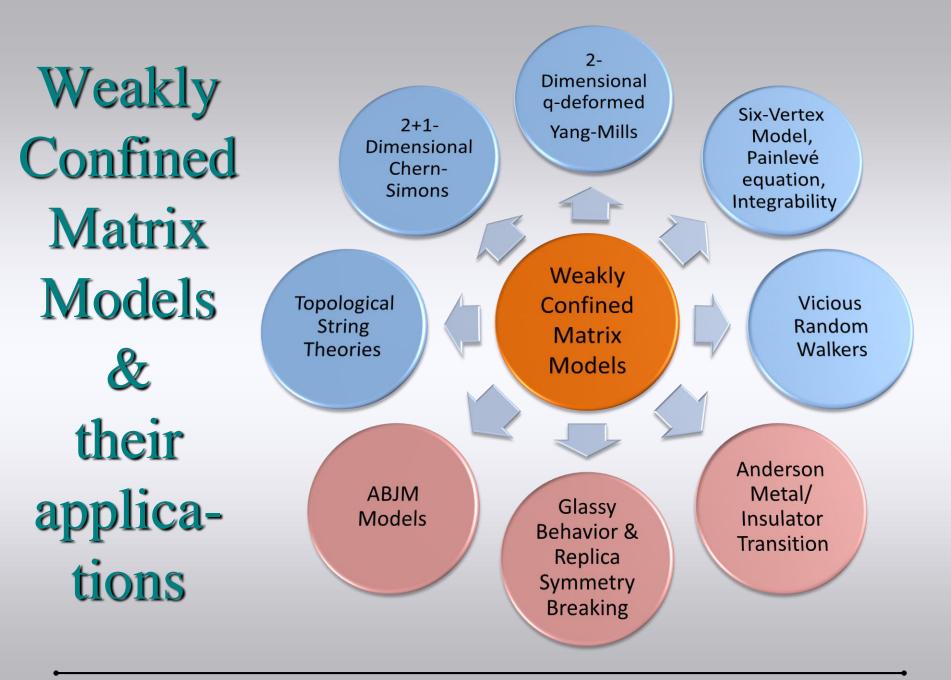
- There are <u>invariant</u> models with <u>non-WD</u> statistics
- Invariant models are endowed with superior (non-perturbative) analytical techniques

Spontaneous Breaking of Rotational Invariance

- Consider <u>invariant</u> models with <u>non-WD</u> statistics
- If eigenvalue/eigenvector link holds
 ⇒ System undergoes a spontaneous breaking of rotational symmetry
 - \Rightarrow Invariant machinery for localization problems!
- Recall a ferromagnet:
 - > From partition function, rotational invariance
 - \rightarrow no spontaneous magnetization
 - > Need, e.g., a symmetry breaking term

Weakly Confined Invariant Models $\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})} , \ V(\lambda) \overset{|\lambda| \to \infty}{\simeq} \frac{1}{2\kappa} \ln^2 |\lambda|$

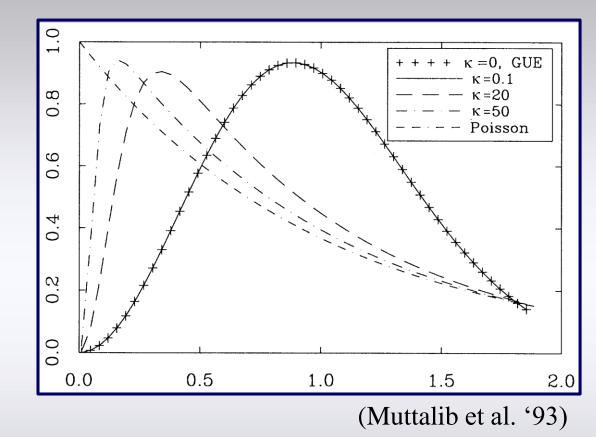
- Soft confinement sets them apart from usual polynomial potentials
 - \rightarrow WD universality does not apply
 - \rightarrow Indeterminate moment problem
- Arise in localization limit of Chern-Simons/ABJM: $\kappa \propto \frac{i}{g_s}$ (Marino '02; Kapustin et a. '10; ...)
- Solvable through orthogonal polynomials: q-deformed Hermite/Laguerre Polynomials (Muttalib et al. '93; Tierz'04)



Weakly Confined Matrix Models

$$V(\lambda) \stackrel{|\lambda| \to \infty}{\simeq} \frac{1}{2\kappa} \ln^2 |\lambda|$$

- Intermediate level spacing statistics
- Same eigenvalue correlations as Critical Random Banded Matrices



- Critical level statistics signals fractal eigenstates?
- Critical Spontaneous Breaking of U(N) Invariance?

(Canali, Kravtsov, '95)

Non-Local Correlations $Y_2(x,x') \equiv \delta(x-x') - \frac{\langle \rho(E_x)\rho(E_{x'})\rangle - \langle \rho(E_x)\rangle\langle \rho(E_{x'})\rangle}{\langle \rho(E_x)\rangle\langle \rho(E_{x'})\rangle}$ $= \frac{\kappa^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\sin^2[\pi(x-x')]}{\sinh^2[\kappa(x-x')/2]} \theta(x x')$ 1.0 $+ \frac{\kappa^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\sin^2[\pi(x-x')]}{\cosh^2[\kappa(x+x')/2]} \theta(-x x')$ 1.05 $1-Y_2(x,x')$ 0.95 0.85 0.75 (Canali & Kravtsov '95) -27 -25 -23 0.0 -20 40 **-**60 -40 20 60

• Level repulsion also at antipodal points!

x'

• Effective description as Luttinger Liquid in Rindler space

(Franchini & Kravtsov '09)

WCMM and Anderson Transition
$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})} , \ V(\lambda) \stackrel{|\lambda| \to \infty}{\simeq} \frac{1}{2\kappa} \ln^2 |\lambda|$$

Same spectral signatures as C-RBM :

$$\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\sum_{j,l} A_{jl} |M_{jl}|^2}, \ A_{nm} = 1 + \frac{(n-m)^2}{B^2}$$

- C-RBM toy model for the Anderson Transition: reproduce multifractal spectrum (analytical for $d=2+\epsilon$)

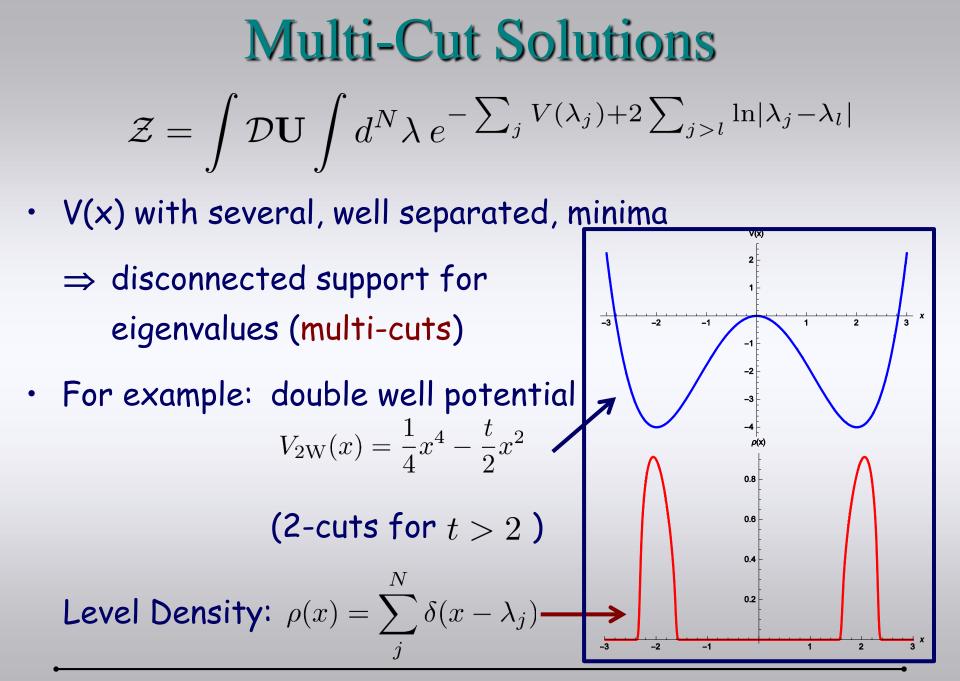
$$B \sim \frac{1}{\kappa} \sim d$$
, Connectivity

 <u>Conjecture</u>: SSB of WCMM to calculate analytically multifractal spectrum of Anderson MIT

(Canali, Kravtsov, '95)

PART 2

Spontaneous Breaking of Rotational Symmetry in Invariant Multi-Cuts Matrix Model

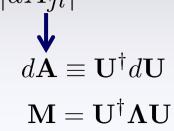


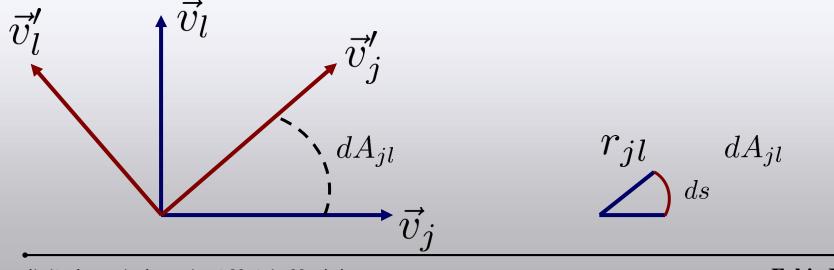
Ergodicity Loss in Invariant Matrix Models

• Geometrical argument: line element

$$ds^{2} = \text{Tr} (dM)^{2} = \sum_{j=1}^{N} (d\lambda_{j})^{2} + 2\sum_{j>l}^{N} (\lambda_{j} - \lambda_{l})^{2} |dA_{jl}|^{2}$$

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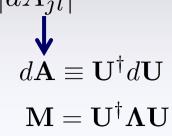


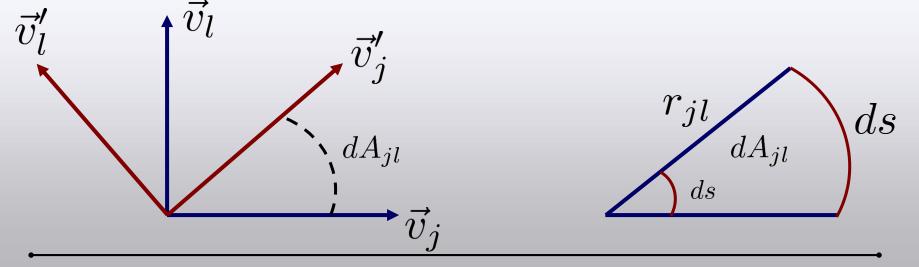
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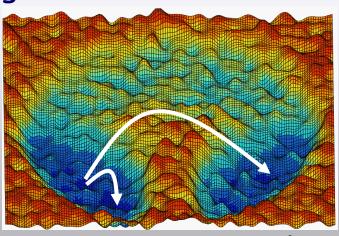
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$$\mathbf{J}^{\dagger}$$
 $d\mathbf{A} \equiv \mathbf{U}^{\dagger} d\mathbf{U}$
 $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{U}^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$

• For large r_{jl} , rotations generate large ds

 \Rightarrow move to far point in conf. space

 Entropic (fine tuning) origin of SSB (same as level repulsion)



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Angular degrees of freedom live on spheres of radii $r_{jl} = |\lambda_j - \lambda_l|$ Two lengths scales: Eigenvalues spacing: $\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{N}\right)$ Eigenvalues of distribution: $\mathcal{O}(1)$ Eigenvectors of eigenvalues

in different cuts cannot mix

Generating a Random Matrix $\int \mathbf{O} \mathbf{M} = \operatorname{Tr} \mathbf{M}^2 = \int \mathbf{M} \mathbf{M} = \sum_{ij} M_{ij}^2$

• Gaussian Models: $\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}\mathbf{M}^2} = \int \prod dM_{jl}e^{-\sum_{jl}M_{jl}^2}$

 \rightarrow each matrix entries sampled independently

- One-Cut Models: $\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}\sum_{k}g_{k}\mathbf{M}^{k}}$
 - \rightarrow entries correlated: generated as perturbation of Gaussian case in a Metropolis scheme
- Multi-Cut Solutions: Gaussian case unstable
 - \rightarrow start from initial seed and evolve it to equilibrium
 - \rightarrow SSB: final configuration has memory of

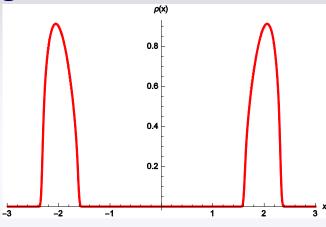
eigenvectors of initial seed

Multi-Cuts SSB

- Level repulsion resolves degeneracy:
 - \Rightarrow each of the n cuts contains m_j eigenvalues
- Gap between cuts breaks rotational

invariance:
$$U(N) \xrightarrow{N \to \infty} \prod_{j=1}^n U(m_j)$$

- Three Arguments:
 - 🔶 Brownian motion;
 - Numerical finite size analysis;
 - Symmetry Breaking Term



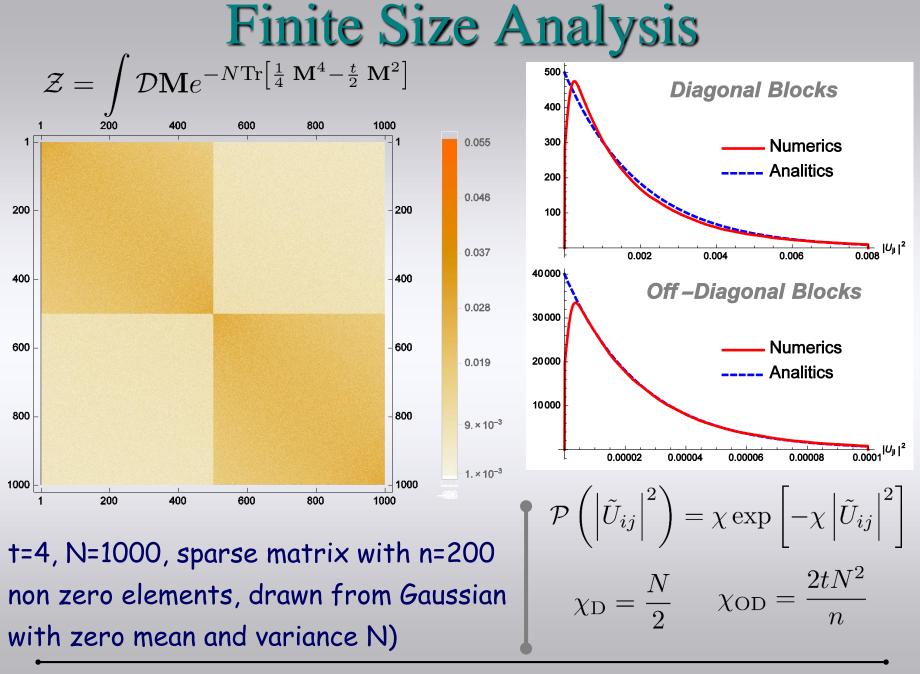
Double well $U(N) \xrightarrow{N \to \infty} U(N/2) \times U(N/2)$

(assume N even)

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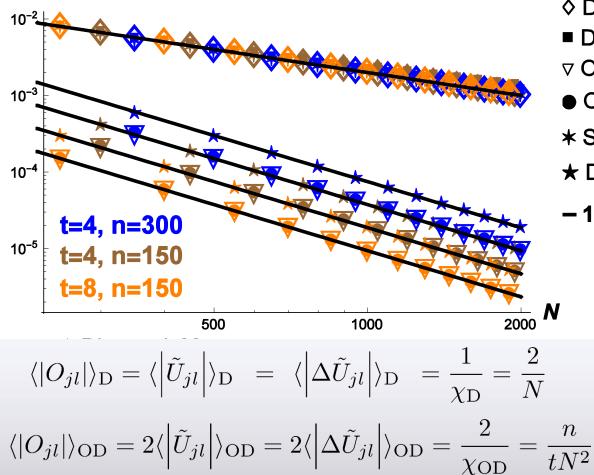
Finite Size Analysis

- Without preferred, reference basis; localization means rigidity of eigenvectors under perturbations
- Take double well matrix model: $\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-N\mathrm{Tr}\left[\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{M}^4 \frac{t}{2} \mathbf{M}^2\right]}$
- Generate a representative matrix: $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{U}^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$
- Apply perturbation ΔM (sparse Gaussian Matrix) (Order of N non-zero elements)
- Find eigenvectors of perturbed matrix: $\mathbf{M} + \mathbf{\Delta}\mathbf{M} = {\mathbf{U'}^\dagger}\mathbf{\Lambda'}\mathbf{U'}$
- + Eigenvector rotation induced by perturbation: $\tilde{\mathbf{U}}=\mathbf{U}'\mathbf{U}^{\dagger}$



Ergodicity Loss in Invariant Matrix Models

Finite Size Analysis



- ♦ Diagonal, Means
- Diagonal, Standard Deviations
- Off–Diagonal, Standard Deviations
- * Same Well Overlap
- ★ Different Wells Overlap
- $-1/\chi(N,n,t)$

$$O_{jl} = \sum_{m}^{N} \left| \tilde{U}_{mj} \right|^2 \left| \tilde{U}_{ml} \right|^2$$

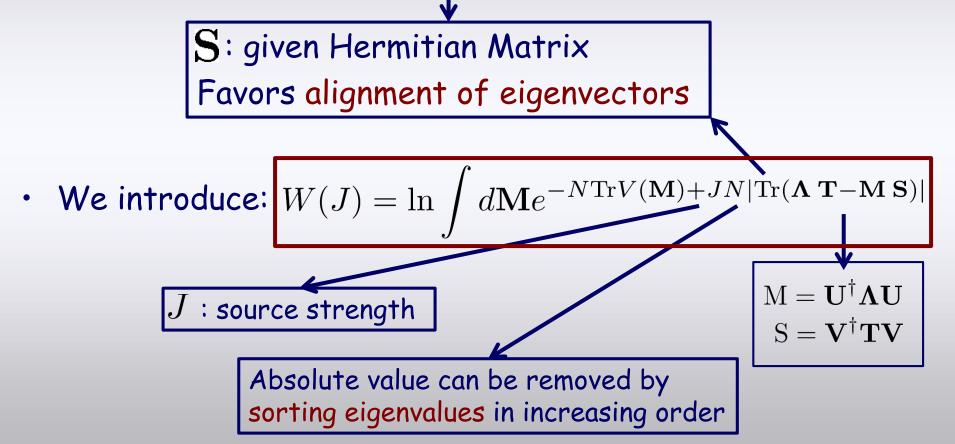
Overlaps between eigenstates

Off-diagonal blocks suppressed as 1/N compared to diagonal ones Onset of localizations!

Ergodicity Loss in Invariant Matrix Models

Symmetry Breaking Term

- To detect SSB introduce symmetry breaking term
- Most natural one is $\mathrm{Tr}\left(\left[\mathbf{M},\mathbf{S}
 ight]
 ight)^{2}$, but too hard to handle



Symmetry Breaking: Double Well $W(J) = \ln \int d\mathbf{M} e^{-N \operatorname{Tr} V(\mathbf{M}) + JN |\operatorname{Tr} (\mathbf{\Lambda} \operatorname{T} - \mathbf{M} \operatorname{S})|}$ • Double well: $U(N) \xrightarrow{N \to \infty} U(N/2) \times U(N/2)$ (assume N even)

- Take S with 2 sets of N/2-degenerate eigenvalues: $t=\pm 1$ to induce correct symmetry breaking
- Use (regularized) Itzykson-Zuber formula: (Itzykson & Zuber, '80)

$$\int d\mathbf{U}e^{JN\mathrm{Tr}\mathbf{M}\,\mathbf{S}} \propto \frac{1}{\Delta\left(\{\lambda\}\right)} \sum_{\{\alpha\}\cup\{\alpha'\}=\{\lambda\}}' e^{-JN\sum_{j}\left(\alpha_{j}-\alpha'_{j}\right)} \Delta\left(\{\alpha\}\right) \Delta\left(\{\alpha'\}\right)$$

Sum over ways to partition eigenvalues of M according to degeneracies of S

Symmetry Breaking Term
$$W(J) = \ln \int d\mathbf{M} e^{-N \operatorname{Tr} V(\mathbf{M}) + JN |\operatorname{Tr}(\mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{T} - \mathbf{M} \mathbf{S})|}$$
 $W(J) = \ln \int d\mathbf{M} e^{-N \operatorname{Tr} V(\mathbf{M}) + JN |\operatorname{Tr}(\mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{T} - \mathbf{M} \mathbf{S})|}$ Calculate (dis-)order parameter: $M = \mathbf{U}^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{\Lambda} \mathbf{U}$ $S = \mathbf{V}^{\dagger} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{V}$ $M = U^{\dagger} \mathbf{U}$ M

Symmetry Breaking Term

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M = U[†] **A**U
S = V[†] **T**V

• Calculate (dis-)order parameter:

Perspective: WCMM energy landscape $\mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}\mathbf{M}e^{-\mathrm{Tr}V(\mathbf{M})} , \ V(\lambda) \stackrel{|\lambda| \to \infty}{\simeq} \frac{1}{2\kappa} \ln^2 |\lambda|$

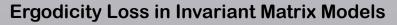
- WCMM partition function can be expanded on a large number of saddle point configurations (1 for WD models)
 - > Each corresponds to a different multi-cut solution
 - Each corresponds to a different pattern of U(N) breaking
- Critical behavior of the model from interference between different saddles (instantons)
- Glassy behavior?

Conclusions

- Gap in the eigenvalue distribution (deviation from WD)
 ⇒ Spontaneous breaking of rotational symmetry
- Not "localization", but loss of ergodicity: $U(N) \xrightarrow{N \to \infty} \prod_{j=1} U(m_j)$
- Criticality at gap opening as SSB phenomenon

Outlook

- Critical exponents, machinery for new "eigenvector" observables in invariant models
- Invariant models as toy model of Anderson MIT?
- Matrix SSB as Replica Symmetry Breaking?
- Generality of mechanism / string theory / additional applications?





$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Luttinger theory for RME} \\ \rho(x,\tau) &= \rho_0 - \frac{1}{\pi} \partial_x \Phi + \frac{A_K}{\pi} \cos \left[2\pi\rho_0 x - 2\Phi\right] + \dots \\ \bullet \quad \text{Two-Point function (Kravtsov et al. '00):} & \text{Unfolding:} \\ Y_2 &= -\frac{1}{\pi^2} \langle \partial_x \Phi(x) \partial_{x'} \Phi(x') \rangle \\ &\quad -\frac{A_K^2}{2\pi^2} \cos(2\pi(x-x')) \langle e^{i2\Phi(x)} e^{-i2\Phi(x')} \rangle + \dots \\ \bullet \quad \text{In flat space:} & \langle \Phi(x,t) \Phi(x',t') \rangle \propto \ln \left(\Delta x^2 + \Delta t^2\right) \\ Y_2 &\propto \frac{\sin^2 \left[\pi(x-x')\right]}{(x-x')^2} & \text{Constraint for Gaussian RME} \\ (\text{K=1: Unitary)} \end{aligned}$$

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Luttinger theory in Rindler space

$$\begin{cases} \bar{t} \equiv \frac{1}{\kappa} \sinh \kappa x \sinh \kappa t \\ \bar{x} \equiv \frac{1}{\kappa} \sinh \kappa x \cosh \kappa t \end{cases}$$
Periodic in imaginary time
 $\Rightarrow \text{ finite temperature}$
 $ds^2 = -\sinh^2(\kappa x) du^+ du^-$
 $= -d\bar{u}^+ d\bar{u}^-$
 $\bar{u}^\pm \equiv \bar{t} \pm \bar{x}$
Far from the origin:
 $\bar{u}^\pm \simeq \begin{cases} \pm \frac{e^{\pm\kappa u^\pm}}{2\kappa}, \quad x \gg 1 \\ \mp \frac{e^{\pm\kappa u^\pm}}{2\kappa}, \quad x \ll -1 \end{cases}$

Luttinger Liquid in Rindler Space

Remind two-Point function:

$$Y_2 = -\frac{1}{\pi^2} \langle \partial_x \Phi(x) \partial_{x'} \Phi(x') \rangle$$

$$-\frac{A_K^2}{2\pi^2} \cos(2\pi (x - x')) \langle e^{i2\Phi(x)} e^{-i2\Phi(x')} \rangle + \dots$$

• With the new coordinates: $\left(\bar{x} = \frac{\mathrm{e}^{\kappa |x|}}{2\kappa} \operatorname{sgn}(x) \right)$

$$\langle \Phi(x)\Phi(x') \rangle \overset{|x|,|x'|\gg 1}{\propto} \begin{cases} \ln\left[\frac{2}{\kappa}\sinh\frac{\kappa(x-x')}{2}\right], & x \; x' > 0\\ \ln\left[\frac{2}{\kappa}\cosh\frac{\kappa(x+x')}{2}\right], & x \; x' < 0 \end{cases}$$

Luttinger Liquid in Rindler Space

• We recover exactly the RME correlation (K=1):

$$Y_2^a(x, x') = \frac{\kappa^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\sin^2\left[\pi(x - x')\right]}{\cosh^2\left[\kappa(x + x')/2\right]}, \quad \text{for } x \, x' < 0$$

(Anomalous: non-translational invariant)

$$Y_2^n(x,x') = \frac{\kappa^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{\sin^2\left[\pi(x-x')\right]}{\sinh^2\left[\kappa(x-x')/2\right]}, \quad \text{for } x \, x' > 0$$

(Normal: translational invariant)

Brownian Motion Picture

- Level repulsion resolves degeneracy:
 - \Rightarrow each of the n cuts contains m_j eigenvalues
- Gap between cuts breaks rotational invariance: $U(N) \xrightarrow{N \to \infty} \prod_{j=1}^{n} U(m_j)$
- Dyson Brownian Motion for equilibrium distribution shows scale separation:

$$\begin{aligned} d\lambda_j &= -\frac{dV(\lambda_j)}{d\lambda_j} \, dt + \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l \neq j} \frac{dt}{\lambda_j - \lambda_l} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \, dB_j(t) \rightarrow \\ d\vec{U}_j(t) &= -\frac{1}{2N} \sum_{l \neq j} \frac{dt}{(\lambda_j - \lambda_l)^2} \, \vec{U}_j + \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{l \neq j} \frac{dW_{jl}(t)}{\lambda_j - \lambda_l} \, \vec{U}_l \end{aligned} \qquad \begin{aligned} dB_j, dW_{jl} \\ delta-corr. \\ stochastic \\ sources \end{aligned}$$

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ρ(x)

0.8

0.6

0.4

0.2

Landau Zener Picture

• Qualitative picture on eigenvalue/eigenvector connection

• 2-level system:
$$\begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_1 & V \\ V^* & \epsilon_2 \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} E_1 & 0 \\ 0 & E_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\delta = E_1 - E_2 = \sqrt{(\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2)^2 + |V|^2}$$

"Localized"

$$V \ll \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2$$

 $\Psi_{1,2} \simeq \psi_{1,2} + O\left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2}\right) \psi_{2,1}$

"Extended"
$$V \gg \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2$$
 $\delta \simeq |V|$ $\Psi_{1,2} \simeq \psi_{1,2} \pm \psi_{2,1}$