

Tensor network approach for chiral symmetry restoration of 1-flavor Schwinger model at finite temperature

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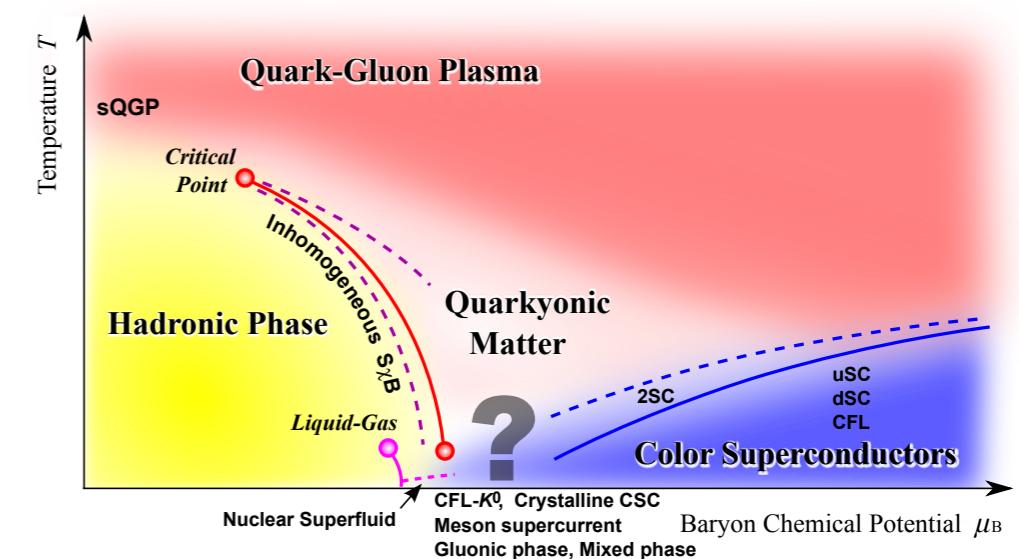
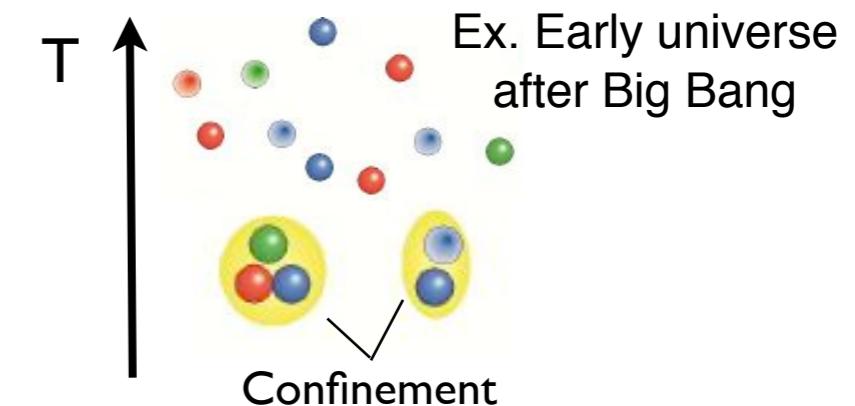


with M. C. Bañuls, K. Cichy, J. I. Cirac and K. Jansen

[H. Saito et al. PoS LATTICE2014, 302, 2014, arXiv:1412.0596](#)
[M. C. Bañuls et al, arXiv:1505.00279](#)

QCD Phase diagram

- Quark: one of elementary particles
- Confinement at low T (QCD Phase diagram)
⇒ non-perturbative aspect
- Lattice QCD simulation
 - * At finite temperature and zero chemical potential : Successful!!
 - * At finite chemical potential μ : failing
- But, a lot of interests in dense QCD
 - critical point at finite μ ,
 - unknown phases at large μ



Fukushima, Hatsuda, Rept. Prog. Phys. 74, 014001 (2011), arXiv:1005.4814[hep-ph]

Sign problem

- Complex action at finite μ spoils Markov Chain Monte Carlo built on positive probability measure
 - Complex quark determinant
- Techniques to avoid the problem in dense QCD on lattice
 - Reweighting: to change the distribution of Monte Carlo ensemble
→ overlap problem
 - Z. Fodor *et al.* JHEP 0404(2004), 050, S. Ejiri *et al.* PRD82, 014508, K. Nagata *et al.* JHEP1204, 094(2012)
 - Taylor expansion of μ : coefficients $c_n(T)$ calculated with $\mu = 0$ ensemble
→ a problem of convergence
 - C. R . Allton *et al.* PRD68, 014507
 - For real time dynamics of high energy physics, alternative approaches required

To establish a promising numerical tool
⇒ our strategy: to employ Hamiltonian approach

Outline

- Motivation
- Schwinger model
 - Hamiltonian of Schwinger model
- Tensor Network
 - Matrix Product State (MPS)
 - Technical aspects of TN:
Bond dimension, Variational search, Matrix Product Operator
- Chiral condensate of Schwinger model at zero T
- Thermal calculation in Schwinger model
- Summary

Schwinger model for $N_f = 1$

J. Schwinger Phys.Rev. 128 (1962)

- 1+1 dimensional QED model N. L. Pak and P. Senjanovic, Phys.Let.B71, 2 (1977),
K. Johnson Phys.Let. 5, 4(1963)
 - * not QCD, but **similar to QCD** :
confinement, chiral symmetry breaking (via anomaly for $N_f=1$)
 - * exactly solvable in massless case
⇒ a good test case
- Hamiltonian of Schwinger model in spin language
(staggered discretization)

$$H = x \sum_{n=0}^{N-2} [\sigma_n^+ \sigma_{n+1}^- + \sigma_n^- \sigma_{n+1}^+] + \frac{\mu}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} [1 + (-1)^n \sigma_n^z]$$

$$= H_{\text{hop}} + H_{\text{mass}} + H_g$$

$$+ \sum_{n=0}^{N-2} \left[l + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^n ((-1)^k + \sigma_k^z) \right]^2$$

T. Banks, L. Susskind and
J. Kogut, PRD13, 4 (1973)

gauge part

Gauss law

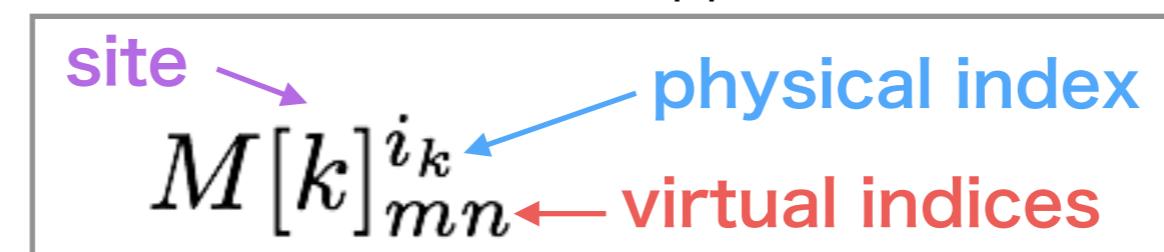
where inverse coupling $x=1/a^2 g^2$, dimensionless mass $\mu=2m/ag^2$ and $l=L(0)$

Tensor network (TN)

- Hamiltonian approach with exact diagonalization available for only small size:
Ex. In 1D, with chain length $N \sim O(10)$, not enough to take thermodynamic limit
- Tensor Network: An efficient approximation of quantum many-body state from quantum information
- Matrix product state (MPS):** tensor network for 1d

$$|\psi\rangle \approx \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_N} \text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} \dots M[N]^{i_N}] |i_1 \dots i_N\rangle$$

i_k : physical indices at site k ,
 $m, n (=1, \dots, D)$: indices from this approximation, **D : bond dimension**



An example of MPS

- 1/2-spin 2 particle system: $i_k = \uparrow$ or \downarrow for $k = 1, 2$
 - Supposing $D = 2$, e.g. tensors $M[k]_{mn}^{i_k}$
- $$M[1]^{i_1=\uparrow} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad M[1]^{i_1=\downarrow} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad M[2]^{i_2=\uparrow} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad M[2]^{i_2=\downarrow} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
- By computing trace of products $\text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} M[2]^{i_2}]$

$$\text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} M[2]^{i_2}] = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \text{for } (i_1, i_2) = (\uparrow, \downarrow), (\downarrow, \uparrow) \\ 0 & \text{for the others} \end{cases}$$

↓

$$\sum_{i_1, i_2} \text{Tr} [M^{i_1} M^{i_2}] |i_1 i_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle + |\downarrow\uparrow\rangle)$$

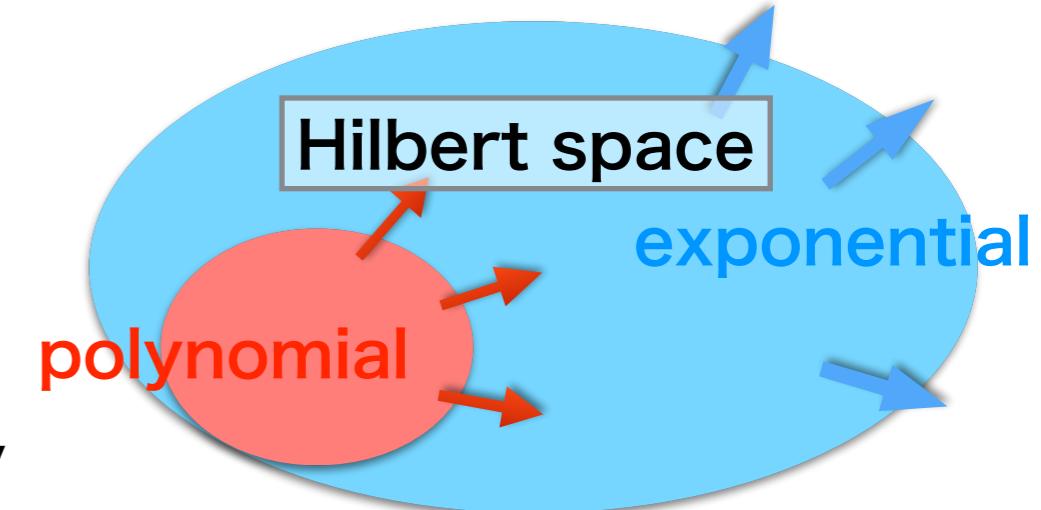
Bond dimension

- An efficient way to express sub-space of Hilbert space
- From quantum information aspect, much smaller value D than $d^{N/2}$ is enough to derive ground state [F. Verstraete et al. PRL 93, 227204](#)
Ex.) In our studies, $D \sim 100$ is enough ($\ll d^{N/2} \sim 10^{15}$)
- Hilbert space growing exponentially as increasing system size \Leftrightarrow With TN, one can investigate sub-space growing polynomially
- As a systematic approximation

Ex.) 1d spin system
 size of the whole Hilbert space By using MPS with D ,

$$d^N \Leftrightarrow NdD^2$$

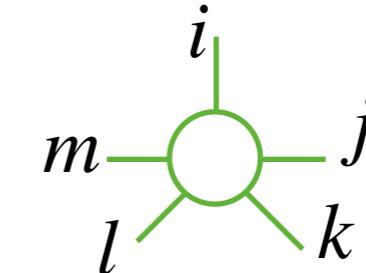
d : d.o.f of physical index at each site, N : chain length
 \Rightarrow If $D \sim d^{N/2}$, no advantage of TN



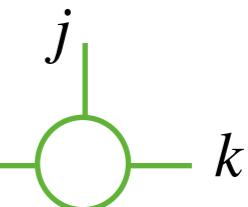
Graphical representation of TN

- Ex.1)

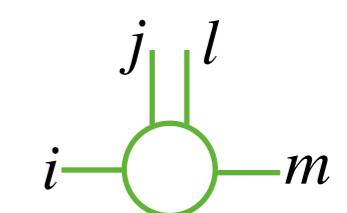
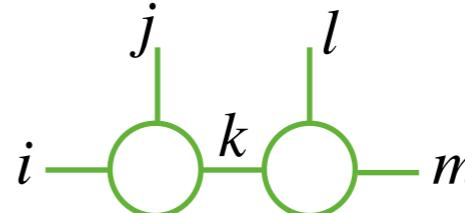
(i) A general tensor T_{ijklm}



(ii) A tensor with three indices M_{ijk}



(iii) Product of two tensors $M_{ijk} A_{klm} = B_{ijlm}$



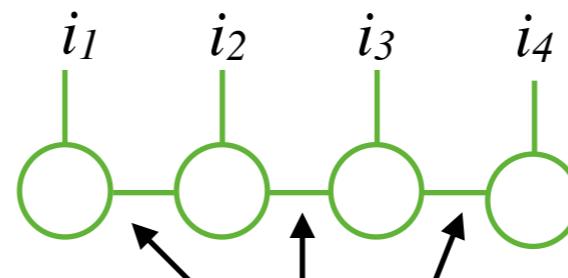
- Ex.2) MPS state:

$$\text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} \cdots M[N]^{i_N}]$$

MPS state
 $|\psi\rangle \approx \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_N} \text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} \cdots M[N]^{i_N}] |i_1 \cdots i_N\rangle$

ex. $N=4$

open boundary condition



:physical indices

bond indices
from TN approximation

Variational search 1

- For ground (and some excited) state search
- Ground state derived by searching minimum of trial energy computed by trial MPS state:

$$E = \min E_{\text{trial}} = \min \frac{\langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle}{\langle \psi | \psi \rangle}$$

| ψ : a trial MPS state

trial MPS
Hamiltonian

- the minimum searched with variational approach

$$\frac{dE_{\text{trial}}}{dM[n]_{k_n k_{n+1}}^{i_n}} = 0$$

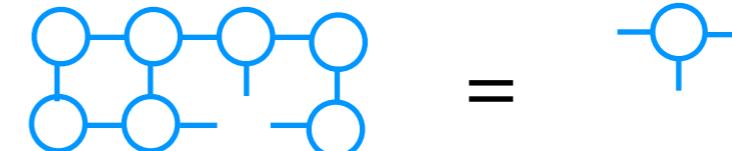
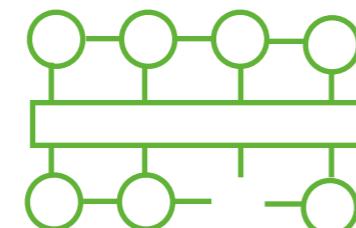
with fixing the other elements

Variational search 2

- More concretely,

MPS state: $|\psi\rangle \approx \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_N} \text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1} \cdots M[N]^{i_N}] |i_1 \cdots i_N\rangle$
 $\langle\psi| H |\psi\rangle$ $\langle\psi| \psi\rangle$: $M[n]_{k_n k_{n+1}}^{i_n}$ as a variable of trial energy, the others fixed

$$\frac{\frac{d\langle\psi| H |\psi\rangle}{dM[n]_{k_n k_{n+1}}^{i_n}} - E_{\text{trial}}}{\frac{d\langle\psi| \psi\rangle}{dM[n]_{k_n k_{n+1}}^{i_n}}} = 0$$



for given i_n, k_n, k_{n+1}

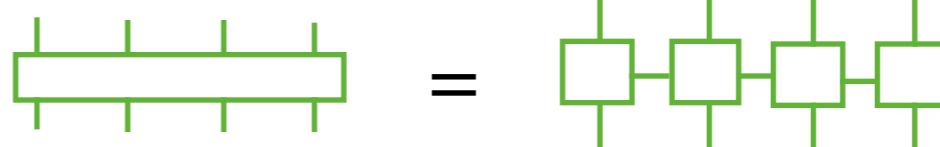
updating through the whole chain, until convergence

- Techniques to solve it efficiently,

i) canonical form derived by SVD:



ii) MPO for Hamiltonian



Matrix Product Operator (MPO)

- Hamiltonian of Schwinger model

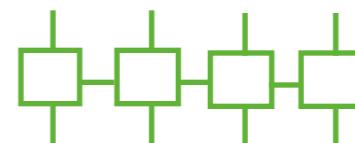
$$H = x \sum_{n=0}^{N-2} [\sigma_n^+ \sigma_{n+1}^- + \sigma_n^- \sigma_{n+1}^+] + \frac{\mu}{2} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} [1 + (-1)^n \sigma_n^z] + \sum_{n=0}^{N-2} \left[l + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^n ((-1)^k + \sigma_k^z) \right]^2$$

hopping term color: purple mass term color: blue gauge part

- Basis of Hamiltonian $d^N \Rightarrow$ Hamiltonian $d^N \times d^N$ matrix
- MPO: a different way by mapping into operator space
- Ex.) MPO of one hopping term with $N = 4$, open boundary

$$H_{\text{hop,half}} = x \sum_{n=0}^3 \sigma_n^+ \sigma_{n+1}^- \quad \text{:hopping}$$

$$= \sum_{i_0, i_1, i_2, i_3} \text{Tr} [A_0^{i_0} A_1^{i_1} A_2^{i_2} A_3^{i_3}] (\tilde{\sigma}_0^{i_0} \otimes \tilde{\sigma}_1^{i_1} \otimes \tilde{\sigma}_2^{i_2} \otimes \tilde{\sigma}_3^{i_3})$$

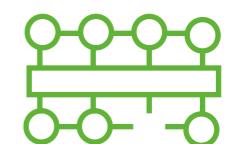


where $A_0^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $A_0^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, for left boundary

$$A_n^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_n^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_n^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_3^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_3^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\tilde{\sigma}^p = (1_{2 \times 2}, \sigma^+, \sigma^-)$ for bulk $n = 2, 3$ for right boundary

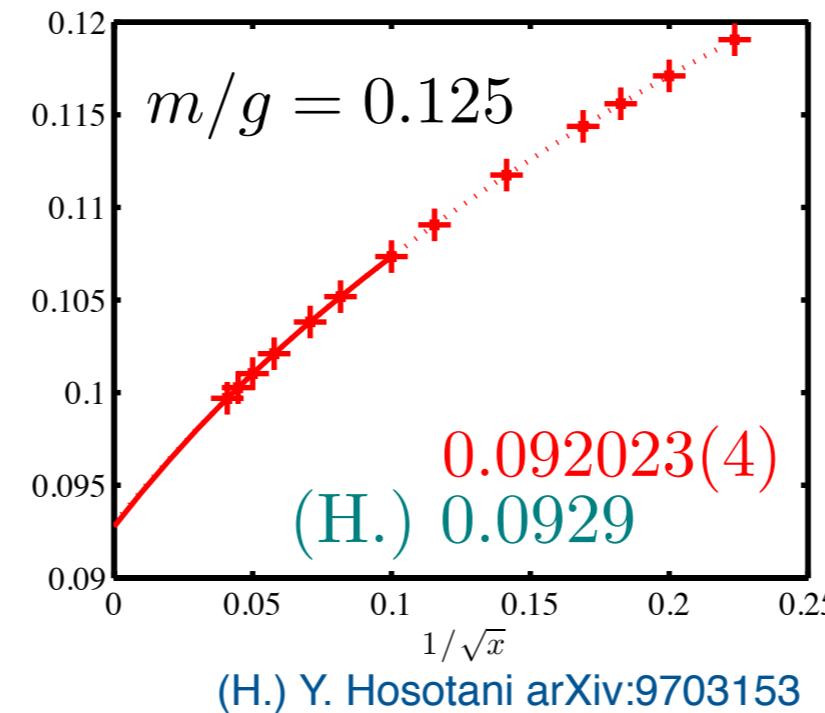
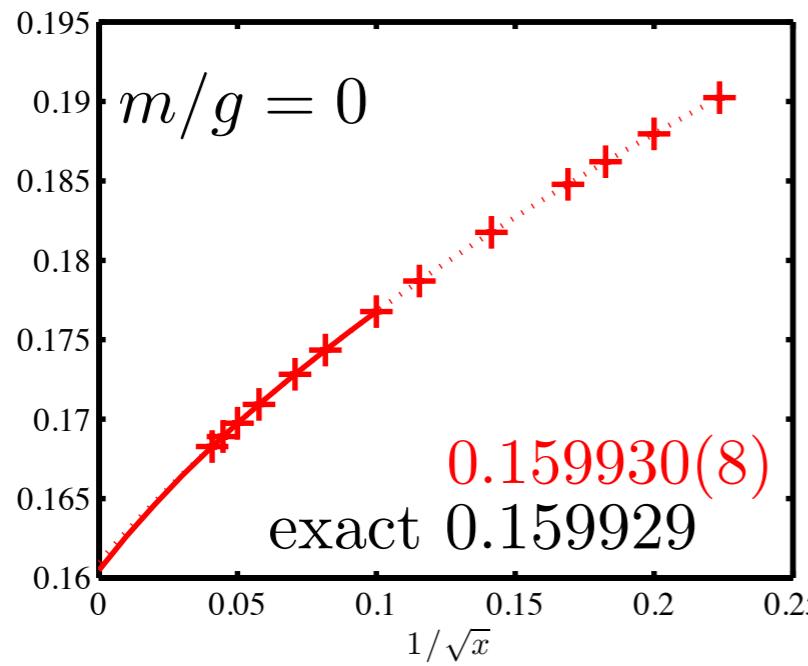
Useful to
compute the
trial energy



Our previous study

M. C. Bañuls et al JHEP 1311, 158, LAT2013, 332

- Schwinger model with MPS method
- With variational method, computing:
 - * spectrum
 - * (subtracted) chiral condensate: $\frac{\bar{\psi}\psi}{g} = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{N} \sum_n (-1)^n \left[\frac{1 + \sigma_n^z}{2} \right]$
- Continuum limit: $1/\sqrt{x} \rightarrow 0$
with inverse coupling $x = 1/g^2 a^2$



Fit function:

$$f(x) = A + F \frac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x}} + B \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} + C \frac{1}{x}$$

Logarithmic correction from
analytic form of free theory

Lattice gauge theory (LGT) with TN approach

- Earlier Study: critical behavior of Schwinger model with Density Matrix Renormalization Group
T. Byrnes, et al. PRD.66.013002 (2002)
- Nowadays: various branches
 - * Our previous studies M. C. Bañuls et al JHEP 1311, 158, LAT2013, 332 (2013)
 - * Strong coupling exp. K. Cichy, et al. Comput.Phys.Commun. 184 1666 (2013)
 - * LGT with TN on higher dimension
 - * Real time evolution B. Buyens, et al. arXiv:1312.6654
 - * Quantum link model P. Silvi, et al arXiv:1404.7439
E. Rico, et al. PRL112, 201601 (2014)
 - * Tensor Renormalization Group Y. Shimizu, Y. Kuramashi arXiv:1403.0642 (With Lagrangian)

This study

Chiral symmetry restoration of Schwinger model for $N_f = 1$

- Chiral symmetry breaking at $T = 0$ (via anomaly)
 \Leftrightarrow At high T , the symmetry restoration
- Order parameter : chiral condensate $\langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle$
- Analytic formula

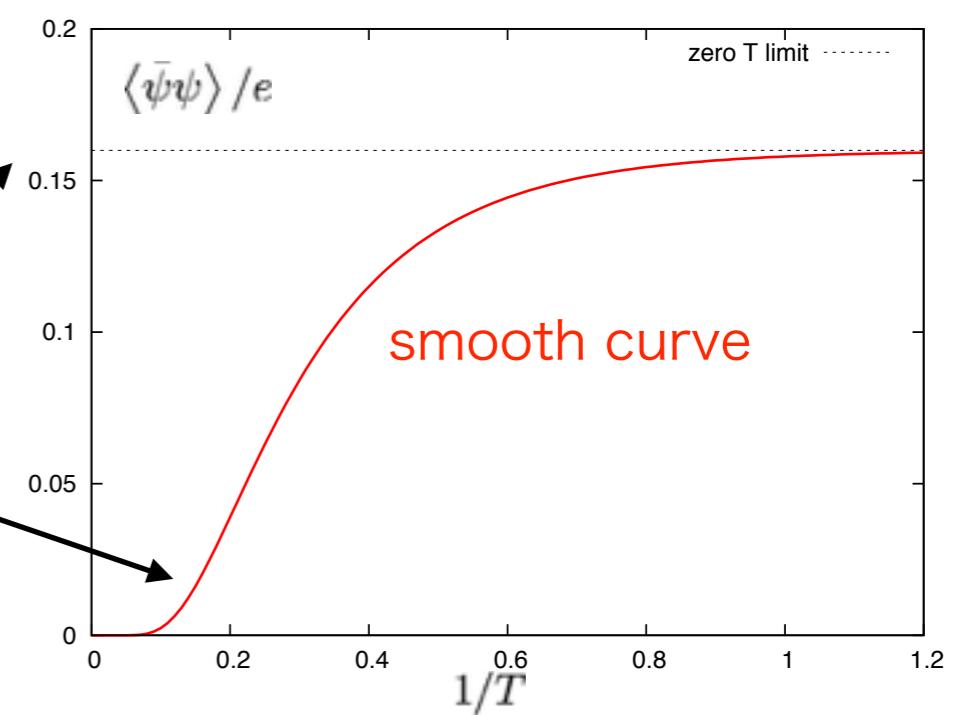
$$\langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle = \frac{m_\gamma}{2\pi} e^\gamma e^{2I(\beta m_\gamma)}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{m_\gamma}{2\pi} e^\gamma & \text{for } T \rightarrow 0 \\ 2Te^{-\pi T/m_\gamma} & \text{for } T \rightarrow \infty \end{cases}$$

where $I(x) = \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{1 - e^x \cosh(t)} dt$
 $m_\gamma = e/\sqrt{\pi}$

I. Sachs and A. Wipf,
arXiv:1005.1822

Euler constant $\gamma = 0.57721\dots$



Thermal state calculation

F. Verstraete *et al* PRL 93, 20 (2004)

- Expectation value at finite T :

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_\beta = \frac{\text{tr} [\mathcal{O} \rho(\beta)]}{\text{tr} [\rho(\beta)]}$$

thermal density operator $\rho(\beta) \equiv e^{-\beta H}$
where $\beta = 1/T$

- How to calculate the $\rho(\beta)$

- * $\rho(\beta/2)$ to ensure positivity: $\rho(\beta) = \rho(\beta/2) \rho(\beta/2)^\dagger$
- * Evolution of temperature: $\rho(\beta/2) = \underbrace{e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H} \dots e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H}}_{N = \beta/\delta}$ Ex.) For fixed δ , larger N corresponds to lower T
high $T \rightarrow$ low T
- * Further details, a unit of our thermal density operator

$$e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H} \approx e^{-\frac{\delta}{4}H_g} \underbrace{e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}(H_{\text{hop}}+H_{\text{mass}})}}_{\approx e^{-\frac{\delta}{4}H_e} e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H_o} e^{-\frac{\delta}{4}H_e}} e^{-\frac{\delta}{4}H_g}$$

H_g : including long range int.

additional Trotter exp. for other terms into even site and odd site (2nd order Trotter exp.)

multiplication of five factors for each step of $\rho(\beta/2)$

Global optimization

- Global optimization: Updating each elements w/ fixing the others so that the distance $\epsilon = |\mathcal{O}_{\text{approx}} - \mathcal{O}|$ is minimum
- MPS approximation for $\rho(\beta)$

$$\rho(\beta) \approx \sum_{\substack{i_1, \dots, i_N \\ j_1, \dots, j_N}} \text{Tr} [M[1]^{i_1 j_1} \dots M[N]^{i_N j_N}] |i_1 \dots i_N\rangle \langle j_1 \dots j_N|$$

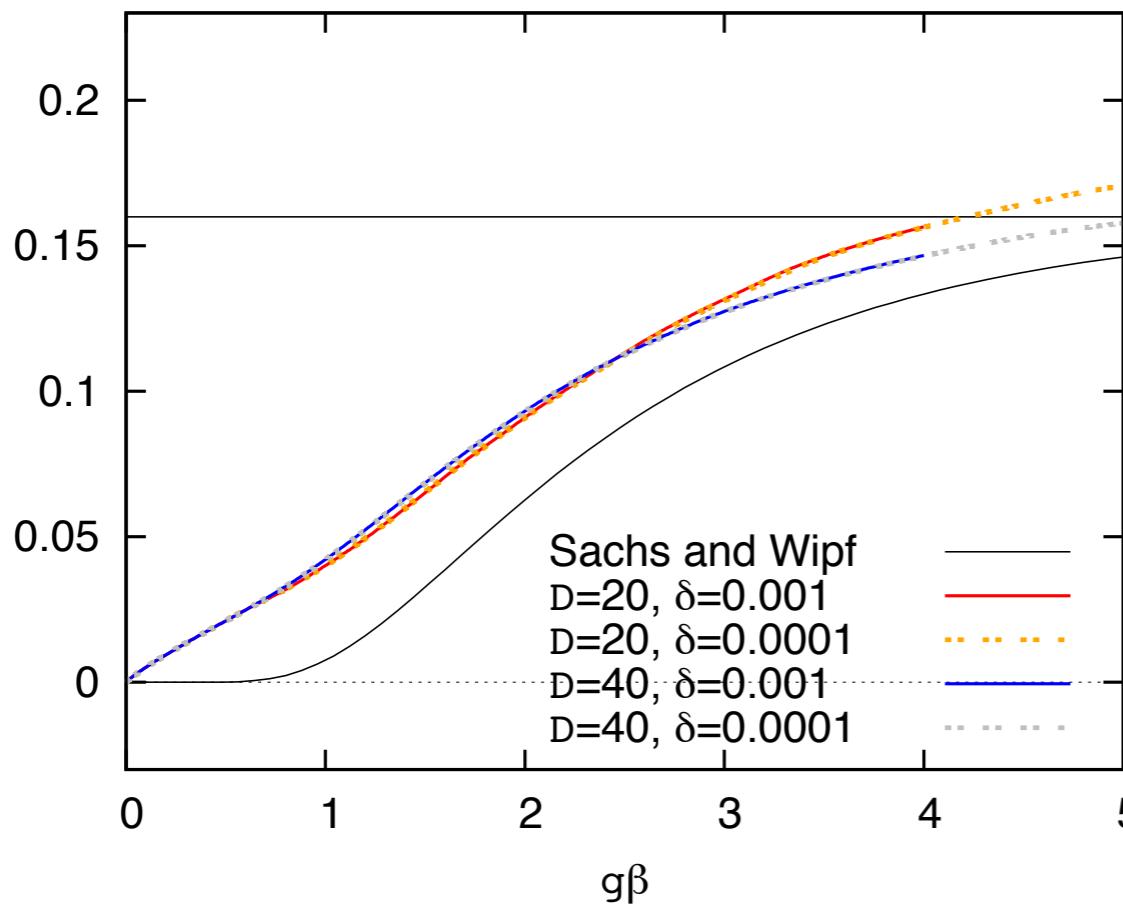
- How to obtain elements of tensors $M[1], \dots, M[N]$:
Ex. for $\rho(\beta) \rightarrow \rho'(\beta) \approx \rho(\beta)e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H_g}$ so that the distance $\epsilon = |\rho'(\beta) - \rho(\beta)e^{-\frac{\delta}{2}H_g}|$ is minimum

Simulation setup

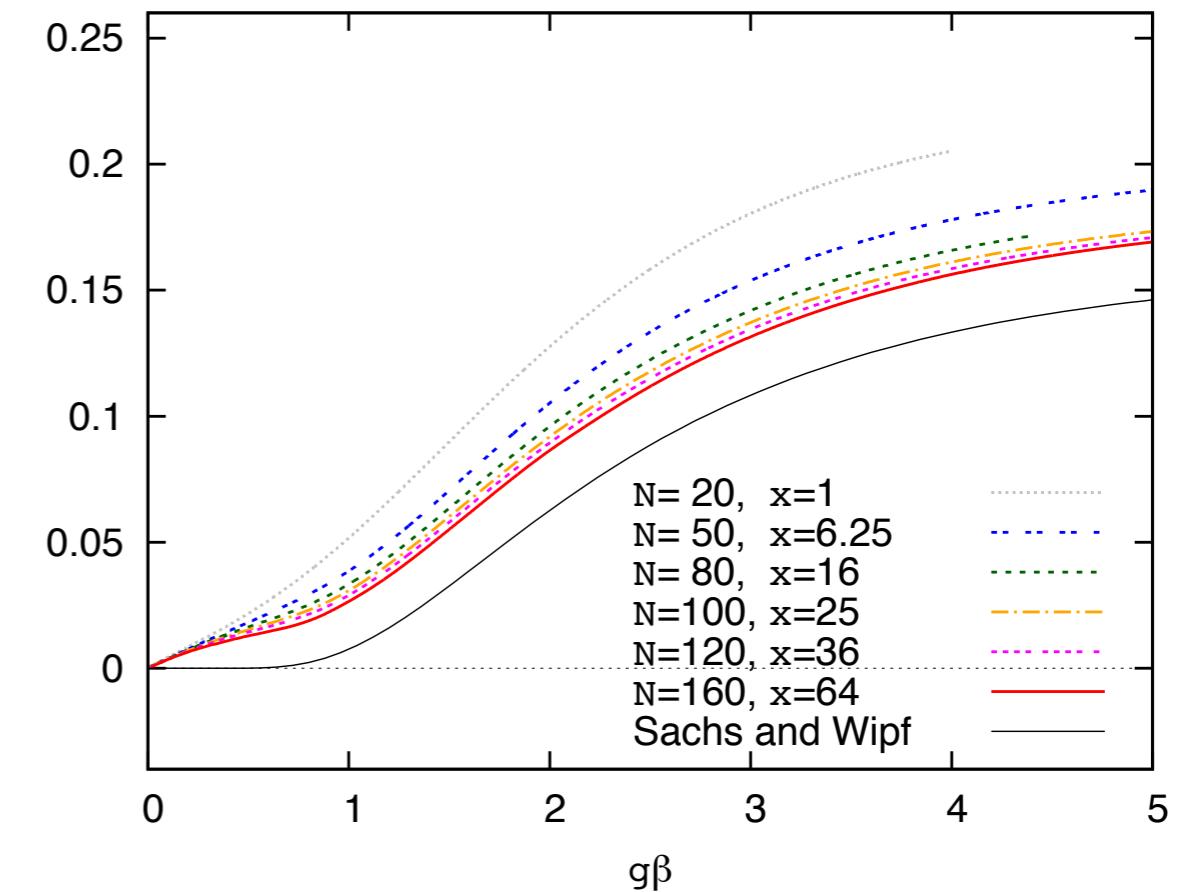
- Open Boundary condition
- Four simulation parameters
 1. From MPS approx., bond dimension D $D \rightarrow \infty$
 2. From T evol., step size δ $\delta \rightarrow 0$
 3. chain length N $N \rightarrow \infty$
 4. inverse coupling x $1/\sqrt{x} \rightarrow 0$
- To avoid finite size effect: $N/\sqrt{x} > 15$
- Four extrapolation steps

Four systematic errors

From bond dimension D ,
step size δ



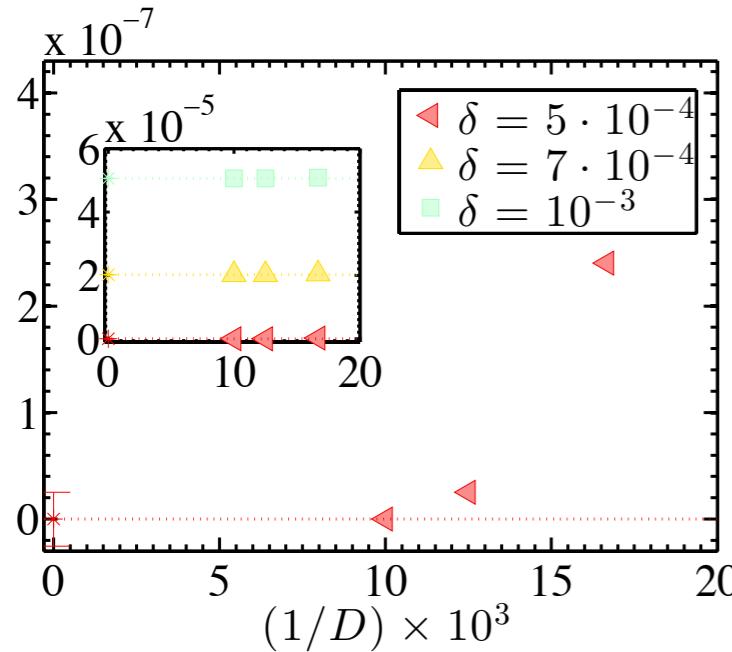
From chain length N ,
inverse coupling x
 continuum limit with fixed
 physical length $N/\sqrt{x} = 20$



Extrapolations

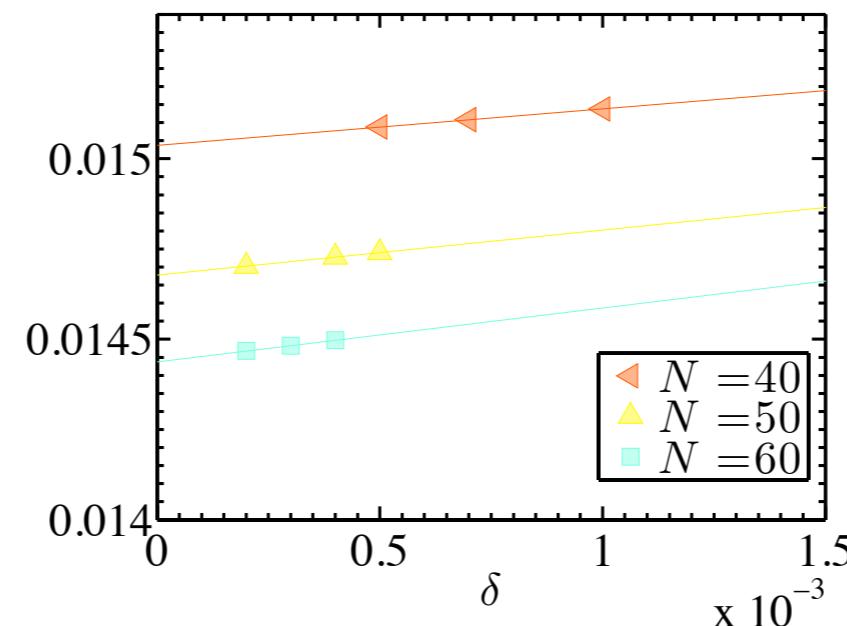
$D \rightarrow \infty$ with
fixed δ, N, x

from a mathematical
proof, convergence in D

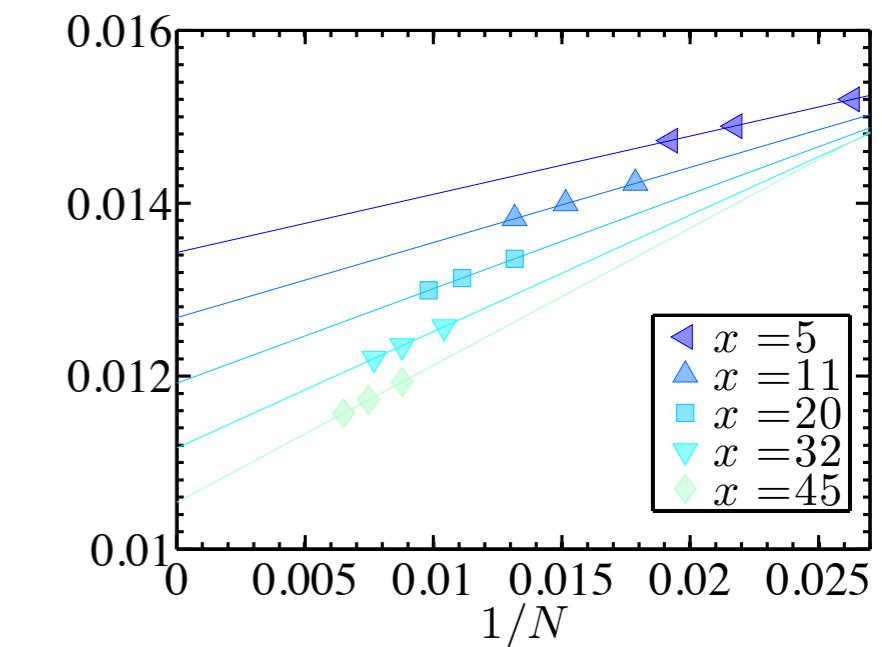


$\delta \rightarrow 0$ with fixed N, x

linear convergence in δ
theoretically predicted



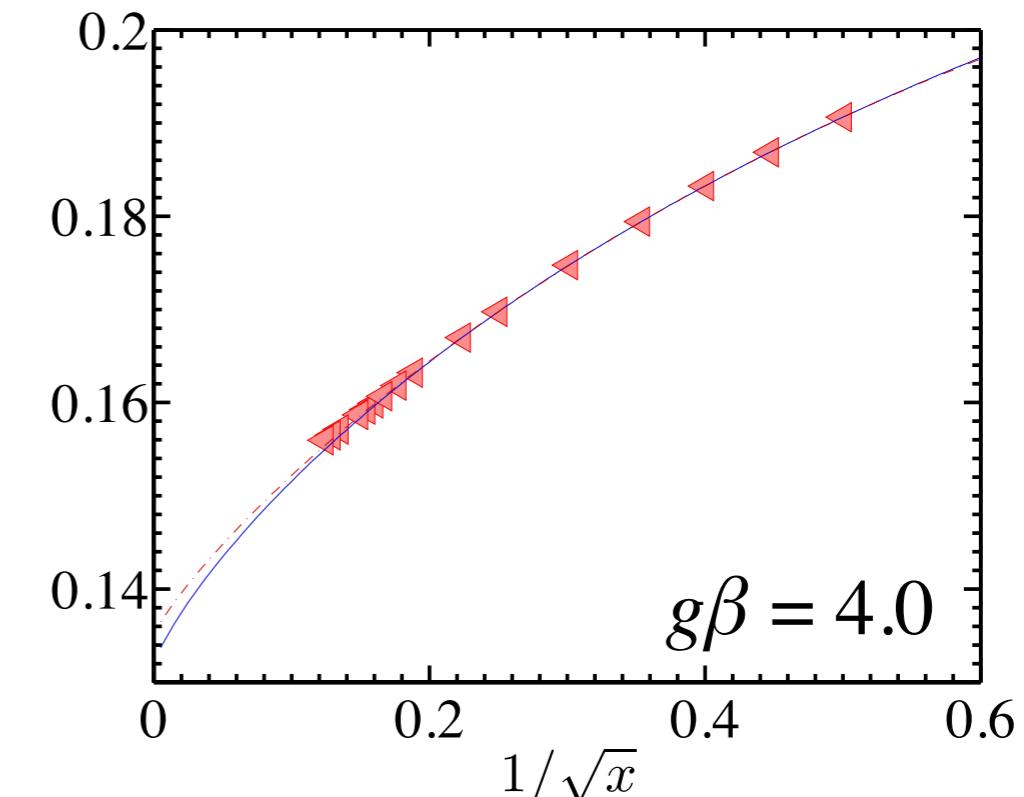
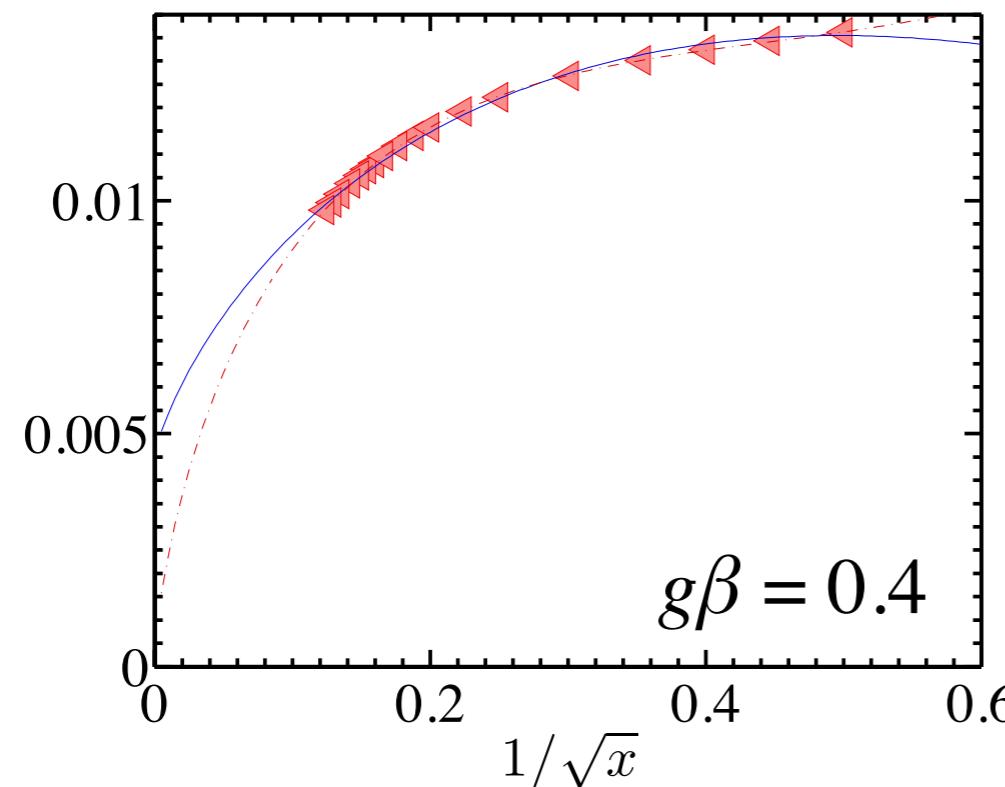
$N \rightarrow \infty$ with fixed x



at $g\beta = 0.4$

Continuum extrapolation

- continuum limit extrapolation $1/\sqrt{x} \rightarrow 0$

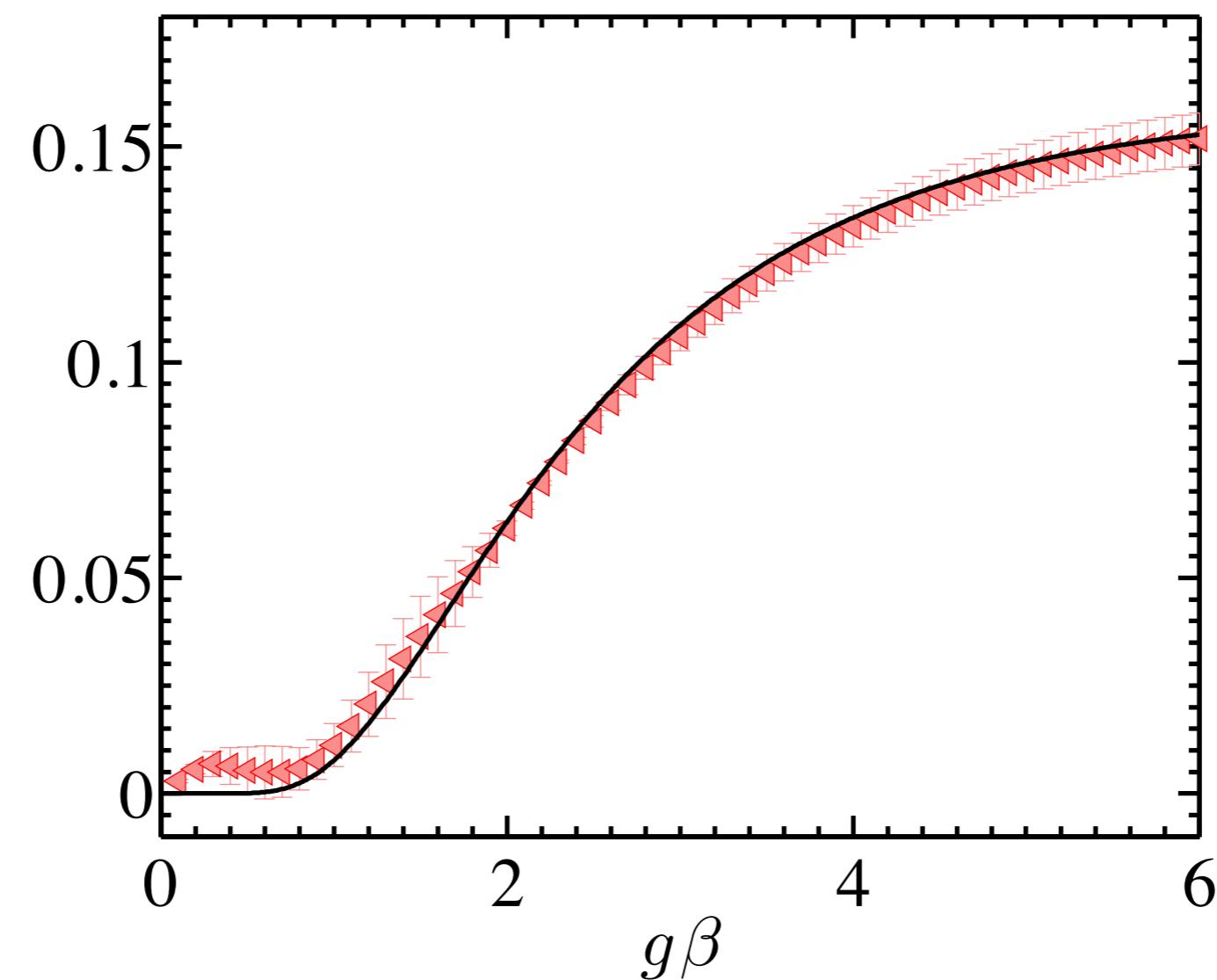


$$\Sigma = \Sigma_{\text{cont}} + \frac{a_1}{\sqrt{x}} \log(x) + \frac{b_1}{\sqrt{x}} \quad (\text{solid blue line})$$

$$\Sigma = \Sigma_{\text{cont}} + \frac{a_2}{\sqrt{x}} \log(x) + \frac{b_2}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{c_2}{x} \quad (\text{bashed red line})$$

Chiral condensate at high T

After eliminating those systematic errors ...



Summary

- Computing chiral condensate at finite T in Hamiltonian formalism with tensor network methods
- Evaluating dependence of parameters: bond dimension, step size, system size, inverse of coupling
- By taking continuum limit, we obtained results consistent with an analytic formula. [I. Sachs and A. Wipf, arXiv:1005.1822](#)
- Future plans
 - i) Many flavor Schwinger model
 - ii) Schwinger model at finite μ
 - iii) Non-Abelian gauge theory
 - iv) Real time evolution
 - v) Higher dimension of TN