

Excitations and dynamics of fractional quantum Hall fluids of light (and of atoms)

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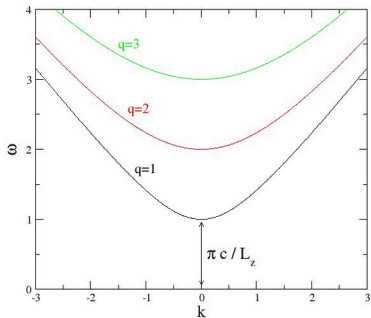
Why not hydrodynamics of light ?

Light field/beam composed by a huge number of photons

- in vacuo photons travel along straight line at c
- (practically) do not interact with each other
- in standard cavity, thermalization via walls and absorption/emission
→ optics in vacuo typically dominated by single-particle physics

In suitable photonic structures:

- spatial confinement → effective photon mass
- $\chi^{(3)}$ nonlinearity → photon-photon interactions

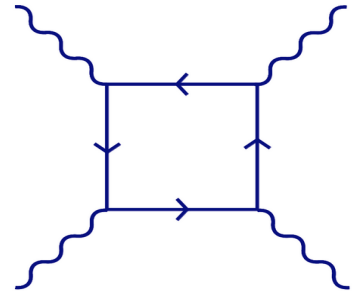


Collective behaviour of *quantum fluid of light*

Dilute-fluid physics well explored (BEC, superfluidity, etc.)

Now it is time for strongly correlated states of matter

IC-Ciuti, *Quantum Fluids of Light*, RMP **85**, 299 (2013)



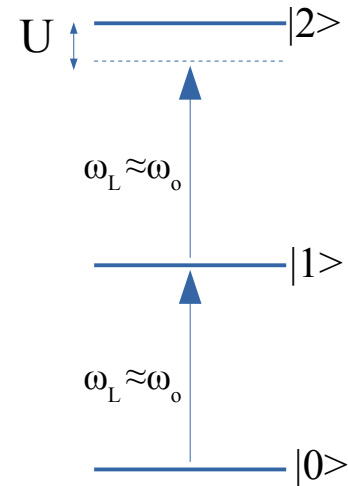
Photon blockade

- Single-mode cavity at ω_0 , losses γ
- Photon-photon interaction due to optical nonlinearity \rightarrow frequency shift $\sim U n (n-1)$
- If $U \gg \gamma$, coherent pump $\omega_L \sim \omega_0$ resonant with $0 \rightarrow 1$, but not with $1 \rightarrow 2$.

Photon blockade (Imamoglu et al., PRL 1997) \rightarrow Effectively impenetrable photons

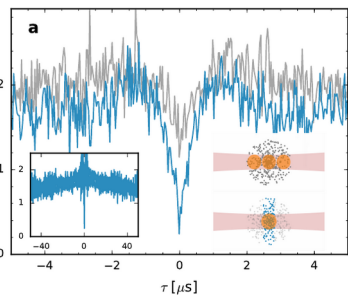
Opposite regime than non-interacting photons of Maxwell's eqs.

Single-cavity blockade observed in many platforms since the 2000s



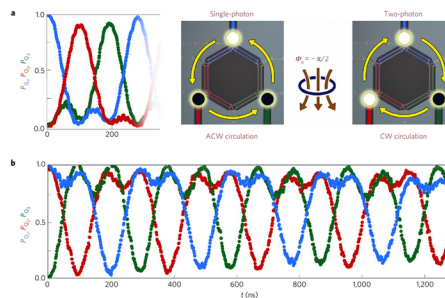
Many-cavities with tunneling $J \rightarrow$ driven-dissipative Bose-Hubbard / interacting Harper-Hofstadter model

\rightarrow many-body physics: Mott insulators, Fractional Quantum Hall fluids

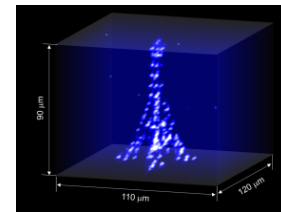


Polariton blockade
via Rydberg-EIT
(@ Chicago)

Circuit QED device
(@GoogleLabs)



Fluid of spin excitations in
lattice of Rydberg atoms.



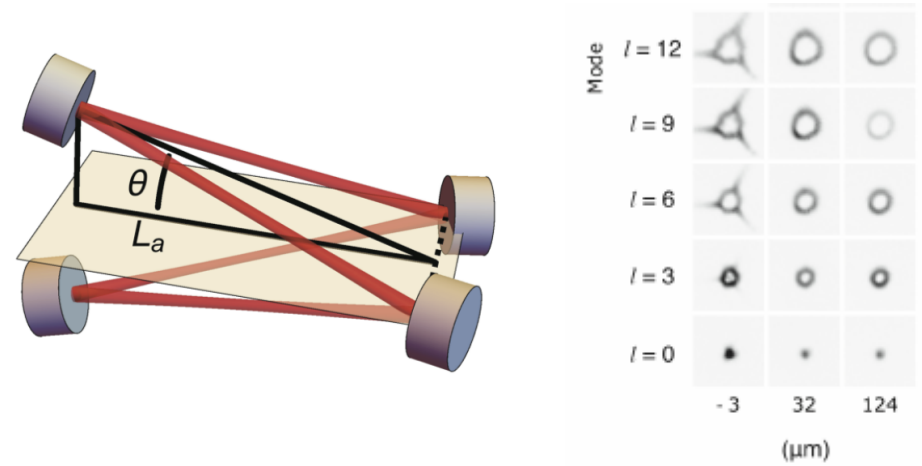
Quantum Hall fluid of light: Experiment @ Chicago

Non-planar ring cavity:

- Parallel transport \rightarrow synthetic B via periscope effect
- Landau levels for photons observed

Crucial advantages:

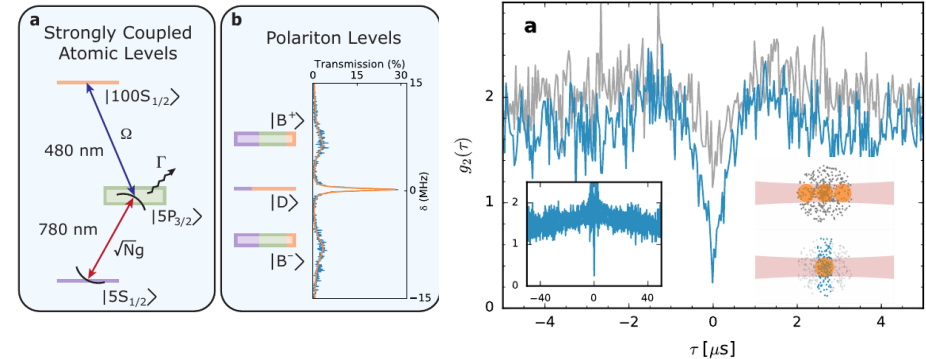
- Narrow frequency range relevant
- Integrated with Rydberg-EIT reinforced nonlinearities



Polariton blockade on lowest (0,0) mode

- Equivalent to $\Delta_{\text{Laughlin}} > \gamma$

2-photon baby Laughlin state realized (Clark et al., Nature 2020)



Quantum Hall fluid of light: Experiment @ Chicago (II)

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Probing few-particle Laughlin states of photons via correlation measurements

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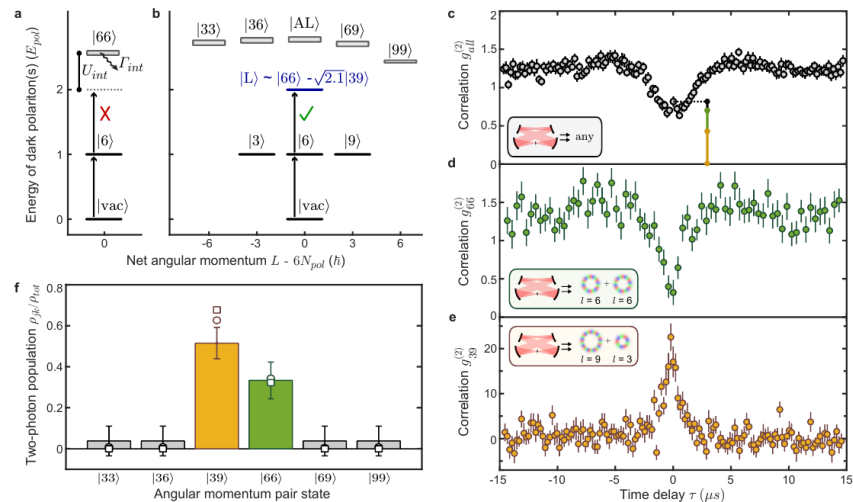
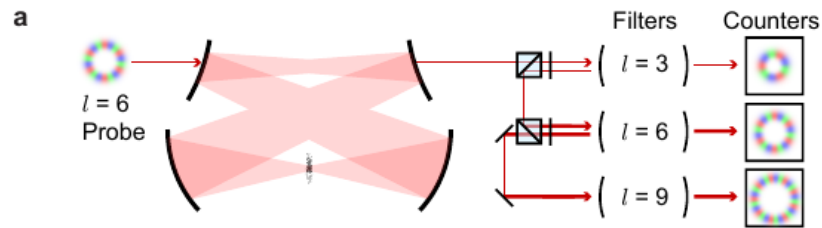
(Received 29 November 2013; published 5 February 2014)

Quantum optical tools to generate two-photon Laughlin state:

- Coherent pumping → multi-photon peaks to many-body states
Frequency selectivity isolates Laughlin state
(Umucalilar-IC, PRL 2012)
- Probing → quantum correlations in emission of orbital modes
(Umucalilar-Wouters-IC, PRA 2014)

Challenge: scale up to larger number of particles

Coherent pump scheme scales
very bad with N for topological states



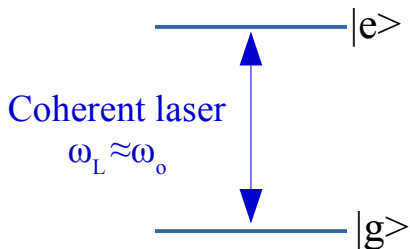
The next challenge:

Macroscopic FQH liquids of light

***How to exploit non-Markovian drive & dissipation
to stabilize a desired many-body state***

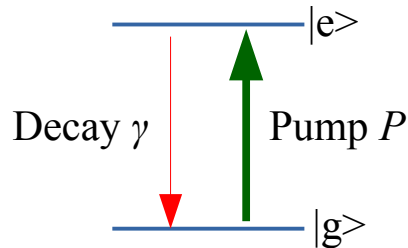
A recap on light-atom interaction

Coherent pump

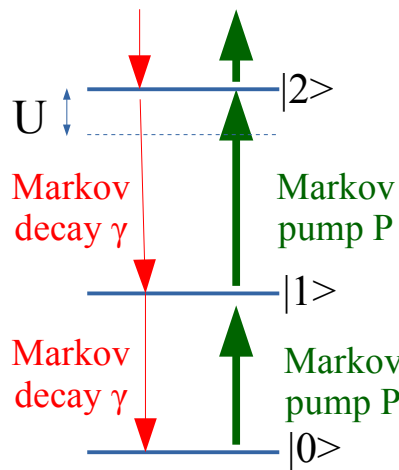


- Coherent laser drives absorption and stimulated emission
- $|e\rangle$ population saturates to $\frac{1}{2}$ under CW strong pumping
- Population inversion requires e.g. pulsed excitation

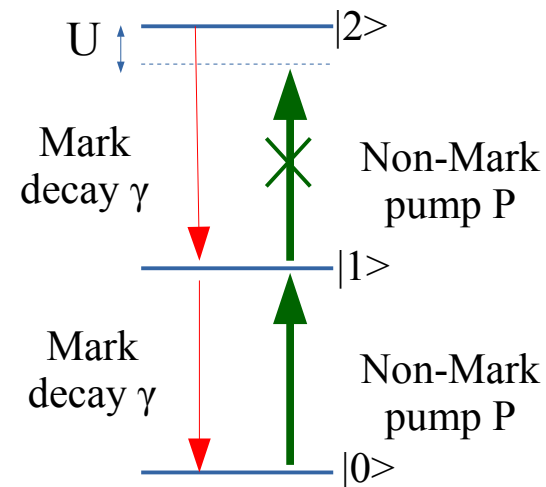
Standard (Markovian) incoherent pump



- For $P \gg \gamma$ atom pumped in $|e\rangle$
- Markovian pump energy-insensitive, keeps exciting to higher states



Frequency-dependent (i.e. non-Markovian) incoherent pump



- Transition to $|2\rangle$ detuned \rightarrow forbidden by freq-depend.
- For $P \gg \gamma$ population accumulates into state $|1\rangle$
- Naturally obtained via frequency-dependent gain, e.g. population-inverted emitters

Many-cavity system

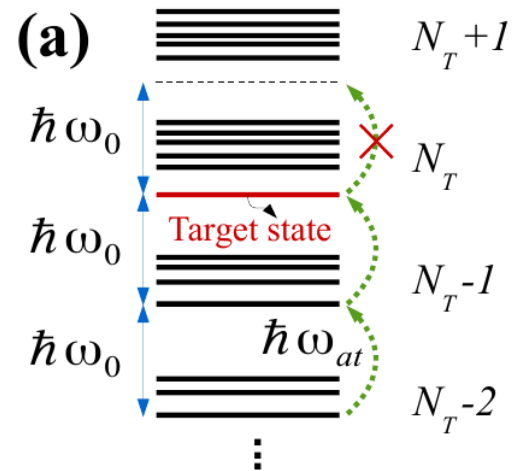
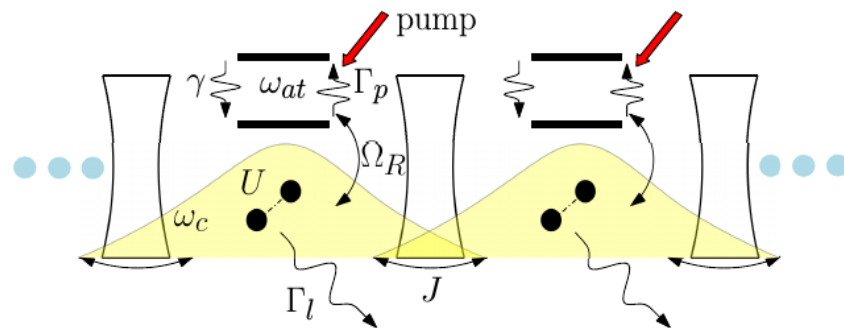
Frequency-dependent incoherent pumping, e.g. collection of inverted emitters

José's thm: for Markov pump \rightarrow trivial $T=\infty$ state for each N

Non-Markovian pump:

- Inverted emitters \rightarrow Lorentzian emission line around ω_{at}
- **Photon injection** only active if many-body transition is near resonance, otherwise losses dominate
- For $P \gg \gamma$ photons injected until band is full (MI) or many-body gap develops (FQH)
- Many-body gap blocks excitation to higher states and larger N

\rightarrow desired correlated state gets stabilized !



General idea:

Kapit, Hafezi, Simon, PRX 2014
Lebreuilly et al. CRAS (2016)

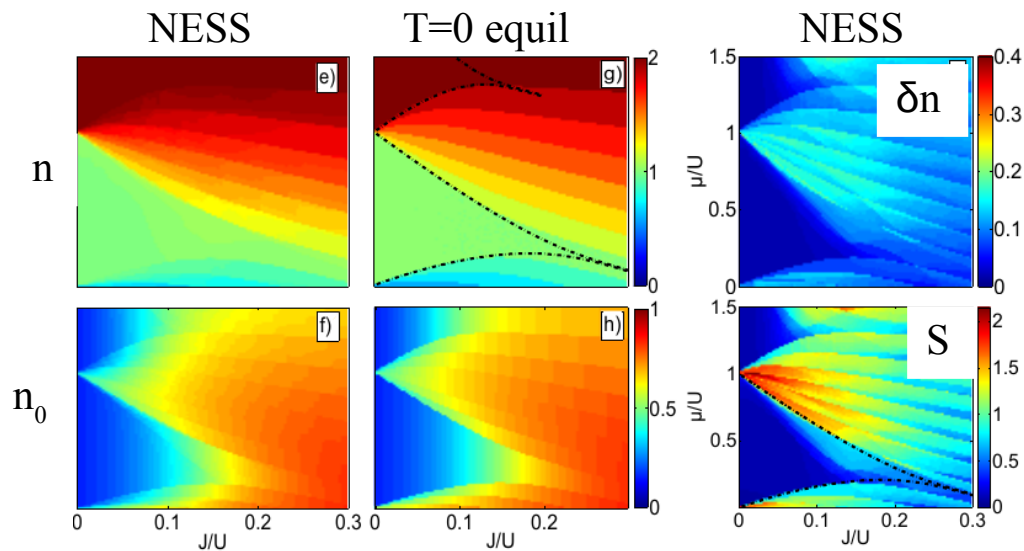
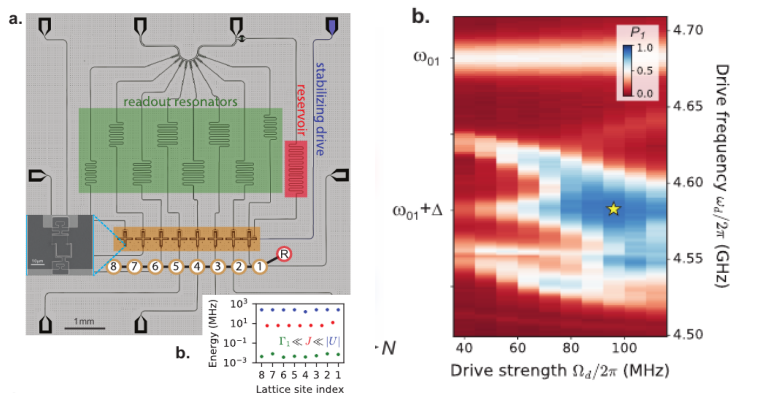
Umucalilar-IC, PRA 2017
Lebreuilly, Biella et al., PRA 2017

Mott insulators of light

- Most naive non-Markovian master equation:
frequency-dependent emission \rightarrow rescaled jump operators
- driven-dissipative steady state stabilizes
strongly correlated many-body states
e.g. Mott-insulator, FQH...
- resembles low-T equilibrium
- (in principle) no restriction to small N_{ph}
only requirement \rightarrow many-body energy gap

$$\bar{\mathcal{L}}_{\text{em}}(\rho_{\text{ph}}) = \frac{\Gamma_{\text{em}}}{2} \sum_{i=1}^k \left[2\bar{a}_i^\dagger \rho_{\text{ph}} \bar{a}_i - \bar{a}_i \bar{a}_i^\dagger \rho_{\text{ph}} - \rho_{\text{ph}} \bar{a}_i \bar{a}_i^\dagger \right]$$

$$\langle f' | \bar{a}_i^\dagger | f \rangle = \frac{\Gamma_{\text{pump}}/2}{\sqrt{(\omega_{\text{at}} - \omega_{f',f})^2 + (\Gamma_{\text{pump}}/2)^2}} \langle f' | a_i^\dagger | f \rangle$$



Lebreuilly, Biella et al., 1704.01106 & 1704.08978
Related work in Kapit, Hafezi, Simon, PRX 2014

Mott insulators of light (II)

Exact description of non-Markovianity of emitter

→ explicit inclusion of two-level emitters:

- Markovian incoherent pump Γ_p
- Coupling to cavity mode Ω_R → emission irreversible via Γ 's
- Frequency-dependent emission of linewidth Γ_p

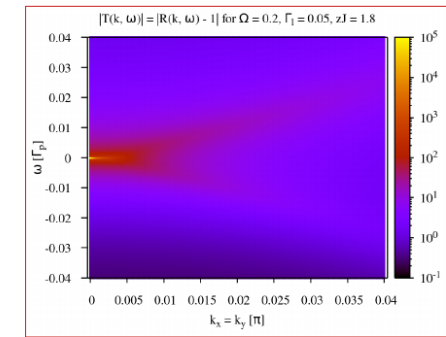
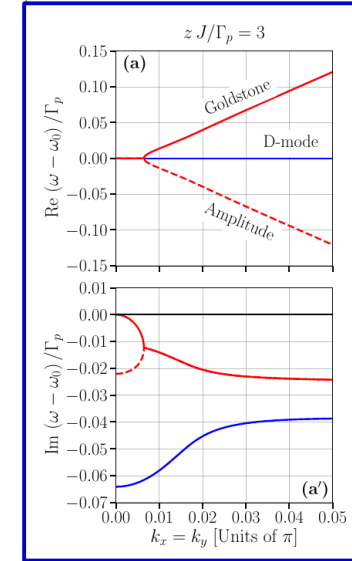
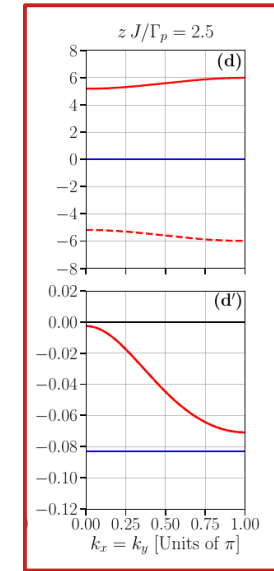
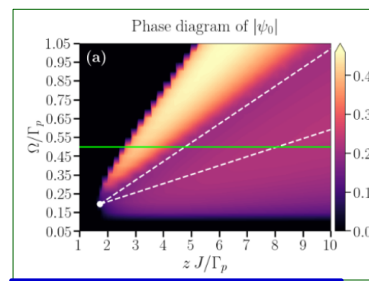
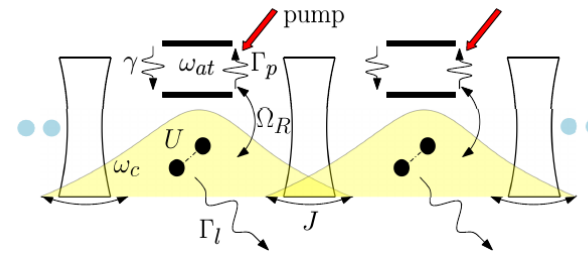
Biella, Lebreully et al., 1704.08978

Superfluid-insulator non-equilibrium phase transition

Interesting behaviour of **collective excitation modes** across transition:

- Linearized Gutzwiller approach; observation in transmission/reflection/FWM
- **Gap closes** in Mott insulating phase approaching critical point
- **Diffusive Goldstone mode** in superfluid
- Similar physics as in polariton BECs (Wouters, Szymanska/Keeling, Diehl, expt: Bramati)

Fabio Caleffi, PhD thesis @ SISSA (to be submitted)



What about large FQH fluids?

Coherent pump:

- Able to selectively generate few-body states
- Limited by (exponentially) decreasing matrix element for larger systems

Frequency-dependent incoherent pump:

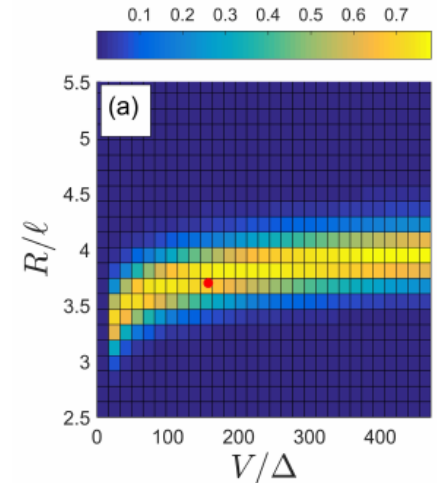
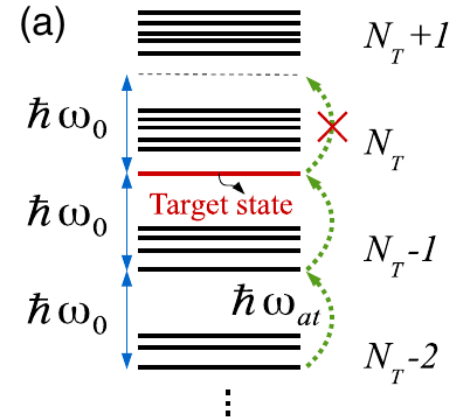
- Interactions \rightarrow many-body gap Δ
- Edge excitations not gapped. Hard-wall confinement gives small δ
- Non-Markovianity blocks excitation to higher states

Calculations only possible for small systems:

- Large overlap with Laughlin states
- Residual excitations localized mostly on edge

Open question: what are ultimate limitations of this pumping method?

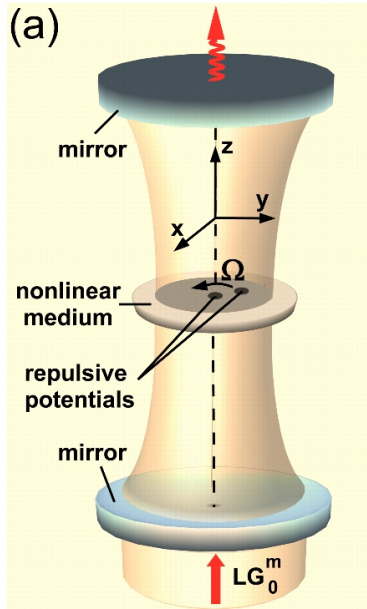
- R. O. Umucalilar, IC, *Generation and spectroscopic signatures of a fractional quantum Hall liquid of photons in an incoherently pumped optical cavity*, PRA 2017.
- R. O. Umucalilar, J. Simon, IC, *Autonomous stabilization of photonic Laughlin states through angular momentum potentials*, PRA 2022
- Interesting subtleties: Kurilovich et al., *Stabilizing the Laughlin state of light: dynamics of hole fractionalization*, arXiv:2111.01157



How to probe the many-body state?

*Probing anyonic statistics
of quasi-holes in the bulk*

Optical signatures of the anyonic braiding phase



Anyonic statistics of quasi-holes: Berry phase ϕ_{Br} when adiabatically moved around each other

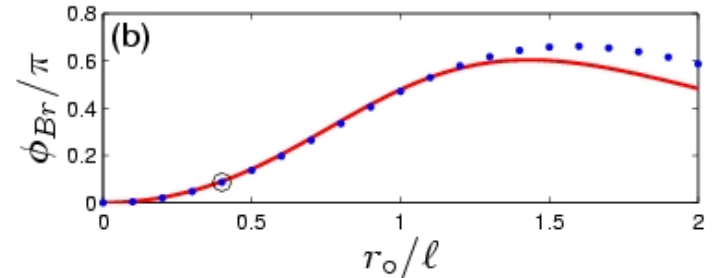
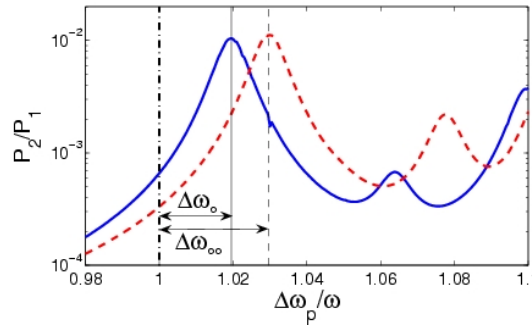
- Berry phase encoded in global phase of many-body wavefunction
- requires interference process to be revealed [Grusdt et al., Nat. Comm. (2016)]

Naturally provided in optics:

- FQH fluid + localized potentials: \rightarrow create & braid QH in FQH fluid
- 0-photon state unaffected; phase-shift of N-body wavefunction of FQH state
- Berry phase extracted from shift of transmission resonance $|0\rangle \rightarrow |N\rangle$ while repulsive potential moved with period T_{rot} along circle

$$\phi_{Br} \equiv (\Delta\omega_{oo} - \Delta\omega_o) T_{rot} [2\pi]$$

R. O. Umucalilar and IC,
*Anyonic braiding phases in a rotating
 strongly correlated photon gas,*
 arXiv:1210.3070



Quantum mechanics of anyons (I) – single particle

Laughlin wavefunction of Fractional Quantum Hall:

- quasi-holes \rightarrow no E_{kin} , no independent life
- dressed by heavy impurity \rightarrow **anyonic molecule**
- full-fledged quantum mechanical degree of freedom

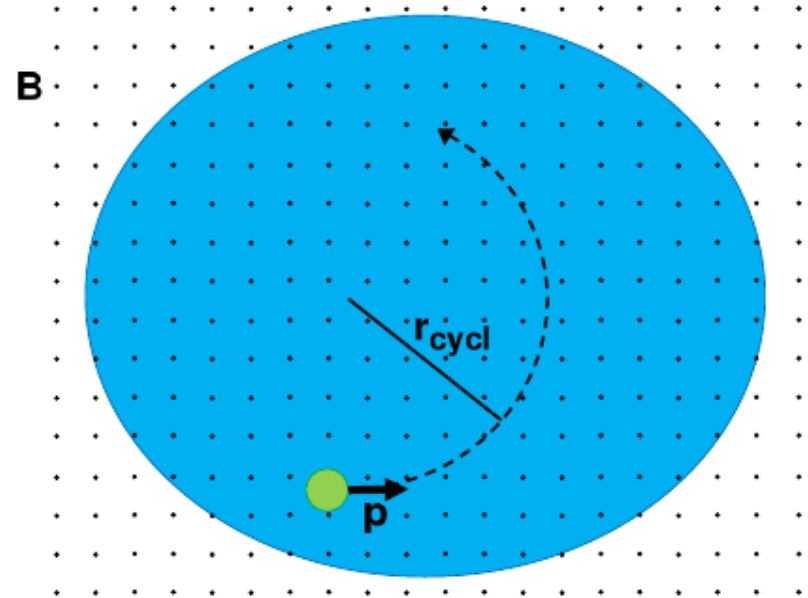
Born-Oppenheimer approx:

- Heavy impurity \rightarrow slow Degree of Freedom
- Light FQH particles \rightarrow fast DoF

$$H_{\text{eff}} = \frac{[-i\nabla_{\mathbf{R}} - (Q - \nu q) \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{R})]^2}{2M}$$

- Mass $M \rightarrow$ M (impurity) + QH dragging effect
- Impurity & FQH particles feel (Synth-)B,
so **synth-Charge** \rightarrow Q (impurity) $- \nu q$ (QH)

Cyclotron orbit \rightarrow **fractional charge** and BO mass correction



Quantum mechanics of anyons (II) – two particles

Each particle \rightarrow attached flux

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_j(\mathbf{R}) &= \mathcal{A}_q(\mathbf{R}_j) + \mathcal{A}_{\text{stat},j}(\mathbf{R}) \\ &= \frac{\mathcal{B}_q}{2} \mathbf{u}_z \times \mathbf{R}_j + (-1)^j \frac{\nu}{R_{\text{rel}}^2} \mathbf{u}_z \times \mathbf{R}_{\text{rel}} \end{aligned}$$

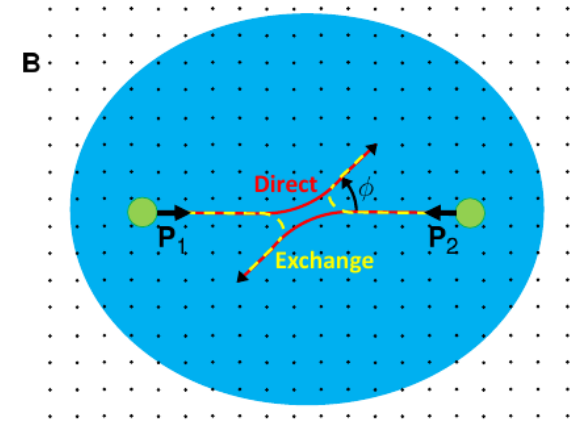
Relative motion:

- inter-particle potential
- statistical \mathcal{A}_{rel} due to attached flux

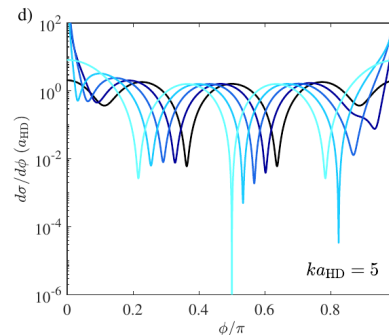
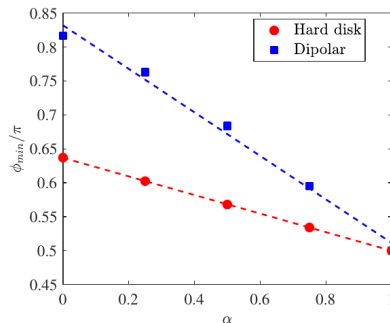
$$H_{\text{rel}} = \frac{[\mathbf{P}_{\text{rel}} + \mathbf{A}_{\text{rel}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{rel}})]^2}{2\mathcal{M}_{\text{rel}}} + V_{\text{ii}}(R_{\text{rel}})$$

2-body scattering: interference of direct & exchange

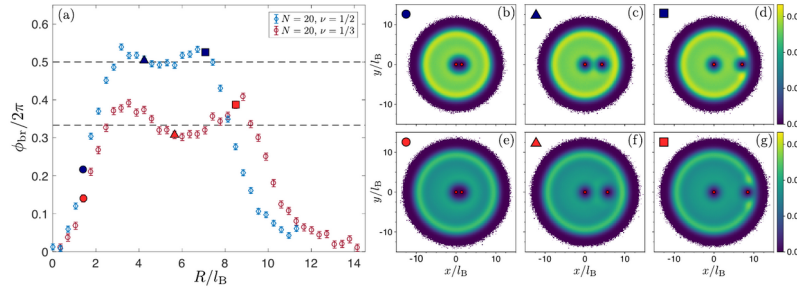
- fringes in differential cross section
- fringe position depends on attached flux, i.e. **measure fractional statistics**



- > Scheme works with polar molecules (heavy + long-range interactions) in atoms (light FQH gas)
- > What about Rydberg polaritons?



A simpler strategy: observing anyonic statistics in ToF measurements



Braiding phase \rightarrow Berry phase when two quasi-holes are moved around each other

$$\varphi_B(R) = i \oint_R \langle \Psi(\theta) | \partial_\theta | \Psi(\theta) \rangle d\theta.$$

Braiding operation generated by rotations, braiding phase related to L_z

$$\varphi_B(R) = \frac{1}{\hbar} \oint_R \langle \Psi(\theta) | L_z | \Psi(\theta) \rangle d\theta = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} \langle L_z \rangle$$

Self-similar expansion of lowest-Landau-levels \rightarrow L_z measured via size of the expanding cloud in time-of-flight

$$\langle r^2 \rangle_{\text{tof}} = \frac{1}{N} \left(\frac{\hbar t}{\sqrt{2} M l_B} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\langle L_z \rangle}{\hbar} + N \right) = \left(\frac{\hbar t}{2 M l_B^2} \right)^2 \langle r^2 \rangle$$

Can be applied to both cold atoms or to fluids of light looking at far-field emission pattern

Difficulty \rightarrow small angular momentum difference of QH compared to total L_z

Umucalilar, Macaluso et al., *Observing anyonic statistics via time-of-flight measurements*, PRL (2018)

Connection to spin/statistics of anyons: Comparin, Opler, Macaluso, Biella, Polychronakos, Mazza, *Measurable fractional spin for quantum Hall quasiparticles on the disk*, PRB 2022

Quasi-Hole structure vs. anyon statistics (I)

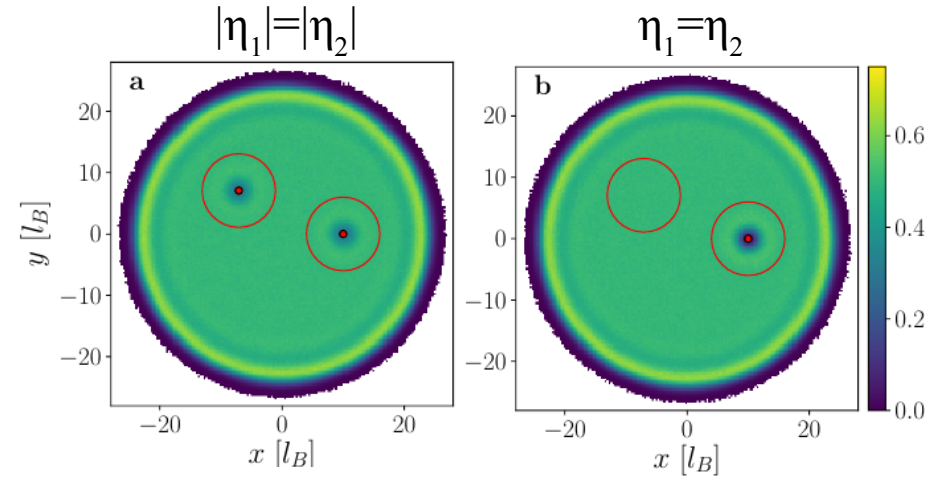
- Compare (two) single quasi-holes and overlapping pair of quasi-holes:

$$\frac{\varphi_{\text{br}}}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{\hbar} \left[\langle \hat{L}_z \rangle_{|\eta_1|=|\eta_2|} - \langle \hat{L}_z \rangle_{\eta_1=\eta_2} \right].$$

- Relates to difference of density profiles:

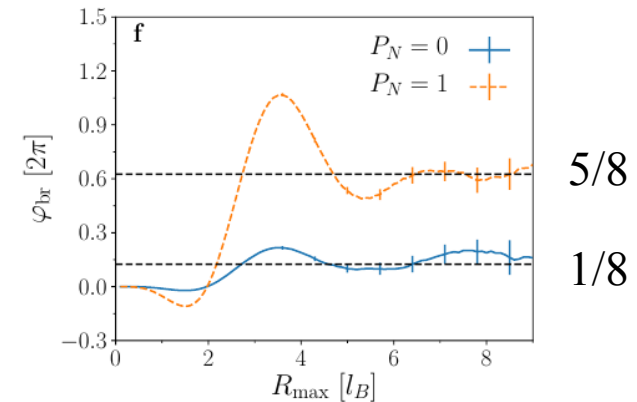
$$\frac{\varphi_{\text{br}}}{2\pi} = \frac{N}{2l_B^2} \left[\langle r^2 \rangle_{|\eta_1|=|\eta_2|} - \langle r^2 \rangle_{\eta_1=\eta_2} \right],$$

- Incompressibility \rightarrow external region unaffected
- Statistics inferred from local density difference around QH core, i.e. spatial variance of density depletion
- To be distinguished from fractional charge inferred from missing charge
- Insensitive to spurious excitation of (ungapped) edge states
- Numerical calculation using Moore-Read wavefunction allows to distinguish fusion channels of even/odd total particle number

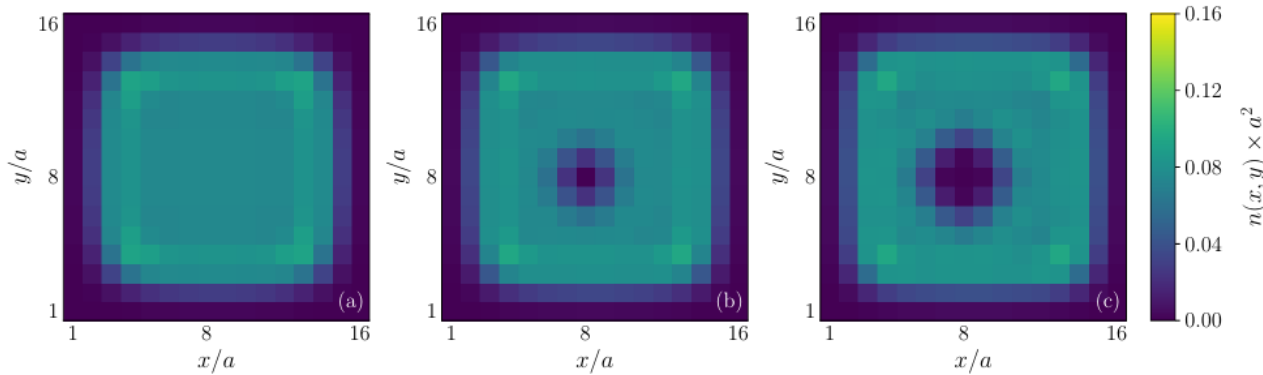


E. Macaluso, T. Comparin, L. Mazza, IC, *Fusion channels of non-Abelian anyons from angular-momentum and density-profile measurements*, PRL 2019

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Quasi-Hole structure vs. anyon statistics (II)



Discrete lattice model → Harper-Hofstadter-Bose-Hubbard

Ground state using **Tree-Tensor-Network** ansatz

- experimentally realistic “large” system
- open boundary conditions with harmonic trap
- repulsive potentials to pin quasi-holes

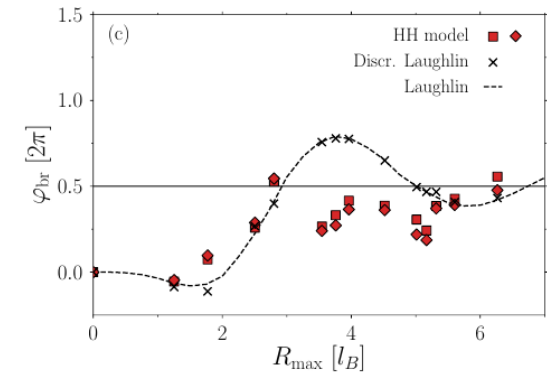
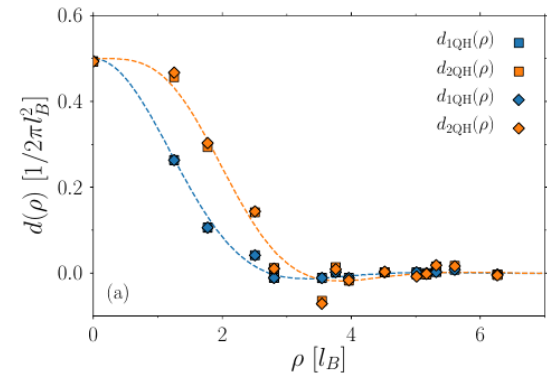
Apply discretized version of **braiding phase formula**

$$\frac{\varphi_{\text{br}}}{2\pi} = \frac{N}{2l_B^2} [\langle r^2 \rangle_{|\eta_1|=|\eta_2|} - \langle r^2 \rangle_{\eta_1=\eta_2}],$$

to physical ground state wavefunction

→ Accurate reconstruction of **anyonic statistics**

→ Experiment accessible in state-of-the-art **circuit-QED systems**



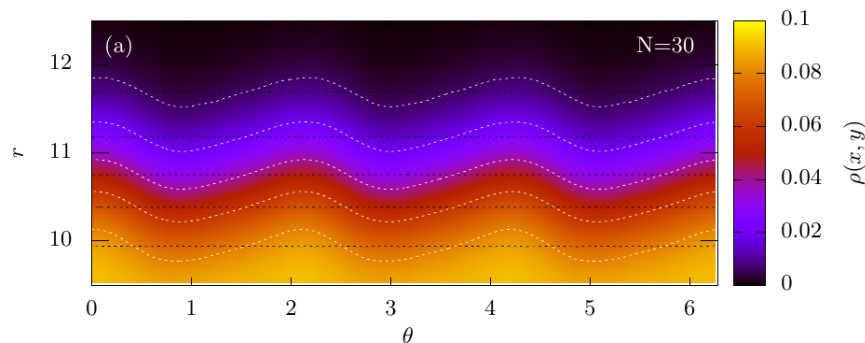
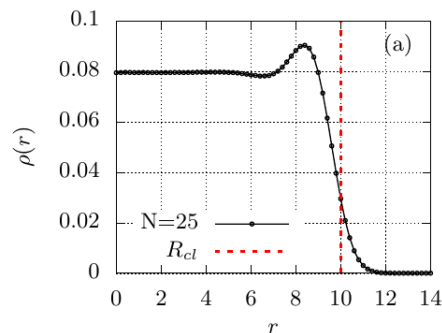
E. Macaluso *et al.*, *Charge and statistics of lattice quasiholes from density measurements: a Tree Tensor Network study*, Phys. Rev. Research (2020)

On-going work:

**Linear and nonlinear edge
dynamics of FQH clouds**

Towards quantum optics of chiral Luttinger liquids

Response of trapped FQH cloud to external potential (I)



Trapping potential $V_{\text{conf}}(r) = \lambda r^\delta$

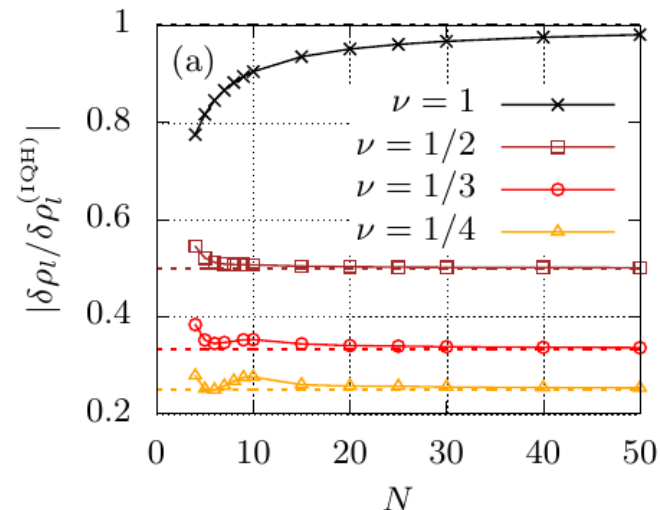
Ab initio ED calculations by MC evaluation of matrix elements of H via Metropolis (upto ~ 50 particles)

Time-dependent perturbation $U(r,\theta;t)$ running around edge:

- generates oscillatory perturbation on edge

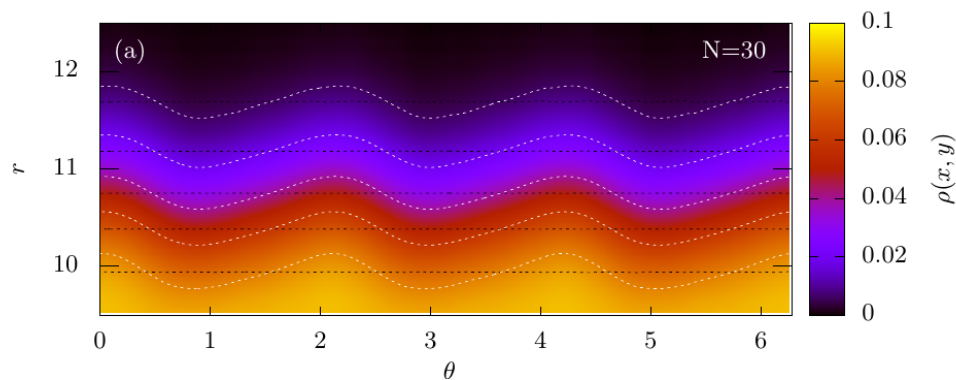
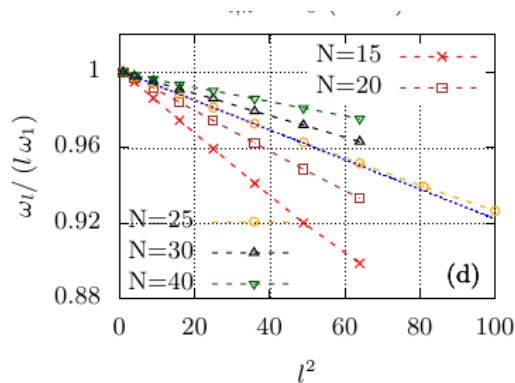
Weak perturbation \rightarrow chiral Luttinger liquid behaviour

- linear response proportional to filling ν
- related to **quantized transverse conductivity** of FQH
- matches with numerics for long wavelength excitations...



A. Nardin, IC, *Linear and nonlinear edge dynamics of trapped fractional quantum Hall droplets beyond the chiral Luttinger liquid paradigm*, arXiv:2203.02539

Response of trapped FQH cloud to external potential (II)



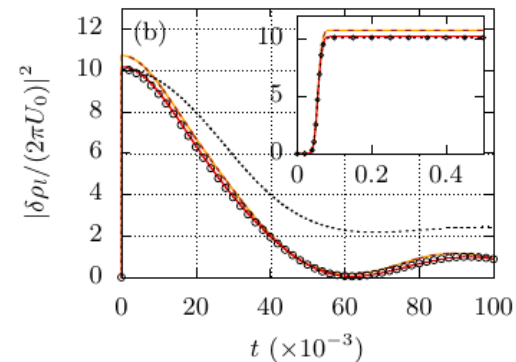
Linear response matches $\chi_{LL}...$ but much more physics hidden in edge perturbation $\sigma(z,t)$:

- free oscillation frequency shift $\sim k^3 \rightarrow$ **group velocity dispersion**
- **nonlinear effects** \rightarrow frequency shift **proportional to amplitude** σ due to radially increasing trapping force (different functional form compared to FQH literature)

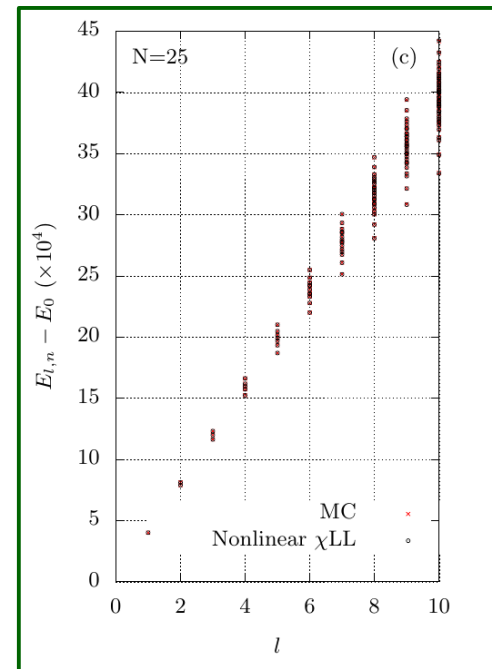
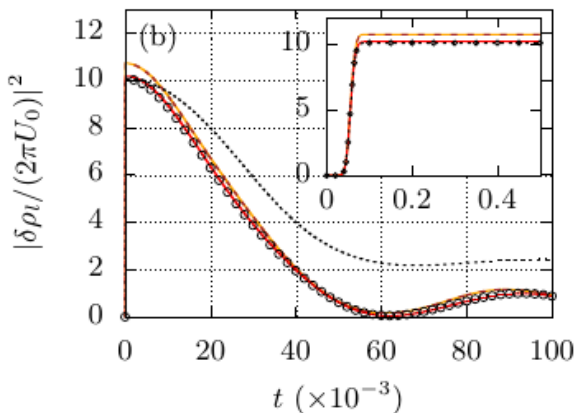
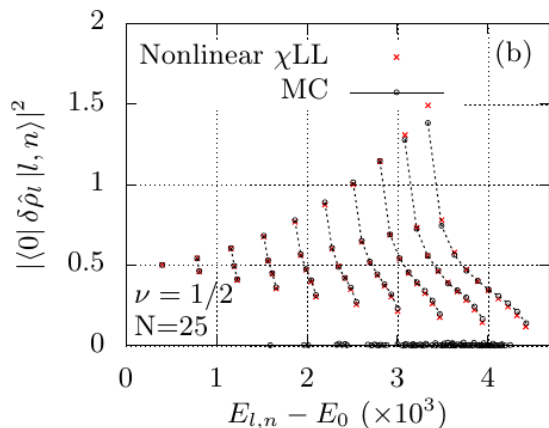
Well captured by
classical evolution eq:
driven Korteweg-de Vries

$$\frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial t} = - \left[v_0 + \frac{2\pi \tilde{c}_0}{\nu} \sigma \right] \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \zeta} - \beta_m \tilde{c}_0 \frac{\partial^3 \sigma}{\partial \zeta^3} - \frac{\nu}{2\pi} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \zeta}$$

- but also shows temporal decay of oscillation... which requires further refinements...



Response of trapped FQH cloud to external potential (III)



Broadening associated to damping well captured by quantum- χ LL

$$\hat{H}_{\chi\text{LL}}^{NL} = \int d\zeta \left[\frac{\pi v_0}{\nu} \hat{\sigma}^2 - \frac{\pi \beta_m \tilde{c}_0}{\nu} \left(\frac{\partial \hat{\sigma}}{\partial \zeta} \right)^2 + \frac{2\pi^2 \tilde{c}_0}{3\nu^2} \hat{\sigma}^3 + U(\zeta, t) \hat{\sigma} \right]$$

$$\text{with } [\hat{\sigma}(\zeta), \hat{\sigma}(\zeta')] = -i \frac{\nu}{2\pi} \partial_\zeta \delta(\zeta - \zeta').$$

Quantum- χ LL eigenstates well match ED results, as well as temporal evolution of observables

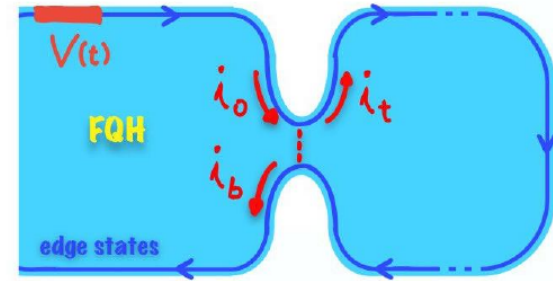
Dynamic structure factor → going to be explained in terms of reformation of LL

Nonlinear optics of edge excitations at constriction (I)

Chern-Simons view: Linear χ LL dynamics of edge + intrinsic nonlinearity at junction

(see D. Tong lectures on QH physics, 1606.06687)

$$H = \underbrace{\frac{v_F}{4\pi} \int dx (\partial_x \phi)^2}_{\text{Edge mode propagation}} + \underbrace{\Gamma \cos[\phi(x_2) - \phi(x_1)]}_{\text{Quasi-particle tunneling @ junction}}$$

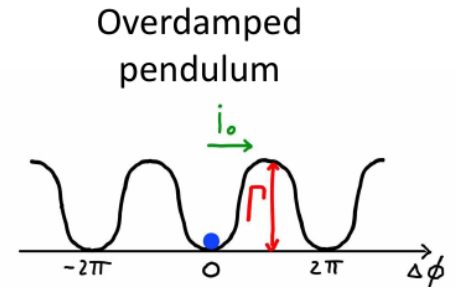


Charge density $\rho = \frac{1}{2\pi} \partial_x \phi$ $[\phi(x), \rho(y)] = \frac{i}{m} \delta(x - y)$ QP operator $\Psi_{qp} = : e^{i\phi} :$ displaces $1/m$ charge

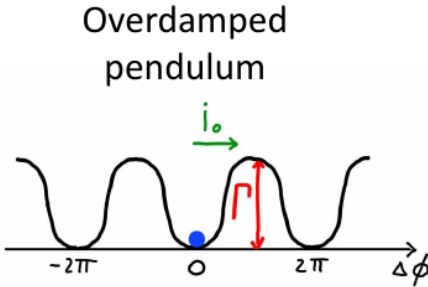
Semiclassical dynamics for $\Delta\phi =$ phase across junction = (2π) transmitted charge

$$\partial_t \Delta\phi = -\Gamma \sin(\Delta\phi) + 2\pi I_0(t)$$

Backscattered current $I_B(t) = \frac{\Gamma}{2\pi} \sin(\Delta\phi)$



Nonlinear optics of edge excitations at constriction (II)

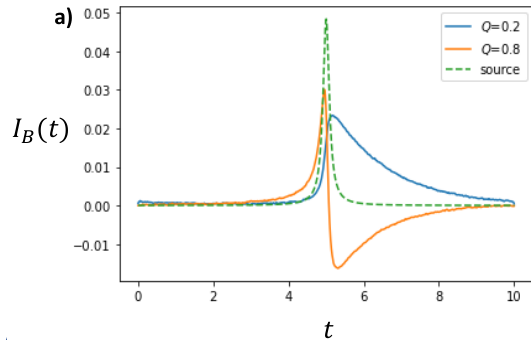


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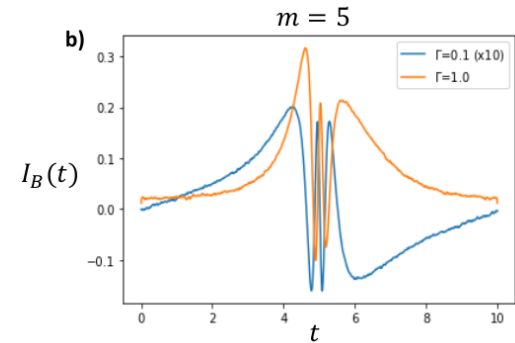
Crystallization effect

Incident pulse of integer total $Q=3 \rightarrow$ oscillating back-scattered current



Commensurability effect:

Incident pulse of generic total $Q \rightarrow$ relaxes to nearest integer



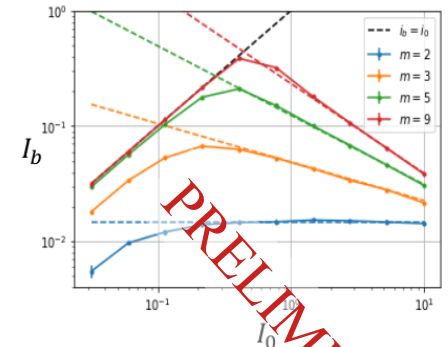
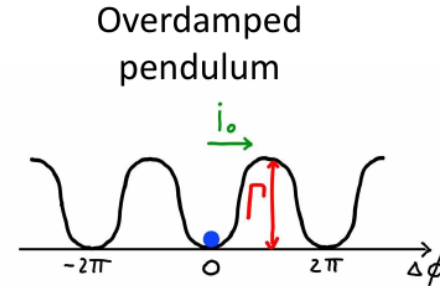
Coherent semiclassical dynamics robust against quantum fluctuations for sufficiently large m
 (no such effects for integer QH state @ $m=1 \rightarrow$ free fermion propagation along edge)

On-going: Quantum optics of edge excitations at constriction

Truncated-Wigner description of bosonic χ LL: classical noise describes quantum statistics

$$\rho_s(x, t=0) = \sum_{k>0} r_k \alpha_k e^{ikx} + h.c. \quad I(x, t) = v_F \rho_s(x, t)$$

$$\langle \rho_s(0^-, 0) \rho_s(0^-, t) \rangle \propto -\frac{1}{m t^2}$$



- For weak junction: drift across washboard potential dominates restoring force

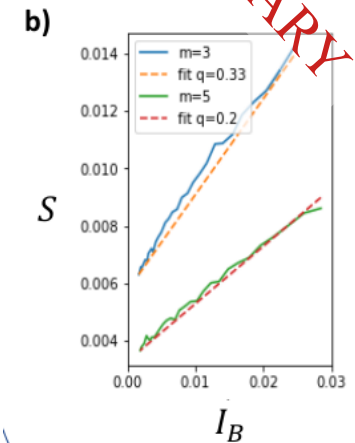
➢ Back-scattered current $I_B \sim I_0^{-(m-2)/m}$ in agreement with χ LL prediction

➢ Shot noise $S \sim 1/m$ fractional charge

➢ ...

- TWA calculation most accurate for weak junction and large m

Quite surprising (at a first thought) that a semiclassical treatment of quantum fluctuations can capture reduced shot-noise due to fractional charges !

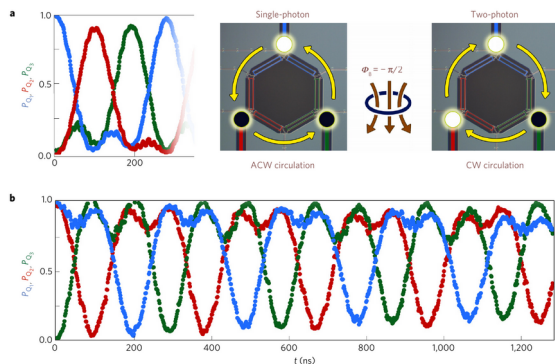


Experimental implementations

Superconductor-based circuit-QED platform

- Time-modulated couplings \rightarrow synthetic B
- Long-lifetime \rightarrow lossless coherent evolution
- Independently initialize sites, then follow unitary evolution

Multi-body effect: one-/two-photon state \rightarrow opposite rotation direction

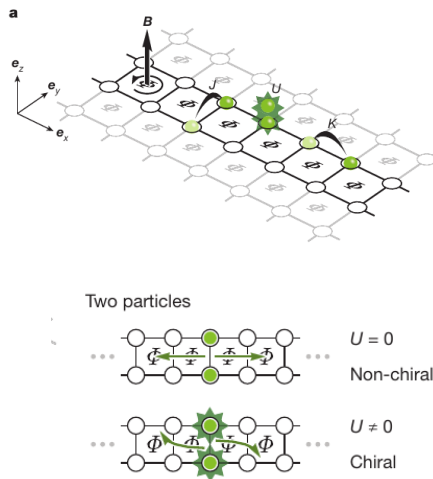


Roushan et al., Nat. Phys. 2016

Ultracold atoms in optical lattice

- Raman-assisted tunneling \rightarrow synth-B
- Initialize atoms, then unitary dynamics

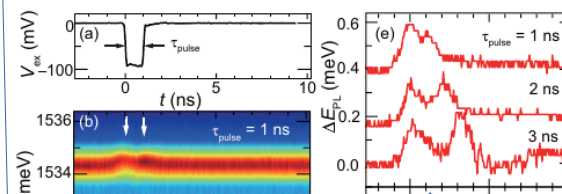
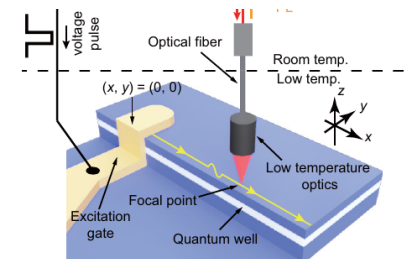
Chiral motion of interacting 2-body state



Tai et al., Nature 2017
See also previous talk by Leonard

But also electronic FQH fluids

- Electric injection of edge waves
- Optical detection of edge wave via shift of PL emission



Kamiyama et al.
Phys. Rev. Research (2022)

Other systems, e.g. Rydbergs in twisted cavities \rightarrow new physics from driving and dissipation \rightarrow to be explored !

Outlook

Non-equilibrium nature of quantum fluids of light may seem serious hindrance:

- Particle losses → difficult to adiabatically follow ground state
- Steady-state under driving + dissipation \neq thermal equilibrium state

Taylor non-eq dynamics to reach desired many-body state

- No need for cooling, long-time kinetics does the job
- Wide artillery naturally available in optical systems
→ non-Markovian emitters stabilize MI and FQH fluids

New physics and new questions:

- > Coherence of laser/non-eq BEC → KPZ class
(first expts in J. Bloch's talk)
- > Subtle definition of superfluidity
- What are ultimate limits of driven-dissipative schemes?
- Can topological quantum info be robust against losses/pumping?
- Extend **nonlinear quantum optics** of photons to **edge waves of FQH fluid**:
new effects from underlying **anyonic statistics**?

Extend quantum simulation concept

- Focus on **physical effects** more than on precise mathematical equivalence
- Adding **new ingredients** facilitates observing and understanding desired physics
- Opens the way to new exciting physics
- **Concept of “analogy” goes further and deeper than “simulation”**:
bidirectional transfer same physical concepts to different contexts !

Analog models ~ quantum simulators of curved space-time QFTs

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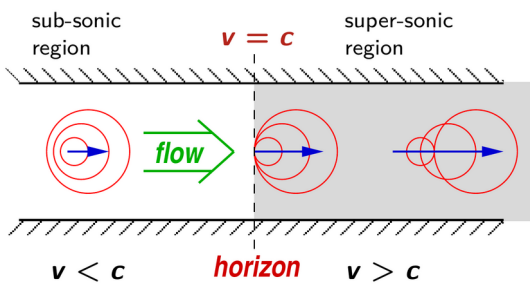
Experimental Black-Hole Evaporation?

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(Received 8 December 1980)

It is shown that the same arguments which lead to black-hole evaporation also predict that a thermal spectrum of sound waves should be given out from the sonic horizon in transonic fluid flow.



Propagation of low-k sound waves in BECs equivalent to curved space-time KG eq.

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{-G}} \partial_\mu [\sqrt{-G} G^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu] \phi(x, t) = 0$$

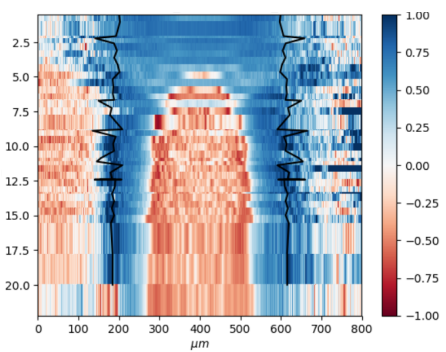
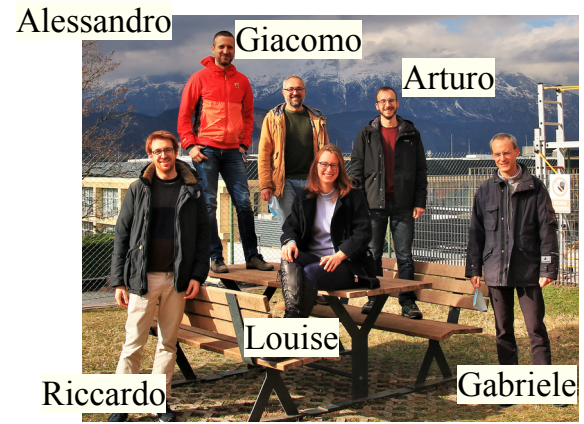
With exciting additional physics:

- superluminal corrections,
- wide variety of space-time metrics, ...

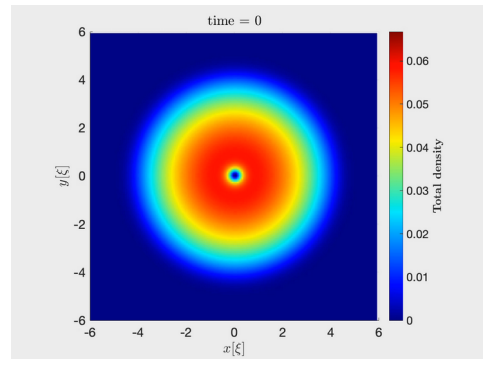
Stimulating bidirectional exchange of ideas and results between gravitation and cond-mat physics

Trento experimental team

→ spin waves in 2-component BECs

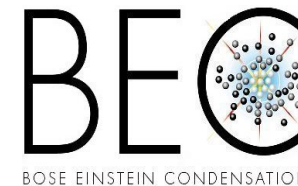


On-going work: bubble-mediated decay of metastable state @ 1st order phase trans.
→ false vacuum decay in cosmology



Next challenge: q=1-spin-vortex unstable → ergoregion instability of massive star (A. Berti-IC, in preparation)

If you wish to know more...



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