

Readout of Quasi-periodic Systems using Qubits

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- Introduction & Motivation
- Qubit Readout of GAAH Chain - Set-up and Dynamics
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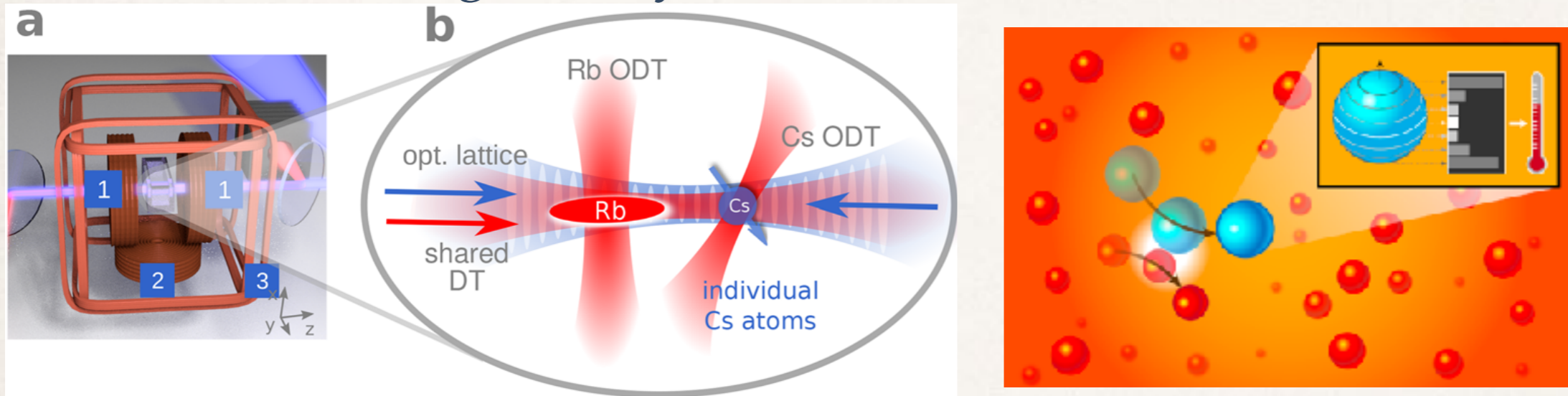
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Quantum Systems - In Situ Readout

- Engineered Quantum Systems: Quantum Simulation to Quantum Control
- In-situ quantum measurement: Precise tool of quantum control

e.g: Cavity QED, circuit QED



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- In-situ quantum measurement: Controlled opening of system

Quasi-Periodic Systems

- Lattice with disordered on-site potential (uncorrelated)

Anderson Localization, Mobility Edge in 3-d

P.W.Anderson Phys. Rev. 109, 1492

- Quasi-Periodic Systems

Neither periodic nor disordered systems: e.g. Aubre-André-Harper
Mobility Edge in 1d

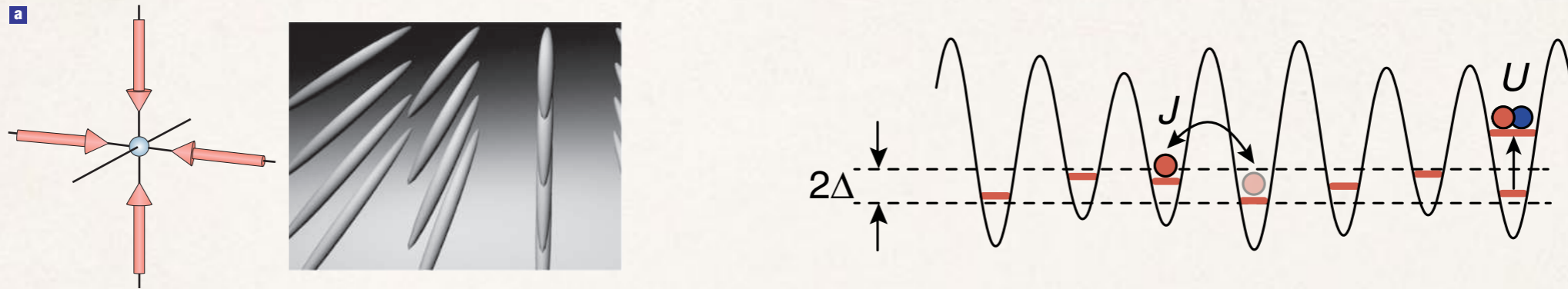
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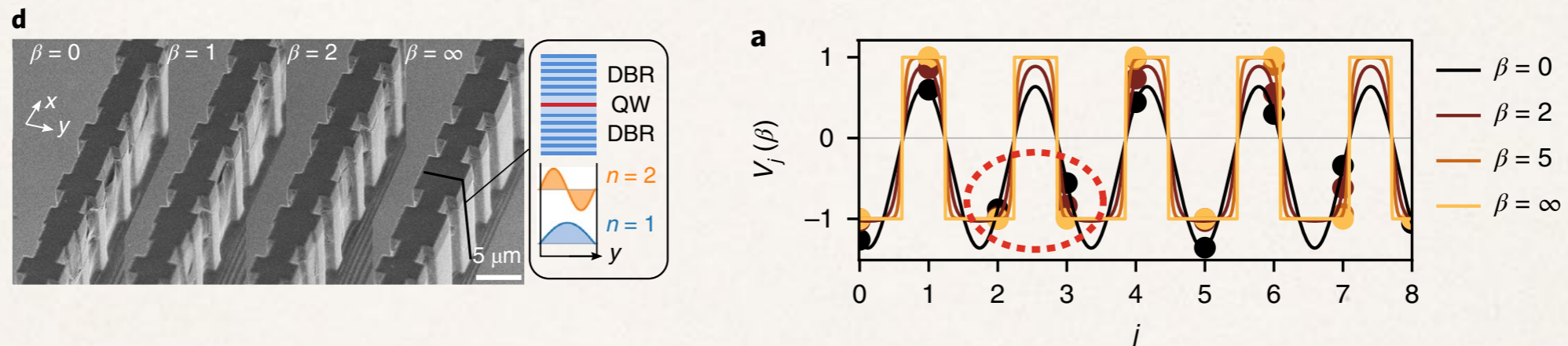
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Quasi-Periodic Systems - Resurgence

- Multiple Experimental Realizations



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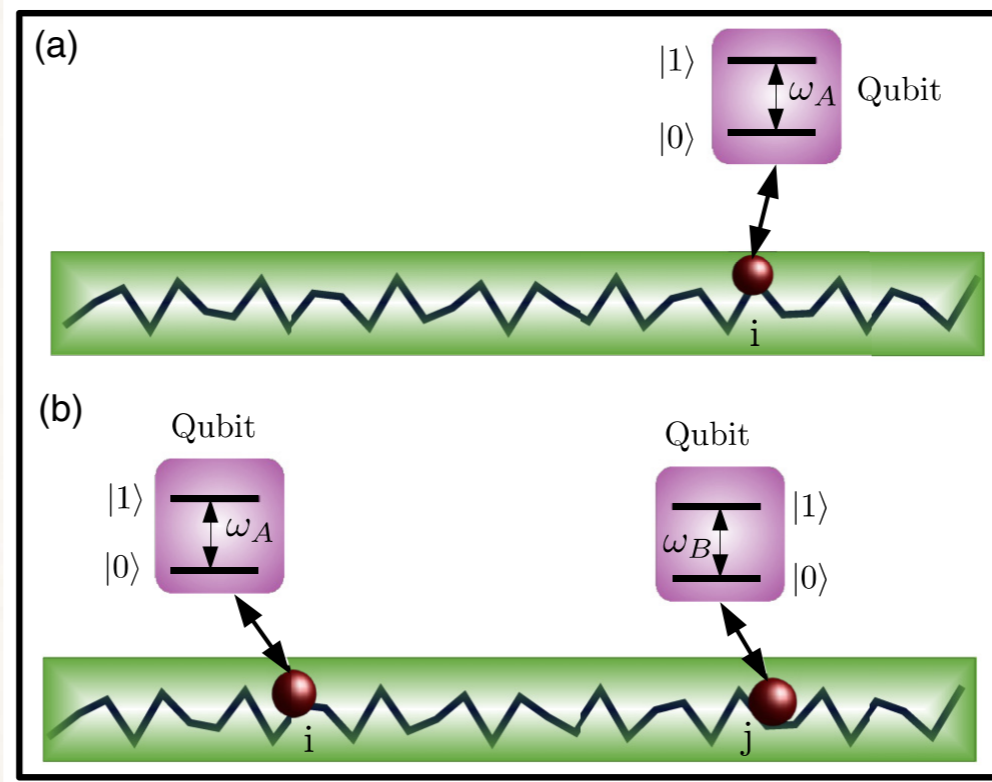
- Connections to Many Body Localization

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- Open version of quasi-periodic systems

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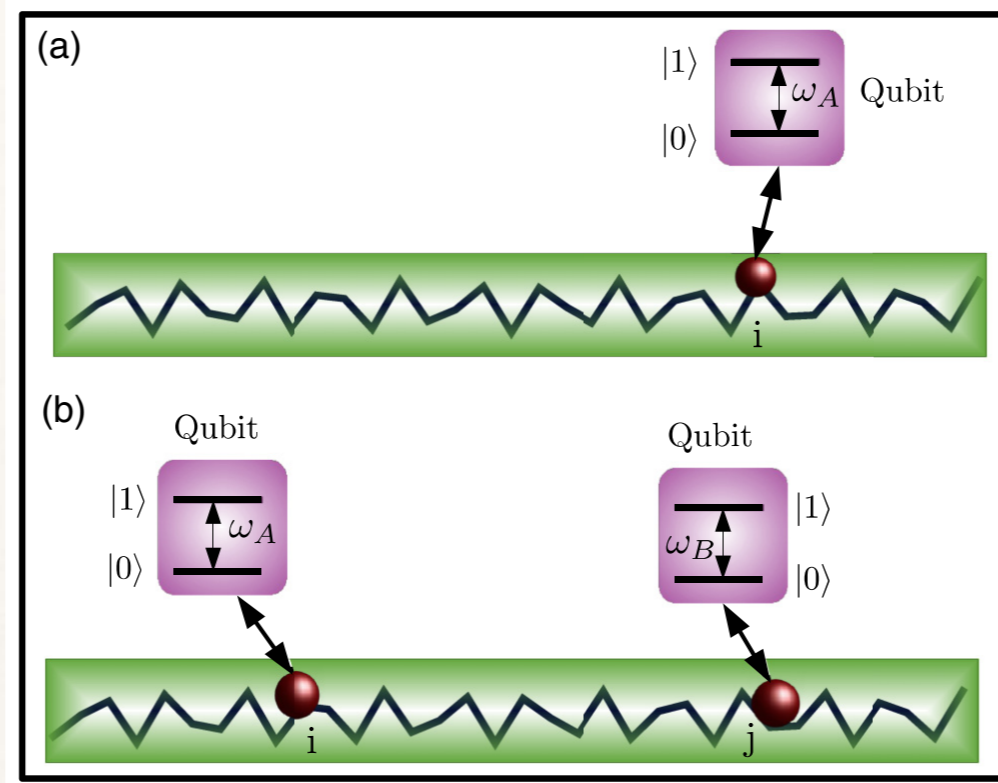


- Couple Qubit(s) to quasi-periodic GAAH lattice
- Read out nature of SPEs
- Read out transport properties

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Set-up



Properties of AAH & GAAH

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{n=1}^N \left(\mu + \frac{2\lambda \cos[2\pi bn + \phi]}{1 + \alpha \cos[2\pi bn + \phi]} \right) \hat{c}_n^\dagger \hat{c}_n \quad \text{b-irrational}$$

$$+ \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} (\hat{c}_n^\dagger \hat{c}_{n+1} + \hat{c}_{n+1}^\dagger \hat{c}_n).$$

Hopping Strength

$$J = 1$$

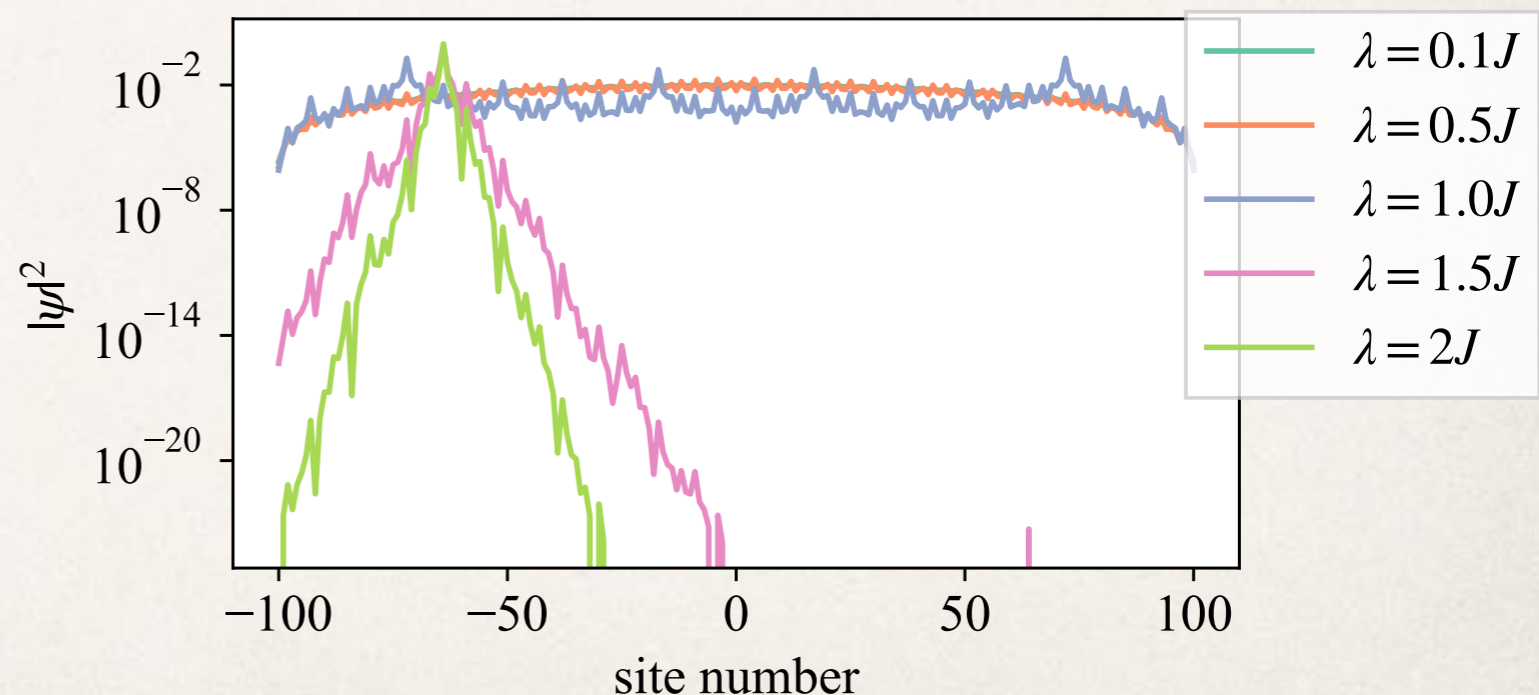
$$\hat{H}\psi_k = \omega_k \psi_k \quad \text{SPEs}$$

AAH Model $\alpha = 0$

$\lambda < J$ All SPEs Extended

$\lambda = J$ All SPEs Critical

$\lambda > J$ All SPEs Localized



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Hopping Strength
 $J = 1$

AAH Model $\alpha = 0$

$$\text{IPR}(N) = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N |\psi_{ni}|^4}{\left(\sum_{n=1}^N |\psi_{ni}|^2 \right)^2}$$

$\lambda < J$ All SPEs Extended

$$N^0$$

$\lambda = J$ All SPEs Critical

$$N^{-b}, \text{ with } 0 < b < 1$$

$\lambda > J$ All SPEs Localized

$$N^{-1}$$

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Hopping Strength
 $J = 1$

GAAH Model

$$\alpha > 0, \lambda > 0$$

$$\hat{H} \psi_k = \omega_k \psi_k \quad \text{SPEs}$$

Mobility Edge

$$E = \mu + 2(J - \lambda)/\alpha$$

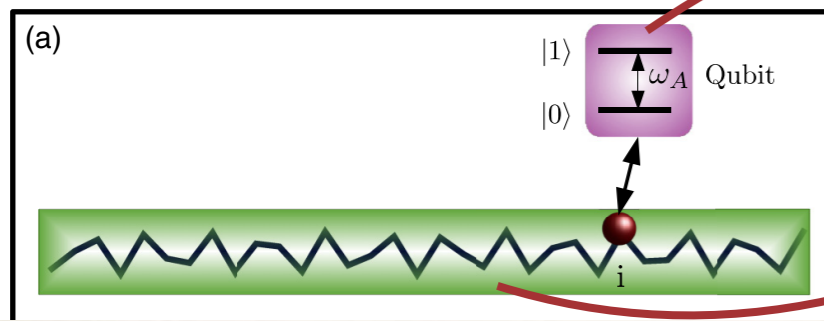
$$\omega_k < E$$

Extended

$$\omega_k > E$$

Localized

Single Qubit Coupled to GAAH Chain



$$\hat{H}_{1q} = \hat{H} + \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + g \hat{\sigma}_z^i (\hat{c}_i^\dagger + \hat{c}_i)$$

$$\hat{H} = \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k$$

$$\hat{c}_i = \sum_{k=1}^N S_{i,k} \hat{\eta}_k$$

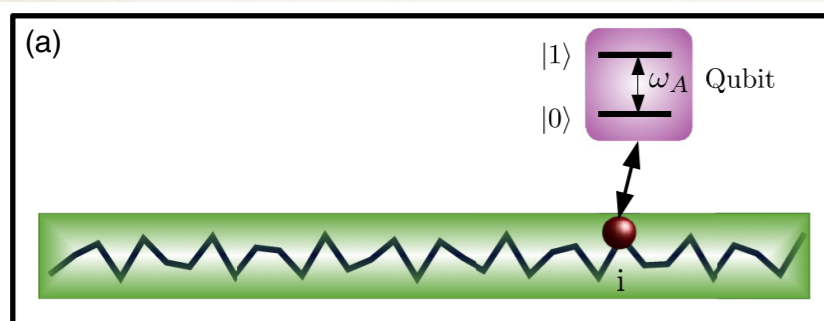
$$g_k^i = g S_{i,k}$$

$$\hat{H}_{1q}^{SB} = \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k + \sum_{k=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_z^i (g_k^i \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger + g_k^{i*} \hat{\eta}_k)$$

Spin-Boson Dephasing Coupling - can be exactly solved

Dephasing Spin-Boson Solution

$$\hat{c}_i = \sum_{k=1}^N S_{i,k} \hat{\eta}_k$$



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$$\hat{H}_{1q}^{SB} = \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k + \sum_{k=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_z^i (g_k^i \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger + g_k^{i*} \hat{\eta}_k)$$

$$\hat{\rho}(0) = \hat{\rho}_s(0) \otimes (e^{-\beta \hat{H}} / Z_\beta) \quad Z_\beta = \text{Tr}_B[e^{-\beta \hat{H}}]$$

Solution:

$$\hat{\sigma}_-^i(t) = e^{-i\omega_A t} \hat{\sigma}_-^i(0) \otimes \prod_{k=1}^N \hat{D}_k(\alpha_k^i)$$

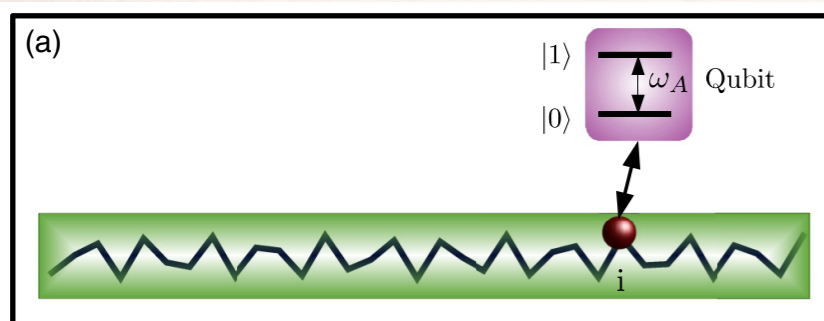
$$\hat{\sigma}_z(t) = \hat{\sigma}_z(0)$$

$$\alpha_k^i = \frac{2g_k^i(1 - e^{i\omega_k t})}{\omega_k}$$

$$\hat{D}_k(\alpha) = \exp[\alpha \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger(0) - \alpha^* \hat{\eta}_k(0)]$$

Dephasing Spin-Boson Solution

$$\hat{c}_i = \sum_{k=1}^N S_{i,k} \hat{\eta}_k$$



$$g_k^i = g S_{i,k}$$

$$\hat{H}_{1q}^{SB} = \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k + \sum_{k=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_z^i (g_k^i \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger + g_k^{i*} \hat{\eta}_k)$$

$$\langle \hat{\sigma}_-^i(t) \rangle = \langle \hat{\sigma}_-^i(0) \rangle e^{-i\omega_A t - \Gamma_i(t)},$$

$$\Gamma_i(t) = 4 \sum_{k=1}^N |g_k^i|^2 \coth\left(\frac{\beta\omega_k}{2}\right) \frac{1 - \cos(\omega_k t)}{\omega_k^2}.$$

$$\Gamma_i(t) = \Gamma_{i,\text{vac}}(t) + \Gamma_{i,\text{th}}(t)$$

$$\Gamma_{i,\text{vac}}(t) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{|\alpha_k^i|^2}{2}$$

$$\Gamma_{i,\text{th}}(t) = \sum_{k=1}^N \bar{n}(\beta, \omega_k) |\alpha_k^i|^2$$

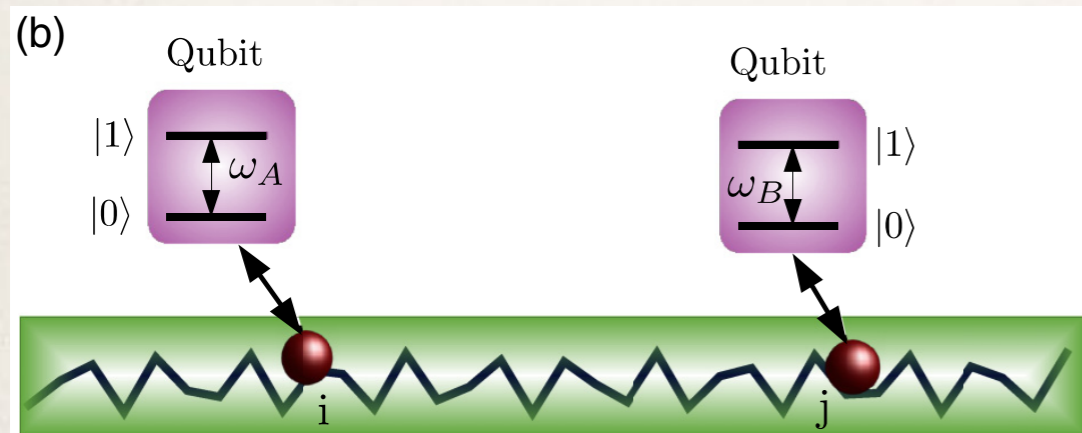
Two Qubits Coupled to GAAH

Motivation: non-local probe for transport

localized initial state
width evolution

$$w(t) \sim t^\eta \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \eta = 1 \\ \eta = 0.5 \\ \eta = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

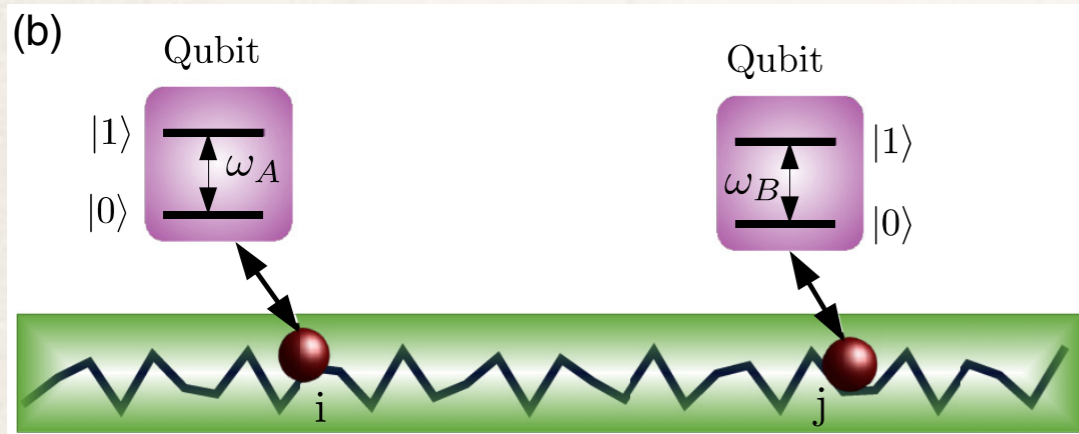
Ballistic, Extended
Diffusive, Critical
Localized



$$\hat{H}_{2q}^{SB} = \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + \frac{\omega_B}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^j + \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k$$

$$+ \sum_{k=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_z^i (g_k^i \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger + g_k^{i*} \hat{\eta}_k) + \sum_{k=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_z^j (g_k^j \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger + g_k^{j*} \hat{\eta}_k)$$

Two Qubits Dynamics Solution



$$\hat{H}_{2q}^{SB} = \frac{\omega_A}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^i + \frac{\omega_B}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z^j + \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \hat{\eta}_k^\dagger \hat{\eta}_k$$

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$$\text{Cov}(\hat{\sigma}_-^i \hat{\sigma}_+^j) = e^{-i(\omega_A - \omega_B)t} \left(\langle \hat{\sigma}_-^i(0) \hat{\sigma}_+^j(0) \rangle e^{-\Gamma_{ij}(t)} \right.$$

$$\left. - \langle \hat{\sigma}_-^i(0) \rangle \langle \hat{\sigma}_+^j(0) \rangle \langle e^{-i\Delta\Omega_-(t) \hat{\sigma}_z^j + i\Delta\Omega_+(t) \hat{\sigma}_z^i} \rangle e^{-[\Gamma_i(t) + \Gamma_j(t)]} \right)$$

$$\Delta\Omega_{\pm}(t) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{4}{\omega_k^2} \left([\sin(\omega_k t) - \omega_k t] \text{Re} [g_k^i g_k^{j*}] \right.$$

$$\left. \pm [1 - \cos(\omega_k t)] \text{Im} [g_k^i g_k^{j*}] \right).$$

$$\Gamma_{ij}(t) = 4 \sum_{k=1}^N |g_k^i - g_k^j|^2 \coth \left(\frac{\beta \omega_k}{2} \right) \frac{1 - \cos(\omega_k t)}{\omega_k^2}$$

Gen. Lamb Shift

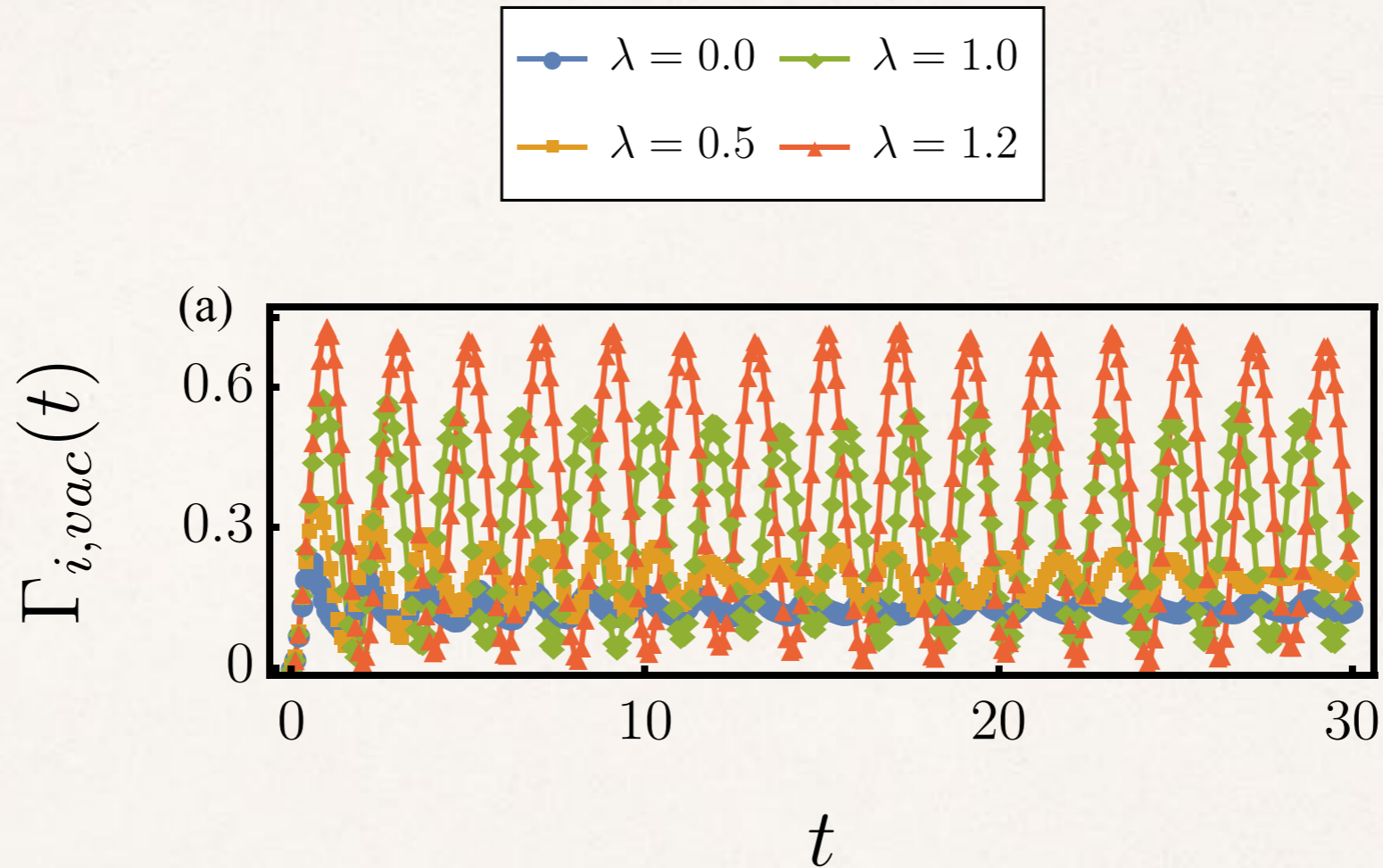
Correlated Dephasing

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Single Qubit Dephasing Dynamics

AAH Model
N = 610



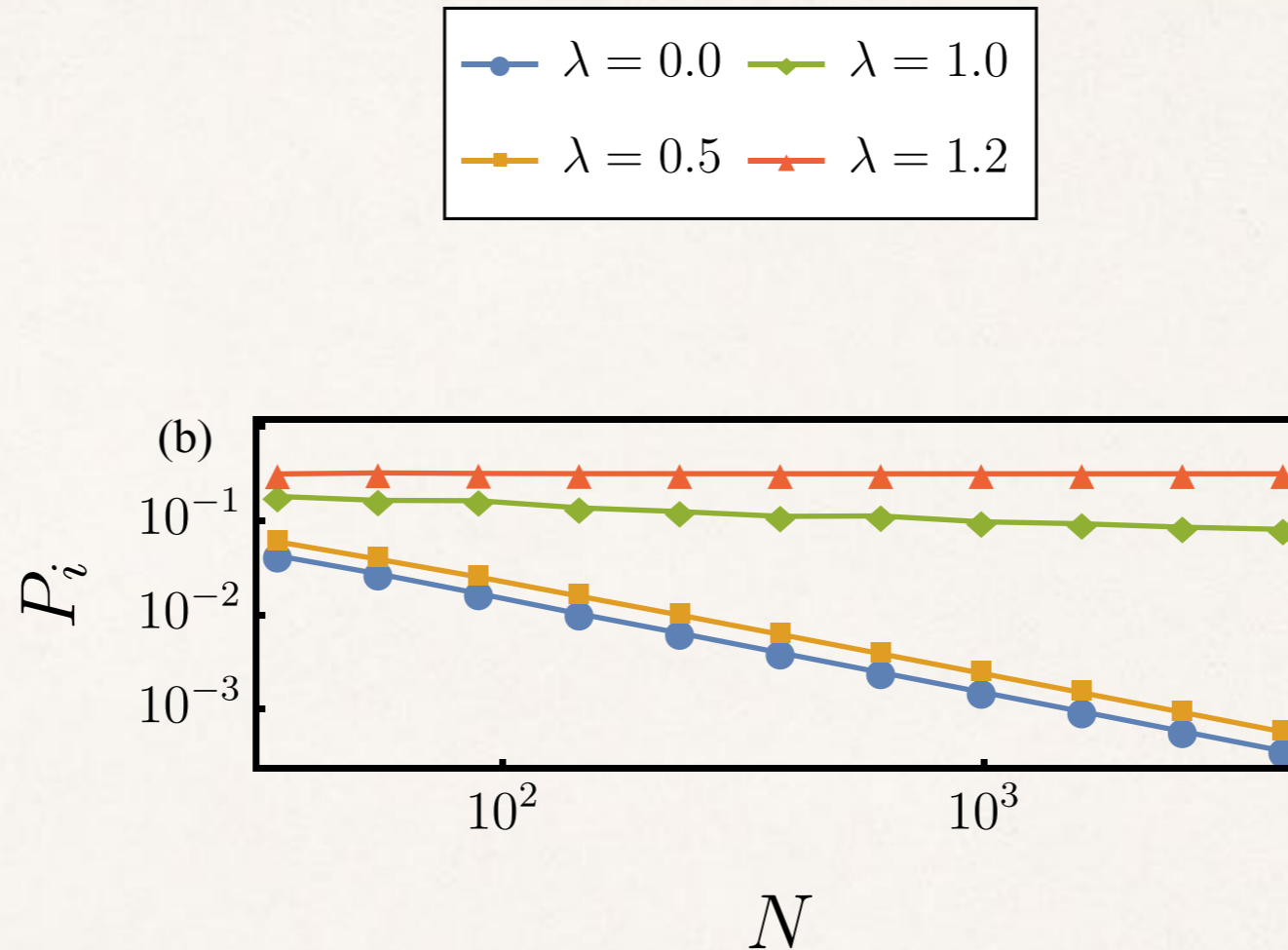
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$$\hat{c}_i = \sum_{k=1}^N S_{i,k} \hat{\eta}_k \quad g_k^i = g S_{i,k}$$

Single Qubit Dephasing Dynamics

AAH Model
 $N = 610$

$$P_i \equiv \sum_{k=1}^N |g_k^i|^4$$



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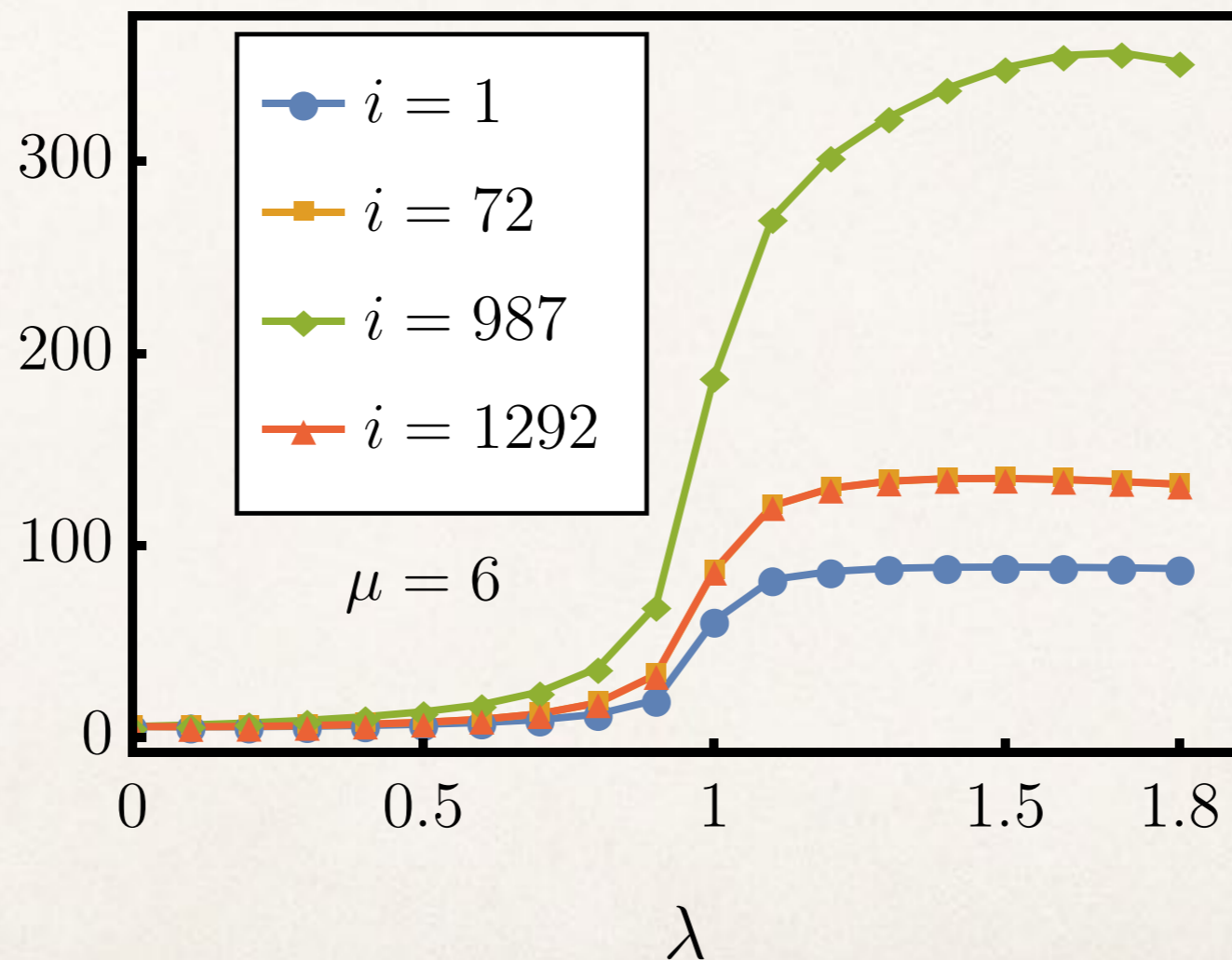
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Non-Markovianity as SPE indicator

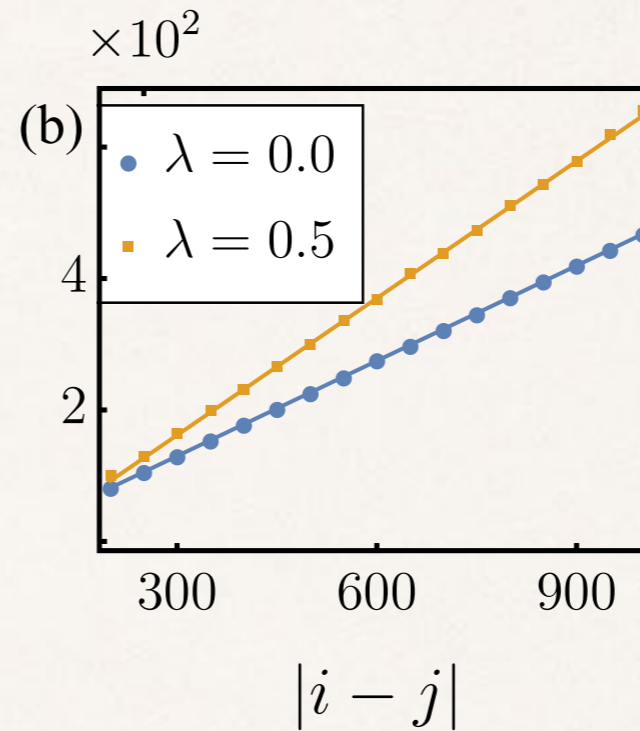
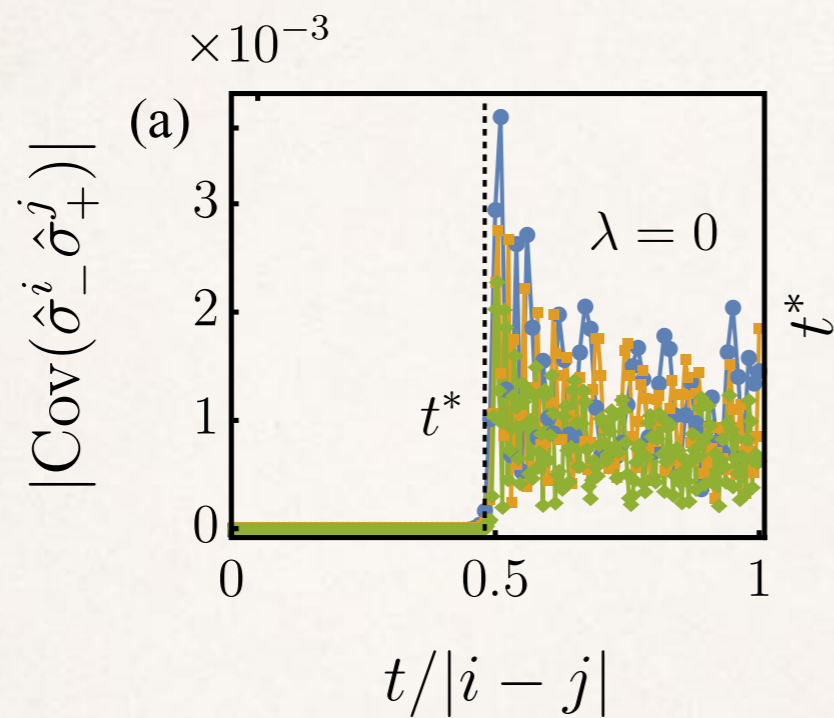
$$\mathcal{N} = \sum_{p=1}^{N_{\max}} (e^{-\Gamma(t_p^f)} - e^{-\Gamma(t_p^i)})$$

sum is over all intervals $[t_p^i, t_p^f]$ $\gamma(t) < 0$ $\gamma(t) = \dot{\Gamma}(t)/2$

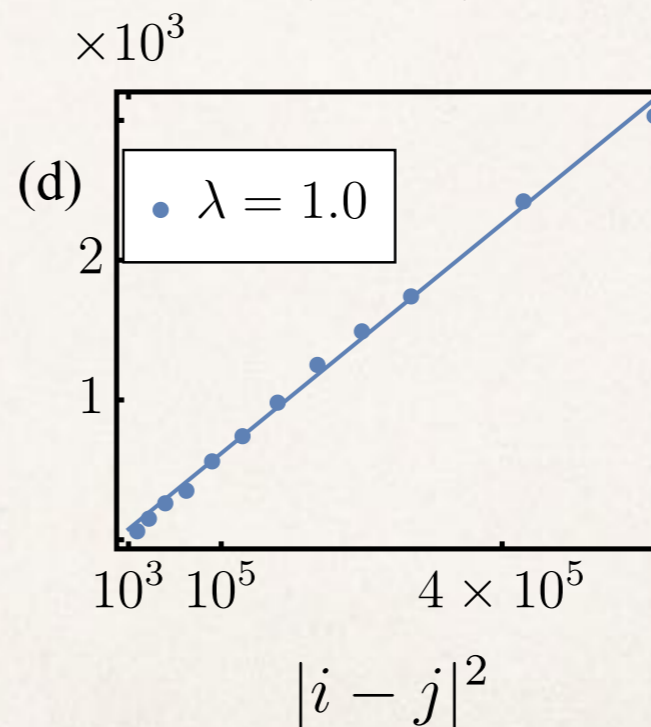
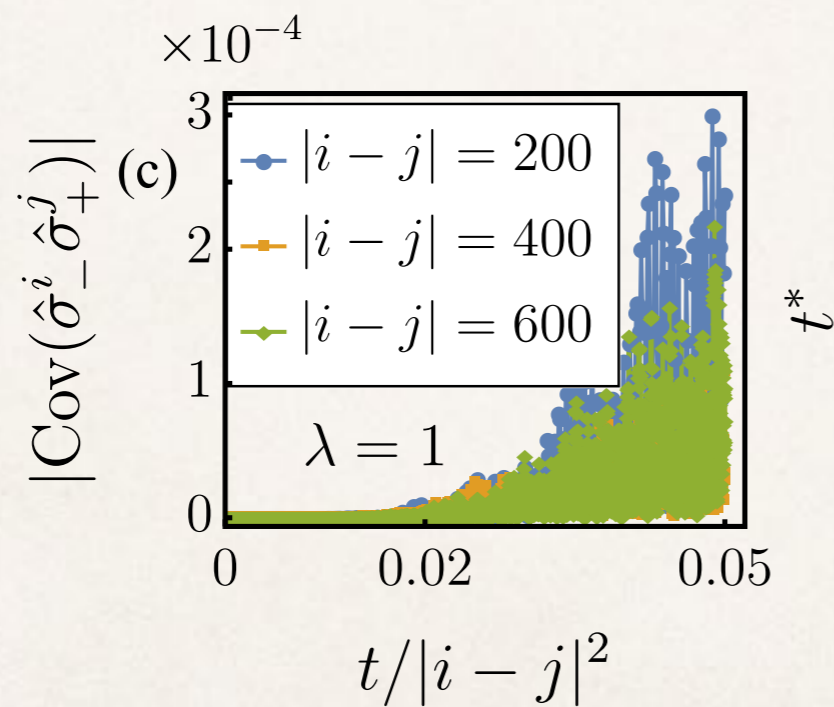
AAH Model \mathcal{N}



Transport Readout: Two qubit correlations



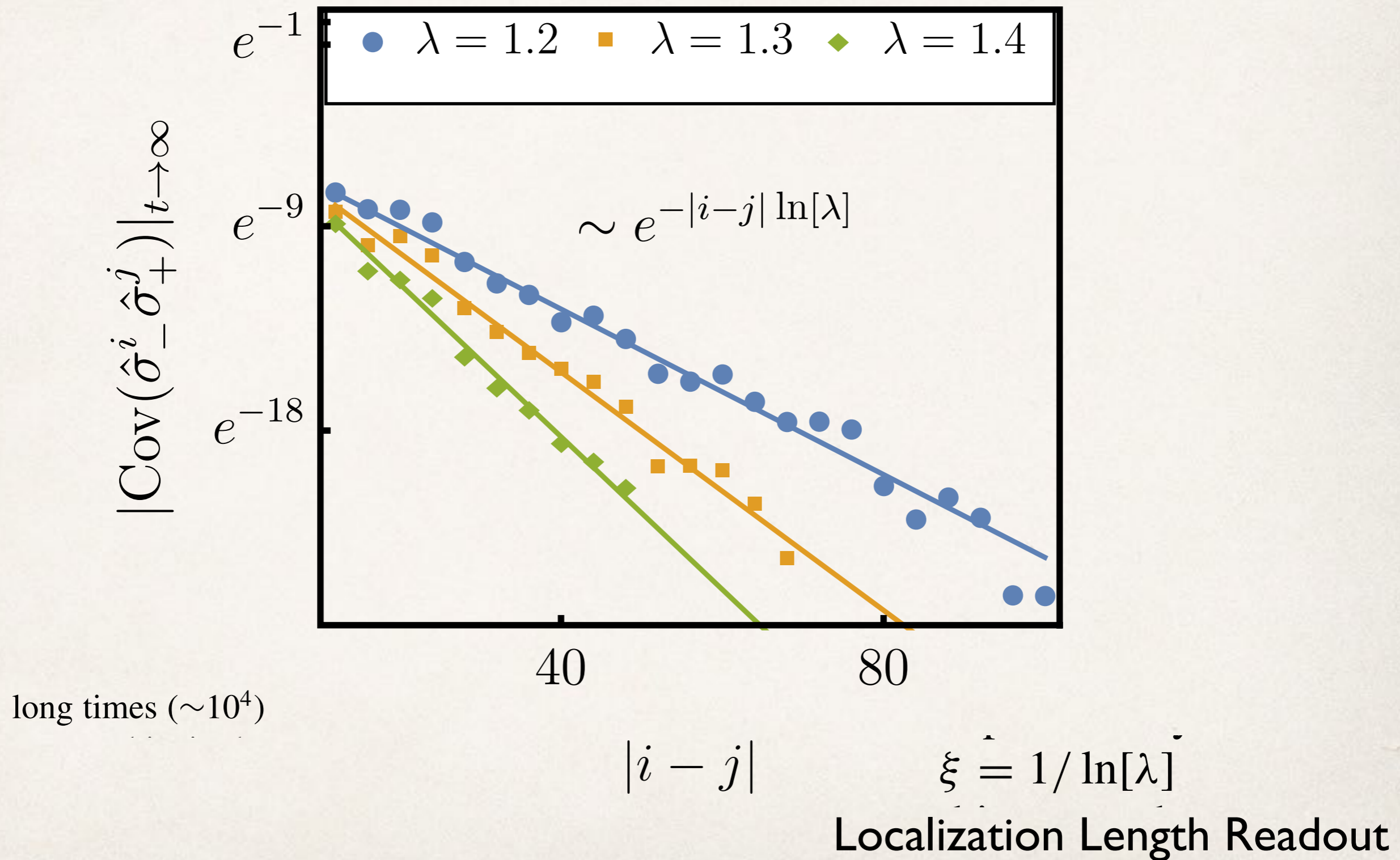
Ballistic



Diffusive

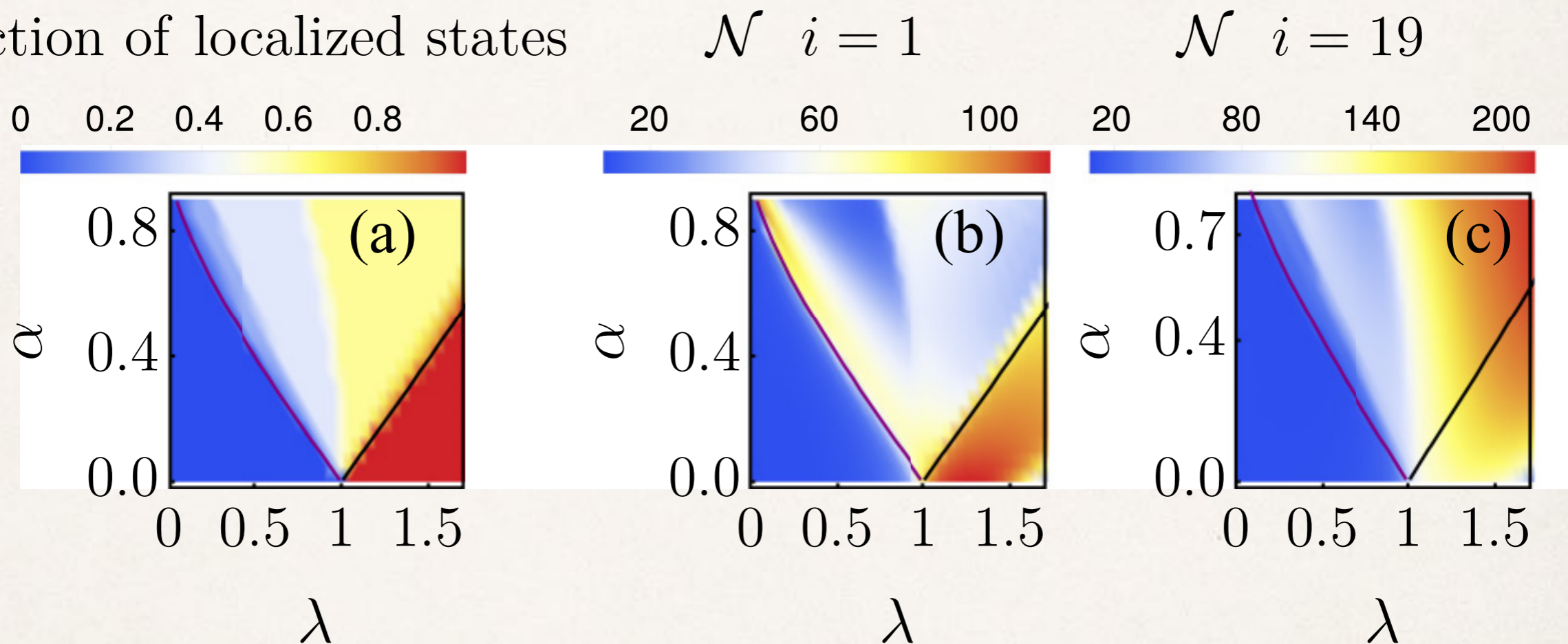
$N = 400, 800, \text{ and } 1200$
 $i = N/4 \quad j = 3N/4$

Correlations: Localized Regime



Generalized AAH Model : Non-Markovianity

Fraction of localized states

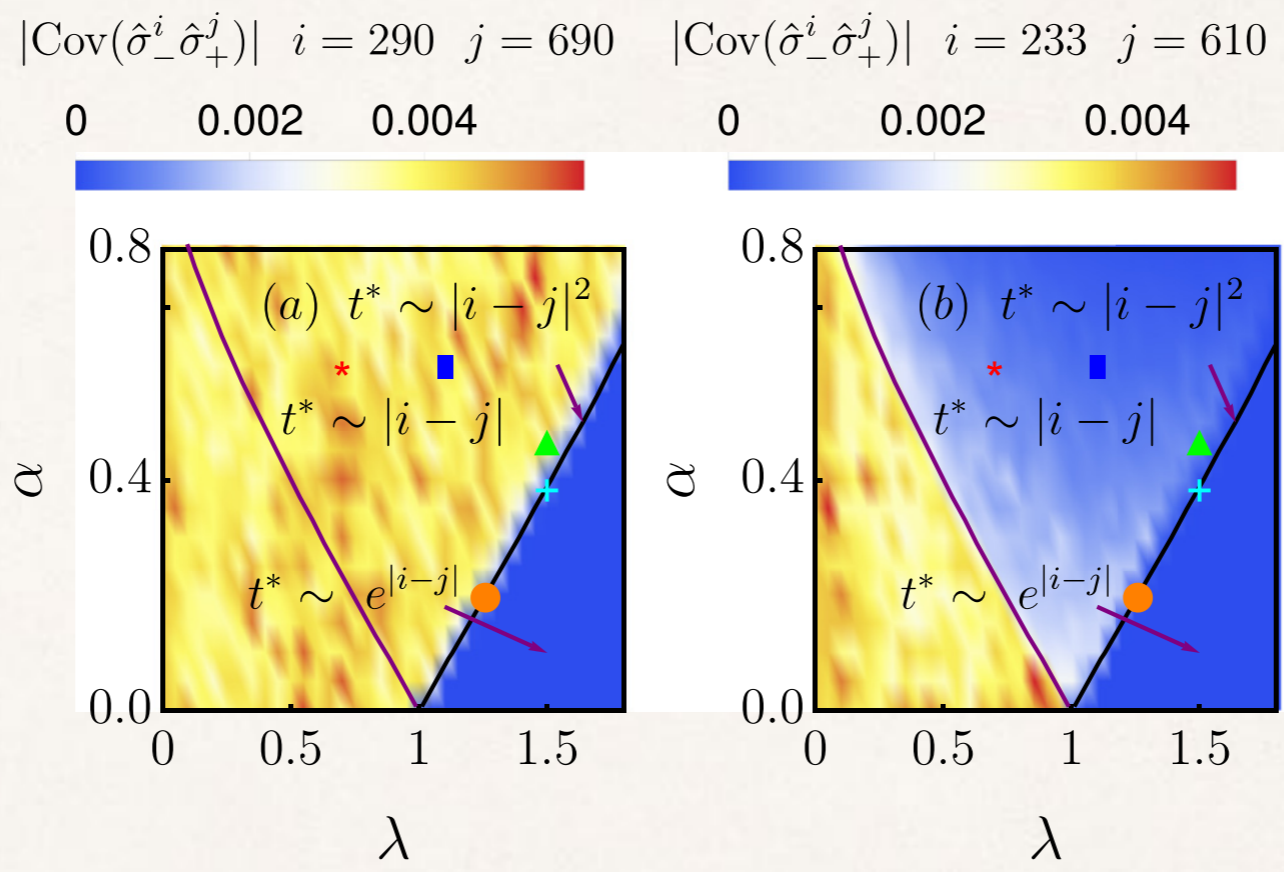


with mobility edge: site dependence of \mathcal{N}

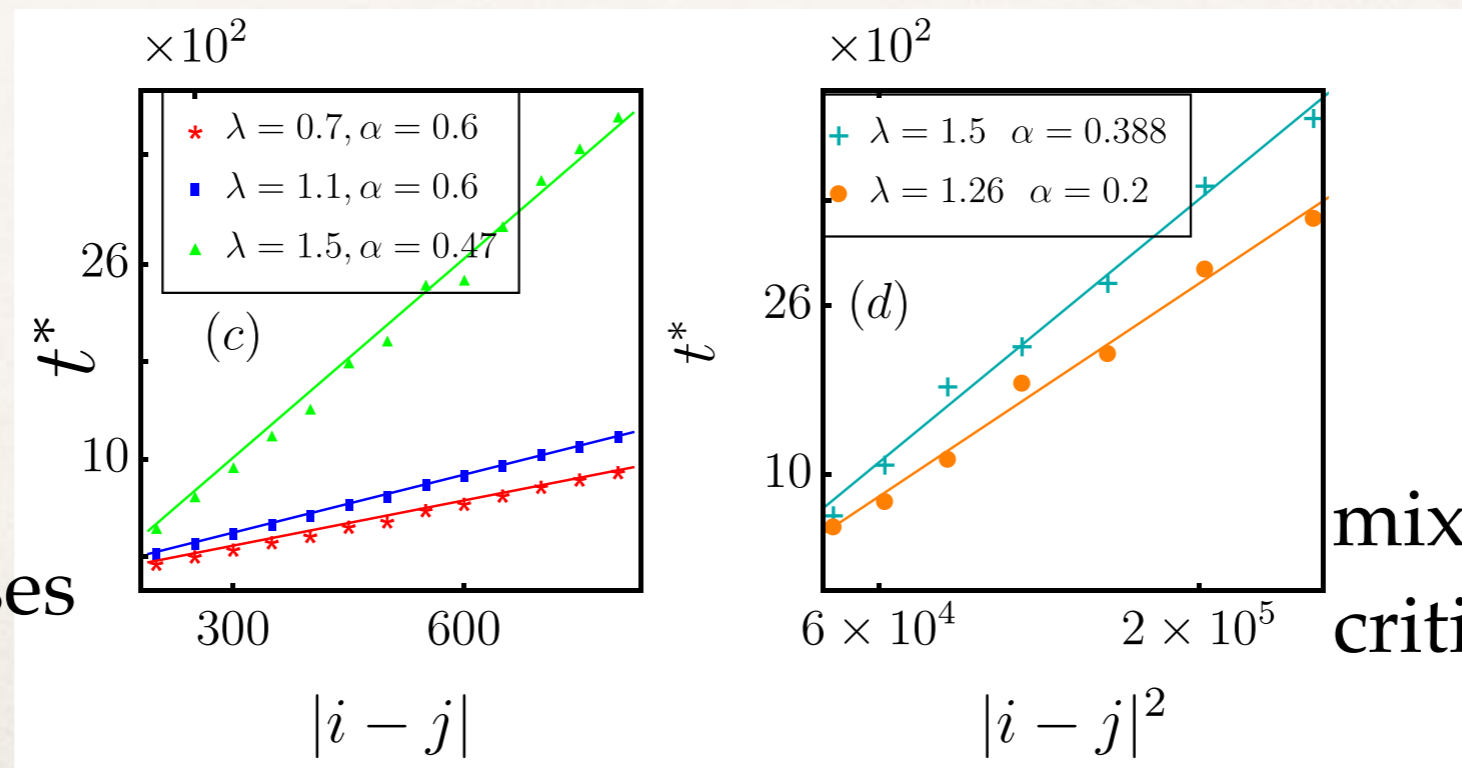
$$E = \mu + 2(J - \lambda)/\alpha$$

Generalized AAH Model: Two qubit Correlations

long-time correlations



site-dependence with mobility edge



slope increases with λ

mixture of critical+localized

Summary/Conclusion

- Readout of GAAH chain by coupling to qubits
- Single Qubit: Non-markovianity of dephasing, nature of SPEs
- Two Qubits: Transport properties from correlations
- Experimental Implementation: Single qubit good prospect with ultracold atoms, multiple qubits better to also look at polaritonic lattices + solid state qubits

Outlook

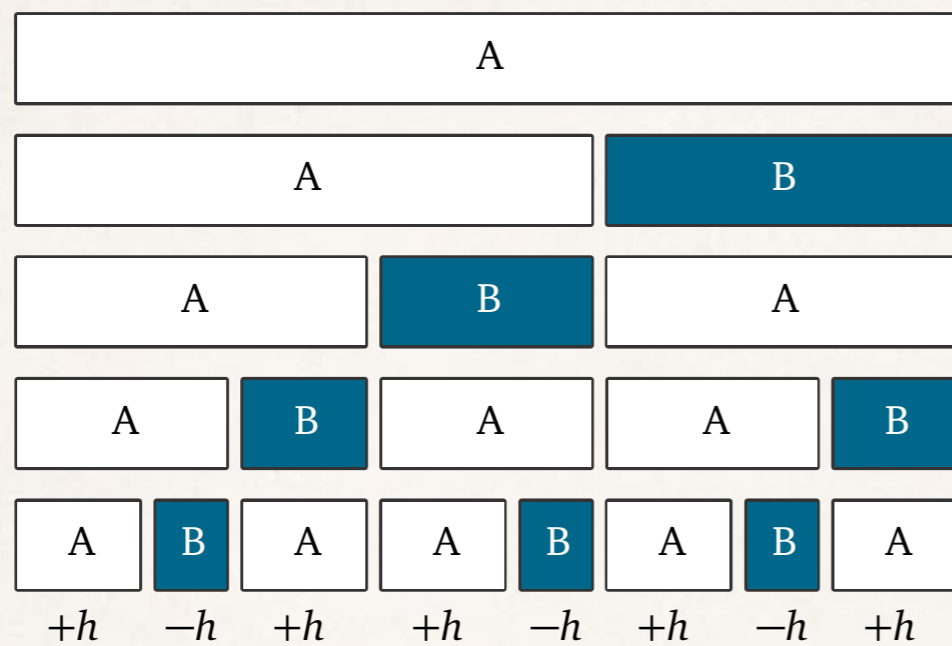
- Non-dephasing coupling: AAH and GAAH Bath Thermodynamics, readout of current (direct signature of transport)
- Back-action of qubit on chain?

Thank you!

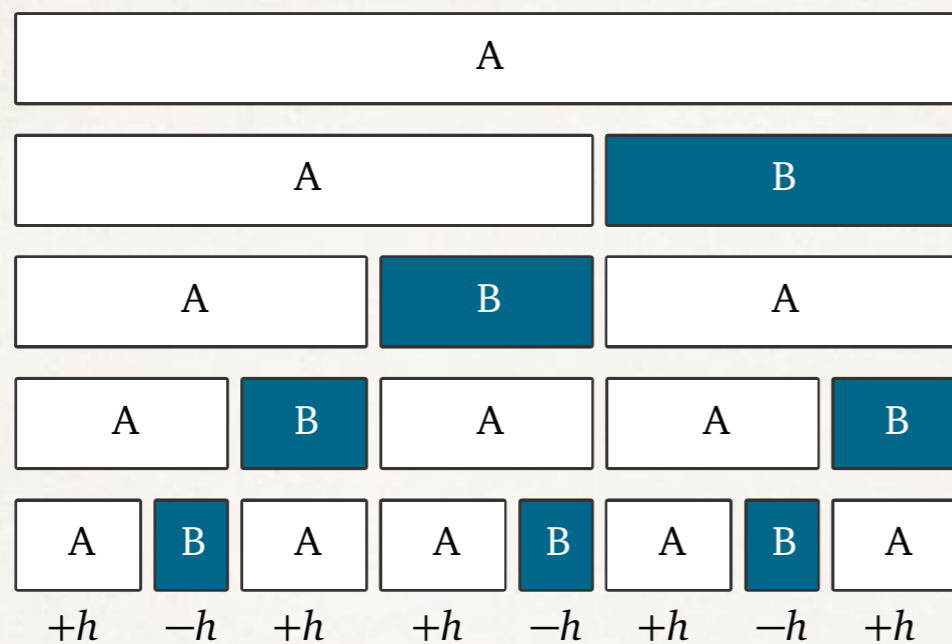
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Extra



$$\sigma : \begin{cases} A \rightarrow AB \\ B \rightarrow A \end{cases} \quad (h_i = \pm h)$$



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