

# AdS COLLAPSE AND RELAXATION IN CLOSED QUANTUM SYSTEMS

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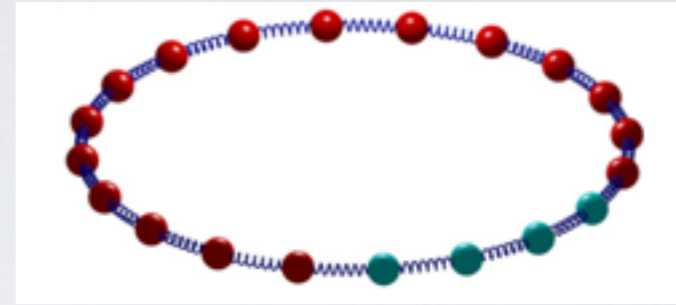
Javier Abajo-Arrastia, Emilia da Silva, Esperanza López, J.M. & Alexandre Serantes.  
arXiv:1403.2632 and 1412.6002

# MOTIVATION

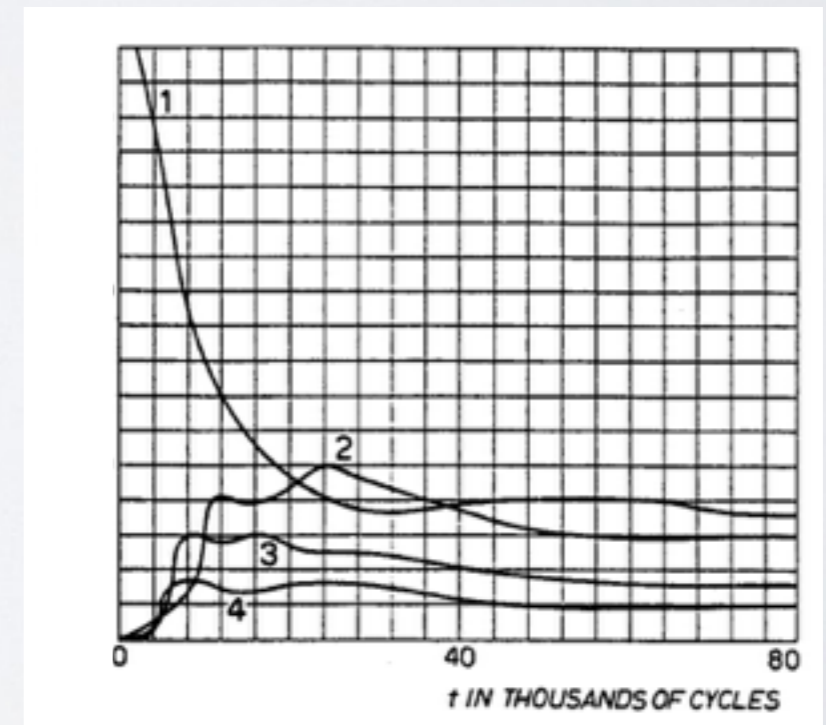
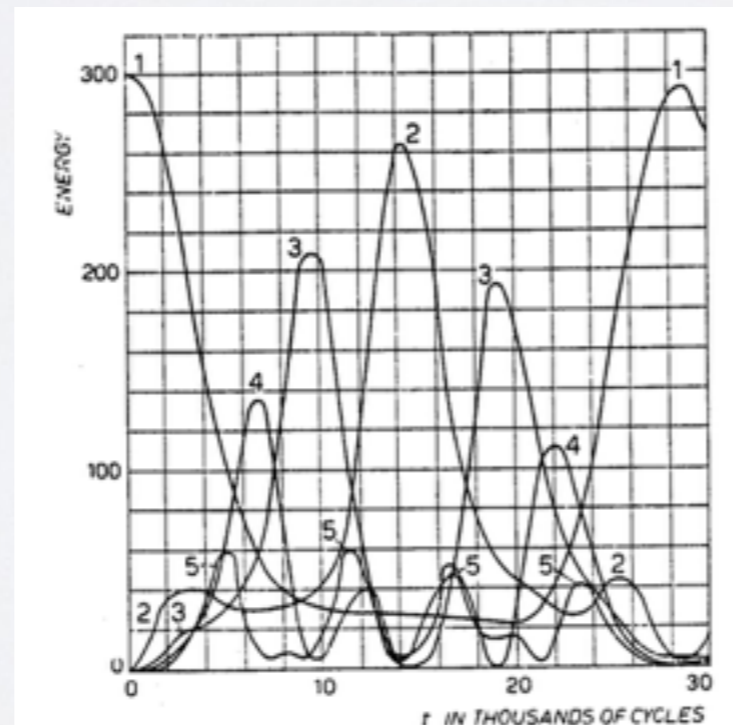
Classical Dynamics: one expects non-linear dynamics should lead **on its own** to thermalisation:

## STUDIES OF NON LINEAR PROBLEMS

E. FERMI, J. PASTA, and S. ULAM  
Document LA-1940 (May 1955).



$$\ddot{x}_i = (x_{i+1} + x_{i-1} - 2x_i) + \alpha [(x_{i+1} - x_i)^2 - (x_i - x_{i-1})^2]$$
$$(i = 1, 2, \dots, 64),$$



# MOTIVATION

¿How do closed quantum systems thermalise?

- no dynamical chaos since time evolution is linear
- discrete spectrum
- how conserved quantities constraint relaxation

**Fundamental questions:** for  $\langle \hat{O}_i(t) \rangle$

- is there a stationary state being reached?
- can it be described by a Gibbs ensemble?
- are initial conditions erased?

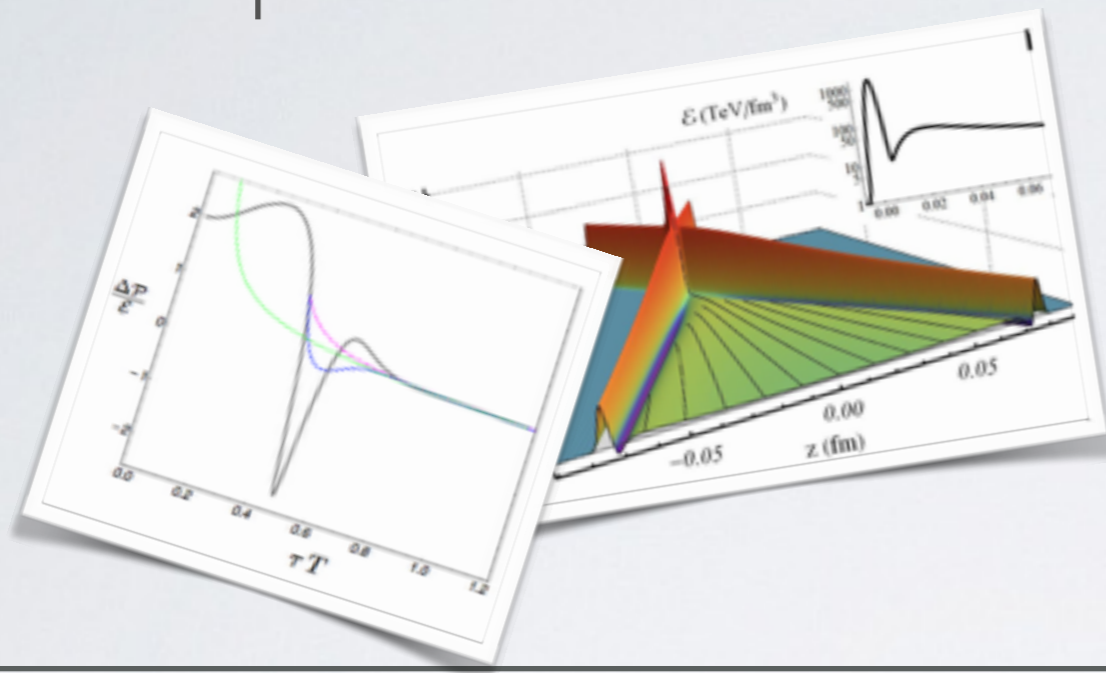
**Addressable with :**

- recent advances in ultracold atom systems
- exact results in integrable chains and CFT
- AdS/CFT

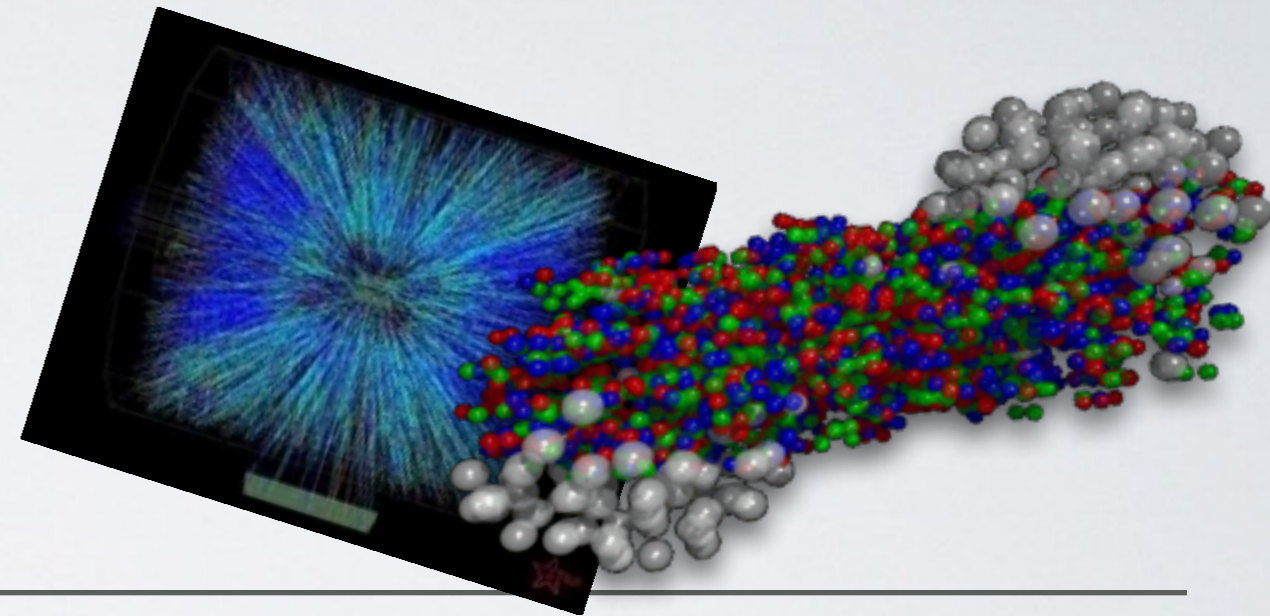
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time dependent AdS/CFT

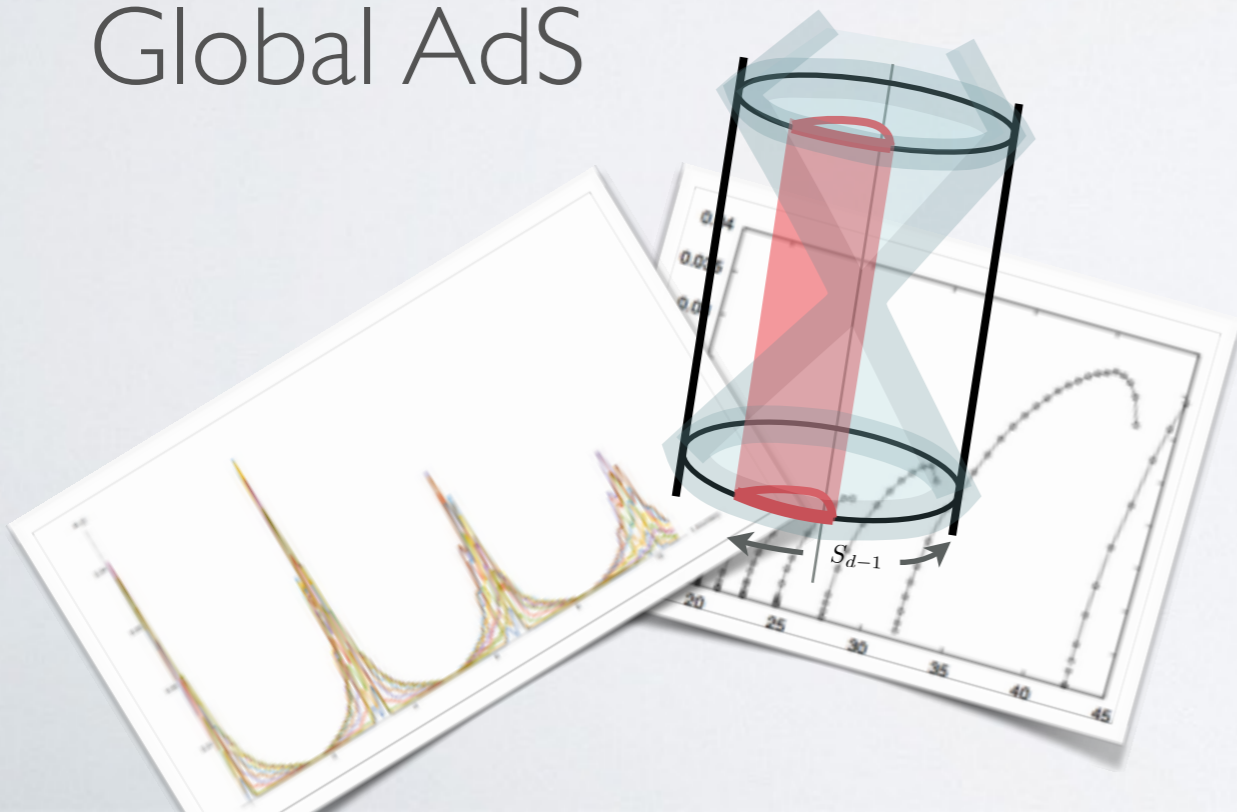
Poincaré patch



Heavy Ion Collisions

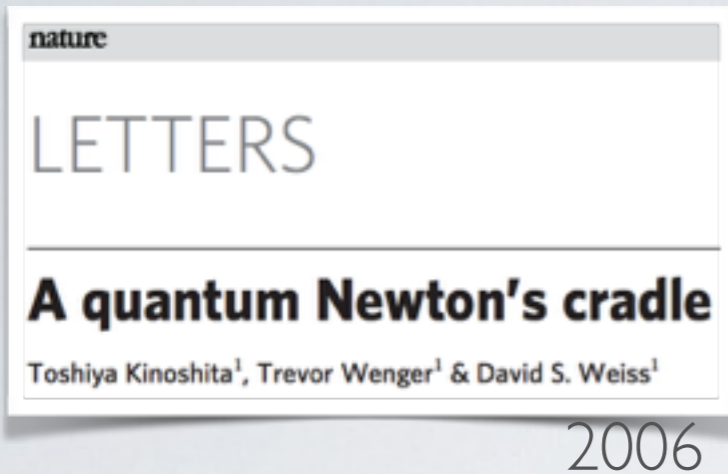


Global AdS



- Relaxation in Closed Quantum Systems
- Dynamics of Entanglement Entropy
- Holographic Revivals

# Relaxation in Quantum Closed Systems

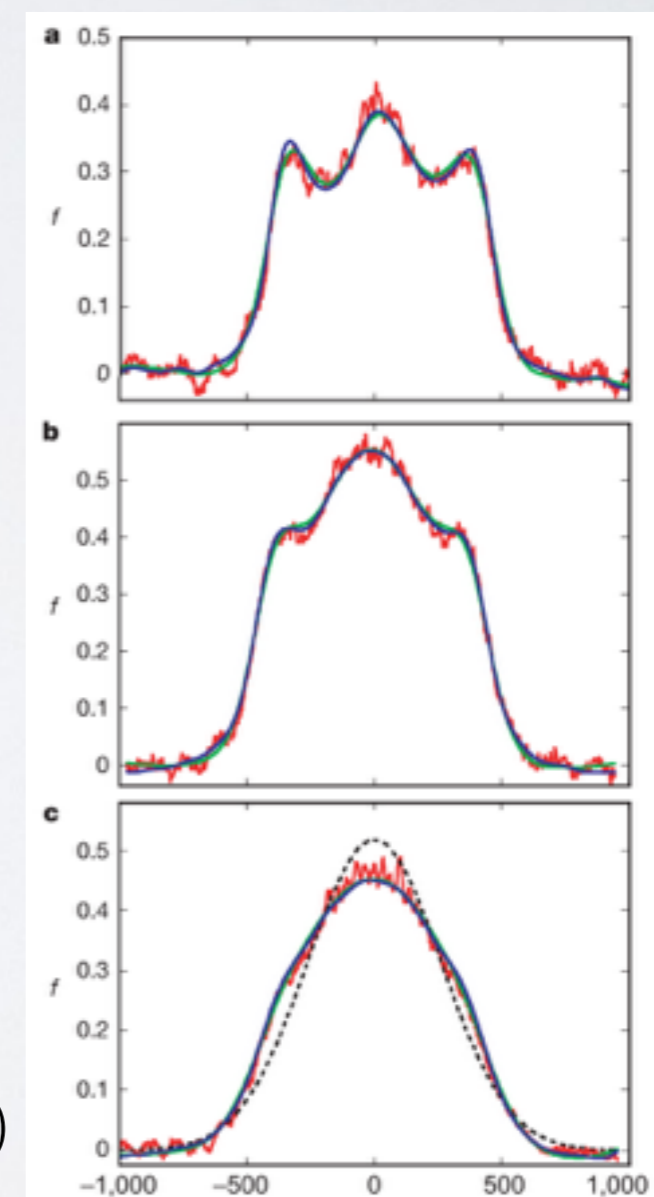
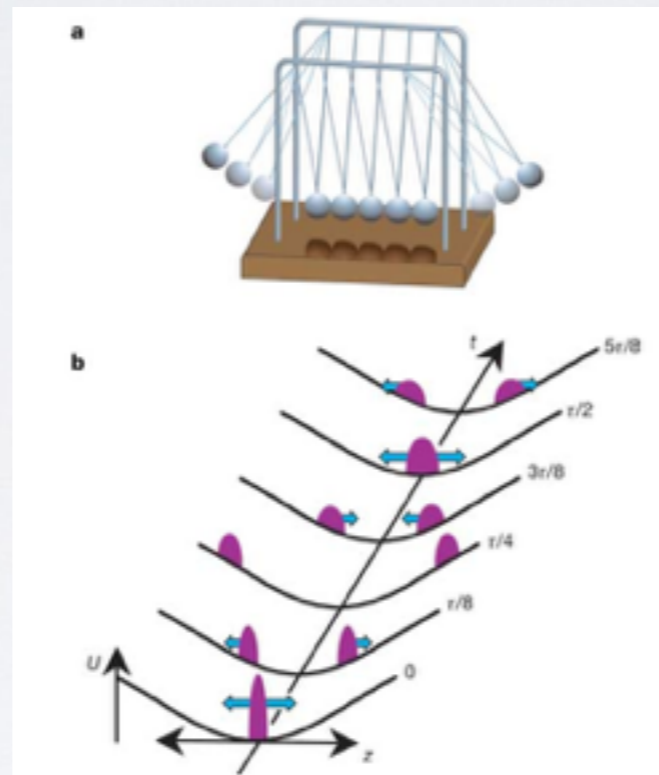
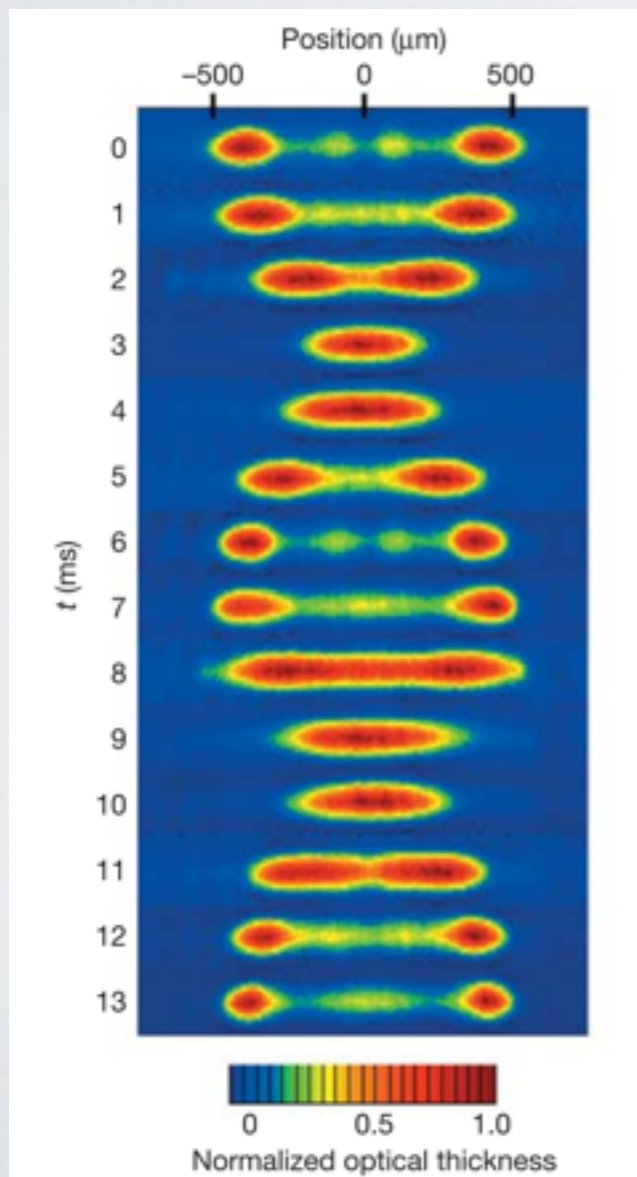


When addition conserved charges



prethermalization, described by Generalized Gibbs Ensemble

no erasure of initial condition



$f(p_x)$

# Relaxation in Quantum Closed Systems

## Collapse and revival of the matter wave field of a Bose-Einstein condensate

Markus Greiner, Olaf Mandel, Theodor W. Hänsch & Immanuel Bloch

2002

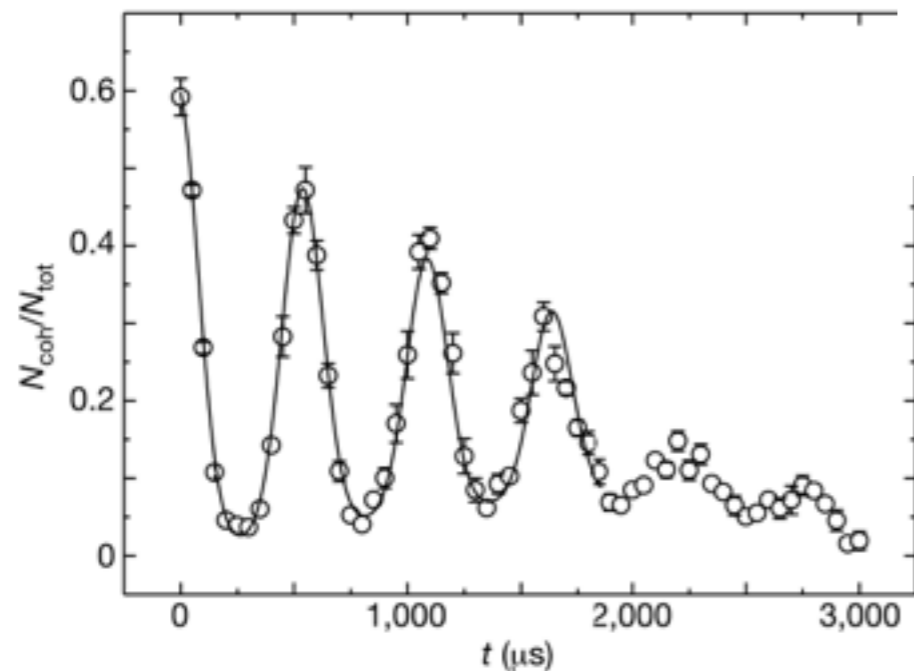
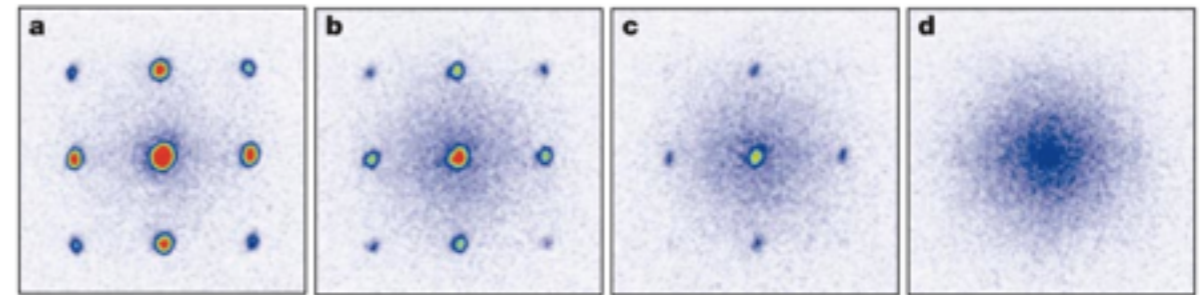
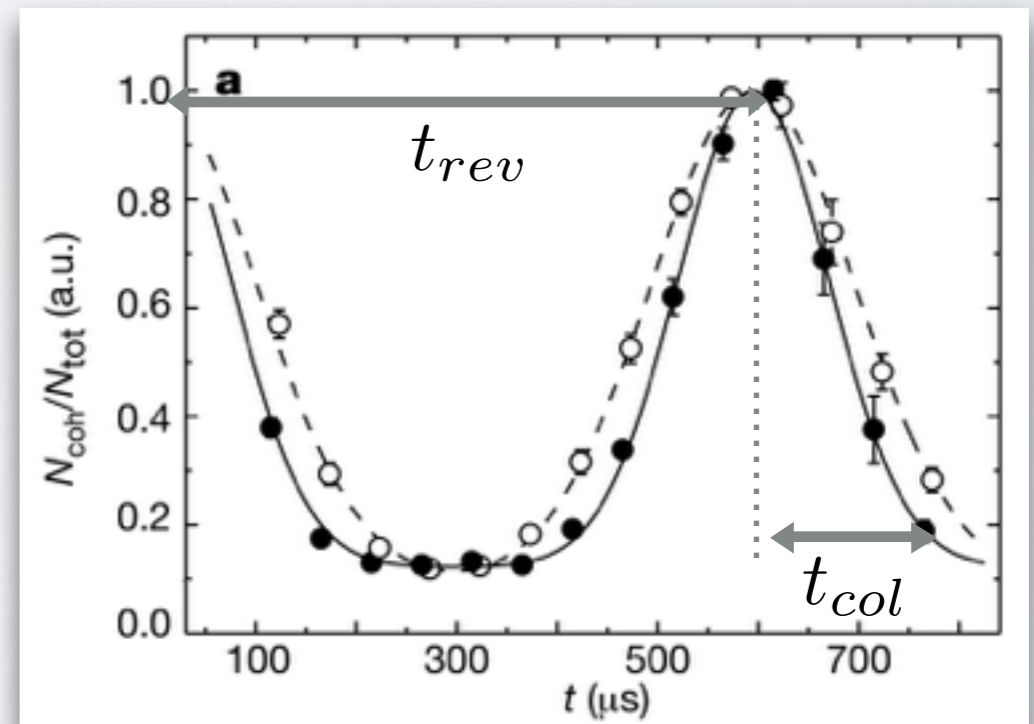


Figure 3 Number of coherent atoms relative to the total number of atoms monitored



$$\hat{H} = \frac{U}{2} \hat{n}(\hat{n} - 1)$$

$$\psi(t) = \sqrt{\bar{n}} e^{-\bar{n}(1 - \cos Ut)} e^{i\bar{n} \sin Ut}$$

$$t_{rev} = \frac{2\pi}{U} \quad t_{col} = \frac{1}{\bar{n}U}$$

# Relaxation in Quantum Closed Systems

## The Finite Group Velocity of Quantum Spin Systems

Elliott H. Lieb\*

Dept. of Mathematics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA

Derek W. Robinson\*\*

Dept. of Physics, Univ. Aix-Marseille II, Marseille-Luminy, France

1972

## Light-cone-like spreading of correlations in a quantum many-body system

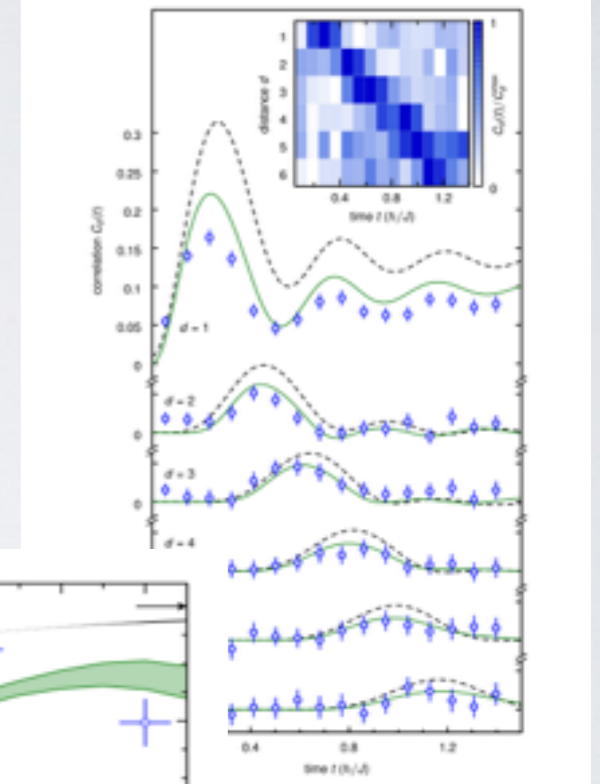
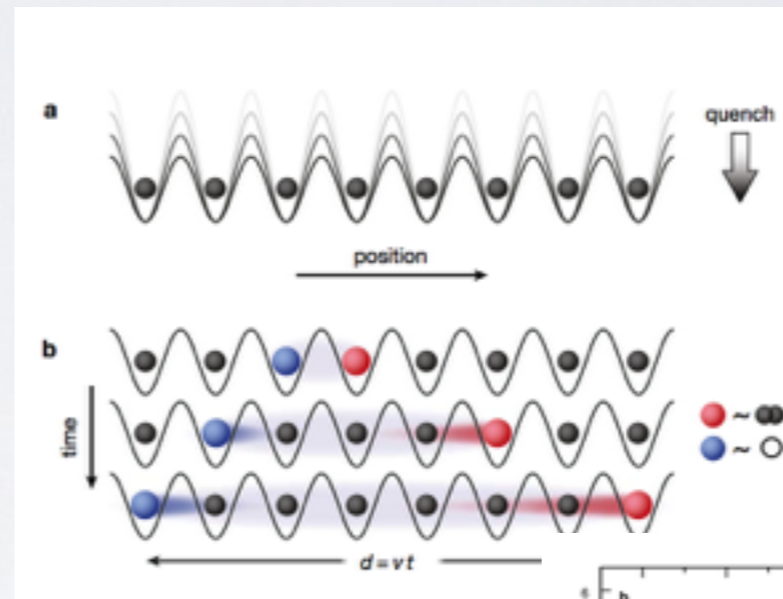
Marc Cheneau, Peter Barmettler, Dario Poletti, Manuel Endres, Peter Schauß,  
Takeshi Fukuhara, Christian Gross, Immanuel Bloch, Corinna Kollath & Stefan  
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2012

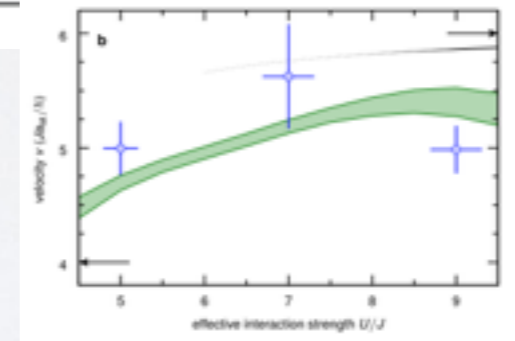
Quantum systems described by a sum of local Hamiltonians



emergent maximum speed  
 $v_{LR}$



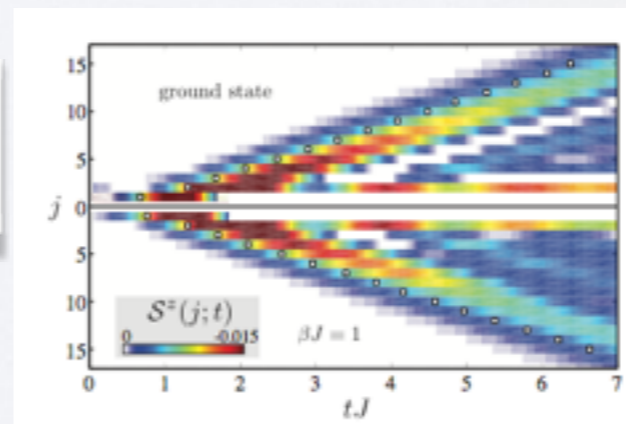
what is the speed ?



## “Light-cone” dynamics after quantum quenches in spin chains

Lars Bonnes,<sup>1,\*</sup> Fabian H. L. Essler,<sup>2</sup> and Andreas M. Läuchli<sup>1</sup>

2014





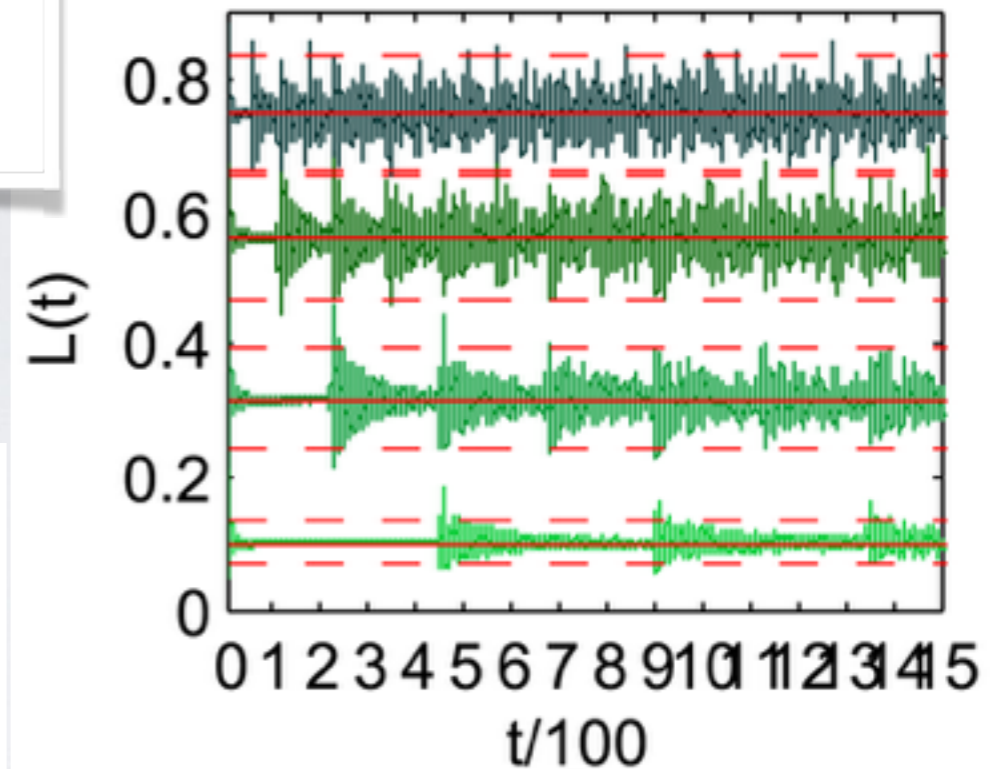
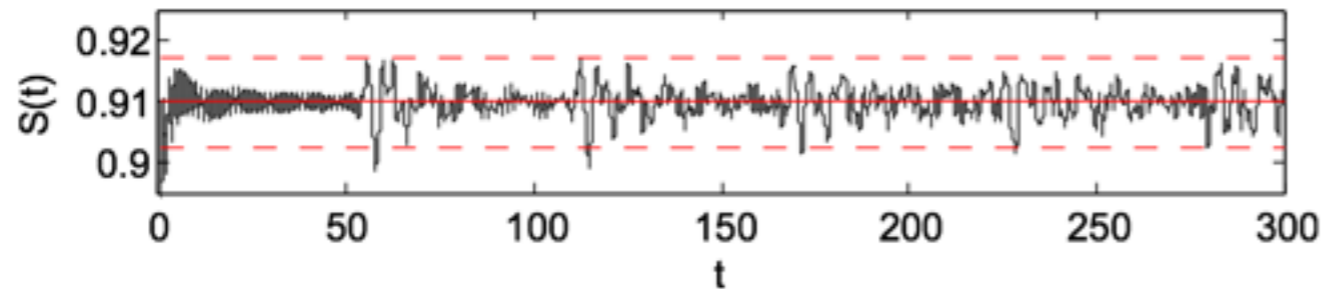
# Relaxation in Quantum Closed Systems

## Revivals of a closed quantum system and Lieb-Robinson speed

Juho Häppölä<sup>4,1,2</sup> Gábor B. Halász,<sup>3,4</sup> and Alioscia Hama<sup>4</sup>

2010

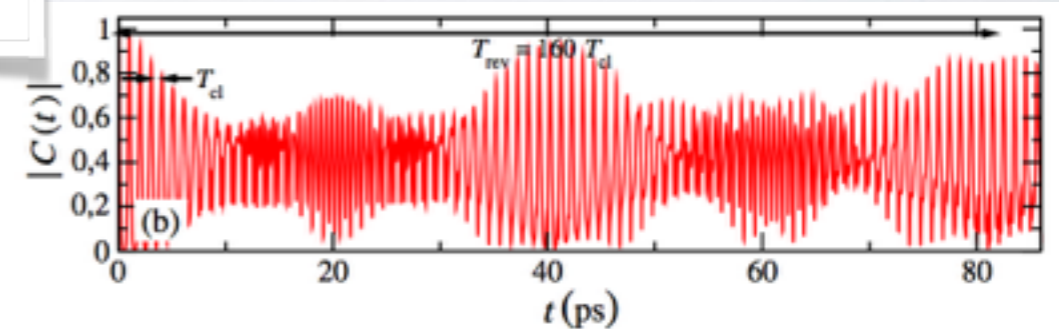
$$t_{rev} = p \frac{L}{v_{LR}}$$



## Revivals of quantum wave packets in graphene

Viktor Krueckl<sup>1,3</sup> and Tobias Kramer<sup>1,2,3</sup>

2009



R.W. Robinett, "Quantum wave packet revivals", Physics Reports 392 (2004) 1-119

- are there revivals?
- at strong coupling ? at large  $c$ ?
- what observables are nice to monitor
  - i) local:  $\langle \hat{A} \rangle(t) = \langle \psi(t) | \hat{A} | \psi(t) \rangle$
  - ii) non-local:
    - Wilson line  $W_C = \text{Tr} \left( \mathcal{P} \exp \frac{i}{\hbar} \int_C A \right)$
    - **entanglement entropy**

# Quantum Field Theory

$$S_A = -\text{Tr} \hat{\rho}_A \log \hat{\rho}_A$$

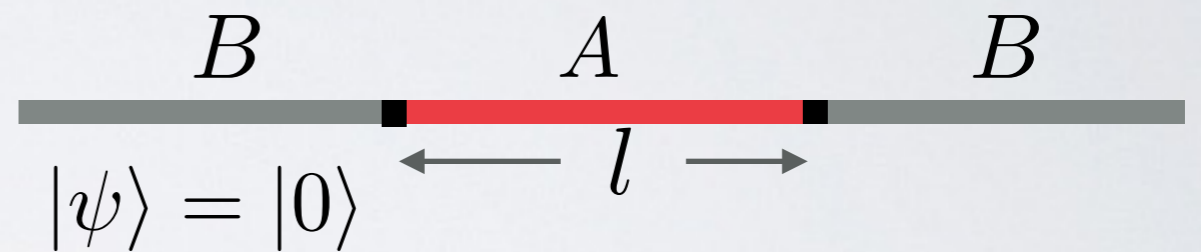
$$\hat{\rho}_A = \text{Tr}_B \hat{\rho}$$

Exact results for CFT in 1+1 dimensions

*C. Holzhey, F. Larsen, F. Wilczek 1994  
P. Calabrese & J. Cardy 2003*

$$T = 0$$

$$S_A = \frac{c}{3} \log \left( \frac{l}{\epsilon} \right)$$

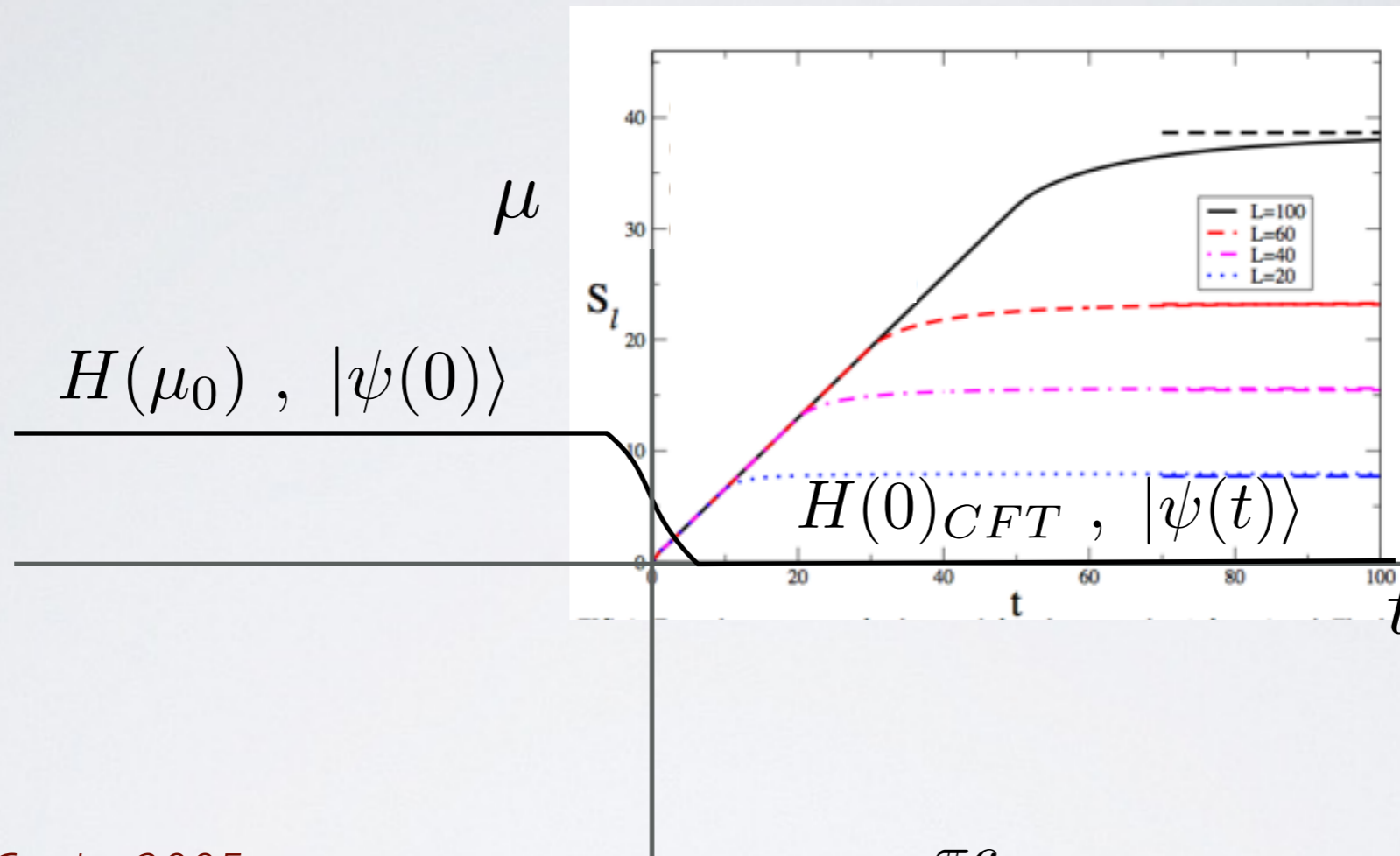


$$T = \frac{1}{\beta} \neq 0$$

$$S_A^\beta = \frac{c}{3} \log \left( \frac{\beta}{\pi\epsilon} \sinh \frac{\pi l}{\beta} \right) \longrightarrow \begin{cases} \xrightarrow{l \ll \beta} & \frac{c}{3} \log \frac{l}{\epsilon} \\ \xrightarrow{l \gg \beta} & \frac{c}{3} \log \left( \frac{\beta}{2\pi\epsilon} \right) + \frac{\pi c}{3\beta} l + \dots \end{cases}$$

# ENTANGLEMENT ENTROPY AFTER A QUENCH

At  $t = 0$  the Hamiltonian changes abruptly, leaving an excited state. Watch it evolve.



*P. Calabrese & J. Cardy 2005*

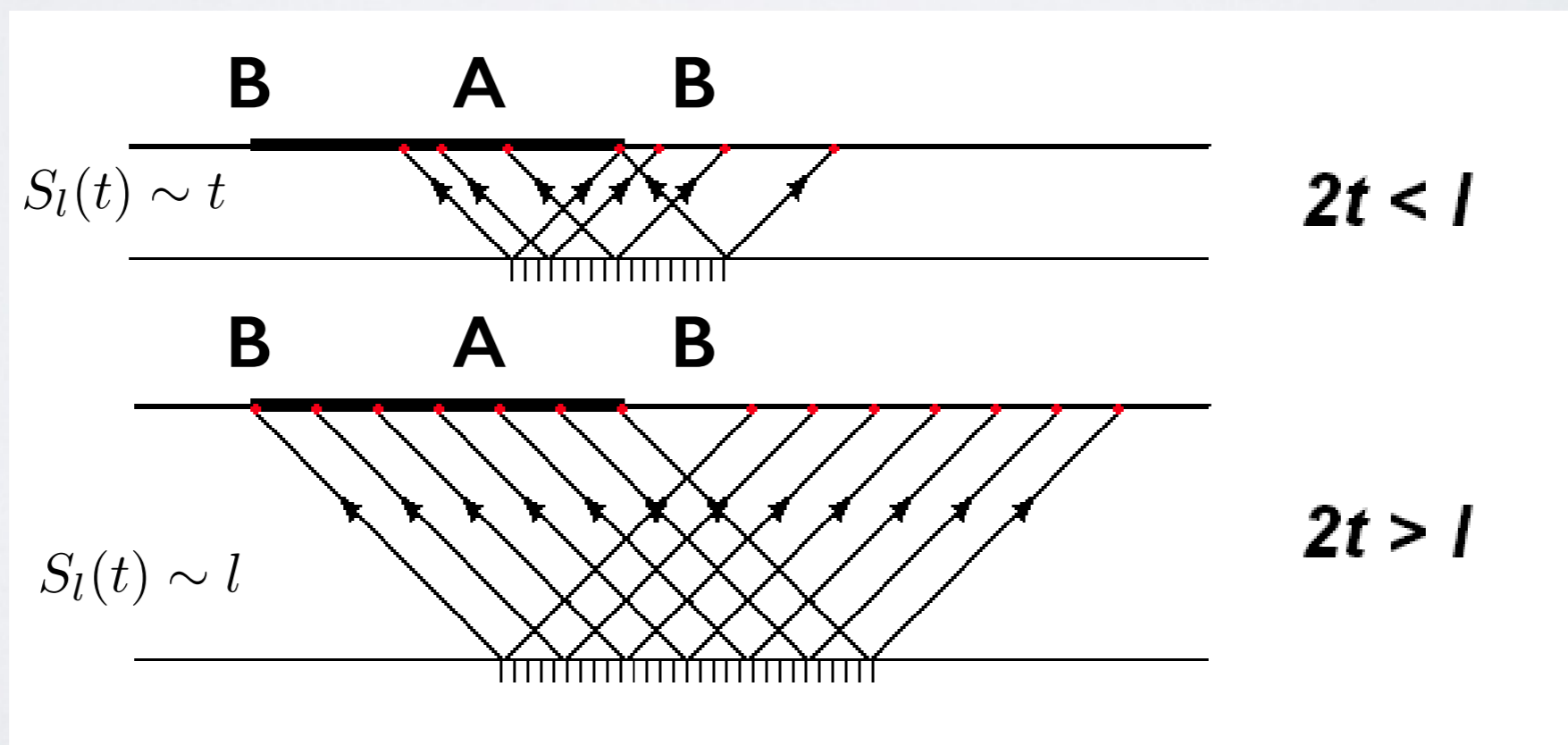
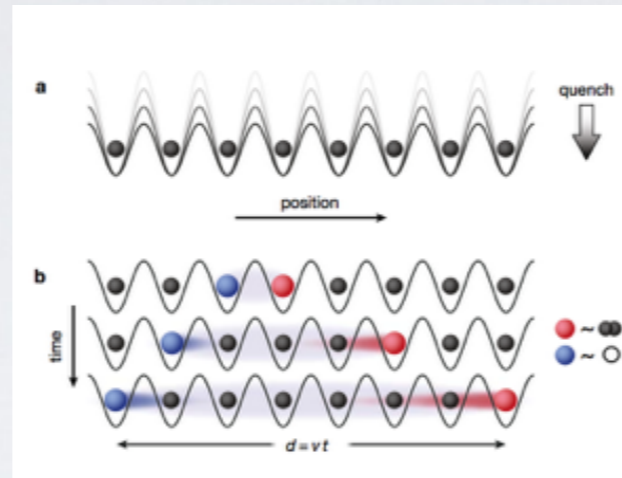
for  $l, t \gg \tau_0 \sim 1/m$

$$S_l(t) \sim \begin{cases} \frac{\pi c}{6\tau_0} t & t < l/2, \\ \frac{\pi c}{12\tau_0} l & l/2 < t \end{cases}$$

reaches an extensive EE with a  $T \sim 1/4\tau_0$

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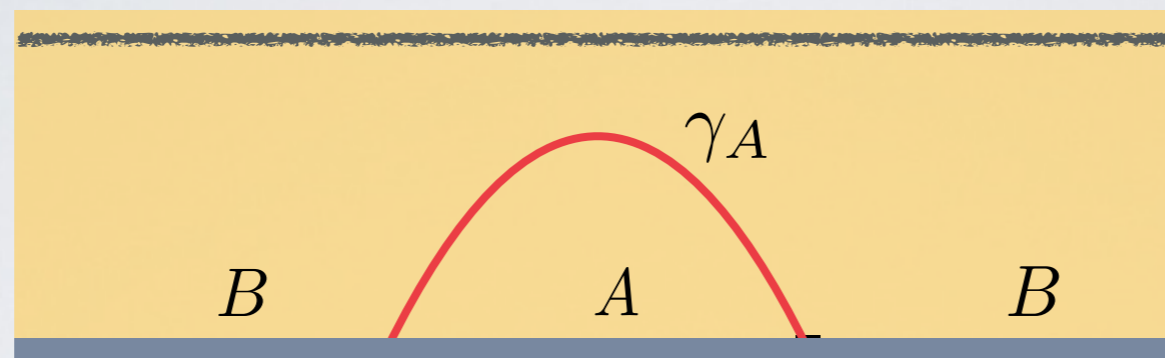
kinematical argument:  $t = 0$  quench leaves an excited sea of quasiparticle pairs  
 $0 \leq t \leq l/2$  entangled pairs fly apart at the speed of light



# HOLOGRAPHIC ENTANGLEMENT ENTROPY

entanglement entropy  $\longleftrightarrow$  minimal surface homologous to A

$$S(\theta) = \frac{\text{Area}(\gamma_A)}{4G_{d+1}}$$



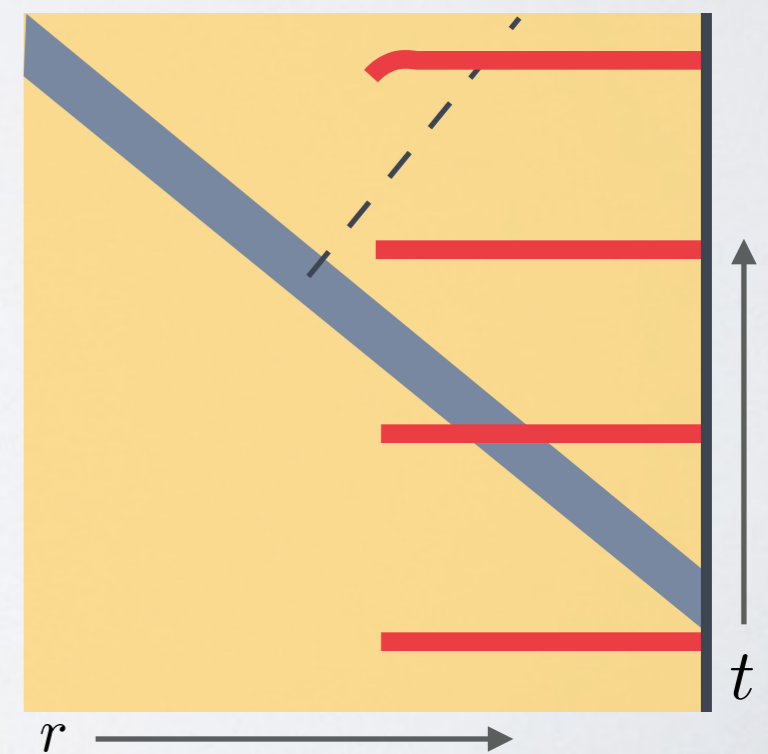
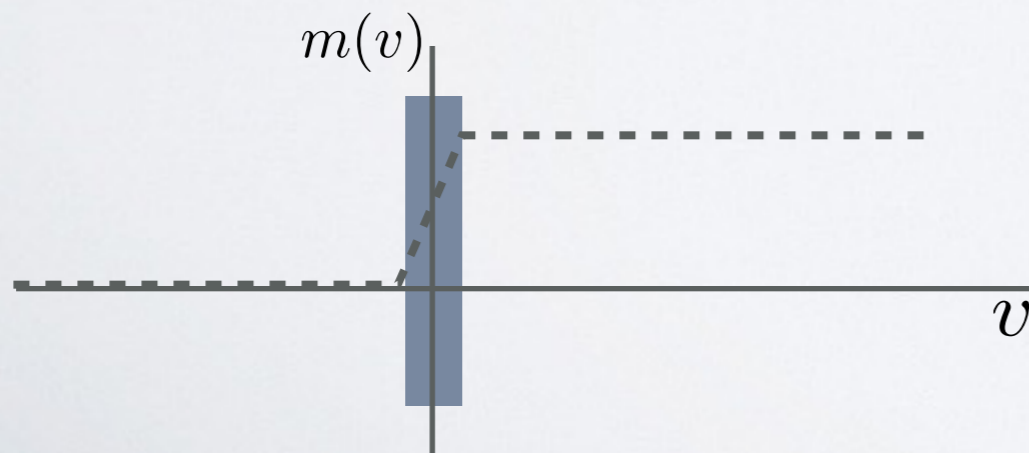
*S. Ryu & T. Takayanagi 2006*

quench in  $\text{CFT}_d$   $\longleftrightarrow$  shell collapse in  $\text{AdS}_{d+1}$

analytic case:  $\text{AdS}_{d+2}$ -Vaidya: collapse of radiation shell

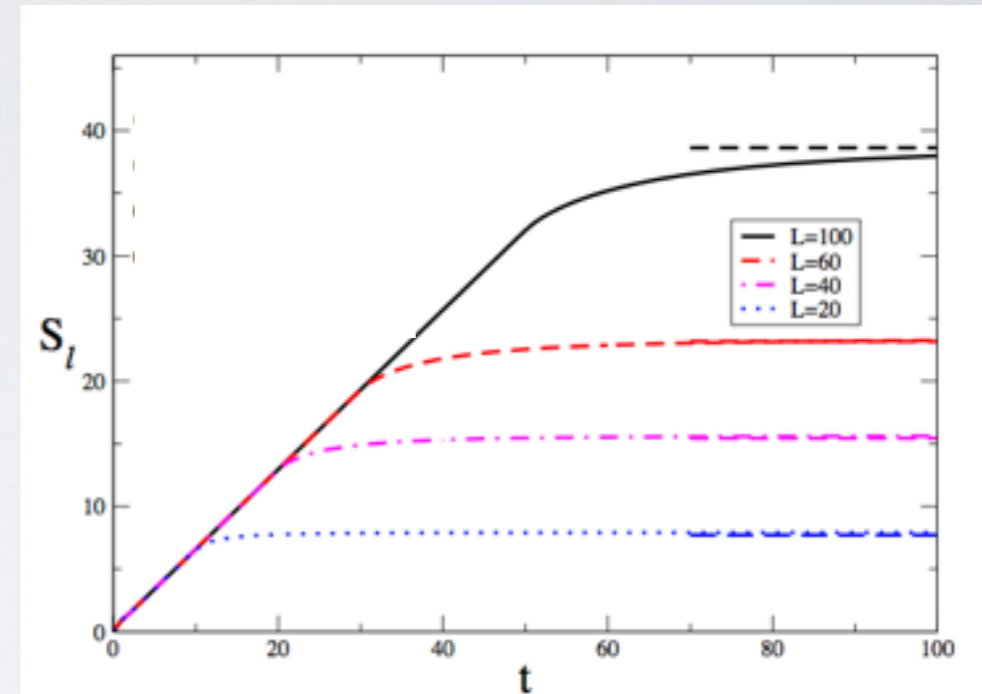
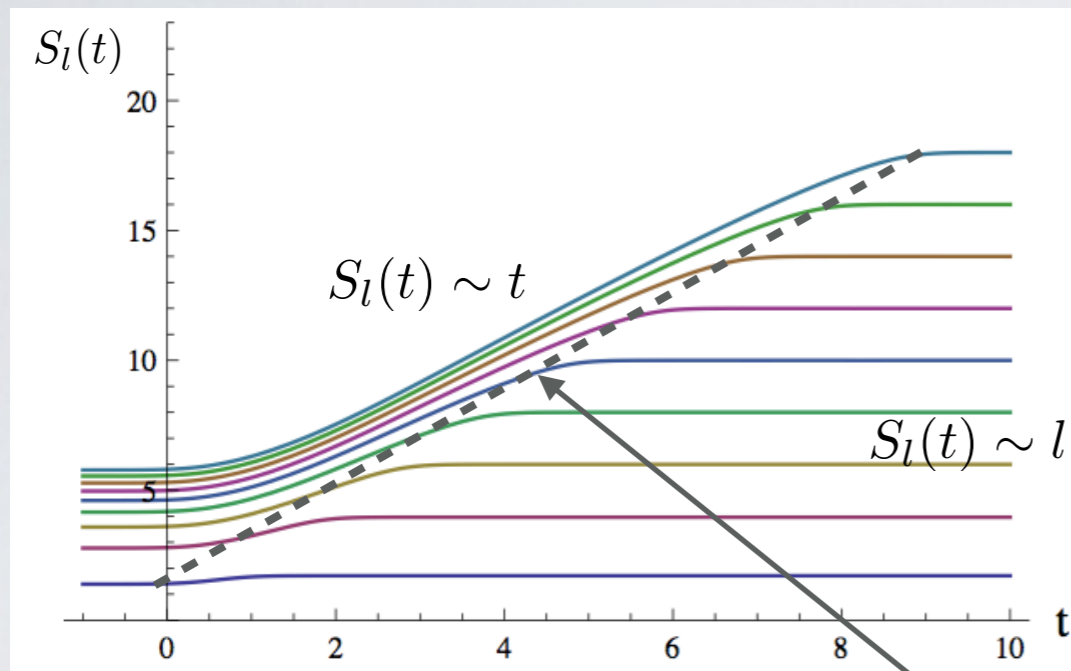
$$ds^2 = - \left( r^2 - \frac{m(v)}{r^{d-1}} \right) dv^2 + 2drdv + r^2 \sum_{i=1}^d dx_i^2$$

$$T_{vv} = d \frac{m'(v)}{2r^d}$$



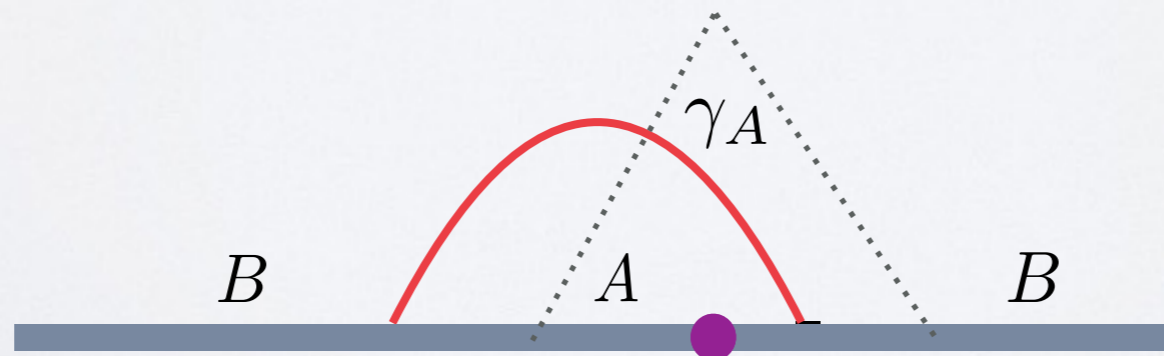
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T. Albash & C.V. Johnson 2011



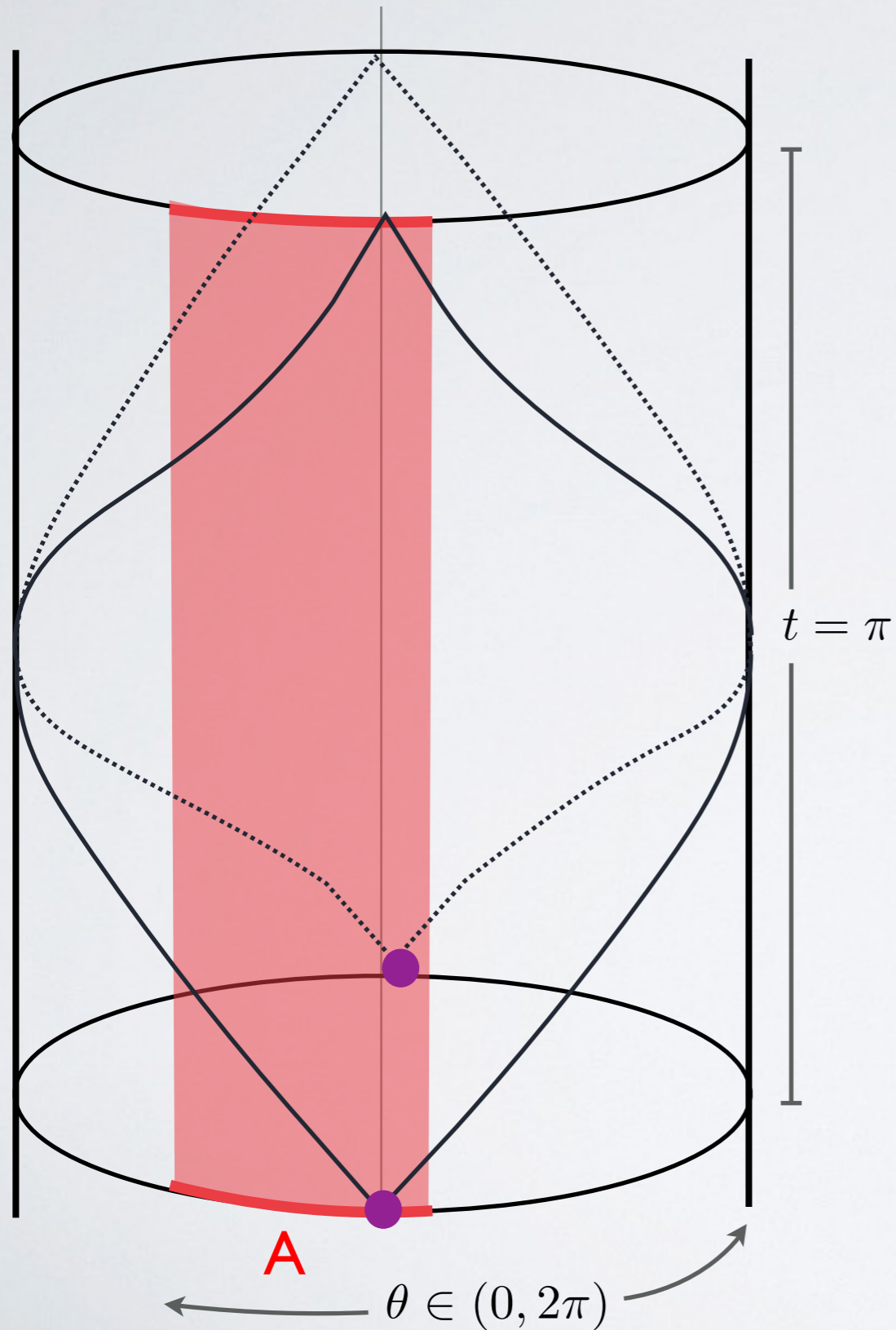
$$t = l/2$$

- are we seeing a light-cone-like effect for entangled quasiparticles?



- is the radial position of the shell dual to the entangled pair separation?

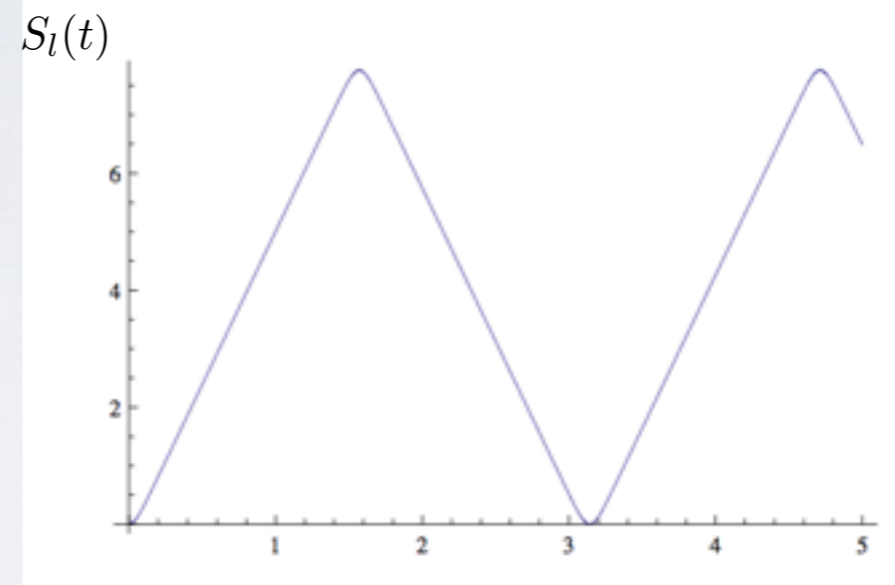
# ENTANGLEMENT EVOLUTION IN COMPACT SPACE



Confirmed for:

CFT =  $|+|$  Free Fermion

*T. Takayanagi & T. Ugajin 2010*



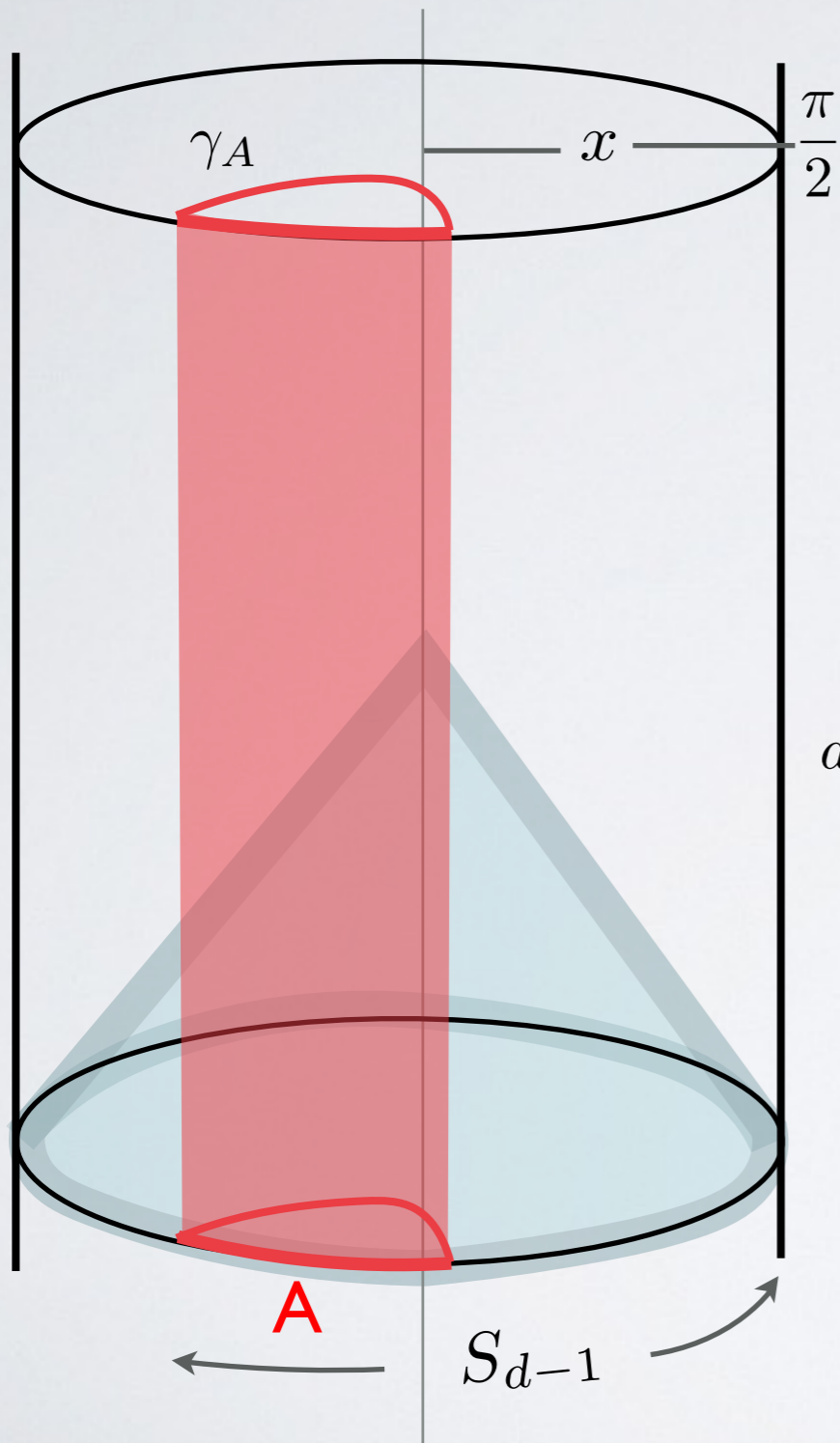
RCFT = minimal models

*John Cardy 2014*



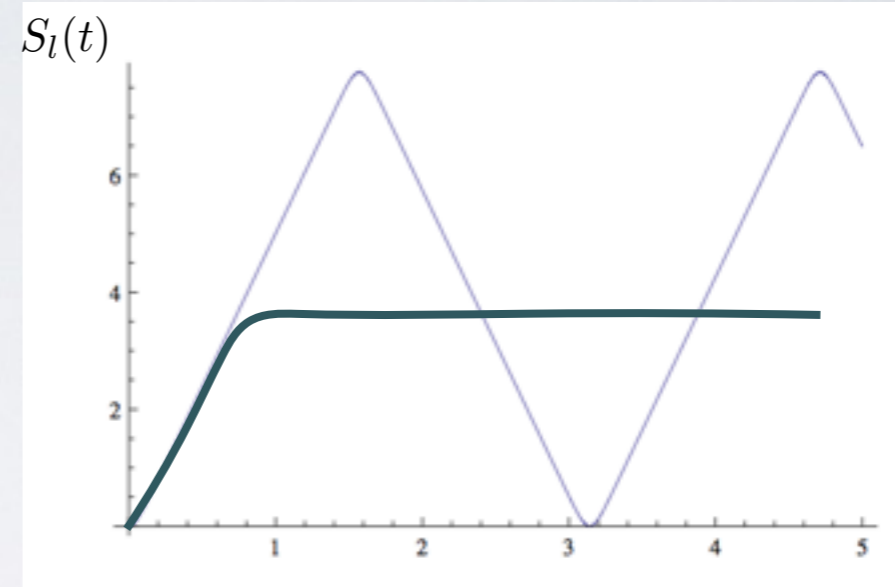
# ENTANGLEMENT EVOLUTION IN GLOBAL AdS

AdS-Vaydia leads to a direct black hole formation

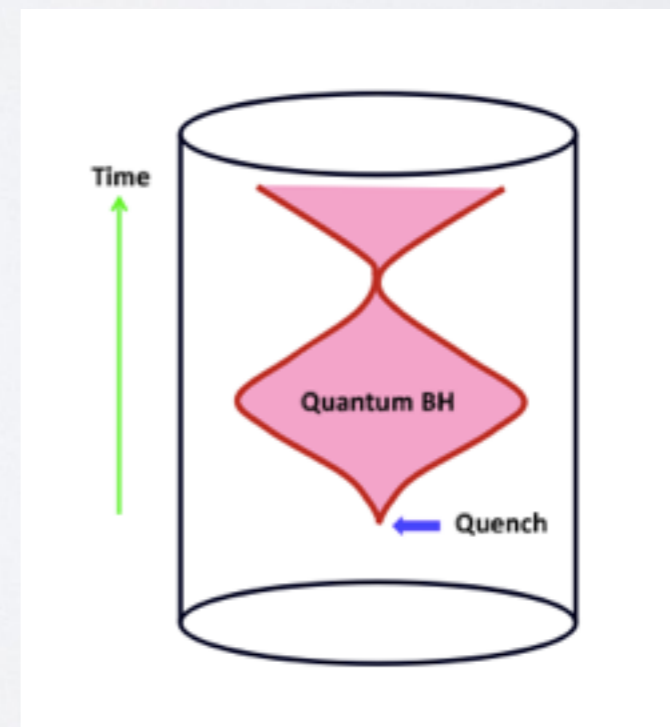


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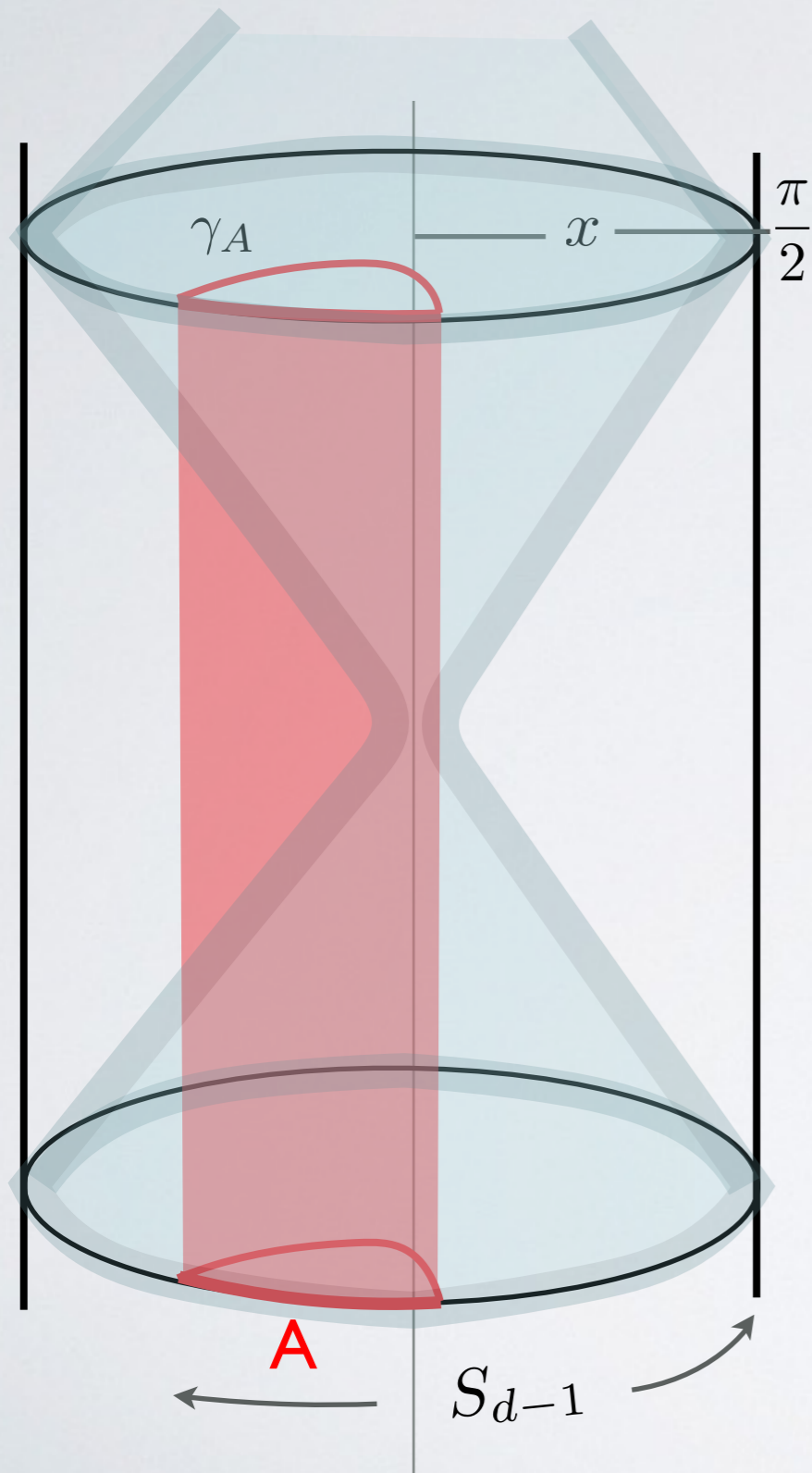
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$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} (-dt^2 + dx^2 + \sin^2 x d\Omega_{d-1}^2)$$



# ENTANGLEMENT EVOLUTION IN GLOBAL AdS



Collapse of a massless scalar field in  $\text{AdS}_{d+1}$

$$S = \int d^{d+1}x \sqrt{g} \left( \frac{1}{2\kappa^2} R + \frac{d(d-1)}{l^2} - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi \right)$$

homogeneous ansatz (Bizon & Rostworowski 2011)

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \left( -A(x, t) e^{-2\delta(x, t)} dt^2 + \frac{dx^2}{A(x, t)} + \sin^2 x d\Omega_d^2 \right)$$

$$0 \leq x \leq \pi/2$$

Equations of motion + boundary conditions

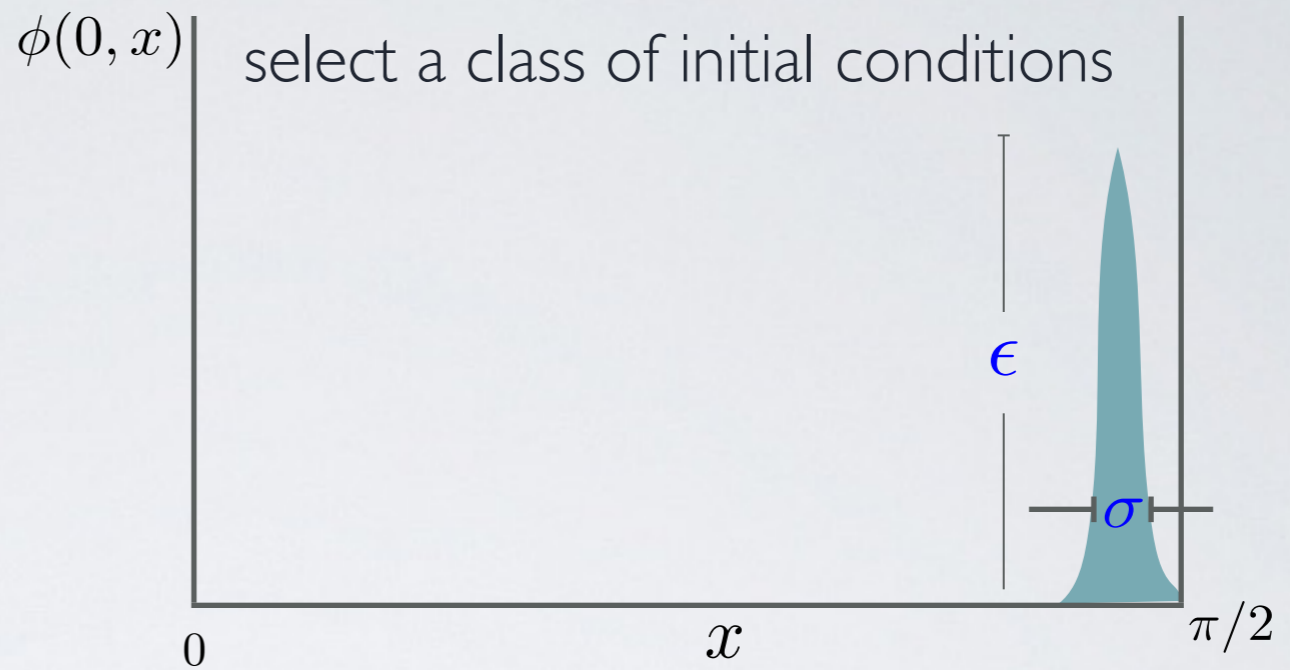
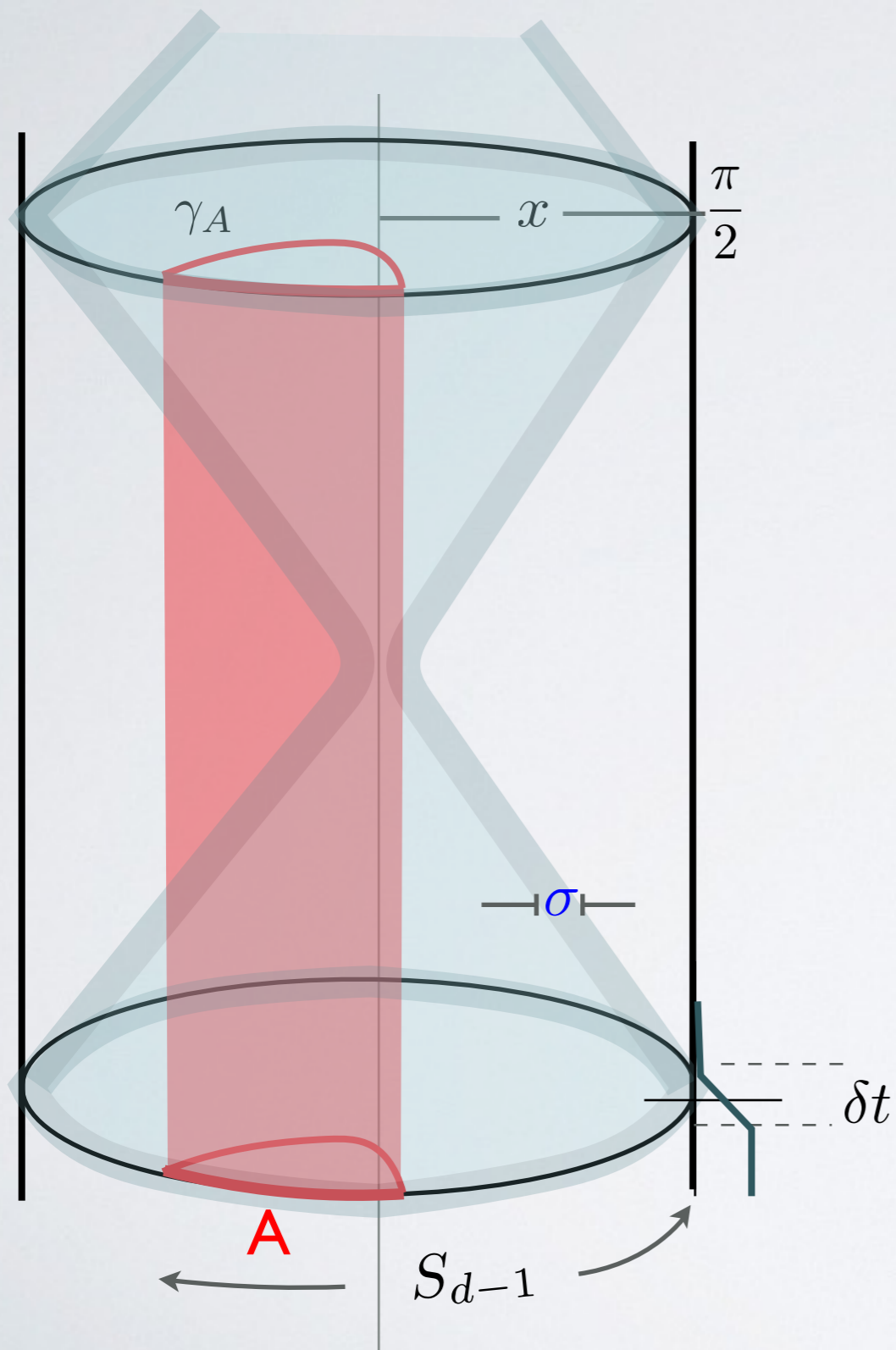
$$\phi(x, t) \sim \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)^d \phi_\infty + \dots$$

$$A(x, t) \sim 1 - \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)^d M + \dots$$

$$\delta(x, t) \sim \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)^{2d} \phi_\infty + \dots$$

apparent horizon forms whenever  $A(x_h, t_h) = 0$

# ENTANGLEMENT EVOLUTION IN GLOBAL AdS



$$\phi(0, x) = \epsilon \frac{12}{\pi} \exp\left(-\frac{4 \tan^2\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)}{\sigma^2}\right) \cos^d x$$

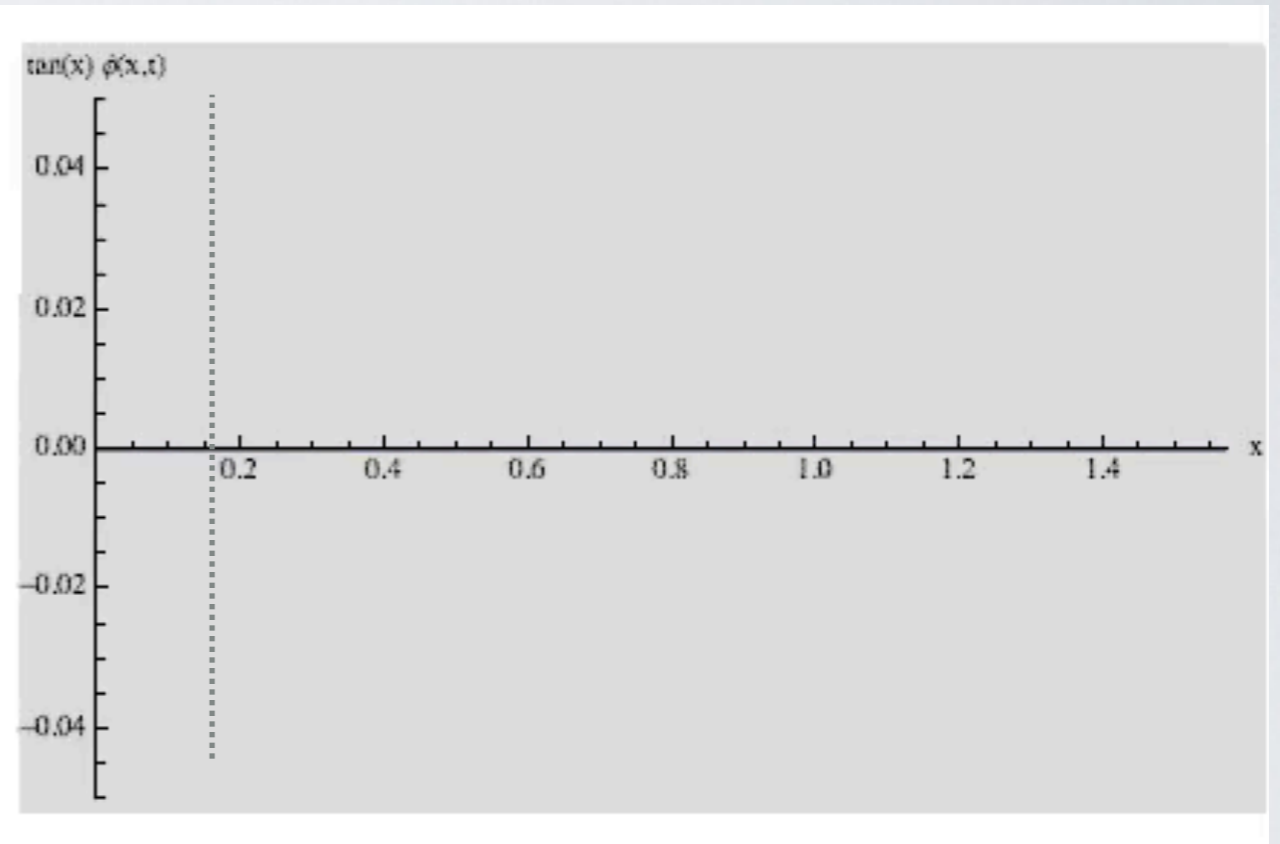
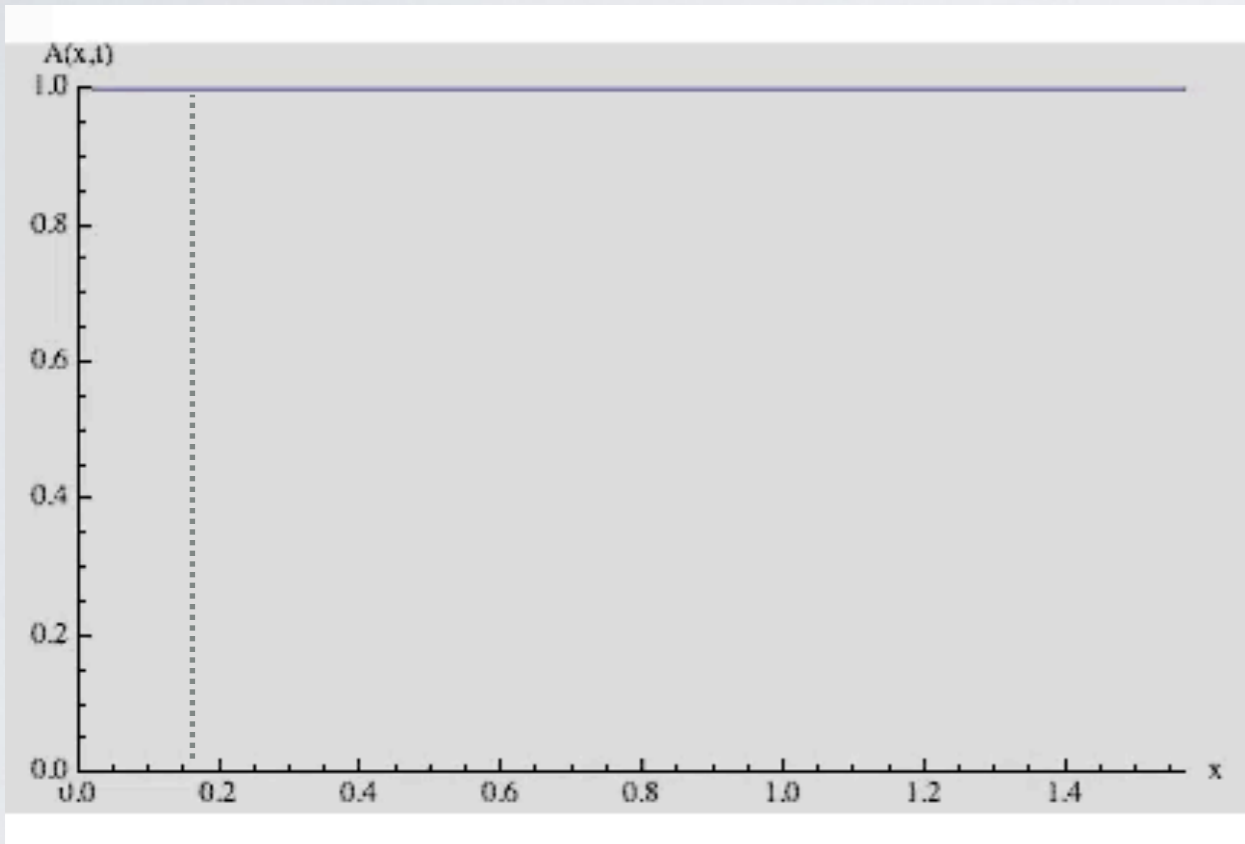
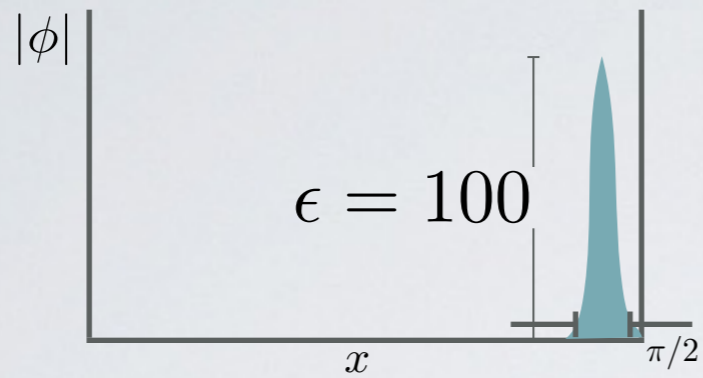
$\epsilon$  is related to the quench energy

$\sigma$  is related to the quenching time  $\delta t$

$$M(\epsilon, \sigma) = \epsilon^2 f(\sigma)$$

# AdS<sub>4</sub> : COLLAPSES

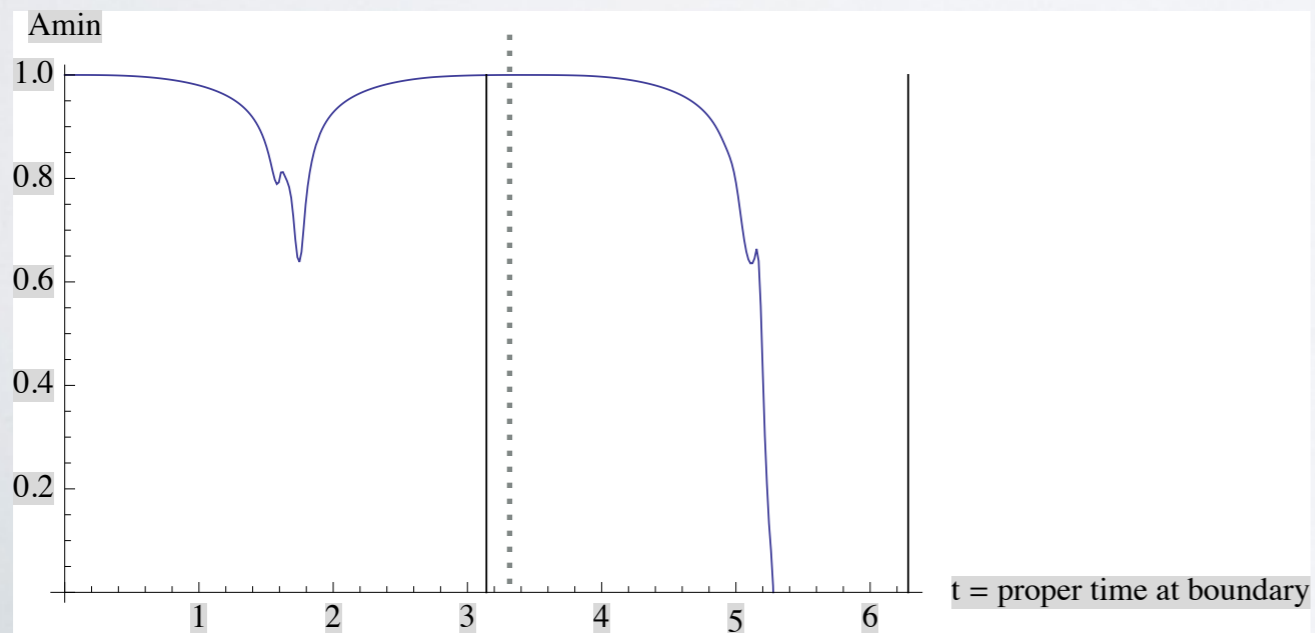
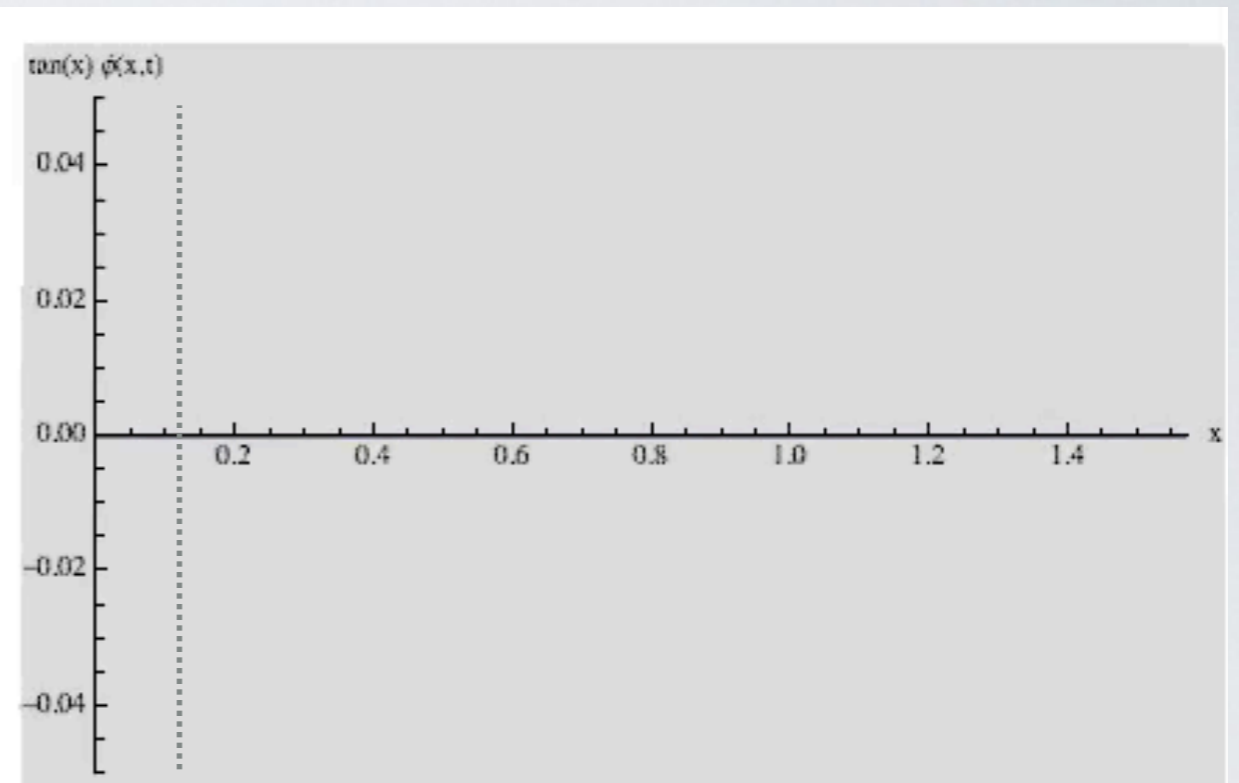
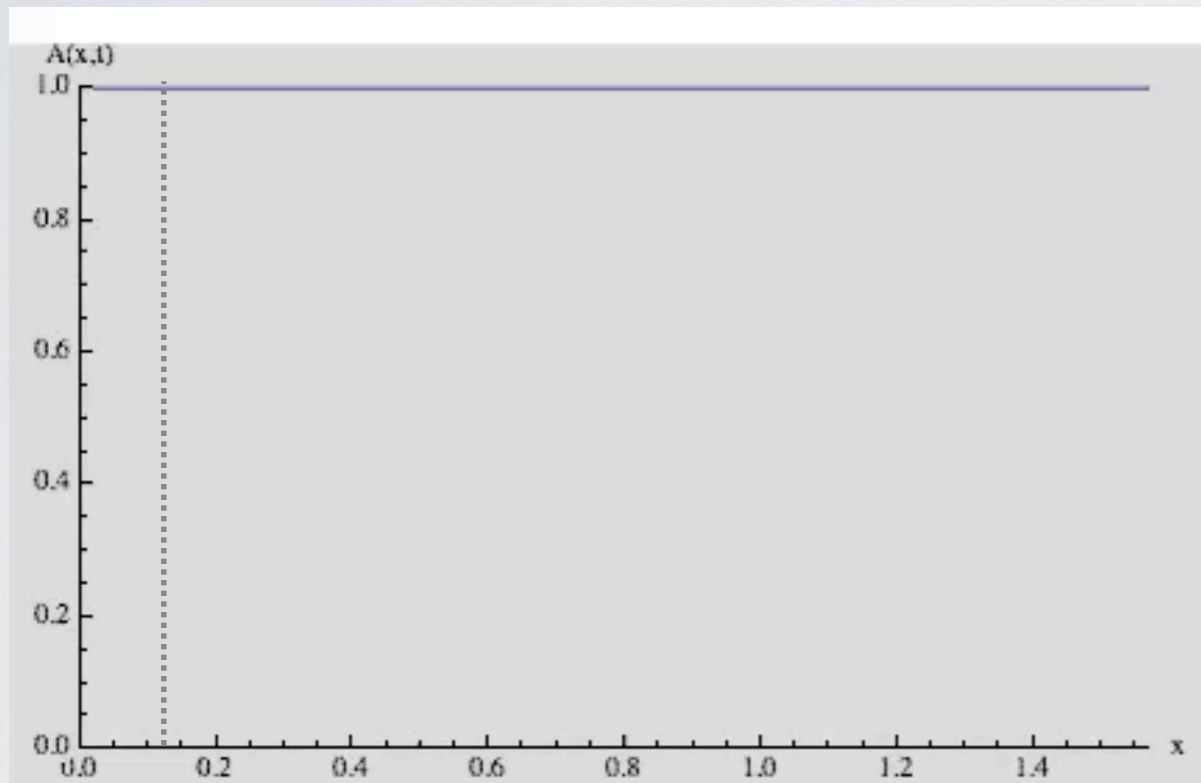
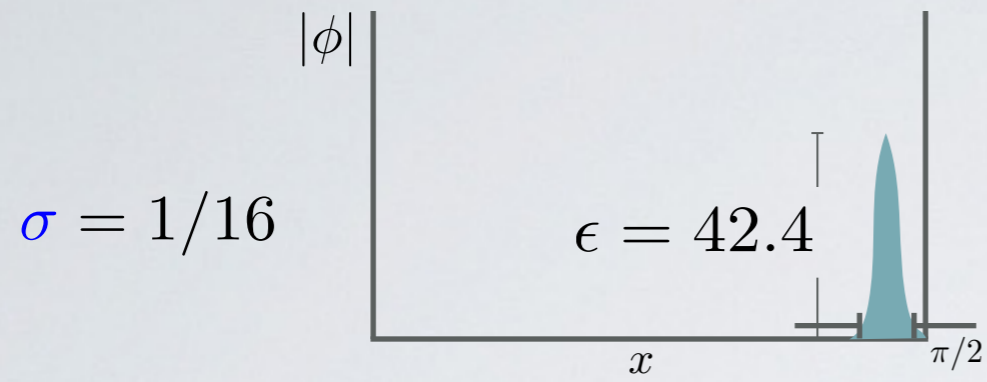
$$\sigma = 1/16$$



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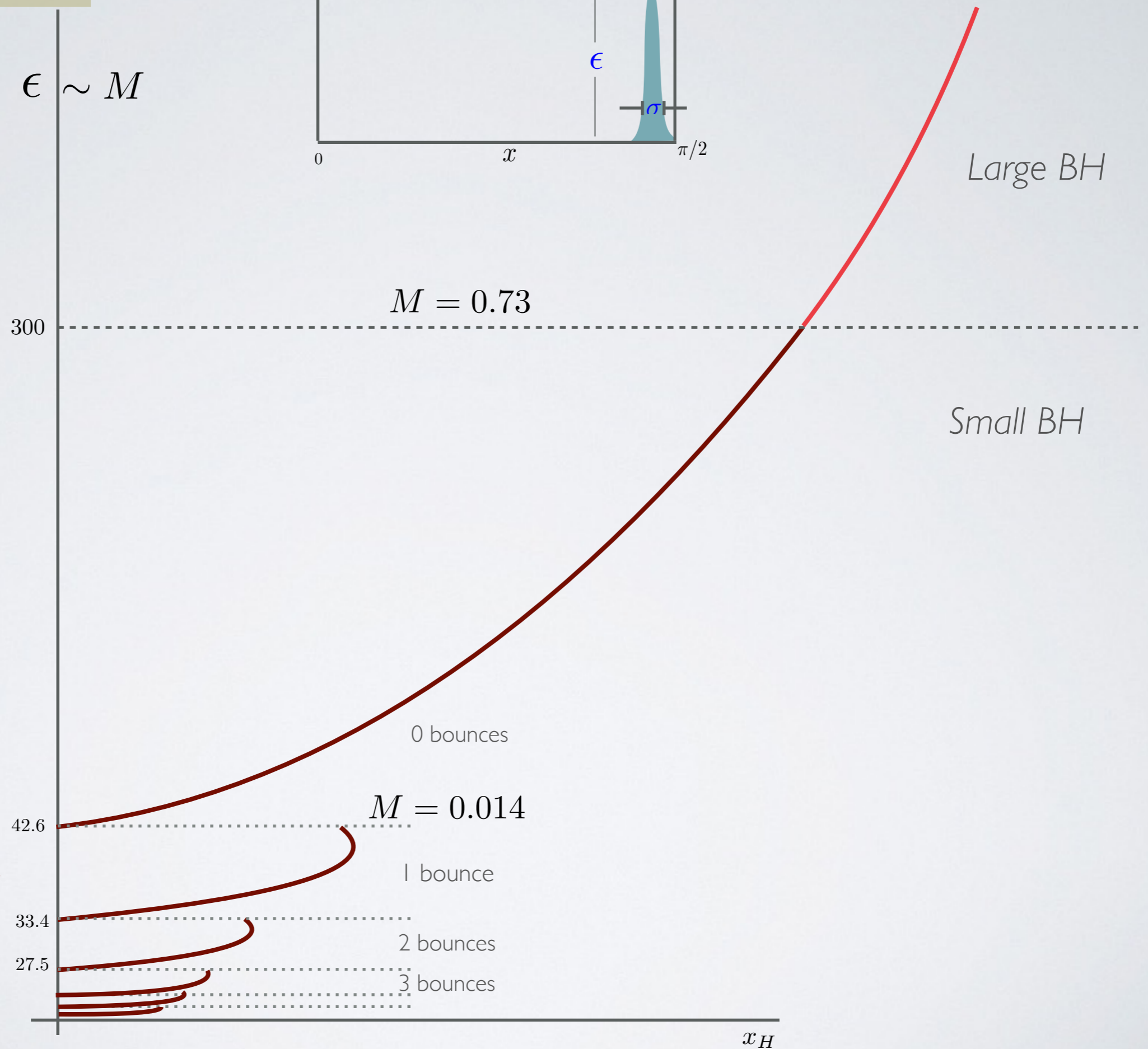
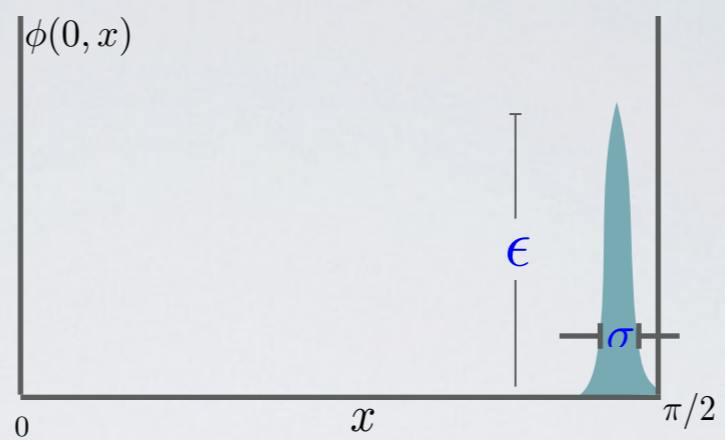


weak turbulence in action  
the periodicity is  $\geq \pi$  !

# AdS<sub>4</sub>: COLLAPSES

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\epsilon \sim M$$

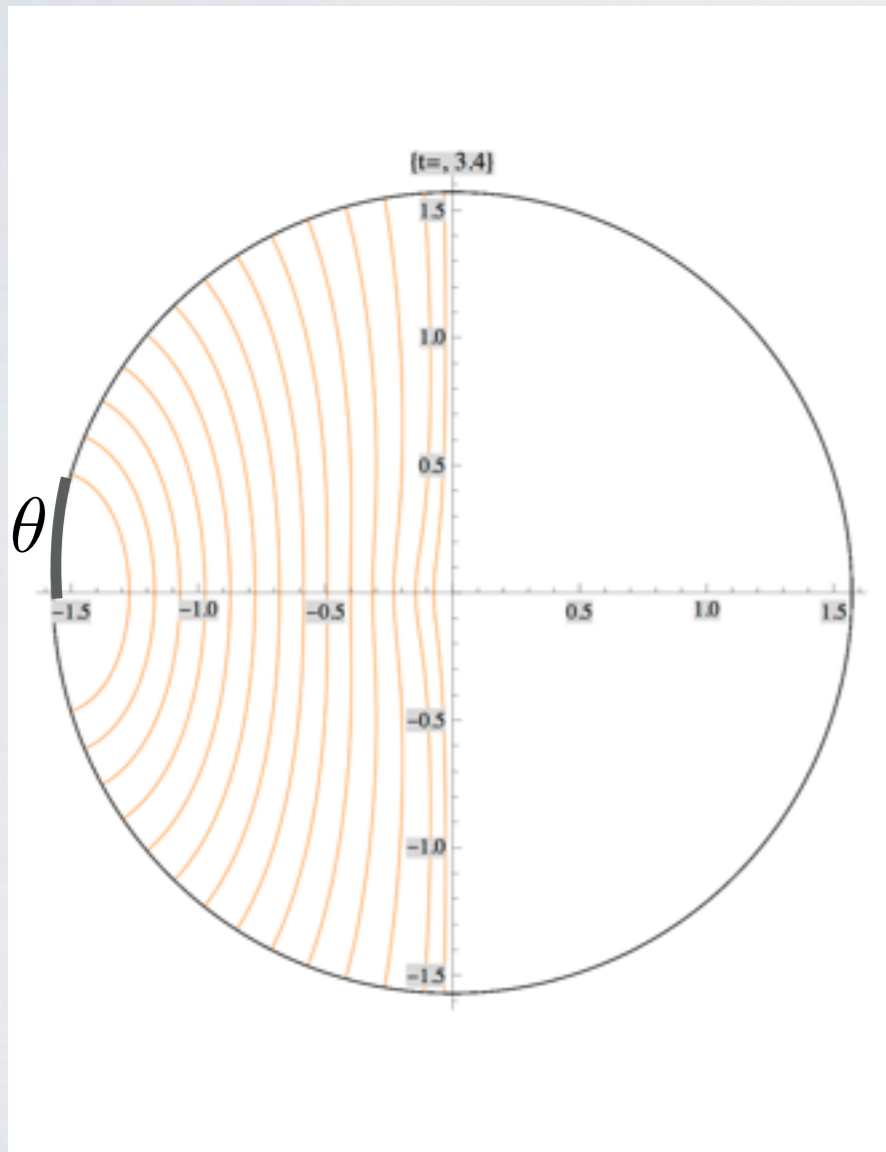


*M. Choptuik 1992*

*P. Bizón & A. Rostworowski 2011*

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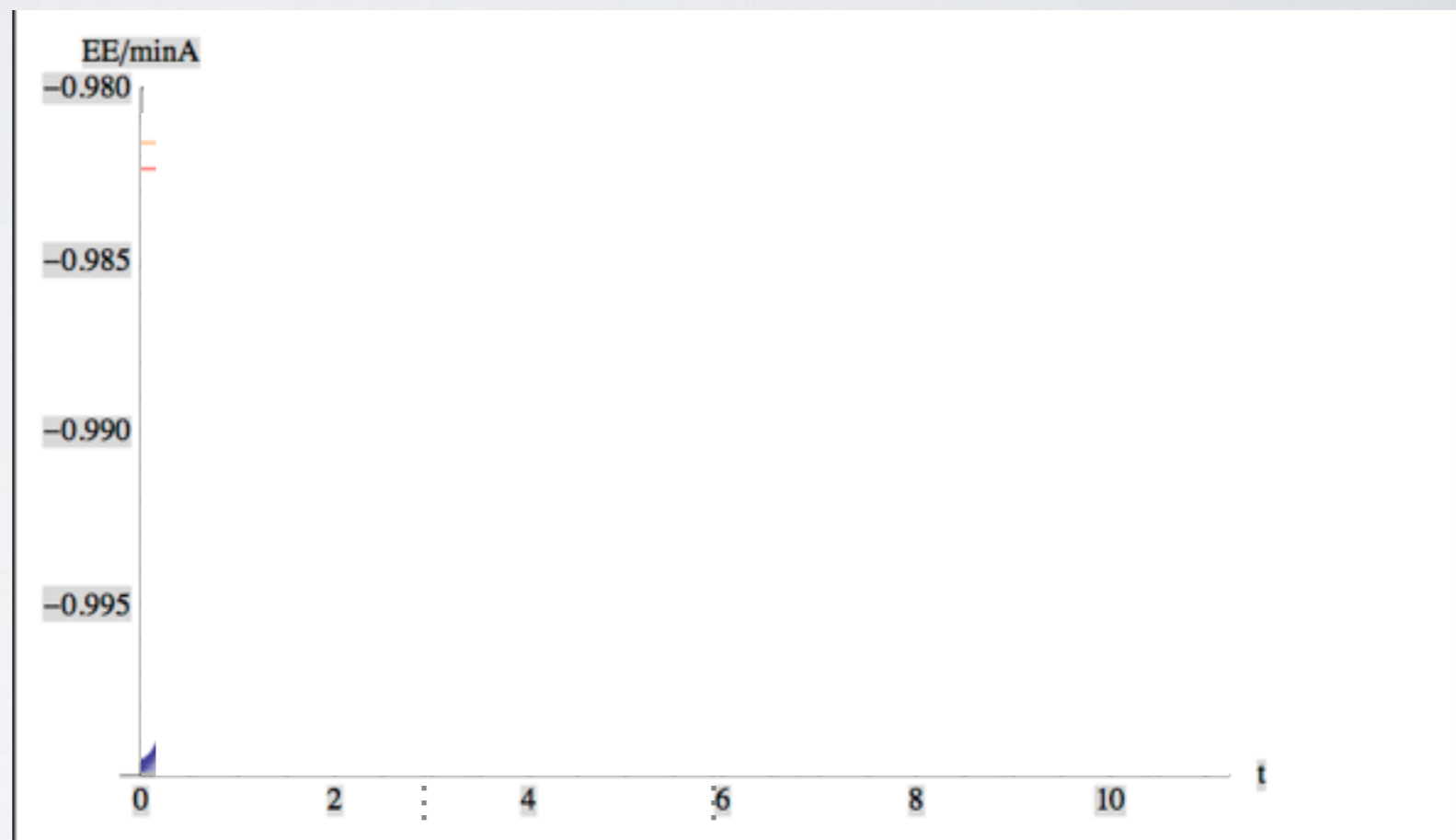
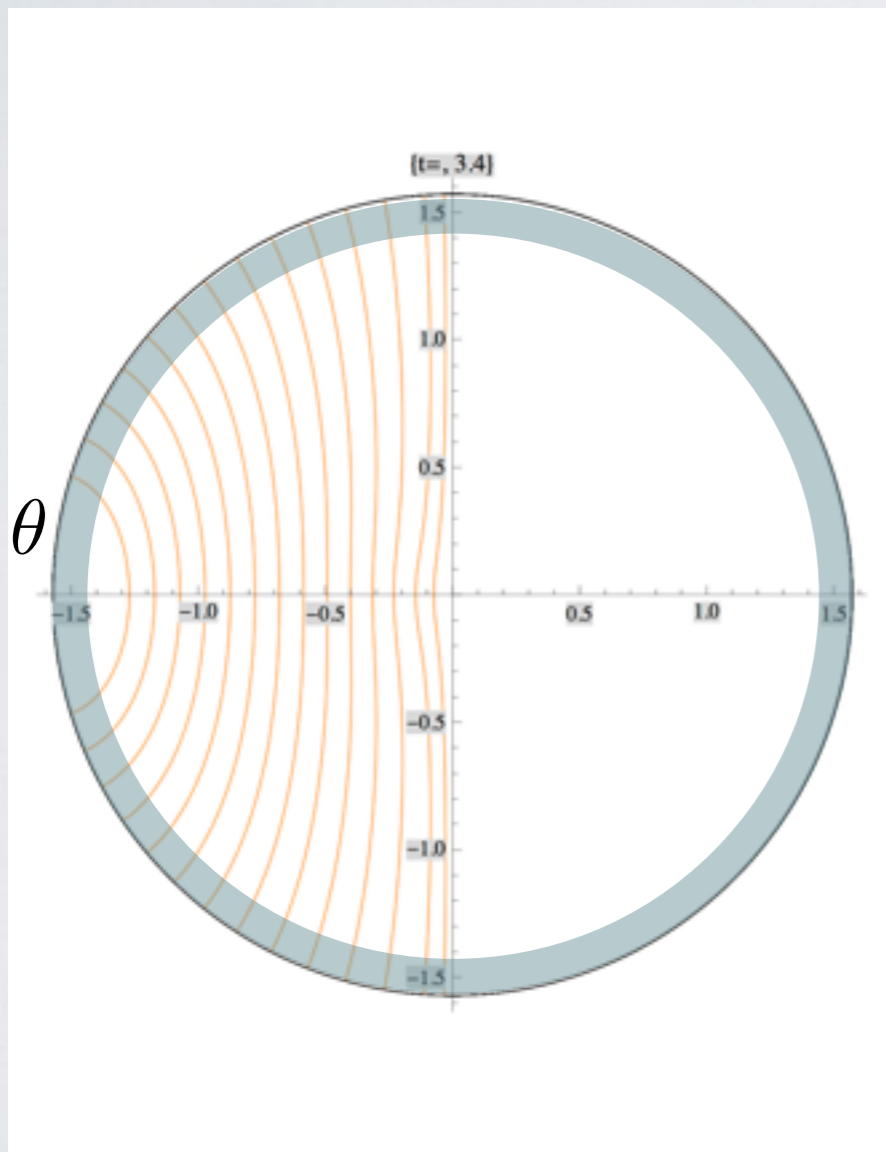
$$\theta = 0.3, 0.4, \dots, 1.4$$



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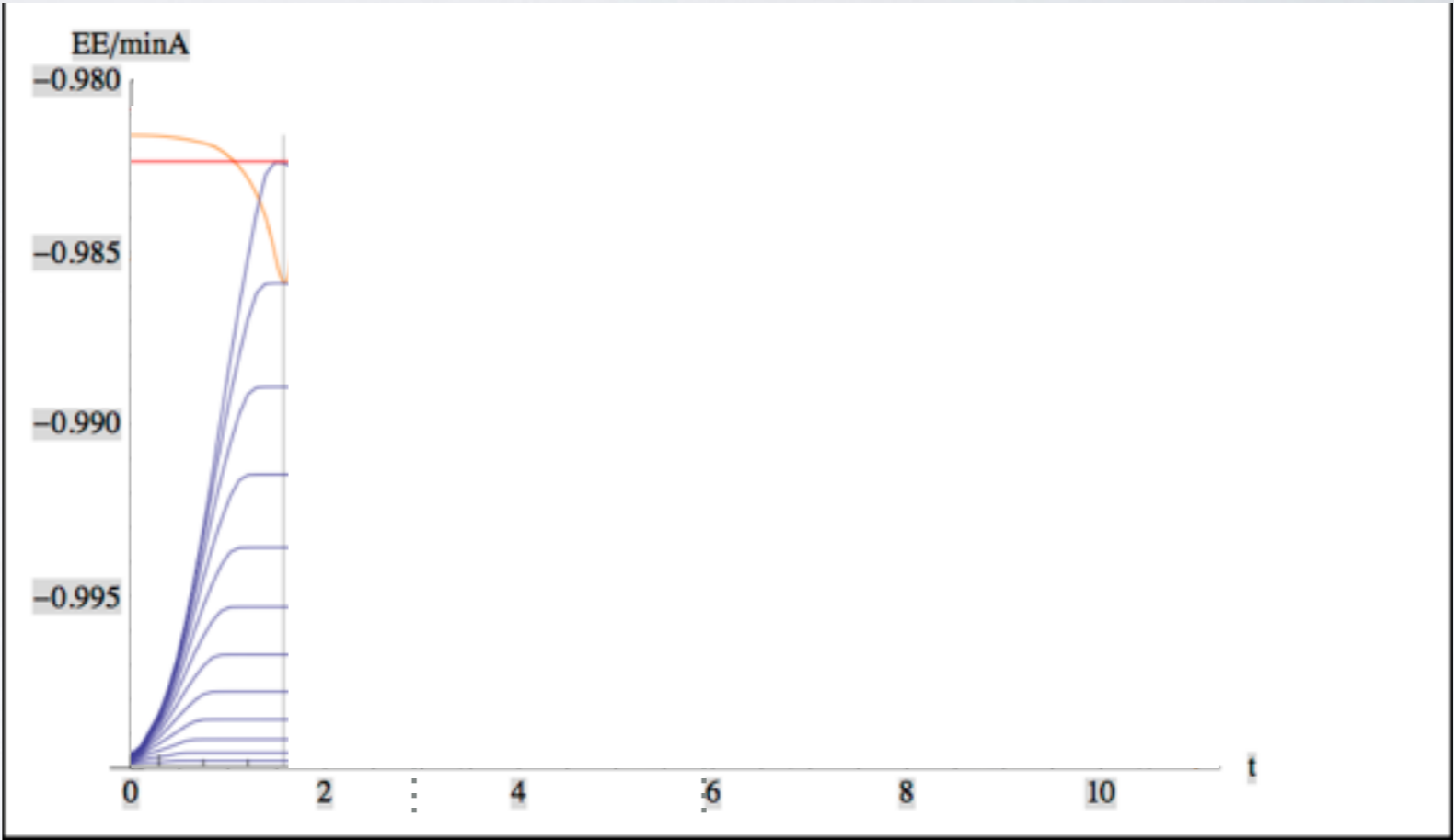
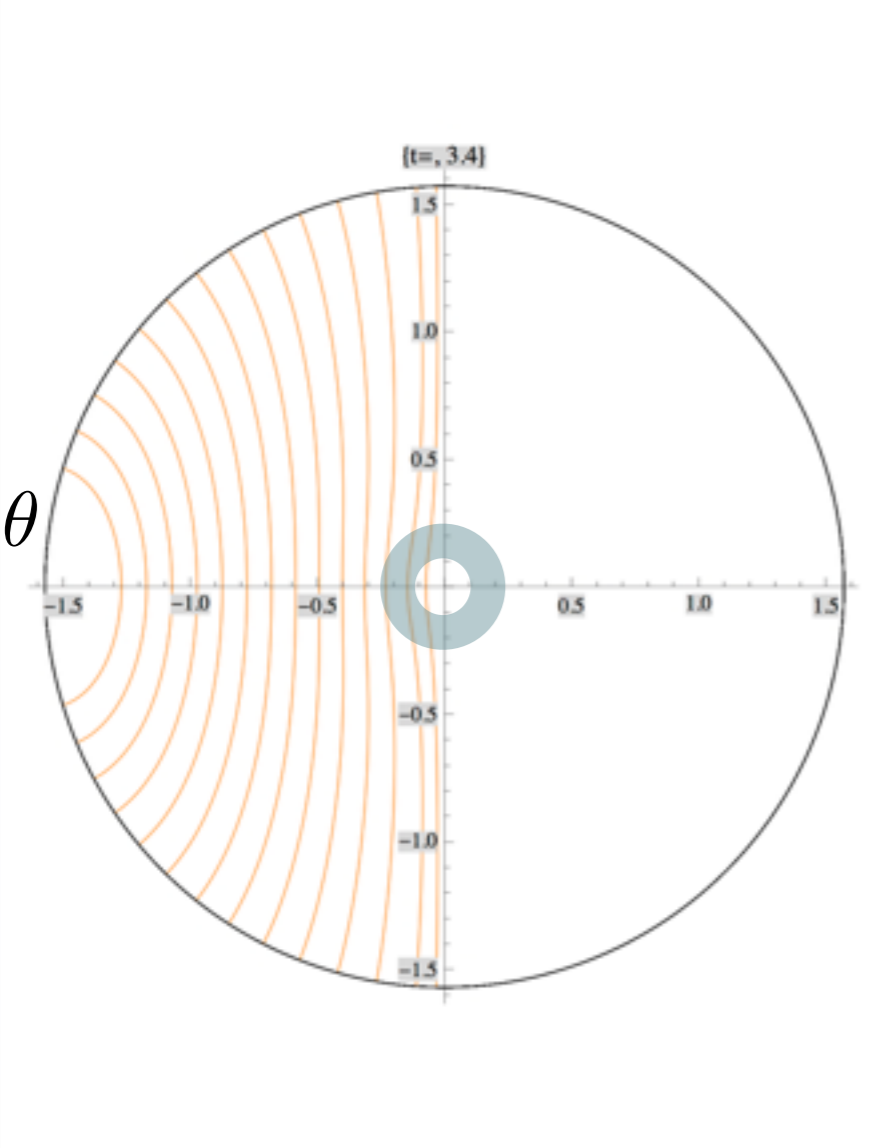




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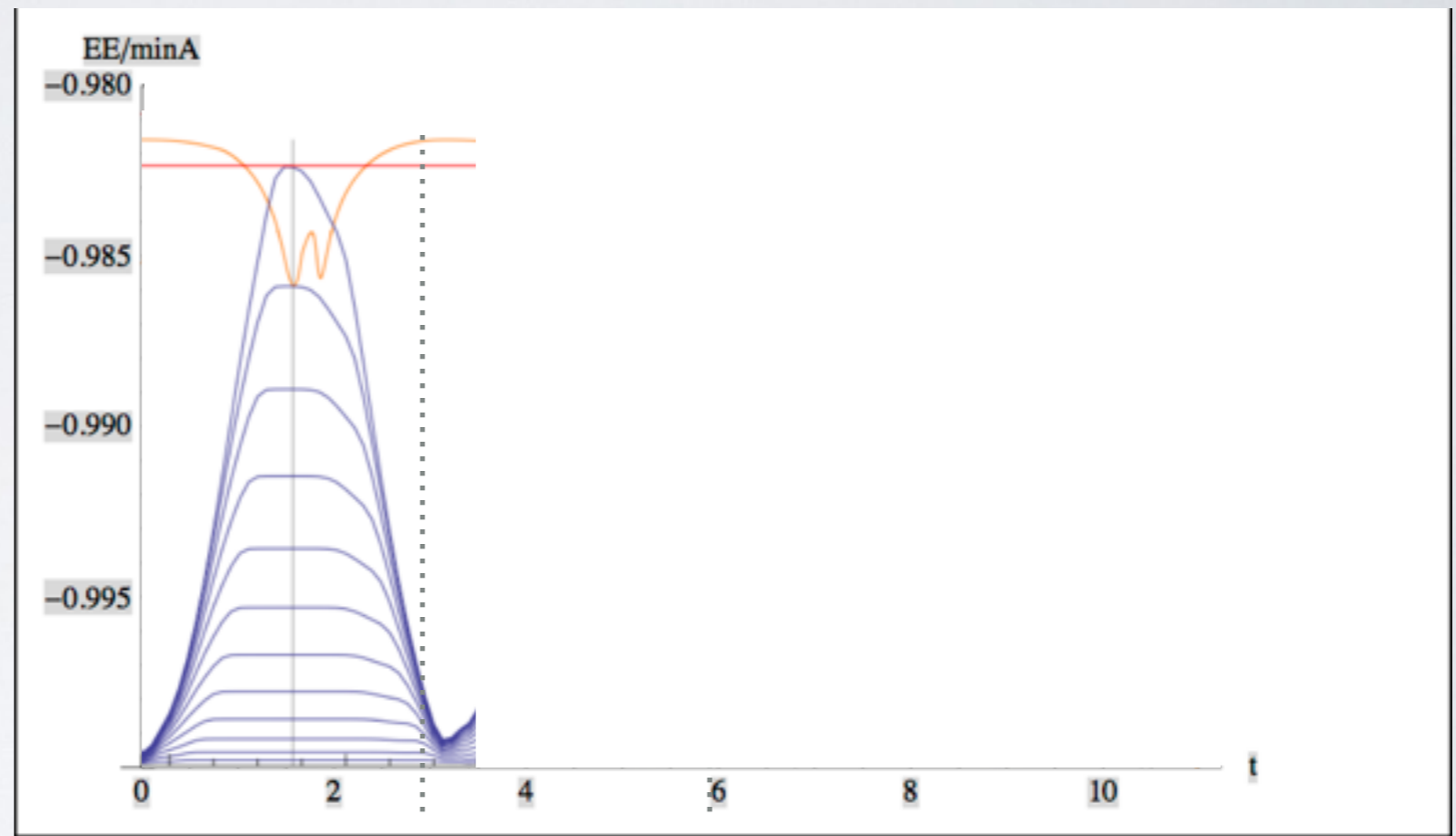
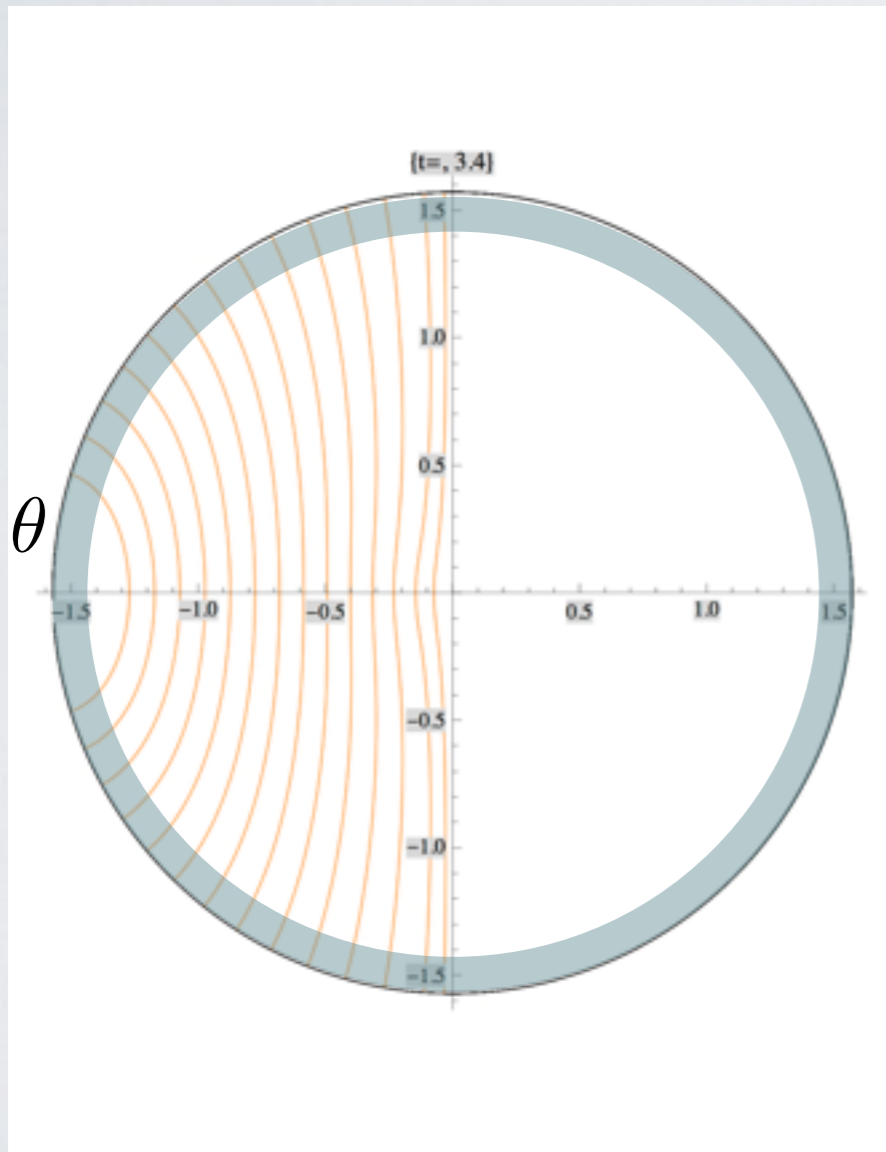
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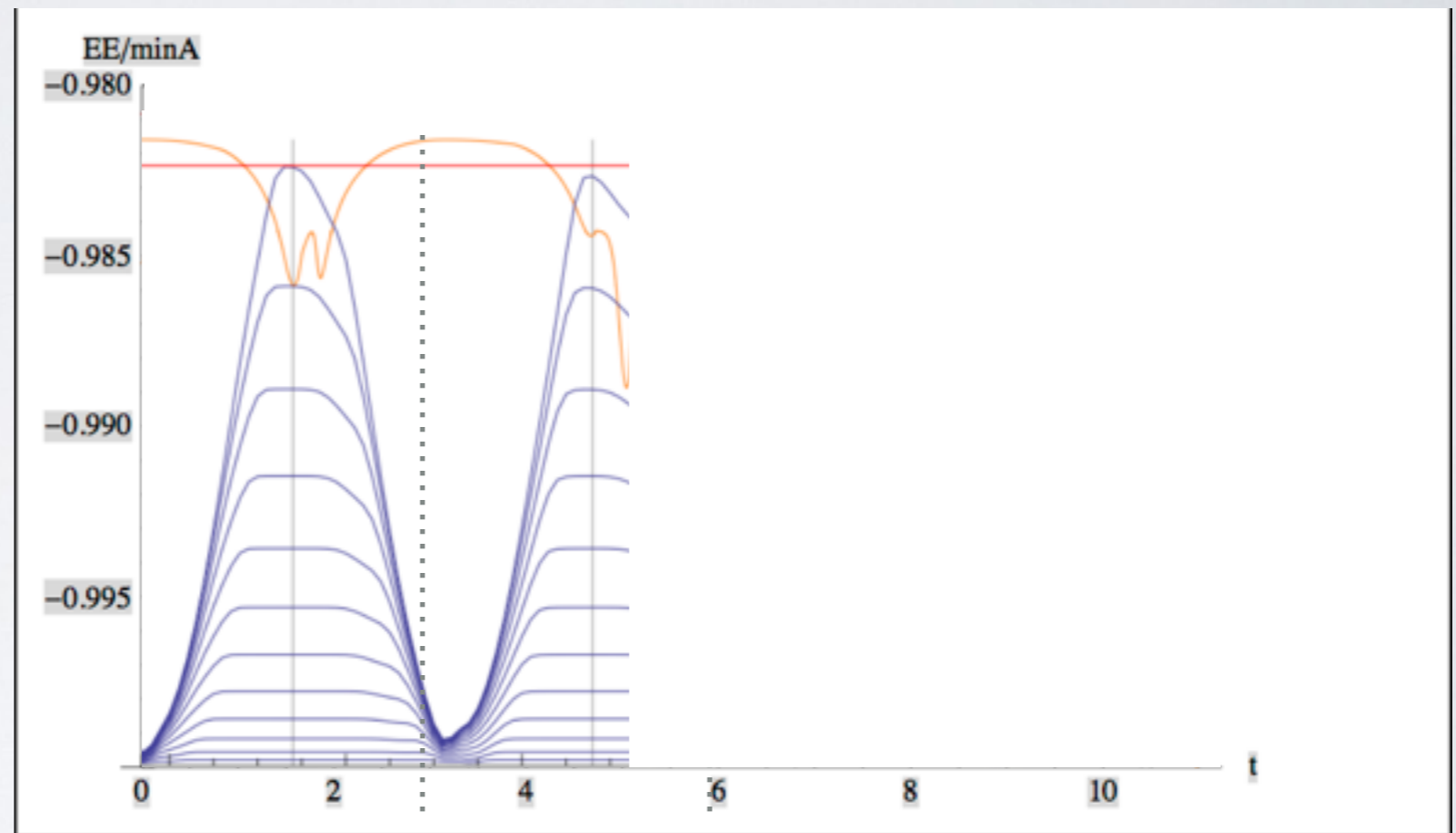
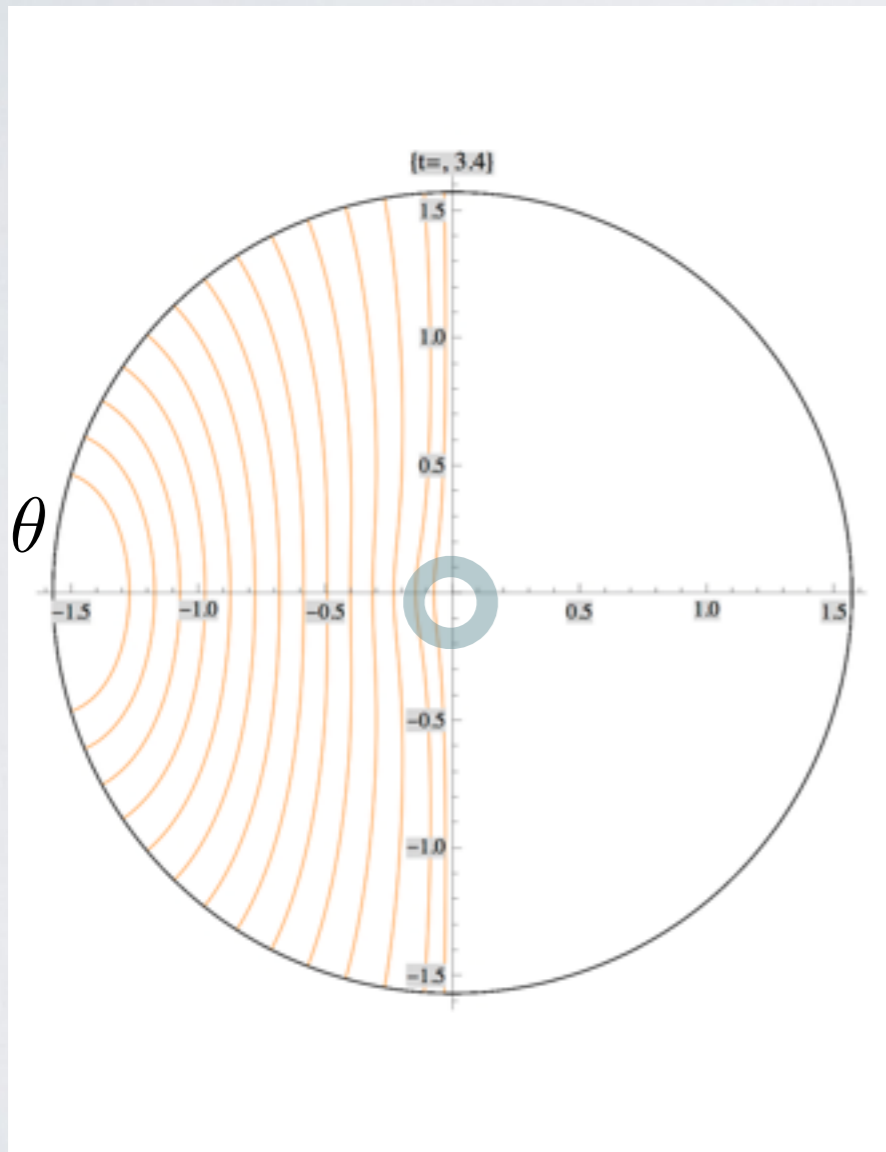
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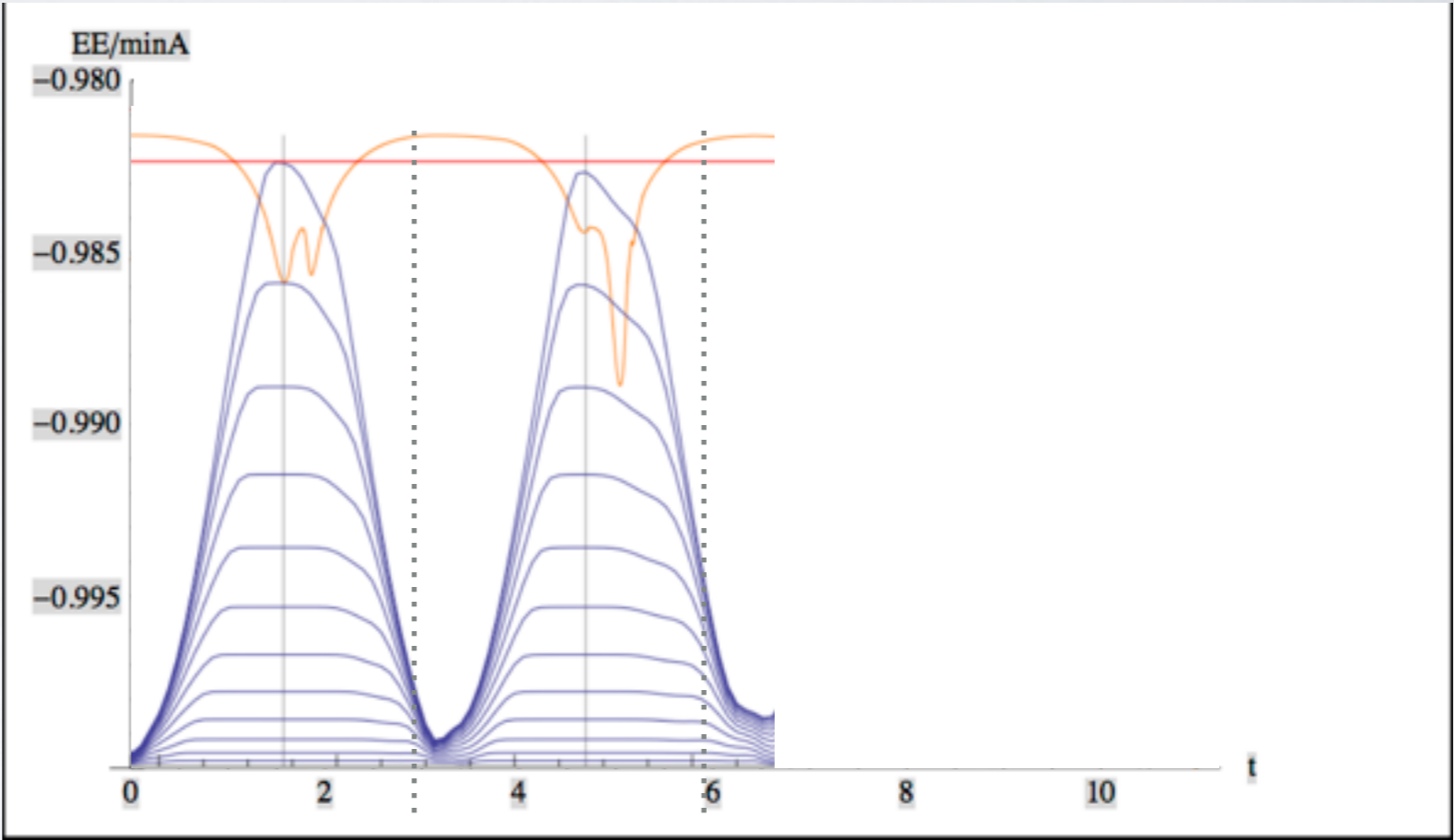
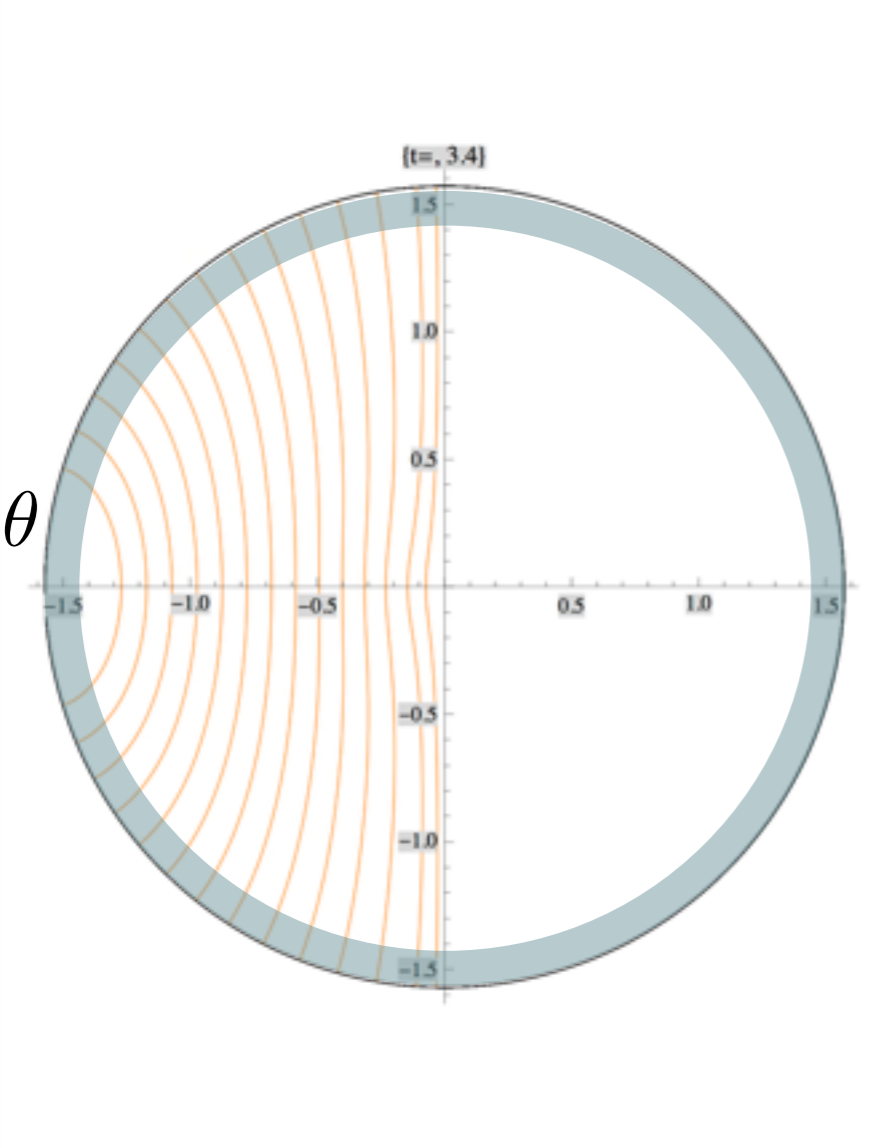
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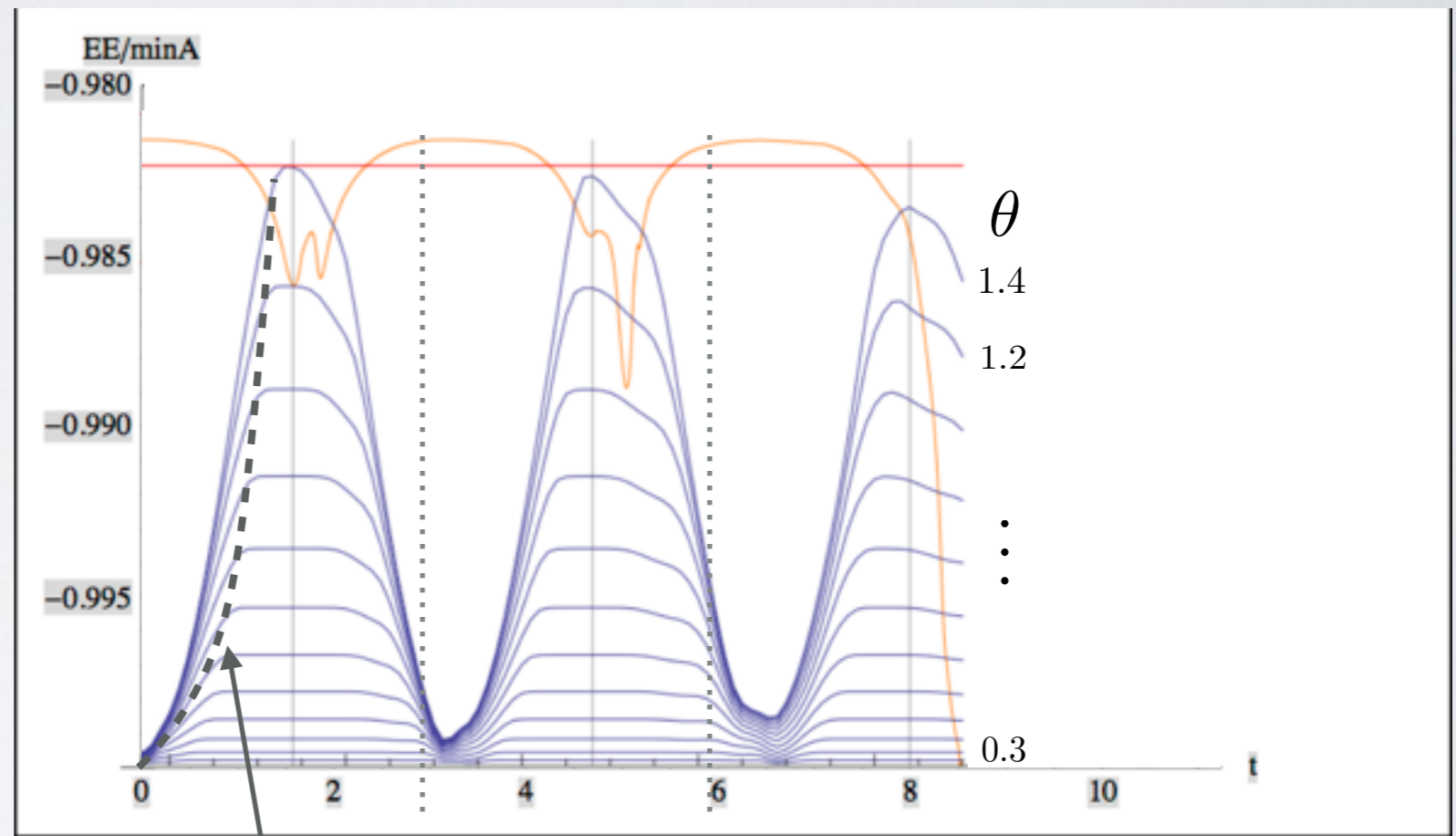
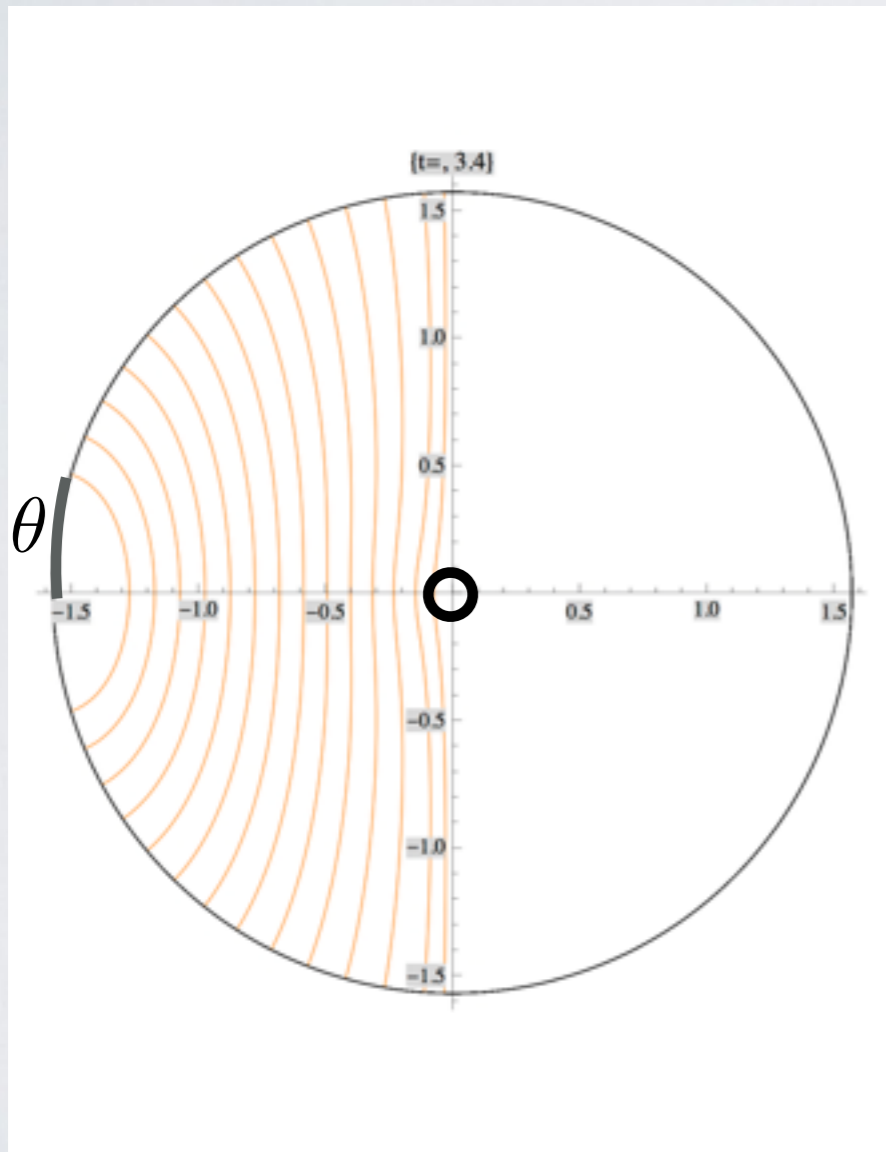
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# AdS<sub>4</sub>: ENTANGLEMENT ENTROPY

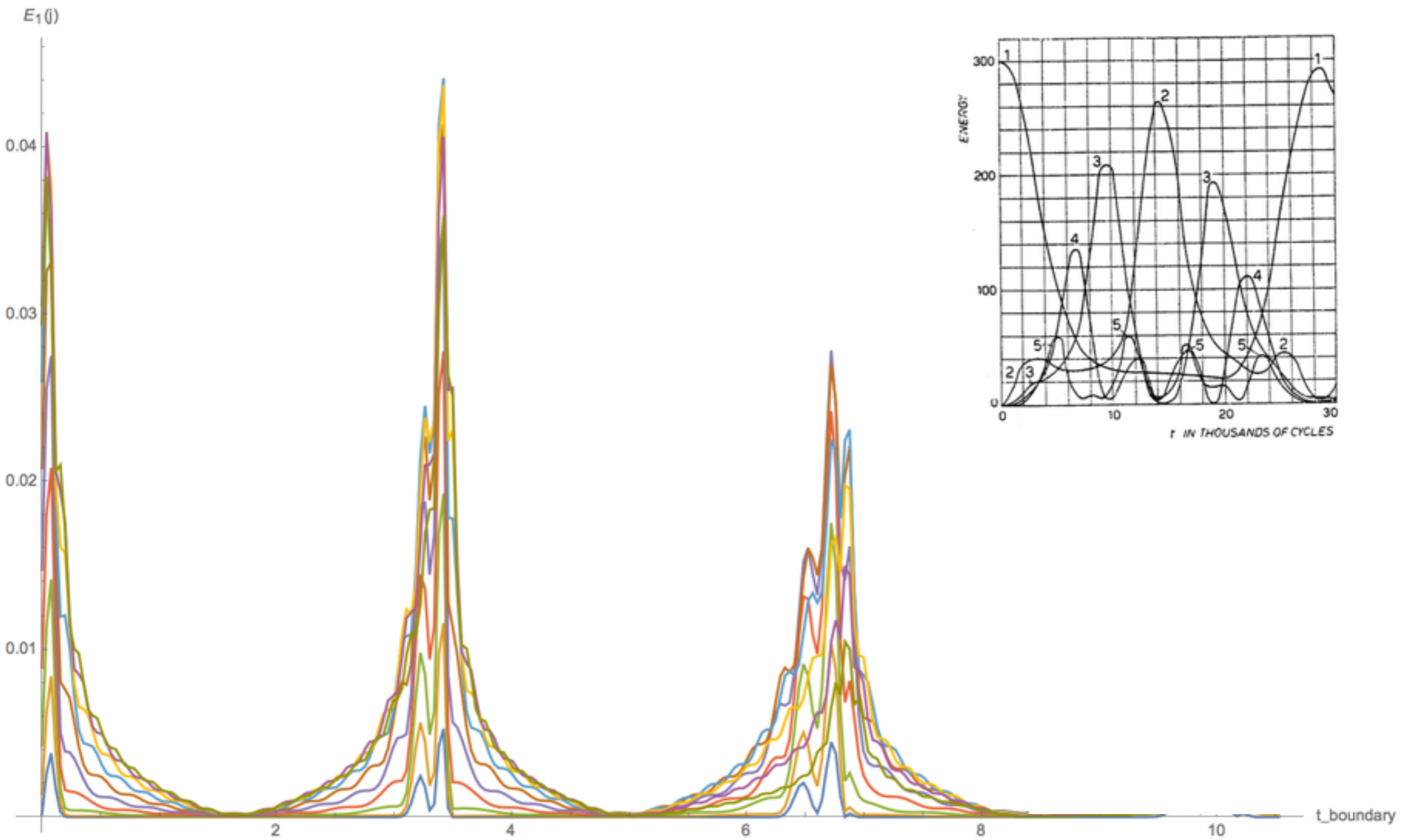
Pre-collapse

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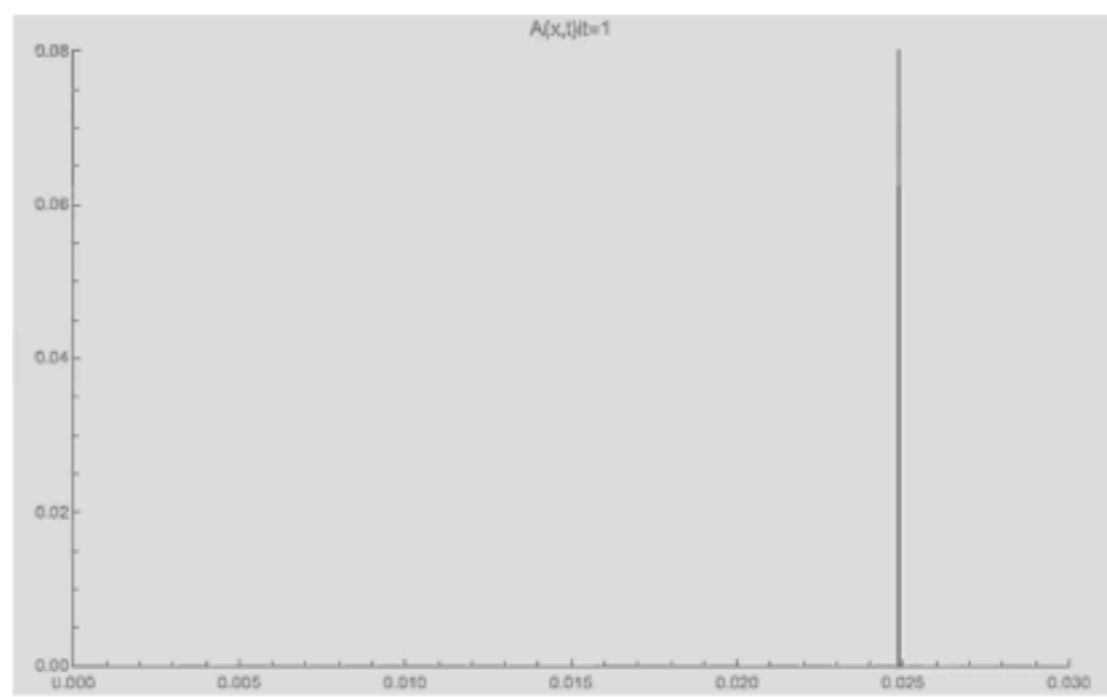
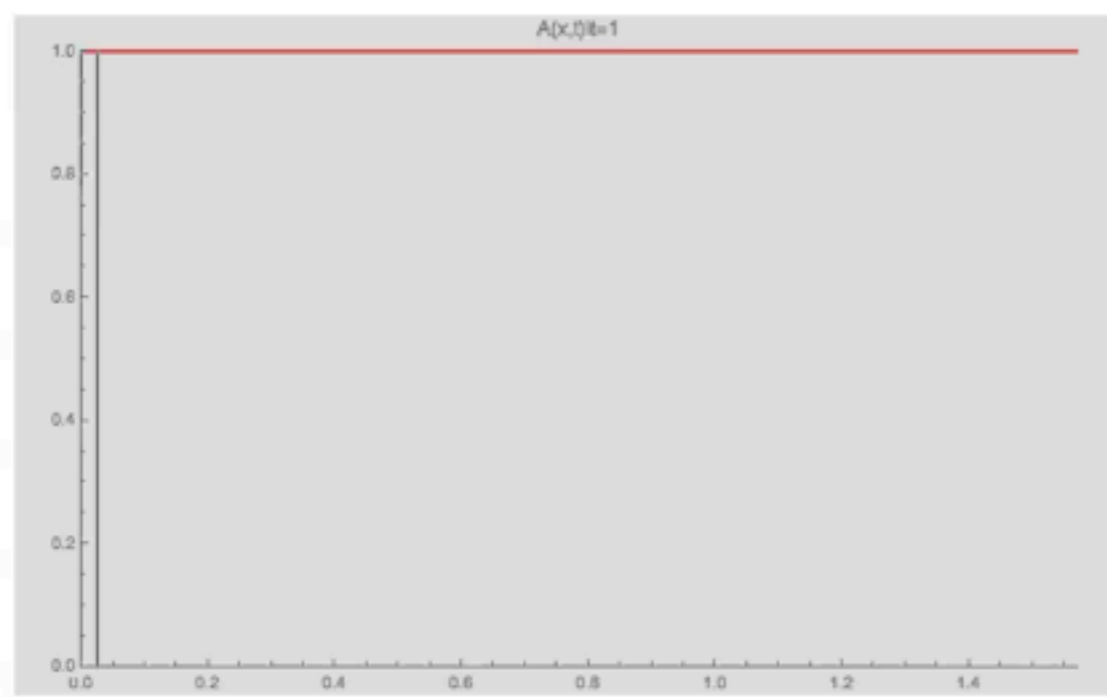
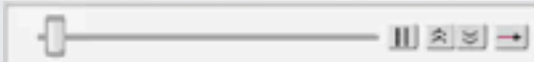
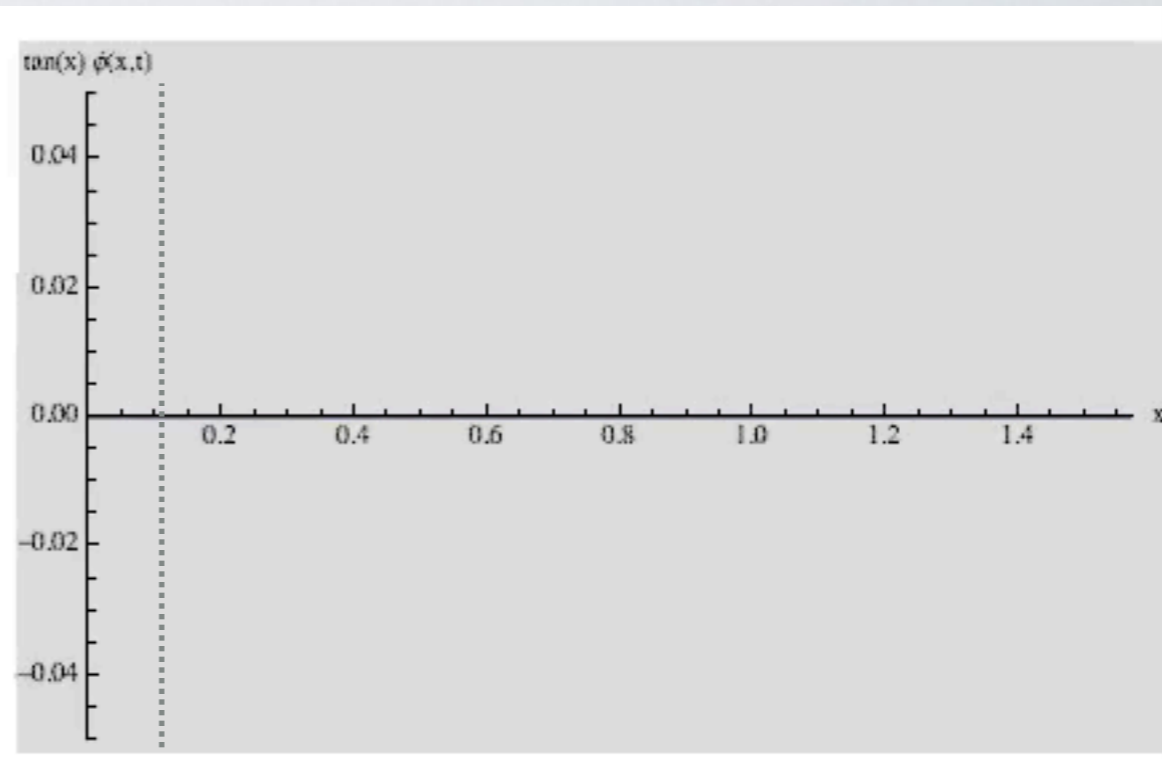
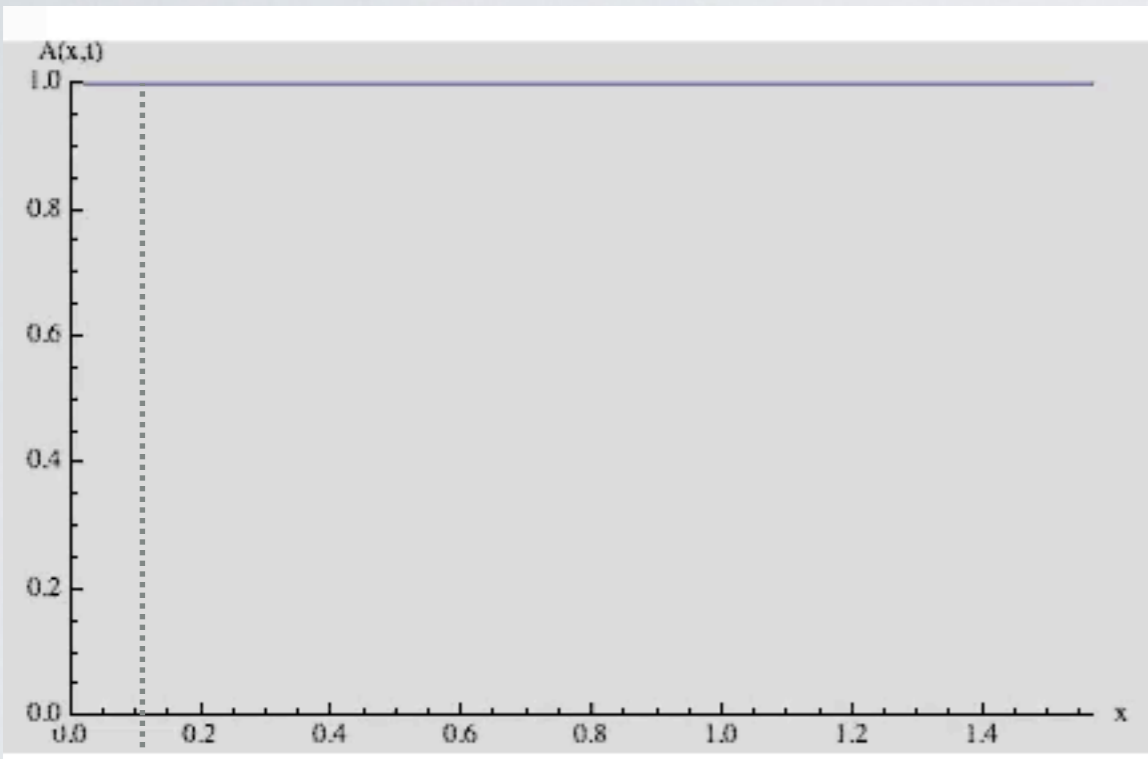


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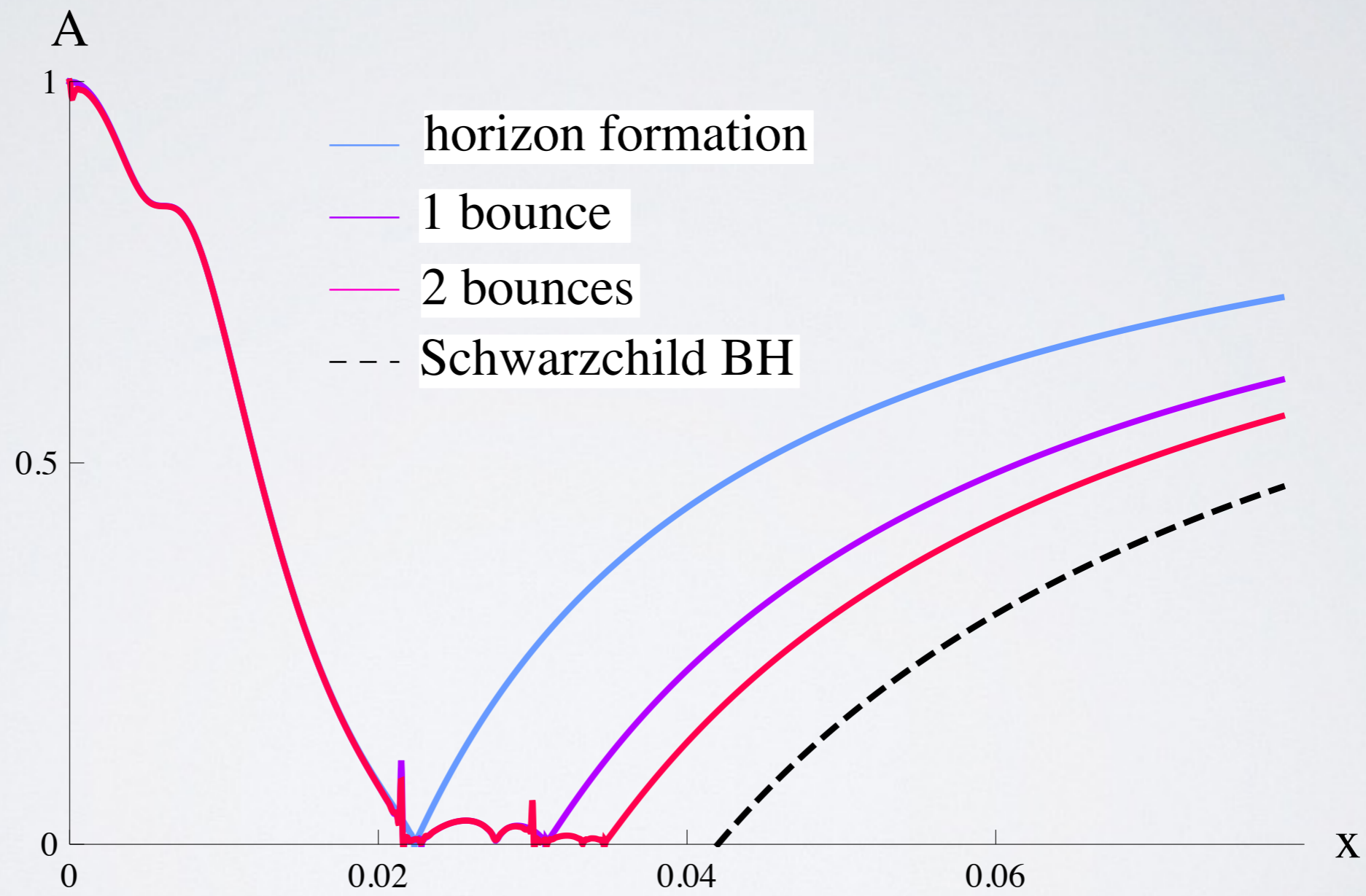
# AdS<sub>4</sub> : SPECTRAL ANALYSIS



# AdS<sub>4</sub> : ABSORTIVE PHASE



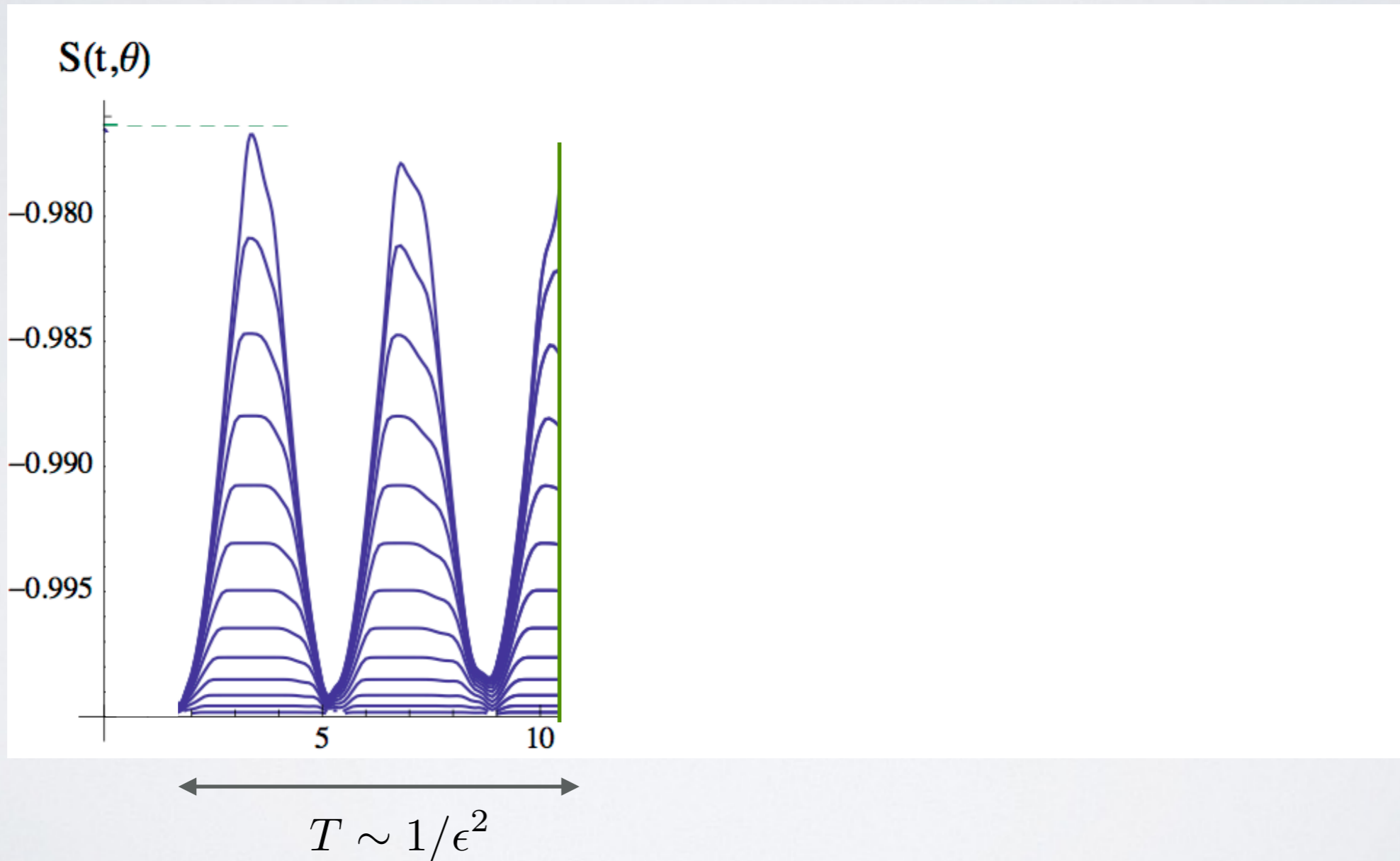
# AdS<sub>4</sub> : ABSORTIVE PHASE





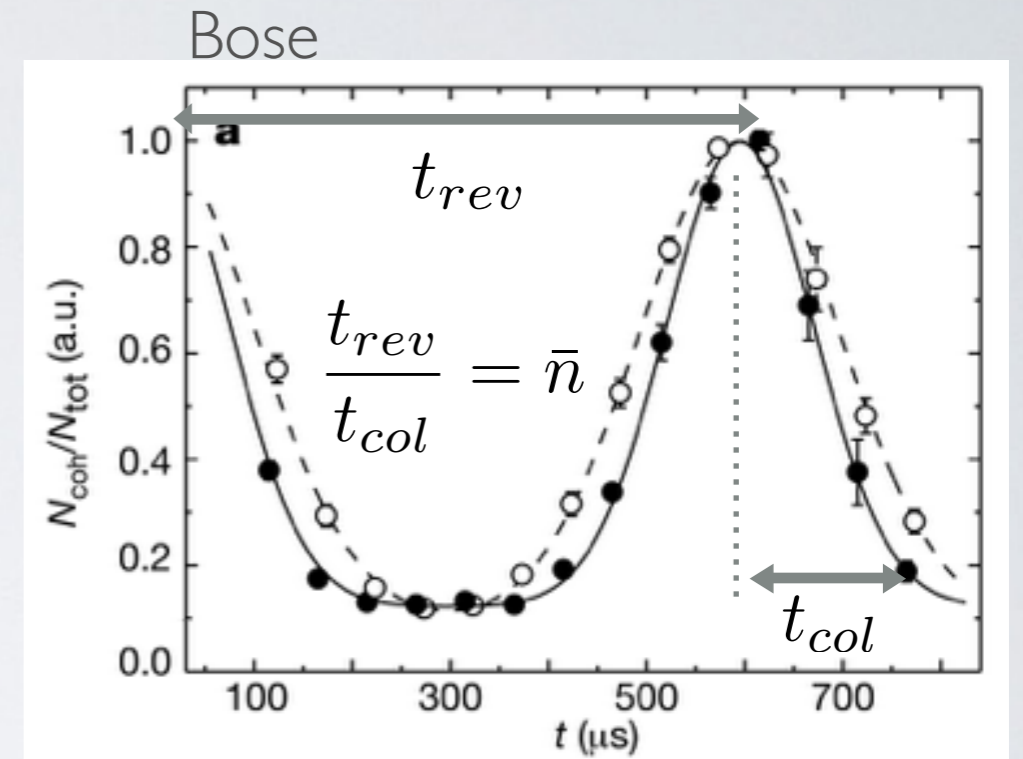
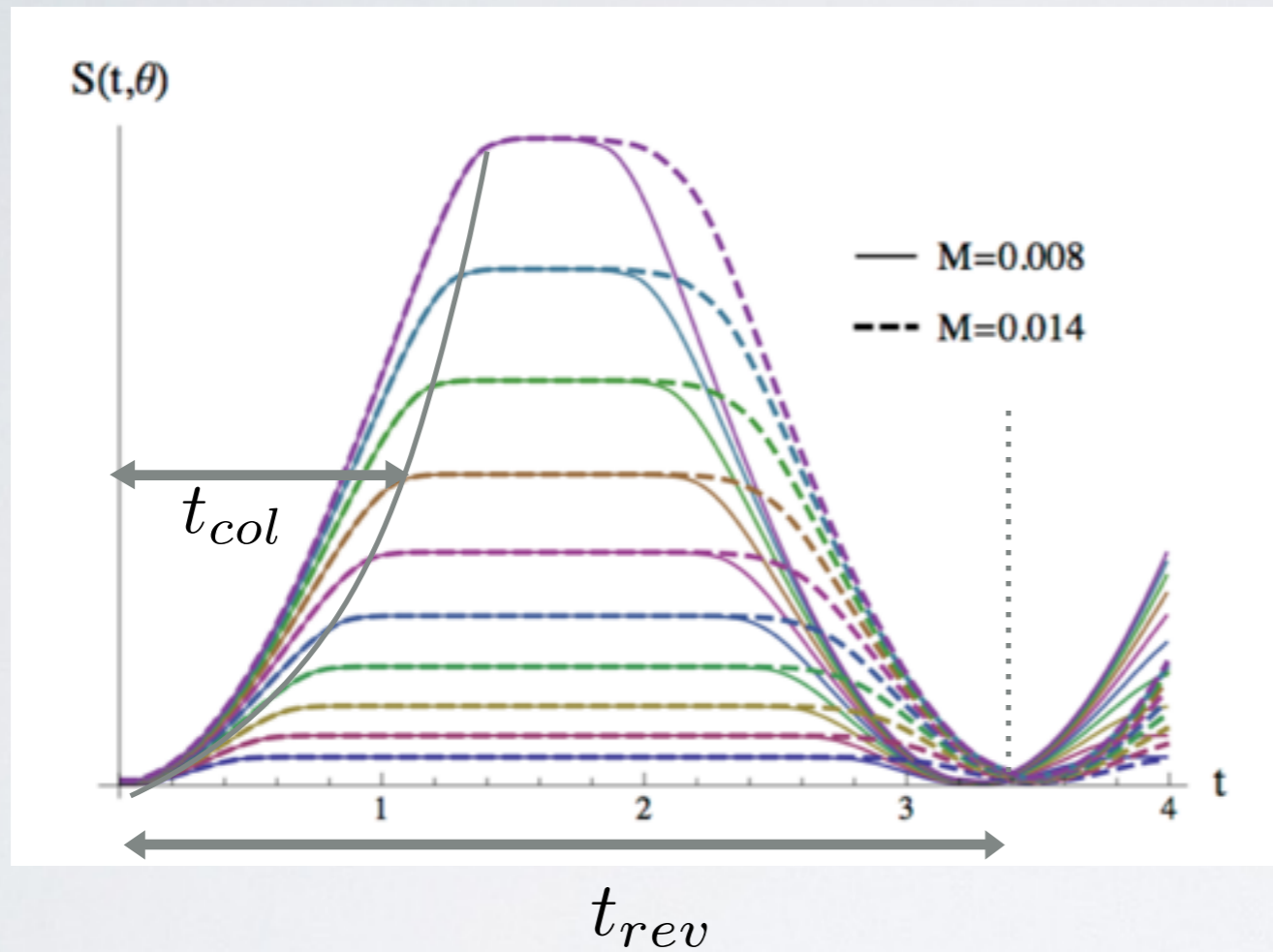
# AdS<sub>4</sub>: ABSORTIVE PHASE

Post-collapse: two regimes, elastic and absorptive



# AdS<sub>4</sub>: CHANGE INITIAL CONDITIONS $\epsilon$

Bouncing phase: period changes with mass: two time scales



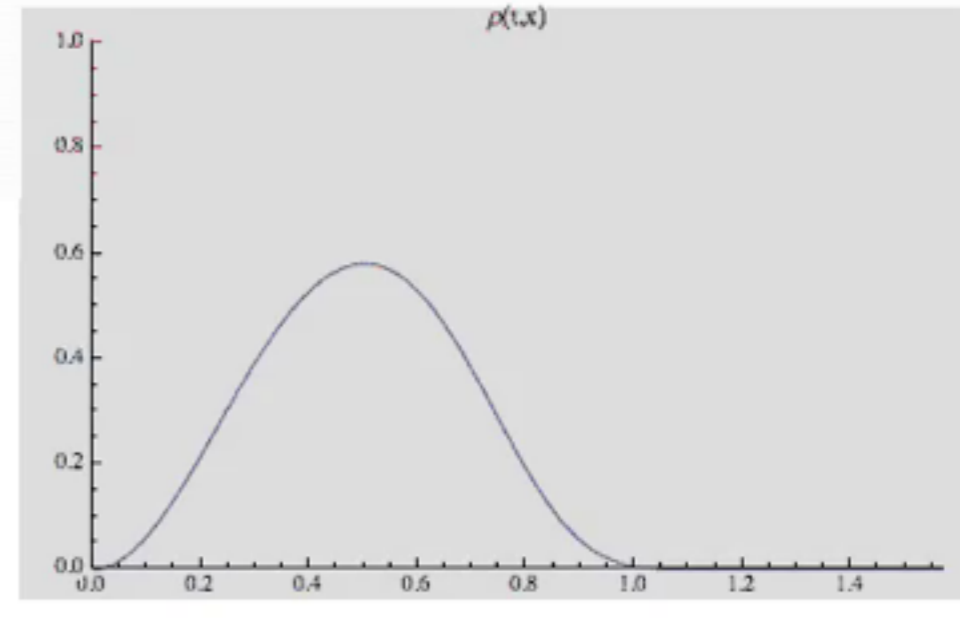
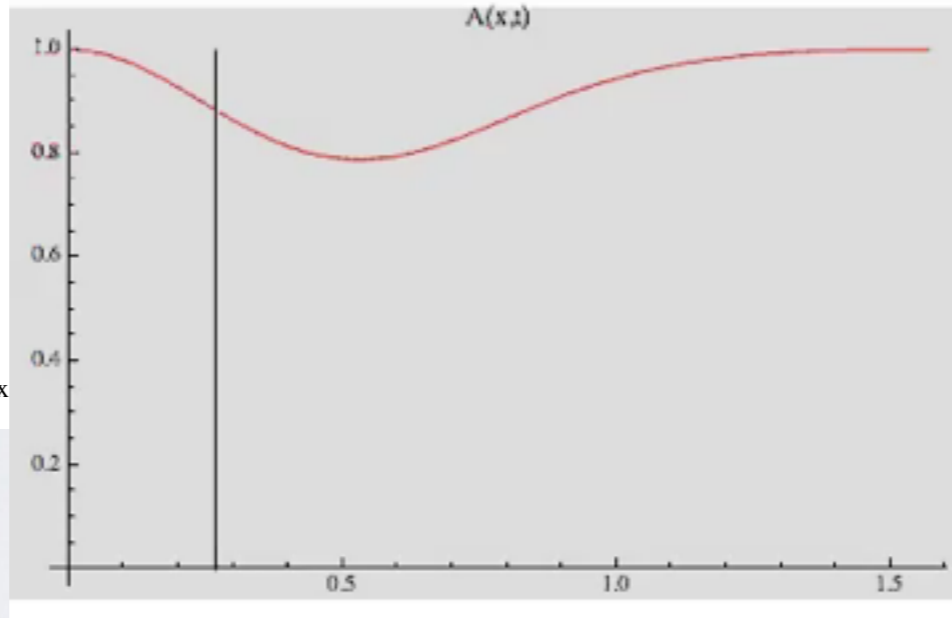
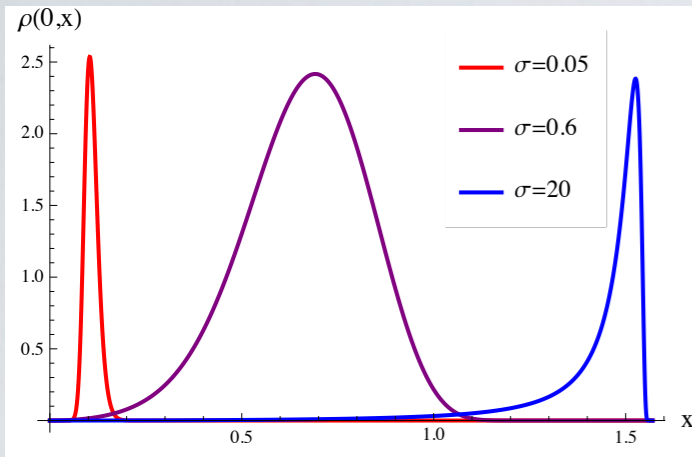
collapse time:  $t_{col} = \theta$

revival time:  $t_{rev} = f(M)$

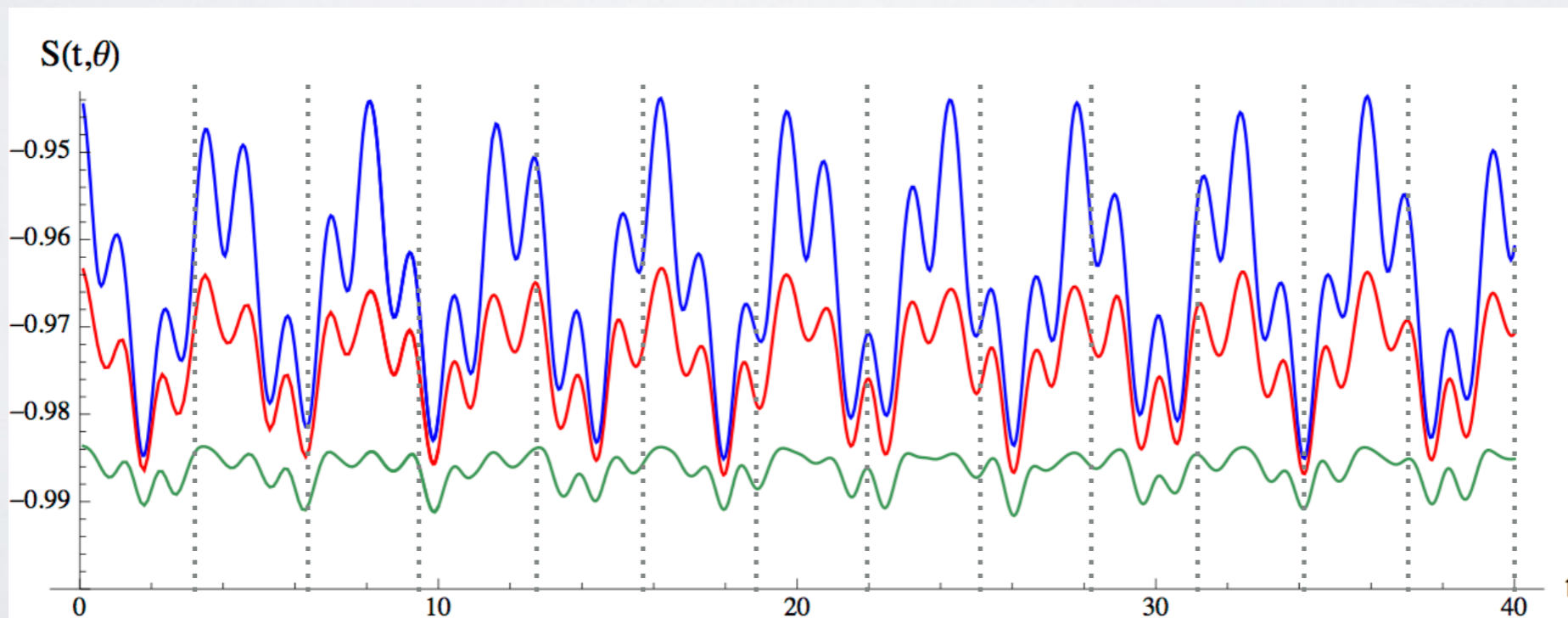
# AdS<sub>4</sub>: CHANGE INITIAL CONDITIONS $\sigma$

- **no collapse** occurs for  $0.3 \leq \sigma \leq 16$

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- new  $\pi/3$  period appears



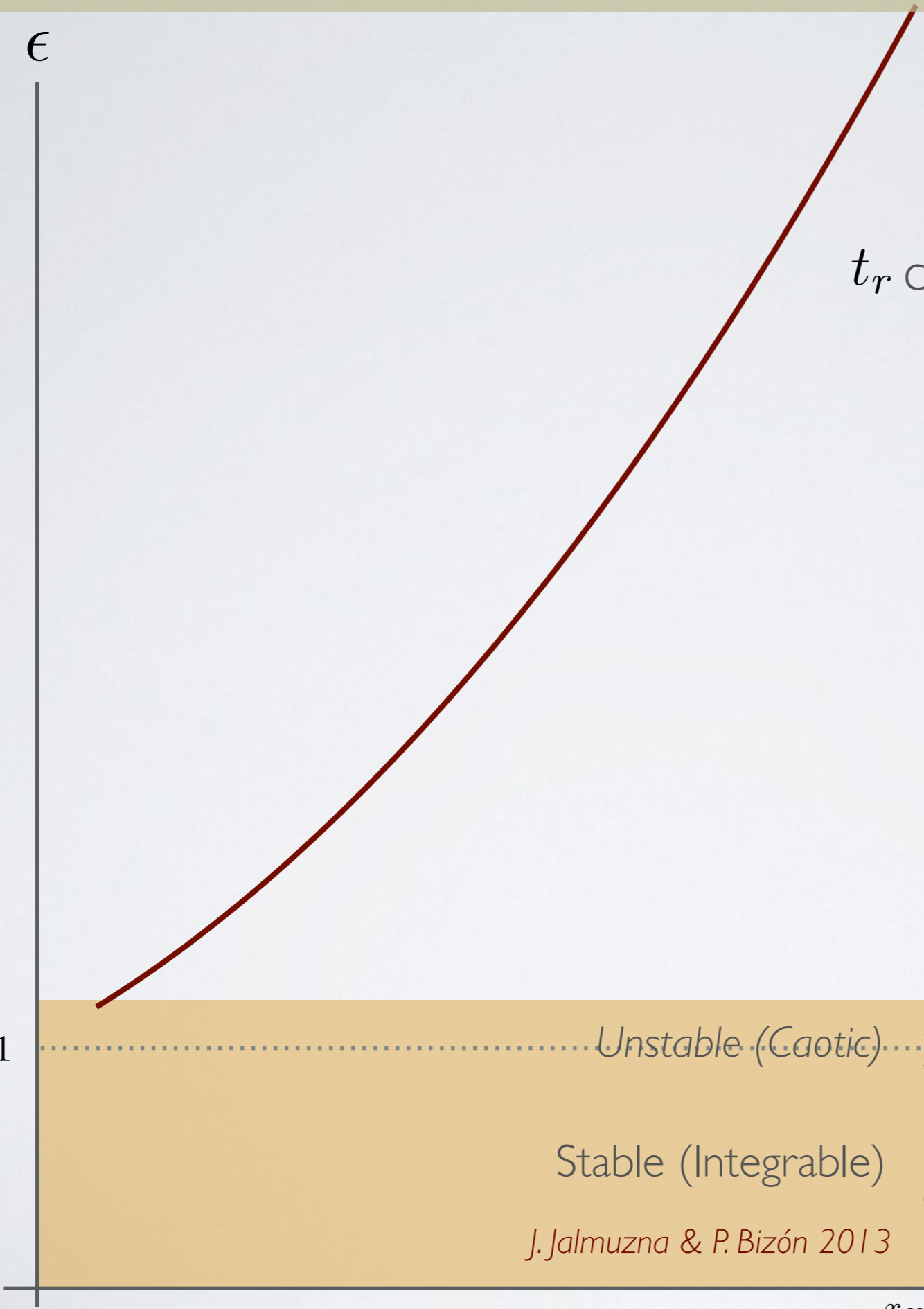
# AdS<sub>3</sub> ~ I+I CFT

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{4} \quad \epsilon$$

Collapse

$M = 1$

Bounce

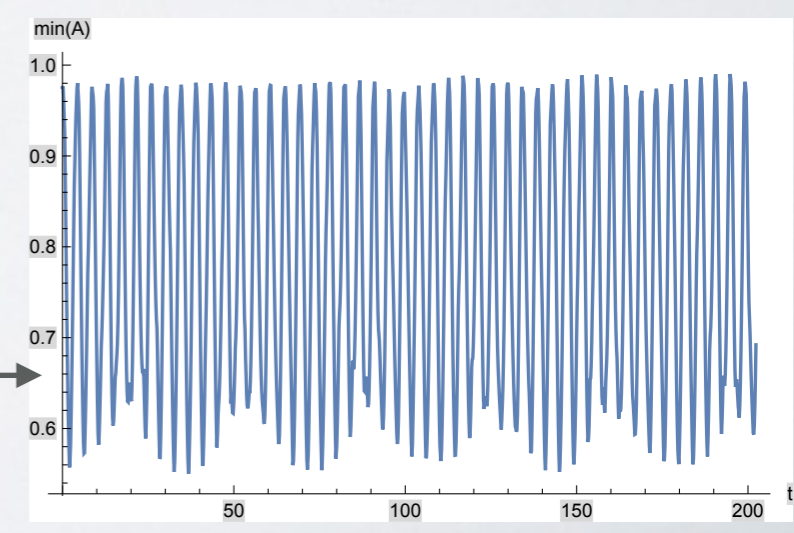
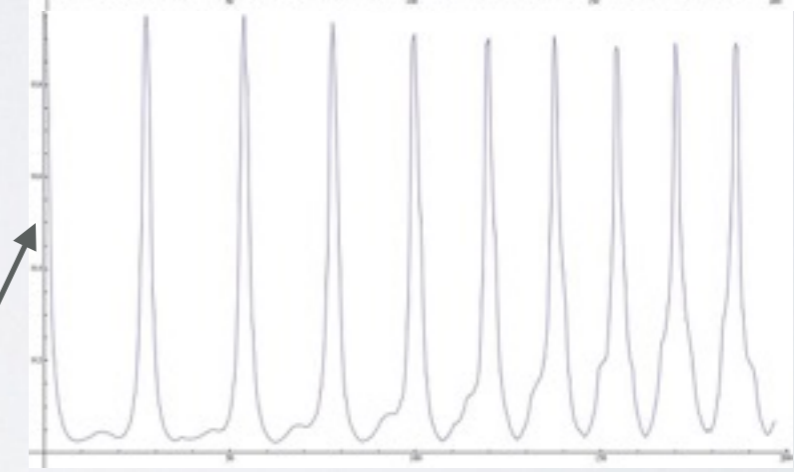
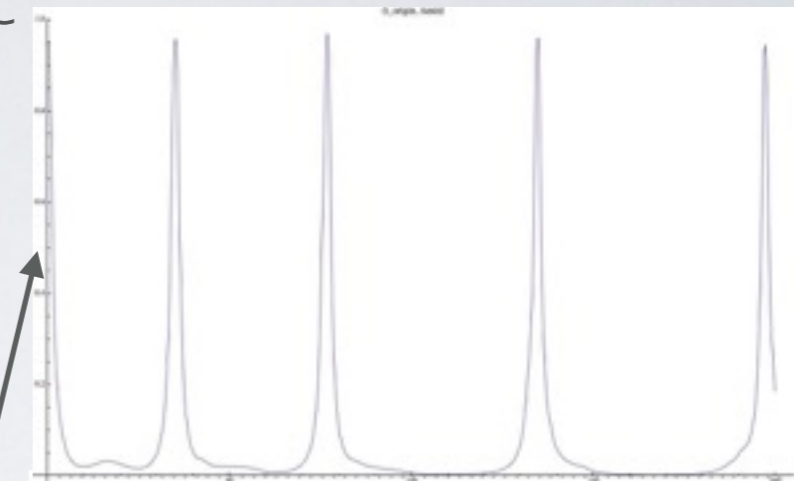
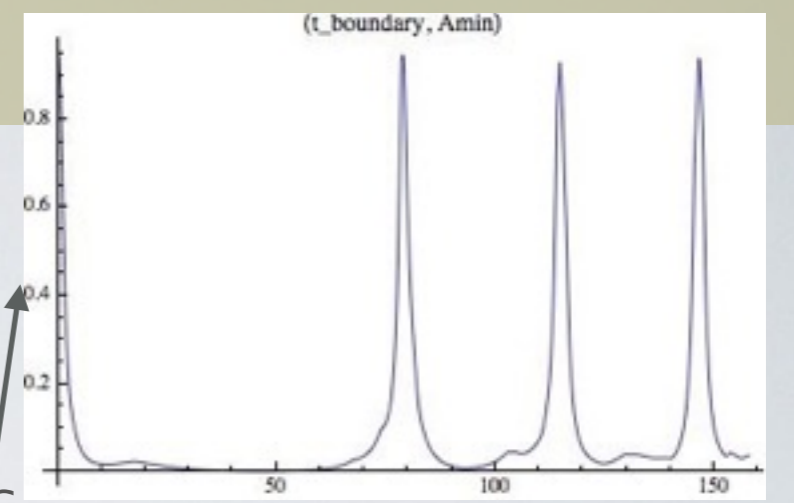


Unstable (Chaotic)

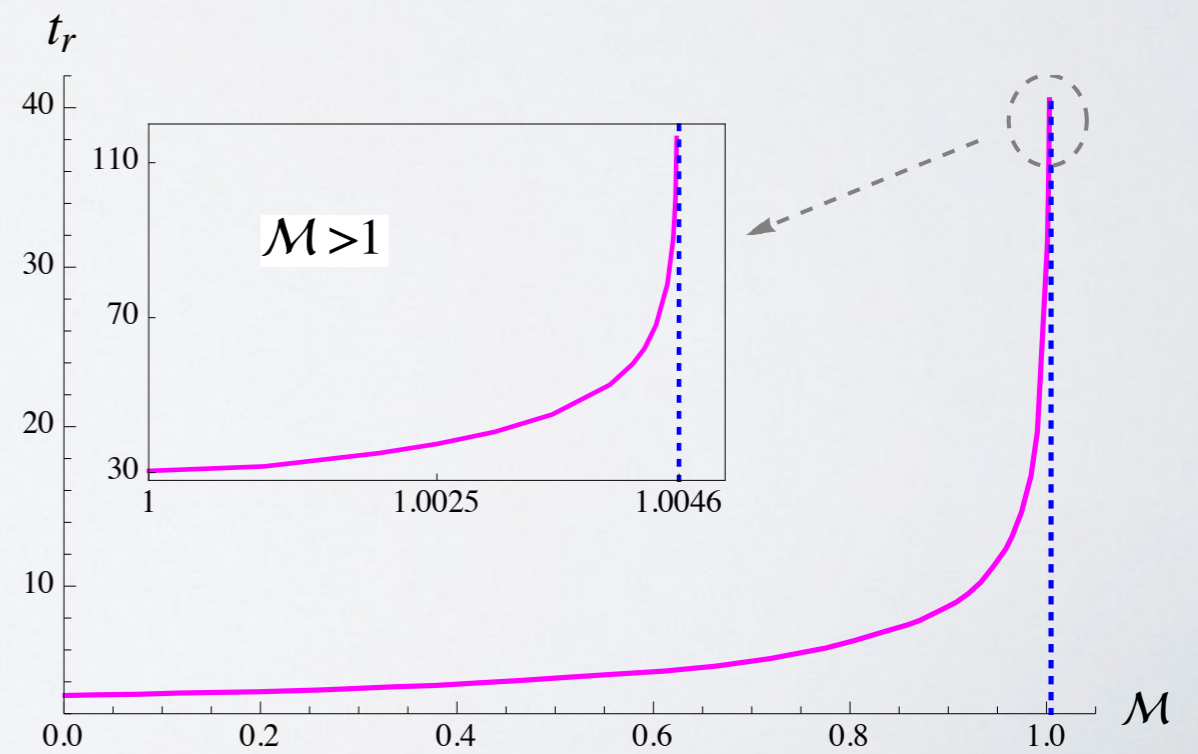
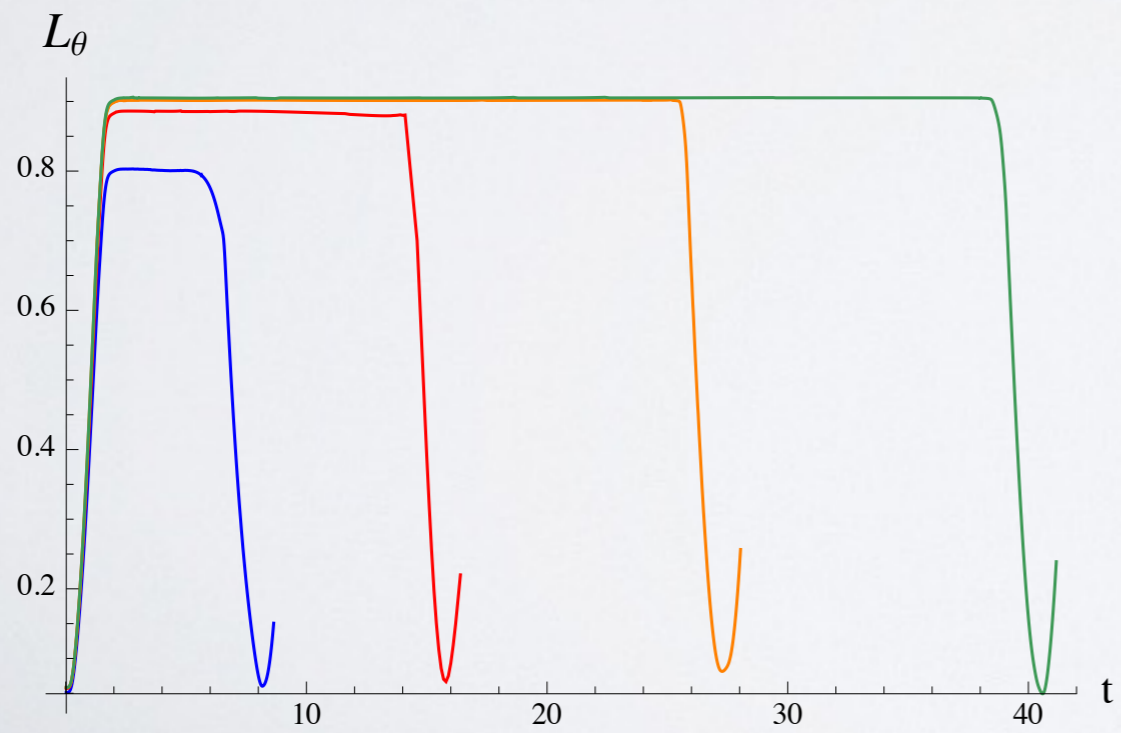
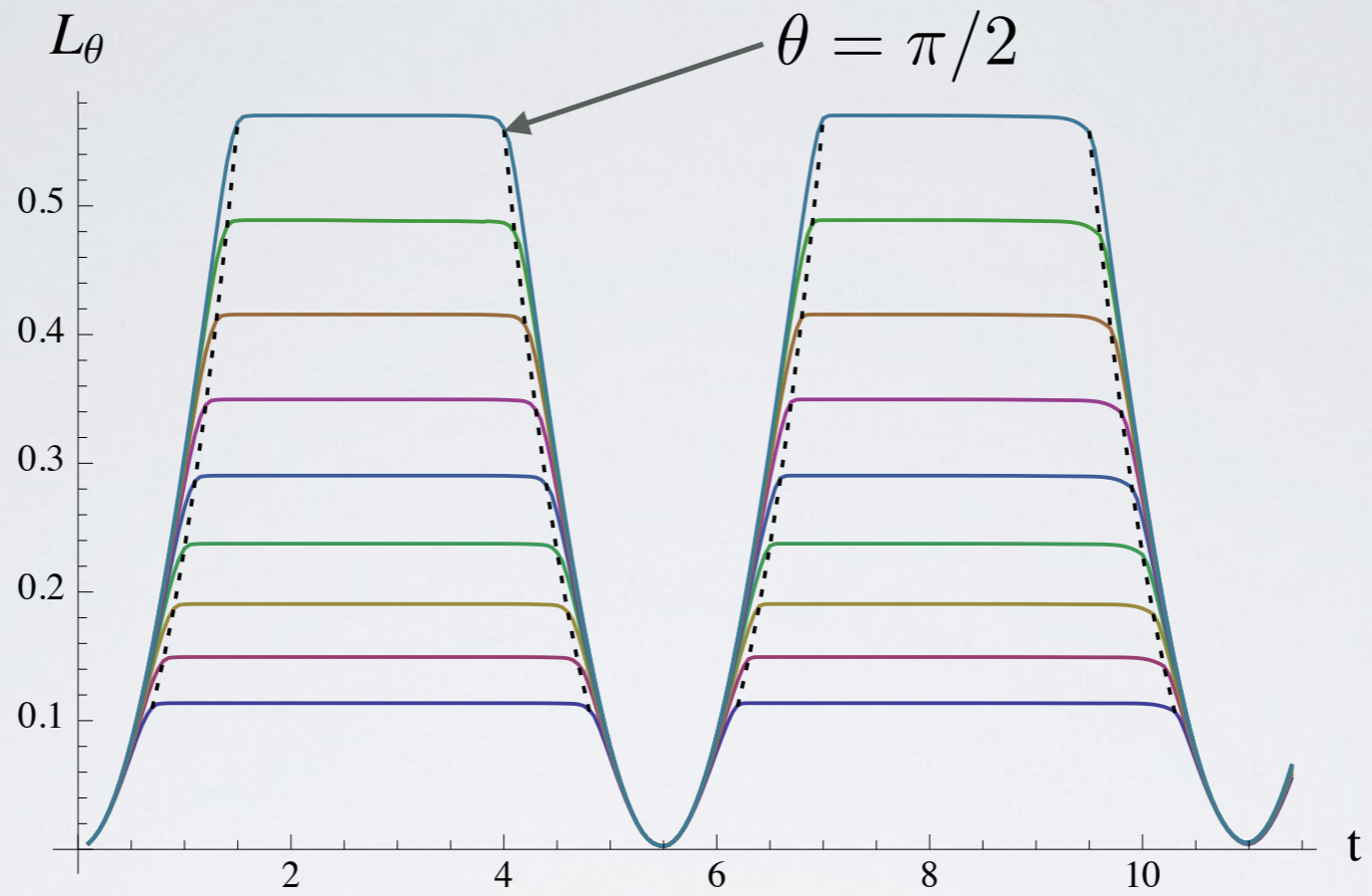
Stable (Integrable)

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$t_r$  chaotic



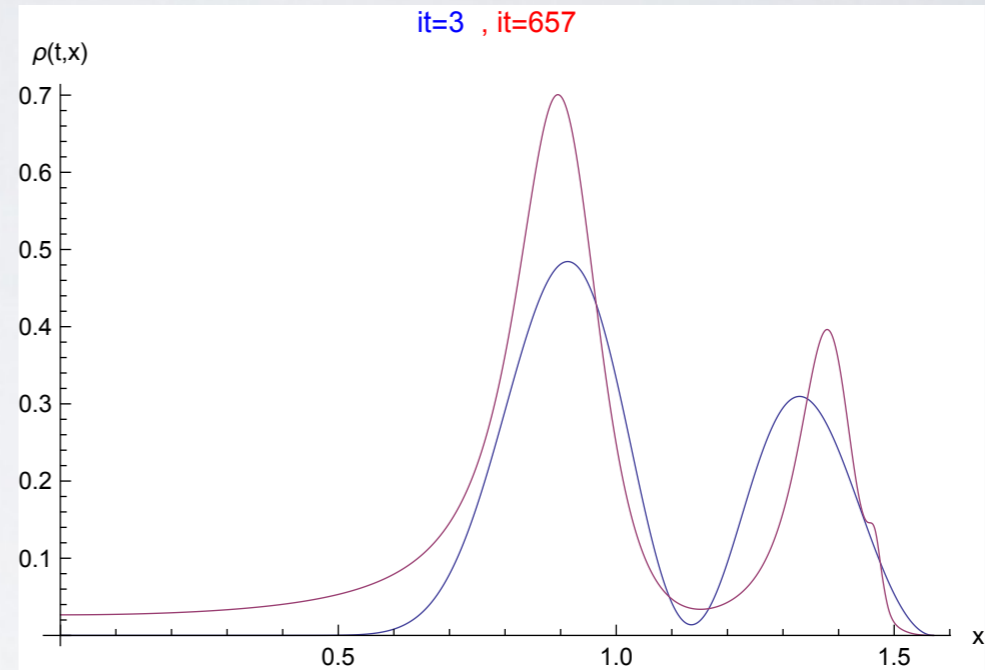
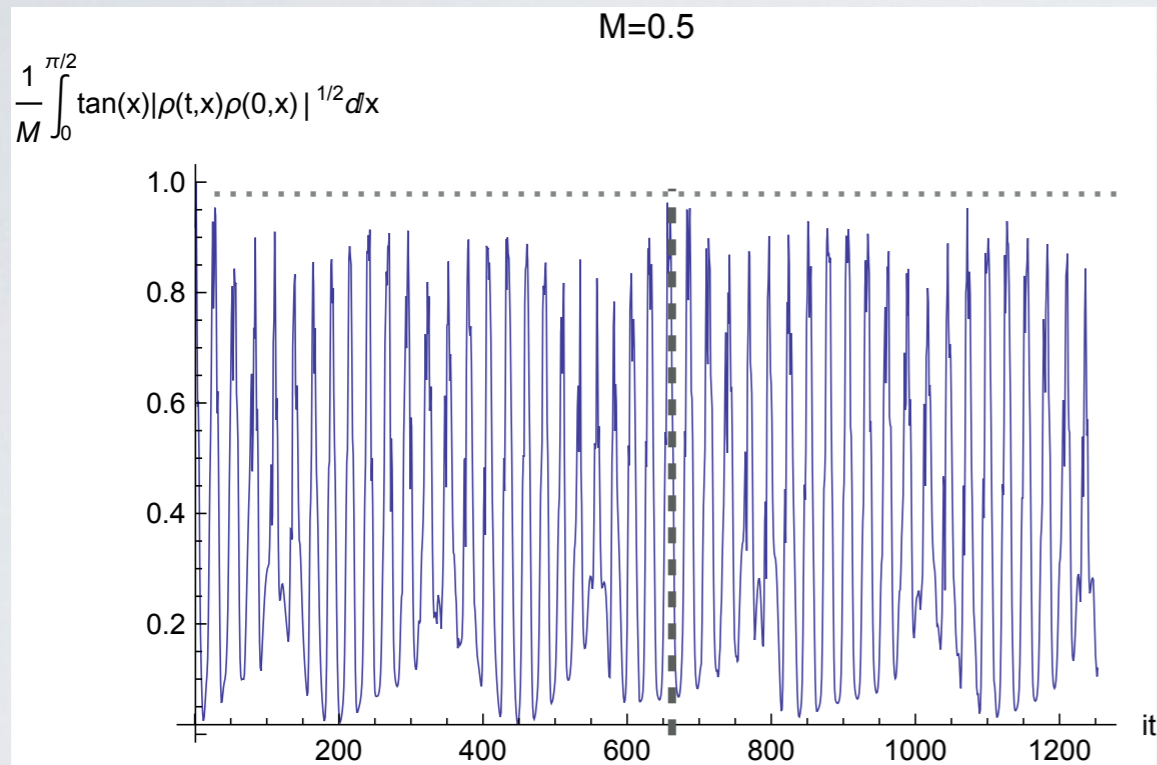
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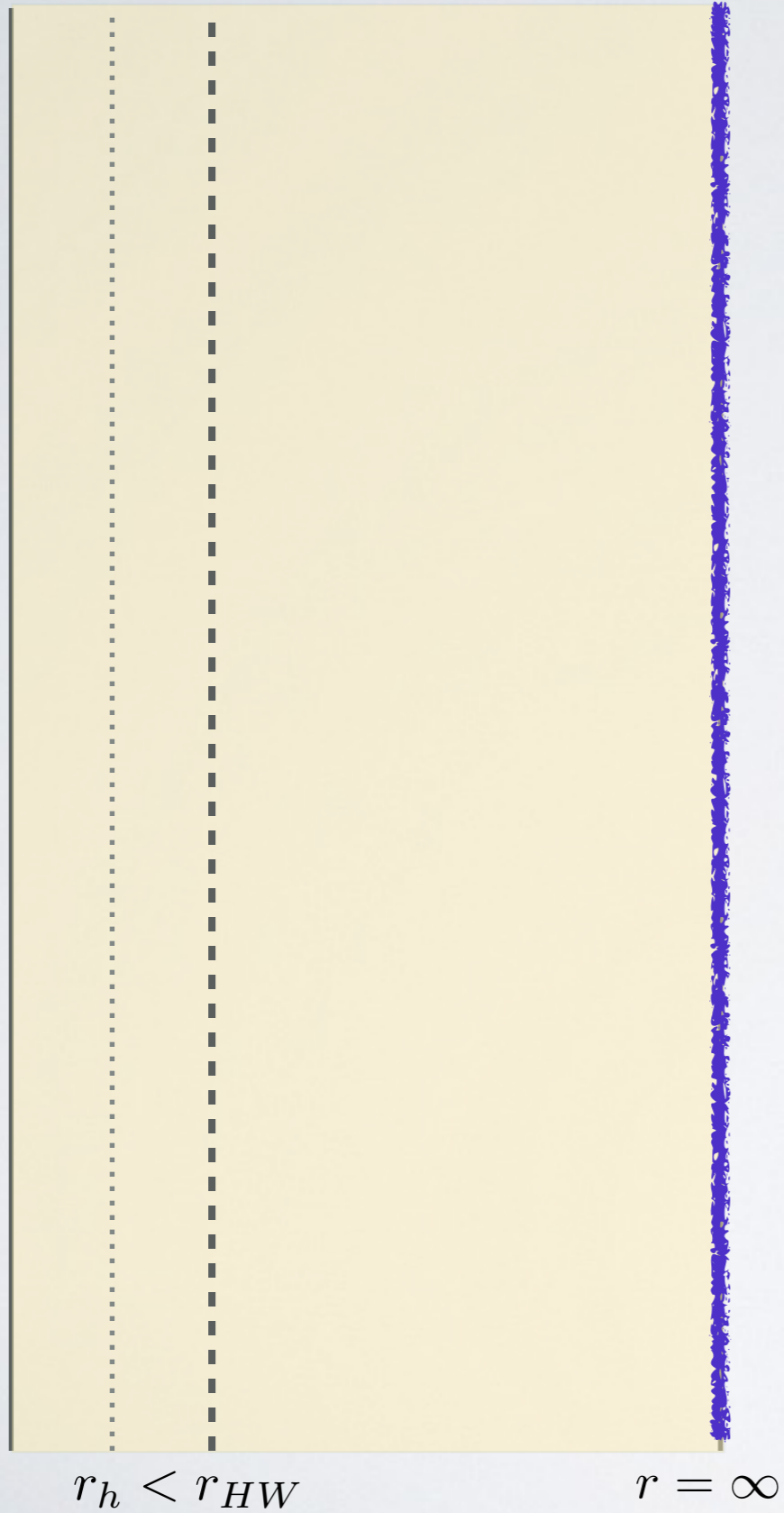
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## Autocorrelation superperiod

$$C(t) = \frac{1}{M} \int_0^{\pi/2} \tan(x) |\rho(t, x) \rho(0, x)|^{1/2} dx$$



# PLANAR AdS<sub>5</sub> with a Hard Wall

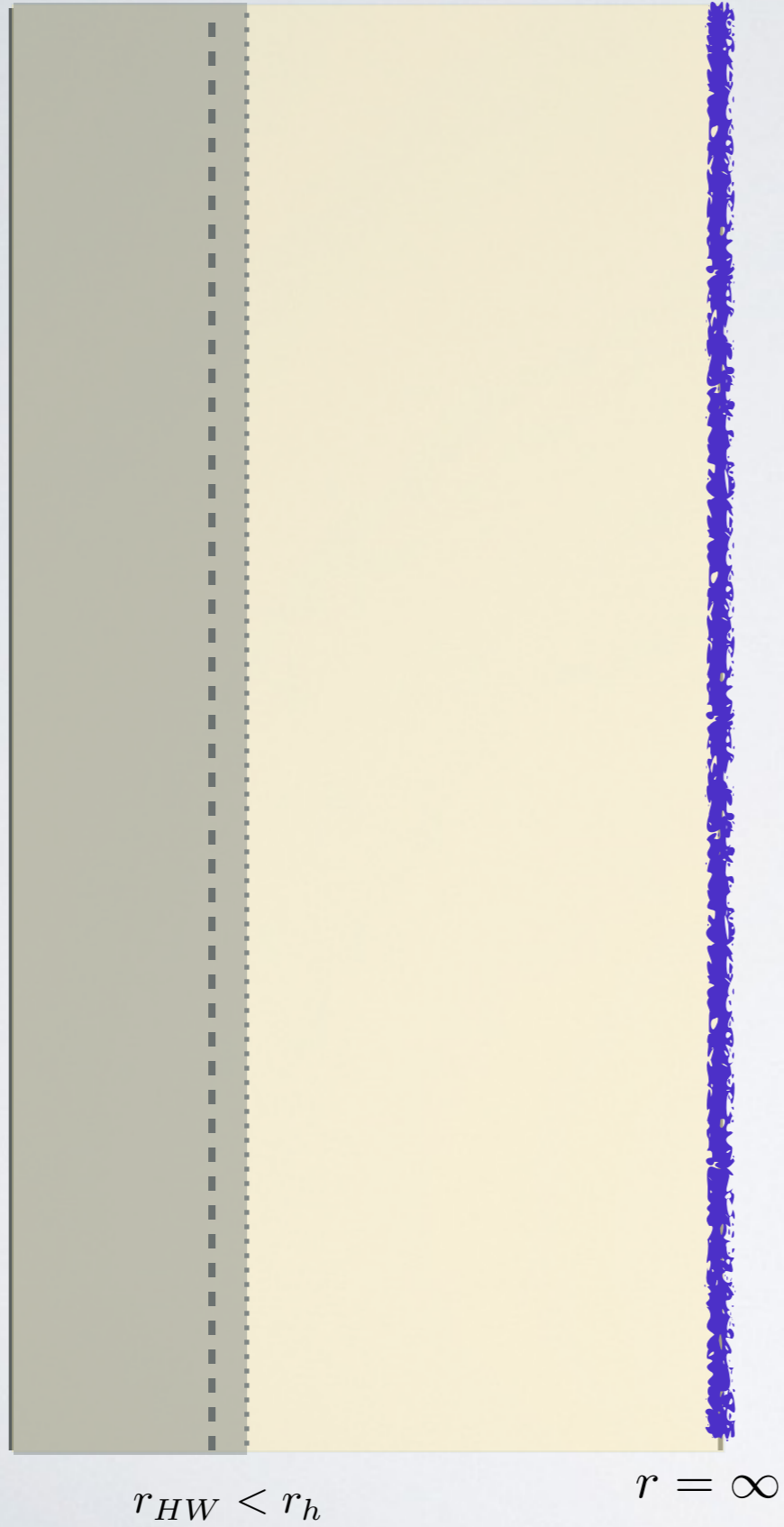


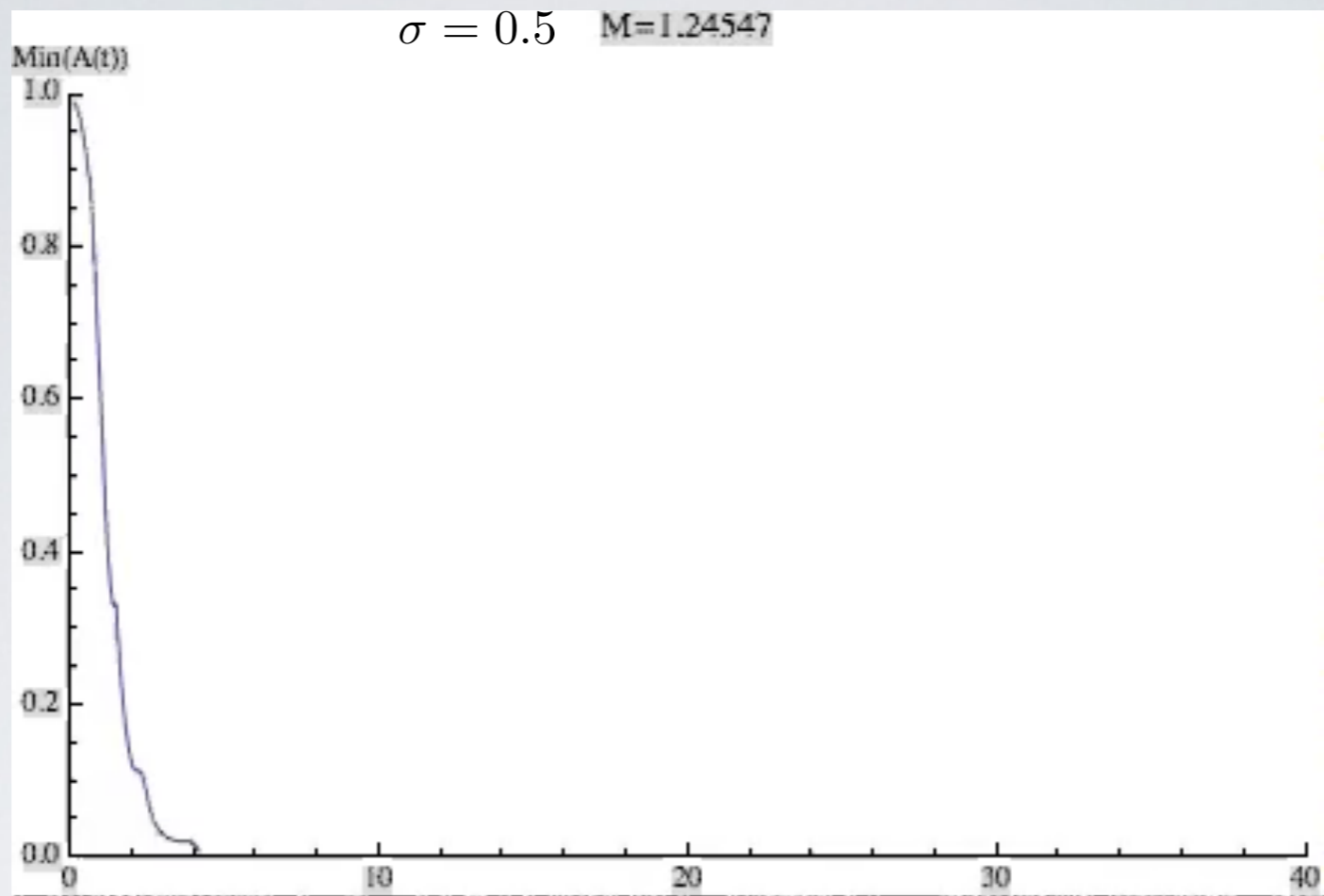
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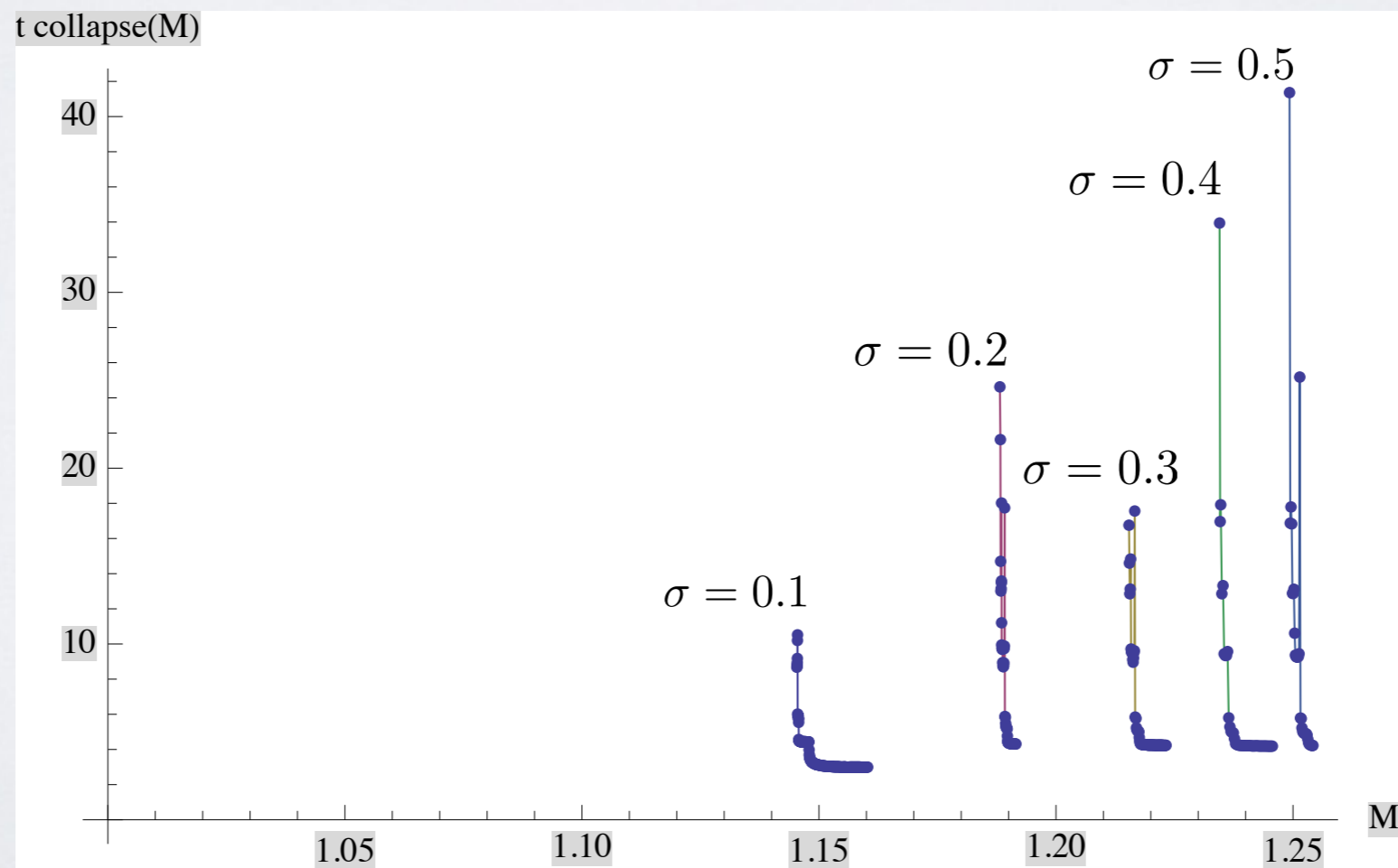


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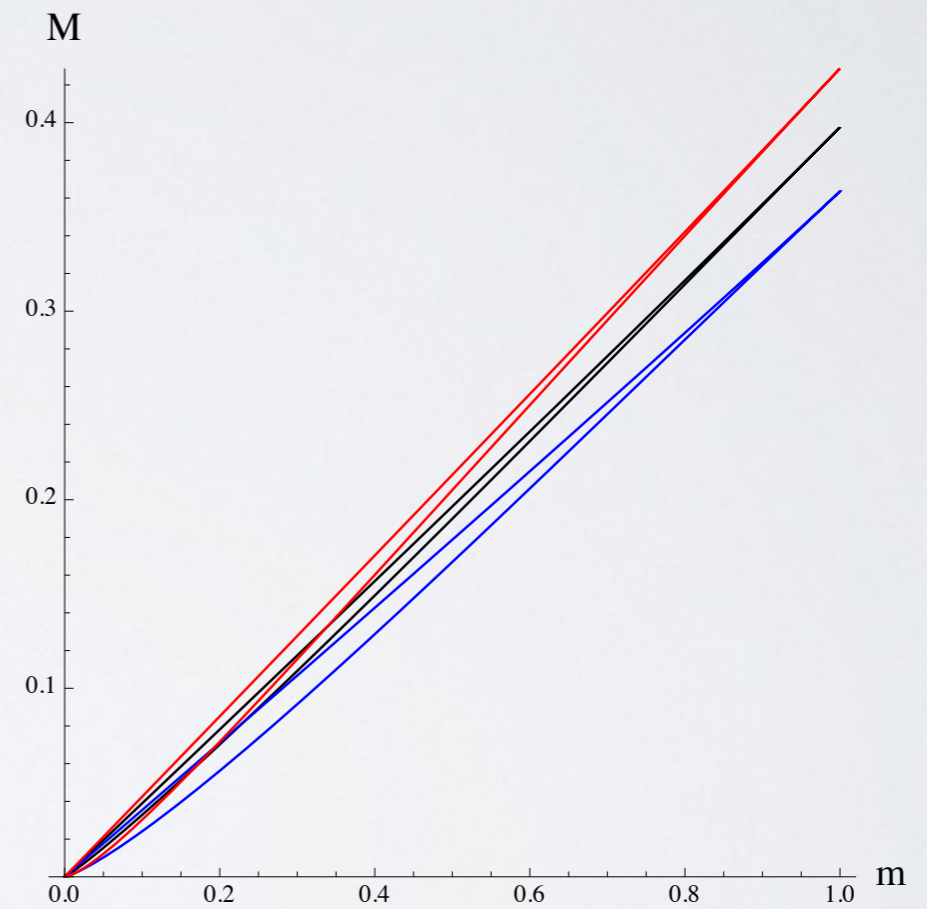
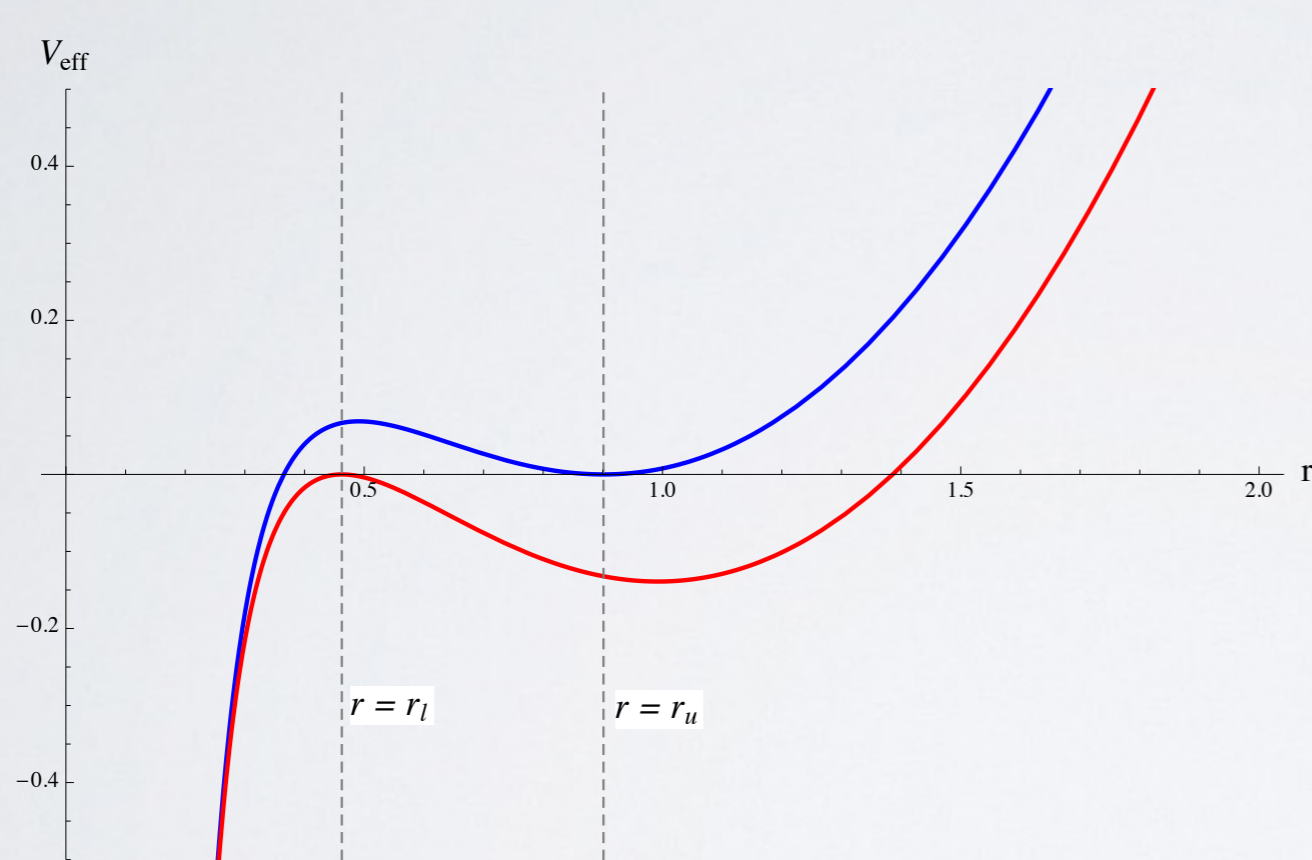
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# Thin Shell Oscillations in AdS

Equation of state  $p = \left(\frac{\alpha}{d}\right) \sigma$

Effective potential  $V_{eff} = 1 + r_s^2 - \frac{1}{2} m r_s^{1-d} - \frac{m^2}{4M^2} r_s^{2\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} M^2 r_s^{-2(d-1+\alpha)}$



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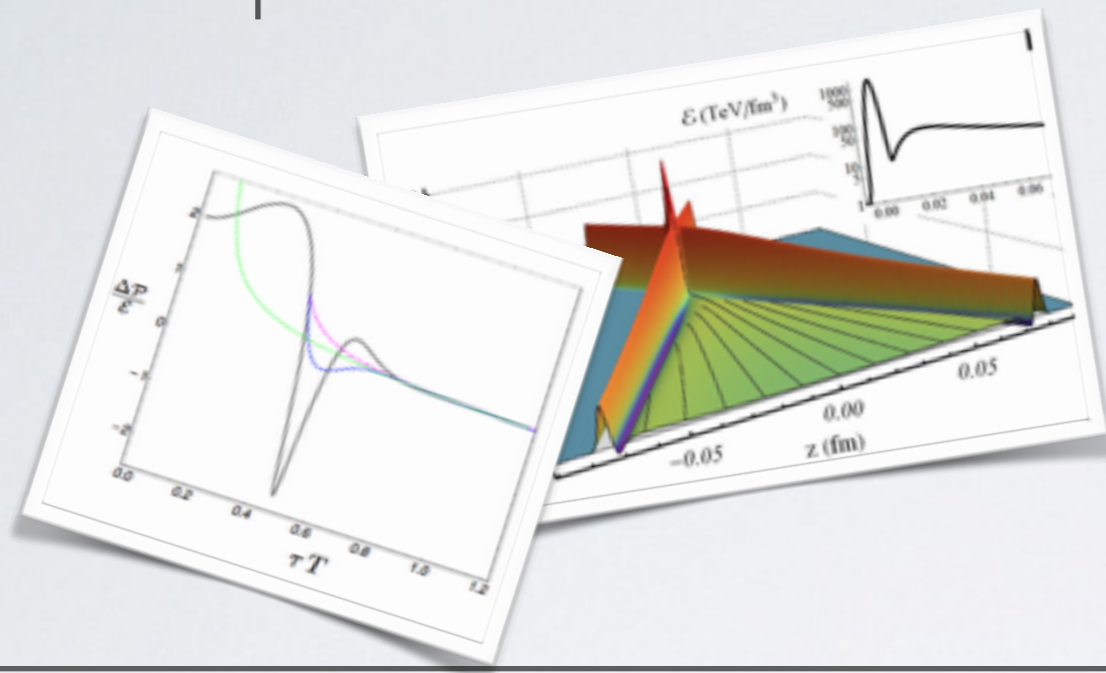
# Conclusions & outlook

- landscape of evolutions in global AdS for different initial conditions and dimensions  $i \leftrightarrow ?$  routes to thermalization in closed quantum systems at strong coupling
- revivals allow for precision measurements
- search for generic features: two regimes, two timescales, collapse blocking, additional  $\pi/d$  frequency, etc.
- need some exact results from the QFT side at strong coupling and large  $c$  in different dimensions and geometries
- collapse in  $AdS_3$  may shed light on the role of integrability breaking
- the massive case needs better understanding/formulation

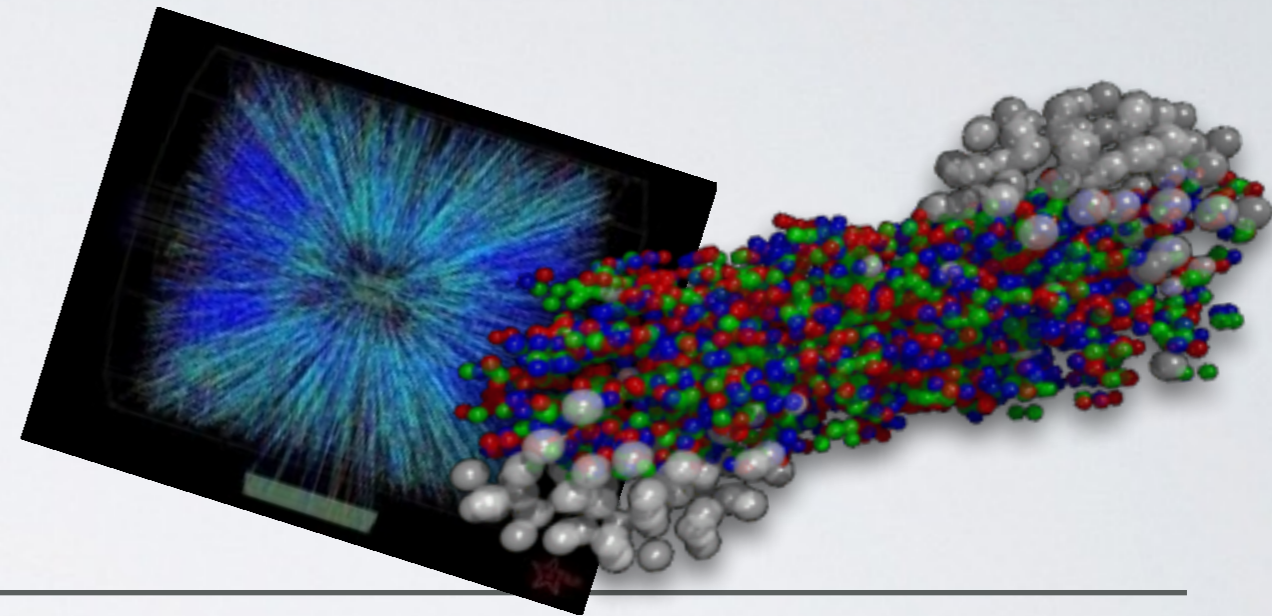
# CONCLUSION

## AdS/CFT

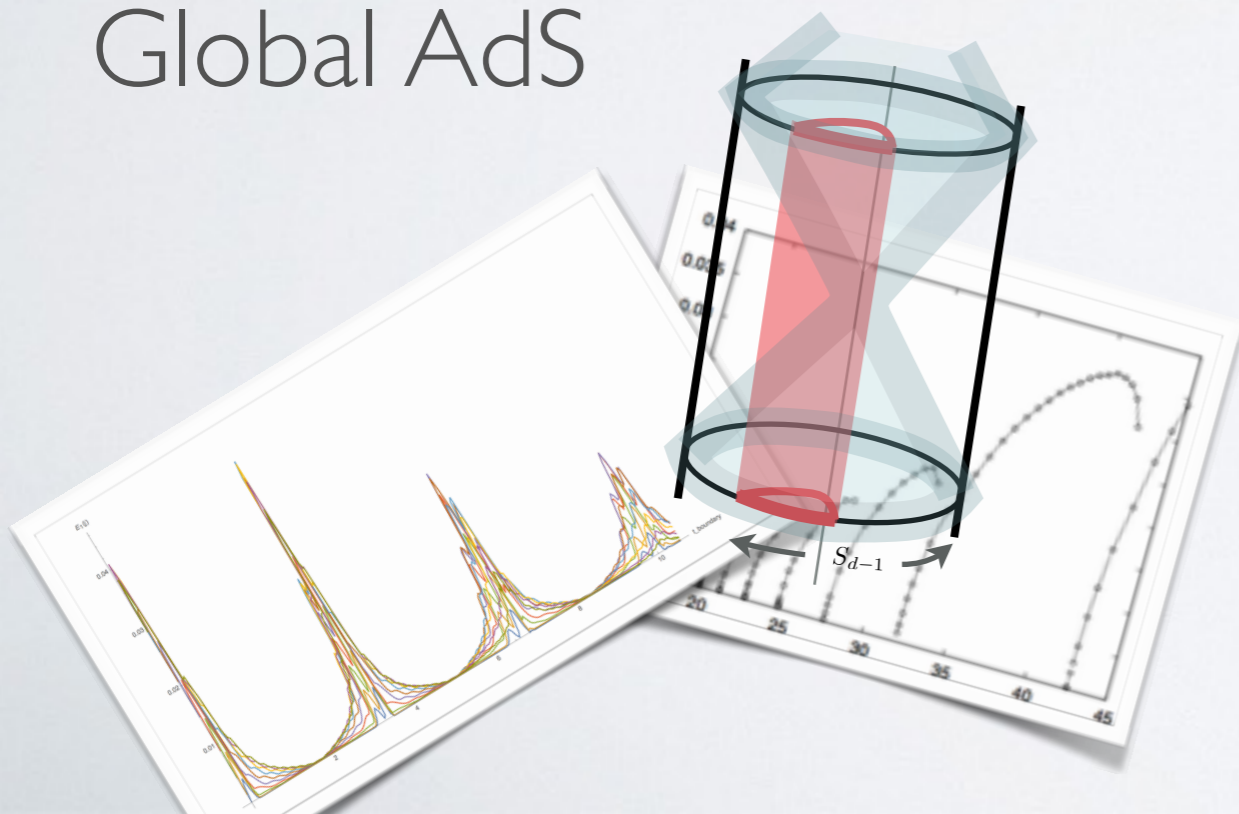
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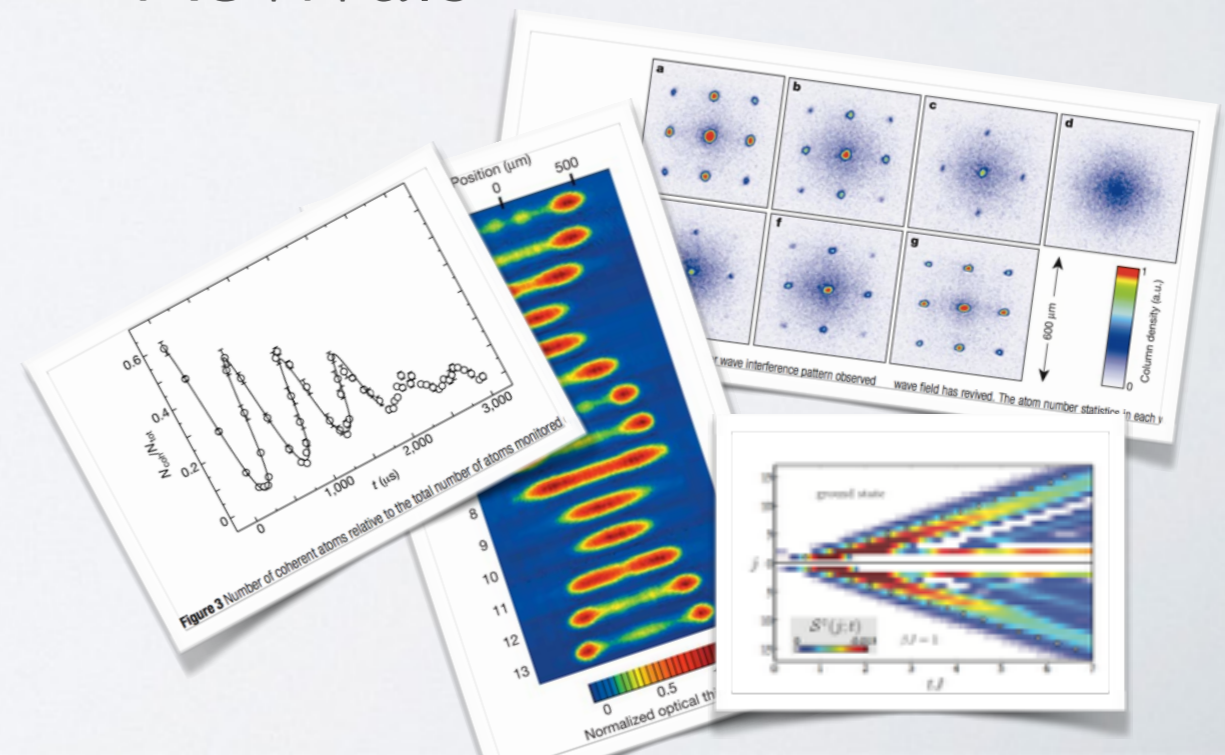
### Heavy Ion Collisions



### Global AdS



### Revivals



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