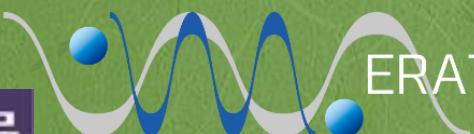


Measurement-induced Spectral Transition

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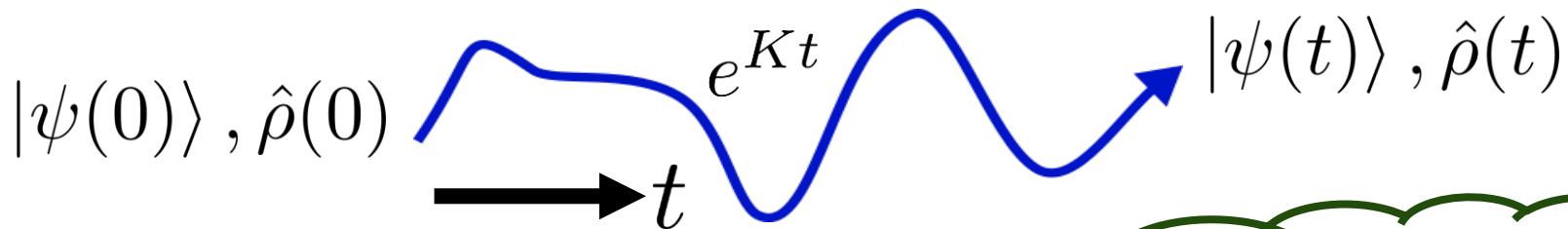


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Spectrum in quantum systems

systems described by time-independent generators

$$\frac{d}{dt} |\psi(t)\rangle = -iH |\psi(t)\rangle, \quad \frac{d}{dt} \hat{\rho}(t) = \mathcal{L} \hat{\rho}(t), \dots$$



the spectrum of $K = -iH, \mathcal{L}$



essential information of the system

$$\det(\lambda - K) = \dots$$



Spectral gap in open quantum systems

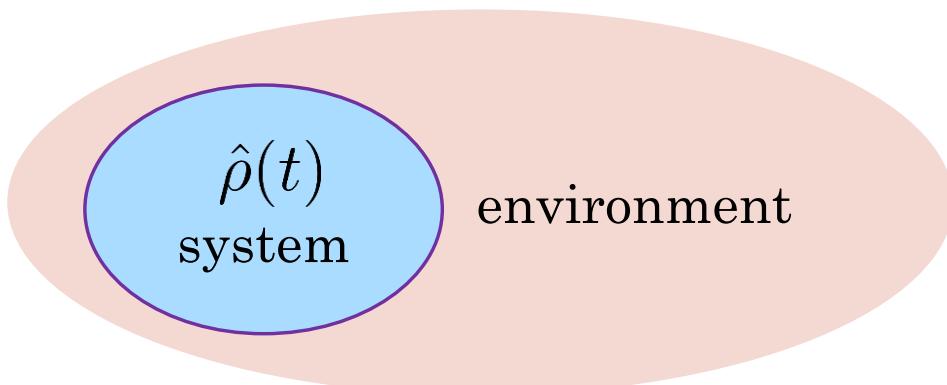
open quantum systems

$$\frac{d}{dt}\hat{\rho}(t) = \mathcal{L}\hat{\rho}(t) \quad \hat{\rho}(t) = e^{\mathcal{L}t}\hat{\rho}(0) = \sum_i c_i e^{\lambda_i t} \hat{\Phi}_i$$

the spectral gap $\Delta = |\text{Re}(\lambda_2) - \text{Re}(\lambda_1)|$, $\text{Re}(\lambda_j) \geq \text{Re}(\lambda_{j+1})$
→ the relaxation time to the stationary state $1/\Delta$

$$t \gg \frac{1}{\Delta} \rightarrow \hat{\rho}(t) \simeq \hat{\Phi}_1$$

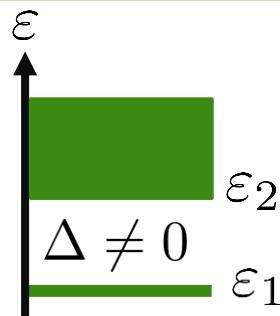
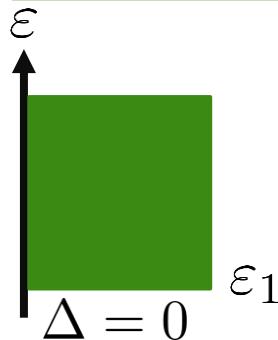
$$\mathcal{L}\hat{\Phi}_i = \lambda_i \hat{\Phi}_i$$



Spectral gap in isolated quantum systems

the spectral gap $\Delta = \varepsilon_2 - \varepsilon_1, \quad \varepsilon_i \leq \varepsilon_{i+1}$

transition of the gap \leftrightarrow ground-state phase transition



$$H |\Psi_i\rangle = \varepsilon_i |\Psi_i\rangle$$

gapless phase
(logarithmic-law)

gapped phase
(area-law)

parameter

$$S_A(\Psi_1) \propto \log(|A|)$$

$$S_A(\Psi_1) \propto |A|^0 *_{1D}$$

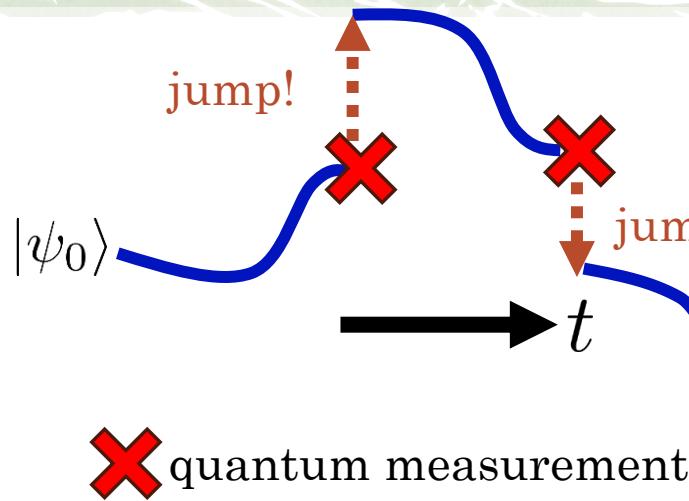
$S_A(\Psi_1)$: bipartite entanglement entropy of the ground state for the subsystem A

an indicator of how complex the state is

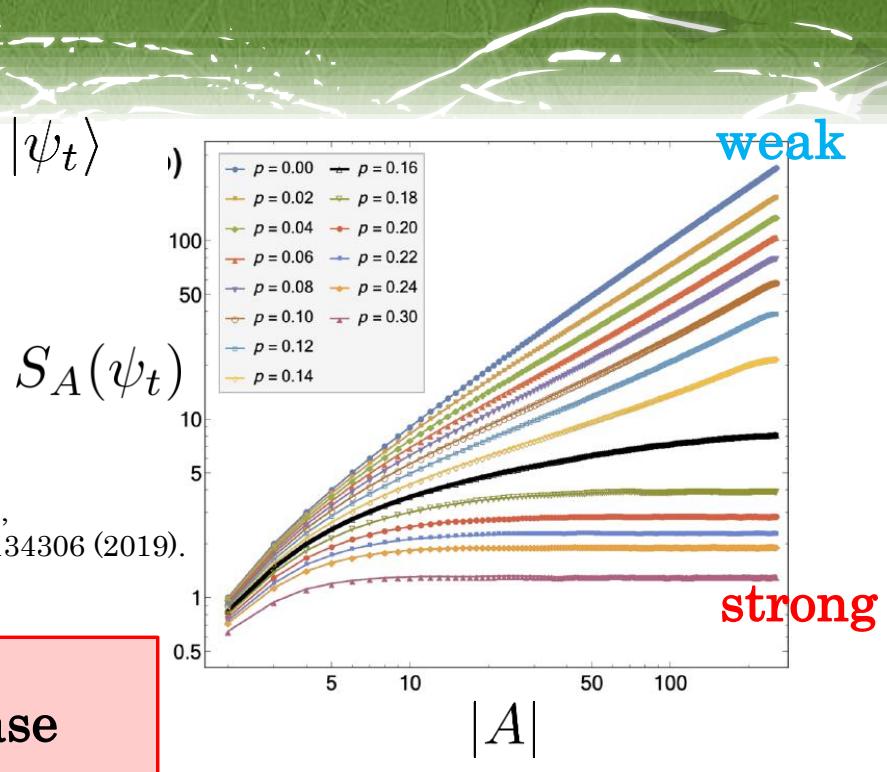
$|\Psi_1\rangle_A$
system



Entanglement transition in monitored dynamics



Y. Li et. al.,
PRB 100, 134306 (2019).



volume-law phase

area-law phase

$$S_A(\psi_t) \propto |A|$$

$$S_A(\psi_t) \propto |A|^0$$

temporal randomness due to measurement

→ no static generator $|\psi_t\rangle \neq e^{Kt} |\psi_0\rangle$



Objective

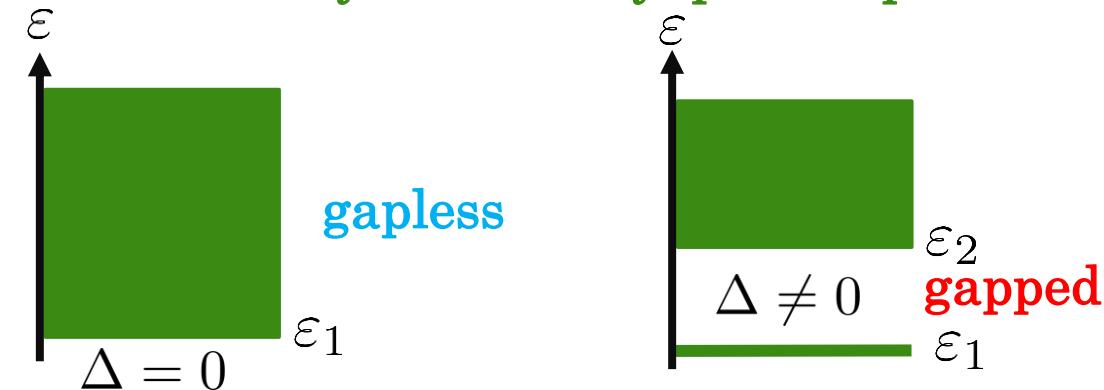
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Measurement-induced entanglement transitions
are related to some spectral features??

analysis of the Lyapunov spectrum

→ YES



volume-law phase

area-law phase

$$S_A(\psi_t) \propto |A|$$

$$S_A(\psi_t) \propto |A|^0$$

strength of
measurement

quantum measurements

⇒ entanglement transitions without static generator $|\psi_t\rangle \neq e^{Kt} |\psi_0\rangle$

Model

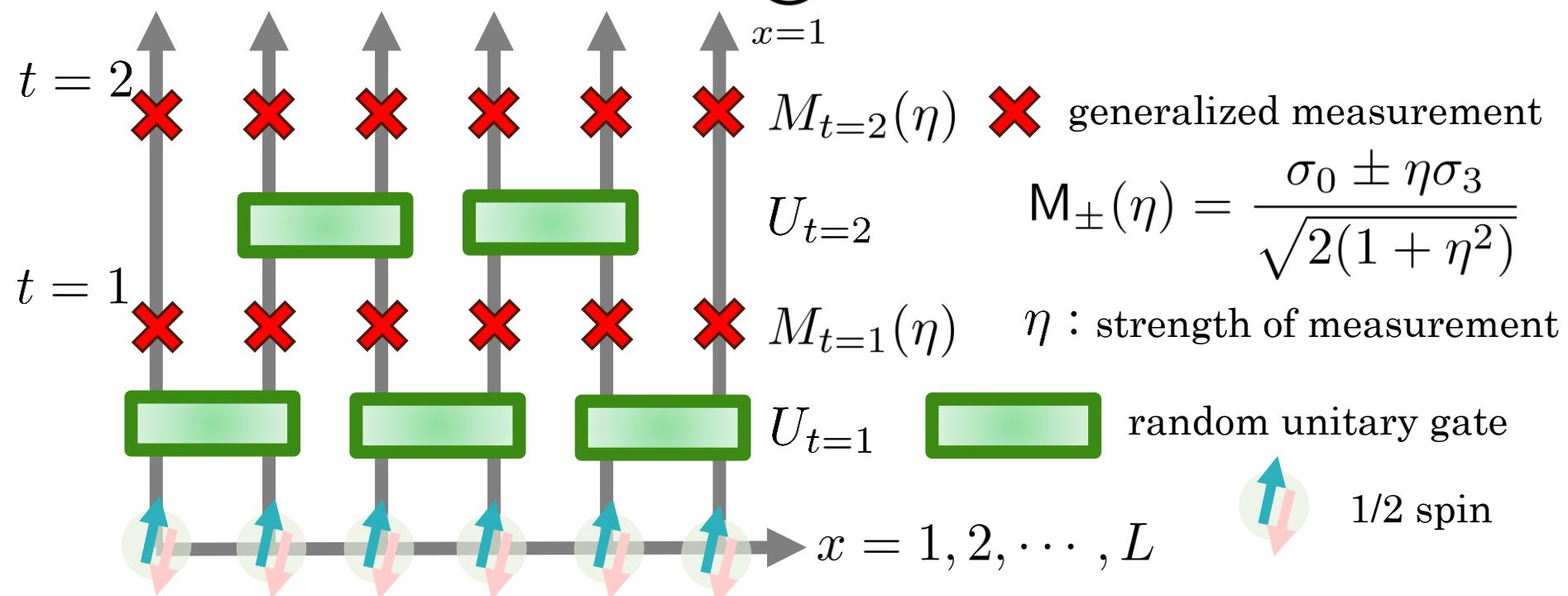
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temporally random dynamics conditioned on measurement outcomes

$$|\psi_t(\eta)\rangle = \frac{1}{N_t(\eta)} M_t(\eta) U_t M_{t-1}(\eta) U_{t-1} \cdots M_1(\eta) U_1 |\psi_0\rangle$$

$N_t(\eta)$: normalization

$$M_t(\eta) = \bigotimes_{x=1}^L M_{\omega_{t,x}}(\eta), \quad \omega_{t,x} = \pm \text{ (Born rule)}$$



Lyapunov analysis

$$|\psi_t(\eta)\rangle \propto V_t(\eta) |\psi_0\rangle, \quad V_t(\eta) = M_t(\eta) U_t M_{t-1}(\eta) U_{t-1} \cdots M_1(\eta) U_1$$

effective “Hamiltonian”: $K_t(\eta) = -\frac{1}{2t} \log [V_t(\eta) V_t^\dagger(\eta)]$

intuitive picture: [imaginary time evolution: $|\psi_t(\eta)\rangle \sim \exp[-K_t(\eta)t] |\psi_0\rangle$]

$$K_t(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle = \varepsilon_{t,L,i}(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle, \quad \varepsilon_{t,L,i}(\eta) \leq \varepsilon_{t,L,i+1}(\eta)$$

spectral gap: $\Delta_L(\eta) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \Delta_{t,L}(\eta), \quad \Delta_{t,L}(\eta) = \varepsilon_{t,L,2}(\eta) - \varepsilon_{t,L,1}(\eta)$

ground state of the effective Hamiltonian (dominant Lyapunov vector): $|\Psi_{t,1}(\eta)\rangle$

relaxation time:

$$t \gg \tau_{\delta,L}(\eta) = \left| \frac{\log(\delta)}{\Delta_L(\eta)} \right| \rightarrow |\psi_t(\eta)\rangle \simeq |\Psi_{t,1}(\eta)\rangle \text{ within the precision } \delta$$



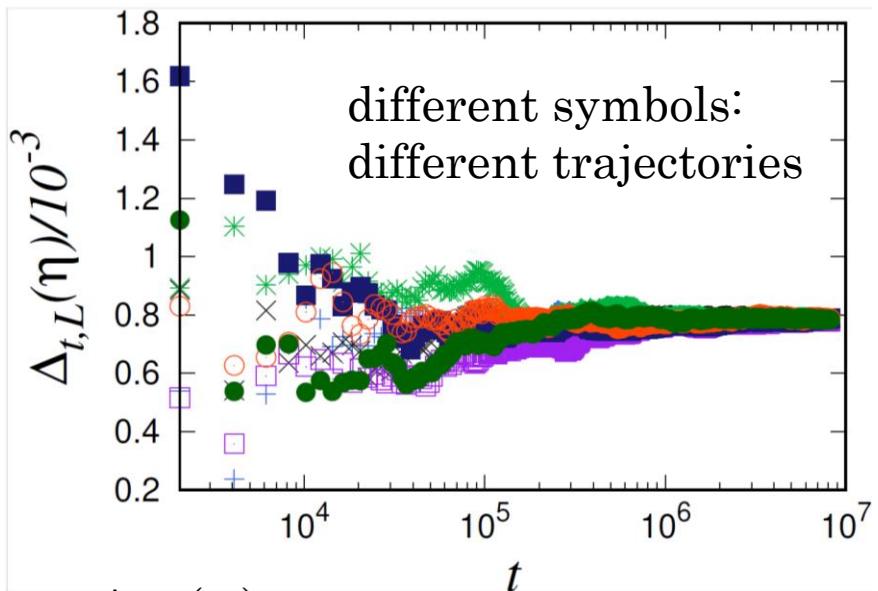
analogy to equilibrium phase transitions

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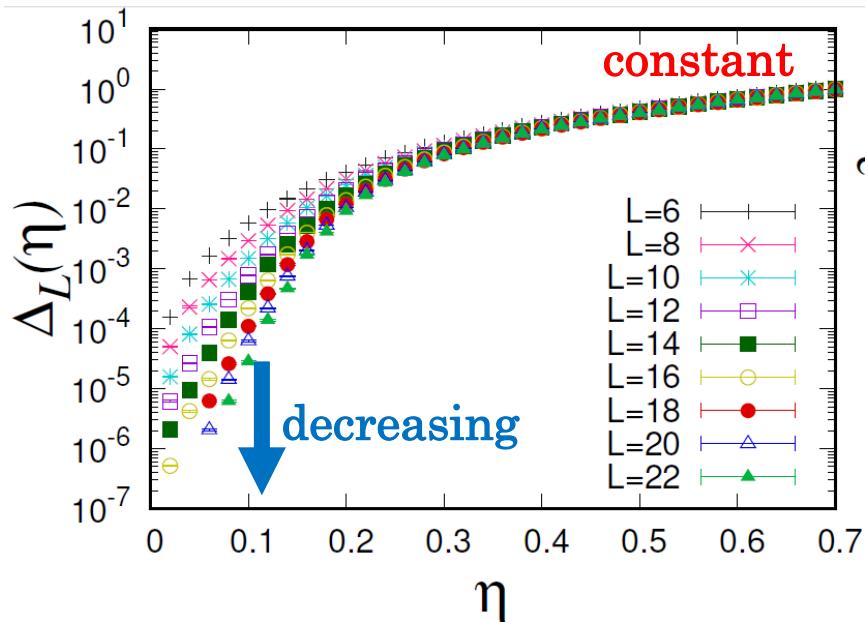


$\Delta_L(\eta)$: independent of trajectories

global quantity!

η : measurement strength

L : system size

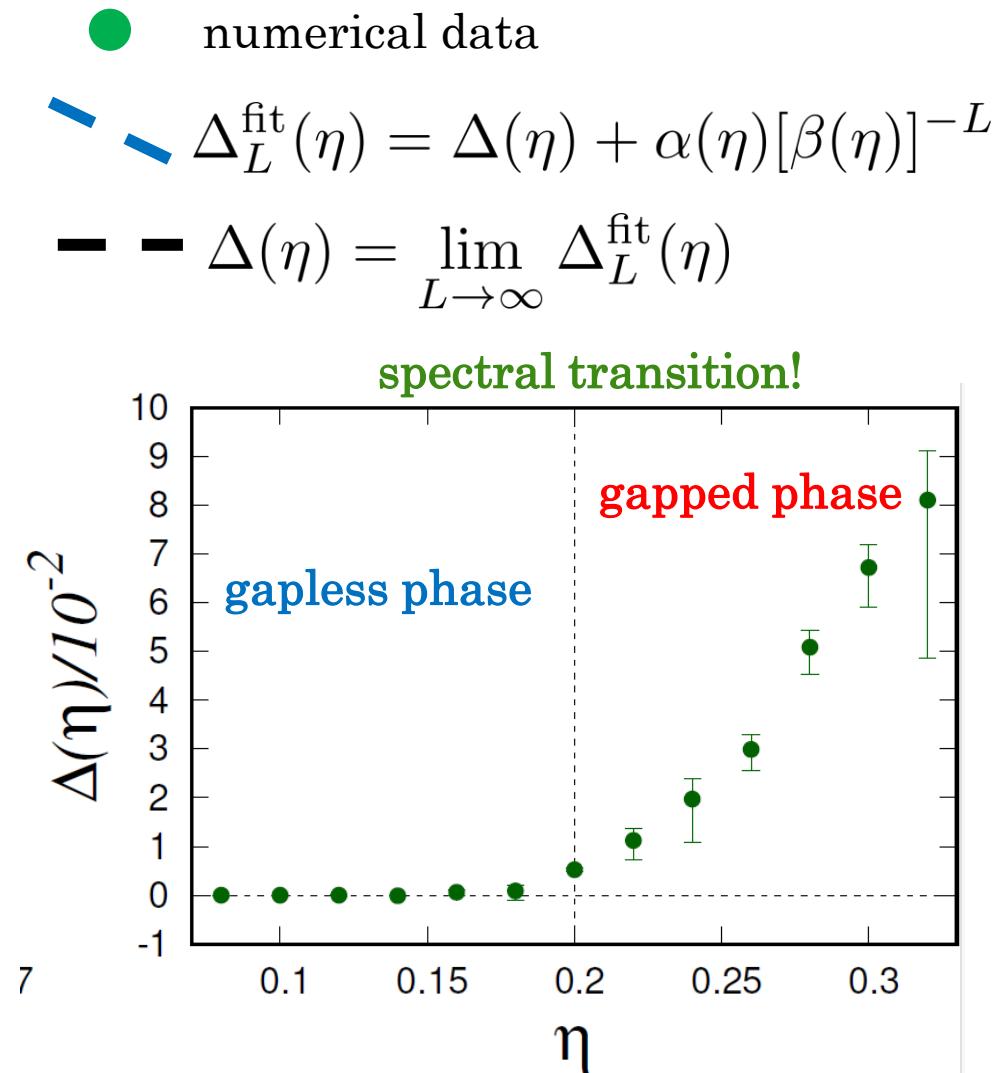
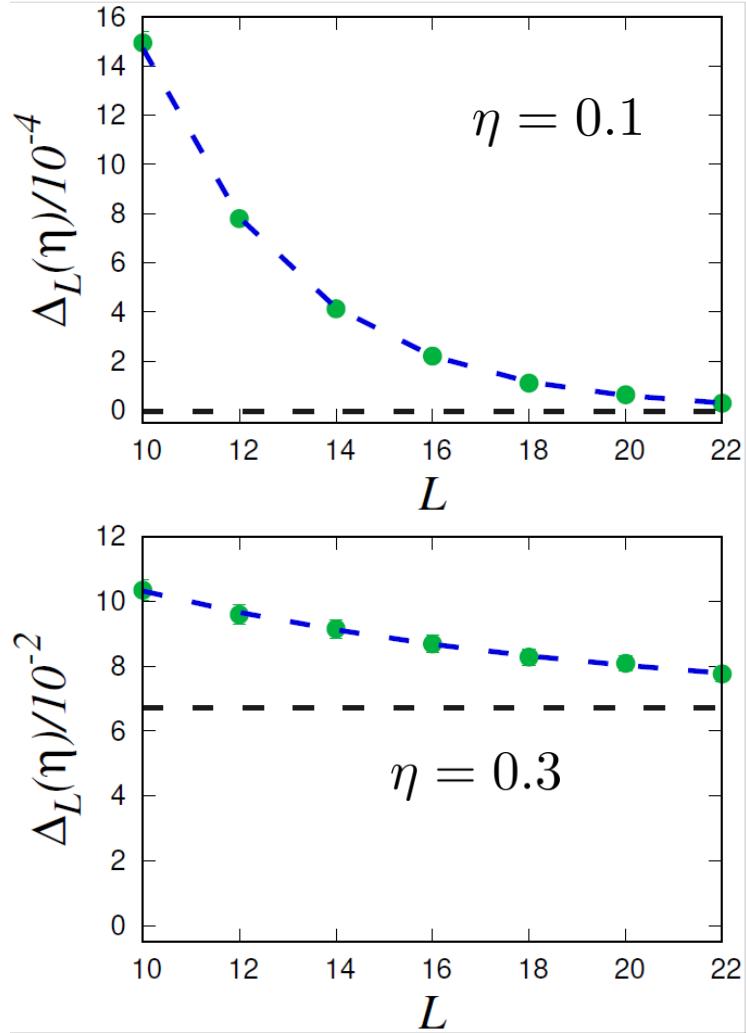


small η : $\lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \Delta_L(\eta) = 0$

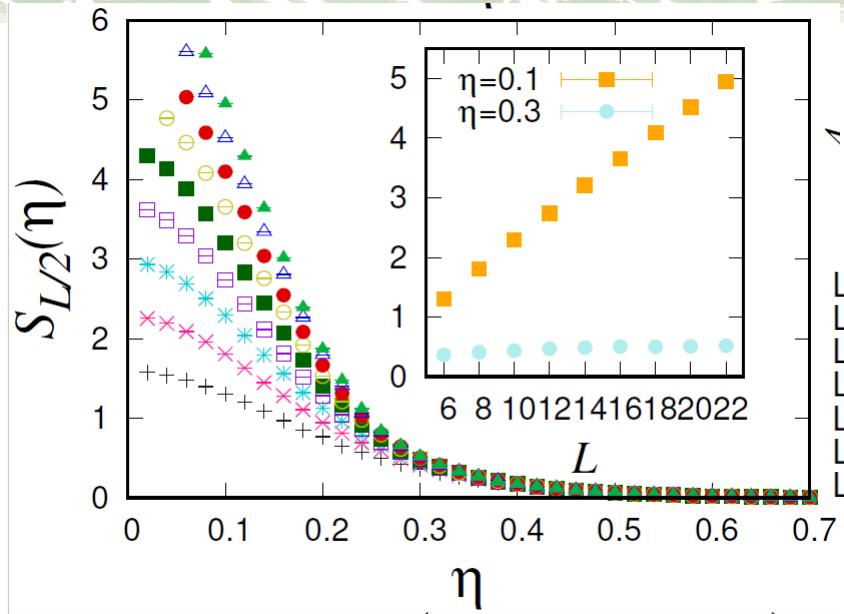
large η : $\lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \Delta_L(\eta) \neq 0$

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Transition of the entanglement entropy of the ground state (dominant Lyapunov vector)



$$S_{L/2}(\eta) = \mathbb{E}_t (S_{L/2} [\Psi_{t,1}(\eta)])$$

\mathbb{E}_t : time average $\rho_\psi = \text{tr}_{\bar{A}}(|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|)$

$$S_A(\psi) = -\text{tr}_A[\rho_\psi \log(\rho_\psi)]$$

small η : volume law $S_{L/2}(\eta) \propto L$

large η : area law $S_{L/2}(\eta) \propto L^0$

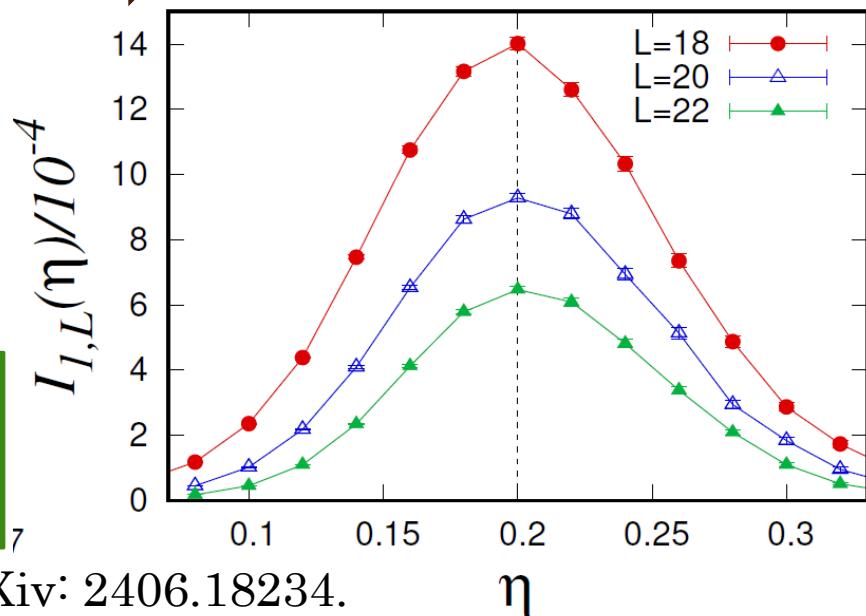
$$I_{AB}(\psi) = S_A(\psi) + S_B(\psi) - S_{AB}(\psi)$$

$$\frac{|\langle O_A O_B \rangle_\psi - \langle O_A \rangle_\psi \langle O_B \rangle_\psi|^2}{2|O_A|^2|O_B|^2} \leq I_{AB}(\psi)$$

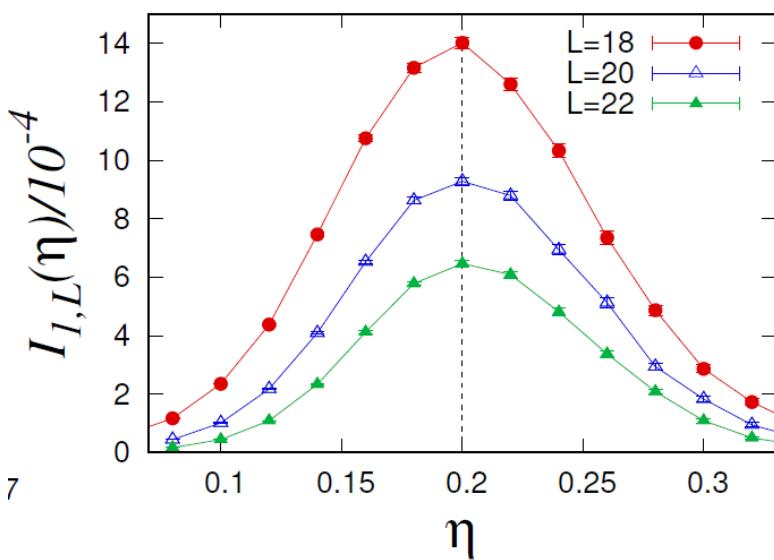
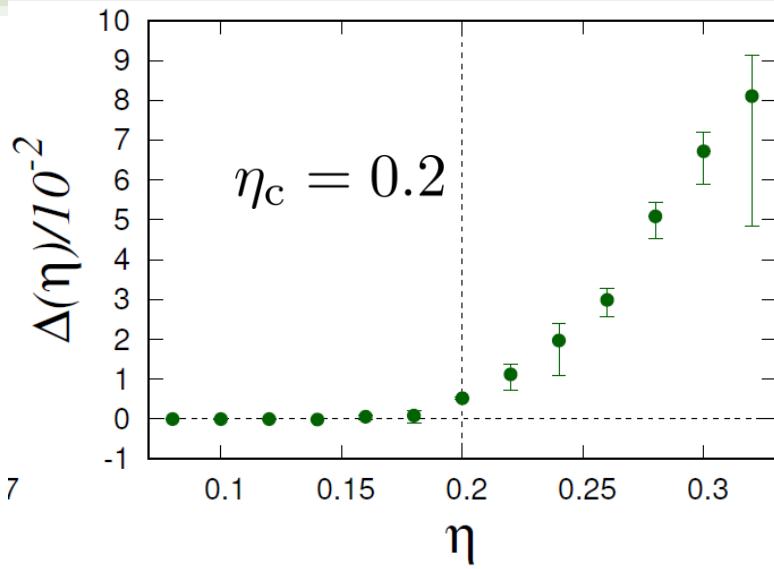
M. M. Wolf et.al., PRL 100, 070502 (2008).

peak of $I_{1,L}(\eta) = \mathbb{E}_t (I_{1,L} [\Psi_{t,1}(\eta)])$

➡ phase transition!



Coincidence of the thresholds



$$K_t(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle = \varepsilon_{t,L,i}(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle$$

gapless phase = volume-law phase

$$\Delta(\eta) = 0 \quad S_{L/2}(\eta) \propto L$$

gapped phase = area-law phase

$$\Delta(\eta) \neq 0 \quad S_{L/2}(\eta) \propto L^0$$



analogous to ground-state phase transitions

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Comparison of ground-state transitions and measurement-induced transitions

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	Measurement-induced phase transition in noisy dynamics	Ground-state phase transitions in equilibrium
gapped phase	entanglement entropy: $O(L^0)$ spectral gap: $O(L^0)$	entanglement entropy: $O(L^0)$ spectral gap: $O(L^0)$
gapless phase	entanglement entropy: $O(L)$ spectral gap: $O(e^{-L})$	entanglement entropy: $O[\log(L)]$ spectral gap: $O[1/\text{poly}(L)]$

B. Zeng, X. Chen, D.-L. Zhou, and X.-G. Wen,
Quantum information meets quantum matter (Springer, 2019).

Qualitative similarity in gapped phases
Distinct scalings in gapless phases

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Transition of the memory-loss time

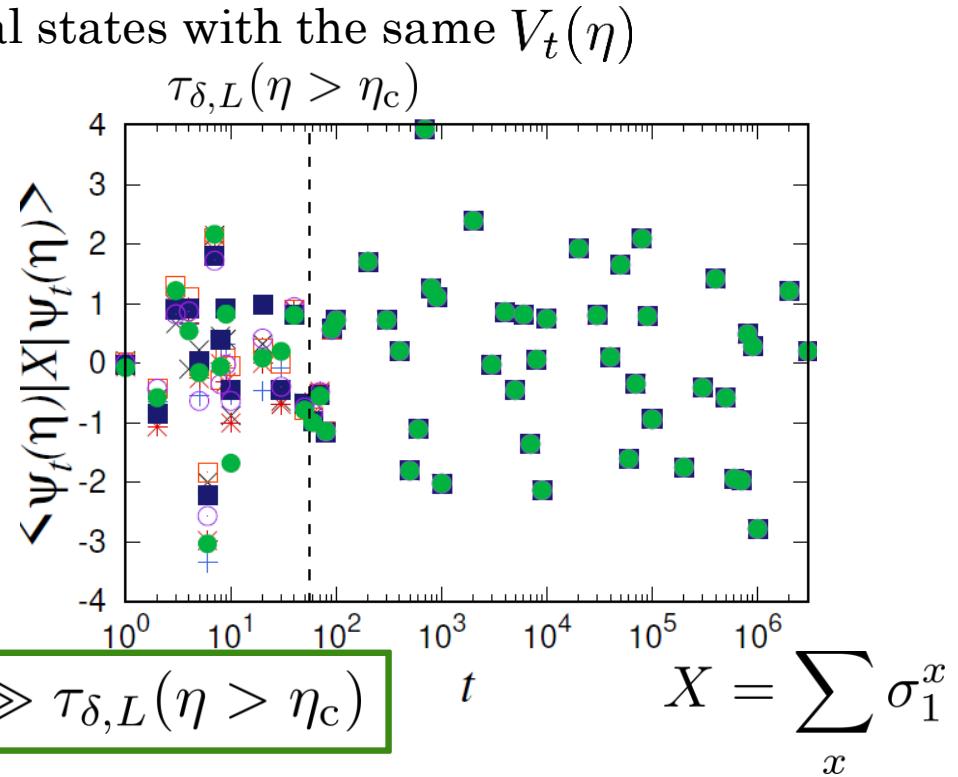
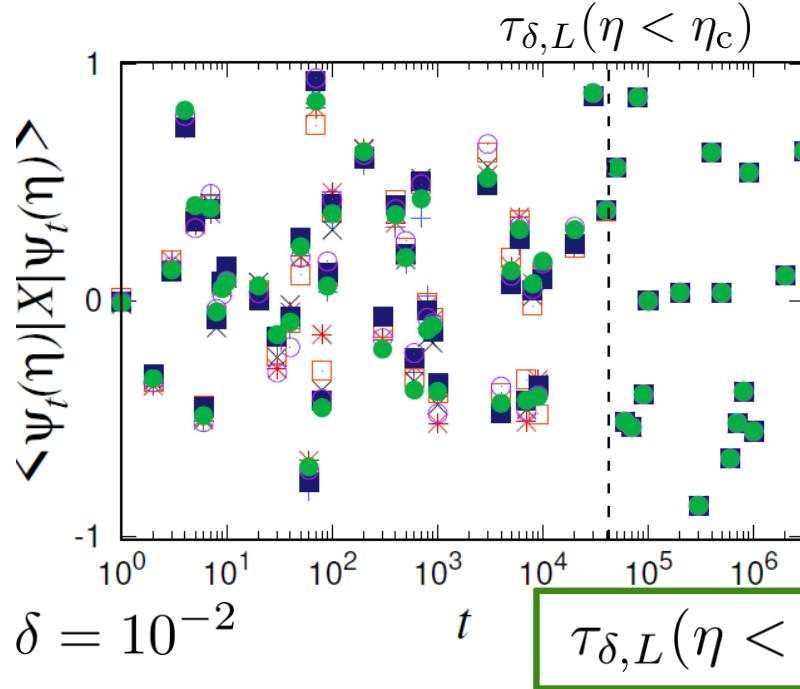
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$$t \gg \tau_{\delta,L}(\eta) = \left| \frac{\log(\delta)}{\Delta_L(\eta)} \right| \rightarrow |\psi_t(\eta)\rangle \propto \underline{V_t(\eta)} |\psi_0\rangle \simeq |\Psi_{t,1}(\eta)\rangle \text{ within } \delta \\ \simeq \text{rank-1 matrix}$$

gapless phase:

$$\Delta_L(\eta) = O(e^{-L}) \rightarrow \tau_{\delta,L}(\eta) = O(e^L) \quad \Delta_L(\eta) = O(L^0) \rightarrow \tau_{\delta,L}(\eta) = O(L^0)$$

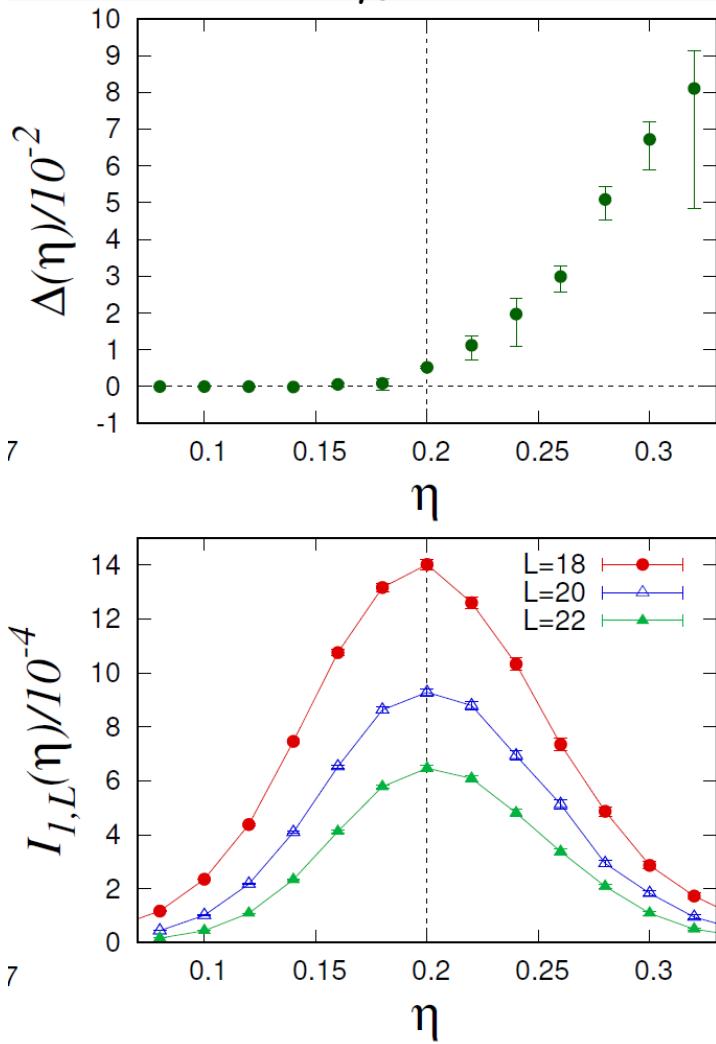
various trajectories from different initial states with the same $V_t(\eta)$



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$$\eta_c = 0.2$$

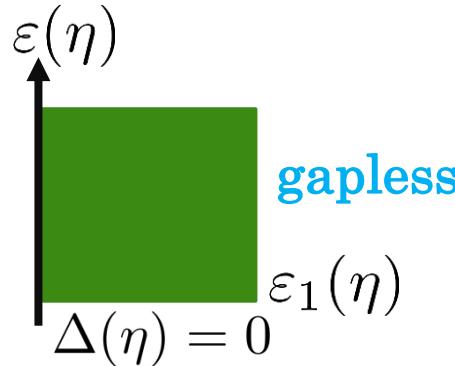


Spectral transition of the Lyapunov spectrum
 analogous to the ground-state
 phase transitions in equilibrium

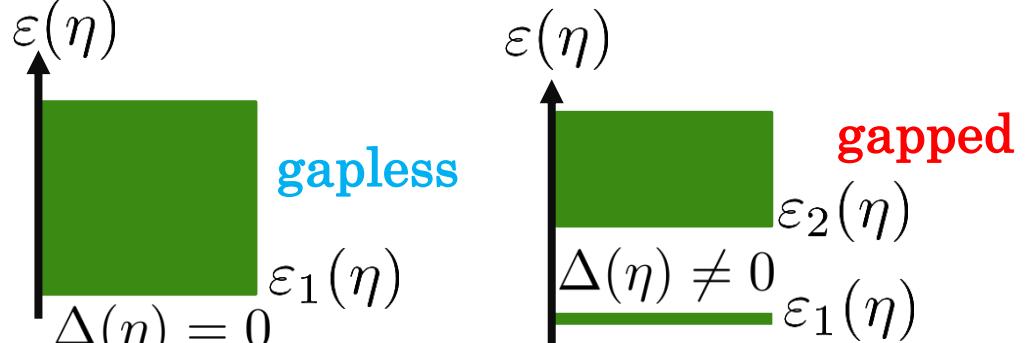


Entanglement transition of
 the dominant Lyapunov vector

$$K_t(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle = \varepsilon_{t,L,i}(\eta) |\Psi_{t,i}(\eta)\rangle$$



volume-law phase
 $S_{L/2}(\eta) = O(L)$



are-law phase
 $S_{L/2}(\eta) = O(L^0)$

η