

# QUANTUM MONTE CARLO AND NON-GINZBURG-LANDAU TYPE PHASE TRANSITION

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K ... Parallelization on "K"  
SUN... SU(N) Heisenberg model  
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PWU ... Parallelization of worm update  
JQ ... SU(N) J-Q model  
OPT ... Optical lattice

# Ising Model

## Critical Slowing Down in Monte Carlo ...

The typical size of magnetic domains:  $\xi \sim a \times (T/T_c - 1)^\nu$

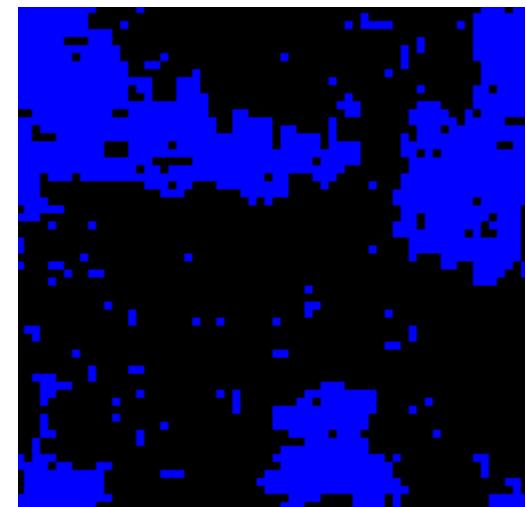
The size of the updating unit: (a single site)  $\sim a$

The effect of spin flip at a point propagates by some diffusion-like process which makes  $z \sim 2$ .

So, it takes

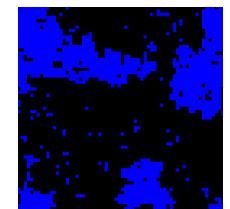
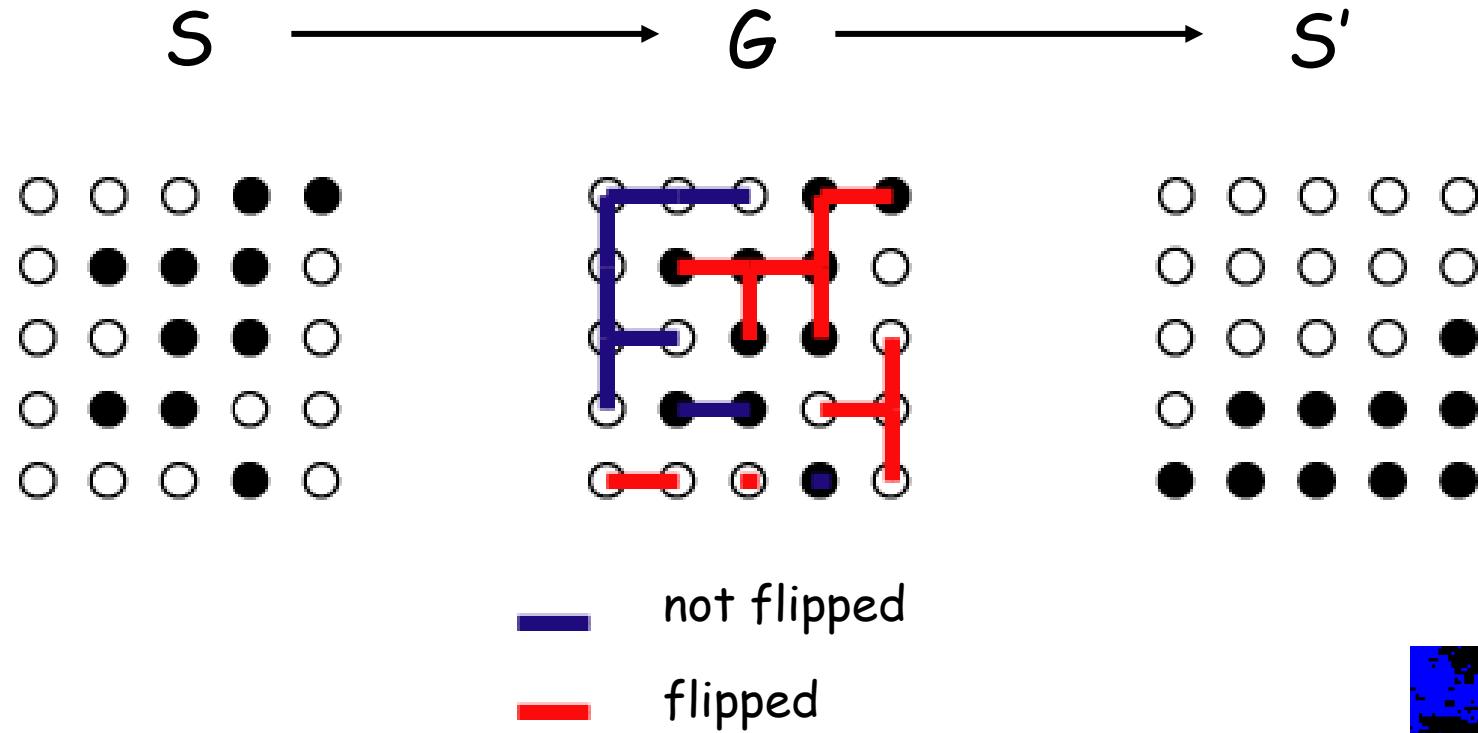
$$\tau \sim (T - T_c)^{\nu z}$$

Monte Carlo steps for a magnetic domain undertake a substantial change (annihilation, creation, relocation, etc).



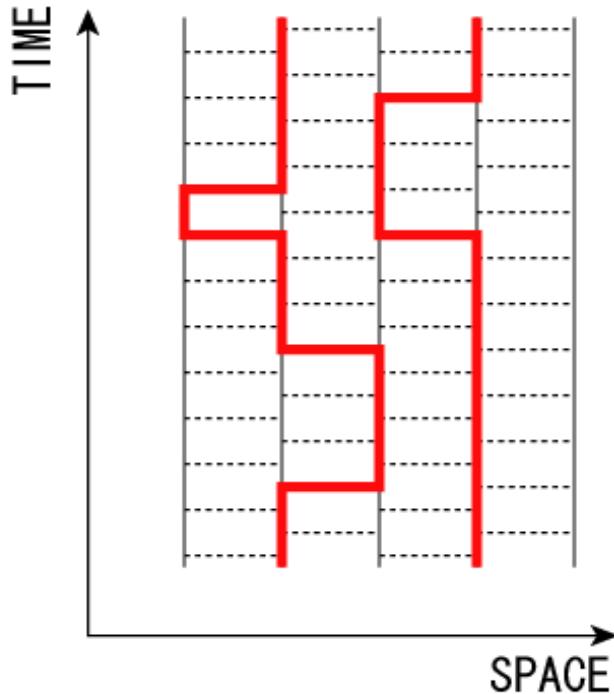
# Swendsen-Wang Algorithm

Swendsen-Wang 1987 ... Binding spins together to form a cluster.



# Path-Integral Monte Carlo Method

Suzuki 1976



$$Z = \sum_S W(S)$$

$$W(S) = \prod_{p: \text{ plaquette}} w(S_p)$$

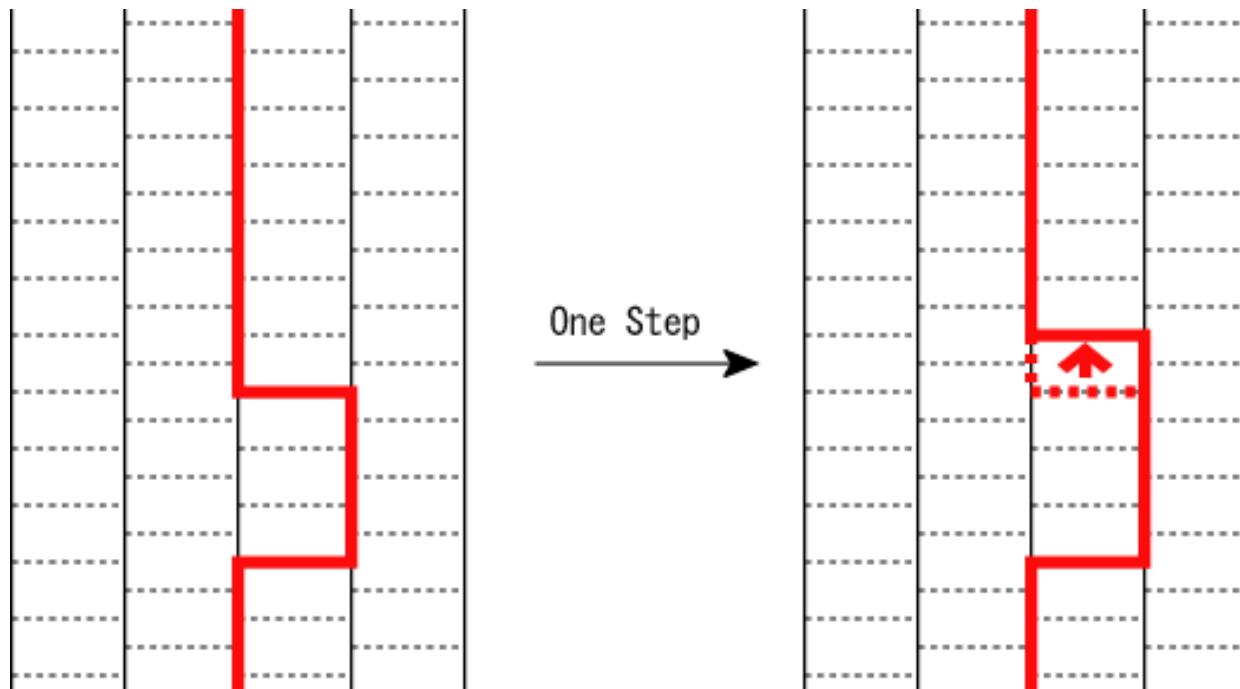
$S$ : The whole pattern  
of world-lines

Interaction Vertex ("shaded plaquettes")

World Line

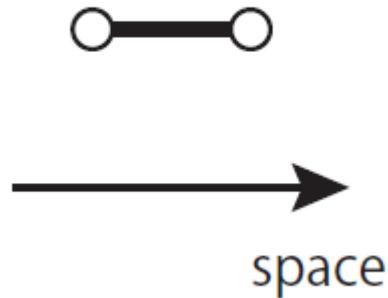
# Method Used before 1993

The patterns are updated only locally.

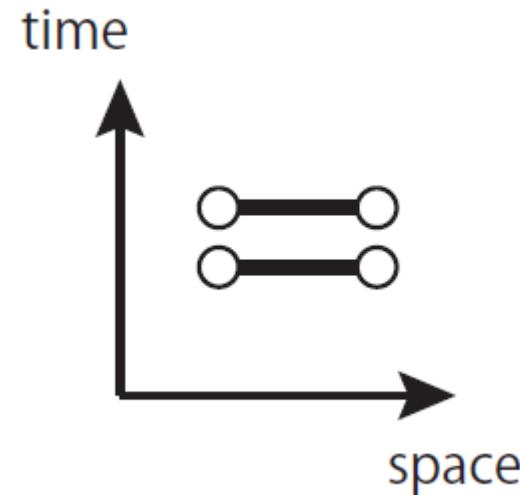


Many Problems --- No change in topological numbers,  
critical slowing down, high-precision slowing down, etc.

# Generalizing SW algorithm to QMC

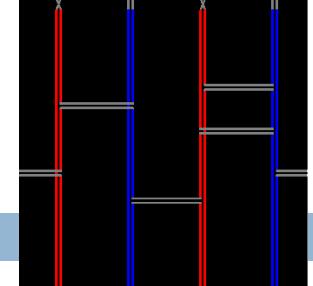


A "bond" in the  
Swendsen-Wang  
algorithm



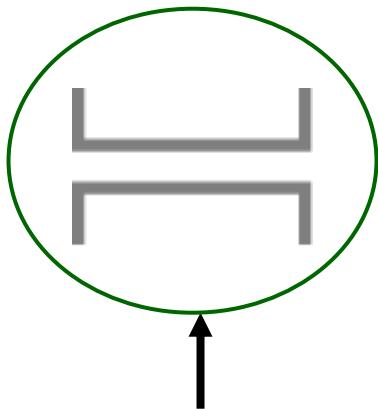
Loop elements  
in the loop algorithm  
for QMC

# Loop Algorithm for QMC

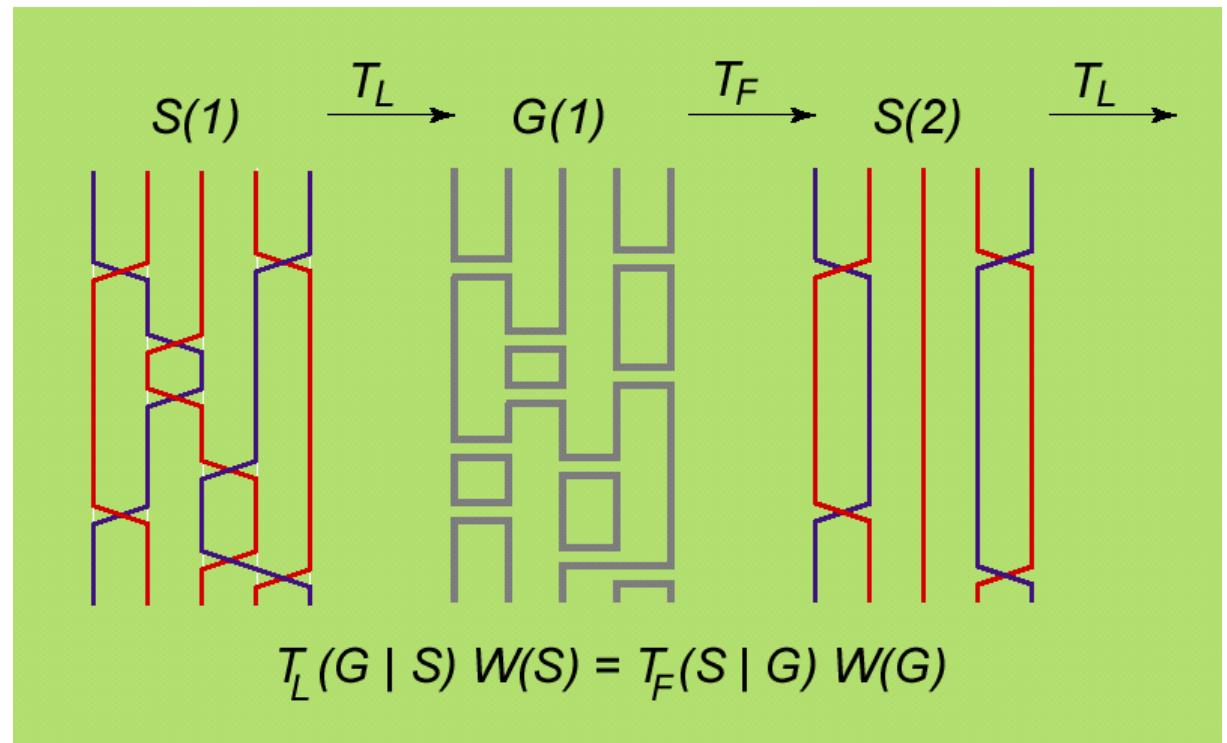


Evertz-Lana-Marcu 1993

Cluster Algorithm on Path-Integral Representation:

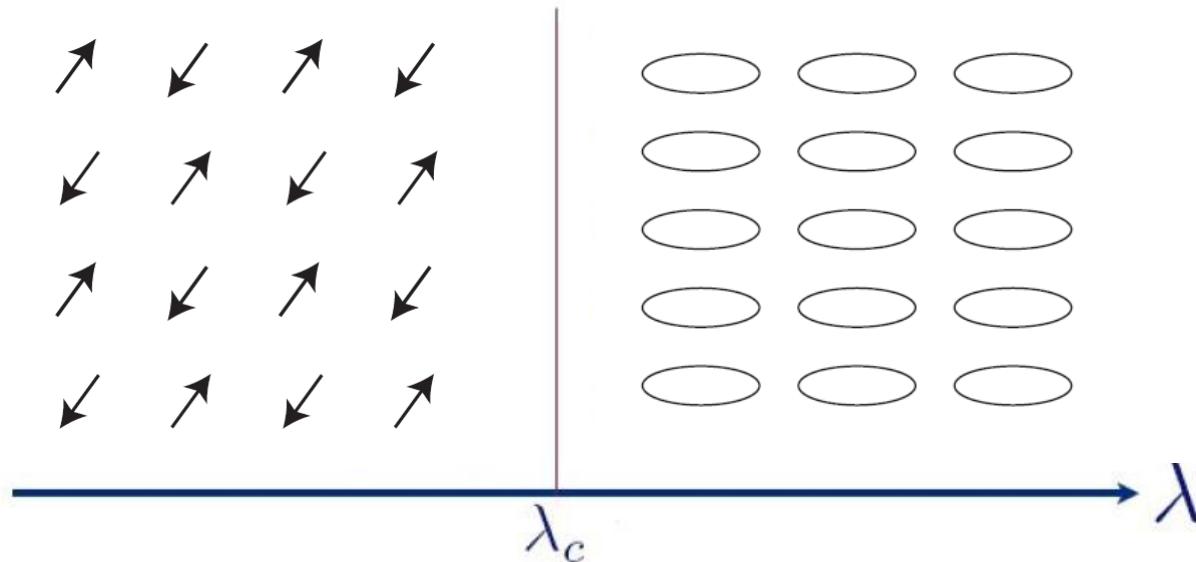


A graph element  
(for  $S=1/2$  anti-  
ferromagnetic  
Heisenberg  
model)



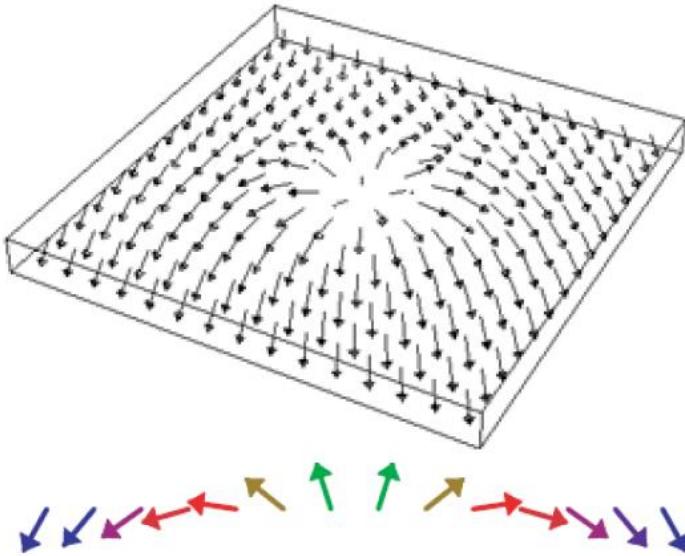
# Magnetic/Non-Magnetic Transition

"Bond-alternation" enforces the transition to the VBS state.



$$H = J \sum_{\mathbf{x}=(x,y), \mu=x,y} S_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot S_{\mathbf{x}+e_{\mu}} + \lambda J \sum_{\mathbf{x}=(x,y), x:\text{odd}} \left(1 + (-1)^x\right) S_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot S_{\mathbf{x}+e_x}$$

# Conventional Transition



Skkyrmion number:

$$Q = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x \mathbf{n} \cdot (\partial_x \mathbf{n} \times \partial_y \mathbf{n})$$

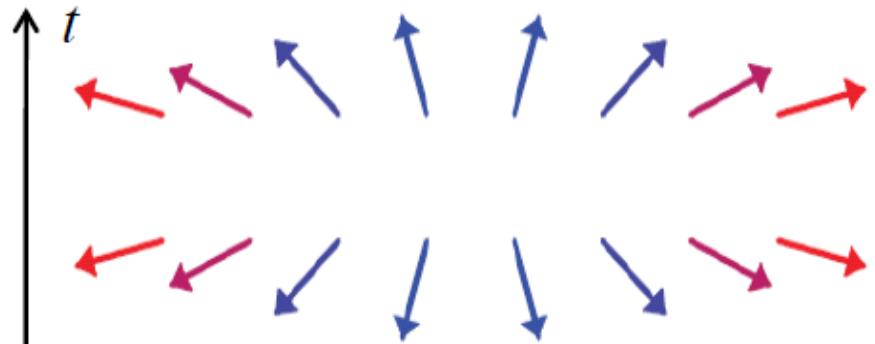
At the transition point, the Skkyrmion number is not conserved.

Monopole ("hedgehog")

= The skkyrmion-number-changing event .

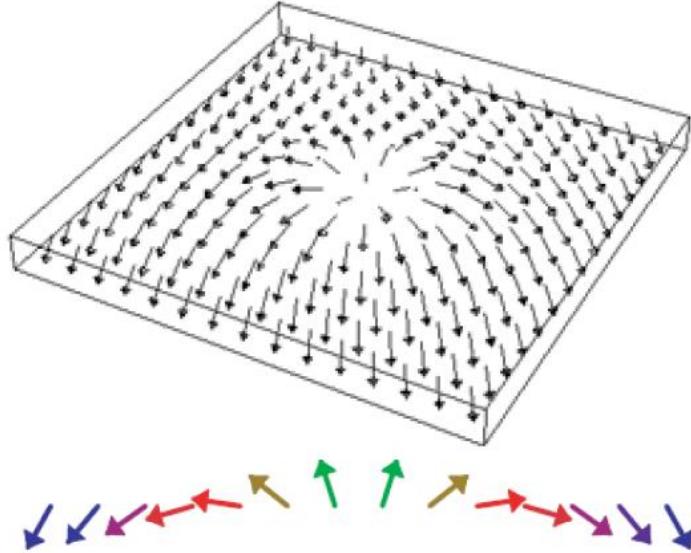
Example: 2+1 D O(3) Wilson-Fisher f.p.

If the skkyrmion number changes at some point of time...



... there must be a singular point in space-time.

# Deconfined Critical Phenomena



Skyrmion number:

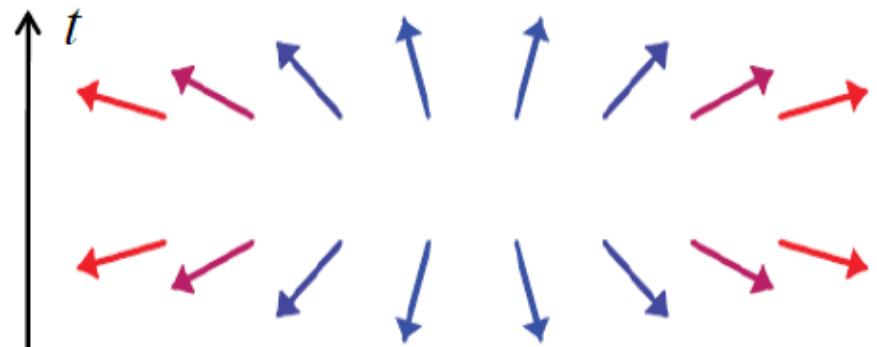
$$Q = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x \mathbf{n} \cdot (\partial_x \mathbf{n} \times \partial_y \mathbf{n})$$

T. Senthil, et al, Science 303, 1490 (2004)

At the deconfined critical point, the skyrmion number is asymptotically conserved, and monopoles are prohibited.

Example: non-compact  $CP(1)$  model?

If the skyrmion number changes at some point of time...



... there must be a singular point in space-time.

# Symmetries Around DCP

We cannot say one phase has higher symmetry than the other.

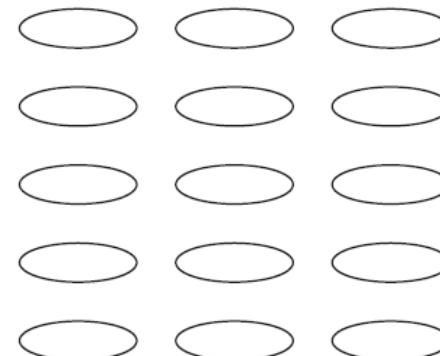
Neel



broken

not broken

VBS



Spin rotation symmetry

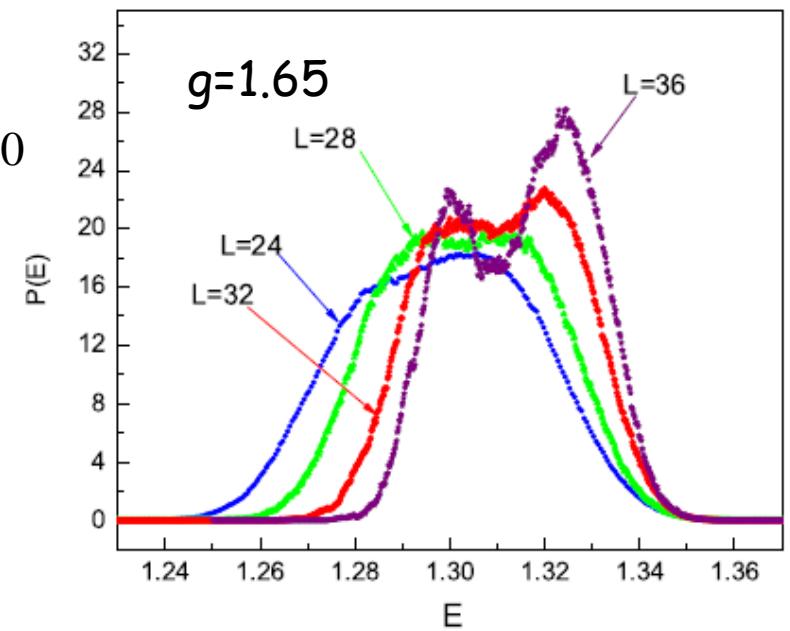
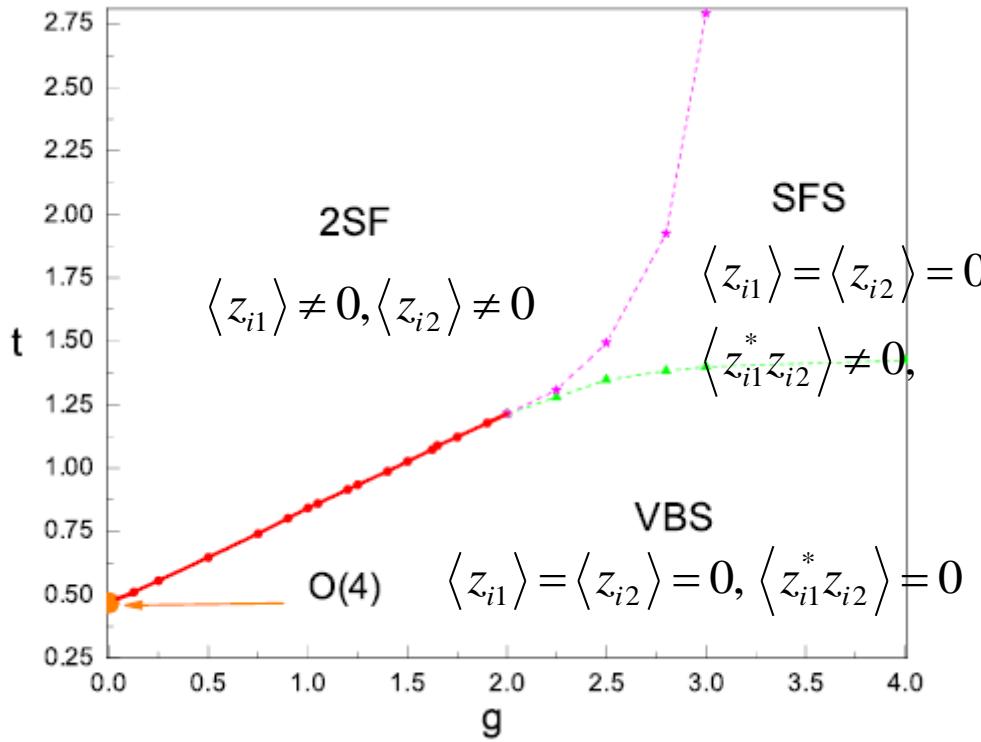
Lattice symmetry

not broken

broken

# SU(2) Symmetric NCCP<sup>1</sup> Model

$$S = -t \sum_{(ij)} \sum_{\alpha=1,2} \left( z_{i\alpha}^* z_{j\alpha} e^{iA_{ij}} + \text{c.c.} \right) + \frac{1}{8g} \sum_{\square} (\nabla \times A)^2 \quad \left( \sum_{\alpha=1,2} |z_{j\alpha}|^2 = 1 \right)$$



# SU(N) Heisenberg Model

A general extension of the SU(2) anti-ferromagnetic Heisenberg model

$$H = \frac{J}{N} \sum_{(r,r')} S_\beta^\alpha(r) \bar{S}_\alpha^\beta(r')$$

$S_\beta^\alpha(r)$  ... generators of SU(N) rotation represented by some representation  $R$

$\bar{S}_\beta^\alpha(r)$  ... the same with the conjugate representation

$$[S_\beta^\alpha, S_\delta^\gamma] = \delta_\delta^\alpha S_\beta^\gamma - \delta_\beta^\gamma S_\delta^\alpha \quad \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta = 1, 2, \dots, N$$

Representation:



$n=1$



$n=2$



$n=3$



$n=4$

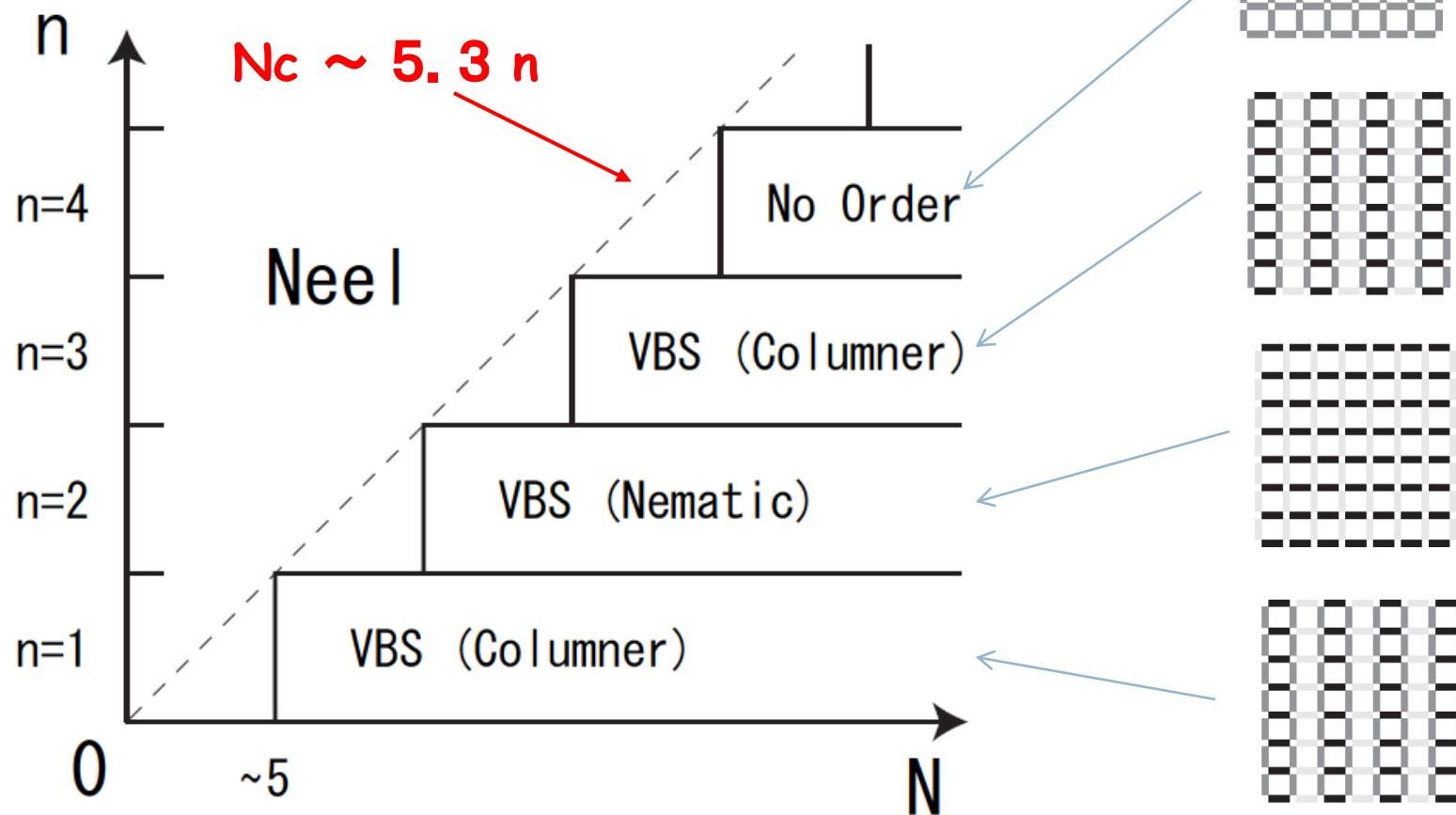
(fundamental  
representation.)

, etc

# 2D Analogue of "Haldane" States

Prediction from 1/N expansion Arovas & Auerbach (1988)

Read & Sachdev (1989)



2D Isotropic Case (Tanabe, N.K.)

# New challenge --- 「京」

京 =  $10^{16}$

0.64 M cores

The screenshot shows the TOP500 Supercomputer Sites website. At the top, there is a banner with the ISC events logo and the text "cloud computing". Below the banner, there is a navigation bar with links for PROJECT, LISTS, STATISTICS, RESOURCES, and NEWS. The main content area displays the "TOP 10 Systems - 06/2011" ranking. The K computer is listed as the top system.

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1	K computer	SPARC64 VIIIfx 2.0GHz	Tofu interconnect
2	Tianhe-1A	NUDT TH MPP, X5670 2.93Ghz 6C	NVIDIA GPU, FT-1000 8C
3	Jaguar	Cray XT5-HE Opteron 6-core	2.6 GHz
4	Nebulae	Dawning TC3600 Blade	Intel X5650, Nvidia Tesla C2050 GPU
5	TSUBAME 2.0	HP ProLiant SL390s G7	Xeon 6C X5670, Nvidia GPU, Linux/Windows
6	Cielo	Cray XE6	8-core 2.4 GHz

## ► Japan Reclaims Top Ranking on Latest TOP500 List of World's Supercomputers

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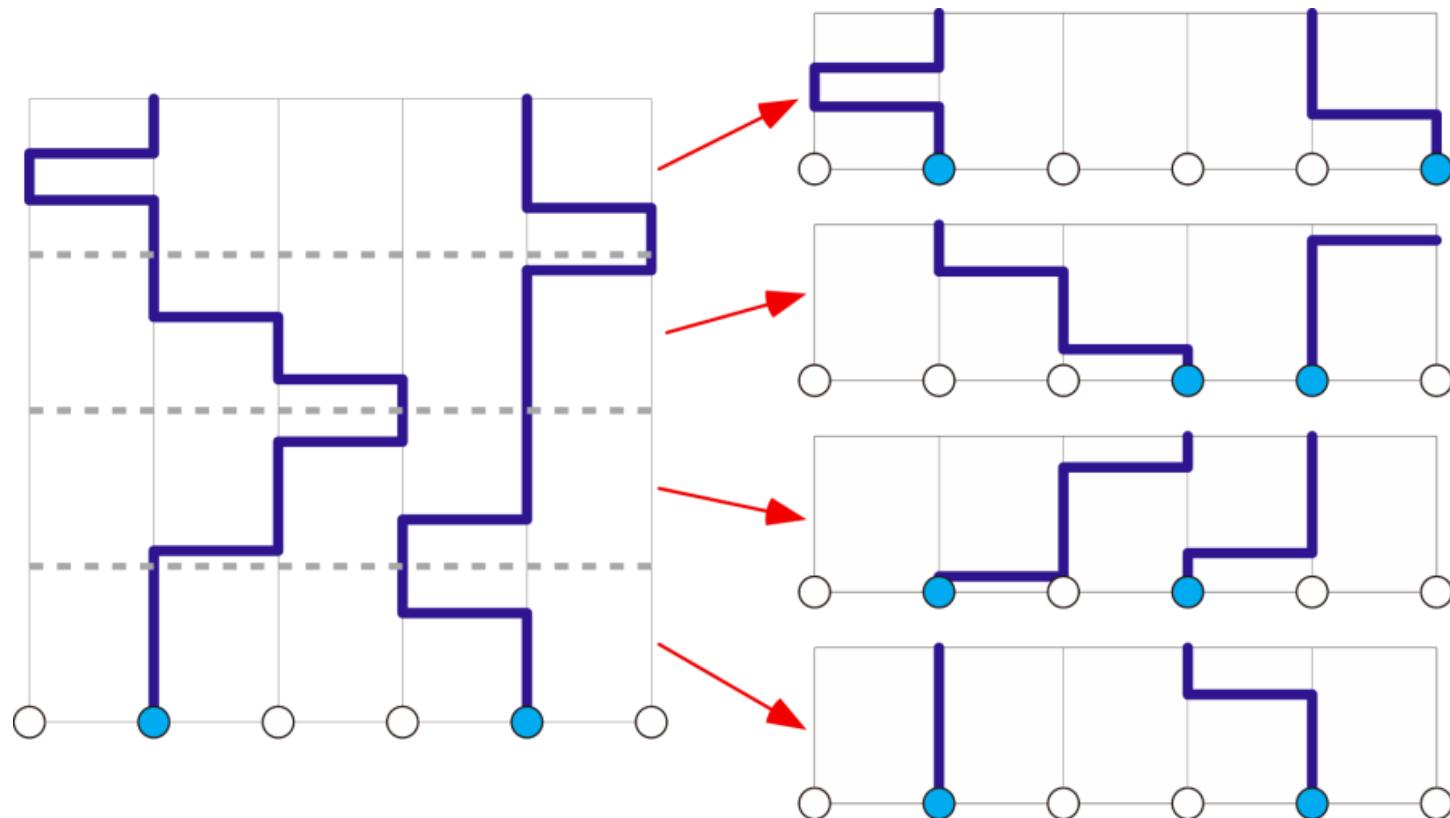


HAMBURG, Germany—A Japanese supercomputer capable of performing more than 8 quadrillion calculations per second (petaflop/s) is the new number one system in the

world, putting Japan back in the top spot for the first time since the Earth Simulator was dethroned in November 2004, according the latest edition of the TOP500 List of the world's top supercomputers. The system, called the K Computer, is at the RIKEN Advanced Institute for Computational Science (AICS) in Kobe.

# Parallelization of loop algorithm

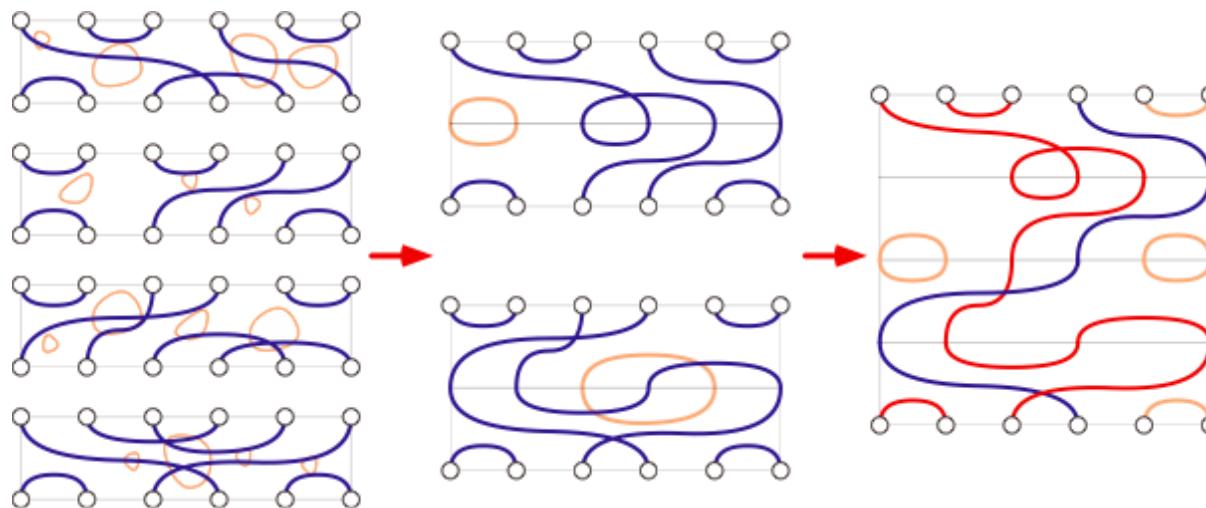
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# Parallelization of loop algorithm

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Binary-tree algorithm for cluster identification

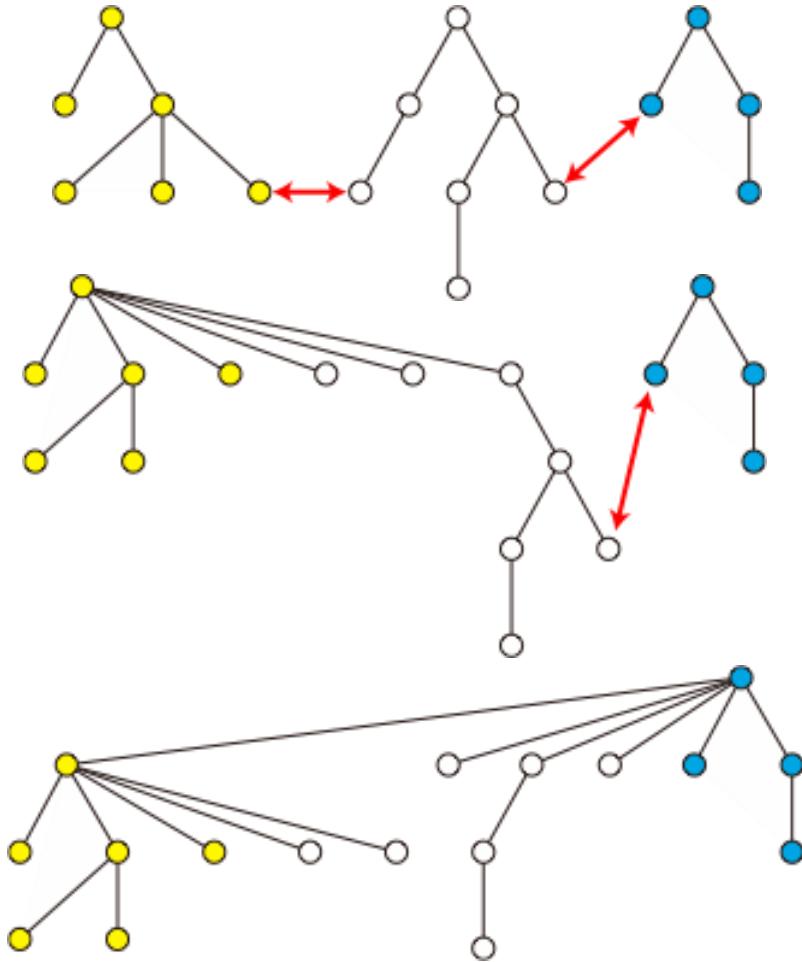


$$(N \log N_p) / \left( \frac{N\beta}{N_p} \right) = N_p \log N_p / \beta$$

... Relative overhead is negligible at very low temperatures

# Asynchronous lock-free union-find algorithm

S. Todo & H. Matsuo



- (1) find root of each cluster/tree
- (2) unify two clusters
- (3) compress path to the new root

Locking whole clusters is no good.  
(reduces parallelization efficiency)

Finding root and path compression  
are "thread-safe"

Lock-free unification can be achieved  
by using *CAS* (compare-and-swap)  
atomic operation

# Fundamental Representation ( $n=1$ )

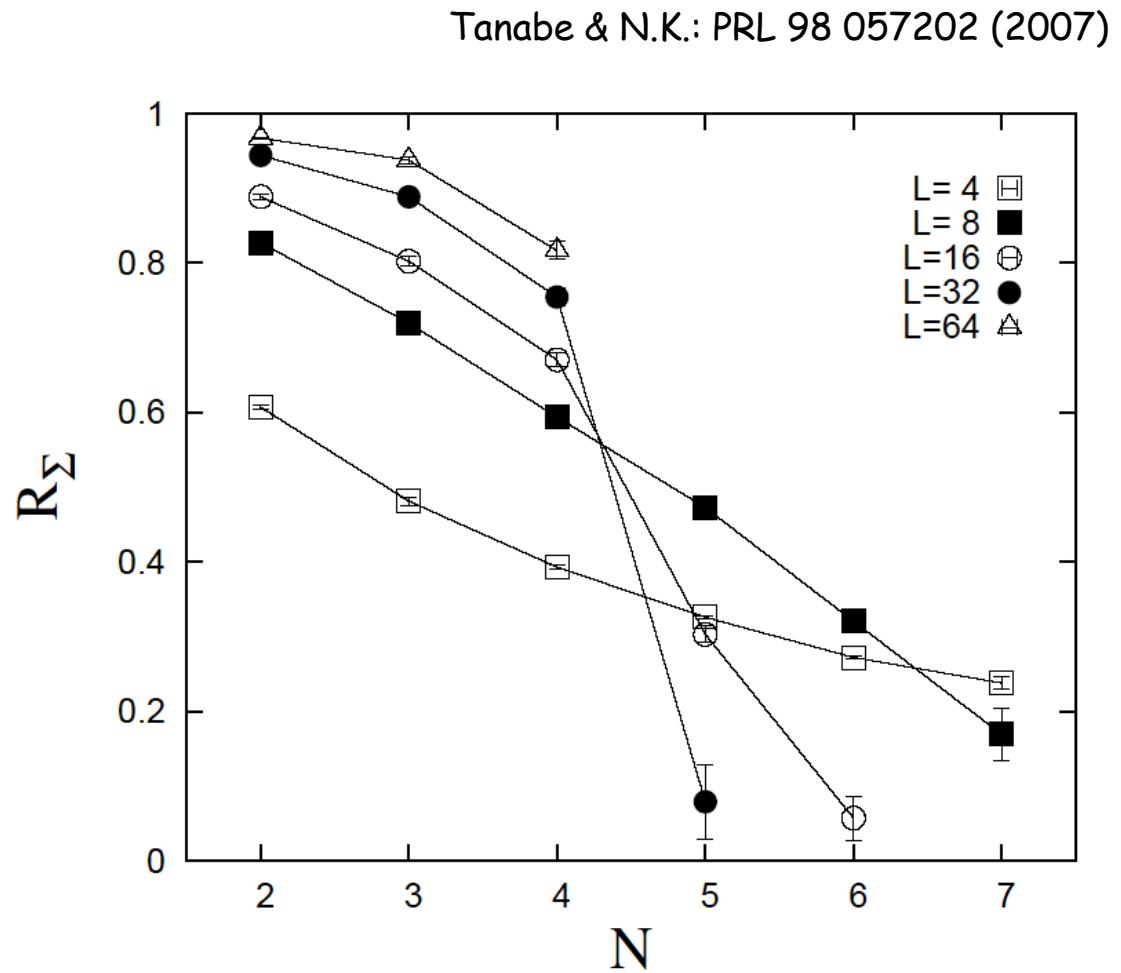
$$M(\mathbf{R}) \equiv S_1^1(\mathbf{R}) - S_2^2(\mathbf{R})$$

$$R_M(L) \equiv \frac{C_M(L/2)}{C_M(L/4)}$$

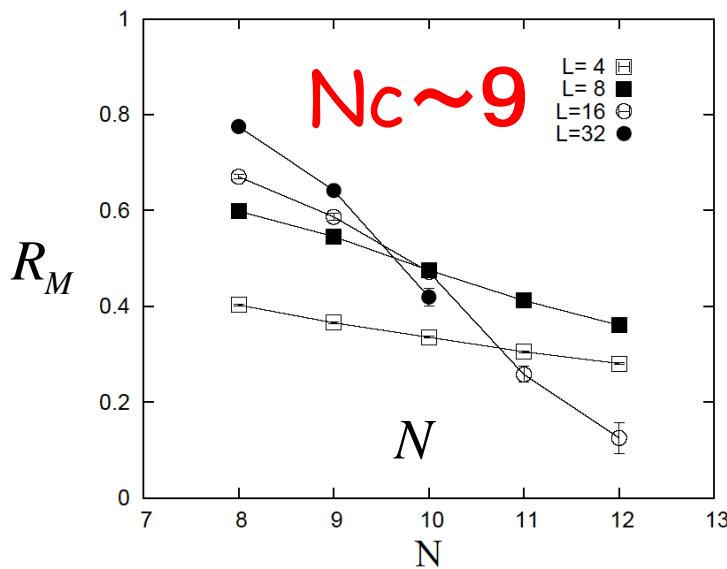
$$= \frac{\langle M(L/2)M(0) \rangle}{\langle M(L/4)M(0) \rangle}$$

Neel order disappears at  $N$

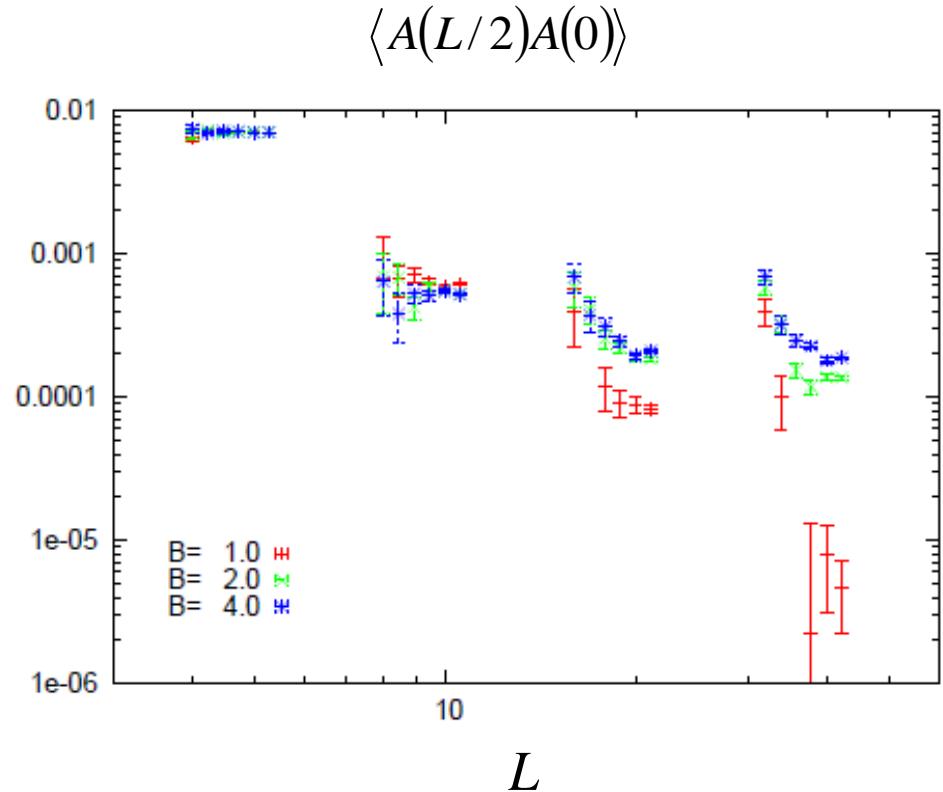
$4 < N_c < 5$



# SU(N) Model (n=2)



$$\begin{cases} A(\mathbf{R}) = V_x(\mathbf{R}) - V_y(\mathbf{R}); \\ V_\mu(\mathbf{R}) \equiv \frac{1}{n_B^2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N n_\alpha(\mathbf{R}) n_\alpha(\mathbf{R} + \mathbf{e}_\mu) \end{cases}$$



Very small but finite LRO is present.  
Lattice rotation symmetry is broken.

# Ground-State Manifold is U(1) Symmetric

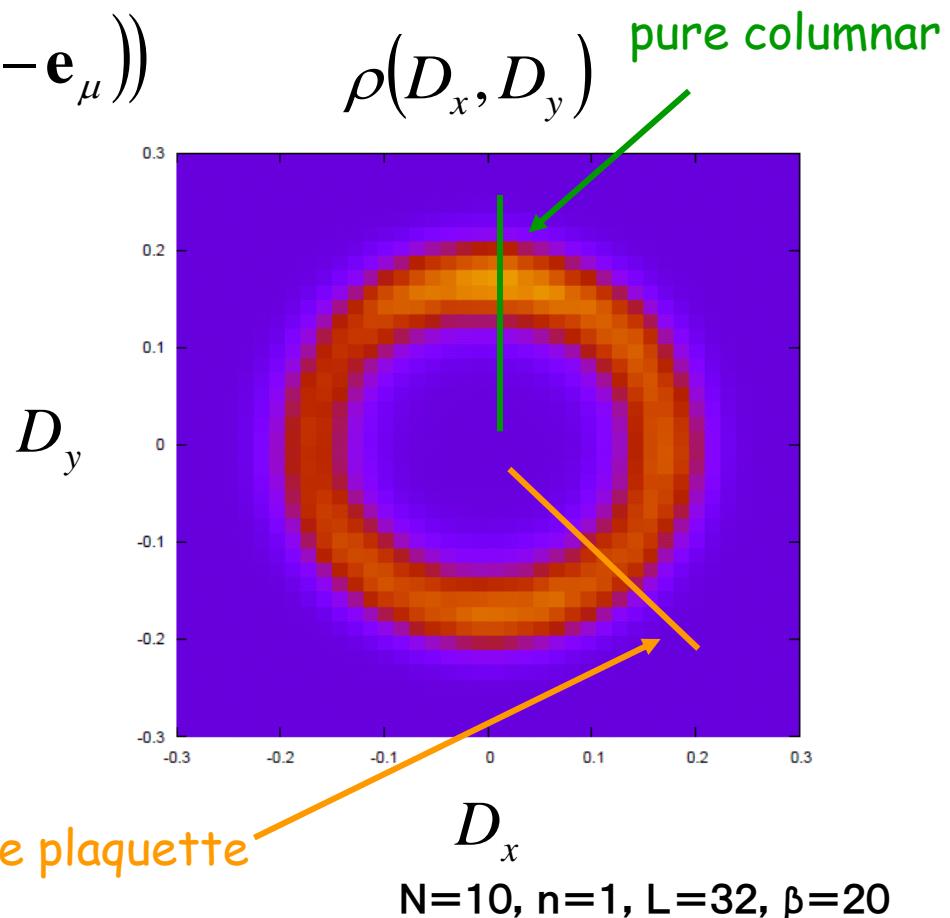
$$D_\mu \equiv \frac{1}{V} \sum_{\mathbf{R}} \left( P(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{R} + \mathbf{e}_\mu) - P(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{e}_\mu) \right)$$

$$\left( P(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{R}') \equiv \sum_{\alpha=1}^N S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbf{R}) S_\alpha^\alpha(\mathbf{R}') \right)$$

The system is asymptotically U(1) symmetric though the original microscopic model does not possess this symmetry.

... Reflection of the U(1) symmetry at DCP

Tanabe & N.K.: PRL 98 057202 (2007)



# Multi-spin Interactions

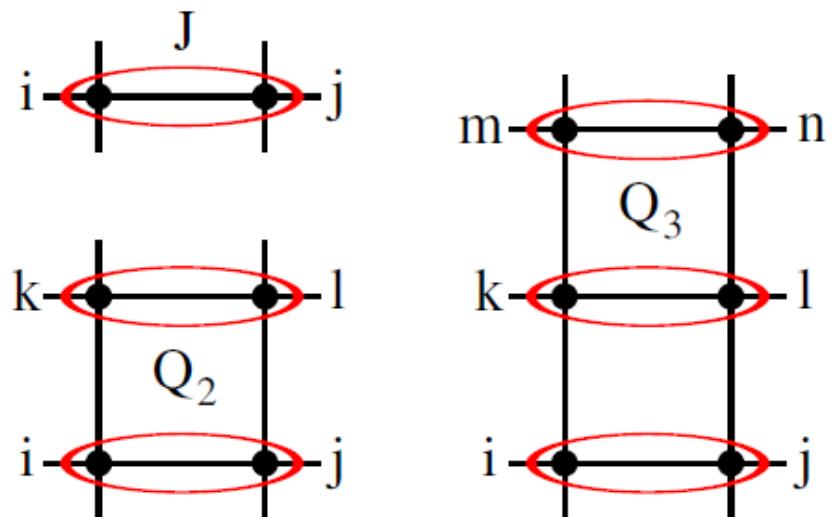
A. W. Sandvik, Phys. Rev. Lett. 98, 227202 (2007)  
J. Lou, A. Sandvik, N.K.: PRB 80, 180414R (2009)

$$H_1 = J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j = -J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} C_{ij} + \frac{L^2 J}{2}$$

$$C_{ij} = \frac{1}{4} - \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j$$

$$H_2 = -Q_2 \sum_{\langle i j k l \rangle} C_{kl} C_{ij}$$

$$H_3 = -Q_3 \sum_{\langle i j k l m n \rangle} C_{mn} C_{kl} C_{ij}$$



# $SU(2)$ J-Q Model

A. W. Sandvik, PRL98, 227202 (2007)

U(1) Nature is confirmed  
near the critical point.  
(Slightly on the dimer  
order side.)

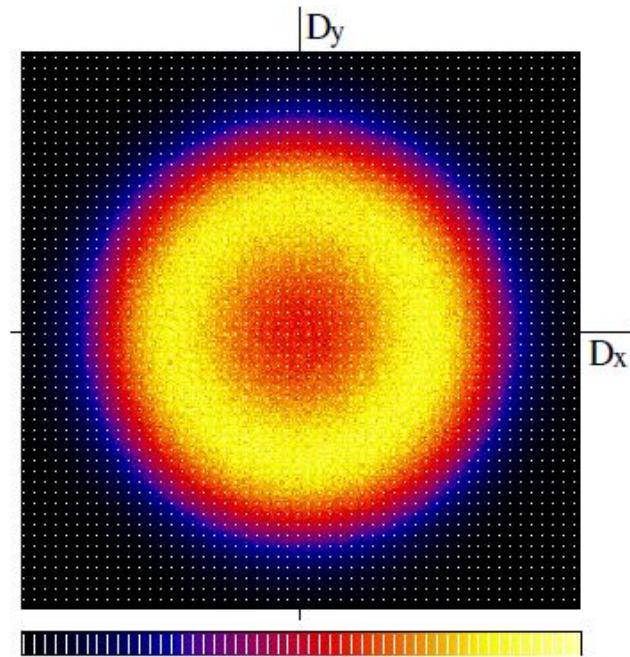
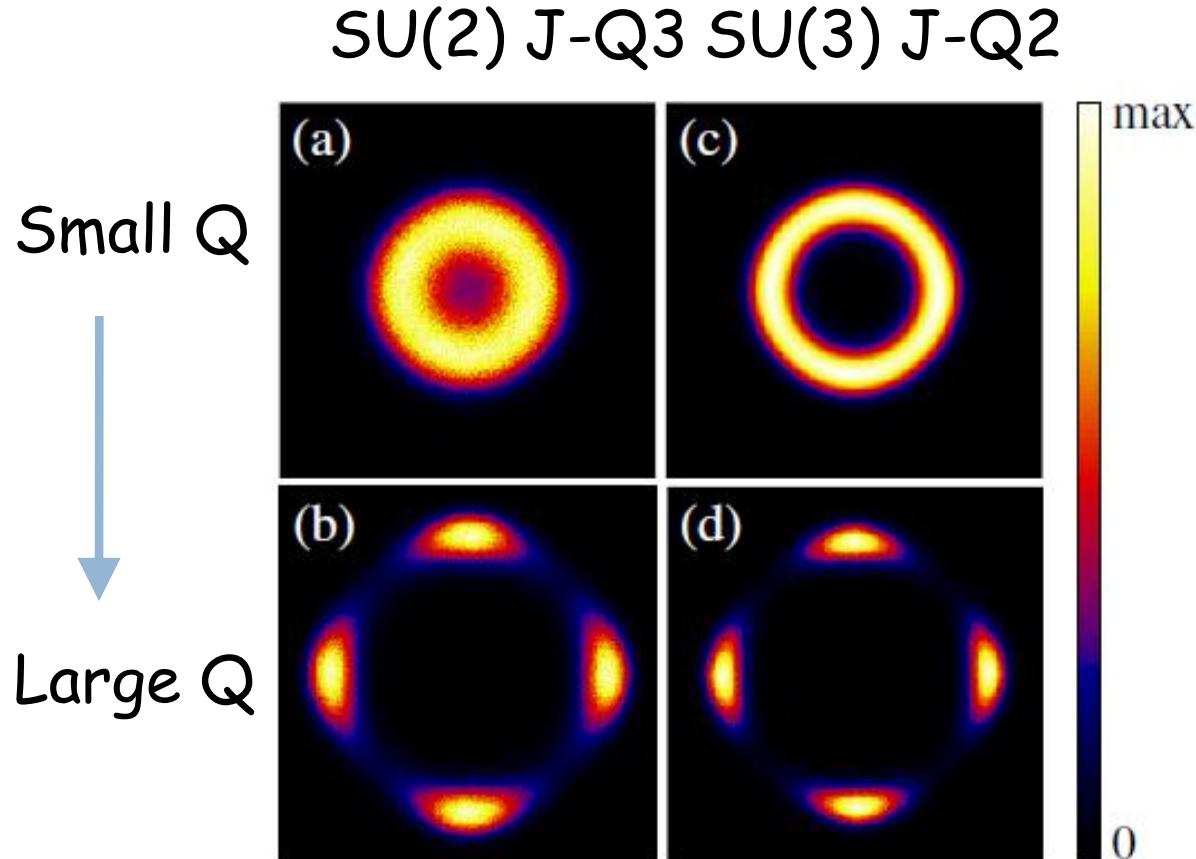


FIG. 5 (color online). Histogram of the dimer order parameter for an  $L = 32$  system at  $J/Q = 0$ . The ring shape demonstrates an emergent  $U(1)$  symmetry, i.e., irrelevance of the  $Z_4$  anisotropy of the VBS order parameter.

# VBS - VBS Crossover



J. Lou, A. Sandvik, N.K (2009)

# Scaling Properties of Anisotropy

J. Lou, A. Sandvik, N.K. (2009)

$$D_4^2 \equiv \int dD_x dD_y P(D_x, D_y) \times (D_x^2 + D_y^2) \cos(4\theta)$$

$$D_4^2 = L^{-(1+\eta_d)} F_4(qL^{1/a_4\nu})$$

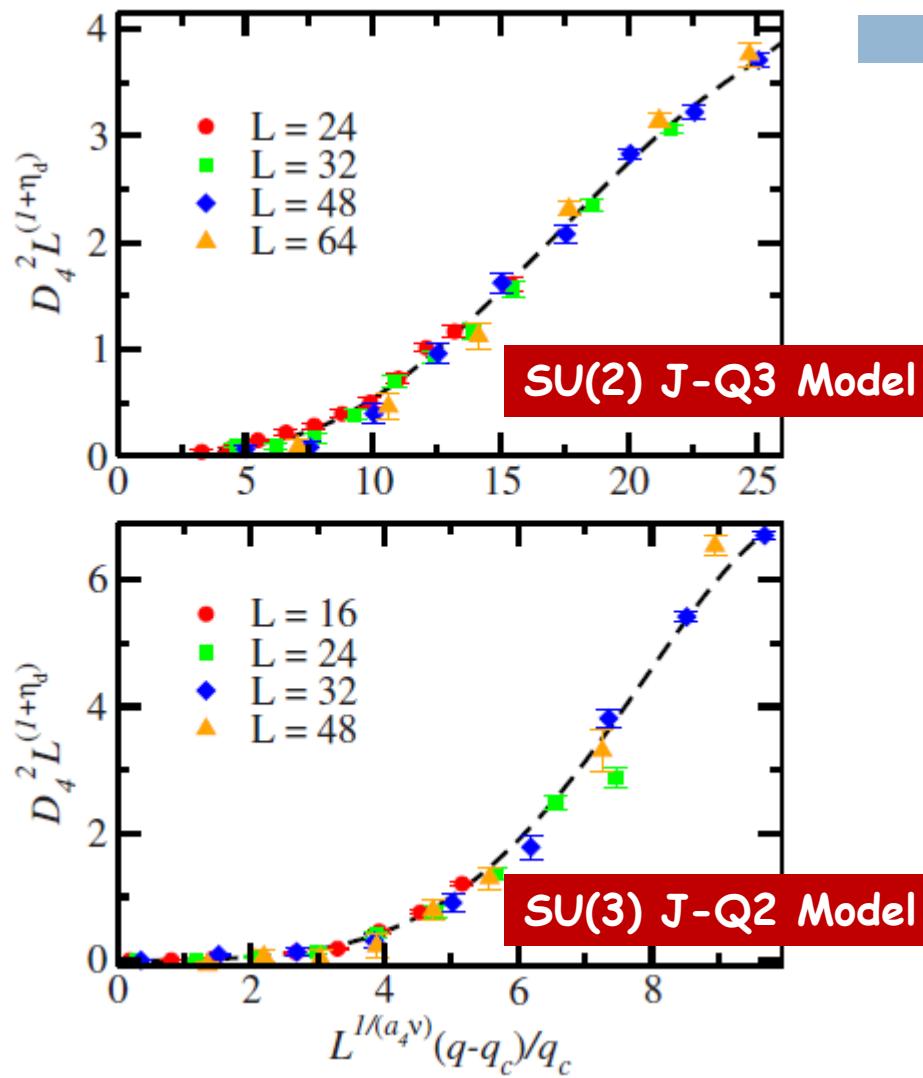
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**SU(2) J-Q3**

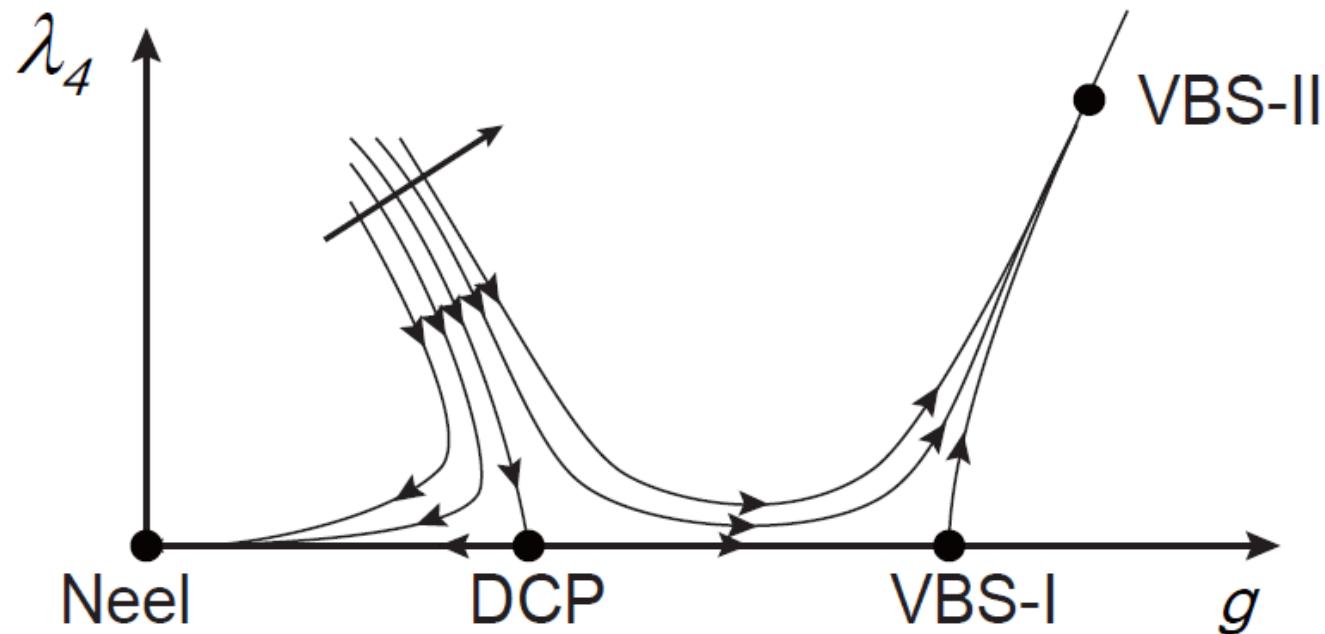
$$\eta_d = 0.20(2), \nu = 0.69(2), a_4 = 1.20(5)$$

**SU(3) J-Q2**

$$\eta_d = 0.42(3), \nu = 0.65(3), a_4 = 1.6(2)$$



# Recovery of Discreteness



The exponent  $\nu$  on the VBS side may be affected by the additional fixed point and can differ from the Neel side.

# J—Q Model

Jie Lou, A. Sandvik and N.K.:  
Phys. Rev. B **80**, 180414 (2009)

$$H = H_1 + H_2 + H_3$$

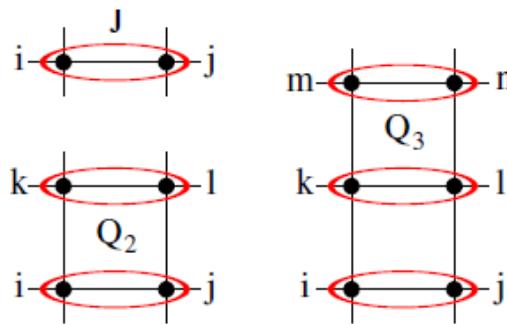
$$H_1 = -J \sum_{(ij)} C_{ij},$$

$$H_2 = -Q_2 \sum_{(ijkl)} C_{ij} C_{kl},$$

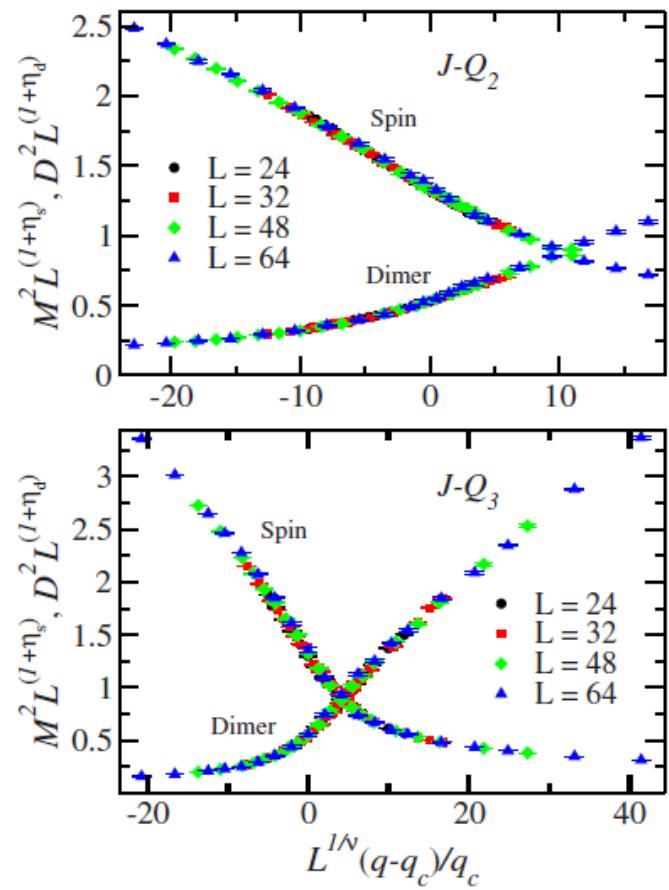
$$H_3 = -Q_3 \sum_{(ijklmn)} C_{ij} C_{kl} C_{mn}$$

$$C_{ij} = -\sum_{\alpha, \beta} \mathcal{J}_i^{\alpha\beta} \mathcal{J}_j^{\beta\alpha}$$

$$\left( = \frac{1}{4} - \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j \quad (\text{for } N=2, n=1) \right)$$



SU(2) J-Q Model



Continuous Transition is suggested.

# $SU(3)$ and $SU(4)$ J-Q2 Models

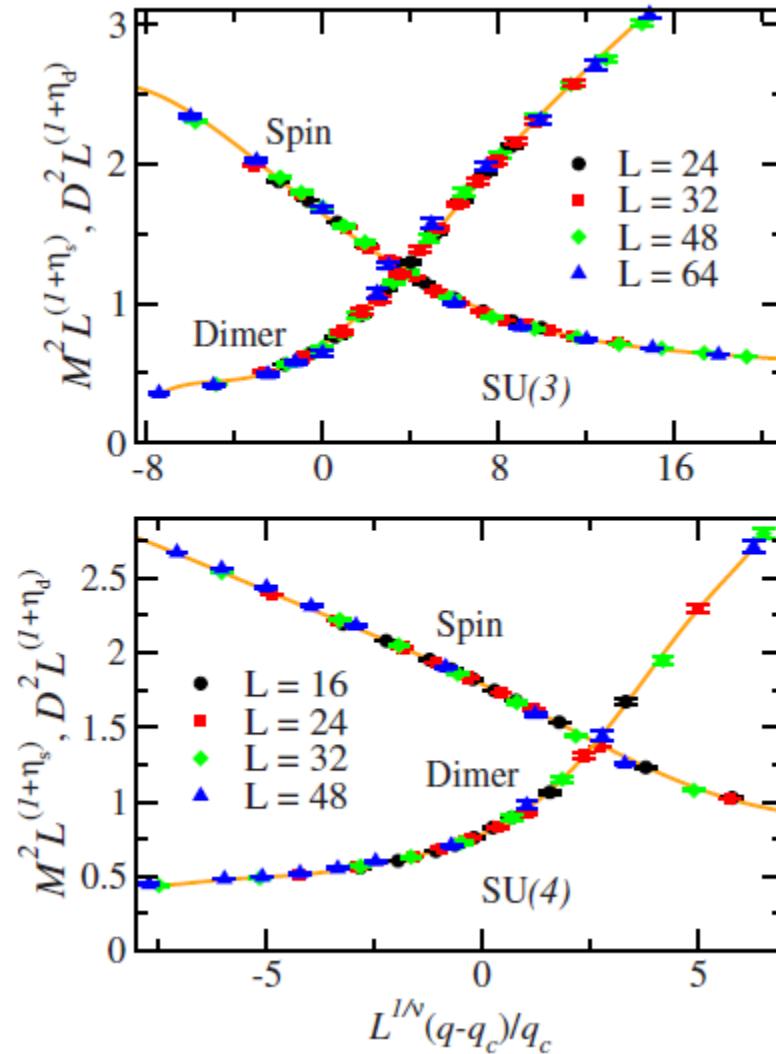
## $SU(3)$ J-Q2

$$\eta_s = 0.38(3), \nu = 0.65(3)$$

## $SU(4)$ J-Q2

$$\eta_s = 0.42(5), \nu = 0.70(2)$$

Jie Lou, A. Sandvik and N.K.:  
Phys. Rev. B 80, 180414 (2009)



# Universality?

J. Lou, A. Sandvik, N.K.: PRB 80, 180414R (2009)

Model, symmetry	$\eta_s$	$\eta_d$	$\nu$	$a_4$
$J\text{-}Q_2$ , SU(2)	0.35(2)	0.20(2)	0.67(1)	
$J\text{-}Q_3$ , SU(2)	0.33(2)	0.20(2)	0.69(2)	1.20(5)
$J\text{-}Q_2$ , SU(3)	0.38(3)	0.42(3)	0.65(3)	1.6(2)
$J\text{-}Q_2$ , SU(4)	0.42(5)	0.64(5)	0.70(2)	1.5(2)

For  $N \gg 1$ ,  $\eta_s = 1$ .

T. Senthil, et al, Science 303, 1490 (2004)  
M. Levin and T. Senthil, Phys. Rev. B 70, 220403R (2004).

For  $N \gg 1$ ,  $\eta_d \propto N$ .

$CP^{N-1}$  Field Theory:  
M. A. Metlitski, et al, PRB 78, 214418 (2008);  
G. Murthy and S. Sachdev, Nucl. Phys. B 344, 557 (1990).

# Scaling Dimension (CP<sup>N-1</sup> Model)

Murthy and Sachdev, Nucl. Phys. B 344 557 (1990)  
Metlitski, et al, PRB78 214418 (2008)

$$L = \left| D_\mu z \right|^2 + i\lambda \left( |z|^2 - \frac{1}{g} \right)$$

$$D_\mu \equiv \partial_\mu - iA_\mu$$

$A_\mu$  :  $U(1)$  gauge field

$\Delta_q$  = (monopole scaling dimension)

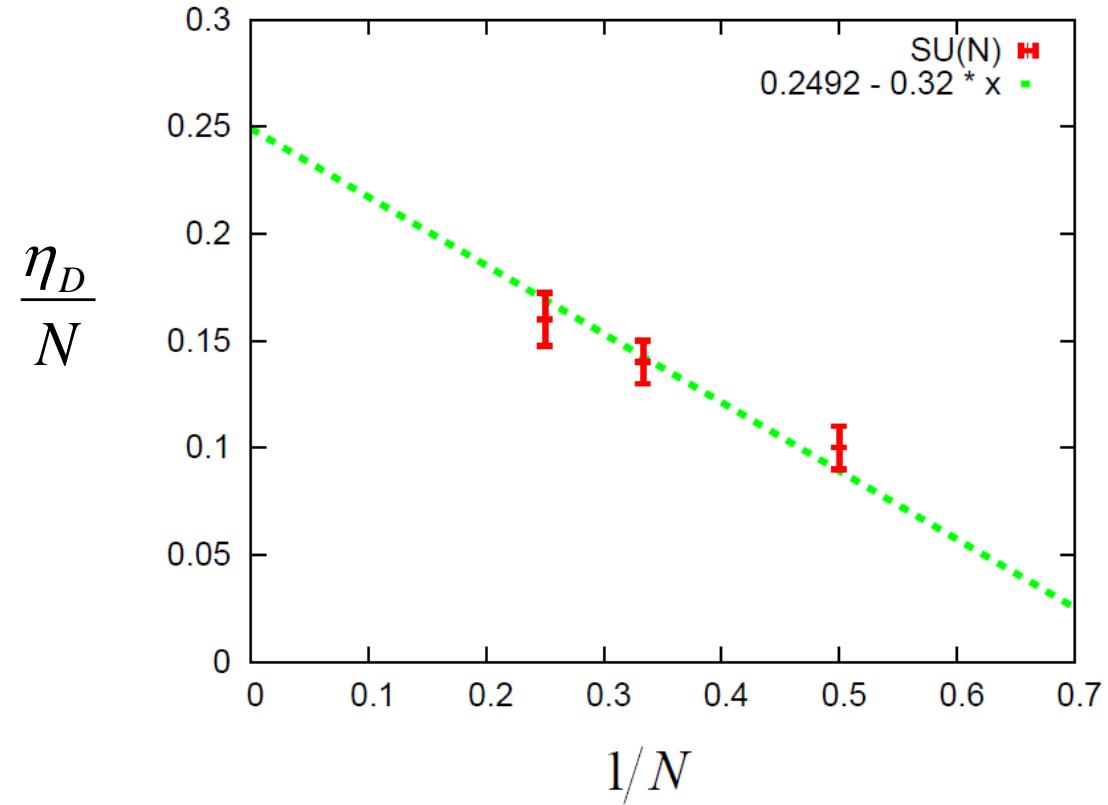
$$\langle D(R)D(0) \rangle = \langle \Psi_{\text{VBS}}(R)\Psi_{\text{VBS}}(0) \rangle = \langle v^+(R)v(0) \rangle \propto \frac{1}{R^{2\Delta_1}}$$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \eta_D}{N} = \frac{2\Delta_1}{N} \approx 0.2492 \quad \left( \rho_1 = \frac{\Delta_1}{2N} = 0.062296\dots \text{(Murthy \& Sachdev)} \right)$$

# Monopole Scaling Dimension up to $O(N^{-1})$

$$\frac{\eta_D}{N} = \frac{2\Delta_1 - 1}{N} = 0.2492 - 0.32 \frac{1}{N} + O\left(\frac{1}{N^2}\right)$$

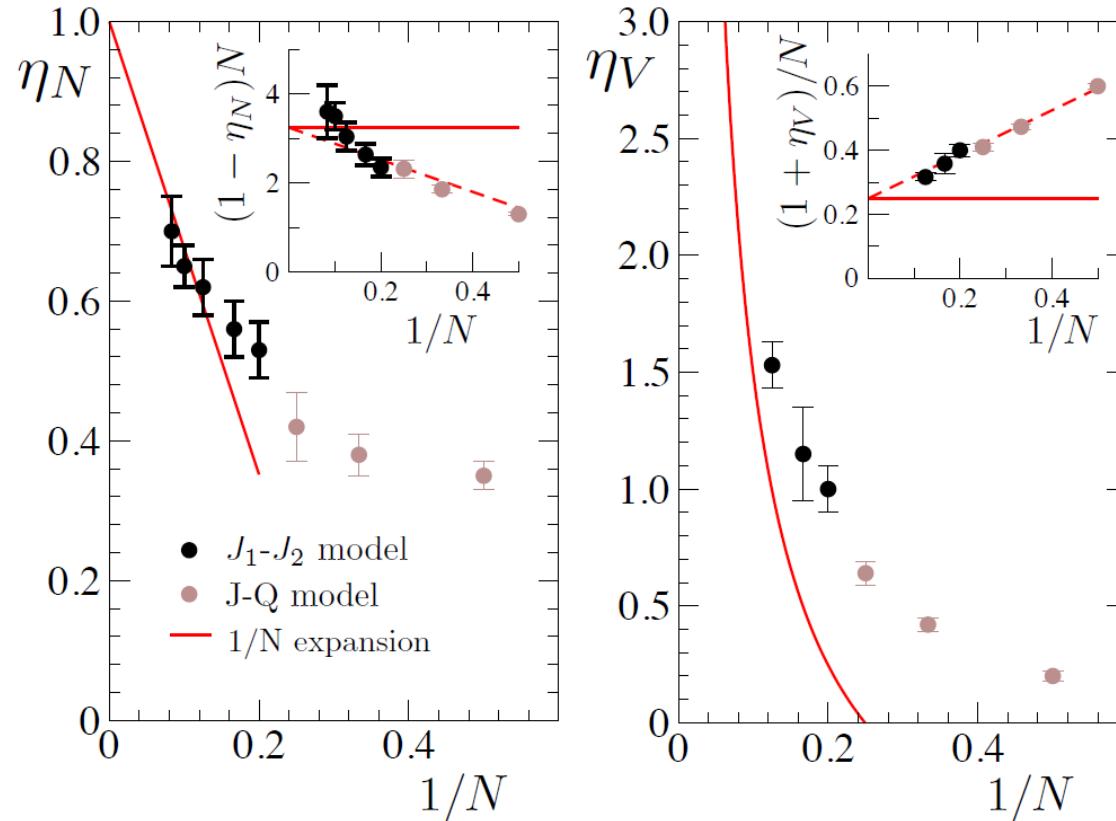
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B 80, 180414 (2009)



# Recent Refinement by Kaul & Sandvik

R. Kaul and A. Sandvik, arXiv:1110.4130v1

$$\eta_N = 1 - 32/(\pi^2 N), \quad 1 + \eta_V = 2\delta_1 N$$



# Quantum Spin System

Yip (PRL 90 (2003) 250402):

$$H = -t \sum_{(ij)} \sum_{\sigma, \sigma' = -1, 0, 1} \left( b_{i\sigma}^+ b_{j\sigma'} + b_{j\sigma'}^+ b_{i\sigma} \right) + [\text{on-site Coulomb repulsion}]$$

Effective Hamiltonian to the 2nd order in  $t$

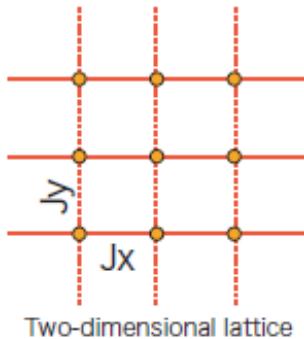
$$H = \sum_{(ij)} \left\{ J_L (\mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j) + J_Q (\mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j)^2 \right\} + \text{const}$$

$$J_L = -\frac{2t^2}{U_2}, \quad J_Q = -\frac{2}{3} \frac{t^2}{U_2} - \frac{4}{3} \frac{t^2}{U_0}$$

$U_S$  = [the on-site repulsion when the total spin is  $S$ ]

$^{23}\text{Na}$ :  $0 < U_0 < U_2$     ( $J_Q < J_L < 0$ )

# Bilinear-Biquadratic Model in 2D with strong spatial anisotropy (Phase Diagram)



Anisotropy parameter

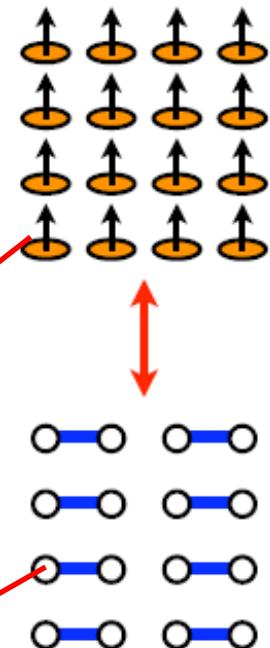
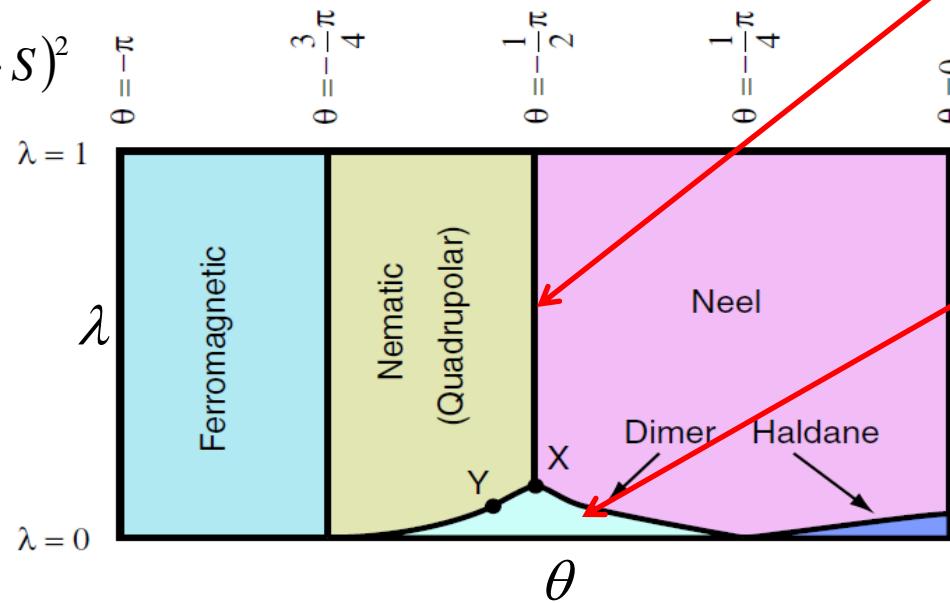
$$\lambda \equiv J_y/J_x \quad (J_y < J_x)$$

$$H = J_L^\mu (S \cdot S) + J_Q^\mu (S \cdot S)^2$$

$$(\mu = x, y)$$

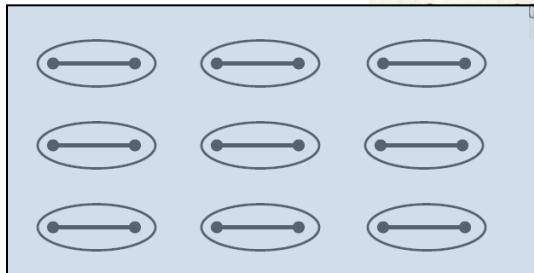
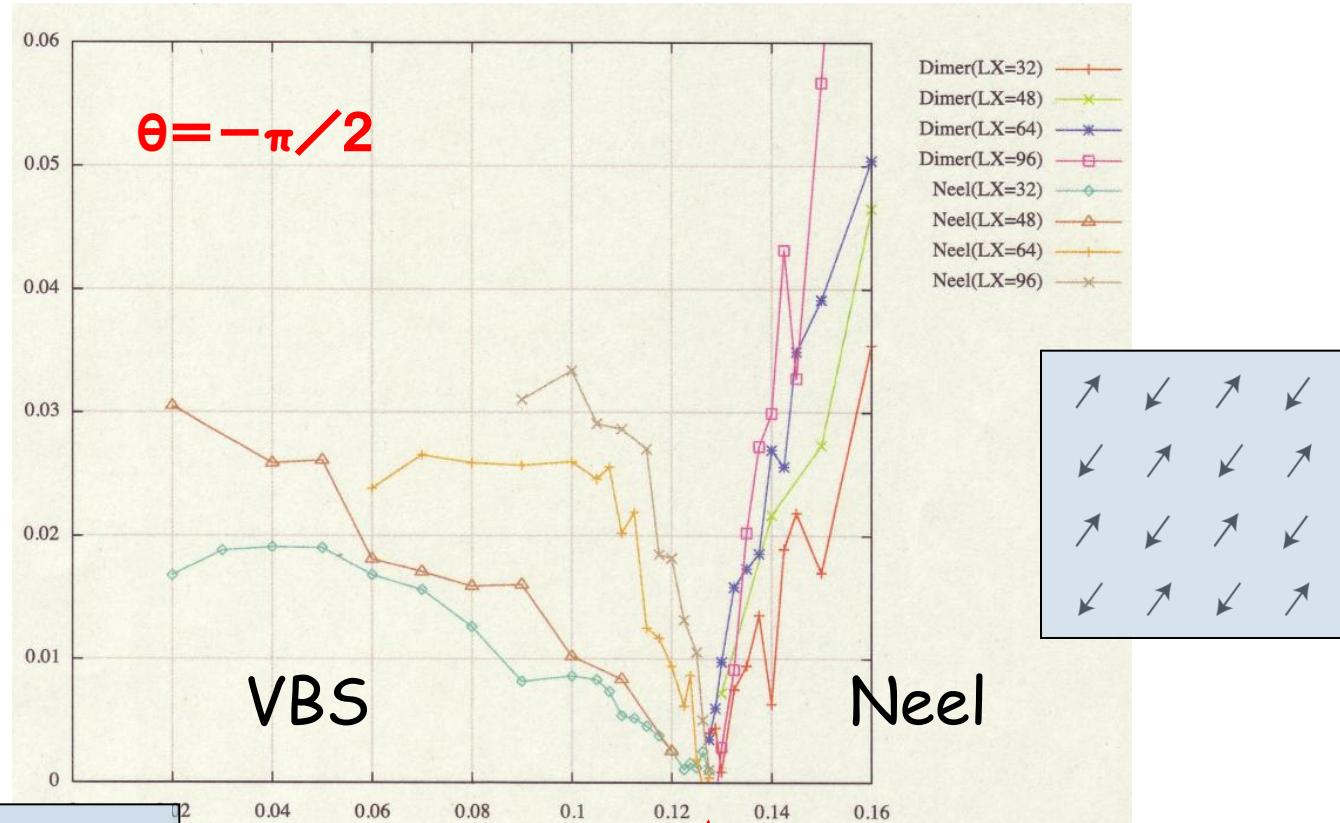
$$J_L^\mu = -J^\mu \cos \theta$$

$$J_Q^\mu = -J^\mu \sin \theta$$



# Diversing Correlation Lengths

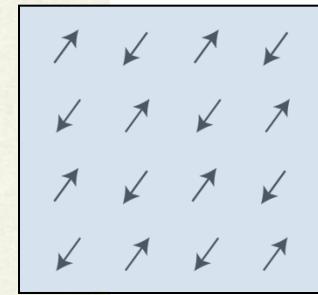
$$\frac{1}{\xi_{\text{spin}}}, \frac{1}{\xi_{\text{VBS}}}$$



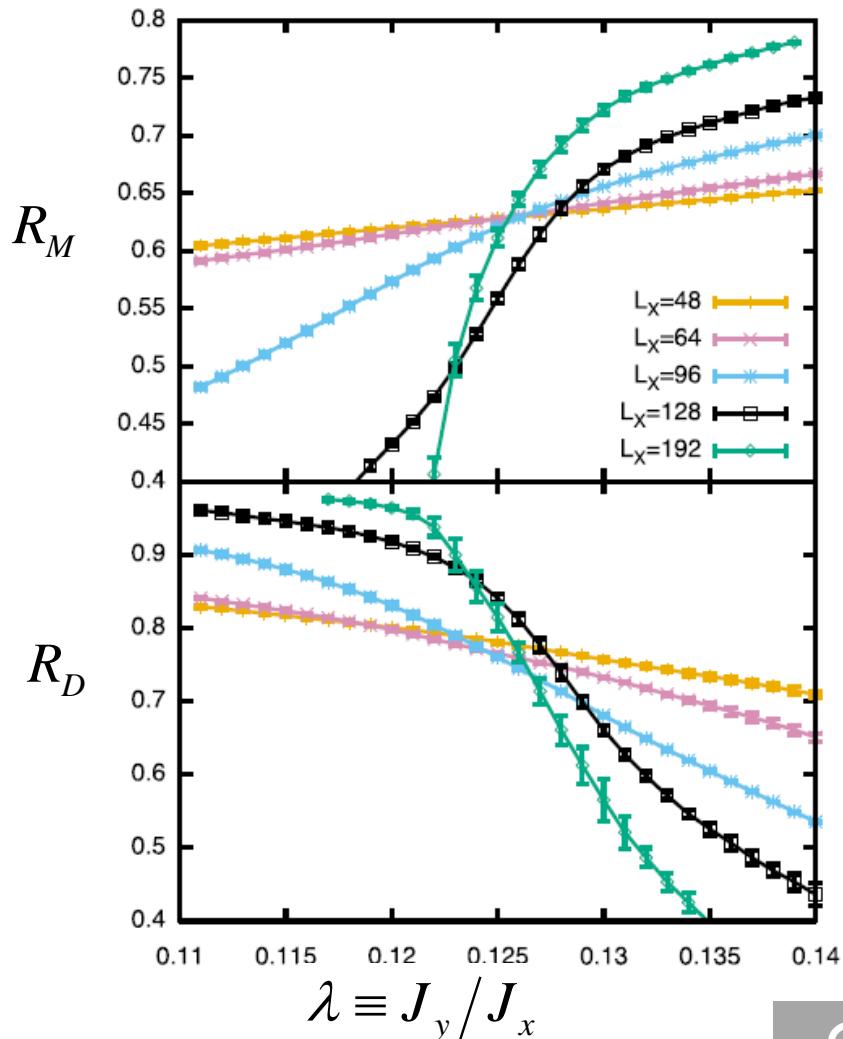
$$J_y/J_x$$



2 correlation length diverges  
at the same point.



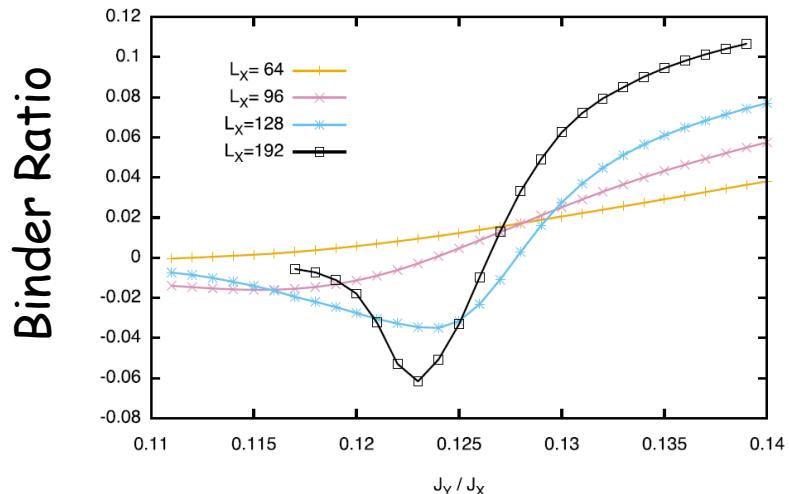
# $\theta = -0.5\pi$ (SU(3) symmetric)



A single transition is likely...

$$\lambda_c = 0.125(5)$$

Cannot obtain a reliable finite-size scaling plot.



# Conclusion

## (1) Isotropic SU(N) Heisenberg Model

- ✓ VBS Ground State
- ✓ Proximity to DCP critical phenomena

## (2) Multi-Spin Interactions (J-Q Models)

- ✓ Consistent with DCP
- ✓  $n_d$  proportional to  $N$  (The correction term is estimated)

## (3) Quasi-1D SU(3) and SU(4) Models

- ✓ Direct transition is likely
- ✓ Still not clear if the transition is of the 2nd order  
(We need bigger machines, and a better strategy.)