

MBL AND TENSOR NETWORKS

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MBL in the language of tensor networks

Outline

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Prescription to built 2^n MPS out of these matrices

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Entanglement Saturates
ETH Violated

P(S)
Mobility Edge

Local Excitations

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Scaling at the transition

Area Law MBL Eigenstates: Bauer, Nayak; Eisert

* Yu, Pekker, BKC; arxiv:1509.01244

* Vedika, Pollmann, Sondhi; arxiv:1509.00483

Two languages for many-body localization

Hamiltonian language: I-bits

$$H = \sum_i \alpha_i \tau_i + \sum_{i,j} \alpha_{ij} \tau_i \tau_j + \dots$$

Wave-function language: Tensor Networks

Want a language in which to describe the eigenstates

MPS Ground State:

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline G_1^\downarrow & G_2^\downarrow \\ \hline G_1^\uparrow & G_2^\uparrow \\ \hline \end{array}$$

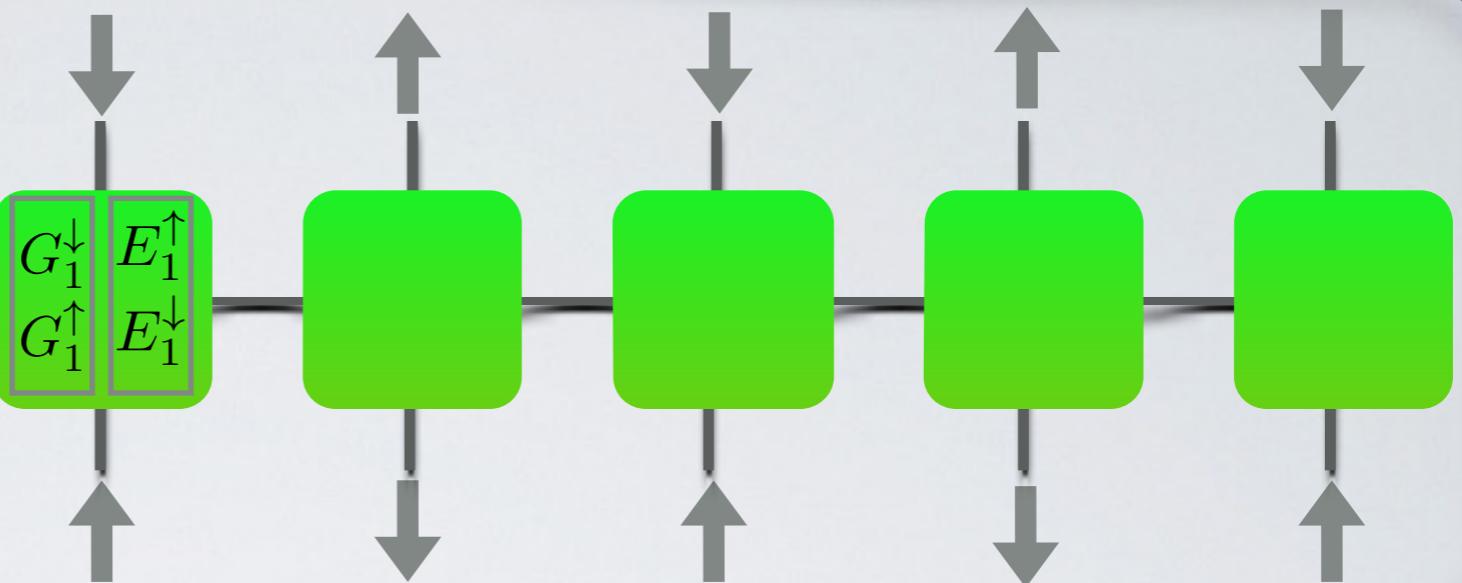
$$G_1 \quad G_2 \quad G_3 \quad \dots \quad G_n$$

$$\underline{E_1} \quad E_2 \quad E_3 \quad \dots \quad \underline{E_n}$$

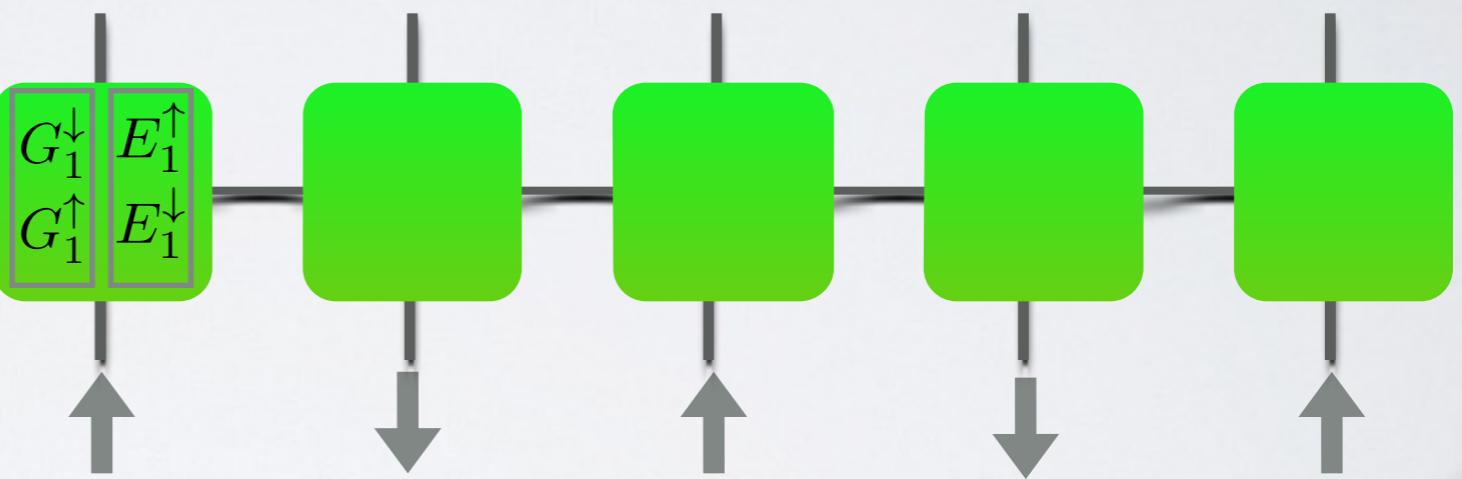
All 2^n eigenstates can be generated by all combinatorial combinations of the G, E matrices.

$$\langle \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \sigma_3 \sigma_4 \sigma_5 | \hat{O} | \sigma'_1 \sigma'_2 \sigma'_3 \sigma'_4 \sigma'_5 \rangle$$

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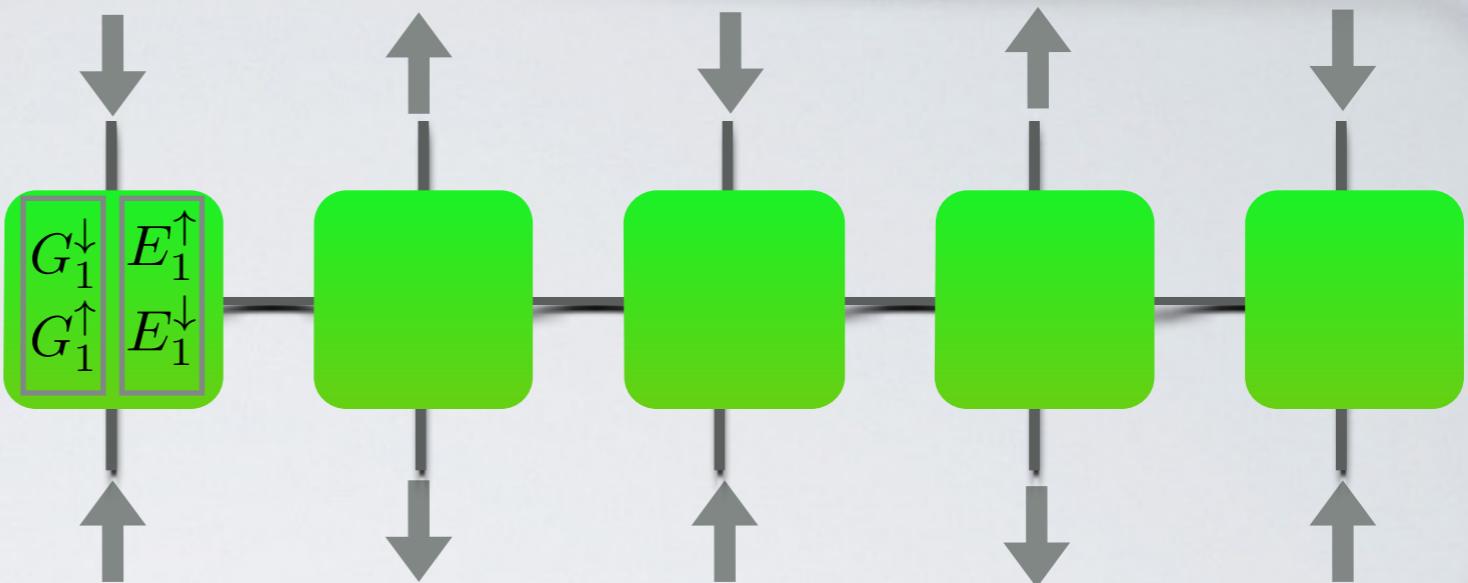


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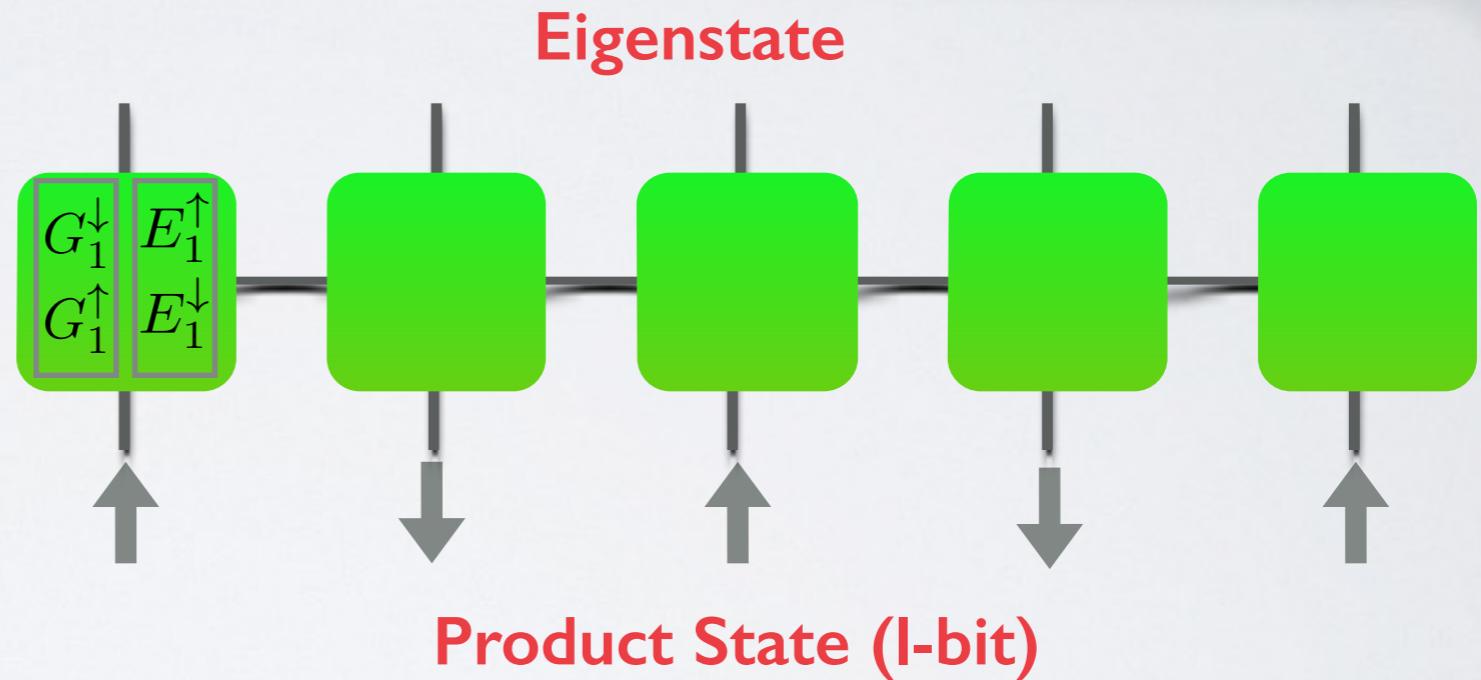


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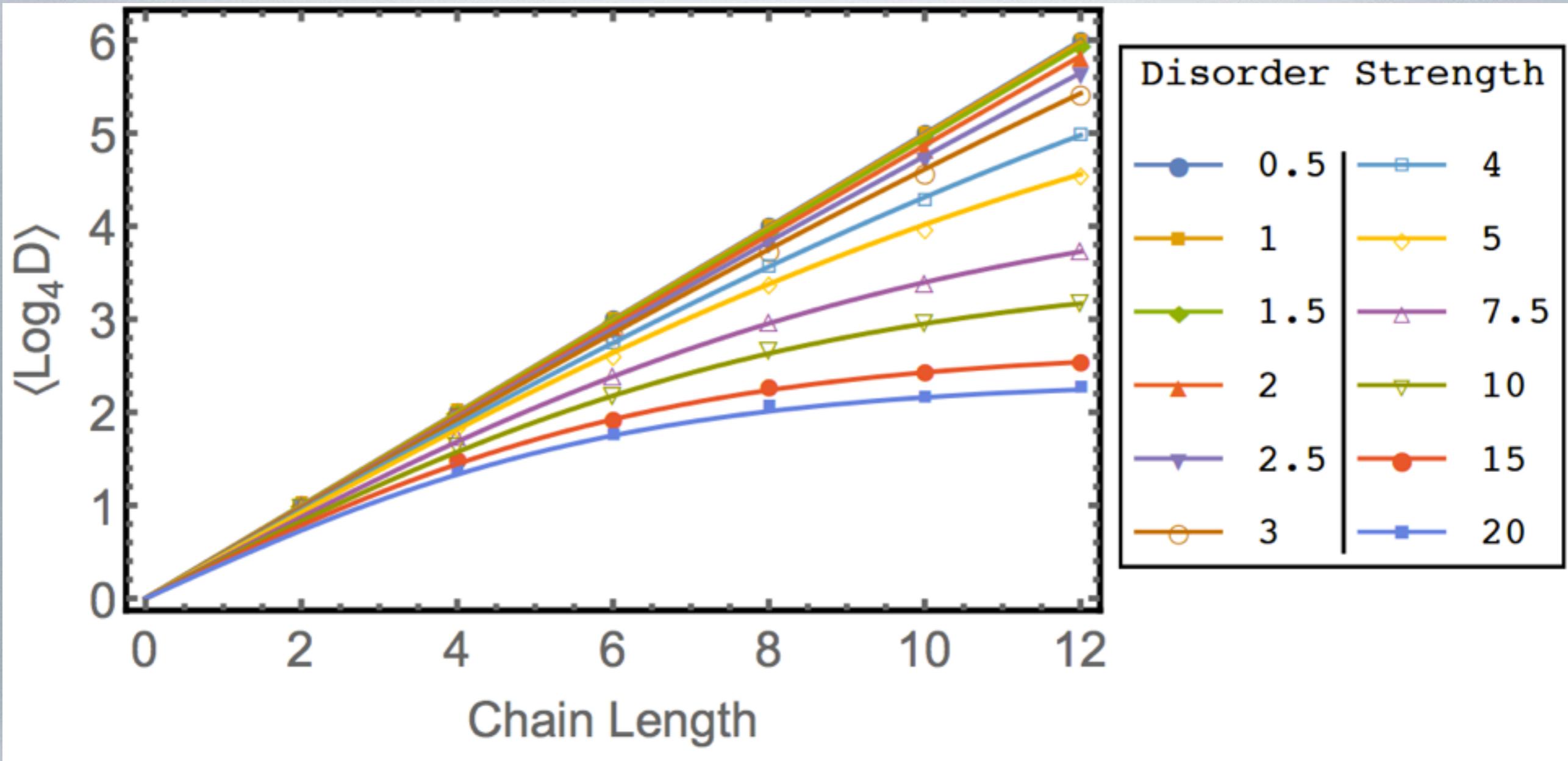
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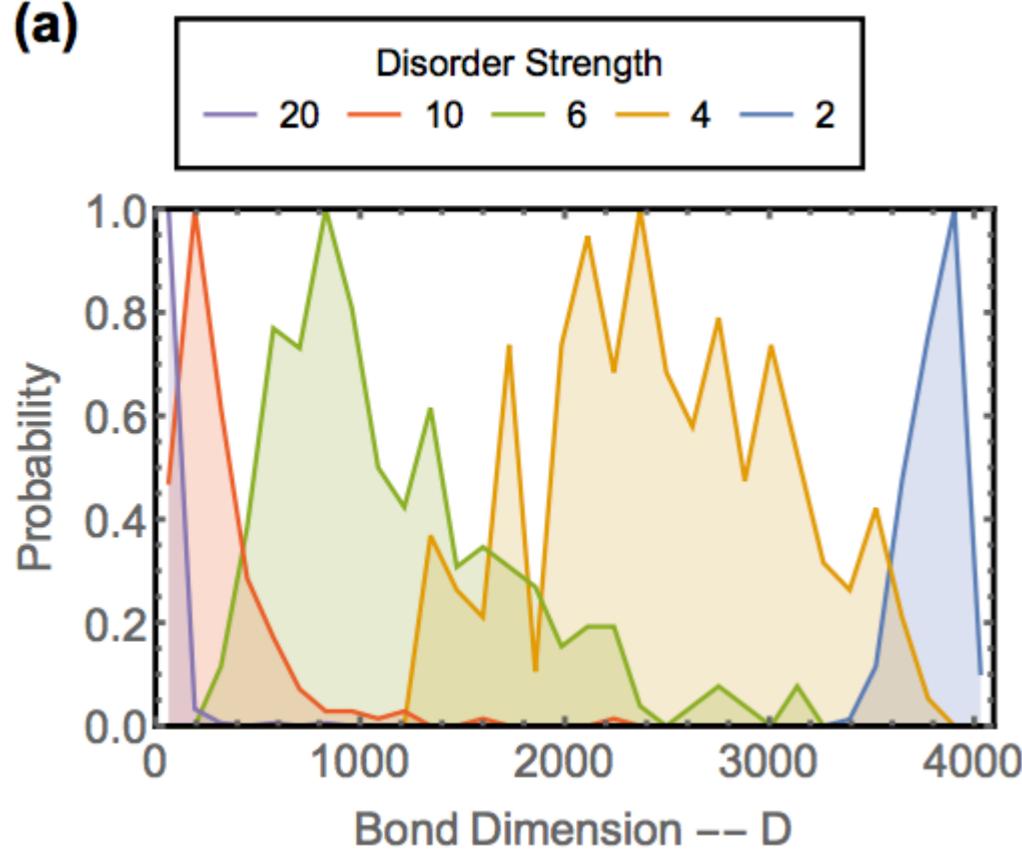
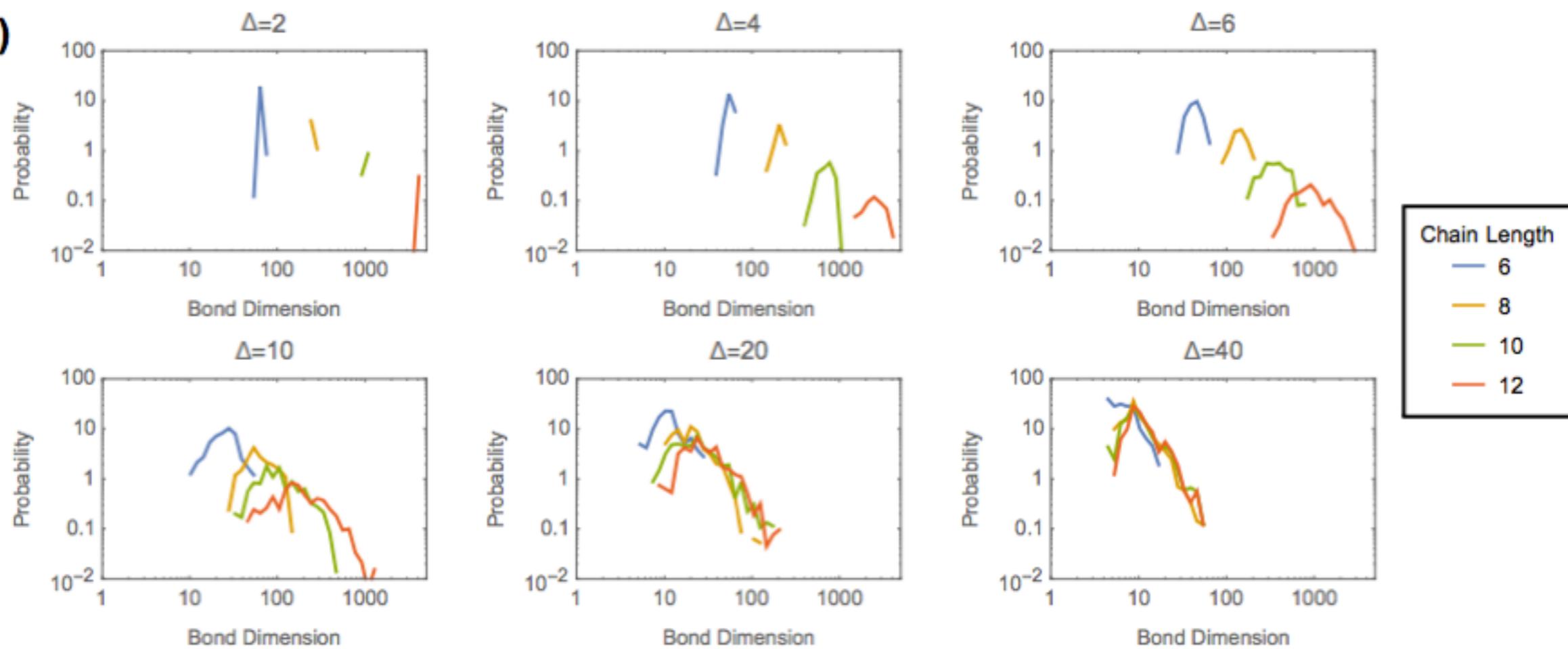


$$U H U^\dagger = H_D$$

$$U : |i\rangle \rightarrow |e_i\rangle$$

MPO takes l-bit space to physical space



(a)**(b)**

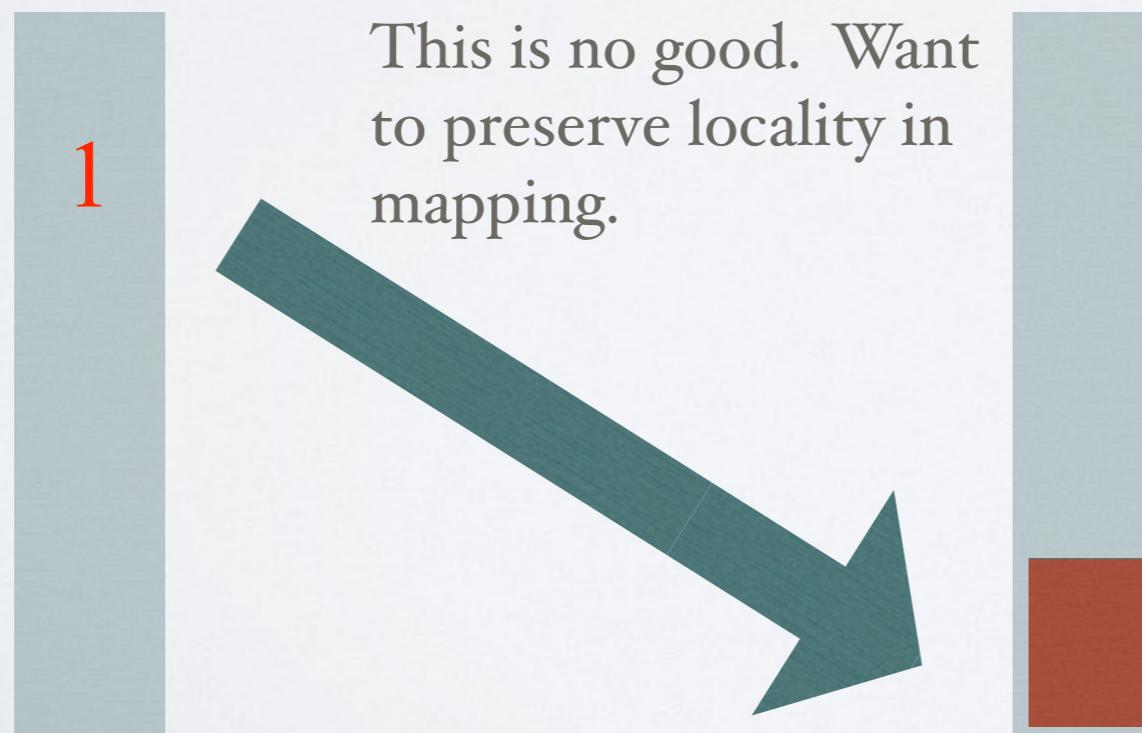
Let's check this....



U maps product states to eigenstates.

Many such mappings

Which one we pick is important!



Conserved quantum number: $\tau_i = U\sigma_z^i U^\dagger$

Hamiltonian: $H_D = UHU^\dagger$

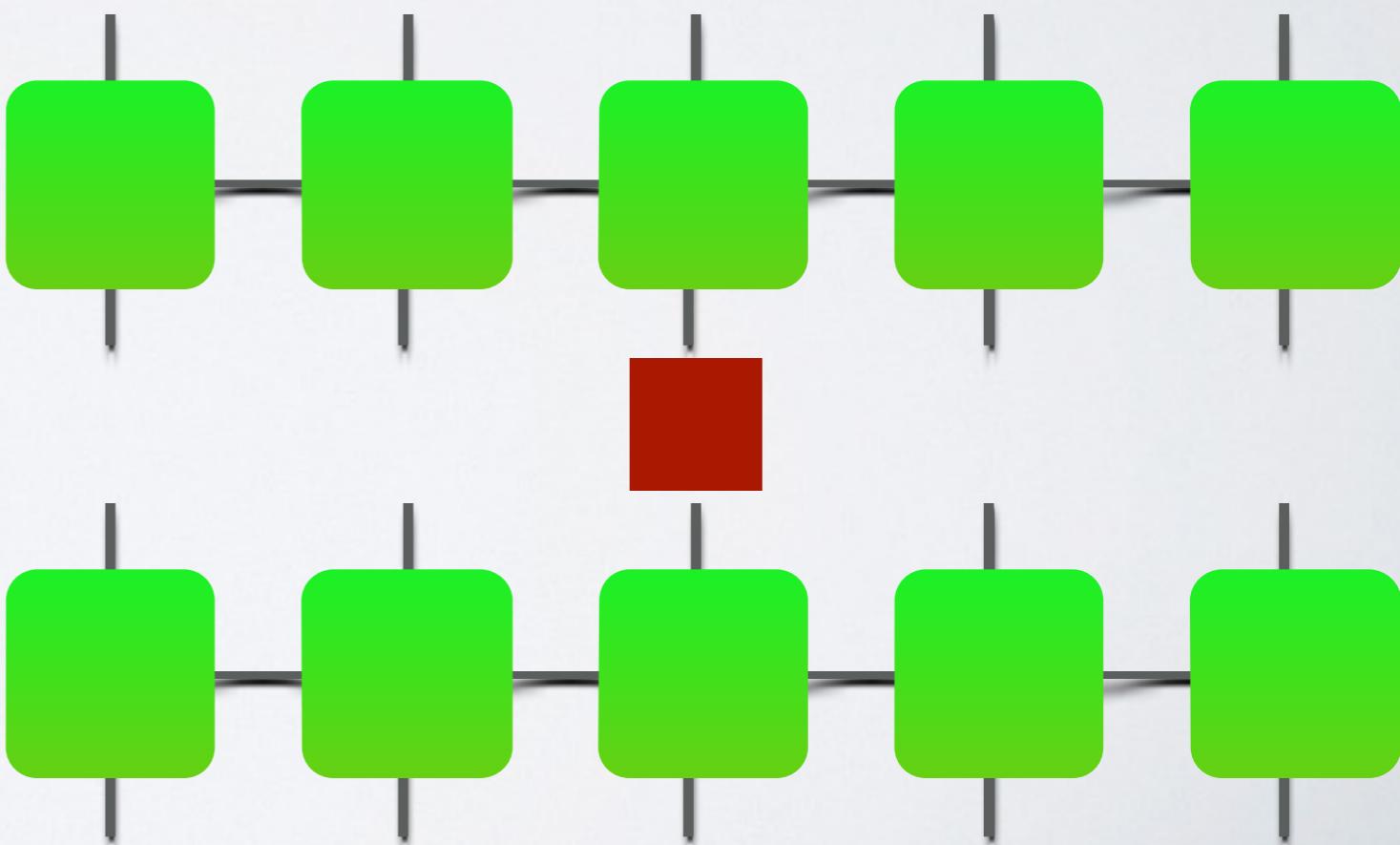
From this you get α_{ij}

Many ways to represent \mathcal{T} and H and α_{ij} are all fixed by U

In U , you get to choose which product states match to which eigenstates and the phases of the eigenstates

- bipartite matching
- jacobi rotation
- Wegner flow**

$$\frac{dH}{dT} = [H, [H_0, V]]$$

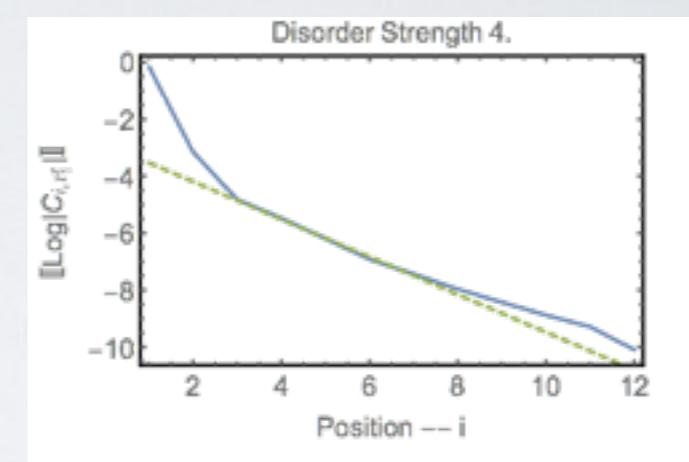
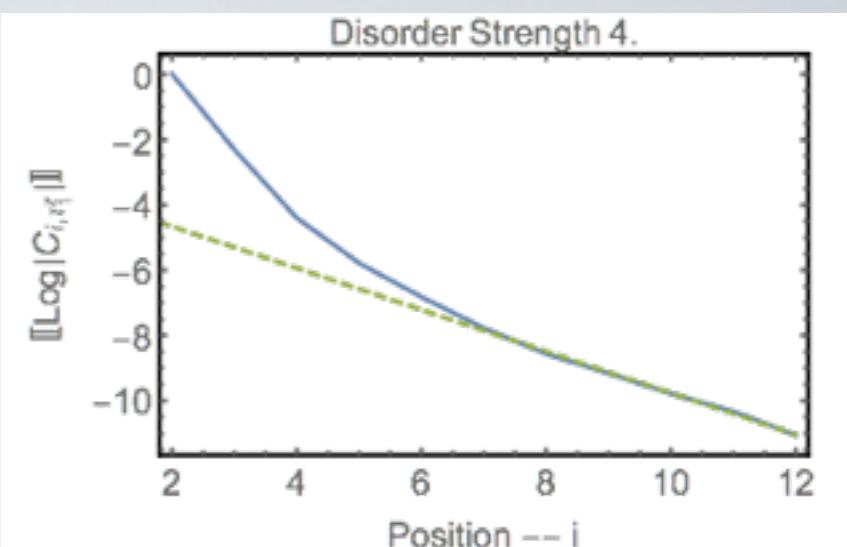


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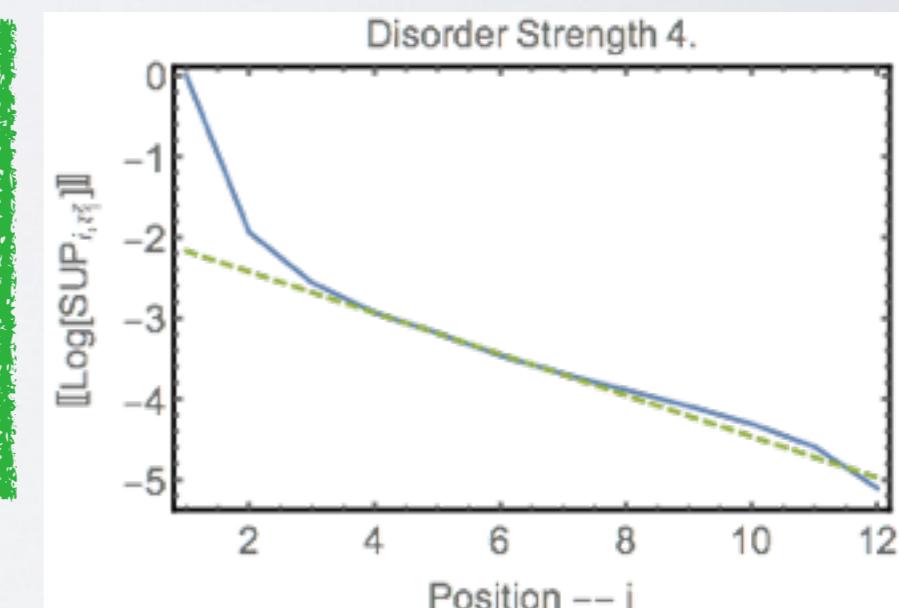
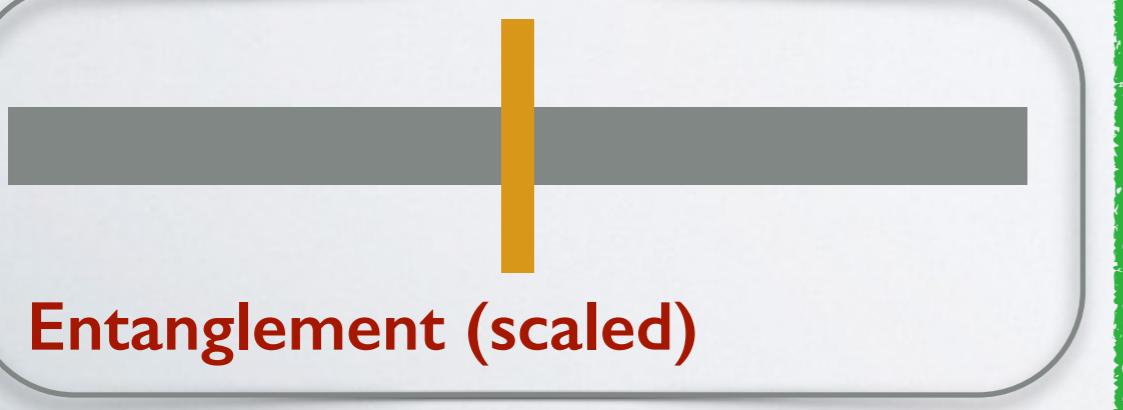
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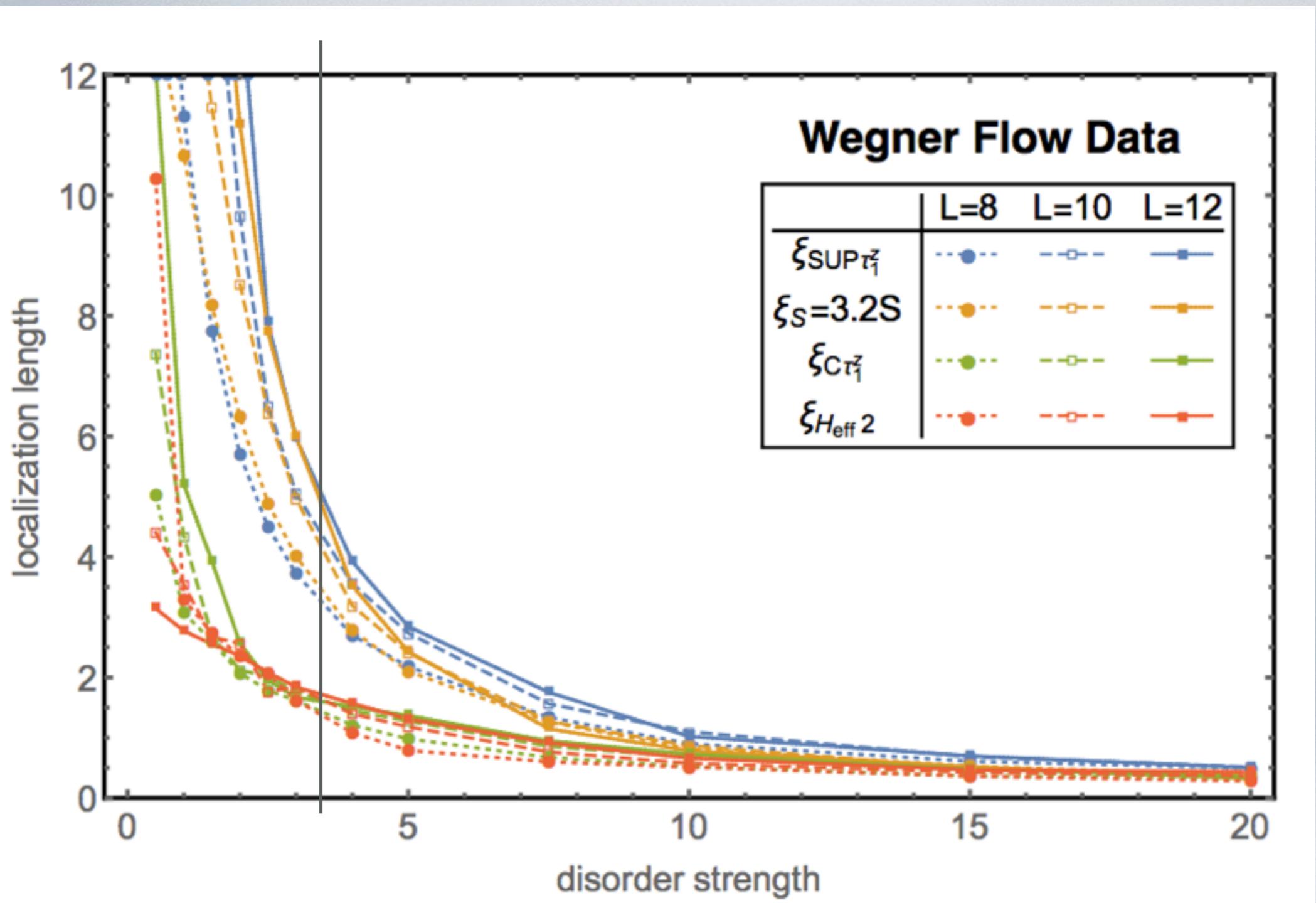
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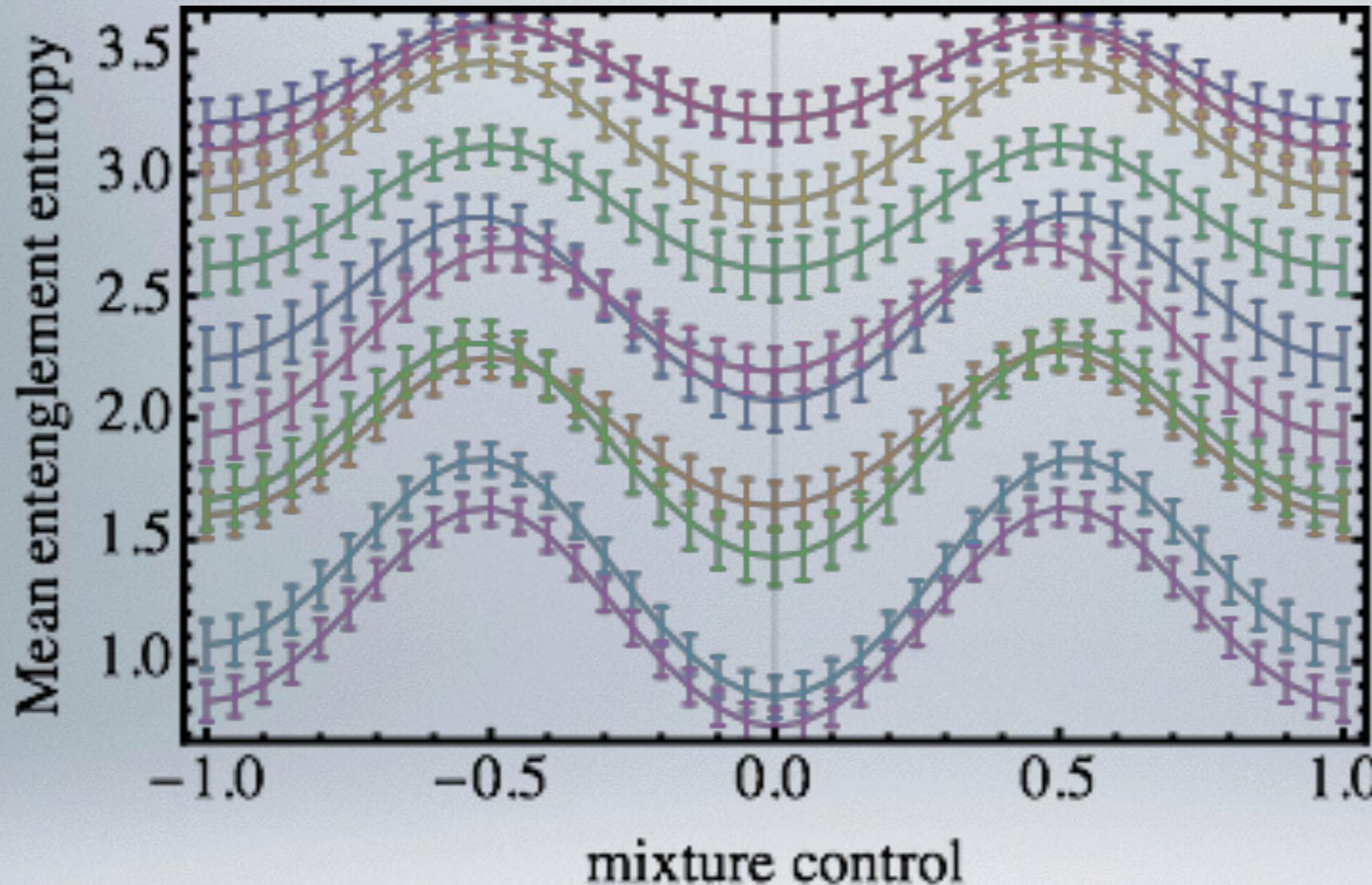
τ_i is mainly supported on i (and its nearby sites)

Consider how quickly it loses support: (I - support)



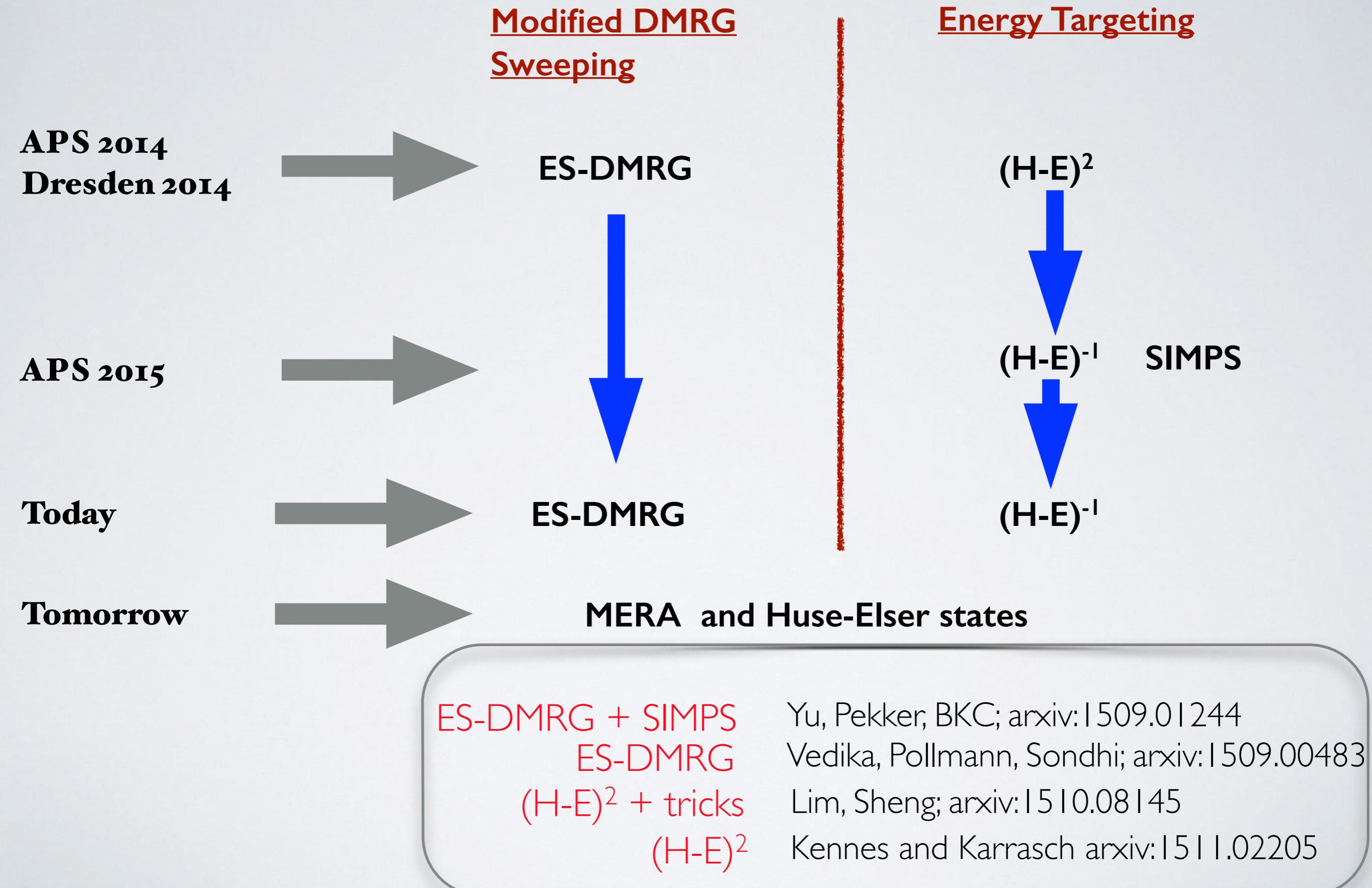


Acquiring Eigenstates



The evolution of two algorithms...

interesting to see how our two algorithms has evolved over the years



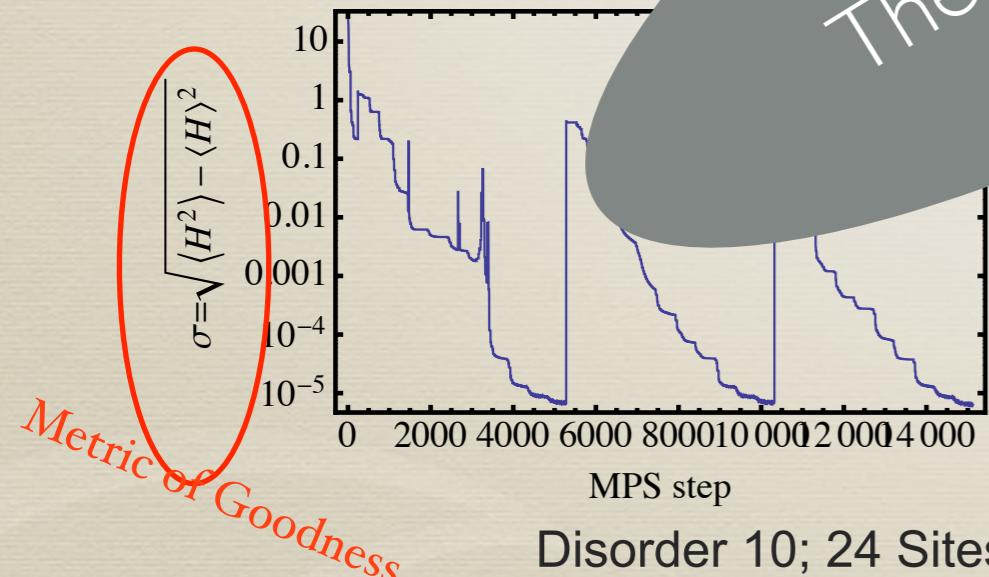
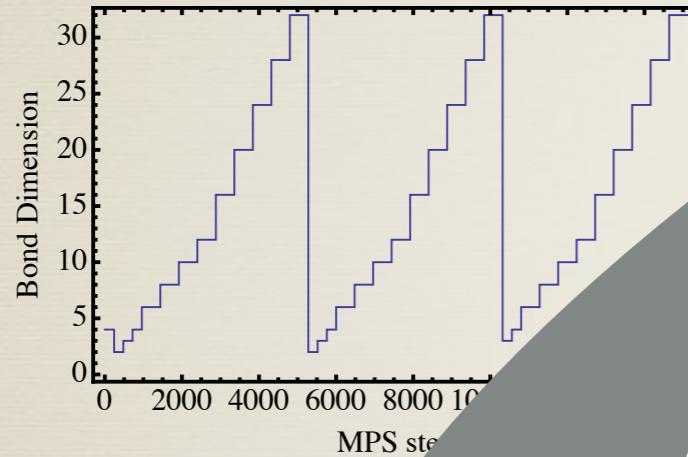
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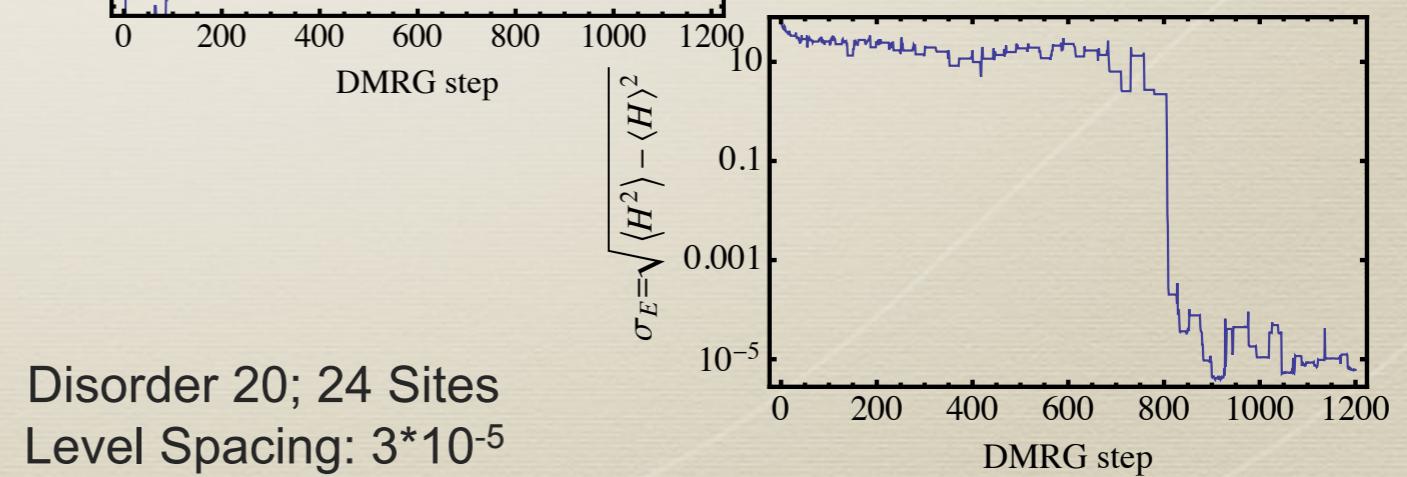
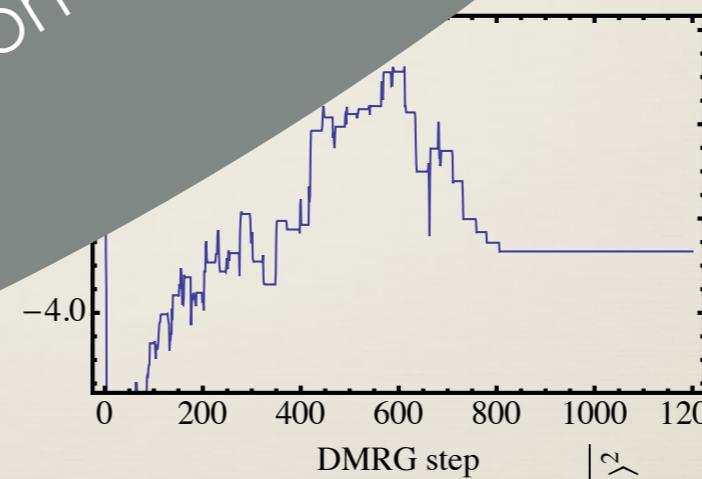


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More

For a site produce an effective Hamiltonian H' and choose the algorithm best to the current site.

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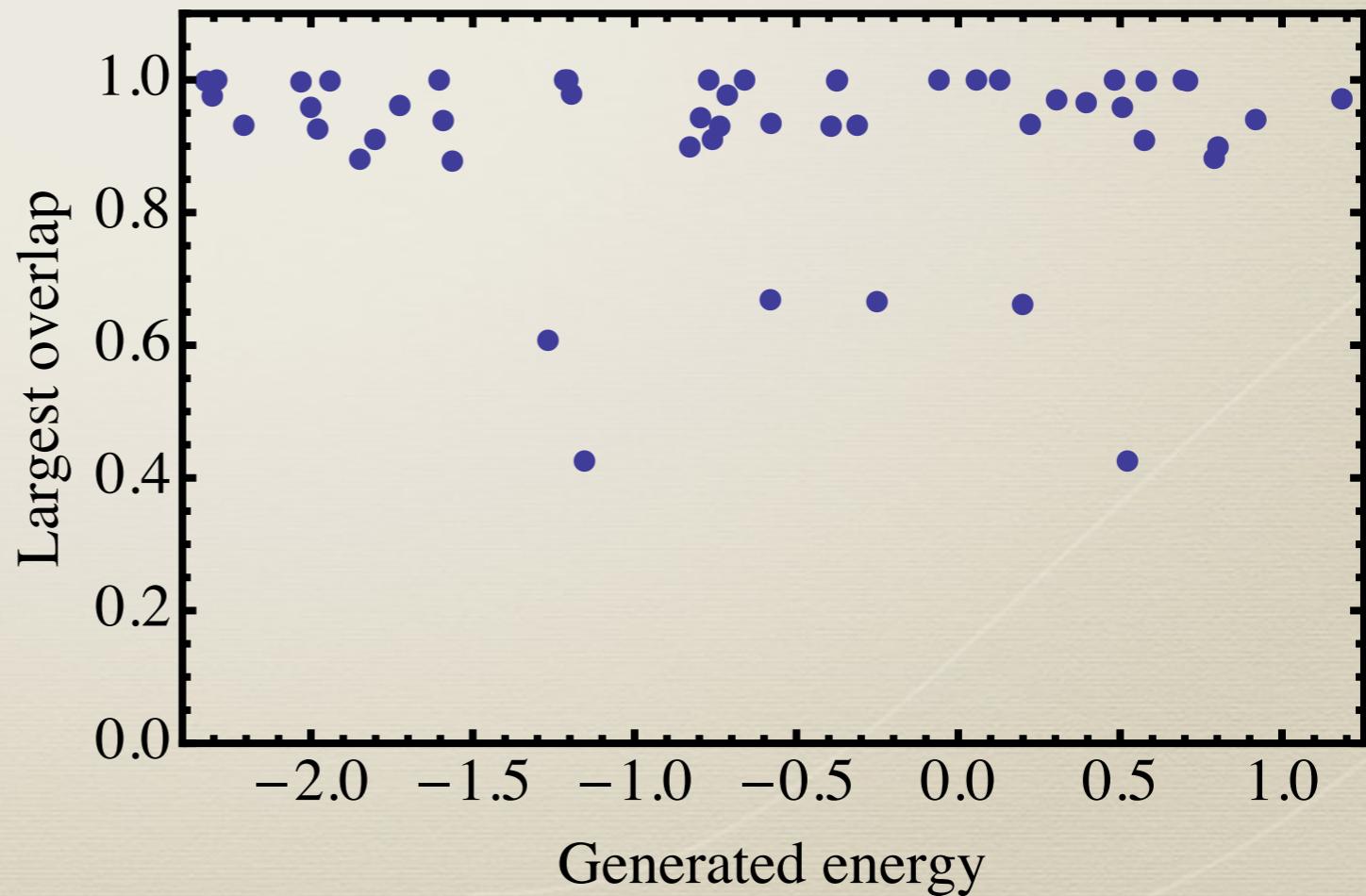
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New Approach: For a site produce an effective Hamiltonian H' and choose the eigenstate of H' closest to the current energy



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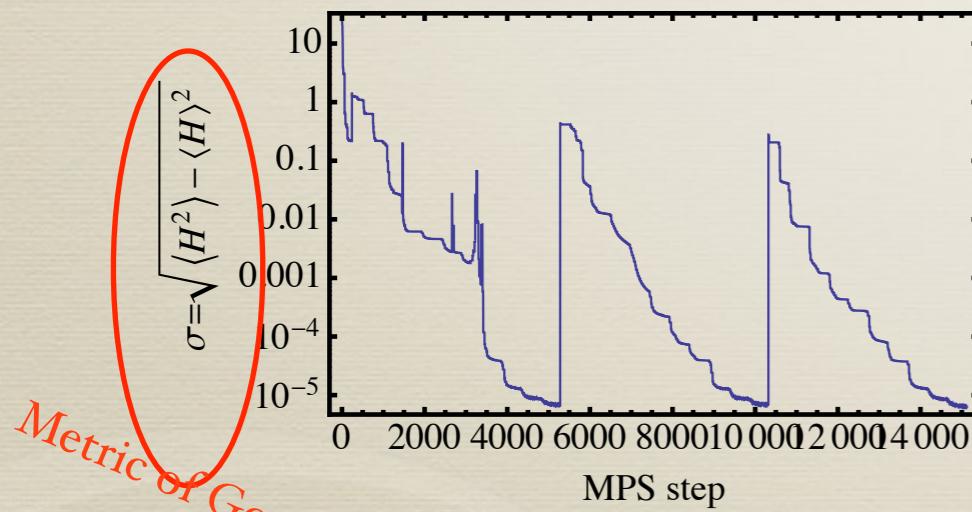
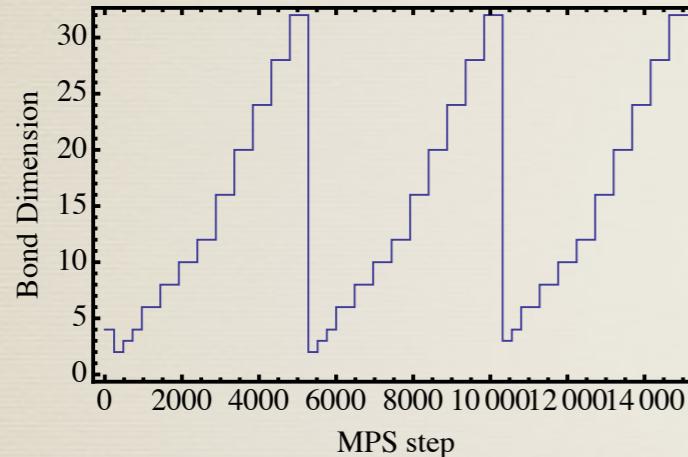
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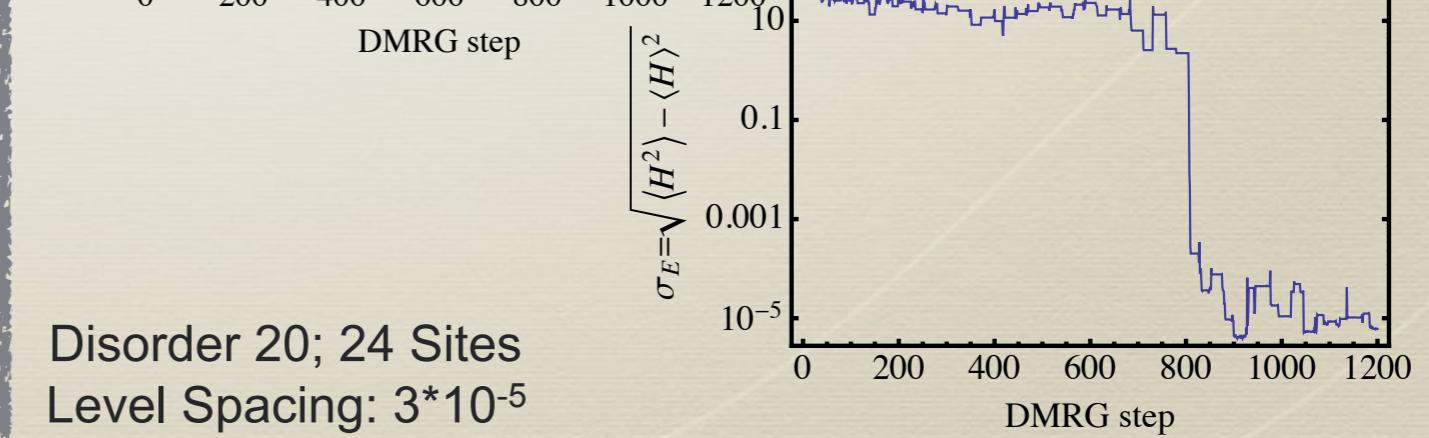
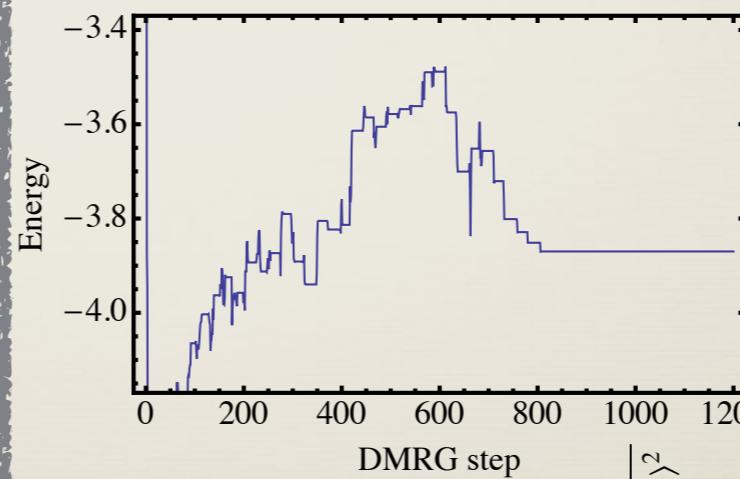


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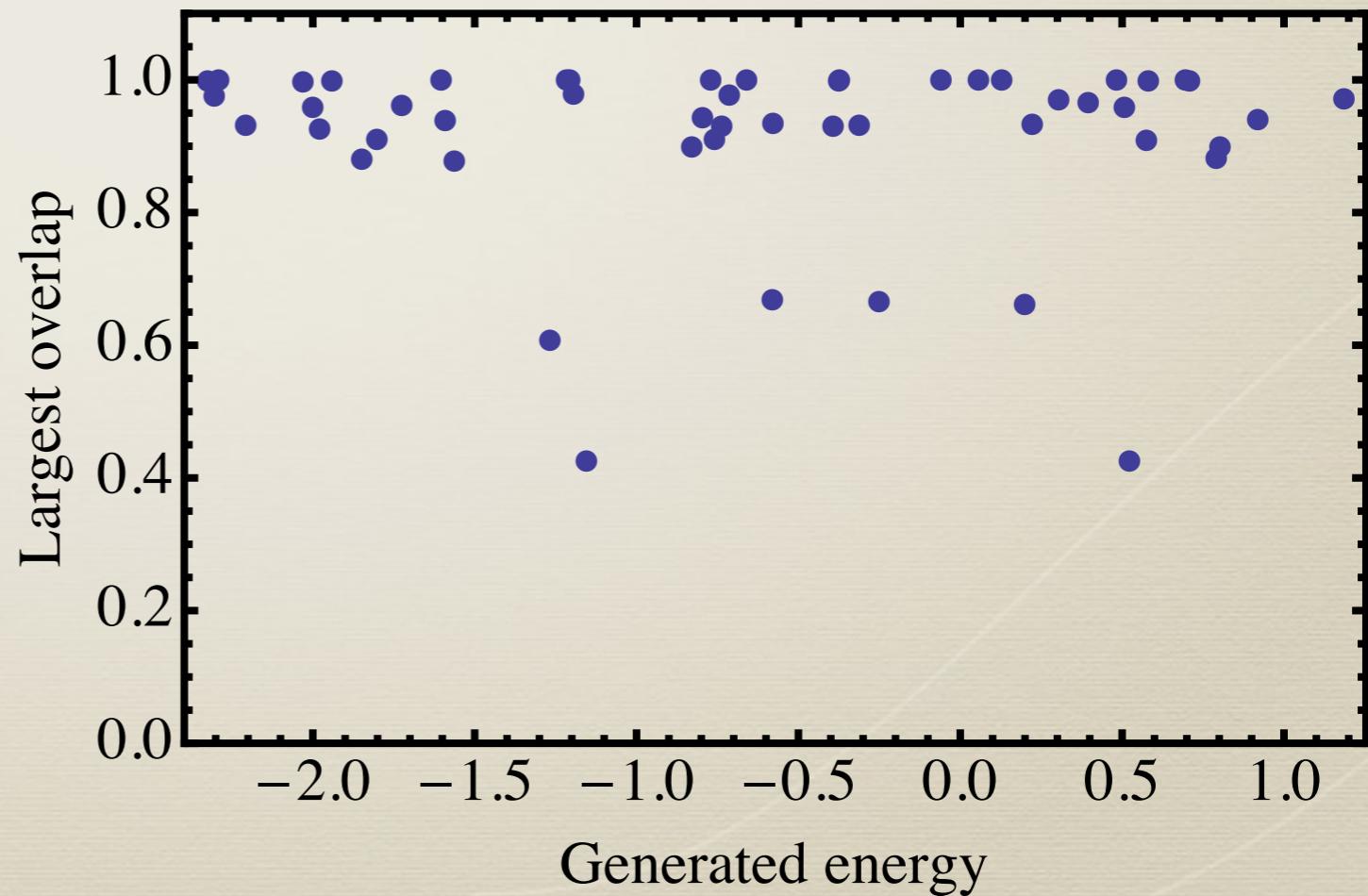
Disorder 20; 24 Sites
Level Spacing: $3 \cdot 10^{-5}$

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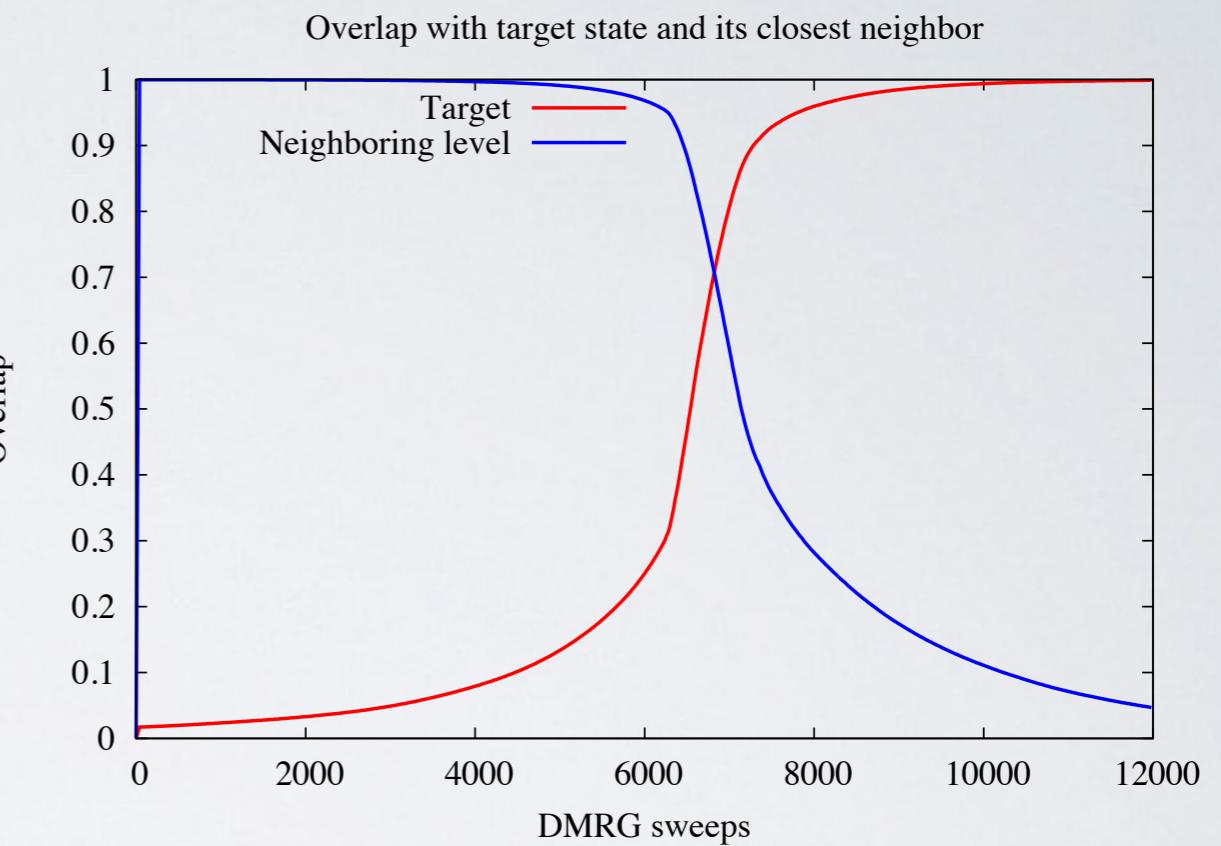
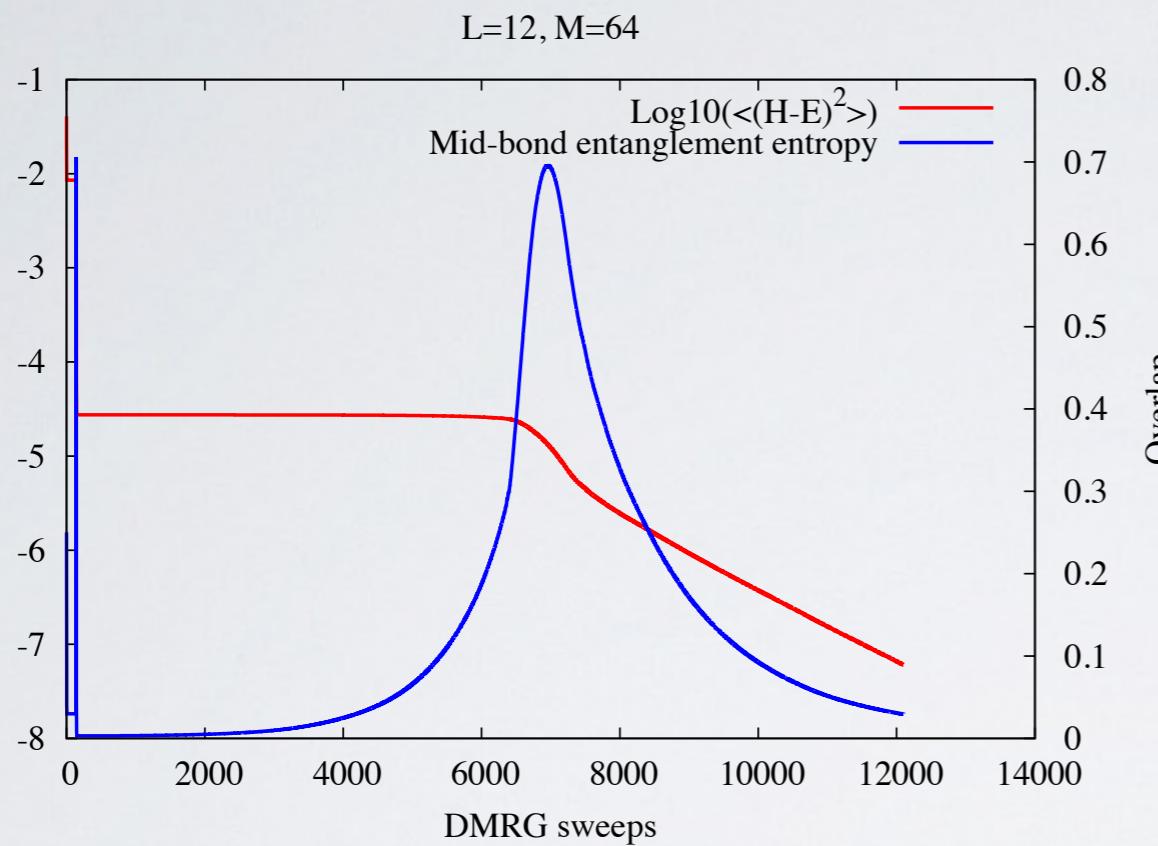


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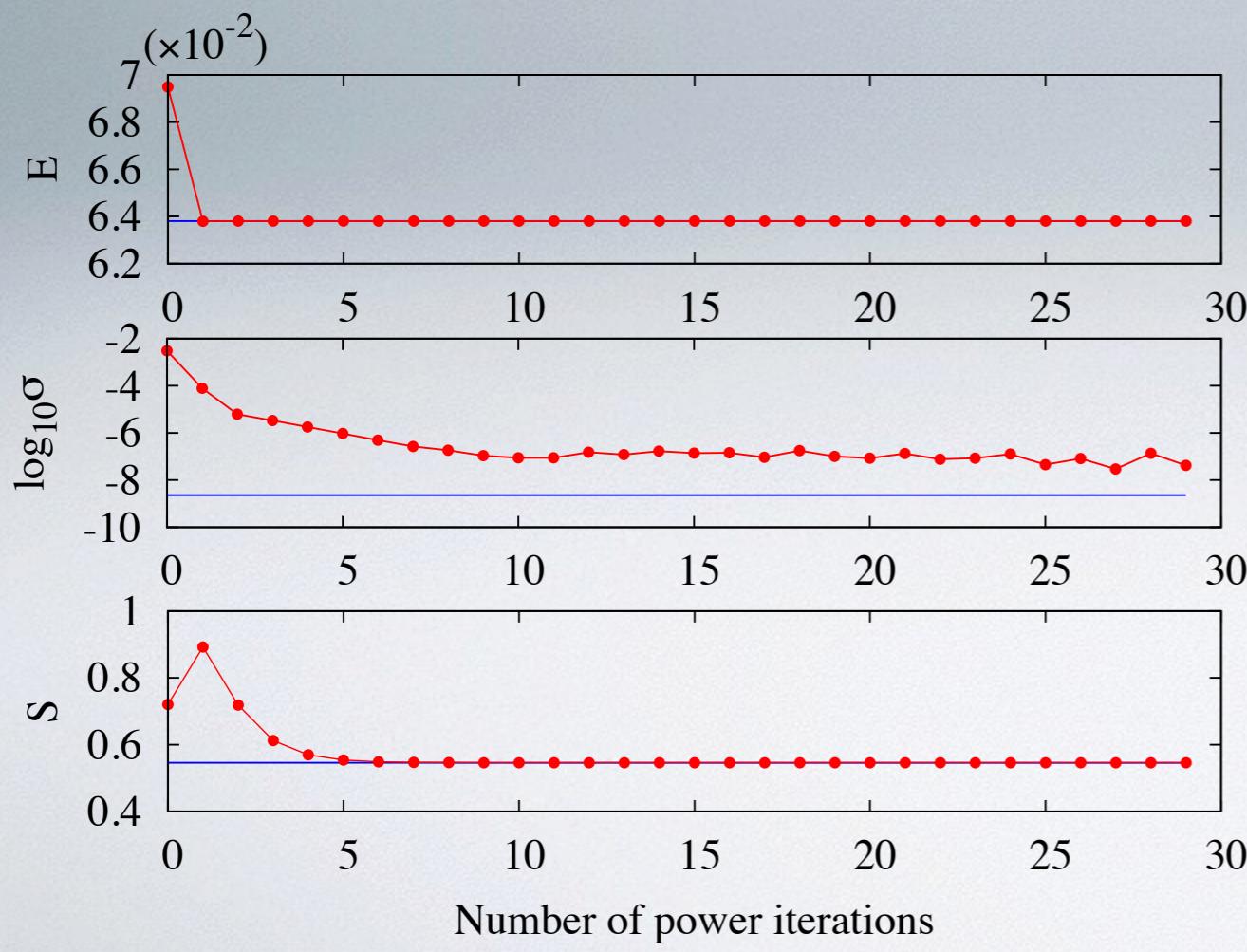
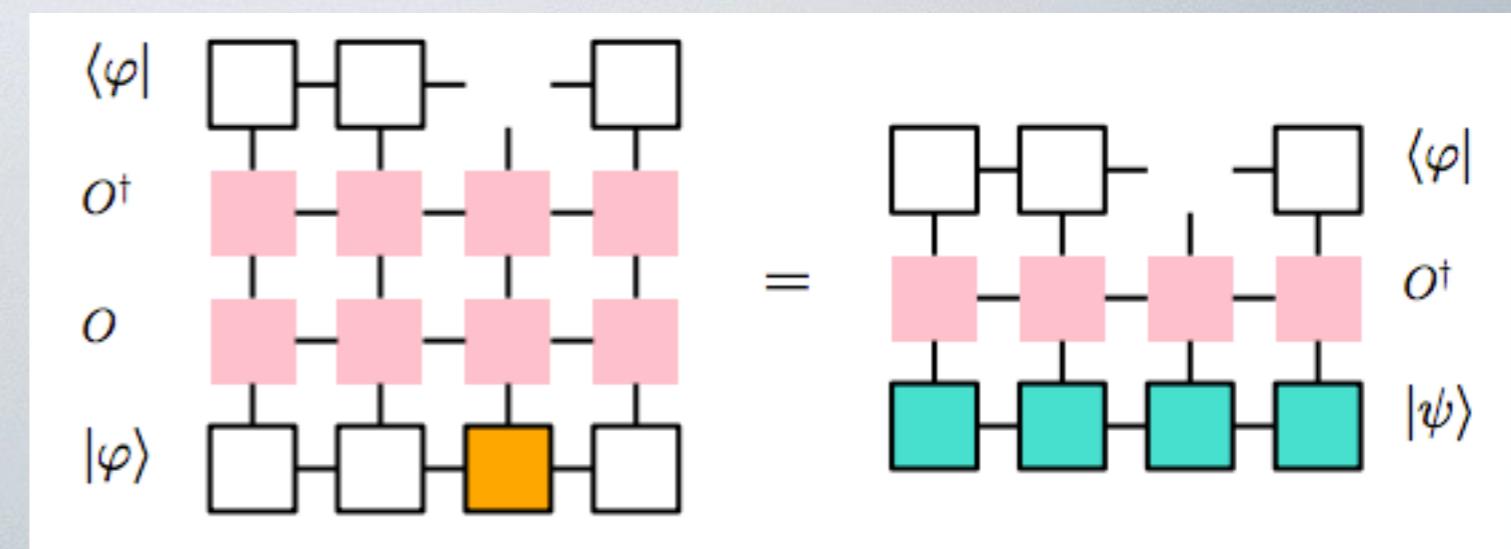


$$(H - E)^2$$

Entanglement Barrier



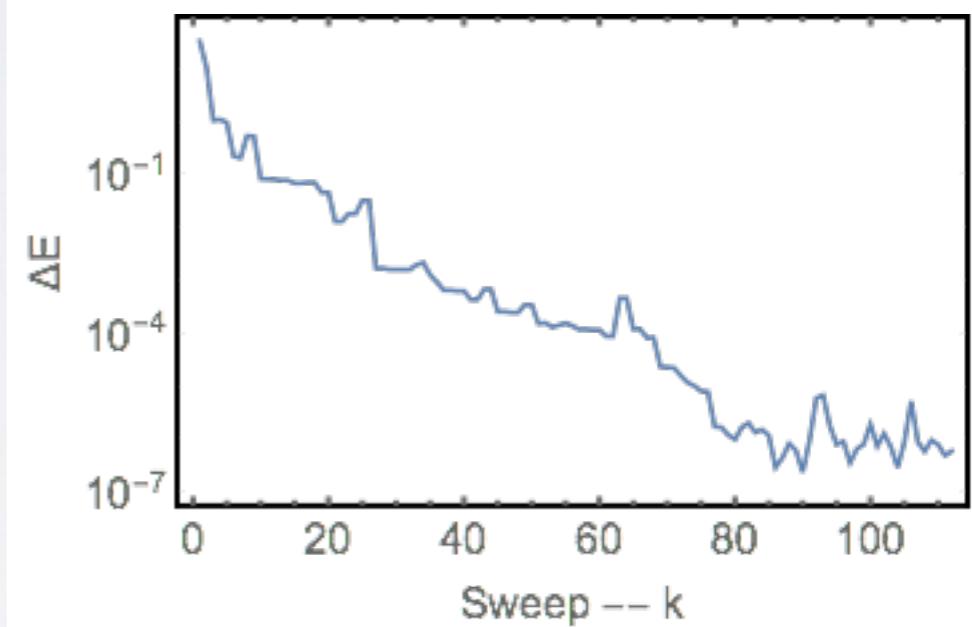
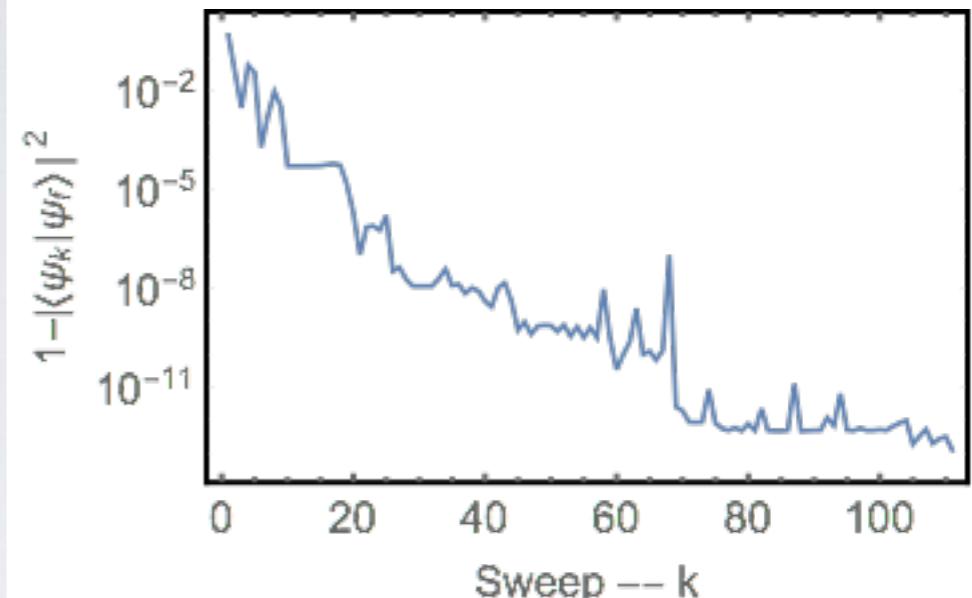
SIMPS $(H - E)^{-1}$



ES DMRG

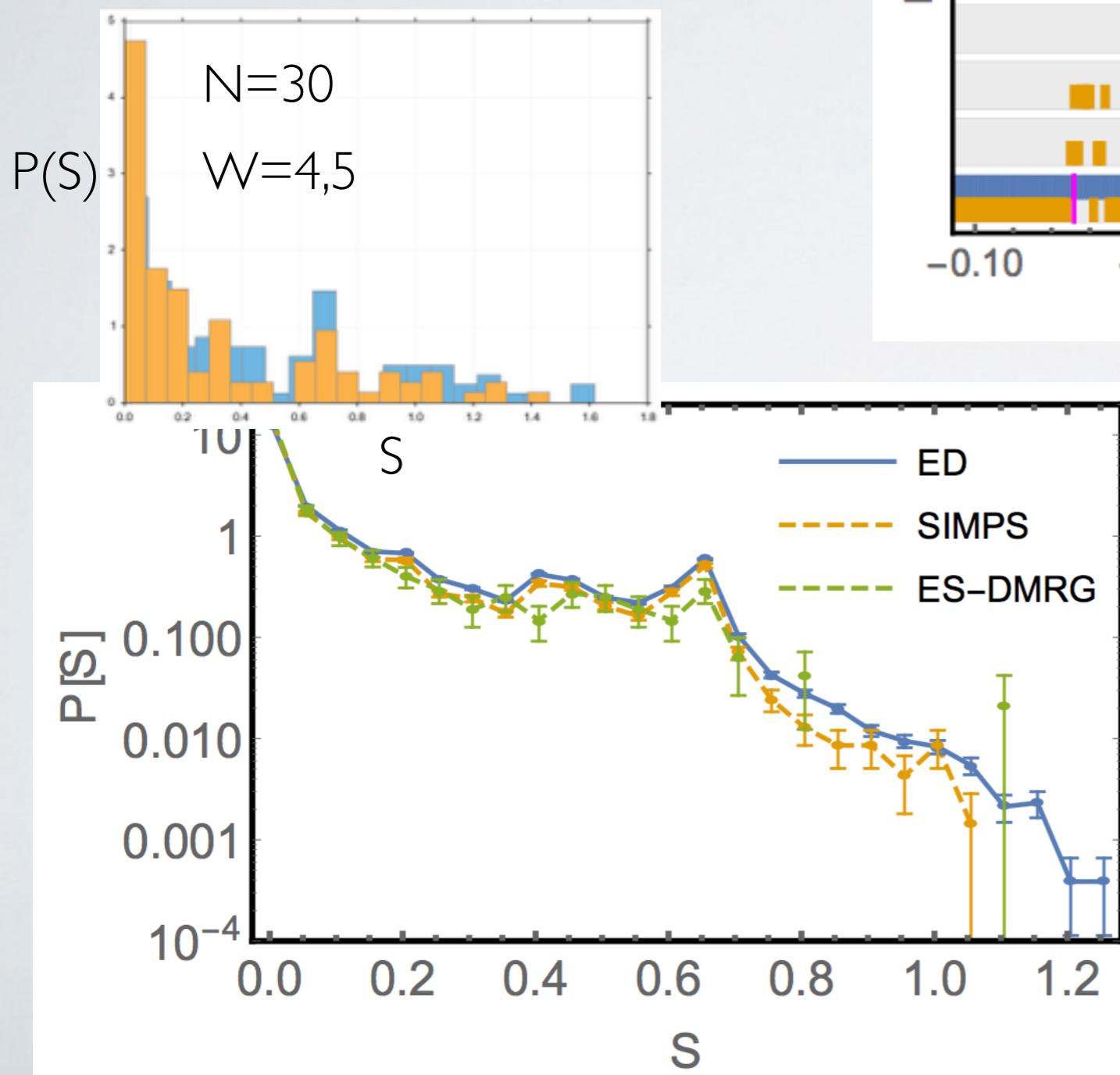
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Does it work?

The question: Do you get an eigenstate?



How well does it work?

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N=30 - SIMPS M=20

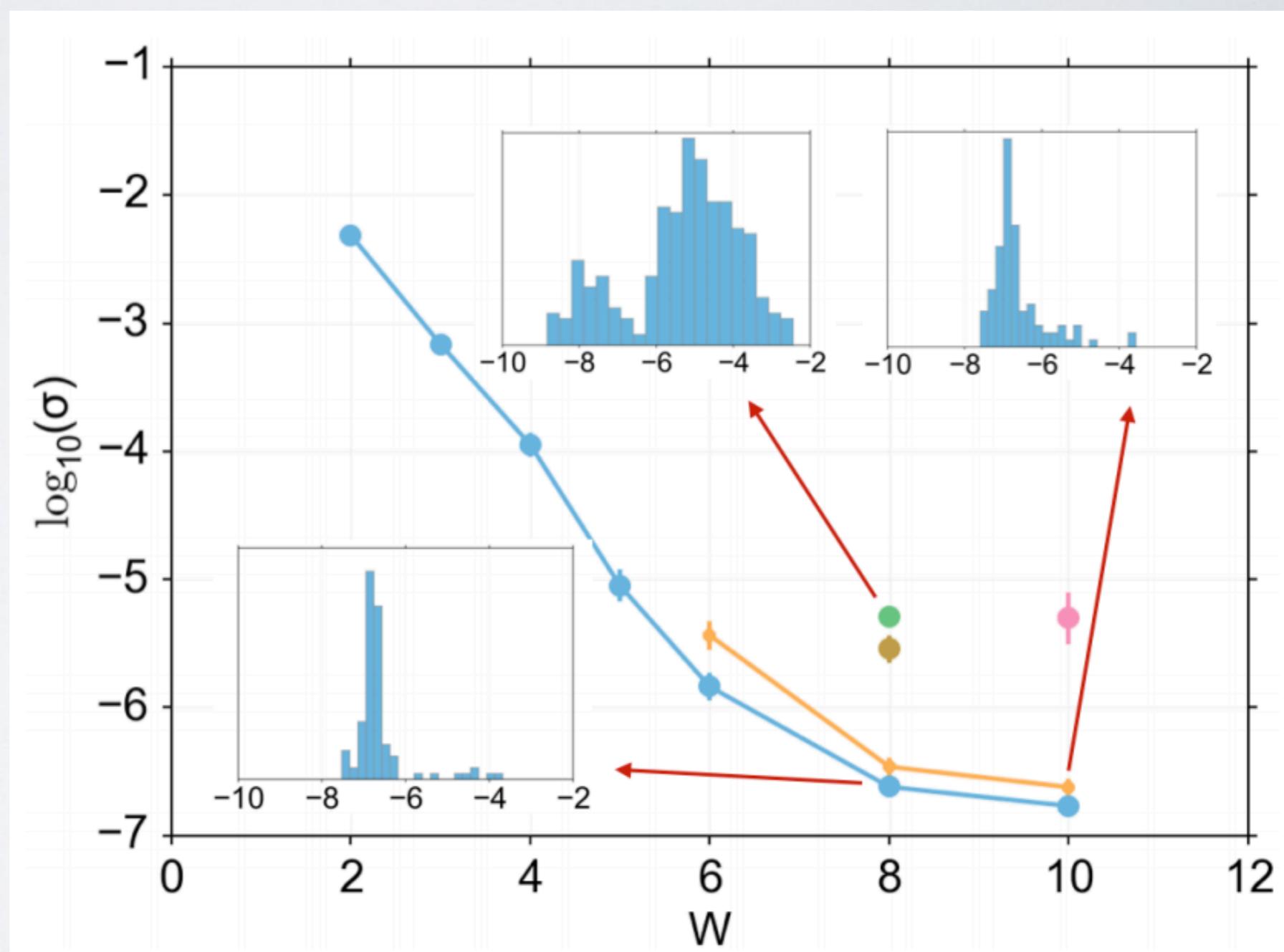
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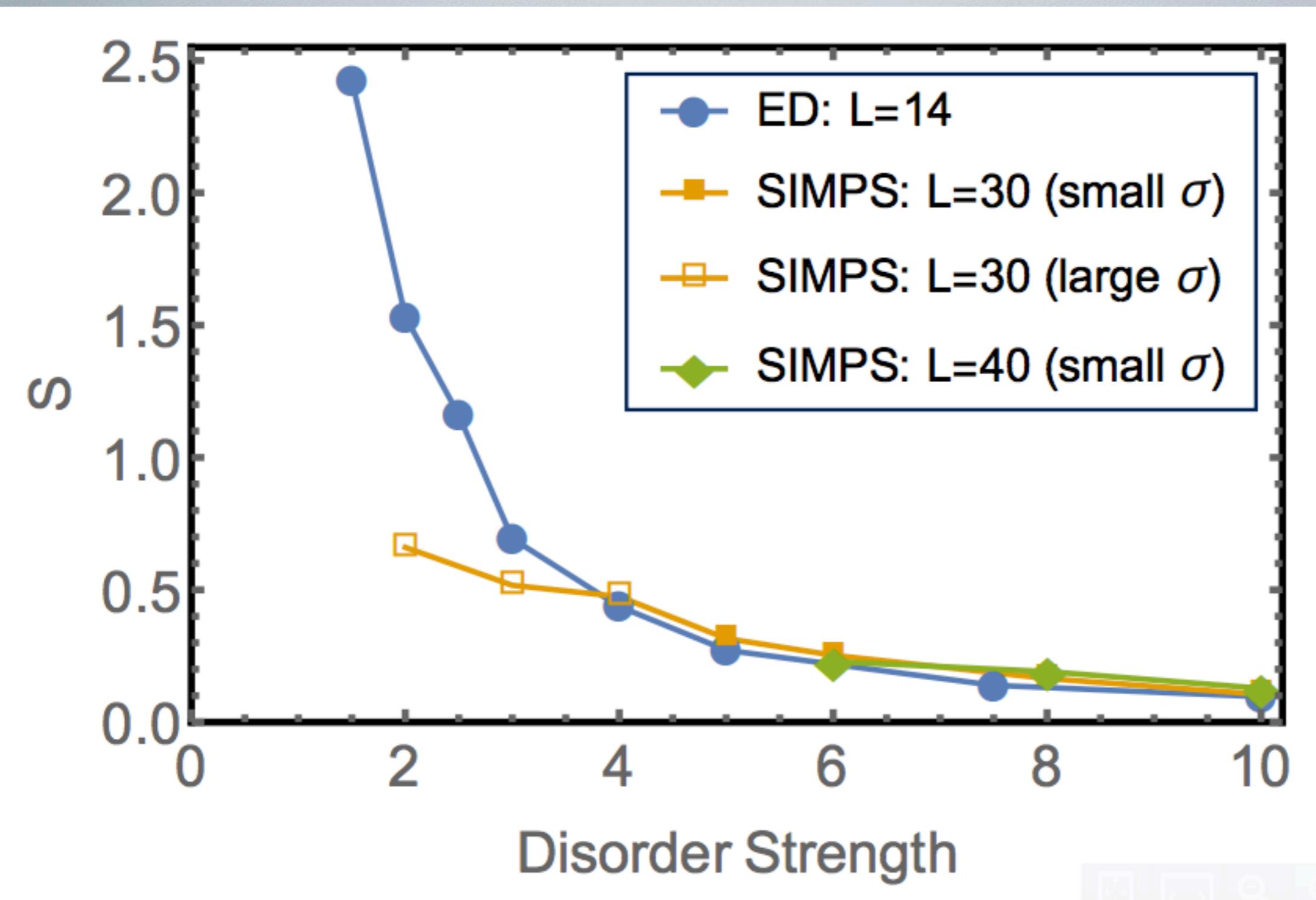
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N=40 - SIMPS

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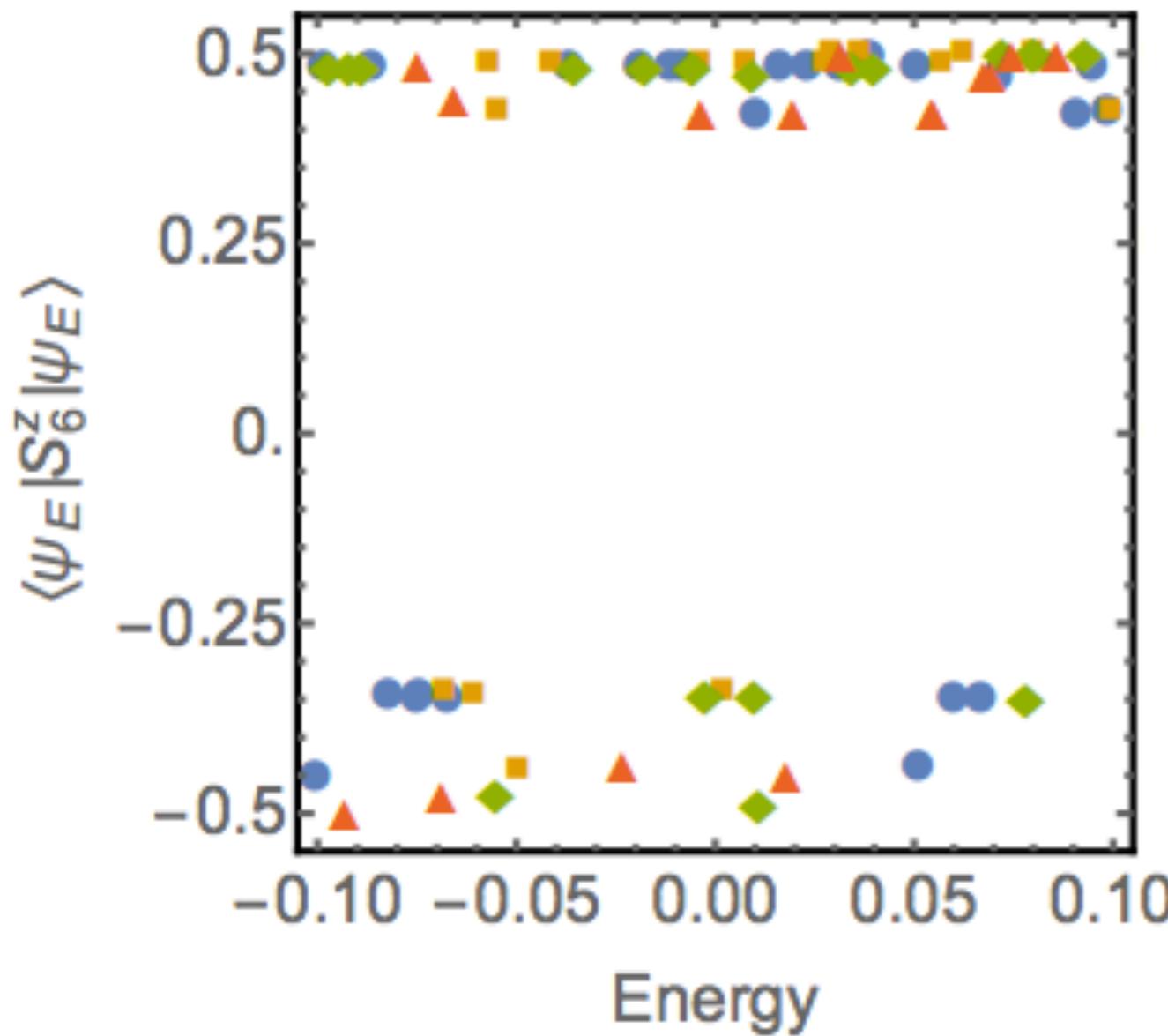


How does entanglement scale?

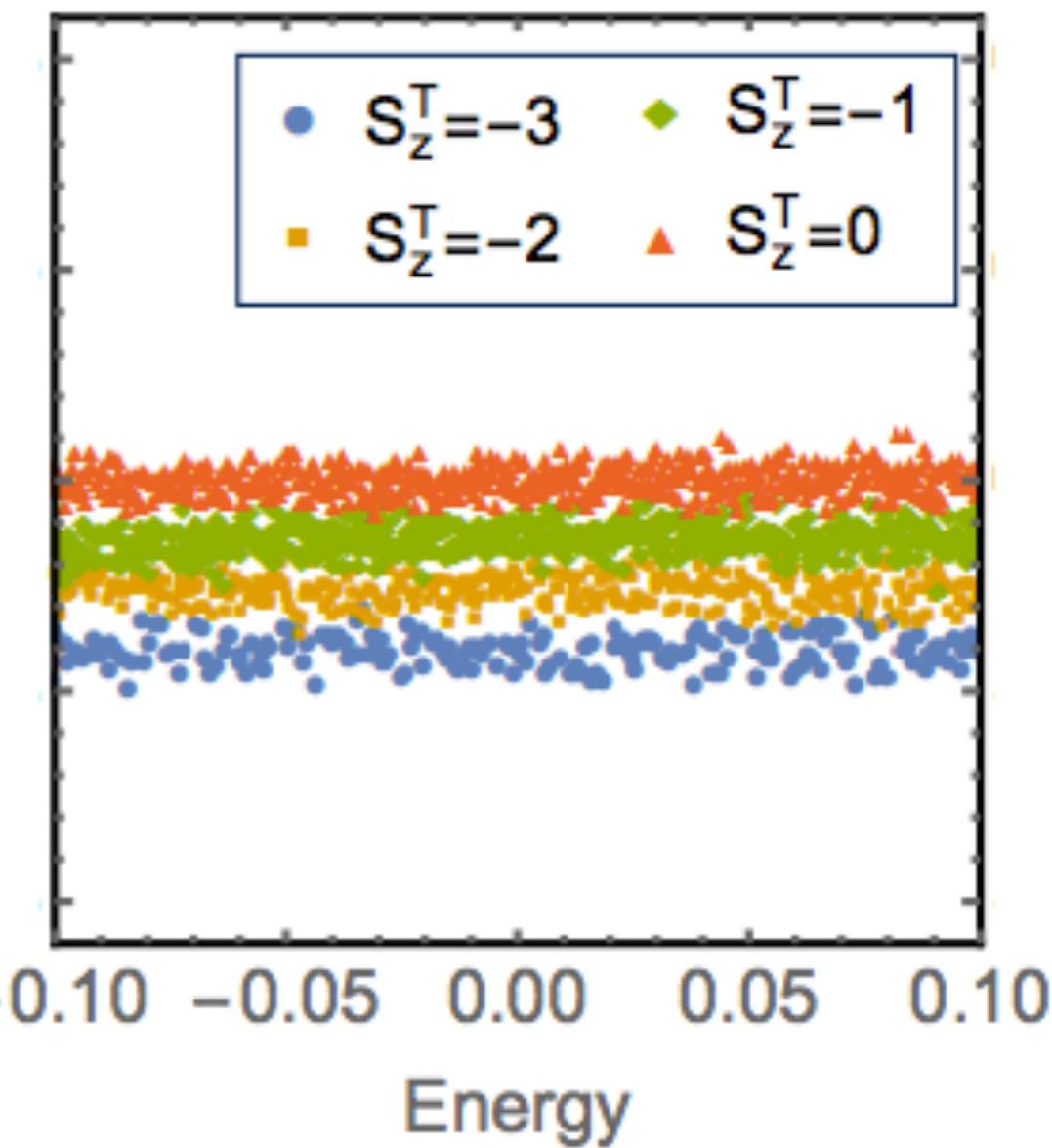


ETH

SIMPS data: $W=10, L=30$

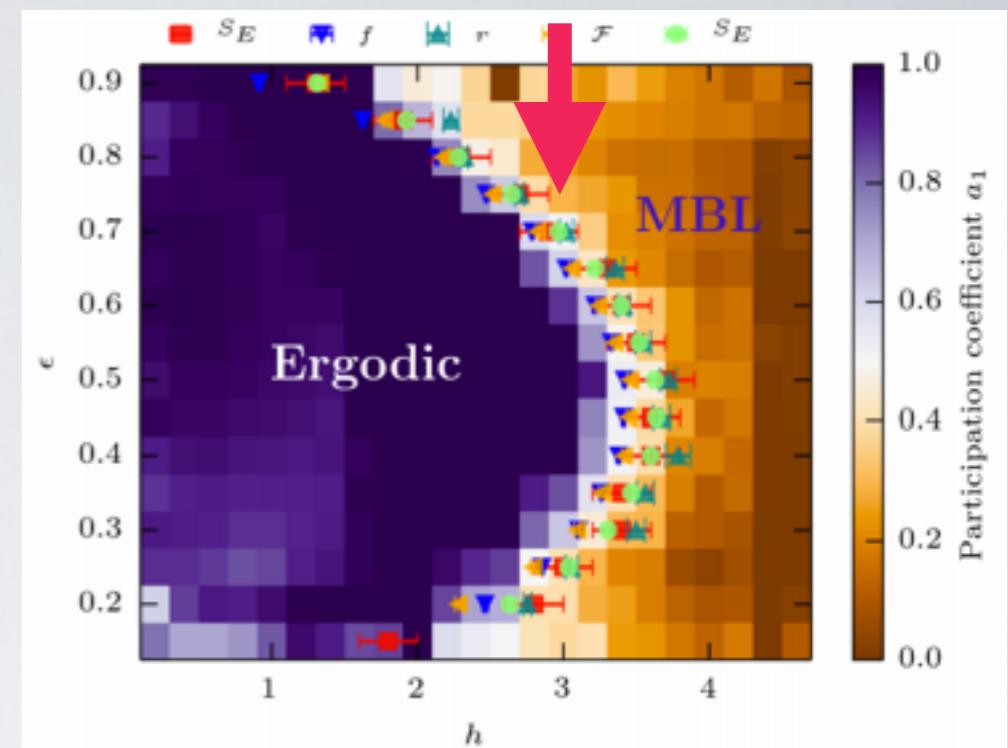
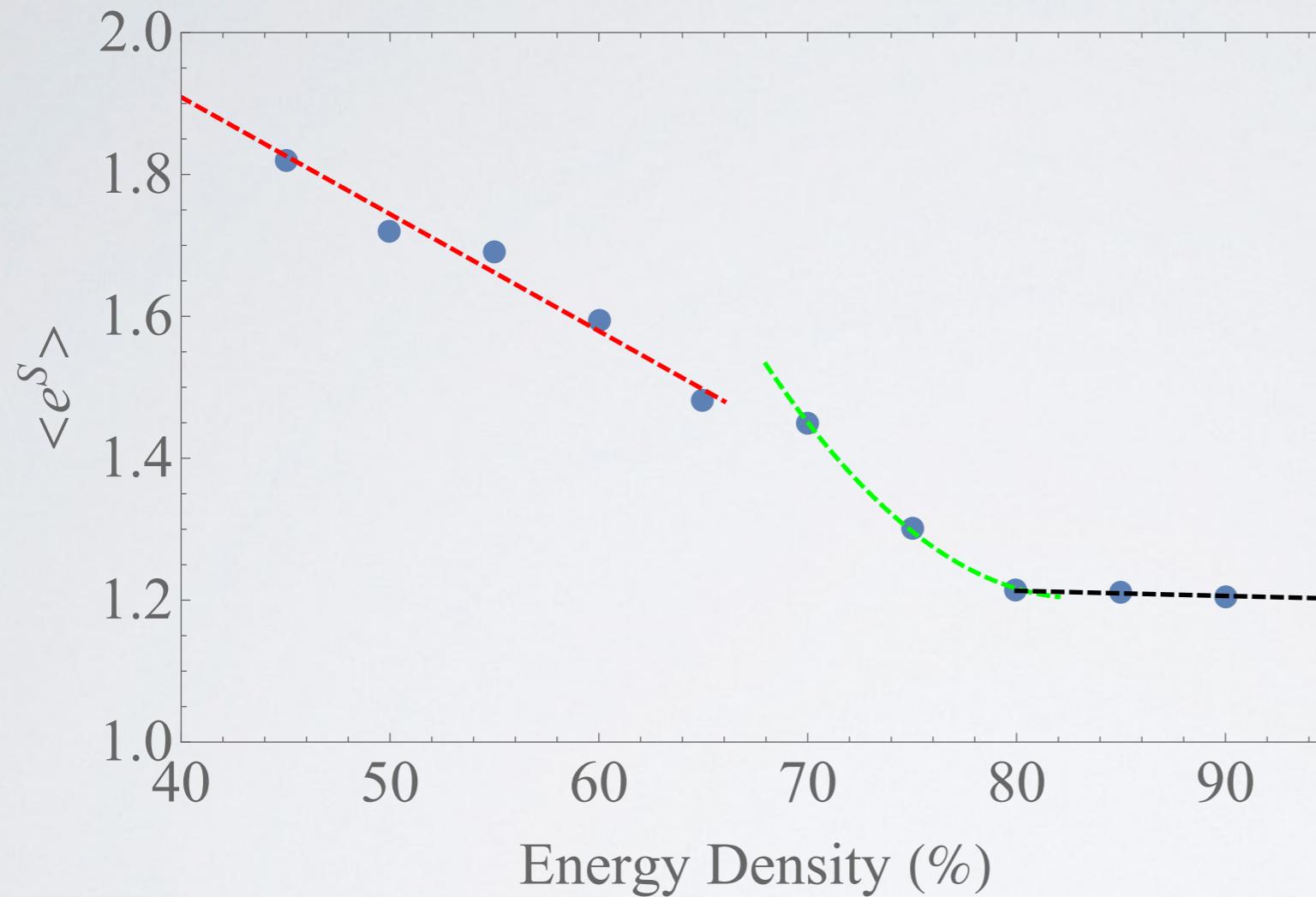


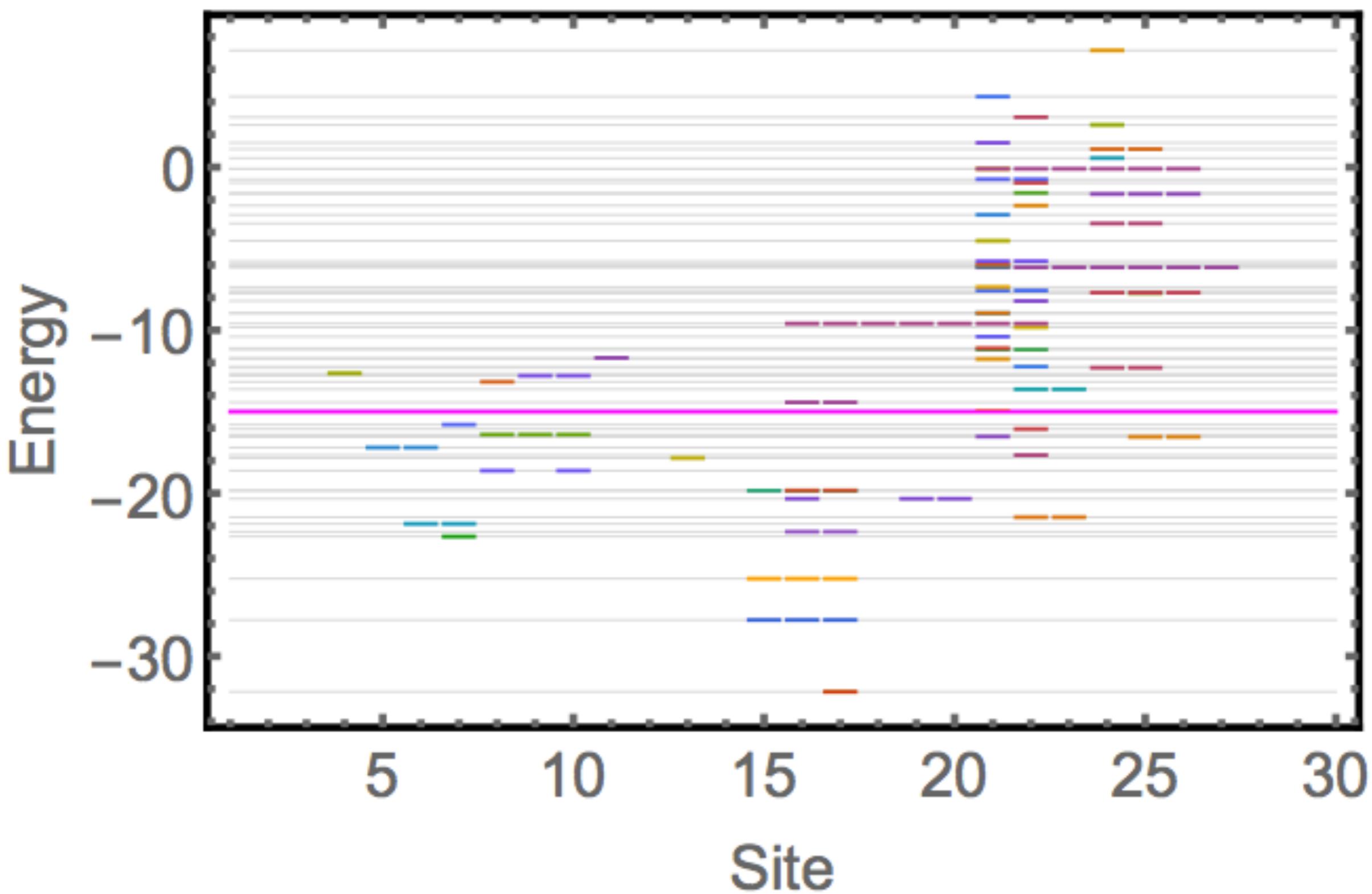
ED data: $W=0.8, L=16$



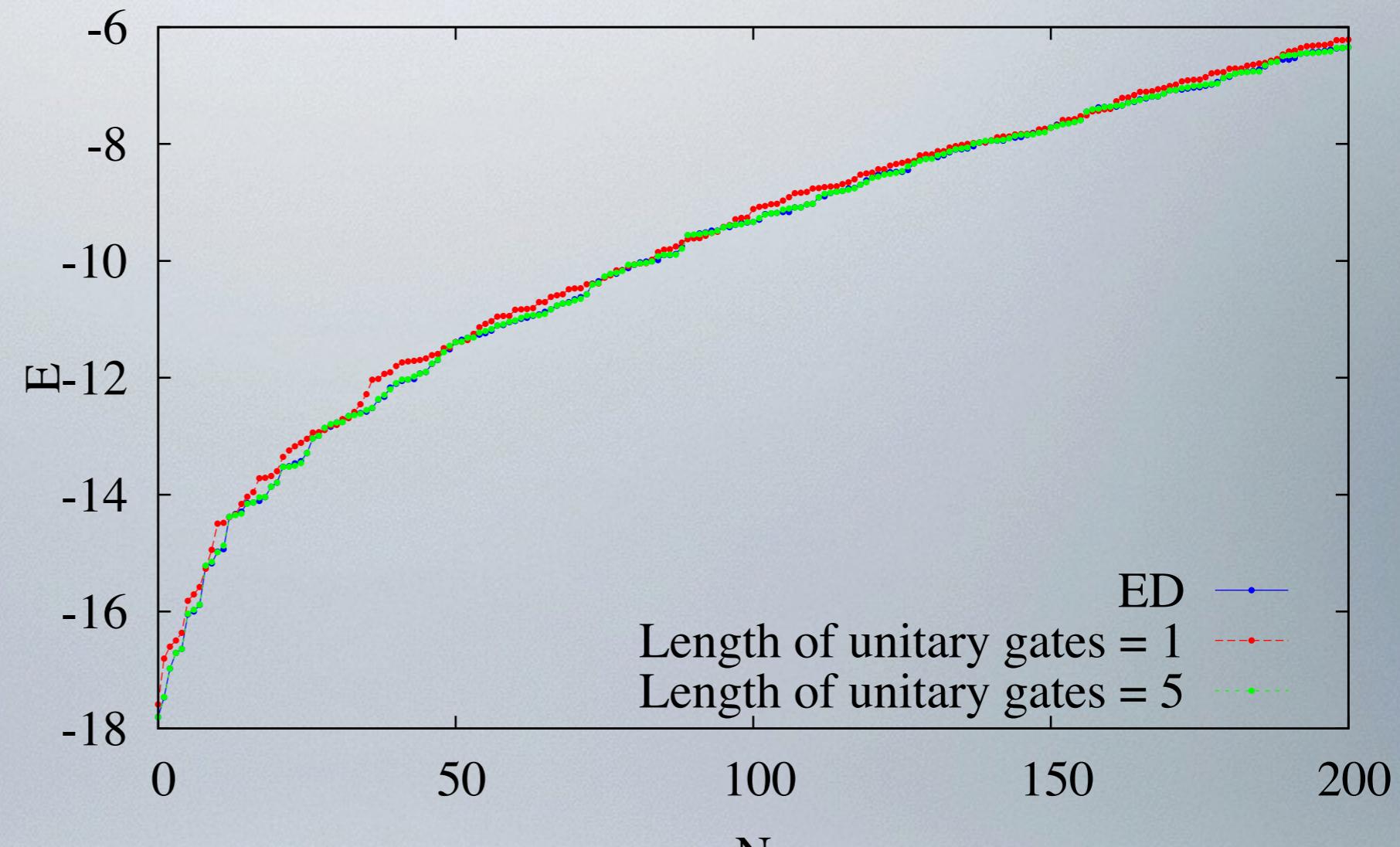
What can we see

Mobility Edge:

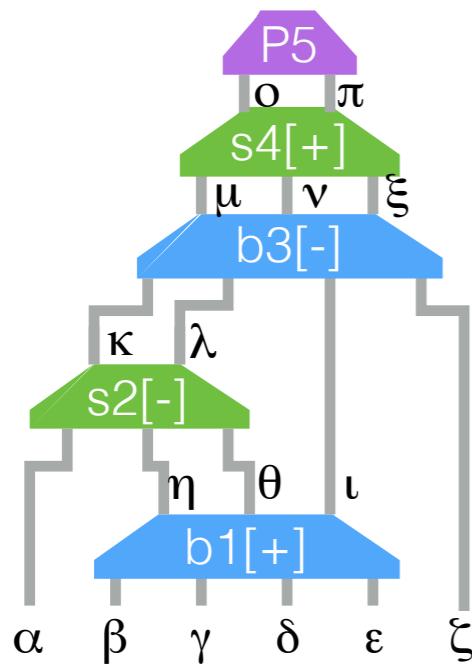




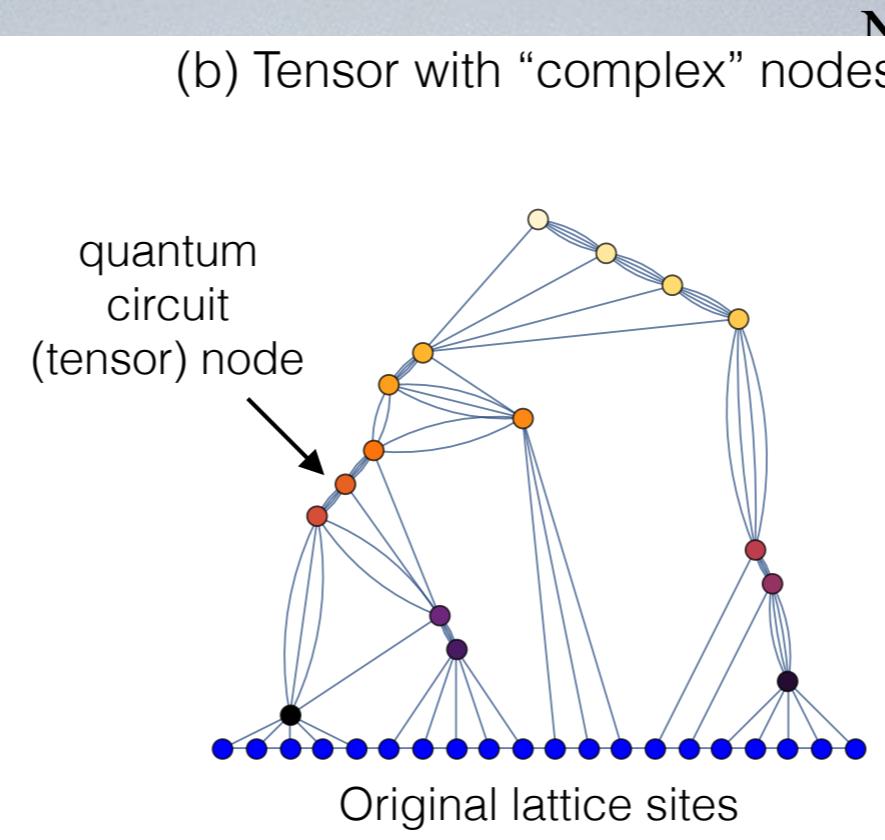
MERA



(a) Tensor network representing RSRG-X

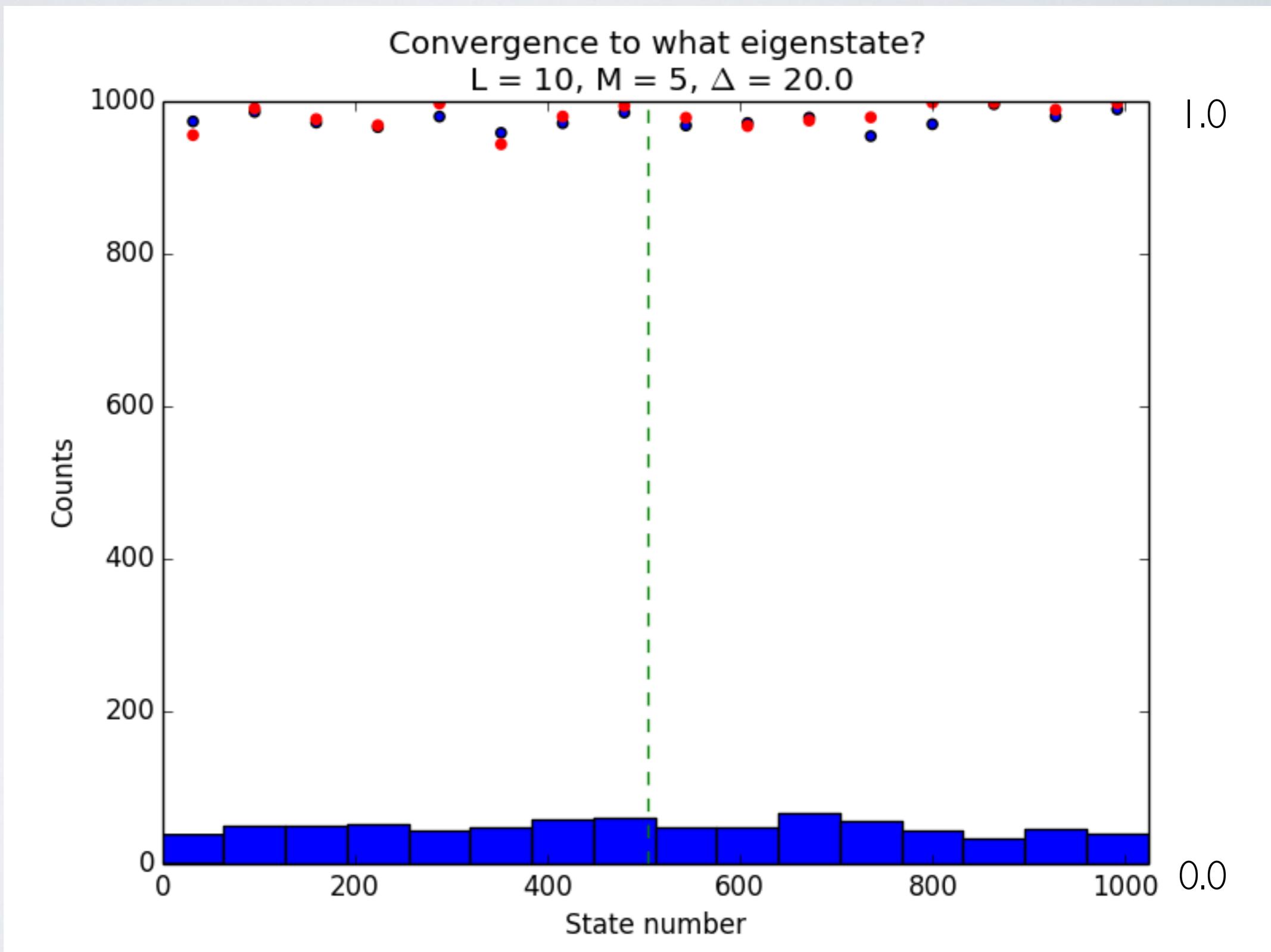


(b) Tensor with “complex” nodes

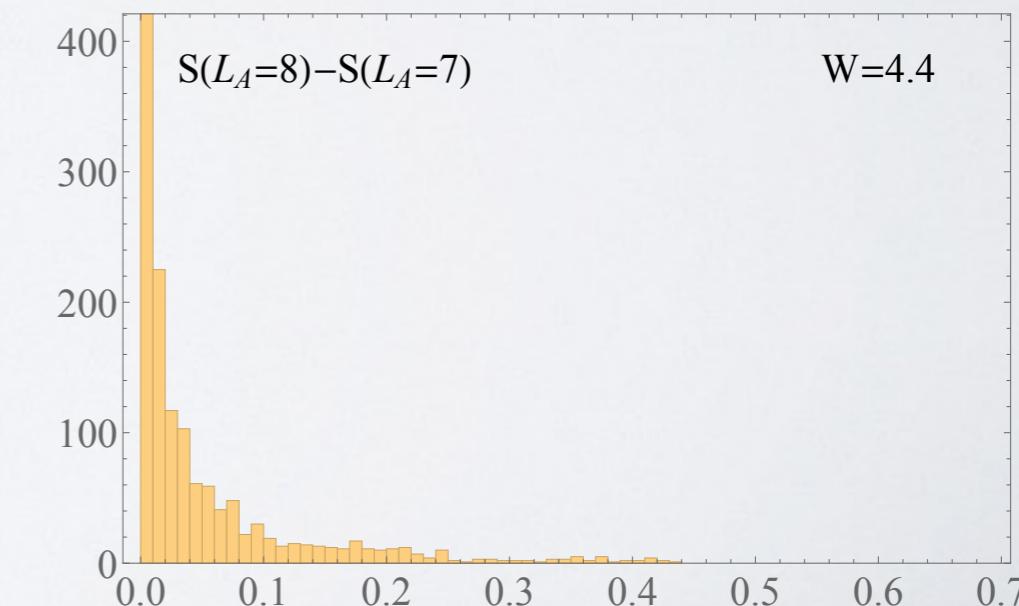
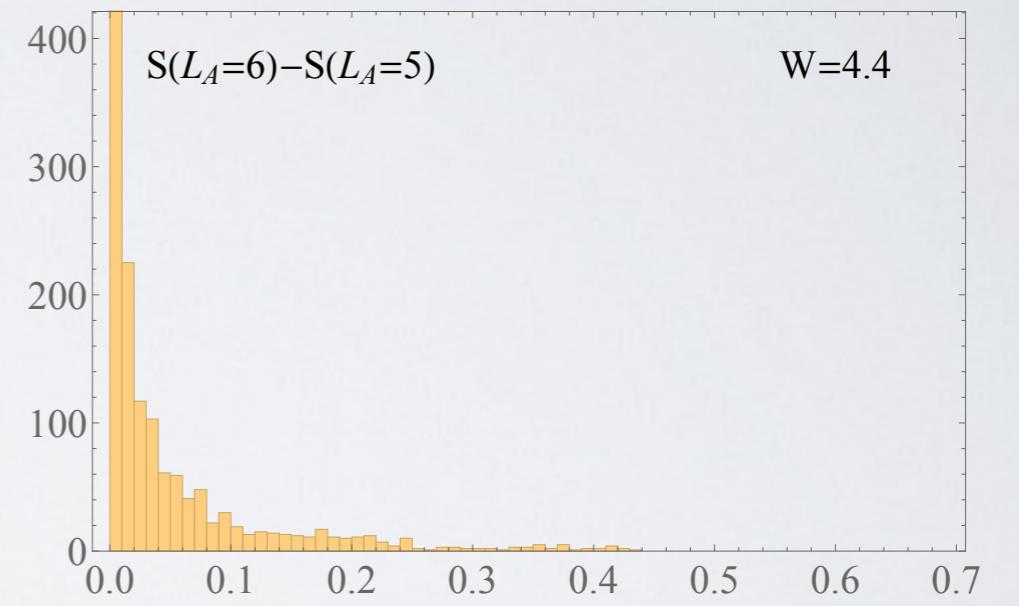
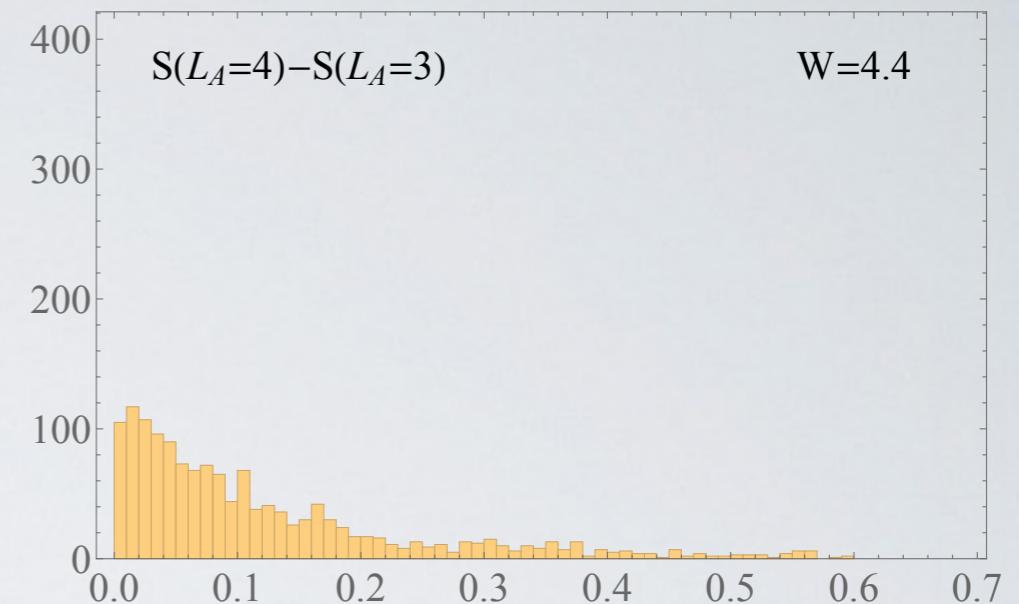
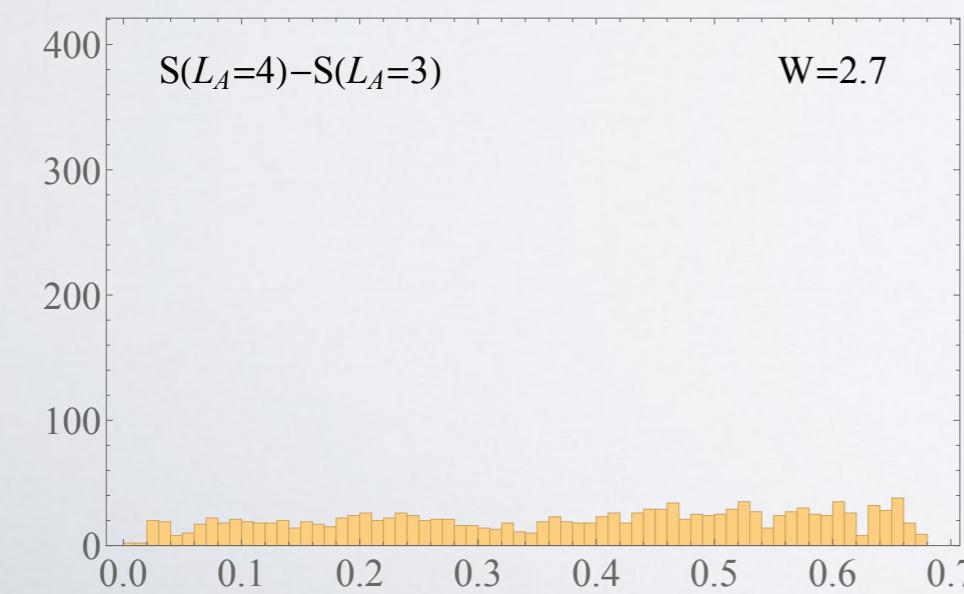
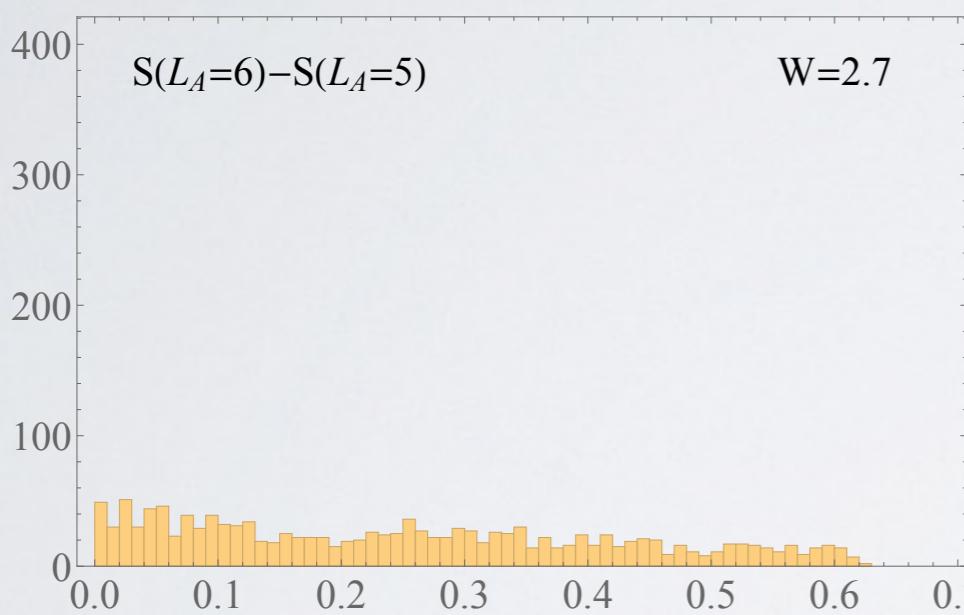
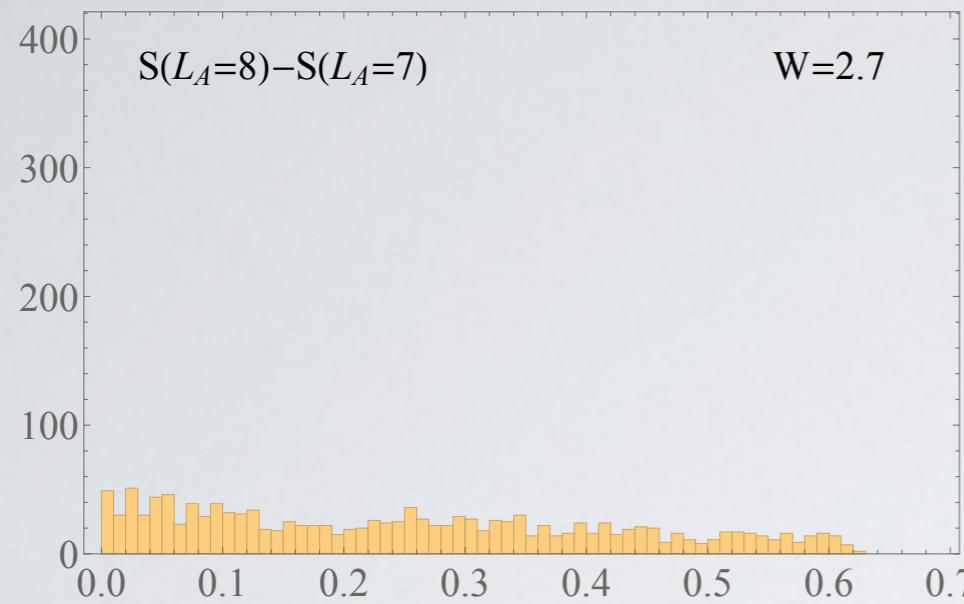


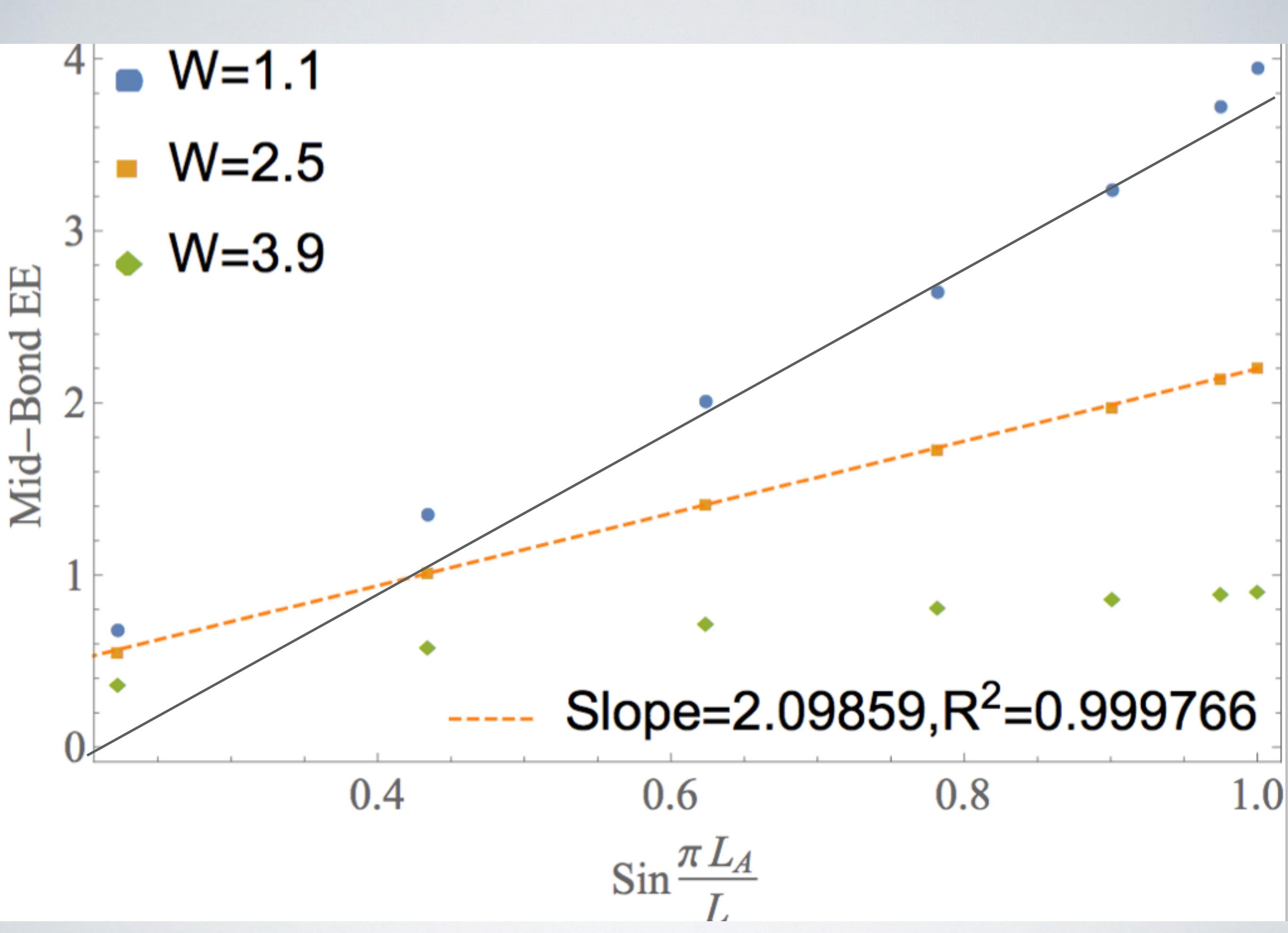
Is there any hope for two-dimensions?

Huse-Elser states



subadditivity





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