

Optimum state preparation using counter-diabatic protocols.

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Outline

1. Motion in a moving frame and non-adiabatic response (inertia, Coriolis force, ...).
2. Counter-diabatic driving and quantum speed limit.
3. Variational approach for gauge potentials (connection operators). Application to many-particle systems

What is the moving frame and what is behind these transformations?

$$i\hbar\partial_t|\psi\rangle = H(\vec{\lambda}(t))|\psi\rangle$$

Let us do a unitary transformation to a co-moving frame, diagonalizing the instantaneous Hamiltonian

$$|\Psi\rangle = U^\dagger(\vec{\lambda})|\psi\rangle, \quad U^\dagger H U = \text{diag}(E_1, E_2, \dots)$$

$$i\hbar\partial_t|\Psi\rangle = (U^\dagger H U - i\hbar U^\dagger d_t U)|\psi\rangle = (\tilde{H} - \dot{\lambda}_\alpha \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_\alpha)|\Psi\rangle$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_\alpha = i\hbar U^\dagger \partial_{\lambda_\alpha} U, \quad \mathcal{A}_\alpha = U \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_\alpha U^\dagger, \quad \mathcal{A}_\alpha^\dagger = \mathcal{A}_\alpha \quad \text{gauge potential (connection)}$$

Classical Hamiltonian systems: gauge potentials – generators of canonical transformations.

Moving frame Hamiltonian, many *potential* applications

$$H_m = H - \dot{\lambda} \mathcal{A}_\lambda$$

1. Mapping dynamical problems to static problems (Floquet).
2. Non-adiabatic response and geometry.
3. Counter-diabatic driving.
4. Adiabatic state preparation (quantum annealing).
5. Finding quantum speed limits.
 1. Constructing approximate eigenstates (including excited states, MBL states)
 2.

Moving frame Hamiltonian and connections to geometry

$$\mathcal{H}_m = \mathcal{H} - \dot{\lambda}_\alpha \mathcal{A}_\alpha$$

Only the gauge potential term is responsible for transitions

Gauge potential and the Berry connection

$$\langle n_0 | \mathcal{A}_\lambda | m_0 \rangle = i\hbar \langle n_0 | U^\dagger \partial_\lambda U | m_0 \rangle = i\hbar \langle n(\lambda) | \partial_\lambda | m(\lambda) \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{A}_\lambda = i\hbar \partial_\lambda \quad \langle 0 | \mathcal{A}_\lambda | 0 \rangle = A_\lambda$$

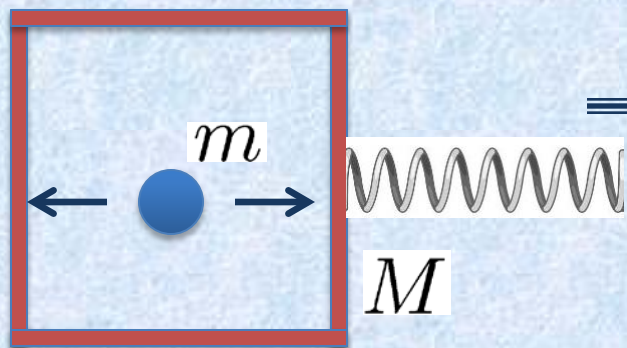
$$F_{\alpha\beta} = -i \langle 0 | [\mathcal{A}_\alpha, \mathcal{A}_\beta] | 0 \rangle = \partial_\alpha A_\beta - \partial_\beta A_\alpha$$

Berry curvature.

$$g_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2} (\langle \partial_\alpha \psi | \partial_\beta \psi \rangle_c + \langle \partial_\beta \psi | \partial_\alpha \psi \rangle_c) = \frac{1}{2} \langle 0 | \mathcal{A}_\alpha \mathcal{A}_\beta + \mathcal{A}_\beta \mathcal{A}_\alpha \rangle_c$$

Metric tensor. Defines the Riemannian metric structure on the manifold of ground states. Defines fidelity susceptibility.

Can recover many familiar results from non-adiabatic perturbation theory



$$H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(x - X_0(t))$$

$$U = \exp\left[-\frac{i}{\hbar}pX_0(t)\right] \quad \mathcal{A}_{X_0} = i\hbar U^\dagger \partial_{X_0} U = p$$

$$\tilde{H} = U^\dagger H U - \dot{X}_0 \mathcal{A}_{X_0} = H - \dot{X}_0 p$$

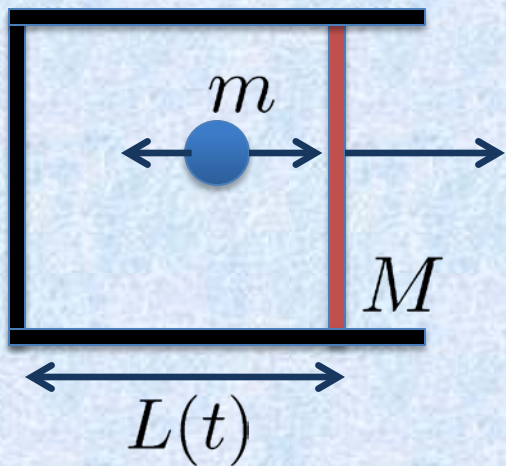
Galilean Transformation

Compute leading correction to the energy due to the Galilean term (consider the ground state)

$$\Delta E_1 = \langle 0 | -\dot{X}_0 p | 0 \rangle = 0$$

$$\Delta E_2 = \dot{X}_0^2 \sum_{n \neq 0} \frac{\langle 0 | p | n \rangle \langle n | p | 0 \rangle}{E_n - E_0} = \dot{X}_0^2 \hbar^2 \sum_{n \neq 0} \frac{\langle n | \partial_X | 0 \rangle^2}{(E_n - E_0)} = m \dot{X}_0^2 \frac{8}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{16n^2}{(4n^2 - 1)^3} = \frac{m \dot{X}_0^2}{2}$$

Recover the mass term as the leading non-adiabatic correction to the energy. Inertia appears as non-adiabatic response.



Dilations

Moving frame

$$\tilde{H} = U^\dagger H U - \dot{X}_0 \mathcal{A}_{X_0} = \frac{p^2}{2mL^2(t)} - \dot{L} \mathcal{D}$$

Dilation operator $\mathcal{D} = \frac{px + xp}{2L}$

Can absorb L^2 into time dilatation: $dt = L^2 d\tau, \quad H \rightarrow L^2 H$

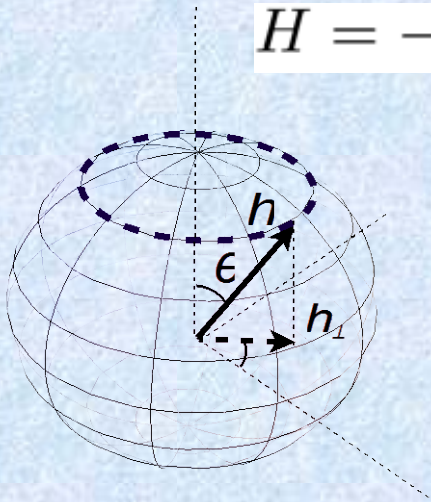
Leading non-adiabatic correction.

$$\Delta E_2 = \dot{L}^2 \sum_{m \neq n} \frac{\langle n | \mathcal{D} | m \rangle \langle m | \mathcal{D} | n \rangle}{E_m - E_n} = m \dot{L}^2 \frac{16}{\pi^2} \sum_{m \neq n} \frac{n^2 m^2}{(m^2 - n^2)^3} = \frac{m \dot{X}_0^2}{2} \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2\pi^2 n^2} \right)$$

Recover “quantum” dilatation mass: the classical (massive spring) result plus an additional quantum correction.

Example: spin $\frac{1}{2}$ in a magnetic field

$$H = -h \cos(\theta) \sigma_z - h \sin(\theta) \cos(\phi) \sigma_x - h \sin(\theta) \sin(\phi) \sigma_y$$



$$\mathcal{A}_\theta = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_y \Rightarrow H_m = H - \frac{1}{2} \sigma_y \dot{\theta}$$

Use ordinary perturbation theory

$$M_\phi = \langle -\partial_\phi H \rangle = F_{\phi\theta} \dot{\theta}$$

Can measure Berry's curvature and various topological numbers/transitions as non-adiabatic corrections.

Experiments (with many ideas from M. Kolodrubetz) M. Schroer et. al. (2014), P. Rouchan et. al. (2014). Extension to second Chern number (M. Kolodrubetz -theory, S. Sagawa and I. Spielman - experiment (2016)).

$$\mathcal{H}_m = \mathcal{H} - \dot{\lambda}_\alpha \mathcal{A}_\alpha$$

Non-adiabatic response: recover macroscopic Hamiltonian dynamics + corrections. Coriolis force is related to the Berry curvature and the mass is related to the Fubini-Study metric tensor.

Counter-diabatic driving (Shortcuts to adiabaticity).

(M. Demirplak, S. A. Rice (2003), M. Berry (2009), S. Deffner, A. Del Campo, C. Jarzynski (2014+)).

Idea: introduce counter-diabatic (CD) term

$$\tilde{H} \rightarrow \tilde{H} + \dot{\lambda} \tilde{\mathcal{A}}_\lambda \quad \tilde{H}_m = \tilde{H}$$

Moving frame follow eigenstates of \tilde{H} . Back to the lab frame:

$$H_{CD} = H + \dot{\lambda} \mathcal{A}_\lambda$$

No CD term

CD term

CD driving intuitively:

- Have to introduce extra parameters
- Do not necessarily follow instantaneous ground state
- Use only local (physical) counter terms, i.e. do not address individual water molecules

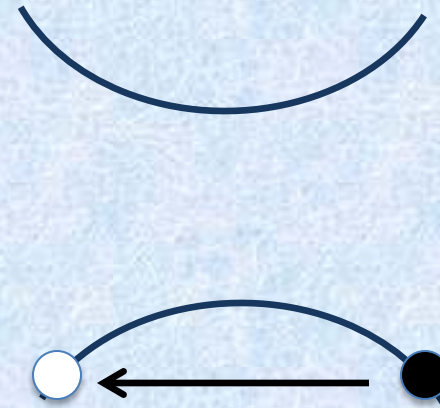


Example: adiabatic loading in LZ problem

$$H = \Delta\sigma_z + h(t)\sigma_x$$

Standard route: go slowly,
especially near the gap minimum

$$p_{\text{ex}} \sim \exp\left[-\frac{\Delta^2}{|\dot{h}|}\right]$$



CD route: introduce counter term

$$H_{CD} = \Delta\sigma_z + h(t)\sigma_x + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\dot{h}}{h^2 + \Delta^2} \sigma_y$$

$$p_{\text{ex}} \equiv 0$$

Zero transition probability for any driving rate. Fast ground state preparation.

CD driving and the quantum speed limit

What is the minimum time to connect two ground states?

Superficially zero, we can always scale the Hamiltonian and decrease time. Incorrect question.

Do the trick: change time and coupling

$$i\hbar \frac{d\psi}{dt} = i\hbar \dot{\lambda} \frac{d\psi}{d\lambda} = (H + \dot{\lambda} \mathcal{A}_\lambda) \psi \qquad i\hbar \frac{d\psi}{d\lambda} = \left(\frac{H}{\dot{\lambda}} + \mathcal{A}_\lambda \right) \psi$$

Fastest protocol – minimizes the norm of the effective Hamiltonian

Minimal proper time is given by the geodesic length.

$$t_{\min} = \int_{\lambda_i}^{\lambda_f} d\lambda \sqrt{\langle \mathcal{A}_\lambda^2 \rangle_c} = \int_{\lambda_i}^{\lambda_f} d\lambda g_{\lambda\lambda} = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-h_0}^{h_0} \frac{dh}{h^2 + \Delta^2}$$

Cannot design protocols faster than this.

Gauge potential becomes Hamiltonian and coupling becomes time. Effective dual description of adiabatic dynamics.

Finding adiabatic gauge potentials in complex systems
(important for CD driving, geodesics, Chern numbers, metric, state preparation...)

1. Through the unitary: $\mathcal{A}_\lambda = i(\partial_\lambda U)U^\dagger$
Exact but not useful as we do not know the unitary.

2. Through the matrix elements of the instantaneous eigenstates:

$$\langle n | \mathcal{A}_\lambda | m \rangle = i \frac{\langle n | \partial_\lambda H | m \rangle}{E_m - E_n}$$

Hard to connect to local physical operators. Problem of small denominators in chaotic systems unless have special symmetries like Galilean invariance (related issues in classical chaotic systems Jarzynski 1997).

1. Need to find another root for finding approximate local adiabatic gauge potentials.

Recall definition of the moving frame as the one diagonalizing H

$$\tilde{H}(\lambda) = U^\dagger(\lambda)H(\lambda)U(\lambda)$$

Differentiate with respect to λ (moving derivative)

$$\partial_\lambda \tilde{H}(\lambda) = U^\dagger(\lambda)\partial_\lambda H(\lambda)U(\lambda) + \frac{i}{\hbar}[\tilde{\mathcal{A}}_\lambda, \tilde{H}]$$

By construction $[\partial_\lambda \tilde{H}, \tilde{H}] = 0$: gauge potential eliminates off-diagonal terms in the conjugate force

Go back to the lab frame (remove tildes), insert Planck's constant

$$[\partial_\lambda H + \frac{i}{\hbar}[\mathcal{A}_\lambda, H], H] = 0, \Leftrightarrow [D_\lambda H, H] = 0$$

Classical systems

$$\{\partial_\lambda H - \{\mathcal{A}_\lambda, H\}, H\} = 0$$

Many-particle (non-interacting) systems

$$H = -J \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} + c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j) + \sum_j V(j, \lambda) c_j^\dagger c_j$$

$$H_{CD} = H + \dot{\lambda} \mathcal{A}_\lambda$$

$$[\partial_\lambda H + i[\mathcal{A}_\lambda, H], H] = 0$$

It is clear that

$$\mathcal{A}_\lambda = i \sum_{i \neq j} \alpha_{ij} c_i^\dagger c_j, \quad \alpha_{ij} = -\alpha_{ji}$$

Gauge potential is imaginary, in general long range, hopping

Exact solution for a constant electric field $V_j = \lambda \sum_j j c_j^\dagger c_j$

$$\mathcal{A}_\lambda = -i \frac{J}{\lambda^2} \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} - c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j)$$

CD term is the current operator

Counter-diabatic Hamiltonian (set J=1)

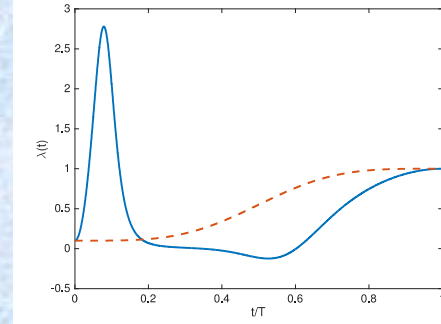
$$H_{CD} = - \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} + c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j) + \lambda \sum_j j c_j^\dagger c_j - \frac{i\dot{\lambda}}{\lambda^2} \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} - c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j)$$

Can eliminate complex hopping by the gauge (Pierls) transformation

$$H_{CD} = - \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} + c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j) - \frac{\lambda(t)}{\sqrt{1 + \dot{\lambda}^2}} \left(1 - \frac{\mu \ddot{\lambda}}{1 + \dot{\lambda}^2} \right) \sum_j j c_j^\dagger c_j, \quad \mu = 1/\lambda$$

Fast limit (optimal adiabatic loading)

$$i\hbar \frac{d|\psi\rangle}{d\lambda} = - \frac{i}{\lambda^2} \sum_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} + c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j) |\psi\rangle$$



This protocol exactly connects ground states with different electric fields. Minimal loading time diverges as the inverse electric field (There is an equivalent electric field protocol).

Beyond the linear potential

$$[\partial_\lambda H + i[\mathcal{A}_\lambda, H], H] = 0$$

$$G = \partial_\lambda H + i[\mathcal{A}_\lambda, H] \quad \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{A}_\lambda) = \text{Tr}(G^2)$$

Equivalent to the minimization problem

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{A}_\lambda)}{\partial \mathcal{A}_\lambda} = 0 \Rightarrow [G, H] = 0$$

Treat the gauge potential as a variational function:

$$\mathcal{A}_\lambda^* = i \sum_j \alpha_j (c_j^\dagger c_{j+1} - c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j)$$

Minimize norm of G . This talk: trace norm. Can use norm with UV cutoff, GS norm, finite temperature norm etc.

$$\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{A}_\lambda^*) = \text{Tr}(G^2) \quad G = \partial_\lambda H + i[\mathcal{A}_\lambda^*, H]$$

Advantages of the trace norm: easy to find analytically, Wick's theorem applies to any Hamiltonian. Works both for the ground and excited states.

$$G = \sum_j (\partial_\lambda V_j - 2J(\alpha_j - \alpha_{j-1})) c_j^\dagger c_j + J \sum_j (\alpha_j - \alpha_{j-1})(c_{j+1}^\dagger c_{j-1} + c_{j-1}^\dagger c_{j+1}) + \sum_j (V_{j+1} - V_j) \alpha_j (c_{j+1}^\dagger c_j + c_j^\dagger c_{j+1}).$$

Result of the minimization

$$-3\Delta\alpha + (\nabla_j V)^2 \alpha = \nabla_j (\partial_\lambda V)$$

Smooth potentials, continuum limit

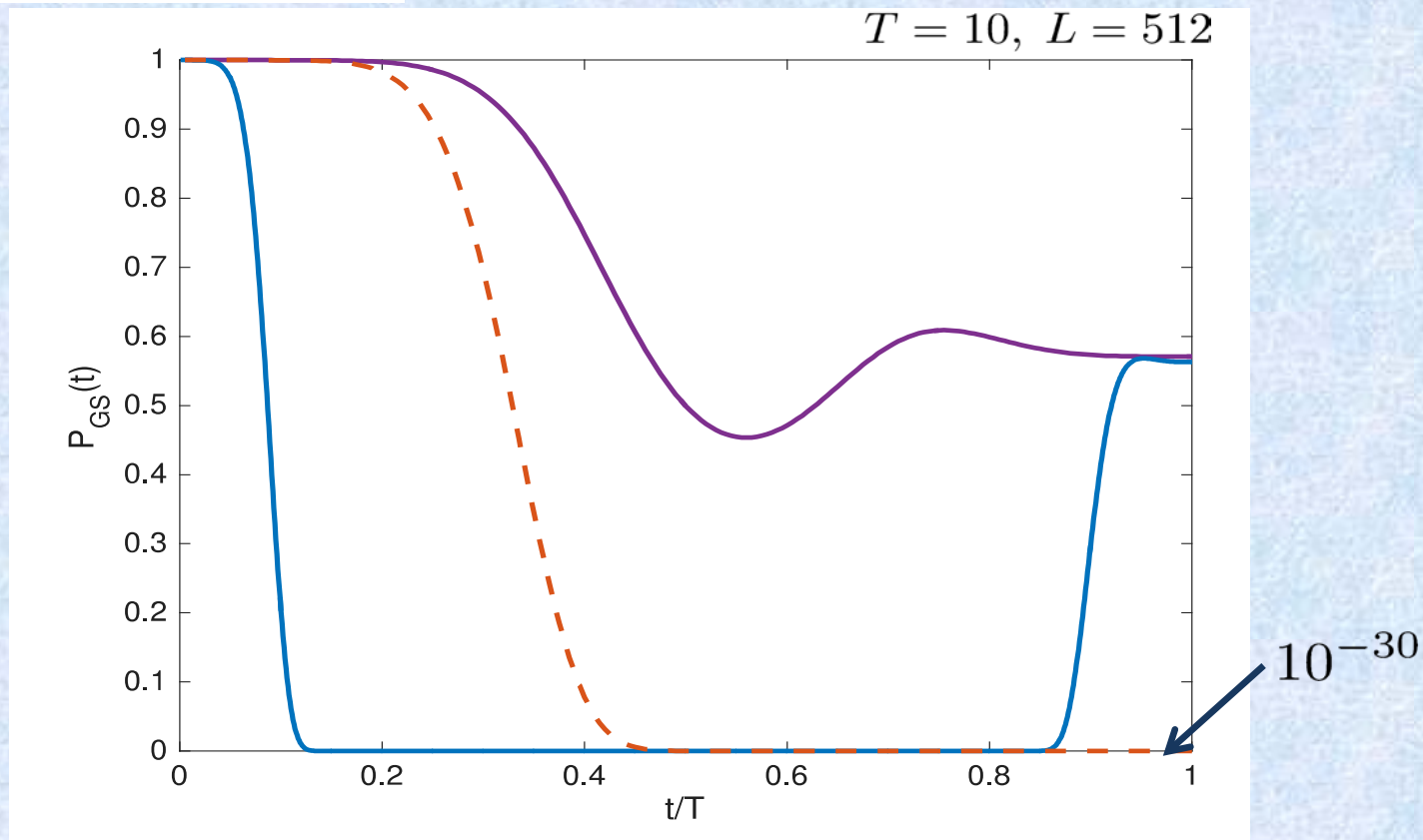
$$-3\partial_x^2 \alpha + (\partial_x V)^2 \alpha = \partial_x (\partial_\lambda V)$$

This gauge potential defines the best local co-moving frame. Does not require diagonalization of the Hamiltonian. Maps quantum to classical problem

Example: inserting Eckart's potential (fighting Anderson orthogonality catastrophe). Half filling, 512 sites

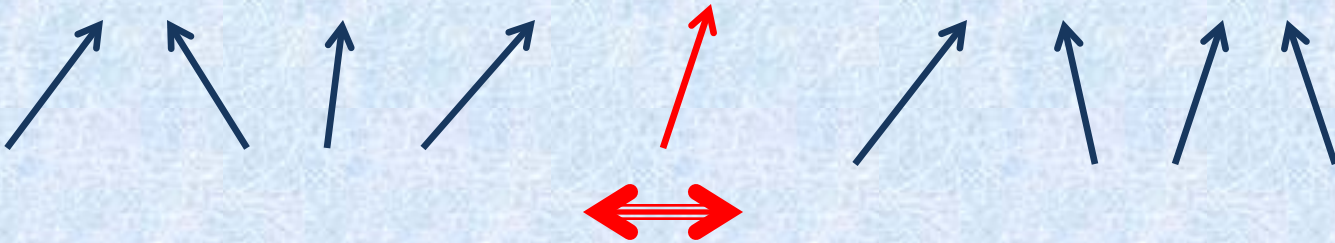
$$V(j, \lambda) = \frac{\lambda(t)}{\cosh^2(j/\xi)}$$

$$\lambda(t) = 2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \sin^2(\pi t/2T) \right)$$



Like throwing a stone into quantum water (gas) without generating ripples.

Interacting spin system



Try to minimize white noise dissipation using CD driving.

$$H = \sum_j \sigma_z^j \sigma_z^{j+1} + 0.8 \sigma_z^j + 0.9 \sigma_x^j + h_x(t) \sigma_x^{L/2}$$

Gauge potential

$$\mathcal{A} = \alpha \sigma_y^{L/2} + \beta \sigma_y^{L/2} (\sigma_z^{L/2+1} + \sigma_z^{L/2-1}) + \gamma \sigma_y^{L/2} (\sigma_x^{L/2+1} + \sigma_x^{L/2-1}) + \dots$$

The expansion seems to quickly converge in gapped phases.

Good measure of dissipation – energy variance spread within FGR (works also for infinite temperature states)

White noise: $\frac{d\delta E^2}{dt} \propto \langle n | ([H_0, G])^2 | n \rangle$

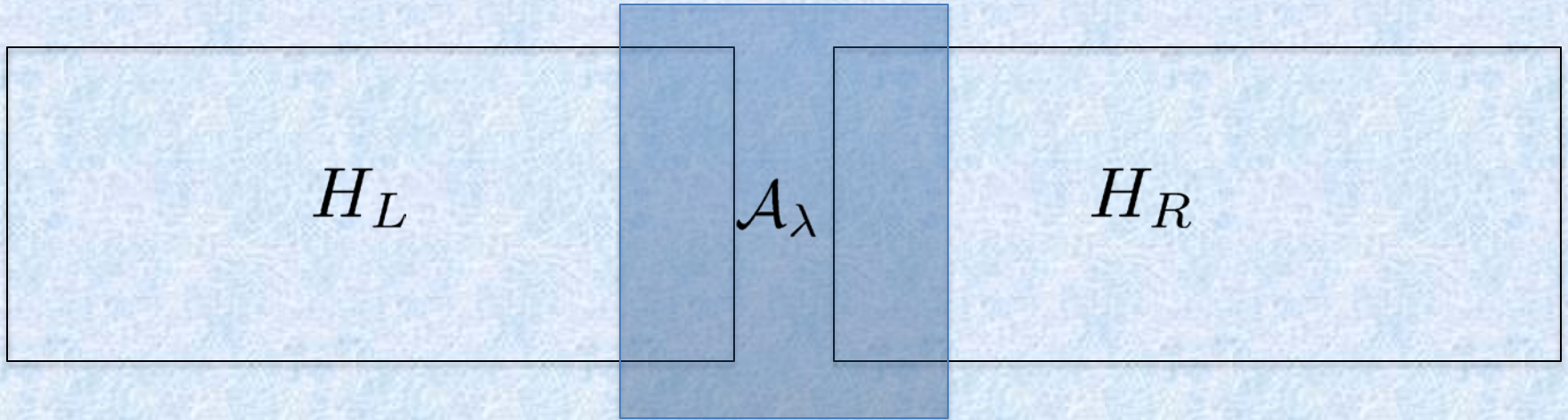
Thermodynamic limit protocol
15 site chain.

No CD protocol

Single site CD protocol

Two site CD protocol

Potential implementations for state preparation



$$H = H_L + H_R + \lambda H_{\text{int}}$$

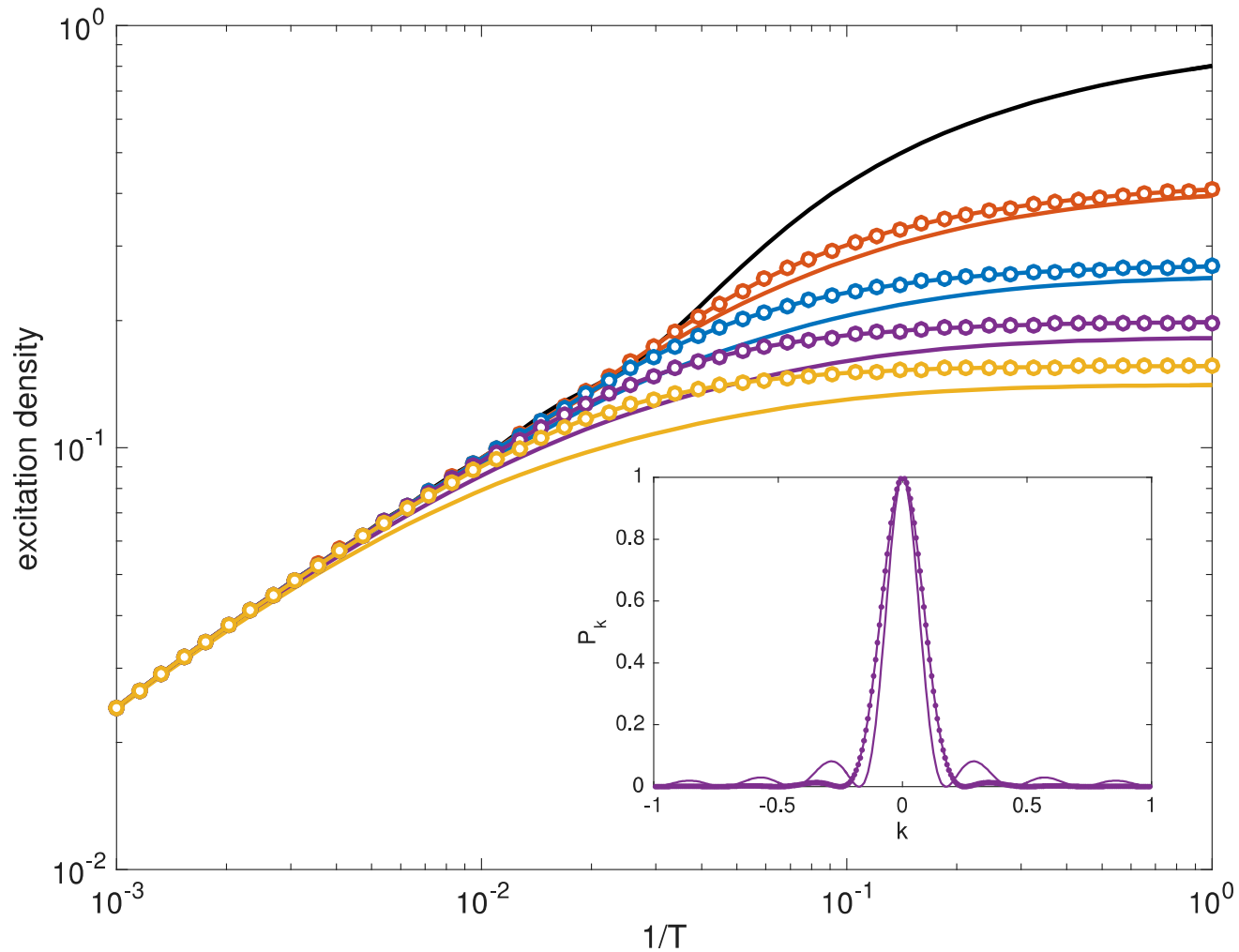
Instead of adiabatic turning on fast CD driving

$$i\partial_\lambda \psi = \mathcal{A}_\lambda \psi$$

Gauge potential is similar to the entanglement Hamiltonian. Need to evolve for finite time.

Will not resolve individual eigenstates but can potentially prepare good excited states

CD driving through QCP in the TFI model

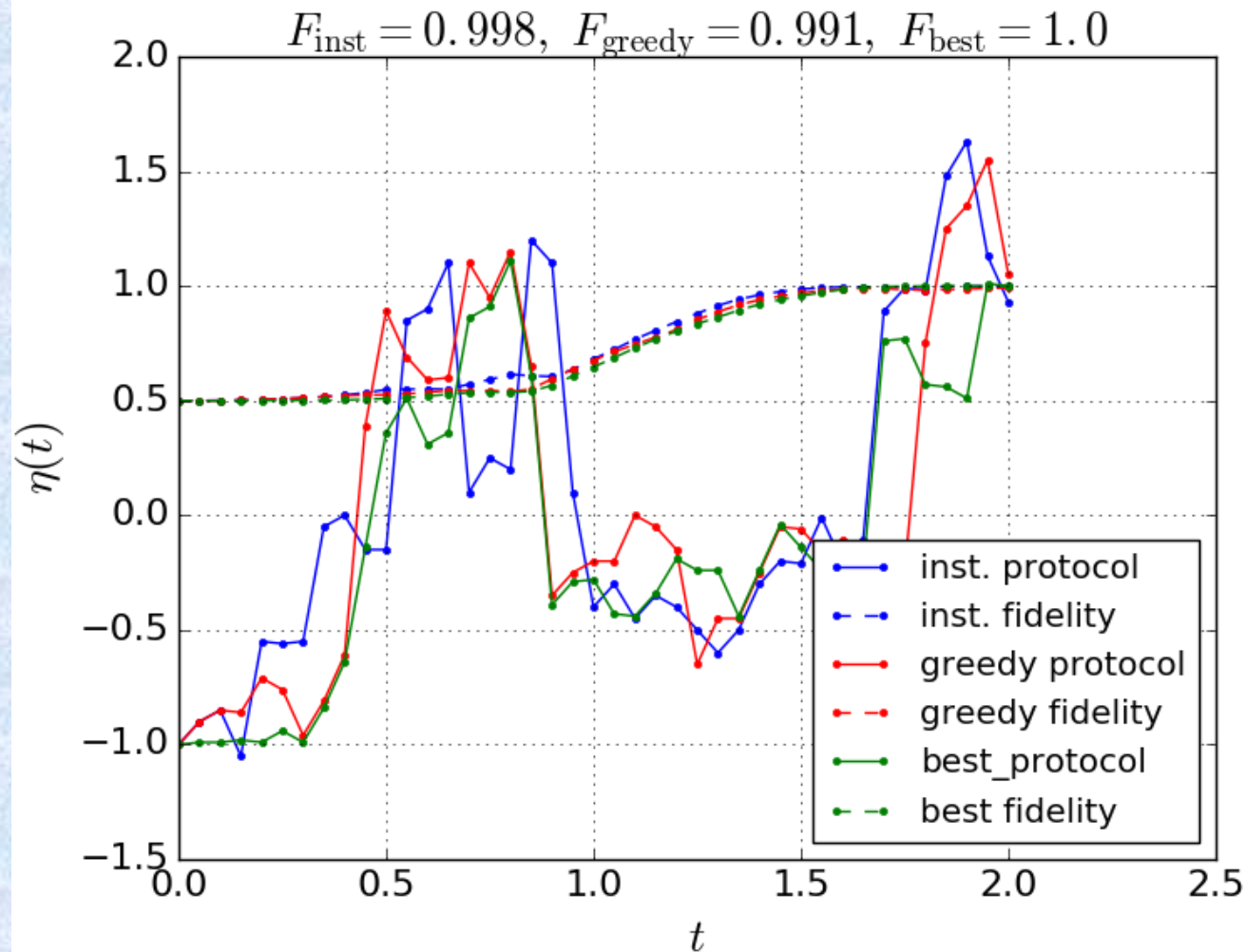


Dots: variational solutions with string lengths 1-4; lines: exact truncated solutions. Variational solution can be generalized to a nonintegrable chain.

Machine learning optimization (final fidelity as a reinforcer) (in progress, lead by M. Bukov and P. Mehta)

Landau-Zener problem:

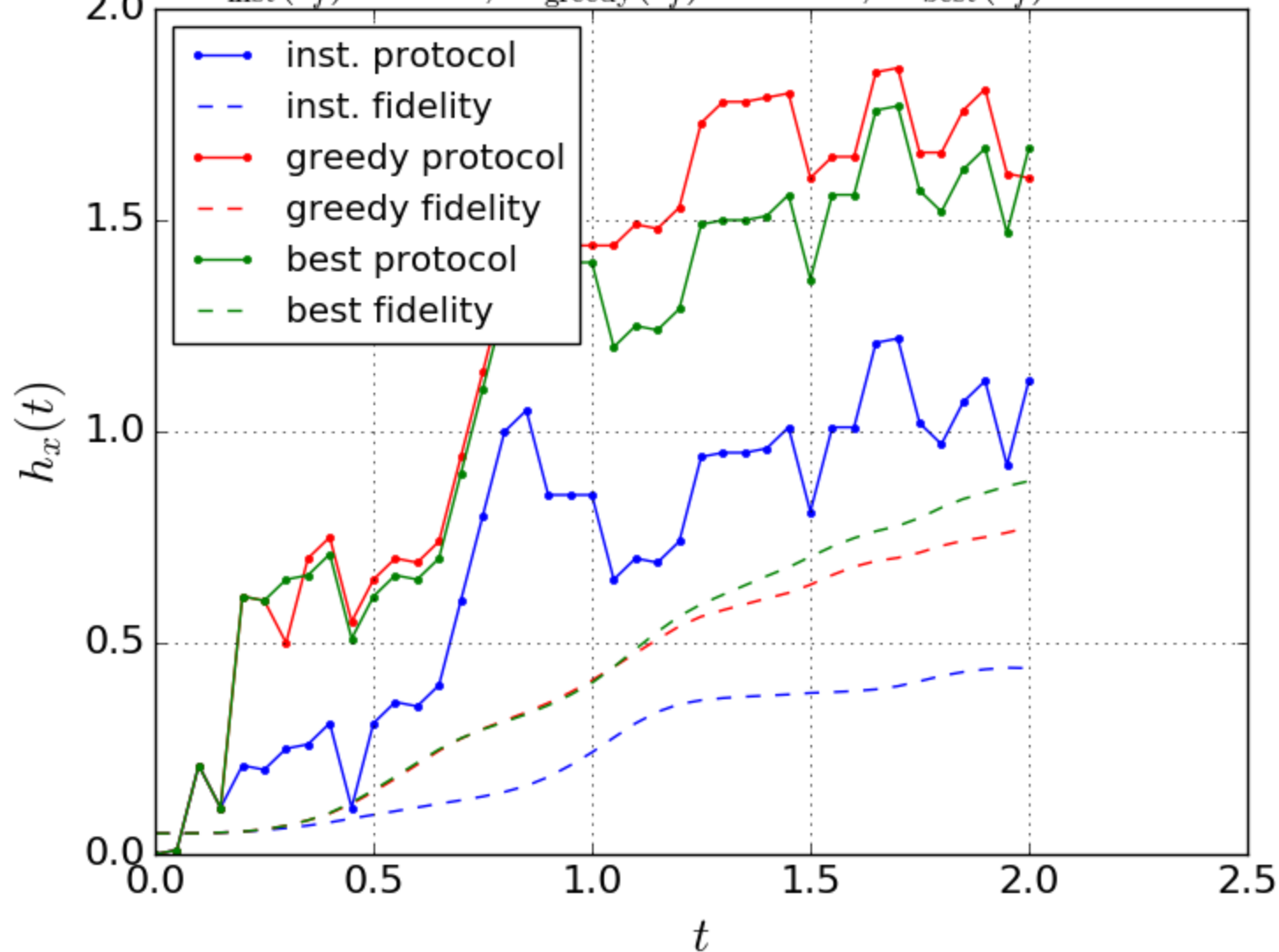
$$h_z = 1, \quad h_x \in [-1, 1], \quad \sim 1000 \text{ runs}$$



14 cite chain, no QCP, 1000 runs

$$H_0 = -1.23 \sum_j \sigma_j^z \sigma_{j+1}^z + 0.02 \sum_j \sigma_j^z - h_x(t) \sum_j \sigma_j^x, \quad h_x \in [0, 2], \quad t \in [0, 2]$$

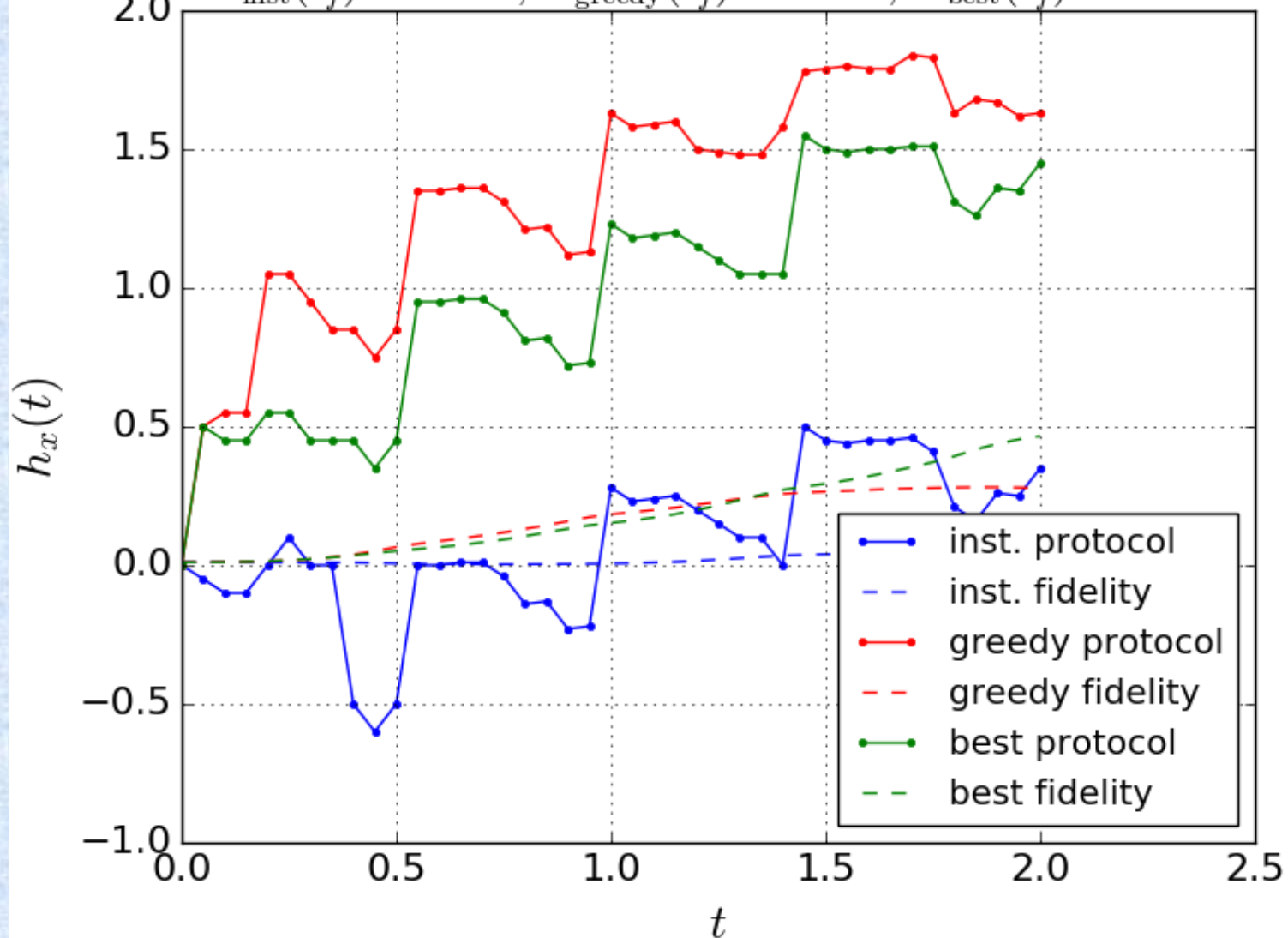
$$F_{\text{inst}}(t_f) = 0.44, \quad F_{\text{greedy}}(t_f) = 0.773, \quad F_{\text{best}}(t_f) = 0.883$$



14 cite chain, crossing QCP, 1000 runs

$$H_0 = 1.23 \sum \sigma_j^z \sigma_{j+1}^z + 0.02 \sum \sigma_j^z - h_x(t) \sum \sigma_j^x, \quad h_x \in [0, 2], t \in [0, 2]$$

$$F_{\text{inst}}(t_f) = 0.031, \quad F_{\text{greedy}}(t_f) = 0.278, \quad F_{\text{best}}(t_f) = 0.466$$

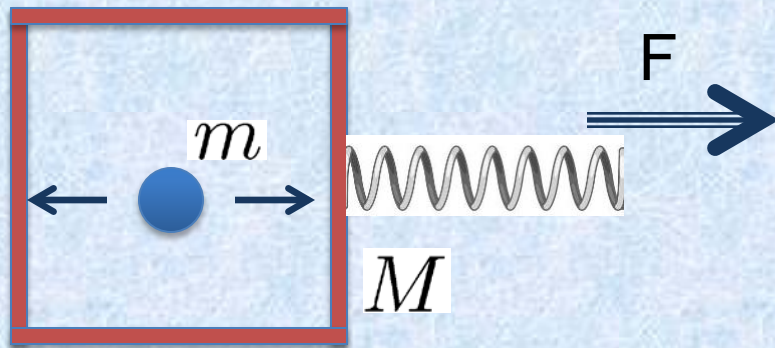


Summary

- Deep connections between non-adiabatic response and geometry.
- Counter-adiabatic driving for quantum state preparation and suppression of dissipation.
- Many open questions/potential applications.

Beyond adiabatic response. Shortcuts to adiabaticity.

(M. Demirplak, S. A. Rice (2003), M. Berry (2009), S. Deffner, A. Del Campo, C. Jarzynski (2014+))



$$H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(x - X_0(t))$$

Suppose we want to move a box in space without exciting a particle inside (without heating).

Can move the box slowly but it takes time. If move too slow will likely decohere due to a bath.

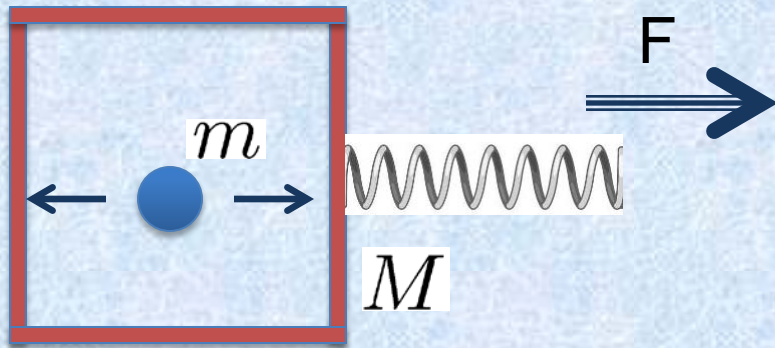
Recall a moving Hamiltonian

$$\tilde{H} = U^\dagger H U - \dot{X}_0 \mathcal{A}_{X_0} = \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(x) - \dot{X}_0 p$$

Can compensate the last term by adding the counter term

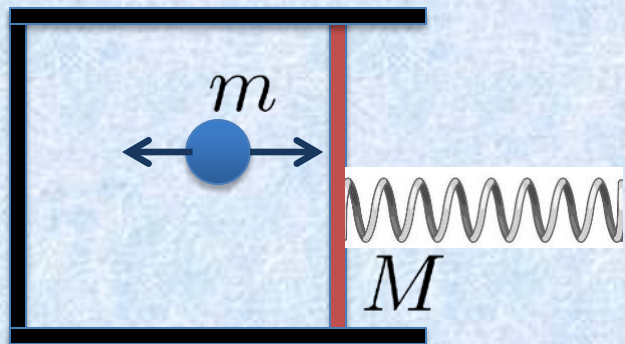
$$H \rightarrow H + \dot{X}_0 p$$

The moving frame the Hamiltonian is diagonal (time-independent). Can move arbitrarily fast. **This is not what the waiter does!**



$$\begin{aligned}
 H &= \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(x - X_0) + \dot{X}_0 p \\
 &= \frac{(p + m\dot{X}_0)^2}{2m} + V(x - X_0) - \frac{m\dot{X}_0^2}{2} \\
 &\sim \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(x - X_0) - mx\ddot{X}_0.
 \end{aligned}$$

CD (counter-diabatic) term is simply a linear potential proportional to the acceleration (gravitational field).



$$\mathcal{D} : \quad x \rightarrow Lx, \quad p \rightarrow p/L$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 H &= \frac{p^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{L^2} V(x/L) + \dot{L} \frac{px + xp}{2L} \\
 &\sim \frac{p^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{L^2} V(x/L) - \frac{mx^2\ddot{L}}{L}.
 \end{aligned}$$

CD term is a harmonic potential (Deffner, Jarzynski, Del Campo 2014).

$$M_b \approx M_b^{(0)} + \hbar F_{ba} \dot{\lambda}_a$$

Imagine motion in momentum space (equivalently gauge potential space)

$$\lambda_x = \frac{1}{c} A_x, \quad \lambda_y = \frac{1}{c} A_y$$

$$\dot{\lambda}_x = \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial t} = E_x \quad M_y = -c \left\langle \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial A_y} \right\rangle = J_y$$

Recover the standard Hall effect

$$J_y = \hbar F_{xy} E_x$$

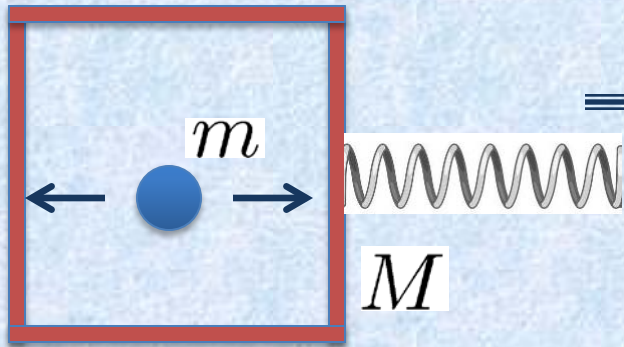
Quantization of the Chern number (when we integrate F over a closed manifold) implies the quantum Hall effect


$$\phi = \frac{e}{c\hbar} \int \vec{A} d\vec{l} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{A_x}{c}, \frac{A_y}{c} \right) \in [0, 2\pi\hbar/L_x e] \times [0, 2\pi\hbar/L_y e]$$

$$F_{xy} \frac{4\pi^2 \hbar^2}{e^2 S} = 2\pi n \Rightarrow \sigma_{xy} = \frac{\hbar F_{xy}}{S} = \frac{e^2}{2\pi\hbar} n$$

QHE can be interpreted as measurement of the quantized Coriolis force.

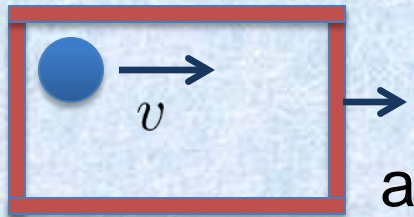
How can we understand the mass in a simple setup?



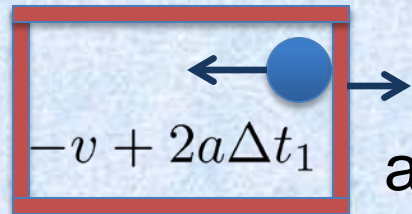
F  Take container and start slowly accelerating it to velocity v .

Compute the force (or work).

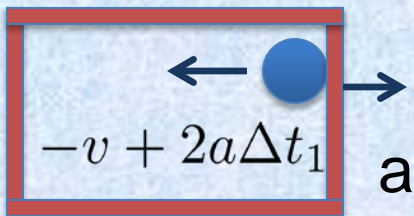
Assume particle is fast compared to the container



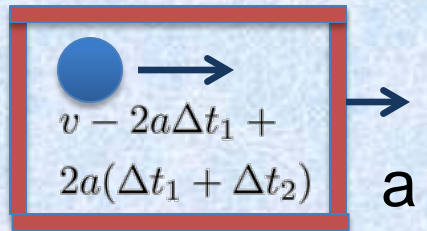
\Rightarrow
 Δt_1



$$\Delta p_1 = -2mv + 2a\Delta t_1$$



\Rightarrow
 Δt_2

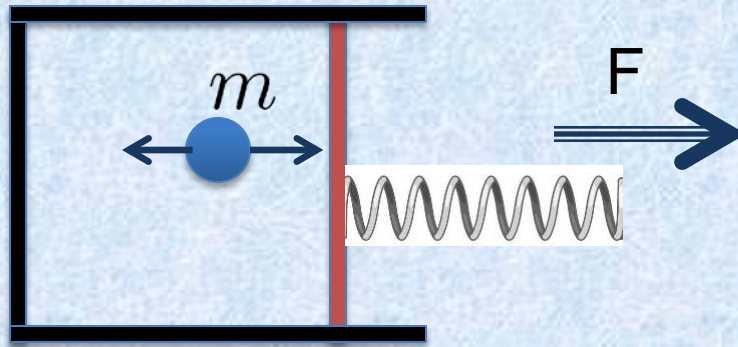


$$\Delta p_2 = 2mv + 2a(\Delta t_2 - \Delta t_1)$$

$$F = \frac{\Delta p_1 + \Delta p_2}{\Delta t_1 + \Delta t_2} = \frac{2ma\Delta t_2}{\Delta t_1 + \Delta t_2} \approx ma$$

Only valid near the adiabatic limit, where $\Delta t_1 \approx \Delta t_2$

Two ways of measuring generalized force



1. Measure force as a pressure using some calibrated device like a spring and third Newton's law.
2. Measure as the generalized force

$$F = \int dx \rho(x) \partial_x V(x) = \langle \psi | \partial_x V | \psi \rangle, \quad V(x) \text{ is the wall potential}$$

Y. Kafri, M. Kardar, ... non-existence of pressure as a function of state in active (non-equilibrium) matter (2014)