

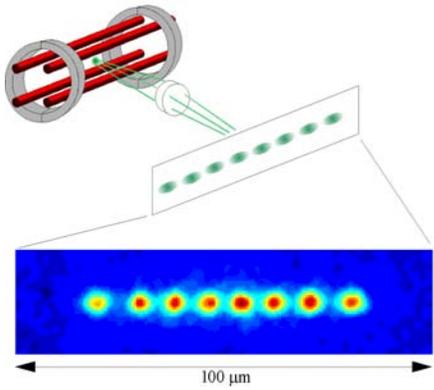
# Implementations of Topological Order with Atomic, Molecular and Optical Systems

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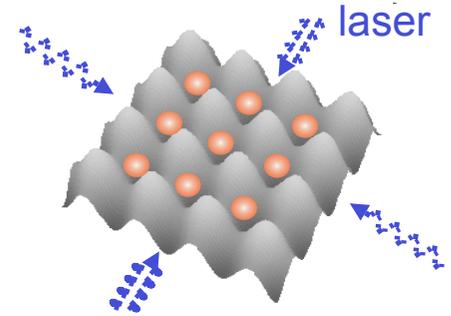




Quantum gates  
Precision measurement

# Quantum optics

Few degrees of freedom



Hubbard model  
Spin lattices

# Quantum Information

Q. Computational Complexity

## Topological QC



Quantum Simulations  
Data structures

# Many body physics

Many degrees of freedom

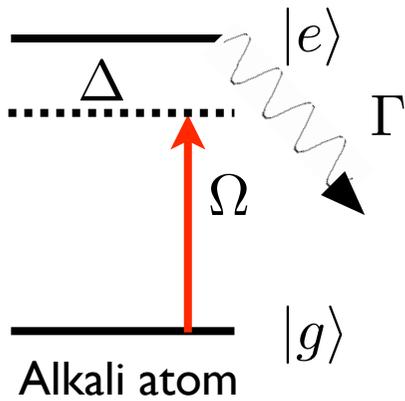
## Topological phases



# Outline

- Trapped atoms in optical lattices: the short road to q. simulations
- Topological order in spin lattices
- Implementations
  - Spin-1/2 models -----> Kitaev honeycomb model
  - Spin > 1/2
- Summary & Outlook
- Open questions

# Optical lattices



Coherent for large intensity and detuning

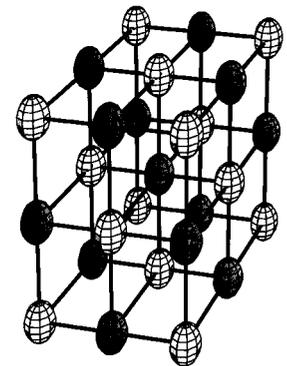
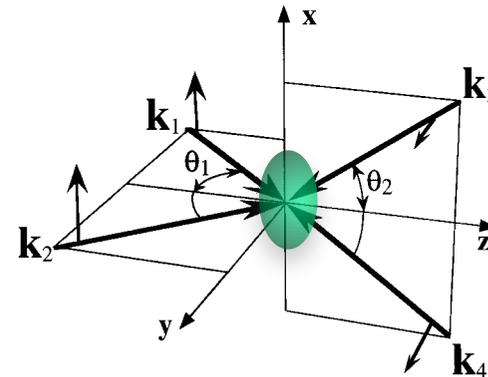
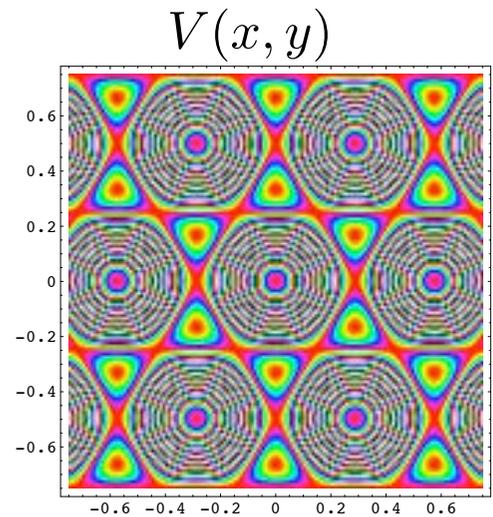
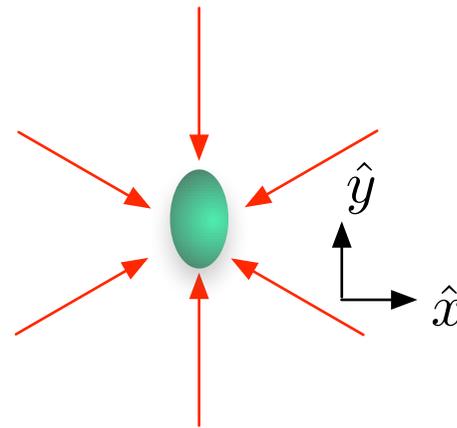
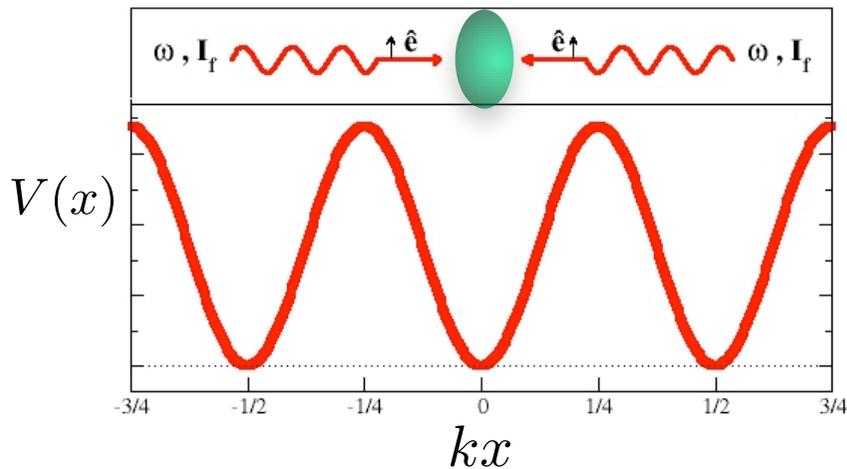
Can build 1D, 2D, 3D lattices with adjustable topography by tuning intensity, polarization, & detuning

$$V(\mathbf{x}) = -\langle \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{x}, t) \cdot \overleftarrow{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{E}^*(\mathbf{x}, t) \rangle$$

$$V_0 \simeq \frac{\Omega^2}{\Delta} \quad \gamma \simeq \Gamma \left( \frac{\Omega}{\Delta} \right)^2$$

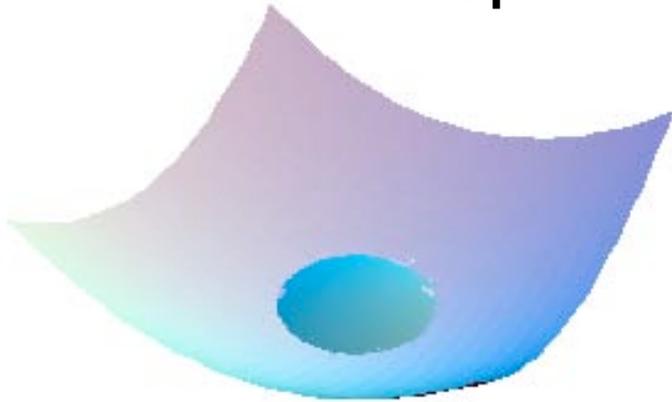
Trapping with counter-propagating lasers

$$V(x) = V_0 \cos^2(kx)$$

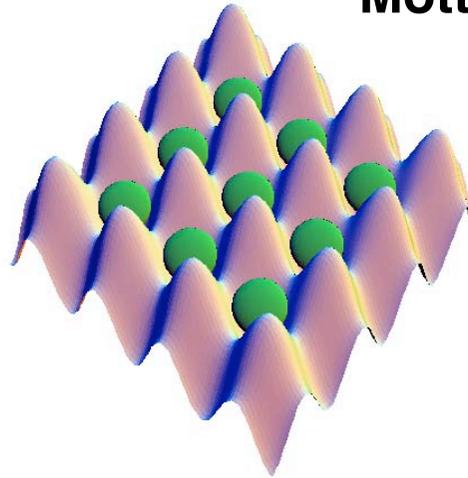


- State preparation via q. phase transition

**Superfluid BEC**



**Mott Insulator**

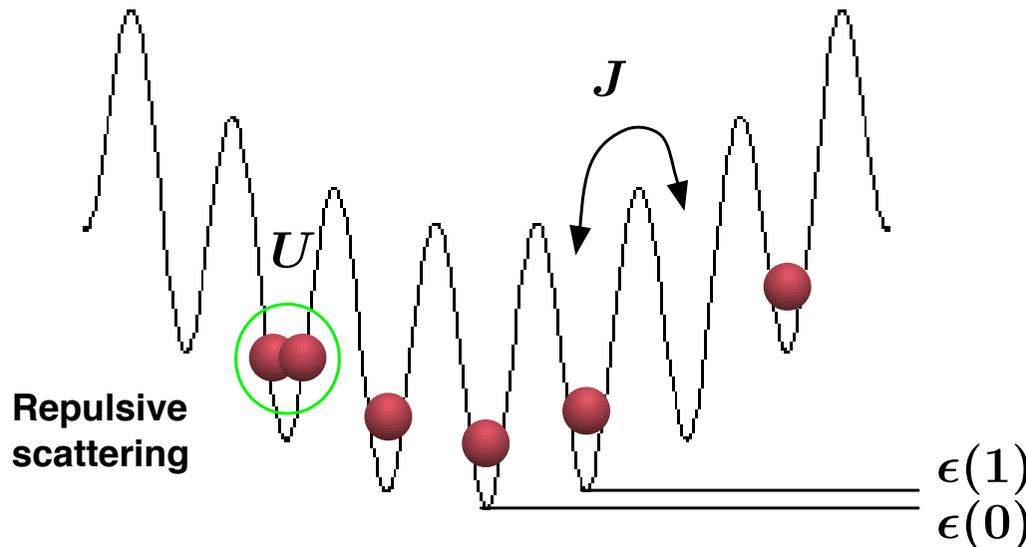


Theory: Jaksch *et al.* PRL 81, 3108 (1998)

Exp: M. Greiner *et al.* Nature 415, 39 (2003)

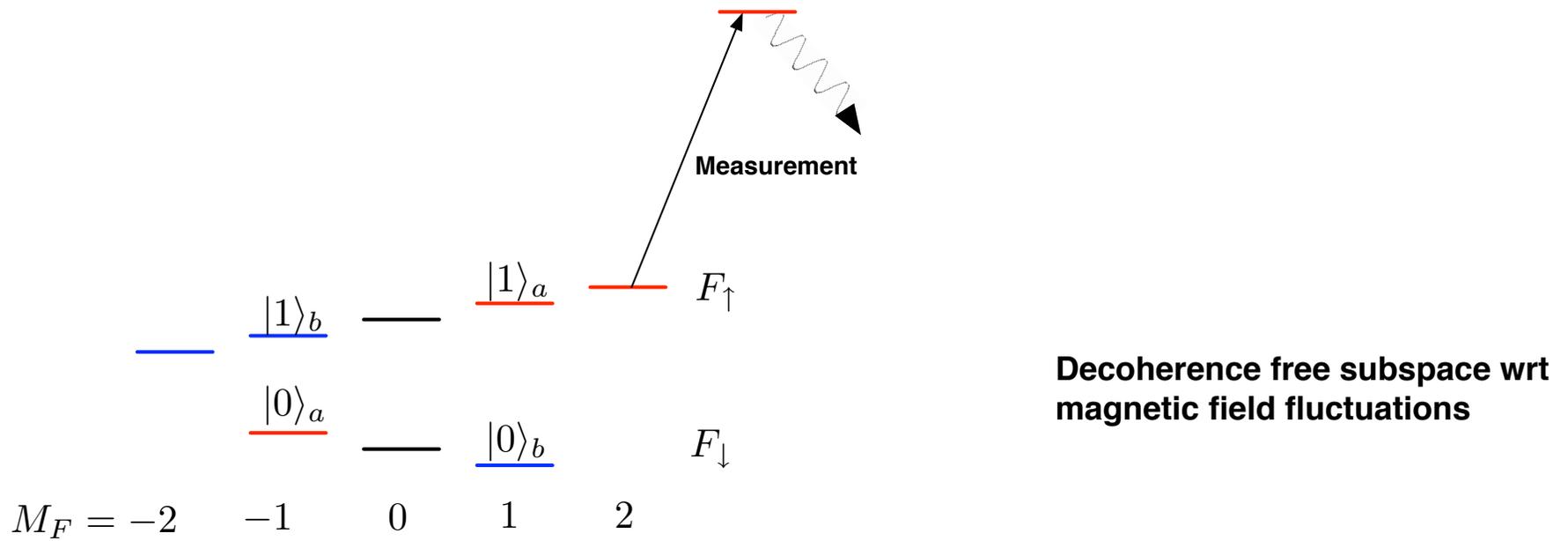
- Bose-Hubbard dynamics

$$H_{BH} = - \sum_{\langle j,k \rangle} J(a_j^\dagger a_k + a_k^\dagger a_j) + \sum_j \frac{U}{2} n_j(n_j - 1) + \epsilon(j)n_j$$

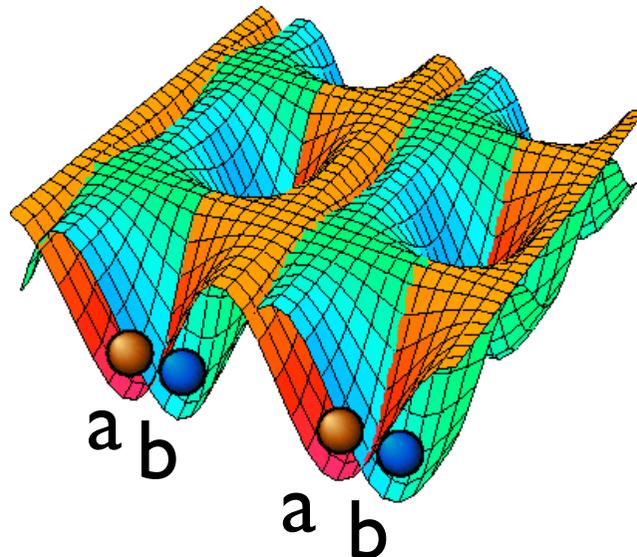
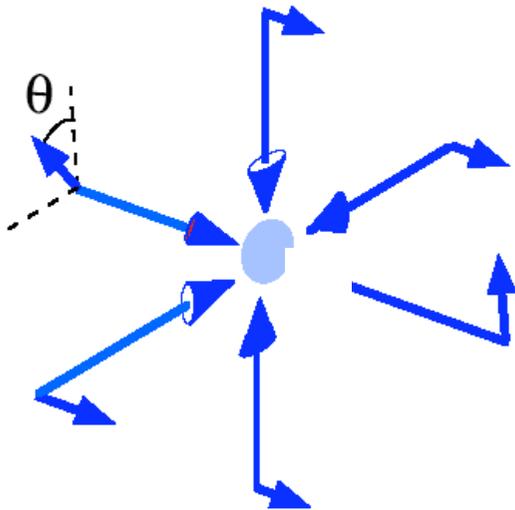


- Quantum gates

- Information encoded in hyperfine levels.



- Collisional interactions. Tunable using state dependent lattices



Theory: GKB *et al.*, PRL, 82, 1060 (1999); Jaksch *et al.* 82, 1975 (1999)

Exp: O. Mandel, *et al.* Nature 425, 937 (2003)

# Spin lattice models with TO

- A Hamiltonian on spins represented as edges on a surface cellulation

$$H = -U \left( \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} g_v + \sum_{f \in \mathcal{F}} g_f \right)$$

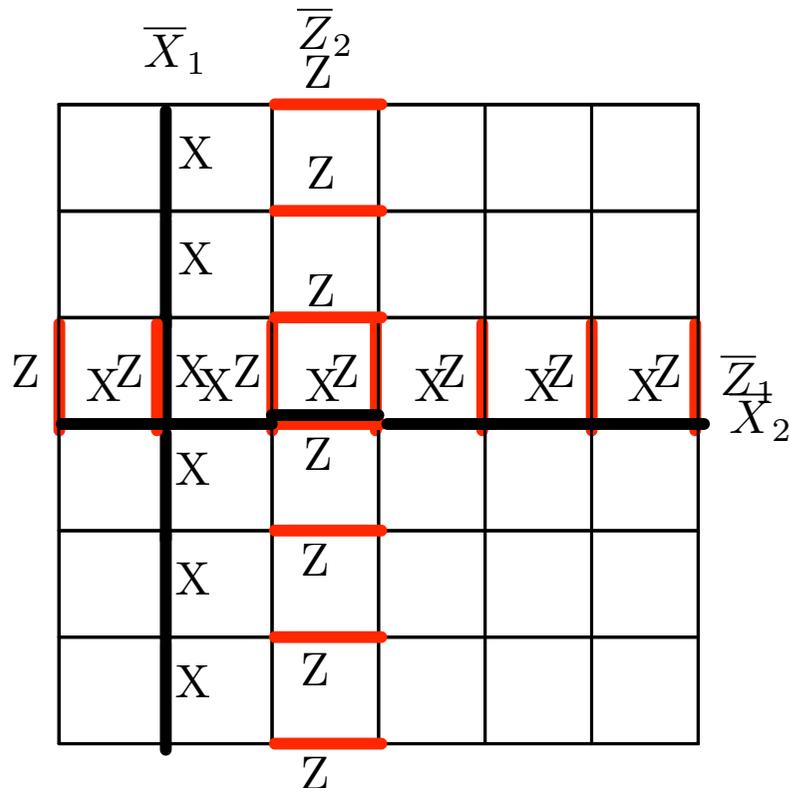
$$g_v = \prod_{e \in \{[*], [v], [v, *]\}} Z_e \quad g_f = \prod_{e \in \partial f} X_e$$

$$[g_v, g_{v'}] = [g_f, g_{f'}] = [g_v, g_f] = 0$$

- Sum of generators of the stabilizer group  $G = \langle \{g_v, g_f\} \rangle$
- Ground states of  $H$  are eigenstates of  $G$  with eigenvalue +1

- Ex: Qubits on a torus

$$H = -U \left( \sum_{+} Z_{e_1} Z_{e_2} Z_{e_3} Z_{e_4} + \sum_{\square} X_{e_1} X_{e_2} X_{e_3} X_{e_4} \right)$$



$$\dim \mathcal{H}_{\text{gr}} = \text{Trace} \left[ \frac{1}{\#G} \sum_{g \in G} g \right] = \text{Trace} \left[ \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \sum_{g \in G} g \right] = 4$$

Generically

$$\dim \mathcal{H}_{\text{gr}} = \#H_1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}_2) = 2^{2g}$$

↖ genus of surface

\*A.Yu. Kitaev, Annals of Physics, **303**, 2 (2003); quant-ph/9707021  
 M Freedman and D. Meyer, Found. Comp. Math. 1, 325 (2001).

# Generalized surface codes

- Represent state space of each spin on a lattice by a qudit (d levels)
- Single spin operator basis

$$\begin{aligned} X|j\rangle &= |j+1 \bmod d\rangle \\ Z|j\rangle &= \xi^j |j\rangle, \quad \text{for } \xi = \exp(2\pi i/d) \end{aligned}$$

- Hamiltonian (d-prime)

$$H = U \sum_v H_v + h \sum_f H_f$$

$$\begin{aligned} g_v &= \prod_{e=[*,v]} Z_e \prod_{e=[v,*]} Z_e^{-1} \\ H_v &= -(g_v + g_v^\dagger) \end{aligned}$$

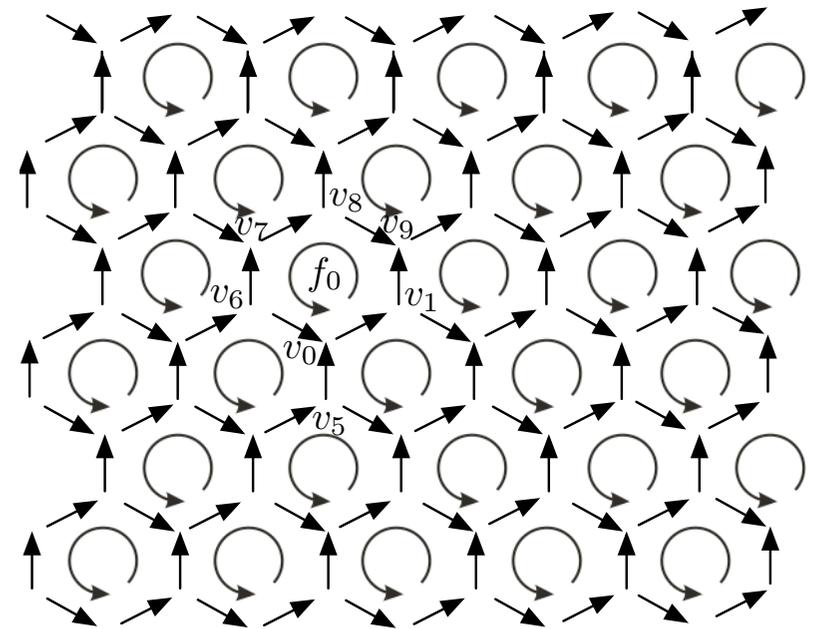
$$\begin{aligned} g_f &= X_{e_1}^{o_1} X_{e_2}^{o_2} X_{e_3}^{o_3} \dots X_{e_p}^{o_p} \\ H_f &= -(g_f + g_f^\dagger) \end{aligned}$$

$$\dim \mathcal{H}_{\text{gr}} = \#H_1(\Gamma, \mathbb{F}_d) \quad \mathcal{H}_{\text{gr}} \cong (\mathbb{C}^d)^{2g}$$

Chain	Computational basis state
$\omega = \sum_{e \in \mathcal{E}} n_e e$	$\leftrightarrow  \omega\rangle$

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{v_0} &= Z_{[v_6, v_0]} Z_{[v_5, v_0]} Z_{[v_0, v_1]}^{-1} \\ g_{f_0} &= X_{[v_0, v_1]} X_{[v_1, v_9]} X_{[v_8, v_9]}^{-1} X_{[v_7, v_8]}^{-1} X_{[v_6, v_7]}^{-1} X_{[v_6, v_0]} \end{aligned}$$



For efficient homological qudit codes see  
H. Bombin and MA Martin-Delgado,  
quant-ph/0605094

\*SS Bullock and GKB, J. Phys. A  
submitted, quant-ph/0609070

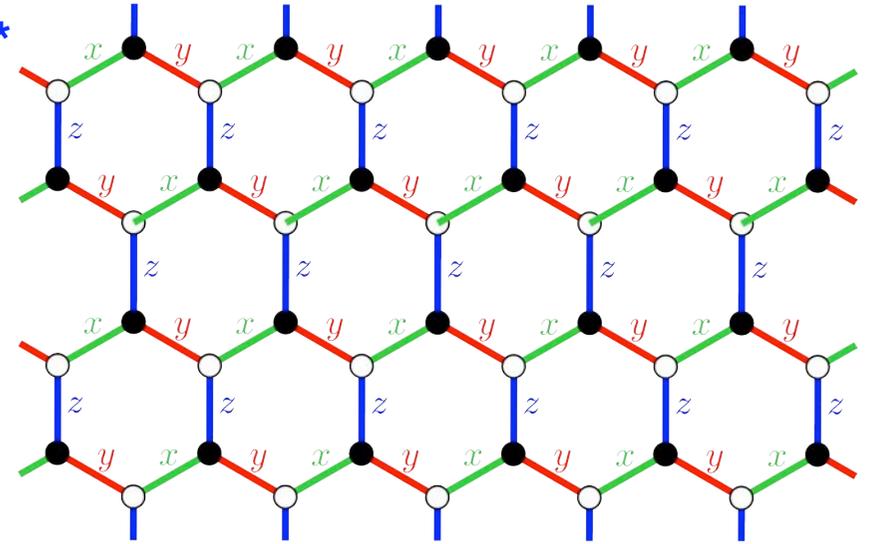
# From k-local to 2-local

- **Spin-1/2 particles on a honeycomb lattice\***

$$H = J_{\perp} \sum_{x\text{-links}} \sigma_j^x \sigma_k^x + J_{\perp} \sum_{y\text{-links}} \sigma_j^y \sigma_k^y + J_z \sum_{z\text{-links}} \sigma_j^z \sigma_k^z.$$

- **Exactly solvable**

\*A.Yu. Kitaev, Annals of Physics, 321,2 (2006)



- **In the limit,  $|J_z| \gg |J_{\perp}|$ , pairs of spins along z-links are mapped to a qubit**

- **New spin operators on each z-link:**

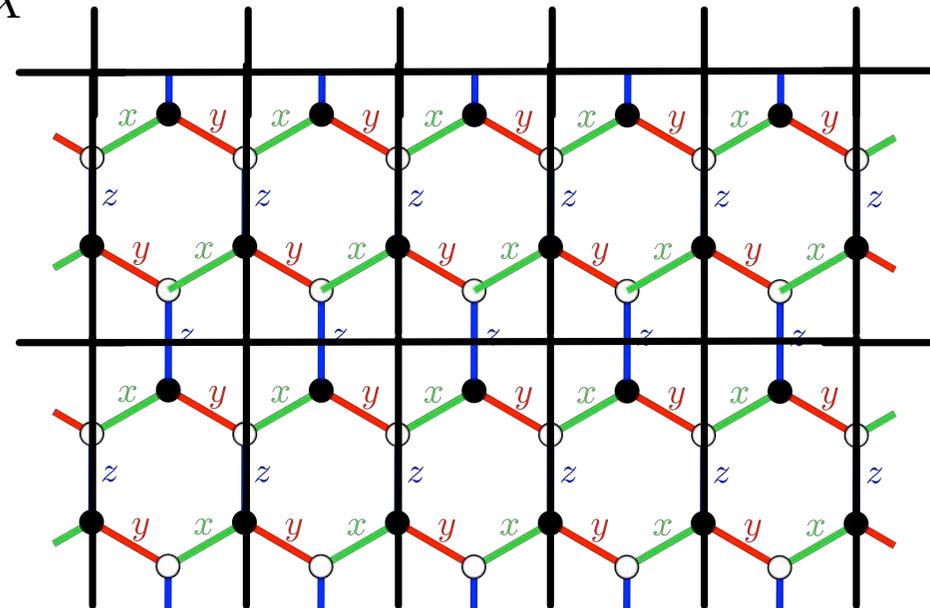
$$\mathbf{1}_{2(1)} \otimes \sigma_2^z \rightarrow Z \quad \sigma_1^y \otimes \sigma_2^x \rightarrow Y \quad \sigma_1^x \otimes \sigma_2^x \rightarrow X$$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = -J_{\text{eff}} \sum_{\diamond} Y_{\text{left}} Z_{\text{up}} Y_{\text{right}} Z_{\text{down}}$$

Unitary transformation:  $\prod_{j \ni \text{white}} e^{iX_j \pi/4}$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = -J_{\text{eff}} \left( \sum_{+} Z_{e_1} Z_{e_2} Z_{e_3} Z_{e_4} + \sum_{\square} X_{e_1} X_{e_2} X_{e_3} X_{e_4} \right)$$

- **Protected q. memory**  $J_{\text{eff}} = \frac{J_{\perp}^4 |J_z|}{16J_z^4}$



# String net condensed states

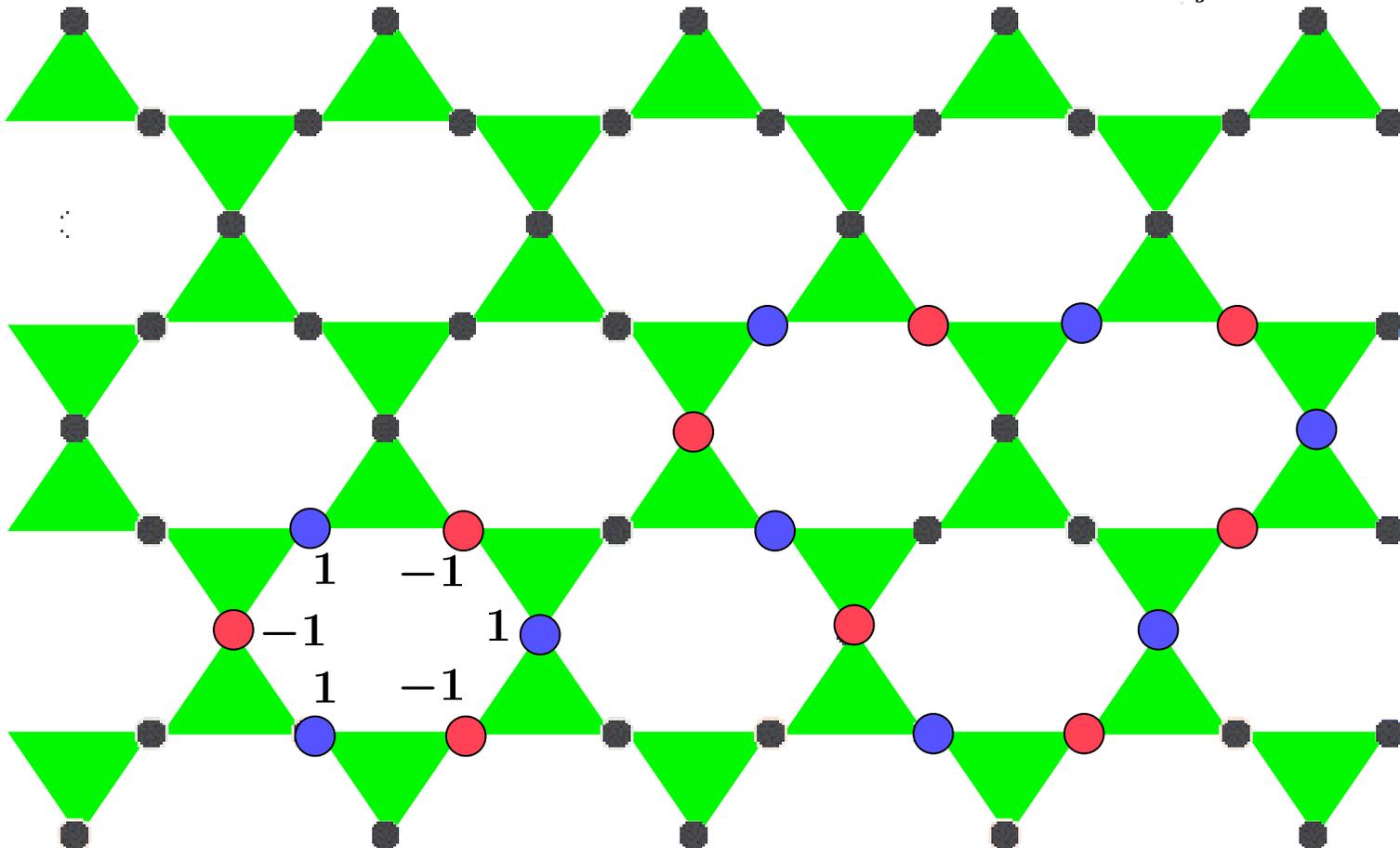
Spin-1

$$H = \underbrace{-U \sum_{\Delta} \left( \sum_{j=1}^3 S_j^z \right)^2}_{H_U} + \underbrace{J \sum_j (S_j^z)^2}_{H_J} - t \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} (S_i^+ S_j^- + S_i^- S_j^+)$$

$U \gg t \gg J$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = \underbrace{-U \sum_{\Delta} \left( \sum_{j=1}^3 S_j^z \right)^2}_{H_U} + \underbrace{J \sum_j (S_j^z)^2}_{H_J} - \underbrace{g \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} (S_1^+ S_2^- S_3^+ S_4^- S_5^+ S_6^- + h.c.)}_{H_g}$$

$$g = \frac{3t^3}{U^2}$$



# Properties

- **Emergent (local) U(1) Gauge invariance, i.e. wavefunction invariant under the transformation**

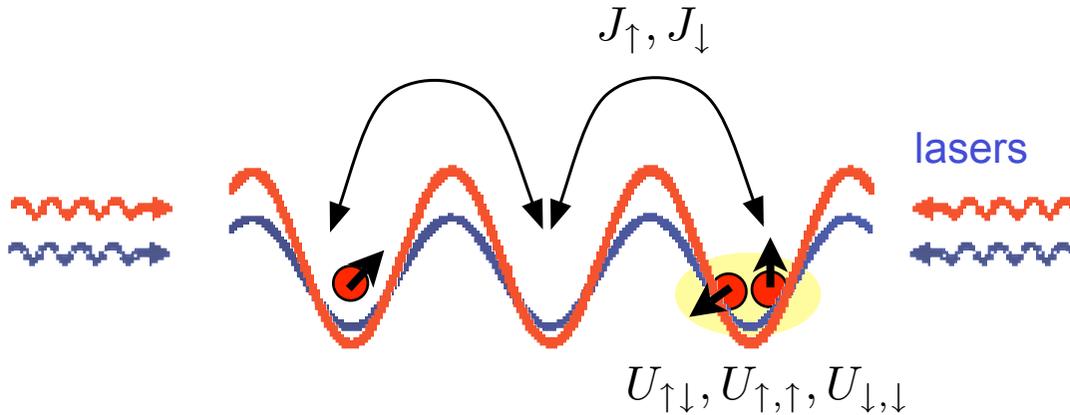
$$U(\phi_j) = e^{\left(i \sum_{\Delta} \phi_{\Delta} \sum_{k=1}^3 S_k^z\right)}$$

- **Artificial light polarization defined in terms of ordering of strings:  $+-+-\dots$  and  $-+-+-+$**
- **Robust to perturbations. Energy  $2U$  to break a cycle**
- **By adding a string tension term  $J \sum_j (S_j^z)^2$  the system acquires two distinct phases in the ground state: a confined phase characterized by small closed loops, and a deconfined phase with large fluctuating loops**

# Implementations with atoms

- Hubbard model with atoms

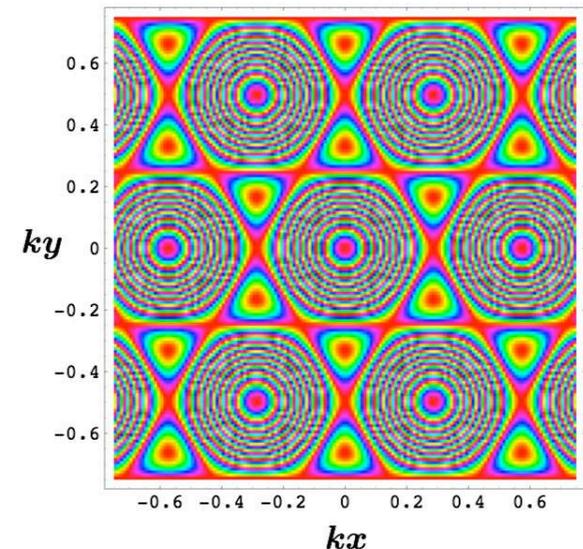
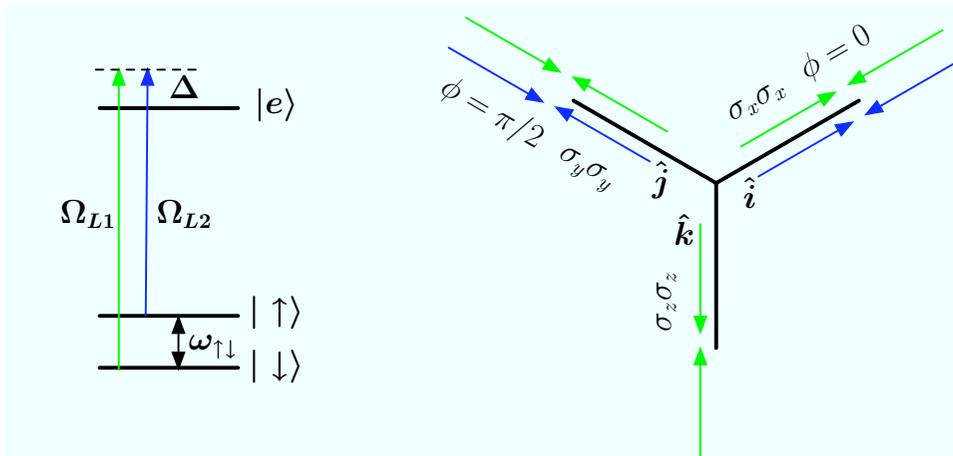
- State dependent collisions. Restrict to subspace with one particle per well



$$J_{\perp} = -\frac{J_{\uparrow}J_{\downarrow}}{U_{\uparrow\downarrow}}$$

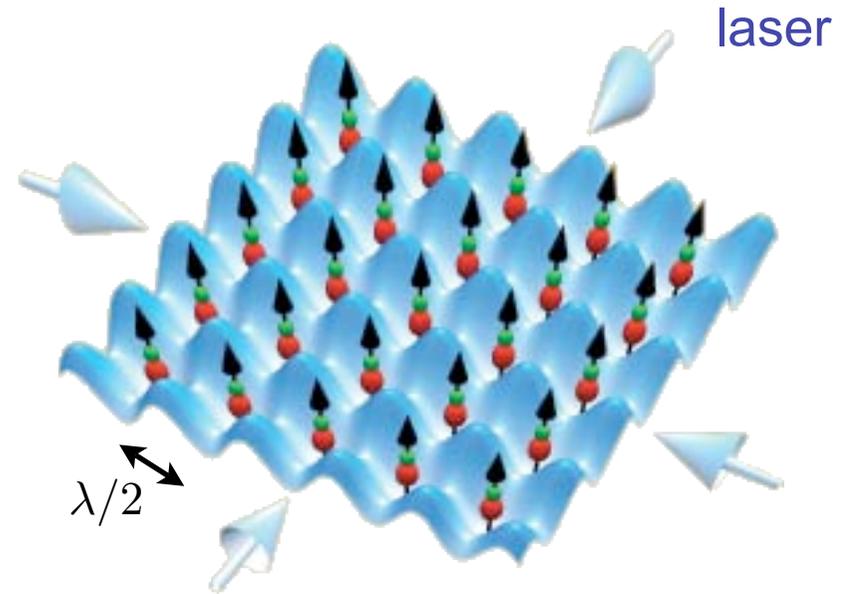
$$J_z = \frac{J_{\uparrow}^2 + J_{\downarrow}^2}{2U_{\uparrow\downarrow}} - \frac{J_{\uparrow}^2}{U_{\uparrow\uparrow}} - \frac{J_{\downarrow}^2}{U_{\downarrow\downarrow}}$$

$$\prod_j P_{N_j=1} (H_{BH} + V_B) \prod_j P_{N_j=1} = \sum_j J_{\perp} (\sigma_j^x \sigma_{j+1}^x + \sigma_j^y \sigma_{j+1}^y) + J_z \sigma_j^z \sigma_{j+1}^z = H_{XXZ},$$



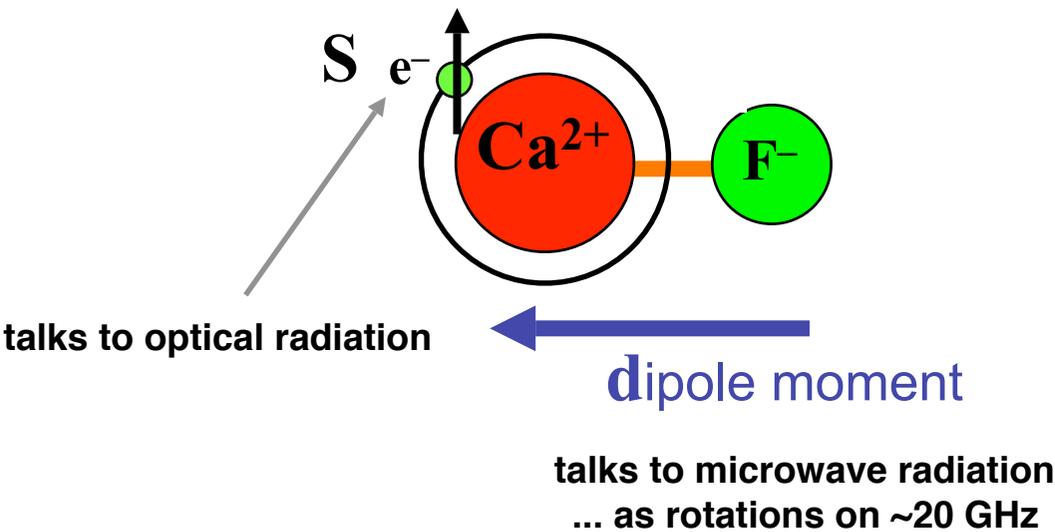
# Implementations with polar molecules

- System:  $^2\Sigma_{1/2}$  hetero-nuclear molecules in electronic-vibrational ground-states
  - Alkaline-earth monohalides (CaF, CaCl, MgCl...)
  - single electron in outer shell
- Electric dipole moment in superposition
- of rotational states



$T \sim 500\text{nK}$  **Energy scales:**

$\gamma/\hbar \sim 100 \text{ MHz}$	<b>Spin-rotational coupling</b>
$B/\hbar \sim 10 \text{ GHz}$	<b>Rotational constant</b>
$\omega_{osc} \sim 100 \text{ kHz} - 1\text{MHz}$	<b>Lattice trap spacing</b>
$\Gamma/\hbar \sim 10^{-3} \text{ Hz}$	<b>Black-body scattering rate</b>
$\Gamma_{scat}/\hbar \sim 10^{-1} \text{ Hz}$	<b>Spontaneous emission</b>



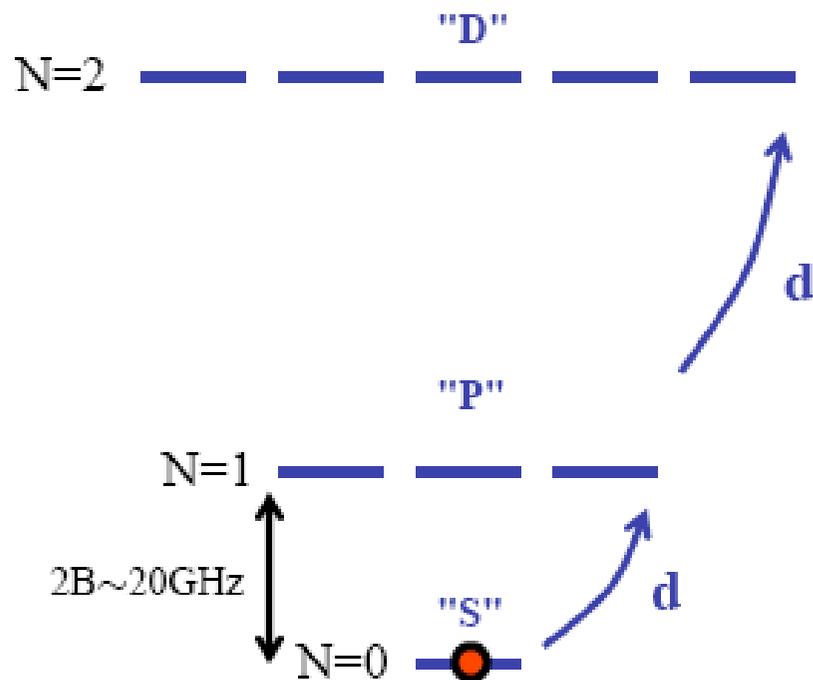
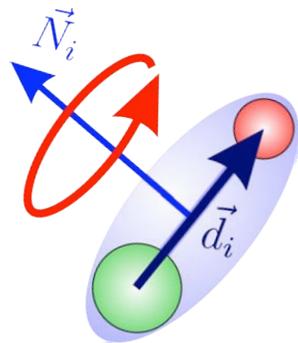
# Rotational spectra of a single molecule

- rigid rotor

$$H = B N^2$$

$$|N, M_N\rangle$$

$$E_N = B N(N+1)$$

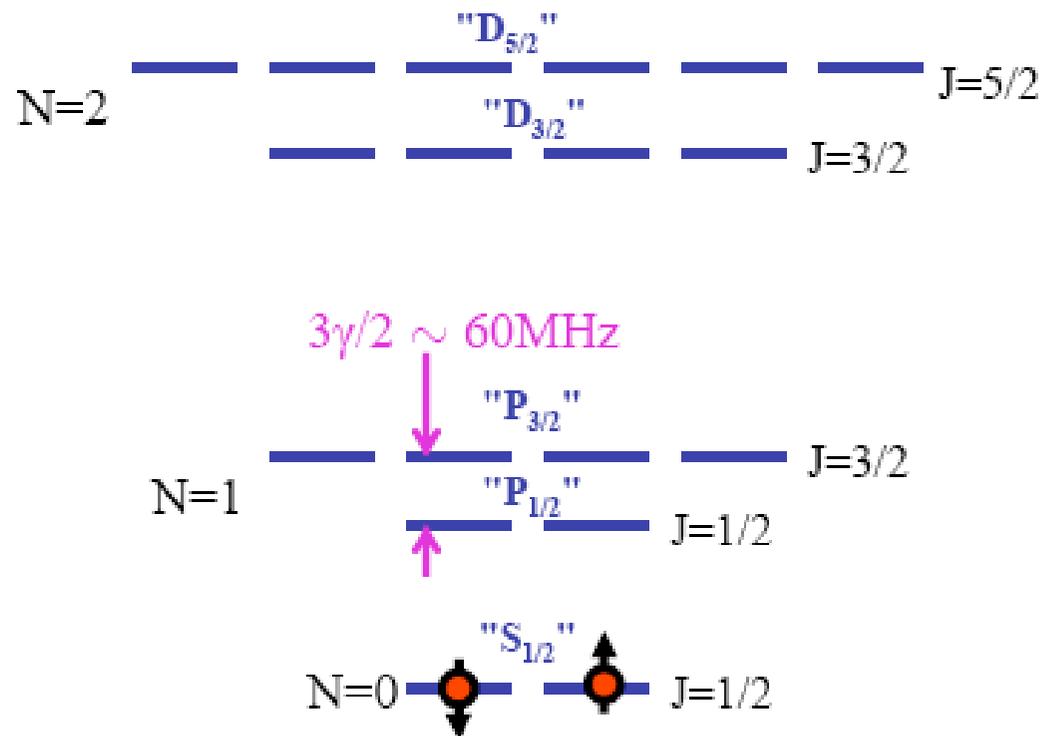
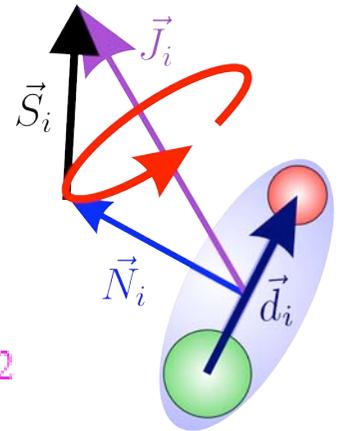


- add spin-rotation coupling

$$H = B N^2 + \gamma \mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{S}$$

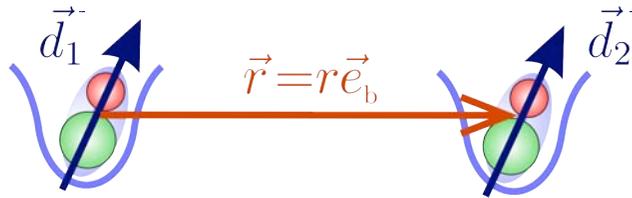
$$|N, J, M_J\rangle \quad (J = |N \pm 1/2|)$$

$$E_{N, J=N \pm 1/2} = B N(N+1) + \begin{cases} +\gamma N/2 \\ -\gamma(N+1)/2 \end{cases}$$



# Two polar molecules: dipole-dipole interactions

- interactions of two polar molecules



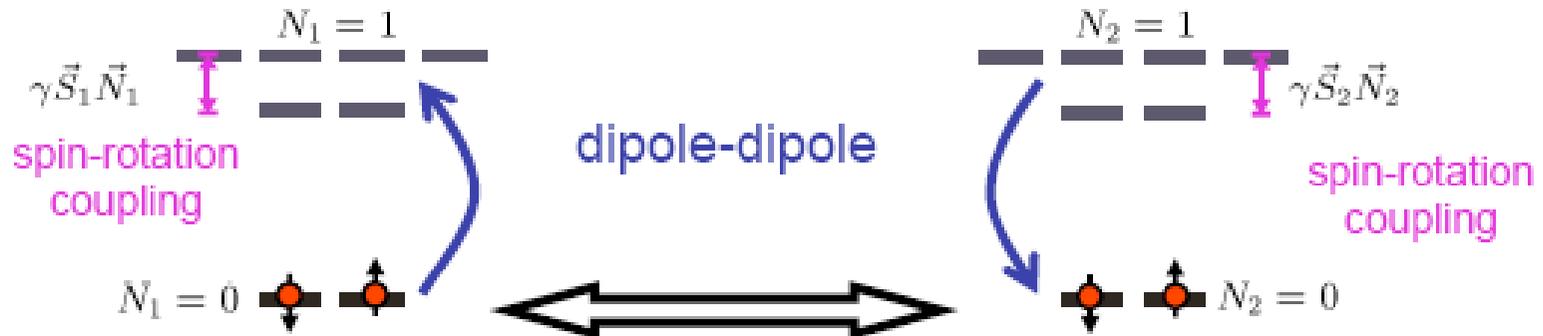
$$V_{dd} = \frac{\vec{d}_1 \cdot \vec{d}_2 - 3(\vec{d}_1 \cdot \vec{e}_b)(\vec{e}_b \cdot \vec{d}_2)}{r^3}$$

- features of dipole-dipole interaction:

- long range  $\sim 1/r^3$
- angular dependence (anisotropic)



- include **spin-rotation coupling** in adiabatic potentials for molecular dimers



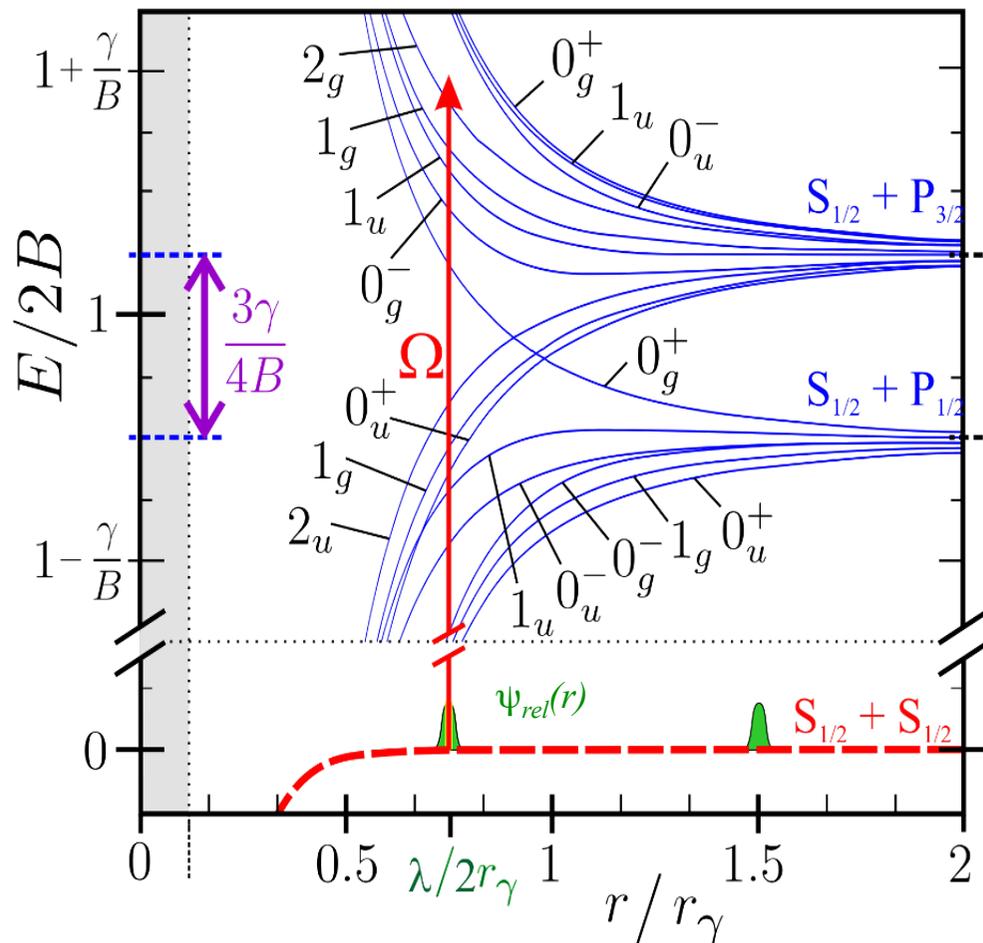
- At typical optical lattice spacing :  $\lambda/2 \sim r_\gamma = (2d^2/\gamma)^{1/3}$

- rotation of dimers strongly coupled to spins
- Hunds case (c) excited states,  $\{|Y|_{g,u}^\pm(r)\}$  ( $Y = \sum_{i=1,2} M_{N,i} + M_{S,i}$ )
- solvable in closed form due to symmetries

# Tunable spin patterns

- Adiabatic mixing with dipole-dipole coupled states by microwave fields

$$H_{\text{eff}}(r) = \sum_{i,f} \sum_{\lambda(r)} \frac{\langle g_f | H_{\text{mf}} | \lambda(r) \rangle \langle \lambda(r) | H_{\text{mf}} | g_i \rangle}{\hbar\omega_F - E(\lambda(r))} |g_f\rangle \langle g_i| \quad H_{\text{spin}} = \langle H_{\text{eff}}(r) \rangle_{\text{rel}}$$



## Feature 1:

By tuning close to a **given resonance** one can select a **specific spin pattern**:

Polarization	Resonance	Spin pattern
$\hat{x}$	$2_g$	$\sigma^z \sigma^z$
$\hat{z}$	$0_u^+$	$\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{\sigma}$
$\hat{z}$	$0_g^-$	$\sigma^x \sigma^x + \sigma^y \sigma^y - \sigma^z \sigma^z$
$\hat{y}$	$0_g^-$	$\sigma^x \sigma^x - \sigma^y \sigma^y + \sigma^z \sigma^z$
$\hat{y}$	$0_g^+$	$-\sigma^x \sigma^x + \sigma^y \sigma^y + \sigma^z \sigma^z$
$(\hat{y} - \hat{x})/\sqrt{2}$	$0_g^+$	$-\sigma^x \sigma^y - \sigma^y \sigma^x + \sigma^z \sigma^z$

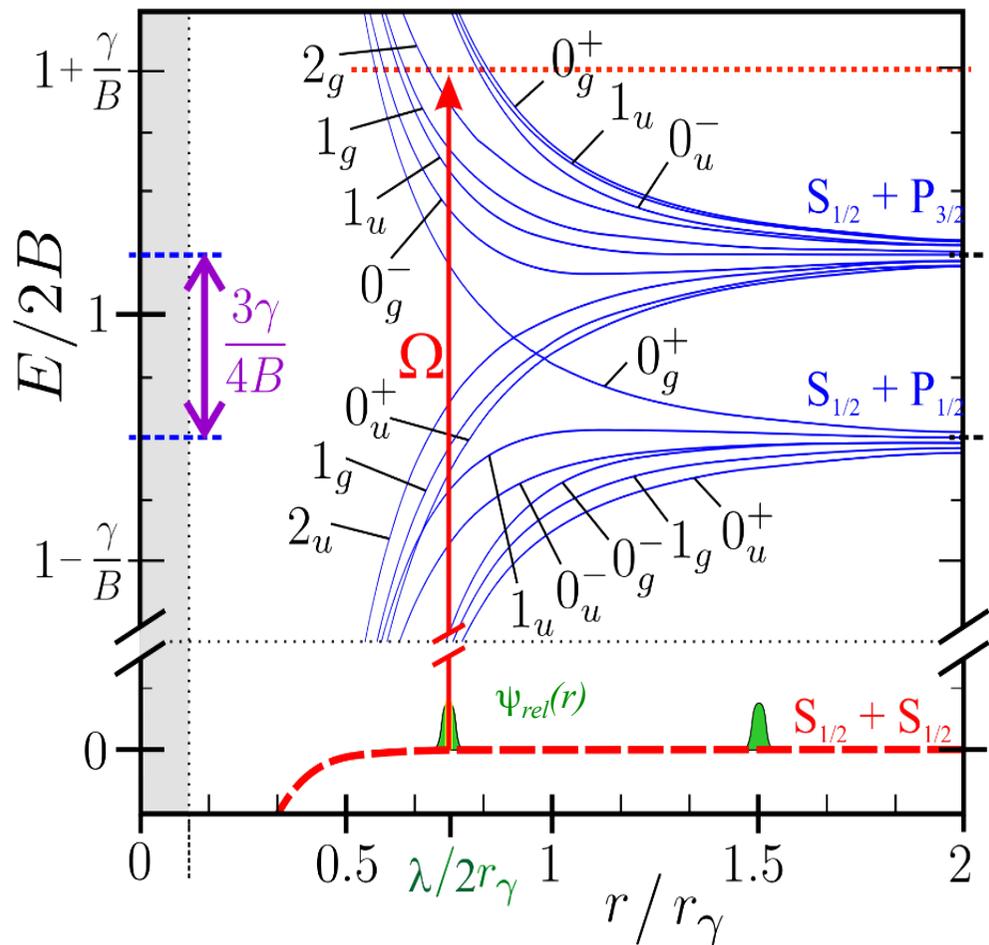
polarization rel. to body axis, here set

$$\vec{e}_b = \hat{z}$$

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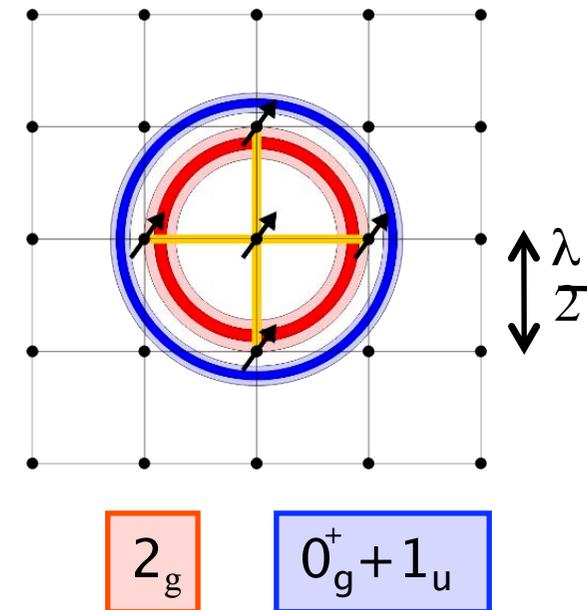
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## Feature 2:

Can choose the *range* of the interaction for a given spin texture

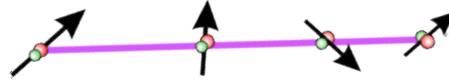


# Multiple fields

**Feature 3:** for a *multifrequency* field spin textures are *additive*  $\Rightarrow$  toolbox.

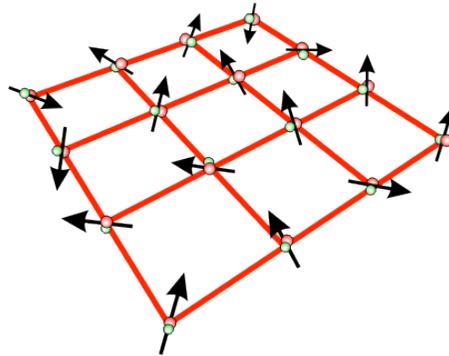
- 1D XYZ model

$$H = \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} J_x \sigma_i^x \sigma_j^x + J_y \sigma_i^y \sigma_j^y + J_z \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z$$



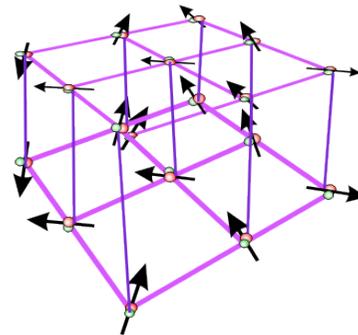
- 2D Ising model

$$H = \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} J \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z$$



- 3D Heisenberg model

$$H = \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} J \vec{\sigma}_i \cdot \vec{\sigma}_j$$



- Typical coupling strengths:

$$J \sim 10 - 100 \text{kHz}$$

Polarization	Resonance
$\hat{z}$	$0_u^+$
$\hat{y}$	$0_g^-$
$\hat{y}$	$0_g^+$
$\hat{x}$	$2_g$
$\hat{x}$	$0_u^+$
$\hat{z}$	$0_g^-$
$\hat{z}$	$0_u^+$
$\hat{x}$	$1_u$

sign adjustable by tuning above  
or below given resonance

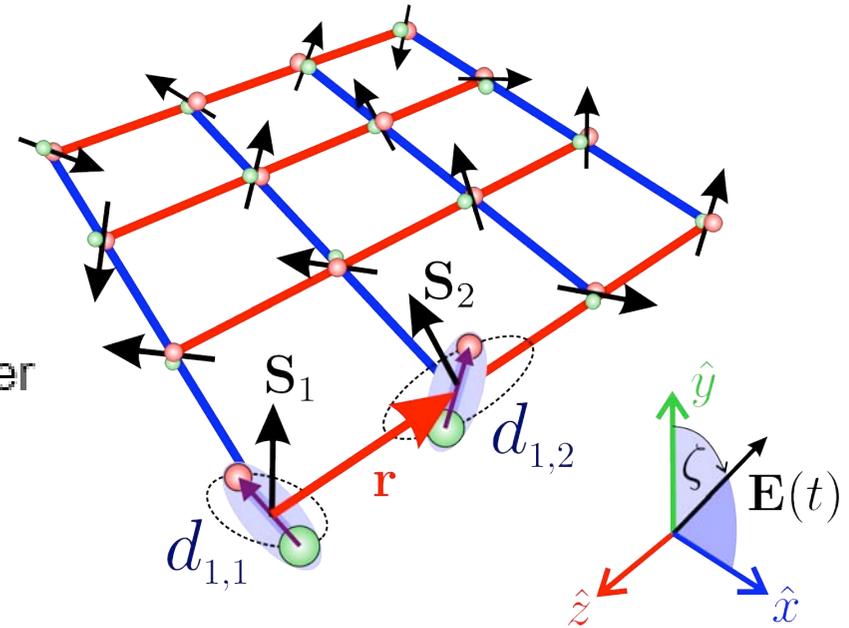
# Model I: Error protected ground states

\* B. Douçot, M.V. Feigel'man, L.B. Ioffe, A.S. Ioselevich, Phys. Rev. B 71, 024505 (2005).

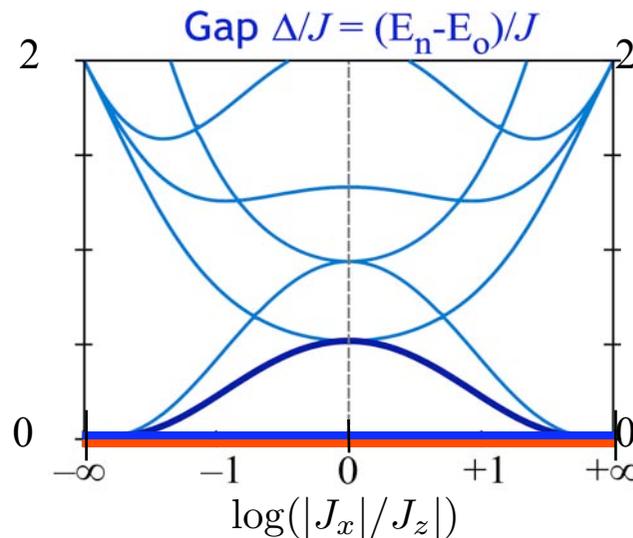
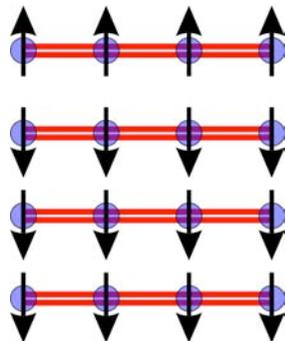
## Model on 2D square lattice\*

$$H_{\text{spin}}^{(\ell)} = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell-1} \sum_{j=1}^{\ell-1} J (\sigma_{i,j}^z \sigma_{i,j+1}^z + \cos \zeta \sigma_{i,j}^x \sigma_{i+1,j}^x)$$

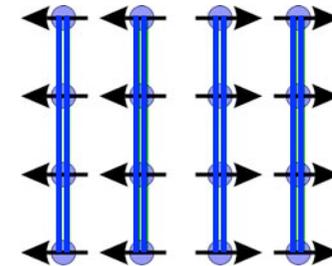
- gapped spectrum with 2-fold degenerate ground-state (for  $\zeta \neq \pm\pi/2$ )  $\rightarrow |0\rangle_L, |1\rangle_L$
- ground-states robust to local errors up to  $\ell$ -th order



$$J_z \sum_{ij} \sigma_{ij}^z \sigma_{i,j+1}^z$$

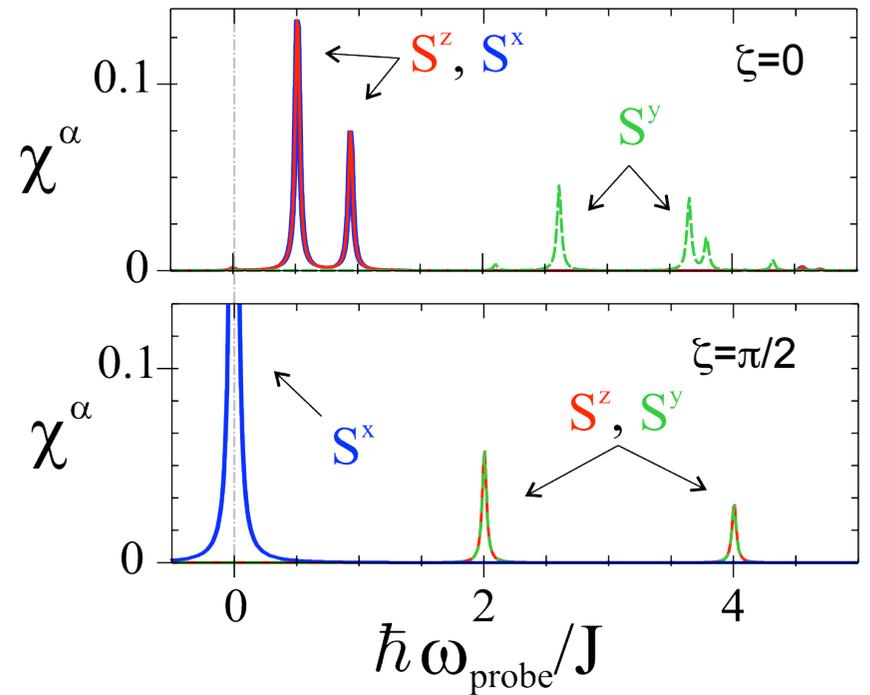
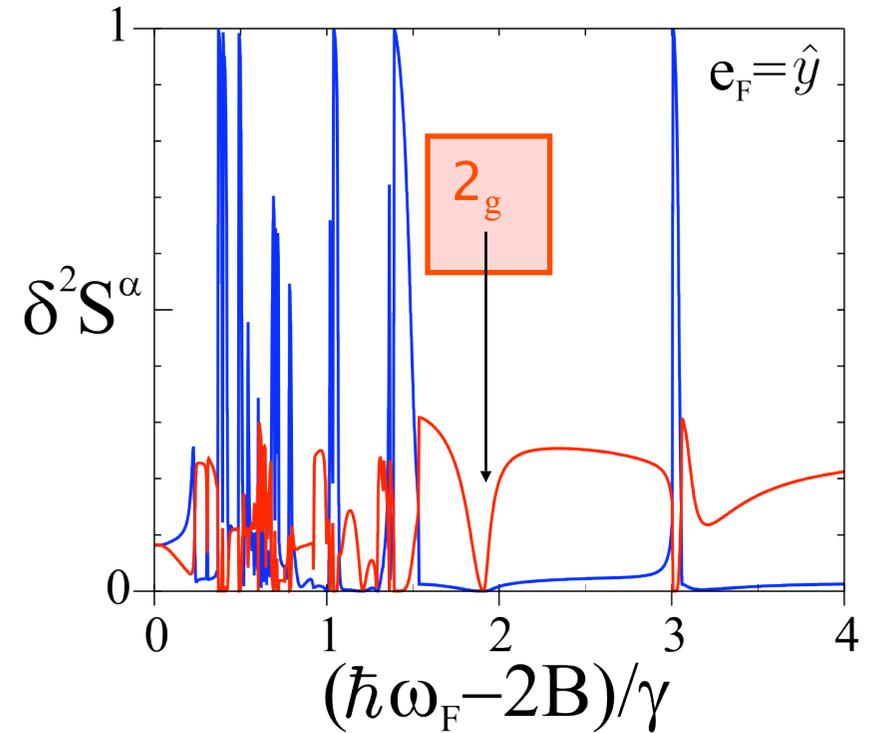


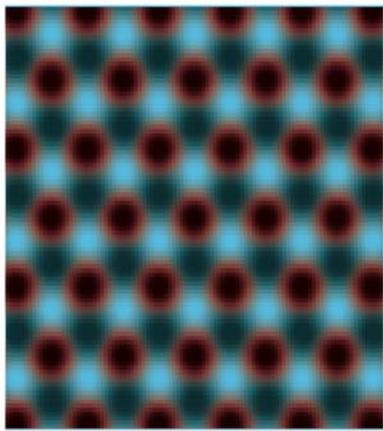
$$J_x \sum_{ij} \sigma_{ij}^x \sigma_{i+1,j}^x$$



# Results: Design and verification on 3x3 lattice

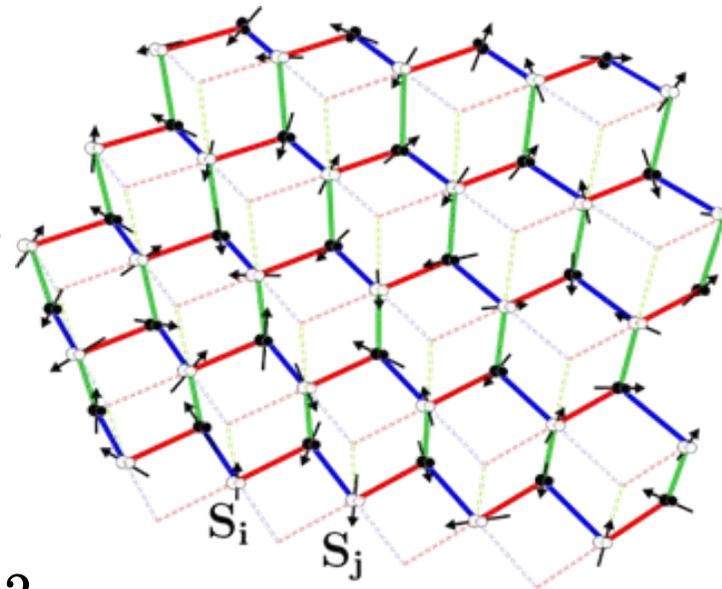
- Noise resilience as measured by rms magnetization in ground manifold
  - as function of the detuning
  - give worst case scenario for logical bit flip errors / phase flip errors
  - protected region near  $2g$
  
- Verification by absorption spectroscopy
  - Field polarization out of plane
  - Probe gap at  $J/2$
  
  - Field polarization in plane
  - Gap disappears and excitations are spin-waves  $S^x$



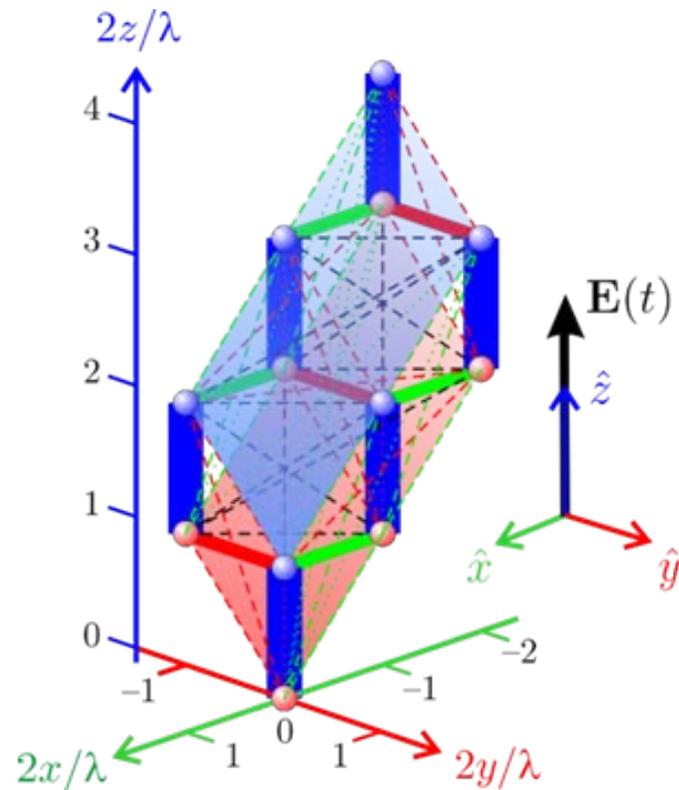


■ Implementation in *Q\*bert lattice*:

- Two staggered triangular lattices
- Nearest neighbors give honeycombs
- their edges form orthogonal triads



- Realization with 3 fields: (several possible choices) shown when all 3 being z polarized, resp. near  $0_g, 1_g, 2_g$



Spin pattern	Residual long range coupling strengths $ J_{lr} $
<span style="color: blue;">—</span> $\sigma^z \sigma^z$	
<span style="color: green;">—</span> $\sigma^x \sigma^x$	
<span style="color: red;">—</span> $\sigma^y \sigma^y$	<span style="color: red;">---</span> $< 10^{-2}  J_z $
<span style="color: black;">—</span> Other	<span style="color: black;">.....</span> $< 10^{-3}  J_z $
$ J_{\perp}  = 0.4  J_z $	

**Operator fidelity (on a 4 spin configuration)**

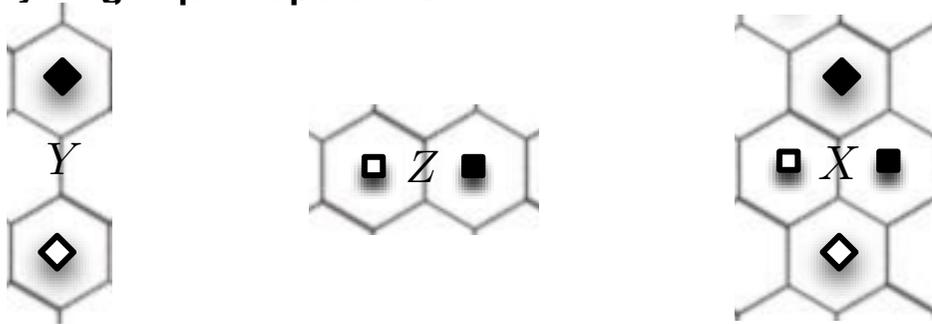
$$\sup [ \| H_{\text{spin}} - H_{\text{spin}}^{(\text{II})} |\psi\rangle \|_2; \langle \psi | \psi \rangle = 1 ] = 10^{-4} |J_z|$$

# Observing anyonic statistics

- **Excitations created by spin flips (along a z-link)**

- **Effective interaction**  $H_{\text{eff}} = -J_{\text{eff}} \sum_{\diamond} Y_{\text{left}} Z_{\text{up}} Y_{\text{right}} Z_{\text{down}}$

- **Anyons created by single qubit operators:**



- Fusion rules (as obtained from the action of the Pauli operators):

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- Relative statistics under braiding:

Particles	Statistical phase
$\square \square$	0
$\diamond \diamond$	0
$\square \diamond$	$\pi$
$\square \diamond \square \diamond$	0



For trivial braid use same steps but in different order

- Adiabatically drag  $\diamond$  CCW around  $\square$
- Adiabatically drag  $\square$  left
- Adiabatically drag  $\square$  right
- Measure location of  $\square$

$$\langle S_I^Z \rangle = \sin(\beta)$$

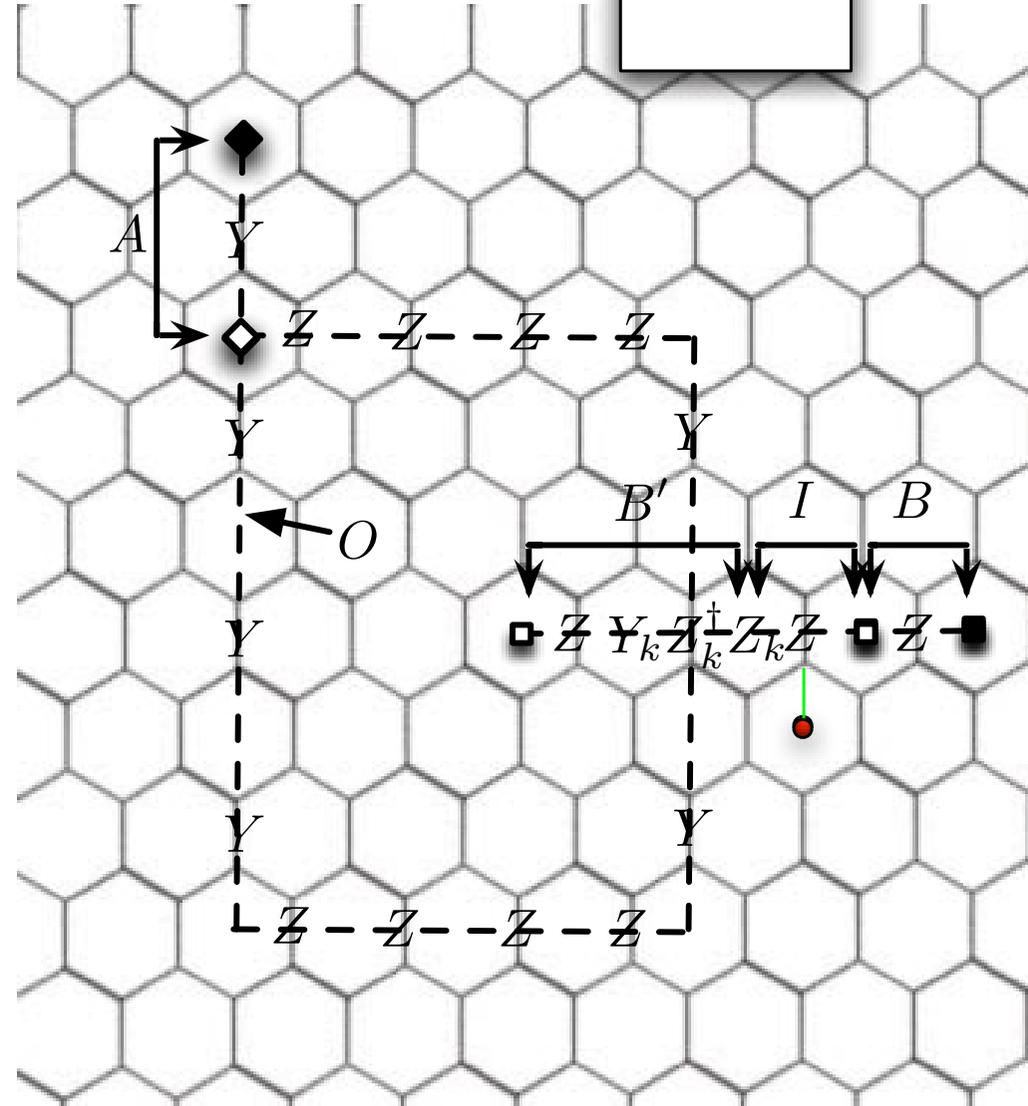
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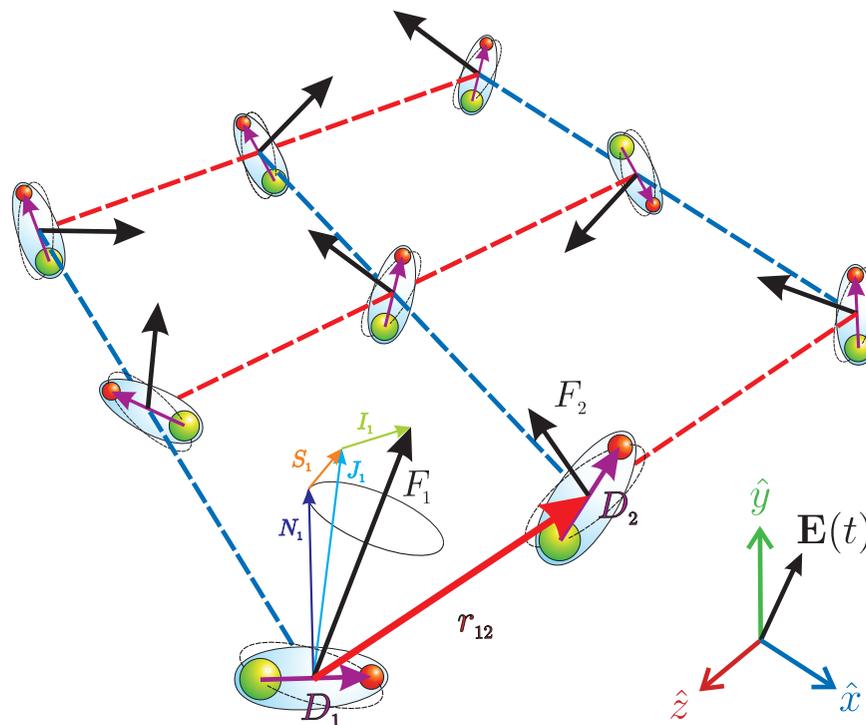
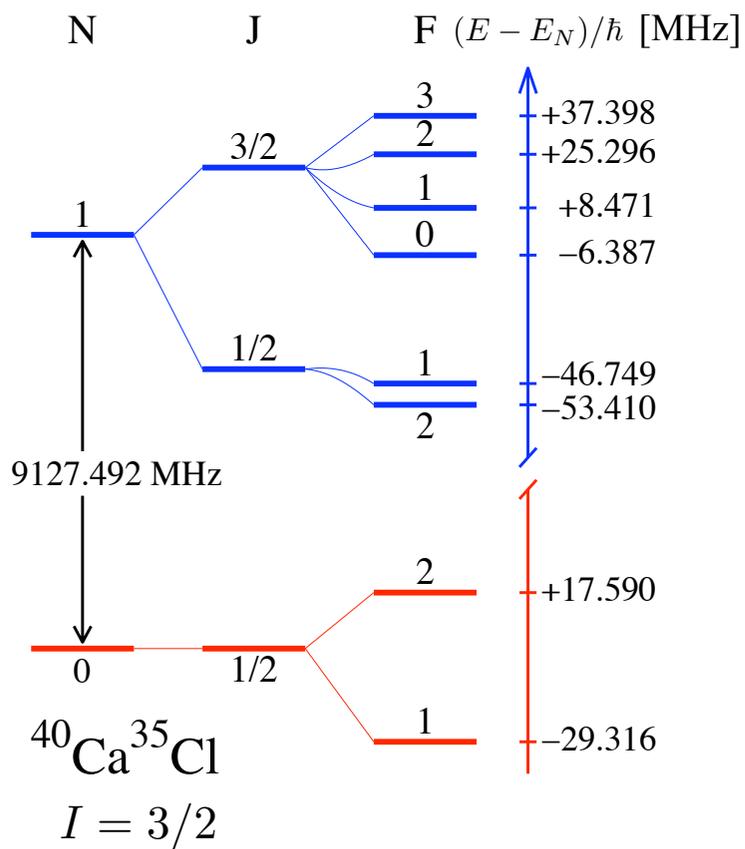
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# Integer spin lattice models

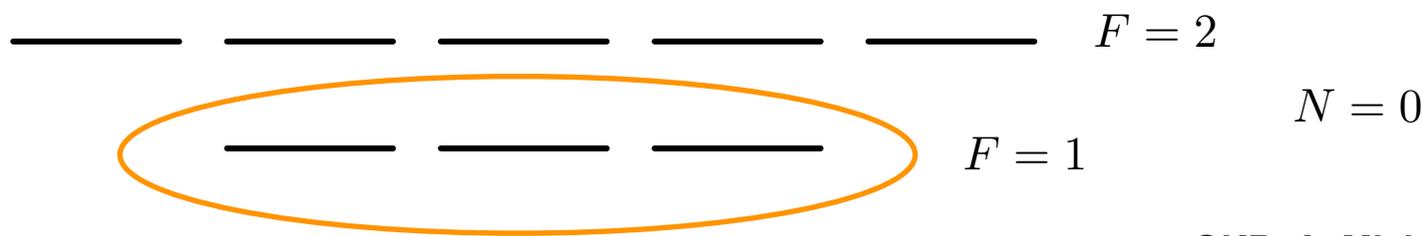


$$H_m = BN^2 + \gamma \mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{S} + \underbrace{b \mathbf{I} \cdot \mathbf{S}}_{\text{Fermi contact}} + \underbrace{c I^z S^z}_{\text{Dipolar}} + \underbrace{eQq \frac{3I^z^2 - I(I+1)}{4I(2I-1)}}_{\text{Electric Quadrupole}}$$

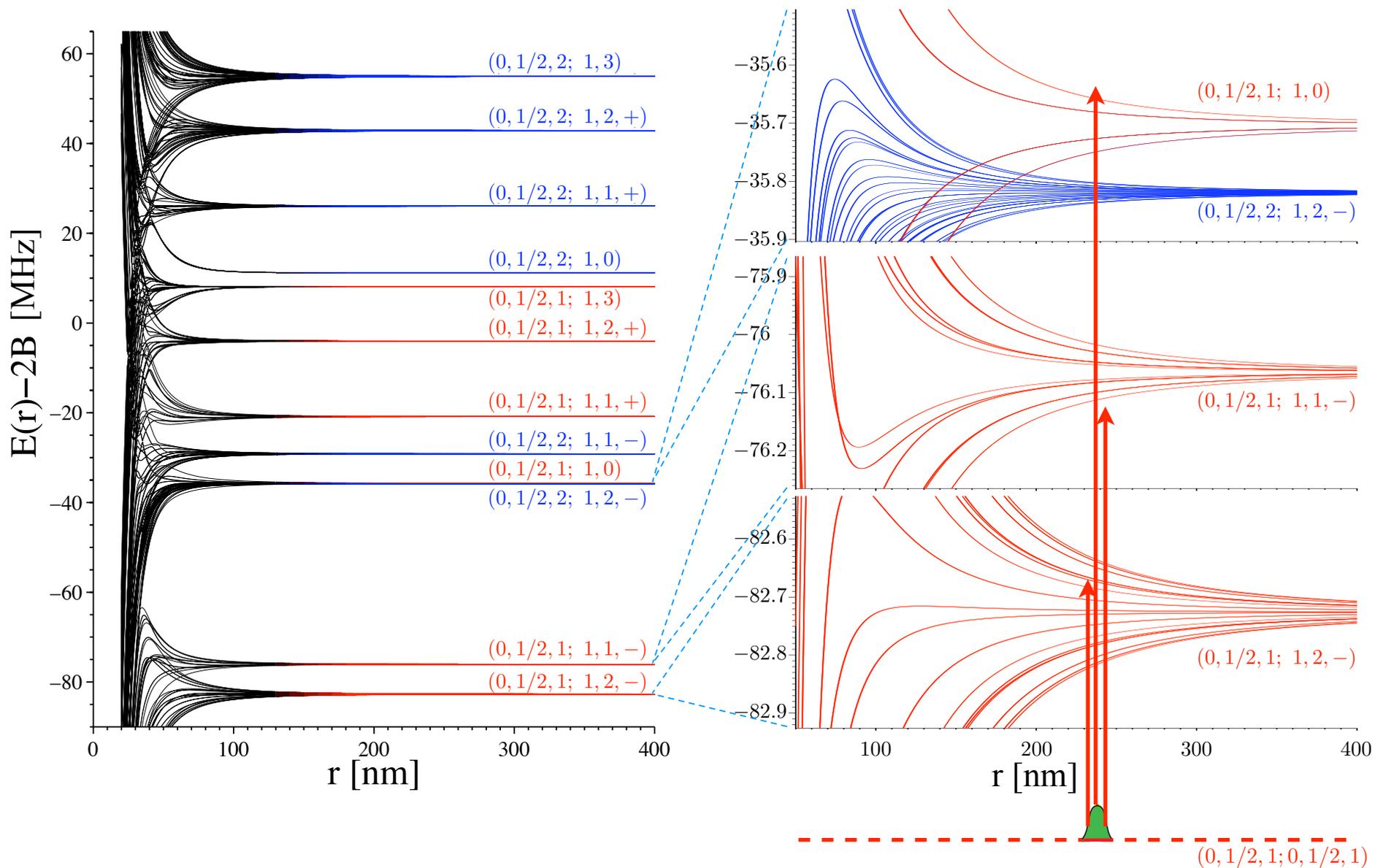
Fermi contact

Dipolar

Electric Quadrupole



# Dipole-dipole with hyperfine

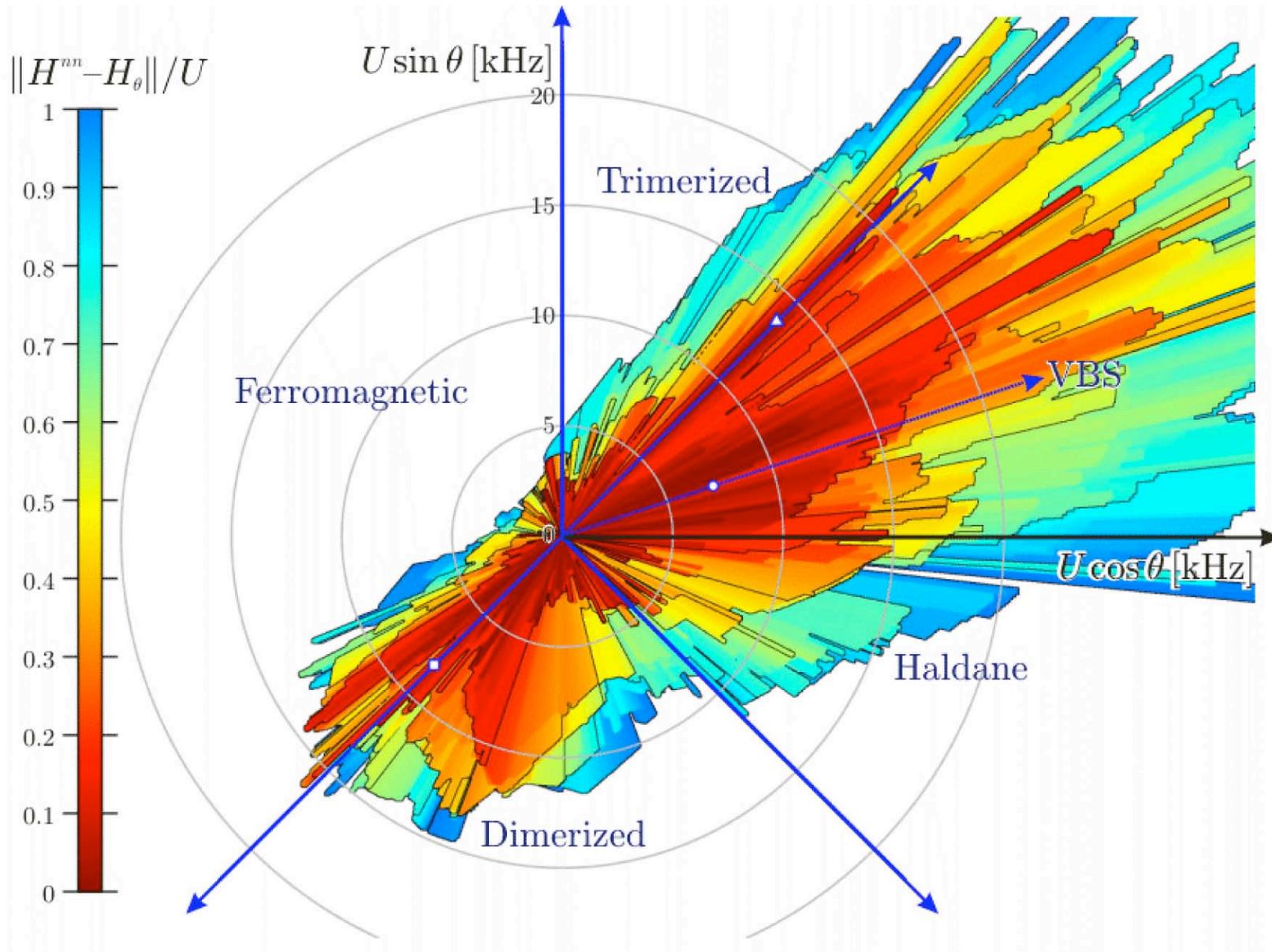


Asymptotic couplings solvable

Can't build generic two body Hamiltonians but can build a large class

# Ex: 1D Generalized Haldane Model

$$H_\theta = U \sum_j (\cos \theta \vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1} + \sin \theta (\vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1})^2)$$



Numerical optimization over 4 fields

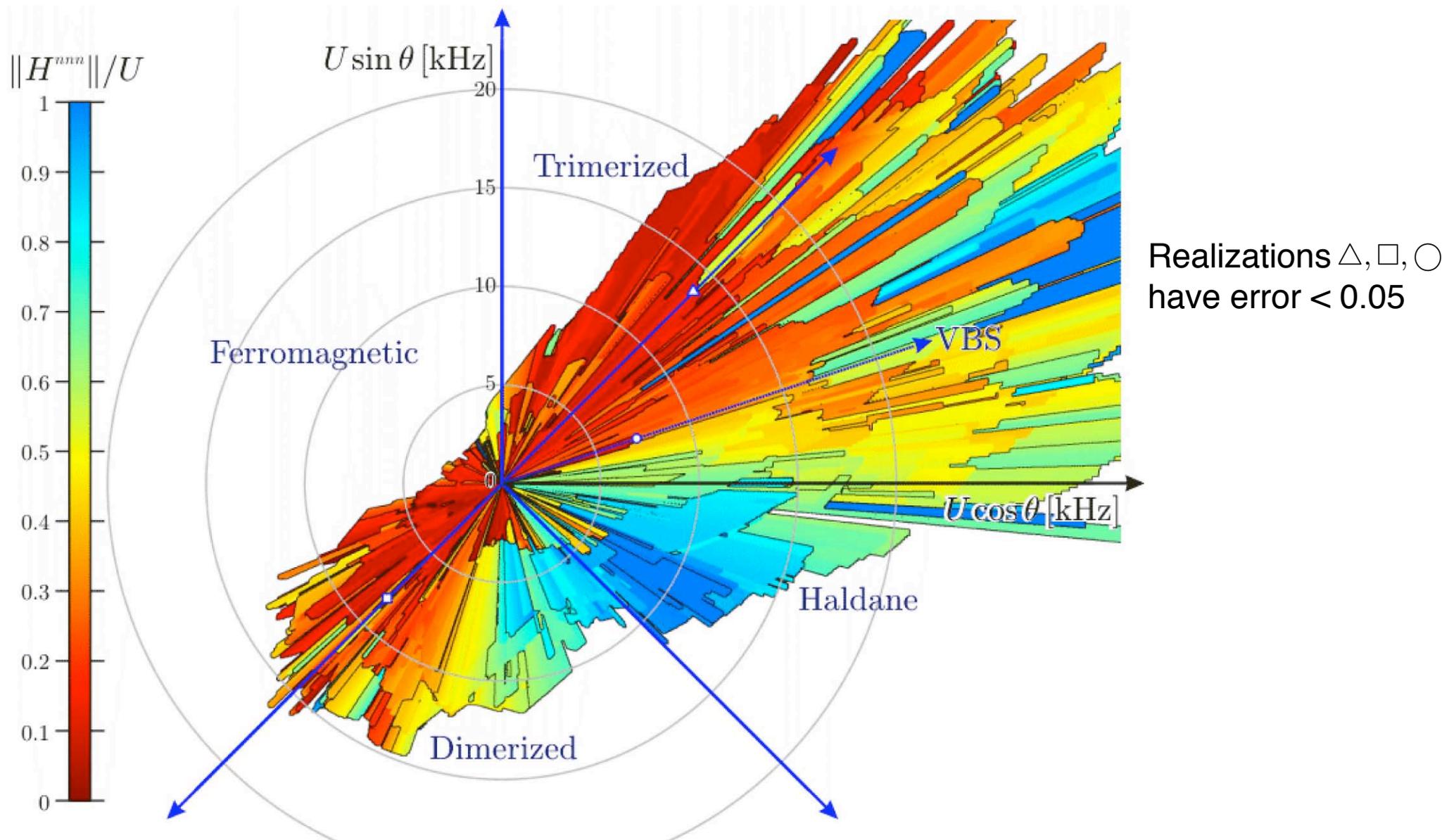
Realizations  $\triangle, \square, \circ$  have error  $< 0.05$

Lattice spacing:

$\Delta z = 200\text{nm}$

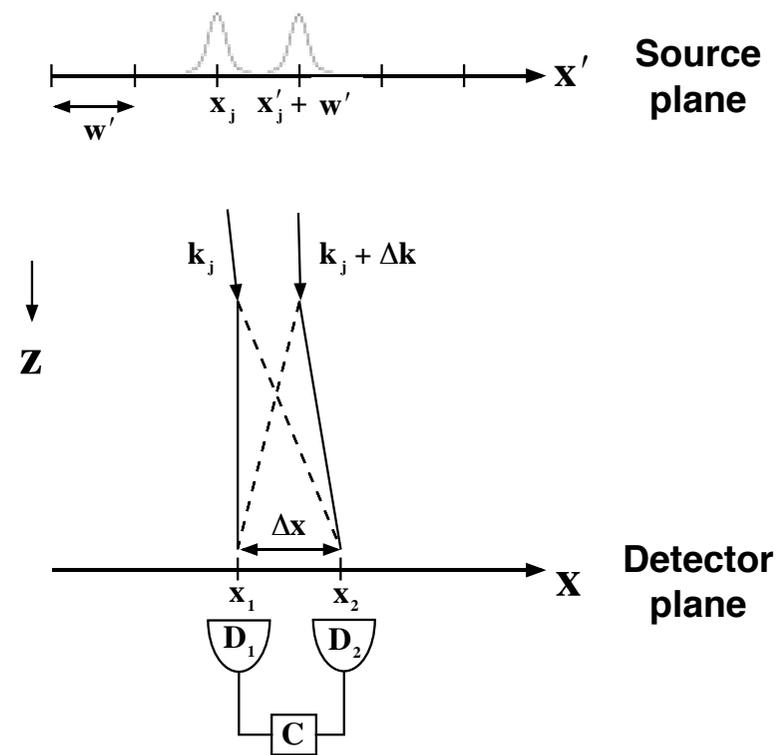
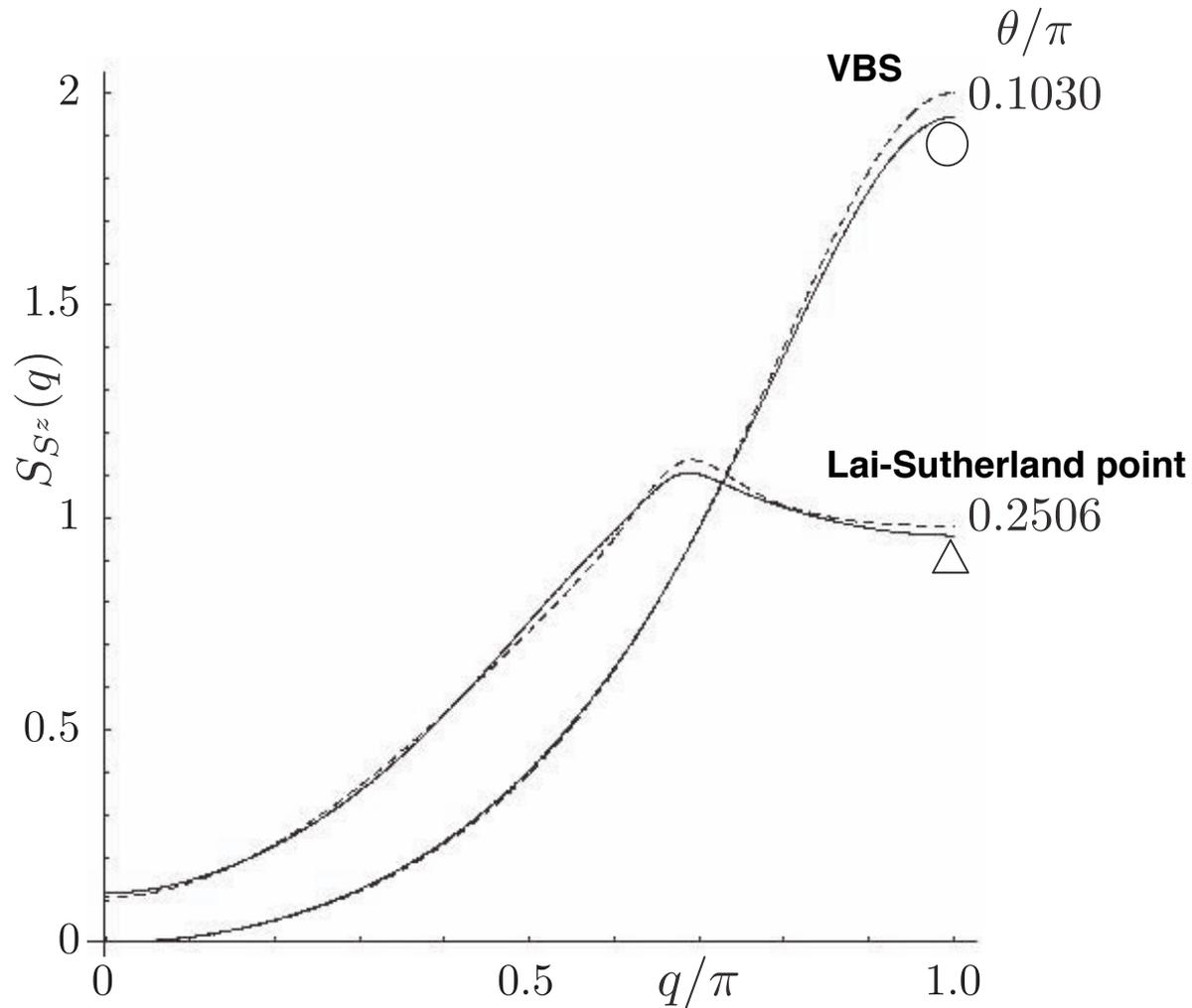
# Residual next-nearest neighbor interaction

$$H_\theta = U \sum_j (\cos \theta \vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1} + \sin \theta (\vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1})^2)$$



# Verification

- **Spin structure factor**  $S_O(q) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j,j'=1}^N e^{iq(j-j')} \langle O_j O_{j'}^\dagger \rangle$ 
  - obtainable from time of flight measurements (coincidence measurements)

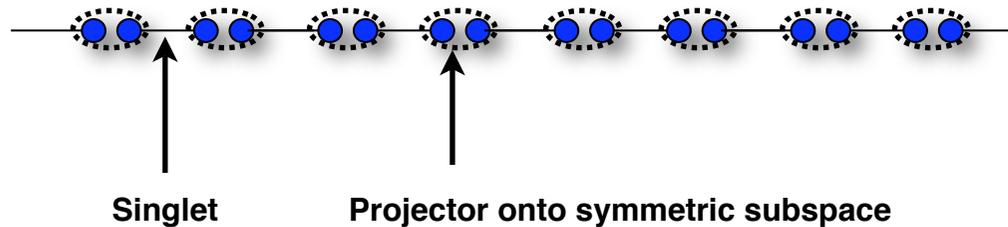


# Teleportation with VBS\*

- **Valence bond state is ground state of**

$$H = U \left( \sum_j \vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1} + \frac{1}{3} (\vec{S}_j \cdot \vec{S}_{j+1})^2 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{1}_9 \right) = U \sum_j P^{S_{\text{tot}}=2}(j, j+1)$$

- represent state as subspace of chain of virtual spin-1/2 particles



- teleportation from one end to the other by *single particle measurements only* in basis  $\{|0\rangle, (|-1\rangle \pm |1\rangle)/\sqrt{2}\}$

- **Also serves as verification of ground state**

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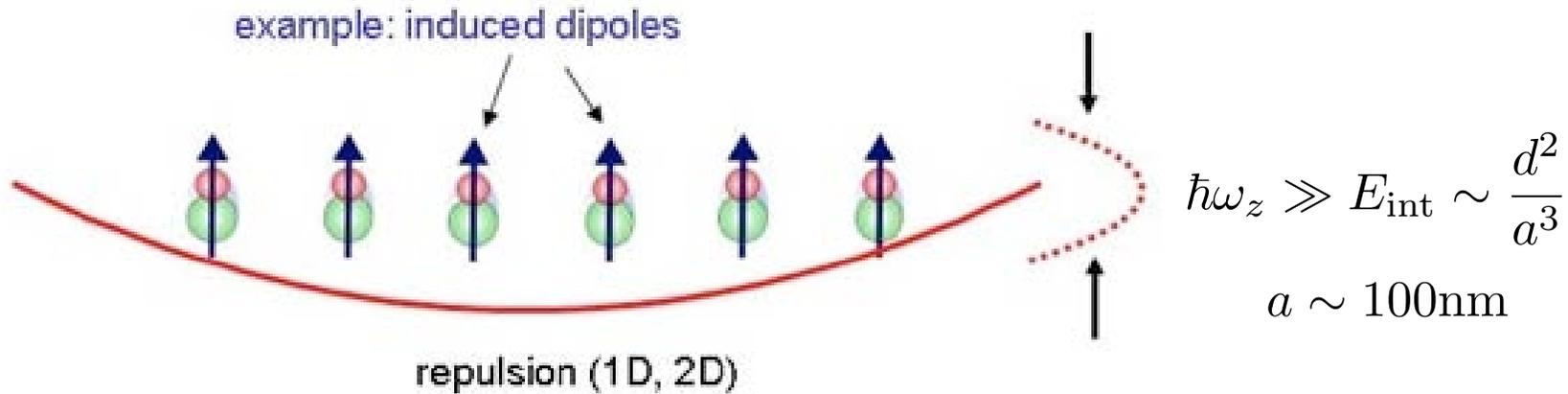
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# Summary & Outlook

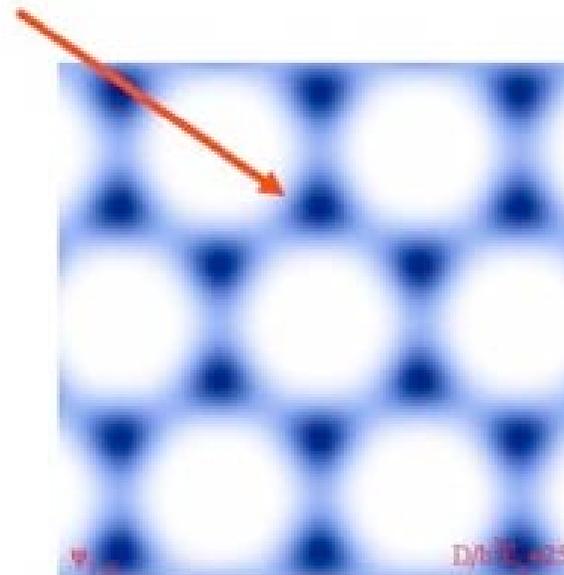
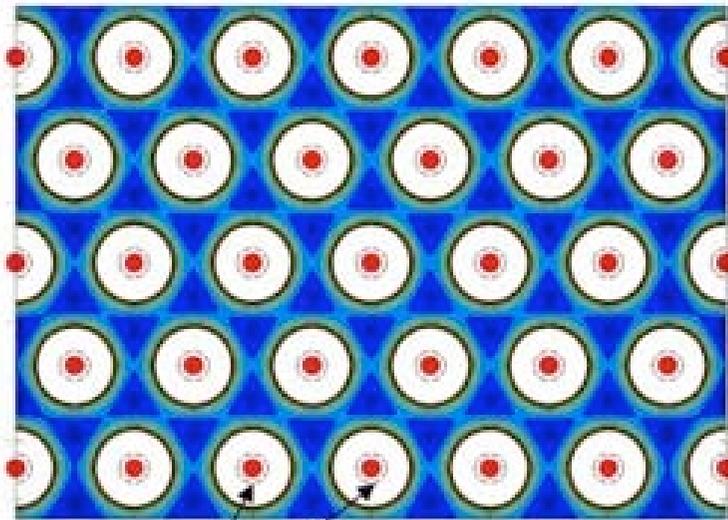
- We can design a large class spin-spin interactions with polar molecules
  - Tunable range and anisotropy
  - Large coherence to decoherence ratio  $Q \sim 800-10000$  for reasonable trapping parameters
- Examples of Lattice Spin Model with TO
  - The Kitaev Model
    - Gapped system with abelian excitations
    - Strategy for measuring quasiparticle statistics
- Higher spin models
  - Isotropic model: rich phase diagram, quantum communication channel
- Coupling strength, hence gap for topological protection, limited by lattice spacing. But optical lattices limited to lattice spacings at optical transition wavelengths. Strategies for improvement
- Many useful TO models built up from three-body projectors (e.g. that enforce fusion rules). In principle electromagnetic interactions can be used to build these directly

# Stronger correlations: self-assembled crystals

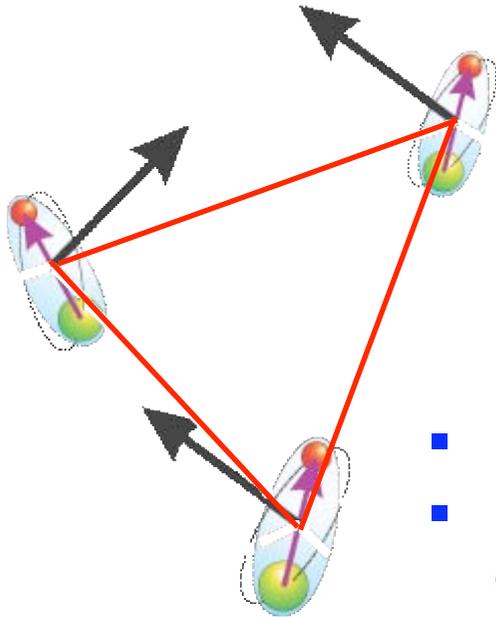
- Engineer repulsive interactions\*



other particles see honeycomb lattice



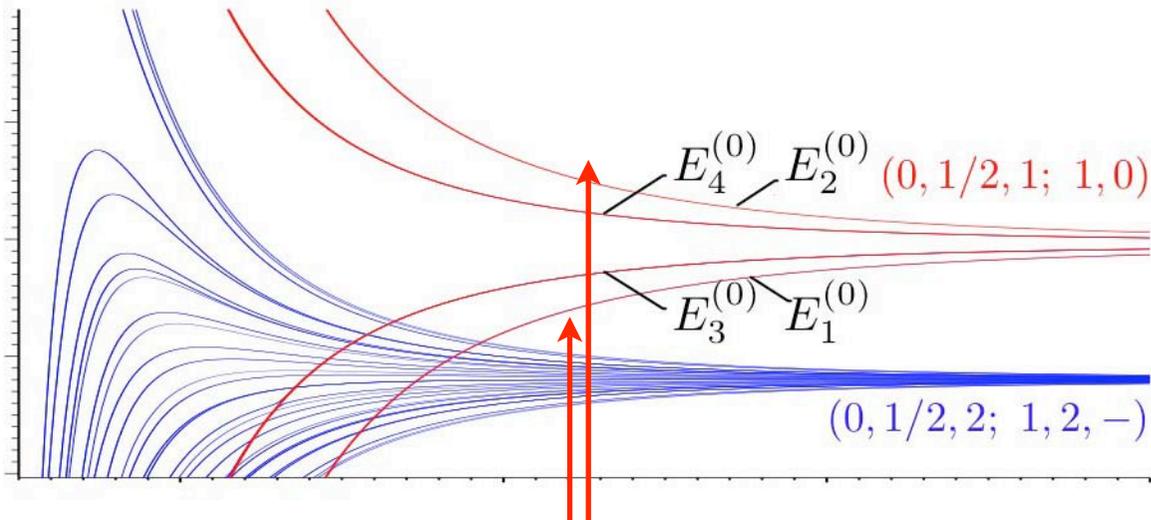
# Three-body interactions



$$H_{\text{dd}} = f(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2)S_1^+ S_2^- + f(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_3)S_1^+ S_3^- + f(\mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_3)S_2^+ S_3^- + h.c.$$

$$f(\mathbf{r}_i, \mathbf{r}_j) = \frac{\mathbf{d}_i \cdot \mathbf{d}_j - 3\mathbf{d}_i \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{i,j} \mathbf{d}_j \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{i,j}}{r_{i,j}^3}$$

- Eigenstates labeled by total number of excited rotational quanta
- Under low saturation couple to states with one shared rotational quanta. These states carry 3-body entanglement (e.g. W states)
- Typically, the non scalar (i.e. spin dependent) piece of the interaction is dominately pairwise but may be engineered to be dominately three body



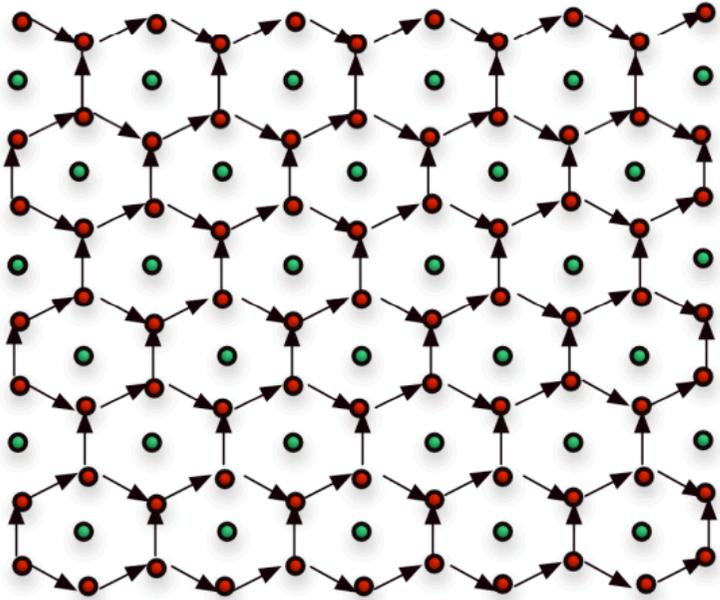
Spin-1 coupled to F=0 excited states

$$H_{\text{eff}} = g(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_3)|000\rangle\langle 000| + 2\text{-body}$$

# Open questions

- Most spin-lattice models with TO have many body interactions (k-local for k>3). Can we build effective Hamiltonians using mediator particles?

System spins represented by edges. Edges oriented to account for neighboring interactions. Vertex(face) ancilla can mediate vertex(face) operators



$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 1 & |0\rangle_a & 2 \\
 \bullet & \longleftrightarrow \bullet & \bullet \\
 H_{a,1} = JA_1 \otimes X_a & & \\
 H_{a,2} = JB_2 \otimes X_a & & \\
 H_a = -E_a |0\rangle\langle 0| & \Rightarrow & \\
 & & \bullet \quad \cdots \quad \bullet \\
 & & H_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{J^2}{E_a} A_1 \otimes B_2 \\
 & & E_a \gg |J|
 \end{array}$$

Qudit ancilla

$$\begin{aligned}
 H_a &= -E_a |0\rangle_a \langle 0| \\
 V_a &= J_v \sum_{r=1}^k (Z_{e_r}^{o_r} \otimes |r-1\rangle \langle r| + h.c.) \\
 H_{v\text{eff}} &= U \prod_{e=[*,v]} Z_e \prod_{e=[v,*]} Z_e^{-1} + O(\epsilon) \\
 U &= (-1)^k E_a (J_v/E_a)^k \quad \|\epsilon\| \ll 1
 \end{aligned}$$

- Can we find efficient construction of observables for TO in spin lattices?
  - Ground state degeneracy
  - Topological entanglement
  - Mutual statistics for non-abelian anyons
  - ...