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Chaire de Physique
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Fermions en interaction:
Introduction à la théorie
de Champ Moyen Dynamique(DMFT)

*Cours 3 – Différentes perspectives sur
l'établissement des équations de la théorie
de champ moyen dynamique et la limite de
grande dimension*

Lecture mostly on BOARD – see recording

Cycle 2018-2019
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Interacting Fermions: Introduction to Dynamical Mean-Field Theory (DMFT)

*Lecture 3 – Different perspectives on the
DMFT equations, their derivation and the
limit of large dimensions.*

Slides will be in English

Please don't hesitate to ask questions in French or English

2018-2019 Lectures
May 21, 2019

Today's seminar (11:30)

Jan Kuneš

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Institute of Physics, Czech Academy of Sciences, Praha

***Excitonic Condensation of Strongly
Correlated Electrons***

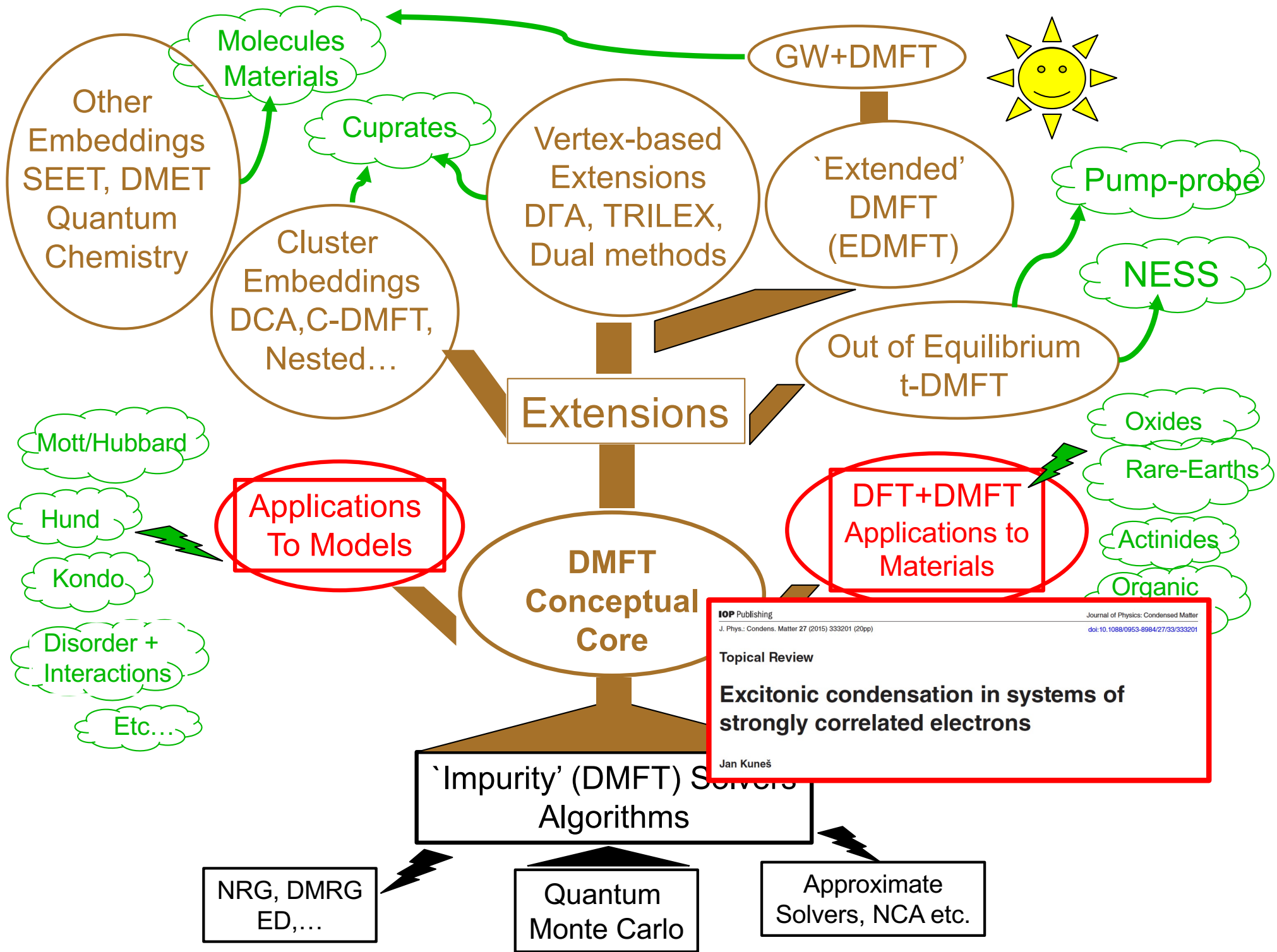
Exceptional seminar
Wednesday May 22 at 11:00
Salle 5

Andrew J. Millis

Columbia University

and CCQ-Flatiron Institute, Simons Foundation, New York

Correlated Electrons and the Lattice



A theoretical description of the
solid-state based on ATOMS
rather than on an electron-gas picture:
« ***Dynamical Mean-Field Theory*** »

Dynamical Mean-Field Theory:

A.G. & G.Kotliar, PRB 45, 6479 (1992)

Correlated electrons in large dimensions:

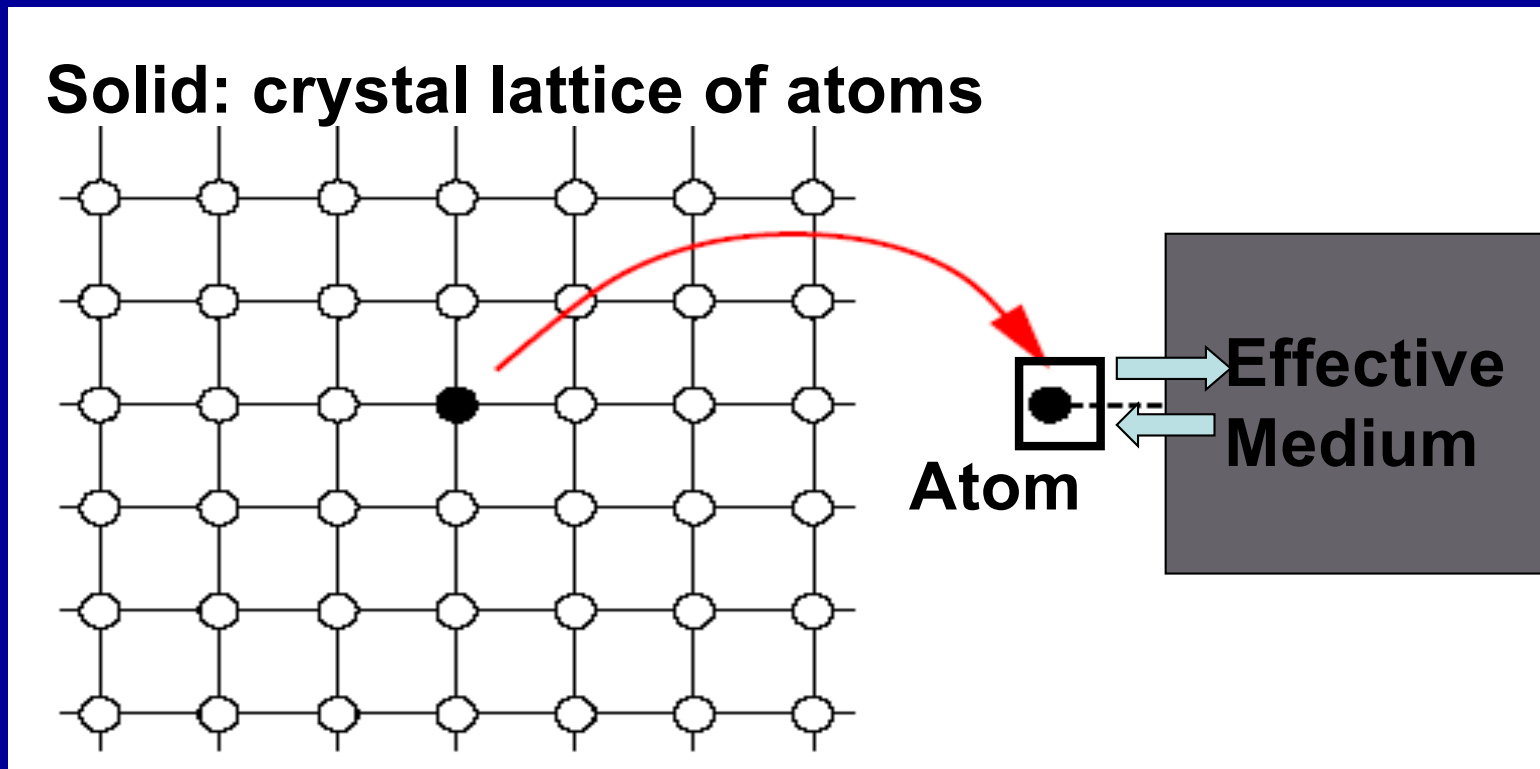
W.Metzner & D.Vollhardt, PRL 62, 324 (1989)

*Important intermediate steps by: Müller-Hartmann,
Schweitzer and Czycholl, Brandt and Mielsch, V.Janis*

Early review: Georges et al. Rev Mod Phys 68, 13 (1996)

Dynamical Mean-Field Theory:

viewing a material as an (ensemble of) atoms coupled to a self-consistent medium



Correlated electrons in large dimensions: W.Metzner & D.Vollhardt, 1989
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Example: DMFT for the Hubbard model (a model of coupled atoms)

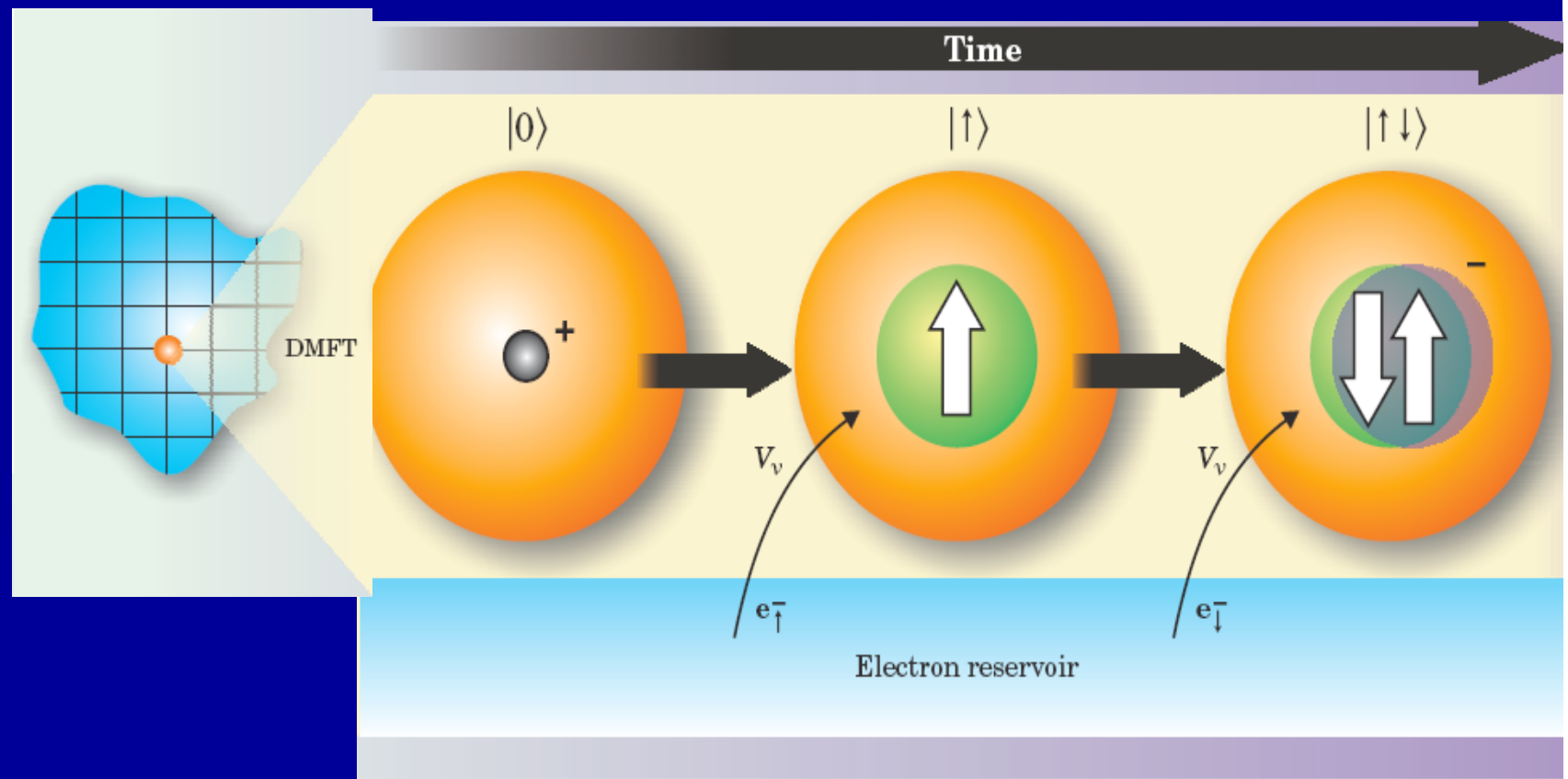
$$H = - \sum_{\mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}'} t_{\mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}'} d_{\mathbf{R}\sigma}^\dagger d_{\mathbf{R}'\sigma} + \sum_{\mathbf{R}} H_{atom}^{\mathbf{R}}$$

$$H_{atom} = \varepsilon_d \sum_{\sigma} n_{\sigma} + U n_{\uparrow} n_{\downarrow}$$

Focus on a given lattice site:

“Atom” can be in 4 possible configurations: $|0\rangle$, $|\uparrow\rangle$, $|\downarrow\rangle$, $|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle$

Describe “history” of fluctuations between those configurations



Imaginary-time effective action describing these histories:

$$S = S_{at} + S_{hyb}$$

$$S_{at} = \int_0^\beta d\tau \sum_{\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger}(\tau) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} - \mu \right) d_{\sigma}(\tau) + U \int_0^\beta d\tau n_{\uparrow}(\tau) n_{\downarrow}(\tau)$$

$$S_{hyb} = \int_0^\beta d\tau \int_0^\beta d\tau' \sum_{\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger}(\tau) \Delta(\tau - \tau') d_{\sigma}(\tau')$$

The amplitude $\Delta(\tau)$ for hopping in and out of the selected site is self-consistently determined: it is the quantum-mechanical Generalization of the Weiss effective field.

$$\mathcal{G}_0^{-1}(i\omega_n) = i\omega_n + \mu - \Delta(i\omega_n)$$

Effective 'bare propagator' self-consistently determined, hence depends on U, and other parameters.

The self-consistency equation and the DMFT loop

Approximating the self-energy by that of the local

problem : $\Sigma(\mathbf{k}, \omega) \simeq \Sigma_{imp}(\omega)$

→ fully determines both the local G and Δ :

$$G_{imp}[i\omega; \Delta] = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{G_{imp}[i\omega; \Delta]^{-1} + \Delta(i\omega) - \varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}}}$$

EFFECTIVE QUANTUM IMPURITY PROBLEM



SELF-CONSISTENCY CONDITION

G_{RR} is related to the exact self-energy of the lattice (solid) by:

$$G_{RR}(\omega) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{\omega + \mu - \varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}} - \Sigma(\mathbf{k}, \omega)} = G_{loc}(\omega)$$

In which $\varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}}$ is the tight-binding band (FT of the hopping t_{RR}),

High-frequency $\rightarrow \varepsilon_d = -\mu + \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}} (= -\mu)$

Let us now make the **APPROXIMATION** that the lattice self-energy is **k-independent** and coincides with that of the effective atom (impurity problem):

$$\Sigma(\mathbf{k}, \omega) \simeq \Sigma_{imp}(\omega)$$

This leads to the following self-consistency condition:

$$G_{imp}[i\omega; \Delta] = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{G_{imp}[i\omega; \Delta]^{-1} + \Delta(i\omega) - \varepsilon_{\mathbf{k}}}$$

$\Delta(\omega)$: generalizing the Weiss field to the quantum world



Pierre Weiss
1865-1940
« *Théorie du
Champ
Moléculaire* »
(1907)

Einstein, Paul Ehrenfest, Paul Langevin, Heike Kammerlingh-Onnes, and Pierre Weiss at Ehrenfest's home, Leyden, the Netherlands. From Einstein, His Life and Times, by Philipp Frank (New York: A.A. Knopf, 1947). Photo courtesy AIP Emilio Segrè Visual Archives.

Weiss mean-field theory
 Density-functional theory
 Dynamical mean-field theory

rely on similar
 conceptual basis

TABLE 2. Comparison of theories based on functionals of a local observable

Theory	MFT	DFT	DMFT
Quantity	Local magnetization m_i	Local density $n(x)$	Local GF $G_{ii}(\omega)$
Equivalent system	Spin in effective field	Electrons in effective potential	Quantum impurity model
Generalised Weiss field	Effective local field	Kohn-Sham potential	Effective hybridisation

- Exact energy functional of local observable
- Exact representation of local observable:
- Generalized “Weiss field”
- Self-consistency condition, later approximated

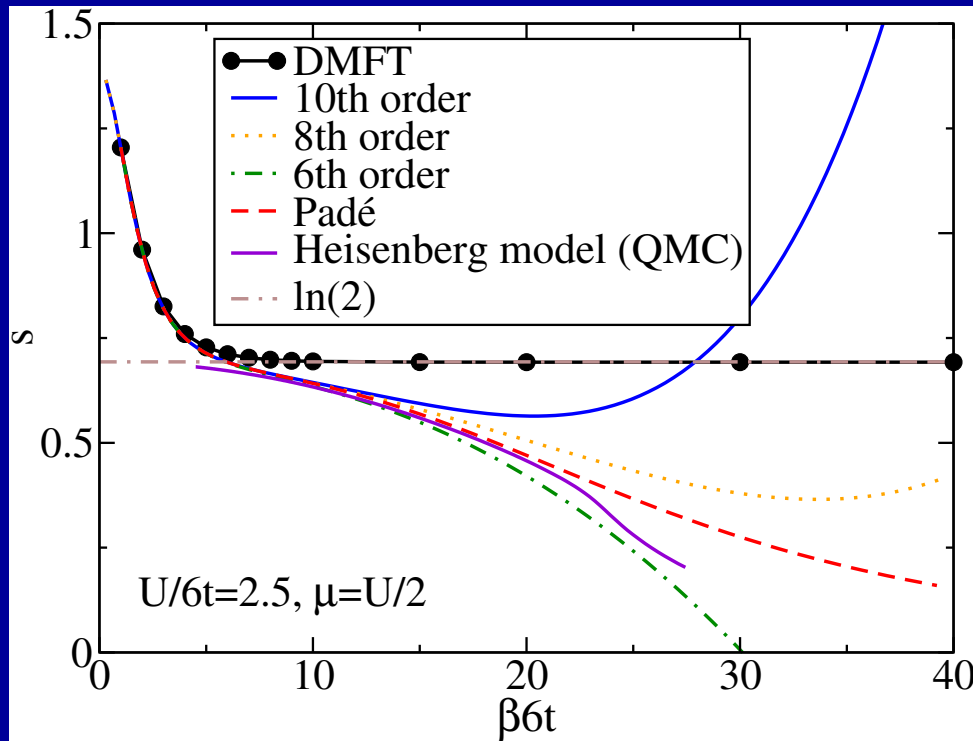
see e.g:
 A.G
 arXiv cond-mat
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The DMFT construction is EXACT:

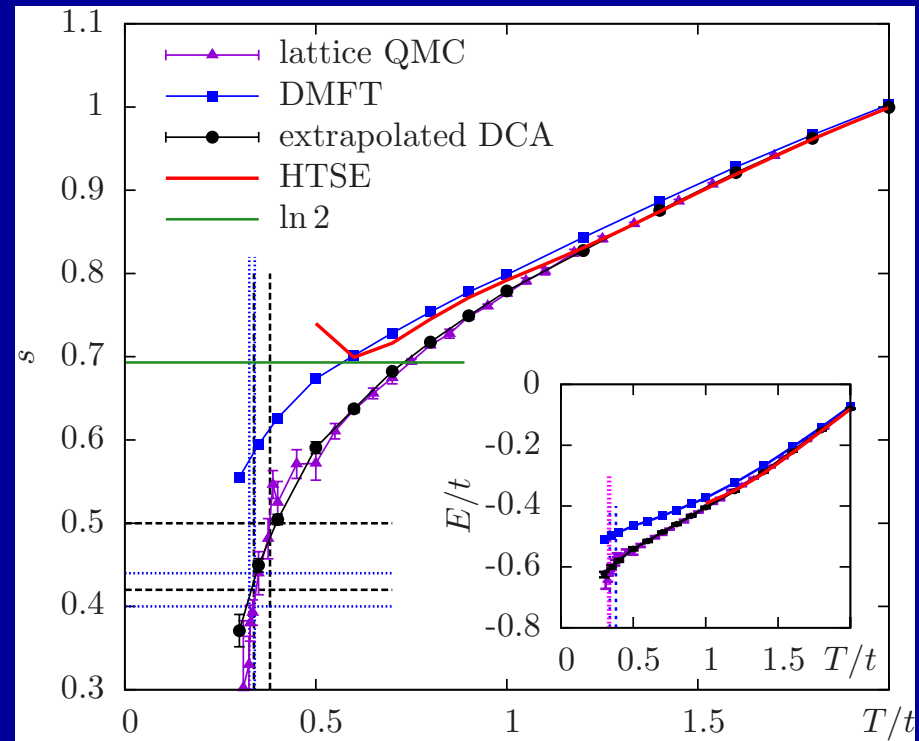
- For the non-interacting system
($U = 0 \rightarrow \Sigma = 0$!)
- For the isolated atom
(strong-coupling limit $t=0 \rightarrow \Delta = 0$)
→ Hence provides an interpolation from weak to strong coupling
- In the formal limit of infinite dimensionality (infinite lattice coordination) [introduced by Metzner and Vollhardt, PRL 62 (1989) 324]

Proofs: LW functional, Cavity construction (more on board)

Physical Limits in which DMFT is accurate: small correlation lengths



Hubbard $d=3 \frac{1}{2}$ filled
 $U/t=15$
 De Leo et al.
 PRA 83 (2011) 023606



Hubbard $d=3 \frac{1}{2}$ filled
 $U/t=8$
 Fuchs et al.
 PRL 106 (2011) 030401

Doped: smaller correlation length

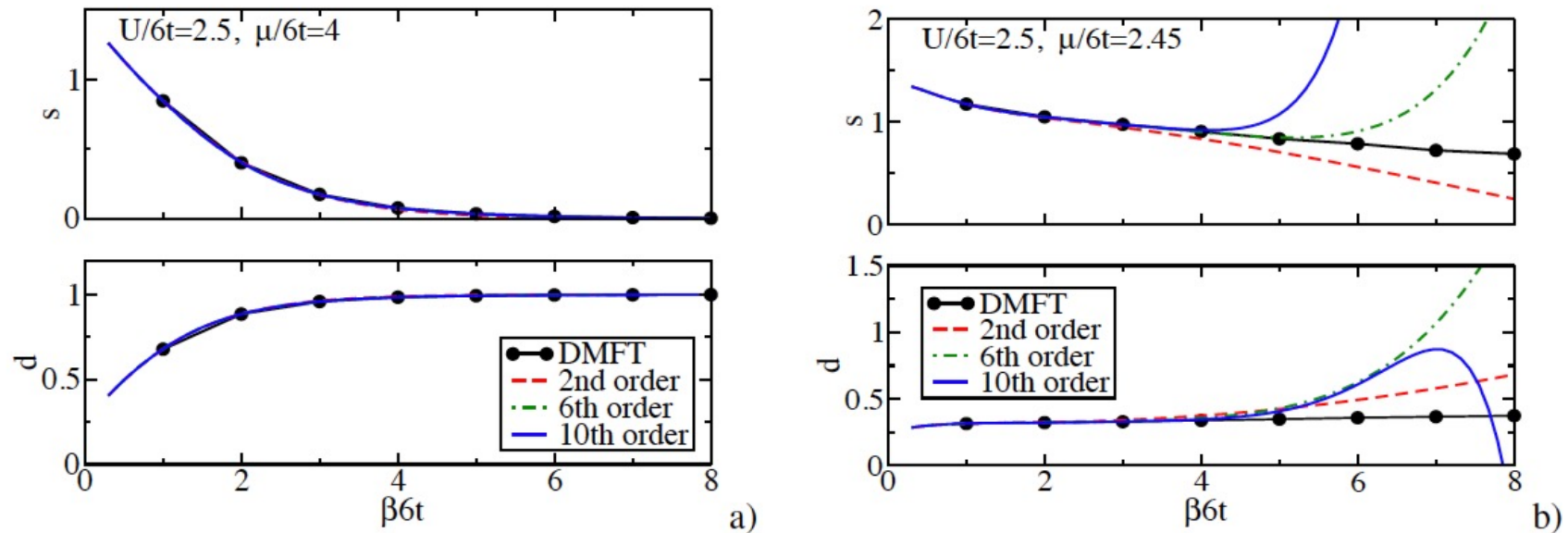


Fig. 1 Comparison between DMFT and high-temperature series for the double occupancy $d = \langle n_{\uparrow} n_{\downarrow} \rangle$ and entropy per site as a function of inverse temperature $\beta 6t = 6t/kT$, for $U/6t = 2.5$. **a)** At $\mu/6t = 4$ (corresponding to the high-density regime). **b)** At $\mu/6t = 2.45$ (corresponding to an intermediate density $n \simeq 1.25$). Reproduced and adapted from Ref. [10]

The Luttinger-Ward Functional

$$\Phi = \text{[Diagram 1]} + \text{[Diagram 2]} + \dots$$

Does it really exist ? 😊

PRL 114, 156402 (2015)

PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS

week ending
17 APRIL 2015

Nonexistence of the Luttinger-Ward Functional and Misleading Convergence of Skeleton Diagrammatic Series for Hubbard-Like Models

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IOP Publishing

Journal of Physics A: Mathematical and Theoretical

J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. 48 (2015) 485202 (6pp)

doi:10.1088/1751-8113/48/48/485202

Skeleton series and multivaluedness of the self-energy functional in zero space-time dimensions

Riccardo Rossi¹ and Félix Werner²

Classical StatMech Model in which an infinite series of terms must be summed in $d \rightarrow \infty$: fully frustrated Ising

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The fully frustrated Ising model in infinite dimensions

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Abstract. We solve, subject to the validity of some reasonable assumptions, the ‘fully frustrated’ Ising model in the limit of infinite dimensions using an extension of the TAP theory for spin glasses. In contrast to the TAP theory of the infinite-range spin glass, an infinite summation of diagrams is required to recover the Gibbs free energy for this model. The model undergoes a first-order transition. The method used to solve the model should have many applications to other physical problems.

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\beta G &= \bullet + \bullet\text{---}\bullet + \bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet + \bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet + \bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet + \bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet\text{---}\bullet + \dots \\
 &= -\sum_i \left(\frac{1+m_i}{2} \right) \ln \left(\frac{1+m_i}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1-m_i}{2} \right) \ln \left(\frac{1-m_i}{2} \right) \\
 &\quad + \beta \sum_{(ij)} J_{ij} m_i m_j + \frac{\beta^2}{2} \sum_{(ij)} J_{ij}^2 (1-m_i^2)(1-m_j^2) \\
 &\quad + \beta^4 \sum_{(ijkl)} J_{ij} J_{jk} J_{kl} J_{li} (1-m_i^2)(1-m_j^2)(1-m_k^2)(1-m_l^2) + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

Figure 1. The Gibbs free energy of the ‘fully frustrated’ Ising model on a hypercubic lattice in the limit of infinite dimensions.

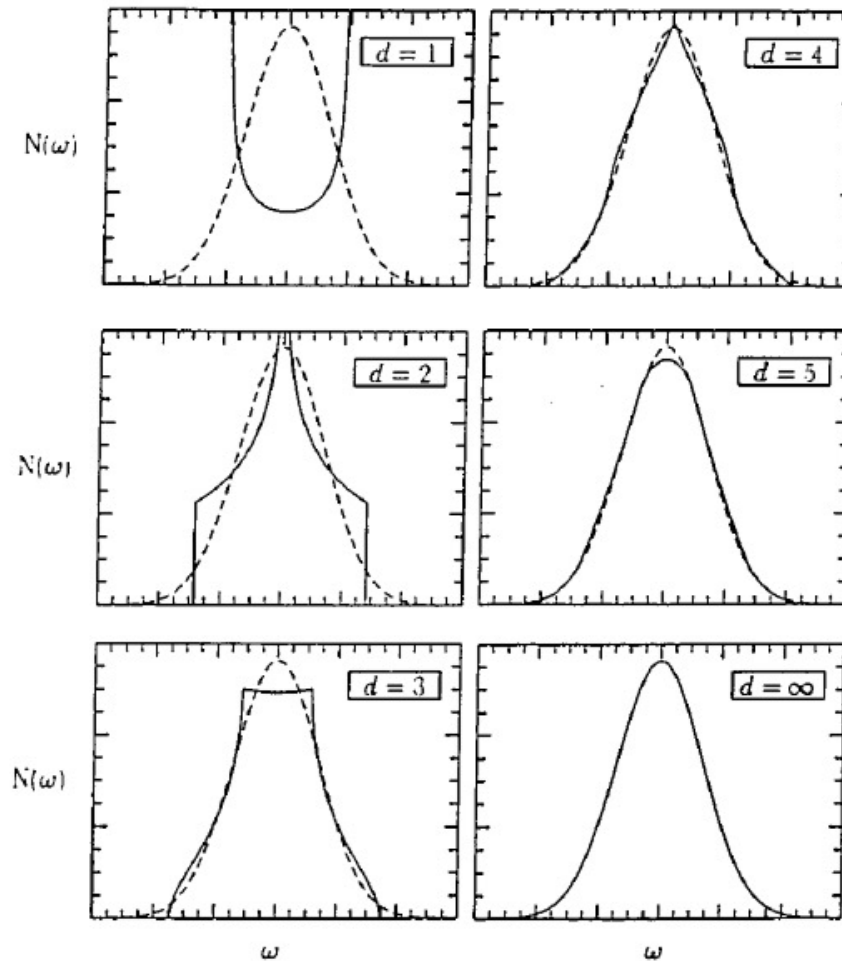


FIG. 84. Density of state $D(\epsilon)$ for tight-binding electrons with nearest neighbor hopping on a hypercubic lattice of various dimensionalities. From Vollhardt (1994).

Density of states of a tight-binding band on a d -dimensional cubic lattice, as d increases.

MERCI POUR VOTRE ATTENTION !

PROCHAINE SEANCE:
MARDI 28 Mai 9:30

Two Lectures:

- *Atom in a bath: introduction to the Anderson impurity model with a DMFT perspective*
 - *The Mott transition*

No seminar