

# Emergence of integer quantum Hall effect from chaos in the kicked rotor

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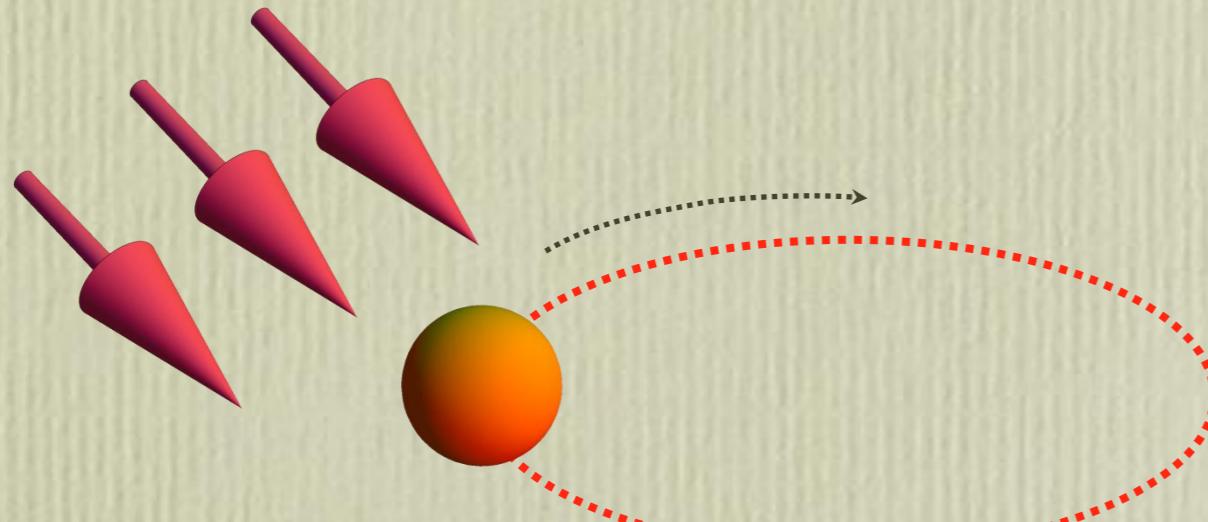
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# Outline

- A brief introduction to kicked rotor
- Planck's quantum-driven IQHE in kicked spin rotor — phenomenon, analytic theory, and numerical confirmation
- Conclusion

# What is kicked rotor?

- a free rotating particle under the influence of sequential time-periodic driving



controlled by two parameters:

$$\hat{H} = \frac{l^2}{2I} + K \cos \theta \sum_m \delta(t - mT)$$

$$\hbar T/I \rightarrow h_e$$

$$KT/I \rightarrow K$$

$$lT/I \rightarrow l$$

$$t/T \rightarrow t$$

Planck's quantum  
(effective Planck's  
constant)

$$\hat{l} = h_e \hat{n}$$

- Planck's quantum  $h_e$
- nonlinear parameter  $K$

$$E(t) = \frac{1}{2} \langle \psi(t) | \hat{n}^2 | \psi(t) \rangle$$

*Chirikov standard map  
- the birth of classical kicked rotor ( $h_e \rightarrow 0$ )*

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RESEARCH CONCERNING THE THEORY OF  
NON-LINEAR RESONANCE AND STOCHASTICITY

B.V. Chirikov

Novosibirsk, 1969

## Chirikov standard map - the birth of classical kicked rotor ( $h_e \rightarrow 0$ )

or

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned}\omega_{n+1} &= \omega_n + \varepsilon \cdot \cos 2\pi \psi_n \\ \psi_{n+1} &= \left\{ \psi_n + \frac{T}{2\pi} \omega_{n+1} \right\}\end{aligned}} \quad (2.1.15)$$

Here the curly brackets represent the fractional part of the argument -- a convenient way of specifying the periodic dependence. The coefficients of the model equations (2.1.14) and (2.1.15) are selected so that the Jacobian  $|\partial(\omega_{n+1}, \psi_{n+1})/\partial(\omega_n, \psi_n)| = 1$  exactly. The reasons for the choice of two forms of dependence on  $\psi$  will be clear from what follows (see Section 2.4).

We chose for our basic model (2.1.11) a perturbation in the form of short kicks, essentially in the form of a  $\delta$ -function. This choice is not very special or exceptional; on the contrary, it is typical, since the sum in the right-hand part (2.1.6), when there are a large number of terms, actually represents either a short kick (or series of kicks) or frequency-modulated perturbation. In the latter case periodic crossing of the resonance takes place, which according to the results of Section 1.5 is also equivalent to some kick [(1.5.7) and (1.5.9)]. Thus it can be expected that the properties of model (2.1.11) will be in a sense typical for the problem of the interaction of the resonances and stochasticity.

# classical kicked rotor

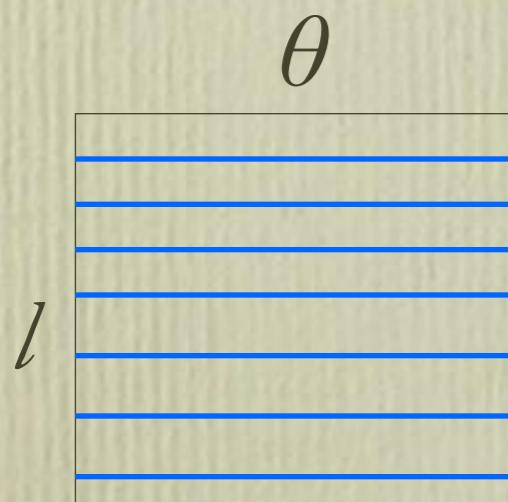
$$l_{n+1} = l_n + K \sin \theta_{n+1}$$

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$$K=0$$

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Liouville integrability:

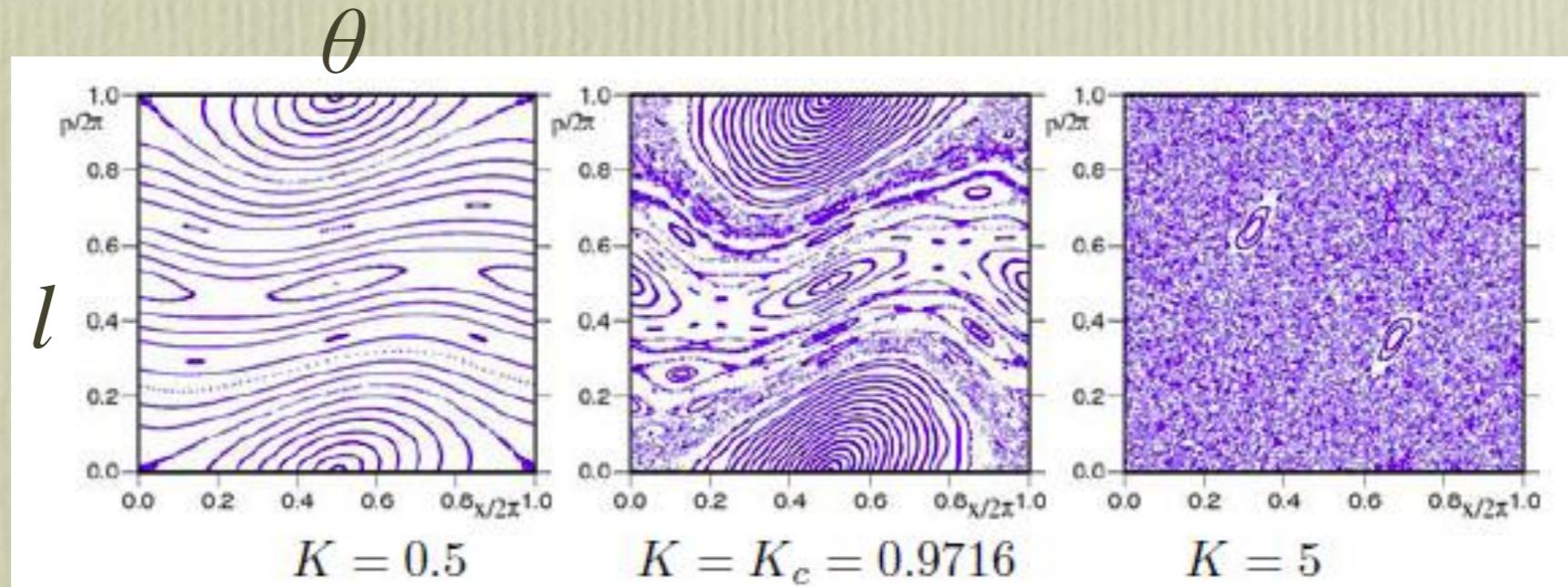
- regular foliation of phase space
- action variables = complete sets of invariants of Hamiltonian flow

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$K$  increases from 0.

$$\theta_{n+1} = \theta_n + l_n$$



from B. Chirikov and D. Shepelyansky, Scholarpedia 3, 3550 (2008)

transition from **weak chaoticity (KAM, nearly integrable)** to  
**strong chaoticity**

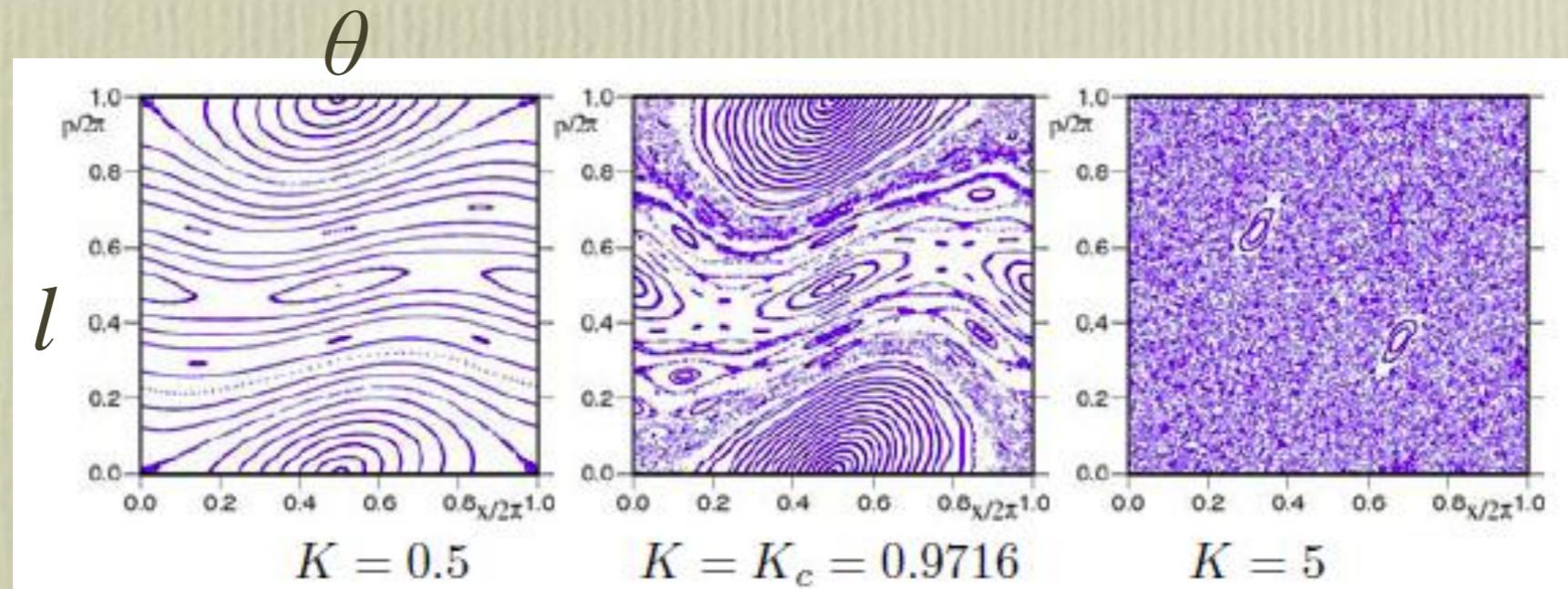
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large and general  $K$ : lose memory on  $\theta$   
random walk - Brownian motion - in  $l$ -space

$$\theta_{n+1} = \theta_n + l_n$$

$$\frac{E(t)}{t} = \text{const.}$$



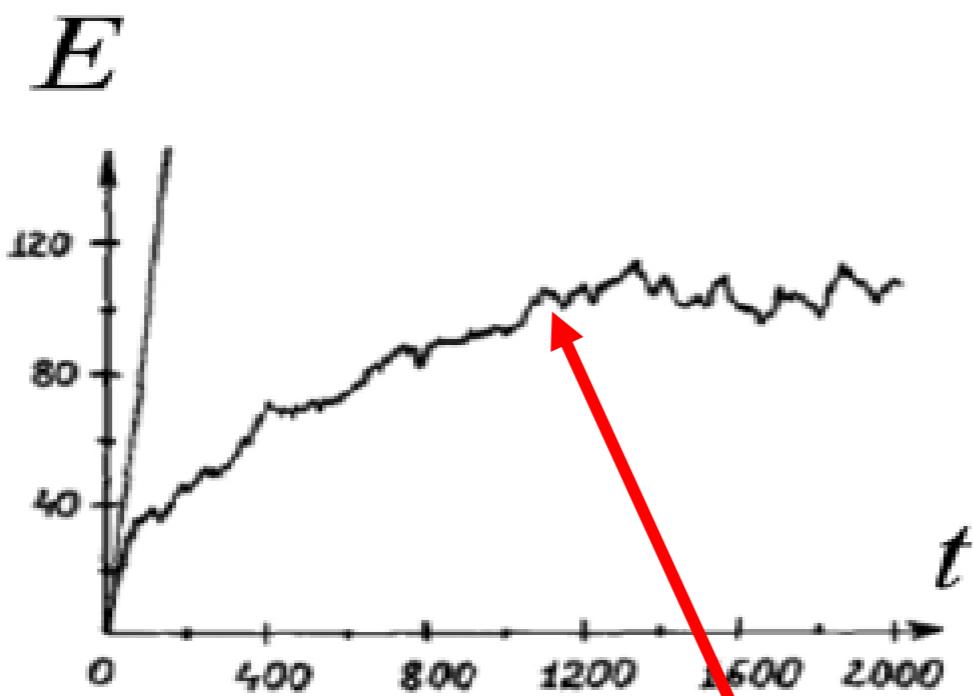
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transition from “insulator” (confined motion in  $l$  space) to  
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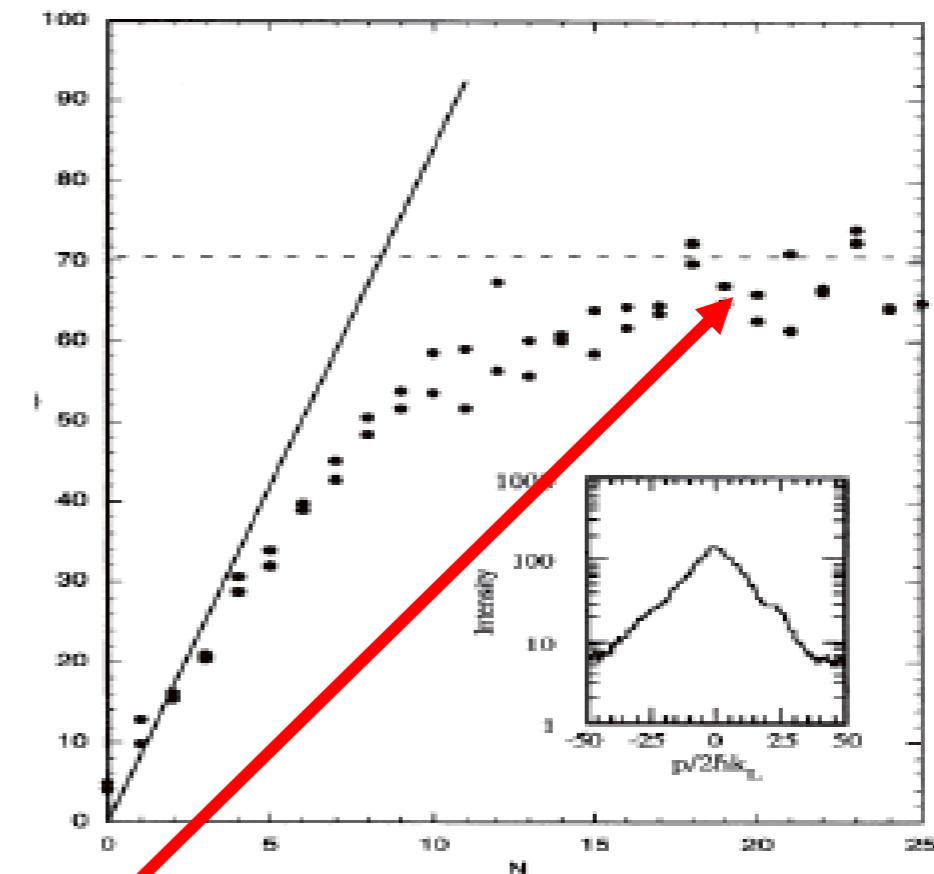
*What happens to quantum  
kicked rotor ( $h_e > 0$ )?*

# (generic) irrational values of $h_e/(4\pi)$

Saturation of rotor's energy



observed in cold-atom experiments



Casati, Chirikov, Ford, and Izrailev 79

Raizen et. al. '95

dynamical localization

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pseudo-randomness at irrational  $\tilde{h}/(4\pi)$

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quantum kicked rotor  
= quantum disordered system?

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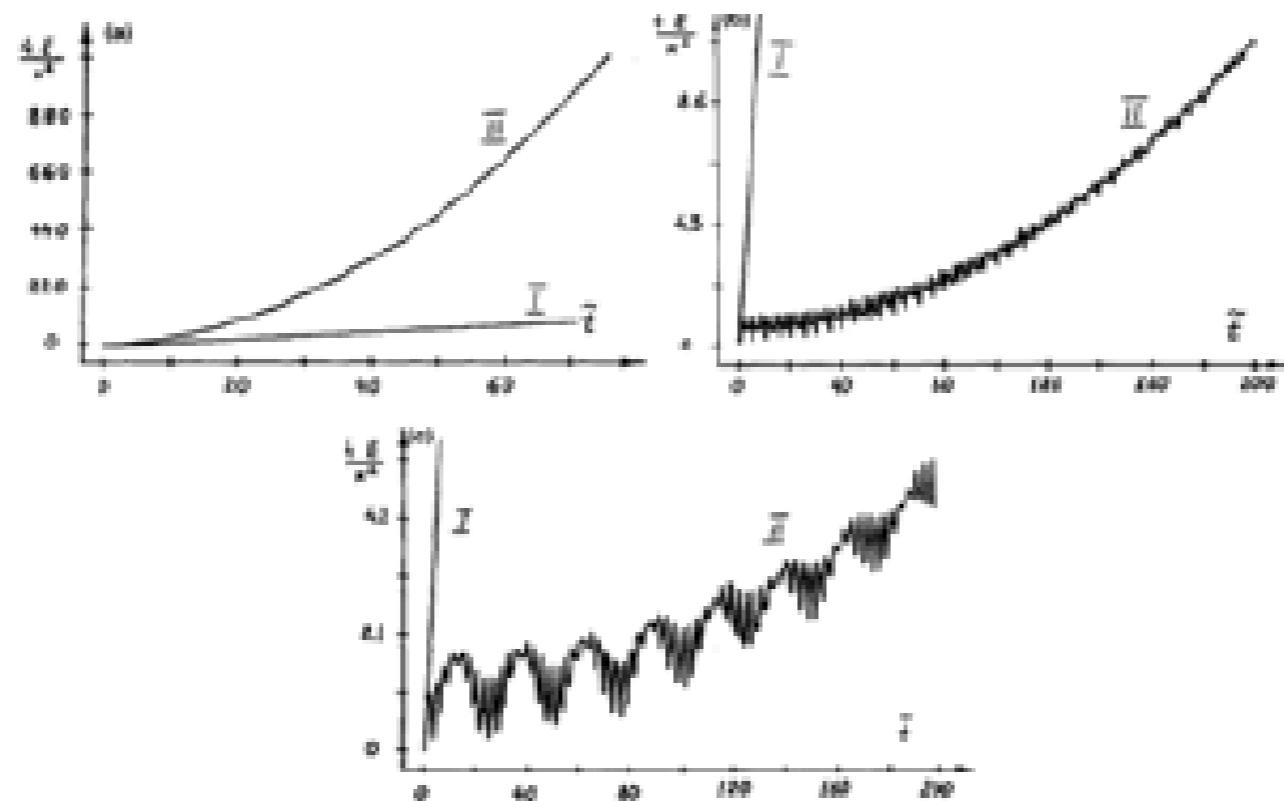
NO!

sensitivity to the value of  $h_e/(4\pi)$ :

$$h_e/(4\pi) = p/q$$

small q: nonuniversal

Izrailev and Shepelyansky '79 '80



$$E(t) \sim t^2$$

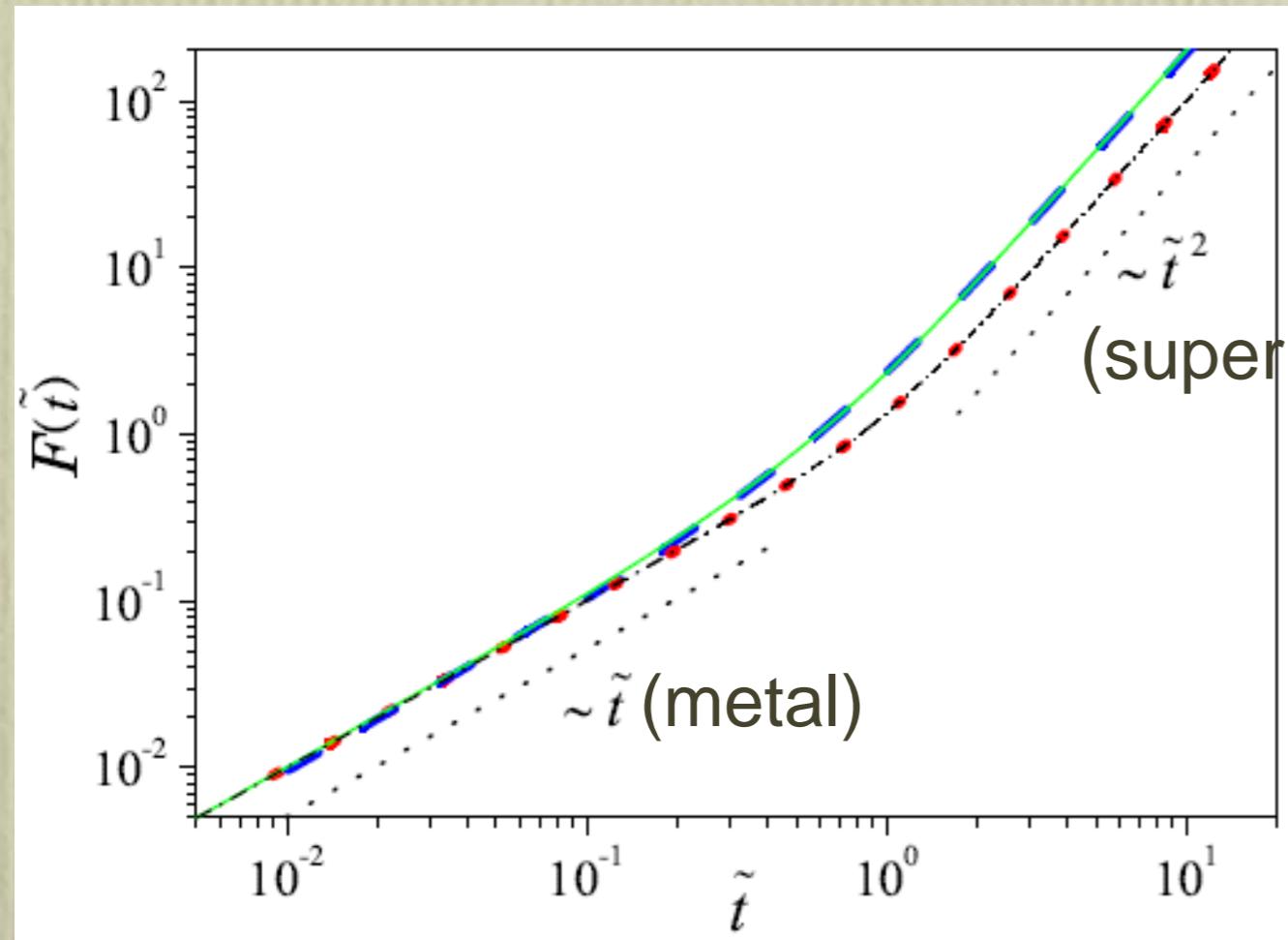
supermetal

result of translation symmetry:  $n \rightarrow n+q$

sensitivity to the value of  $h_e/(4\pi)$ :

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large q: universal metal-supermetal dynamics crossover



$$\hat{H} = H_0(\hat{n}) + K \cos \hat{\theta} \sum_m \delta(t - m).$$

$$H_0(\hat{n}) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k \hat{n}^k,$$

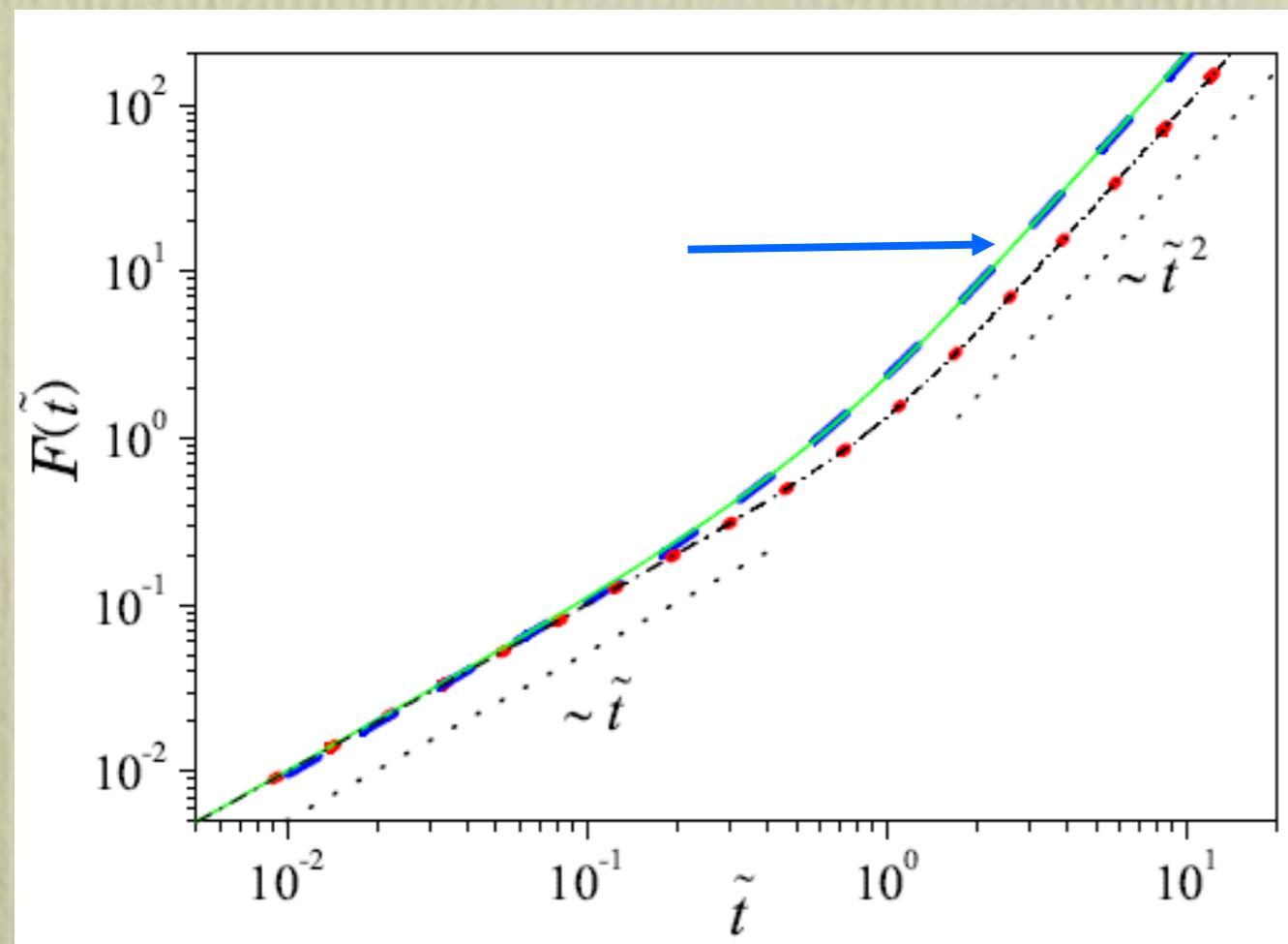
$$\hat{T}_c : \quad \hat{n} \rightarrow \hat{n}, \quad \hat{\theta} \rightarrow -\hat{\theta}, \quad t \rightarrow -t. \quad \checkmark$$

$$\hat{T}_i : \quad \hat{n} \rightarrow -\hat{n}. \quad ???$$

# sensitivity to the value of $h_e/(4\pi)$ :

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→ orthogonal symmetry

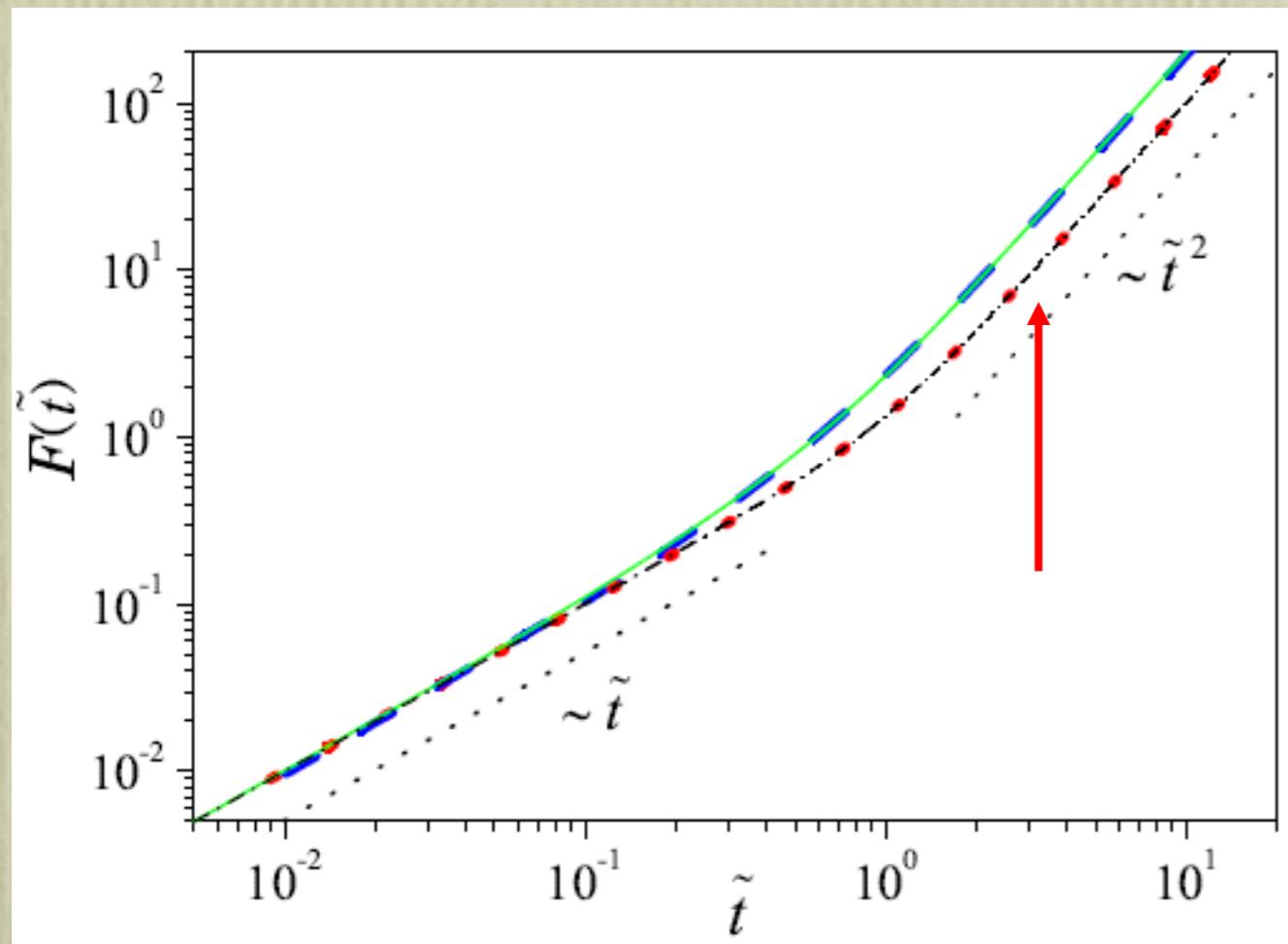
$$F(\tilde{t}) = \frac{1}{8} \int_1^\infty d\lambda_1 \int_1^\infty d\lambda_2 \int_{-1}^1 d\lambda \delta(2\tilde{t} + \lambda - \lambda_1 \lambda_2) \times \frac{(1 - \lambda^2)(1 - \lambda^2 - \lambda_1^2 - \lambda_2^2 + 2\lambda_1^2\lambda_2^2)^2}{(\lambda^2 + \lambda_1^2 + \lambda_2^2 - 2\lambda\lambda_1\lambda_2 - 1)^2}. \quad (23)$$

- derived by field theory
- confirmed by random matrix theory
- confirmed by numerical experiments

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unitary symmetry

$$F(\tilde{t}) = \begin{cases} \tilde{t} + \frac{1}{3}\tilde{t}^3, & 0 < \tilde{t} < 1, \\ \tilde{t}^2 + \frac{1}{3}, & \tilde{t} > 1. \end{cases}$$

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# quasiperiodically quantum kicked rotor: irrational $h_e/(4\pi)$ $K \rightarrow K(\tilde{\omega}t)$

driven by  $d$ -incommensurate frequencies

Idea dated back to Casati, Guarneri, and Shepelyansky, PRL '89

Experiment: Delande, Garreau et.al., PRL '08, 09

Field theory: Tian, Altland, and Garst PRL 11'

$d \leq 2$ : Anderson insulator

$d > 2$ : Anderson transition

- $K/\tilde{h} \gg 1$ :  $E(t) \sim t \Rightarrow$  metallic;
- $K/\tilde{h} = \mathcal{O}(1)$ : Diffusion constant  $D_\omega$  is strongly renormalized

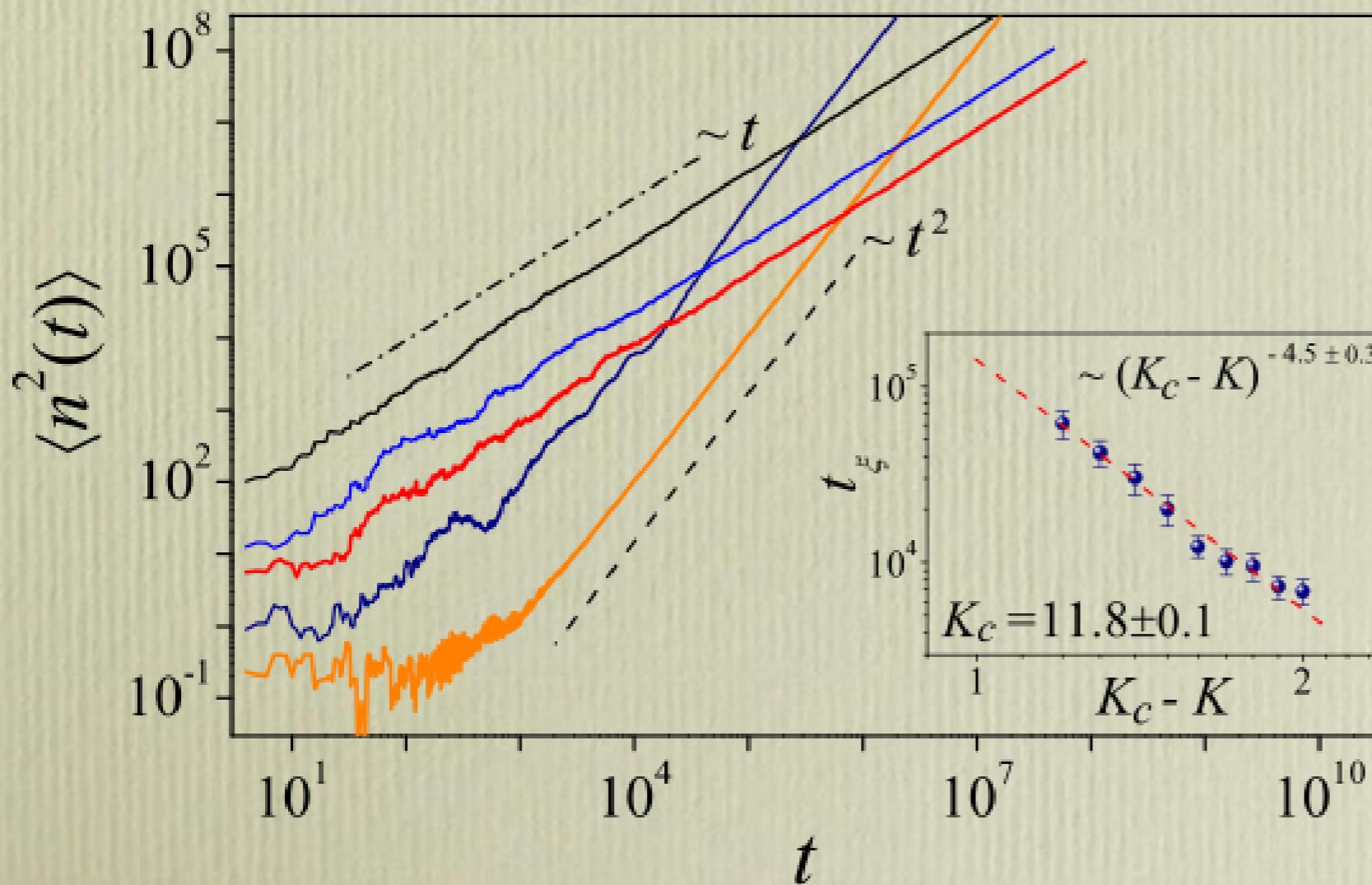
$$D_\omega \xrightarrow{\omega \rightarrow 0} i\omega \rightarrow E(t) \rightarrow \text{const.} \Rightarrow \text{insulating};$$

- At critical point:

$$D_\omega \sim (-i\omega)^{(d-2)/d} \Rightarrow E(t) \sim t^{2/d}$$

# quasiperiodically quantum kicked rotor: rational $h_e/(4\pi)$

- Anderson insulator turned into **supermetal** ( $E \sim t^2$ ) ;
- Anderson metal-insulator transition turned into metal-**supermetal** transition (Tian, Altland, and Garst, PRL '11)



$$t_\varepsilon \sim (K_c - K)^{-\alpha}$$

$$K_c = 11.8 \pm 0.1$$

$$\alpha = 4.5 \pm 0.3.$$

numerical confirmation  
(Wang, Tian, Altland, PRB 14')  
 $p=1, q=3, d=4$

*rich Planck's quantum-driven phenomena  
in spinless kicked rotors;*

*associated with the restoration (breaking)  
of translation symmetry in the angular  
momentum space.*

***spinful kicked rotor?***

# Outline

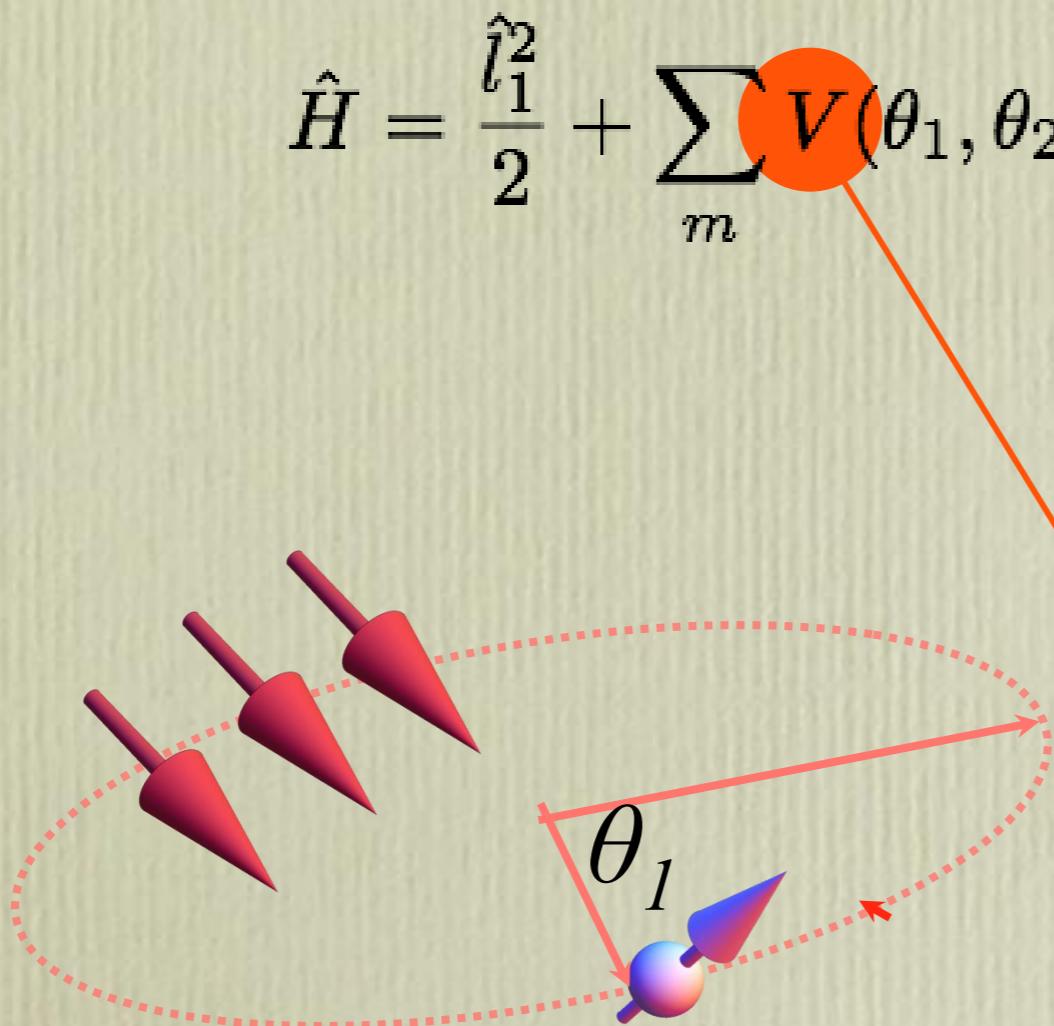
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# quasiperiodically quantum kicked spin-1/2 rotor

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hat{l}_1^2}{2} + \sum_m V(\theta_1, \theta_2 + \tilde{\omega}t) \delta(t - m)$$

$\hbar T/I \rightarrow \hbar_e$

$l_1 T / I \rightarrow l_1$   
 $t / T \rightarrow t$   
 $\tilde{\omega} T \rightarrow \tilde{\omega}$



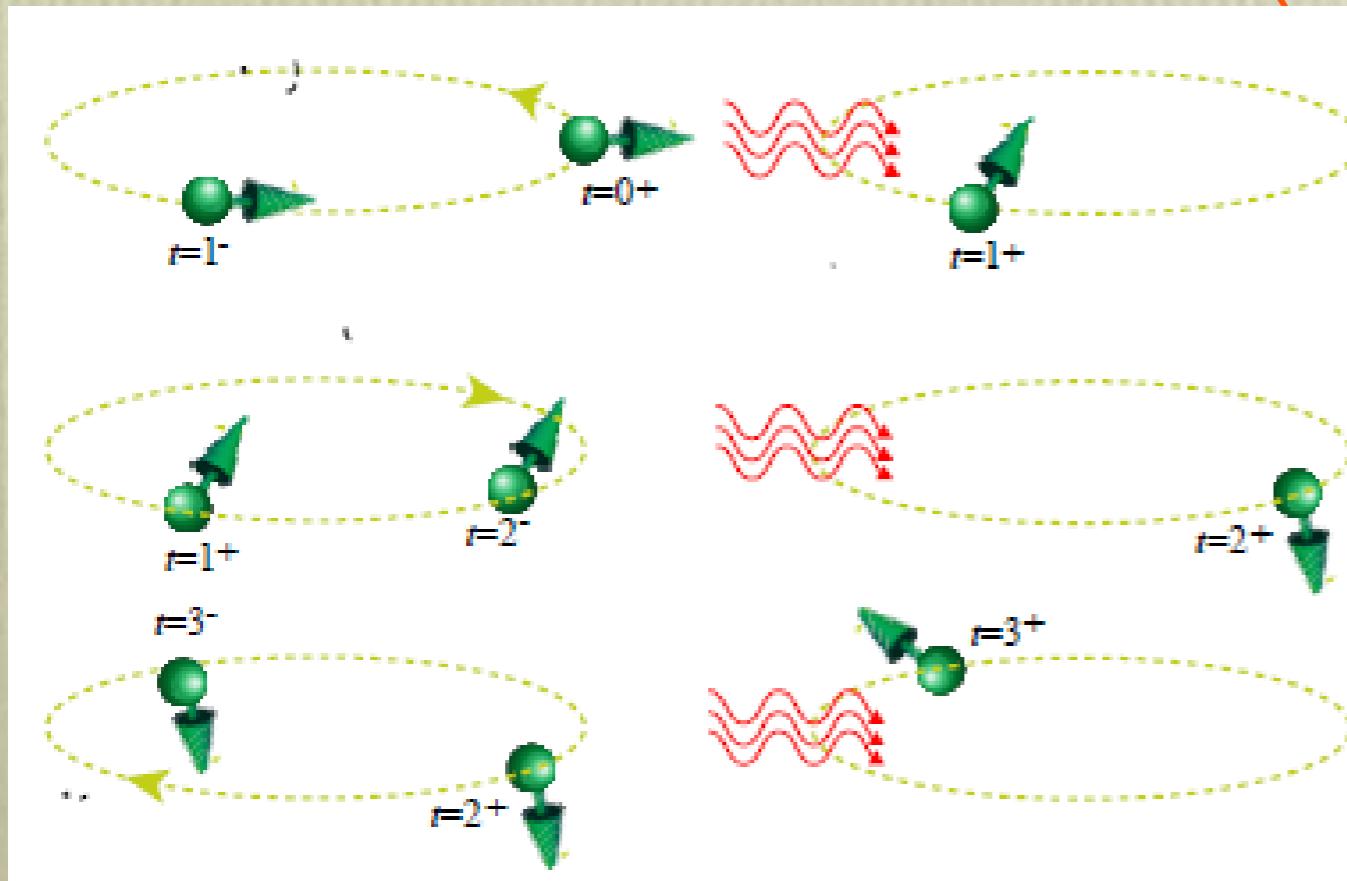
incommensurate with  $2\pi$

$$V(\theta_1, \theta_2 + \tilde{\omega}t) = \sum_{i=1}^3 V_i(\theta_1, \theta_2 + \tilde{\omega}t) \sigma^i$$
$$\equiv \vec{V} \cdot \vec{\sigma}$$

$\sigma^i$  : Pauli matrix

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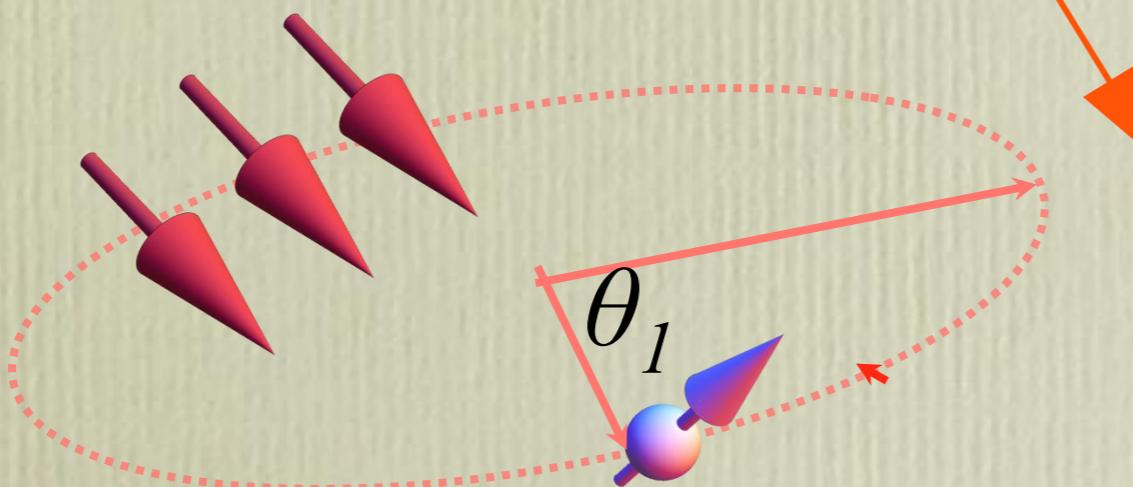
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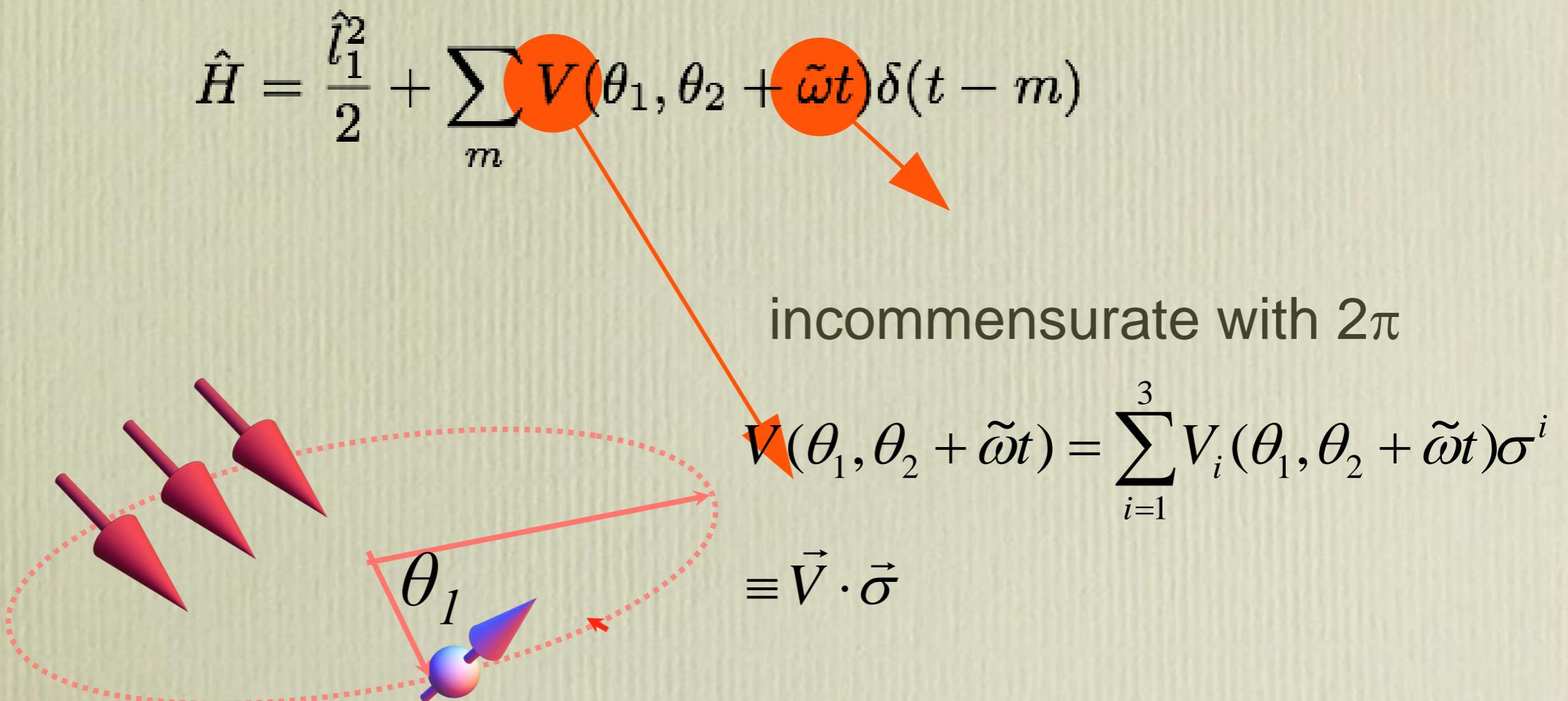
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TABLE II. Parities of  $V_i$ .

	$V_1(\theta_1, \theta_2)$	$V_2(\theta_1, \theta_2)$	$V_3(\theta_1, \theta_2)$
$\theta_1$	odd	even	even
$\theta_2$	even	odd	even

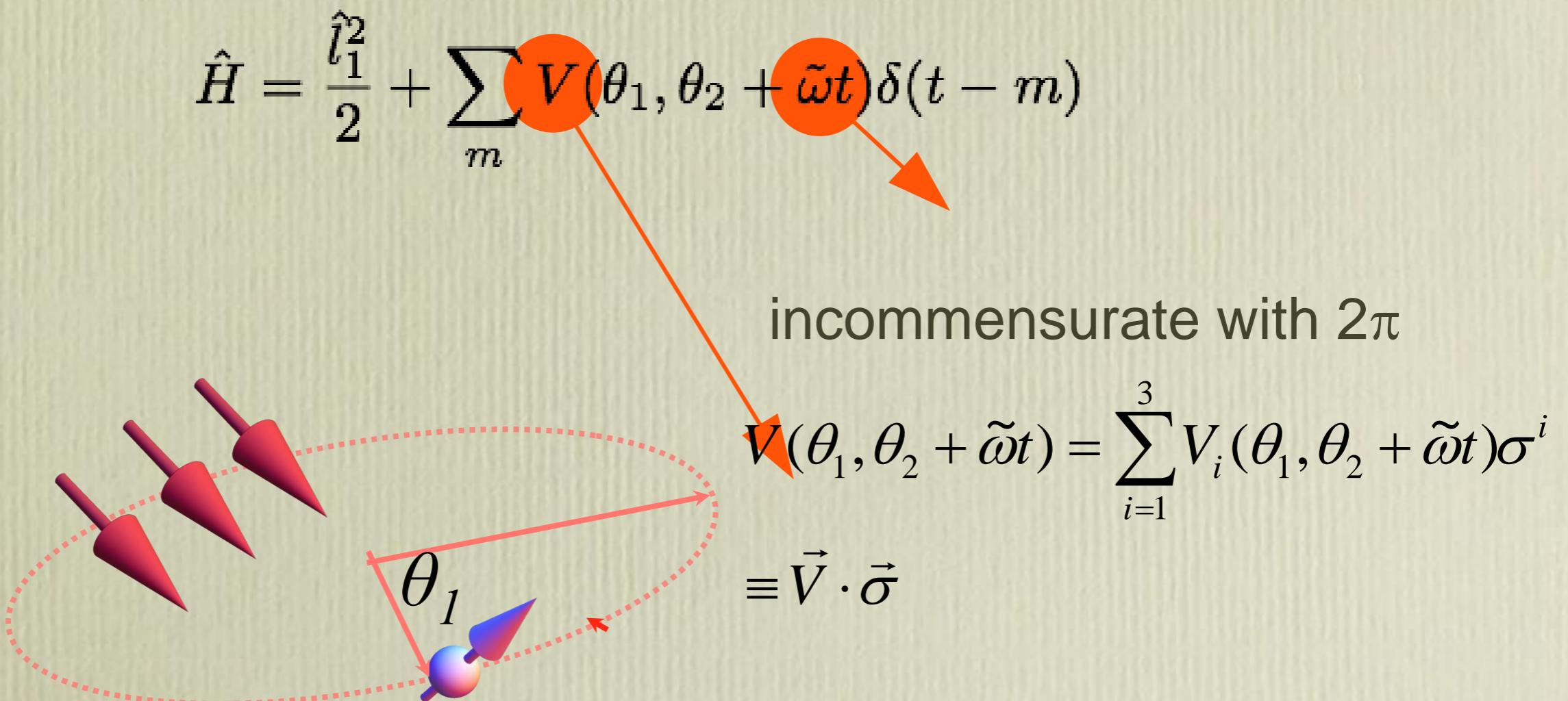
unitary class

# quasiperiodically quantum kicked spin-1/2 rotor



Microscopically, the system is controlled by single parameter – Planck's quantum  $h_e$ .

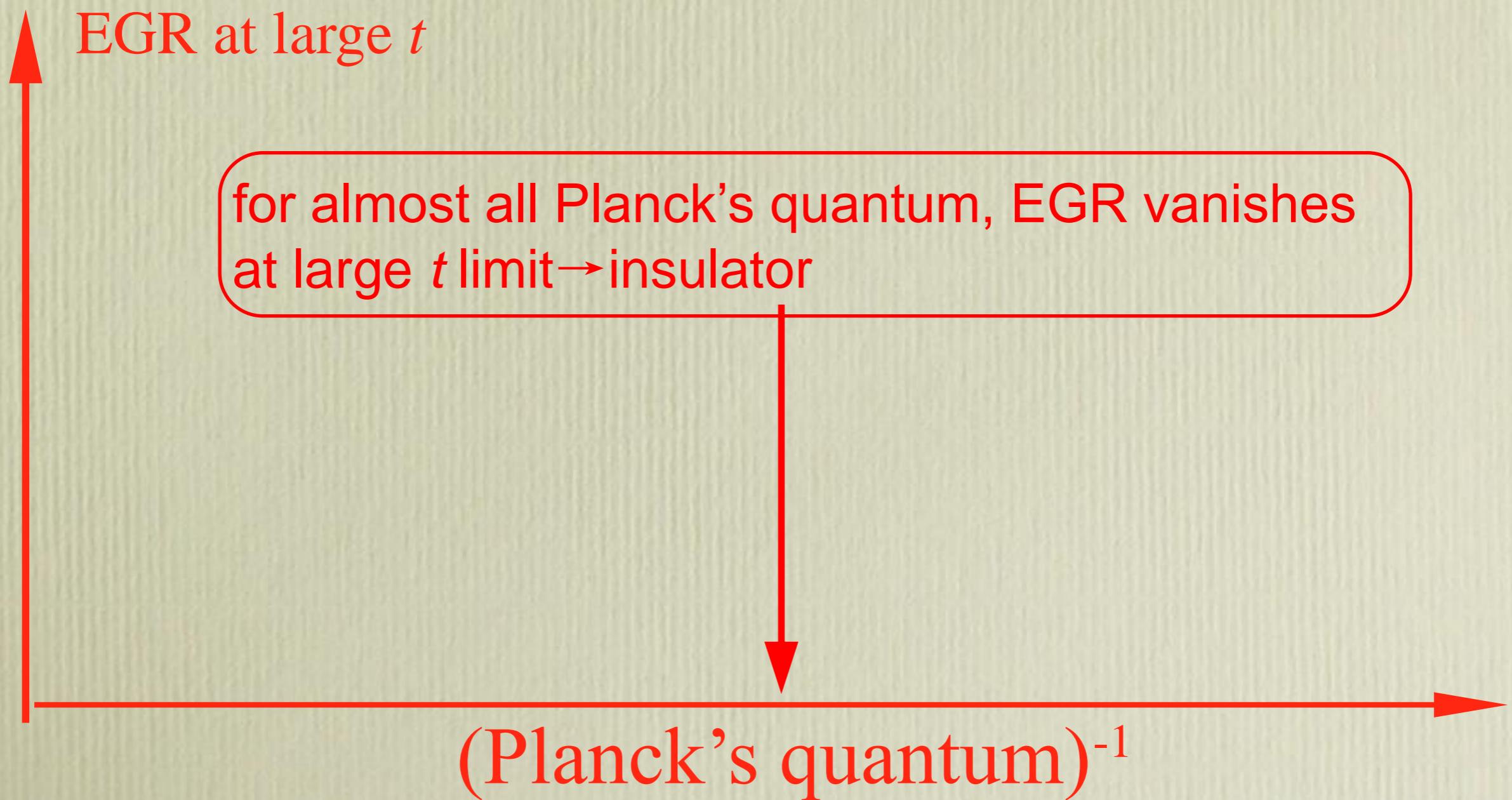
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Macroscopically, the system is controlled by two phase parameters – energy growth rate (**EGR**) and (**hidden or emergent**) quantum number.

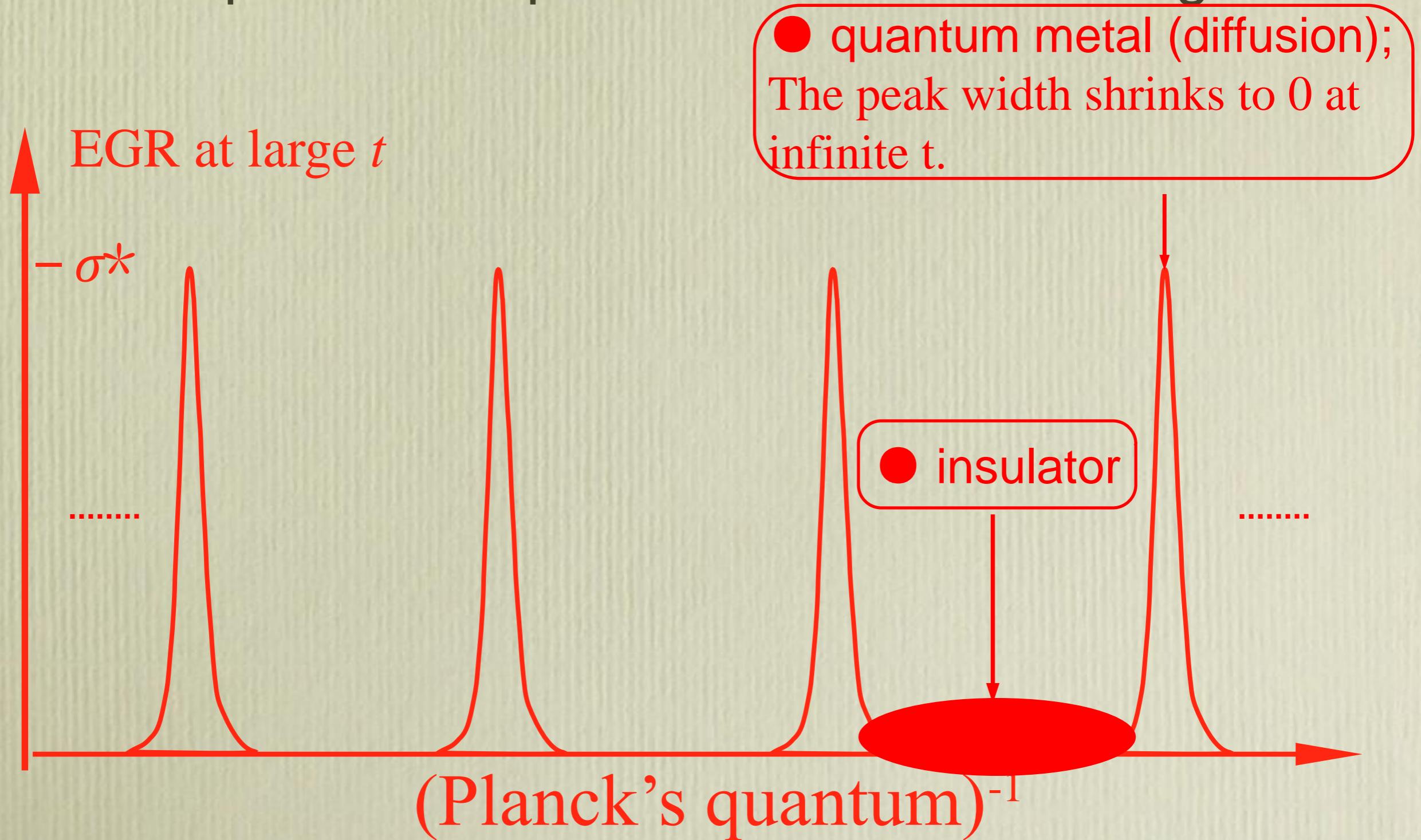
# Planck's quantum-driven IQHE (I)

Planck's quantum dependence of **EGR** in long times

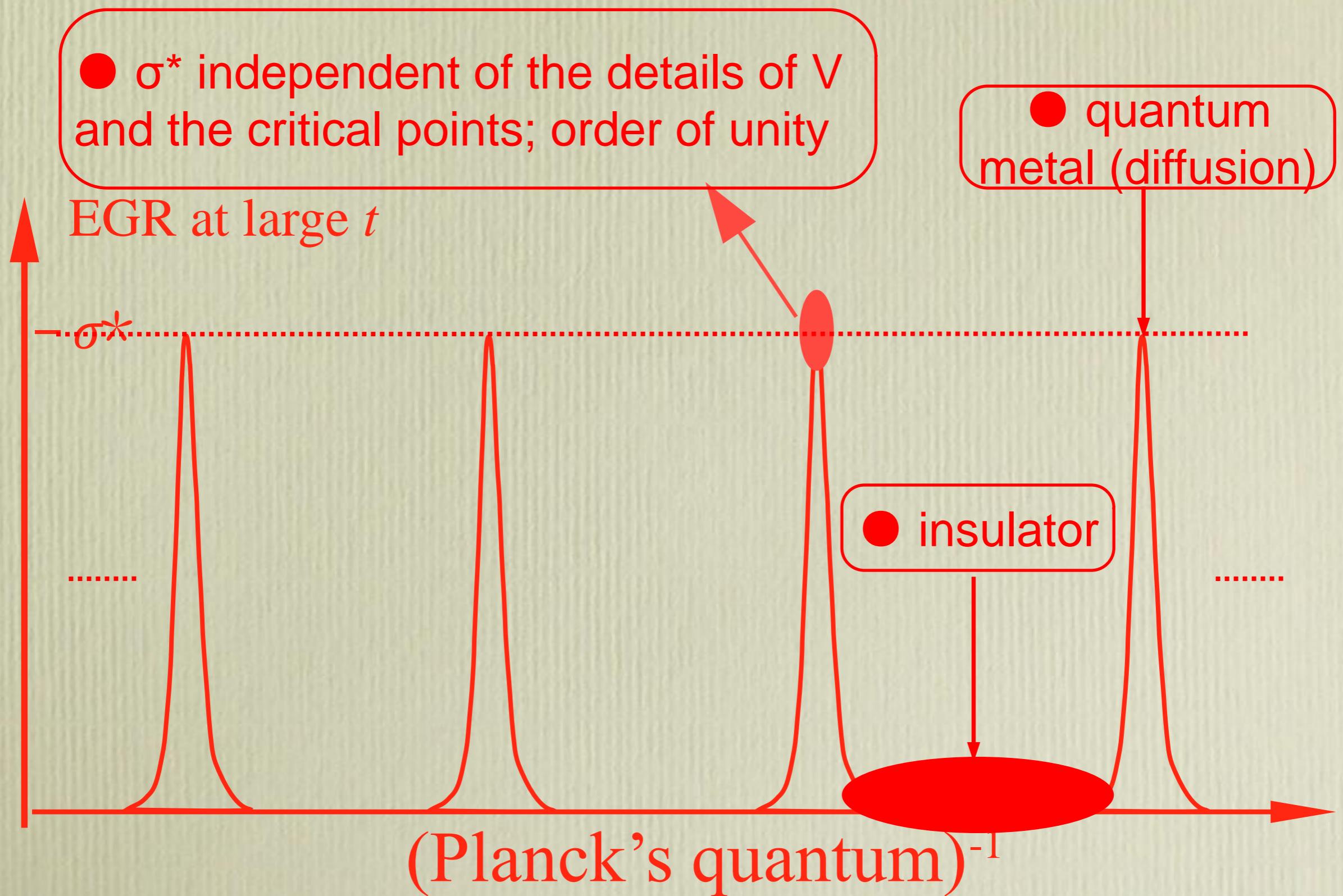


# Planck's quantum-driven IQHE (II)

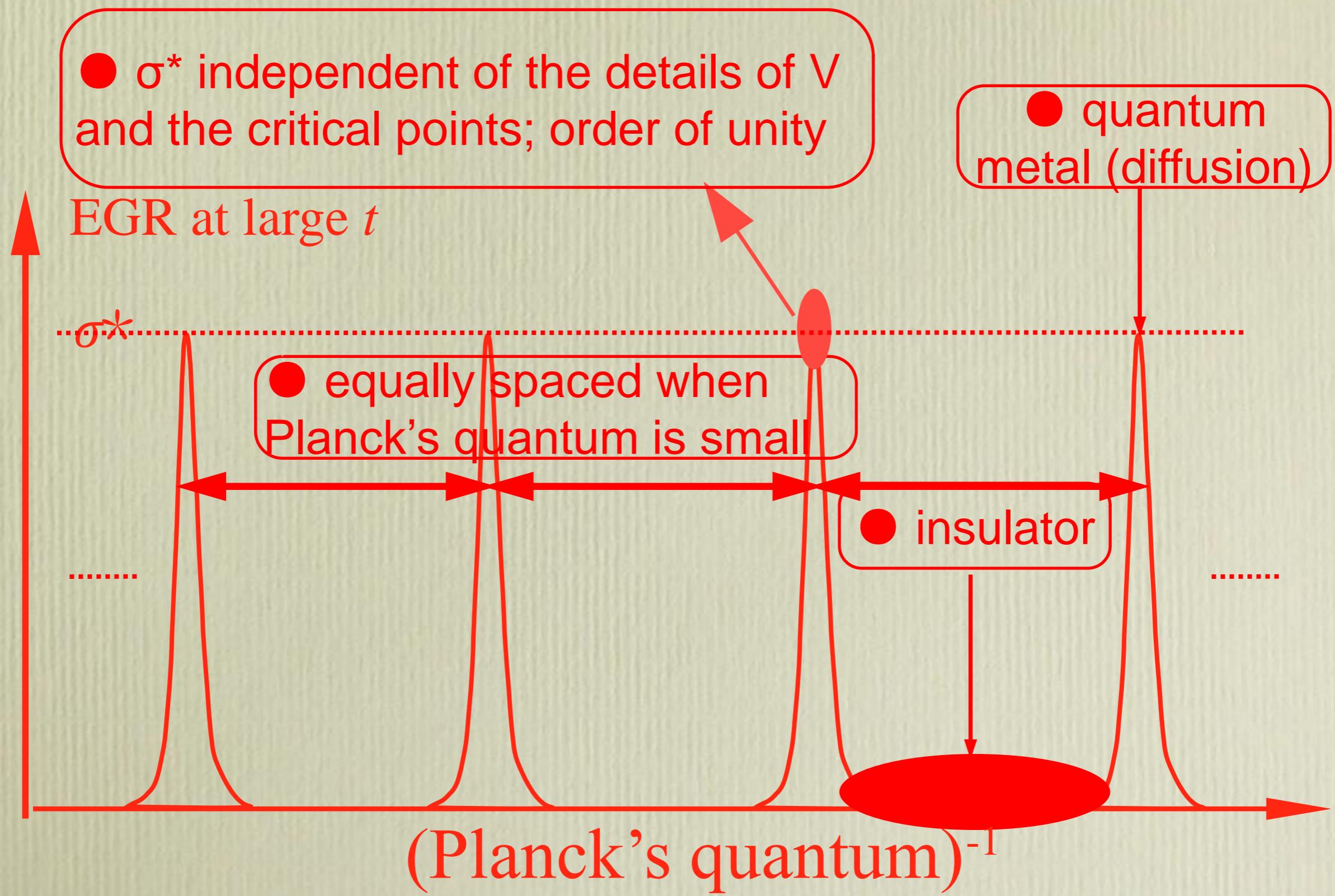
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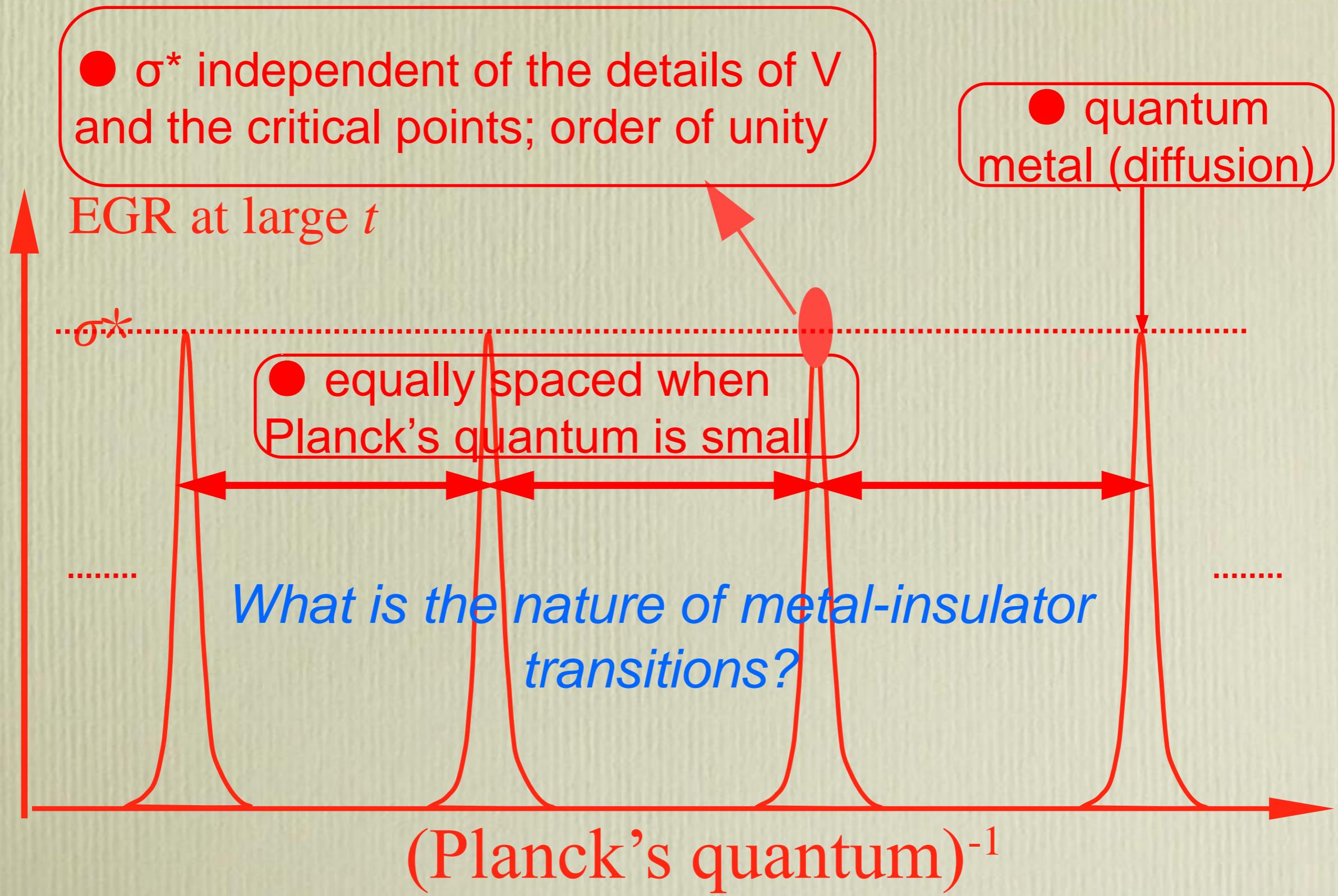
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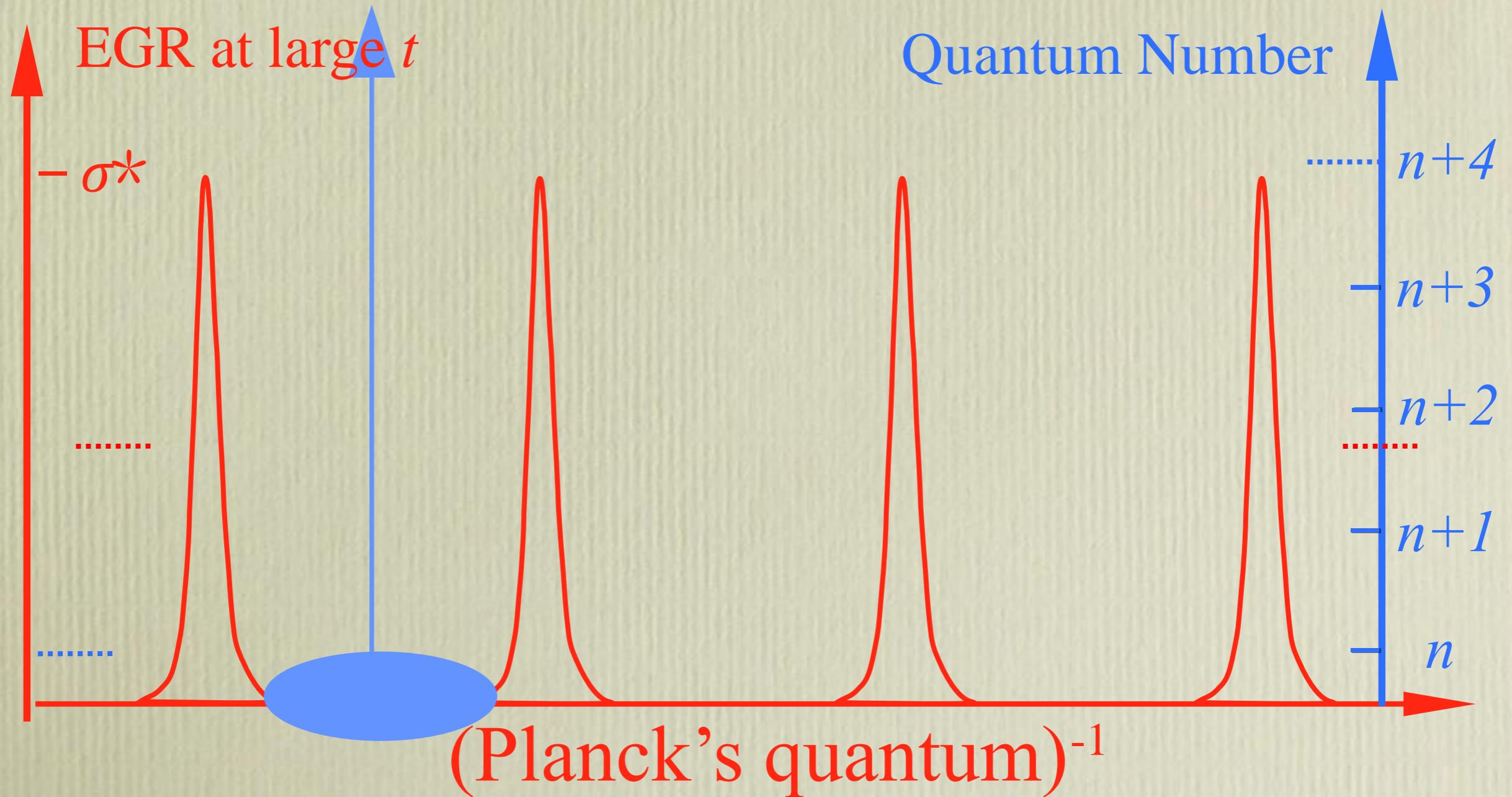


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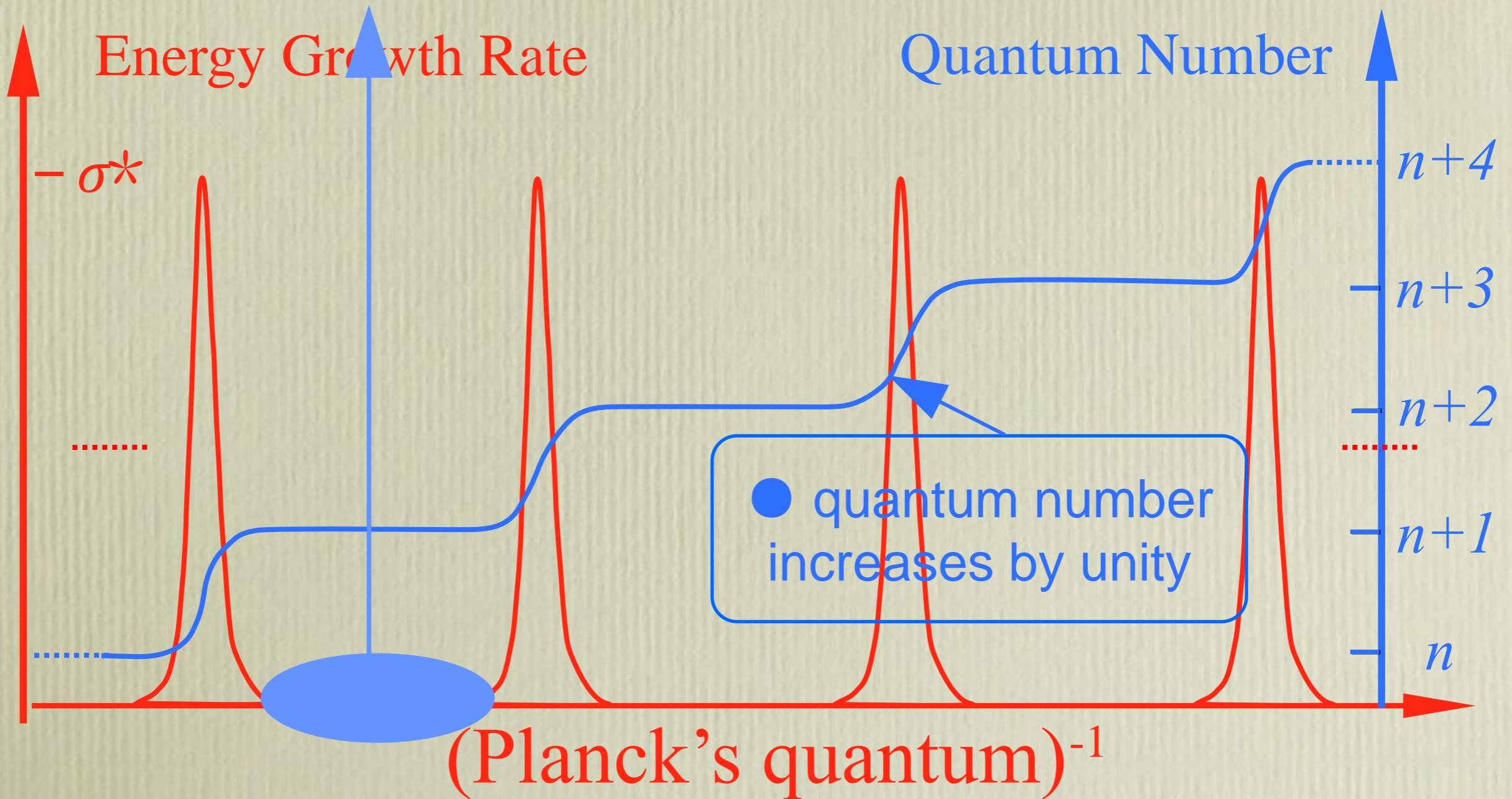
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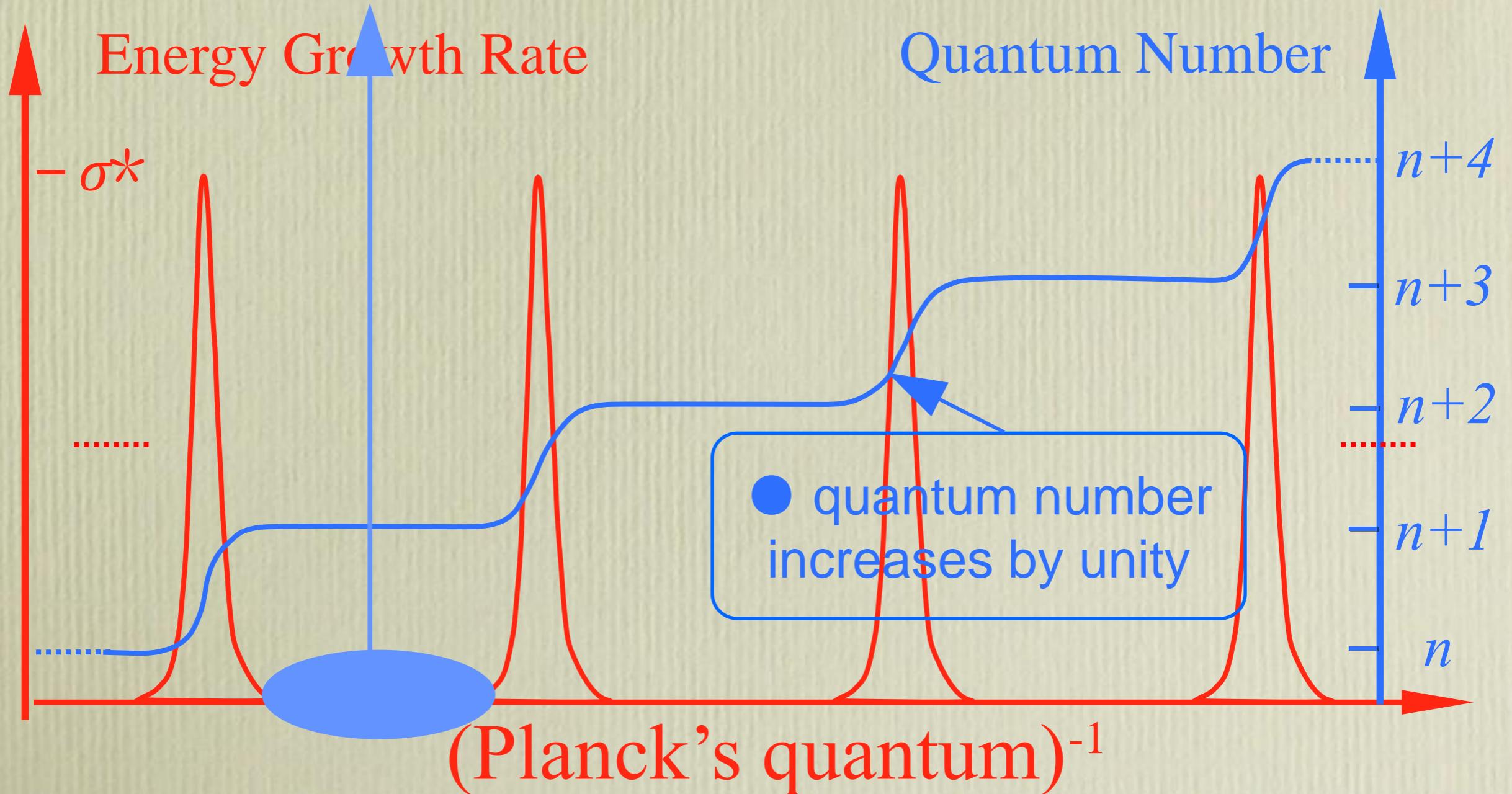
# Planck's quantum-driven IQHE(VII)

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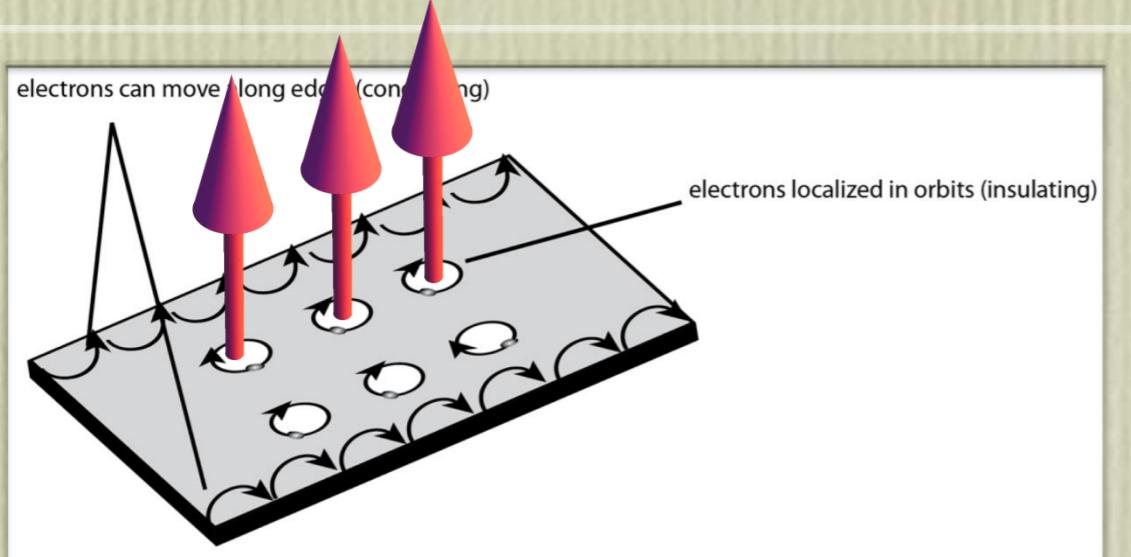


# Planck's quantum-driven IQHE(VIII)

- insulator characterized by an integer
- This quantum number is of topological nature.



# Integer quantum Hall effect

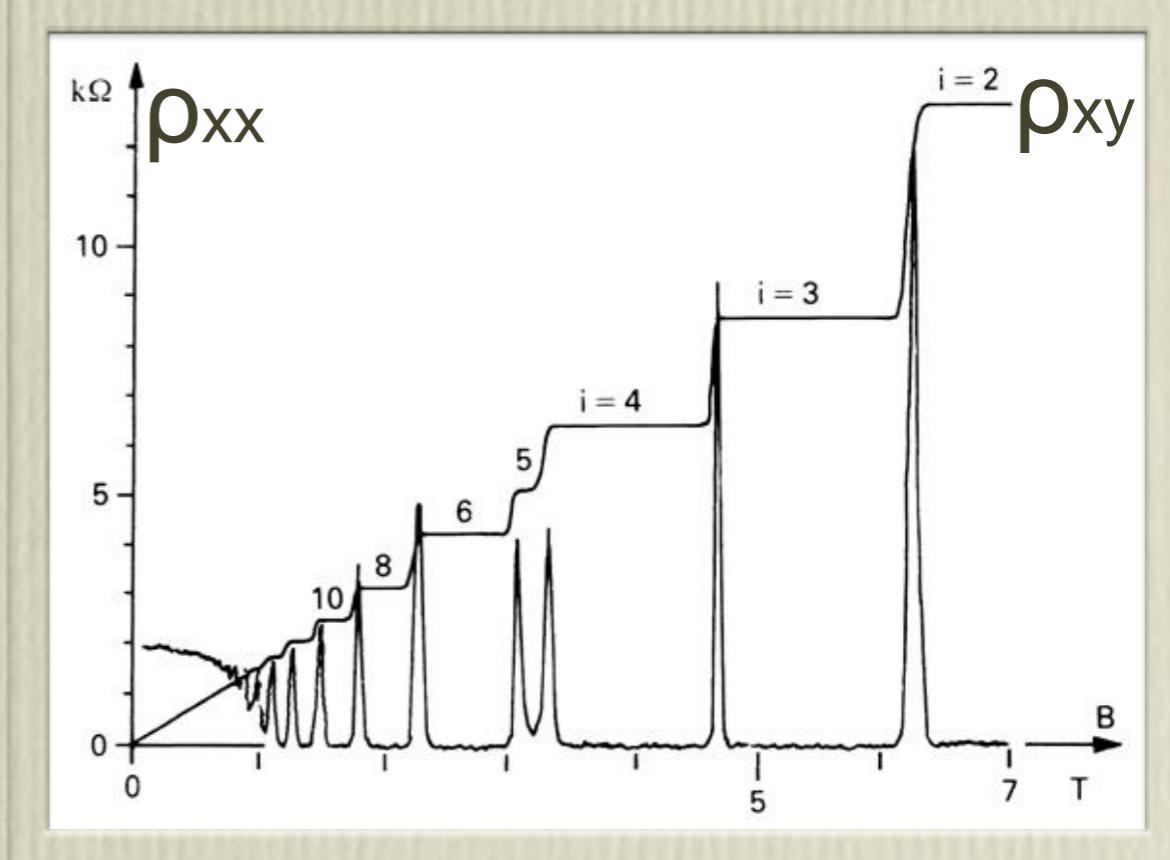


two dimensional electron gas  
(MOSFET)  
strong magnetic field

quantized Hall conductance



Claus  
von  
Klitzing



# Phenomenological analogy to conventional IQHE

- energy growth rate → longitudinal conductivity
- quantum number → Hall conductivity
- inverse Planck's quantum → filling fraction

# Fundamental differences from conventional IQHE

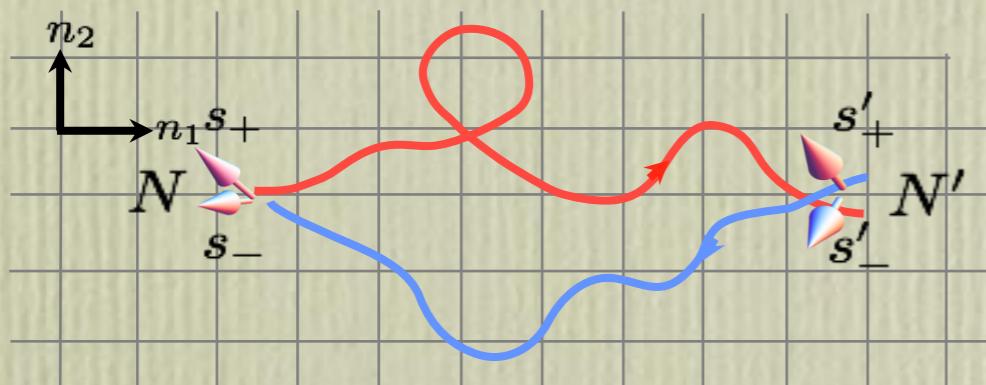
- no magnetic field, no electromagnetic response, driven by Planck's quantum
- strong chaoticity origin (This phenomenon disappears even when regular quantum dynamics is partially restored.)
- one-body system → no concept such as integer filling
- no translation symmetry, no adiabatic parameter cycle

# Analytic theory (I)

- mapping onto 2D periodic quantum dynamics

$$\psi_t = \hat{U}^t \psi_0, \quad \hat{U} \equiv e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar_e} V(\theta_1, \theta_2)} e^{-\frac{i}{2} (\hbar_e \hat{n}_1^2 + 2\bar{\omega} \hat{n}_2)} = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar_e} v(\hat{\theta}_1, \hat{\theta}_2)} e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar_e} H_0(\hat{n}_1, \hat{n}_2)}$$

$$E(t) = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} e^{-i\omega t} \text{Tr}(\hat{n}_1^2 K_\omega \psi_0 \otimes \psi_0^+)$$



interference between  
**advanced** and **retarded** quantum  
amplitudes

two-particle Green function

$$K_\omega(Ns_+s'_+; N's_-s'_-) = \langle \langle Ns | G^+(\omega_+) | N's'_+ \rangle \langle N's'_- | G^-(\omega_-) | Ns_- \rangle \rangle_{\omega_0}$$

$$G^\pm(\omega_\pm) = (1 - (e^{i\omega_\pm} U)^{\pm 1})^{-1} \quad \omega_\pm = \omega_0 \pm \omega/2$$

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- exact expression for  $K_\omega$  - functional integral over supermatrix field (color-flavor transformation, Zirnbauer, '96)

$$K_\omega(N s_+ s_-, N' s'_+ s'_-) = \int D(Z, \tilde{Z}) e^{-S[Z, \tilde{Z}]} \left( (1 - Z \tilde{Z})^{-1} Z \right)_{Ns_+ b, Ns_- b} \left( (1 - \tilde{Z} Z)^{-1} \tilde{Z} \right)_{N' s'_+ b, N' s'_- b}$$

$$S[Z, \tilde{Z}] = -\text{Str} \ln(1 - Z \tilde{Z}) + \text{Str} \ln(1 - e^{i\omega} \hat{U} Z \hat{U}^\dagger \tilde{Z})$$

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- chaos (fast correlation decay)  $\rightarrow$  local field Z(N)

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independent of  $H_0$

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topological  $\theta$ -term

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- background field formalism (Pruisken '80s)
- instanton method (Burmistrov and Pruisken '05)

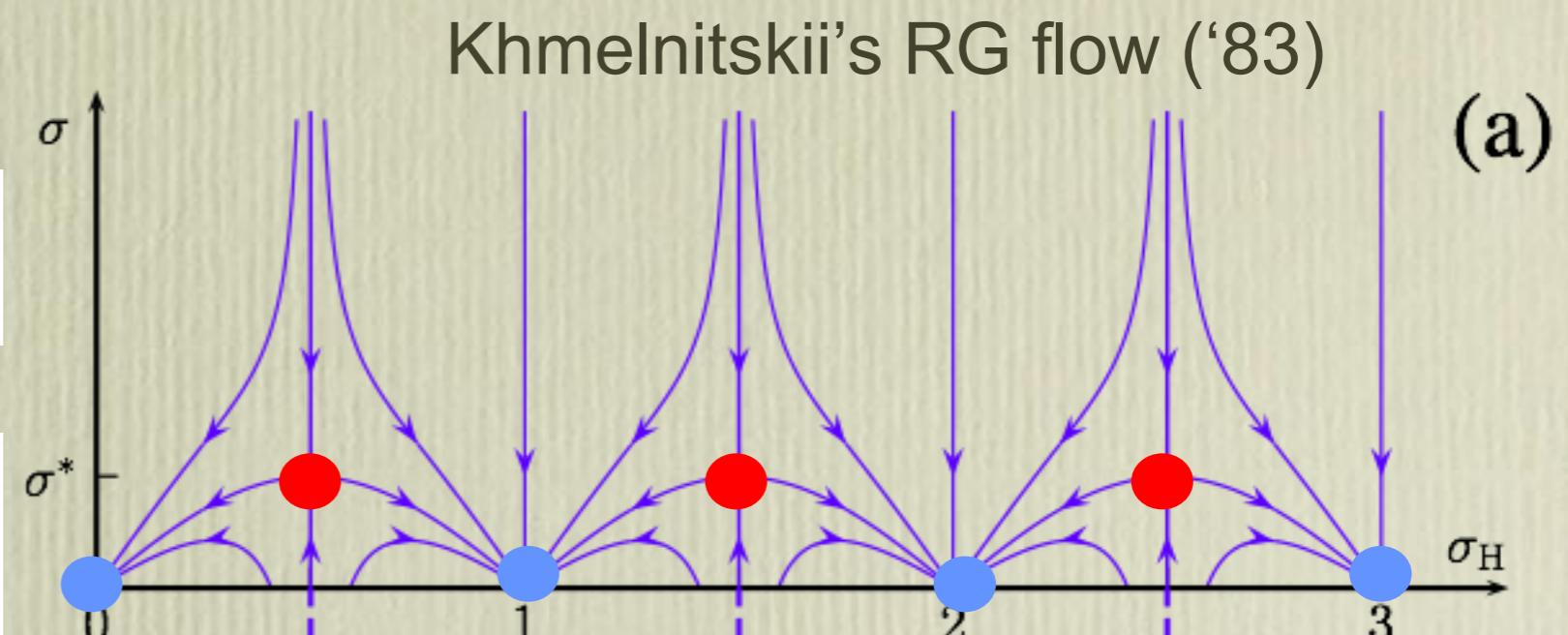
$$\frac{d\tilde{\sigma}}{d \ln \tilde{\lambda}} = -\frac{1}{8\pi^2 \tilde{\sigma}} - \frac{32\pi}{e} \tilde{\sigma}^2 e^{-4\pi\tilde{\sigma}} \cos 2\pi\tilde{\sigma}_H$$

$$\frac{d\tilde{\sigma}_H}{d \ln \tilde{\lambda}} = -\frac{64\pi}{e} \tilde{\sigma}^2 e^{-4\pi\tilde{\sigma}} \sin 2\pi\tilde{\sigma}_H$$

$$\sigma^* \approx 0.44$$

$$\sigma_H \propto h_e^{-1}$$

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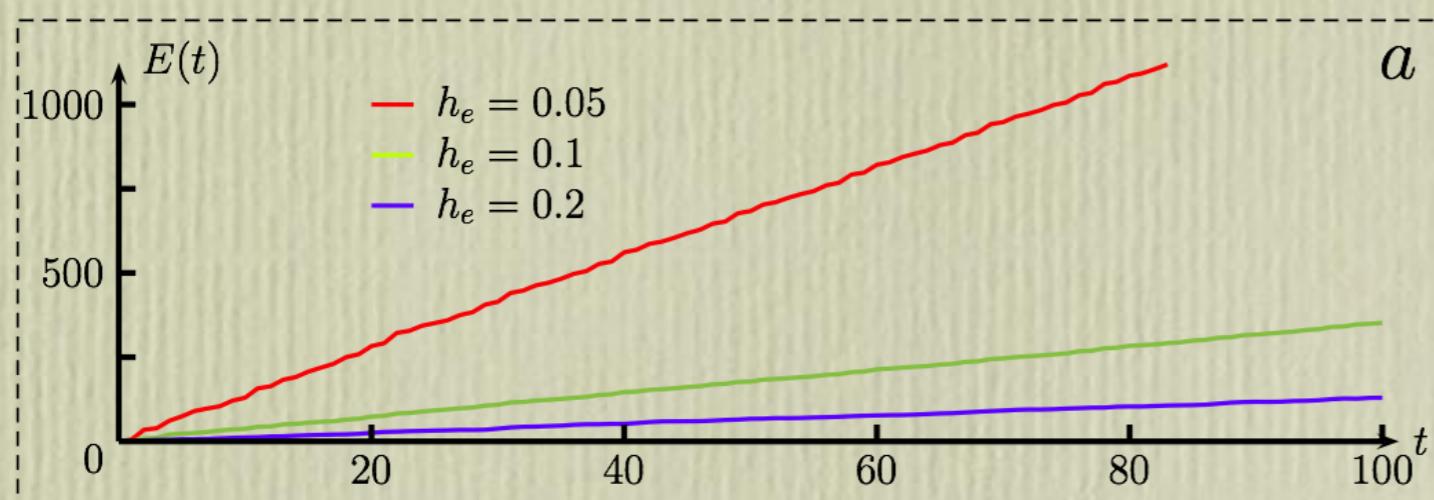
- insulating phase:  $\sigma=0, \sigma_H=n$   
(emergent quantum number)
- metallic phase:  $\sigma=\sigma^*, \sigma_H=n+1/2$

→ staircase-like pattern

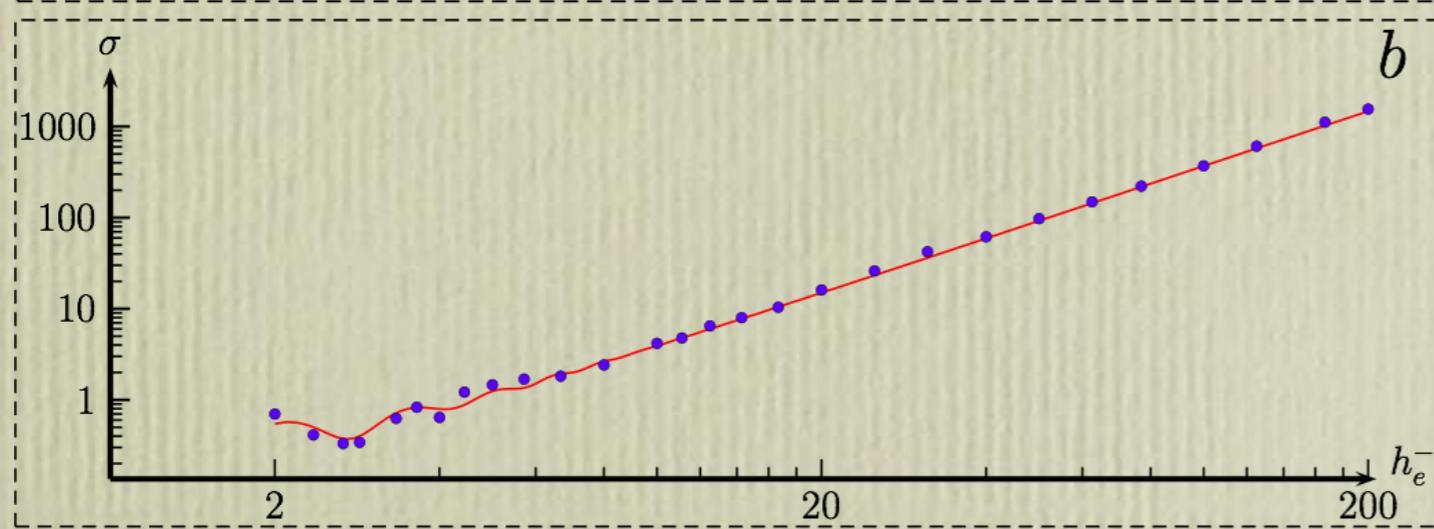
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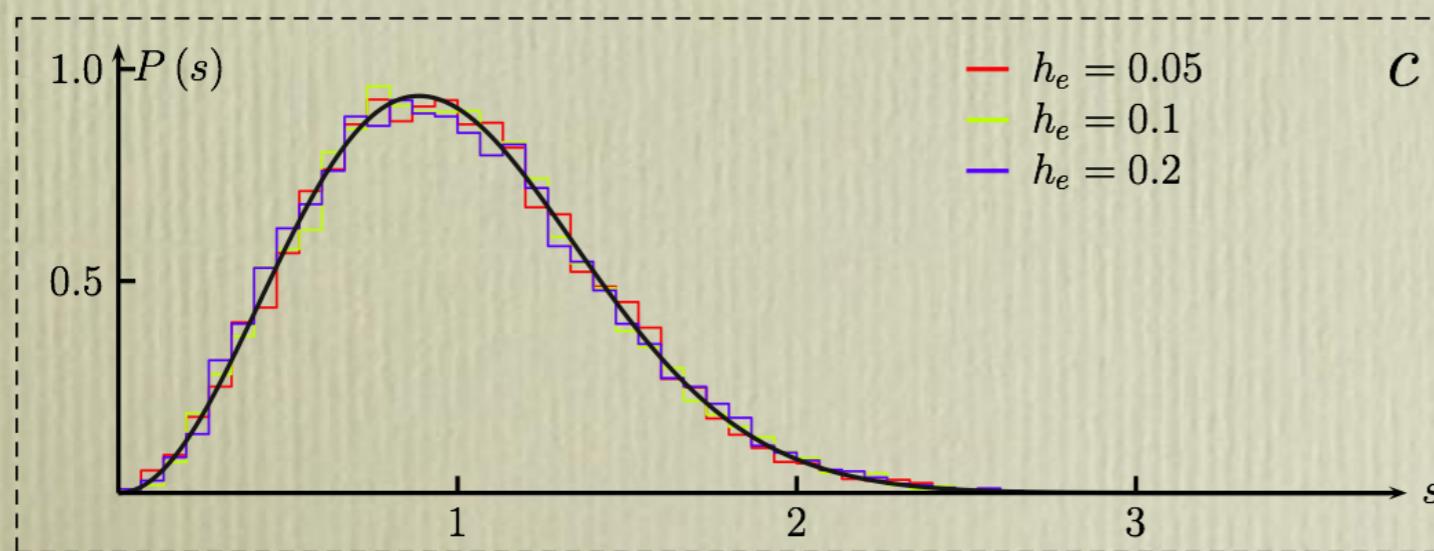
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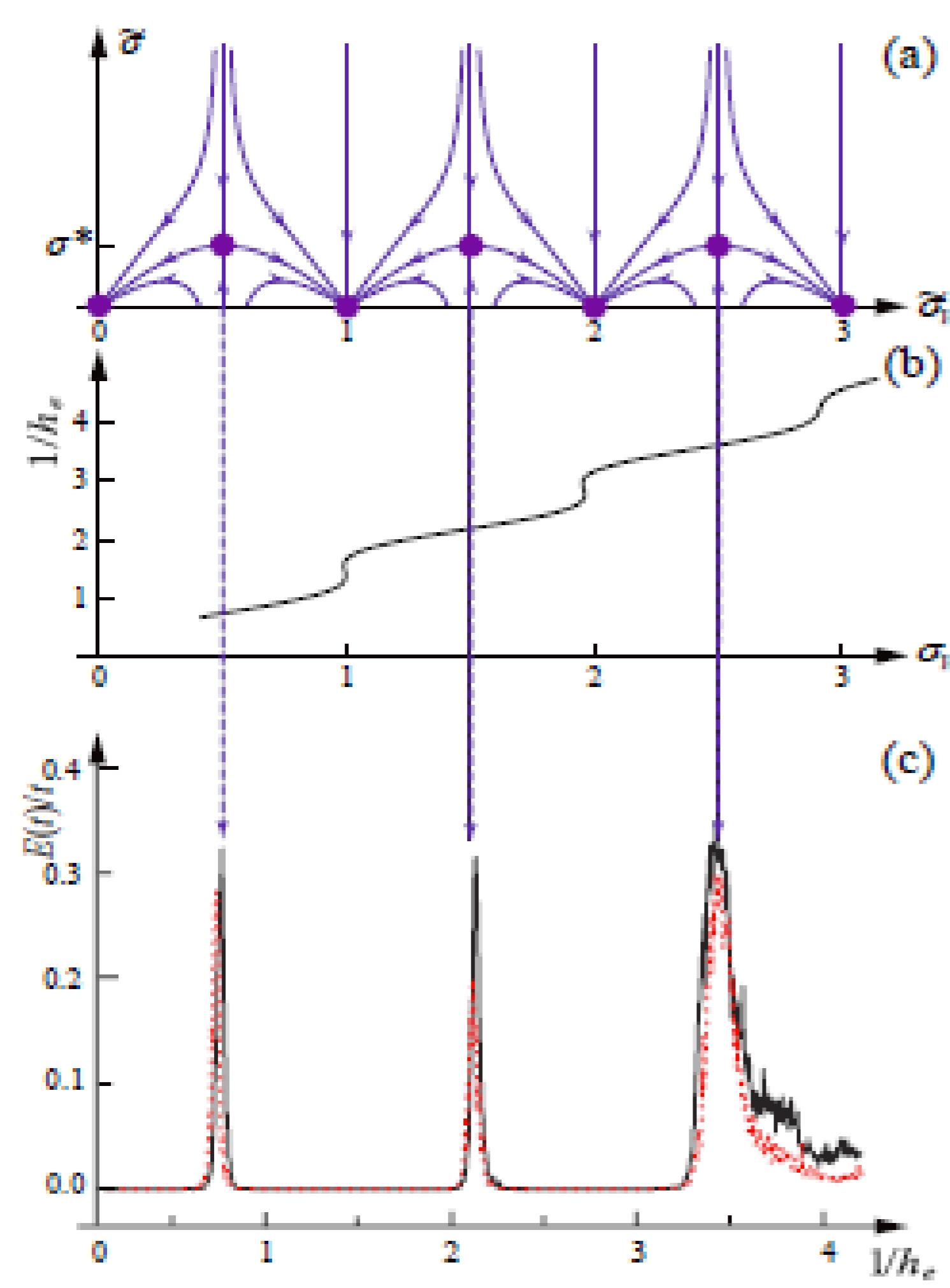
Beenakker et. al. '11



- 👉 linear energy growth in short times
- 👉 blue dots are simulation results for the energy growth rate in short times;
- 👉 red line is the theoretical prediction.

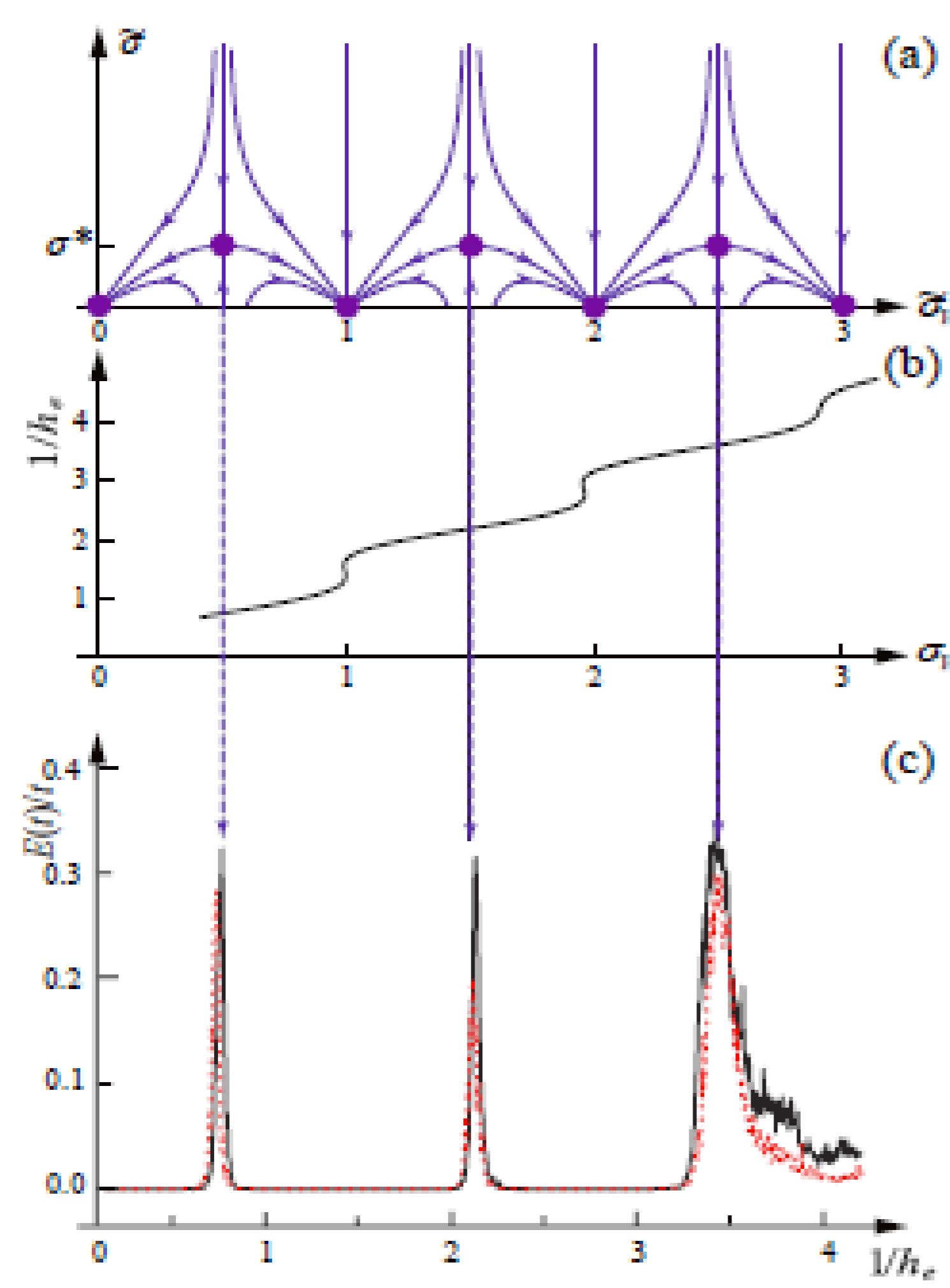


- 👉 fluctuations of eigen quasi-energies follow Wigner-Dyson statistics of unitary type.



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Numerical test ( $t < 6 \times 10^5$ ): transition between topological insulating phases

Hall plateaux ( $n=0,1,2,\dots$ )

critical points ( $n=1/2,3/2,\dots$ )

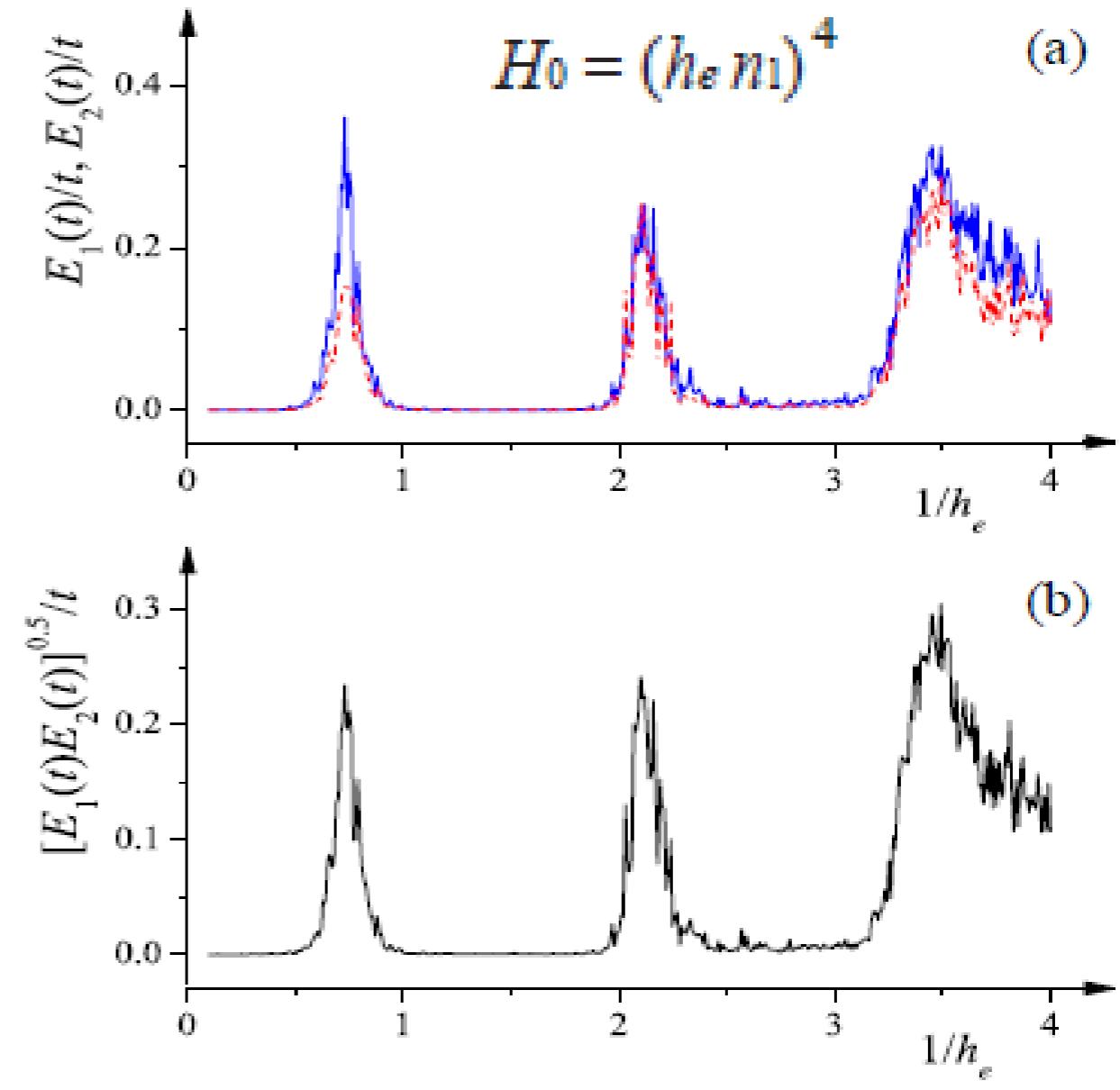
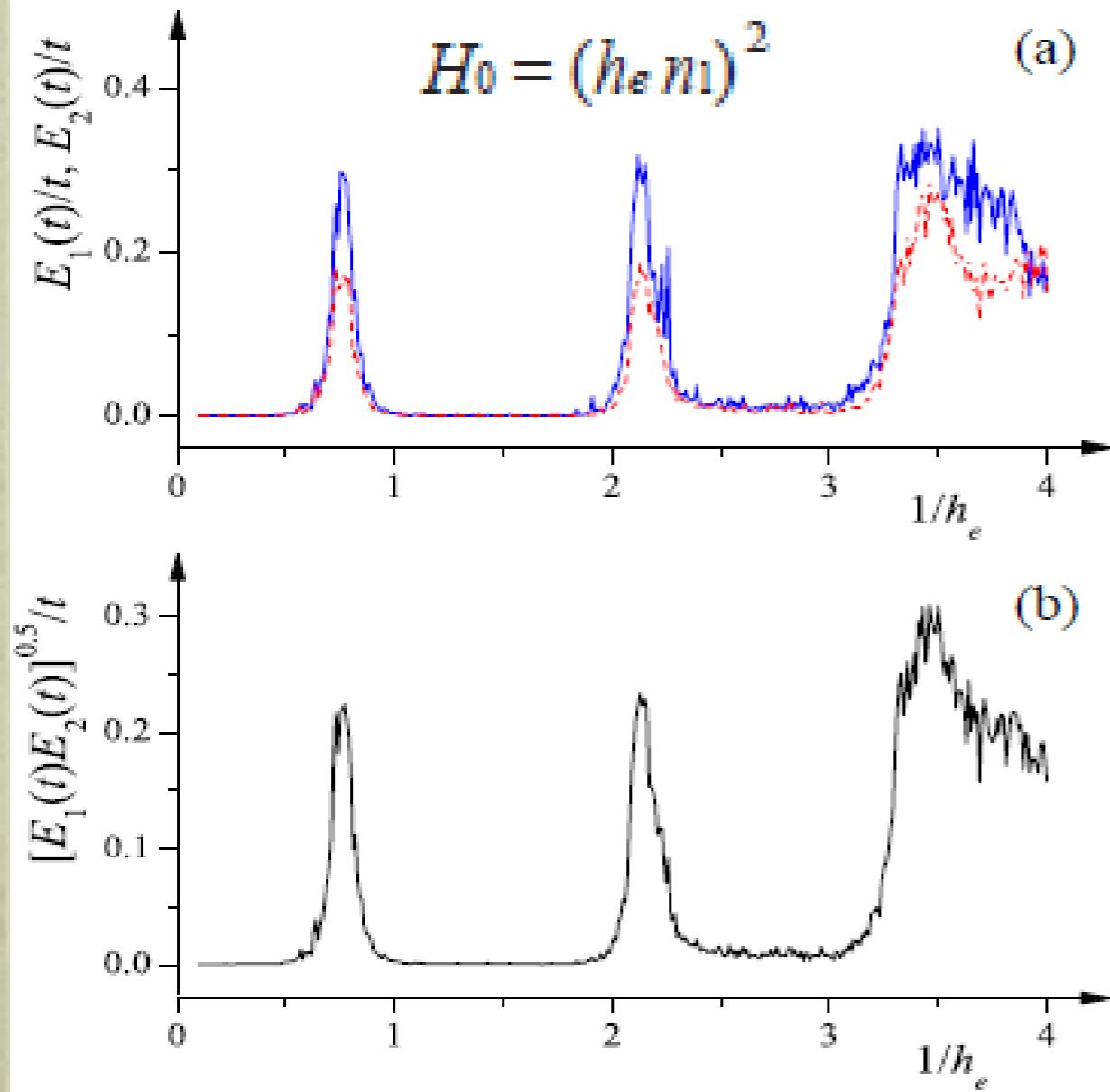
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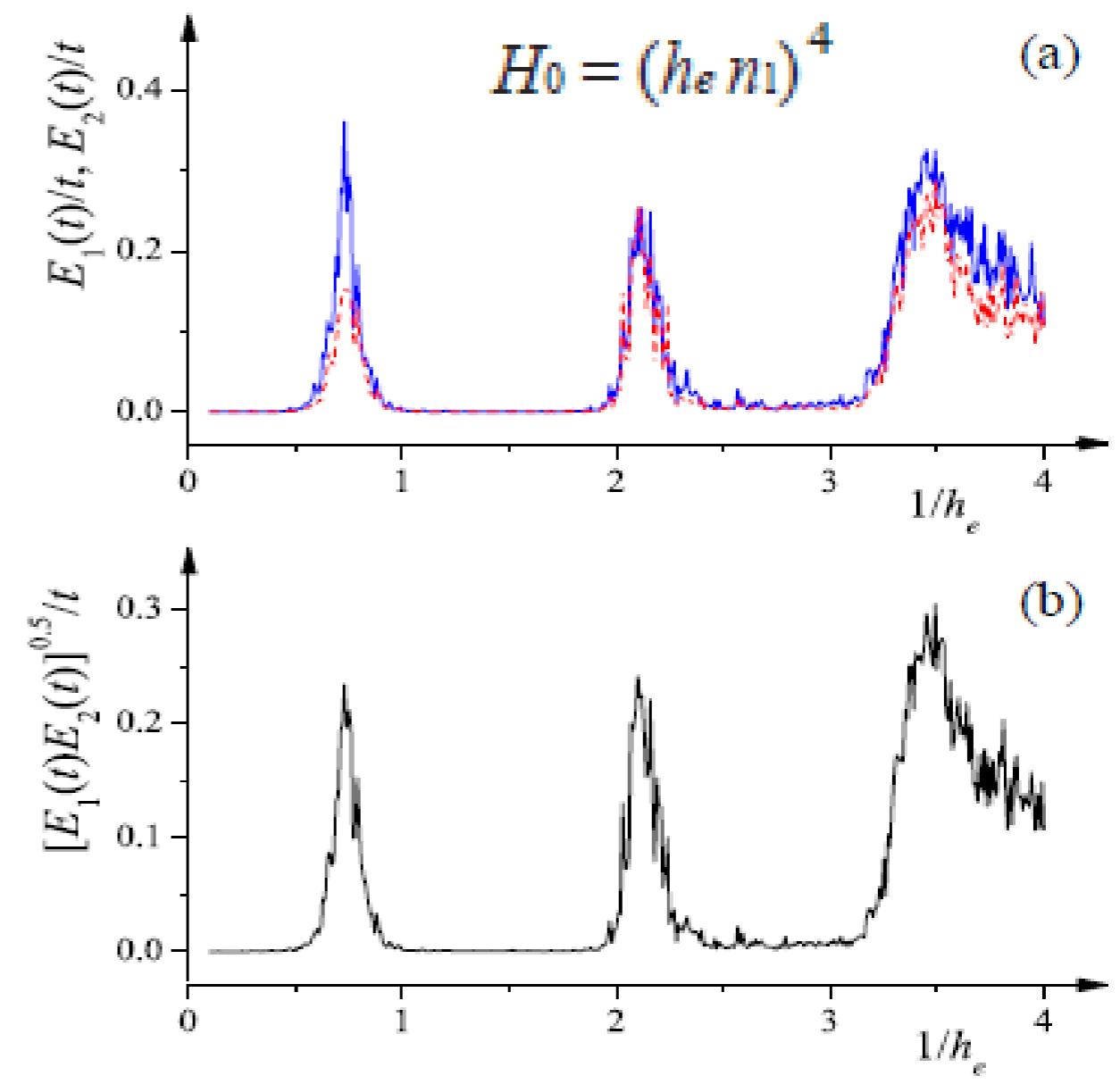
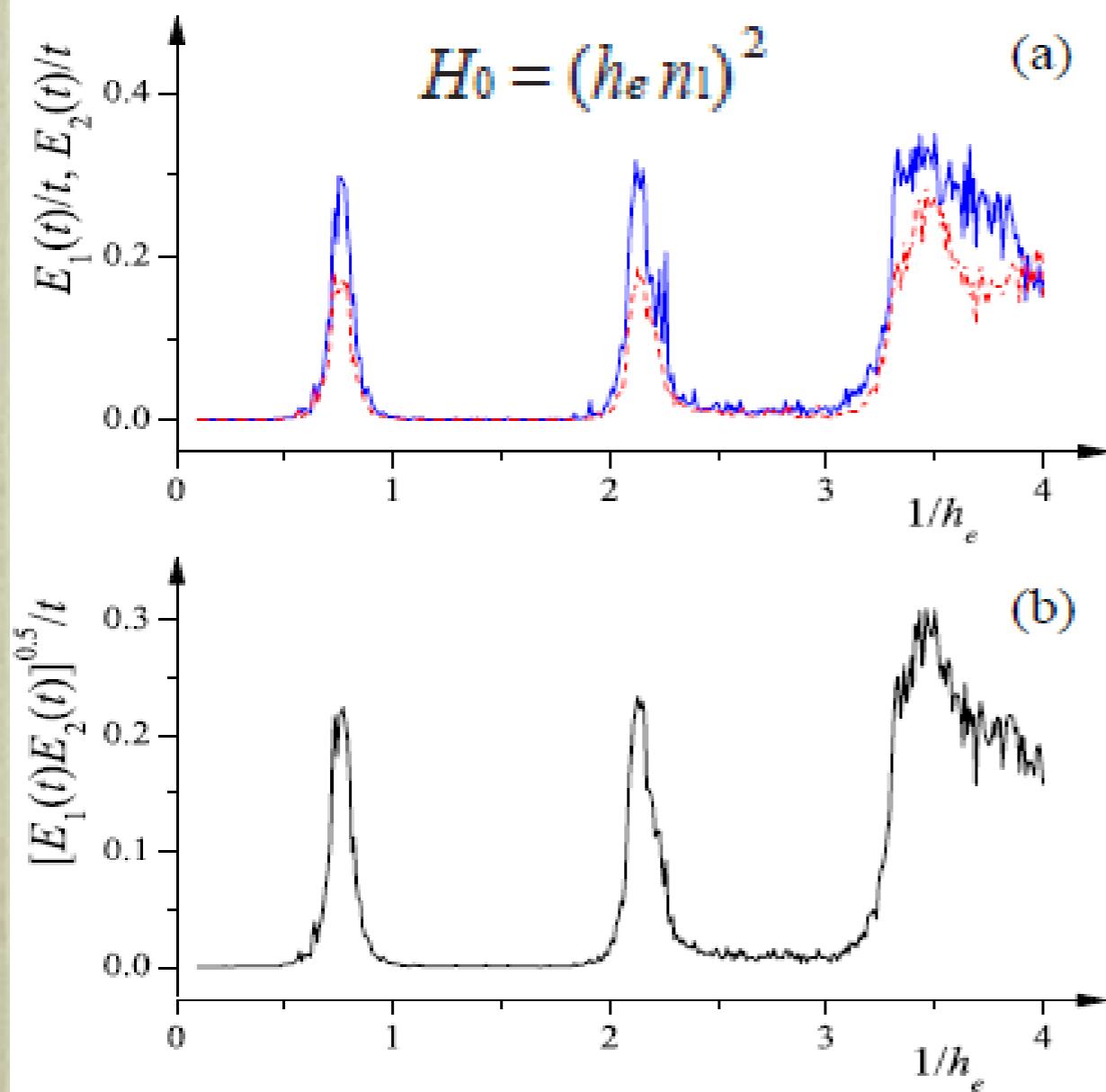
- Simulations show that the transition is robust against the change of  $H_0$ .

# Universality of critical energy growth rate



$H_0 = (-ih_e \partial_{\theta_1})^\alpha$	1 <sup>st</sup> peak	2 <sup>nd</sup> peak	3 <sup>rd</sup> peak
$\alpha = 2$	0.22	0.23	0.30
$\alpha = 4$	0.23	0.24	0.30

# Universality of critical energy growth rate



expectation from Chern-Simons theory (Lee, Kivelson, and Zhang '92) of conventional IQHE:  $\sigma^* = 0.25$

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$$I = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \iint d\theta_1 d\theta_2 \left( \partial_{\theta_1} \frac{\vec{V}}{|V|} \times \partial_{\theta_2} \frac{\vec{V}}{|V|} \right) \cdot \frac{\vec{V}}{|V|}$$

Naïve Chern index predicts

$|\mu| > 2 : I = 0;$

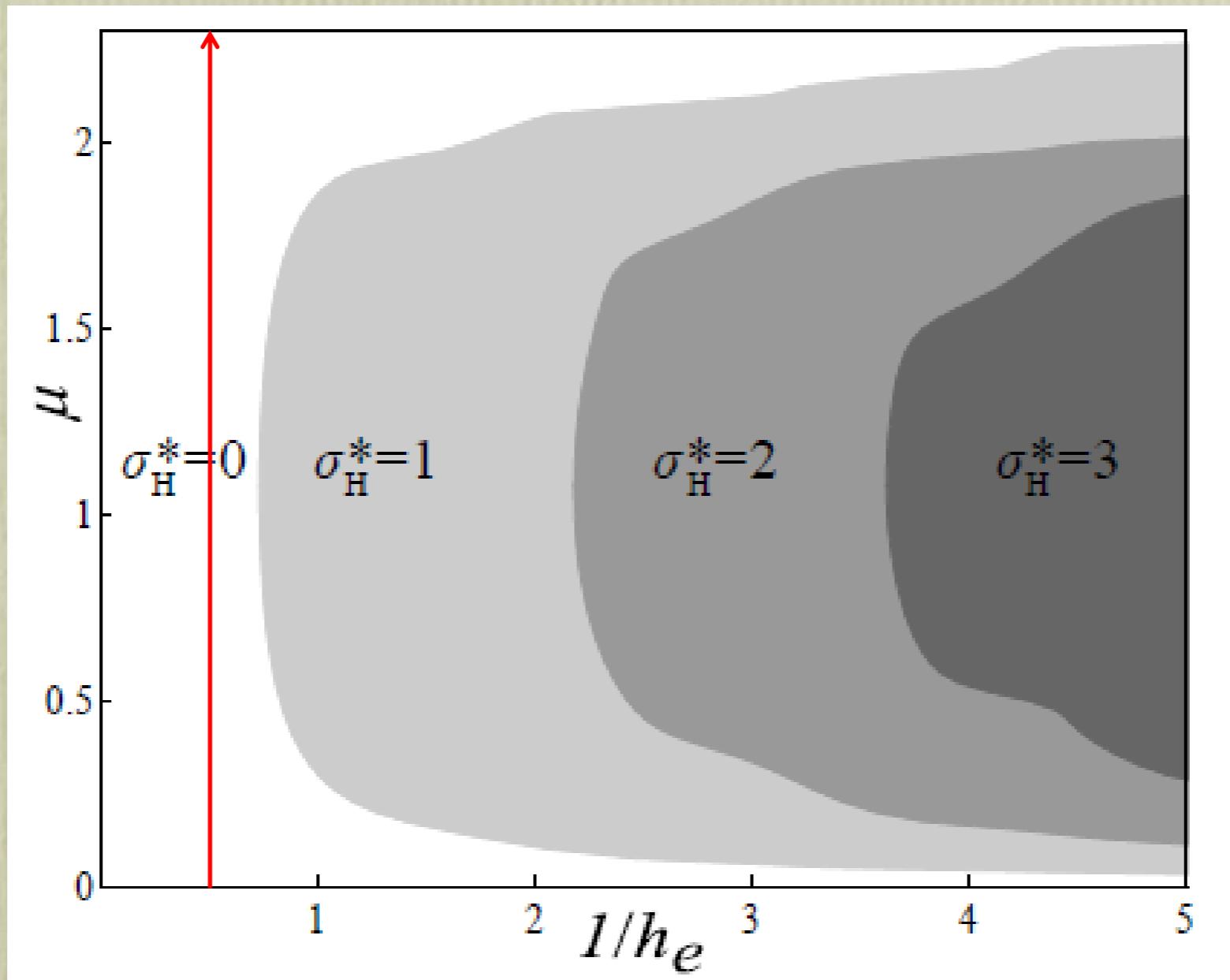
$|\mu| < 2 : I = +1.$

only two phases, no matter the value of  $h_e$  (Beenakker et. al. '11).

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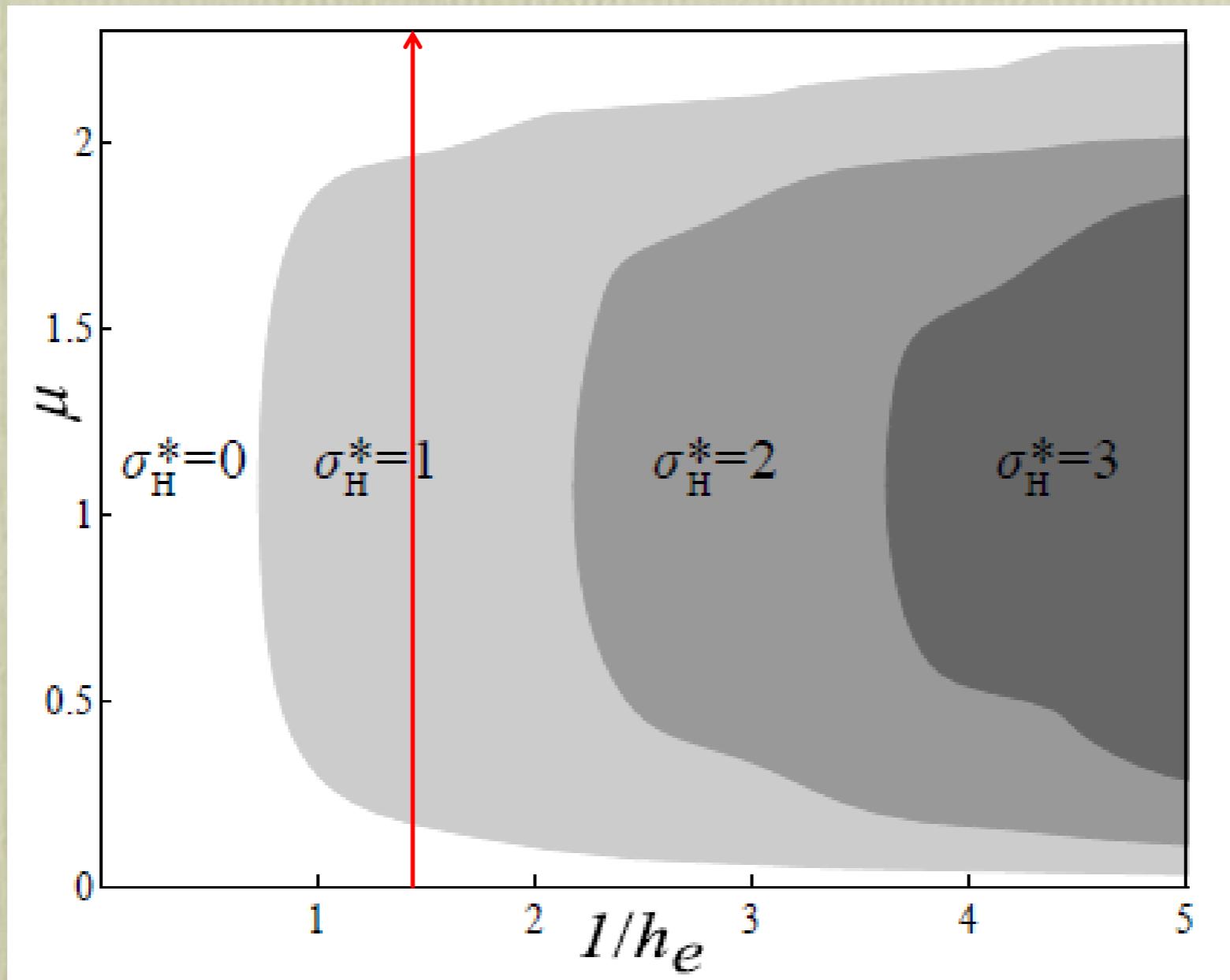
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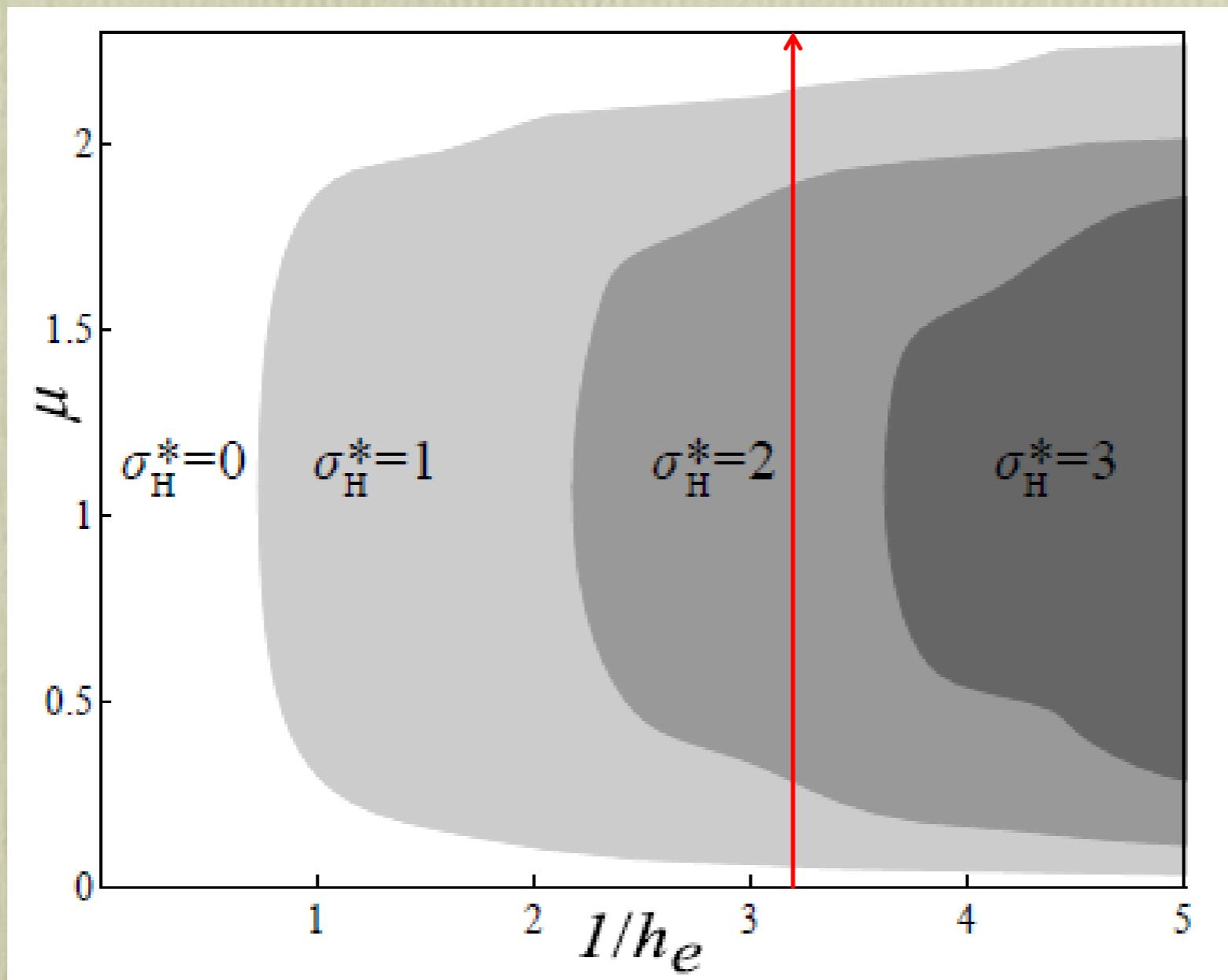
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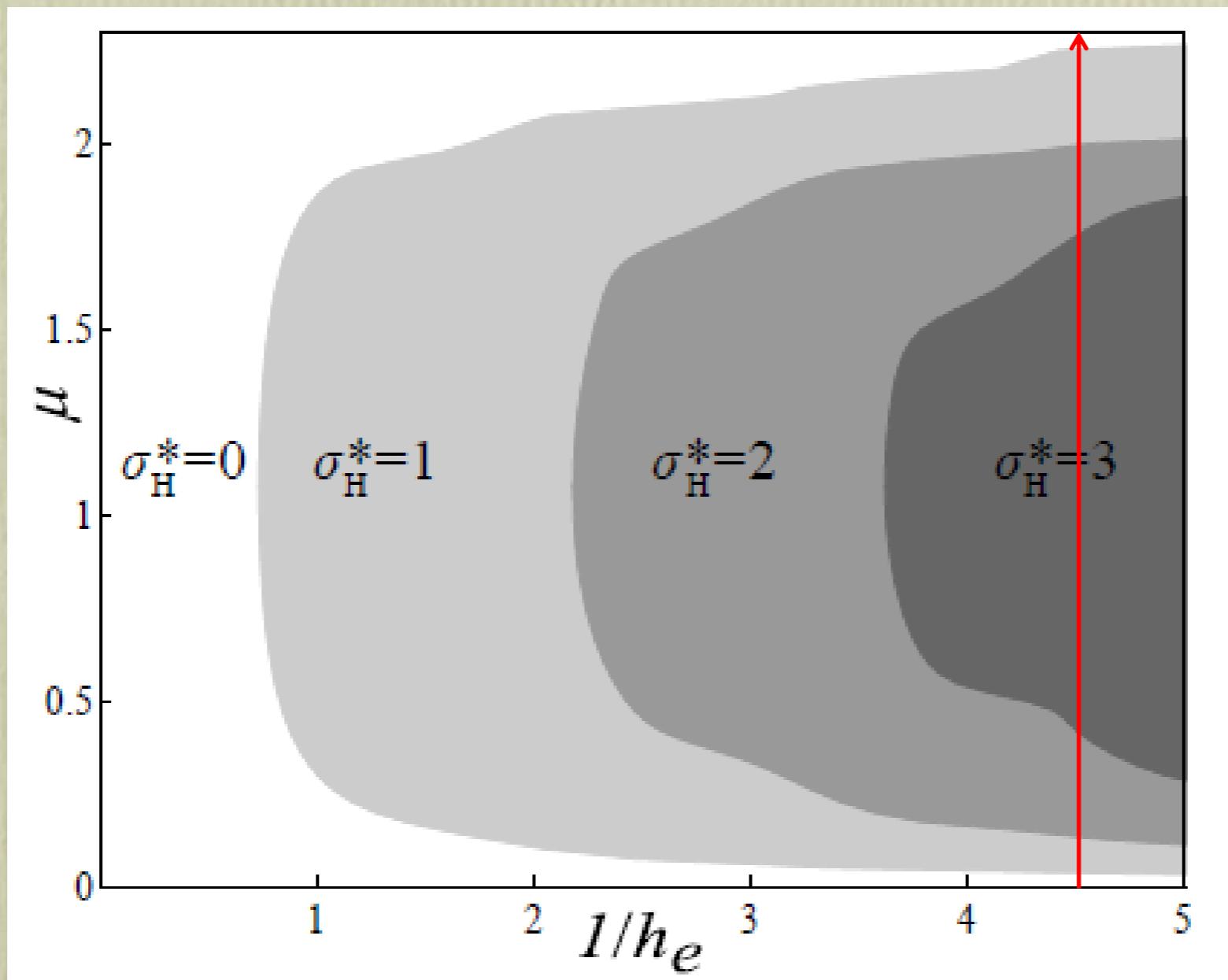
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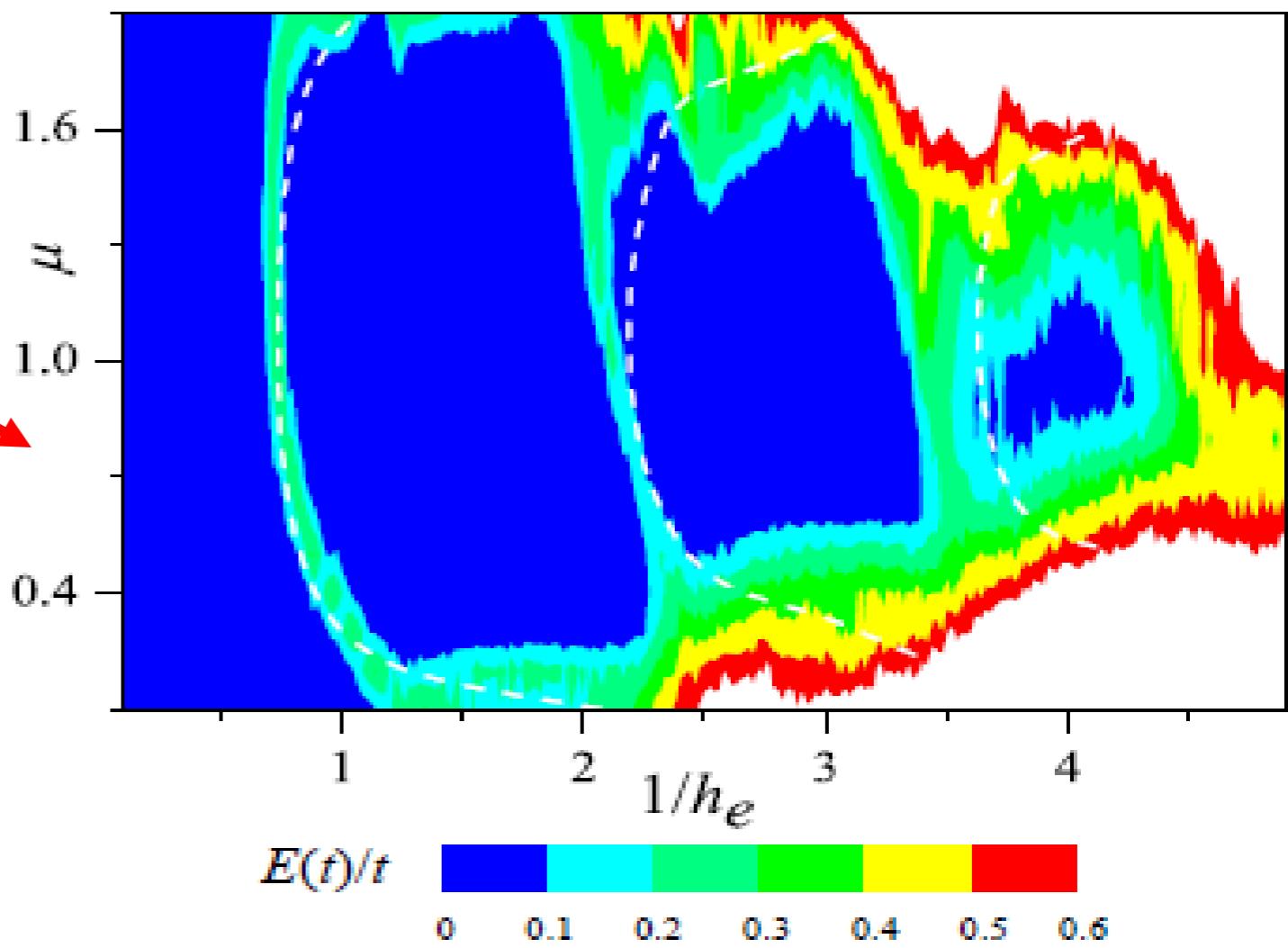
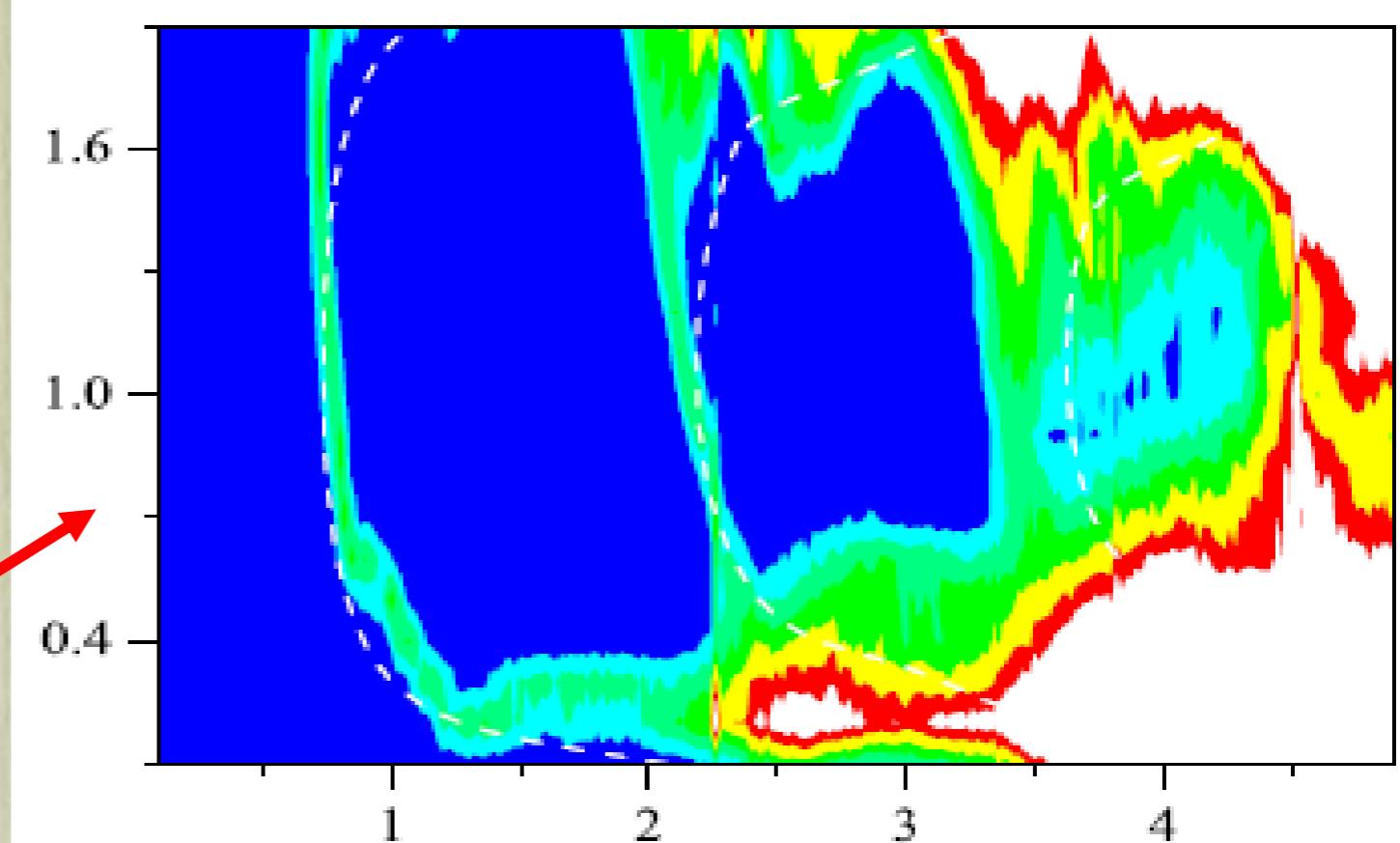


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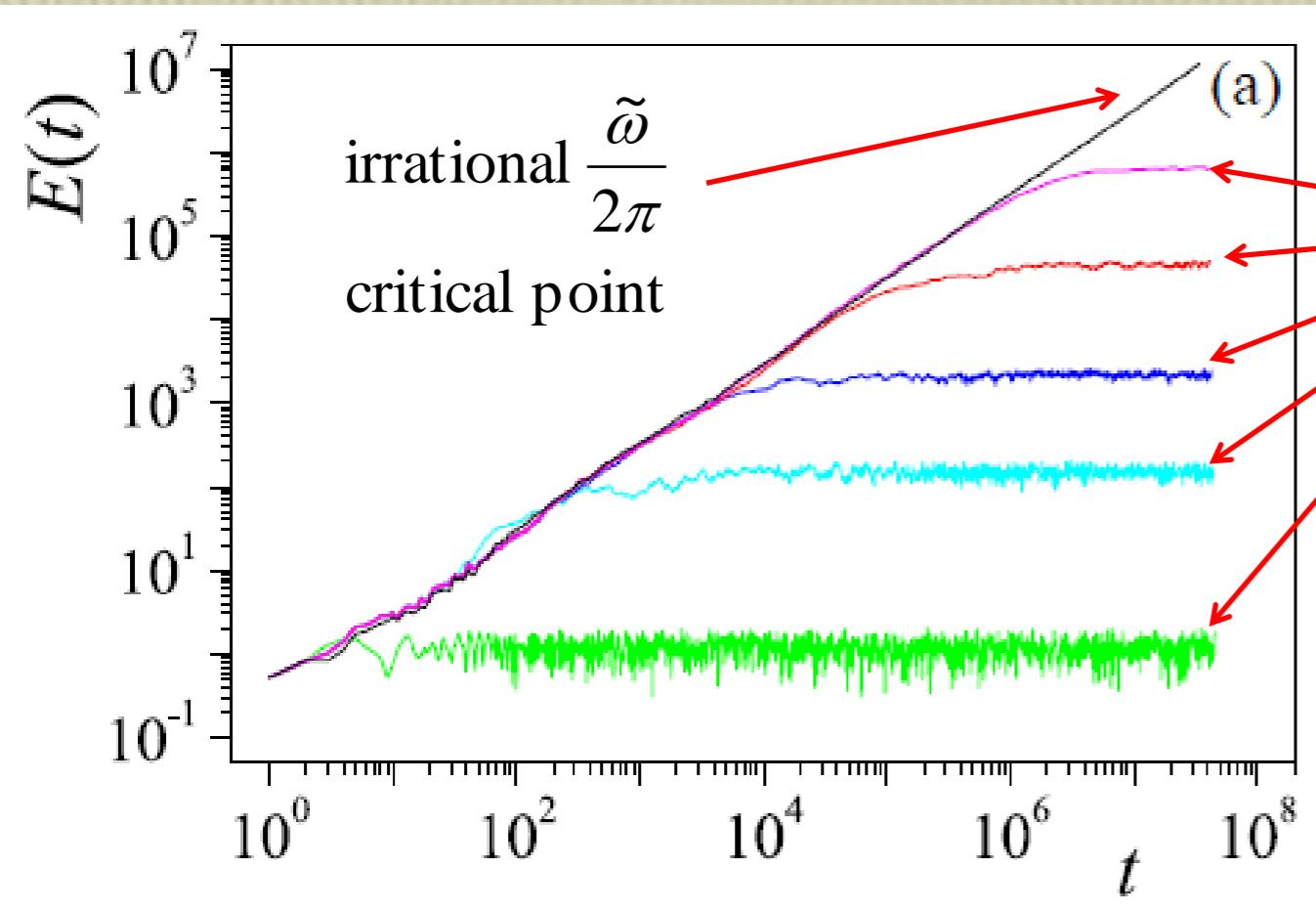
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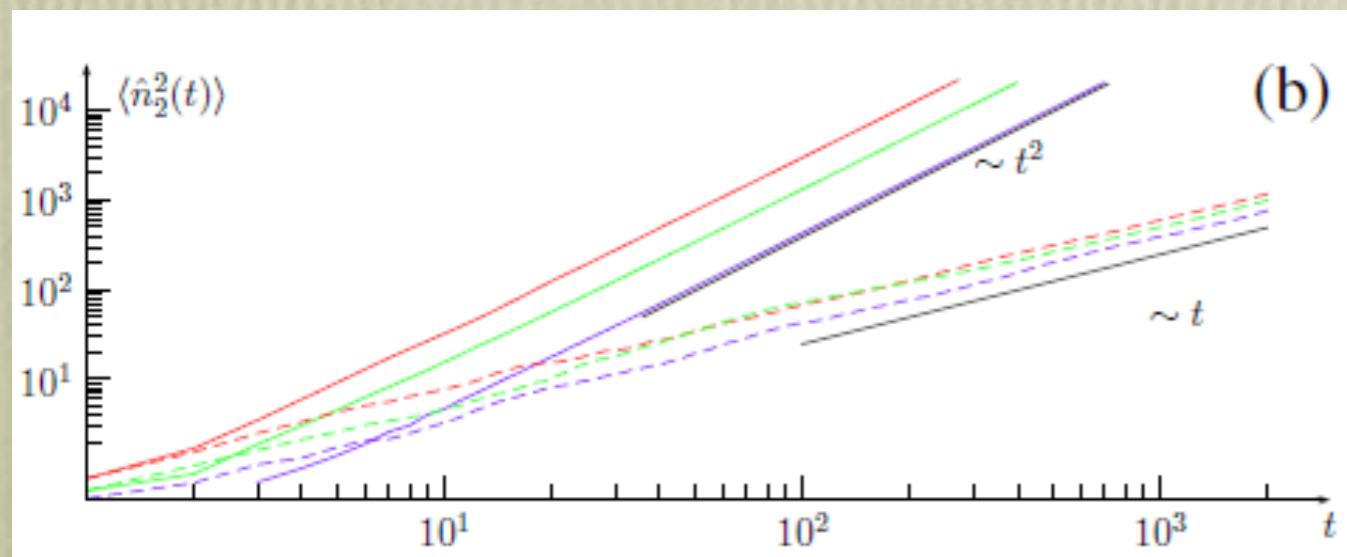
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# Destroying fully developed chaos: absence of Planck's quantum-driven IQHE



☞ no localization-delocalization transitions occurs; the system is always insulating.



☞ the equivalent 2D system exhibits ballistic motion in the virtual ( $n_2$ ) direction.

# Conclusion

- a deep connection between chaos and IQHE uncovered
- Planck's quantum  $\leftrightarrow$  magnetic field;  
energy growth rate  $\leftrightarrow$  longitudinal conductivity;  
hidden quantum number  $\leftrightarrow$  quantized Hall conductivity;
- strong chaoticity origin
- rich topological quantum phenomena emerge from chaos

# Open questions

- the nature of the analogy between the novel transition and conventional IQHE
- nature of universal quantum diffusion
- experimental tests (spin magnetic resonance and cold atomic gases)
- ...