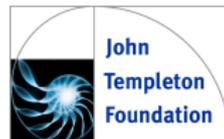


Lectures on topological order: Long range entanglement and topological excitations

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Why? What do the phases beyond Landau symmetry breaking theory look like?

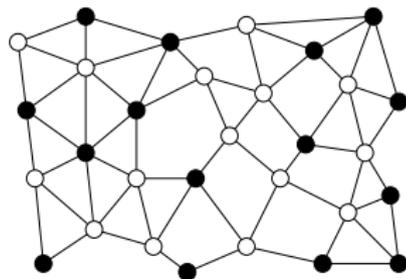
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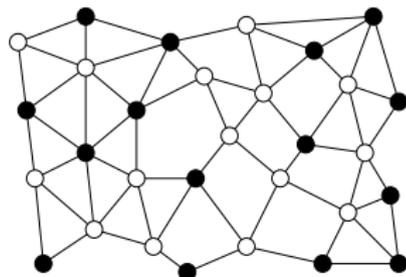
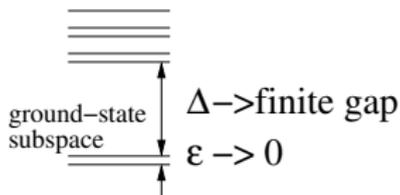
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 $\{(\mathcal{V}_{N_1}, H_{N_1}); (\mathcal{V}_{N_2}, H_{N_2}); (\mathcal{V}_{N_3}, H_{N_3}); \dots\}$ with gapped spectrum.
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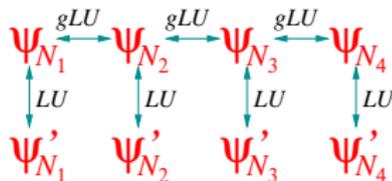
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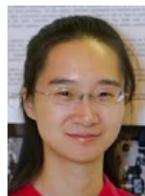
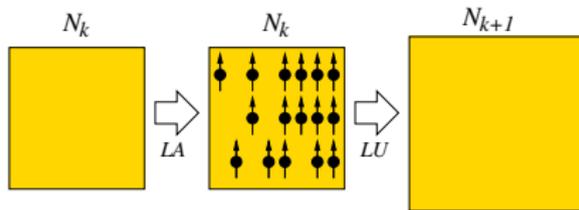
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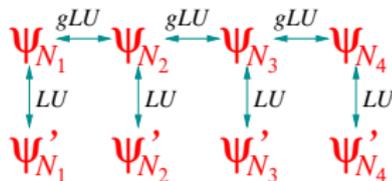
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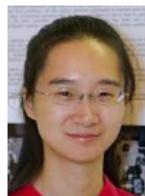
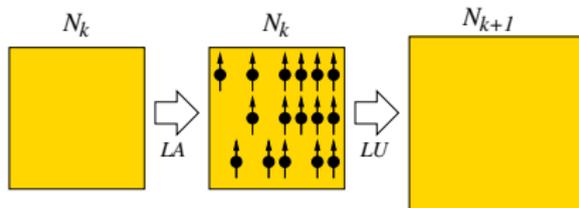
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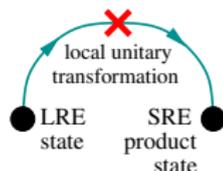


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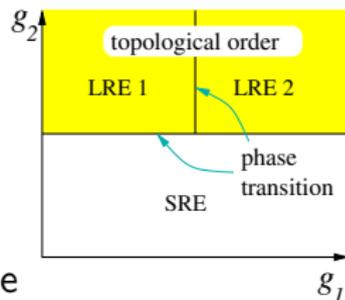
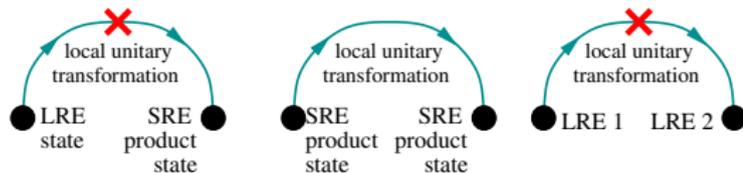
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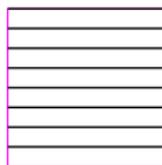


- All SRE states belong to the same trivial phase
- LRE states can belong to many different phases: different **patterns of long-range entanglements** defined by LU trans. = different **topological orders** [Wen PRB 40 7387 \(89\)](#)

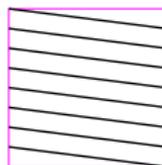
Examples of gapped quantum non-liquid states

- Stacking 2+1D FQH states \rightarrow gapped quantum state, but not liquids.

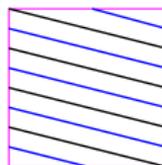
- Layered $\nu = 1/m$ FQH state:
Ground state degeneracy can be
 $GSD = m^{L_z}, m, m^2$



periodic



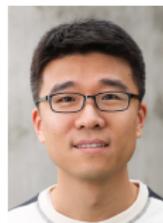
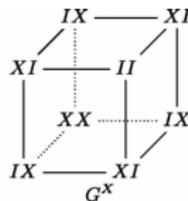
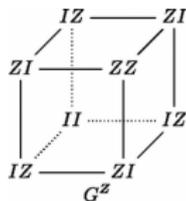
1-twisted



2-twisted

- Haah's cubic code on 3D cubic lattice:

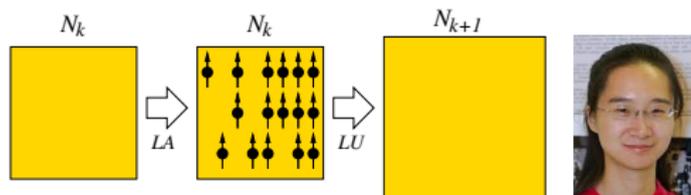
$$H = - \sum_{\text{cubes}} (G^Z + G^X),$$



Jeongwan Haah, Phys. Rev. A 83, 042330 (2011) arXiv:1101.1962

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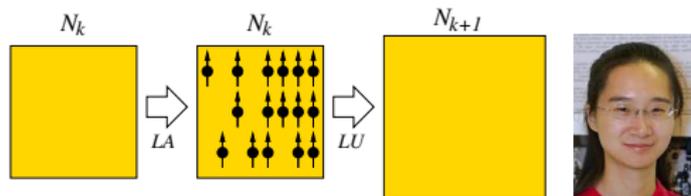
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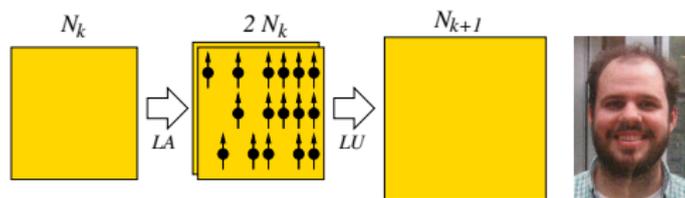
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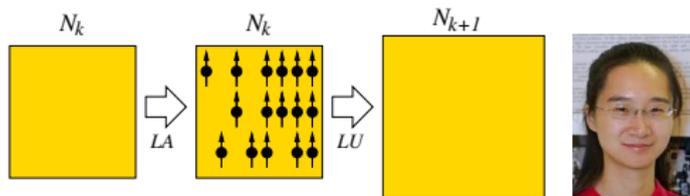
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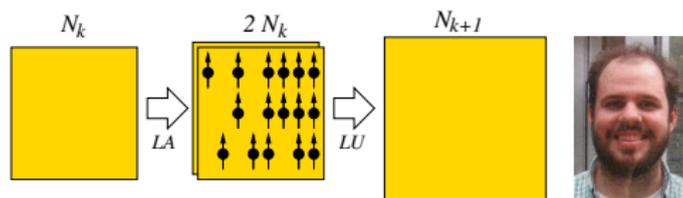
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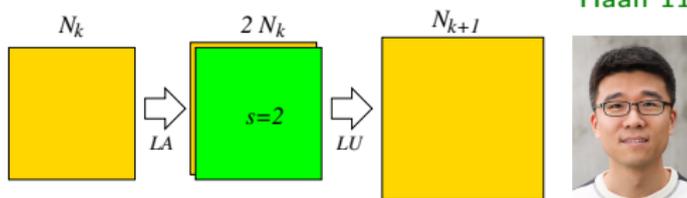
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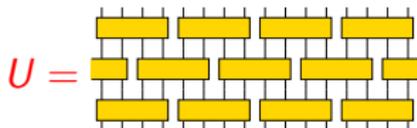
Many-body entanglement goes beyond quantum field theory.

Bosonic/fermionic gapped quantum liquid phases

Both local bosonic and fermionic systems have the following local property: $\mathcal{V}_{\text{tot}} = \otimes_i \mathcal{V}_i$

Gu-Wang-Wen arXiv:1010.1517

$$H' \sim UHU^\dagger,$$



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Gapped quantum liquids for bosons and fermions have very different mathematical structures

Examples of topological orders (before 2000)

- $\Psi(z_1, z_2, \dots) = 1 \rightarrow$ equal amplitude superposition of all particle configurations \rightarrow A product state = superfluid state

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{\text{all conf.}} \left| \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \\ \hline \end{array} \right\rangle = \otimes_z (|0\rangle_z + |1\rangle_z + \dots)$$

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K-matrix classification of abelian topological order

- Even K -matrix (all K_{ll} are even) classify all 2+1D Abelian topological orders (in a many-to-one way) in local bosonic systems.
- Odd K -matrix (one of the K_{ll} is odd) classify all 2+1D Abelian topological orders (in a many-to-one way) in local fermionic systems.

Wen-Zee PRB 46 2290 (92)

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Projective construction:

Split an electron into partons
and glue them back together

Baskaran-Zou-Anderson

Solid State Comm. 63 973 (87)



$$\Phi(z_1, \dots, z_N) = [\chi_k(z_1, \dots, z_N)]^n = P[\chi_k(z_1^{(1)}, \dots) \chi_k(z_1^{(2)}, \dots) \cdots]$$

electron \rightarrow n -partons, a^{th} -kind partons $z_i^{(a)}$ form $\nu = k$ IQH χ_k

- Effective theory of independent partons

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} \psi_l^\dagger (\partial - iA)^2 \psi_l, \quad l = 1, \dots, n$$

- Many-body wave function $\Phi(z_i) = \langle 0 | \prod \psi_e(z_i) | \chi_k \cdots \chi_k \rangle$

The electron operator $\psi_e = \psi_1 \cdots \psi_n$ is $SU(n)$ singlet,
if ψ_l form an fundamental representation of $SU(n)$.

- Introduce $SU(n)$ gauge field to glue partons back to electrons:

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} \psi_l^\dagger (\partial - iA\delta_{IJ} - ia_{IJ})^2 \psi_J$$

- Effective theory is obtained by integrating out the gapped parton fields:

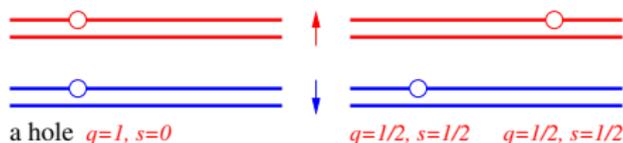
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$SU(n)_k^f$ CS theory. (Level $k = 1$ $SU(n)_k^f$ CS theory is abelian.)

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Consider the $[\chi_k(z_i)]^2$ state: $SU(2)_k^f$ Chern-Simons theory

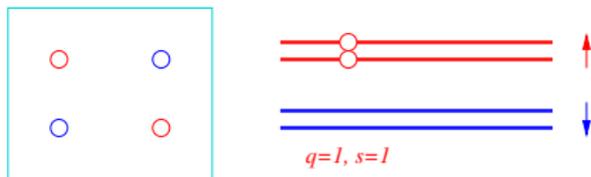
- A charge $q = 1$ hole can be split into two \rightarrow two charge $q = 1/2$ quasiparticles.



- The number of four-quasiparticle states: project to $SU(2)$ singlet.

$$\frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2} = (0 \oplus 1) \otimes (0 \oplus 1) = 0 \oplus 1 \oplus 1 \oplus (0 \oplus 1 \oplus 2)$$

But $SU(2)_k^f$ state has no quasiparticle with spin $s > \frac{k}{2}$



Level- k fusion: $s_1 \otimes s_2 = |s_1 - s_2| \oplus \dots \oplus \min(s_1 + s_2, k - s_1 - s_2)$

- Level- $k = 1$: $(\frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2}) \otimes (\frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2}) = (0) \otimes (0) = 0$
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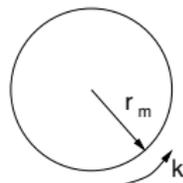
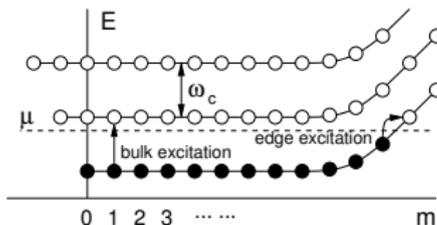
Edge excitations in $[\chi_k(z_i)]^n$ state: $U(1) \times SU(k)_n$ CFT

- Edge state: Independent partons \rightarrow filled Landau levels

$$\mathcal{L} = \psi_{\alpha a}^\dagger (\partial_t - v \partial_x) \psi_{\alpha a},$$

$$\alpha = 1, \dots, n,$$

$$a = 1, \dots, k$$



- Excitations are generated by (a, a^\dagger) generate exc. in an oscillator)

$$U(1) : J = \psi_{\alpha a}^\dagger \psi_{\alpha a}, \quad \rightarrow U(1) \text{ Kac-Moody algebra CFT}$$

$$SU(k) : J^m = \psi_{\alpha a}^\dagger T_{ab}^m \psi_{\alpha b}, \quad \rightarrow SU(k)_n \text{ Kac-Moody algebra CFT}$$

$$SU(n) : j^l = \psi_{\alpha a}^\dagger S_{\alpha\beta}^l \psi_{\beta a}, \quad \rightarrow SU(n)_k \text{ Kac-Moody algebra CFT}$$

- Glue partons back to electrons = remove the $SU(n)$ excitations.
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$$\text{Edge CFT: } U(1) \times SU(k)_n \text{ Kac-Moody algebra } c = 1 + \frac{n(k^2-1)}{n+k}.$$

- Bulk effective theory $SU(n)_k^f$ CS theory

Another example $\mathcal{S}[\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 \prod(w_i - w_j)^2]$

- Consider with two partons ψ_1, ψ_2 , each fills the first Landau level.
→ $\nu = 1/2$ Laughlin state $\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 = \langle 0 | \prod \psi_1(z_i) \psi_2(z_i) | \chi_1 \chi_1 \rangle$
- Now start with four partons $\psi_1, \psi_2, \psi_3, \psi_4$, each fills the first Landau level:
 $\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 \prod(w_i - w_j)^2 = \langle 0 | \prod \psi_1(z_i) \psi_2(z_i) \prod \psi_3(w_i) \psi_4(w_i) | \chi_1 \chi_1 \chi_1 \chi_1 \rangle$
- $\mathcal{S}[\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 \prod(w_i - w_j)^2] = \langle 0 | \prod \psi_e(Z_i) | \chi_1 \chi_1 \chi_1 \chi_1 \rangle$
where $\psi_e(Z_i) = \psi_1(Z_i) \psi_2(Z_i) + \psi_3(Z_i) \psi_4(Z_i)$.
- Under $SO(8)$ trans. between $(\text{Re}\psi_i, \text{Im}\psi_i)$, ψ_e is an $SO(5)$ singlet
- **Effective theory** $H = \psi_i^\dagger (\partial - A\delta_{ij} - a_{ij})^2 \psi_j \rightarrow SO(5)$ CS theory
- **Edge states:** Wen cond-mat/9811111
Independent partons \rightarrow 4 Dirac fermions = 8 Majorana fermions
After projection \rightarrow 8-5 chiral Majorana fermions.
- $\mathcal{S}[\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 \prod(w_i - w_j)^2]$ is the bosonic Pfaffian state.
 $\Psi_{S(220)} = \mathcal{S}[\prod(z_i - z_j)^2 \prod(w_i - w_j)^2] = \mathcal{A}[\frac{1}{z_1 - z_2} \frac{1}{z_3 - z_4} \cdots] \prod(z_i - z_j)$

How to realize non-Abelian QH states in experiments?

Wen cond-mat/9908394; Rezayi-Wen-Read arXiv:1004.2563

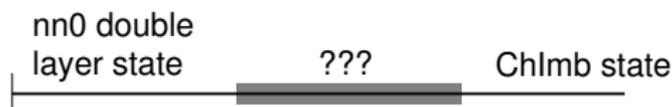
nm bi-layer state with no interlayer tunneling

- (*nm*) state

$$\Phi_{nm} = \prod (z_i - z_j)^n (w_i - w_j)^n (z_i - w_i)^m e^{-\frac{1}{4} \sum |z_i|^2 + |w_i|^2}$$

where $n = \text{odd}$ for fermionic electron and $n = \text{even}$ for bosonic "electron".

- (*nm*) state $\sim (n - m, n - m, 0)$ state: $\Phi_{nm} = \chi_1^m \Phi_{n-m, n-m, 0}$
Will consider only $(n - m, n - m, 0)$ state, but results apply to (n, n, m) state as well:
 $(220) \sim (331)$ state with $\nu = 1/2$ and (330) with $\nu = 2/3$
- Intralayer repulsion $V_{\text{intra}} = 1$, increase interlayer repulsion

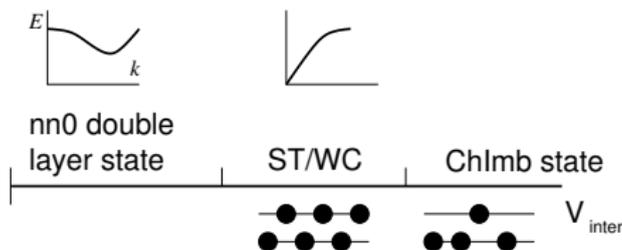


Two possibilities

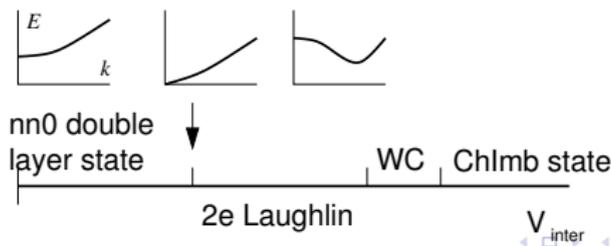
Interlayer-exciton = charge $-\frac{1}{n}$ quasiparticle in one layer + charge $\frac{1}{n}$ quasihole in the other layer



- Interlayer-exciton condensation at $k \neq 0$



- Interlayer-exciton condensation at $k = 0$



Why 2e-Laughlin state? – Hierarchical construction

- $(nn0)$ is described by $U(1) \times U(1)$ CS theory

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{4\pi} a_{I\mu} \partial_\nu a_{J\lambda} K^{IJ} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\lambda}, \quad I, J = 1, 2, \quad K = \begin{pmatrix} n & 0 \\ 0 & n \end{pmatrix}$$

- The interlayer exciton (with statistics $\theta = 2\pi/n$) is described by

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{4\pi} a_I \partial a_J K^{IJ} + \mathbf{m}^I a_{I\mu} j^\mu(x), \quad \mathbf{m} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix};$$

- Exciton condensation $\mathcal{L} = (j^0)^2 - \mathbf{j}^2$ with $\partial_\mu j^\mu = 0$: $j^\mu = \frac{\partial_\nu \tilde{a}_\lambda}{2\pi} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\lambda}$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{4\pi} a_I \partial a_J K^{IJ} + \frac{1}{2\pi} \mathbf{m}^I a_I \partial \tilde{a} + \frac{1}{8\pi^2 \chi} (\tilde{B}^2 - \frac{1}{v_s^2} \tilde{E}^2)$$

- \rightarrow new FQH state:

$$K_{\text{new}} = \begin{pmatrix} K & \mathbf{m} \\ \mathbf{m}^T & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} n & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & n & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = W \begin{pmatrix} 2n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & n\%2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} W^T \sim (2n)$$

K and $K' = WKW^T$, $W \in SL(\kappa, Z)$, describe the same FQH state.

- New state is $\nu^* = 1/2n$ Laughlin state of charge-2e electron pairs.

Critical theory for quantum phase transition

- Start with GL theory for excitons and anti-excitons:

$$\mathcal{L} = |\partial_\mu \phi|^2 + \alpha |\phi|^2 + \beta |\phi|^4$$

$\alpha = 0$ at the transition.

- GL-CS theory to reproduce statistics $\theta = 2\pi/n$

$$\mathcal{L} = |(\partial - ia_1 + ia_2)\phi|^2 + \alpha |\phi|^2 + \beta |\phi|^4 + \frac{1}{4\pi} a_I \partial a_J K^{IJ}.$$

- CS term does not destroy the critical point of GL theory, but changes the critical exponents

(nn0) \rightarrow 2e-Laughlin is a continuous transition between two states with the SAME symmetry

- When $n = 2$, critical theory is massless Dirac fermion

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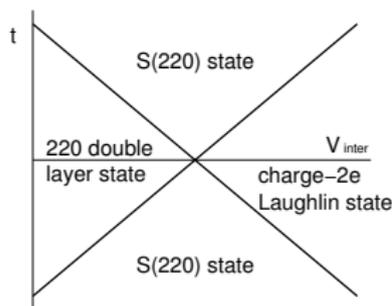
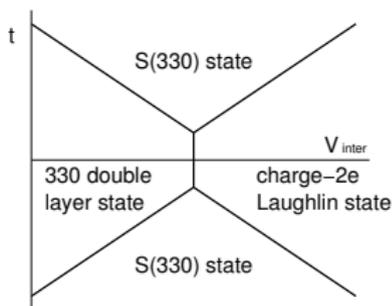
Turn on interlayer tunneling

Effective theory near transition

$$\mathcal{L} = |(\partial - ia_1 + ia_2)\phi|^2 + \alpha|\phi|^2 + \beta|\phi|^4 + (t\phi^n \hat{M} + h.c.) + \frac{1}{4\pi} a_I \partial a_J K^{IJ}.$$

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- When $n = 2$, the $t\psi^T \psi$ term split the massless **Dirac critical point** into two massless **Majorana critical points**.

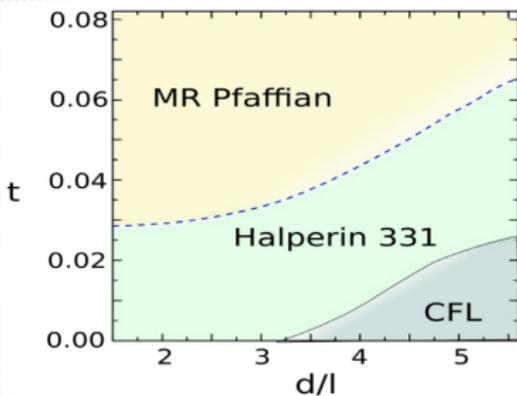
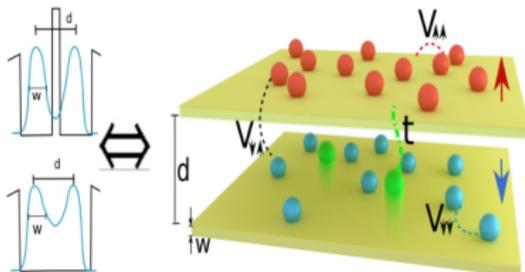


- Weak $p + ip$ superconductor to strong $p + ip$ superconductor is connected by massless Majorana fermion [Read-Green cond-mat/9906453](https://arxiv.org/abs/cond-mat/9906453)

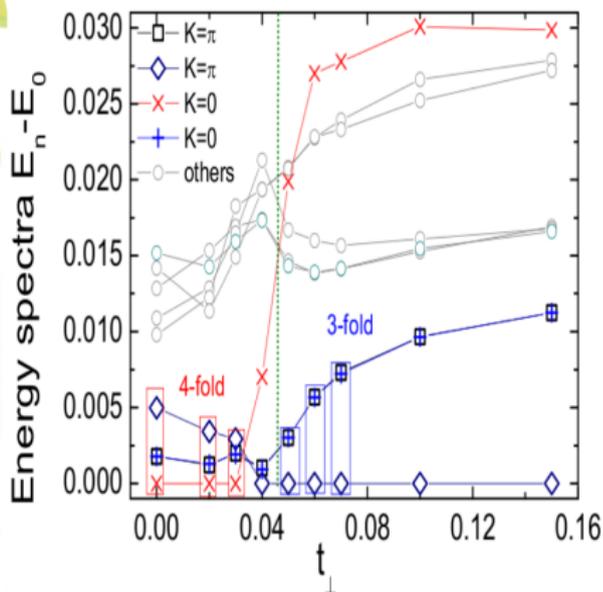
$$\Psi_{S(220)} = \mathcal{S}[\prod (z_i - z_j)^2 \prod (w_i - w_j)^2] = \mathcal{A}[\frac{1}{z_1 - z_2} \frac{1}{z_3 - z_4} \dots] \prod (z_i - z_j)$$

Recent numerical result

Fractional Quantum Hall Bilayers at Half-Filling: Tunneling-driven Non-Abelian Phase Wei Zhu et al.



Predicted by Xiao-Gang Wen & other works



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- *What is the low energy effective theory that describes the low energy excitations above the many-body state $|\Psi_{\text{phy}}\rangle$?*

Lattice partons ψ_i couple to lattice $SU(2)$ gauge field $a_\mu(x)$:

$$H_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \psi_i^\dagger u_{ij} e^{i a_{ij}} \psi_j + \sum_i \psi_i^\dagger a_0(i) \psi_i$$

Z_2 topological order with time reversal symmetry

- Choose Read-Sachdev PRL 66, 1773 (91), Wen PRB 44, 2664 (91)

$$u_{i,i+x} = u_{i,i+y} = -\chi\sigma^3, \quad a_0 = c\sigma^1,$$

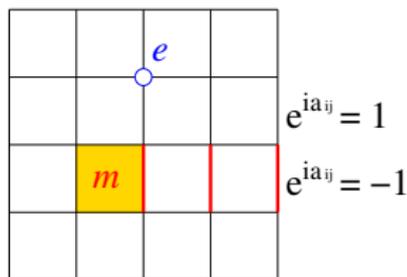
$$u_{i,i+x+y} = \eta\sigma^1 + \lambda\sigma^2, \quad u_{i,i+x+y} = \eta\sigma^1 - \lambda\sigma^2$$

$P_{SU(2)}|\Psi_{\text{mean}}^{u_{ij}}\rangle$ has all the symmetry: spin rotation+time reversal.

- $H_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \psi_i^\dagger u_{ij} \psi_j + \sum_i \psi_i^\dagger a_0 \psi_i$ will be fully gapped.
→ The fermions are all gapped. *The potential gapless excitations may come from the $SU(2)$ gauge fluctuations.*
- a_0 and $SU(2)$ flux $\Phi_i = u_{ij}u_{jk}u_{ki}$ behave like Higgs fields.
 $a_0 \rightarrow Ua_0U^\dagger, \quad \Phi_i \rightarrow U\Phi_iU^\dagger, \quad U \in SU(2).$
- If they are invariant under the $SU(2)$ transformation → The $SU(2)$ is unbroken → gapless gluon.
- If they are not invariant under the $SU(2)$ transformation → Break $SU(2)$ to smaller gauge group.
- In our case, a_0 and Φ_i break the $SU(2)$ down to Z_2
→ Z_2 gauge theory is gapped → Z_2 topological order.

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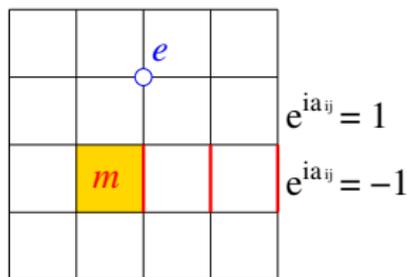
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The above is the history before 2000

(3 fermions) has a time reversal anomaly, and is not possible.

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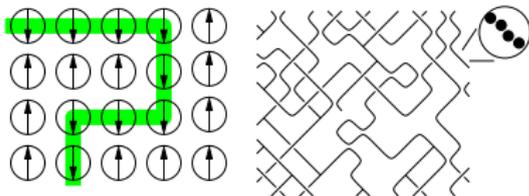
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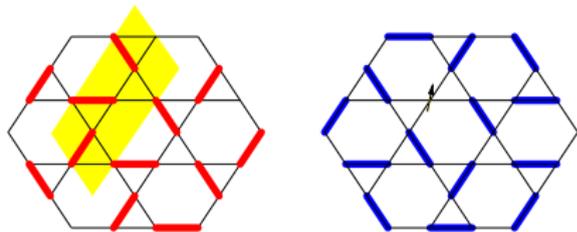


- *sum* over a subset of spin config.:

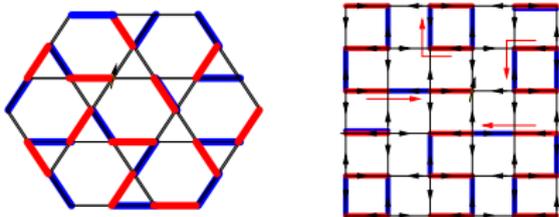
$$|\Phi_{\text{loops}}^{Z_2}\rangle = \sum \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{loop config.} \\ \text{loop config.} \end{array} \right\rangle$$

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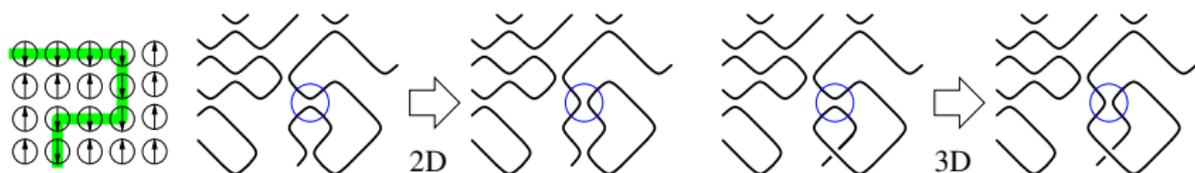
$$|\Phi_{\text{loops}}^{\theta}\rangle = \sum (e^{i\theta})^{\# \text{ of loops}} \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{loop config.} \\ \text{loop config.} \end{array} \right\rangle$$



- Can the above wavefunction be the ground states of local Hamiltonians?



Sum over a subset: local rule \rightarrow global wave function



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- Two topo. orders: Z_2 topo. order [Read-Sachdev PRL 66, 1773 \(91\)](#), [Wen PRB 44, 2664 \(91\)](#), [Moessner-Sondhi PRL 86 1881 \(01\)](#) and double-semion topo. order. [Freedman etal cond-mat/0307511](#), [Levin-Wen cond-mat/0404617](#)

Emergence of fractional spin/statistics

- Why electron carry spin-1/2 and Fermi statistics?
- Ends of strings are point-like excitations, which can carry spin-1/2 and Fermi statistics?

Fidkowski-Freedman-Nayak-Walker-Wang cond-mat/0610583

• $\Phi_{\text{str}} \left(\text{string liquid} \right) = 1$ string liquid $\Phi_{\text{str}} \left(\begin{array}{c} \blacksquare \blacktriangleright \\ \blacktriangleleft \blacksquare \end{array} \right) = \Phi_{\text{str}} \left(\begin{array}{c} \blacksquare \\ \blacksquare \end{array} \right)$

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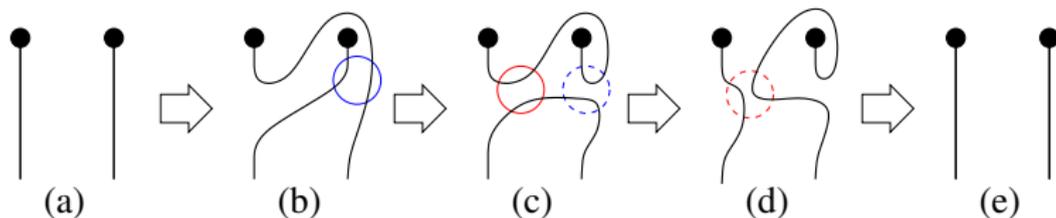
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- (a) \rightarrow (b) = exchange two string-ends.
- (d) \rightarrow (e) = 360° rotation of a string-end.
- Amplitude (a) = Amplitude (e)
- Exchange two string-ends plus a 360° rotation of one of the string-end generate no phase.

\rightarrow **Spin-statistics theorem**

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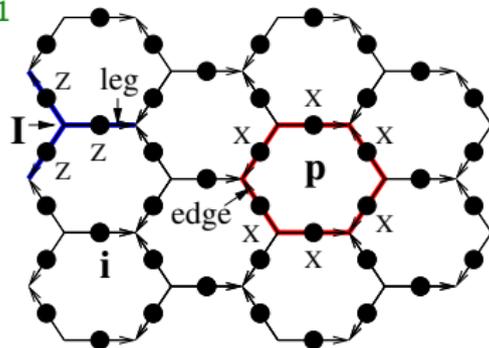
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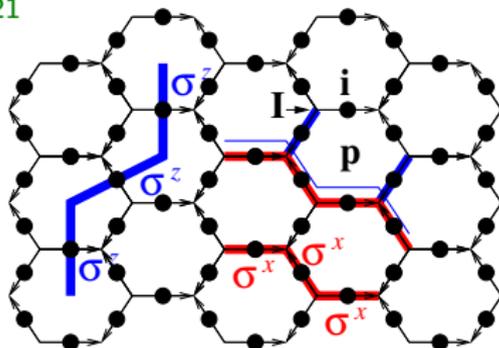
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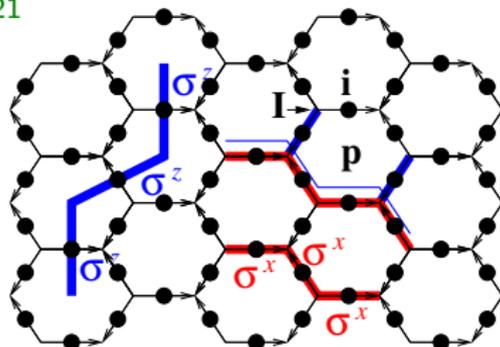
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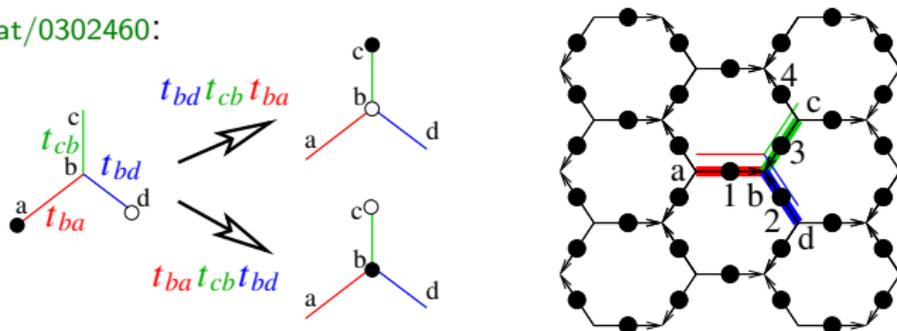
- Fusion algebra** of string operators \rightarrow fusion of topo. excitations:

$$W_e^2 = W_m^2 = W_f^2 = W_e W_m W_f = 1 \text{ when strings are parallel}$$

Statistics of ends of strings

- The statistics is determined by particle hopping operators

Levin-Wen cond-mat/0302460:



- An open string operator is a hopping operator of the 'ends'.
The algebra of the open string operator determine the statistics.
- For type-*e* string: $t_{ba} = \sigma_1^x$, $t_{cb} = \sigma_3^x$, $t_{bd} = \sigma_2^x$

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The ends of type-*e* string are bosons

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The ends of type-*f* strings are fermions

- Works for abelian anyons and non-abelian anyons.*



How to label all topological orders systematically?

What are the probes (topological invariants) that allow us to distinguish all topological orders?

Systematic theory of topo. orders from topo. invariants

Topological order describes the order in gapped quantum liquids.

We conjectured that 2+1D topological order can be completely defined via only two topological properties:

Wen IJMPB 4, 239 (90); KeskiVakkuri-Wen IJMPB 7, 4227 (93)

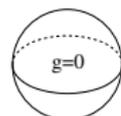
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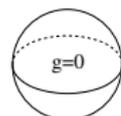
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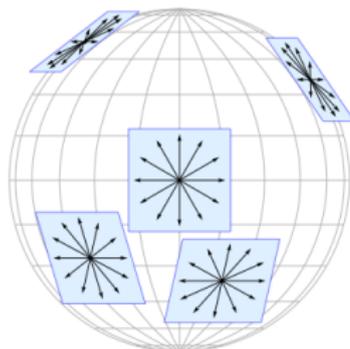
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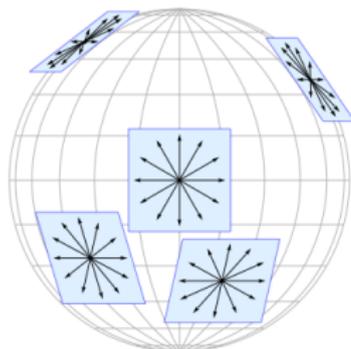
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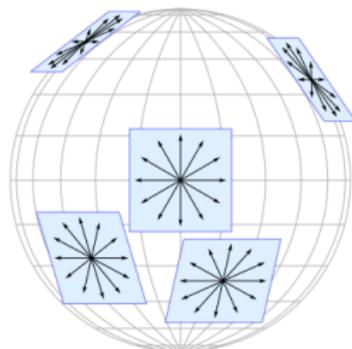
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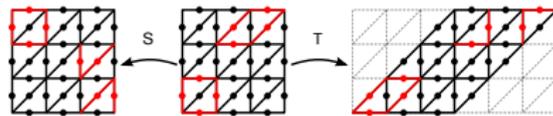
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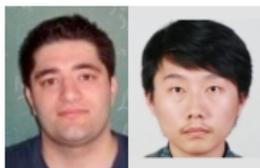
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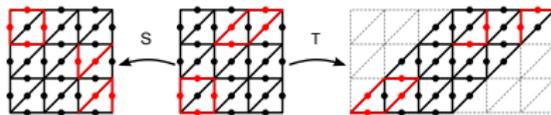
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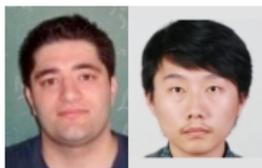
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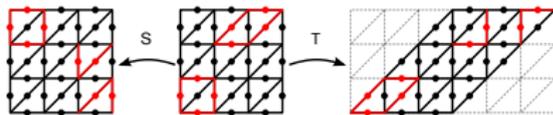
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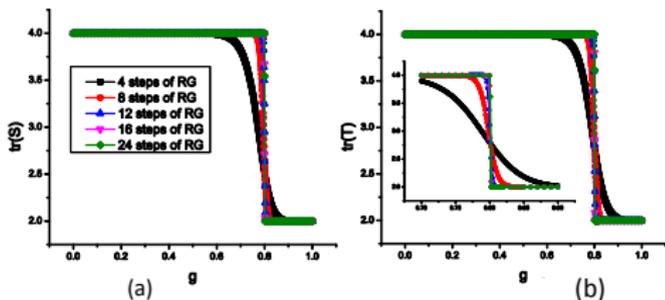
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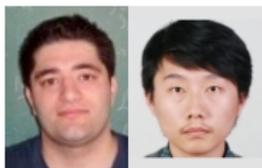
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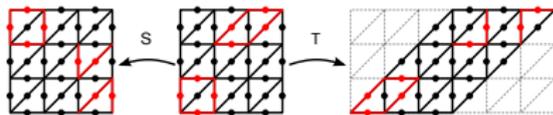
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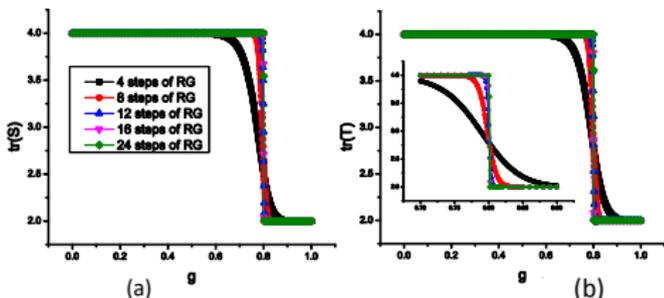
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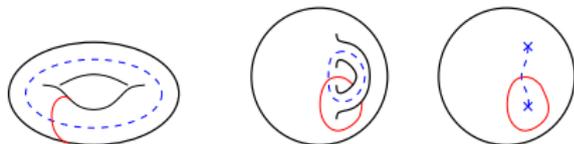
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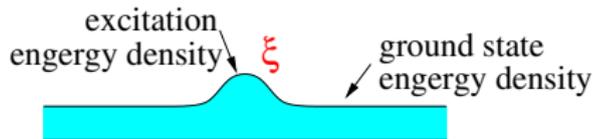
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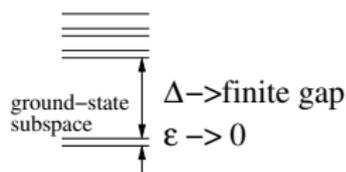
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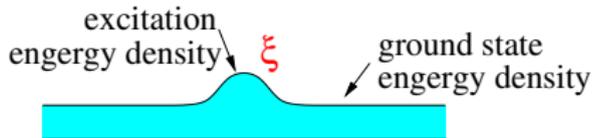
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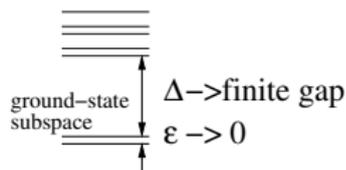
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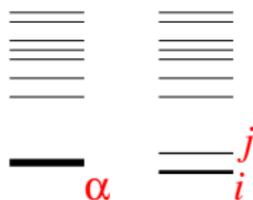
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- if $\delta H_{\xi}^{\text{trap}}$ and $\delta \tilde{H}_{\xi}^{\text{trap}}$ can deform into each other without closing the gap, then the trapped excitations at ξ belong to the same type.

- **With symmetry** $\rightarrow O_{\xi}, \delta H_{\xi}^{\text{trap}}$ to be symmetric local operators.

Simple/composite excitations and fusion ring

- **simple excitation** at ξ : The ground space $\Psi_{\text{exc}}^{\text{simple}}(\xi, \dots)$ is robust against local perturbation near $\xi \rightarrow$ type i .
- **composite excitation** at ξ : The ground space $\Psi_{\text{exc}}(\xi, \dots)$ (the degeneracy) can be splitted by local perturbation near ξ , ie contain accidental degeneracy \rightarrow type $\alpha = i \oplus j$.



$$\text{Fusion space} = \Psi_{\text{exc}}(\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots) = \mathcal{V}_{\text{fus}}(i_1, i_2, \dots)$$

Fusion ring of (non-Abelian) topological excitations

- For simple i, j , if we view (i, j) as one particle, it may correspond to a composite particle:

$$\mathcal{V}_{\text{fus}}(i, j, l_1, l_2, \dots) = \bigoplus_n \mathcal{V}_{\text{fus}}(k_n, l_1, l_2, \dots)$$

$$i \otimes j = k_1 \oplus k_2 \oplus \dots = \bigoplus_k N_k^{ij} k$$

\rightarrow the *fusion ring (Grothendieck ring)*.



- **Associativity:**

$$(i \otimes j) \otimes k = i \otimes (j \otimes k) = \bigoplus_l N_l^{jk} l, \quad N_l^{jk} = \sum_m N_m^{ij} N_l^{mk} = \sum_n N_n^{jk} N_l^{in}$$

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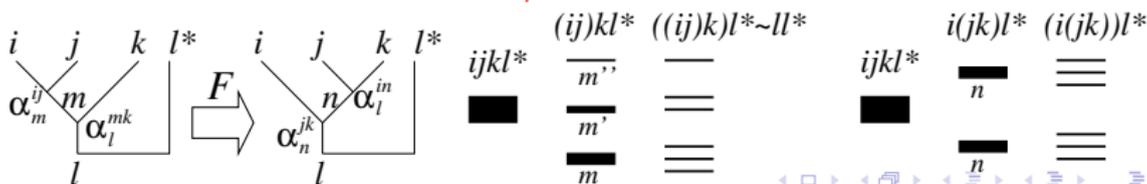
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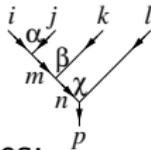
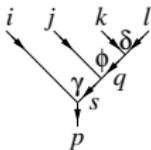
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- The F -symbol is unitary matrix that relate the two basis

$$|l, \alpha_l^{in}; n, \alpha_n^{jk}; \dots\rangle' = \sum_{m \alpha_m^{ij} \alpha_l^{mk}} F_{l;n\alpha_n^{jk} \alpha_l^{in}}^{ijk;m\alpha_m^{ij} \alpha_l^{mk}} |m, \alpha_m^{ij}; l, \alpha_l^{mk}; \dots\rangle$$



Consistent conditions for $F_{l;n\chi\delta}^{ijk;m\alpha\beta}$ and UFC

Two different ways of fusion  and  are related via two different paths of F-moves:

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Such a set of non-linear algebraic equations is the famous pentagon identity. Moore-Seiberg 89

$N_{k}^{ij}, F_{l;n\chi\delta}^{ijk;m\alpha\beta} \rightarrow$ **Unitary fusion category (UFC)**

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- The above braided fusion category theory is called **symmetric fusion category (SFC)** (described by $N_k^{ij}, F_{l;n\gamma\lambda}^{ijk;m\alpha\beta}$).
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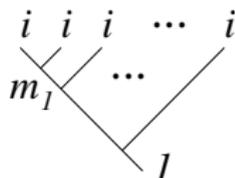
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Quasiparticle i may carry fractional degree freedom.
- $\dim[\mathcal{V}_{\text{fus}}(i, i, \dots, i)] = \sum_{m_i} N_{m_1}^{ii} N_{m_2}^{m_1 i} \dots N_1^{m_{n-2} i} = (\mathbf{N}^i)_{i1}^{n-1} \sim d_i^n$
where the matrix $(\mathbf{N}^i)_{jk} = N_k^{ji}$, and d_i the largest eigenvalue of \mathbf{N}^i :

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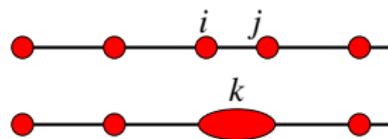
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- d_i is called the *quantum dimension* of the quasiparticle i .
Abelian particle $\rightarrow d_i = 1$. Non-Abelian particle $\rightarrow d_i \neq 1$.

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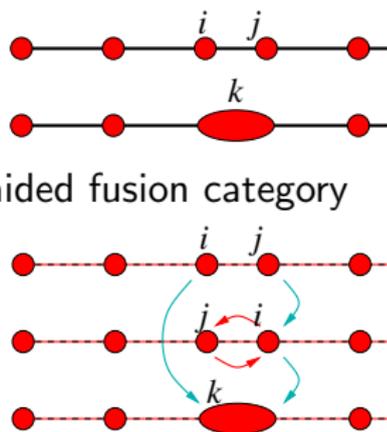


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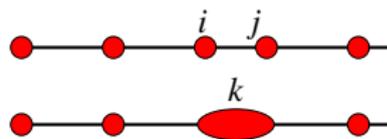
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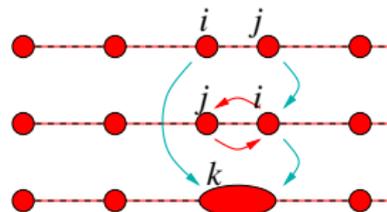
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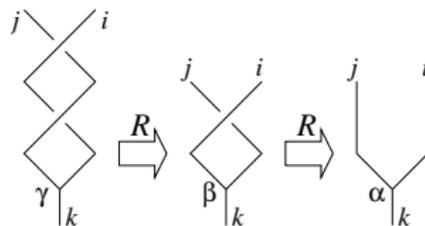
- Braiding \rightarrow **mutual statistics** $e^{i\theta_{ij}^{(k)}}$
and non-trivial fractional **spin** s_i



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A unitary braided fusion category (UBFC) is a set of topological types with fusion and braiding, which is described by data (N_{jk}^{ij}, s_i)

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- The standard point of view:**

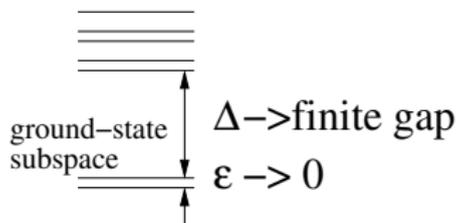
UMTC's are fully characterized by $(N_k^{ij}, F_{l;n\gamma\lambda}^{ijk;m\alpha\beta}, R_{k;\beta}^{ij;\alpha})$ (but not one-to-one). Conditions on those data + the equivalent relations

\rightarrow a theory of UMTC.

$\leftarrow \square \rightarrow$ *hard to work with* $\rightarrow \circ \circ \circ$

$d + 1$ D Topological quantum field theory

- d -dim. closed manifold M^d
→ Hilbert space $\mathcal{V}_{M^d} = \{|\alpha\rangle\}$.
Subspace of ground states on M^d



- $d + 1$ -dim. open manifold D^{d+1}
→ a vector $|D^{d+1}\rangle$ in $\mathcal{V}_{\partial D^{d+1}}$.

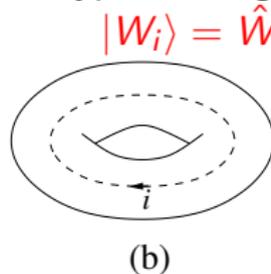
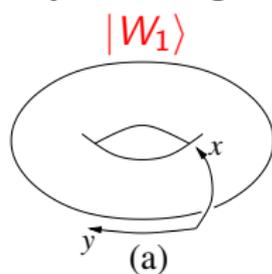


- Partition function on closed space-time N^{d+1}
= a vector $Z(N^{d+1}) \in \mathcal{V}_{\partial N^{d+1}=\emptyset} = \mathbb{C}$ (ie a complex number)
- Surgery formula:

$$\langle M_U | M_D \rangle = Z \left(\left(\begin{array}{c} M_U \\ \text{---} B \\ M_D \end{array} \right) \right)$$

The relations between (N_k^{ij}, s_i, c) and (S, T, c)

- Number of particle types (dimensions of N_k^{ij}, s_i)
= ground state degeneracy on torus (dimensions of S, T).
Type- i particle is created as the end of type- i string operator, which also describe particle-anti-particle tunneling process.
- A particular ground state $|W_1\rangle$ on torus is obtained via the time evolution on space-time of a solid torus. Other ground state $|W_i\rangle$ is obtained by inserting a loop of type- i string operator W_i .



- S -matrix and link loops:

$$S_{ij} = \langle W_i | \hat{S} | W_j \rangle = Z \left(\text{link}(i, j, S^j) \right) = S_{ji}$$

Detailed description: A diagram showing two linked loops, one labeled 'i' and one labeled 'j'. A shaded surface, labeled 'S^j', is shown as a disk that encloses the loop 'j' and passes through the loop 'i'.

Verlinde formula – The relations between N_k^{ij} and S

Witten CMP 121 351 (89); Wang-Wen-Yau arXiv:1602.05951

- A surgery formula $\langle M_U | M_D \rangle \langle N_U | N_D \rangle = \langle M_U | N_D \rangle \langle N_U | M_D \rangle$

$$Z \left(\begin{array}{c} M_U \\ \hline M_D \end{array} \middle| B \right) Z \left(\begin{array}{c} N_U \\ \hline N_D \end{array} \middle| B \right) = Z \left(\begin{array}{c} M_U \\ \hline N_D \end{array} \middle| B \right) Z \left(\begin{array}{c} N_U \\ \hline M_D \end{array} \middle| B \right)$$

provided that the ground state degeneracy on the space- B is one.

- $\rightarrow \langle W_i | \hat{S} | 1 \rangle \langle W_j | \hat{S} | W_j \otimes k \rangle = \langle W_i | \hat{S} | W_j \rangle \langle W_j | \hat{S} | W_k \rangle$

$$Z \left(\begin{array}{c} S^j \\ \hline i \end{array} \right) Z \left(\begin{array}{c} S^j \\ \hline i, j, k \end{array} \right) = Z \left(\begin{array}{c} S^j \\ \hline i, j \end{array} \right) Z \left(\begin{array}{c} S^j \\ \hline i, k \end{array} \right)$$

where we have used the string operator algebra

$$\hat{W}_j^{\text{str}} \hat{W}_k^{\text{str}} = \sum_i N_i^{jk} \hat{W}_i^{\text{str}} \rightarrow |W_j W_k\rangle = \sum_i N_i^{jk} |W_i\rangle.$$

- Verlinde formula: $\sum_l S_{i1} S_{il} N_l^{jk} = S_{ij} S_{ik}$



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- $Z \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{--- } S_j \text{ ---} \\ \bigcirc \\ \bigcirc \\ \bigcirc \\ \text{--- } i \text{ ---} \end{array} \right) = S_{1i} = \langle W_{i \rightarrow \bar{i}} | W_{i \rightarrow \bar{i}} \rangle > 0$

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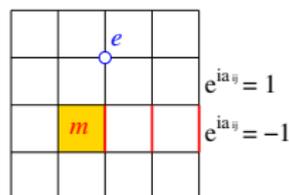
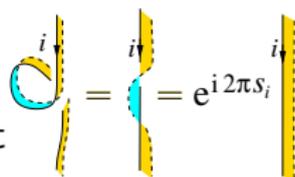
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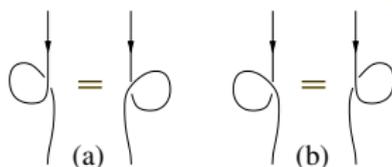
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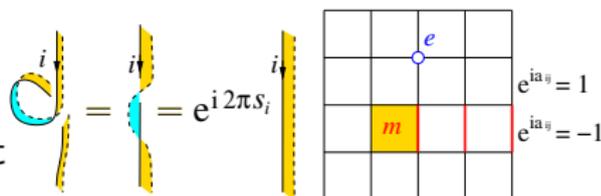


- (a) $e^{i2\pi s_i}$
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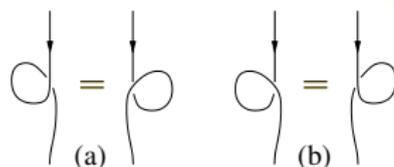


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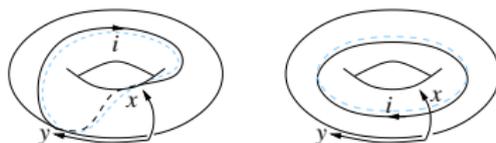


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- \hat{T} is a 2π twist of the particle world line:

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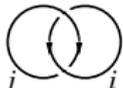


- But \hat{T} also change the metrics of the solid tours $\rightarrow i$ independent phase from the gravitational CS term $e^{i\frac{2\pi c}{24} \int M^2 \times S^1 \omega_3}$

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From (N_k^{ij}, s_i, c) to (S, T, c) – Graphic calculus

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 $= e^{i2\pi s_i} \textcircled{i} = e^{i2\pi s_i} d_i$

- 
 $= \frac{S_{ij}}{S_{11}} = S_{ij} D$

- 
 \Rightarrow

 $e^{i2\pi(s_i+s_j)} S_{ij} D$
- 
 $\Rightarrow N_k^{ij} \textcircled{k}$
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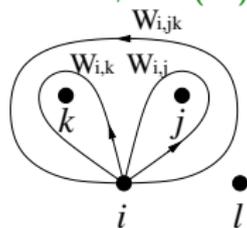
Anderson-Moore CMP 117 441 (88); Vafa PLB 206, 421 (88)

$$\det(W_{i,jk}) = \det(W_{i,j}) \det(W_{i,k})$$

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$W_{i,j}$, $W_{i,k}$, $W_{i,jk}$ are diagonal with the dimension of the fusion space $\mathcal{V}_{\text{fus}}(i, j, k, l)$: $\sum_r N_r^{ij} N_r^{rk} = \sum_r N_r^{ik} N_r^{rj} = \sum_r N_r^{jk} N_r^{ri}$

$$\rightarrow \sum_r V_{ijkl}^r s_r = 0 \pmod{1}$$

$$V_{ijkl}^r = N_r^{ij} N_r^{kl} + N_r^{il} N_r^{jk} + N_r^{ik} N_r^{jl} - (\delta_{ir} + \delta_{jr} + \delta_{kr} + \delta_{lr}) \sum_m N_m^{ij} N_m^{kl}$$

A simplified theory of UMTC based on (N_k^{ij}, s_i, c)

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- **Fusion ring:** N_k^{ij} are non-negative integers that satisfy

$$N_k^{ij} = N_k^{ji}, \quad N_j^{1i} = \delta_{ij}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^N N_1^{ik} N_1^{kj} = \delta_{ij},$$

$$\sum_{m=1}^N N_m^{ij} N_l^{mk} = \sum_{m=1}^N N_l^{im} N_m^{jk} \text{ or } \mathbf{N}^i \mathbf{N}^k = \mathbf{N}^k \mathbf{N}^i$$

where $i, j, \dots = 1, 2, \dots, N$, and the matrix \mathbf{N}^j is given by $(\mathbf{N}^j)_{ik} = N_k^{ij}$. N_1^{ij} defines a charge conjugation $i \rightarrow \bar{i}$:

$N_1^{ij} = \delta_{\bar{i}\bar{j}}$. We refer N as the rank.

There are only finite numbers of solutions for each fixed N, D .

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This determines s_i to be a rational number. There are only finite sets of solutions.

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Then, S satisfies

$$S_{11} > 0, \quad \sum_k S_{kl} N_k^{ij} = \frac{S_{li} S_{lj}}{S_{1l}}, \quad S = S^\dagger C, \quad C_{ij} \equiv N_1^{ij}.$$

- Let $T_{ij} = e^{i2\pi s_i} e^{-i2\pi \frac{c}{24} \delta_{ij}}$ then ($SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$ modular representation)

$$S^2 = (ST)^3 = C.$$

- Let $\nu_i = \frac{1}{D^2} \sum_{jk} N_i^{jk} d_j d_k e^{4\pi i(s_j - s_k)}$. Then $\nu_i = 0$ if $i \neq \bar{i}$, and $\nu_i = \pm 1$ if $i = \bar{i}$.

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2+1D bosonic topo. orders (up to E_8 -states) via (N_k^{ij}, s_i, c)

$$c_n^m = \frac{\sin(\pi(m+1)/(n+2))}{\sin(\pi/(n+2))}$$

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- Remote detectable = Realizable (anomaly-free):**

Every non-trivial topo. excitation i can be remotely detected by at least one other topo. excitation j via the non-zero mutual braiding $\theta_{ij}^{(k)} \neq 0 \rightarrow S_{ij} = \frac{1}{D} \sum_k N_k^{ij} e^{-i\theta_{ij}^{(k)}} d_k$ is unitary (one of conditions) \rightarrow the topological order is realizable in the same dimension.

- The centralizer of BFC $\mathcal{C} =$ the set of particles with trivial mutual statistics respecting to all others: $\mathcal{C}_c^{\text{cen}} \equiv \{i \mid \theta_{ij}^{(k)} = 0, \forall j, k\}$.

Remote detectable $\leftrightarrow \mathcal{C}_c^{\text{cen}} = \{1\} \leftrightarrow$ Realizable (anomaly-free)



Bosonic/fermionic topo. orders with/without symmetry

- “Topological” excitations with symmetry: Two particles are equivalent iff they are connected by **symmetric** local operators.
Equivalent classes = topological types with symmetry
- **Example:** for $G = SO(3)$:
 - Trivial “topological” types: spin-0. (centralizer=SFC)
 - Non-trivial “topological” types: spin-1, spin-2, $\dots \sim$ irreducible reps. (Cannot be created by local symmetric operators, but can be created by local asymmetric operators.)
 - Really non-trivial “topological” types. (Other types) (Cannot be created by local symmetric operators, nor by local asymmetric operators.)
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- For *fermionic product states*, 1) Some particles are bosonic, and others are fermionic, and all have trivial mutual statistics

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- Topological types = irreducible representation R_i (ex. spin- s)
The particle R_i has a Fermi statistics if $\hat{f} \neq 1$ in R_i (ex. spin-1)
The particle R_i has a Bose statistics if $\hat{f} = 1$ in R_i (ex. spin- $\frac{1}{2}$)
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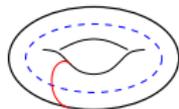
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Answer: **No**.

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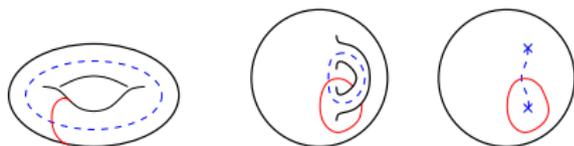
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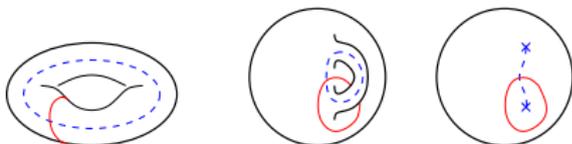
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- We can add extra particles that braid non-trivially with the particles in SFC \mathcal{E} , and make the UMTC $_{/\mathcal{E}}$ \mathcal{C} into a unitary non-degenerate braided fusion category (ie an UMTC) \mathcal{M} .*

\mathcal{M} is called the modular extension of \mathcal{C} :

$$\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}, \quad D_{\mathcal{E}}^2 D_{\mathcal{C}}^2 = D_{\mathcal{M}}^2$$

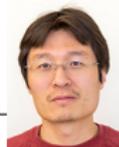
In \mathcal{M} , the set of particles that have trivial double-braiding with the particles in \mathcal{E} is given by \mathcal{C} . Using centralizer: $\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{M}}^{\text{cen}} = \mathcal{E}$, $\mathcal{E}_{\mathcal{M}}^{\text{cen}} = \mathcal{C}$.

- Only UMTC $_{/\mathcal{E}}$'s \mathcal{C} that have modular extensions are realizable by physical 2D bulk systems (maybe with symmetry and/or fermion).**

2+1D fermionic topo. orders (up to $p + ip$) via (N_k^{ij}, s_i, c)

Classified by **UMTC**/ \mathcal{E} 's with $\mathcal{E} = \{1, f\}$.

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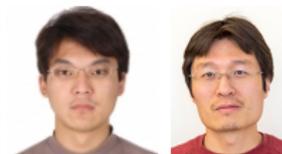


$N_c^F(\frac{ \Theta_2 }{\angle\Theta_2/2\pi})$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$2_0^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1}{0})$	2	1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 = \text{sRep}(Z_2^f)$ fermion product state
$4_0^F(\frac{0}{0})$	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 2_1^B(\frac{0}{0})$ $K = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
$4_{1/5}^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1 \zeta_3^1}{3/20})$	7.2360	$1, 1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{10}, -\frac{2}{5}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 2_{-14/5}^B(\frac{\zeta_3^1}{3/20})$
$4_{-1/5}^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1 \zeta_3^1}{-3/20})$	7.2360	$1, 1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{10}, \frac{2}{5}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 2_{14/5}^B(\frac{\zeta_3^1}{-3/20})$
$4_{1/4}^F(\frac{\zeta_6^3}{1/2})$	13.656	$1, 1, \zeta_6^2, \zeta_6^2 = 1 + \sqrt{2}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}$	$\mathcal{F}(A_1, 6)$
$6_0^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1}{1/4})$	6	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{6}, -\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}, -\frac{1}{3}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_{-2}^B(\frac{1}{4})$ $K = (3), \Psi_{1/3}(z_i)$
$6_0^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1}{-1/4})$	6	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{3}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_2^B(-\frac{1}{4})$ $K = (-3), \Psi_{1/3}^*(z_i)$
$6_0^F(\frac{\zeta_6^3}{1/16})$	8	$1, 1, 1, 1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1 = \sqrt{2}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}, -\frac{7}{16}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_{1/2}^B(\frac{\zeta_6^3}{1/16}), \mathcal{F}U(1)_{2/\mathbb{Z}_2}$
$6_0^F(\frac{\zeta_6^3}{-1/16})$	8	$1, 1, 1, 1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{16}, \frac{7}{16}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_{-1/2}^B(-\frac{\zeta_6^3}{1/16})$
$6_0^F(\frac{1.0823}{3/16})$	8	$1, 1, 1, 1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{16}, -\frac{5}{16}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_{3/2}^B(\frac{0.7653}{3/16})$
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$6_{1/7}^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1 \zeta_5^2}{-5/14})$	18.591	$1, 1, \zeta_5^1, \zeta_5^1, \zeta_5^2, \zeta_5^2$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{14}, -\frac{1}{7}, -\frac{3}{14}, \frac{2}{7}$	$\mathcal{F}_0 \boxtimes 3_{8/7}^B(\frac{\zeta_5^2}{-5/14})$
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$6_0^F(\frac{2\zeta_{10}^1}{-1/12})$	44.784	$1, 1, \zeta_{10}^2, \zeta_{10}^2, \zeta_{10}^4, \zeta_{10}^4$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{6}, 0, \frac{1}{2}$	$\mathcal{F}(A_1, -10)$
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2+1D bosonic topo. orders with Z_2 symmetry

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$2_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	2	1, 1	0, 0	$\mathcal{E} = \text{Rep}(Z_2)$
$3_2^{\zeta_2^1}$	6	1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{3}$	$K = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$
$3_{-2}^{\zeta_2^1}$	6	1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{2}{3}$	$K = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$
$4_1^{\zeta_2^1}$	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$	$\Psi_{\nu=1/2}^{\text{neutral}} \boxtimes \text{Rep}(Z_2)$
$4_1^{\zeta_2^1}$	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$	$\Psi_{\nu=1/2}^{\text{charged}} \boxtimes \text{Rep}(Z_2)$
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$4_{14/5}^{\zeta_2^1}$	7.2360	$1, 1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1$	$0, 0, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{2}{5}$	$2_{14/5}^B \boxtimes \text{Rep}(Z_2)$
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$4_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	10	1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{4}{5}$	$K = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$
$4_4^{\zeta_2^1}$	10	1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{5}$	$K = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$



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$5_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0$	SB: 4_0^B F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
$5_1^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}$	SB: 4_1^B F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
$5_2^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}$	SB: 4_2^B F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
$5_3^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{8}$	SB: 4_3^B F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
$5_4^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	SB: 4_4^B $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$
$5_{-3}^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}$	SB: 4_{-3}^B F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
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$5_2^{\zeta_2^1}$	14	1, 1, 2, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{2}{7}, \frac{4}{7}$	SB: 7_2^B
$5_{-2}^{\zeta_2^1}$	14	1, 1, 2, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{3}{7}, \frac{5}{7}, \frac{6}{7}$	SB: 7_{-2}^B
$5_{12/5}^{\zeta_2^1}$	26.180	$1, 1, \zeta_8^2, \zeta_8^2, \zeta_8^4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{3}{5}$	SB: $4_{12/5}^B$
$5_{-12/5}^{\zeta_2^1}$	26.180	$1, 1, \zeta_8^2, \zeta_8^2, \zeta_8^4$	$0, 0, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{2}{5}$	SB: $4_{-12/5}^B$

SB: $4_0^B \rightarrow$ topo. order after symmetry breaking is Z_2 -gauge theory.

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The Z_2 symmetry is anomalous, since the following BF categories have no modular extensions:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$2_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	2	1, 1	0, 0	$\mathcal{E} = \text{Rep}(Z_2)$
$5_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0$	SB: 4_0^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_1^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}$	SB: 4_1^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_2^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}$	SB: 4_2^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_3^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{8}$	SB: 4_3^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_4^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	SB: 4_4^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_{-3}^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}$	SB: 4_{-3}^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_{-2}^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}$	SB: 4_{-2}^B F: Z_4 anom.
$5_{-1}^{\zeta_2^1}$	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{7}{8}$	SB: 4_{-1}^B F: Z_4 anom.

Z_2 -gauge theory with Z_2 symmetry

The first rows of last two tables are identical.

They have identical d_i but different N_k^{ij}

They are Z_2 -gauge theory $1, e, m, f$, with Z_2 symmetry: $e \leftrightarrow m$

Fusion rules: $Z_2 \times Z_2$

	1_0	1_1	f_0	f_1	$e \oplus m$
s_i	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0
d_i	1	1	1	1	2
$5_0^{c_2^1}$	1	2	3	4	5
1	1	2	3	4	5
2	2	1	4	3	5
3	3	4	1	2	5
4	4	3	2	1	5
5	5	5	5	5	$1 \oplus 2 \oplus 3 \oplus 4$

Anomaly-free

Z_4

	1_0	1_1	$f_{1/2}$	$f_{3/2}$	$e \oplus m$
s_i	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0
d_i	1	1	1	1	2
$5_0^{c_2^1}$	1	2	3	4	5
1	1	2	3	4	5
2	2	1	4	3	5
3	3	4	2	1	5
4	4	3	1	2	5
5	5	5	5	5	$1 \oplus 2 \oplus 3 \oplus 4$

Anomalous

- F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$ means that the four $d_i = 1$ particles have a fusion described by $Z_2 \times Z_2$.
- F: Z_4 means that the four $d_i = 1$ particles have a fusion described by Z_4 :

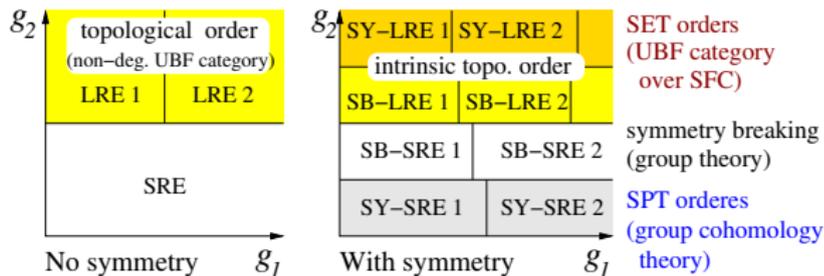
Fermionic topo. orders with mod-4 fermion number conservation: symmetry $G^f = Z_4^f$

Classified by **UMTC**/ \mathcal{E} 's with centralizer $\mathcal{E} = \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
4_0^0	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	$\mathcal{E} = \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$
6_0^0	12	1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{2}{3}$	$K = -\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
6_0^0	12	1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{5}{6}$	$K = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
8_0^0	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$	$2_{-1}^B \boxtimes \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$
8_0^0	8	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$	$2_1^B \boxtimes \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$
$8_{-14/5}^0$	14.472	$1, 1, 1, 1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{10}, \frac{1}{10}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{5}$	$2_{-14/5}^B \boxtimes \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$
$8_{14/5}^0$	14.472	$1, 1, 1, 1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1, \zeta_3^1$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{9}{10}, \frac{9}{10}$	$2_{14/5}^B \boxtimes \text{sRep}(Z_4^f)$
8_0^0	20	1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{10}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{9}{10}$	$\text{SB}: 10_0^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1}{0})$
8_0^0	20	1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{3}{10}, \frac{7}{10}, \frac{4}{5}$	$\text{SB}: 10_0^F(\frac{\zeta_2^1}{1/2})$
$10_0^0(\frac{4}{0})$	16	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}$	$\text{SB}: 8_0^F(\frac{\sqrt{8}}{0})$
$10_0^0(\frac{4}{0})$	16	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}$	$\text{SB}: 8_0^F(\frac{\sqrt{8}}{0})$
$10_0^0(\frac{\sqrt{8}}{1/8})$	16	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{5}{8}$	$\text{SB}: 8_0^F(\frac{2}{1/8})$
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$10_0^0(\frac{\sqrt{8}}{-1/8})$	16	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{7}{8}$	$\text{SB}: 8_0^F(\frac{2}{-1/8})$

Distinct topo. phases with identical set of bulk excitations

In the presence of symmetry/fermion, there are distinct topological phases, such as SPT phases with the same symmetry, that have identical bulk excitations. But they have different edge structures.



- A $UMTC_{/\mathcal{E}} \mathcal{C}$ only describes the bulk excitations. But it can have *several different* modular extensions. \rightarrow Distinct topological phases with identical set of bulk excitations, but different edge structures.

The main conjecture:

Lan-Kong-Wen arXiv:1602.05946

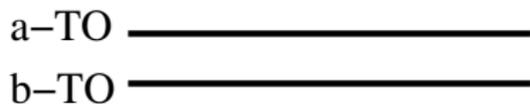
- The triple $(\text{Rep}(G) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{C} \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M})$ classifies 2+1D bosonic topological phase with symmetry G .
- The triple $(\text{sRep}(G^f) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{C} \leftrightarrow \mathcal{M})$ classifies 2+1D fermionic topological phase with symmetry G^f .

From physical picture to mathematical theorem

- Stacking two topological phases a, b with symmetry G give rise to a third topological phase

$c = a \boxtimes_{\text{stack}} b$ with
symmetry G

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- For a fixed SFC \mathcal{E} , there exists a “tensor product” $\boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}}$, under which the triple $(\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M})$ form a commutative monoid

$$(\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_1 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_1) \boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}} (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_2 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_2) \equiv (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_3 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_3)$$

- $\boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}}$ is different from the Deligne tensor product \boxtimes :

$$\begin{aligned} & (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_1 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_1) \boxtimes (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_2 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_2) \\ & \equiv (\mathcal{E} \boxtimes \mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}_1 \boxtimes \mathcal{C}_2 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_1 \boxtimes \mathcal{M}_2) \end{aligned}$$

which has a symmetry $G \times G$. Need to be reduced to G (or \mathcal{E}).

- Lan-Kong-Wen [arXiv:1602.05936](https://arxiv.org/abs/1602.05936) has constructed $\boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}}$ using condensable algebra $L_{\mathcal{E}} = \bigoplus_{a \in \mathcal{E}} a \boxtimes \bar{a}$:

$\mathcal{E} = (\mathcal{E} \boxtimes \mathcal{E})_{L_{\mathcal{E}}}^0$, $\mathcal{C}_3 = (\mathcal{C}_1 \boxtimes \mathcal{C}_2)_{L_{\mathcal{E}}}^0$, $\mathcal{M}_3 = (\mathcal{M}_1 \boxtimes \mathcal{M}_2)_{L_{\mathcal{E}}}^0$
eg, \mathcal{M}_3 is the category of local $L_{\mathcal{E}}$ -modules in $\mathcal{M}_1 \boxtimes \mathcal{M}_2$

From physical picture to mathematical theorem

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 - **All the modular extensions of a UMTC $_{/\mathcal{E}} \mathcal{C}$ are generated by $\boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}}$ ing with the modular extensions of \mathcal{E} :**

$$(\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}) = (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_0) \boxtimes_{\mathcal{E}} (\mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{E} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}')$$

Bosonic 2+1D SPT phases from modular extensions

- Z_2 -SPT phases:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$2_0^{\zeta_2^1}$	2	1, 1	0, 0	Rep(Z_2)
4_0^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}$	Z_2 gauge
4_0^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$	double semion

- S_3 -SPT phases:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$3_0^{\sqrt{6}}$	6	1, 1, 2	0, 0, 0	Rep(S_3)
8_0^B	36	1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3	$0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, 0, \frac{1}{2}$	S_3 gauge
8_0^B	36	1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3	$0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$	$(B_4, 2)$
8_0^B	36	1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3	$0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{4}{9}, \frac{7}{9}, 0$	
8_0^B	36	1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3	$0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{4}{9}, \frac{7}{9}, \frac{1}{4}$	$(B_4, -2)$
8_0^B	36	1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3	$0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{2}{9}, \frac{5}{9}, \frac{8}{9}, \frac{1}{4}$	

Fermionic 2+1D SPT phases from modular extensions

- Z_2^f -SPT phases (16 modular extensions, 1 with $c = 0$):

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
2_0^0	2	1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}$	sRep(Z_2^f)
4_0^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0$	Z_2 gauge
4_1^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8}$	F: Z_4
4_2^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$	F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
4_3^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{8}$	F: Z_4
4_4^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{5}{8}$	F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
4_{-3}^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{3}{8}$	F: Z_4
4_{-2}^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$	F: $Z_2 \times Z_2$
4_{-1}^B	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{7}{8}, \frac{1}{8}$	F: Z_4
$3_{1/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}$	$p + ip$ SC
$3_{3/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{16}$	
$3_{5/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{16}$	
$3_{7/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{7}{16}$	
$3_{-7/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{9}{16}$	
$3_{-5/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{11}{16}$	
$3_{-3/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{13}{16}$	
$3_{-1/2}^B$	4	$1, 1, \zeta_2^{-1}$	$0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{15}{16}$	

Fermionic 2+1D SPT phases from modular extensions

- $Z_2^f \times Z_2$ -SPT phases (128 modular extensions, 8 with $c = 0$):

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
4_0^0	4	1, 1, 1, 1	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	$\text{sRep}(Z_2 \times Z_2^f)$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{7}{16}, \frac{9}{16}, \frac{15}{16}, 0$	$3_{-1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{1/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{7}{16}, \frac{9}{16}, \frac{15}{16}, 0$	$3_{-1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{1/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{11}{16}, \frac{13}{16}, 0$	$3_{-3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{3/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, \zeta_2^1, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{11}{16}, \frac{13}{16}, 0$	$3_{-3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{3/2}^B$
16_0^B	16	1×16	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$	$4_0^B \boxtimes 4_0^B$
16_0^B	16	1×16	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{7}{8}, \frac{7}{8}$	$4_{-1}^B \boxtimes 4_1^B$
16_0^B	16	1×16	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{5}{8}, \frac{5}{8}$	$4_{-1}^B \boxtimes 4_1^B$
16_0^B	16	1×16	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, 0, 0, 0, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}$	$8_{-1}^B \boxtimes 2_1^B$

Bosonic 2+1D Z_2 -SET phases from modular extensions

- Z_2 -SET phases (Z_2 -gauge with Z_2 symmetry $e \leftrightarrow m$)

4 modular extensions, 2 distinct phases:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$5\zeta_2^1$	8	$1 \times 4, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0$	
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{15}{16}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{7}{16}, \frac{9}{16}$	$3_{-1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{1/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{13}{16}, \frac{11}{16}, \frac{5}{16}$	$3_{3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{-3/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{15}{16}, \frac{9}{16}, \frac{7}{16}$	$3_{1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{-1/2}^B$
9_0^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{13}{16}, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{11}{16}$	$3_{-3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{3/2}^B$

- Z_2 -SET phases (Z_2 -gauge with Z_2 symmetry $e \leftrightarrow m$, plus fermion condensation to $\nu = 1$ IQH state)

4 modular extensions, 3 distinct phases:

$N_c^{ \Theta }$	D^2	d_1, d_2, \dots	s_1, s_2, \dots	comment
$5\zeta_2^1$	8	$1 \times 4, 2$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}$	
9_1^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{9}{16}, \frac{9}{16}$	$3_{1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{1/2}^B$
9_1^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{13}{16}, \frac{13}{16}, \frac{5}{16}, \frac{5}{16}$	$3_{-3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{5/2}^B$
9_1^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{15}{16}, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{7}{16}, \frac{11}{16}$	$3_{-1/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{3/2}^B$
9_1^B	16	$1 \times 4, 2, \zeta_2^1 \times 4$	$0, 0, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{3}{16}, \frac{15}{16}, \frac{11}{16}, \frac{7}{16}$	$3_{3/2}^B \boxtimes 3_{-1/2}^B$

