

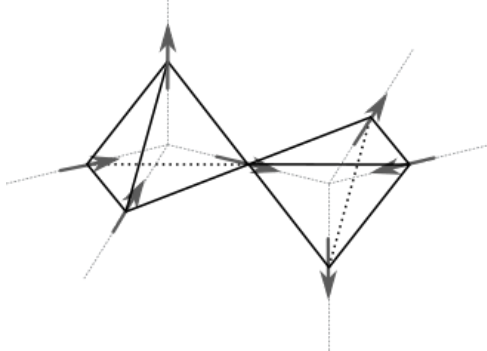
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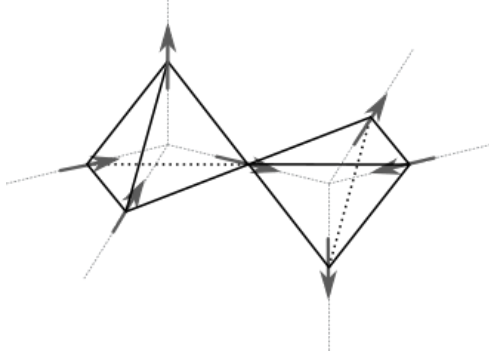


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SCOPE

1. **Classical** frustrated **magnetism**?
2. Tensor networks for classical statistical mechanics
3. Frustrated magnetism : Ising models as **weighted counting problems**
4. Some applications & perspectives

FRUSTRATED MAGNETISM

What is it?

Why study it?

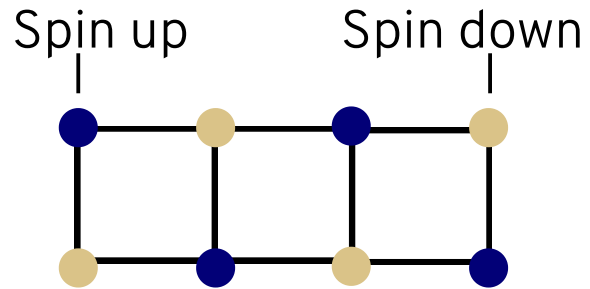
Why is it difficult?

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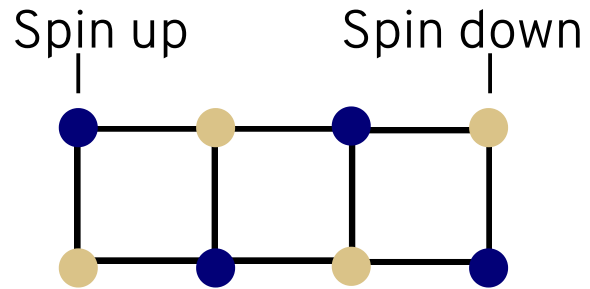
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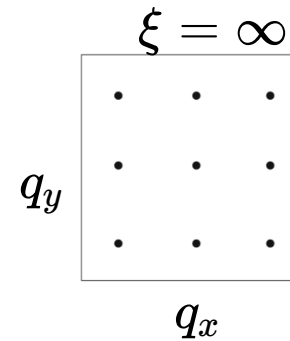


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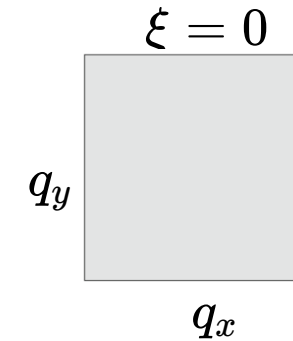
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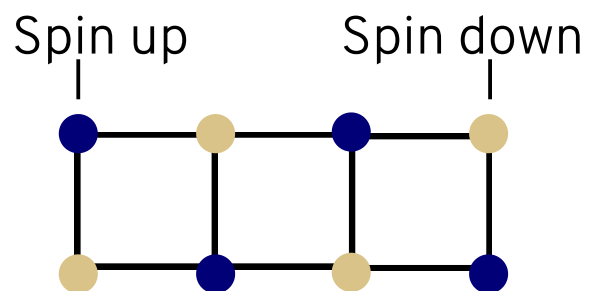


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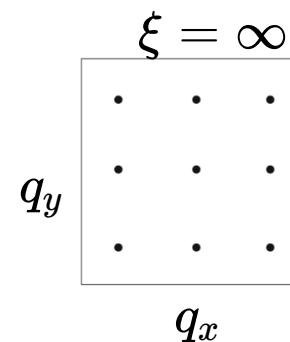


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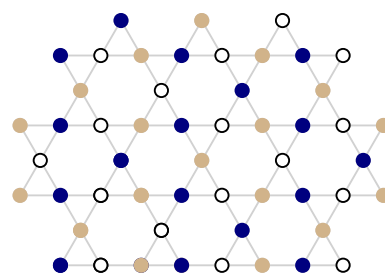
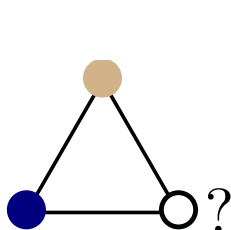
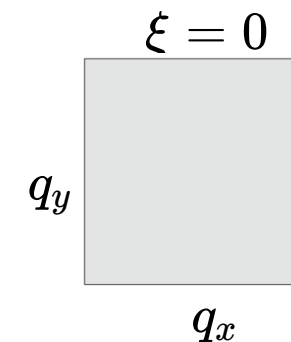
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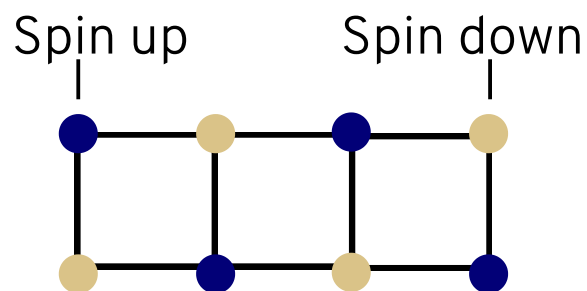


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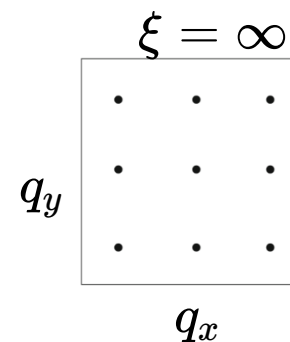


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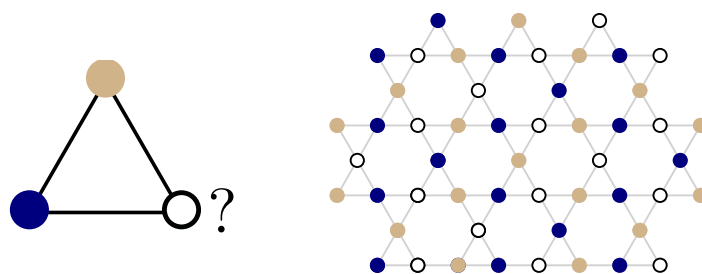
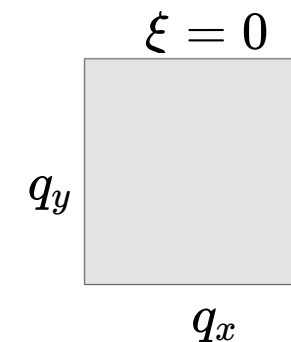
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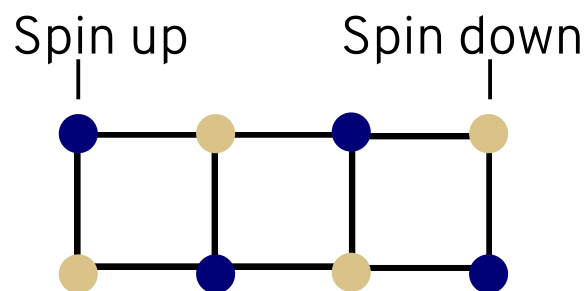


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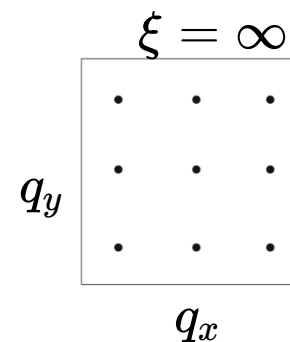
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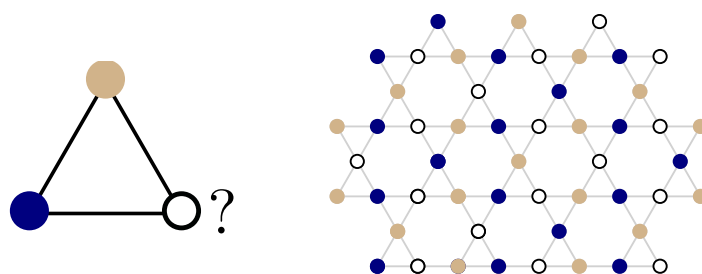
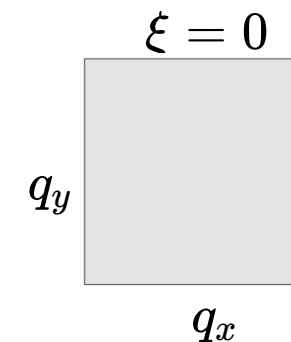
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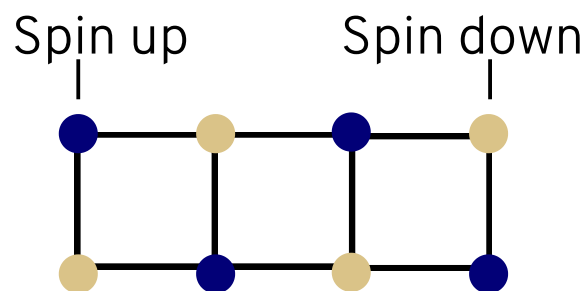
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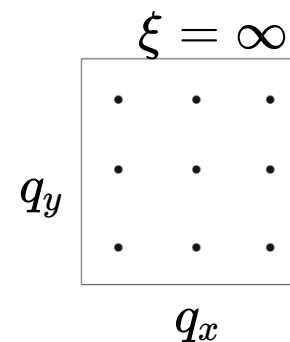
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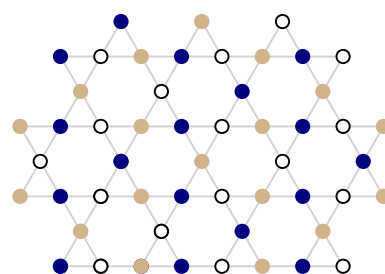
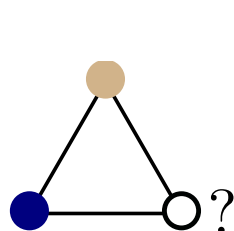
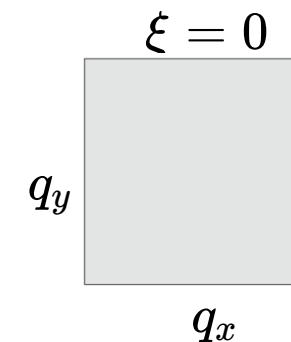
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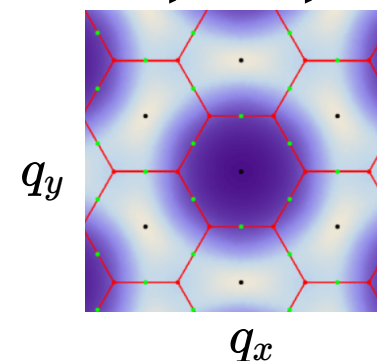


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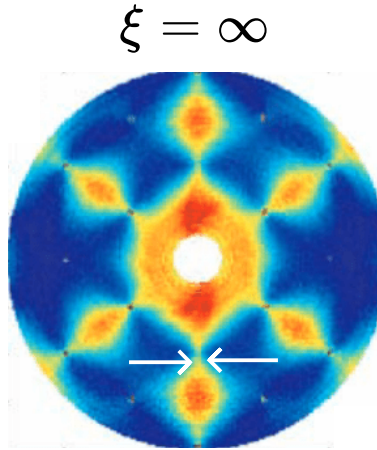


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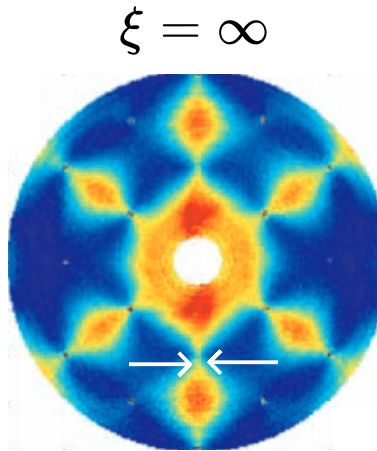
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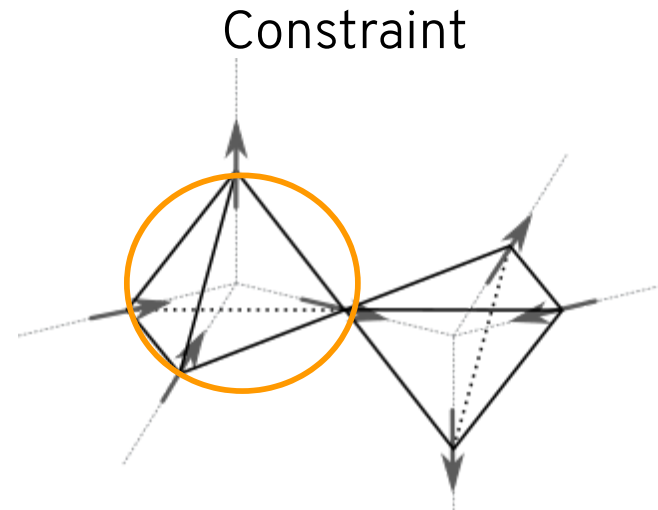
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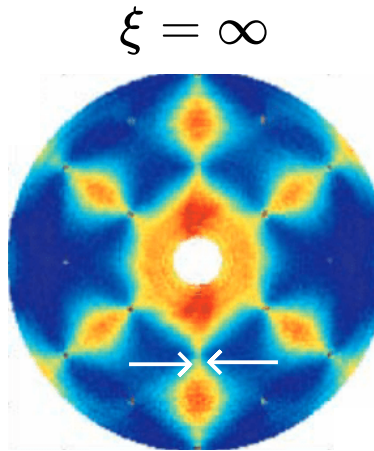
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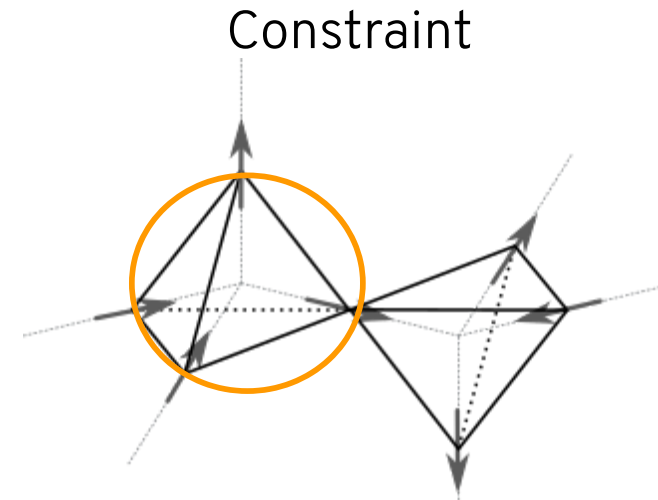
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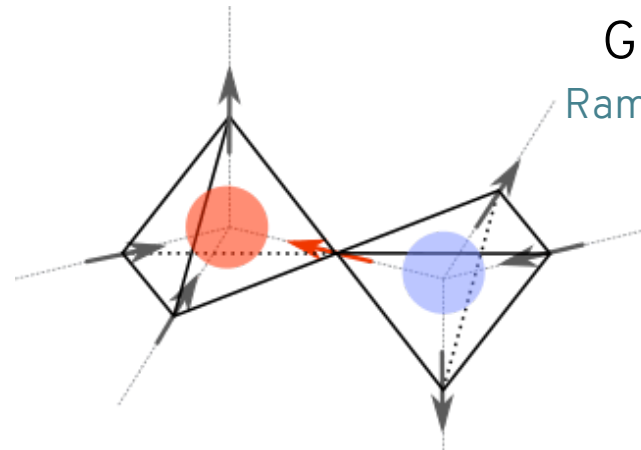
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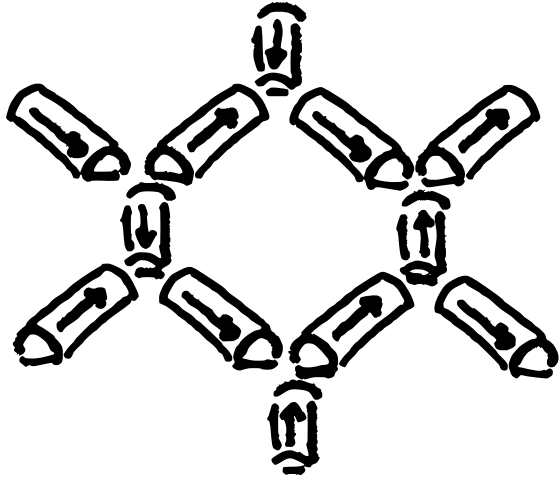
Effective Coulomb interaction $|F| \propto q^2 / r^2$

Henley (2005, 2010), Castelnovo et al (2008)

Classical / quantum electrodynamics

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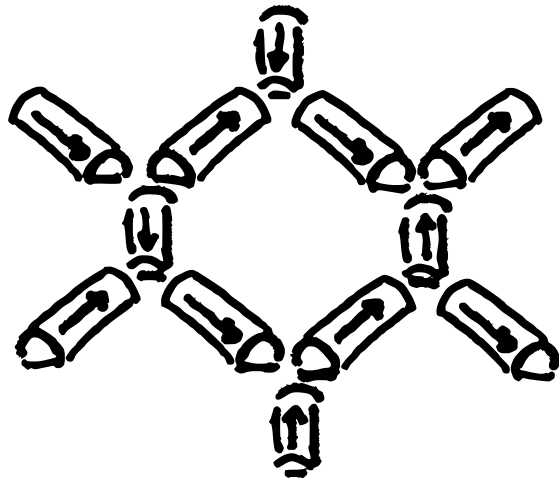


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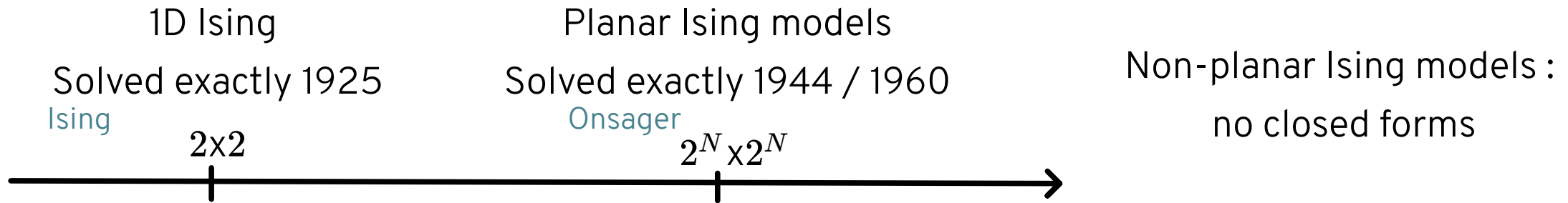


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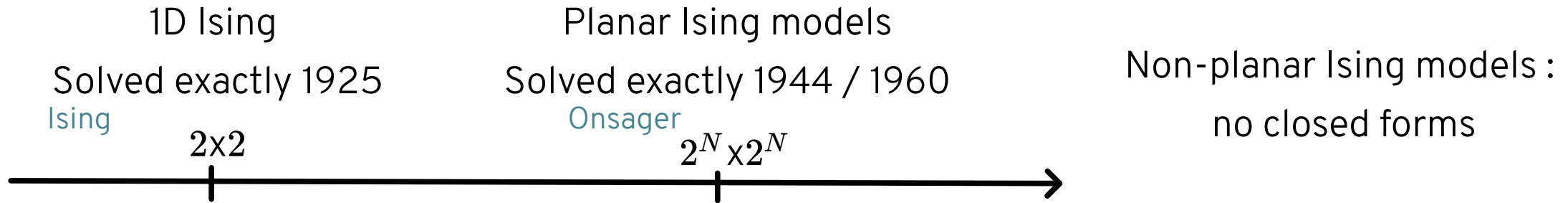
Brooks-Bartlett et al (2014), Canals et al (2016), Petit et al (2016)

Magnetic moment fragmentation

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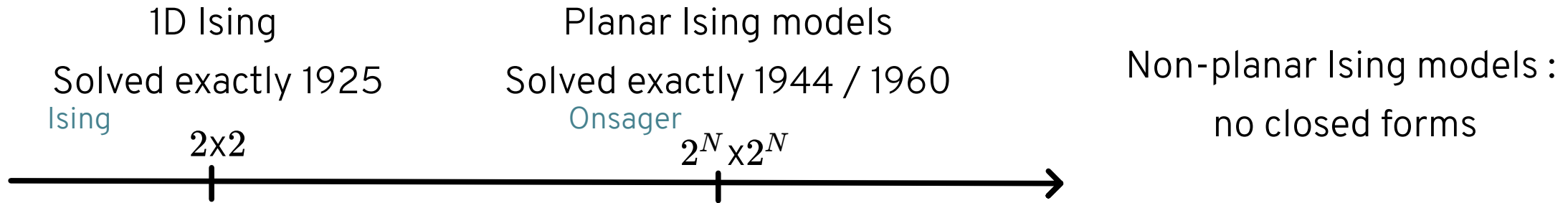


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Methods:

Monte Carlo, series expansion, RG & CFT

Ergodicity issues

Limited to some regimes



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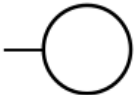
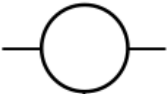
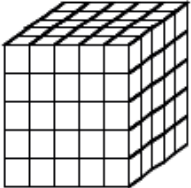
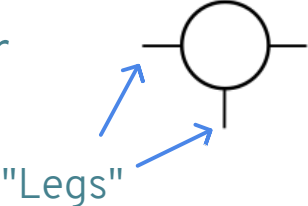
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Chemistry, machine learning, mathematics...

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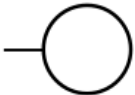
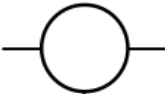
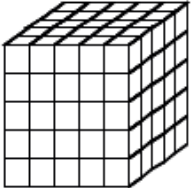
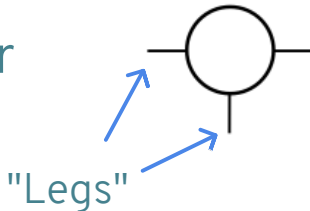
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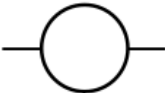
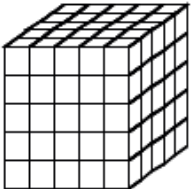
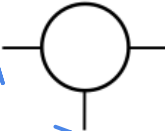
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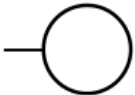
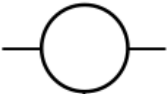
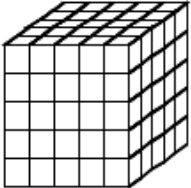
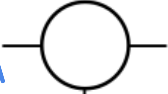
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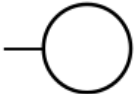
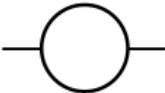
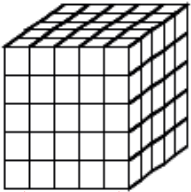
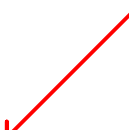
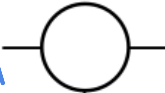
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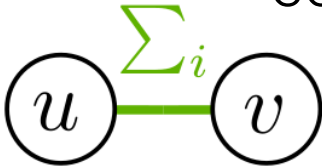
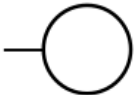
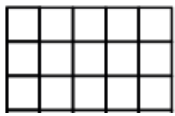
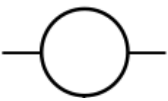
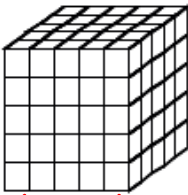
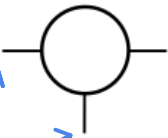
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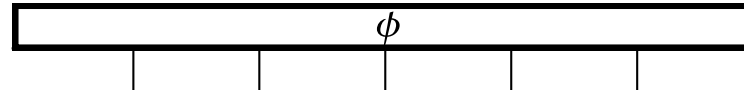
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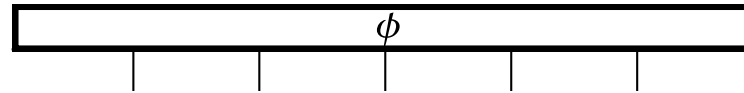
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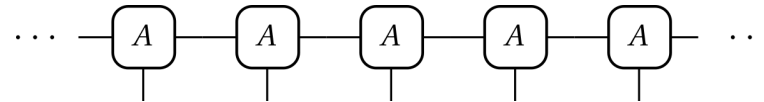
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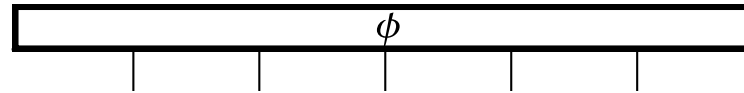


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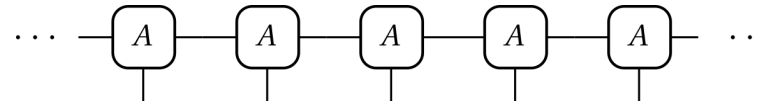
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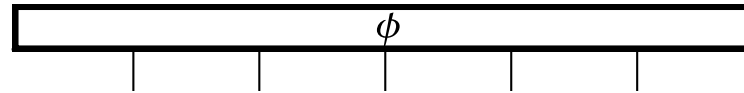
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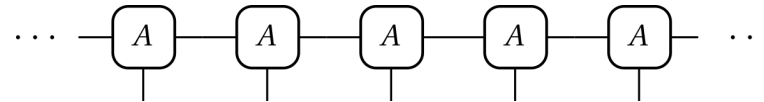
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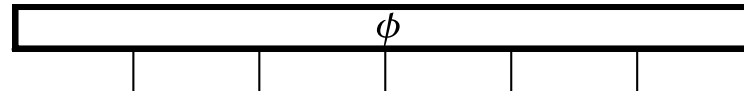
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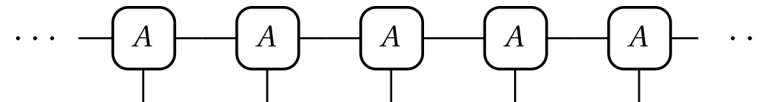
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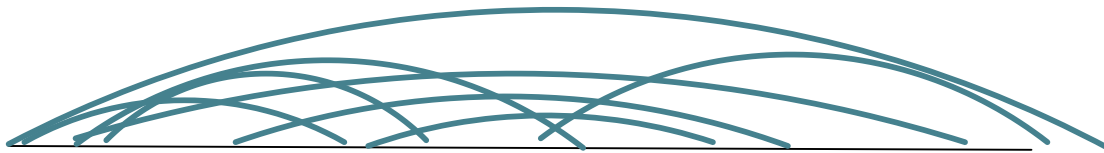


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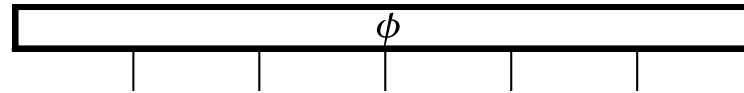


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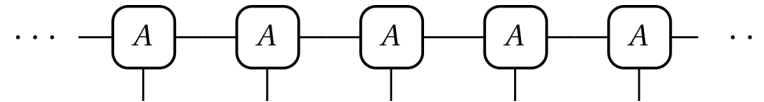
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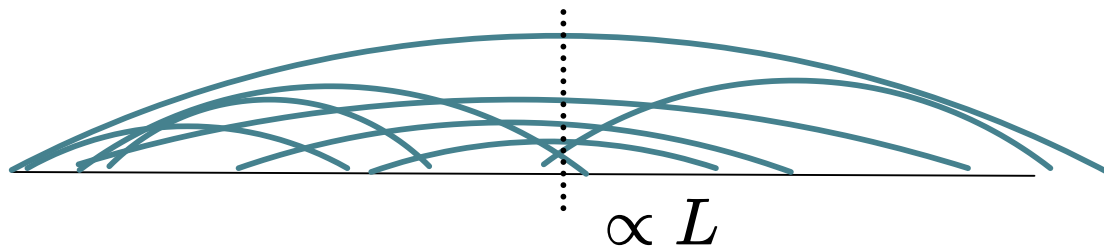
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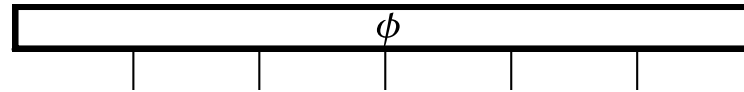


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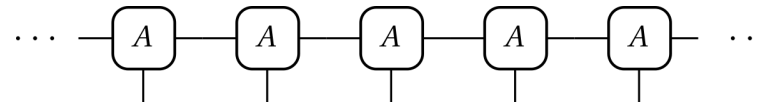
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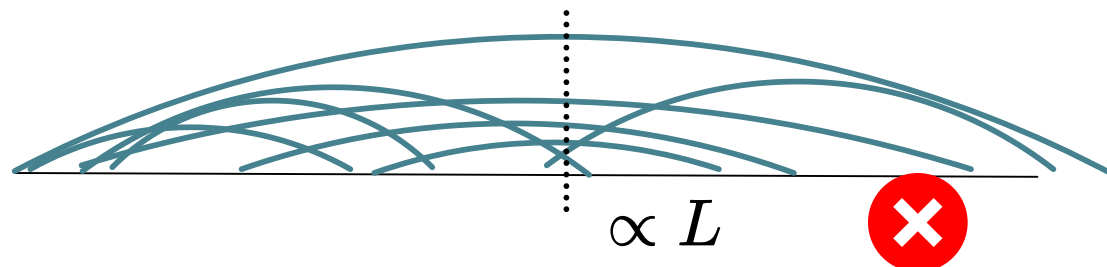
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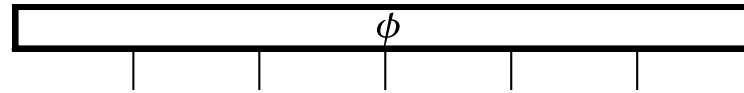


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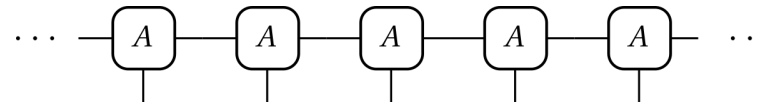
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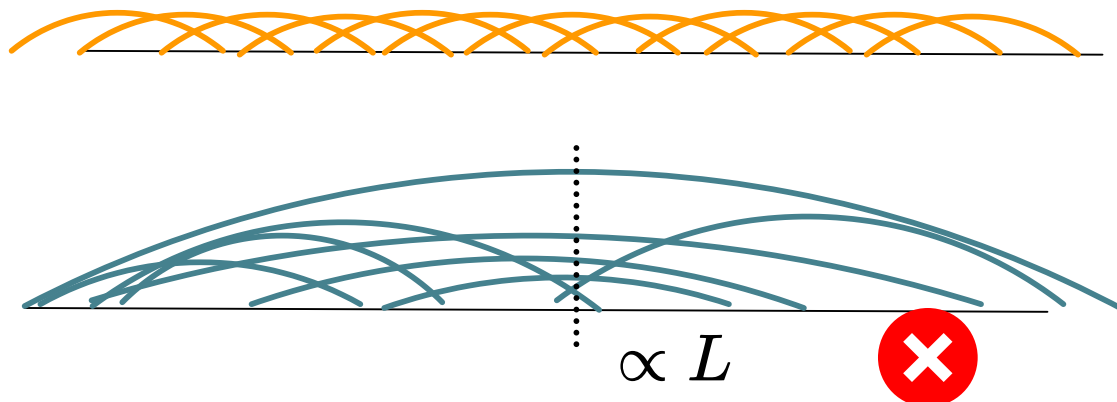


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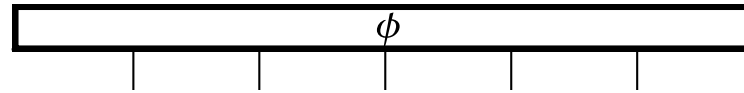


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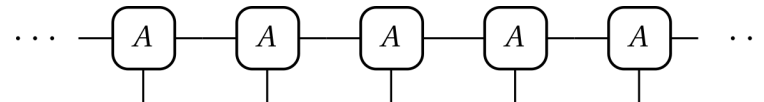
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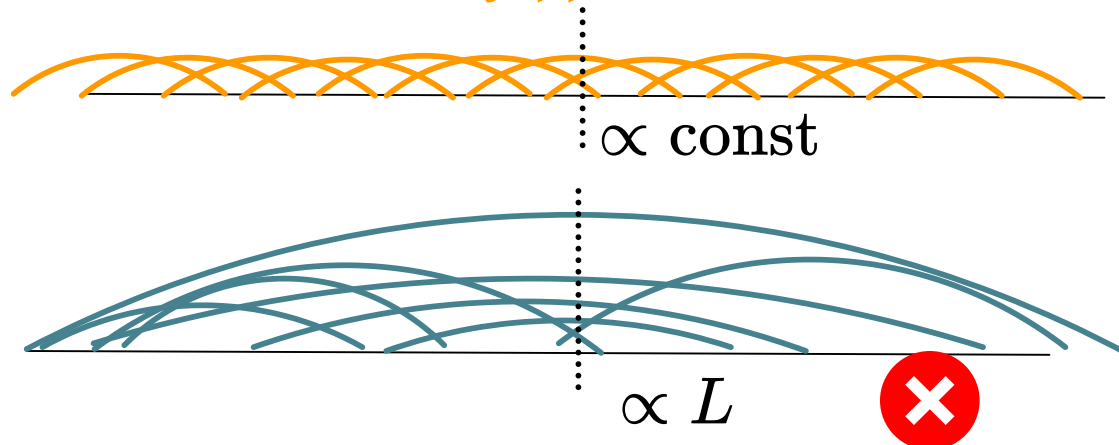


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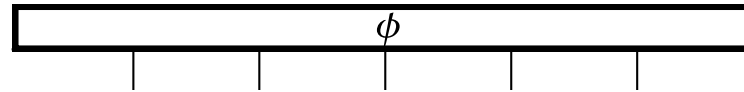


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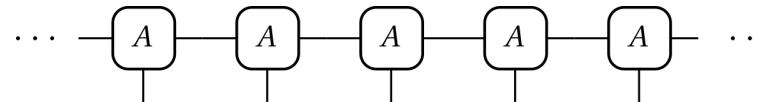
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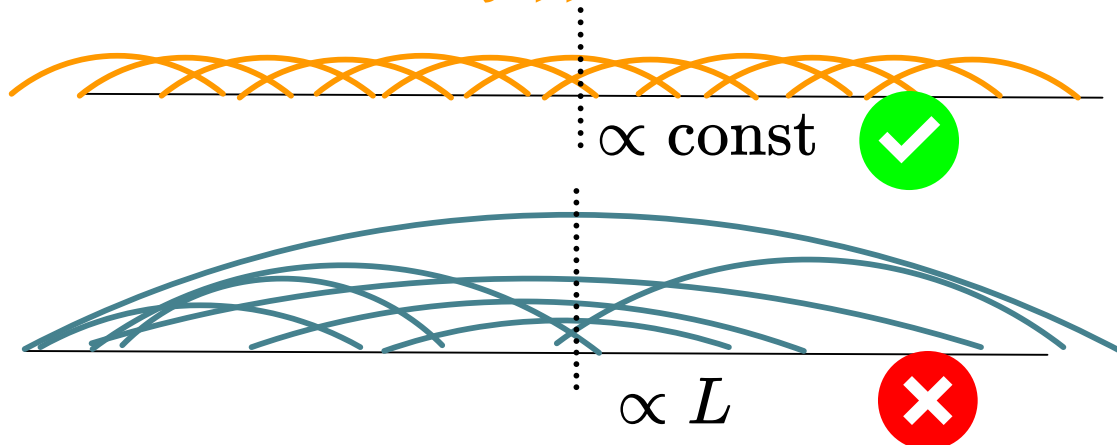


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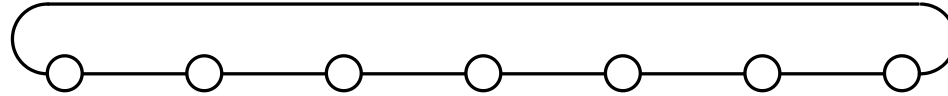


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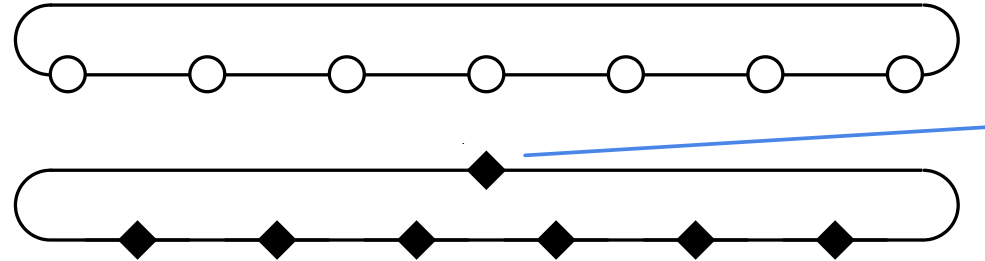
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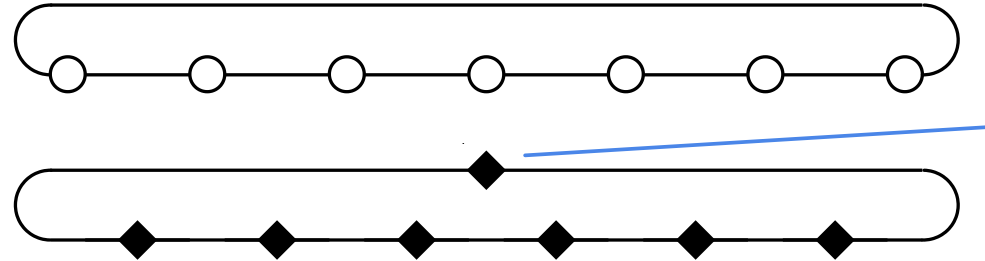
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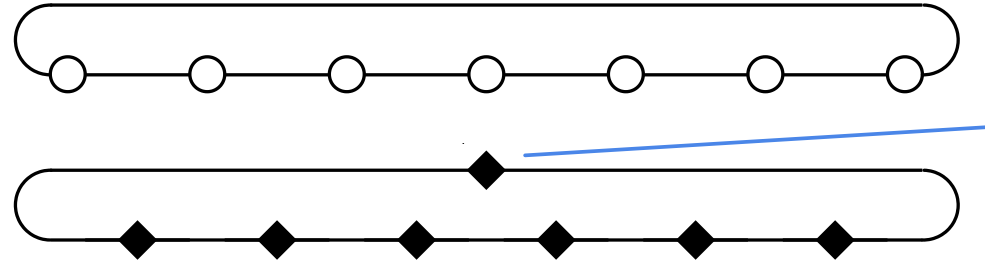
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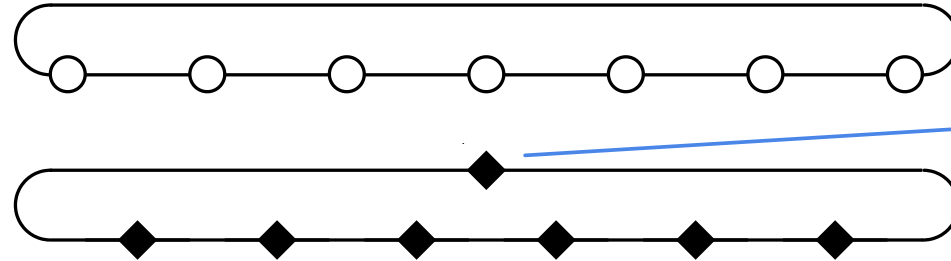
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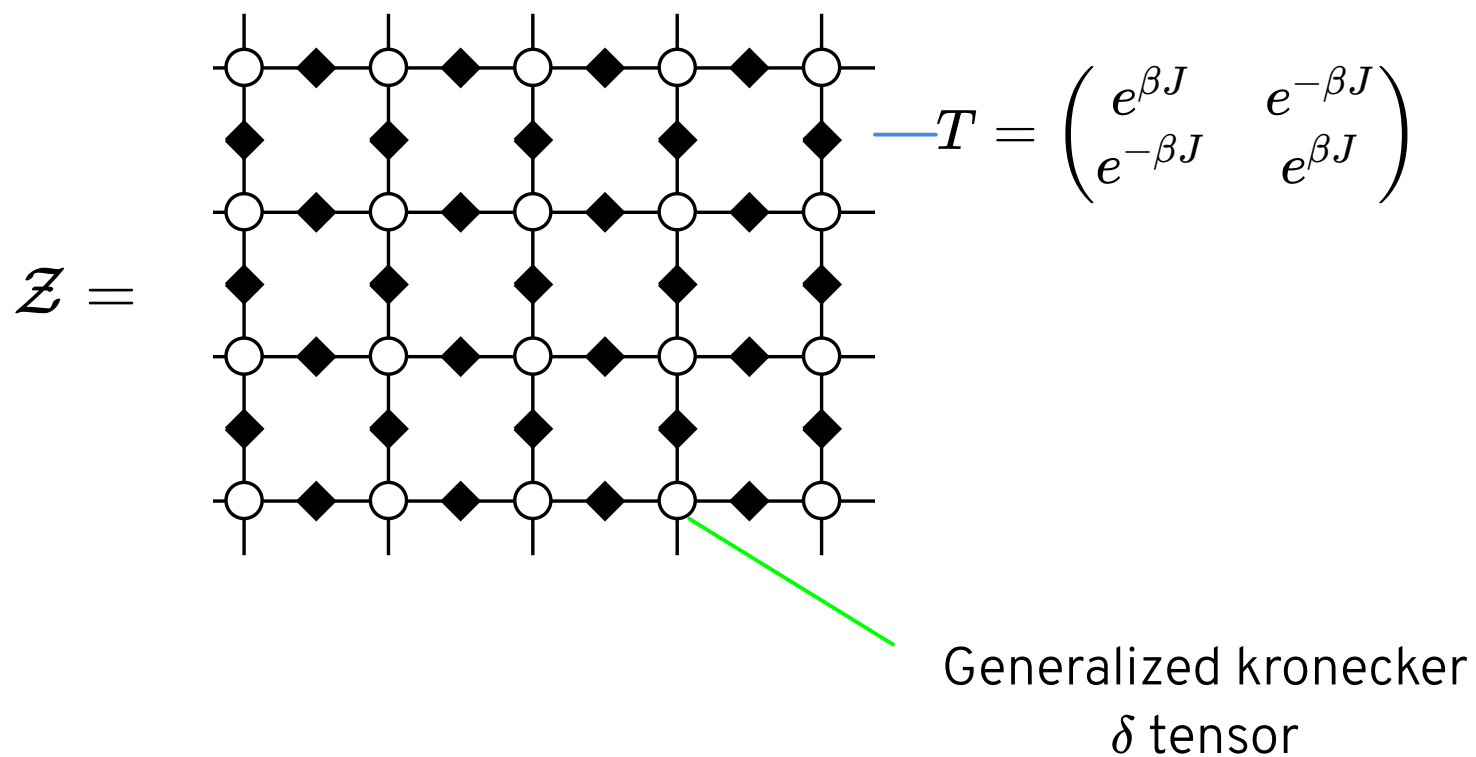
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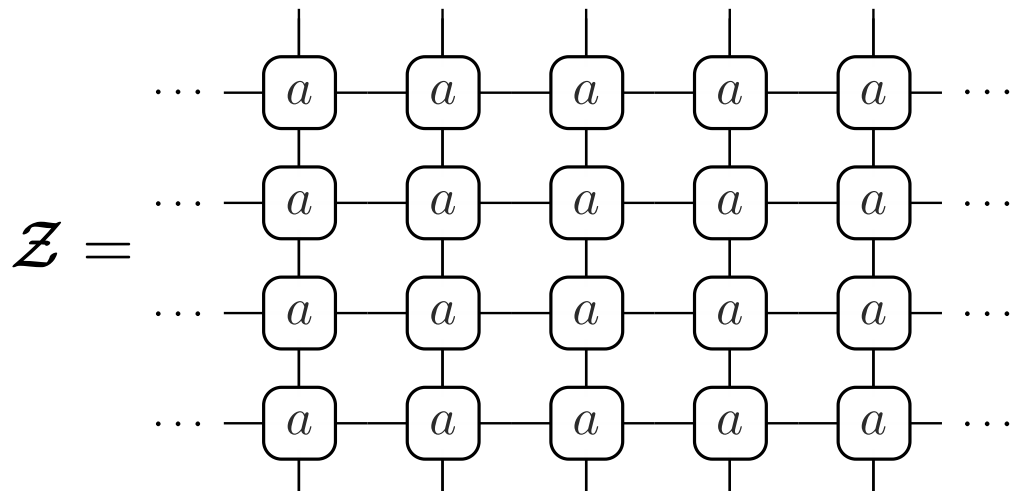
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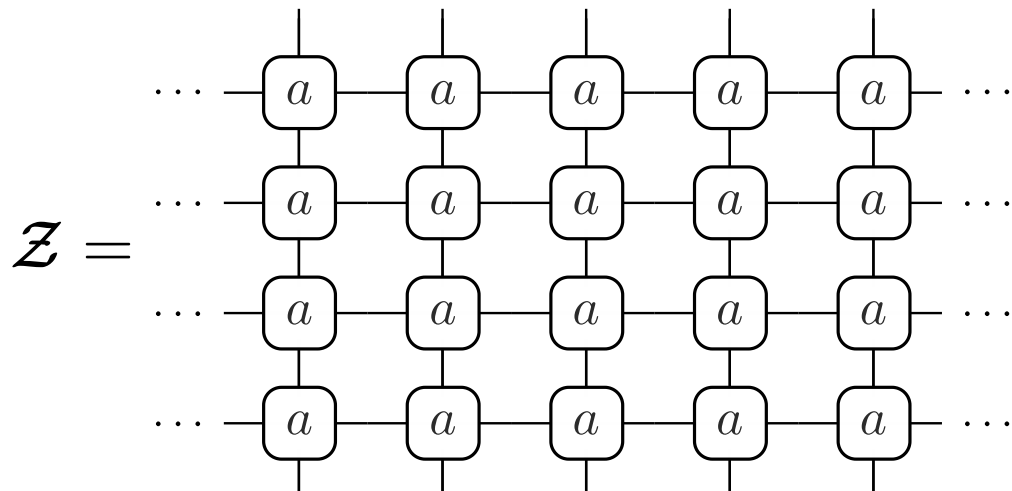


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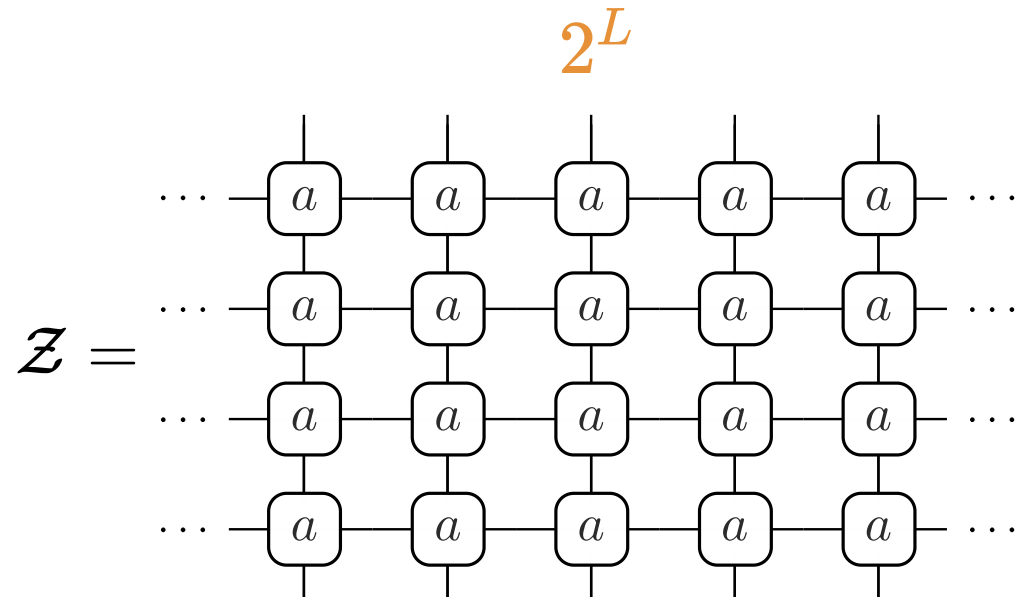
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Goldenfeld & Kadanoff, Science, **284** (1999)

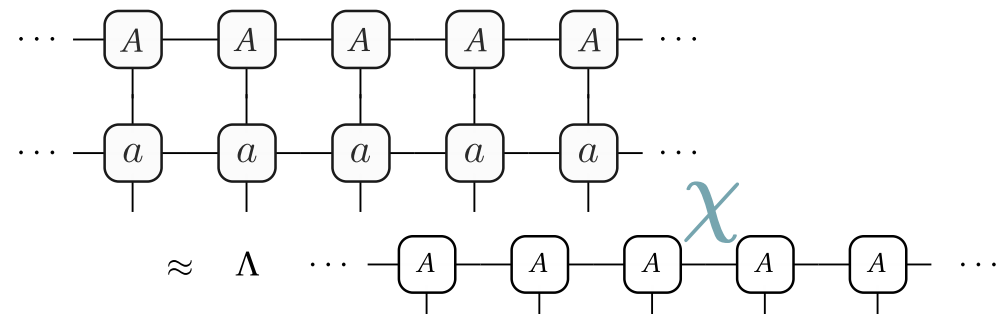
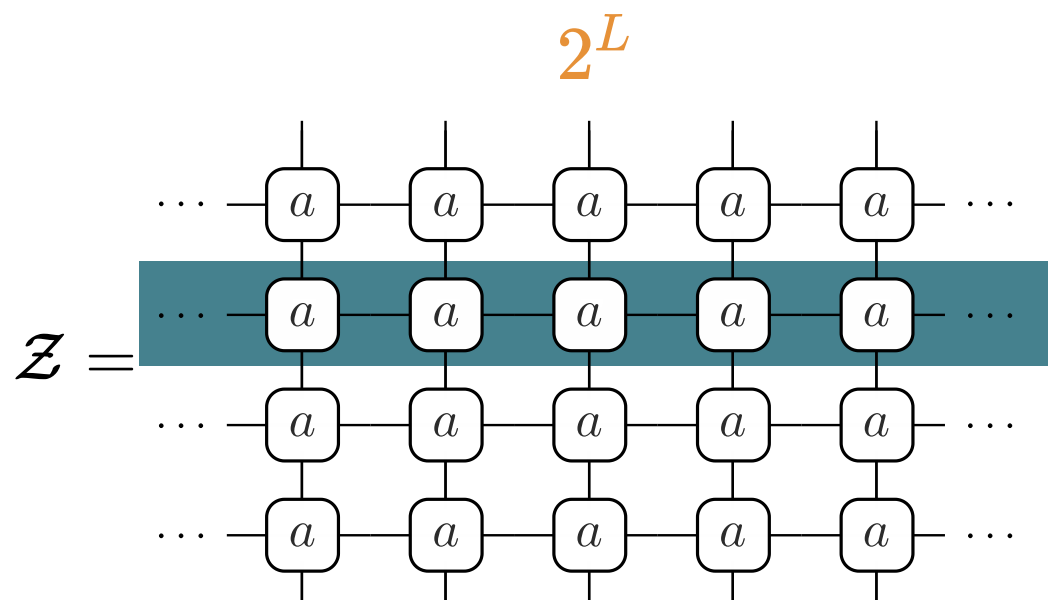
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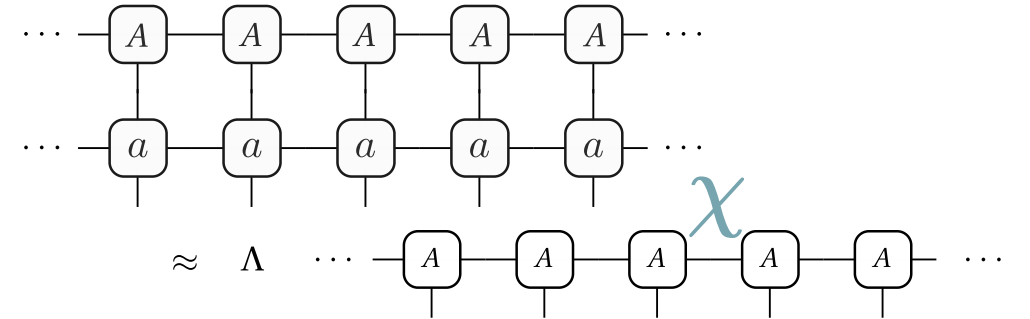
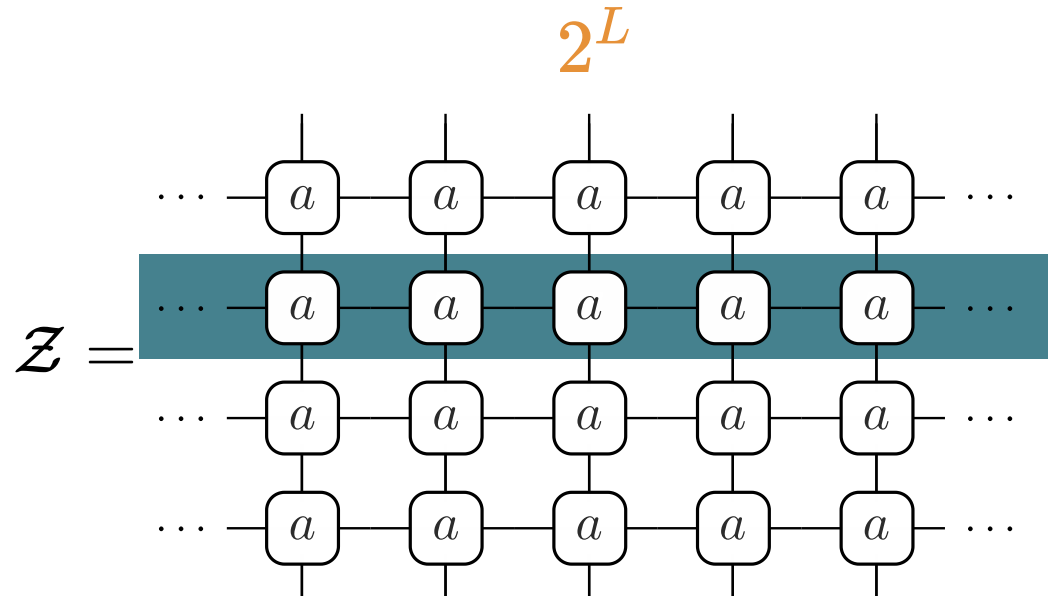
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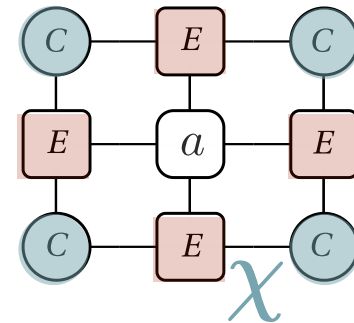
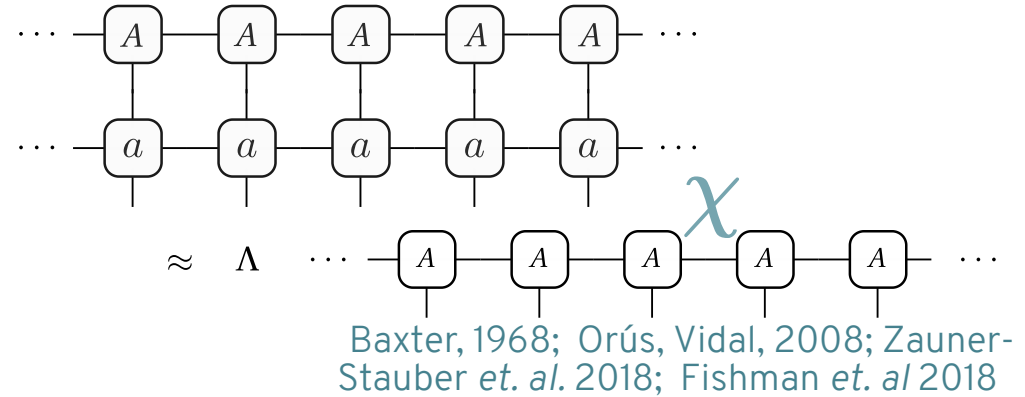
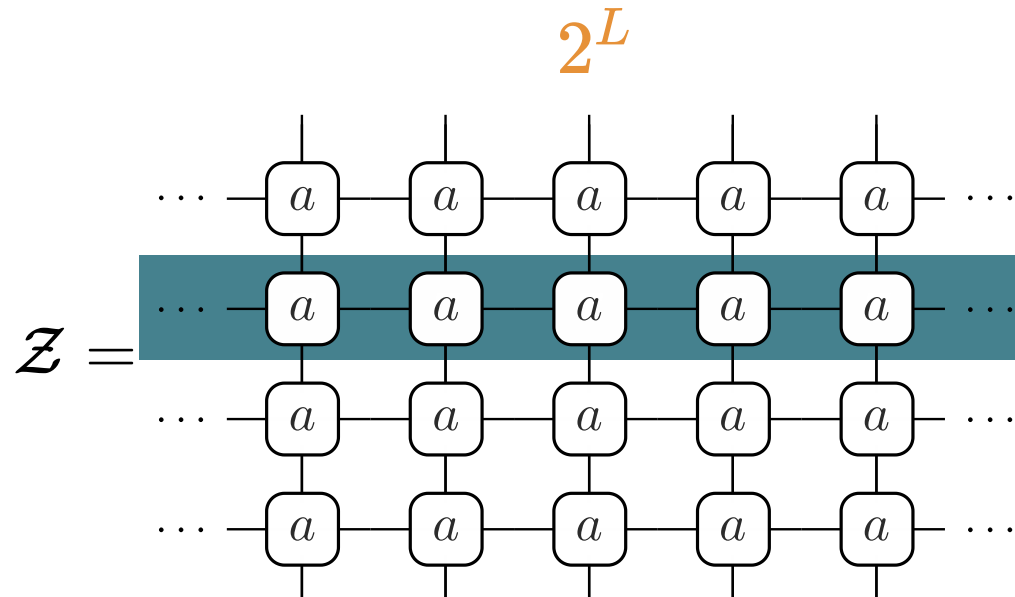
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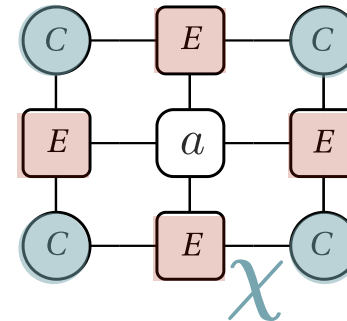
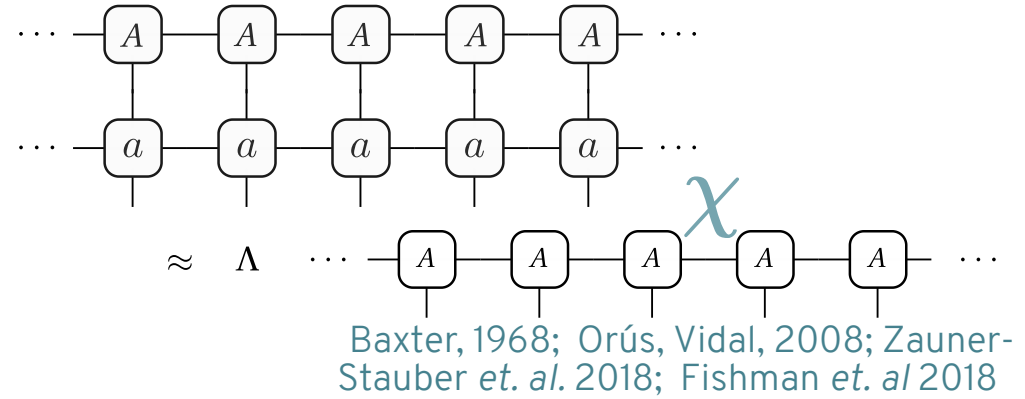
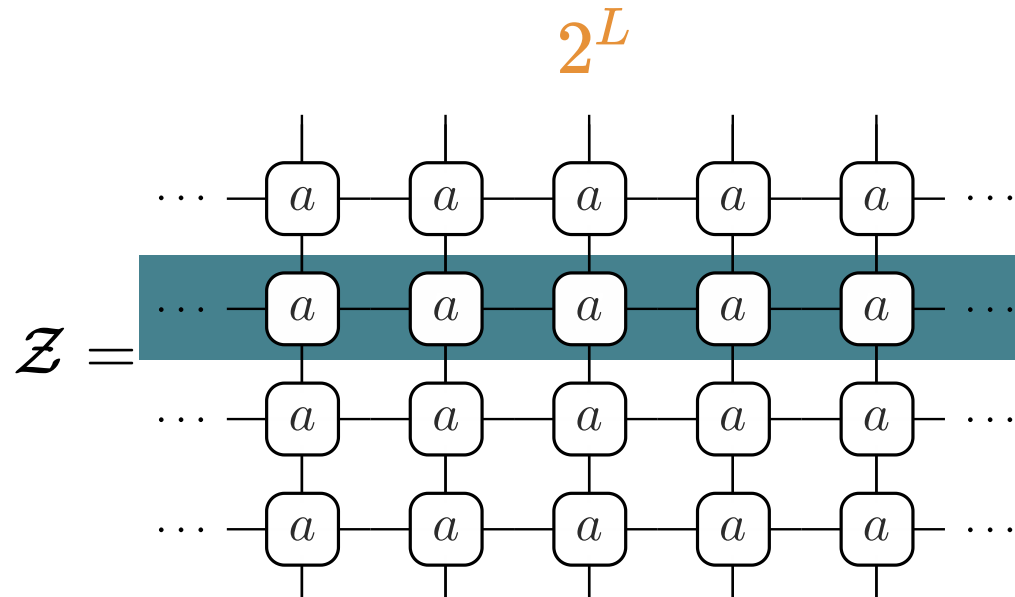
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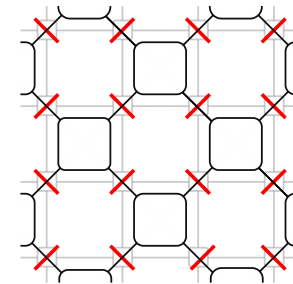
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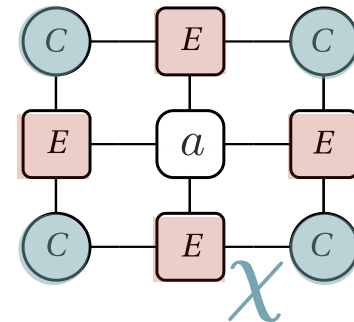
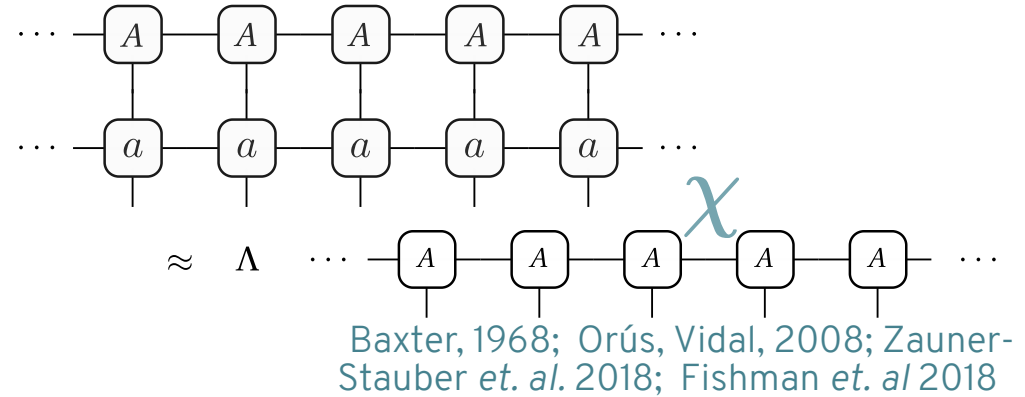
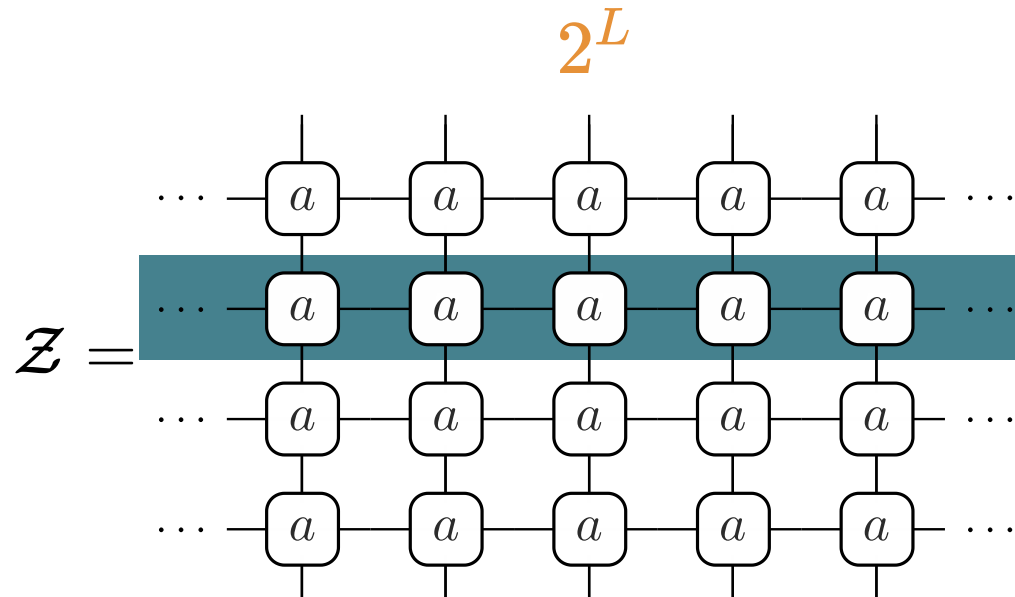


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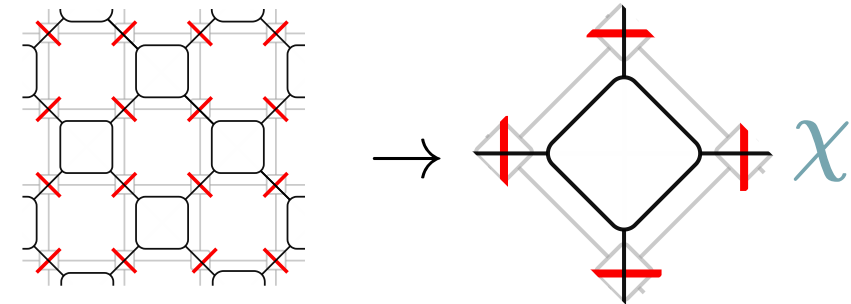


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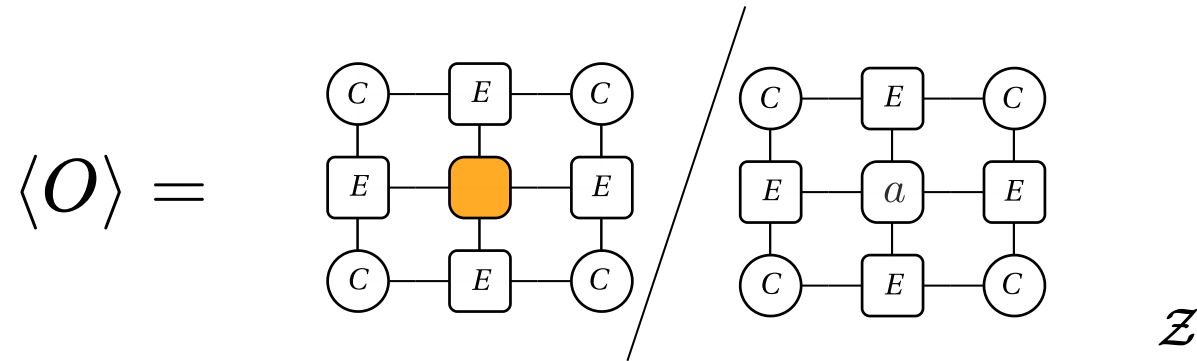
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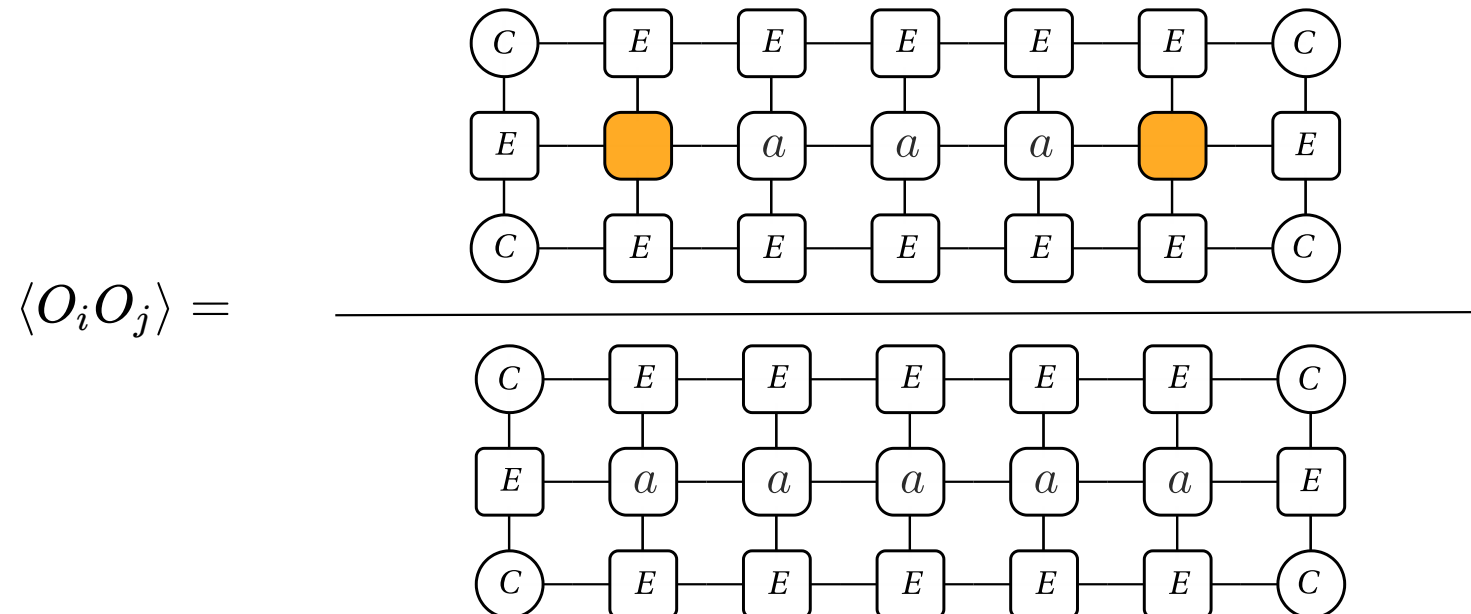
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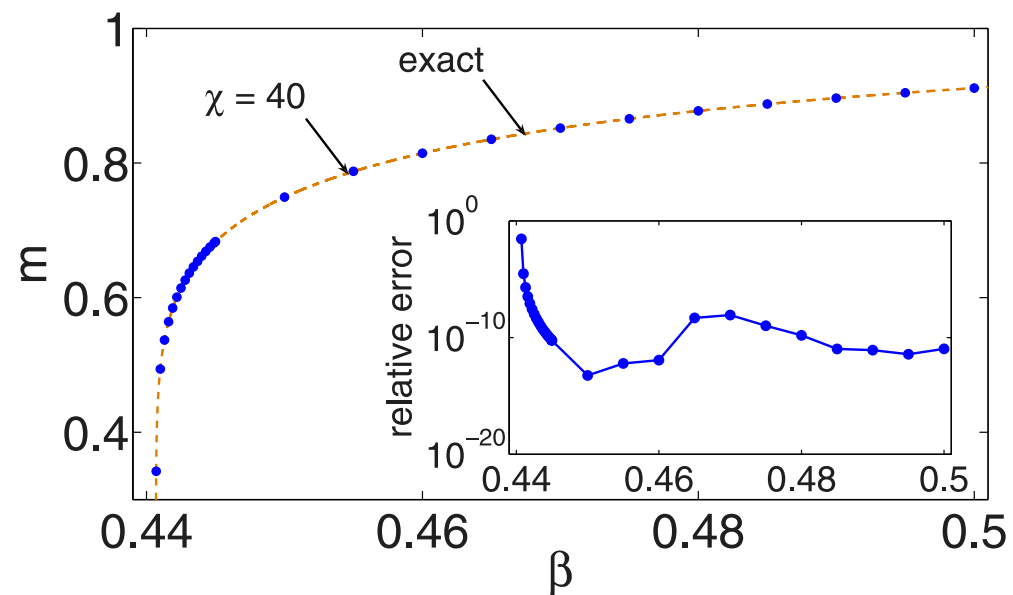


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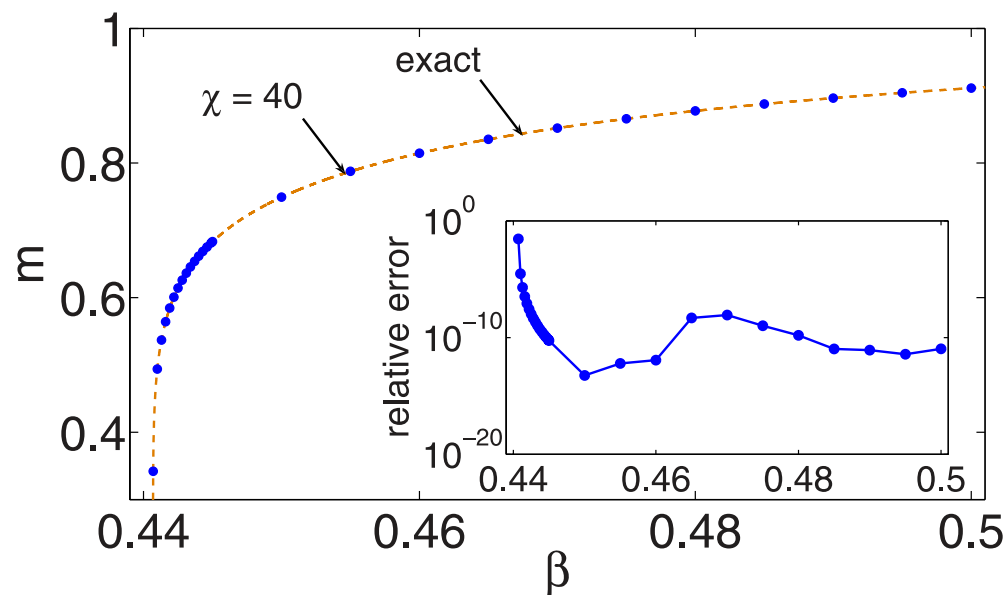


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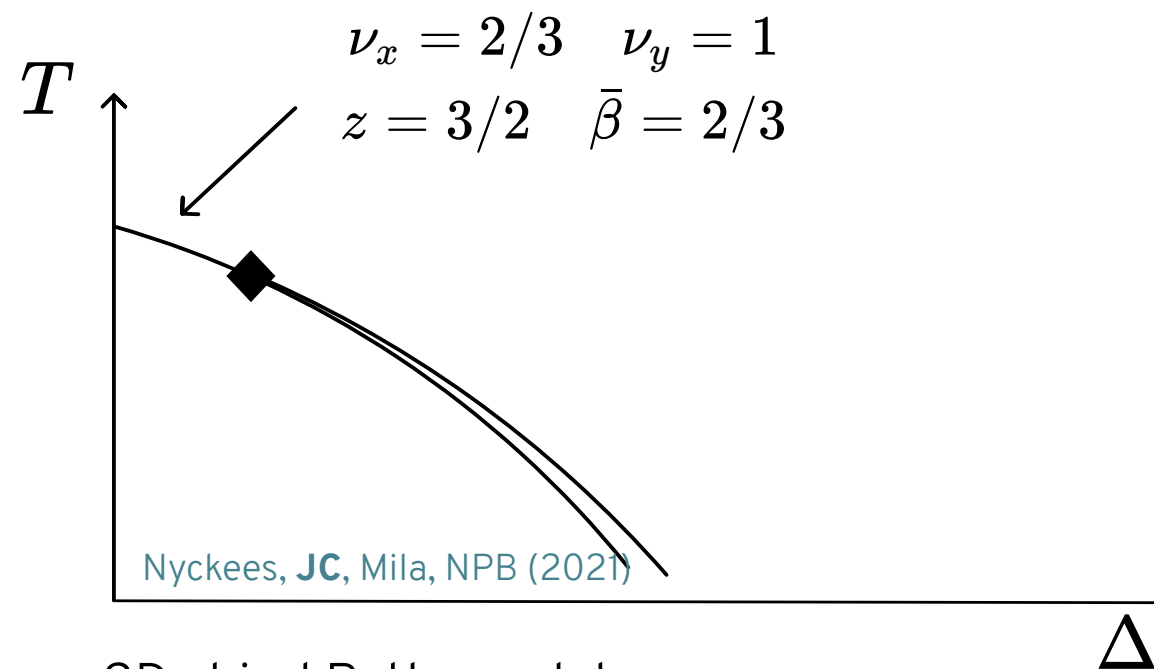
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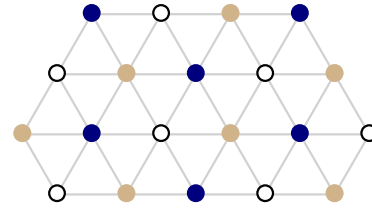
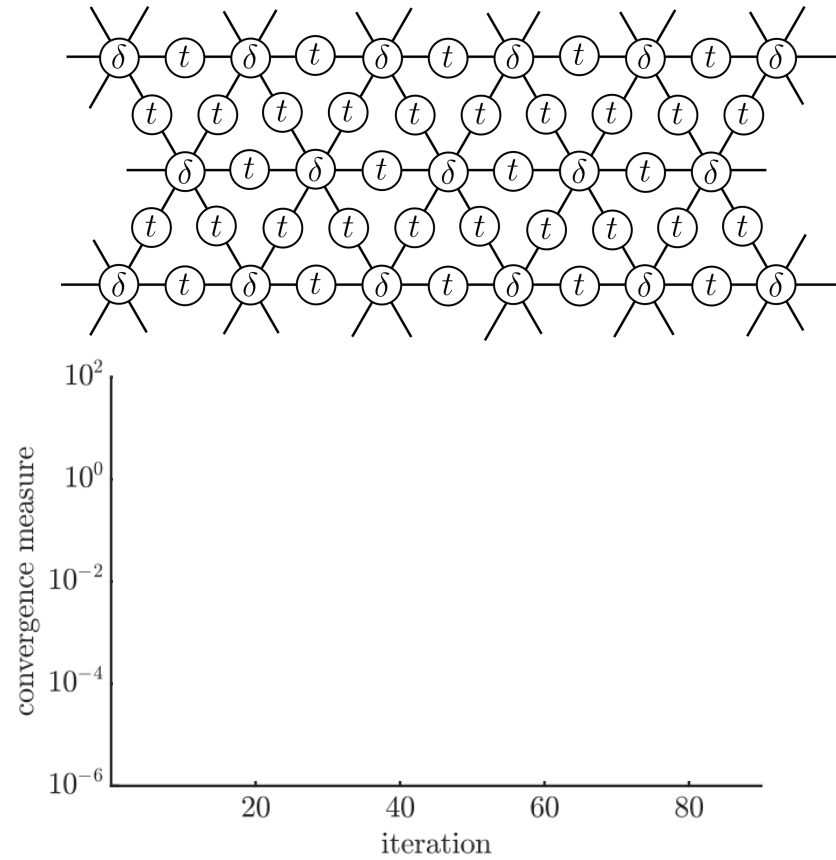


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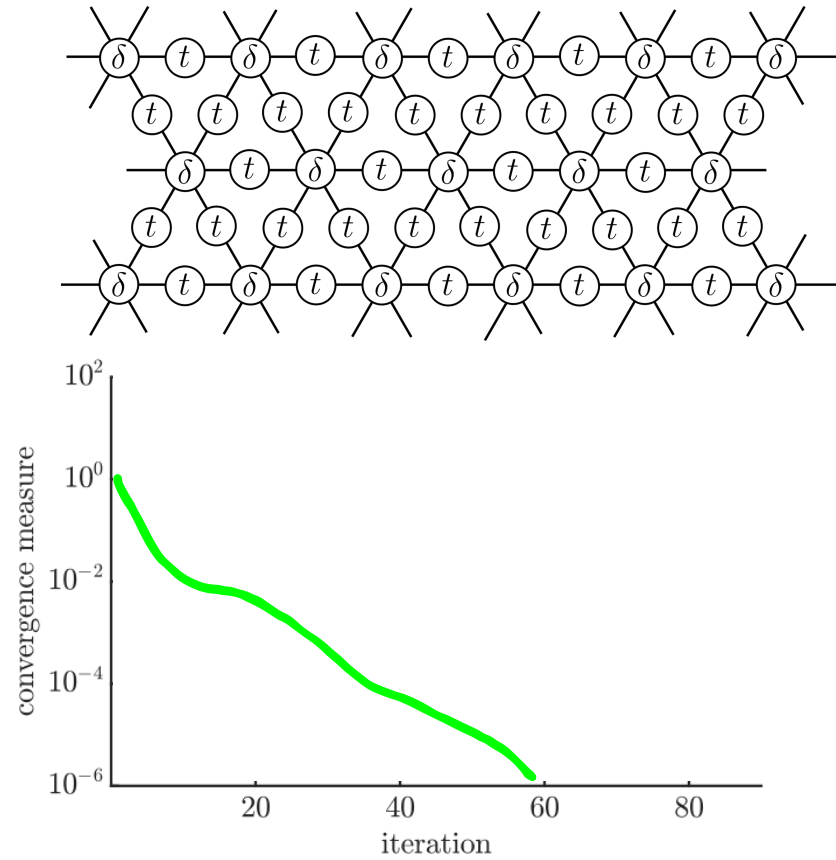
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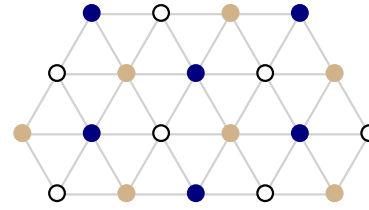
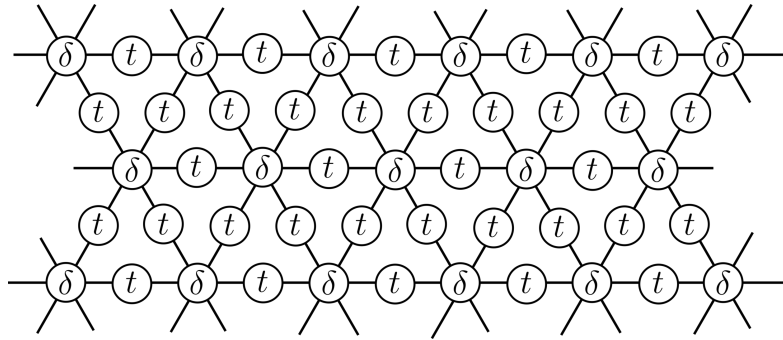
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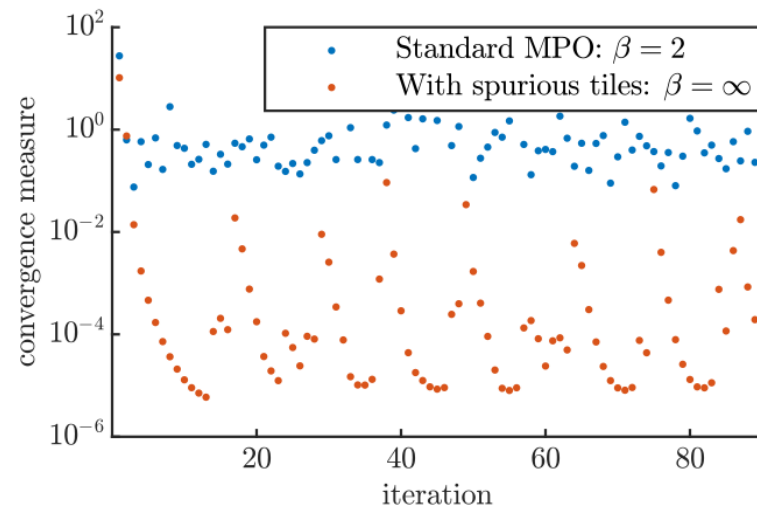


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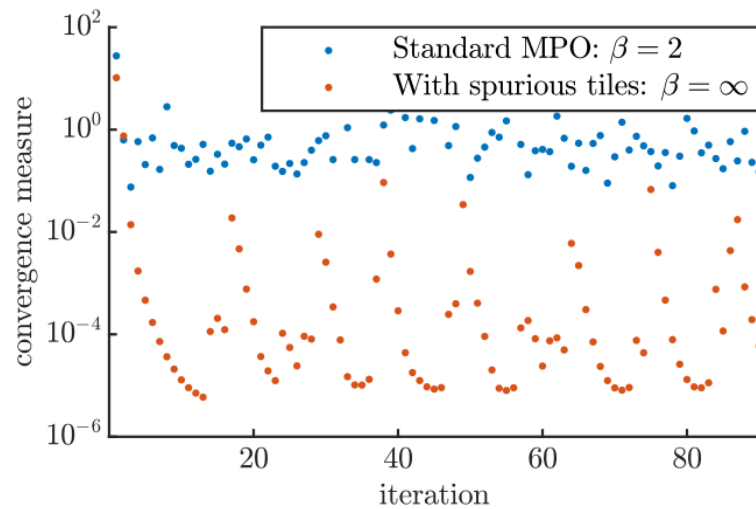
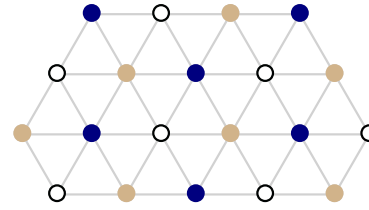
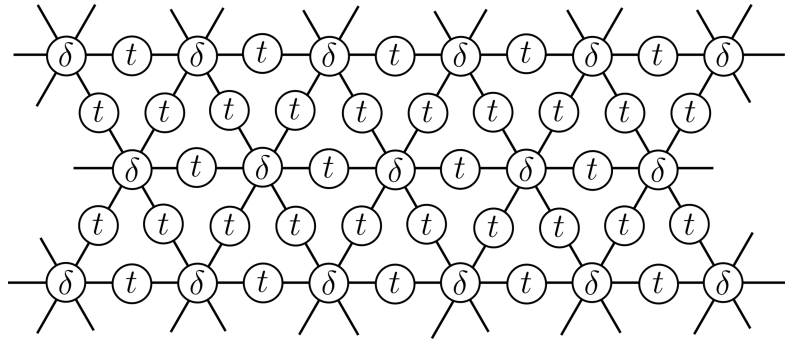


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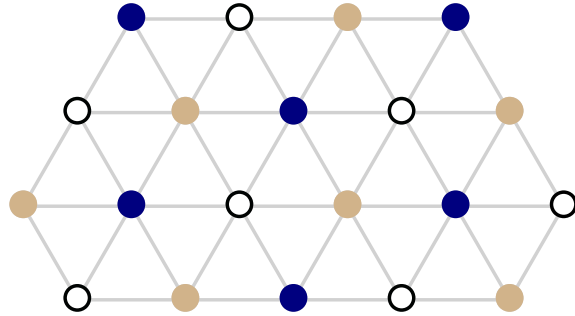
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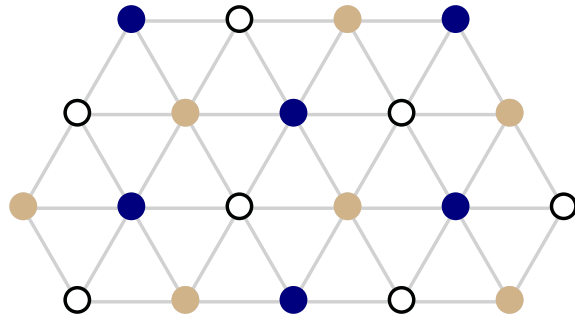


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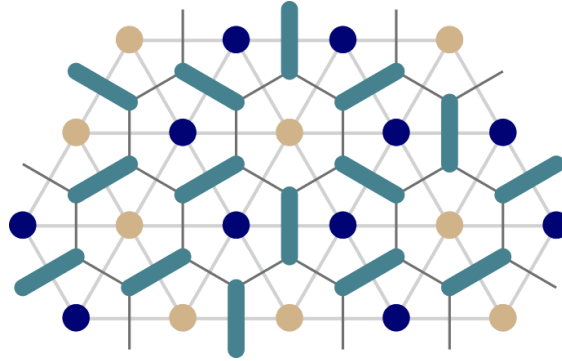
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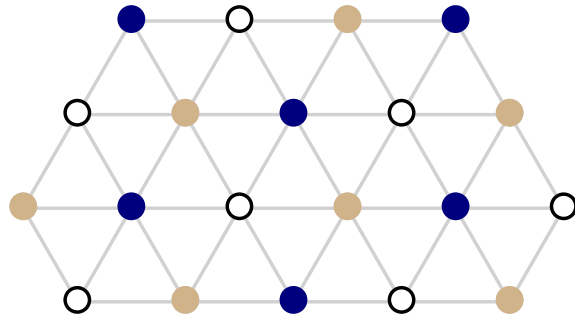
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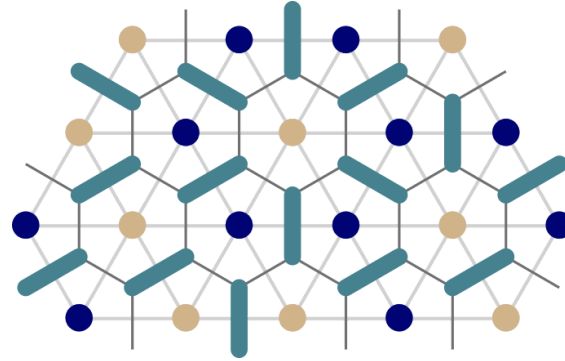
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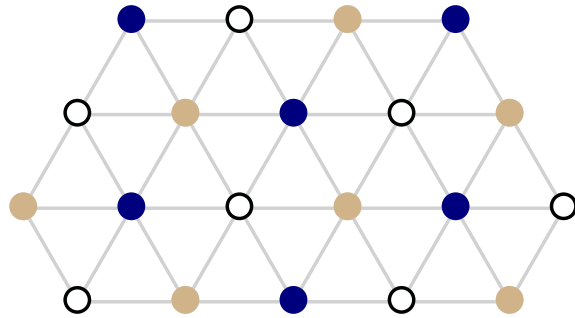
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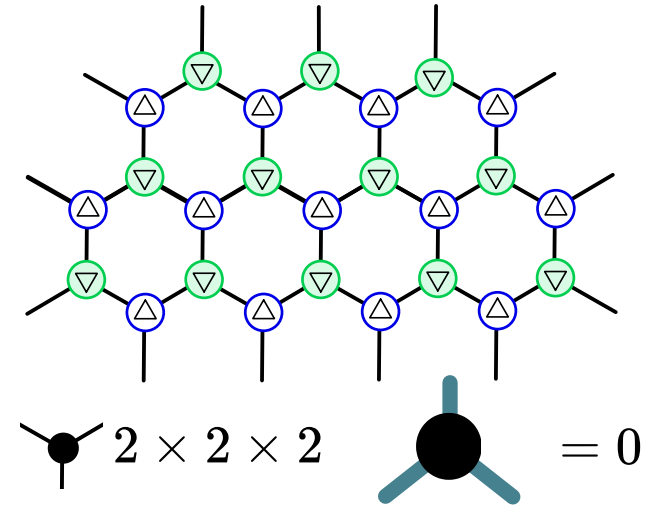
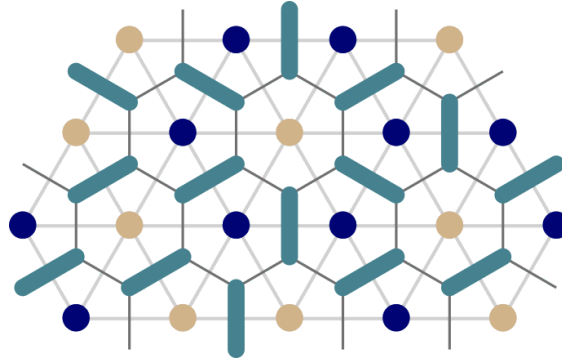
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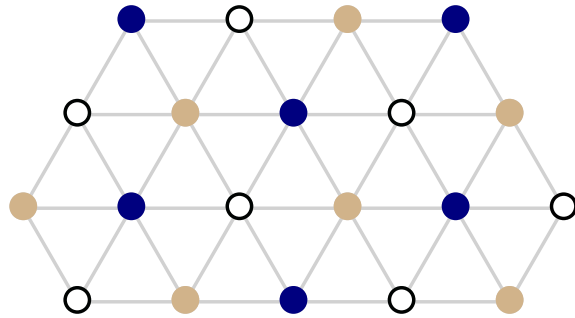
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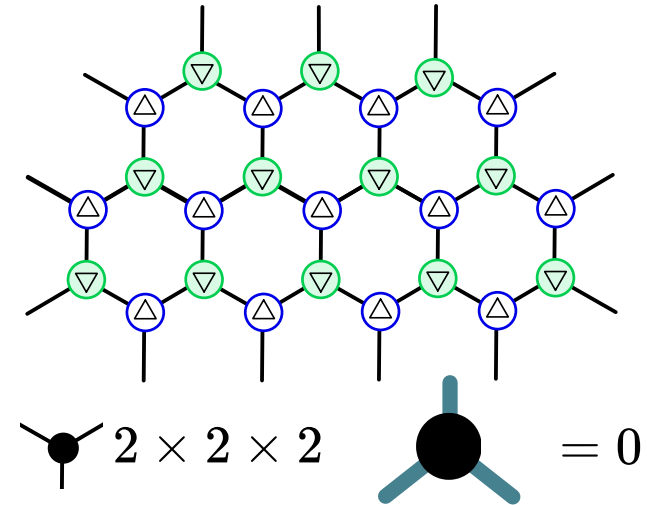
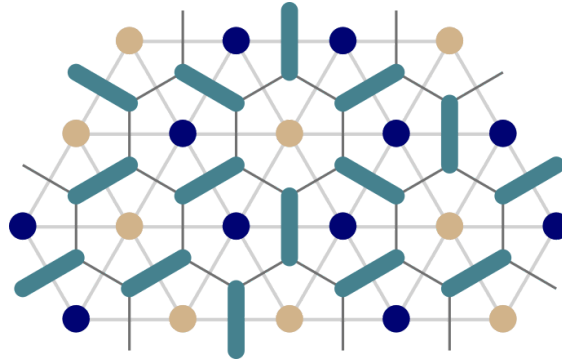
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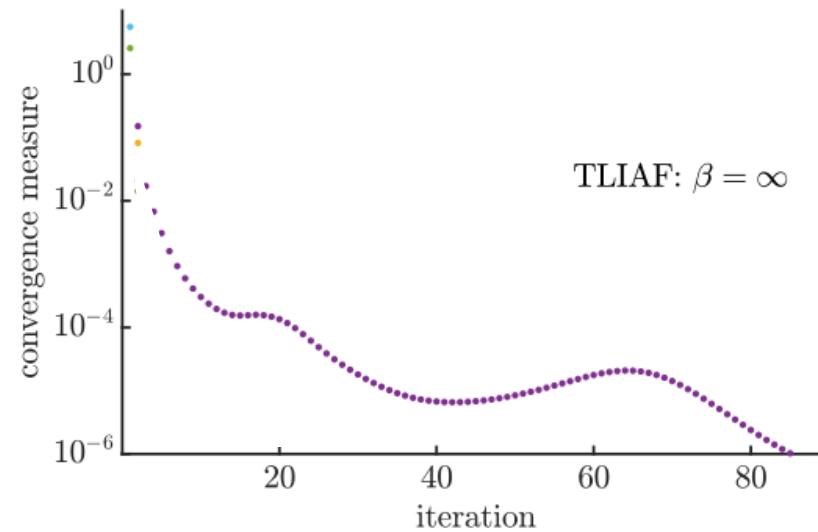


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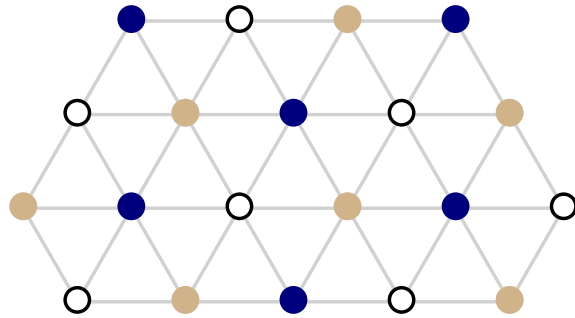
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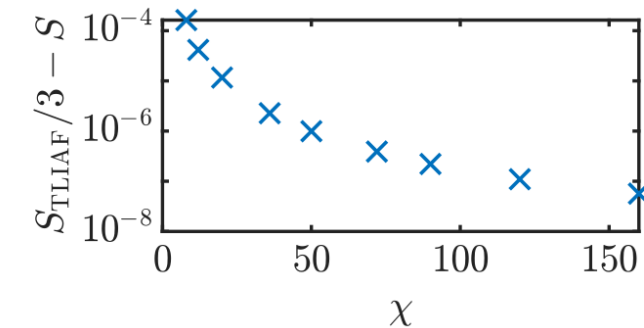
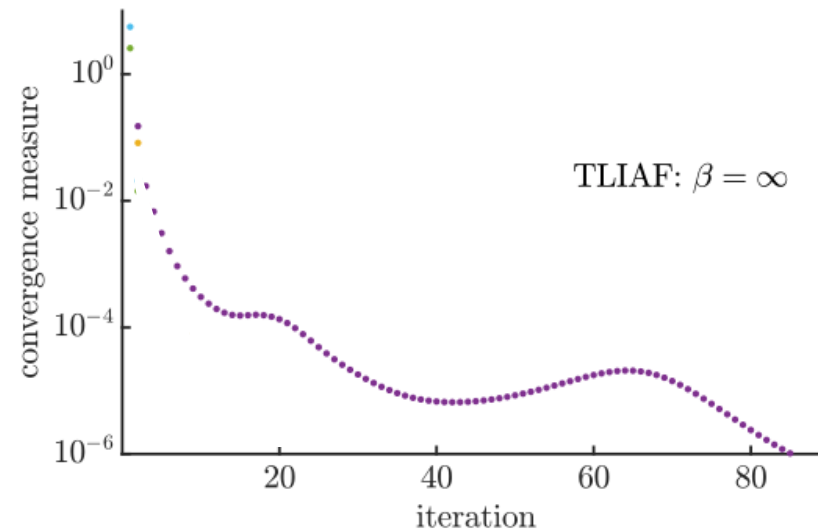
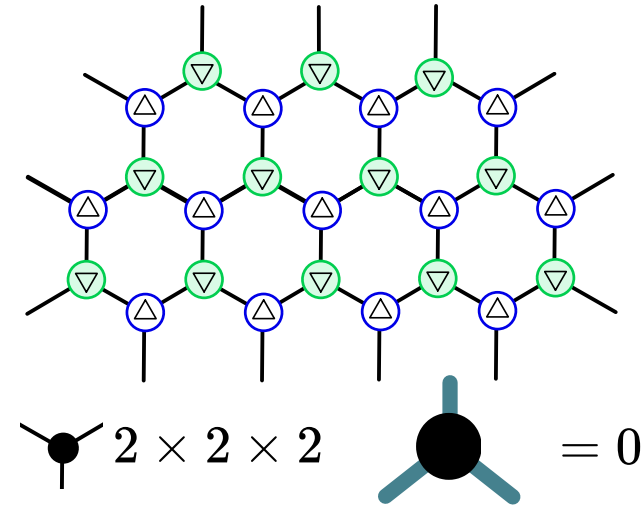
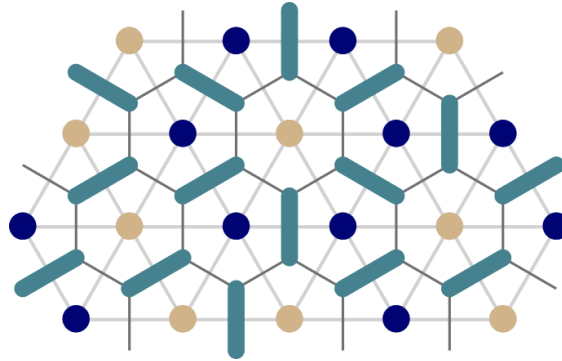
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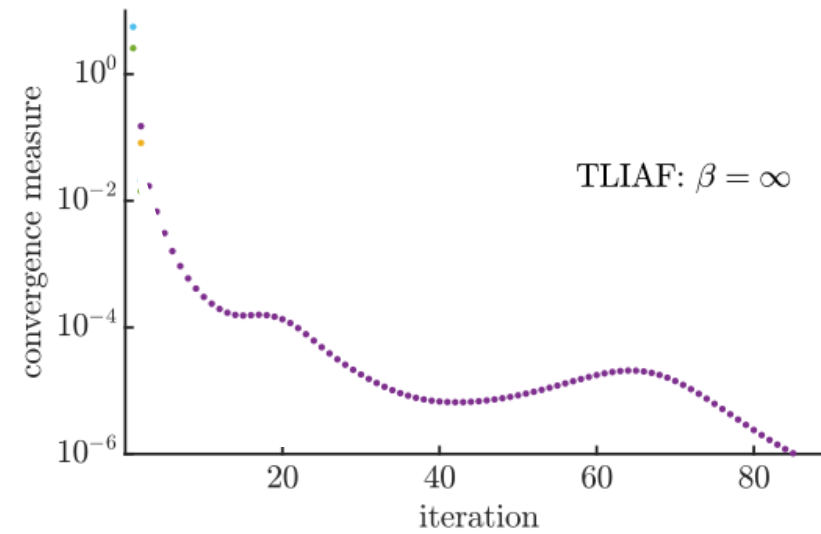
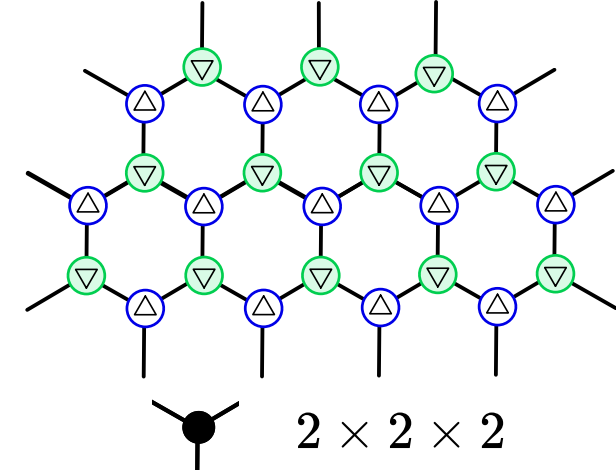
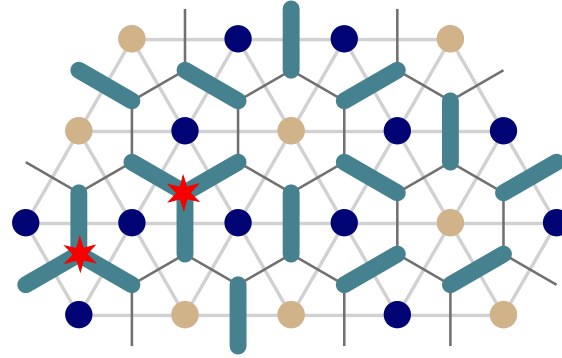
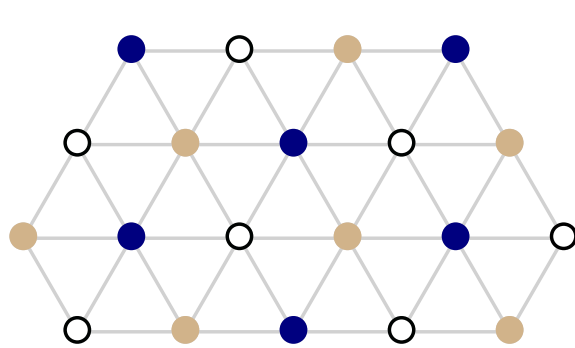
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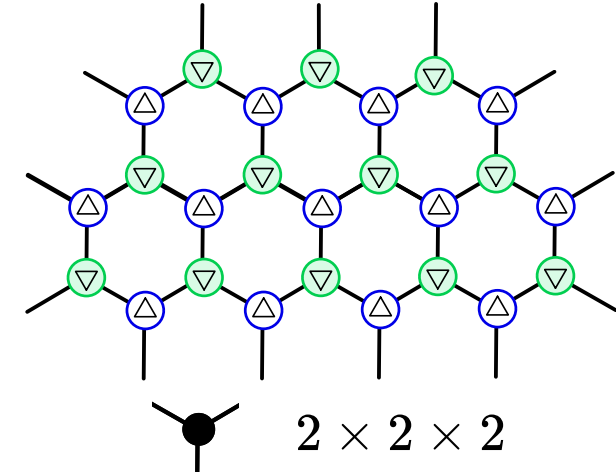
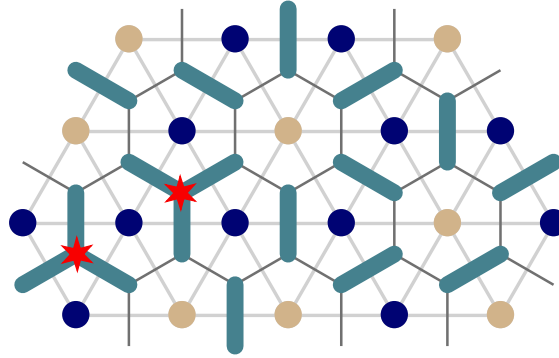
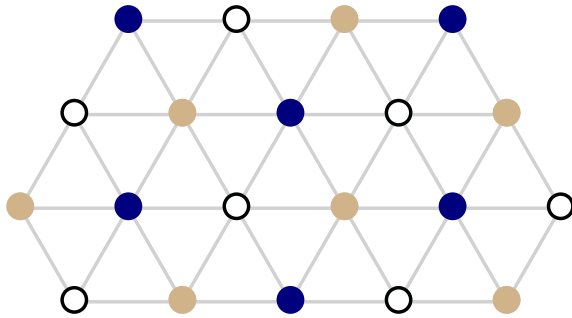
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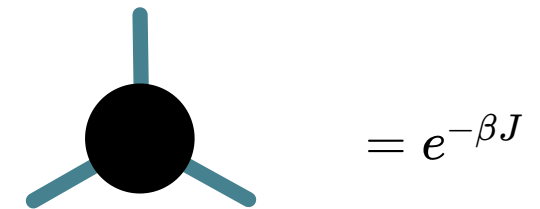


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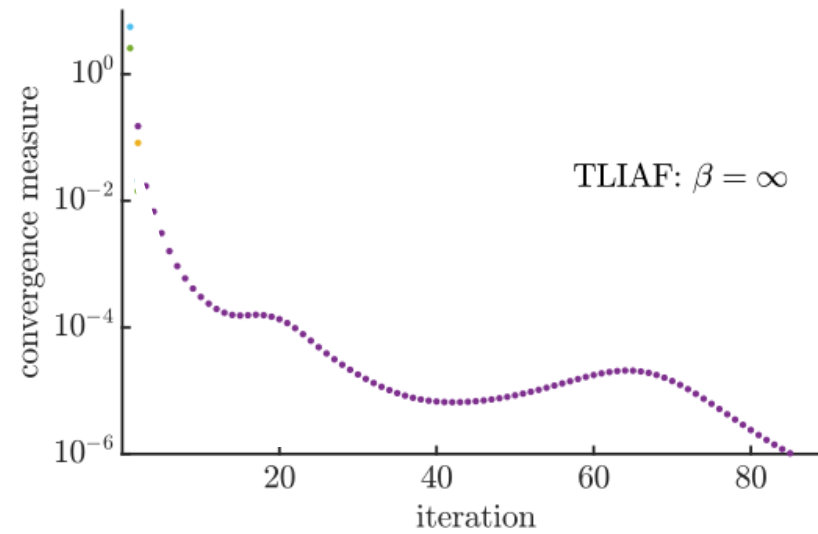
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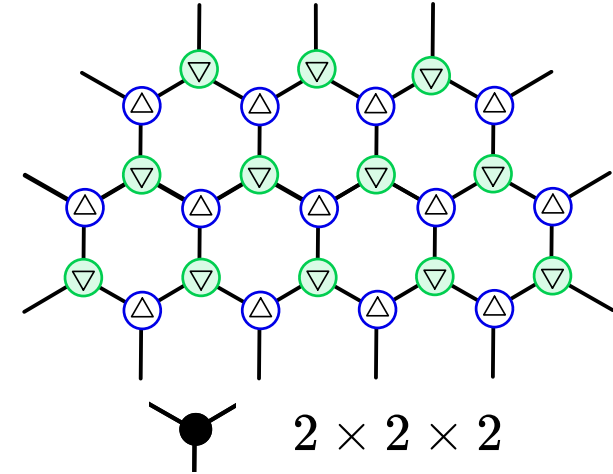
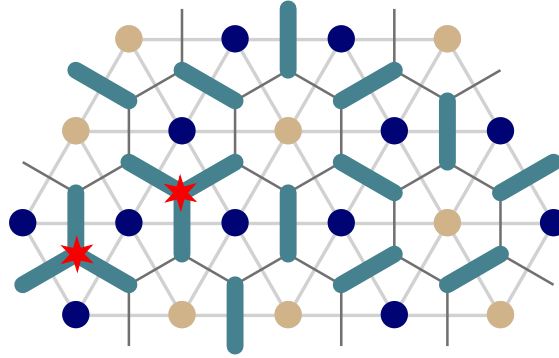
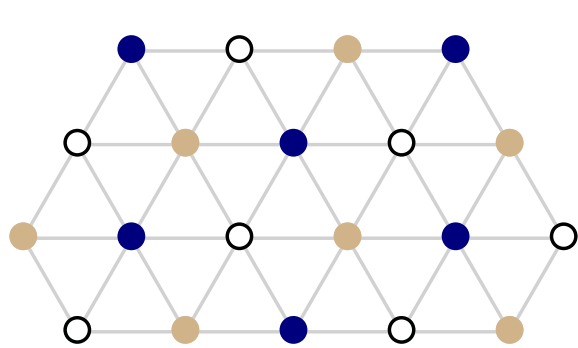


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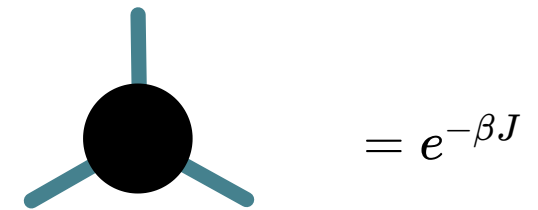


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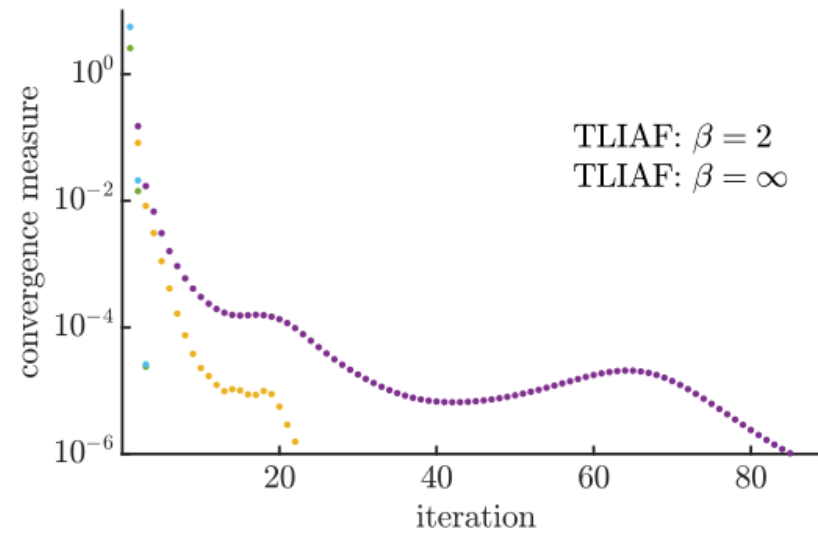
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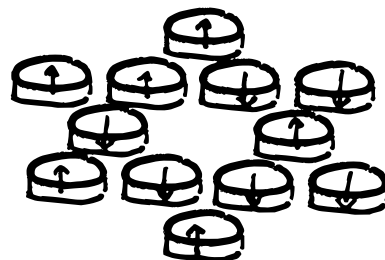
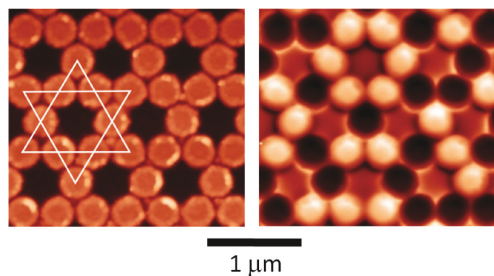
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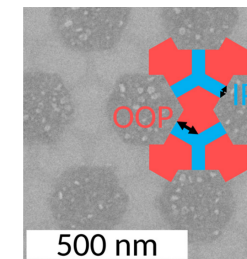
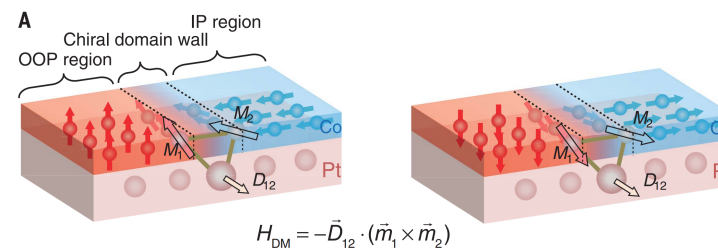
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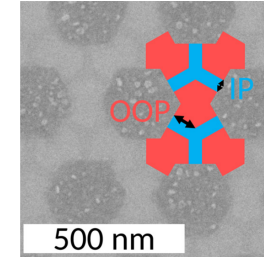
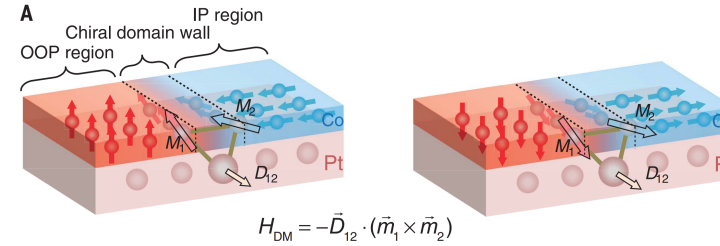
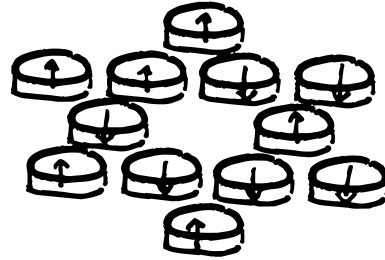
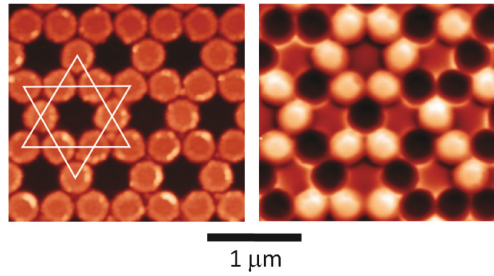
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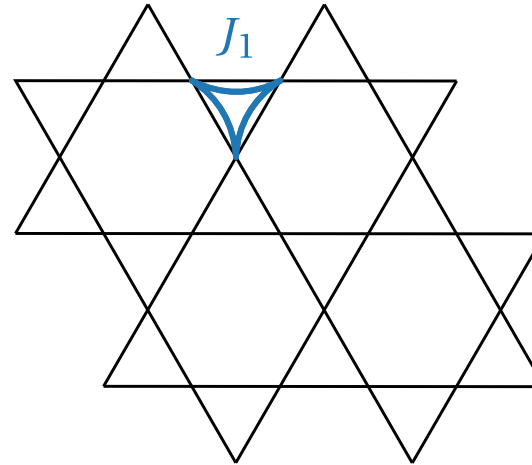
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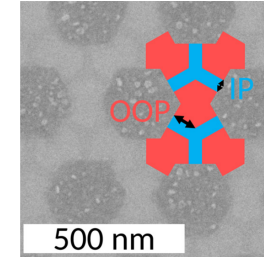
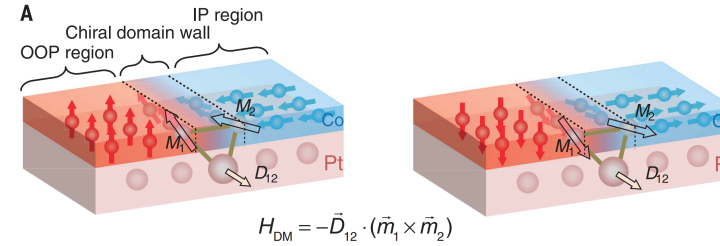
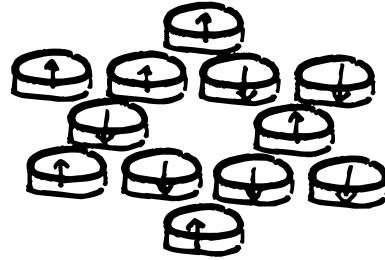
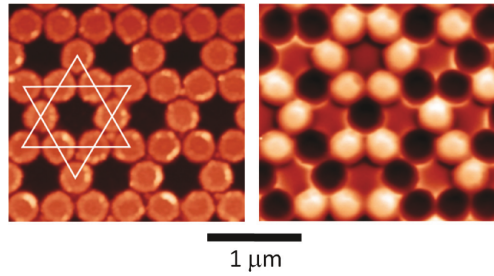
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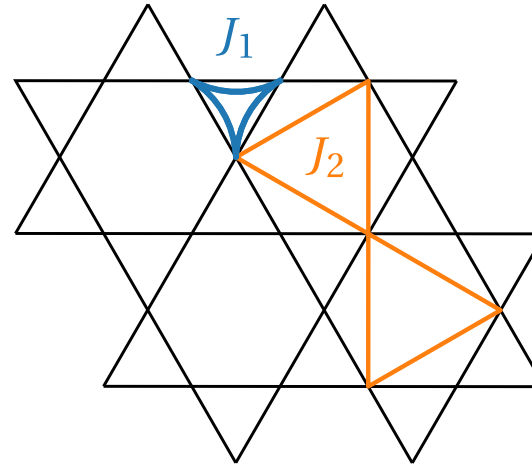
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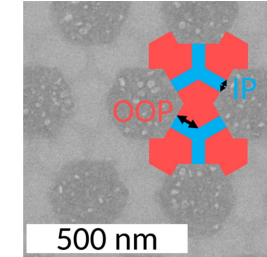
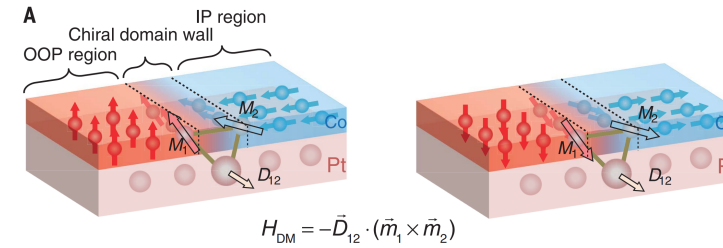
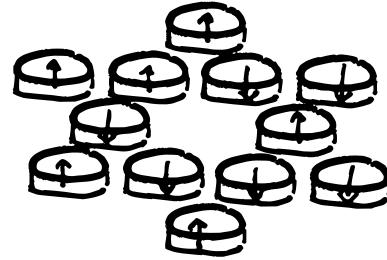
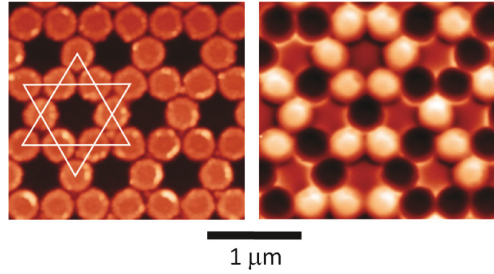
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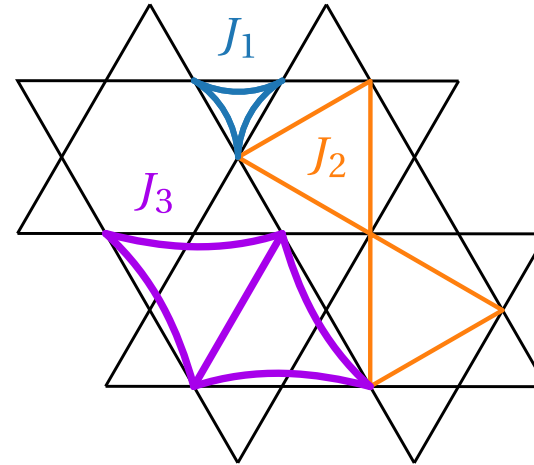
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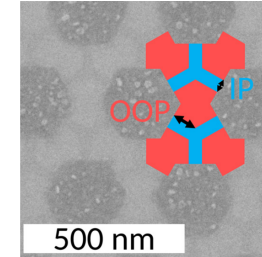
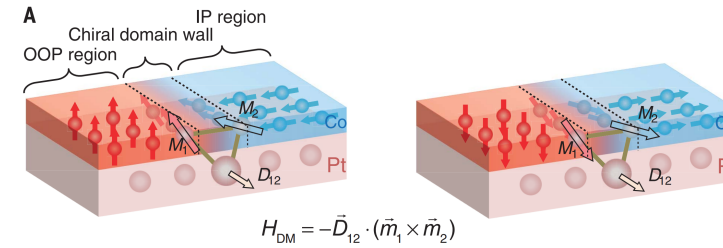
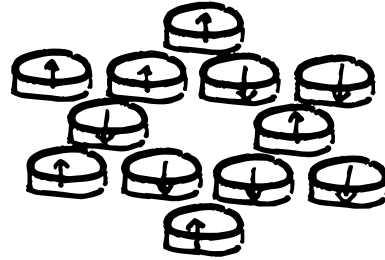
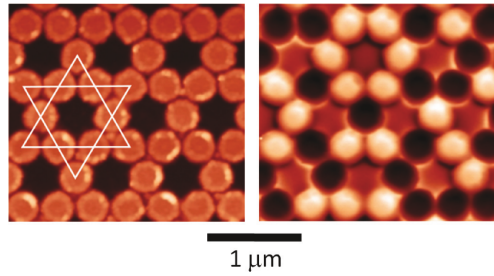
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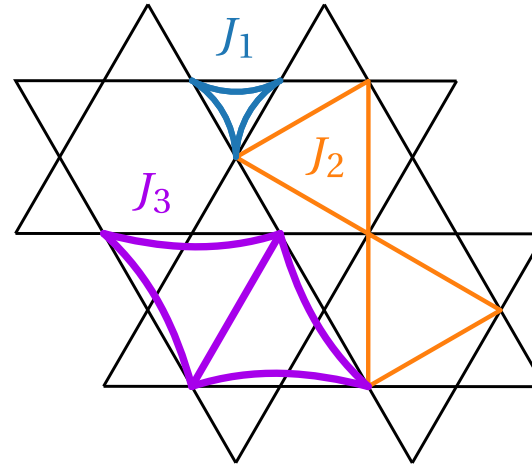
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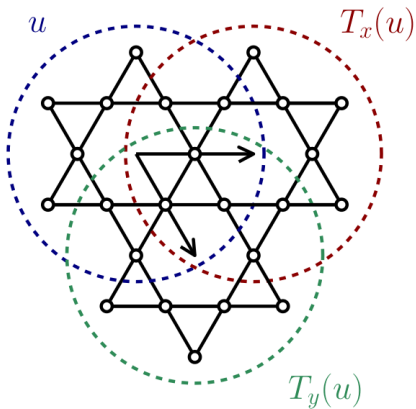
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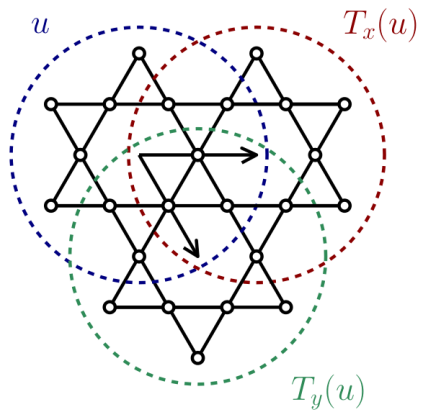
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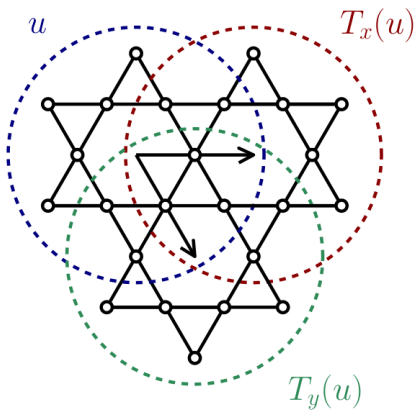
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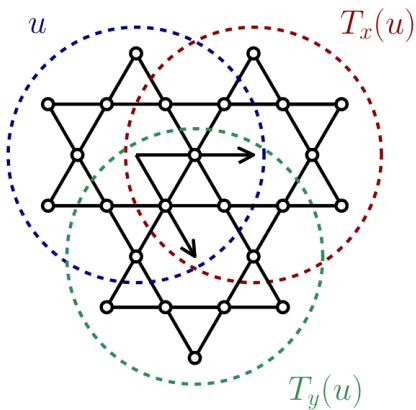
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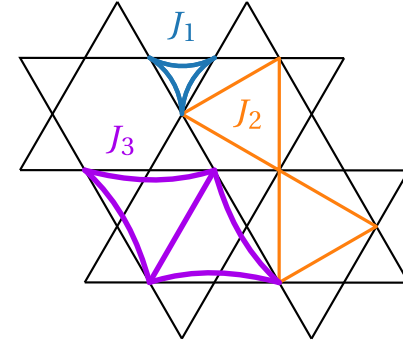
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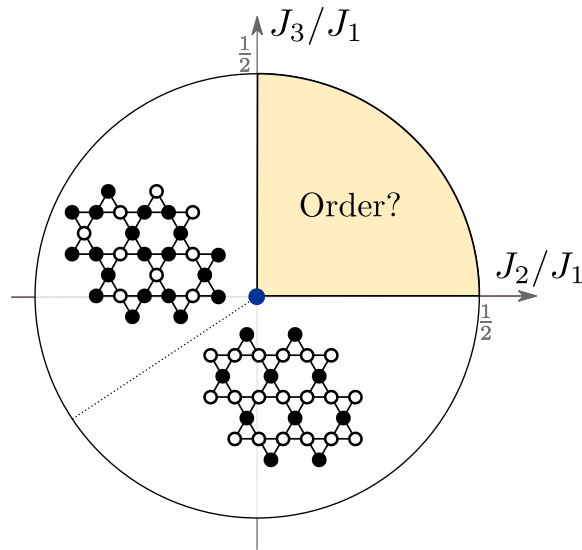
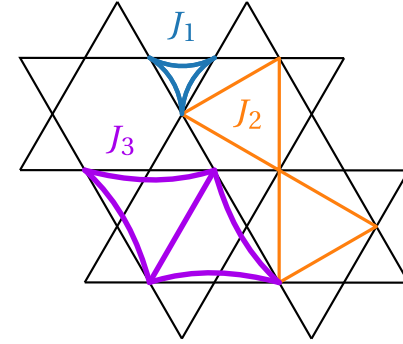
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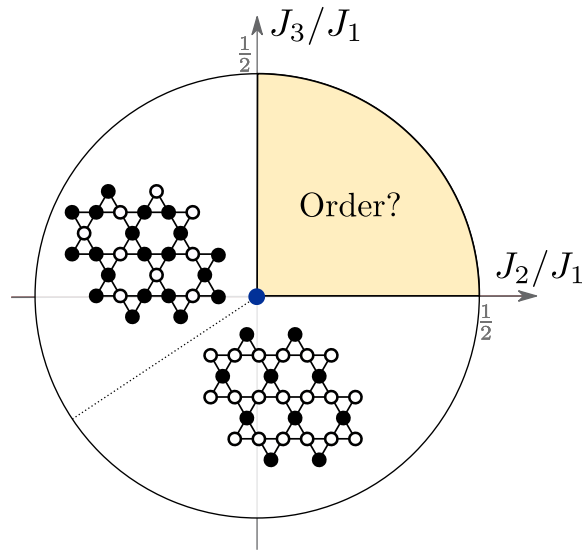
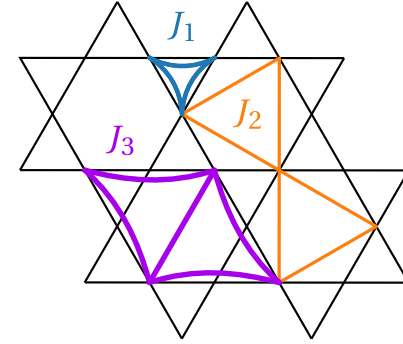
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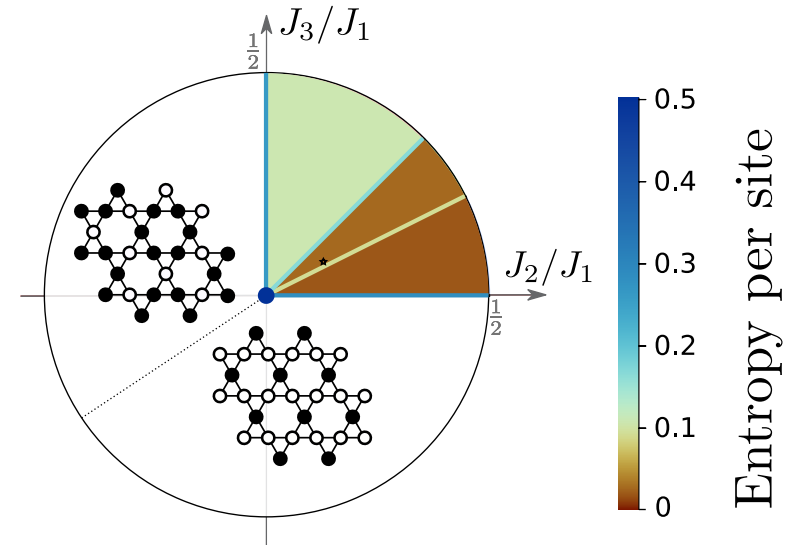
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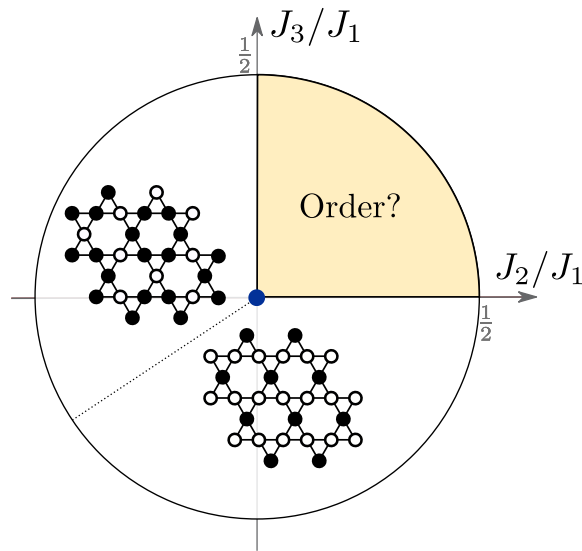
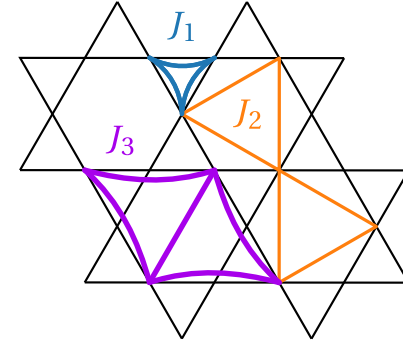
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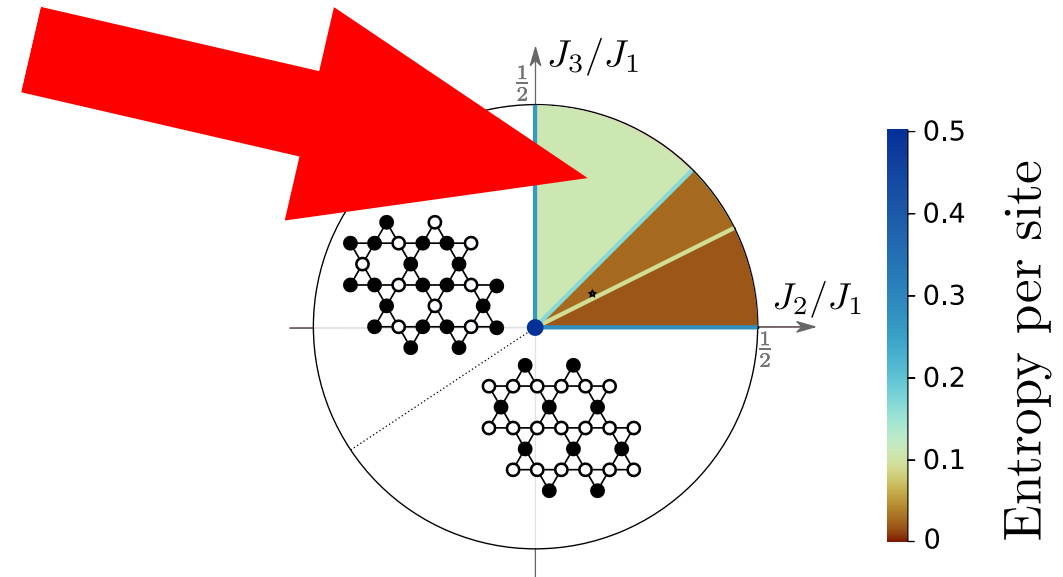
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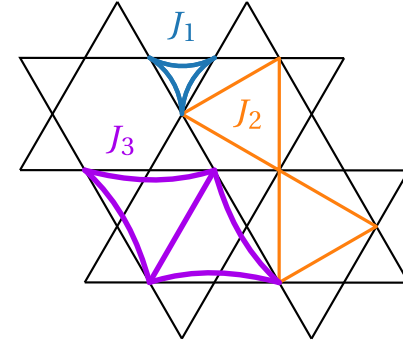
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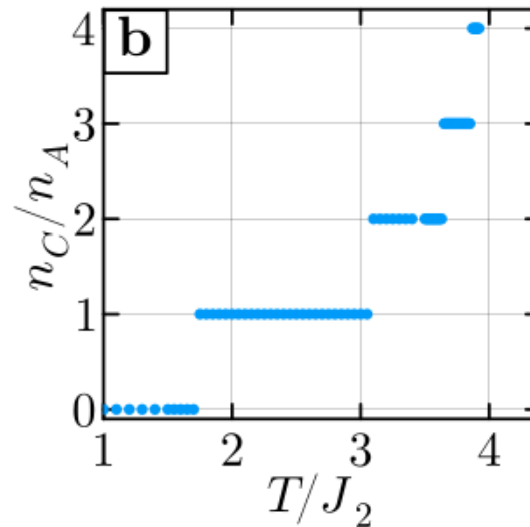
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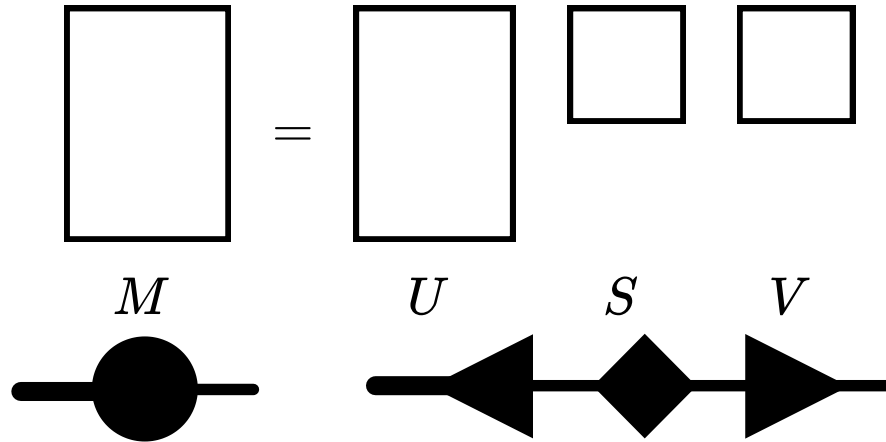


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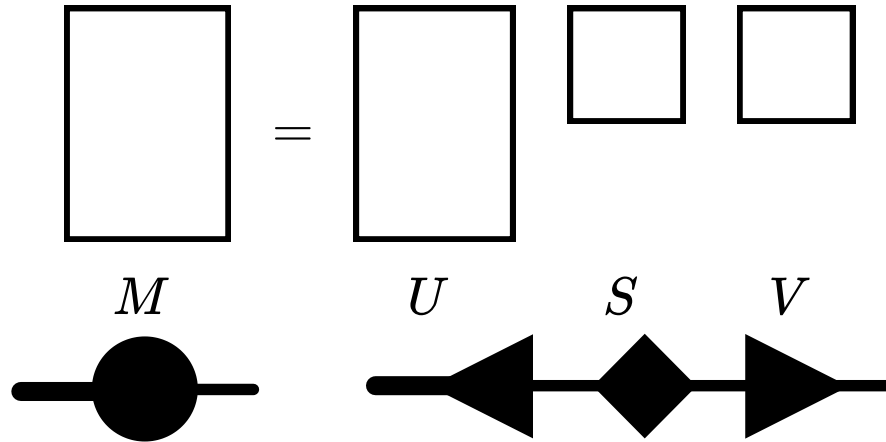


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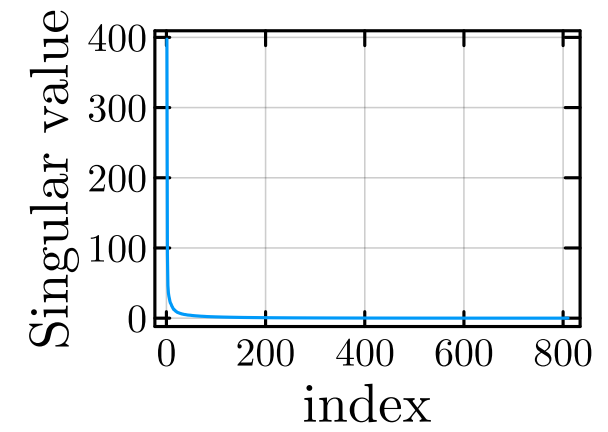
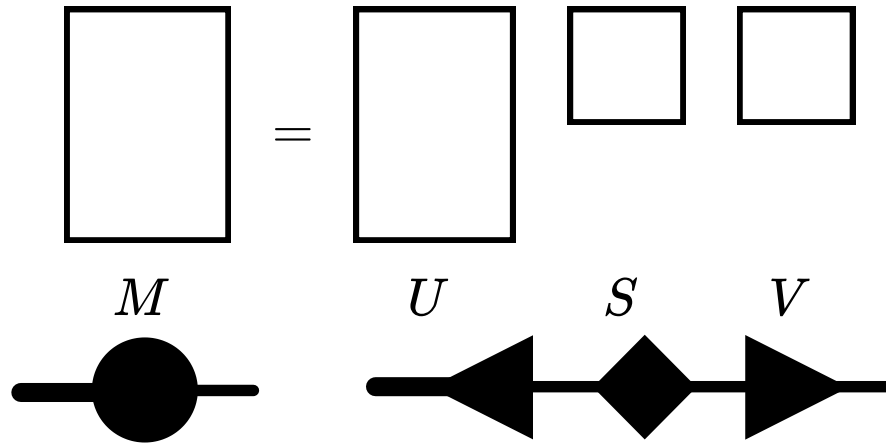


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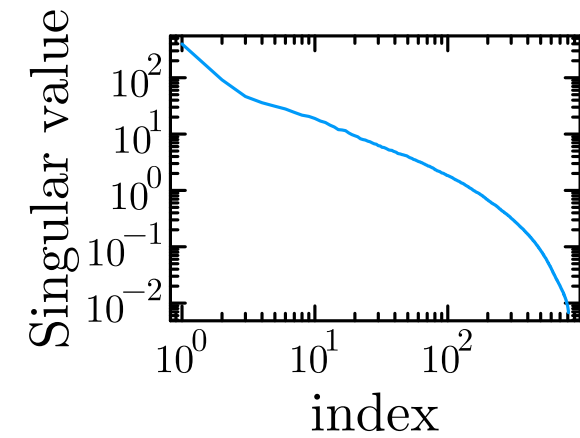
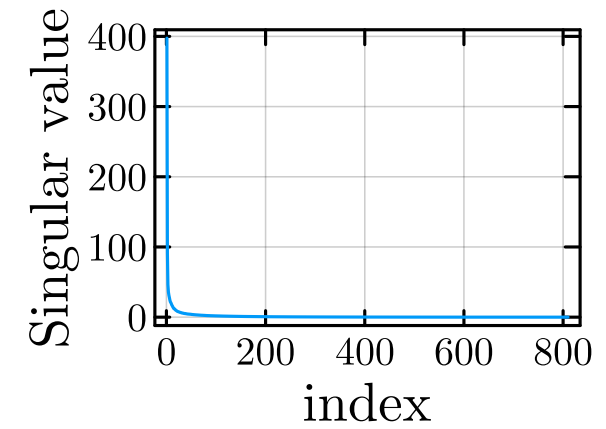
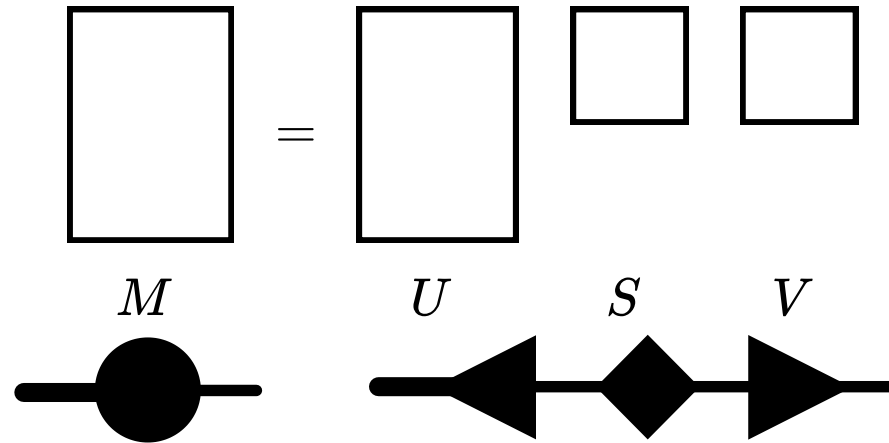
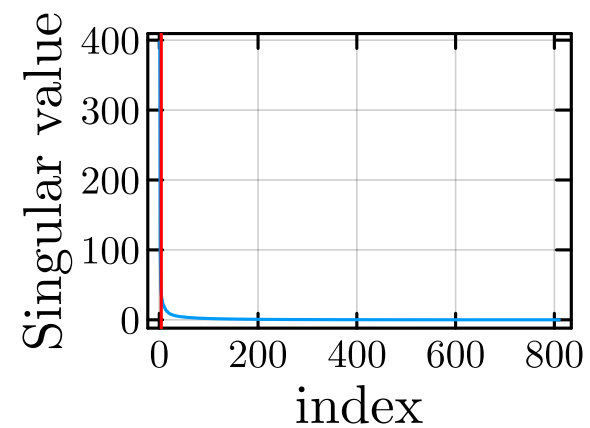
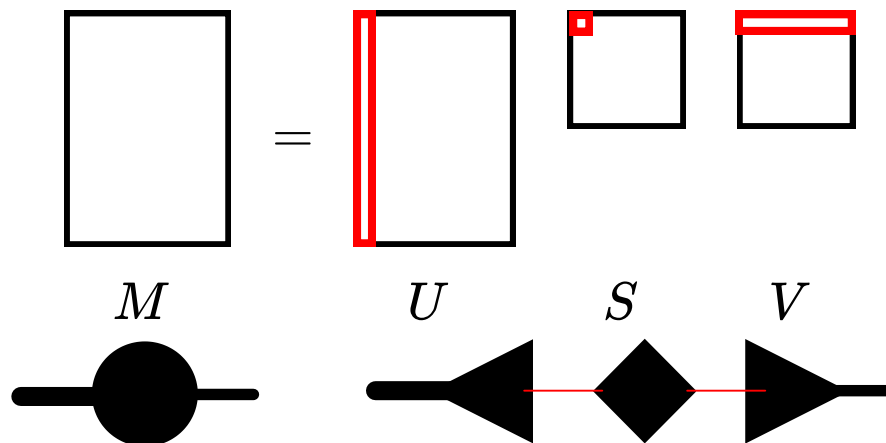


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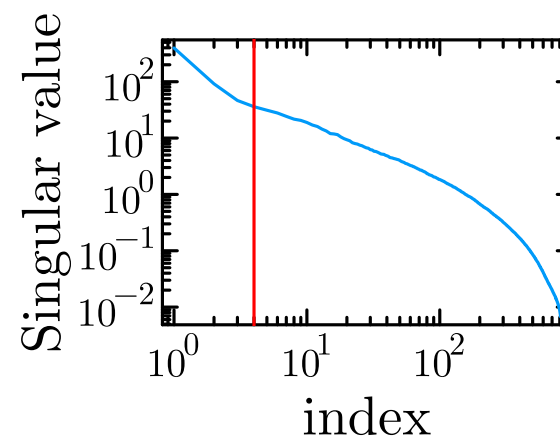
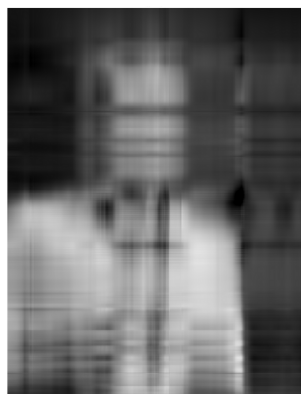
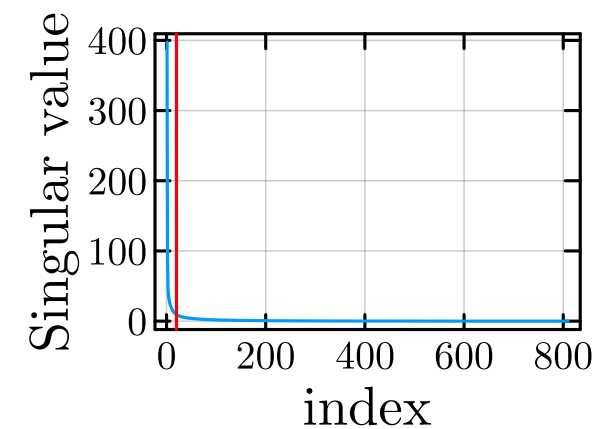
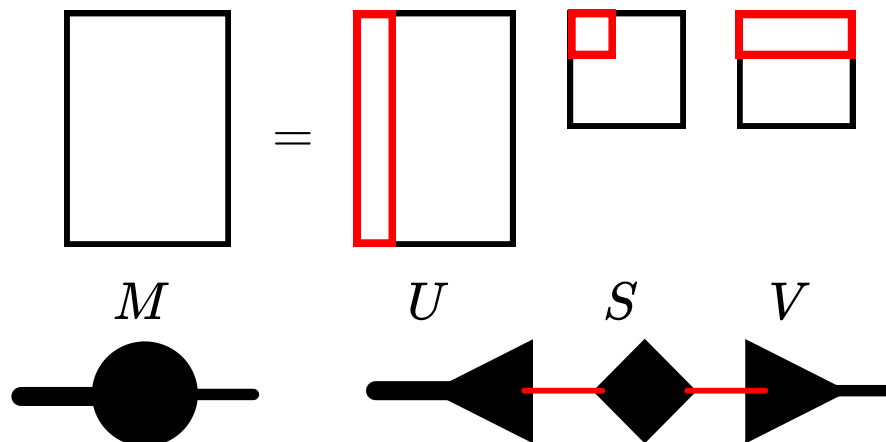


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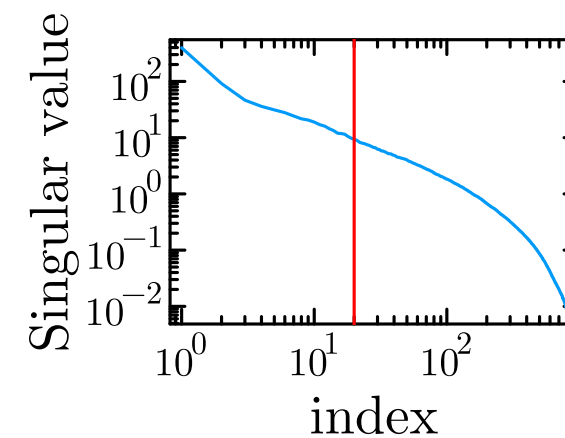
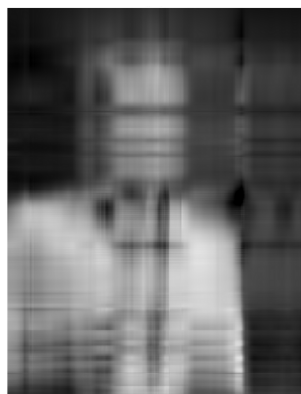
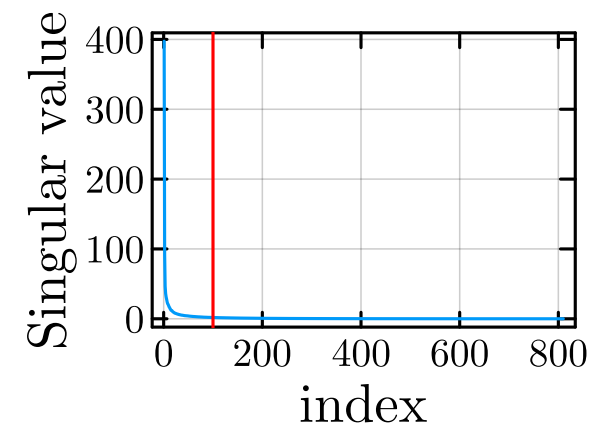
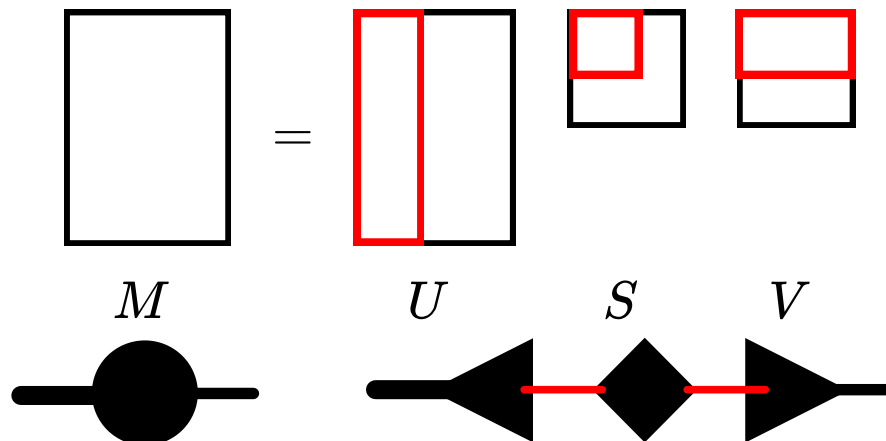


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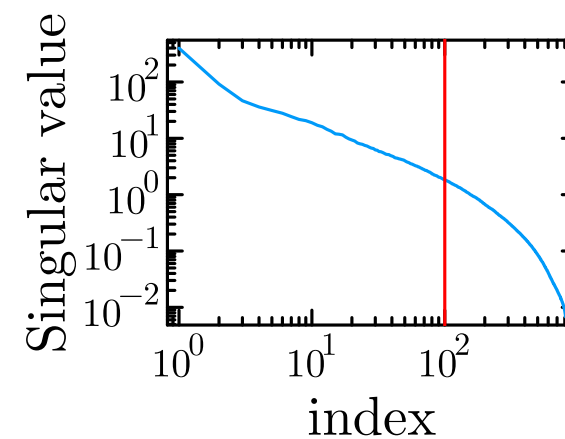
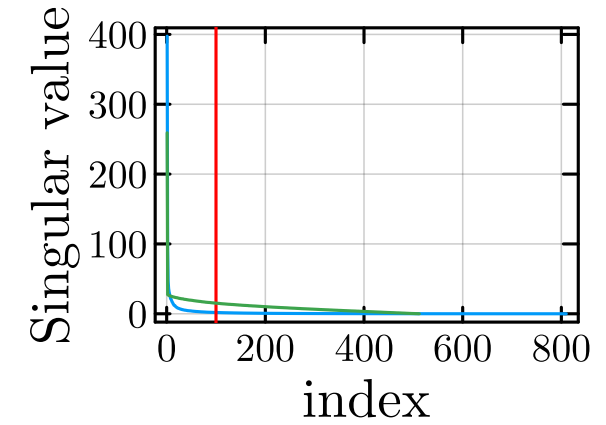
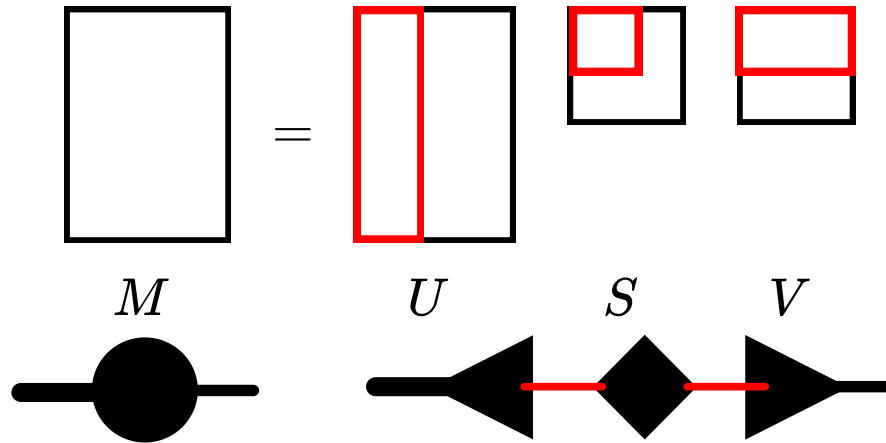


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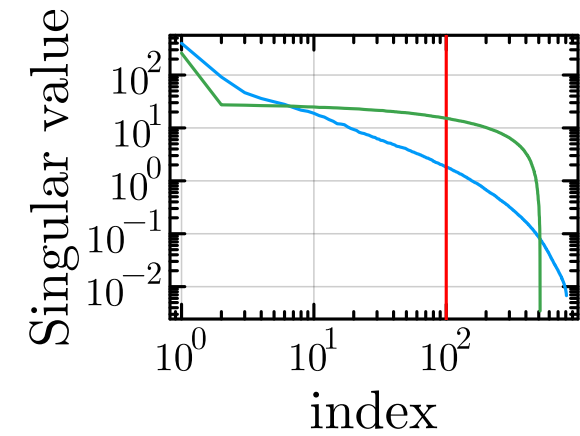
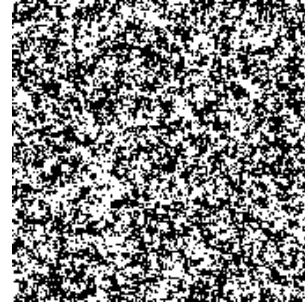
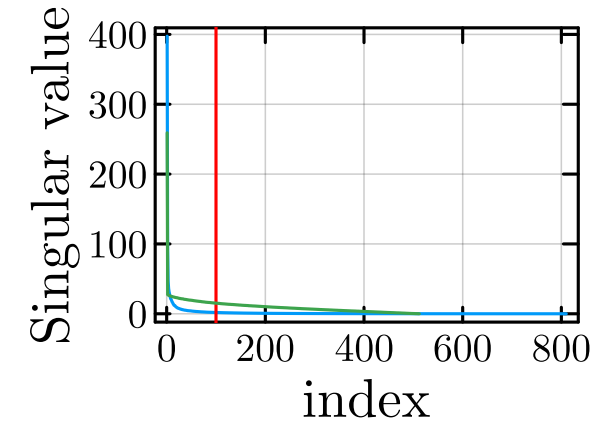
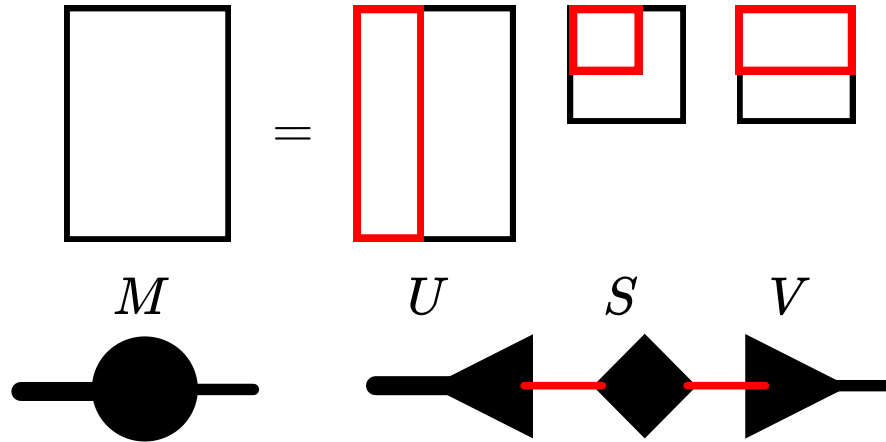


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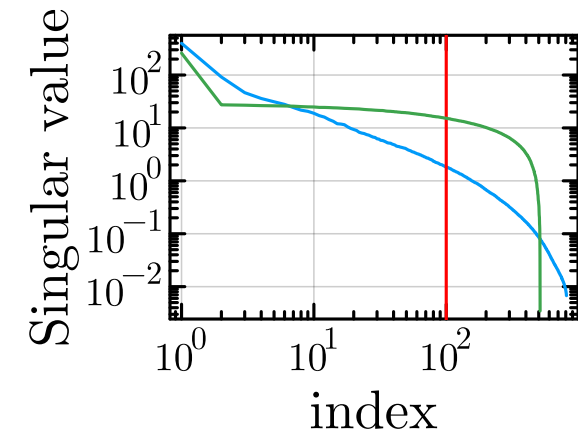
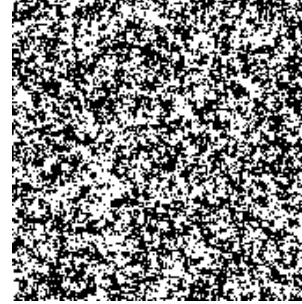
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