



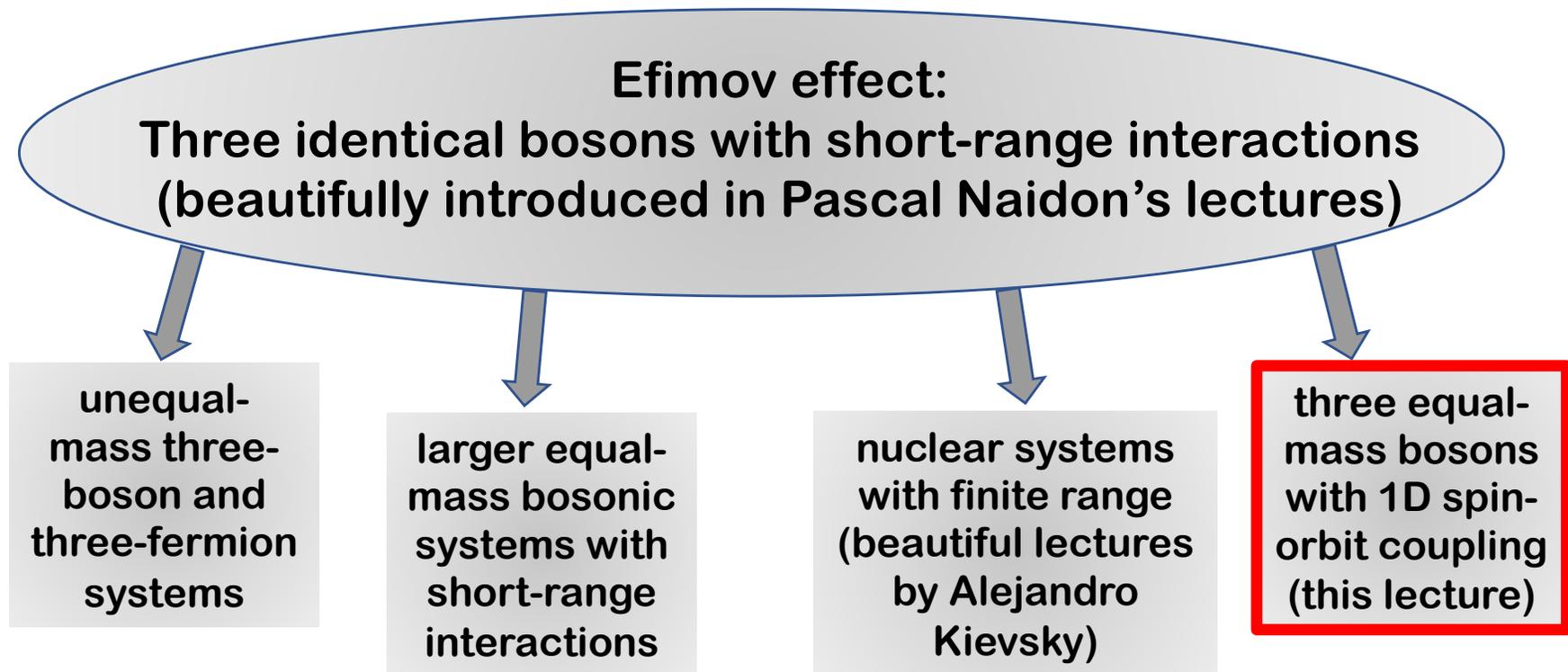
Efimov Scenario In The Presence Of Spin-Orbit Coupling

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Lecture 3



Discussion of one few-body technique:

Stochastic variational approach with explicitly correlated Gaussians.

Overview Of Lecture 3

Efimov scenario of three equal-mass bosons with
1D spin-orbit coupling

Review of Efimov effect for equal-mass bosons with short-range interactions.

What is 1D spin-orbit coupling (system lives in three-dimensional space) and how does it differ from “conventional” situation?

- One-body problem.
- Intermezzo: Numerical approach.
- Two-body problem.
- Three-body problem.

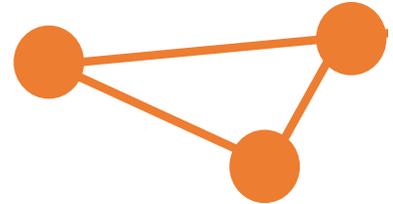
Unlike lectures 1 and 2:

- Consider stationary system (no time dependence).
- No experimental data yet on generalized radial scaling law, even though spin-orbit coupling has been realized in cold atom systems.

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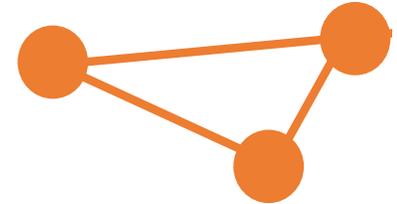
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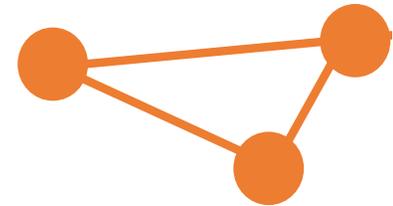
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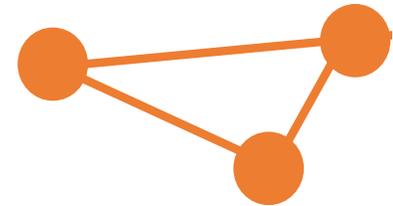
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$$g_2 = \# \frac{\hbar^2 \text{length}}{m}; \quad g_3 = \# \frac{\hbar^2 \text{length}^4}{m} \quad \left(\text{since energy} = \frac{\hbar^2}{m \text{length}^2} \right).$$

Peculiar Three-Boson Efimov States

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$$g_2 = \frac{4\pi\hbar^2 a_s}{m} \text{ and } g_3 = \frac{\# \hbar^2 \kappa_*^{-4}}{m}, \text{ where } E_{unit} = \frac{\hbar^2 \kappa_*^2}{m}.$$



Time-dependent SE for H possesses continuous scaling symmetry:

$$t \rightarrow \lambda^2 t; \vec{r} \rightarrow \lambda \vec{r}; a_s \rightarrow \lambda a_s; E \rightarrow \lambda^{-2} E; \kappa_* \rightarrow \lambda^{-1} \kappa_*.$$

Time-dependent SE for H also possesses discrete scaling symmetry ($\lambda_0 \approx 22.7$):

$$t \rightarrow \lambda_0^2 t; \vec{r} \rightarrow \lambda_0 \vec{r}; a_s \rightarrow \lambda_0 a_s; E \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} E; \kappa_* \rightarrow \kappa_*.$$

Let s-Wave Scattering Length Be Infinitely Large

Hyperradial and hyperangular motion separate exactly:

$$\Psi = F(R_{hyper})\Phi(\vec{\Omega}); R_{hyper}^2 \propto r_{12}^2 + r_{13}^2 + r_{23}^2.$$

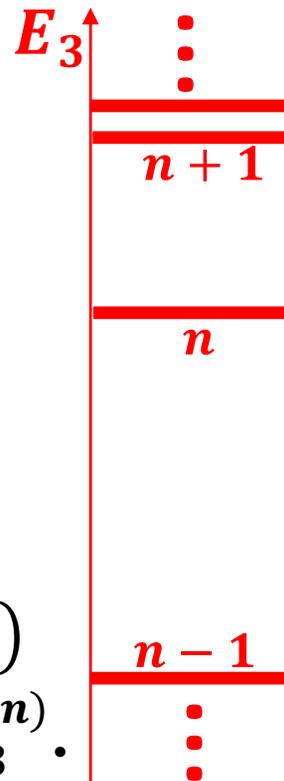
$L^{\Pi} = 0^+$ hyperangular equation yields eigenvalue ιs_0 , where $s_0 = 1.006\dots$

Hyperangular eigenvalue enters into Schroedinger-like hyperradial equation: $H_{radial}F(R_{hyper}) = E_3 F(R_{hyper})$,

$$\text{where } H_{radial}(R_{hyper}) = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial R_{hyper}^2} + \frac{\hbar^2((\iota s_0)^2 - \frac{1}{4})}{2m R_{hyper}^2}.$$

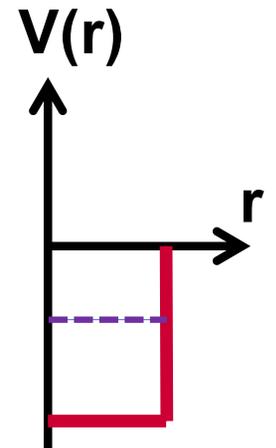
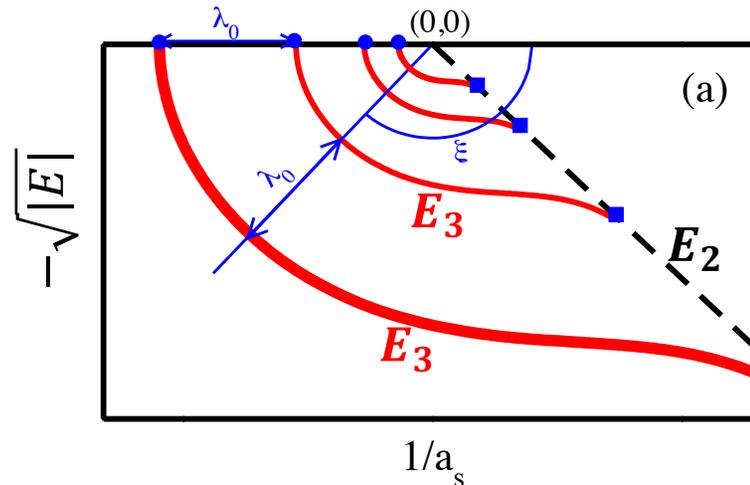
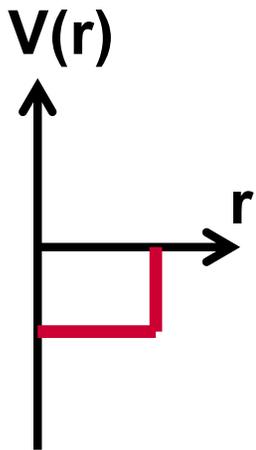
If $F(R_{hyper})$ is a solution with energy $E_3^{(n)}$, then $F(\lambda_0 R_{hyper})$ with $\lambda_0 = \exp\left(\frac{\pi}{s_0}\right) = 22.7 \dots$ is a solution with energy $\lambda_0^{-2} E_3^{(n)}$.

Infinite
of
bound
states

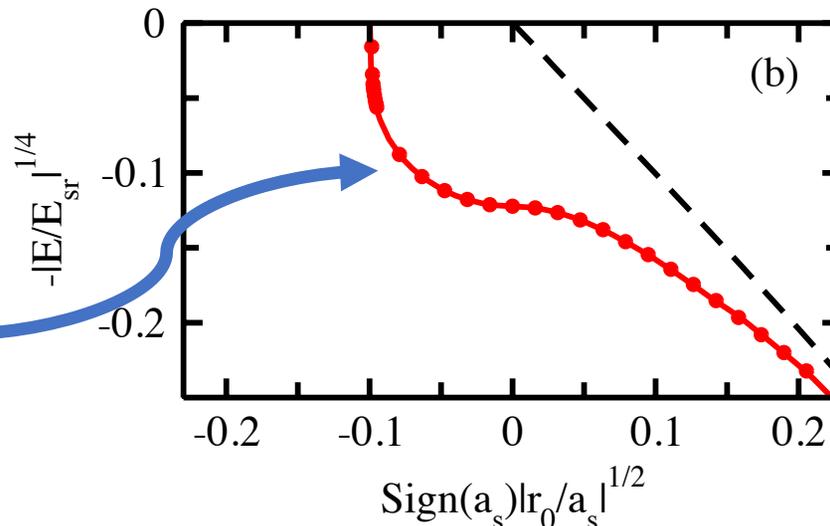


Finite s-Wave Scattering Length: Universally Linked States

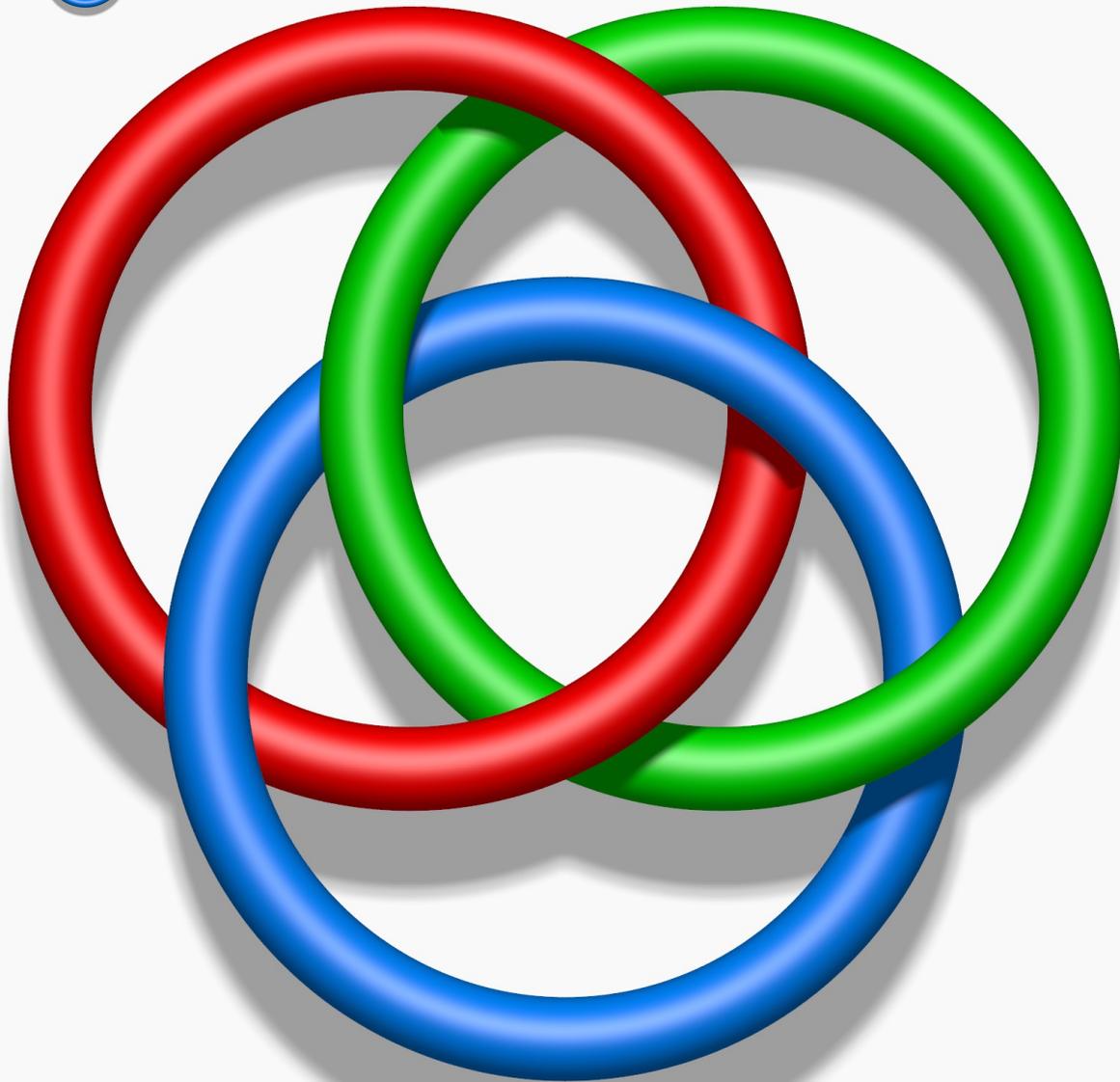
stronger attraction →



Numerical test for two-body plus three-body Gaussian potential: Perfect “collapse” of neighboring energy levels (see lectures by Naidon and Kievsky).



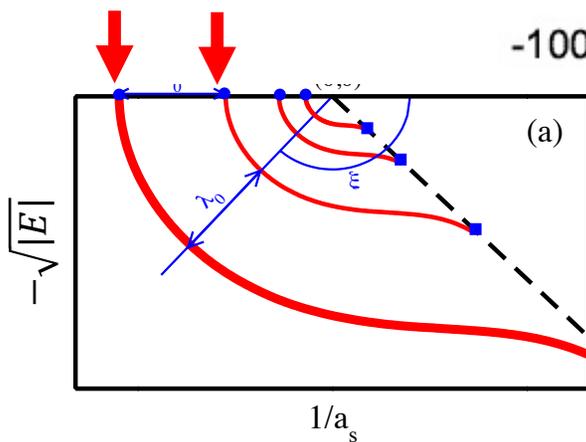
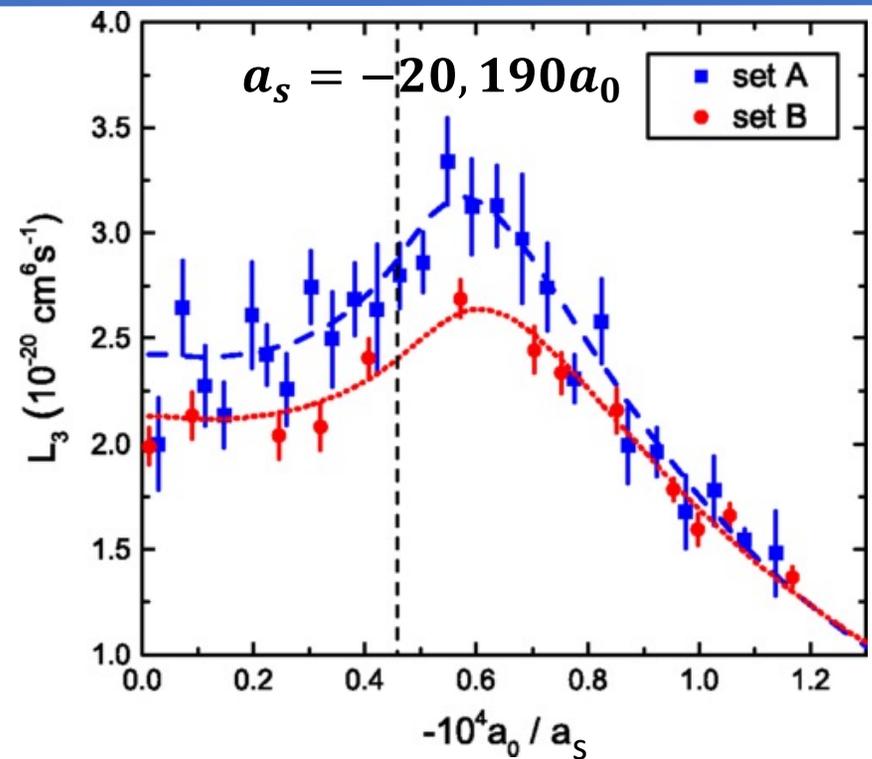
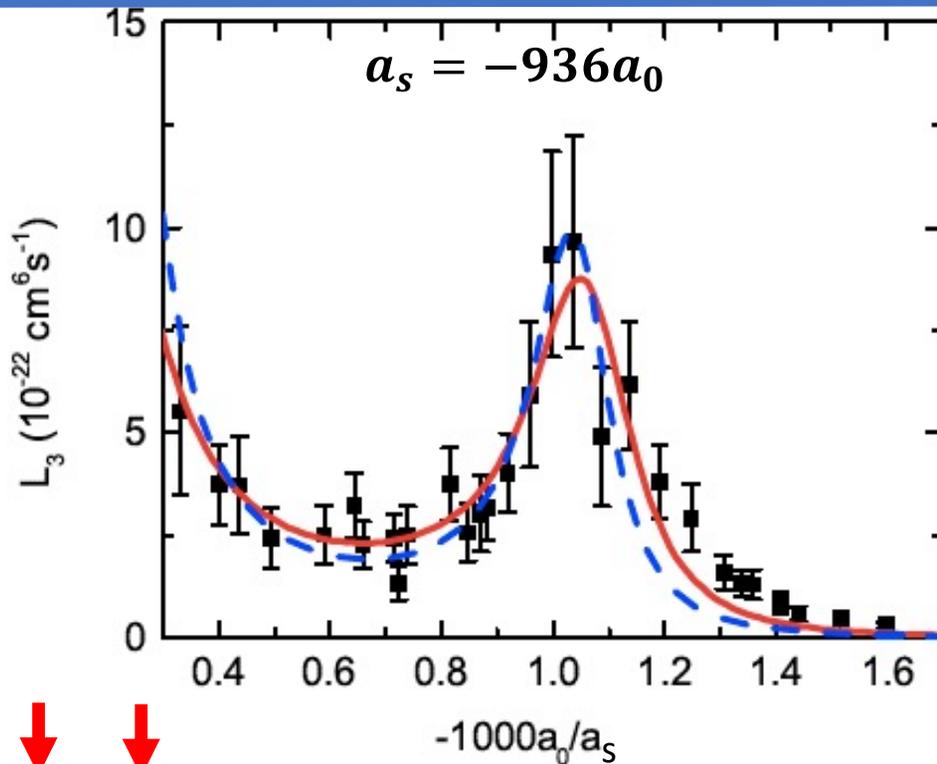
Spectrum is determined by a_s and three-body parameter κ_* (radial scaling law).



Borromean rings:
The blue ring lies under
the green ring (the
“blue-green dimer” is
unbound). If the red
ring is cut open, the
trimer flies apart.



Measurement Of Loss Rate For Non-Degenerate ^{133}Cs Gas



Huang et al., PRL 112, 190401 (2014).

Enhanced losses when trimer is degenerate with three free atoms.

Ratio of $\lambda_0 = 21.6$ (compared to 22.7)! Confirmation of discrete scaling symmetry.

Efimov Scenario In The Presence Of Spin-Orbit Coupling?

If the single-particle dispersion is modified and the s-wave scattering length is large, what happens to the discrete scaling symmetry/Efimov physics?

Fermions with 3D SOC:

Shi et al., PRL 112, 013201 (2014); PRA 91, 023618 (2015).

Two-parameter radial scaling law does not hold.

Generalized multiple-parameter radial scaling law holds. Discrete scaling symmetry survives.

BBB with 1D SOC:

Guan, Blume: PRX 8, 021057 (2018).

Conjecture: Should hold for any type of SOC.

Looking Ahead...

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$$+ \frac{\hbar k_{so}}{m} (\dots) + \Omega(\dots) + \tilde{\delta}(\dots).$$

changes and extra terms due to SOC

Continuous scaling symmetry (easy to check)!

$$t \rightarrow \lambda^2 t; \vec{r} \rightarrow \lambda \vec{r}; a_s \rightarrow \lambda a_s; k_{so} \rightarrow \lambda^{-1} k_{so}; \Omega \rightarrow \lambda^{-2} \Omega;$$

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Discrete scaling symmetry?

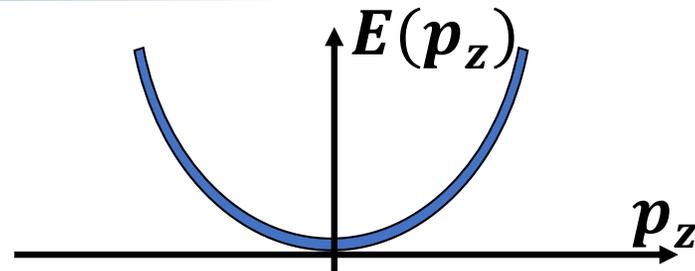
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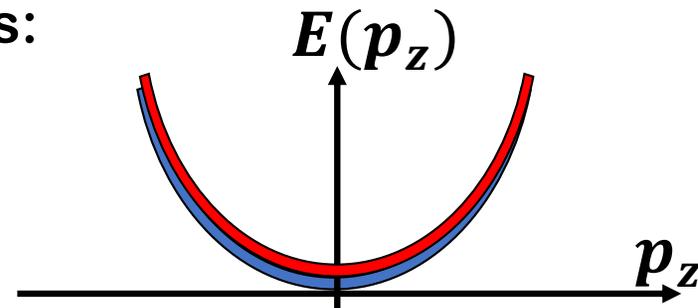
Start With Single-Particle Dispersion

Conventionally, kinetic energy:

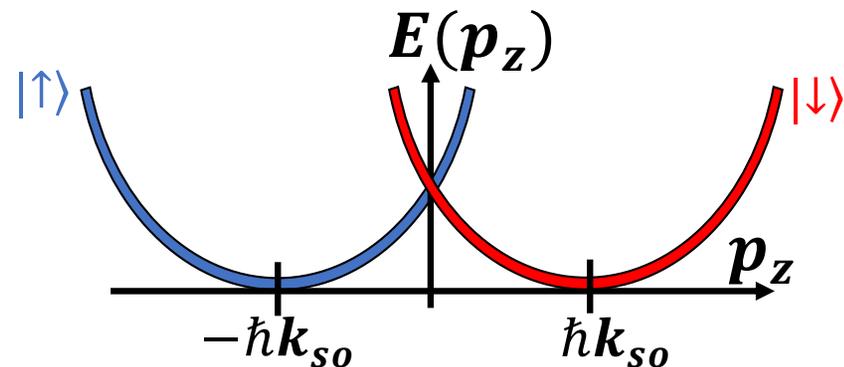
$$H = \frac{1}{2m} \vec{p}^2 = \frac{1}{2m} (p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2).$$



Say, the particle has two spin states:



Now let the spin states have different momenta:

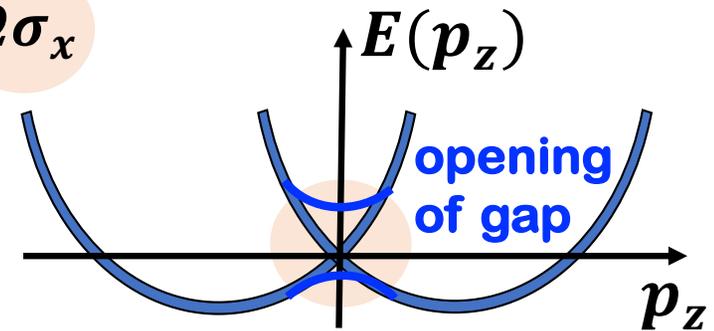


For this to be interesting,
must couple states.

Single-Particle Dispersion

For 1D spin-orbit coupling (equal mixture of Rashba and Dresselhaus coupling): $H = \left(\frac{p_x^2 + p_y^2}{2m} + \frac{p_z^2}{2m}\right)I_2 + \frac{\hbar k_{so}}{m} p_z \sigma_z + \Omega \sigma_x$

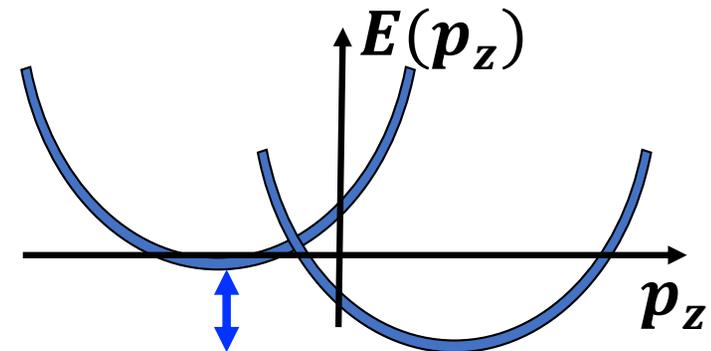
$$E_{\pm} = \frac{p_x^2 + p_y^2}{2m} + \frac{p_z^2}{2m} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\hbar k_{so} p_z}{m}\right)^2 + \frac{\Omega^2}{4}}$$



Add detuning δ :

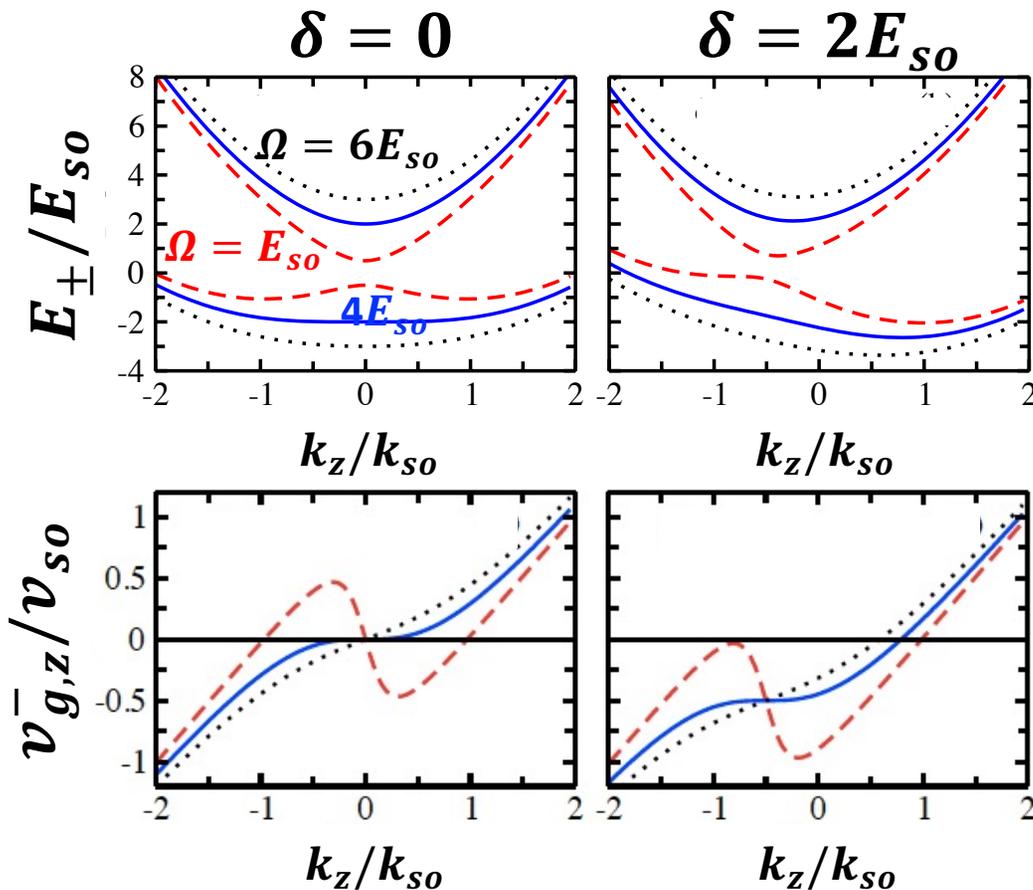
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Modified Single-Particle Dispersion \rightarrow New Physics

Dirac-like term in Hamiltonian.

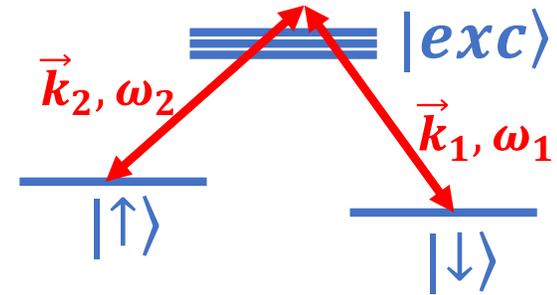


$$E_{so} = \frac{\hbar^2 k_{so}^2}{2m}$$

$$t_{so} = \hbar/E_{so}$$

$$v_{so} = \hbar k_{so}/m$$

$$\vec{v}_g = \frac{1}{\hbar} \langle \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{k}} H(\vec{k}) \rangle$$



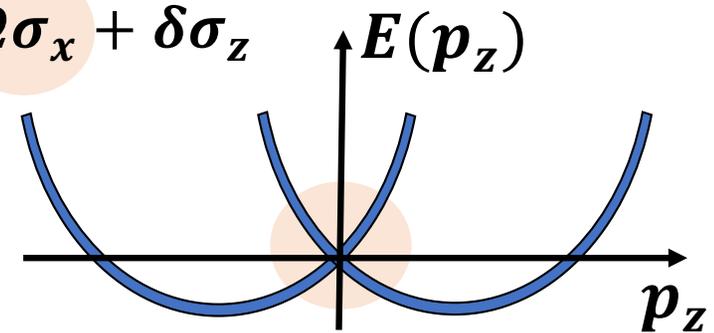
Two hyperfine states coupled by lasers.

Typical parameters:
 $(k_{so})^{-1} \approx 1,810 \text{ \AA};$
 $\frac{E_{so}}{\hbar} \approx 2\pi \times 1.775 \text{ kHz};$
 $\Omega, \delta \in [0, 10E_{so}].$

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Why is this of interest? Expand E_- for large Ω and $\delta \neq 0$ around $p_{z,min}^-$:

$$E_- = const + \frac{(p_z - p_{z,min}^-)^2}{2m} + \dots$$

Like a charged particle in a uniform vector potential \vec{A}^* : $e\vec{A}^* = p_{z,min}^- \vec{e}_z$!

Possibility to simulate physics of charged particles (e.g., fractional quantum Hall effect) with neutral atoms!

Two Bosons With One-Dimensional Spin-Orbit Coupling

3D system with 1D SOC (spin-orbit coupling + Raman coupling + detuning) → Two-body bound state or not?

Rewrite Hamiltonian in relative coordinates (\vec{r} and \vec{p} with reduced mass μ) and center-of-mass coordinates (\vec{R} and \vec{P} with total mass M):

$$H = H_{rel} + H_{cm}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 H_{rel}(P_z) &= \frac{p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2}{2\mu} I_2^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + \frac{\hbar k_{so} p_z}{\mu} \left(\sigma_z^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} - I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_z^{(2)} \right) \\
 &+ \Omega \left(\sigma_x^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_x^{(2)} \right) + \left(\delta + \frac{\hbar k_{so} P_z}{M} \right) \left(\sigma_z^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_z^{(2)} \right) \\
 &+ V_{2b}(r) I_2^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$[H_{rel}, P_z] = 0$$

parametric dependence on CoM momentum (call $\tilde{\delta}$)

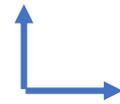
Demands On Numerical Method

- Must be...
 - ...able to treat multiple channels.
 - ...able to describe small and large length scales.
 - ...able to describe eigen energies and eigen states that vary by orders of magnitude.
 - ...applicable to two and three particles.

Our method of choice:
Stochastic variational approach with explicitly correlated Gaussian basis function (see also contributed talk yesterday by Roy Yaron).

Basis Set Expansion: Variational Approach

Let Φ_j with $j = 0, 1, \dots$ be an orthonormal complete set.



Any eigen state φ_l with energy E_l of H can be expanded as

$$\varphi_l = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} c_j^{(l)} \Phi_j.$$

In reality: $\phi_l = \sum_{j=0}^{N_b} c_j^{(l)} \Phi_j$ ($N_b < \infty$; ϕ_l is an approximation to φ_l).

Form matrix \vec{C} with matrix elements $C_{jl} = c_j^{(l)}$.

Eigenvalues ε_l of matrix equation $\vec{H} \vec{C} = \vec{\varepsilon} \vec{C}$ have the following property:

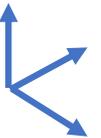
$E_0 \leq \varepsilon_0, E_1 \leq \varepsilon_1, \dots$ (variational upper bounds).

Basis Set Expansion: Variational Approach

Question: What changes if Φ_j with $j = 0, 1, \dots$ are not orthogonal?

Basis Set Expansion: Variational Approach

Now: Allow Φ_j with $j = 0, 1, \dots$ to be linearly dependent (but not too much).



Expand $\phi_l = \sum_{j=0}^{N_b} c_j^{(l)} \Phi_j$ ($N_b < \infty$; ϕ_l is an approximation to exact eigen state φ_l).

Form matrix \vec{C} with matrix elements $C_{jl} = c_j^{(l)}$.

The eigenvalues ε_l of generalized eigen value equation $\vec{H} \vec{C} = \vec{\varepsilon} \vec{O} \vec{C}$, where $O_{jl} = \langle \Phi_j | \Phi_l \rangle$, have the following property:

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Basis Set Expansion: Variational Approach

Take advantage of the fact that the basis functions Φ_j can be “anything”.

Pick Φ_j such that integrals have compact analytical expressions.

Pick Φ_j such that the different length scales of the system are covered.

Take advantage of the fact that low-energy Hamiltonian can be constructed using different functional forms for interaction potential:

$$H = \sum_j T_j + V_{soc,j} + \sum_{j<k} V_{2b,jk} + \sum_{j<k<l} V_{3b,jkl}$$

purely repulsive Gaussian
(see also talks by Kievsky)

Require $r_0 \ll$ other scales:
Need to resolve multiple scales.
Use Φ_j with “different widths.”

$$V_{2b,jk} = v_0 \exp\left(-\frac{r_{jk}^2}{2r_0^2}\right)$$

Basis Set Expansion: Stochastic Variational Approach

Method first introduced to cold atom community for bosons by Sorensen, Fedorov and Jensen, AIP Conf. Proc. No. 777, p. 12 (2005). See also work on fermions by von Stecher and Greene, PRL 99, 090402 (2007). For details see: Suzuki and Varga (Springer, 1998); von Stecher, Greene, Blume, PRA 77, 043619 (2008).

Idea:

Use basis functions that involve Gaussians with different widths in interparticle distances (correlations).

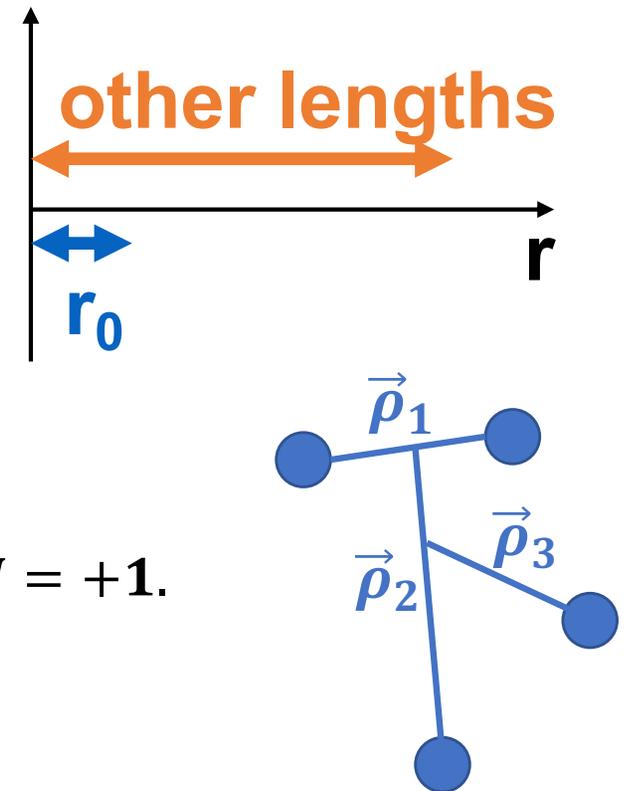
Large number of non-linear parameters that are being optimized semi-stochastically.

Simplest case: Basis functions with $L = 0$ and $\Pi = +1$.

$$\Phi_j = \exp\left(-\sum_{s < t}^N \frac{r_{st}^2}{2d_{j,st}^2}\right) = \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \vec{x}^T \overleftrightarrow{A} \vec{x}\right).$$

\vec{x} : Denotes Jacobi vectors $\vec{\rho}_1, \vec{\rho}_2, \dots$.

\overleftrightarrow{A} : $(N - 1) \times (N - 1)$ matrix with $N(N - 1)/2$ independent parameters.

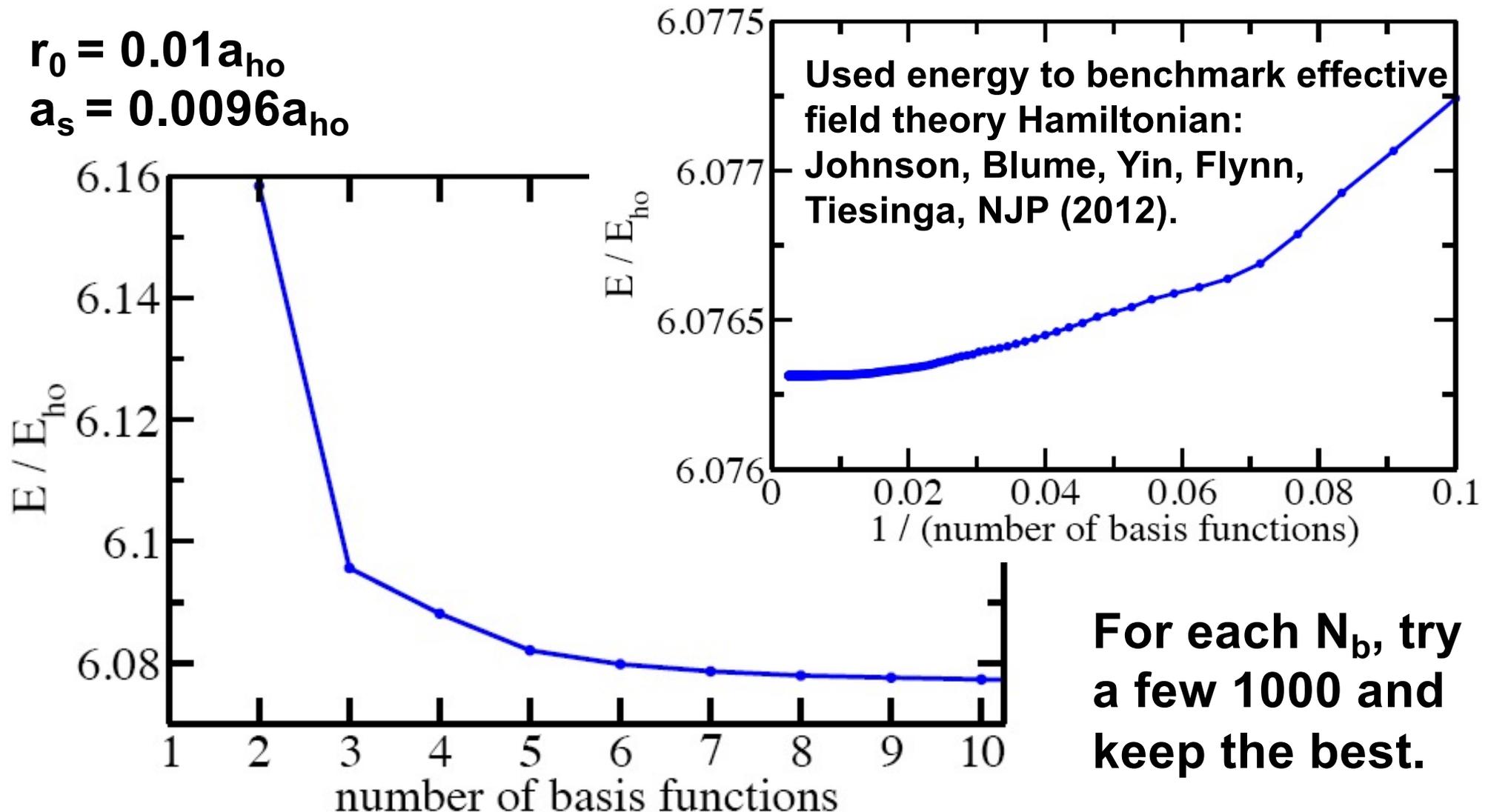


Stochastic Variational Approach: Outline of Algorithm

- Pick basis function Φ_1 and calculate ε_1 .
- Goal: Add Φ_2 . Procedure:
 - Pick $\Phi_{2,1}, \dots, \Phi_{2,p}$ ($p \sim 1 - 10000$).
 - Calculate $\varepsilon_{2,1}, \dots, \varepsilon_{2,p}$. $\varepsilon_{2,j}$ is eigen value of target state if basis function $\Phi_{2,j}$ is added to basis ($j = 1, \dots, p$).
 - Determine $\Phi_2 = \Phi_{2,j}$ such that $\varepsilon_2 = \varepsilon_{2,j} = \min(\varepsilon_{2,1}, \dots, \varepsilon_{2,p})$.
 - Diagonalize Hamiltonian matrix to obtain eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
- To add Φ_3 , proceed as above.
- Once basis set is “complete”, calculate structural properties.
- Can optimize ground or excited state.
- Can optimize multiple states simultaneously.

Harmonically Trapped Five-Boson System: Convergence

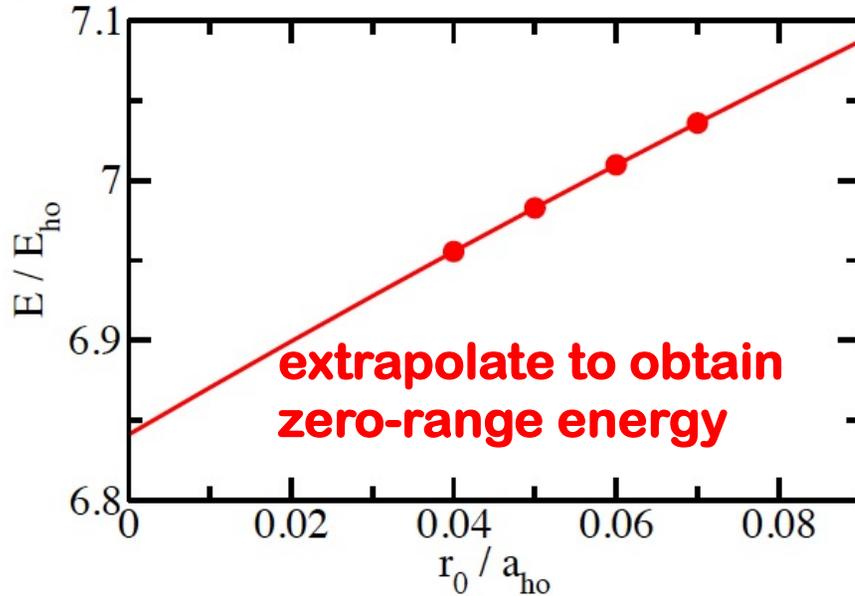
$$r_0 = 0.01a_{ho}$$
$$a_s = 0.0096a_{ho}$$



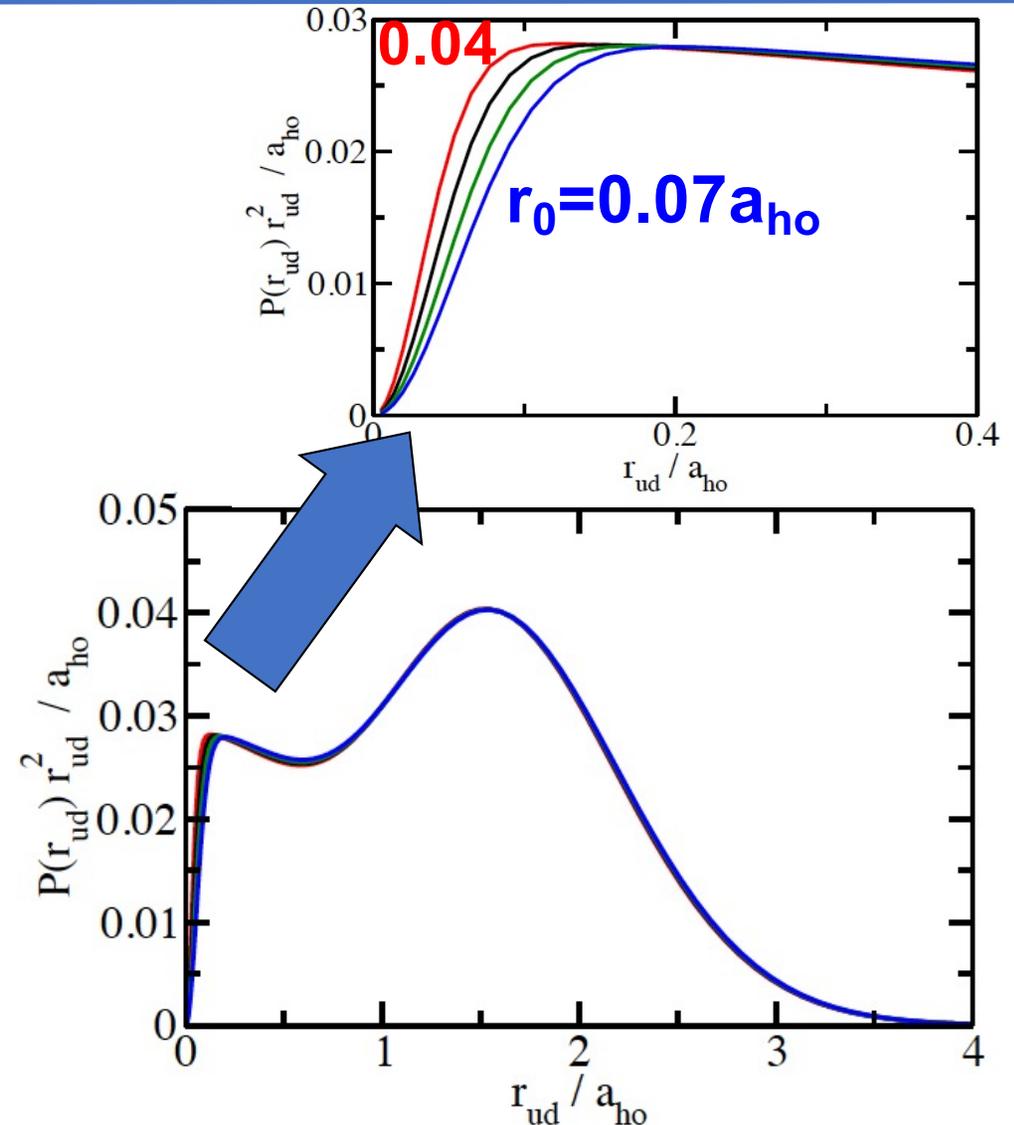
For each N_b , try a few 1000 and keep the best.

Trapped (3,3) System: Energy And Pair Distribution Function

Lowest energy at unitarity
($1/a_s=0$):



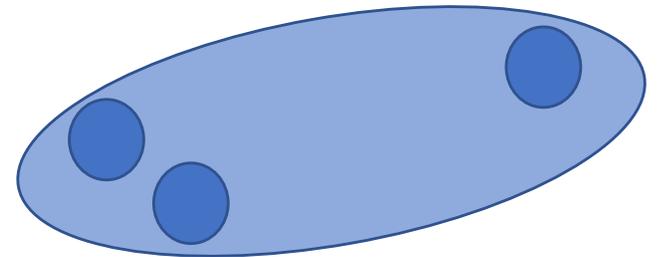
Two-peak structure of up-down pair distribution function:
Small r_{ud} peak: pair formation.
Large r_{ud} peak: unpaired.



A Few More Comments

Basis functions need to be symmetrized: Five identical bosons implies $5!=120$ permutations.

Use physical insight to choose $d_{j,st}$ efficiently:
E.g., “2+1” or “1+1+1” configuration.



If parameter windows for non-linear variational parameters are not set properly, a non-converged energy may appear converged...

Basis sets tend to be small (a few 1000); but we work hard to select the basis functions we want.

Beyond $L^{\Pi} = 0^{+}$ states? Many possibilities... Global vector approach is quite convenient.

Spin-Orbit Coupling: Need To Account For Spin

$$\Phi_j = \exp \left(- \sum_{s < t}^N \frac{r_{st}^2}{2d_{j,st}^2} + \sum_{t=1}^{N-1} l \vec{S}_{j,t} \cdot \vec{\rho}_t \right)$$

Spatial two-body correlations

Correlation between spin and spatial degrees of freedom.

Can be rewritten as

$$\sum_{t=1}^N l \vec{S}_{j,t} \cdot \vec{r}_t$$

$$\Psi_{rel} = \sum_{j=1}^{N_b} c_j \psi_j \quad \text{and} \quad \psi_j = \mathcal{S}(\Phi_j(\vec{\rho}_1, \dots, \vec{\rho}_{N-1}) \chi_j)$$

Matrix elements have compact analytical expressions.

Bound state:

Energy of dimer with CM momentum P_z is more negative than that of two free atoms with the same P_z .

Energy of trimer with CM momentum P_z is more negative than that of three free atoms with the same P_z and that of a dimer and an atom with the same P_z .

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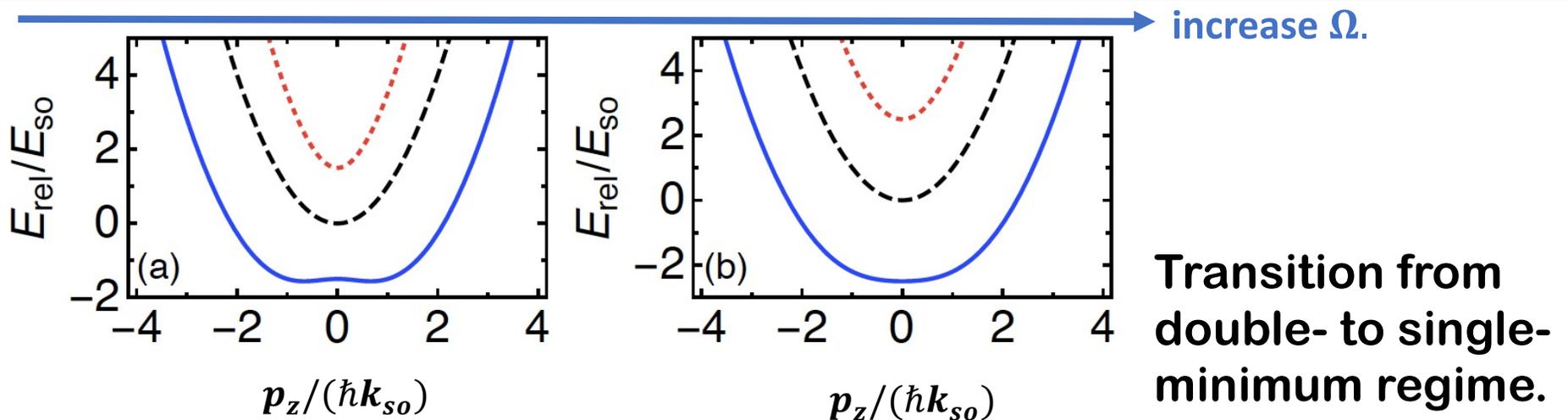
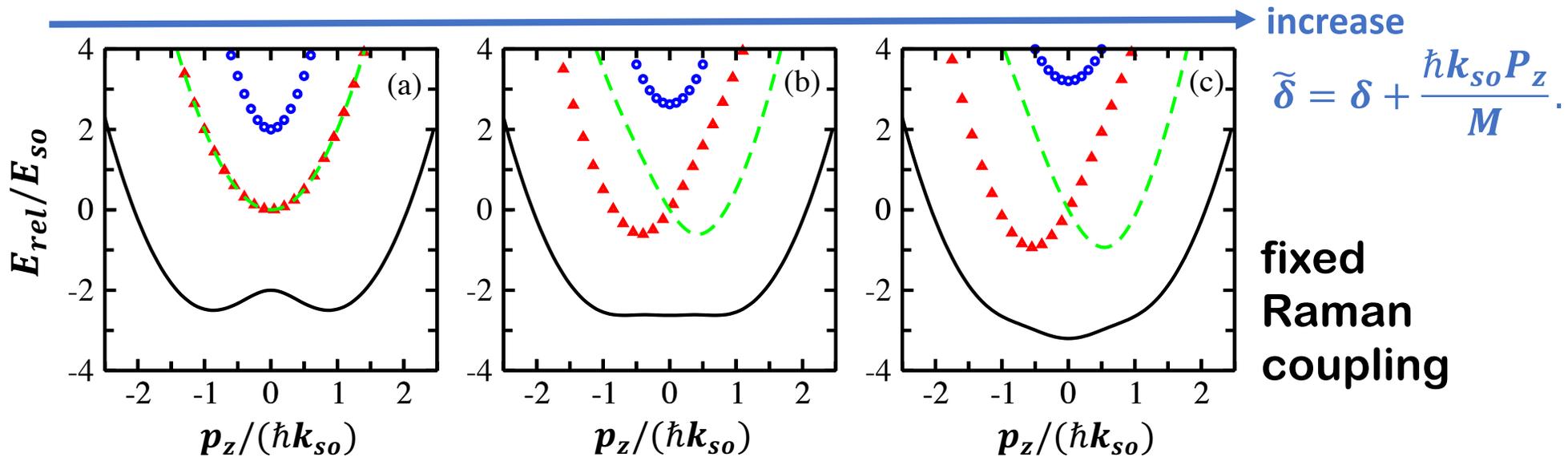
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$$H_{rel}(P_z) = \frac{p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2}{2\mu} I_2^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + \frac{\hbar k_{so} p_z}{\mu} \left(\sigma_z^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} - I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_z^{(2)} \right) + \Omega \left(\sigma_x^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_x^{(2)} \right) + \left(\delta + \frac{\hbar k_{so} P_z}{M} \right) \left(\sigma_z^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)} + I_2^{(1)} \otimes \sigma_z^{(2)} \right) + V_{2b}(r) I_2^{(1)} \otimes I_2^{(2)}$$

$$[H_{rel}, P_z] = 0$$

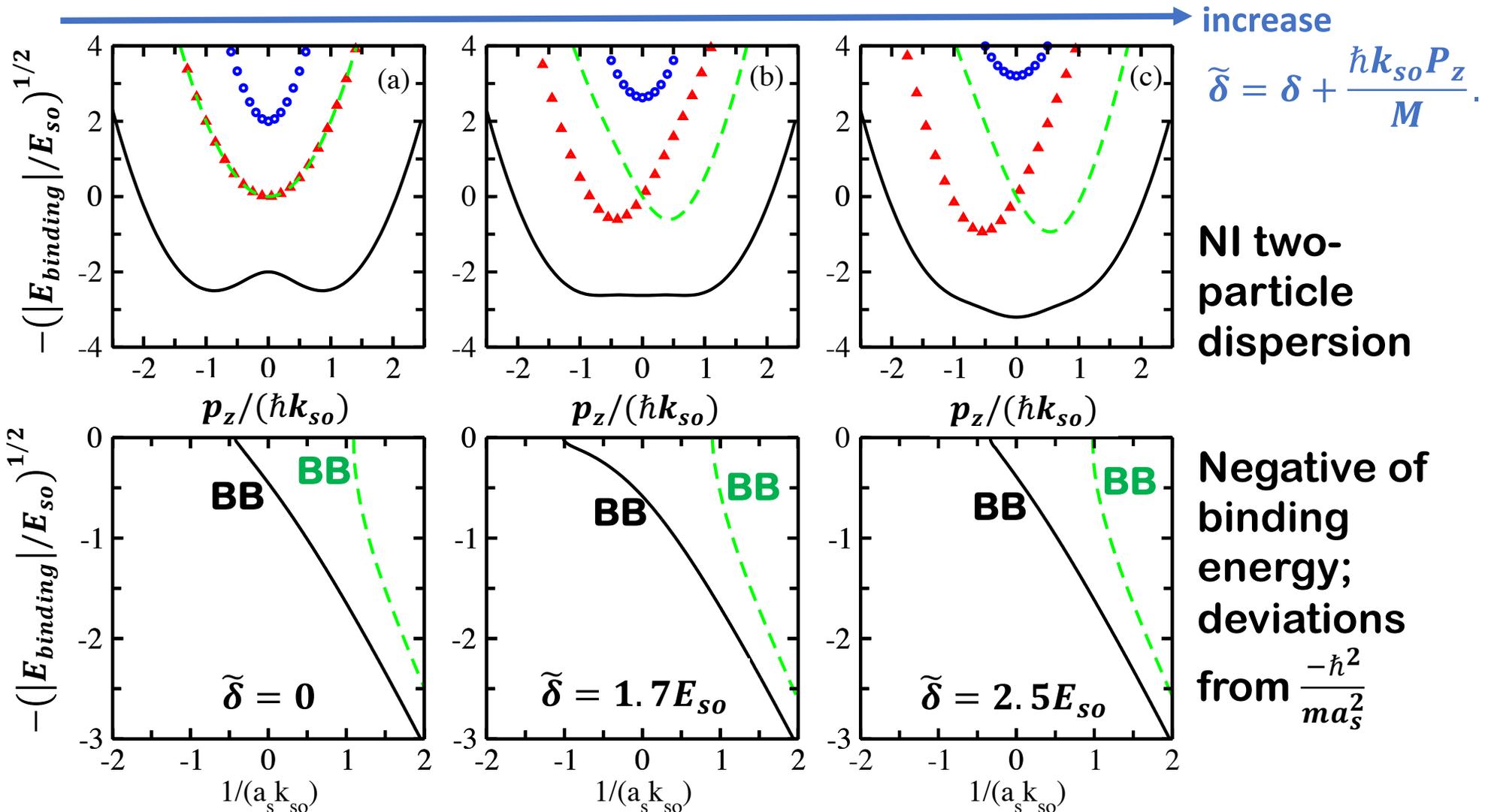
parametric dependence on CoM momentum (call $\tilde{\delta}$)

Non-Interacting Relative Dispersion Curves Along z



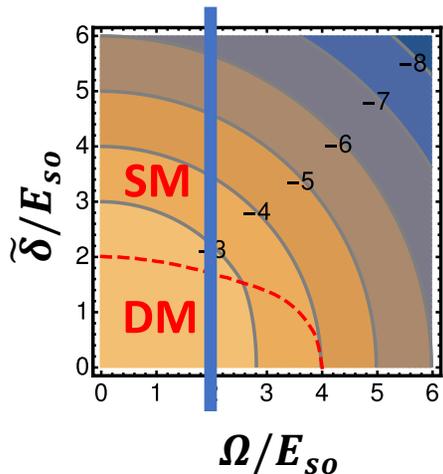
Two Identical Bosons:

$$\Omega = 2E_{so}; \tilde{\delta} \geq 0 \quad (a_{\uparrow\uparrow} = a_{\uparrow\downarrow} = a_{\downarrow\uparrow} = a_{\downarrow\downarrow})$$

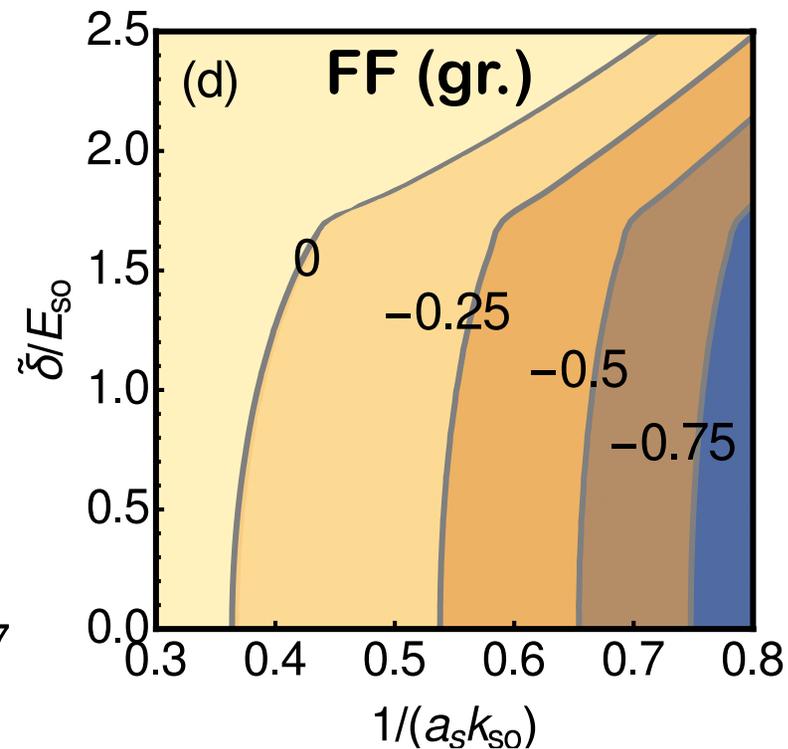
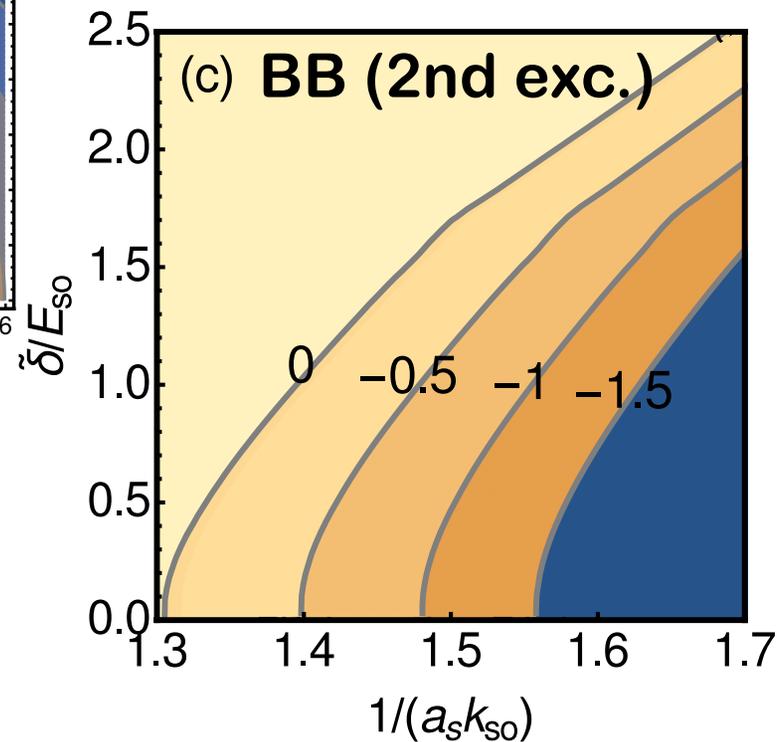
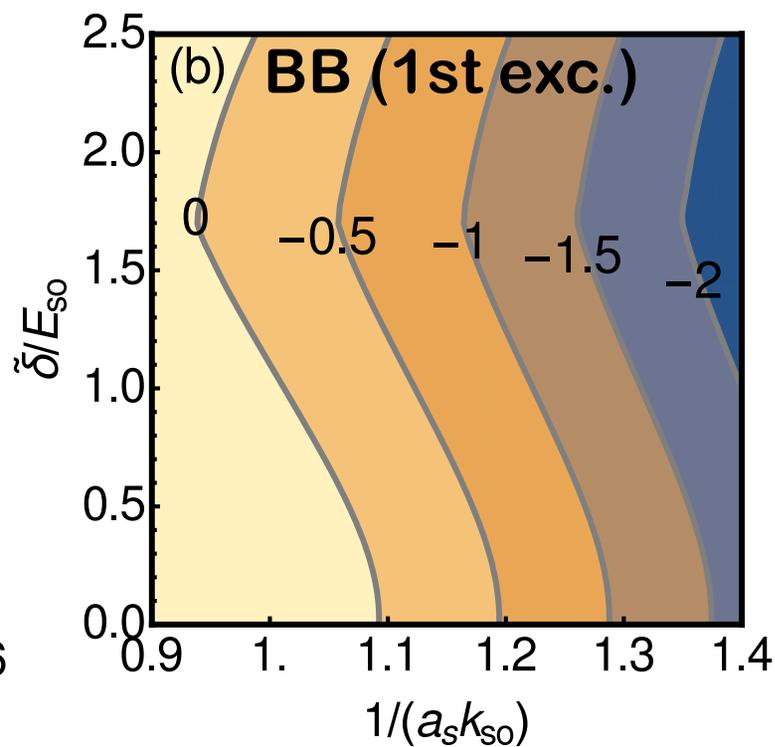
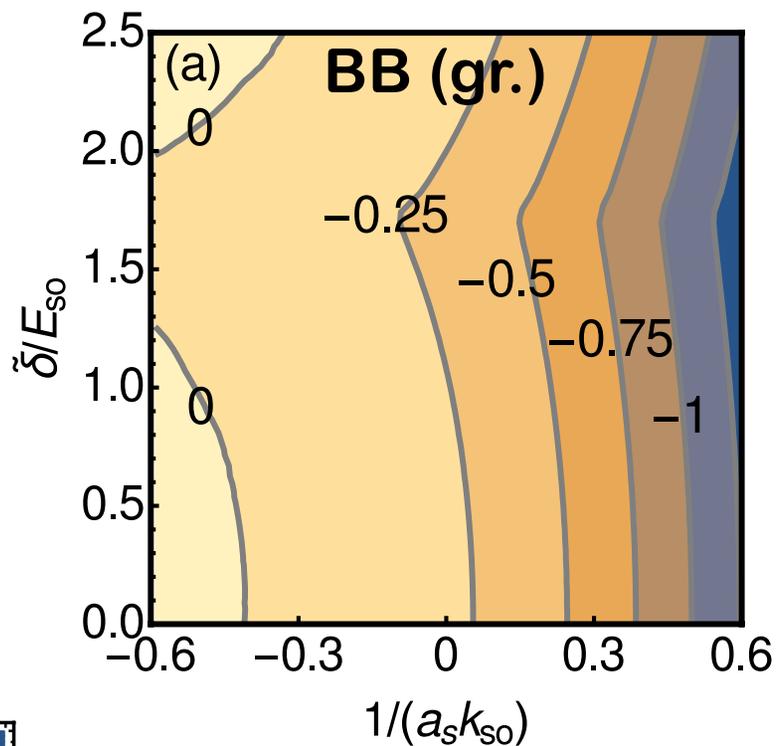


Three BB, one FF bound states ($\Omega = 2E_{so}$)

Scattering
threshold:



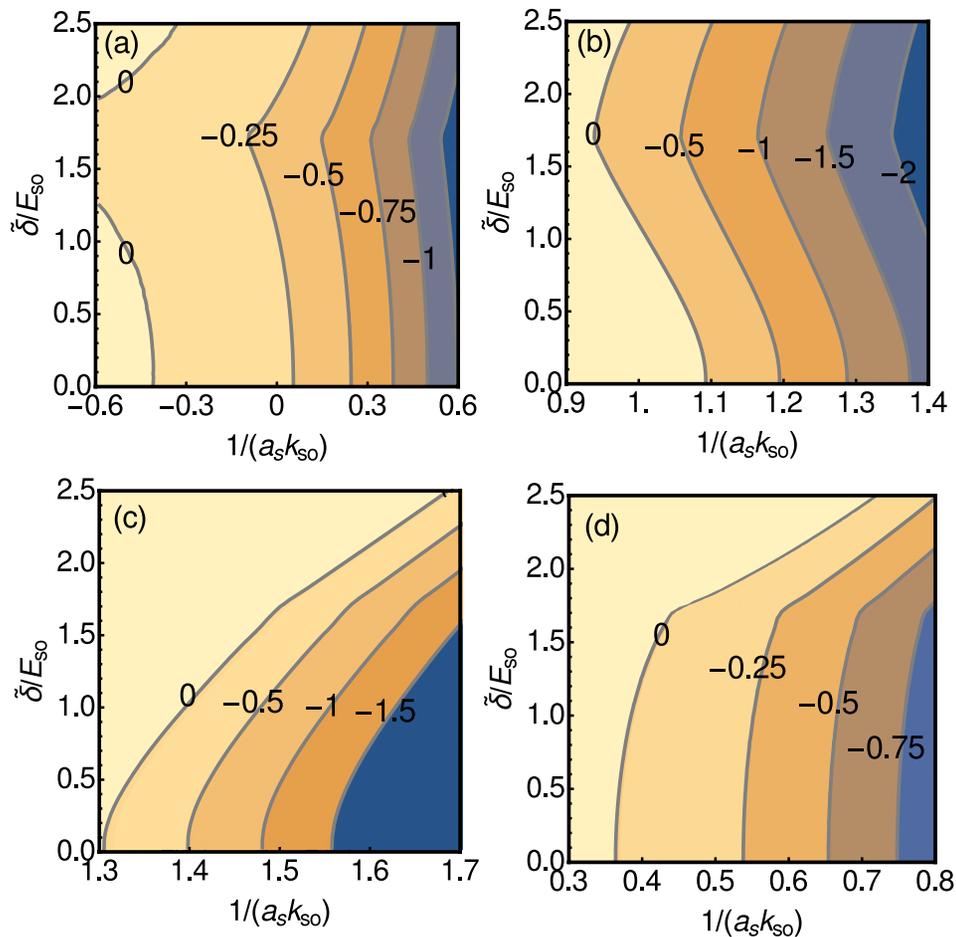
Where does
the “shape”
come from?



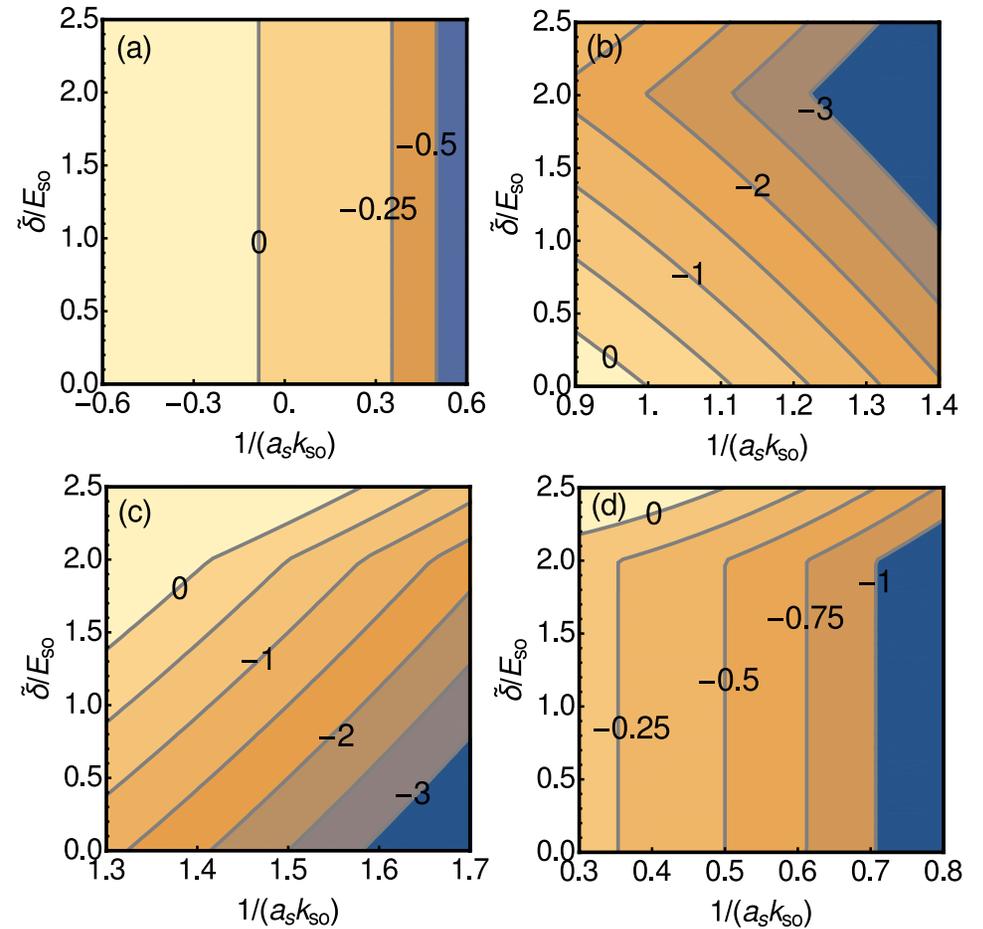
“Shape”?

Simple Qualitative Picture

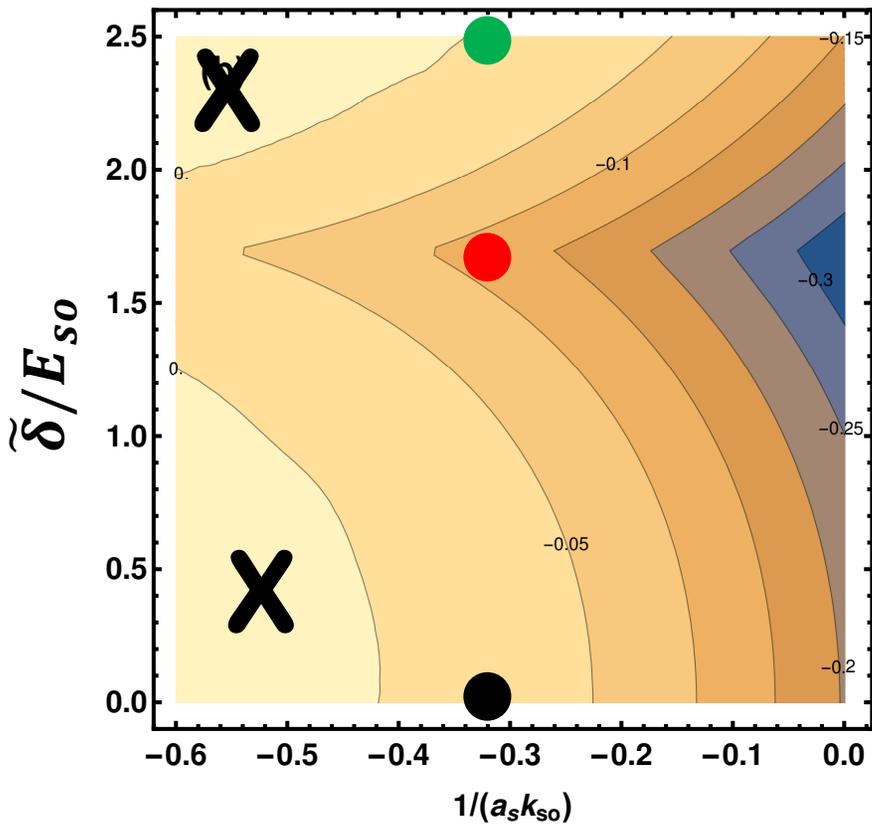
$\Omega = 2E_{s0}$ (numerical)



$\Omega = 0$ (analytical)

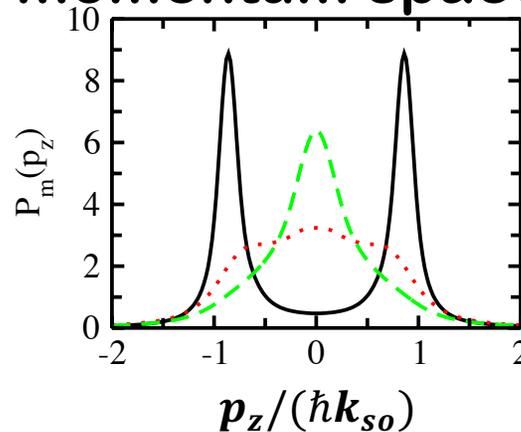


Binding Energy For $\Omega = 2E_{s0}$: Lowest BB State

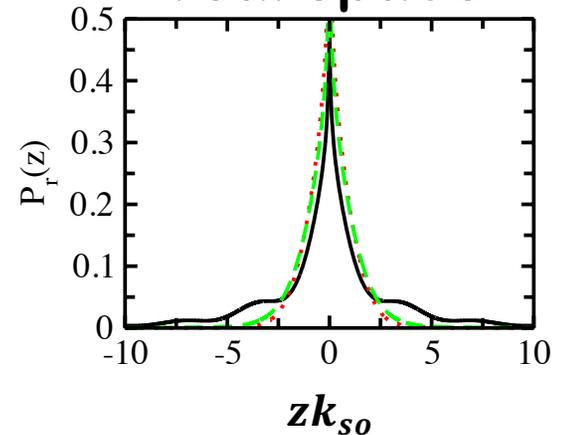


Maximum binding roughly where
the dispersion has three global
minima

momentum space



real space



Weakly-bound state for
certain negative free-space
s-wave scattering lengths.

For FF, see: Shenoy, PRA 88, 033609 (2013).
Dong et al., PRA 87, 043616 (2013).

With SOC: Fate Of Three-Boson Efimov States?

$$H = \left(\frac{\vec{p}_{12}^2}{2\mu_{12}} + \frac{\vec{p}_{12,3}^2}{2\mu_{12,3}} + \sum_{j<k} g_2 \delta(\vec{r}_{jk}) + g_3 \delta(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2) \delta(\vec{r}_2 - \vec{r}_3) \right) I_8$$

$$+ \frac{\hbar k_{so}}{m} (\dots) + \Omega(\dots) + \tilde{\delta}(\dots).$$

changes and extra terms due to SOC

Continuous scaling symmetry (easy to check)!

$$t \rightarrow \lambda^2 t; \vec{r} \rightarrow \lambda \vec{r}; a_s \rightarrow \lambda a_s; k_{so} \rightarrow \lambda^{-1} k_{so}; \Omega \rightarrow \lambda^{-2} \Omega;$$

$$\tilde{\delta} \rightarrow \lambda^{-2} \tilde{\delta}; E \rightarrow \lambda^{-2} E; \kappa_* \rightarrow \lambda^{-1} \kappa_*$$

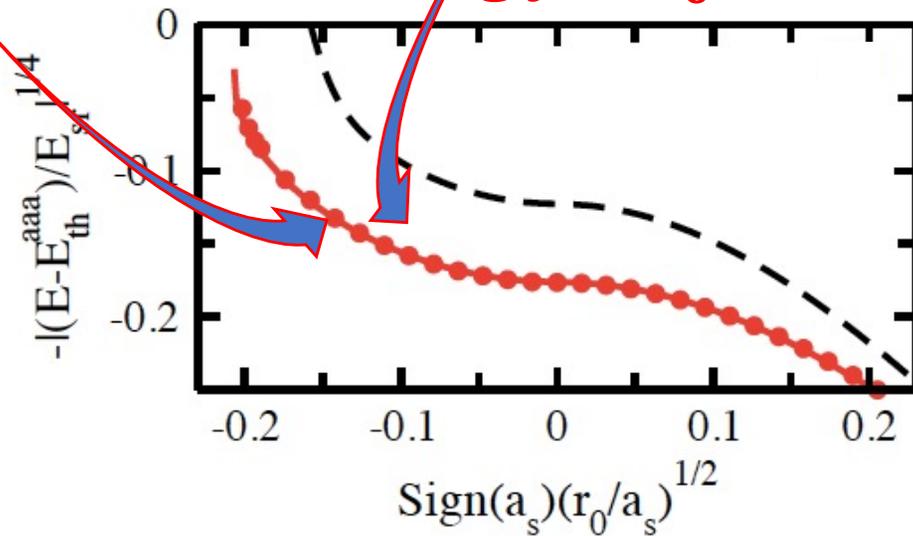
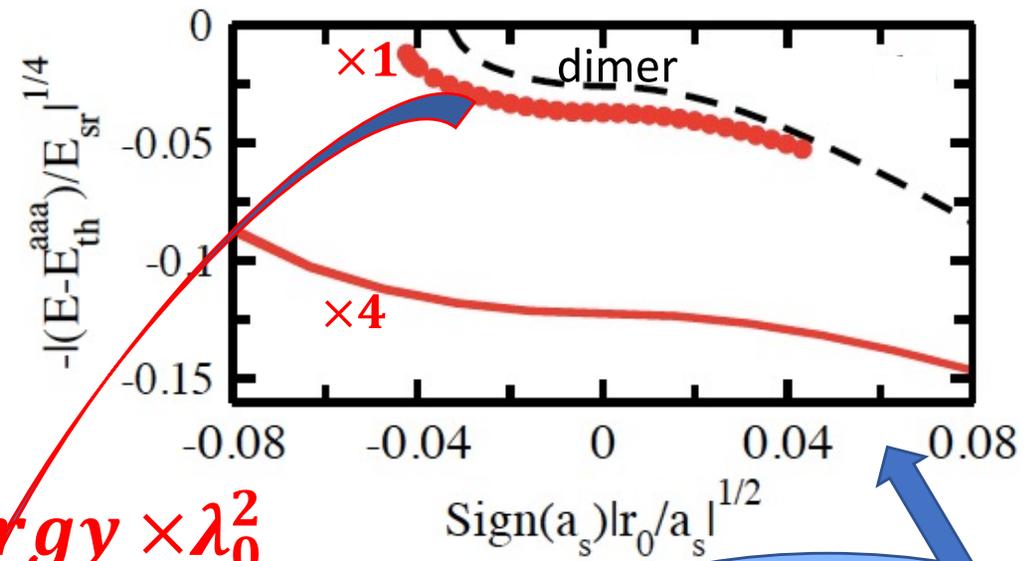
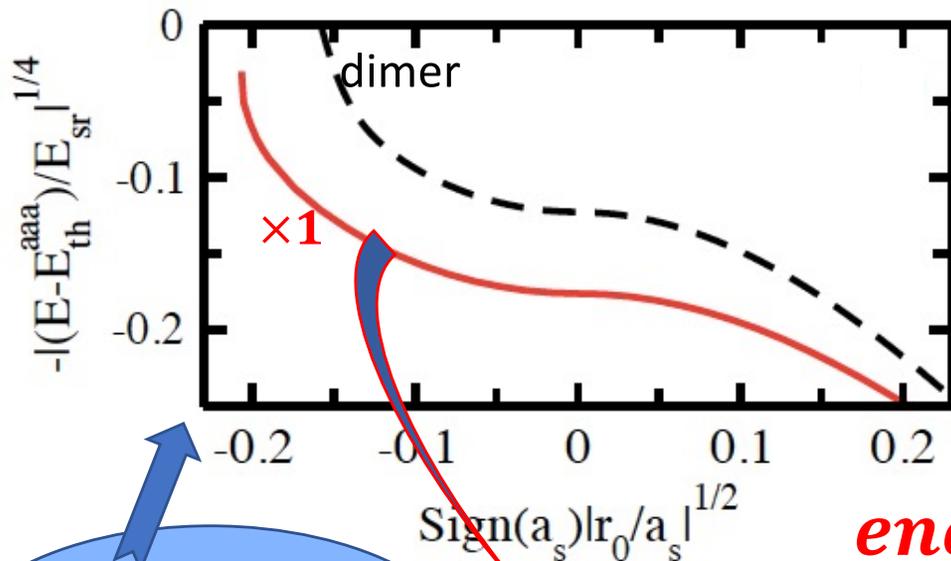
Discrete scaling symmetry?

$$t \rightarrow \lambda_0^2 t; \vec{r} \rightarrow \lambda_0 \vec{r}; a_s \rightarrow \lambda_0 a_s; k_{so} \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-1} k_{so}; \Omega \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} \Omega;$$

$$\tilde{\delta} \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} \tilde{\delta}; E \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} E; \kappa_* \rightarrow \kappa_*; \lambda_0 \approx 22.7$$

Generalized Radial Scaling Law?

$$\tilde{\delta} = 0 \text{ And } (\kappa_*)^{-1} = 66r_0$$



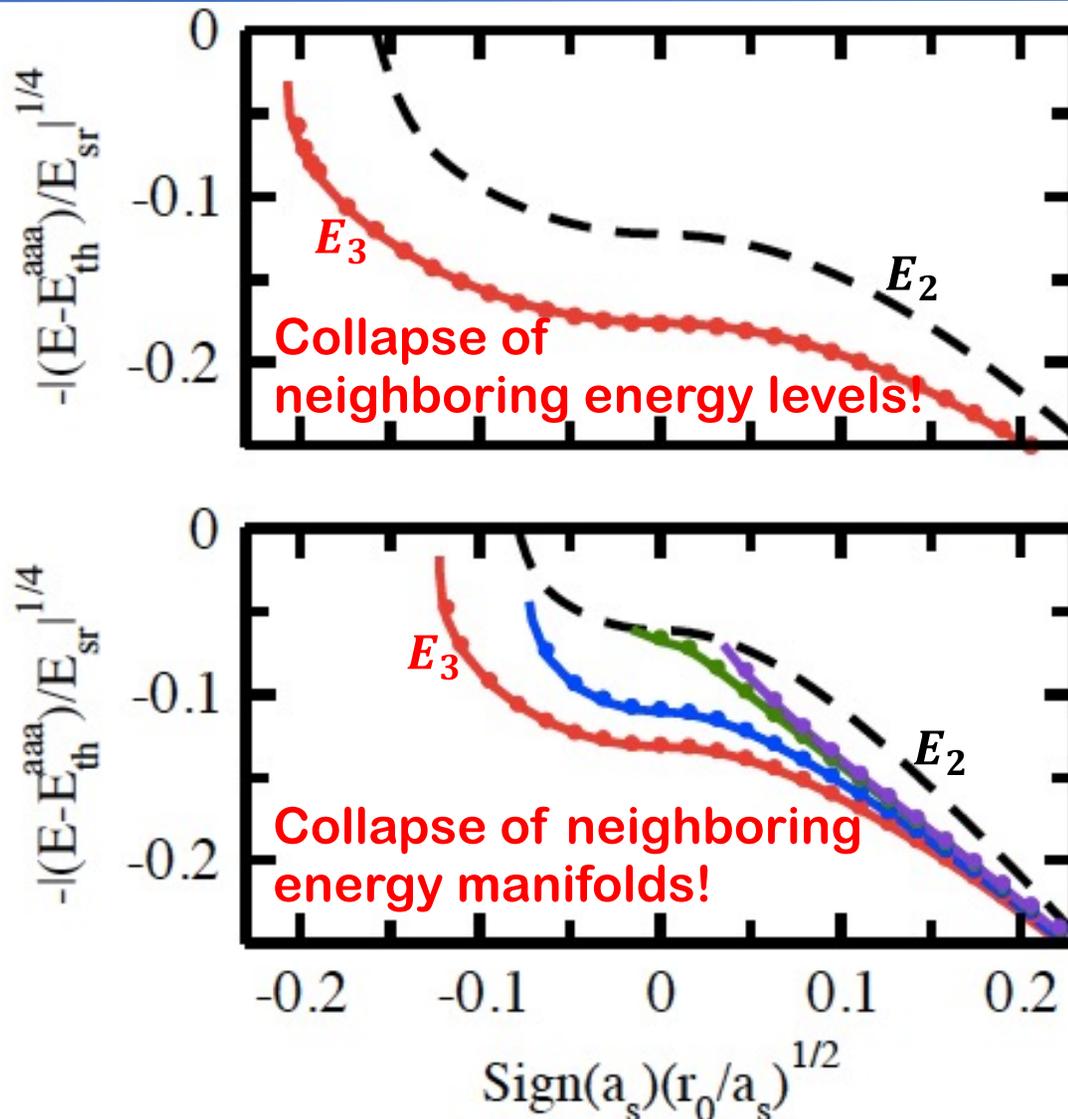
energy $\times \lambda_0^2$

$(k_{so})^{-1} = 25r_0.$
 $\Omega = 0.0016 \frac{\hbar^2}{mr_0^2}.$

$(k_{so})^{-1} = \lambda_0 25r_0.$
 $\Omega = (0.0016/\lambda_0^2) \frac{\hbar^2}{mr_0^2}.$

Generalized Radial Scaling Law (Five Instead Of Two Axes)

Discrete
scaling
symmetry
($\lambda_0 \approx 22.7$)!
 $a_s \rightarrow \lambda_0 a_s$;
 $k_{so} \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-1} k_{so}$;
 $\Omega \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} \Omega$;
 $\tilde{\delta} \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} \tilde{\delta}$;
 $E \rightarrow \lambda_0^{-2} E$.
 $\kappa_* \rightarrow \kappa_*$.



Solid line (gr. st.):
 $(\kappa_*)^{-1} = 66r_0$.
 $(k_{so})^{-1} = 25r_0$.
 $\Omega = 2E_{so}$; $\tilde{\delta} = 0$.
 Dots (exc. st. of H
 with scaled
 parameters).

Solid lines (gr. st.
 manifold):
 $(\kappa_*)^{-1} = 66r_0$.
 $(k_{so})^{-1} = 100r_0$.
 $\Omega = 2E_{so}$. $\tilde{\delta} = 0$.
 Dots (exc. st.
 manifold of H with
 scaled
 parameters).

Proposal: Experimental Observability

Using three-body
parameter for ^{133}Cs .
Lowest state in excited
state manifold.

$$(k_{so})^{-1} \approx 10,160a_0.$$

$$\frac{k_{so}}{\kappa_*} \approx 1.32 \text{ (exc. state).}$$

$$\Omega = 2E_{so}.$$

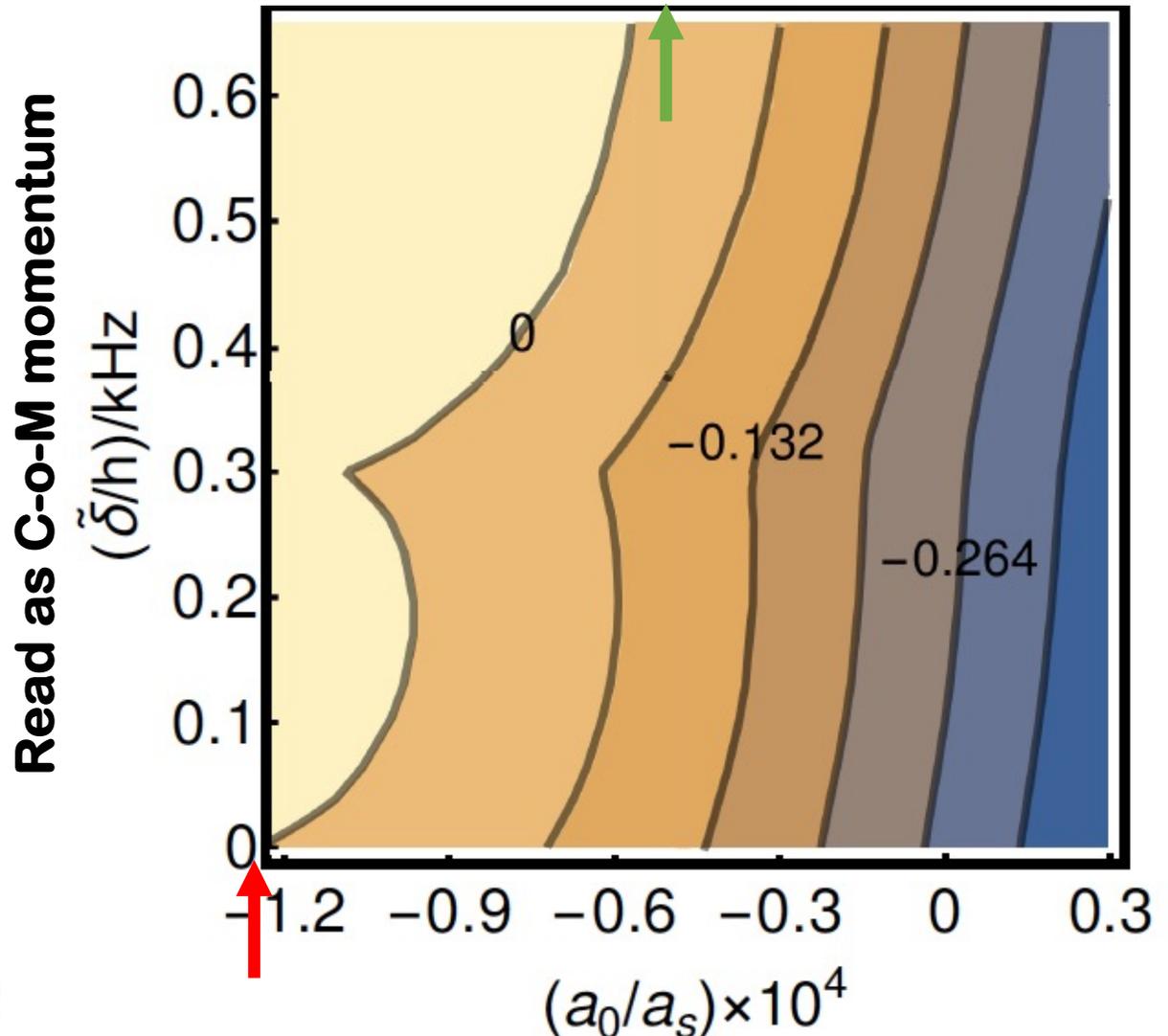
Ground state resonance
mostly unchanged.

Excited state resonance:
Enhanced losses between

$$a_s \approx -7,790a_0 \text{ and}$$

$$a_s \approx -20,190a_0.$$

Scattering length window!



Summary

**Discussion of one few-body technique:
Stochastic variational approach with explicitly correlated
Gaussians.**

**Application of this approach to bosons in the presence of 1D
spin-orbit coupling.**

Generalized radial scaling law for three identical bosons.

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Thank You!
