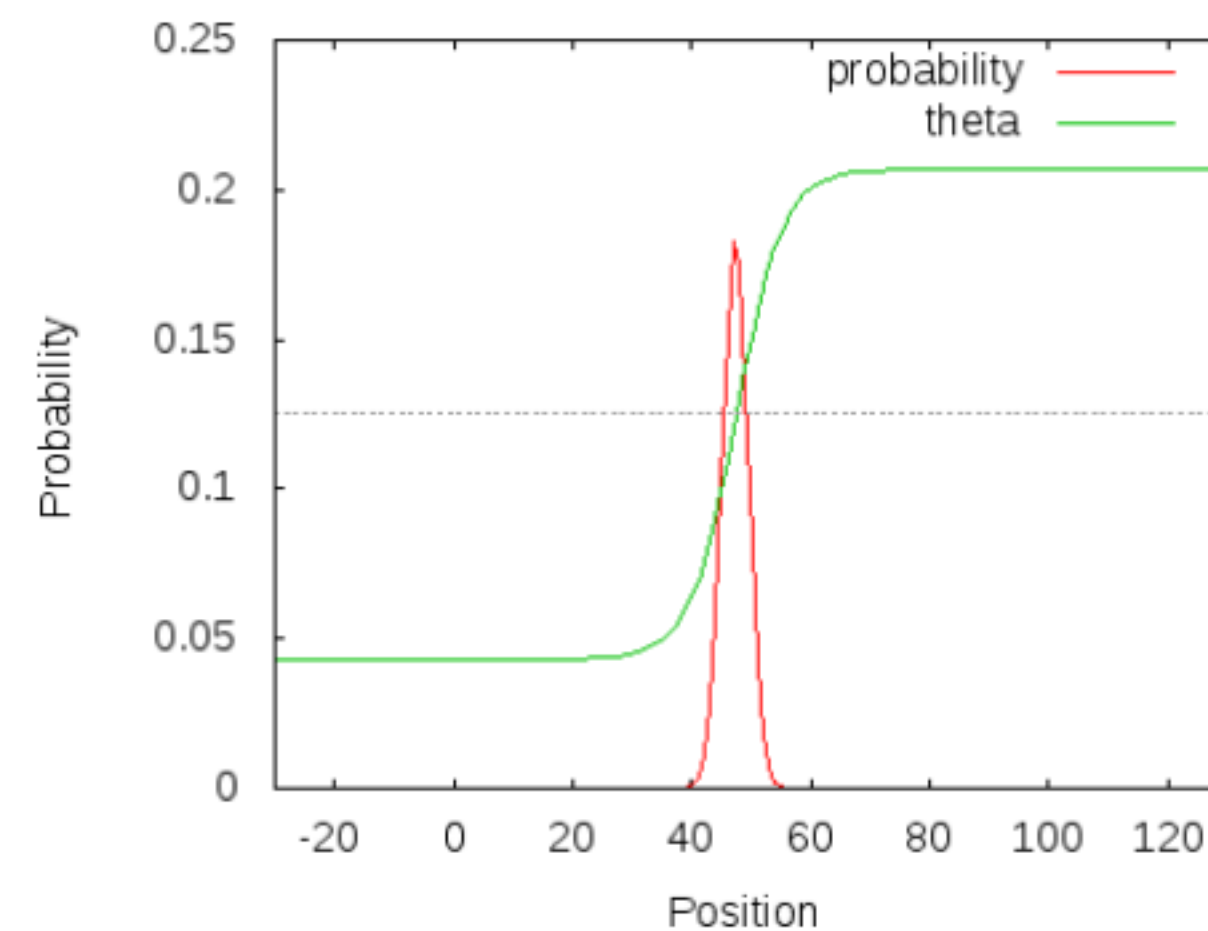


トポロジカル相と対称性を活用した量子状態制御 --- 量子ウォークによるアプローチ ---

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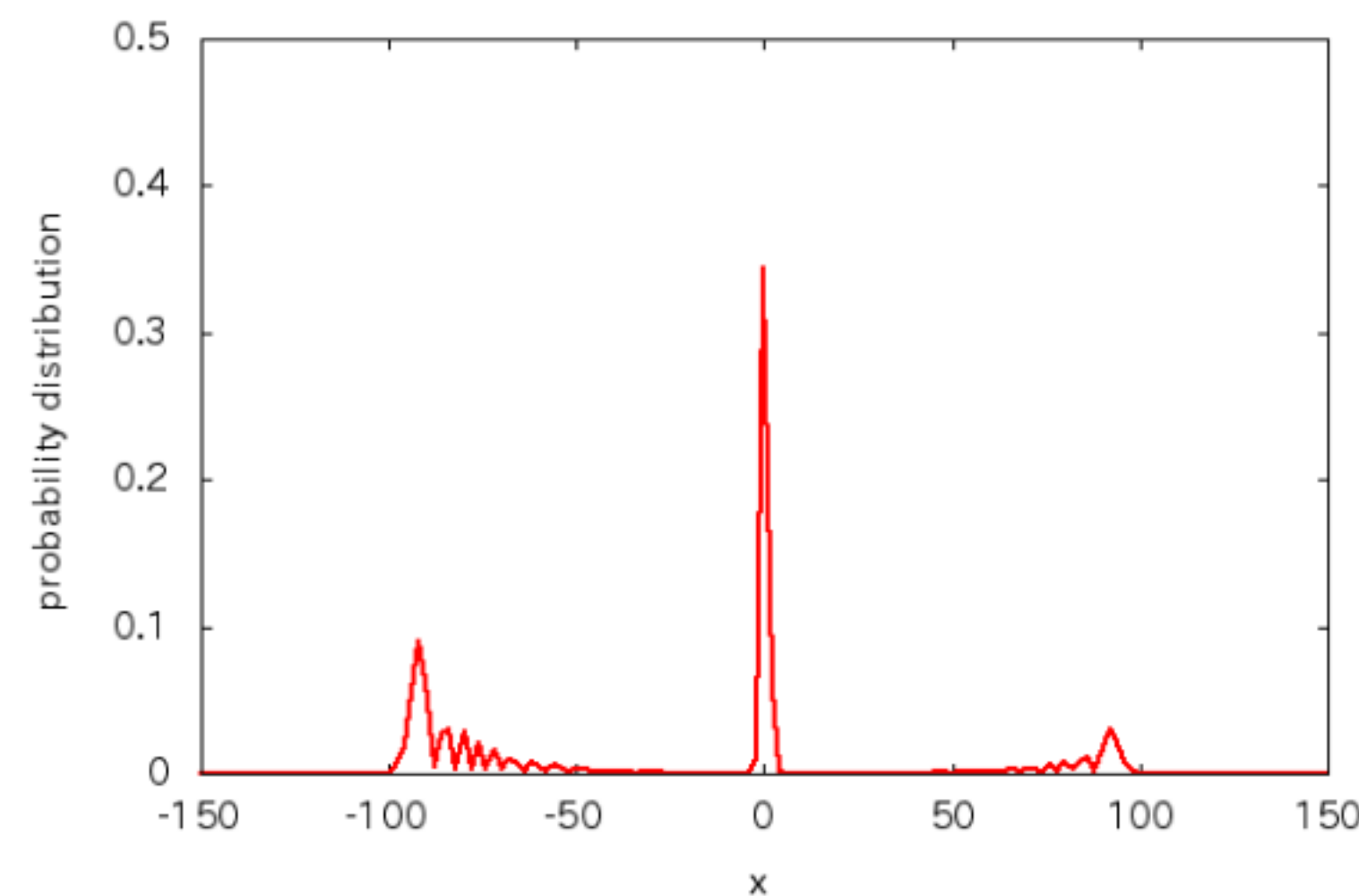
はじめに

My background : 物性理論

(トポロジカル絶縁体、アンダーソン局在)

量子ウォーク: 量子情報・量子計算の分野で発展, 量子シミュレーター

量子ウォークを用いて、トポロジカル相に起因するエッジ状態を誘起



- 系の対称性を制御
- 非自明なトポロジカル相が容易に誘起
- 検証実験が可能
- エッジ状態の実空間観測
- (現在の)電子系の実験では
困難なセットアップも可

トポロジカル相と対称性を活用した量子状態制御

Outline

- 量子ウォークとは
- 量子ウォークにおけるトポロジカル相とエッジ状態
- パリティ-時間対称な開放系量子ウォークにおけるトポロジカル相（非エルミート系におけるトポロジカル相）
- 動的変化するトポロジカル相を用いた量子状態輸送

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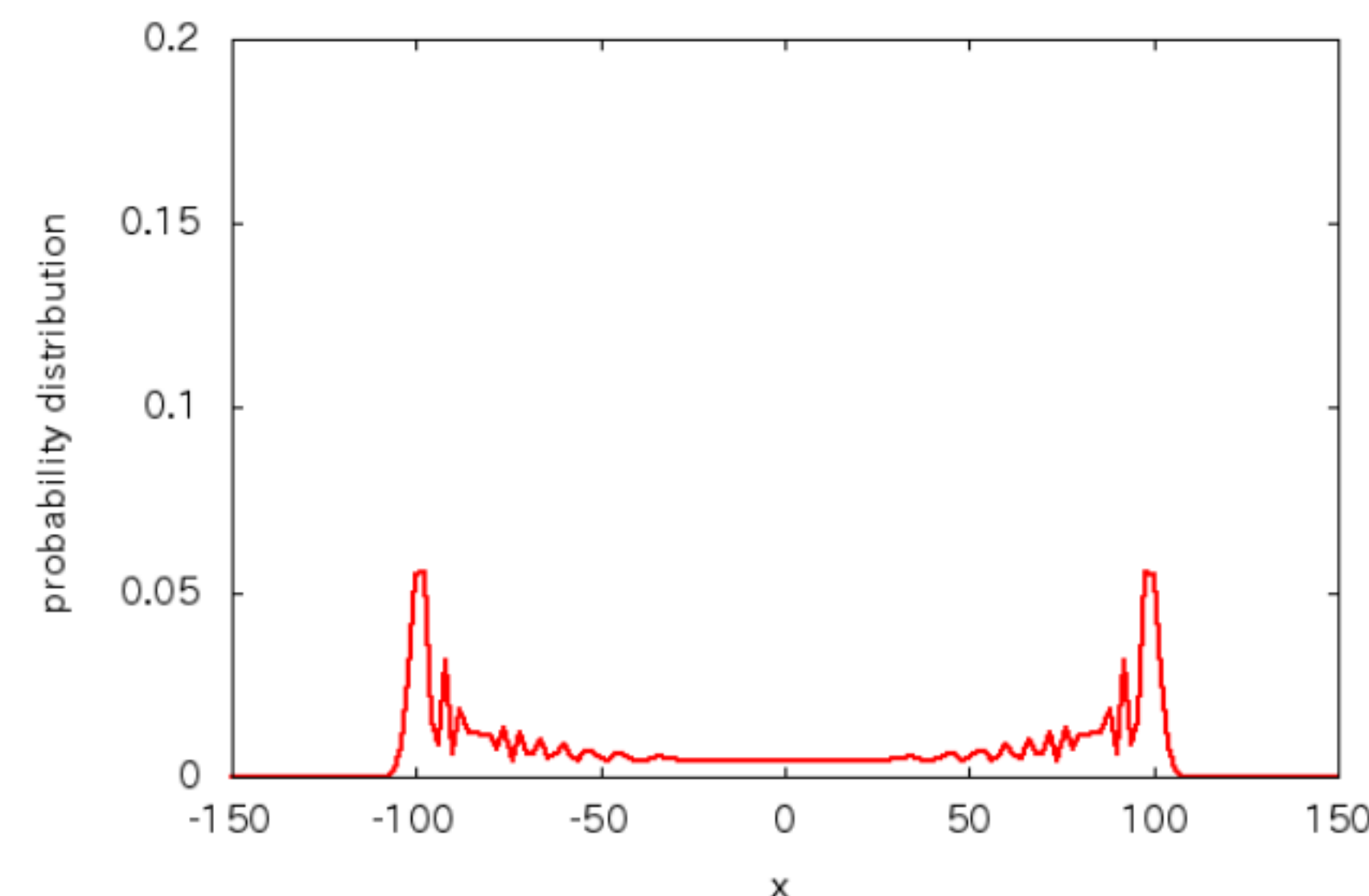
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量子ウォーク(Quantum walk, QW)とは？

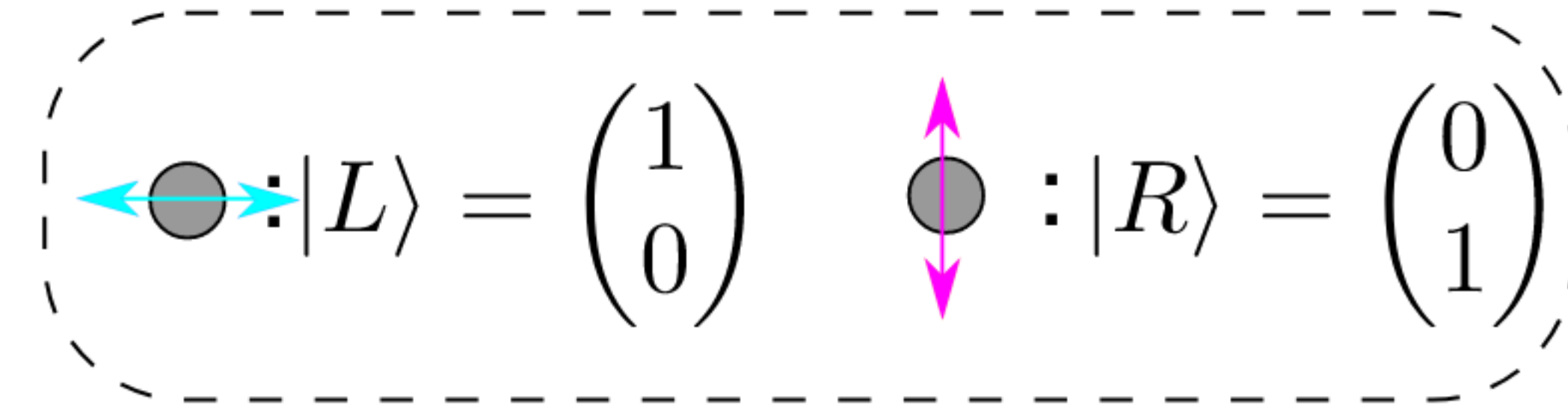
- QW has been developed in the field of **quantum computation & information** in 90's.
universal quantum computer & Grover algorithm
- Synthesis quantum system; realized in **photonic/optical systems**, cold atoms, etc.
- In *a classical limit*, the dynamics of QWs is identical with that of **random walks**.
- QWs are also useful as **quantum simulators**.



Definition of Discrete-Time QW in 1D

1. Basis:

- position space $\otimes$ internal states
 $|x\rangle \otimes |s\rangle \quad x \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $s = L, R$

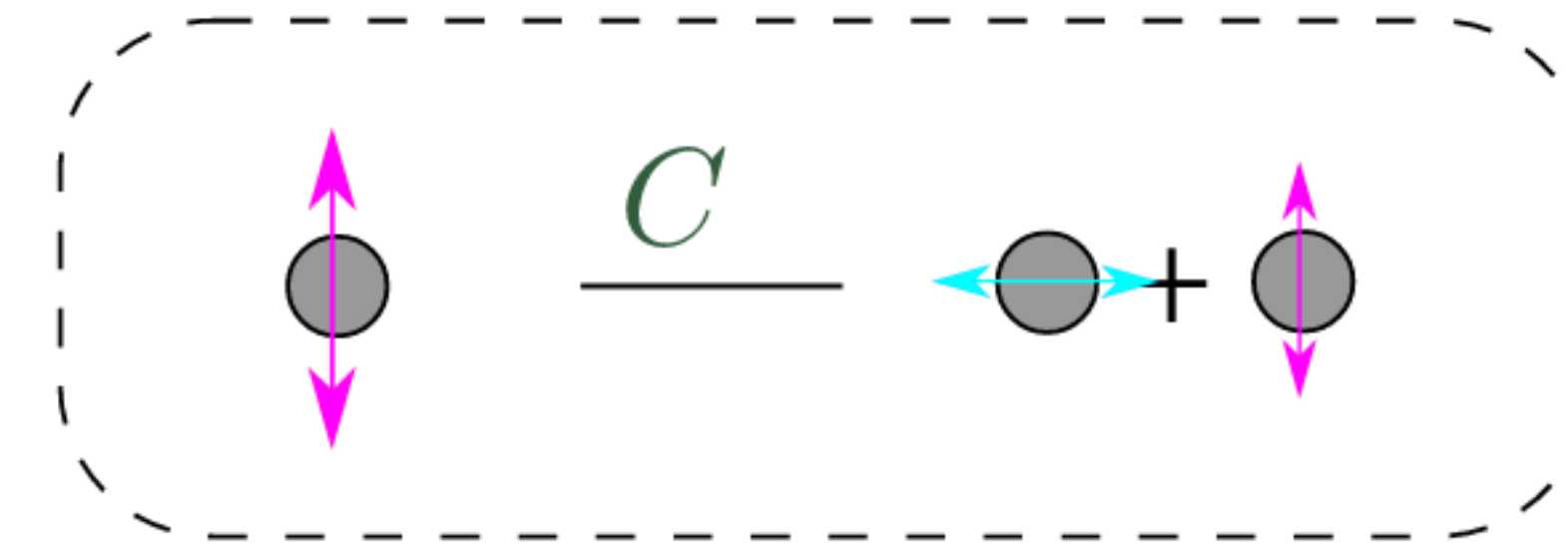


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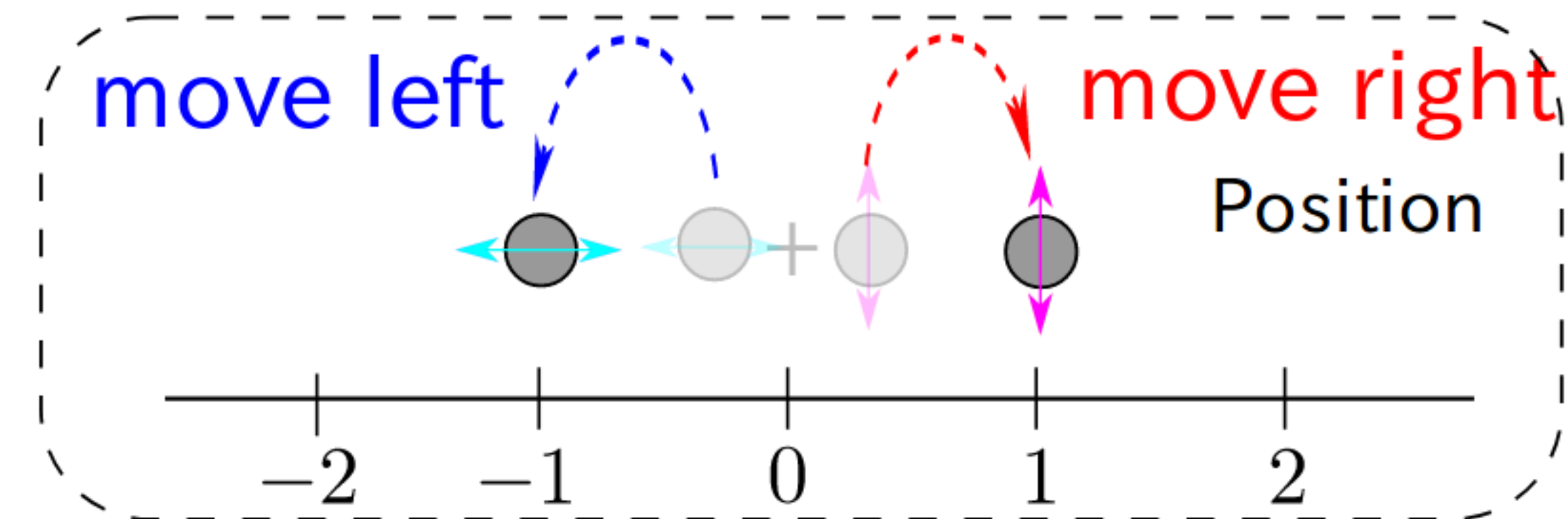
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- Shift operator: S

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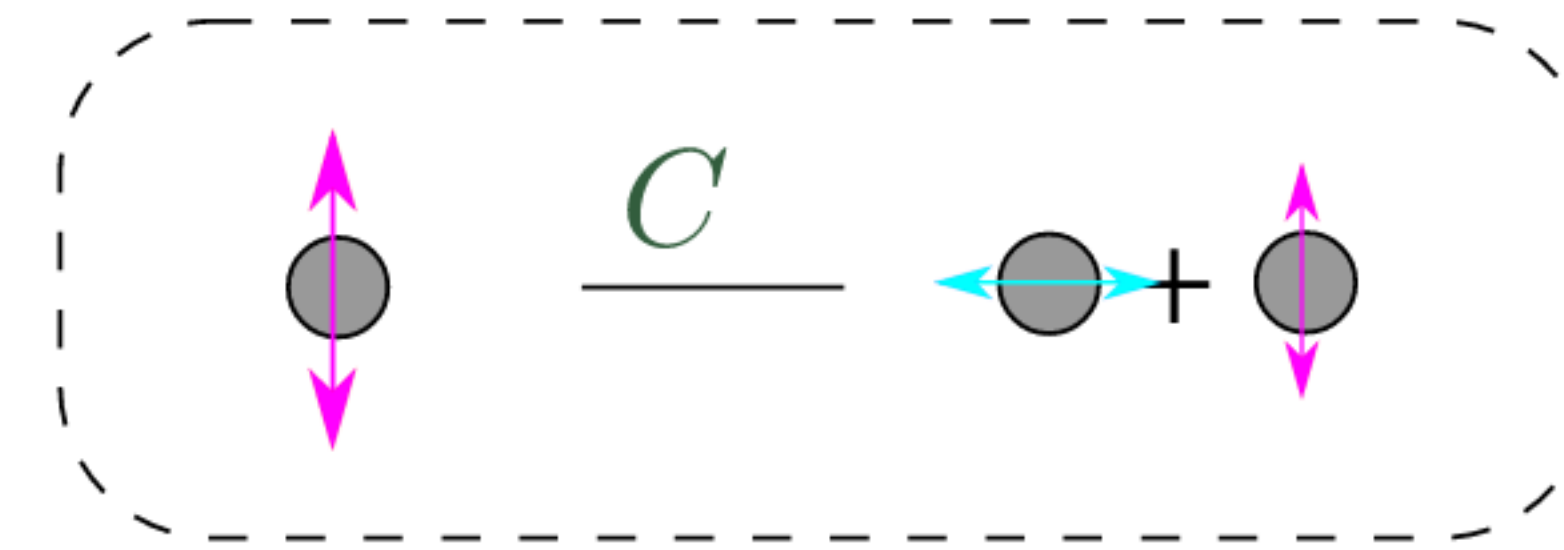


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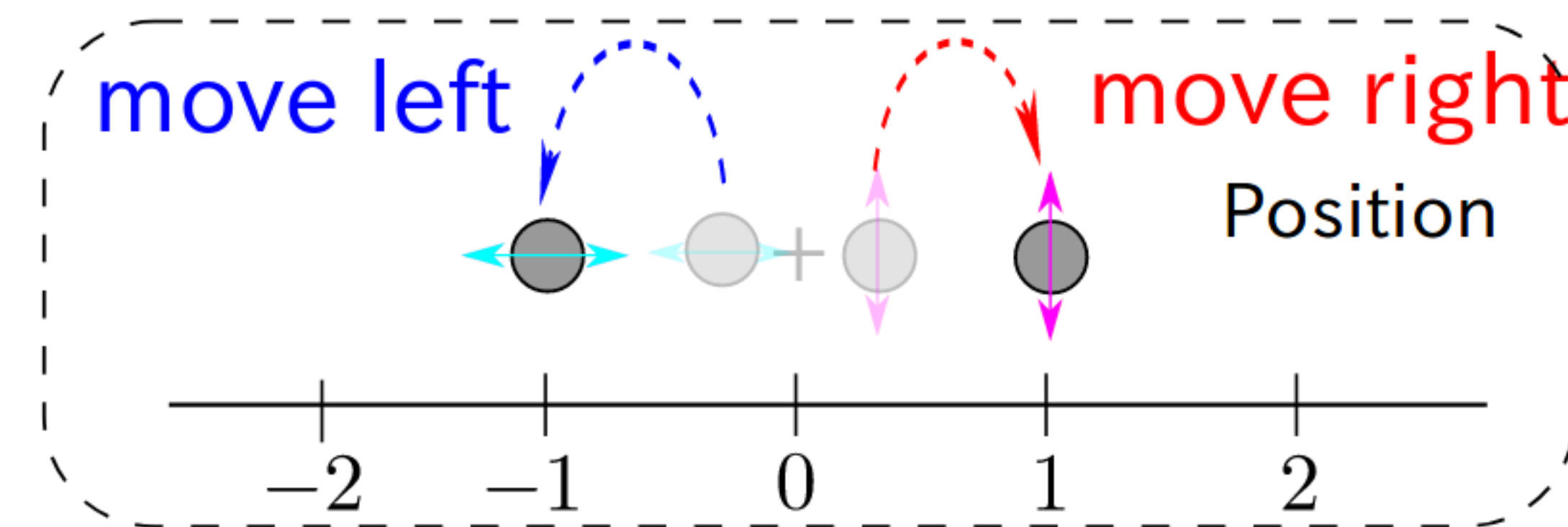
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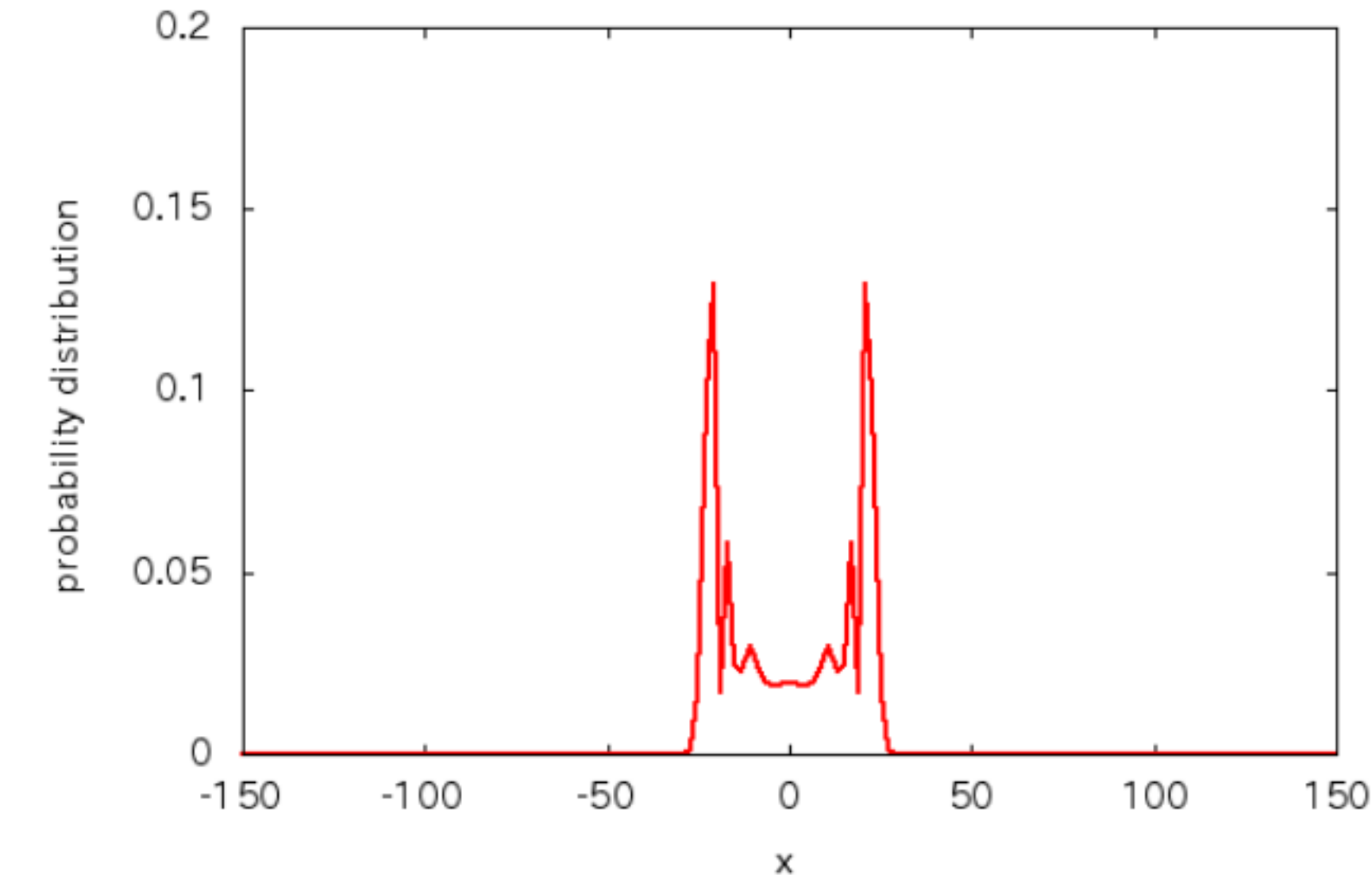
➡ No Hamiltonian is explicitly defined.

$$U = e^{-iH_F}$$

- Continuum limit

Dirac operator

$$U = SC(\theta) \longrightarrow H_F = \hat{p}\sigma_3 + \theta(x)\sigma_2$$



Quasi-energy

- Stationary states (eigen states of U):

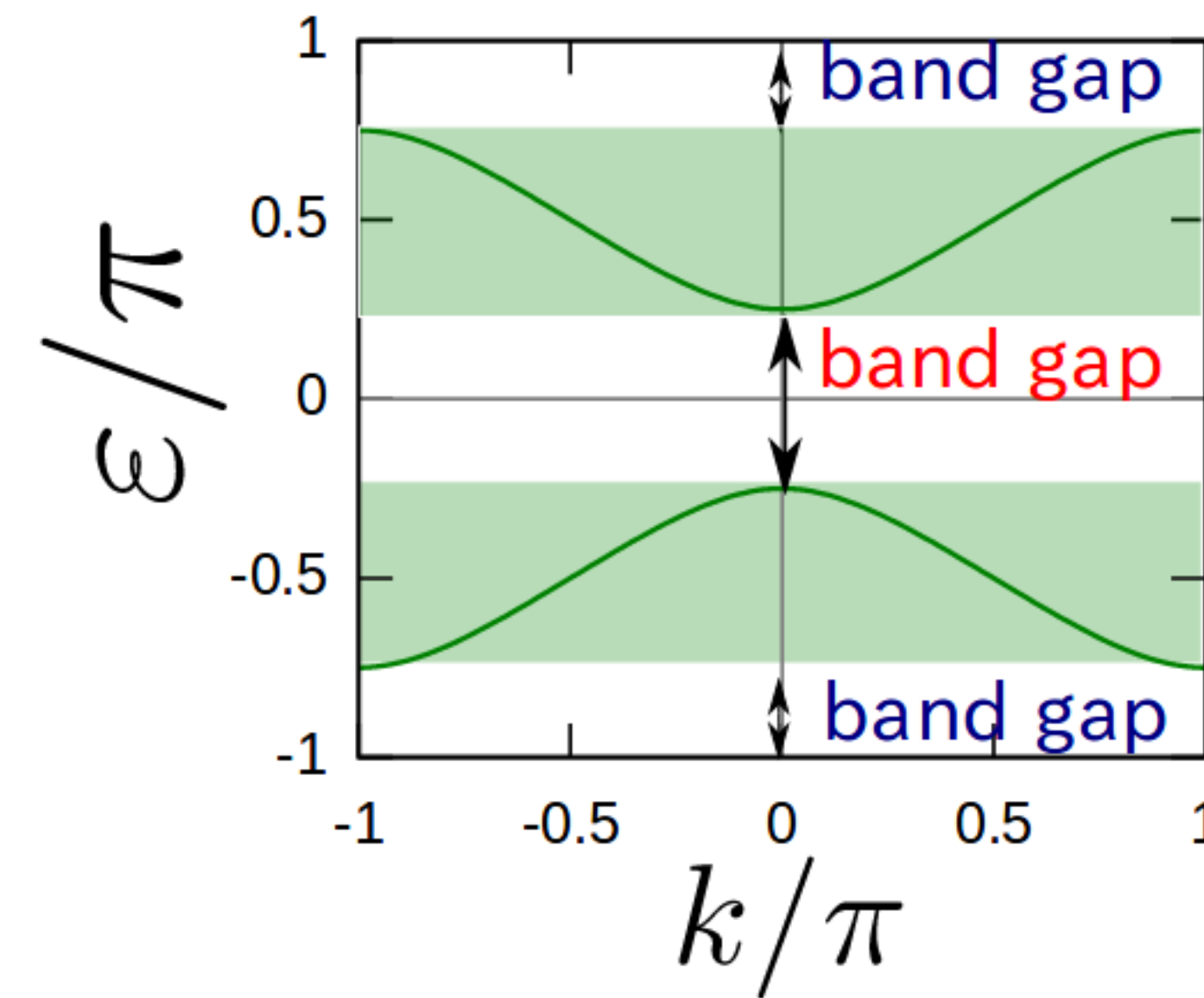
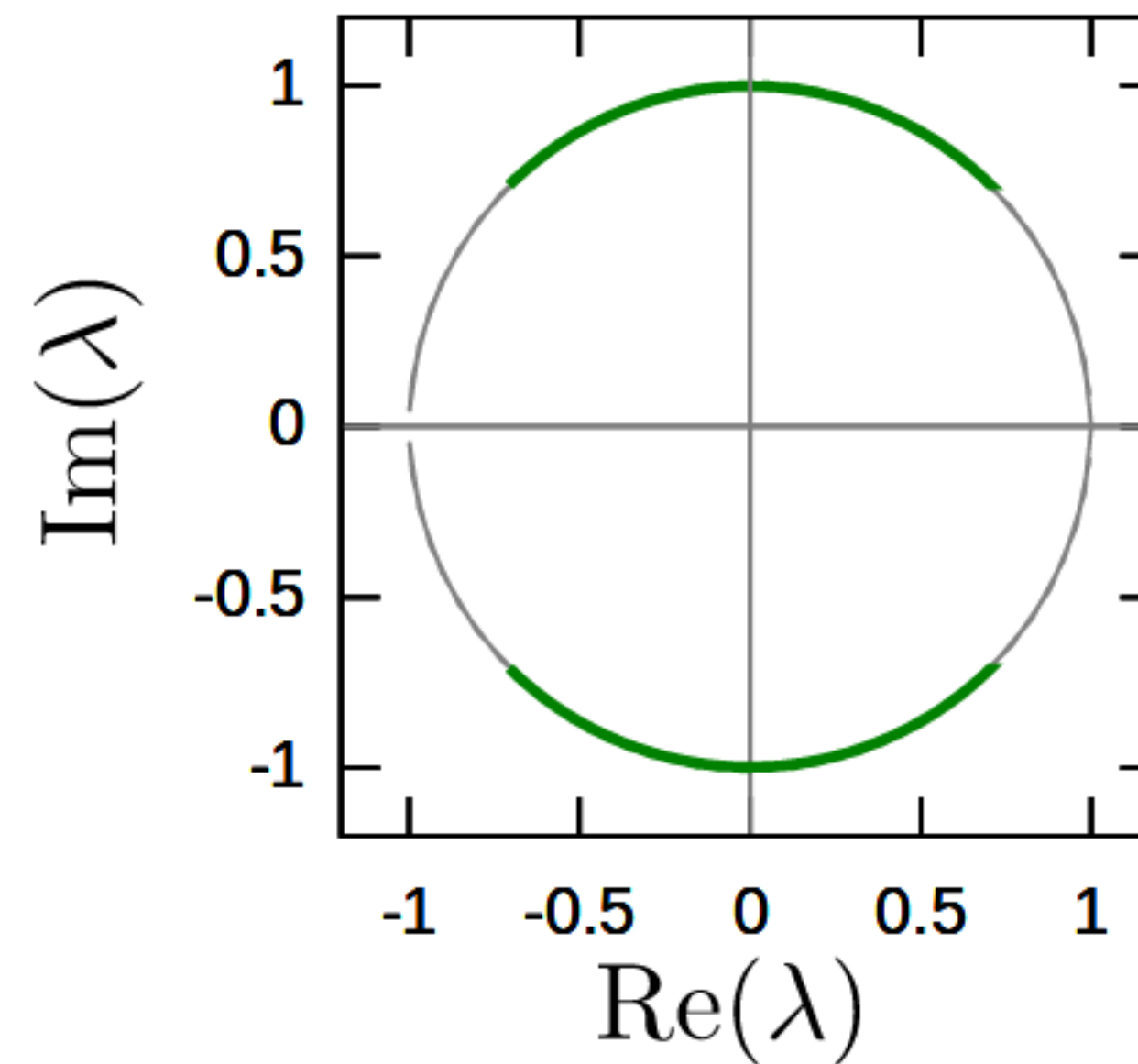
$$U|\psi\rangle = \lambda|\psi\rangle \quad U = e^{-iH_F}$$

$$\lambda = e^{-i\varepsilon}$$

ε : quasi-energy
(2π periodicity)

- For unitary QWs,

$$|\lambda| = 1 \Rightarrow \varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}$$

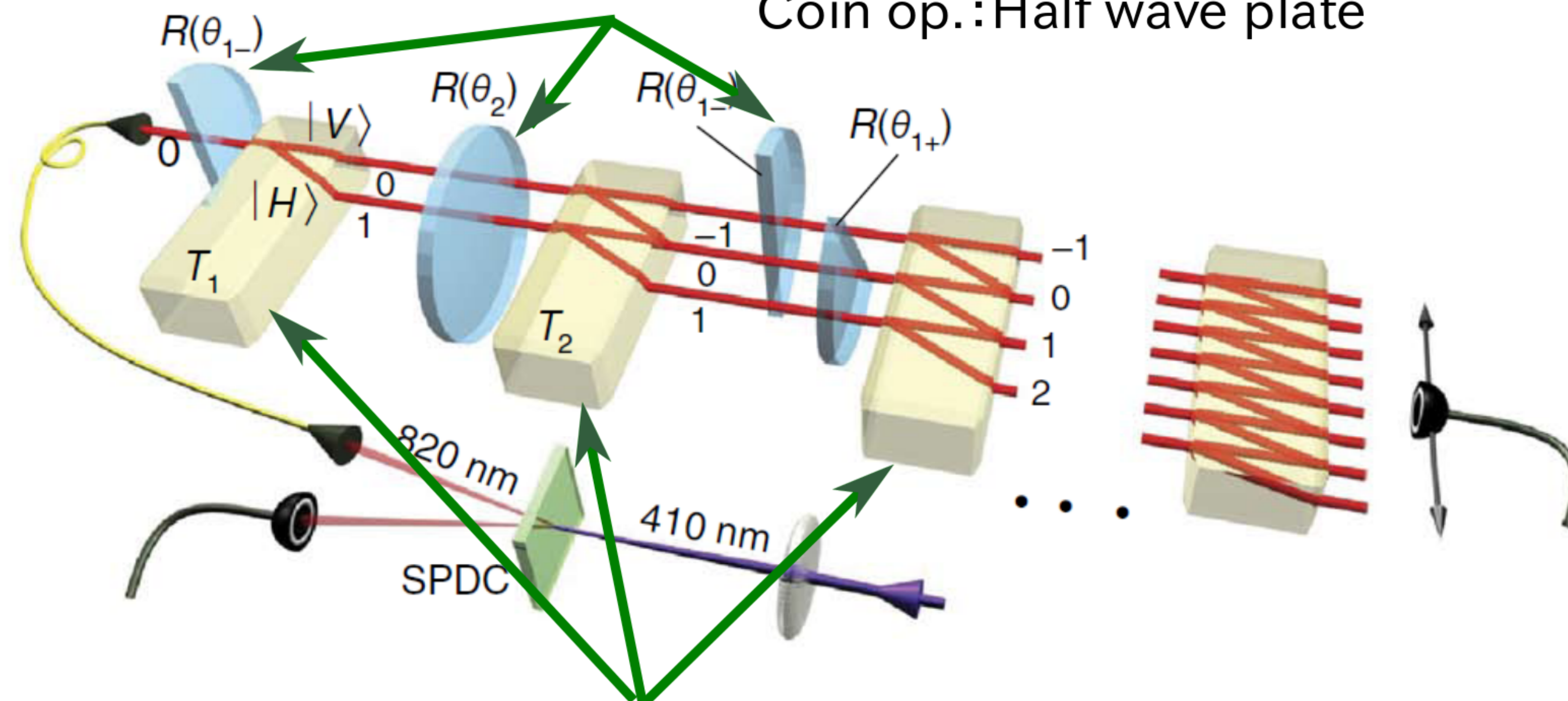


Experiment: bulk optics with photons

internal states : Kitagawa, Broome, Fedrizzi *et al.*, Nature Comm. **3**, 882 ('12)

vertical & horizontal polarizations

Coin op.: Half wave plate

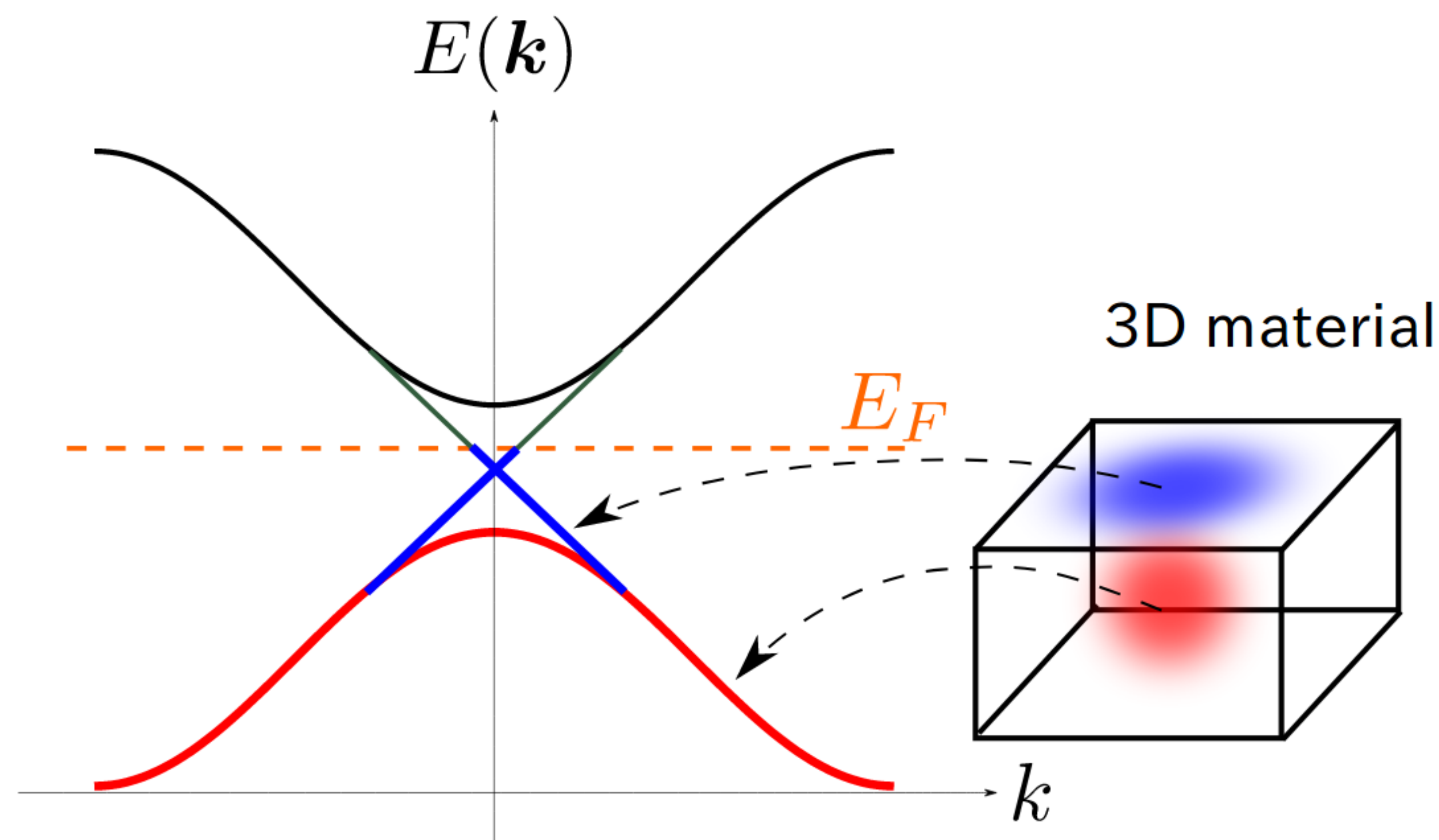


Shift op.: Beam displacer

- 量子ウォークにおけるトポロジカル相とエッジ状態

Topological insulator

theoretical prediction: Kane, Mele, PRL (05)



Bulk states:

➡ Insulating

E_F in the band gap

Surface (edge) states:

➡ Metallic

spectrum in the bulk band gap (dissipationless)

E_F in the continuous spectrum

Symmetry for topological phases

- Time-reversal symm.
- Particle-hole symm.
- Chiral symm.

$$\mathcal{T}H\mathcal{T}^{-1} = H$$

$\mathcal{T}$: anti-unitary

$$\mathcal{T}^2 = \pm 1$$

$$\Xi H \Xi^{-1} = -H$$

Ξ : anti-unitary

$$\Xi^2 = \pm 1$$

$$\Gamma H \Gamma^{-1} = -H$$

Γ : unitary

Classification table:

universality class		TRS	PHS	chiral symmetry	$d = 1$	$d = 2$	$d = 3$
Standard (Wigner-Dyson)	A	0	0	0	-	$\mathbb{Z}$	-
	AI	+1	0	0	-	-	-
	AII	-1	0	0	-	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Z}_2$
	AIII	0	0	1	$\mathbb{Z}$	-	$\mathbb{Z}$
	BDI	+1	+1	1	$\mathbb{Z}$	-	-
	CII	-1	-1	1	$\mathbb{Z}$	-	$\mathbb{Z}_2$
BdG	D	0	+1	0	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Z}$	-
	C	0	-1	0	-	$\mathbb{Z}$	-
	DIII	-1	+1	1	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Z}$
	CI	+1	-1	1	-	-	$\mathbb{Z}$

Schnyder, Ryu, Furusaki, Ludwig, PRB '08; Kitaev, AIP Conf. '09

Topological Phases in QWs

- Two-step QW (unitary):

$$U = SC(\theta_2) \cdot SC(\theta_1)$$

Kitagawa, Rudner, Berg, and Demler, PRA ('10)

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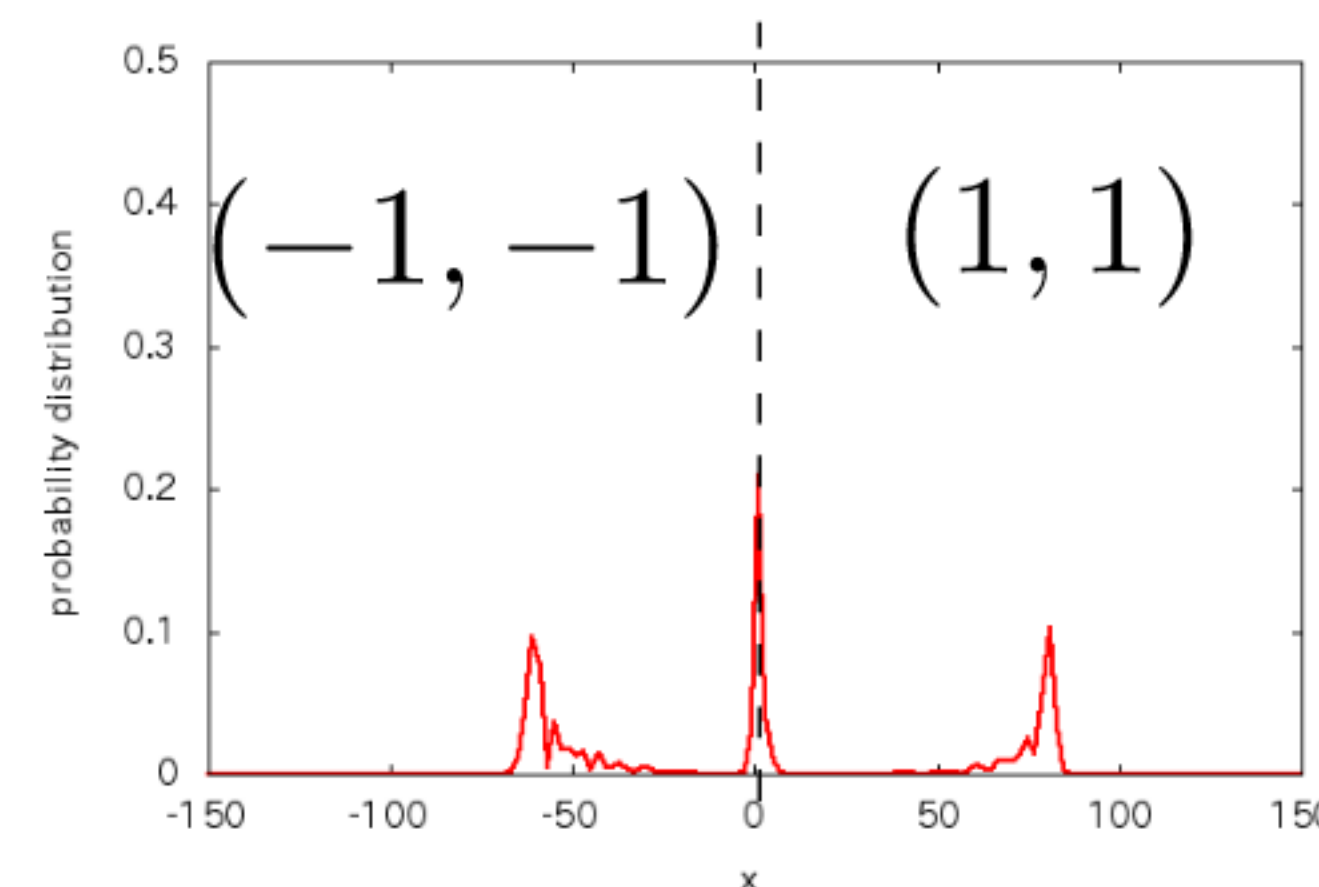
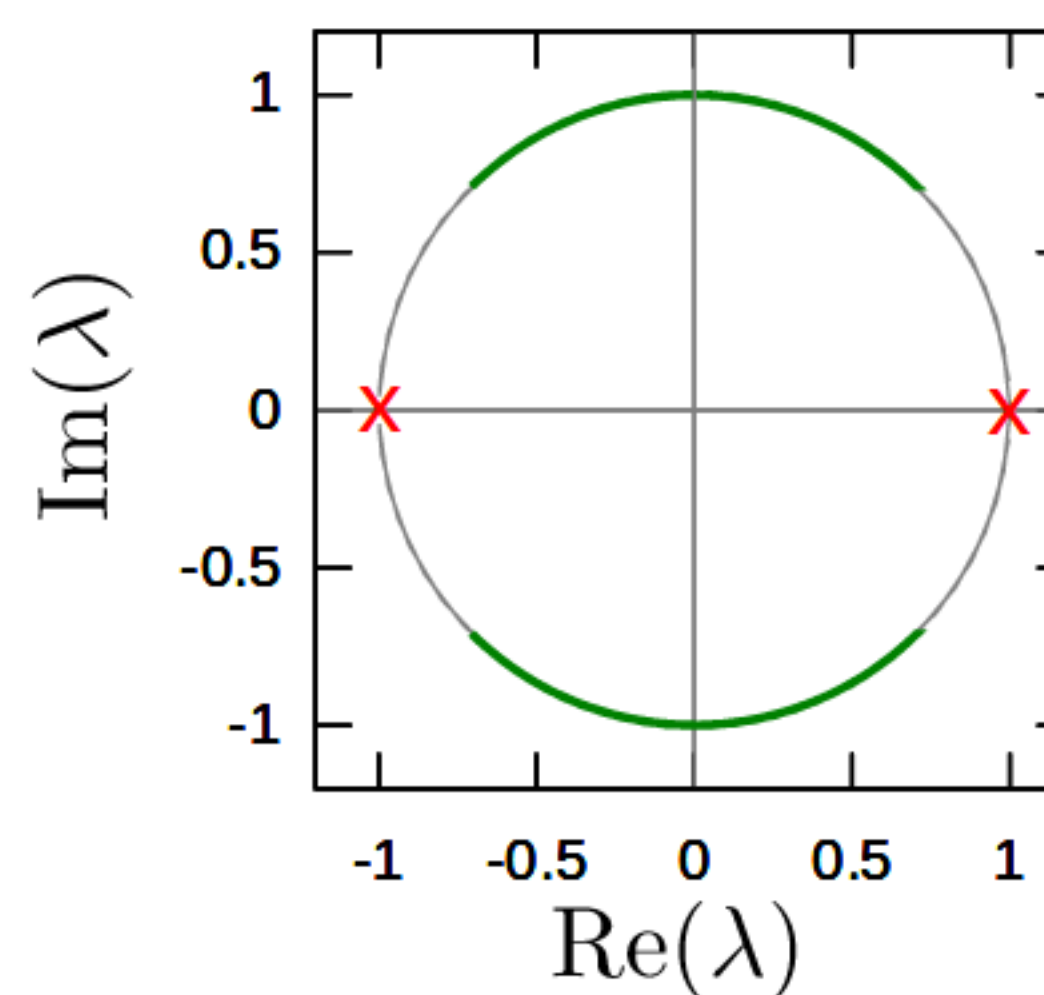
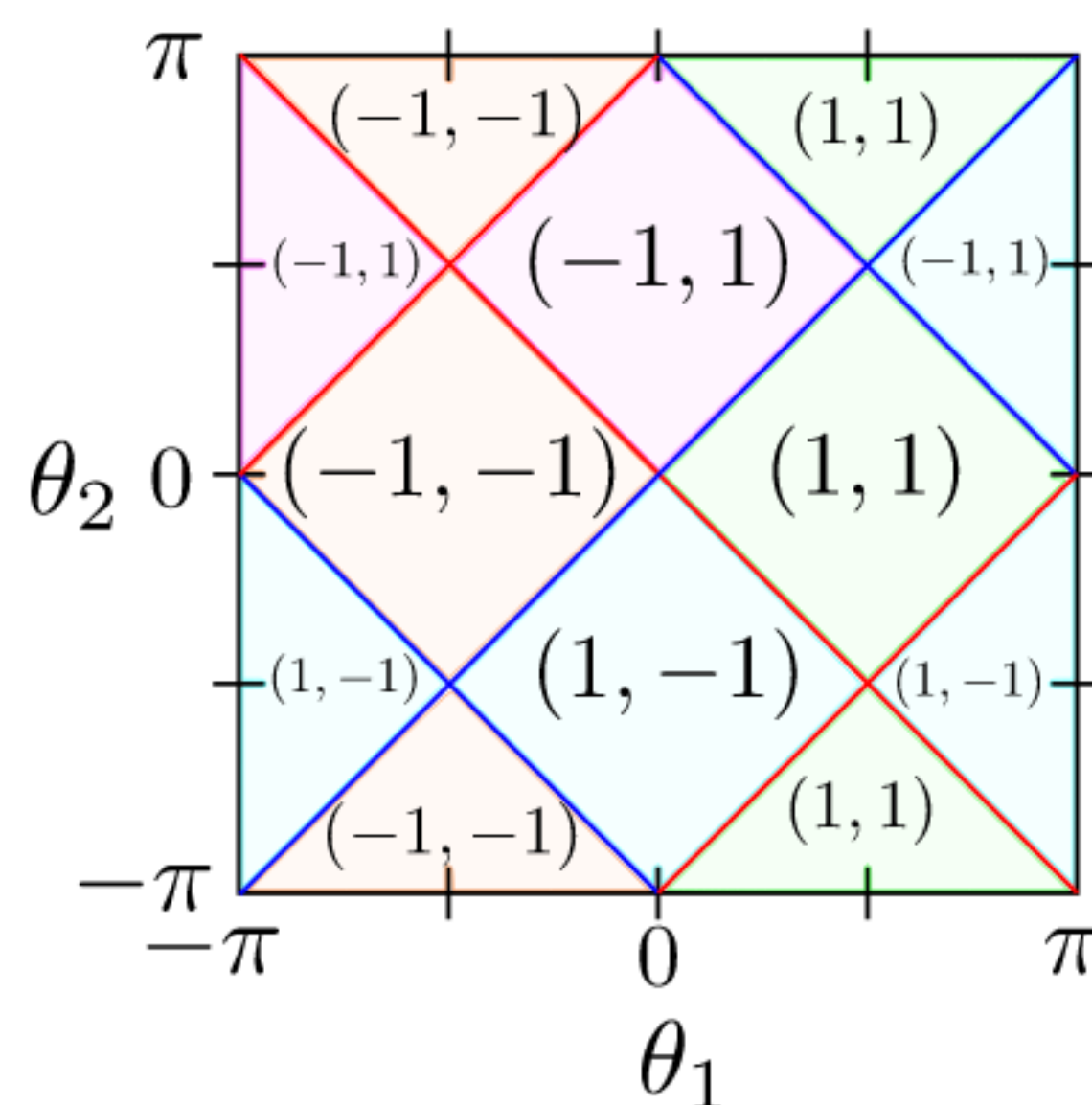
HO, Asboth, Nishimura, and Kawakami, PRB ('15).

- Symmetry class : **class BDI**

$$U' = C(\theta_1/2)SC(\theta_2)SC(\theta_1/2) \quad \text{by "symmetry time frame"}$$

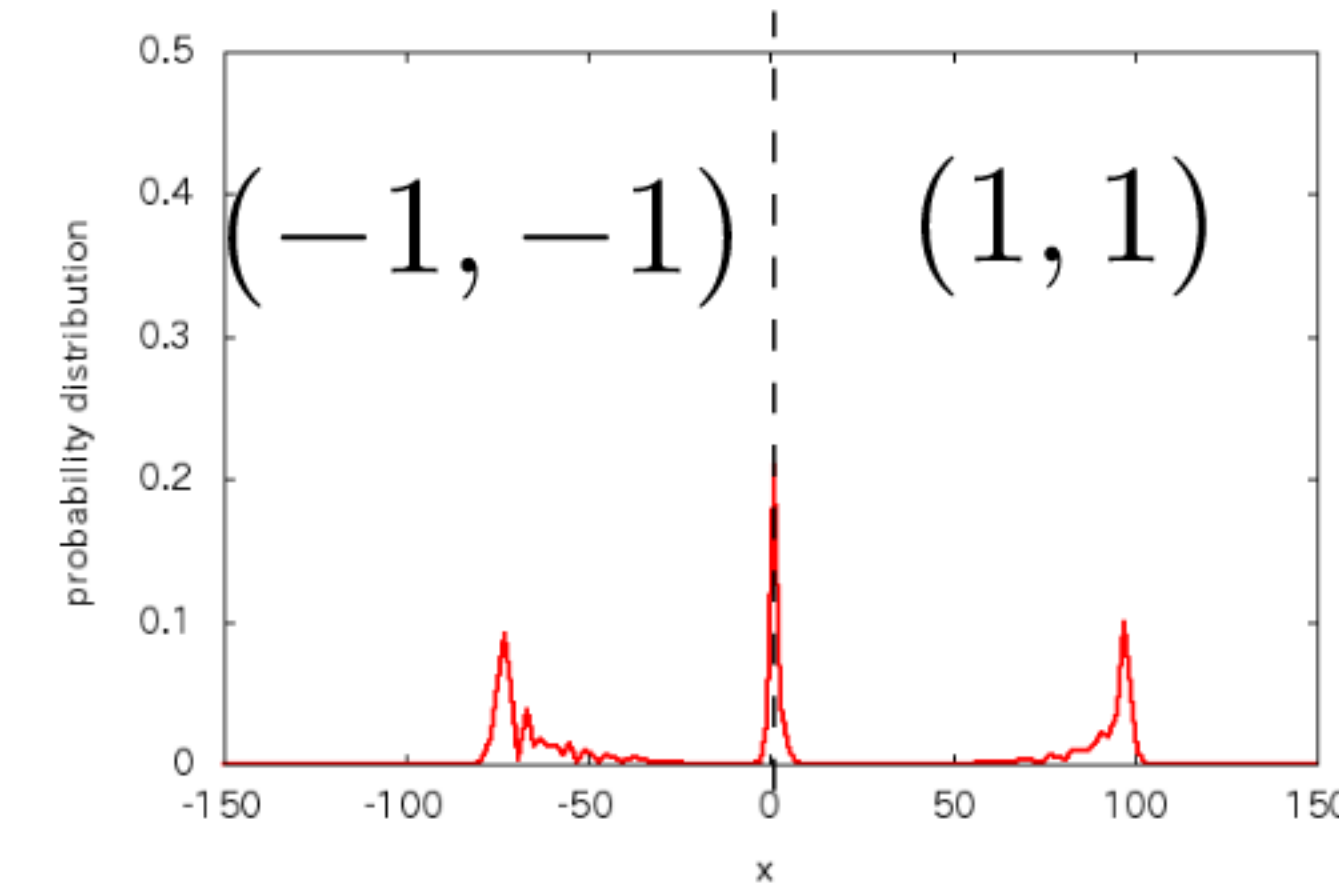
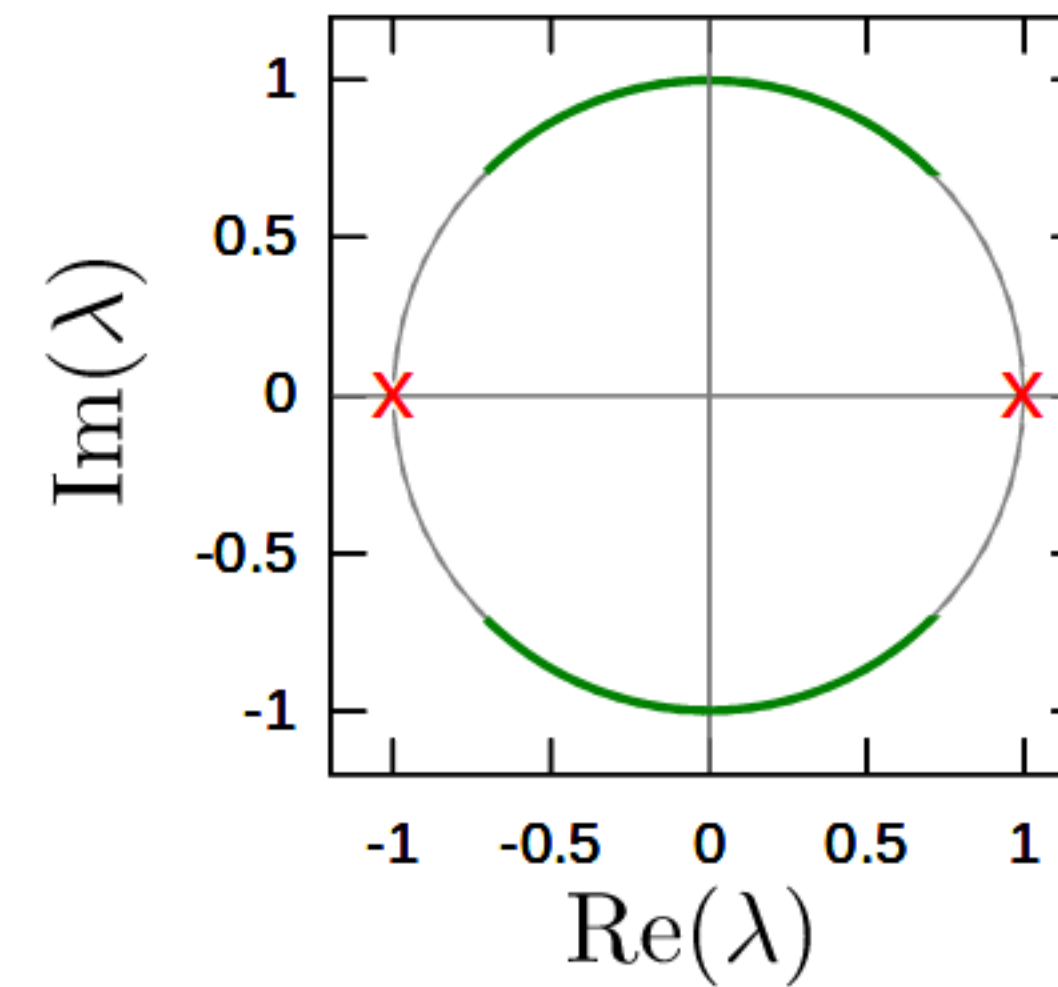
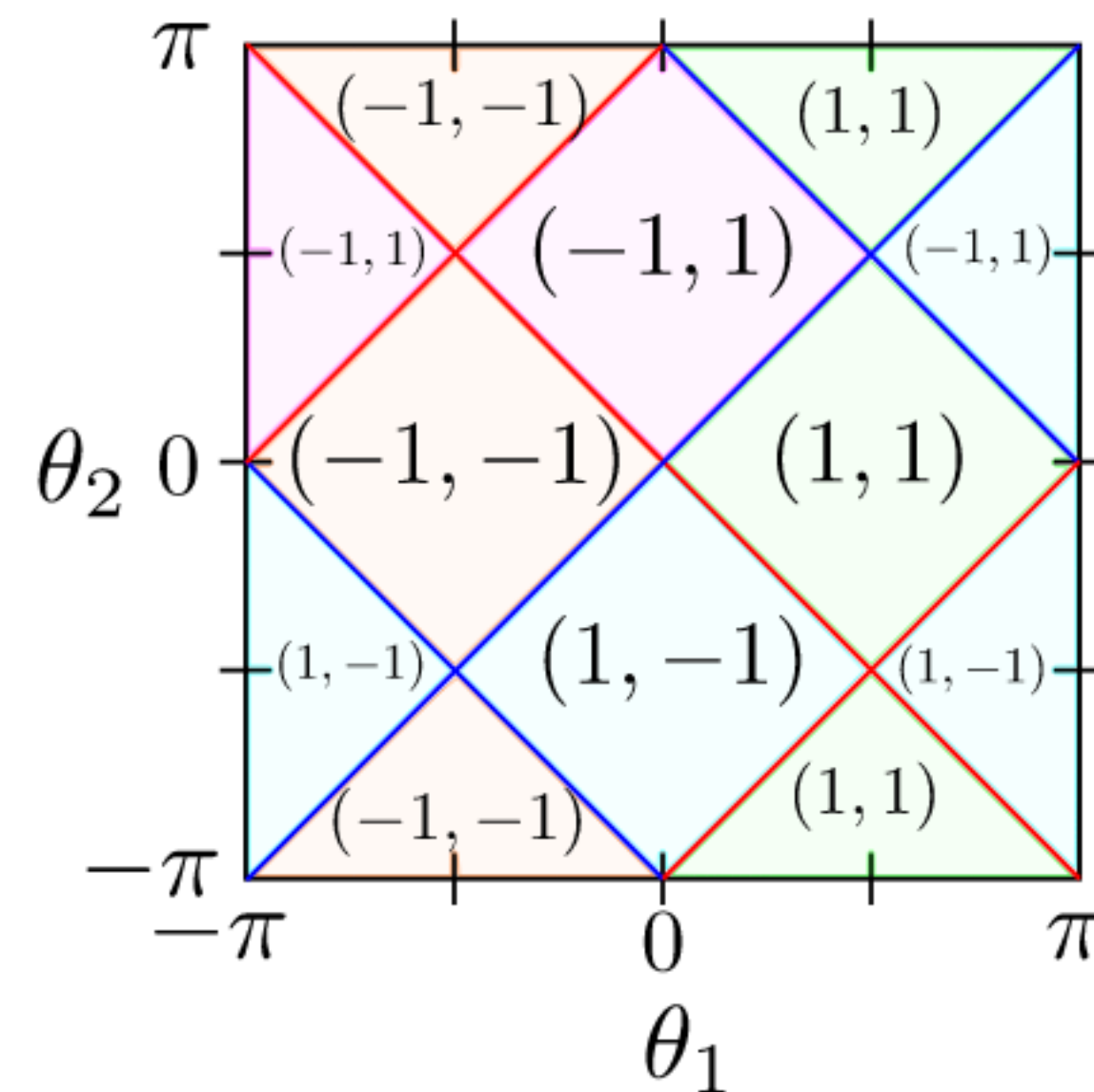
- Topological numbers (ν_0, ν_π) : two edge states at $\varepsilon = 0$ & π .

winding number $\nu' = \frac{1}{\pi i} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} dk \langle \psi_-(k) | \frac{d}{dk} | \psi_-(k) \rangle$



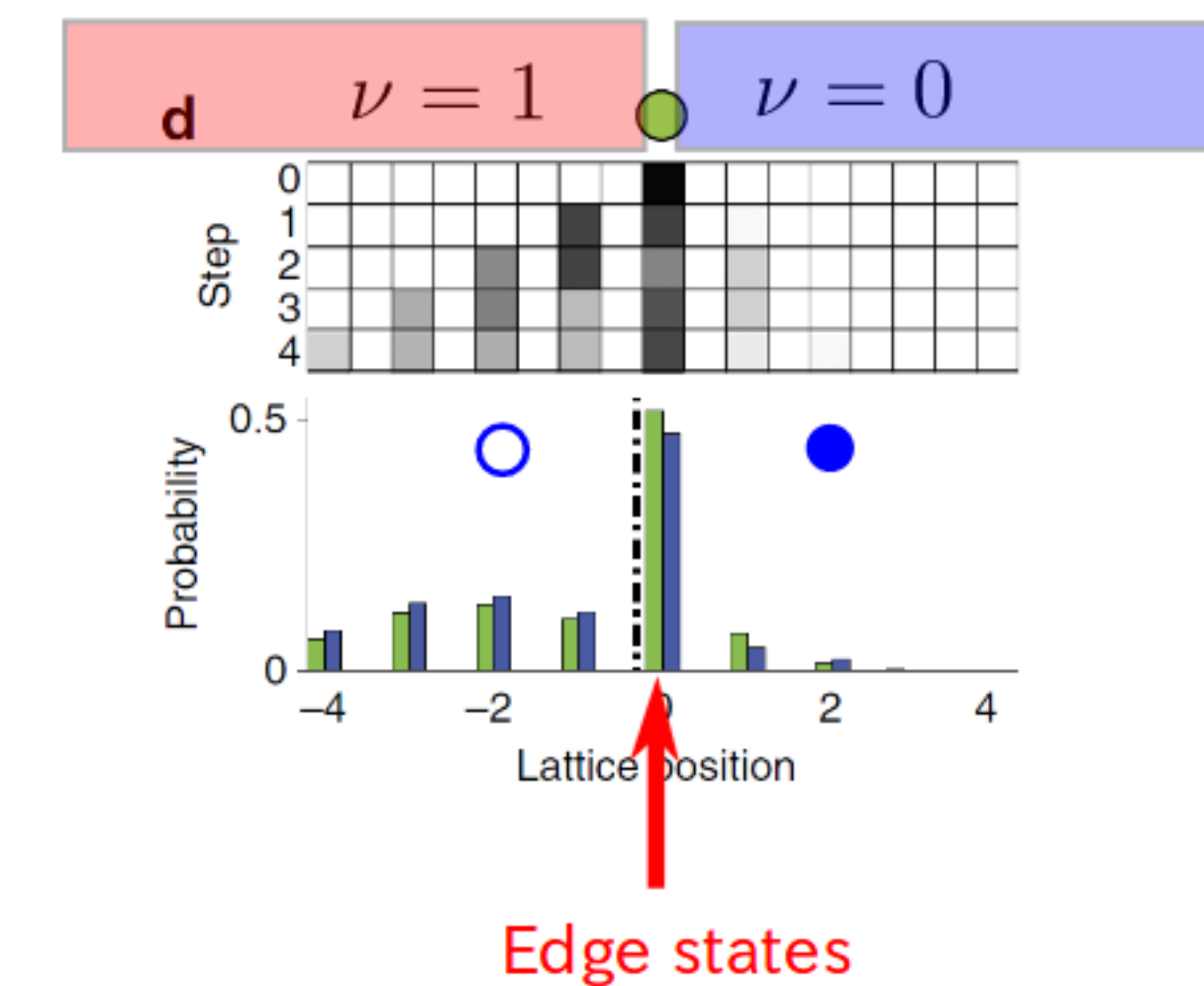
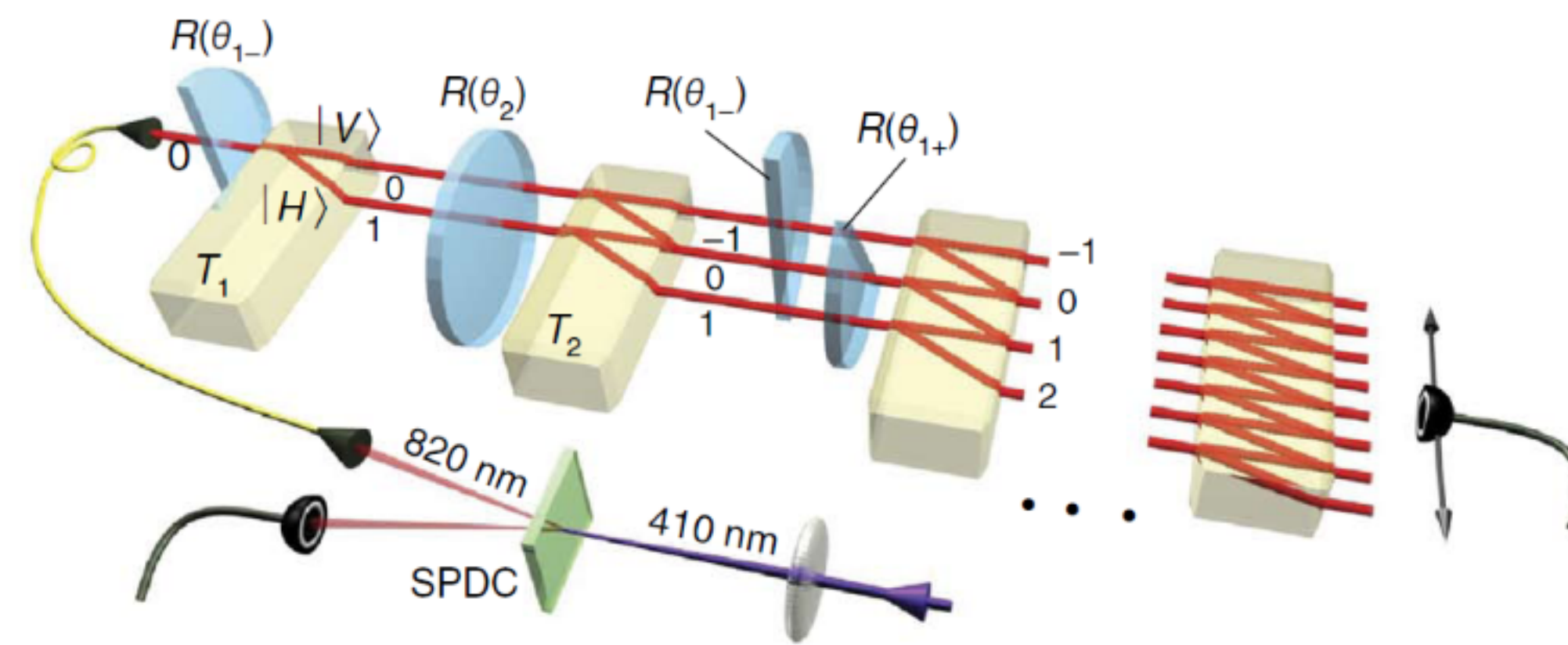
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Observation of edge states in 1D QW

Kitagawa, Broome, Fedrizzi *et al.*, Nature Comm. 3, 882 ('12)



We can predict the existence of edge states of quantum walks by using knowledge of topological insulators.

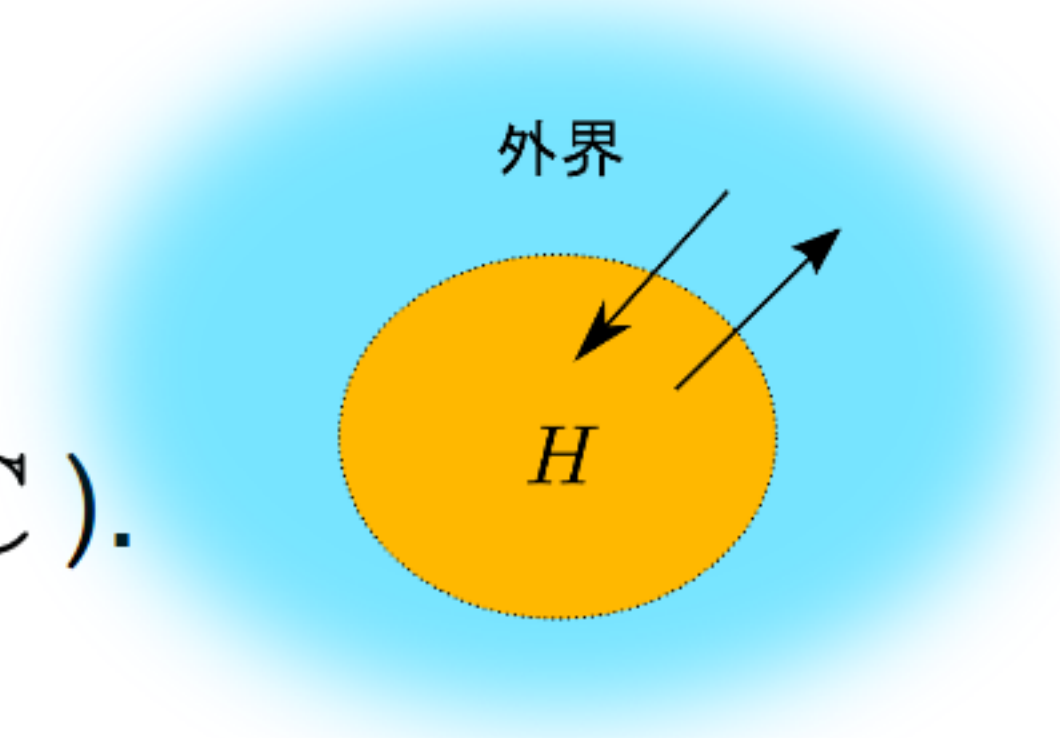
- パリティ-時間対称な開放系量子ウォークにおけるトポロジカル相
(非エルミート系におけるトポロジカル相)

光子の損失効果を用いることにより、量子ウォーク特有の現象を調べたい

$\mathcal{PT}$ Symmetry in non-Hermitian system

- Non-Hermitian system: $H \neq H^\dagger$

Generally, energy becomes **complex** ($E \in \mathbb{C}$).



- Non-Hermitian system with $\mathcal{PT}$ symmetry [Bender and Boettcher, PRL ('98)]

$\mathcal{P}$: Parity operator $x \rightarrow -x$

$\mathcal{T}$: Time-reversal operator $t \rightarrow -t$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{PT} H (\mathcal{PT})^{-1} &= H \\ \mathcal{PT} |\psi\rangle &= e^{i\alpha} |\psi\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow E \in \mathbb{R}$$

- Interesting phenomena which never occur in closed systems.
- $\mathcal{PT}$ symmetric systems are realized by using classical lasers.
- However, no experiment in quantum regime.

Non-unitary QWs with Gain & Loss

Mochizuki, Kim, Obuse, PRA 93, 062116 (2016).

- (phenomenological) gain & loss operators:

$$G = \sum_x |x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \begin{pmatrix} g^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & g \end{pmatrix} \quad (g > 1)$$

Diagram illustrating the gain and loss operator G acting on a truncated system. The system is represented by a dashed red box labeled "truncate" containing two horizontal lines for states $|R\rangle$ and $|L\rangle$. A light blue rounded rectangle labeled G is positioned between these lines. A red arrow points down from $(g-1)|R\rangle$ to the top of the G box. A blue arrow points down from the bottom of the G box to $(1-g^{-1})|L\rangle$. The output states are $g|R\rangle$ and $g^{-1}|L\rangle$.

- Non-unitary time-evolution operator:

$$U_{gl} = G^{-1} S C(\theta_2) G S C(\theta_1)$$

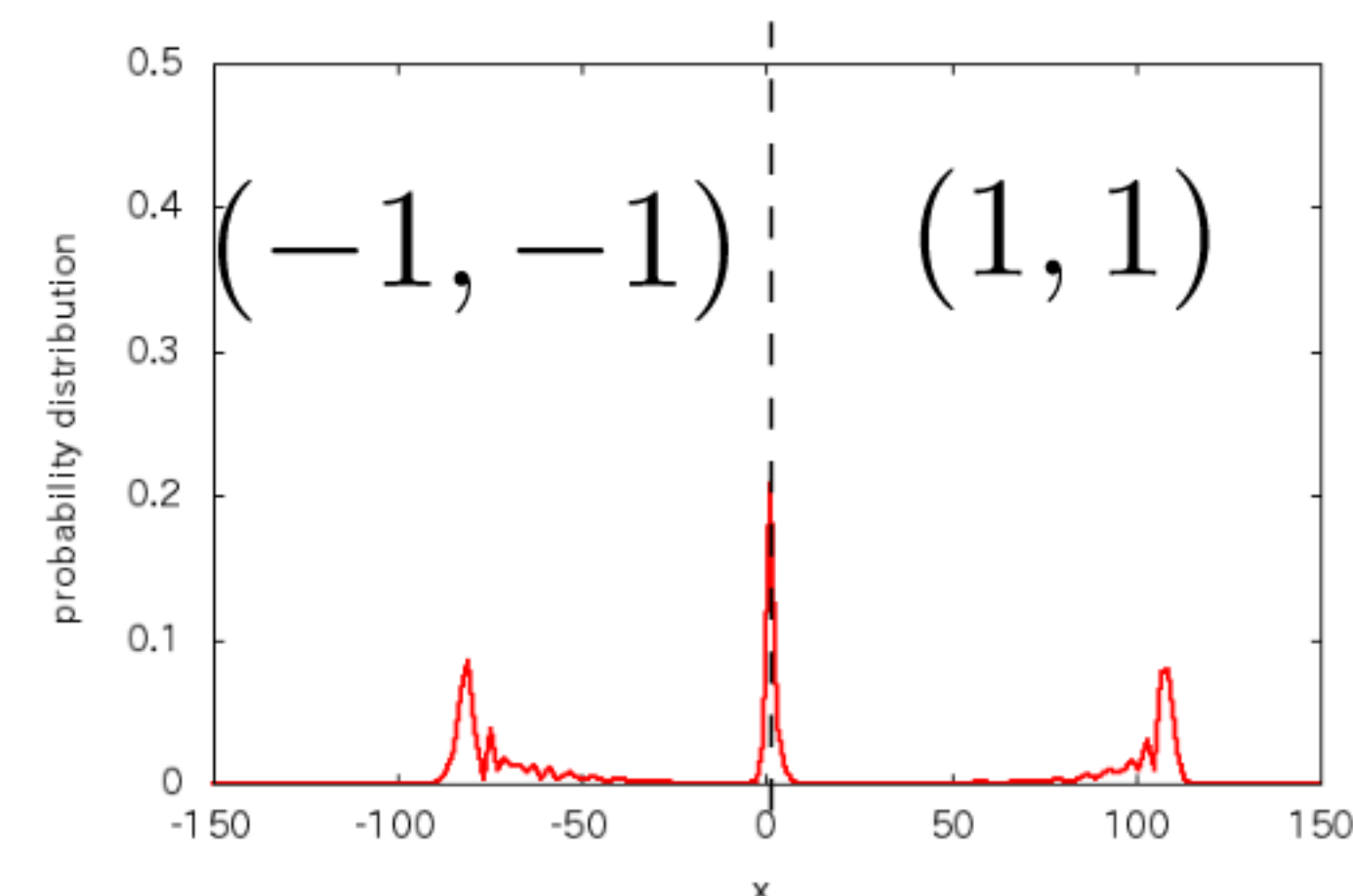
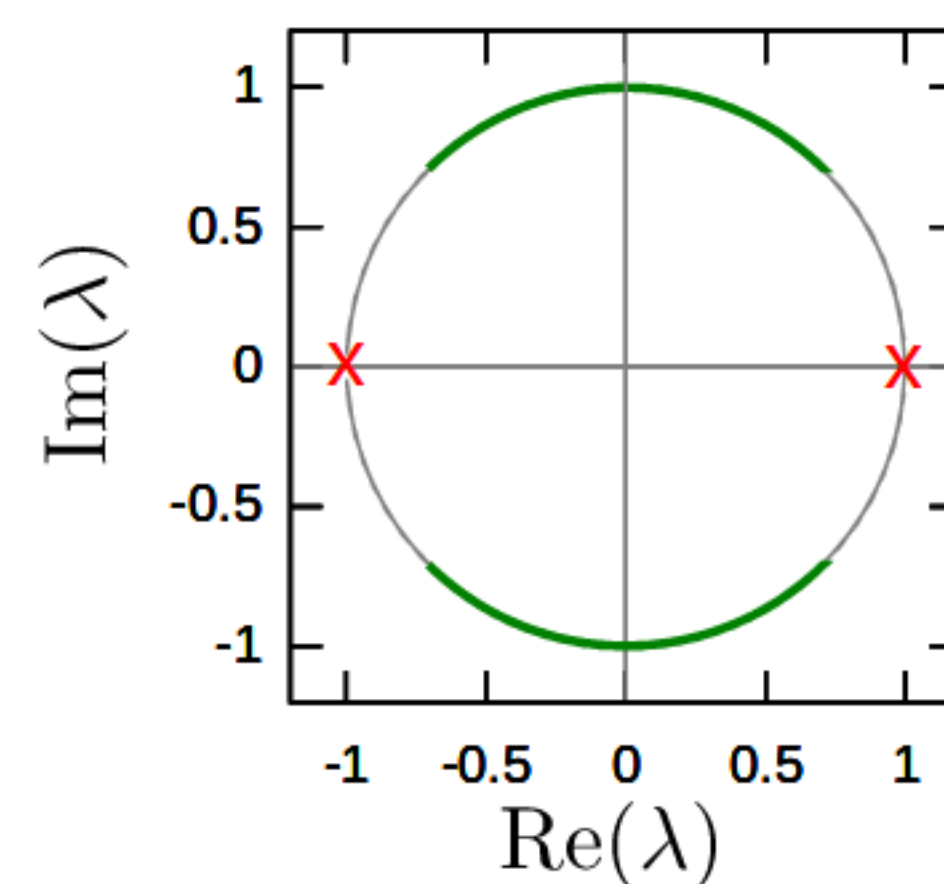
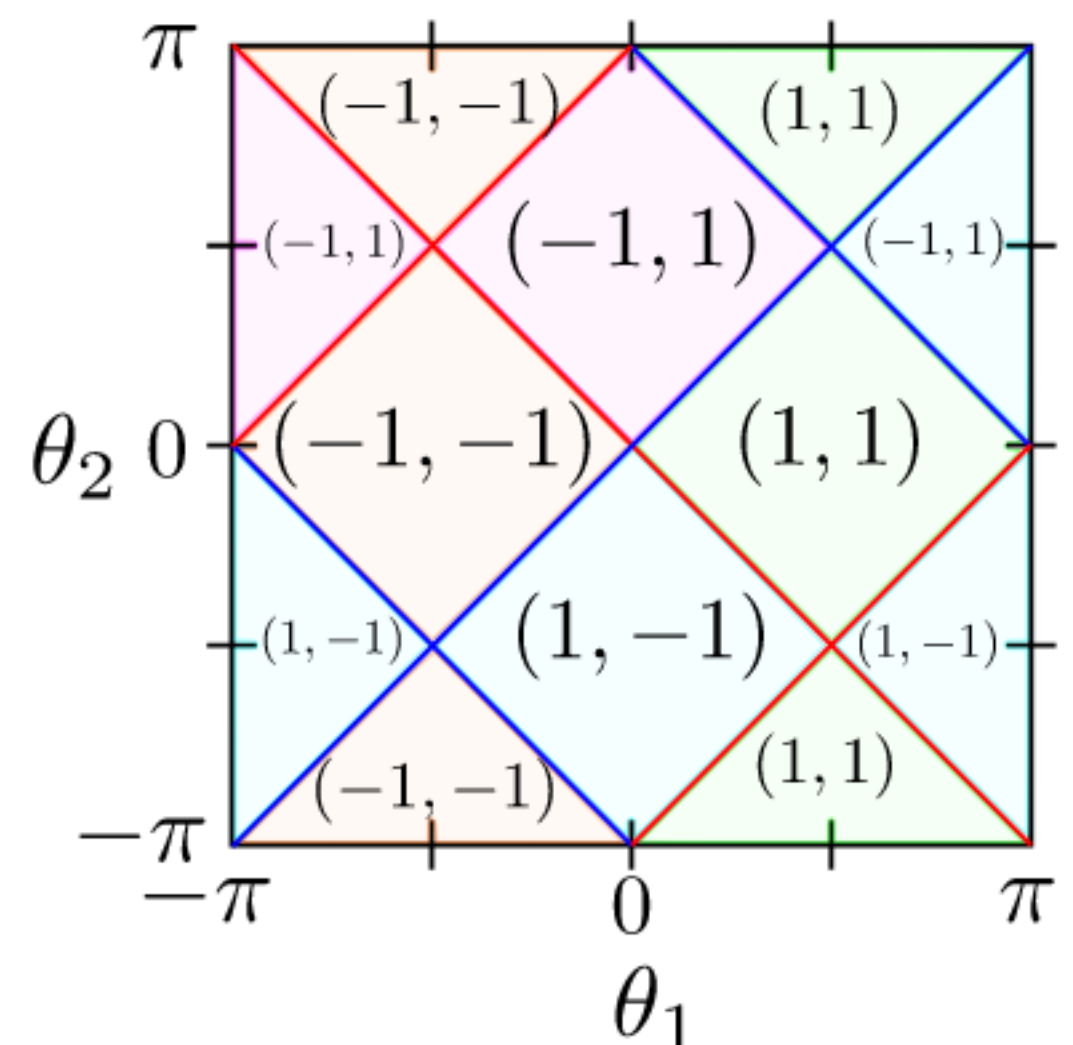
$\mathcal{PT}$ symmetry $(\mathcal{PT})U'_{gl}(\mathcal{PT})^{-1} = U'^{-1}_{gl}$

$$\mathcal{PT} = \sum | -x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \sigma_3 K$$

Floquet Topological Phases in QWs

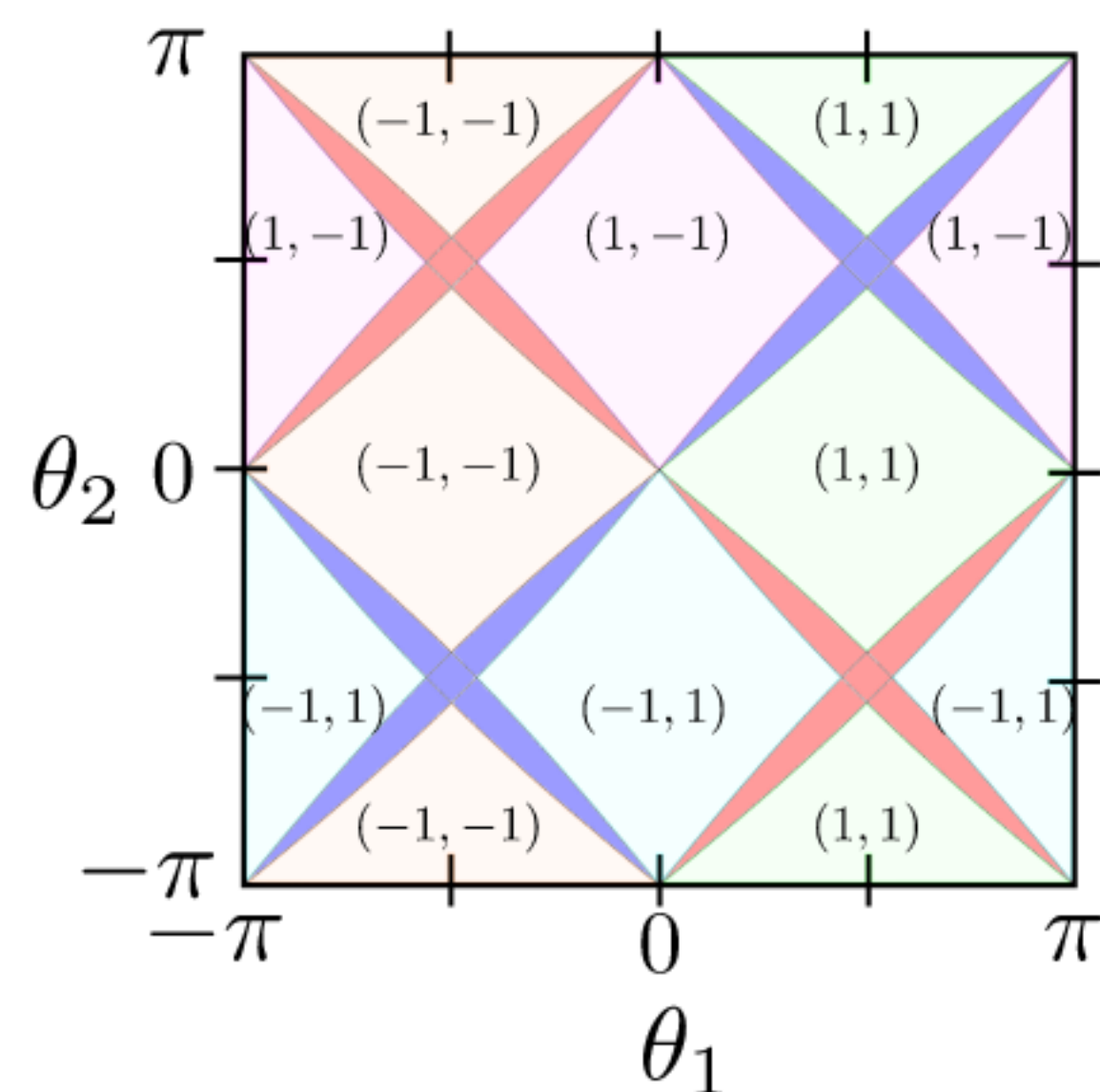
- Unitary two-step QW

$$U = SC(\theta_2) \cdot SC(\theta_1)$$

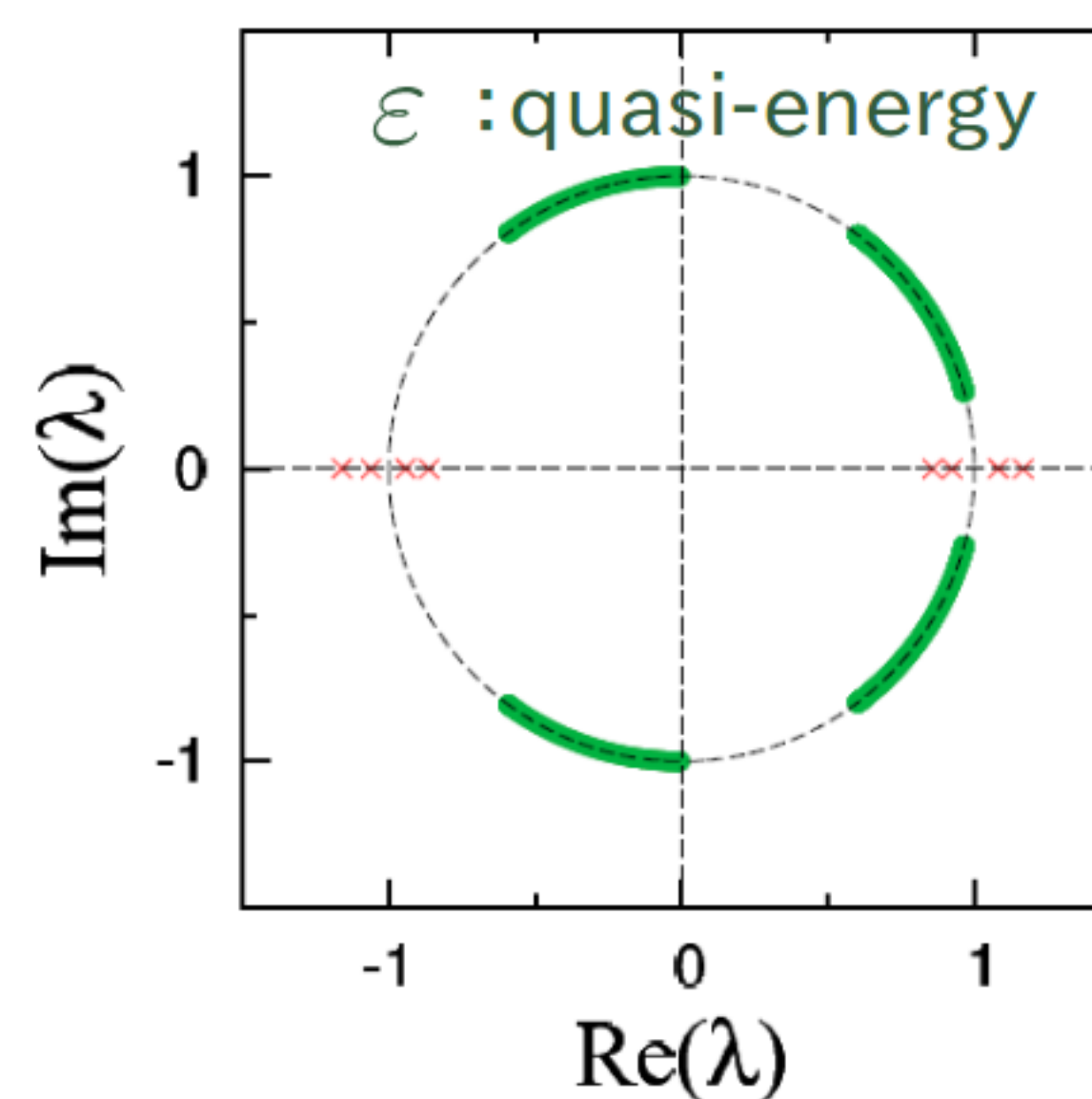


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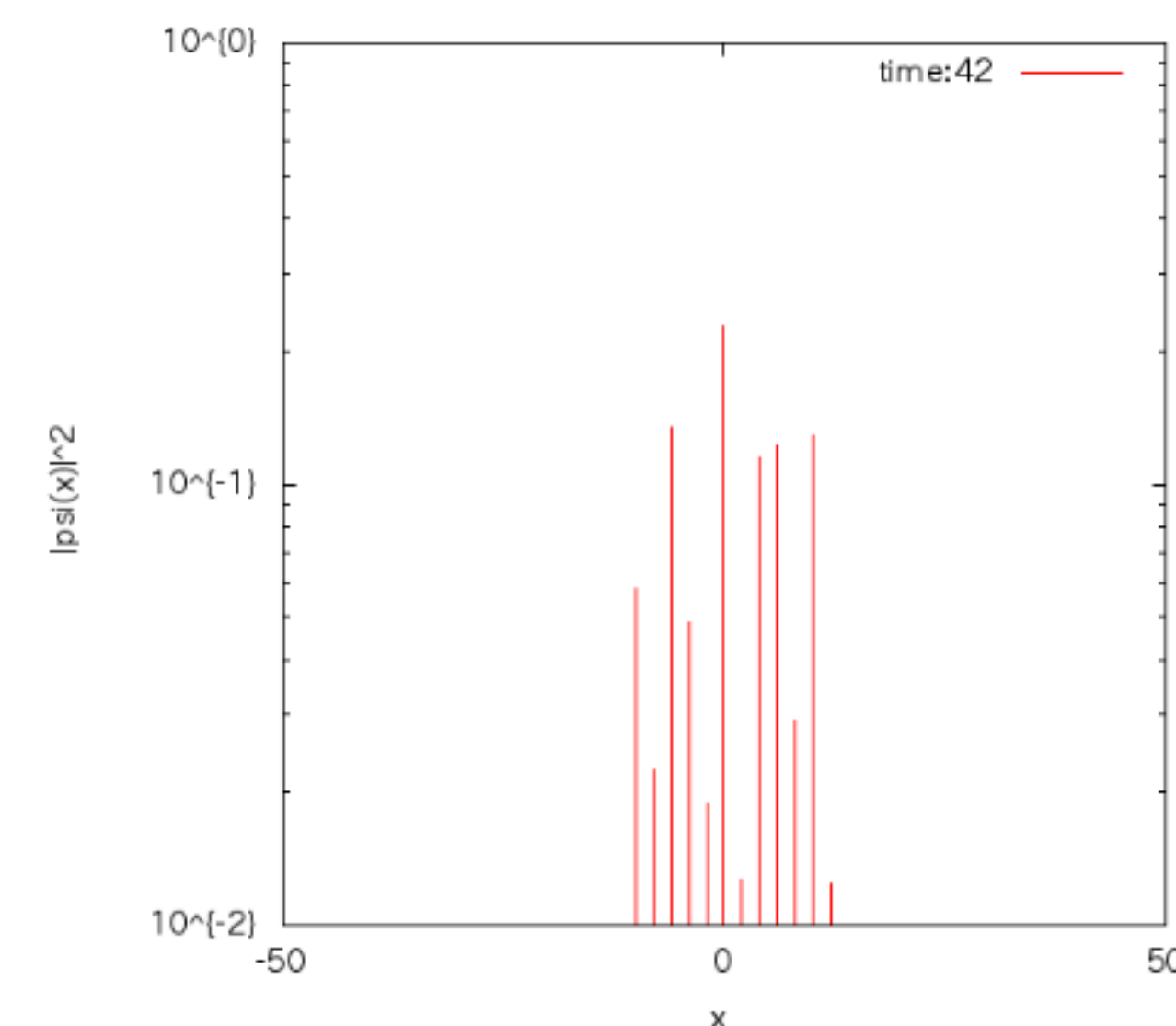
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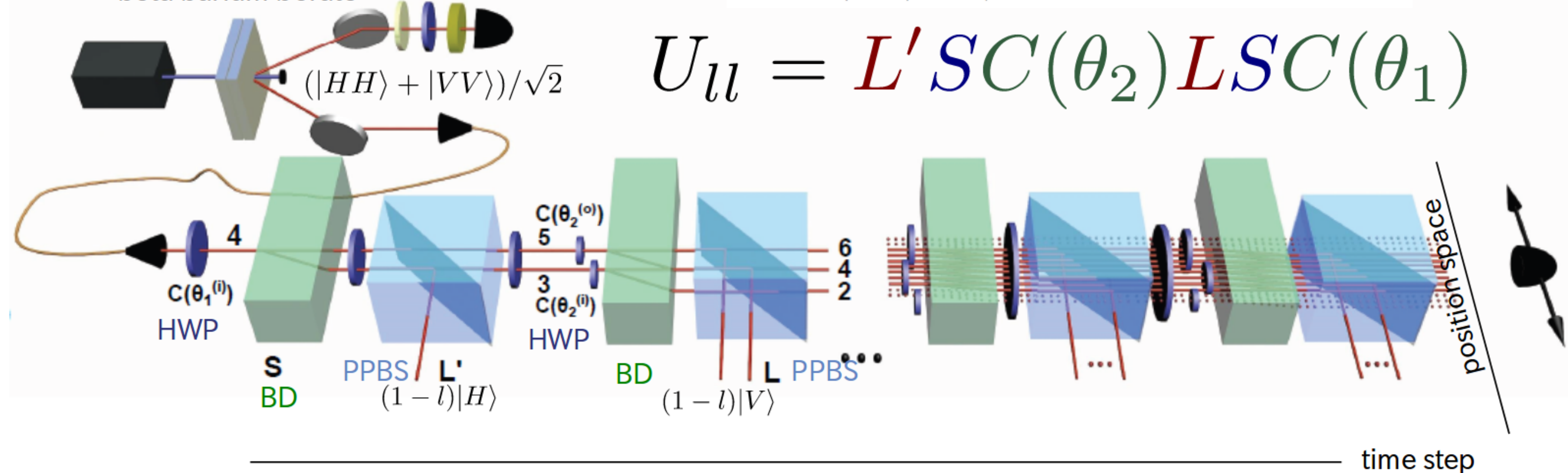
bulk-edge correspondence



enhancement of
wavefunction amplitude

Experiment

a pair of entangled photons
beta barium borate



Parameters:

$$\theta_1, \theta_2, l = 0.8, 0.64$$

up to 6 time step

Delayed-choice of the initial state
for entangled photon pairs

~10,000 photons

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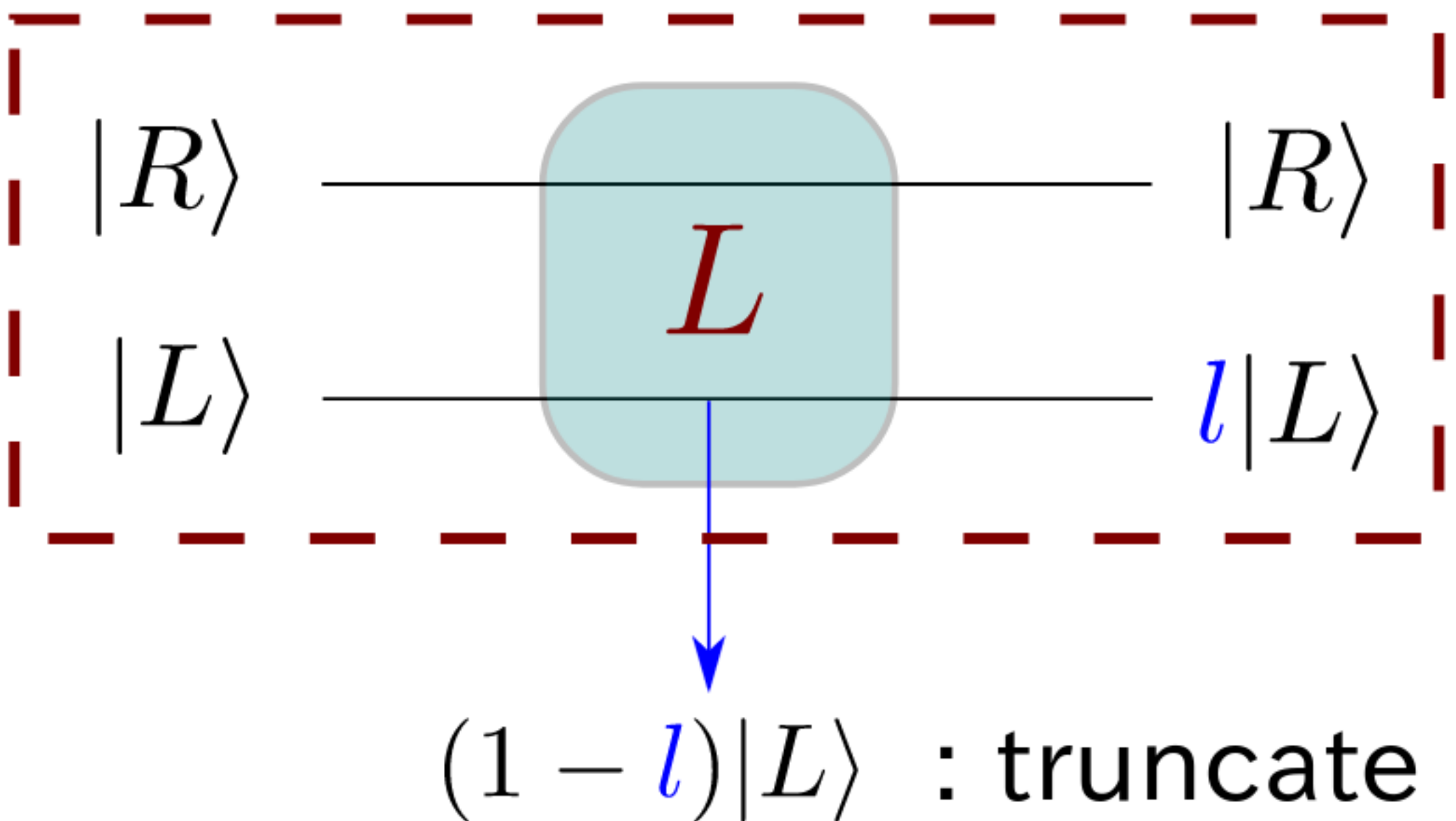
Raw probability

$$P_{\text{raw}}(x, t) = \frac{\text{\#detected photons at } x \text{ and } t}{\text{\# photon pairs}}$$

Non-unitary QWs with Loss

- Loss operators:

$$L = \sum_x |x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \begin{pmatrix} l & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L' = \sum_x |x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & l \end{pmatrix} \quad (l \leq 1)$$


(1 - l) $|L\rangle$: truncate

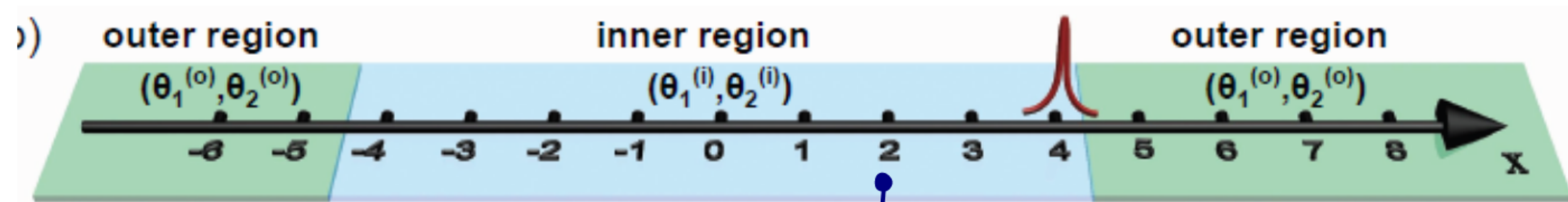
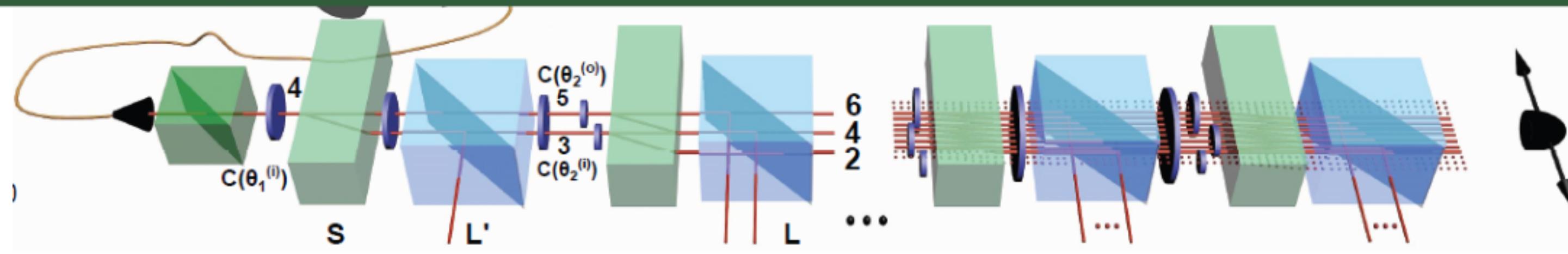
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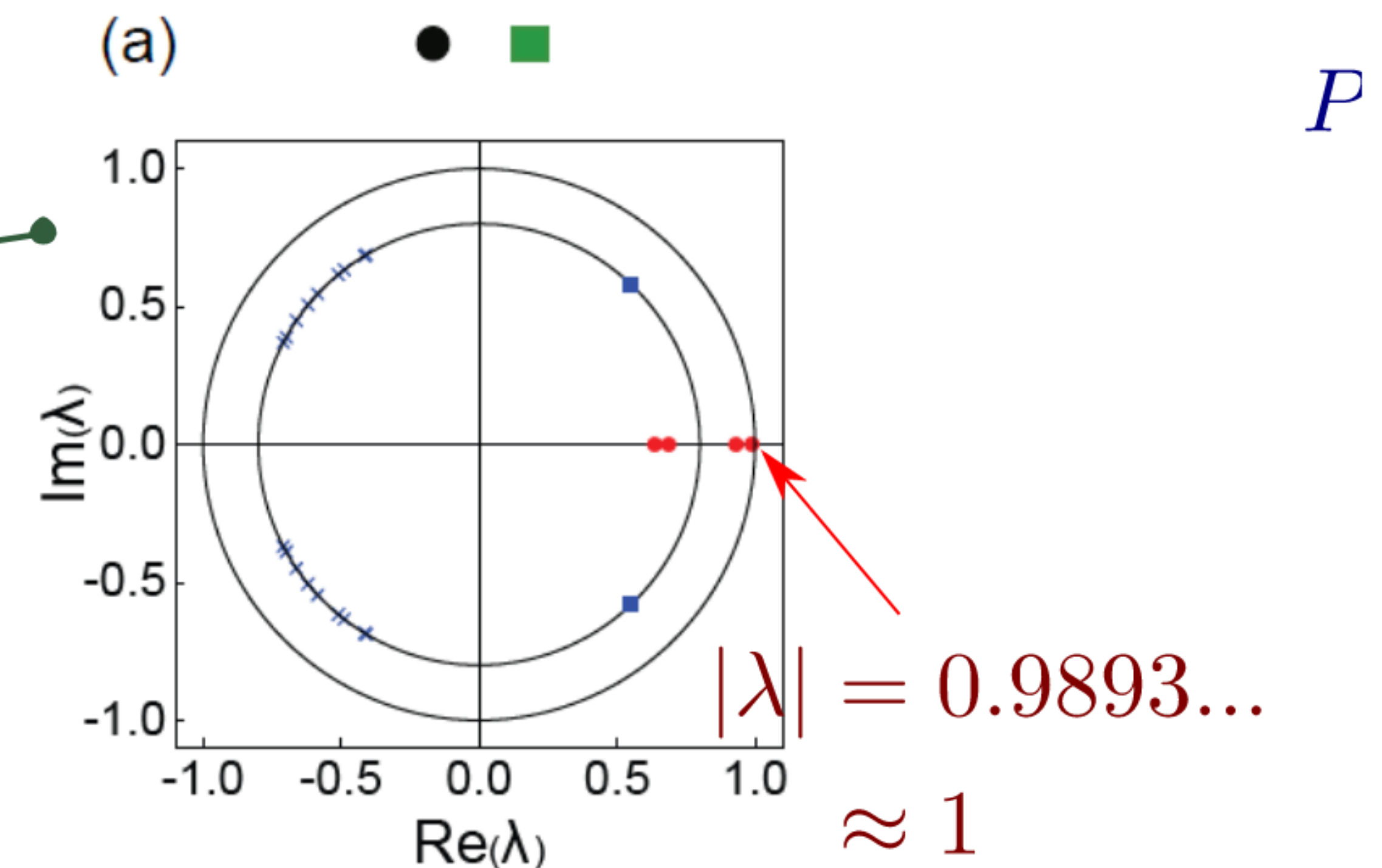
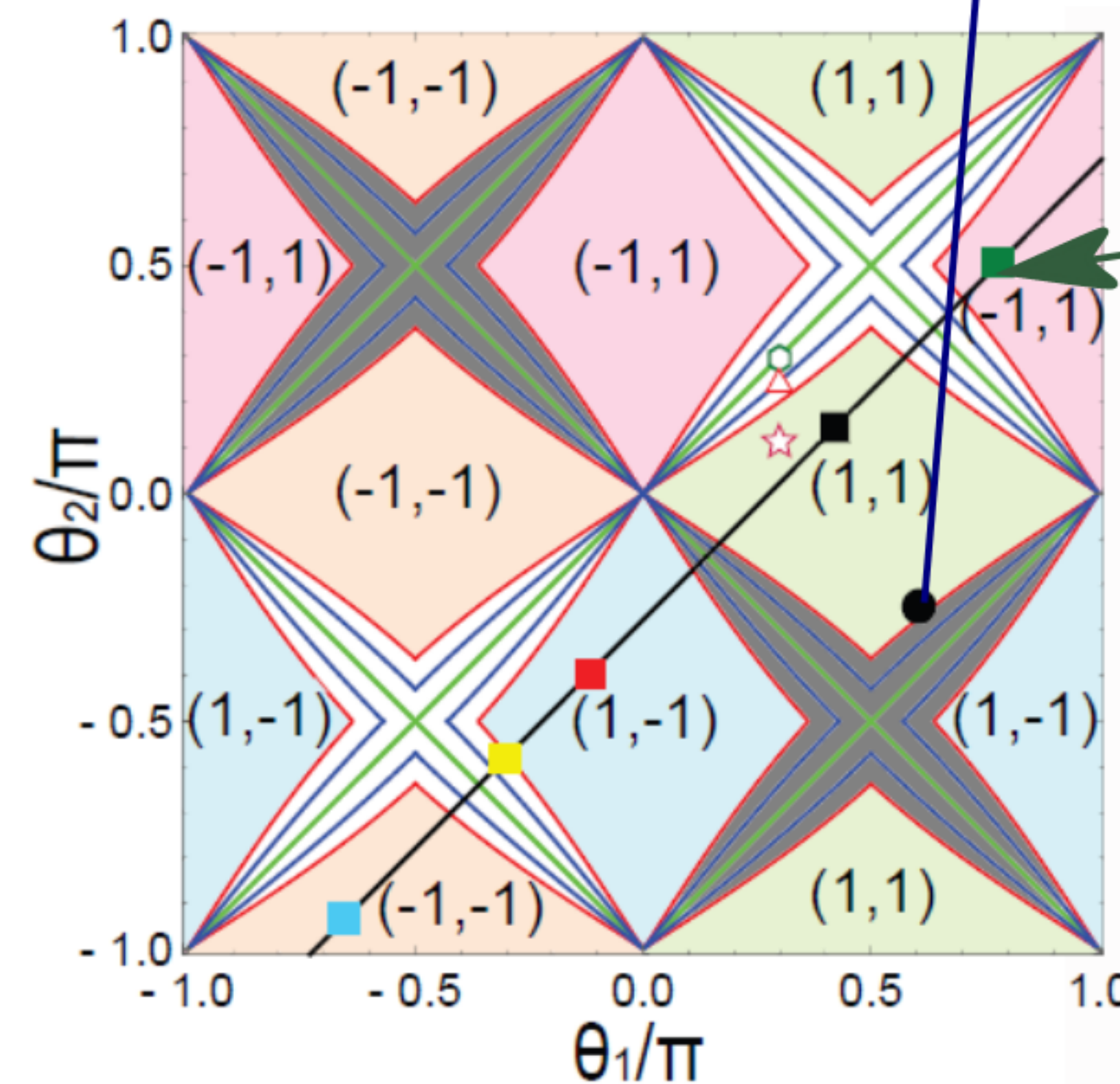
- Shifting origin of imaginary energy:

$$e^{\varepsilon_0} U_{ll} = U_{gl}$$

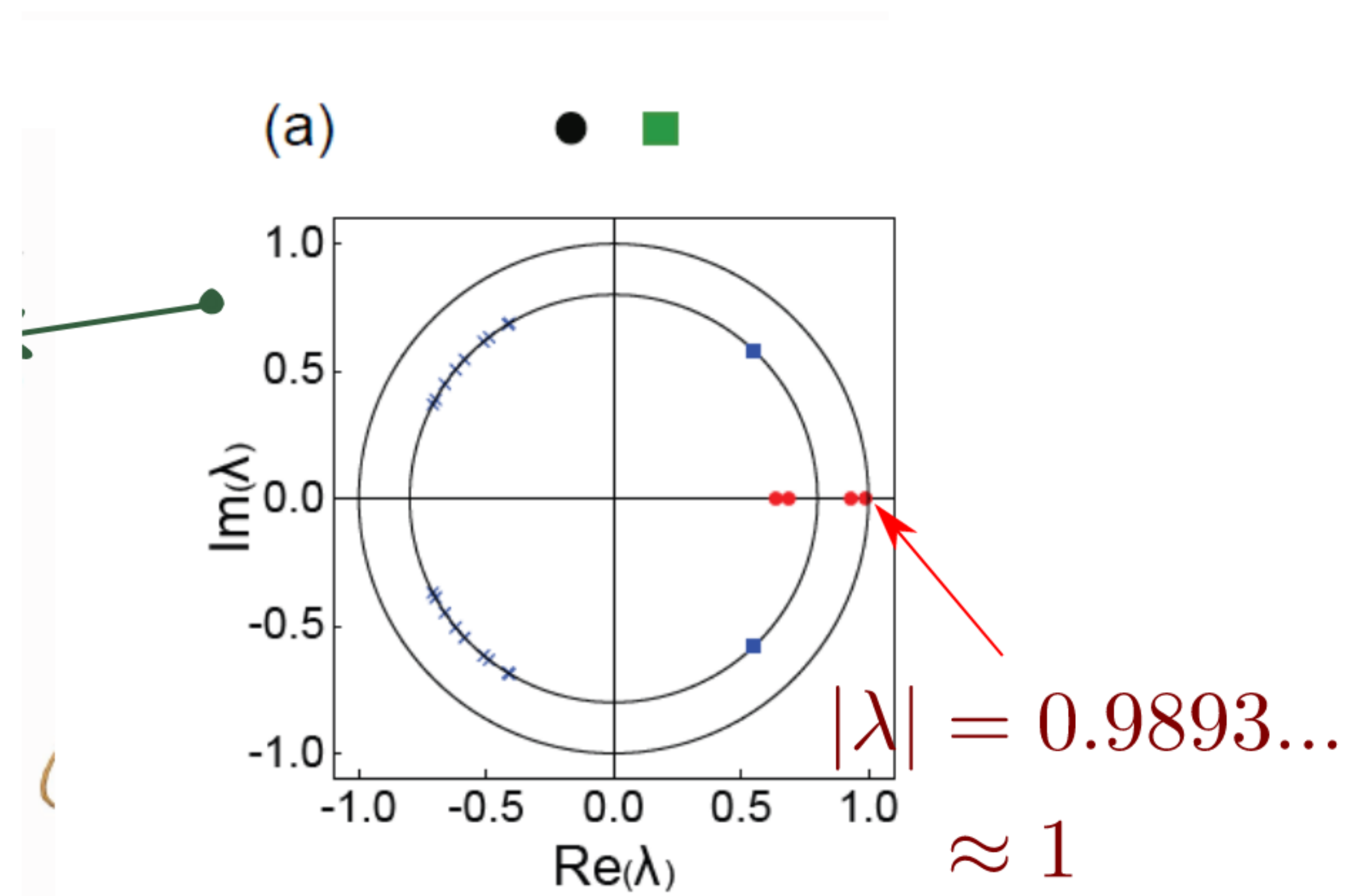
Experimental result : edge states



Topological numbers (ν_0, ν_π) :



Survival prob. for bulk states : 3%

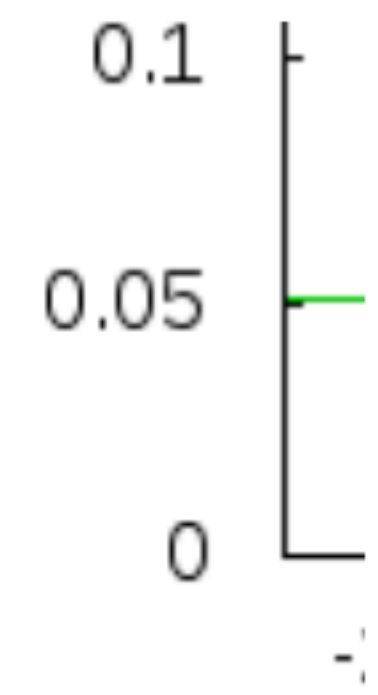
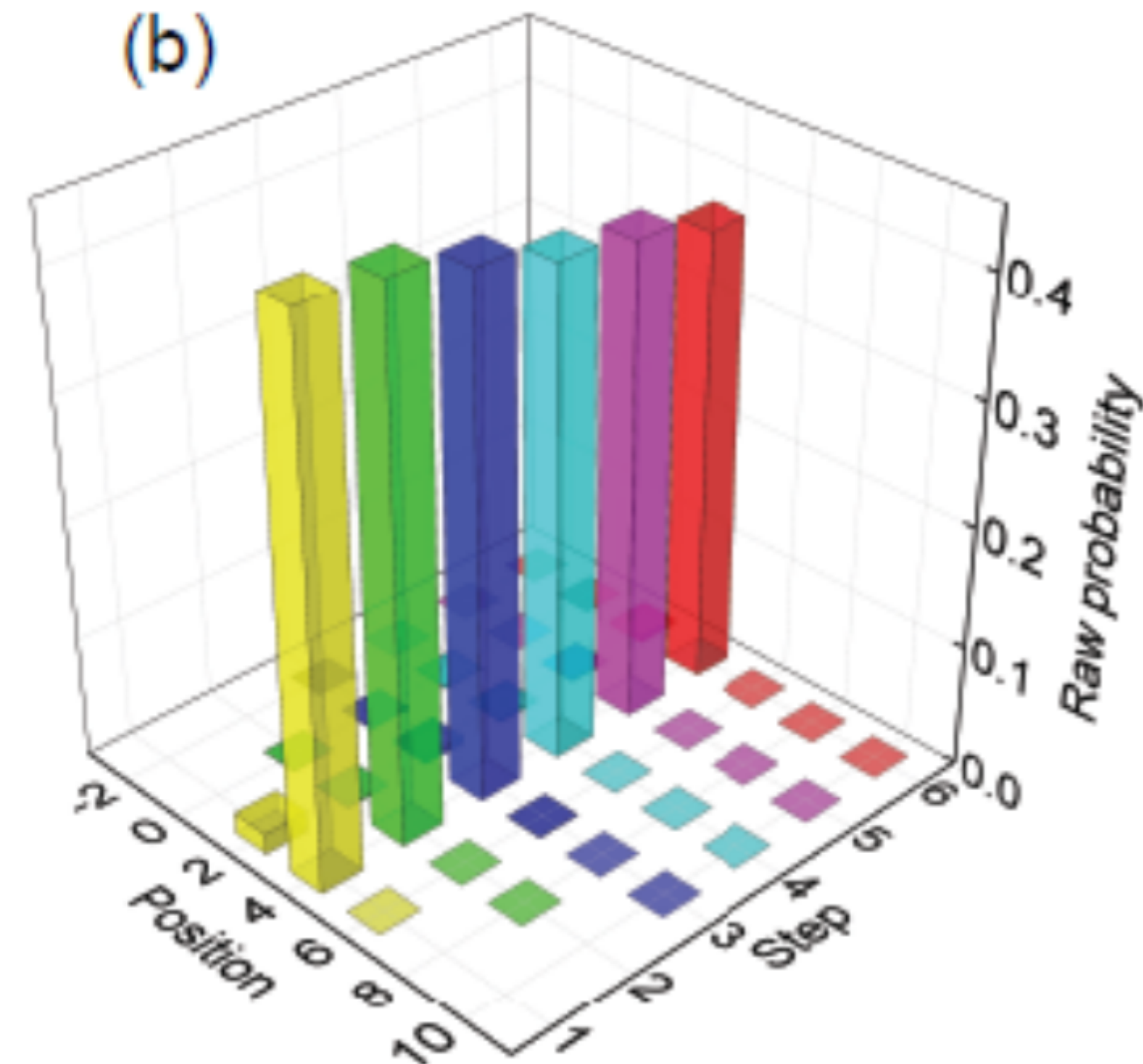


Survival prob. for bulk states : 3%

$$l^{2.6}/2 = 0.8^{2.6}/2 \approx 0.03$$

The higher prob. at $x=4$ originates from $\mathcal{PT}$ symmetry breaking of edge states.

$$P_{\text{raw}}(x, t)$$



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Summary

- トポロジカル絶縁体の基本的な知識を使い、量子ウォークのエッジ状態を誘起できる.
- 開放量子系における現象を、 $\mathcal{PT}$ 対称性の観点から理解・制御できる
- トポロジカル相の動的制御により、量子状態輸送が可能

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