

Progress in density-matrix theory and applications

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1) Time-dependent density-matrix theory (TDDM)

Hamiltonian:

$$H = \sum_{\alpha\alpha'} \langle \alpha | t | \alpha' \rangle a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\alpha'} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} \langle \alpha\beta | v | \alpha'\beta' \rangle a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\beta}^+ a_{\beta'} a_{\alpha'}$$

1-body and 2-body
density matrices:

$$n_{\alpha\alpha'} = \langle \Phi(t) | a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\alpha} | \Phi(t) \rangle$$
$$C_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = \langle \Phi(t) | a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\beta}^+ a_{\beta'} a_{\alpha'} | \Phi(t) \rangle - A(n_{\alpha\alpha'} n_{\beta\beta'})$$
$$|\Phi(t)\rangle = e^{-iHt/\hbar} |\Phi_0\rangle$$

Equations of motion:

$$i\hbar \frac{dn_{\alpha\alpha'}}{dt} = \langle \Phi(t) | [a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\alpha}, H] | \Phi(t) \rangle = F_1(n, C_2)$$
$$i\hbar \frac{dC_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'}}{dt} = \langle \Phi(t) | [a_{\alpha}^+ a_{\beta}^+ a_{\beta'} a_{\alpha'}, H] | \Phi(t) \rangle = F_2(n, C_2, C_3)$$

BBGKY hierarchy

$$i\hbar\dot{n}_{\alpha\alpha'} = (\varepsilon_{\alpha} - \varepsilon_{\alpha'})n_{\alpha\alpha'} + \sum_{\lambda\lambda'\lambda''} [\langle\alpha\lambda|v|\lambda'\lambda''\rangle C_{\lambda'\lambda''\alpha'\lambda} - C_{\alpha\lambda\lambda'\lambda''} \langle\lambda'\lambda''|v|\alpha'\lambda\rangle]$$

$$i\hbar\dot{C}_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = (\varepsilon_{\alpha} + \varepsilon_{\beta} - \varepsilon_{\alpha'} - \varepsilon_{\beta'})C_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} + B_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} + P_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} + H_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} + T_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'}$$

$$B_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = \langle\alpha\beta|v|\alpha'\beta'\rangle_A [\bar{n}_{\alpha}\bar{n}_{\beta}n_{\alpha'}n_{\beta'} - n_{\alpha}n_{\beta}\bar{n}_{\alpha'}\bar{n}_{\beta'}] , \bar{n}_{\alpha} = 1 - n_{\alpha}$$

2p-2h excitation

$$P_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\lambda\lambda'} [(1 - n_{\alpha} - n_{\beta}) \langle\alpha\beta|v|\lambda\lambda'\rangle C_{\lambda\lambda'\alpha'\beta'} - C_{\alpha\beta\lambda\lambda'} \langle\lambda\lambda'|v|\alpha'\beta'\rangle (1 - n_{\alpha'} - n_{\beta'})]$$

pp(hh) correlations

$$H_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\lambda\lambda'} (n_{\alpha'} - n_{\alpha}) \langle\alpha\lambda|v|\alpha'\lambda'\rangle_A C_{\lambda'\beta\lambda\beta'} + \{\alpha \leftrightarrow \beta, \alpha' \leftrightarrow \beta'\}$$

ph correlation

$$T_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'} = \sum_{\lambda\lambda'\lambda''} \langle\alpha\lambda|v|\lambda'\lambda''\rangle C_{\lambda'\lambda''\beta\alpha'\lambda\beta'} + \{\alpha \leftrightarrow \beta, \alpha' \leftrightarrow \beta'\}$$

coupling to C_3

- Simple truncation scheme (TDDM'):

$$C_3 = 0$$

(Wang & Cassing, Ann. Phys. 159, 328('85))

- New truncation scheme:

$$C_{p_1 p_2 h_1 p_3 p_4 h_2} \approx \sum_h C_{h h_1 p_3 p_4} C_{p_1 p_2 h_2 h}$$

$$C_{p_1 h_1 h_2 p_2 h_3 h_4} \approx \sum_p C_{h_1 h_2 p_2 p} C_{p_1 p h_3 h_4}$$

(Tohyama & Schuck, Eur. Phys. J. A 50, 7('14))

CCD-like ground state

$$|Z\rangle = e^Z |\text{HF}\rangle, \quad Z = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{pp'hh'} z_{pp'hh'} a_p^+ a_{p'}^+ a_h a_{h'}$$

gives

$$C_{pp'hh'} \approx z_{pp'hh'}, \quad C_{hh'pp'} \approx z_{pp'hh'}^*$$

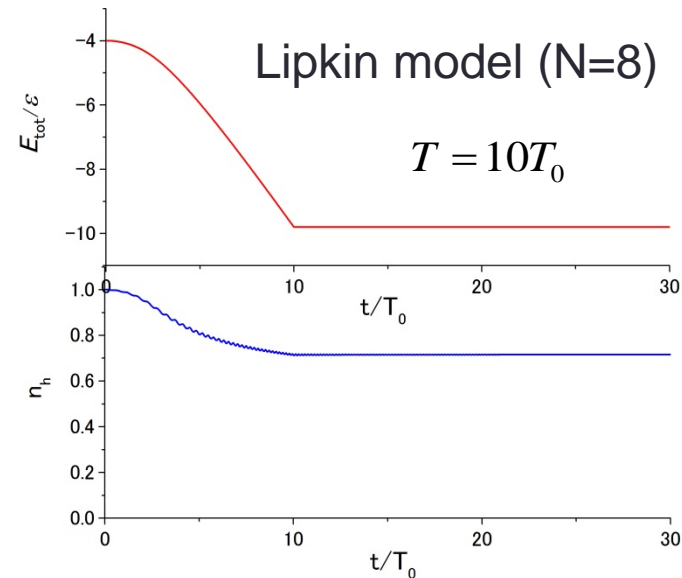
$$C_{p_1 p_2 h_1 p_3 p_4 h_2} \approx \sum_h z_{p_3 p_4 h h_1}^* z_{p_1 p_2 h_2 h}, \quad C_{p_1 h_1 h_2 p_2 h_3 h_4} \approx \sum_p z_{p_2 p h_1 h_2}^* z_{p_1 p h_3 h_4}$$

Ground state: a stationary solution

$$i\hbar \frac{dn_{\alpha\alpha'}}{dt} = 0, \quad i\hbar \frac{dC_{\alpha\beta\alpha'\beta'}}{dt} = 0$$

Adiabatic method starting from HF ground state

$$v \Rightarrow v \times \frac{t}{T} \quad \text{with } T \gg T_0 = \frac{2\pi\hbar}{\varepsilon}$$



Excited states : Equation of motion approach

$$Q_\mu^+ = \sum_{\lambda\lambda'} x_{\lambda\lambda'}^\mu a_\lambda^+ a_{\lambda'} + \sum_{\lambda_1\lambda_2\lambda_1'\lambda_2'} X_{\lambda\lambda'}^\mu a_{\lambda_1}^+ a_{\lambda_2}^+ a_{\lambda_2'} a_{\lambda_1'} : Q_\mu^+ |\Psi_0\rangle = |\Psi_\mu\rangle, Q_\mu |\Psi_0\rangle = 0$$

$$\langle \Psi_0 | [a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha, H] | \Psi_\mu \rangle = (E_\mu - E_0) \langle \Psi_0 | a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha | \Psi_\mu \rangle = \omega_\mu \langle \Psi_0 | a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha | \Psi_\mu \rangle$$

$$\langle \Psi_0 | [a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha, H] | \Psi_\mu \rangle = \omega_\mu \langle \Psi_0 | a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha | \Psi_\mu \rangle$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x^\mu \\ X^\mu \end{pmatrix} = \omega_\mu \begin{pmatrix} S_1 & T_1 \\ T_2 & S_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x^\mu \\ X^\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = \langle \Psi_0 | [[: a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha :, H], : a_\lambda^+ a_{\lambda'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$B = \langle \Psi_0 | [[: a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha :, H], : a_{\lambda_1}^+ a_{\lambda_2}^+ a_{\lambda_2'} a_{\lambda_1'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$C = \langle \Psi_0 | [[: a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha :, H], : a_\lambda^+ a_{\lambda'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$D = \langle \Psi_0 | [[: a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha :, H], : a_{\lambda_1}^+ a_{\lambda_2}^+ a_{\lambda_2'} a_{\lambda_1'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$S_1 = \langle \Psi_0 | [: a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha :, : a_\lambda^+ a_{\lambda'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$T_1 = \langle \Psi_0 | [: a_\alpha^+ a_\alpha :, : a_{\lambda_1}^+ a_{\lambda_2}^+ a_{\lambda_2'} a_{\lambda_1'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$T_2 = \langle \Psi_0 | [: a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha :, : a_\lambda^+ a_{\lambda'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$S_2 = \langle \Psi_0 | [: a_\alpha^+ a_\beta^+ a_\beta a_\alpha :, : a_{\lambda_1}^+ a_{\lambda_2}^+ a_{\lambda_2'} a_{\lambda_1'} :] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

Extended second RPA (ESRPA)

Under HF assumption

$$\begin{pmatrix} n_h = 1 \\ n_p = 0 \\ C_2 = 0 \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{Second RPA (SRPA)} \\ \left(x_{ph}^\mu, x_{hp}^\mu, X_{pp'hh'}^\mu, X_{hh'pp'}^\mu \right)$$

Ortho-normalization condition

$$\begin{pmatrix} x^{\mu*} & X^{\mu*} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} S_1 & T_1 \\ T_2 & S_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x^\nu \\ X^\nu \end{pmatrix} = \delta_{\mu\nu}$$

$\begin{pmatrix} x^{\mu*} & X^{\mu*} \end{pmatrix}$: left eigen vector

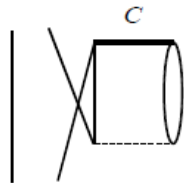
One-body part of ESRPA (1b-ESRPA)

$$Ax^\mu = \omega_\mu S_1 x^\mu$$

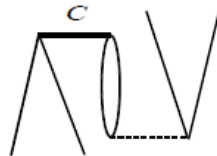
$$S_1 = (n_{\alpha'} - n_\alpha) \delta_{\alpha\lambda} \delta_{\alpha'\lambda'}$$

$$A = (\varepsilon_\alpha - \varepsilon_{\alpha'}) \delta_{\alpha\lambda} \delta_{\alpha'\lambda'} + (n_{\lambda'} - n_\lambda) \langle \alpha\lambda' | v | \alpha'\lambda \rangle (n_{\alpha'} - n_\alpha)$$

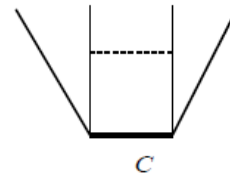
$$+ \delta_{\alpha\lambda} \sum_{\gamma'\gamma''} \langle \gamma\gamma' | v | \alpha'\gamma'' \rangle C_{\lambda'\gamma''\gamma'} + \sum_{\gamma'} \langle \lambda'\gamma | v | \alpha'\gamma' \rangle_A C_{\alpha\gamma'\lambda\gamma} - \sum_{\gamma'} \langle \gamma\gamma' | v | \alpha'\lambda \rangle C_{\alpha\lambda'\gamma\gamma'} + \dots$$



Self-energy



Vertex corrections



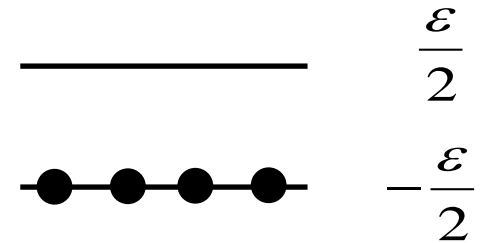
3) Applications

Lipkin model

$$H = \varepsilon J_0 + \frac{V}{2} (J_+^2 + J_-^2)$$

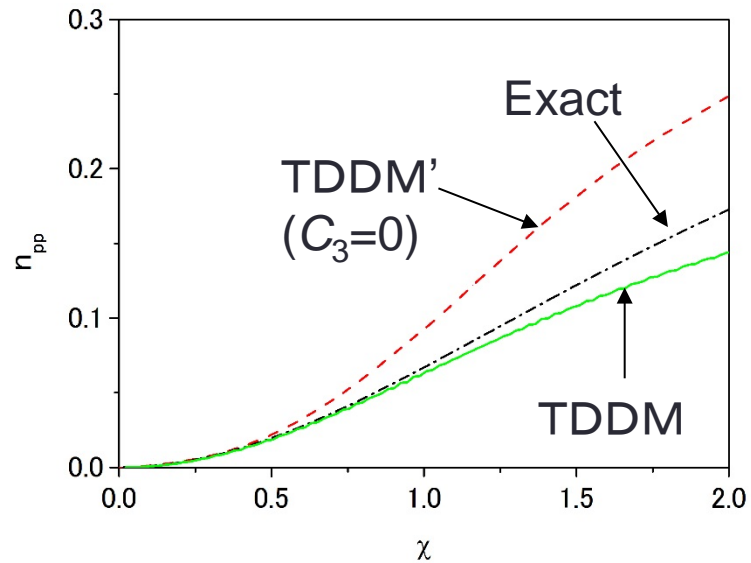
$$J_0 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{p=1}^N (a_p^+ a_p - a_{-p}^+ a_{-p})$$

$$J_+ = J_-^+ = \sum_{p=1}^N a_p^+ a_{-p}$$

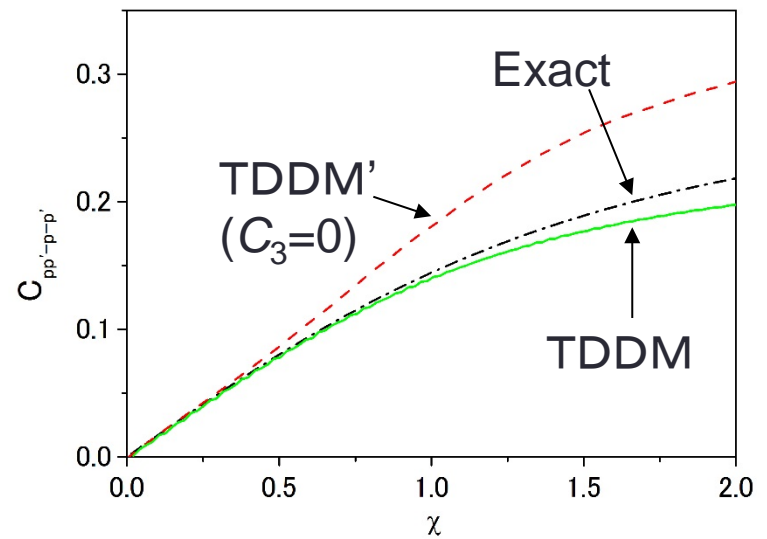


$N=4$

Occupation probability

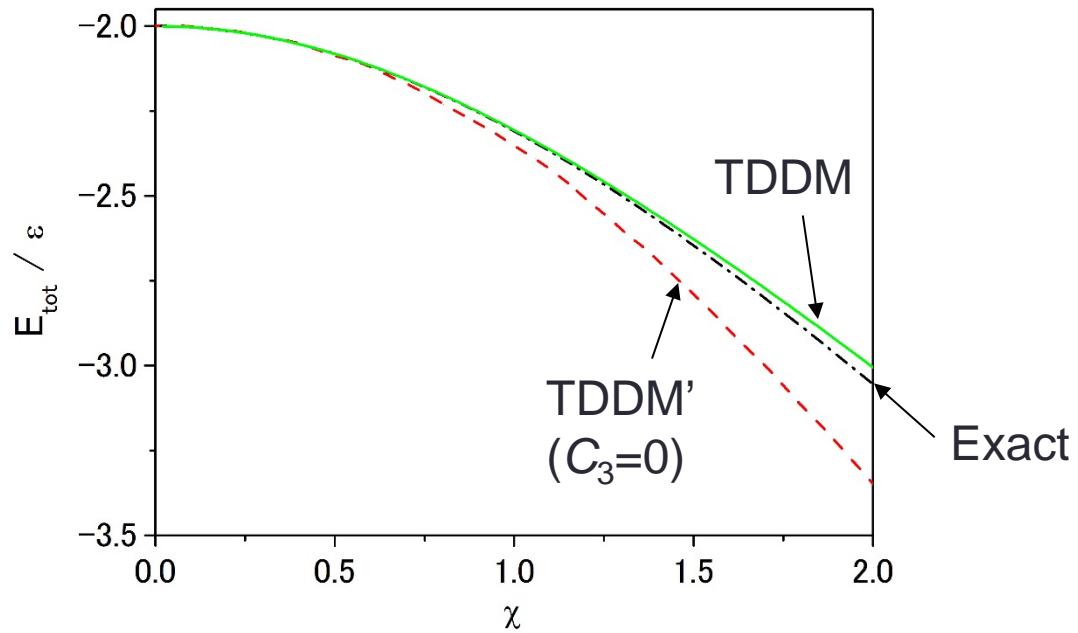


Correlation matrix

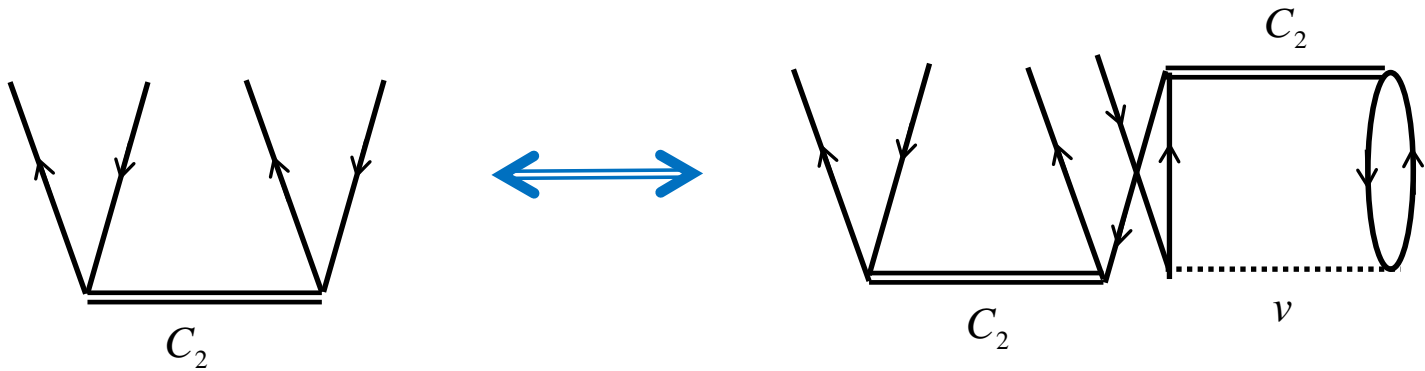


$$\chi = (N-1) \frac{|V|}{\varepsilon}$$

Ground state energy $N=4$



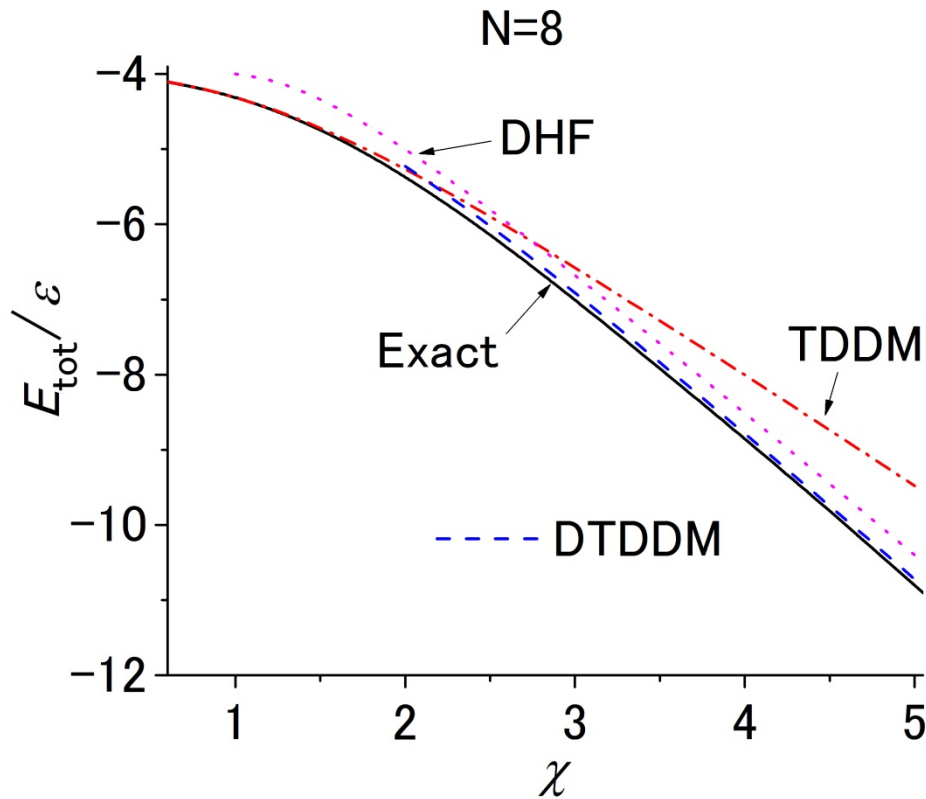
Self-energy contributions from C_3
suppress excess correlations



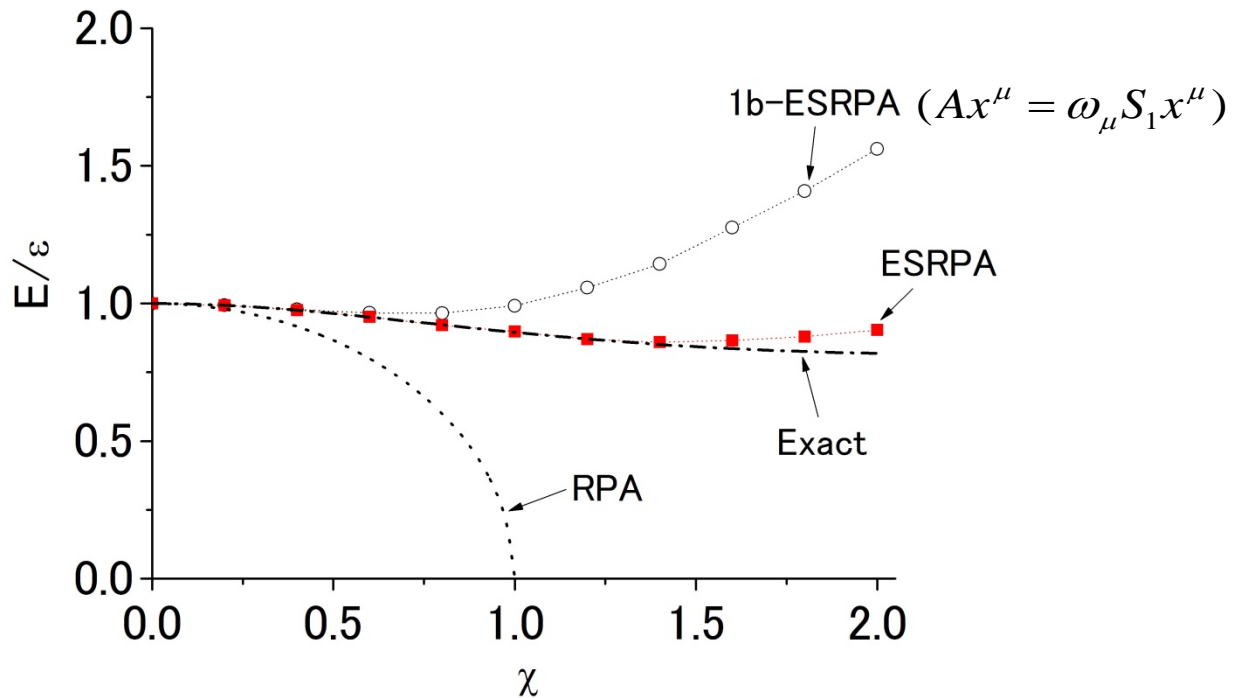
$$C_3 \approx C_2 \times C_2$$

Improvement

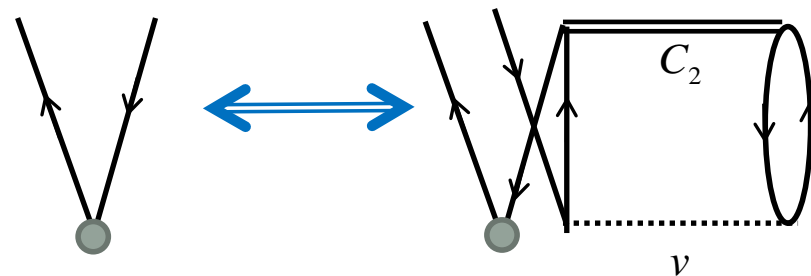
TDDM in deformed basis (DTDDM)



Excited states $N=4$



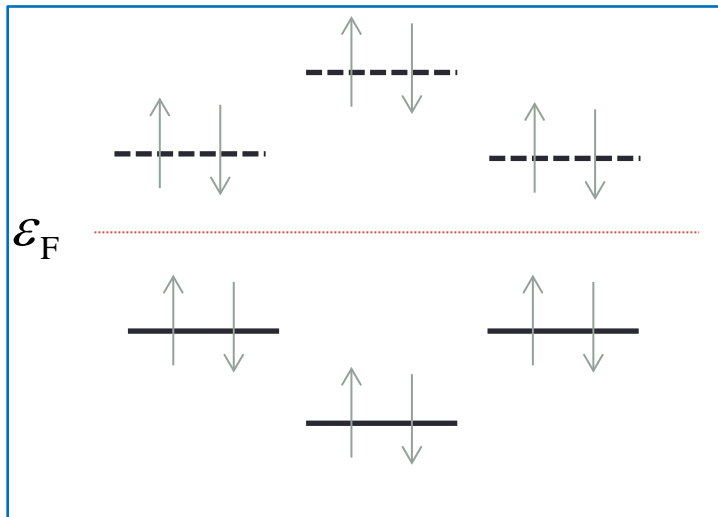
Self-energy contributions
in 1b-ESRPA



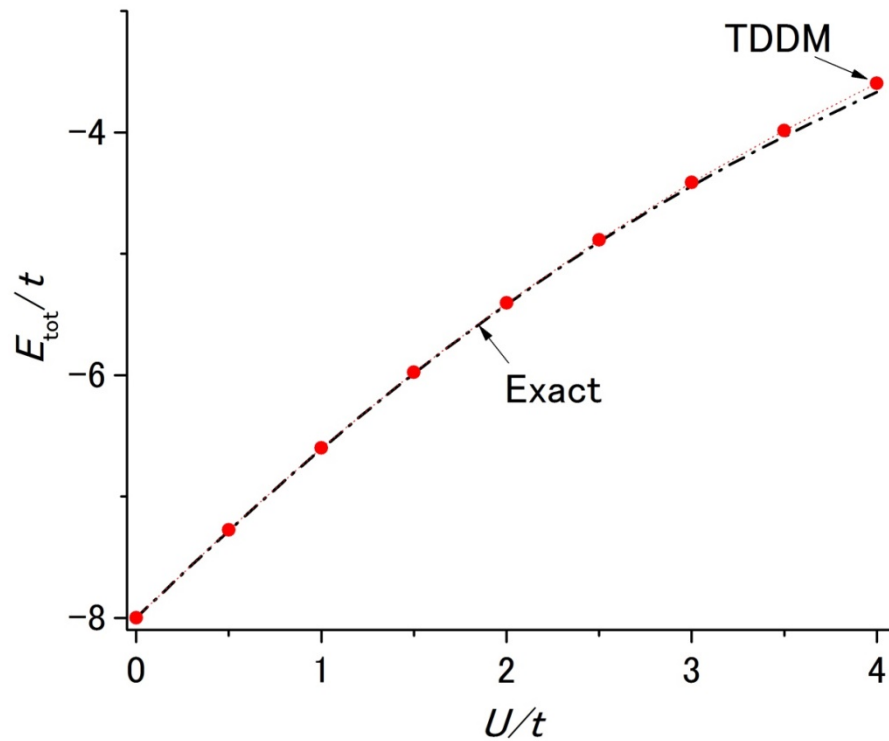
1D-Hubbard model ($N=6$)

$$H = \sum_{k,\sigma} \varepsilon_k a_{k,\sigma}^+ a_{k,\sigma} + \frac{U}{2N} \sum_{k,p,q,\sigma} a_{k,\sigma}^+ a_{k+q,\sigma} a_{p,-\sigma}^+ a_{p-q,-\sigma}$$

$$\varepsilon_k = -2t \cos k_k, \quad k_1 = 0, \quad k_{2,3} = \pm \frac{\pi}{3}, \quad k_{4,5} = \pm \frac{2\pi}{3}, \quad k_6 = -\pi$$

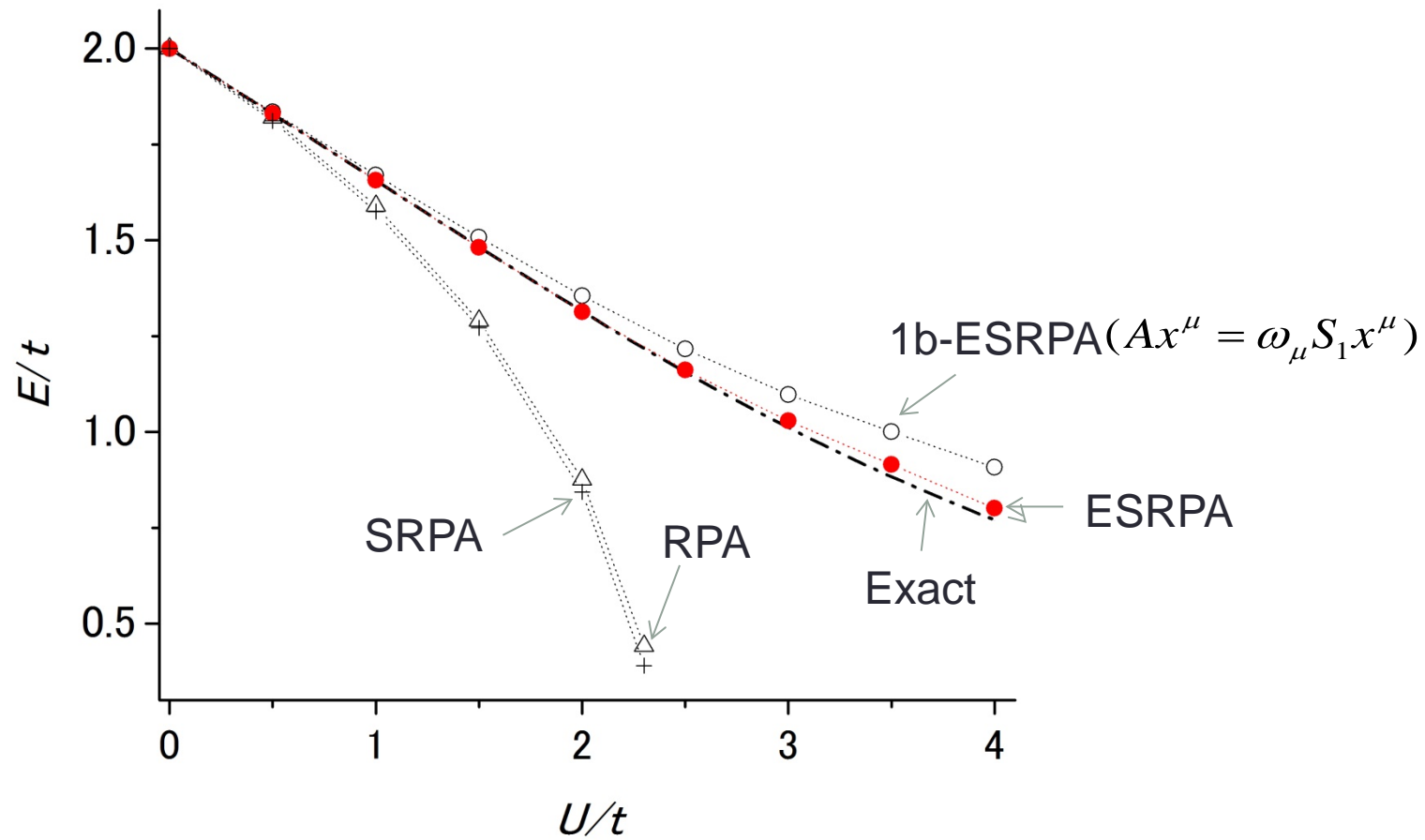


Ground state energy ($N=6$)



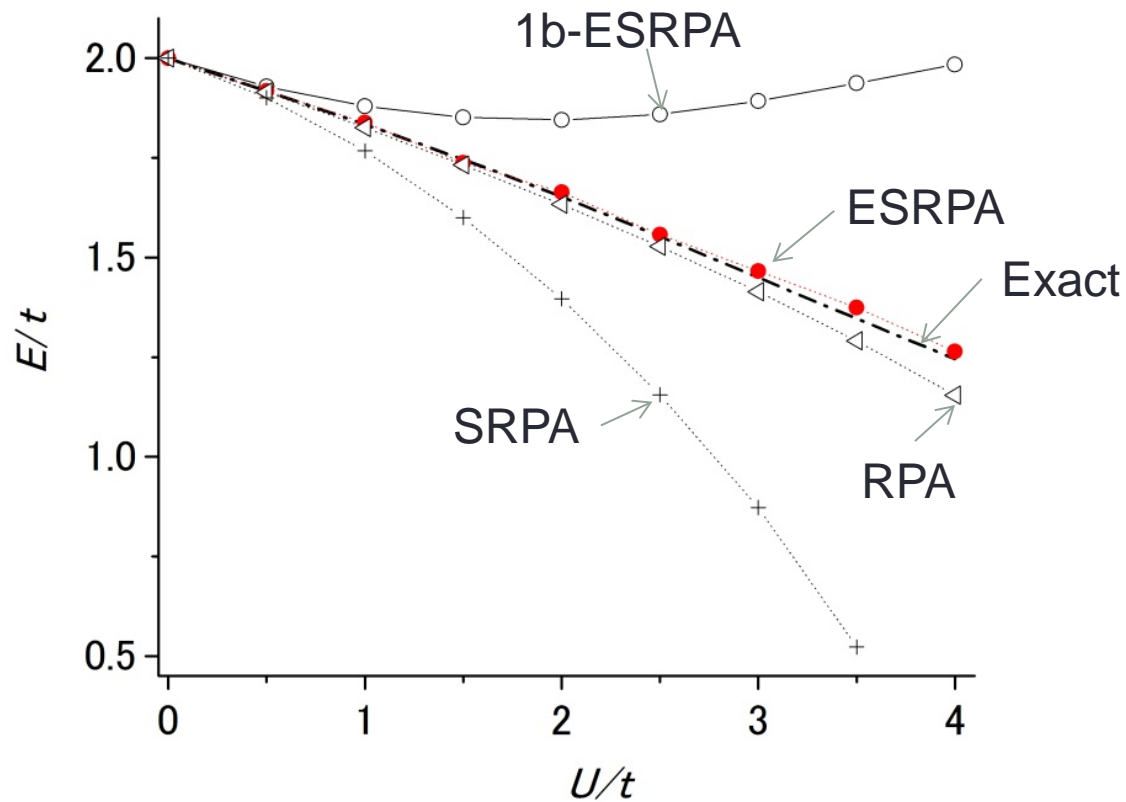
1st excited state (spin mode)

$$\Delta q = \pi : \left(-\frac{\pi}{3} \uparrow \Rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{3} \uparrow \right) - \left(-\frac{\pi}{3} \downarrow \Rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{3} \downarrow \right)$$



2nd excited state (spin mode)

$$\Delta q = \frac{\pi}{3} : \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \uparrow \Rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{3} \uparrow \right) - \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \downarrow \Rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{3} \downarrow \right)$$



Self-energy and coupling to X^μ are important

3) Relation of TDDM and CCD

(Tohyama , PTEP 2016, 113D01)

CCD

$$|\Psi_{\text{CCD}}\rangle = e^{T_2} |\text{HF}\rangle, \quad T_2 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{pp'hh'} t_{pp'hh'} a_p^+ a_{p'}^+ a_h a_h$$

$$\langle \text{HF} | a_h^+ a_h^+ a_p a_p e^{-T_2} H e^{T_2} | \text{HF} \rangle = 0$$

TDDM ($n_h \approx 1, n_p \approx 0$)

CCD

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\varepsilon_h + \varepsilon_{h'} - \varepsilon_p - \varepsilon_{p'}) C_{pp'hh'} = \langle pp' | v | hh' \rangle_A \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 p_2} \langle pp' | v | p_1 p_2 \rangle C_{p_1 p_2 hh'} + \sum_{h_1 h_2} \langle h_1 h_2 | v | hh' \rangle C_{pp' h_1 h_2} \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 h_1} (\langle ph_1 | v | h' p_1 \rangle_A C_{p' p_1 hh_1} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h')) \\
 & + \sum_{h_1 h_2} \langle pp' | v | h_1 h_2 \rangle C_{h_1 h_2 hh'} + \sum_{p_1 p_2} \langle p_1 p_2 | v | hh' \rangle C_{pp' p_1 p_2} \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 h_1} (\langle pp_1 | v | hh_1 \rangle_A C_{h_1 p' p_1 h'} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h')) \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 h_1} (\langle pp_1 | v | h_1 h_2 \rangle C_{h_1 h_2 p_1 p_2} C_{p_2 p' hh'} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h'))
 \end{aligned}$$

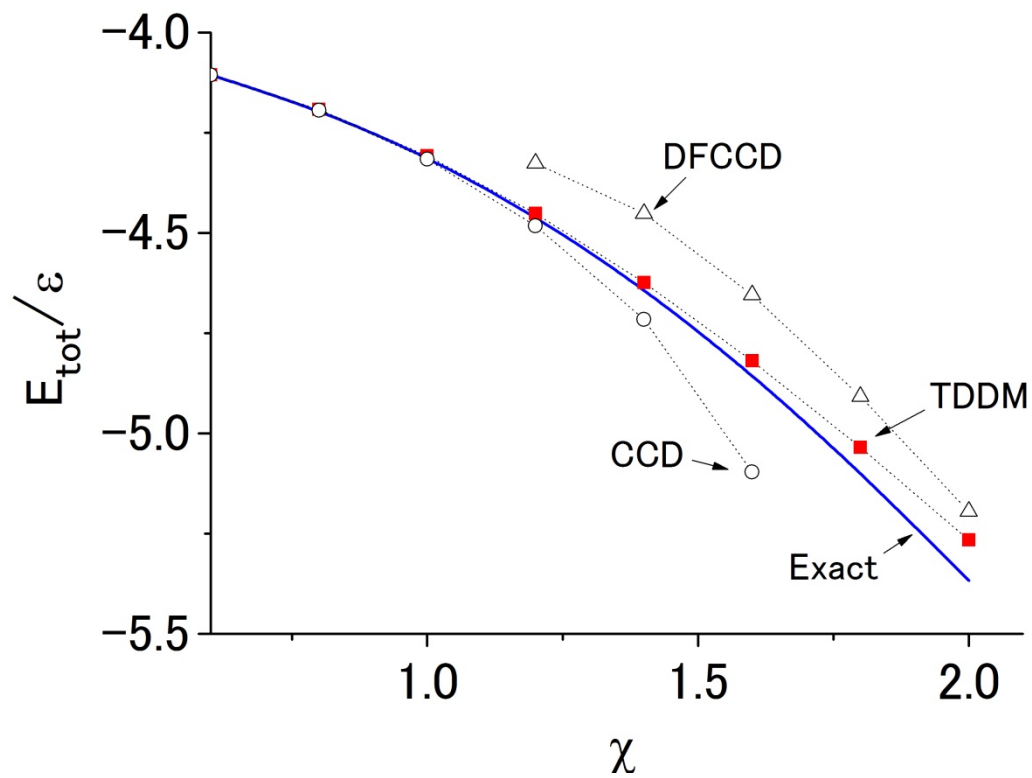
$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\varepsilon_h + \varepsilon_{h'} - \varepsilon_p - \varepsilon_{p'}) t_{pp'hh'} = \langle pp' | v | hh' \rangle_A \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 p_2} \langle pp' | v | p_1 p_2 \rangle t_{p_1 p_2 hh'} + \sum_{h_1 h_2} \langle h_1 h_2 | v | hh' \rangle t_{pp' h_1 h_2} \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 h_1} (\langle ph_1 | v | h' p_1 \rangle_A t_{p' p_1 hh_1} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h')) \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 p_2 h_1 h_2} \langle h_1 h_2 | v | p_1 p_2 \rangle_A (t_{p_1 p_2 hh'} t_{pp' h_1 h_2} / 4 \\
 & \quad + t_{pp_1 hh_1} t_{p' p_2 h' h_2} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h')) \\
 & + \sum_{p_1 p_2 h_1 h_2} (\langle h_1 h_2 | v | p_1 p_2 \rangle t_{pp_1 h_1 h_2} t_{p_2 p' hh'} - (p \leftrightarrow p', h \leftrightarrow h'))
 \end{aligned}$$

TDDM and CCD have term by term correspondence

$C_{pp'p''p'''} is given by $C_{pp'hh'} \times C_{hh'pp'}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{pp'p''p'''} &\approx \frac{1}{2} \sum_{h_1 h_2} \frac{\langle pp' | v | h_1 h_2 \rangle_A \langle h_1 h_2 | v | p'' p''' \rangle_A}{(\varepsilon_{h_1} + \varepsilon_{h_2} - \varepsilon_p - \varepsilon_{p'}) (\varepsilon_{h_1} + \varepsilon_{h_2} - \varepsilon_{p''} - \varepsilon_{p'''})} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{h_1 h_2} C_{pp'h_1 h_2} C_{h_1 h_2 p'' p'''}
 \end{aligned}$$

Ground state energy (Lipkin model $N=8$)



Fractional occupation is important in TDDM

2p-2h excitation: $(1 - n_p)(1 - n_{p'})n_h n_{h'}$

p-p and h-h correlations: $(1 - n_p - n_{p'})$, $(1 - n_h - n_{h'})$

p-h correlation: $(n_h - n_p)$

4) Summary

- $C_3 \approx C_2 \times C_2$ gives a better truncation scheme
- ESRPA gives good description of excited states
Self-energy and coupling to X^μ are important
- TDDM \approx CCD for $n_h \approx 1, n_p \approx 0$
TDDM \neq CCD for a strong interaction