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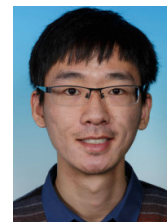
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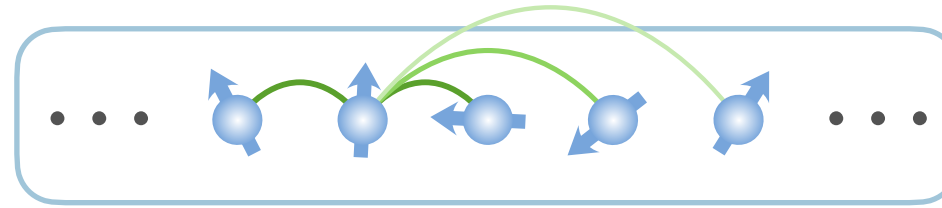
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- *'Single shot'* measurement of *'the energy'* of a quantum many-body system

Introduction

Analog quantum simulator



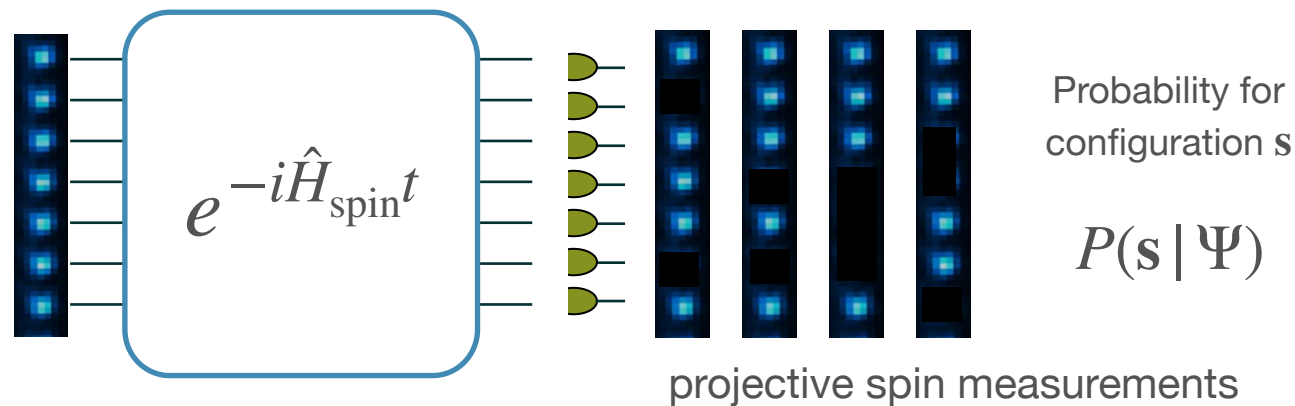
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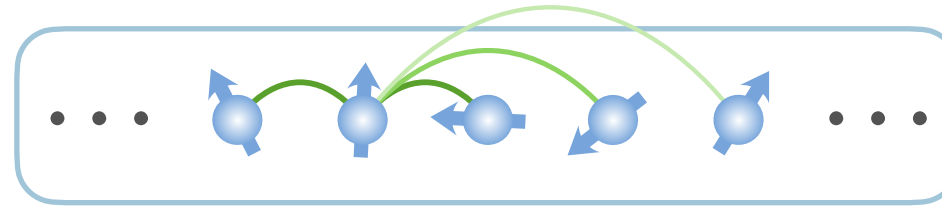
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- Correlation functions are inferred from (destructive) site-resolved readout of spins



Analog quantum simulator



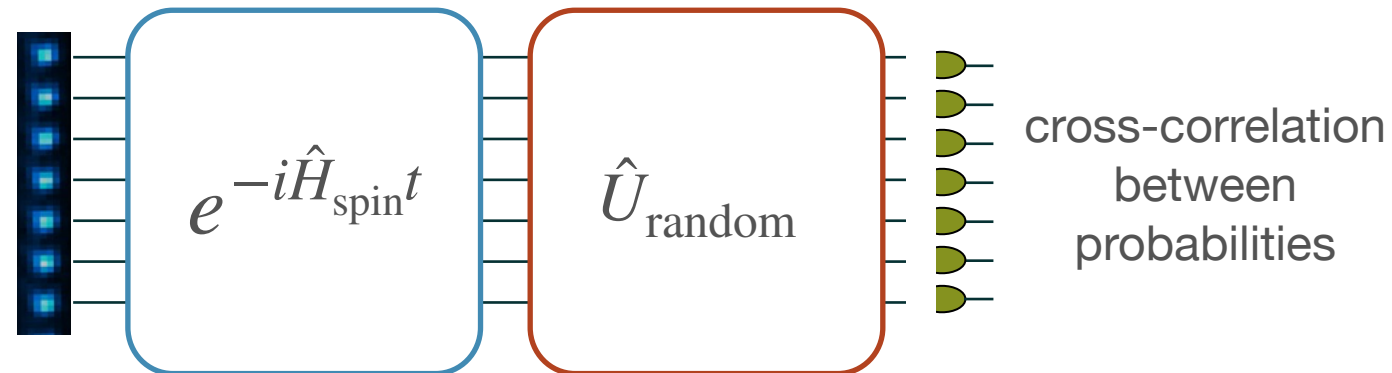
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randomized measurement toolbox

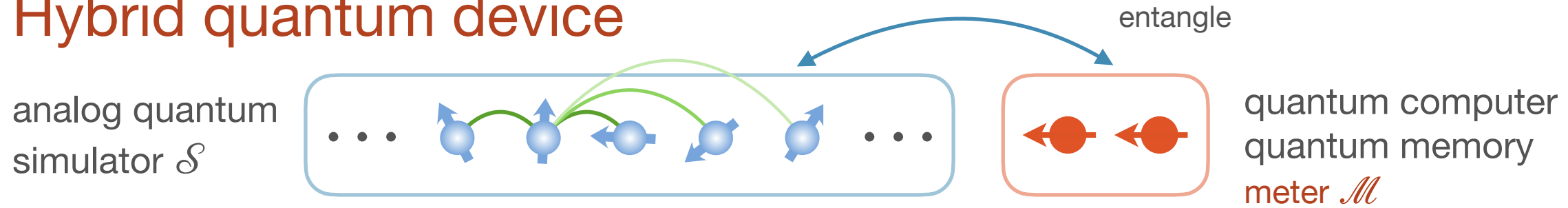
No build-in 'energy' meter

A. Elben, et. al., Sci. Adv. 6, (2020)

Why QND energy measurement?

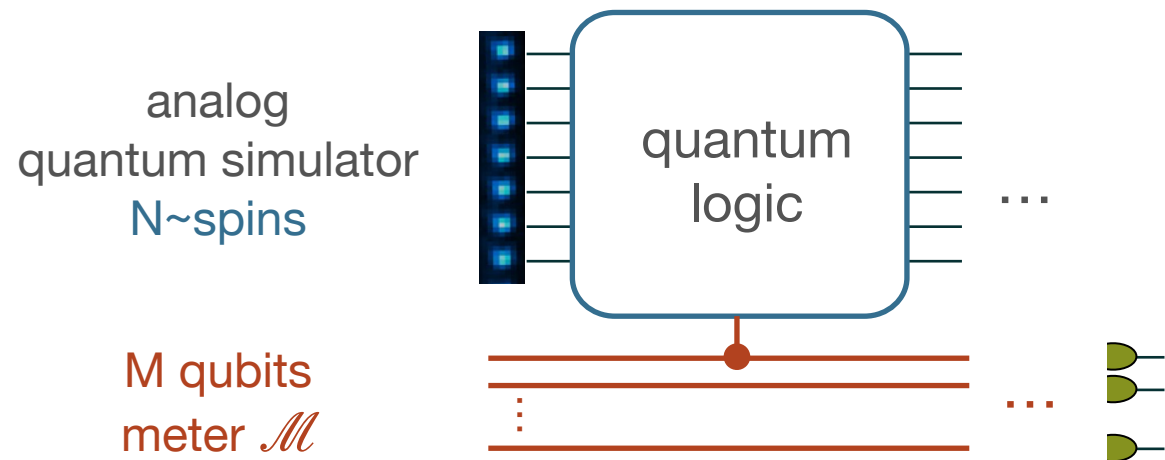
- In general, a many-body system has only one QND observable — the system Hamiltonian itself
- Energy is a fundamental physical quantity
- Quantum thermodynamics assumes the projective energy measurement for quantum fluctuations relations (Jarzynsky equality)
- Eigenstate thermalisation hypothesis
- Study of quantum chaos to MBL transition
- ...

Hybrid quantum device

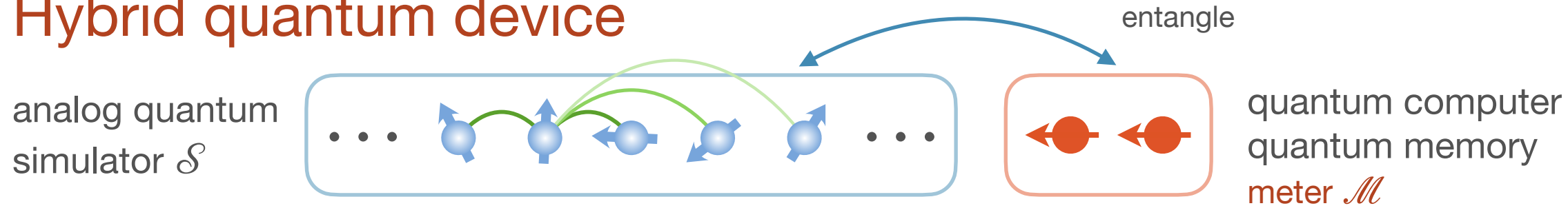


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- The many-body system is entangled with an auxiliary quantum system
- The auxiliary system (meter) is measured

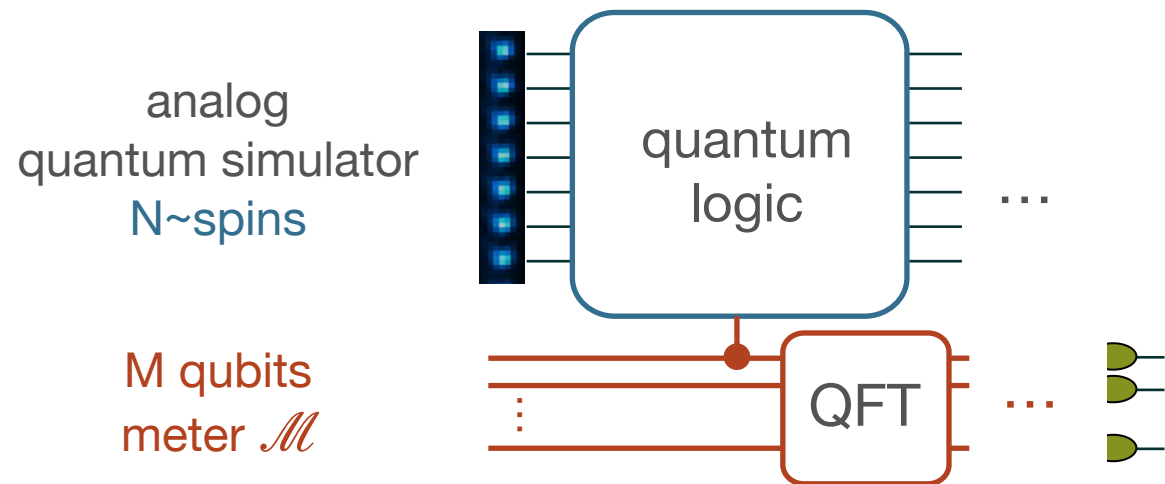


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- More generally the auxiliary system can be a small scale quantum computer (e.g. QFT)



Prepare, manipulate, observe a quantum simulator with (small scale) **quantum memory / computer** possibly running simple quantum algorithms

Rydberg Tweezer arrays

DV et.al., PRX Quantum **1**, 020302 (2020)

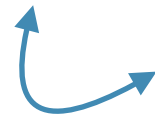
Hybrid quantum device: Simulator + Continuous Variable Mode

analog quantum
simulator \mathcal{S}



ions \sim spins

entangle



COM mode as continuous variable

phonons \sim meter \mathcal{M}

This talk: Trapped Ions

Yang et.al., Nat Commun **11**, 775 (2020)

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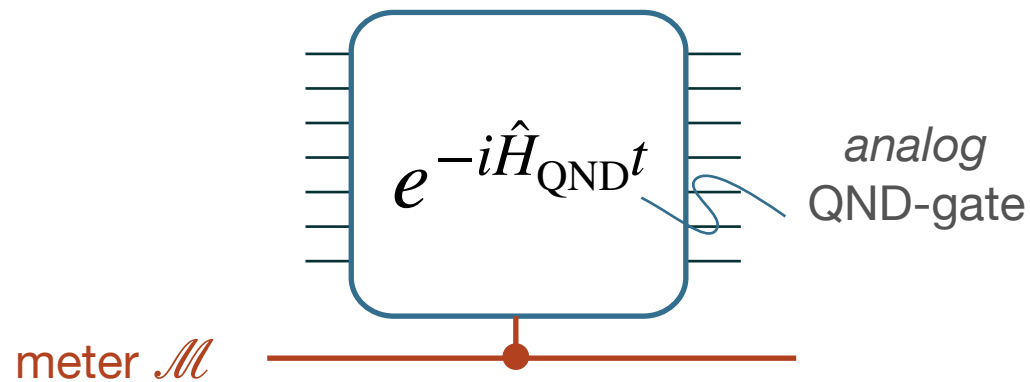
$$[\hat{X}_M, \hat{P}_M] = i$$

meter variable
~quadratures

Many-Body System coupled to a Continuous Meter

Building block: QND-quantum gate

generated by QND-Hamiltonian



$$\hat{H}_{\text{QND}} = \vartheta \hat{H}_{\text{spin}} \otimes \hat{P}_M$$

engineered spin-Hamiltonian \mathcal{S} meter \mathcal{M}

Challenge is to
implement the
three body
interaction

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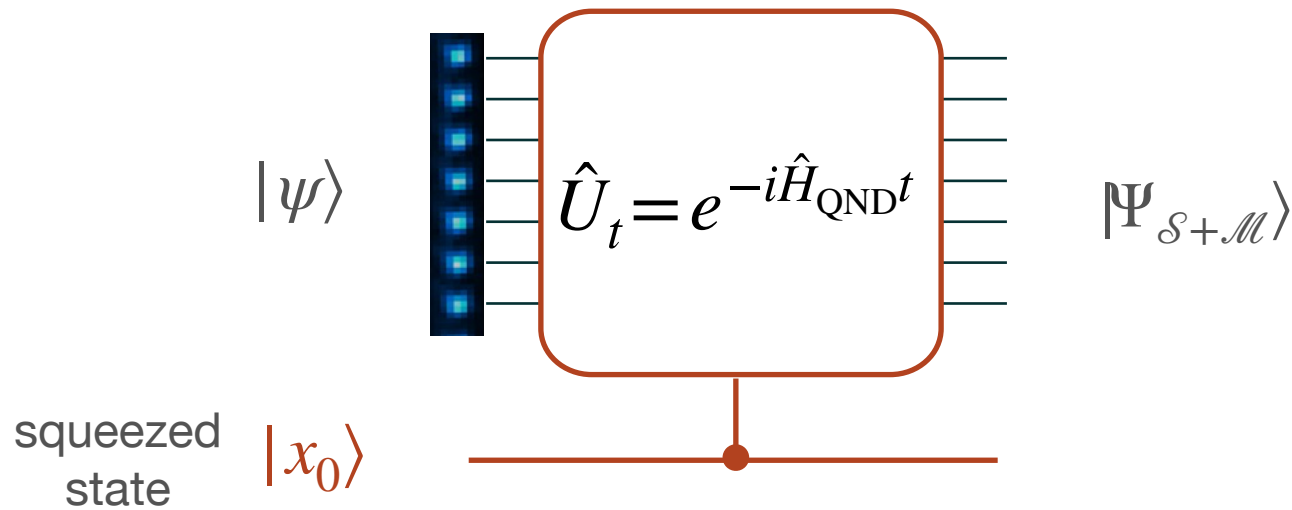
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QND-Measurement of \hat{H}_{spin}

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Many-Body System coupled to a Meter

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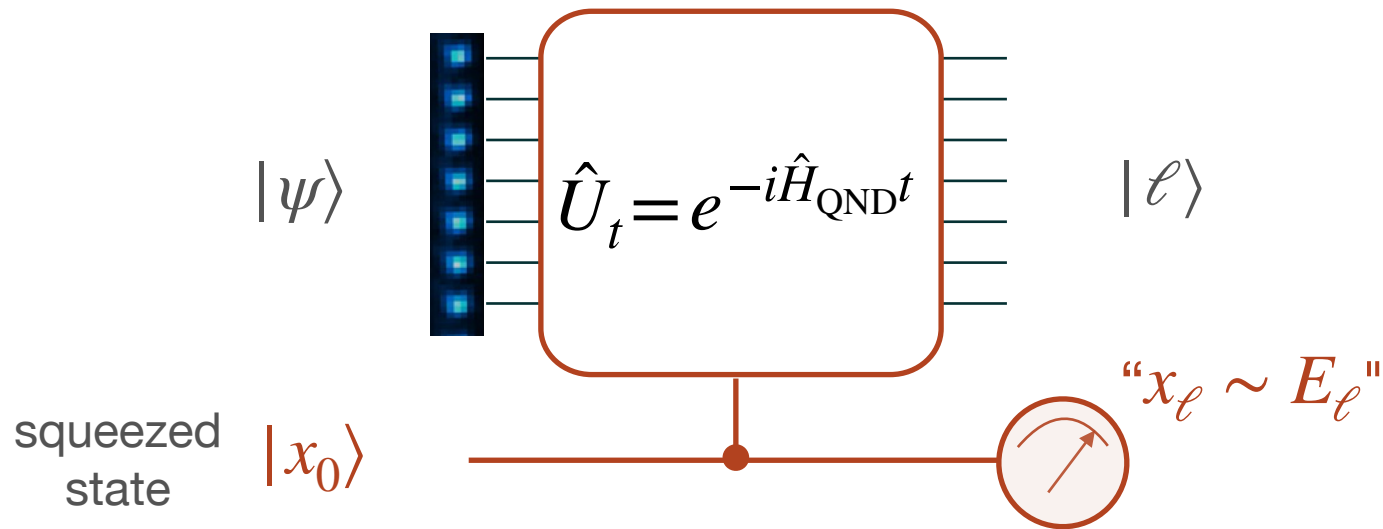


$$|\psi\rangle \otimes |x_0\rangle \xrightarrow{\text{evolve}} |\Psi_{\mathcal{S}+\mathcal{M}}\rangle = \sum_{\ell} c_{\ell} |\ell\rangle e^{-iE_{\ell}t} \otimes |x_0 + \vartheta E_{\ell}t\rangle$$

$$\equiv \sum_{\ell} c_{\ell} |\ell\rangle \otimes |x_0\rangle \quad \text{with} \quad \hat{H}_{\text{spin}} |\ell\rangle = E_{\ell} |\ell\rangle \quad (\text{energy eigenbasis})$$

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$$\xrightarrow{\text{measure } \hat{X}_M: "x_{\ell} \sim E_{\ell}"} |\ell\rangle \otimes |x_0 + \vartheta E_{\ell}t\rangle$$

with probability:

$$\mathcal{P}_{\ell} = |c_{\ell}|^2$$

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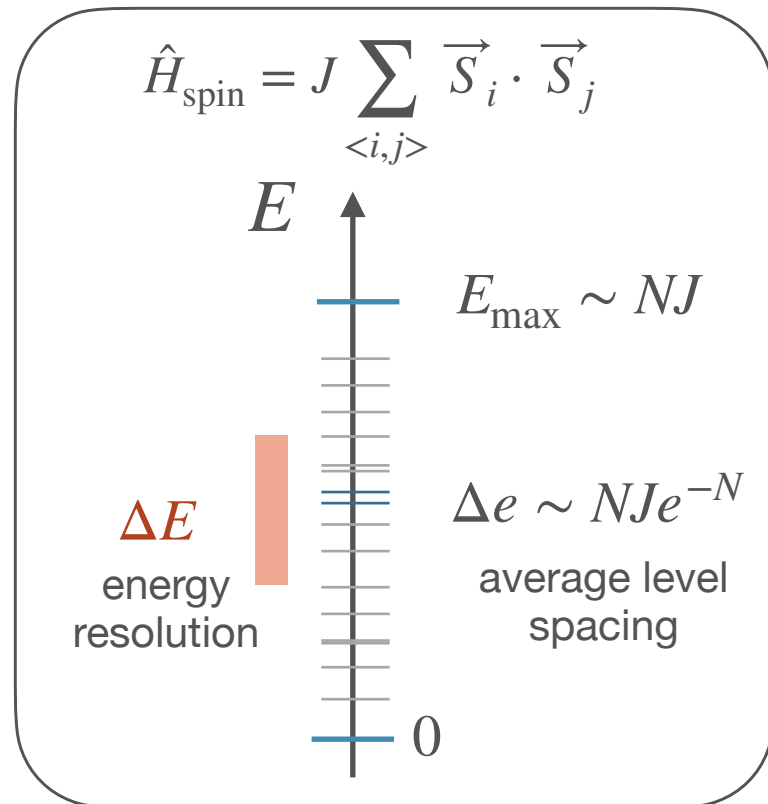
This is NOT measurement of the expectation value $\langle \hat{H}_{\text{spin}} \rangle$

QND-Measurement of \hat{H}_{spin}

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QND-Measurement of \hat{H}_{spin} – Step 2: QND-Measurement

- quantum N-body system dim $\sim 2^N$
resolve single vs. band of eigenstates



Challenge

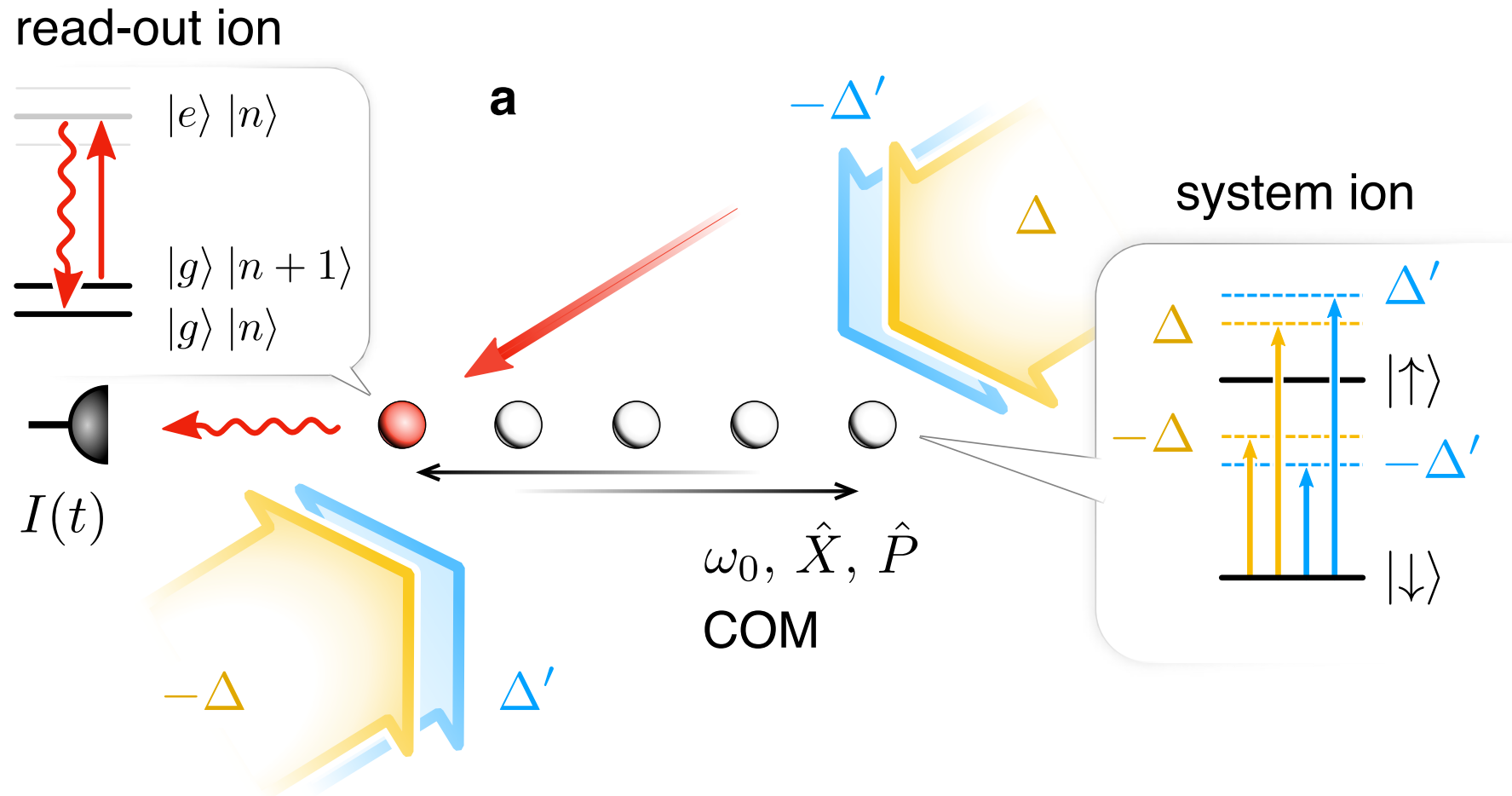
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SQL $\Delta E \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{T_{\text{mes}}}} \leftrightarrow \tau_{\text{decoherence}}$

Trapped-Ion Implementation of the QND gate

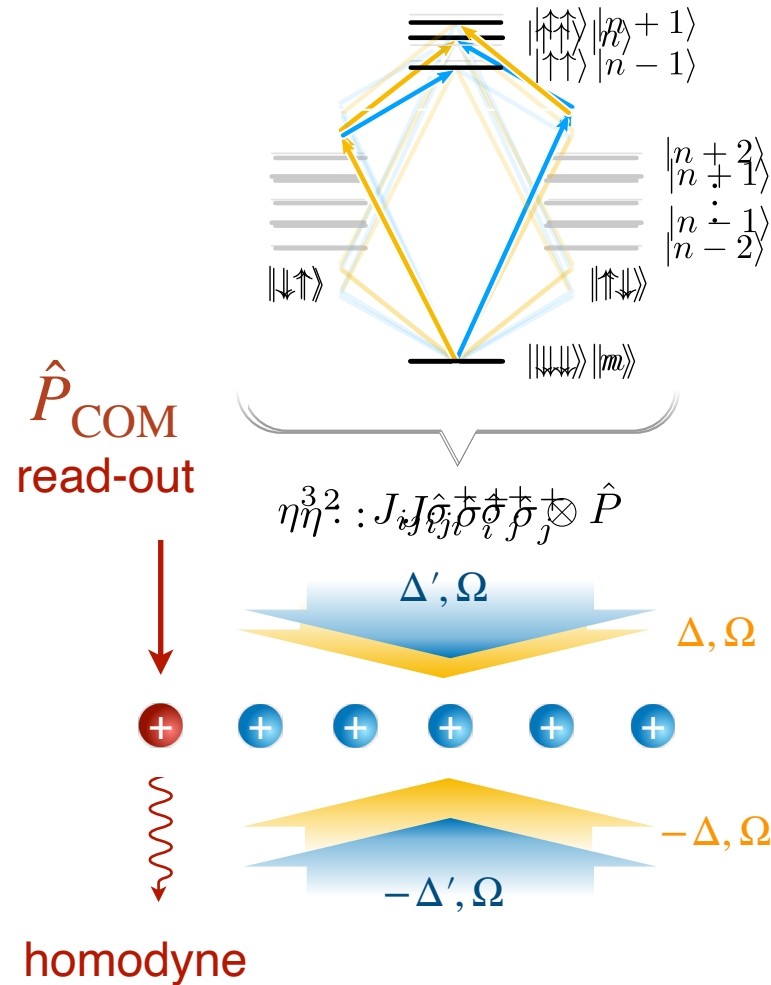
Trapped-Ion Implementation of QND measurement



Full system Hamiltonian of Double Mølmer-Sørensen configuration:

$$\hat{H}_{\text{int}} = \frac{\Omega}{2} \sum_n \hat{\sigma}_n^+ \left(\underline{e^{-i\Delta t + ik\hat{Z}_n}} + \left[1 + \frac{\delta\Omega}{\Omega}\right] \underline{e^{i\Delta t - ik\hat{Z}_n}} + \underline{e^{-i\Delta' t - ik\hat{Z}_n}} + \left[1 + \frac{\delta\Omega}{\Omega}\right] \underline{e^{i\Delta' t + ik\hat{Z}_n}} \right) + h.c.$$

Trapped-Ion Implementation of QND measurement



'double'
Molmer-Sørensen interaction

D. Porras and J. I. Cirac
Phys. Rev. Lett. **92**, 207901 (2004)

Hamiltonian for system + meter

$$H_{\mathcal{SM}} = \hat{H}'_{\text{spin}} + \vartheta(t) \hat{H}_{\text{spin}} \otimes \hat{P}_{\text{COM}}$$

$\hat{H}' = \hat{H}$ QND!
fine tuning

transverse Ising model

here: weak coupling

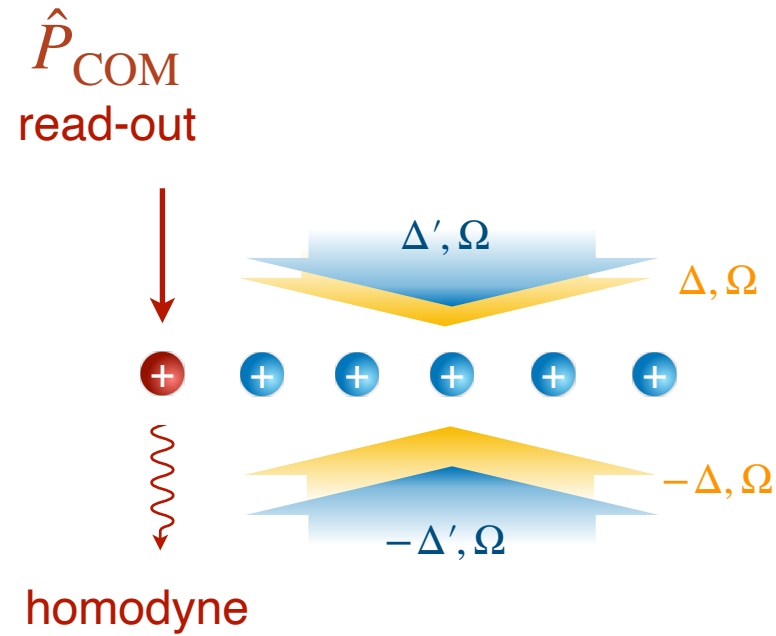
$$\hat{H}'_{\text{spin}} = - \sum_{i < j} J_{ij} \hat{\sigma}_i^x \hat{\sigma}_j^x + h' \sum_{j=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_j^z$$

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we tune: $\Delta' - \Delta = \nu_{\text{COM}}$ \rightarrow \hat{P}_{COM} meter
trap frequency

Stochastic Density Matrix Equation

Simulating single run of homodyne measurement



$$d\hat{\rho}_c(t) = -i[\hat{H}', \hat{\rho}_c(t)]dt + \gamma \mathcal{D}[\hat{H}/J]\hat{\rho}_c(t) dt \\ + \sqrt{\gamma\epsilon} \mathcal{H}[\hat{H}/J]\hat{\rho}_c(t) dW(t)$$

$$dX(t) \equiv I(t)dt = 2\sqrt{\gamma\epsilon} \langle \hat{H}/J \rangle_c dt + dW(t)$$

The **homodyne current** provides a continuous readout of the **energy of the quantum many-body system**

$$\mathcal{D}[\hat{s}]\hat{\rho}_c \equiv \hat{s}\hat{\rho}_c\hat{s}^\dagger - (\hat{s}^\dagger\hat{s}\hat{\rho}_c + \text{H.c.})/2$$

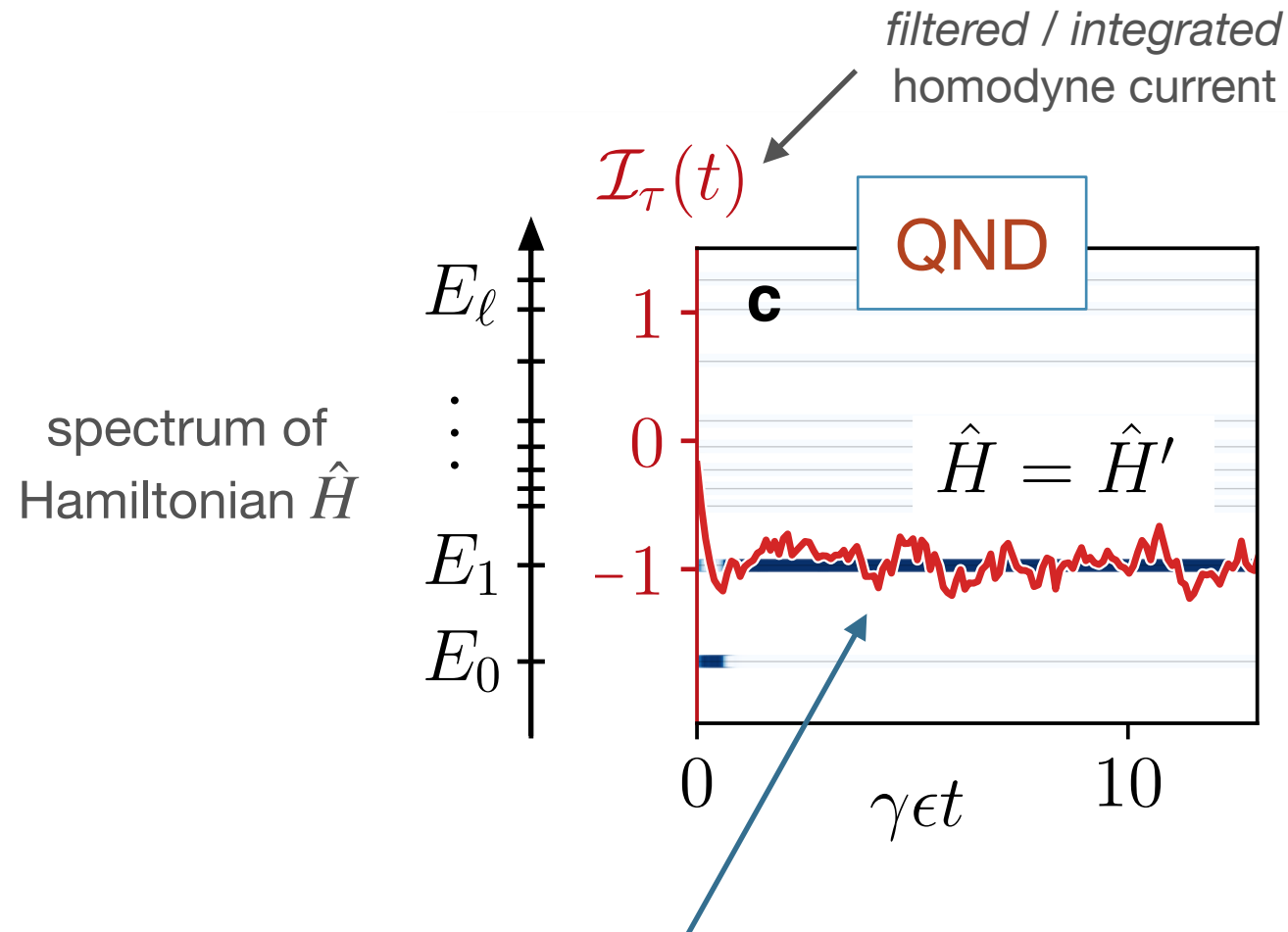
$$\mathcal{H}[\hat{s}]\hat{\rho}_c \equiv (\hat{s} - \langle \hat{s} \rangle_c)\hat{\rho}_c + \text{H.c.}$$

QND Measurement of \hat{H}_{spin} - a Single Run

Homodyne current from scattered light reveals 'energy'



$N = 5$ spins, $\alpha = 1.5$, $\hbar/J = 1.5$.



- homodyne current reads energy

$$\mathcal{I}_\tau(t) \sim \langle \hat{H}_{\text{spin}} \rangle_c + \text{noise}$$

- we illustrate single runs of an experiment by simulating a stochastic density matrix eq. for homodyne measurement

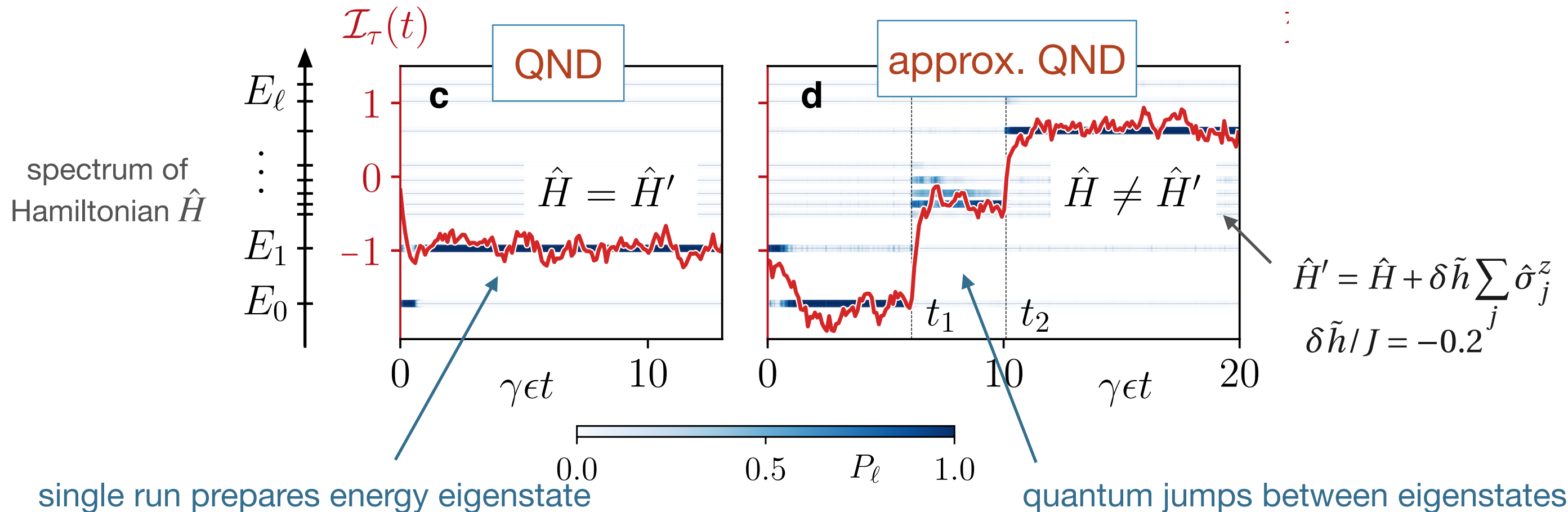
single run prepares energy eigenstate

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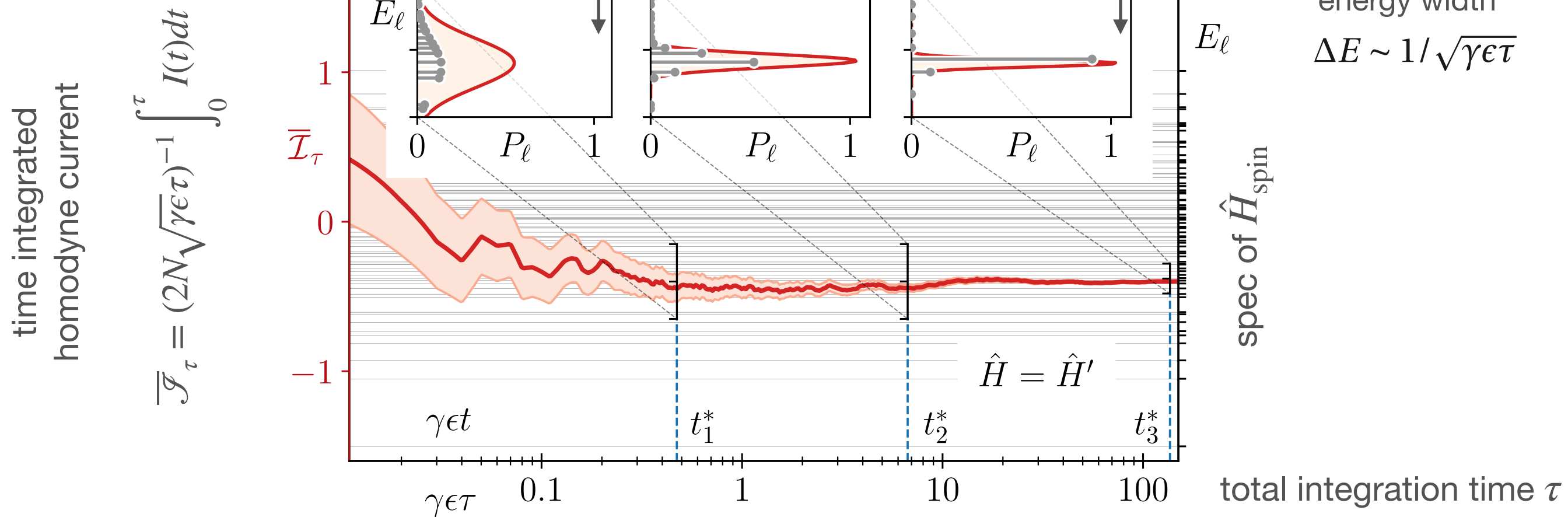


QND Measurement of Many-Body Hamiltonian - *Single Run*

N=8 spins

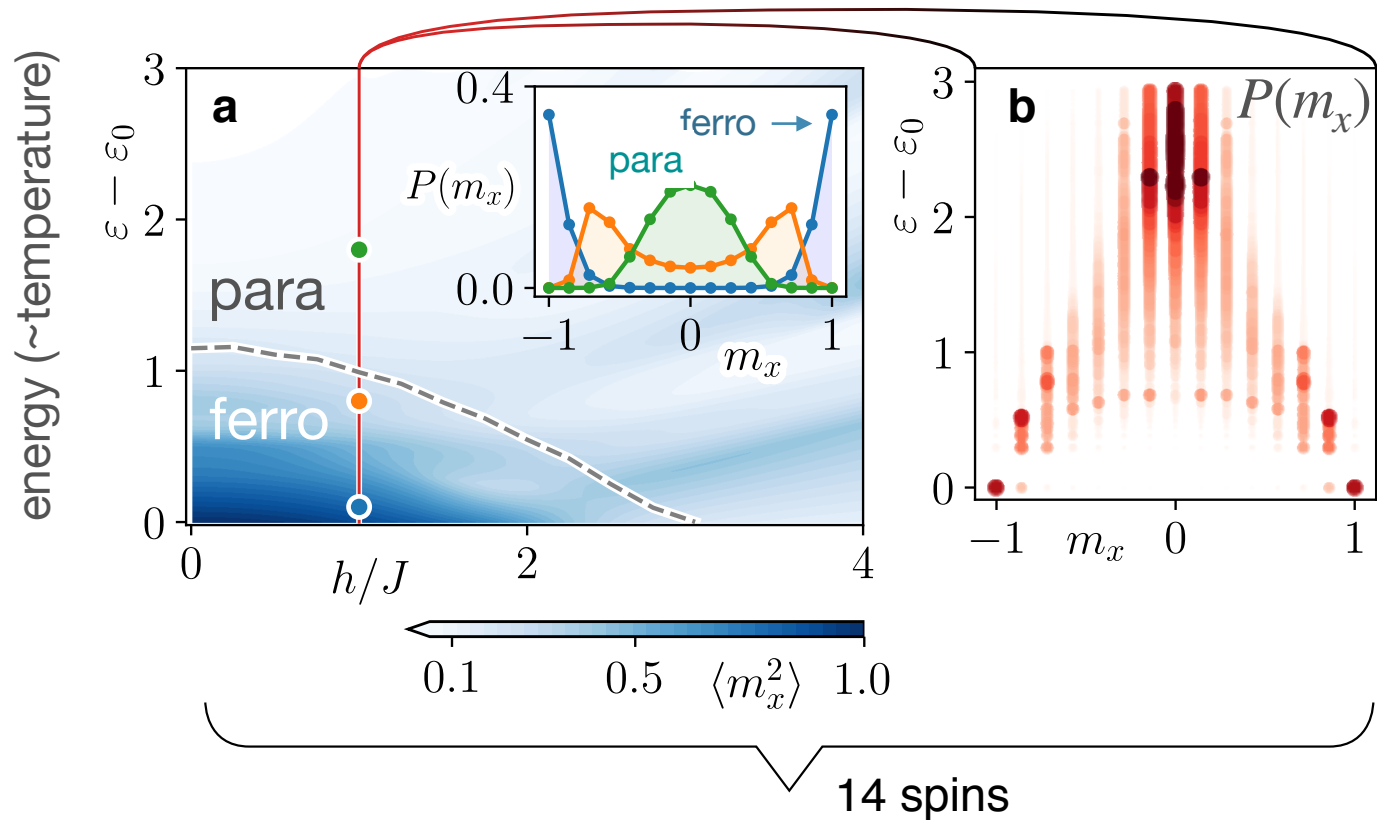
microcanonical ensemble

~ single eigenstate: $\tau \sim t_H$



Eigenstate Thermalization Hypothesis (for mesoscopic systems)

Excited-state phase transition in the Ising model with $J_{ij} \sim J/|i-j|^{\alpha=1.5}$



microcanonical ensemble $\Delta E/(JN) = 0.1$

- ETH Keith R. Fratus, Mark Srednicki, arXiv:1611.03992

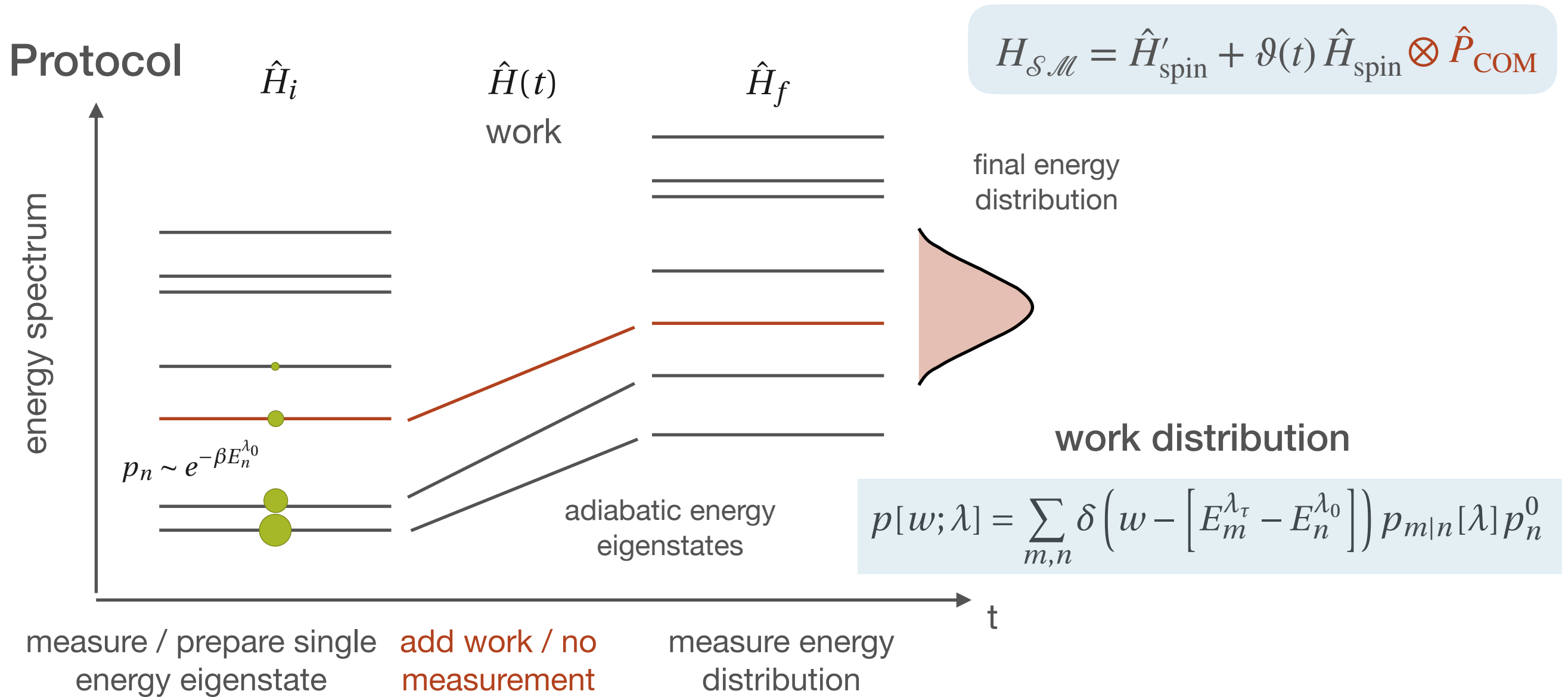
$$\langle \ell | \hat{O} | \ell \rangle = O(E_\ell) = \text{tr}(\hat{O} \hat{\rho}_{E_\ell}^{\text{mc}})$$

$$\langle \ell' | \hat{O} | \ell \rangle = O(\bar{E}) \delta_{\ell' \ell} + e^{-S(\bar{E})/2} f_{\hat{O}}(\bar{E}, \omega) R_{\ell' \ell}$$

- ferro-paramagnetic transition for for $1 < \alpha \leq 2$ manifest in $P(m_x)$ or $\langle \hat{m}_x^2 \rangle$ with

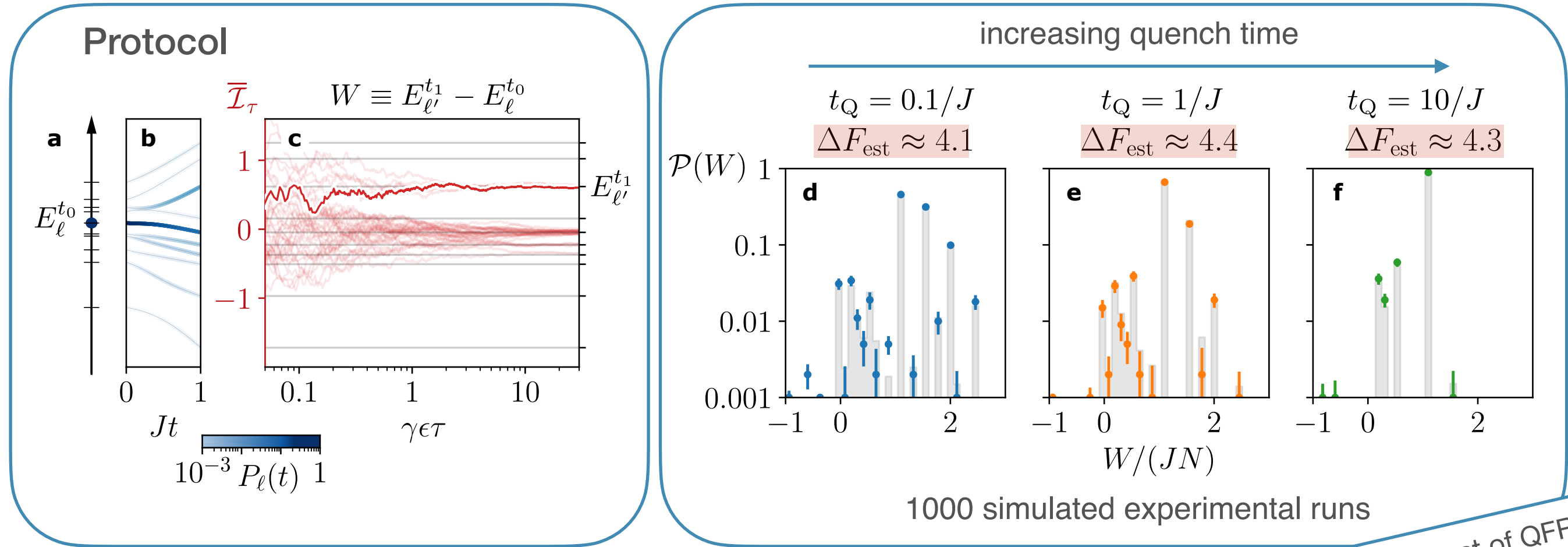
$$\hat{m}_x = N^{-1} \sum_j \hat{\sigma}_j^x \quad \text{magnetization}$$

Measuring Work Distribution in Quantum Thermodynamics



Work distribution function and quantum fluctuation relations (QFRs)

Verification of Jarzynski equality $\langle e^{-\beta W} \rangle = e^{-\beta \Delta F}$ with 5 spins



Quantum fluctuation relations: Foundations and applications, M Campisi, P Hänggi, and P Talkner, RMP 2011

first potential test of QFR
in quantum many-body

Conclusions

QND gate — Applications

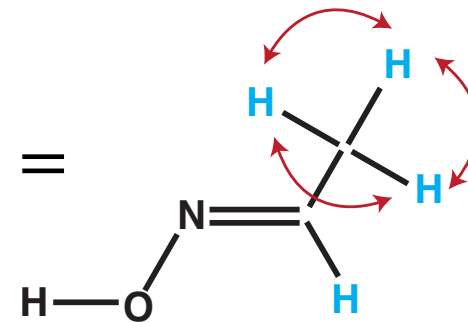
QND gate \mathcal{U}_{QND} is a building block of quantum algorithms like quantum phase estimation (QPE) which enables

- Measurement of many-body Hamiltonian \hat{H}_{spin} :

This talk

- Test of Eigenstate Thermalisation Hypothesis
- Work distribution function and Quantum Fluctuation Relations
- Study of energy level statistics of quantum many-body systems via Spectral Form Factor (SFF)
- Sampling many-body spectral functions
- ...

$$\hat{H}_{\text{spin}} =$$



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arXiv:1910.14213 [quant-ph]

Thank you