

Interaction Effect on entanglement propagation in 2d RCFT

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Motivation

To understand how entanglement spreading depends on systems?

This leads to understand

- Scrambling in Black hole

[Hayden-Preskill 07, Sekino-Susskind 08 etc...]

- Quantum Chaos in Many body system

[Stanford-Shenker 13, Stanford-Shenker-Maldacena 15 etc...]

- Contrast to holographic CFTs, rational CFTs(integrable) are expected to behave oppositely

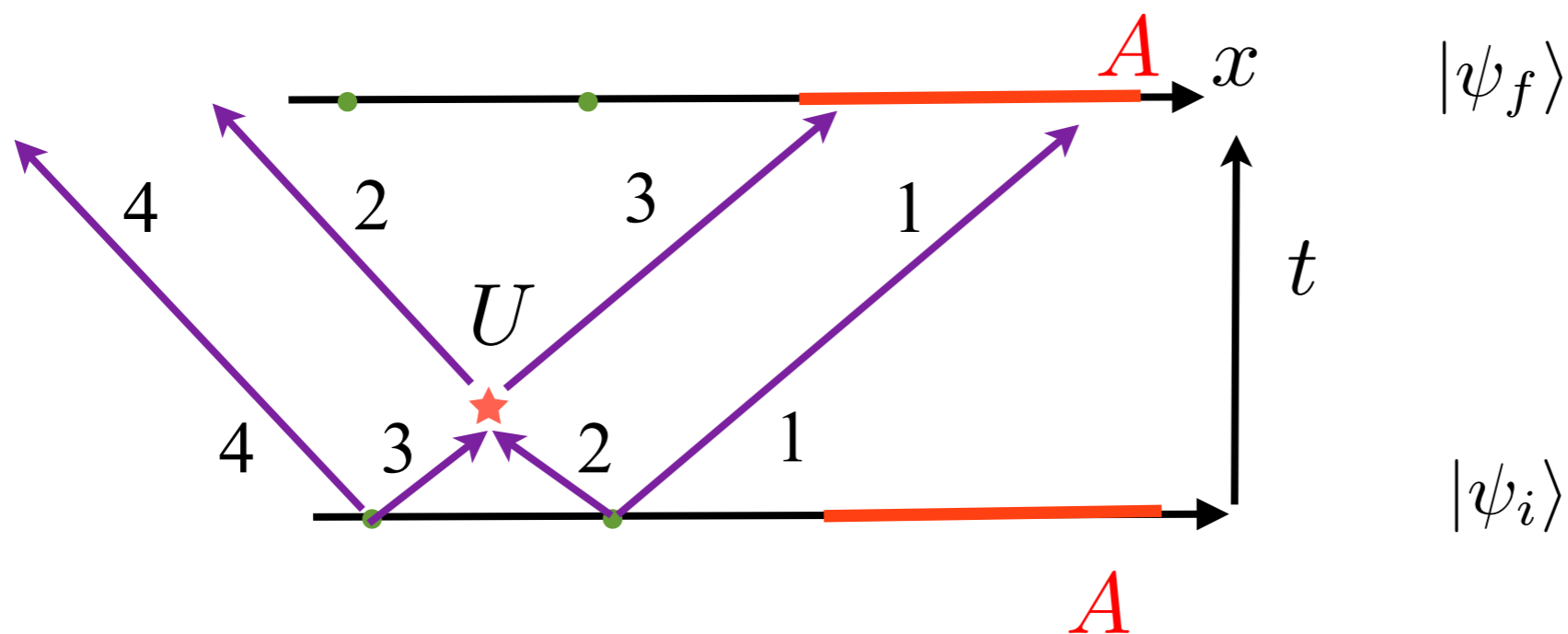
To understand these problem, we study the scattering effect on entanglement propagation in RCFTs !

Results

Entanglement is “**Conserved**” in Ising model.

• scattering effect on EPR pairs

[Casini-Liu-Mezei,15]



$$|\psi_i\rangle = \frac{1}{1 + |\alpha|^2} (|00\rangle_{12} + \alpha |11\rangle_{12}) \otimes (|00\rangle_{34} + \alpha |11\rangle_{34})$$

$$|\psi_f\rangle = (1 \otimes U \otimes 1) |\psi_i\rangle$$

Effect on EE

$$S_{13}^{(i)} = 2(-p_\alpha \log p_\alpha - (1 - p_\alpha) \log(1 - p_\alpha))$$

$$p_\alpha = \frac{1}{1 + |\alpha|^2}$$

➔ $S_{13}^{(f)} = -p_1 \log p_1 - (p_\alpha - p_1) \log(p_\alpha - p_1) - p_2 \log p_2 - (1 - p_\alpha - p_2) \log(1 - p_\alpha - p_2)$

Entanglement Scrambling

[Asplund-Bernamonti-Galli-Hartman15]

Scrambling of entanglement for excited state

Global Quench: homogeneous, global excitation

[Calabrese-Cardy 05]

change the theory (Hamiltonian) at $t = 0$

$$H(\lambda_0) \rightarrow H(\lambda)$$

$H(\lambda_0)$: mass scale $1/\beta$

$H(\lambda)$: CFT

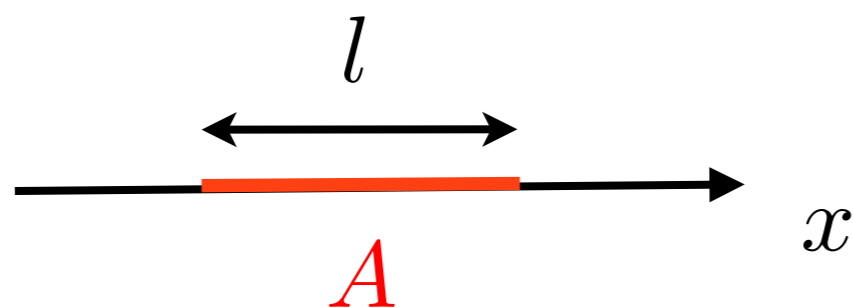
(ground state: $|\psi_0\rangle$)

$|\psi\rangle$)

excited state for $H(\lambda)$

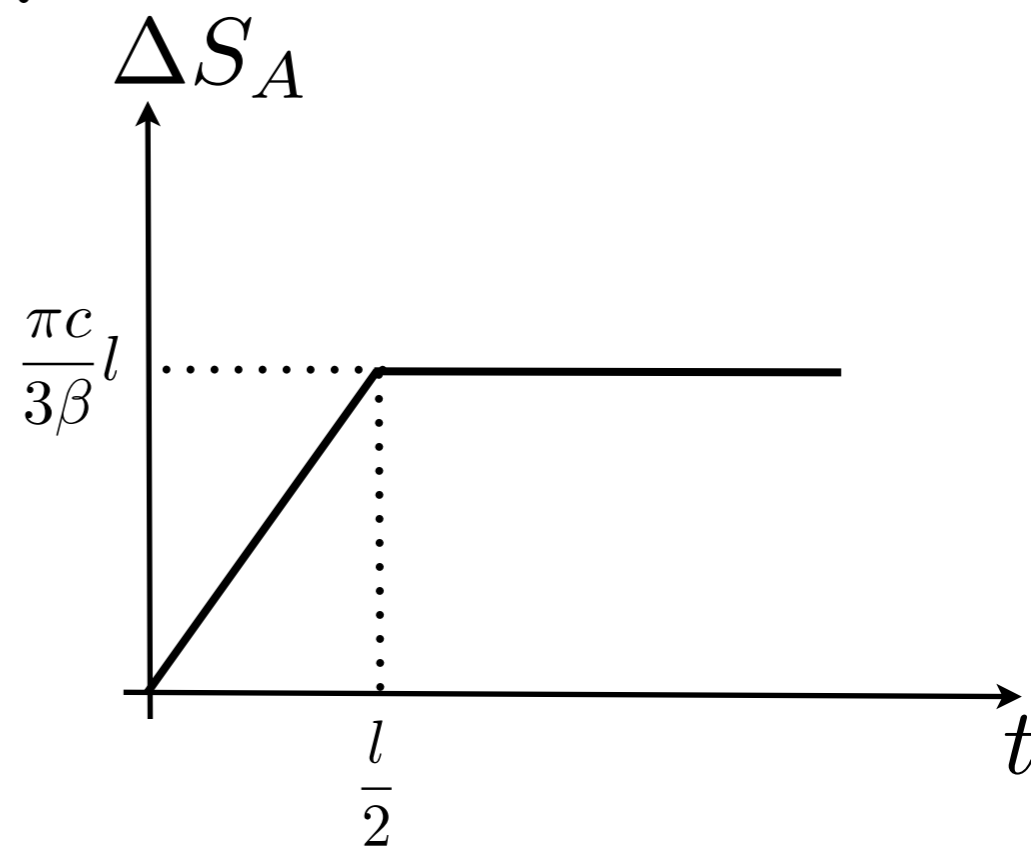
Consider the time evolution of $|\psi(t)\rangle = e^{-iH(\lambda)t} |\psi_0\rangle$

Time evolution of entanglement entropy:

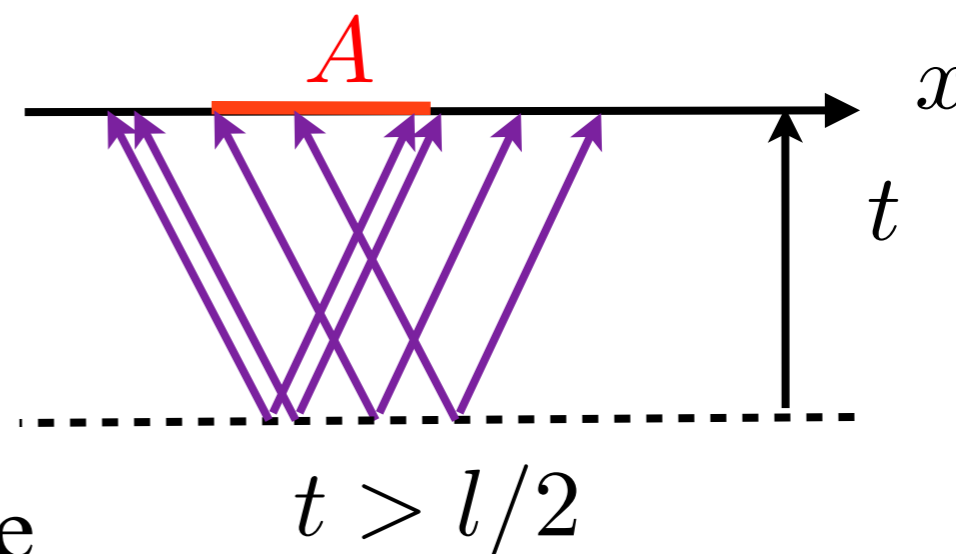
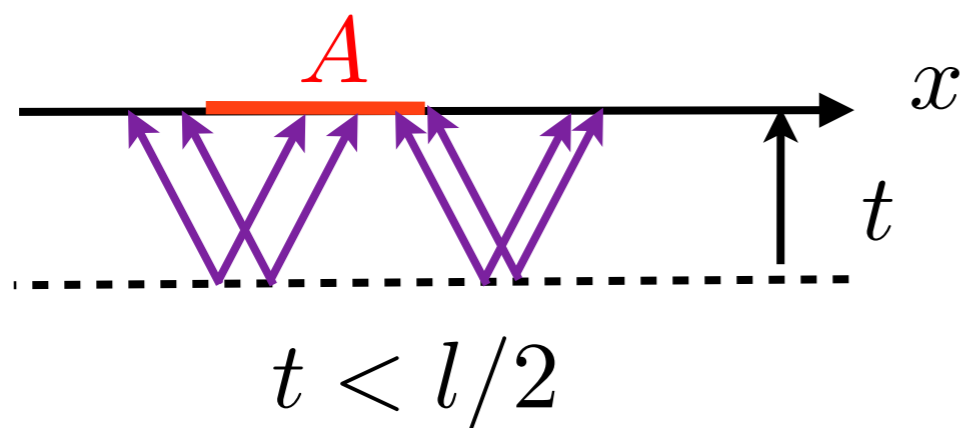


$$\Delta S_A(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{2\pi c}{3\beta} t & (t < l/2), \\ \frac{\pi c}{3\beta} l & (t > l/2) \end{cases}$$

[Calabrese-Cardy 05]



Original Physical interpretation



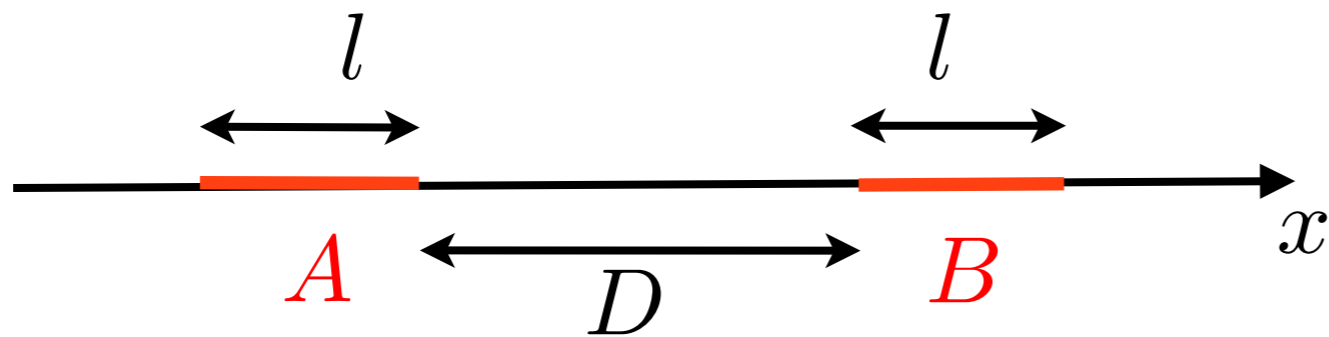
Propagation of entangling particle

At $t = l/2$, EE saturates.

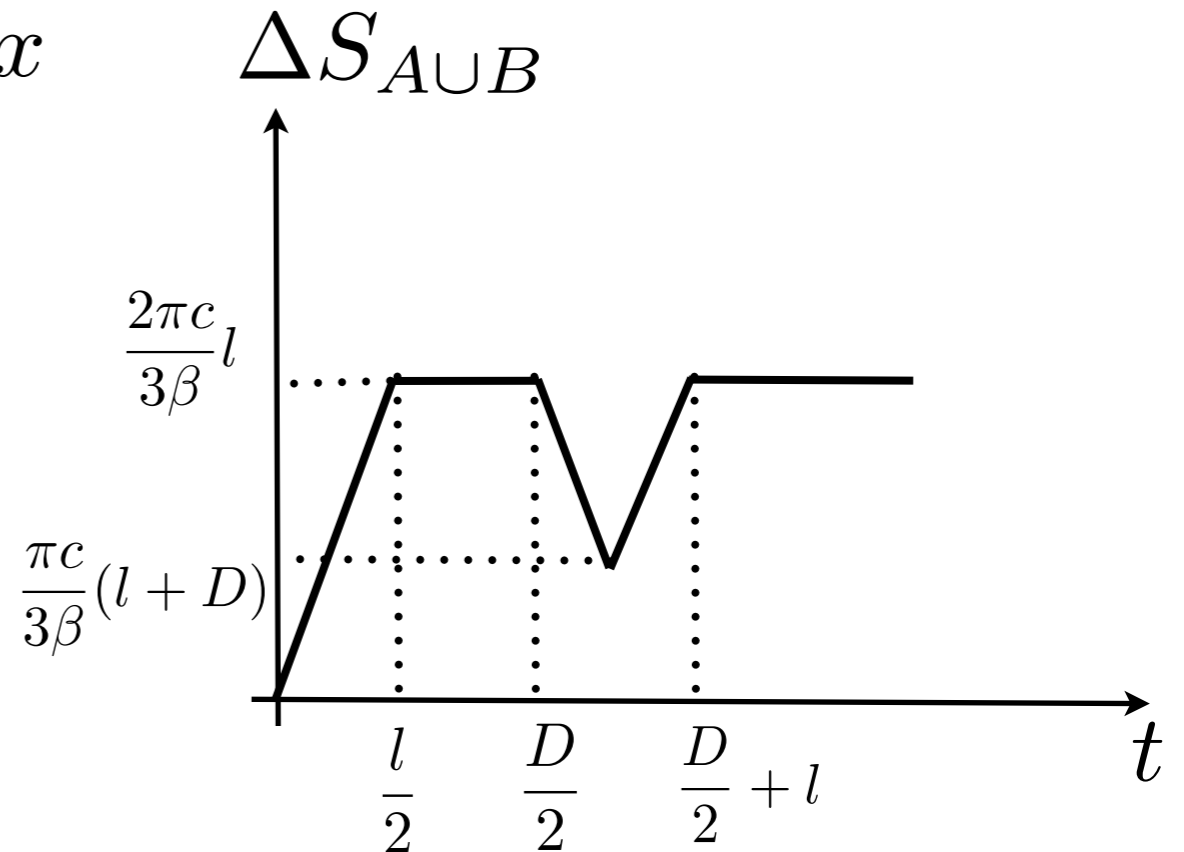
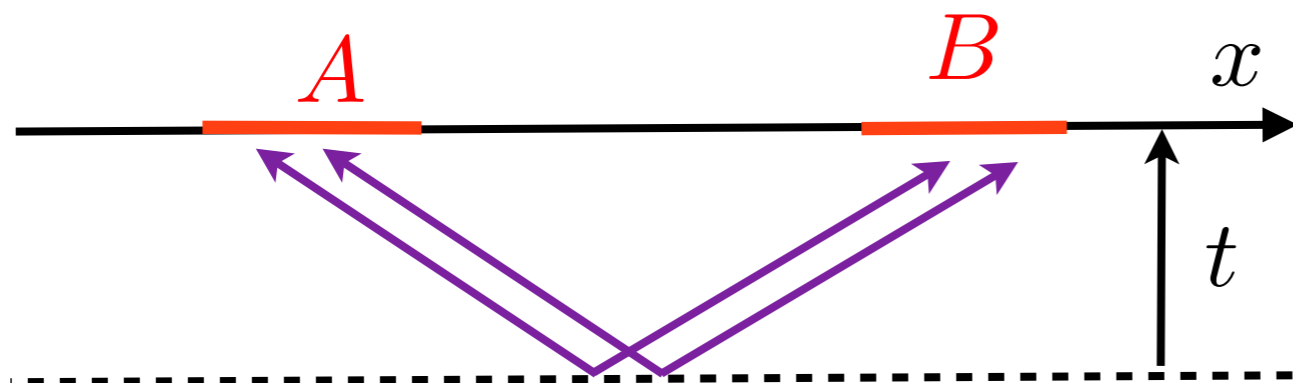
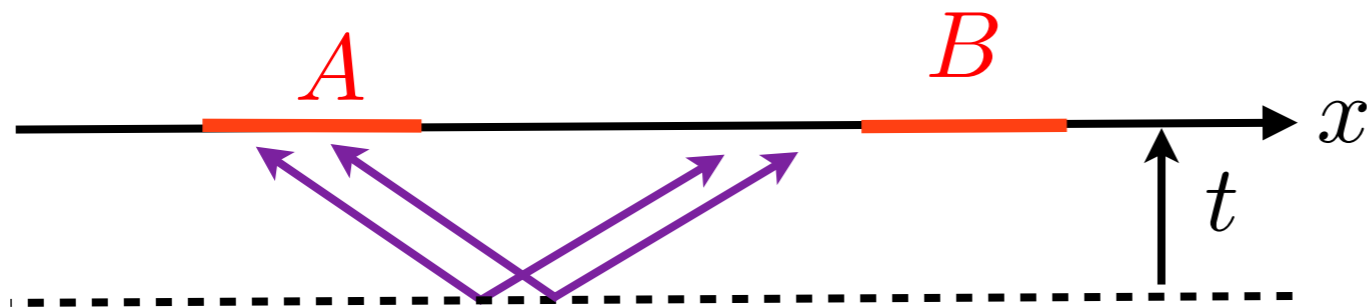
Two interval case

[Asplund-Bernamonti-Galli-Hartman, 15]

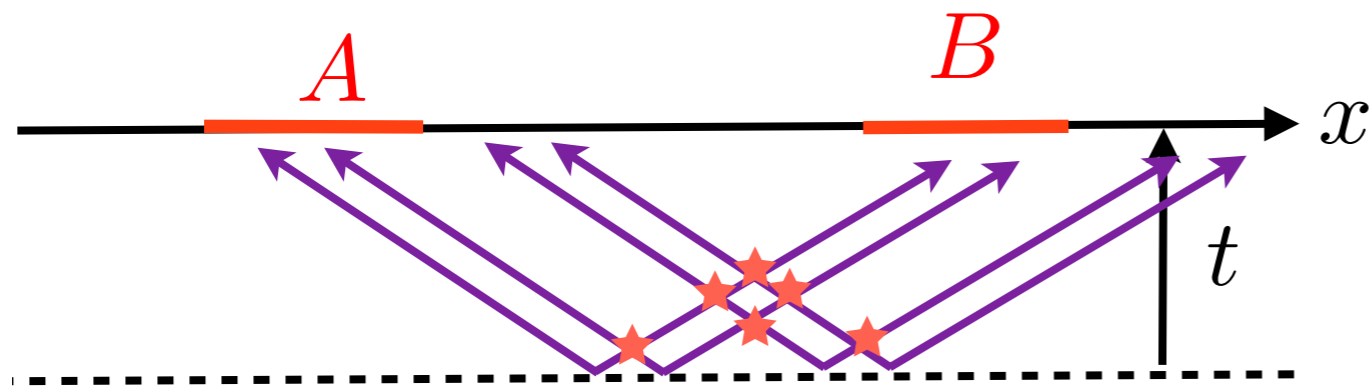
Behavior is different in free theory and holographic CFT!



• Free theory

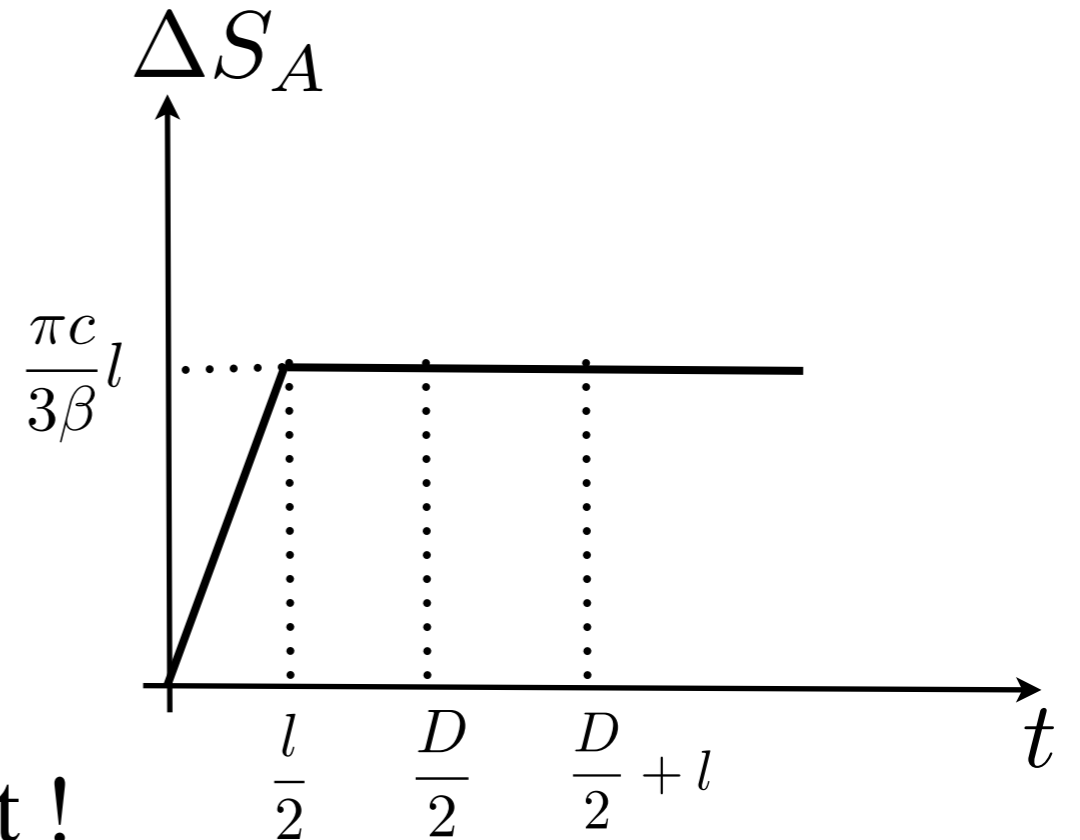


• Holographic CFT



Many scattering occurs

\Rightarrow quasi-particle dip doesn't exist !

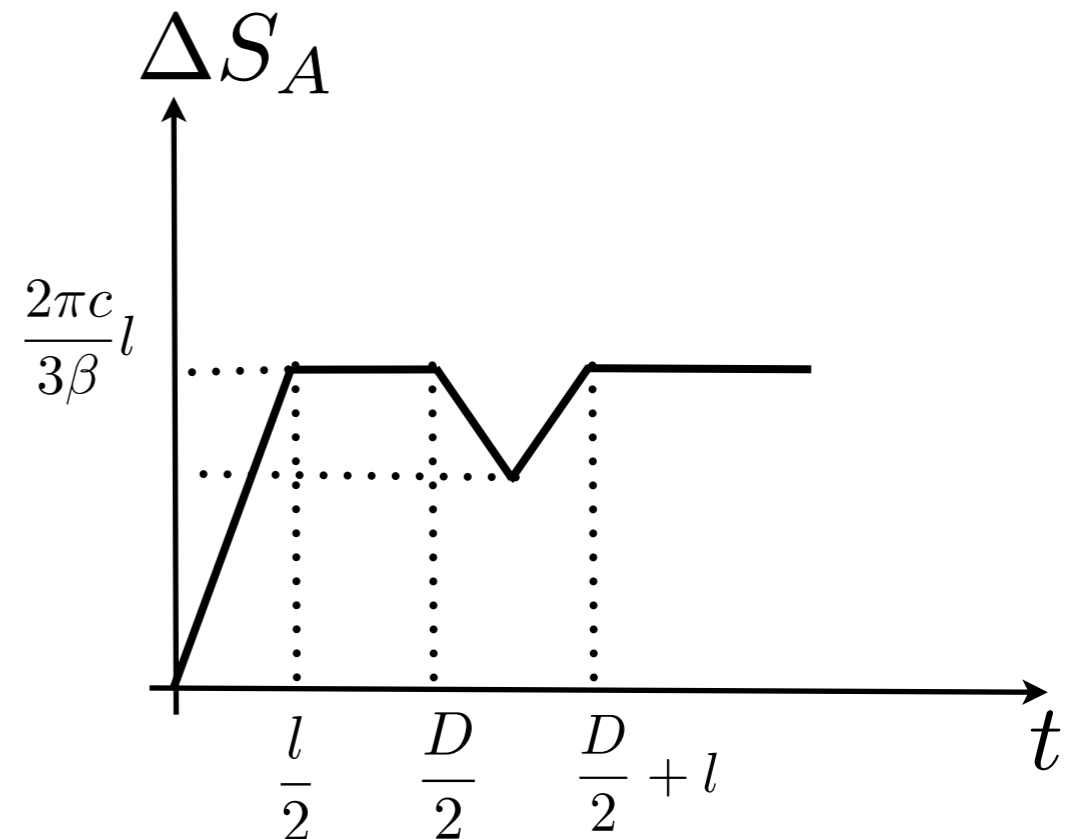


Generically:

Dip is smaller than free theory

How about RCFT case
(integrable interaction)?

In RCFT, quasiparticle dip exists



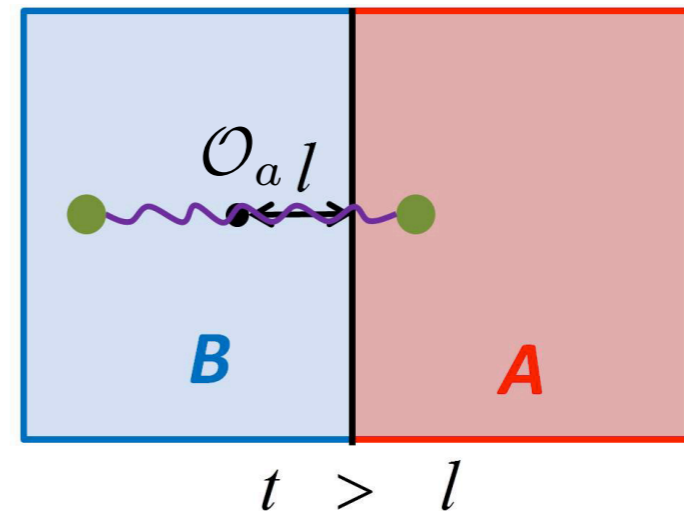
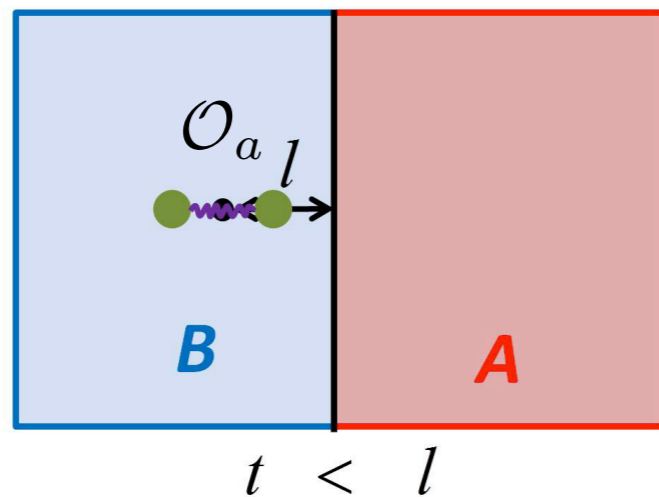
[Asplund-Bernamonti-Galli-Hartman 15]

Interaction effect in RCFTs

To study the scattering effect, let's consider the local excitation

- How to prepare the (entangled) particle?
 \Rightarrow Insertion of local operator

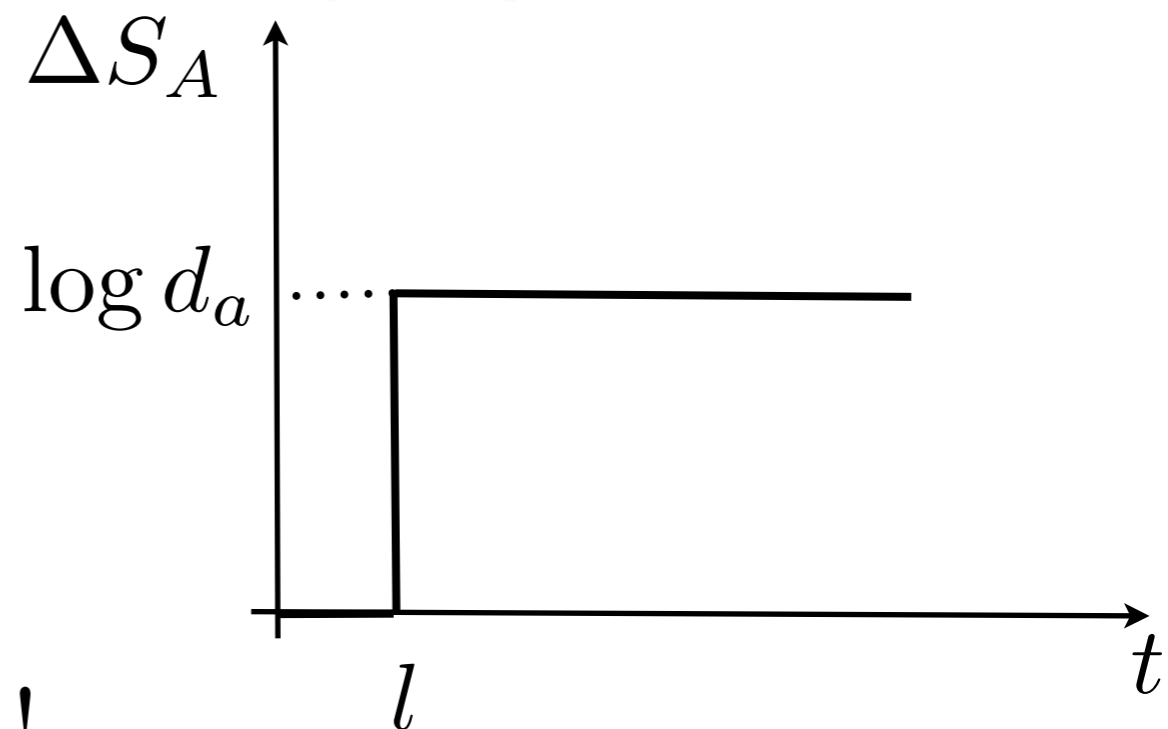
$$|\Psi\rangle \propto \mathcal{O}_a(-l) |0\rangle$$



In rational CFT,

$$\Delta S_A^{(n)}(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & (t < l), \\ \log d_a & (t > l) \end{cases}$$

[He-TN-Takayanagi-Watanabe 14]



\Rightarrow created particle is entangled !

• Ising Model case

There are 3 primary fields: \mathbb{I} , σ , ϵ

(Identity, Spin op, Energy op)

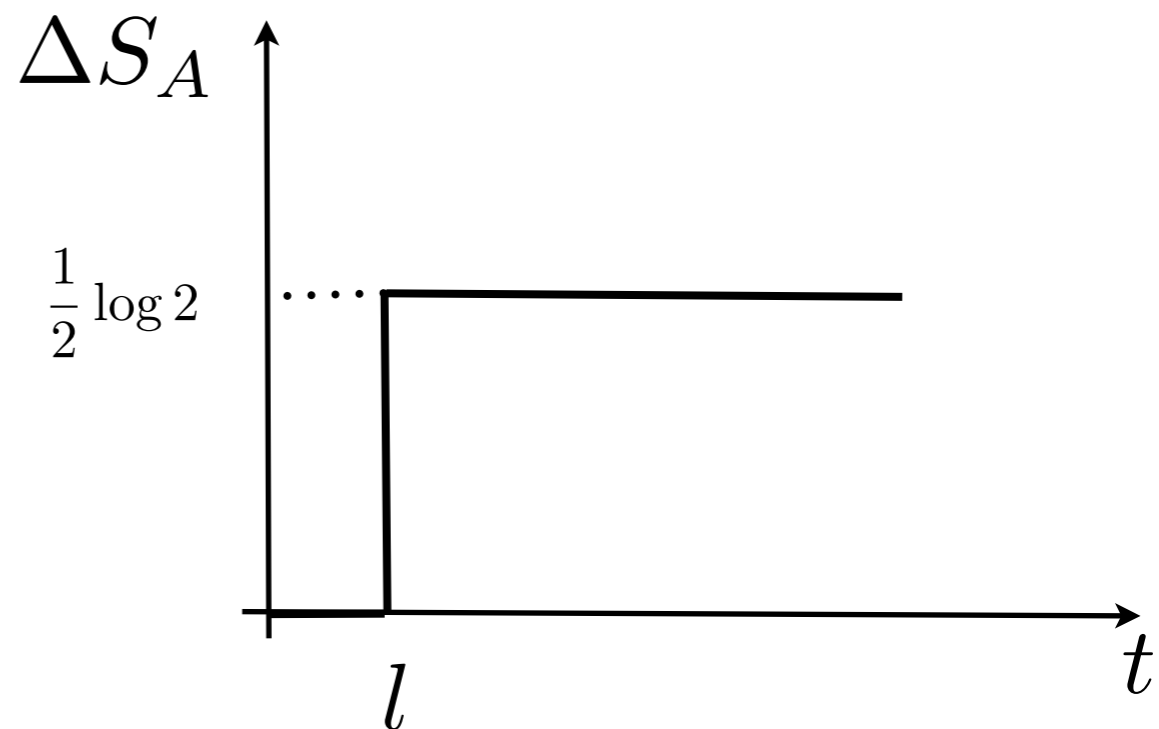
$$\log d_{\mathbb{I}} = 0$$

$$\log d_{\sigma} = \log \sqrt{2}$$

$$\log d_{\epsilon} = 0 \quad (\text{no entanglement})$$

\Rightarrow Time evolution of (Renyi) EE
for spin op. is given by

$$\Delta S_A^{(n)}(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & (t < l), \\ \frac{1}{2} \log 2 & (t > l) \end{cases}$$

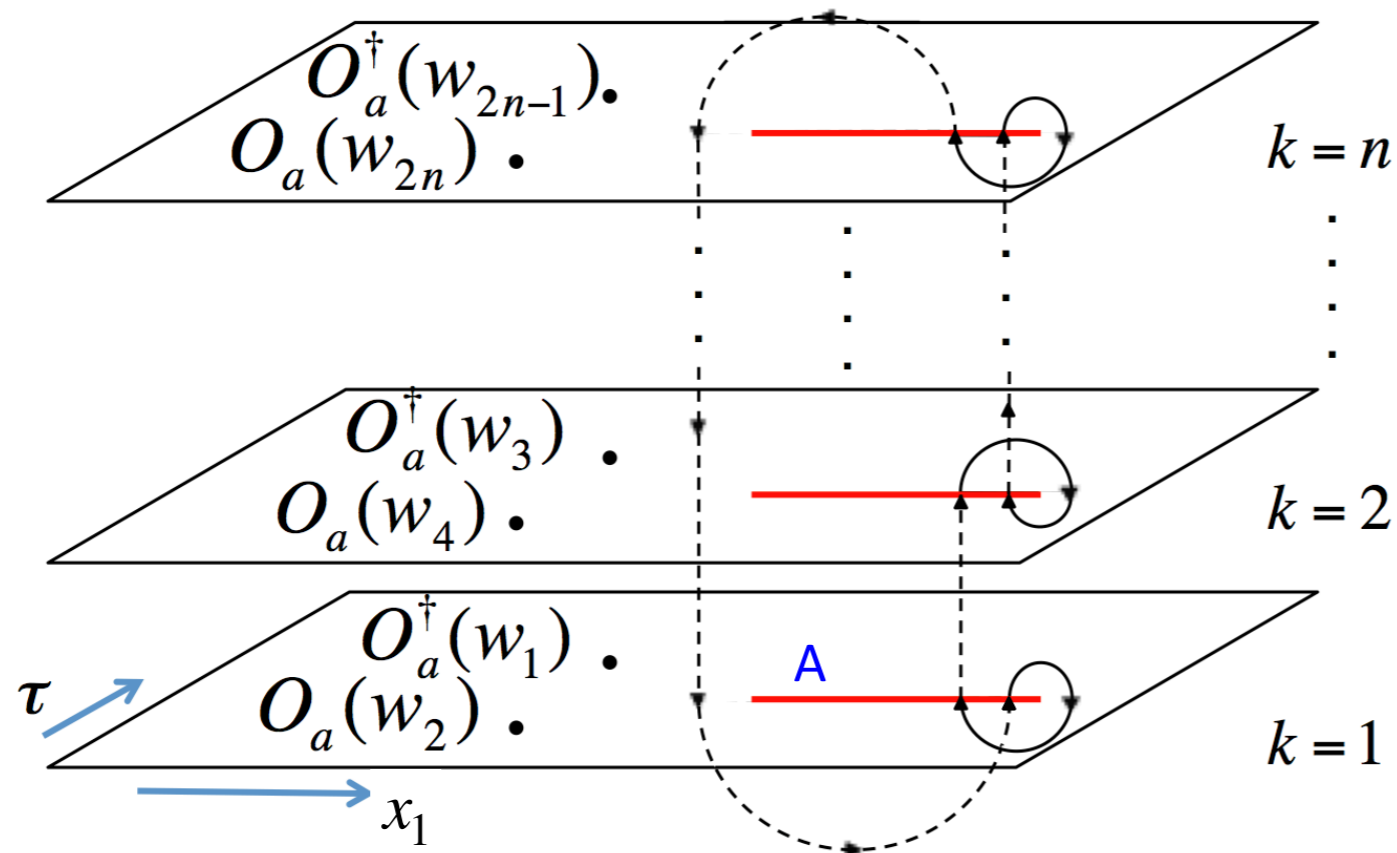


- Calculation of (Renyi) EE

⇒ Use *Replica Method*

We can express the $\text{Tr}_A \rho_A^n$ in terms of **2n-pt correlation function** on Σ_n :

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta S_A^{(n)} &= \frac{1}{1-n} [\log \text{Tr}_A (\rho_A^{(ex)})^n - \log \text{Tr}_A (\rho_A^{gr})^n] \\ &= \frac{1}{1-n} [\log \langle \mathcal{O}^\dagger(w_1) \mathcal{O}(w_2) \cdots \mathcal{O}^\dagger(w_{2n-1}) \mathcal{O}(w_{2n}) \rangle_{\Sigma_n} - \log \langle \mathcal{O}^\dagger(w_1) \mathcal{O}(w_2) \rangle_{\Sigma_1}] \end{aligned}$$



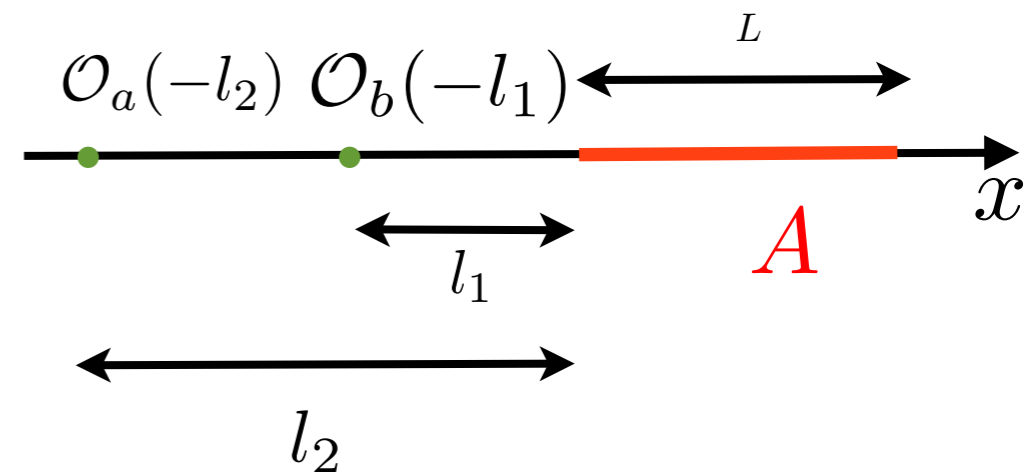
[Nozaki-TN-Takayanagi 14]

w_{2k-1}, w_{2k} :the coodinate of the inserted local operator on the k-th sheet

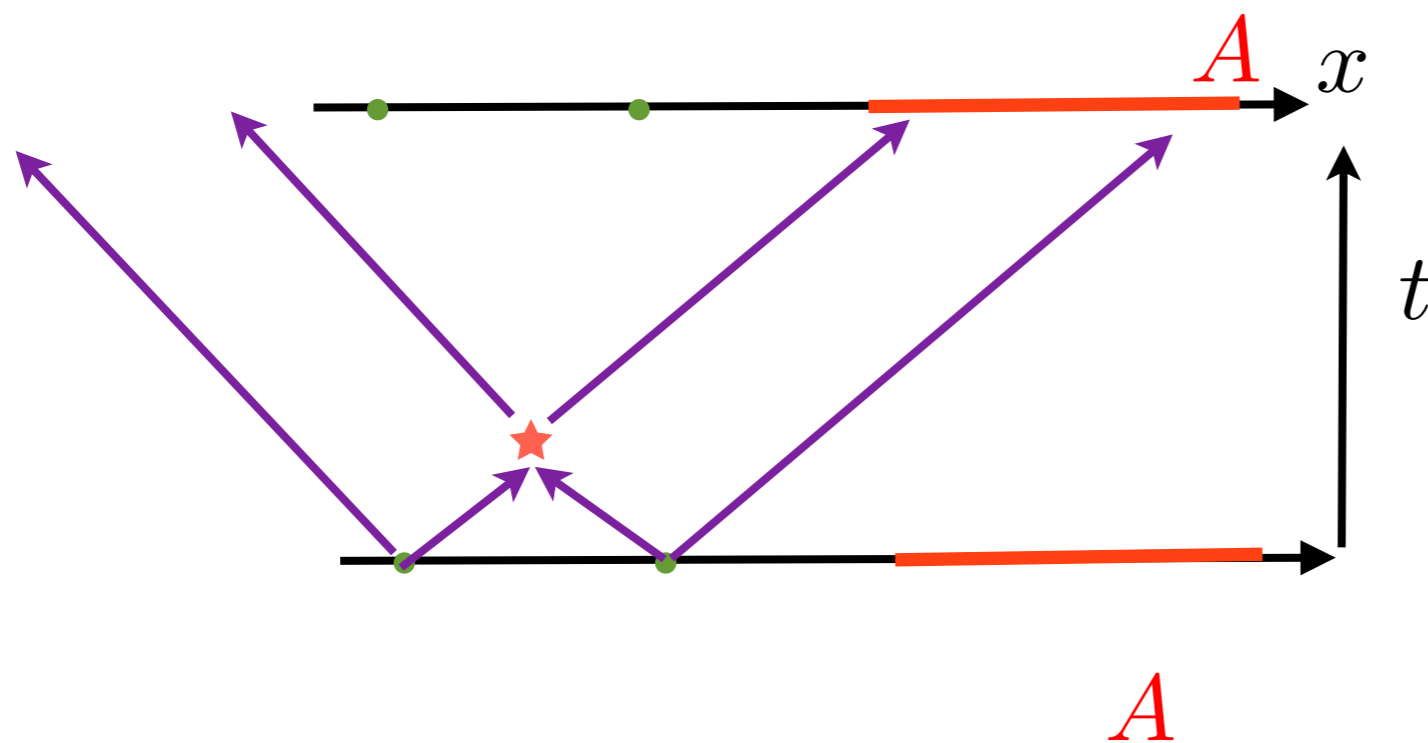
• two excitation

Insertion of **two** local operator

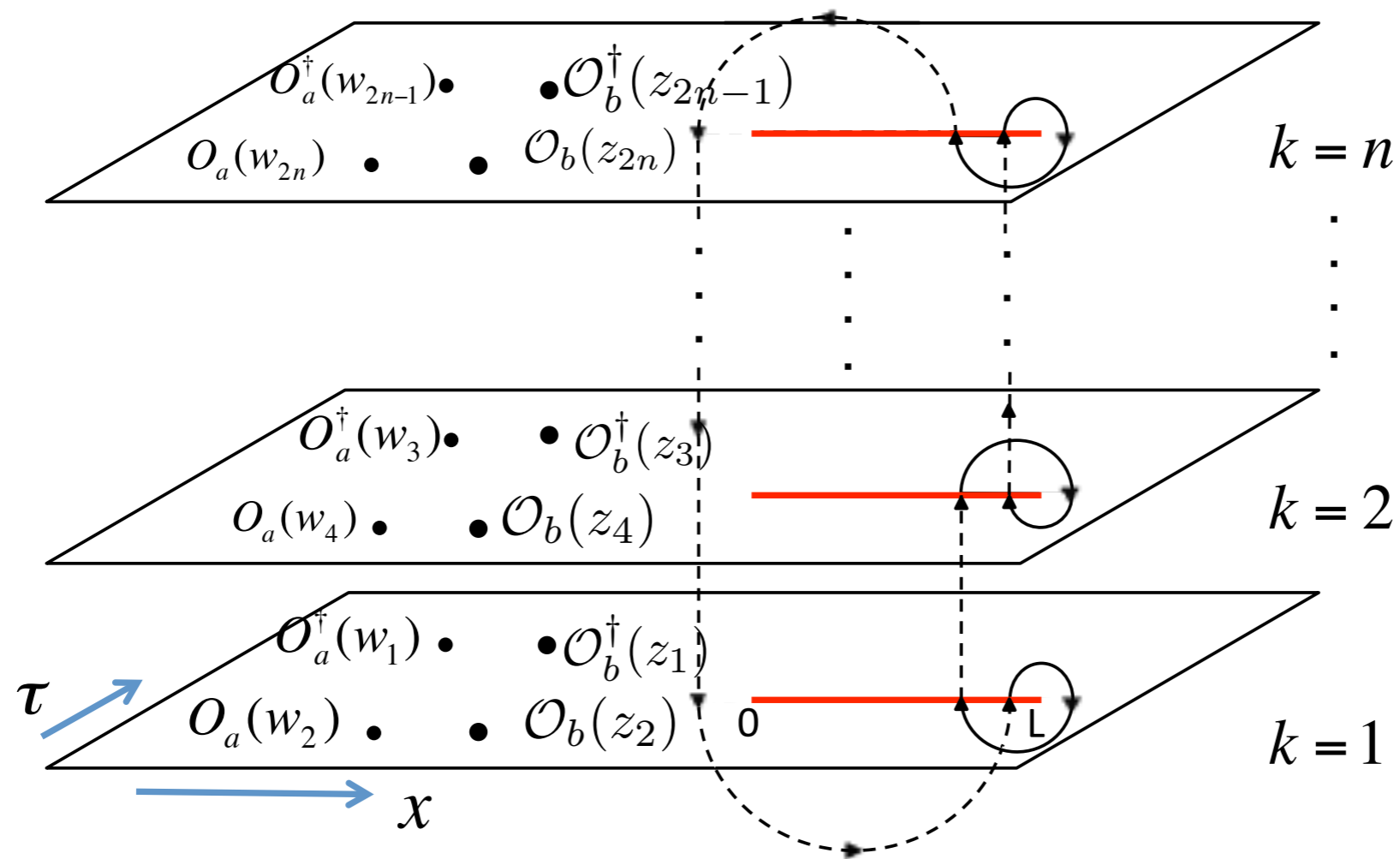
$$|\Psi\rangle \propto \mathcal{O}_a(-l_2)\mathcal{O}_b(-l_1)|0\rangle$$



scattering at $t = \frac{l_2 - l_1}{2}$



- Calculation of (Renyi) EE

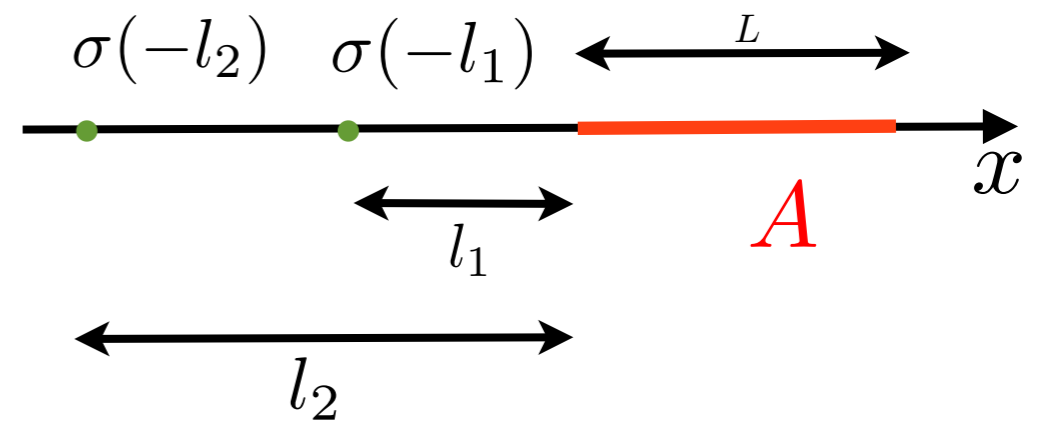


For example, we need 8pt function to calculate 2nd Renyi
 \Rightarrow Consider Ising CFT (all correlation function are known)

• Result [TN in preparation]

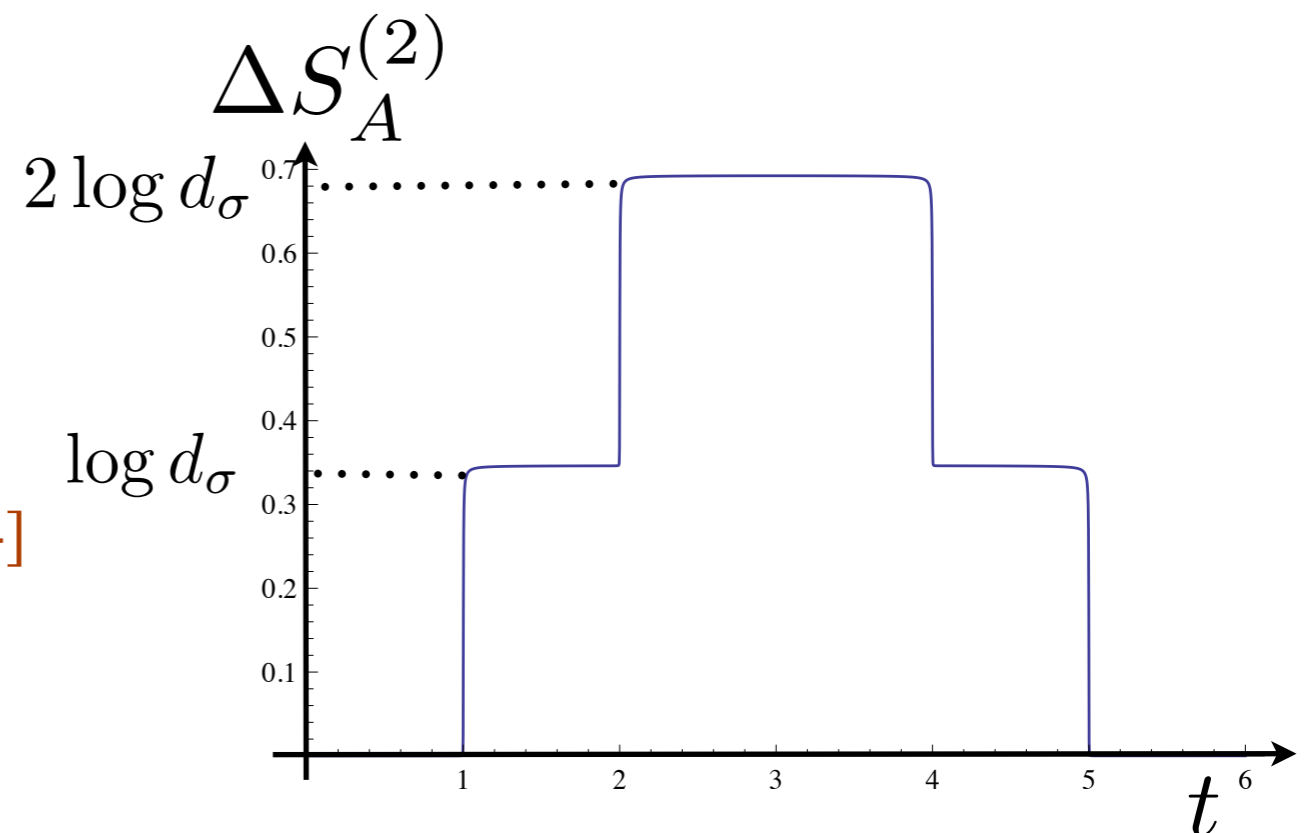
Insertion of **two** local operator

$$|\Psi\rangle \propto \sigma(-l_2)\sigma(-l_1) |0\rangle$$



(Renyi) Entanglement Entropy
= Sum of two entanglement

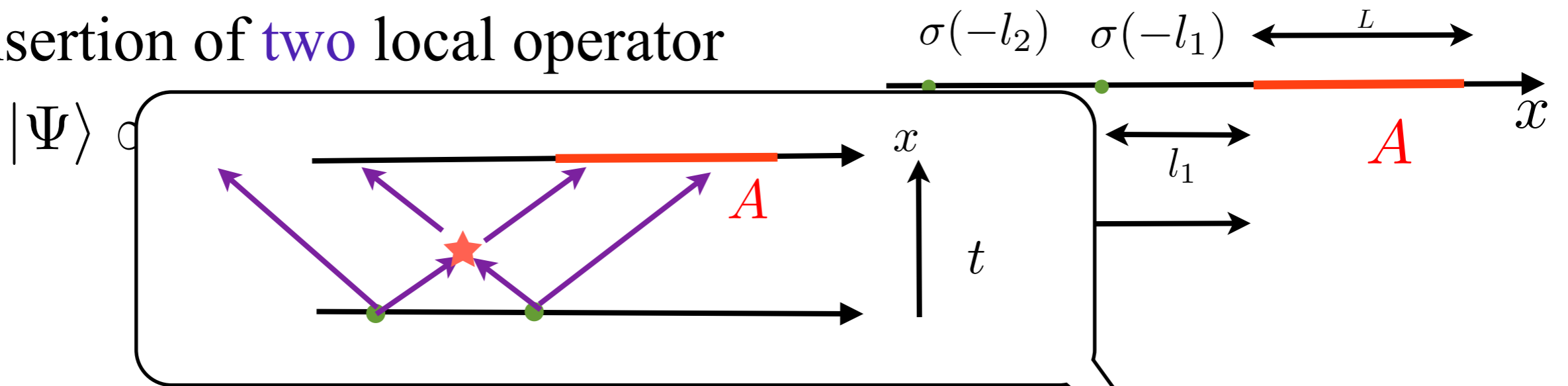
[cf: Sum rule of free theory, Nozaki 14]



\Rightarrow Entanglement is not changed (or conserved) !

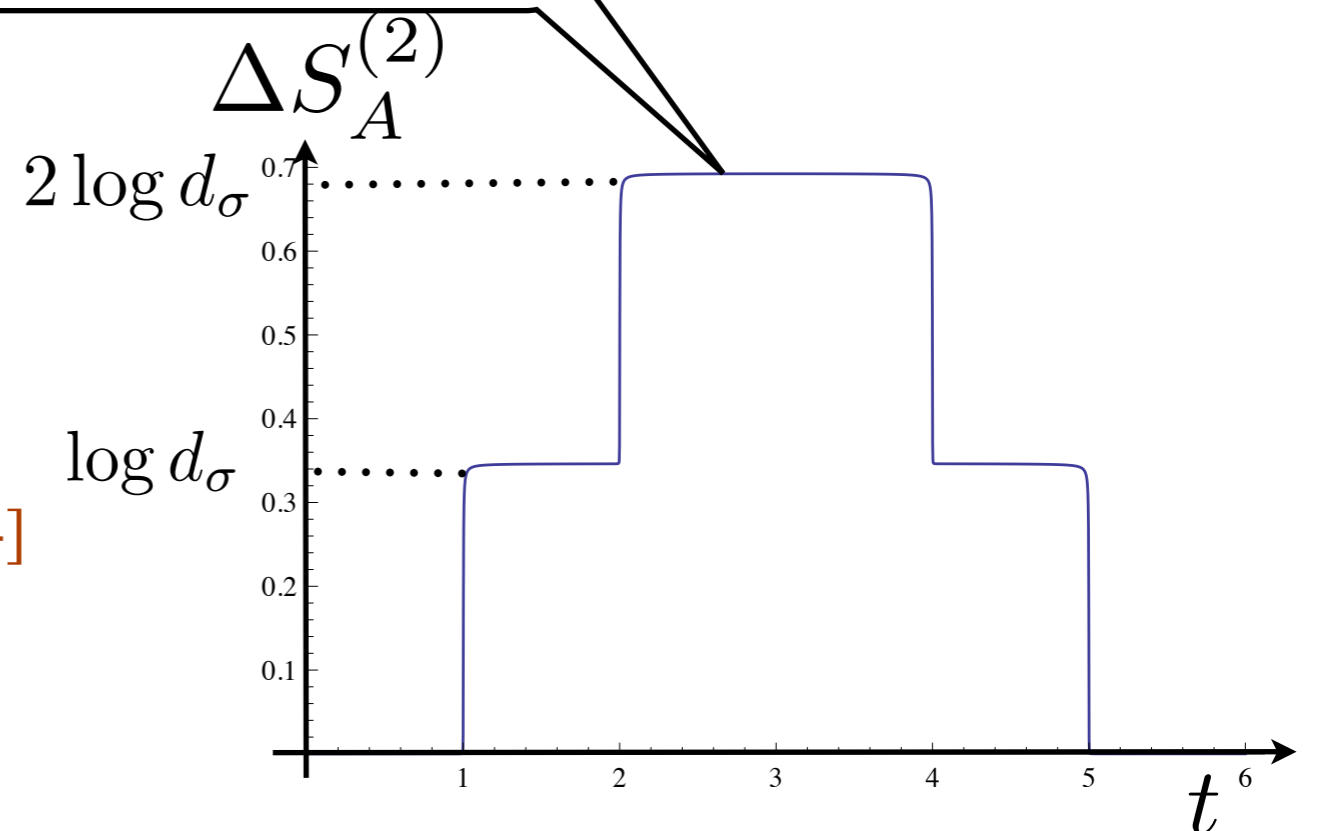
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Summary

- We consider the scattering effect to entanglement propagation in Ising CFT.
- Entanglement is not changed under the scattering of integrable interaction.
- The result is consistent with the former results of entanglement scrambling in global quenches (dip exists).

Future work

- Confirm in general RCFT
- Confirm for general Renyi EE
- How about the case of Holographic CFTs?

(Maybe difficult to prepare “quasi-particle”...)