

# Extracting boundary CFT data from lattice models with tensor network renormalization

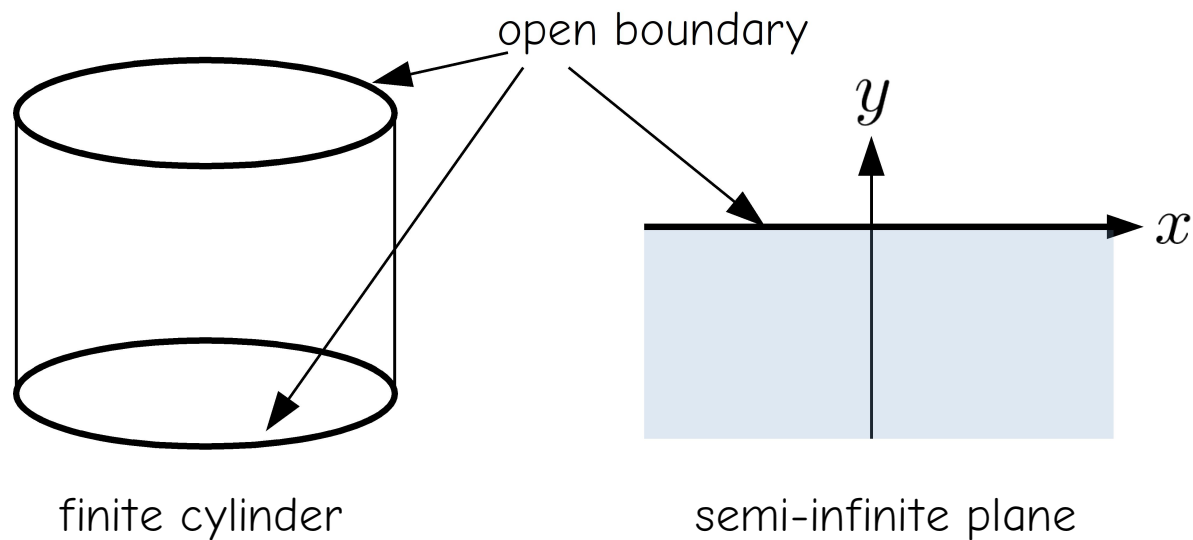
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- ✓ BCFT is important in various regions of physics, such as...
  - D-brane, AdS/BCFT
  - impurity problem (Kondo effect)
  - **surface critical phenomena**
- ✓ In this talk, we discuss numerical ways of studying BCFT<sub>2</sub>  
**emergent on lattice models**

critical **lattice** model  
with open boundary (UV)  $\xrightarrow{\text{RG}}$  • BCFT (IR)

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# Tensor network representation

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## ✓ 2D tensor network representation:

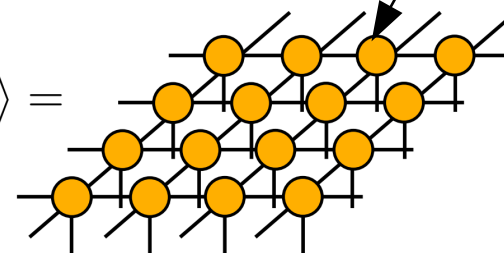
Ex1.) Euclidean path integral of 1+1d quantum model  
Partition function of 2d classical model

$$Z = \text{tTr} \otimes [T_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}]^N =$$

Local information is implemented:  
interaction b/w spins,  
etc...

Ex.2) PEPS wave function

$$|\Psi\rangle = \text{tTr} \otimes [T_{s_i}^{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}]^N |s_1, s_2, \dots, s_N\rangle =$$

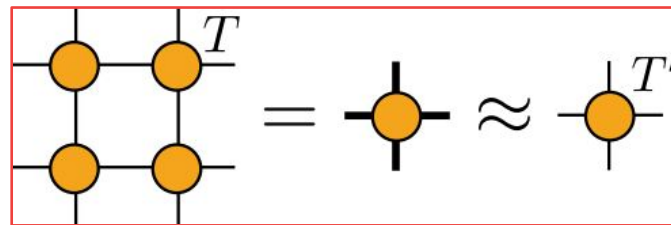


Can we extract many-body information from local tensor?

# Tensor renormalization group

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- ✓ **Tensor renormalization group (TRG)** [Levin, Nave (2007)]
  - Kadanoff's real-space RG on tensor network



- ✓ Under RG, tensors converge to **fixed points (FP)**

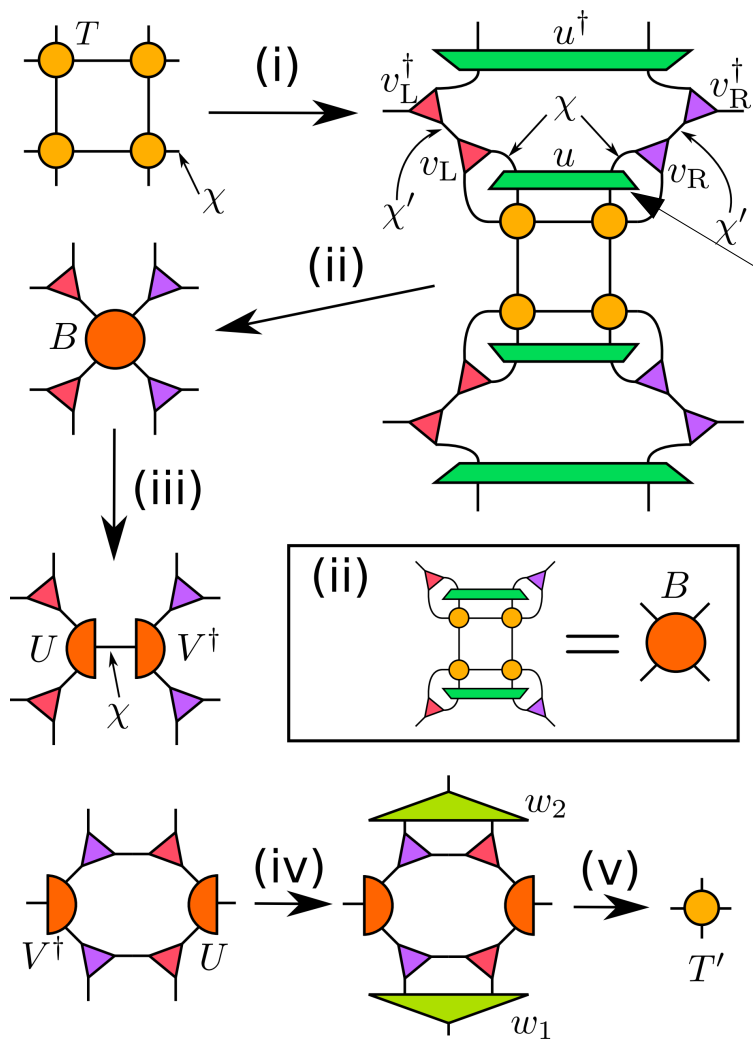


- In trivial phase, the FP tensor is trivial
- At criticality, the FP tensor carries information of **CFT**

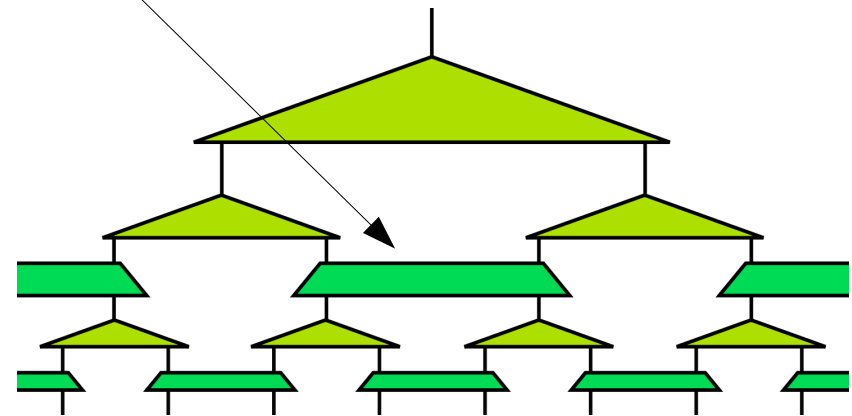
[Gu and Wen (2009)]

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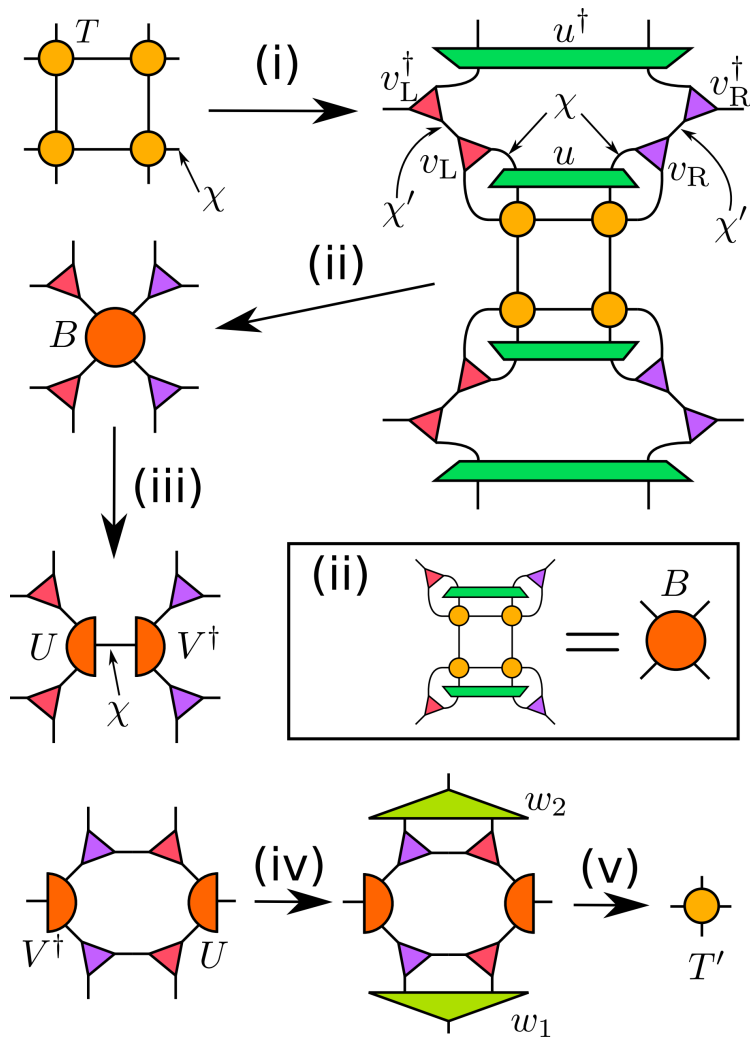
disentangler in MERA [Vidal (2007)]





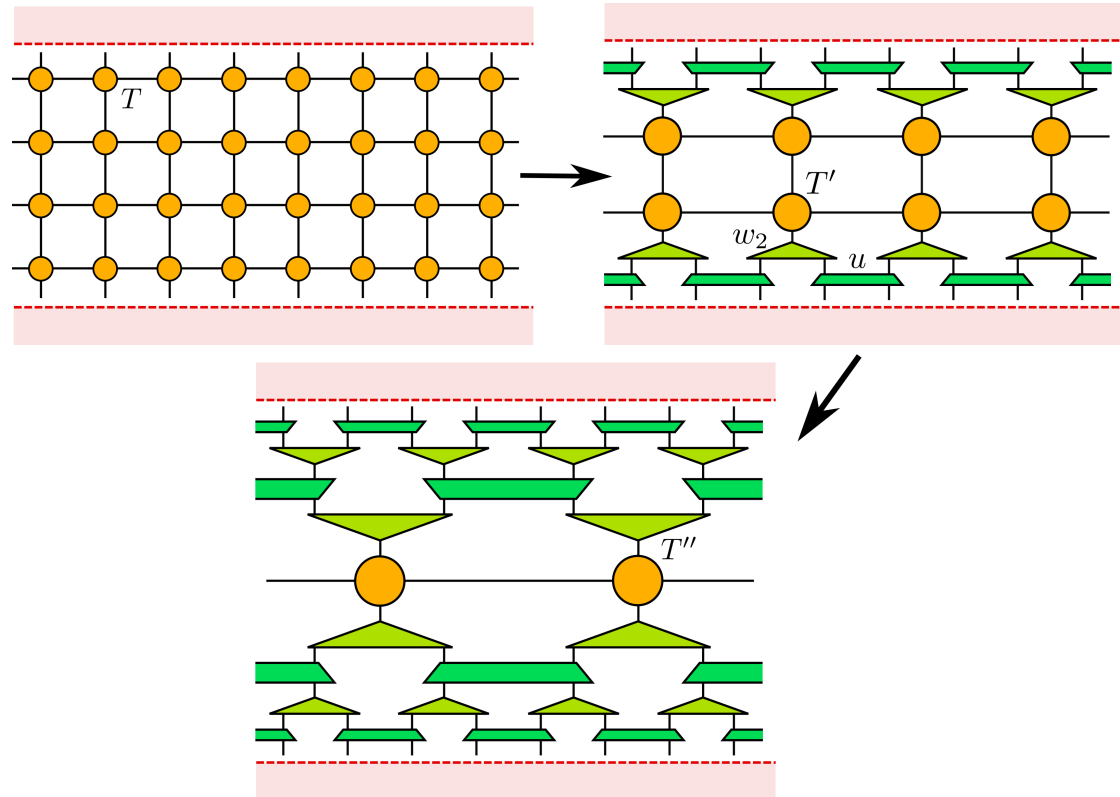
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TNR generates MERA!  
 → efficiently simulate **critical systems**

[Evenbly and Vidal (2016)]

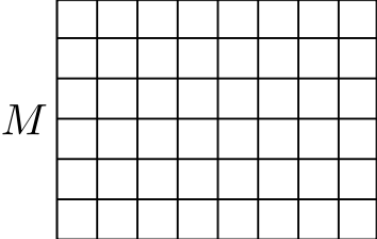


# Fixed point tensor and CFT

- ✓ Extract CFT spectrum from FP tensor

$Z = \text{tTr} \left( \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \bullet \\ \text{---} \\ \vdots \\ \bullet \\ \text{---} \end{array} \right)^M \right)$

$N \times M$  torus  $(\tau = i\frac{M}{N})$

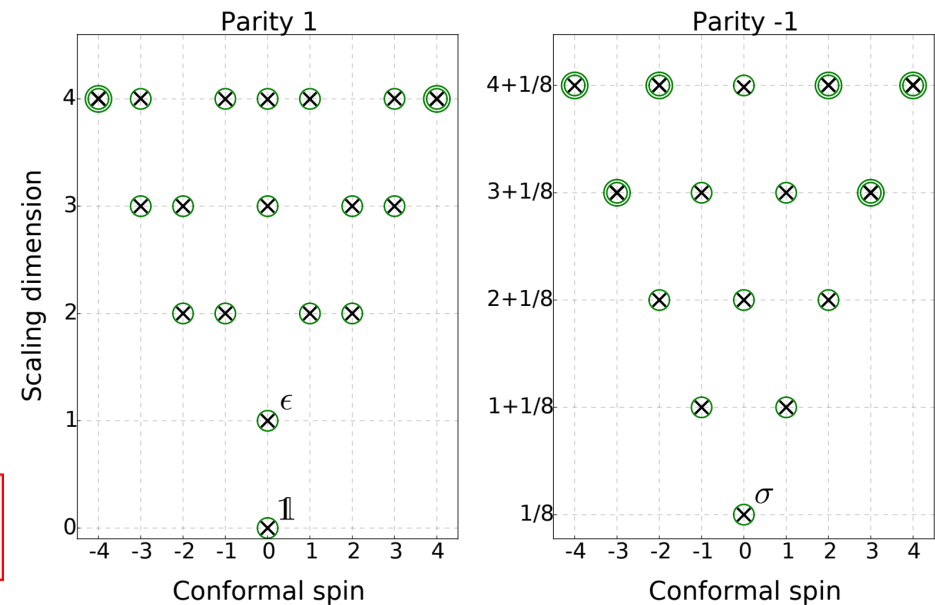


$= \text{Tr} \exp \left[ -\frac{2\pi M}{N} \left( L_0 + \bar{L}_0 - \frac{c}{12} \right) + MNf + \mathcal{O}(M/N^\gamma) \right] (\gamma > 1)$

$\Rightarrow \ln \lambda_k = -\frac{2\pi}{N} \left( \Delta_k - \frac{c}{12} \right) + Nf + \mathcal{O}(N^{-\gamma})$

eigenvalues of the transfer matrix      scaling dimensions

Ex.) 2d critical Ising model



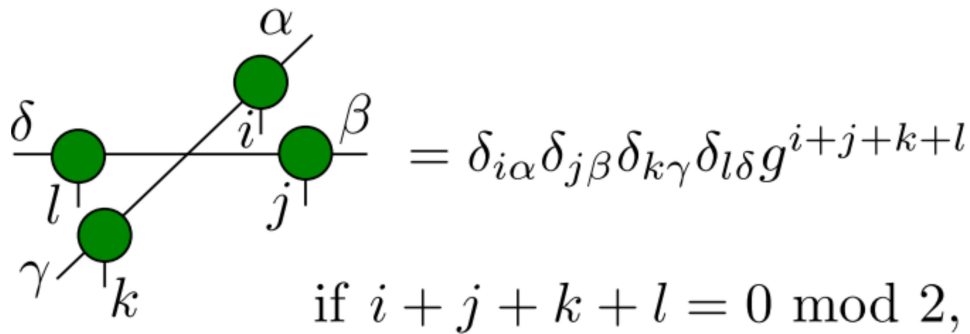
[Hauru et al. (2016)]

Able to compute accurate spectrum!

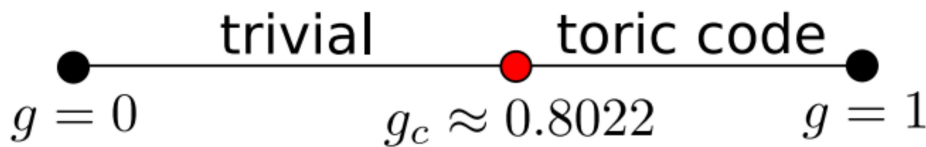
# Phase transition of toric code

- ✓ TNR can also renormalize PEPS wave function:

Ex.)  $Z_2$  toric code  $\leftrightarrow$  trivial phase in 2d

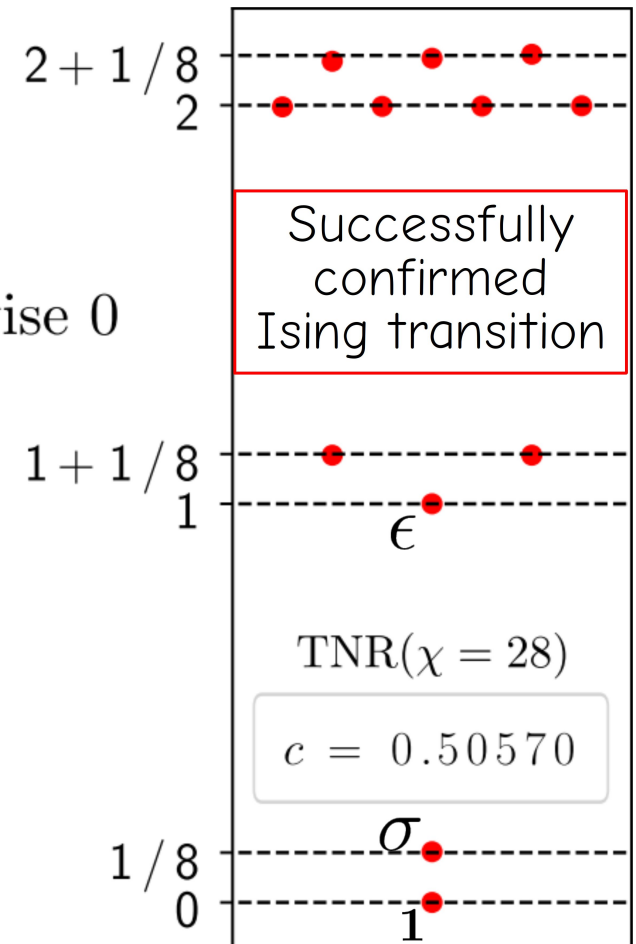


if  $i + j + k + l = 0 \pmod 2$ , otherwise 0



H. He, H. Moradi, and X.-G. Wen, PRB **90**, 205114 (2014).

Renormalize  $\langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle$ , and diagonalize the transfer matrix



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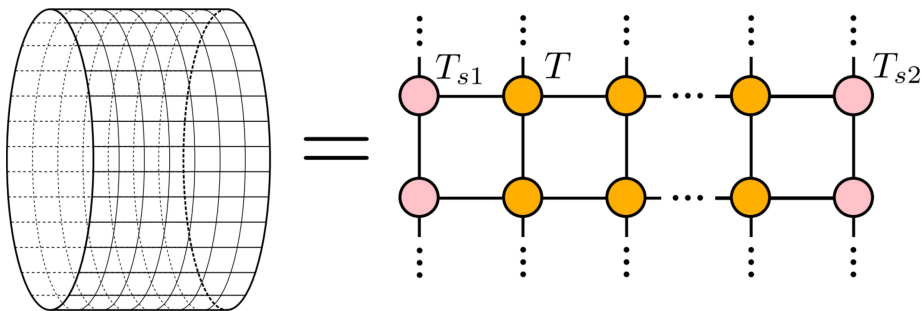
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# TNR for open-boundary system

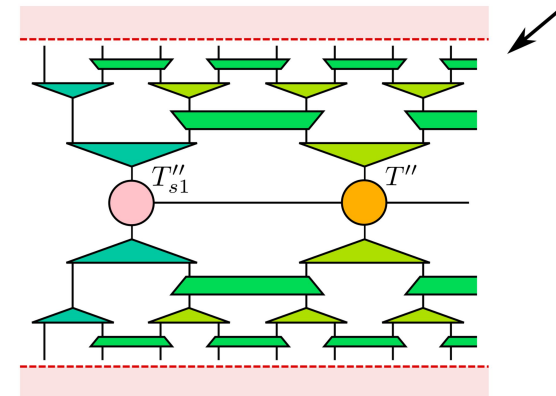
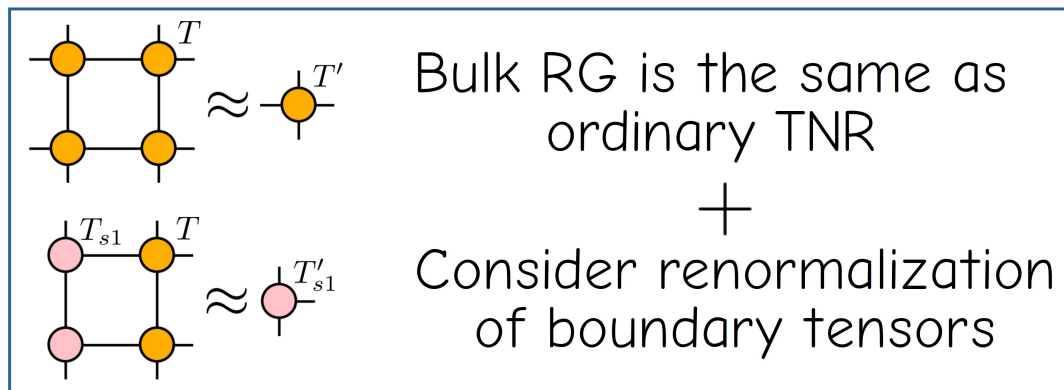
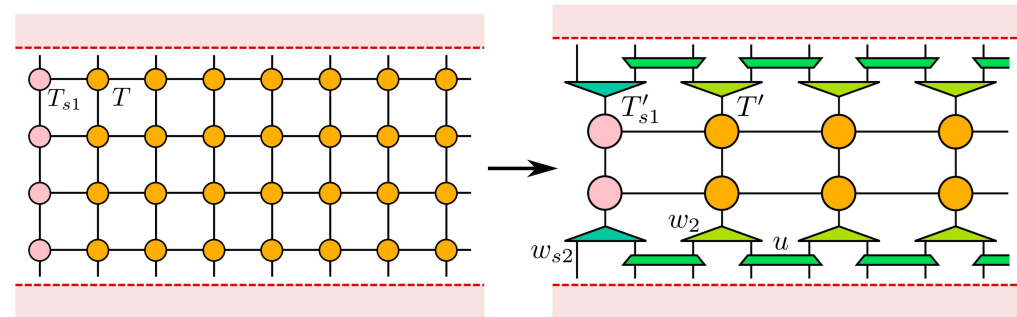
- ✓ Generalize TNR for **open-boundary systems**: [SI et al. (2020)]

TN on a finite cylinder:

- $T$  (bulk tensor)
- $T_{s1}, T_{s2}$  (boundary tensor)

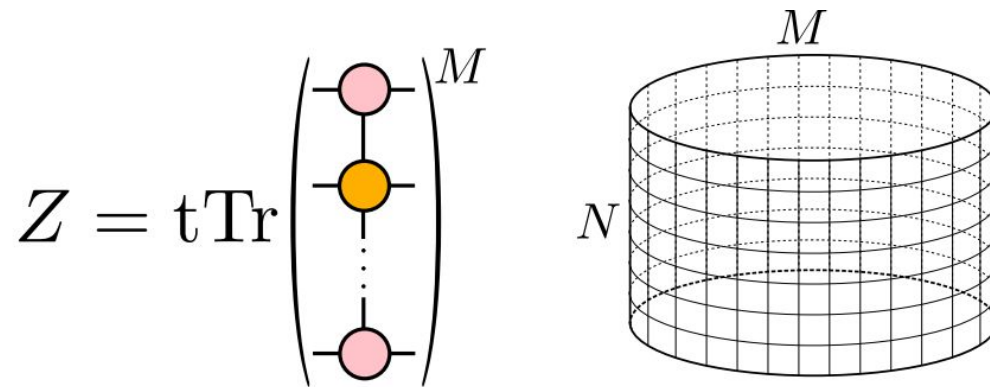


Boundary TNR yields boundary MERA  
 → efficiently deal with critical system



# BCFT spectrum from TNR

- ✓ The partition function on a finite cylinder at criticality:



$$Z = \text{tTr} \left( \dots \right)^M = \text{Tr} \exp \left[ -\frac{\pi M}{N} \left( L_0 - \frac{c}{24} \right) + MNf + Mf_s + S_{AL} + \mathcal{O}(M/N^\gamma) \right]$$

$(\gamma > 1)$

eigenvalues of the transfer matrix

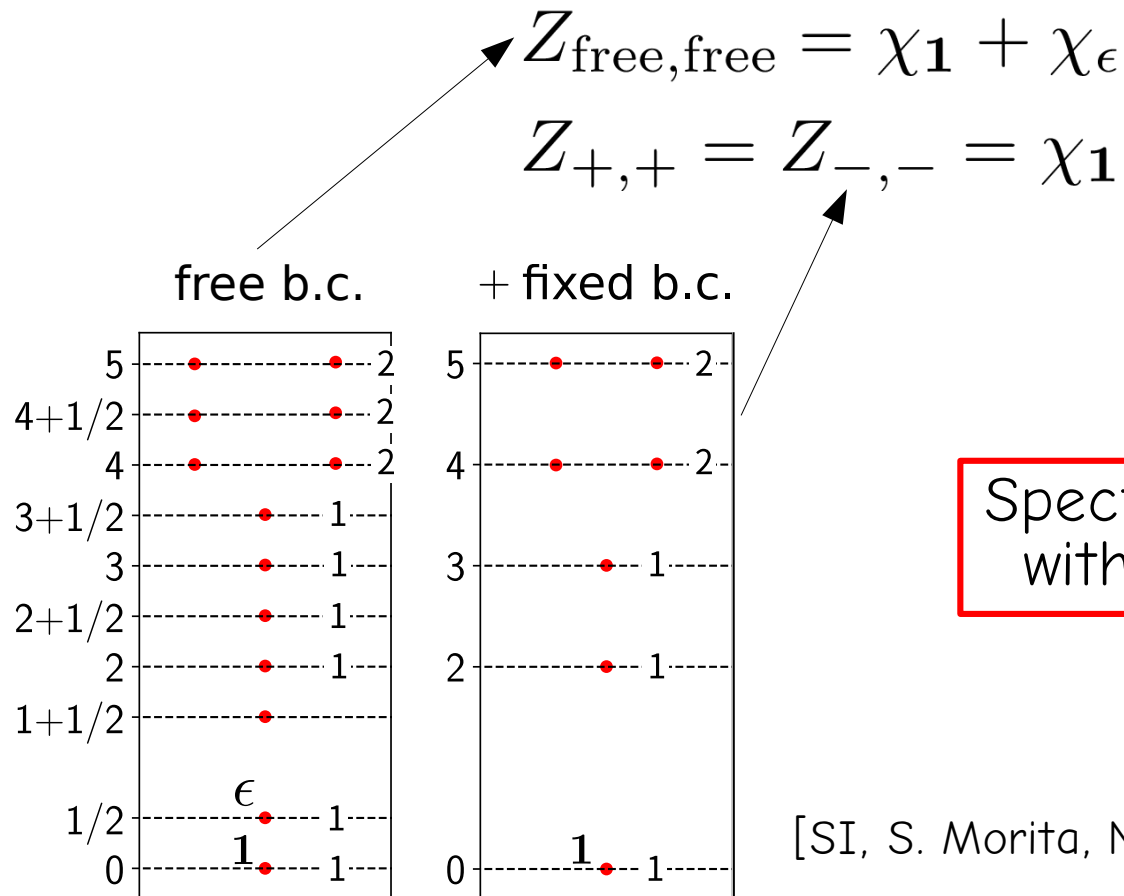
$$\Rightarrow \ln \lambda_k = -\frac{\pi}{N} \left( \Delta_k - \frac{c}{24} \right) + Nf + f_s + \mathcal{O}(N^{-\gamma})$$

scaling dimensions

\* In BCFT, there is only a single copy of the Virasoro algebra

# Application to 2d Ising BCFT

- ✓ In BCFT, the operator content depends on the b.c.  
 ex.) Though the primary fields for Ising CFT are  $\{\mathbf{1}, \epsilon, \sigma\}$ ,



Spectrum are consistent with BCFT conjecture!

[SI, S. Morita, N. Kawashima, (2020)]

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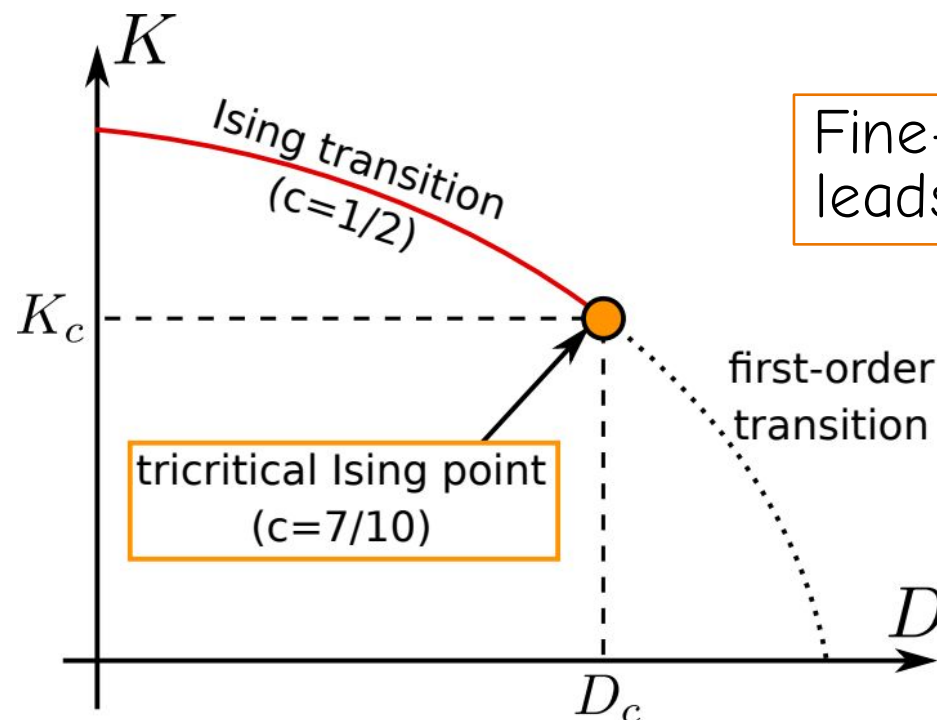
# Tricritical Ising model

- ✓ 2d classical dilute Ising (Blume-Capel) model

[Blume (1966); Capel (1966)]

$$\beta\mathcal{H} = -K \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j - D \sum_i (\sigma_i)^2 \quad \text{where } \sigma_i = -1, 0, +1$$

- this model possesses a **tricritical point** with  $c=7/10$

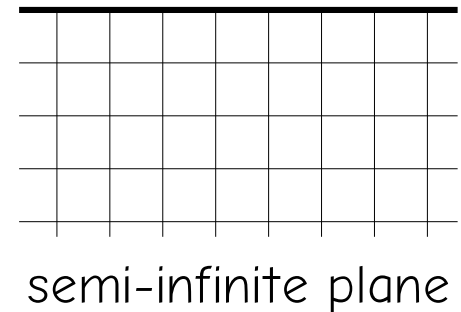


Fine-tuning parameters leads to another universality class

# Phase transition on 1d edges

- ✓ No phase transition in 1d classical systems (Peierls' argument)
- ✓ Then, how about 1d "edges" attached to 2d bulk?
- ✓ If the bulk is fine-tuned at tricritical Ising point, the 1d edge exhibit a phase transition

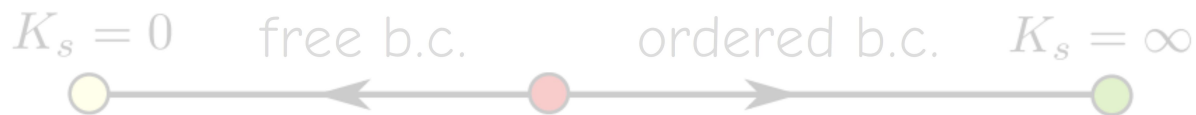
[Affleck (2000)]



2d dilute Ising model (Blume-Capel model)

$$\beta\mathcal{H} = -K_c \sum_{\langle ij \rangle \text{ bulk}} \sigma_i \sigma_j - D_c \sum_i \sigma_i^2 - K_s \sum_{\langle ij \rangle \text{ edge}} \sigma_i \sigma_j \quad \text{where } \sigma = 0, \pm 1$$

1d classical chain is not interesting, but 1d classical **surface** can be interesting!



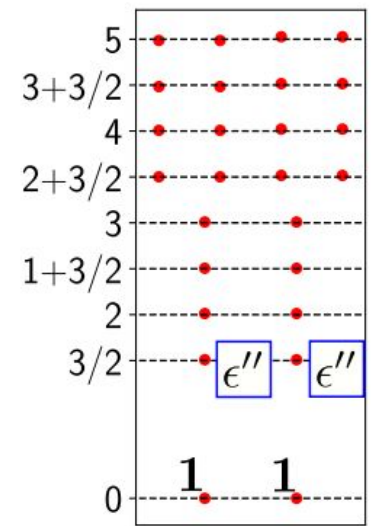
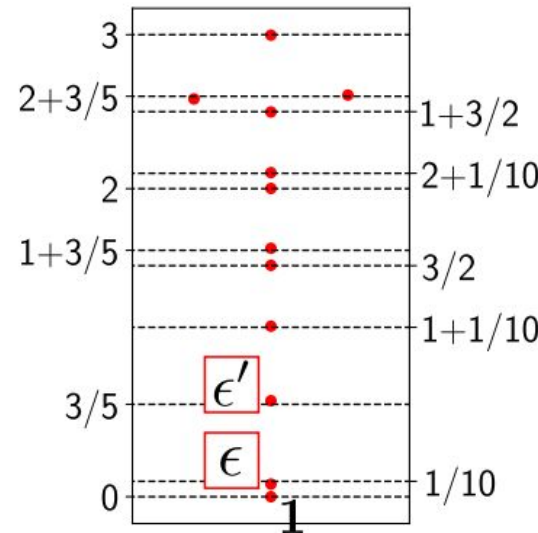
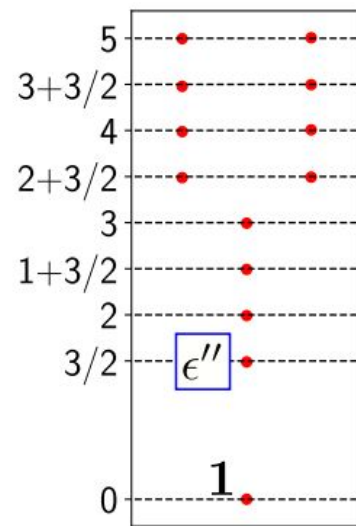
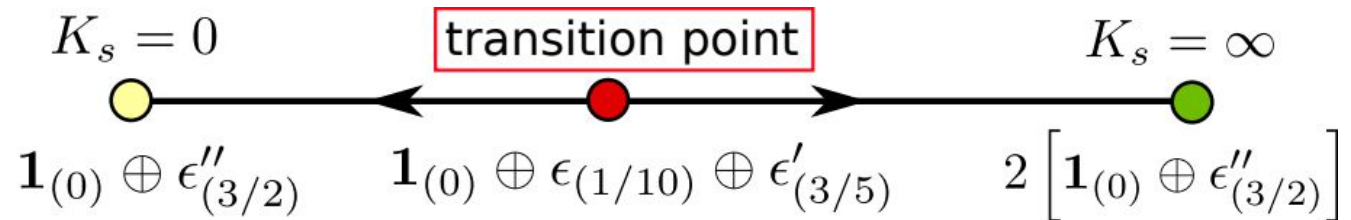
# Tri-critical Ising model

✓ Surface transition in tri-critical Ising model:

[Affleck (2000)]

BCFT conjecture about operator content

Spectrum are consistent with BCFT conjectures



[SI et al. (2020)]

TNR can be helpful to study surface critical phenomena through BCFT!

# Take-home messages

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- ✓ **TNR** is the numerical algorithm inspired by MERA, by which one can efficiently extract **2d CFT** data from
  - 2d classical lattice models
  - 1+1d quantum lattice models
  - PEPS wave function of 2d quantum lattice models
- ✓ We extend TNR for **open-boundary system**, by which we can compute accurate **BCFT** spectrum from lattices
- ✓ Interesting future issues:
  - other BCFT data (boundary/bulk-boundary OPE coefficients)?
  - higher dimensions?

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