

**workshop programme Thursday morning:  
two case studies involving coupled Kuramoto oscillators**

**9:00 – 10:15**

complicated models, new technology

*coupled oscillators on complex networks*

$$H(\phi) = -J \sum_{i < j} c_{ij} \cos(\phi_i - \phi_j - \omega_{ij})$$

**10:15 – 10:45**

coffee break

**10:45 – 12:00**

simple models, unexpected problems

*coupled oscillators with chiral interactions*

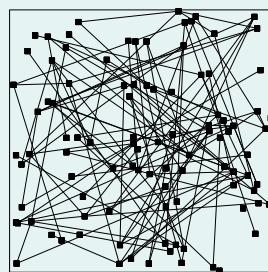
$$H(\phi) = -\frac{J}{N} \sum_{i < j} \cos(\phi_i - \phi_j - \alpha)$$

# Theory of Coupled Oscillators on Finitely Connected Random Networks

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## **Definitions**

### **Replica calculation of free energy**

*saddle-point equations*  
*replica-symmetric theory*

### **Phase diagrams**

*phase transitions*  
*diagrams for different chirality distributions*

### **Theory versus simulations**

## DEFINITIONS

$N$  Kuramoto-type oscillators,

$$\phi_i \in [0, 2\pi], \quad \boldsymbol{\phi} = (\phi_1, \dots, \phi_N)$$

$$H(\boldsymbol{\phi}) = -J \sum_{i < j} c_{ij} \cos(\phi_i - \phi_j - \omega_{ij}), \quad J > 0$$

- network connectivity: random variables  $c_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}$

finite connectivity regime:  $k_i = \sum_j c_{ij} = \mathcal{O}(N^0)$

degree distribution:  $p_k = N^{-1} \sum_i \delta_{k, k_i}$

$$P(c_{ij}) = \frac{c}{N} \delta_{c_{ij}, 1} + \left(1 - \frac{c}{N}\right) \delta_{c_{ij}, 0} \quad \text{for all } i < j$$

$$c = \mathcal{O}(N^0)$$

$$p_k = e^{-c} c^k / k! \quad \text{for } N \rightarrow \infty$$

- random interactions between oscillators:  $\omega_{ij} \in [0, 2\pi]$

independently drawn from  $P(\omega)$ , with  $P(-\omega) = P(\omega)$

e.g.

$$\omega_{ij} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{synchronization of oscillators } (i, j)$$

$$\omega_{ij} = \pi \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{antisynchronization of oscillators } (i, j)$$

## Strategy

- calculate disorder-averaged free energy per oscillator

$$\overline{f} = - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\beta N)^{-1} \overline{\log Z}, \quad Z = \int d\phi e^{-\beta H(\phi)}$$

$\overline{\dots}$ : average over  $\{c_{ij}, \omega_{ij}\}$

- use replica identity

$$\overline{\log Z} = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} n^{-1} \log \overline{Z^n}$$

- evaluate  $\overline{Z^n}$  for integer  $n$ , in terms of  $n$  system copies, and evaluate disorder average first:

$$\overline{Z^n} = \int d\phi^1 \dots d\phi^n \overline{e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)}}$$

- In result:

exchange the limits  $N \rightarrow \infty$  and  $n \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{f} &= - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\beta N)^{-1} \overline{\log Z} \\ &= - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\beta N)^{-1} \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} n^{-1} \log \overline{Z^n} \\ &= - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\beta N)^{-1} \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} n^{-1} \log \int d\phi^1 \dots d\phi^n \overline{e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)}} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} n^{-1} \left\{ - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\beta N)^{-1} \log \int d\phi^1 \dots d\phi^n \overline{e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)}} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

## REPLICA CALCULATION OF THE DISORDER-AVERAGED FREE ENERGY

Disorder-averaged free energy per oscillator:

$$\overline{f} = \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{n} \left\{ - \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\beta N} \log \int d\phi^1 \dots d\phi^n e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)} \right\}$$

Disorder average:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)}} &= \prod_{i < j} \overline{e^{\beta J \sum_{\alpha=1}^n c_{ij} \cos(\phi_i^\alpha - \phi_j^\alpha - \omega_{ij})}} \\ &= \exp \left\{ \frac{c}{2N} \sum_{ij} \left[ \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_{\alpha=1}^n \cos(\phi_i^\alpha - \phi_j^\alpha - \omega)} - 1 \right] + \mathcal{O}(N^0) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

replica-order parameter:

$$\phi = (\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n), \phi_i = (\phi_i^1, \dots, \phi_i^n)$$

$$P(\phi) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \delta[\phi - \phi_i]$$

$$\overline{e^{-\beta \sum_{\alpha=1}^n H(\phi^\alpha)}} =$$

$$\exp \left\{ \frac{cN}{2} \int d\phi d\phi' P(\phi) P(\phi') \left[ \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_{\alpha} \cos(\phi_\alpha - \phi'_\alpha - \omega)} - 1 \right] + \mathcal{O}(N^0) \right\}$$

## minor technicalities

- discretize domain  $[0, 2\pi]^n$  of  $\phi$
- insert appropriate functional  $\delta$ -distributions to isolate order parameter function  $P(\phi)$   
integral representations: conjugate functions  $\hat{P}(\phi)$
- take continuum limit for domain  $[0, 2\pi]^n$  of  $\phi$ ,  
gives path integral measure:

$$\prod_{\phi} [dP(\phi) d\hat{P}(\phi)/2\pi] = \{dP d\hat{P}\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{f} &= -\lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\beta N n} \log \int \{dP d\hat{P}\} e^{iN \int d\phi P(\phi) \hat{P}(\phi) + N \log \int d\phi e^{-i\hat{P}(\phi)}} \\ &\quad \times \exp \left\{ \frac{cN}{2} \int d\phi d\phi' P(\phi) P(\phi') \left[ \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_{\alpha} \cos(\phi_{\alpha} - \phi'_{\alpha} - \omega)} - 1 \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$N \rightarrow \infty$ :

saddle-point integration

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{f} &= -\lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\beta n} \text{extr}_{\{P, \hat{P}\}} \left\{ i \int d\phi P(\phi) \hat{P}(\phi) + \log \int d\phi e^{-i\hat{P}(\phi)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{2} c \int d\phi d\phi' P(\phi) P(\phi') \left[ \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_{\alpha} \cos(\phi_{\alpha} - \phi'_{\alpha} - \omega)} - 1 \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

saddle-points equations: functional variation  
with respect to  $\hat{P}(\phi)$  and  $P(\phi)$

$$P(\phi) = \frac{e^{-i\hat{P}(\phi)}}{\int d\phi' e^{-i\hat{P}(\phi')}}$$

$$\hat{P}(\phi) = ic \int d\phi' P(\phi') [\int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_\alpha \cos(\phi_\alpha - \phi'_\alpha - \omega)} - 1]$$

eliminate  $\hat{P}$ :

$$P(\phi) = \frac{e^{c \int d\phi' P(\phi')} [\int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_\alpha \cos(\phi_\alpha - \phi'_\alpha - \omega)} - 1]}{\int d\phi' e^{c \int d\phi'' P(\phi'')} [\int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_\alpha \cos(\phi'_\alpha - \phi''_\alpha - \omega)} - 1]}$$

$$\overline{f} =$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{n \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\beta n} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} c \int d\phi d\phi' P(\phi) P(\phi') [\int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_\alpha \cos(\phi_\alpha - \phi'_\alpha - \omega)} - 1] \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \log \int d\phi e^{c \int d\phi' P(\phi')} [\int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \sum_\alpha \cos(\phi_\alpha - \phi'_\alpha - \omega)} - 1] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

## Replica symmetric theory

$$P(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \prod_{\alpha=1}^n \delta[\phi_\alpha - \phi_i^\alpha]$$

next:

limit  $n \rightarrow 0$  in saddle-point eqns  
RS ansatz for continuous variables?

- let  $P[\phi|\boldsymbol{\mu}]$  denote a complete parametrized family of functions on  $[0, 2\pi]$   
 $\boldsymbol{\mu} = (\mu_0, \mu_1, \mu_2, \dots)$

$$P_{\text{RS}}(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n) = \int d\boldsymbol{\mu} w(\boldsymbol{\mu}) \prod_{\alpha} P[\phi_{\alpha}|\boldsymbol{\mu}], \quad \int d\boldsymbol{\mu} w(\boldsymbol{\mu}) = 1$$

- representation-independent formulation:

$$P_{\text{RS}}(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n) = \int \{dP\} W[\{P\}] \prod_{\alpha} P(\phi_{\alpha})$$

RS order parameter:

$$\text{functional measure } W[\{P\}]$$

physical interpretation:

$$\int \{dP\} W[\{P\}] \prod_{\alpha} \left[ \int d\phi P(\phi) f_{\alpha}(\phi) \right] = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\prod_{\alpha} \langle f_{\alpha}(\phi_i) \rangle}$$

insert RS ansatz:

$$\begin{aligned} W[\{P\}] &= \sum_{k \geq 0} p_k \int \prod_{\ell \leq k} [\{dP_\ell\} W[\{P_\ell\}] d\omega_\ell P(\omega_\ell)] \\ &\times \prod_{\phi \in [0, 2\pi]} \delta \left[ P(\phi) - \frac{\prod_{\ell=1}^k \int d\phi' P_\ell(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi - \phi' - \omega_\ell)}}{\int d\phi'' \prod_{\ell=1}^k \int d\phi' P_\ell(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi'' - \phi' - \omega_\ell)}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$p_k = e^{-c} c^k / k!$$

free energy per oscillator:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{f}_{\text{RS}} &= \frac{c}{2\beta} \int \{dP_1 dP_2\} W[\{P_1\}] W[\{P_2\}] \int d\omega P(\omega) \log \int d\phi d\phi' P_1(\phi) P_2(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi - \phi' - \omega)} \\ &- \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{k \geq 0} p_k \int \prod_{\ell=1}^k [\{dP_\ell\} W[\{P_\ell\}] d\omega_\ell P(\omega_\ell)] \log \int d\phi \prod_{\ell=1}^k \left[ \int d\phi' P_\ell(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi - \phi' - \omega_\ell)} \right] \end{aligned}$$

## PHASE DIAGRAMS

bifurcation analysis  
of order parameter eqn:

$$\begin{aligned} W[\{P\}] &= \sum_{k \geq 0} p_k \int \prod_{\ell \leq k} [\{dP_\ell\} W[\{P_\ell\}] d\omega_\ell P(\omega_\ell)] \\ &\times \prod_{\phi \in [0, 2\pi]} \delta \left[ P(\phi) - \frac{\prod_{\ell=1}^k \int d\phi' P_\ell(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi - \phi' - \omega_\ell)}}{\int d\phi'' \prod_{\ell=1}^k \int d\phi' P_\ell(\phi') e^{\beta J \cos(\phi'' - \phi' - \omega_\ell)}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$\beta = 0$ :

$$\text{paramagnetic state : } W[\{P\}] = \prod_{\phi \in [0, 2\pi]} \delta \left[ P(\phi) - \frac{1}{2\pi} \right]$$

## Phase transitions

Continuous bifurcations away from paramagnetic state  
located by Guzai (i.e. functional moment) expansion

- transform:

$$P(\phi) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2\pi} + \Delta(\phi), \quad W[\{P\}] \rightarrow \tilde{W}[\{\Delta\}]$$

*constraint:*

$$\tilde{W}[\{\Delta\}] = 0 \quad \text{if} \quad \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \Delta(\phi) \neq 0$$

- expand saddle-point eqns  
in functional moments

$$\int \{d\Delta\} \tilde{W}[\{\Delta\}] \Delta(\phi_1) \dots \Delta(\phi_r)$$

- assume: close to continuous bifurcation  
 $\exists \epsilon \ll 1$  such that

$$\int \{d\Delta\} \tilde{W}[\{\Delta\}] \Delta(\phi_1) \dots \Delta(\phi_r) = \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^r)$$

## Lowest order bifurcation $\epsilon^1$

$$\Psi(\phi) = \frac{c}{2\pi I_0(\beta J)} \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi' \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \cos(\phi - \phi' - \omega)} \Psi(\phi') \quad \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \Psi(\phi) = 0$$

$$c = \sum_k p_k k$$

$I_k(z)$ : modified Bessel functions

- solution: Fourier modes  $\Psi(\phi) = e^{ik\phi}$   
transition:

$$c = \min_{k>0} \left\{ \frac{I_k(\beta J)}{I_0(\beta J)} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} d\omega P(\omega) \cos(k\omega) \right\}^{-1}$$

- bifurcating state:

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \delta[\phi - \phi_i] \rangle} = \frac{1}{2\pi} [1 + \epsilon \cos(k\phi - \lambda) + \dots]$$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\phi_i) \\ \sin(\phi_i) \end{pmatrix} \rangle} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon \delta_{k1} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\lambda) \\ \sin(\lambda) \end{pmatrix} + \dots$$

•  $k = 1$ : global synchronization

$k > 1$ : no global synchronization

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P} \rightarrow \text{F} : \quad c &= \left\{ \frac{I_1(\beta J)}{I_0(\beta J)} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} d\omega \ P(\omega) \cos(\omega) \right\}^{-1} \\ \text{KT} : \quad c &= \min_{k>1} \left\{ \frac{I_k(\beta J)}{I_0(\beta J)} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} d\omega \ P(\omega) \cos(k\omega) \right\}^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

## Lowest order bifurcation $\epsilon^2$

$$\begin{aligned}\Psi(\phi_1, \phi_2) &= c \int \frac{d\phi'_1 d\phi'_2}{[2\pi I_0(\beta J)]^2} \left[ \int d\omega P(\omega) e^{\beta J \cos(\phi_1 - \phi'_1 - \omega) + \beta J \cos(\phi_2 - \phi'_2 - \omega)} \right] \Psi(\phi'_1, \phi'_2) \\ \int d\phi_1 \Psi(\phi_1, \phi_2) &= \int d\phi_2 \Psi(\phi_1, \phi_2) = 0\end{aligned}$$

- solution: Fourier modes  $\Psi(\phi_1, \phi_2) = e^{i(k_1\phi_1 + k_2\phi_2)}$   
transition:

$$c = \min_{k_1 \neq 0, k_2 \neq 0} \left\{ \frac{I_{k_1}(\beta J) I_{k_2}(\beta J)}{I_0^2(\beta J)} \int d\omega P(\omega) \cos[(k_1 + k_2)\omega] \right\}^{-1}$$

$$\text{min: } k_1 = -k_2 = 1$$

$$\text{P} \rightarrow \text{SG} : \quad c = I_0^2(\beta J) / I_1^2(\beta J)$$

- bifurcating state:

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \delta[\phi - \phi_i] \rangle} &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \\ \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \delta[\phi - \phi_i] \rangle \langle \delta[\phi' - \phi_i] \rangle} &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2} [1 + \epsilon \cos(\phi - \phi' + \psi) + \dots]\end{aligned}$$

- no global synchronization, yet

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_i [\overline{\langle \cos(\phi_i) \rangle^2} + \overline{\langle \sin(\phi_i) \rangle^2}] > 0$$

- $P \rightarrow SG$  bifurcation precedes  $P \rightarrow KT$   
physical transitions away from  $P$ :  $P \rightarrow F$ ,  $P \rightarrow SG$

## Phase diagrams

phases:

*P: paramagnetic state, no freezing of oscillator phases*

*F: synchronized state, coherent oscillations*

*SG: spin-glass state, frozen relative phases but incoherent*

phase transitions:

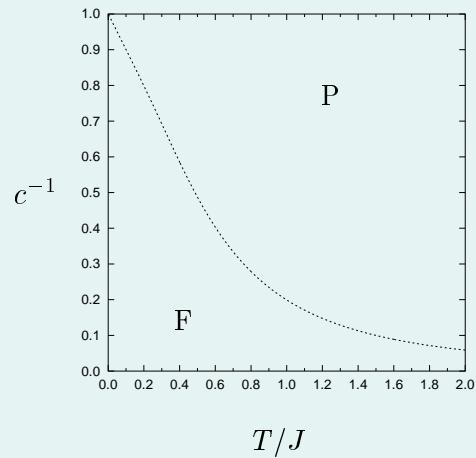
$$P \rightarrow F : \quad c^{-1} = [I_1(\beta J)/I_0(\beta J)] \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} d\omega \ P(\omega) \cos(\omega)$$

$$P \rightarrow SG : \quad c^{-1} = [I_1(\beta J)/I_0(\beta J)]^2$$

$F \rightarrow SG :$       cannot yet calculate ...  
Parisi – Toulouse hypothesis ?

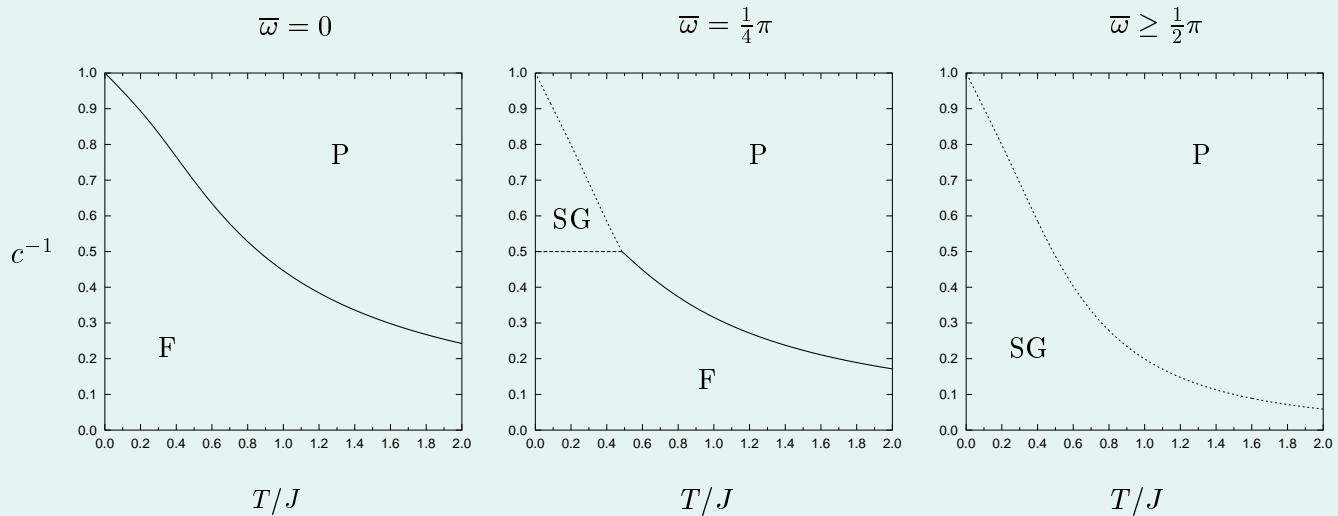
*Example:*

$$P(\omega) = 1/2\pi$$



*Example:*

$$P(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega - \bar{\omega}) + \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega + \bar{\omega})$$



## THEORY VERSUS SIMULATIONS

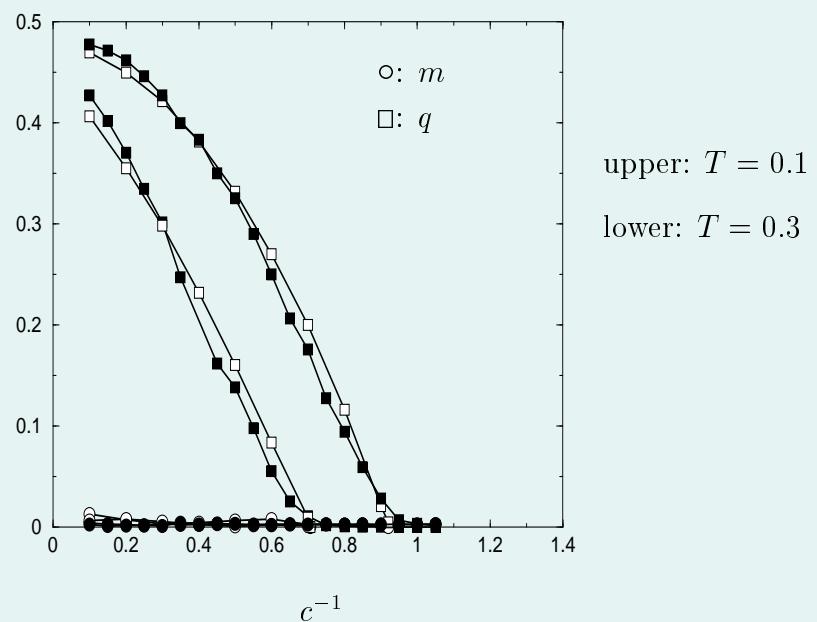
*Numerical solution of order parameter equations  
(via truncated parametrizations) versus simulations*

$$\begin{aligned}m^2 &= \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \cos(\phi_i) \rangle} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \overline{\langle \sin(\phi_i) \rangle} \right]^2 \\q &= \frac{1}{2N} \sum_i \left[ \overline{\langle \cos(\phi_i) \rangle^2} + \overline{\langle \sin(\phi_i) \rangle^2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

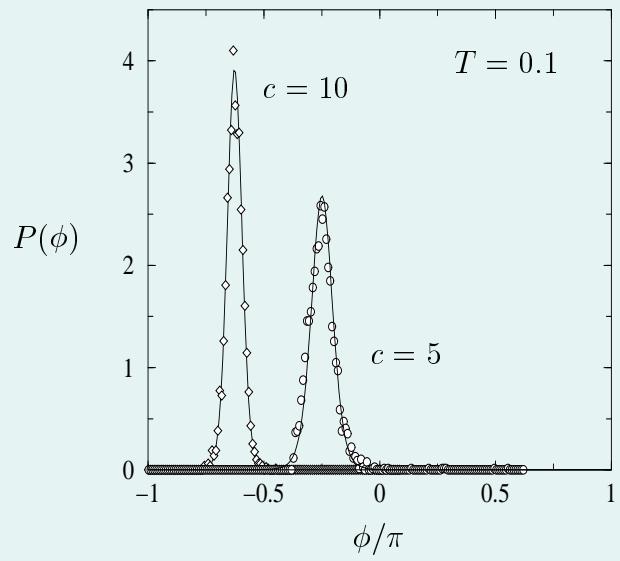
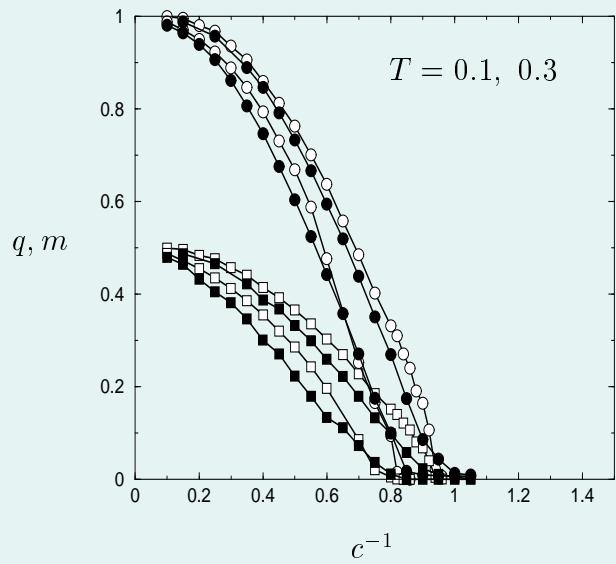
$$\begin{array}{lll}\text{P} & : & q = m = 0 \\ \text{F} & : & q > 0, \ m > 0 \\ \text{SG} & : & q > 0, \ m = 0\end{array}$$

*Example:*

$$P(\omega) = 1/2\pi$$

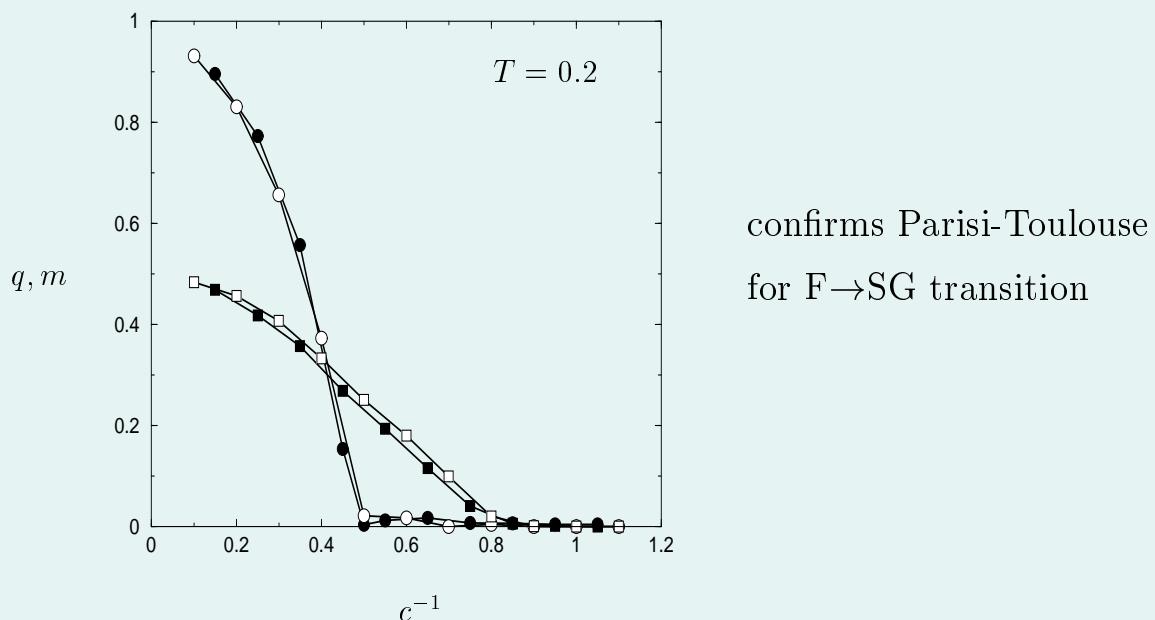


Example:  $P(\omega) = \delta(\omega)$



*Example:*

$$P(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega - \frac{\pi}{4}) + \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega + \frac{\pi}{4})$$





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