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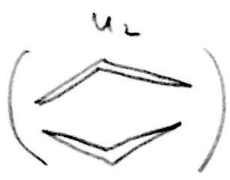
$q_1 \neq q_2$  (but approximately)



Types of contributions



$q_1 q_2 \bar{q}_1 \bar{q}_2$   
(4x2)



$q_1 q_2 \bar{q}_2 \bar{q}_1$   
(4x2)



$q_1 \bar{q}_1 q_2 \bar{q}_2$   
(4x2)

most divergent

Total # of terms

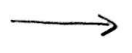
$\frac{4 \times 3 \times 2}{24}$

(4 ways to place  $q_1$   
3 ways place  $q_2$   
& 2 ways  $\bar{q}_1 \bar{q}_2 \pm \bar{q}_2 \bar{q}_1$ )

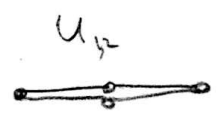
$u_1 \pm u_2$  approach each other as  $q_1 \rightarrow q_2$

$(8u_1 + 8u_2 + 8u_3) |p_{q_1}|^2 |p_{q_2}|^2$

$q_1 = q_2 = q$



Types of contributions:



$q q \bar{q} \bar{q}$   
4



$q \bar{q} q \bar{q}$   
2

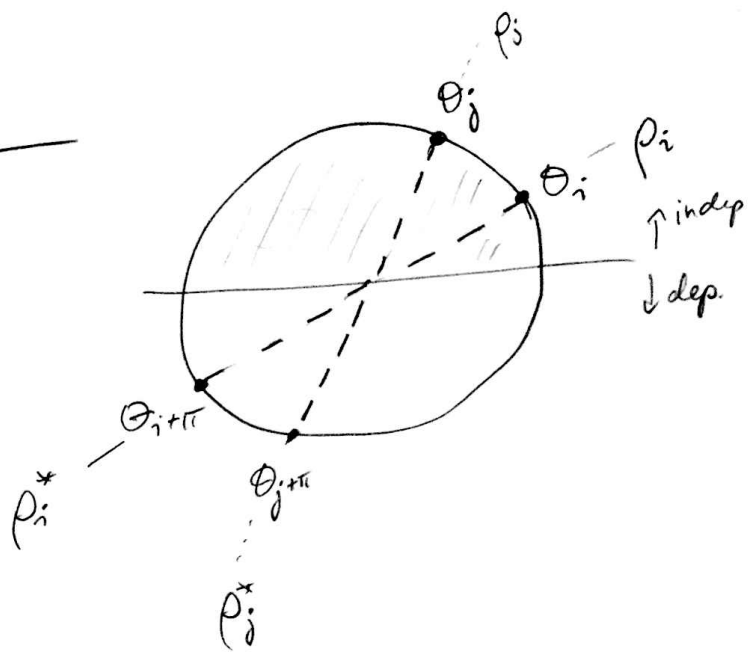
Total # of terms

$\frac{4 \times 3}{2}$   
6

(4 ways to place  $q$  (1<sup>st</sup>)  
3 ways to place  $q$  (2<sup>nd</sup>)  
divided by 2 (indistig))

$(4u_1 + 2u_3) |p_q|^4$

# Calculating Free energy



$$\Delta \Omega^{(4)} = \sum_{i < j} 8(u_1 + u_2 + u_3) |u_{ij}| \rho_i^2 \rho_j^2 \quad \leftarrow \text{sum over all distinct pairs.}$$

$$+ \sum_i 2(2u_{12} + u_3) |u_i| \rho_i^4$$

$$d_{ij} = \theta_i - \theta_j$$

Note that in the sum both  $i, j \neq j, i$  have to be included. Alternatively can write as

$$\Delta \Omega^{(4)} = 8 \sum_{i < j} (u_1 + u_2 + u_3) d_{ij} \rho_i^2 \rho_j^2$$

$$+ 2 \sum_i (2u_{12} + u_3) |u_i| \rho_i^4$$

Thus repulsion between nearby density components ( $d_{ij} \approx 0$ ) is 8 times stronger than self-repulsion. (suppresses clustering).

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$$F = \sum_i r |\rho_i|^2 + \sum_{i \neq j} u(d_{ij}) |\rho_i|^2 |\rho_j|^2 + \frac{u_0}{2} \sum_i |\rho_i|^4$$

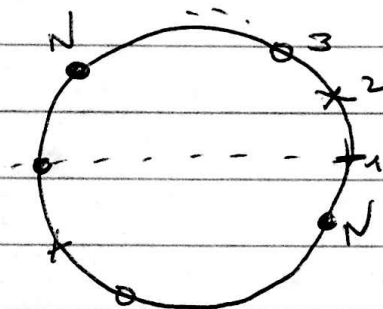
$$\frac{\delta F}{\delta |\rho_i|^2} = 2 \sum_{j \neq i} u(d_{ij}) |\rho_j|^2 + u_0 |\rho_i|^2 + r = 0$$

assume same  $|\rho_i|^2 \equiv \rho_0^2$

$$\rho_0^2 \left( 2 \sum_j u(d_{ij}) - u_0 \right) + r = 0$$

Penrose  $N=5$

( $2N=10$  fold diffraction)



$$\rho_0^2 = \frac{-r}{2 \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} u\left(\frac{k\pi}{N}\right) - u_0}$$

Alternative route: express  $F$  in  $\rho^2$  right away.  
does this make sense?

$$F = Nr \rho_0^2 + \cancel{N} N (\sum u) \rho_0^4 + \frac{u_0}{2} N \rho_0^4$$

$$\frac{\delta F}{\delta \rho_0^2} = Nr + 2N (\sum u) \rho_0^4 + N u_0 \rho_0^2$$

↳ same result.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad F = Nr\rho_0^2 + N\left(\tilde{\sum} u + \frac{u_0}{2}\right)\rho_0^4$$

$$F = - \frac{Nr^2}{2 \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} u\left(\frac{k\pi}{N}\right) - u(0)}$$

if  $u(x) = u(0) \rightarrow \text{const}$

$$\text{then } F = - \frac{Nr^2}{(2N-1)u(0)} \leftarrow \text{Mermin res}$$

$$= - \frac{r^2}{\left(2 - \frac{1}{N}\right)u(0)}$$

$N=1$  is the best

But for more general functions  $\rightarrow$  No.

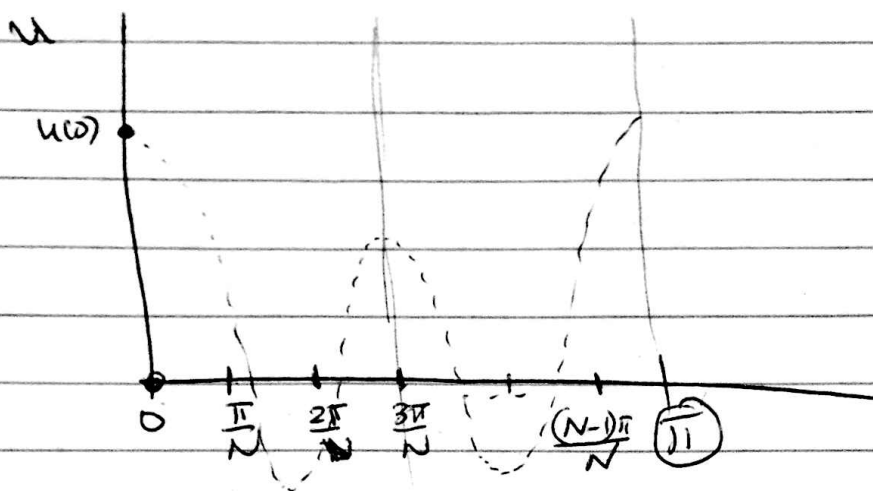
$$F = - \frac{r^2}{\frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\pi}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} u\left(\frac{k\pi}{N}\right) \right] - \frac{u(0)}{N}}$$

integral of  $u$   
converges as  $N \rightarrow \infty$

shins as  $N \rightarrow \infty$

$N$  is not favored  
in stable systems ( $u(x) > 0$ )

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Procedure :

- 1) calculate the curve  $u(x)$
- 2) Calculate energy  $F_N$ , minimize over  $N$  at diff temperatures.

→ Find where S-fold wins in 2D

- 3) Effect of cubic terms
- 4) Effect of fluctuations