

Simulations of Electroweak Dumbbells and Symmetry Breaking

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Generation, evolution, and observations of
cosmological magnetic fields

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Work with Tanmay Vachaspati,
Paul Saffin & Zong-Gang Mou



Outline

Part I

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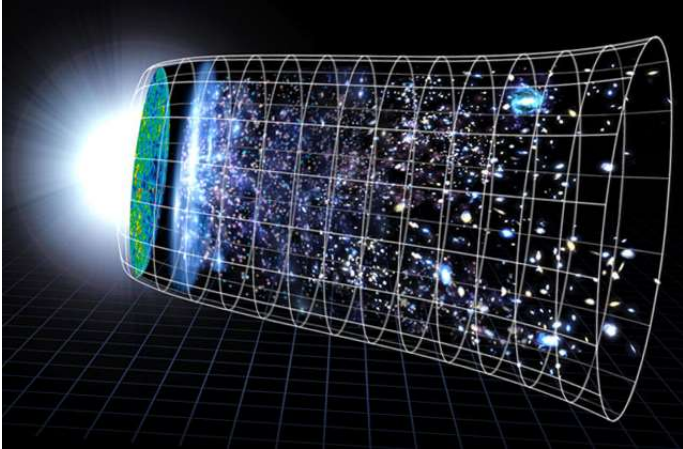
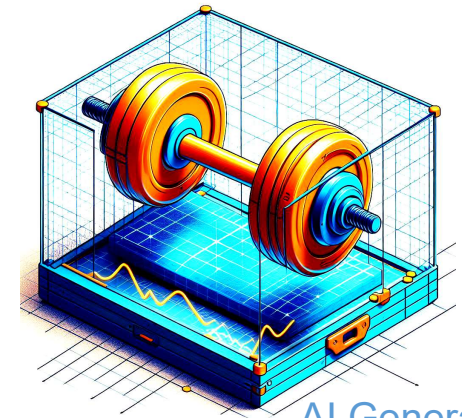


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Part II

Distribution of monopole-antimonopole pairs.

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Cosmological magnetogenesis from EWSB

Ongoing with Tanmay, Paul and Mou

Background

Why monopoles?

Elegant
symmetrization of
Maxwell's theory

Generic prediction
in GUT
theories

The hunt continues



Originates all
the way back to
Dirac in 1931



Background

Confined Monopoles / Dumbbells

G. 't Hooft (1974), Nucl. Phys.
A. M. Polyakov (1974), JETP Lett.

't Hooft-Polyakov Monopoles

H. B. Nielsen and P. Olesen (1973), Nucl. Phys. B

Infinite String

Y. Nambu (1977), Nucl. Phys. B

Dumbbells in the Electroweak theory

The Weinberg-Salam theory of electromagnetic and weak interactions admits classical configurations in which a pair of magnetic monopoles is bound by a flux string of the Z^0 field. They give rise to Regge trajectories of excitations with a mass scale in the TeV range.

Dumbbells undergoing relativistic rotation could be stable enough to be produced in accelerators

PART I : Dumbbells

In our simulations, we studied the monopole-antimonopole configurations in the electroweak theory (minus fermions)

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Dumbbell Configuration

$$\hat{\Phi}_{m\bar{m}}(\gamma) = \begin{pmatrix} \sin\left(\frac{\theta_m}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\theta_{\bar{m}}}{2}\right) e^{i\gamma} + \cos\left(\frac{\theta_m}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\theta_{\bar{m}}}{2}\right) \\ \sin\left(\frac{\theta_m}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\theta_{\bar{m}}}{2}\right) e^{i\phi} - \cos\left(\frac{\theta_m}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\theta_{\bar{m}}}{2}\right) e^{i(\phi-\gamma)} \end{pmatrix}$$

Vachaspati, T. and Field, G.B., 1994.

Electroweak string configurations with baryon number. Physical review letters, 73(3), p.373.

2 Parameters: Twist & Length

Goal: Spatial configuration of fields

$$\Phi = |\Phi| \hat{\Phi}_{m\bar{m}}$$

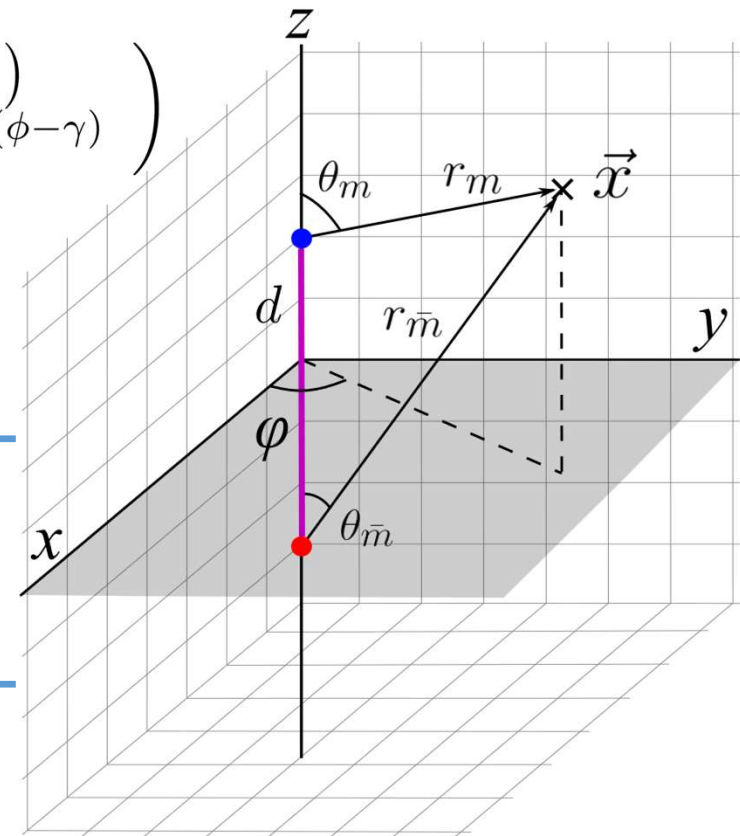
$$|\Phi(\vec{x})|$$

$$W_i^a(\vec{x})$$

$$Y_i^a(\vec{x})$$

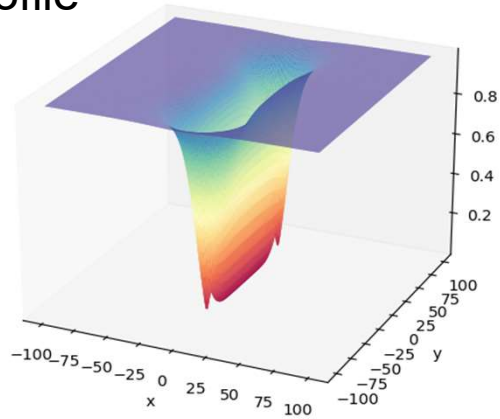
Magnetic field definition (Vachaspati, T., 1991)

$$A_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu - i \frac{2 \sin \theta_w}{g\eta^2} (\partial_\mu \Phi^\dagger \partial_\nu \Phi - \partial_\nu \Phi^\dagger \partial_\mu \Phi)$$



Relaxation Outline

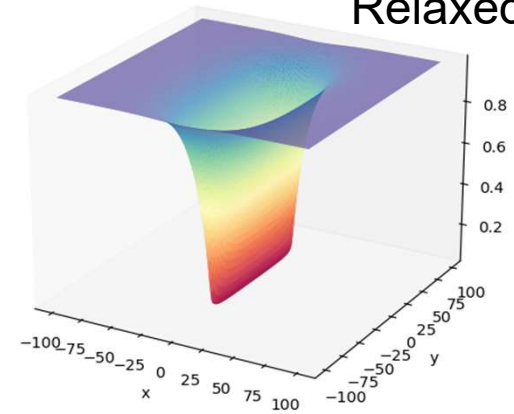
Guess Higgs profile



Numerical
Relaxation



Relaxed profile



$$\Phi = |\Phi| \hat{\Phi}_{m\bar{m}}$$

13 Real variables $|\Phi| \quad W_i^a \quad Y_i$

Units

Time (t) & Space(x) : $\eta^{-1} \quad 3.8 \times 10^{-27} \text{ s}$
 Energy : $\eta \quad 174 \text{ GeV}$
 Magnetic Field : $\eta^2 \quad 1.5 \times 10^{20} \text{ T}$

EOMs from

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4} W_{\mu\nu}^a W^{a\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} Y_{\mu\nu} Y^{\mu\nu} + |D_\mu \Phi|^2 - \lambda(|\Phi|^2 - \eta^2)^2$$

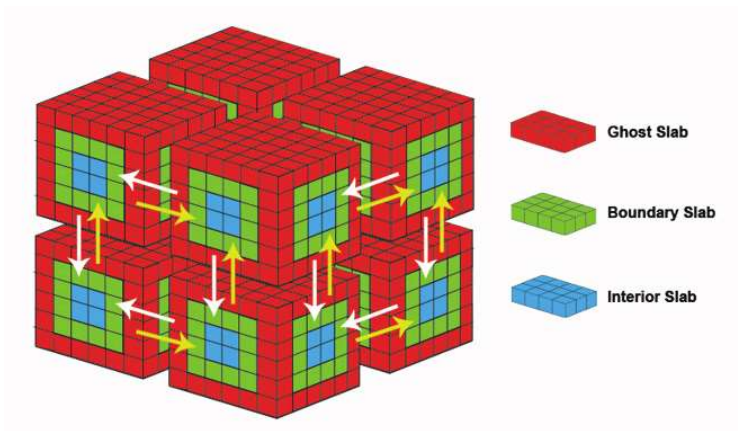
SM $g = 0.65, \sin^2 \theta_w = 0.22, g' = g \tan \theta_w, \lambda = 0.129$

I: Dumbbell Configuration

Relaxation Algorithm

Parallelization

- Divide lattice in sub-domains
- Assign a subdomain to a unique CPU processor
- Compute update and exchange boundary data



Domain decomposition

Asynchronous Parallelization

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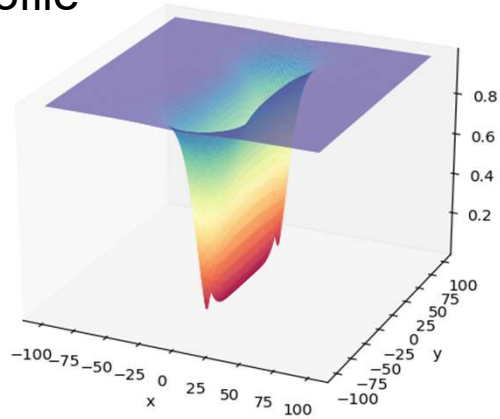
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- Gauss-Seidel relaxation requires updated field values at neighboring lattice points
- Asynchronous parallelization scheme developed by Ayush Saurabh



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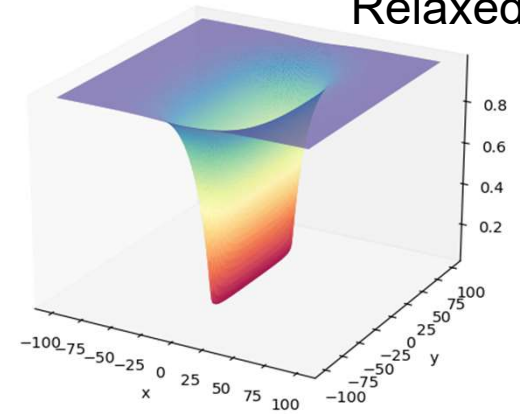
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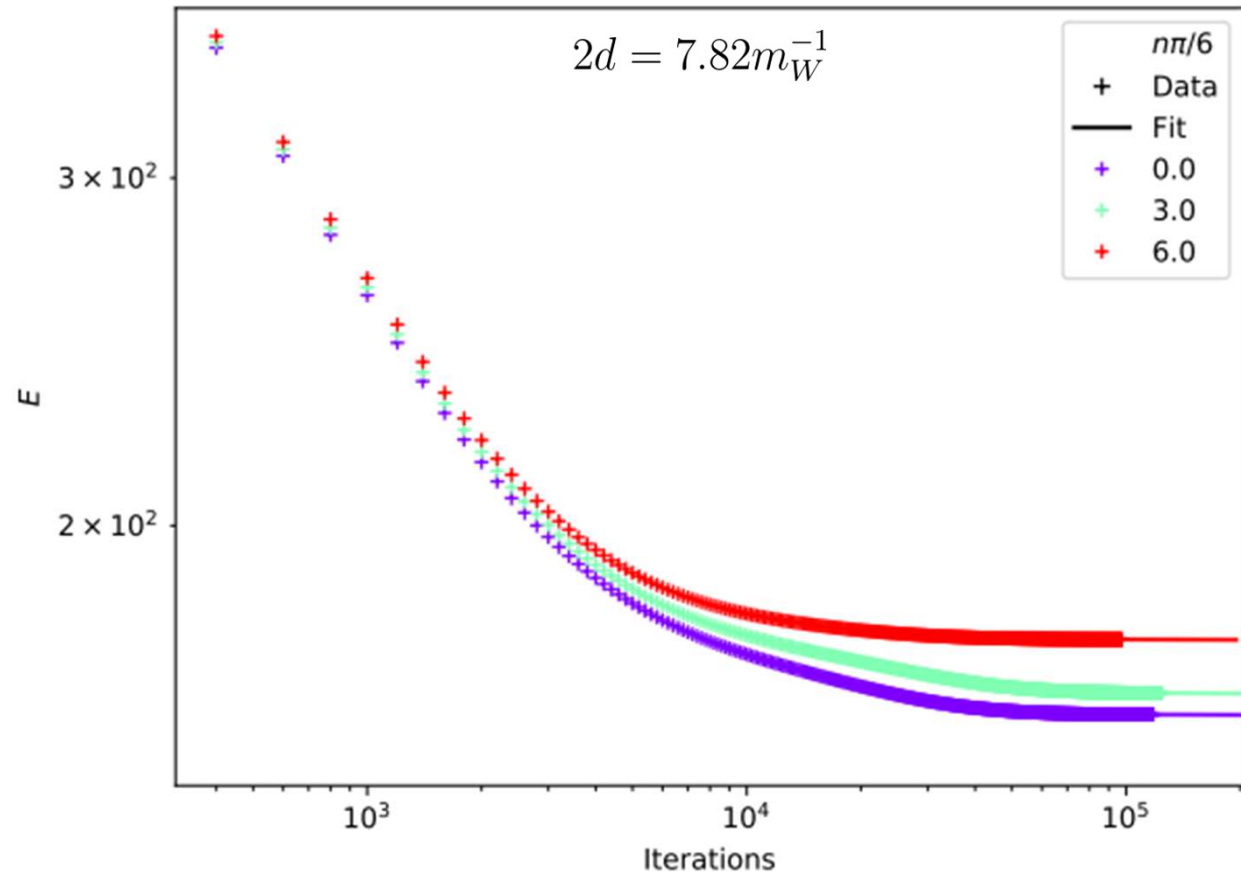
Numerical Relaxation

Relaxed Until

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} = 10^{-6}$$

$$N^3 = (740)^3$$

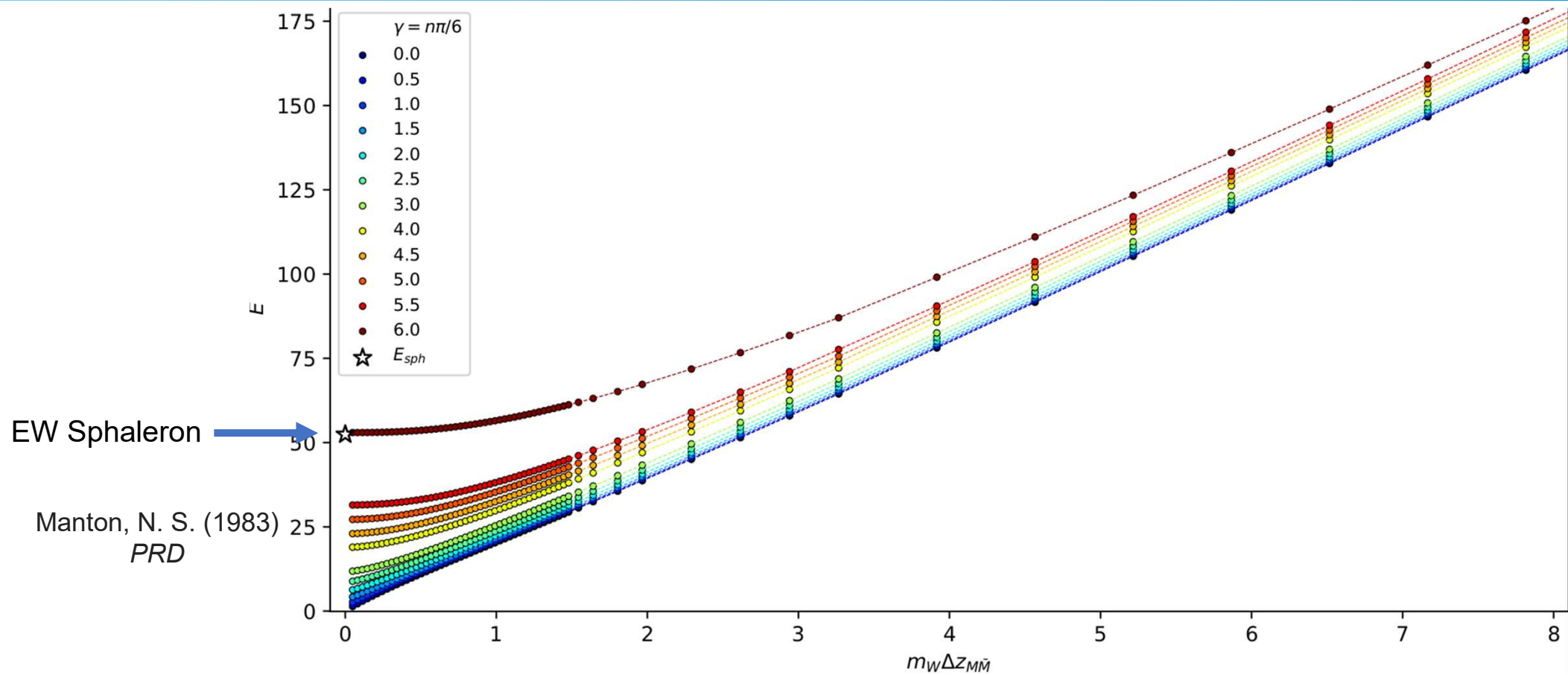
$$m_W^{-1} = \sqrt{2} \eta^{-1} / g \approx 44 \delta$$



$(m_W)^{-1} \sim$ Monopole width

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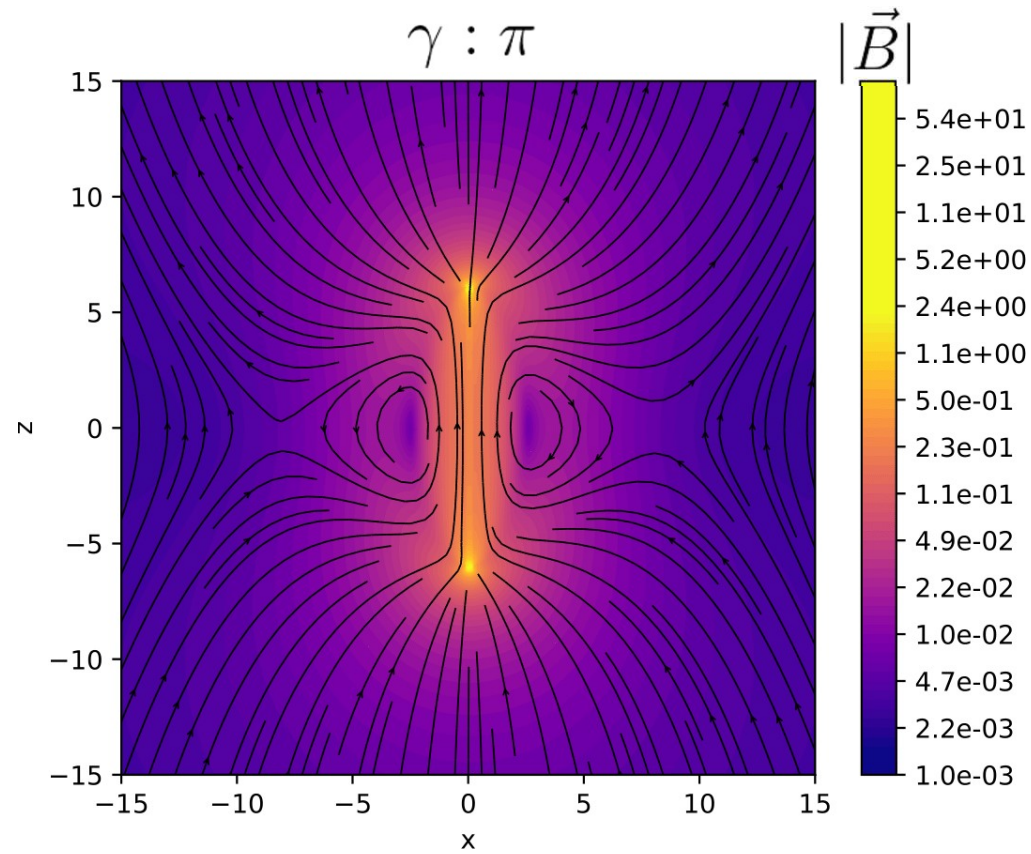
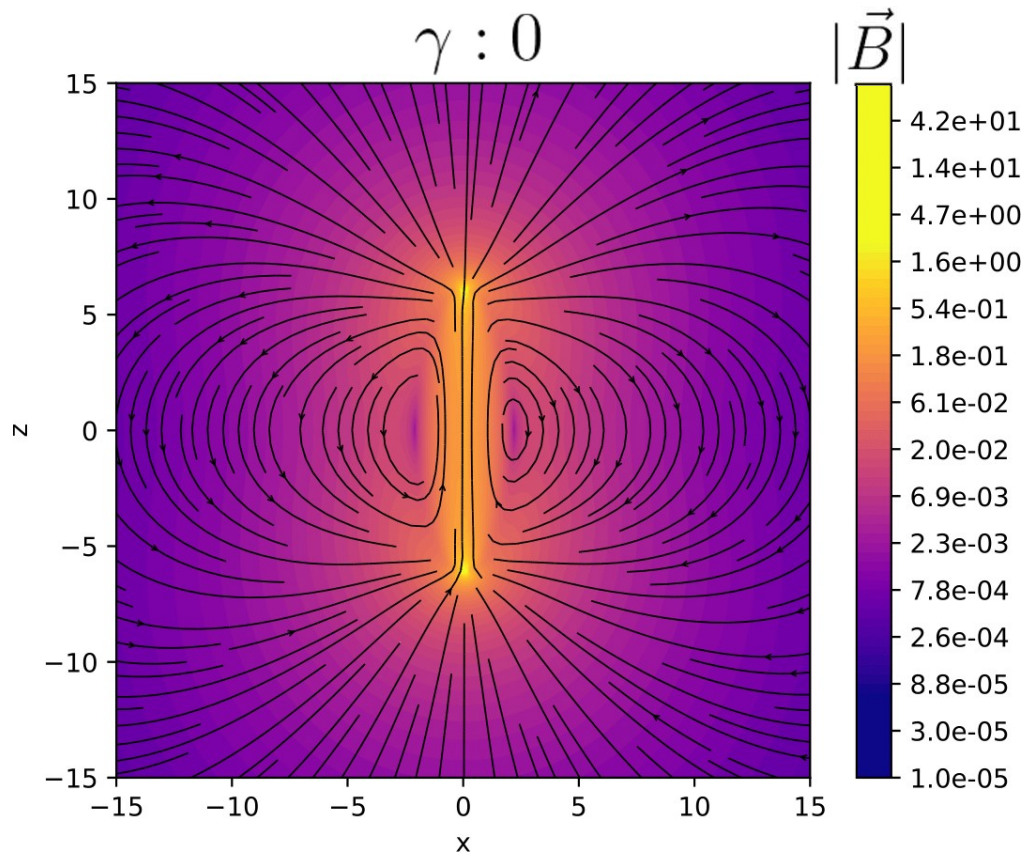
Results: Energy v separation



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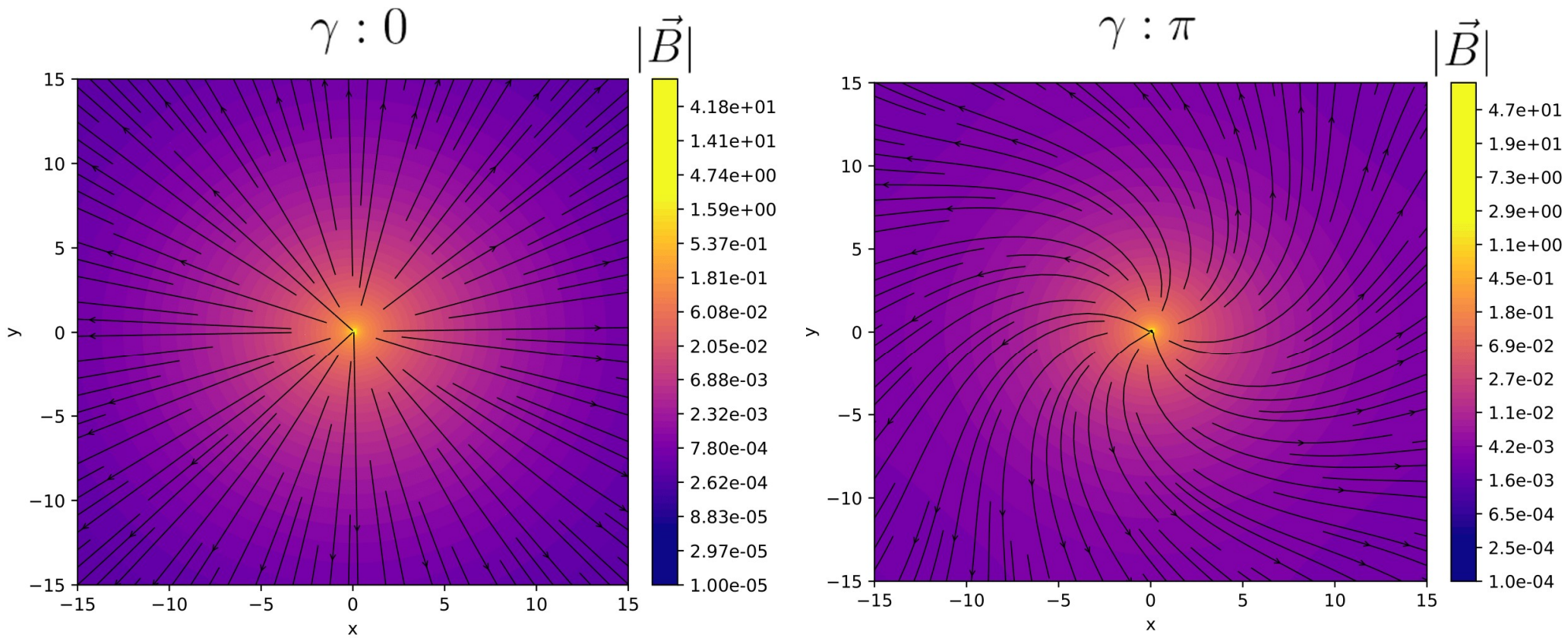
I: Dumbbell Configuration

Results: Magnetic fields



$$B_r \Big|_{r \gg z_m} = \kappa (1 - \cos \gamma) \frac{\cos \theta}{r^2}$$

Results: Magnetic fields



$$B_{\phi}|_{r \gg z_m} = -\kappa z_m \sin \gamma \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta}{r^3}$$

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PART I: Dynamics

With the numerically relaxed field configuration, we can now simulate the dynamics

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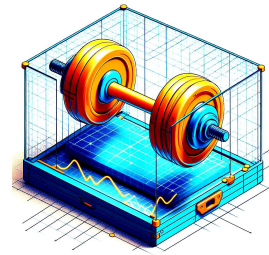
Dumbbell Dynamics

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \partial_0^2 \Phi &= D_i D_i \Phi - 2\lambda(|\Phi|^2 - \eta^2)\Phi \\ \partial_0^2 Y_i &= -\partial_j Y_{ij} + g' \text{Im}[\Phi^\dagger (D_i \Phi)] \\ \partial_0^2 W_i^a &= -\partial_j W_{ij}^a - g\epsilon^{abc} W_j^b W_{ij}^c + g \text{Im}[\Phi^\dagger \sigma^a (D_i \Phi)] \end{aligned} \right\} \text{EOMs}$$

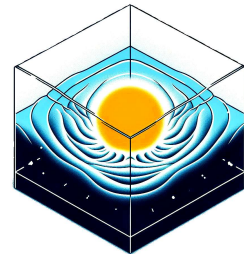
Initial: Relaxed configuration



Dirichlet
Boundaries



Simulate evolution



Numerical Relativity method
(PDE approach from Paul's talk)

$$\Xi = \partial_i Y_i \quad \Gamma^a = \partial_i W_i^a$$

$$\partial_0 \Xi = \partial_i Y_{0i} - g_p^2 \{ \partial_i Y_{0i} - g' \text{Im}[\Phi^\dagger (\partial_0 \Phi)] \}$$

$$\partial_0 \Gamma^a = \partial_i W_{0i}^a - g_p^2 \{ \partial_i W_{0i}^a + g\epsilon^{abc} W_i^b \partial_0 W_i^c - g \text{Im}[\Phi^\dagger \sigma^a (\partial_0 \Phi)] \}$$

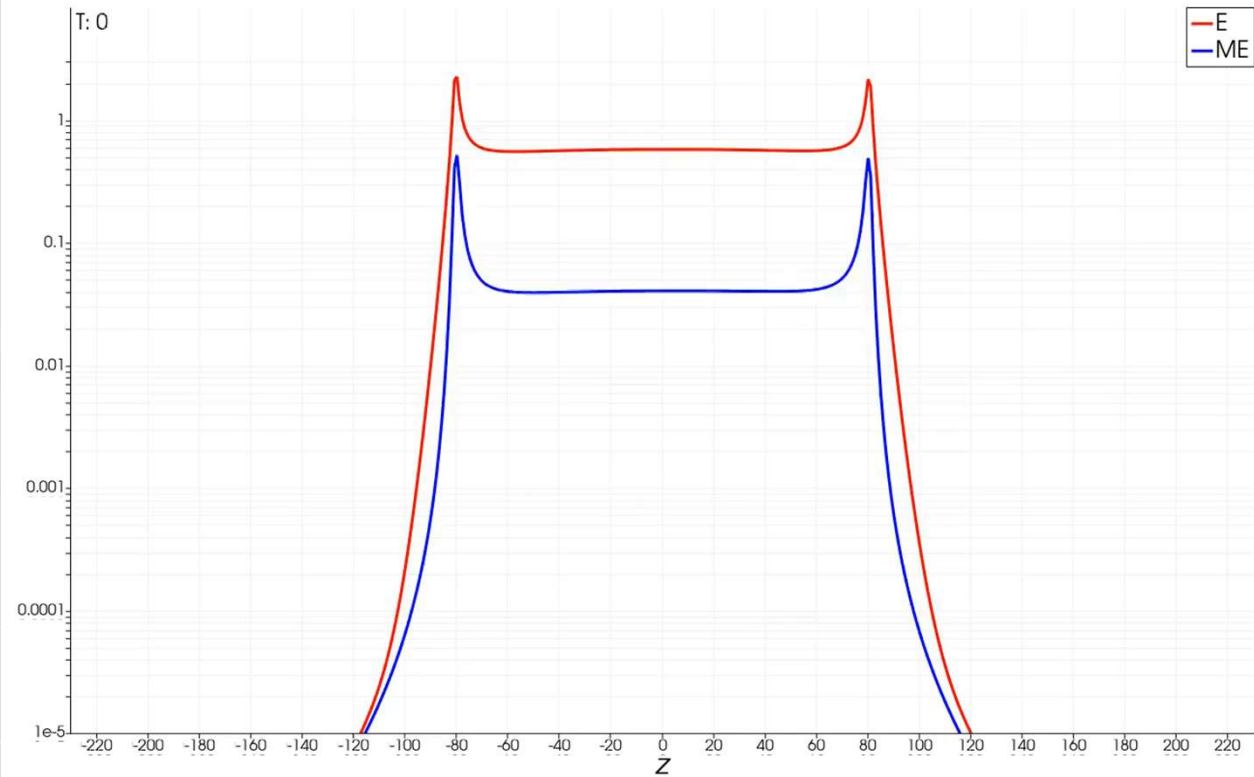
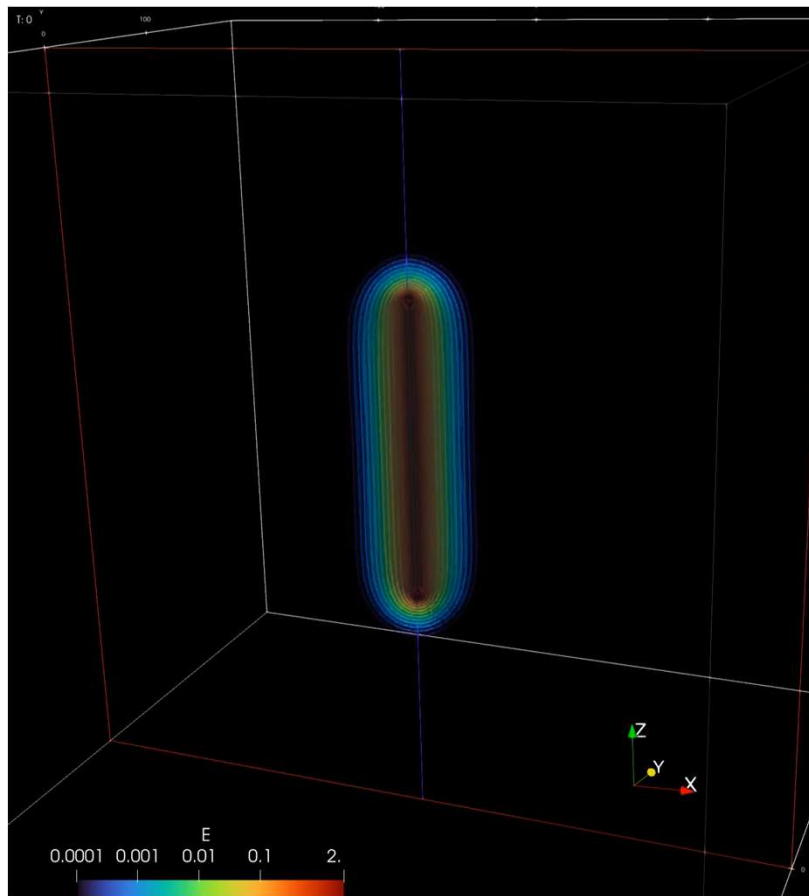
← Gauss
constraints

g_p : Numerical stability parameter

Vachaspati '15
Baumgarte & Shapiro



Dumbbell Annihilation

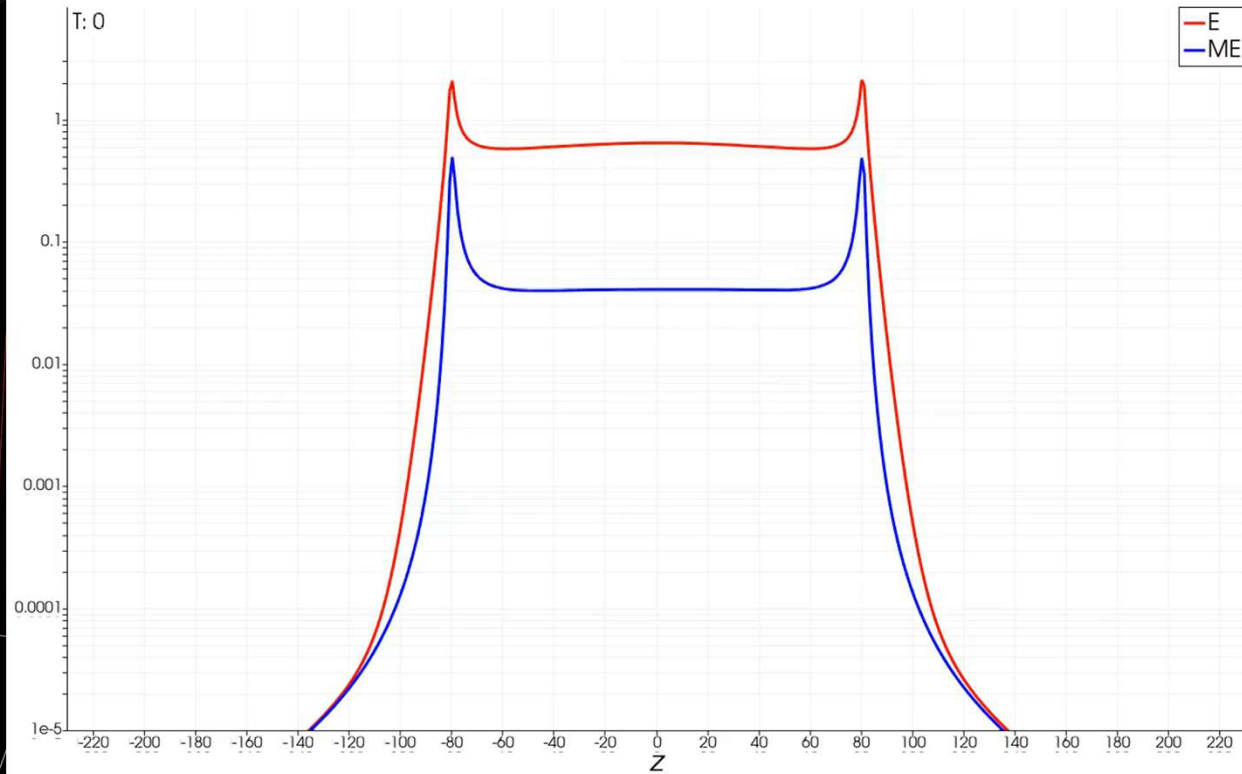
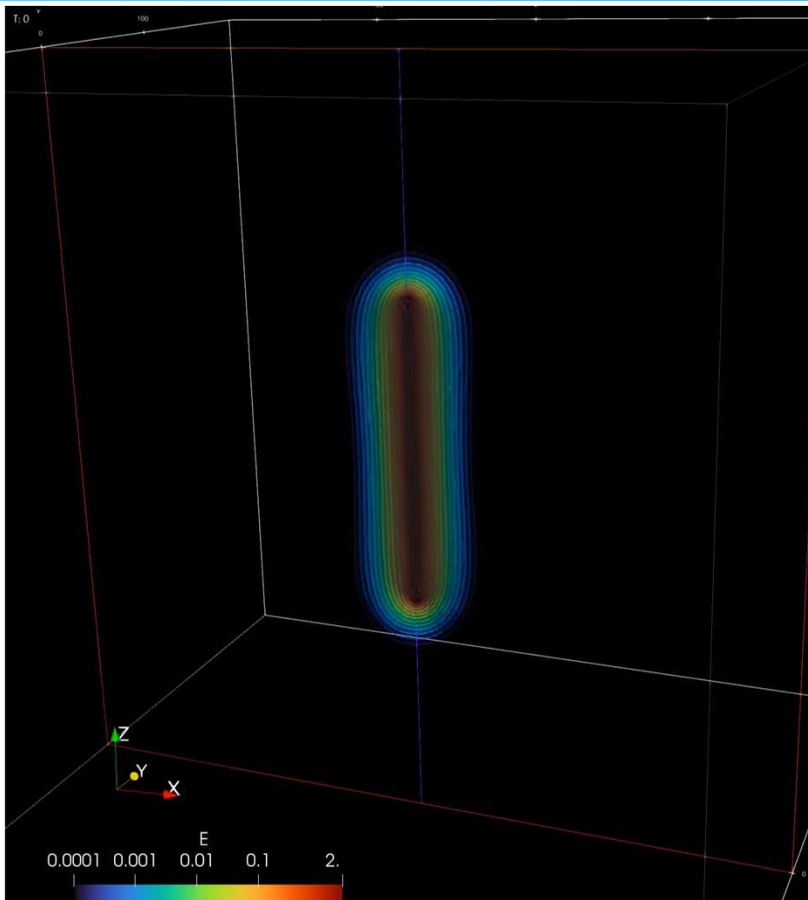


Energy density isosurfaces $\gamma = 0$

I: Dumbbell dynamics

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Dumbbell Annihilation



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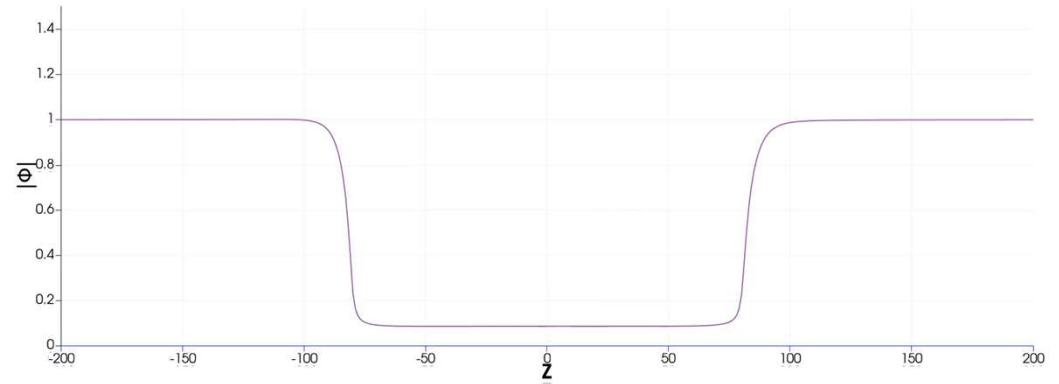
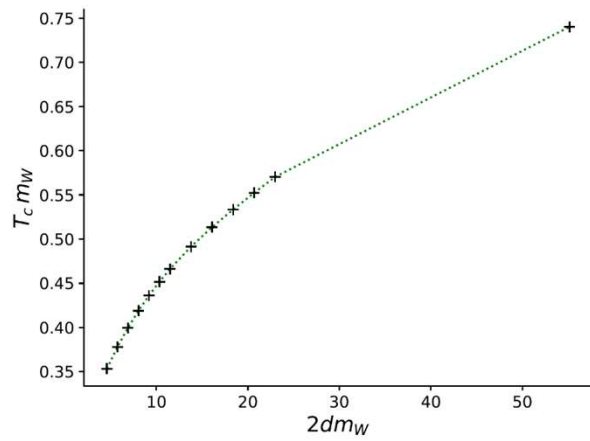
$$\gamma = \pi$$

I: Dumbbell dynamics

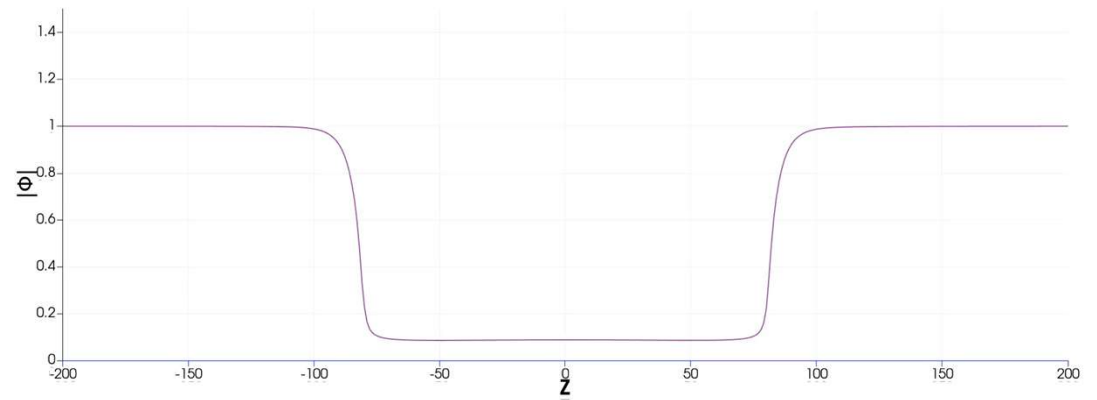
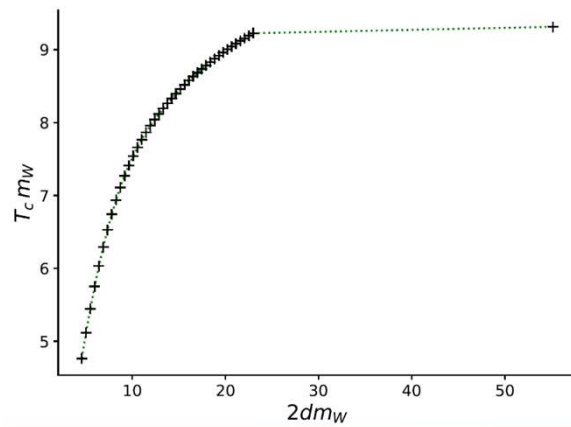
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Separation-Lifetime Relation

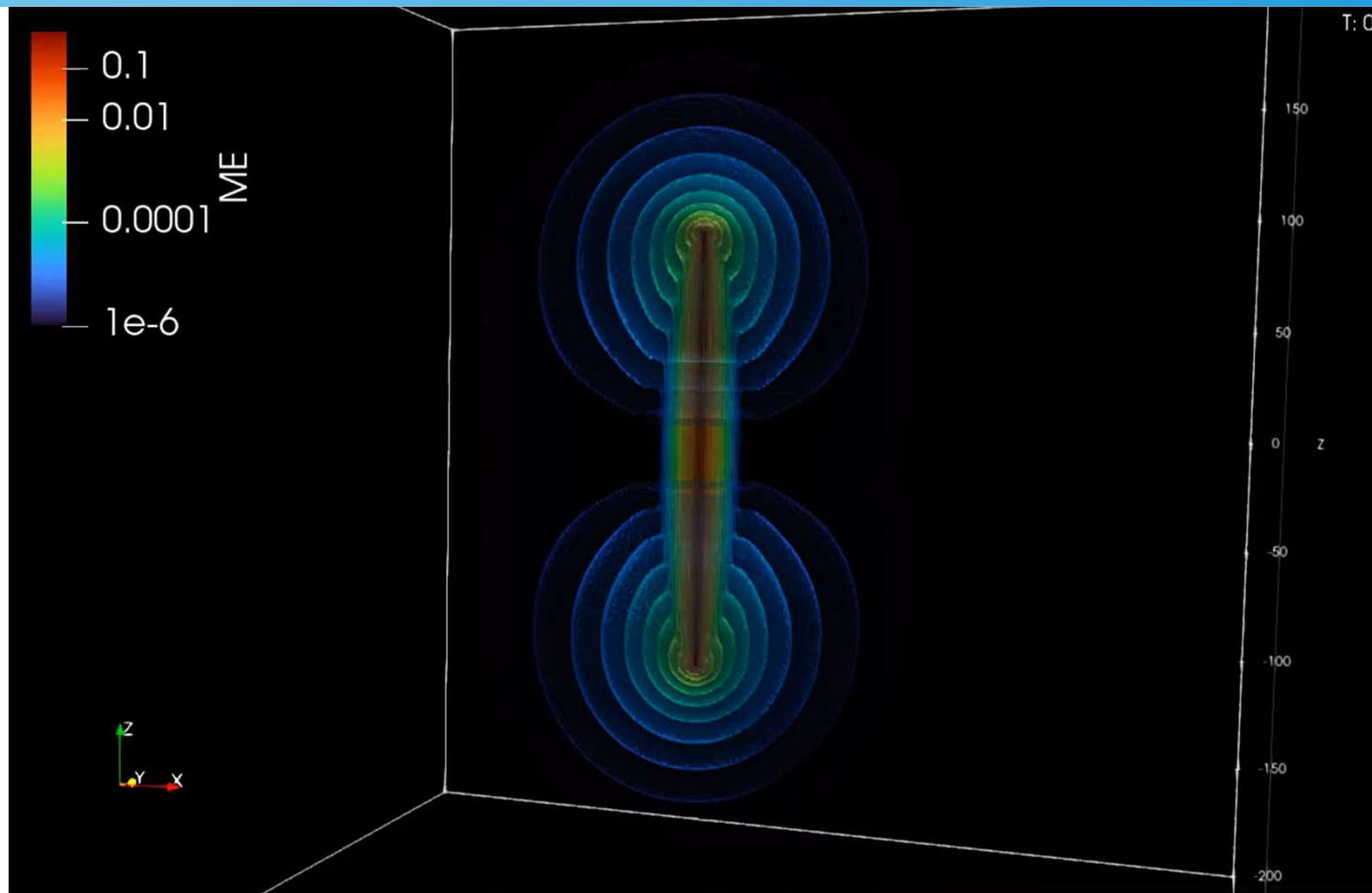
$$\gamma = 0$$



$$\gamma = \pi$$

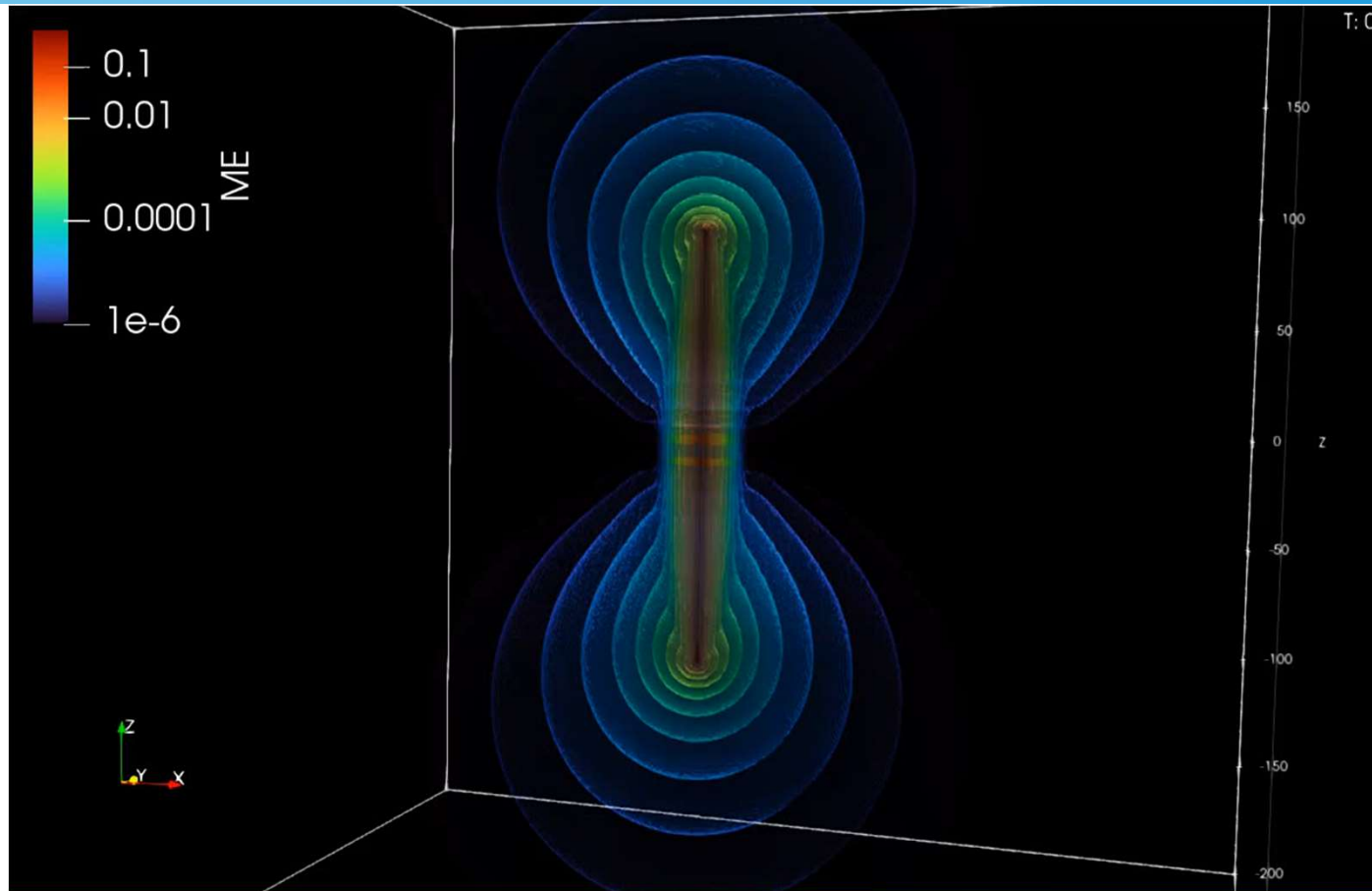


Magnetic relics



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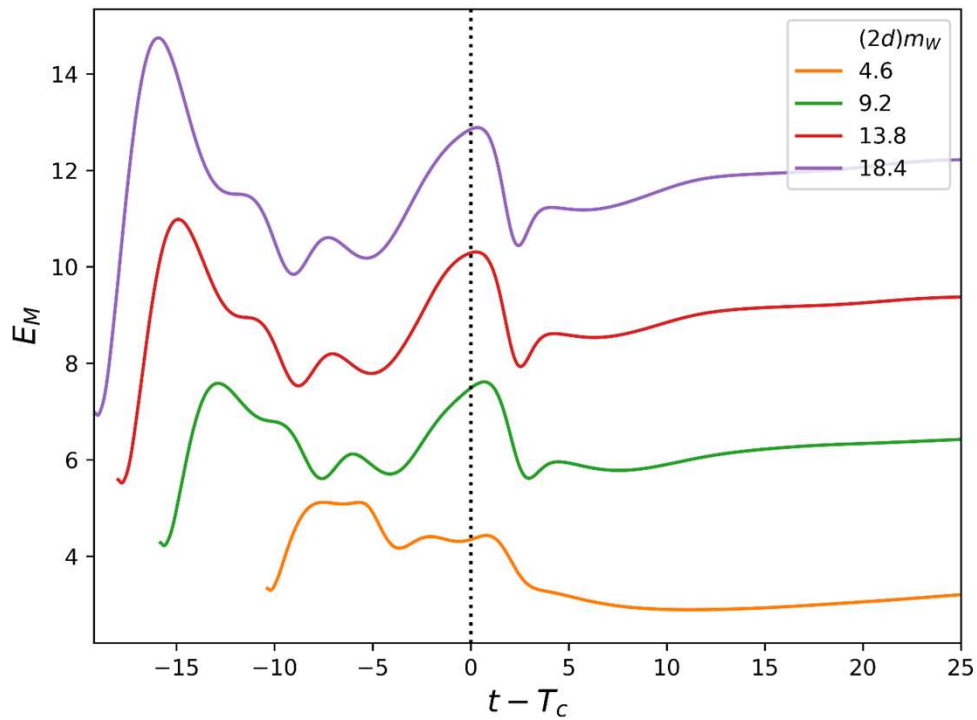
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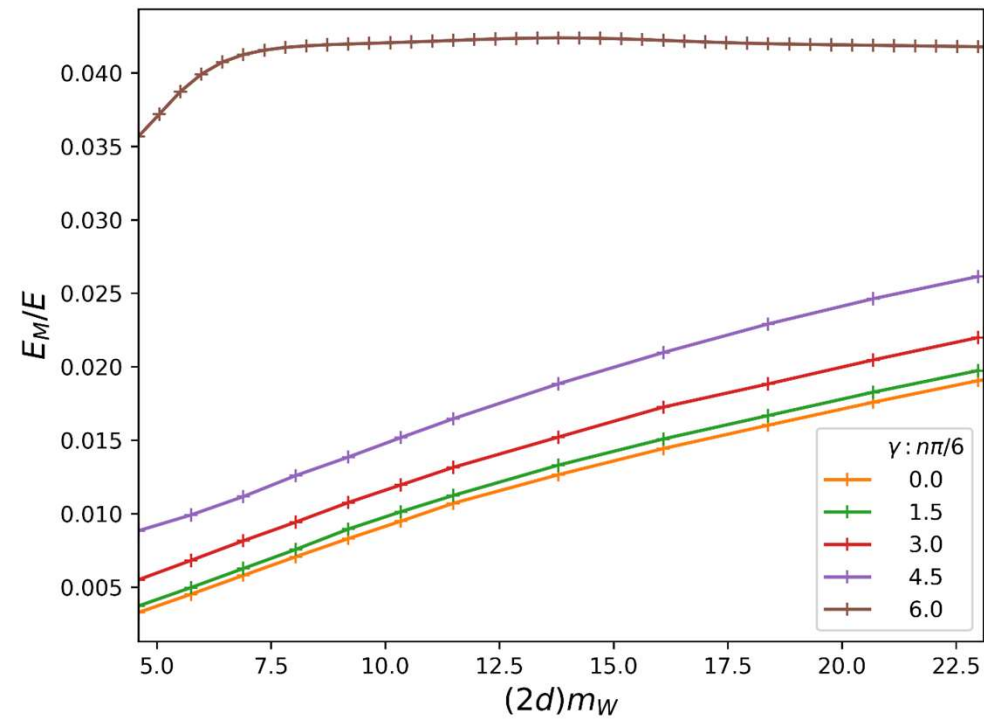
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Magnetic relics

Magnetic energy over time



Relic ME after annihilation



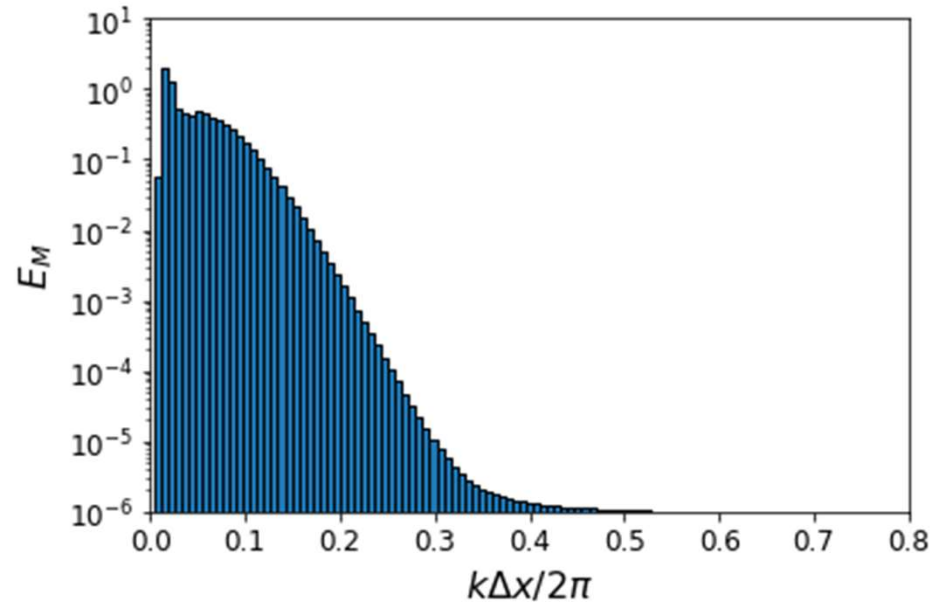
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Part I: Summary

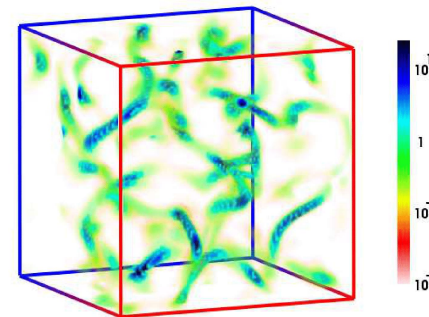
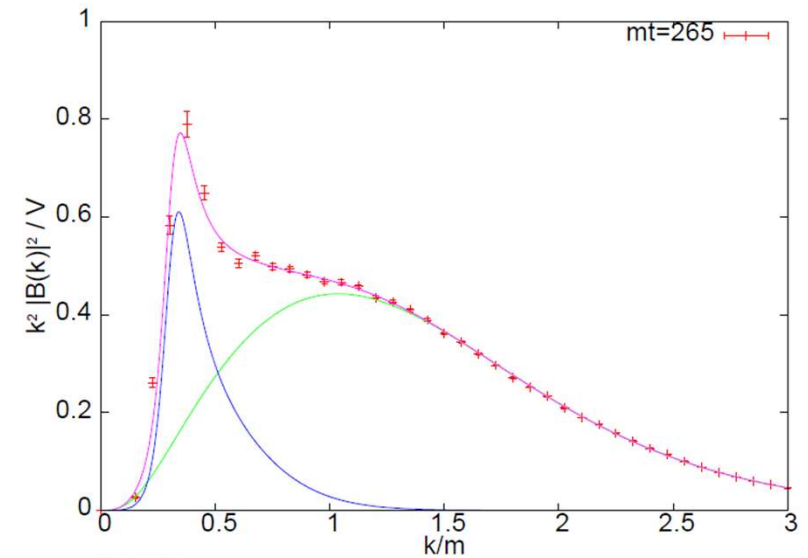
- Resolved the static dumbbell configurations
- Dumbbell annihilation : Lifetimes and magnetic relics
- Maximally twisted dumbbells form sphaleron-like configurations before decay
- Chains of twisted dumbbells could have interesting cosmological consequences (Talk by Tanmay)

Dumbbell is unstable and we can't simulate rotation before it decays!

EWSB Magnetogenesis Simulations



Zhang, Y., Vachaspati, T., & Ferrer, F. (2019).
PRD

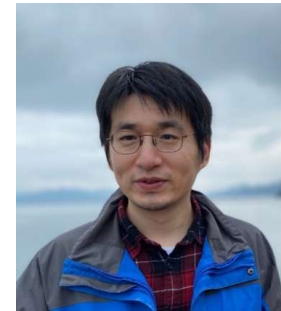


Diaz-Gil, A., Garcia-Bellido, J., Perez, M. G., & Gonzalez-Arroyo, A. (2008).
JHEP

Our EWSB simulations



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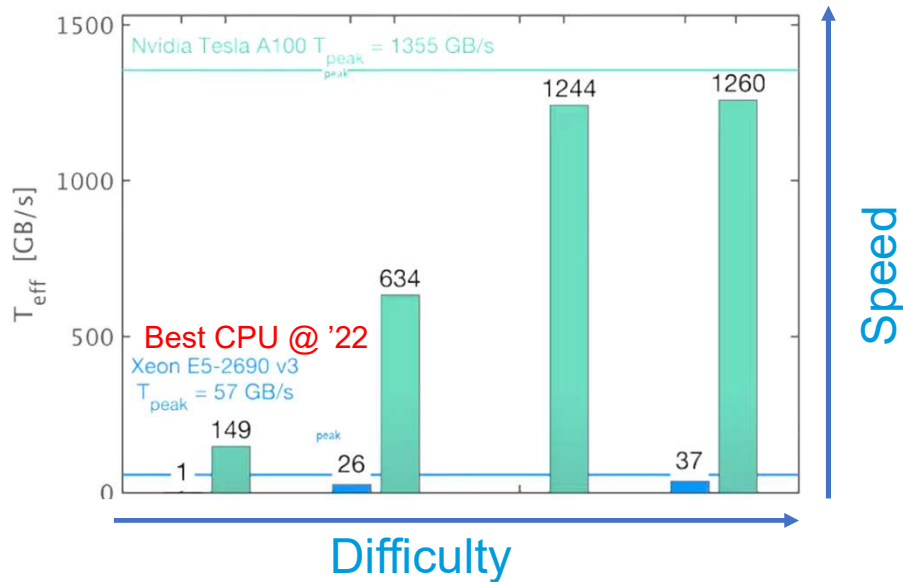


- Developed a GPU code for studying EWSB (Coming to Github Soon)

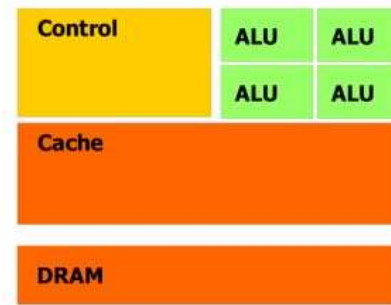


- PDE Approach
- Peak scale in large lattices
- CP violation: Helical magnetic fields

Side Spiel : Parallelization/GPU

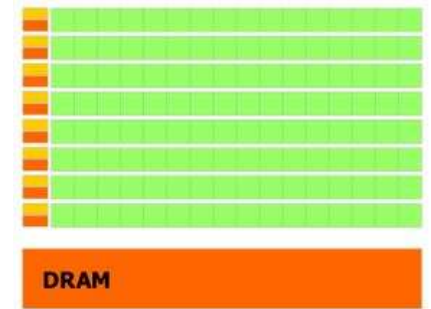


- Explosive growth due to AI development
- Inherently parallelized
- Need to write GPU kernels



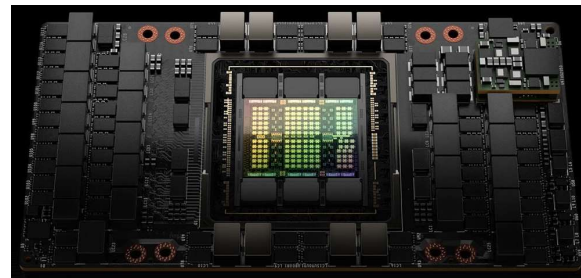
CPU

- CPU – Central Processing Unit
- Low compute density
- Complex control logic

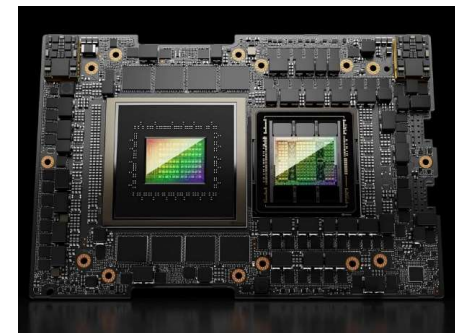


GPU

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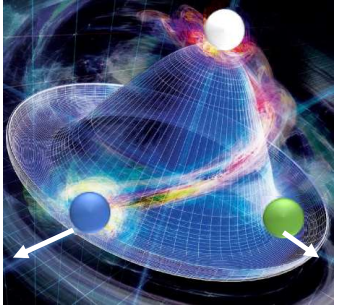


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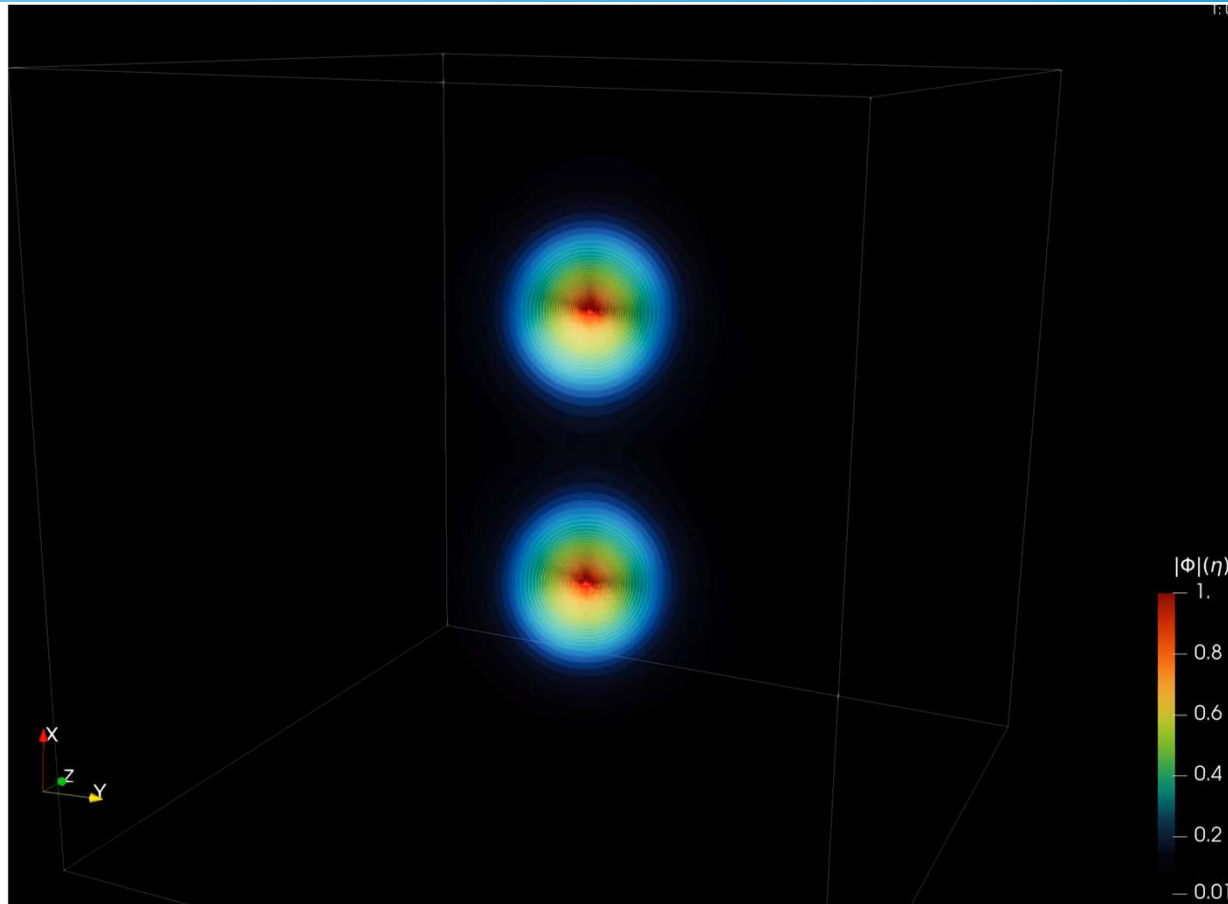


(2024) H200 : 4.8Tb/s

2 Bubbles - Higgs



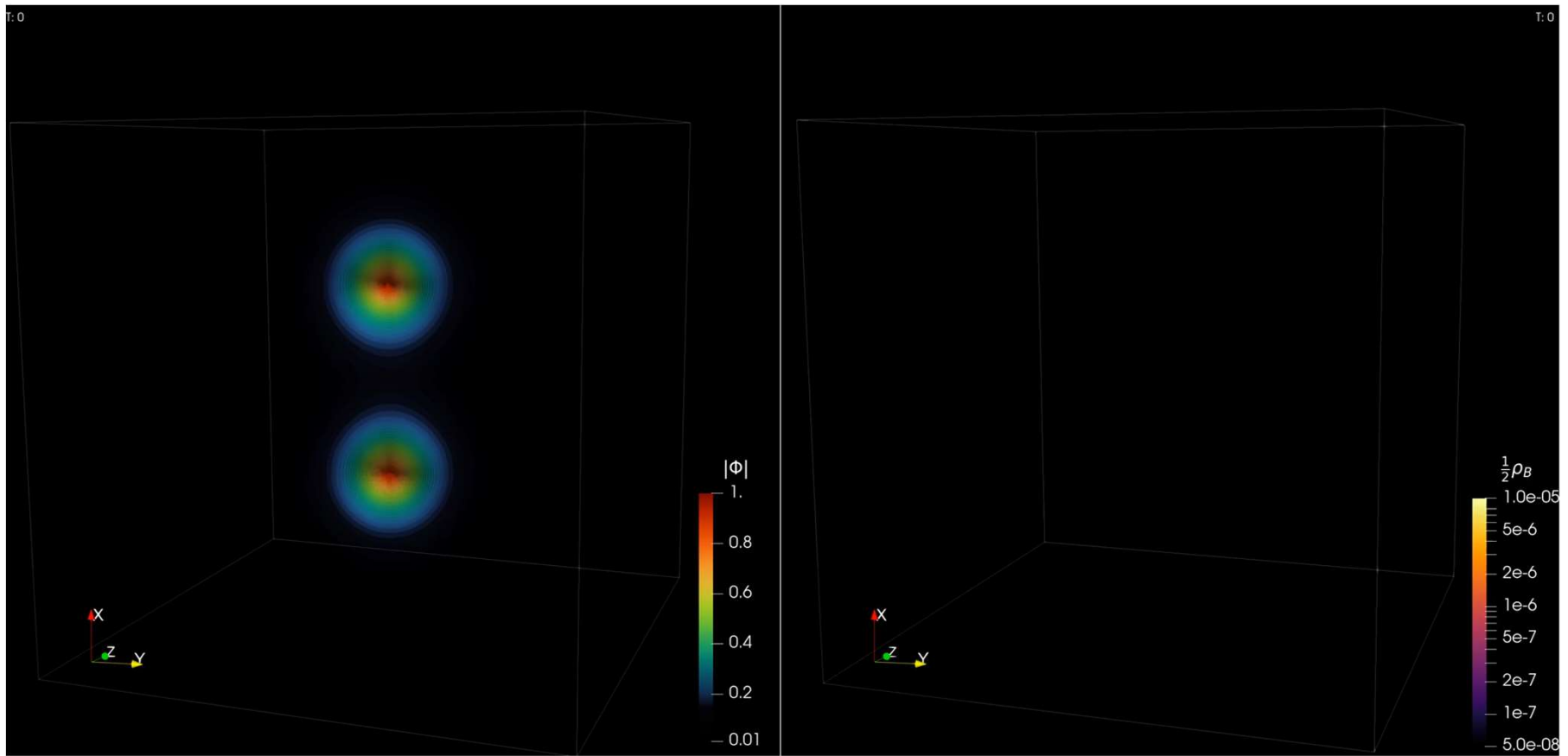
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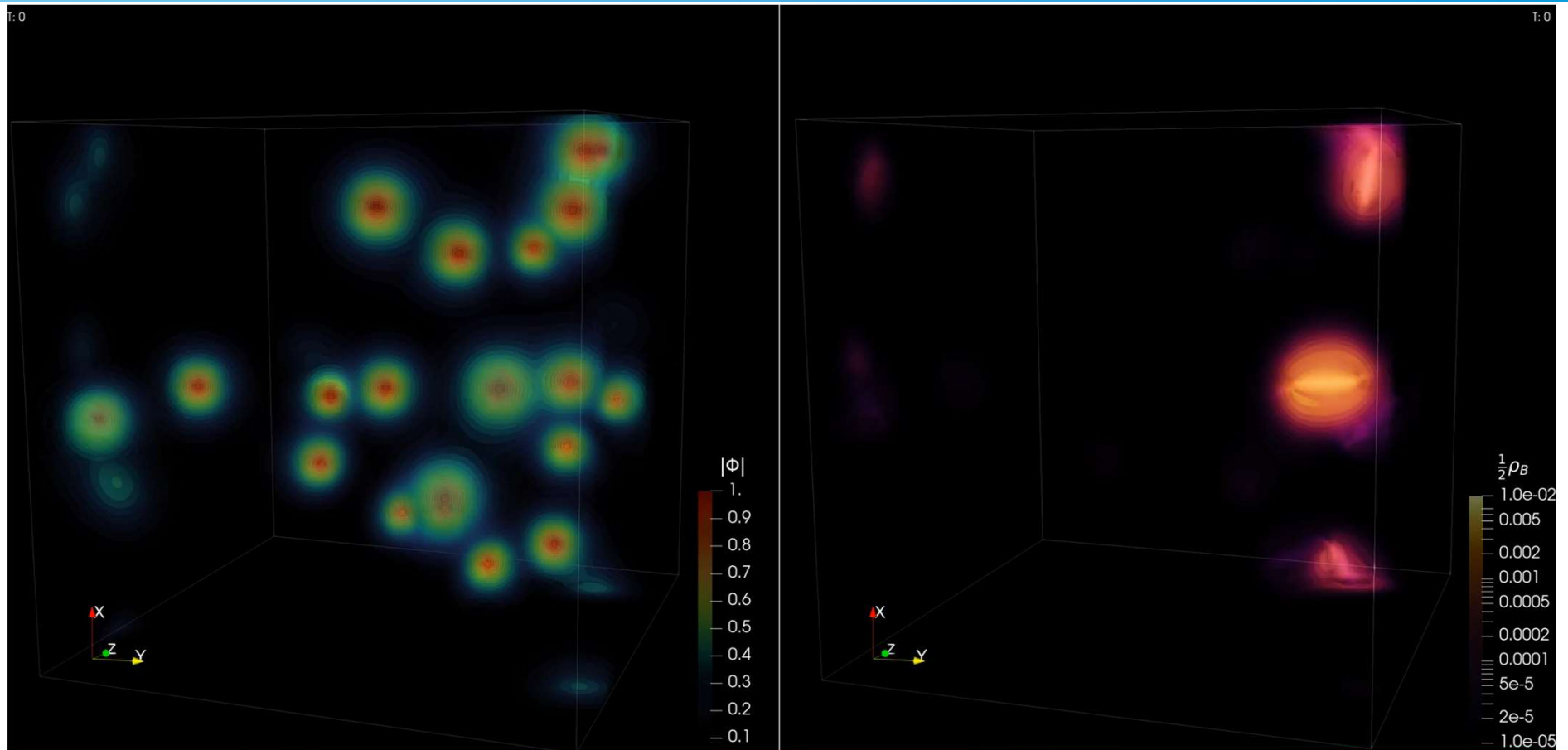
2 Bubbles – Higgs and B



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20 Bubbles – Higgs and B

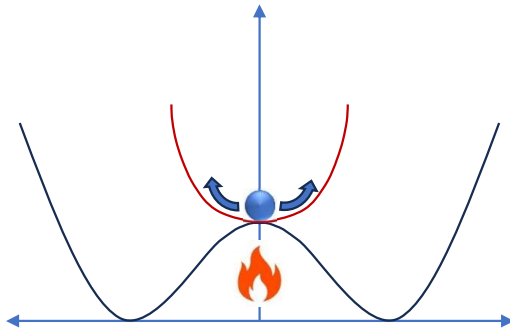


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Our setup

Initial conditions

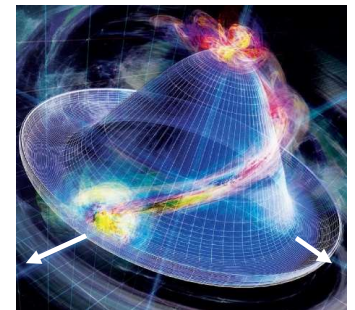
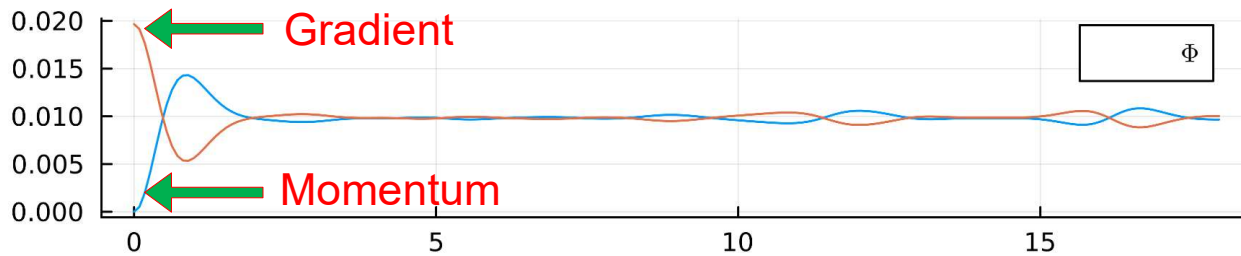


$$\dot{\Phi}(\vec{x}) = \dot{W}_i^a(\vec{x}) = \dot{Y}_i(\vec{x}) = 0$$

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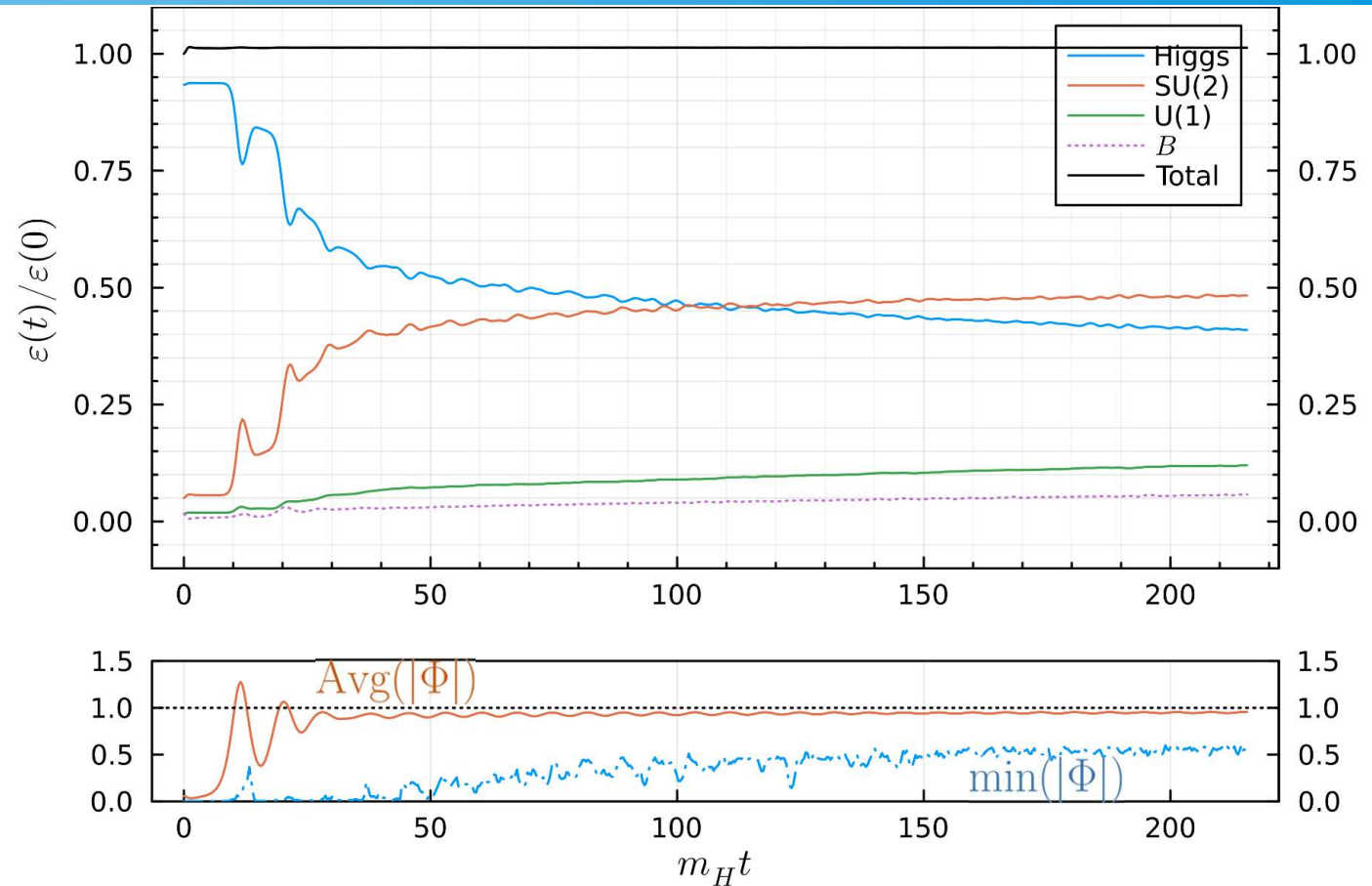
Bose-Einstein Distribution of Fourier modes

Evolve until equilibrium

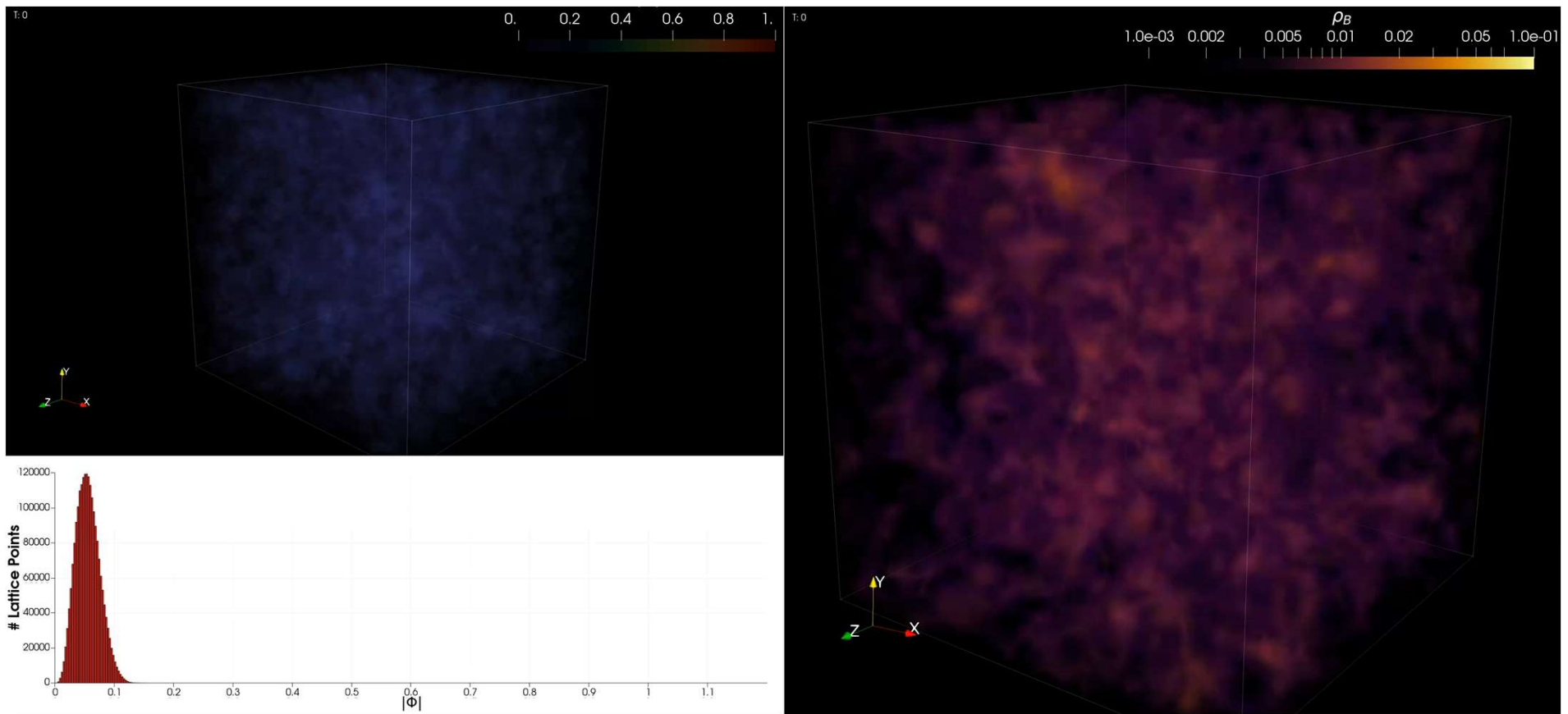


Preliminary results

Periodic Boundary Conditions
Temporal Gauge
Time Evolution : RK4



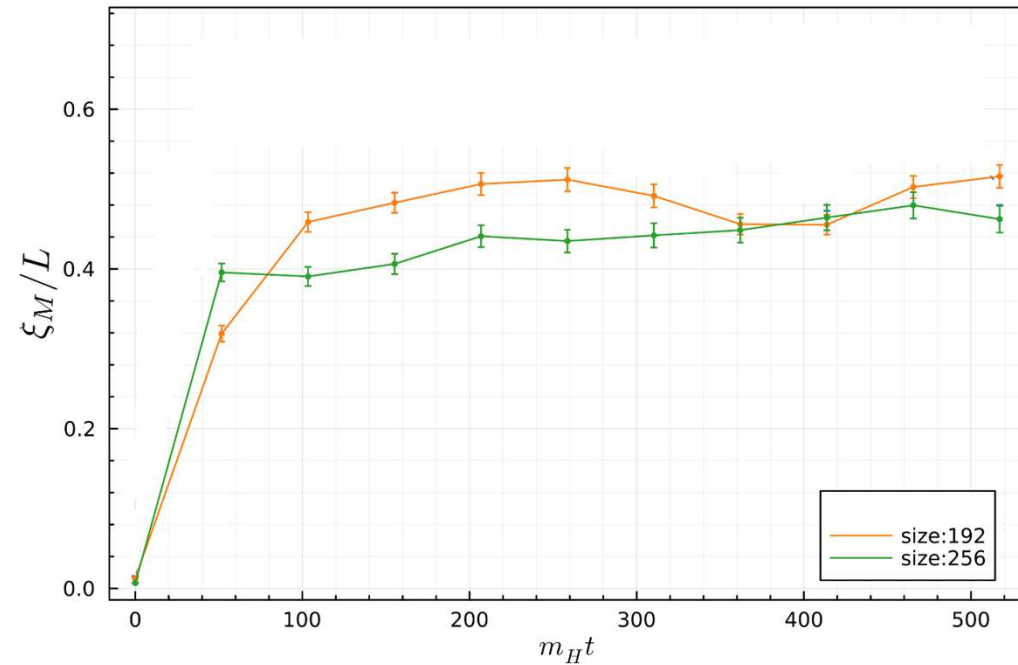
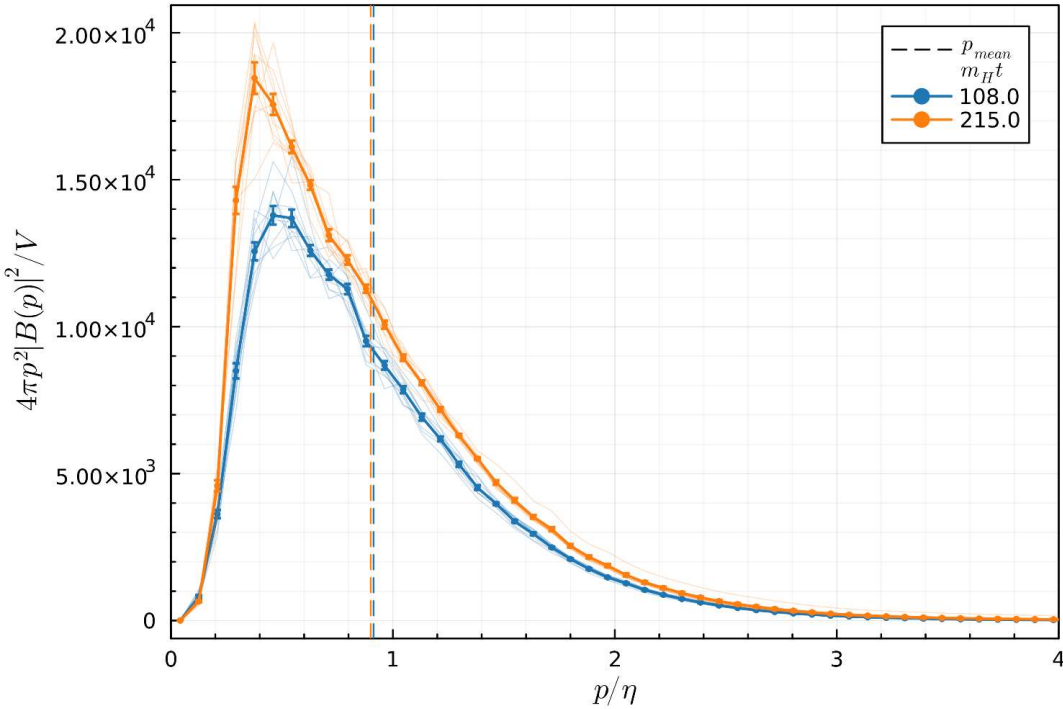
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Preliminary results



$$\xi_M = \frac{\int (2\pi p^{-1}) E_M dp}{\int E_M dp}$$



Part II: Summary

- GPU code developed to simulate EWSB

TO DO

- Peak scale growth (For large lattices)
- Small-k scaling
- CP violating terms

More to come soon!



Thank You

