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Making sense of Lorentz symmetry violation and quantum anomalies in topological phases

Research in progress

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Outline:

1. Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators
2. Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs
3. Fermion sector of the SME in Weyls
4. Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM
5. Gravity + LV + TSCs



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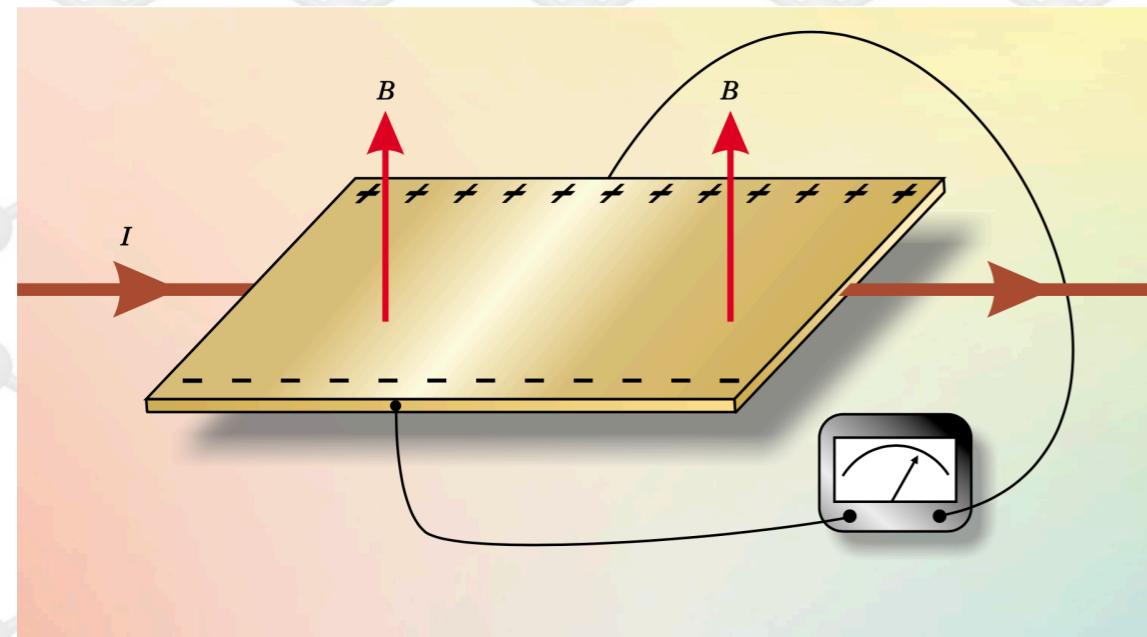
God made the bulk; surfaces were invented by the devil

Topological Matter School

Responses to Topological Matter. August 21–25 2023.

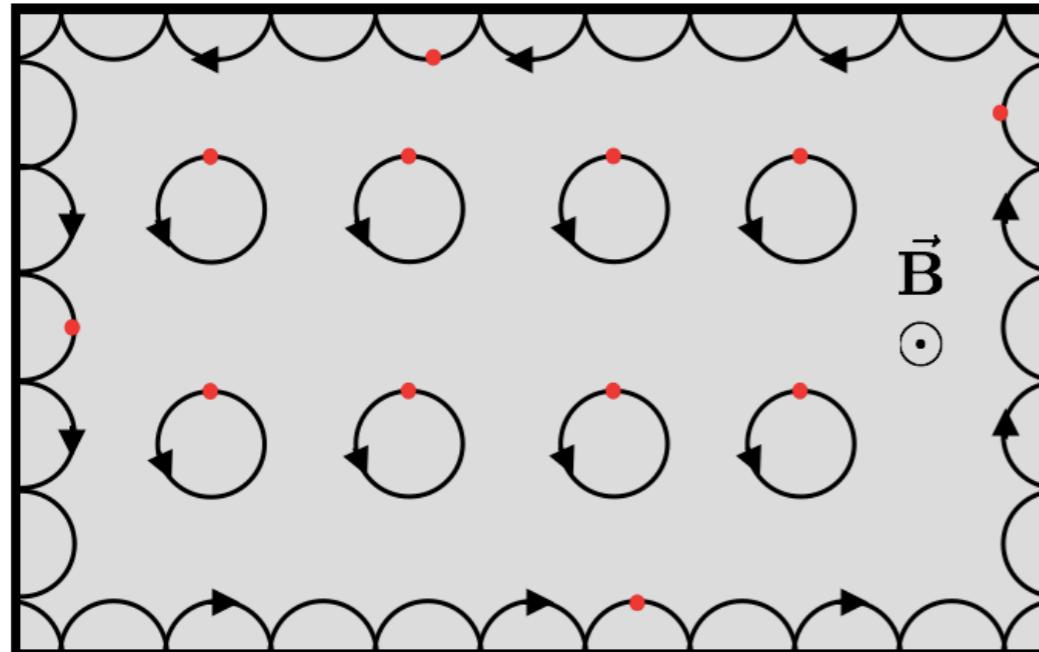
Optical and electronic responses of topological matter are fundamental to understand topological properties in real materials. The Berry curvature is behind numerous effects such as the anomalous Hall effect, the spin Hall effect or even heat currents as observed in the anomalous Nernst effect and the thermal Hall effect. Even more interestingly, the Berry curvature has been recently shown to determine novel and sizable non-linear optical effects, non-linear Hall responses without magnetic fields and universal responses of topological metals. Lastly, magnetotransport in topological metals is an exciting frontier to uncover exotic anomalous responses rooted in concepts from high-energy physics, such as the chiral anomaly. In this edition we will tackle all these phenomena, offering a pedagogical and broad picture of the main responses of topological matter.

Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators



$$m \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = q\mathbf{E} + q\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B} - \frac{m\mathbf{v}}{\tau}$$

Scattering time



$$J_i = \sigma_{ij} E_j$$

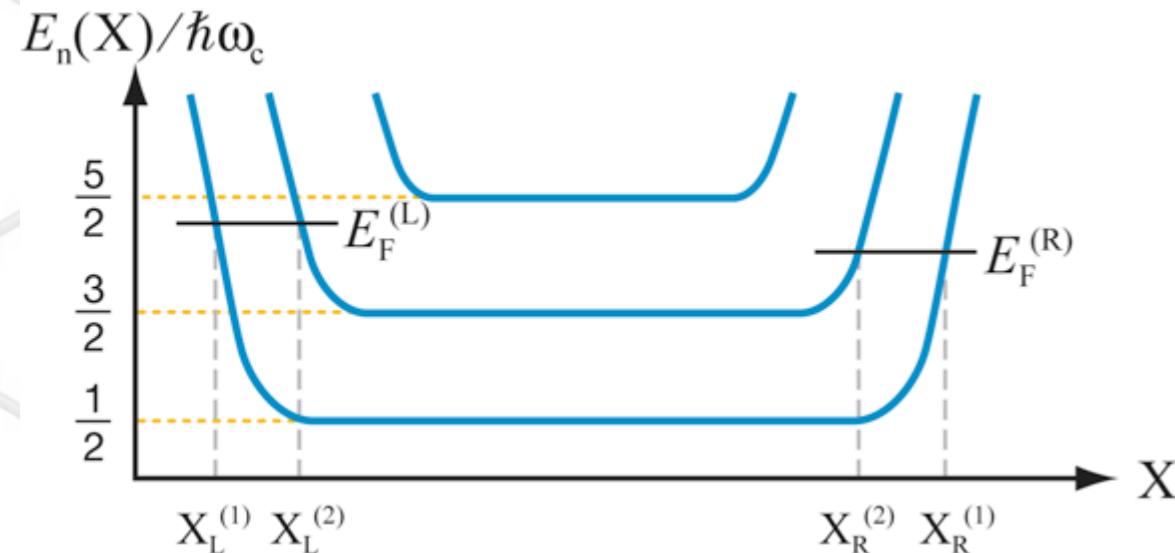
Conductivity

$$\rho_{xx} = \frac{m}{ne^2\tau}$$
$$\rho_{xy} = \frac{B}{ne}$$

τ -independent

iProtection against disorder!

Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators



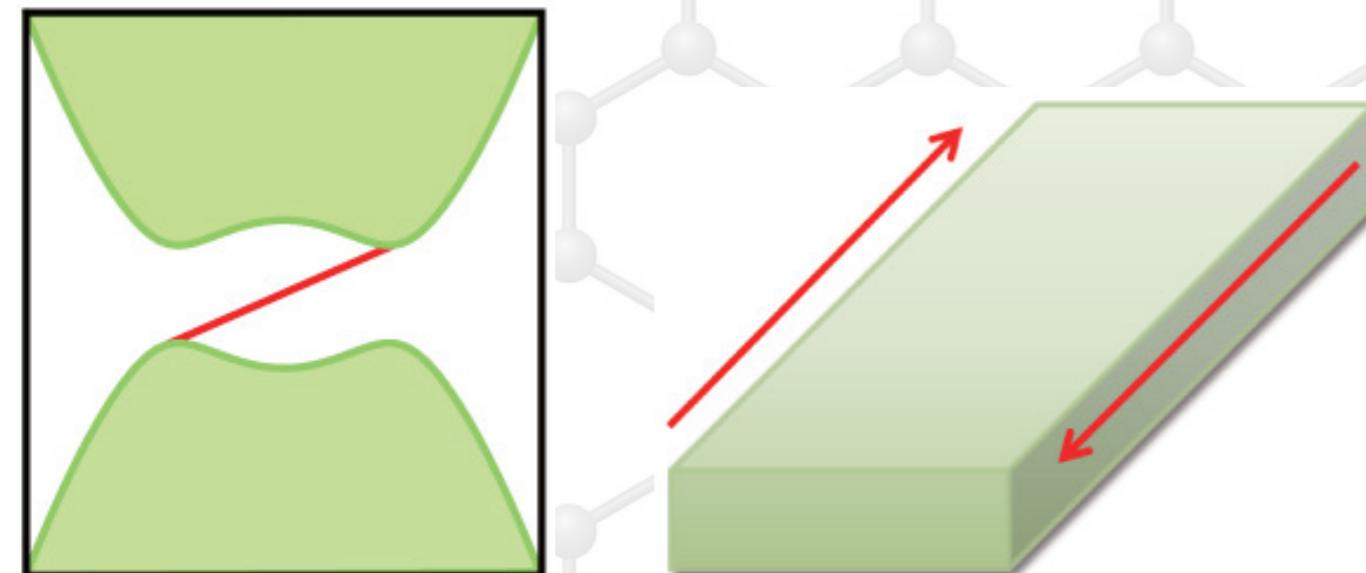
$$J_y = \frac{I_y}{A} = \nu \frac{e^2}{h} E_x$$

$\nu = \# \text{ filled LLs}$



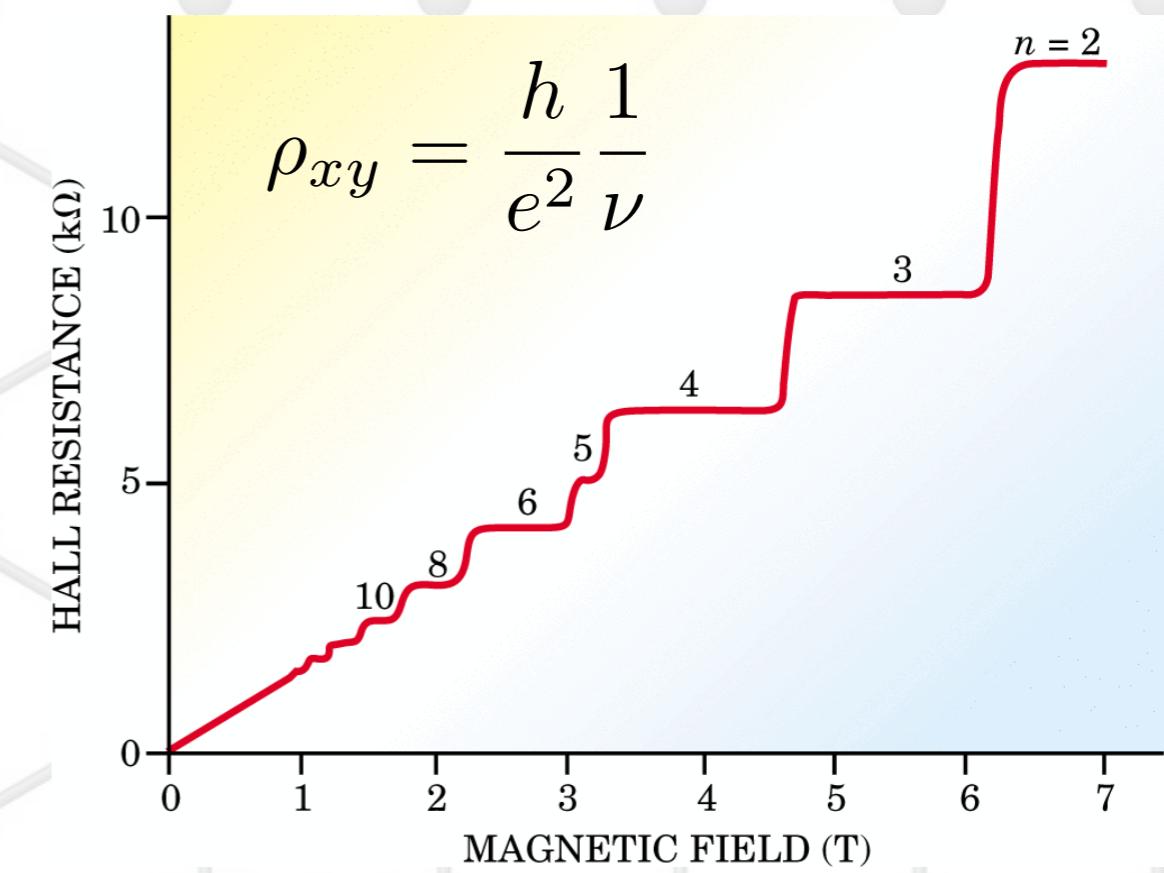
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Landau levels



Bulk dispersion

Edge dispersion



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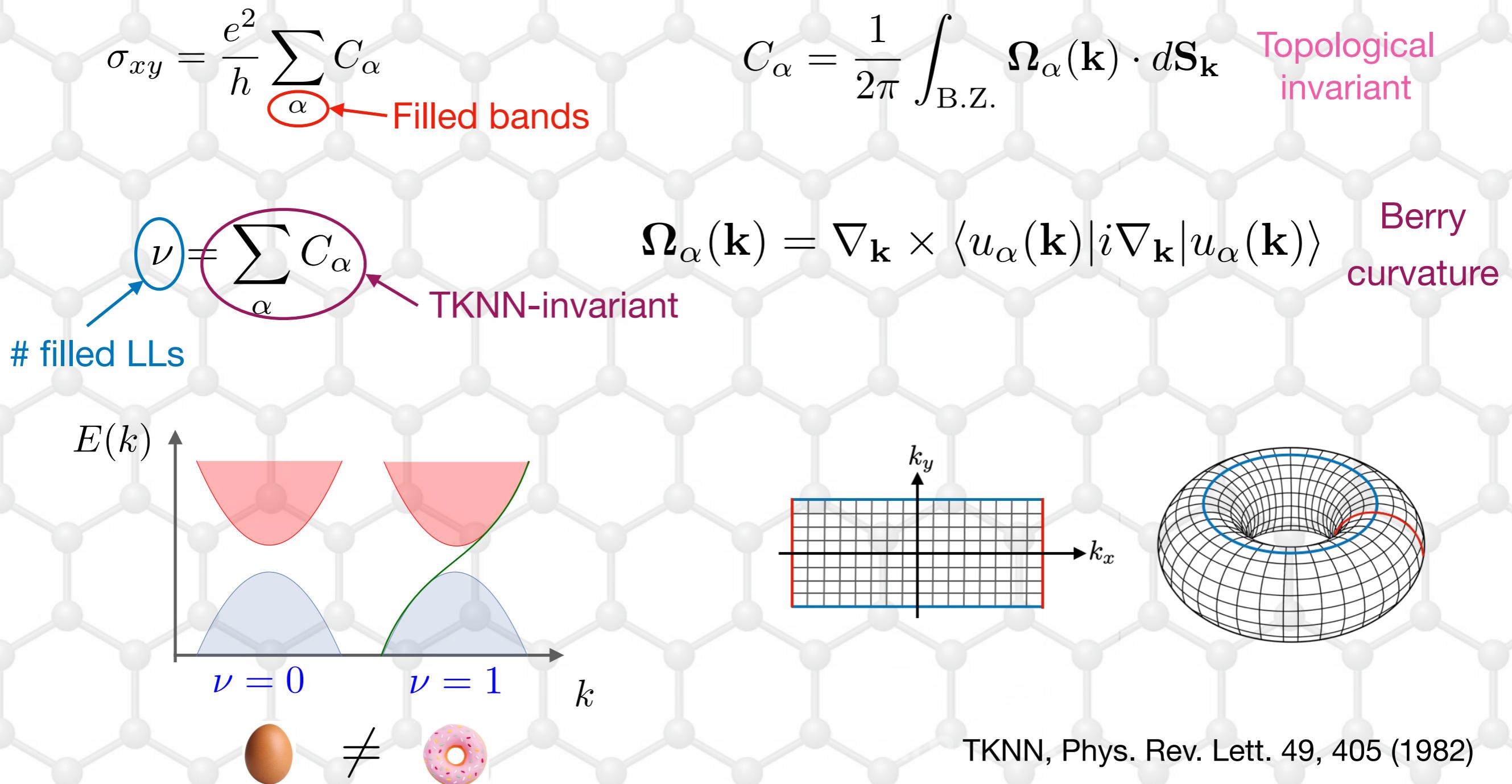
Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators

3 routes towards the IQHE

(1) TKNN invariant

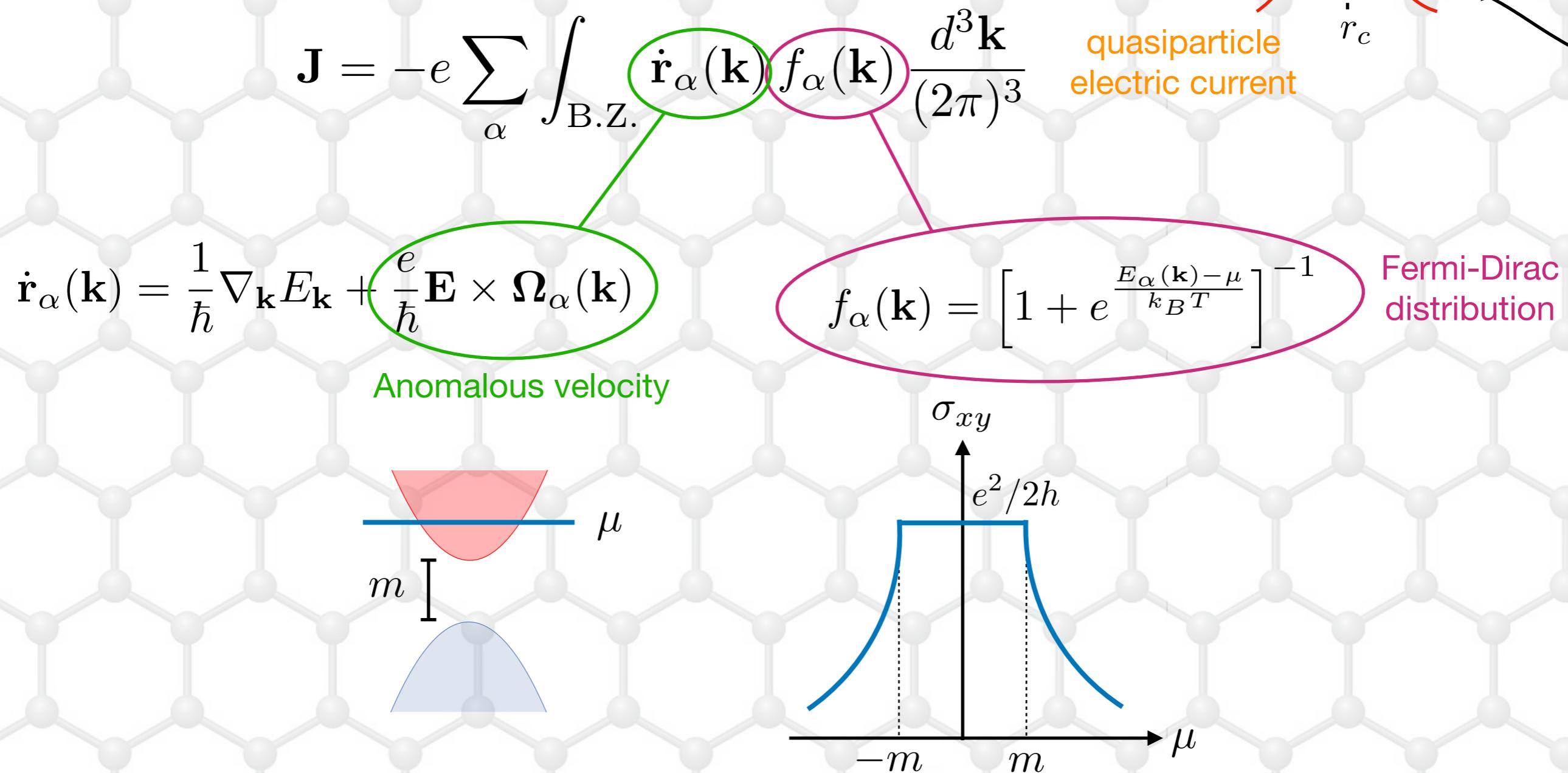


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Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators

(2) Kinetic theory



Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators

(3) Quantum anomalies

$$S[A_\mu] = \int \bar{\psi} (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - eA_\mu \gamma^\mu - m)\psi d^4x$$

Fujikawa method

Integrating out fermions we get the effective action $S_\theta[A_\mu]$

$$e^{iS_\theta[A_\mu]} = \int \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} \mathcal{D}\psi e^{iS[\bar{\psi}, \psi, A_\mu]}$$

$$S_\theta[A_\mu] = \frac{\theta e^2}{32\pi^2} \int \underbrace{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\alpha\beta}}_{\text{total derivative}} d^4x$$

Classical $\theta = 0$

QM: Contribution to partition function

$$e^{iS_\theta} = e^{i\theta C_2}$$

second Chern-number
quantized!!! (open manifold)

$$\mathcal{T}(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B}) = -\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B}$$

$$e^{i\theta C_2} = e^{-i\theta C_2}$$

Imposing TR

$$\theta = n\pi$$

$$S_\theta = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \int \theta \vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} d^3x$$

\mathbb{Z}_2 classification

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Quantum Hall effect and topological insulators

Consequences of the QHE

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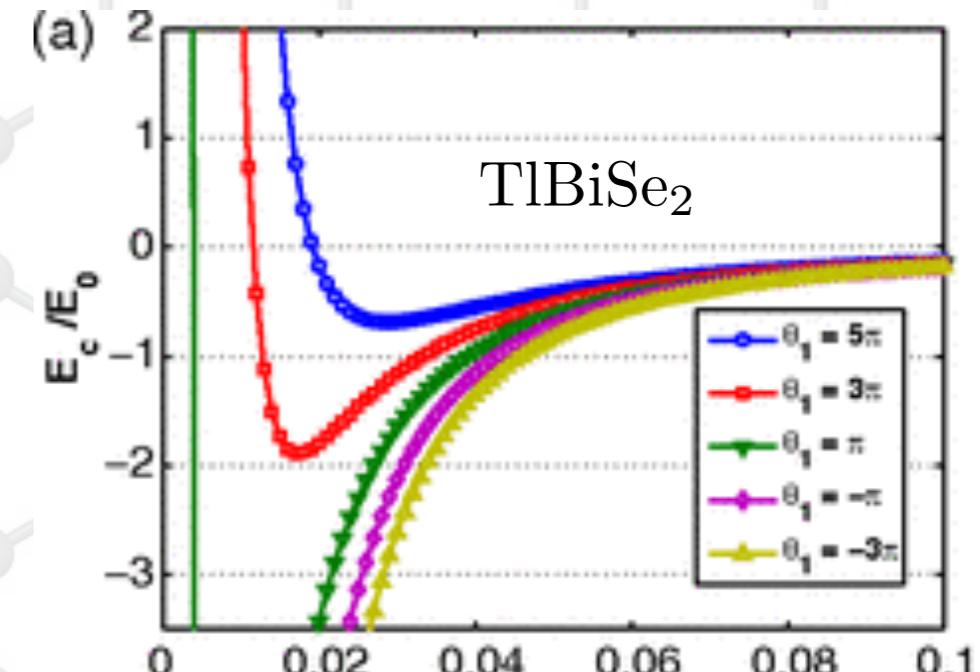
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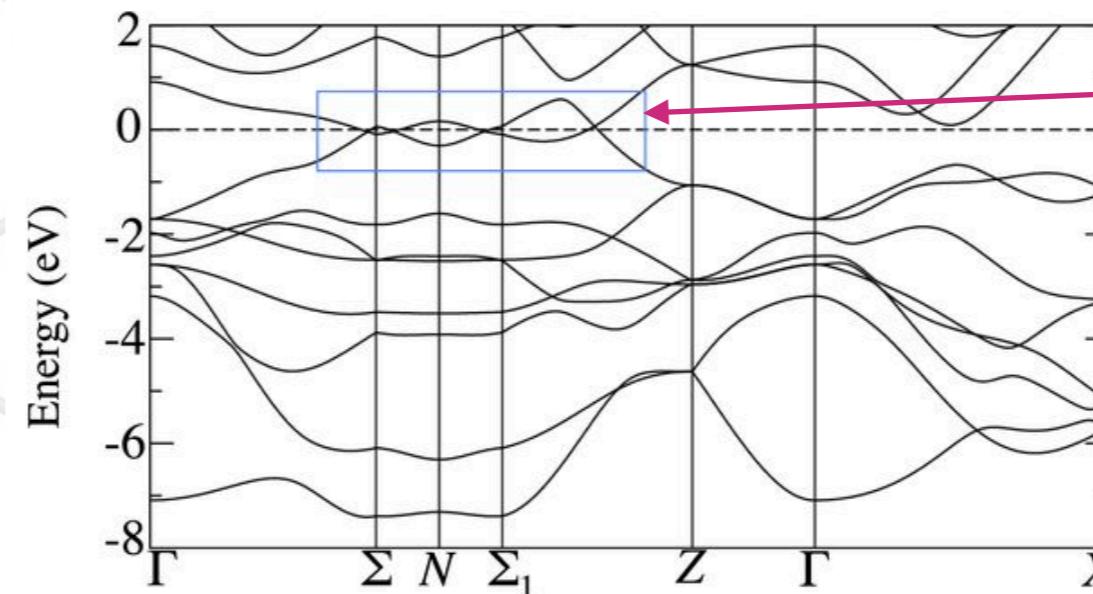
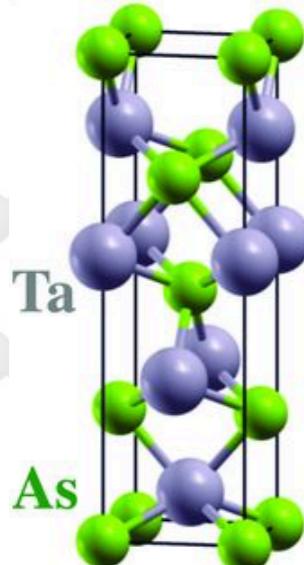
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Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

TaAs



Band crossing points

two Dirac cones with different chiralities

EuCd_2As_2

$$H = \chi \hbar v_F \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot (\mathbf{k} - \chi \mathbf{b})$$

broken TR

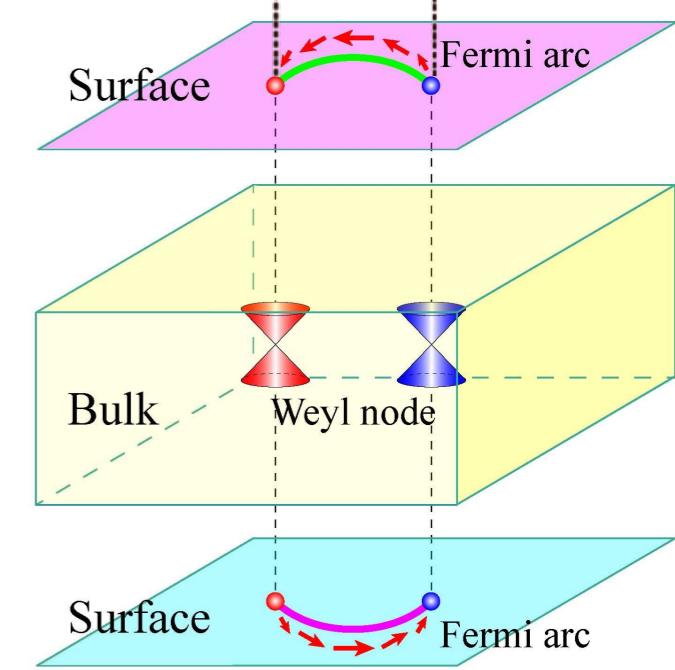
Nielsen-Ninomiya

$$\chi = \pm 1$$

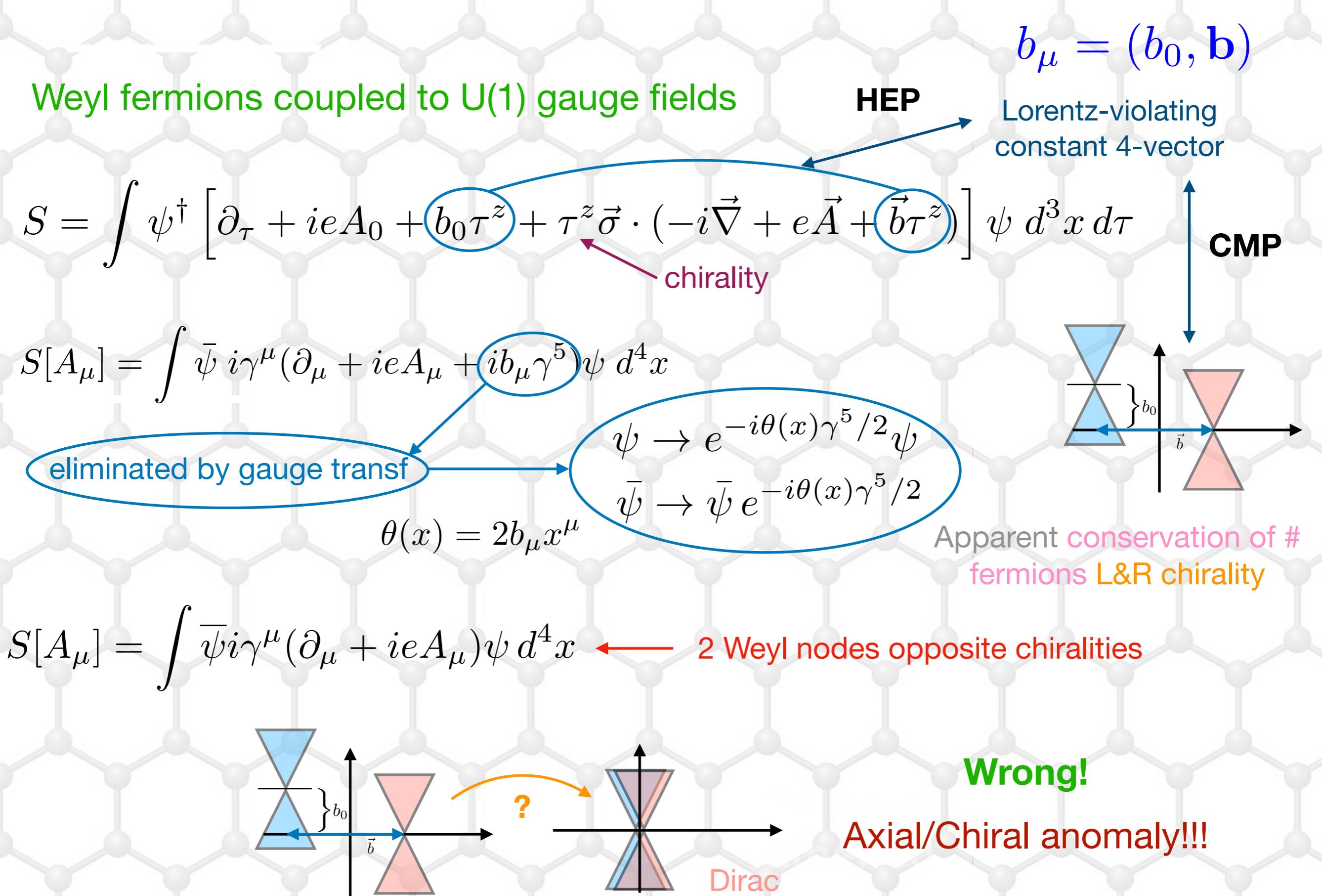
Chirality

$$H\psi_\chi = \chi\psi_\chi$$

Weyl fermions



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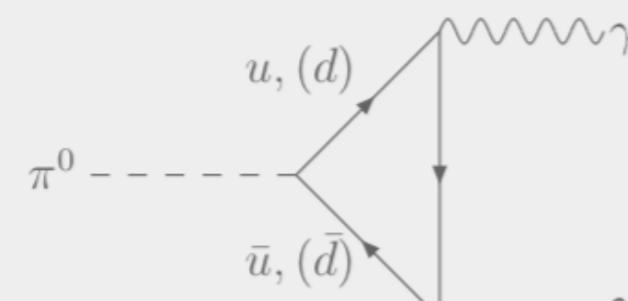
Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Recall HEP

$$J_5^\mu = \bar{\psi} \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu \psi \quad \text{axial current}$$

$$\partial_\mu J_5^\mu = \frac{e^2}{24\pi^2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$$



ABJ anomaly

$$e^{iS_\theta[A_\mu]} = \int \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} \mathcal{D}\psi e^{iS[\bar{\psi}, \psi, A_\mu]}$$

Fujikawa method

$$S_\theta = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \int \theta(\vec{r}, t) \vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} d^3x$$

$$\theta(\vec{r}, t) = 2(\vec{b} \cdot \vec{r} - b_0 t)$$

space-time dependent axion field

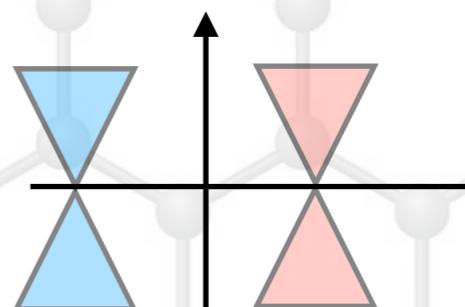
Physical consequences?

TR-breaking

$$\mathbf{b} \neq 0$$

parity-breaking

$$b_0 \neq 0$$



Symmetry considerations

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi^2} \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{E}$$

anomalous Hall effect

$$\mathbf{J} = -\frac{\alpha}{2\pi^2} b_0 \mathbf{B}$$

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Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Chiral kinetic theory

quasiparticle
electric current

$$\mathbf{J} = -e \sum_s \sum_{\chi=\pm 1} \int D_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \dot{\mathbf{r}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) f_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{r}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = \mathbf{v}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) - \dot{\mathbf{k}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \times \boldsymbol{\Omega}_\alpha(\mathbf{k})$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{k}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = -e\mathbf{E} - e\dot{\mathbf{r}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \times \mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{\hbar} \nabla_{\mathbf{k}} [E_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) - \mathbf{m}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \cdot \mathbf{B}]$$

Zeeman splitting

$$\mathbf{m}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = -i \frac{e}{2\hbar} \langle \nabla_{\mathbf{k}} u_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) | \times [H(\mathbf{k}) - E_\alpha(\mathbf{k})] | \nabla_{\mathbf{k}} u_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \rangle$$

magnetic moment

Bloch

Nonequilibrium
distribution

$$D_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = 1 + \frac{e}{\hbar} \mathbf{B} \cdot \boldsymbol{\Omega}_\alpha(\mathbf{k})$$

modified density of states

$$W(\mathbf{r}; \mathbf{r}_c, \mathbf{k}_c)$$

r_c

Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Anomalous Hall effect, Ohm law...

E-field \mathbf{E}

B-field $\mathbf{B} = 0$

topological part

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{e^2}{\hbar} \mathbf{E} \times \int \Omega_s(\mathbf{k}) f_s(\mathbf{k}, t) \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi^2} c \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{E}$$

anomalous Hall effect

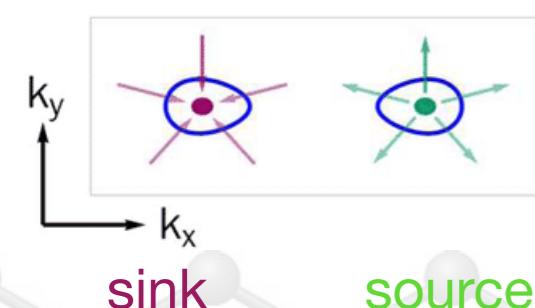
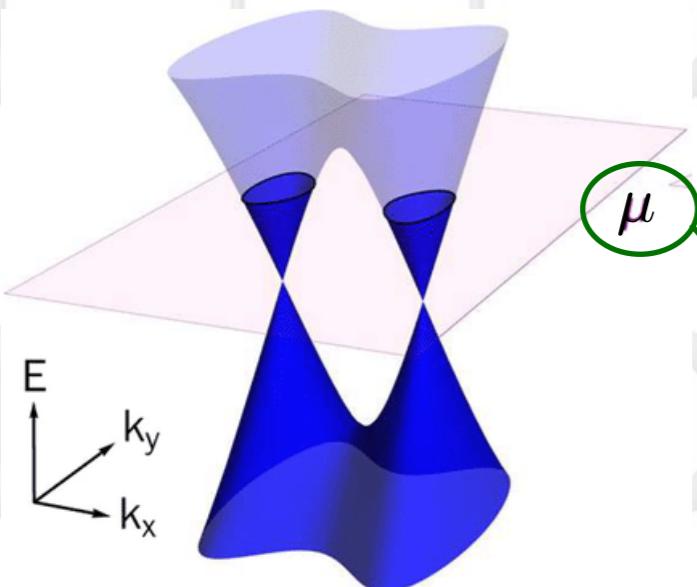
non-topological part

$$\mathbf{J} = \sigma_D \mathbf{E}$$

$$\sigma_D = \frac{\tau e^2 \mu^2}{3\pi^2 \hbar^3 v_F}$$

vanishing at neutrality

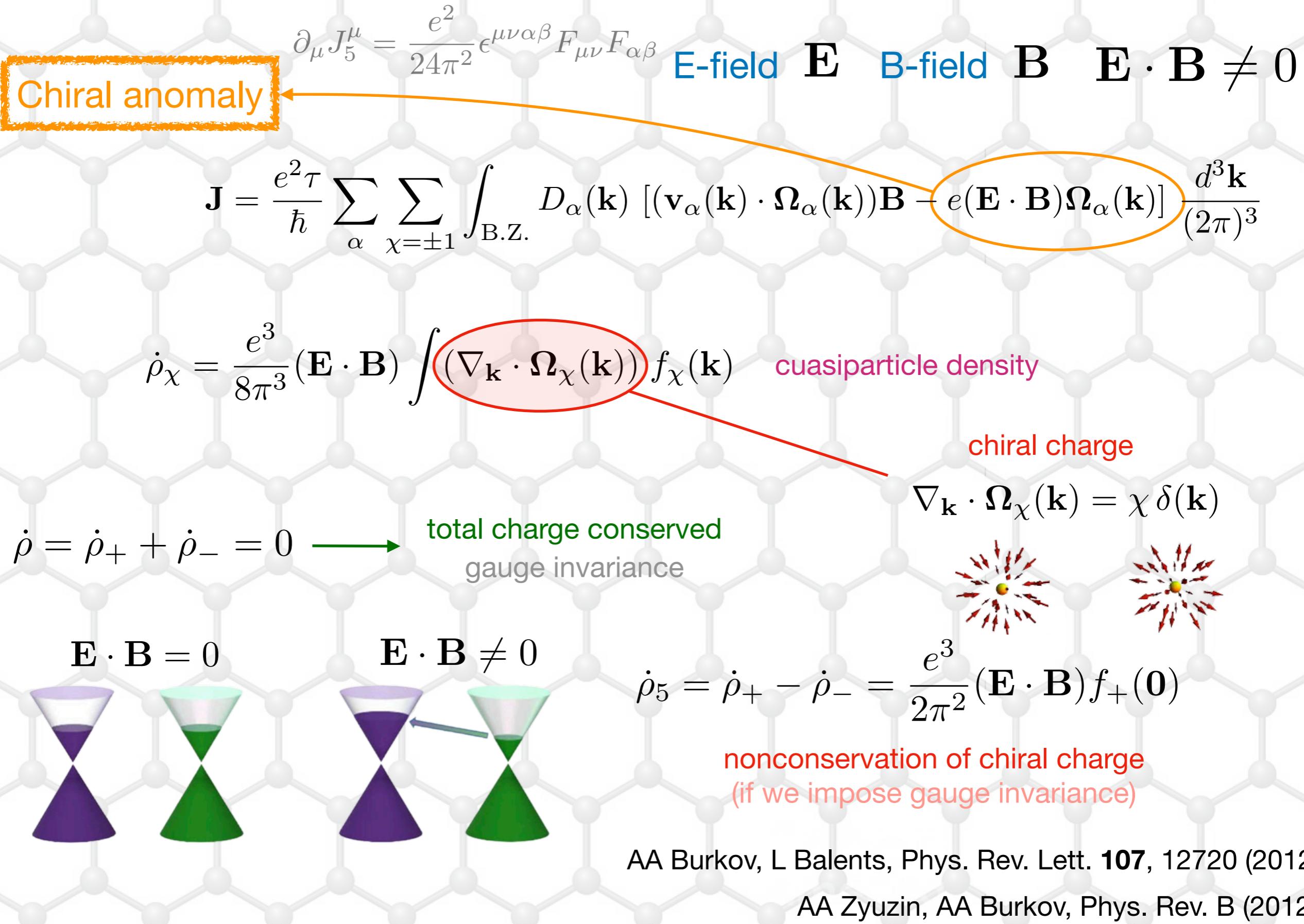
EuCd_2As_2



$$\Omega_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = -s\chi \frac{\mathbf{k}}{k^3}$$

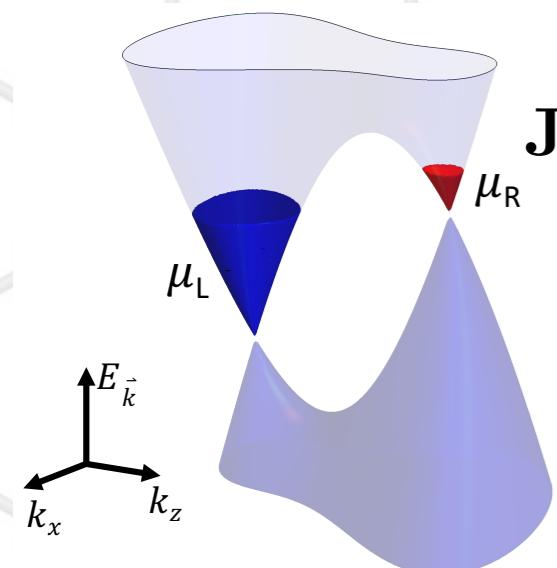
monopoles

Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs



Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Statistical transport induced by axial anomaly



$$\mathbf{J} = -e \sum_{\alpha=\pm 1} \int \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \left(\mathbf{r}_\alpha + \frac{1}{e} \mathbf{m}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) \times \nabla_{\mathbf{r}} \right) f_\alpha(\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{r})$$

Magnetization current

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{M}$$

$$\sigma_0 = e^2 \tau / h^2$$

conductance quantum

$$\mathbf{J}_5 = \frac{2}{3} \sigma_0 \nabla \mu_5 \times \mathbf{E}$$

$$\mu_5 = (\mu_R - \mu_L)/2$$

chiral Fermi level

$$\partial_\mu J_5^\mu = \frac{e^2}{2\pi h} \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

Chiral anomaly induced statistical transport...

$$S[A_\mu] = \int \bar{\psi} i \gamma^\mu \left(\partial_\mu + ie A_\mu + ib_\mu \gamma^5 - \frac{4}{3} i (\tau/\hbar) \mu_5 \gamma^5 \right)$$

Chiral anomaly!!!

Fujikawa method

$$\mathcal{L}_\theta = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \theta \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

$$b_\mu = \partial_\mu \theta$$

\rightarrow

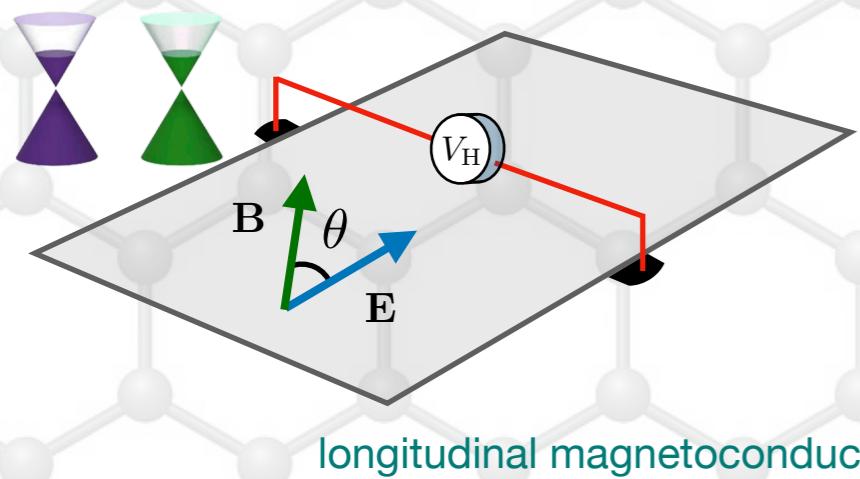
$$b_\mu + a_\mu = \partial_\mu \left(\theta + \frac{4}{3} (\tau/\hbar) \mu_5 \right)$$

chiral gauge field!!!

- electroweak plasma in the early Universe
- quark-gluon plasmas created in heavy ion collisions
- supernova explosions

Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Planar Hall effect



$$\sigma_{xx} = -e^2 \tau \sum_{\alpha} \int D_{\alpha} \left[v_x + \frac{eB \cos \theta}{\hbar} (\mathbf{v}_{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\Omega}_{\alpha}) \right]^2 \frac{\partial f_{\alpha}}{\partial E_{\alpha}} \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3}$$

$\theta = 0$

topological chiral anomaly

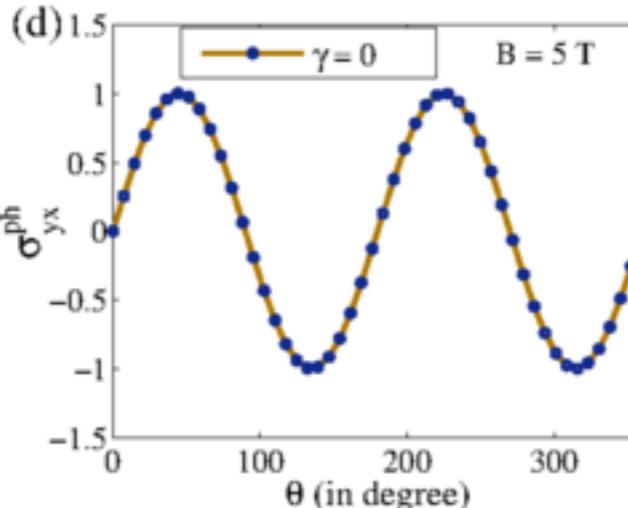
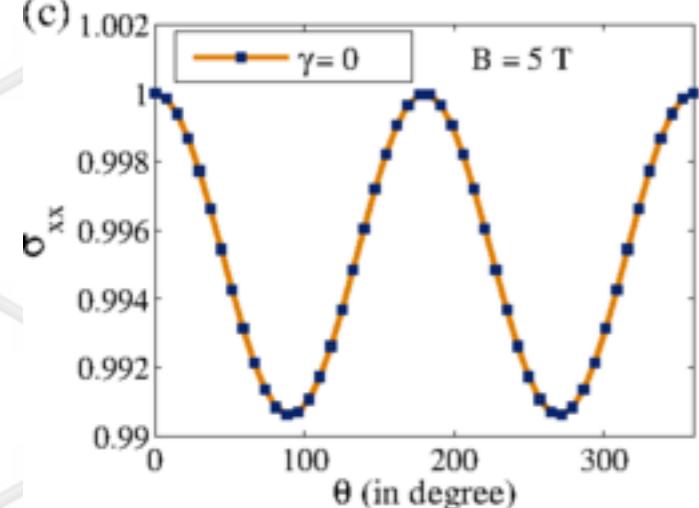
Absent for a regular Fermi liquid

$$\sigma_{yx} = -e^2 \tau \sum_{\alpha} \int D_{\alpha} \left\{ \frac{eB \sin \theta}{\hbar} (\mathbf{v}_{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\Omega}_{\alpha}) \times \left[v_x + \frac{eB \cos \theta}{\hbar} (\mathbf{v}_{\alpha} \cdot \boldsymbol{\Omega}_{\alpha}) \right] \right\} \frac{\partial f_{\alpha}}{\partial E_{\alpha}} \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3}$$

$$H = [m (\cos(k_y b) + \cos(k_z c) - 2) + 2t (\cos(k_x a) - \cos k_0)] \sigma_x$$

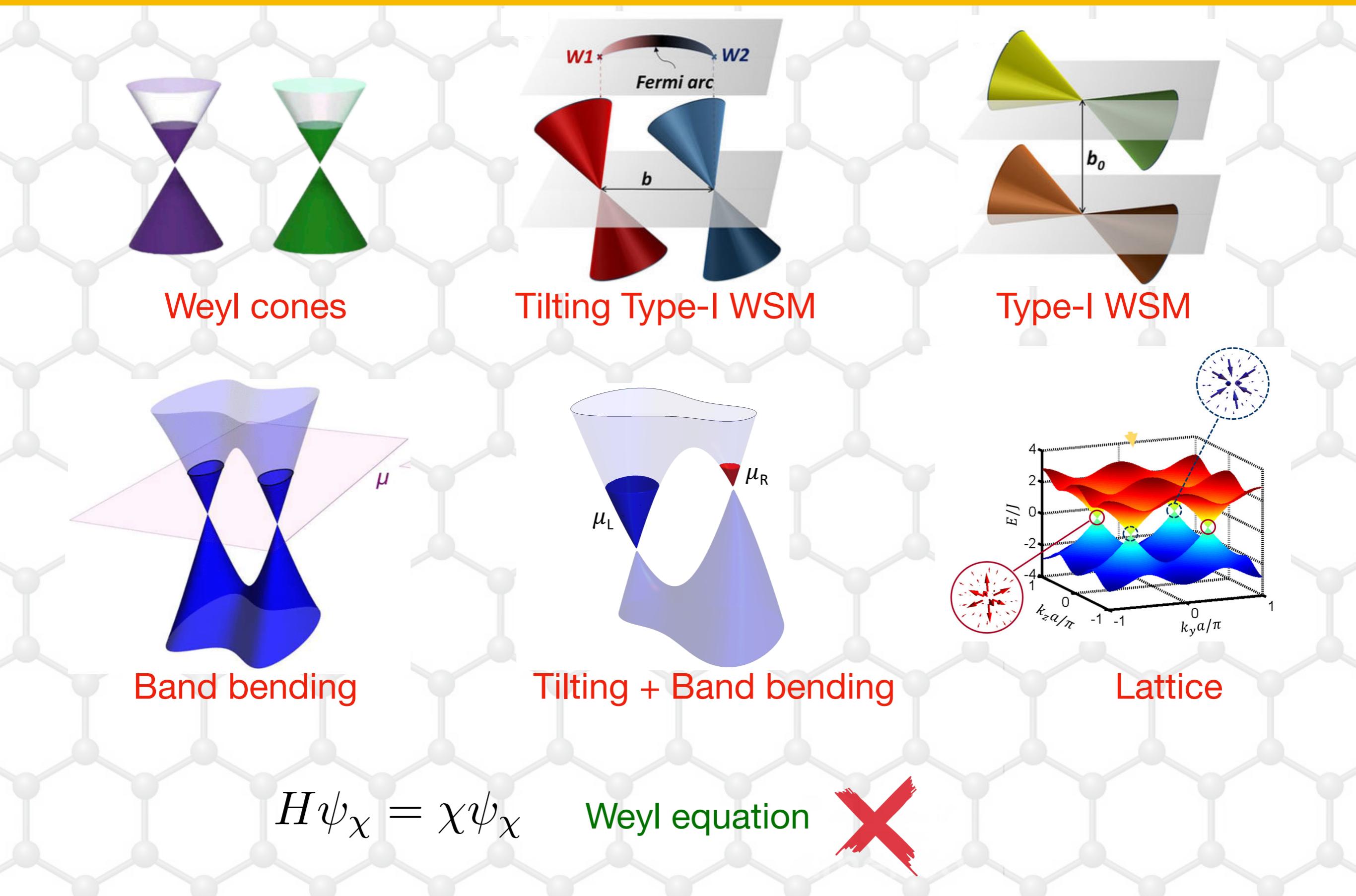
$$-2t \sin(k_y b) \sigma_y - 2t \sin(k_z c) \sigma_z$$

$$H_T = \gamma [\cos(k_x a) - \cos k_0] \sigma_0$$



Under study: magnetic moment and spin-orbit coupling effects

Fermion sector of the SME in Weyls



Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

Towards a complete field-theoretical description of Weyl semimetals

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QED}} = \frac{1}{2} \bar{\psi} (i \Gamma^\mu D_\mu - M) \psi + \mathcal{L}_{\text{ED}}$$

$$\Gamma^\mu = \gamma^\mu + \delta\Gamma^\mu$$

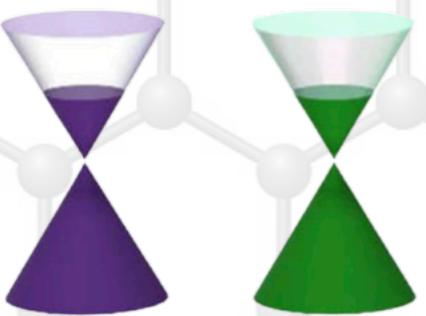
$$M = m + \delta M$$

$$\delta\Gamma^\mu = c^{\nu\mu}\gamma_\mu + d^{\nu\mu}\gamma_5\gamma_\nu + e^\mu + i f^\mu\gamma_5 + \frac{1}{2}g^{\alpha\beta\mu}\sigma_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\delta M = a^\mu\gamma_\mu + b^\mu\gamma_5\gamma_\mu + \frac{1}{2}H^{\mu\nu}\sigma_{\mu\nu}$$

axial coupling

Weyl semimetals



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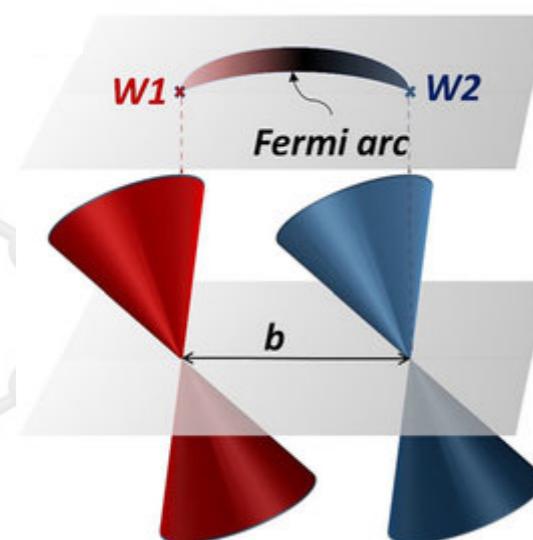


Effective electromagnetic actions for Lorentz violating theories exhibiting the axial anomaly

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$$\delta\Gamma^\mu = c^{\nu\mu}\gamma_\mu + d^{\nu\mu}\gamma_5\gamma_\nu$$

$$\delta M = a^\mu\gamma_\mu + b^\mu\gamma_5\gamma_\mu$$

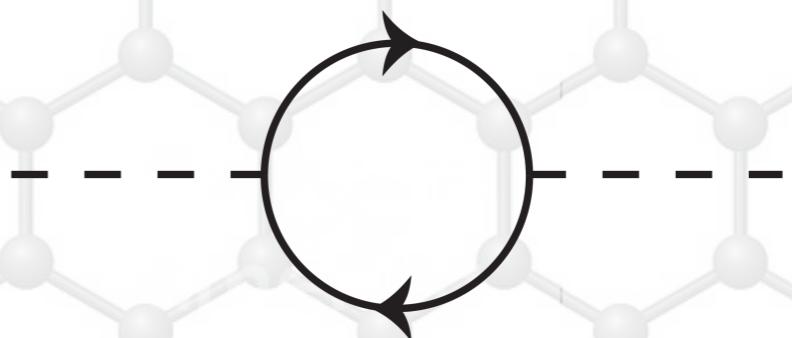


$$i\Pi^{\mu\nu}(p) = e^2 \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} \text{tr} [S(k-p)\Gamma^\mu S(k)\Gamma^\nu]$$

$$S(k) = i/(\Gamma^\mu k_\mu - M)$$

Vacuum polarization

LV-fermion prop



Anomalous transport induced by axial anomaly in WSMs

$$\partial_\mu J_5^\mu = \frac{e^2}{24\pi^2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\alpha\beta}$$

Axial anomaly is untouched by LV!!

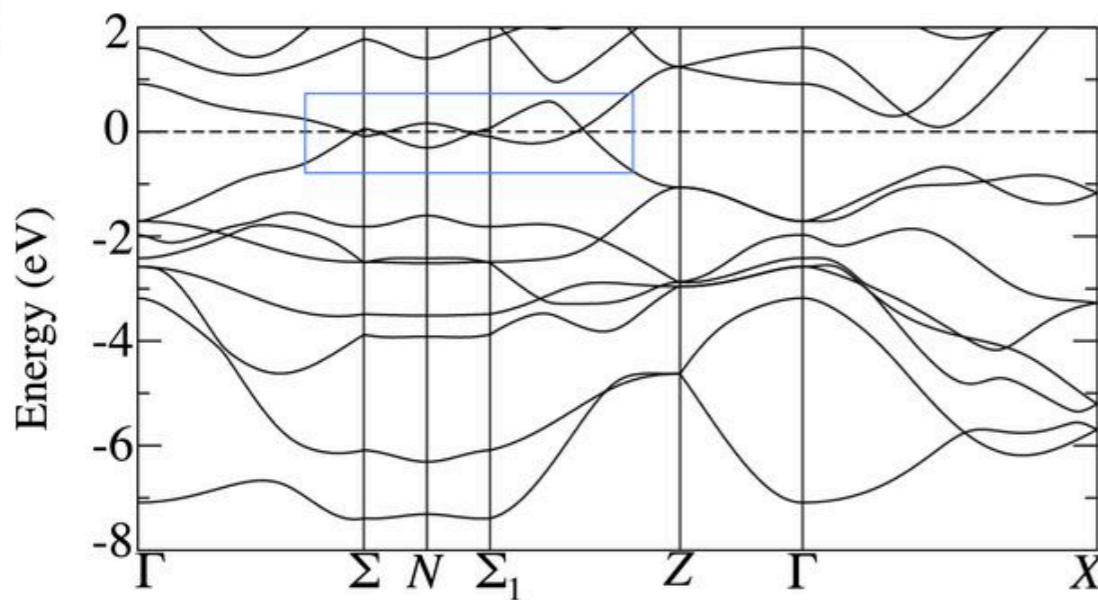
Effective field theory?

Quantum corrections depend on the regularization procedure...

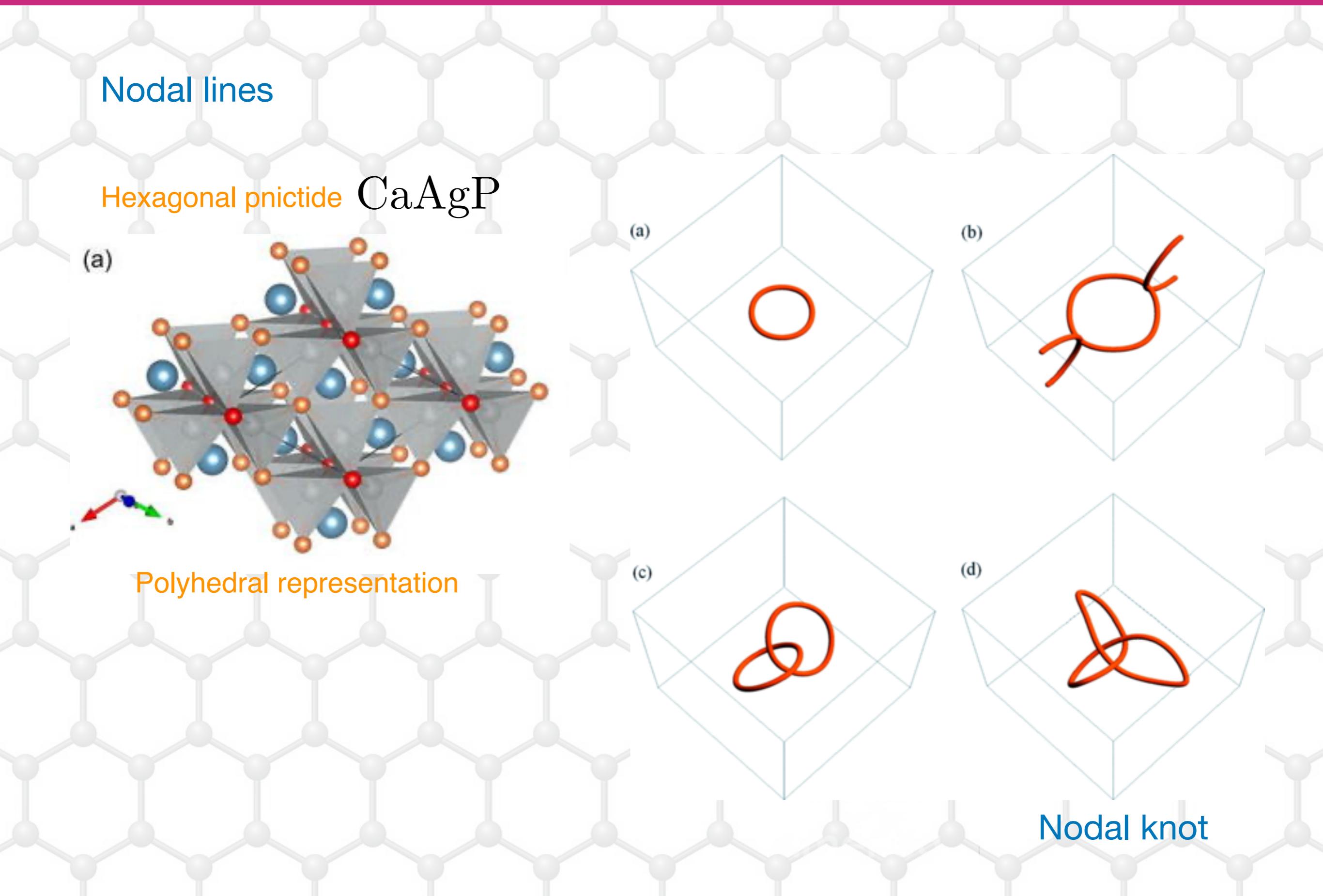
$$S_\theta = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \int \theta(\vec{r}, t) \vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} d^3x$$

LV-coefficients here

$$\theta = 2(\mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{r} - B_0 t)$$



Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM



Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

$$H_{\text{NL}} = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}^\dagger h_{\text{NL}}(\mathbf{k}) \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}$$

$$\Psi_{\mathbf{k}} = (c_{p\mathbf{k}}, c_{d\mathbf{k}})^T$$

orbitals

$$h_{\text{NL}}(\mathbf{k}) = \{\mu_z - 2t_{||}[\cos(k_x a) + \cos(k_y a)] - 2t_{\perp} \cos(k_z a)\} \sigma_z - 2t'_{\perp} \sin(k_z a) \sigma_y$$

site energy intra-orbital hopping inter-orbital hopping

ab initio

$$\mu_z = 1.609 \text{ eV}$$

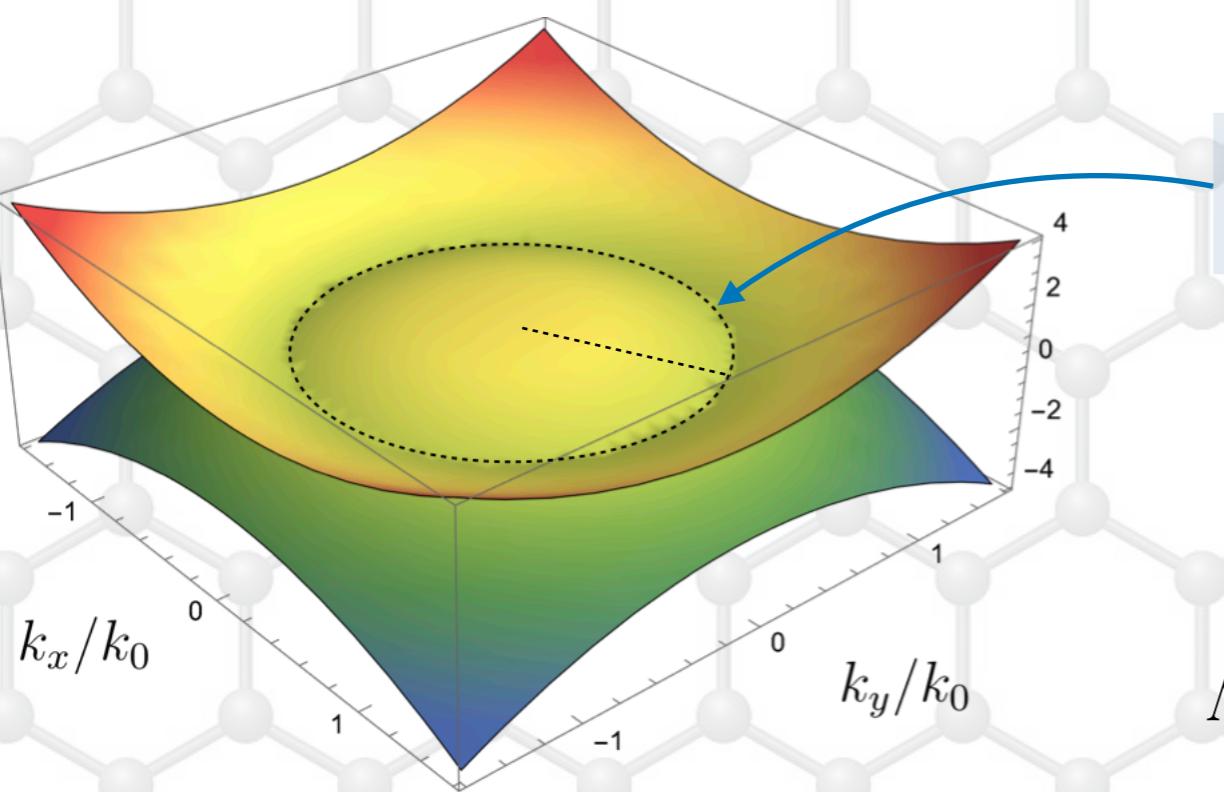
$$t_{||} = 0.638 \text{ eV}$$

$$t'_{\perp} = 0.262 \text{ eV}$$

$$t_{\perp} = -0.303 \text{ eV}$$

$$\mathcal{PT} = \sigma_z \mathcal{C}$$

$$h_{\text{NL}}(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{1}{\Lambda} (k_0^2 - k_x^2 - k_y^2 + b^2 k_z^2) \sigma_z + v_z k_z \sigma_y$$



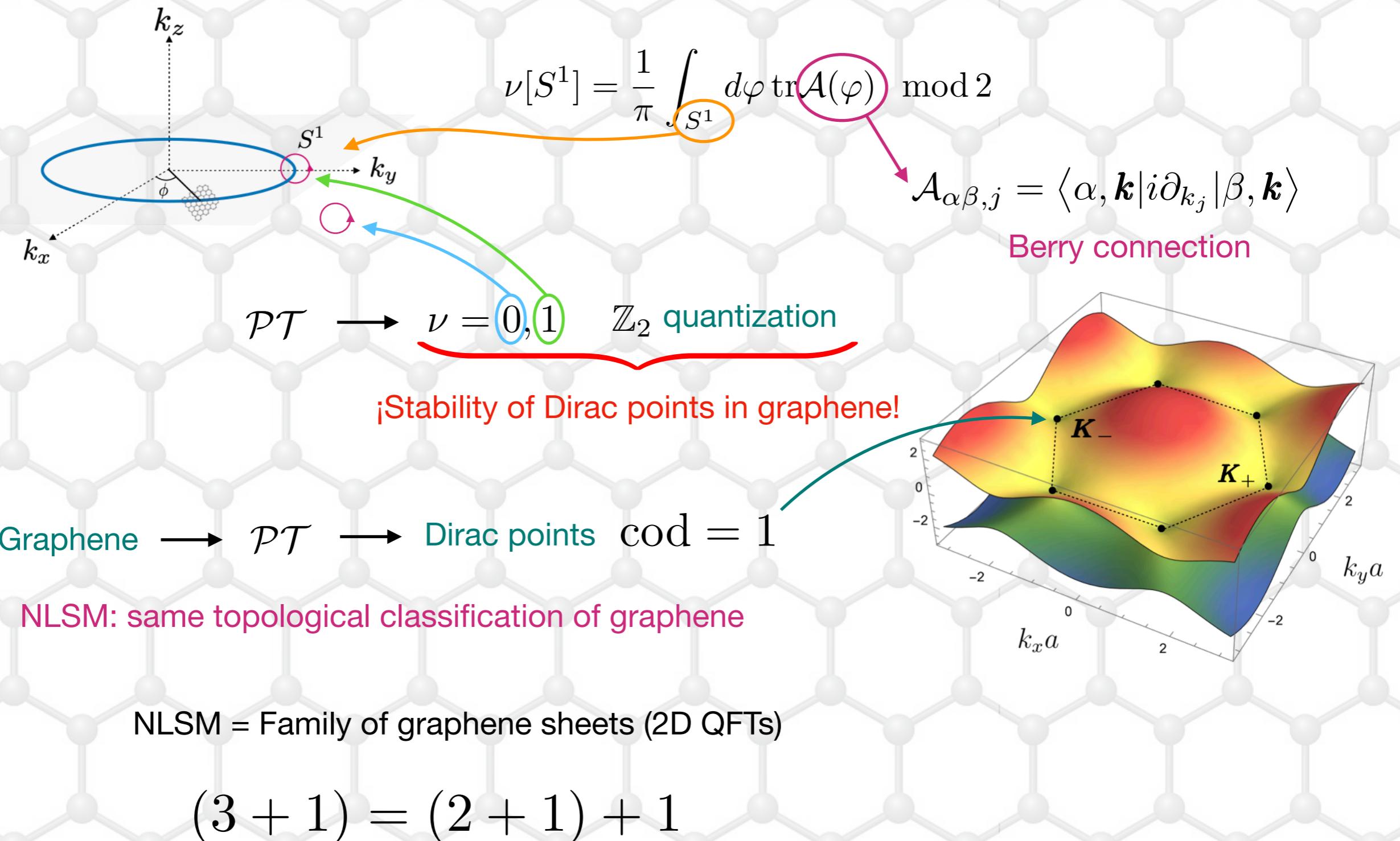
$$k_0 = [\Lambda(\mu_z - 4t_{||} - 2t_{\perp})]^{1/2}$$

$$v_z = -2at'_{\perp}$$

$$\Lambda = -(a^2 t_{||})^{-1}$$

$$b = (t_{\perp}/t_{||})^{1/2}$$

Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

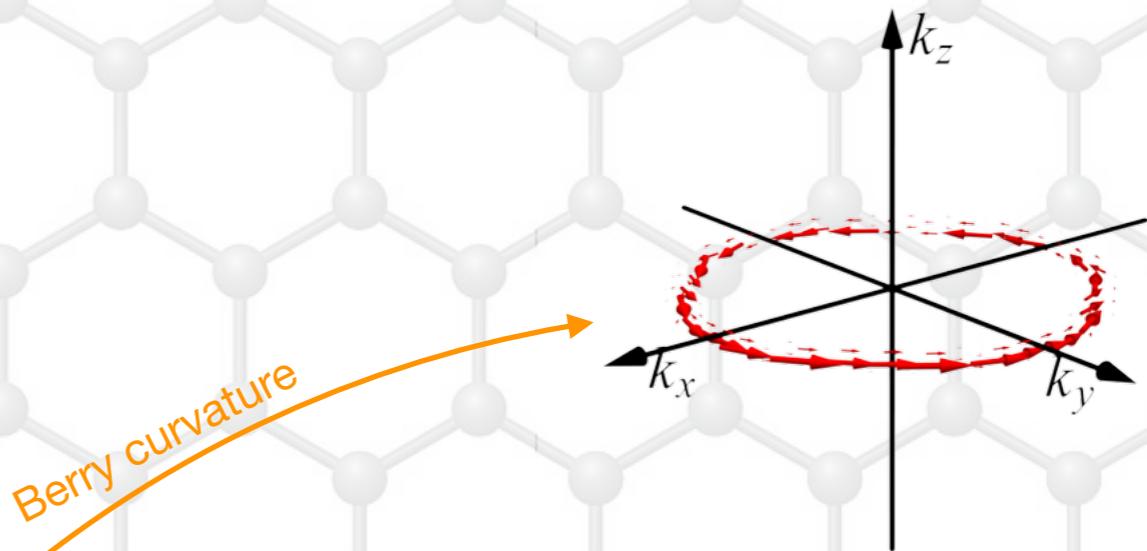


Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

Kinetic theory

$$\Omega_\nu(\mathbf{k}) = \nu\pi\delta(k_\rho - k_0)\delta(k_z)\hat{\mathbf{e}}_\phi \text{ singular at the NL}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{e}}_\phi = (-\sin\phi, \cos\phi, 0)^T$$



\mathcal{PT} -breaking regularization

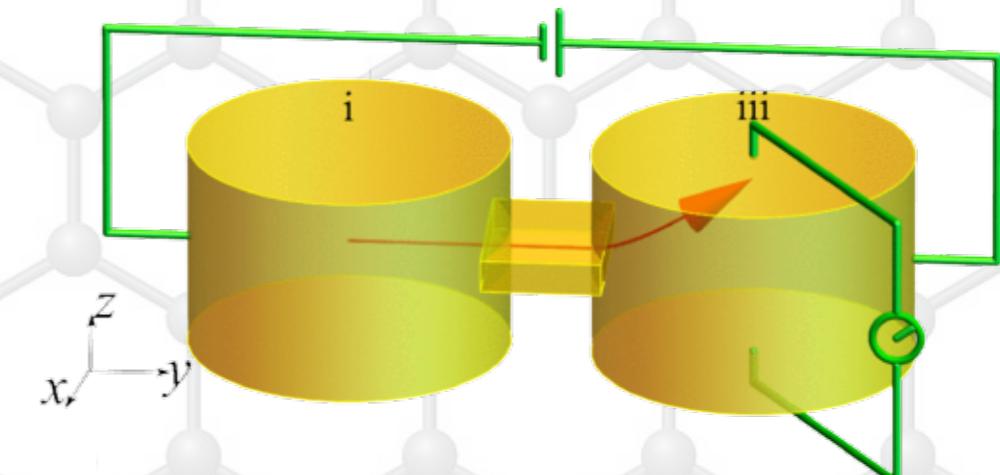
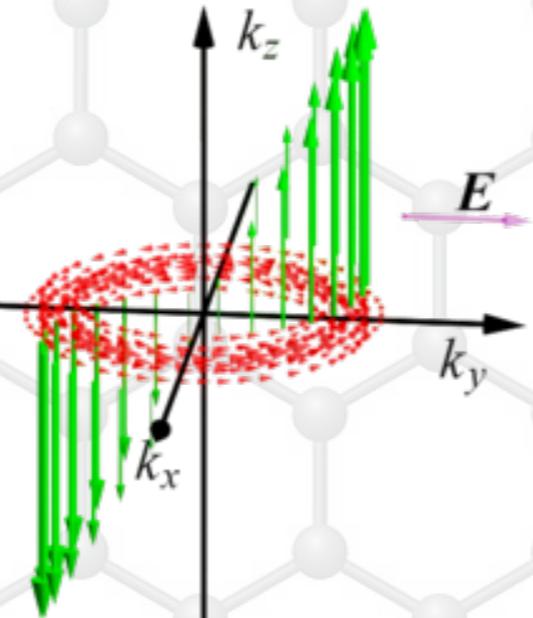
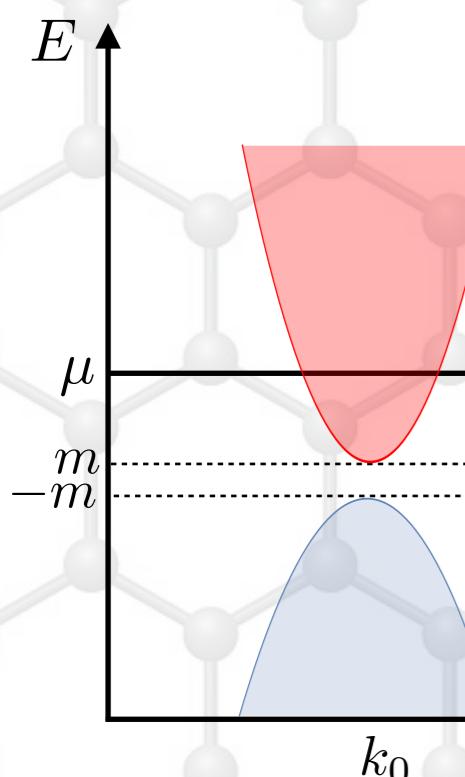
(as in graphene)

$$h_{\text{NL}}(\mathbf{k}) + m\sigma_x$$

$$\mathbf{J}(\phi) = \frac{e^2}{\hbar} \frac{k_0}{8\pi^2} \left(1 - \frac{m}{\mu}\right) \mathbf{E} \times \hat{\mathbf{e}}_\phi$$

Recall valley HE

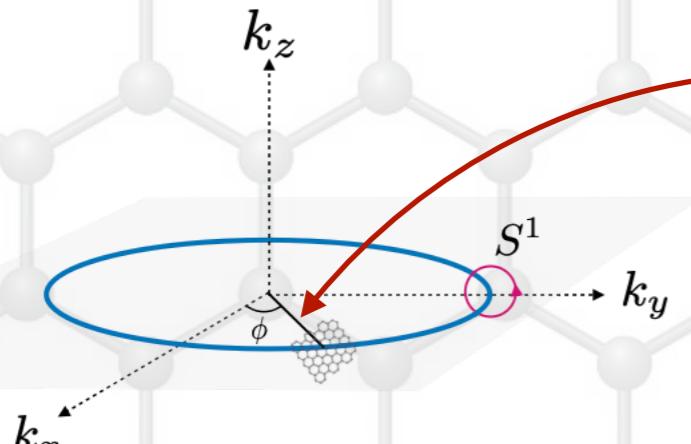
$$\sigma_\xi^{\text{Hall}} = \frac{e^2}{\hbar} \lim_{m \rightarrow 0} \int_{\text{BZ}} \frac{d^2\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^2} \Omega_{z,\xi}(\mathbf{q}) = \xi \frac{e^2}{\hbar}$$



Dumbbell filter device

Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

Parity anomaly



$$S^\phi[A] = \int d^3x \bar{\Psi}(x) [i\gamma^\mu(\partial_\mu + ieA_\mu) + m]\Psi(x) \quad (2+1)\text{-QFT}$$

coupled to gauge field
 \mathcal{PT} -breaking

$$\bar{\Psi} = \Psi^\dagger \gamma^0$$

$$\{\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu\} = 2\eta^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\eta^{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}(1, -1, -1)$$

$$\mathcal{PT}\Psi \rightarrow \gamma^2 \gamma^0 \Psi$$

$$\mathcal{PT}\Psi^\dagger \rightarrow -\Psi^\dagger \gamma^0 \gamma^2$$

Effective theory

$$S_{\text{ef}}[A, 0] \xleftarrow{\text{UV-divergent}}$$

Needs for a \mathcal{PT} -breaking for a consistent reg

Pauli-Villars reg

$$S_{\text{ef}}^{\text{reg}}[A] = S_{\text{ef}}[A, 0] - \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} S_{\text{ef}}[A, m]$$

preserves gauge invariance
 \mathcal{PT} -breaking

topological charge
valley index

$$S_{\text{CS}}[A] = \xi \frac{e^2}{\hbar} \int d^3x \epsilon^{\mu\nu\lambda} A_\mu \partial_\nu A_\lambda$$

$$J^\phi = \frac{\delta S_{\text{CS}}[A]}{\delta A} = \xi \frac{e^2}{4\pi\hbar} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha} \partial_\nu A_\alpha$$

Consequence of the parity anomaly

Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

Nonlinear response induced by parity anomaly



Ring
 $\Delta_t = 0, \epsilon_F = 0$



Horn cyclide
 $0 < \epsilon_F < \Delta_t$



Ring cyclide
 $0 < \Delta_t < \epsilon_F$



Symmetric horn cyclide
 $\Delta_t \neq 0, \epsilon_F = 0$



Horn cyclide
 $0 < \epsilon_F = \Delta_t$



Spindle cyclide
 $0 < \Delta_t < \epsilon_F = \epsilon_0$

$$H = \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{k} \sigma_0 + \frac{1}{\Lambda} (k_0^2 - k_\rho^2) \sigma_x + m \sigma_y + v_z k_z \sigma_z$$

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{e^2}{2\pi^2 k_0} \sqrt{1 - \frac{\mu^2}{v^2 k_0^2}} \mathbf{E} \times (\hat{\mathbf{v}} \times \hat{\mathbf{n}})$$

Linear Hall

$$\mathbf{J} = \frac{e^3}{2\pi^2 i \omega} \left(\frac{\mu}{v k_0} \right) \sqrt{1 - \frac{\mu^2}{v^2 k_0^2}} [\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{E}^* - (\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{E})(\mathbf{S} \times \mathbf{E}^*) - (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{E})(\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{E}^*)]$$

Nonlinear Hall

$$\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{v}$$

Injection + shift current

Interband effects

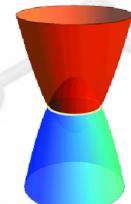
Anomalous transport induced by parity anomaly in NLSM

Planar Hall effect

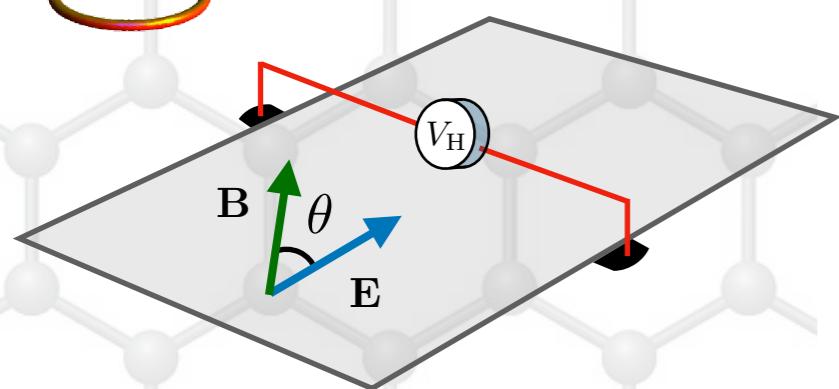
$$\tilde{\mathbf{v}}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) = \mathbf{v}_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) - \frac{1}{\hbar} \nabla_{\mathbf{k}} (\mathbf{m}_{\alpha\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$

magnetic moment effects

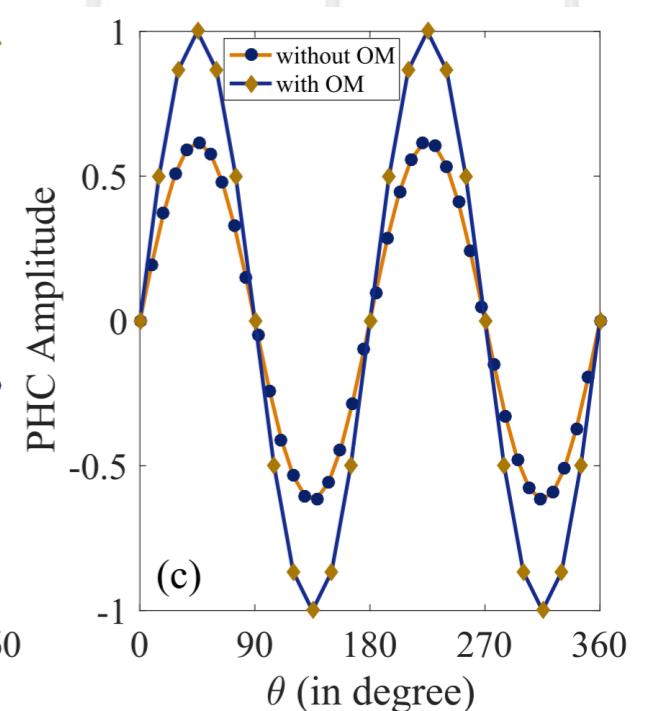
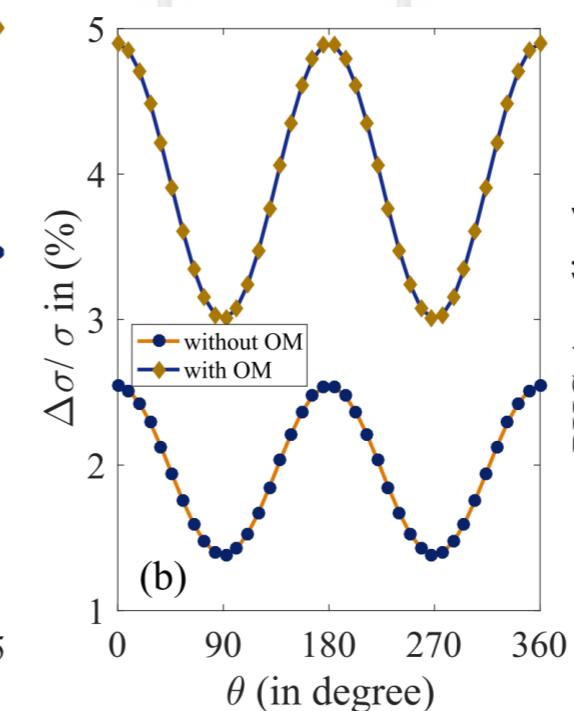
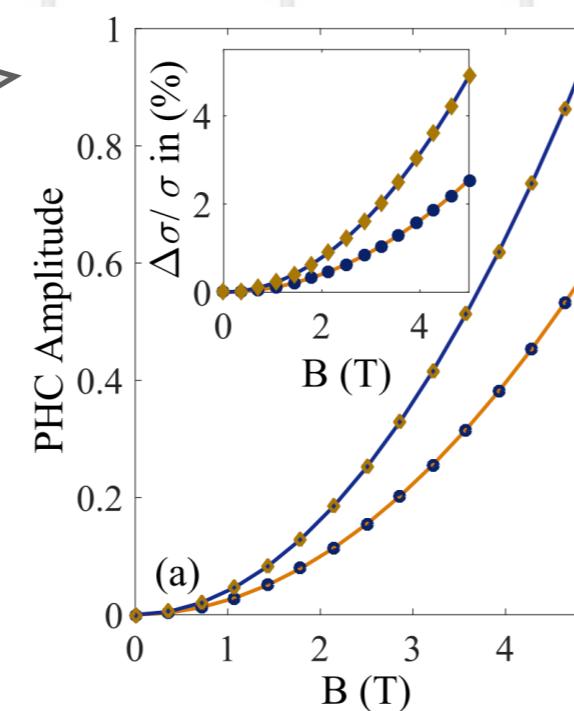
$$\sigma_{ij} = \hbar \tau e \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} D_\alpha(\mathbf{k}) (\mathbf{B}, \Omega_{s\mathbf{k}}) \left[\frac{e}{\hbar} \tilde{v}_i \tilde{v}_j + \frac{e^2}{\hbar^2} (\tilde{\mathbf{v}}_{s\mathbf{k}} \cdot \Omega_{s\mathbf{k}}) (\tilde{v}_i B_j + B_i \tilde{v}_j) + \frac{e^3}{\hbar^3} (\tilde{\mathbf{v}}_{s\mathbf{k}} \cdot \Omega_{s\mathbf{k}})^2 B_i B_j \right] \delta(E_{s\mathbf{k}} - \mathbf{m}_{s\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$



$$\phi = \pi$$



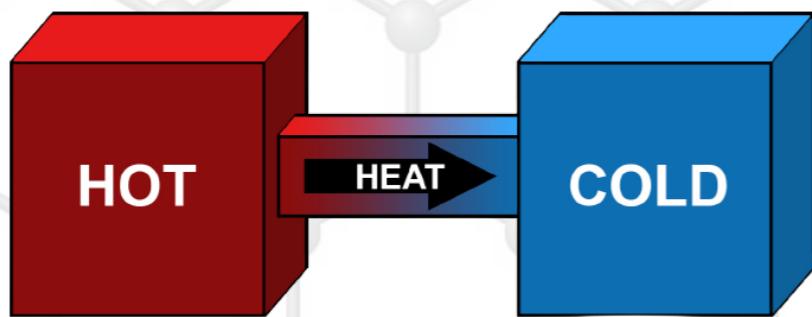
$$\frac{\Delta\sigma}{\sigma} = \frac{\sigma_{xx}(B) - \sigma_{xx}(B=0)}{\sigma_{xx}(B=0)}$$



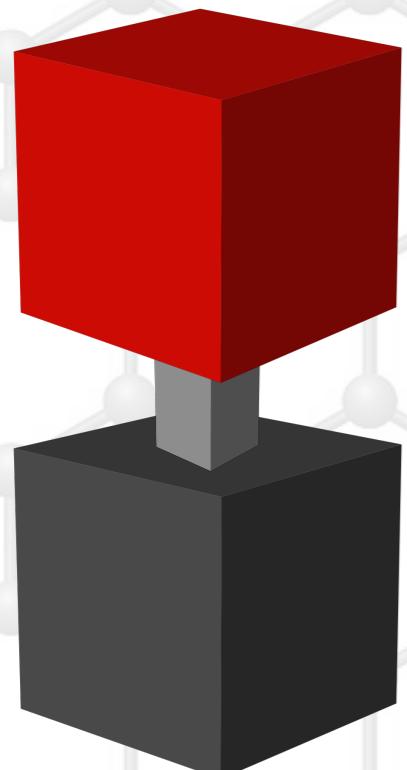
Gravity + LV + Topological SCs

Tolman-Ehrenfest:

Thermal equilibrium in gravitational fields



$$\Delta S = \left(\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right) \Delta U$$



$$\frac{\nabla T}{T} = -\frac{1}{c^2} \nabla \phi$$

Gradient of gravitational potential



Temperature gradient

$$\frac{1}{T} \frac{dT}{dr} = -\frac{g}{c^2} \sim 10^{-18} \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

At the Earth's surface

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Luttinger transport coefficient

$$J^i = \sigma^{ij} E^j$$

$$E^j = i\omega A^j$$

$$\sigma^{ij} = \frac{1}{i\omega} \langle J^i J^j \rangle (\omega, k = 0)$$

Kubo

How do we describe statistical transport?

Einstein relation

$$\mathcal{E} = -\nabla \mu$$

$$\nabla \mu \quad \nabla T$$

Electrochemical transport
(Donor and acceptor impurities)

What is the proper field to describe thermal transport?

Answer:

Gravity!

Luttinger-Tolman-Ehrenfest

Local source A_μ coupled to current J^μ :

$$S = - \int A_\mu J^\mu d^4x$$

$$J^\mu = -\frac{\delta S}{\delta A_\mu}$$

J. M. Luttinger, Phys. Rev. 135 A1505 (1964)

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Luttinger transport coefficient

Theory of Thermal Transport Coefficients*

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⁷ These effects are actually extremely small, far too small to be observed in any ordinary experiment. They were first considered by A. Einstein, Ann. Physik 38, 443 (1912). See also R. C. Tolman, Phys. Rev. 35, 904 (1930) and R. C. Tolman and P. Ehrenfest, *ibid.* 36, 1791 (1930). (I am indebted to Professor G. Uhlenbeck for calling these interesting references to my attention.) Although the effect is very small, in practice we are only interested in questions of principle, and an arbitrarily small effect is just as good as a large one. In fact, if the gravitational field didn't exist, one could invent one for the purposes of this paper.



In analogy with electrical conductivity is proposed a **fictitious gravitational field**

$$H_{\text{int}}(t) = \int h(\mathbf{r}, t) \phi(\mathbf{r}) d^3\mathbf{r}$$

Hamiltonian density

Gravity field

$$\mathbf{J} = \mathcal{L}^{(1)} \mathbf{E} - \mathcal{L}^{(2)} \nabla \phi$$

local

$$\mathbf{J}_{\mathcal{E}} = \mathcal{L}^{(3)} \mathbf{E} - \mathcal{L}^{(4)} \nabla \phi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{ij}^{(2)} = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{i\omega} \langle J_i^{\mathcal{E}} J_j \rangle (\omega, k=0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{ij}^{(4)} = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{i\omega} \langle J_i^{\mathcal{E}} J_j^{\mathcal{E}} \rangle (\omega, k=0)$$

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$$\rho = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{kT} (u_\mu P^\mu - \mu Q) \right]$$

$$u_\mu = (1, 0, 0, 0)$$

ensemble at rest



We look for the effects of variations of the metric and gauge field upon the ensemble...

$$\delta H = -\frac{1}{2} \delta g^{00} H + \delta A_0 Q$$

Can we mimic these effects with thermodynamical variations?

YES

Equilibrium conditions:

$$-\nabla A_0 = T \nabla \left(\frac{\mu}{T} \right)$$

$$\nabla \phi = T \nabla \left(\frac{1}{T} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{\text{tr}} = L^{(1)} \left[\mathbf{E} - T \nabla \left(\frac{\mu}{T} \right) \right] + L^{(2)} \left[-\nabla \phi + T \nabla \left(\frac{1}{T} \right) \right]$$

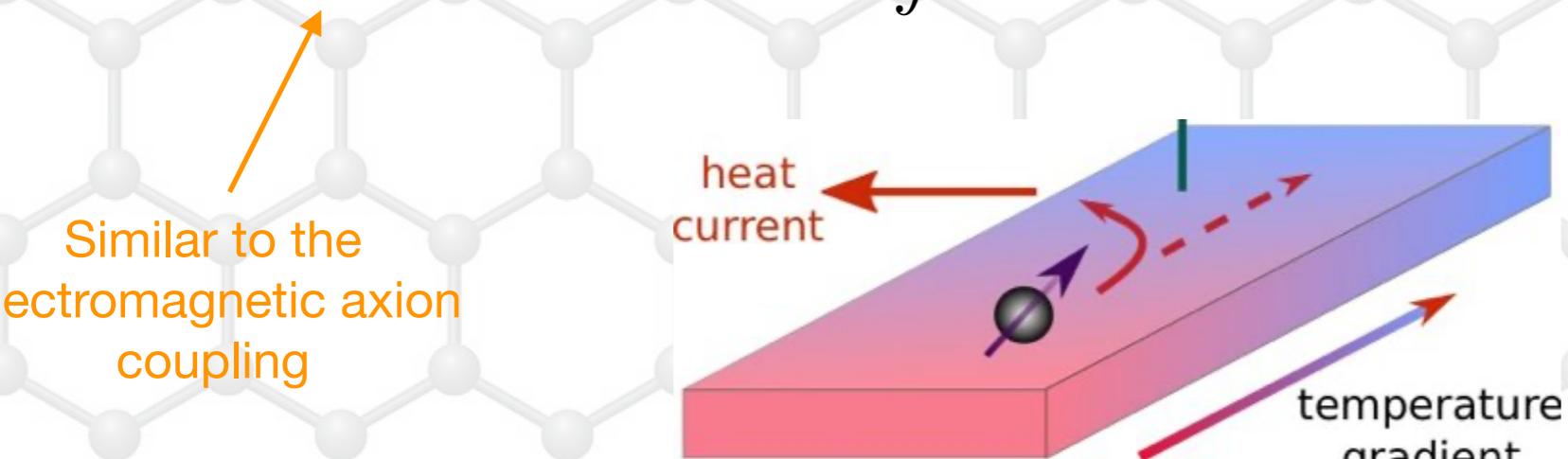
transport currents

$$\mathbf{J}_{\text{tr}}^{\mathcal{E}} = L^{(3)} \left[\mathbf{E} - T \nabla \left(\frac{\mu}{T} \right) \right] + L^{(4)} \left[-\nabla \phi + T \nabla \left(\frac{1}{T} \right) \right]$$

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Effective field theory

$$S'_\theta \sim (k_B^2 T^2 / 24 \hbar v) \int \theta \vec{E}_g \cdot \vec{B}_g d^4x$$



Thermal Hall effect

$$\sigma_H = (\pi k_B^2 T / 6 \hbar)$$

$$J_i = -\frac{\delta S_\theta}{\delta A^i} = \sigma_H \partial_i T$$

Is it consistent with the effective field theory?



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Example:

$$H_{\text{BCS}} = \sum_{\mathbf{k}\sigma} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}} c_{\mathbf{k}\sigma}^\dagger c_{\mathbf{k}\sigma} - \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \Delta_{\mathbf{k}} c_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}^\dagger c_{-\mathbf{k}\downarrow}^\dagger - \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \Delta_{\mathbf{k}}^* c_{-\mathbf{k}\downarrow} c_{\mathbf{k}\uparrow}$$

$$\Delta = \text{cte}$$

s SC

$$\Delta = \Delta(k_x + ik_y)$$

$p + ip$ SC

B-phase ${}^3\text{He}$ superfluid

$$\Psi^\dagger(\mathbf{k}) = (c_{\uparrow,\mathbf{k}}^\dagger, c_{\downarrow,\mathbf{k}}^\dagger, c_{\uparrow,-\mathbf{k}}^\dagger, c_{\downarrow,-\mathbf{k}}^\dagger)$$

Nambu

$$\mathcal{H} = \int d^3\mathbf{k} \Psi^\dagger(\mathbf{k}) H(\mathbf{k}) \Psi(\mathbf{k})$$

Dirac-like

$$H = i\gamma^\mu k_\mu - m\gamma^0$$

How the TSC respond to the gravity field?

$$S[\bar{\Psi}, \Psi, e] = \int d^4x \sqrt{g} [\bar{\Psi} e_a^\mu \gamma^a (i\partial_\mu + \frac{1}{2}\omega_\mu^{cd} \Sigma_{cd}) \Psi + \mu \bar{\Psi} \Psi]$$

Fermions in curved spacetime

Gravity + LV + Topological SCs

$$S_{\text{eff}}[\mu, e] = -i \ln \int \mathcal{D}[\bar{\Psi}, \Psi] \exp(iS[\bar{\Psi}, \Psi, e])$$

Integrating out fermions
Fujikawa method

$$S_\theta \sim -\frac{1}{1532\pi^2} \int \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} R^\tau_{\sigma\mu\nu} R^\sigma_{\tau\alpha\beta} d^4x$$

Gravitational anomaly
HEP: Nonconservation of Lepton current...

gauge broken **with a boundary**

$$\delta(S + S_\theta) = 0$$

Anomaly induced restoring symmetry?

$$J_i = -\frac{\delta S_\theta}{\delta A^i}$$

$$S'_\theta \sim (k_B^2 T^2 / 24\hbar v) \int \theta \vec{E}_g \cdot \vec{B}_g d^4x$$

Nonlinear thermal Hall effect!

What's the correct result?

We do not have experiments yet...



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LV-gravity sector

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Grav}} = \frac{1}{2\kappa} R + \frac{1}{2\kappa} (-uR + s^{\mu\nu} R_{\mu\nu}^T + t^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} C_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta})$$

t-puzzle

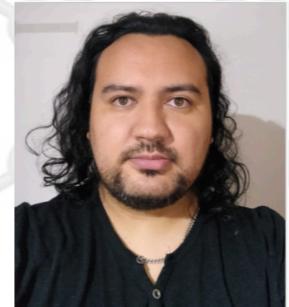
Weyl conformal

Is there a Bogoliubov-de Gennes microscopic Hamiltonian?

Some of the coefficients can generate the linear thermal Hall effect?



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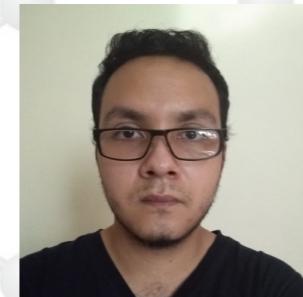
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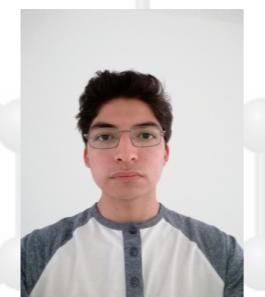
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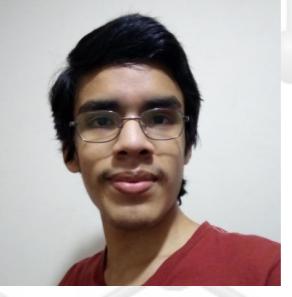
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