

# Mean field spin glasses and models of evolution

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# OUTLINE

Mean field spin glasses

Simple models of evolution without or with selection

Effect of noise on traveling waves

Directed Polymers in a random medium

Ratios of coalescence times and phase transitions

## Mean field spin glasses (SK model)

$N$  Ising spins  $S_i = \pm 1$  with random interactions  $J_{ij}$

$$H_J(\{S\}) = - \sum_{i,j} J_{i,j} S_i S_j$$

$\Rightarrow$  random energy landscape with lots of valleys

Take two spin configurations  $\{S^{(1)}\}$  and  $\{S^{(2)}\}$   
in the **same energy landscape** and  
define their overlap  $Q^{(1,2)}$

$$Q^{(1,2)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i S_i^{(1)} S_i^{(2)}$$

At thermal equilibrium try to measure or to calculate

$$P_J(q) = \sum_{\{S^{(1)}\}} \sum_{\{S^{(2)}\}} \delta(q - Q^{(1,2)}) \frac{\exp [-\beta H_J(\{S^{(1)}\}) - \beta H_J(\{S^{(2)}\})]}{Z^2}$$

# Consequences of Parisi's theory of spin glasses

Parisi 79-80-83

Mézard-Parisi-Sourlas-Toulouse-Virasoro 84

For large  $N$ :

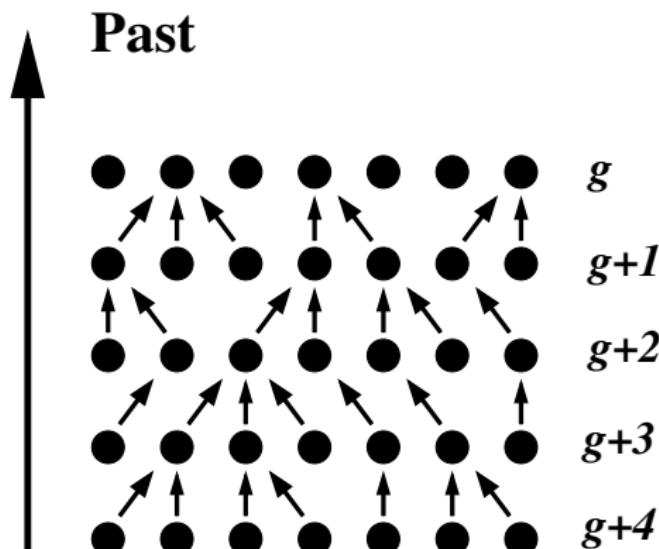
- ▶  $P_J(q)$  is **not self-averaging**
- ▶ The average  $\langle P_J(q) \rangle$  over  $J$  remains **broad**
- ▶ The moments of  $P_J(q)$  can be expressed in terms of  $\langle P_J(q) \rangle$
- ▶ Ultrametricity  $P_J(q^{(1,2)}, q^{(2,3)}, q^{(1,3)})$
- ▶ Statistics of the trees
- ▶ ...

tree	probability
	$\frac{3}{4}$
	$\frac{1}{4}$

# Simple models of neutral evolution

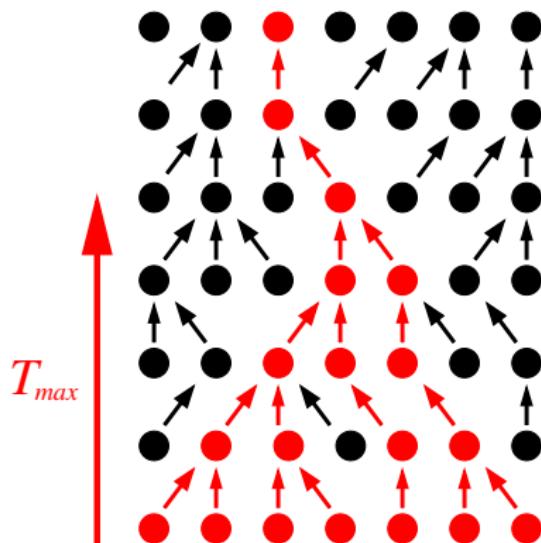
## Wright-Fisher model (1930-1931)

- ▶ One parent model
- ▶ Population of fixed size  $N$
- ▶ Each individual has its parent chosen at random in the previous generation  
**(neutrality)**



Coalescence times:

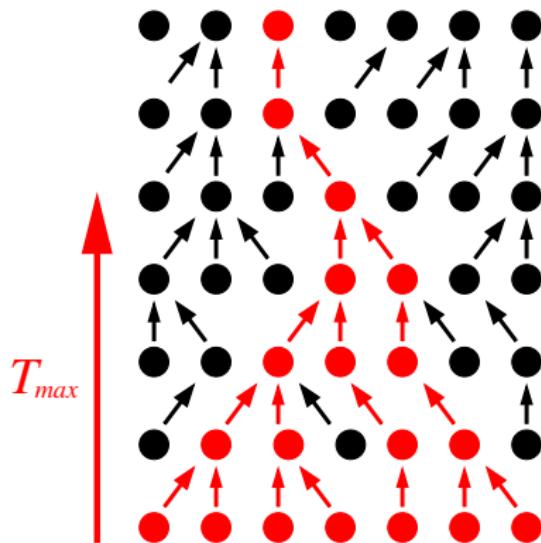
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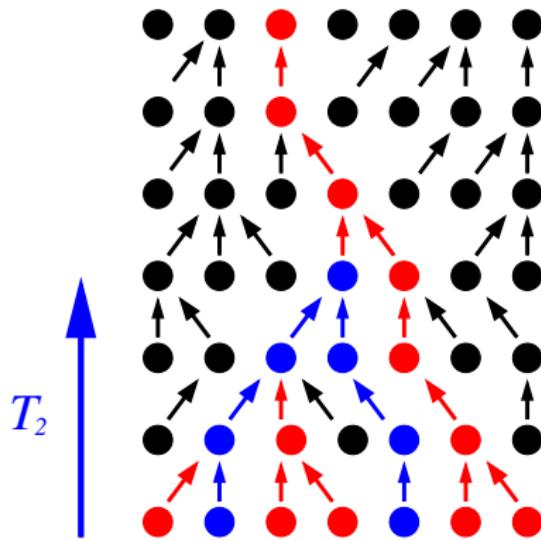
$$\langle T_{max}^2 \rangle - \langle T_{max} \rangle^2 \simeq C N^2$$

$$\text{where } C = \frac{4\pi^2}{3} - 12 \simeq 1.6$$

$T_{max}$  is a non self-averaging quantity

Coalescence times:

Age  $T_2$



The time  $T_2$  depends on  $g$  and on the pair of individuals

Its average  $\bar{T}_2$  over the population still depends on  $g$

$$\langle T_2 \rangle \simeq N$$

$$\langle T_2^2 \rangle - \langle T_2 \rangle^2 \simeq N^2$$

Two sorts of averages:

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{over the population} \\ \text{over } g \end{array} \right.$

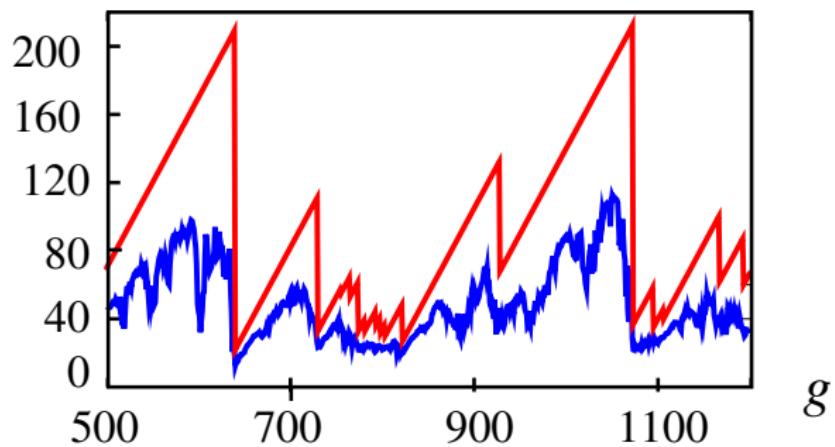
## Evolution of $T_{max}$ and $\overline{T}_2$

$T_{max}$  = age of the most recent common ancestor

$\overline{T}_2$  = average of  $T_2$  over the whole population

$T_{max}, \overline{T}_2$

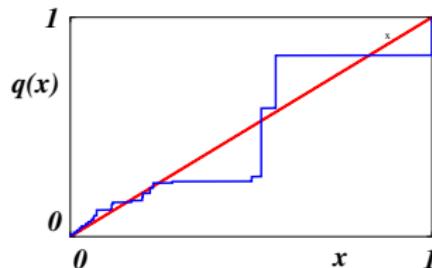
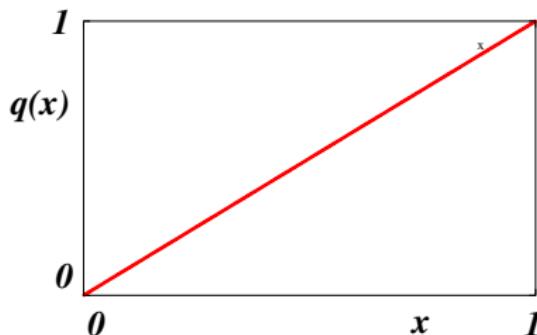
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Simon D. 2006



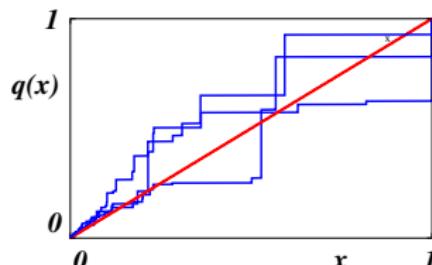
## Giorgio's $q(x)$

$e^{-T_2}$  plays a role very similar to  $Q^{(1,2)}$  in spin-glasses. Then

$$q(x) = x$$



Full RSB



# DISORDERED SYSTEMS - MODELS OF EVOLUTION

D. Peliti 1991

## DISORDERED SYSTEMS SK model

overlaps

thermal average

average over the quenched disorder

## NEUTRAL MODELS of EVOLUTION

coalescence times

average over the population

average over generations

Non-self-averaging ultrametric structure

possibility of multiple coalescences

only pair coalescences

# Statistics of the trees

	spin-glass	neutral
	$\frac{3}{4}$	1
	$\frac{1}{4}$	0

spin-glass  $\equiv$  mean-field spin glasses

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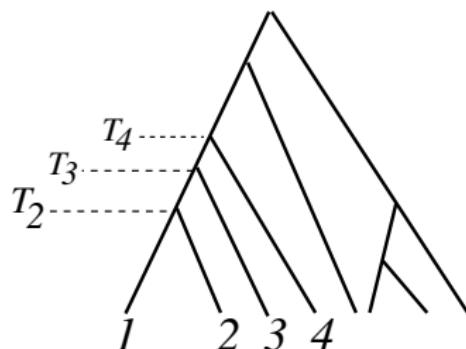
	spin-glass	neutral
	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$
	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{3}$
	$\frac{1}{6}$	0
	$\frac{2}{9}$	0
	$\frac{1}{9}$	0

neutral  $\equiv$  Wright-Fisher model

Coalescence times:

Age  $T_p$

$T_p$  = age of the most recent common ancestor  
of  $p$  individuals chosen at random



$$\langle T_p \rangle \simeq \frac{2(p-1)}{p} N$$

# Kingman's coalescent

Kingman 1982

$$p \xrightarrow{t_p} p-1 \xrightarrow{t_{p-1}} \cdots 2 \xrightarrow{t_2} 1$$

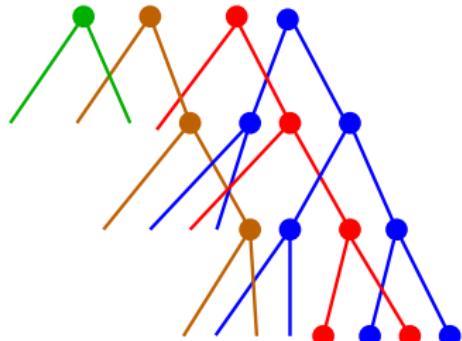
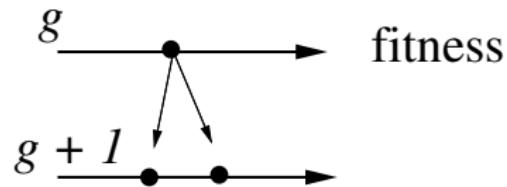
and

$$T_p = t_p + t_{p-1} + \dots + t_2$$

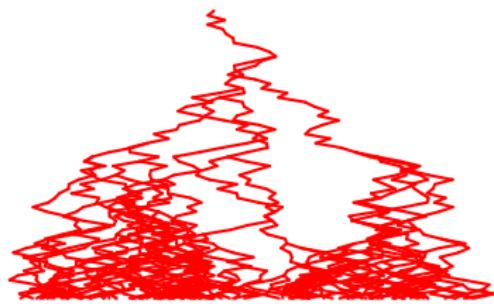
The times  $t_p$  are independent and have exponential distributions with  $\langle t_p \rangle = 2N/p(p-1)$

# Models of evolution with selection

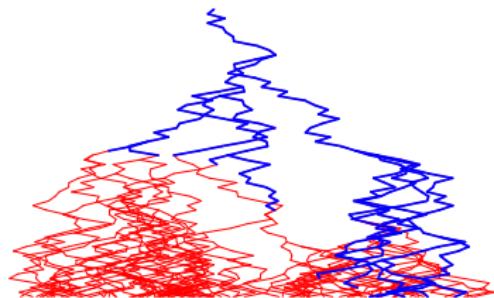
- ▶ Population of size  $N$
- ▶ Each individual has 2 offspring at the next generation
- ▶ The fitness is transmitted up to some small change due to mutations
- ▶ The  $N$  right-most individuals are selected



## Branching random walk

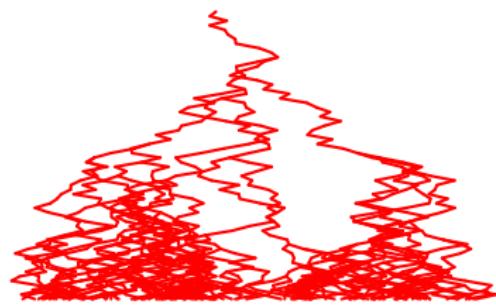


## Branching random walk + selection

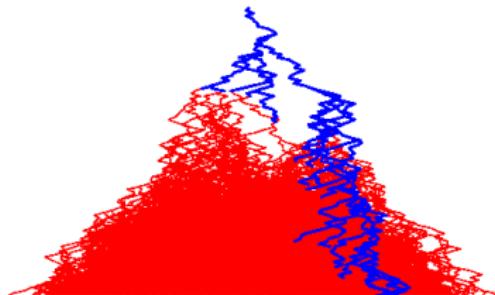
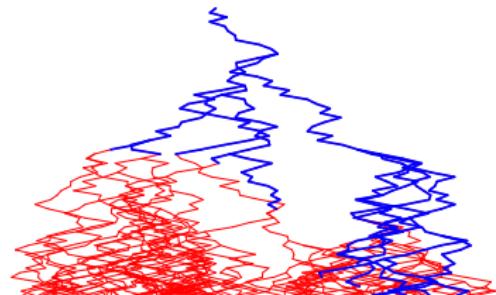


$$N \leq 5$$

Branching random walk



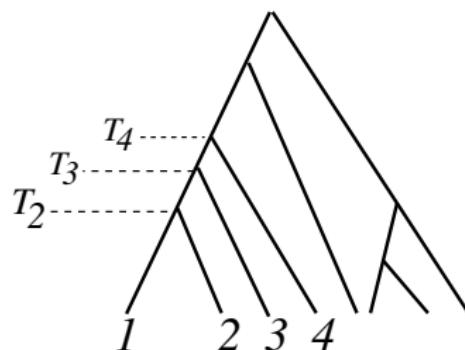
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## Questions

For a population of fixed size  $N$

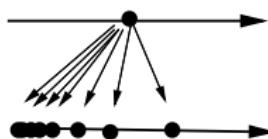
- ▶  $v_N$  velocity of the population
- ▶  $D_N$  diffusion constant
- ▶ Genealogy
  - ▶ Ages of the most recent common ancestors



- ▶ Shape of the genealogical trees

## Exponential model: exact solution

- ▶ Population of size  $N$
- ▶ Each individual has infinitely many offspring at the next generation
- ▶ An individual at position  $x$  has an offspring in  $(x + y, x + y + dy)$  with probability  $e^{-y} dy$  (Poisson process).



- ▶ The  $N$  right-most individuals are selected

Brunet D. Mueller Munier 2006-2007

$$v_N \simeq \log \log N$$

$$D_N \sim \frac{1}{\log N}$$

$$\langle T_2 \rangle \simeq \log N$$

$$\frac{\langle T_3 \rangle}{\langle T_2 \rangle} \rightarrow \frac{5}{4} \neq \frac{4}{3} \quad \text{Kingman}$$

$$\frac{\langle T_4 \rangle}{\langle T_2 \rangle} \rightarrow \frac{25}{18} \neq \frac{3}{2}$$

# Trees in the exponential model

	<b>Selection</b>	<b>Neutral</b>		<b>Selection</b>	<b>Neutral</b>
	$\frac{3}{4}$	1			$\frac{1}{3}$
	$\frac{1}{4}$	0			$\frac{1}{6}$
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					$\frac{2}{9}$
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**Selection**  $\equiv$  mean-field spin glasses

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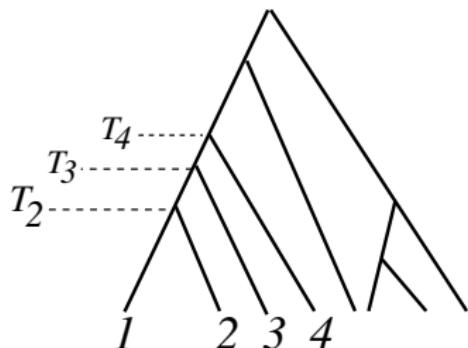
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**Neutral**

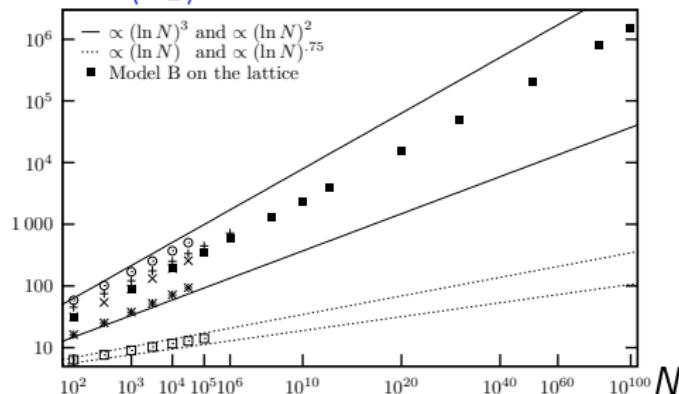
Kingman 82

## Generic case: simulations + phenomenological theory



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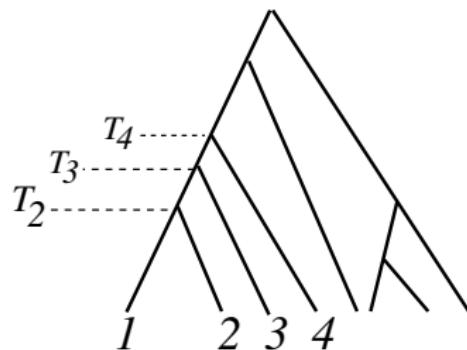


$$\langle T_2 \rangle \sim \log^3 N$$

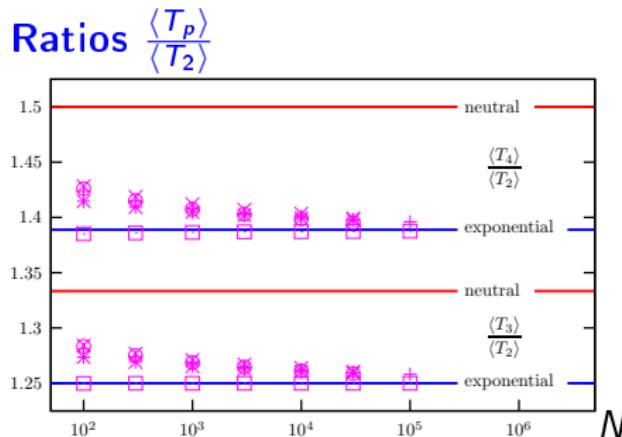
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neutral model:  
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selection  $\neq$  neutral

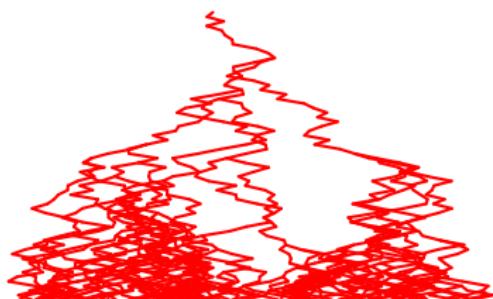
# Fisher equation and branching random walk

The Fisher-KPP equation

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = \frac{d^2c}{dx^2} + c - c^2$$

Fisher 1937

Kolmogorov Petrovsky Piscounov 1937



McKean 1975

$Q(x, t)$  probability that the right-most walker is at the right of  $x$

$$\frac{dQ}{dt} = \frac{d^2Q}{dx^2} + Q - Q^2$$

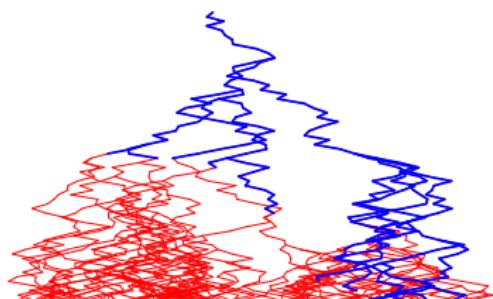
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Traveling wave equation + noise

Branching random walk + saturation

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = \frac{d^2c}{dx^2} + c - c^2 + \epsilon \eta(x, t) \sqrt{c(1 - c)}$$

Branching random walk + selection

$N$  size of the population

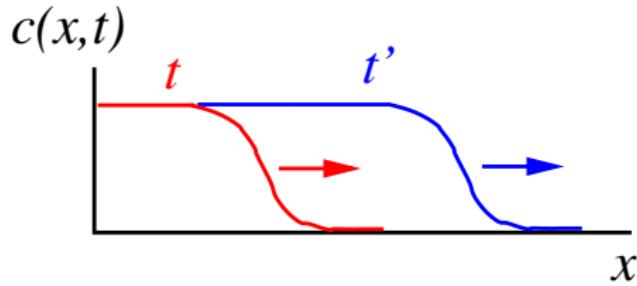
$c(x, t)$  = fraction of the population at the right of  $x$

Traveling wave equation +  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$  noise

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Brunet D. 1997



Brunet D. Mueller Munier  
2006

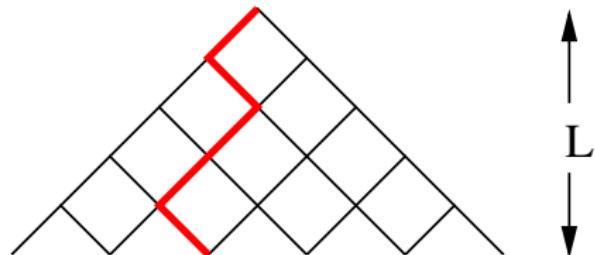
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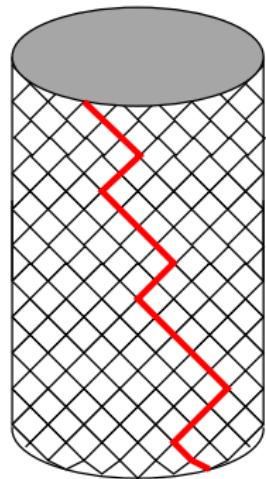
$$D_N \simeq \frac{2\pi^4}{3 \log^3 N}$$

# Directed Polymers in a random medium

1+1 dimension



Torus



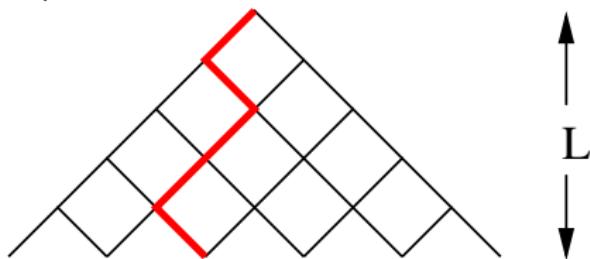
Random energy  $\epsilon_b$   
on each bond  $b$

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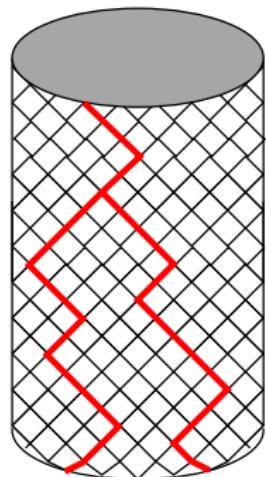
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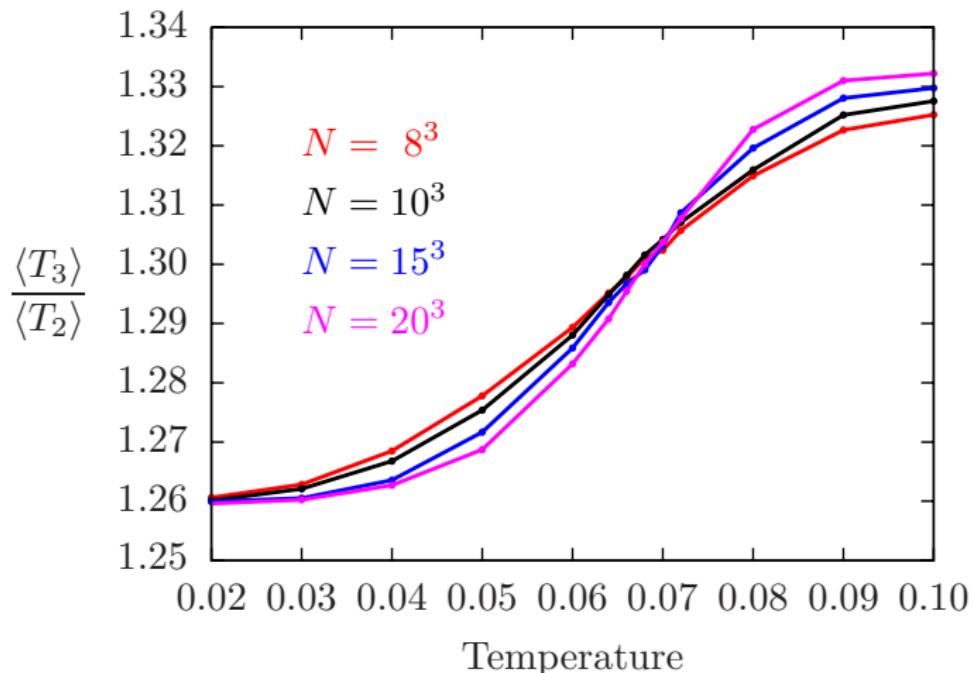
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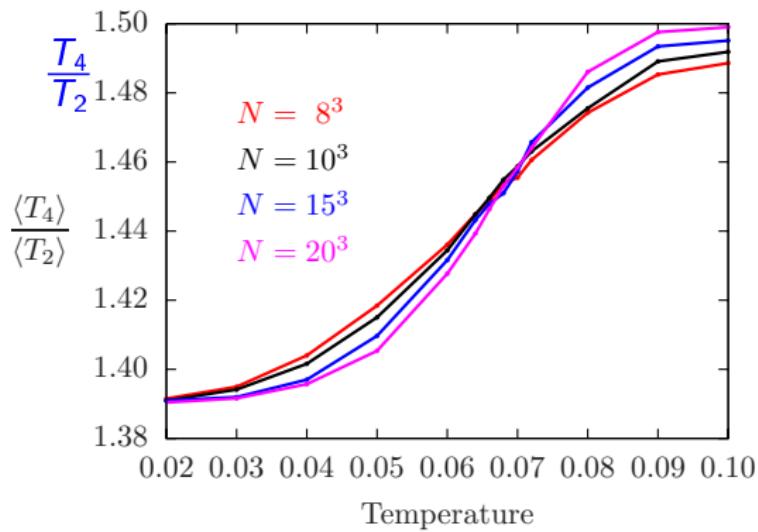
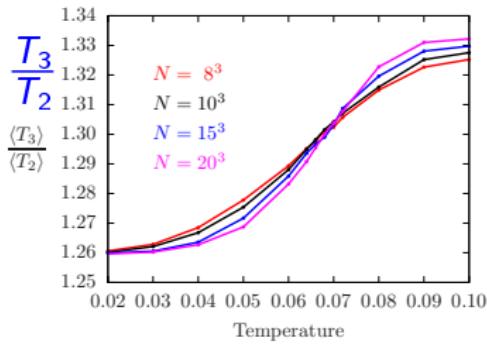
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Lattice infinite in the special direction and finite of  $N$  sites in the transverse direction

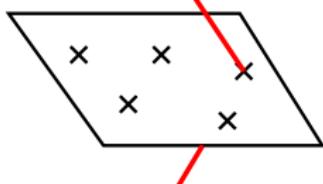
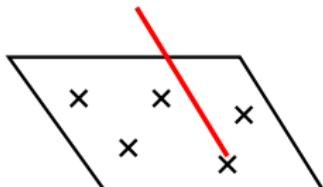


# Phase transitions in dimension $3 + 1$



# Directed Polymers in $1 + \infty$ dimension

$N$  sites in each section



Ground state energy/ $L = v_N$

Variance of G.S. energy/ $L = D_N$

Replicas for the generic case?

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(For  $\rho(\epsilon) = \exp[\epsilon - \exp[\epsilon]]$ , exact expressions of  $v_N$  and  $D_N$

Brunet D. 2004)

