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$$

Large Fock space: dim 2<sup>12</sup>

Use conservation of  $S_z$ : (s1, s2) sectors of dim

For example a **basis** function from (1,2) sector:

in binary code (10000|101000)



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Sector  $(3,3)$ **Matrix elements** of the interaction part (diagonal in present basis):



**Matrix elements** of the hopping part: in binary code (10100|100000) -> -(01100|100000) ✓ (11000|000000) **Signs**:

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$$

Sector  $(3,3)$ **Spectrum** of eigenenergies:



$$
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$$



**Non-interacting** (canonical) bosons or fermions

 $\Rightarrow$  We can find all eigenstates by diagonalizing the 1-p Hamiltonian (= hopping matrix)

$$
H = \sum_{a,b} h_{ab} c_a^{\dagger} c_b
$$
  
\n
$$
c_b = U_{bi} c_i, \quad (c_b^{\dagger} = U_{bi}^* c_i^{\dagger} = U_{ib}^{\dagger} c_i^{\dagger})
$$
  
\n
$$
H = \sum_i \epsilon_i c_i^{\dagger} c_i
$$
  
\n
$$
| \phi \rangle = c_{i_1}^{\dagger} \dots c_{i_N}^{\dagger} | \text{vac} \rangle
$$
  
\n
$$
H | \phi \rangle = \left( \sum_{k=1}^N \epsilon_{i_k} \right) | \phi \rangle
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**Expectation values/correlation functions:**

Simple form for operator diagonal in a given basis

$$
\langle S_{iz} \rangle = \langle \psi_g | S_{iz} | \psi_g \rangle = \sum_l a_l |l \rangle |a_l|^2
$$
  

$$
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$$

*The average value one gets when many measurement on site i are performed. Possible result of each individual measurement is 0, 1 and -1.*

At half filling 
$$
(N=6)
$$
  
 $\langle S_{iz} \rangle = 0$   $\langle n_{i\uparrow} \rangle = \frac{1}{2}$ 

*Fluctuations of S<sup>z</sup>*

 $\langle S_{iz}^2 \rangle - \langle S_{iz} \rangle^2 \neq 0$ 

*Total moment (occupation number):*

$$
S_s \equiv \sum_i S_{i,s}
$$

 $\langle S_z \rangle = 0$   $\langle (\delta S_z)^2 \rangle \equiv \langle (S_z - \langle S_z \rangle)^2 \rangle = 0$ 

$$
\langle N \rangle = 6 \qquad \langle (\delta N)^2 \rangle \equiv \langle (N - \langle N \rangle)^2 \rangle = 0
$$



Conserved quantities (corresponding operators commute with Hamiltonian)

$$
H = t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle,\sigma} c_{i\sigma}^{\dagger} c_{j\sigma} + U \sum_{i} n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow}
$$

#### **Expectation values/correlation functions:**

*Double occupancy: (probability to find two electrons in a given site)*

 $\langle n_{i\uparrow}n_{i\downarrow}\rangle$ 





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#### **Expectation values/correlation functions:**

*(Fluctuating) local moment*





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#### **Expectation values/correlation functions:**

*Non-local spin-spin correlation function*  $\langle S_{iz}S_{jz}\rangle$ 

*Weighted sum over configurations like* 



*Which one has the largest weight?*

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#### **Why correlation functions?**

- Contributions to interaction energy of the system  $\langle n_{i\uparrow}n_{i\downarrow}\rangle$
- Response to small perturbations



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#### **What about symmetry?**

- We have used conservation of N and  $S_z$  when constructing the basis
- We did not use translation symmetry



*This would require a bit more 'brain' input*

$$
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$$

**Translation symmetry** is reflected in the correlation functions:

$$
S_z(\mathbf{k}) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{R}} S_{\mathbf{R} z}
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