Unification from Functional Renormalization

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- fluctuations in d=0,1,2,3,...
- linear and non-linear sigma models
- vortices and perturbation theory
- bosonic and fermionic models
- relativistic and non-relativistic physics
- classical and quantum statistics
- non-universal and universal aspects
- homogenous systems and local disorder
 equilibrium and out of equilibrium

unification



unification: functional integral / flow equation

simplicity of average action
explicit presence of scale
differentiating is easier than integrating...

unified description of scalar models for all d and N

Scalar field theory

 $\varphi_a(x)$: magnetization, density, chemical concentration, Higgs field, meson field, inflaton, cosmon

O(N)-symmetry:





Flow equation for average potential

$$\partial_k U_k(\varphi) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \int \frac{d^d q}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{\partial_k R_k(q^2)}{Z_k q^2 + R_k(q^2) + \bar{M}_{k,i}^2(\varphi)}$$

$$ar{M}_{k,ab}^2 = rac{\partial^2 U_k}{\partial \varphi_a \partial \varphi_b}$$
: Mass matrix
 $ar{M}_{k,i}^2$: Eigenvalues of mass matrix

Simple one loop structure – nevertheless (almost) exact



Infrared cutoff

 $R_k : \text{IR-cutoff}$ e.g $R_k = \frac{Z_k q^2}{e^{q^2/k^2} - 1}$ or $R_k = Z_k (k^2 - q^2) \Theta(k^2 - q^2) \quad \text{(Litim)}$

 $\lim_{k \to 0} R_k = 0$ $\lim_{k \to \infty} R_k \to \infty$

Wave function renormalization and anomalous dimension

 Z_k : wave function renormalization

 $k\partial_k Z_k = -\eta_k Z_K$

 η_k : anomalous dimension

 $t = \ln(k/\Lambda)$

 $\partial_t \ln Z = -\eta$

for $Z_k(\varphi,q^2)$: flow equation is exact !

Scaling form of evolution equation

$$egin{aligned} u &= rac{U_k}{k^d} \ ilde{
ho} &= Z_k k^{2-d}
ho \ u' &= rac{\partial u}{\partial ilde{
ho}} \ ext{ etc.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\partial_t u|_{\tilde{\rho}} = -\frac{du}{dt} + (\frac{d}{dt} - 2 + \eta)\tilde{\rho}u' + 2v_d \{ l_0^d(u' + 2\tilde{\rho}u''; \eta) + (N-1) l_0^d(u'; \eta) \}$$

$$v_d^{-1} = 2^{d+1} \pi^{d/2} \Gamma\left(\frac{d}{2}\right)$$

linear cutoff:

$$l_0^d(w;\eta) = \frac{2}{d}\left(1-\frac{\eta}{d+2}\right)\frac{1}{1+w}$$

On r.h.s. : neither the scale k nor the wave function renormalization Z appear explicitly.

Scaling solution: no dependence on t; corresponds to second order phase transition.

Tetradis ...

unified approach

choose N
choose d
choose initial form of potential
run !

(quantitative results : systematic derivative expansion in second order in derivatives)

Flow of effective potential

Ising model



Critical exponents

 η

0.0292

0.0356

0.0385

0.0380

0.0363

0.025

0.003

1

d = 3

N

0 0.590

1 0.6307

2 0.666

3 0.704

4 0.739

10 0.881

100 0.990

Critical exponents ν and η

V

0.5878 0.039

0.6308 0.0467

0.6714 0.049

0.7102 0.049

0.7474 0.047

0.028

0.0030

"average" of other methods

 $(typically \pm (0.0010 - 0.0020))$

0.886

0.980 ↑





Experiment :

T_{*} =304.15 K p_{*} =73.8.bar ρ_{*} = 0.442 g cm-2

S.Seide ...

Critical exponents, d=3

N	i	ν		η	
0	0.590	0.5878	0.039		0.0292
1	0.6307	0.6308	0.0467		0.0356
2	0.666	0.6714	0.049		0.0385
3	0.704	0.7102	0.049		0.0380
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10	0.881	0.886	0.028		0.025
100	0.990	0.980	0.0030		0.003
	ERGE	world	ERGE		world

"average" of other methods (typically $\pm (0.0010 - 0.0020)$)

critical exponents, BMW approximation

N	η	η (other)	ν	ν (other)	ω	ω
					(prelim.)	(other)
0	0.033(3)	0.028(3) [1]	0.588	0.588(1) [1]	0.80	
1	0.039(3)	0.0364(2) [2]	0.6298(4)	0.6301(2) [2]	0.78	0.79(1) [1]
		0.0368(2) [3]		0.6302(1) [3]		
		0.033(3) [1]		0.630(1) [1]		
2	0.041(3)	0.0381(2) [4]	0.6719(4)	0.6717(1) [4]	0.78	0.79(1) [1]
		0.035(3) [1]		0.670(2) [1]		
3	0.040(3)	0.0375(5) [5]	0.709	0.7112(5) [5]	0.73	
		0.036(3) [1]		0.707(4) [1]		
4	0.038(3)	0.035(5)[1]	0.738	0.741(6) [1]	0.74	0.77(2) [1]
		0.037(1) [6]		0.749(2) [6]		
5	0.035(3)	0.031(3) [8]	0.768	0.764(4) [8]	0.73	0.77(2) [1]
		0.034(1) [7]		0.779(3) [7]		
10	0.022(2)	0.024 [9]	0.860	0.859 [9]	0.81	
20	0.012(1)	0.014 [9]	0.929	0.930 [9]	0.94	
100	0.0023(2)	0.0027 [10]		0.989 [10]	0.99	

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Blaizot, Benitez, ..., Wschebor

Solution of partial differential equation :

yields highly nontrivial non-perturbative results despite the one loop structure !

Example: Kosterlitz-Thouless phase transition

Essential scaling : d=2,N=2

MR ~ exp{- 1/2}, T>To



 Flow equation contains correctly the nonperturbative information !
 (essential scaling usually described by vortices)

Von Gersdorff ...

Kosterlitz-Thouless phase transition (d=2,N=2)

Correct description of phase with Goldstone boson (infinite correlation length) for T<T_c Running renormalized d-wave superconducting order parameter \varkappa in doped Hubbard (-type) model



Renormalized order parameter \varkappa and gap in electron propagator Δ in doped Hubbard model



 T/T_{c}

Temperature dependent anomalous dimension η



 T/T_{c}

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Exact renormalization group equation

Exact flow equation

for scale dependence of average action

$$\partial_k \Gamma_k[\varphi] = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left\{ \left(\Gamma_k^{(2)}[\varphi] + R_k \right)^{-1} \partial_k R_k \right\}$$

 $\left(\Gamma_k^{(2)}\right)_{ab}(q,q') = \frac{\delta^2 \Gamma_k}{\delta \varphi_a(-q) \delta \varphi_b(q')}$

 $\operatorname{Tr}: \sum_{a} \int \frac{d^{d}q}{(2\pi)^{d}}$

(fermions : STr)

15 years

getting adult...

some history ... (the parents)

exact RG equations :

Symanzik eq., Wilson eq., Wegner-Houghton eq., Polchinski eq., mathematical physics

1PI : RG for 1PI-four-point function and hierarchy Weinberg formal Legendre transform of Wilson eq. Nicoll, Chang

non-perturbative flow :

d=3 : sharp cutoff , no wave function renormalization or momentum dependence Hasenfratz² qualitative changes that make nonperturbative physics accessible :

(1) basic object is simple

average action ~ classical action ~ generalized Landau theory

direct connection to thermodynamics (coarse grained free energy) qualitative changes that make nonperturbative physics accessible :

(2) Infrared scale k instead of Ultraviolet cutoff Λ

short distance memory not lost no modes are integrated out , but only part of the fluctuations is included simple one-loop form of flow simple comparison with perturbation theory

infrared cutoff k

cutoff on momentum resolution or frequency resolution e.g. distance from pure anti-ferromagnetic momentum or from Fermi surface

intuitive interpretation of k by association with physical IR-cutoff, i.e. finite size of system : arbitrarily small momentum differences cannot be resolved ! qualitative changes that make nonperturbative physics accessible :

(3) only physics in small momentum range around k matters for the flow

ERGE regularization

simple implementation on lattice

artificial non-analyticities can be avoided

qualitative changes that make nonperturbative physics accessible :

(4) flexibility

change of fields

microscopic or composite variables

simple description of collective degrees of freedom and bound states

many possible choices of "cutoffs"

Proof of exact flow equation

$$\partial_k \Gamma|_{\phi} = -\partial_k W|_j - \partial_k \Delta_k S[\varphi]$$

= $\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \{ \partial_k R_k (\langle \phi \phi \rangle - \langle \phi \rangle \langle \phi \rangle) \}$
= $\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \{ \partial_k R_k W_k^{(2)} \}$

$$W_k^{(2)}(\Gamma_k^{(2)} + R_k) = \mathbb{1}$$
$$(\Delta_k S^{(2)} \equiv R_k)$$

$$\Longrightarrow$$
$$\partial_k \Gamma_k = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left\{ \partial_k R_k (\Gamma_k^{(2)} + R_k)^{-1} \right\}$$

sources j can multiply arbitrary operators

φ: associated fields

Truncations

Functional differential equation – cannot be solved exactly Approximative solution by truncation of most general form of effective action

derivative expansion

Tetradis,...; Morris

O(N)-model:

$$\Gamma_{k} = \int d^{d}x \{ U_{k}(\rho) + \frac{1}{2} Z_{k}(\rho) \partial_{\mu} \varphi_{a} \partial_{\mu} \varphi_{a} + \frac{1}{4} Y_{k}(\rho) \partial_{\mu} \rho \partial_{\mu} \rho + \cdots \} (N = 1: \quad Y_{k} \equiv 0)$$

field expansion (flow eq. for 1PI vertices) Weinberg; Ellwanger,...

$$\Gamma_{k} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int \prod_{j=0}^{n} d^{d}x_{j} \Gamma_{k}^{(n)}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots, x_{n})$$
$$\prod_{j=0}^{n} (\phi(x_{j}) - \phi_{0})$$

Expansion in canonical dimension of couplings

Lowest order:

$$\begin{split} d &= 4: \quad \rho_0, \bar{\lambda}, Z \\ d &= 3: \quad \rho_0, \bar{\lambda}, \bar{\gamma}, Z \\ U &= \frac{1}{2} \bar{\lambda} (\rho - \rho_0)^2 + \frac{1}{6} \bar{\gamma} (\rho - \rho_0)^3 \end{split}$$

works well for O(N) models Tetradis,...; Tsypin

polynomial expansion of potential converges if expanded around ρ_0 Tetradis,...; Aoki et al.

convergence and errors

- apparent fast convergence : no series resummation
- rough error estimate by different cutoffs and truncations, Fierz ambiguity etc.
- in general : understanding of physics crucial
 no standardized procedure

including fermions :

no particular problem !

BCS – BEC crossover


changing degrees of freedom

Anti-ferromagnetic order in the Hubbard model

A functional renormalization group study

T.Baier, E.Bick, ... C.Krahl

Hubbard model

Functional integral formulation

$$Z[\eta] = \int_{\hat{\psi}(\beta) = -\hat{\psi}(0), \hat{\psi}^{*}(\beta) = -\hat{\psi}^{*}(0)} \mathcal{D}(\hat{\psi}^{*}(\tau), \hat{\psi}(\tau))$$

$$\exp\left(-\int_{0}^{\beta} d\tau \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger}(\tau) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} - \mu\right) \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}(\tau)\right)$$

$$+ \sum_{\mathbf{xy}} \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger}(\tau) \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{xy}} \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{y}}(\tau)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} U \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \left(\hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger}(\tau) \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}(\tau)\right)^{2}$$

$$- \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \left(\eta_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger}(\tau) \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}(\tau) + \eta_{\mathbf{x}}^{T}(\tau) \hat{\psi}_{\mathbf{x}}^{*}(\tau)\right)\right)$$

U > 0 : repulsive local interaction

next neighbor interaction

$$\mathcal{T}_{xy} = \begin{cases} -t & \text{, if } \boldsymbol{x} \text{ and } \boldsymbol{y} \text{ are nearest neighbors} \\ 0 & \text{, else} \end{cases}$$

External parameters T : temperature μ : chemical potential (doping)

Fermion bilinears

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\rho}(X) \ &= \ \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(X) \hat{\psi}(X), \\ \tilde{\vec{m}}(X) \ &= \ \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(X) \vec{\sigma} \hat{\psi}(X) \end{split}$$

Introduce sources for bilinears

Functional variation with respect to sources J yields expectation values and correlation functions

$$S_F = S_{F,\text{kin}} + \frac{1}{2}U(\hat{\psi}^{\dagger}\hat{\psi})^2 - J_{\rho}\tilde{\rho} - \vec{J_m}\tilde{\vec{m}}$$

$$Z = \int \mathcal{D}(\psi^*, \psi) \exp\left(-\left(S_F + S_\eta\right)\right)$$
$$S_\eta = -\eta^{\dagger} \psi - \eta^T \psi^*$$

Partial Bosonisation

- collective bosonic variables for fermion bilinears
 insert identity in functional integral (Hubbard-Stratonovich transformation)
 replace four fermion interaction by equivalent bosonic interaction (e.g. mass and Yukawa terms)
- problem : decomposition of fermion interaction into bilinears not unique (Grassmann variables)

$$(\hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(X)\hat{\psi}(X))^2 = \tilde{\rho}(X)^2 = -\frac{1}{3}\tilde{\vec{m}}(X)^2$$

Partially bosonised functional integral

$$Z[\eta, \eta^*, J_{\rho}, \vec{J_m}] = \int \mathcal{D}(\psi^*, \psi, \hat{\rho}, \hat{\vec{m}}) \exp\left(-\left(S + S_{\eta} + S_J\right)\right)$$

$$S = S_{F,kin} + \frac{1}{2}U_{\rho}\hat{\rho}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}U_{m}\hat{\vec{m}}^{2} - U_{\rho}\hat{\rho}\tilde{\rho} - U_{m}\hat{\vec{m}}\tilde{\vec{m}},$$

$$S_{J} = - J_{\rho}\hat{\rho} - \vec{J}_{m}\hat{\vec{m}}$$

equivalent to fermionic functional integral

 $U = -U_{\rho} + 3U_m$

Bosonic integration is Gaussian

or:

solve bosonic field equation as functional of fermion fields and reinsert into action

$$\hat{\rho} = \tilde{\rho} + \frac{J_{\rho}}{U_{\rho}}, \qquad \hat{\vec{m}} = \tilde{\vec{m}} + \frac{\vec{J}_m}{U_m}$$

more bosons ...

additional fields may be added formally :

only mass term + source term : decoupled boson

introduction of boson fields not linked to Hubbard-Stratonovich transformation

fermion – boson action

$$S = S_{F,\text{kin}} + S_B + S_Y + S_J,$$

fermion kinetic term

$$S_{F,\text{kin}} = \sum_{Q} \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q)(i\omega_F - \mu - 2t(\cos q_1 + \cos q_2))\hat{\psi}(Q),$$

boson quadratic term ("classical propagator")

$$S_B = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{Q} \left(U_{\rho} \hat{\rho}(Q) \hat{\rho}(-Q) + U_m \hat{\vec{m}}(Q) \hat{\vec{m}}(-Q) \right),$$

Yukawa coupling

$$S_Y = -\sum_{QQ'Q''} \delta(Q - Q' + Q'') \times (U_\rho \hat{\rho}(Q) \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q') \hat{\psi}(Q'') + U_m \hat{\vec{m}}(Q) \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q') \vec{\sigma} \hat{\psi}(Q'')),$$

source term

$$S_J = -\sum_Q \left(J_\rho(-Q)\hat{\rho}(Q) + \vec{J}_m(-Q)\hat{\vec{m}}(Q) \right)$$

is now linear in the bosonic fields

Mean Field Theory (MFT)

Evaluate Gaussian fermionic integral in background of bosonic field, e.g.

 $\begin{array}{lll} \hat{\rho}(Q) \ \rightarrow \ \rho \delta(Q) \\ \hat{\vec{m}}(Q) \ \rightarrow \ \vec{a} \delta(Q - \Pi) \end{array}$

$$\begin{split} Z_{\rm MF} &= \int \mathcal{D}(\hat{\psi}^*, \hat{\psi}) \exp(-S_{\rm MF}), \\ S_{\rm MF} &= \sum_Q \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q) (i\omega_F - \mu - 2t(\cos q_1 + \cos q_2)) \hat{\psi}(Q) \\ &- \sum_Q (U_\rho \rho \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q) \hat{\psi}(Q) + U_m \vec{a} \hat{\psi}^{\dagger}(Q + \Pi) \vec{\sigma} \hat{\psi}(Q)) \\ &+ \frac{V_2}{2T} (U_\rho \rho^2 + U_m \vec{a}^2) - J_\rho(0) \rho - \vec{J}_m(-\Pi) \vec{a} \end{split}$$

$$\Gamma_{\rm MF} = -\ln Z_{\rm MF} + J_{\rho}(0)\rho + \vec{J}_m(-\Pi)\vec{a}$$

Mean field phase diagram

for two different choices of couplings - same U !



Mean field ambiguity



Artefact of approximation ...

cured by inclusion of bosonic fluctuations

J.Jaeckel,...

mean field phase diagram

 $U = -U_{\rho} + 3U_m$

Bosonisation and the mean field ambiguity

Bosonic fluctuations

fermion loops

boson loops





mean field theory

Bosonisation

adapt bosonisation to every scale k such that



is translated to bosonic interaction

H.Gies , ...

$$\begin{split} \Gamma_k[\psi,\psi^*,\phi] &= \sum_Q \psi^*(Q) P_{\psi,k} \psi(Q) \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \sum_Q \phi(-Q) P_{\phi,k}(Q) \phi(Q) \\ &- \sum_Q h_k(Q) \phi(Q) \tilde{\phi}(-Q) \\ &+ \sum_Q \lambda_{\psi,k}(Q) \tilde{\phi}(Q) \tilde{\phi}(-Q) \end{split}$$

k-dependent field redefinition

$$\phi_k(Q) = \phi_{\bar{k}}(Q) + \Delta \alpha_k(Q) \tilde{\phi}(Q)$$

$$\partial_k \phi_k(Q) = -\partial_k \alpha_k(Q) \tilde{\phi}(Q)$$

absorbs four-fermion coupling

Modification of evolution of couplings ...

Evolution with k-dependent field variables

$$\begin{split} \partial_k \Gamma_k[\psi, \psi^*, \phi_k] &= \partial_k \Gamma_k[\psi, \psi^*, \phi_k]|_{\phi_k} \\ &+ \sum_Q \left(\frac{\delta}{\delta \phi_k} \Gamma[\psi, \psi^*, \phi_k]\right) \partial_k \phi_k \\ &= \partial_k \Gamma_k[\psi, \psi^*, \phi_k]|_{\phi_k} \\ &+ \sum_Q \left(-\partial_k \alpha_k(Q) P_{\phi,k}(Q) \phi_k(Q) \tilde{\phi}(-Q) \right) \\ &+ h_k(Q) \partial_k \alpha_k(Q) \tilde{\phi}(Q) \tilde{\phi}(-Q)) \end{split}$$

Bosonisation

 $\begin{array}{lll} \partial_k h_k(Q) &=& \partial_k h_k(Q)|_{\phi_k} + \partial_k \alpha_k(Q) P_{\phi,k}(Q), \\ \partial_k \lambda_{\psi,k}(Q) &=& \partial_k \lambda_{\psi,k}(Q)|_{\phi_k} + h_k(Q) \; \partial_k \alpha_k(Q). \end{array}$

Choose α_k in order to absorb the four fermion coupling in corresponding channel

$$\partial_k h_k(Q) = \partial_k h_k(Q)|_{\phi_k} - \frac{P_{\phi,k}(Q)}{h_k(Q)} \partial_k \lambda_{\psi,k}(Q)|_{\phi_k}$$

Bosonisation cures mean field ambiguity



 U_{o}/t

Flow equation for the Hubbard model

T.Baier, E.Bick, ..., C.Krahl

Truncation

Concentrate on antiferromagnetism

$$\vec{a}(Q)=\vec{m}(Q+\Pi)$$

$$\Gamma_{\psi,k}[\psi,\psi^*] = \sum_{Q} \psi^{\dagger}(Q) P_F(Q) \psi(Q),$$

$$P_F(Q) = i\omega_F + \epsilon - \mu, \quad \epsilon(\mathbf{q}) = -2t(\cos q_x + \cos q_y),$$

$$\Gamma_{Y,k}[\psi,\psi^*,\vec{a}] = -\bar{h}_{a,k} \sum_{KQQ'} \quad \vec{a}(K)\psi^*(Q)\vec{\sigma}\psi(Q') \\ \times \delta(K-Q+Q'+\Pi)$$

$$\Gamma_{a,k}[\vec{a}] = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{Q} \vec{a}(-Q) P_a(Q) \vec{a}(Q) + \sum_{X} U[\vec{a}(X)]$$

Potential U depends only on $\alpha = a^2$

$$SYM : \sum_{X} U[\vec{a}] = \sum_{K} \bar{m}_{a}^{2} \alpha(-K, K) + \\ + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{K_{1}...K_{4}} \bar{\lambda}_{a} \delta(K_{1} + K_{2} + K_{3} + K_{4}) \\ \times \alpha(K_{1}, K_{2}) \alpha(K_{3}, K_{4}), \\ SSB : \sum_{X} U[\vec{a}] = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{K_{1}...K_{4}} \bar{\lambda}_{a} \delta(K_{1} + K_{2} + K_{3} + K_{4}) \\ \times (\alpha(K_{1}, K_{2}) - \alpha_{0} \delta(K_{1}) \delta(K_{2})) \\ \times (\alpha(K_{3}, K_{4}) - \alpha_{0} \delta(K_{3}) \delta(K_{4}))$$

$$\alpha(K,K') = \frac{1}{2}\vec{a}(K)\vec{a}(K')$$

Critical temperature For T<T_c: \varkappa remains positive for k/t > 10⁻⁹ size of probe > 1 cm



$$\kappa_a = \frac{Z_a t^2}{T} \alpha_0$$

 $T_{c}=0.115$

pseudo gap

SSB

Below the critical temperature :

Infinite-volume-correlation-length becomes larger than sample size

finite sample \approx finite k : order remains effectively



Pseudo-critical temperature T_{pc}

Limiting temperature at which bosonic mass term vanishes (x becomes nonvanishing)

It corresponds to a diverging four-fermion coupling

This is the "critical temperature" computed in MFT !

Pseudo-gap behavior below this temperature

Pseudocritical temperature



Below the pseudocritical temperature

the reign of the goldstone bosons

effective nonlinear $O(3) - \sigma$ - model

critical behavior

for interval $T_c < T < T_{pc}$ evolution as for classical Heisenberg model

cf. Chakravarty, Halperin, Nelson

$$k\partial_k\kappa = \frac{1}{4\pi} + \frac{1}{16\pi^2\kappa} + 0(\kappa^{-2})$$

critical correlation length

$$\xi t = c(T) \exp\left\{20.7\beta(T)\frac{T_c}{T}\right\}$$

 c,β : slowly varying functions

exponential growth of correlation length compatible with observation !

at T_c: correlation length reaches sample size !

Mermin-Wagner theorem ?

No spontaneous symmetry breaking of continuous symmetry in d=2!

not valid in practice !

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non – relativistic bosons

S. Floerchinger, ... see also N. Dupuis

$$\Gamma_{k} = \int_{x} \left\{ \phi^{*} \left(S \partial_{\tau} - \Delta - V \partial_{\tau}^{2} \right) \phi + 2V(\mu - \mu_{0}) \phi^{*} \left(\partial_{\tau} - \Delta \right) \phi + U(\rho, \mu) \right\}$$

arbitrary d, here d=2

flow of kinetic and gradient coefficients



density depletion



sound velocity



critical temperature depends on size of probe



T_c vanishes logarithmically for infinite volume

condensate and superfluid density



thermodynamics for large finite systems

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particle physics

gauge theories, QCD

Reuter,..., Marchesini et al, Ellwanger et al, Litim, Pawlowski, Gies ,Freire, Morris et al., Braun , many others

electroweak interactions, gauge hierarchy problem Jaeckel, Gies,...

electroweak phase transition Reuter, Tetradis,... Bergerhoff,



asymptotic safety Reuter, Lauscher, Schwindt et al, Percacci et al, Litim, Fischer, Saueressig

condensed matter

 unified description for classical bosons
 CW, Tetradis, Aoki, Morikawa, Souma, Sumi, Terao, Morris, Graeter, v.Gersdorff, Litim, Berges, Mouhanna, Delamotte, Canet, Bervilliers, Blaizot, Benitez, Chatie, Mendes-Galain, Wschebor

Hubbard model

Baier, Bick,..., Metzner et al, Salmhofer et al, Honerkamp et al, Krahl, Kopietz et al, Katanin, Pepin, Tsai, Strack, Husemann, Lauscher

condensed matter

quantum criticality
 Floerchinger , Dupuis , Sengupta , Jakubczyk ,

 sine- Gordon model
 Nagy , Polonyi

 disordered systems
 Tissier , Tarjus , Delamotte , Canet

condensed matter

equation of state for CO_2 Seide,...

□ liquid He⁴ Gollisch,... and He³ Kindermann,...

frustrated magnets Delamotte, Mouhanna, Tissier

nucleation and first order phase transitions Tetradis, Strumia,..., Berges,...

condensed matter

Crossover phenomena

Bornholdt , Tetradis ,...

superconductivity (scalar QED₃) Bergerhoff, Lola, Litim, Freire,...

non equilibrium systems

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nuclear physics

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