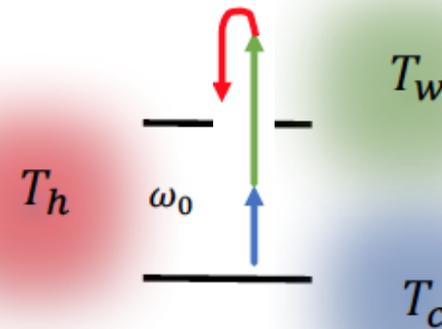
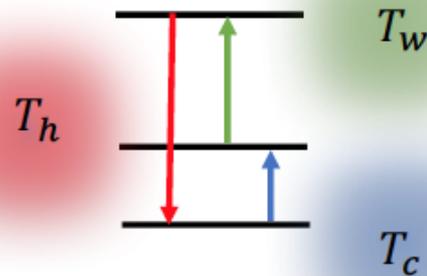


Full counting statistics in quantum thermodynamics

Absorption refrigerator at strong coupling

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Publications

Method

Full counting statistics for energy exchange at the nanoscale: Unified description of additive and non-additive couplings

H. M. Friedman, B. K. Agarwalla, DS, in preparation

Application

Qubit absorption refrigerator at strong coupling

A. Mu, B. K. Agarwalla, G. Schaller, DS, [arXiv:1709.02835](https://arxiv.org/abs/1709.02835)

Theory

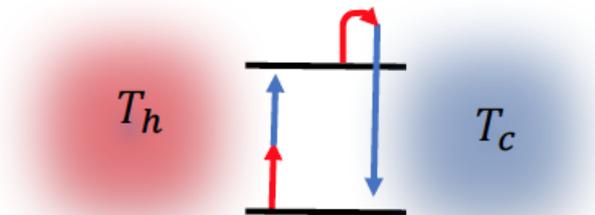
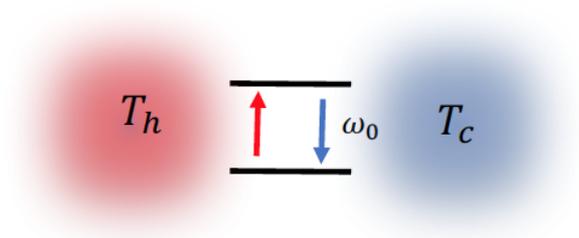
Heat transport in the strong coupling limit

DS, [PRE 90, 012148 \(2014\)](https://arxiv.org/abs/1401.0121)

N. Boudjada and DS [JPC A, 118 \(47\), 11323 \(2014\)](https://arxiv.org/abs/1401.1132)

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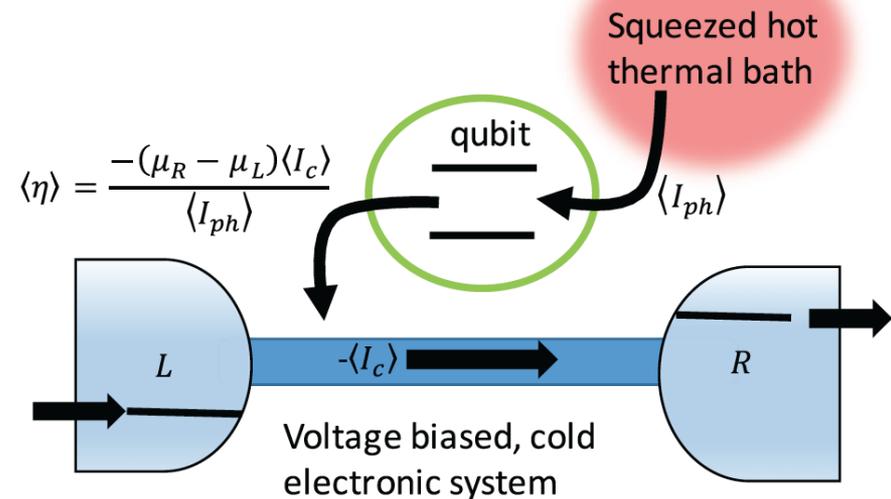
Heat engine with a squeezed bath:

Quantum efficiency bound for continuous heat engines coupled to noncanonical reservoirs

B. K. Agarwalla, J.-H. Jiang, DS, [PRB 96, 104304 \(2017\)](#)

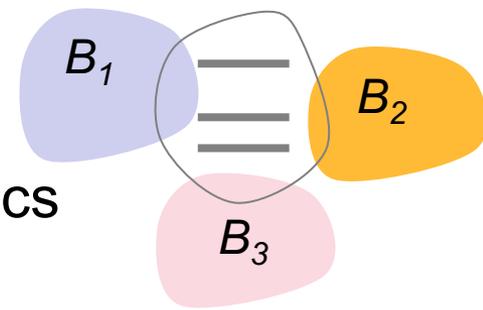
$$\langle \eta \rangle \leq 1 - \frac{T_{\text{el}}}{T_{\text{ph}}} + \frac{1}{\beta_{\text{el}} \hbar \omega_0} \ln \left[\frac{1 + (1 + e^{\beta_{\text{ph}} \hbar \omega_0}) \sinh^2 r}{1 + (1 + e^{-\beta_{\text{ph}} \hbar \omega_0}) \sinh^2 r} \right]$$

$$\langle \eta \rangle \leq 1 - \frac{T_{\text{el}}}{T_{\text{ph}}(1 + 2 \sinh^2 r)}$$



Outline

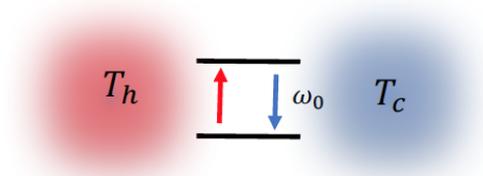
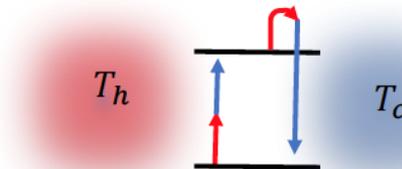
- 1. Introduction:** nonequilibrium statistical mechanics (fluctuation theorem, second law, cumulants)



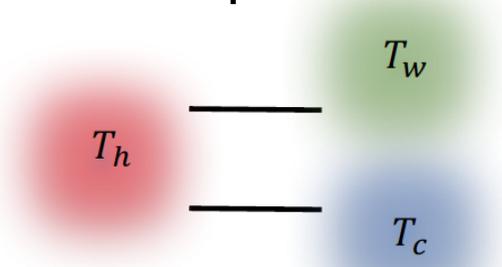
- 2. Formalism:** Full counting statistics for energy exchange

$$\hat{V}_N = \sum_{\nu=1}^N \hat{B}_\nu \quad \hat{V}_N = \prod_{\nu=1}^N \hat{B}_\nu$$

- 3. Two terminal – nonlinear energy transport**

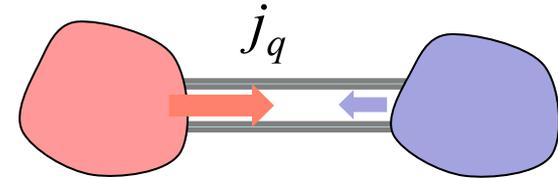


- 4. Three-terminal - quantum absorption refrigerator**



Exchange fluctuation theorems: Microscopic statement of the second law

$$\ln \left[\frac{P_t(+Q)}{P_t(-Q)} \right] = (\beta_R - \beta_L)Q$$



$$\ln \left[\frac{P_t(+S)}{P_t(-S)} \right] = S$$

Characteristic function

$$\mathcal{Z}(\lambda) = \int dS e^{i\lambda S} P(S)$$

$$P(S) = e^S P(-S) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{Z}(\lambda) = \mathcal{Z}(-\lambda + i)$$

Gallavotti – Cohen fluctuation symmetry

$$1 = \langle e^{-S} \rangle \quad e^{\langle x \rangle} \leq \langle e^x \rangle \quad \langle S \rangle \geq 0$$

Second law of thermodynamics!

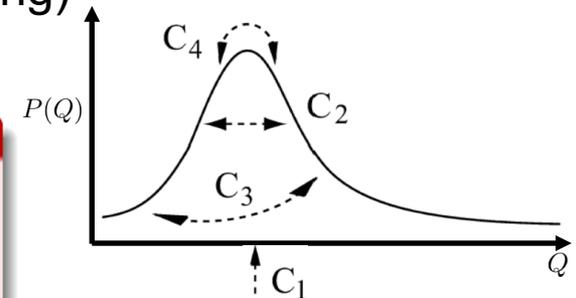
- Familiar inequalities of macroscopic thermodynamics are now equalities!
- Thermodynamic laws are recovered at the level of the ensemble average

What is Full-Counting Statistics (FCS)?

- **Full probability distribution** of transferred charge, heat, in a given time interval
- Origin of FCS - Quantum optics (Photon counting)

Cumulants

- 1st cumulant – mean: $C_1 = \langle Q \rangle$.
- 2nd cumulant – Variance: $C_2 \equiv \langle\langle Q^2 \rangle\rangle = \langle (Q - \langle Q \rangle)^2 \rangle$.
- 3rd cumulant – Skewness: $C_3 = \langle\langle Q^3 \rangle\rangle = \langle (Q - \langle Q \rangle)^3 \rangle$.



- Instead of the distribution we often look at the characteristic function

$$\mathcal{Z}(\lambda) = \int dQ P(Q) e^{i\lambda Q}$$
$$\langle\langle Q^m \rangle\rangle = \left. \frac{\partial^m \ln \mathcal{Z}(\lambda)}{\partial (i\lambda)^m} \right|_{\lambda=0}$$

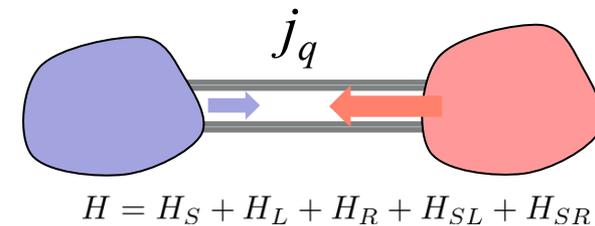
Cumulant generating function

Full Counting Statistics: Two-time measurement

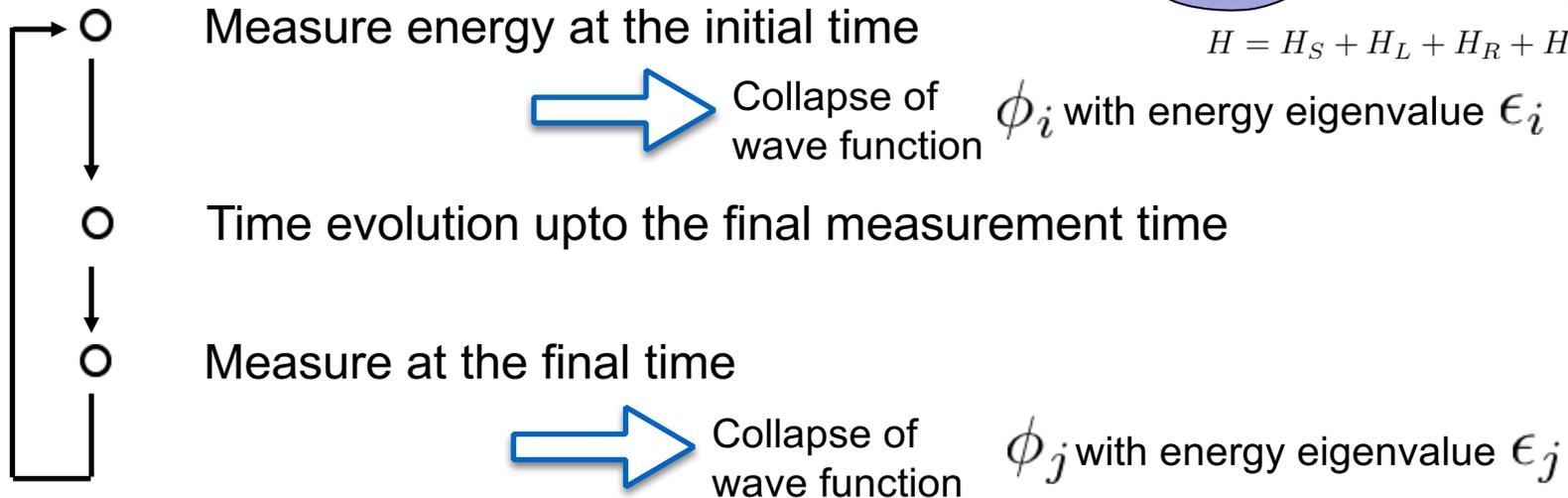
How do we construct the probability distribution?

- Work, heat transferred charge are not observables
- They characterize processes from initial time to final time

Total heat flow $Q_L(t, t_0) = H_L(t_0) - H_L^H(t)$



Two-time Measurement



Probability distribution $P_{i \rightarrow j}(Q) = \delta(Q - (\epsilon_i - \epsilon_j)) |\langle \phi_j | U(t, t_0) | \phi_i \rangle|^2$

Characteristic function for heat

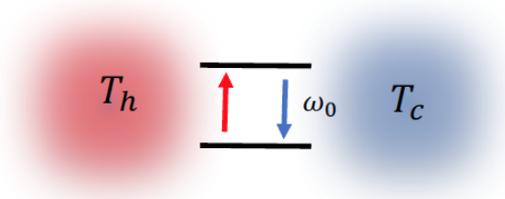
$$\mathcal{Z}(\lambda) = \langle e^{i\lambda H_L(t_0)} e^{-i\lambda H_L^H(t)} \rangle$$

Heat exchange

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_S + \sum_{\nu=1}^N \hat{H}_{\nu} + \hat{S} \otimes \hat{V}_N$$

energy change at the ν bath

$$\hat{Q}_{\nu}(t, t_0 = 0) = \hat{H}_{\nu}(0) - \hat{H}_{\nu}(t)$$



$$\mathcal{Z}(\lambda = \{\lambda_{\nu}\}, t) \equiv \text{Tr} \left[e^{i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}(0)} e^{-i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}(t)} \rho(0) \right]$$

$$\mathcal{G}(\lambda) \equiv \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t} \ln \mathcal{Z}(\lambda) \quad \text{cumulant generating function}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}(\{\lambda_{\nu}\}, t) \equiv \text{Tr} \left[\hat{U}_{-\lambda}(t) \rho(0) \hat{U}_{\lambda}^{\dagger}(t) \right] \equiv \text{Tr} \left[\rho^{\lambda}(t) \right]$$

$$\hat{U}_{-\lambda}(t) \equiv e^{-i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}/2} \hat{U}(t) e^{i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}/2}$$

$$\hat{U}_{\lambda}^{\dagger}(t) \equiv e^{i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}/2} \hat{U}^{\dagger}(t) e^{-i \sum_{\nu} \lambda_{\nu} \hat{H}_{\nu}/2}$$

Redfield Equation (Born Markov approximation)

$$\sigma^\lambda(t) \equiv \text{Tr}_B [\rho^\lambda(t)]$$

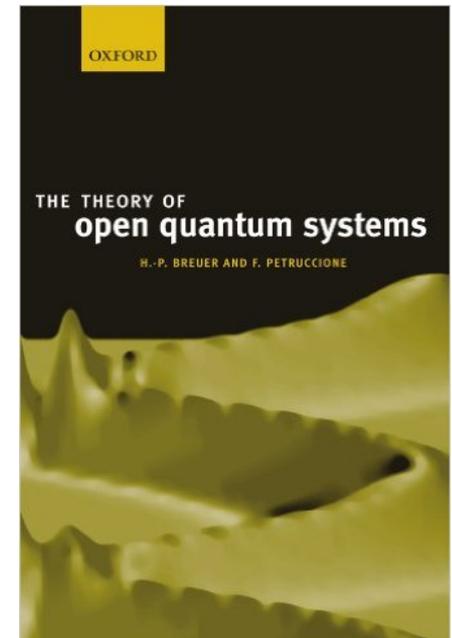
$$\dot{\sigma}_{nm}^\lambda(t) = -i[\hat{H}_S, \sigma(t)]_{nm} + \sum_{j,k} \left[-\sigma_{km}^\lambda(t) R_{N_{nj,jk}}^{(+)}(E_{k,j}) - \sigma_{nj}^\lambda(t) R_{N_{km,jk}}^{(-)}(E_{j,k}) + \sigma_{jk}^\lambda(t) \left(R_{N_{km,nj}}^{\lambda,-\lambda^{(-)}}(E_{k,m}) + R_{N_{km,nj}}^{\lambda,-\lambda^{(+)}}(E_{j,n}) \right) \right]$$

$$\rho(0) = \sigma(0) \otimes \rho_B(0)$$

$$\rho_B(0) = \prod_{\nu=1}^N \rho_\nu \quad \rho_\nu(0) = \exp[-\beta_\nu \hat{H}_\nu] / Z_\nu$$

$$M_{N_{ab,cd}}^{\lambda,\lambda'}(s) \equiv \langle \hat{V}_N^\lambda(s) \hat{V}_N^{\lambda'}(0) \rangle S_{a,b} S_{c,d}$$

$$R_{N_{ab,cd}}^{\lambda,\lambda^{(+)}}(\omega) \equiv \int_0^\infty e^{i\omega s} M_{N_{ab,cd}}^{\lambda,\lambda'}(s) ds$$



Secular Approximation

$$\dot{p}_n^\lambda(t) = - p_n^\lambda(t) \sum_j \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i E_{n,j} s} M_{N_{nj}, j_n}(s) ds$$

$$+ \sum_j p_j^\lambda(t) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i E_{j,n} s} M_{N_{nj}, j_n}^{\lambda, -\lambda}(s) ds$$

solve in steady state

$$\mathcal{Z}(\lambda) = \langle 1 | p_\lambda(t \rightarrow \infty) \rangle$$

$$\langle J \rangle = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t} \frac{\partial \ln \mathcal{Z}(\lambda)}{\partial i\lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=0}$$

$$\hat{V}_N = \sum_{\nu=1}^N \hat{B}_\nu$$

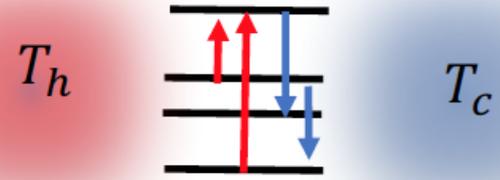
$$\hat{V}_N = \prod_{\nu=1}^N \hat{B}_\nu$$

$$|\dot{p}^\lambda(t)\rangle = \mathcal{L}^\lambda |p^\lambda(t)\rangle$$



$$\langle J \rangle = \langle 1 | \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}^\lambda}{\partial i\lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=0} |p_{ss}\rangle$$

Additive model $\hat{V}_N = \hat{B}_L + \hat{B}_R$



Two-time correlation function in time

$$M_{(L,R)ab,cd}^{\lambda,\lambda'}(s) = \left(\langle \hat{B}_L(s) \hat{B}_L(0) \rangle + \langle \hat{B}_R^\lambda(s) \hat{B}_R^{\lambda'}(0) \rangle \right) S_{a,b} S_{c,d}$$

Fourier Transform (dissipation rate)

$$M_{(L,R)nj;jn}^{\lambda,-\lambda}(E_{j,n}) = M_{Lnj;jn}(E_{j,n}) + M_{Rnj;jn}^{\lambda,-\lambda}(E_{j,n})$$

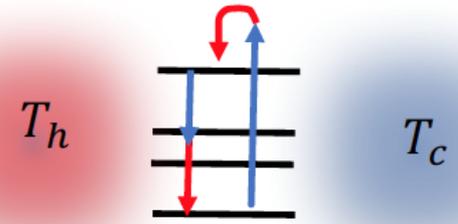
$$|\dot{p}^\lambda(t)\rangle = (\mathcal{L}_R^\lambda + \mathcal{L}_L) |p^\lambda(t)\rangle$$



$$\langle J \rangle = \langle 1 | \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}^\lambda}{\partial i\lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=0} |p_{ss}\rangle$$

$$\langle J \rangle = \text{Tr}[\hat{H}_S \mathcal{L}_R p]$$

Non-Additive model $\hat{V}_N = \hat{B}_L \otimes \hat{B}_R$



Two-time correlation function in time

$$M_{(L,R)ab,cd}^{\lambda,\lambda'}(s) = \langle \hat{B}_L(s) \hat{B}_L(0) \rangle \langle \hat{B}_R^\lambda(s) \hat{B}_R^{\lambda'}(0) \rangle S_{a,b} S_{c,d}$$

Fourier Transform (dissipation rate)

$$M_{(L,R)nj;jn}^{\lambda,-\lambda}(E_{j,n}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} M_{Lnj;jn}(E_{j,n} - \omega) M_{Rnj;jn}^{\lambda,-\lambda}(\omega) d\omega$$

$$\langle J \rangle = \left\langle 1 \left| \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}^\lambda}{\partial i\lambda} \right|_{\lambda=0} \right| p_{ss} \rangle$$

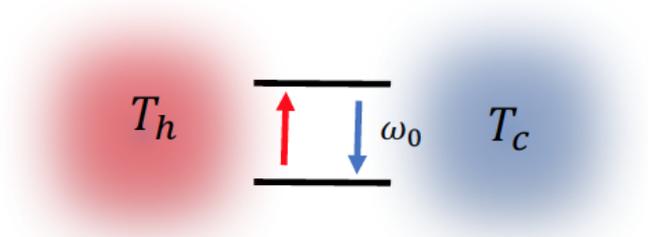
$$\langle J \rangle = - \sum_{n,j} p_j \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \omega M_{Lnj;jn}(E_{j,n} - \omega) M_{Rnj;jn}(\omega)$$

Two-state model

$$\hat{H}_S = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z = \frac{\omega_0}{2} (|0\rangle \langle 0| - |1\rangle \langle 1|)$$

$$\hat{S} = \hat{\sigma}_x = |0\rangle \langle 1| + |1\rangle \langle 0|.$$

$$\mathcal{G}(\lambda) = -\frac{1}{2}(k_{0 \rightarrow 1} + k_{1 \rightarrow 0}) + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(k_{0 \rightarrow 1} + k_{1 \rightarrow 0})^2 - 4(k_{0 \rightarrow 1} k_{1 \rightarrow 0} - k_{0 \rightarrow 1}^\lambda k_{1 \rightarrow 0}^\lambda)}$$



Rate constants are
sum of L and R
baths processes



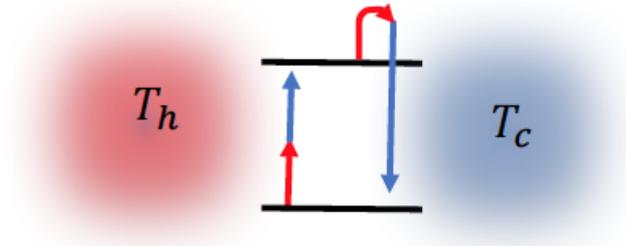
$$\hat{V}_N = \hat{B}_L + \hat{B}_R$$

$$\langle J \rangle = \omega_0 [p_0 k_{0 \rightarrow 1}^R - p_1 k_{1 \rightarrow 0}^R]$$

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Rate constants are **convolution** of L and R processes



$$\hat{V}_N = \hat{B}_L \otimes \hat{B}_R$$

Energy exchange is a **cooperative process**

$$\langle J \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[p_0 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \omega M_L(-\omega_0 + \omega) M_R(-\omega) - p_1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega \omega M_L(\omega_0 - \omega) M_R(\omega) \right].$$

Spin-boson model

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\omega_0}{2}\sigma_z + \frac{\Delta}{2}\sigma_x + \sigma_z \sum_{\nu,j} \lambda_{j,\nu} (\hat{b}_{j,\nu}^\dagger + \hat{b}_{j,\nu}) + \sum_{\nu,j} \omega_j \hat{b}_{j,\nu}^\dagger \hat{b}_{j,\nu}$$

After the Polaron transformation

$$\hat{H}_p = \frac{\omega_0}{2}\sigma_z + \frac{\Delta}{2} (\sigma_+ e^{i\Omega} + \sigma_- e^{-i\Omega}) + \sum_{\nu,j} \omega_j \hat{b}_{j,\nu}^\dagger \hat{b}_{j,\nu}$$

$$\Omega = \sum_{\nu} \Omega_{\nu}$$

$$\Omega_{\nu} = 2i \sum_j \frac{\lambda_{j,\nu}}{\omega_j} (\hat{b}_{j,\nu}^\dagger - \hat{b}_{j,\nu})$$

Two terminal spin boson model: nonlinear energy transport

Full Counting Statistics: cumulants, fluctuation theorem, scaling laws

Method Development:

Approximate \rightarrow exact
(QME, NEGF, path integral)

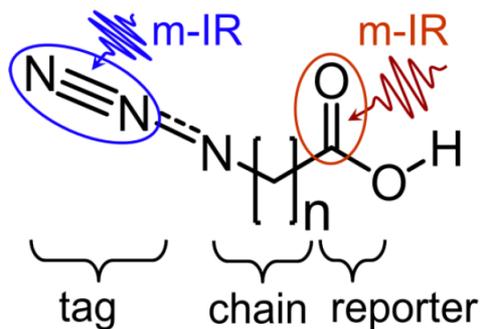
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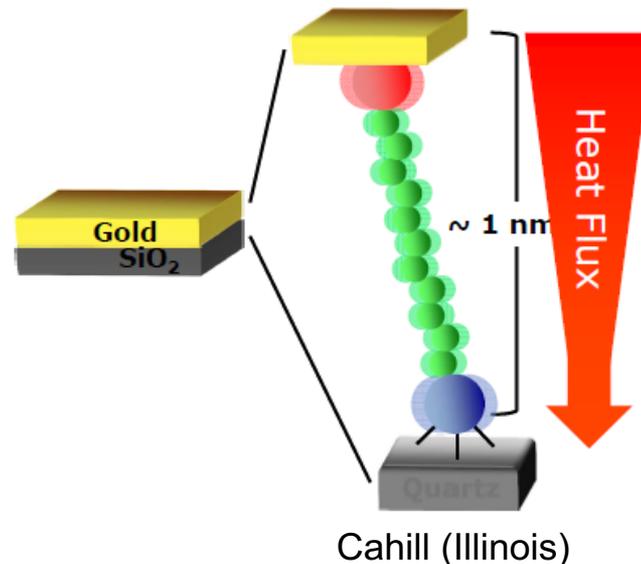
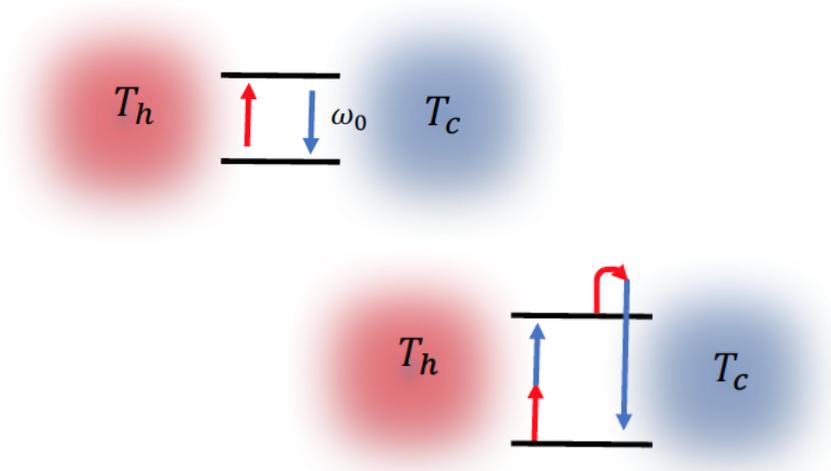
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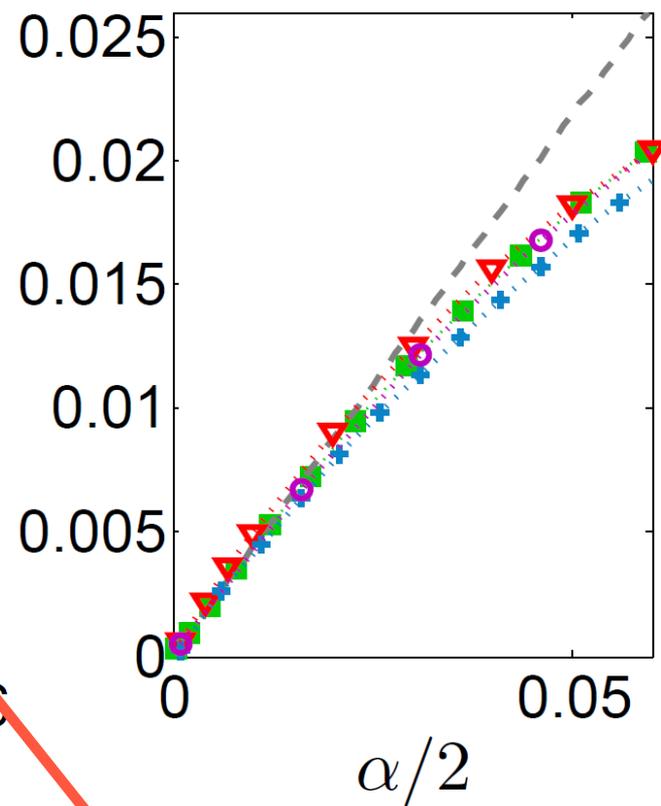
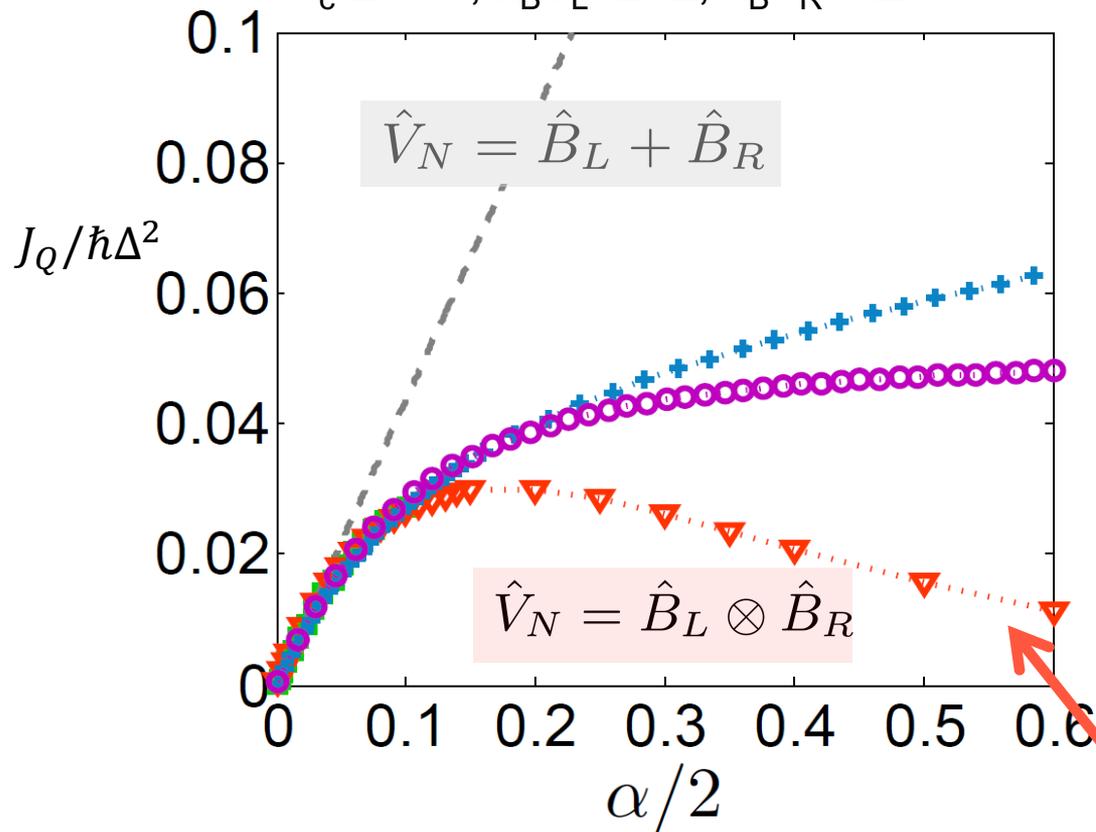


Rubtsov (Tulane)



Cahill (Illinois)

$$\omega_c/\Delta = 10, k_B T_L = 2\hbar\Delta, k_B T_R = \hbar\Delta$$

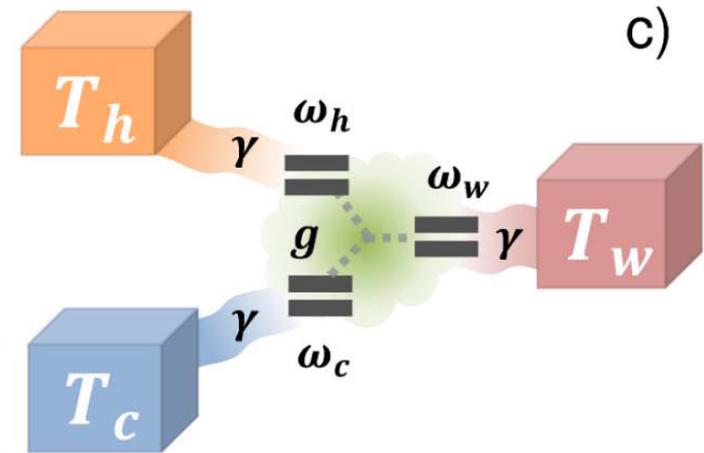
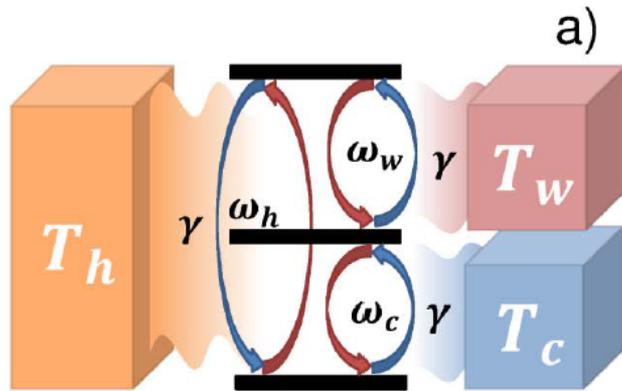


- Path Integral
- Bloch-Redfield-Markov
- NIBA (polaronic QME)
- NEGF-Redfield
- NEGF

$$\kappa \simeq C \frac{k_B \Delta^2}{\omega_c} \left(\frac{k_B T}{\hbar \omega_c} \right)^{2\alpha-1}$$

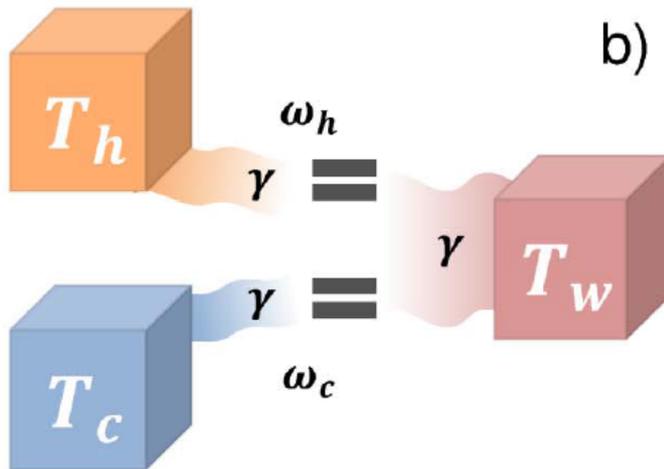
$$\alpha = \alpha_L + \alpha_R$$

Quantum Absorption Refrigerator



Quantum heat engines and refrigerators
R. Kosloff and A. Levy, ARPC 65 365 (2014).

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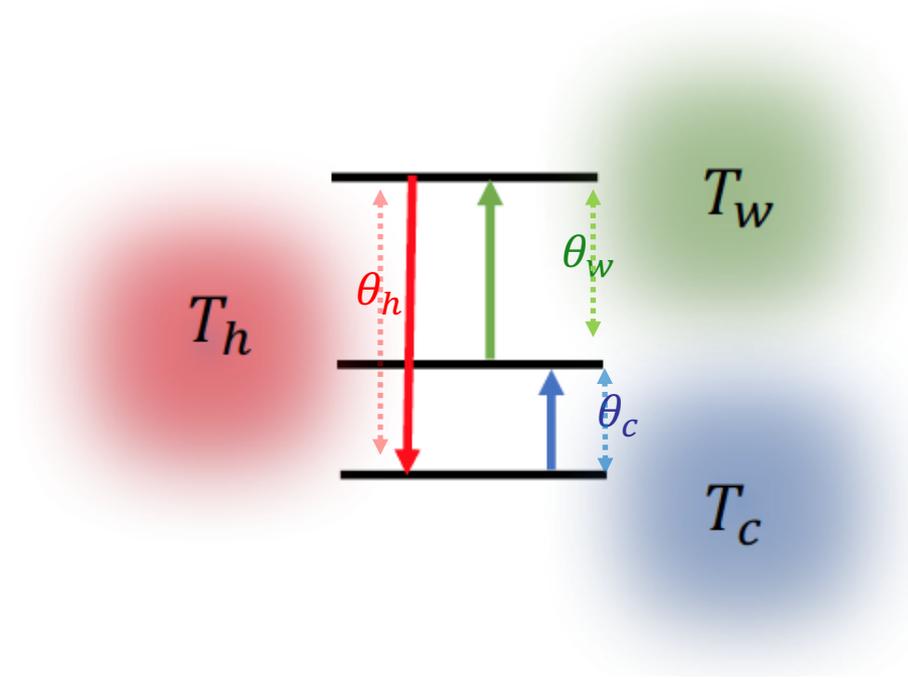


Weak coupling to the three reservoirs

control over the system: energies, transitions, inter-system coupling.

Strong coupling to three reservoirs: filtering the baths' frequencies.

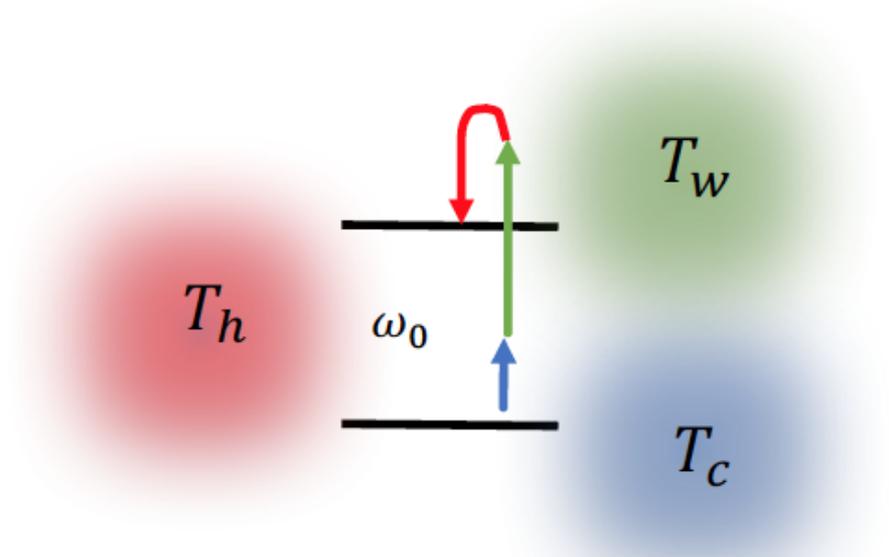
Three-level, weak coupling quantum absorption refrigerator



$$\left(\frac{T_w - T_h}{T_w - T_c} \right) \frac{T_c}{T_h} \geq \frac{\theta_c}{\theta_h}$$

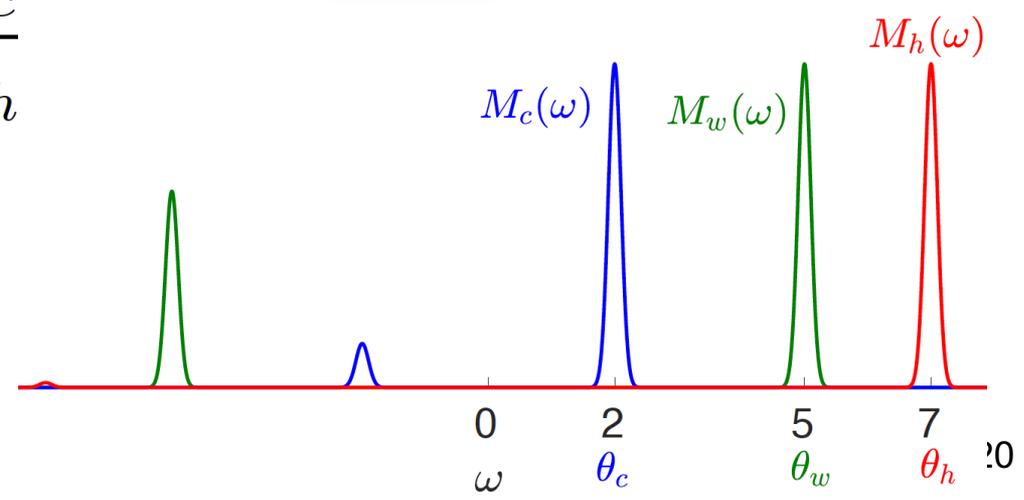
Derivation based on the weak system bath coupling model with additive dissipation

Nonequilibrium spin boson model: quantum absorption refrigerator at strong coupling



$$\left(\frac{T_w - T_h}{T_w - T_c} \right) \frac{T_c}{T_h} \geq \frac{\theta_c}{\theta_h}$$

$$\theta_c + \theta_w = \theta_h$$



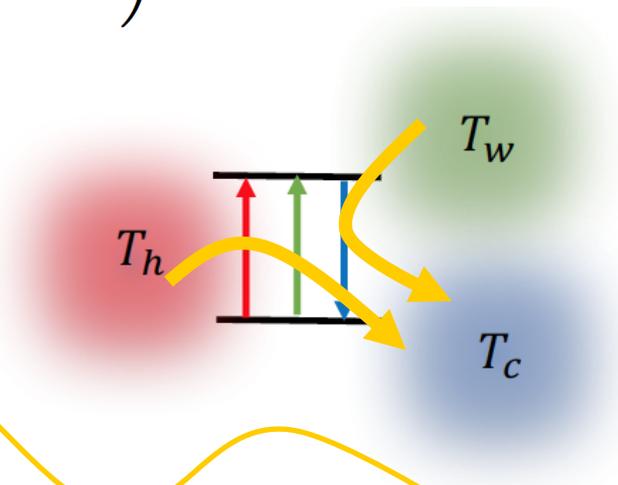
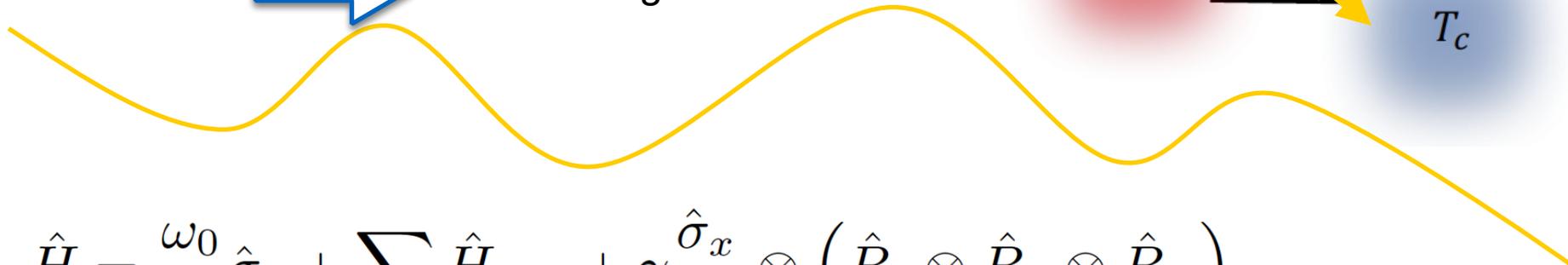
$$\hat{H} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z + \sum_{\nu} \hat{H}_{B,\nu} + \frac{\hat{\sigma}_x}{2} \otimes \left(\hat{A}_c + \hat{A}_h + \hat{A}_w \right)$$



Energy current flows independently, from every hot both to cold bath.



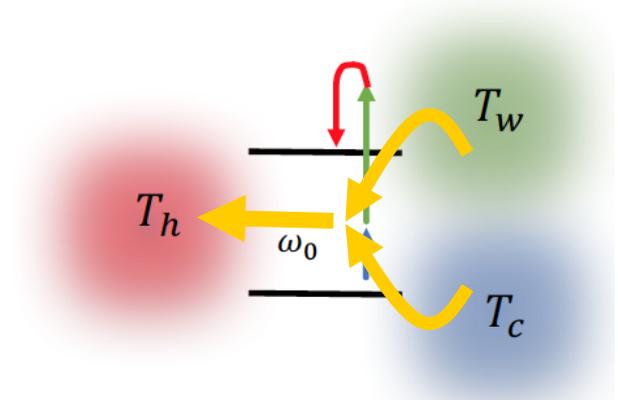
No cooling



$$\hat{H} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z + \sum_{\nu} \hat{H}_{B,\nu} + \gamma \frac{\hat{\sigma}_x}{2} \otimes \left(\hat{B}_c \otimes \hat{B}_h \otimes \hat{B}_w \right)$$



Energy current flows in a cooperative way. Can extract energy from the cold bath, assisted by the work reservoir, and dump into the hot bath.



$$\dot{p}_e = -M(\omega_0)p_e(t) + M(-\omega_0)p_g(t)$$

$$J_c = -p_e \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \omega_1 M_c(\omega_1) M_h(\omega_2) M_w(\omega_0 - \omega_1 - \omega_2) \\ + p_g \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \omega_1 M_c(-\omega_1) M_h(-\omega_2) M_w(\omega_1 + \omega_2 - \omega_0)$$

$$M_\nu(t) = \langle \hat{B}_\nu(t) \hat{B}_\nu(0) \rangle$$

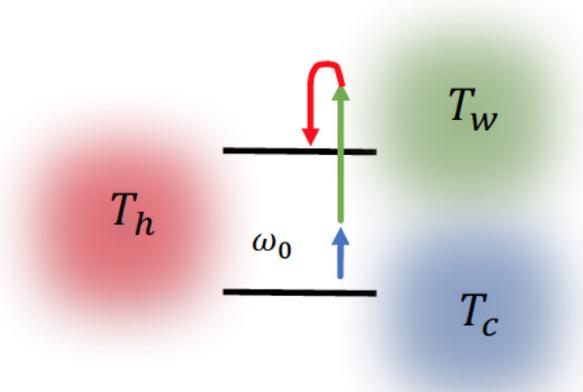
$$\frac{\dot{M}_\nu(\omega)}{M_\nu(-\omega)} = e^{\beta_\nu \omega}$$

$$M(\omega_0) = \left(\frac{\gamma}{2}\right)^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\omega_0 t} M_c(t) M_h(t) M_w(t) dt \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \left(\frac{\gamma}{2}\right)^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} M_c(\omega_1) M_h(\omega_2) M_w(\omega_0 - \omega_1 - \omega_2) d\omega_1 d\omega_2$$

Second order perturbation theory in the system-bath coupling.
Born-Markov, secular approximation

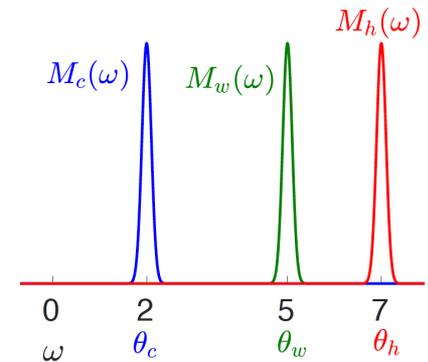
Ideal design: filter the baths

$$J_c = - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \omega_1 M_c(\omega_1) M_h(\omega_2) M_w(-\omega_1 - \omega_2)$$



$$M_\nu(\omega) = \epsilon_\nu [\delta(\omega - \theta_\nu) + \delta(\omega + \theta_\nu) e^{+\beta_\nu \omega}]$$

$$\theta_c + \theta_w = \theta_h$$



cooling window

$$\left(\frac{T_w - T_h}{T_w - T_c} \right) \frac{T_c}{T_h} \geq \frac{\theta_c}{\theta_h}$$

Efficiency at maximal cooling power

$$\frac{\partial J_c}{\partial \theta_c} = 0$$



$$\eta^* \leq \frac{1}{2} \frac{\beta_h - \beta_w}{\beta_c - \beta_h} = \frac{1}{2} \eta_c$$

Maximal coefficient of performance (efficiency)

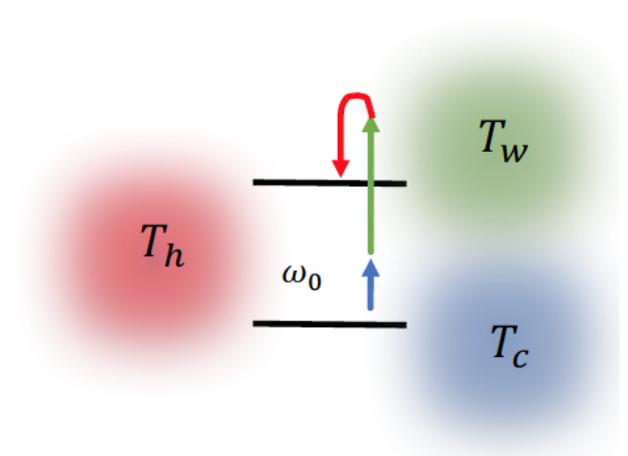
$$\eta = \frac{\theta_c}{\theta_w} \leq \left(\frac{T_w - T_h}{T_h - T_c} \right) \frac{T_c}{T_w} \equiv \eta_c$$

Non-Ideal design

$$M_c(\omega) = \epsilon_c \delta(\omega - \theta_c),$$

$$M_h(\omega) = \epsilon_h [H(\omega - \theta_h + \delta) - H(\omega - \theta_h - \delta)],$$

$$M_w(\omega) = \epsilon_w [H(\omega - \theta_w + \delta) - H(\omega - \theta_w - \delta)]$$



**cooling window
(non-universal)**

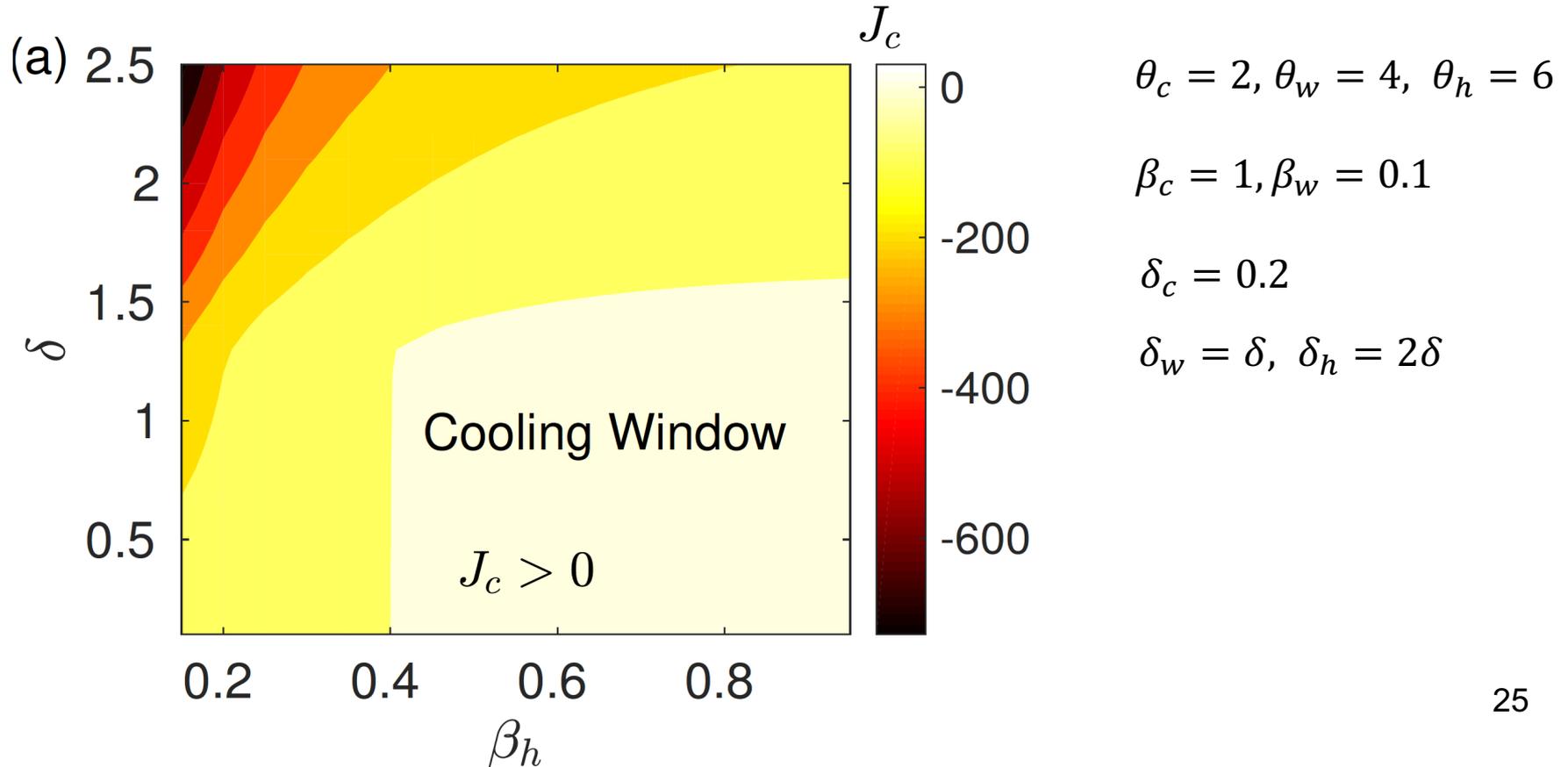
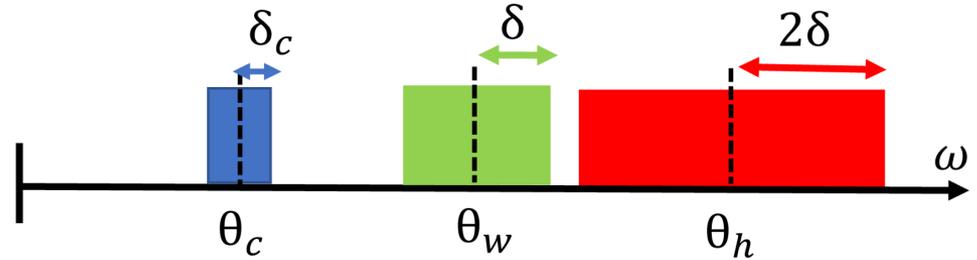
$$\left(\frac{T_w - T_h}{T_w - T_c} \right) \frac{T_c}{T_h} \geq \frac{\theta_c}{\theta_h} - \frac{T_c T_w}{\theta_h (T_w - T_c)} \ln \left[\frac{2 + \frac{\beta_w^2 \delta^2}{3}}{2 + \frac{\beta_h^2 \delta^2}{3}} \right]$$

COP

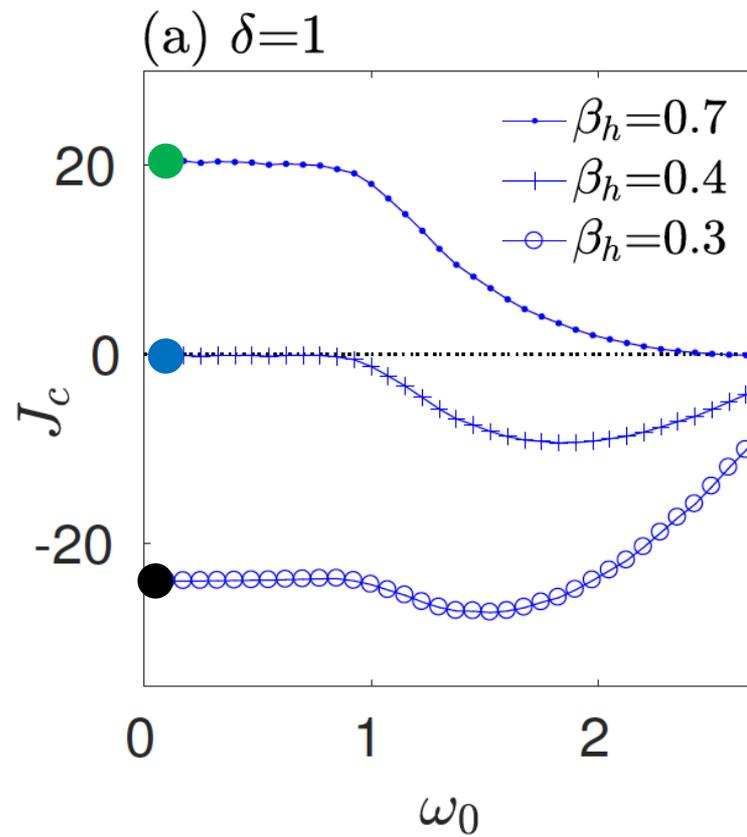
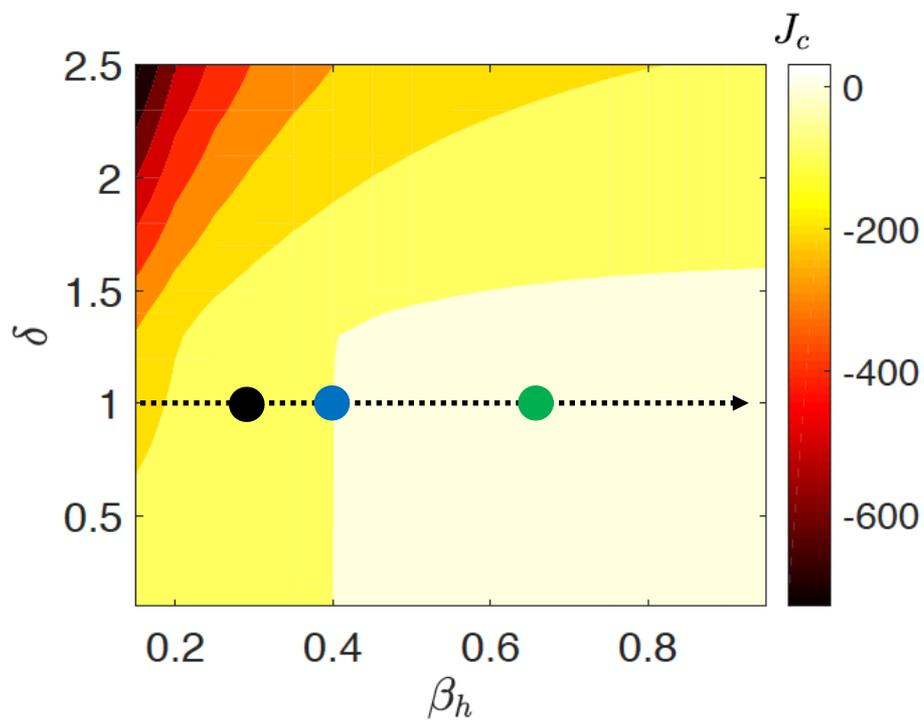
$$\eta = \frac{\theta_c e^{-\beta_c \theta_c} e^{-\beta_w \theta_w} [2\delta + \frac{1}{3} \beta_w^2 \delta^3] - \theta_c e^{-\beta_h \theta_h} [2\delta + \frac{1}{3} \beta_h^2 \delta^3]}{e^{-\beta_c \theta_c} e^{-\beta_w \theta_w} [2\theta_w \delta - \frac{2}{3} \beta_w \delta^3 + \frac{1}{3} \theta_w \beta_w^2 \delta^3] - e^{-\beta_h \theta_h} [2\theta_w \delta - \frac{2}{3} \beta_h \delta^3 + \frac{1}{3} \theta_w \beta_h^2 \delta^3]}$$

Cooling window

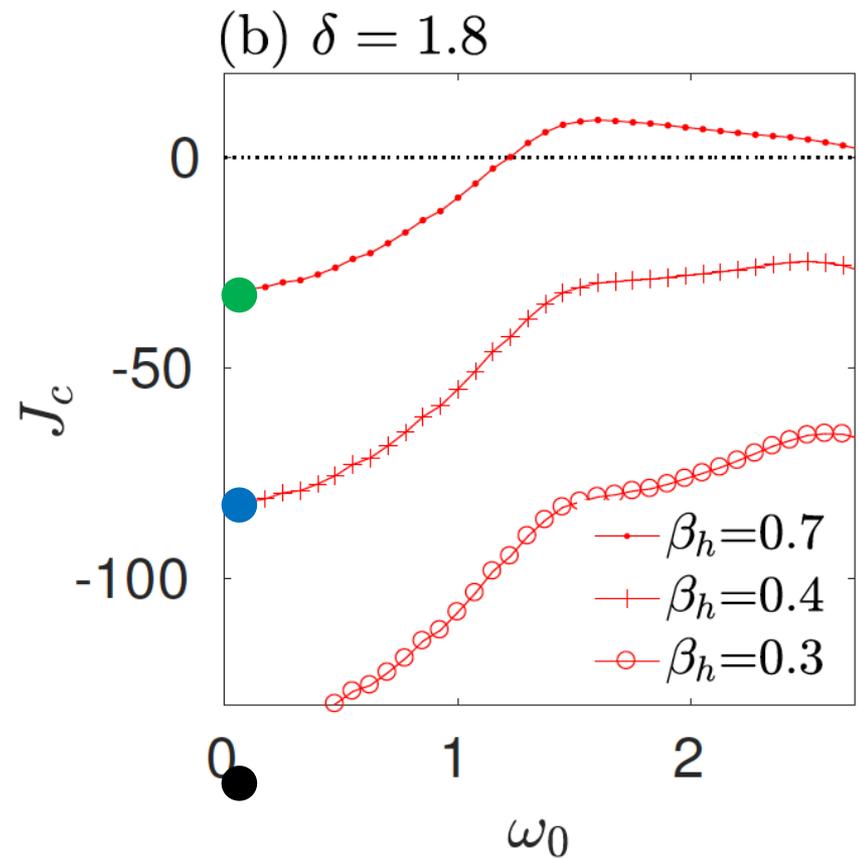
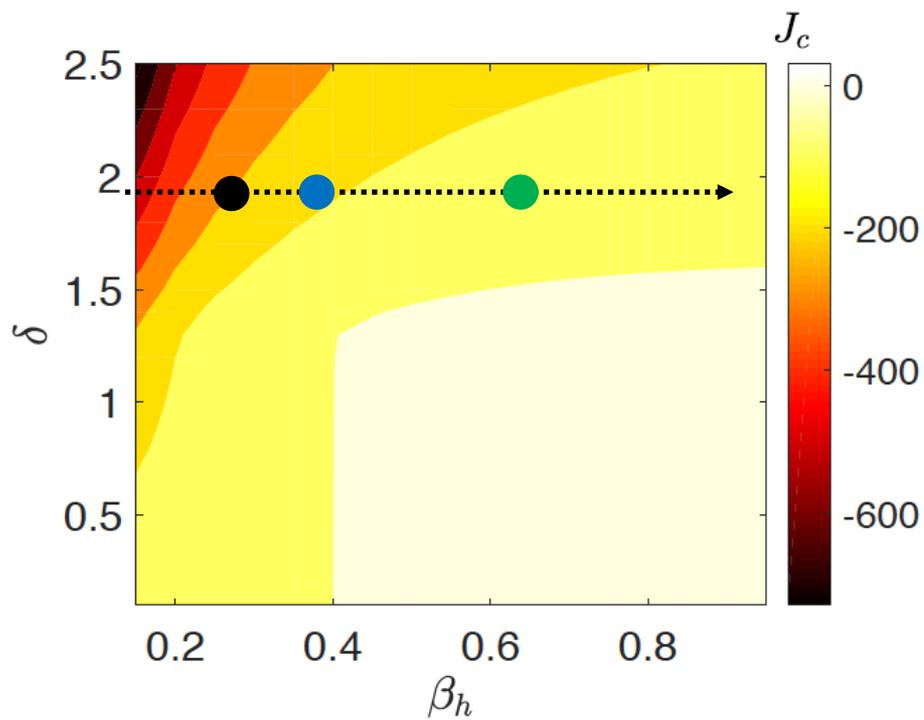
$$J_c = - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \omega_1 M_c(\omega_1) M_h(\omega_2) M_w(-\omega_1 - \omega_2)$$



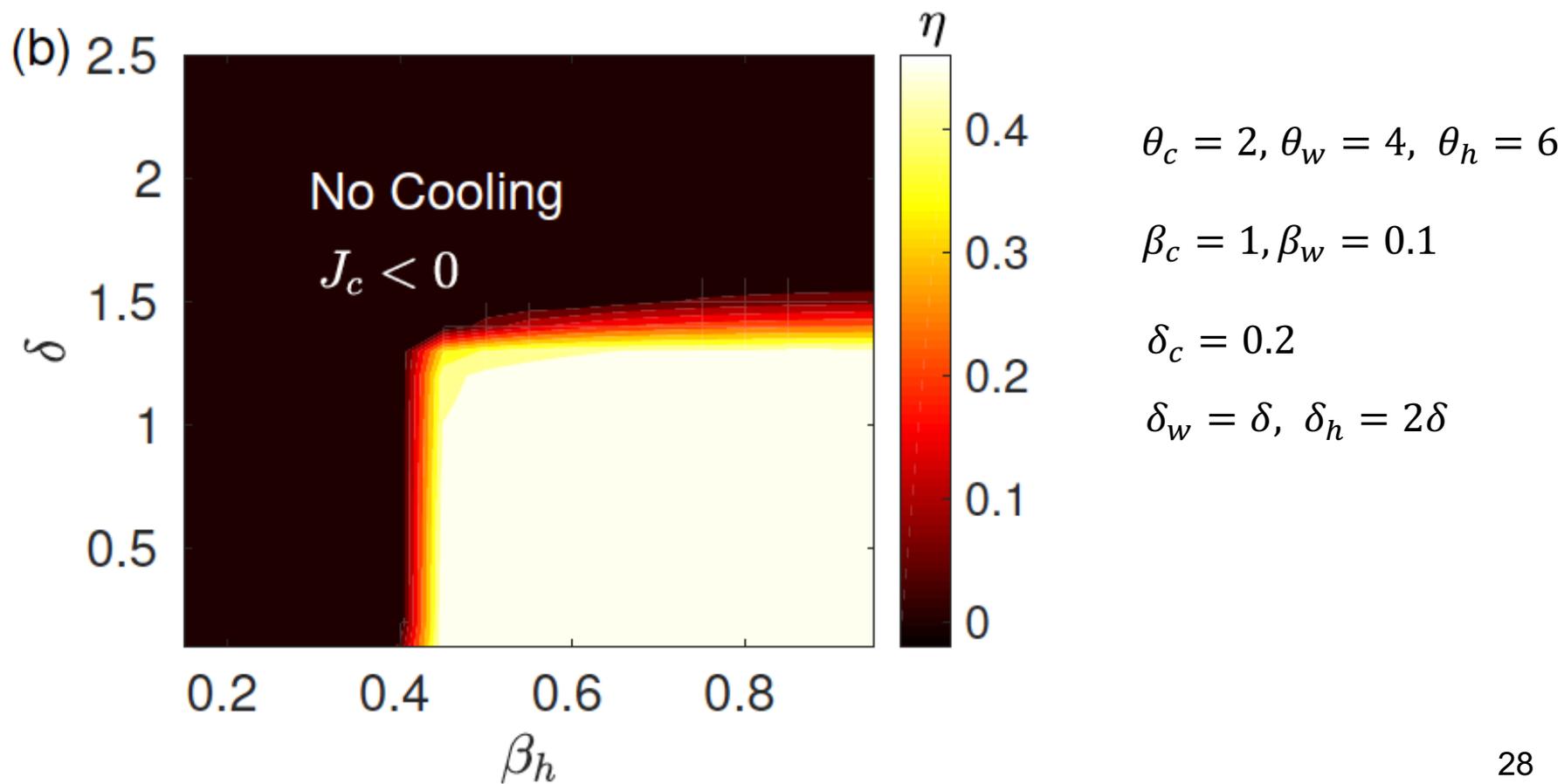
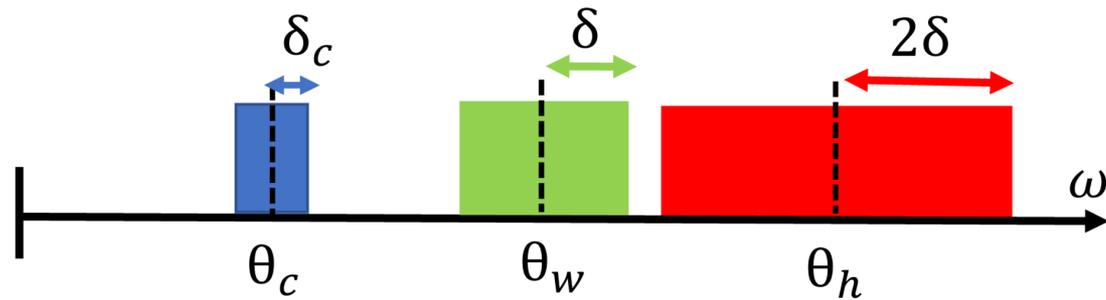
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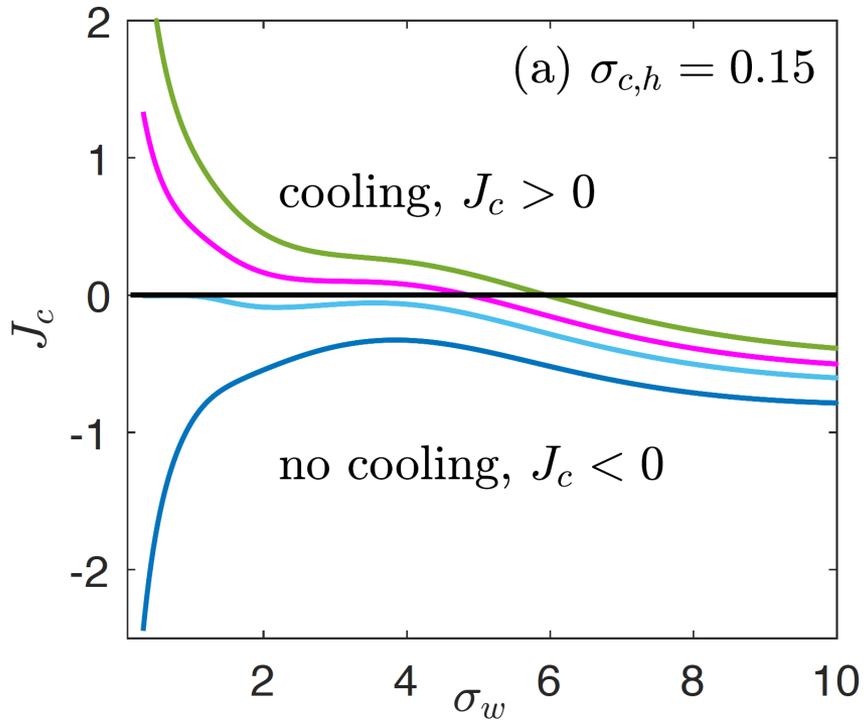


COP $\eta \equiv \frac{J_c}{J_w}$



QAR with continuous Gaussian functions

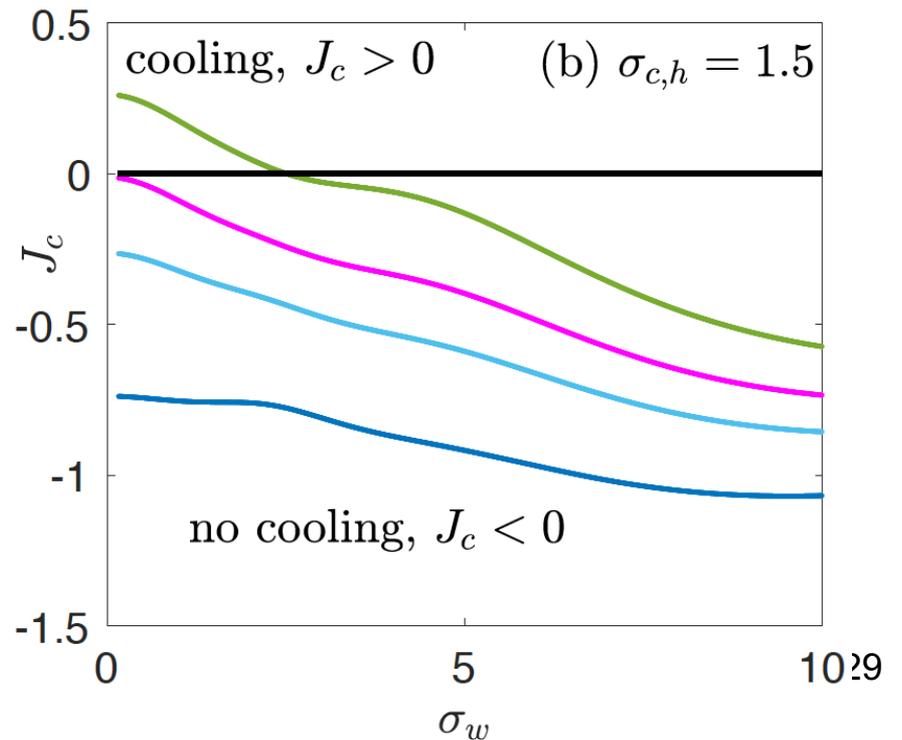
$$M_\nu(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sigma_\nu} \left[e^{-(\omega - \theta_\nu)^2 / 2\sigma_\nu^2} + e^{-(\omega + \theta_\nu)^2 / 2\sigma_\nu^2} e^{\beta_\nu \omega} \right]$$



$$\theta_c = 2, \theta_w = 4, \theta_h = 6$$

$$\beta_c = 1, \beta_w = 0.1$$

- $\beta_h = 0.3$
- $\beta_h = 0.4$
- $\beta_h = 0.5$
- $\beta_h = 0.95$



Physical model

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_z + \sum_{\nu} \hat{H}_{B,\nu} + \gamma \frac{\hat{\sigma}_x}{2} \otimes (\hat{B}_c \otimes \hat{B}_h \otimes \hat{B}_w)$$

Model

$$\hat{B}_{\nu} = \sum_j \frac{\lambda_{j,\nu}}{\omega_{j,\nu}} (\hat{b}_{j,\nu}^{\dagger} + \hat{b}_{j,\nu})$$

Two-time correction function

$$M_{\nu}(t) = \langle \hat{B}_{\nu}(t) \hat{B}_{\nu}(0) \rangle$$

$$\rightarrow M_{\nu}(\omega) = [n_{\nu}(\omega) + 1] g_{\nu}(\omega)$$

Bose-Einstein occupation
function

$$n_{\nu}(\omega) = [e^{\beta_{\nu} \omega} - 1]^{-1}$$

Spectral density

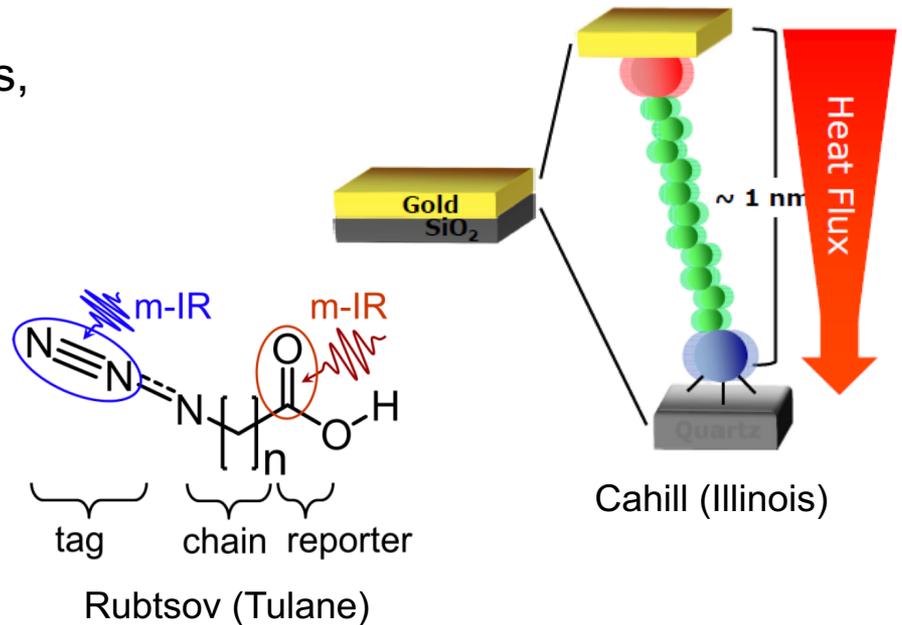
$$g_{\nu}(\omega) = 2\pi \sum_j \frac{\lambda_{j,\nu}^2}{\omega_{j,\nu}^2} \delta(\omega - \omega_{j,\nu})$$

Summary: FCS for quantum transport and thermodynamics

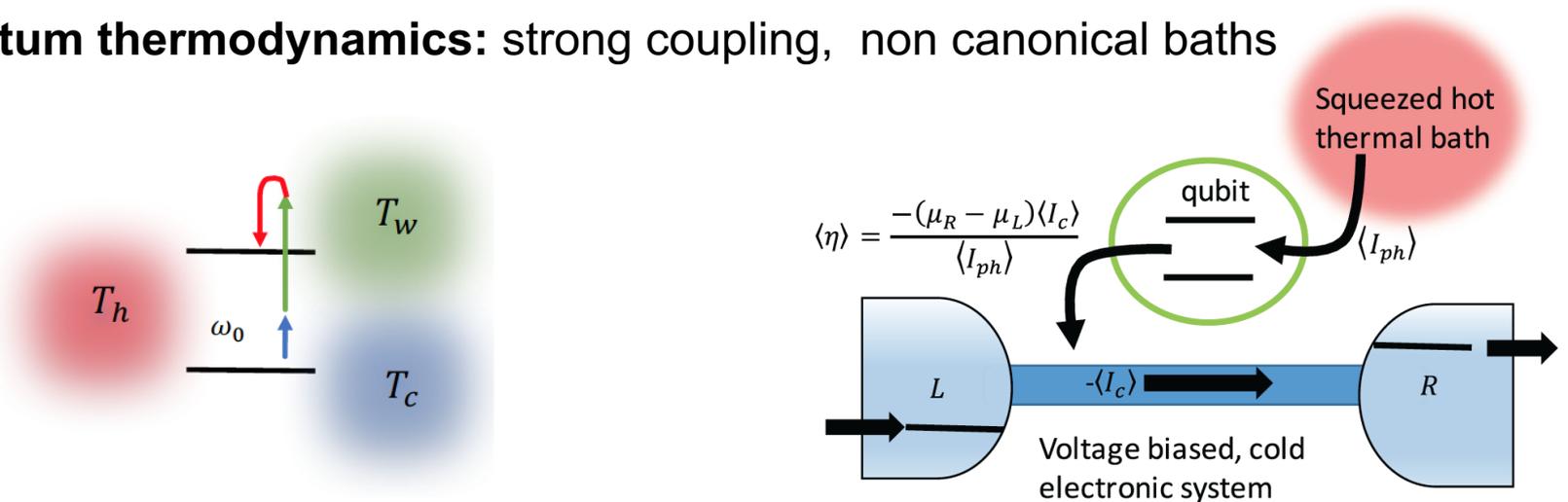
Full Counting Statistics: cumulants, fluctuation theorem, scaling laws

Method development:
Approximate \rightarrow exact
(QME, NEGF, path integral)

Connection to experiments



Quantum thermodynamics: strong coupling, non canonical baths



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