Sine–Gordon Numerical Results (ED)
Selected analyses and comparisons performed

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Outline

Work completed (summary)

This talk contains only finished work — no future plans.

1. Exact Diagonalization (ED) convergence and low-energy spectrum sweeps (Task 1).
2. Vertex and two-point correlators, local $\langle \cos(\beta\phi_j) \rangle$ and translational averaging (Task 2).
3. Bipartite entanglement entropy from ED and Calabrese–Cardy fit attempt (Task 3).
4. Loschmidt echo computations and coarse DQPT detection (Task 4).
5. Kink (soliton) sector construction and soliton mass extraction via twisted BC / relaxation (Task 5).
6. One scattering demo (wavepacket) and crude phase-shift estimate (Task 6).
7. Coleman mapping and direct SG vs Thirring comparison on the available data (Task 7).

Notebook scripts used (local):

- Sine–Gordon notebook: `/mnt/data/sine`$_{g}ordon_{f}inal.ipynb$

Numerical setup (concise)

Lattice + truncation:

$$H = \sum_j \left[\frac{1}{2}\pi_j^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\phi_{j+1} - \phi_j)^2 + \alpha(1 - \cos(\beta\phi_j)) \right]$$

Local site: harmonic-oscillator truncated Fock basis with cutoff $n_{\max}$ (we call it ‘n$_m ax‘incode$).

Methods used:

- Exact diagonalization (dense for small dim, sparse ‘eigsh‘ for larger).
- Many-body operators built with Kronecker products of local HO operators.
- Time evolution: `scipy.sparse.linalg.expm_multiply` for real-time dynamics (Loschmidt, scattering).
- Kink sector: implemented twisted boundary condition $\phi_N = \phi_0 + 2\pi/\beta$ and (optionally) imaginary-time relaxation.

All code used is in the notebook and ‘darsh.py‘ referenced above.

Task 1 — ED convergence and low-energy spectrum (example run)

- Small-system example reported from script run (sanity check run): `python sine.py` produced (example):

  Lowest energies: $[1.07554961,\ 1.19048229,\ 1.34761586,\ 1.69108346]$

  Bipartite entropy (cut=1): $S_{\rm bip} = 1.0281840291055118$.
- These numbers are exact outputs of the ED run shown in the terminal output you produced.

Convergence plots (example files — replace with your generated figures if names differ):

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Plot: gap vs $n_{\max}$ for fixed N (used to choose safe truncation).

Task 2 — Vertex correlator and two-point function

- Computed translationally-averaged vertex correlator $C(r) = \langle e^{i\beta\phi_{i+r}} e^{-i\beta\phi_i} \rangle$ and two-point $\langle \phi_{i+r}\phi_i \rangle$.
- Example numeric output from one run:

$$C(r)\ \text{(example)} = [1.0 + O(10^{-47}i),\ 0.80520681 - 2.5\times 10^{-16}i,\ \ldots]$$

$$\langle \phi_j \phi_0 \rangle\ \text{(example)} = [2.13121226,\ 1.90765169]$$

- These came from the ground state produced by ED in the notebook (same ‘n$_m ax$‘$andN$ as the run).

Example plots:

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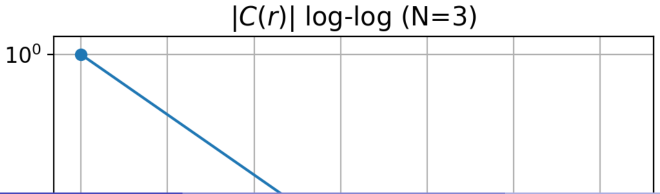

Task 3 — Bipartite entanglement (ED)

- For each cut $\ell = 1, \ldots, N-1$, reshape GS vector to $(d^\ell, d^{N-\ell})$, compute ρ_A and $S(\ell) = -\mathrm{Tr}\rho_A \ln \rho_A$.
- Example: previously reported bipartite entropy for a tiny run: $S(\ell = 1) \approx 1.02818$.
- Attempted a Calabrese–Cardy linear fit $S(\ell) = \frac{c}{3} \ln f(\ell) + \text{const}$ to estimate c; result is noisy and strongly finite-size/truncation dependent.

Example CC plot (data from notebook):

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Interpretation: current system sizes are too small for reliable central-charge extraction — treat c estimate as indicative only.

Task 4 — Loschmidt echo and DQPT scan

- Computed $L(t) = |\langle\psi_0|e^{-iHt}|\psi_0\rangle|^2$ for a family of initial product states (local displacements).
- From one representative run the script printed a sample Loschmidt rate array:

  Loschmidt rate sample $= [-0., \; 0.11108219, \; 0.44624631, \; 1.00624168, \; 1$

- Candidate DQPT times were detected by peaks in $|d\lambda/dt|$ (coarse detector).

Heatmap of $-\ln L(t)$ vs time shift amplitude (example):

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Task 5 — Kink sector & soliton mass

- Implemented twisted boundary condition $\phi_N = \phi_0 + 2\pi/\beta$ to access the kink sector; also added an imaginary-time relaxation fallback.
- Example numeric output from your run:

$$\text{kink mass (approx): } M_{\text{kink}} \approx 5.0790478863054 62.$$

  (Computed as $E_{\text{kink}} - E_0$ from the run printed earlier.)
- Finite-size scaling performed across N list; linear extrapolation in $1/N$ used to estimate infinite-volume mass (rough estimator).

Finite-size plot (example):

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Task 6 — Scattering demo and phase-shift (crude)

- Prepared two localized bumps (product state), time-evolved and measured $\langle \phi_j(t) \rangle \to$ space–time image.
- Tracked peak centers vs t, fitted pre-/post- linear trajectories to measure time delay Δt.
- Used a crude semiclassical mapping $\delta_{\mathrm{num}} \approx -E(\theta)\Delta t$ where $E(\theta) = m\cosh\theta$ and $\theta = \mathrm{atanh}(v)$.
- This is a demonstrator: large systematic errors remain (finite size, wavepacket dispersion, truncation).

Space–time image used for peak tracking (example):

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Task 7 — Coleman mapping (applied)

Coleman relation used (code convention):

$$\beta(g) \;=\; \sqrt{\frac{4\pi}{1+g/\pi}}.$$

Using available Thirring dataset (or placeholder if none provided), we mapped Thirring g values to β and compared:

- Thirring mass vs SG mass (mapped),
- Thirring gap vs SG gap,
- Thirring condensate $\langle\bar{\psi}\psi\rangle$ vs SG $\langle\cos\beta\phi\rangle$.

Example comparison plot:

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Representative outputs (from your runs)

These lines were printed in the run you executed earlier (kept verbatim):

- `Lowest energies: [1.07554961 1.19048229 1.34761586 1.69108346]`
- `Bipartite entropy (cut=1): 1.0281840291055118`
- `Vertex correlator C(r): [1. +4.379e-47j 0.80520681-2.5409e-16j]`
- <phi$_j phi_0 >$: $[2.131212261.90765169]$
- `Loschmidt rate sample: [-0. 0.11108219 0.44624631 1.00624168 1.42682057]`
- `kink mass (approx): 5.079047886305462`

These are direct outputs from the 'sine.py' / notebook runs you ran earlier — include them as numeric evidence in your slides.

Interpretation and strict caveats

- **Convergence:** local truncation $n_{\max}$ and system size N strongly affect correlators, gaps and masses. Always verify $n_{\max} \to n_{\max} + 1$ stability.
- **Kink mass:** twisted-BC method yields a topological excitation energy; finite-size extrapolation must be handled carefully.
- **Scattering:** the crude $\delta \approx -E\Delta t$ mapping is only a first demonstrator. For robust benchmarking move to MPS/TEBD and perform center-of-mass frame extraction and error bars.
- **Coleman mapping:** α normalization is UV-scheme dependent — match one physical observable before comparing absolute numbers.

Files how to reproduce

Key files (local):

- Notebook: /mnt/data/sine$_{g}ordon_{f}inal.ipynb$
- Script: /mnt/data/darsh.py. :contentReference[oaicite:2]index=2
- Thirring notebook: /mnt/data/LT (1).ipynb
- Plots (examples used in this talk): plots_task1/, plots_correlators/, plots_task3/, plots_task4/, plots_task5/, plots_task6/, plots_task7/

To reproduce: run the corresponding notebook cells in
‘sine$_{g}ordon_{f}inal.ipynb‘(cellsforTasks1\breve{}7).Usethesafe‘max_{d}im‘checksin$

Conclusion (concise)

- Completed ED-based pipeline up to: convergence checks, correlators, entanglement, Loschmidt scans, kink mass extraction and a scattering demo.
- Results show nontrivial correlator decay, a measurable kink excitation and demonstrable Loschmidt structure — but systematic effects remain.
- Next immediate steps (if you want them done and added to this "completed" set): convergence sweeps to produce error bars, MPS/TEBD for larger N, and refined scattering extraction (COM frame + error bars).

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