

[Maybe no class on Dec 9, last class  
Dec 7 or 14]

## Lecture 19

Eg  $g(r)$  - relative probability  
of finding a particle distance  
 $r$  away from another particle

$\langle A(r_1) B(r_2) \rangle$  2 point spatial  
correlation  
function

$$g(r) \sim \langle \rho(0) \rho(\vec{r}) \rangle \leftarrow$$

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = \sum_{i=1}^N \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_i) \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{density} \\ \text{density} \end{matrix}$$

For magnets, spin-spin

$$\delta s_i = s_i - \langle s_i \rangle$$

$$C(r_{ij}) = \langle \delta s_i \delta s_j \rangle$$

$\downarrow$

$$\langle \uparrow \downarrow \rangle = \langle s_i s_j \rangle - \langle s_i \rangle \langle s_j \rangle$$

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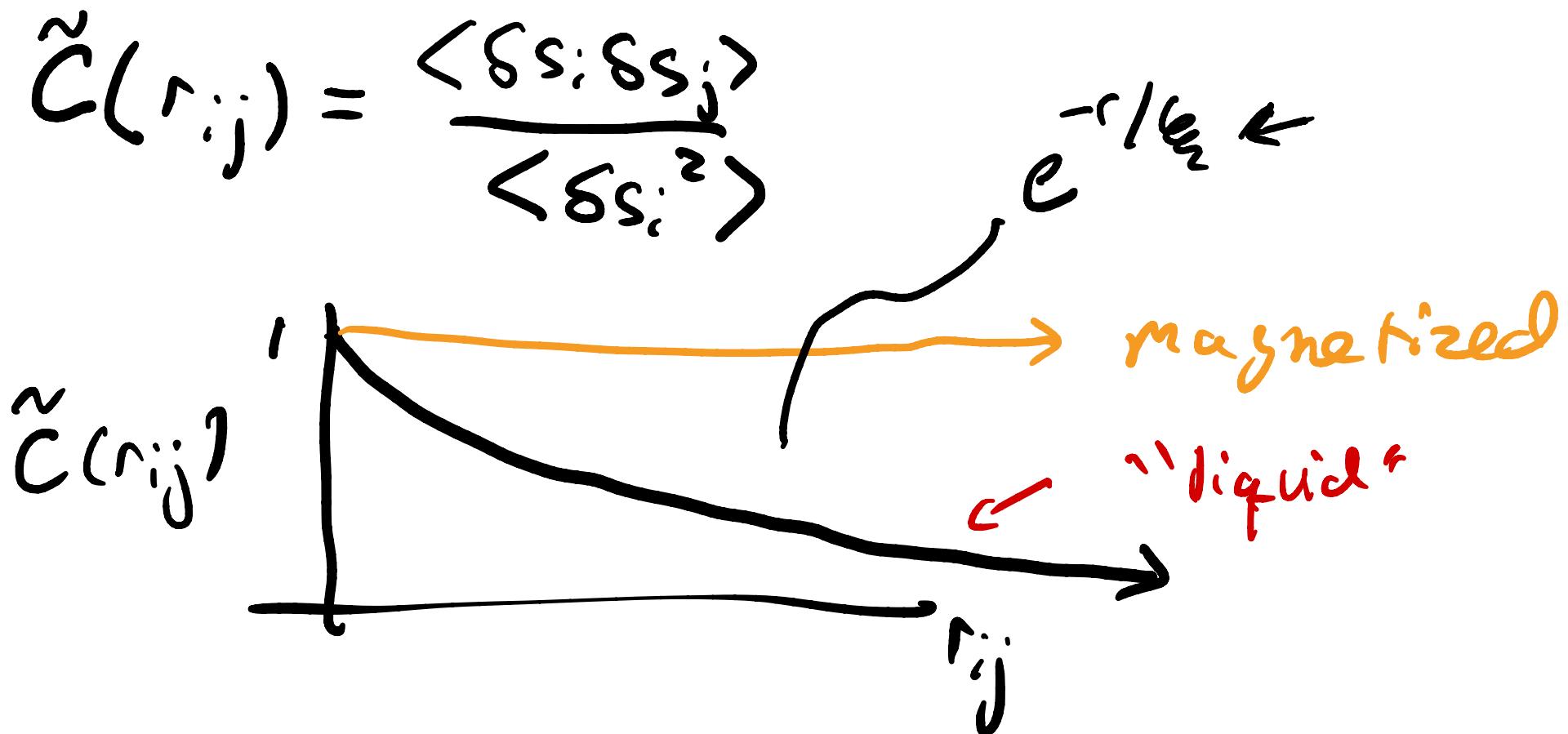
[uncorrelated  $\Rightarrow$   $\langle AB \rangle = \langle A \rangle \langle B \rangle$ ]

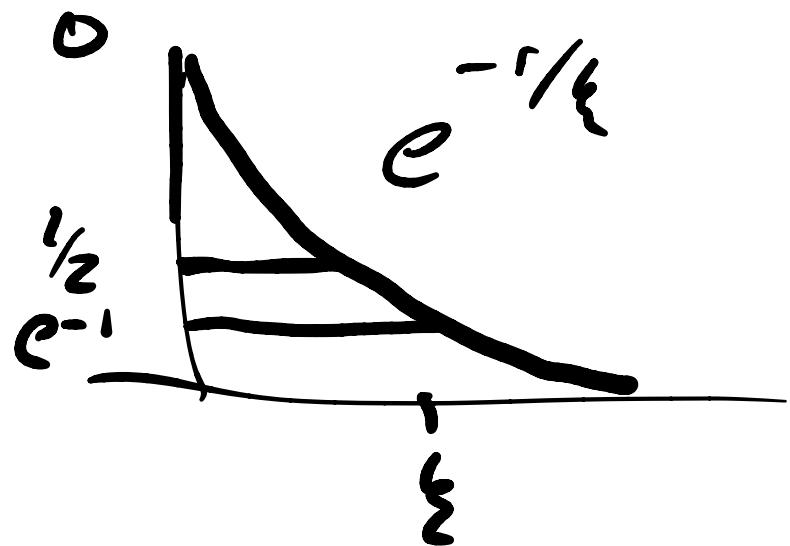
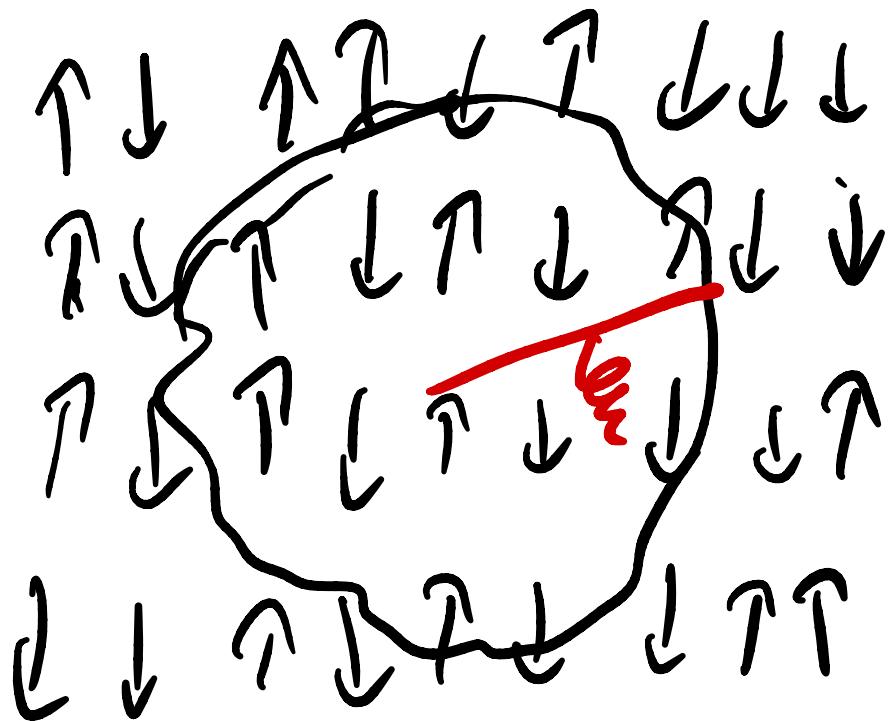
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as  $r_{ij} \rightarrow \infty$        $C(r_{ij}) \rightarrow 0$

$$C(r_{ij}) = \langle s_i s_j \rangle - \langle s_i \rangle \langle s_j \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} C(r_{ii}) &= C(0) = \langle s_i^2 \rangle - \langle s_i \rangle^2 \\ &= \text{Var}(s_i) \end{aligned}$$





$V_{\text{correlated}} \propto \xi^d \propto \# \text{spins}$   
are correlated

$\# \text{spins correlated} \sim \sum_j \langle c_i c_j \rangle$

$$\chi = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i,j} \langle s_i s_j \rangle - \langle s_i \rangle \langle s_j \rangle$$

$$\delta M = \sum_{i=1}^N s_i - \langle s_i \rangle$$

$$\chi_\alpha \propto \langle (\delta M)^2 \rangle \propto \frac{\partial \langle m \rangle}{\partial h}$$

same for all  $i$

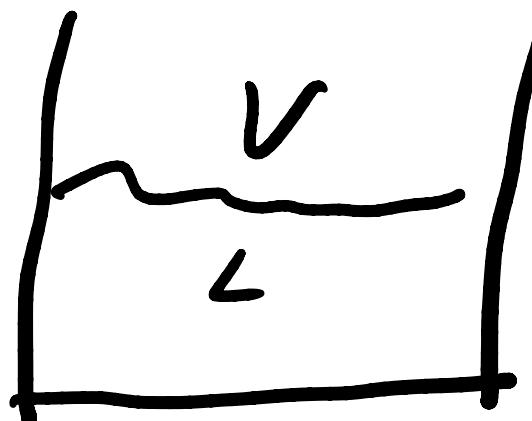
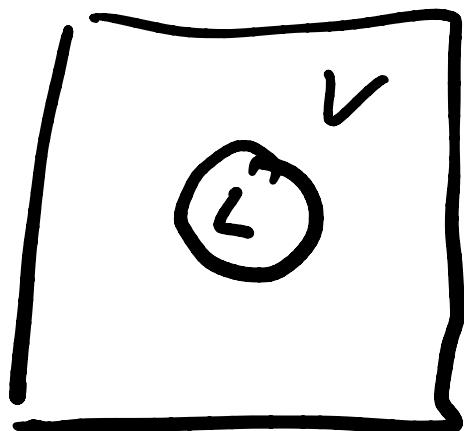
$$= \frac{N}{N} \sum_j \langle s_i s_j \rangle - \langle s_i \rangle \langle s_j \rangle$$

$$= \sum_j C(r_{ij}) \propto \# \text{ spins correlated}$$

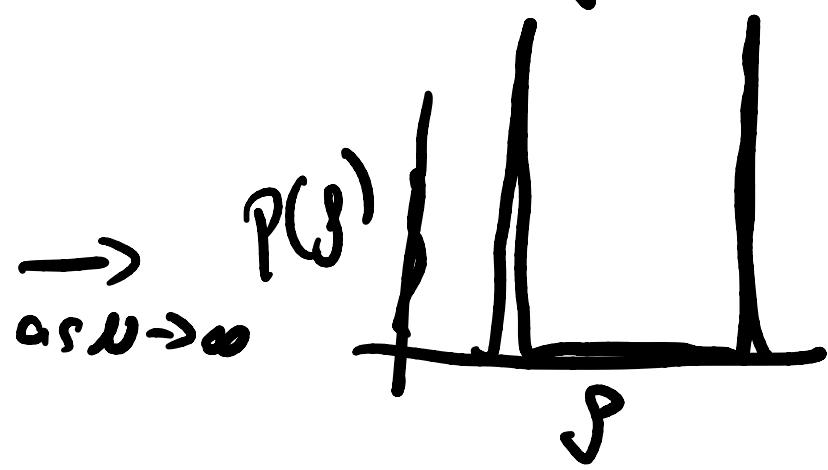
Susceptibility diverges at a phase transition

2 ways this can happen

1) 1st order, phase coexistence



Vor  
(or  $L \rightarrow L'$ )  
( $V \rightarrow V'$ )



2) cts phase transition, 2nd order  
no distinction between the phases

Susceptibility diverges at  $T_c$

$\chi \propto \xi^d$ , size of regions  
correlated  $\rightarrow \infty$



$$C(r_{ij}) \sim e^{-r/\xi} r^{d-2+\zeta}$$

$$T \rightarrow T_c \quad \xi \sim |T - T_c|^{-\nu}$$

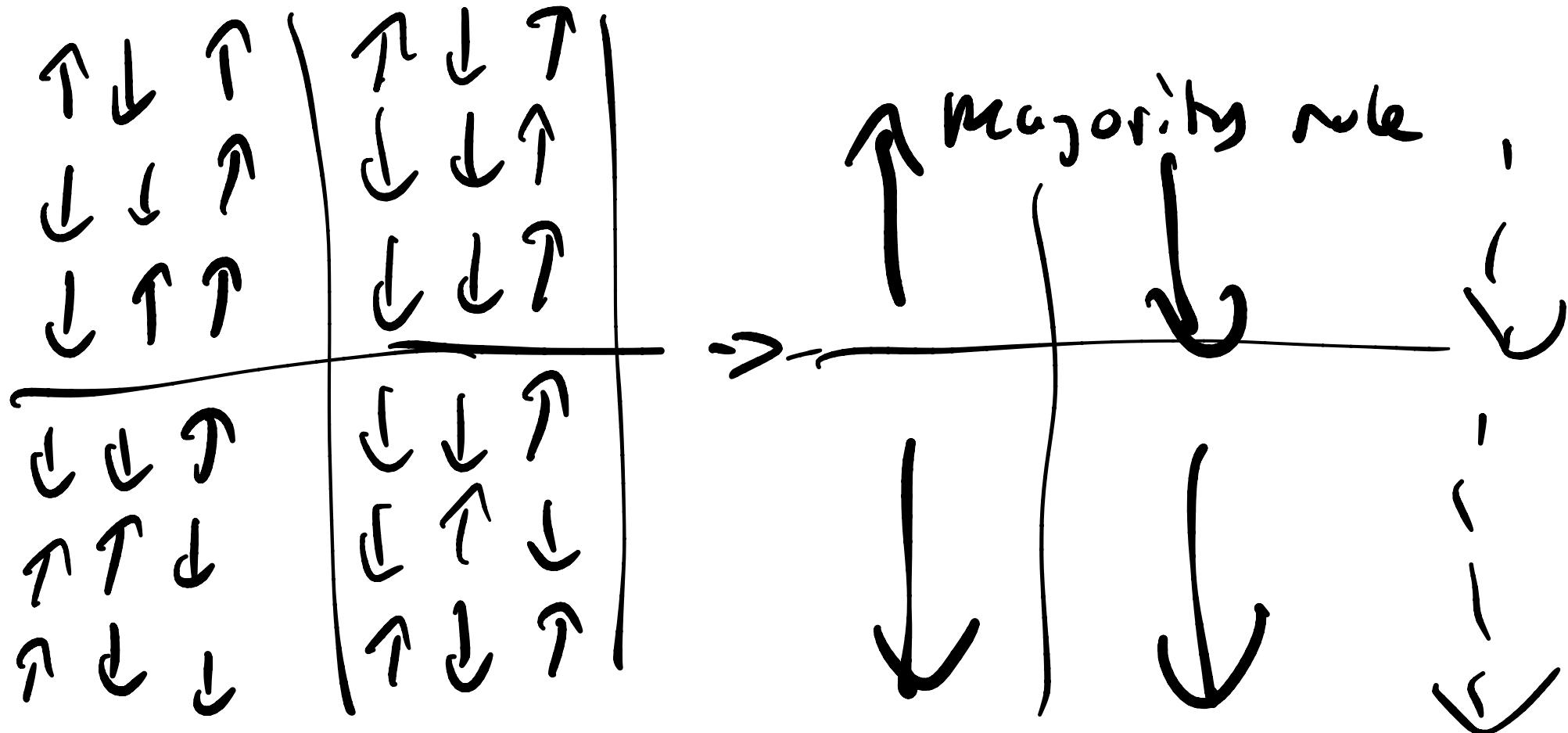
# Renormalization Group Theory (RG)

Kadanoff

as you approach transitions  
System looks "self similar"

[Ken Wilson]





Block spin renormalization



Want to be able to rewrite  
partition function so that  
"looks same"

$$Z = \sum_{\substack{\text{states} \\ 2^N}} e^{+\sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} \beta J s_i s_j}$$

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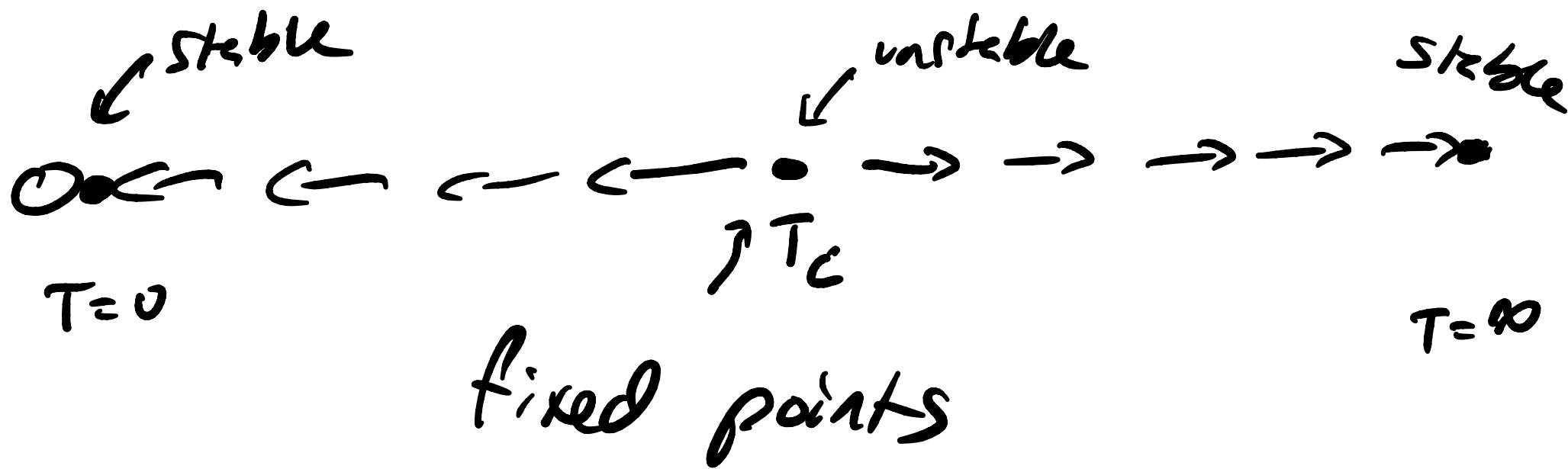
$\frac{1}{q}$  spins went

$$\sum_{\substack{\text{states} \\ (N/q)}} e^{+\sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} \beta J_2 \tilde{s}_i \tilde{s}_j}$$

not exactly possible

What can happen,  $X_1 \rightarrow k_2 \rightarrow k_3 \rightarrow \dots$

2d ising model

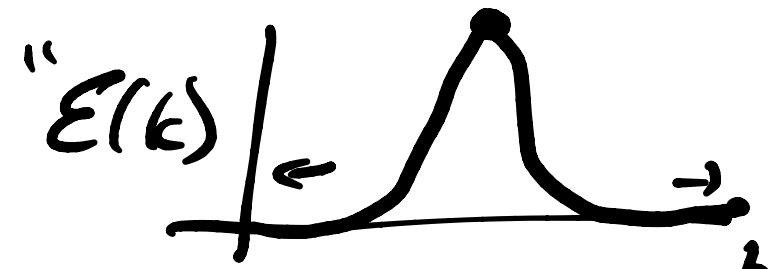


[Book pg ~261, Chandler Ch 5]

- $J/k_B T_C = 0.50698$

exact answer

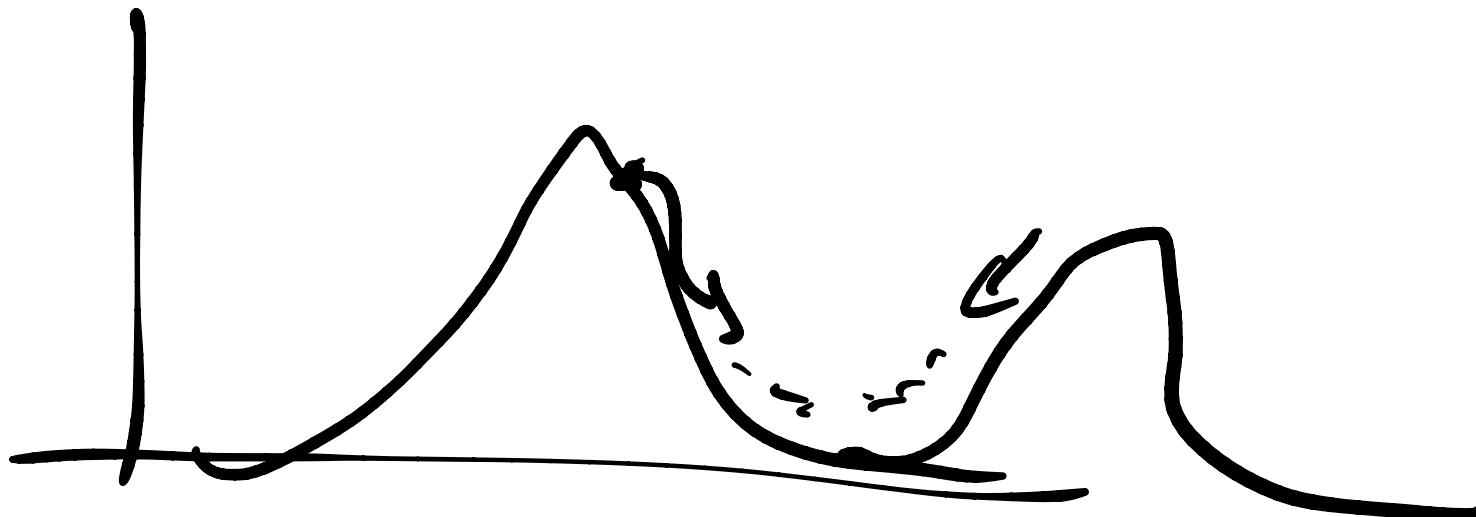
$$J/k_B T_C = 0.44069$$



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 $\overline{t}_{\text{melt}}$

$$Z(k) = 1 \Rightarrow k: 1c, Z = 4$$

$$10 \Rightarrow k = 12, Z = 16$$



# Non-equilibrium mechanics

[R. Zwanzig]

Study of systems not at equilibrium

- how systems reach equilibrium
- what happens during this process
- dynamics
  - time reversibility can be broken
- "non-equilibrium steady state"
  - ~ like equilibrium
- Out of equilibrium: "entropy production"

Eg: . Self assembly by drying  
in external field

- self propelled - active matter

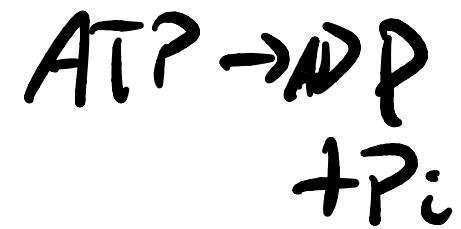


active

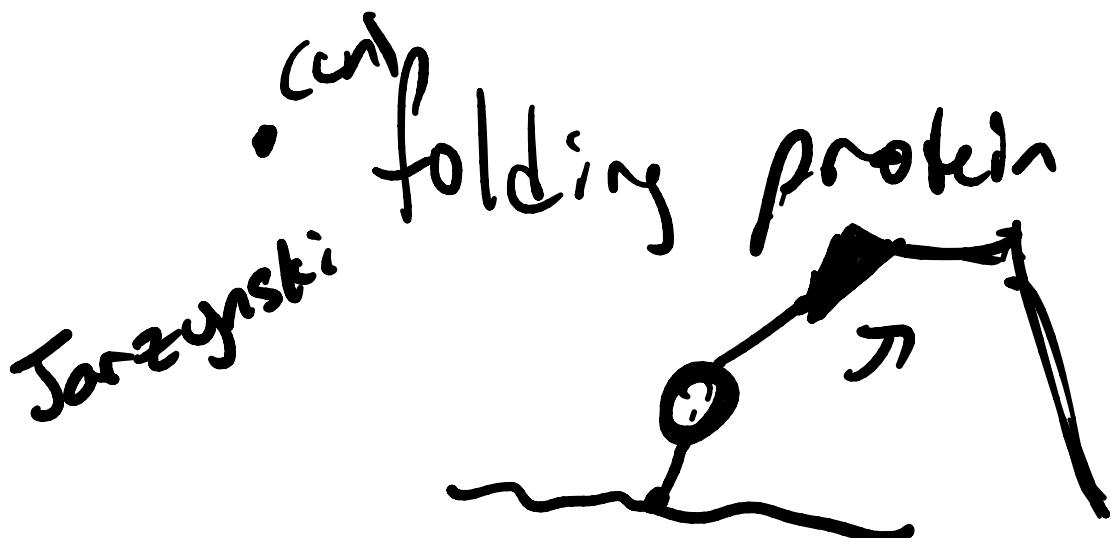
Brownian particle



molecular motor

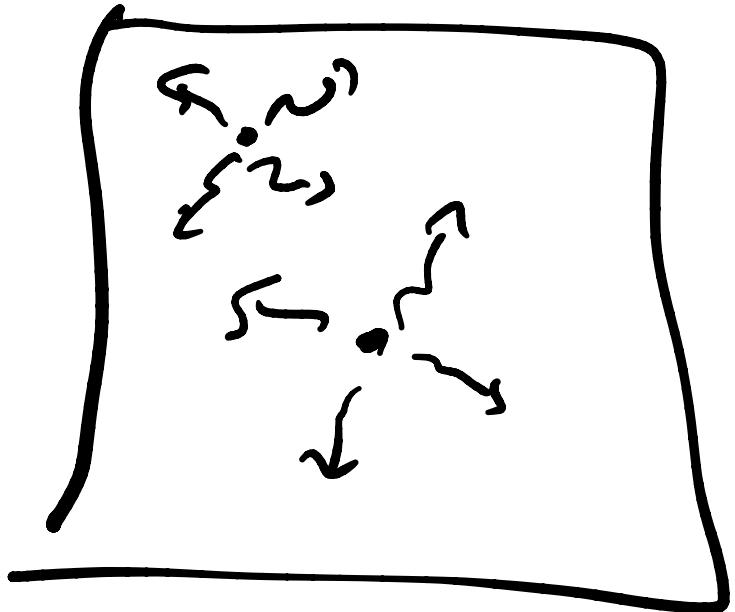


- <sup>(con)</sup> folding protein under force



Tarzumski

Brownian motion  $\leftrightarrow$  Langevin equation



Pollen particles

Einstein

$\rightarrow$  theory brownian motion

