

# Software for Nuclear Dynamics

**Algorithms for HPC and Quantum Computing:**

**Case Studies:**

**Lepton-Nucleus (Linear Response):**

**Quantum Few- and Many-Body and  
Classical/Semi-classical**

**Dense Neutrino Environments (SN & NS Mergers)**

**Mean-Field/ Many-Body/ Random Matrix**

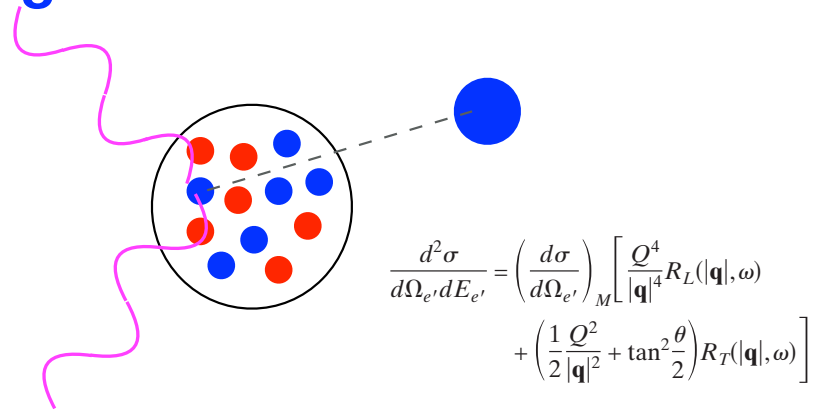
# Nuclear Dynamics

- Substantial Progress to date on
  - Low-Energy Scattering and Reactions (R-matrix, ...)  
Similar to Ground State Methods - Implementing Boundary Conditions
  - Few Degrees of Freedom
  - Inclusive Quasi-Elastic Scattering (Linear Response)  
High momentum transfer (compared to Fermi momentum) and  
Energy  $\leftrightarrow$  Short distances and times (high momenta)
- Leaves a great deal of important physics:
  - Strong Interactions, Moderate energies,
  - Beyond linear response, lower momenta and longer times
  - thermalization/equilibration
  - quantum vs. (semi) classical

## Inclusive Lepton Nucleus Scattering:

2 Point function:  
 $\langle 0 | J(q) \exp [-iHt] J(q) | 0 \rangle$

Full quantum treatment:  
 $[\text{Nuclear Scale} * q / (2\pi)]^{3A}$   
 $\sim [(10 \text{ fm})^{-3} \text{ fm}^{-1} / (2\pi)]^{3A}$   
 $\sim 5^{(3A)} = 5^{120}$



$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{d\Omega_{e'} dE_{e'}} = \left( \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_{e'}} \right)_M \left[ \frac{Q^4}{|\mathbf{q}|^4} R_L(|\mathbf{q}|, \omega) + \left( \frac{1}{2} \frac{Q^2}{|\mathbf{q}|^2} + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right) R_T(|\mathbf{q}|, \omega) \right]$$

### Early use case for Quantum Computing advantage!

- At moderate to high momentum transfer: short distances / Times
  - Spectral Function (single or two-particle removal)
  - Short-time approximation (w/ NN scattering dynamics)
- Requires only few nucleon quantum degrees of freedom

Semi-classical approximation used for exclusive channels

Tests of Accuracy, where is classical quantum transition

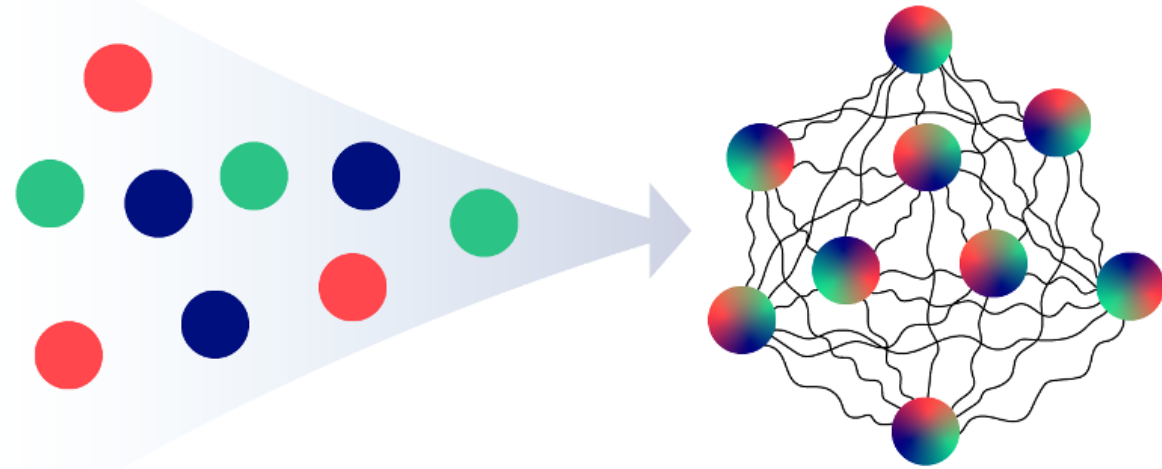
Continuum of difficulty from inclusive high energy  
 to exclusive modest energy

# Strongly-Entangled Dense Neutrinos

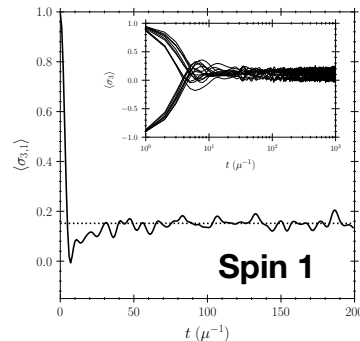
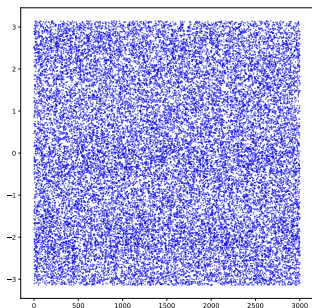
## Rapid equilibration: similar to hard cartons in QCD medium

$$H_{\nu-\nu} = \frac{\sqrt{2}G_F\rho_\nu}{N} \sum_{i<j} (1 - \hat{k}_i \cdot \hat{k}_j) \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j$$

Initial state: product of single neutrino states  
w/ randomness in flavors directions, momenta  
Quantum entanglement develops very quickly



Rapid Equilibration:  
phases from snapshot at 10 different times



$\nu_e \bar{\nu}_e \leftrightarrow \nu_\mu \bar{\nu}_\mu$  leads to conservation of product  
of neutrino and anti-neutrino densities

$$\rho_e \rho_{\bar{e}} = \rho_\mu \rho_{\bar{\mu}} = \rho_\tau \rho_{\bar{\tau}} \text{ (2 constraints)}$$

- Equilibration of quantum many-body fast neutrino flavor oscillations  
JD Martin, D Neill, A Roggero, H Duan, J Carlson  
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- Many-body neutrino flavor entanglement in a simple dynamic model  
JD Martin, A Roggero, H Duan, J Carlson arXiv preprint arXiv:2301.07049:102023
- Neutrino many-body flavor evolution: the full Hamiltonian  
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## **Quantum Dynamics in Nuclear Physics is an Extremely Important Field**

**Fission and Fusion**

**Lepton Scattering**

**Dense Neutrinos**

**QCD: ....**

### **Rapidly Evolving Algorithms/ Hardware:**

**Mean field vs. QMB**

**Quantum vs. (semi)Classical**

**Number of Degrees of Freedom**

### **New insights/ new software is key!**

**High Performance Computing**

**Quantum Computing**

**New algorithms for new capabilities across fields**