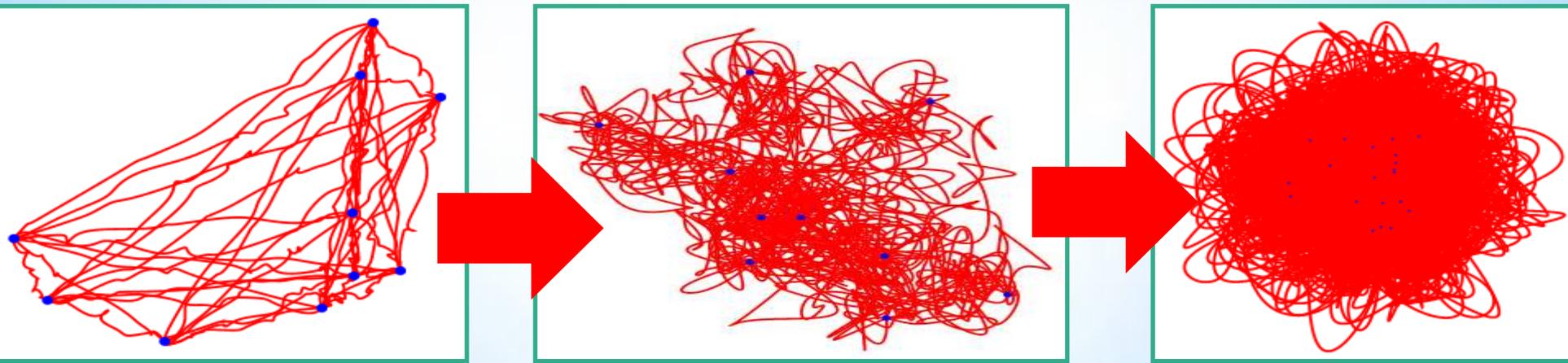


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# Black hole evolution from real-time simulations of BFSS matrix model

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# Motivation

## Dimensionally reduced (9+1) dimensional N=1 Super-Yang-Mills in (d+1) dimensions

$$S_{(d+1)} = \int d^{d+1}x \text{Tr} \left( \frac{1}{4} F_{AB}^2 + \frac{i}{2} \bar{\psi} \not{D} \psi + \frac{1}{2} (D_A X_\mu)^2 - \frac{1}{4} [X_\mu, X_\nu]^2 + \frac{1}{2} \bar{\psi} \tilde{\gamma}^\mu [X_\mu, \psi] \right)$$

$$A, B = 0 \dots d, \quad \mu, \nu = d+1 \dots 9$$

N x N hermitian matrices

Majorana-Weyl fermions, N x N hermitian matrices

“Holographic” duality [Witten’96]:

- $X_\mu^{ii}$  = Dp brane positions
- $X_\mu^{ij}$  = open string excitations

# Motivation

**N=1 Supersymmetric Yang-Mills in D=1+9:**  
gauge bosons+adjoint Majorana-Weyl fermions  
Reduce to a single point = BFSS matrix model  
[Banks, Fischler, Shenker, Susskind'1997]

$$L = \frac{1}{2g} \left[ \text{tr} \dot{X}^i \dot{X}^i + 2\theta^T \dot{\theta} - \frac{1}{2} \text{tr} [X^i, X^j]^2 - 2\theta^T \gamma_i [\theta, X^i] \right]$$

N x N hermitian  
matrices

Majorana-Weyl fermions,  
N x N hermitian

System of **N** D0 branes  
joined by open strings

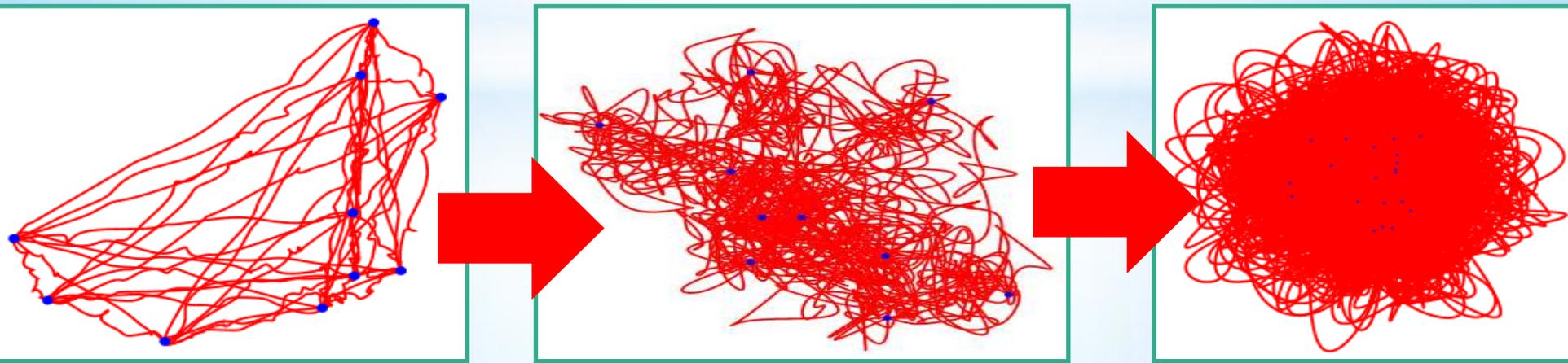


# Motivation

Classical equations of motion are chaotic  
[Saviddy; Berenstein; Susskind; Hanada;...]

- Positive Lyapunov exponents
- $X_\mu$  matrices forget initial conditions
- Kolmogorov entropy produced

Stringy interpretation:  
black hole formation



# Motivation

So far, mostly classical simulations ...

## Quantum effects?

$$\frac{|\uparrow\downarrow\rangle + |\downarrow\uparrow\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- Thermalization and scrambling?
- Fast thermalization in QCD plasma?
- Evaporation of black holes [Hanada'15]
- Quantum entanglement?

## In this talk:

**Numerical methods to look at these problems (not “solve exactly”)**

- **Beyond classical simulations: quantum fluctuations of “gauge” fields, thermalization and scrambling**
- **Classical-statistical approximation: effect of fermions  black hole “evaporation”**

# Quantum equations of motion

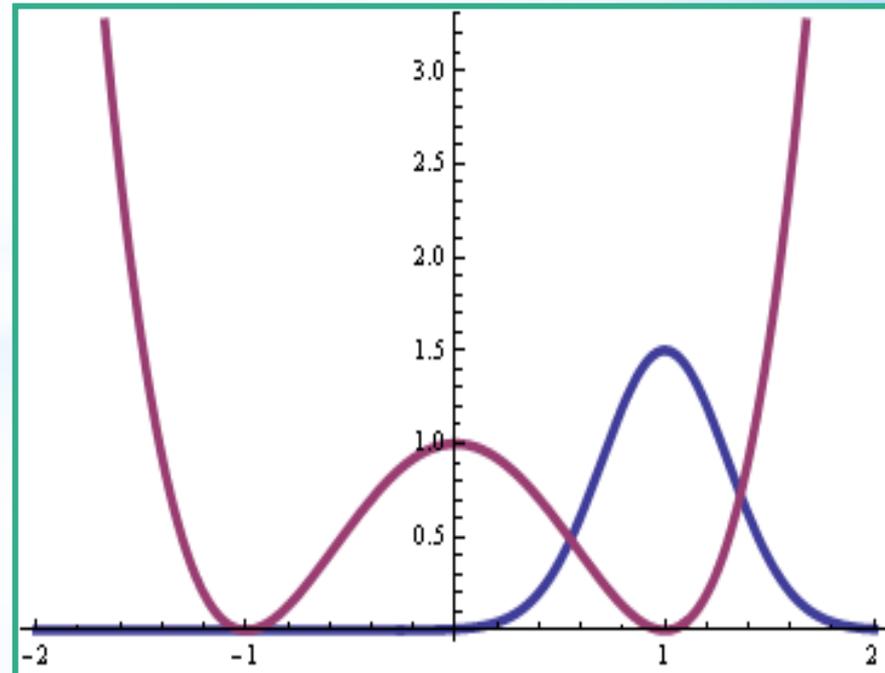
- Start with Heisenberg eqs of motion
- VEV with more non-trivial correlators

First, test this idea on the simplest example

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hat{p}^2}{2} + \frac{a\hat{x}^2}{2} + \frac{b\hat{x}^3}{3} + \frac{c\hat{x}^4}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t \hat{x} &= \hat{p}, \\ \partial_t \hat{p} &= -a\hat{x} - b\hat{x}^2 - c\hat{x}^3\end{aligned}$$

**Tunnelling  
between potential  
wells?**



# Next step: Gaussian Wigner function

Assume Gaussian wave function at any t  
Translates to Gaussian Wigner function

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \hat{x}^2 \rangle &= x^2 + \sigma_{xx}, \\ \langle \hat{p}^2 \rangle &= p^2 + \sigma_{pp}, \\ \langle \frac{\hat{x}\hat{p} + \hat{p}\hat{x}}{2} \rangle &= xp + \sigma_{xp}\end{aligned}$$

For other  
correlators: use  
**Wick theorem!**

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \hat{x}^4 \rangle &= x^4 + 6x^2\sigma_{xx} + 3\sigma_x x^2, \\ \langle \hat{x}^2 \hat{p} \rangle &= x^2 p + 2x\sigma_{xp} + p\sigma_{xx}\end{aligned}$$

Derive closed equations for

$$x, p, \sigma_{xx}, \sigma_{xp}, \sigma_{pp}$$

# Quantum “force” and tunnelling

$$\partial_t p = -ax - bx^2 - cx^3 - b\sigma_{xx} - 3cx\sigma_{xx},$$

$$\partial_t x = p$$

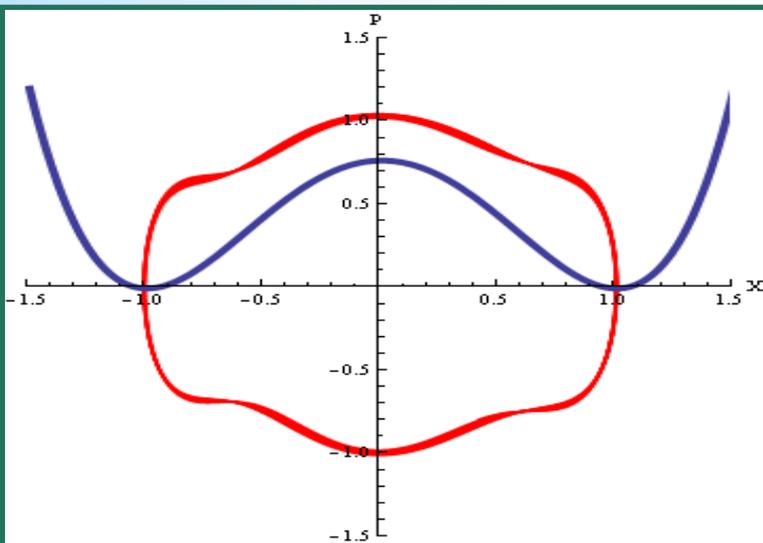
**Positive force even at  $x=0$**

**(classical minimum)**

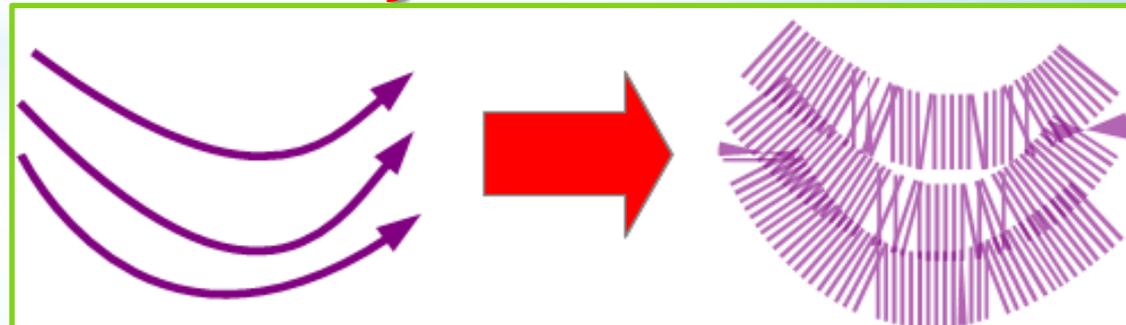
$$\partial_t \sigma_{xx} = 2\sigma_{xp},$$

$$\partial_t \sigma_{xp} = \sigma_{pp} - a\sigma_{xx} - 2bx\sigma_{xx} - 3cx^2\sigma_{xx} - 3c\sigma_{xx}^2,$$

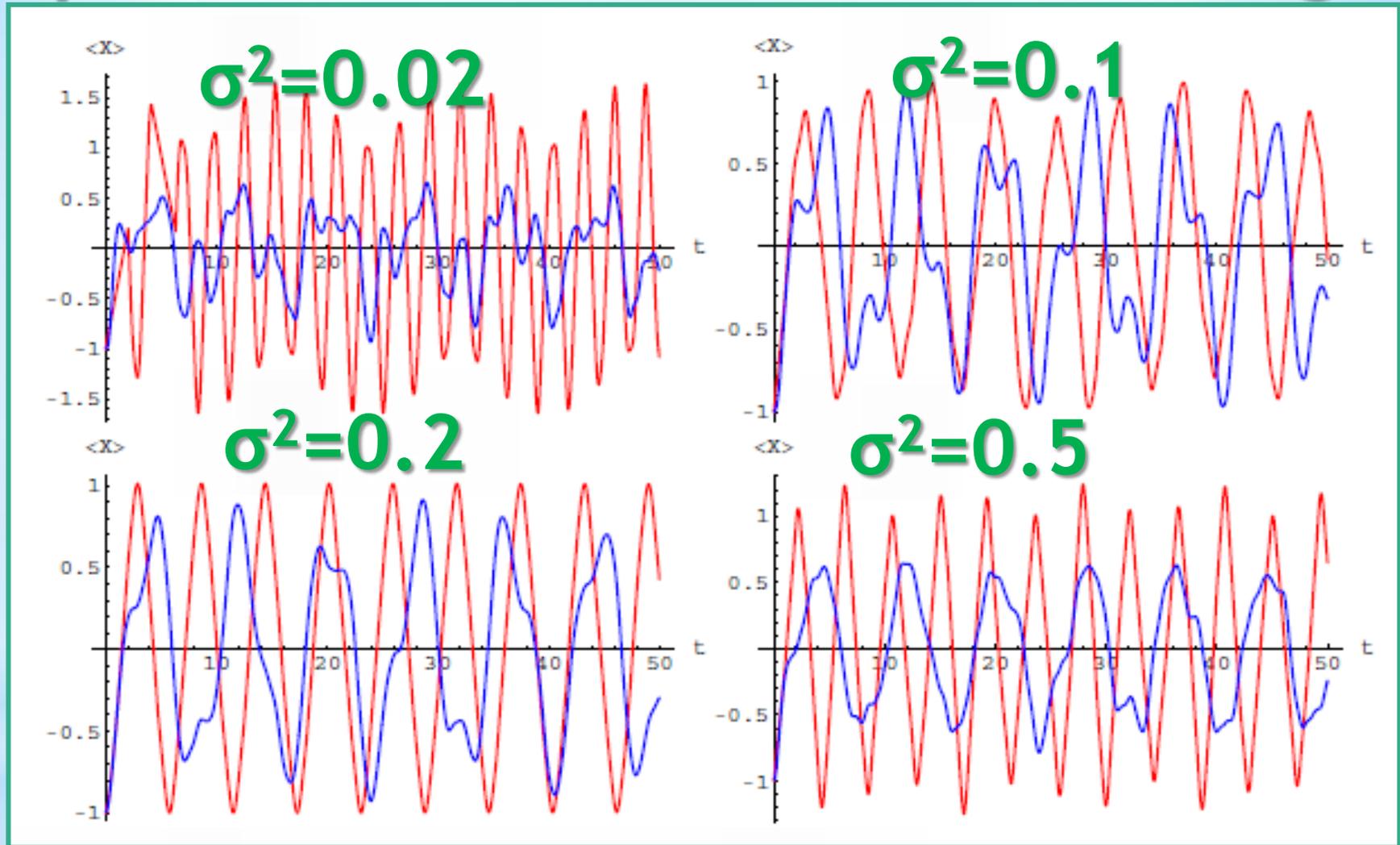
$$\partial_t \sigma_{pp} = -2(a\sigma_{xp} + 2bx\sigma_{xp} + 3cx^2\sigma_{xp} + 3c\sigma_{xx}\sigma_{xp})$$



**Quantum force pushes  $\langle x \rangle$  away from minimum**



# Improved CSFT vs exact Schrödinger



- Early-time evolution **OK**
- Tunnelling period **qualitatively OK**

# Gaussian approx. for BFSS model

$$\partial_t P_i^a = -C_{abc}C_{cde}X_j^bX_i^dX_j^e - \frac{i}{2}C_{bac}\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^i\langle\psi_\alpha^b\psi_\beta^c\rangle -$$

$$-C_{abc}C_{cde}X_j^b[XX]_{ij}^{de} - C_{abc}C_{cde}[XX]_{jj}^{be}X_i^d - C_{abc}C_{cde}[XX]_{ji}^{bd}X_j^e$$

$$\partial_t [XX]_{ij}^{ab} = [XP]_{ij}^{ab} + [XP]_{ji}^{ba},$$

$$\partial_t [XP]_{ik}^{af} = [PP]_{ik}^{af} - C_{abc}C_{cde}(X_i^dX_j^e + [XX]_{ij}^{de})[XX]_{jk}^{bf} -$$

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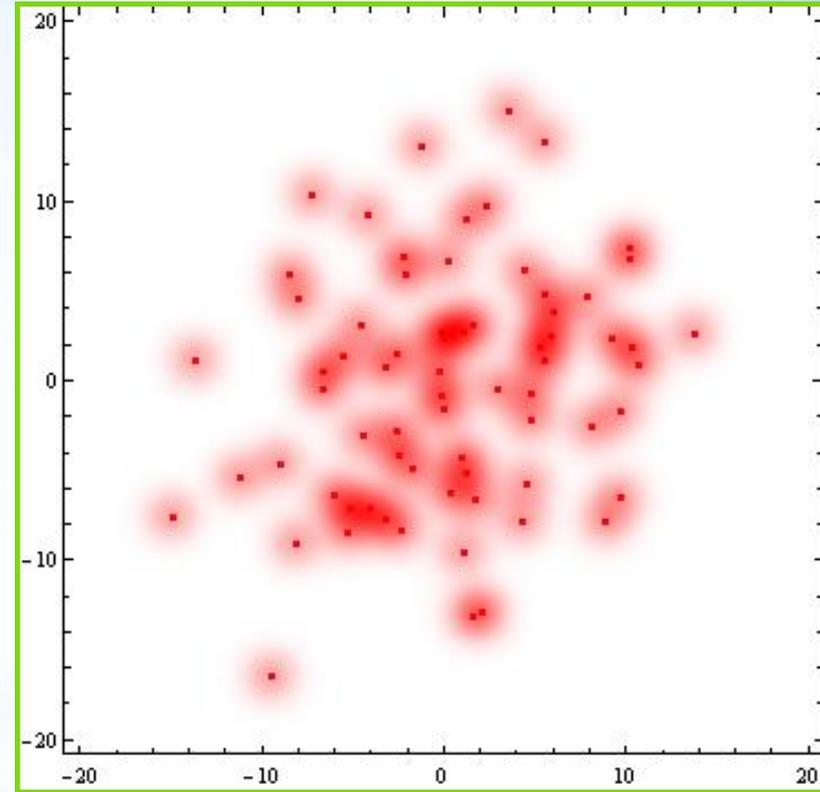
$$-C_{abc}C_{cde}(X_j^bX_i^d + [XX]_{ji}^{bd})[XP]_{jk}^{ef} + (\{a, i\} \leftrightarrow \{f, k\})$$

- CPU time  $\sim N^5$  (double commutators)
- RAM memory  $\sim N^4$
- Conserves pure states & entropy

# Initial conditions

$\langle X^a_i \rangle$  are random Gaussian

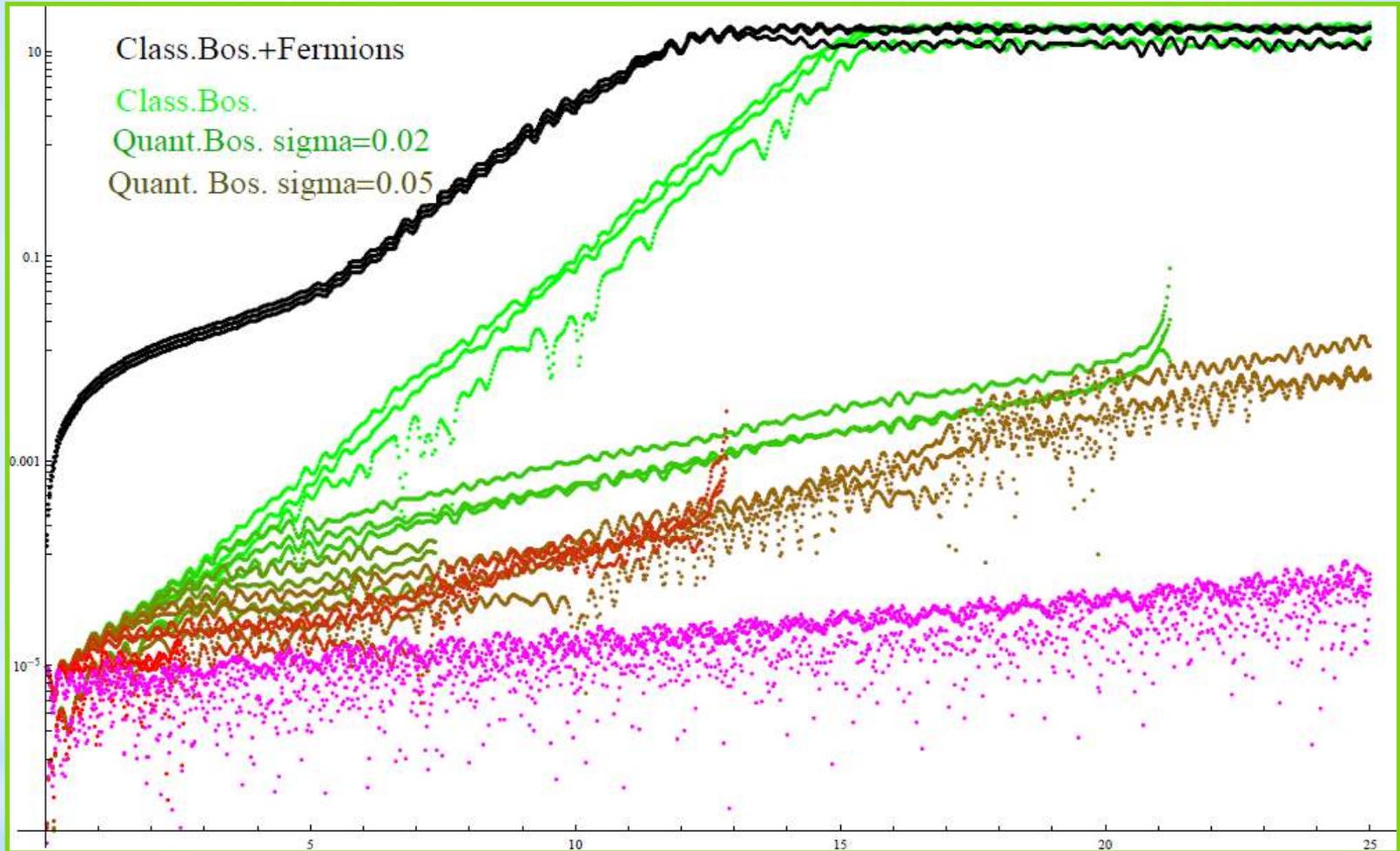
$$\begin{aligned} [XX]_{ij}^{ab} &= \sigma^2 \delta^{ab} \delta_{ij}, \\ [PP]_{ij}^{ab} &= \sigma^2 \delta^{ab} \delta_{ij}, \\ [XP]_{ij}^{ab} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



**Minimal quantum  
dispersion  
(Uncertainty principle)**

**(Classical) dispersion of  $\langle X^a_i \rangle$  roughly  
corresponds to temperature**

# Quantum effects decrease instability

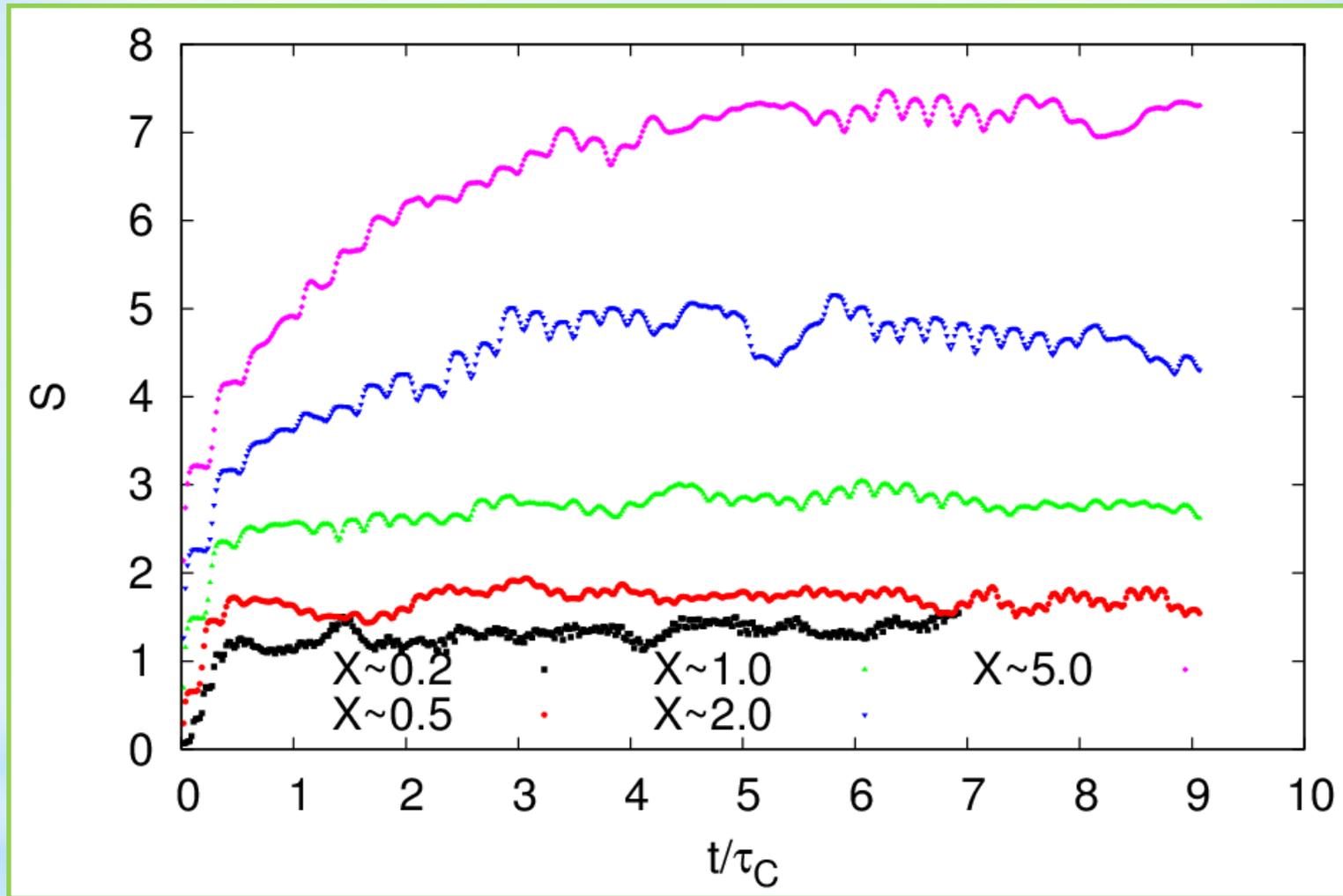


$$\langle in | e^{i\hat{p}\delta x} \hat{x}(t) e^{-i\hat{p}\delta x} | in \rangle - \langle in | \hat{x}(t) | in \rangle =$$

$$= i \langle in | [\hat{p}(0), \hat{x}(t)] | in \rangle$$

**Lyapunov exponents  
 ~ OTO correlators !!!**

# Entanglement entropy production



Single matrix entry entangled with others  
Initially,  $dS/dt$  scales as classical Lyapunov  $t$

# Effect of fermions

Fermions introduce repulsive force

Evolution of fermionic 2pt correlators!

Closed system of equations:  $\partial_t X_i^a = P_i^a$

$$\partial_t P_i^a = -C_{abc} C_{cde} X_j^b X_i^d X_j^e - \frac{i}{2} C_{bac} \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^i \langle \hat{\psi}_\alpha^b \hat{\psi}_\beta^c \rangle$$

$$\partial_t \langle \hat{\psi}_\alpha^a \hat{\psi}_\beta^b \rangle = C_{ade} X_i^d \sigma_{\alpha\gamma}^i \langle \hat{\psi}_\gamma^e \hat{\psi}_\beta^b \rangle + C_{bde} X_i^d \sigma_{\beta\gamma}^i \langle \hat{\psi}_\alpha^a \hat{\psi}_\gamma^e \rangle$$

CPU time + RAM memory scaling  $\sim N^4$

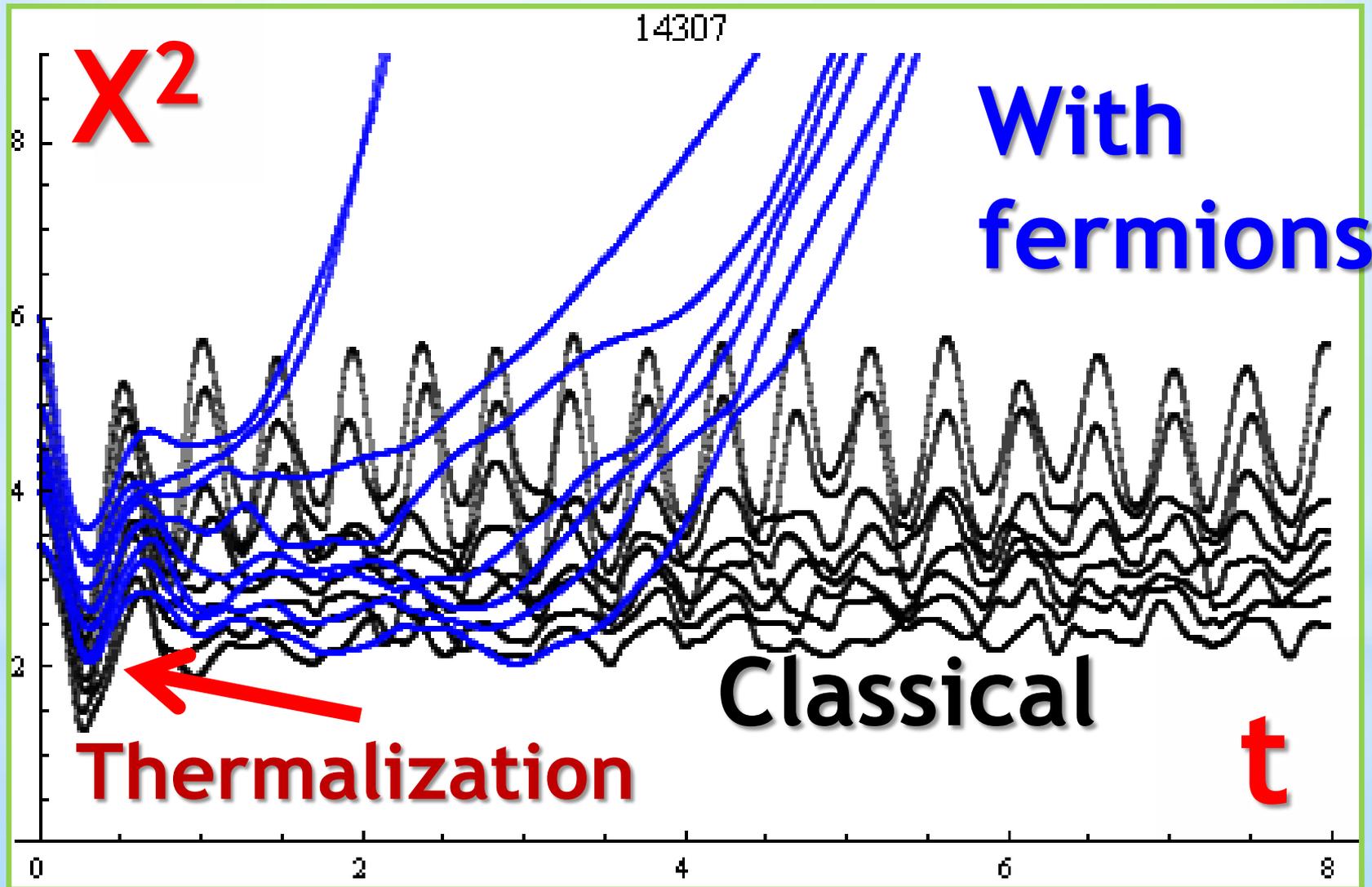
In fact, CSFT approximation

[Son, Aarts, Smit, Berges, Tanji, Gelis,...]

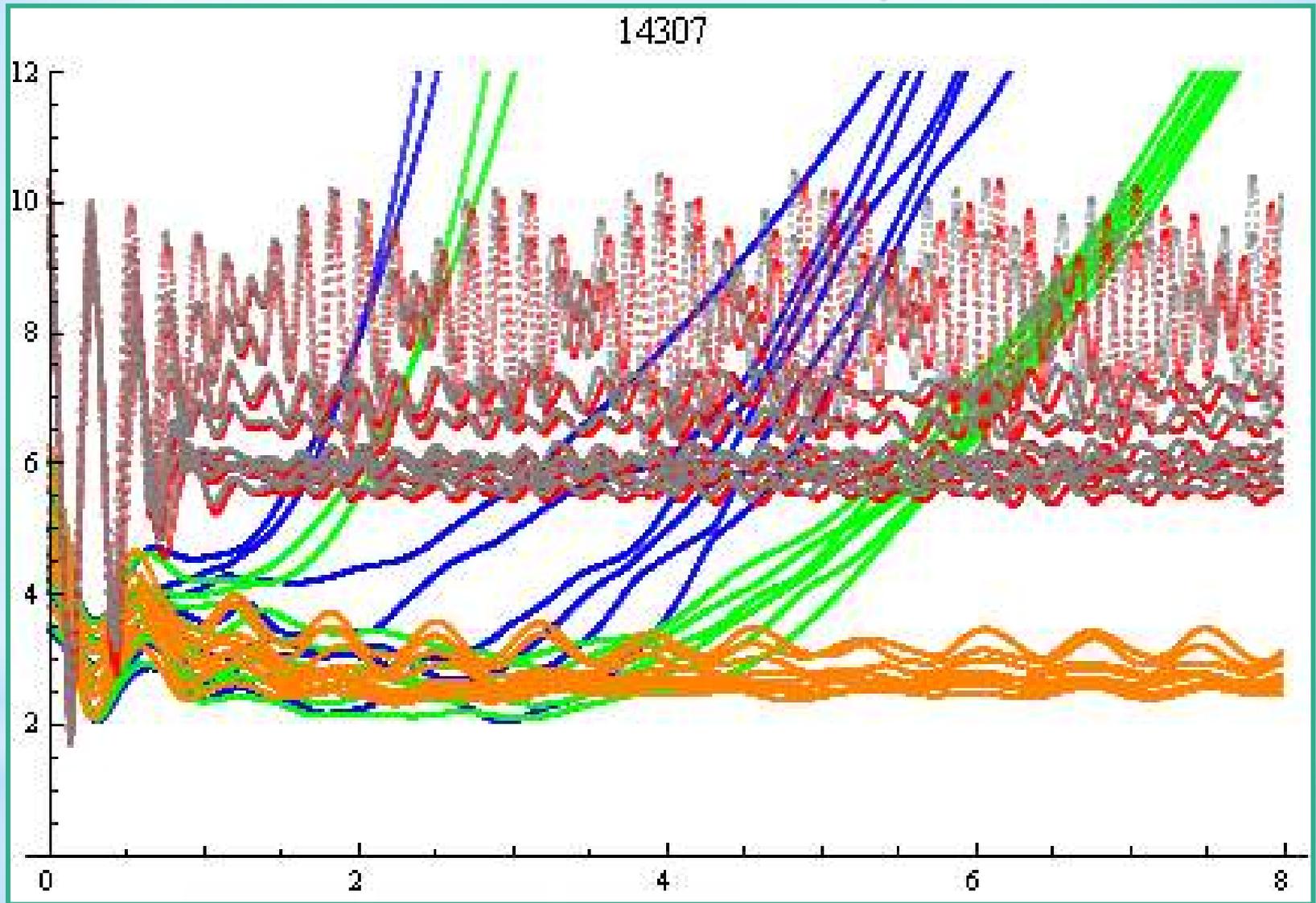
E.g. Schwinger pair production, Axial charge creation in glasma, ...

Some results  $N = 8, f = 0.48$

# Hawking radiation of D0 branes

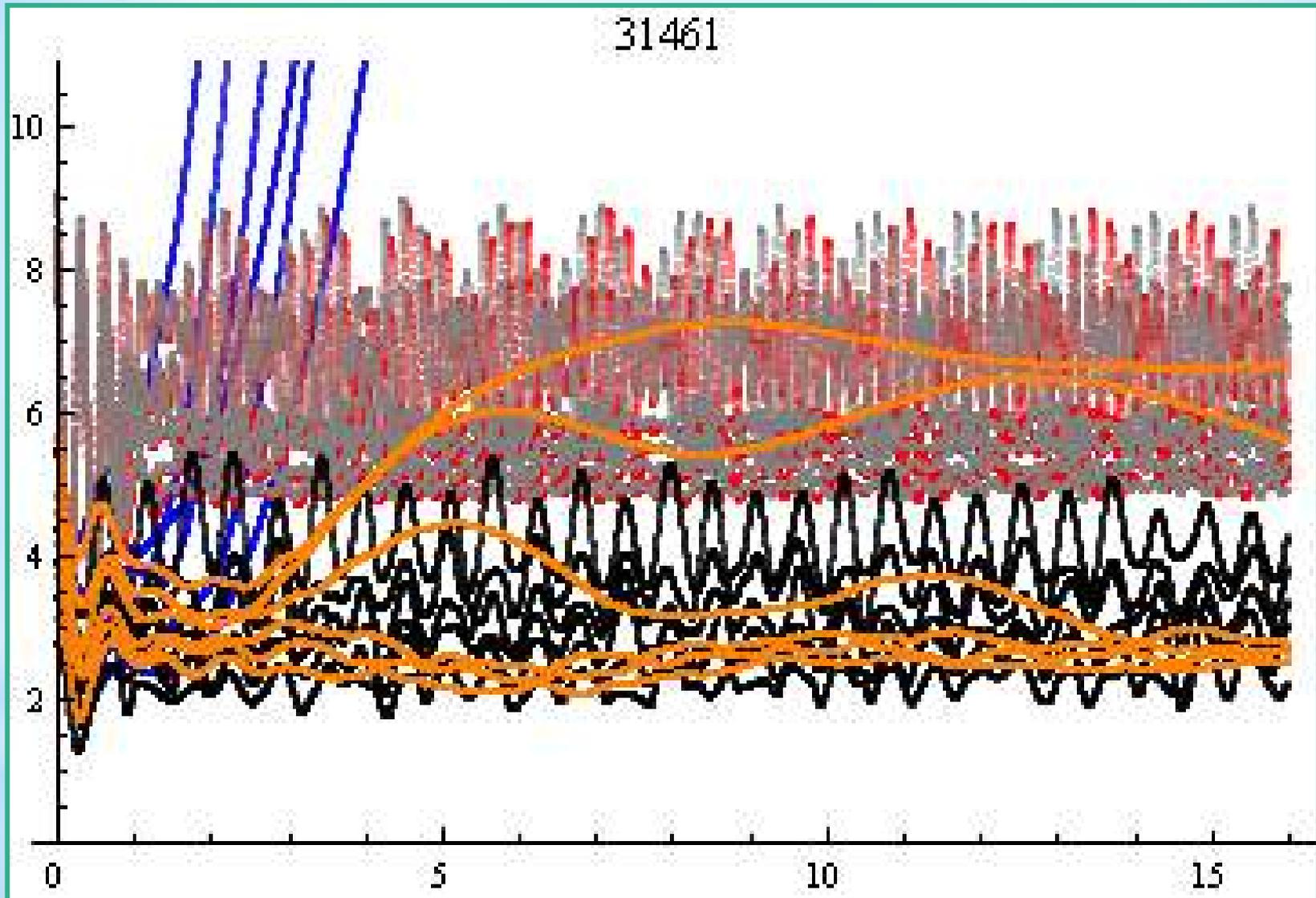


# Some results $N = 8, f = 0.48$



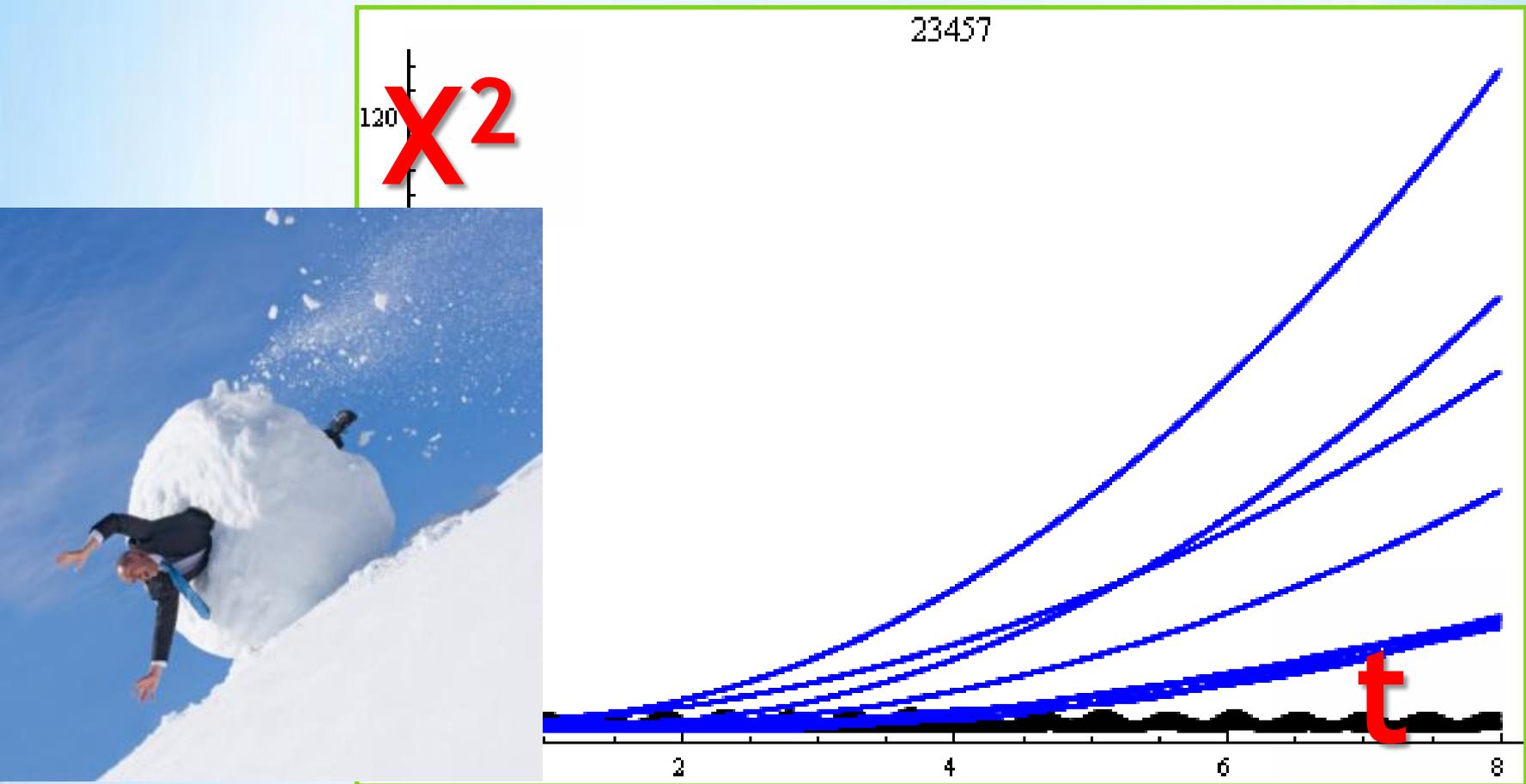
$\sigma_2 = 0.0, 0.1, 0.2, 1.0$  + no fermions

# Evaporation threshold: $N = 6$ , $f = 0.50$



$\sigma^2 = 0.0, 0.2, 1.0$  + no fermions

# Constant acceleration at late times



- **Boson kinetic energy grows without bound**
- **Fermion energy falls down**
- **Origin of const force - SUSY violation?**

# Summary

- **Quantum fluctuations suppress classical Lyapunov exponents**
- **Scrambling time still proportional to classical Lyapunov exponents**
- **Quantum fermions in BFSS model trigger real-time instability, “black hole evaporation”?**

**Backup slides**

# CSFT and SUSY

## 16 supercharges in BFSS model:

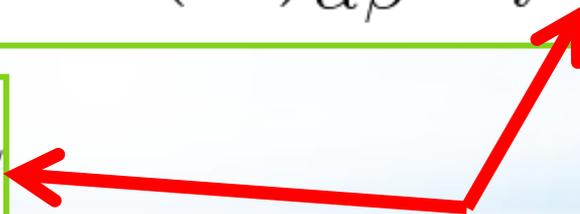
$$\hat{Q}_\alpha = \hat{P}_i^a [\sigma_i]_{\alpha\beta} \hat{\psi}_\beta^a - \frac{1}{4} C_{abc} \hat{X}_i^b \hat{X}_j^c [\sigma_{ij}]_{\alpha\beta} \hat{\psi}_\beta^a$$

$$\sigma_{ij} \equiv \sigma_i \sigma_j - \sigma_j \sigma_i$$

$$\{\hat{Q}_\alpha, \hat{Q}_\beta\} = 2\delta_{\alpha\beta} \hat{H} - 2(\sigma_i)_{\alpha\beta} \hat{X}_i^a \hat{J}^a$$

$$[\hat{H}, \hat{Q}_\gamma] = -i\hat{\psi}_\gamma^a \hat{J}^a$$

**Gauge transformations**



$$\hat{J}^a = C_{abc} \hat{X}_i^b \hat{P}_i^c - \frac{i}{2} C_{abc} \hat{\psi}_\alpha^b \hat{\psi}_\alpha^c$$

# CSFT and SUSY

**In full quantum theory**

$$\partial_t \hat{Q}_\delta = \frac{i}{2} C_{abc} \hat{\psi}_\alpha^a \hat{\psi}_\beta^b \hat{\psi}_\gamma^c \left( \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^i \sigma_{\gamma\delta}^i - \delta_{\alpha\beta} \delta_{\gamma\delta} \right) = 0$$

**Fierz identity (cyclic shift of indices):**

$$[\sigma_i]_{\alpha\beta} [\sigma_i]_{\gamma\delta} + [\sigma_i]_{\alpha\gamma} [\sigma_i]_{\beta\delta} + [\sigma_i]_{\alpha\delta} [\sigma_i]_{\gamma\beta} = \delta_{\alpha\beta} \delta_{\gamma\delta} + \delta_{\alpha\gamma} \delta_{\beta\delta} + \delta_{\alpha\delta} \delta_{\gamma\beta}$$

**In CSFT approximation**

$$\partial_t \hat{Q}_\delta = \frac{i}{2} C_{abc} \langle \hat{\psi}_\alpha^a \hat{\psi}_\beta^b \rangle \hat{\psi}_\gamma^c \left( \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^i \sigma_{\gamma\delta}^i - \delta_{\alpha\beta} \delta_{\gamma\delta} \right) \neq 0$$

**Fermionic 3pt function seems necessary!**