

Instability of 3-band Tomonaga-Luttinger liquids: renormalization group analysis and possible application to $K_2Cr_3As_3$



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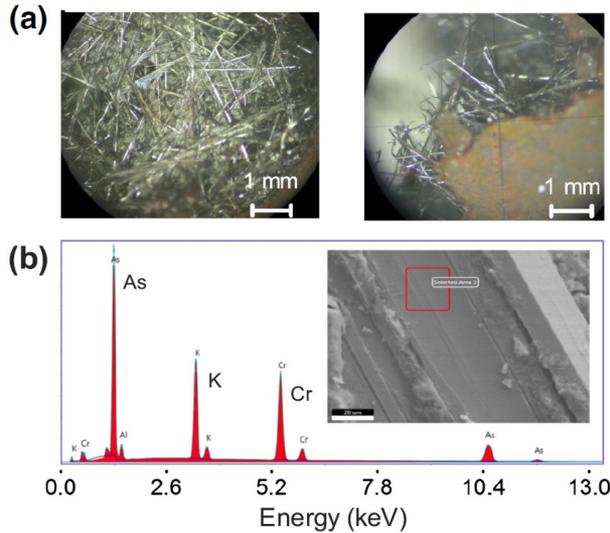
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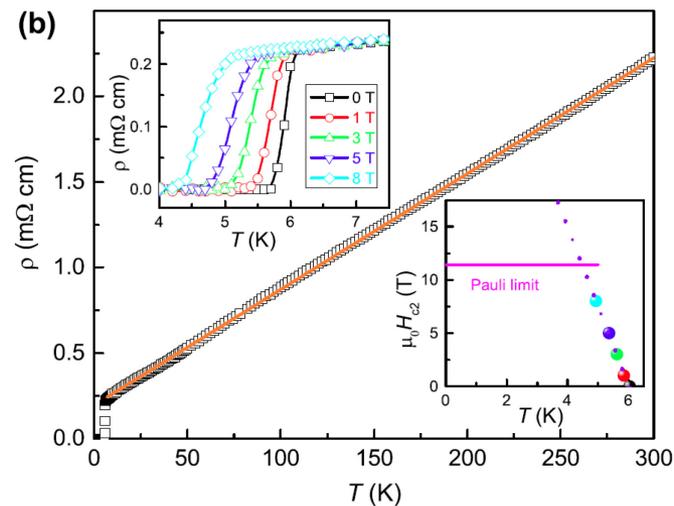
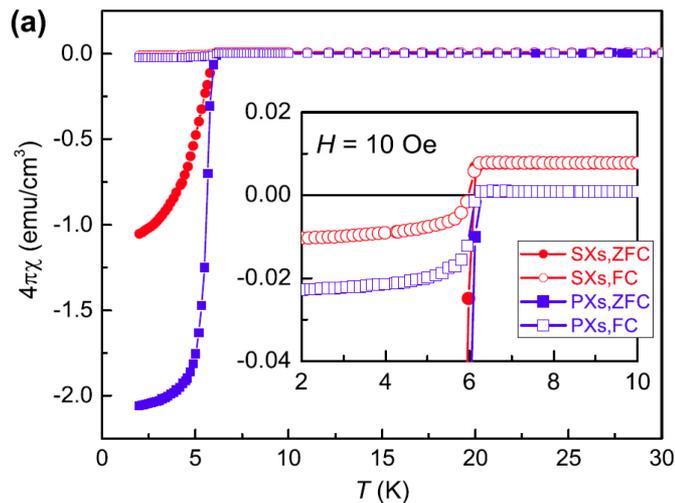
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Cr based superconductors under ambient pressure: $A_2Cr_3As_3$ (A=K,Rb,Cs)

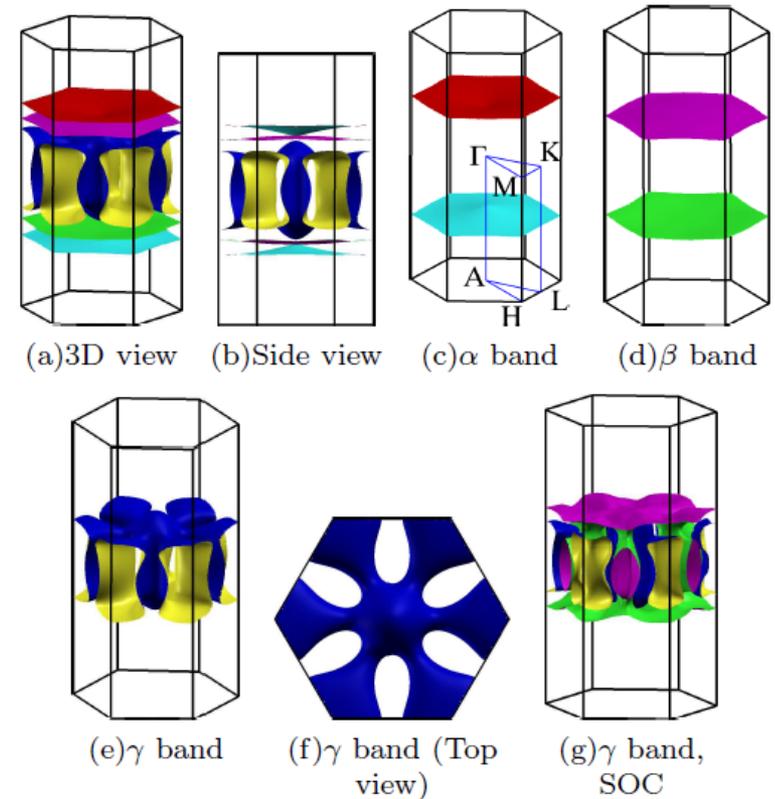
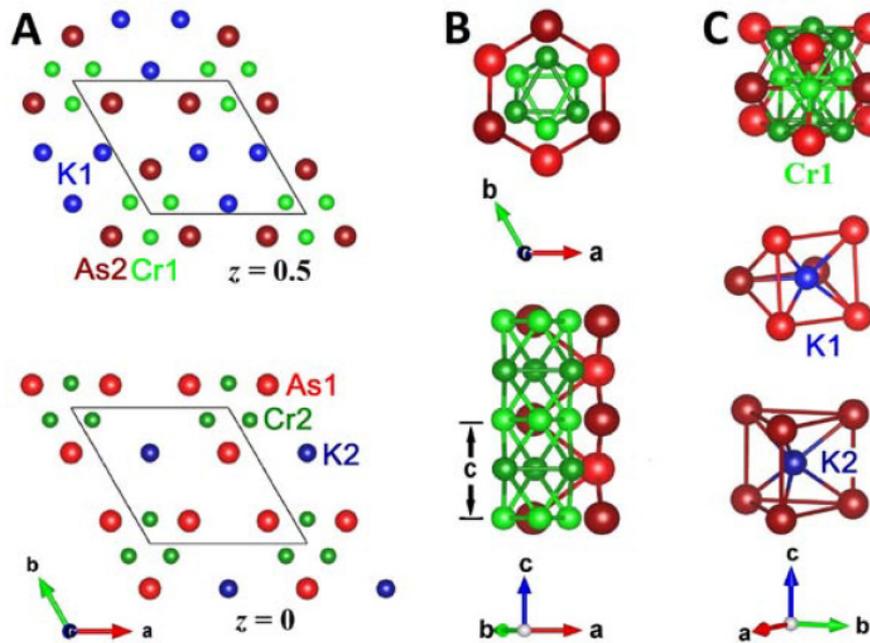


$K_2Cr_3As_3$: $T_c \sim 6.1$ K
 $Rb_2Cr_3As_3$: $T_c \sim 4.8$ K
 $Cs_2Cr_3As_3$: $T_c \sim 2.2$ K



Quasi-1D crystal and electronic structure

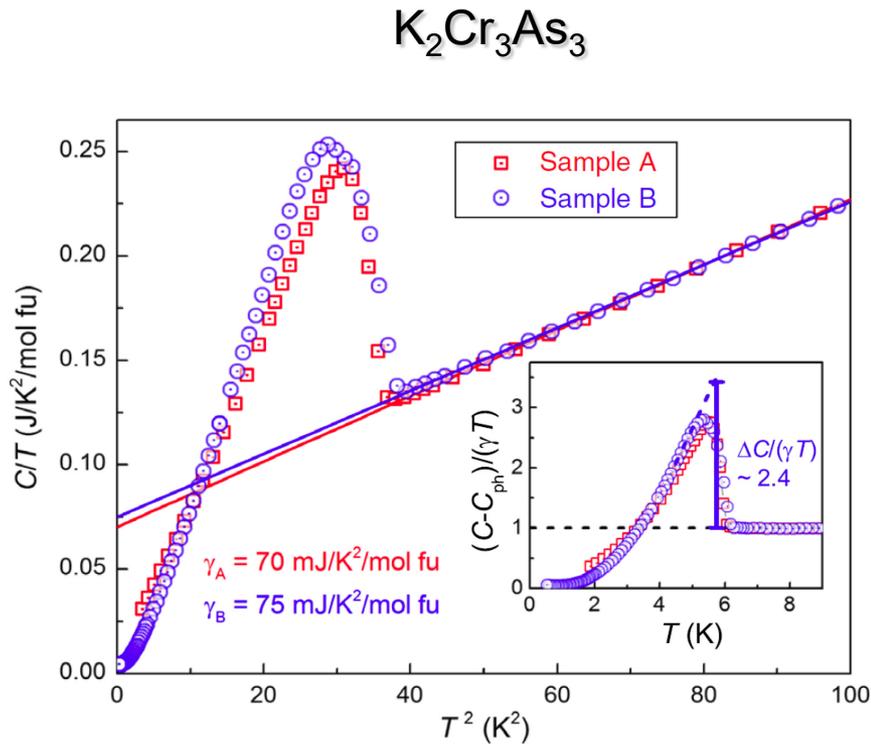
$\text{Cr}^{+2.33}$



Guang-Han Cao's group, *Phys. Rev. X* 5, 011013 (2015). [arXiv:1412.0067](https://arxiv.org/abs/1412.0067)

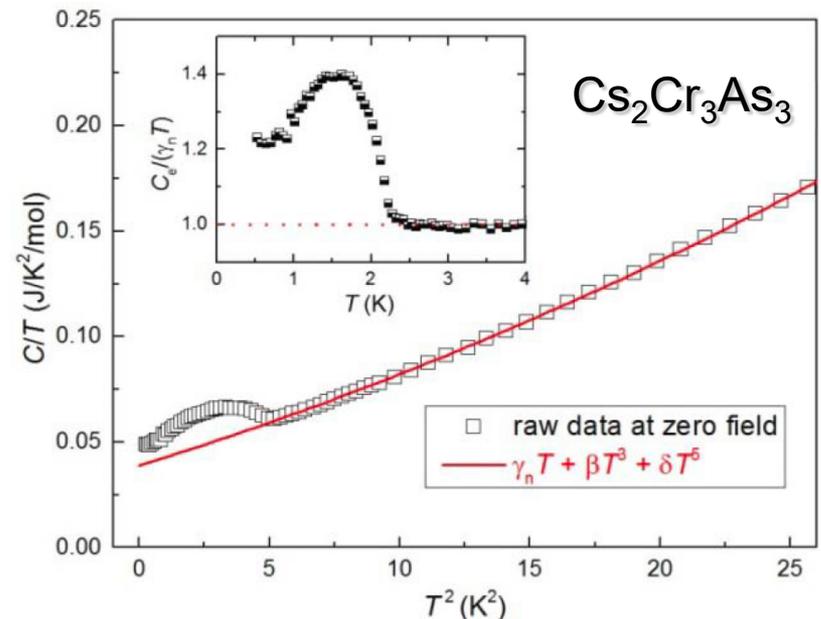
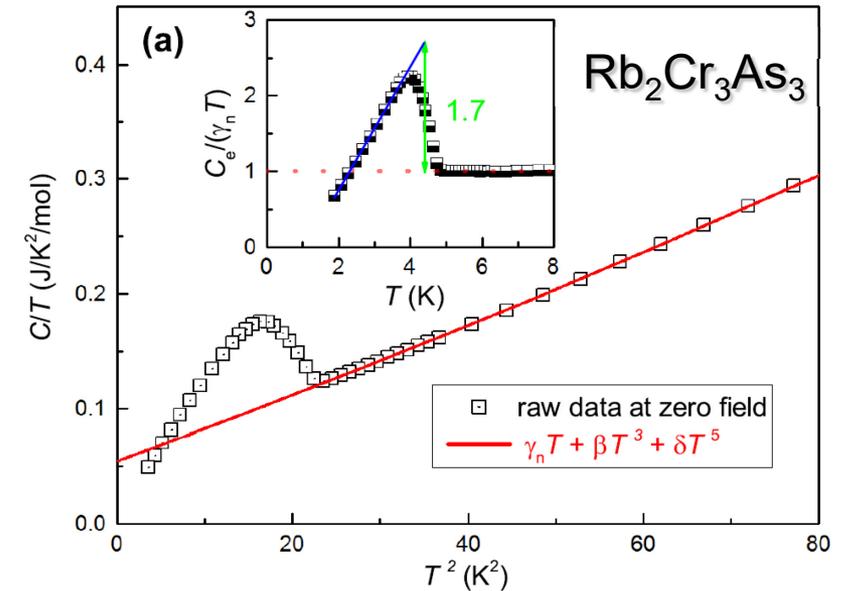
Jiang, Cao, Cao, [arXiv:1412.1309](https://arxiv.org/abs/1412.1309) (2014)

Specific heat: deviation from BCS



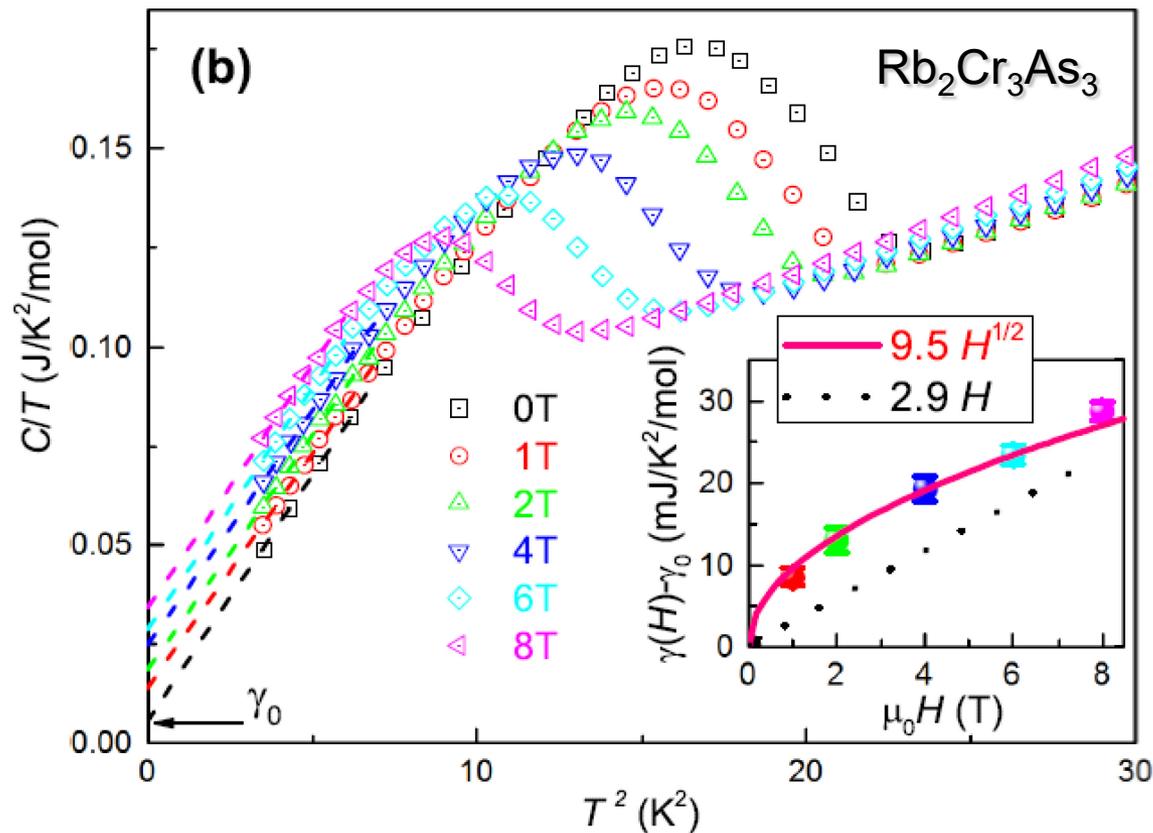
Large Sommerfeld coefficient

Guang-Han Cao's group, *Phys. Rev. X* 5, 011013 (2015); *Phys. Rev. B* 91, 020506(R) (2015); *Science China Materials*, 58(1) 16-10 (2015).

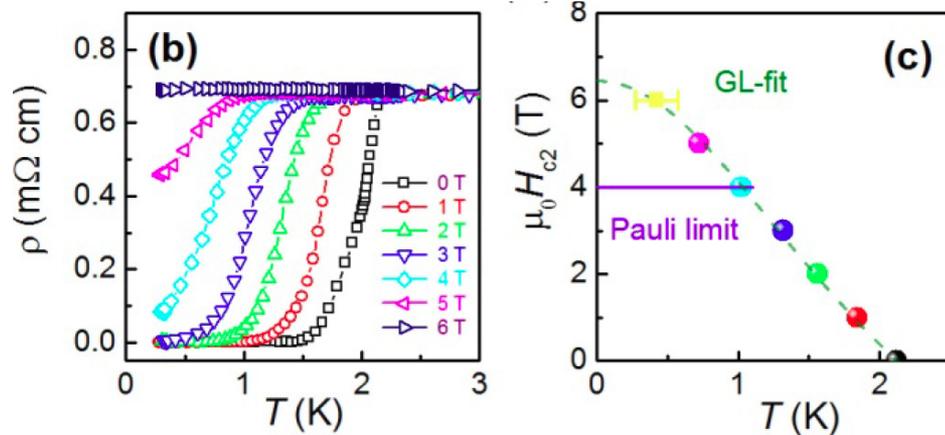
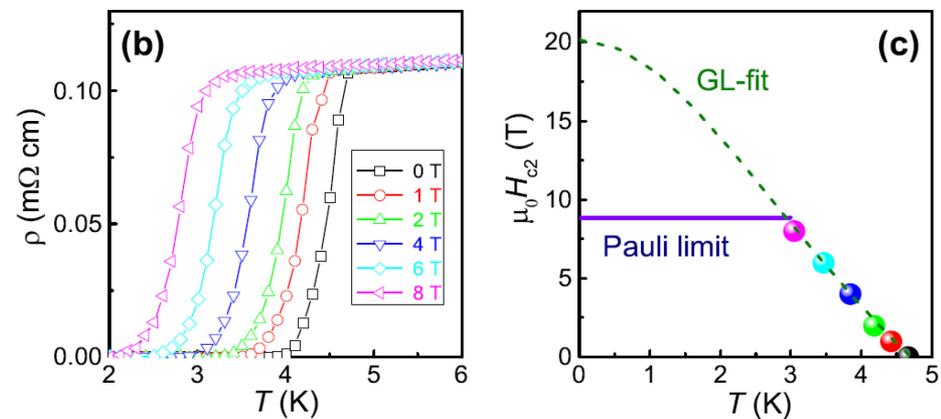
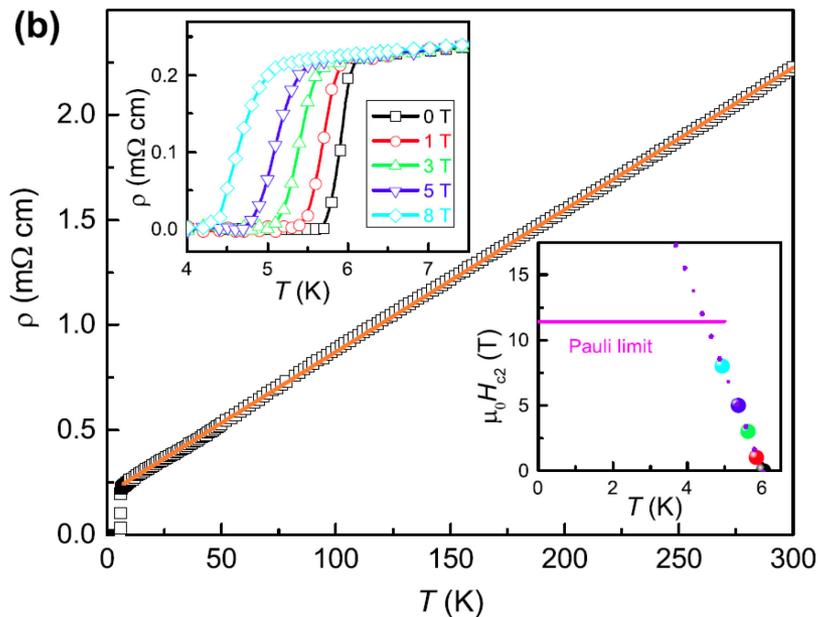


Magnetic field dependent $\gamma(H)$

➤ $\gamma(H) \equiv C_V/T \propto H^{1/2}$ indicates nodes in the gap function

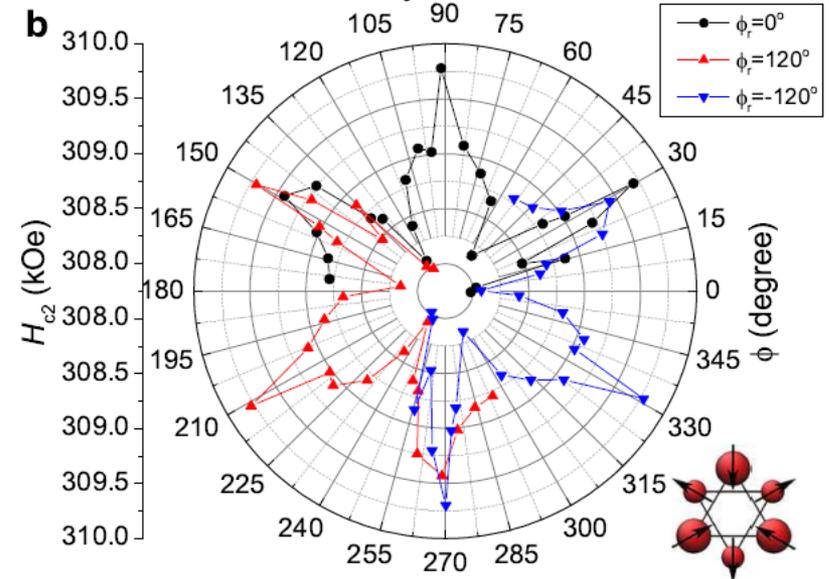
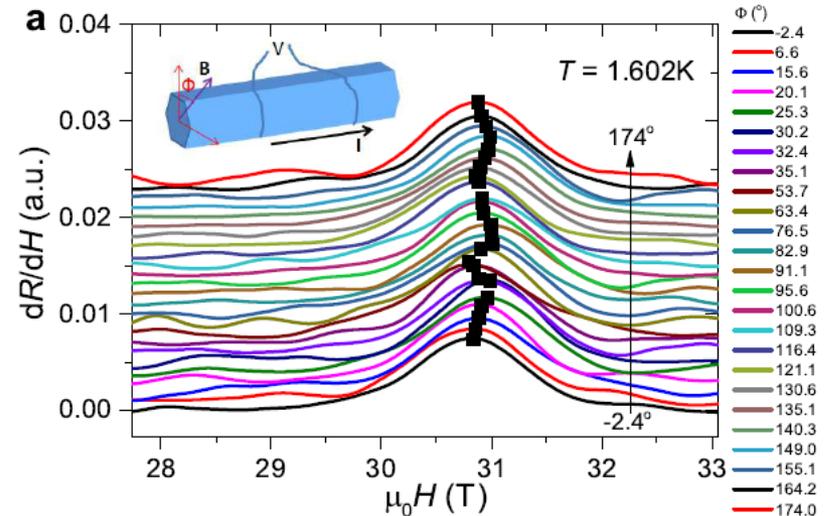
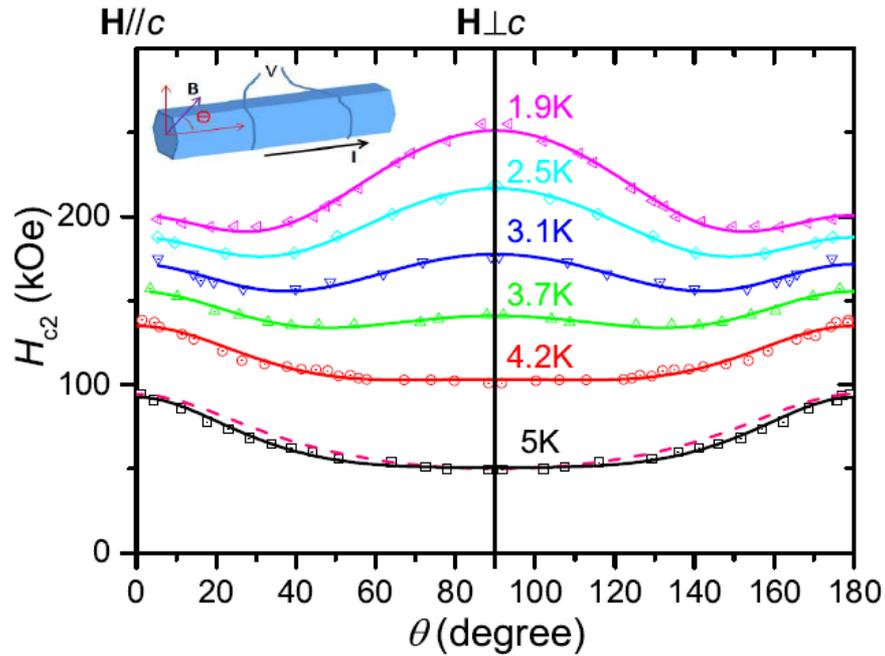


Upper critical field H_{c2}

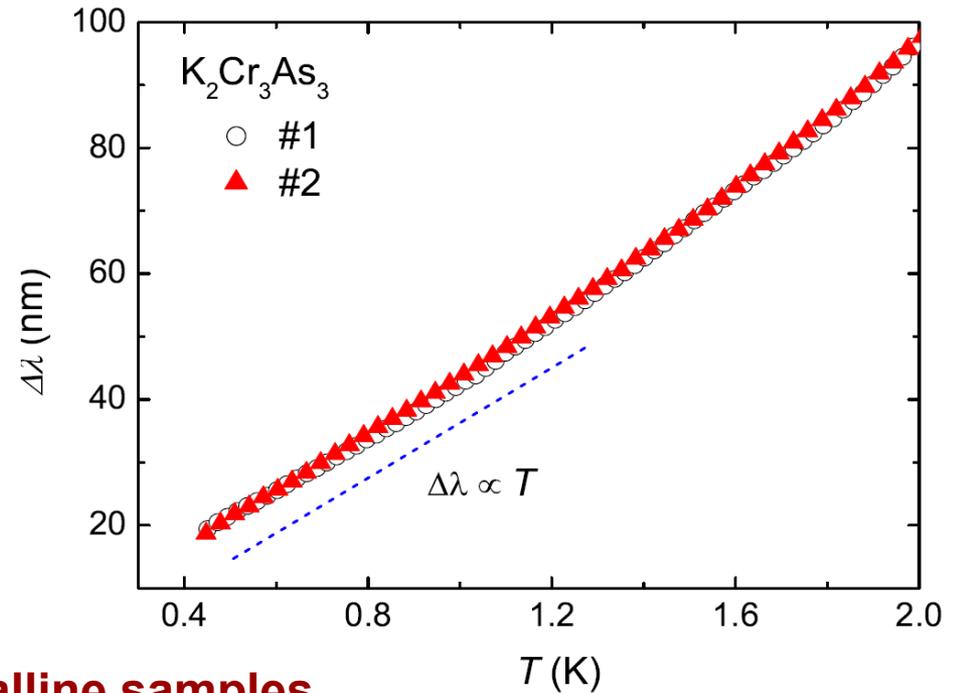
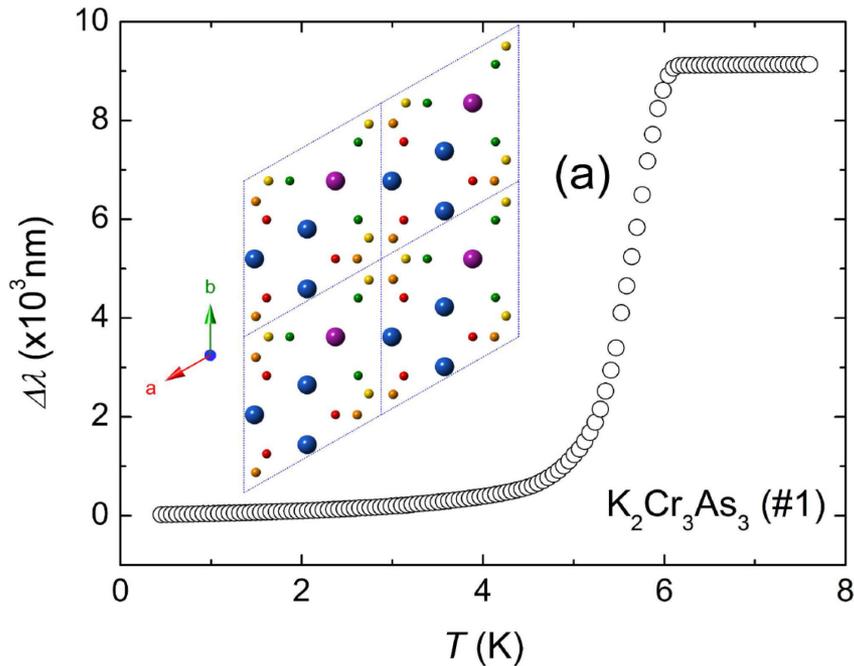


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Angle resolved upper critical field



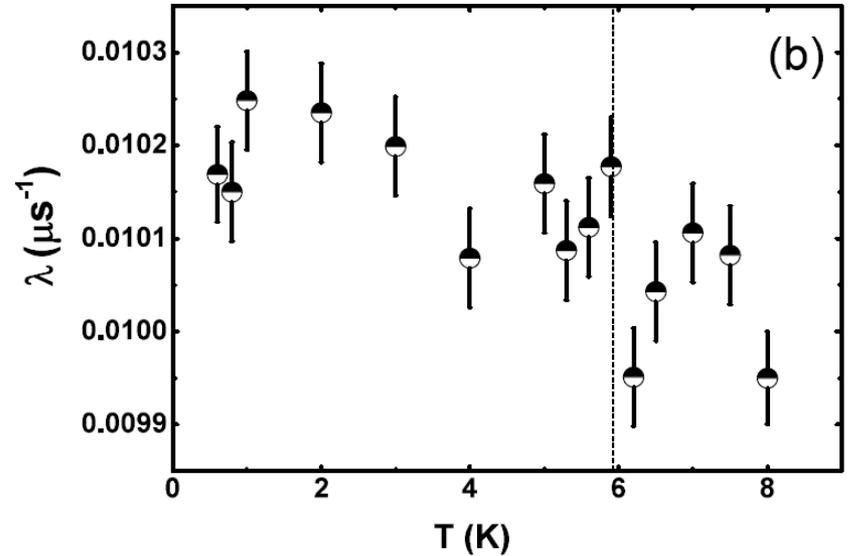
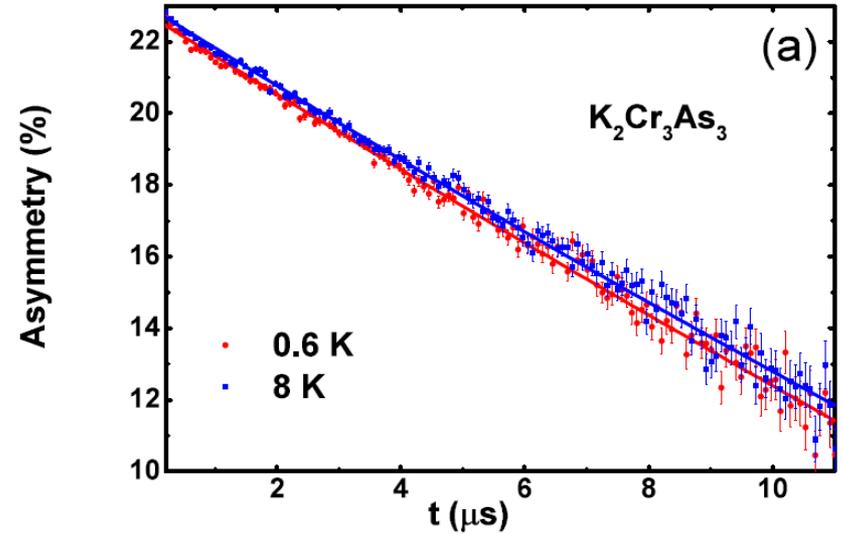
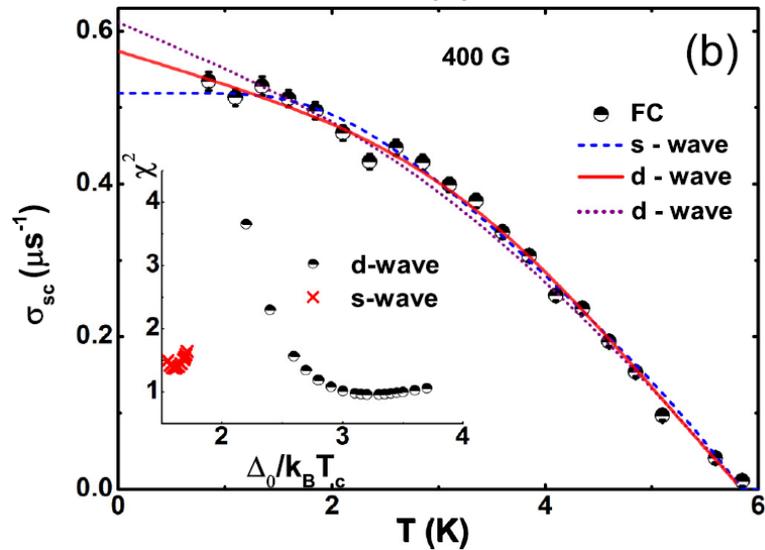
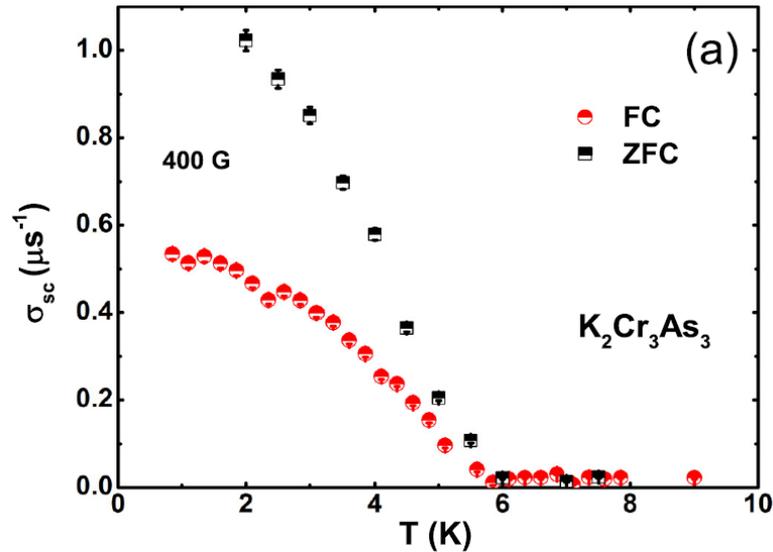
Penetration depth: $K_2Cr_3As_3$



Polycrystalline samples

Linear T dependent penetration depth is an evidence for *line nodal* superconducting gap.

muSR



Unconventional superconducting states

● Specific heat

- Large Sommerfeld coefficient: band renormalization
- Large specific-heat jump: deviation from BCS scenario

G.H. Cao et al. (2014, 2015)

● Upper critical field

- Exceeding Pauli limit: $2H_p$ for $H // c$; $3.4H_p$ for $H // ab$

G.H. Cao et al. (2014, 2015), Ames' group (2015)

- Three-fold or six-fold modulation of H_{c2}

Z.W. Zhu et al. (2015)

● NMR/NQR

- Absence of Hebel-Slichter coherence peak
- $1/T_1 T \propto T^4?$ or T^5 (T^5 indicates point nodal gap)

T. Imai et al. (2015); G.q. Zheng et al. (2015)

● Penetration depth

- $\Delta\lambda \propto T$ (line nodal gap)

H.Q. Yuan et al. (2015)

● μ SR

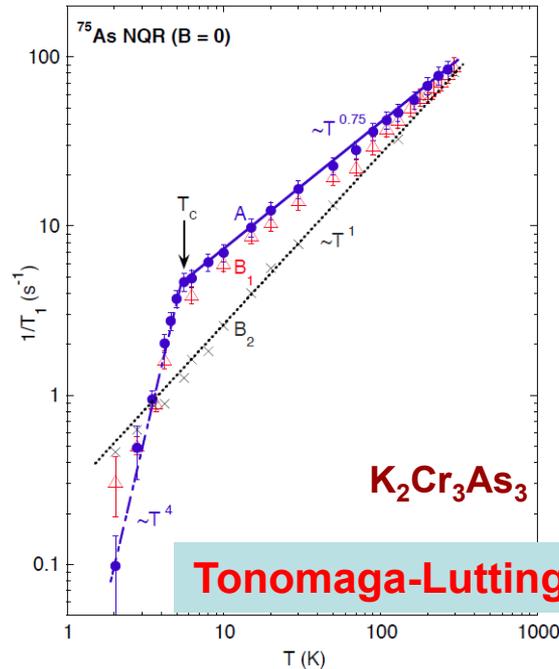
- Weak evidence of a spontaneous internal magnetic field above T_c

ISIS facility (2015)

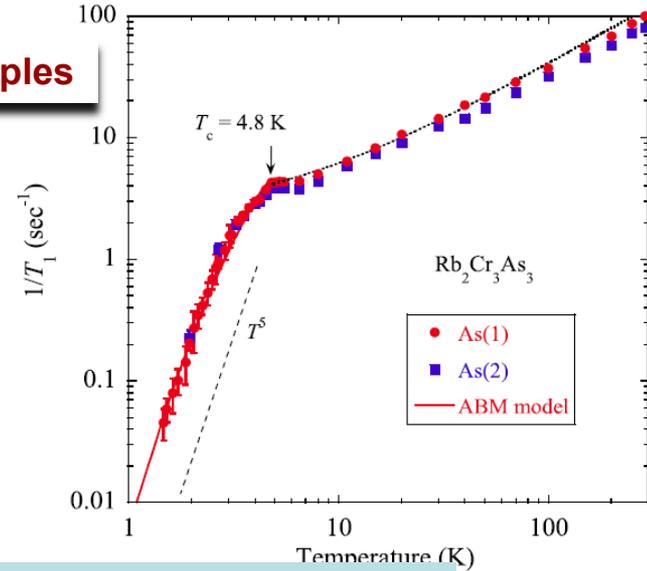
Normal state: NMR / NQR

T. Imai, et al., PRL114, 147004 (2015)

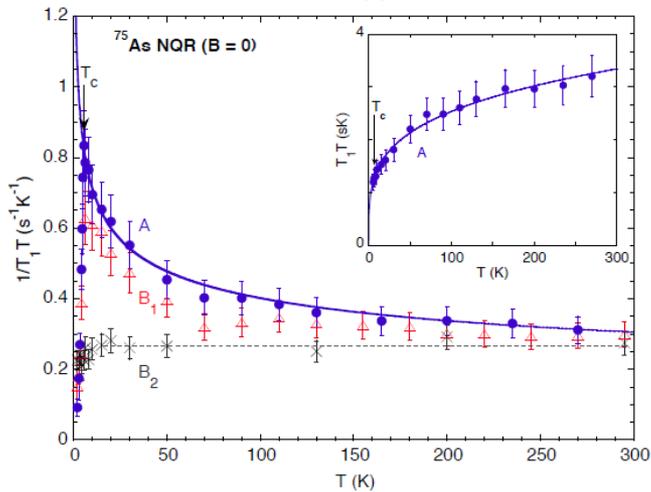
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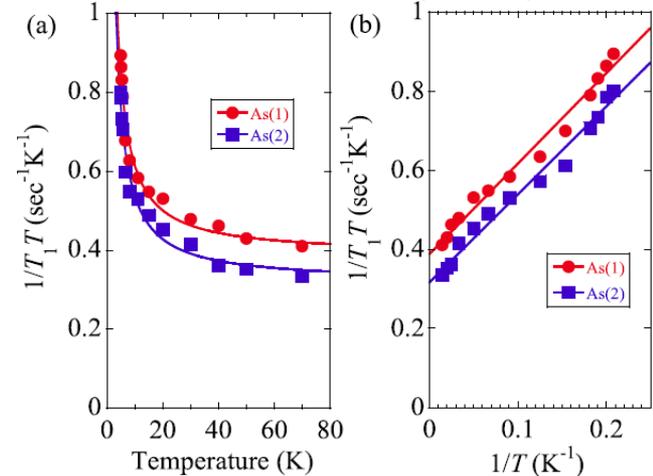
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Tonomaga-Luttinger Liquid vs. Critical spin fluctuations

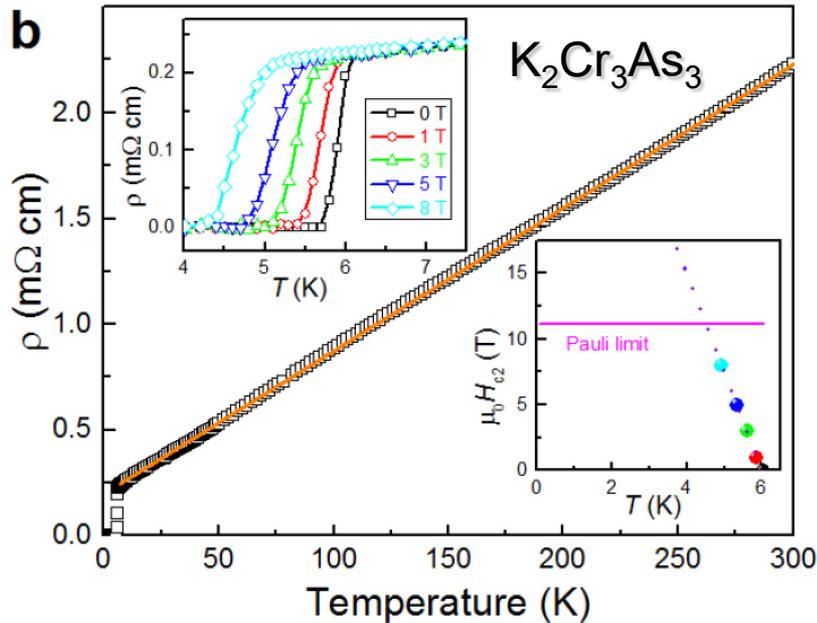


$$1/T_1 T = a + b/(T + \theta_C), \text{ with } \theta_C \sim 0 \text{ K}$$



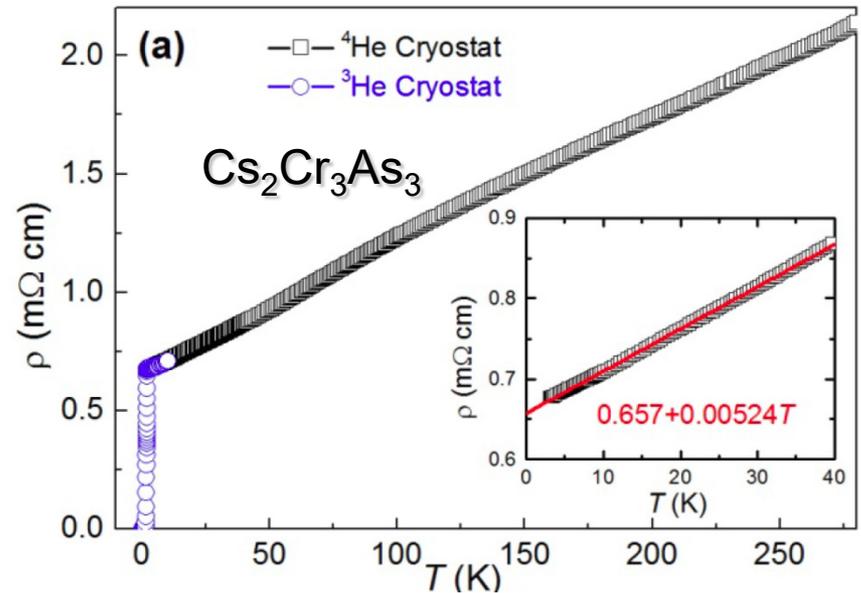
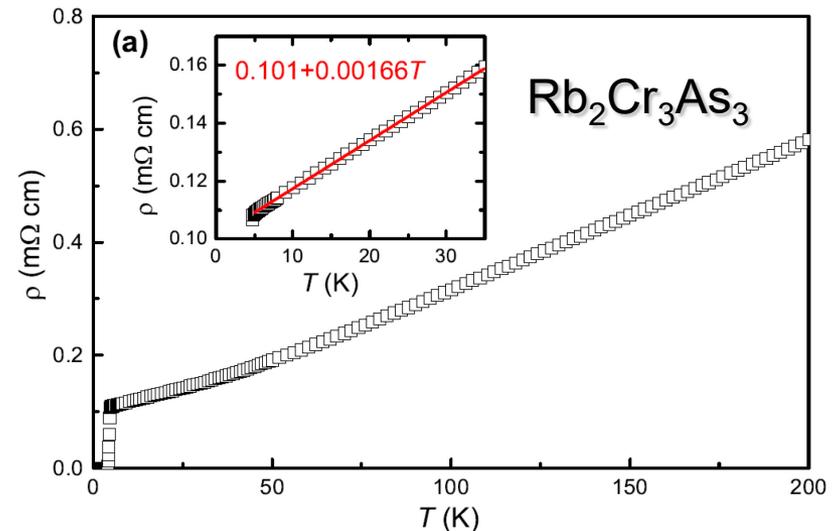
Normal state: transport, polycrystal

Fermi liquid: $\rho_0 + AT^2$



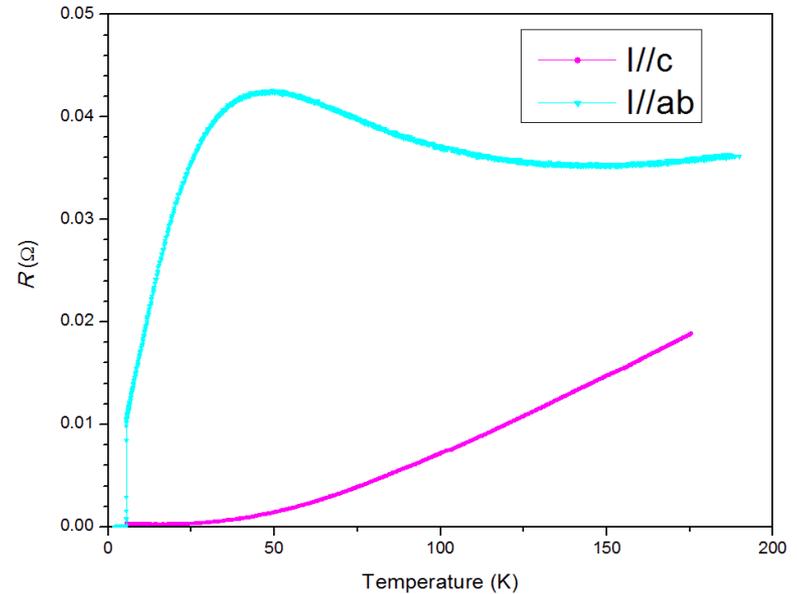
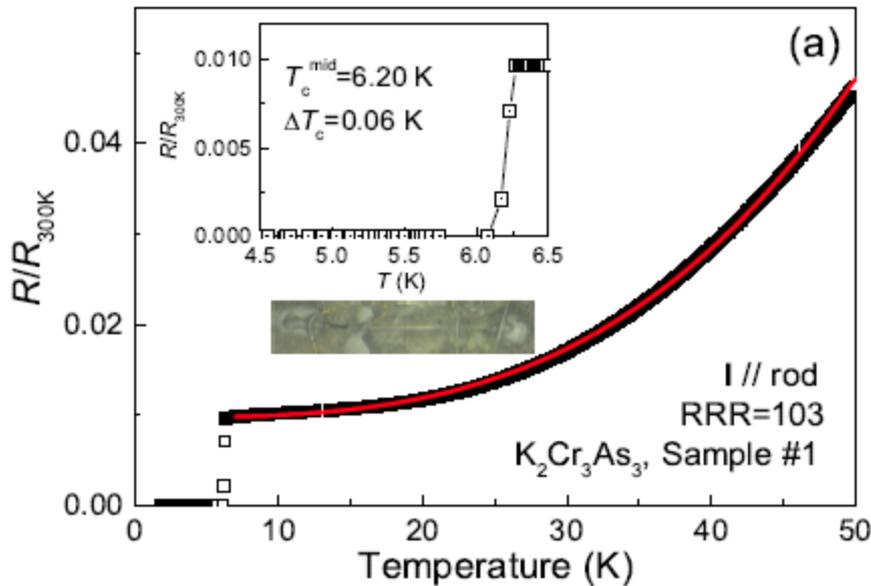
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Normal state: smectic metal

Single crystal



$$\rho_c = \rho_0 + AT^\alpha, \alpha \approx 3$$

Guang-Han Cao's group (unpublished)

Previous theoretical studies

Yi Zhou, Chao Cao, and Fu-Chun Zhang, arXiv:1502.03928

- **Effective Hamiltonian in 3D**
- **Superconducting instability by RPA**

Other groups

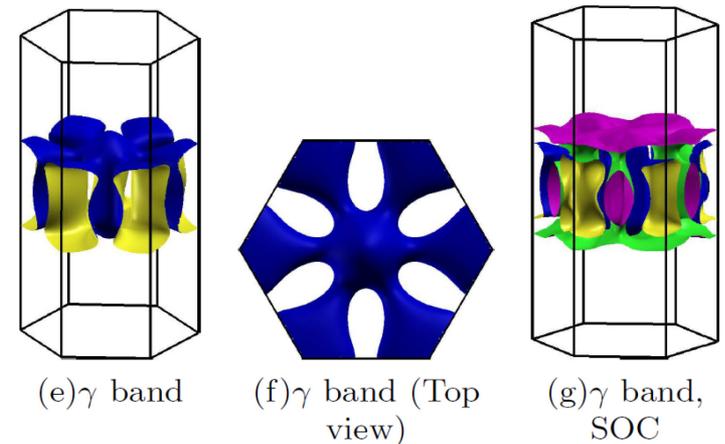
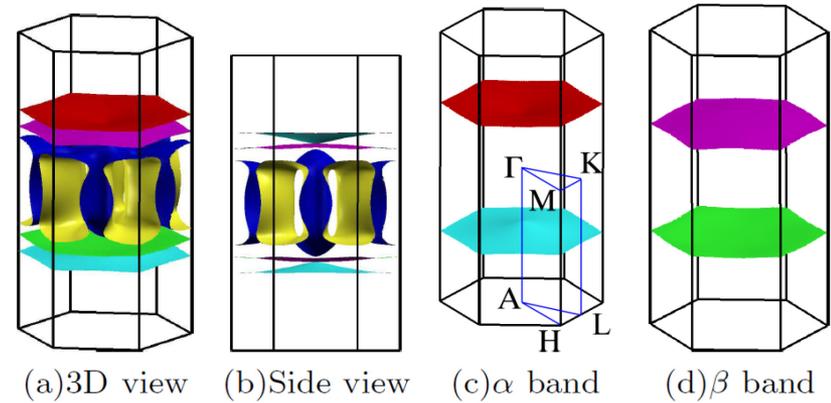
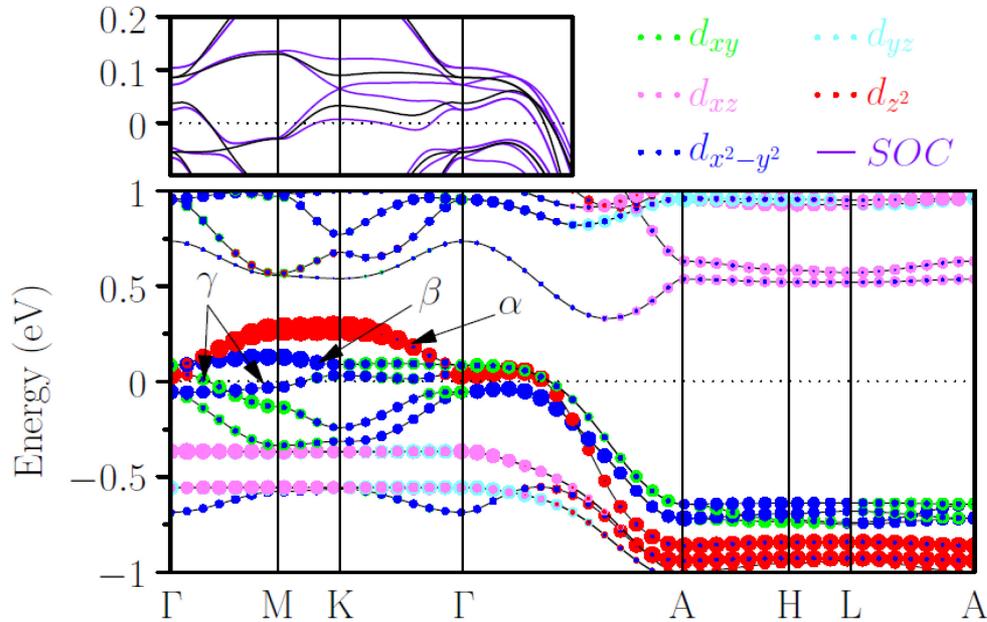
- **Strong coupling approach**

Xianxin Wu, Fan Yang, Congcong Le, Heng Fan, Jiangping Hu, arXiv:1503.06707

- **Effective Hamiltonian for a single-tube Cr₂As₃**

Hanting Zhong, Xiao-Yong Feng, Hua Chen, Jianhui Dai, arXiv:1503.08965

Extract tight-binding model from DFT



- At least **three orbitals per unit cell** are required to catch the low energy electronic features.
- A **three-orbital model** is sufficient to describe both 1D and 3D features for superconductivity.

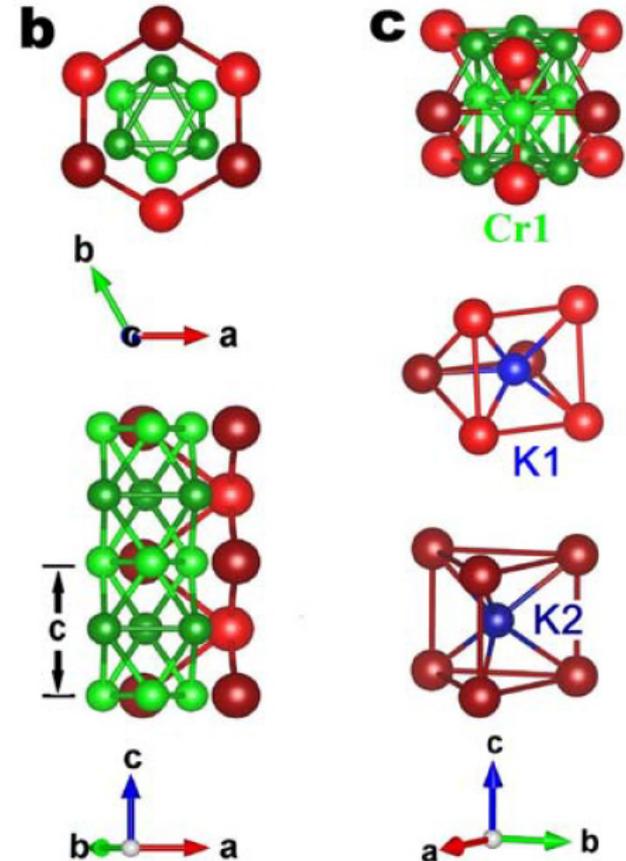
Three-orbital model

TABLE I: Character table for D_{3h} group.

$D_{3h} = D_3 \times \sigma_h(\bar{6}m2)$		E	$2C_3$	$3C_2$	σ_h	$2S_3$	$3\sigma_v$
$x^2 + y^2, z^2$	$x(x^2 - 3y^2)$	A'_1	1	1	1	1	1
	$y(3x^2 - y^2)$	A'_2	1	-1	1	1	-1
$(x^2 - y^2, xy)$	$(x, y), (xz^2, yz^2)$	E'	2	-1	2	-1	0
$yz(3x^2 - y^2)$		A''_1	1	1	-1	-1	-1
$xz(x^2 - 3y^2)$	z, z^3	A''_2	1	1	-1	-1	1
(xz, yz)	$(z(x^2 - y^2), zxy)$	E''	2	-1	-2	1	0

- Selected by the principle of symmetry.
- Too many atomic orbitals, more than 10 atomic orbitals per unit cell.
- Three relevant molecular (per Cr_6As_6 cluster) orbitals: A'_1 and E' states.
- Neglect spin-orbit coupling at first for simplicity.

Crystal: D_{3h} point group



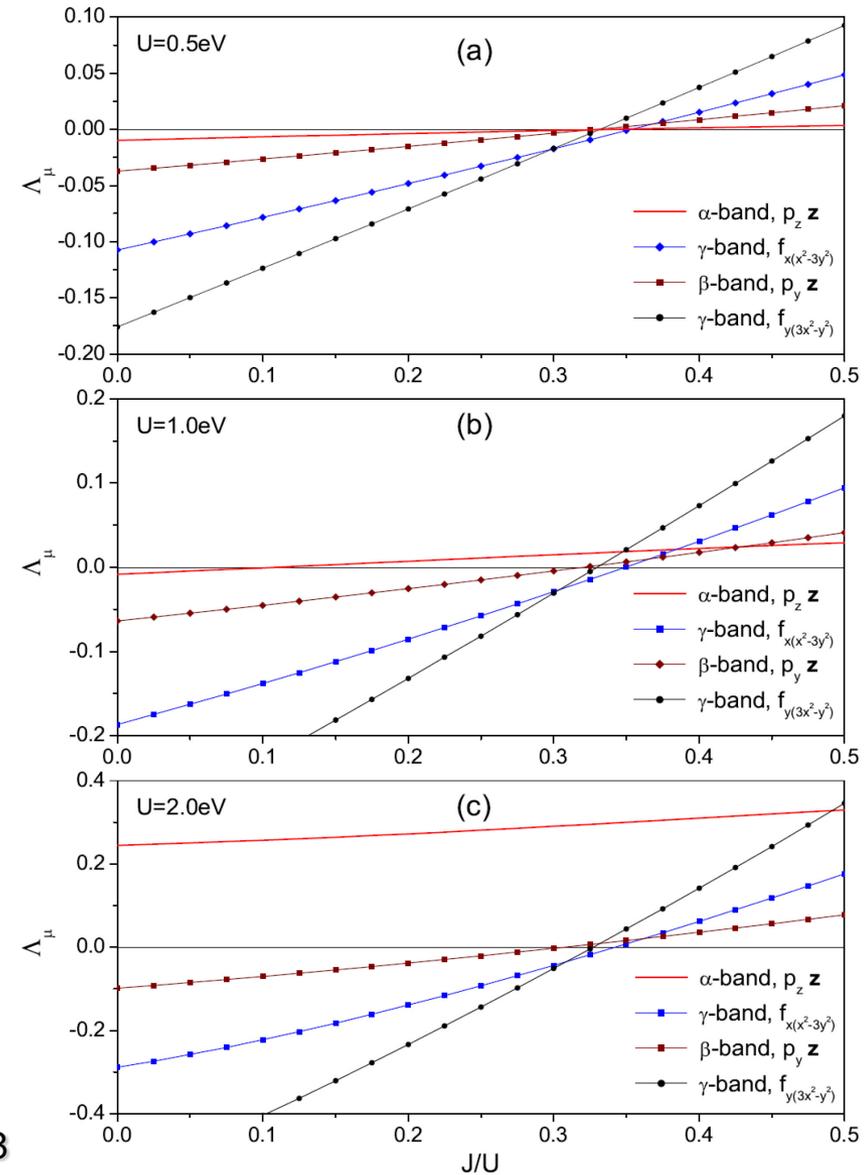
Superconducting pairing instability

Parameters:

$$U_1 = U'_1 = U, U'_2 = U_2 \text{ and } J' = J$$

The results are similar when $0.5 < J'/J < 2$.

- All the dominant states are spin-triplet states.
- For small U , the pairing arises from 3D γ -band, and has spatial f -wave symmetry when $J/U > 1/3$.
 - Driving force: Hund's coupling
 - Line nodes in the gap function
 - DOS at Fermi level at γ -band is the largest
- For large U , a fully gapped p -wave state dominates at the quasi-1D α -band.



Issues

- How the superconducting state is related to the **smectic metal** normal state?
- Superconducting instability in a single-tube $K_2Cr_3As_3$?
 - Spin-orbit coupling will mix spin-singlet and spin-triplet SC pairing through broken inversion symmetry.
 - Which component (singlet or triplet) will be more important?
- Why Rb compound exhibit different temperature dependence in $1/T_1$ from K compound in the normal state?

1D three-band Hubbard model

Hamiltonian

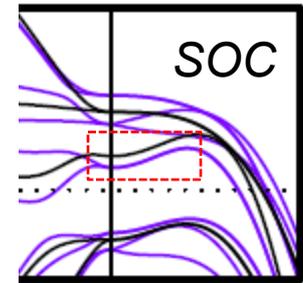
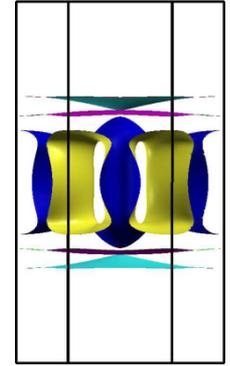
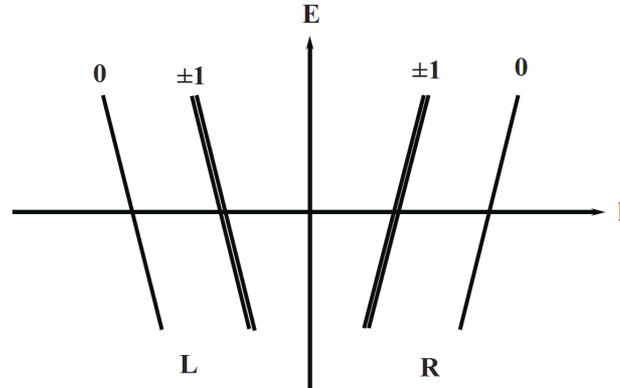
$$H^F = H_0^F + H_{int}^F$$

Non-interacting part

$$H_0^F = \sum_{km\sigma} \xi_{km} c_{km\sigma}^\dagger c_{km\sigma}$$

$m = 0$, A_1' orbital

$m = \pm 1$, degenerate E' orbitals



On-site repulsion

$$H_{int}^F = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{im} \sum_{\sigma \neq \sigma'} U n_{im\sigma} n_{im\sigma'} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i\sigma\sigma'} \sum_{m \neq m'} U' n_{im\sigma} n_{im'\sigma'} - \sum_i \sum_{m \neq m'} J \left(\vec{S}_{im} \cdot \vec{S}_{im'} + \frac{1}{4} n_{im} n_{im'} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i\sigma} \sum_{m \neq m'} J' c_{im\sigma}^\dagger c_{im\bar{\sigma}}^\dagger c_{im'\bar{\sigma}} c_{im'\sigma}$$

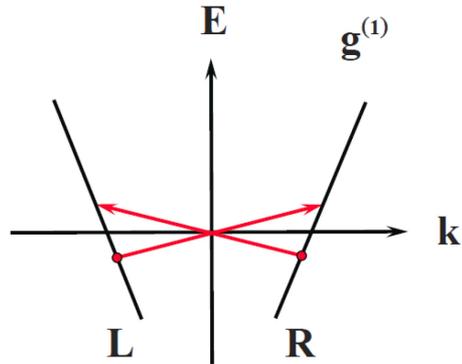
Irreducible representations for D_{3h} group $\Rightarrow U = U' + 2J$

We also set $J = J'$

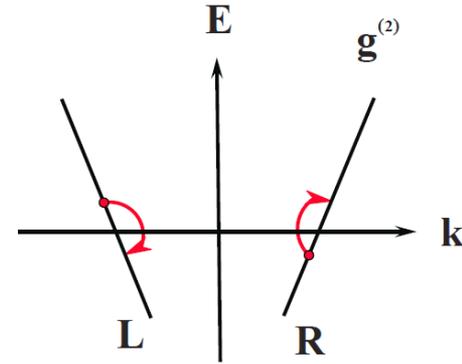
Scattering processes and “g-ology”

Single-band scattering processes

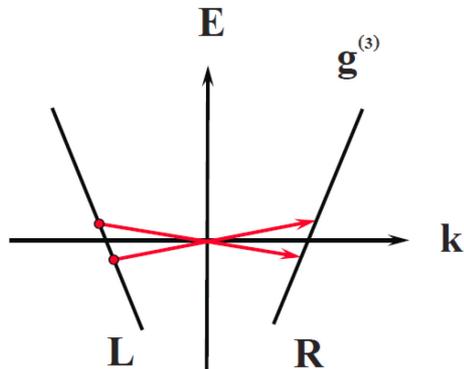
back scattering



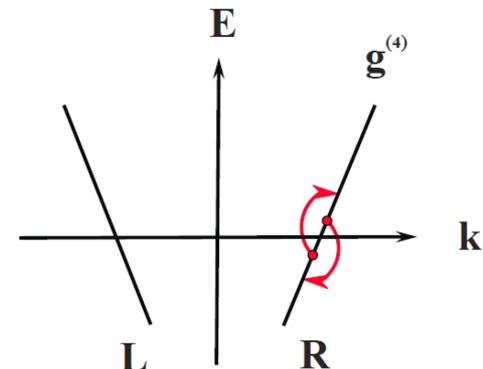
forward scattering (intra-chirality)



Umklapp scattering



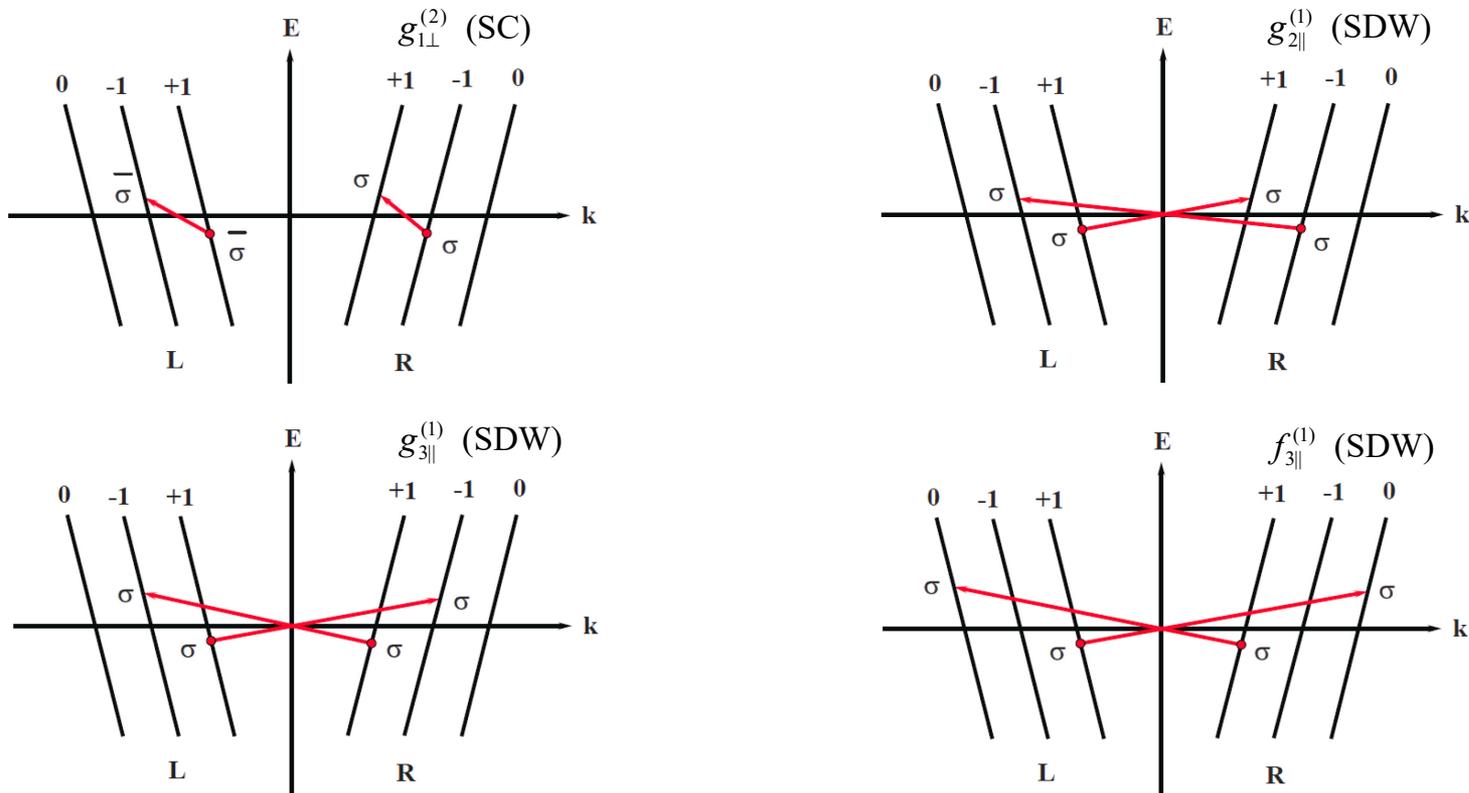
forward scattering (inter-chirality)



Three-band scattering processes

	chirality	band			spin		
$g^{(1)}$	$\psi_p^\dagger \psi_{\bar{p}}^\dagger \psi_p \psi_{\bar{p}}$	g_1	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_{\bar{m}}^\dagger \psi_m \psi_{\bar{m}}$	f_1	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_0^\dagger \psi_m \psi_0 + h.c.$	g_{\parallel}	$\psi_\sigma^\dagger \psi_{\bar{\sigma}}^\dagger \psi_\sigma \psi_{\bar{\sigma}}$
$g^{(2)}$	$\psi_p^\dagger \psi_{\bar{p}}^\dagger \psi_{\bar{p}} \psi_p$	g_2	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_{\bar{m}}^\dagger \psi_{\bar{m}} \psi_m$	f_2	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_0^\dagger \psi_0 \psi_m + h.c.$	g_{\perp}	$\psi_\sigma^\dagger \psi_{\bar{\sigma}}^\dagger \psi_{\bar{\sigma}} \psi_\sigma$
$g^{(3)}$	$\psi_p^\dagger \psi_p^\dagger \psi_{\bar{p}} \psi_{\bar{p}}$	g_3	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_m^\dagger \psi_{\bar{m}} \psi_{\bar{m}}$	f_3	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_m^\dagger \psi_0 \psi_0 + h.c.$		
$g^{(4)}$	$\psi_p^\dagger \psi_p^\dagger \psi_p \psi_p$	g_4	$\psi_m^\dagger \psi_m^\dagger \psi_m \psi_m$	g	$\psi_0^\dagger \psi_0^\dagger \psi_0 \psi_0$		

Four dominant scattering processes at incommensurate filling



Bosonization for 1D systems

Abelian bosonization

$$\psi_{pm\sigma} = \frac{\eta_{m\sigma}}{\sqrt{2\pi a}} e^{ipk_{Fm}x} e^{-ip\varphi_{pm\sigma}}$$

$$\{\eta_{m\sigma}, \eta_{m'\sigma'}\} = 2\delta_{mm'}\delta_{\sigma\sigma'}$$

Chiral and non-chiral fields

$$\varphi_{pm\sigma} = \phi_{m\sigma} - p\theta_{m\sigma}$$

$$\nabla\phi_{m\sigma} \propto n_{m\sigma} = \psi_{Rm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Rm\sigma} + \psi_{Lm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Lm\sigma}$$

$$\nabla\theta_{m\sigma} \propto j_{m\sigma} = \psi_{Rm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Rm\sigma} - \psi_{Lm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Lm\sigma}$$

Charge and spin degrees of freedom

$$\phi_{m\sigma} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\phi_{cm} + \sigma\phi_{sm})$$

$$\theta_{m\sigma} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\theta_{cm} + \sigma\theta_{sm})$$

Gauge choice for Klein factors

$$\eta_{m\sigma}\eta_{\bar{m}\sigma} = im\sigma$$

$$\eta_{m\sigma}\eta_{m\bar{\sigma}} = i\sigma$$

$$\eta_{m\sigma}\eta_{\bar{m}\bar{\sigma}} = im$$

$$\eta_{0\sigma}\eta_{m\sigma} = im\sigma$$

$$\eta_{0\sigma}\eta_{0\bar{\sigma}} = i\sigma$$

$$\eta_{0\sigma}\eta_{m\bar{\sigma}} = im$$

Non-interacting bosonic Hamiltonian

$$H_0^B = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int dx \sum_{\substack{\mu = c, s \\ \nu = 0, \pm 1}} v_{\mu\nu} \left[K_{\mu\nu} (\nabla \theta_{\mu\nu})^2 + \frac{1}{K_{\mu\nu}} (\nabla \phi_{\mu\nu})^2 \right]$$

Luttinger liquid fixed point: gives rise to smectically metallic behaviors in normal state.

Renormalized Fermi velocities and Luttinger parameters

$$v_{c(s)\pm 1} = v_F \left\{ 1 - \frac{\left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) - (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]^2}{(2\pi v_F)^2} \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$v_{c(s)0} = v_F \left\{ 1 - \frac{\left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) + 2 (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]^2}{(2\pi v_F)^2} \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$K_{c(s)\pm 1} = \left\{ \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2\pi v_F} \left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) - (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]}{1 + \frac{1}{2\pi v_F} \left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) - (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]} \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$K_{c(s)0} = \left\{ \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2\pi v_F} \left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) + 2 (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]}{1 + \frac{1}{2\pi v_F} \left[\left((+ (-) g_{4\perp}^{(2)}) + 2 (g_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + (-) g_{2\perp}^{(2)}) \right) \right]} \right\}^{1/2}$$

Interacting bosonic Hamiltonian

with all possible 13 running
coupling constants

$$\begin{aligned}
 H_{int}^B = & -g_{1\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right) \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \right) \\
 & + g_{2\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \right) \\
 & + g_{2\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right) \\
 & + g_{3\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \right) \\
 & + g_{3\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right) \\
 & + g_{4\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \right) \cos \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right) \\
 & - g_{1\perp}^{(2)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \right) \\
 & + g_{3\perp}^{(2)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \right) \cos \left(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \right) \\
 & - f_{1\perp}^{(1)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos \tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \cos \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right) \cos \tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \cos \sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + f_{3\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos \tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos \sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} \cos \tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \cos \sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
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 & + f_{3\perp}^{(2)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos \tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos \sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} \cos \tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \cos \sqrt{3}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + g_{\perp}^{(1)} \frac{2}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos \left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}} \tilde{\phi}_{s0} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Order parameters

Definition

$$O_{ph}^{ij} = \sum_{mm'\sigma\sigma'} \lambda_{mm'}^i \sigma_{\sigma\sigma'}^j \psi_{Rm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Lm'\sigma'}$$

λ^i : Gell-Mann matrices

$$O_{pp}^{ij} = \sum_{mm'\sigma\sigma'} \lambda_{mm'}^i \sigma_{\sigma\sigma'}^j \psi_{Rm\sigma}^\dagger \psi_{Lm'\bar{\sigma}'}$$

σ^j : Pauli matrices

Examples for bosonization

SDW

$$O_{ph}^{13} \propto e^{-i2k_F x + i\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{c-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{c0}\right)} \left[\cos\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \sin\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} + i(\cos \leftrightarrow \sin) \right]$$

Spin-triplet superconducting state

$$O_{pp}^{23} \propto e^{i\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\theta}_{c0}\right)} \left[\cos\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \cos\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} \cos\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} - i(\cos \leftrightarrow \sin) \right]$$

Renormalization group

Operator product expansion (OPE)

$$\frac{dg_k}{dl} = (d - \Delta_k) g_k - \sum_{ij} C_{ij}^k g_i g_j$$

tree level

one-loop

Renormalized coupling constants

$$y_i = \frac{g_i}{\pi v_F}$$

$$x_i = \frac{f_i}{\pi v_F}$$

Tree-level RG equations

$$\frac{dg_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{1}{3}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} + K_{s+1}^{-1} \right) \right] g_{1\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{2\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = [2 - (K_{c+1} + K_{s+1})] g_{2\parallel}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{2\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(K_{c+1} + \frac{1}{3}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} \right) \right] g_{2\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = [2 - (K_{c+1}^{-1} + K_{s+1}^{-1})] g_{3\parallel}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(K_{c+1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{3}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} \right) \right] g_{3\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{4\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(K_{c+1} + \frac{1}{3}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} \right) \right] g_{4\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{1\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = [2 - (K_{c+1} + K_{s+1}^{-1})] g_{1\perp}^{(2)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = [2 - (K_{c+1}^{-1} + K_{s+1})] g_{3\perp}^{(2)}$$

$$\frac{df_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{1}{4}K_{s+1} + \frac{1}{12}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} + \frac{1}{4}K_{s+1}^{-1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{s-1}^{-1} \right) \right] f_{1\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{df_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{1}{4}K_{c+1}^{-1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{c-1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{4}K_{s+1}^{-1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{s-1}^{-1} \right) \right] f_{3\parallel}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{df_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{1}{4}K_{c+1}^{-1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{c-1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{4}K_{s+1} + \frac{1}{12}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} \right) \right] f_{3\perp}^{(1)}$$

$$\frac{df_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{1}{4}K_{c+1}^{-1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{c-1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{4}K_{s+1} + \frac{3}{4}K_{s-1} \right) \right] f_{3\perp}^{(2)}$$

$$\frac{dg_{\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \left[2 - \left(\frac{4}{3}K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3}K_{s0} \right) \right] g_{\perp}^{(1)}$$

Renormalize coupling constants

$$y_i = \frac{g_i}{\pi v_F}$$

$$x_i = \frac{f_i}{\pi v_F}$$

Expanding Luttinger parameters

$$K_{\mu\nu} = 1 - y_{\mu\nu}$$

with

$$y_{c\pm 1} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(y_{4\perp}^{(2)} \right) - \left(y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + y_{2\perp}^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

$$y_{c0} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(y_{4\perp}^{(2)} \right) + 2 \left(y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} + y_{2\perp}^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

$$y_{s\pm 1} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} \right) - \left(y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} - y_{2\perp}^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

$$y_{s0} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} \right) + 2 \left(y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} - y_{2\perp}^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

Tree-level RG equations

$$\frac{dy_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = (y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} - y_{2\perp}^{(2)}) y_{1\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{2\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = -y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} y_{2\parallel}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{2\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = -y_{2\perp}^{(2)} y_{2\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} y_{3\parallel}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = (-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} + y_{2\parallel}^{(2)}) y_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{4\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = -y_{2\perp}^{(2)} y_{4\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{1\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = (y_{4\perp}^{(2)} - y_{2\perp}^{(2)}) y_{1\perp}^{(2)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = (-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} + y_{2\parallel}^{(2)}) y_{3\perp}^{(2)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = (y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} - y_{2\perp}^{(2)}) x_{1\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = y_{2\parallel}^{(2)} x_{3\parallel}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = (-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} + y_{2\parallel}^{(2)}) x_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = (-y_{4\perp}^{(2)} + y_{2\parallel}^{(2)}) x_{3\perp}^{(2)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = -y_{4\perp}^{(2)} y_{\perp}^{(1)}.$$

Relevant coupling constants

$$J < U/3 \quad x_{3\parallel}^{(1)}, y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} \text{ and } y_{1\perp}^{(2)}$$

$$J > U/3 \quad y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} \text{ and } y_{1\perp}^{(2)}$$

Fixed points (hypersurface)

$$J < U/3 \quad \begin{aligned} y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} &= y_{3\parallel}^{(1)*} \\ y_{1\perp}^{(2)} &= y_{1\perp}^{(2)*} \\ x_{3\parallel}^{(1)} &= x_{3\parallel}^{(1)*} \end{aligned}$$

$$J > U/3 \quad \begin{aligned} y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} &= y_{2\parallel}^{(1)*} \\ y_{1\perp}^{(2)} &= y_{1\perp}^{(2)*} \end{aligned}$$

- Insufficient to determine the ground state.
- One-loop correction will change these results.

One-loop RG equations (spin rotational symmetry has been applied for simplicity)

$$\frac{dy_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = - \left(y_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right)^2 - y_{2\perp}^{(1)} y_{1\perp}^{(2)} + y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} y_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{2\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = \frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} - y_{2\perp}^{(1)} y_{4\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{2\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = -\frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{2\perp}^{(1)} - y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{1\perp}^{(2)} - y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} y_{4\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = -\frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} + y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = - \left(y_{4\perp}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right) y_{3\perp}^{(1)} + y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} - y_{4\perp}^{(1)} y_{3\perp}^{(2)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{4\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = \frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{4\perp}^{(1)} - y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} y_{2\perp}^{(1)} - y_{3\perp}^{(1)} y_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{1\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = \left(y_{4\perp}^{(1)} - \frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right) y_{1\perp}^{(2)} - y_{1\perp}^{(1)} y_{2\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = \left(-y_{4\perp}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} y_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right) y_{3\perp}^{(2)} - y_{3\perp}^{(1)} y_{4\perp}^{(1)},$$

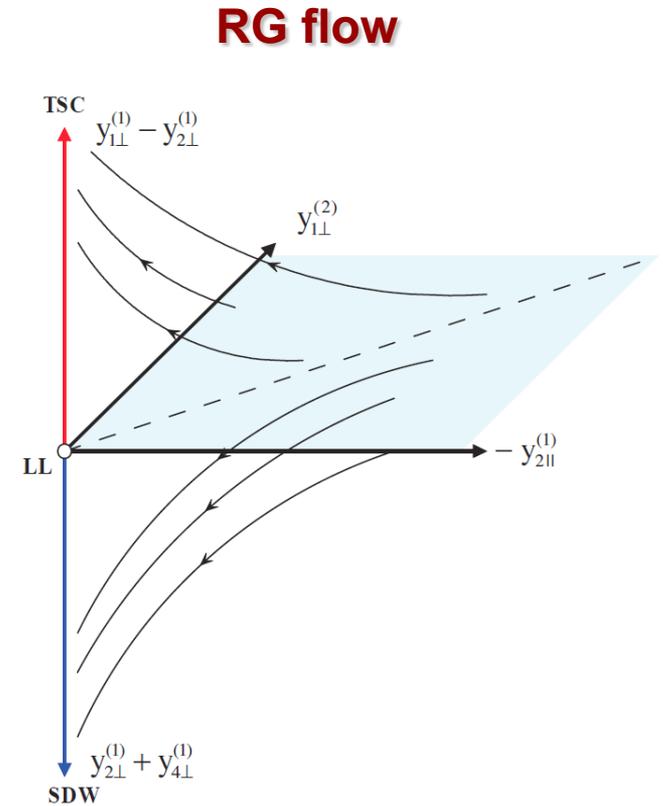
$$\frac{dx_{1\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = - \left(x_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right)^2 + x_{3\parallel}^{(1)} x_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\parallel}^{(1)}}{dl} = -\frac{1}{2} x_{1\perp}^{(1)} x_{3\parallel}^{(1)} + x_{1\perp}^{(1)} x_{3\perp}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = - \left(y_{\perp}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} x_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right) x_{3\perp}^{(1)} + x_{1\perp}^{(1)} x_{3\parallel}^{(1)},$$

$$\frac{dx_{3\perp}^{(2)}}{dl} = \left(-y_{\perp}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{2} x_{1\perp}^{(1)} \right) x_{3\perp}^{(2)},$$

$$\frac{dy_{\perp}^{(1)}}{dl} = - \left(y_{\perp}^{(1)} \right)^2.$$



Sketched RG flow for $J > U/3$

Relevant scaling field and corresponding ground states

$$J < U/3$$

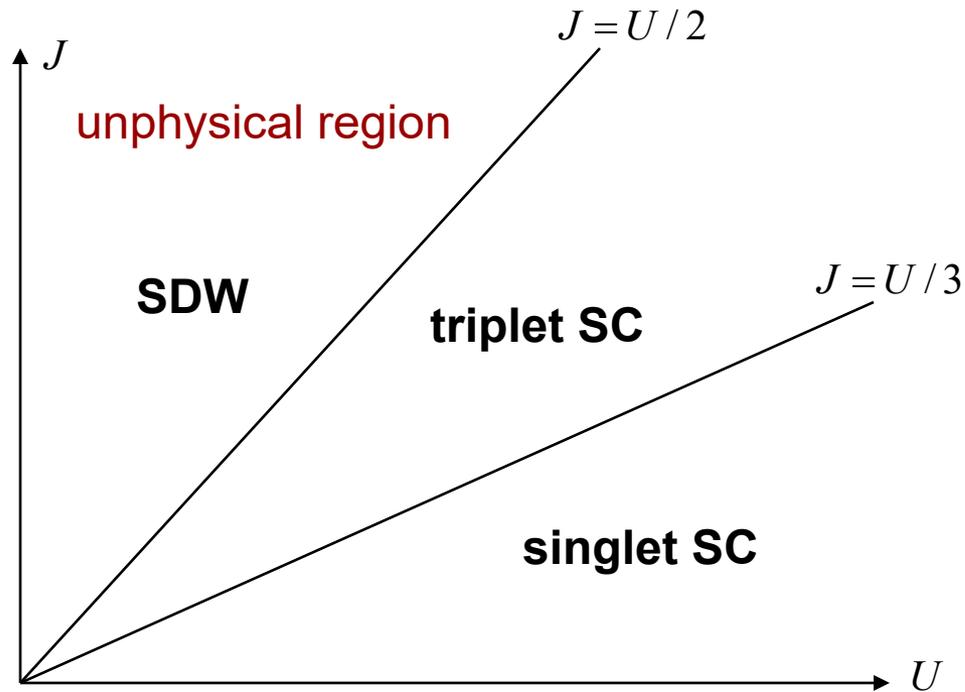
Scaling field	$x_{1\perp}^{(1)} + x_{3\perp}^{(1)}$	$y_{1\perp}^{(1)} + y_{3\perp}^{(1)}$	$y_{1\perp}^{(1)} - y_{2\perp}^{(1)}$
Instability	SDW	SDW	SSC
Order parameter	O_{ph}^{43}, O_{ph}^{63}	O_{ph}^{13}	O_{pp}^{20}
Saddle point	$\frac{1}{2}\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{12}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\frac{1}{2}\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{12}}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$ $\frac{1}{2}\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{12}}\tilde{\theta}_{s-1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$

$$J > U/3$$

Scaling field	$y_{2\perp}^{(1)} + y_{4\perp}^{(1)}$	$y_{1\perp}^{(1)} - y_{2\perp}^{(1)}$
Instability	SDW	TSC
Order parameter	$O_{ph}^{03} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}O_{ph}^{83}$	O_{pp}^{23}
Saddle point	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

Phase diagram

- Determined by initial coupling constants, say, the microscopic model.



$$U = U' + 2J$$

Normal state: TLL fixed point

NMR: Spin-lattice relaxation rate

$$\frac{1}{T_1} = A_f^2 T \sum_q \frac{\text{Im}\chi(q, \omega)}{\omega}$$

Three-band model

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{T_1} &\propto A_1 T \\ &+ A_2 T^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\left(K_{c+1} + \frac{1}{3} K_{c-1} + \frac{2}{3} K_{c0} \right) + \left(K_{s+1} + \frac{1}{3} K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3} K_{s0} \right) \right]^{-1} \\ &+ A_3 T^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[\left(\frac{4}{3} K_{c-1} + \frac{2}{3} K_{c0} \right) + \left(\frac{4}{3} K_{s-1} + \frac{2}{3} K_{s0} \right) \right]^{-1}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{C3})$$

Spin-rotational symmetric system

$$\frac{1}{T_1} \propto A T + B T^{1 - \frac{U}{2\pi v_F}}$$

$U > 0$ and $U < 0$ will result in different low temperature behaviors !

Possible superconducting ground states

$0 < J < U/3$

$y_{1\perp}^{(1)} - y_{2\perp}^{(1)}$
SSC
O_{pp}^{20}
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} = \frac{\pi}{2} (0)$

spin-singlet, odd parity,
orbital antisymmetric

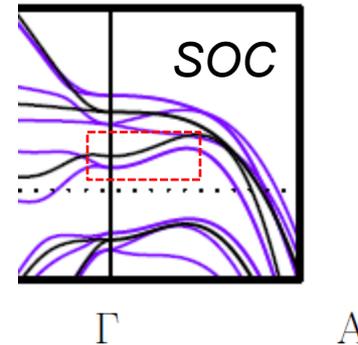
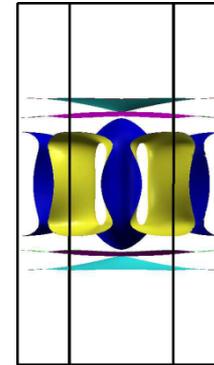
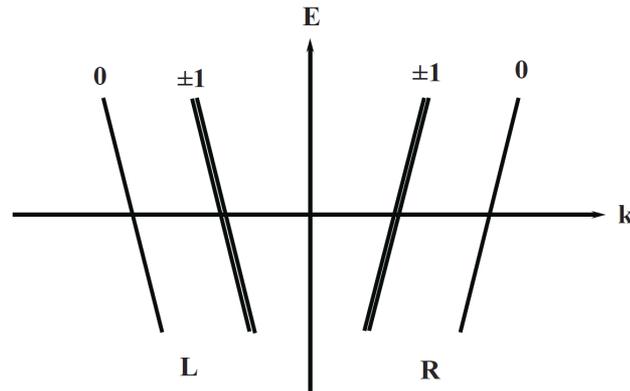
$U/3 < J < U/2$

$y_{1\perp}^{(1)} - y_{2\perp}^{(1)}$
TSC
O_{pp}^{23}
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\phi}_{c+1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ $\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} = 0 \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

spin-triplet, even parity,
orbital antisymmetric

Discussion: Lifted degeneracy

- The two-fold degenerate of E' bands will be lifted by *inter-chain coupling*.



Interacting bosonic Hamiltonian when $k_{F-1} \neq k_{F1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 H_{int}^B = & -g_{1\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1}) \\
 & + g_{2\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\Delta k_F x + 2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1}) \cos(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1}) \\
 & + g_{2\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\Delta k_F x + 2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1}) \cos\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \\
 & + g_{3\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1}) \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1}) \\
 & + g_{3\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1}) \cos\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \\
 & + g_{4\perp}^{(1)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1}) \cos\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \\
 & - g_{1\perp}^{(2)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\Delta k_F x + 2\tilde{\phi}_{c+1}) \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{s+1}) \\
 & + g_{3\perp}^{(2)} \frac{4}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos(2\tilde{\theta}_{c+1}) \cos(2\tilde{\phi}_{s+1}) \\
 & - f_{1\perp}^{(1)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \cos\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) \cos\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + f_{3\parallel}^{(1)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} \cos\tilde{\theta}_{s+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + f_{3\perp}^{(1)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} \cos\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \cos\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right) + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + f_{3\perp}^{(2)} \frac{8}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \left[\cos\tilde{\theta}_{c+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\theta}_{c-1} \cos\tilde{\phi}_{s+1} \cos\sqrt{3}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + (\cos \rightarrow \sin) \right] \\
 & + g_{\perp}^{(1)} \frac{2}{(2\pi a)^2} \int dx \cos\left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}\tilde{\phi}_{s-1} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{6}}\tilde{\phi}_{s0}\right),
 \end{aligned}$$

Fixed points (hypersurface)

$J < U/3$ **SDW** $y_{3\parallel}^{(1)} = y_{3\parallel}^{(1)*}$

SSC $y_{1\perp}^{(2)} = y_{1\perp}^{(2)*}$

SDW $x_{3\parallel}^{(1)} = x_{3\parallel}^{(1)*}$

$J > U/3$ **SDW** $y_{2\parallel}^{(1)} = y_{2\parallel}^{(1)*}$

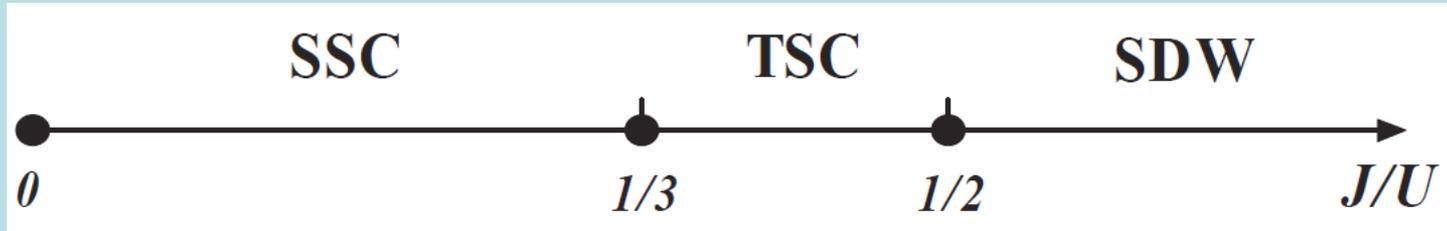
TSC $y_{1\perp}^{(2)} = y_{1\perp}^{(2)*}$

Consequences of lifted degeneracy

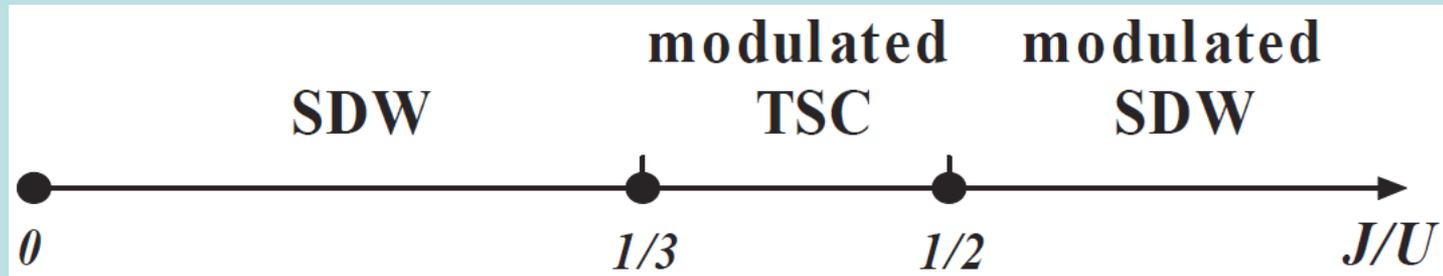
- SSC be suppressed, SDW have chance to dominate for $J < U/3$
- Interband pairing will be modulated by a phase factor
 - Possible FFLO state?
 - Unstable when the degeneracy lift becomes significant.

Phase diagrams

Degenerate bands $k_{F-1} = k_{F1}$



Nearly-degenerate bands $k_{F-1} \neq k_{F1}$



Take home message

- One-loop RG analysis to 1D three-band Hubbard model
 - Assumption 1: Two of the three bands are (nearly) **degenerate**
 - Assumption 2: Incommensurate electron filling
- Results:
 - $0 < J < U/3$, spin-singlet SC (degenerate bands) or spin density wave (non-degenerate bands)
 - $U/3 < J < U/2$, spin-triplet SC (nearly degenerate bands)
 - $J > U/2$ (unphysical region), SDW
- Possible application to superconductor $K_2Cr_3As_3$
 - Take Luttinger liquid normal state as the starting point
 - Inter-chain coupling will lift band degeneracy and SDW will dominate over SSC when $J/U < 1/3$; while TSC will always dominate over SDW when $J/U > 1/3$.
 - Inter-chain coupling will determine the spatially pairing symmetry



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Thank you !

