### Dynamical mean-field theory for lattice bosons

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### **Correlated bosons on optical lattices**

Bose - Hubbard model

$$H = \sum_{ij} t_{ij} \ b_i^{\dagger} b_j + \frac{U}{2} \sum_i n_i (n_i - 1)$$

Gersch, Knollman, 1963 Fisher et al., 1989 Scalettar, Kampf, et al., 1995 Jacksch, 1998



#### local (on-site) correlations in time



integer occupation of single site changes in time

# **Standard approximations**

- Bose-Einstein condensation treated by Bogoliubov method  $b_i = \langle b_i \rangle + \tilde{b}_i$  where  $\langle b_i \rangle \equiv \phi_i \in C$  classical variable (Bogoliubov 1947)
- Weak coupling mean-field (expansion) in U, valid for small U, average on-site density, local correlations in time neglected (Ooste, Stoof, et al., 2000)
- Strong coupling mean-field (expansion) in t, valid for small t (Freericks, Monien, 1994; Kampf, Scalettar, 1995)

Bose-Einstein condensate – Mott insulator transition

 $U \sim t$ 

intermediate coupling problem Comprehensive mean-field theory needed Like DMFT for fermions: exact and non-trivial in  $d \rightarrow \infty$  limit

### Quantum lattice particles in $d \to \infty$ limit

W. Metzner and D. Vollhardt 1989 - rescaling of hopping amplitudes for fermions

$$t_{ij} = \frac{t_{ij}^*}{(2d)^{\frac{||R_i - R_j||}{2}}}$$
 for NN  $i, j$   $t = \frac{t}{\sqrt{2d}}$ 

Not sufficient for bosons because of BEC:

One-particle density matrix at  $||R_i - R_j|| \rightarrow \infty$ 



• BEC part – constant

normal part – vanishes

The two contributions to the density matrix behave differently

## BEC and normal bosons on the lattice in $d \to \infty$ limit

1. Rescaling is made inside a thermodynamical potential (action, Lagrangian) but not at the level of the Hamiltonian operator

• normal parts: 
$$t_{ij} = \frac{t_{ij}^*}{(2d)^{\frac{||R_i - R_j||}{2}}}$$
 - quantum rescaling  
• BEC parts:  $t_{ij} = \frac{t_{ij}^*}{(2d)^{\frac{||R_i - R_j||}{2}}}$  - classical rescaling

2. Limit  $d \to \infty$  taken afterwards in this effective potential

Only this procedure gives consistent derivation of B-DMFT equations as exact ones in  $d \rightarrow \infty$  limit for boson models with local interactions

# **Bosonic-Dynamical Mean-Field Theory**

- Exact mapping of the lattice bosons in infinite dimension onto a single site
- Single site coupled to two reservoirs: normal bosons and bosons in the condensate
- Reservoirs properties are determined self-consistently, local correlations kept



#### **Application for Bose-Hubbard model**

(i) Lattice self-consistency equation (exact in  $d \to \infty$ )

(iii) Generalized Gross-Pitaevskii eq. (exact in  $d \to \infty$ )

 $\partial_{\tau}\bar{\phi}(\tau) - \int_{0}^{\beta} d\tau' \widehat{\Delta}(\tau - \tau')\bar{\phi}(\tau') + \kappa\bar{\phi}(\tau) + U|\bar{\phi}(\tau)|^{2}\bar{\phi}(\tau) = \mu\bar{\phi}(\tau)$ 

$$\widehat{\mathcal{G}}^{-1}(i\omega_n) = \widehat{G}^{-1}(i\omega_n) + \widehat{\Sigma}(i\omega_n) = \begin{pmatrix} i\omega_n - \mu & 0\\ 0 & -i\omega_n - \mu \end{pmatrix} - \widehat{\Delta}(i\omega_n)$$

## **Application for Bose-Falicov-Kimball model**

Binary mixture of itinerant (b) and localized (f) bosons on the lattice

$$H = \sum_{ij} t_{ij} \ b_i^{\dagger} b_j + \epsilon_f \sum_i f_i^{\dagger} f_i + U \sum_i n_{bi} n_{fi} + U_{ff} \sum_i n_{fi} n_{fi}$$

Local conservation law  $[n_{fi}, H] = 0$  hence  $n_{fi} = 0, 1, 2, ...$  classical variable B-DMFT: local action Gaussian and analytically integrable



### Enhancement of $T_{BEC}$ due to interaction

Hard-core f-bosons  $U_{ff} = \infty$ ;  $n_f = 0, 1$ ;  $0 \le \bar{n}_f \le 1$ 



$$\bar{n}_b = \bar{n}_b^{BEC} + \int d\omega \; \frac{A_b(\omega + \mu_b)}{e^{\omega/T} - 1}$$

Normal part decreases when U increases for constant  $\mu_b$  and T

# **Summary and Outlook**

- Formulated Bosonic Dynamical Mean-Field Theory (B-DMFT)
  - comprehensive mean-field theory
  - conserving and thermodynamically consistent
  - exact in  $d \to \infty$  limit due to new rescaling
- B-DMFT equations for Bose-Hubbard model
- B-DMFT solution for Bose-Falicov-Kimball model
  - Enhancement of  $T_{BEC}$  due to correlations
  - Mixture of  ${}^{87}$ Rb (f-bosons) and  ${}^{7}$ Li (b-bosons) may have larger  $T_{BEC}$  on optical lattices
- Spinor bosons, bose-fermi mixture within B-DMFT or density like LRO easy to include within B-DMFT

