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# Bad metals and more

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# Bad metals



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*Bad metallic transport in a cold atom Fermi-Hubbard system*

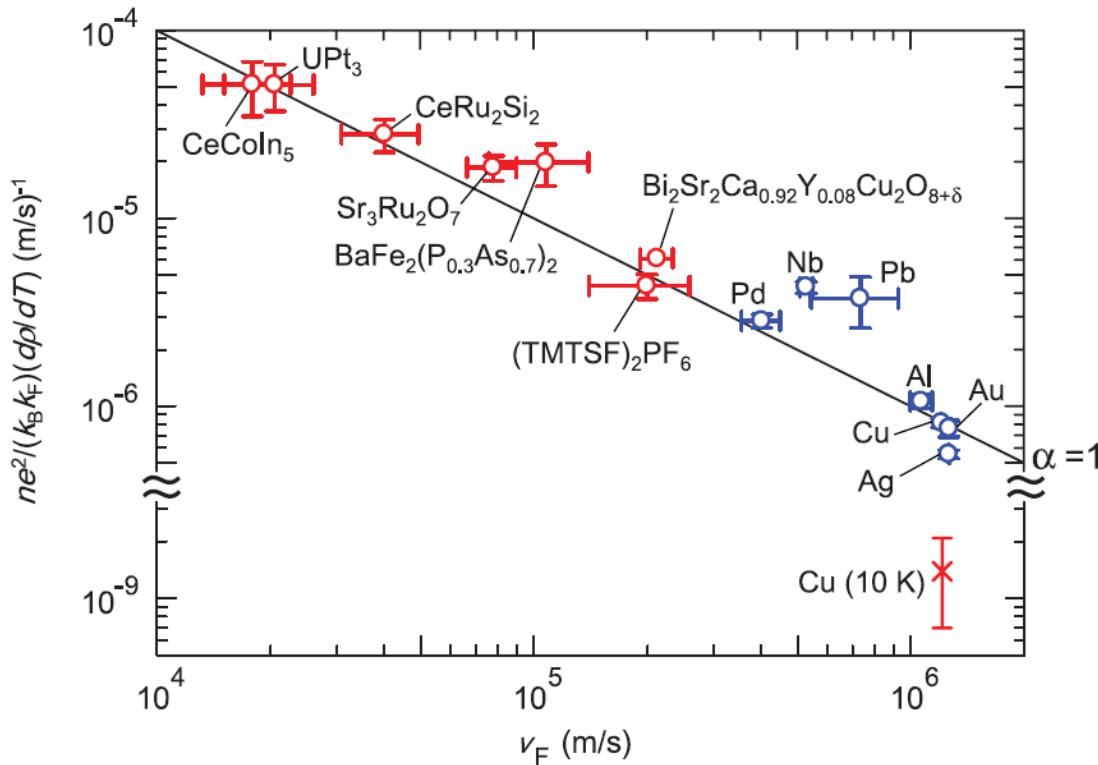
Science [10.1126/science.aat4134](https://doi.org/10.1126/science.aat4134) (2018).

# Motivation

$$\hbar/\tau = k_B T$$

$$(T\tau)^{-1} \sim ak_B/\hbar$$

$$\rho = (m^*/ne^2) (1/\tau)$$

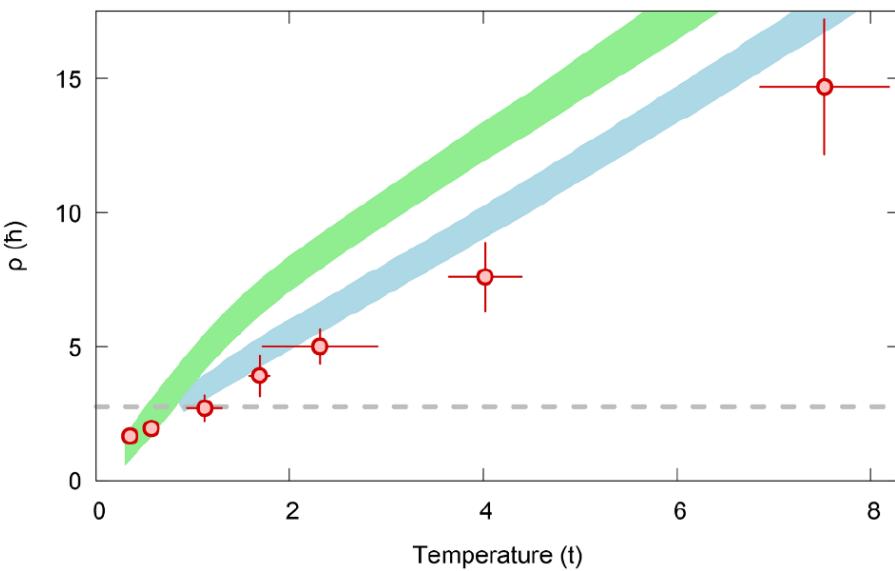


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# Cold atoms, high temperature

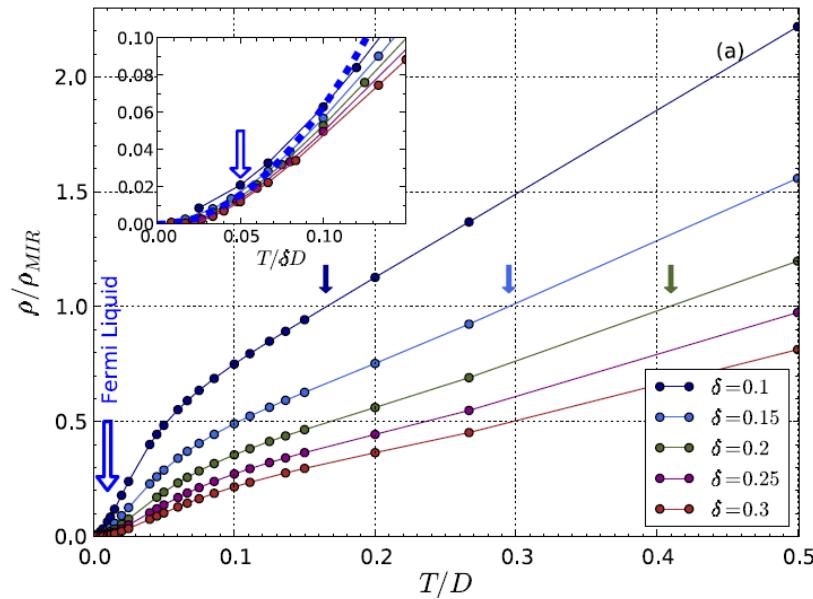
# Linear resistivity at high temperature

DMFT (Green), FTLM (Blue)



$$U = 7.5t, \quad n = 0.825, \quad t' = 0$$

Deng *et al.* PRL 110, 086401 (2013)



$$U = 4D = 16t$$

H. Terletska, *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. 107, 026401 (2011).

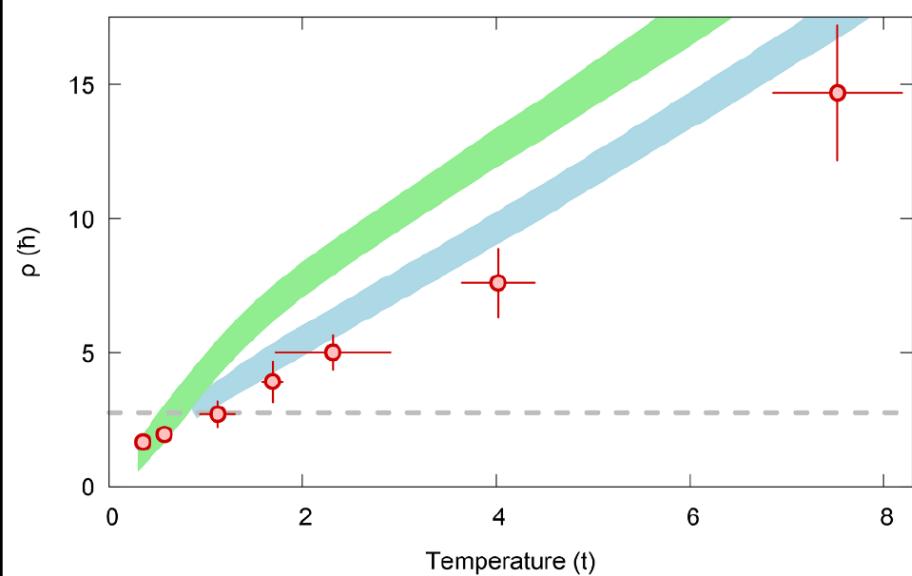
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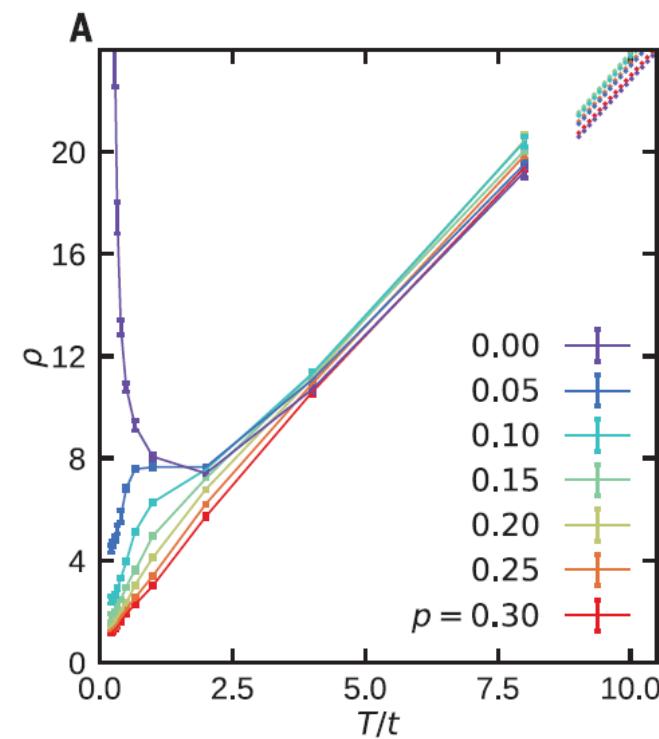
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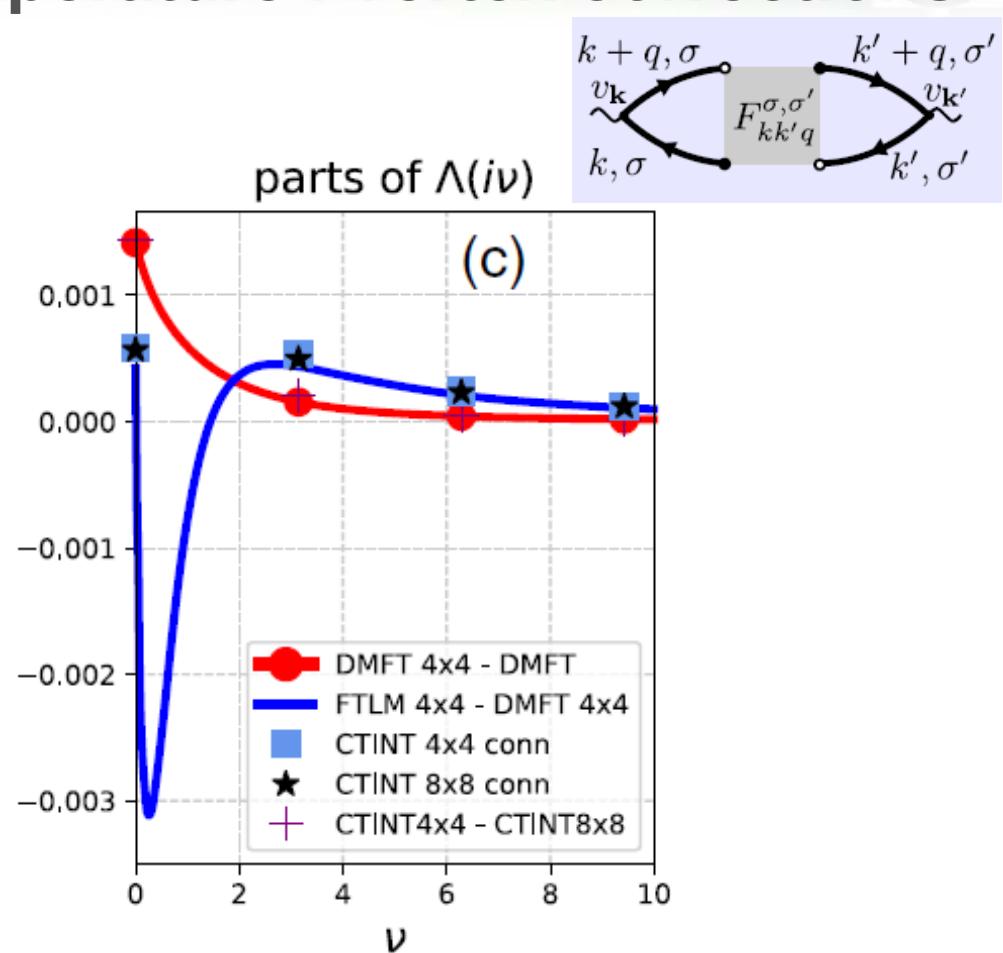
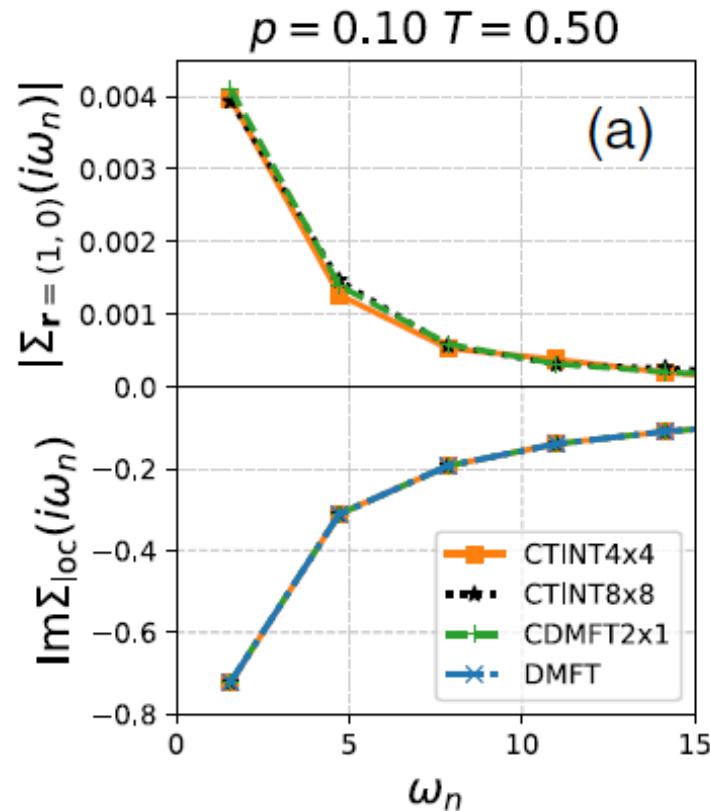
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Huang et al. Science 366, 987 (2019)

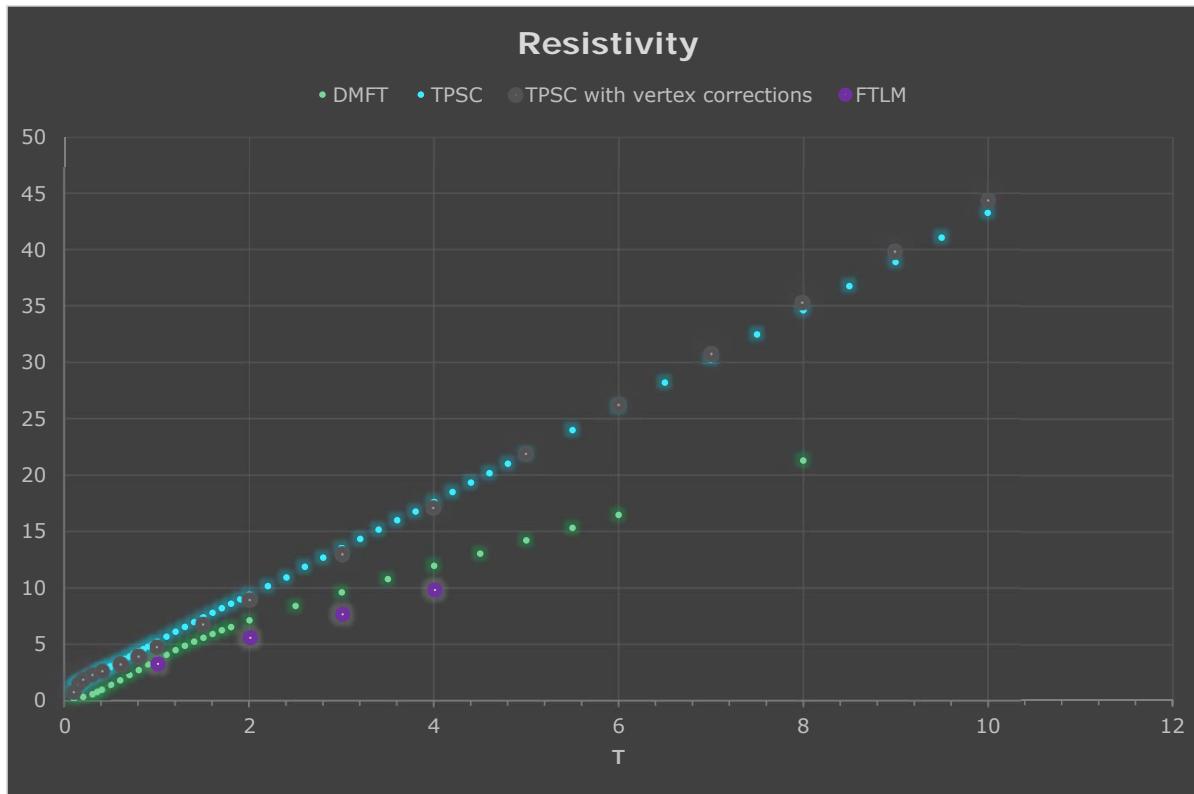
$$U = 6t, \quad t' = -0.25$$

# Linear resistivity at high temperature : vertex corrections



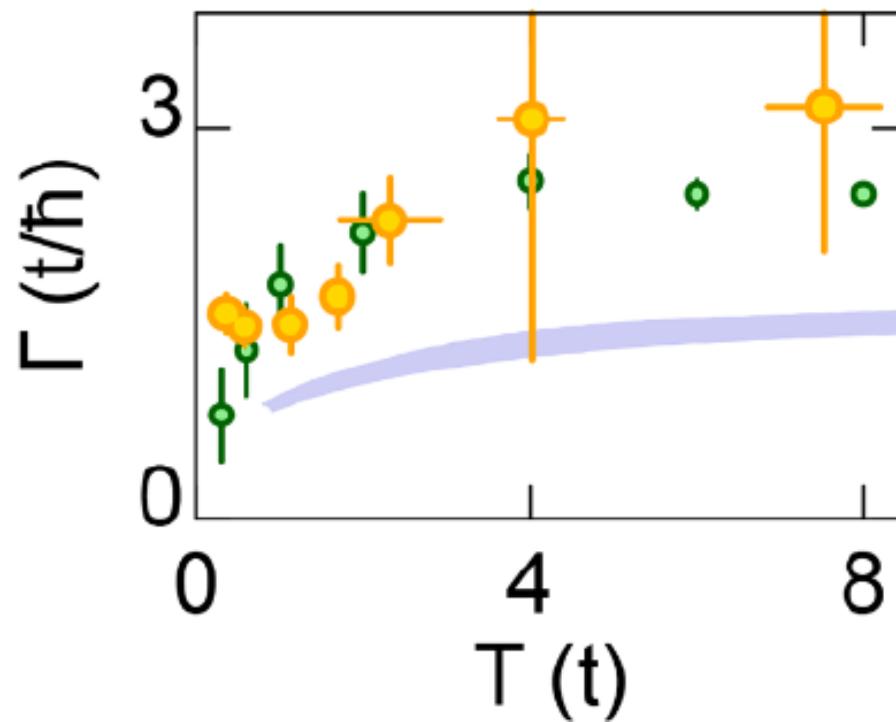
J. Vučičević *et al.* PRL 123, 036601 (2019)

# Another view of vertex corrections (TPSC)



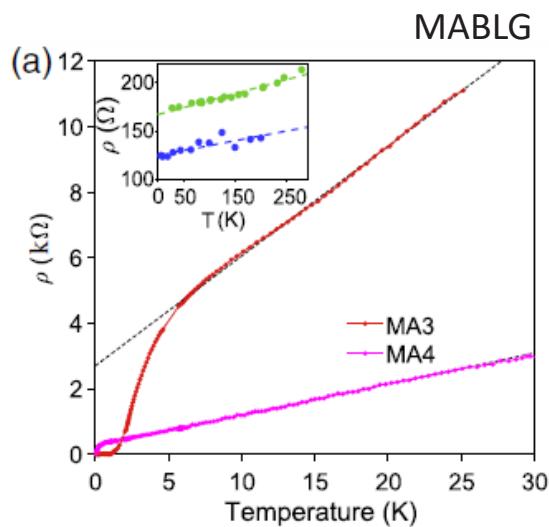
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## Unexplained : Width of the Drude Peak



# Perspective

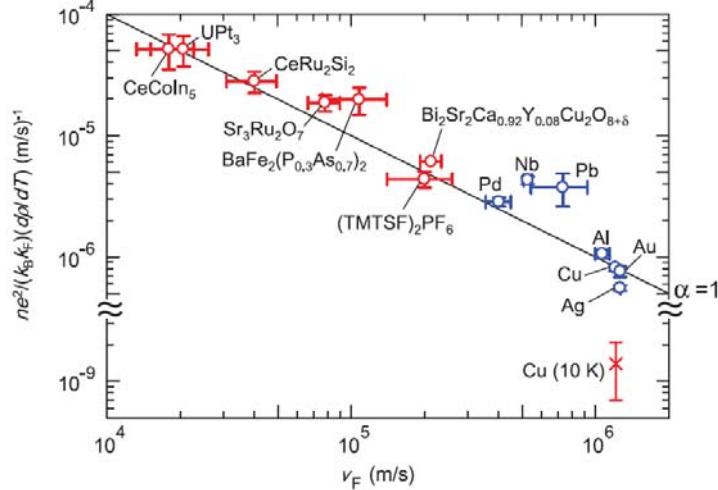
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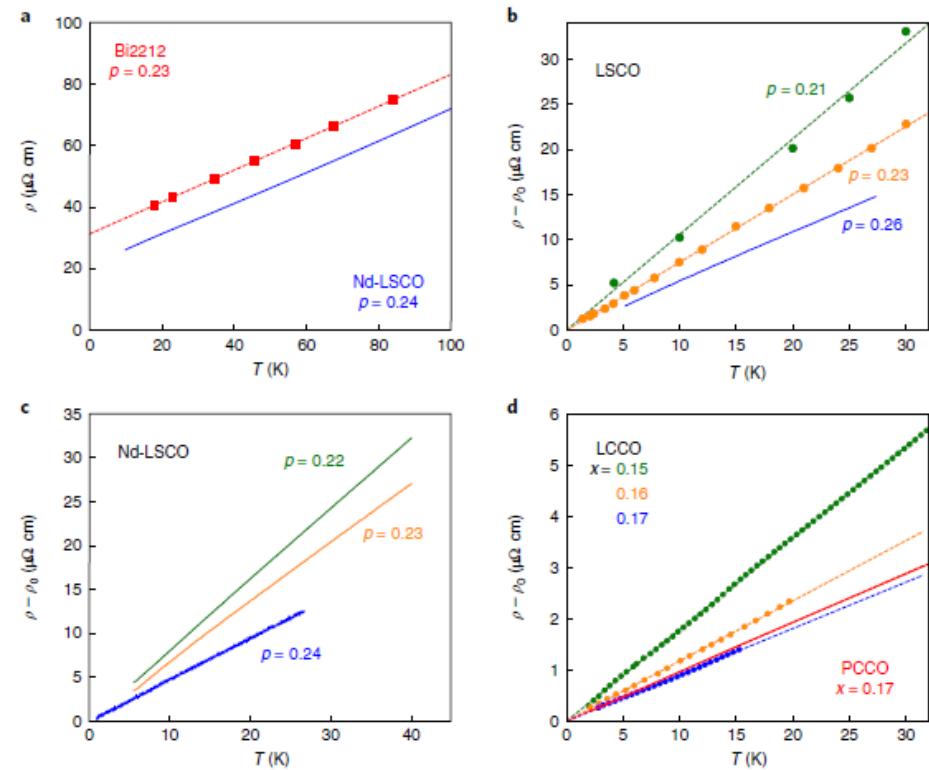
Cao *et al.* PRL 124, 076801 (2020)

# Low temperature ( $k_B T \ll E_F$ ) experiments

## Cuprates



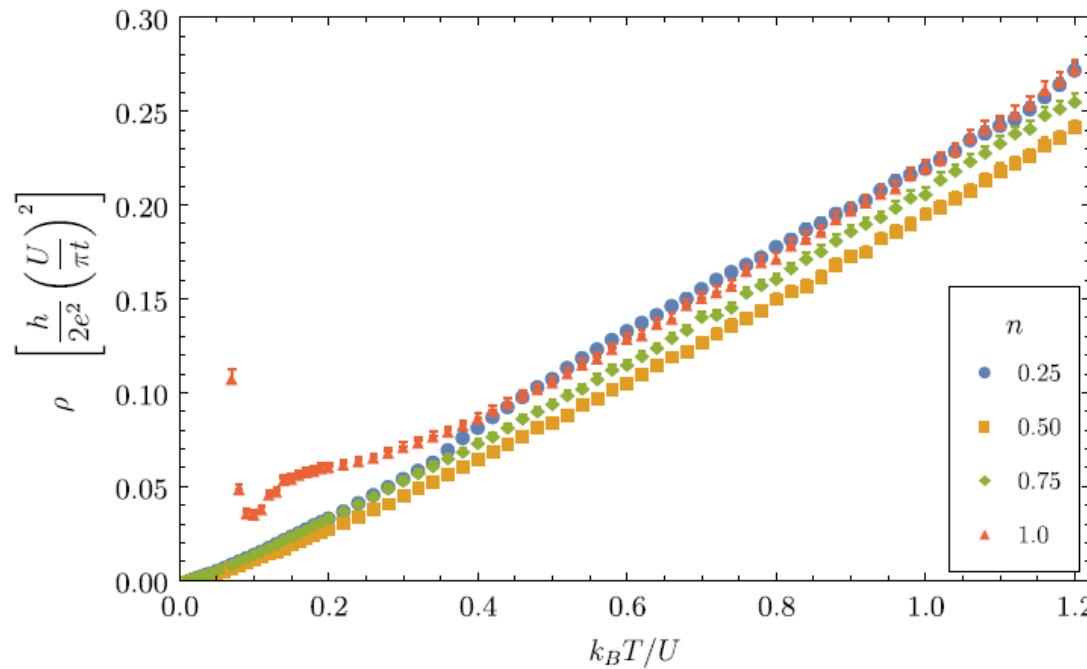
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A. Legros *et al.* Nature Physics (2018)

# Modified Hubbard model

$$H = t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle, s} c_{is}^\dagger c_{js} + U \sum_i n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow} + \frac{V}{2} \sum_{i \neq j} e^{-|\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j|/\ell} n_i n_j.$$

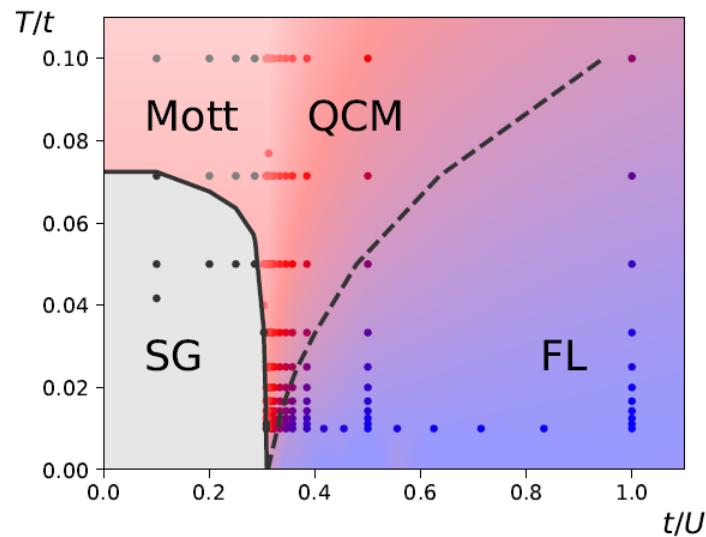


Mousatov *et al.* PRL **122**, 186601 (2019)

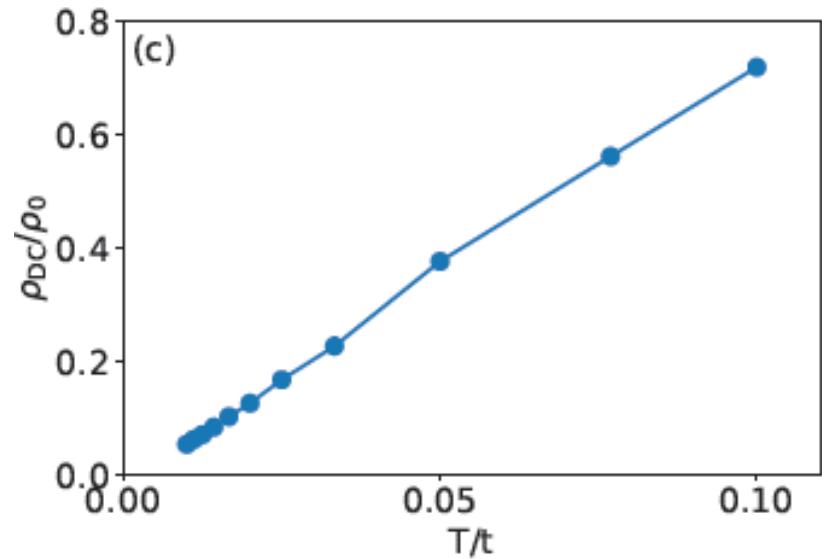
$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{V} &= 0.1U \\ t \ll k_B T &\lesssim U \end{aligned}$$

# SYK like models (similar to DMFT at high T)

$$H = - \sum_{\langle ij \rangle, s=\uparrow,\downarrow} t_{ij} c_{is}^\dagger c_{js} + U \sum_i n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow} - \sum_{i < j} \frac{J_{ij}}{\sqrt{N}} \vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j$$



P. Cha *et al.* arXiv:2002.07181

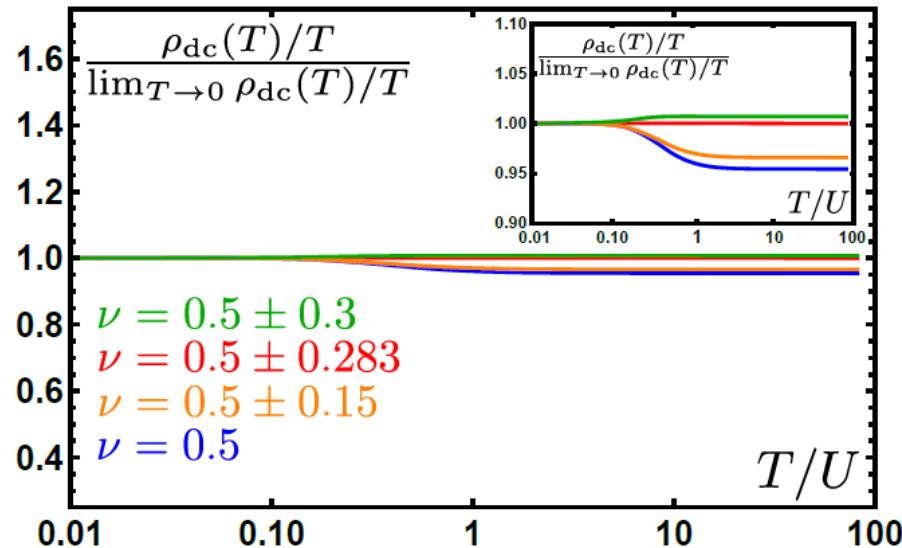


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- S. A. Hartnoll, A. Lucas, and S. Sachdev, *Holographic Quantum Matter* (MIT Press, Cambridge, MA, 2018).

# SYK like models (similar to DMFT at high T)

« Slope invariance »



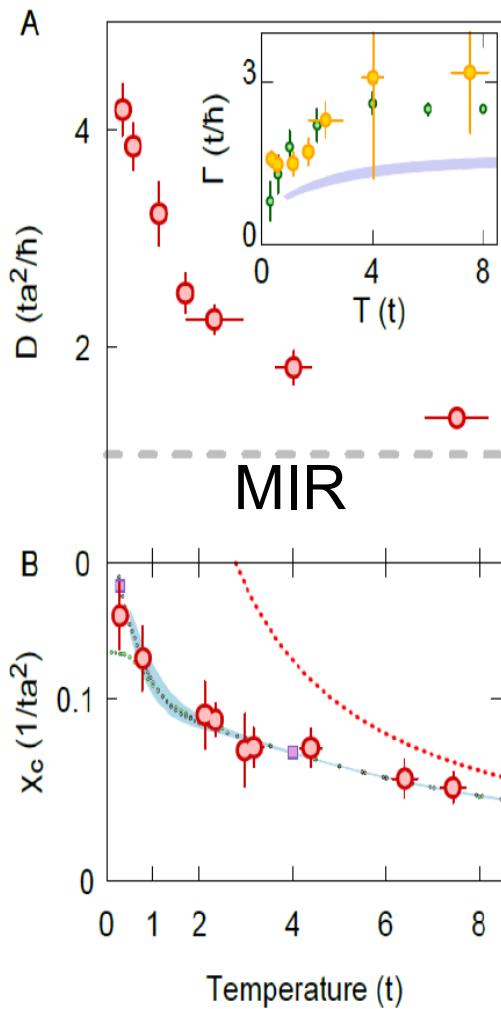
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Back to high temperature :  
Why linear?



# Linear at high temperature, but not because of scattering



$$\sigma = \chi_c D$$

J. Kokalj, Phys. Rev. B 95, 041110(R) (2017)

$$D \gtrsim ta^2 / \hbar$$

$$\chi_c \sim n(1 - n/2)/T.$$

E. Perepelitsky, et al. Phys. Rev. B 94, 235115 (2016).

## General Case

$$\sigma_{xx}(0) = \frac{\hbar}{k_B T} \sum_{n,m} \frac{e^{-\beta E_n}}{Z} \langle n | j_x | m \rangle \langle m | j_x | n \rangle \pi \delta(E_m - E_n)$$

Mukerjee *et al.* PRB **73**, 035113 (2006)

P. Cha *et al.* arXiv:1910.07530

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# Entanglement entropy and mutual information near the Mott transition



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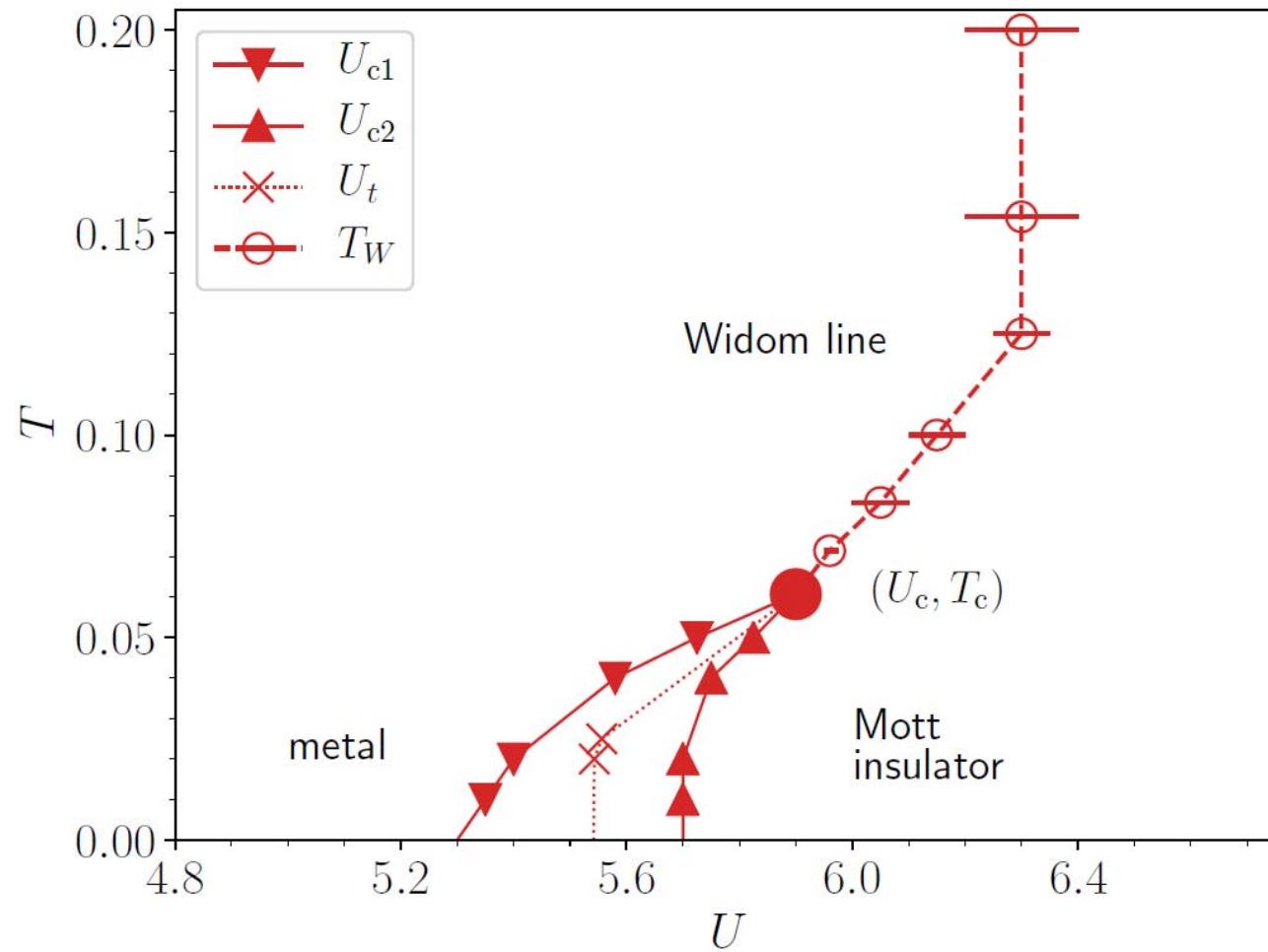
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C. Walsh, *et al.*  
Phys. Rev. Lett. **122**, 067203 (2019)  
Phys. Rev. B **99**, 075122 (2019)

# The Mott transition at half-filling

C. Walsh, et al. PRB **99**, 075122 (2019)

H. Park, et al. PRL **107**, 137007 (2011).



# Motivation

PHYSICAL REVIEW X 7, 031025 (2017)

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## Measuring Entropy and Short-Range Correlations in the Two-Dimensional Hubbard Model

E. Cocchi,<sup>1,2</sup> L. A. Miller,<sup>1,2</sup> J. H. Drewes,<sup>1</sup> C. F. Chan,<sup>1</sup> D. Pertot,<sup>1</sup> F. Brennecke,<sup>1</sup> and M. Köhl<sup>1</sup>

First-order nature of the transition,  
universality class of the end point,  
crossovers emanating from the end point.

For quantum critical or finite temperature critical points

- A. Anfossi *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. **95**, 056402 (2005).
- L. Amico *et al.* Europhys. Lett. **77**, 17001 (2007).
- L. Amico *et al.* Rev. Mod. Phys. **80**, 517 (2008).
- D. Larsson *et al.* Phys. Rev. A **73**, 042320 (2006).
- D. Larsson *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. **95**, 196406 (2005).

# Single-site entanglement entropy



## What is measured (Using CDMFT CT-HYB on plaquette)

- Single site entanglement entropy for fermions [1]

$$\rho_A = \text{Tr}_B[\rho_{AB}] \quad s_A = -\text{Tr}_A[\rho_A \ln \rho_A]$$

$$\rho = \text{diag}(p_0, p_\uparrow, p_\downarrow, p_{\uparrow\downarrow}) \quad s_1 = -\sum_i p_i \ln(p_i)$$

$$p_{\uparrow\downarrow} = \langle n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow} \rangle \quad p_\uparrow = p_\downarrow = \langle n_{i\uparrow} - n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow} \rangle \quad p_0 = 1 - 2p_\uparrow - p_{\uparrow\downarrow}$$

[1] P. Zanardi *et al.* Phys. Rev. A **65**, 042101 (2002).

# What is measured

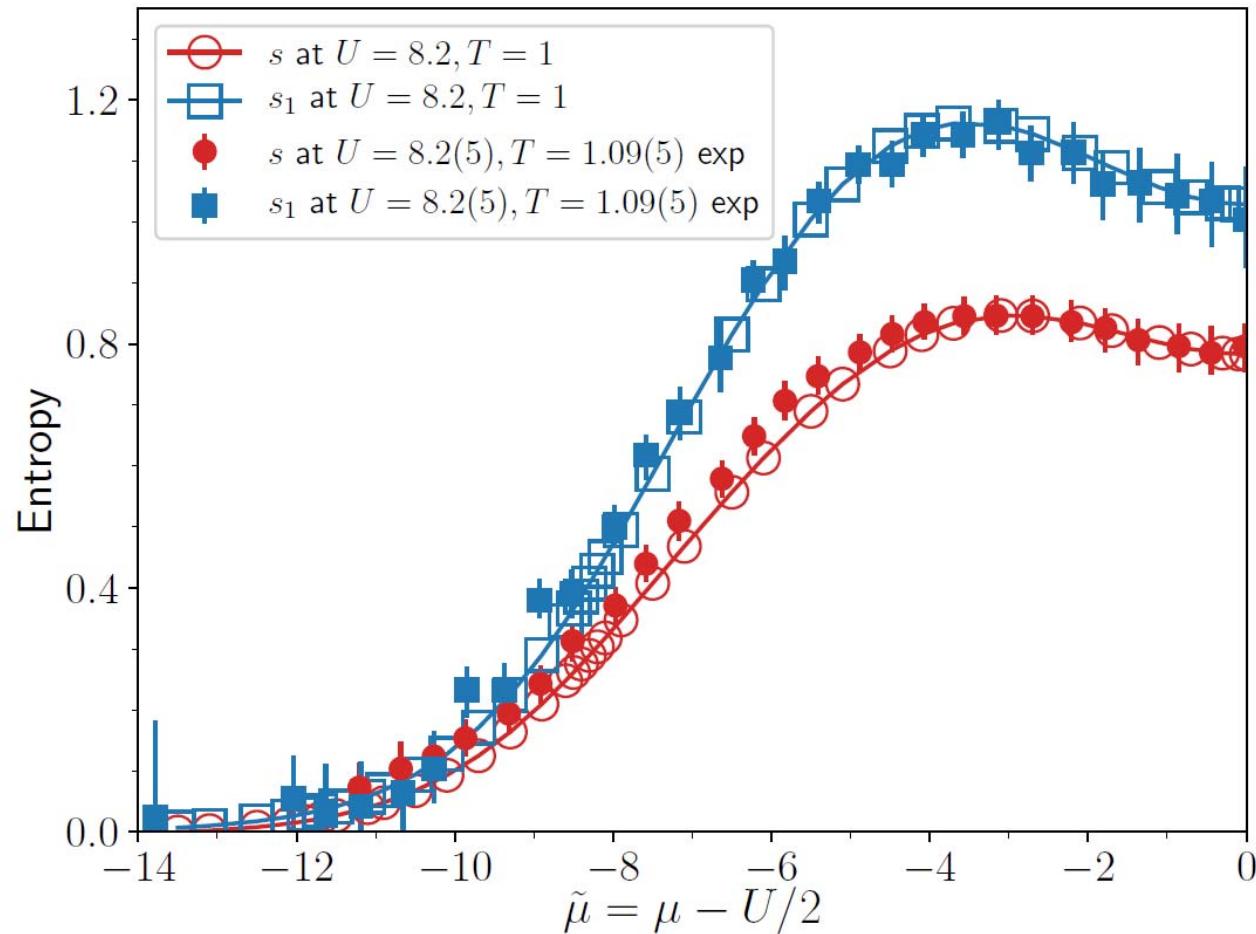
- Entropy

$$sdT - adP + nd\mu = 0$$

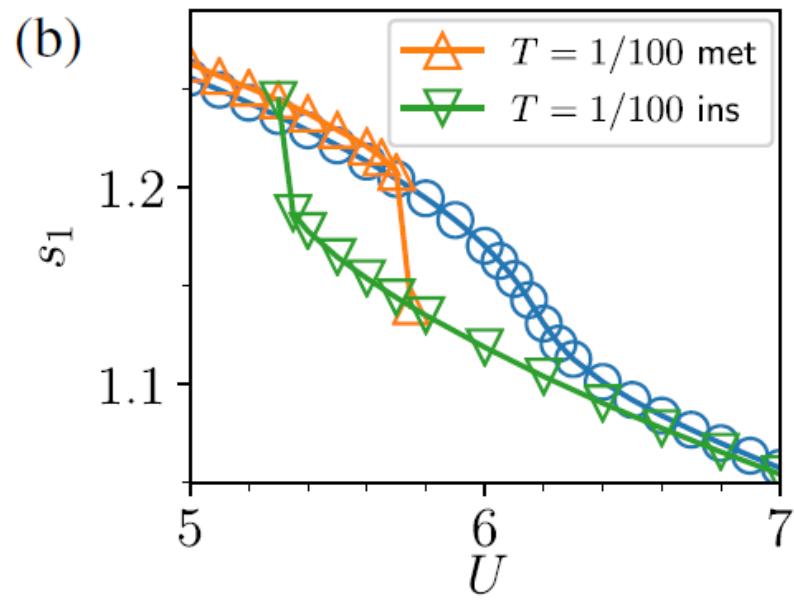
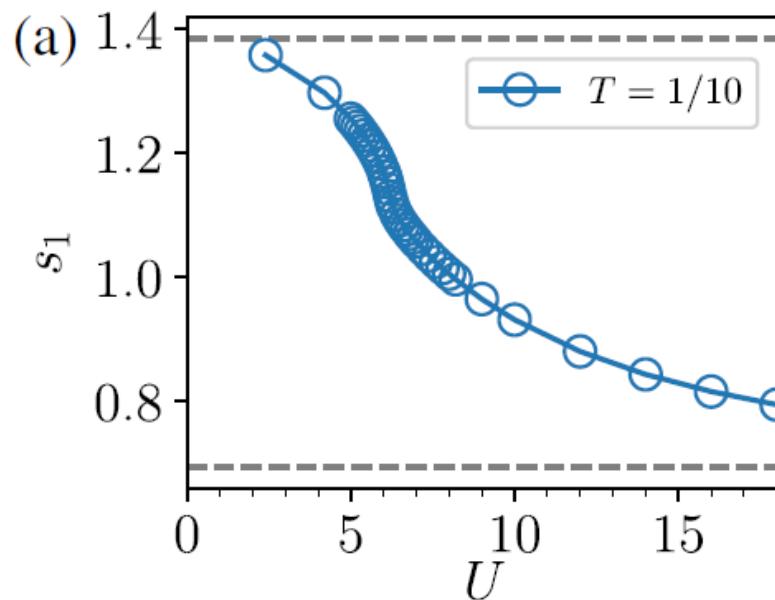
$$P(T)_U = \frac{1}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{U/2} n(\mu, T) d\mu$$

$$s = a(dP/dT)_\mu$$

# Agreement with experiment

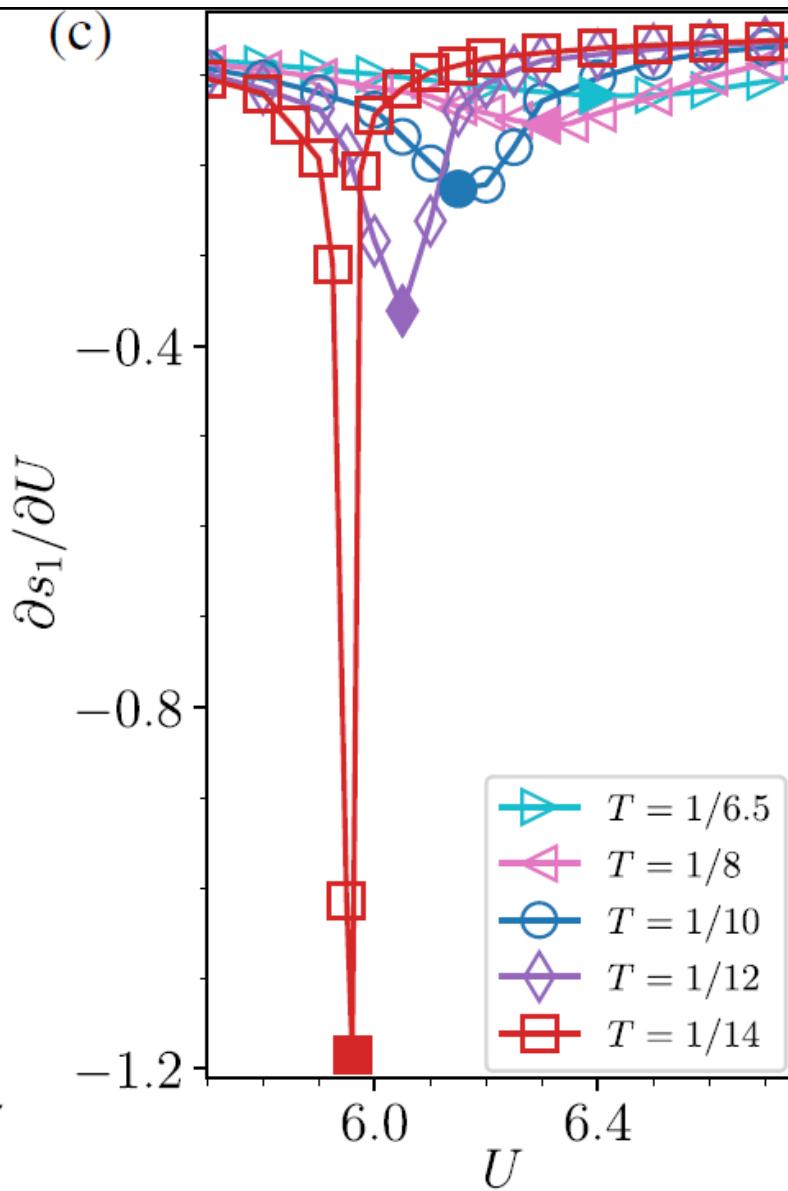


# Results



$$\partial s_1 / \partial T < 0$$

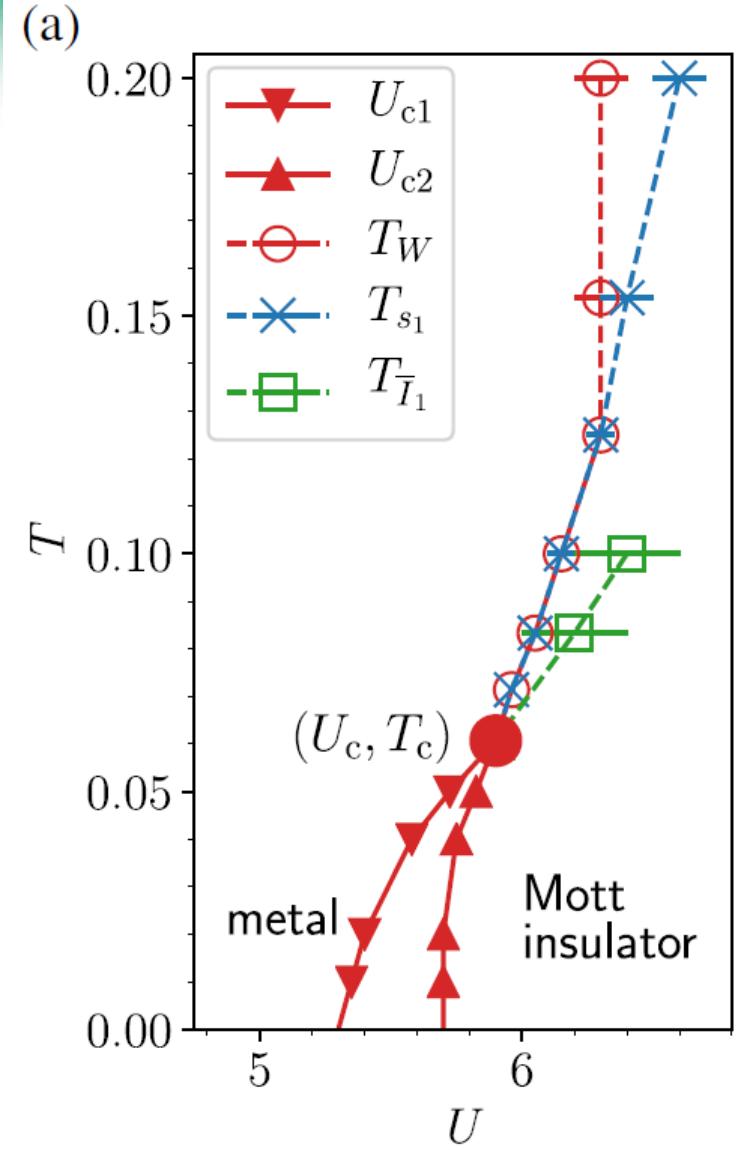
## Results



$$(\partial s_1 / \partial D)(\partial D / \partial U)$$

$$\partial D / \partial U \sim -|U - U_c|^{-1+1/\delta}$$

# Transition and crossovers



# From single-site entanglement entropy

- The Mott transition,
- Critical exponent (not usually the case)
- Associated high-temperature crossovers,
  - Without knowledge of the order parameter of the transition

# Mutual information



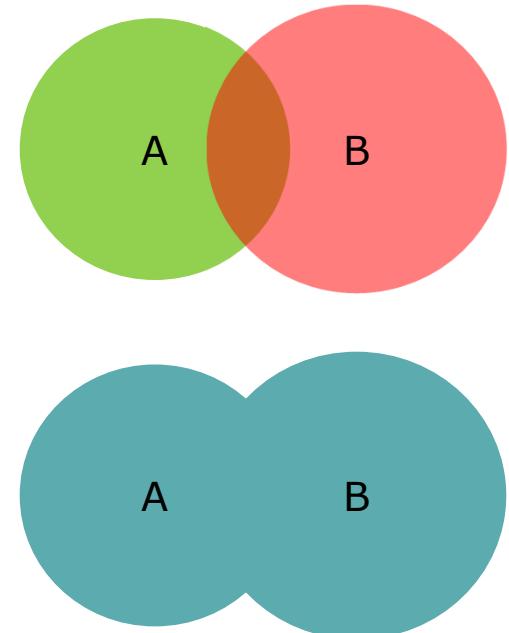
# Mutual information

$$I(A:B) = s_A + s_B - s_{AB}$$

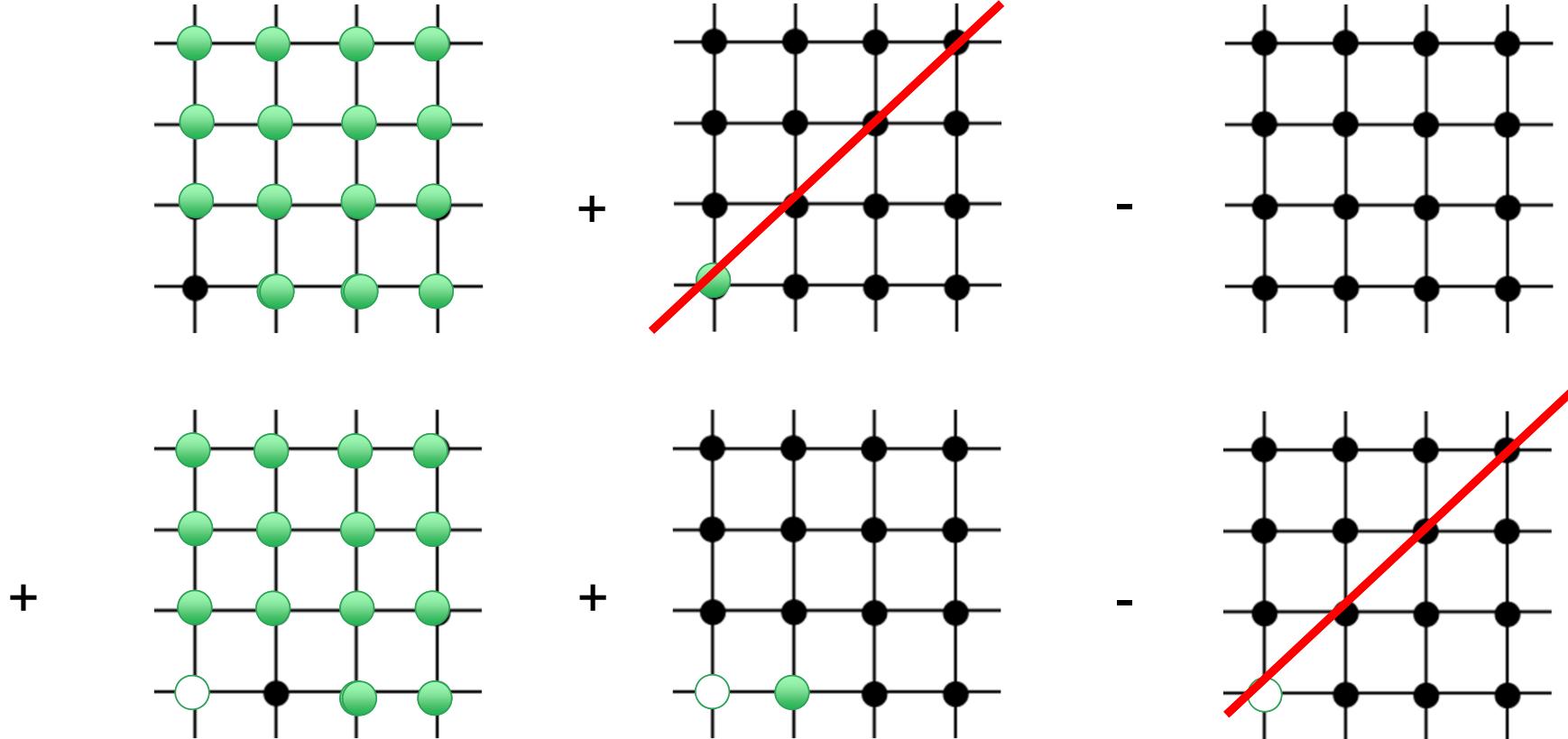
Here we are *not* looking at the area law

What is measured experimentally

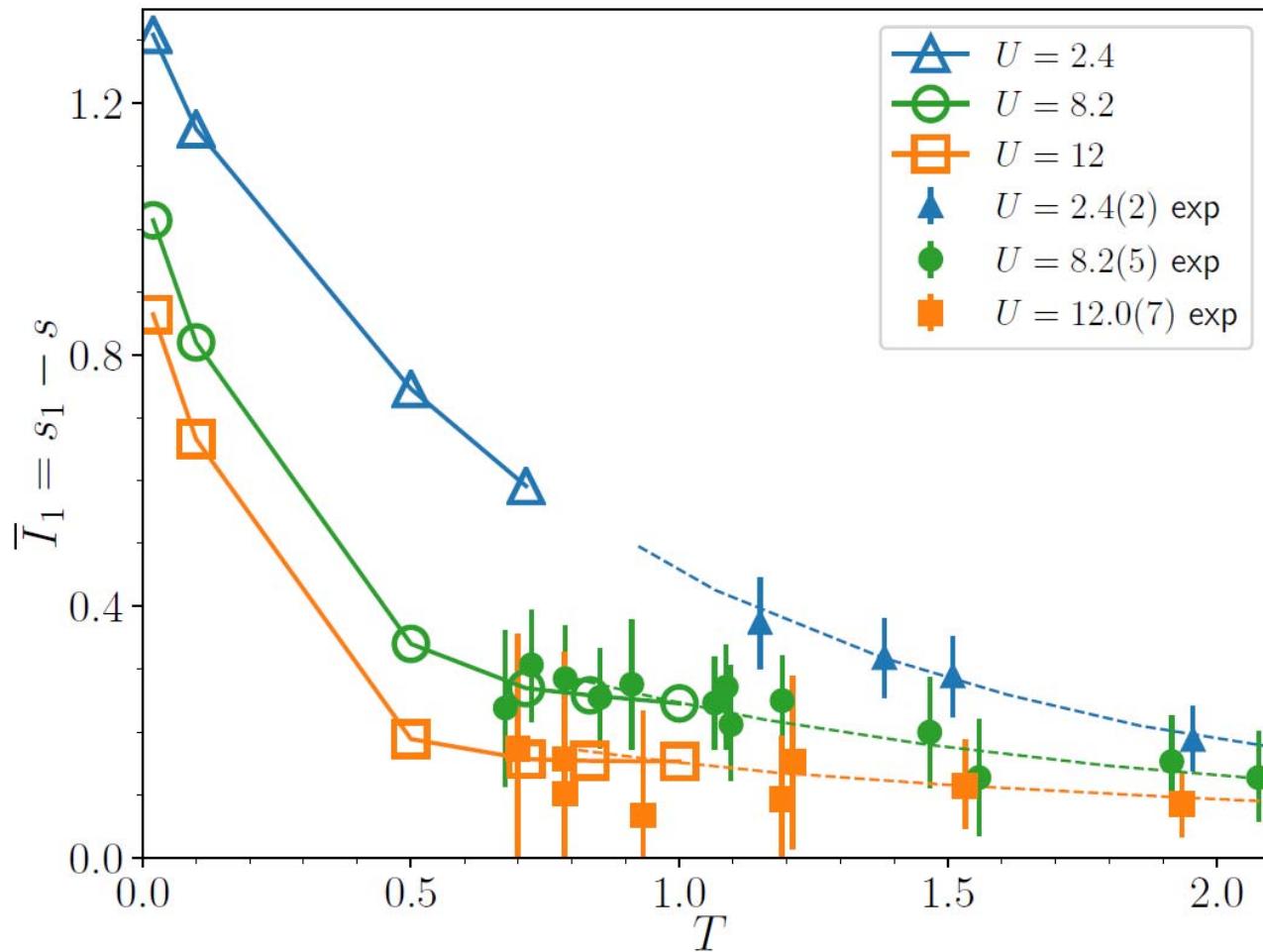
$$\bar{I}_1 = s_1 - s.$$



# Total mutual information

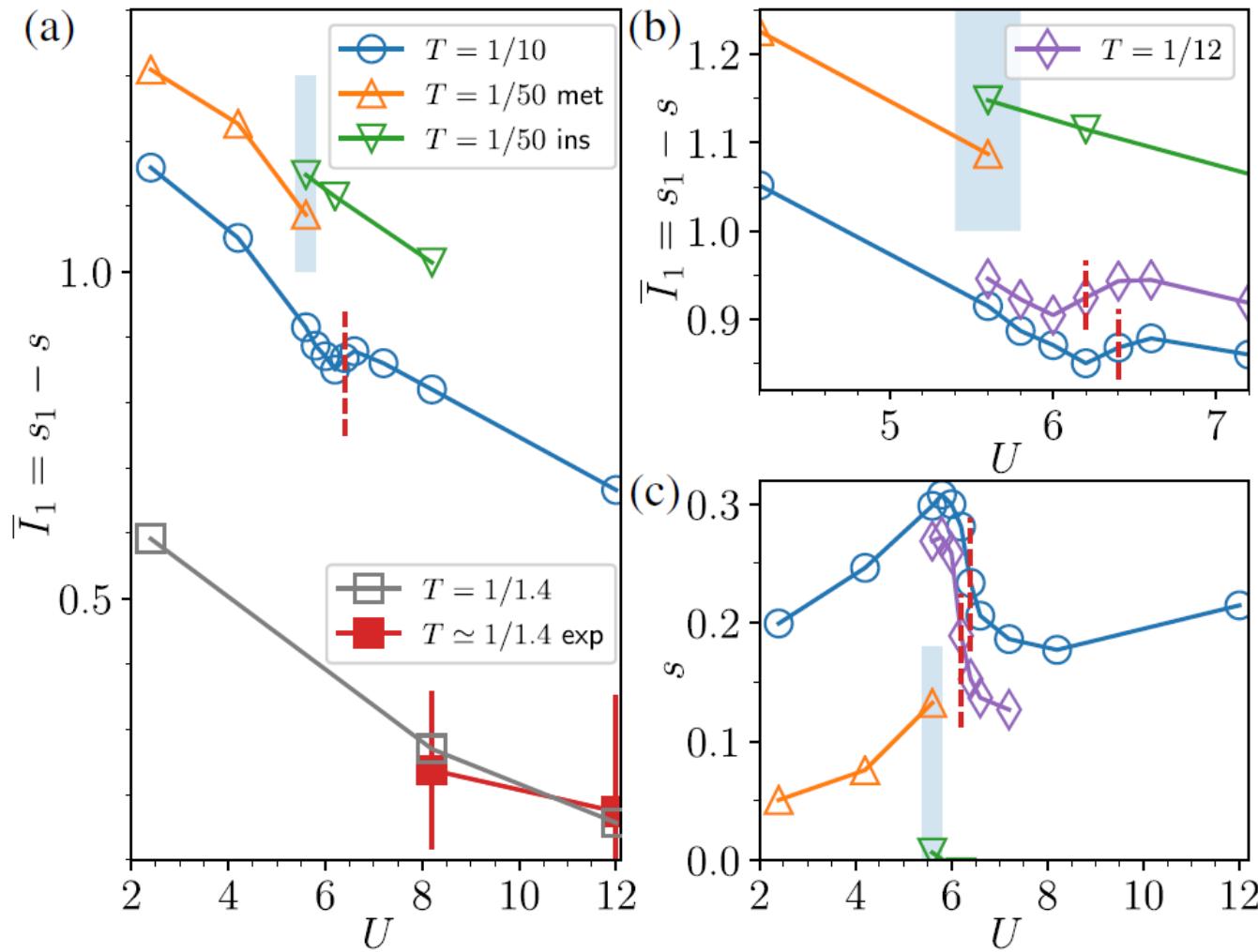


# Agreement with experiment

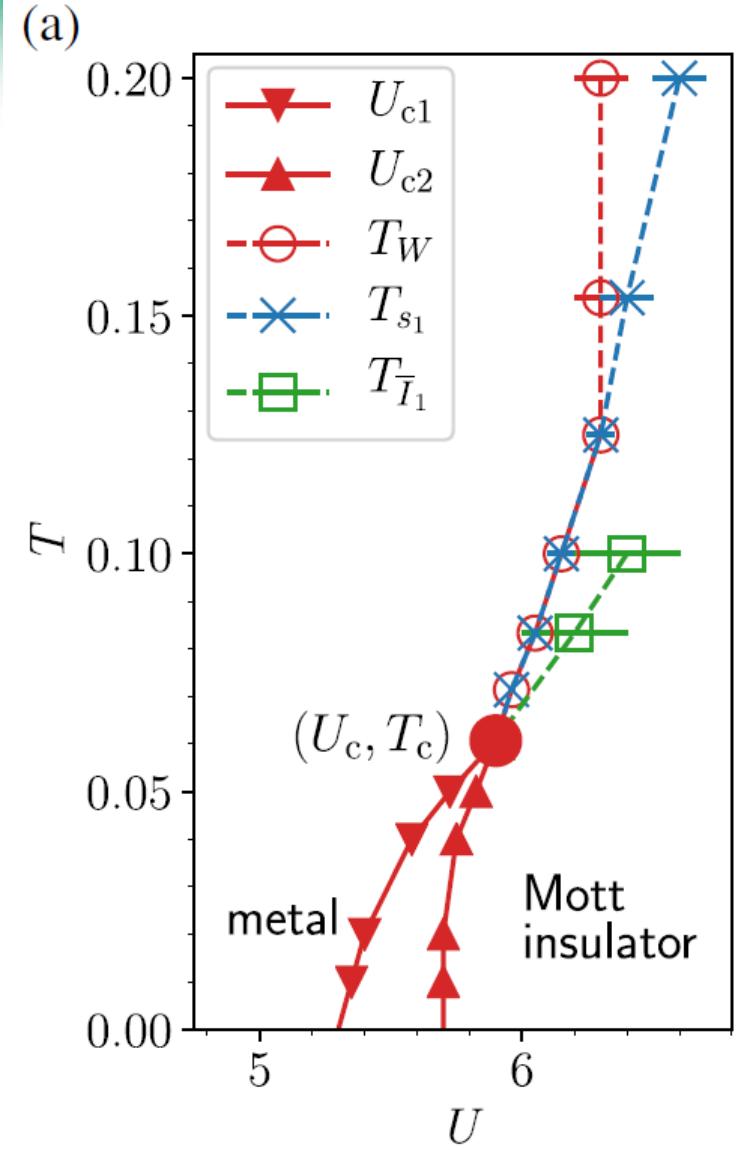


# Results

$$\bar{I}_1 \sim \text{sgn}(U - U_c) |U - U_c|^{1/\delta}$$



# Transition and crossovers



# From average mutual information

- The Mott transition,
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Merci

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