

# Integrability of anyonic chains with competing interactions

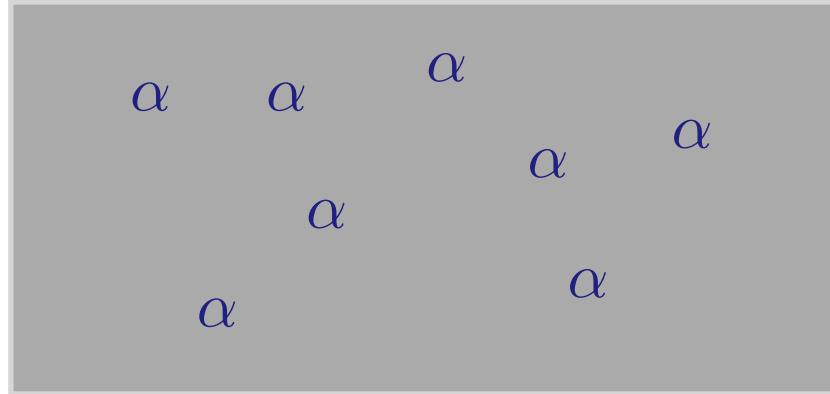
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# Outline

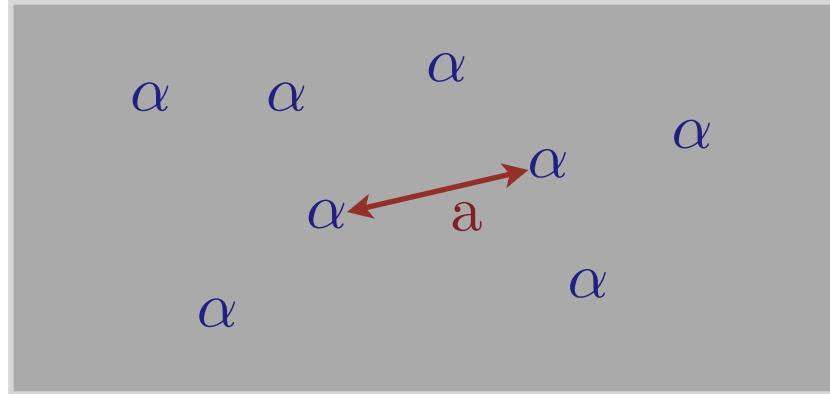
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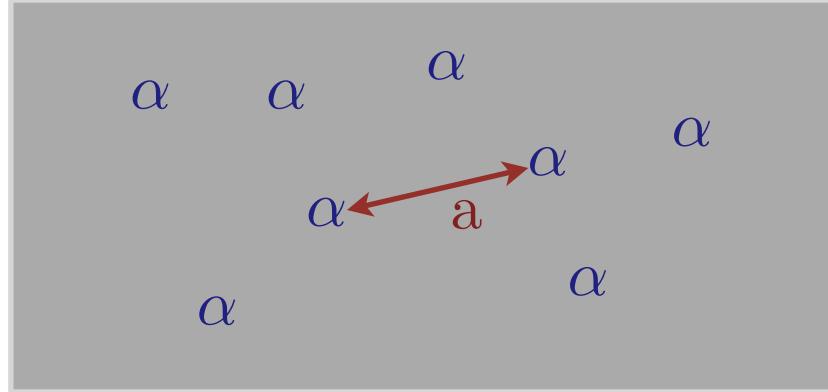
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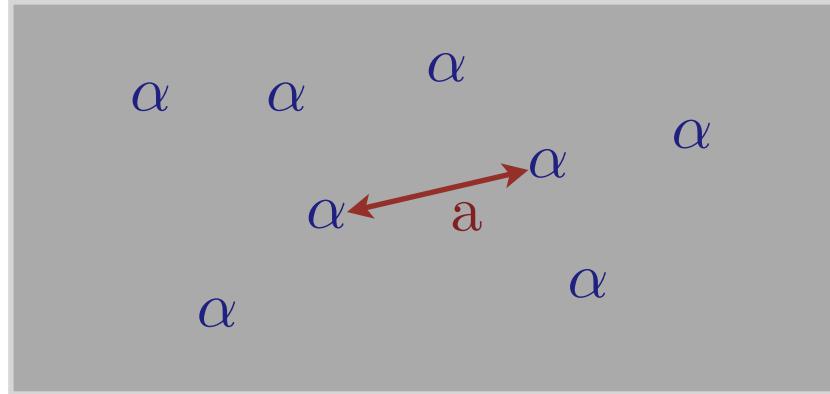


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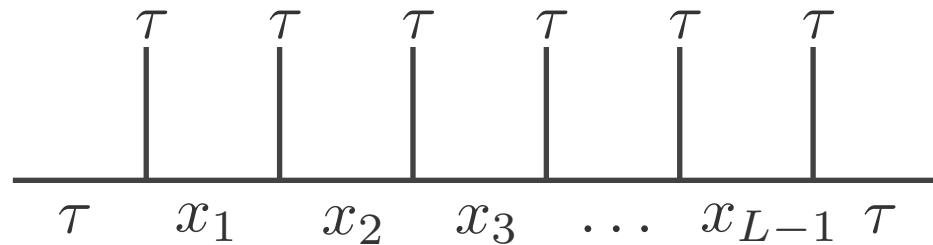
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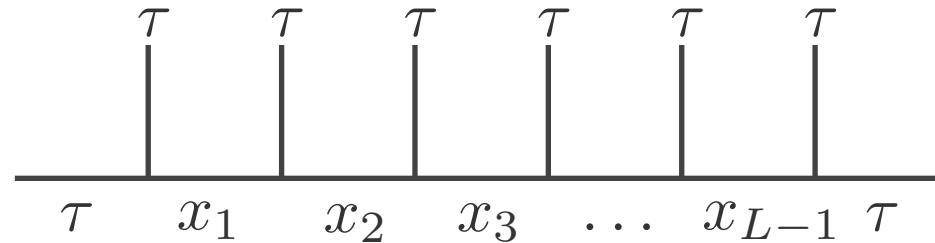


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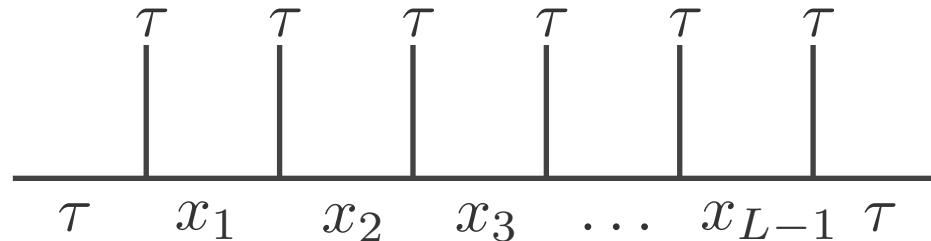
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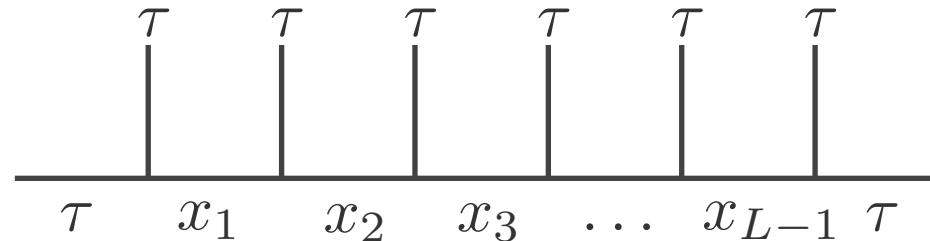
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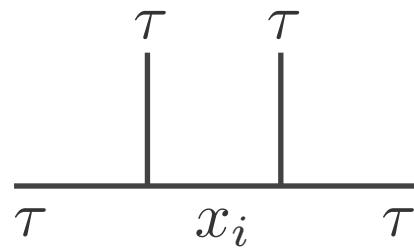
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Explicit form of the local projectors:

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{2-body}}^{(\tau)} &= \mathcal{P}_{1\tau\tau} + \mathcal{P}_{\tau\tau 1} + \varphi^{-2}\mathcal{P}_{\tau 1\tau} + \varphi^{-1}\mathcal{P}_{\tau\tau\tau} \\ &\quad + \varphi^{-3/2} (|\tau 1\tau\rangle \langle \tau\tau\tau| + \text{h.c.}) \end{aligned}$$

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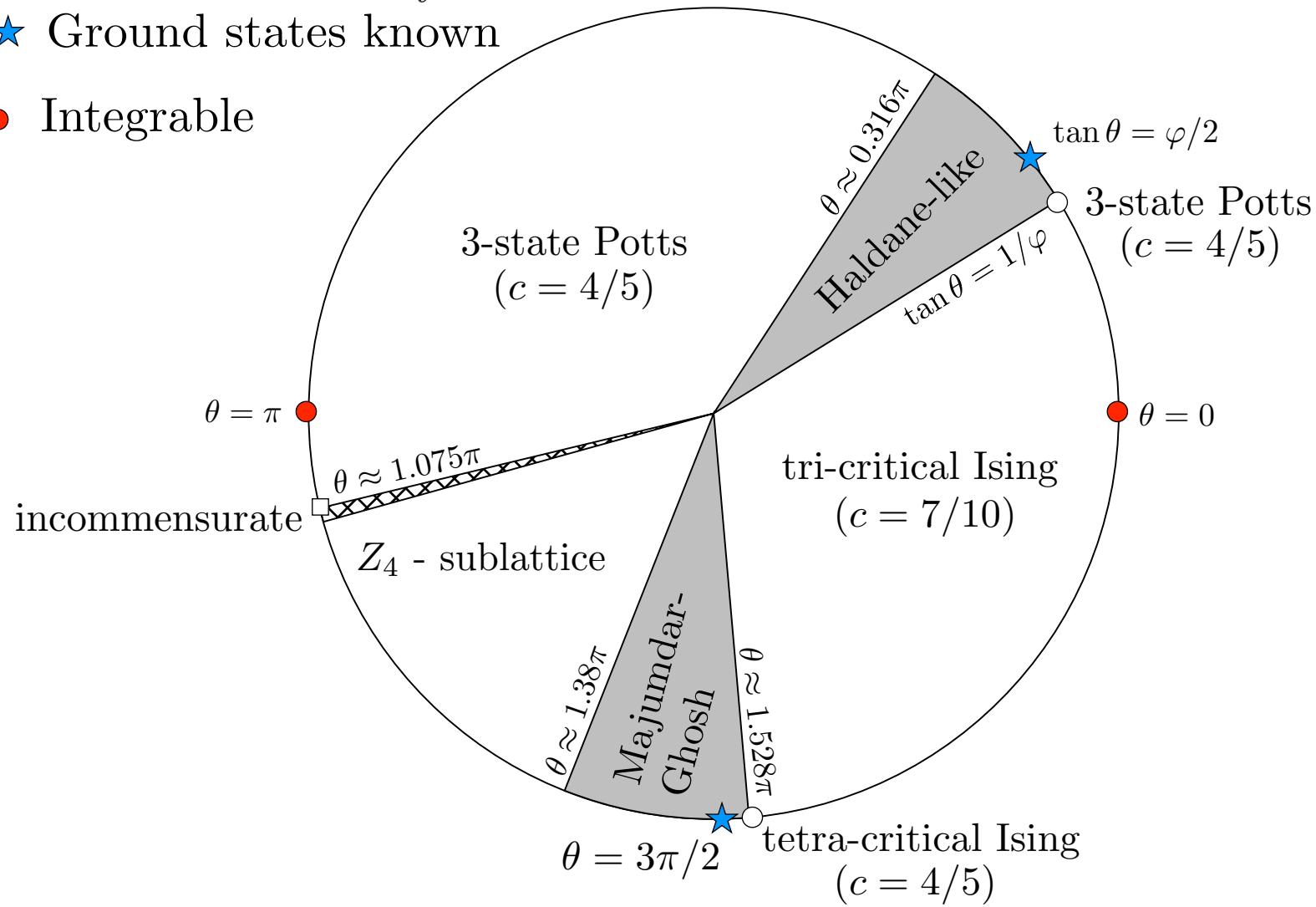
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# Phase diagram of the model

$$H_{J_2-J_3} = \sum_i \cos \theta P_{2\text{-body},i}^{(\tau)} + \sin \theta P_{3\text{-body},i}^{(\tau)}$$

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With the  $e$ 's, we can construct an R-matrix (plaquette weights) which satisfies the Yang-Baxter equation!

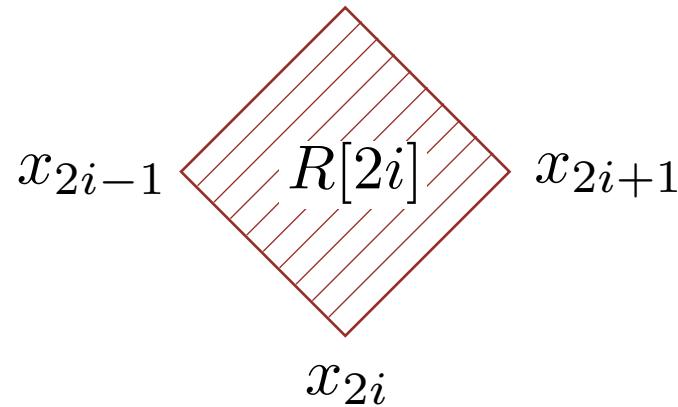
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$$R_i(u)_{\vec{x}}^{\vec{x}'} = \left( \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{k+2} - u)}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{k+2})} \mathbf{1}_{\vec{x}}^{\vec{x}'} + \frac{\sin(u)}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{k+2})} e(i)_{\vec{x}}^{\vec{x}'} \right)$$

$$e(i)_{\vec{x}}^{\vec{x}'} = \left( \prod_{j \neq i} \delta_{x'_j, x_j} \right) e(i)_{x_{i-1}}^{x_{i+1}}$$

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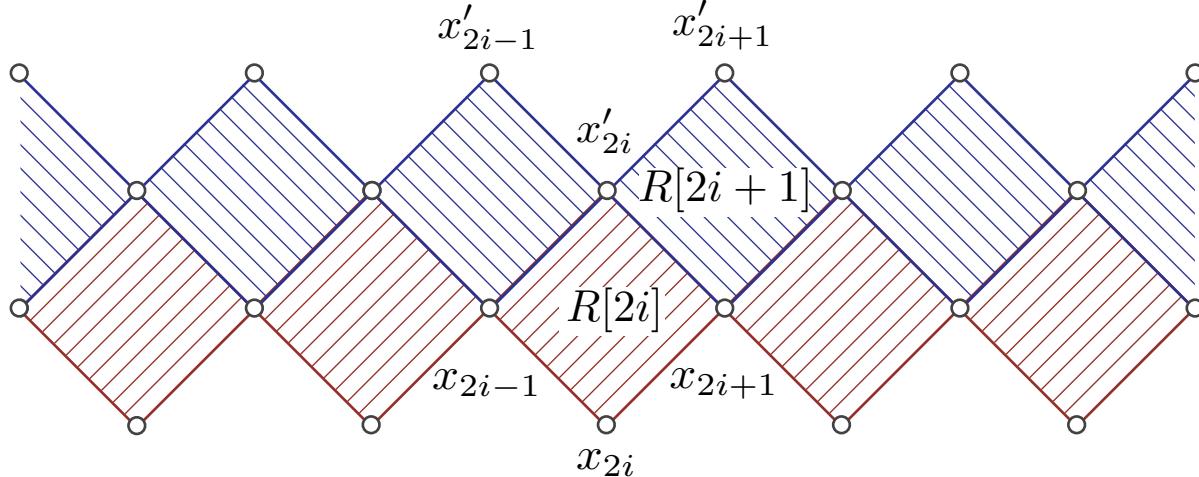
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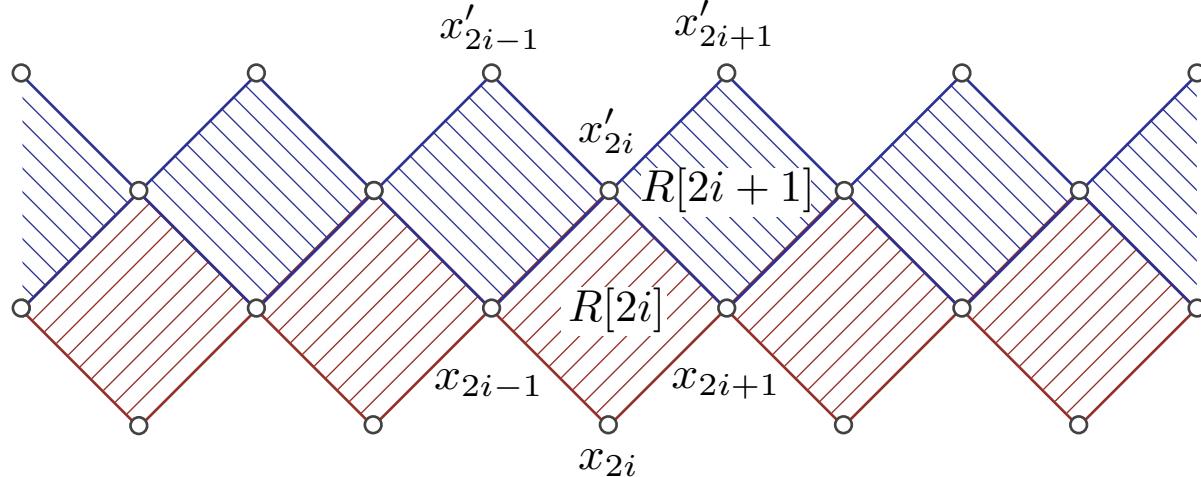
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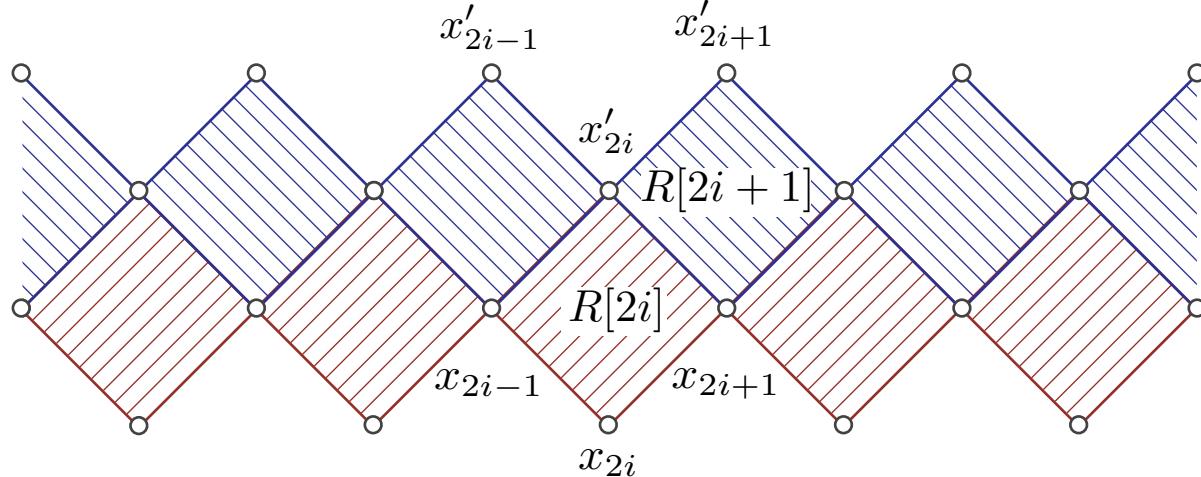


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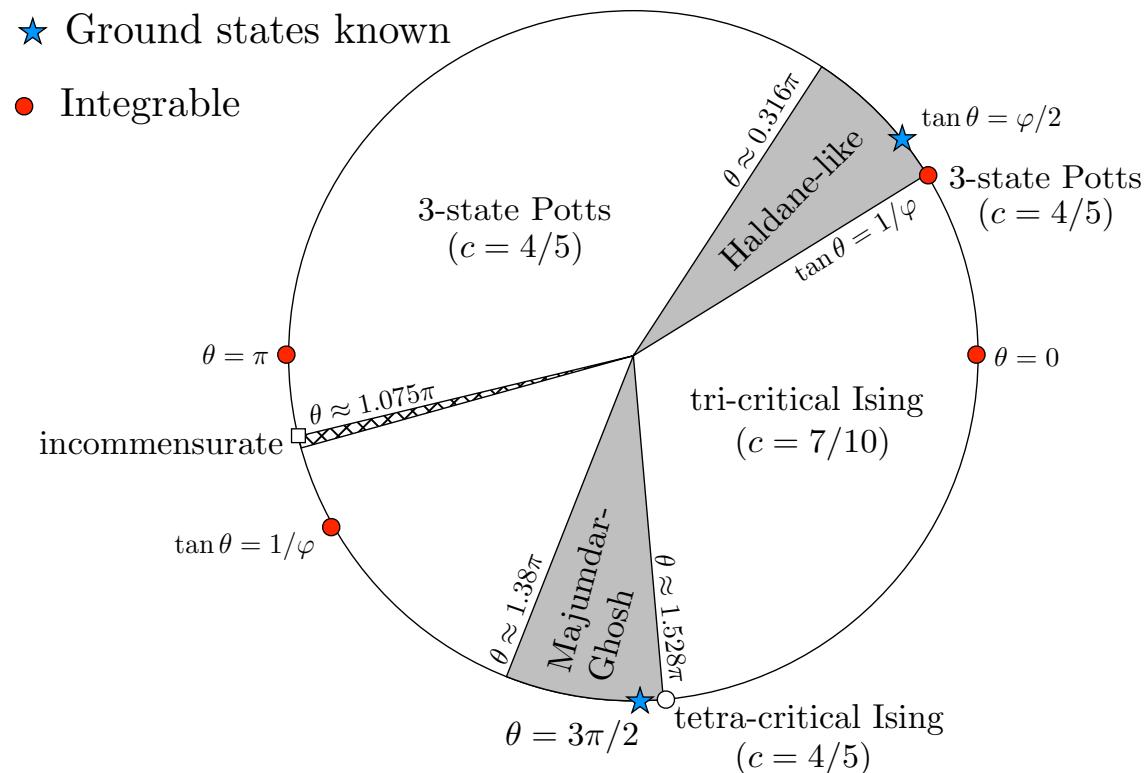
The Hamiltonian indeed contains 2 and 3-body terms:

$$\begin{aligned} H = & c_4 + \sum_i c_1(e_i + e_{i+1})/2 + c_2(e_i e_{i+1} + e_{i+1} e_i) \\ & + c_3(-1)^i(e_i e_{i+1} - e_{i+1} e_i) \end{aligned}$$

See Iklhef et.al., JPA (2009)

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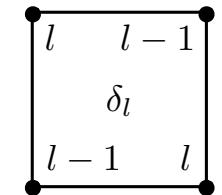
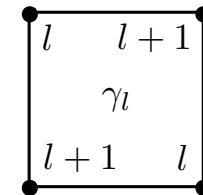
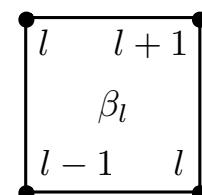
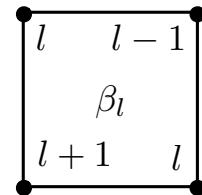
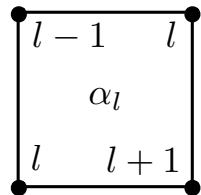
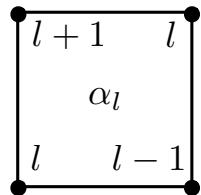
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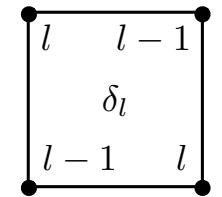
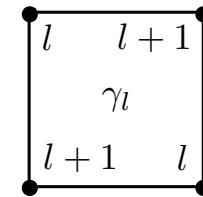
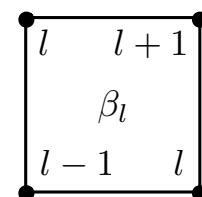
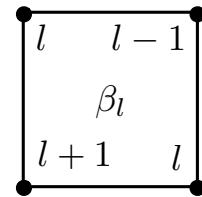
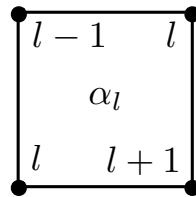
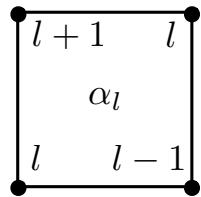


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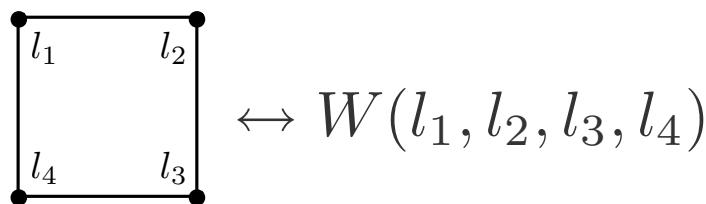
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ABF, Nucl.Phys B (1984)

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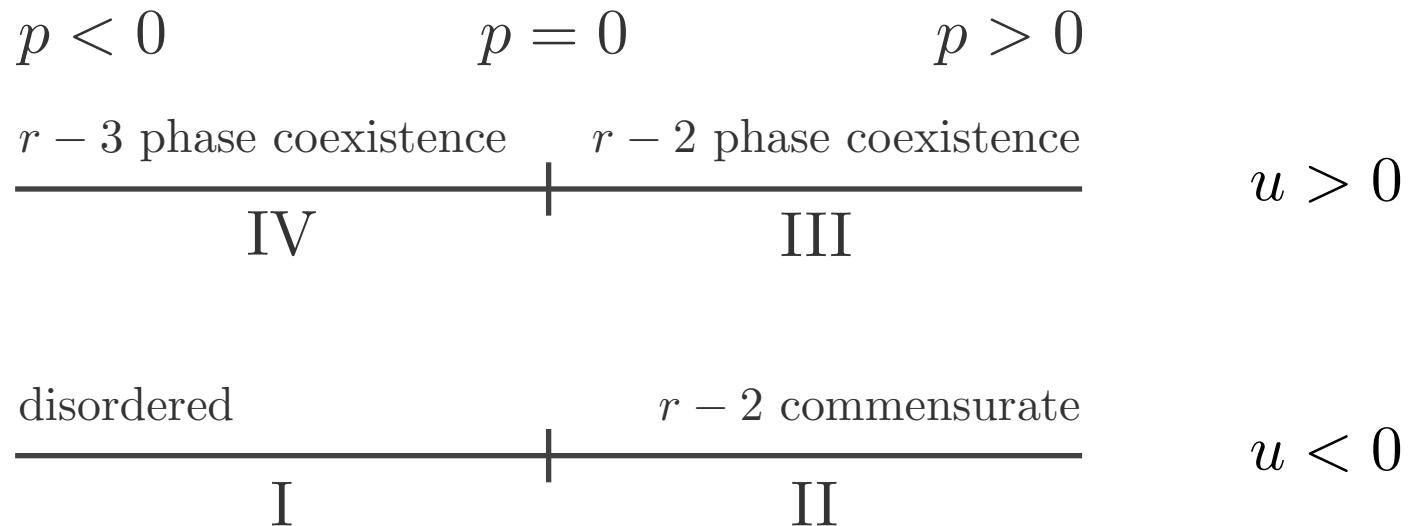
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The critical behaviour of this model describes the 2-body golden chain, for both signs of the interaction

# Form of the weights

The weights are given in terms of elliptic functions:

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(u) &= \theta_1\left(\frac{u\pi}{2K}, p\right)\theta_4\left(\frac{u\pi}{2K}, p\right) \\
 &= 2p^{1/4} \sin\left(\frac{\pi u}{2K}\right) \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - 2p^n \cos\left(\frac{\pi u}{K}\right) + p^{2n})(1 - p^{2n})^2 \\
 \alpha_l &= \frac{h(2\eta - u)}{h(2\eta)} , \\
 \beta_l &= \frac{h(u)}{h(2\eta)} \frac{h(w_{l-1})^{1/2} h(w_{l+1})^{1/2}}{h(w_l)} , & \eta &= \frac{K}{r} \\
 \gamma_l &= \frac{h(w_l + u)}{h(w_l)} , & w_l &= 2\pi\eta l \\
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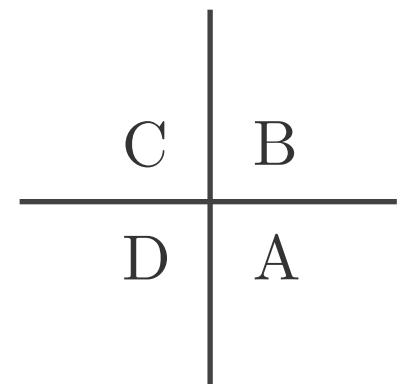
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The diagram shows a rectangular lattice with four boundary segments labeled  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$ , and  $l'$ . Segment  $a$  is at the top,  $b$  is at the bottom,  $c$  is at the right, and  $l'$  is at the left. The lattice has  $m$  horizontal rows and  $m$  vertical columns of nodes.

B, C and D are defined analogously, by rotating successively over 90 degrees



# Corner transfer matrix method

One can ‘solve’ the model by calculating the probability for the height of the center vertex.

In terms of corner transfermatrices,  $Z$  reads  $Z = \text{Tr}(ABCD)$

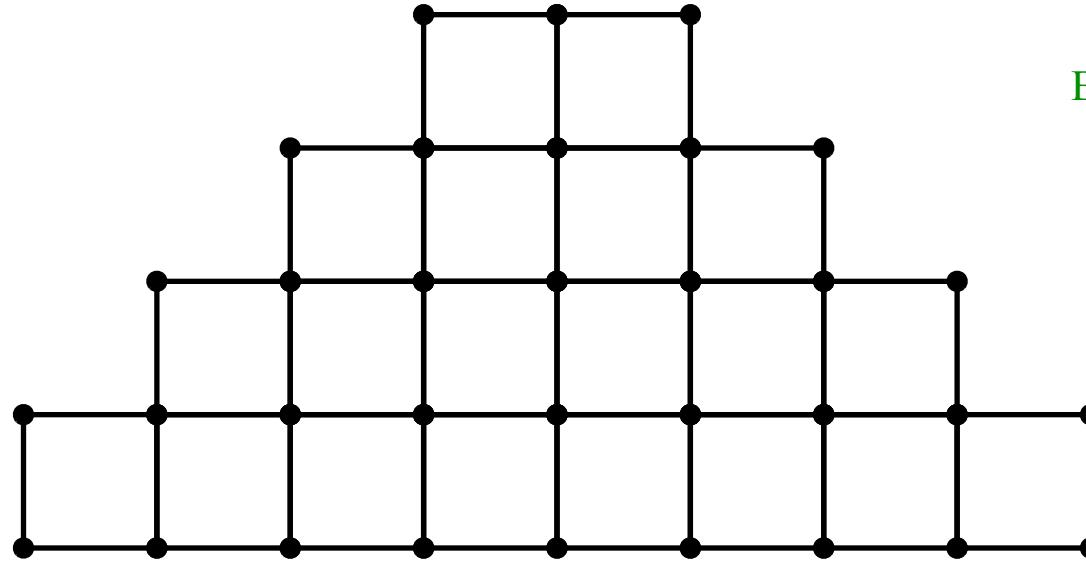
The height probabilities are  $P_a = \frac{\text{Tr}(S_a ABCD)}{\text{Tr}(ABCD)}$

$S_a$  is a diagonal matrix, with 1’s on the diagonal for the block with  $l_1 = a$

# How the method works

Equate, in the large lattice limit, the following:

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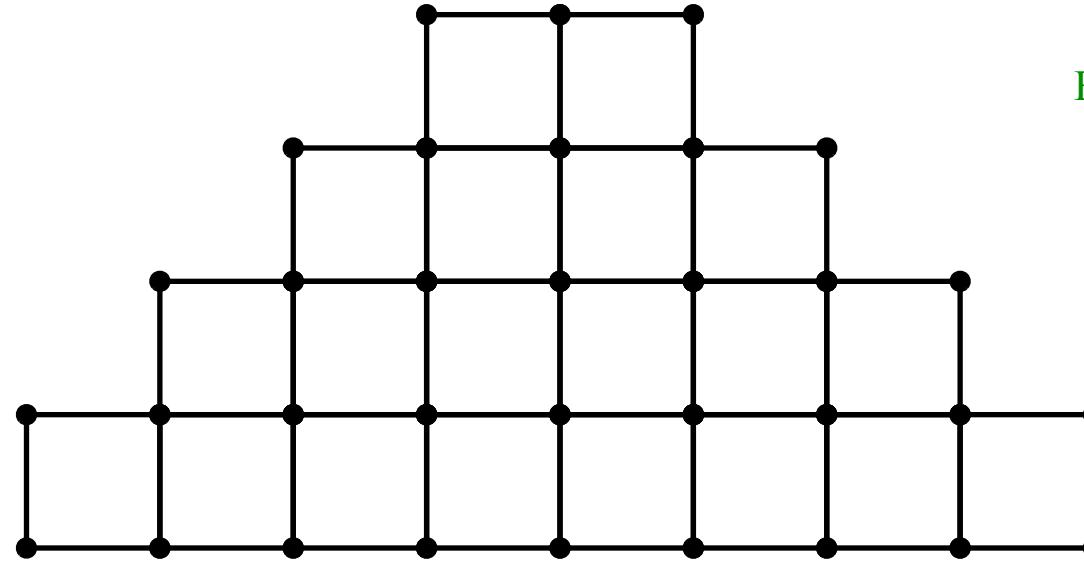


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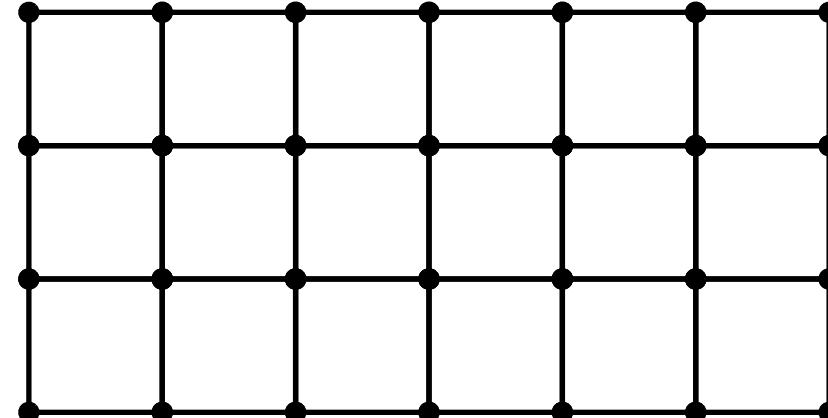
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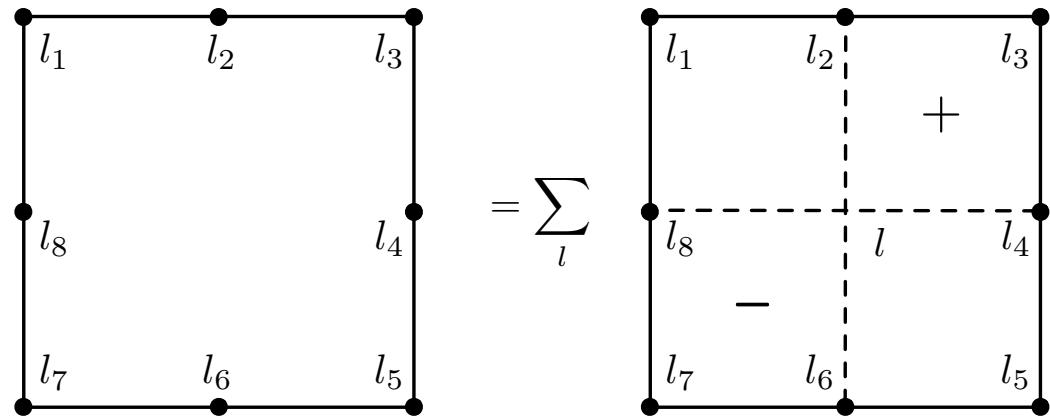
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The final result follows from considering various limits, such as  $u = 0$ ,  $u = (2 \pm r)\eta$  and  $p = 1$

# New lattice model

We introduce the following new lattice model with the following plaquettes:



$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{W}(l_1, \dots, l_8) &= \\ \sum_l W(l_1, l_2, l, l_8; u) W(l_2, l_3, l_4, l; u + K) W(l, l_4, l_5, l_6; u) W(l_8, l, l_6, l_7; u - K) \end{aligned}$$

Not 6, but 66 different types of plaquettes!

# Height probability

When the dust settles, the height probability is given by:

$$P_a = \frac{1}{\mathcal{N}} v_a X_m(a; b, c, d, e; x^t) \quad x = e^{-4\pi\eta/K'}$$

$$X_m(a; b, c, d, e; q) = \sum_{l_2, \dots, l_m} q^{\phi(1)} \quad \phi(1): \text{next slide}$$

$\mathcal{N}$  normalization

$v_a$  depends only on the central height

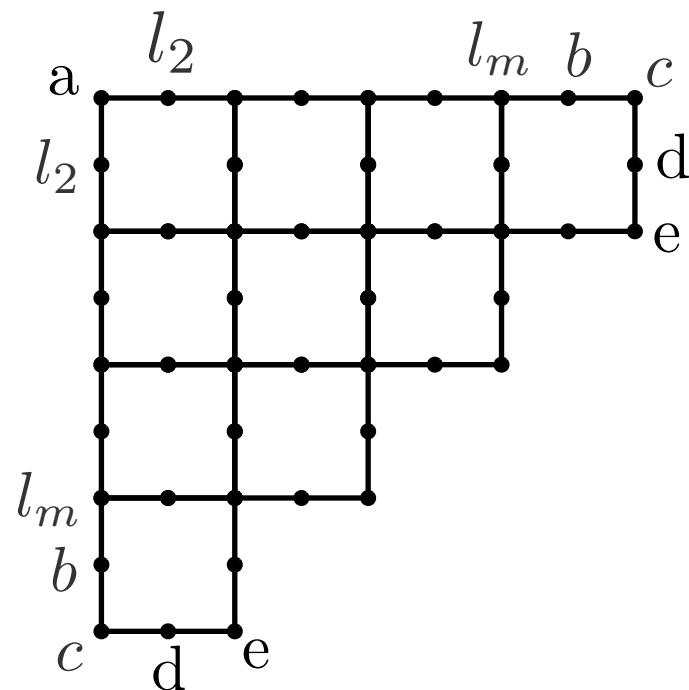
$t$  depends on the region:

$$t = \begin{cases} 2 + r & \text{for } u > 0 \\ 2 - r & \text{for } u < 0 \end{cases}$$

# Height probability

$$\phi(l) = \sum_{j=1}^{(m+1)/2} j \left( \frac{|l_{2j+3} - l_{2j-1}|}{4} + \delta_{l_{2j-1}, l_{2j+1}} \delta_{l_{2j+1}, l_{2j+3}} \delta_{l_{2j}, l_{2j+2}} \right)$$

Calculated from the limit  $p = 1$ , in which only  
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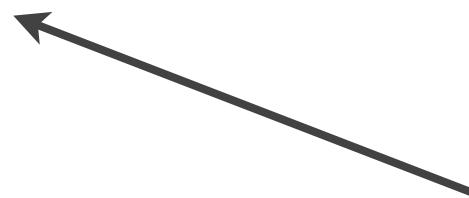
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$Z_k$  parafermions for  $u < 0$

Similar results on related models :  
Date, Jimbo...  
Saleur, Bauer  
...

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The scaling dimensions of the primary fields  $\Phi_{s_2}^{t_1, s_1}$  of

$$\frac{su(2)_1 \times su(2)_1 \times su(2)_{k-2}}{su(2)_k}$$

can be obtained from the Coulomb gas results by  
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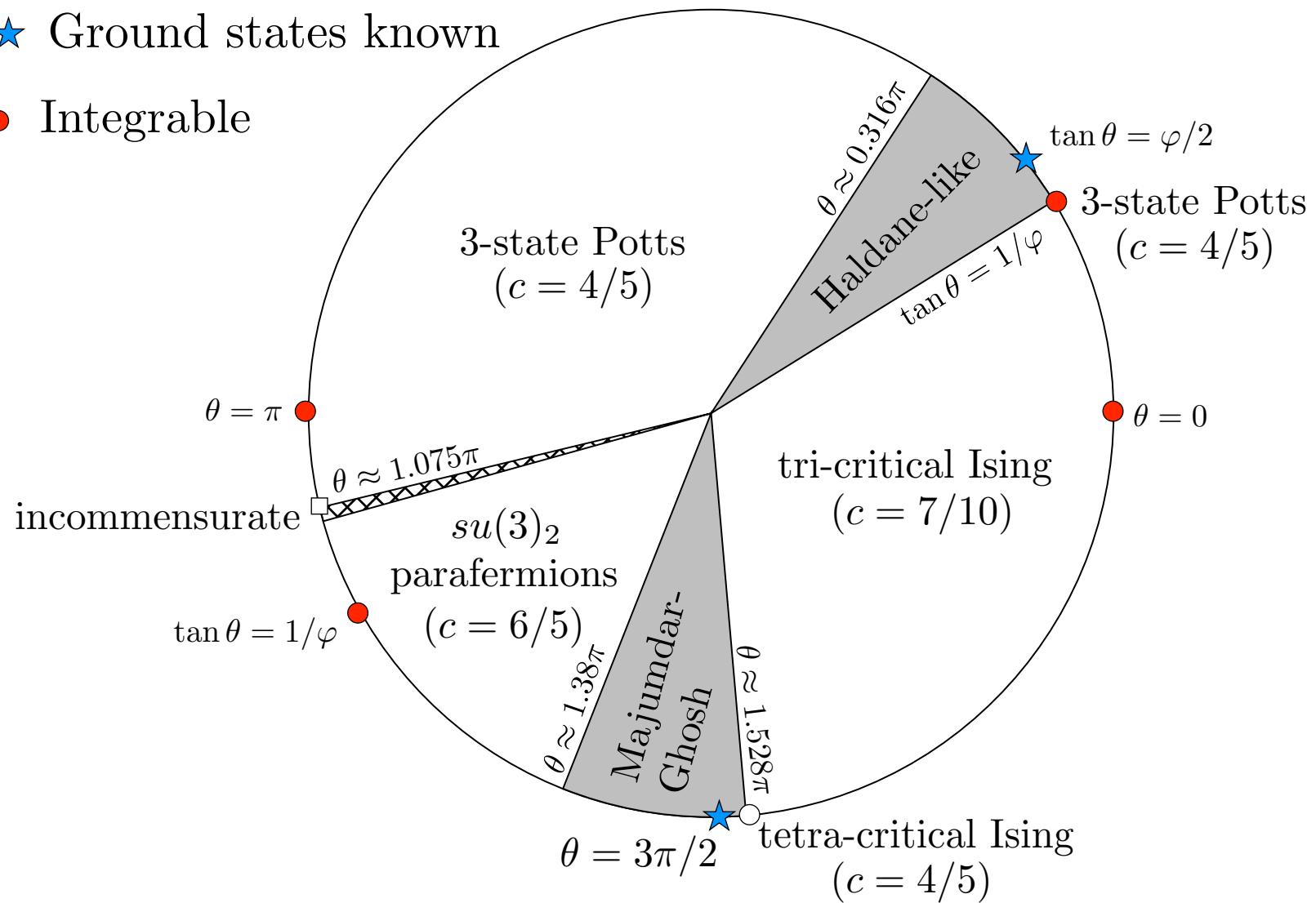
Ikhlef et.al., JPA (2010)

$$h(t, s_1, s_2) = \begin{cases} \frac{(s_1(k+2)-s_2k)^2-4}{8k(k+2)} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(s_1-s_2+2t) \bmod 4}{4} & s_1 + s_2 \bmod 2 = 0 \\ \frac{(s_1(k+2)-s_2k)^2-4}{8k(k+2)} + \frac{1}{8} & s_1 + s_2 \bmod 2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

Explicit character formulas for  $k > 3$  have not yet been found...

# Updated phase diagram

- ★ Ground states known
- Integrable



# Conclusions

- Studied an exactly solvable point in an anyonic chain with competing interactions.
- Introduced a new 2-d, solvable height model
- Obtained the critical behaviour, explaining an extended critical region in the chain.
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# Outlook

- Connection with SU(2) Heisenberg chains
- Understanding of (topological) phase transitions
- Connection with related loop models
- Other types of anyonic chains
- Relation with Rogers-Ramanujan identities?
- Finitization of characters might have other (qHe) applications

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