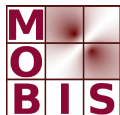


A globalized Newton method for the optimal control of multiple interacting fermions

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$$V^i(x_j, x_k) = \frac{q}{|x_j - x_k|} \approx \frac{q}{\sqrt{(x_j - x_k)^2 + \epsilon^2}}$$

q is electronic charge

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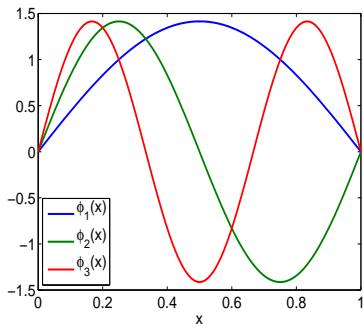


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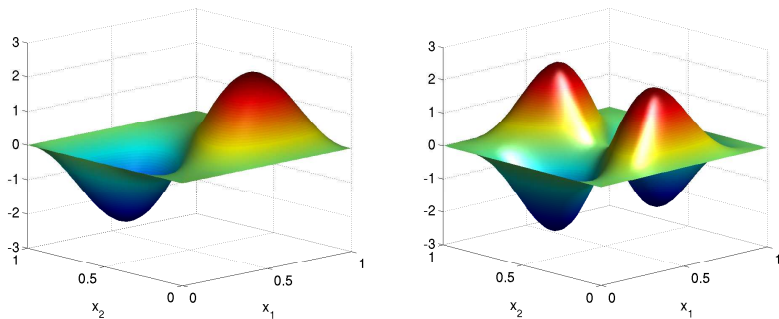


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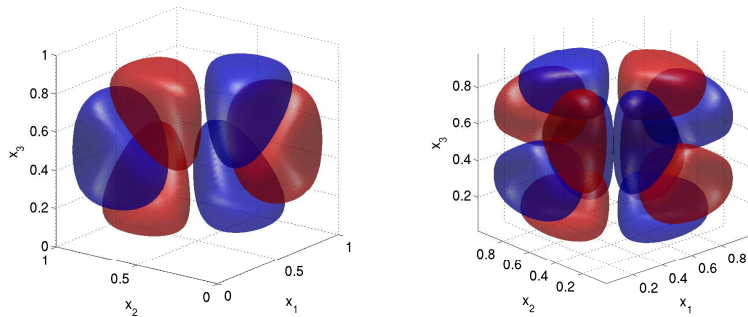


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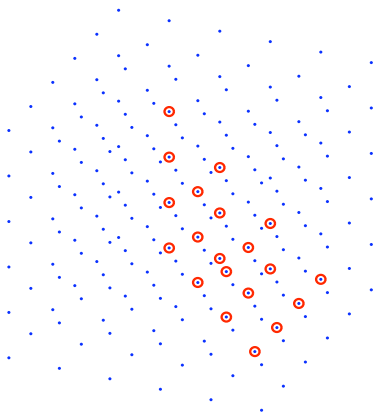
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n particle stiffness matrix elements are taken directly from the single particle matrix with possible sign change

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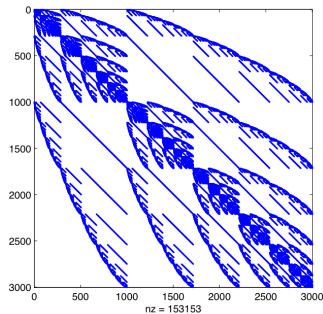
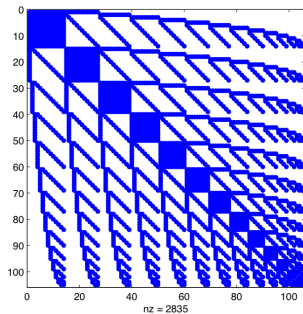


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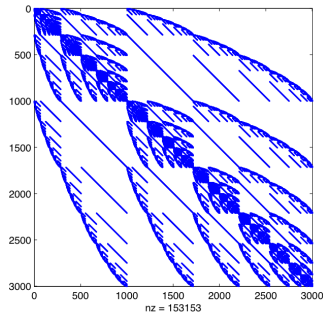
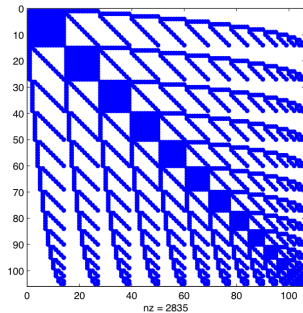


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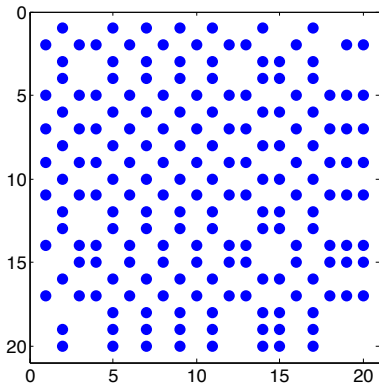


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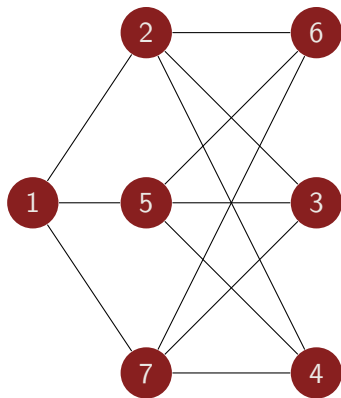
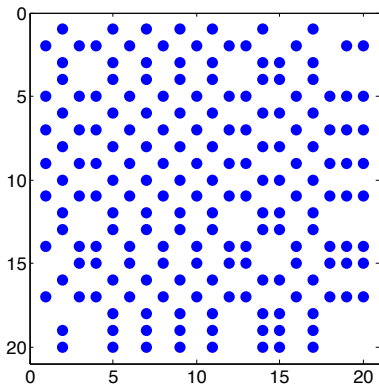


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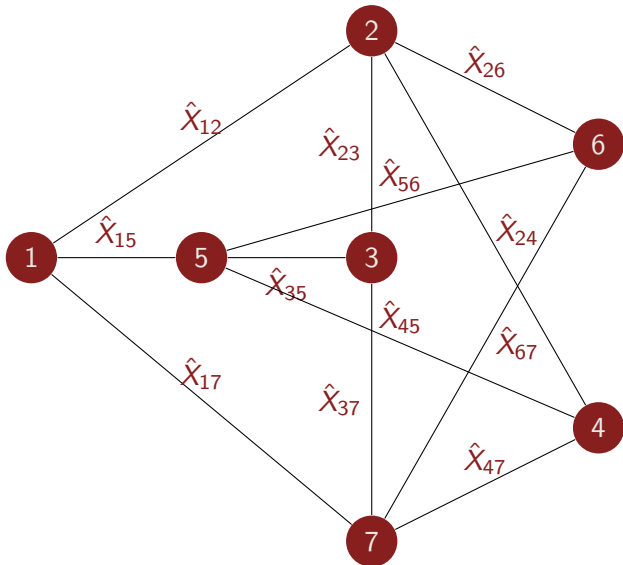
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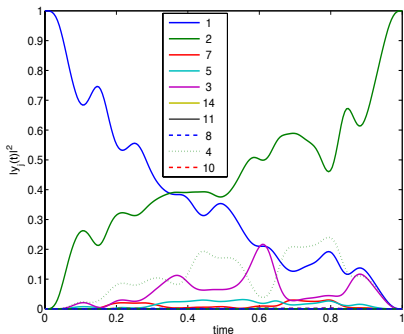
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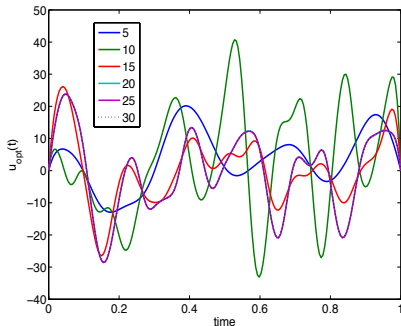
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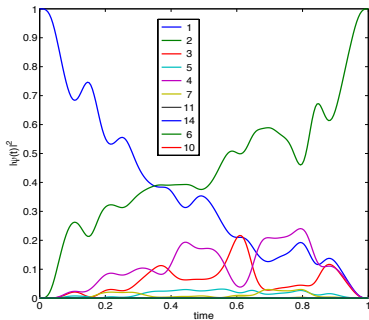


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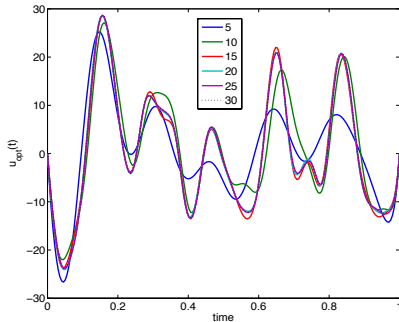
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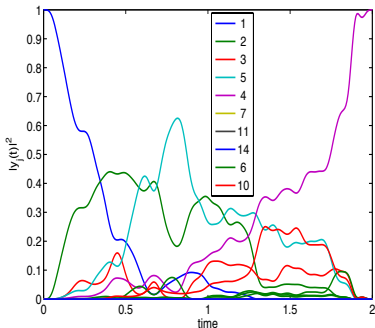


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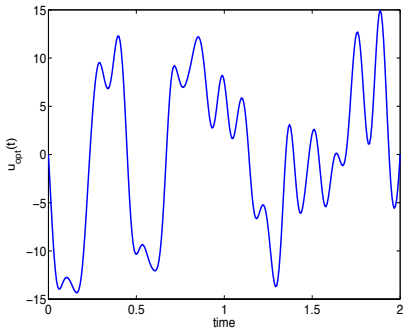
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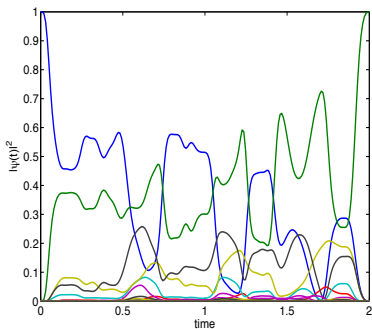


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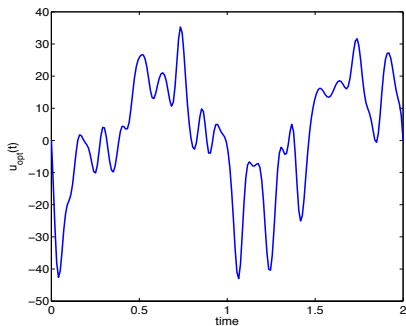
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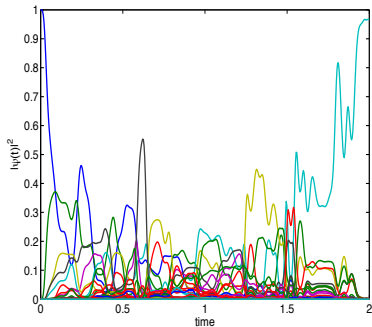


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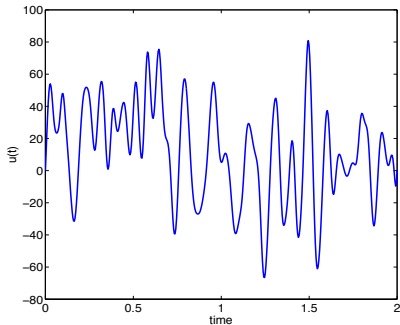
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