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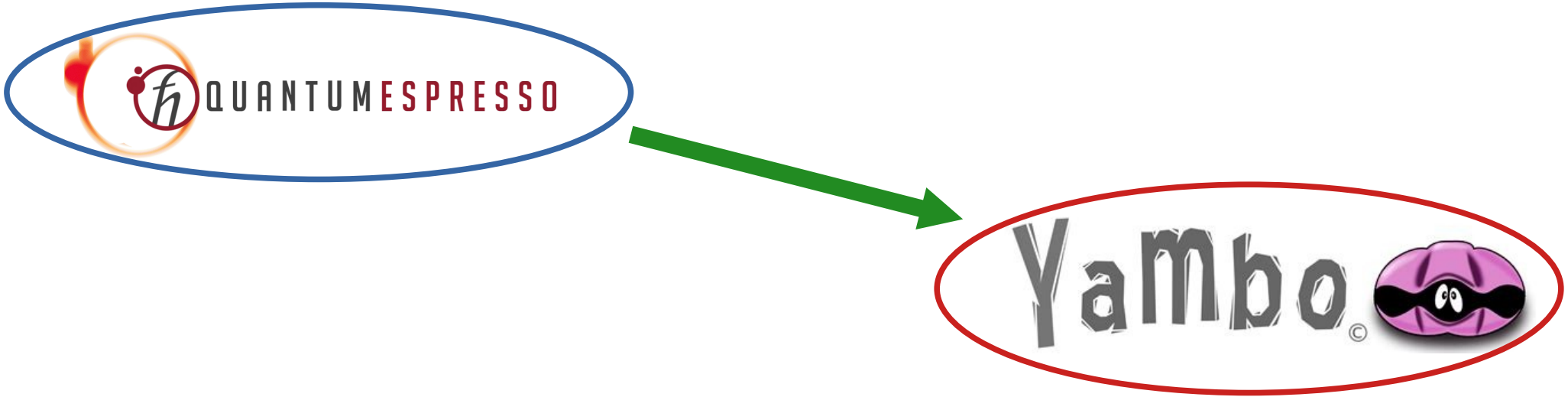

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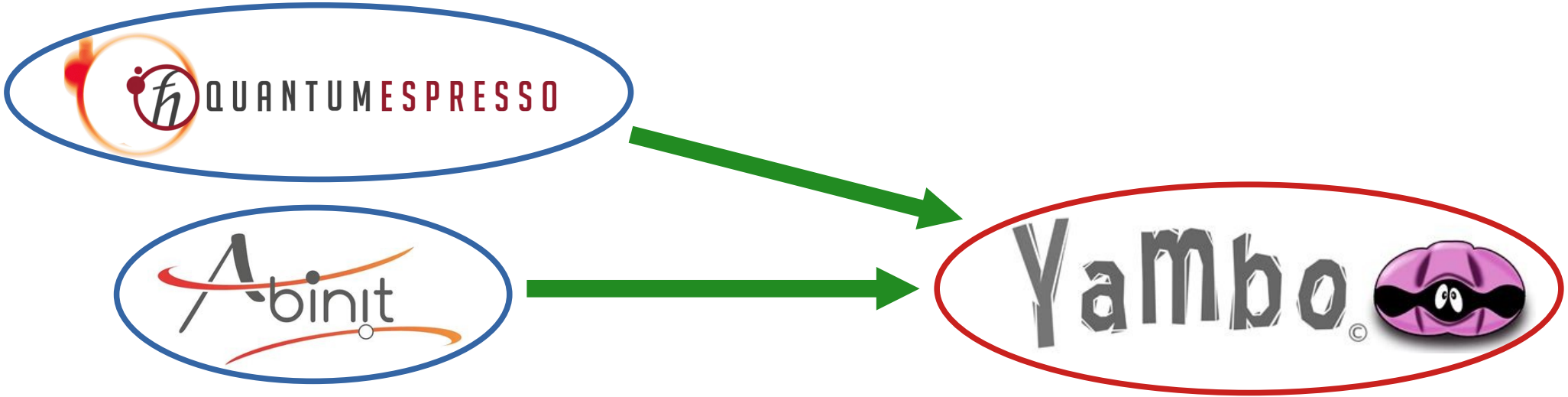

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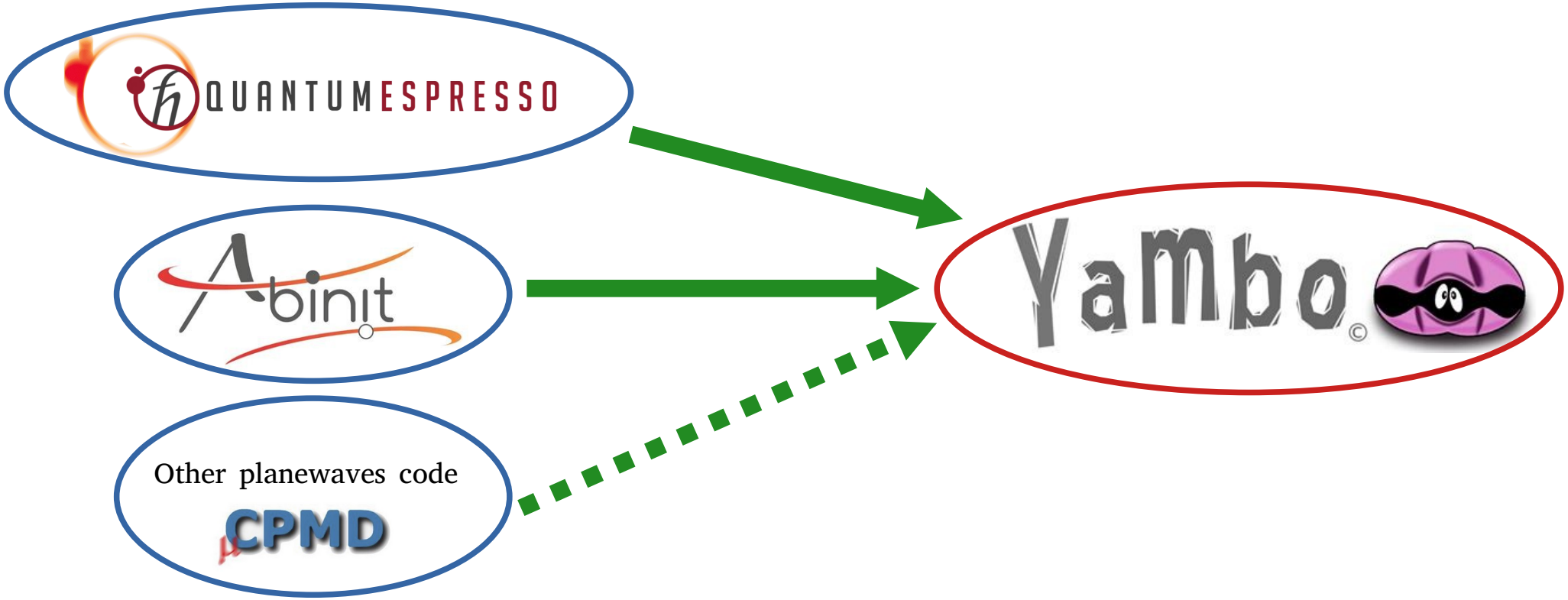

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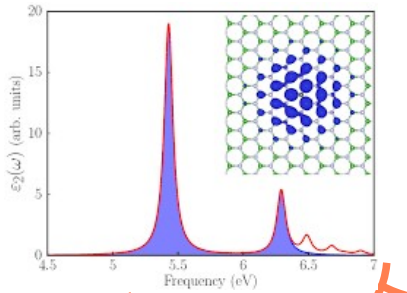

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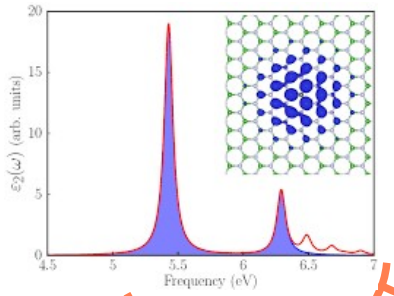


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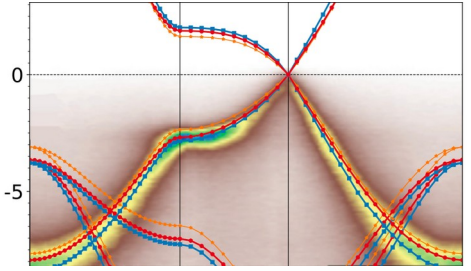

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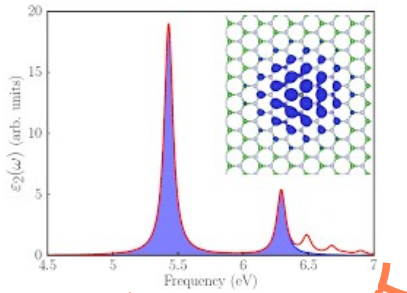


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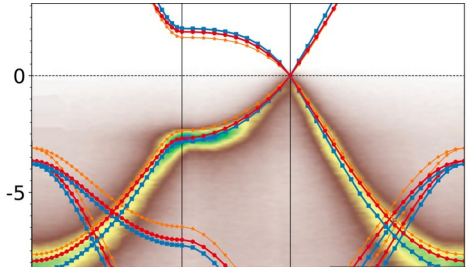


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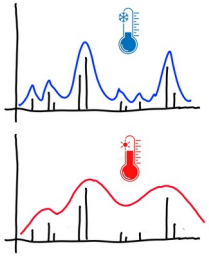

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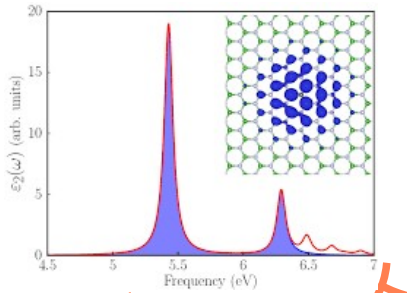


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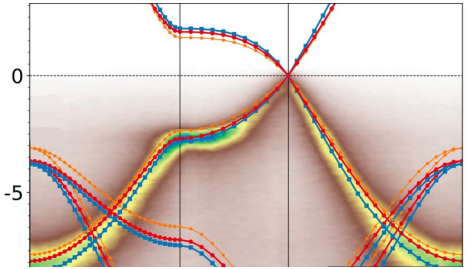


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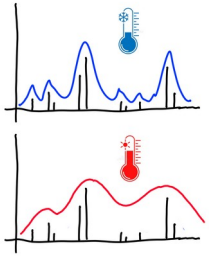

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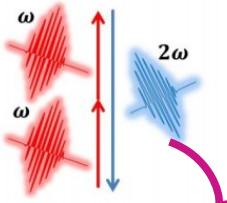

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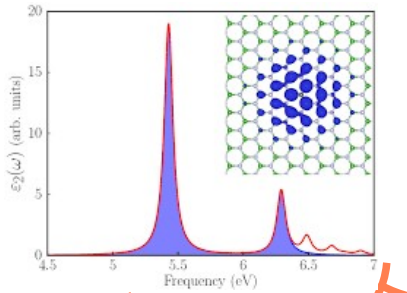


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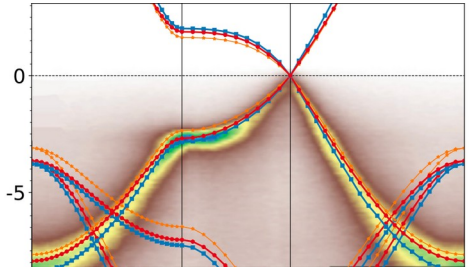


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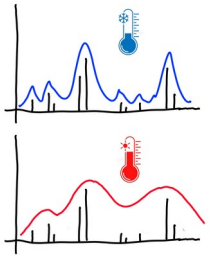

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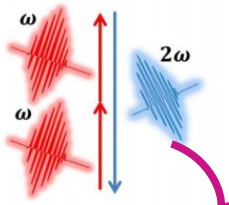


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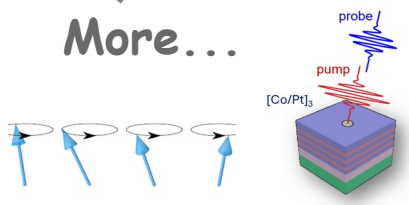

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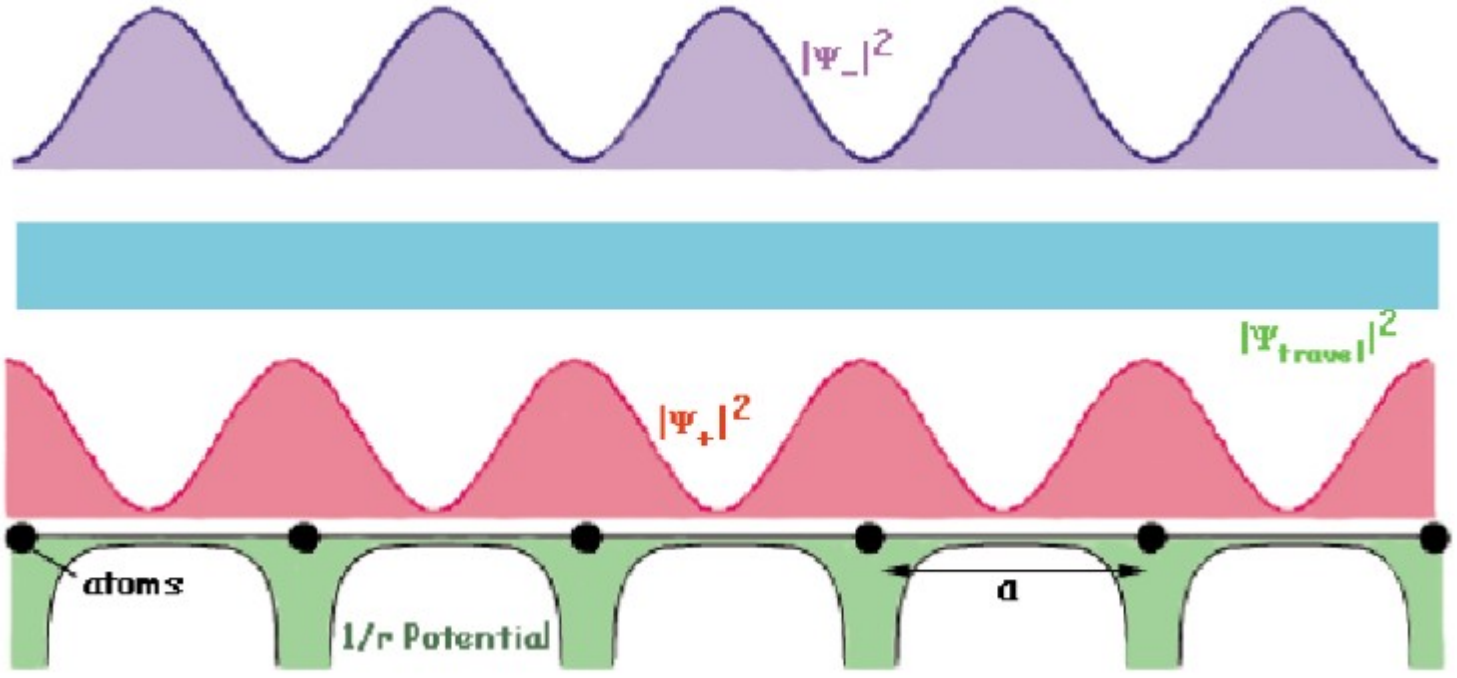

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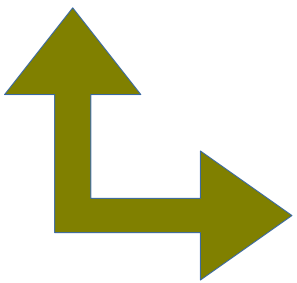

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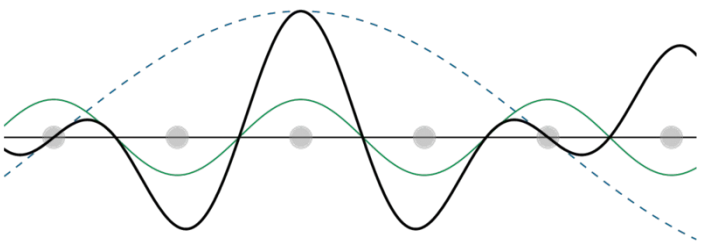

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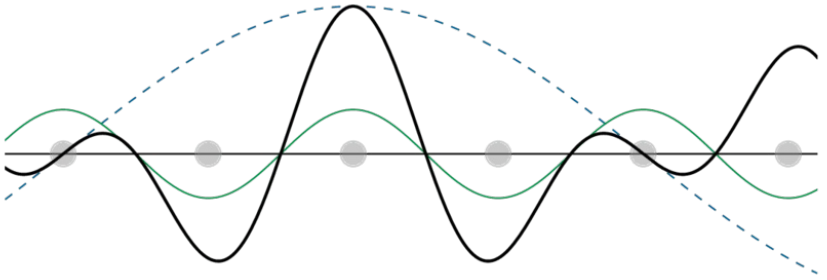
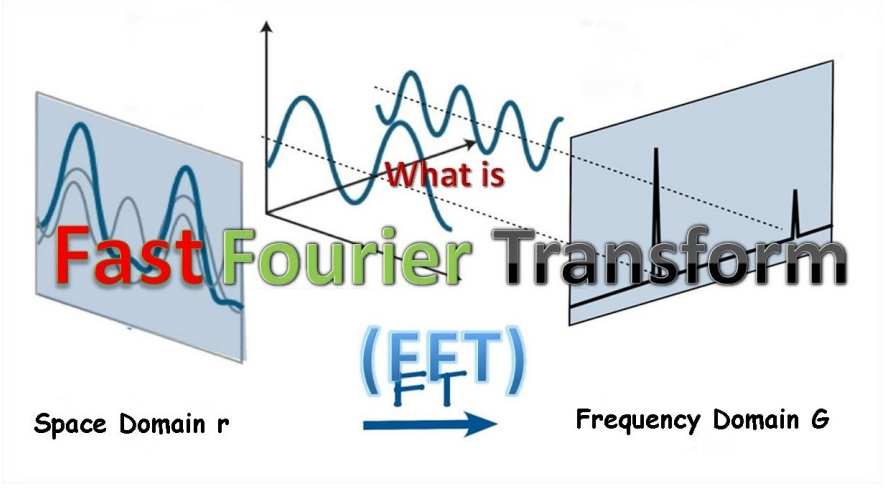




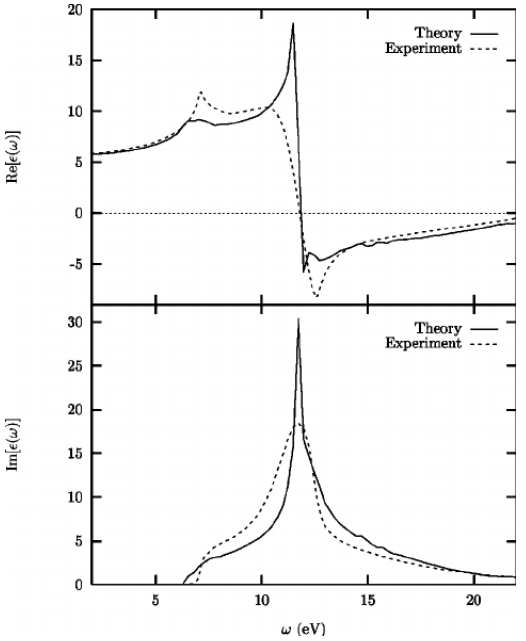

$$\langle A\rangle_{n,m} = \langle u_{n\mathbf{k}}(r)|\hat{A}(r)|u_{n\mathbf{k}}(r)\rangle$$

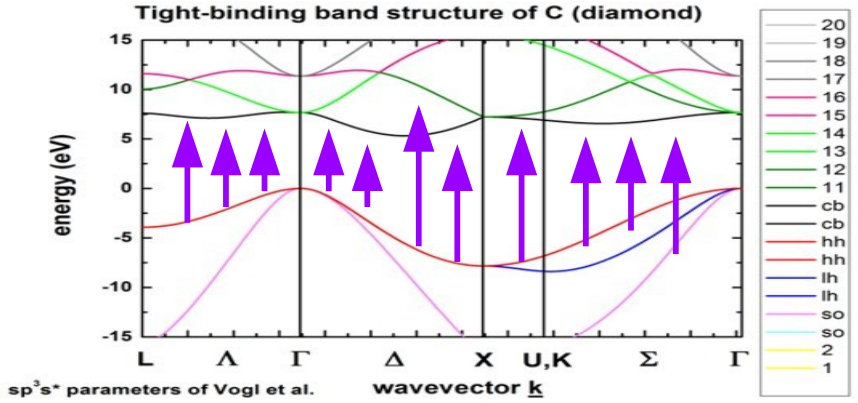
$$\langle B\rangle_{n,m} = \langle u_{n\mathbf{k}}(G)|\hat{B}(G)|u_{n\mathbf{k}}(G)\rangle$$

# Properties

# Linear optical response

$$\epsilon(\omega) = 1 - \frac{4\pi}{V} \sum_{\mathbf{k},v,c} \frac{|\langle \phi_{\mathbf{k},v} | r | \phi_{\mathbf{k},c} \rangle|^2}{\epsilon_{\mathbf{k},v} - \epsilon_{\mathbf{k},c} - \omega + i\eta}$$

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Dichroism

MOKE

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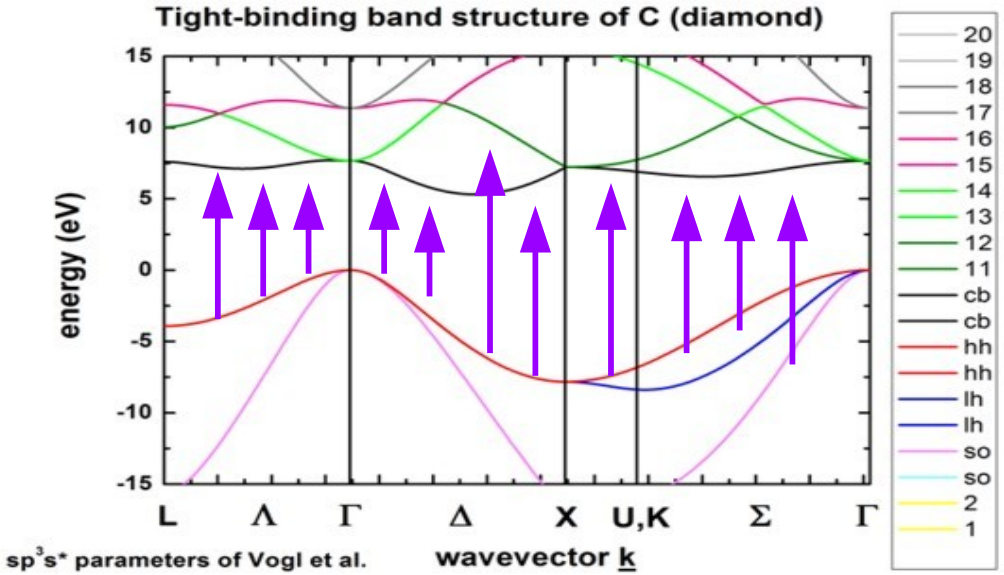


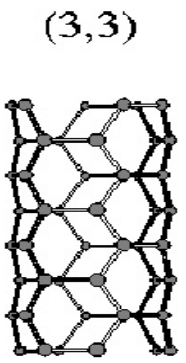


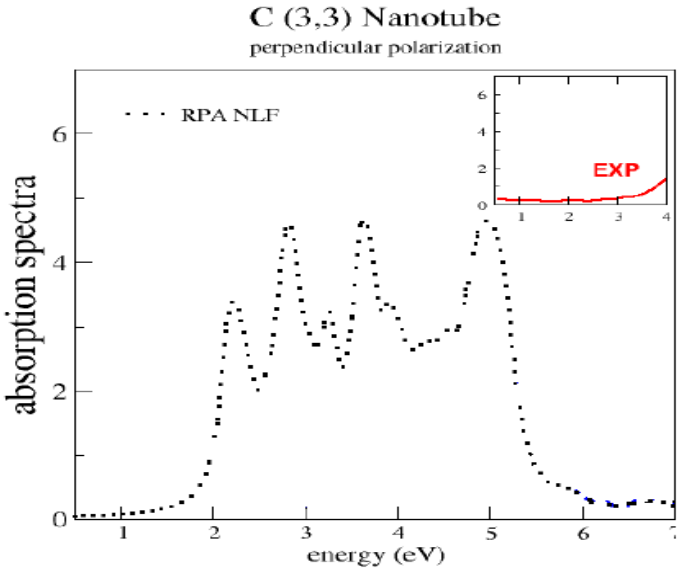


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Unfortunately these excitations are not independent

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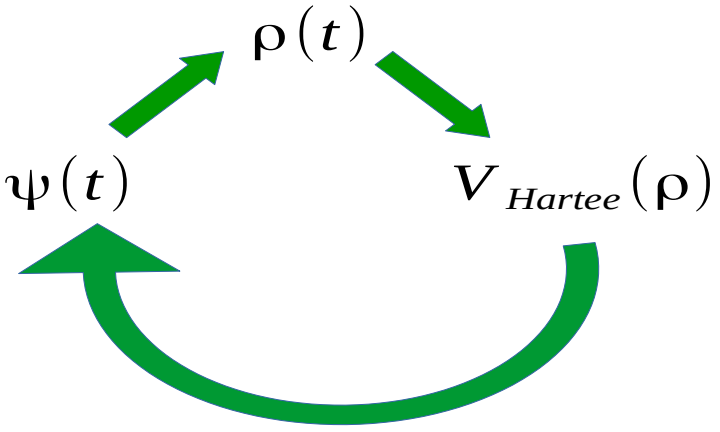


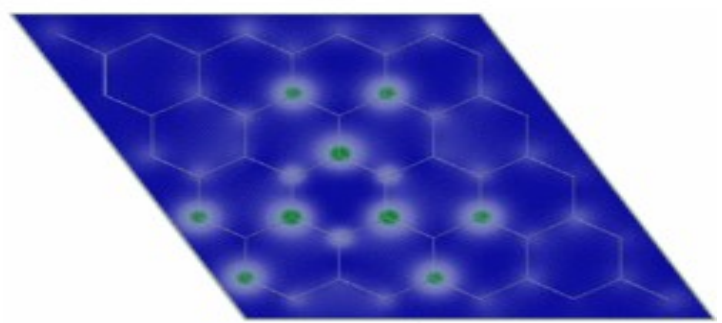

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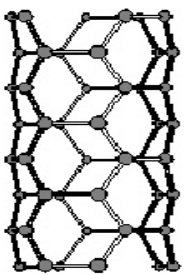
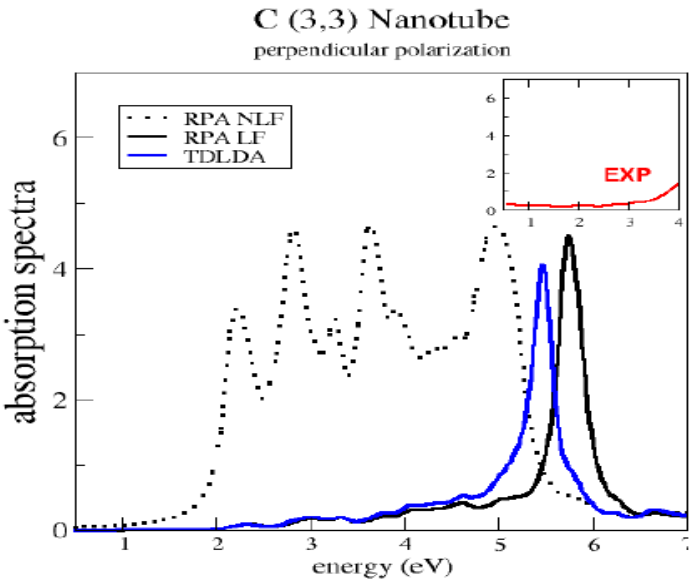





$$\chi_{g,g'} = \chi^0 + \chi^0 V \chi$$

# TDDFT

… in g-space…

$$\chi = \chi^0 + \chi^0(V + f_{xc})\chi$$

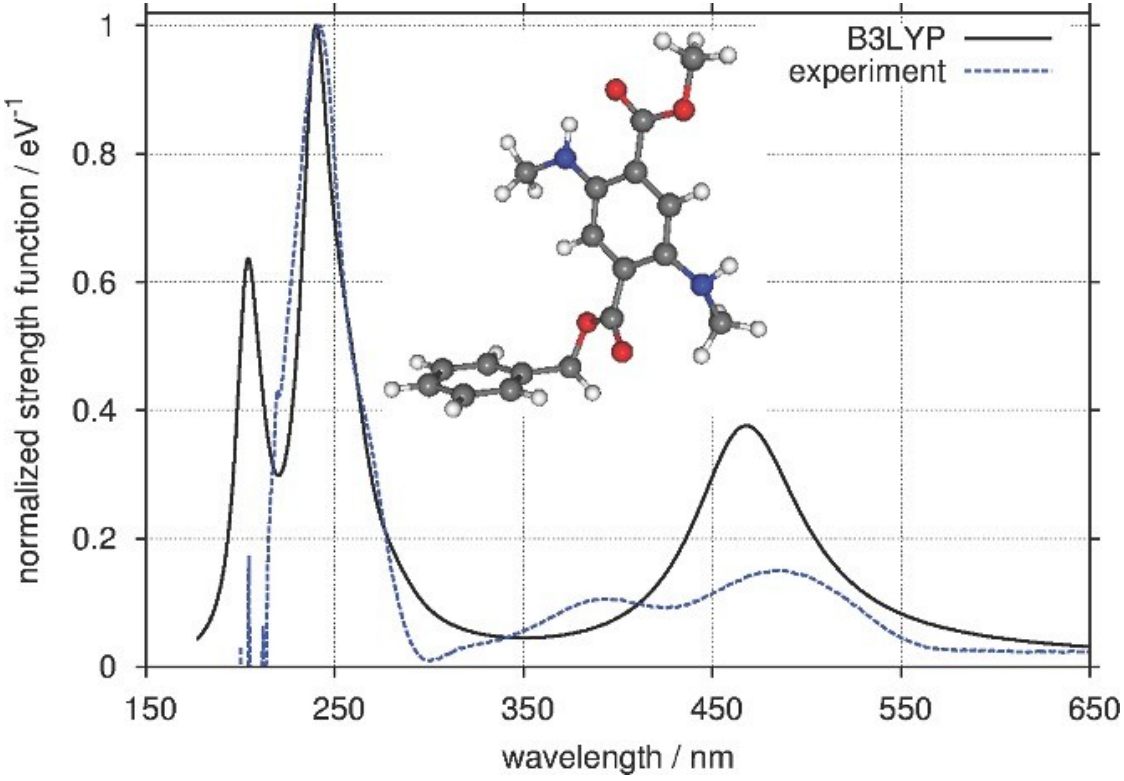
…or in e-h space (Casida eq.)…

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ B^* & A^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix} = \omega \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix}$$

$Tamm - Dancoff\ Approximation\ reduces\ equations\ to\ AX = \omega X$

$$A = \delta_{ij}\delta_{ab}(\epsilon_a - \epsilon_i) + K_{ia,jb}$$

$$K_{ia,jb} = (pq|\tfrac{1}{r_{12}}|rs) + (pq|f_{xc}|rs)$$



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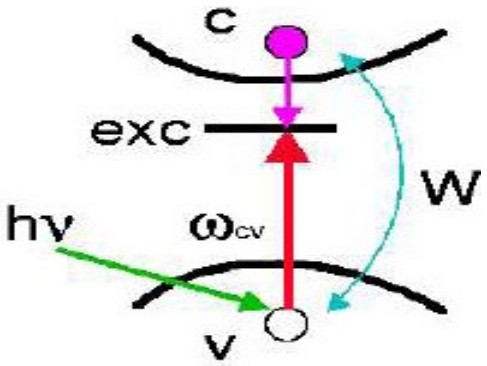


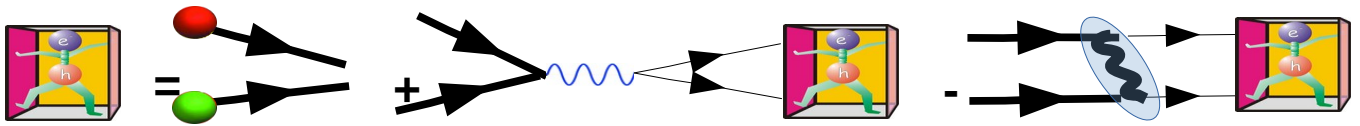


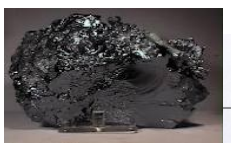




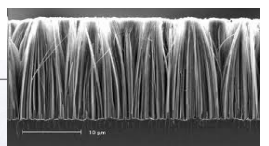

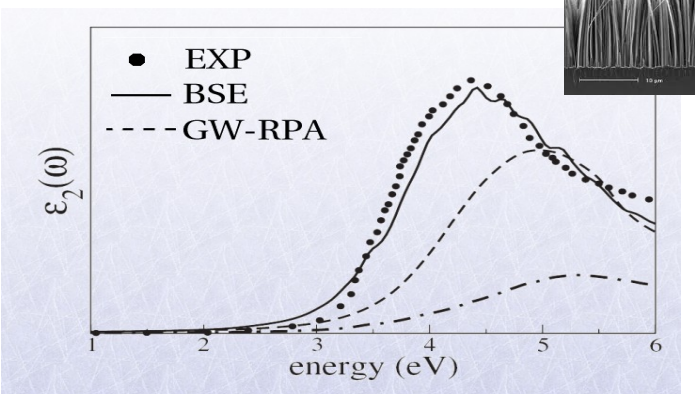


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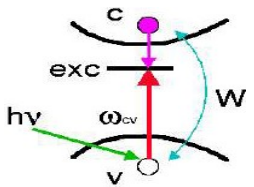
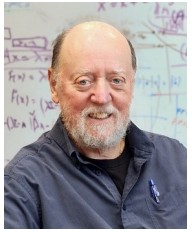



# Solving the Bethe-Salpeter equation

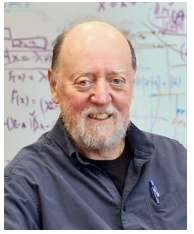
$$H^{BSE}_{cv\mathbf{k},c'v'\mathbf{k}} = H_0 + 2\bar{V} - W$$

Matrix size = $N_v$ x $N_c$ x N-kpoints

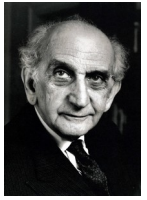
- Small size (Lapack)

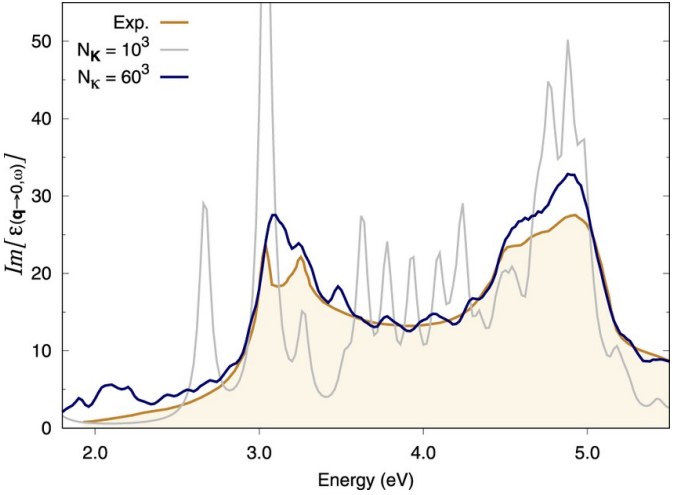


- Medium size (Scalpack, Magma,etc..)



- Big size (Haydock + Slepc)



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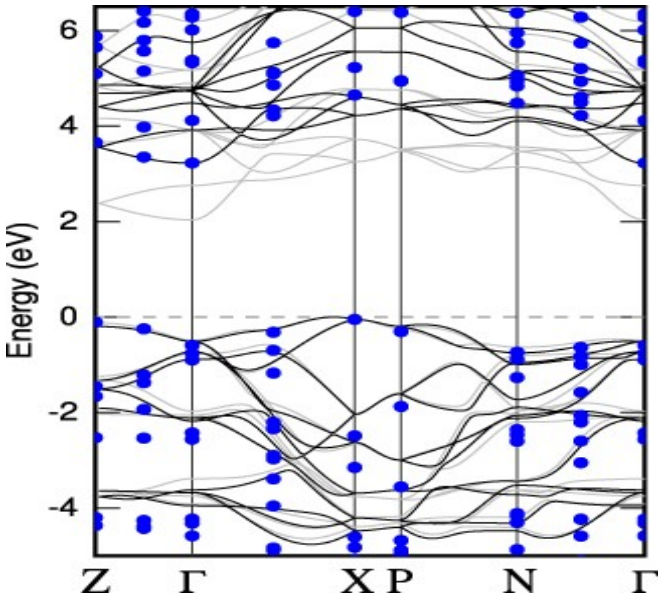
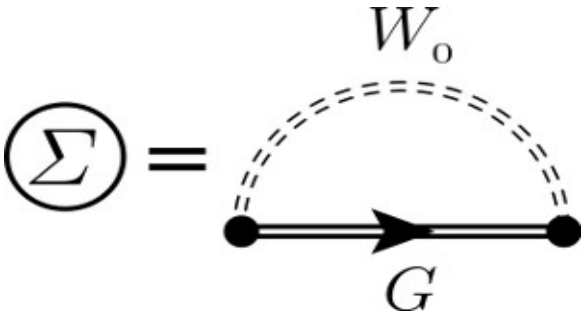



$$W(\omega) = \frac{V}{\epsilon(\omega)}$$




**GW is the first order correction in terms of screened interaction**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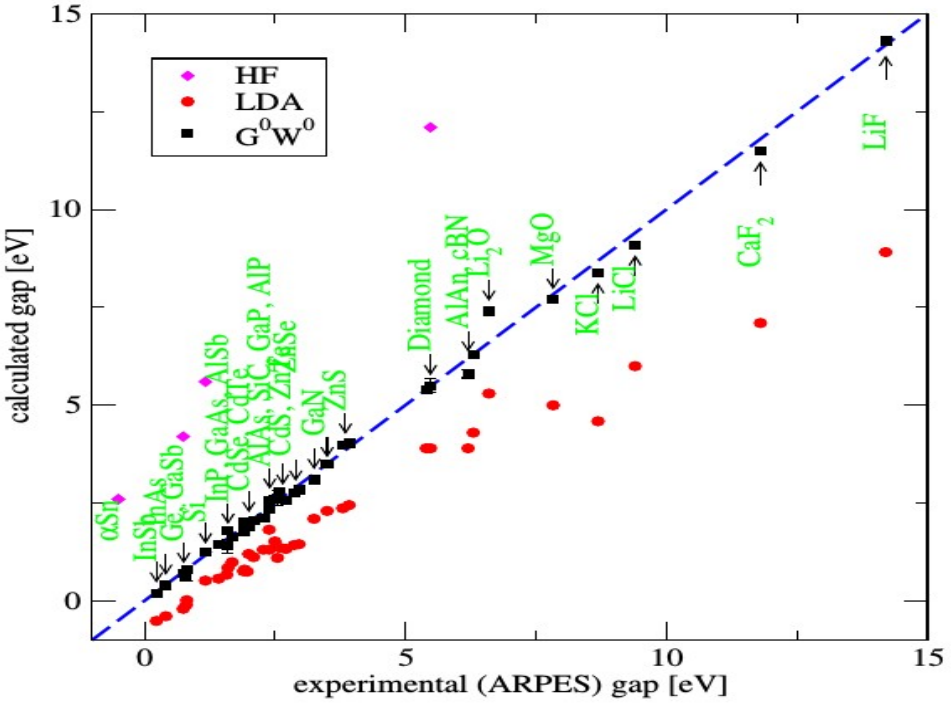

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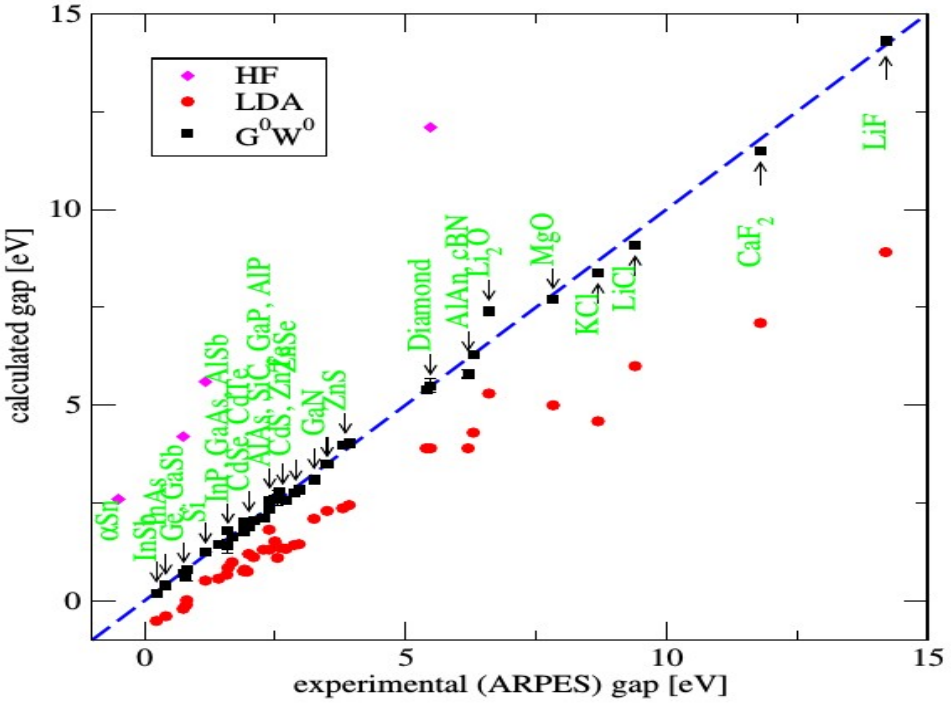
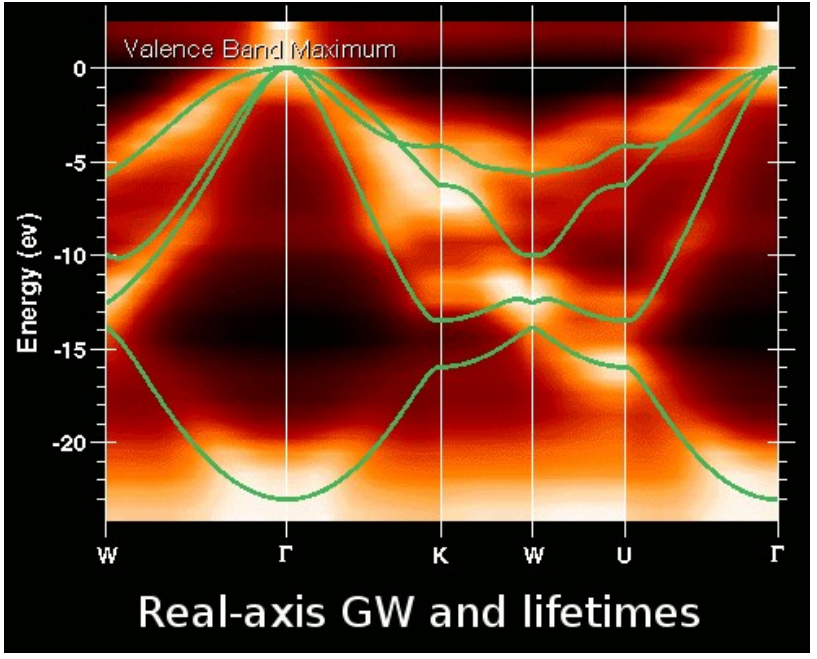
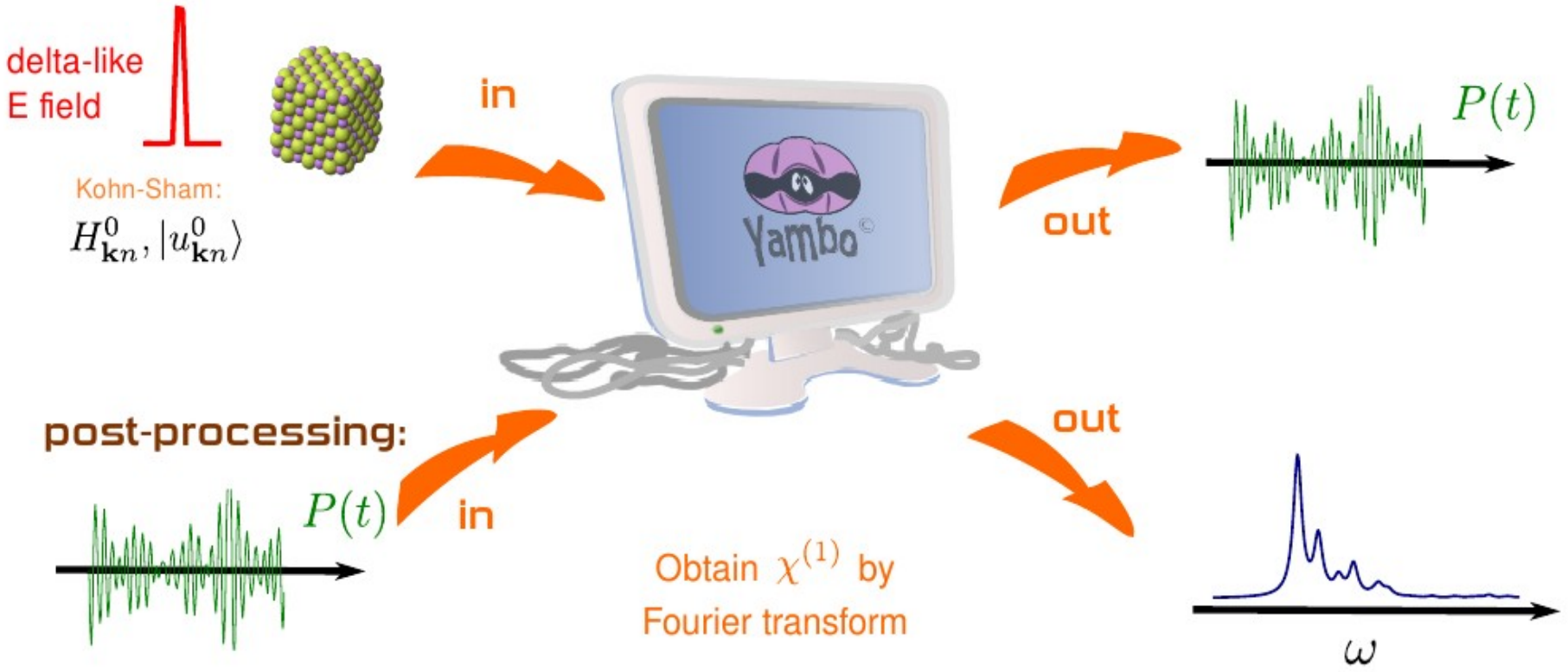


# Non-linear response

Solve Euler-Lagrange equations:

$$i|\dot{v}_{\mathbf{k},m}\rangle = \left(\hat{H}^0_{\mathbf{k}} + \hat{w}_{\mathbf{k}}(\boldsymbol{\mathcal{E}}) + \hat{w}^\dagger_{\mathbf{k}}(\boldsymbol{\mathcal{E}})\right)|v_{\mathbf{k},m}\rangle$$



# The Hamiltonian makes the difference

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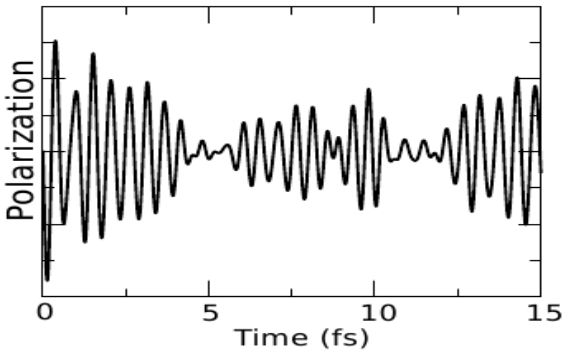


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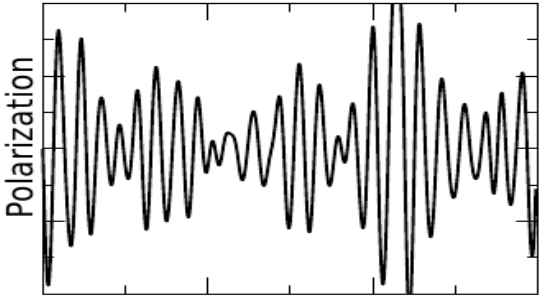


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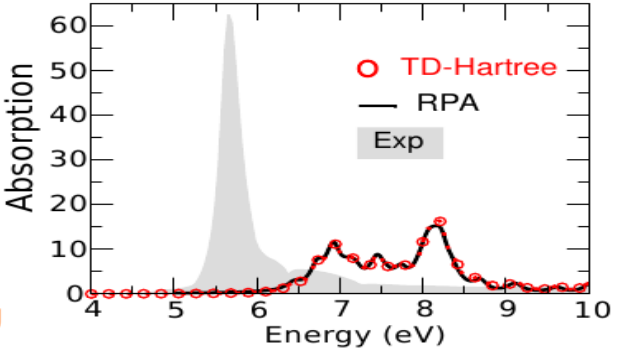


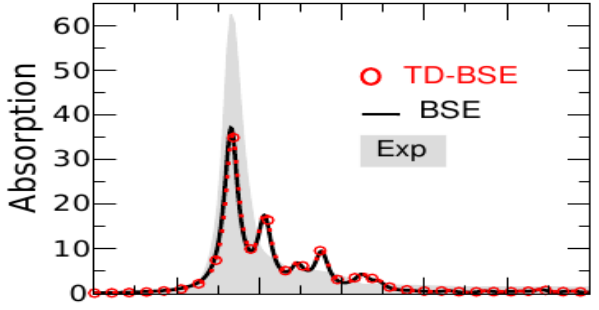

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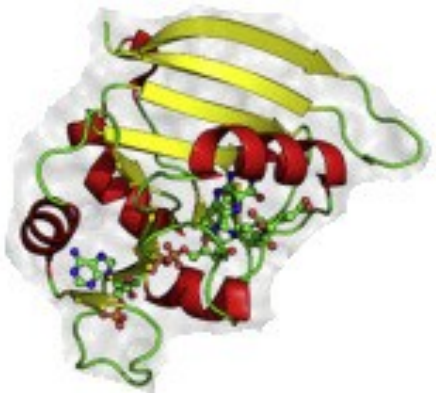

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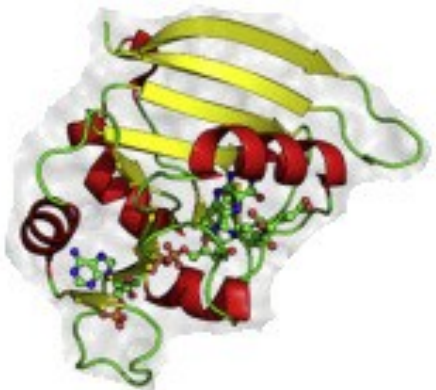

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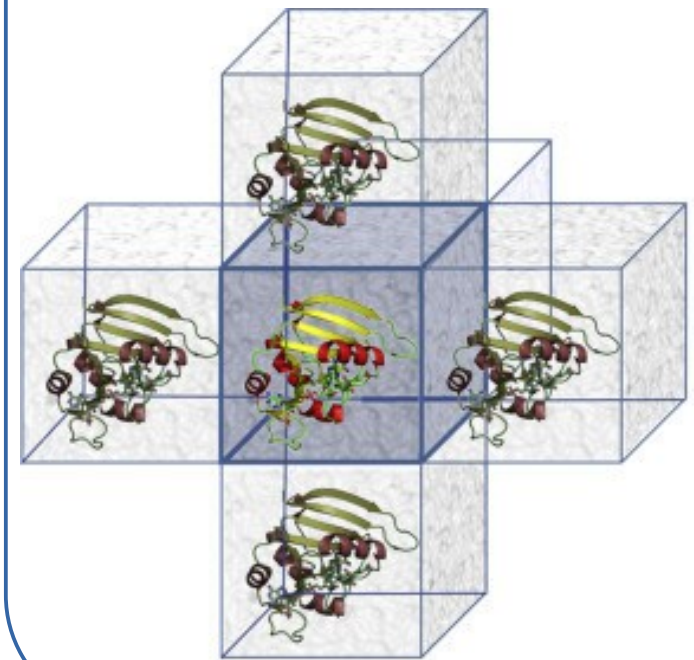

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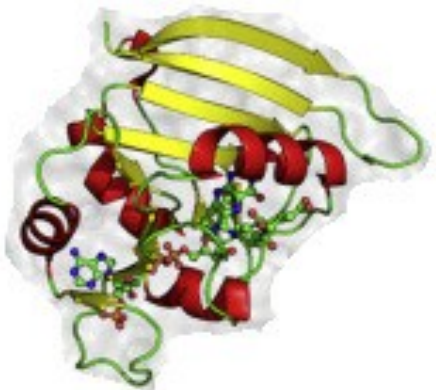

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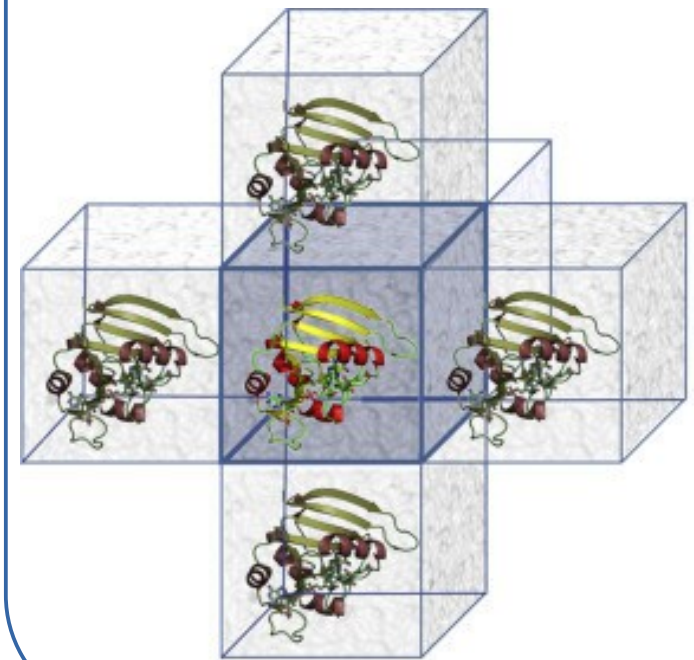

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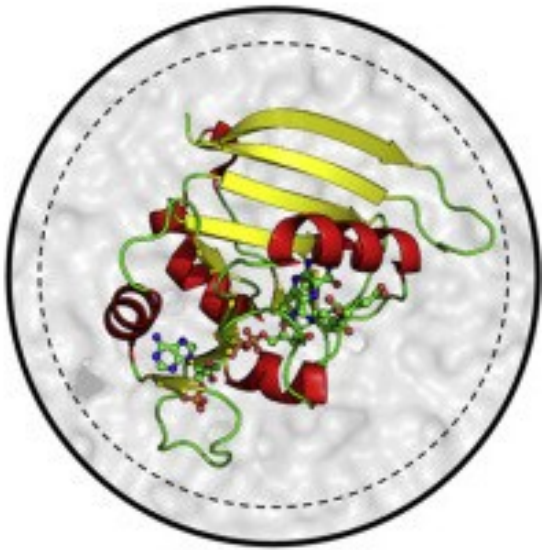

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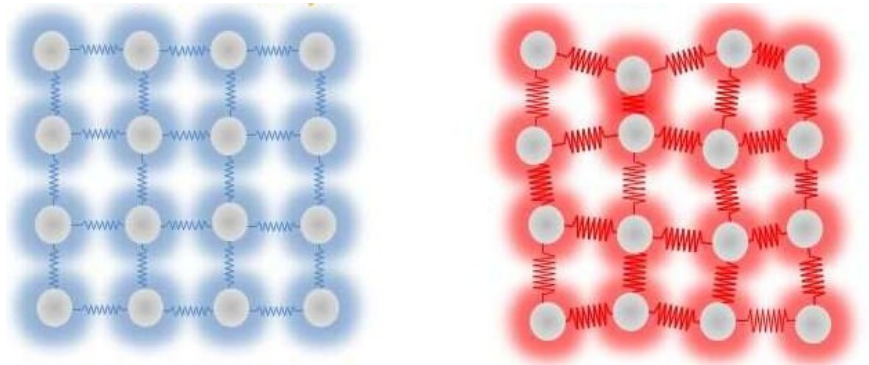

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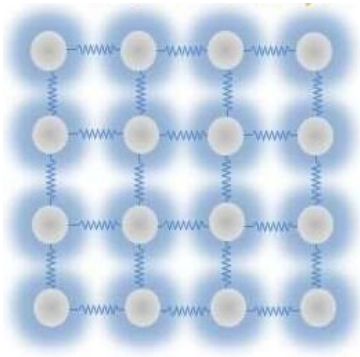
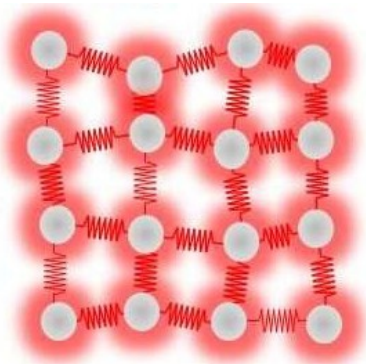
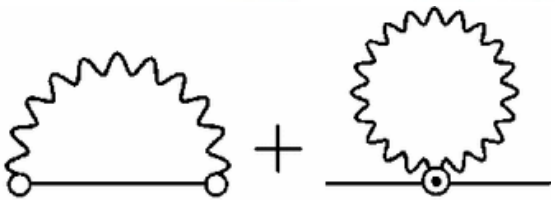




$$\Delta E_{n\mathbf{k}} =$$  SE +  DW

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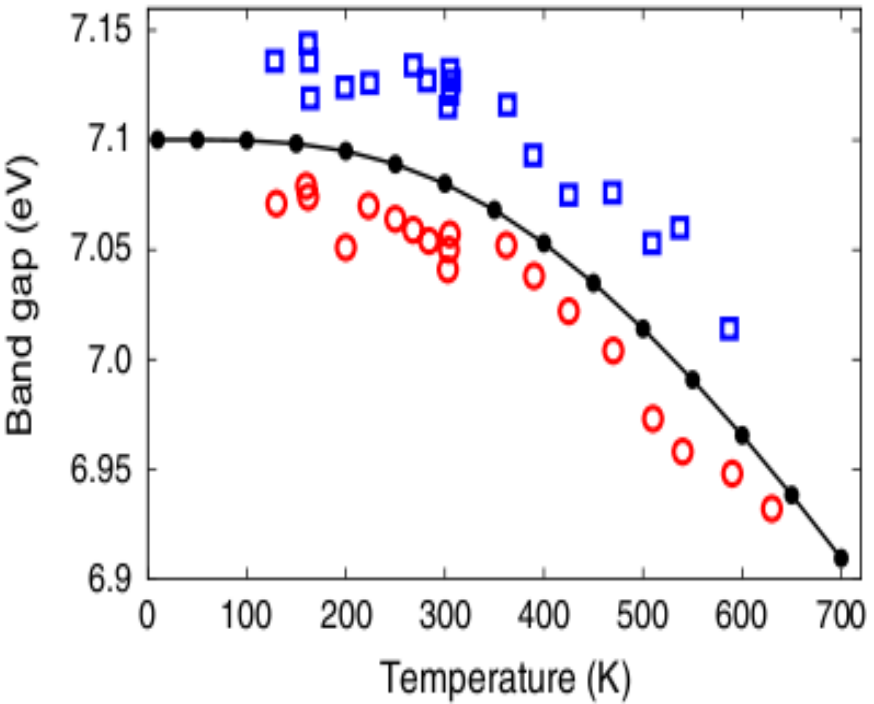

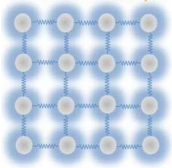
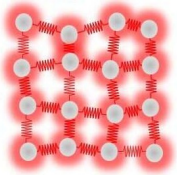

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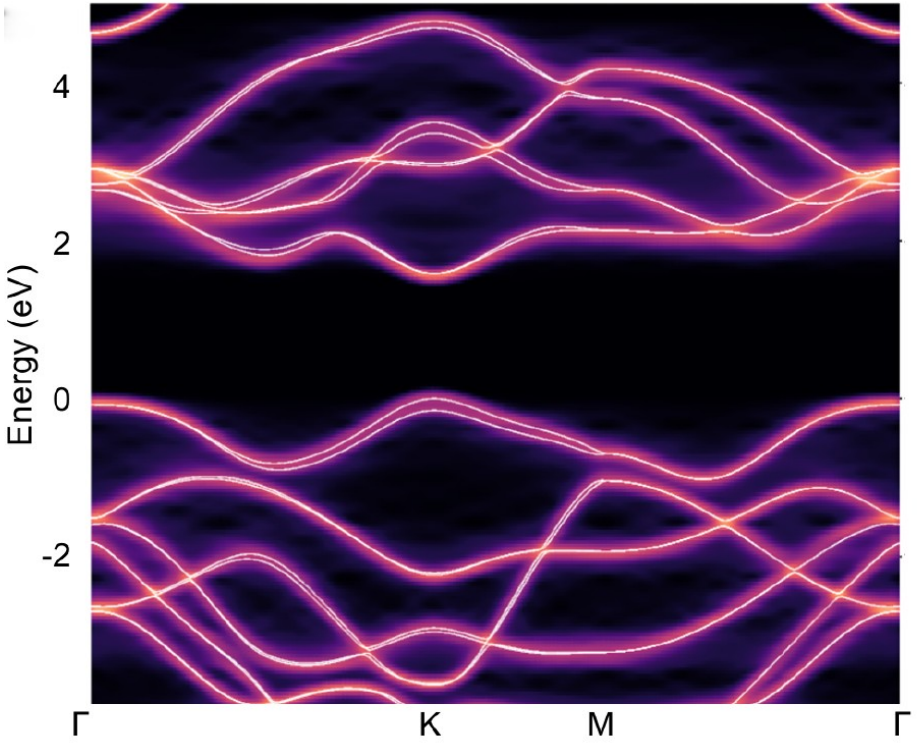


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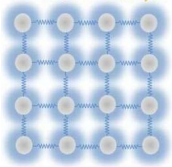
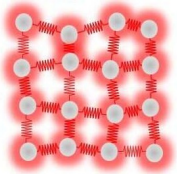

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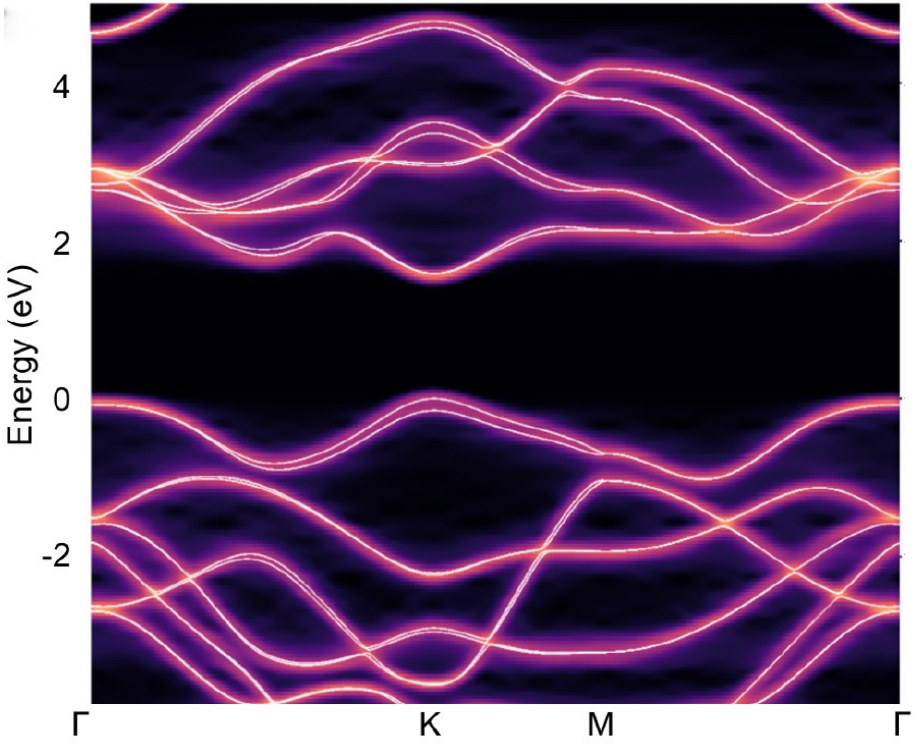


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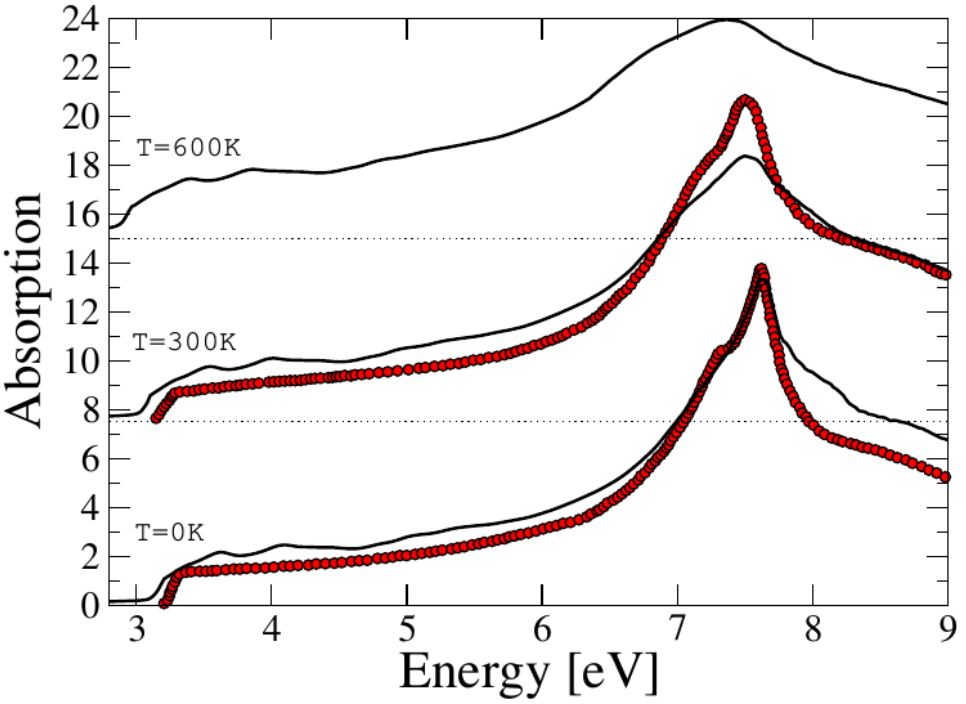


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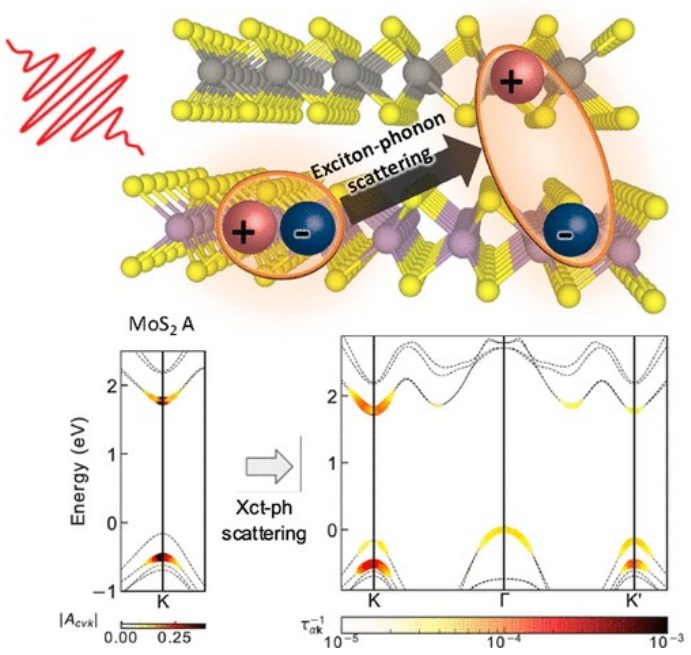


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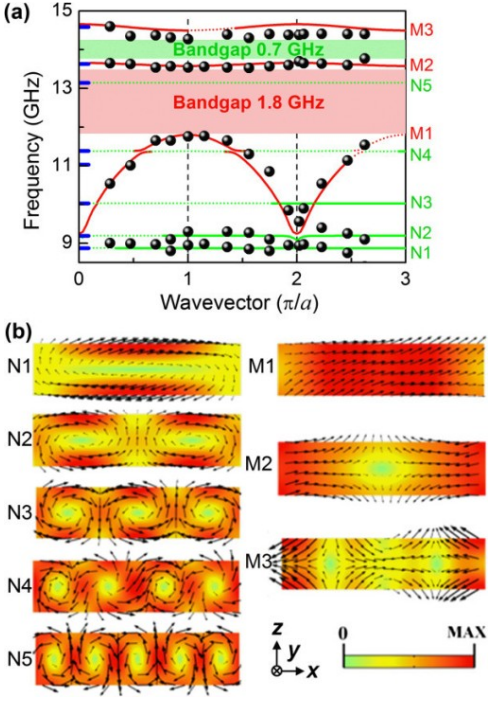

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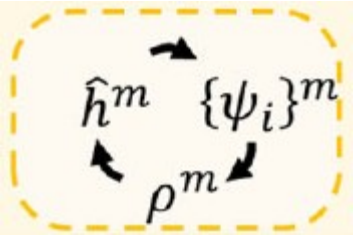

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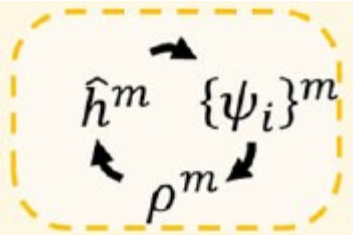


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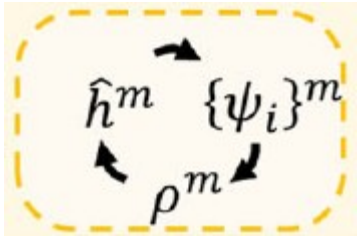


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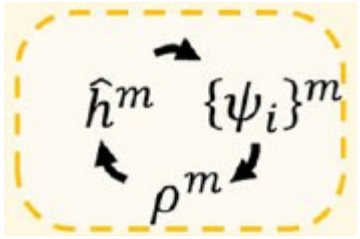


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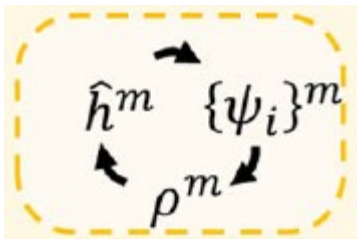


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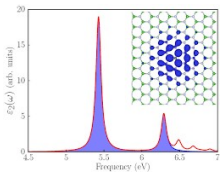

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   1 | 10 |                     # [Xd] Polarization function bands
%
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  7.50000 | 25.00000 |   eV  # [Xd] Energy range
%
% DmRngeXd
 0.100000 | 0.100000 |   eV  # [Xd] Damping range
%
ETStpsXd= 300                    # [Xd] Total Energy steps
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# What you really calculate?

**(1) Linear response (IP/RPA-NLF):** `yambo -optics c`

See (2)

$$\epsilon_{\alpha,\alpha}(\omega) = 1 + \frac{16\pi}{\Omega} \sum_{c,v} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{1}{E_{c\mathbf{k}} - E_{v\mathbf{k}}} \frac{|\langle v\mathbf{k}|\mathbf{p}_\alpha + i[V^{\mathrm{NL}}, \mathbf{r}_\alpha]|c\mathbf{k}\rangle|^2}{(E_{c\mathbf{k}} - E_{v\mathbf{k}})^2 - (\omega + i\gamma)^2}$$

```
% LongDrXd
 1.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
%
```
**E-field direction (for q=0)**
*Vector (cartesian coordinate)*
Refers to first q-point (`QpntsRXd`)

**DFT k-grid**

```
% EnRngeXd
 0.000 | 10.000 | eV
%
ETStpsXd = 100
```
**Energy grid in output**
*Range from 0 to 10 in 100 steps*

```
% BndsRnXd
 1 | 100 |
```
**Bands used (empty & filled)**
*Range from 1 to nbnd*
Reduce range to lower memory. In metals, includes partially filled bands. See also `EhEngyXd (-V all)`

```
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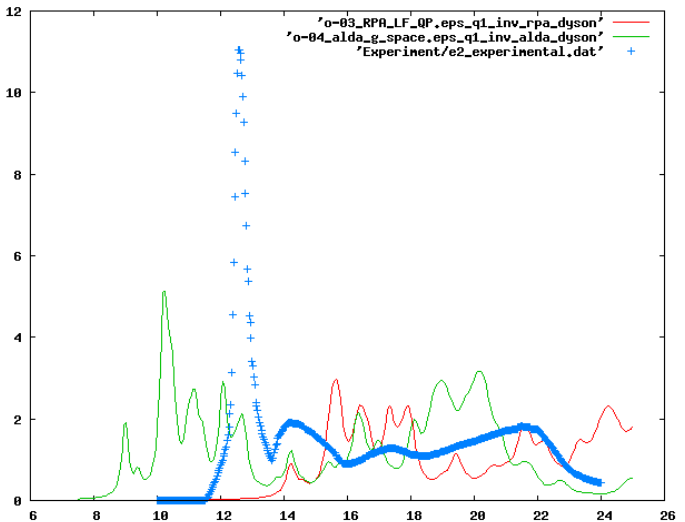


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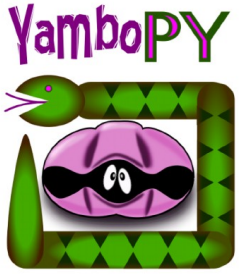


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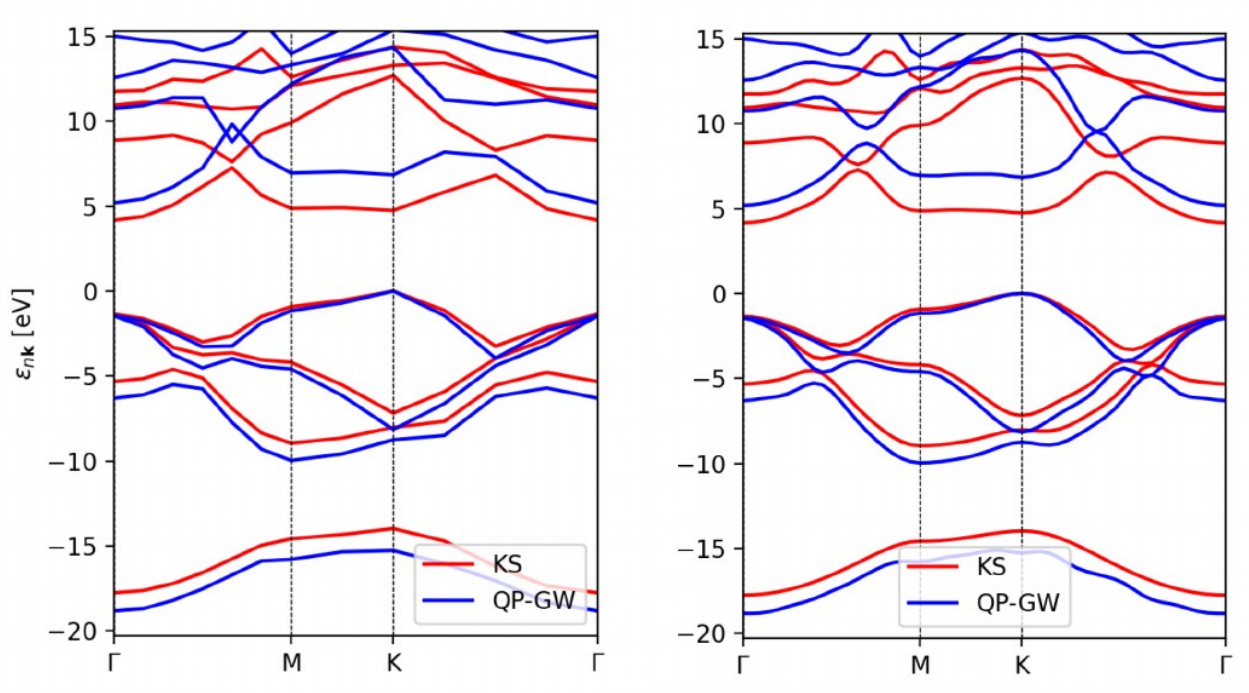

# YamboPy 2/4: visualization

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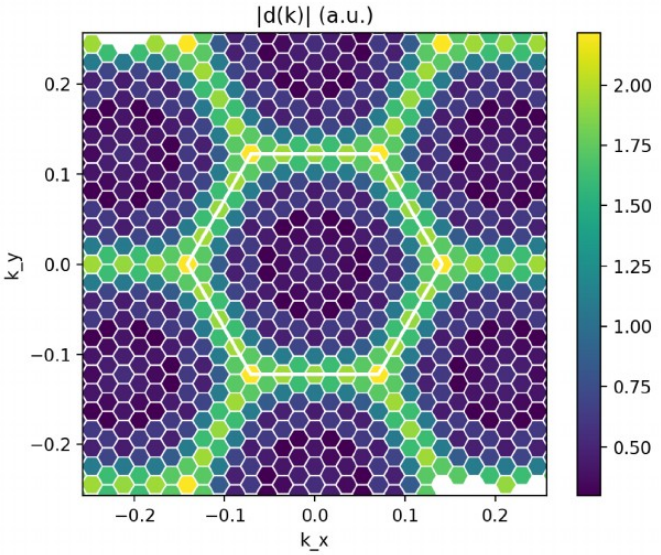


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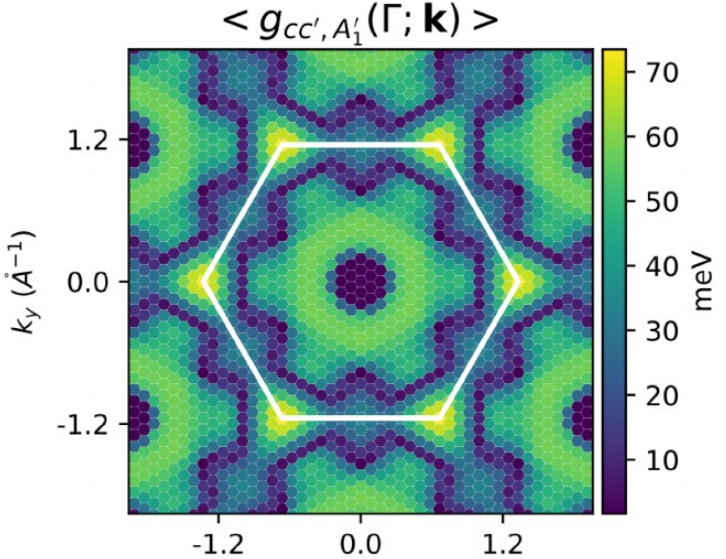
$$g^{\mu}_{cvk}(\mathbf{k},\mathbf{q}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\Omega_{q\mu}}}\langle ck|\partial_{q\mu}V_{\mathrm{SCF}}(\mathbf{q})|vk-q\rangle$$




Monolayer MoS2

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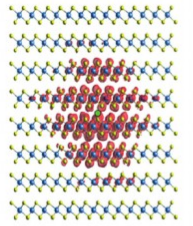

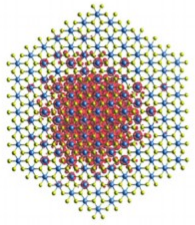

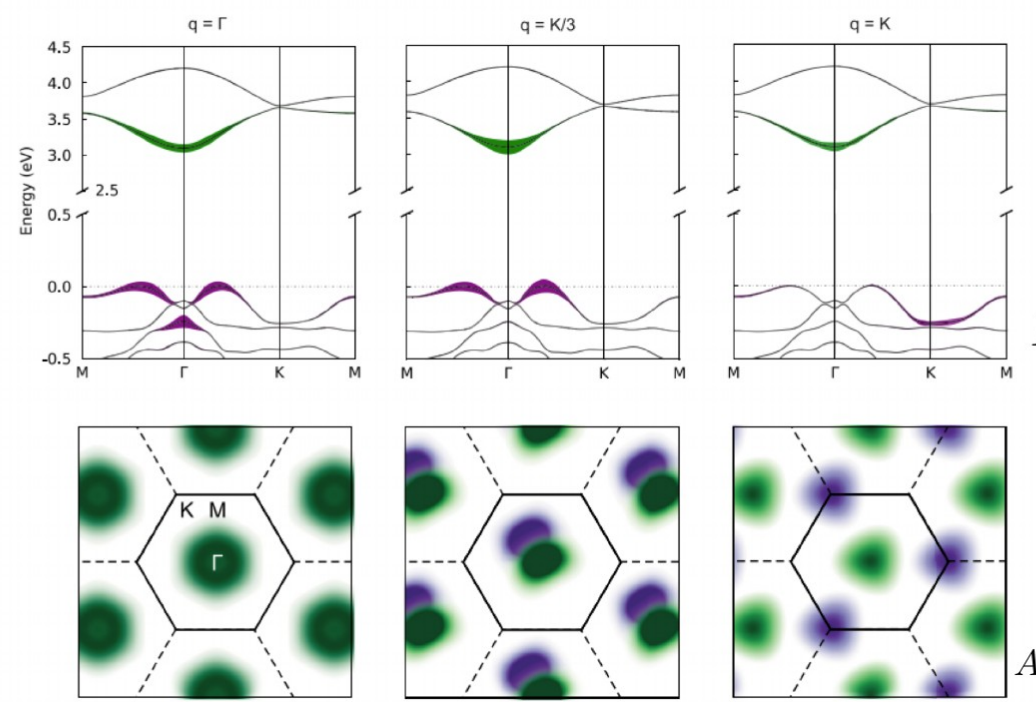


$E_\alpha(\mathbf{q})$

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Figure on bulk BiI3 by Jorge Cervantes-Villanueva.
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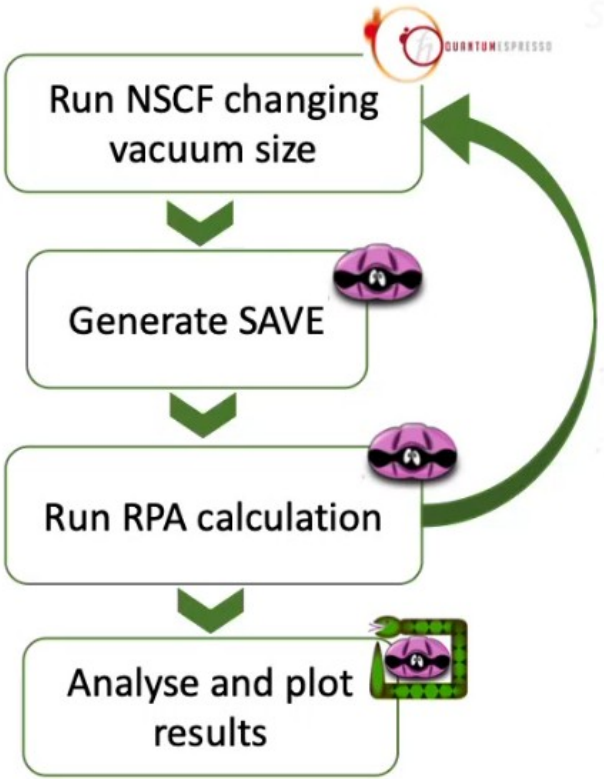
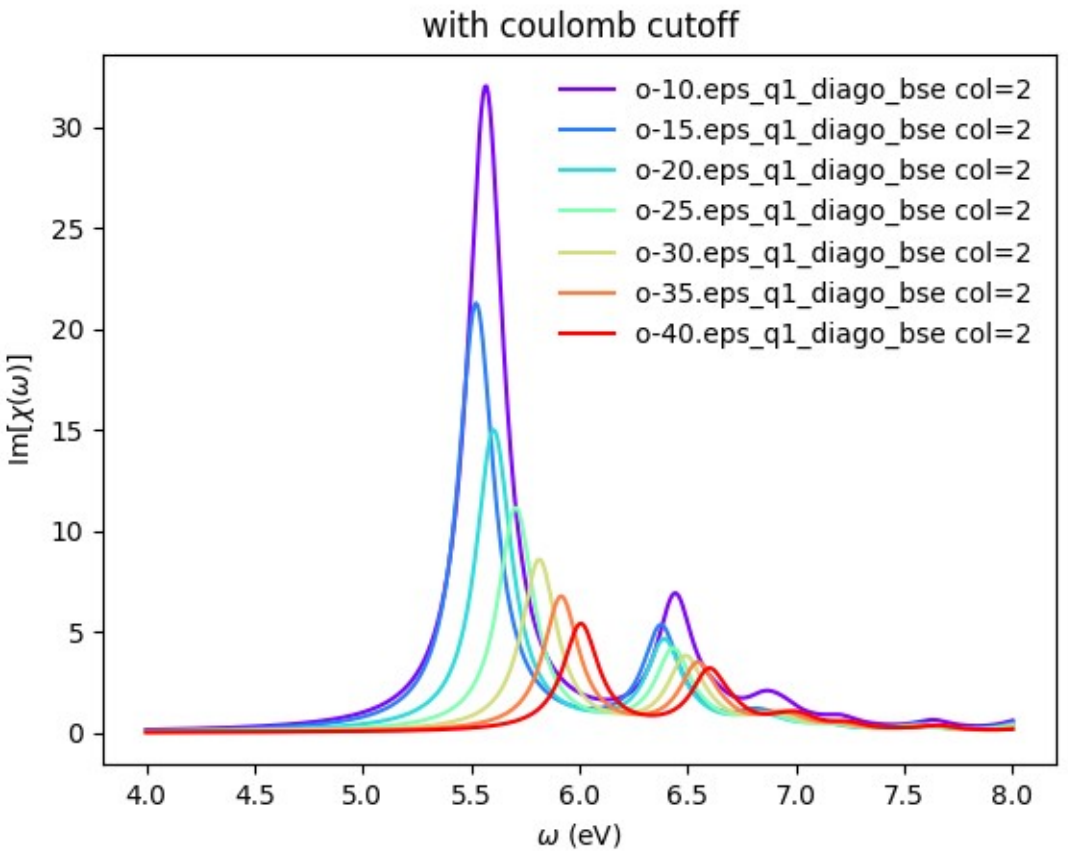
# YamboPy 4/4: workflow

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# Installation

MacOS vs Linux vs Windows

## Required libraries (included in Yambo)

- Lapack/Blas
- NetCDF (to be removed soon)
- HDF5

## Optional libraries

- Scalapack
- Slepc/Petsc
- Yaml/Magma etc….

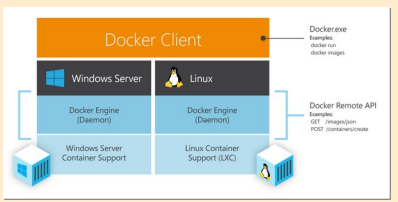
## Installation instructions

Spack

- Linux Ubuntu/LinuxMint
  (gfortran| intel | nvdia)
- MacOSX (ARM)
- Machine specific (Leonardo, Irene,..)

## Virtual Machines

Docker

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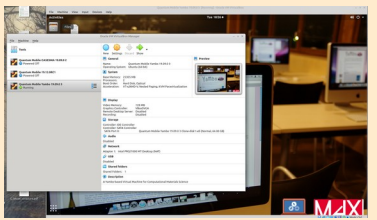

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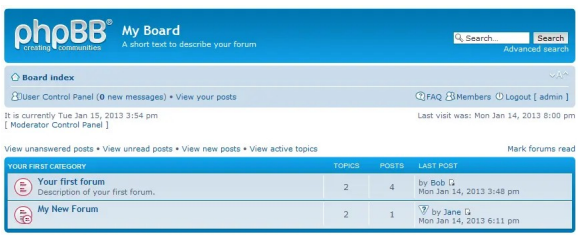


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