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It provides approximation of the spectrum and eigenvectors for a very large class of  $N$ -body Hamiltonians [1].

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The basic idea of the ET is to approximate this hamiltonian with a set of **harmonic oscillator (HO) Hamiltonian** [2].

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⇒ Auxiliary field method



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lead to a set of three equations called **compact equations of the ET** [4].

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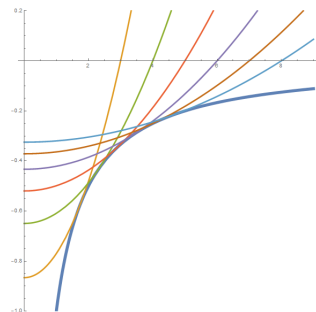
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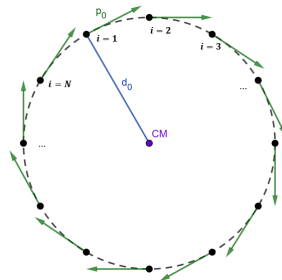
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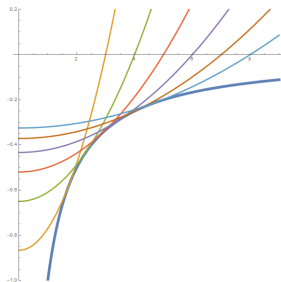
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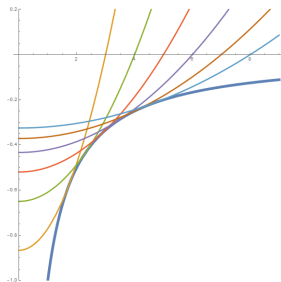
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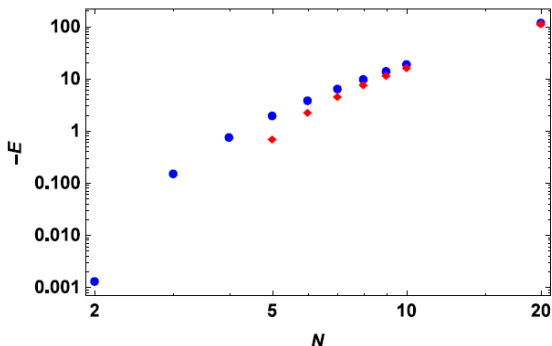
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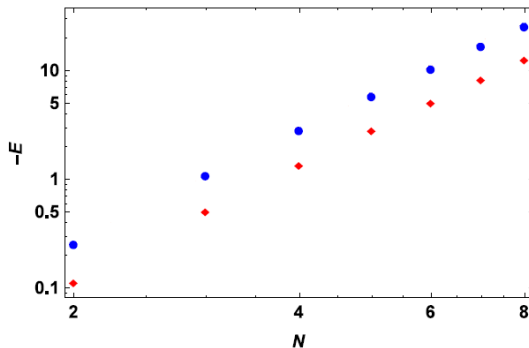


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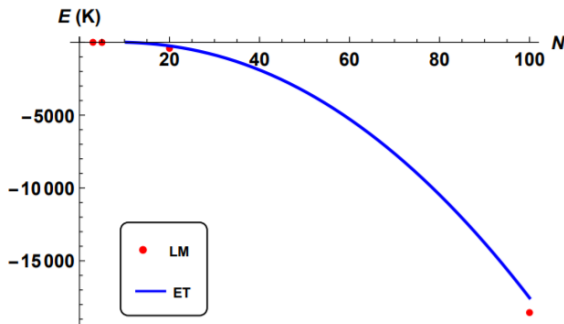


**Figure:** Binding energy for self-gravitating bosons (coulomb interaction) - Exact results in circles, ET results in diamonds.

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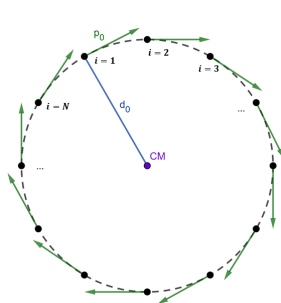
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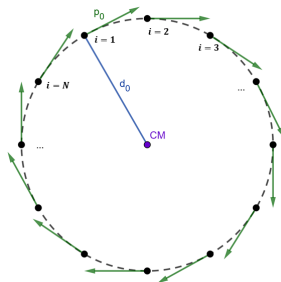
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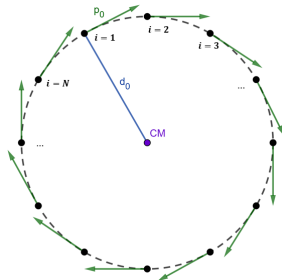


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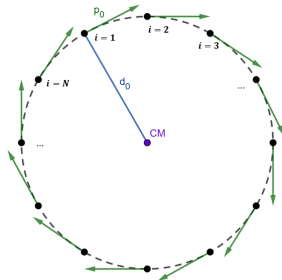
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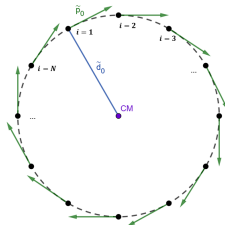
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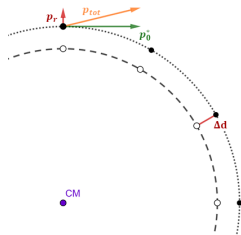
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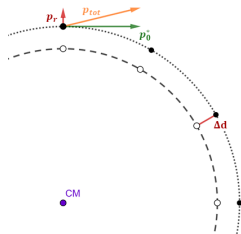
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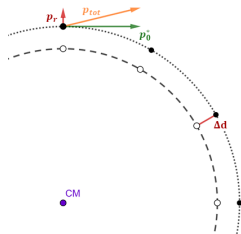
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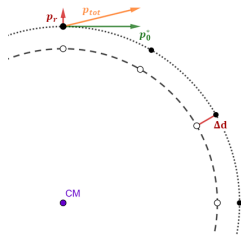
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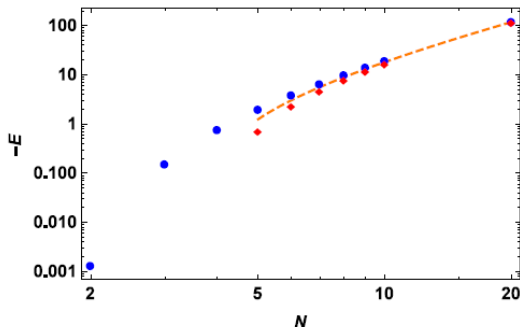
⇒ Final spectrum:

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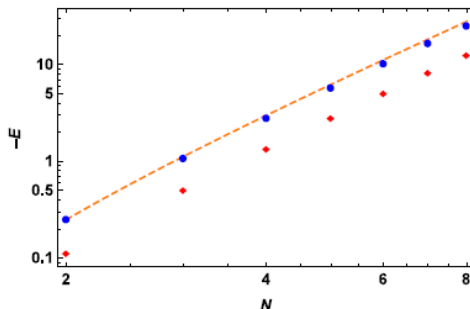


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Recap of the necessary informations about ET

Compact equations of ET ( $N_a + 1$  particles): [5]

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E = N_a T_a(p'_a) + T_b(P_0) + C_{N_a}^2 V_{aa}(r_{aa}) + N_a V_{ab}(r'_0) \\ N_a T'_a(p'_a) \frac{p_a^2}{p'_a} = C_{N_a} V'_{aa}(r_{aa}) r_{aa} + \frac{N_a-1}{2} V'_{ab}(r'_0) \frac{r_{aa}^2}{r'_0} \\ T'_b(P_0) P_0 + \frac{1}{N_a} T'_a(p'_a) \frac{P_0^2}{p'_a} = N_a V'_{ab}(r'_0) \frac{R_0^2}{r'_0} \\ p_a r_{aa} \sqrt{C_{N_a}^2} = Q(N_a) \\ P_0 R_0 = Q(2) \end{array} \right.$$

- with  $p_a'^2 = p_a^2 + \frac{p_0^2}{N_a^2}$  and  $r_0'^2 = \frac{N_a-1}{2N_a} r_{aa}^2 + R_0^2$

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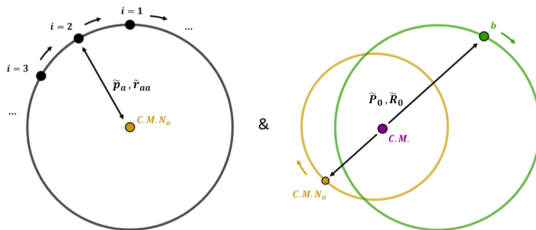
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$$m = \sqrt{\mu_a \mu_b},$$

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(0, 0, 0, 0)	0.1	5.288	5.597	5.5	5.307	0.4
	10	14.506	15.352	5.8	14.699	1.3
(0, 0, 1, 1)	0.1	7.515	7.868	4.7	7.625	1.5
	10	20.340	21.580	6.1	21.032	3.4
(1, 0, 0, 0)	0.1	8.067	8.570	6.2	8.010	0.7
	10	19.134	20.272	5.9	19.291	0.8
(0, 1, 0, 0)	0.1	6.750	6.970	3.2	6.571	2.7
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$(n_a, n_b, l_a, l_b)$	$\kappa$	Exact [8,9]	ET	$\Delta(\%)$	DOSM	$\Delta(\%)$
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(0,0,1,1)	0.1	7.515	7.868	<b>4.7</b>	7.625	<b>1.5</b>
	10	20.340	21.580	<b>6.1</b>	21.032	<b>3.4</b>
(1,0,0,0)	0.1	8.067	8.570	<b>6.2</b>	8.010	<b>0.7</b>
	10	19.134	20.272	<b>5.9</b>	19.291	<b>0.8</b>
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