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# Title - Critical quantum liquids and the cuprate high temperature superconductors

### Abstract

Complex many-electron entanglement can give rise to quantum states of matter that lack any well-defined particle-like excitations. Recent theoretical advances in understanding such states have provided significant insight into the diverse phases of the cuprate superconductors, including high-temperature superconductivity. One such critical state is a particular quantum spin liquid, in which the charge of some electrons is localized, while their spins remain entangled in a scale-invariant manner; it offers a description of the pseudogap phase. Another distinct critical state is associated with the collective dynamics of electron charge, characteristic of the strange metal regime; its theoretical description builds on concepts from the Sachdev-Ye-Kitaev (SYK) model.

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