# Quadratic Scaling Bosonic Path Integral Molecular Dynamics

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Molecular simulations



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#### **Bosonic Exchange**

- Quantum symmetry is a fundamental property of quantum particles.
- Exchange effects at finite T are important for many systems

$$\psi(q_1, q_2) = \psi(q_2, q_1)$$

## **Bosonic Exchange Effects**





Netanel Bachar Schwartz

Wang et al. Nature 574, 76-80 (2019) Tran, Moody et al. Nature 567, 71–75 (2019)



## Path-Integral Molecular Dynamics



$$Z \sim \frac{1}{6} \int \left( e^{-\beta E^{(1)(2)(3)}} \right)$$

$$\Big) d\boldsymbol{q}_1 d\boldsymbol{q}_2 d\boldsymbol{q}_3$$

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$$Z \sim \frac{1}{6} \int \left( e^{-\beta E^{(1)(2)(3)}} + e^{-\beta E^{(12)(3)}} + e^{-\beta E^{(12)(2)}} + e^{-\beta E^{(13)(2)}} \right) d\mathbf{q}_1 d\mathbf{q}_2 d\mathbf{q}_3$$





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# Scaling of Bosonic Path-Integral MD

N =#bosons, P =#beads

All permutations:  $\mathcal{O}(PN!)$ Hirshberg et al.:  $\mathcal{O}(PN^3) \leftarrow \sim 100$  bosons

This work:  $\mathcal{O}(N^2 + PN) \leftarrow > 1000$  bosons

Hirshberg et al. PNAS 2019

### Speedup $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{PN})$



#### **1600** Particles

#### 9 days of simulation rather than > 20 years

2D density of N = 1600 trapped bosons without and with Gaussian repulsive interaction



#### 1372 Particles

#### 7 days of simulation rather than > 14 years

Pair correlation of N = 1372 <sup>4</sup>He atoms



Feldman and Hirshberg. JCP 2023

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#### Hirshberg et al.'s Algorithm

Potential:  

$$e^{-\beta V^{[1,N]}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{N} e^{-\beta [V^{[1,N-k]} + E^{[N-k+1,N]}]}$$

$$\mathcal{O}(PN^3)$$
 to evaluate

Forces:

$$-\nabla_{q_{\ell}^{j}}V^{[1,N]} = \cdots$$

 $\mathcal{O}(PN^3)$  to evaluate

## Our Algorithm

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#### **Evaluating the Forces**

$$-\nabla_{q_{\ell}^{j}}V^{[1,N]} = -\nabla_{q_{\ell}^{j}}(\underbrace{\rho}_{\ell})$$

$$(j \neq 1, P)$$

O(PN) to evaluate for N(P-2) interior beads

$$-\nabla_{q_{\ell}^{P}}V^{[1,N]} = \sum_{\ell'=1}^{N} \Pr\left[\ell \to \ell'\right] \cdot -\nabla_{q_{\ell}^{P}}(Q)$$



 $\mathcal{O}(N^2)$  to evaluate for 2N exterior beads

# Conclusion



- Bosonic path integral molecular dynamics in quadratic time
- Same potential, forces & trajectories only faster

- > 1000 bosons in days rather than decades
- Eliminates most of the overhead of bosonic exchange in PIMD



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