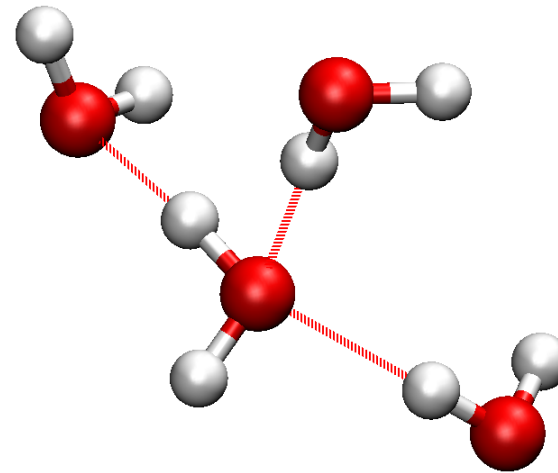


Ring polymer molecular dynamics simulations of aqueous systems

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Quantum effects in water

	H₂O	D₂O	
Melting point / °C	0	4	
Molar volume / cm ³	18.069	18.133	
	↑	↑	
	Classically identical		
Diffusion coefficient (25 °C) / Å ps ⁻²	0.23	0.18	Ratio: 1.28

Classical ratio is **1.05**
(Boltzmann RMS speed)

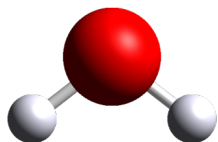
$$\text{ZPE}_{\text{H}_2\text{O}} > \text{ZPE}_{\text{D}_2\text{O}}$$

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On average, $D_{qm} / D_{cl} \sim 1.5$

Empirical water models

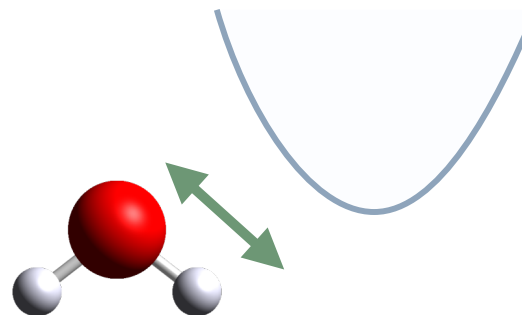


Rigid models

Intramolecular ZPE ignored

SPC/E

TIP4P



Harmonic models

Non-physical vibration

SPC/F

SPC/RW

Parameterization against experimental data

“double-counts” quantum effects

**Flexible, anharmonic model
parameterized for quantum simulations: q-TIP4P/F**

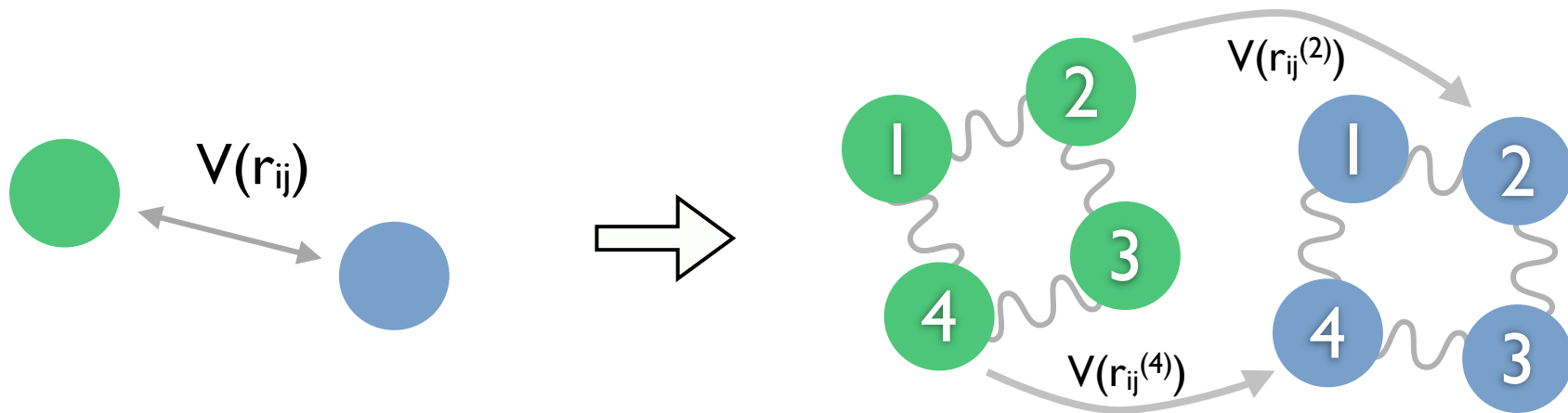
Path integral molecular dynamics

$$\langle A \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \text{Tr} \left[e^{-\beta \hat{H}} \hat{A} \right] \quad \xrightarrow{\text{Path integral}} \quad \langle A \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi\hbar Z_n} \int d\mathbf{p}^n d\mathbf{q}^n e^{-\frac{\beta}{n} H_n(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q})} A_n(\mathbf{q})$$

3Nn-dimensional
integral

$$A_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n A(q_j)$$

$$H_n(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \sum_{j=1}^n \left[\frac{p_j^2}{2m_j} + V(q_j) + \frac{m_j (n k_B T)^2}{2\hbar^2} (q_j - q_{j-1})^2 \right]$$



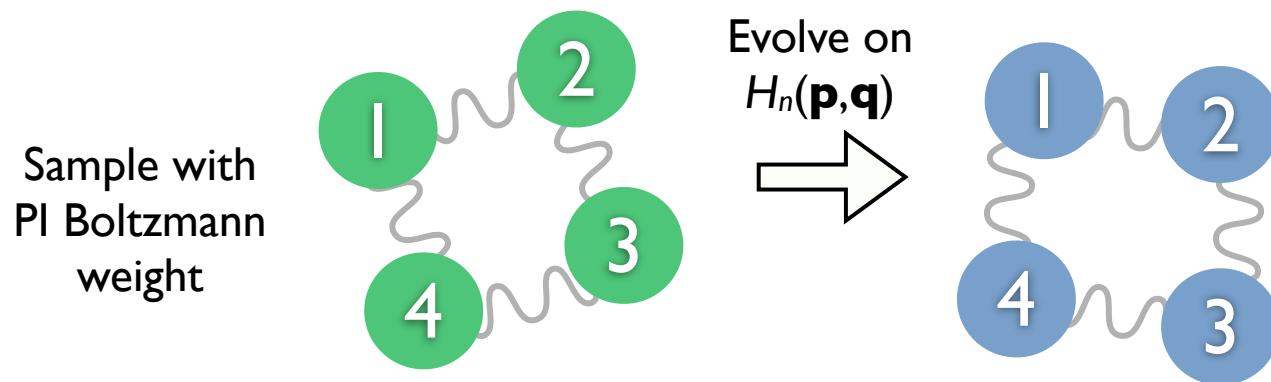
Exact quantum properties from n classical simulations

Ring polymer molecular dynamics (RPMD)*

$$\tilde{C}_{AB}(t) = \frac{1}{\beta Z} \int_0^\beta d\lambda \text{Tr} \left[e^{-(\beta-\lambda)\hat{H}} \hat{A} e^{-\lambda\hat{H}} e^{i\hat{H}t/\hbar} \hat{B} e^{-i\hat{H}t/\hbar} \right] \Rightarrow D = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^\infty \tilde{C}_{\mathbf{v}\cdot\mathbf{v}}(t) dt$$

$$\tilde{C}_{AB} \approx \frac{1}{2\pi\hbar Z_n} \int d\mathbf{p}^n d\mathbf{q}^n e^{-\frac{\beta}{n} H_n(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q})} A_n(0) B_n(t)$$

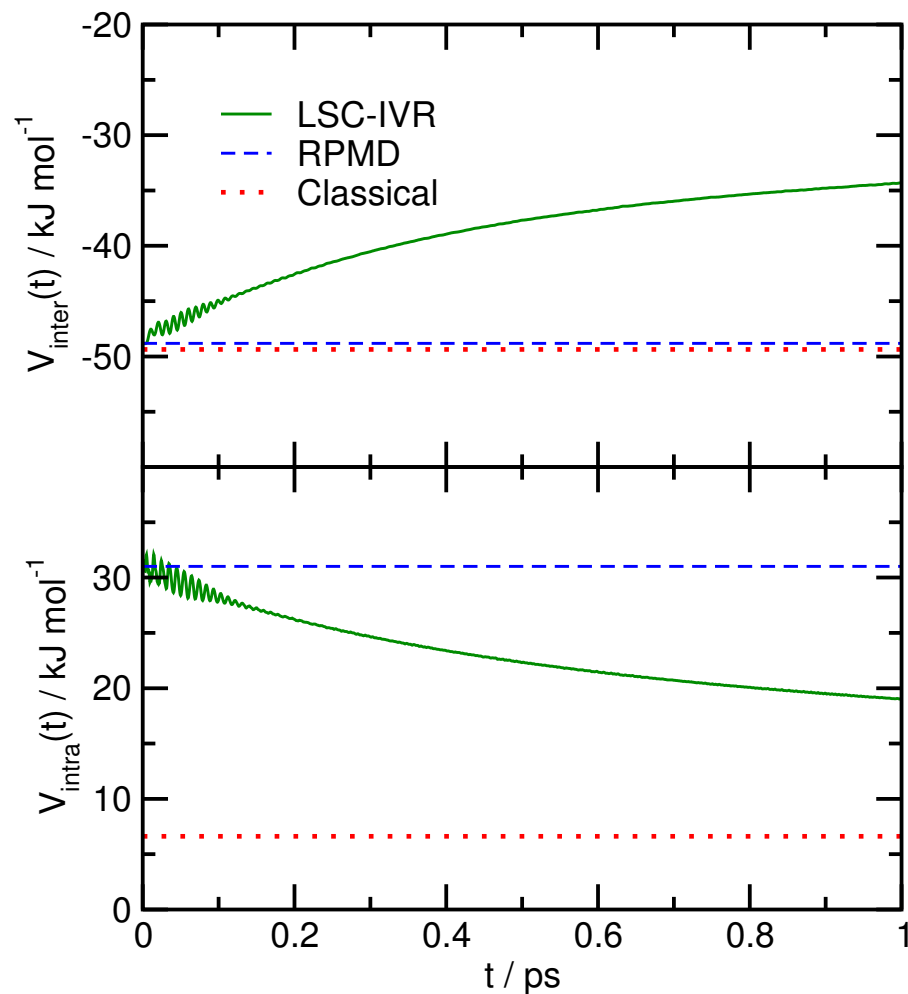
$$A_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n A(q_j)$$



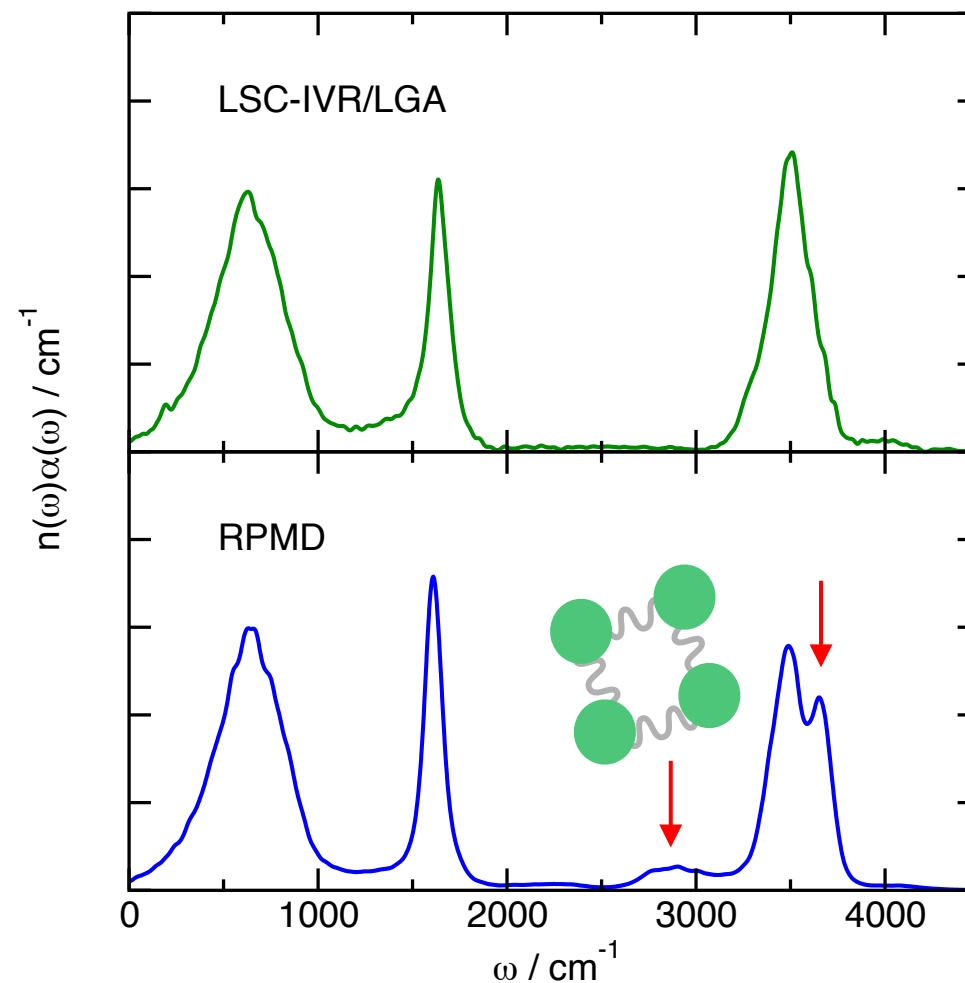
- *Exact* for SHO for linear A and/or B
- *Exact* at $t = 0$ and high-T limits
- Same symmetries as exact quantum TCF

Zero-point energy leakage*

Quantum simulations of simple flexible water model



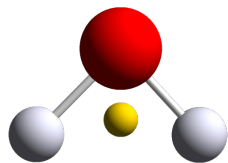
RPMD conserves quantum
Boltzmann distribution *at all times*



RPMD exhibits spurious Matsubara
frequencies in vibrational spectra

q-TIP4P/F water model*

4-site flexible *anharmonic* water model

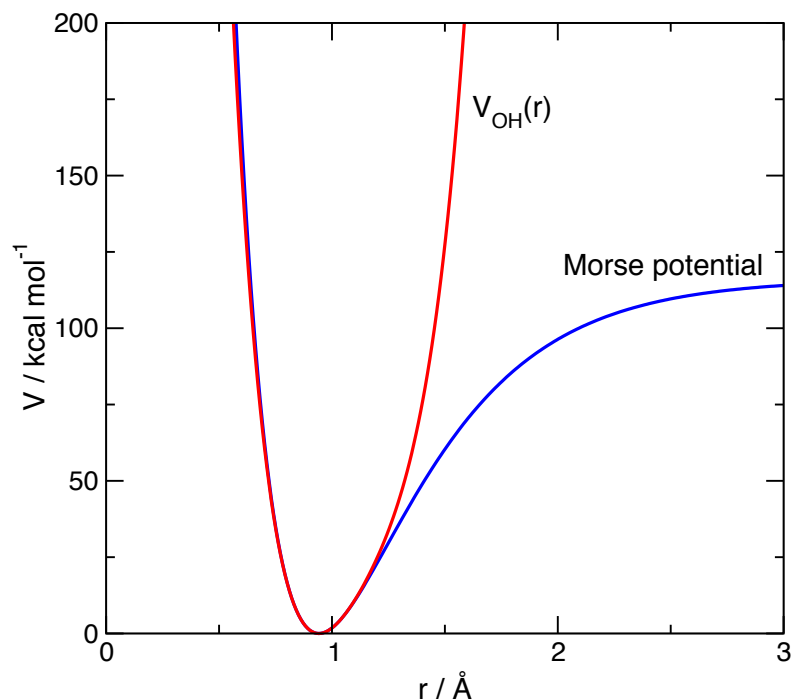


$$\mathbf{r}_M = \gamma \mathbf{r}_O + (1 - \gamma)[\mathbf{r}_{H1} + \mathbf{r}_{H2}]/2$$

$$V = V_{inter} + V_{intra}$$

$$V_{inter} = \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \left\{ 4\epsilon \left[\left(\frac{\sigma}{r_{ij}} \right)^{12} - \left(\frac{\sigma}{r_{ij}} \right)^6 \right] + \sum_{m \in i} \sum_{n \in j} \frac{q_m q_n}{r_{mn}} \right\}$$

Parameters from Vega's TIP4P/2005 (rigid)



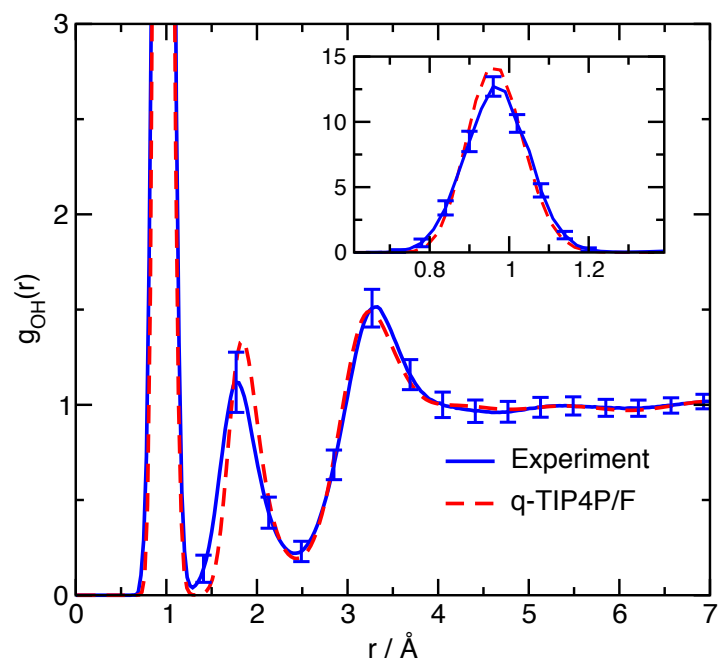
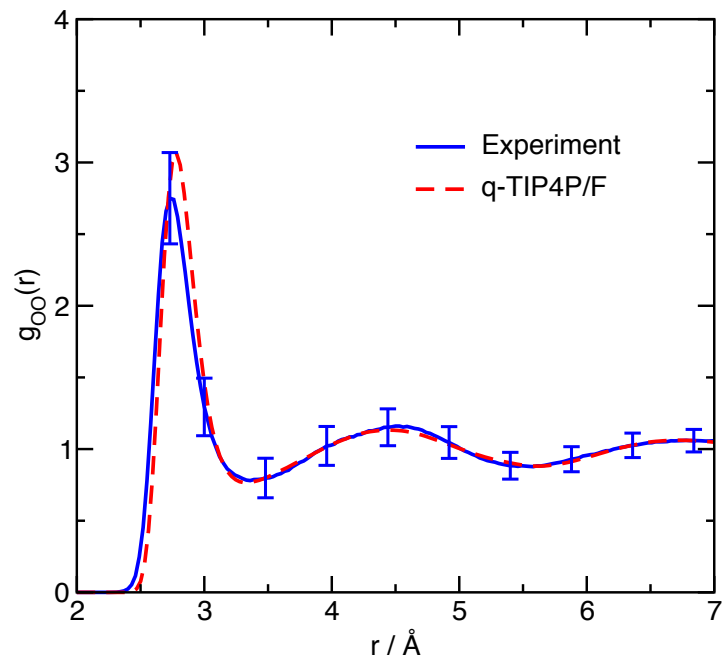
$$V_{intra} = \sum_i \left[V_{OH}(r_{i1}) + V_{OH}(r_{i2}) + \frac{1}{2} k_\theta (\theta_i - \theta_{eq})^2 \right]$$

$$V_{OH}(r) = D_r \left[\alpha_r^2 (r - r_{eq})^2 - \alpha_r^3 (r - r_{eq})^3 + \frac{7}{12} \alpha_r^4 (r - r_{eq})^4 \right]$$

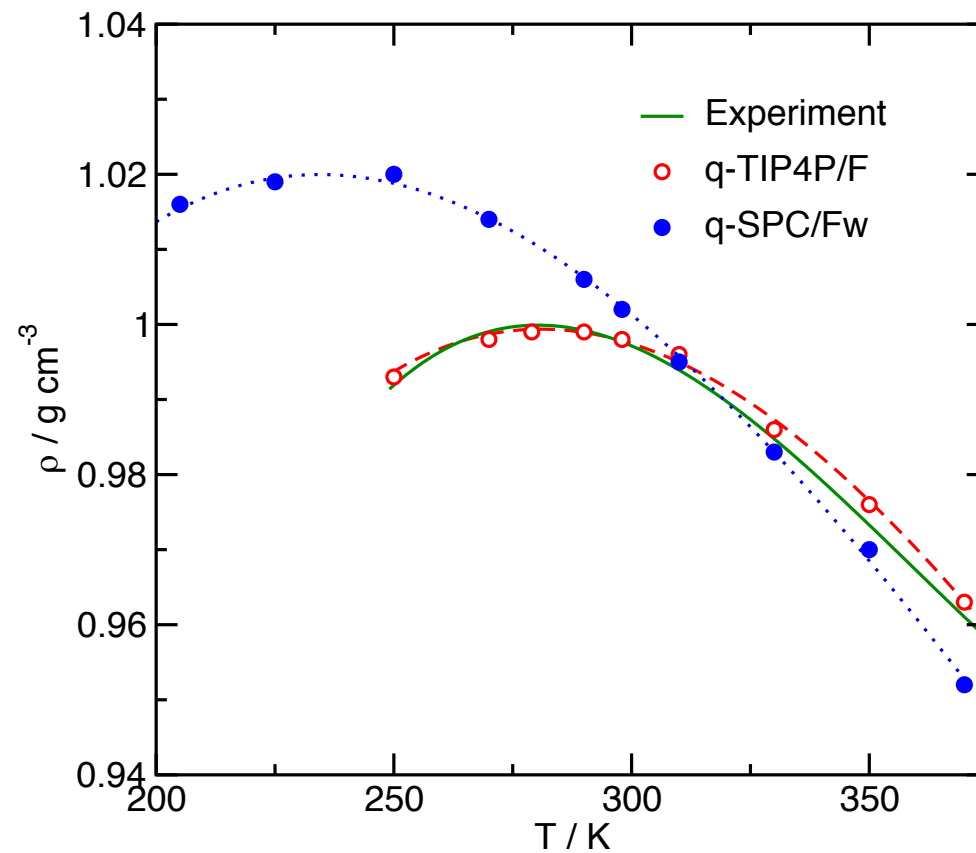
Parameterize using PIMD/RPMD simulations of:

- Experimental RDFs
- Experimental diffusion coefficient
- Experimental liquid vibrational frequencies

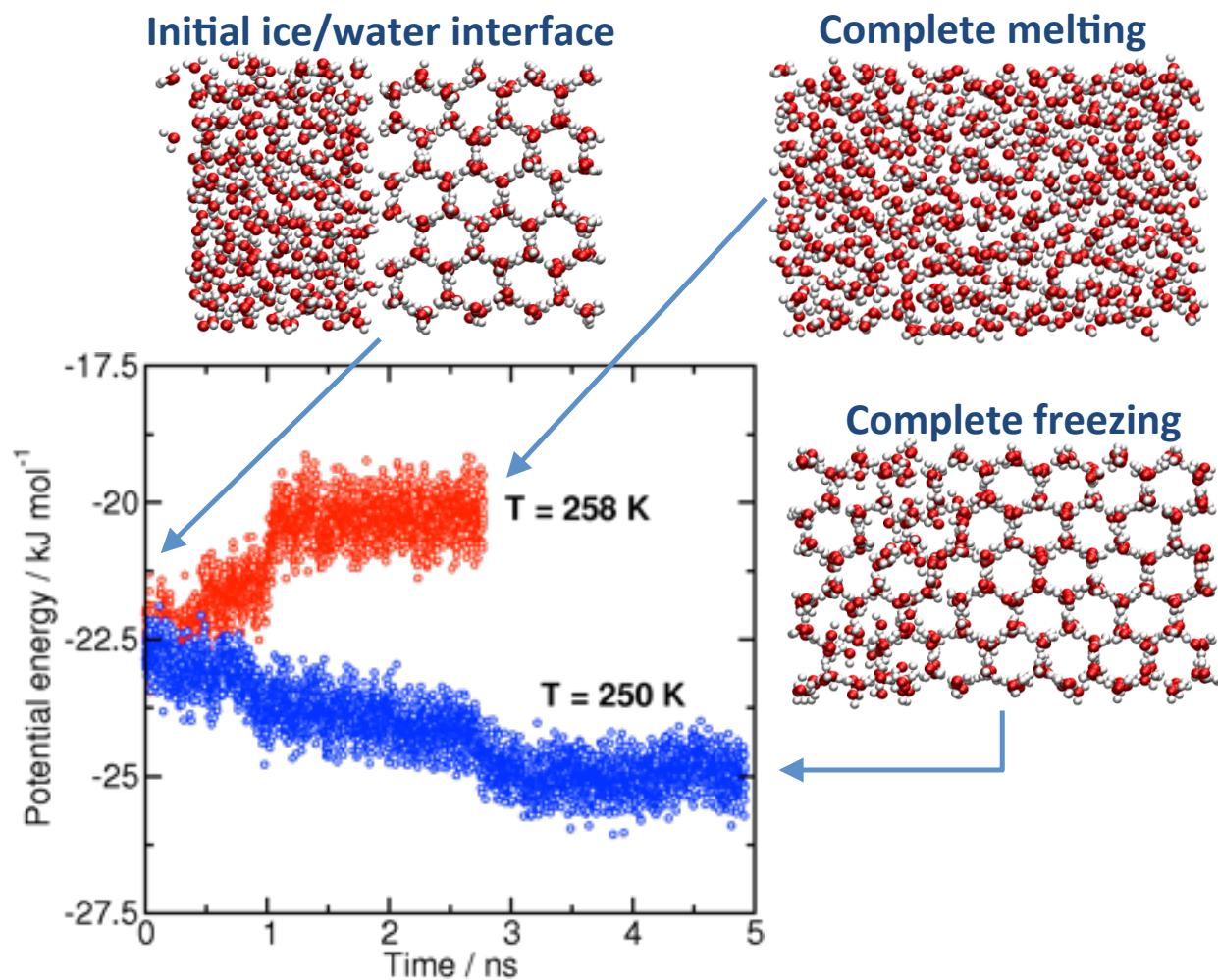
q-TIP4P/F water: statics



PIMD densities at 1 bar pressure



q-TIP4P/F water: melting point



q-TIP4P/F
(classical)

q-TIP4P/F
(quantum)

q-SPC/FW
(quantum)

TIP3P
(classical)

Melting point / K

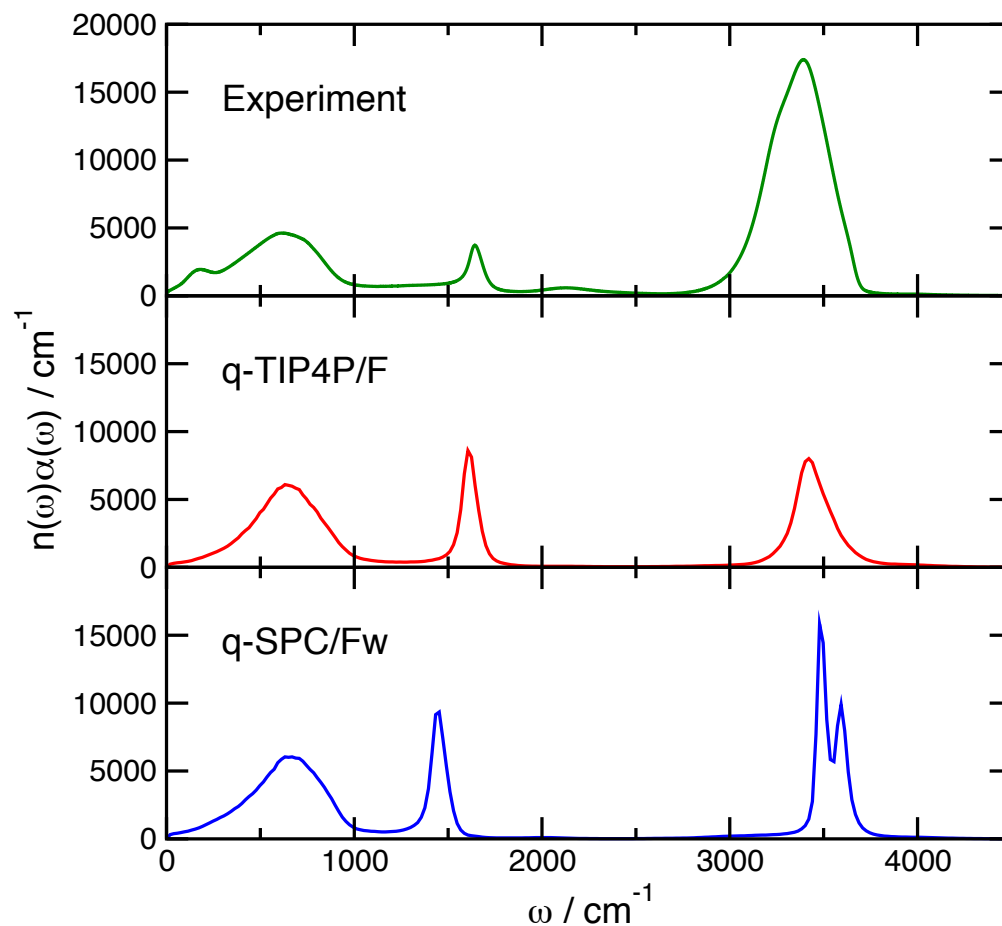
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q-TIP4P/F water: dynamics



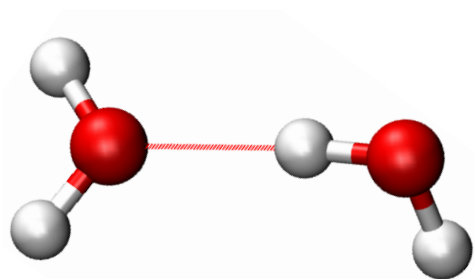
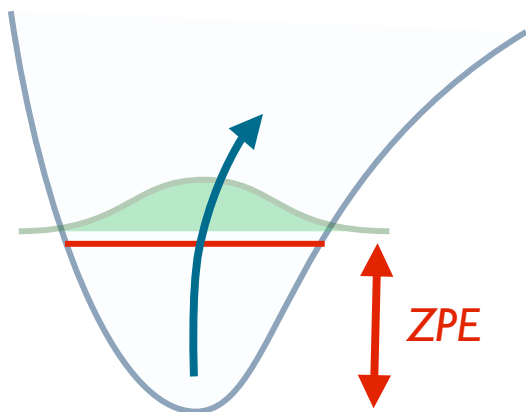
	q-TIP4P/F	Expt.
$D_{\text{H}_2\text{O}} / \text{\AA ps}^{-2}$	0.221	0.23
$D_{\text{D}_2\text{O}} / \text{\AA ps}^{-2}$	0.172	0.177
$D_{\text{H}_2\text{O}} / D_{\text{D}_2\text{O}}$	1.28	1.30
$\tau_2^{\text{HH}} / \text{ps}$	2.22	1.6 - 2.5
$\tau_2^{\text{OH}} / \text{ps}$	1.90	1.95
τ_2^{μ} / ps	1.52	1.90

An interesting observation...

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Why is the quantum effect smaller in q-TIP4P/F?

Competing quantum effects

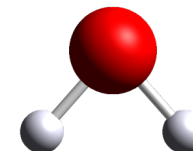
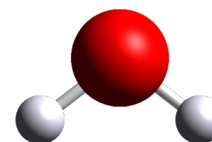


Intermolecular interactions

ZPE weakens hydrogen-bonding network

Expect quantum dynamics *faster* than classical dynamics

	Classical	Quantum
$r_{\text{OH}} / \text{\AA}$	0.963	0.978
$\theta / ^\circ$	104.8	104.7



μ / D	2.311	2.348
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Intramolecular interactions

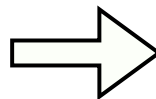
Geometry changes increase dipole moment

Expect quantum dynamics *slower* than classical dynamics

Competition between quantum effects results in cancellation

Further verification

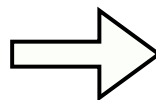
Turning off flexibility results in a large QM effect again



Rigid q-TIP4P/F simulations

Classical D / $\text{\AA ps}^{-2}$	0.308
Quantum D / $\text{\AA ps}^{-2}$	0.440
$D_{\text{qm}} / D_{\text{cl}}$	1.43

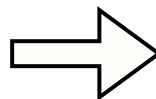
Not specific to q-TIP4P/F:
ab initio simulations
demonstrate similar results



PIMD simulations of BLYP water*

Classical $\mu = 3.04 \text{ D}$
Quantum $\mu = 3.18 \text{ D}$

Experimental support



X-ray / neutron diffraction studies**

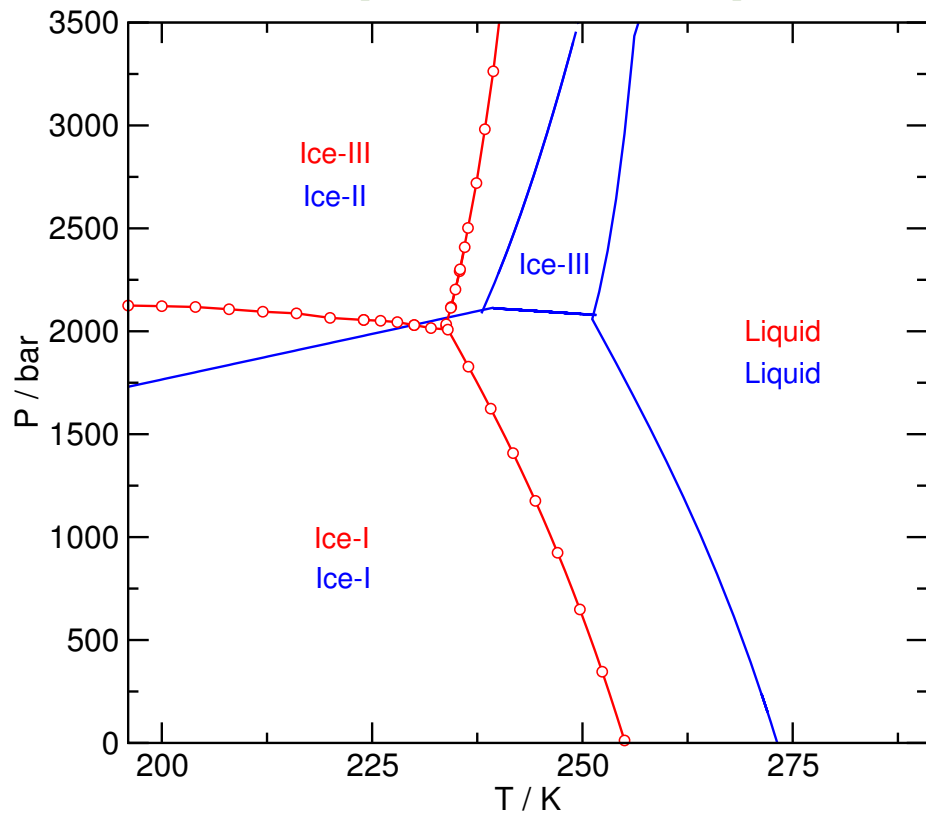
O-H bond length in H_2O ~3% longer
than O-D bond length in D_2O

*M. Parrinello et. al, *Phys. Rev. Letters*, **91**, 215503 (2003)

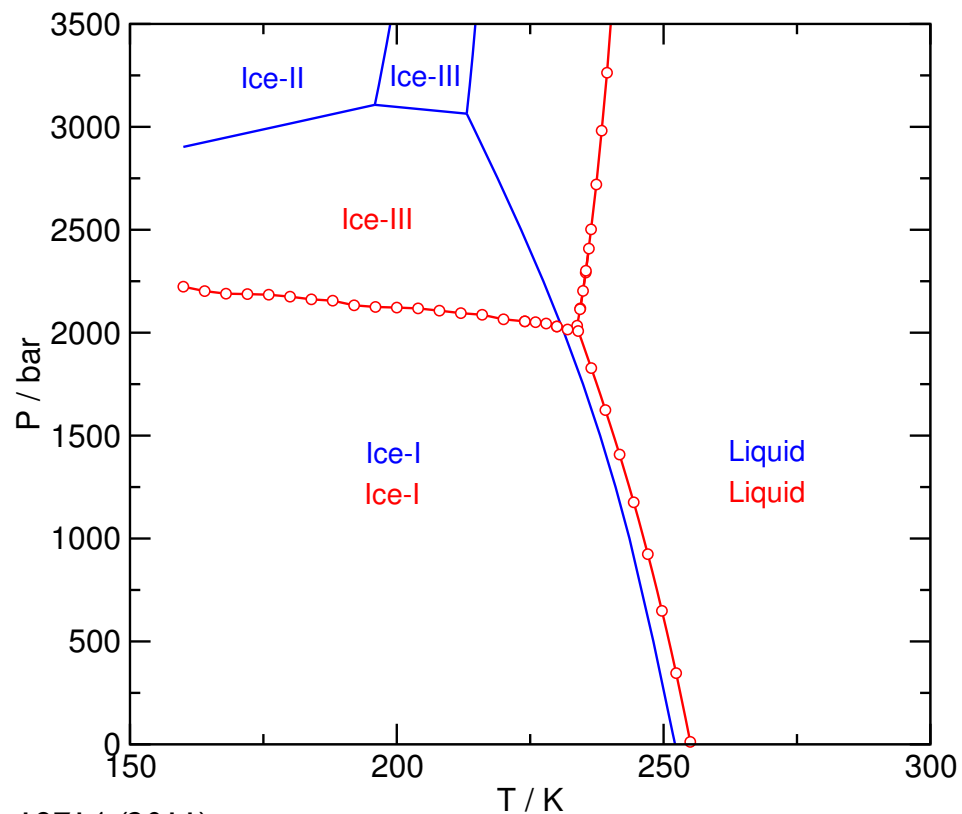
A. K. Soper et. al, *Phys. Rev. Letters*, **101, 065502 (2008)

q-TIP4P/F phase diagram (classical)*

Comparison with expt.



Comparison with rigid TIP4P/2005



*S. Habershon and D. E. Manolopoulos, *Phys. Chem. Chem. Phys.*, **13**, 19714 (2011)

Quantum thermodynamic integration

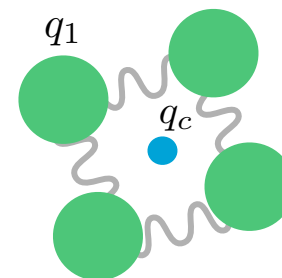
$$F(\lambda) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln [Z(\lambda)] \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \Delta F = F(\lambda = 1) - F(\lambda = 0) = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda} \right) d\lambda$$

Quantum

Classical

$$H_n(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \sum_{j=1}^n \left[\frac{p_j^2}{2m_j} + \mathbf{V}(\mathbf{q}_j) + \frac{1}{2} m_j \omega_j^2 (q_j - q_{j-1})^2 \right]$$

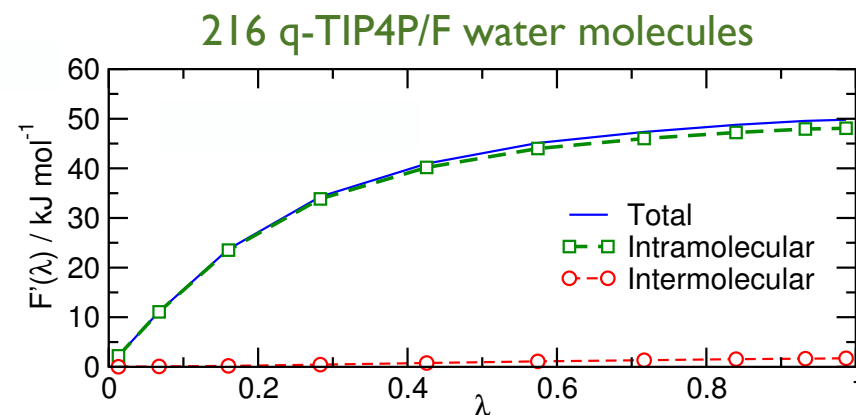
$$H_n(\lambda; \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \sum_{j=1}^n \left[\frac{p_j^2}{2m_j} + \mathbf{V}(\lambda \mathbf{q}_j + (1 - \lambda) \mathbf{q}_c) + \frac{1}{2} m_j \omega_j^2 (q_j - q_{j-1})^2 \right]$$



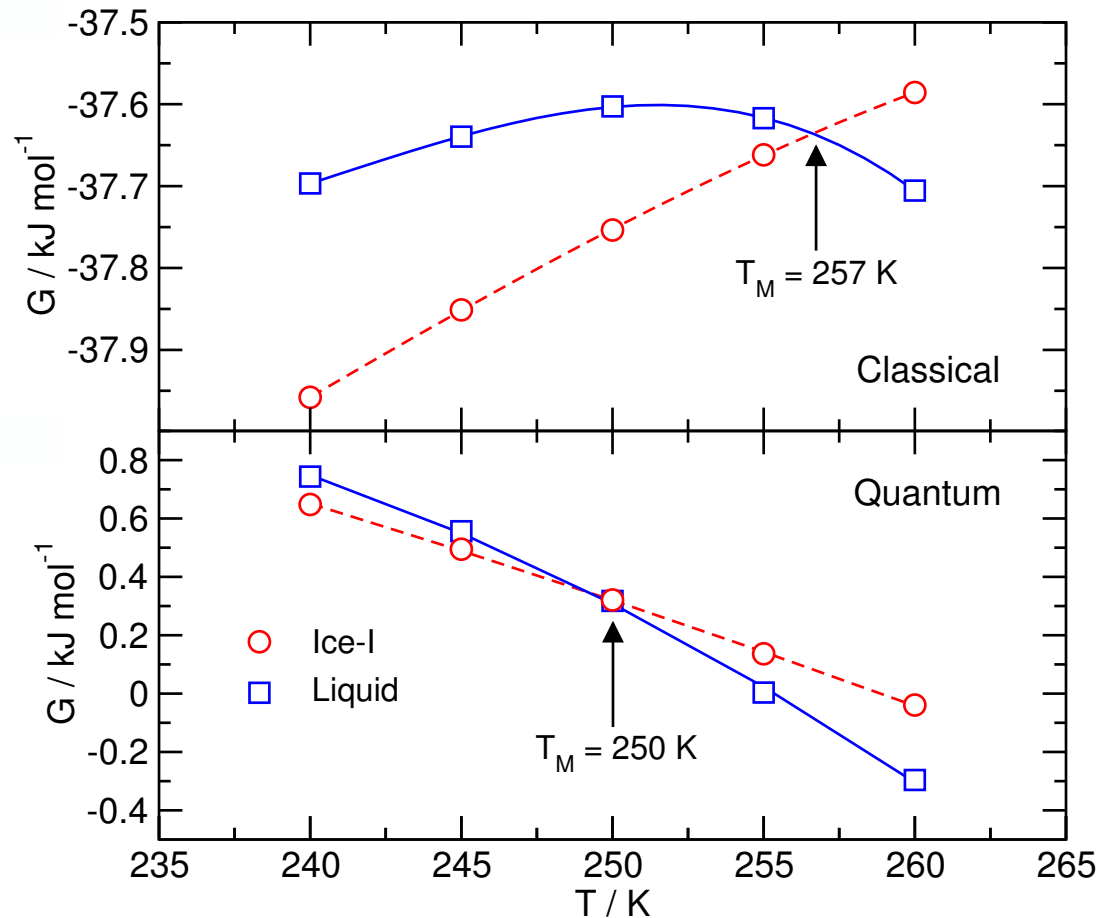
$$u_j^\lambda = \lambda q_j + (1 - \lambda) q_c$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \lambda} \right) = \left\langle \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n (q_j - q_c) \frac{\partial V(u_j^\lambda)}{\partial u_j^\lambda} \right\rangle_\lambda$$

Evaluated in *NPT* simulations



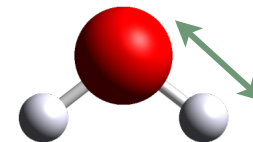
Application: liquid / ice-I boundary*



$$\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T}\right)_p = -S$$

$$S_{cl} = k_B [1 - \ln(\beta \hbar \omega)]$$

$$\hbar \omega > 2.72 k_B T$$



$$\hbar \omega \simeq 18 k_B T$$

Summary

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S. Habershon, T. E. Markland and D. E. Manolopoulos, *J. Chem. Phys.*, **131**, 024501 (2009)

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