

Understanding thermodynamic and transport properties of underdoped cuprates from ARPES data

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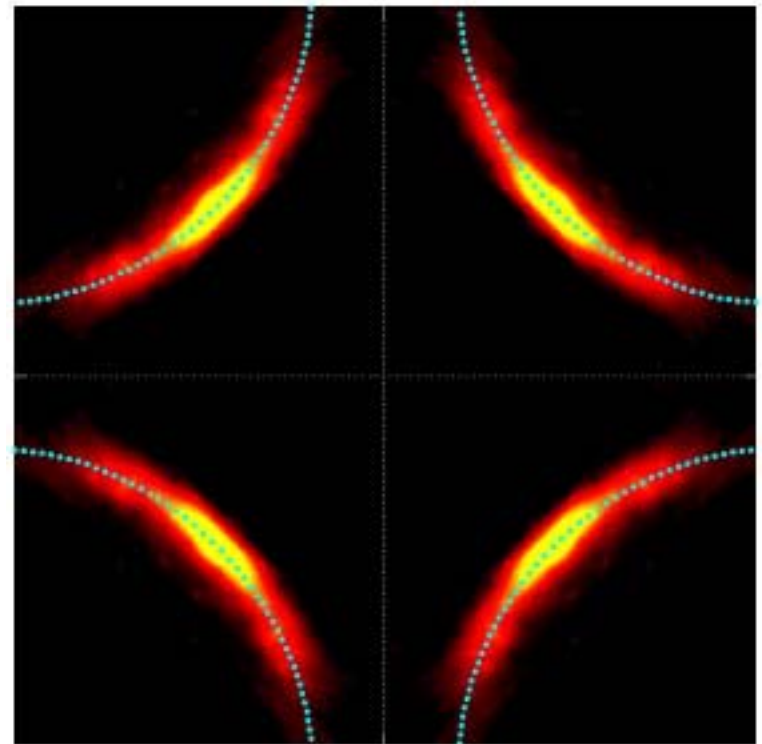
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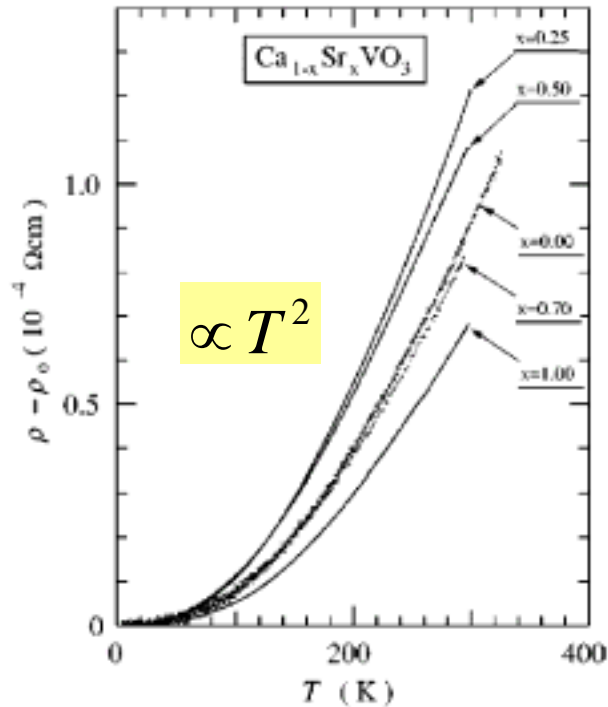
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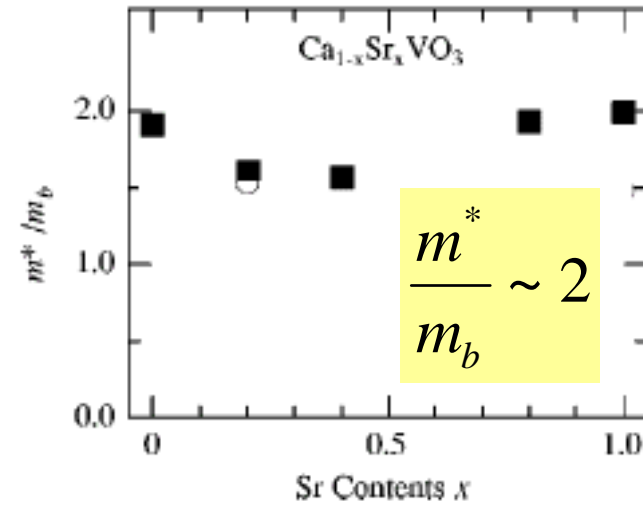
Normal Fermi-liquid systems

SrVO₃ and Ca_{1-x}Sr_xVO₃

Electrical resistivity

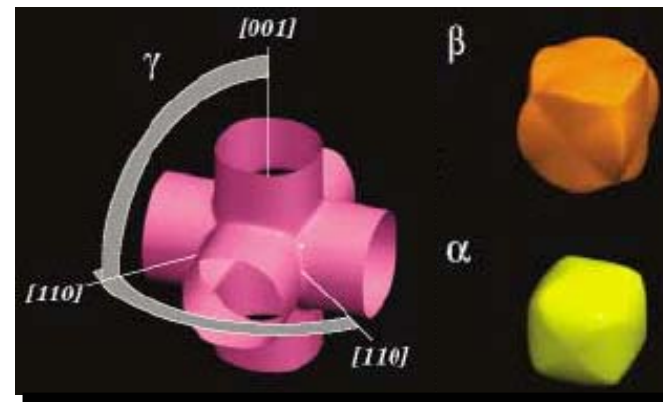
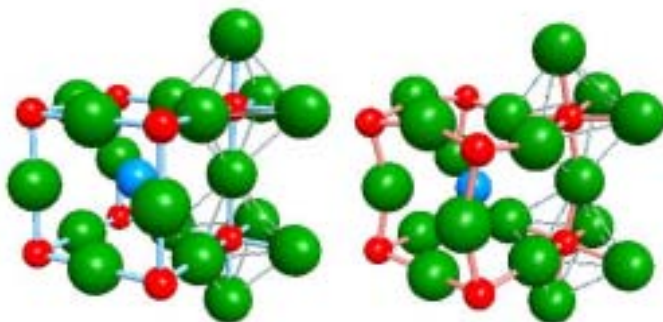


Electronic specific heat



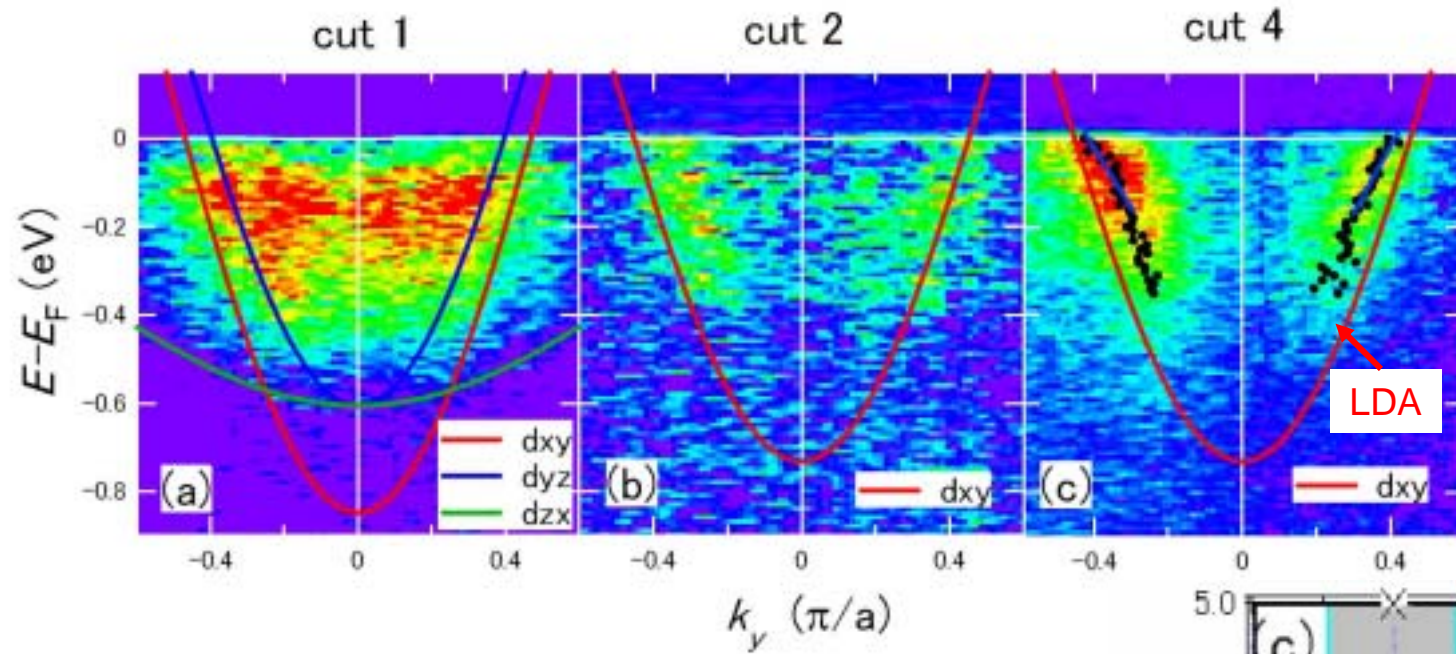
I.H. Inoue et al, PRB 98'

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I. H. Inoue et al., PRL '02

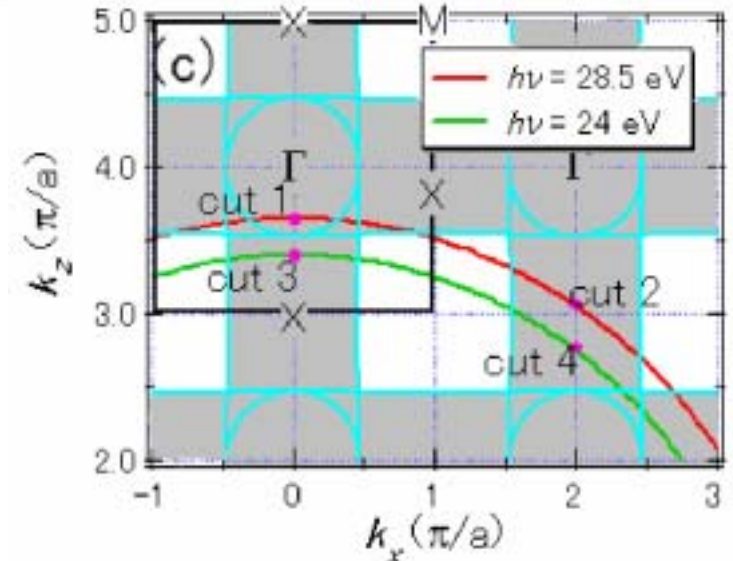
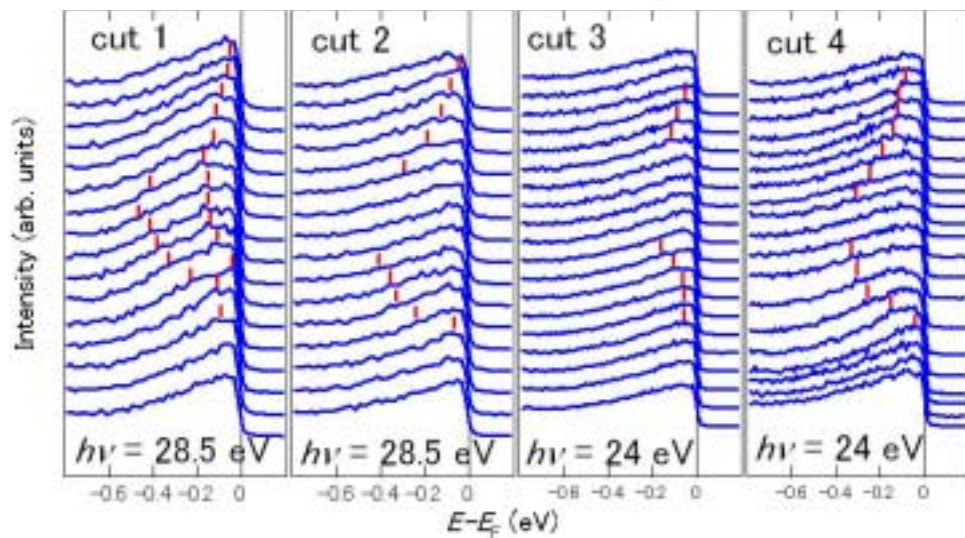
Mass renormalization in ARPES spectra of SrVO₃



$$\frac{v_F^*}{v_F} = 1.8 \pm 0.2$$

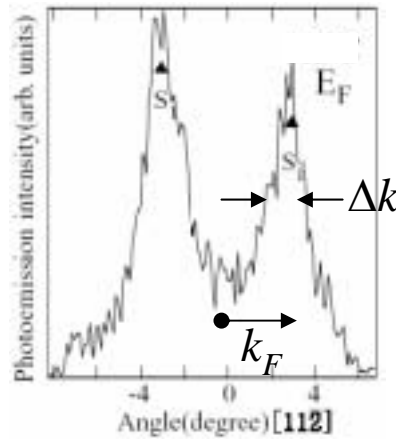
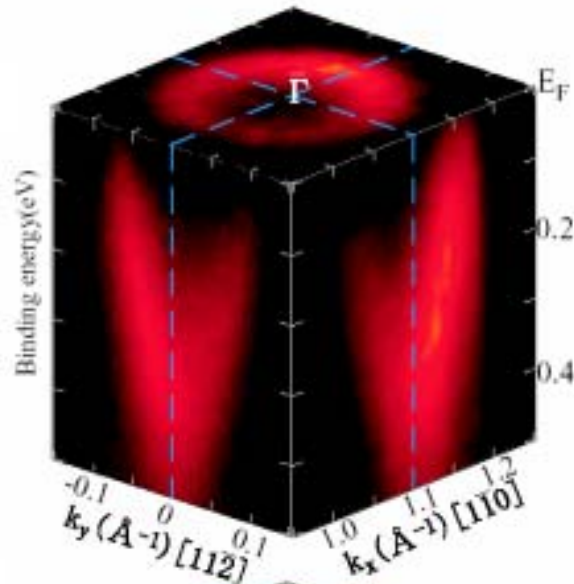
consistent with

$$\frac{m^*}{m_b} \sim 2$$



ARPES spectra and transport of 2D free electrons on Si $\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{3}$ -Ag

MDC

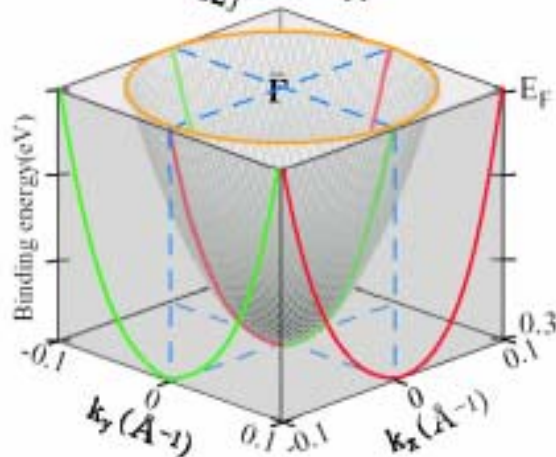


$$\sigma = \frac{ne^2\tau}{m^*} = \frac{e^2 k_F}{h\Delta k}$$

$$n = k_F^2 / 2\pi$$

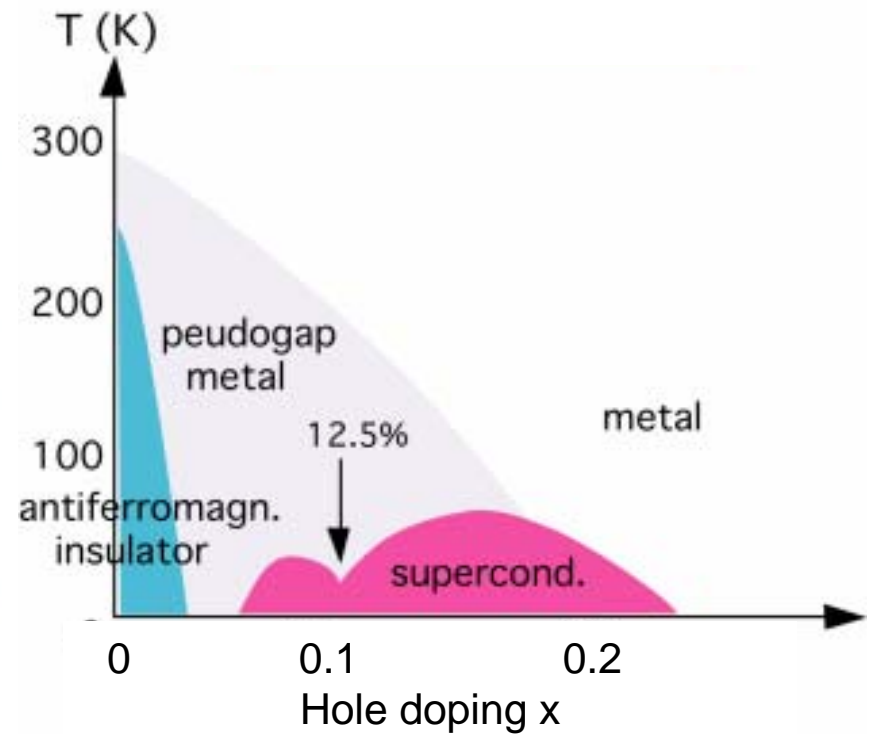
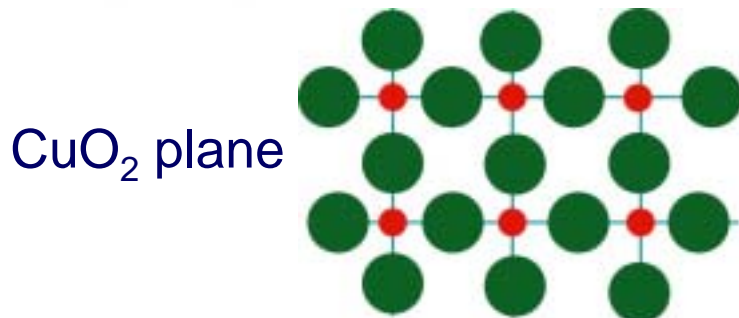
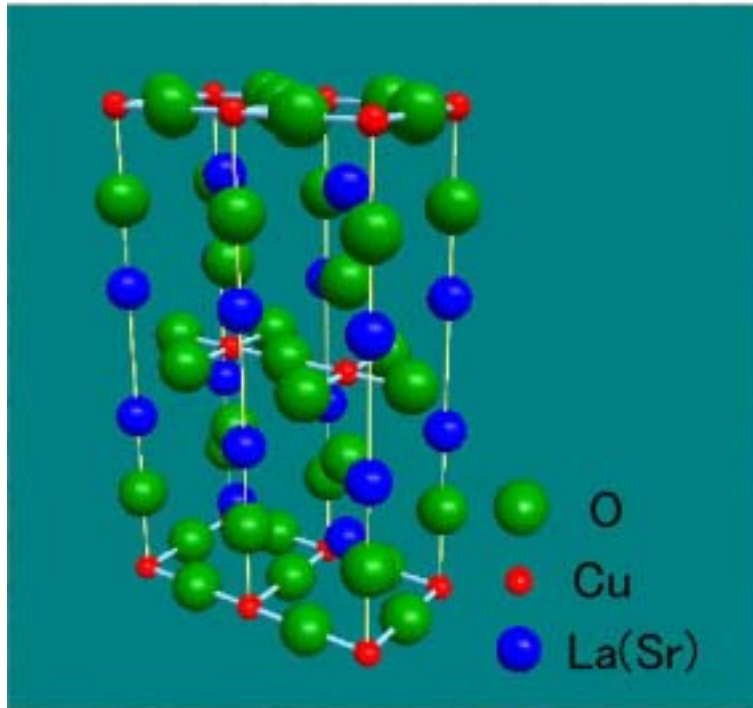
$$m^* v_F = \hbar v_F$$

$$\tau = l / v_F = 1 / v_F \Delta k$$

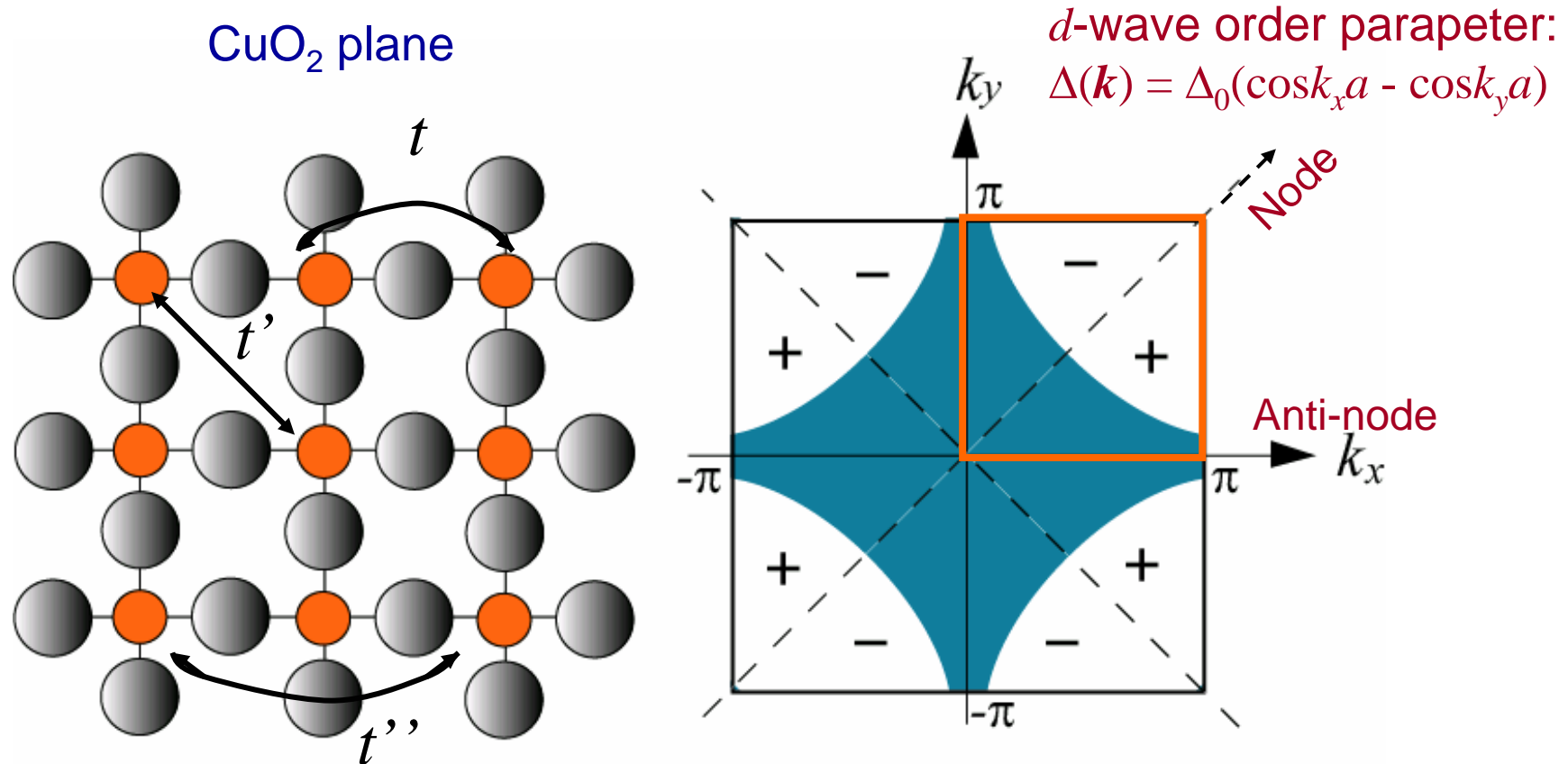


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| $k_F (\text{Å}^{-1})$ | 0.10 |
| $\Delta k (\text{Å}^{-1})$ | ~ 0.061 |
| $\sigma_{\text{ARPES}} (10^{-4} \Omega^{-1})$ | ~ 0.65 |
| $\sigma_{\text{tr}} (10^{-4} \Omega^{-1})$ | ~ 0.75 |

Phase diagram of high- T_C cuprates



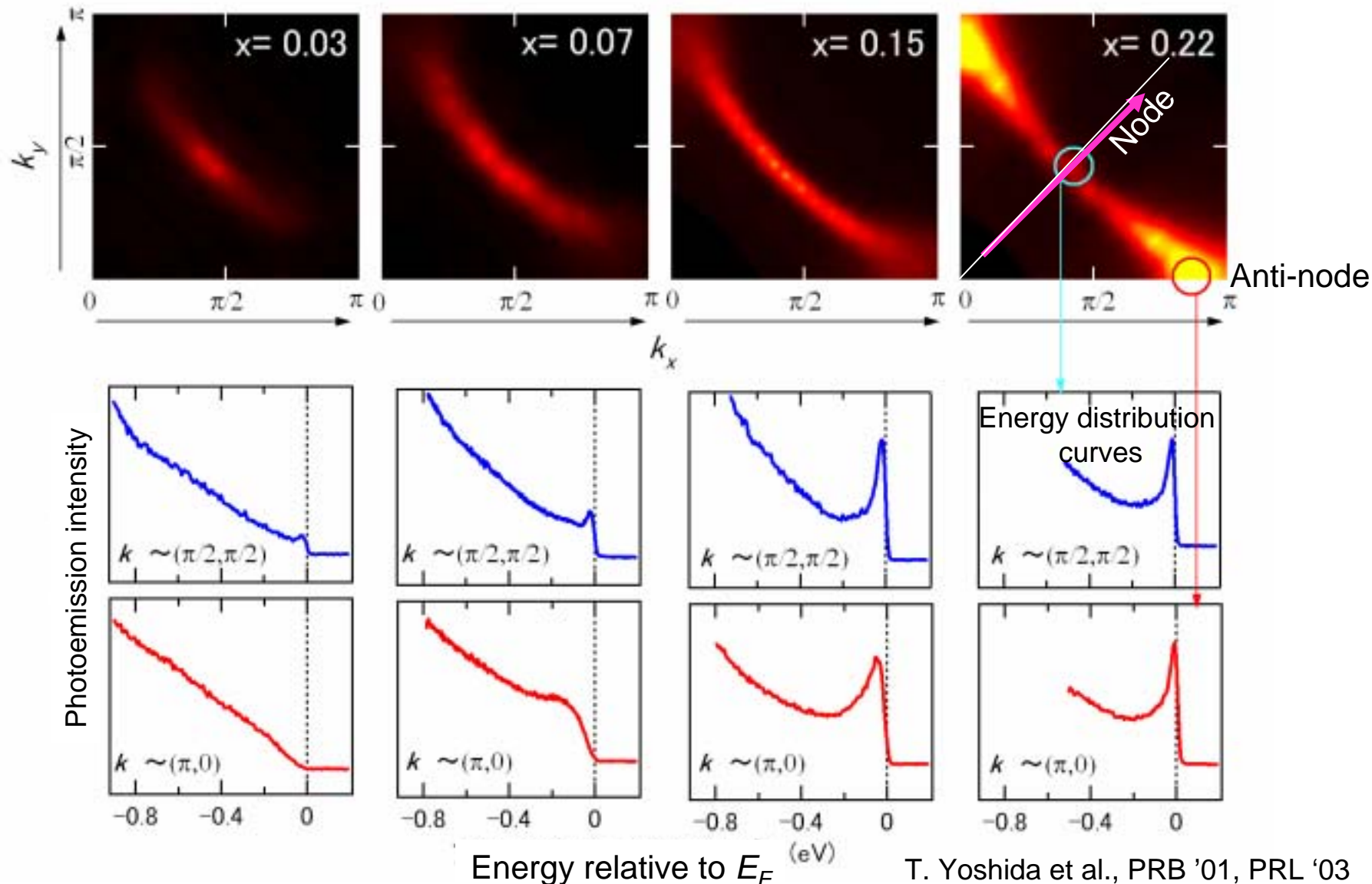
Phase diagram, Fermi surface and d -wave gap/pseudogap in high- T_C cuprates



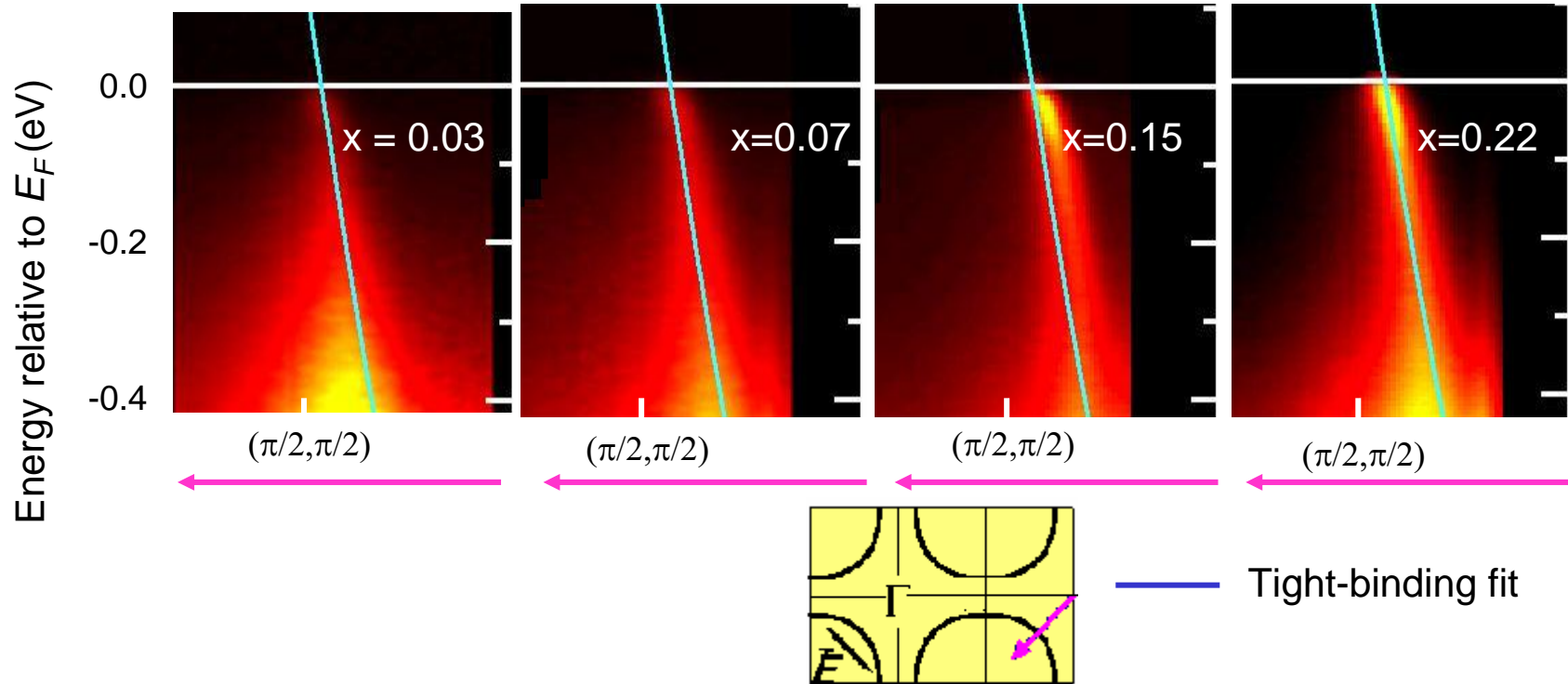
Band structure and Fermi surface:

$$E(\mathbf{k}) = -2t(\cos k_x a + \cos k_y a) - 4t' \cos k_x a \cos k_y a - 2t''(\cos 2k_x a + \cos 2k_y a)$$

Pseudogap and Fermi arc in $\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$



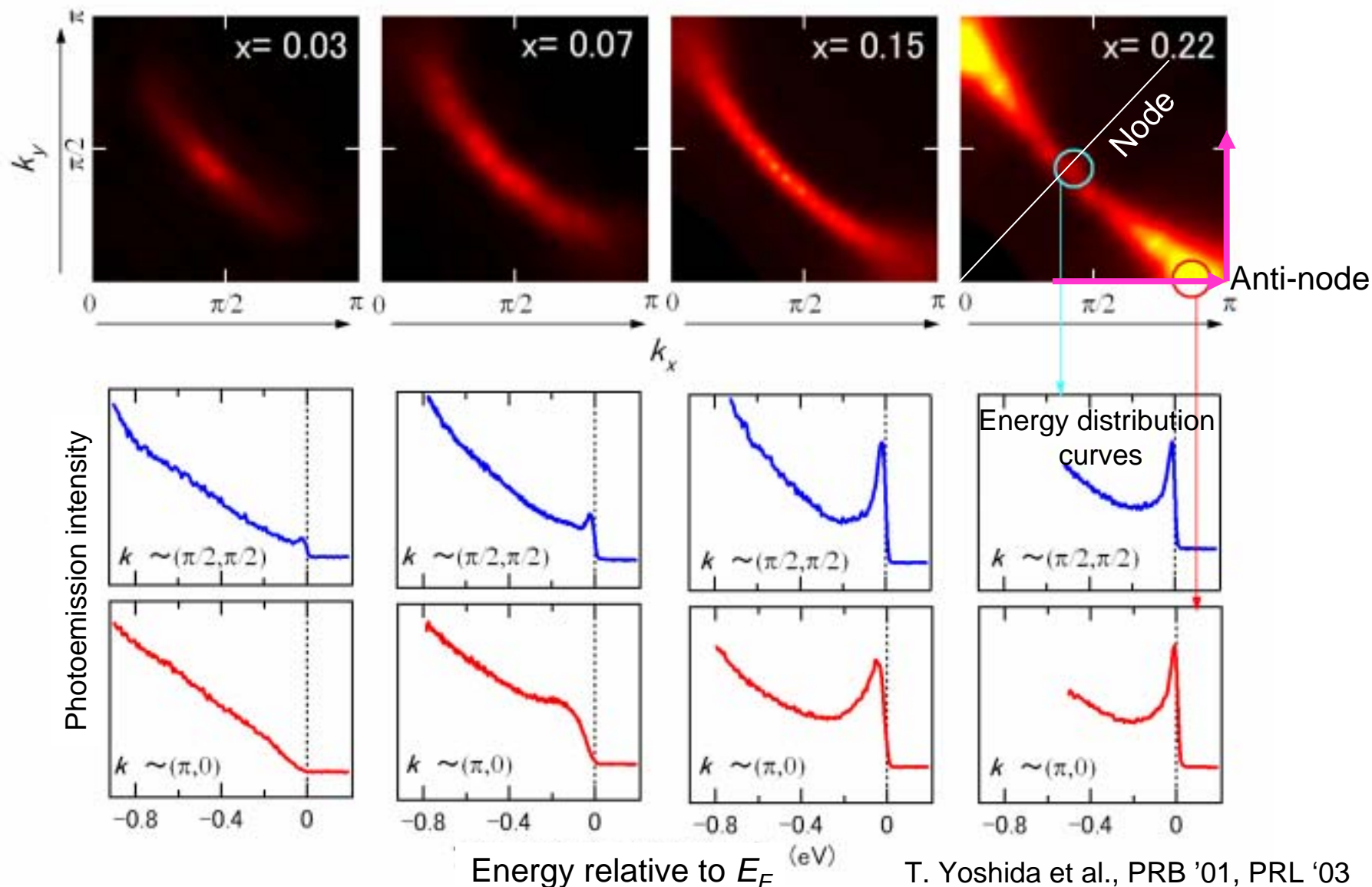
Quasi-particle forming the Fermi arc in the nodal region



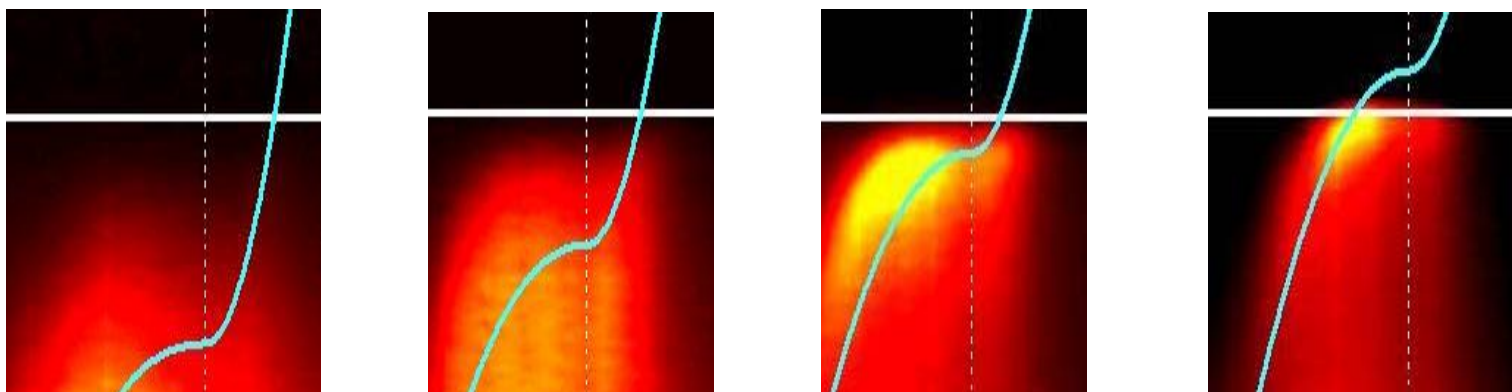
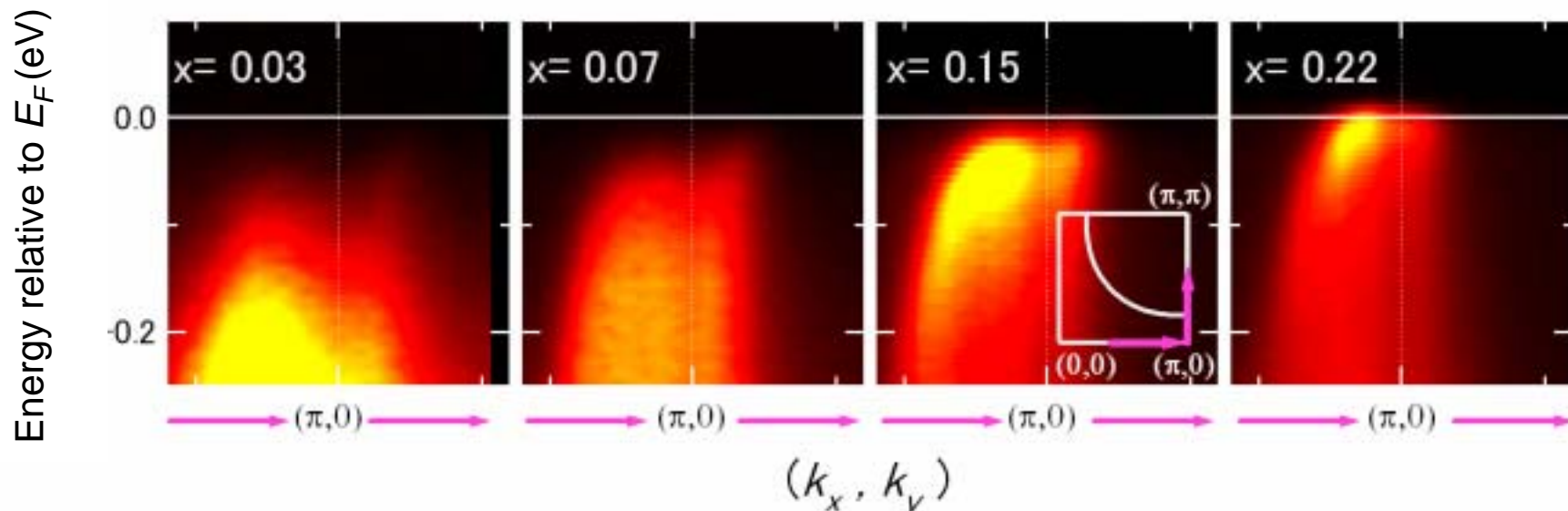
Fermi velocity of nodal QP is doping-independent !

X.J. Zhou et al., Nature '03

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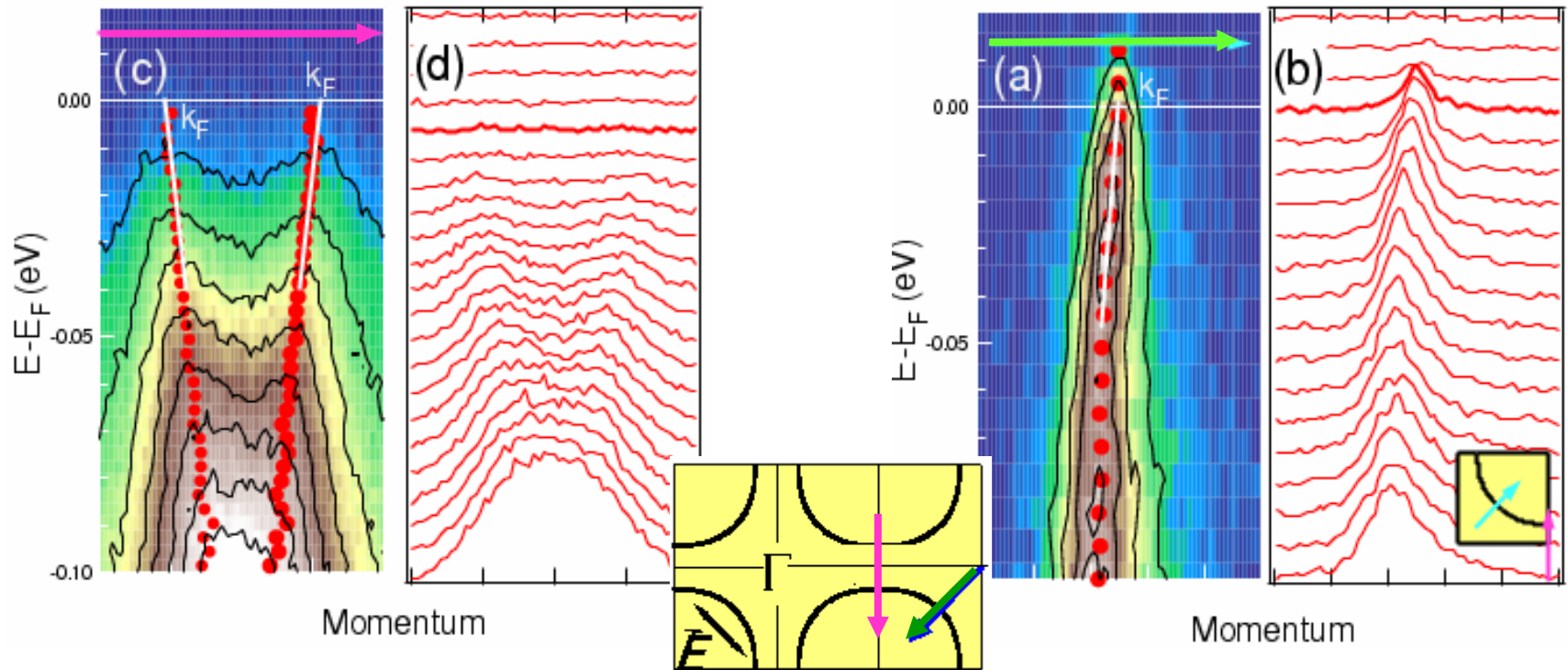
Pseudogap in the anti-nodal region



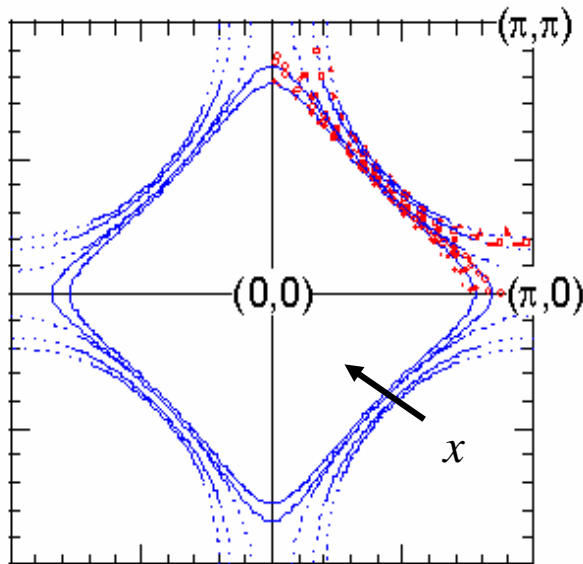
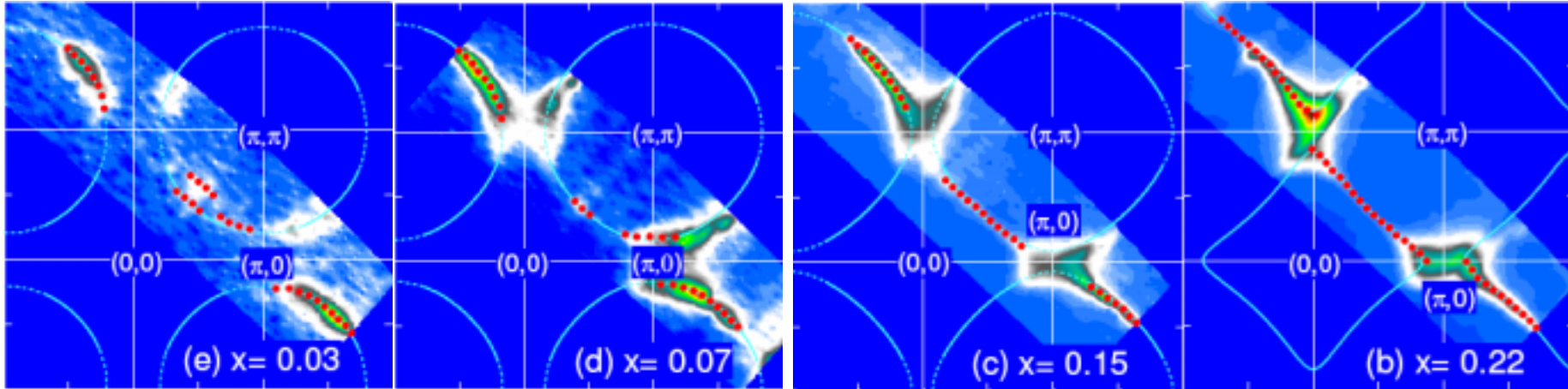
— Tight binding fit

“Remnant” Fermi-surface crossing in lightly-doped $\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$

$\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$ $x=0.03$



Fermi surface, “remnant” Fermi surface



Tight binding fit: $E(\mathbf{k}) = -2t(\cos k_x a + \cos k_y a) - 4t' \cos k_x a \cos k_y a - 2t''(\cos 2k_x a + \cos 2k_y a)$

- Tight-binding fit
- Intensity peak in k-space

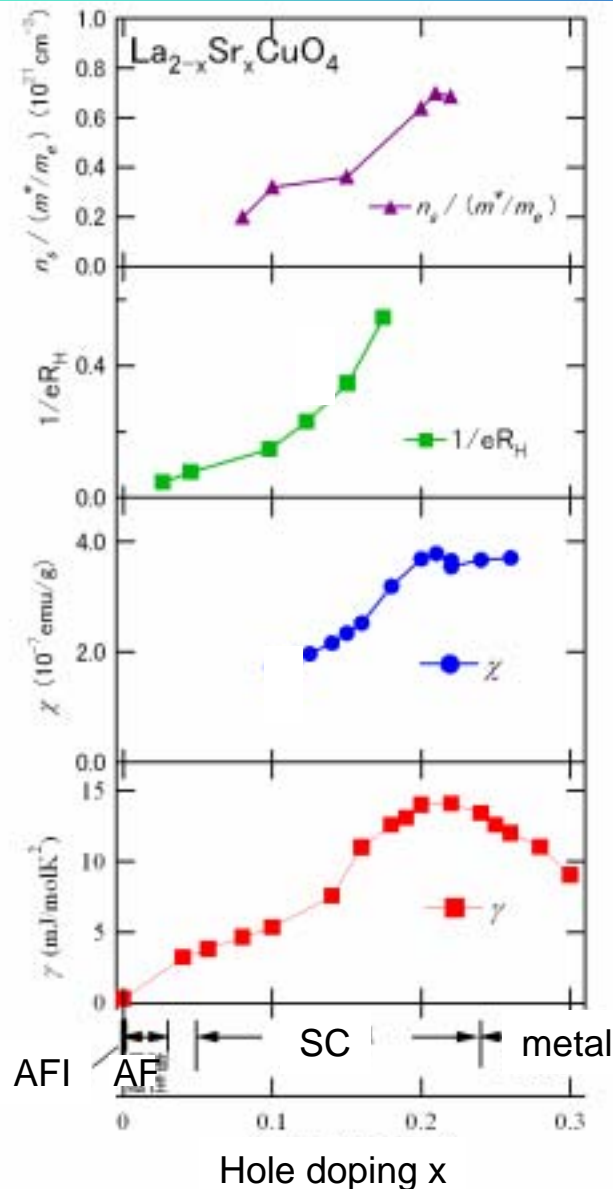
Pseudogap behaviors of $\text{La}_{2-x}\text{Sr}_x\text{CuO}_4$

Superfluid density

Carrier number

Pauli susceptibility

Electronic specific heat



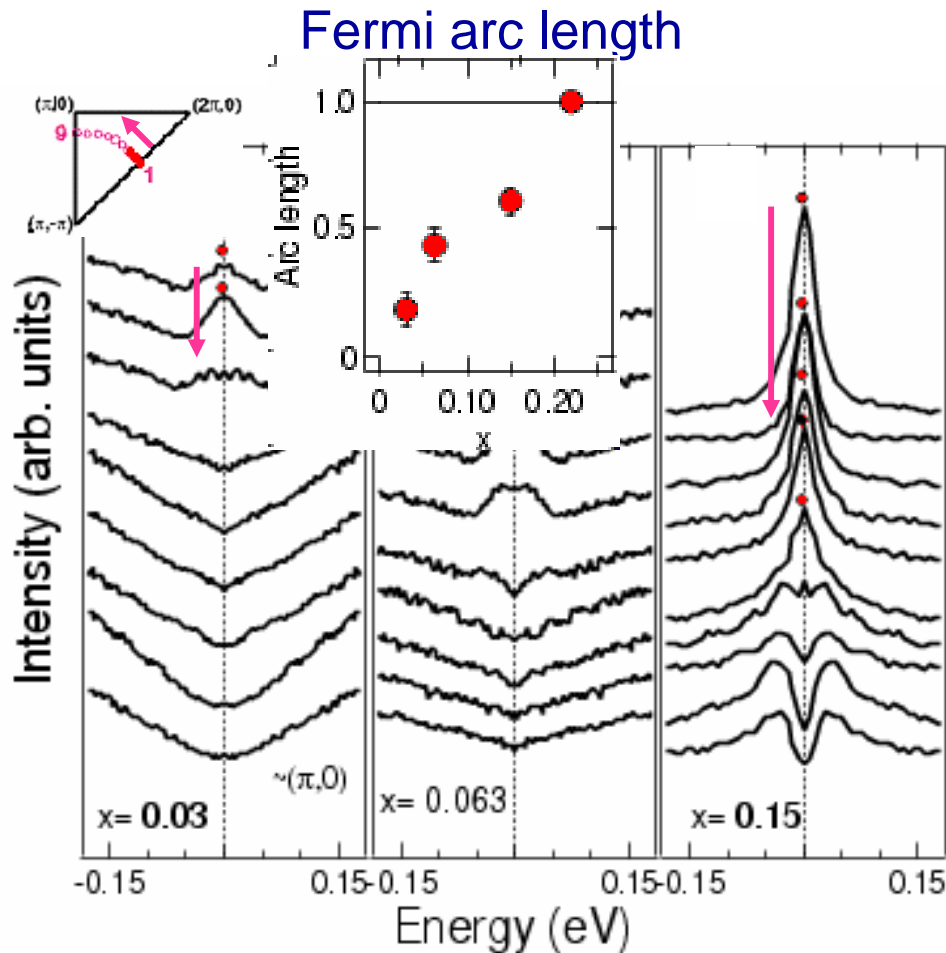
Y.J. Uemura et al., PRL '89

H. Takagi et al., PRB 89

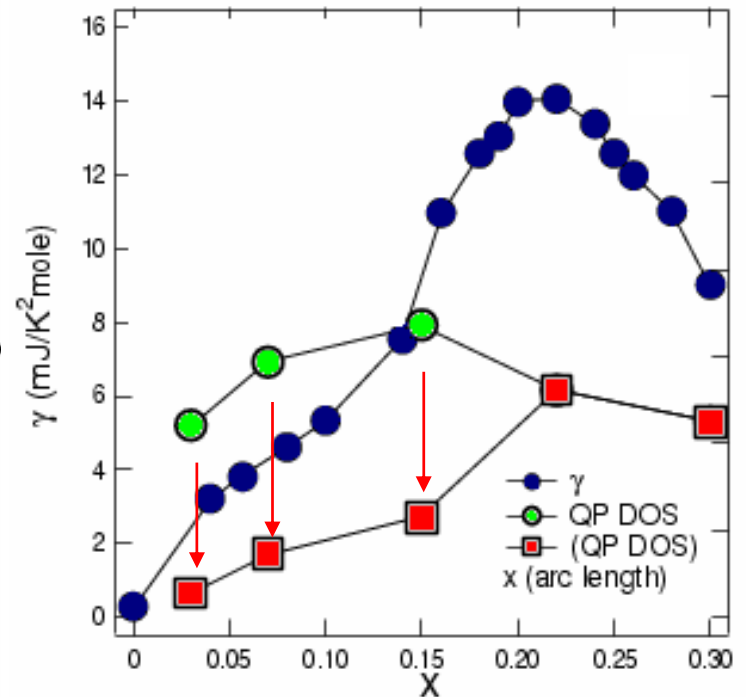
T. Nakano et al., PRB '94

N. Momono et al., JPSJ '03

Density of QPs and electronic specific heats

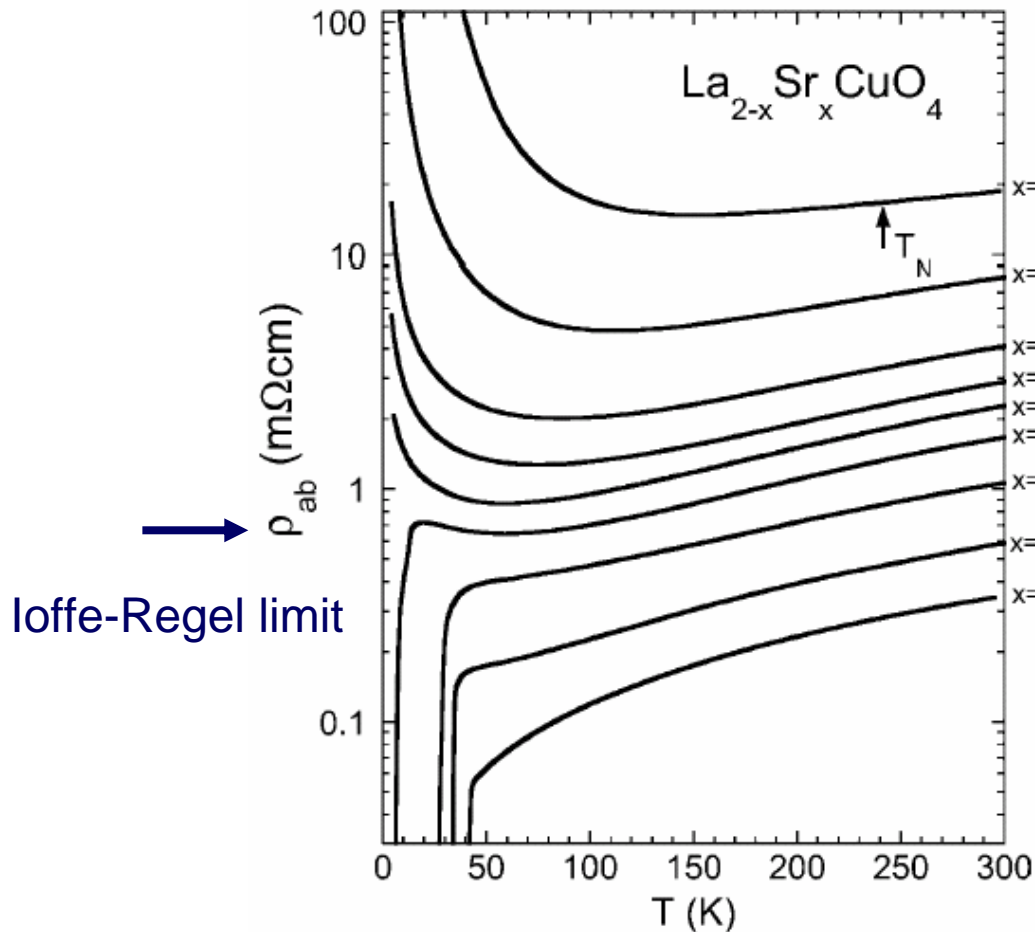


Density of QPs at E_F compared with specific heat γ



γ : N. Momono et al., Physica C '94

Unusual metallic transport in lightly-doped cuprates



Metallic resistivity well exceeds the Ioffe-Regel limit: $k_F l \sim 1$

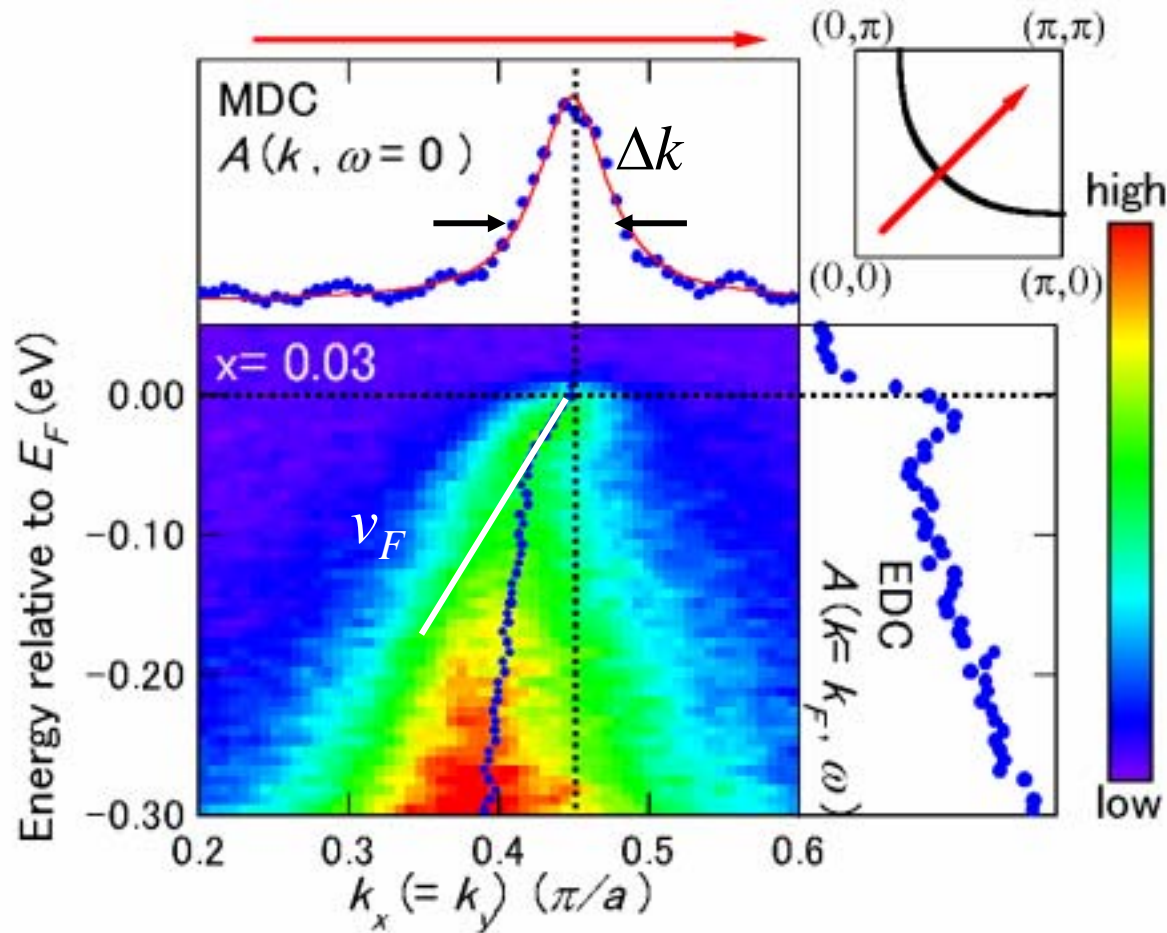


Mean-free path l is shorter than $1/k_F \sim 2 \text{ \AA}$?

In spite of well-defined Fermi surface

Due to pseudogap/Fermi arc

Mean-free path, Fermi velocity and scattering rate from ARPES data



Mean-free path

$$l = 1/\Delta k$$

Fermi velocity

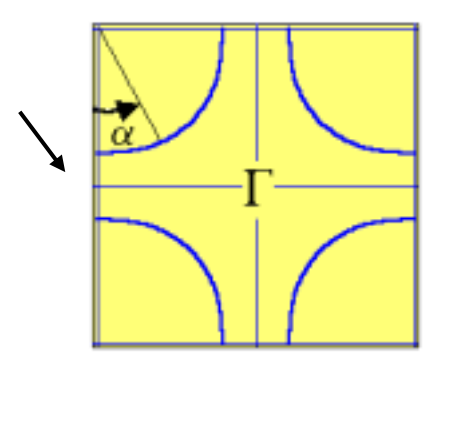
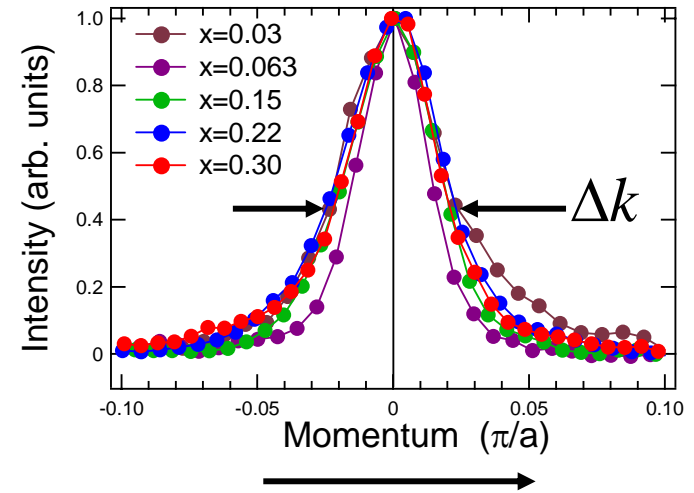
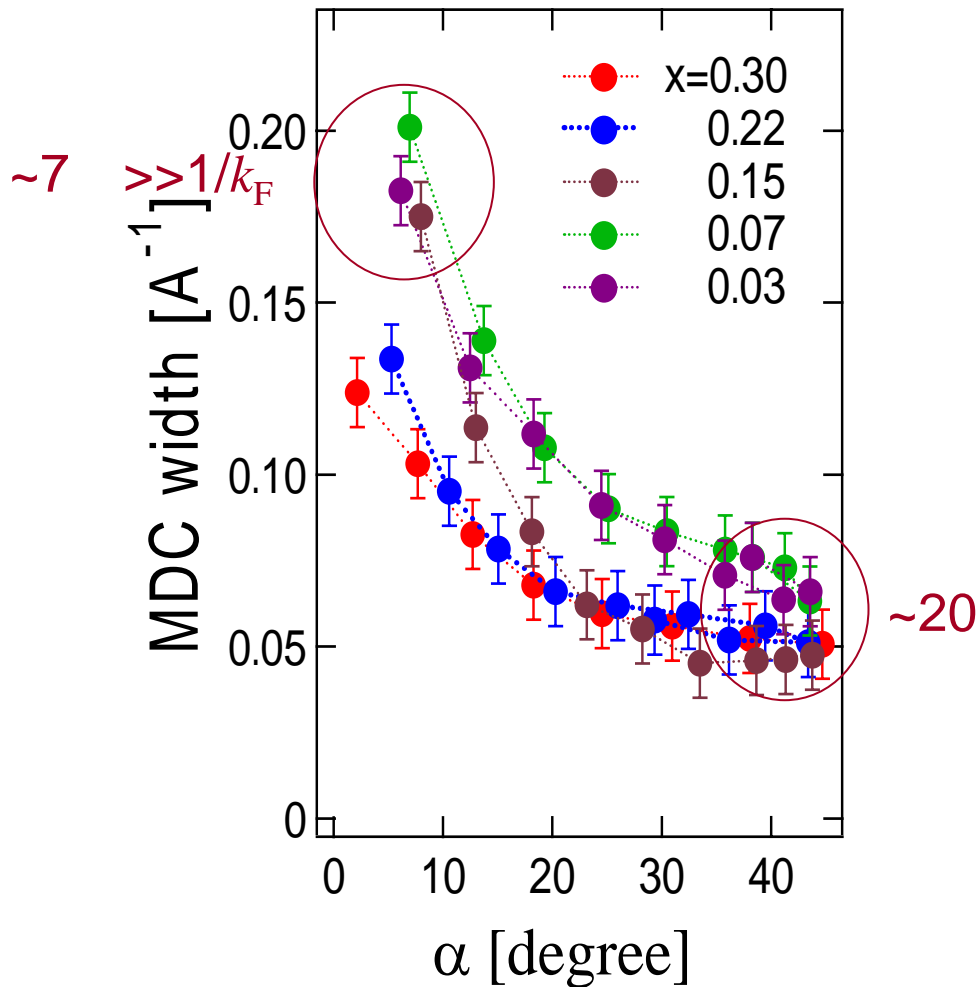
$$v_F$$

Scattering rate

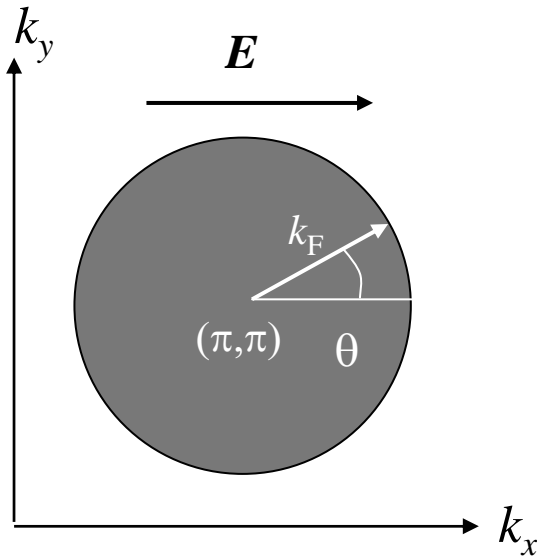
$$1/\tau = v_F / l$$

Doping and momentum dependence of MDC width

Mean free path $l = 1/\Delta k$



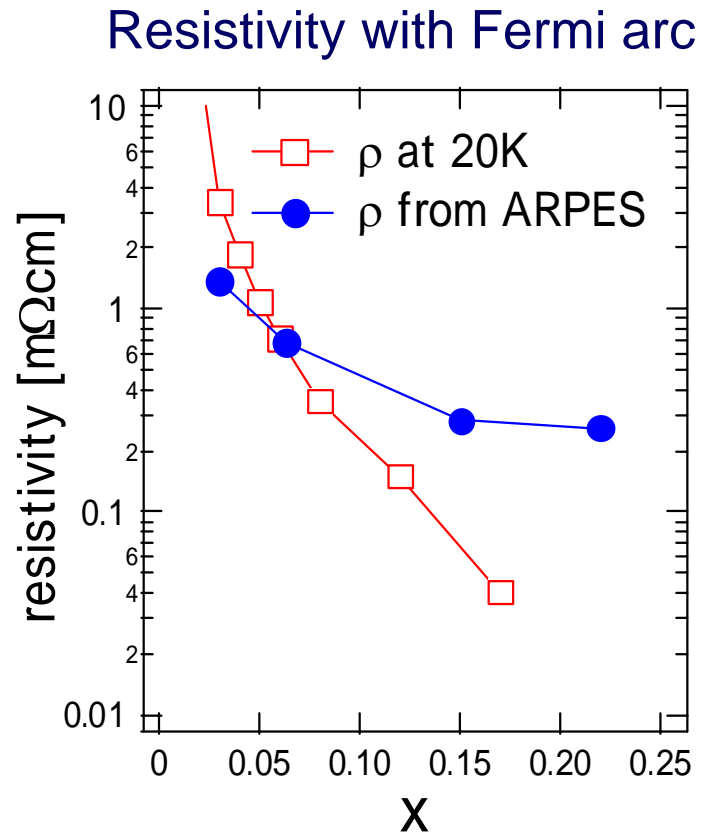
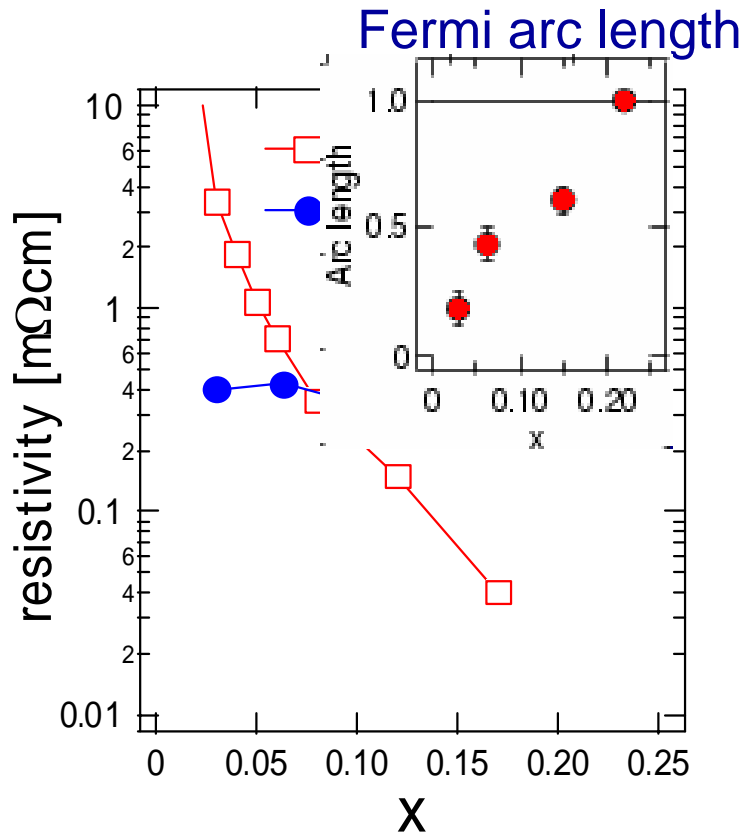
Boltzmann transport



$$\begin{aligned}\sigma &\propto e^2 \int_{\text{FS}} \tau v_x \cos \theta dS \\ &= ne^2 \langle 2\tau v_F \cos^2 \theta / k_F \rangle_{\text{FS}} \\ &= ne^2 \langle 2l \cos^2 \theta / k_F \rangle_{\text{FS}} \\ &= ne^2 \langle 2 \cos^2 \theta / k_F \Delta k \rangle_{\text{FS}}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta k = 1/l$$

Boltzmann transport



- $1/\tau_{ARPES} > 1/\tau_{tr}$
- surface defects ?
- k_z dispersion ?

Summary

- Thermodynamics
 - Density of QPs extracted from ARPES is compared with electronic specific heats.
 - Pseudogap removes part of QPs from E_F .
- Transport
 - ARPES MDC width is compared with DC resistivity (using Boltzmann theory).
 - Pseudogap removes part of charge carriers.
 - ARPES MDC width is generally larger than that expected from transport.
 - ARPES MDC width is consistent with residual resistivity due to Zn impurities.