

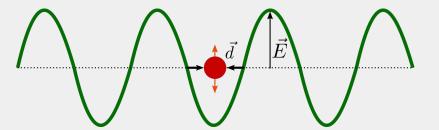
Island myriads in periodic potentials





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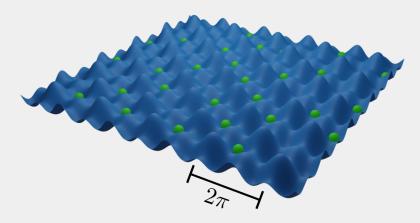
• Hamiltonian model:

$$H(x, y, p_x, p_y) = p_x^2 + p_y^2 + V(x, y)$$

$$V(x,y) = U\left(\cos^2(x) + \cos^2(y) + 2\alpha\cos(x)\cos(y)\right)$$



- Translational symmetry
- Rotational symmetry



• Chaotic area: emergence of stable structures at energy levels of unstable points

• Island myriad

