# Hole Pairs (PDW) in the PG State ?



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#### Intra-bilayer Josephson plasma mode persists above $T_c$

Emergence of a transverse Josephson plasma (t-JP) mode at  $T_{onset}$ , well above  $T_c$ :

Establishment of intra-bilayer phase coherence





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#### Anomalous optical phonon modes

Weights of two optical phonon modes decrease with lowering *T*, associated with the development of t-JP



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The phonon anomalies can be explained by changes of the local electric fields acting on the ions upon the onset of intra-bilayer Josephson tunneling.



D. Munzar, C. Bernhard *et al.*, Solid State Commun. **112**, 365 (1999).A.V. Boris, D. Munzar *et al.*, PRL **89**, 277001 (2002).

# t-JP & phonon anomaly in the bilayer cuprate



T<sub>onset</sub> ~ T<sub>CDW</sub> < T\* in underdoped cuprates



M. Hücker *et al.*, PRB **90**, 054513 (2014).

# Pair formation and charge order (CDW) in hole-doped two-leg ladder cuprate





- # Pseudogap (spin gap)
- **# Hole pairs**
- # Charge order (PDW)
- **# Phonon anomaly**
- # Superconductivity @ P

T.M. Rice, K.Y. Tang, F.C. Zhang, Rep. Prog. Phys. 75, 061502 (2012).

#### Similarity of the optical spectrum between bilayer cuprate and two-leg ladder cuprate



#### Transverse Josephson plasma & phonon anomaly



# Phonon modes showing an anomaly in the ladder cuprate



520 cm<sup>-1</sup> (1): leg-O phonon (chain-O buckling)
630 cm<sup>-1</sup> (2): rung-O phonon ('apical'- O)

## Onset of t-JP & phonon anomaly



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# Onset temperature of t-JP & phonon anomaly





K. Takenaka, H. Takagi, SU, PRB **50**, 6534(R) (1994).

T. Osafune, SU, S. Tajima et al.; PRL 82, 5654 (1999).

#### Charge (hole-pair) order in two-leg ladder cuprate

A. Rusydi, P. Abbamonte et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 97, 016403 (2006).





# Underdoped cuprate vs Ladder cuprate



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#### Controversy in the doped hole density



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Wavenumber (cm<sup>-1</sup>)

#### Spectroscopic signature of the charge order



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# Transient SC-Tc'(p) follows T\*(p).

S. Kaiser, A.Cavalleri *et al.*; PRB **89**, 184516 (2014). C.R. Hunt, A.Cavalleri *et al.*; PRB **94**, 224303 (2016).

#### Interbilayer coherence is transiently established.

YBCO6.45 excited by ~ 20 THz pulsed laser



# Transient Tc'(p) follows T\*(p).



# Quantum Shot Noise & Johnson Noise

#### GaAs/GaAlAs or Graphene



Quantum shot noise results from the discreteness of the current-carrying charges, and so is proportional to the charge of the quasiparticles.

> V.J. Goldman, B. Su; Science **267**, 5200 (1995).



Johnson noise thermometry measures electronic thermal conductivity, and can test the Wiedemann-Franz law.

J. Crossno, P. Kim *et al.*, Science **351**, 1058 (2016).