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Abstract:

## Composite Systems

Given two systems, described by Hilbert spaces  $\mathcal{H}_A$  &  $\mathcal{H}_B$ , how do we describe the composite system? That is, what is the

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What is this product?

Consider  $\mathcal{H}_A$  and define

an orthonormal basis

$$\{|a_n\rangle\}$$

Hence,  $\dim \mathcal{H}_A = N$

$$|a_k\rangle$$

Similarly  
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the O.N. basis  
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so  $\dim(\mathcal{H}_B) = N$

$$\text{then } \mathcal{H}_A = \mathbb{C}^M \\ \mathcal{H}_B = \mathbb{C}^N$$

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$$|a_n, b_n\rangle \equiv |a_n\rangle |b_n\rangle \equiv |a_n\rangle \otimes |b_n\rangle$$

O.N constraint

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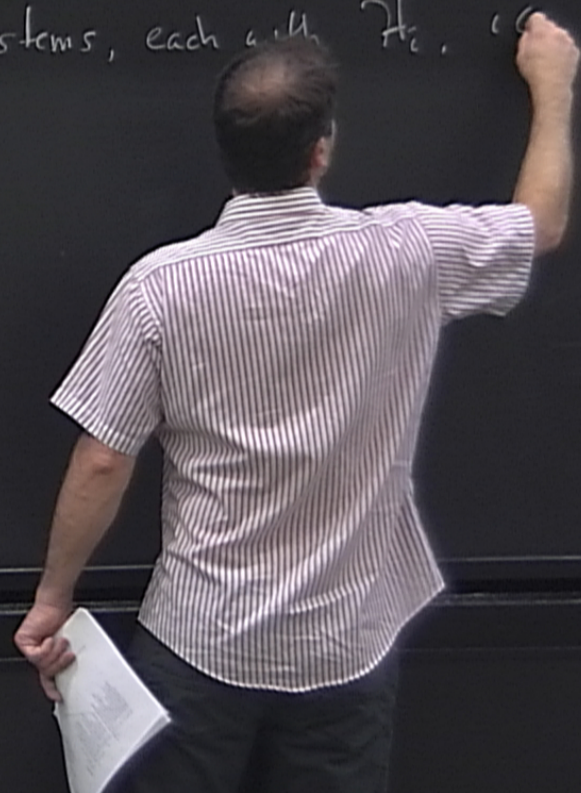
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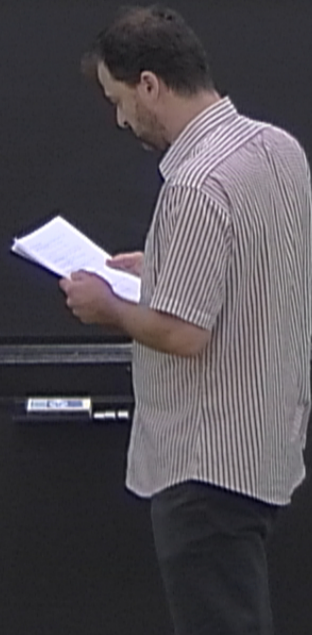
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• Dual space

$$(\alpha |\psi\rangle \otimes |\phi\rangle)^\dagger \\ = \bar{\alpha} (\langle\psi| \otimes \langle\phi|)$$

• Inner product

$$(\langle\psi_1| \otimes \langle\phi_1|) \cdot (|\psi_2\rangle \otimes |\phi_2\rangle) \\ = \langle\psi_1|\psi_2\rangle \cdot \langle\phi_1|\phi_2\rangle.$$

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 $\{ |a_i\rangle \}$  is  
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for  $\mathbb{C}^M$ .

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$$|\omega\rangle = |7\rangle \otimes |\phi\rangle$$

$$|\omega\rangle \rightarrow$$

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where  $\omega_\alpha$ ,  $\alpha \in \{1, \dots, MN\}$   
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where  $w_\alpha, \alpha \in \{1, \dots, MN\}$   
 $\alpha = (i, \ell)$

$$\begin{aligned} a_i b_\ell &= (\langle a_i | \otimes \langle b_\ell |) (|w\rangle) \\ &= \langle a_i | \psi \rangle \langle b_\ell | \phi \rangle \\ &= a_i b_\ell \in \mathbb{C} \end{aligned}$$

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$\{ |b_\alpha\rangle \}$  is an ON basis for  $H_0$

$$|\omega\rangle = |\psi\rangle \otimes |\phi\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a_1 b_1 \\ a_1 b_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Remark A general operator  $\hat{O} \in \mathcal{L}(H_{AC})$  has the form  $\hat{O} = \sum_\alpha c_\alpha \hat{A}_\alpha \otimes \hat{B}_\alpha$  where  $c_\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$   
 $\hat{A}_\alpha \in \mathcal{L}(H_A)$   
 $\hat{B}_\alpha \in \mathcal{L}(H_B)$

Dual space  $\mathcal{L}(H) \cong H^*$   
 $(\langle \psi | \otimes \langle \phi |)^\dagger = \langle \psi | \langle \phi |$   
 Inner product  $(\langle \psi | \otimes \langle \phi |) (\psi \otimes \phi) = \langle \psi | \psi \rangle \langle \phi | \phi \rangle = \langle \psi | \psi \rangle \langle \phi | \phi \rangle$

ON basis for  $\mathbb{H}_0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ a_n & b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

ordering our basis elements  
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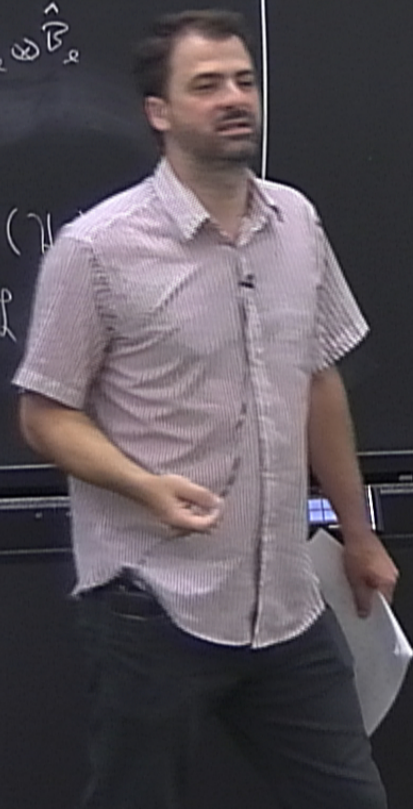
for  $\hat{O} \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{AB})$

$$\hat{O} = \sum_r c_r \hat{A}_r \otimes \hat{B}_r$$

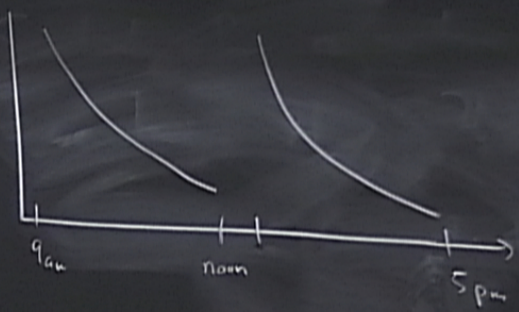
where  $c_r \in \mathbb{C}$

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$$\hat{B}_r \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_B)$$



Success prob



### Classical Physics

$$\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

O.N. basis for  $\mathcal{H}_O$

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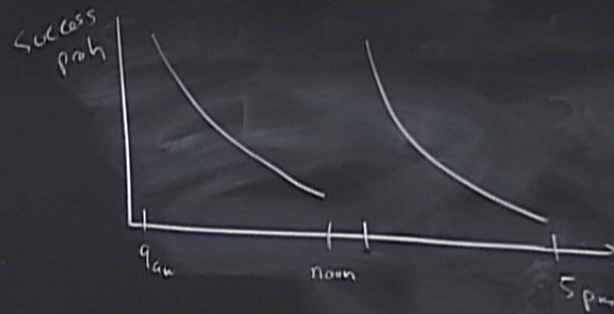
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### Classical Physics

System 1

System 2

$M$   
 $(q_1, p_1)$   
 $\mathbb{R}$   
 state  
 $\mathbb{R}$

O.N. basis for  $\mathcal{H}_0$

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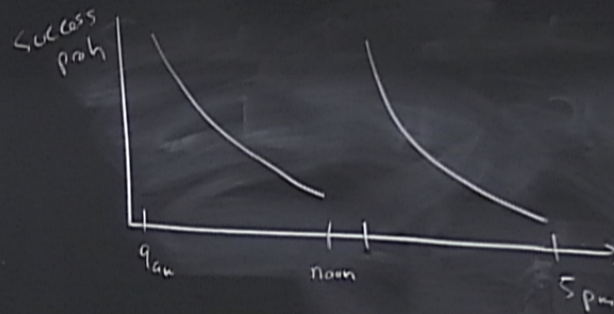
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### Classical Physics

System 1  $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^M$   
 $c_x, \vec{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_M)$

System 2  $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^N$   
 $\vec{y} = (y_1, \dots, y_N)$

$\vec{x}$  &  $\vec{y}$  are physical states

$$\vec{z} = (\vec{x}, \vec{y}) \in \mathbb{R}^M \times \mathbb{R}^N$$

↑  
Cartesian product

$= a_i \cdot b_i \in \mathbb{C}$   
 We have assumed for  
 ordering our basis elements  
 $\Rightarrow$  Right most factor varies  
 most rapidly

with the number of  
 subsystems

and  $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_A \otimes \mathcal{H}_B \otimes \mathcal{H}_C$   
 is a tri-partite system  
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Classical Physics

1  $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^M$   
 e.g.  $\vec{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_M)$   
2  $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^N$   
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 ↑  
 Cartesian product

$\vec{z} \in \mathbb{R}^{M+N}$

An arbitrary vector  
 in  $\mathcal{H}_{AB}$  has  
 the form  
 $|\chi\rangle = \sum_{a,b} \chi_{a,b} |a\rangle \otimes |b\rangle$   
 in general  
 $|\chi\rangle + |\psi\rangle \otimes |\phi\rangle$



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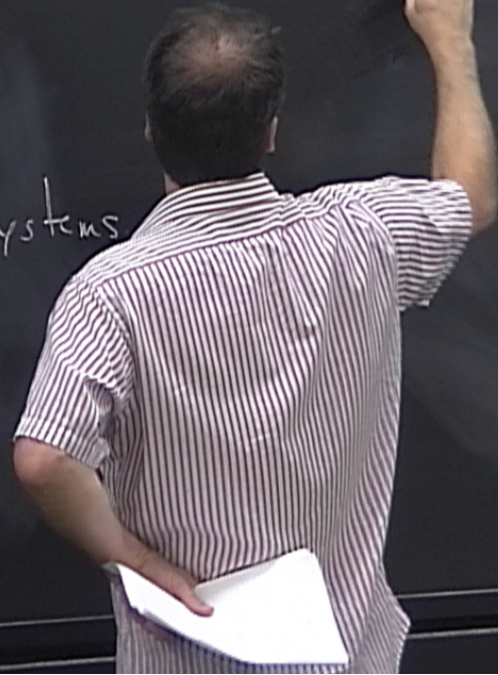
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This very different  
from how combine  $q$  systems

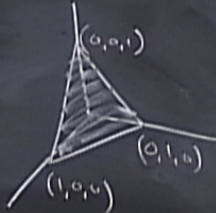
Consider



$$\hat{B}_e \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_B)$$

$$\bar{p} \in \mathbb{R}^M$$
$$\bar{q} \in \mathbb{R}^N$$

Consider  $M=3 \Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$



2-simplex

Tensor Product

$$\mathcal{H}_{AB} = \mathcal{H}_A \otimes \mathcal{H}_B$$

Consider

$$\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_{AB})$$

$$\hat{S} = \hat{A} \otimes \hat{B}$$

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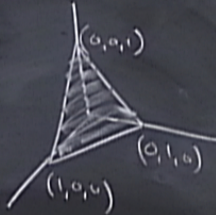
$$\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{H}_B)$$

$$\hat{B}_e \in \mathcal{P}(H_{\mathbb{R}})$$

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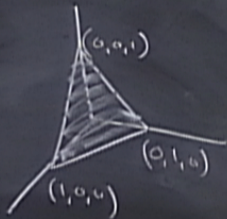
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2-simplex

How do we compose probability  
vectors for joint events?

$$\hat{A}: |\psi\rangle \rightarrow |\phi\rangle$$

$$\hat{A}|\psi\rangle = |\phi\rangle$$

$$|\psi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}_A$$

$$|\phi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}_A$$

Consider  $|\chi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}$

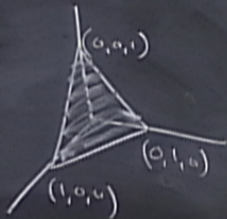
Suppose  $|\chi\rangle$

$|\psi\rangle$

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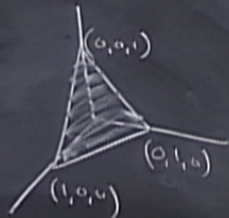
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Suppose  $|\chi\rangle$

$|\psi\rangle$

$(H_B)$

$$\vec{z} = (\vec{x}, \vec{y}) \in \mathbb{R}^M \times \mathbb{R}^N$$

↑  
Cartesian product

How do we compose probability vectors for joint events?  
 $\vec{w}$  the probability vector describing joint events, e.g. rolling both dice.

$$\vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^M \otimes \mathbb{R}^N = \mathbb{R}^{M \cdot N}$$

$\in MN-1$  simplex

Subsystems

$$\vec{z} = (\vec{x}, \vec{y}) \in \mathbb{R}^M \times \mathbb{R}^N$$

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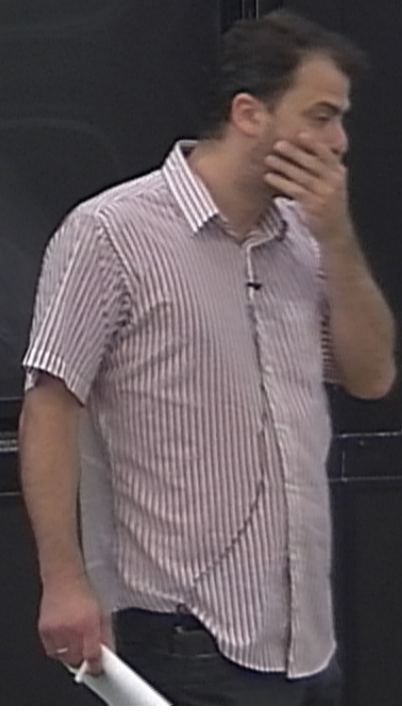
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∈ MN-1 simplex

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$$w_{ij} = p_i q_j$$

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