

Title: Hierarchical growth of entangled states

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Abstract: This talk, based on work with Brian Swingle, will describe the s-sourcery program. Its goal is to extend the lessons of the renormalization group to quantum many body states.

Hierarchical growth of entangled states

or

's-sourcery'

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based on work

(arXiv:1407.8203, 1505.07106, 1602.02805, 1607.05753, in progress)

with

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and

Shenglong Xu (UCSD)

PLAN:

- ▶ Gapped groundstates
- ▶ Gapless groundstates
- ▶ Mixed states



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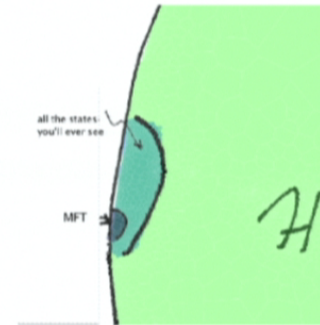
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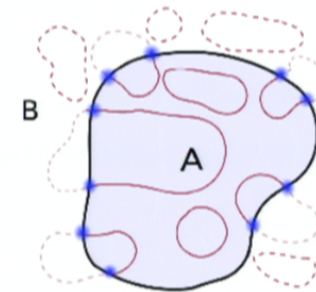
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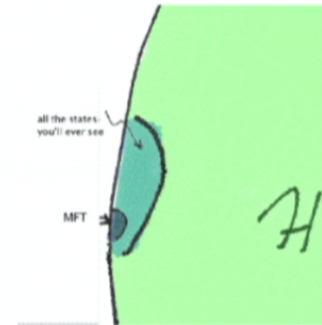
[Fig: T. Grover]



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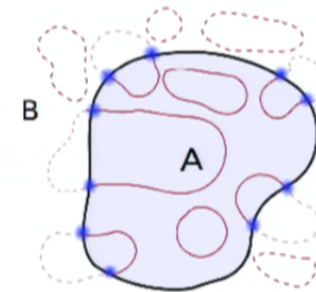
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- ▶ a crucial point of contact with holographic duality
(entanglement entropy \simeq area)



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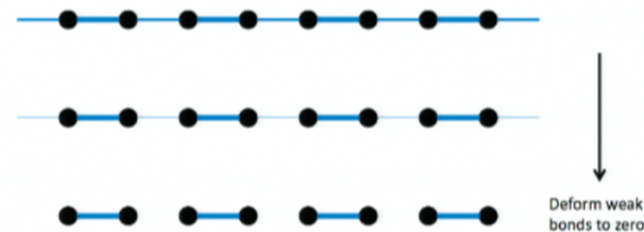
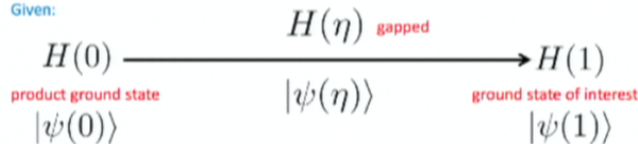
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Solution [Hastings, Wen]:

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$$i\partial_\eta |\psi(\eta)\rangle = \mathbf{K}(\eta) |\psi(\eta)\rangle$$

\rightsquigarrow Produce quasi-local $\mathbf{U} = e^{i \int_0^1 d\eta \mathbf{K}(\eta)}$.

$$K = -i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt F(t) e^{iH(\eta)t} \partial_\eta H(\eta) e^{-iH(\eta)t}$$

$F(t)$ odd, rapidly decaying, $\tilde{F}(0) = 0$,

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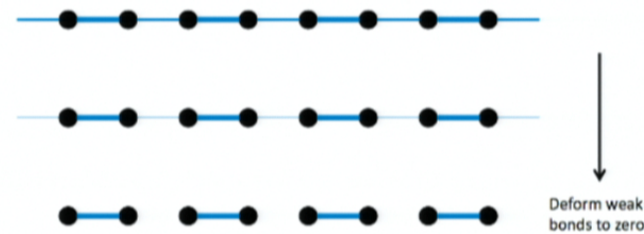
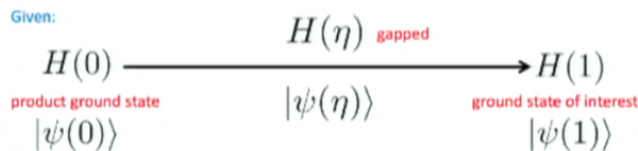
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$d = 1, s = 1$ example:

(Not like crystal growth!)

L sites



$|\psi_L\rangle$



$\otimes |0\rangle^L$

$|0\rangle |0\rangle |0\rangle \dots$



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$2L$ sites

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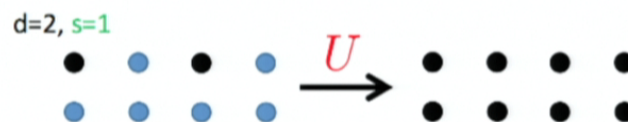
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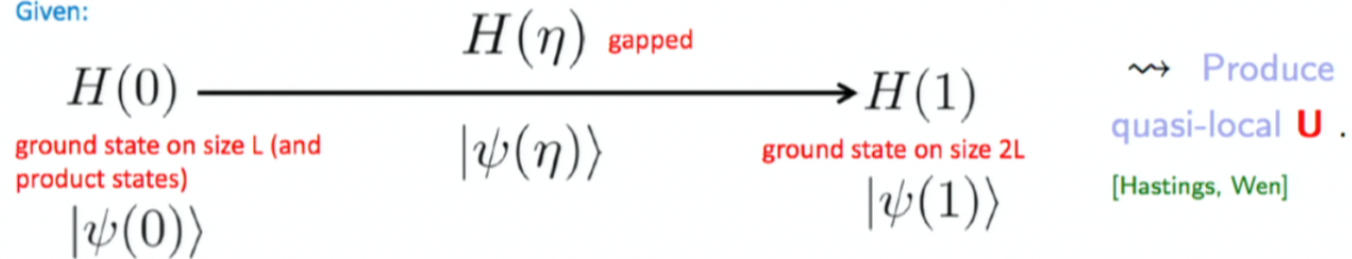


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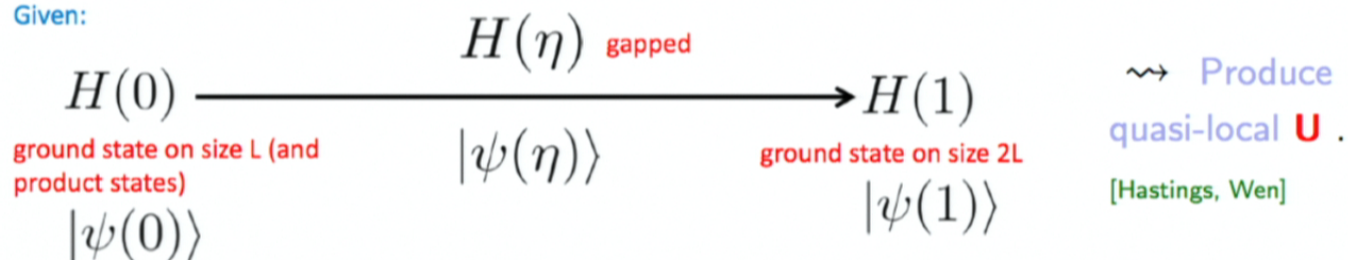
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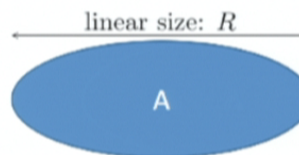
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Basic property: Recursive entropy bounds:

(Uses Small Incremental Entangling result of

[Kitaev, Bravyi, van Acoleyen-Marien-Verstraete 2014].)

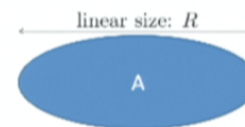


$$\begin{aligned}
 S(2R) &\leq sS(R) + kR^{d-1} \\
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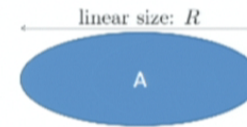


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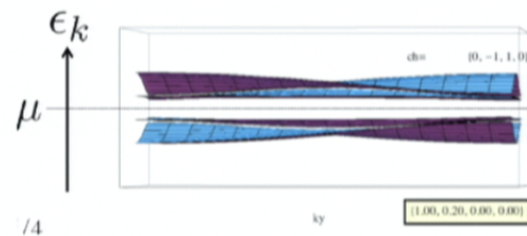
2. The groundstate degeneracy satisfies: $G(2L) = G(L)^s$
3. s (smallest possible) is a property of the phase (since by definition an adiabatic path connects any two representatives) \implies classification axis.
4. The circuit implies a MERA representation of the groundstate.

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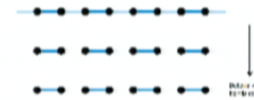


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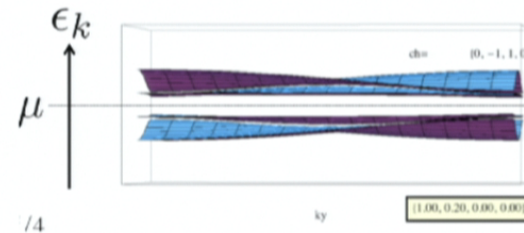
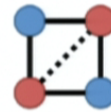


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- Topological states (discrete gauge theory, fractional QH), including chiral ones ($s = 1$)

- Any *topological quantum liquid*

≡ insensitive to smooth deformations of space \simeq gapped QFT

has $s = 1$.

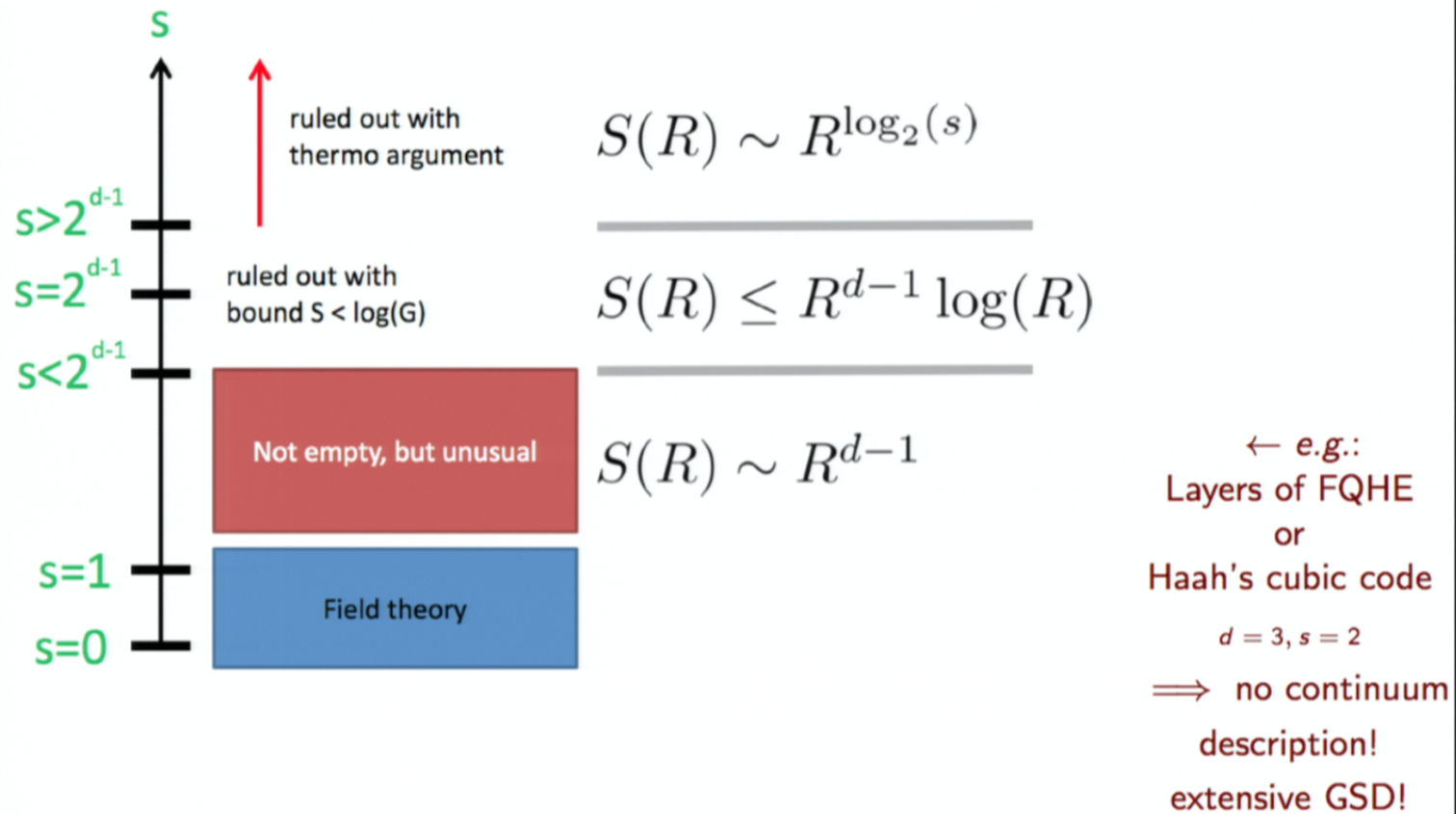
Why: place it in an expanding universe $ds^2 = -d\eta^2 + a(\eta)^2 d\vec{x}^2$

Experimental example: QCD

- ▶ Our universe is expanding, $t_{\text{doubling}} \sim 10^{10}$ years.
- ▶ The QCD gap stays open ($m_{\pi}, m_p > 0$).
- ▶ This is a gapped path from $|\psi_L\rangle$ to $|\psi_{2L}\rangle$.
- ▶ $\implies \exists$ a quasilocal unitary which constructs the QCD groundstate from a small cluster plus ancillas.
(i.e. QCD has $s = 1$).

This suggests a new approach to simulating its groundstate which is in principle very efficient.

Reason to care #3: Classification of gapped states by s

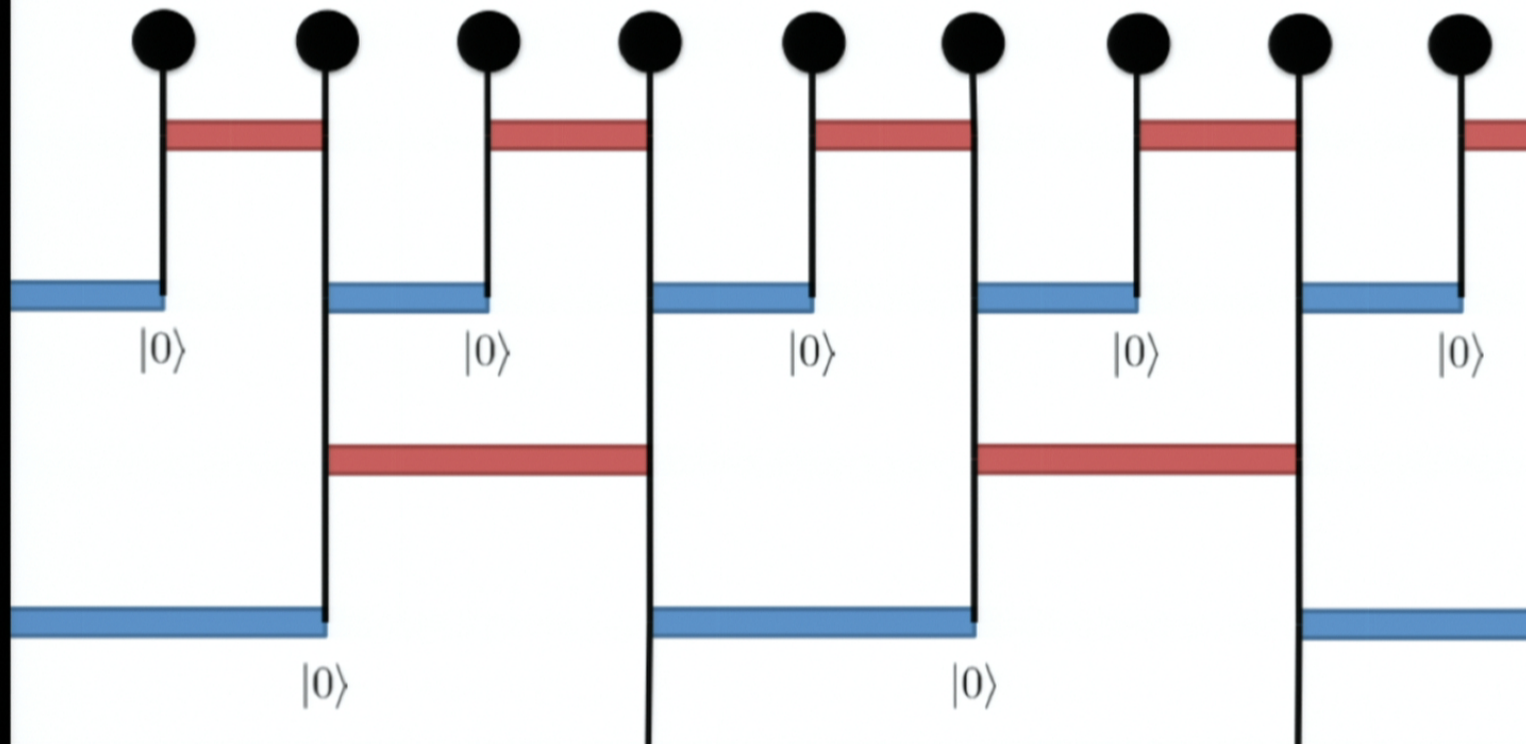


Reason to care #4: $U \rightsquigarrow$ MERA

A MERA is a representation of the groundstate which: [Vidal]

- ▶ allows efficient computation of observables (few contractions)
- ▶ organizes the information by scale (like Wilson and AdS/CFT taught us to do)
- ▶ geometrizes the entanglement structure [Swingle]

(Best representation of 1d critical states, very hard to find in $d > 1$.)



MERA representations of $s = 1$ fixed points

Quasilocal $\mathbf{U}^{\text{Trotter}} \rightarrow$ low-depth circuit:

$$|\psi_L\rangle \simeq \mathbf{U}_{\text{circuit}} |\psi_{L/2}\rangle |0\rangle^{L/2}$$

finite overlap requires $\hat{\ell} \sim \log^{1+\delta}(L)$

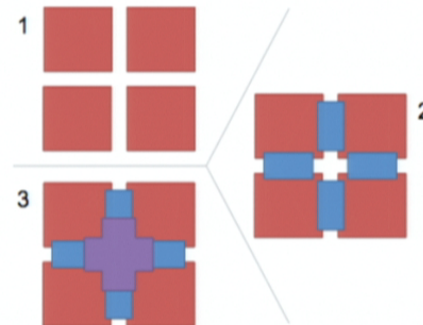
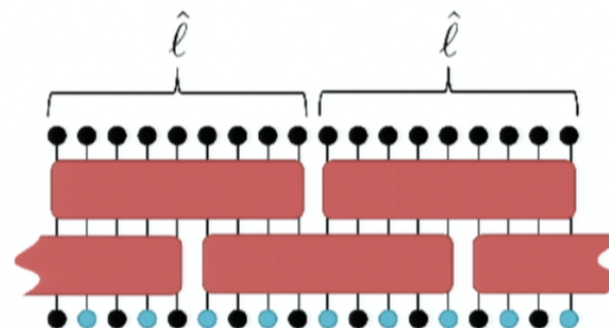
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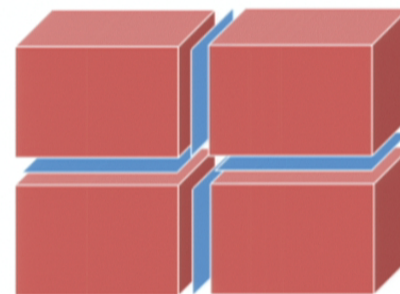
Crucial point: This construction of $\mathbf{U}_{\text{circuit}}$ requires no variational sweeps on large system.

Numerical implementation...?

[getting started with Snir Gazit]



$d = 2:$



$d = 3:$

$\gg \ll$

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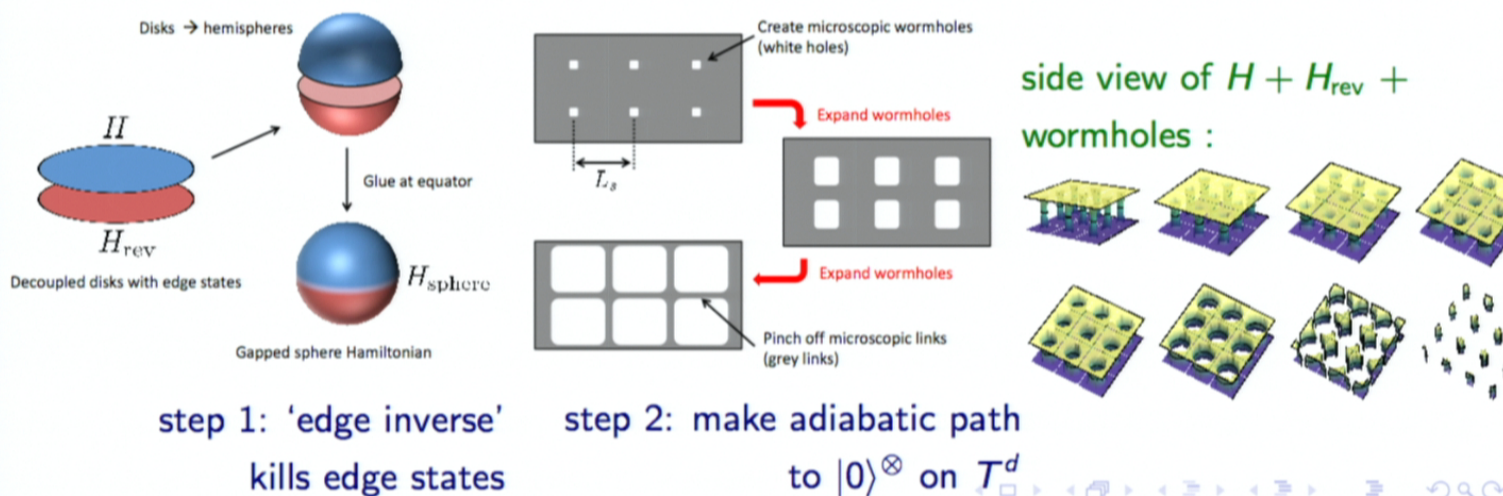
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Graphical proof of weak area law:



Gapless states and s -sourcery

- ▶ 'Entanglement Thermodynamics' constrains area law violation by gapless states
- ▶ and gives a relation between s and scaling exponents ($s = 2^\theta$).
- ▶ Examples of RG circuits for nontrivial critical points.

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Result: [Swingle-JM, 1505.07106, PRB]

If: thermal entropy of a scale-invariant state is $s(T) \sim T^{\frac{d-\theta}{z}}$

$z \equiv$ dynamical exponent

$\theta \equiv$ hyperscaling violation exponent

(anomalous dimension of T_{tt})

Then: the groundstate

EE obeys the area law

when $\theta < d - 1$

and $0 < z < \infty$.

(Recall: a Fermi surface has

$\theta = d - 1$.)



Entanglement thermodynamics

Idea: Recast EE as **local** thermodynamics problem ($T = T_x$)

Find $\sigma_A \simeq Z^{-1} e^{-\sum_x \frac{1}{T_x} \mathbf{H}_x}$ ($\mathbf{H} \equiv \sum_x \mathbf{H}_x$. local Gibbs state)

such that $S(\sigma_A) \geq S(\rho_A)$.

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Why: True if $1 \gg \frac{\nabla T_x}{T_x} \cdot \xi_x$ (for all x) ($\xi_x \equiv$ local correlation length).

But: let $\sigma_A(\tau) \equiv Z(\tau)^{-1} e^{-\frac{1}{\tau} \sum_x \tilde{\mathbf{H}}_x / T_x} \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow 1} \sigma_A$.

This state has temperature $T_x(\tau) = \tau T_x \implies \xi_x(\tau) \sim T_x(\tau)^{-1/z} \propto \tau^{1/z}$

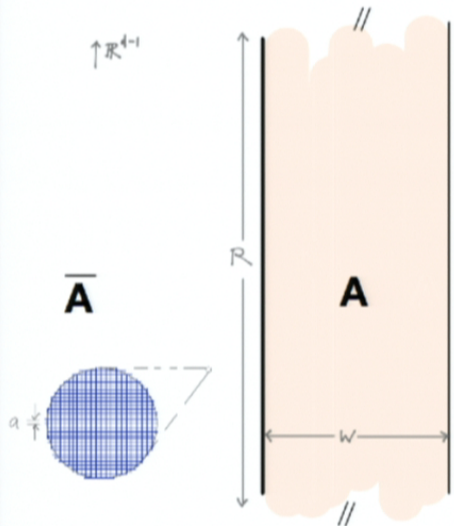
So (unless $z = \infty!$) the figure of merit for local thermo in state $\sigma_A(\tau)$ is

$$1 \gg \underbrace{\frac{\nabla T_x(\tau)}{T_x(\tau)}}_{\sim \tau^0} \cdot \underbrace{\xi_x(\tau)}_{\sim \tau^{-1/z}} \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow \infty} 0.$$

$S(\sigma_A(\tau)) = \tau^{\frac{d-\theta}{z}} S(\sigma_A) \implies$ scales the same way with region size.



Scaling in strip geometry



To use local thermo, we need T_x .

Our question is local. Choose convenient geometry.

Translation invariant in $d - 1$ dims (PBC). $R \gg w \gg a$.

Scale invariance \implies

$$T_x \sim \begin{cases} x^{-z} \\ \infty & \text{(no)} \\ 0 & \text{(sometimes: frustration free H)} \end{cases}$$

$$\implies e(T_x) \sim x^{-z+\theta-d}, \quad s(T_x) \sim x^{\theta-d}$$

$$S_A \leq -\text{tr} \sigma_A \ln \sigma_A \sim R^{d-1} \int_a^w dx x^{-d+\theta}$$

$$\sim R^{d-1} (a^{-d+\theta+1} - w^{-d+\theta+1}) \xrightarrow{w \rightarrow \infty} \infty \text{ only if } d < 1 + \theta$$

Hence: scale invariant states with $\theta < d - 1$ obey the area law.



Connection to s -sourcery

[Swingle-JM, 1505.07106]

If our scaling theory is an s -source RG fixed point

$$S(2R) \leq sS(R) + kR^{d-1} .$$

Assume saturated (if not, can use smaller s) \Rightarrow

$$S_A = k \left(\frac{R}{a}\right)^{d-1} \sum_{n=0}^{\log_2(w/a)} \left(\frac{s}{2^{d-1}}\right)^n$$

$R \gg w \gg a$
 \simeq

$$k \left(\frac{R}{a}\right)^{d-1} \left(1 - \left(\frac{a}{w}\right)^{d-1-\log_2 s} + \dots\right)$$

Compare subleading terms in EE of strip:

$$s = 2^\theta$$

(Fermi surface has $\theta = d - 1$, hence $s = 2^{d-1}$, marginally violates area law. \checkmark)



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<p>e.g. near-neighbor Ising model: $h(s) = \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} s_i s_j$</p>	<p>→</p>	<p>$\mathbf{Z}_i s\rangle = s_i s\rangle$. Parent Hamiltonian: $\mathbf{H} = \sum_i \left(-\mathbf{X}_i + e^{-\beta \mathbf{Z}_i} \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \mathbf{Z}_j \right)$</p>
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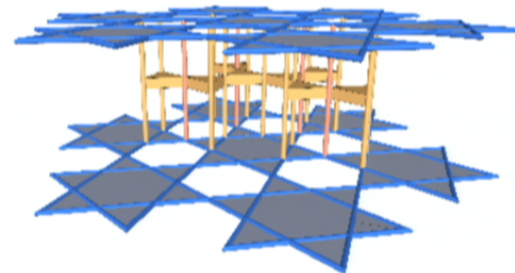
Quantum version:

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$$\mathbf{U} = \prod \mathbf{U}_2 \prod \mathbf{U}_1$$

Fixed point of
classical TRG

$\implies s = 1$ fixed point.



[JM, B Swingle, Shenglong Xu, 1602.02805, PRB]

Mixed s -sourcery

The extension of tensor network ideas to open quantum systems will be useful.
Even for thermal equilibrium, given $\rho = Z^{-1}e^{-\beta H}$, expectations are not, in general, computable.

Mixed s -sourcery

[Swingle-JM, 1607.05753]

What should replace the unitaries in the s -source RG circuit?

A sequence of states $\{\rho_L\}$ form a **purified s source** fixed point if there exists a sequence of purifications $\{|\sqrt{\rho_L}\rangle_{12}\}$ with $\text{tr}_2(|\sqrt{\rho_L}\rangle\langle\sqrt{\rho_L}|_{12}) = \rho_L$ and

$$|\sqrt{\rho_{2L}}\rangle = \tilde{V} \left(\underbrace{|\sqrt{\rho_L}\rangle \otimes \dots \otimes |\sqrt{\rho_L}\rangle}_{s \text{ times}} \otimes |0\dots 0\rangle \right)$$

where $|0\dots 0\rangle$ is a product state of the appropriate size and \tilde{V} is a quasi-local unitary on $A^s E$. *i.e.*: \exists a quasilocal channel $\rho_{2L} = \mathcal{E}(\rho_L^{\otimes s} \otimes |0\dots 0\rangle\langle 0\dots 0|)$

- The entropy can be volume law, but the mutual info is still area law:

$$I(A_{2R}, A_{2R}^c) \leq sI(A_R, A_R^c) + kR^{d-1}.$$

- Local channel preserves locality of operators \implies efficiently contractible.



Local free fermions are mixed $s = 0$

[Swingle-JM, 1607.05753]

$$H = \sum_{xy} c_x^\dagger h_{xy} c_y + h.c., \quad \text{with } h_{xy} \rightarrow 0 \text{ for } |x - y| \gg a$$

thermal eqbm: $\rho_T = e^{-H/T} / Z = \text{tr}_2 \underbrace{\sum_E \sqrt{\frac{e^{-\beta E}}{Z}} |E\rangle_1 \langle E|_2}_{\equiv |T\rangle}$ is $s = 0$.

$|T\rangle$ is the groundstate of $(f_k = \frac{1}{e^{\epsilon_k + 1}})$

$$H_T \equiv \sum_k \left(-d_k^\dagger d_k + \tilde{d}_k^\dagger \tilde{d}_k \right), \quad \begin{pmatrix} d_k \equiv \sqrt{f_k} c_k + \sqrt{1 - f_k} \tilde{c}_k \\ \tilde{d}_k \equiv -\sqrt{f_k} c_k + \sqrt{f_k} \tilde{c}_k \end{pmatrix}$$

which is gapped, local and adiabatically connected to

$$H_\infty = - \sum_x \left(c_x^\dagger c_x + \tilde{c}_x^\dagger \tilde{c}_x \right), \quad |\text{gs}_\infty\rangle = \prod_x \frac{c_x + \tilde{c}_x}{\sqrt{2}} |0\rangle \quad (\text{ultralocal}).$$

So the resulting a quasiadiabatic \mathbf{U} gives a quasilocal channel:

$$\rho_T \rightarrow \text{tr}_2 \mathbf{U} |T\rangle \langle T| \mathbf{U}^\dagger = \text{product state.}$$



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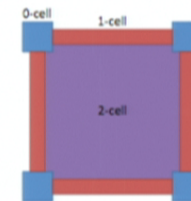
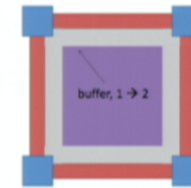
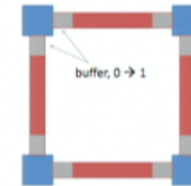
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Make a cellular decomposition of space (e.g. $d = 2$)
(all regions $> \xi$)

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If so, then here is the state:

$$\rho = \rho_{2\text{-cells} \cup 1\text{-cells} \cup 0\text{-cells}} \approx \mathcal{N}_{1 \rightarrow 2}(\mathcal{N}_{0 \rightarrow 1}(\mathcal{N}_{\emptyset \rightarrow 0}(\cdot)))$$



3d:

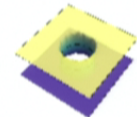


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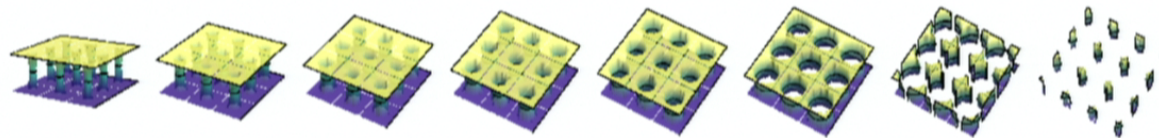
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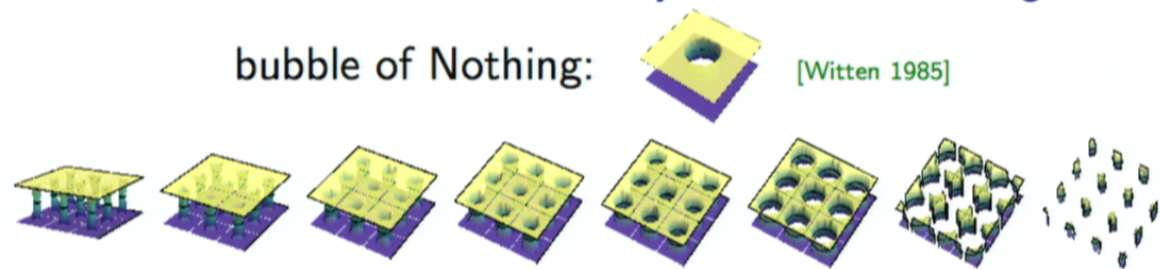
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This construction was used in [Mahajan et al, 1608.05074] to make efficient representations of non-eqbm steady states associated with dissipative transport. The idea: despite extensive von Neumann entropy, such states have low entanglement, hence tensor network representations.

Questions

Q: Is the thermal double $\sum_n \sqrt{\frac{e^{-\beta H}}{Z}} |n\rangle |n\rangle$ always the groundstate of a local, gapped \mathbf{H} ?

We showed 'yes' for free fermions and for sqrt states.

'Yes' lets us use groundstate s -sourcery.

Q: Can we improve the structure of the channel? The range of the resulting circuits is the thermal correlation length ($\rightarrow \infty$ as $T \rightarrow 0$).

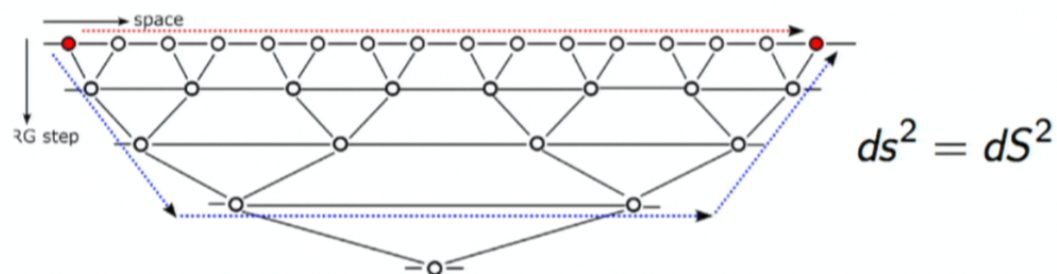
Fawzi-Renner result doesn't take advantage of locality within the buffer B .

U will be more local if we incorporate the $s = 1$ groundstate circuit near the IR.

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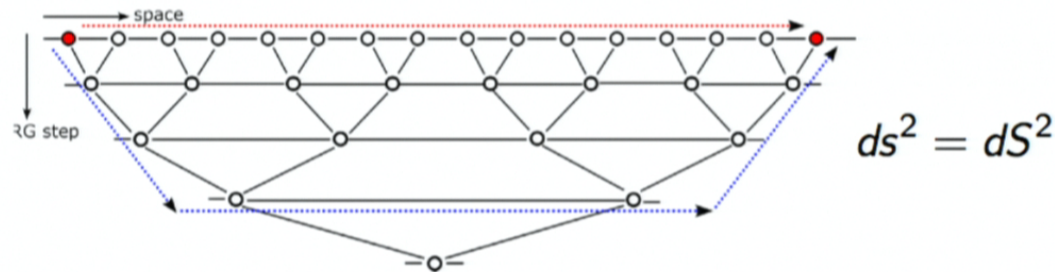
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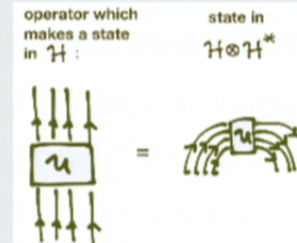
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A unification of these quantities is in order!



The end.

Thank you for listening.

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SSB, discrete	Gap	0	n/a	Area
IQHE (invertible)	Gap	1	n/a	Area
FQHE	Gap	1	n/a	Area
Topological states	Gap	1	n/a	Area
Haah's cubic code ($d = 3$)	Gap	2	n/a	Area
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Diffusive metal, $d = 3$	2	2^{d-2}	$d - 2$	Area
QED	1	1	0	Area
QCD	Gap	1*	n/a	Area