

Title: Universal, deterministic, and exact protocol to reverse qubit-unitary and qubit-encoding isometry operations

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Abstract: We report a deterministic and exact protocol to reverse any unknown qubit-unitary and qubit-encoding isometry operations. To avoid known no-go results on universal deterministic exact unitary inversion, we consider the most general class of protocols transforming unknown unitary operations within the quantum circuit model, where the input unitary operation is called multiple times in sequence and fixed quantum circuits are inserted between the calls. In the proposed protocol, the input qubit-unitary operation is called 4 times to achieve the inverse operation, and the output state in an auxiliary system can be reused as a catalyst state in another run of the unitary inversion. This protocol only applies only for qubit-unitary operations, but we extend this protocol to any qubit-encoding isometry operations. We also present the simplification of the semidefinite programming for searching the optimal deterministic unitary inversion protocol for an arbitrary dimension presented by M. T. Quintino and D. Ebler [Quantum 6, 679 (2022)]. We show a method to reduce the large search space representing all possible protocols, which provides a useful tool for analyzing higher-order quantum transformations for unitary operations.

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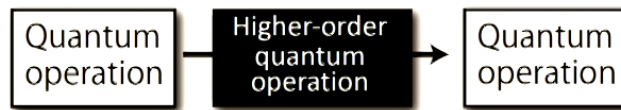
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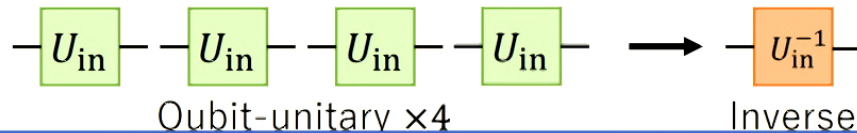
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Outline

- General perspective on higher-order quantum operations

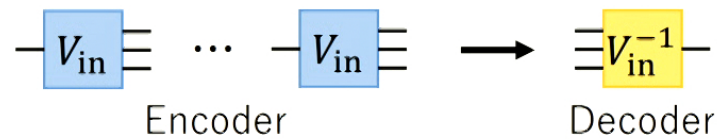


- Result 1: Deterministic exact qubit-unitary inversion



This talk

- Result 2: Isometry inversion

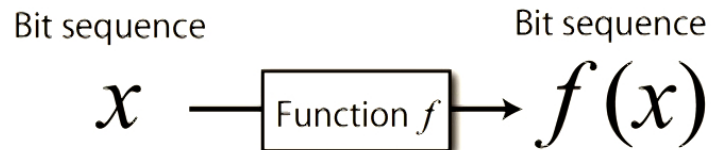


- Future works

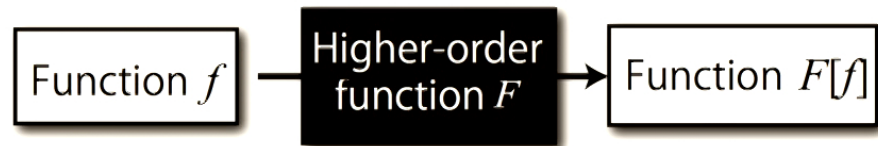
Higher-order quantum operation

- Classical information processing

- Function



- Higher-order function

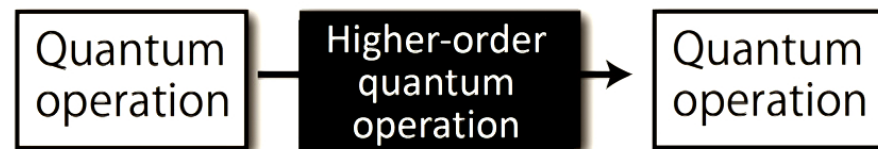


- Quantum information processing

- Quantum operation

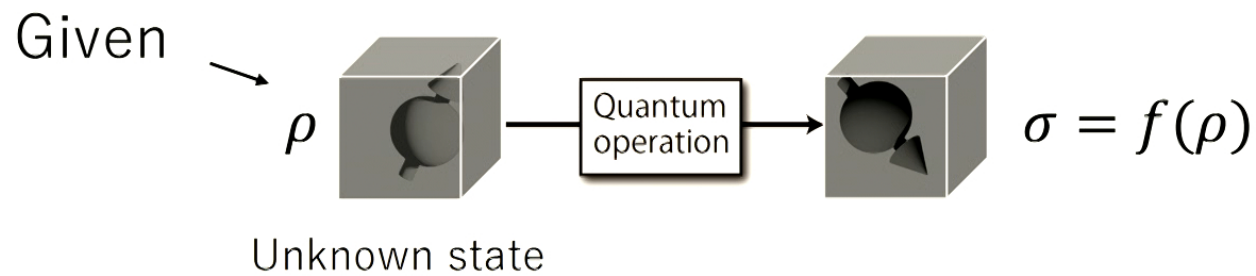


- Higher-order quantum operation



Universal transformation of quantum states

- Task



This is NOT $|0\rangle \mapsto |\psi\rangle$

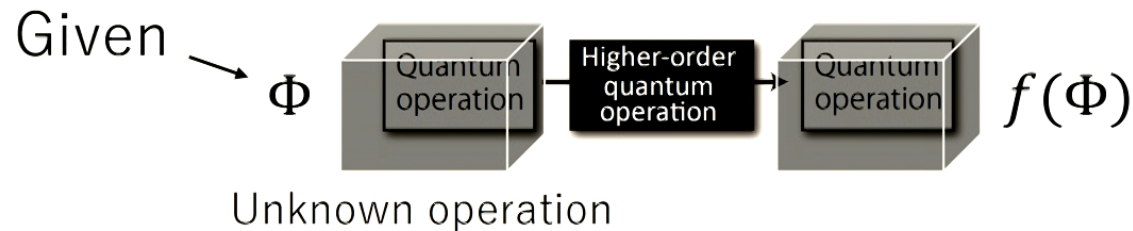
- Eg. State cloning

$$\rho \mapsto \rho \otimes \rho$$

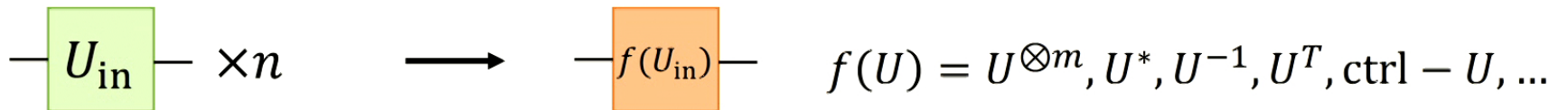
W. K. Wootters and W. H. Zurek, Nature 299, 802 (1982).

Universal transformation of quantum operations

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- Eg. Universal transformation of unitary operation

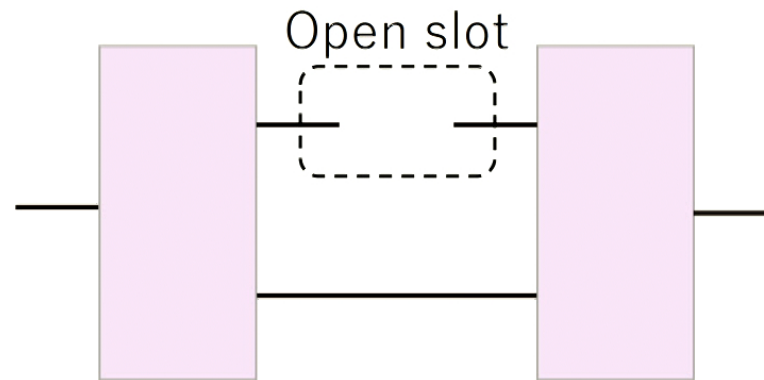


Unknown unitary

G. Chiribella et al. PRL 101, 180504 (2008). M. Quintino et al. PRL 123, 210502 (2019). D. Trillo et al. PRL 130, 110201 (2023).
J. Miyazaki et al. PRR 1, 013007 (2019). D. Ebler et al. arXiv:2206.00107. Q. Dong et al. arXiv:1911.01645. M. Araujo et al. NJP 16 093026 (2014).

Quantum combs

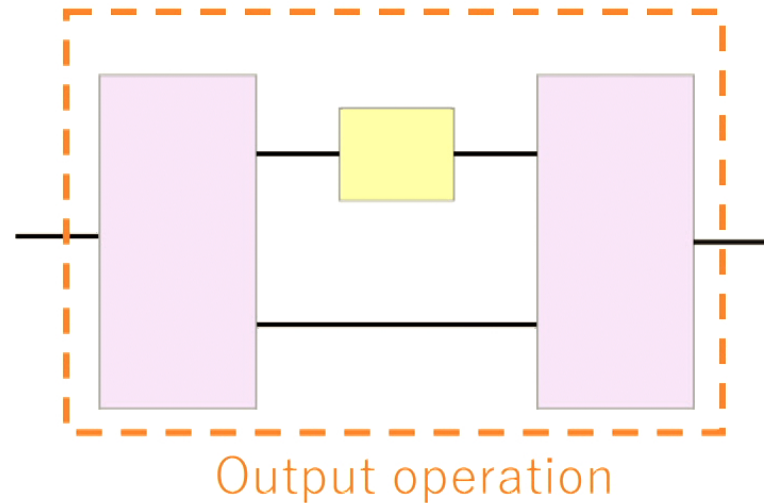
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→ Quantum circuit with open slot(s): Quantum comb



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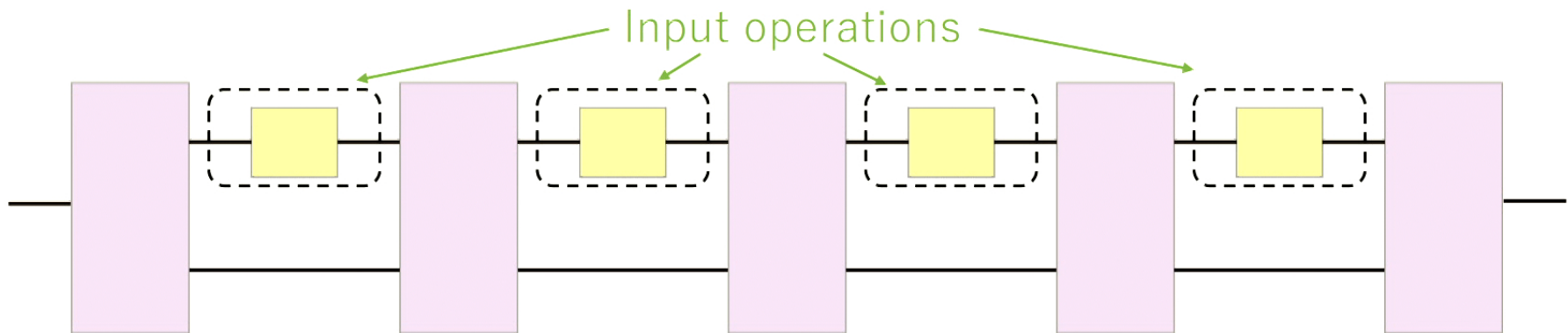
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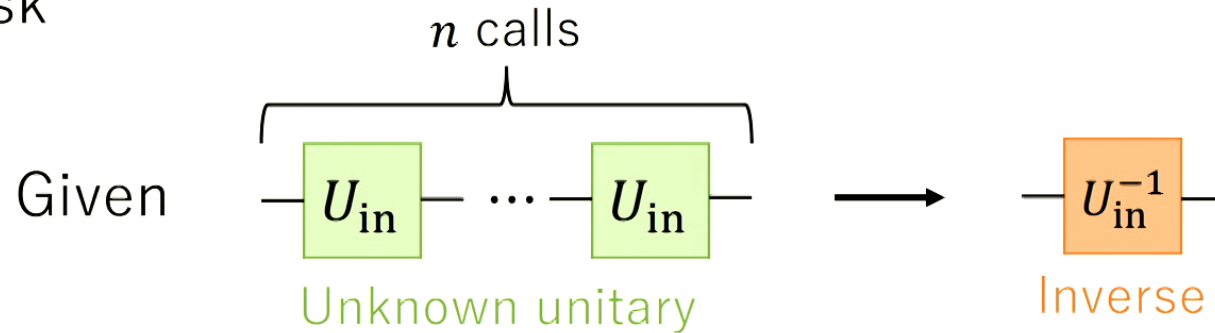
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Unitary inversion

- Task

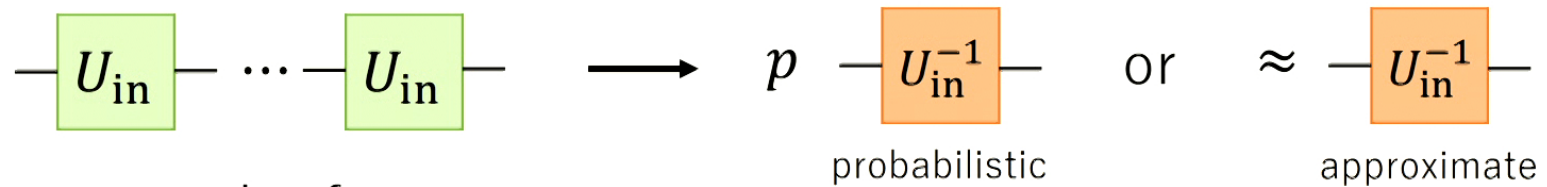


$$U_{\text{in}} = e^{-iHt} \mapsto U_{\text{in}}^{-1} = e^{iHt}$$

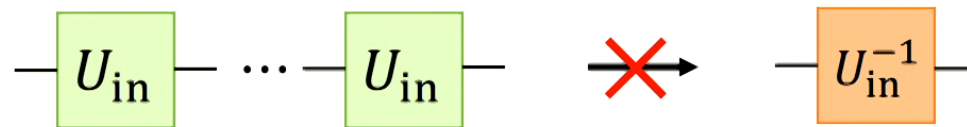
→ Simulation of “time inversion”

Unitary inversion

- The fundamental limitation of unitary inversion?
- Previous work:
 - Go results



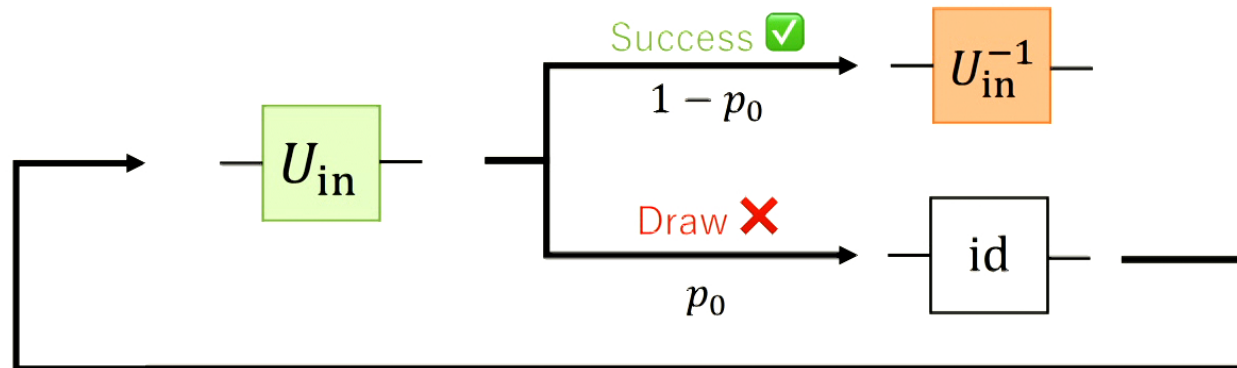
- No-go results for some cases



M. Sedlak et al. PRL 122, 170502 (2019), M. Navascues, PRX 8, 031008 (2018), M. Quintino et al. PRL 123, 210502 (2019), M. Quintino et al. PRA 100, 062339 (2019). M. Quintino and D. Ebler Quantum 6, 679 (2022), I. S. Sardharwalla et al. arXiv: 1602.07963, D. Ebler et al. IEEE Trans. Inf. Theo. 69, 8 (2023), D. Trillo et al. Quantum 4, 374 (2020), D. Trillo et al. PRL 130 (11), 110201, P. Schiinsky et al. Optica 10, 200 (2023).

Unitary inversion

- Previous work: Go results
- Best known : Success-or-draw

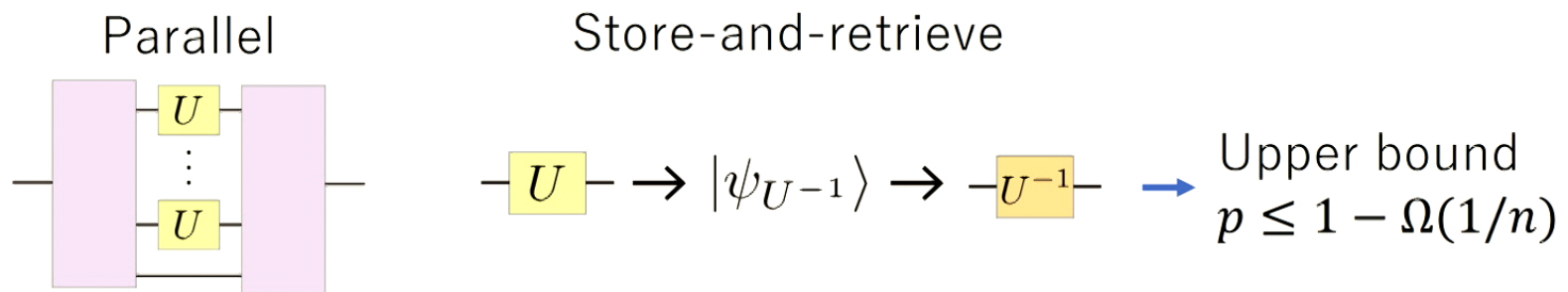


→ Success probability $p = 1 - p_0^{-O(n)} < 1$

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Unitary inversion

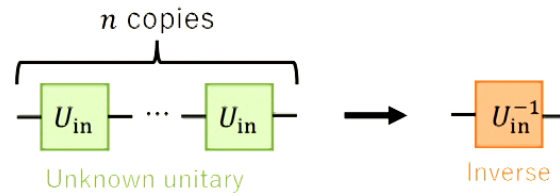
- Previous work: No-go results



Numerics: $p_{\text{opt}}(d, n), F_{\text{opt}}(d, n)$ for small d, n
 \rightarrow Still less than 1

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Unitary inversion



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- Previous work

| | Probabilistic | Deterministic |
|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| Approximate | ✓ | ✓ |
| Exact | ✓ | ??? |

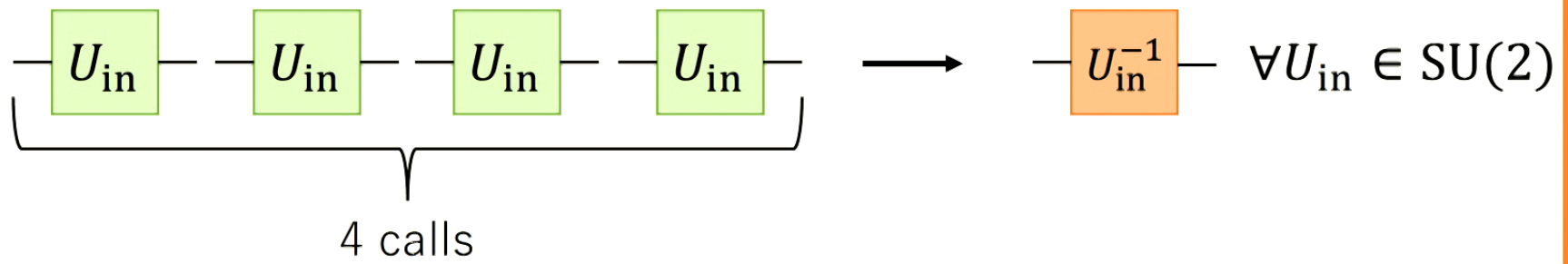
Open problem

We answer the open problem positively for $d = 2$!

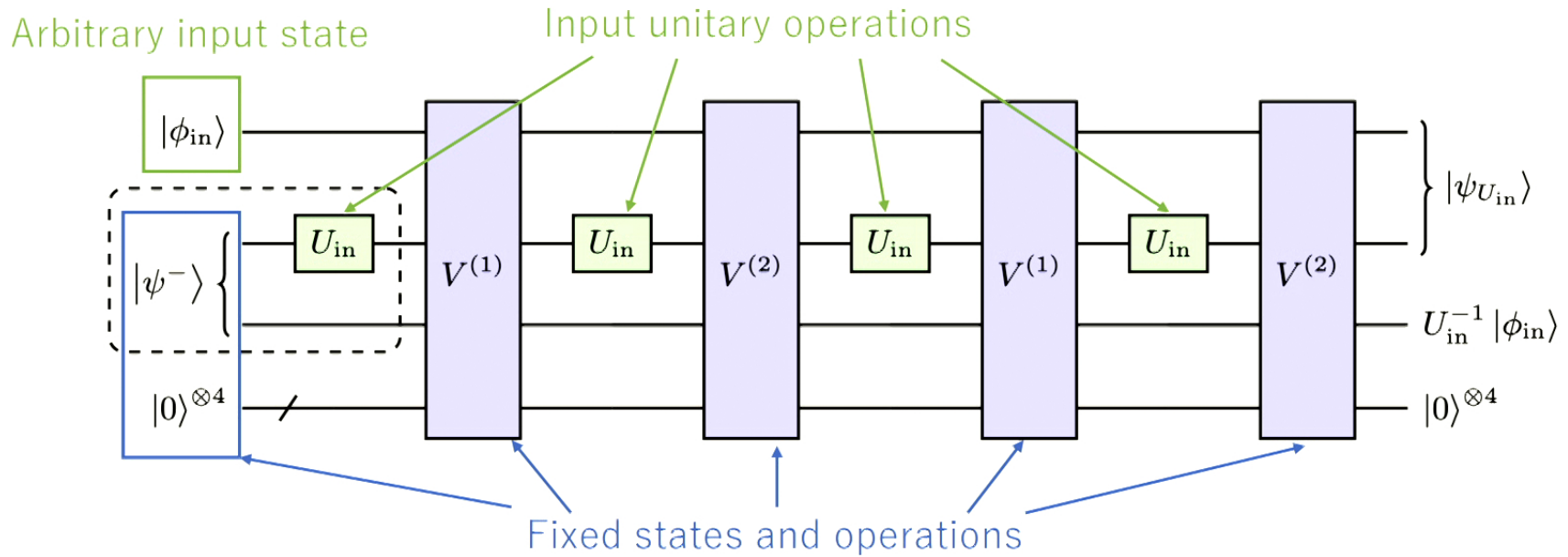
Unitary inversion

- Main result:

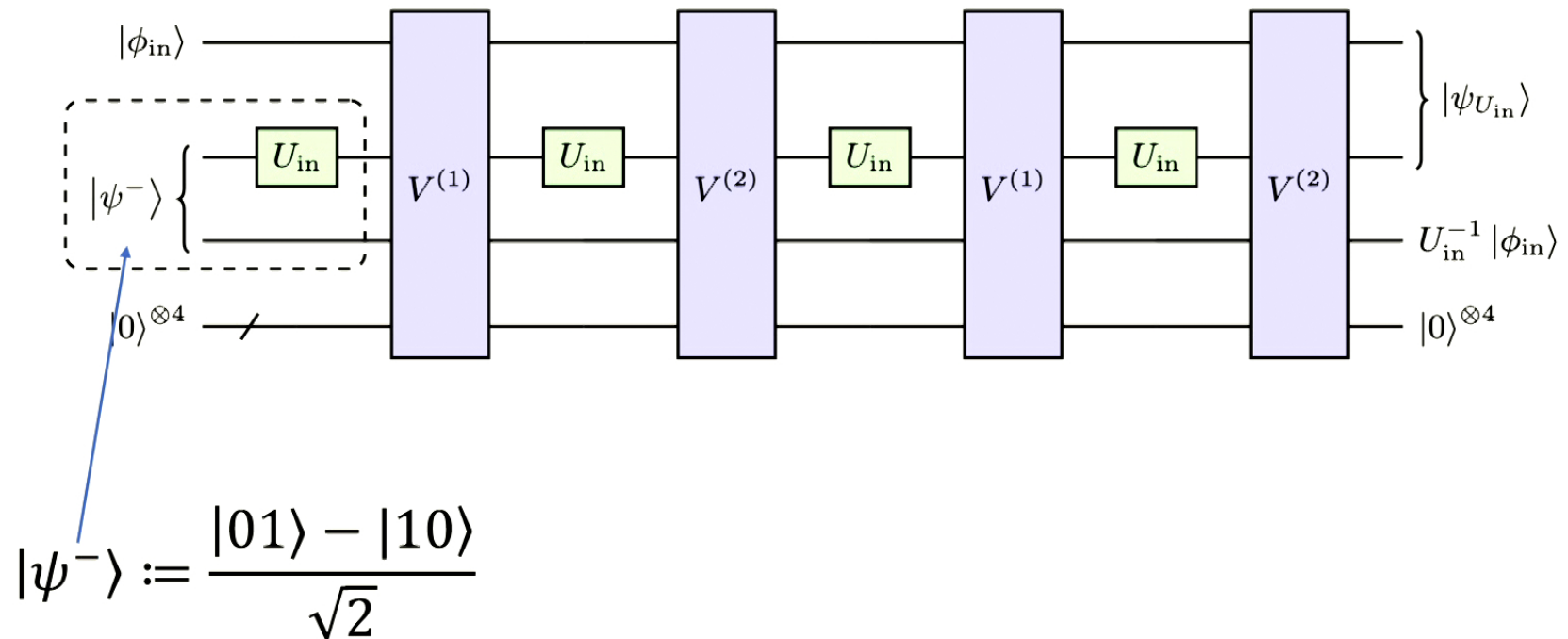
There exists a deterministic and exact qubit-unitary inversion protocol.



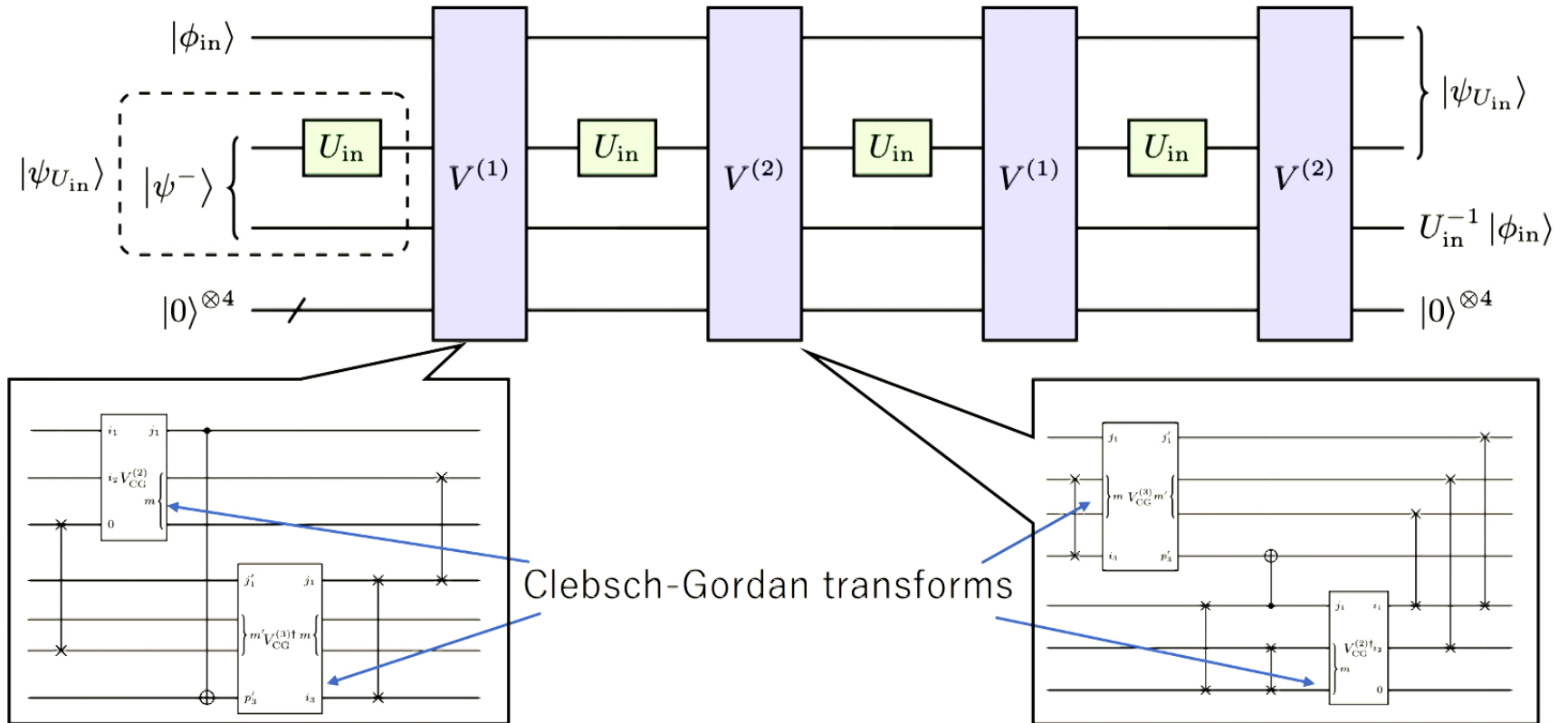
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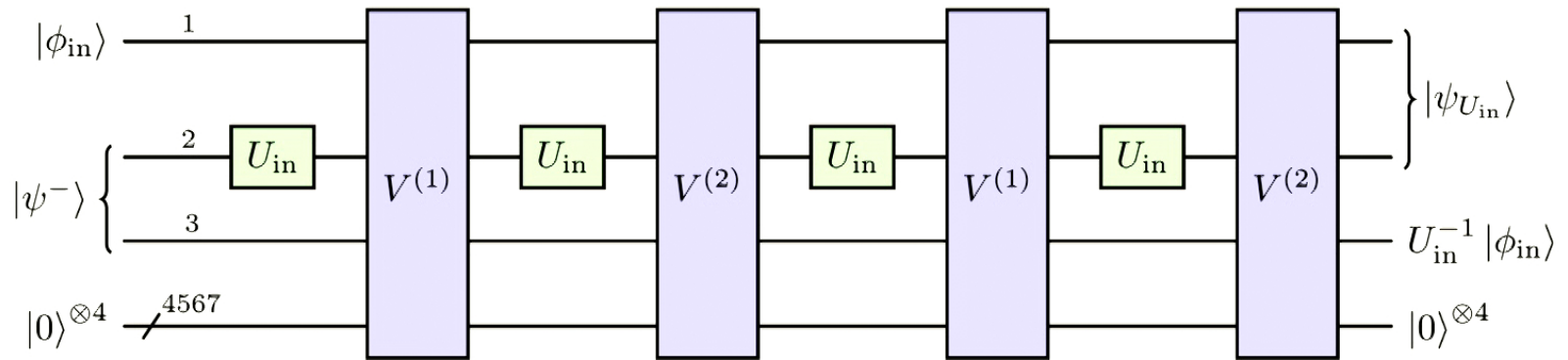


Qubit-unitary inversion protocol

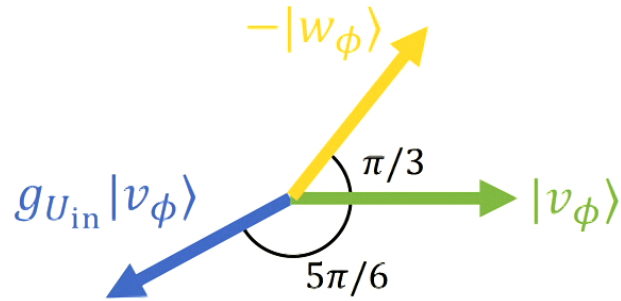
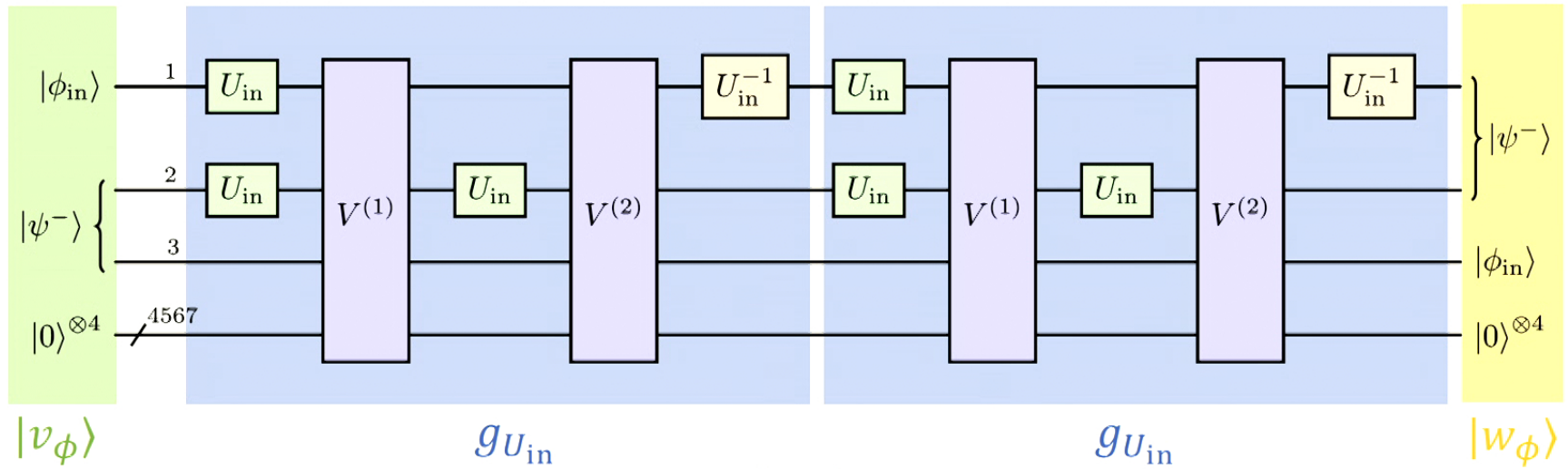


Proof sketch

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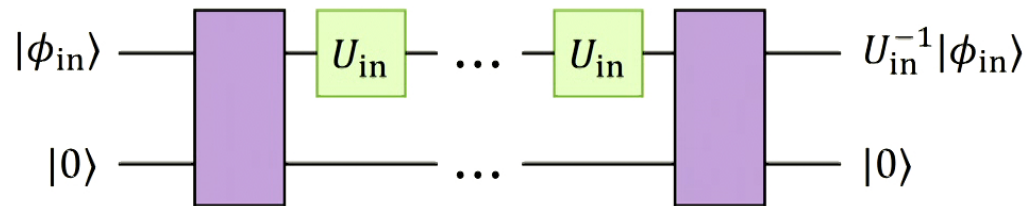


Characteristics of this protocol

- Catalytic use of $|\psi_{U_{\text{in}}}\rangle$



- Cleanness of the protocol



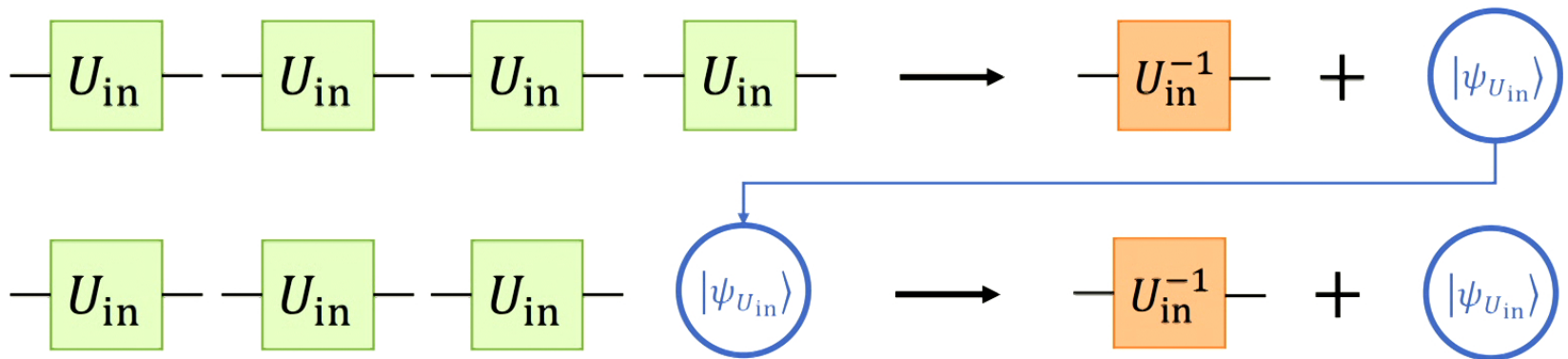
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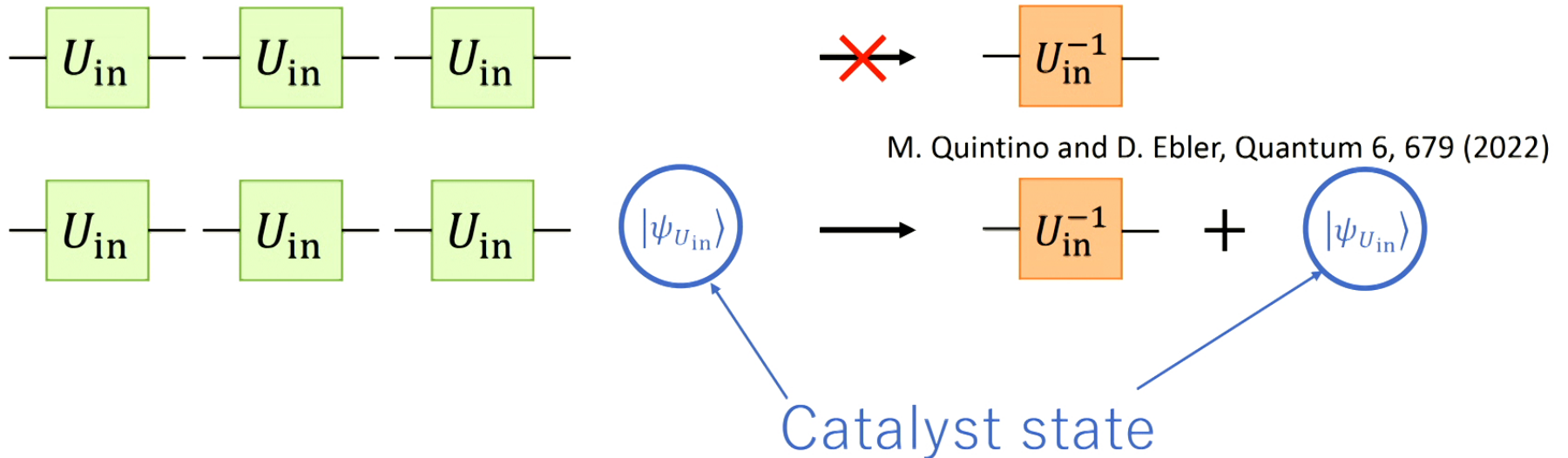
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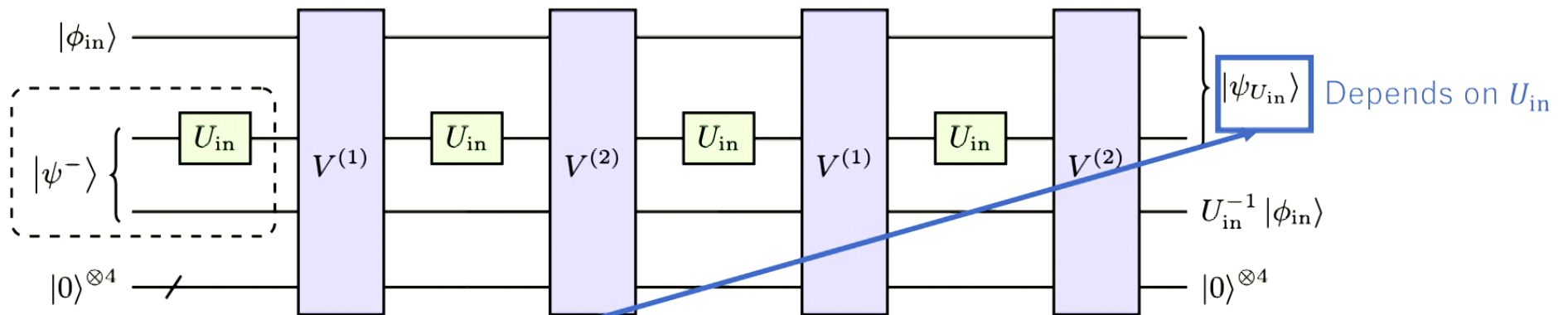
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D. Jonathan, D and M. Plenio, M. B, PRL, 83, 3566 (1999).

Characteristics of this protocol

- Non-clean protocol

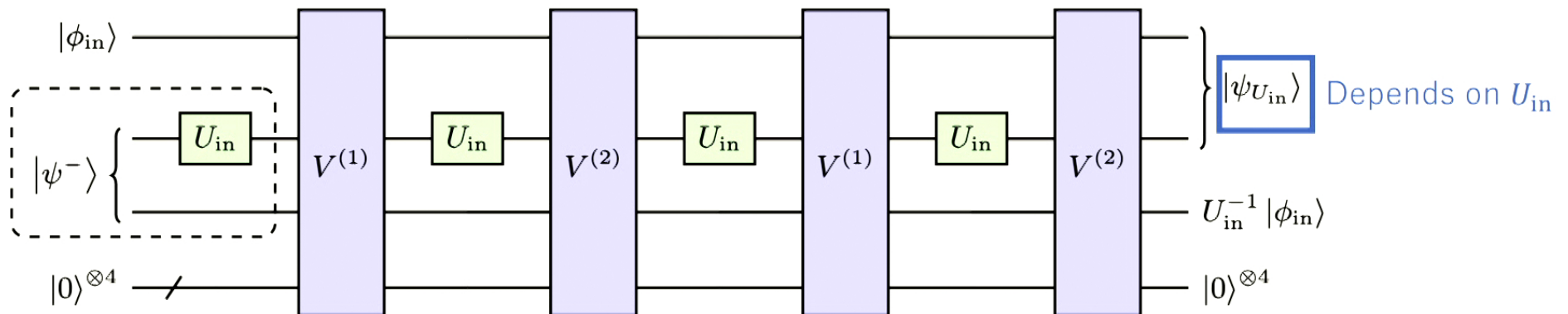


$$\rho = \int_{\text{SU}(2)} dU_{in} |\psi_{U_{in}}\rangle \langle \psi_{U_{in}}| = \frac{I \otimes I}{4} \quad \rightarrow \text{Initialization cost } W = k_B T H(\rho) = 2k_B T \ln 2$$

R. Landauer, IBM journal of research and development 5, 183 (1961).
 F. Meier and H. Yamasaki, arXiv:2305.11212 (2023).

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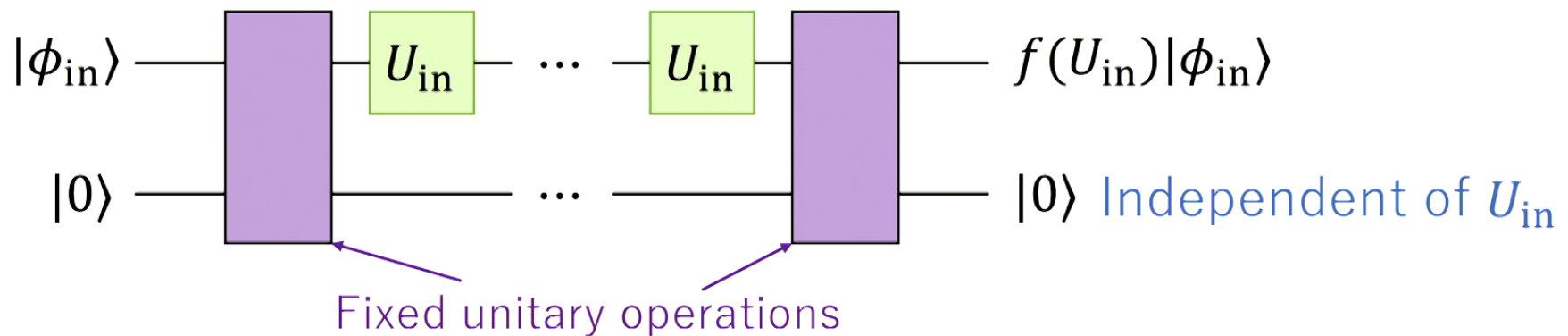
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$$(I \otimes U_{in})|\psi_{U_{in}}\rangle = U_{in}^{\otimes 2}|\psi^-\rangle = |\psi^-\rangle$$

Characteristics of this protocol

- Clean protocol for $f: \text{SU}(d) \rightarrow \text{SU}(d)$

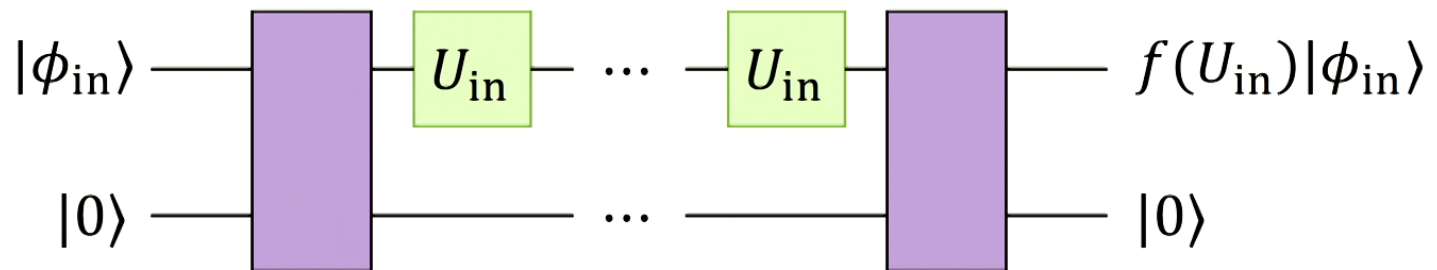


- No initialization cost
- ctrl — $U_{\text{in}} \rightarrow \text{ctrl} - f(U_{\text{in}})$

Z. Gavorová et al. arXiv:2011.10031 (2020).

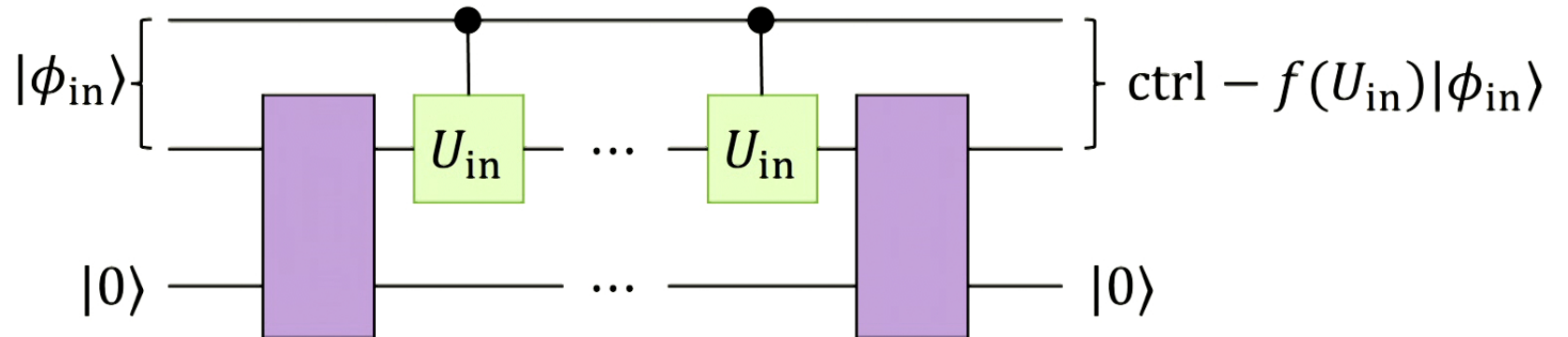
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How to find this protocol?
: Numerical search + symmetry

- SDP to optimize approximation error

$$\max F_{\text{ave}} := \int_{\text{SU}(d)} dU_{\text{in}} F[U_{\text{in}}^{-1}, \mathcal{C}(U_{\text{in}}^{\otimes n})]$$

s. t. \mathcal{C} is a quantum comb

M. Quintino and D. Ebler, Quantum 6, 679 (2022)

Choi representation:

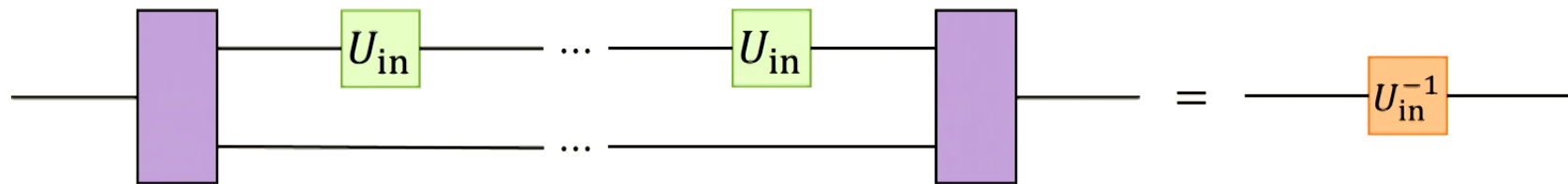
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|---|-------------------|--|--|
| CPTP map | | Choi matrix | |
| $\mathcal{C}(\Lambda_{\text{in}}) = \Lambda_{\text{out}}$ | \Leftrightarrow | $\text{Tr}_{\text{in}}(\mathcal{C}J_{\Lambda_{\text{in}}}^T) = J_{\Lambda_{\text{out}}}$ | |

Reduction of SDP using $SU(d) \times SU(d)$ symmetry

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M. Quintino et al. PRA 100, 062339 (2019)

- Symmetry in unitary inversion protocol

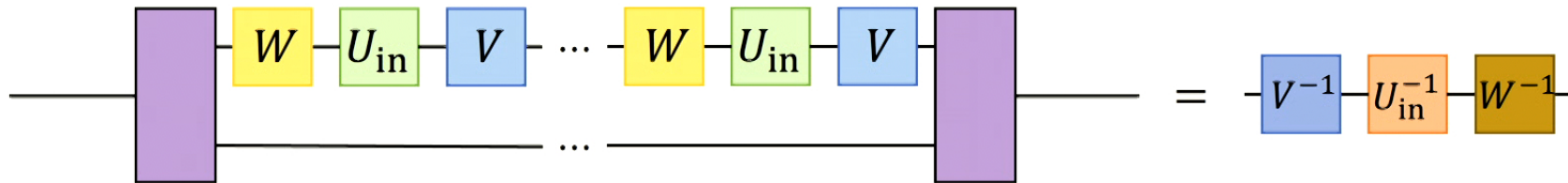


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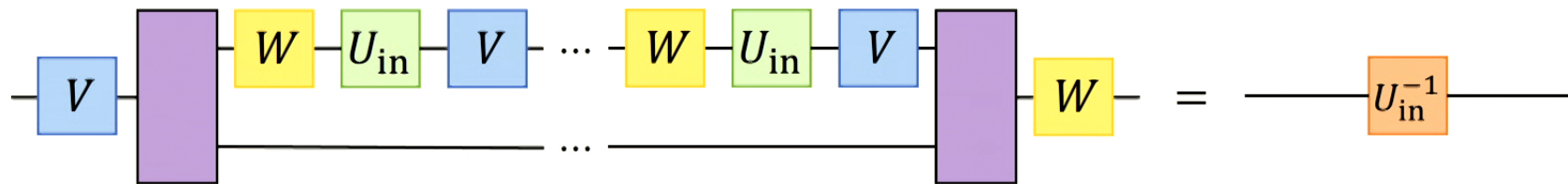
① $U_{\text{in}} \mapsto V U_{\text{in}} W$ for $V, W \in SU(d)$



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- Symmetry in unitary inversion protocol
- ① $U_{\text{in}} \mapsto V U_{\text{in}} W$ for $V, W \in SU(d)$
 - ② Insert V and W to the whole circuit



$$\rightarrow [C, V^{\otimes n+1} \otimes W^{\otimes n+1}] = 0 \quad \forall V, W \in SU(d)$$

Reduction of SDP using $SU(d) \times SU(d)$ symmetry

- Schur-Weyl duality :

An operator X commutes with $V^{\otimes n+1}$ for all $V \in SU(d)$

$\Leftrightarrow X$ is a linear combination of permutation operators P_σ , where

$$P_\sigma |i_1, \dots, i_{n+1}\rangle := |i_{\sigma^{-1}(1)}, \dots, i_{\sigma^{-1}(n+1)}\rangle$$

- $[C, V^{\otimes n+1} \otimes W^{\otimes n+1}] = 0 \quad \forall V, W \in SU(d)$

$$\Rightarrow C = \sum_{\sigma, \tau \in \mathfrak{S}_{n+1}} c_{\sigma\tau} P_\sigma \otimes P_\tau, \text{ where } c_{\sigma\tau} \in \mathbb{C}$$

Remark

In the paper, we utilize the Young-Yamanouchi basis which forms the orthogonal basis of $\text{span}\{P_\sigma\}$.

Numerical calculation of the SDP

| | $d = 2$ | $d = 3$ | $d = 4$ | ... |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|-----|
| $n = 2$ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| $n = 3$ | ✓ | | | |
| $n = 4$ | | ??? | | |
| \vdots | | | | |

→

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|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----|
| $n = 2$ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| $n = 3$ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| $n = 4$ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| $n = 5$ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

Deterministic exact unitary inversion

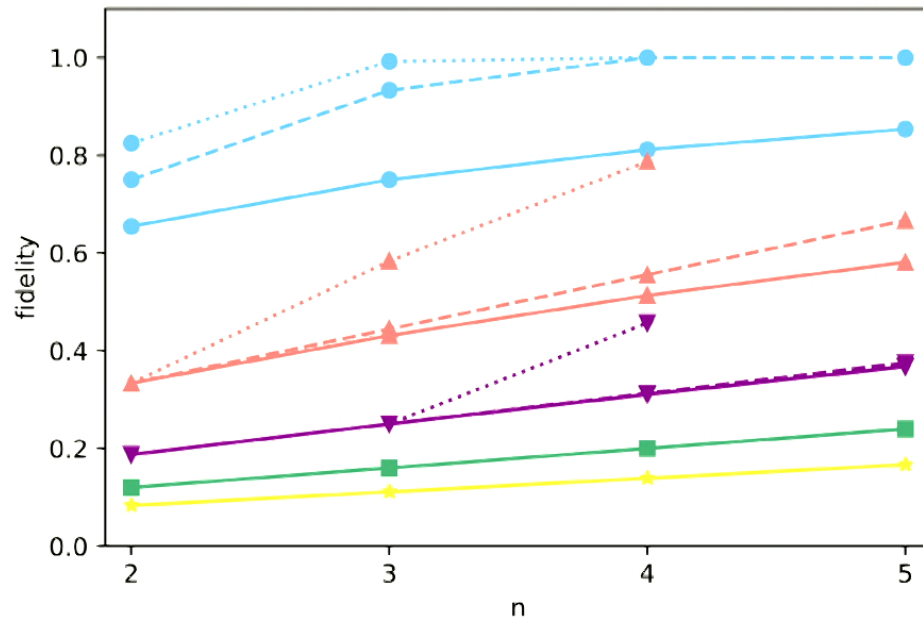
- Matrix representation of quantum comb → Quantum circuit

A. Bisio et al. PRA 83, 022325 (2011)

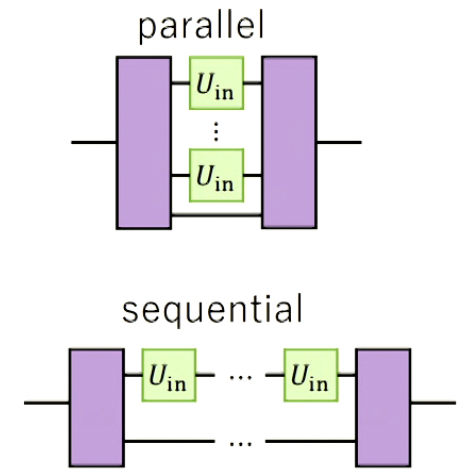
- Note: Reduction of SDP using unitary group symmetry

D. Grinko and M. Ozols, arXiv:2207.05713

Numerical calculation of the SDP



- d=2 (parallel)
- d=2 (sequential)
- d=2 (general)
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- ▲— d=3 (sequential)
- ▲— d=3 (general)
- ▼— d=4 (parallel)
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- ★— d=6 (general)



general \ni indefinite causal order

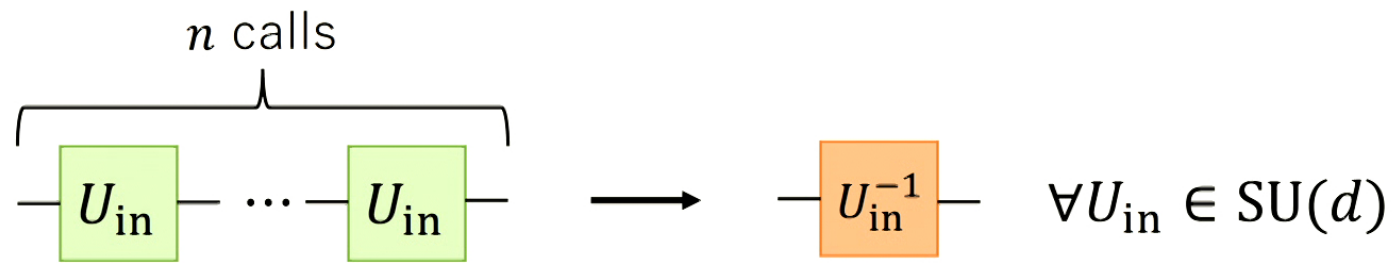
beyond circuit model
but preserves CPTP maps



Sci. Adv., 3: e1602589 (2017)

Future works

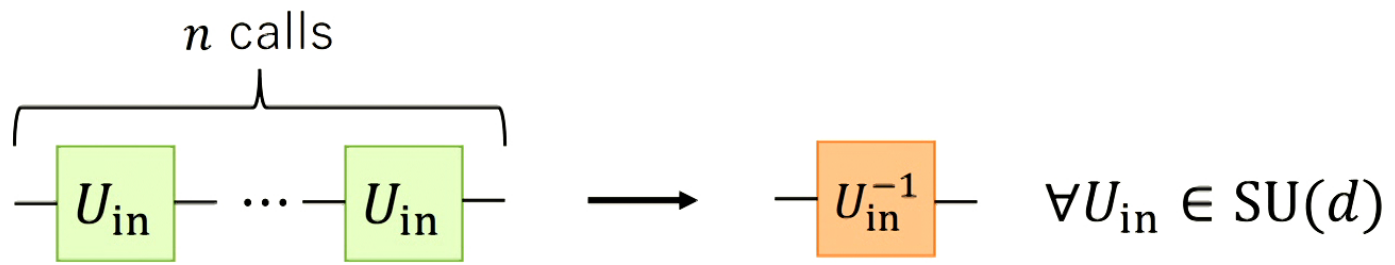
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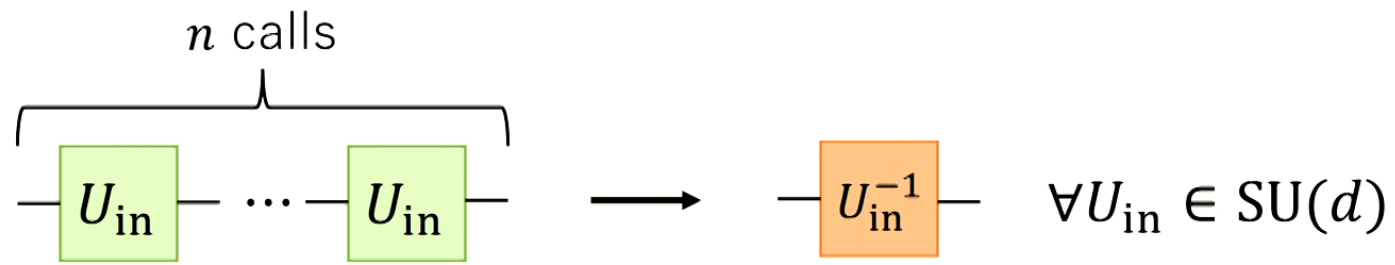
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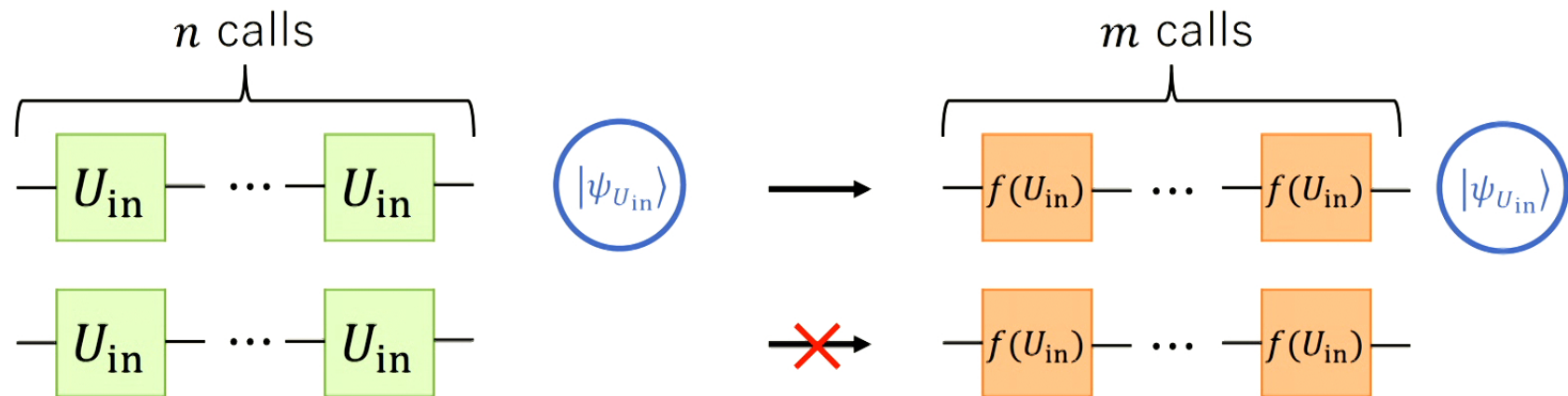
Conjecture $n = d^2$?



- Further simplification of SDP
- Systematic understanding

Future works

- Catalytic higher-order quantum operations



- How catalyst helps in other tasks?
- Relationship to asymptotic setting?

T. Kondra et al. PRL 127, 150503 (2021).

N. Shiraishi and T. Sagawa, PRL 126, 150502 (2021).

H. Wilming, PRL 127, 260402 (2021).

Summary

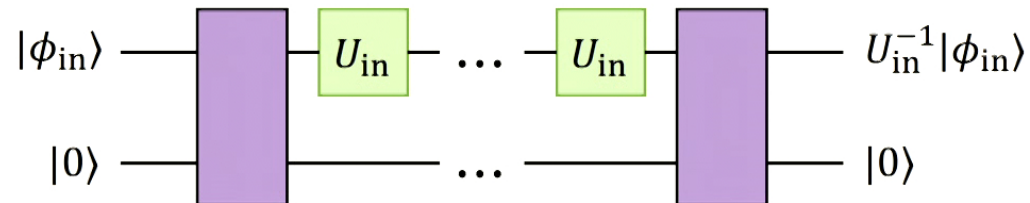
- Deterministic exact qubit-unitary inversion

$$- U_{\text{in}} - U_{\text{in}} - U_{\text{in}} - U_{\text{in}} \longrightarrow - U_{\text{in}}^{-1} - \forall U_{\text{in}} \in \text{SU}(2)$$

- Catalyst

$$- U_{\text{in}} - U_{\text{in}} - U_{\text{in}} - |\psi_{U_{\text{in}}}\rangle \longrightarrow - U_{\text{in}}^{-1} - |\psi_{U_{\text{in}}}\rangle$$

- Clean-version protocol



- Extension to isometry inversion (in preparation)



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