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Machine Learning for Many-Body Physics

2023/2024

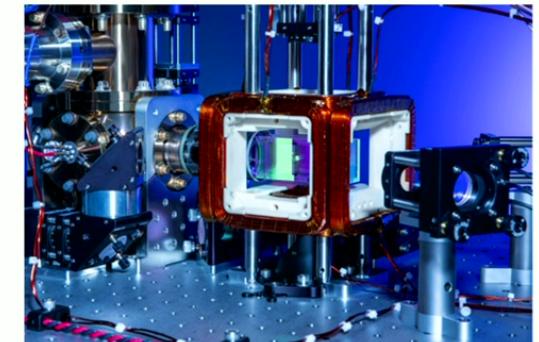
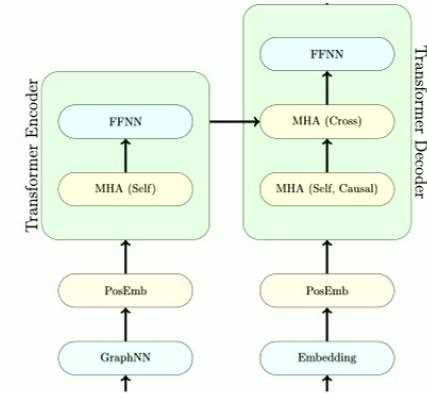
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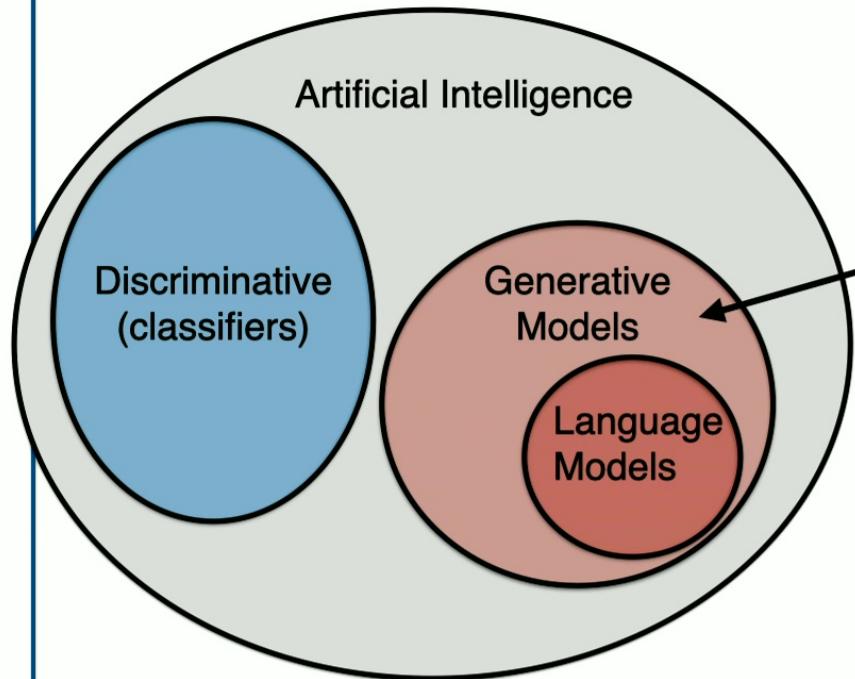
Outline

Generative models and Language models

Applications to quantum simulation & beyond



The age of generative models in AI



Midjourney:

Diffusion models
Stable diffusion



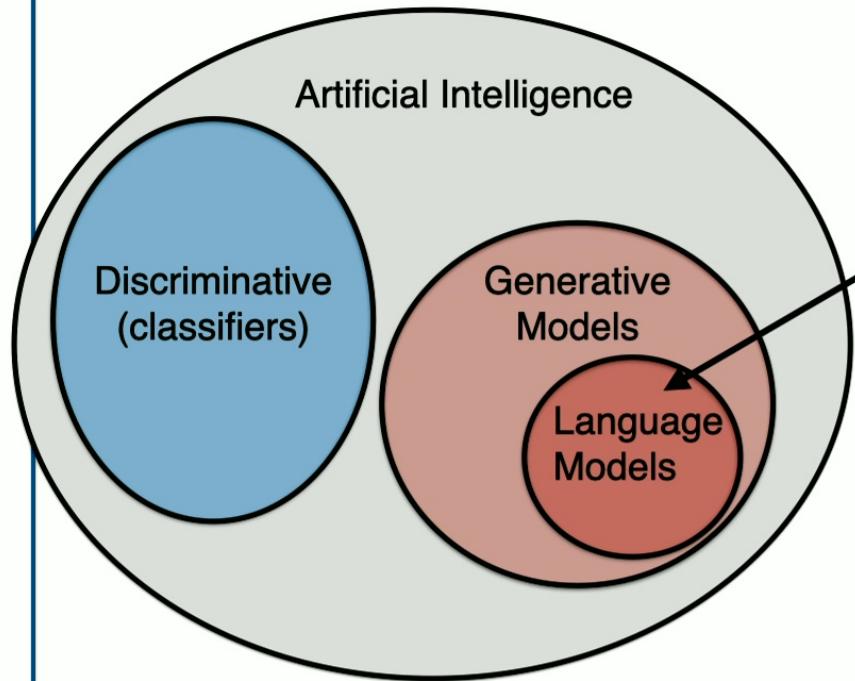
/imagine a stormtrooper family
in the style of Norman Rockwell

Energy-based models

Hopfield networks
Restricted Boltzmann machines

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{Z} e^{-E(\mathbf{x})}$$

The age of generative models in AI



Hickory dickory dock, the mouse ran up the clock, up the clock, up the
clock to claim his house."

"Let it go," said the Mama, giving me a gentle, stern stare.

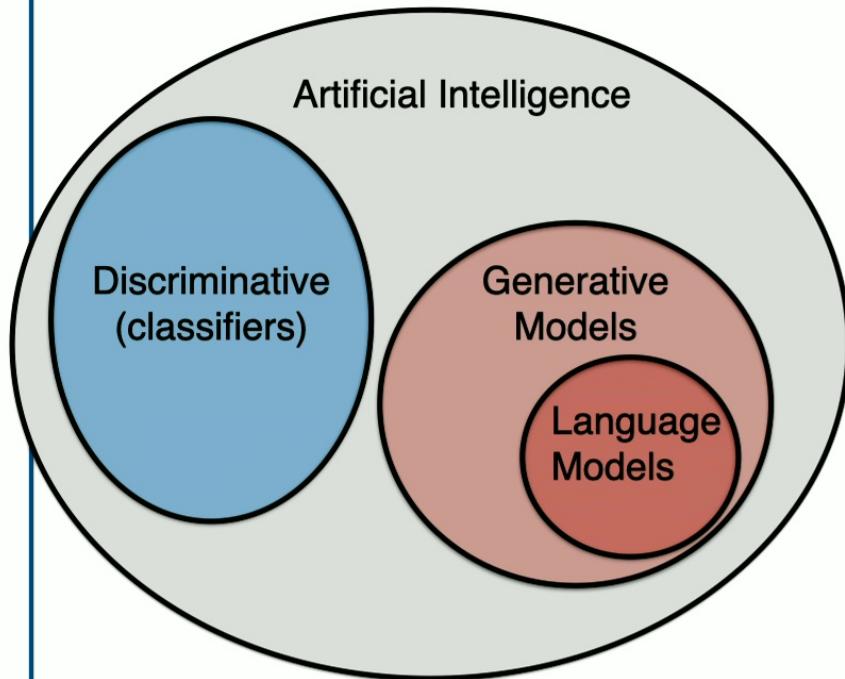
Autoregressive models

Recurrent Neural Network,
LSTM, GRU
Transformer
GPT

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \prod_{i=1}^N p(x_i | x_{<i})$$

The age of generative models in AI

<https://cdn.openai.com/papers/gpt-4.pdf>



GPT4's score would put it in a good position to be admitted into a top 20 law school and is only a few marks short of the reported scores needed for acceptance to prestigious schools such as Harvard, Stanford, Princeton or Yale.

Exam results (ordered by GPT-3.5 performance)

Estimated percentile lower bound (among test takers)

100% –

80% –

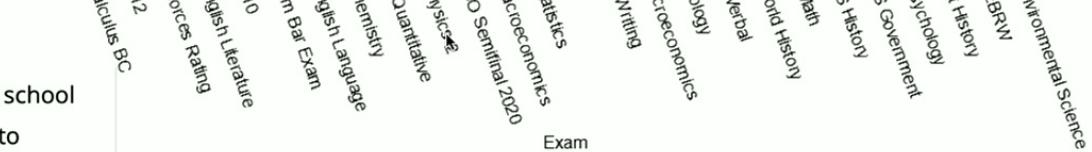
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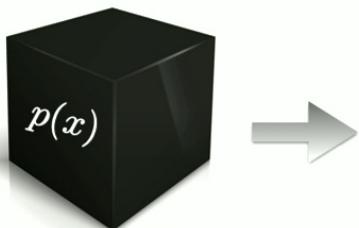
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Exam



Generative models: density estimation

In the typical setting, generative models *learn* to approximate a target probability distribution that underlies a dataset:



$$\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, \dots, 1)$$

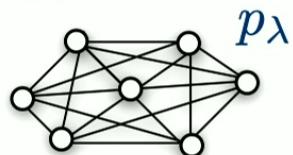
$$\mathbf{x}_2 = (1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, \dots, 1)$$

$$\mathbf{x}_3 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, \dots, 0)$$

⋮

Use this data to *train* the optimal parameters in some representation of the unknown target distribution/state

a model:



goal:

$$p_\lambda(\mathbf{x}) \approx p(\mathbf{x})$$

loss function:

$$\mathcal{L} = \langle \log p_\lambda(\mathbf{x}) \rangle_p$$

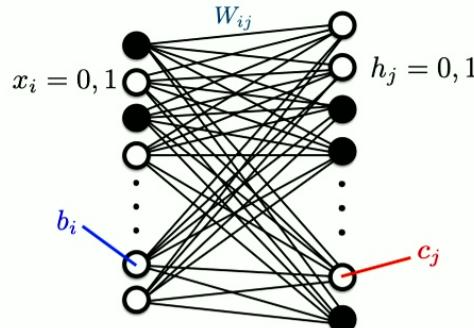
training:

$$\lambda' = \lambda - \eta \nabla \mathcal{L}$$

$$\boxed{\mathcal{L} = F_\lambda = \langle H_{\text{target}} \rangle_\lambda - TS(p_\lambda)}$$

Computational physics perspectives

Energy-based (RBM)



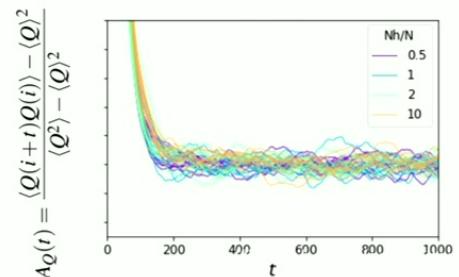
$$p_{\lambda} = \frac{1}{Z_{\lambda}} e^{-E_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{h})}$$

$$p_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{\mathbf{h}} p_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{h})$$

$$E_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{h}) = - \sum_{ij} W_{ij} x_i h_j - \sum_i b_i x_i - \sum_j c_j h_j$$

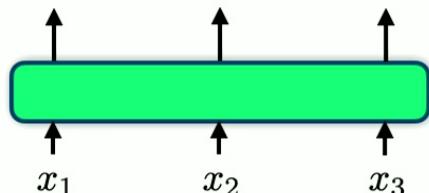
$\lambda = \{W, b, c\}$ model parameters

- Requires MCMC sampling
- Generated samples are autocorrelated



Autoregressive

$$p(x_2|x_1) \quad p(x_3|x_2x_1) \quad p(x_4|x_3x_2x_1)$$

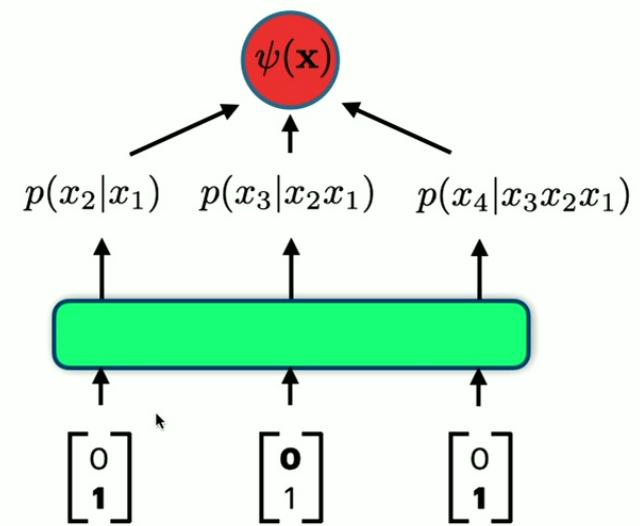
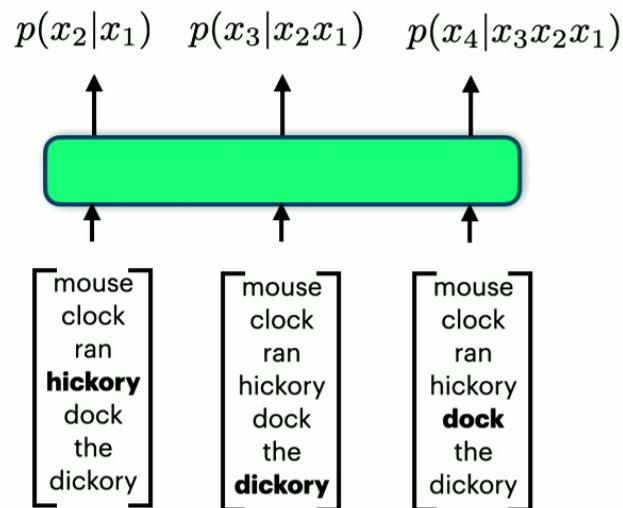


$$p_{\lambda}(x_1, \dots, x_N) = \prod_{i=1}^N p(x_i | x_1, \dots, x_{i-1})$$

- Joint distribution is normalized
- Generated samples are uncorrelated
- Requires the definition of a sequence

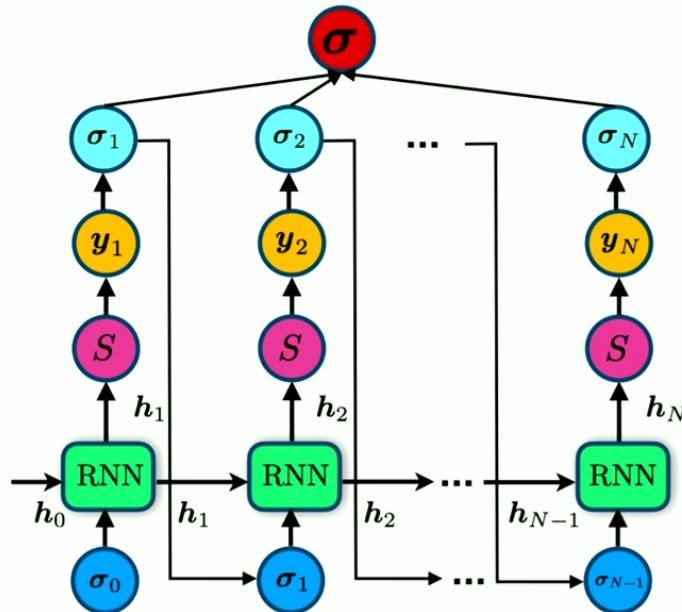
Sequences: languages and qubits

Autoregressive models produce the conditional probability of each *token* (word or qubit) in a sequence



Recurrent Neural Networks

Lipton, Berkowitz, Elkan, arXiv:1506.00019
 Hibat-Allah, Ganahl, Hayward, RGM, Carrasquilla, arXiv:2002.02973



$$\mathbf{y}_n = [p(\sigma_n = 0 | \sigma_{<n}), p(\sigma_n = 1 | \sigma_{<n})]$$

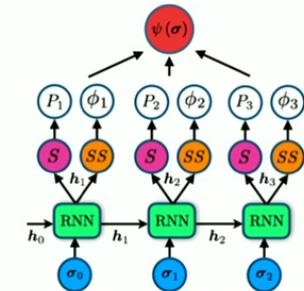
$$\mathbf{y}_n \equiv S(U\mathbf{h}_n + \mathbf{c}) \quad S(v_j) = \frac{\exp(v_j)}{\sum_i \exp(v_i)}$$

$$\mathbf{h}_n = f(W[\mathbf{h}_{n-1}; \sigma_{n-1}] + \mathbf{b})$$

This architecture can be adapted to learn pure & mixed quantum states

Carrasquilla, Torlai, RGM, Aolita, arXiv:1810.10584

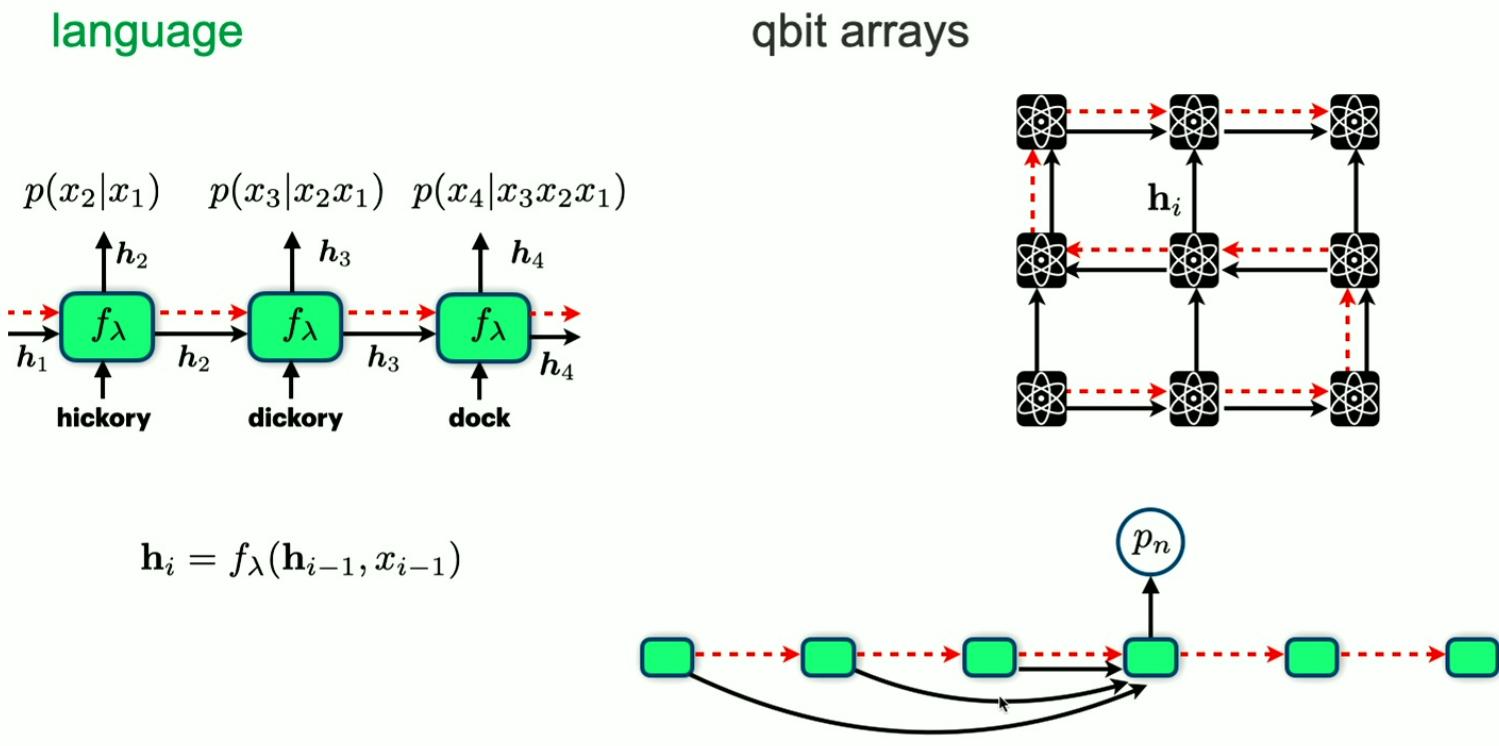
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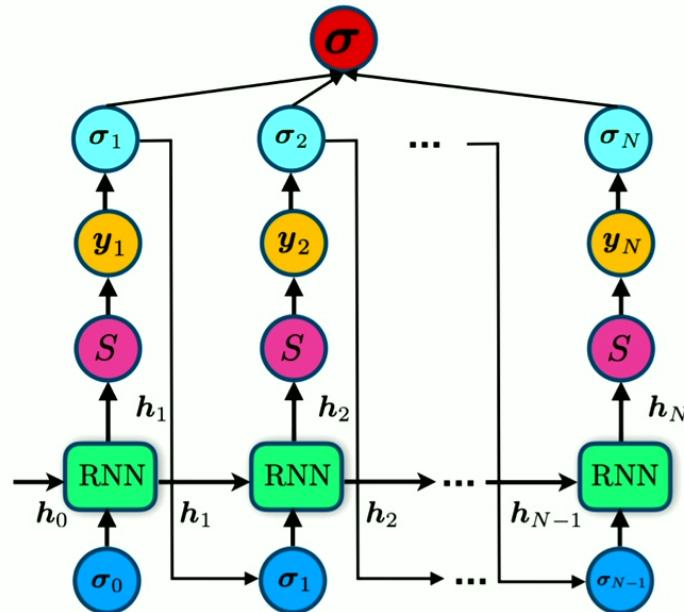
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- Long-range correlations (context) passed through a hidden state vector



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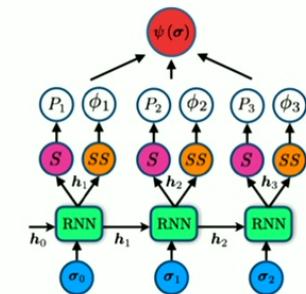
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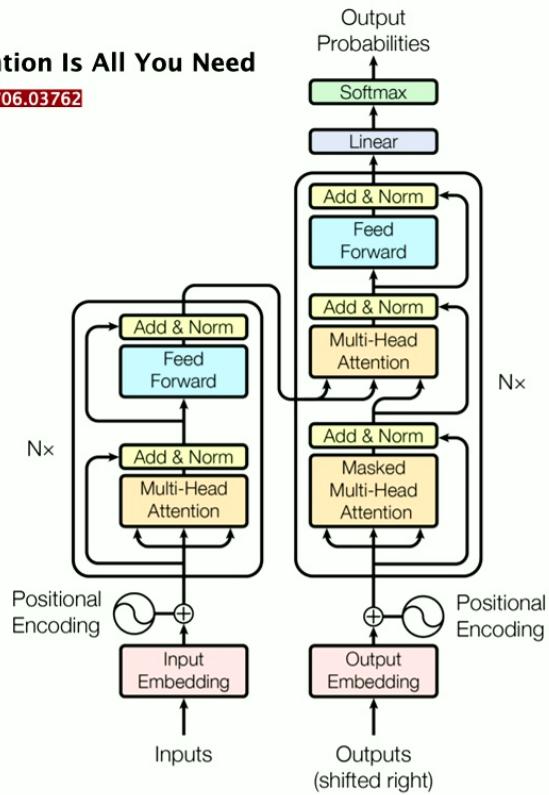
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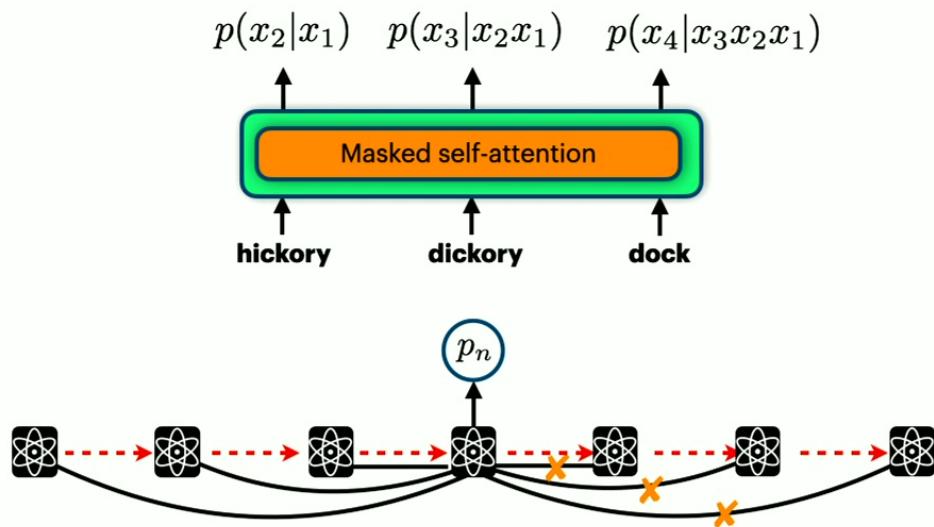
The Transformer

Attention Is All You Need

arXiv:1706.03762



- The basis of modern Large Language Models (LLMs)

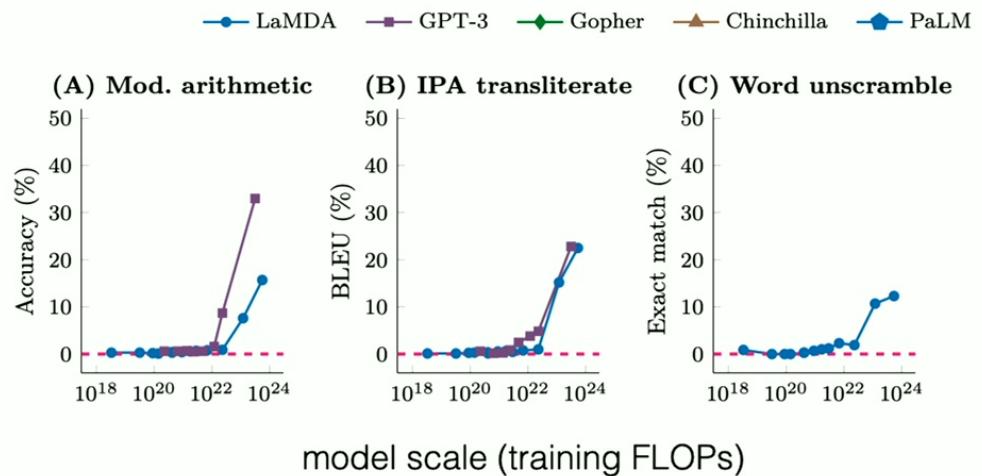
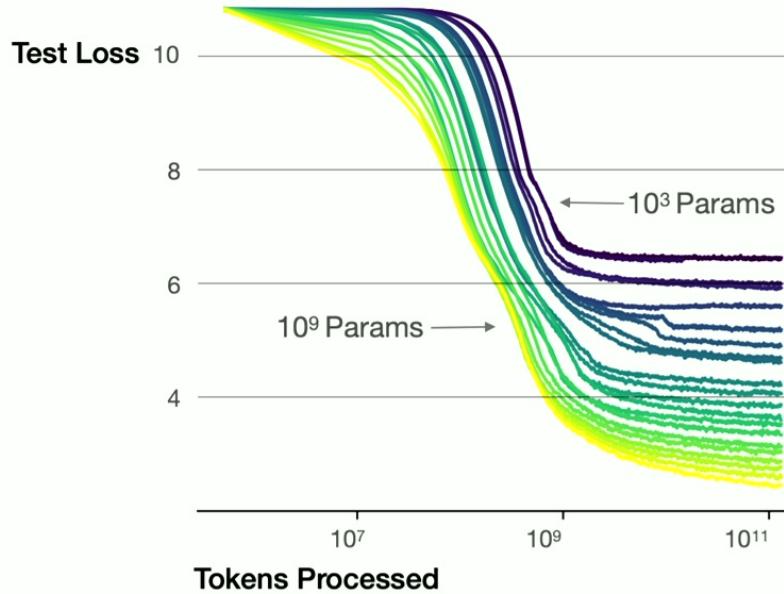


The self-attention and its correlation matrix are useful to introduce correlations between qubits separated at any distance in the quantum system. This is analogous to a two-body Jastrow factor which induces pairwise long-distance correlations between the bare degrees of freedom (i.e. spins, qubits, electrons) in a wavefunction.

Probabilistic Simulation of Quantum Circuits with the Transformer,
J. Carrasquilla, Di Luo, F. Pérez, A. Milsted, B. Clark, M. Volkovs, L. Aolita, Phys. Rev. A 104, 032610 (2021)

Transformer LLMs: scaling and emergence

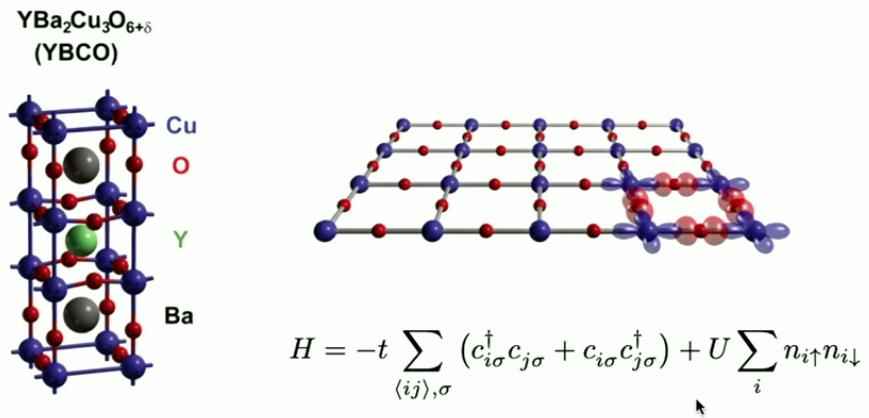
Scaling Laws for Neural Language Models, arxiv:2001.08361
Emergent Abilities of Large Language Models, arXiv:2206.07682



“Emergence is when quantitative changes in a system result in qualitative changes in behavior.”

Steinhardt (2022) , Anderson, (1972)

The Explainability crisis in Condensed matter physics



In the cuprates, we don't know how nature achieves the superconducting state.

Even our best calculations of the microscopic interactions are unable to recreate the emergence of the macroscopic phenomena...

Condensed matter physics and (machine) learning



Philip W. Anderson

Nobel Prize 1977
(Semiconductors, superconductivity, magnetism)

Harvard, Bell Labs, Cambridge, Princeton

The ability to reduce everything to simple fundamental laws does not imply the ability to start from those laws and reconstruct the universe

The constructionist hypothesis breaks down when confronted with the twin difficulties of scale and complexity.

Discussion: language models

Breakthroughs in scale arose from large **parameterization, data, and compute**

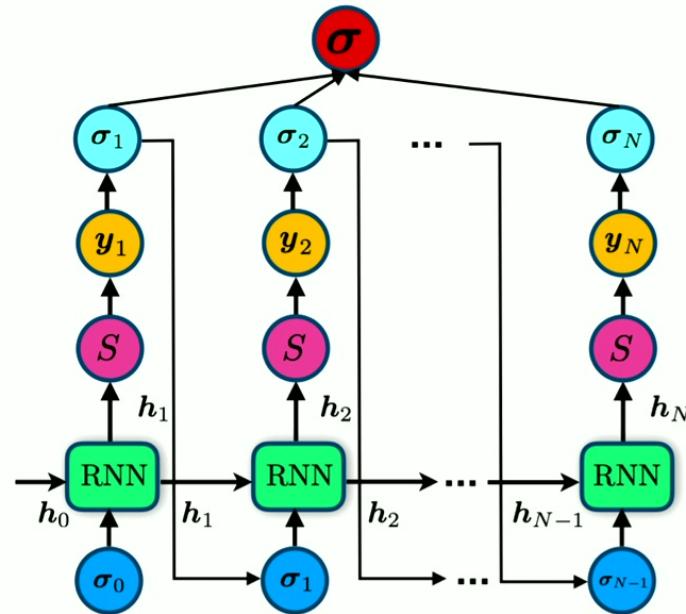
- GPT4 contains over 1 trillion parameters
- training involves an Avogadro's number of floating point operations
- costs \$100M to train or more
- today, essentially the entire available internet is used for training data

Are language models poised to make breakthroughs in **quantum physics?**

- Scaling is the central challenge in building quantum computers
- A goal of quantum simulators is to demonstrate emergence
- Do we lose interpretability/explainability with scale?
- Scaling is as much an economic problem as a physics/engineering one

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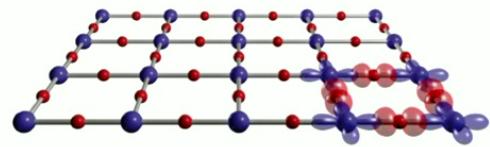


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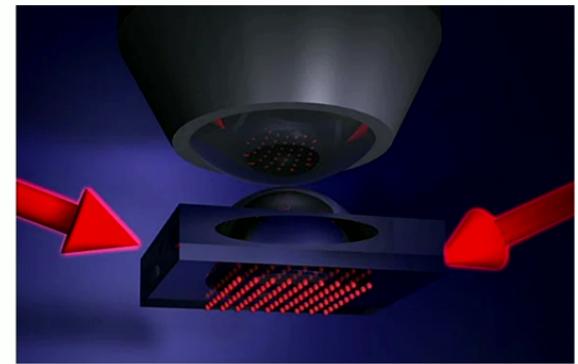
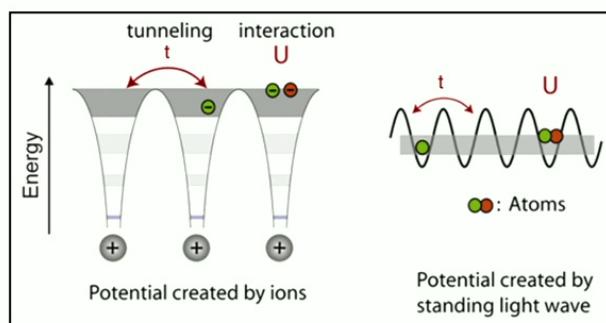
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Quantum “simulation” (or emulation)



$$H = -t \sum_{\langle ij \rangle, \sigma} (c_{i\sigma}^\dagger c_{j\sigma} + c_{i\sigma} c_{j\sigma}^\dagger) + U \sum_i n_{i\uparrow} n_{i\downarrow}$$



Can the emergence of unexplained macroscopic phenomena be understood by building quantum computers?

Data obtained on challenging models could be used to drastically improve variational calculations...

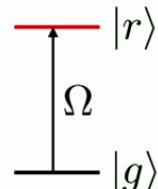
Rydberg atom arrays



- Neutral atoms (Rb, Sr) are loaded into a lattice formed by an array of optical tweezers
- Atoms can be in their ground state, or an excited state with a large principle quantum number (a Rydberg state). They form a strongly-interacting system.
- Single-atom resolved fluorescent imaging provides projective measurements
- Arrays of atoms are currently used for simulation (groundstates, critical phenomena), dynamics, solving combinatorial optimization problems, etc.

Rydberg Blockade Hamiltonian

Jaksch, Cirac, Zoller, Rolston, Cote, Lukin, Phys. Rev. Lett. 85, 2208 (2000)
Lukin, Fleischhauer, Cote, Duan, Jaksch, Cirac, Zoller, Phys. Rev. Lett. 87, 037901 (2001)
Fendley, Sengupta, Sachdev, Phys. Rev. B 69, 075106 (2004)



$$H = \Omega \sum_i \sigma_i^x - \Delta \sum_i n_i + \sum_{i < j} V_{ij} n_i n_j$$

$$\sigma^x = |g\rangle\langle r| + |r\rangle\langle g|$$

$$n = |r\rangle\langle r|$$

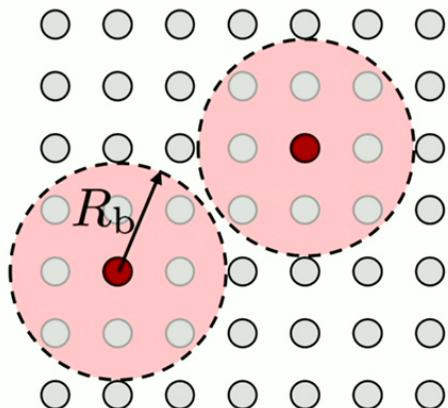
$$V(R) = \frac{\Omega}{(R/R_b)^6}$$

This Hamiltonian is stoquastic:

- Perron-Frobenius implies the groundstate is real positive

$$\psi_\lambda(z) = \sqrt{p_\lambda(z)}$$

- Allows for QMC with no sign problem

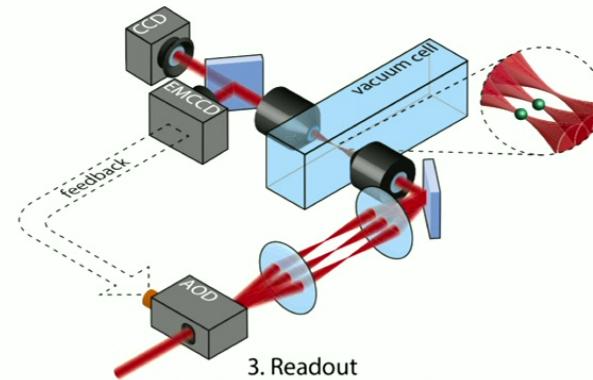


Browaeys, Lahaye, Nature Physics 16, 132 (2020)

Experimental Rydberg Arrays

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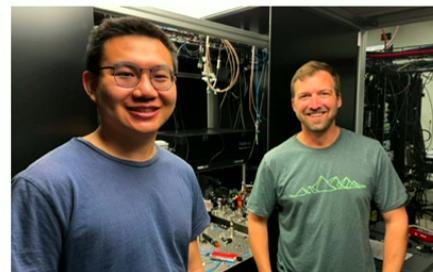
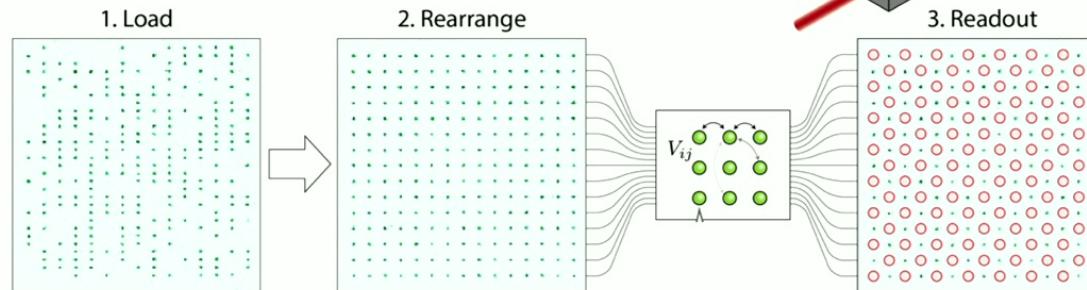


iQuEra

^{87}Rb

$$E$$

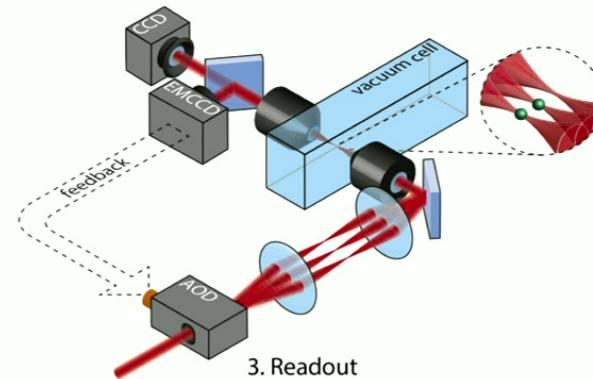
A vertical arrow labeled E indicates the energy axis. Two horizontal lines represent energy levels: the lower one is labeled $|g\rangle$ and the upper one is labeled $|r\rangle$.



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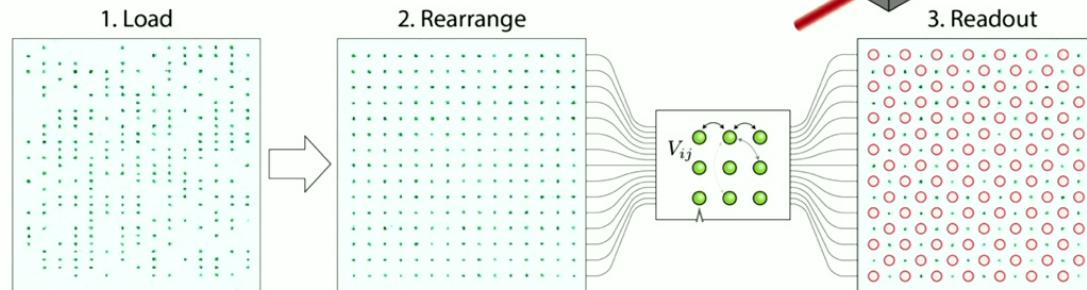
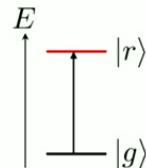
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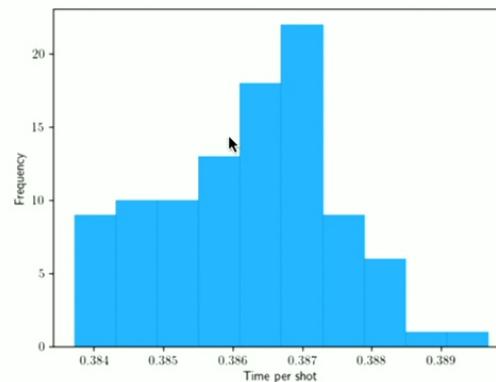


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Single-atom resolved fluorescent imaging provides projective measurements of $|g\rangle$

Measurements are destructive

1D atom array

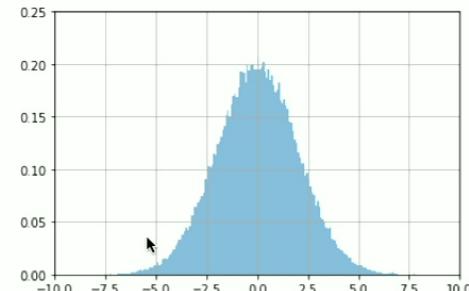
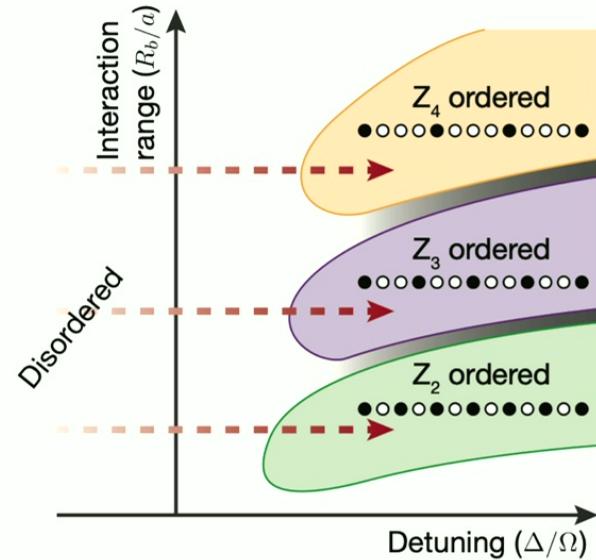


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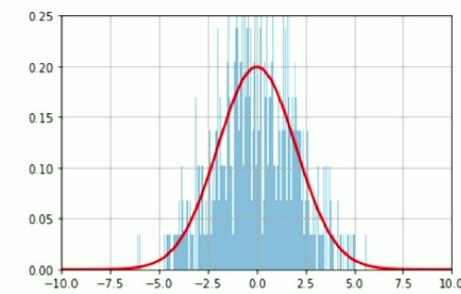
Probing many-body dynamics on a 51-atom quantum simulator

Hannes Bernien, Sylvain Schwartz, Alexander Keesling, Harry Levine, Ahmed Omran, Hannes Pichler,
Soonwon Choi, Alexander S. Zibrov, Manuel Endres, Markus Greiner, Vladan Vuletić & Mikhail D.
Lukin

Nature 551, 579–584 (2017)

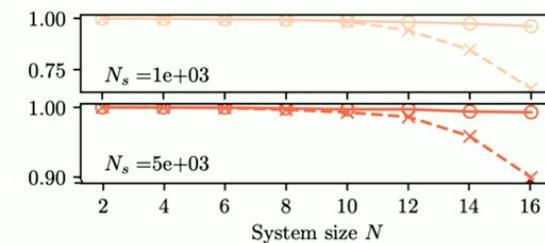


$$p(x) \approx \frac{1}{\|\mathcal{D}\|} \sum_{\mathbf{x}_k \in \mathcal{D}} \delta_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_k}$$



$$p_\lambda(x) \approx \text{(Diagram of a Restricted Boltzmann Machine (RBM) architecture)}$$

Fidelity improvements for RBMs vs. frequency-distribution reconstructions, for a selection of dataset sizes N_s .

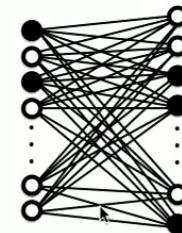
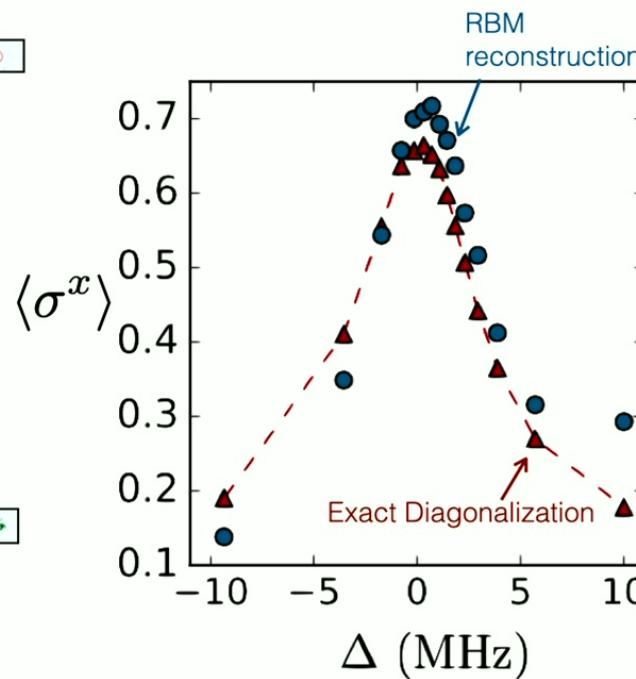
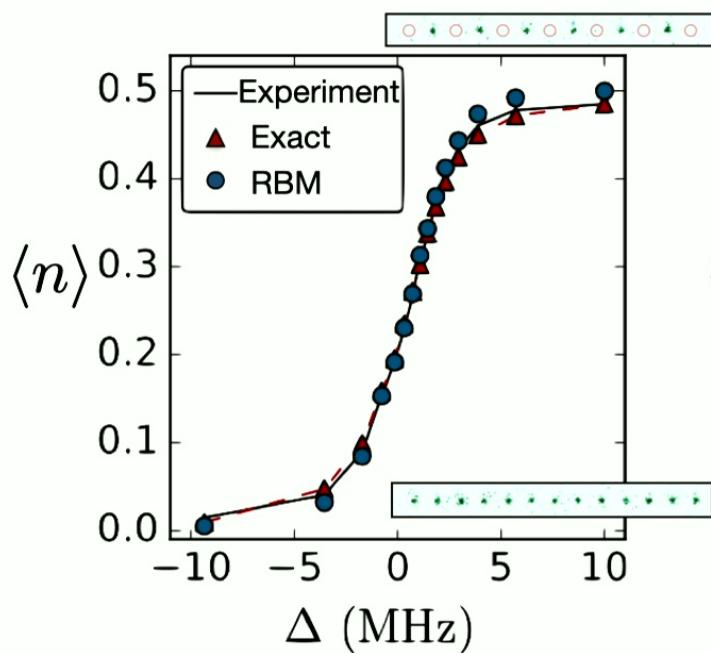


G. Torlai B. Timar

Data-driven state reconstruction

Torlai, Timar, van Nieuwenburg, Levine, Omran, Keesling, Bernien, Greiner, Vuletić, Lukin, RGM, Endres, Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 230504 (2019)

- 8 atoms, 3000 shots
- one-dimensional AFM chain
- 3000 projective measurements per detuning parameter
- RBM trained a energy-based model, produced estimators



Stoquastic Hamiltonian:

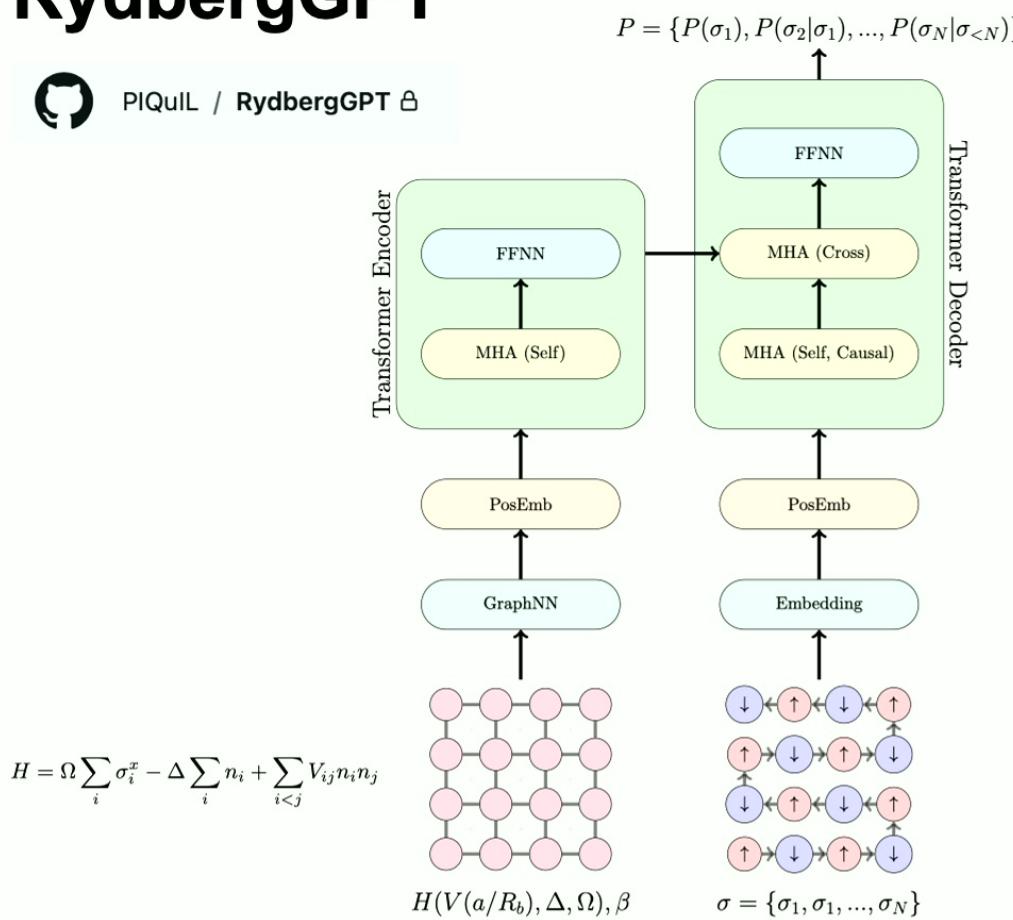
$$\psi_\lambda(z) = \sqrt{p_\lambda(z)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle &= \sum_{zz'} \psi_\lambda(z) \psi_\lambda(z') \mathcal{O}_{zz'} \\ &= \sum_z \psi_\lambda^2(z) \sum_{z'} \frac{\psi_\lambda(z')}{\psi_\lambda(z)} \mathcal{O}_{zz'} \end{aligned}$$

"local" estimator

RydbergGPT

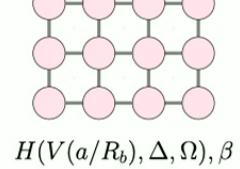
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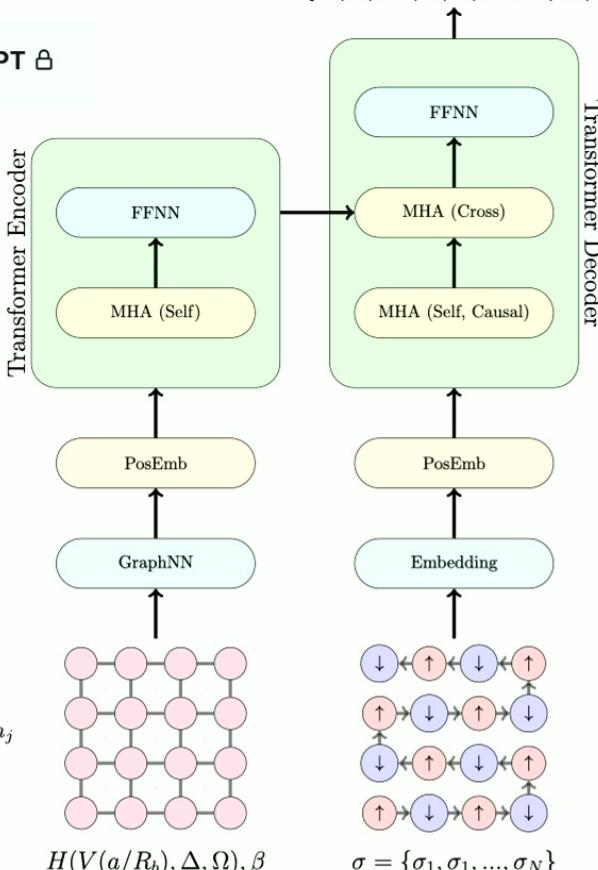
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$$H(V(a/R_b), \Delta, \Omega), \beta$$

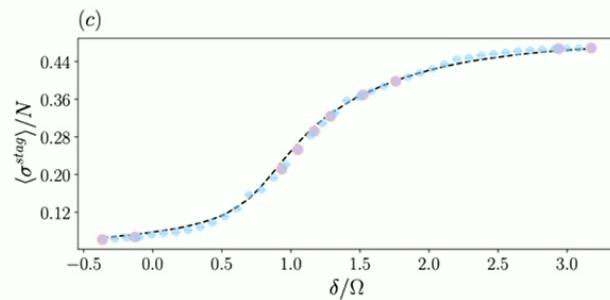
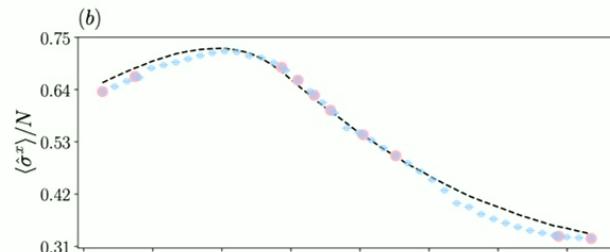
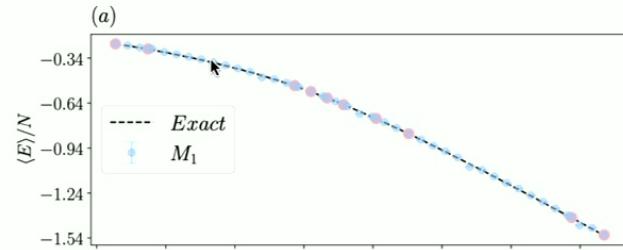
$$P = \{P(\sigma_1), P(\sigma_2|\sigma_1), \dots, P(\sigma_N|\sigma_{<N})\}$$



$$\sigma = \{\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_N\}$$

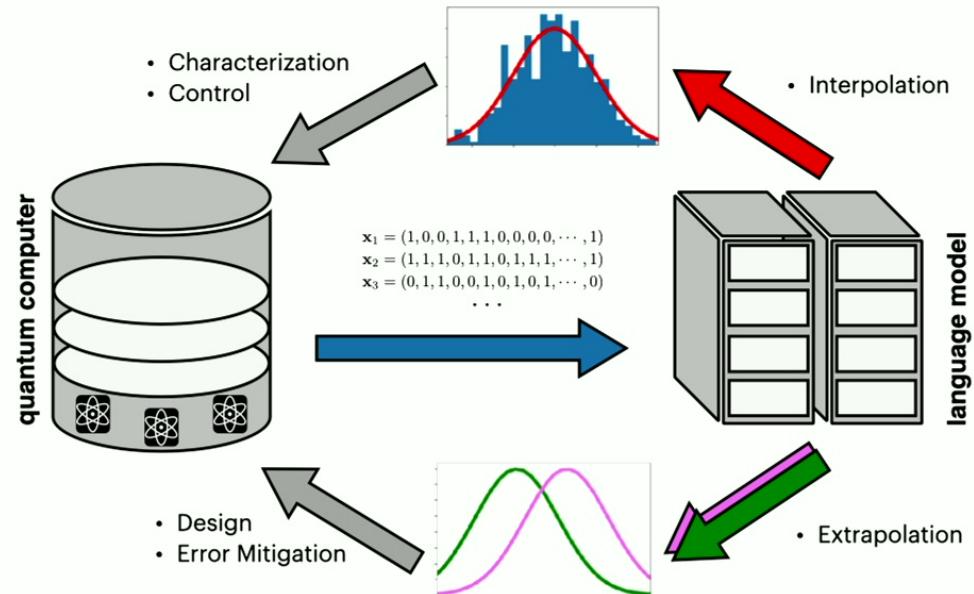
RydbergGPT

David Fitzek,¹ Yi Hong Teoh,² Hin Pok Fung,² Gebremedhin A. Dagnew,² Ejaaz Merali,² M. Schuyler Moss,² Benjamin MacLellan,² and Roger Melko^{2,3}



Discussion: language models for quantum simulation

- LLMs are increasingly demonstrating *scaling & emergence*
- Quantum measurement data is well suited to train generative models
- Large models will be a flexible tool to aid quantum computer design & control
- It would be interesting to *scale* LLMs using quantum data... but can we afford to?



RGM & J. Carrasquilla,
Nature Computational Science 4, 11–18 (2024)