

Exploring Quantum Phases of Matter on Quantum Processors

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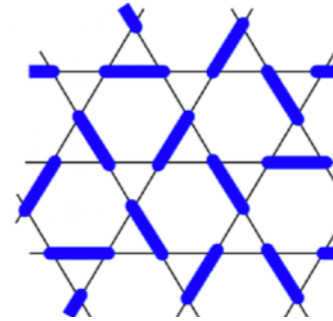
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Novel Quantum States in
Condensed Matter 2022
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Complexity of Quantum Many-Body Systems

Computational Complexity grows **exponentially** with system size!



$$H|\psi\rangle = E|\psi\rangle$$

~40 qubits



~50 qubits

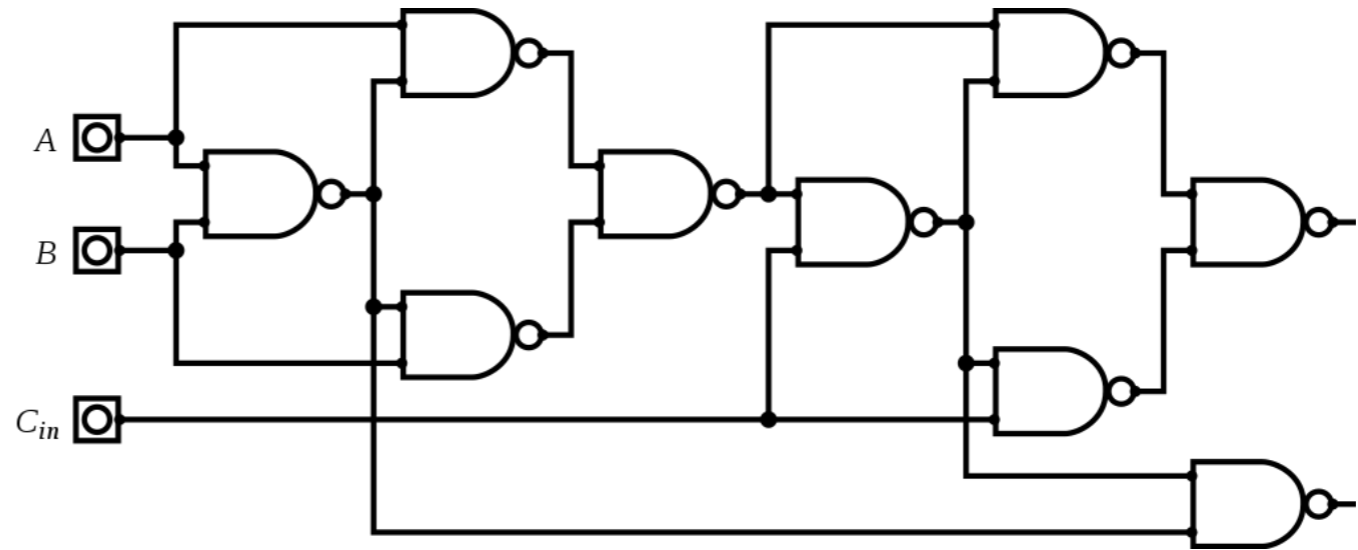


Noise Intermediate Scale Quantum (NISQ)

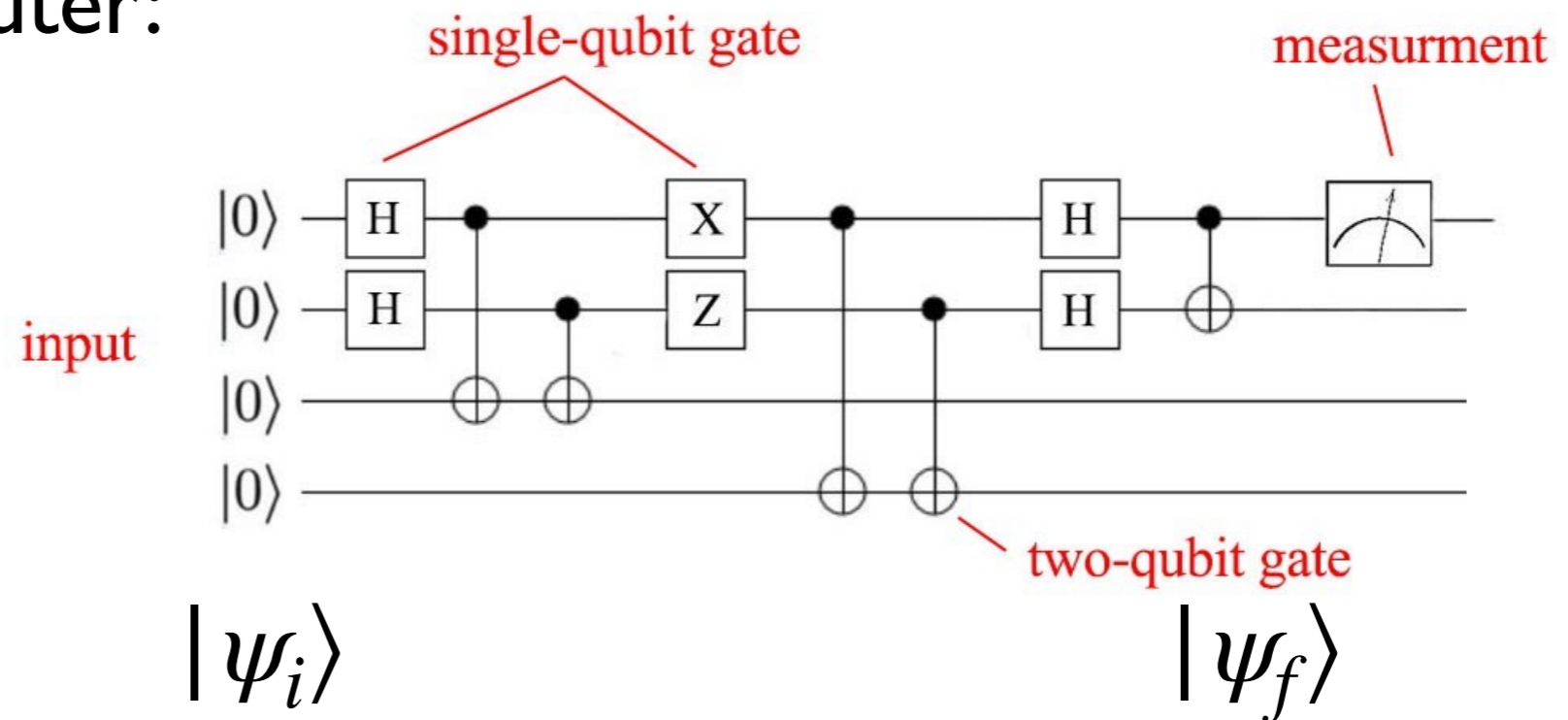
Identify problems that are hard on classical computers but doable on near term NISQ devices!

Classical versus Quantum Computer

Classical Computer:



Quantum Computer:



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Crossing a **Symmetry Protected Topological (SPT)** phase transition on quantum processor

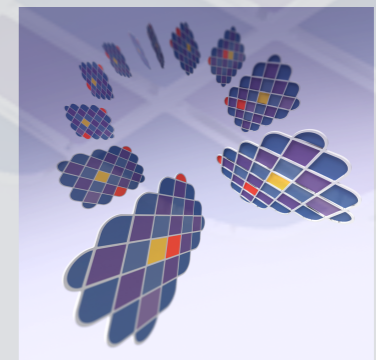
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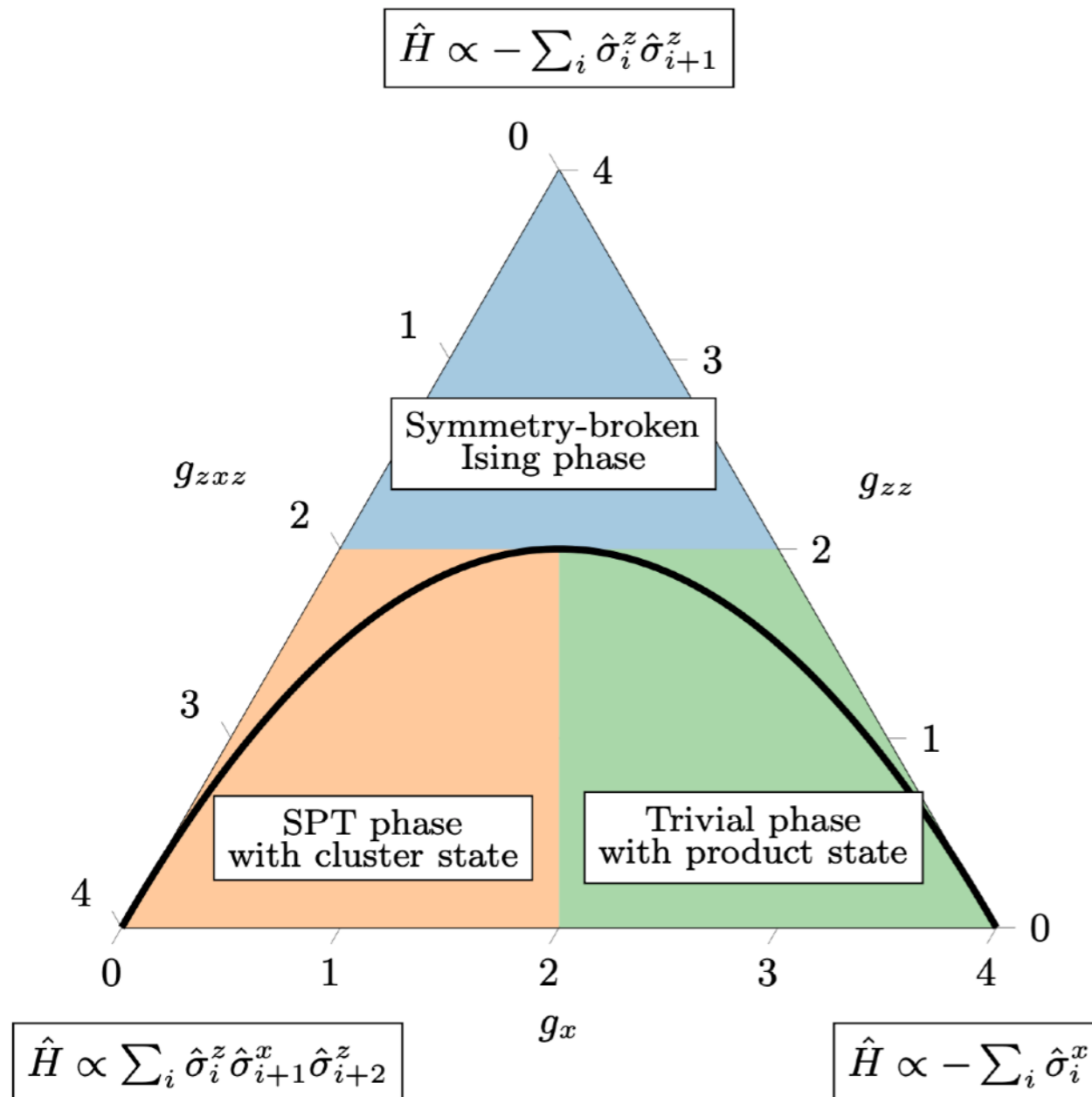
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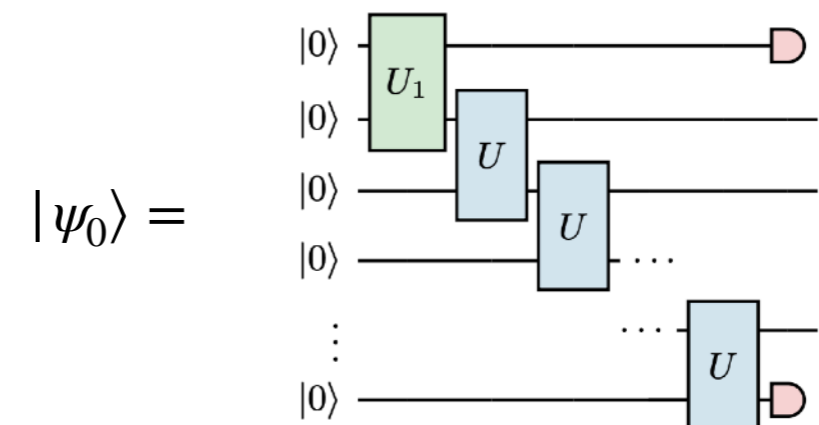


Exact quantum circuit crossing a phase transition

$$\hat{H} = \sum_i \left[-g_{zz} \hat{\sigma}_i^z \hat{\sigma}_{i+1}^z - g_x \hat{\sigma}_i^x + g_{zxx} \hat{\sigma}_i^z \hat{\sigma}_{i+1}^x \hat{\sigma}_{i+2}^z \right]$$

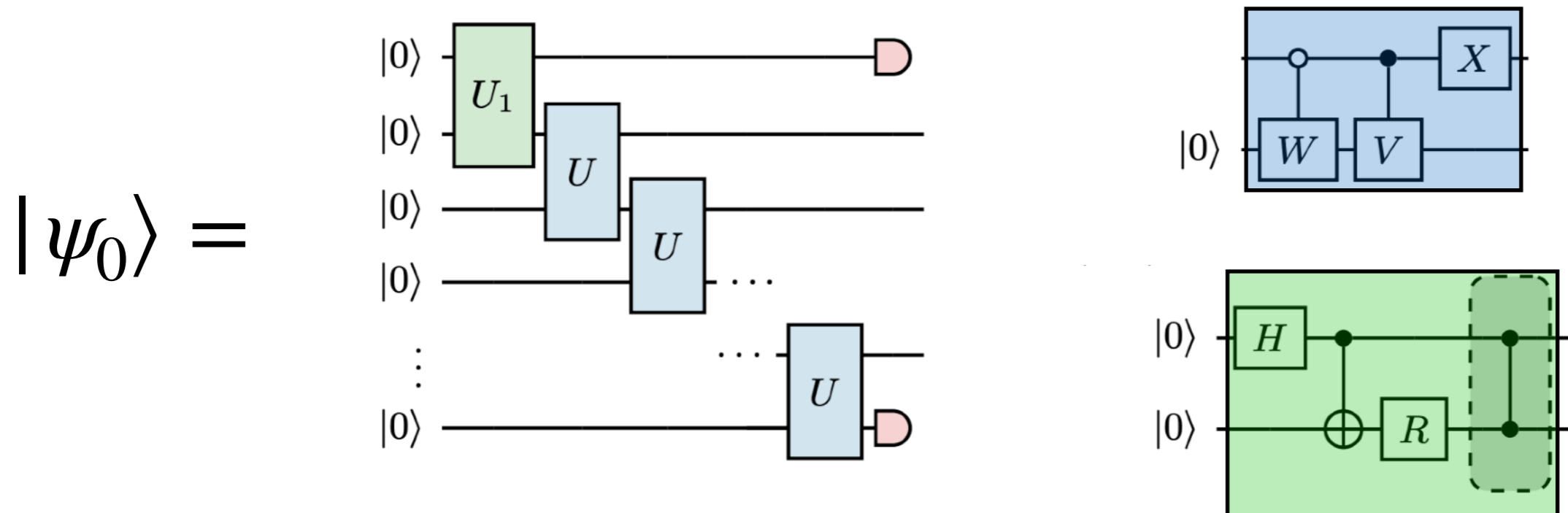


Exact quantum circuit connecting the SPT and the trivial phase

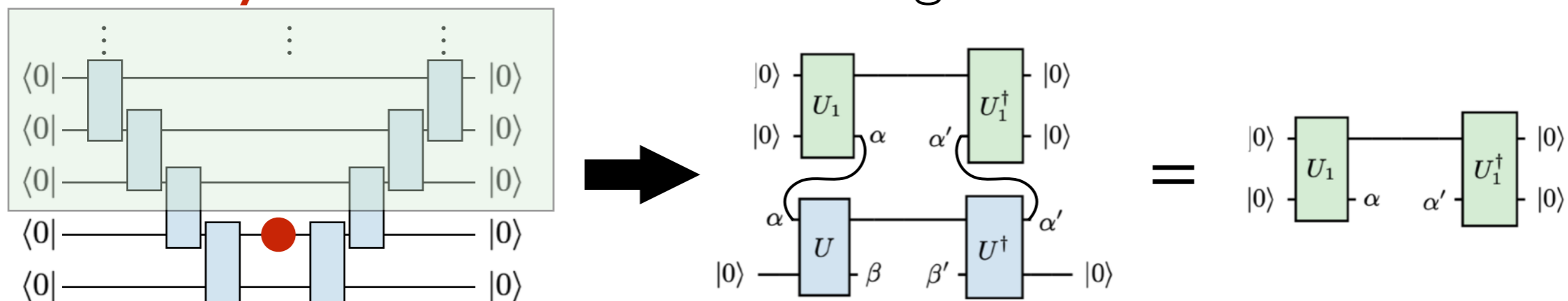


Circuit Construction

Exact quantum circuit



Thermodynamic limit: Dominant eigenvector as circuit:



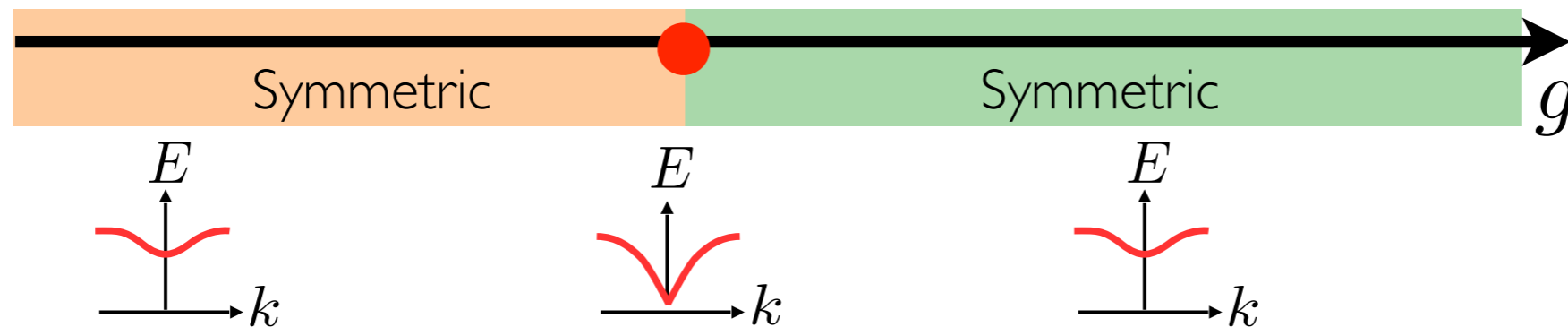
Detecting a topological phase transition

Cluster state model:

$$H = \sum_j \sigma_j^z \sigma_{j+1}^x \sigma_{j+2}^z - g \sum_j \sigma_j^x$$

$$\lim_{|i-j| \rightarrow \infty} \langle \prod_{i < k < j} \sigma_k^x \rangle = 0$$

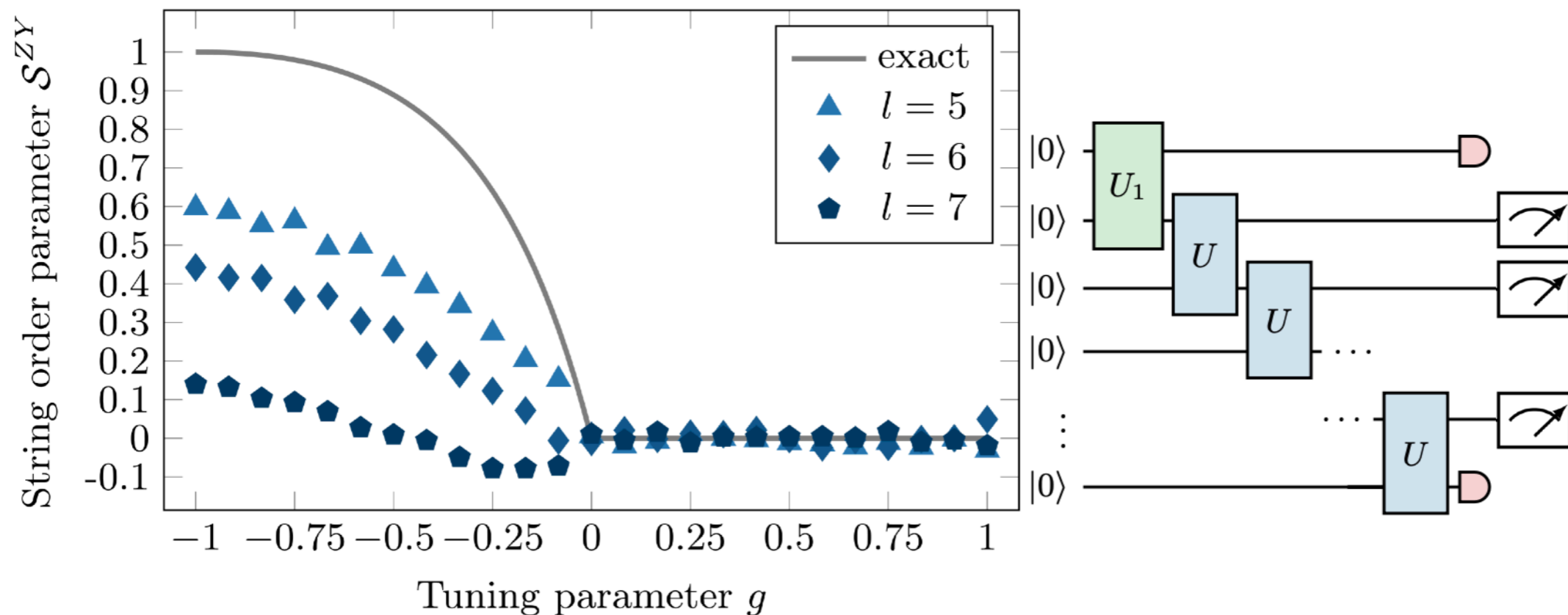
$$\lim_{|i-j| \rightarrow \infty} \langle \prod_{i < k < j} \sigma_k^x \rangle \neq 0$$



Non-local “string” order parameter [den Nijs and Rommelse '89, FP and Turner '12]

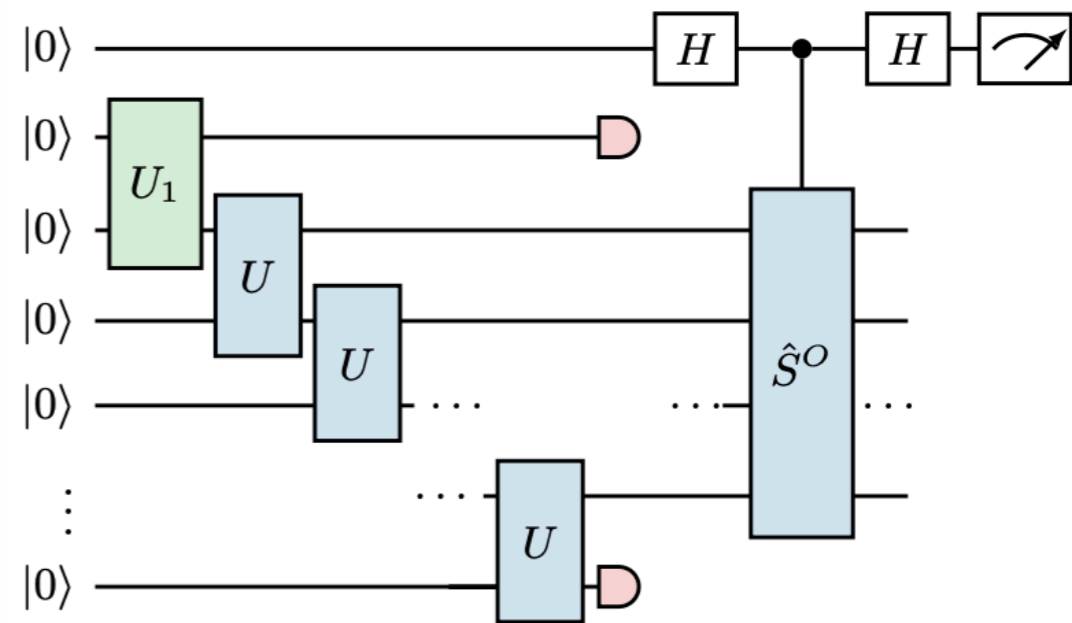
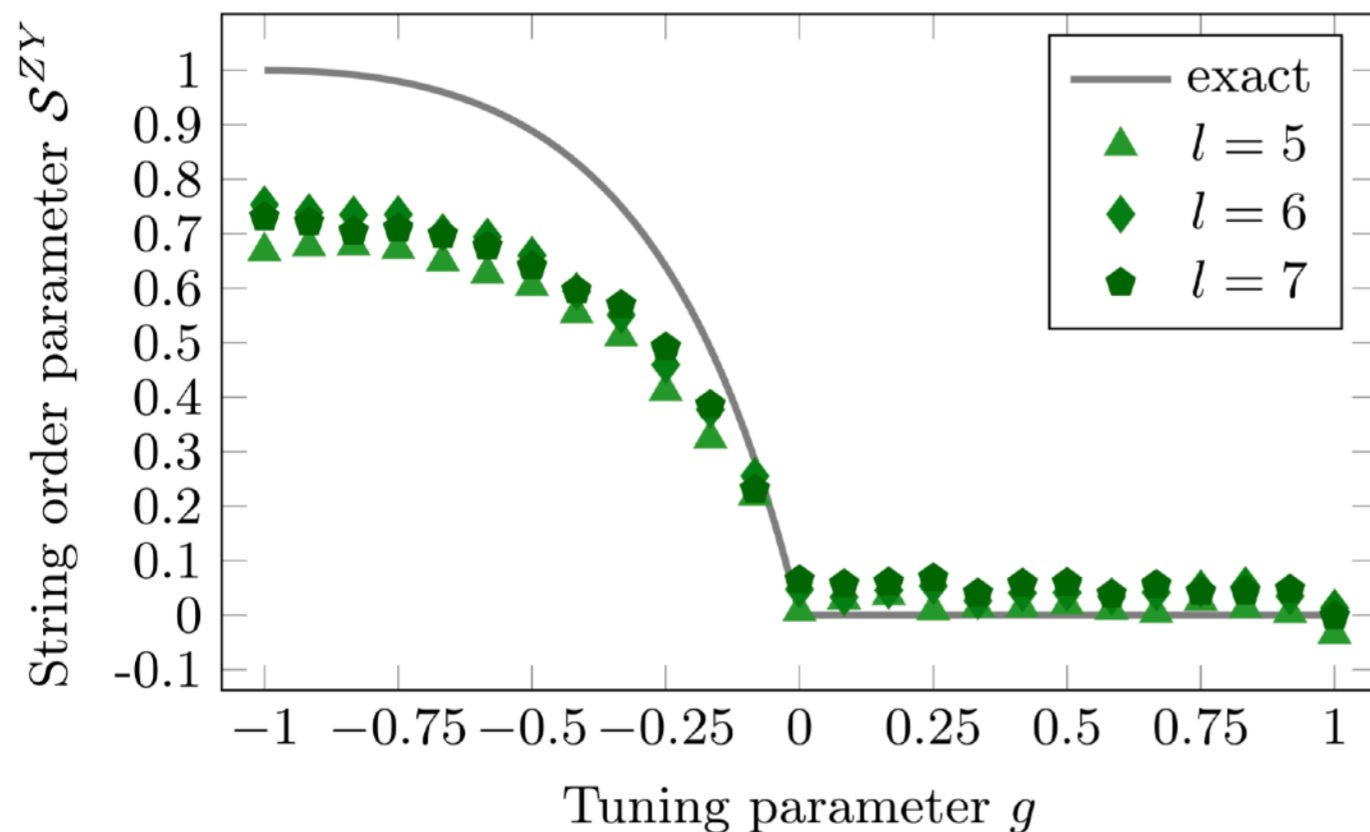
Quantum circuit crossing an SPT phase transition

Results on a **20 qubit IBM-Q device**: $\mathcal{S}^O(g) = \langle \psi | \hat{O}_i \left(\prod_{j=i+2}^{k-2} \hat{\sigma}_j^x \right) \hat{O}'_k | \psi \rangle$



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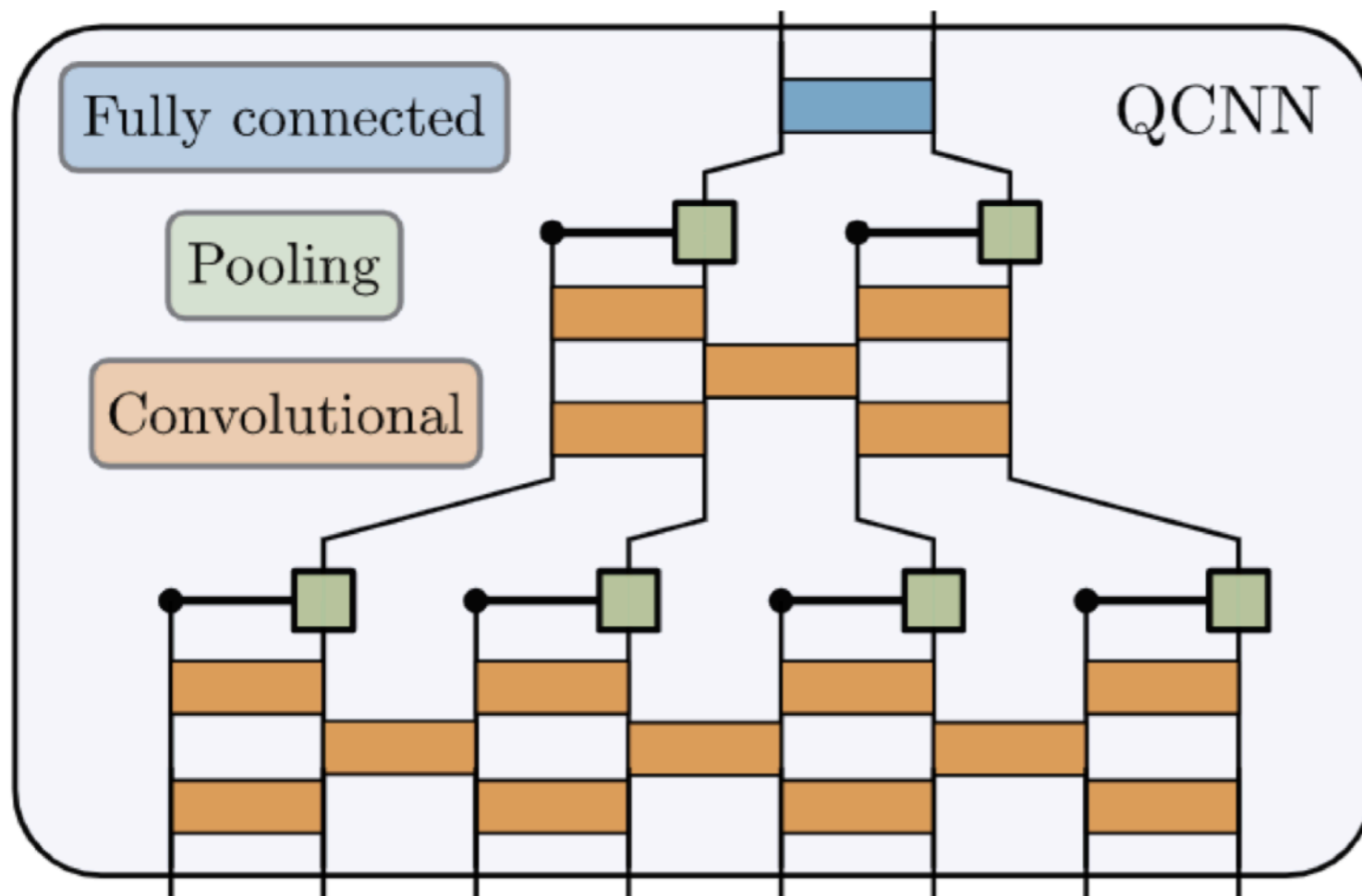
- ▶ **Accurate representation on real machine!**
- ▶ **Generalization to the entire one-dimensional BDI class**

[Jones et al., PRR 3, 033265 (2021)]

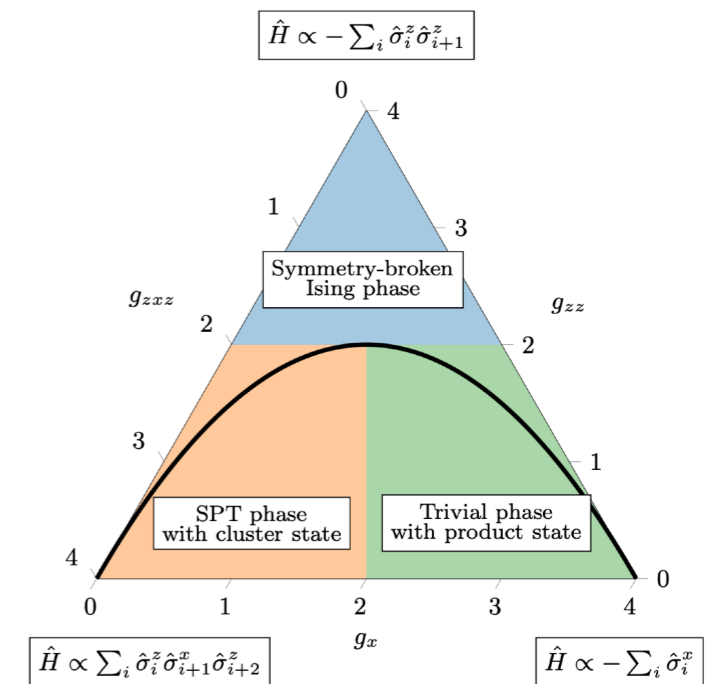
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Quantum Convolutional Networks (QCNN)

QCNN instead of string order parameter [Cong et al. 2018]

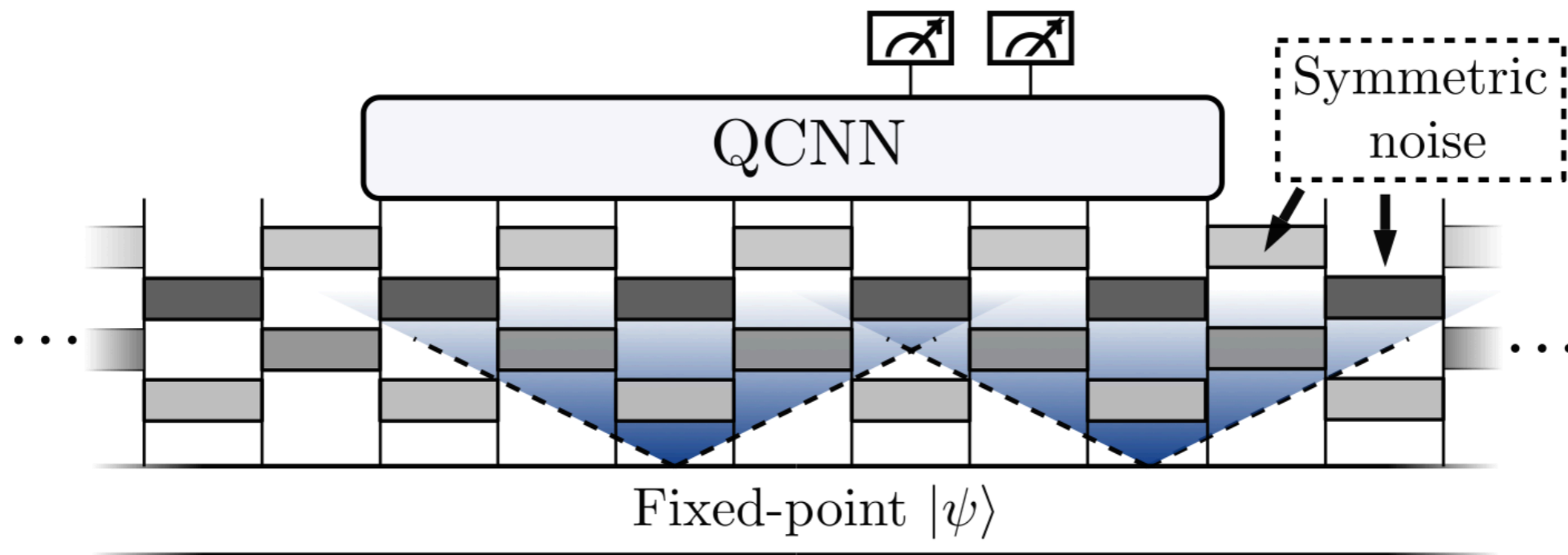
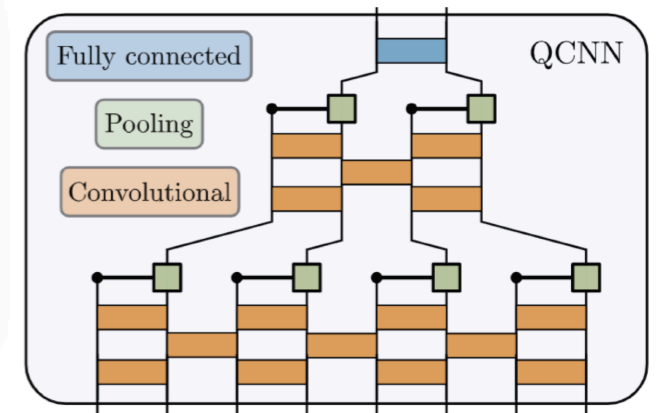


$|00\rangle \rightarrow SB$
 $|01\rangle \rightarrow PM$
 $|10\rangle \rightarrow SPT$
 $|11\rangle \rightarrow Fail$



Model independent learning

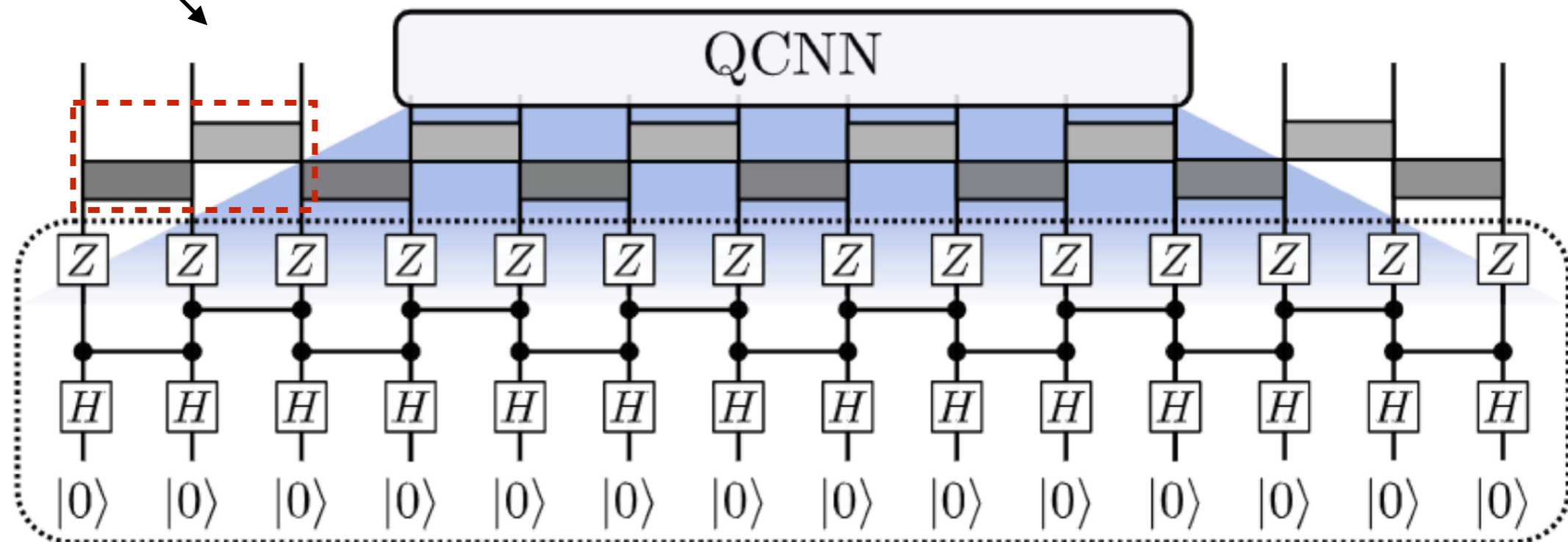
Mask short range correlations
with symmetric noise



Model independent learning

Example: Cluster state with two layers of noise

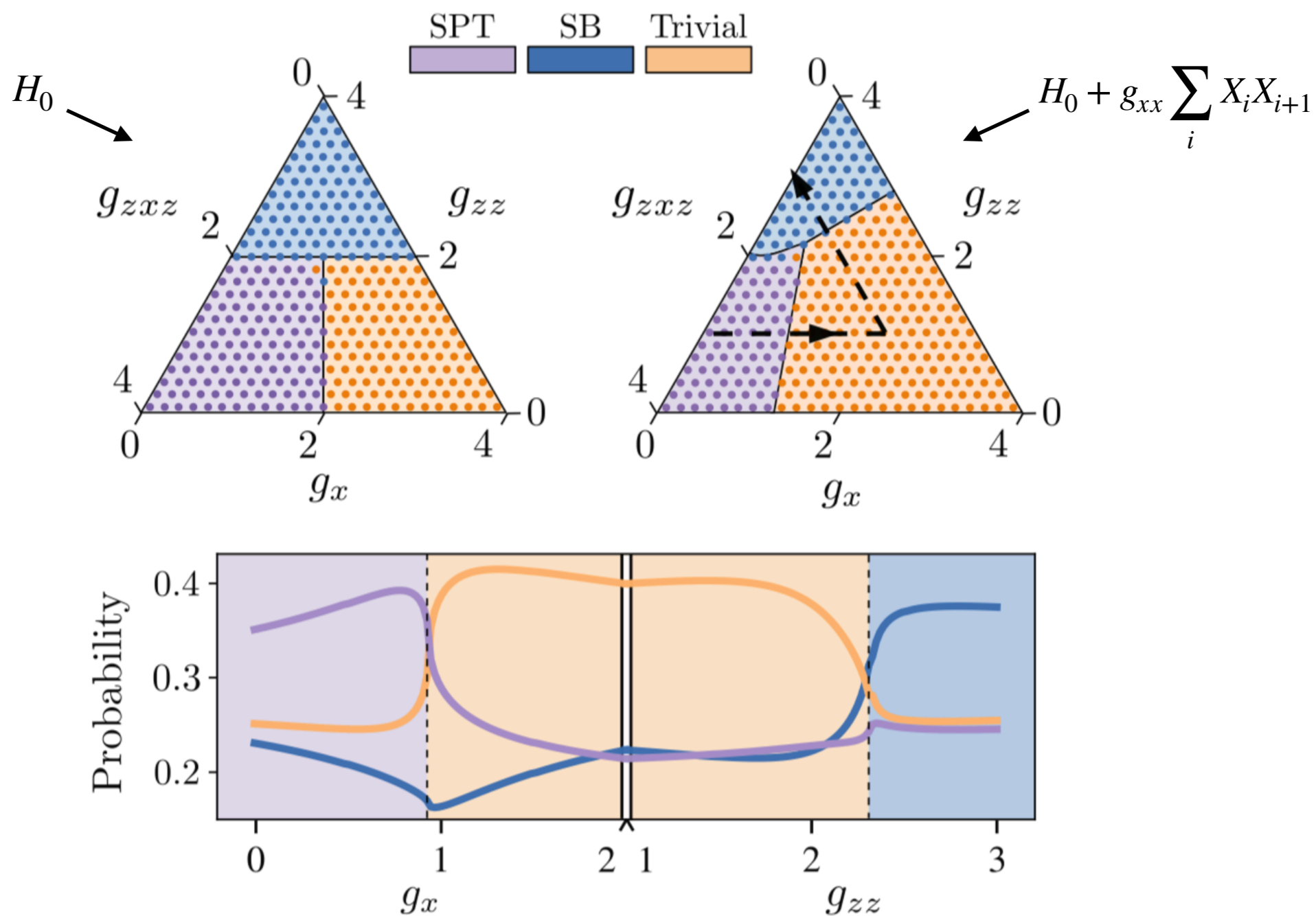
Unitcell ($l = 2$)



$$U = \exp(i \sum_k \theta_k P_k), P_k \in \{Z_1 Y_2, Y_1 Z_2, X_1 Z_2, Z_1 X_2, Z_1, Z_2, \}$$

Model independent learning

Benchmark on physical models



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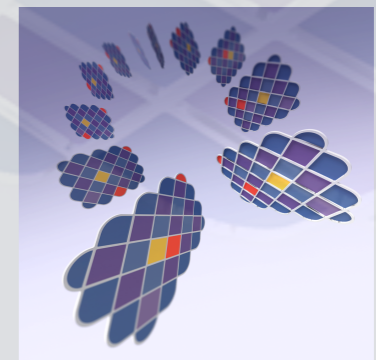
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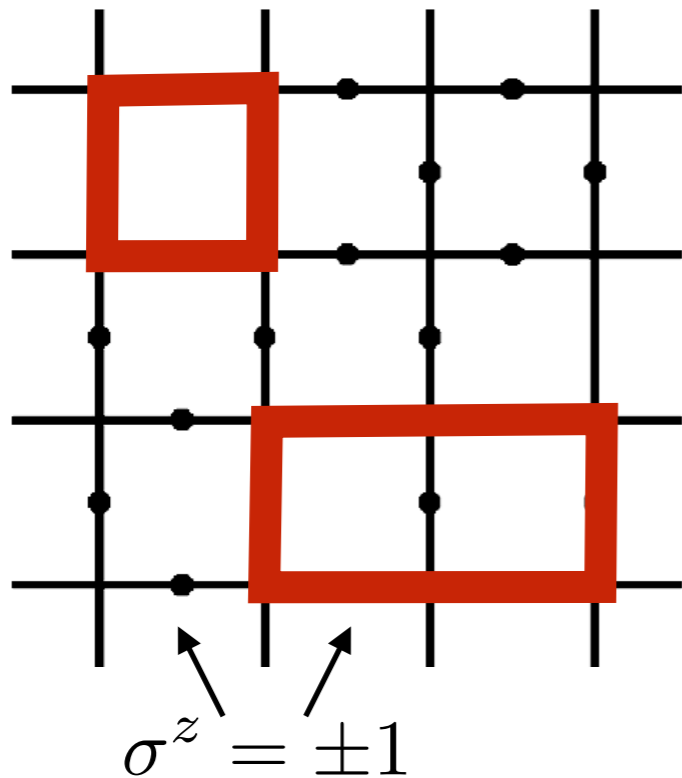
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Intrinsic topological order and anyons

Toric code model $H_{TC} = -J \sum_v A_v - J \sum_p B_p, \quad J > 0$

[Kitaev '03]



$$A_v = \prod_{i \in v} \sigma_i^z, \quad B_p = \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^x$$

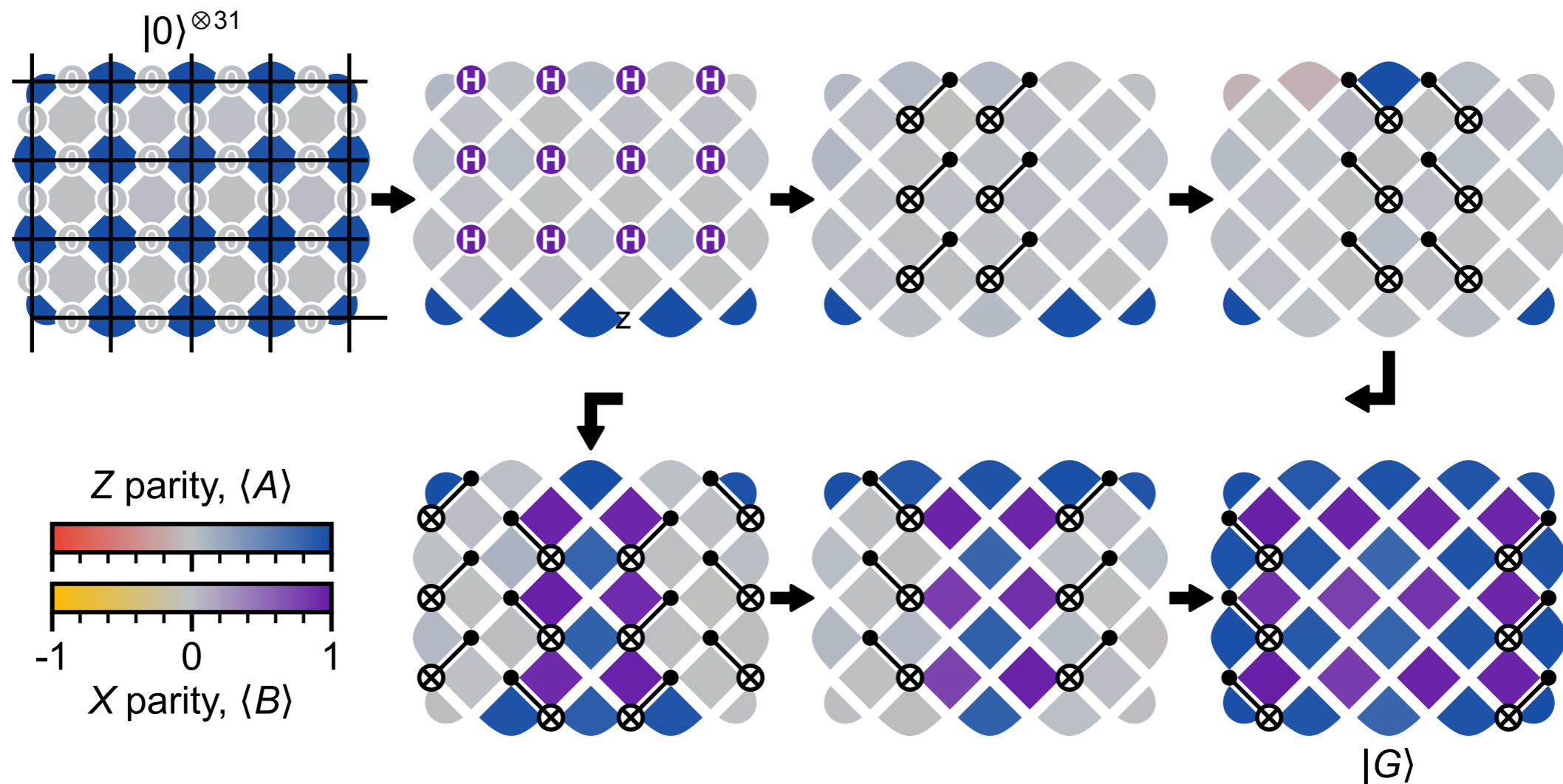
$[A_v, B_p] = 0 \Rightarrow$ Exactly solvable

$$|\psi_0\rangle = |\circ\circ\rangle + |\circ\circ\rangle + \dots$$

► \mathbb{Z}_2 topological order

Realizing the toric code on a quantum processor

Toric code ground state $|G\rangle \propto \prod_p (1 + B_p) |0\rangle$



► Linear depth in system width

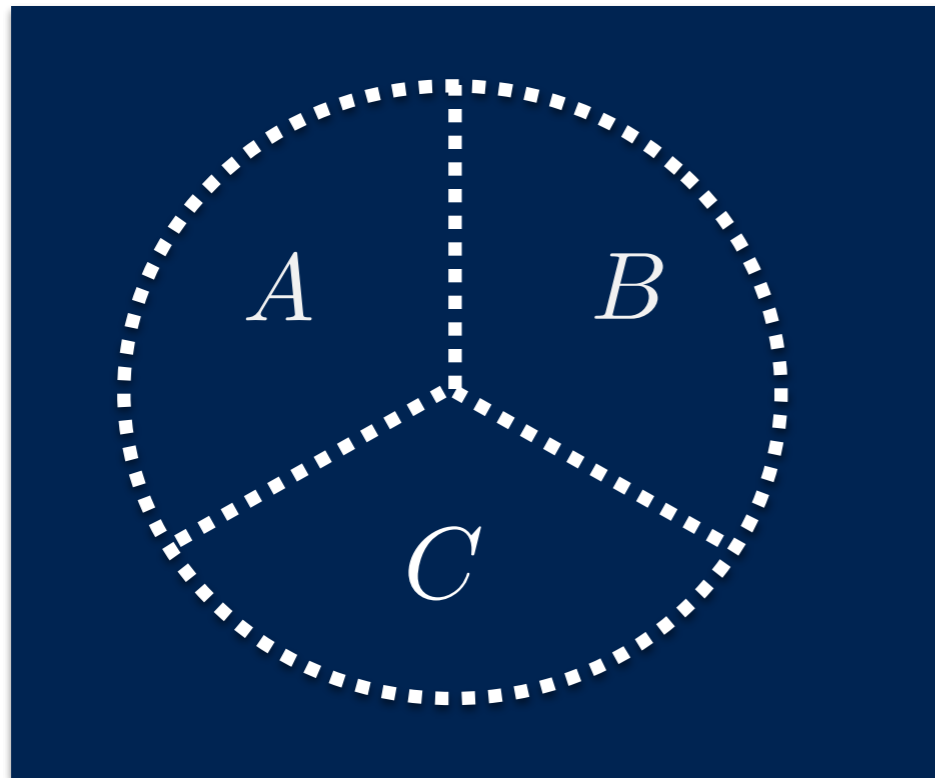
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[See also Semeghini et al., Science **374**, 1242 (2021)]

Probing topological entanglement

Topological entanglement entropy $S = \alpha L - \gamma$

[Kitaev and Preskill '06, Levin and Wen '06]



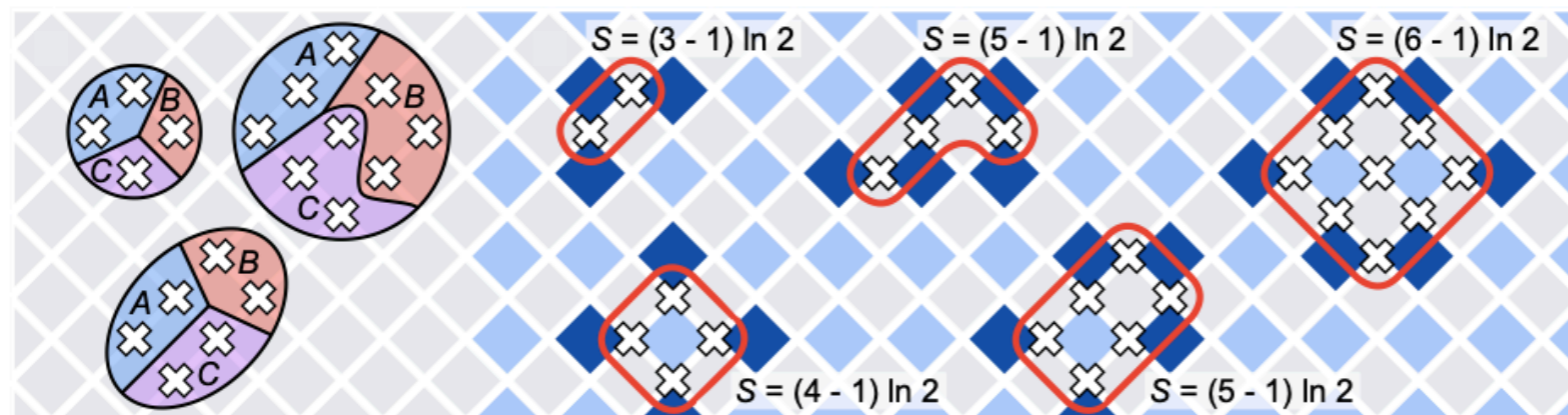
Subtraction scheme cancels area law boundary terms!

$$S_{\text{topo}} = -\gamma = S_A + S_B + S_C - S_{AB} - S_{AC} - S_{BC} + S_{ABC}$$

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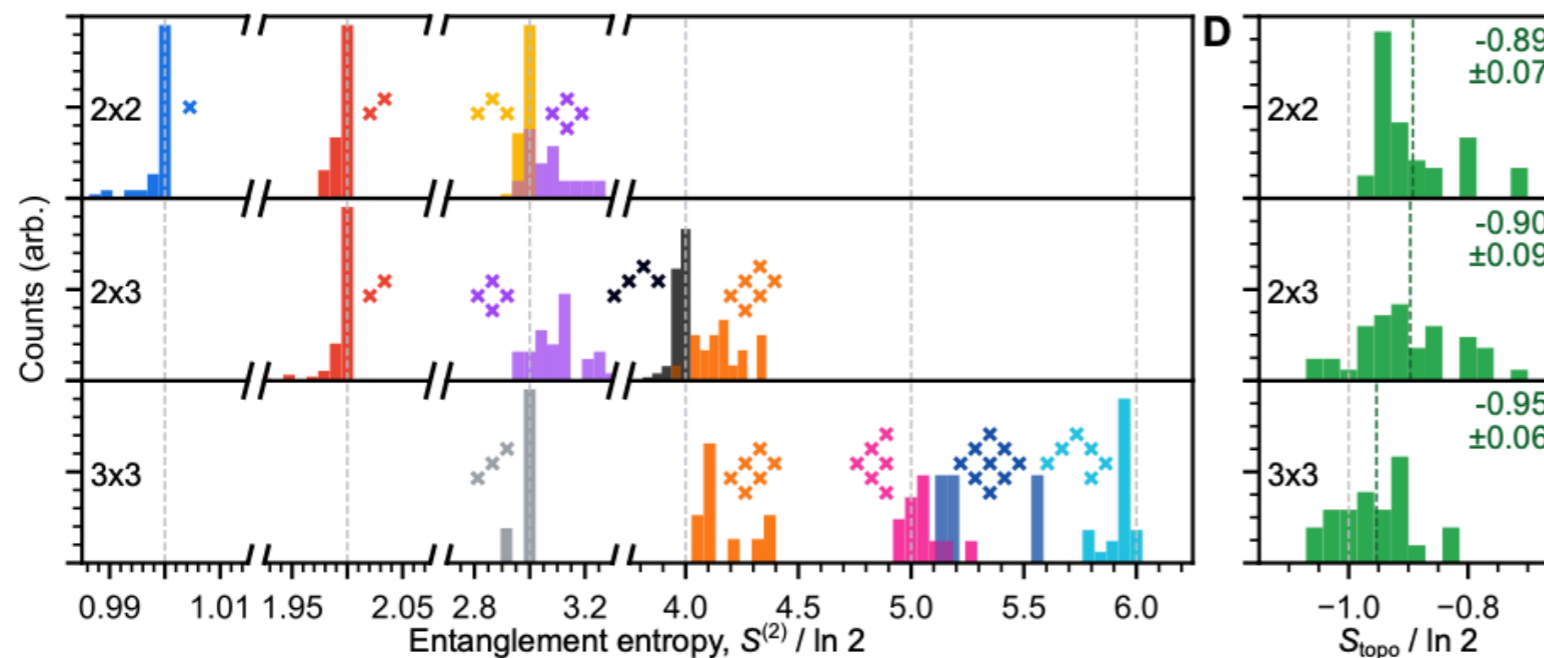
Toric code: $S_{\text{topo}} = -\ln 2$



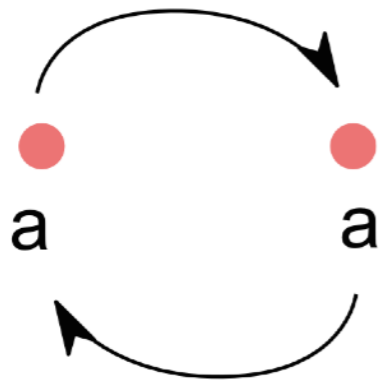
Full state tomography for 4 and 6 qubits

Randomized measurements for 9 qubits

Average over location and orientation

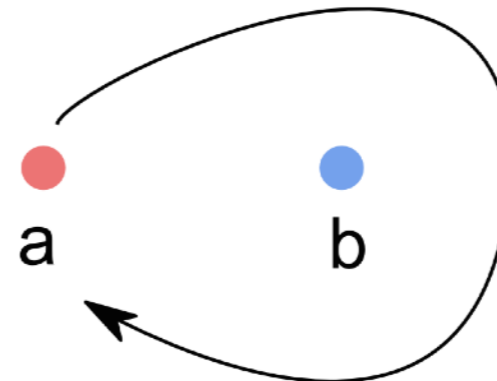


Anyonic braiding statistics



U_{aa}

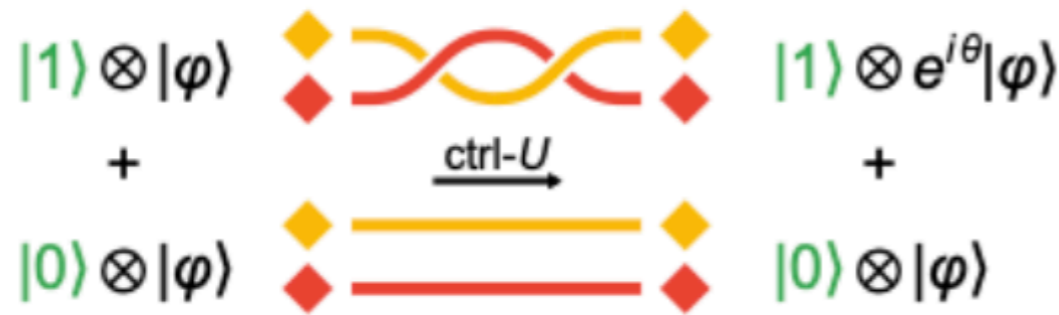
Exchange: U-matrix
Can take rational
phases other than ± 1



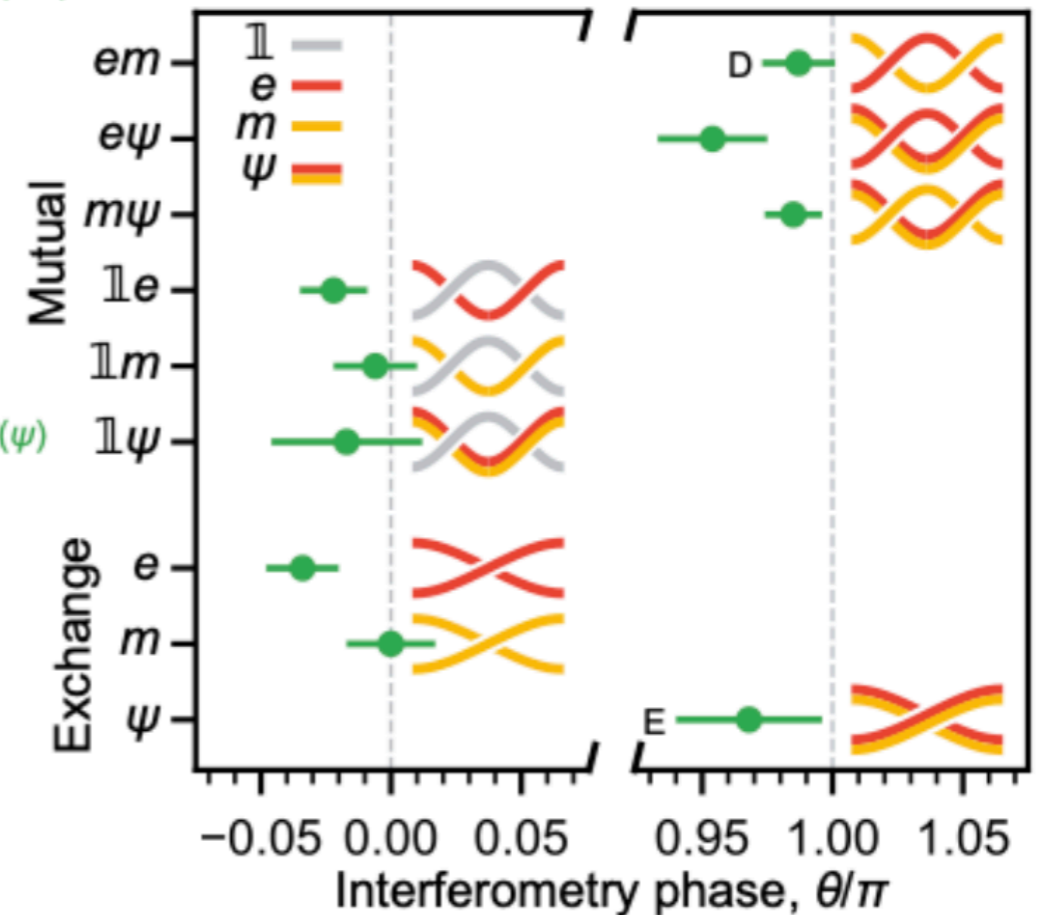
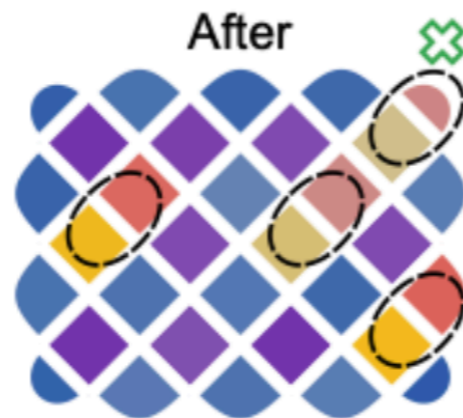
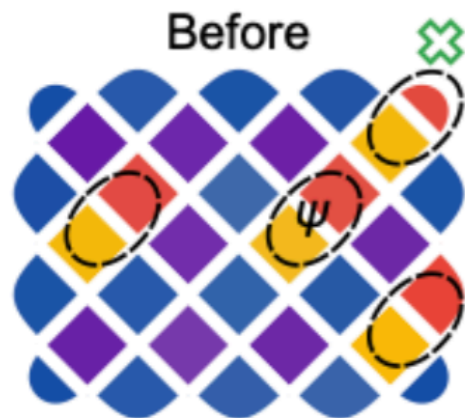
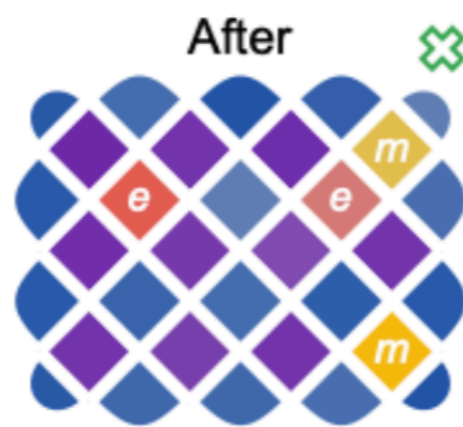
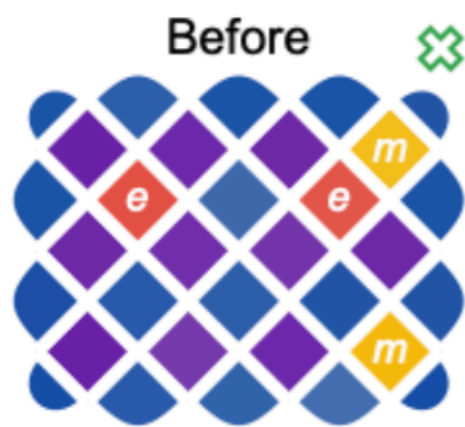
S_{ab}

Mutual: S-matrix
No analogue for
fundamental fermions/
bosons in 3D

Simulating anyonic statistics



[Jiang et al. '08]

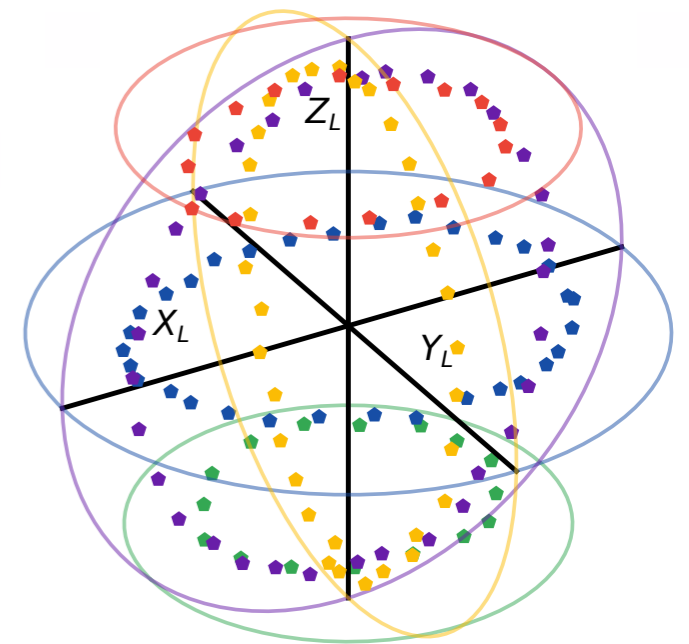
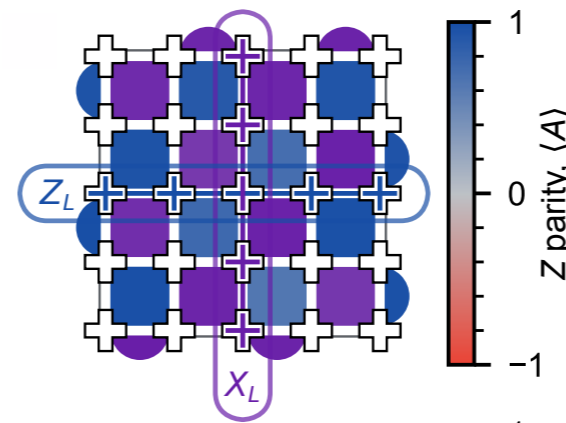


Surface code logical qubits

Towards logical qubits

Boundary conditions lead to ground state degeneracy

Perform state injection / readout over Bloch sphere



Linear quantum circuits for string-net models and quantum gates for braiding abelian and non-abelian anyons [Liu, Smith, Shtengel, FP, arXiv:2110.02020]

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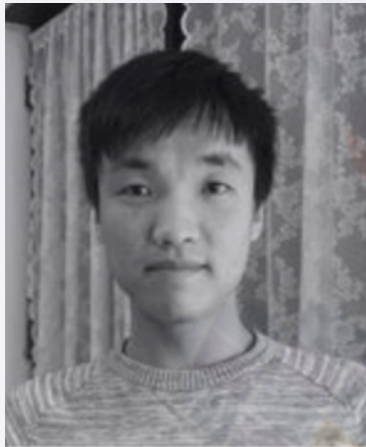
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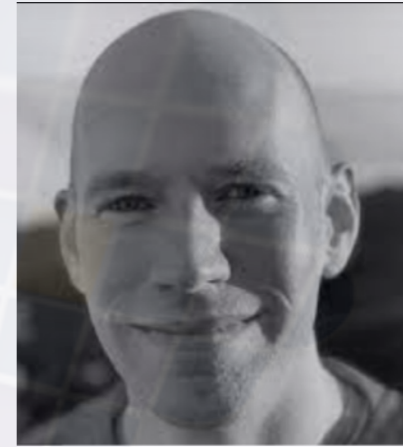
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