## Efficient State Tomography WITH <br> Matrix Product Structures


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Reconstruct density matrix:

$$
\hat{\varrho}=\frac{\mathbb{1}}{2}+\sum_{i=1}^{3} \frac{\left\langle\hat{\sigma}_{i}\right\rangle}{2} \hat{\sigma}_{i}
$$

Techniques:
Linear inversion, Maximum Likelihood, Mean Bayesian estimation, ...


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& \text { Measurements: } \\
& p_{k}=\operatorname{tr}\left[\hat{\Pi}_{k} \hat{\varrho}\right], k=1, \ldots, d^{2 N}
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Reconstruct density matrix:
$\hat{\varrho} \in \mathbb{C}^{d^{N} \times d^{N}}$


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Experiment time, examples:
$N=8: \quad t_{e x p} \approx 10 h$, ,H.Hathere etal., Nature 438,643 (20055.,
$N=14: t_{e x p}>300$ days,
$N=36: t_{\text {exp }}>$ age of the universe.
Post-processing

resources

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## The Invertibility condition:



Let $l, r \in \mathbb{N}, 2 \leq l+r \leq N-2$ and define the linear maps:
$E_{\{k-l+1, \ldots, k\}}^{\{k+1, \ldots, k+r\}}\left(\hat{X}_{\{k+1, \ldots, k+r\}}\right)=\operatorname{tr}_{\{k+1, \ldots, k+r\}}\left[\hat{\varrho}_{\{k-l+1, \ldots, k+r\}} \hat{X}_{\{k+1, \ldots, k+r\}}\right]$
己 $E_{\{1, \ldots, k\}}^{\{k+1, \ldots, N\}}\left(\hat{X}_{\{k+1, \ldots, N\}}\right)=\operatorname{tr}_{\{k+1, \ldots, N\}}\left[\hat{\varrho} \hat{X}_{\{k+1, \ldots, N\}}\right]$
If with respect to any cut it holds that
$\operatorname{rank}\left[E_{\{k-l+1, \ldots, k\}}^{\{k+1, \ldots, k+r\}}\right]=\operatorname{rank}\left[E_{\{1, \ldots, k\}}^{\{k+1, \ldots, N\}}\right]$
than $\hat{\varrho}$ fulfills the invertibility condition.

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Linear growing number of measurements.

Mixed states:

$$
\hat{\varrho}=\sum_{i_{1}, \ldots, i_{N}=1}^{d^{2}} B_{1}\left[i_{1}\right] \cdots B_{N}\left[i_{N}\right] \hat{P}_{1}^{\left(i_{1}\right)} \otimes \cdots \otimes \hat{P}_{N}^{\left(i_{N}\right)}
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Assume that there is a $r$ such that for all $k=0, \ldots, N-r-1$ the sets
$\left\{B_{k+1}\left[i_{k+1}\right] \cdots B_{k+r}\left[i_{k+r}\right]\right\}_{i_{k+1}, \ldots, i_{k+r}=1}^{d^{2}}$ $\operatorname{span} \mathbb{C}^{D_{k+1} \times D_{k+r+1}}$ 。
aka injective MPO.

$\hat{\varrho}$ satisfies the invertibility condition.

$\hat{\varrho}$ is uniquely determined by its reduced density matrices on $2 r+1$ sites.

## Pure states:

$|\psi\rangle=\sum_{i_{1}, \ldots, i_{N}=1}^{d} A_{1}\left[i_{1}\right] \cdots A_{N}\left[i_{N}\right]\left|i_{1}, \ldots, i_{N}\right\rangle$
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$|\psi\rangle$ is the unique ground state of a local Hamiltonian.

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Compute expectation value: $\operatorname{tr}[\hat{\varrho} \hat{O}]$


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Efficient way to compute expectation values: Choose complete basis.
$\operatorname{tr}\left[\hat{\varrho} \hat{P}_{1}^{\left(l_{1}\right)} \otimes \ldots \otimes \hat{P}_{N}^{\left(l_{N}\right)}\right]=\mathbb{E}_{1}\left(\hat{P}_{1}^{\left(l_{1}\right)}, \mathbb{E}_{2}\left(\ldots \mathbb{E}_{N-1}\left(\hat{P}_{N-1}^{\left(l_{N-1}\right)}, \hat{P}_{N}^{\left(l_{N}\right)}\right)\right)\right)$

$$
=B_{1}\left[l_{1}\right] \cdots B_{N}\left[l_{N}\right]
$$

MPO representation: $\hat{\varrho}=\sum_{l_{1}, \ldots, l_{N}} B_{1}\left[l_{1}\right] \cdots B_{N}\left[\dot{l_{N}}\right] \hat{P}_{1}^{\left(l_{1}\right)} \otimes \cdots \otimes \hat{P}_{N}^{\left(l_{N}\right)}$

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W state: $\left|W_{\mathrm{N}=8}(\phi)\right\rangle=\left[|00 \ldots 01\rangle+e^{i \phi_{1}}|00 \ldots 10\rangle+\ldots+e^{i \phi_{N-1}}|10 \ldots 00\rangle\right] / \sqrt{N}$

String of $N=8$ trapped ions:

H. Häffner et al., Nature 438, 643 (2005).

Full tomography via maximum likelihood: $3^{N}$ settings.
Efficient tomography via direct MPO reconstruction:
$3^{R}(N-R+1)$ settings.
Determine maximal fidelity with respect to a W state:
$\left.f_{\text {opt }}=\underset{\phi}{\operatorname{argmax}}\left[\left\langle W_{N}(\phi)\right| \hat{\varrho}\left|W_{N}(\phi)\right\rangle\right]\right]$

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
f_{\mathrm{opt}}^{\mathrm{ML}}=0.722 & f_{\mathrm{op}}^{R=3}=0.688 \\
& f_{\mathrm{opt}}^{R=5}=0.718
\end{array}
$$

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## Using Hamiltonian:

$\hat{H}=-J \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} \hat{\sigma}_{i}^{(X)} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{i}^{(X)}-B \sum_{i=1}^{N} \hat{\sigma}_{i}^{(Z)}$
Direct MPO tomography
Consider thermal states:

$$
\hat{\varrho}=\mathrm{e}^{-\beta \hat{H}} / Z
$$

Data prone to noise:

$$
p_{k}=\operatorname{tr}\left[\hat{\varrho} \hat{P}_{k}\right]+\sigma
$$



Gaussian, zero mean.
$J=1$
$B=1 / 2$

$$
D\left(\hat{\varrho}, \hat{\varrho}_{\mathrm{rec}}\right)=\left\|\hat{\varrho}-\hat{\varrho}_{\mathrm{rec}}\right\|_{F}^{2} /\|\hat{\varrho}\|_{F}^{2}
$$

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