

# Graph States

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## 1 Graph States

**1.1 Definition (Graph State)** Let  $G$  be an undirected graph with  $V$  vertices.

$$|\psi_G\rangle \equiv \prod_{(a,b) \in E} CZ_{a,b} |+\rangle^{\otimes V}$$

This is well founded because  $CZ_{a,b} = CZ_{b,a}$  so the choice of orientation for  $(a,b) \in E$  does not matter. Also they commute so the order of the product does not have to be specified.

**1.2 Lemma** For  $K_i = X_i \otimes_{j \in N(i)} Z_j$ ,  $K_i |\psi_G\rangle = (+1) |\psi_G\rangle$ .  $K_i^2 = Id$ , and they commute. So they form an independent set in the sense of the Coxeter graph as the general program described in the Coxeter compiler paper.

## 2 Hypergraph States

**2.1 Definition ( $k$ -Uniform Hypergraph)** A hypergraph such that each hyperedge contains exactly  $k$  vertices. If  $k = 2$ , that is a usual graph.

**2.2 Definition (Uniform Hypergraph State)** Let  $G$  be a  $k$ -uniform hypergraph on  $V$  vertices.

$$|\psi_G\rangle \equiv \prod_{(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k) \in E} CZ_{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k} |+\rangle^{\otimes V}$$

where  $CZ_{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k}$  acts as  $-1$  only on  $|1\rangle^{\otimes k}$  and  $1$  otherwise. Again the symmetry means there is no impact of the choice of ordering  $a_1 \dots a_k$  necessary in the hyperedge.

**2.3 Lemma** For  $K_i = X_i \otimes \prod_{(i, i_2, \dots, i_k) \in E} CZ_{i_2, \dots, i_k}$ ,  $K_i |\psi_G\rangle = (+1) |\psi_G\rangle$ . Again  $K_i^2 = Id$ , and they commute. Again they form an independent set in the sense of the Coxeter graph as the general program described in the Coxeter compiler paper.

**2.4 Definition (Hypergraph state)**

**Proof** <https://arxiv.org/pdf/1211.5554.pdf> <https://arxiv.org/pdf/1612.06418.pdf>  $\square$

### 3 Bayesian DAG States

**3.1 Definition** *Let  $G$  be a DAG where the vertices  $v_i$  represent random variables on  $d_i$  possibilities. So the entire Hilbert space is  $\bigotimes_{i=0}^{V-1} \mathbb{C}^{d_i}$ . The edges indicate causation.*

*Let  $b$  be vertex and  $\{a_1 \cdots a_n\}$  be it's possibly empty set of immediate predecessors  $U_{\{a\},b}$  is then chosen to be a unitary satisfying*

$$\begin{aligned} U_{\{a\},b} |e_{i_1}\rangle \otimes \cdots |e_{i_n}\rangle \otimes |0\rangle &= \sqrt{P_j} |e_{i_1}\rangle \otimes \cdots |e_{i_n}\rangle \otimes |j\rangle \\ P_j &= P(b=j \mid a_1=i_1 \cdots a_n=i_n) \end{aligned}$$

*Initialize in the state  $|0\rangle^{\otimes V}$ . Do a topological sort on  $G$ . Then apply the operators  $U_{\emptyset,b}$  for the bottom of the poset. Then build up from there with  $U_{\{a\},b}$*

If you wish to ask a question conditioned on some variables like the random variable for vertex  $v_j$  is in state  $i_j$ , perform amplitude amplification first. The ratios between the terms with  $v_j = i_j$  remain the same amongst each other. That is what one is probing anyways. Relative likelihoods.