



MASTER ENGINEERING PHYSICS

Year 2020-2021

MASTER DESERTATOIN

THESIS TENSOR NETWORKS

October 2020

David Devoogdt

Academic supervisor: prof.

# Contents

<b>1</b>	<b>Introduction</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Models</b>	<b>1</b>
2.1	Ising model . . . . .	1
2.1.1	Classical Ising . . . . .	1
2.1.2	Quantum Ising . . . . .	1
2.2	Heisenberg . . . . .	1
2.3	Random . . . . .	2
<b>3</b>	<b>Criticality</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>tensor networks</b>	<b>2</b>
4.1	MPS . . . . .	2
4.2	graphical notation . . . . .	3
4.3	MPO . . . . .	3
4.4	PEPO . . . . .	4
<b>5</b>	<b>Statistical mechanics</b>	<b>4</b>
5.1	introduction . . . . .	4
5.2	Calculation with MPO in 1D . . . . .	4
<b>6</b>	<b>contruction MPO</b>	<b>5</b>
6.1	Mpo manipulations . . . . .	5
6.1.1	decomposition . . . . .	6
6.1.2	inverse . . . . .	6
6.1.3	virtual levels and matrisation . . . . .	7
6.2	Time evolution methods . . . . .	8
6.3	Cluster expansion . . . . .	8
6.3.1	Type A . . . . .	9
6.3.2	Truncation . . . . .	12
6.3.3	Type B . . . . .	12
6.3.4	Type C . . . . .	14
6.3.5	Type D . . . . .	14
<b>7</b>	<b>Benchmarking</b>	<b>14</b>
7.1	dioganalsation . . . . .	14
7.1.1	norms . . . . .	15
7.2	system size and cyclicity . . . . .	15
7.2.1	Ising . . . . .	17
7.2.2	Heisenberg . . . . .	17
7.3	Random . . . . .	19
7.4	analytical results . . . . .	22

## Todo list

write this . . . . .	1
in basis: hermitian $H$ . . . . .	2
( . . . . .	2
Figure: make this in graphical notation . . . . .	2
connect trace and hide legs at $M$ . . . . .	3
explain <a href="https://nl.mathworks.com/help/matlab/ref/mldivide.html">https://nl.mathworks.com/help/matlab/ref/mldivide.html</a> . . . .	7
explain . . . . .	7
berken exact en maak tabletje voor de verschillende types . . . . .	7
symmetric split $S$ , invertibility lowest eiges, eigensplit, order cutoff . . . .	9
toon figuurtjes met verschillende sigma 0 voor $t_i sing$ . . . . .	9
nog niet gevodnen . . . . .	12
zeggen wat allemaal niet werkt . . . . .	12
meer uitleg gsvd <a href="https://nl.mathworks.com/help/matlab/ref/gsvd.html">https://nl.mathworks.com/help/matlab/ref/gsvd.html</a> .	14
primed virtual levels . . . . .	14
dit erin zetten of niet?? type05 . . . . .	14
time complexity algorithms . . . . .	15
trace norm, Schatten $p$ norm, ... . . . .	15
calculate complexity . . . . .	15
run with $M=11$ . . . . .	18

# 1 Introduction

write this

To deal with these strongly correlated systems, a class of methods called tensor networks were introduced.

## 2 Models

### 2.1 Ising model

#### 2.1.1 Classical Ising

The classical ising model is given by the following hamiltonian:

$$H = -J \left( \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j + g \sum_i \sigma_i \right) \quad (1)$$

where  $\langle ij \rangle$  runs over all neighbouring lattice sites. Classical refers to the fact that all the operators in the hamiltonian commute with each other. The values of  $\sigma$  depends on the spin dimension. For spin 1/2 lattices  $\sigma \in -1, +1$ .

##### 2.1.1.1 1D Phase Diagram

##### 2.1.1.2 2D Phase Diagram

#### 2.1.2 Quantum Ising

In the quantum Ising model, the operators no longer commute with each other. An example is the transversal ising model given by:

$$\hat{H} = -J \left( \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \sigma_i^x \sigma_j^x + g \sum_i \sigma_i^z \right) \quad (2)$$

##### 2.1.2.1 1D Phase Diagram

##### 2.1.2.2 2D Phase Diagram

### 2.2 Heisenberg

The heisenberg model is given by:

$$\hat{H} = - \left( \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} J_x \sigma_i^x \sigma_j^x + J_y \sigma_i^y \sigma_j^y + J_z \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z + h \sum_i \sigma_i^z \right) \quad (3)$$

These models have different names depending on the values of  $J_\alpha$  with  $\alpha = x, y, z$ .  $J_x = J_y \neq J_z = \Delta$  is called the XXZ model.

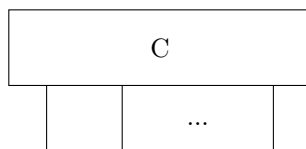


Figure 1: Caption

## 2.3 Random

It's also possible to construct random hamiltonians.

in basis:  
hermitian  
H

## 3 Criticality

scale invariancem, critical points, universality,critical exponents)

(

## 4 tensor networks

### 4.1 MPS

A general quantum state with n sites can be described in a given basis  $|i\rangle$  as

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_n} C^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_n} |i_1\rangle \otimes |i_2\rangle \otimes \dots \otimes |i_n\rangle \quad (4)$$

This requires an exponential number  $d^n$  of coefficients C where d is the dimensions of basis  $|i\rangle$ .

In order to make the problem tractable, the following form is proposed as wavefunction:

$$C^{i_1 i_2 \dots i_n} = C_{\alpha_1}^{1 i_1} C_{\alpha_1 \alpha_2}^{2 i_2} \dots C_{\alpha_{n-1}}^{n i_n} \quad (5)$$

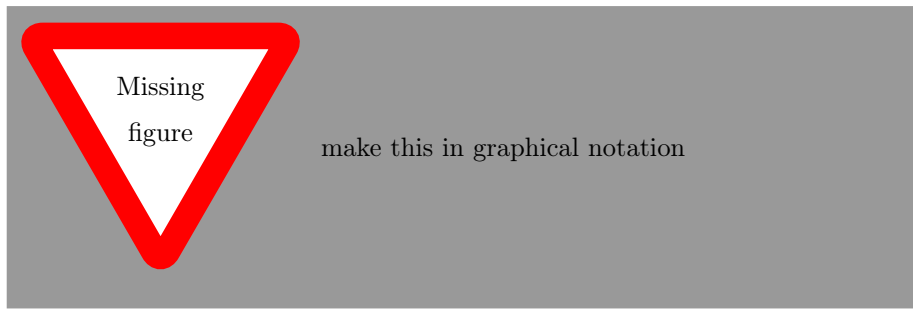
Where summation over shared indices is implied. It is always possible to find such an representation by means of matrix decomposition. The summation over  $\alpha_i$  are called virtual bond and their dimension is denoted by  $\chi$ .

Explicit translational invariance is given by tensor  $C_{\alpha\beta}^i$  that don't depend on the location. The chain is closed by setting  $\alpha_n = \alpha_0$ . We can now write this as a Trace over matrix products:

$$|\Psi\rangle = \text{Tr}(C^{i_1} C^{i_2} \dots C^{i_n}) |i_1\rangle \otimes |i_2\rangle \otimes \dots \otimes |i_n\rangle \quad (6)$$

Table 1: Caption

conventional	Einstein	tensor notation
$\vec{x}$	$x_\alpha$	$\textcircled{x}$ —
M	$M_{\alpha\beta}$	— $\textcircled{M}$ —
$\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y}$	$x_\alpha y_\alpha$	$\textcircled{x}$ — $\textcircled{y}$



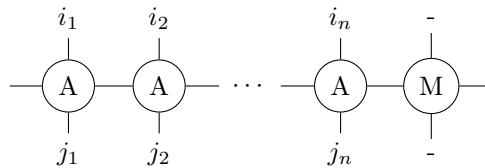
## 4.2 graphical notation

Tensor networks can be written in a graphical notation. The legs of a tensor denote the number of external indices. The upper Connected legs are summed. Some examples are shown in table 1

## 4.3 MPO

In a similar fashion, a Matrix Product Operator (MPO) is of the following form:

$$\hat{O} = \sum \text{Tr}(A^{i_1 j_1} A^{i_2 j_2} \dots A^{i_n j_n} M) \times |i_1\rangle \langle j_1| \otimes |i_2\rangle \langle j_2| \otimes \dots \otimes |i_n\rangle \langle j_n| \quad (7)$$



connect  
trace and  
hide legs at  
M

The matrix M contains the boundary conditions of the operator. Many Hamiltonians can be represented by an MPO. For ins

#### 4.4 PEPO

### 5 Statistical mechanics

#### 5.1 introduction

The physics of a system in thermodynamical equilibrium can be derived from its partition function  $Z$ .

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= \sum e^{-\beta E_n} \\ &= \sum_n \langle n | e^{-\beta \hat{H}} | n \rangle \\ &= \text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \hat{H}}) \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

The first line is the partition function for classical discrete systems. The index  $n$  runs over all possible microstates. It is known that the probability to find the system in a given microstate is given by:

$$p_i = \frac{\sum e^{-\beta E_n}}{Z} \tag{9}$$

An useful quantity is the density matrix  $\rho$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \rho &= \sum_j p_j |\Psi_j\rangle \langle \Psi_j| \\ &= \sum_j \frac{e^{-\beta \hat{H}}}{Z} |\Psi_j\rangle \langle \Psi_j| \end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

With this notation

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= \text{Tr}(\rho) \\ \langle X \rangle &= \text{Tr}(\rho \hat{X}) \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

#### 5.2 Calculation with MPO in 1D

Suppose that there is an MPO representation of  $e^{-\beta \hat{H}}$ . And that the MPO representation for  $X$  is localised over  $n$  sites, then the expectation value is given by:

$$\langle X \rangle = \frac{\begin{array}{c} \cdots \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \\ \text{X} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \text{X} \\ \text{A} \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \end{array}}{\begin{array}{c} \cdots \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \end{array}} \quad (12)$$

In the thermodynamic limit there are an infinity number of A to the left and the right. This can be simulated by taking the left and right fixed points of the traced MPO A corresponding to the largest eigenvector  $\lambda$ .

$$G_l \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} = \lambda \text{---} G_l \text{---} \quad (13)$$

$$\text{---} \text{A} \text{---} G_r = \lambda \text{---} G_r \quad (14)$$

Equation eq. (12) can now be easily calculated:

$$\langle X \rangle = \frac{\begin{array}{c} \text{X} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \text{X} \\ G_l \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} \cdots \text{---} \text{A} \text{---} G_r \end{array}}{\lambda^n \text{---} G_r \text{---} G_r} \quad (15)$$

## 6 contraction MPO

### 6.1 Mpo manipulations

The manipulations of MPO's is done by manipulating the tensor into a matrix, performing some matrix calculations and casting it back into it's original form.



This section gives some examples how these manipulations are done in practice:

### 6.1.1 decomposition

$$\begin{aligned}
& \begin{array}{c} i_1 \quad i_2 \\ | \quad | \\ \text{u} - \boxed{O^{uv,vw}} - \text{w} \\ | \quad | \\ j_1 \quad j_1 \end{array} = O_{\alpha_u \gamma_w}^{i_1 i_2 j_1 j_2} \\
& \cong O_{(\alpha_u i_1 j_1)(\gamma_w i_2 j_2)}^{uv} \\
& = O_{(\alpha_u i_1 j_1)\beta_v}^{uv} O_{\beta_v(\gamma_w i_2 j_2)}^{vw} \\
& \cong \begin{array}{c} i_1 \quad i_2 \\ | \quad | \\ \text{u} - \bigcirc - \text{v} - \bigcirc - \text{w} \\ | \quad | \\ j_1 \quad j_1 \end{array}
\end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

Step 2 reshapes and groups the indices to one index. The dimension of this index is the sum of the separate dimensions. Step 3 decomposes the matrix into a product of 2 matrices. The exact nature of this decomposition is discussed further. The last step transforms the indices back to separate legs.

For an exact representation, the bond dimension of virtual level v is:

$$\dim v = \min(\dim u, \dim w) + 2 \dim i \tag{17}$$

### 6.1.2 inverse

Suppose we want to find a MPO O for given tensors A and B such that the following holds:

$$\begin{array}{c} i_1 \quad i_2 \quad i_3 \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{u} - \boxed{A} - \bigcirc - \text{v} \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ j_1 \quad j_2 \quad j_3 \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} i_1 \quad i_2 \quad i_3 \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{u} - \boxed{B} - \text{v} \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ j_1 \quad j_2 \quad j_3 \end{array} \tag{18}$$

Again, the indices can be taken together in the following way:  $\alpha = (ui_1 i_2 j_1 j_2)$  and  $\beta = (i_3 j_3 v)$ :

$$A_{\alpha\gamma} O_{\gamma\beta} = B_{\alpha\beta} \tag{19}$$

This will be denoted by

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{array}{c} i_3 \\ | \\ \text{w} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \text{v} \\ | \\ j_3 \end{array} &= \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \boxed{A} \text{---} \text{w} \\ | \quad | \\ | \quad | \end{array} \right]^{-1} \begin{array}{c} i_3 \\ | \\ \text{---} \boxed{B} \text{---} \text{v} \\ | \\ j_3 \end{array} \\
&= \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{w} \text{---} \boxed{A^{-1}} \text{---} \\ | \quad | \\ | \quad | \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{c} i_3 \\ | \\ \text{---} \boxed{B} \text{---} \text{v} \\ | \\ j_3 \end{array} \\
&= \begin{array}{c} i_3 \\ | \\ \text{u} \text{---} \boxed{A^{-1}B} \text{---} \text{v} \\ | \\ j_3 \end{array}
\end{aligned}
\tag{20}$$

For the first equation the unmarked legs on similar positions need to be connected to each other. The second line the mirrored positions are connected.

This can now be computed with linear algebra packages. Note that it is not necessary to calculate  $A^{-1}$  to obtain the solution.

explain

<https://nl.mathworks.com/>

### 6.1.3 virtual levels and matrisation

explain

**6.1.3.1 Matrisation** From the construction with svd we can see that the dimension of virtual bond  $\dim n = d^{2n}$  with  $d$  the dimension of  $|i\rangle$ . The virtual levels can be joined into a  $\chi \times d \times d \times \chi$  dimensional tensor  $O$ . This tensor is given by a tridiagonal block matrix :

$$O_{\alpha\beta}^{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} O^{00,ij} & O^{01,ij} & & \\ O^{10,ij} & O^{11,ij} & O^{12,ij} & \\ & O^{21,ij} & O^{22,ij} & \ddots \\ & & \ddots & \ddots \end{bmatrix} \tag{21}$$

The boundary conditions (leftmost and rightmost virtual level are zero) correspond to vectors:

$$\begin{aligned}
l &= [1 \quad 0 \quad \dots] \\
r &= l^T
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

The total dimension is the sum of dimensions of the virtual level. In this case the

berken exact en maak tabletje voor de verschillende types

## 6.2 Time evolution methods

### 6.3 Cluster expansion

This thesis builds on the cluster expansions introduced in [1]. The idea is to create tensor network with a number of virtual levels. The representation is exact up to  $M$  connected sites, where  $M$  is the order. Different variations are possible.

A Hamiltonian of the following form is assumed

$$\hat{H}_n = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \hat{h}_{i,i+1} + \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{h}'_i \quad (23)$$

Virtual level zero is defined as follows:

$$\begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \end{array} = \boxed{e^{-\beta \hat{H}_1}} \quad (24)$$

Similarly, the contraction of elements  $O_{01}$  and  $O_{10}$  are defined as follows:

$$\begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \end{array} = \boxed{e^{-\beta \hat{H}_2}} - \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \quad (25)$$

Some notation will be introduced that will be used later on. The tensor  $L_n$  is the contraction of  $n$  MPO's where the virtual index increases between each bond.  $R_n$  is similar but the virtual bond starts from  $n$  and decreases.

$$\begin{array}{c} | \quad | \quad \dots \quad | \\ \text{---} \boxed{L_n} \text{---} \\ | \quad | \quad \dots \quad | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ n \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \dots \begin{array}{c} | \\ \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \\ | \end{array} \begin{array}{c} m \\ n \end{array} \quad (26)$$

$M_n$  is the difference between the exponentiated hamiltonian for  $n$  sites and the contraction of the MPO over all the currently assigned combinations of virtual levels.

$$\begin{array}{c}
\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array} \\
\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array}
\end{array}
M_n
=
\begin{array}{c}
\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array} \\
\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array}
\end{array}
e^{-\beta \hat{H}_n}
\\
- \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array} \dots \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ 0 \end{array}
\end{array}
\quad (27)$$

### 6.3.1 Type A

This type was originally proposed in [1]. The following types of blocks appear:

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{m} \\ \vdots \end{array}, \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{m} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \quad \text{with } n \in \mathbb{N}_0 \text{ and } m = n - 1.$$

**6.3.1.1  $O^{nn}$**  The  $O^{nn}$  block is defined by eq. (28)

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline L_n^{-1} M_{2n+1} R_n^{-1} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \vdots \end{array} \quad (28)$$

The residual error  $M$  is calculated for a chain of size  $2n + 1$ . The left and right inverses are applied to  $M$  to find the block  $O^{nn}$

**6.3.1.2  $O^{mn}$  and  $O^{nm}$**  The contraction of  $O^{nm}$  and  $O^{mn}$  is defined by:

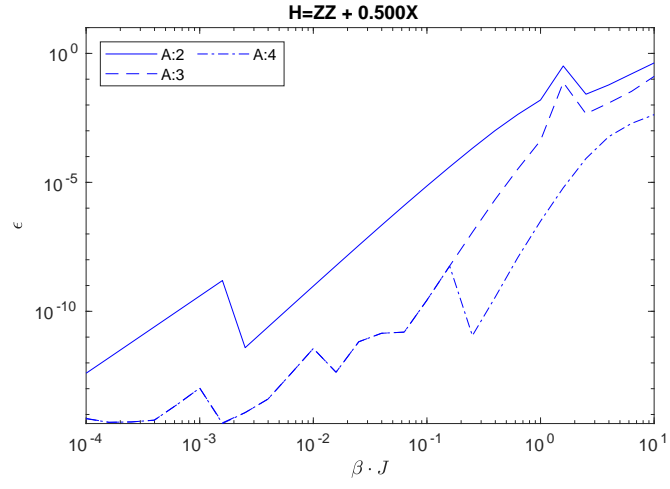
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{O} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{m} \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{n} \\ \vdots \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \vdots \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline L_n^{-1} M_{2n+2} R_n^{-1} \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \vdots \end{array} \quad (29)$$

The individual elements  $O^{mn}$  and  $O^{nm}$  are obtained by doing an svd decomposition.

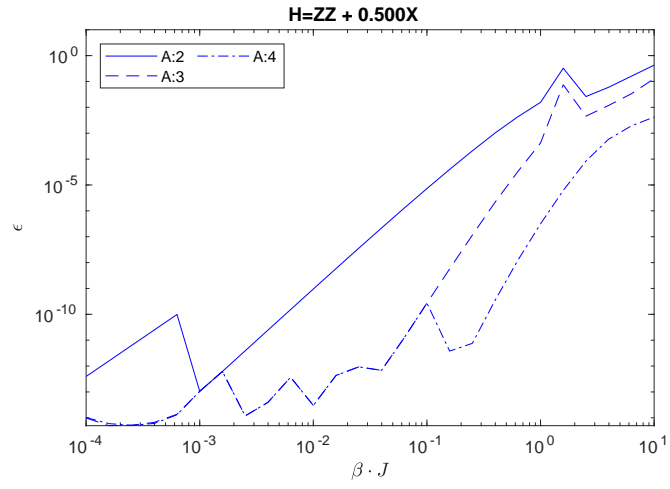
During the svd the bond dimension can be lowered by only keeping the rows and columns belonging to  $\sigma > \sigma_0$ . This also helps the invertibility. Increasing  $\sigma_0$  reduces the precision of the MPO. This can be seen in fig. 2. A good tradeoff seems to be  $\sigma_0 = 10^{-12}$ . There is almost no precision loss for small  $\beta$ , while for intermediate it performs optimal for intermediate  $\beta$ .

symmetric  
split S, in-  
vertibility  
lowest eiges,  
eigensplit,  
order cutoff

toon figu-  
urtjes met  
verschillende  
sigma 0 voor  
 $t_i \text{sing}$

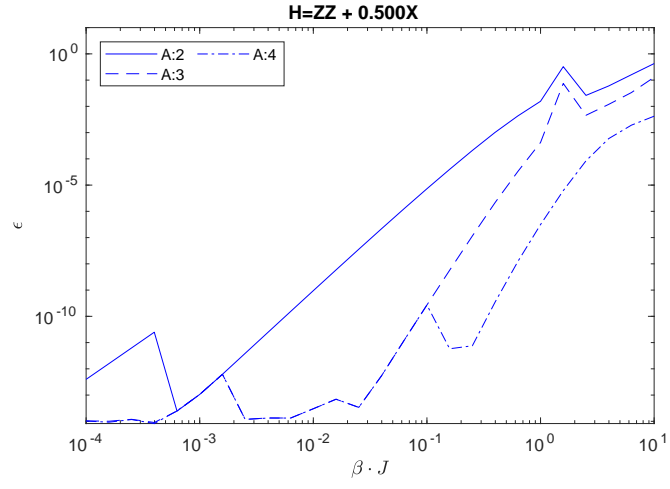


(a)  $10^{-10}$

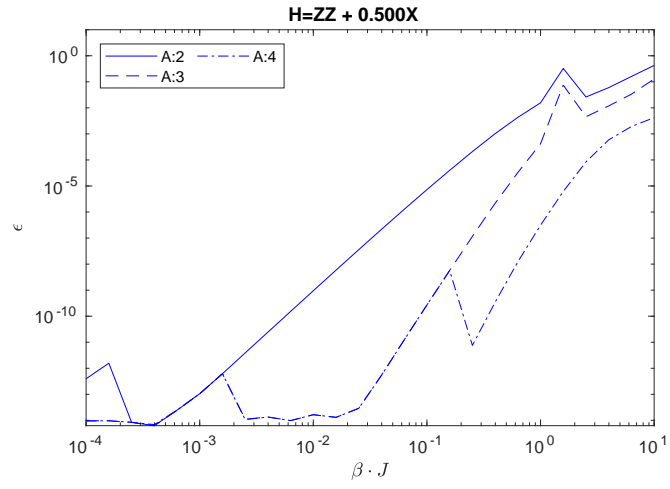


(b)  $10^{-11}$

Figure 2: A figure with two subfigures



(c)  $10^{-12}$



(d)  $10^{-13}$

Figure 2: A figure with two subfigures

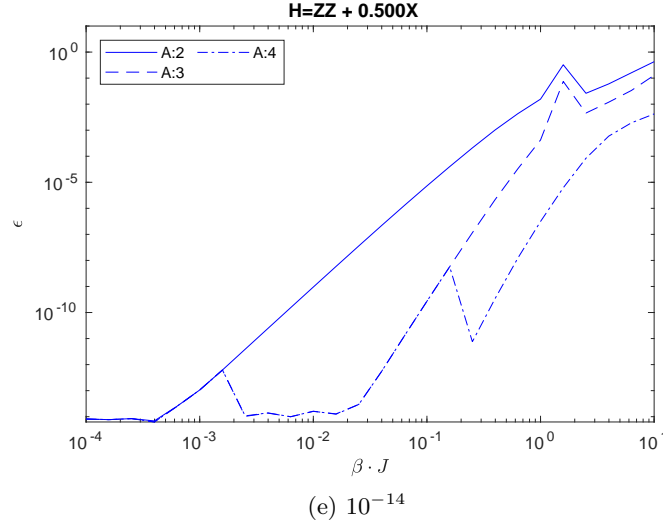


Figure 2: A figure with two subfigures

As can be seen in ??, mainly the construction for small values of  $\beta$  get affected by the choice of  $\sigma_0$ .

### 6.3.2 Truncation

**6.3.2.1**  $O^{nn}$  Introduction of a  $O^{nn}$  block can result in large fluctuating errors. This happens because the inverses are possible ill conditioned. Therefore the construction of the MPO should be stopped at a certain optimal order.

The  $O^{nn}$  blocks can form long chains. To test whether these chains improve accuracy, the norm of the residual error is calculated before and after the insertion of the block. A closed chain is used with the same number of sites. The closed chain resembles much better an infite chain than the open counterpart.

#### 6.3.2.2 $O^{mn}$ and $O^{nm}$

### 6.3.3 Type B

Type B only contains blocks of the following form;  $O^{mn}$  and  $O^{n0}$

nog niet  
gevodnen

zeggen wat  
allemaal niet  
werkt

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{array}{c} i_n \quad i_{n+1} \\ | \quad | \\ \text{m} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} 0 \\ | \quad | \\ j_n \quad j_{n+1} \end{array} &= \begin{array}{c} i_n \quad i_{n+1} \\ | \quad | \\ \text{m} \text{---} \boxed{L_m^{-1} M_{n+1}} \text{---} 0 \\ | \quad | \\ j_n \quad j_{n+1} \end{array} \\
&\cong X_{(\alpha_m i_n j_n)(i_{n+1} j_{n+1})} \\
&= U^n \Sigma V^\dagger
\end{aligned} \tag{30}$$

The following split is made:  $O^{mn} \cong U^n$  and  $O^{n0} \cong \Sigma V^\dagger$ . In this way the inverse exists and doesn't need any calculation:  $O^{mn} = U^\dagger$ . Take has to be taken with the indices to apply the inverse.

$$\begin{aligned}
U_{(\alpha ij)\beta}^n A_{\beta\gamma} &= B_{\alpha ij\gamma} \\
A_{\delta\gamma} &= U_{\delta(\alpha ij)}^{n\dagger} B_{\alpha ij\gamma}
\end{aligned} \tag{31}$$

If we now define the MPO  $O_n^{-1}$  equal to  $U^{n\dagger}$  with the second index split and permuted:

$$\begin{array}{c} i \\ | \\ \delta \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \alpha \\ | \\ j \end{array} O_n^{-1} \cong U_{\delta ij\alpha}^{n\dagger} \tag{32}$$

With the notation from eq. (20) we have:

$$\begin{array}{c} \alpha \text{---} \boxed{L_n^{-1}} \text{---} 0 \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \dots \quad \dots \quad \dots \quad \dots \quad \dots \quad \dots \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \alpha \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \dots \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} 0 \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ O_n^{-1} \quad O_m^{-1} \quad \dots \quad O_1^{-1} \end{array} \tag{33}$$

The inverse can be applied sequentially.

**6.3.3.1 dimension** From the construction the bond dimension grows from the left to the right. Again  $\dim n = d^{2n}$ . However this can be reduced if we can solve the following equations simultaneously:



$$\begin{array}{c}
i \\
| \\
\text{m} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} \text{n} \\
| \\
j
\end{array} = A^m_{(\alpha ij)\beta}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
i \\
| \\
\text{n} \text{---} \bigcirc \text{---} 0 \\
| \\
j
\end{array} = B^n_{(\alpha ij)\beta}$$
(34)

Then the MPO doesn't change if there are matrices  $A'^n$ ,  $A'^{n+1}$  and  $B'^n$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}
S &= A^m A^n = A'^m A'^n \\
T &= A^m B^n = A'^m B'^n
\end{aligned}$$
(35)

Such matrices with optimal bond dimension can be found with generalised SVD. Generalised SVD decomposes 2 matrices as follows

$$\begin{aligned}
S^\dagger &= (U \Sigma_1) Q^\dagger \\
T^\dagger &= (V \Sigma_2) Q^\dagger
\end{aligned}$$
(36)

As expected, the bond dimension is the  $\dim n' = \min(d^2 \dim m, \dim(n+1)d^2)$ .

### 6.3.3.2 discussion

### 6.3.4 Type C

### 6.3.5 Type D

## 7 Benchmarking

### 7.1 dioganalsation

The performance of the MPO construction can be compared with the exact diagonalisation of the hamiltonian for a given number of sites. To obtain a faithful results, the number of sites should be as high as possible. In practice, diagonalisation of large matrices becomes slow and memory consuming. The size grows exponentially in the number of sites:  $d^n \times d^n$ . A double takes 8 bytes of memory. A Rough estimated of the amount of RAM  $R$  needed to store this complex array is:

meer  
uitleg gsvd  
<https://nl.mathworks.com/>

primed vir-  
tual levels

dit erin  
zetten of  
niet??  
type05

$$R = d^{2n} \times 16bytes \quad (37)$$

Which means a 14 site chain already takes up GB of RAM.

time complexity algorithms

### 7.1.1 norms

The Schatten 2 norm is used in the following analysis, denoted by  $\|\cdot\|_2$ . In the figures the relative error  $\epsilon$  is reported.

- trace norm, Schatten  $p$  norm, ...

[illegible]

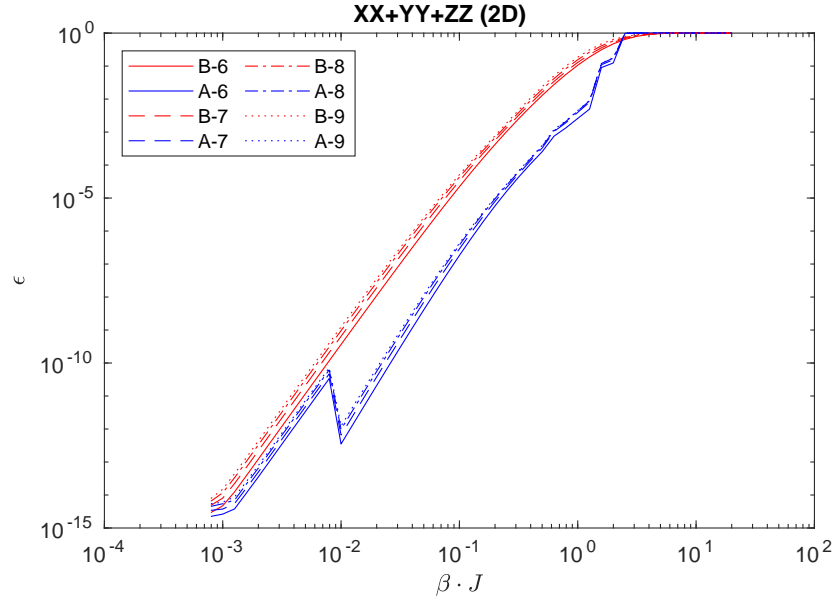
## 7.2 system size and cyclicity

This norm can only be calculated for a finite number of sites. The influence of the number of sites for a linear and cyclic fig. 3. As expected, the cyclic norm represents large systems better for the same number of sites. The linear norm keeps increasing with every added site.

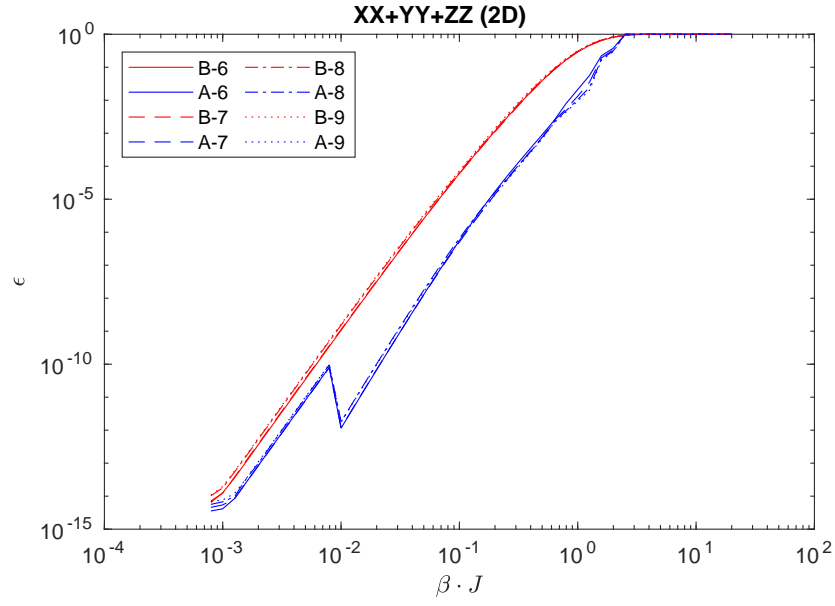
Calculating the cyclic norm comes at the extra cost of contracting a cyclic tensor network.

In this chapter, the cyclic norm will be given for  $M=8$  sites.

- calculate complexity



(a) test



(b) test

Figure 3: test

### 7.2.1 Ising

**7.2.1.1 optimal model parameters** The first model used to benchmark the different types of MPO's is the transversal ising model. For type A the  $\epsilon$  increases with  $\beta$ . As expected, the relative error decreases with increasing order.

The behaviour of type B is more chaotic. The error increases no longer monotonously. For small values of  $\beta$ , the order is truncated.

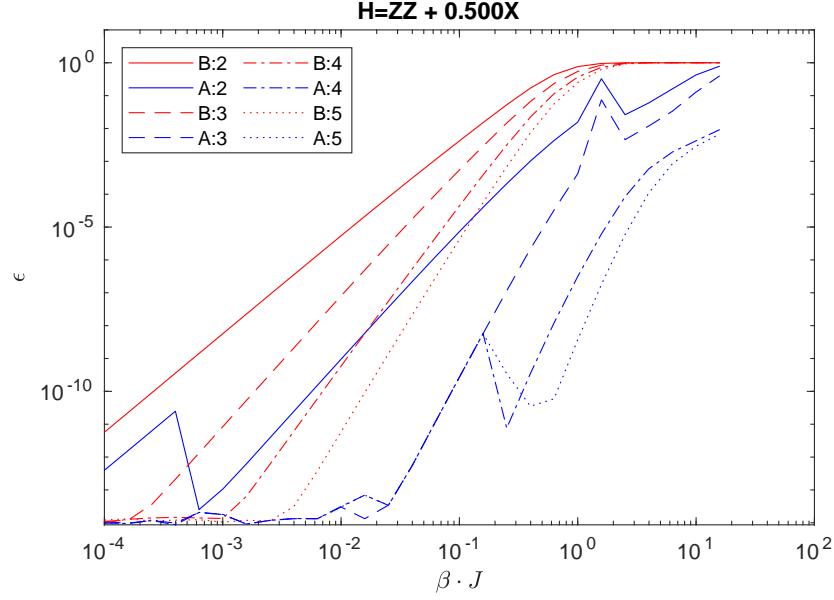


Figure 4: Comparison type A and B for Transversal Ising

### 7.2.2 Heisenberg

For the Heisenberg model, type A is also an improvement over type B. For large values of  $\beta$ , type A is not able to reproduce the exact

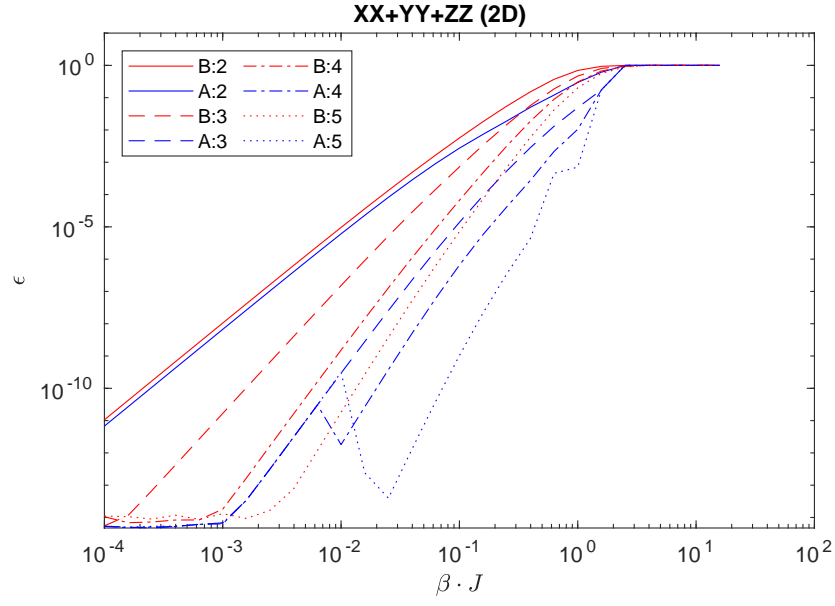


Figure 5: Comparison type A and B for Heisenberg

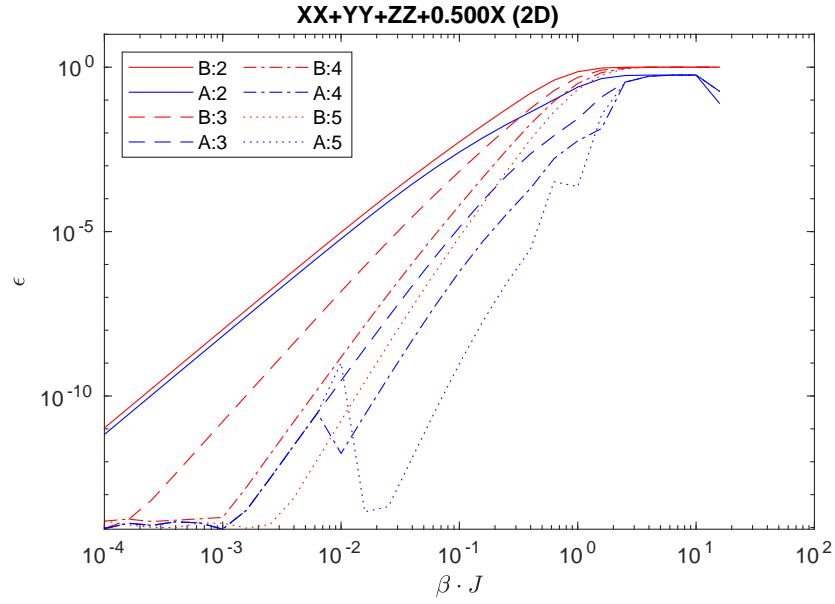


Figure 6: transversal XXX

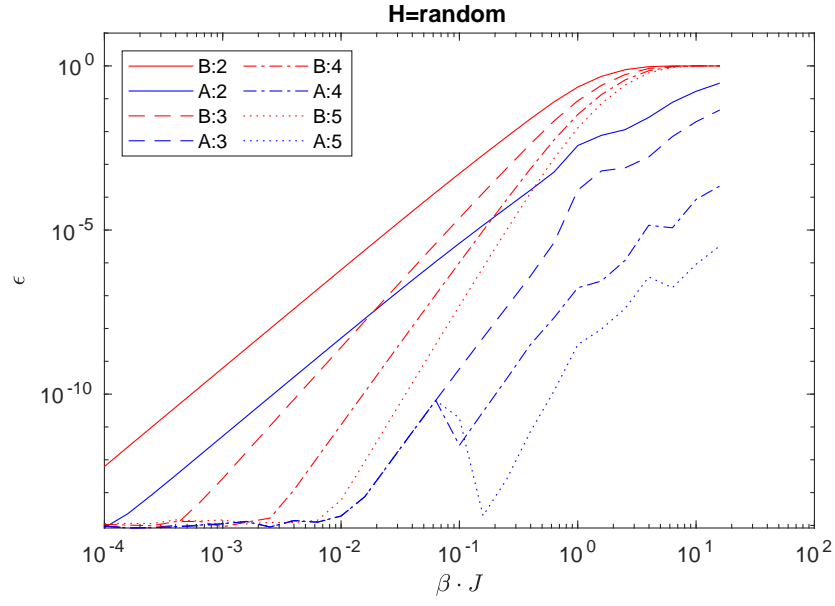
run with  
M=11

### 7.3 Random

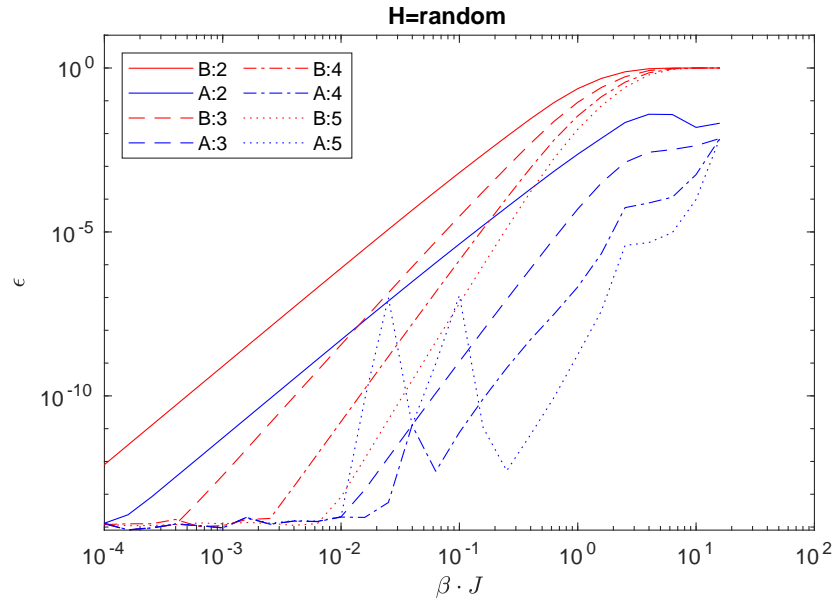
To give a representative overview for random hamiltonians, several simulations were run. The single site and nearest neighbour hamiltonians are generated by making hermitian matrices with random real and complex numbers between -1 and 1. In order to compare the different graphs, the engergy scale is set such that the norm of the 2 site hamiltonian is 1.

Clearly, the performance of type B is almost independent on the chosen random variables. For type A there is more variation. Still, A performs almost always better than B. As stated in the construction. no clear criterium is found for the truncation of odd orders (addition of double blocks). This can be seen for order 5 in some graphs.

For most of the trials, orders higher than 6 get truncated.

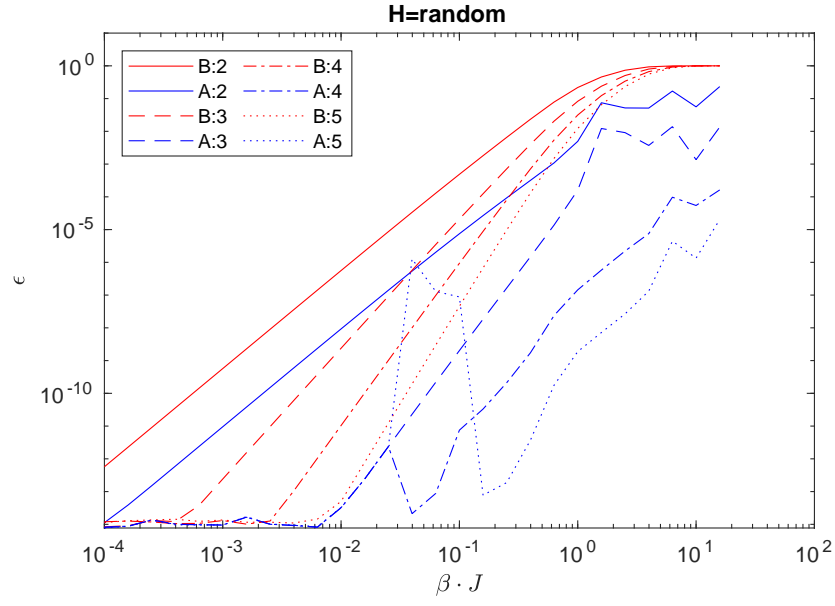


(a) test

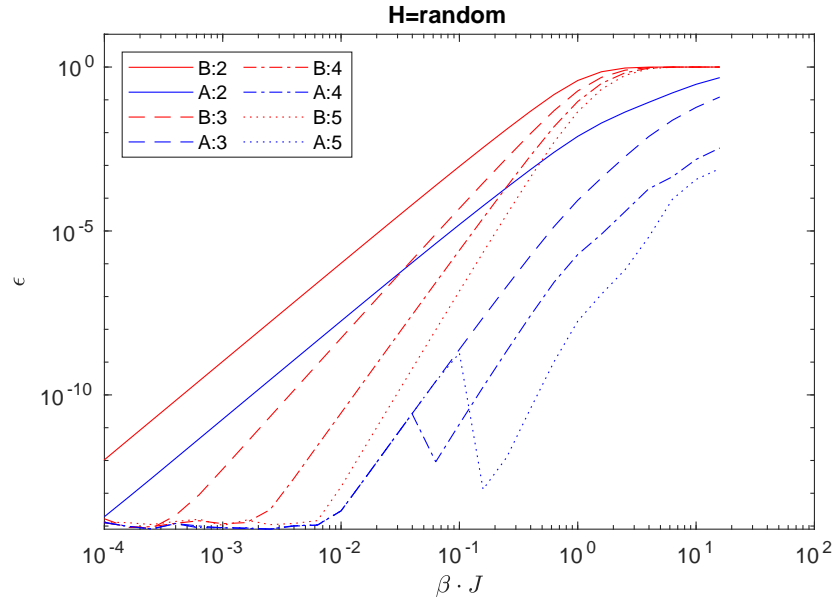


(b) test

Figure 7: test



(c) test



(d) test

Figure 7: test (cont.)



## 7.4 analytical results

### References

- [1] B. Vanhecke, M. Damme, L. Vanderstraeten, F. Verstraete, Symmetric cluster expansions with tensor networks (12 2019).