

Entanglement in CuO

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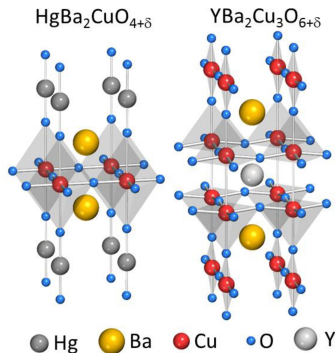
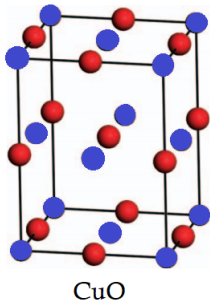
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Scheme of the presentation

- Tetragonal CuO structure
- Entanglement as the Von-Neumann entropy
- Affection of states by E_{gap}
- High charge for low entangled states

Introduction

- Quantum correlation in cuprates (CuO) \rightarrow Understanding superconductivity
- Two-holes states in the CuO layer as quantum bipartite states.



Measure of Entanglement

- Given $|\chi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}_1 \otimes \mathcal{H}_2$, if $\exists |\phi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}_1$ and $\exists |\psi\rangle \in \mathcal{H}_2$ such that

$$|\chi\rangle = |\phi \otimes \psi\rangle \rightarrow \text{separable} \quad (1)$$

$$|\chi\rangle \neq |\phi \otimes \psi\rangle \rightarrow \text{entangled} \quad (2)$$

- Given $\rho = |\chi\rangle \langle \chi|$ and $\rho_1 = \text{Tr}_2(\rho)$,

$$S(\rho) = -\text{Tr}(\rho \log(\rho))$$

- If $|\chi\rangle = \sum_i \sqrt{\lambda_i} |\xi_i\rangle_1 \otimes |\xi_i\rangle_2$ in its singular basis (Schmidt decomposition)

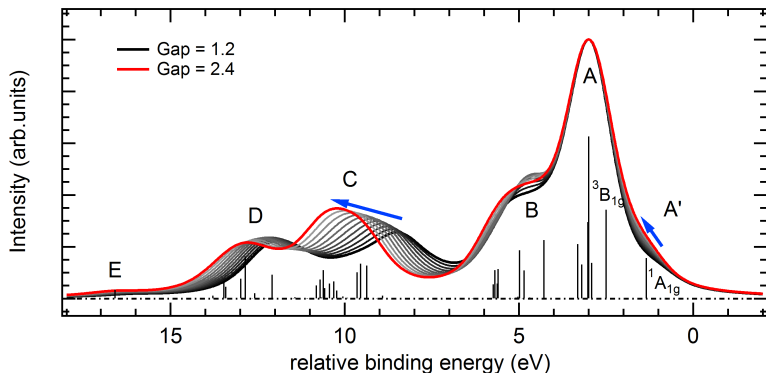
$$S(\rho) = -\sum_n \lambda_n \log(\lambda_n)$$

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$$S(\text{sep.}) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 < S(\text{ent.}) \leq \log\left(\frac{1}{d}\right)$$

Photoemission spectrum of CuO

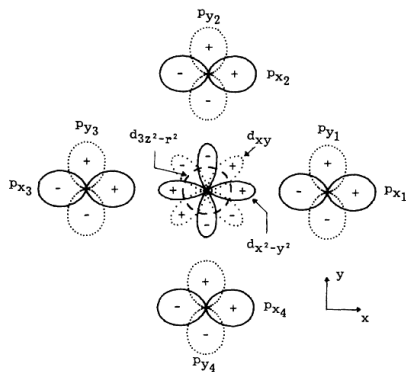
- Each vertical line describes a two-hole state (59 total)
- Variable E_{gap}



The CuO cluster model

3 different orbitals:

- $3d^8$ - 2 holes on Cu
- $3d^9L$ - 1 hole on Cu, 1 hole on O
- $3d^{10}L^2$ - 2 holes on O



Symmetry classes

- States gathered in symmetry classes
- Elements of C depending on parameters that can be changed in experiments

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} {}^3A_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & {}^3E & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & {}^1E & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & {}^1A_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & {}^1A_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & {}^3B_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & {}^1B_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

Parameters can be found in PhysRevB.41.288

How to separate states

3A_2 contains : $|b_1, b_2\rangle, |\underline{b}_1, b_2\rangle, |\underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle, |b_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle, |e_1^2\rangle, |\underline{e}_1, e_1\rangle, |\underline{e}_1^2\rangle$. Thus it appears in C as:

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c} & |b_1, b_2\rangle & |\underline{b}_1, b_2\rangle & |\underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle & |b_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle & |e_1^2\rangle & |\underline{e}_1, e_1\rangle & |\underline{e}_1^2\rangle \\ \hline |b_1, b_2\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |\underline{b}_1, b_2\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |\underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |b_1, \underline{b}_2\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |e_1^2\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |\underline{e}_1, e_1\rangle & & & & & & & \\ \hline |\underline{e}_1^2\rangle & & & & & & & \end{array} \right] \quad (4)$$

How to separate state

Once it is diagonalized, eigenvectors are of the form

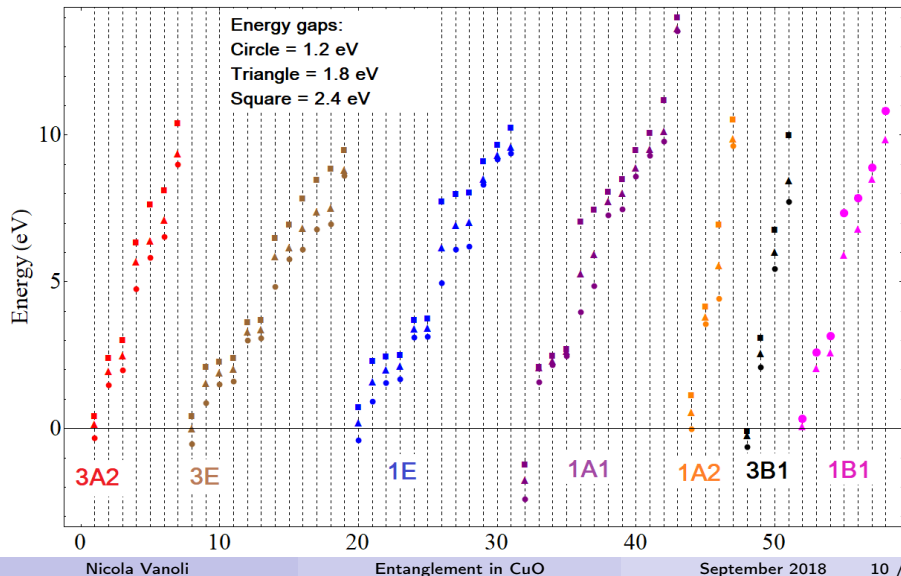
$$|\alpha_1\rangle = \beta_1 |b_1, b_2\rangle + \beta_2 |\underline{b_1}, b_2\rangle \dots \beta_7 |e_1^2\rangle$$

To build the matrix of ONE two particle state:

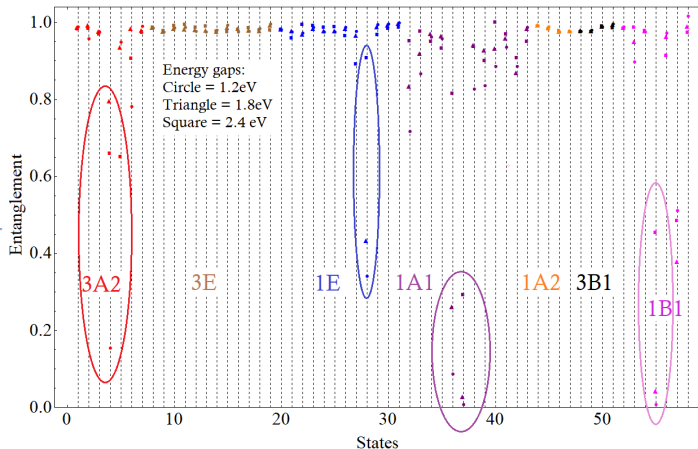
$$state = \begin{bmatrix} & b_1 & \underline{b_1} & b_2 & \underline{b_2} & e_1 & \underline{e_1} \\ b_1 & 0 & 0 & \beta_1 & & & \\ \underline{b_1} & 0 & 0 & & & & \\ b_2 & -\beta_1 & & & & & \\ \underline{b_2} & & & & & & \\ e_1 & & & & & & \\ \underline{e_1} & & & & & & \end{bmatrix} \quad (5)$$

Energy of states

States ordered by energy ($\hat{H}|n\rangle = E_n|n\rangle$)

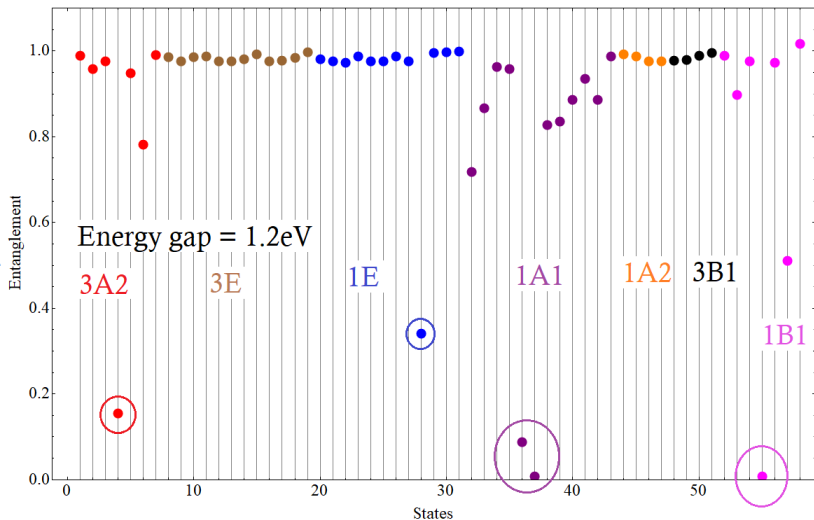


Entanglement



- For most states $\text{Ent.} = 1$
- Different behavior of symmetry classes
- Low $E_{\text{gap}} \rightarrow$ Low entanglement

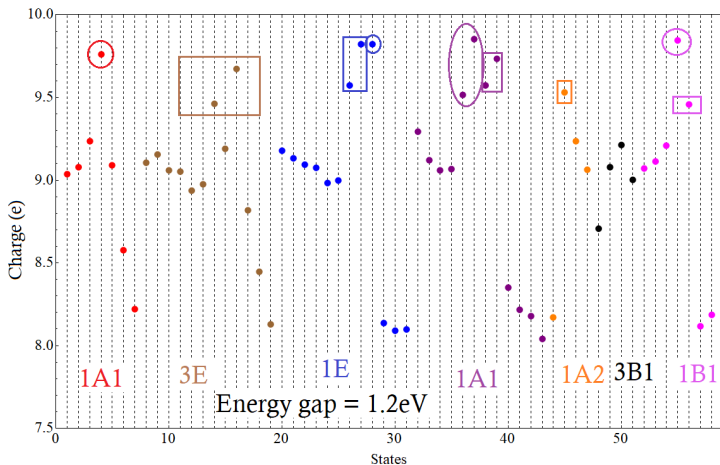
Entanglement (1.2eV)



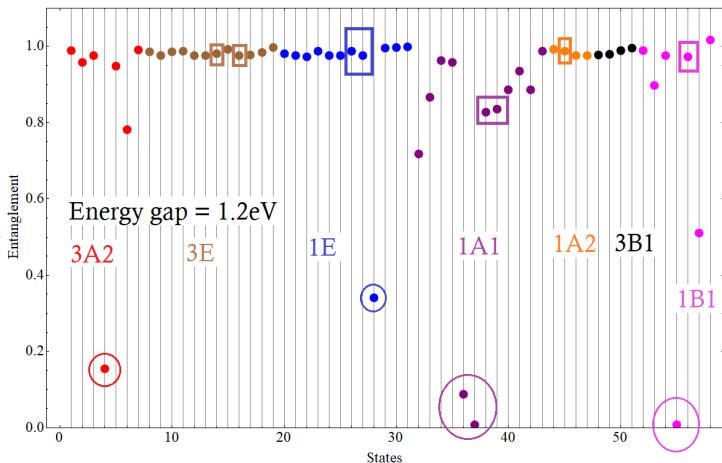
5 states with ent. < 0.4

Charge

- $Q(|\phi\rangle) = 8|\langle 3d^8|\phi\rangle|^2 + 9|\langle 3d^9L|\phi\rangle|^2 + 10|\langle 3d^{10}L^2|\phi\rangle|^2$
- Charge(e) on Cu atom for $E_{gap} = 1.2\text{eV}$
- High charge for multiple states



Entanglement for $E_{gap} = 1.2\text{eV}$



Low entanglement \Rightarrow High charge

High charge \nRightarrow Low entanglement

Conclusions

Most important results:

- Entanglement of 3E, 1A2 and 3B1 hardly affected by E_{gap}
- Low entangled states for $E_{gap} = 1.2\text{eV}$
- Low entanglement \rightarrow High charge

Future researches

- Why do low entangled states have high charge?
- Focus on Zhang-Rice singlet (lowest energy state)

$$3B1 = \begin{array}{cccc} AA-8B & Ta1 & Tb1 & 0 \\ Ta1 & -A+Da1 & 0 & Tb1 \\ Tb1 & 0 & -A+Db1 & Ta1 \\ 0 & Tb1 & Ta1 & -2A+Da1+Db1+Upp \end{array}$$