

$$\text{H.1} \} a) e^{(A+B)\varepsilon} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(A+B)^k \varepsilon^k}{k!} = 1 + (A+B)\varepsilon + \frac{(A+B)^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$= 1 + A\varepsilon + B\varepsilon + \frac{1}{2} (A^2 + AB + BA + B^2) \varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$e^{A\varepsilon} e^{B\varepsilon} e^{-\frac{1}{2}[A,B]\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)} = \left(1 + A\varepsilon + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right) \left(1 + B\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$\cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}[A,B]\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2}[A,B]\varepsilon^2 + B\varepsilon + A\varepsilon + AB\varepsilon^2 + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2}$$

$$+ \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$= 1 + A\varepsilon + B\varepsilon + \frac{AB\varepsilon^2}{2} + \frac{BA\varepsilon^2}{2} + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$= 1 + A\varepsilon + B\varepsilon + \frac{1}{2}(A^2 + AB + BA + B^2)\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$b) e^{A\varepsilon} e^{B\varepsilon} = 1 + B\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + A\varepsilon + AB\varepsilon^2 + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3) \quad \square$$

$$e^{B\varepsilon} e^{A\varepsilon} e^{\frac{1}{2}[A,B]\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)} = \left(1 + B\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$\cdot \left(1 + A\varepsilon + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$\cdot \left(1 + [A,B]\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$= \left(1 + A\varepsilon + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + B\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$\cdot \left(1 + AB\varepsilon^2 + BA\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)\right)$$

$$= 1 + AB\varepsilon^2 + BA\varepsilon^2 + A\varepsilon + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + B\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3)$$

$$= 1 + B\varepsilon + A\varepsilon + \frac{B^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + \frac{A^2 \varepsilon^2}{2} + AB\varepsilon^2 + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^3) \quad \square$$

$$H.1] c) \left( e^{\frac{1}{n}A} e^{\frac{1}{n}B} \right)^n \stackrel{a)}{=} \left( e^{(A+B)\frac{1}{n}} e^{\frac{1}{2n^2}[A,B] + O(\frac{1}{n^3})} \right)^n$$

$$\stackrel{\text{FOR } n \rightarrow \infty}{=} e^{A+B} e^{\frac{1}{2n}[A,B] + O(\frac{1}{n^2})} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{A+B} \quad \square$$

$$d) \quad (b) \rightarrow (e^A e^B)^\varepsilon = (e^B e^A e^{[A,B]\varepsilon})^\varepsilon \quad | \varepsilon |$$

$$e^A e^B = e^B e^A e^{\varepsilon 1} \quad \text{FOR } \varepsilon \rightarrow 1$$

$$e) \quad e^A B e^{-A} \xrightarrow{A \mapsto \varepsilon A} e^{\varepsilon A} B e^{-\varepsilon A} \stackrel{\substack{\text{TS} \\ \text{AROUND} \\ \varepsilon=0}}{=} B + \varepsilon \cdot (A e^{\varepsilon A} B e^{-\varepsilon A} - e^{\varepsilon A} B A e^{-\varepsilon A}) \Big|_{\varepsilon=0}$$

$$\left( \cancel{\varepsilon^2} \right) \left( \cancel{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \left( \cancel{A^2} e^{\varepsilon A} B e^{-\varepsilon A} + e^{\varepsilon A} B A^2 e^{-\varepsilon A} \right) \Big|_{\varepsilon=0} + O(\varepsilon^2)$$

$$= B + \varepsilon (AB - BA)$$

$$+ \varepsilon^2 \left( \frac{1}{2} (A^2 B + B A^2) + O(\varepsilon^3) \right)$$

$$\underbrace{-ABA - ABA}_{\frac{1}{2}[\varepsilon A, [\varepsilon A, B]]}$$

REPLACE  
 $\varepsilon A \mapsto A$

$$= B + [A, B] + \frac{1}{2} [A, [A, B]] + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} [A, B]_k \quad \square$$

$$H.2] \quad H = -\mathcal{J} \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} (c_i^\dagger c_j + c_j^\dagger c_i)$$

$$\underbrace{0 \sim 0 \sim 0}_1 \quad \begin{matrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ \nearrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \nearrow \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$a) \quad \tilde{H} \text{ MATRIX } \in \mathbb{C}^{3 \times 3} \text{ WITH ENTRIES } H_{ij} = \langle i | H | j \rangle$$

$$\text{FOR } i \neq j \neq k \neq i \quad H_{ij} = \langle i | -\mathcal{J} (c_i^\dagger c_j + c_j^\dagger c_i + c_j^\dagger c_k + c_k^\dagger c_j + c_k^\dagger c_i + c_i^\dagger c_k) | j \rangle$$

$$= \langle i | -\mathcal{J} (|1\rangle + 0 + 0 + |k\rangle + 0 + 0)$$

$$= (\underbrace{\langle i | 1 \rangle}_1 + \underbrace{\langle i | k \rangle}_0) \cdot (-\mathcal{J}) = -\mathcal{J}$$

$$H_{ii} = \mathcal{J} \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} (c_i^\dagger c_j + c_j^\dagger c_i) | i \rangle = \mathcal{J} \cdot (\langle i | 0 + |j\rangle + 0 + 0 + |k\rangle + 0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{H} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\mathcal{J} & -\mathcal{J} \\ -\mathcal{J} & 0 & -\mathcal{J} \\ -\mathcal{J} & -\mathcal{J} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H2] \text{ a. } \cancel{\text{b.}} \quad \det(\tilde{H} - \lambda \mathbb{1}) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 0 = -\lambda(+\lambda^2 - J^2) + J(-J^2) \\ \left| \begin{array}{c} -J(-J^2) \\ \hline \end{array} \right. \\ = -\lambda^3 + \lambda J^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 0$$

$$0 = -\lambda^2 + J^2 \Rightarrow \lambda_{2,3} = \pm J$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{H}_{\text{diag}} = \begin{pmatrix} J & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c) (\tilde{H} - \lambda \mathbb{1}) \cdot \vec{v} = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} J & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -J \end{pmatrix} \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} Jv_1^1 \\ 0 \\ -Jv_1^3 \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{!}{=} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{ARBITRARY } v_1^1, \\ v_1^1 = v_1^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_1^1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -J & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2J \end{pmatrix} \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ Jv_2^2 \\ -2Jv_2^3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} v_2^2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_3 \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2J & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & J & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2Jv_3^1 \\ Jv_3^2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ v_3^3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{H}_{\text{diag}} = \begin{pmatrix} J\vec{v}_2 & 0\vec{v}_1 & -J\vec{v}_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$d) \quad U(t) = \underset{H=\tilde{H}}{e^{-iHt}} = \mathbb{1} - itH - \frac{t^2 H^2}{2} + \dots$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \vec{v}_2 | \vec{v}_1 | \vec{v}_3 \end{pmatrix} - it \begin{pmatrix} J\vec{v}_2 | 0 | -J\vec{v}_3 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{t^2}{2} \begin{pmatrix} J^2\vec{v}_2 | 0 | J^2\vec{v}_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \vec{v}_2 - itJ\vec{v}_2 - \frac{t^2}{2}J^2\vec{v}_2 & \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_3(1+itJ - \frac{t^2}{2}J^2 + \dots) \end{pmatrix}$$

H.3]

a)  $L=2$ :  $\{ |-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle \}$

$L=3$ :  $\{ |-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle, |-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle, |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle \}$

b)  $S_j^i = \underbrace{\mathbb{1} \otimes \dots \otimes S_j^i \otimes \dots \otimes \mathbb{1}}_{L-1}, i \in \{x, y, z\}, j \in \{0, 1, \dots, L-1\}$

(ACTS ON  $j$ th PARTICLE)

SPIN UP  $:= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}$  SPIN DOWN  $:= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  (SPINORS)

Denote basis states as  $|m_1^s, m_2^s\rangle$  for  $L=2$ ,  $|m_1^s, m_2^s, m_3^s\rangle$  for  $L=3$ , respectively

$L=2$ :  $S_0^x = S_0^x \otimes \mathbb{1}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$S_1^x = S_1^x \otimes \mathbb{1}_2 \otimes S_1^x = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   $\left( S_0^x = S_2^x \text{ (FOR PERIODIC BOUNDARY CONDITIONS)} \right)$

AND SIMILAR FOR  $S_j^y$  &  $S_j^z$

$H = J (S_0^x S_1^x + S_0^y S_1^y + S_0^z S_1^z) + S_1^x S_2^x + S_1^y S_2^y + S_1^z S_2^z$

$= J \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 & 0 \\ i & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

REWRITE BASIS:  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

$\Rightarrow \langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} | H | \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \rangle = H_{11} = \langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} | J \left[ S_0^x \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_1^x \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + S_0^y \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_1^y \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + S_0^z \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_1^z \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + S_1^x \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_2^x \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + S_1^y \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_2^y \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + S_1^z \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes S_2^z \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right]$

ONLY IF PER. BOUND. COND.

$$H_{11} = \underbrace{\left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)}_{\langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} |} \frac{3}{4} \left[ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right. \\ \left. + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right]$$

ONLY IF PER. BOUND. COND.

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left[ 1 + \underbrace{1}_{\text{ONLY IF PER. BOUND. COND.}} \right]$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$H_{44} = \langle -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} | H | -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \rangle = \langle -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} | \frac{3}{4} \left[ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right] \right.$$

IFF PER. B.C.

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left[ \underbrace{1 + 1}_{\text{IFF P.B.C.}} \right]$$

$$H_{22} = \langle \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} | H | \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \rangle = \langle \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} | \frac{3}{4} \left[ S_0^x \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_1^x \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) + S_0^y \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_1^y \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) + S_0^z \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_1^z \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + S_1^x \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_0^x \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) + S_1^y \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_0^y \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) + S_1^z \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) S_0^z \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \right] \right.$$

IFF P.B.C.

$$= \langle \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} | \frac{3}{4} \left[ \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} -i & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \right] \right.$$

IFF P.B.C.

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left[ \underbrace{-1 + 1}_{\text{IFF P.B.C.}} \right]$$



$$H_{33} = \langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} | H | -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \rangle = \langle -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} | \frac{7}{4} \left[ \begin{aligned} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ & + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right] \rangle$$

$$= \frac{7}{4} \left[ -1 \quad \underbrace{+1}_{\text{IFF P.B.C.}} \right]$$

~~$$H = \frac{7}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{WITH OPEN BOUND. COND.}$$~~

~~$$H = \frac{7}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{WITH PER. BOUND. COND.}$$~~

~~$$L=3: H = \frac{7}{4} (S_0^x S_1^x + S_0^y S_1^y + S_0^z S_1^z + S_1^x S_2^x + S_1^y S_2^y + S_1^z S_2^z + S_2^x S_3^x + S_2^y S_3^y + S_2^z S_3^z)$$~~
~~$$H_{11} = \langle \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} | H | \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \rangle$$~~

$$H_{12} = \langle +- | H | ++ \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 0] = 0$$

$$H_{13} = \langle -+ | H | ++ \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [0 + 0 + 0 + 0] = 0$$

$$H_{14} = \langle -- | H | ++ \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [1 - 1 + 0 + 1 - 1 + 0] = 0$$

IFF P.B.C.

$$H_{42} = H_{43} = H_{44} = 0$$

$$H_{21} = \langle ++ | H | +- \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 0] = 0$$

$$= H_{31} = H_{24} = H_{34}$$

$$H_{23} = \langle -+ | H | +- \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [1 + 1 + 0 + 0 + 0 - 1] = \begin{cases} 2, \text{ OPEN BOUND.} \\ 1, \text{ PER. BOUND.} \end{cases}$$

IFF P.B.C.

$$H_{32} = \langle +- | H | -+ \rangle = \frac{7}{4} [1 + 1 + 0 + 0 + 0 - 1] = \begin{cases} 2, \text{ O.P. BOUND.} \\ 1, \text{ PER. BOUND.} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow H_2^{\text{open}} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

OPEN BOUNDARIES

$$H_2^{\text{per}} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

PER. BOUND. COND.

For  $L=3$  ONLY OPEN BOUNDARIES:

$$H_3 = \frac{1}{4} (S_0^x S_1^x + S_0^y S_1^y + S_0^z S_1^z + S_1^x S_2^x + S_1^y S_2^y + S_1^z S_2^z)$$

~~$+ S_2^x S_3^x + S_2^y S_3^y + S_2^z S_3^z$~~

DOESN'T CONTRIBUTE

$\tilde{H} = H_3$   
Matrix  $\in \mathbb{R}^{8 \times 8}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \langle +++ | H | +++ \rangle & \langle ++- | H | +++ \rangle & \langle +-+ | H | +++ \rangle \\ \langle +++ | H | ++- \rangle & \langle ++- | H | ++- \rangle & \langle +-+ | H | ++- \rangle \\ \langle +++ | H | +-+ \rangle & & \\ \langle ++- | H | +-+ \rangle & & \\ \langle +-+ | H | +-+ \rangle & & \\ \langle +-+ | H | ++- \rangle & & \\ \langle +-+ | H | +++ \rangle & & \\ \langle +++ | H | --- \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$\langle --- | H | +++ \rangle$

$\langle --- | H | --- \rangle$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$