

An Intro to OSQAT - adiabatic master equation

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0.1 Single qubit annealing

In this example, we will try to recreate the example in this paper: [Decoherence in adiabatic quantum computation](#). The Hamiltonian is

$$H(s) = -\frac{1}{2}(1-s)\sigma_x - \frac{1}{2}s\sigma_z.$$

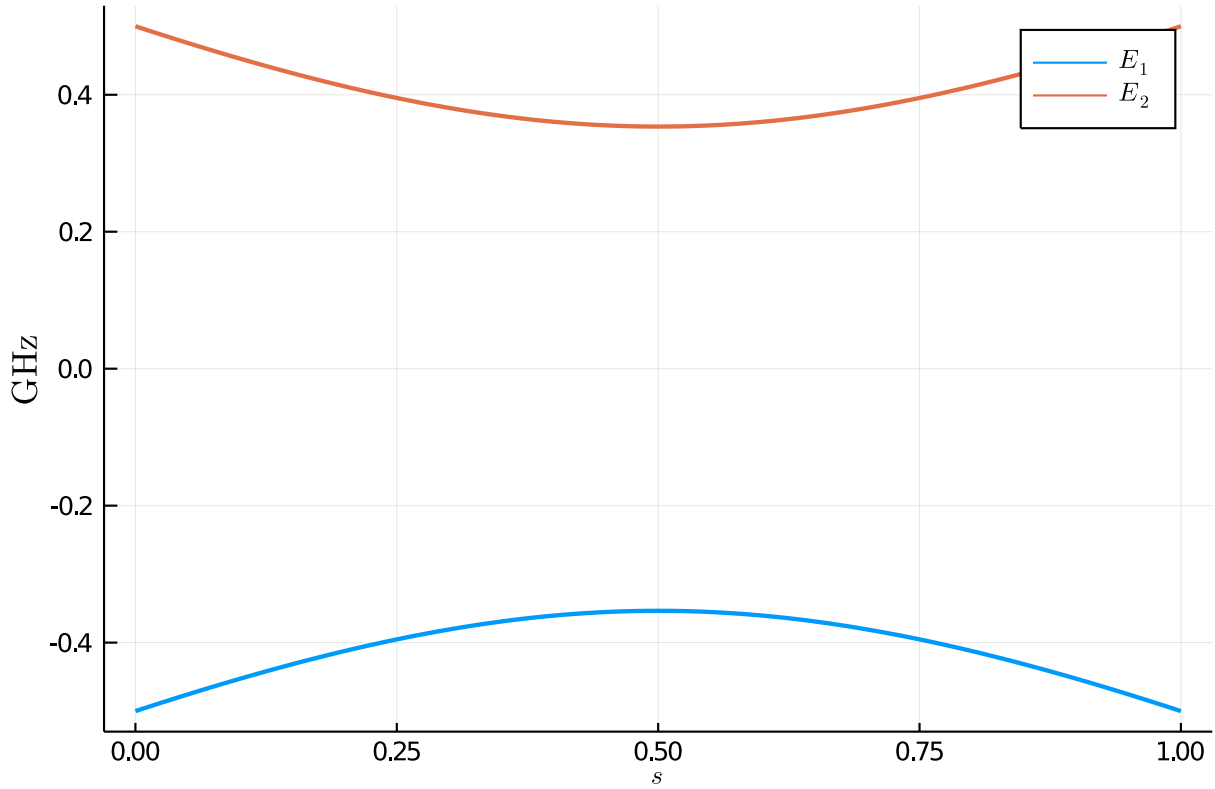
The following code block construct this Hamiltonian

```
using QuantumAnnealingTools, OrdinaryDiffEq, Plots
H = DenseHamiltonian([(s)->1-s, (s)->s], -[σx, σz]/2)
```

```
DenseHamiltonian with Complex{Float64}
with size: (2, 2)
```

This package directly interacts with [Plots.jl](#) by defining [recipes](#). We can look at the spectrum of the Hamiltonian by directly plotting the object:

```
# this plot recipe is for conviniently plotting the spectrum of the Hamltonian
# the first 3 arguments are: the Hamiltonian, the grid `s` and the levels to keep
plot(H, 0:0.01:1, 2, linewidth=2)
```



0.1.1 Unit (\hbar or \hbar)

There is a keyword argument `unit` for the constructor of any Hamiltonian object, whose default value is `:h`. This argument specifies the unit of other input arguments. For example, setting `unit` to `:h` means other input argument is in GHz, while setting it to `:ħ` means the unit is in 2π GHz. To evaluate the value of Hamiltonian object at a given time, it is recommended to use `evaluate` function instead of directly calling the object. This will also return the value in the unit system of $\hbar = 1$.

```
H_h = DenseHamiltonian([(s)->1-s, (s)->s], -[σx, σz]/2, unit=:h)
H_ħ = DenseHamiltonian([(s)->1-s, (s)->s], -[σx, σz]/2, unit=:ħ)
println("Setting unit to :h")
```

Setting unit to :h

```
@show evaluate(H_h, 0.5)
```

```
evaluate(H_h, 0.5) = Complex{Float64}[-0.25 + 0.0im -0.25 + 0.0im; -0.25 +
0.0im 0.25 + 0.0im]
```

```
println("Setting unit to :ħ")
```

Setting unit to :ħ

```
@show evaluate(H_ħ, 0.5);
```

```
evaluate(H_ħ, 0.5) = Complex{Float64}[-0.039788735772973836 + 0.0im -0.0397
88735772973836 + 0.0im; -0.039788735772973836 + 0.0im 0.039788735772973836
+ 0.0im]
2×2 StaticArrays.MArray{Tuple{2,2},Complex{Float64},2,4} with indices SOneT
o(2)×SOneTo(2):
```

```
-0.0397887+0.0im -0.0397887+0.0im
-0.0397887+0.0im  0.0397887+0.0im
```

Internally, this package use a unit system of $\hbar = 1$. If we call `H_h` directly, we can see that the value is scaled by 2π .

```
H_h(0.5)
```

```
2×2 StaticArrays.MArray{Tuple{2,2},Complex{Float64},2,4} with indices SOneT
o(2)×SOneTo(2):
-1.5708+0.0im -1.5708+0.0im
-1.5708+0.0im  1.5708+0.0im
```

0.1.2 Annealing

The total Hamiltonian is

$$H(s) = H_S(s) + gS \otimes B + H_B .$$

We denote S the coupling and $\{gB, H_B\}$ the bath.

Coupling For constant coupling operators, we can use constructor `ConstantCouplings`. Like the case of Hamiltonian, there will be a keyword argument `unit` to specify the input unit.

```
coupling = ConstantCouplings(["Z"])
```

`ConstantCouplings` with `AbstractArray{T,2}` where `T` and string representation: `["Z"]`

Bath A bath instance can be any object which implement three methods:

1. Correlation function: `correlation(τ , bath)`
2. Spectrum density: `$\gamma(\omega$, bath)`
3. Lamb shift: `S(ω , bath)`

Those three methods are required by Redfield/Adiabatic ME solvers. Currently we have built in support for Ohmic bath. An Ohmic bath object can be created by :

```
 $\eta$  = 1e-4
fc = 4
T = 16
bath = Ohmic( $\eta$ , fc, T)
```

```
Ohmic bath instance:
 $\eta$  (unitless): 0.0001
 $\omega_c$  (GHz): 4.0
T (mK): 16.0
```

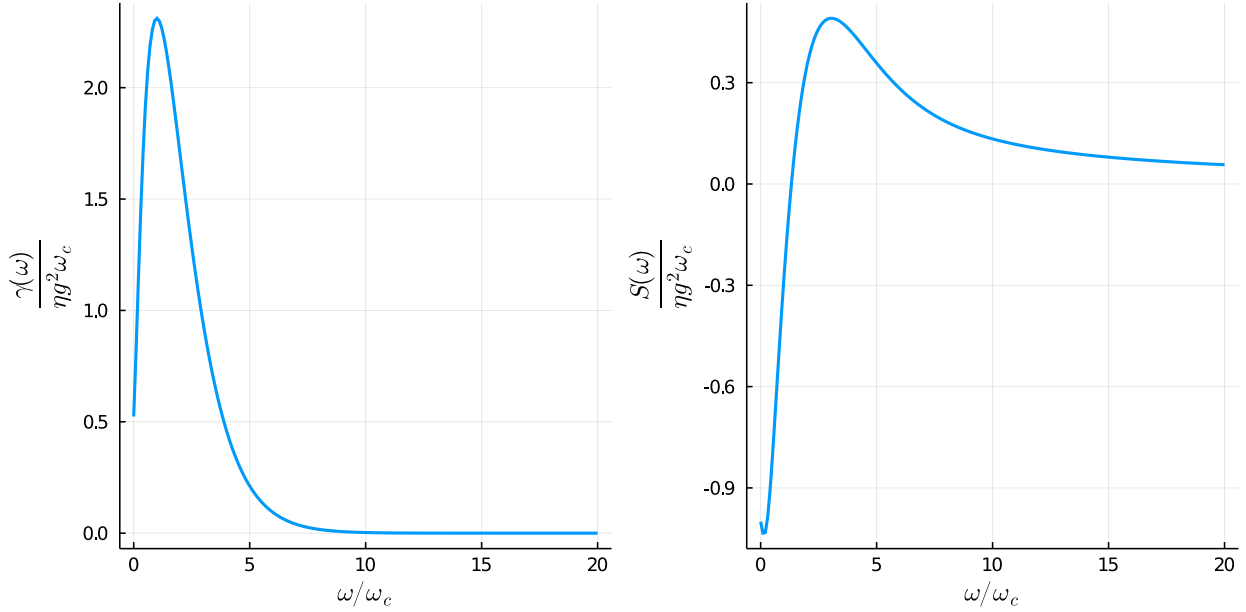
`info_freq` is a convenient function to convert each quantities into the same unit.

```
info_freq(bath)
```

ω_c (GHz): 4.0
T (GHz): 0.33338579560200365

We can also directly plot the spectrum density of Ohmic bath

```
p1 = plot(bath, :γ, range(0,20,length=200), label="", size=(800, 400), linewidth=2)
p2 = plot(bath, :S, range(0,20,length=200), label="", size=(800, 400), linewidth=2)
plot(p1, p2, layout=(1,2), left_margin=3Plots.Measures.mm)
```



Annealing object Finally, we can assemble the annealing object by

```
# Hamiltonian
H = DenseHamiltonian([(s)->1-s, (s)->s], -[σx, σz]/2, unit=:ħ)
# initial state
u0 = PauliVec[1][1]
# coupling
coupling = ConstantCouplings(["Z"], unit=:ħ)
# bath
bath = Ohmic(1e-4, 4, 16)
annealing = Annealing(H, u0; coupling=coupling, bath=bath)
```

```
Annealing with hType QTBBase.DenseHamiltonian{Complex{Float64}} and uType Ar
ray{Complex{Float64},1}
u0 with size: (2,)
```

Because we want to compare our results to the [reference paper](#), we need to set the unit to $\hbar = 1$.

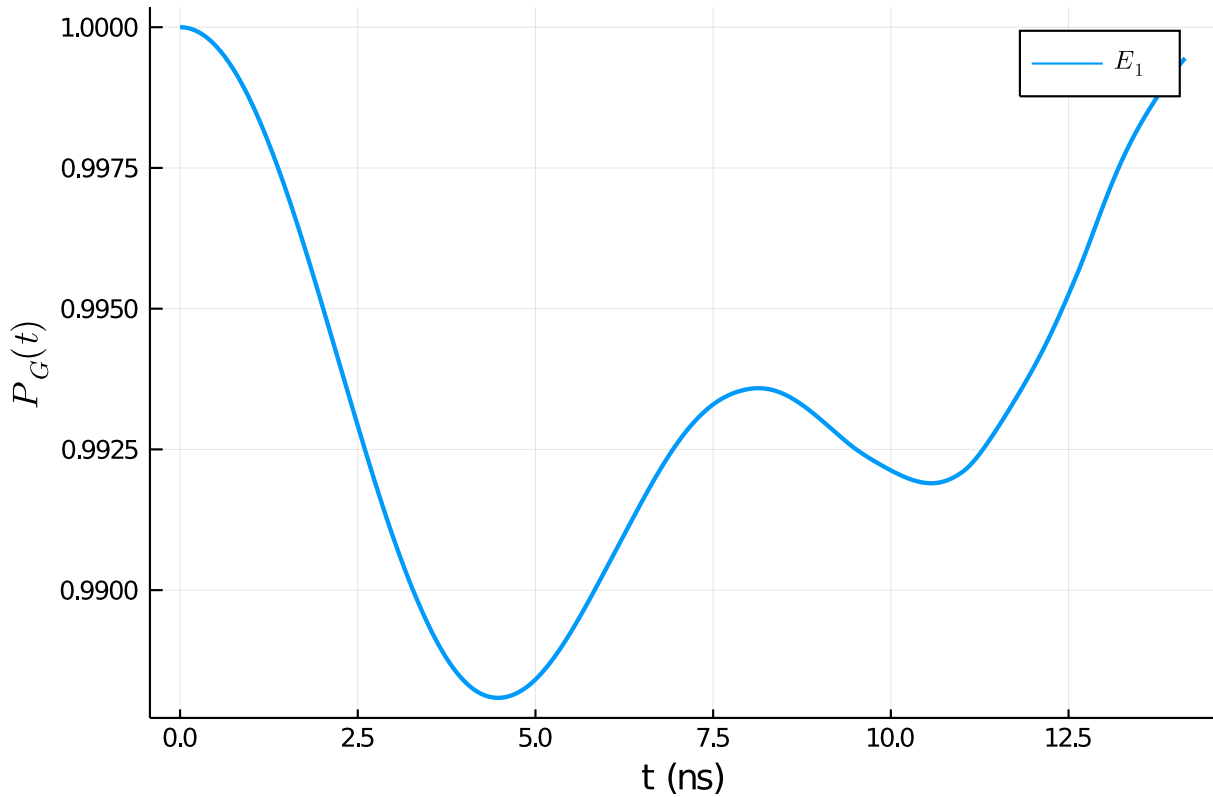
0.1.3 Closed system

Currently there are several interface to the solvers which might be handy. The first one is the solver for Schrodinger equation.

```
tf = 10*sqrt(2)
@time sol = solve_schrodinger(annealing, tf, alg=Tsit5(), retol=1e-4)
```

```
0.004331 seconds (2.51 k allocations: 150.972 KiB)
```

```
# a convinient plot recipe to plot the instantaneous population during the evolution
# currently only support Hamiltonian with annealing parameter s = t/tf from 0 to 1.
plot(sol, H, [1], 0:0.01:tf, linewidth=2, xlabel = "t (ns)", ylabel="\$P_G(t)\$")
```



The solution is an `ODESolution` object in `DifferentialEquations.jl` package. More details for the interface can be found [here](#). The value of state vector at a given time can be obtained by directly calling the `ODESolution` object.

```
sol(0.5)
```

```
2-element Array{Complex{Float64},1}:
 0.6856253144209079 + 0.1750041214939618im
 0.6861430138705714 + 0.1688172359560306im
```

other interface includes

```
# You need to solve the unitary first before trying to solve Redfield equation
@time U = solve_unitary(annealing, tf, alg=Tsit5(), abstol=1e-8, retol=1e-8);

@time solve_von_neumann(annealing, tf, alg=Tsit5(), abstol=1e-8, retol=1e-8);
```

0.1.4 Open System

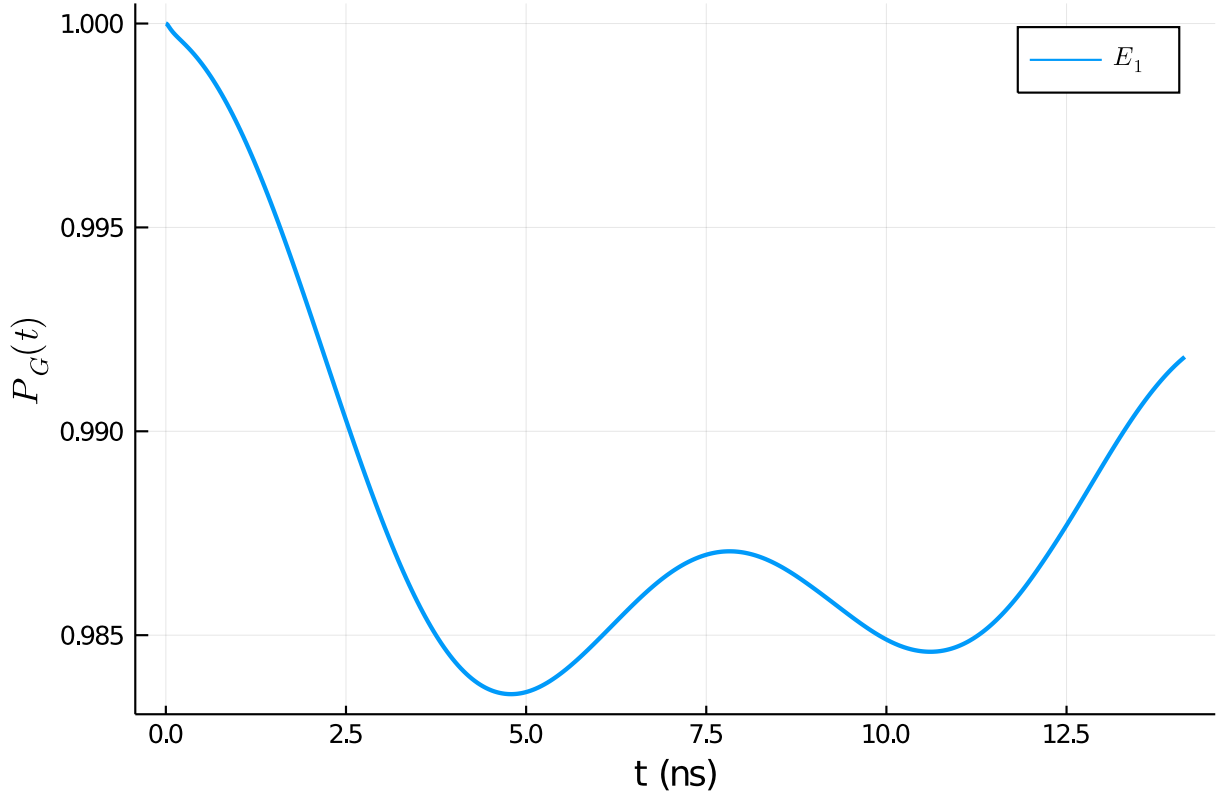
Time dependent Redfield equation The time depedent Redfield equation interface needs

1. Annealing object
2. Total annealing time

3. Pre-calculated unitary

All the other keyword arguments in `solver options` are supported.

```
tf = 10*sqrt(2)
U = solve_unitary(annealing, tf, alg=Tsit5(), abstol=1e-8, retol=1e-8);
sol = solve_redfield(annealing, tf, U; alg=Tsit5(), abstol=1e-8, retol=1e-8)
plot(sol, H, [1], 0:0.01:tf, linewidth=2, xlabel="t (ns)", ylabel="\$P_G(t)\$")
```



Adiabatic master equation The adiabatic master equation interface needs

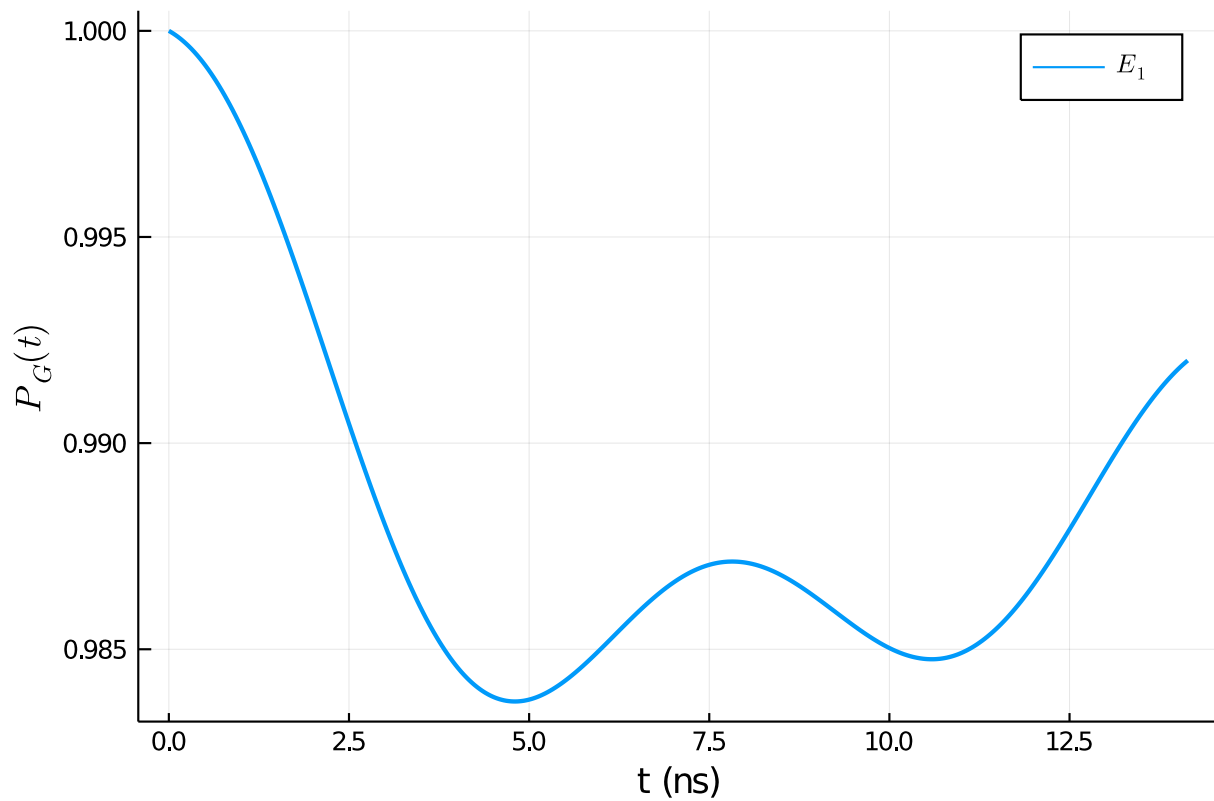
1. Annealing object
2. Total Annealing time

Besides other keyword arguments supported in `DifferentialEquations`, it is highly recommended to add the `ω_hint` keyword argument. By doing this, the solver will pre-compute the lamb shift $S(\omega)$ within given range to speed up the computation.

```
tf = 10*sqrt(2)
@time sol = solve_ame(annealing, tf; alg=Tsit5(), ω_hint=range(-6, 6, length=100),
reitol=1e-4)
```

0.011290 seconds (193.69 k allocations: 4.293 MiB)

```
plot(sol, H, [1], 0:0.01:tf, linewidth=2, xlabel="t (ns)", ylabel="\$P_G(t)\$")
```

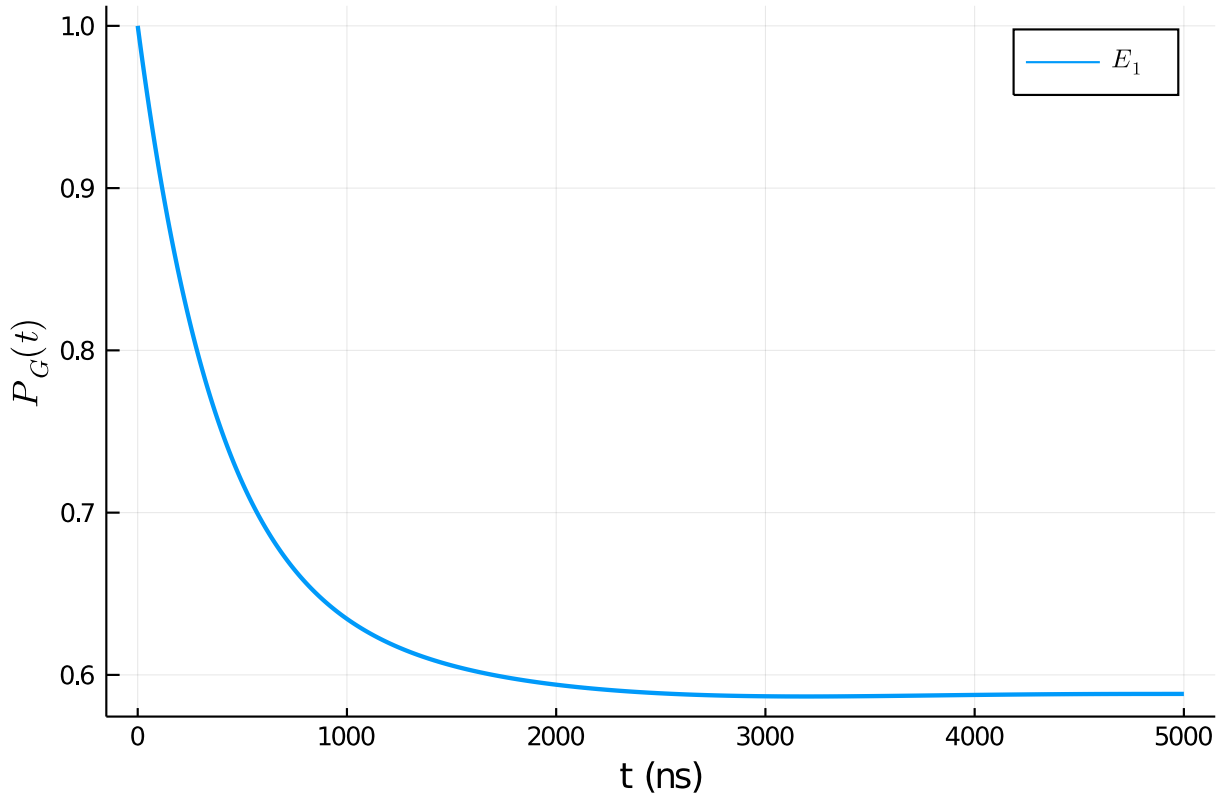


We can solve for a longer anneal time:

```
tf = 5000
@time sol_ame = solve_ame(annealing, tf; alg=Tsit5(), ω_hint=range(-6, 6, length=100),
reltol=1e-4)
```

0.126489 seconds (1.48 M allocations: 75.956 MiB, 17.96% gc time)

```
plot(sol_ame, H, [1], 0:1:tf, linewidth=2, xlabel="t (ns)", ylabel="\$P_G(t)\$")
```



The above results agree with Fig 2 of the [reference paper](#).

Trajectory method for adiabatic master equation The package also supports the trajectory method for AME. More details of this method can be found in this [paper](#). The basic workflow is to create ODE [EnsembleProblem](#) via `build_ensembles` interface. Then, the resulting ensemble problem can be solved by the native [Parallel Ensemble Simulations](#) interface of `DifferentialEquations.jl`. The following code block solves the same $t_f = 5000(ns)$ annealing above with 1000 trajectories.

```
tf = 5000
prob = build_ensembles(annealing, tf, :ame, ω_hint=range(-6, 6, length=100))
# to use multi-threads, you need to start Julia kernel with multiple threads
sol = solve(prob, Tsit5(), EnsembleThreads(), trajectories=1000, reltol=1e-4,
saveat=range(0,1,length=100))

s_axis = range(0,tf,length=100)
dataset = []
for s in s_axis
    w, v = eigen_decomp(H, s/tf)
    push!(dataset, [abs2(normalize(so(s, continuity=:right)))' * v[:, 1]) for so in sol])
end

# the following code average over all the trajectories
pop_mean = []
pop_rmse = []
for data in dataset
    p_mean = sum(data)/1000
    p_rmse = sqrt(sum((x)->(x-p_mean)^2, data))/1000
    push!(pop_mean, p_mean)
    push!(pop_rmse, p_rmse)
end
```



```

scatter(s_axis, pop_mean, marker=:d, yerror=pop_rmse, label="Trajectory", markersize=6)
plot!(sol_ame, H, [1], s_axis, linewidth=2, label="Non-trajectory")
xlabel!("t (ns)")
ylabel!("PG(s)")

```

