

Small-o tricks

For PEPS, the parameter index α factorizes as

$$\alpha \equiv (\mathbf{x}, p, lrd u)$$

where \mathbf{x} is the site index, p is the physical index and $lrd u$ are the virtual indices.

There is a fact:

$$O[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} = 0 \text{ if } p \neq s(\mathbf{x})$$

One thus only keeps non-zero elements in Jacobians $o[\mathbf{x}](s)_{lrd u} = O[\mathbf{x}](s)_{s(\mathbf{x}), lrd u}$. The point is in how to use these small-os' to reconstruct $O^\dagger O$ or OO^\dagger and choose different implementations for a better tradeoff between memory and efficiency.

SR

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_s O_{\alpha s}^\dagger O_{s \alpha'} &= \sum_s O^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} O[\mathbf{x}'](s)_{p', l' r' d' u'} \\ &= \sum_s O^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} O[\mathbf{x}'](s)_{p', l' r' d' u'} \mathbf{1}[p = s(\mathbf{x})] \mathbf{1}[p' = s(\mathbf{x}')] \\ &= \sum_s \underbrace{o^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s)_{lrd u} \mathbf{1}[p = s(\mathbf{x})]}_{\tilde{o}_{\text{SR}}^\dagger} \underbrace{o[\mathbf{x}'](s)_{l' r' d' u'} \mathbf{1}[p' = s(\mathbf{x}')] }_{\tilde{o}_{\text{SR}}} \end{aligned}$$

minSR

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_\alpha O_{s\alpha} O_{\alpha s'}^\dagger &= \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \sum_p \sum_{lrd u} O[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} O^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s')_{p, lrd u} \\ &= \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \sum_p \sum_{lrd u} O[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} O^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s')_{p, lrd u} \mathbf{1}[p = s(\mathbf{x})] \mathbf{1}[p = s'(\mathbf{x})] \\ &= \sum_p \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \sum_{lrd u} \underbrace{o[\mathbf{x}](s)_{lrd u} \mathbf{1}[p = s(\mathbf{x})]}_{\tilde{o}_{\text{minSR}}} \underbrace{o^\dagger[\mathbf{x}](s')_{lrd u} \mathbf{1}[p = s'(\mathbf{x})]}_{\tilde{o}_{\text{minSR}}^\dagger} \end{aligned}$$

which is exactly the small-o trick in minSR, with a mere difference that one has no need to store a $N_s \times N_p$ sample tensor. But maybe in practice one might prefer calculating a $N_s \times N_p$ sample tensor for a better dense GEMM.

enumeration order

For the small-o trick, one enumerates over p first, which replace . One can also consider other enumeration orders. replace \sum_p first: One $(N_s, N_p) \times (N_p, N_s)$ GEMM with:

- \sum_p first: $\rightarrow \dim(p)$ -many $\left(N_s, \frac{N_p}{\dim(p)}\right) \times \left(\frac{N_p}{\dim(p)}, N_s\right)$ ones
- \sum_x first: $\rightarrow n_{\text{site}}$ -many $\left(N_s, \frac{N_p}{n_{\text{site}}}\right) \times \left(\frac{N_p}{n_{\text{site}}}, N_s\right)$ ones

I think one should follow the principle that:

1. Gradients should be recorded as block-sparse.
2. If you have enough memory, enumerate over the index with the smallest dimension (e.g. $\dim(p) = 2$ for qubits) for large dense GEMMs.

LGT

For gauge-invariant PEPS, the gradients are extremely sparse:

$$O[\mathbf{x}](s)_{p, lrd u} = 0 \text{ if } p \neq s(\mathbf{x}) \text{ and } lrd u \notin \text{virtual space specified by}$$

PEPS with nearest blockade

Require all virtual spaces to be a direct sum: $V_0 \oplus V_1$.

$$A_{p,lrdu} \neq 0 \text{ for}$$

p	u	l	d	r
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The number of parameters is $O()$