

# Matrix product states, DMRG, and tensor networks

$$\psi^{n_1 n_2} = A^{n_1} A^{n_2}$$

no entanglement    local realism    independent

$$\psi^{n_1 n_2} = \sum_i A_i^{n_1} A_i^{n_2}$$

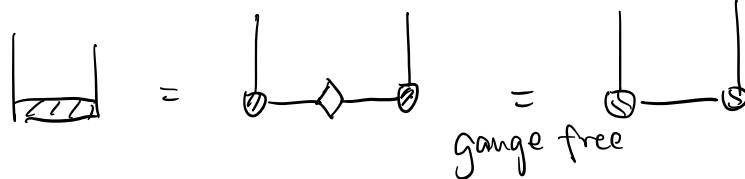
low entanglement in this form means that small number of terms in the sum.

for matrix we do them as

$$\psi^{n_1 n_2} = \sum_i L_i^{n_1} \sigma_i R_i^{n_2}$$

$$\sum_n L_i^{n_1} L_j^{n_2} = \delta_{ij}$$

$$\sum_n R_i^{n_1} R_j^{n_2} = \delta_{ij}$$



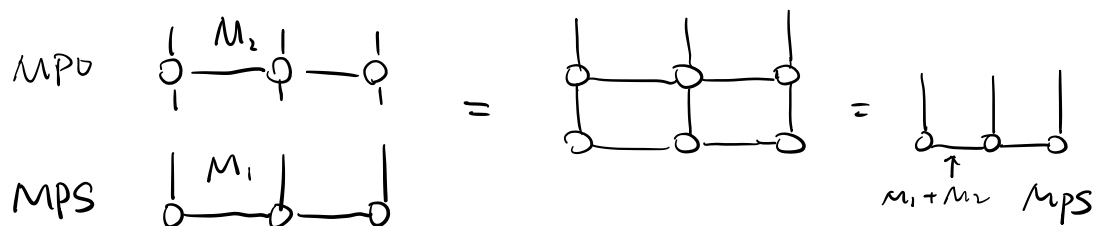
MPO matrix product operator

operator entanglement

① Four sites system

$$\bigcirc \quad \bigcirc \quad \bigcirc \quad \bigcirc \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathcal{H} = \sum_{\{ij\}} \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \mathbf{S}_j$$

$$② \quad H_L \otimes I_R + I_L \otimes H_R + \sum_{\alpha=x,y,z} S_2^\alpha \cdot S_3^\alpha$$



$M_1, M_2$  : bond dimension

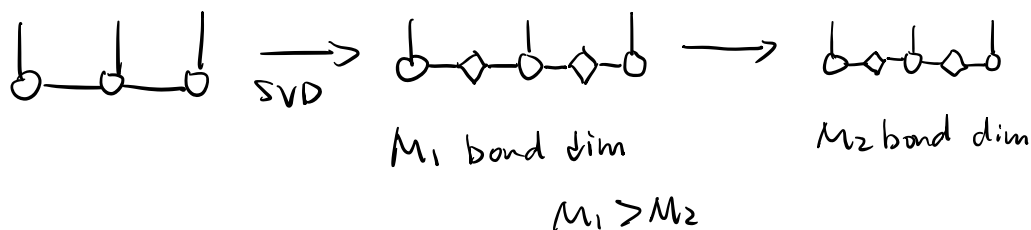
↓ so MPO x MPS increase bond dim

approximate MPS with smaller bond dim :  
compression

Compression :

Before :

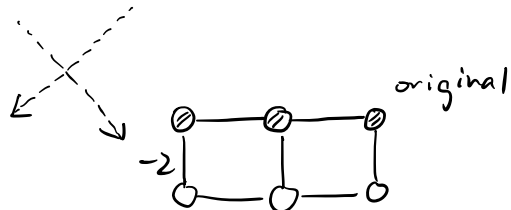
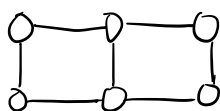
Arbitrary state :



Now variational compression (DMRG)

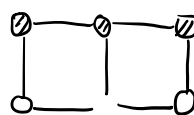
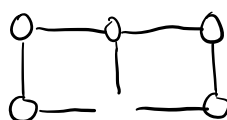
$$1^{\circ} \min_{\bar{\Phi}} \langle \underbrace{\psi \dots \Phi}_{\text{original}} | \psi \dots \bar{\Phi} \rangle = \min_{\bar{\Phi}} [-2 \langle \bar{\Phi} | \psi \rangle + \langle \bar{\Phi} | \bar{\Phi} \rangle]$$

2<sup>o</sup>



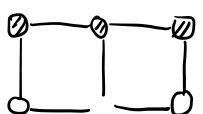
3<sup>o</sup>

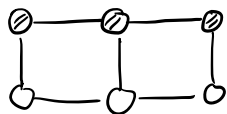
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial b}$$



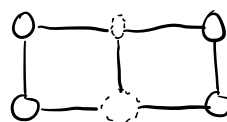
?  $\bigcirc \rightarrow A_{ij}^n \equiv \alpha[n_{ij}] \quad \alpha[n_{ij}] \rightarrow \alpha[n_{ij}] + \epsilon g[n_{ij}]$

4<sup>o</sup> consider  $\bigcirc$  as vector  $A_{ij}^n \triangleq a$

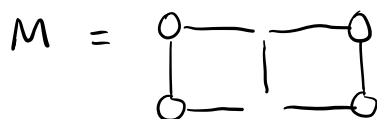
then  is vector b



$$= b^T a$$



$$= a^T M a \quad \text{where}$$

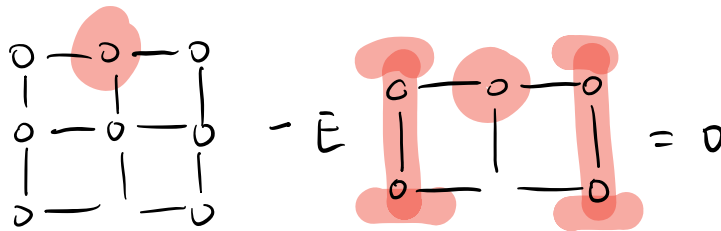


$$\min_a (a^T M a - b^T a) \Rightarrow M a = b$$

Energy optimization and ground states. (DMRG)

$$\textcircled{1} \min_{\psi} [\langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle - E \langle \psi | \psi \rangle]$$

$$\textcircled{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \psi} \langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle - E \langle \psi | \psi \rangle = 0$$



$$\textcircled{3} H a = E a$$

Time evolution

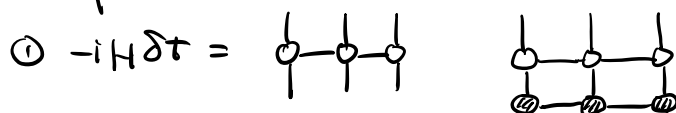
real time evolution

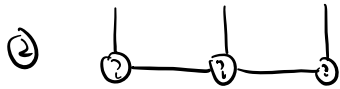
$$|\Phi(\delta t)\rangle = \exp(-iH\delta t)|\Phi(0)\rangle$$

① evolve  $\delta t$

② compression to reduce entanglement and bond dimension

③ repeat





Short range  $H$ : Trotter form

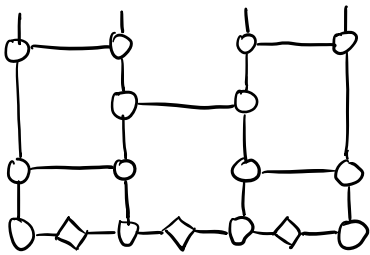
①  $e^{-\delta H} = e^{-\delta S_1 \cdot S_2} e^{-\delta S_2 \cdot S_3} \dots + O(\delta^2)$

② Trotter decomposition

or

⚡ Even - odd evolution

time evolution can be broken into even and odd bonds



⚡ + ⚡ : Time-evolving  
block decimation (TEBD)

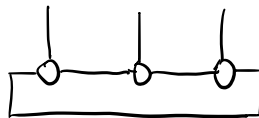
⚡ SVD compression

Periodic and finite MPS

Finite MPS

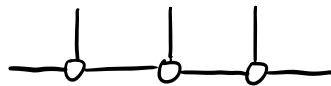


Periodic MPS



(satisfies thermodynamic  
limit)

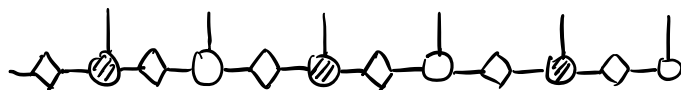
infinite MPS



## Infinite TEBD

Local algorithms such as TEBD easy to extend to infinite MPS.

Unit cell = 2 site infinite MPS



## Symmetry (group)

Given global symmetry group, local site basis can be labelled by irreps of group - quantum numbers.

$U(1)$  - site basis labelled by integer  $n$  (particle number)

$SU(2)$  - site basis labelled by  $j, m$  (spin quanta)  $|j, m\rangle$

Total state associated with good quantum numbers

$$|\Psi\rangle = |\Psi(n, j, m)\rangle$$

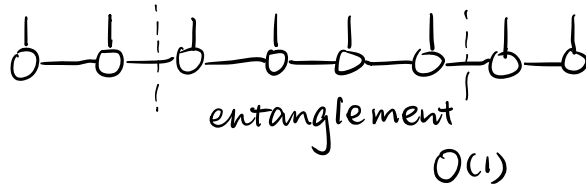
eg. particle number symmetry

$$\begin{array}{c} \leftarrow \text{Labelled by integer } n \\ \hline \text{---} \text{O} \text{---} \\ \text{q}_i \quad \text{q}_j \end{array}$$

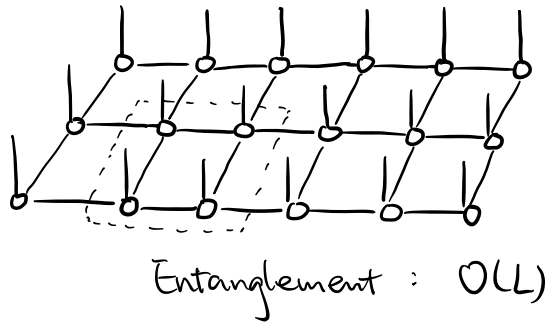
MPS: well defined Abelian symmetry, each tensor fulfils rule  $\sum q_{in} = \sum q_{out}$

# MPS and PEPS

MPS



2D PEPS (projected entangle pair states)

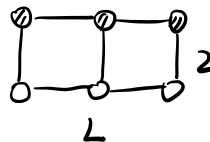


PEPS generate area law entanglement in any dimension

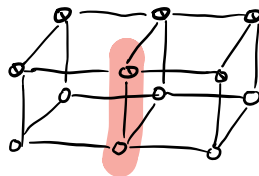
PEPS Contractions (1)

presence of cycles requires approximation

MPS overlap  $\langle \Phi | \bar{\Psi} \rangle$



PEPS overlap  $\langle \Phi | \bar{\Psi} \rangle$



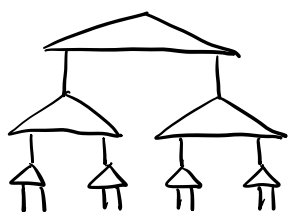
 too much

solution: renormalise (apply isometries)

## Tensor networks from RG

RG can be used to construct representations of quantum states  
blocking and decimation of quantum states: network of isometry

$L$  sites  $\rightarrow$  | | | | | | | | | | | |

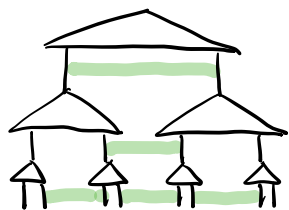


Entanglement RG flow

desirable properties of wavefunction RG flow

Proper RG flow

Construct RG flow restored by inserting disentanglers



entanglement property:

For region of  $L$  site. how much entanglement?

entanglement of 1D area has logarithmic correction  
tensor network for critical systems: MERA  
(gapless)



# MERA

① MPS of  $L$  :   $L$  (LL)

② Multiscale entanglement renormalization ansatz (MERA)

$O(L)$

Applications:

DMRG (MPS) provides almost exact numerical solutions in 1D lattice systems

(PRL 69 (2685) (1992))

{ DMRG in 2D (quasi-2D system)  
PEPS (2D spin)