Affleck-Kennedy-Lieb-Tasaki states as a resource for universal quantum computation

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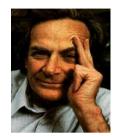
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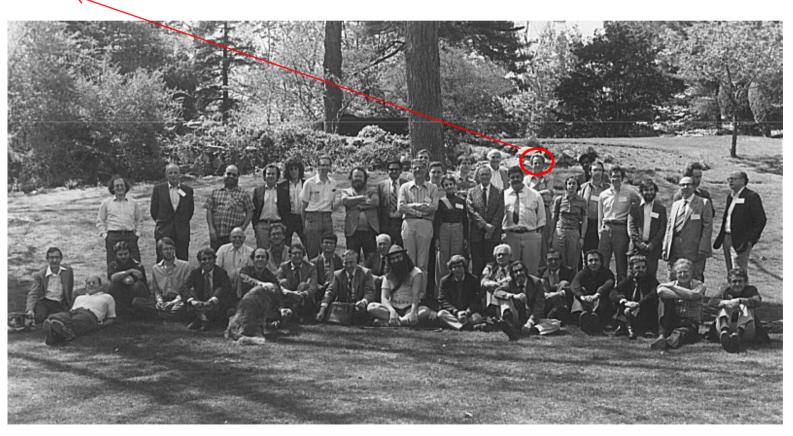
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Quantum computation



Feynman ('81): "Simulating Physics with (Quantum) Computers"

→ Idea of quantum computer further developed by Deutsch ('85), Lloyd ('96), ...



1st conference on Physics and Computation, 1981

Quantum computation



Shor ('94): quantum mechanics enables fast factoring

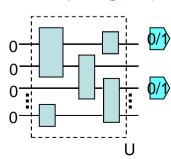
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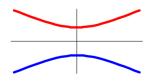
→ Ever since: rapid growing field of quantum information & computation

Quantum computational models

1. Circuit model (includes topological):

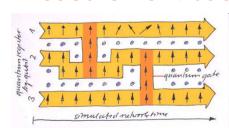


2. Adiabatic QC:



[Farhi, Goldstone, Gutmann & Sipster '00]

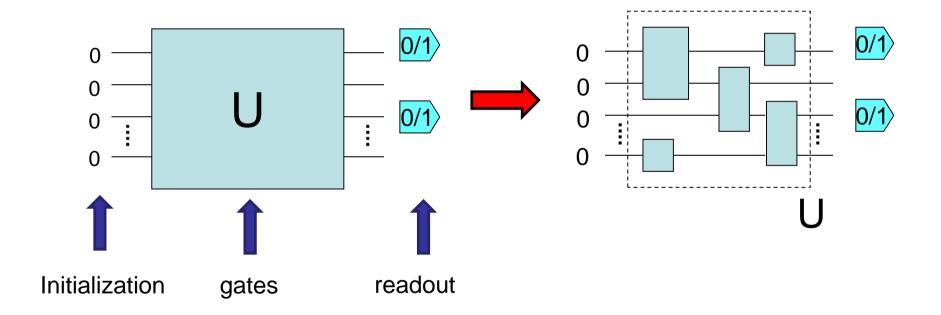
3. Measurement-based:



[Raussendorf & Briegel '01] [Gottesman & Chuang, '99 Childs, Leung & Nielsen '04]

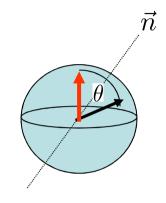
Circuit Model

 □ Key point: Decompose any unitary U into sequence of building blocks (universal gates): one + two-qubit gates



Single-qubit Unitary gates

$$|\psi\rangle \to e^{i\vec{n}\cdot\vec{\sigma}\theta/2}|\psi\rangle = \left(\cos\frac{\theta}{2}\,I + i\sin\frac{\theta}{2}\vec{n}\cdot\vec{\sigma}\right)|\psi\rangle$$



Only need a finite set of gates:

$$H \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad S \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix} \qquad T \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/4} \end{pmatrix}$$

Two-qubit unitary gates

Four by four unitary matrices (acting on the two qubits)

✓ Control-NOT gate:
$$\begin{array}{cccc}
0 & 0 \to 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 \to 0 & 1 \\
1 & 0 \to 1 & 1 \\
1 & 1 \to 1 & 0
\end{array}$$
 CNOT = $\begin{pmatrix}
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0
\end{pmatrix}$ = $\begin{pmatrix}
I & 0 \\
0 & X
\end{pmatrix}$

Control-Phase gate:
$$\begin{array}{cccc}
0 & 0 \to 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 \to 0 & 1 \\
1 & 0 \to 1 & 0 \\
1 & 0 \to 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1 \to -1 & 1
\end{array}$$

$$CP = \begin{pmatrix}
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & -1
\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}
I & 0 \\
0 & Z
\end{pmatrix}$$

Generate entanglement

$$|+\rangle|+\rangle = \frac{(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)}{\sqrt{2}} \xrightarrow{\text{CP}} \frac{1}{2} (|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle - |11\rangle)$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|+\rangle + |1\rangle|-\rangle) \neq |\phi_1\rangle|\phi_2\rangle$$

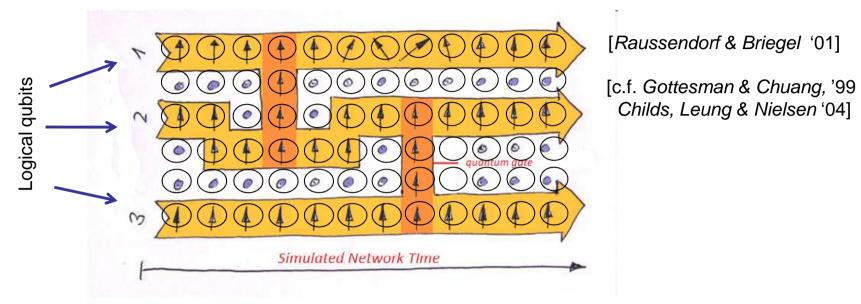
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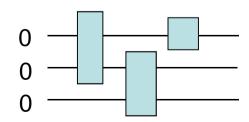
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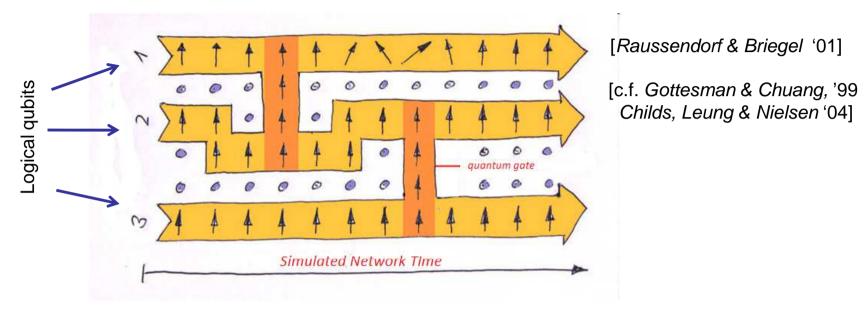
Quantum computation by measurement



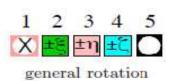
- $exttt{ up}$ Use cluster state $|\mathcal{C}
 angle$ as computational resource
- □ Information is written on to $|\mathcal{C}\rangle$, processed and read out all by **single** spin measurements
- Can simulate quantum computation by circuit models (i.e. universal QC)

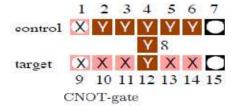


Q Computation by measurement: intuition



- How can single-spin measurements simulate unitary evolution?
 - → Entanglement (→ state and gate teleportation)
- Key ingredients: simulating 1- and 2-qubit gates

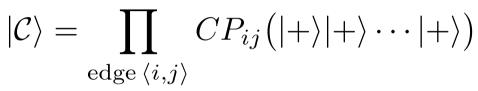




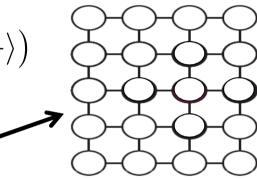
Cluster state: entangled resource

Cluster state

[Briegel & Raussendorf '00]

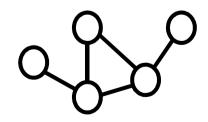


Control-Phase gate applied to pairs of qubits linked by an edge



$$CP_{ij} = |0\rangle\langle 0|_i \otimes I_j + |1\rangle\langle 1|_i \otimes \sigma_z^{[j]}$$

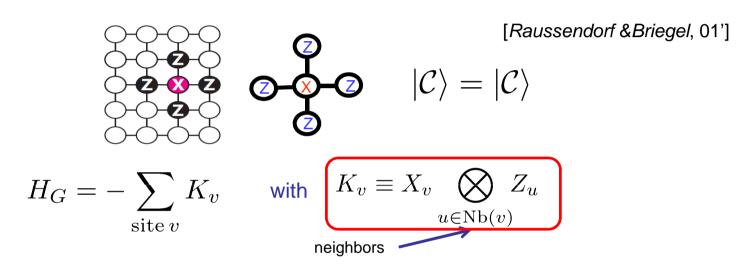
Can be defined on any graph



→ Resulting state is called graph state

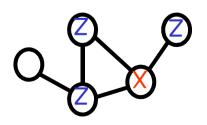
Cluster and graph states as ground states

 \Box Cluster state $|C\rangle$ = graph state on square lattice



Graph state: defined on a graph

[Hein, Eisert & Briegel 04']



 \rightarrow Graph state is the unique ground state of H_G

$$K_v|G\rangle = |G\rangle, \ \forall \operatorname{site} v$$

Creating cluster states?

1. Active coupling: to construct Control-Phase gate

(by Ising interaction)
$$|\mathcal{C}\rangle = \prod_{\text{edge }\langle i,j\rangle} CP_{ij} \big(|+\rangle|+\rangle\cdots|+\rangle \big)$$

$$CP_{12} = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}(1-\sigma_Z^{(1)})(1-\sigma_Z^{(2)})} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Implemented in cold atoms:} \\ \text{Greiner et al. Nature '02} \\ \text{ } \\ \text{Not necessarily have such control} \\ \text{ } \\ \text$$

2. Cooling: if cluster states are unique ground states of certain simple Hamiltonians with a gap

➤ Cluster state is the unique ground state of five-body interacting Hamiltonian (cannot be that of two-body)

[Nielsen '04]

What about other states?

Ground states as universal resource states?

 First, finding universal resource states is hard (they are rare)

[Gross, Flammia & Eisert PRL '09; Bemner, Mora & Winter, PRL '09]

- Second, need to construct short-ranged Hamiltonians so that they are unique ground states
 - So finding ground states as universal resource states is hard

A tour-de-force example

❖ TriCluster state (6-level) [Chen, Zeng, Gu, Yoshida & Chuang, PRL'09]

$$H_{triC}^{\star} = \sum_{a} \left(h_{ab} + h_{ba} + h_{\frac{b}{a}} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} h_{ab} &=& \\ &2(2S_{a_z}-5)(2S_{a_z}-3)(2S_{a_z}-1)(2S_{a_z}+1)(4S_{a_z}+11)\\ &(2S_{b_z}+5)(2S_{b_z}+3)(2S_{b_z}-1)(2S_{b_z}+1)(4S_{b_z}-11)\\ &-& 75\sqrt{2}S_{a_+}(2S_{a_z}-5)(2S_{a_z}+3)(2S_{a_z}-1)(2S_{a_z}+1)\\ &(48S_{b_z}^4+64S_{b_z}^3-280S_{b_z}^2-272S_{b_z}+67)\\ &+& 75\sqrt{2}(48S_{a_z}^4-64S_{a_z}^3-280S_{a_z}^2+272S_{a_z}+67)\\ &S_{b_+}(2S_{b_z}-5)(2S_{b_z}-3)(2S_{b_z}-1)(2S_{b_z}+3)\\ &+& 4\sqrt{10}S_{a_+}^3(2S_{a_z}-1)(2S_{a_z}-3)\times\\ &(128S_{b_z}^5+560S_{b_z}^4-2840S_{b_z}^2-3848S_{b_z}+675)\\ &+& 4\sqrt{10}(128S_{a_z}^5-560S_{a_z}^4+2840S_{a_z}^2-3848S_{a_z}-675)\\ &S_{b_+}^3(2S_{b_z}-5)(2S_{b_z}-3)+h.c. \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} h_{\overset{.}{a}} &= \\ &-25(2S_{az}-5)(2S_{az}-3)(2S_{az}+3)(2S_{az}+5) \\ +& 25S_{a+}^3(2S_{az}-5)(2S_{az}-1) \\ & (224S_{bz}^5-16S_{bz}^4-1968S_{bz}^3+40S_{bz}^2+3550S_{bz}-9) \\ -& 12S_{a+}^5 \\ & (416S_{bz}^5-80S_{bz}^4-3600S_{bz}^3+520S_{bz}^2+5994S_{bz}-125) \\ +& h.c.+(a\Leftrightarrow b)\,, \end{array}$$

Ground states as universal resource states?

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[Gross, Flammia & Eisert PRL '09; Bemner, Mora & Winter, PRL '09]

- Second, need to construct short-ranged Hamiltonians so that they are unique ground states
- Alternatively, first find ground states of short-ranged
 Hamiltonians & check whether they are universal resources
 - The family of Affleck-Kennedy-Lieb-Tasaki (AKLT) states provide a good framework

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Affleck-Kennedy-Lieb-Tasaki states

[AKLT'87,88]

- □ States of spin S=1,3/2, or higher (defined on any graph)
 - → S= (# of neighboring vertices) / 2
- Unique* ground states of two-body isotropic Hamiltonians

$$H = \sum_{\langle i,j
angle} f(ec{S}_i \cdot ec{S}_j)$$
 $f(x)$ is a polynomial

□ Important progress on 1D spin-1 AKLT state for QC:

[Gross & Eisert, PRL '07]

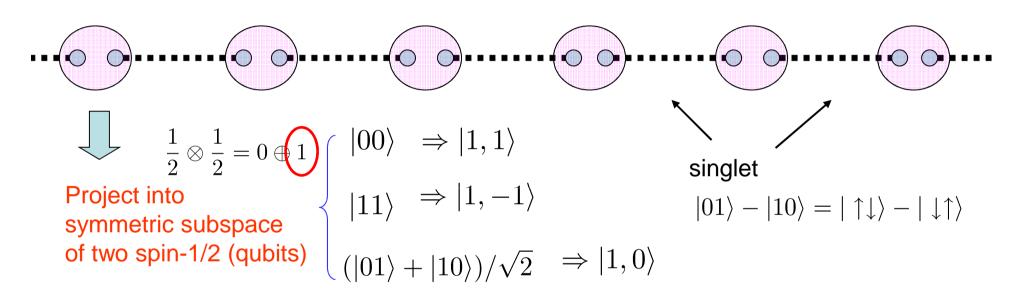
[Brennen & Miyake, PRL '09]

→ Can be used to implement rotations on single-qubits

1D spin-1 AKLT state

[*AKLT* '87, '88]

□ Two virtual qubits per site (thus S=2/2)



Ground state of two-body interacting Hamiltonian (with a gap)

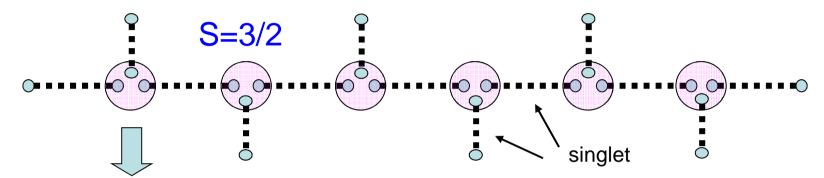
$$H = \sum_{i} \left[\vec{S}_{i} \cdot \vec{S}_{i+1} + \frac{1}{3} (\vec{S}_{i} \cdot \vec{S}_{i+1})^{2} + \frac{2}{3} \right] = 2 \sum_{i} \hat{P}_{i,i+1}^{(S=2)}$$
 onto S=2

→ Can realize rotation on one logical qubit by measurement (not sufficient for universal QC)

[Gross & Eisert, PRL '07] [Brennen & Miyake, PRL '09]

1D mixed spin-3/2 & spin-1/2 quasichain





Project into symmetric subspace of three spin-1/2 (qubits)

$$|000\rangle \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right\rangle \qquad |W\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|001\rangle + |010\rangle + |100\rangle) \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right\rangle$$

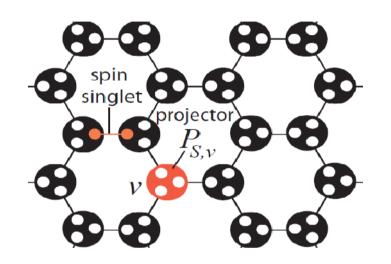
of three spin-1/2 (qubits)
$$|111\rangle \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right\rangle \qquad |\overline{W}\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|110\rangle + |101\rangle + |011\rangle) \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right\rangle$$

Ground state of two-body interacting Hamiltonian (with a gap)

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} P_{A_i, A_{i+1}}^{S=3} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} P_{A_i, b_i}^{S=2} + P_{A_1, b_0}^{S=2} + P_{A_N, b_{N+1}}^{S=2}$$

→ Can realize rotation on one logical qubit by measurement (not sufficient for universal QC) [Cai et al. PRA '10]

Spin-3/2 AKLT state on honeycomb lattice



Unique ground state of

$$H = \sum_{\text{edge } \langle i,j \rangle} \left[\vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j + \frac{116}{243} (\vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j)^2 + \frac{16}{243} (\vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j)^3 + \frac{55}{108} \right]$$

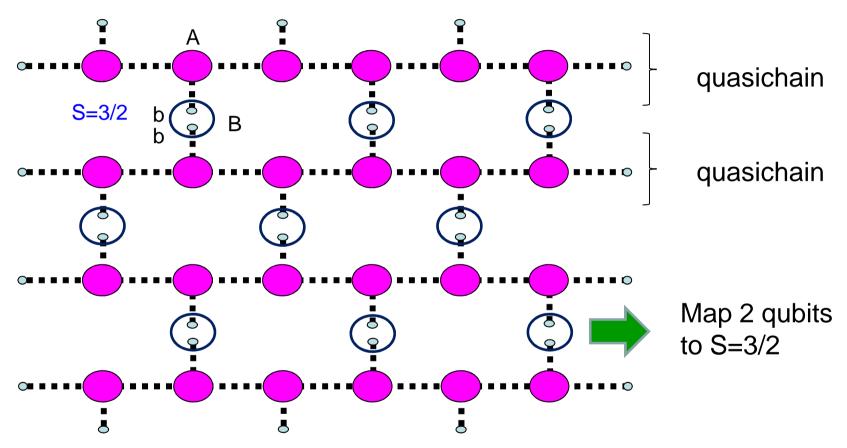
We show that the spin-3/2 2D AKLT state on honeycomb lattice is a universal resource state

[Wei, Affleck & Raussendorf, PRL106, 070501 (2011)]

[Alternative proof: Miyake, Ann Phys (2011)]

2D Cai-Miyake-Dur-Briegel state

[Cai, Miyake, Dür & Briegel',PRA'10]



- → No longer rotationally invariant; not AKLT state
- → But universal for quantum computation

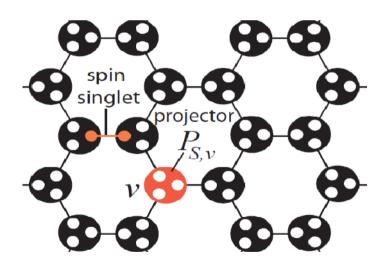
[Cai, Miyake, Dür & Briegel',PRA'10] [Wei,Raussendorf & Kwek,arXiv'11]

Unified understanding of these resource states

They can be locally converted to a cluster state (known resource state) in the same dimension:

- → Unveiling cluster states hidden in these AKLT / AKLT-like states
- □ Spin 1 (2 levels) or 3/2 (4 levels) \rightarrow Spin $\frac{1}{2}$ (2 levels)?
 - → Need "projection" into smaller subspace
- We use generalized measurement (or POVM)
 - → Give rise to a graph state; but random outcome modifies the graph
- □ Use percolation argument (if necessary):
 - → typical random graph state converted to cluster state

Now focus on the spin-3/2 honeycomb case



Spin 3/2 and three virtual qubits

Addition of angular momenta of 3 spin-1/2's

$$\frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2} = 0 \oplus 1$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\otimes\frac{1}{2}=0\oplus 1$$
 $\frac{1}{2}\otimes\frac{1}{2}\otimes\frac{1}{2}=\frac{1}{2}\oplus\frac{1}{2}\oplus\frac{3}{2}$



The four basis states in the symmetric subspace

$$|W\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|001\rangle + |010\rangle + |100\rangle) \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right\rangle$$
 Effective 2 levels of a qubit
$$|\overline{W}\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|110\rangle + |101\rangle + |011\rangle) \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right\rangle$$

$$|111\rangle \leftrightarrow \left|\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right\rangle$$

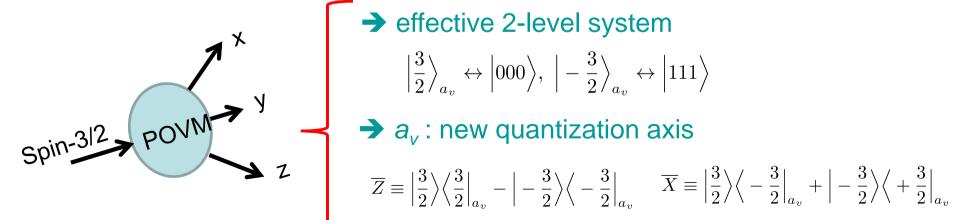
Projector onto symmetric subspace

$$P_{S,v} = |000\rangle\langle000| + |111\rangle\langle111| + |W\rangle\langle W| + |\overline{W}\rangle\langle\overline{W}| \leftrightarrow I_{3/2}$$

Generalized measurement (POVM)

$$F_{v,z} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(\left| \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle \frac{3}{2} \right|_z + \left| -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle -\frac{3}{2} \right|_z \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left(S_z^2 - \frac{1}{4} \right) \qquad \begin{tabular}{ll} [\underline{\textit{Wei}}, \textit{Affleck \& Raussendorf '10;} \\ F_{v,x} &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(\left| \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle \frac{3}{2} \right|_x + \left| -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle -\frac{3}{2} \right|_x \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left(S_x^2 - \frac{1}{4} \right) \qquad \qquad \textit{Miyake '10]} \\ \textit{v. site index} & F_{v,y} &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(\left| \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle \frac{3}{2} \right|_y + \left| -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle -\frac{3}{2} \right|_y \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left(S_y^2 - \frac{1}{4} \right) \\ \end{tabular}$$

- \rightarrow Three elements satisfy: $F_{v,x}^{\dagger}F_{v,x}+F_{v,y}^{\dagger}F_{v,z}+F_{v,z}^{\dagger}F_{v,z}=I_v$
- \square POVM outcome (x, y, or z) is random (a_v ={x,y,z} \in A for all sites v)



→ effective 2-level system

$$\left|\frac{3}{2}\right\rangle_{a_v} \leftrightarrow \left|000\right\rangle, \left|-\frac{3}{2}\right\rangle_{a_v} \leftrightarrow \left|111\right\rangle$$

$$\overline{Z} \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle \frac{3}{2} \right|_{a_v} - \left| -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle -\frac{3}{2} \right|_{a_v} \qquad \overline{X} \equiv \left| \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle -\frac{3}{2} \right|_{a_v} + \left| -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle \left\langle +\frac{3}{2} \right|_{a_v}$$

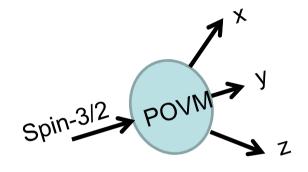
ightharpoonup state becomes $|\Phi\rangle \longrightarrow F_{v,a_v}|\Phi\rangle$

Post-POVM state

□ Outcome $a_v = \{x, y, z\} \in A$ for all sites v

$$|\Psi(\mathcal{A})\rangle = \bigotimes_{v} F_{v,a_{v}} |\Phi_{AKLT}\rangle$$

$$\sim \bigotimes_{v} \left(S_{v,a_{v}}^{2} - \frac{1}{4}\right) |\Phi_{AKLT}\rangle$$



[Wei, Affleck & Raussendorf, arxiv'10 & PRL'11]

→ What is this state?

The random state is an encoded graph state

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$$|\Psi(\mathcal{A})\rangle = \bigotimes_{v} F_{v,a_v} |\Phi_{\text{AKLT}}\rangle \sim \bigotimes_{v} \left(S_{v,a_v}^2 - \frac{1}{4}\right) |\Phi_{\text{AKLT}}\rangle$$

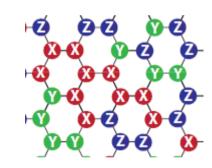
- Encoding: effective two-level (qubit) is delocalized to a few sites
 - → Property of AKLT ("antiferromagnetic" tendency) gives us insight on encoding
- What is the graph? Isn't it honeycomb?
 - → Due to delocalization of a "logical" qubit, the graph is modified

Encoding of a qubit: AFM ordering

- □ AKLT: Neighboring sites cannot have the same $S_a = \pm 3/2$
 - Neighboring sites with same POVM outcome a = x, y or z: only two AFM orderings (call these site form a **domain**):

$$|\overline{0}\rangle \equiv \left|\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, \dots\right\rangle_a \quad \text{or} \quad |\overline{1}\rangle \equiv \left|-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \dots\right\rangle_a$$

→ Form the basis of a qubit

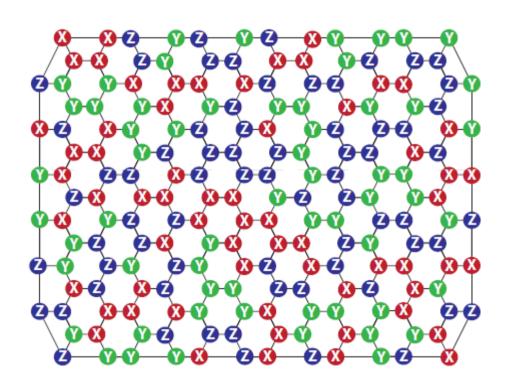


□ Effective Pauli Z and X operators become (extended)

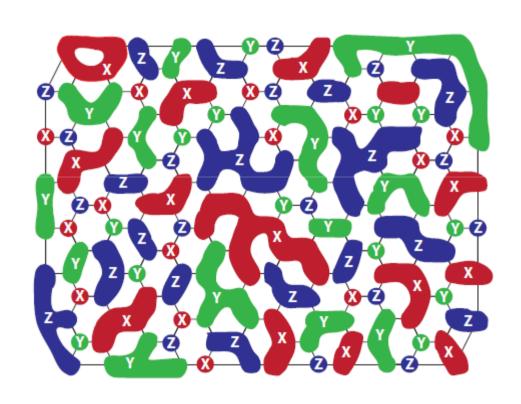
$$\overline{Z} = |\overline{0}\rangle\langle\overline{0}| - |\overline{1}\rangle\langle\overline{1}| \qquad \overline{X} = |\overline{0}\rangle\langle\overline{1}| + |\overline{1}\rangle\langle\overline{0}|$$

- A domain can be reduced to a single site by measurement
 - → Regard a domain as a single qubit

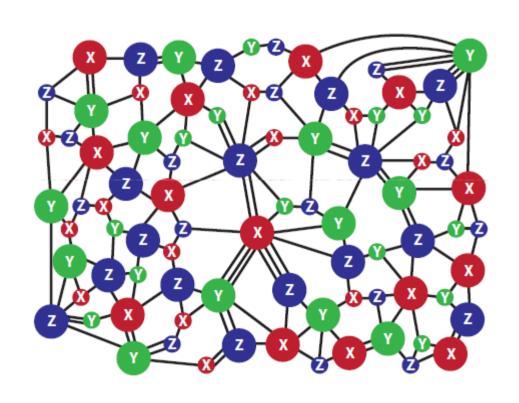
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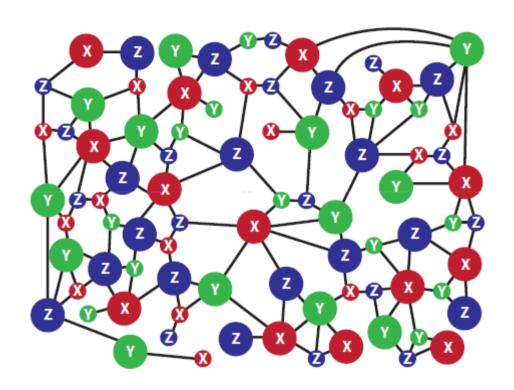
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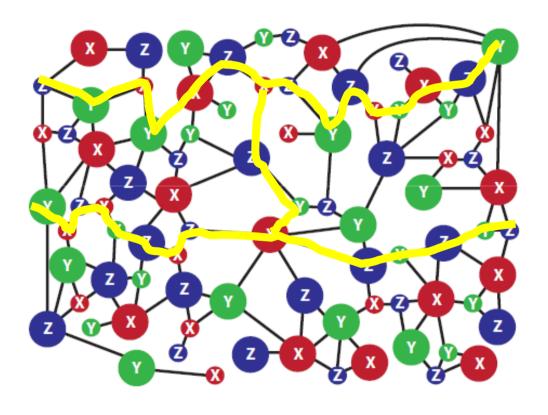


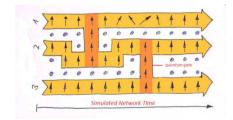
The resulting state is a "cluster" state on random graph



→ The graph of the graph state

Quantum computation can be implemented on such a (random) graph state

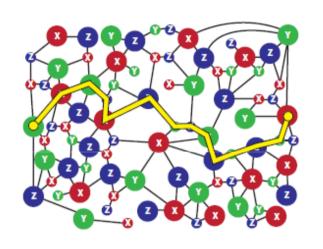




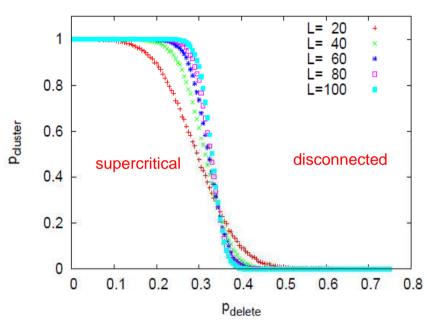
- Wires define logical qubits, links give CNOT gates
- > Sufficient number of wires if graph is supercritical (percolation)

Robustness: finite percolation threshold

□ Typical graphs are in percolated (or supercritical) phase



Site percolation by deletion

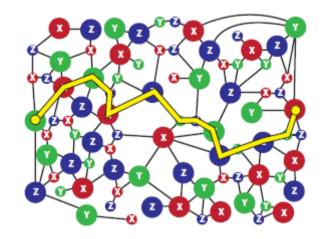


□ C.f. Site perc threshold: Square: 0.593, honeycomb:0.697

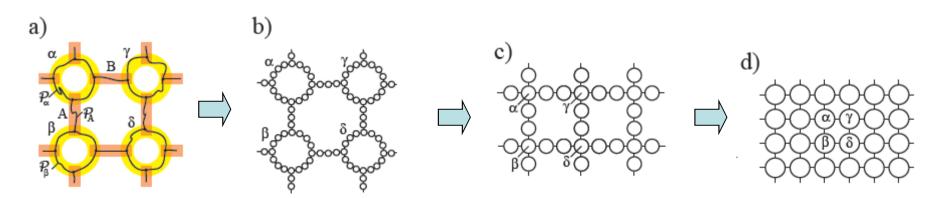
→ threshold ≈1-0.33=0.67

→ Sufficient (macroscopic) number of traversing paths exist

Convert graph states to cluster states



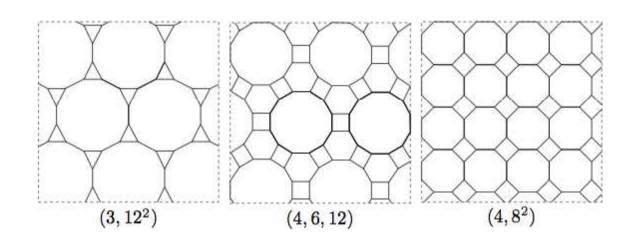
Can identity graph structure and trim it down to square



→ Thus we have shown the 2D AKLT state on hexagonal lattice is a universal resource

Other 2D AKLT states expected to be universal resources

□ Trivalent Achimedean lattices (in addition to honeycomb):



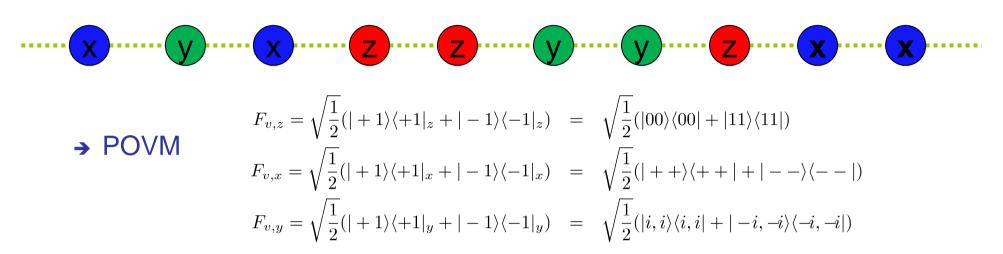
Bond percolation threshold > 2/3:

≈0.7404

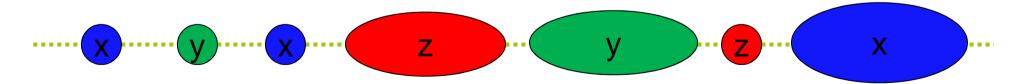
≈0.694

≈0.677

1D spin-1 AKLT state → cluster state



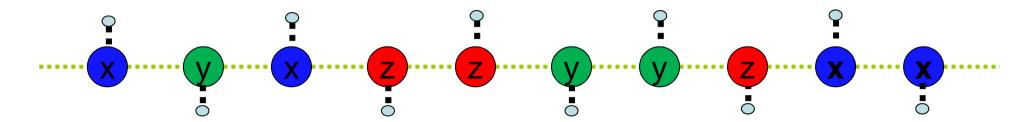
gives rise to an encoded cluster state



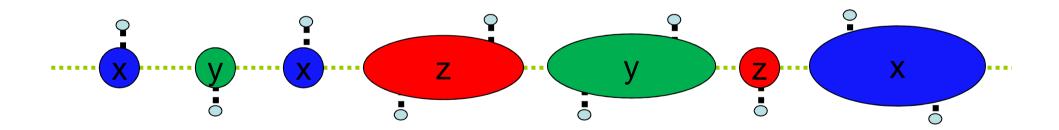
→ In a large system, cluster state has length 2/3 of AKLT

1D mixed AKLT state → cluster state

[Wei, Raussendorf& Kwek, arXiv '11]



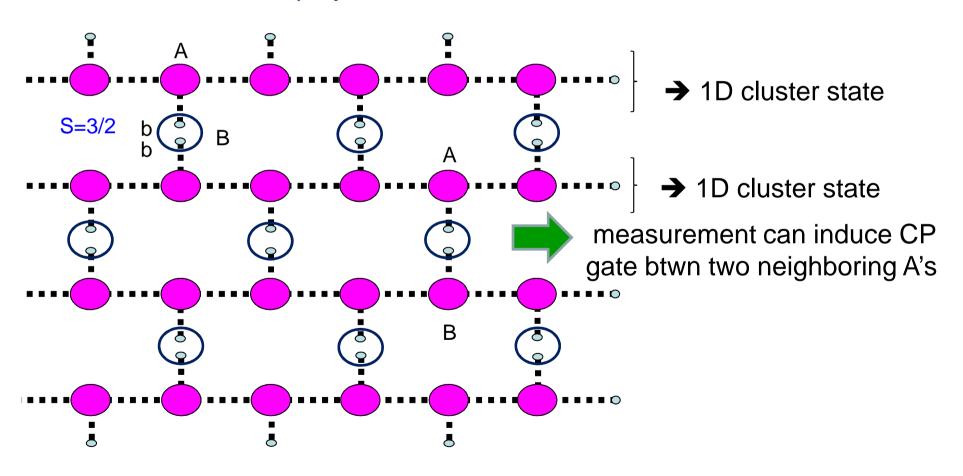
→ POVM on spin-3/2's gives rise to an encoded cluster state



Universality of Cai-Miyake-Dur-Briegel state → cluster state

[Wei, Raussendorf& Kwek, arXiv '11]

□ POVM on A's and projective measurement on B's → 2D cluster state



Further results

[Li, Browne, Kwek, Raussendorf, Wei, PRL 107,060501(2011)]

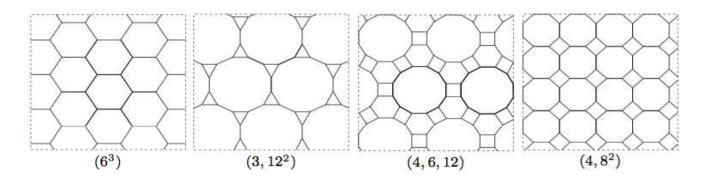
□ Extending the "patching" idea to 3D



- → Deterministic "distillation" of a 3D cluster state
- → Allows quantum computation at finite temperature
- → Even with the Hamiltonian always-on

Conclusion

□ Spin-3/2 valence-bond ground states on some 2D lattices are universal resource for quantum computation



- → Design a generalized measurement
- → Convert to graph states and then cluster states (←universal)
- 2D structure from patching 1D AKLT quasichains also universal
- Can extend to 3D as well with thermal state and always-on interaction

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