

Efficient Representation of Quantum Many-body States with Deep Neural Networks



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Outline

Neural Network Representation for Many-body State

Deep vs. Shallow Architecture

Limitation of Restricted Boltzmann Machine

Power of Deep Boltzmann Machine

How to train Deep Boltzmann Machine

1 Difficulty: Curse of Dimensionality

1 Particle: $c_0|0\rangle + c_1|1\rangle \in \mathcal{H}$ Dimension is 2

2 Particles: $c_{00}|00\rangle + c_{01}|01\rangle + c_{10}|10\rangle + c_{11}|11\rangle$
 $\in \mathcal{H} \otimes \mathcal{H}$ Dimension is 4

$|00\rangle + |11\rangle$ **Entanglement**

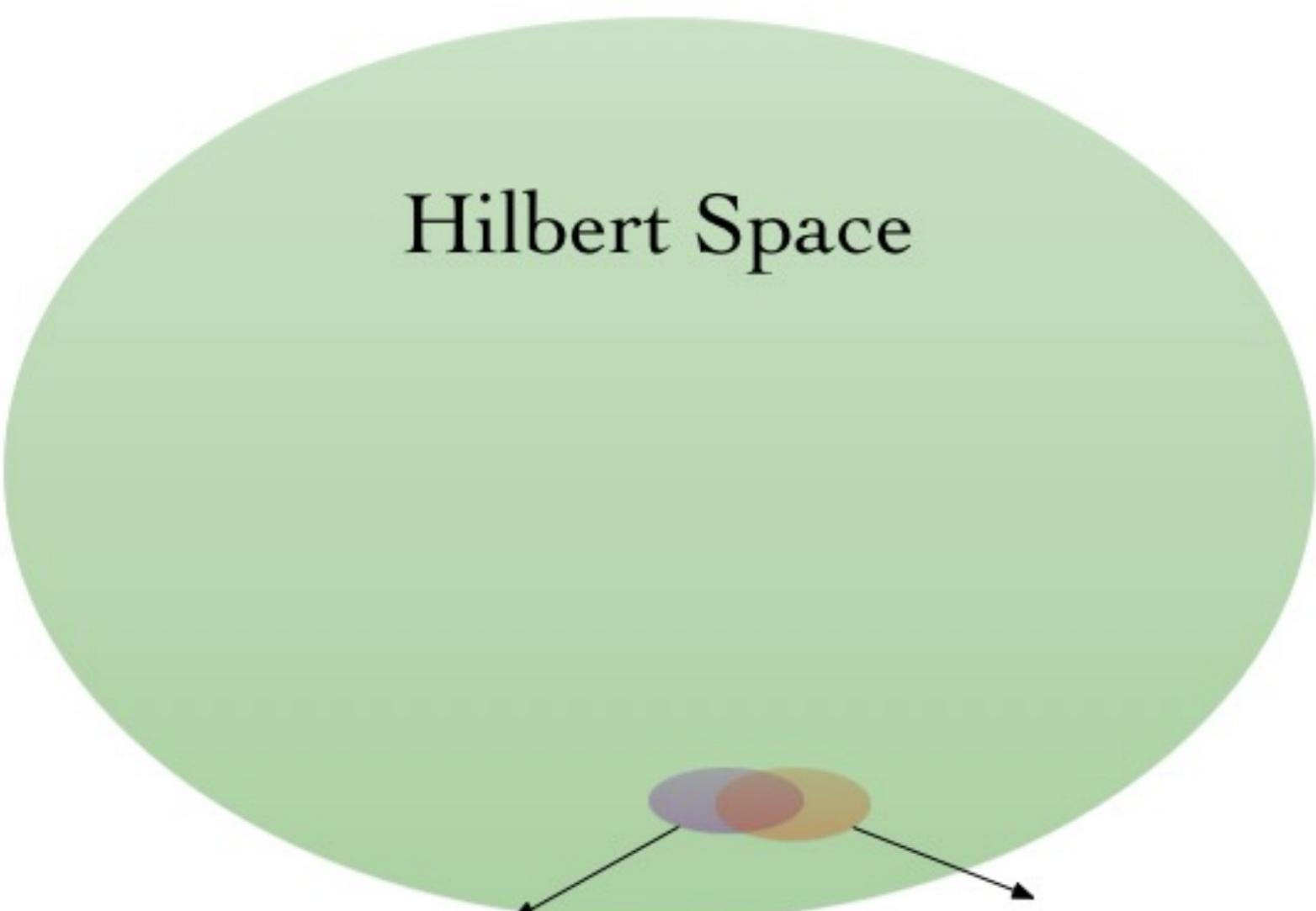
n Particles: $c_{0\dots 0}|0\dots 0\rangle + \dots + c_{1\dots 1}|1\dots 1\rangle$
 $\in \mathcal{H}^{\otimes n}$ Dimension is 2^n

Hilbert space is too large !! How to describe it??

The Physical Relevant Corner

Many-Body Problem

Hilbert Space



Area Law

physical many-body quantum state

Physical Constraints:
locality (area law)

Global Symmetry:
translational-invariant

Internal Symmetry:
Gauge Symmetry

low description complexity?

Hamiltonian

Many-Body Problem

$$H = \sum_i^n H_i$$

$$H_i = I_1 \otimes \dots \otimes H_i \otimes \dots \otimes I_n$$

dimension is bounded by constant

low temperature property

ground state

$$|\psi\rangle$$

$$\min_{|\psi\rangle} \frac{\langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle}{\langle \psi | \psi \rangle}$$

thermal equilibrium property

thermal state

$$\frac{e^{-\beta H}}{\text{tr} e^{-\beta H}}$$

time evolution

$$e^{-iHt} |\psi_0\rangle \leftarrow \text{some simple state}$$

succinct description but not quite useful

hard to extract information

finding ground state is particularly interesting

$$\min_{|\psi\rangle} \langle \psi | H | \psi \rangle - \lambda \langle \psi | \psi \rangle \text{ with } \langle \psi | \psi \rangle = 1$$

QMA-hard for gapless system

intrinsic difficulty

NP-hard for gapped system

if Quantum PCP conjecture is true

QMA-hard

gap between theory and practice:

heuristic algorithm (intuition

& extra information for special instance)

worst-case vs. typical case

1

Some Previous Approach to tackle many-body problem

Mean-field assumption $\rho_k \sim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\psi_1\rangle\langle\psi_1| \otimes \cdots \otimes |\psi_k\rangle\langle\psi_k|$

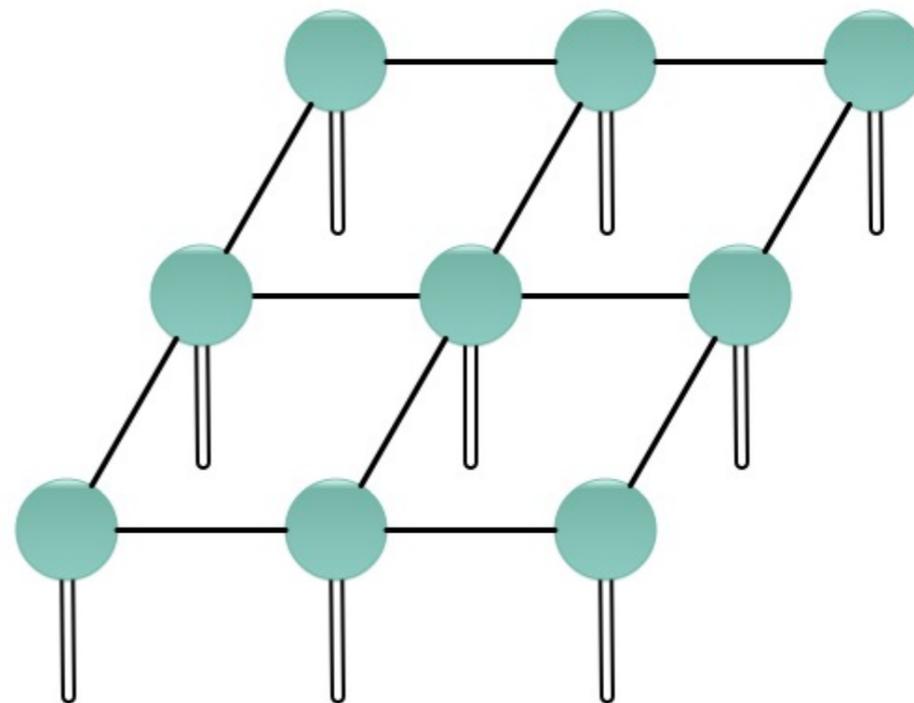
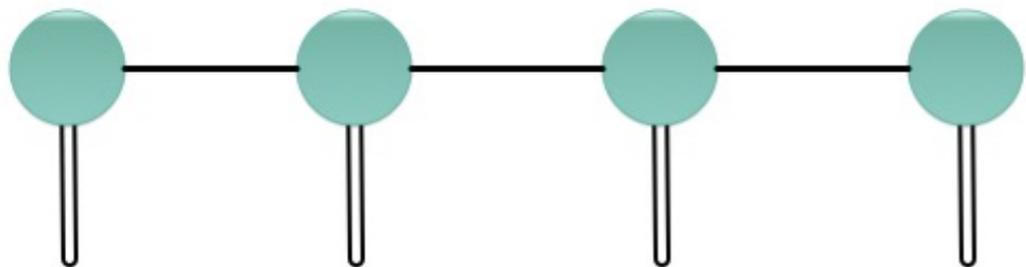
success for bosonic system (Quantum de Finetti)

fail for other strong correlated system

Quantum Monte Carlo

$$\frac{\langle\psi(\alpha)|H|\psi(\alpha)\rangle}{\langle\psi(\alpha)|\psi(\alpha)\rangle} \sim \sum_c p_c(\alpha) f_c(\alpha) \quad \text{sign problem}$$

Tensor Network



2

**Some Previous Approach
to tackle many-body problem**

very successful for 1D system:

MPS faithfully represent at least gapped system
polynomial time to extract information
heuristic algorithm: DMRG, TEBD, etc
polynomial time algorithm to find ground state

Landau, Zeph, Umesh Vazirani, and Thomas Vidick. "A polynomial time algorithm for the ground state of one-dimensional gapped local Hamiltonians." *Nature Physics* 11.7 (2015): 566-569.

Arad, I., Landau, Z., Vazirani, U., & Vidick, T. (2016). Rigorous RG algorithms and area laws for low energy eigenstates in 1D. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1602.08828*.

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Schuch, N., Wolf, M. M., Verstraete, F., & Cirac, J. I. (2007). Computational complexity of projected entangled pair states. *Physical review letters*, 98(14), 140506.

Anshu, A., Arad, I., & Jain, A. (2016). How local is the information in tensor networks of matrix product states or projected entangled pairs states. *Physical Review B*, 94(19), 195143.

Schwarz, M., Buerschaper, O., & Eisert, J. (2016). Approximating local observables on projected entangled pair states. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1606.06301*.

fail for 2D system:

1. unknown whether PEPS is enough
2. extract information is hard
 - i. #P-hard in general case
 - ii. best known approximation algorithm:
superpolynomial time under assumptions

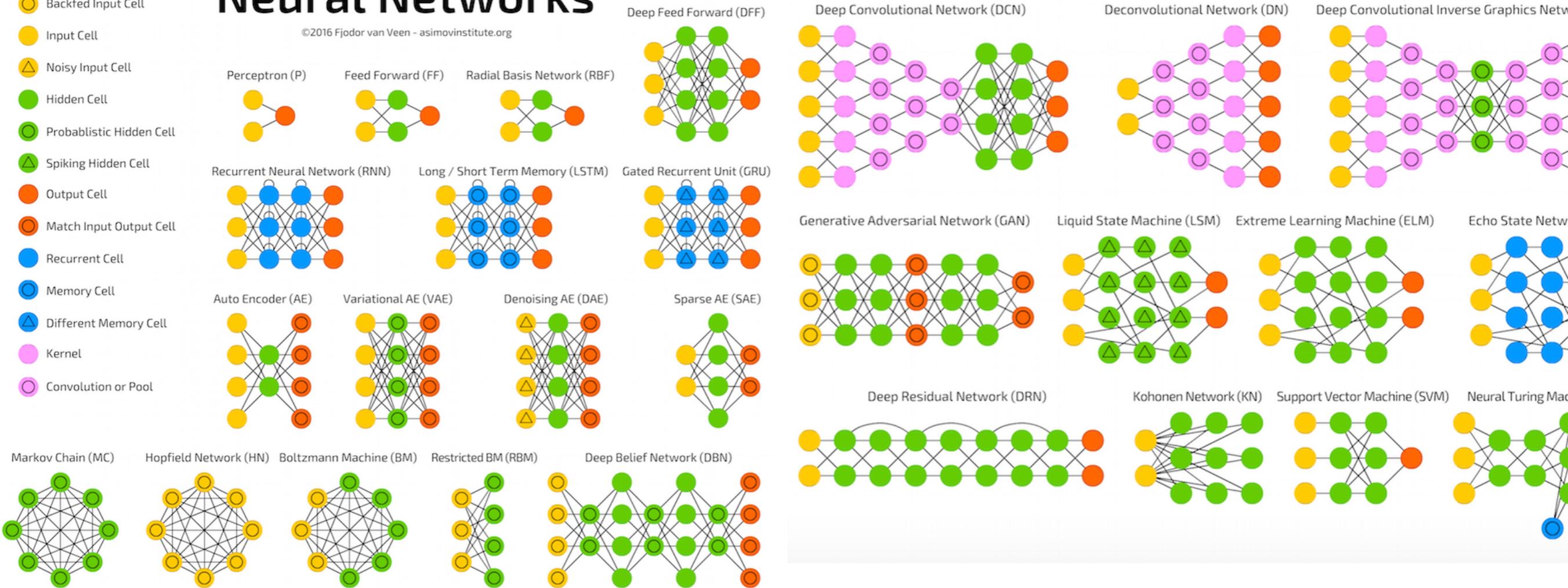
Neural Network Zoo

Neural Network

A mostly complete chart of
Neural Networks

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- Backfed Input Cell
- Input Cell
- Noisy Input Cell
- Hidden Cell
- Probabilistic Hidden Cell
- Spiking Hidden Cell
- Output Cell
- Match Input Output Cell
- Recurrent Cell
- Memory Cell
- Different Memory Cell
- Kernel
- Convolution or Pool



<http://www.asimovinstitute.org/neural-network-zoo/>

**natural to use generative model
to represent quantum state**

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Restricted Boltzmann Machine (RBM)

Neural Network

represent quantum state by neural network itself

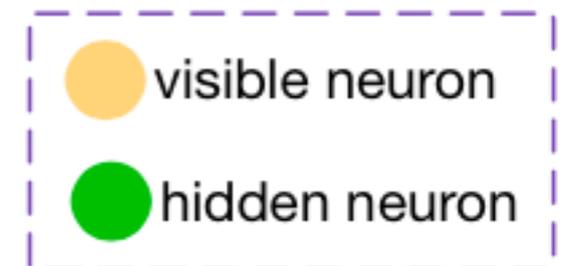
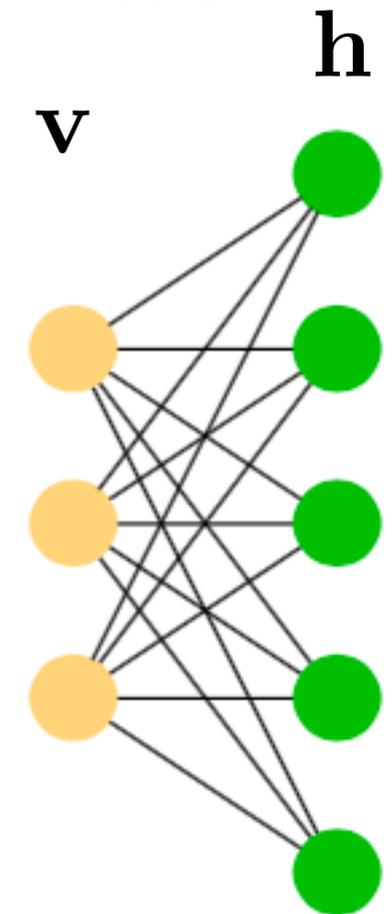
$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{\mathbf{v}} \Psi(\mathbf{v}) |\mathbf{v}\rangle$$

$$\Psi(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_{\mathbf{h}} e^{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h})}$$

$$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) = \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h} + \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{h}$$

Weight Function

no intra-layer interactions



Restricted Boltzmann Machine (RBM)

Carleo, Giuseppe, and Matthias Troyer. "Solving the quantum many-body problem with artificial neural networks." *Science* 2017.

numerical methods (combined with Monte Carlo)

transverse field Ising: $-h \sum_i \sigma_i^x - \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z$

anti-ferromagnetic Heisenberg: $\sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} \sigma_i^x \sigma_j^x + \sigma_i^y \sigma_j^y + \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z$

better than MPS

Deng, Dong-Ling, Xiaopeng Li, and S. Das Sarma. "Exact machine learning topological states." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1609.09060* (2016).

exact representation for topological states

SPT: 1D cluster state

topological order: toric code

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restricted Boltzmann Machine \longrightarrow Tensor Network
 Tensor Network \longrightarrow RBM with given architecture

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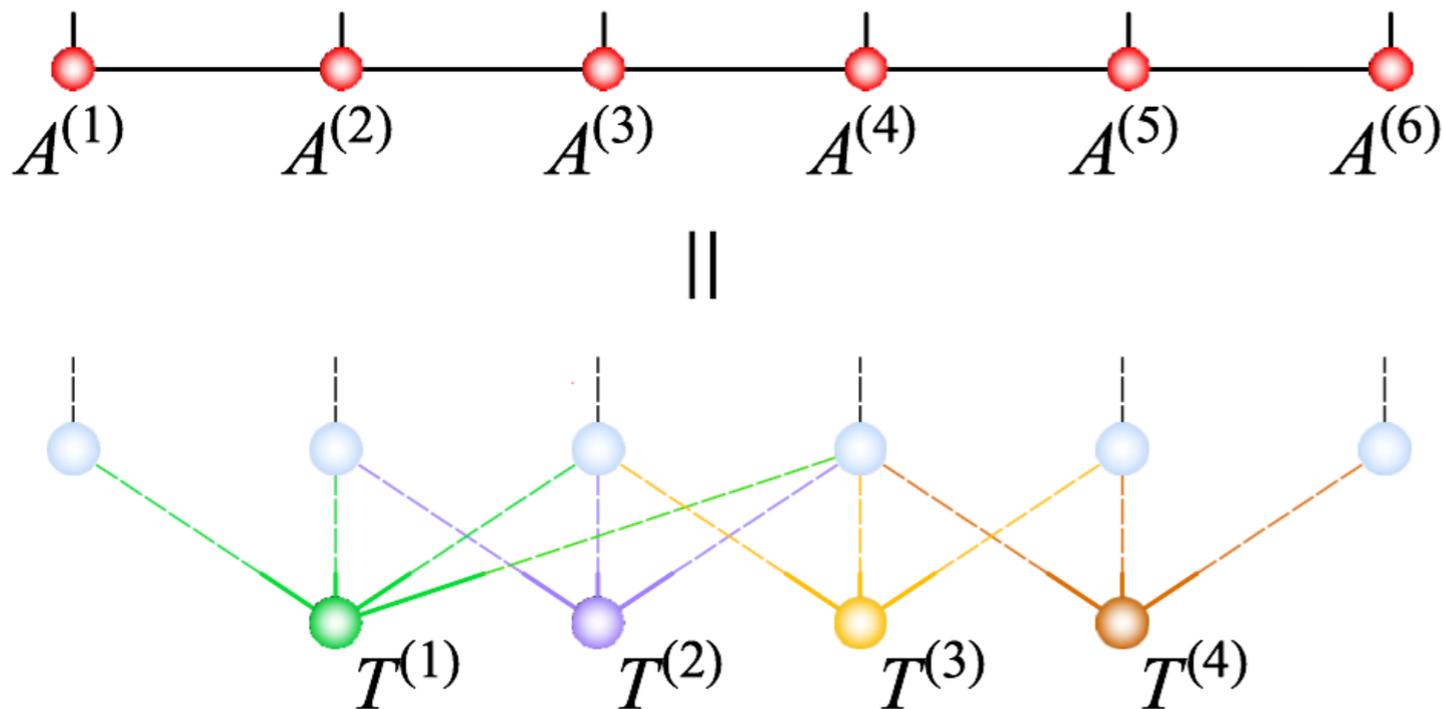
area law (local connection)

random RBM: entanglement spectrum, not thematize

Huang, Yichen, and Joel E. Moore. "Neural network representation of tensor network and chiral states." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1701.06246* (2017).

using Grassmann number

quasi-local
$$H = \sum_{\vec{x} \in \mathbf{Z}^2} \left(c_{\vec{x}+i}^\dagger c_{\vec{x}} + c_{\vec{x}+j}^\dagger c_{\vec{x}} + c_{\vec{x}+i}^\dagger c_{\vec{x}}^\dagger + i c_{\vec{x}+j}^\dagger c_{\vec{x}}^\dagger + \text{h.c.} \right) - 2\mu \sum_{\vec{x} \in \mathbf{Z}^2} c_{\vec{x}}^\dagger c_{\vec{x}}$$



limitation to represent
Tensor Network
(given architecture)

Copy from

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Universal Approximation Theorem

In order to approximate probability distribution with k boolean variables, the number of hidden neurons is at most 2^k *without constraints on architecture* (analog to bond dimension in MPS)

Le Roux, Nicolas, and Yoshua Bengio. "Representational power of restricted Boltzmann machines and deep belief networks." *Neural computation* 20.6 (2008): 1631-1649.

reasonable to consider:

Efficient Representation:

poly(n) parameters

without constraints on architecture

under reasonable complexity assumptions

RBM can not represent the following state efficiently:

state generated by efficient quantum computer

PEPS and other tensor network state

ground state of local gapped Hamiltonian

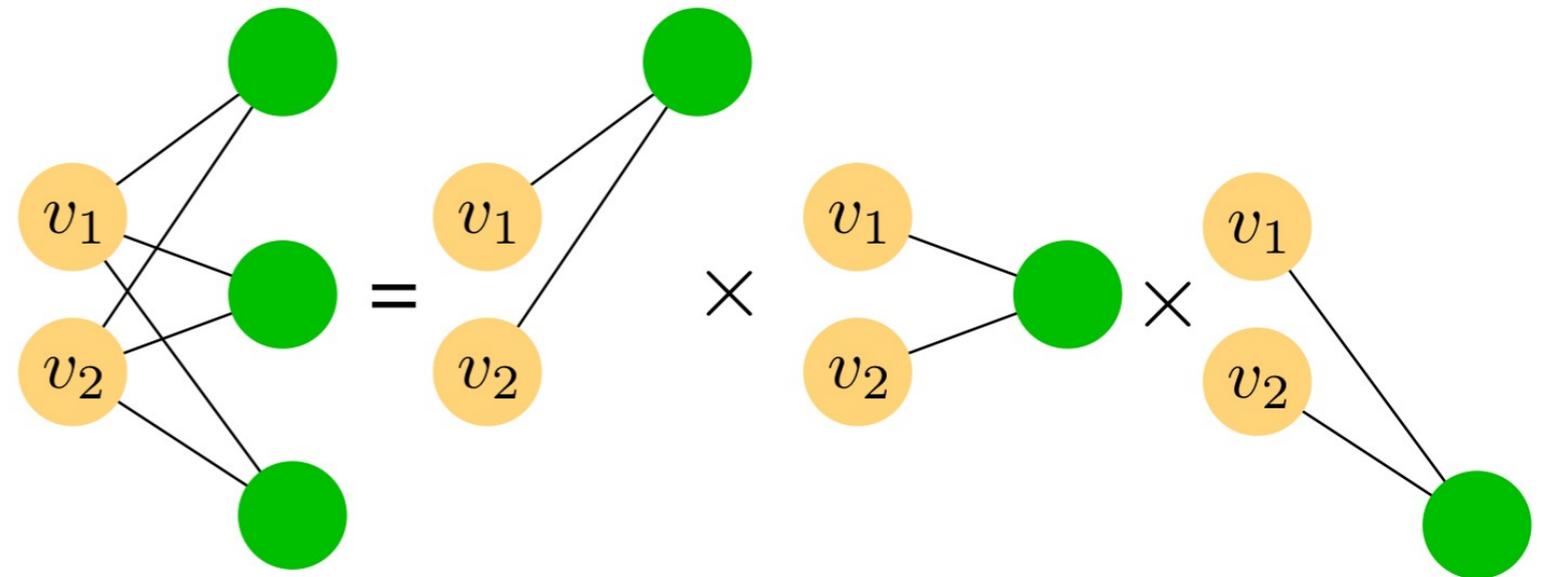
not closed in a quantum phase and dynamics !

otherwise polynomial hierarchy collapse

(a generalization of $P=NP$)

Proof of Limitation for RBM

$\Psi(\mathbf{v})$ for RBM
can be factorized



RBM:

hidden neurons are
conditionally independent

P/poly: can be solved
in polynomial size circuit
the circuit not easy to construct

P/poly: $\Psi(\mathbf{v})$
polynomial-size boolean circuit $\Psi(\cdot)$
input of function \mathbf{v}

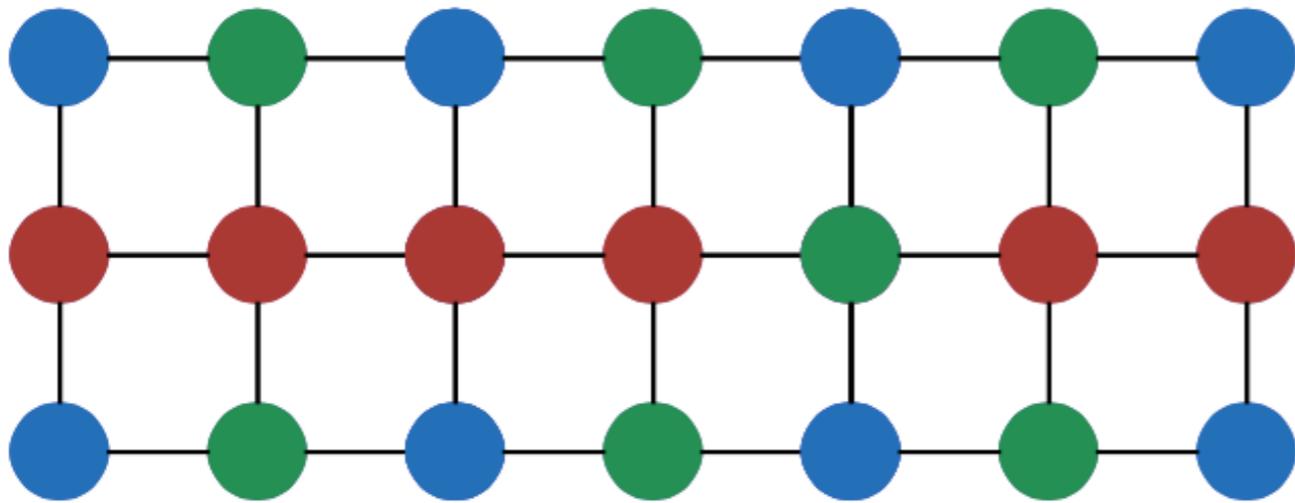
no need to know
how to construct
RBM (circuit) !

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Proof of Limitation for RBM

Neural Network

cluster state: ignore the colors



ground state of

$$-\sum_i \sigma_i^x \prod_{j \in \text{neighbors of } i} \sigma_j^z$$

time evolution on $|+\rangle^{\otimes N}$

$$\mathcal{H} = -\sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} J Z_i Z_j + \sum_i B_i Z_i \quad J = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

i. state generated from simple dynamics on simple initial state

ii. ground state of gapped, local, commuting Hamiltonian

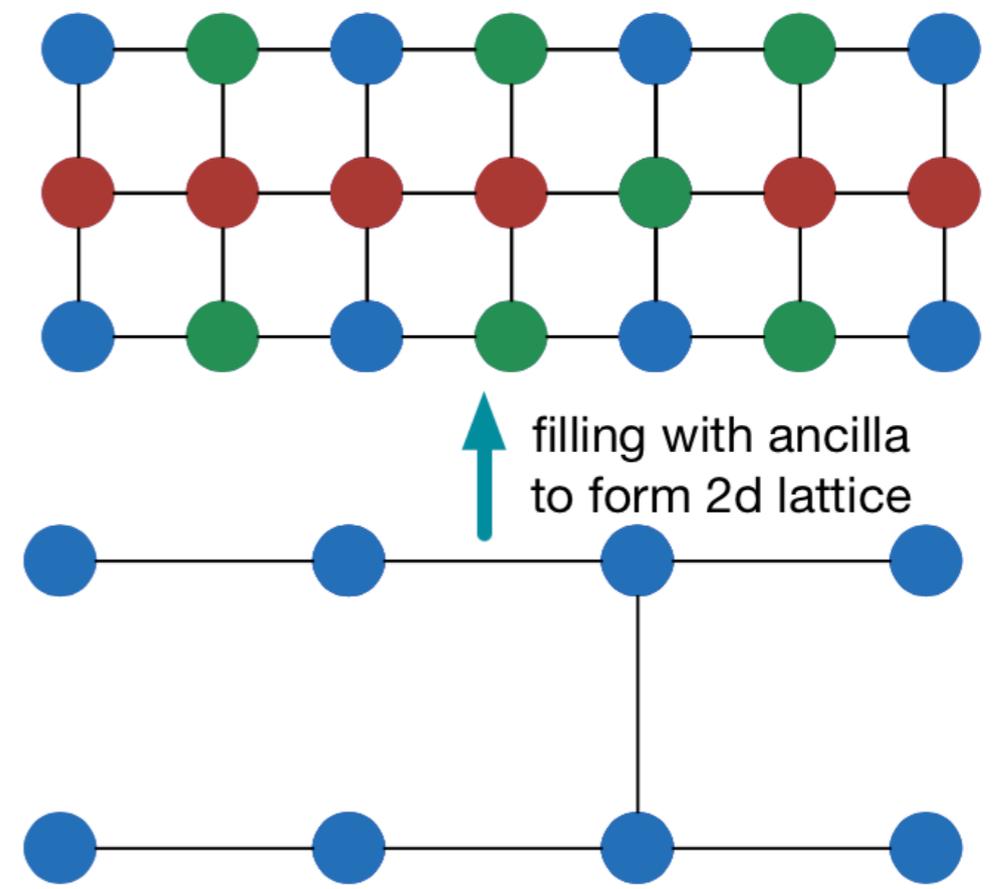
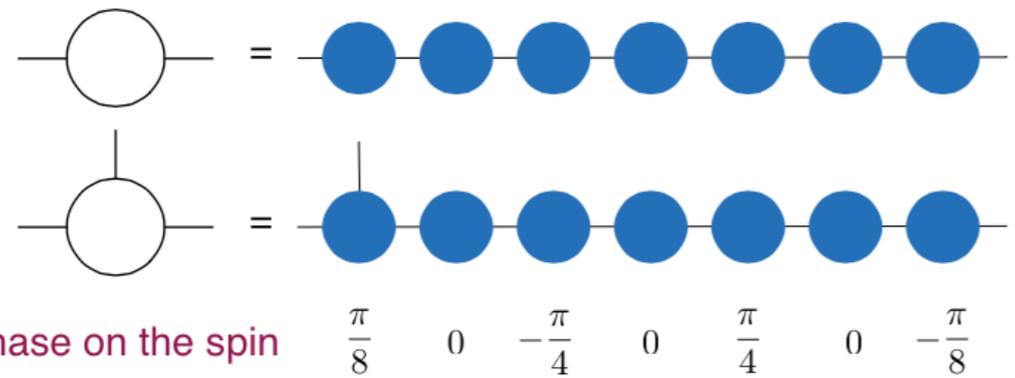
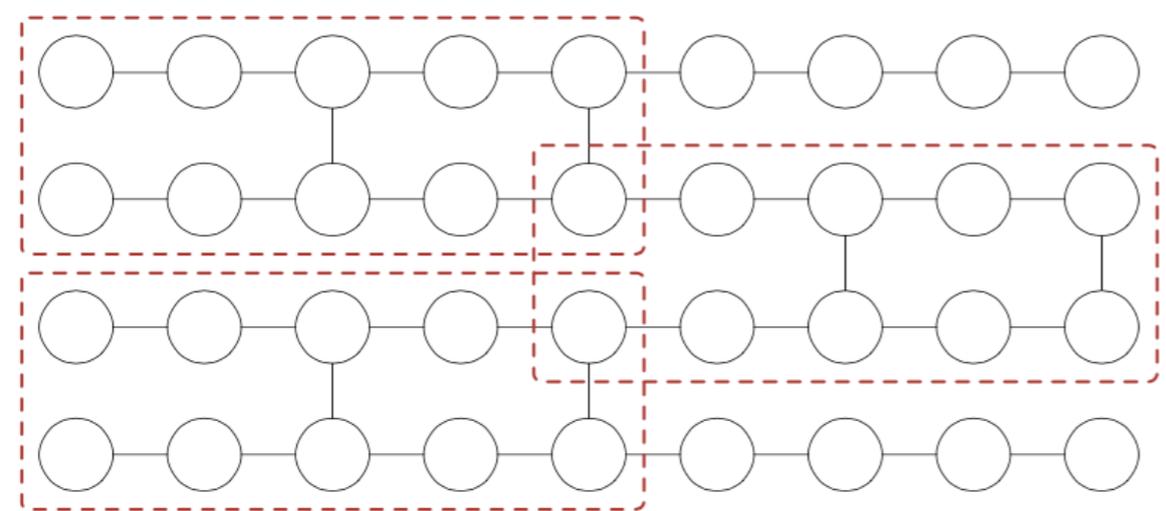
iii. PEPS

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Proof of Limitation for RBM

Neural Network

GWD state:



cluster state with single qubit unitary

blue: z-axis with angles, then Hadamard

green: Hadamard

red

Gao, Xun, Sheng-Tao Wang, and Lu-Ming Duan. "Quantum Supremacy for Simulating A Translation-Invariant Ising Spin Model." *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 2017

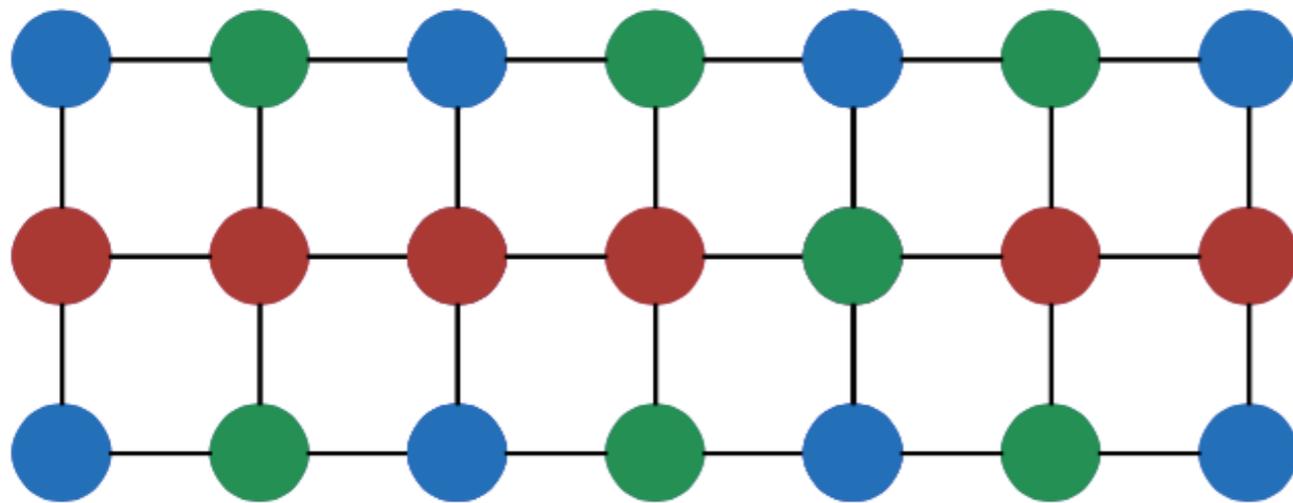
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Neural Network

translational invariant ! only depends on size

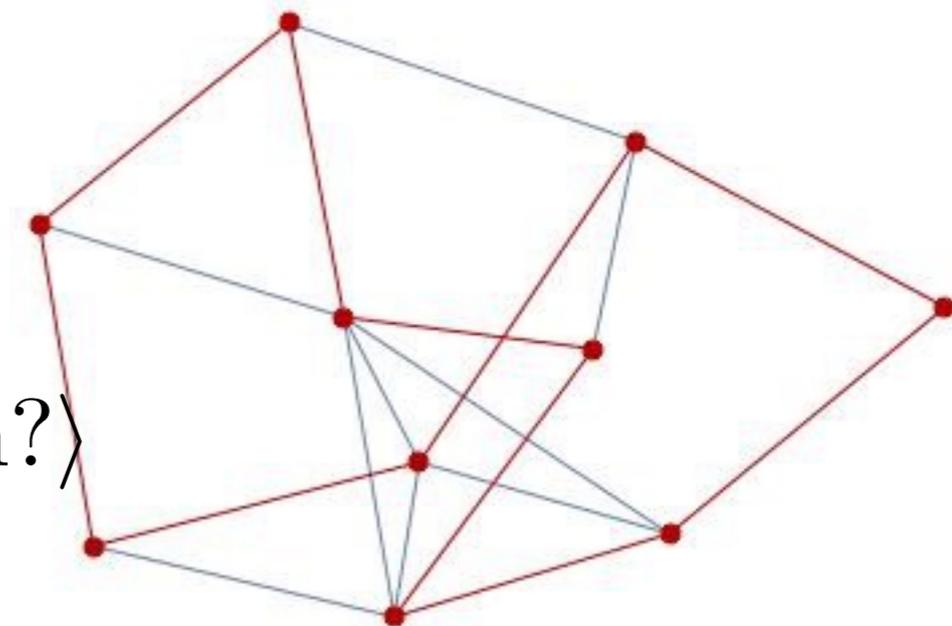
cluster state is resource state in measurement-based quantum computing



#P-hard (much harder than NP):
 $\Psi(v)$ of GWD state



universal quantum computing



$$\sum | \text{edge configuration} \rangle | \text{Hamiltonian Path?} \rangle$$

counting the number of True

Proof of Limitation for RBM

translational invariant ! only depends on size

if $\Psi(v)$ of GWD state can be represented by RBM efficiently

$P\#P \subseteq P^{P/poly}$ **widely believed not true:**
polynomial hierarchy collapse !
 generalization $P=NP$, very unlikely

extend to approximate case in terms of trace distance
with another reasonable complexity assumptions

related to quantum supremacy
 for sampling random quantum circuit
 supported by quantum chaos theory

Google's quantum supremacy plan
 Boixo, Sergio, et al. "Characterizing quantum supremacy in near-term devices." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1608.00263* (2016).

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Proof of Limitation for RBM

Neural
Network

under reasonable complexity assumptions

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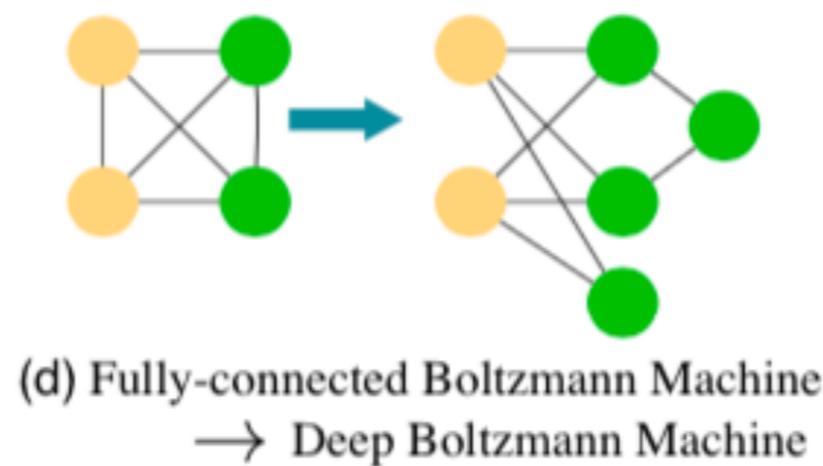
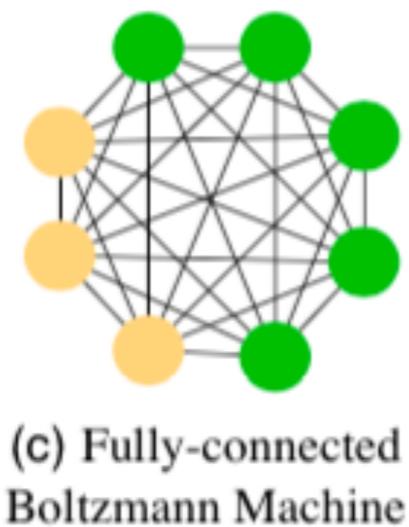
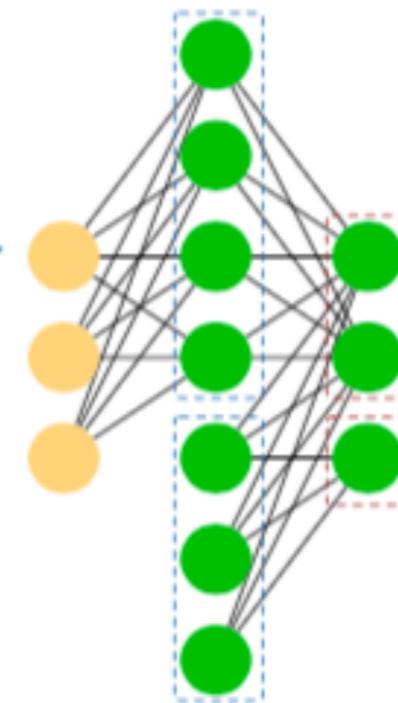
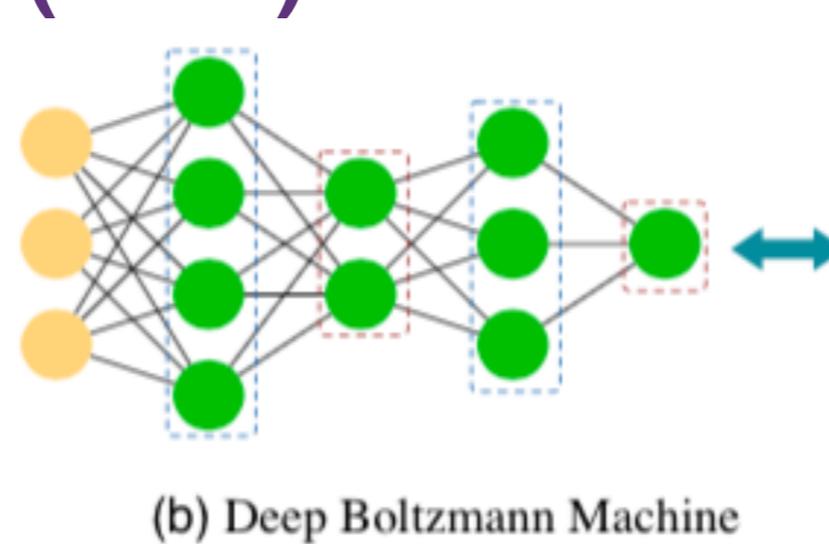
otherwise polynomial hierarchy collapse

(a generalization of $P=NP$)

**Although limitation of RBM
still useful in practice**

how to characterize the state
represented by RBM?
string-bond state?

Deep Boltzmann Machine (DBM)



DBM with 2 hidden layers captures fully-connected Boltzmann Machine and deeper DBM

Gao, Xun, and Lu-Ming Duan. "Efficient Representation of Quantum Many-body States with Deep Neural Networks." *arXiv preprint arXiv: 1701.05039* (2017).



Deep Boltzmann Machine (DBM)

Deep Neural Networks

Deep vs. Shallow

DBM can represent the following state efficiently:

quantum computing or dynamics: $O(nT)$

ground state: $O\left(\frac{1}{\Delta} \left(n + \log \frac{1}{\epsilon}\right) m^2\right)$

energy gap circuit depth or evolution time number of local terms in Hamiltonian

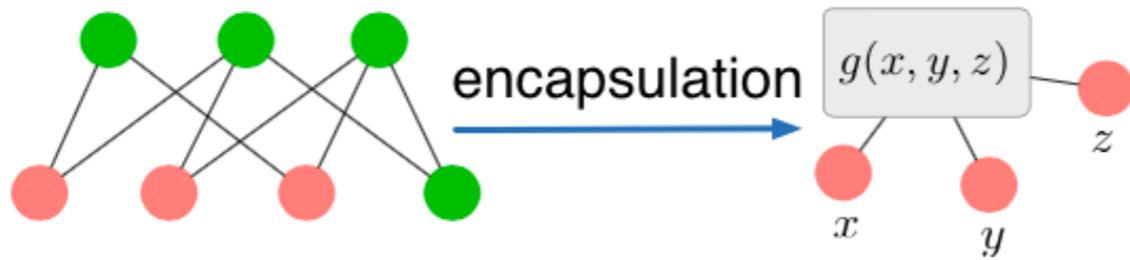
gapless, even non-local

tensor network state: $O(D^{2d}n)$ D: bond dimension
d: coordination number

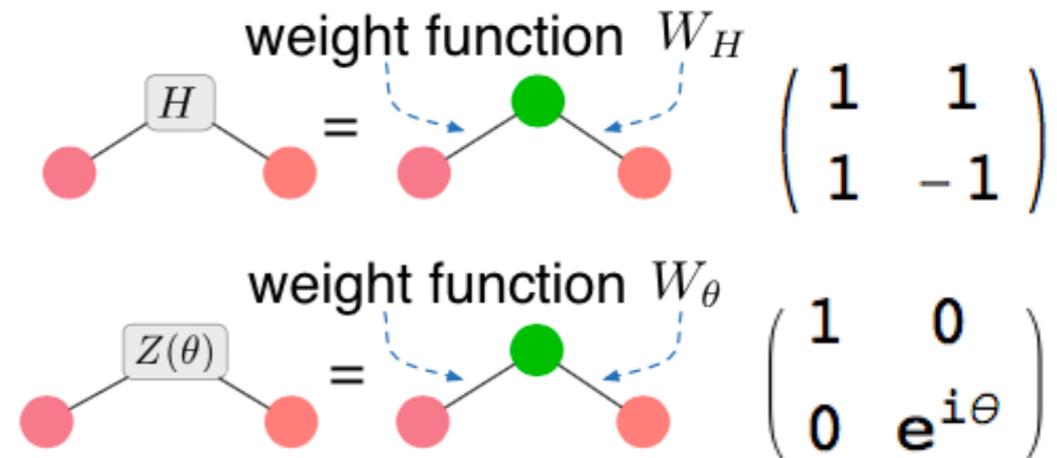
closed in a quantum phase and dynamics

Proof of Power of Deep Boltzmann Machine

Deep Neural Networks



(a) Gadget

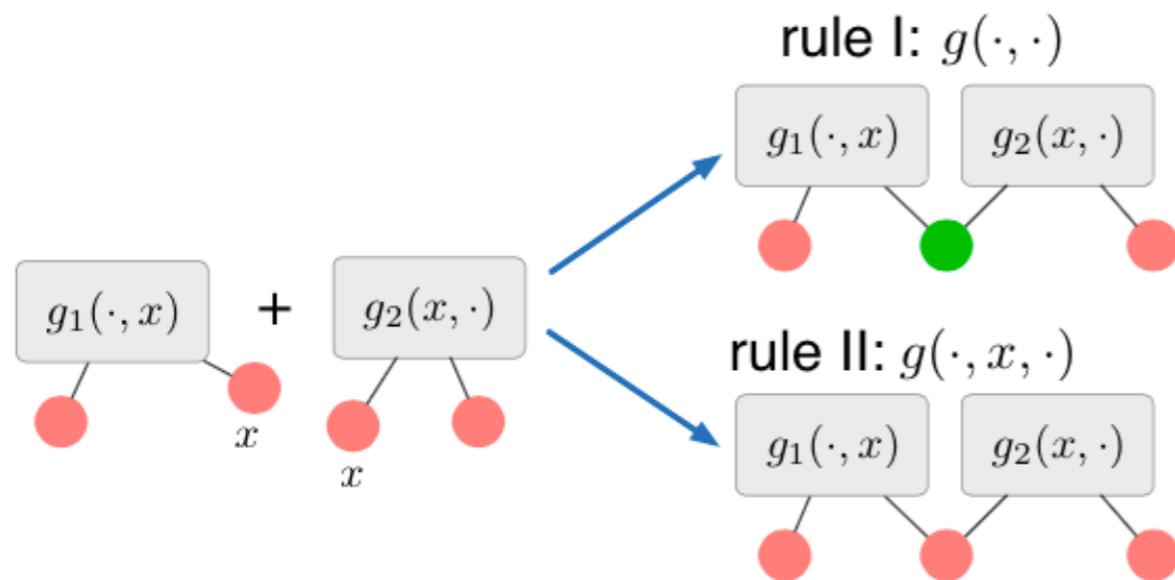


(b) Hadamard Gadget & Phase Gadget

gadget: DBM-like function

$$W_\theta(x, h) = \frac{\theta}{2}ix + i\pi xh.$$

$$W_H(x, h) = \frac{\pi}{8}i - \frac{\pi}{2}ix - \frac{\pi}{4}ih + i\pi$$

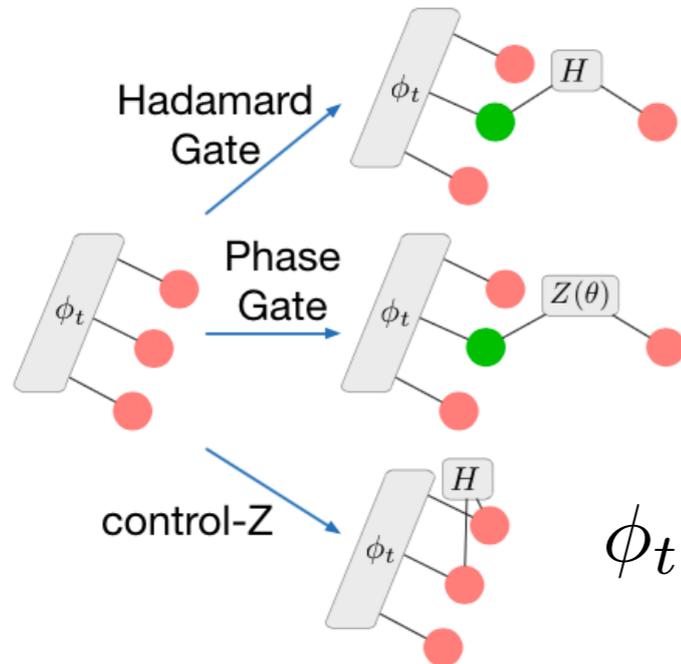


$$\text{rule I: } g(\cdot, \cdot) = \sum_x g_1(\cdot, x)g_2(x, \cdot),$$

$$\text{rule II: } g(\cdot, x, \cdot) = g_1(\cdot, x)g_2(x, \cdot),$$

Proof of Power of Deep Boltzmann Machine

Quantum Computing or Dynamics



rule I simulates matrix multiplication

phase gadget is not necessary absorbed into bias term

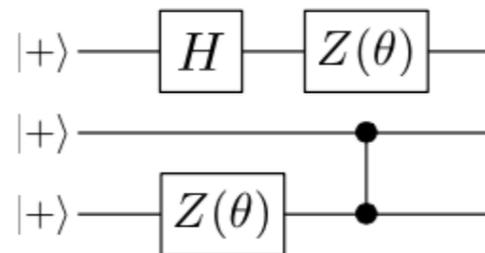
$$\phi_{t+1}(\dots x_i, x_{i+1} \dots) = (-1)^{x_i x_{i+1}} \phi_t(\dots x_i, x_{i+1}, \dots)$$

rule II simply multiplication

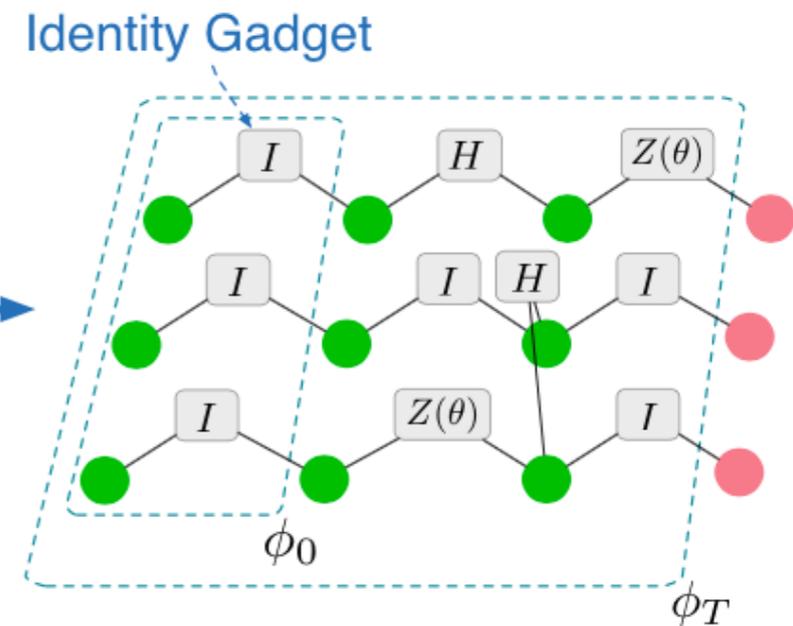
$H, Z(\theta), \text{control-Z}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

universal set for quantum computing



DBM representation



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Deep Neural Networks

Quantum Computing or Dynamics

dynamics: quantum simulation

Lloyd, S. Universal quantum simulators. *Science* **273**, 1073 (1996).

Poulin, D., Qarry, A., Somma, R. & Verstraete, F. Quantum simulation of time-dependent hamiltonians and the convenient illusion of hilbert space. *Physical review letters* **106**, 170501 (2011).

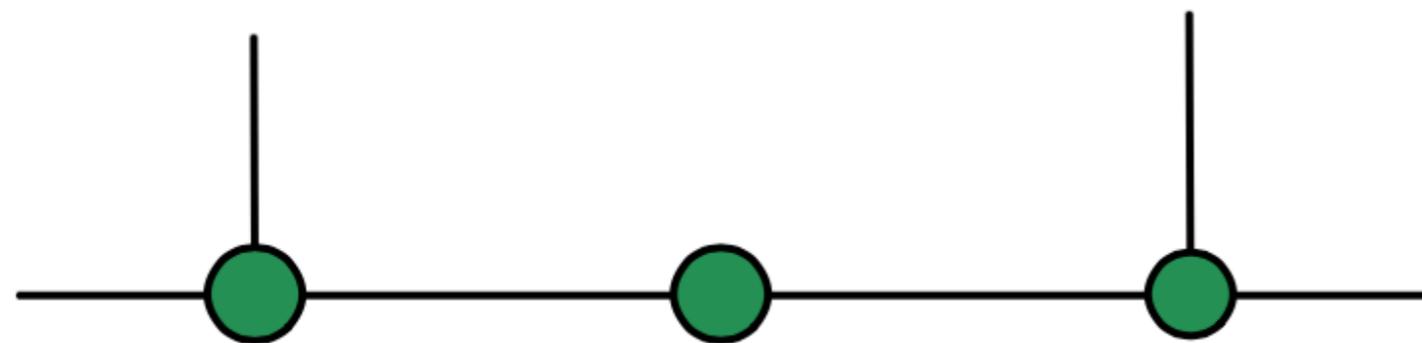
Berry, D. W., Childs, A. M., Cleve, R., Kothari, R. & Somma, R. D. Simulating hamiltonian dynamics with a truncated taylor series. *Physical review letters* **114**, 090502 (2015).

closed under a quantum phase: simulating adiabatic evolution

Proof of Power of Deep Boltzmann Machine

Deep Neural Networks

Tensor Network

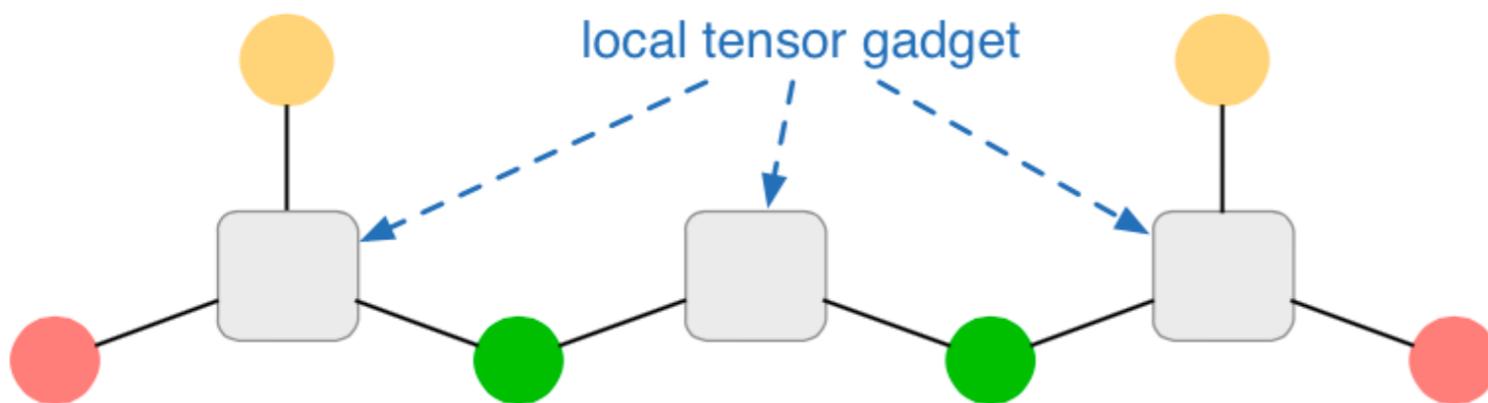


Tensor Network State

$A_{x_1 \dots x_c}$ local tensor

using quantum computing gadget:

$$|A\rangle = \sum_{x_1, \dots, x_c} A_{x_1 \dots x_c} |x_1, \dots, x_c\rangle$$



Deep Boltzmann Machine

at most square of Hilbert space dimension

rule 1 simulates contraction of bond index

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see also

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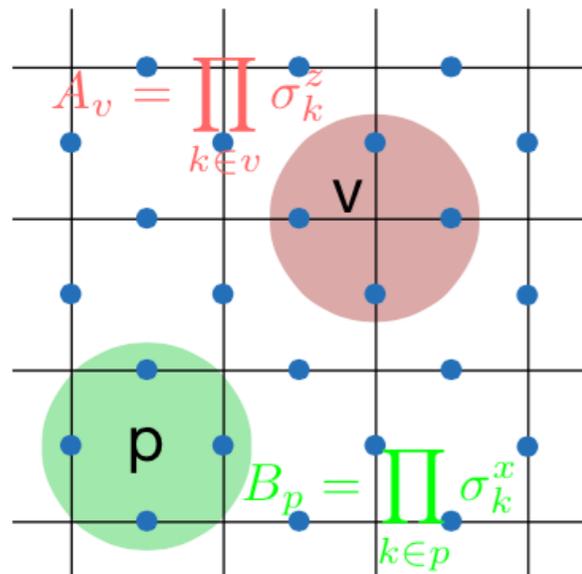
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why not use universal approximate theorem

representing $A_{x_1 \dots x_c}$ directly ?

physical property is very sensitive to local tensor !

toric code



$$T_{ijkl} = 1 \rightarrow T_{ijkl} = 1, \text{ if } i + j + k + l = 0 \pmod 2$$

$$T_{ijkl} = 0 \rightarrow T_{ijkl} = \epsilon, \text{ if } i + j + k + l = 1 \pmod 2$$

so long as $\epsilon \neq 0$
 topological entanglement entropy disappears !

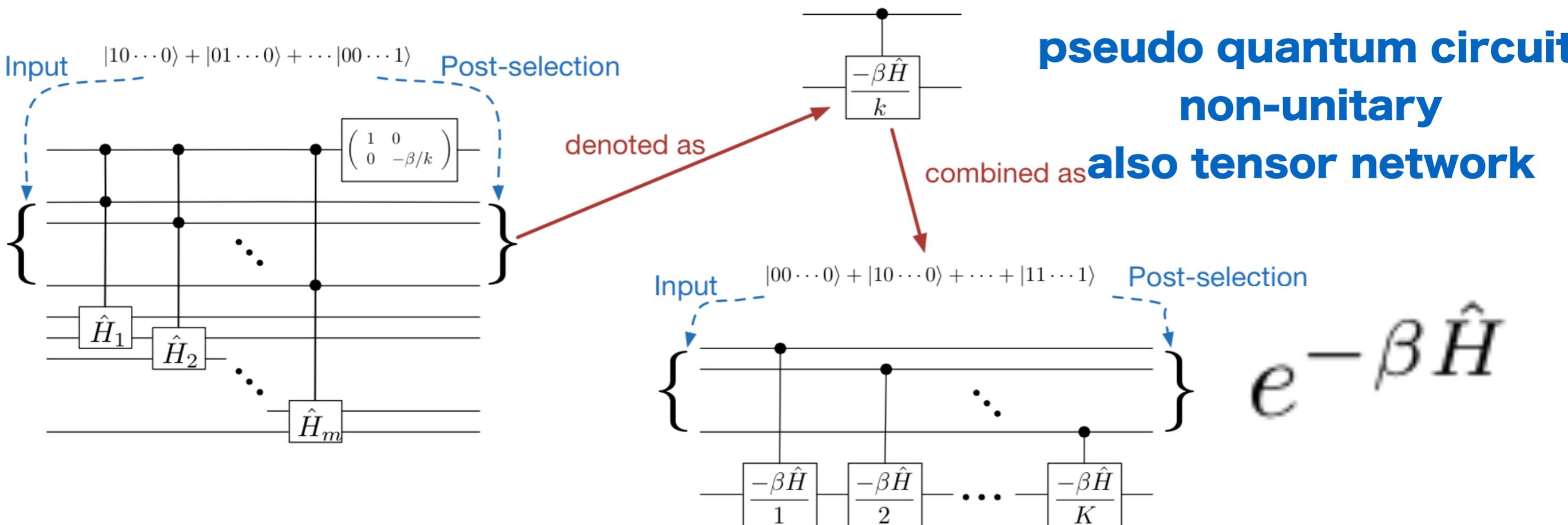
Chen, X., Zeng, B., Gu, Z. C., Chuang, I. L., & Wen, X. G. (2010). Tensor product representation of a topological ordered phase: Necessary symmetry conditions. *Physical Review B*, 82(16), 165119.

Proof of Power of Deep Boltzmann Machine Ground State

inspired by

Berry, D. W., Childs, A. M., Cleve, R., Kothari, R., & Somma, R. D. (2015). Simulating Hamiltonian dynamics with a truncated Taylor series. *Physical review letters*, 114(9), 090502.

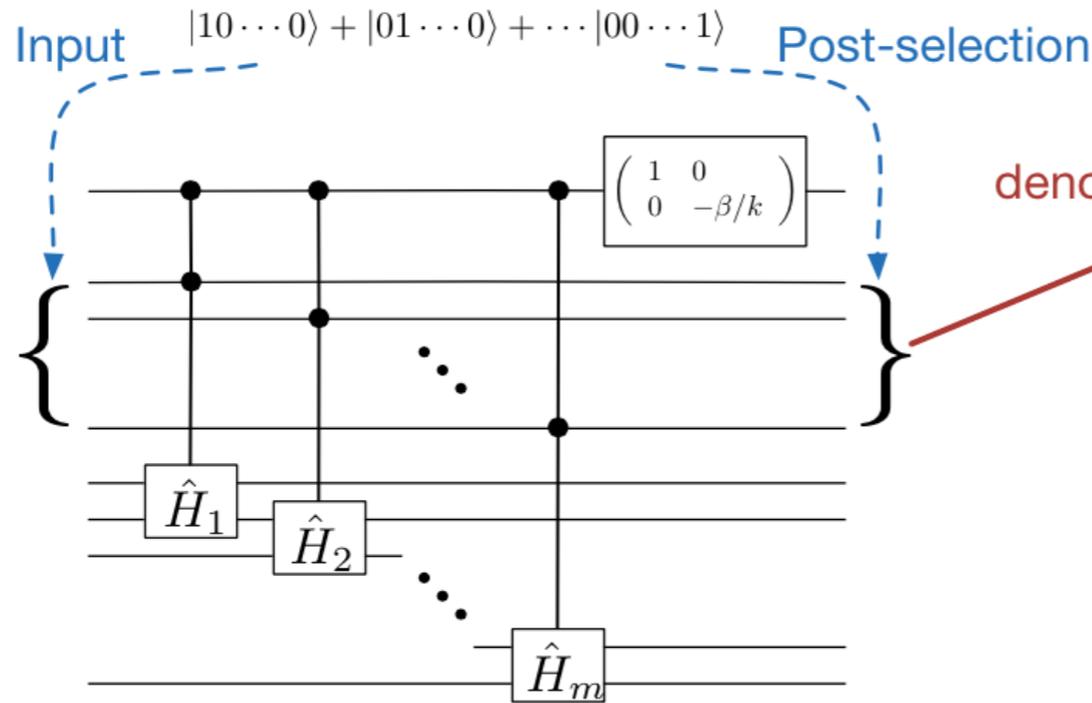
using Taylor series instead of Trotter decomposition:
exponential improvement on precision



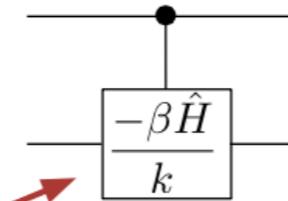
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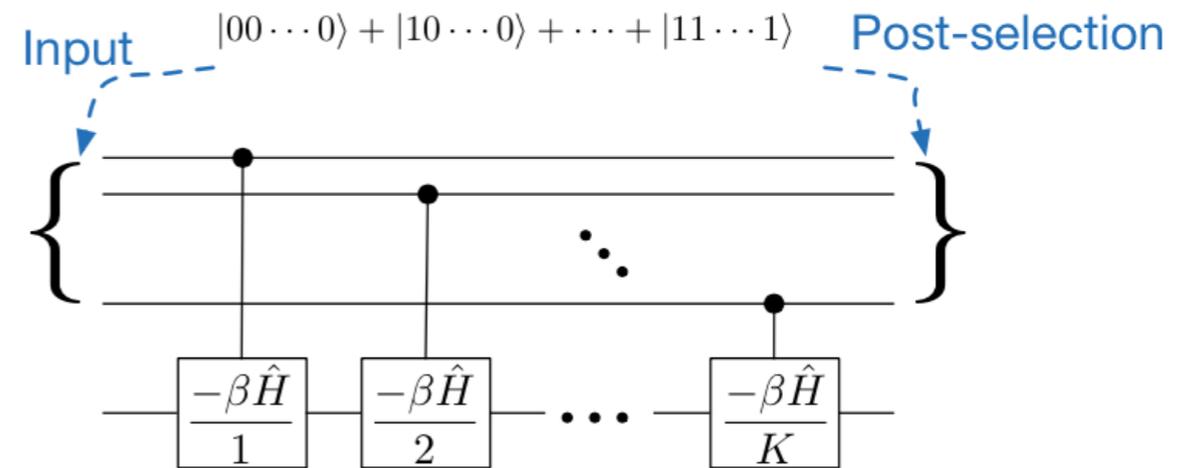
Ground State



denoted as



combined as



$$\sum_{i=1}^m |i\rangle \xrightarrow{\text{controlled-}\hat{H}_i} \sum_{i=1}^m |i\rangle \hat{H}_i \xrightarrow{\text{post-selection}} \sum_{i=1}^m \hat{H}_i$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^K |k\rangle \xrightarrow{\text{controlled-}(-\beta\hat{H}/k)} \sum_{k=0}^K |k\rangle \frac{(-\beta\hat{H})^k}{k!} \xrightarrow{\text{post-selection}} \sum_{k=0}^K \frac{(-\beta\hat{H})^k}{k!}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{2^n-1} |i\rangle |i\rangle = \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-1} |\psi_i\rangle |\psi_i^*\rangle \longrightarrow |\psi_0\rangle \langle \psi_0| + O\left(2^n e^{-\beta\Delta} + \frac{2^n (\beta \|\hat{H}\|)^K}{K!}\right)$$

Potential of Deep Boltzmann Machine

**non-local even non-sparse property
(compared to PEPS):**

proved result for representing ground state beyond 1D

**appropriate for highly entanglement state
like time-evolution**

expected to have less parameters

deeper compared to RBM

harder to extract information or training ?

both #P-complete (computing local observable)

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Training DBM

Deep Neural Networks

Extract Information
prototype Monte-Carlo algorithm

$$\langle \psi | O | \psi \rangle = \frac{\sum_h p_h f_h}{\sum_h p_h g_h}$$

$\frac{p_{h'}}{p_h}$ easy to compute

Metropolis algorithm $Pr(h \rightarrow h') = \min \left(1, \frac{p_{h'}}{p_h} \right)$

f and g are easy to compute

fluctuation is too large? the same problems also
local minimum? occur in RBM ?

seems hard to train (sign problem)

inevitable! (intrinsic) trade off between
representational power & computational difficulty

even though

**our work shows we can benefit a lot from depth
like in deep learning**

quasi DBM/RBM

fewer neurons in the second hidden layer

or other deep architecture

Summary

Restricted Boltzmann Machine:

**limitation for dynamics (quantum phase), PEPS, GS
tool of proof: complexity theory
conjecture, string-bond state**

Deep Boltzmann Machine:

**most of physical states (physical relevant corner?)
dynamics, tensor network
ground state (even gapless & non-local)**

Training Deep Boltzmann Machine:

**Prototype Monte Carlo
connection with other fields**