Quantum Field Theory II Hank Lamm



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Disclaimer: Problems and solutions via my aesthetic



- If it ain't broke, don't fix it
- Premature optimization is the root of all evil
- QCD is my target

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Fundamentally, HEP requires QC^[2]



[1] Kassal, I., J. D. Whitfield, A. Perdomo-Ortiz, M.-H. Yung, and A. Aspuru-Guzik. In: Annual review of physical chemistry 62 (2011).
 [2] Baura, G. W. et al. In: (Apr. 2002). arXiv: 2264.62381 [current ab.].

Bauer, C. W. et al. In: (Apr. 2022). arXiv: 2204.03381 [quant-ph].

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Gut check!

Suppose we wanted to run a circuit on a **100q** with each qubit is acting on by an entangling gate. Could we achieve 50% overall success if the gate fidelity is **95%? 99%?**

This is the **biggest** thing to remember about **current** QC

Suppose we wanted to run a circuit on a **100q** with each qubit is acting on by a **3q** entangling gate. Could we achieve 50% overall success if the gate fidelity is **95%? 99%?**

QFT is about infinities and how to regulate them



I'm sometimes going to talk about lattice actions

$$\langle x|e^{-iHt}|y\rangle = \int \mathcal{D}\phi e^{iSt}$$

The anisotropic Wilson action is

$$S_{\rm W} = \frac{1}{g_t^2} \xi \sum_t \text{Tr } U_t + \frac{1}{g_s^2} \frac{1}{\xi} \sum_s \text{Tr } U_s$$
(1)

thru transfer matrix^[3], $\langle i|e^{-a_0H}|j\rangle$ derives the H_{KS}

$$H_{KS} = \frac{c}{a_s} \left[\frac{g_H^2}{2} \sum_l E_l^2 + \frac{1}{g_H^2} \sum_p \operatorname{Tr} U_p \right]$$
(2)

...**but** this derivation requires an approximation to get E_l^2 ! • H_{KS} isn't the Hamiltonian, but a choice with $O(a_s^2)$ errors

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^[3] Creutz, M. Quarks, gluons and lattices. Cambridge Monographs on Mathematical Physics. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge Univ. Press, June 1985.

LFT has been successful beyond our wildest dreams

$$S_{\infty} = \int d^4x \left[-rac{1}{4} F^{\mu
u} F_{\mu
u} + ar{q} (i D - m) q
ight]$$

 $S_W = \sum_{\chi} \left[eta \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}(1 - U_p) + S_f
ight]$ with $U_p = U_1 U_2 U_3^{\dagger} U_4^{\dagger}$ and $U_i = e^{i a_\mu \mathcal{A}^\mu}$



Wick rotate $t \to i\tau$ then **sample** from e^{-S_R} LFT can compute **most** $\langle \psi_i | \prod_n \mathcal{O}_n(\tau_n) | \psi_i \rangle = \frac{\int \mathcal{D}\phi e^{-S_R} \prod_n \mathcal{O}_n(\tau_n)}{\int \mathcal{D}\phi e^{-S_R}}$

So many choices of fermions

Nielsen-Ninomiya theorem: Assuming locality, hermiticity, and translational symmetry, any lattice chiral fermions have doublers Ginsparg-Wilson equation: Introduce a concept of lattice chiral symmetry that recovered true chiral symmetry in the continuum

$$D\gamma_5 + \gamma_5 D = a D\gamma_5 D$$

- Staggered (KS) Fermions: Spin-taste components on different lattice sites in hypercube
- 2 Wilson Fermions: add a new term to give additional mass to doublers
- 3 Domain wall Fermions: Increase dimensionality
- Overlap Fermions: Use nonlocal operator to remove doublers
- Output in the second second

These are **categories**, which can be **improved** to remove **lattice artifacts Not all** are formulated in **Hamiltonian** (aka for QC)...if you want a research project

So ahead of the curve, the curve becomes a sphere



What about Monte Carlos?

When the state space gets too big, to evaluate $\int dx p(x)$, randomly sample values according to p(x)

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Equation of State Calculations by Fast Computing Machines

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A general method, suitable for fast computing machines, for investigating such properties as equations of state for substances consisting of interacting individual molecules is described. The method consists of a molified Monte Carlo integration over configuration space. Results for the two-dimensional rigid-sphere system have been obtained on the Los Alamos MANIAC and are presented here. These results are compared to the free volume equation of state and to a four-term virial coefficient expansion.







Monte Carlo methods present a practical solution...

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \int dx \, \mathcal{O} p(x)$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle \approx \frac{\sum \mathcal{O}_i p(x_i)}{\sum p(x_i)}$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle \approx \frac{\sum j \mathcal{O}_j}{\sum j (x_i)}$$

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle \approx \frac{\sum_j \mathcal{O}_j}{\sum_j 1} \text{ where } j \text{ sampled with } p(x_j)$$

$$\stackrel{0}{=} \frac{0}{2} \quad \frac{1}{3} \quad \frac{1}{4} \quad \frac{1}{5} \quad \dots \quad \frac{1708}{5979} \approx 0.28566$$

• As $N \to \infty$, $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle \to \mathcal{O}_{\text{exact}}$.

• Computable uncertainty which decreases as N grows!

• ...but what if $p(x_i) \neq [0,1]$ (e.g. e^{-S} is not real)

Monte Carlo methods present a practical solution...



Reweighting: assign probabilities |p(x_i)| and make the relative sign, σ_i part of the observable

• ...but what happens when the cancellations are strong?

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...but struggle with sign problems

- Sign problem: when stochastic sampling requires precise cancellations of positive and negative contributions, which is generically exponentially bad in particle number or volume
- $\int_{-1}^{1} dx \int_{-1}^{1} dy [\Theta(-x) \Theta(x)] = 0$



Sign(al-to-noise) problems stymie HEP



$|\psi angle$ is a **complex-valued** probability amplitude

What do I gain with a quantum computer?^[4]



$$\langle \psi_i | \prod_n \mathcal{O}_n(t_n) | \psi_i \rangle = \langle \psi_i | e^{iHt_0} \mathcal{O}_0 e^{iH\delta t} \mathcal{O}_1 \dots e^{-iHT} | \psi_i \rangle$$



QC can **efficently represent** superpositions and entanglement Digital QC provide entangled qubits and gates, **not** field theories.

^[4] Feynman, R. P. In: Int. J. Theor. Phys. 21 (1982).

What "champagne problems" need to be solved?

- Encoding: How are fields represented as registers?
- Initalize: How can registers be set to a state?
- **Propagate**: How can gates evolve states?
- Evaluate: How can observables be computed?



• Mitigate: Can LFT-specific QEC/QEM be cheaply designed?

Fermions on quantum computers

Most quantum computers are built from **bosonic** degrees of freedom This is a **problem**... since fermions **anticommute**, $\{\psi_a, \psi_b\} = \delta_{ab}$ **Fermionic states** are fully antisymmetric \implies **nontrivial map** to qudits

• Bravyi-Kitaev: Uses parity get $O(\log(m))$ gates Can be application limited e.g. some work poorly for LGT

What about **QEC**+fermion encodings?^[5]...if you want a research project

Landahl, A. J. and B. C. A. Morrison. In: (Oct. 2021). arXiv: 2110.10280 [quant-ph].

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[5]



All things considered...

Exploring Digitizations of Quantum Fields for Quantum Devices

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In this LOI we undertake to enumerate promising digitization schemes for quantum fields that could allow near-term calculations on quantum devices. Further we discuss the outstanding questions that must be resolved in evaluating their potential, providing potential benchmarking on the way to practical quantum advantage in high energy physics.

- Lots of choices for digitizing gauge bosons^[6]:
 - Some combination of: Hamiltonian, basis, and truncation
 - I am going to focus on discrete subgroups

What qualities make a GOOD scheme?

- What quantum resources are required to get physical point?
- What symmetries are being broken in digitization?
- Can the scheme be simulated classically?

Gustafson, E. et al. In: Snowmass 2021 LOI TF10-97 (2020).

[6]

Start from **Kogut-Susskind** Hamiltonian (a **lattice-reg'd** version of *H*):

$$H_{KS} = \frac{c}{a_s} \left[\frac{g_H^2}{2} \sum_l E_l^2 + \frac{1}{g_H^2} \sum_p \text{Tr } U_p \right]$$

Notice there are two **natural** basis: E_l -basis & U-basis **Truncate** the basis, e.g. $E_l \leq E_{max}$ but now you aren't using H_{KS}

$$H_{\text{trunc}} = \frac{c}{a_s} \left[\frac{g_H^2}{2} \sum_l E_l^2 + \frac{1}{g_H^2} \sum_p \text{Tr } U_p \right] + \mathcal{O}_{\text{trunc}}$$

 \mathcal{O}_{trunc} may break symmetries, unitarity – and could be **relevant** operator – and will be affected by **noise**

This is not a triviality!

- This defines your EFT
- Qubit costs scale as function of as
- Continuum theory approximated can change.
- Mixing of matrix elements under renormalization (
- O_{trunc} is **not** necessarily obtained from replacement e.g. $U \rightarrow U + \delta$ but can be **lowest** dimension operator which breaks symmetry

Discrete subgroups allow plug-and-play^{[7][8][9]}



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[8]

[9]

Approximating Continuous Gauge Groups



For any finite group, we can map elements g_i to integers *i*. Then encode g_i into qubits via the bit-string of the integer For example: $|g_{23}\rangle = |23\rangle = |10111\rangle$

What might a register look like?^[10]



Discrete groups can't reach continuum^{[11][12][13]}



Integrating over ϕ leads to S_{eff} with new irreps of G

11]	Fradkin, E. H. and S. H. Shenker. In: Phys. Rev. D 19 (1979).
12]	Horn, D., M. Weinstein, and S. Yankielowicz. In: Phys. Rev. D 19 (1979).
13]	Labastida, J. M. F., E. Sanchez-Velasco, R. E. Shrock, and P. Wills. In: Phys. Rev. D 34 (1986).

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So, discrete groups are continuous groups+Higgs

• Starting from G coupled to ϕ

• The rep of ϕ determines the breaking $G \rightarrow H$

• **Higher** rep (larger H) \rightarrow **smaller** a_f

• **Dislike this?** note that SO(4) is **never** recovered for O(1/a) states

• On-going work to understand how Higgs couples to Nonabelian $G^{[14]}$

[14]



Das, S. and A. Hook. In: JHEP 10 (2020). arXiv: 2006.10767 [hep-ph].

So how can we predict a_f ?^[15]

$$\beta_{f,U(1)} = \frac{\log(1+\sqrt{2})}{1-\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)} \approx \kappa_2 N^2, \text{ which extends to } \beta_{f,SU(N_c)} \approx \kappa N^{\frac{N_c^2-1}{2}}$$

But whereas \mathbb{Z}_N can be taken to ∞ , limited number for $SU(N_c)$

$$\beta \propto rac{1}{\log(a)} \implies a_f \propto e^{-\beta_f}$$

So the important question is $a_s > a_f$?

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^[15] Petcher, D. and D. H. Weingarten. In: Phys. Rev. D22 (1980), Hartung, T., T. Jakobs, K. Jansen, J. Ostmeyer, and C. Urbach. In: (Jan. 2022). arXiv: 2201.09625 [hep-lat].

What do we know from Wilson Action?

- $U(1) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_N, N > 4$
- $SU(2) \rightarrow \mathbb{BO}, \mathbb{BI}$
- $SU(3)
 ightarrow \mathbb{V}$ has $eta_f = 3.935(5) < eta_s pprox 6$
- One 1152 qubit SU(3) link vs $\sim 4^3$ lattice of 11 qubits for $\mathbb V$ link



But why use the Wilson action?

The Wilson action is inadequate for many issues

$$S_W = \beta \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[1 - U_p] \approx -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{12} a^2 D_\mu F_{\mu\nu} D_\mu F_{\mu\nu}$$

...which can be treated with Symanzik improvement^[16]

$$\begin{split} S_{LW} = &\beta \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[1 - U_p] + \beta_2 \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[1 - U_{rt}] + \beta_3 \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[1 - U_{par}] \\ \approx &-\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + O(a^4) \end{split}$$

but you could also add local terms proportional to other irreps...e.g.^[17]

$$S_{M} = \beta \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[1 - U_{\rho}] + \beta_{a} \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr}[U_{\rho}] \operatorname{Tr}[U_{\rho}^{\dagger}]$$
(3)

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^[16] Symanzik, K. In: Communications in Mathematical Physics 18 (1970).

^[17] Bhanot, G. In: Phys. Lett. 108B (1982), Fukugita, M., T. Kaneko, and M. Kobayashi. In: Nucl. Phys. B 215 (1983), Hasenbusch, M. and S. Necco. In: JHEP 08 (2004). arXiv: hep-lat/0405012 [hep-lat].

'Same' physics at $\beta_W \equiv f(\beta_f, \beta_a)$ have diff. errors^[18]



Figure 6: Lines of constant physics as predicted by perturbation theory (dotted lines) and tadpole improved perturbation theory (dashed lines) together with the deconfinement transitions for $N_t = 2, 4, 6, and 8$.

[18]

Blum, T. et al. In: Nucl. Phys. B442 (1995). arXiv: hep-lat/9412038 [hep-lat].

Modifed actions can lower truncation needed^[19]



 $f(z) = \beta_0 + \frac{1}{2}\beta_4(z + z^{-1}) + \beta_2 z^2 .$

[19]

Fukugita, M., T. Kaneko, and M. Kobayashi. In: Nucl. Phys. B 215 (1983).

Can modified actions help S(1080)**?**

Define a trajectory to study continuum limit



Classical "State Prepartion" with operator basis

 $\langle C_{ij}(\tau) \rangle = \langle \beta | \mathcal{O}_i(0) \mathcal{O}_i^{\dagger}(\tau) | \beta \rangle = \sum_k c_{ijk} e^{-E_k \tau}$ 004200 G L AD CONCO MOD AD AP A or A. $\sim 1 \langle \zeta \rangle$

10,016 independent operators from p = 0 operators across 20 symmetry sectors with $n_{smear} = 2, 4, 6, 8$ levels of *stout-smearing*^[20].

Morningstar, C. and M. J. Peardon. In: Phys. Rev. D69 (2004). arXiv: hep-lat/0311018 [hep-lat].

[20]

Seems to work for glueballs^[21]



Low-lying glueball masses are consistent with SU(3)

irrep	S(1080)	SU(3) ^[22]	<i>SU</i> (3) ^[23]
A_1^{++}	1.301(20)	1.319(8)	1.391(37)
A_{1}^{-+}	2.090(31)	2.049(17)	2.089(20)
E^{++}	1.899(21)	1.902(7)	1.946(17)

S(1080) reproduces SU(3) at $10 \times$ higher energy than $T_c \sqrt{t_0} \approx 0.25$ S(1080) good until at least $\mathcal{O}(10^5)$ qubit devices

Athenodorou, A. and M. Teper. In: JHEP 11 (2020). arXiv: 2007.06422 [hep-lat].

Chen, Y. et al. In: Phys. Rev. D73 (2006). arXiv: hep-lat/0510074 [hep-lat].

^[22] [23]

What might a galactic algorithm look like?

Quantum Algorithms for Quantum Field Theories

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Quantum field theory recordies quantum mechanics and special relativity, and plays a central robot in many areas of physics. We developed a quantum algorithm computer etahnistic scattering probabilities in a massive quantum field theory with quartic self-interactions (of theory) in spectrem of fuu area (theored finencious). It not mine is playoneain in the number of particles, spectrem of the area (theored finencious) and the provide theory and the particles strong coupling and high-precision regimes our quantum algorithm achieves esponential speciedo port the faster boroon classical algorithm.



Vacuum Prep+Adiabatic evolution+Trotterization+Measurements^[24] Example: $|\langle pp|U(t)|\pi\pi\pi\pi\rangle|^2$ needs $\mathcal{O}(10^8)$ logical qubits $\approx \left(\frac{4 \text{ fm}}{0.05 \text{ fm}}\right)^3 \times (3 \text{ links} \times 11 \text{ qubits} + 3 \text{ colors} \times 2 \text{ flavors} \times 2 \text{ spins} \times 1 \text{ qubit})$

Jordan, S. P., K. S. M. Lee, and J. Preskill. In: Science 336 (2012). arXiv: 1111.3633 [quant-ph].

[24]

How do I time evolve a quantum field?



What is trotterization?

$$\mathcal{U}(t) = e^{-iHt} \approx \left(e^{-i\delta t \frac{H_V}{2}} e^{-i\delta t H_K} e^{-i\delta t \frac{H_V}{2}} \right)^{\frac{1}{\delta t}}$$
$$\approx \exp\left\{ -it \left(H_K + H_V + \frac{\delta t^2}{24} (2[H_K, [H_K, H_V]] - [H_V, [H_V, H_K]]) \right) \right\}$$



- δt is bare $c(a, a_t)$ not physical a_t
- Introduces higher dimension operators
- Eigenstates mix at $a_t \neq 0 \rightarrow$ quantum smearing?...if you want a research project

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UV states could really be a problem



Unlike Euclidean, they **don't** naturally dissipate Your digitization affects **trotter-mixing into UV** & must be investigated Reduced mixing \implies larger $a_t \implies$ shallower circuits

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Approaching the continuum^[25]



 $a_t m_1$

- Hamiltonian limit: $a_t \rightarrow 0$ (unnecessarily expensive)
- Continuum limit: $a_t, a \rightarrow 0$ (the one that I want)
- Fix $\xi = a/a_t$ to **efficiently** get QFT

Carena, M., H. Lamm, Y.-Y. Li, and W. Liu. In: Phys. Rev. D 104 (2021). arXiv: 2107.01166 [hep-lat].

 $a_t m_2/a_t m_1$

[25]

What low-level primatives are required for LGT?^[26]

 $|b_1\rangle - |c_1\rangle -$

 $|b_2\rangle -$

How do we build $U_K = e^{iH_K}$ and $U_V = e^{iH_V}$?

• Inversion gate: $\mathfrak{U}_{-1}\ket{g}=\Ket{g^{-1}}$

- Multiplication gate: $\mathfrak{U}_{ imes}\ket{g}\ket{h}=\ket{g}\ket{gh}_{\ket{a_2}}$.
- Trace gate $\mathfrak{U}_{\mathsf{Tr}}(heta)\ket{g}=e^{i heta\,\mathsf{Re}\,\mathsf{Tr}\,g}\ket{g}$ $|c_2
 angle$
- Fourier Transform gate: $\mathfrak{U}_F \sum_{g \in G} f(g) \ket{g} = \sum_{\rho \in \hat{G}} \hat{f}(\rho)_{ij} \ket{\rho, i, j}$



[26]

Lamm, H., S. Lawrence, and Y. Yamauchi. In: Phys. Rev. D100 (2019). arXiv: 1903.08807 [hep-lat].

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Small steps with D_{2^N} for quantum leaps



 D_{2^N} multiply: $h_1 \times h_2 = v^{m_1} u^{n_1} v^{\beta} v^{m_2} u^{n_2} = v^{m_1+m_2} u^{Nm_2+(-1)^{m_2}n_1+n_2}$





All-to-all connectivityLinear connectivity $N_{CNOT} = 21N_q - 31$ $N_{CNOT} \le 126N_q^2 - 438N_q + 372$ Ancilla qubits: $N_q - 1$

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Primitive gates on Rigetti^[27]



Primitive gates for D_4 have $\geq 80\%$ fidelity – **CCPHASE** critical! (a) Trace gate, f = 0.857 (b) Fourier gate, f = 0.920





Alam, M. S., S. Hadfield, H. Lamm, and A. C. Y. Li. In: (Aug. 2021). arXiv: 2108.13305 [quant-ph].

[27]

Kogut-Susskind^[28] is not only Hamiltonian^[29]

$$H_{\rm co} = \frac{1}{2} \int \mathrm{d}^d x \, \mathrm{Tr} \left[\mathbf{E}^2(\mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{B}^2(\mathbf{x}) \right]$$



$$H_{KS} = K_{KS} + V_{KS} + \mathcal{O}(a^2)$$

Including additional terms reduces discretization effects

$$\begin{split} H_{I} &= K_{I} + V_{I} + \mathcal{O}(a^{4}) \\ V_{I} &= \beta_{V0} V_{KS} + \beta_{V1} V_{rect} + \beta_{V2} V_{bent} \\ K_{I} &= \beta_{K0} K_{KS} + \beta_{K1} K_{2L} \end{split}$$

$\gtrsim 2^d$ fewer qubits without increasing gate cost

[28] [29]

Kogut, J. and L. Susskind. In: Phys. Rev. D 11 (2 1975).

Carena, M., H. Lamm, Y.-Y. Li, and W. Liu. In: (Mar. 2022). arXiv: 2203.02823 [hep-lat].

Reducing resources with improved Hamiltonians^[30]

Larger $a_s \implies$ **fewer** qubits for fixed discretization error



Carena, M., H. Lamm, Y.-Y. Li, and W. Liu. In: (Mar. 2022). arXiv: 2203.02823 [hep-lat].

[30]

Can we implement this Hamiltonian today?



 $P(w_H)$ is **probability** of measuring a state with w_H 1's in it e.g. $|001010\rangle$ has $w_H = 2$ **Noiseless** results would be $P(w_H = 0) = 1$

What do we need to extract physics?

 $(a^{\dagger})^n |\Omega\rangle$

 $\mathcal{U}_{\mathrm{ad}}(t)$

 e^{-iHt}

 $|pp\rangle$

 $\mathcal{O}(t)$

How do I compute $\langle \Psi | \prod_n \mathcal{O}(t_n) | \Psi \rangle$?^[31]

Want to measure $\langle O(t) \rangle$? Measure the qubits, or phase estimation Acting on a quantum state $|\Psi\rangle$ with the first Hermitian $\mathcal{O}(t_0)$ leads to... Þ So what is to be done? Perturb $H \to H + \epsilon \mathcal{O}\delta(t)$, and take derivatives: $\langle \Psi | \mathcal{O}(t) \mathcal{O}(0) | \Psi \rangle = \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon_{\star}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon_{0}} \langle \Psi | e^{-iHt} e^{-i\mathcal{O}\epsilon_{t}} e^{iHt} e^{i\mathcal{O}\epsilon_{0}} | \Psi \rangle$

Pedernales, J. S., R. Di Candia, I. L. Egusquiza, J. Casanova, and E. Solano. In: Phys. Rev. Lett. 113 (2 2014).

[31]

Deriving Lattice Hamiltonian Operators^[32]

$$\eta = \frac{V}{T} \int_0^\infty \mathrm{d}t \langle T_{12}(t) T_{12}(0) \rangle$$

We construct a lattice Hamiltonian version of $T_{\mu\nu}$ that depends on $F_{\mu\nu}$

TABLE I. Gauge-invariant lattice operators in the Hamiltonian formalism in 3 + 1d dimensions: naive operators with O(a) errors and improved operators with errors that are $O(a^2)$. Components of the energy-momentum tensor $T_{\mu\nu}$ are constructed as linear combinations of these operators according to Eq. (8). The plaquette \hat{P} and clover \hat{C} are defined in Eq. (10) and Eq. (15), respectively. Spatial indices are $i \neq j \neq k$.

Operator	O(a)	$O(a^2)$
$\mathrm{Tr}F_{0i}F_{0i}(n)$	$rac{g_s^2}{a^4} \mathrm{Tr}\left[\pi_{n,i}^2\right]$	$\sum_{x=0,1} \frac{g^2}{2a^4} \operatorname{Tr} \left[\pi^2_{n-xi,i} \right]$
$\mathrm{Tr}F_{0i}F_{0j}(n)$	$\frac{g_s^2}{a^4} \operatorname{Tr}\left[\pi_{n,i} \pi_{n,j}\right]$	$\begin{split} \frac{g_{a}^2}{4a^4} \left(\mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{\pi}_{n,i} \hat{\pi}_{n,j} \right] + \mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{\pi}_{n,i} \hat{U}^{\dagger}_{n-j,j} \hat{\pi}_{n-j,j} \hat{U}_{n-j,j} \right] + \mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{U}^{\dagger}_{n-i,i} \hat{\pi}_{n-i} \hat{U}_{n-i,i} \hat{\pi}_{n,j} \right] \\ + \mathrm{Tr}\left[\hat{U}^{\dagger}_{n-i,i} \hat{\pi}_{n-i,i} \hat{U}_{n-i,i} \hat{U}^{\dagger}_{n-j,j} \hat{\pi}_{n-j,j} \hat{U}_{n-j,j} \right] \right) \end{split}$
$\mathrm{Tr}F_{0j}F_{ij}(n)$	$-\frac{1}{a^4} \operatorname{Tr}\left[\hat{\pi}_{n,j} \operatorname{Im} \hat{P}_{ij}(n)\right]$	$-\frac{1}{2a^4} \left(\operatorname{Tr} \left[\hat{\pi}_{n,j} \operatorname{Im} \hat{C}_{ij}(n) \right] + \operatorname{Tr} \left[\hat{U}^{\dagger}_{n-\hat{j},j} \hat{\pi}_{n-\hat{j},j} \hat{U}_{n-\hat{j},j} \operatorname{Im} \hat{C}_{ij}(n) \right] \right)$
$\mathrm{Tr}F_{ij}F_{ij}(n)$	$\frac{2}{g_s^2 a^4} \operatorname{ReTr} \left[1 - \hat{P}_{ij}(n) \right]$	$\sum_{x=0,1} \sum_{y=0,1} \frac{1}{2g_x^2 a^4} \operatorname{ReTr} \left[1 - \hat{P}_{ij} (n - x\hat{i} - y\hat{j}) \right]$
$\operatorname{Tr} F_{ij} F_{kj}(n)$	${\rm Tr}[\hat{F}^N_{ij}(n)\hat{F}^N_{kj}(n)]$	${ m Tr}[\hat{F}^C_{ij}(n)\hat{F}^C_{kj}(n)]$

Cohen, T. D., H. Lamm, S. Lawrence, and Y. Yamauchi. In: (Apr. 2021). arXiv: 2104.02024 [hep-lat].

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[32]

What will it take for practical quantum advantage?

$$egin{aligned} & N_{qudits} \propto N_{dof} imes \left[rac{L}{a}
ight]^d \, \& \ & N_{gates} \propto N_{\mathcal{U}}(N_{dof}[L/a]^d) imes \left[rac{T}{a_t}
ight] \end{aligned}$$

- Hadron scattering: L, T = O(10) fm, $a, a_t = O(0.1)$ fm^[33]
- Transport coefficients: L, T = O(1) fm, $a, a_t = O(1)$ fm^[34]
- $U_{\eta circ} \sim$ **Thermal** state prep + **Quench** + Trotterization



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Slide from Davoudi & Savage Snowmass 2022 talk

Dynamics in the Schwinger Model - Abelian Gauge Theory — 1+1 dim QED —



As we walk in, 1 + 1d gauge could be trouble

- Nondynamic gauge field \implies removable
- Dramatic optimizations may not generalize
- Solvable^[35] \implies **no** quantum advantage
- Often "superrenormalizable" / conformal ⇒ lots of simplifications



FIG. 2. Spectra for N = 3, baryon number B = 0, 1, and 2 as a function of g/m; K fixed.

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Error mitigation crucial to question of NISQ QA



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Specialized Error Mitigation and Correction^{[36][37]}



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Today's estimate: $\mathcal{O}(10^8)$ q & $\mathcal{O}(10^{55})$ T-gates^[38]

"...99.998% of the gate counts stem from QFOPs...The SU(3) *HI collision* problem is...> 3 yrs of runtime on an exa-scale quantum supercomputer."

- pp scattering on $(L/a)^d = 100^3$ lattice
 - Observables dictate L/a, T/a_t , $d \implies$ fewer qubits
- Kogut-Susskind Hamiltonian
 - Improved Hamiltonians will increase $a \implies$ fewer qubits
- Truncate to $\Lambda = 10$ in the electric field values (24q)
 - Better truncations allow fewer qubits per link near continuum
- **Trotterization** $\mathcal{U}(T)$ with **loose** error bound $\epsilon_{Trotter}$
 - Other methods: variational, QDRIFT, qubitization ...
- Decomposing specific unitaries into gates introduces $\epsilon_{synthesis}$
 - Different platforms: Analog, Digital, CV, Qudits
- $\epsilon \equiv \epsilon_{Trotter} + \epsilon_{synthesis} = 10^{-8}$
 - Current theoretical errors can be $\mathcal{O}(1)$

Cracking RSA and Quantum Chemistry need $\mathcal{O}(10^7)$ q & $\mathcal{O}(10^{20})!$

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Kan, A. and Y. Nam. In: arXiv preprint arXiv:2107.12769 (2021).

It's time to go

- Devices are expected to rapidly scale
 - Theorists should be engaged early
 - Toy models simulations in \lesssim 5 years
- Investigate desirable properties
 - Entanglement in QG? Viscosity?, Cosmology?
- Must improve over **expensive** algorithms
 - e.g. Consider theory errors, tighter bound on trotterization, reduce QFOPs
- Need to develop workforce with **new skills**



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