

# Quantized Tensor Train

Entanglement analysis of encoding functions in quantum states

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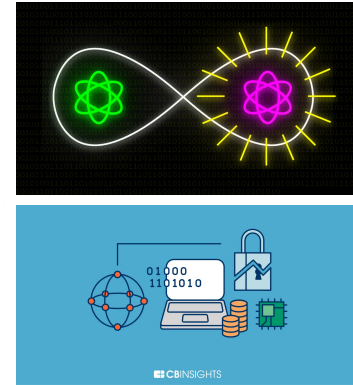
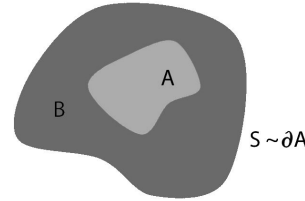


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Entanglement is one of the most important feature in quantum physics. (2022 Nobel Prize in Physics)

Often studied in the context of:

- Many-body physics
- Quantum cryptography
- Information theory
- ...



These topics often consider physical (non-)locality:

$$|\dots 010\dots\rangle \quad |\dots 111\dots\rangle$$

However, in **quantum algorithms**, physical qubits store information “**digitally**”:

$$\sum f(x)|x\rangle$$

No notion of physical locality!

$$|x\rangle = |000\dots00\rangle, \dots |011\dots11\rangle, |100\dots00\rangle, \dots$$

What happens to the entanglement there?

i.e. what properties of  $f$  affect the state’s **entanglement**?

$\sum f(x)|x\rangle$  What properties of  $f$  affect the state's entanglement?

Answering this question will help:

1. Understand when might quantum algorithms beat classical (tensor network) algorithms.
2. Design quantum-inspired classical algorithms.

Good classical  
algorithm by just  
“simulation”

Classically  
doable

Quantum  
Advantage?



Entanglement

**Quantized Tensor  
Train (QTT)**

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## Outline

1. Notations
2. Introduction to QTT
3. Examples of efficient QTT
4. Applications of QTT
5. Summary & Discussion

Focus on QTT representations  
of functions & operators,  
rather than QTT algorithms

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## Notations: bra-ket & entanglement

$$\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} v_0 \\ v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_{N-1} \end{pmatrix} = |v\rangle \quad \langle v| = (|v\rangle)^\dagger = (v_0^* \ v_1^* \ \dots \ v_{N-1}^*)$$

$$|ab\rangle = |a\rangle|b\rangle = |a\rangle \otimes |b\rangle$$

What I meant by “entanglement”:

Schmidt decomposition  
= SVD

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{\chi} \sigma_i |L_i\rangle |R_i\rangle$$

Schmidt rank  $\approx$  entanglement  
or some measure on how fast singular values decay

# Notations: tensor network

vector

$v_j$



matrix

$M_{ij}$

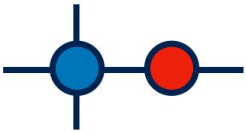


3-index tensor

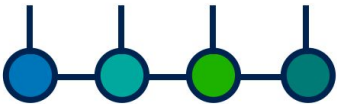
$T_{ijk}$



## Tensor Contraction



$$= \sum_k T_{ijkl} V_{km}$$



$$= \sum_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3} A_{\alpha_1}^{s_1} B_{\alpha_1 \alpha_2}^{s_2} C_{\alpha_2 \alpha_3}^{s_3} D_{\alpha_3}^{s_4}$$



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# Quantized Tensor Train: **(very brief) history**

## Condensed matter physics

1990s: Density Matrix Renormalization Group, Matrix Product State

2000s: Tensor Networks

Independently developed from two communities.

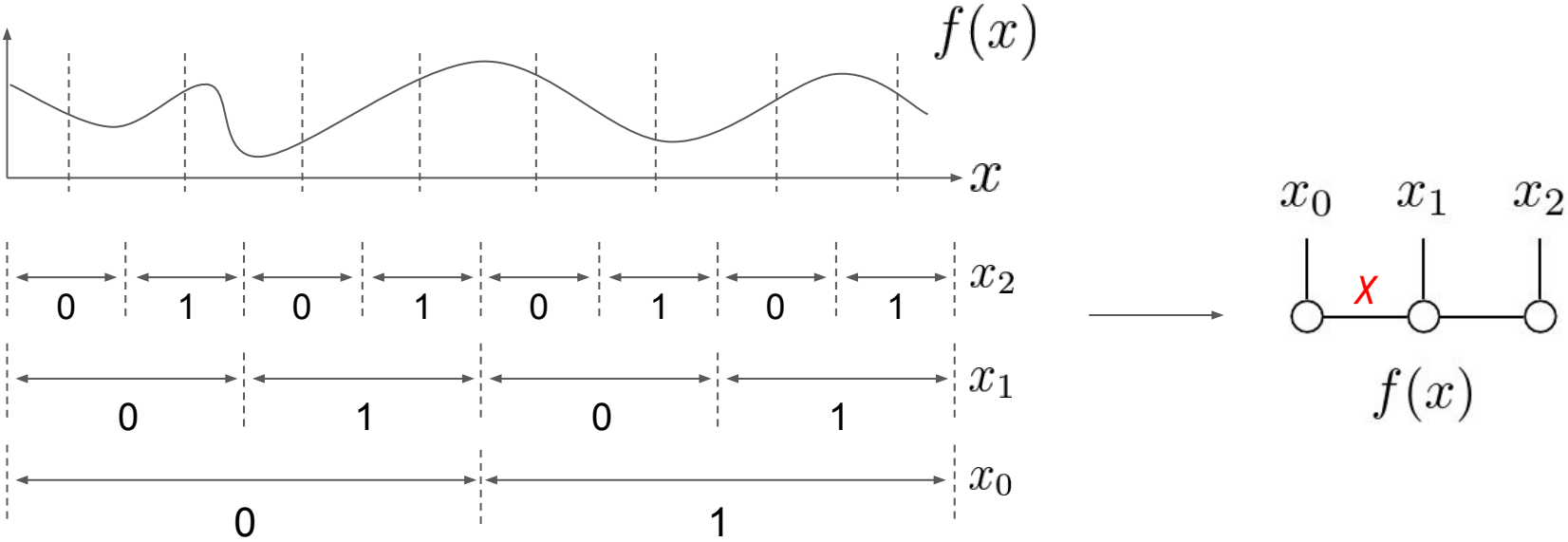
Many things about TT/QTT already known by physicists, but also many new things from math perspective!

## Applied Math

2009: Tensor Train

2010s: Quantized Tensor Train

# Quantized Tensor Train for **functions**



Efficient criteria: bond-dimension  $\chi = \text{poly}(n)$  or even  $\chi = O(1)$

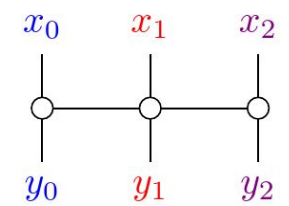
Space savings:  $2^n \rightarrow O(n\chi^2)$

# Quantized Tensor Train for **operators & 2D functions**

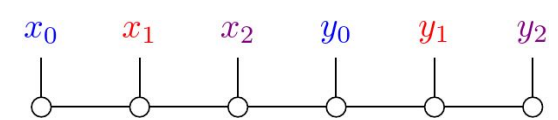
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$x_1$	$a_{21}$	$a_{22}$	$a_{23}$	$a_{24}$	$a_{25}$	$a_{26}$	$a_{27}$	$a_{28}$
$x_0$	$a_{31}$	$a_{32}$	$a_{33}$	$a_{34}$	$a_{35}$	$a_{36}$	$a_{37}$	$a_{38}$
	$a_{41}$	$a_{42}$	$a_{43}$	$a_{44}$	$a_{45}$	$a_{46}$	$a_{47}$	$a_{48}$
	$a_{51}$	$a_{52}$	$a_{53}$	$a_{54}$	$a_{55}$	$a_{56}$	$a_{57}$	$a_{58}$
	$a_{61}$	$a_{62}$	$a_{63}$	$a_{64}$	$a_{65}$	$a_{66}$	$a_{67}$	$a_{68}$
	$a_{71}$	$a_{72}$	$a_{73}$	$a_{74}$	$a_{75}$	$a_{76}$	$a_{77}$	$a_{78}$
	$a_{81}$	$a_{82}$	$a_{83}$	$a_{84}$	$a_{85}$	$a_{86}$	$a_{87}$	$a_{88}$

operator

2D function



subtlety with ordering...



Space savings:  $2^{2n} \rightarrow O(n\chi^2)$

Similar scheme for multilinear map & high-dimensional function

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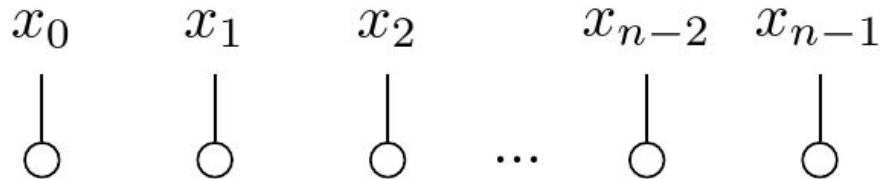
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## Efficient QTT functions: $\exp(x)$

$\exp(x)$  is a product of exponentials of individual bits:

$$\begin{aligned} e^x &= e^{x_0+2x_1+2^2x_2+\dots} \\ &= \prod e^{2^i x_i} \end{aligned} \longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ e^2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ e^{2^2} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \dots$$

which corresponds to a  $\chi = 1$  QTT:

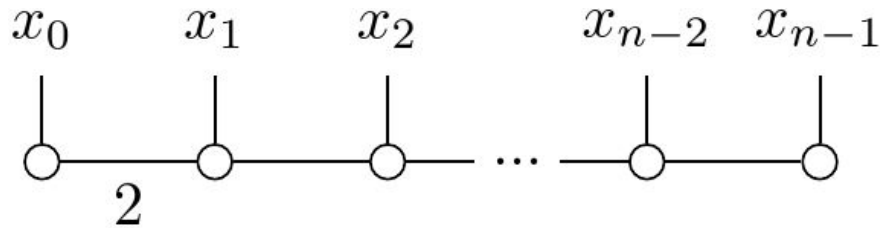


## Efficient QTT functions: **cos(x) & sin(x)**

cos(x) & sin(x) = a sum of two exponentials:

$$\cos(x) = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2} \quad \sin(x) = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i}$$

which corresponds to a  $\chi = 2$  QTT: (canonical polyadic decomposition)



Generally:  
 $\chi \leq \#$ Fourier  
coefficients

## Efficient QTT functions: **polynomials (1st order)**

First-order polynomial:  $x = x_0 + 2x_1 + 2^2x_2\dots$

Want to construct QTT state  $|x^1\rangle$  s.t.  $\langle x_0x_1x_2\dots|x^1\rangle = x_0 + 2x_1 + 2^2x_2\dots$

Solution:

$$|x^1\rangle = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} |+\rangle^{\otimes j} |v_j^1\rangle |+\rangle^{\otimes n-j-1}$$

$$|v_j^k\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2^{jk} \end{pmatrix} \quad |+\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle x_j | v_j^1 \rangle &= 2^j x_j \\ \langle x_j | + \rangle &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

**$\chi = 2$**  QTT format:

$$\begin{array}{c} | \\ (|+\rangle \quad |v_0^1\rangle) \end{array} \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{c} |+\rangle \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} |v_1^1\rangle \\ |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array} \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{c} |+\rangle \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} |v_2^1\rangle \\ |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array} \text{ --- } \dots \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{c} |v_{n-1}^1\rangle \\ |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$



## Efficient QTT functions: **polynomials (2nd order)**

Second-order polynomial:  $x^2 = (x_0 + 2x_1 + 2^2x_2\dots)^2 = \sum x_j x_k 2^{j+k}$

In the first-order example we defined  $|v_j^1\rangle$  s.t.  $\langle x_j | v_j^1 \rangle = x_j 2^j$

Extending to second order:

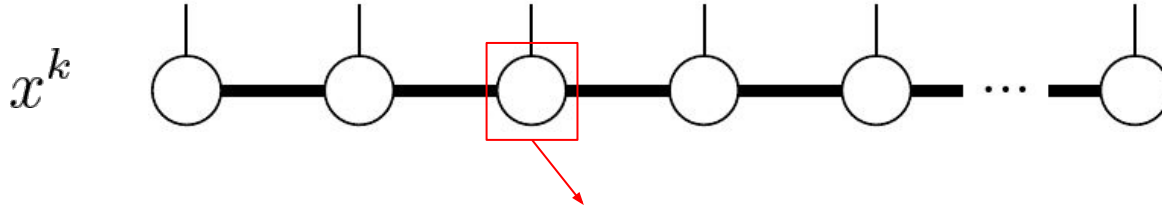
$$|x^2\rangle = 2 \sum_{j < k} |+\rangle^{\otimes j} |v_j^1\rangle |+\rangle^{\otimes k-j-1} |v_k^1\rangle |+\rangle^{\otimes n-k-1} + \sum_j |+\rangle^{\otimes j} |v_j^2\rangle |+\rangle^{\otimes n-j-1}$$

Corresponding to a  $\chi = 3$  QTT format:

$$\begin{array}{c} | \\ (|+\rangle \quad 2|v_0^1\rangle \quad |v_0^2\rangle) \end{array} \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{ccc} |+\rangle & 2|v_1^1\rangle & |v_1^2\rangle \\ 0 & |+\rangle & |v_1^1\rangle \\ 0 & 0 & |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array} \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{ccc} |+\rangle & 2|v_2^1\rangle & |v_2^2\rangle \\ 0 & |+\rangle & |v_2^1\rangle \\ 0 & 0 & |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array} \text{ --- } \dots \text{ --- } \begin{array}{c} | \\ \left( \begin{array}{c} |v_{n-1}^2\rangle \\ |v_{n-1}^1\rangle \\ |+\rangle \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

# Efficient QTT functions: **polynomials (higher order)**

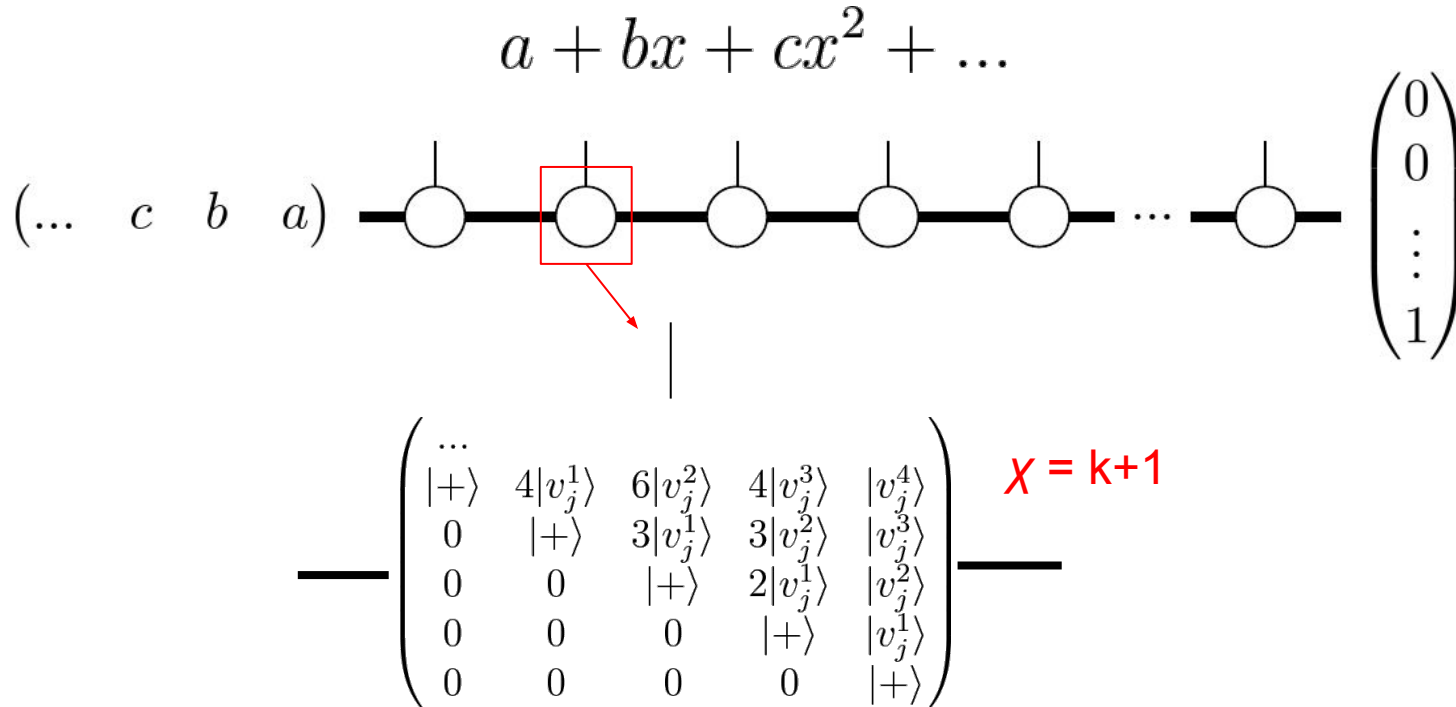
Extending to higher order:



$$\begin{array}{c}
 | \\
 \text{---} \left( \begin{array}{cccccc}
 \dots & & & & & \\
 |+\rangle & 4|v_j^1\rangle & 6|v_j^2\rangle & 4|v_j^3\rangle & |v_j^4\rangle & \\
 0 & |+\rangle & 3|v_j^1\rangle & 3|v_j^2\rangle & |v_j^3\rangle & \\
 0 & 0 & |+\rangle & 2|v_j^1\rangle & |v_j^2\rangle & \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & |+\rangle & |v_j^1\rangle & \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & |+\rangle & 
 \end{array} \right) \text{---}
 \end{array}
 \quad X = k+1$$

# Efficient QTT functions: **polynomials (general coefficients)**

Boundary tensor determines polynomial coefficients:



# Efficient QTT functions: **polynomials (finite state machine)**

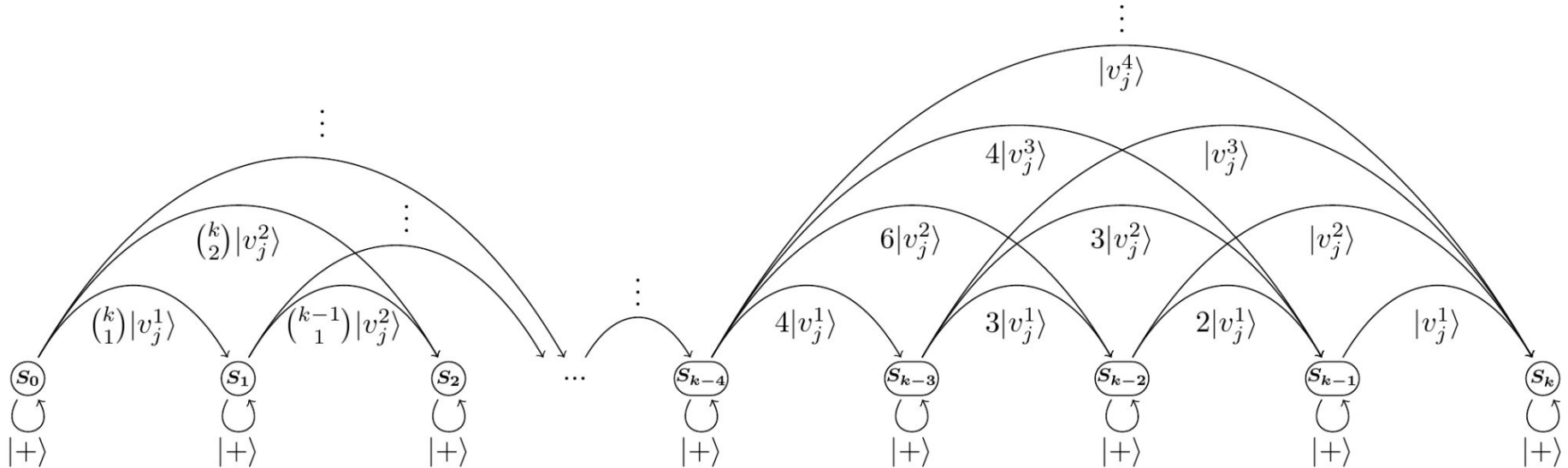
Can be viewed as a finite state machine.

Related: Hamiltonian MPO as FSM

- Crosswhite, Bacon, Phys. Rev. A 78, 012356 (2008)
- Crosswhite, Doherty, Vidal, Phys. Rev. B 78, 035116 (2008)
- Motruk, Zaletel, Mong, Pollmann, Phys. Rev. B 93, 155139 (2016)

...

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dots & & & & \\ |+\rangle & 4|v_j^1\rangle & 6|v_j^2\rangle & 4|v_j^3\rangle & |v_j^4\rangle \\ 0 & |+\rangle & 3|v_j^1\rangle & 3|v_j^2\rangle & |v_j^3\rangle \\ 0 & 0 & |+\rangle & 2|v_j^1\rangle & |v_j^2\rangle \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & |+\rangle & |v_j^1\rangle \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & |+\rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

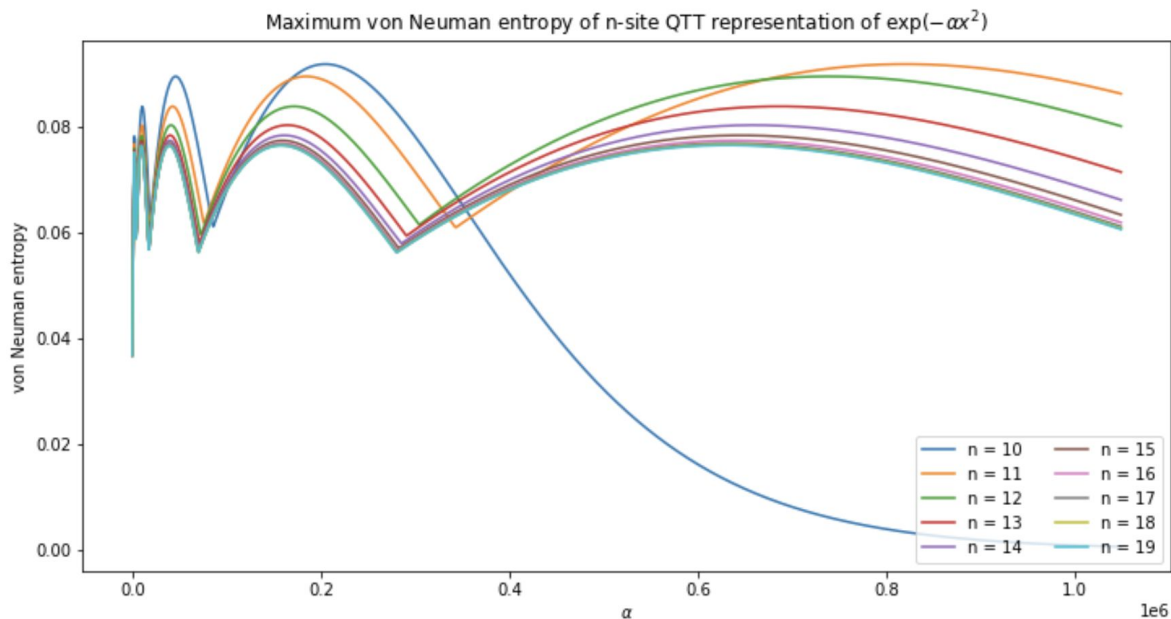


# Efficient QTT functions: **Gaussian**

QTT for  $e^{-\alpha x^2}$  has error upper-bounded by  $\sim O(\chi e^{-x^2/\alpha})$

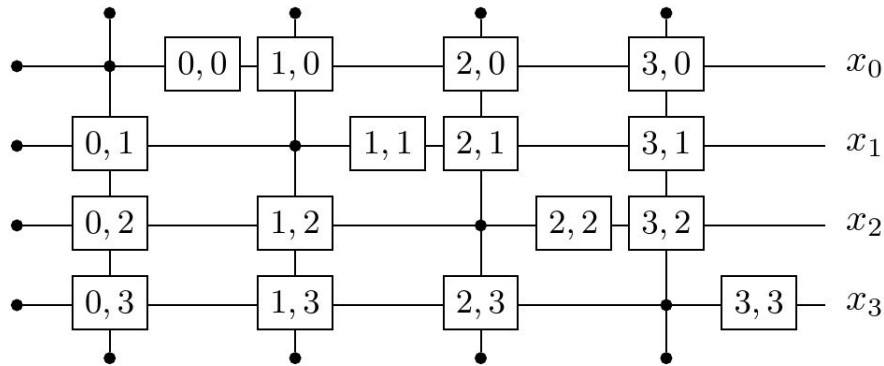
Dolgov, Khoromskij, Oseledets,  
SIAM (2012), 34, 6

Numerical experiments showed for almost all  $\alpha$ ,  $\chi = O(1)$



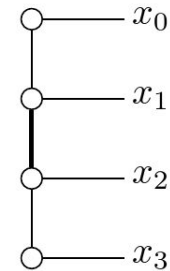
# Efficient QTT functions: **Gaussian**

Hard to write out each QTT site, but can contract an  $n \times n$  tensor network



$$e^{(x_0 + 2x_1 + 2^2x_2 + 2^3x_3)^2}$$

contract  
 $\Rightarrow$



$$d \begin{array}{c} a \\ | \\ \boxed{i, j} \\ | \\ c \end{array} b = \delta_{a,c} \delta_{b,d} e^{ab2^{i+j}}$$

$$a \begin{array}{c} \boxed{i, j} \\ | \\ b \end{array} = \delta_{a,b} e^{a2^{i+j}}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} a \\ \diagdown \\ \cdot \\ \diagup \\ b \\ \diagdown \\ c \\ \diagup \\ d \\ \vdots \\ e \end{array} = \delta_{a,b,c,d,e,\dots}$$

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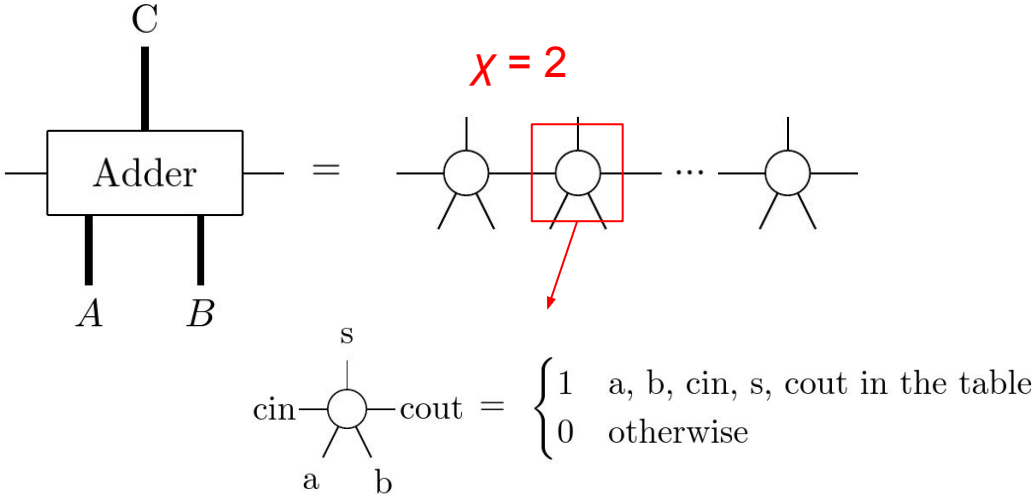
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# Efficient QTT operators: addition

Addition is defined to be the following linear map:

$$|A\rangle|B\rangle \rightarrow |A + B\rangle$$

The QTT can be obtained directly from a **Ripple-carry adder** circuit:



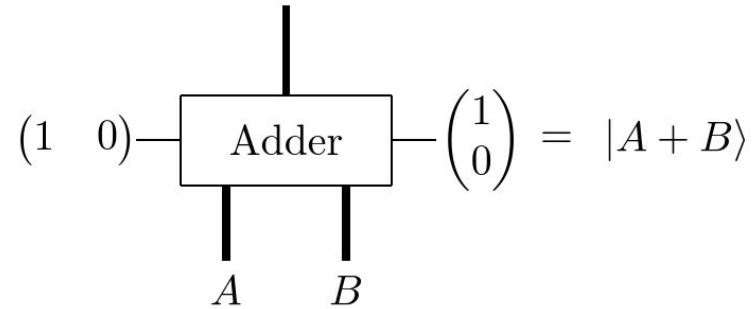
Full adder truth table

a	b	cin	s	cout
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

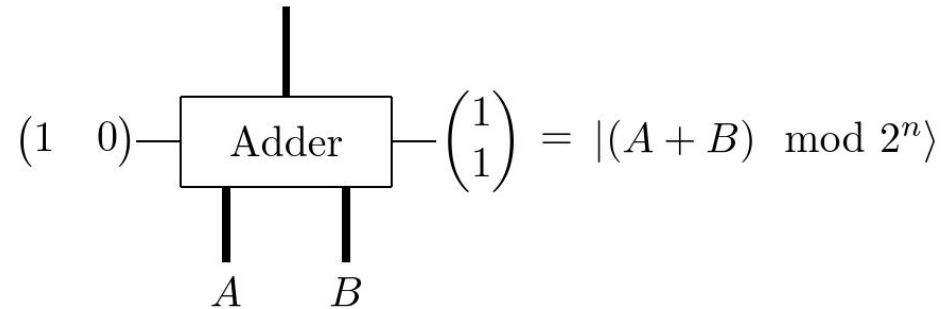


# Efficient QTT operators: **addition**

Boundary tensors determines modulation:



Building block for many operators!

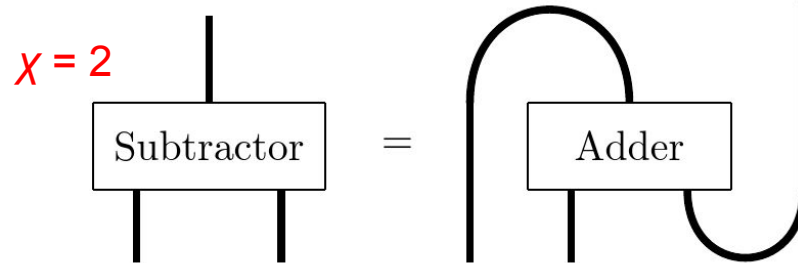


## Efficient QTT operators: **subtraction**

Subtraction is defined to be the following linear map:

$$|A\rangle|B\rangle \rightarrow |A - B\rangle$$

Subtractor in QTT = **reshaped** adder in QTT:

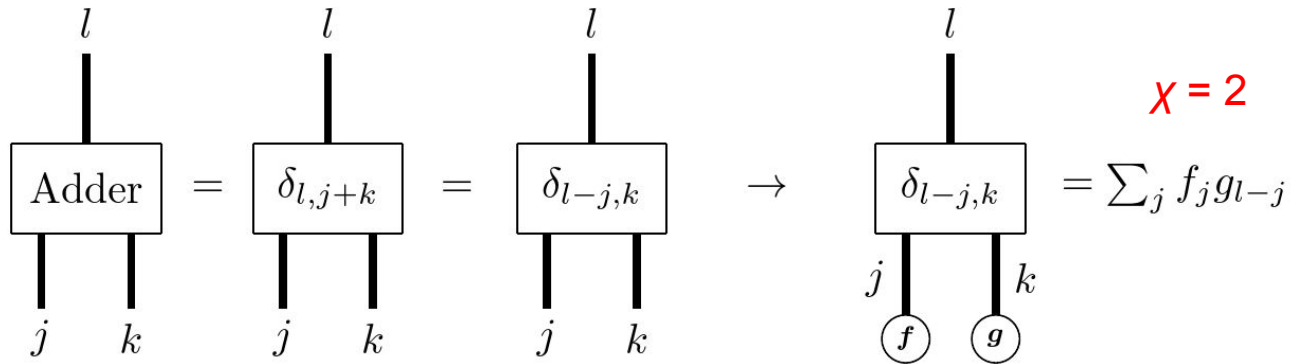


## Efficient QTT operators: **convolution**

Convolution is defined as the linear map:

$$\sum_j f_j |j\rangle \otimes \sum_k g_k |k\rangle \rightarrow \sum_l \left( \sum_j f_j g_{l-j} \right) |l\rangle$$

It turns out convolution in QTT = addition in QTT:



**circular** convolution = **modulo** adder

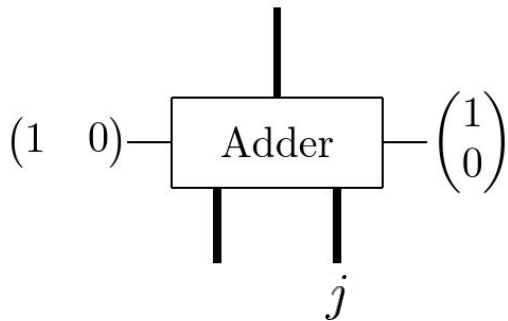
# Efficient QTT operators: **shift matrix**

A (non-)circular shift matrix is defined as:

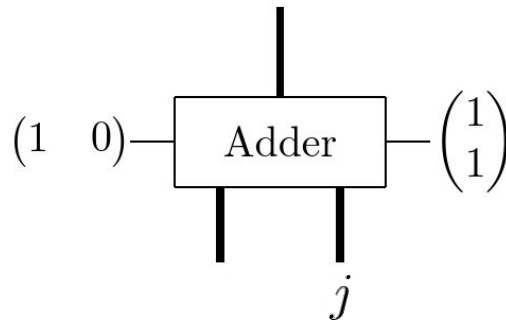
$$j \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right.$$

$$j \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right.$$

Corresponding to adding index by  $j$ :



$$x = 2$$



# Efficient QTT operators: **Toeplitz matrix**

A Toeplitz matrix has the form:

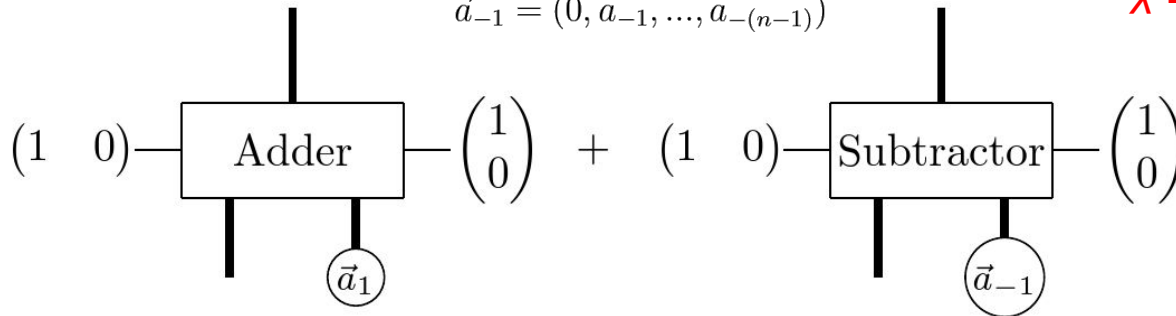
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_0 & a_{-1} & a_{-2} & \cdots & \cdots & a_{-(n-1)} \\ a_1 & a_0 & a_{-1} & \ddots & & \vdots \\ a_2 & a_1 & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & a_{-1} & a_{-2} \\ \vdots & & \ddots & a_1 & a_0 & a_{-1} \\ a_{n-1} & \cdots & \cdots & a_2 & a_1 & a_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Appear frequently in signal processing, numerical analysis, differential equations...

Corresponding to the sum:

$$\vec{a}_1 = (a_0, \dots, a_{n-1})$$

$$\vec{a}_{-1} = (0, a_{-1}, \dots, a_{-(n-1)})$$



$$\chi \leq 2\chi(\vec{a}_1) + 2\chi(\vec{a}_{-1})$$

Small  $\chi$  for e.g. banded Toeplitz

# Efficient QTT operators: **circulant matrix**

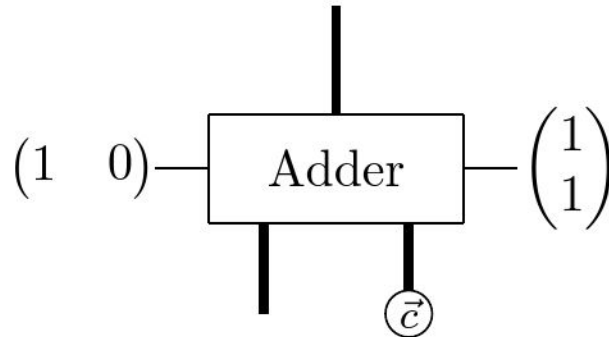
A circulant matrix has the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_0 & c_{n-1} & \cdots & c_2 & c_1 \\ c_1 & c_0 & c_{n-1} & & c_2 \\ \vdots & c_1 & c_0 & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{n-2} & & \ddots & \ddots & c_{n-1} \\ c_{n-1} & c_{n-2} & \cdots & c_1 & c_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Special case of Toeplitz

Diagonalizable by discrete  
Fourier transform

Corresponding to circular convolution with vector  $\vec{c} = (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1})$ :



$$\chi \leq 2\chi(\vec{c})$$

# Efficient QTT operators: **discrete Fourier transform**

Discrete Fourier transform (DFT):

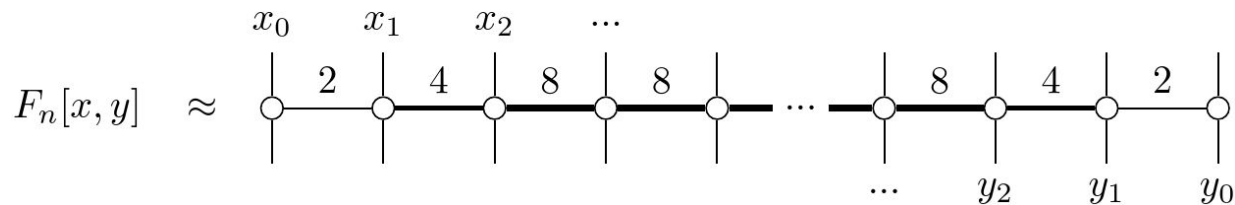
$$F_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \omega & \omega^2 & \dots & \omega^{2^n-1} \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 & \dots & \omega^{2(2^n-1)} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 1 & \omega^{2^n-1} & \omega^{2(2^n-1)} & \dots & \omega^{(2^n-1)(2^n-1)} \end{pmatrix} \quad \omega = \exp(i2\pi/2^n)$$

DFT is well-approximated by a QTT with error  $O(ne^{-\chi \log(\chi/3)})$ .

i.e.  $\chi$  grows **sub-logarithmically** to maintain a constant global error.

Numerics suggest  $\chi = 8$  gives error below  $10^{-15}$ .

JC, Stoudenmire, White,  
arXiv:2210.08468  
(accepted to PRX  
quantum)



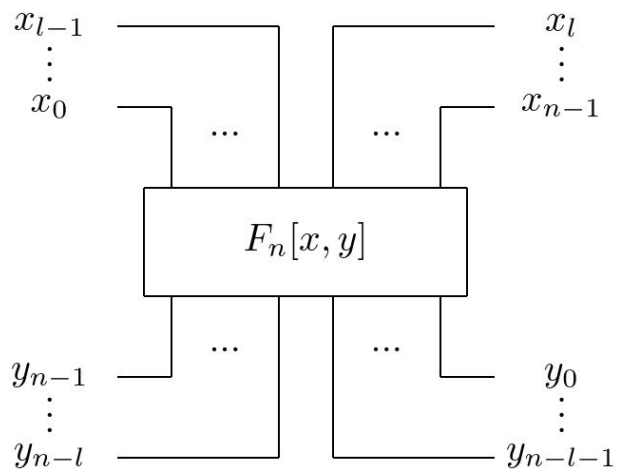
**reversed  
ordering is  
important!**

# Efficient QTT operators: **discrete Fourier transform**

Why is DFT compressible in QTT:

$$F_n^S = 2^l \begin{pmatrix} \overset{2^{n-l}}{\boxed{\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots \\ 1 & \omega & \omega^2 & \dots \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega^4 & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{matrix}}} & \begin{matrix} 1 \\ \omega^{2^{n-1}} \\ \omega^{2(2^{n-1})} \\ \dots \\ \omega^{(2^{n-1})(2^{n-1})} \end{matrix} \end{pmatrix}$$

DFT's QTT rank



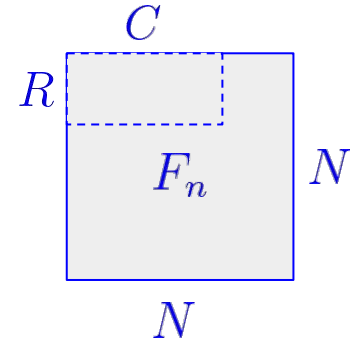
DFT's **submatrix** rank

$$= \underbrace{\left[ \begin{matrix} \vdots \\ V_1 \end{matrix} \right]}_{2^{2l} \times 2^l} \underbrace{\left[ \begin{matrix} \left[ F_n^S \right] \\ \vdots \end{matrix} \right]}_{2^l \times 2^{n-l}} \underbrace{\left[ \begin{matrix} \vdots \\ V_2 \end{matrix} \right]}_{2^{n-l} \times 2^{2(n-l)}}$$

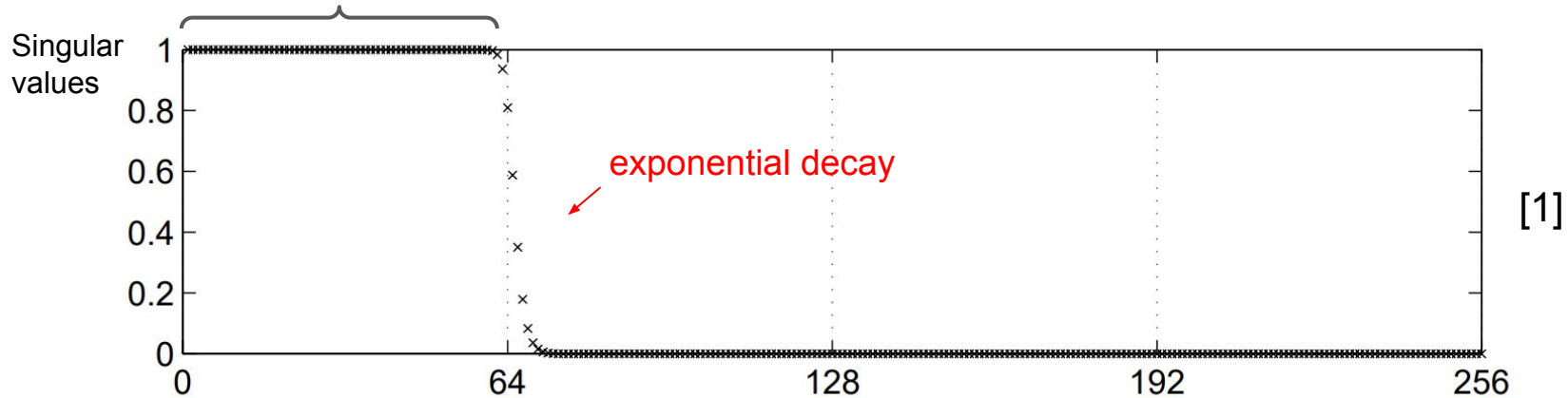


# Efficient QTT operators: **discrete Fourier transform**

For an  $R \times C$  submatrix of the  $N \times N$  DFT, its effective rank is very small.



$$2^l \times 2^{n-l} / 2^n = 1$$
$$\sim RC/N$$



## Efficient QTT operators: **derivatives**

Option 1: finite difference method  $\chi \leq 2(\text{FDM order} + \text{derivative order})$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \sim \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & & & & & \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = -2I + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & & & & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & & & & & \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Option 2: diagonalization by DFT  $\chi \leq \chi(\text{DFT})^2 * (\text{derivative order} + 1)$

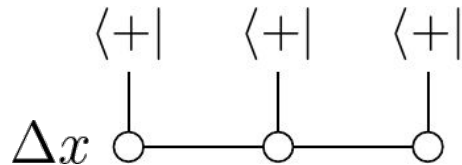
$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \sim \text{DFT}^{-1} \cdot \text{diag}(x^2) \cdot \text{DFT}$$

# Efficient QTT operators: **integral**

First order approximation to the integral:

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_N} f(x) dx \approx \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f(x_j) \Delta x = \Delta x \langle + |^{\otimes n} | f \rangle$$

Corresponding to inner product with  $\chi = 1$  QTT:

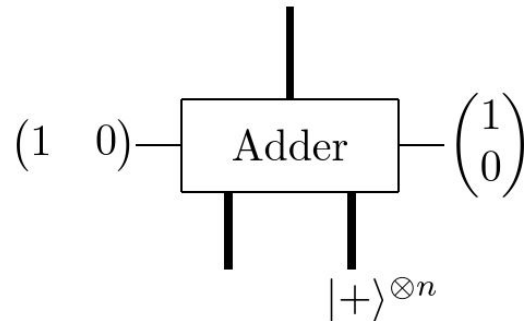


# Efficient QTT operators: **integral with variable range**

Integral with variable range:

$$g(x) = \int_0^x f(x') dx \approx \Delta x \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f(x'_0) \\ f(x'_1) \\ \vdots \\ f(x'_{N-2}) \\ f(x'_{N-1}) \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix corresponds to a  $\chi = 2$  QTT:



Efficient QTT for e.g.

$$\operatorname{erf} z = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^z e^{-t^2} dt.$$

# Other efficient QTT in literature

## Wavelets as QTT

Oseledets Tyrtysnikov, Algebraic  
Wavelet Transform via Quantics  
Tensor Train Decomposition

## Image Compression with QTT

Latorre, Image compression and entanglement, arXiv:quant-ph/0510031, 2005

## Green's functions of quantum many-body systems as QTT

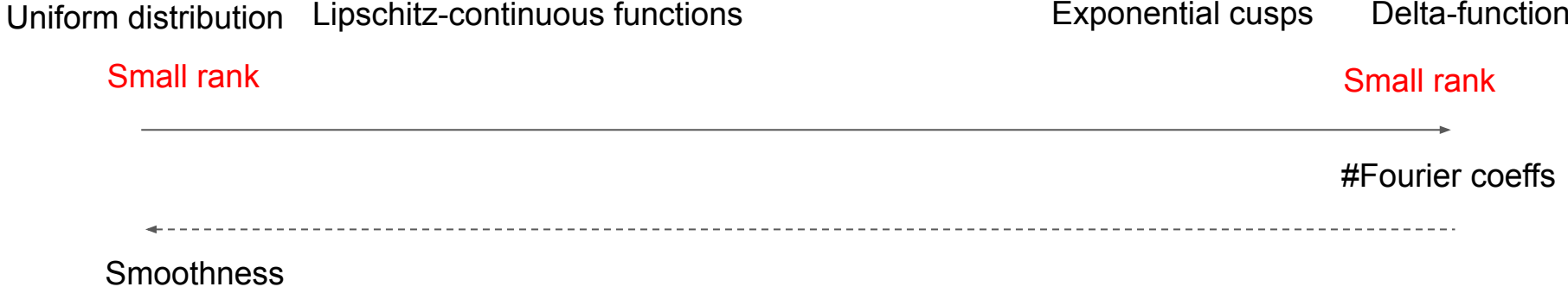
Shinaoka, Wallerberger, Murakami, Nogaki, Sakurai, Werner, and  
Kauch, Multiscale Space-Time Ansatz for Correlation Functions  
of Quantum Systems Based on Quantics Tensor Trains

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# Major open question: when is QTT efficient in general?

## smoothness?

QTT can embed both very smooth or very sharp functions



Outlier: Gaussian?

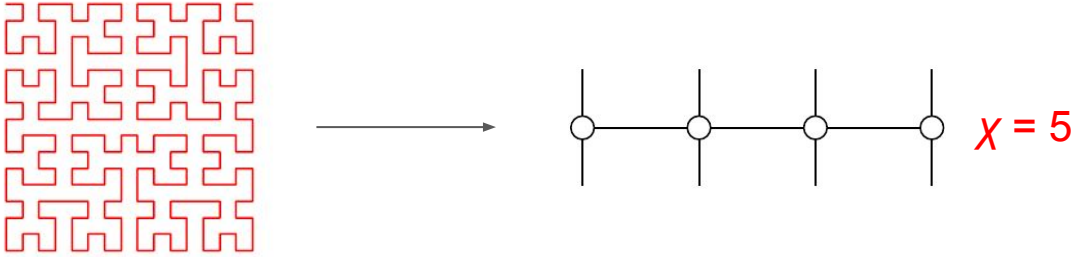
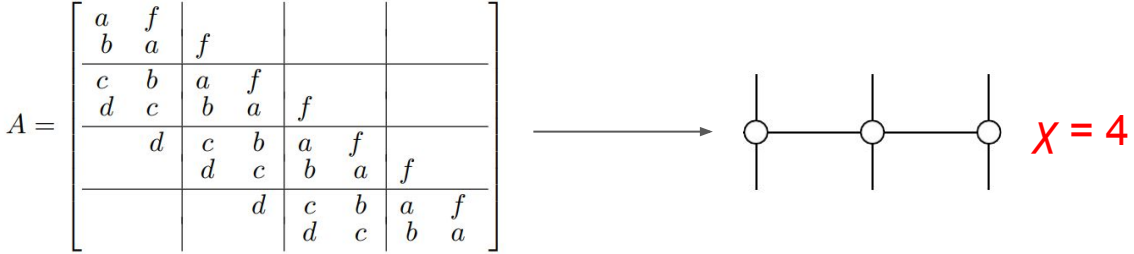
Some rigorous results, e.g. classical Besov smoothness implies QTT

Ali & Nouy, Constructive Approximation volume 58, pages 463–544 (2023)

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## Recursion & Fractal structure?

Recursive construction → QTT



How to formalize?

### Entropy of fractal systems

Zmeskal, Dzik, Vesely, Computers & Mathematics with Applications, Volume 66, Issue 2, 2013,

# Quantized Tensor Train

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# Applications: **plasma physics**

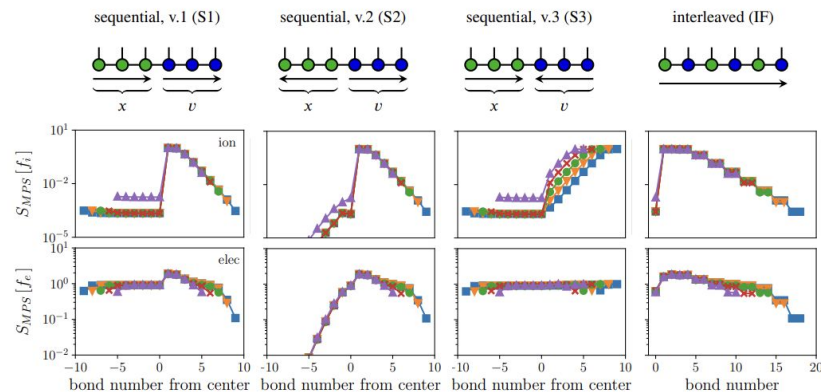
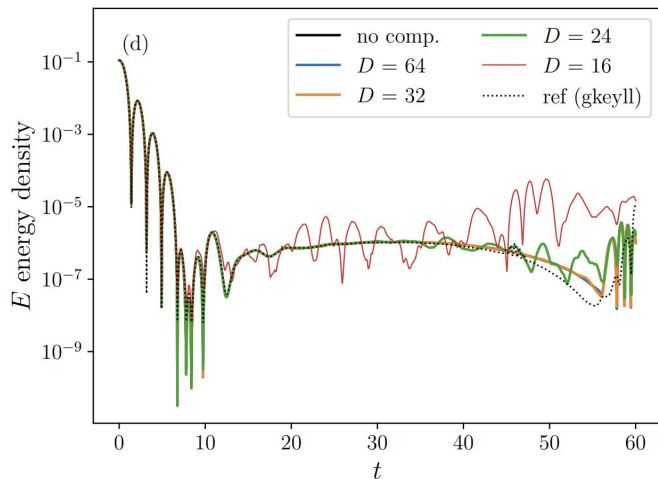
Ye, Loureiro, Phys. Rev. E 106, 035208 (2022)

Solving the Vlasov-Poisson equation by time evolution in QTT:

$$\frac{\partial f_s}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v}_s \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}} f_s + \frac{q_s}{m_s} \mathbf{E} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{v},s} f_s = \mathcal{C}[f_s]$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = F(f) = \underbrace{\begin{matrix} \square & \square & \square & \square & \square & \square \\ | & | & | & | & | & | \\ \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \end{matrix} + \begin{matrix} \square & \square & \square & \square & \square & \square \\ | & | & | & | & | & | \\ \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \end{matrix} + \dots}$$

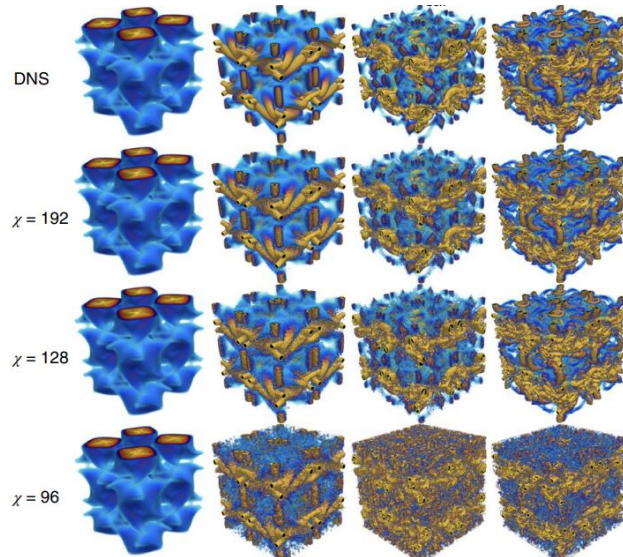
$$f(t + \Delta t) \approx f(t) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} \Delta t$$



Solving the incompressible Navier–Stokes equations iteratively in QTT :

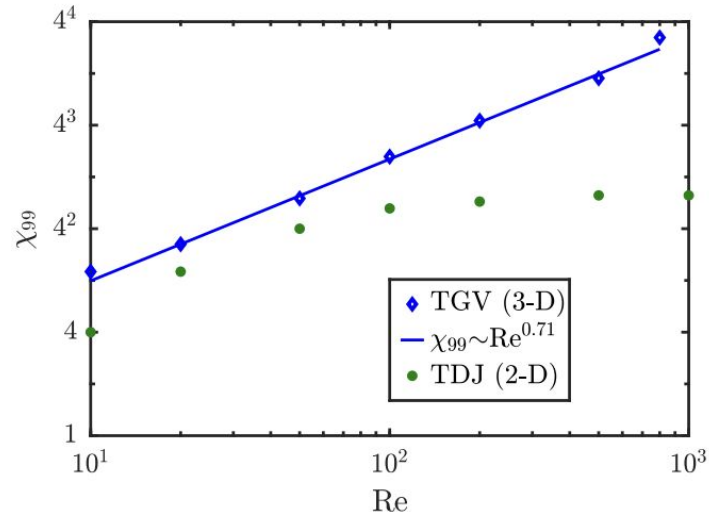
$$\nabla \cdot V = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + (V \cdot \nabla)V = -\nabla p + \nu \nabla^2 V,$$



2D: QTT-rank saturates for Reynolds number  $\geq 200$

3D: QTT-rank increases according to a power law



# Applications: quantum chemistry

Physical orbitals tend to be smooth  $\rightarrow$  efficient QTT

Jolly, Fernández, Waintal, arXiv:2308.03508

Solve Hartree-fock in QTT iteratively using DMRG (minimization):

$$\left( -\frac{1}{2}\nabla^2 + V_{ion} + J[\rho] + K[\{\phi_j\}] \right) \phi_i = \epsilon_i \phi_i$$

$$V_{ion} = \sum_A \frac{Z_A}{|R_A - r|}$$

$$J[\rho] = \int \frac{\rho(r')}{|r - r'|} dr'$$

$$K[\{\phi_j\}] \phi_i = \sum_j \phi_j(r) \int \frac{\phi_j^*(r') \phi_i(r')}{|r - r'|} dr'$$

Work in progress with  
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$$\frac{1}{r} \approx \sum_i c_i e^{-\alpha_i r^2}$$

## Applications: “superfast” Fourier transform

Assume an input vector  $v$  has length  $N = 2^n$ ; want to compute  $\text{DFT}(v)$ .

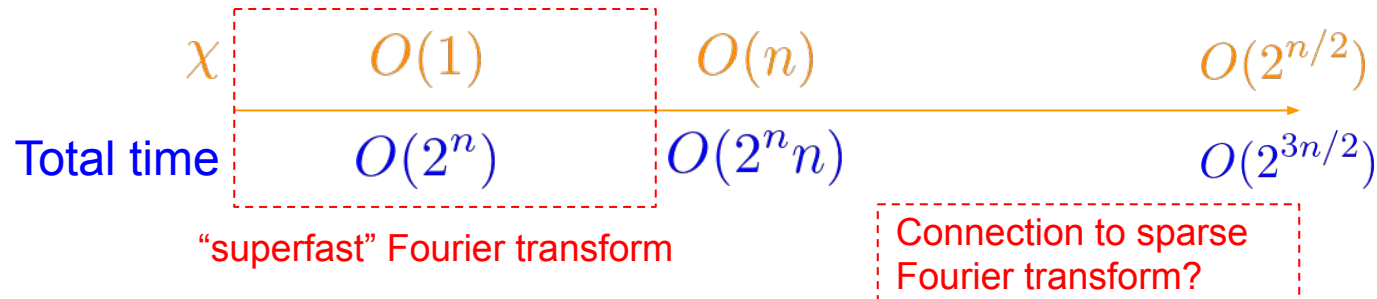
- Time complexity for the fast Fourier transform:

$$O(N \log N) = O(2^n n)$$

dominates time complexity

- Total time complexity for **converting  $v$  to QTT with rSVD** + DFT QTT:

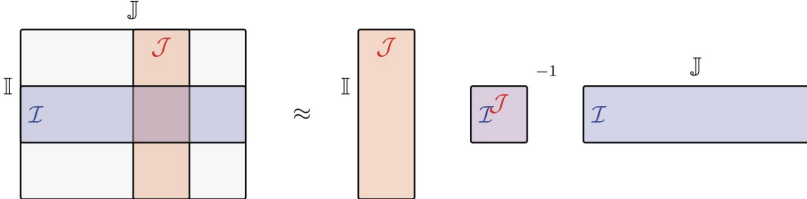
$O(2^n \chi)$  if data can be compressed into an QTT with rank  $\chi$



# Side note: convert vector into QTT

Converting an exponentially-long vector to QTT takes exponential time with SVD, even when QTT is efficient. What are some other methods?

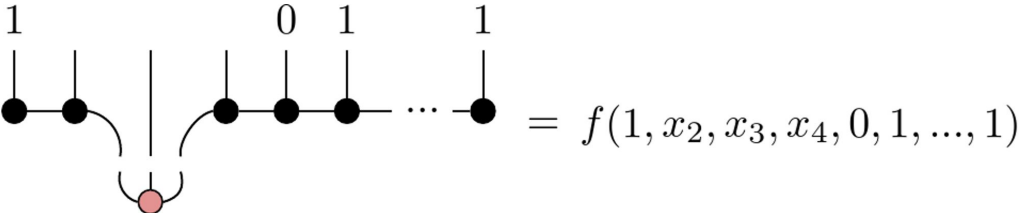
Cross-interpolation (iterate through all cuts):



Dolgov, Savostyanov, Computer Physics Communications, Volume 246, 2020

DMRG-like method:

Initial guess → sampling environment → solve local LSE → sweep



Improve & Rigorous guarantee?

## Summary & Discussion

- Efficient QTT construction for many important functions & operators
- Formalize efficient criteria for QTT?
- Directly connect to entanglement in quantum algorithms.
- Already been applied to many real-world differential equations.

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