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# Lecture 18

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Example of Schumacher Compression

Suppose info. source ensemble is

$$\left\{ \left( \frac{1}{2}, |0\rangle \right), \left( \frac{1}{2}, |+\rangle \right) \right\}$$

Shannon compression would require 1 bit/symbol for compression.

Schumacher compression requires significantly less. density operator is

$$\frac{1}{2} |0\rangle\langle 0| + \frac{1}{2} |+\rangle\langle +| \quad \text{which}$$

diagonalizes as

$$\cos^2(\pi/8) |+\prime\rangle\langle +\prime| + \sin^2(\pi/8) |-\prime\rangle\langle -\prime|$$

$$\text{where } |+\prime\rangle = \cos(\pi/8) |0\rangle + \sin(\pi/8) |+\rangle$$

$$\text{and } |-\prime\rangle = \sin(\pi/8) |0\rangle - \cos(\pi/8) |+\rangle$$

can compress down to

$$H_2(\cos^2(\pi/8)) \approx 0.6 \text{ qubits/symbol}$$

What if source instead issues

$$\left\{ \left( \frac{1}{2}, |0\rangle\langle 0| \otimes |0\rangle\langle 0| \right), \left( \frac{1}{2}, |+\rangle\langle +| \otimes |+\rangle\langle +| \right) \right\}$$

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## Entanglement Concentration

- Given that entanglement is useful, what if Alice & Bob share pure states that are not maximally entangled?
- If they have many copies ~~of~~, they can "concentrate" them to ebits at a rate given by "entropy of entanglement" (von Neumann entropy of half of a bipartite state)
- interprets the term "ebit" in an information theoretic way
- Begin w/ a simple example,

Suppose Alice & Bob share

$$|\phi\rangle^{AB} = \cos\theta |00\rangle^{AB} + \sin\theta |11\rangle^{AB} \quad (\text{where } \theta \neq \pi/4)$$

(this is most general form from Schmidt decomposition)

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Consider taking 3 copies of this state.  
state naturally breaks down into subspaces!

$$\begin{aligned} |\phi\rangle_{A_1 B_1} |\phi\rangle_{A_2 B_2} |\phi\rangle_{A_3 B_3} &= \\ & (\cos\theta |00\rangle + \sin\theta |11\rangle)^{\otimes 3} \\ &= \cos^3\theta |000\rangle^A |000\rangle^B + \\ & \cos\theta \sin^2\theta (|110\rangle^A |110\rangle^B + |101\rangle^A |101\rangle^B + \\ & |011\rangle^A |011\rangle^B) + \\ & \cos^2\theta \sin\theta (|100\rangle^A |100\rangle^B + |010\rangle^A |010\rangle^B + \\ & |001\rangle^A |001\rangle^B) + \\ & \sin^3\theta |111\rangle^A |111\rangle^B \end{aligned}$$

rewrite one more time:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \cos^3\theta |000\rangle^A |000\rangle^B + \\ & \sqrt{3} \cos\theta \sin^2\theta \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (|110\rangle^A |110\rangle^B + |101\rangle^A |101\rangle^B + \right. \\ & \left. |011\rangle^A |011\rangle^B) \right] \\ & \sqrt{3} \cos^2\theta \sin\theta \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (|100\rangle^A |100\rangle^B + |010\rangle^A |010\rangle^B \right. \\ & \left. + |001\rangle^A |001\rangle^B) \right] + \\ & \sin^3\theta |111\rangle^A |111\rangle^B \end{aligned}$$

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- can naturally divide Hilbert space into 4 subspaces, by Hamming weight of Alice or Bob's state.
- projectors are

$$\begin{aligned} & |000\rangle\langle 000|^A, \\ & |001\rangle\langle 001|^A + |010\rangle\langle 010|^A + |100\rangle\langle 100|^A, \\ & |110\rangle\langle 110|^A + |101\rangle\langle 101|^A + |011\rangle\langle 011|^A, \\ & |111\rangle\langle 111|^A \end{aligned}$$

after projecting w/ this measurement, they get

$$|000\rangle|000\rangle \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \{ |001\rangle|001\rangle + |100\rangle|100\rangle + |010\rangle|010\rangle \} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \{ |110\rangle|110\rangle + |101\rangle|101\rangle + |011\rangle|011\rangle \} \quad \text{or}$$

$$|111\rangle|111\rangle$$

these are maximally entangled states

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More generally, we might have  $n$  copies, for which we can write the state as

$$|\phi\rangle^{A^n B^n} = \sum_{k=0}^n \sqrt{\binom{n}{k}} \cos^{n-k}(\theta) \sin^k \theta \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{\binom{n}{k}}} \sum_{x: w(x)=k} |x\rangle^{A^n} |x\rangle^{B^n} \right) \quad (*)$$

where  $w(x)$  is Hamming weight.

How does protocol work for large  $n$ ?

- need a handle on  $\binom{n}{k}$  when  $n$  is large. Use Stirling's approx.

$$n! \sim \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$

$$\frac{n!}{n-k! k!} \sim \frac{\sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n}{\sqrt{2\pi(n-k)} \left(\frac{n-k}{e}\right)^{n-k} \sqrt{2\pi k} \left(\frac{k}{e}\right)^k}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{n}{2\pi(n-k)k}} \frac{n^n}{(n-k)^{n-k} k^k}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{n}{2\pi(n-k)k}} \left(\frac{n-k}{n}\right)^{-(n-k)} \left(\frac{k}{n}\right)^{-k}$$

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$$= \sqrt{\frac{n}{2\pi(n-k)k}} 2^n \left[ -\frac{n-k}{n} \log \frac{n-k}{n} - \frac{k}{n} \log \frac{k}{n} \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{n}{2\pi(n-k)k}} 2^n H_2\left(\frac{k}{n}\right)$$

when  $n$  is large, this term dominates polynomial factor on Left.

- we can now develop a strategy.

Alice first performs typical subspace measurement on her share (Bob can do the same, but it won't change anything).

- measurement is for strong typicality,

succeeds w/ high probability (LLN)

state collapses to

$$\sum_{k=0}^n (*)$$

$k=0$ :

$$\left| \frac{k}{n} - \sin^2 \theta \right| < \delta,$$

$$\left| \frac{n-k}{n} - \cos^2 \theta \right| < \delta$$

- Alice then measures Hamming weight  $k$

- Bob does same step & gets same result

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State collapses to

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\text{poly}(n) 2^{n H_2(k/n)}}} \sum_{x: w(x)=k} |x\rangle^A |x\rangle^B$$

this is maximally entangled qudit  
w/ Schmidt rank

$$2^{n H_2(k/n)} \geq 2^{n [H_2(\cos^2 \theta) - \delta']}$$

(poly(n) factor doesn't matter asymptotically)  
this gives approximately  
 $n H_2(\cos^2 \theta)$  ebits

from Fannes' inequality

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Argument for qudits is similar.

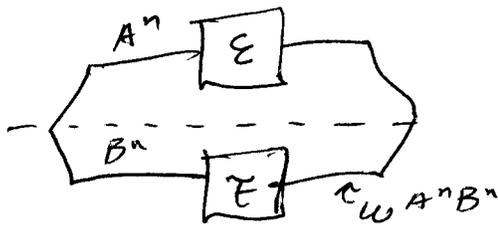
- 1) take Schmidt decomposition + many copies  
 $(|\phi\rangle^{AB})^{\otimes n} = \left( \sum_x \sqrt{p(x)} |x\rangle^A |x\rangle^B \right)^{\otimes n} = \sum_{x^n} \sqrt{p(x^n)} |x^n\rangle^A |x^n\rangle^B$
- 2) do typical subspace measurement
- 3) do measurement of empirical distribution
- 4) state collapses to maximally entangled qudit of rank  $\approx 2^{n H(A)}$

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## Converse Proof

Most general protocol:



At end, state  $\omega^{A^n B^n}$  should be close to

$$\Phi^{\hat{A}\hat{B}} :$$

$$\|\omega^{A^n B^n} - \Phi^{\hat{A}\hat{B}}\|_1 \leq \epsilon$$

$$2n\epsilon = 2H(\hat{A})_{\Phi}$$

$$= H(\hat{A})_{\Phi} + H(\hat{B})_{\Phi} - H(\hat{A}\hat{B})_{\Phi}$$

$$= I(\hat{A}; \hat{B})_{\Phi}$$

$$\leq I(\hat{A}; \hat{B})_{\omega} + n\epsilon' \quad (\text{Fannes'})$$

$$\leq I(A^n; B^n)_{\varphi_{\text{on}}} + n\epsilon' \quad (\text{QDP})$$

$$= H(A^n)_{\varphi_{\text{on}}} + H(B^n)_{\varphi_{\text{on}}}$$

$$- H(A^n B^n)_{\varphi_{\text{on}}} + n\epsilon'$$

$$= 2nH(A)_{\varphi}$$

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