# Iterated nth order nonlinear quantum dynamics













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$$H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1\\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\rho = \frac{1}{\rho_{11} + \rho_{22}} \begin{bmatrix} \rho_{11} & \rho_{12} \\ \rho_{21} & \rho_{22} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \rho' = S(\rho) = HT(\rho) H^{\dagger}$ 

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### **Bloch coordinates**

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$$\rho = \frac{1}{2} (I + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\sigma}) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 + w & u - iv \\ u + iv & 1 - w \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \vec{v} = [u, v, w] \text{ and } \vec{\sigma} = [\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z]$$

$$\rho' = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 + w' & u' - iv' \\ u' + iv' & 1 - w' \end{bmatrix}$$

## Bloch coordinates

second order protocol

 $\rho' = S\left(\rho\right) = HT\left(\rho\right)H^{\dagger}$ 

 $u' = \frac{2w}{1+w^2} \qquad v' = \frac{-2uv}{1+w^2} \qquad w' = \frac{u^2 - v^2}{1+w^2}$ 

## Bloch coordinates

• *n*th order protocol

$$u' = \frac{(1+w)^n - (1-w)^n}{(1+w)^n + (1-w)^n}$$

$$v' = -\frac{2\text{Im}\left[(u+iv)^n\right]}{(1+w)^n + (1-w)^n}$$

$$w' = \frac{2\text{Re}\left[(u+iv)^{n}\right]}{(1+w)^{n} + (1-w)^{n}}$$

# Iterated quantum protocol

Second order protocol



1. 
$$\rho^{(1)} = S(\rho^0)$$
  
2.  $\rho^{(2)} = S\left(S\left(\rho^{(0)}\right)\right)$   
3.  $\rho^{(3)} = S\left(S\left(S\left(\rho^{(0)}\right)\right)\right)$ 

$$n. \rho^{(n)} = S^{\circ n} \left( \rho^{(0)} \right)_{\text{GPU Day 2023}}$$

## Difference equation for the Bloch coordinates

$$\begin{cases} u_{k+1} = \frac{(1+w_k)^n - (1-w_k)^n}{(1+w_k)^n + (1-w_k)^n} \\ v_{k+1} = -\frac{2\mathrm{Im}\left[(u_k+iv_k)^n\right]}{(1+w_k)^n + (1-w_k)^n} \\ w_{k+1} = \frac{2\mathrm{Re}\left[(u_k+iv_k)^n\right]}{(1+w_k)^n + (1-w_k)^n} \end{cases}$$

#### characteristics of dynamics $\longrightarrow$ properties of the quantum protocol

## Invariant sets of the dynamics

The invariant plane (u, v = 0, w)

$$u_{k+1}|_{v_k=0} = \frac{(1+w_k)^n - (1-w_k)^n}{(1+w_k)^n + (1-w_k)^n}$$

$$v_{k+1}|_{v_k=0} = -\frac{2\mathrm{Im}\left[u_k^n\right]}{\left(1+w_k\right)^n + \left(1-w_k\right)^n} = 0 \longrightarrow 2 \text{ independent variables}$$

$$w_{k+1}|_{v_k=0} = \frac{2u_k^n}{(1+w_k)^n + (1-w_k)^n}$$

## Invariant sets of the dynamics

Pure states – The surface of the Bloch sphere  $(u^2 + v^2 + w^2 = 1)$ 

 $R_{k+1}^2 = u_{k+1}^2 + v_{k+1}^2 + w_{k+1}^2$ 

$$=\frac{\left[\left(1+w_{k}\right)^{n}-\left(1-w_{k}\right)^{n}\right]^{2}+4\left(u_{k}^{2}+v_{k}^{2}\right)^{n}}{\left[\left(1+w_{k}\right)^{n}+\left(1-w_{k}\right)^{n}\right]^{2}}$$

$$=\frac{\left[\left(1+w_{k}\right)^{n}-\left(1-w_{k}\right)^{n}\right]^{2}+4\left(1-w_{k}^{2}\right)^{n}}{\left[\left(1+w_{k}\right)^{n}+\left(1-w_{k}\right)^{n}\right]^{2}}=1$$



## Invariant sets of the dynamics

Pure states – The surface of the Bloch sphere

$$R_k^2 = 1 \Rightarrow R_{k+1}^2 = u_{k+1}^2 + v_{k+1}^2 + w_{k+1}^2 = 1$$

 $\rightarrow u^2 + v^2 + w^2 = 1 \rightarrow 2$  independent variables

$$|z|^2 = \frac{(1-w)}{(1+w)}$$
 and  $\arg(z) = \arctan\left(\frac{u}{v}\right) \longrightarrow N\left(|0\rangle + z |1\rangle\right)$ 

Time evolution of the pure states

$$f_n\left(z\right) = \frac{1 - z^n}{1 + z^n}$$

# Fixed points

Pure fixed points

$$f_n\left(z\right) = z$$

$$z^{n+1} + z^n + z - 1 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \left| \left[ \frac{df_n(z)}{dz} \right]_{z_0} \right| = |f'_n(z_0)|$$

order $(n)$	Pure fixed points		
2	$C_4$	0.544	
	_	-0.772 + 1.115i	
		-0.772 - 1.115i	
3	$C_4$	0.618	
	$C_6$	-1.618	
		i	
	—	-i	
4	$C_4$	0.668	
	_	-1.161 + 0.676i	
	—	-1.161 - 0.676i	
	_	0.327 + 0.85i	
	—	0.327 - 0.85i	
5	$C_4$	0.704	
	$C_6$	-1.42	
	_	-0.639 + 0.938i	
	_	-0.639 - 0.938i	
	_	0.496 + 0.729i	
	_	0.496 - 0.729i	

# Fixed points

Fixed points on the invariant plane

$$u = \frac{(1+w)^n - (1-w)^n}{(1+w)^n + (1-w)^n}$$

$$w = \frac{2u^{n}}{(1+w)^{n} + (1-w)^{n}}$$

order $(n)$	Fixe	P	
	$C_3$	(0.639, 0, 0.361)	0.769
2	$C_4$	(0.839, 0, 0.544)	1
	$C_3$	(0.711, 0, 0.288)	0.794
	$C_4$	(0.894, 0.444)	1
3	$C_5$	(-0.711, 0, -0.288)	0.794
	$C_6$	(-0.894, 0, -0.444)	1
	$C_3$	(0.757, 0, 0.243)	0.816
4	$C_4$	(0.924, 0, 0.383)	1
	$C_3$	(0.789, 0, 0.211)	0.834
	$C_4$	(0.942, 0, 0.337)	1
5	$C_5$	(-0.789, 0, -0.210707)	0.834
	$C_6$	(-0.942, 0, -0.337)	1

# Limit cycles

$$(u_k, v_k, w_k) \longrightarrow C_i \xrightarrow{\text{numerical}} \text{simulations} \qquad C_0 = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$C_1 = (0, 0, 1) \leftrightarrow (1, 0, 0) \quad (0 \leftrightarrow 1)$$

$$C_2 = (0, 0, -1) \leftrightarrow (-1, 0, 0) \quad (\infty \leftrightarrow -1)$$

$$\lambda^{(1)} = |f'_n(0) f'_n(1)| = 0$$
$$\lambda^{(2)} = |f'_n(\infty) f'_n(-1)| = 0.$$

super attractive cycles

The convergence regions invariant plane



 $C_0$  – maximally mixed state; attractive fixed point  $C_1, C_2$  – superattractive cycles  $C_3$  – repelling fixed point

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- pure convergence regions
- Julia set: border of pure basins of attraction
- Quasi-Julia set: all mixed points situated at the boundary of the pure attraction regions



## Phase transition

- the fractal dimension of the border is constant as a function of the purity of the initial state
- below a critical purity value, the fractal disappears





# Critical purity

• the point of transition between the regions depends on the degree of the nonlinearity



# Thank you!

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