

Bipartite entanglement and its detection by local generalized measurements



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Motivation: Entanglement detection with local measurements

- Entanglement detection with local measurements can be performed over far distant distances
- Relevant for quantum key distribution and quantum communication
- Consider a bipartite system with dimensions d_A and d_B and observers Alice and Bob
- Comparison of the success rate for different type of informationally complete measurements
 - Local orthogonal hermitian operator basis (LOO)
 - (N, M) -POVMs
- Sufficient condition involving trace norms are examined for arbitrary states

Hermitian operator bases

- Basis of hermitian $d \times d$ matrices
- The set of hermitian operators $G = (G_1, \dots, G_{d^2})^T$, $G_i^\dagger = G_i$
- Orthogonal to the Hilbert-Schmidt scalar product $\text{Tr}\{G_i G_j\} = \delta_{ij}$
- A special basis is $\tilde{G} = (\tilde{G}_1 = \mathbb{1}_d/\sqrt{d}, \tilde{G}_2, \dots, \tilde{G}_{d^2})^T$ and $\text{Tr}\{G_i\} = 0$ for $i \in 2, \dots, d^2$

(N, M) -POVMs

Definition [1]

- Consider a qudit of dimension d
- A tuple of $\Pi = \{\Pi_1, \dots, \Pi_{NM}\}$ positive operators consisting of N POVMs with M results
- The completeness relation of a single POVM $\sum_{\alpha=1}^M \Pi_{i(\alpha, a)} = \mathbb{1}_d$
- The (N, M) -POVMs fulfill for $\alpha \neq \beta$

$$\text{Tr}\{\Pi_{i(\alpha, a)}\} = \frac{d}{M},$$

$$\text{Tr}\{\Pi_{i(\alpha, a)} \Pi_{i(\alpha, a')}\} = x \delta_{a, a'} + (1 - \delta_{a, a'}) \frac{d - Mx}{M(M-1)},$$

$$\text{Tr}\{\Pi_{\alpha, a} \Pi_{\beta, b}\} = \frac{d}{M^2}$$
- The parameter is limited by $d/M^2 < x \leq \min(d^2/M^2, d/M)$
- Informationally complete for $(M-1)N + 1 = d^2$
- Examples
 - Mutually unbiased measurements $M = d$
 - Mutually unbiased bases $M = d$ and $x = 1$
 - GSIC $M = d^2$
 - SIC-POVM $M = d^2$ and $x = 1/d^2$

Properties [2, 3]

- Basis expansion $\Pi = G^T S$
- Transformation properties with $\Gamma = \frac{xM^2 - d}{M(M-1)}$

$$(S^T S)_{i(\alpha, a), j(\alpha', a')} = \Gamma \delta_{i, j} - \frac{\Gamma}{M} \delta_{\alpha, \alpha'} + \frac{d}{M^2}$$
- Spectrum $\text{Sp}(S^T S) = \{\Gamma(N(M-1)), \frac{dN(1)}{M}, 0^{(N-1)}\}$
- The matrix SS^T is diagonal with $\text{Sp}(S^T S) = \{\Gamma(N(M-1)), \frac{dN(1)}{M}\}$

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Entanglement detection with trace norms

Correlation matrices

- Consider arbitrary sets of hermitian operators $\mathcal{A} = \{A_i; i = 1, \dots, N_A\}$ and $\mathcal{B} = \{B_j; j = 1, \dots, N_B\}$ of the local observers Alice and Bob

- Definition of the correlation matrix

$$(C(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B})_{ij}) = \text{Tr}\{A_i \otimes B_j (\rho - \rho^A \otimes \rho^B)\}$$

- Separable states fulfill

$$\|C(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B})_{ij}\|_1^2 \leq \Sigma_A \Sigma_B$$

$$\Sigma_A = \max_{\sigma^A} \sum_{i=1}^{N_A} (\text{Tr}\{A_i \sigma^A\})^2 - (\text{Tr}\{\rho^A\})^2,$$

$$\Sigma_B = \max_{\sigma^B} \sum_{j=1}^{N_B} (\text{Tr}\{B_j \sigma^B\})^2 - (\text{Tr}\{\rho^B\})^2$$

- LOOs $G^i = \{G_1, \dots, G_{d^2}\}$ [4]

$$\|C(G^A, G^B)_{ij}\|_1^2 \leq (1 - \text{Tr}\{(\rho^A)^2\})(1 - \text{Tr}\{(\rho^B)^2\})$$

- For (N, M) -POVMs the scaling relation holds

$$\|(S^A)^T C(G^A, G^B) S^B\|_1^2 = \Gamma_A \Gamma_B \|C(G^A, G^B)_{ij}\|_1^2$$

- The entanglement detection with (N, M) -POVMs

$$\|C(\Pi^A, \Pi^B)_{ij}\|_1^2 \leq \Gamma_A \Gamma_B (1 - \text{Tr}\{(\rho^A)^2\})(1 - \text{Tr}\{(\rho^B)^2\})$$

$\Rightarrow (N, M)$ -POVMs and LOOs are leading to the same inequalities for entanglement detection [2]

Joint probabilities [1]

- Definition of the joint probability matrix for two local (N_i, M_i) -POVMs

$$P(\Pi^A, \Pi^B)_{ij} = \text{Tr}\{(\Pi^A)^T \otimes \Pi^B \rho\}$$

- Separable states fulfill

$$\|P(\Pi^A, \Pi^B)_{ij}\|_1^2 \leq \left(\Gamma_A \left(1 - \frac{1}{d_A}\right) + \frac{N_A}{M_A}\right) \left(\Gamma_B \left(1 - \frac{1}{d_B}\right) + \frac{N_B}{M_B}\right)$$

- Expansion into LOOs [2]

$$\|P(\Pi^A, \Pi^B)_{ij}\|_1 = \|\sqrt{\Lambda^A} P(\tilde{G}^A, \tilde{G}^B) \sqrt{\Lambda^B}\|_1$$

with the diagonal matrices of dimension $d_A \times d_A$ and $d_B \times d_B$

$$(\Lambda^A)_{11} = \gamma_A(d_A + 1),$$

$$(\Lambda^A)_{\nu\nu} = \Gamma_A = \gamma_A \frac{d_A \tilde{x}_A - 1}{d_A - 1},$$

$$(\Lambda^B)_{11} = \gamma_B(d_B + 1),$$

$$(\Lambda^B)_{\mu\mu} = \Gamma_B = \gamma_B \frac{d_B \tilde{x}_B - 1}{d_B - 1}$$

To compare different types of (N, M) -POVMs the rescaled parameters are introduced

$$\tilde{x}_A = \frac{x_A M_A^2}{d_A^2}, \quad \tilde{x}_B = \frac{x_B M_B^2}{d_B^2}$$

and the separable states fulfill

$$\left\| \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda^A}{\gamma_A}} P(\tilde{G}^A, \tilde{G}^B) \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda^B}{\gamma_B}} \right\|_1 \leq \sqrt{1 + \tilde{x}_A} \sqrt{1 + \tilde{x}_B}$$

\Rightarrow Entanglement detection only depends on the rescaled parameters of the (N, M) -POVMs

\Rightarrow MUBs and SICs are able to detect the same entangled states

\Rightarrow Entanglement detection with correlation matrices can detect more entangled states than joint probabilities

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Hit and run Monte-Carlo method

- Sufficient conditions for entanglement detection are tested on bipartite qudit systems of dimension $2 \leq d_i \leq 4$

- A two qudit density matrix can be represented by

$$\rho = \frac{\mathbb{1}_{d_A d_B}}{d_A d_B} + \sum_{i=2}^{d_A} a_i \tilde{G}_i^A \otimes \tilde{G}_1^B + \sum_{j=2}^{d_B} b_j \tilde{G}_1^A \otimes \tilde{G}_j^B + \sum_{i=2}^{d_A} \sum_{j=2}^{d_B} t_{ij} \tilde{G}_i^A \otimes \tilde{G}_j^B$$

- The density matrices are subset of a real vector space of dimension $d_A^2 d_B^2 - 1$,

- A random walk is performed in the real vector space, but only the points are contained which lead to a positive density matrix [5]

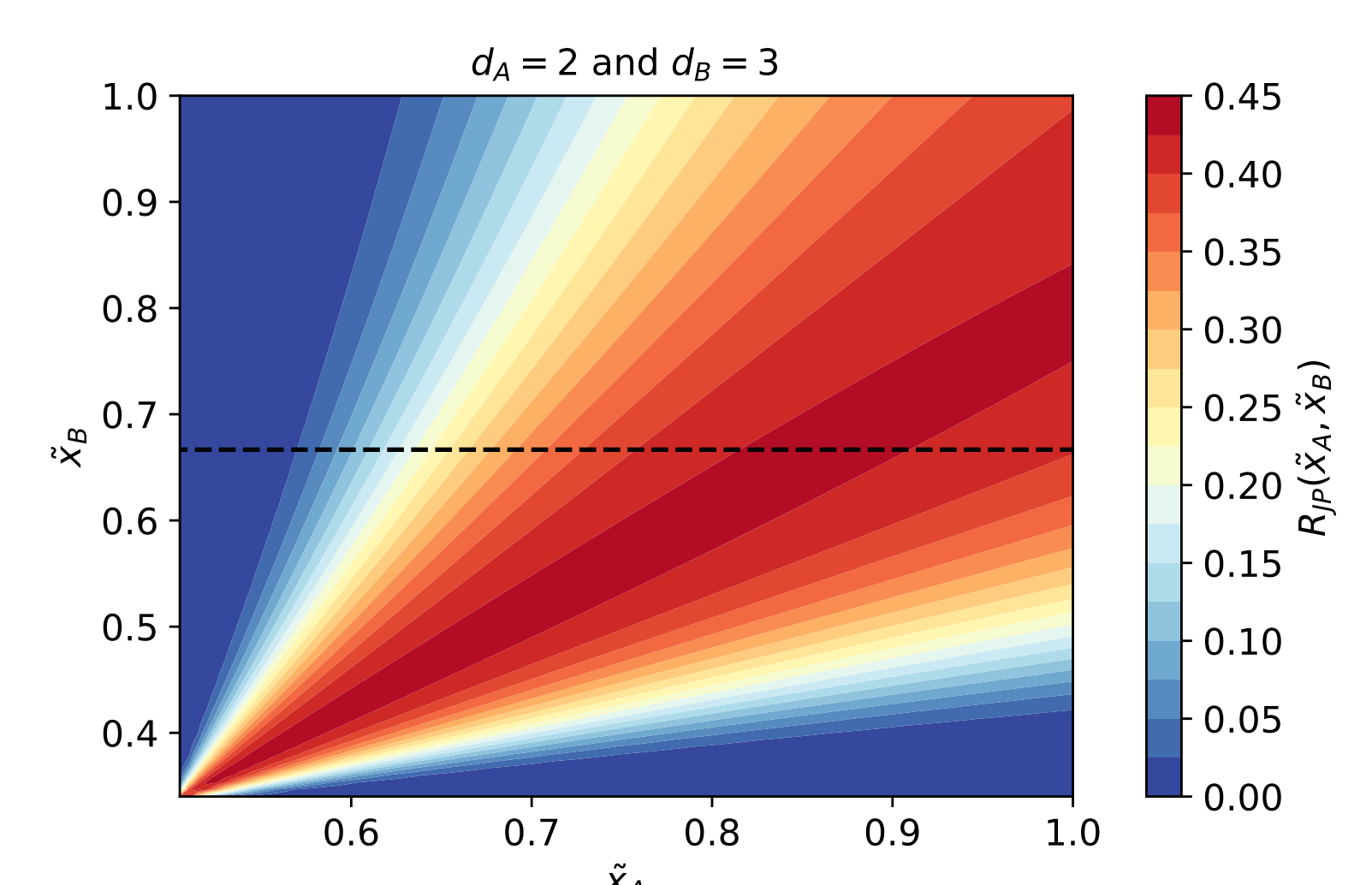
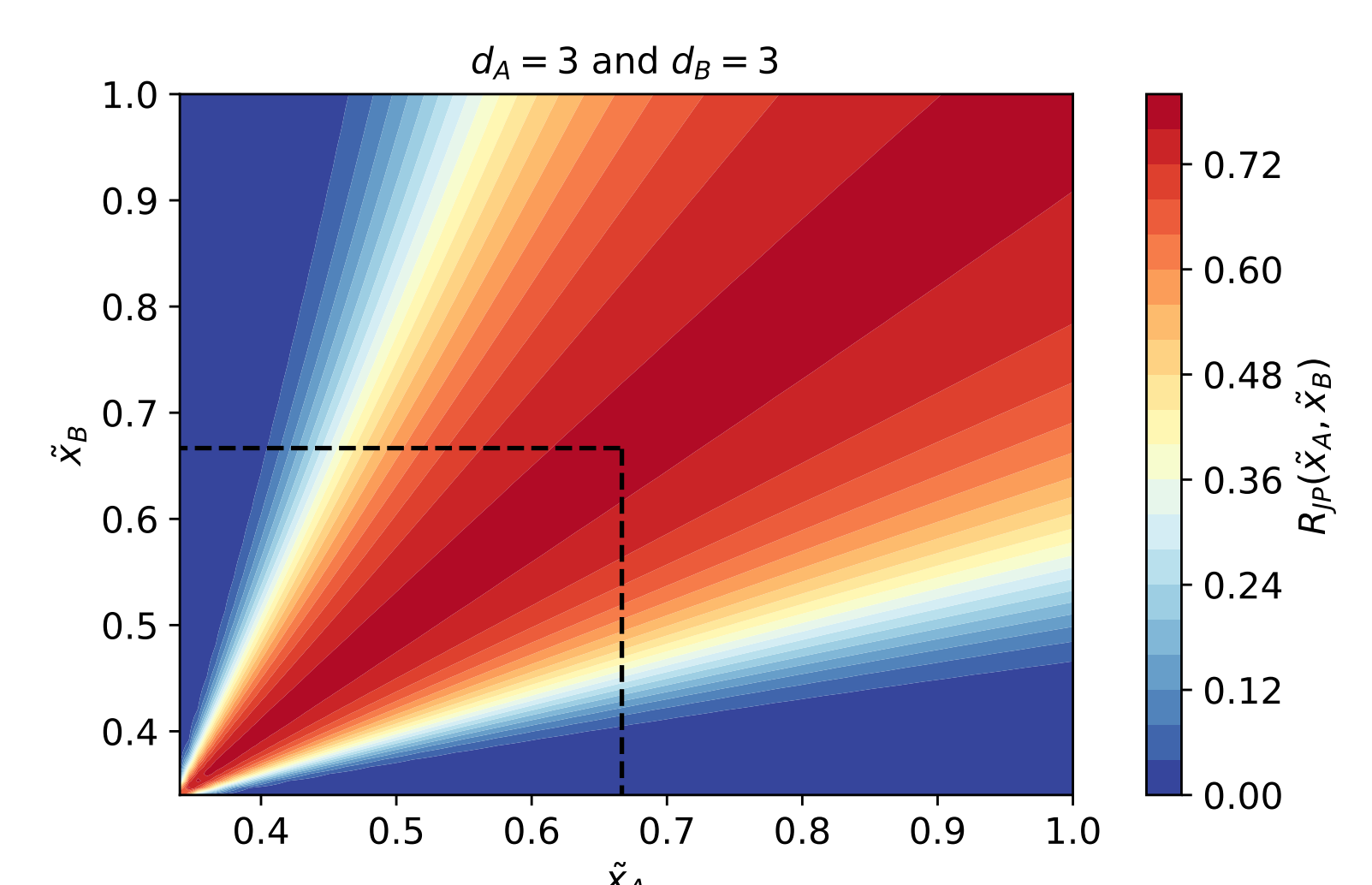
- This method was able to generate 10^8 states

Simulation result for qudit systems

- The Euclidean volume ratios R of the entangled states over all states are calculated and compared with entangled states detected by Peres-Horodecki-condition (PPT) [6]

(d_A, d_B)	R_{PPT}	$R_{JP, SIC}$	$R_{Cor, LOO}$
(2, 2)	0, 75784 $\pm 1, 7(4)$	0, 67060 $\pm 2, 2(4)$	0, 68860 $\pm 2, 1(4)$
(2, 3)	0, 97303 $\pm 7(5)$	0, 39732 $\pm 5, 6(4)$	0, 43853 $\pm 3, 5(4)$
(2, 4)	0, 998696 $\pm 1, 6(5)$	0, 02710 $\pm 2, 7(4)$	0, 04504 $\pm 3, 5(4)$
(3, 3)	0, 999895 $\pm 4(6)$	0, 75680 $\pm 8, 2(4)$	0, 76364 $\pm 8, 1(4)$
(3, 4)	1 ± 0	0, 3605 $\pm 1, 8(3)$	0, 3795 $\pm 1, 8(3)$
(4, 4)	1 ± 0	0, 6378 $\pm 7, 7(3)$	0, 6419 $\pm 7, 7(3)$

- The dependence of the volume ratios calculated with joint probabilities for the parameters x_A and x_B



Conclusion and Outlook

- The symmetry of (N, M) -POVMs shows characteristic scaling properties for entanglement detection
- Entanglement detection with joint probabilities only depends on the rescaled parameters \tilde{x}_A and \tilde{x}_B and is independent for correlation matrices
- The scaling relation can be investigated for multipartite systems