

# Intro to TNs (2): PEPS & MERA

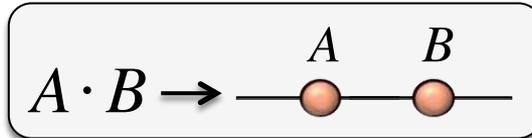
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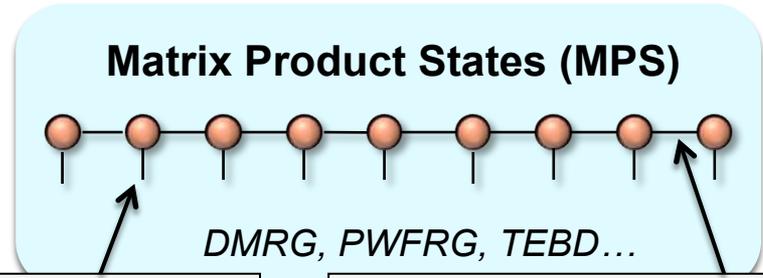
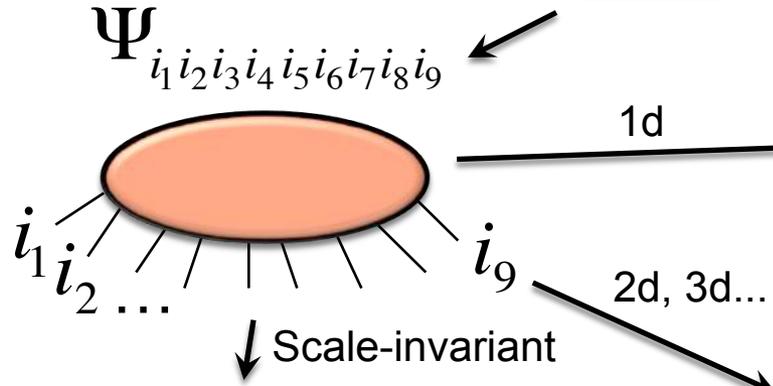
# Tensor Networks

e.g. RO, *Annals of Physics* 349 (2014) 117–158



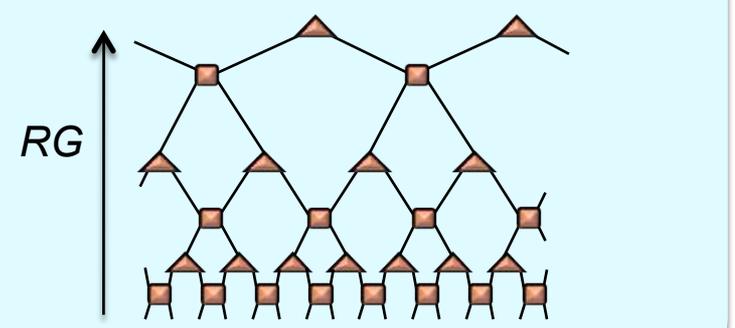
$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{i^s} \Psi_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_N} |i_1\rangle \otimes |i_2\rangle \otimes \dots \otimes |i_N\rangle$$

p-level systems



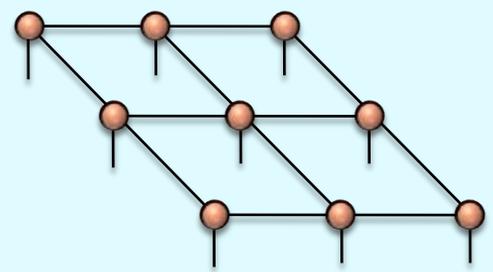
physical 1...p      bond 1..D (entanglement)

## Multiscale Entanglement Renormalization Ansatz (MERA)



AdS/CFT, Entanglement Renormalization

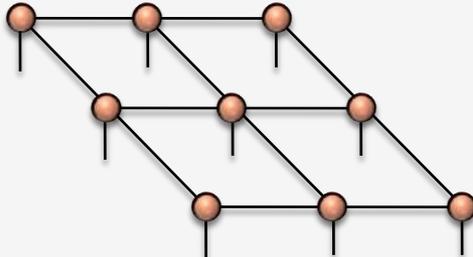
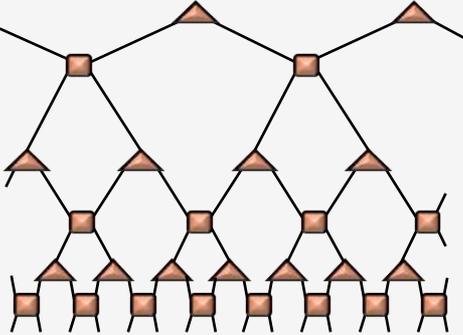
## Projected Entangled Pair States (PEPS), Tensor Product States (TPS)



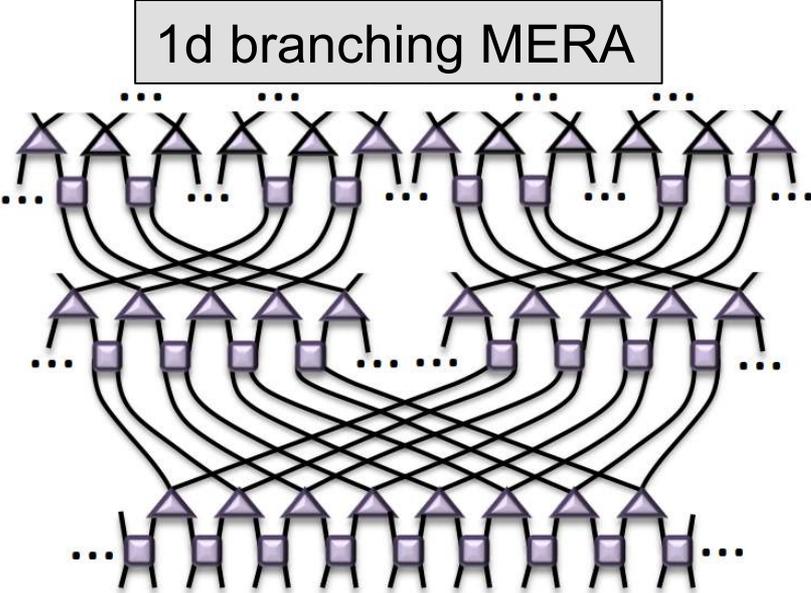
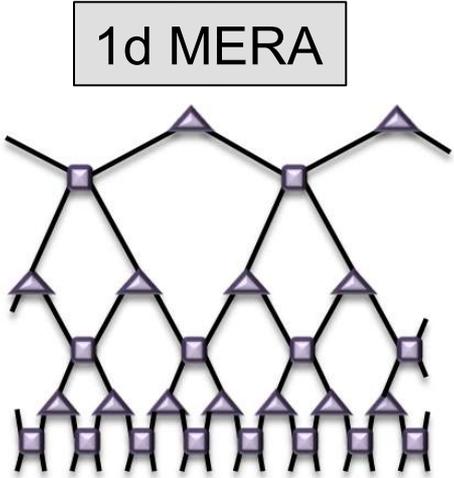
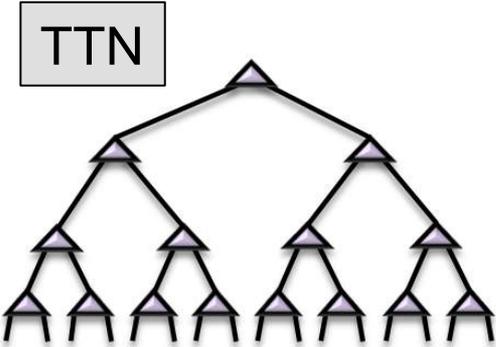
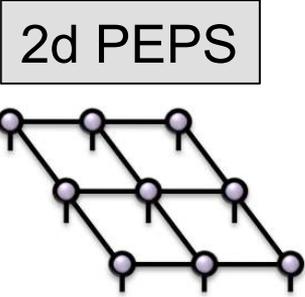
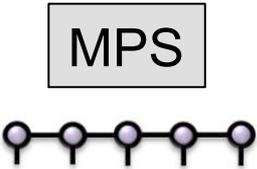
Tensor Product Variational Approach, PEPS & iPEPS algorithms, Tensor-Entanglement Renormalization, TRG/SRG/HOTRG/HOSRG...

Efficient  $O(\text{poly}(N))$ , satisfy area-law, low-energy eigenstates of local Hamiltonians

# Comparison

	<p><i>MPS in 1d</i></p> 	<p><i>PEPS in 2d</i></p> 	<p><i>MERA in 1d</i></p> 
<b>Ent. entropy</b>	$S(L) = O(1)$	$S(L) = O(L)$	$S(L) = O(\log L)$
<b>Exact contraction</b>	efficient	inefficient	efficient
<b>Corr. length</b>	finite	finite & infinite	finite & infinite
<b>To/from</b>	1d Ham.	2d Ham.	1d Ham.
<b>Tensors</b>	arbitrary	arbitrary	constrained

Increasing complexity...



Exact in many cases  
 Variational ansatz for numerical simulations (e.g. DMRG)

# Tensor Networks as an ansatz

Variational optimization

(e.g. DMRG)

$$\min_{|\Psi\rangle \in TN} \langle \Psi | H | \Psi \rangle / \langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle$$

*ground states*

Real/Imaginary time evolution

(e.g. TEBD)

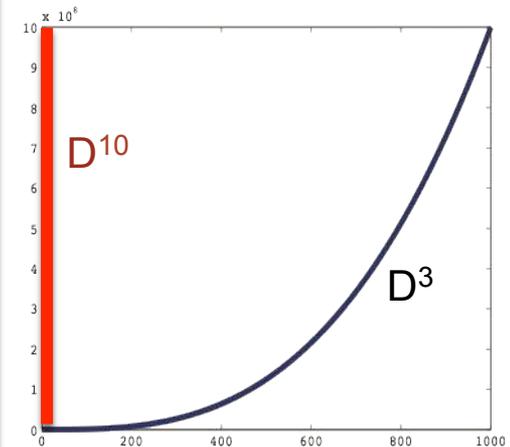
$$e^{-iHt} |\Psi\rangle$$

*dynamics*

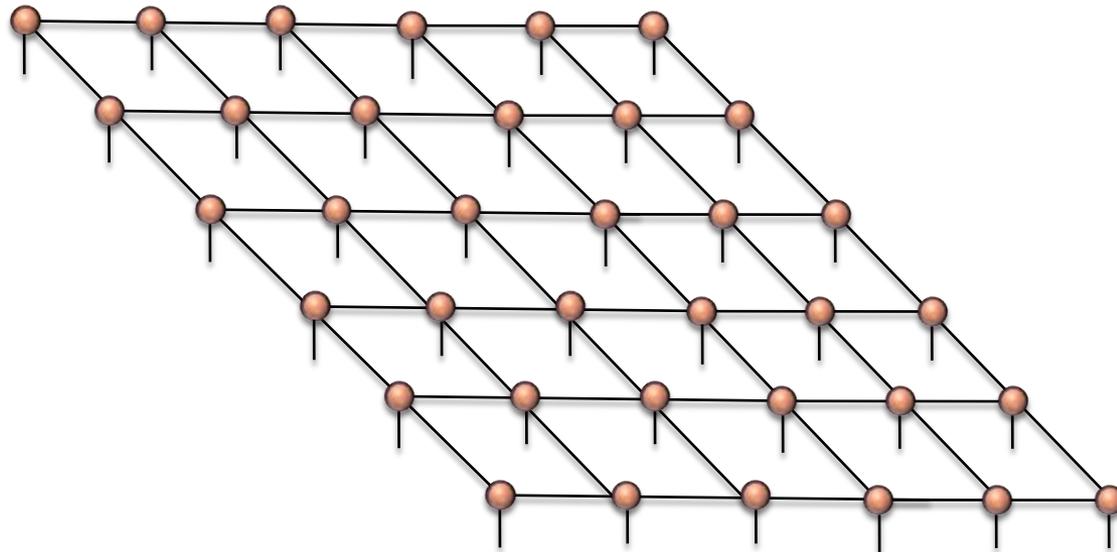
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*ground states*

- MPS methods for **1d** are **very efficient** (e.g. DMRG obc  $\rightarrow D^3$ )
- **2d PEPS**  $\sim D^{10}$ . **But low D expected** because of high connectivity, or entanglement monogamy. **D=2 can be critical.**
- **Infinite lattices** for translation-invariant systems (thermodynamic limit)
- **Internal symmetries, gauge symmetries, fermionic systems, continuum limit** (cMPS  $\rightarrow$  quantum field theories)
- **Limitation:** amount and structure of **entanglement**



# Projected Entangled Pair States (PEPS)



# Two exact examples

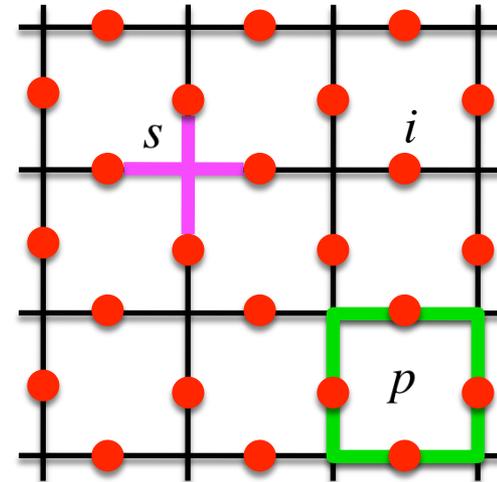
# An exact example: Kitaev's Toric Code

Kitaev, 1997

$$H = -J \sum_s A_s - J \sum_p B_p$$

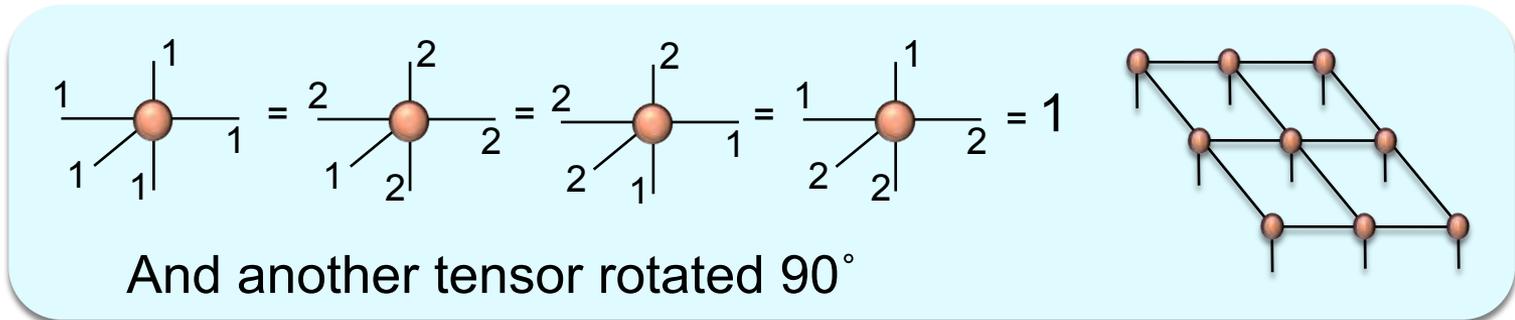
$$A_s = \prod_{i \in s} \sigma_i^x \quad \text{star operator}$$

$$B_p = \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z \quad \text{plaquette operator}$$



Simplest known model with “topological order”

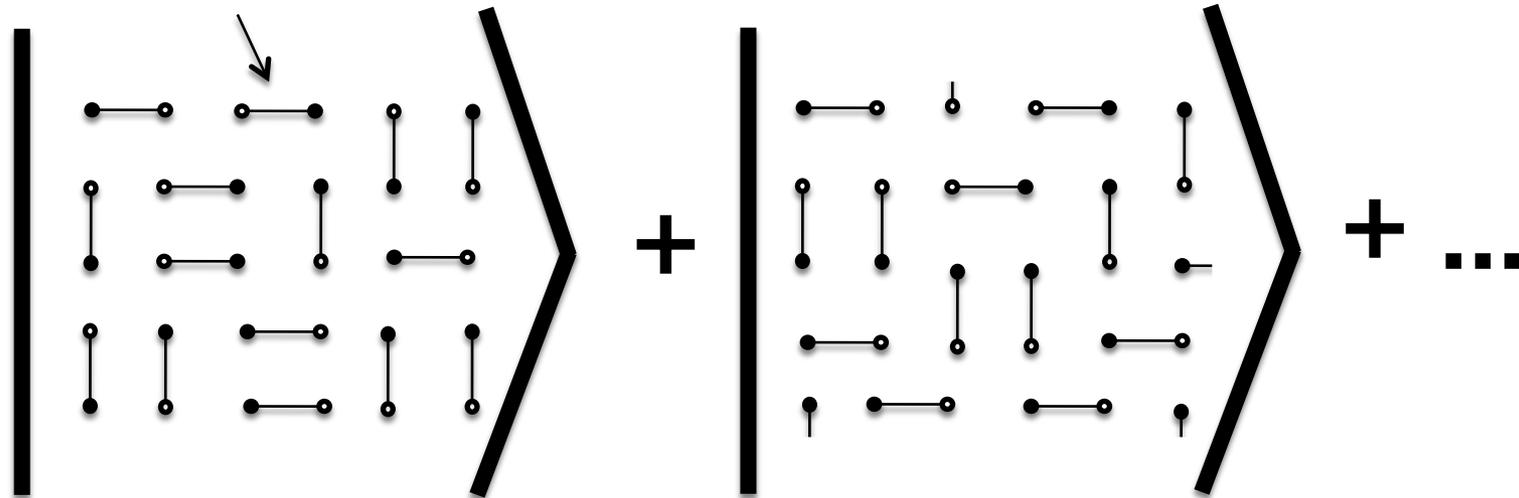
**Ground state (and in fact all eigenstates) are PEPS with  $D=2$**



# Resonating Valence Bond State

Anderson, 1987

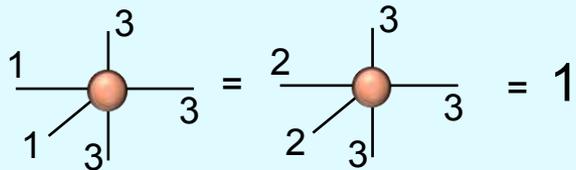
SU(2) singlets



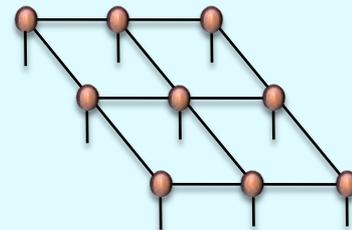
Equal superposition of all possible nearest-neighbor singlet coverings of a lattice (spin liquid)

Proposed to understand high- $T_C$  superconductivity

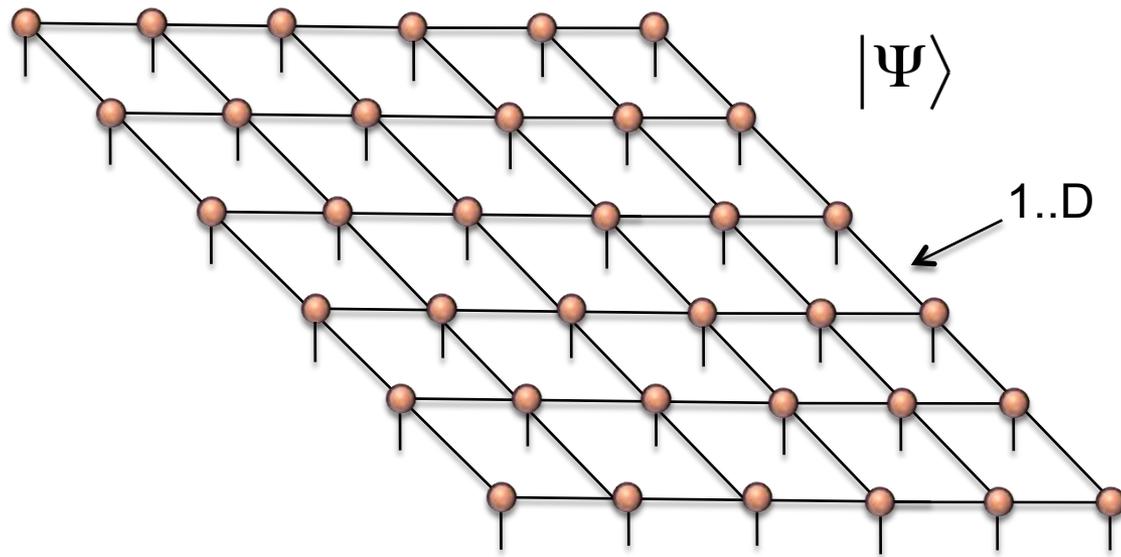
***It is a PEPS with  $D=3$***

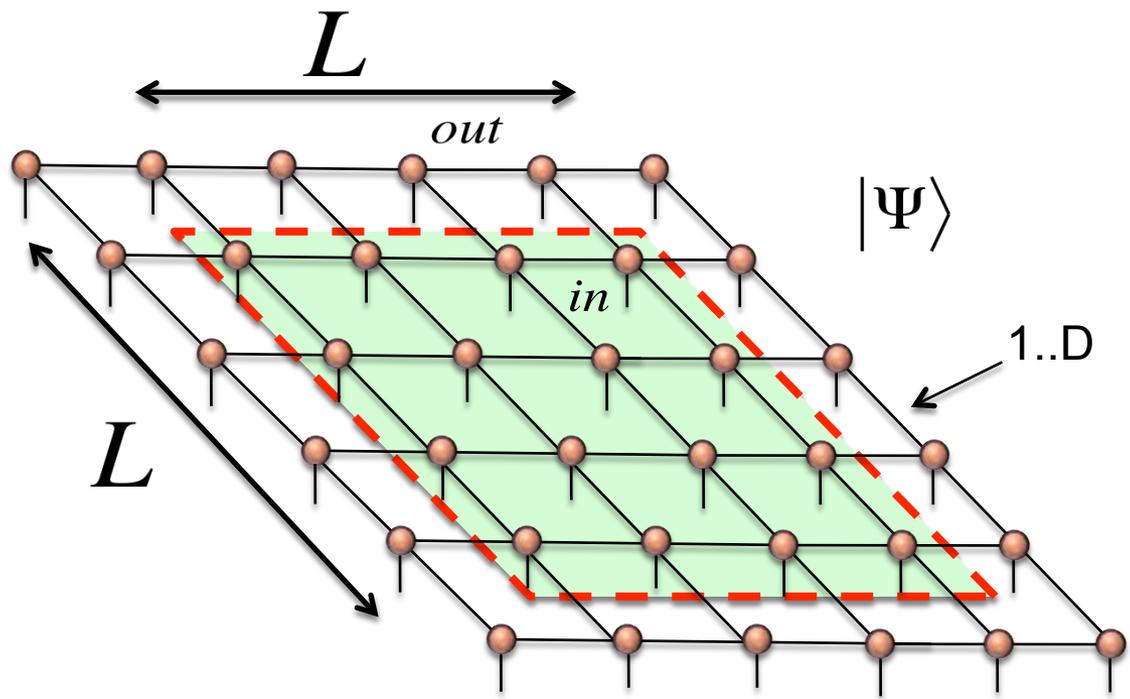


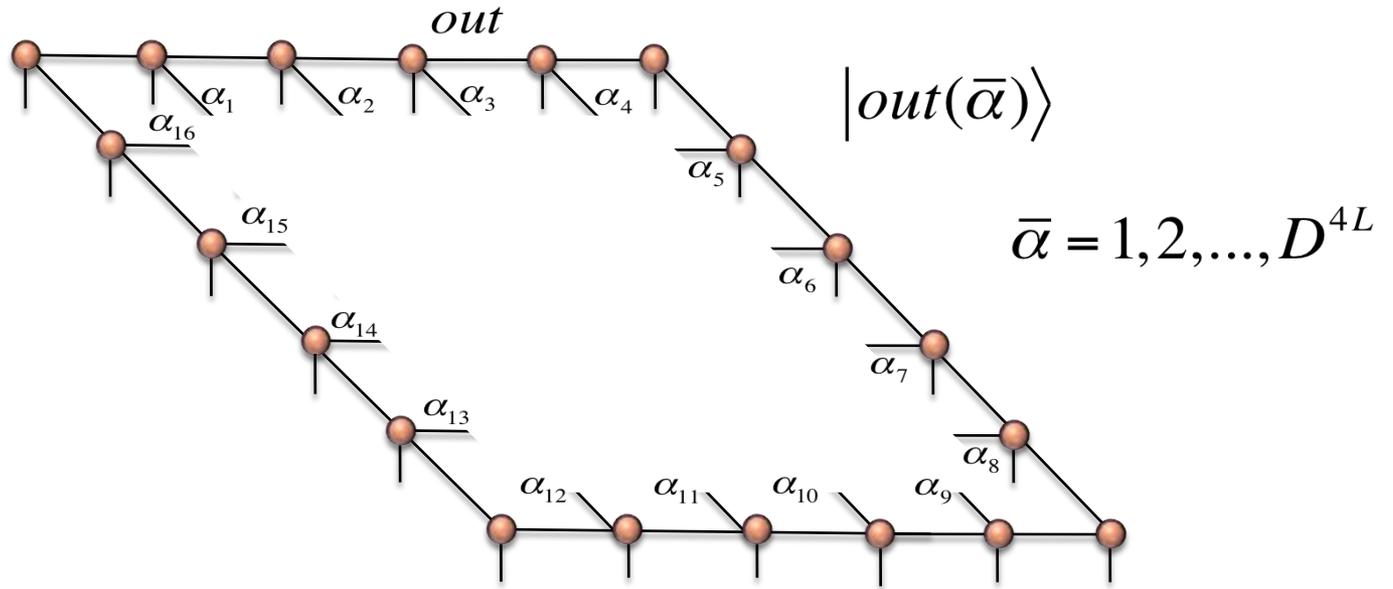
And rotations

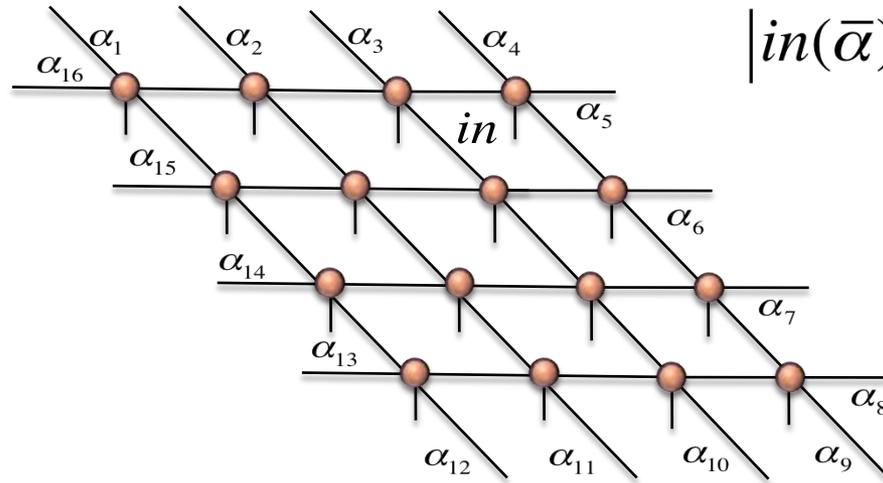


**PEPS obey 2d area-law**



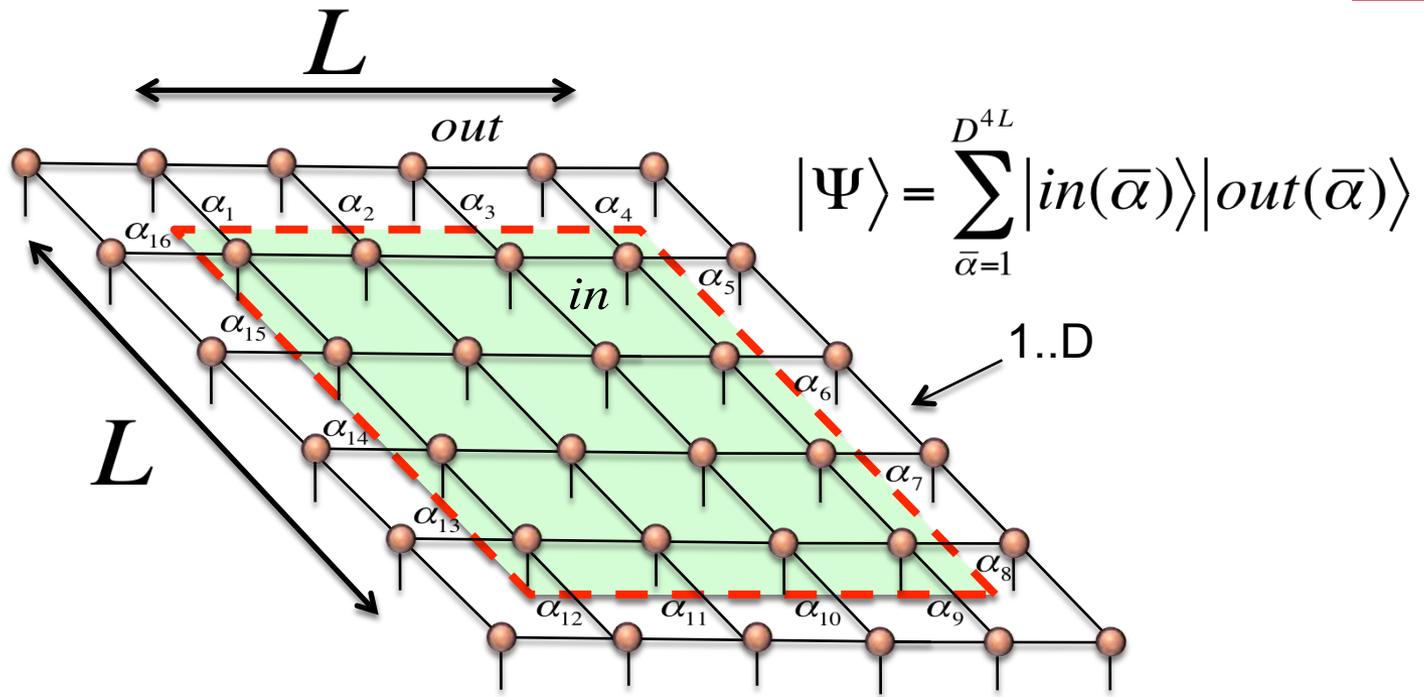






$|in(\bar{\alpha})\rangle$

$$\bar{\alpha} = 1, 2, \dots, D^{4L}$$



$$\rho_{in} = \text{tr}_{out} (|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|) = \sum_{\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}'} X_{\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}'} |in(\bar{\alpha})\rangle\langle in(\bar{\alpha}')| \quad X_{\bar{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}'} = \langle out(\bar{\alpha}') | out(\bar{\alpha}) \rangle$$

$$\text{rank}(\rho_{in}) \leq D^{4L}$$

$$S(L) = -\text{tr}(\rho_{in} \log \rho_{in}) \leq \log(D) \boxed{4L}$$

prefactor

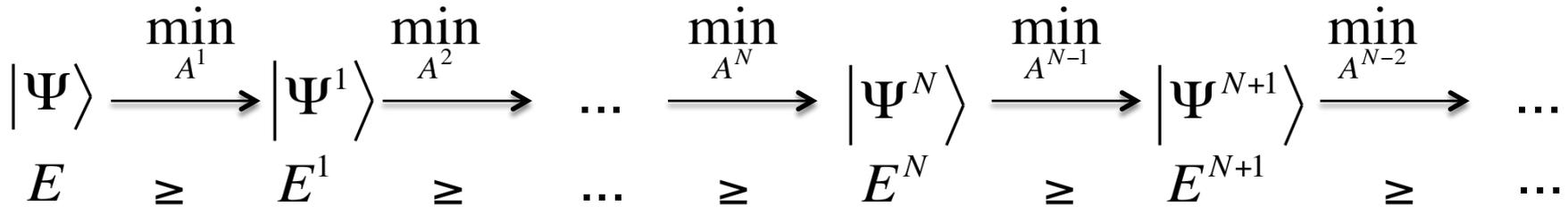
size of the boundary

# PEPS as ansatz: variational optimization

# Variational optimization (e.g. finite PEPS)

$$\min \left( \frac{\langle \Psi | H | \Psi \rangle}{\langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle} \right)$$

Optimize over each tensor individually and sweep over the entire system (as in DMRG)



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial A^{*i}} (\langle \Psi | H | \Psi \rangle - \lambda \langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle) = 0$$

The diagram shows the minimization of a quadratic function with respect to the tensor  $A^{*i}$ . The equation is  $\frac{\partial}{\partial A^{*i}} (\langle \Psi | H | \Psi \rangle - \lambda \langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle) = 0$ . Arrows indicate the relationship between  $A^{*i}$  and  $A^i$  in the context of the minimization.

Minimization of quadratic function

$$\mathbf{H}_{eff}^i \vec{A}^i = \lambda \mathbf{N}^i \vec{A}^i$$

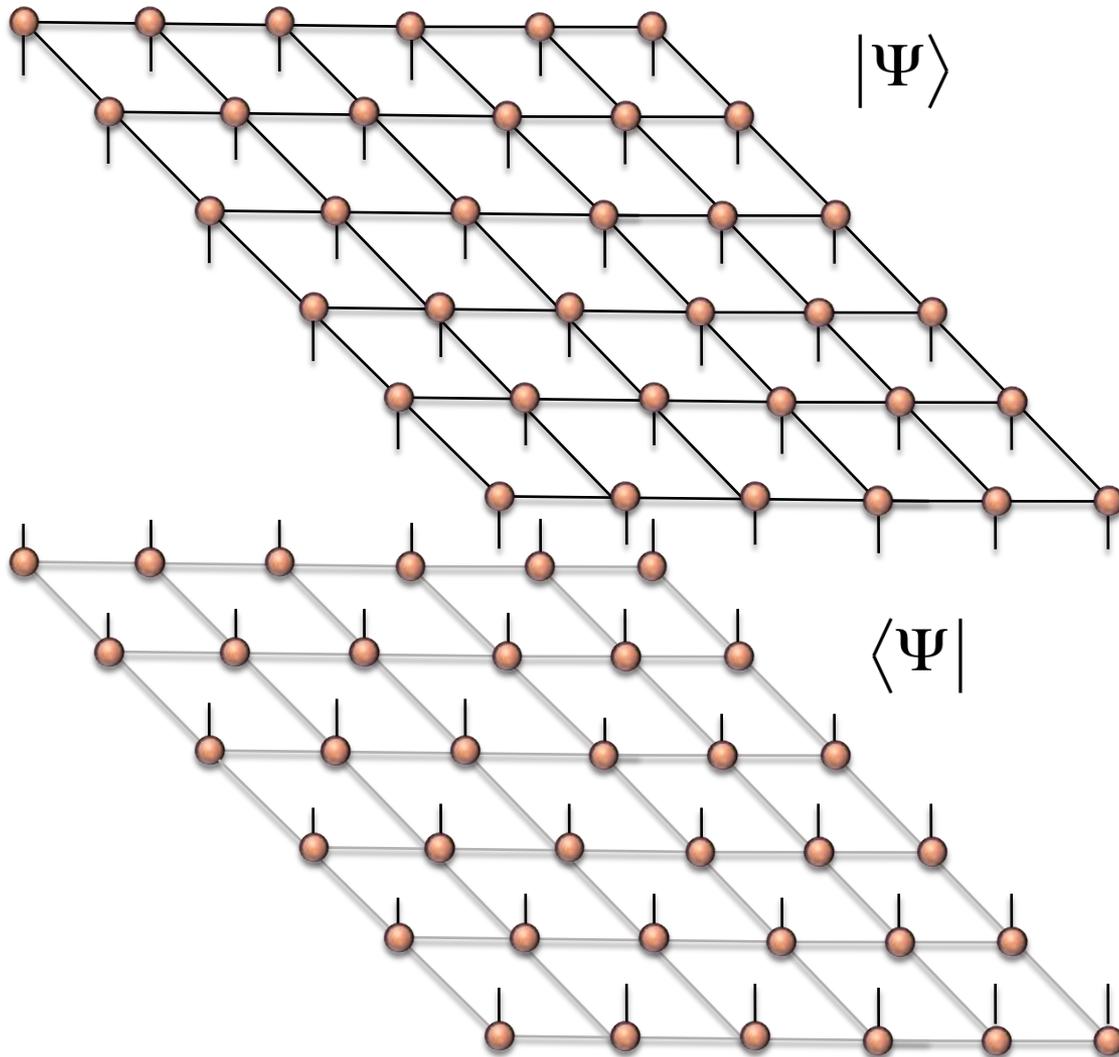
**Generalized eigenvalue problem**

Once  $\mathbf{H}_{eff}^i$  and  $\mathbf{N}^i$  are known, we can solve this problem efficiently

**Approximate calculation of  $\mathbf{H}_{eff}^i$  and  $\mathbf{N}^i$**

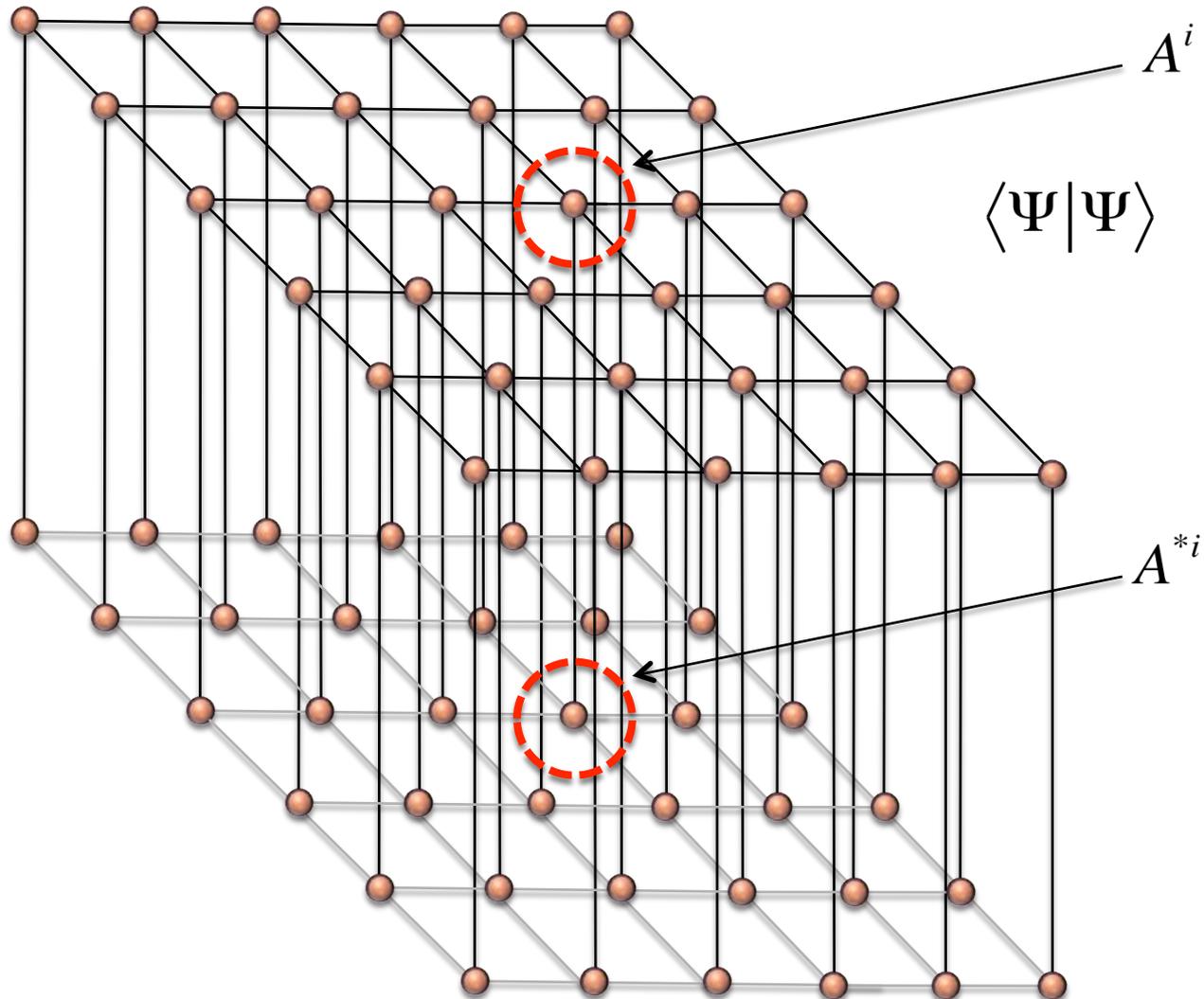
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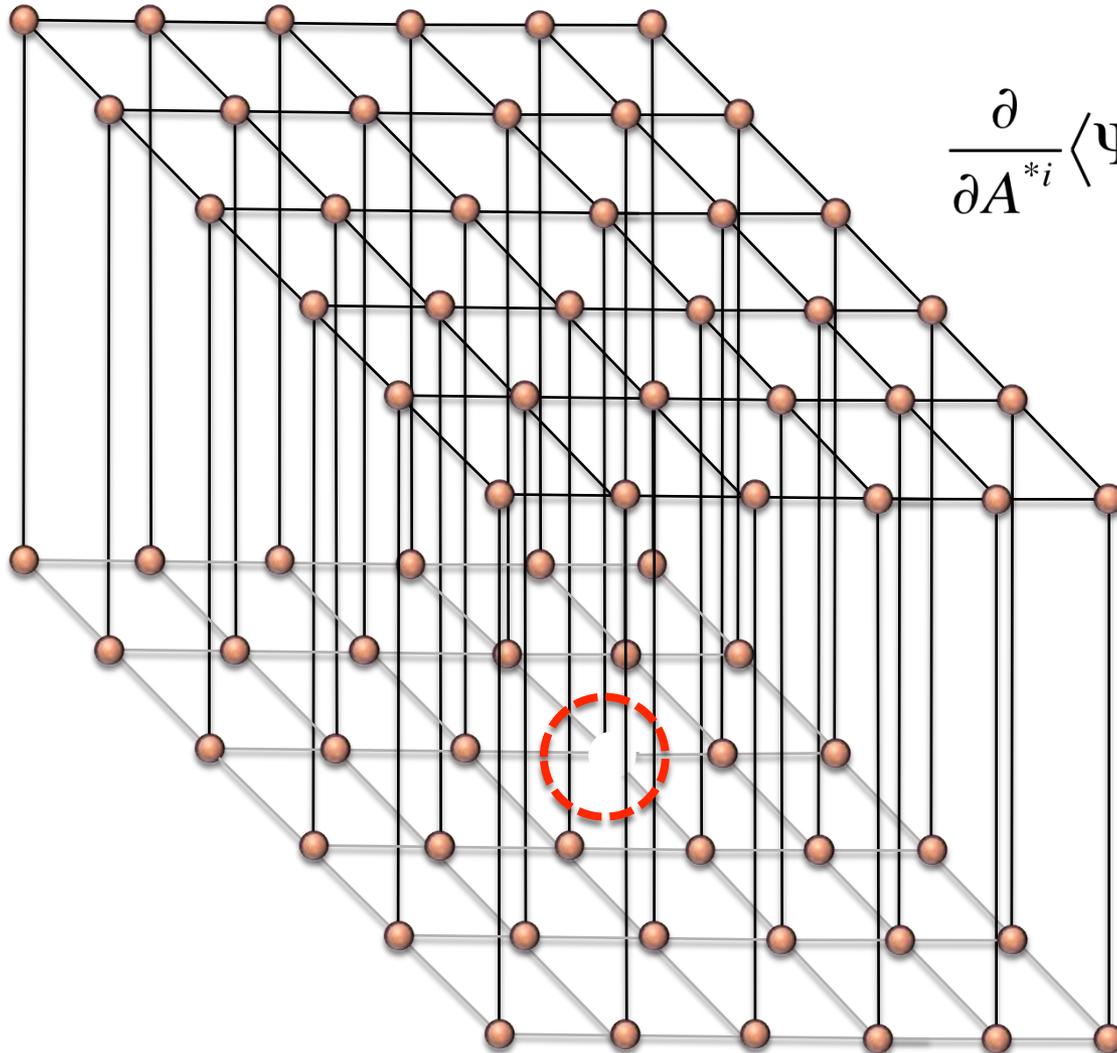
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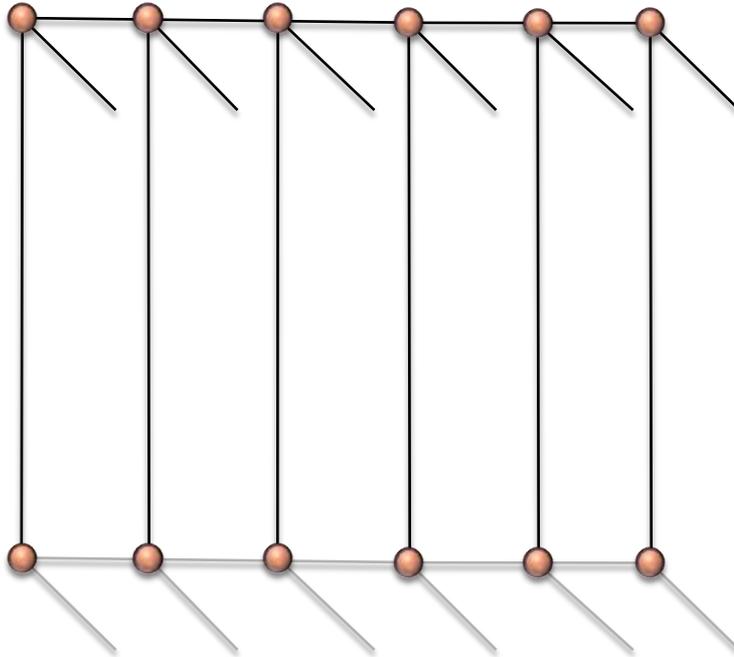
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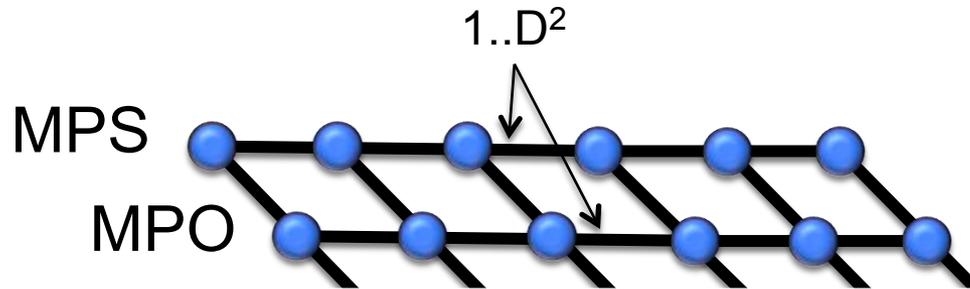
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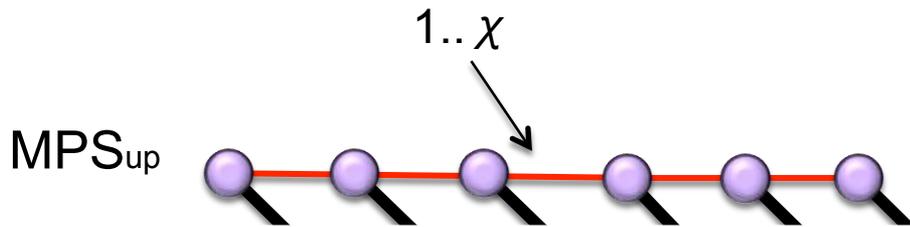


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**1d problem: use a 1d method for MPS  
(e.g., DMRG or TEBD)**

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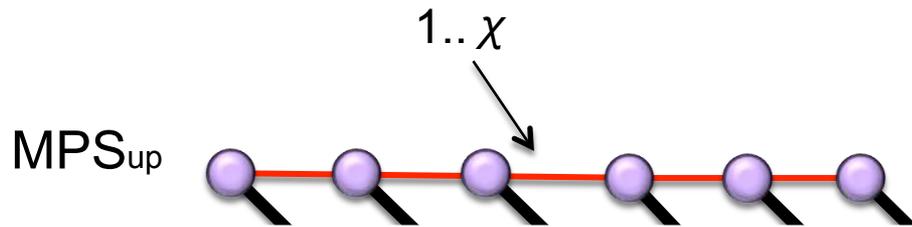
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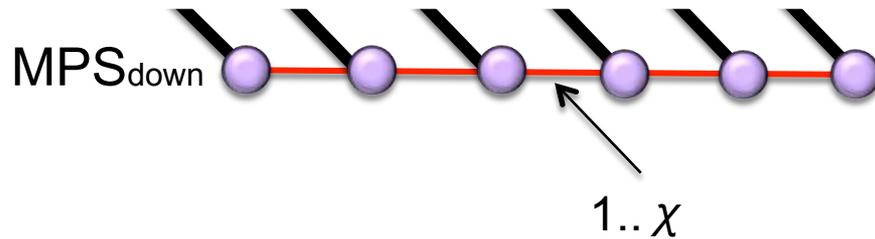
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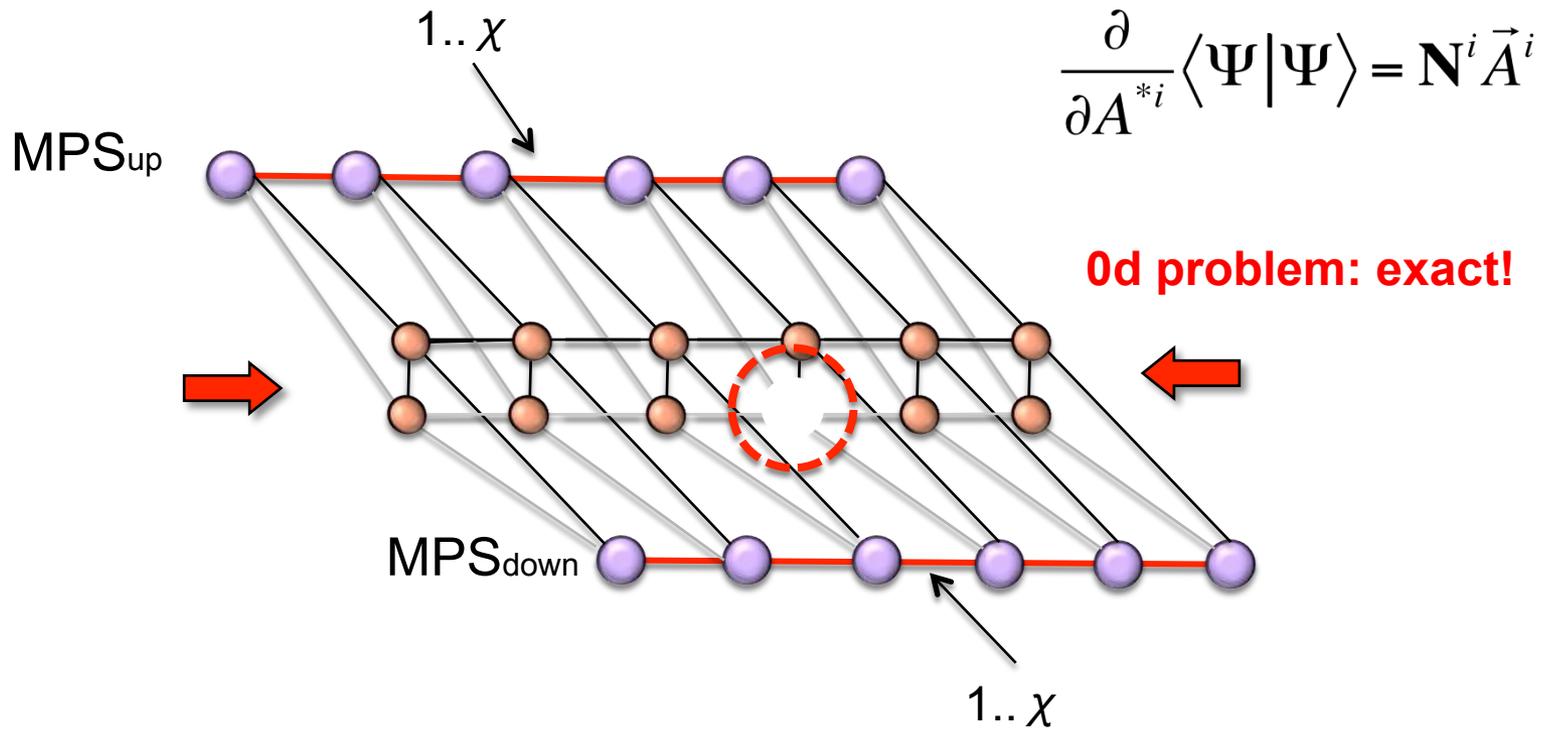


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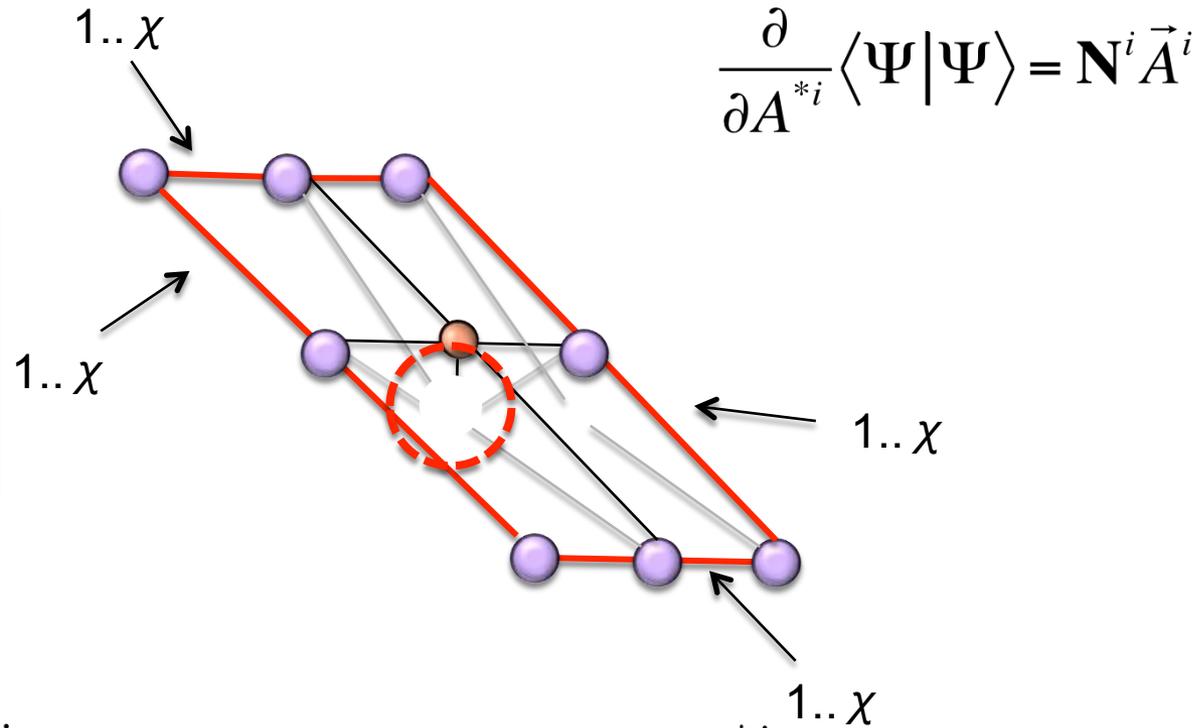
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Dimensional reduction  
**2d problem**  
 ↓  
**1d problem: use DMRG!**  
 ↓  
**0d problem: exact!**



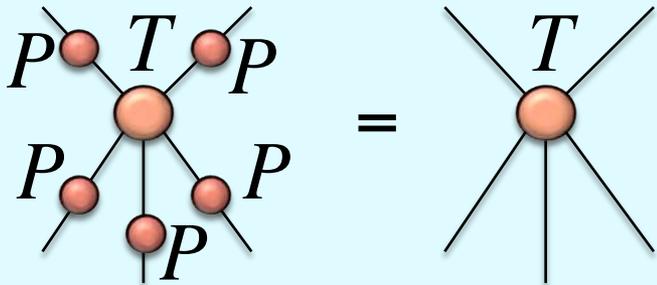
$\mathbf{N}^i \vec{A}^i$  is the **environment** of tensor  $A^{*i}$   
 $\mathbf{H}_{eff}^i \vec{A}^i$  is computed similarly, but sandwiching with the Hamiltonian

**Valid also for any expectation value**

# Tensor Networks + Fermions

*e.g., P. Corboz, R. Orús, B. Bauer, G. Vidal, PRB 81, 165104 (2010)*

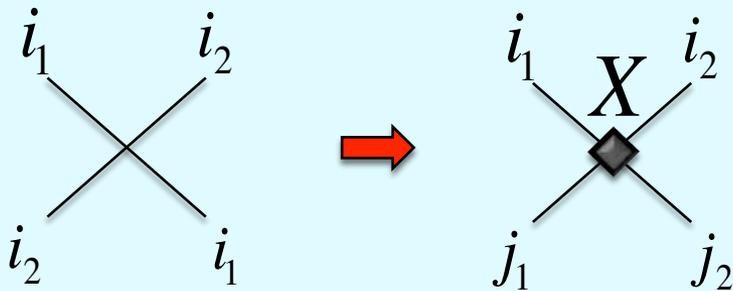
## Tensor Network “fermionization” rules



Use **parity-preserving tensors**

$$T_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_M} = 0 \text{ if } P(i_1)P(i_2)\dots P(i_M) \neq 1$$

*Symmetry of the Hamiltonian*



Replace crossings by  
**fermionic swap gates**

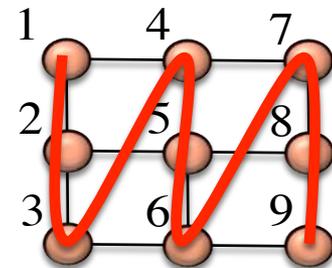
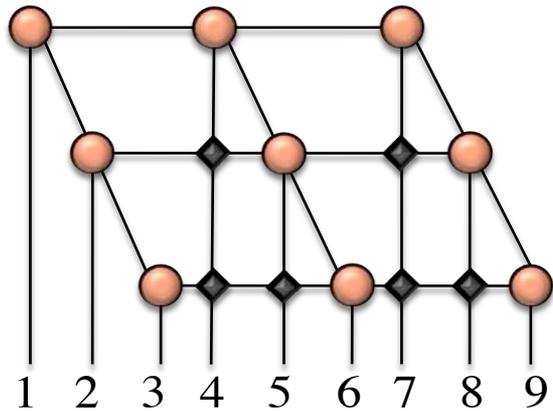
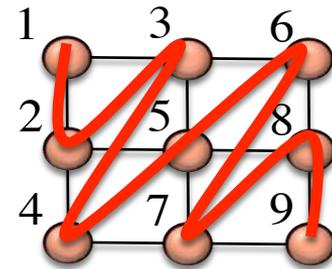
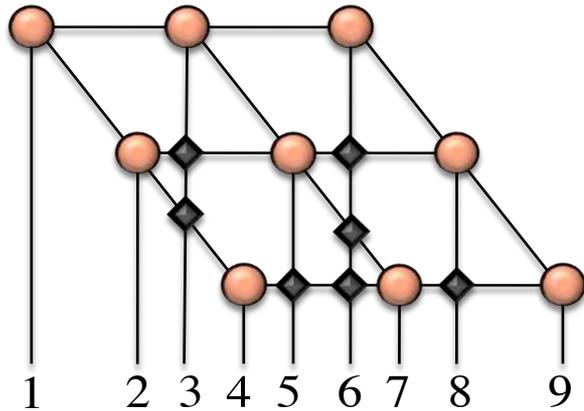
$$X_{i_2 i_1 j_1 j_2} = \delta_{i_1 j_1} \delta_{i_2 j_2} S(P(i_1), P(i_2))$$

$$S(P(i_1), P(i_2)) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } P(i_1) = P(i_2) = -1 \\ +1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

*Fermionic operators anticommute*

**The leading order of the computational cost  
is the same as in the bosonic case**

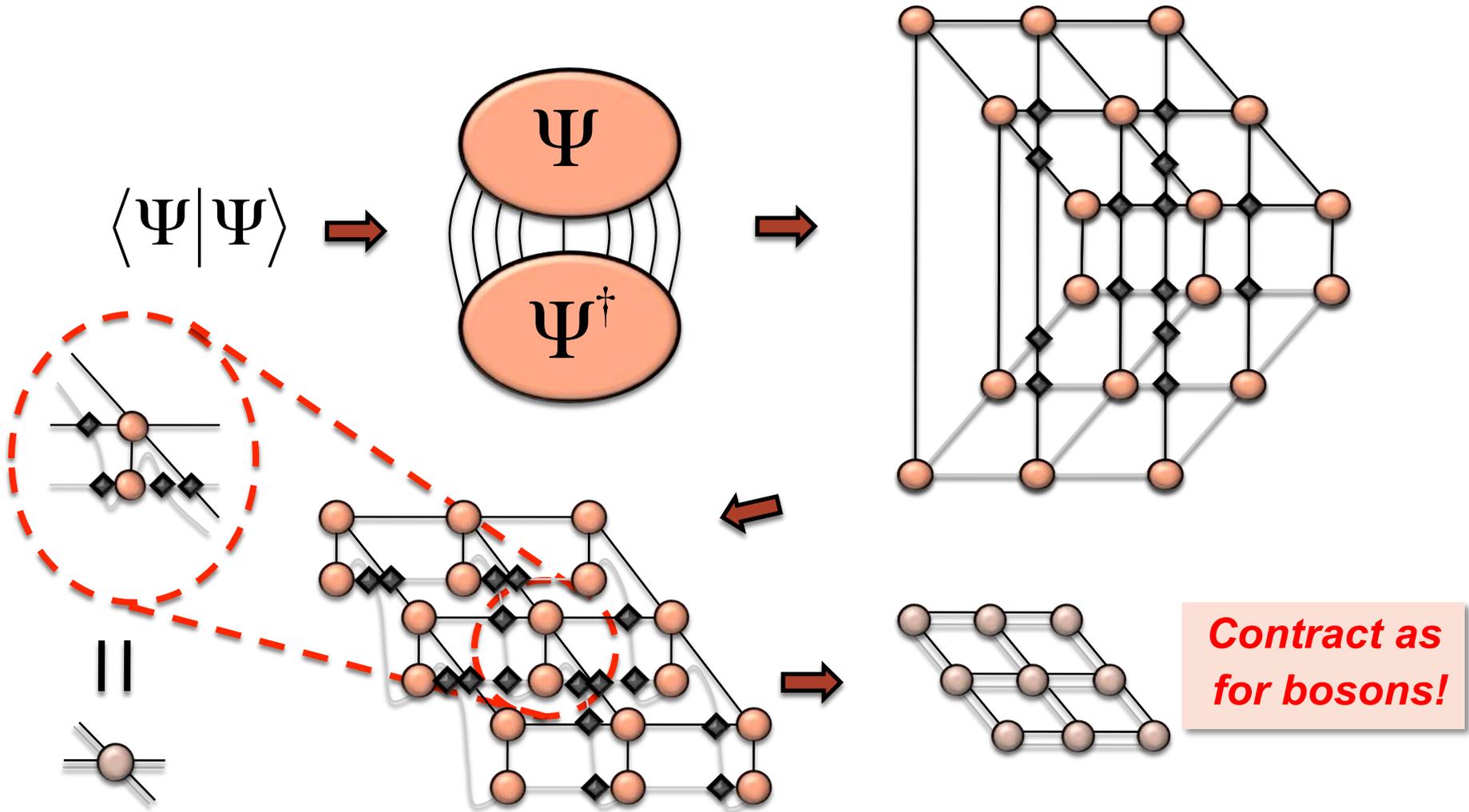
# fermionic order ~ graphical projection of a PEPS



*physics is independent of the order*  
  
*physics is independent of graphical projection*

(different choices of Jordan-Wigner transformation, if mapping to a spin system)

**Example:** scalar product of 3x3 PEPS



# But... does it work?



„Tensor networks provide today the best variational energies for the Hubbard model in the strong coupling limit. iPEPS has really made it“.

Matthias Troyer (at the Korrelationstage 2015)

J. Jordan, RO, G. Vidal, F. Verstraete, I. Cirac, PRL 101 250602 (2008)

P. Corboz, RO, B. Bauer, G. Vidal, PRB 81 165104 (2010)

# YES, it does

P. Corboz, PRB 93 045116 (2016)

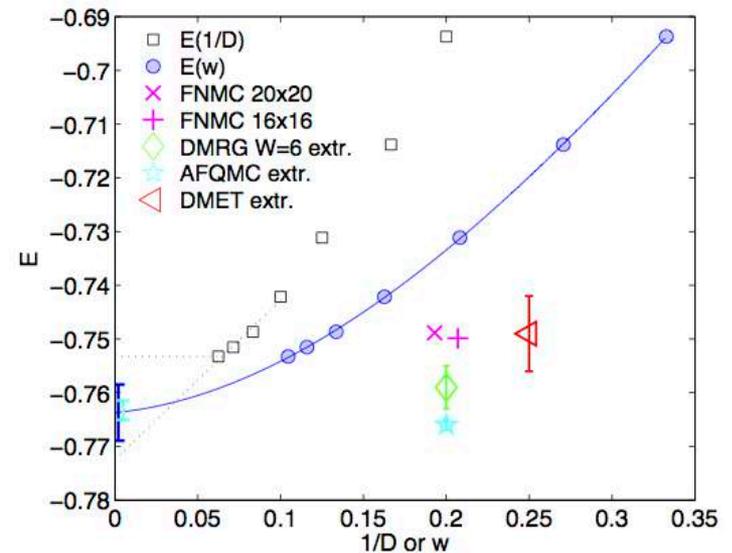
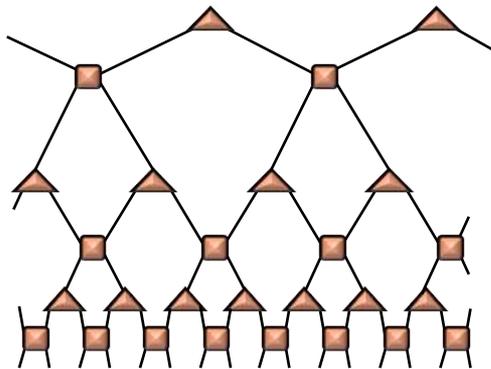
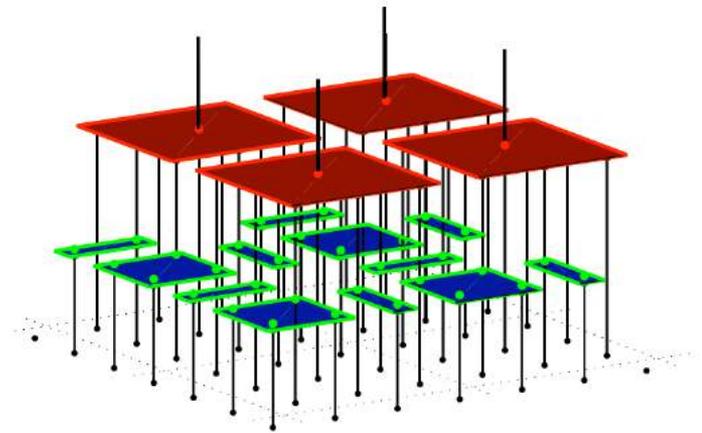


FIG. 4. (Color online) iPEPS energy of a period-5 stripe in the doped case in the strongly correlated regime ( $U/t = 8$ ,  $n = 0.875$ ) in comparison with other methods.

# Multiscale Entanglement Renormalization Ansatz (MERA)

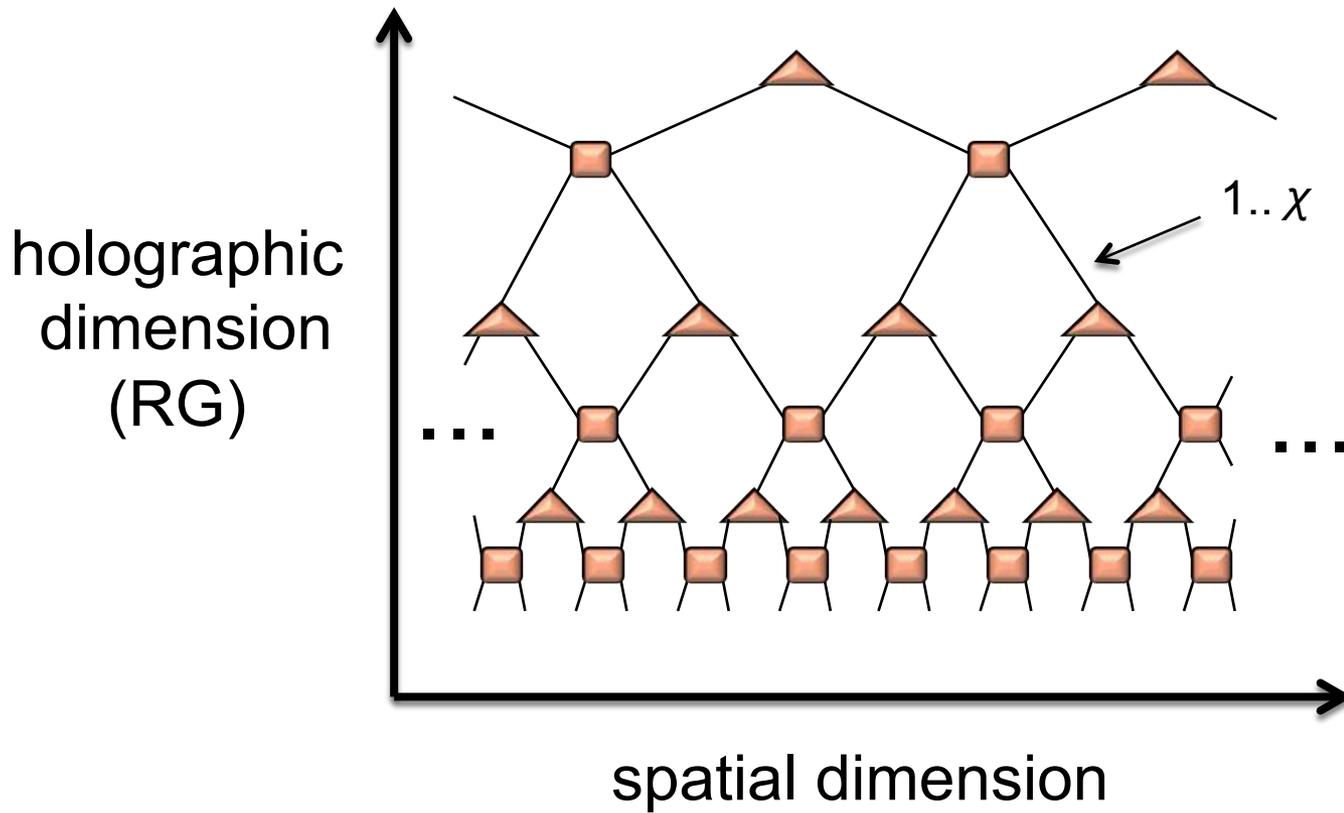


*1d systems*



*2d systems*

# 1d MERA

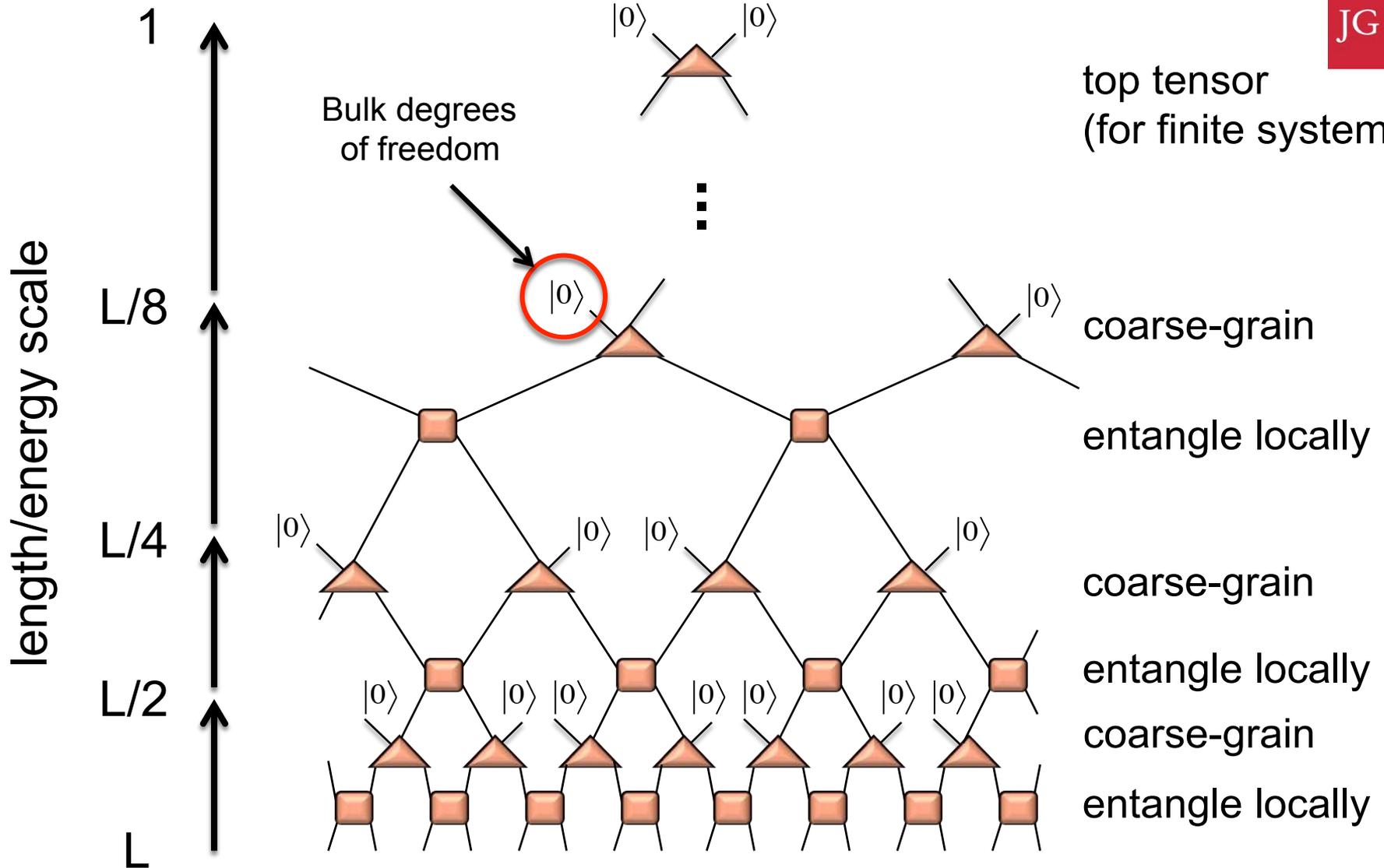


# Tensors obey constraints



**Reason:**

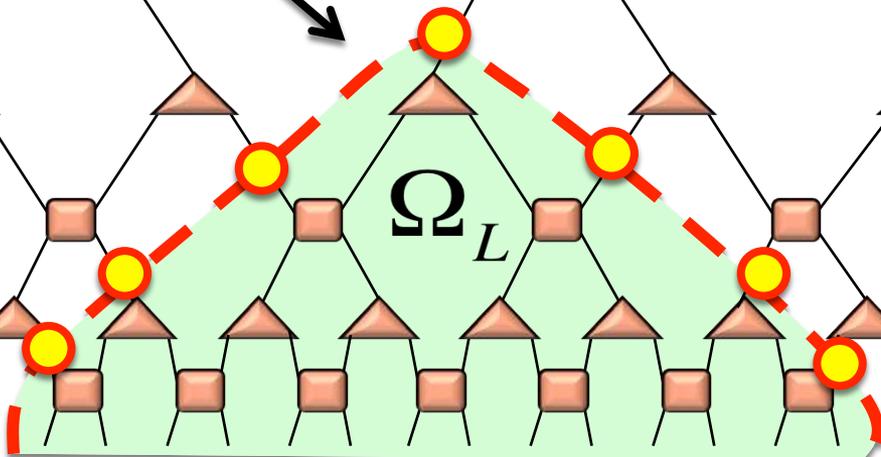
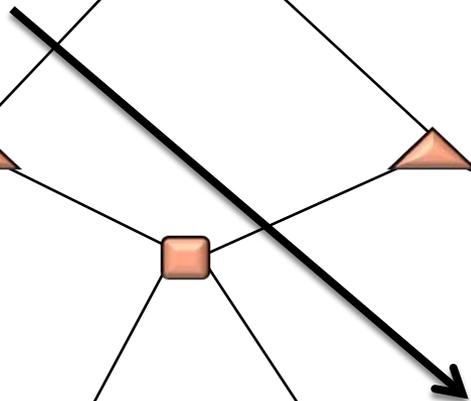
**entanglement is built locally  
at all length scales**



Extra dimension defines an RG flow: **Entanglement Renormalization**

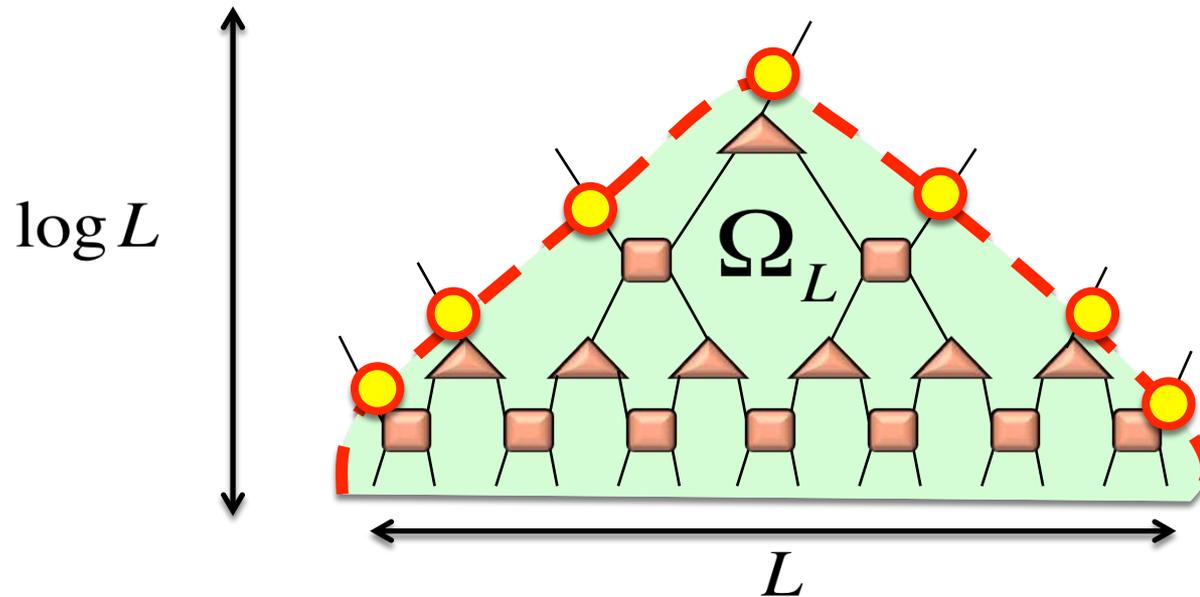
# Entropy of 1d MERA

„geodesic“ curve



$L$

Entanglement as boundary in holographic geometry:  $S(L) \leq \log(\chi) |\partial\Omega_L|$



Entanglement as boundary in holographic geometry:  $S(L) \leq \log(\chi) |\partial\Omega_L|$

Constant contribution at every layer

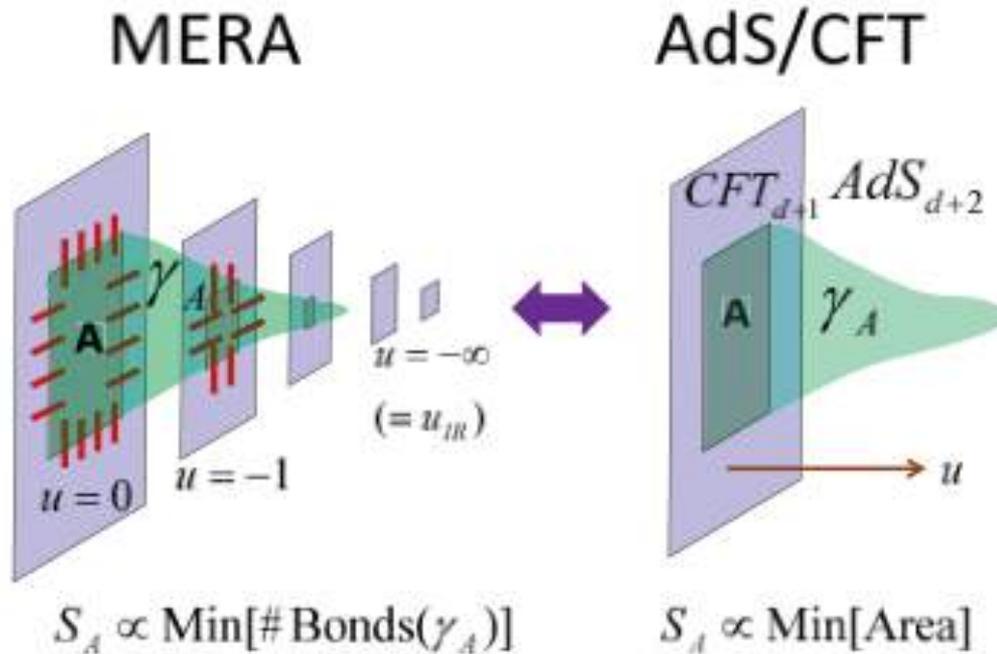
1d MERA can produce logarithmic violations to the area-law:  $S(L) \approx \log L$

*(like 1d critical systems!)*

# MERA & AdS/CFT

*e.g. B. Swingle, PRD 86, 065007 (2012), G. Evenbly, G. Vidal, JSTAT 145:891-918 (2011)*

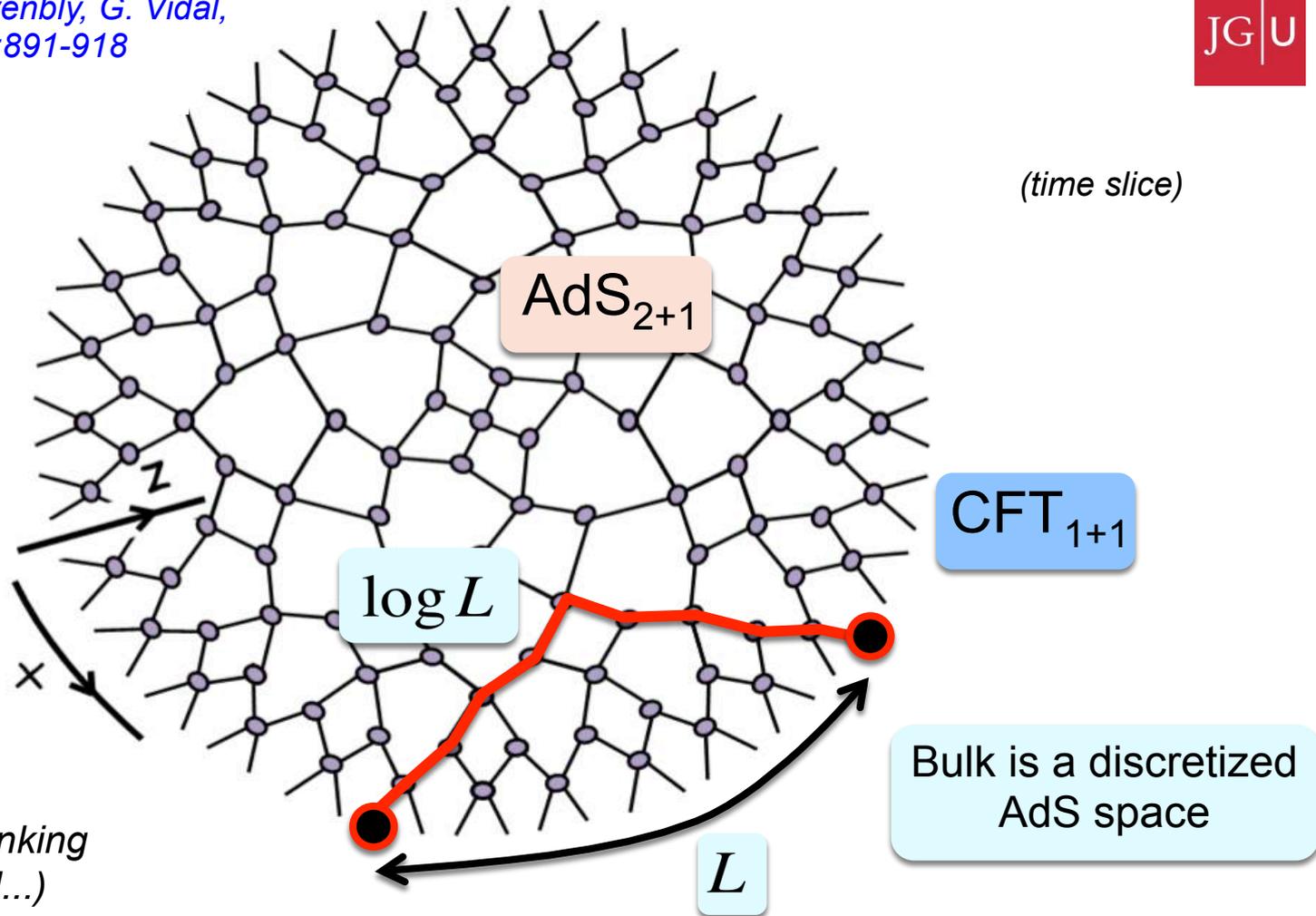
# Emergent space-time



Picture from M. Nozaki, S. Ryu, T. Takayanagi, JHEP10(2012)193

MERA entropy  $\sim$  Ryu-Takayanagi prescription

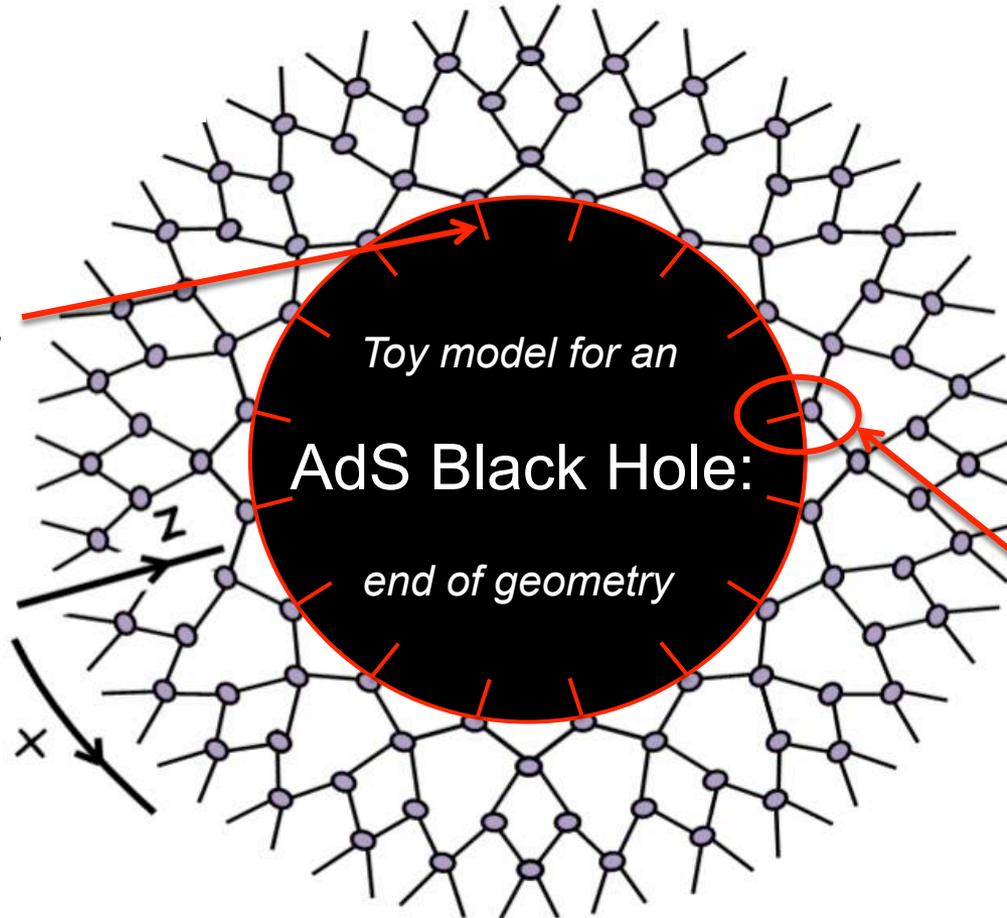
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(2011) JSTAT 145:891-918



For a scale-invariant MERA, the tensors of a critical model with a CFT limit correspond to a „gravitational“ description in a discretized AdS space:  
**„lattice“ realization of AdS/CFT correspondence**

Let's now play some jazz...

Product state = trivial fixed point



(time slice)

If arbitrary, then we can have non-trivial thermal states.

If isometry, then **all information is encoded in the network of correlations** and

$$\rho_{in} = I$$

Finite correlation length (gapped systems) = finite number of layers

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \rho_{in} &= tr_{out} (|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|) \\ \rho_{out} &= tr_{in} (|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Same **thermal** spectrum (entanglement Hamiltonian) finite temperature, scale invariance broken

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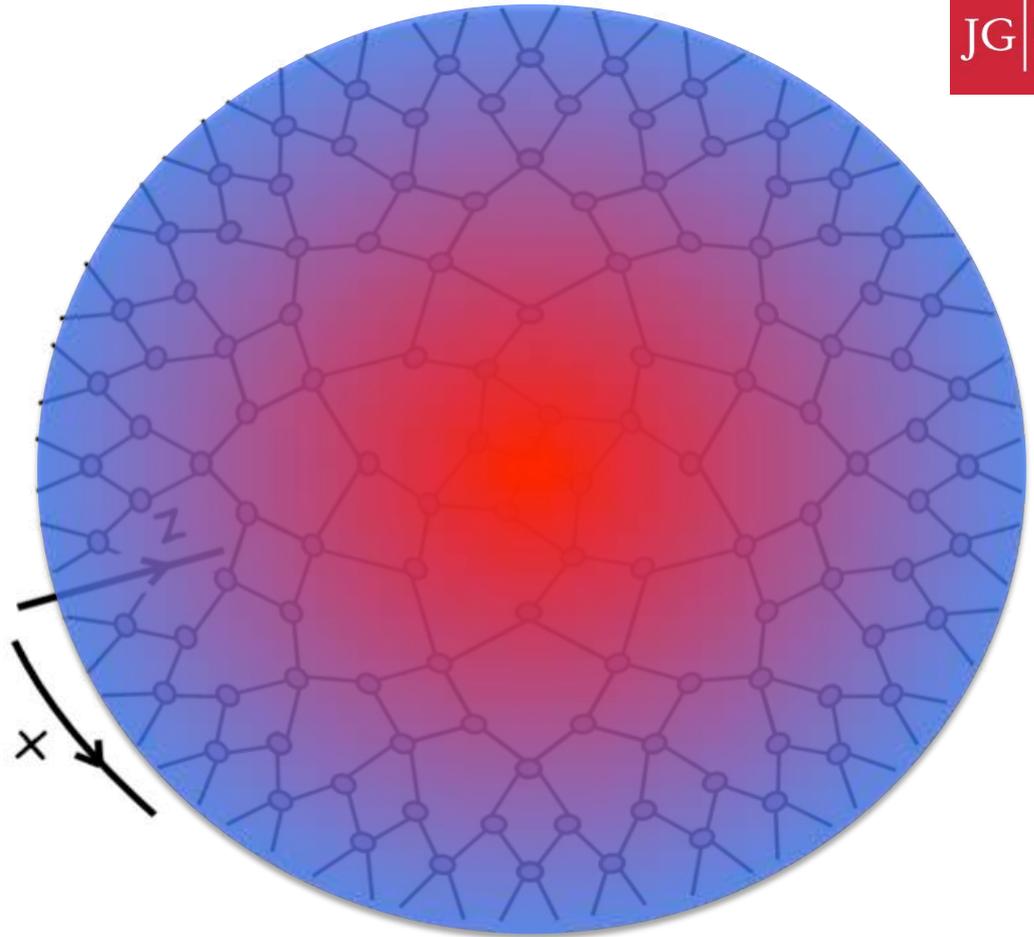
(continuum)

$$|\psi\rangle = P e^{-i \int_{u_2}^{u_1} (K(u)+L) du} |\Omega\rangle$$

*J. Haegeman et al,  
Phys. Rev. Lett. 110, 100402 (2013)*

$K(u)$  Disentangler generator

$L$  Isometry generator



$$g_{uu}(u) du^2 = \mathcal{N}^{-1} \left( 1 - \left| \langle \Psi(u) | e^{iL \cdot du} | \Psi(u + du) \rangle \right|^2 \right)$$

Measures the density of strength of disentanglers.  
Compatible with AdS metric

*M. Nozaki, S. Ryu, T. Takayanagi, JHEP10(2012)193*

*curvature ~ change  
of entanglement at  
every length scale*

***Thank you!***