

Exact Minimum Eigenvalue Distribution of a Random Entangled Bipartite System

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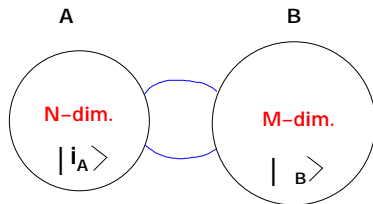
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Plan:

- A brief review of the physical system
 - = Randomly coupled entangled bipartite quantum system
- Reduced density matrix and its eigenvalue statistics
- Minimum eigenvalue \min exact PDF
proving, on the side, a recent conjecture by [Znidaric](#) (2007).
- Summary and Conclusions

Coupled Bipartite System



Coupled Bipartite System

$$N \leq M$$

Composite System: $A \otimes B$

Any state:

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_i x_i |i_A\rangle \otimes |i_B\rangle$$

$X = [x_i]$ ($N \times M$) rectangular Coupling matrix

Coupled Bipartite System

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$$| \psi \rangle = \sum_i x_i |i_A \rangle | B \rangle$$

- If $x_i = a_i b$ then

$$| \psi \rangle = \sum_i a_i |i_A \rangle b | B \rangle = | A \rangle | B \rangle$$

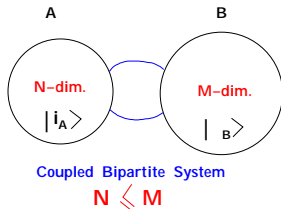
- Fully Un-entangled (factorised)

Otherwise – Entangled (non-factorisable)

- Density matrix of the composite system

$$\hat{\rho} = \rho_A \otimes \rho_B$$

Reduced Density Matrix of subsystem A:



- Reduced Density Matrix: $\hat{\rho}_A = \text{Tr}_B[\hat{\rho}]$ with $\text{Tr}[\hat{\rho}_A]$



Summary:

- Schmidt decomposition:

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^N \sqrt{\lambda_i} |i\rangle^A |i\rangle^B$$

- Reduced density matrix: $\hat{\rho}_A = \text{Tr}_B [|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|] = \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i |i\rangle^A \langle i|^A$

- $\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N\}$ eigenvalues of $W = XX^\dagger$ with

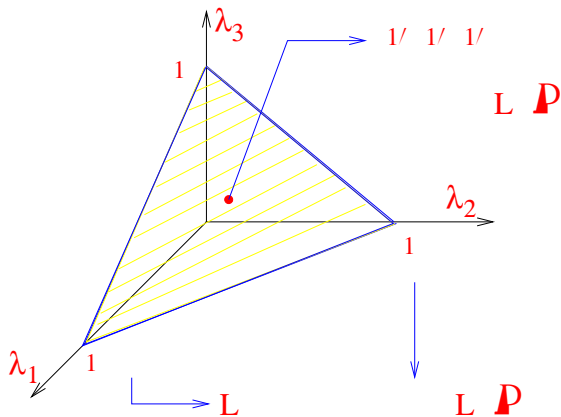
$$0 \leq \lambda_i \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i = 1$$

- Least** entangled (unentangled): if $\lambda_1 = 1$ and $\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = \dots = \lambda_N = 0$

$$|\psi\rangle = |1\rangle^A |1\rangle^B \quad (\text{fully factorised})$$

- Most** entangled: if $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = \dots = \lambda_N = 1/N$

A Simple Diagram for $N=3$



Minimum Eigenvalue λ_{\min} :

- Another important object: $\min =$

Randomly Coupled Bipartite System

$$| \psi \rangle = \sum_i x_i |i_A\rangle |i_B\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |i\rangle^A |i\rangle^B$$

- $X = [x_i]$ entries are **Random** variables drawn from:

$$\text{Prob}[X] = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} X^\dagger X \right]; \quad d = 2 \text{ (complex)} \text{ and } d = 1 \text{ (real)}$$

- $\{x_i\}$ **random** variables

- entropy $S = - \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)$ **random** variable

Znidaric Conjecture and our Results:

- For $M = N$ and $k = 2$, Znidaric (2007) conjectured:

$$\min_{\mathcal{A}} \sum_{A \in \mathcal{A}} \frac{1}{|A|^3} \text{ for all } N$$

- For $M = N$ and

Minimum Eigenvalue Distribution for the Real Case

- For $M = N$ and $\beta = 1$ we prove: for $0 < x < 1/N$

$$P_N(x) = A_N x^{-N/2} (1 - Nx)$$

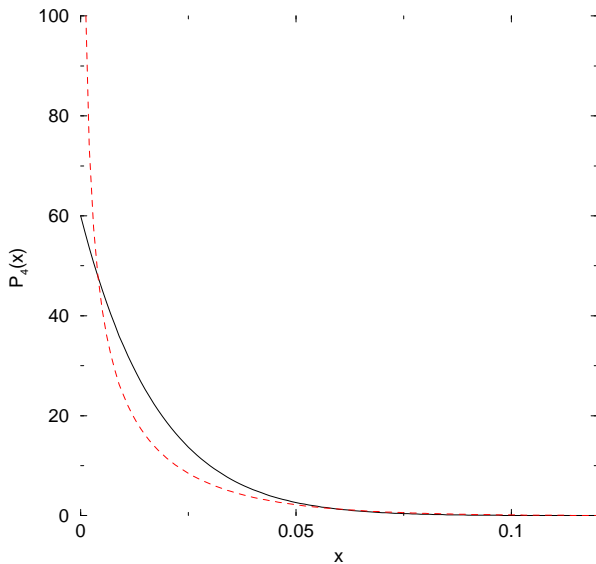
where

$$A_N = \frac{N(N-1)(N-2)}{2^{N-1} (N/2) ((N^2 + N - 2)/2)}$$

- For example for $N = 2$: $P_2(x) = \frac{1-2x}{x(1-x)}$ for $0 < x < 1/2$
- All moments calculated explicitly: For example the average:

$$\mu_1(N) = \int_0^{1/N} x P_N(x) dx = \frac{1}{N}$$

Exact Minimum Eigenvalue PDF for $N=4$



Sketch of the Proof

- To compute the distribution of $\lambda_{\min} = \min(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N)$ need
- the joint PDF $P(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N)$ where $\{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N\}$ eigenvalues of the Wishart matrix $W = XX^T$

with an additional constraint

$$\lambda_i = 1 \quad i=1, \dots, N$$

- Joint distribution of Wishart eigenvalues (James '64):

$$P(\{\lambda_i\}) = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \lambda_i \right] \prod_{i=1}^N \lambda_i^{(1+M-N)-1} \prod_{j < k} |\lambda_j - \lambda_k|$$

$$\times \prod_{i=1}^N \lambda_i^{-1}$$

(Lloyd & Pagels '88, Zyczkowski & Sommers '2001)

- Cumulative distribution of λ_{\min} :
 $Q_N(x) = \text{Prob}(\lambda_{\min} > x) = \text{Prob}(\lambda_1 > x, \lambda_2 > x, \dots, \lambda_N > x)$

Cumulative distribution of λ_{\min} for $M=N$

- For $M = N$ case

$$Q_N(x) = B_N \prod_{i=1}^{N-1} x^{i-1} \prod_{j < k} \frac{d_j}{d_k} \prod_{i=1}^N d_i^{-1}$$

- Integral representation

$$x^{i-1} = \frac{ds}{2\pi i} e^{s(1-P_i)}$$

- $Q_N(x) = B_N \frac{ds}{2\pi i} e^s I_N(x, s)$ where

$$I_N(s, x) = \prod_{i=1}^{N-1} x^{i-1} \prod_{j < k} \frac{d_j}{d_k} \prod_{i=1}^N d_i^{-1} e^{-s P_i}$$

$M = N$ and $\beta = 2$ Case

- For $\beta = 2$ the integral simplifies:

$$I_N(s, x) = \int_0^x \dots \int_0^x e^{-s \sum_{j < k} (j - k)^2 z_j} \prod_{i=1}^N dz_i$$

- Using a shift: $z_i = s(z_i - x)$ Selberg Integral

$$I_N(s, x) = \frac{e^{-sNx}}{s^{N^2}} \prod_{j=0}^{N-1} (j+2)(j+1)$$

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Summary and Conclusions:

- **Exact** PDF of the minimum eigenvalue λ_{\min} of the reduced density matrix of a randomly coupled bipartite system of equal sizes for $\beta = 1$ and $\beta = 2$

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