Diagnosis of information scrambling from Hamiltonian dynamics under decoherence

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Introduction



Black hole as a fast scrambler

- [Page 1993]
- U: Haar random (black hole) evolution (average over $2^N \times 2^N$ unitaries)
- A: input state
- ► *B*: initial black hole
- ► C: remaining black hole
- D: Hawking radiation (measured state)



Information scrambling

- Information of input A cannot be retrieved by local measurements ($N_D \leq N/2$)
- Characterized by small mutual information I(A, D) between input A and output D,

 $I(A,D) = S(\rho_A) + S(\rho_D) - S(\rho_{AD})$

Introduction





- Motivated by black hole physics (as a fast scrambler)
- Can we use it to understand information scrambling of other physical systems?
- Scrambled state is highly entangled
 Hard to simulate classically.
- Potential implementation on near-term quantum devices?
- What is the effect of noises/errors on some extended protocol.

Hayden-Preskill protocol



- ► U : information scrambler [Page (1993)]
 - ➡ Input state *A* cannot be retrieved by

local measurements on D

Hayden-Preskill protocol



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 Input state A can be retrieved by local measurements on D combined with initially entangled state on B'

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V: recovery channel

[Yoshida, Kitaev (2017)]



• Initial state: $|\psi_{in}\rangle \otimes |EPR\rangle_{BB'}$

$$|\text{EPR}\rangle_{BB'} = \frac{1}{2^{N_B/2}} \sum_{i=1}^{2^{N_B}} |i_B\rangle \otimes |i_{B'}\rangle$$

- U : information scrambler
 - $\Rightarrow F_{\text{EPR}} \sim |\langle \psi_{\text{in}} | \psi_{\text{out}} \rangle|^2 \sim 1 \sim \left(d_A^2 \langle \text{OTOC} \rangle \right)^{-1}$ $\Rightarrow \text{OTOC} = \langle O_A(0) O_D(t) O_A^{\dagger}(0) O_D^{\dagger}(t) \rangle \ll 1$

Diagnosis of information scrambling

[Hayata, Hidaka, YK (2021)] See also [Yoshida, Yao (2018); Bao, YK (2020)]

- $F_{\text{EPR}} \sim |\langle \psi_{\text{in}} | \psi_{\text{out}} \rangle|^2 \sim 1 \Rightarrow U$: information scrambler
- This can be leveraged to diagnose how scrambling a dynamics U is
- Study the effects of decoherence with noisy evolution operator
 - Decoherence modeled by depolarizing channel on CNOT

$$\operatorname{CNOT}\rho\operatorname{CNOT} \to (1-p)\operatorname{CNOT}\rho\operatorname{CNOT} + p\frac{I}{d}\otimes\operatorname{Tr}[\rho]$$

- Ising spin chain
- SU(2) lattice Yang-Mills theory (Yang-Mills-Ising model)

Ising spin chain

$$U_{\text{Ising}} = e^{-iHt}, \quad H = -\sum_{i} (Z_i Z_{i+1} + g X_i + m Z_i)$$

- g = m = 0: classical Ising model
- g = 1, m = 0: critical
- g = -1.05, m = 0.5: chaotic [Banuls, Cirac, Hastings (2010)]





See also [Hosur, Qi, Roberts, Yoshida (2015)]



ideal

Ising spin chain

[Hayata, Hidaka, YK (2021)]



ideal

noisy

SU(2) lattice YM theory

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$$U_{\text{YM}} = e^{-iHt}$$
, $(K \propto 1/g)$
$$H = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{l \in L} E_l^2 - K \sum_{p \in P} \text{ReTr}[UUU^{\dagger}U^{\dagger}]_p$$

Lattice geometry





- Truncation of Hilbert space retaining SU(2) symmetry
 - 3-local spin Hamiltonian (Yang-Mills-Ising model)

$$\begin{split} H &= \sum_{i=0}^{N} \frac{3}{16} (3 - 2Z_i - Z_{i-1}Z_i) - K \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \frac{1}{16} X_i (1 + 3Z_{i-1}) (1 + 3Z_{i+1}) \\ U(i) \end{split}$$

[Jordan 1935; Schwinger 1952; Kogut, Susskind 1975]

SU(2) lattice YM theory [Hayata, Hidaka, YK (2021)] OTOC $F_{\rm EPR}$ $N = 8, N_A = 1, N_D = 2, dt = 0.5$ $N = 8, N_A = 1, N_D = 2, dt = 0.5$ 1.01.0Haar 0.8 have an and the to a month K = 00.8 K = 0.5K = 2when you have the $P_{ m EPR}$. 0.6 $F_{\rm EPR}$ Haar K = 00.4 0.4 K = 0.5K = 20.2 0.20.0 0.0 -20 40 80 20 60 100 40 60 80 100 0 0 t $N = 8, N_A = 1, N_D = 2, dt = 0.5, p = 0.0001$ $N = 8, N_A = 1, N_D = 2, dt = 0.5, p = 0.0001$ 1.01.00.8 — Haar 0.8K = 0K = 0.5 \bullet K = 20.6 0.6 $P_{ m EPR}^{ m decoh}$ $F_{\rm EPR}^{\rm decoh}$ Haar K = 0K = 0.50.4 0.4 K = 2

20

0

40

60

t



t

ideal

noisy

0.2

0.0 -

0

100

80

Summary

- Noise (decoherence) induces decay of OTOC
 - hard to distinguish from OTOC decay due to scrambling
- In Hayden-Preskill protocol, scrambling/noise results in increase/ decrease in $F_{\rm EPR}$

Easy to distinguish their effects on noisy quantum devices

- SU(2) lattice Yang-Mills theory
 - Converted to simple spin model under truncation with SU(2) retained
 - ➡ Rise in the fidelity observed (decay in OTOC)
 - ➡ What is the effect of truncation?