Quantum simulation with Rydberg atom arrays

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Rydberg array quantum simulators/emulators ullet

In silico simulation strategies: DMRG, QMC •

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Data-driven strategies: neural network wavefunctions & VMC



Rydberg atom arrays

- Neutral atoms (Rb, Sr) are loaded into a lattice lacksquareformed by an array of optical tweezers
- Atoms can be in their ground state, or an excited state with a large principle ulletquantum number (a Rydberg state). They form a strongly-interacting system.
- Single-atom resolved fluorescent imaging provides projective measurements
- Arrays of atoms are currently used for simulation (groundstates, critical phenomena), \bullet solving combinatorial optimization problems













- Two atoms within the blockade radius cannot both \bullet be excited into a Rydberg state simultaneously
- Lattice geometry crucially affects physics \bullet

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$$\sum_{i < j} V_{ij} n_i n_j$$

$$V(R) = \frac{\Omega}{(R/R_b)^6}$$

$$= |r\rangle\langle r|$$



Browaeys, Lahaye, Nature Physics 16, 132 (2020)



Experimental Rydberg Arrays







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Endres et. al. Science 354, 1024 (2016)

Single-atom resolved fluorescent imaging provides projective measurements of $|g\rangle$

Experimental lattices





Ebadi et. al. arXiv:2012.12281 Nature 595, 227 (2021)





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Adiabatic state preparation

Phase diagrams are studied by detuning across the bare resonance lacksquare



Optimization problems (MIS) and quantum sampling



H. Pichler, S.-T. Wang, L. Zhou, S. Choi, and M. D. Lukin, Quantum optimization for maximum independent set using Rydberg atom arrays, arXiv:1808.10816, Computational complexity of the Rydberg blockade in two dimensions, arXiv:1809.04954



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2D: Quantum critical points

Samajdar, Ho, Pichler, Lukin, Sachdev, Phys. Rev. Lett. 124, 103601 (2020)



First experimental realization of a 2+1 D QCP in the Ising universality class





2D: Quantum spin liquids

Samajdar, Ho, Pichler, Lukin, Sachdev, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. 118 (2021) Verresen, Lukin, Vishwanath, Phys. Rev. X 11, 031005 (2021)



Motivating experimental searches



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in silico simulation strategies: DMRG/MPS



- DMRG/MPS is currently the standard for comparison with experiment
- Enabled by open source libraries such as iTensor and TeNPy

Quantum simulation of 2D antiferromagnets with hundreds of Rydberg atoms

Pascal Scholl 🖂, Michael Schuler, Hannah J. Williams, Alexander A. Eberharter, Daniel Barredo, Kai-Niklas Schymik, Vincent Lienhard, Louis-Paul Henry, Thomas C. Lang, Thierry Lahaye, Andreas M. Läuchli & Antoine Browaeys

Nature 595, 233-238 (2021)

"MPS simulations for systems up to L = 10 are reliable to characterize and benchmark the experimental results, although they might not be fully converged in χ with regard to other observables, such as the entanglement entropy. Finally, we want to mention that reliable simulations of the dynamics for the largest experimental results achieved in this paper (L = 14) seem to be out of reach with currently available computational hardware..."



in silico simulation strategies: QMC

Note: the Rydberg Hamiltonian is (efficiently made) stoquastic

$$H = \Omega \sum_{i} \sigma_{i}^{x} - \Delta \sum_{i} n_{i} + \sum_{i < j} V_{ij} n_{i} n_{j} \qquad H = \begin{pmatrix} d & -|o| & -|o| & -|o| & -|o| \\ -|o| & d & -|o| & -|o| \\ -|o| & -|o| & d & -|o| \\ -|o| & -|o| & -|o| & d & -|o| \\ -|o| & -|o| & -|o| & -|o| & d \end{pmatrix}$$

Allows for (efficient?) simulation by quantum Monte Carlo ullet

$$Z = \operatorname{Tr}\left\{e^{-\beta\hat{H}}\right\} = \sum_{\alpha_0} \langle \alpha_0 | \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} (-\hat{H})^n | \alpha_0 \rangle \qquad Z \equiv \langle \psi_0 | \psi_0 \rangle = \langle \alpha_\ell | (-\hat{H})^M (-\hat{H})^M | \alpha_r \rangle$$

Perron-Frobenius guarantees a real/positive groundstate wavefunction

$$\psi_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = \sqrt{p_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x})}$$



Efficient QMC: sign-free and ergodic

Stochastic series expansion

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\Omega}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \hat{\sigma}_{i}^{x} - \delta \sum_{i=1}^{N} \hat{n}_{i} + \sum_{i < j} V_{ij} \hat{n}_{i} \hat{n}_{j}$$

Sandvik, Phys. Rev. E 68(5), 056701 (2003) Merali, De Vlugt, RGM, arXiv:2107.00766 (c.f. Kalinowski *et al.* arXiv:2112.10790)



$$\langle 1|\hat{H}_{-1,a}|0\rangle = \langle 0|\hat{H}_{-1,a}|1\rangle = \frac{\Omega}{2}, \\ \langle 1|\hat{H}_{1,a}|1\rangle = \langle 0|\hat{H}_{1,a}|0\rangle = \frac{\Omega}{2}, \\ W_{ij}^{(1)} \equiv \langle 00|\hat{H}_{1,b}|00\rangle = C_{ij}, \\ W_{ij}^{(2)} \equiv \langle 01|\hat{H}_{1,b}|01\rangle = \delta_b + C_{ij}, \\ W_{ij}^{(3)} \equiv \langle 10|\hat{H}_{1,b}|10\rangle = \delta_b + C_{ij}, \\ W_{ij}^{(4)} \equiv \langle 11|\hat{H}_{1,b}|11\rangle = -V_{ij} + 2\delta_b + C_{ij},$$

$$\delta_b = \delta/(N-1)$$

$$C_{ij} = |\min(0, \delta_b, 2\delta_b - V_{ij})|$$



 $Z \equiv \langle \psi_0 | \psi_0 \rangle = \langle \alpha_\ell | (-\hat{H})^M (-\hat{H})^M | \alpha_r \rangle$





Merali, De Vlugt, RGM, arXiv:2107.00766 S. Czischek et al.

Detailed comparisons with experiment are possible Autocorrelation times can be very significant Not clear what the maximum lattice sizes are at this time



Continuous imaginary time QMC

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- Consequences for adiabatic state preparation, optimization problems



Clear differences between OBC and PBC systems - boundary plays major role

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Data driven state reconstruction

The availability of high quality projective measurement data allows for state reconstruction, e.g. through the KL divergence or maximum likelihood methods

> 0





qubit projective measurement data distributed according to Born rule, $p(\mathbf{x})$

Cost function:

$$\mathrm{KL}(p||p_{\lambda}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} p(\mathbf{x}) \log \frac{p(\mathbf{x})}{p_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x})}$$

$$\mathbf{x}_1 = (1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, \cdots, 1)$$

$$\mathbf{x}_2 = (1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, \cdots, 1)$$

$$\mathbf{x}_3 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, \cdots, 0)$$





- Generative models use inductive bias (assumptions in the model) in order to help generalize to unseen data







Training & sampling

$$\lambda' = \lambda - \eta \nabla \mathrm{KL}$$



Torlai, Mazzola, Carleo, and Mezzacapo Phys. Rev. Research 2, 022060 (2020)





Torlai, Timar, van Nieuwenburg, Levine, Omran, Keesling, Bernien, Greiner, Vuletić, Lukin, RGM, Endres, Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 230504 (2019)



Experimental reconstruction



With more data...





What use is limited experimental data?

Neural network wavefunctions allow for model parameter optimization in two ways:



Data-driven, e.g. with the K-L divergence

$$\mathrm{KL}(p||p_{\lambda}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} p(\mathbf{x}) \log \frac{p(\mathbf{x})}{p_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x})} \ge 0$$





Variationally (with knowledge of the Hamiltonian)

 $\langle \psi_{\lambda} | H | \psi_{\lambda} \rangle$





What use is limited experimental data?



Keep parameters, switch cost functions







Complex quantum states



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Conventional generative models can be adapted to learn pure & mixed quantum states



Discussion: Rydberg atom arrays

- A platform for exciting physics
- Classical simulations can reproduce current experiments but for how long?
- Projective (experimental) measurement data opens up the possibility of combining *data-driven* with *variational* parameter learning.
- Experiments are capable of producing other Hamiltonians, including non-stoquastic models (eg. XXZ)

$$H = \sum_{i \neq j} J_{ij} \sigma_i^z \sigma_j^z + J_{ij}' (\sigma_i^x \sigma_j^x + \sigma_i^y \sigma_j^x)$$







Scholl *et al.*, arXiv:2107.14459