

# QUANTUM-CLASSICAL DUALITY AND EMERGENT SPACE-TIME

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# SPINOR OPERATORS

Consider  $N$  fermionic subsystems described by operators satisfying:

- ▶ Commutation relation if  $a \neq b$

$$[\hat{\gamma}_a^j, \hat{\gamma}_b^k] = 0 \quad (1)$$

- ▶ Anti-commutation relation

$$\{\hat{\gamma}_a^j, \hat{\gamma}_a^k\} = 2\delta^{jk}\hat{I} \quad (2)$$

where  $a, b \in \{1, \dots, N\}$  and  $j, k \in \{1, \dots, D\}$ .

- ▶ Hermitian condition

$$\hat{\gamma}_a^j = \hat{\gamma}_a^{j\dagger}, \quad (3)$$

- ▶ Tracelessness condition

$$\text{Tr} \left[ \left( \hat{\gamma}_{a_1}^{j_{1,1}} \dots \hat{\gamma}_{a_1}^{j_{1,d_1}} \right) \left( \hat{\gamma}_{a_2}^{j_{2,1}} \dots \hat{\gamma}_{a_2}^{j_{2,d_2}} \right) \dots \left( \hat{\gamma}_{a_n}^{j_{n,1}} \dots \hat{\gamma}_{a_n}^{j_{n,d_n}} \right) \right] = 0 \quad (4)$$

where  $1 \leq a_1 < \dots < a_n \leq N$  and  $1 \leq j_{k,1} < \dots < j_{k,d_k} \leq D$  for all  $k$ .

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- ▶ Although the dimensionality  $D$  is kept arbitrary the two cases with  $D = 1$  and  $D = 3$  will turn out to be dual to simple classical models on  $S^0$  and on  $S^2$  configuration/target spaces.

# HAMILTONIAN

- ▶ From the spinor operators we construct a Hamiltonian operator

$$\hat{H}_q = \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} \hat{\gamma}_1^{j_1} \dots \hat{\gamma}_N^{j_N}. \quad (6)$$

where  $\hat{\gamma}_a^0 \equiv \hat{I}$  and all of the components  $H_{j_1 \dots j_N}$  are real numbers.

- ▶ Quantum partition function can be expanded as power series

$$\mathcal{Z}_q[H] = \text{Tr} \left[ \exp \left( \beta \hat{H}_q \right) \right] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \text{Tr} \left[ \left( \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} \hat{\gamma}_1^{j_1} \dots \hat{\gamma}_N^{j_N} \right)^n \right]$$

- ▶ and each power of Hamiltonian operator into a *formal* sum

$$\text{Tr} \left[ \left( \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} \hat{\gamma}_1^{j_1} \dots \hat{\gamma}_N^{j_N} \right)^n \right] = \sum_A h_A \text{Tr} \left[ \hat{\Gamma}^A \right] \quad (7)$$

where  $h_A$ 's represent products of  $H_{j_1 \dots j_N}$ 's components and  $\hat{\Gamma}^A$ 's the corresponding products of the spinor operators.

## COMBINATIONS OF TERMS

- ▶ Let  $\sigma(A)$  be a set of all abstract-indices which are equivalent to  $A$  up to different combinations of terms from Hamiltonian.
- ▶ Then

$$\sum_A h_A \hat{\Gamma}^A = \sum_A \mu(A) h_A : \hat{\Gamma}^A : \quad (8)$$

where an ordered product of  $\hat{\gamma}_a^j$  operators is given by

$$: \hat{\Gamma}^A := \theta(\hat{\Gamma}^A) \hat{\Gamma}^A$$

for some sign  $\theta(\hat{\Gamma}^A) = \pm 1$  and the “average” sign is

$$\mu(A) = \frac{1}{|\sigma(A)|} \sum_{B \in \sigma(A)} \theta(\hat{\Gamma}^B) \quad (9)$$

- ▶ Then the trace of powers of Hamiltonian can be written in terms of ordered operators

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but if  $A$  represents  $(H_{03} \hat{\gamma}_2^3) (H_{02} \hat{\gamma}_2^2)$ , then

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# PARTITION FUNCTIONS

- ▶ Quantum partition function for  $N$  spinors with  $D = 1$

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or using the abstract-indices notation

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where  $X^A$  is the corresponding products of scalars.

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- ▶ or  $\exists$  at least one  $a$  for which there is an odd number of  $\hat{\gamma}_a^1$ 's

$$\Rightarrow \text{Tr} \left[ \hat{\Gamma}^A \right] = 0 \quad (15)$$

- ▶ Then the measure of integration  $\rho(x_a)$  should be such that all odd statistical moments vanish and all even statistical moment are the same,

$$\int (x_a)^n \rho(x_a) dx_a = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases} \quad (16)$$



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- ▶ Note that the eigenvalues of the quantum Hamiltonian must be

$$E_x = \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, 1\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} x_1^{j_1} \dots x_N^{j_N}, \quad (19)$$

where  $x \in \{-1, 1\}^N$ .

# PARTITION FUNCTIONS

- ▶ Quantum partition function for a single spinor ( $N = 1$ ), but with  $D > 1$

$$\mathcal{Z}_q[H] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \text{Tr} \left[ \left( \sum_{j \in \{1, \dots, D\}} H_j \hat{\gamma}^j \right)^n \right] \quad (20)$$

- ▶ Classical partition function for a system of  $D$  scalars

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$$\int d^D x \rho(x) \prod_k (x^k)^{2n_k} = \mu(A) \quad (22)$$

# MULTINOMIALS

- Consider the following two multinomials:
  - a sum of commuting scalars raised to some even power

$$\begin{aligned}
 (x^1 + x^2 + \dots + x^D)^{2K} &= \sum_{m_1 + \dots + m_D = 2K} \frac{(m_1 + \dots + m_D)!}{(m_1)! \dots (m_D)!} (x^1)^{m_1} \dots (x^D)^{m_D} \\
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- a sum of anti-commuting operators raised to the same power

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 (\hat{\gamma}^1 + \hat{\gamma}^2 + \dots + \hat{\gamma}^D)^{2K} &= \left( (\hat{\gamma}^1)^2 + (\hat{\gamma}^2)^2 + \dots + (\hat{\gamma}^D)^2 \right)^K \\
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- Separate terms in the expansion of operators represent products of  $\hat{\gamma}^{k'}$ 's applied in different orders (or combinations  $\sigma(A)$ ) and we are interested in products of  $m_1 = 2n_1$  of  $\hat{\gamma}^1$ 's,  $m_2 = 2n_2$  of  $\hat{\gamma}^2$ 's, etc.

# MEASURE OF INTEGRATION



$$\mu(A) = \frac{1}{|\sigma(A)|} \sum_{B \in \sigma(A)} \theta(\hat{\Gamma}^B) = \frac{\prod_k (2n_k)! (\sum_k n_k)!}{(\sum_k 2n_k)! \prod_k n_k!} = \int d^D x \rho(x) \prod_k (x^k)^{2n_k}$$

where  $A$  can represent an arbitrary product of terms with  $2n_k$  of  $\hat{\gamma}^{k'}$ 's

- ▶ The moments generating function of  $\rho(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} M(p_1, \dots, p_D) &= \sum_{n_1, \dots, n_D} \left( \frac{\prod_k (2n_k)! (\sum_k n_k)!}{(\sum_k 2n_k)! \prod_k n_k!} \right) \frac{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_D^{2n_D}}{\prod_k (2n_k)!} = \\ &= \cosh \left( \sqrt{p_1^2 + \dots + p_D^2} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

- ▶ The corresponding characteristic function is

$$M(ip_1, \dots, ip_D) = \cos \left( \sqrt{p_1^2 + \dots + p_D^2} \right) = \cos \left( \sqrt{\sum_k p_k^2} \right) \quad (24)$$

whose inverse Fourier transform is the desired measure of integration

$$\rho(x) = \int \frac{d^D p}{(2\pi)^D} \cos \left( \sqrt{\sum_k p_k^2} \right) \exp \left( i \sum_k x^k p_k \right). \quad (25)$$

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$$\varphi(x^\mu) = \varphi(\vec{x}, x^0) \equiv \int \frac{d^D p}{(2\pi)^D} \cos\left(x^0 \sqrt{\sum_k (p_k)^2}\right) \exp\left(i \sum_k p_k x^k\right)\tag{27}$$

solves a  $D+1$ -dimensional wave equation,

$$\left( (\partial_0)^2 - \sum_k (\partial_k)^2 \right) \varphi(x^\mu) = 0,\tag{28}$$

with initial conditions

$$\varphi(\vec{x}, 0) = \delta^{(D)}(\vec{x})\tag{29}$$

$$\partial_0 \varphi(\vec{x}, 0) = 0\tag{30}$$

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- By construction it satisfies the desired duality condition

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H, 1] = \mathcal{Z}_q[H] \quad (33)$$

and also normalization conditions

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H, 0] = \mathcal{N}. \quad (34)$$

# EXISTENCE OF DUALITY

- ▶ Quantum partition function for  $N > 1$  quantum spinors with  $D > 1$

$$\mathcal{Z}_q[H] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \text{Tr} \left[ \left( \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} \hat{\gamma}_1^{j_1} \dots \hat{\gamma}_N^{j_N} \right)^n \right]$$

- ▶ Classical partition function for a system of  $ND$  classical scalars

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H] = \mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \right) \rho(x) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \left( \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} x_1^{j_1} \dots x_N^{j_N} \right)^n$$

- ▶ The two systems are dual if all odd moments vanish and

$$\mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \right) \rho(x) X^A = \mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \right) \rho(x) \prod_{a,k} (x_a^k)^{2n_k^a} = \text{Tr} [ : \hat{\Gamma}^A : ] \mu(A)$$

- ▶ Then the measure only exists if

$$: \hat{\Gamma}^A : := : \hat{\Gamma}^B : \Rightarrow \mu(A) = \mu(B). \quad (36)$$

i.e. even if  $A$  and  $B$  are not in the same combination class,  $\sigma(A) \neq \sigma(B)$ , but the corresponding products of operators are the same,  $: \hat{\Gamma}^A : := : \hat{\Gamma}^B :$ , the statistical moments must also be the same,  $\mu(A) = \mu(B)$ .

# SEPARABLE MEASURE

- Consider a Hamiltonian with components which can be expressed as

$$H_{j_1 \dots j_N} = \sum_{k_1 \dots k_N \in \{0,1\}} \mathcal{H}_{k_1 \dots k_N} \eta_{1,j_1}^{k_1} \dots \eta_{N,j_N}^{k_N} \quad (37)$$

where we assume that  $H_{0 \dots 0} = 0$  and

$$\eta_{a,j}^0 = \delta_{0j} \quad (38)$$

$$\eta_{a,0}^k = \delta_{k0} \quad (39)$$

- Then the Hamiltonian operator

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H}_q &= \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} \hat{\gamma}_1^{j_1} \dots \hat{\gamma}_N^{j_N} \\ &= \sum_{k_1 \dots k_N \in \{0,1\}} \mathcal{H}_{k_1 \dots k_N} \hat{\eta}_1^{k_1} \dots \hat{\eta}_N^{k_N} \end{aligned} \quad (40)$$

where

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and

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# DUAL SYSTEM

- ▶ Since the combined operators satisfy a commutation relation

$$[\hat{\eta}_a, \hat{\eta}_b] = 0 \quad (43)$$

we can essentially follow the above analysis with

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Z}_c[H] &= \mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \rho(x_a) \right) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \left( \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, \dots, D\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} x_1^{j_1} \dots x_N^{j_N} \right)^n \\ &= \mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \rho(x_a) \right) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} \left( \sum_{k_1 \dots k_N \in \{0, 1\}} \mathcal{H}_{k_1 \dots k_N} \chi_1^{k_1} \dots \chi_N^{k_N} \right)^n \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\chi_a = \chi_a^1 = \sum_{j \in \{1, \dots, D\}} \eta_{a,j}^1 \chi_a^j \quad \chi_a^0 = 1$$

- ▶ Result:

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H, T] = \mathcal{N} \int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \partial_0 G(\vec{x}_a, T_a) \right) \exp \left( \beta \sum_{j_1 \dots j_N \in \{0, 1\}} H_{j_1 \dots j_N} x_1^{j_1} \dots x_N^{j_N} \right),$$

## EXAMPLES

- Note that the measure of integration is already normalized,

$$\int \left( \prod_a d^D x_a \partial_0 G(\vec{x}_a, T_a) \right) = 1, \quad (44)$$

but it can be interpreted as probability only if  $\partial_0 G(\vec{x}_a, T_a) \geq 0$ .

- For example, when  $D = 1$

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H, T] = \mathcal{N} \int \prod_a \left( \frac{dx_a}{2} \left( \delta(x_a^1 - T_a) + \delta(x_a^1 + T_a) \right) \right) \exp(\beta H_c), \quad (45)$$

in agreement with previous results, or when  $D = 3$

$$\mathcal{Z}_c[H, T] = \mathcal{N} \int \prod_a \left( \frac{d^3 x_a}{4\pi T_a^2} \delta \left( \sum_k (x_a^k)^2 - T_a^2 \right) \right) \exp(\beta H_c). \quad (46)$$

- Of course there is no reason to expect that the measure will remain positive for more general quantum systems and then the dual system defined in a similar manner would not be classical *per se*.

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