

Entanglement in flavored scalar scattering

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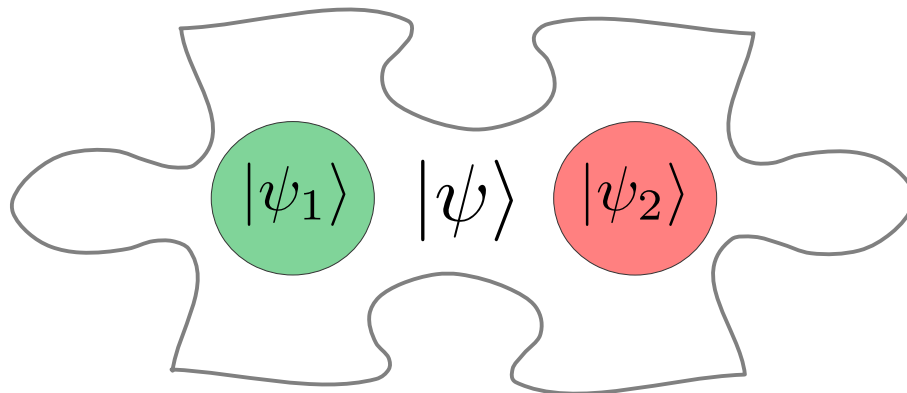
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(and friends)



Outline

- Entanglement and symmetries in high-energy scattering
- From the S-matrix to the density matrix
- Measures of entanglement and partitions of the Hilbert space
- Application to the 2HDM and constraints
 - Entanglement generation
 - Entanglement transformation

Quantum entanglement



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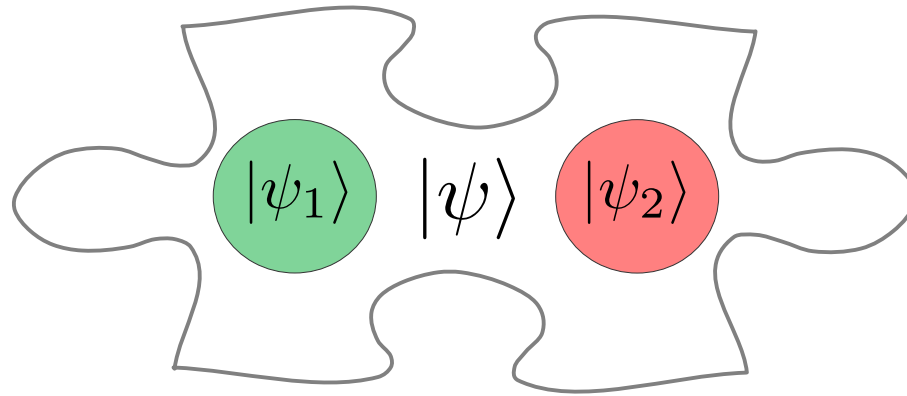
Example 1

Qubit space: $|1\rangle, |2\rangle \in \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^4 = \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$

A) $a_1 b_1 |11\rangle + a_1 b_2 |12\rangle + a_2 b_1 |21\rangle + a_2 b_2 |22\rangle = (a_1 |1\rangle + a_2 |2\rangle) \otimes (b_1 |1\rangle + b_2 |2\rangle)$ separable
(not entangled)

B) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |11\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |22\rangle$ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |11\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |22\rangle$
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Example 2

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{comp}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}) \otimes \mathbb{C}^2 \quad |\psi\rangle_{\text{comp}} = ?$$

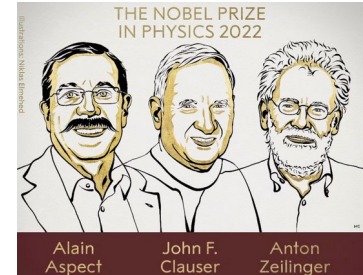
A) $\sum_{i=1}^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \psi(x) \epsilon_i |x\rangle |i\rangle$ separable

B) $\sum_{i=1}^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \psi_i(x) |x\rangle |i\rangle$ non-separable

Entanglement is hot!

Measured experimentally (Bell inequalities violation)
for linear polarization of low-energy photons

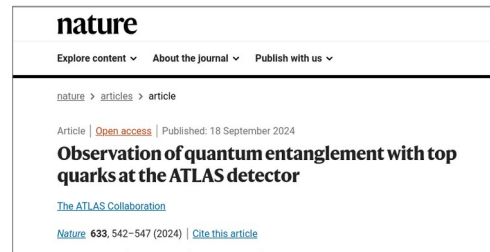
Clauser et al., '72; Aspect et al., '82; Zeilinger et al., '98;



... also at colliders

for spin of the top quarks

ATLAS '23; CMS '24



Quantum information

dense coding (Bennett, Wiesner, '92), teleportation (Bennett et al., '93), key distribution (Ekert, '91)

Emergence of space and time

Moreva et al. '13, Van Raamsdonk '10, Ryu and Takayanagi '06, Maldacena, Susskind '13

Applications in particle physics



- **quantum tomography** ex. Afik, Muñoz de Nova '20, Fabbrichesi et al. '21, many others after ATLAS, CMS results

use entanglement (and other quantum observables) to
enhance sensitivity of collider searches

- **theoretical implications**

investigate connections between entanglement and
fundamental properties of quantum field theories



emergent symmetries

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in scattering processes

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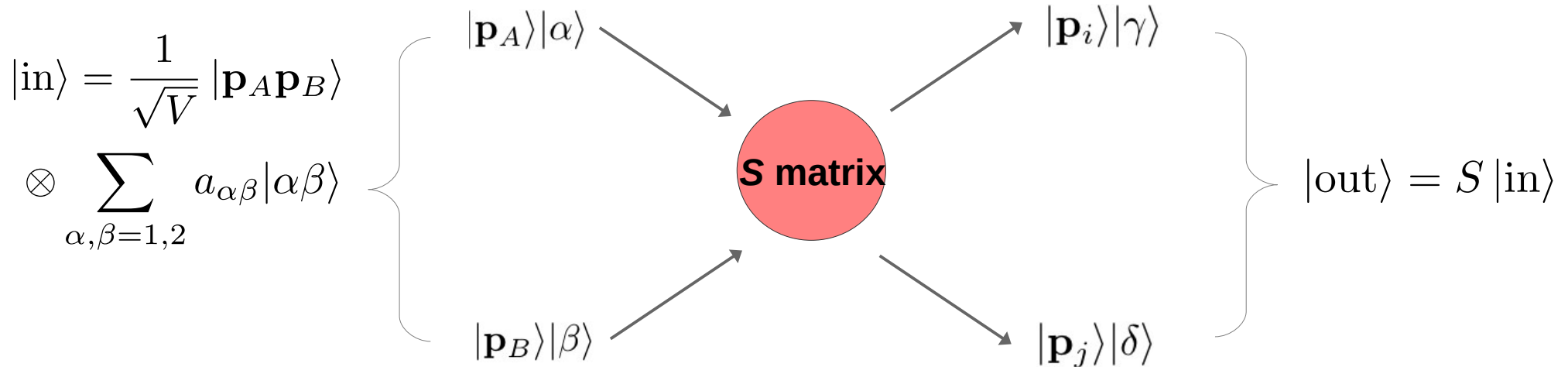
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 - What happens if more than one scattering channel is considered
 - Implications of preserving unitarity in the scattering process

Kowalska, EMS, 2404.13743; Chang, Jacobo, 2409.13030; Low, Yin, 2405.08056, 2410.22414

Entanglement in scattering

2 → 2 scattering particles A, B with internal “qubit” quantum number: $|\mathbf{p}_A\rangle|\alpha\rangle, |\mathbf{p}_B\rangle|\beta\rangle$



Hilbert space: **momentum** + **flavor** (qubit)

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{tot}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}^3 \otimes \mathbb{R}^3) \otimes \mathbb{C}^4$$

In perturbation theory:

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{\gamma\delta\alpha\beta}^{ijab} &= (\mathcal{I} + iT)_{\gamma\delta\alpha\beta}^{ijab} \\
 &= (2\pi)^6 4 E_a E_b \delta_{\gamma\delta\alpha\beta}^{ijab} + (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_a + p_b - p_i - p_j) i\mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta,\alpha\beta}(p_a, p_b \rightarrow p_i, p_j)
 \end{aligned}$$

The final-state density matrix:

$$\rho = |\text{out}\rangle\langle\text{out}|$$

encodes all the properties of a quantum system
(entanglement)

Perturbative density matrix

$$\rho = |\text{out}\rangle\langle\text{out}|$$

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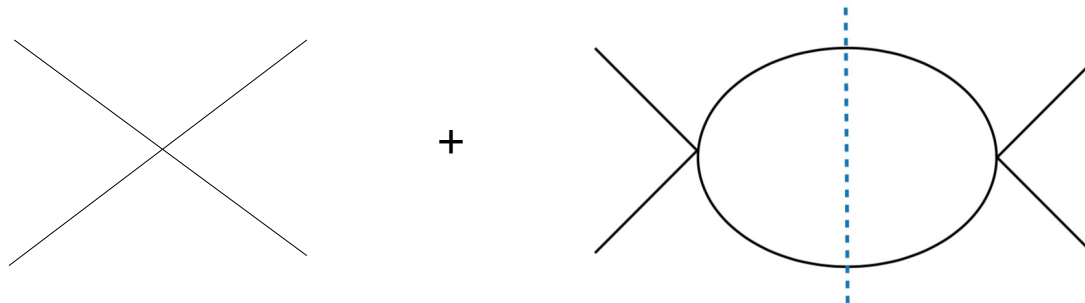
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optical theorem

$$\begin{aligned} \langle\text{out}|\text{out}\rangle &= 1 + \Delta \left(i \sum_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta} a_{\alpha\beta}^* \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) a_{\gamma\delta} + \text{c.c.} \right) \\ &+ \Delta \int \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_i} \frac{d^3 p_j}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_j} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_A + p_B - p_i - p_j) \\ &\times \sum_{\alpha\beta,\rho\epsilon,\sigma\tau} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\rho\epsilon}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_i, p_j) a_{\rho\epsilon} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\sigma\tau}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_i, p_j) a_{\sigma\tau}^* \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta = \frac{(2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_A + p_B - p_A - p_B)}{4E_A E_B [(2\pi)^3 \delta^3(0)]^2}$$

(indeterminate normalization)

We work at 1-loop order Carena et al. '23 tree level



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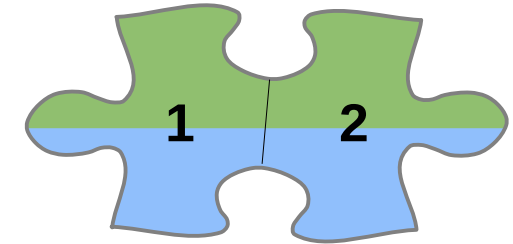
$$2) \text{Tr}(\rho^2) \begin{cases} = 1 & \text{pure state} \\ < 1 & \text{mixed state} \end{cases}$$



Leads to different
entanglement measures

Entanglement of the final state

$$\rho = |\text{out}\rangle\langle\text{out}| \text{ is pure}$$

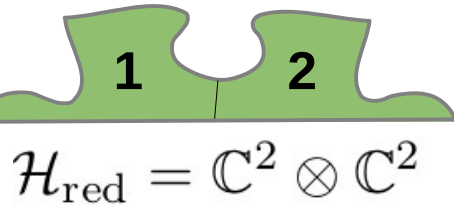


$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{tot}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

Tracing out momentum

bipartitions:

Tracing out subsystem 2



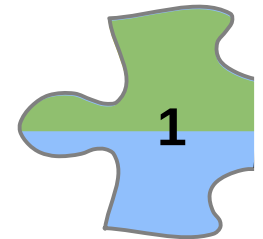
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$$\tilde{\rho} = \text{Tr}_{\mathbf{p}}(\rho)$$

basis : $|\alpha\beta\rangle\langle\gamma\delta|$

$$\tilde{\rho} = \text{Tr}_2(\rho)$$

basis : $|\mathbf{p}_i\alpha\rangle\langle\mathbf{p}_j\gamma|$



$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{red}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

- entanglement between bipartite states:

von Neumann entropy

$$S_N(\tilde{\rho}) = -\text{Tr}(\tilde{\rho} \log_2 \tilde{\rho})$$

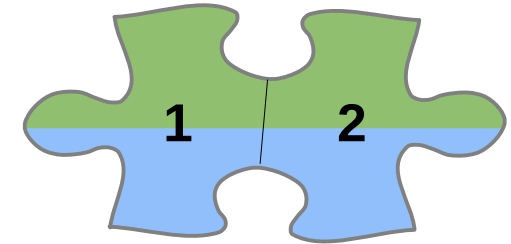
Entanglement monotone:

$$S_N = 0 \quad \text{no entanglement}$$

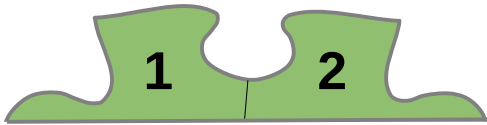
$$S_N = 1 \quad \text{maximal entanglement}$$

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$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{red}} = \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

$$\tilde{\rho} = \text{Tr}_{\mathbf{p}}(\rho)$$

$\tilde{\rho}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta}$ in general is mixed

basis : $|\alpha\beta\rangle\langle\gamma\delta|$



- entanglement between 2 qubits:

Concurrence

$$C(\tilde{\rho}) = \max\{0, \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 - \lambda_3 - \lambda_4\}$$

λ : eigenvalues of $\tilde{\rho}(\sigma_y \otimes \sigma_y)\tilde{\rho}^*(\sigma_y \otimes \sigma_y)$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}(\tilde{\rho}^2) = & \sum_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta} \tilde{\rho}_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta} \tilde{\rho}_{\gamma\delta,\alpha\beta} = 1 + 2\Delta \left[i \sum_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) a_{\alpha\beta}^* a_{\epsilon\rho} + \text{c.c.} \right. \\ & + \int \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_i} \frac{d^3 p_j}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_j} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_A + p_B - p_i - p_j) \\ & \left. \times \sum_{\epsilon\rho,\gamma\delta,\tau\sigma,\alpha\beta} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_i, p_j) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta,\tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_i, p_j) a_{\gamma\delta} a_{\alpha\beta}^* a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\tau\sigma}^* \right] \\ - \Delta^2 & \left[\sum_{\alpha\beta,\gamma\delta,\epsilon\rho,\tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta,\tau\sigma}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) a_{\alpha\beta}^* a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\gamma\delta}^* a_{\tau\sigma} + \text{c.c.} \right. \\ & \left. - 2 \sum_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho,\tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta,\tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_A, p_B) a_{\tau\sigma}^* a_{\epsilon\rho} \right] \quad (2.18) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta \leq \frac{1}{16\pi}$$

wave packet normalization:

$$\begin{aligned} |\text{in}\rangle &= \left(\prod_{i=1,2} \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2E_i}} \right) \phi_A(\mathbf{p}_1) \phi_B(\mathbf{p}_2) |\mathbf{p}_1 \mathbf{p}_2\rangle \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1,2} a_{\alpha\beta} |\alpha\beta\rangle \longrightarrow \int \frac{|\mathbf{p}|^2 dp d\Omega}{(2\pi)^3} |\phi_{A,B}(\mathbf{p})|^2 = 1 \text{ finite} \\ &\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} \sum_{\alpha,\beta=1,2} a_{\alpha\beta} |\mathbf{p}_A \mathbf{p}_B\rangle |\alpha\beta\rangle, \quad \longrightarrow \quad \phi_{A,B}(\mathbf{p}) = \sqrt{\frac{(2\pi)^3}{\delta^3(0)}} \delta^3(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_{A,B}) \end{aligned}$$

Indeterminate: it does not belong to the Hilbert space

Entanglement is perturbatively suppressed

Final state with measured momenta

Consider a final state with “measured” momentum

$$|f\rangle = \left(\prod_{i=1,2} \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2E_i}} \right) \phi_C(\mathbf{p}_1) \phi_D(\mathbf{p}_2) |\mathbf{p}_1 \mathbf{p}_2\rangle \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} |\mathbf{p}_C \mathbf{p}_D\rangle$$

Project the “out” state along “f”

$$\begin{aligned} |\text{proj}\rangle &\equiv |f\rangle \langle f|\text{out}\rangle = |f\rangle \sum_{\gamma\delta} \int \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_i} \frac{d^3 p_j}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_j} \psi_{\gamma\delta}(\mathbf{p}_i, \mathbf{p}_j) \langle f|\mathbf{p}_i \mathbf{p}_j\rangle |\gamma\delta\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{V} \sum_{\gamma\delta} \psi_{\gamma\delta}(\mathbf{p}_C, \mathbf{p}_D) |\mathbf{p}_C \mathbf{p}_D\rangle |\gamma\delta\rangle. \end{aligned}$$

Density matrix:

$$\tilde{\rho}_p = \frac{|\text{proj}\rangle \langle \text{proj}|}{\langle \text{proj}|\text{proj}\rangle} = \sum_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} (\tilde{\rho}_p)_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} |\alpha\beta\rangle \langle \gamma\delta| \quad \text{No dependence on } \Delta$$

$$(\tilde{\rho}_p)_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} = \frac{\sum_{\epsilon\rho, \tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta, \epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\tau\sigma}^*}{\sum_{\gamma\delta, \epsilon\rho, \tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\tau\sigma}^*}$$

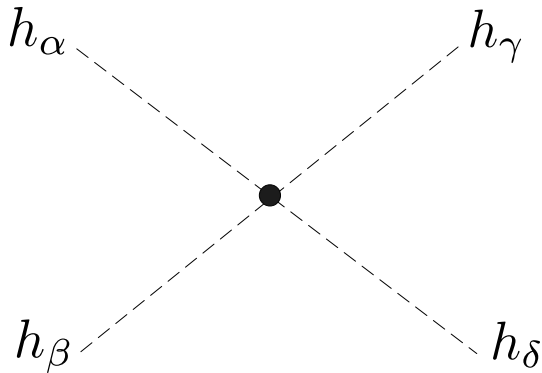
- Can use to quantify/measure final-state entanglement → **e.g. quantum tomography**
- Potentially phase space-point dependent

2HDM in a nutshell

SU(2) doublets: $H_\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} h_\alpha^+ \\ h_\alpha^0 \end{pmatrix}_{Y=\frac{1}{2}}$ $\alpha = 1, 2 \rightarrow |1\rangle, |2\rangle$ **two flavors**

scalar potential: $V(H_1, H_2) = \mu_1^2 H_1^\dagger H_1 + \mu_2^2 H_2^\dagger H_2 + (\mu_3^2 H_1^\dagger H_2 + \text{H.c.})$
 $+ \lambda_1 (H_1^\dagger H_1)^2 + \lambda_2 (H_2^\dagger H_2)^2 + \lambda_3 (H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_2^\dagger H_2) + \lambda_4 (H_1^\dagger H_2)(H_2^\dagger H_1)$
 $+ (\lambda_5 (H_1^\dagger H_2)^2 + \lambda_6 (H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_1^\dagger H_2) + \lambda_7 (H_2^\dagger H_2)(H_1^\dagger H_2) + \text{H.c.})$

contact interactions (we assume $p^2 \gg \mu^2$)



$$i \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \alpha\beta}^{(0+1)}$$

$$i\mathcal{M}^{(0)}(h^+h^0 \rightarrow h^+h^0) = -i \begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda_1 & \lambda_6 & \lambda_6 & 2\lambda_5 \\ \lambda_6 & \lambda_3 & \lambda_4 & \lambda_7 \\ \lambda_6 & \lambda_4 & \lambda_3 & \lambda_7 \\ 2\lambda_5 & \lambda_7 & \lambda_7 & 2\lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Carena et al. '23

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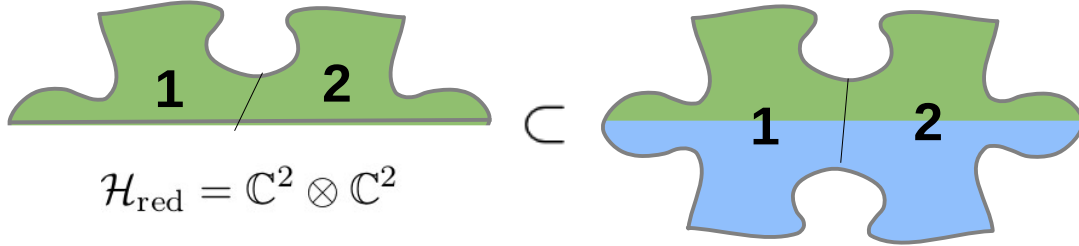
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Q: any constraints on λ from entanglement extremization?

Entanglement generation



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$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{tot}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

no initial entanglement: $|\text{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} |\mathbf{p}_A \mathbf{p}_B\rangle |11\rangle$
 $|\text{out}\rangle = S |\text{in}\rangle$

Trace out momentum $\tilde{\rho} = \text{Tr}_{\mathbf{p}}(\rho)$

$$\tilde{\rho}(h^0 h^0 \rightarrow h^0 h^0) = \tilde{\rho}_{11,11} = 1 - \Delta \left(\frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2\pi} \right),$$

$$\tilde{\rho}_{11,12} = \tilde{\rho}_{12,21} = \tilde{\rho}_{12,11}^* = \tilde{\rho}_{21,11}^* = \Delta \left(2i \lambda_6 + \frac{2\lambda_1 \lambda_6 - \lambda_3 \lambda_6 - \lambda_4 \lambda_6 - 2\lambda_5 \lambda_7}{8\pi} \right),$$

$$\tilde{\rho}_{11,22} = \tilde{\rho}_{22,11}^* = \Delta \left(4i \lambda_5 + \frac{2\lambda_1 \lambda_5 - 2\lambda_2 \lambda_5 - \lambda_6 \lambda_7}{4\pi} \right),$$

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$$\tilde{\rho}_{22,22} = \Delta \frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi}.$$

von Neumann entropy

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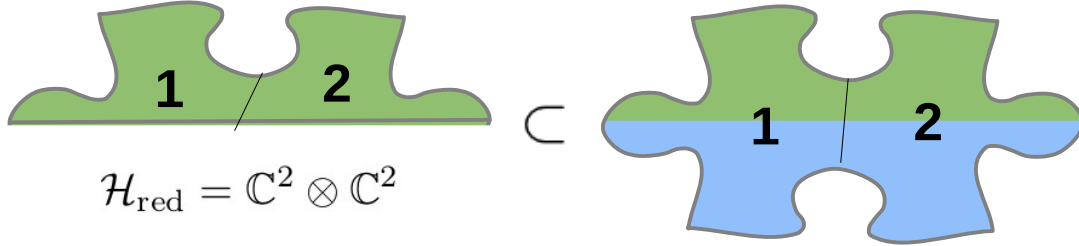
$$\underline{h^0 h^0 \rightarrow h^0 h^0}$$

$$\theta_1 = 1 - \Delta \left(\frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2\pi} \right) + 16 \Delta^2 \left(\lambda_5^2 + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2} \right),$$

$$\theta_2 = \Delta \left(\frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2\pi} \right) - 16 \Delta^2 \left(\lambda_5^2 + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2} \right),$$

λ_5, λ_6 generate entanglement between
flavor and momentum

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von Neumann entropy

$$S_N(\tilde{\rho}) = -\text{Tr}(\tilde{\rho} \log_2 \tilde{\rho})$$

$h^0 h^0 \rightarrow h^0 h^0$

$$\theta_1 = 1 - \Delta \left(\frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2\pi} \right) + 16 \Delta^2 \left(\lambda_5^2 + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2} \right),$$

$$\theta_2 = \Delta \left(\frac{\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2\pi} \right) - 16 \Delta^2 \left(\lambda_5^2 + \frac{\lambda_6^2}{2} \right),$$

$$\Delta \leq \frac{1}{16\pi}$$

physics!

entanglement is perturbatively small in λ, Δ

Entanglement generation



$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{red}} = \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

qubit space

no initial entanglement: $|\text{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} |\mathbf{p}_A \mathbf{p}_B\rangle |11\rangle$

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Concurrence:

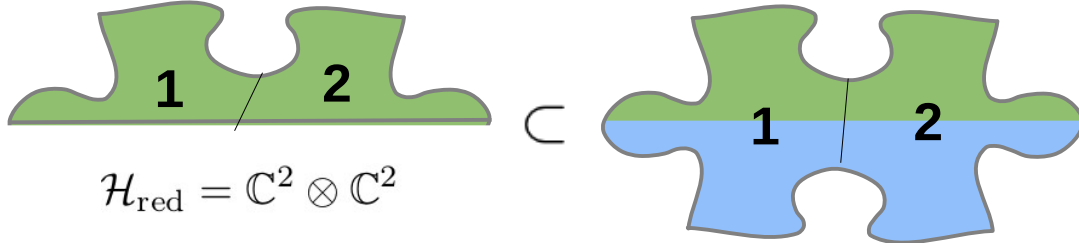
$$C(\tilde{\rho}) = \max\{0, \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 - \lambda_3 - \lambda_4\}$$

$h^0 h^0 \rightarrow h^0 h^0$

$$C(\tilde{\rho}) = \sqrt{\frac{2\Delta\lambda_5^2}{\pi} + 32\Delta^2\lambda_5^2} \approx \sqrt{\frac{2\Delta}{\pi} |\lambda_5|}$$

λ_5 generates entanglement
of 2 flavor qubits

Entanglement generation



$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{tot}} = L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes L^2(\mathbb{R}^3) \otimes \mathbb{C}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C}^2$$

- Repeating for $|12\rangle$, $|21\rangle$, $|22\rangle$:

couplings that generate entanglement

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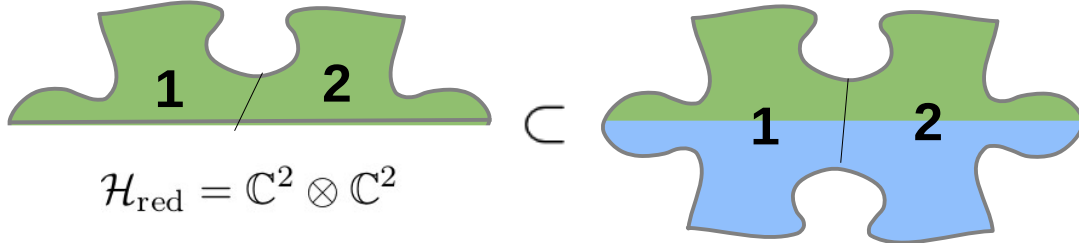
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- **Computational basis: no entanglement iff no flavor changing** $S(|\mathbf{p}_i \mathbf{p}_j\rangle|\alpha\alpha\rangle) = |\alpha\alpha\rangle S(\lambda_\alpha)|\mathbf{p}_i \mathbf{p}_j\rangle$
 $\alpha = 1, 2$
- **There always exists some “in” state leading to entanglement creation**

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two-flavor space

- **λ_6, λ_7 are LOCC of \mathbb{C}^4** (can't generate entangled out of separable)

- **No $\text{SO}(8)$ Lagrangian symmetry emerges from MinEnt**

$$\neq \{2\lambda_1 = 2\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 \neq 0\}$$

cf. also Chang, Jacobo, 2409.13030

Entanglement transformation

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concurrence

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Entanglement “flows”

from

flavor Hilbert space to full Hilbert space

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Unless:

Coupling relations

e.g. $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2, \lambda_6 = -\lambda_7$

(discrete symmetry CP2)

cf. Ferreira, Grzadkowski, Ogr Reid, Osland, 2306.02410

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spherical symmetry of
initial wave packet (s wave)

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Q: Is conservation of entanglement related to symmetry?

Q: What relation Lagrangian / wave-packet?
work in progress...

To take home

- Post-scattering entanglement may provide a **complementary way of constraining** the interaction structure of BSM models.
- Scattering interaction **injects** entanglement in a separable system, but this is **perturbatively suppressed** in λ, Δ
- 2HDM: **all quartic couplings** can potentially create entanglement between momentum and “flavor” dof's
- 2HDM: entanglement can be **transformed** by some coupling combinations, may lead to symmetries

Backup

Final state with measured momenta

Project the “out” state along a choice of momentum:

$$|\text{proj}\rangle \equiv |f\rangle\langle f|\text{out}\rangle \quad |f\rangle = \left(\prod_{i=1,2} \int \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2E_i}} \right) \phi_C(\mathbf{p}_1) \phi_D(\mathbf{p}_2) |\mathbf{p}_1 \mathbf{p}_2\rangle \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} |\mathbf{p}_C \mathbf{p}_D\rangle$$

Density matrix:
$$\tilde{\rho}_p = \frac{|\text{proj}\rangle\langle \text{proj}|}{\langle \text{proj}|\text{proj}\rangle} = \sum_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} (\tilde{\rho}_p)_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} |\alpha\beta\rangle\langle \gamma\delta|$$

$$(\tilde{\rho}_p)_{\alpha\beta, \gamma\delta} = \frac{\sum_{\epsilon\rho, \tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\alpha\beta, \epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\tau\sigma}^*}{\sum_{\gamma\delta, \epsilon\rho, \tau\sigma} \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \epsilon\rho}(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) \mathcal{M}_{\gamma\delta, \tau\sigma}^*(p_A, p_B \rightarrow p_C, p_D) a_{\epsilon\rho} a_{\tau\sigma}^*}$$

No dependence on Δ

2HDM results

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$ 12\rangle, 21\rangle$	$\lambda_6\lambda_7 = \lambda_3^2, \lambda_5 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_3 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_4$	$\lambda_6 = \lambda_7, \lambda_3 = \lambda_4 = \lambda_5 = 0$ or $\lambda_6 = \lambda_7 = 0, \lambda_3 = \lambda_4 = 2\lambda_5$
$ 22\rangle$	$2\lambda_2\lambda_3 = \lambda_7^2, \lambda_5 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_3 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_4$	$\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = \lambda_4 = \lambda_5 = 0$ or $\lambda_7 = 0, \lambda_2 = \lambda_5 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_3 = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_4$
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