

INEQUALITIES FOR THE RANKS OF QUANTUM STATES

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AND THE STRUCTURE OF ENTANGLEMENT IN MULTI-DIMENSIONAL SYSTEMS

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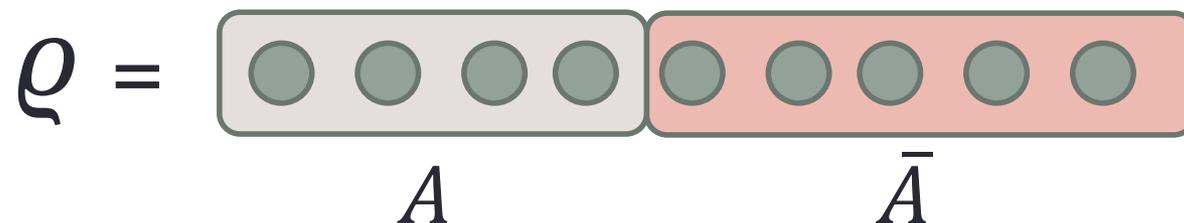
Motivation

- Marginal entropies determine the distribution of information in multipartite quantum systems
- \Rightarrow we want to understand the structure of complex multipartite quantum systems

Outline

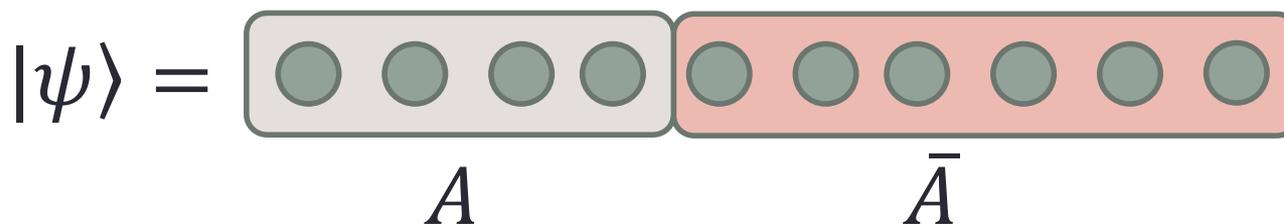
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Multipartite entropy distributions

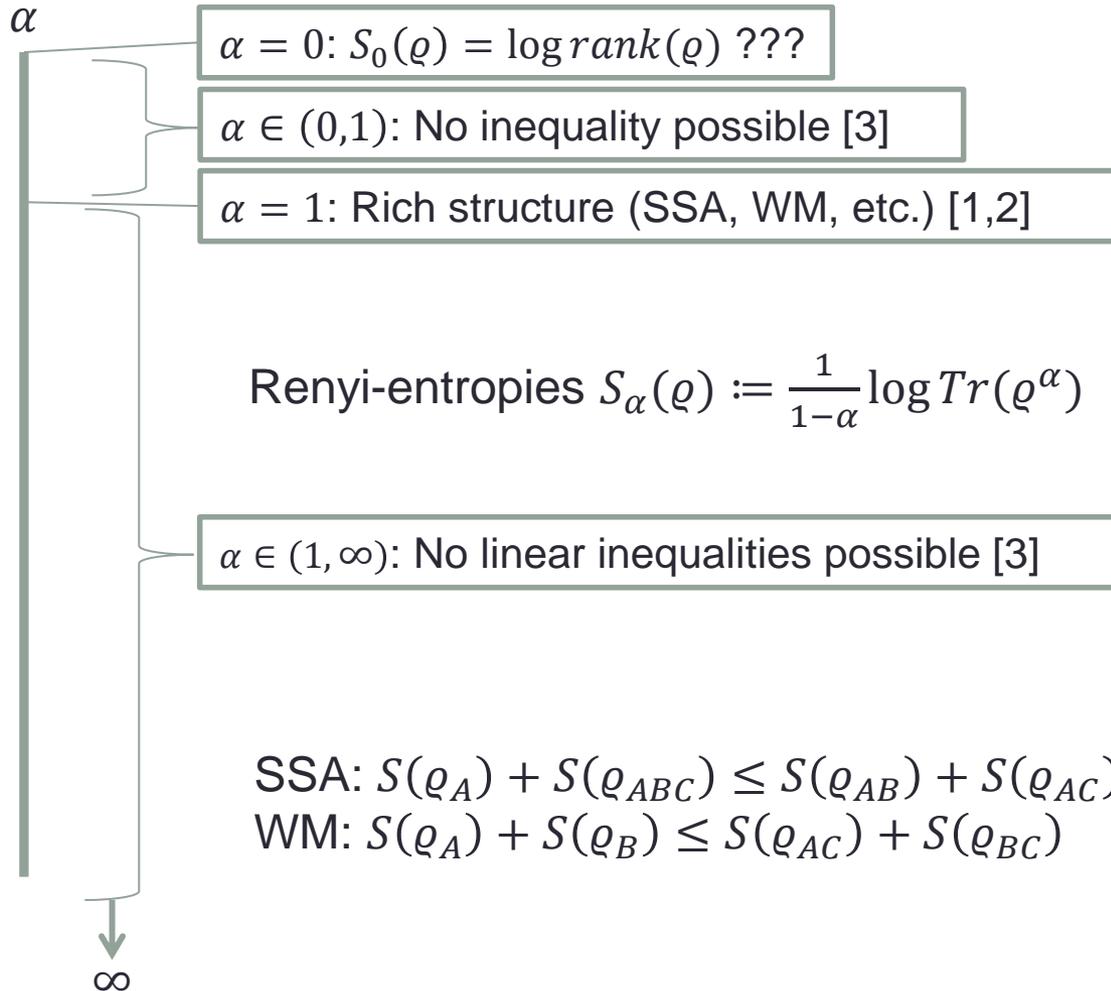


$2^n - 2$ possible subsystems ρ_A with different entropy

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$2^{n-1} - 1$ possible subsystems ρ_A with different entropy
(encodes entanglement distribution)



[1] H. Araki and E.H. Lieb, *Entropy Inequalities*, Comm. Math. Phys., **18**, 160–170 (1970).

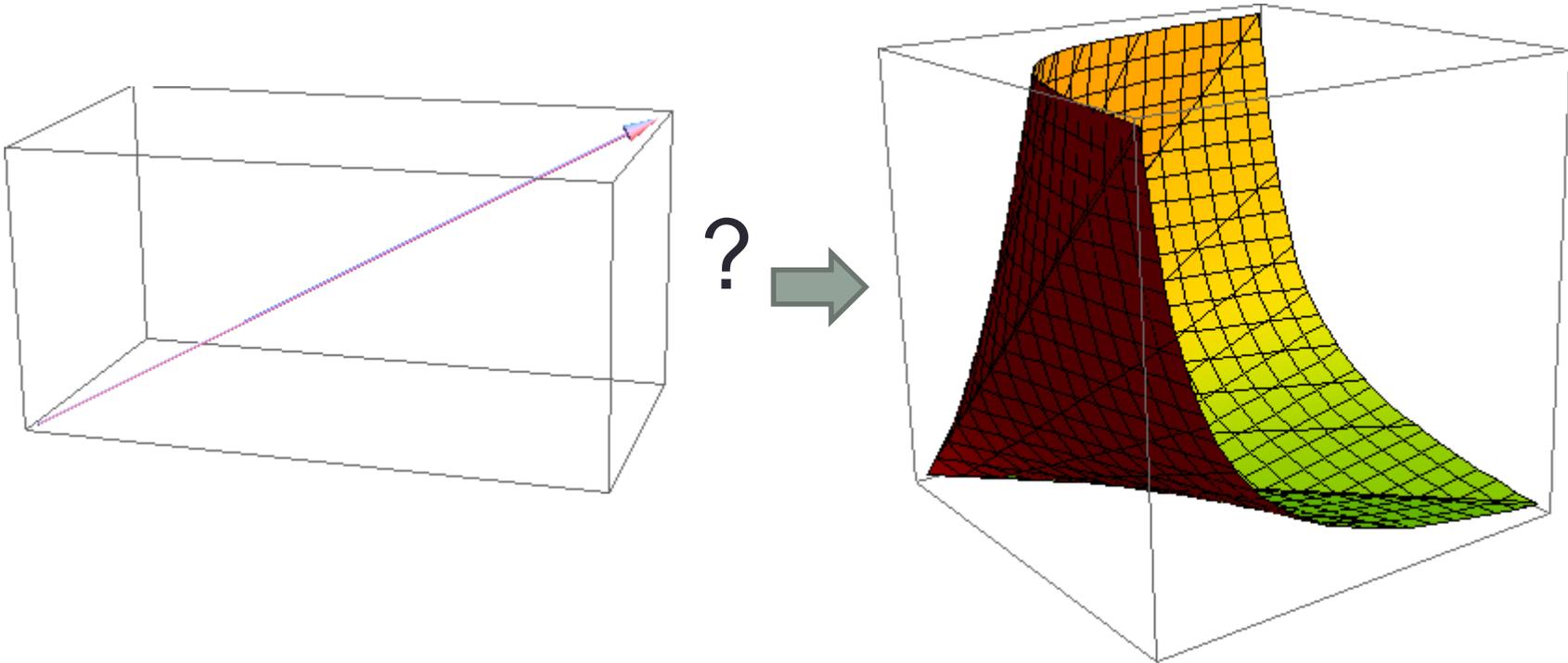
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Rank vectors

- $r_j := \text{rank}(\rho_j)$

Given $\vec{r} \in \mathbb{N}^m$ and $1 \leq m \leq 2^{n-1} - 1 \Rightarrow$ What ranks are actually possible?



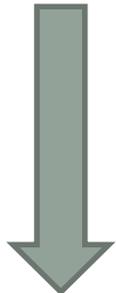
Tripartite states: ρ_{ABC}

$$S_\alpha(\rho) \leq S_\beta(\rho) \text{ for } \alpha \geq \beta$$

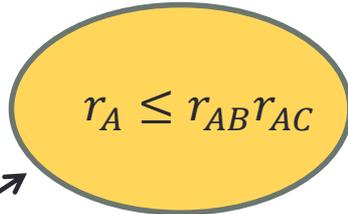


$$S(\rho_A) + S(\rho_{ABC}) \leq S(\rho_{AB}) + S(\rho_{AC}) \leq S_0(\rho_{AB}) + S_0(\rho_{AC})$$

apply filtering



$$S_0(\rho_A) \leq S_0(\rho_{AB}) + S_0(\rho_{AC})$$



$$|\Psi_{ABC}\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{r_A} |i\rangle \otimes |\Phi_i\rangle \quad r_{AB} = r_{AC} \leq r_A^2$$

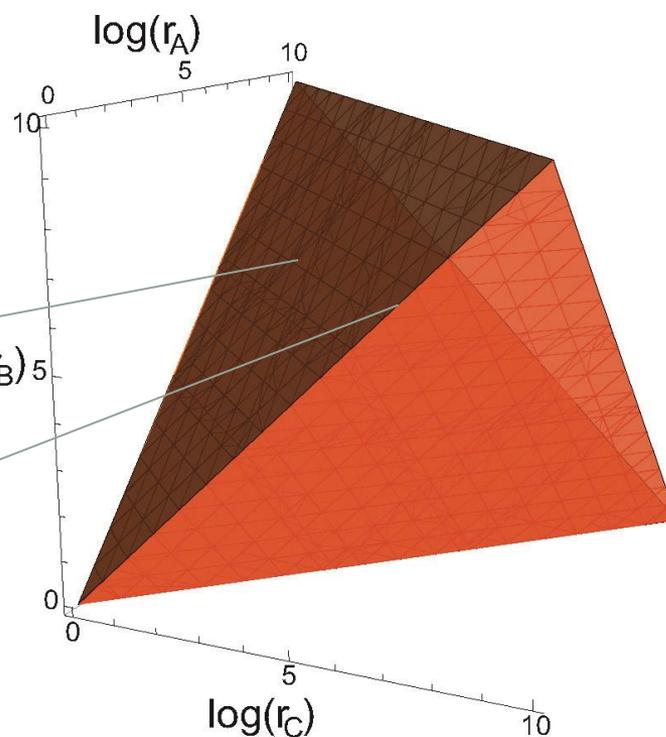
Convex cones

- $r_j(|\psi\rangle) := \log(\text{rank}(\rho_j))$
- $\vec{r}(|\psi\rangle \otimes |\phi\rangle) = \vec{r}(|\psi\rangle) + \vec{r}(|\phi\rangle)$

$$r_B r_C \geq r_A$$

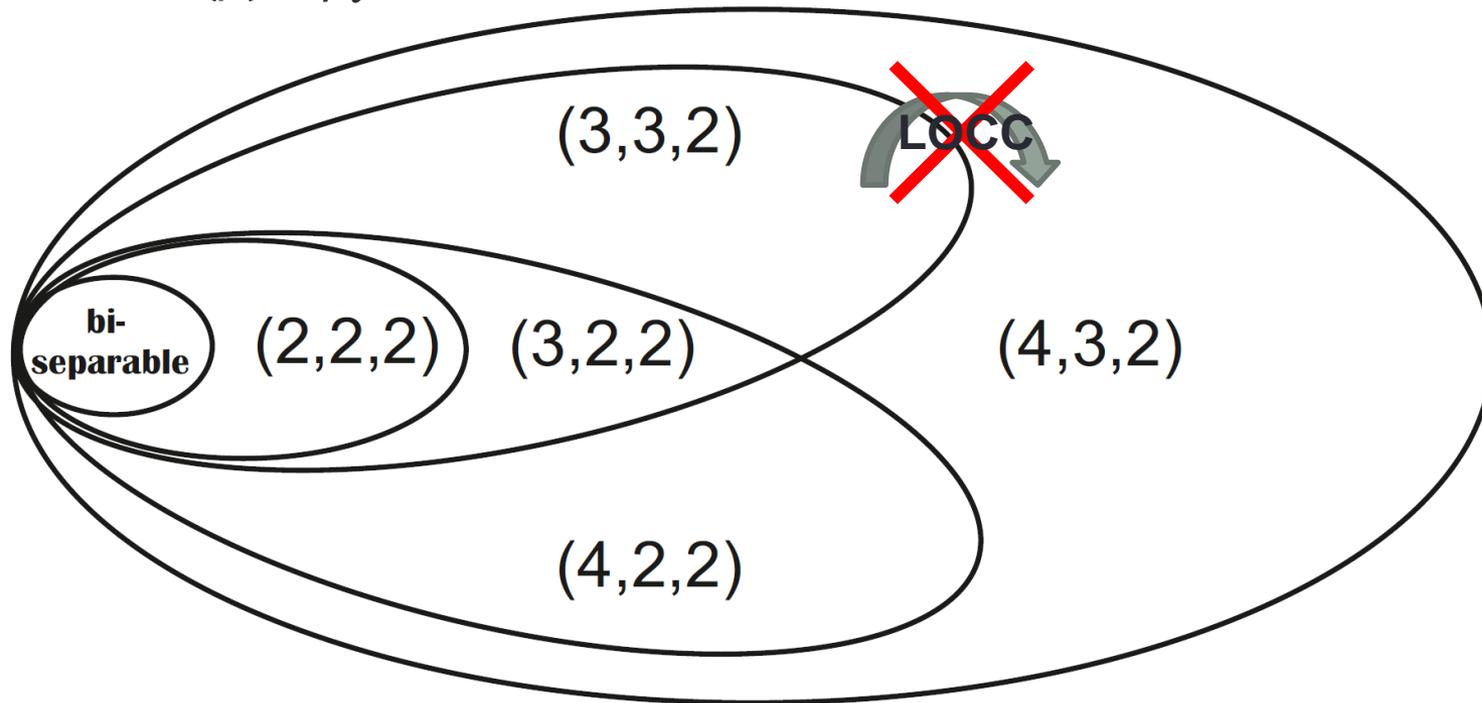
Extremal ray:

$$|\Psi_{ABC}\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{r_A} |i\rangle \otimes |\Phi_i\rangle$$



Applications in entanglement classification

- $r_j := \text{rank}(\rho_j)$ and $r_i \leq r_{i+1}$
- $d_j := \min_{D(\rho)} \max_{\psi_i} r_j^i$



Conclusion & Open Problems

- New inequalities for the ranks and new techniques for finding them
- Open Problems: rank vectors & inequalities for $n \geq 4$?

From s.s.a. and w.m. we know:

(1) $r_A r_B \geq r_{AB}$

(2) $r_{AB} r_{AC} \geq r_A$

(3) $r_{AB} r_{AC} r_{BC} \geq r_A^2$

Hypothesis: (4) $r_{BC} \leq r_{AC} r_{AB}$?

← elementary proof

We also have:(asymptotic) construction for all states satisfying (1-4)

Thank you!

- Rank inequalities

J. Cadney, MH, N. Linden and A. Winter, *Inequalities for the ranks of quantum states*, Linear Algebra and Applications, **452**, pp. 153-171 (2014)

- Measures of GME-dimensionality and Witness constructions

MH and J.I. de Vicente, *The structure of multidimensional entanglement in multipartite systems*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **110**, 030501 (2013)

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The canonical approach

$$\hat{W} := \alpha \mathbb{I} - |\psi\rangle\langle\psi| \quad \text{with} \quad \alpha = \max_{\varphi \in \mathcal{S}} |\langle\psi|\varphi\rangle|^2$$

e.g. for $\mathcal{S} \equiv (2,3,4)$?  hard

Detecting (multipartite) entanglement

$$S_L(\rho) = 2(1 - \text{Tr}(\rho^2)) \quad \vec{S}_L(\rho) \geq \vec{W}(\rho)$$

$$\sqrt{[\vec{W}(\rho)]_i} = \sum_{\{\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{C}\}} (|\langle \alpha | \rho | \beta \rangle| - \min_{\{A_k\}} \left(\sum_{k=1}^{|\{A_k\}|} \sqrt{\langle \alpha \beta | P_{A_k \rightarrow A_k'} \rho^{\otimes 2} P_{A_k \rightarrow A_k'} | \alpha \beta \rangle} \right))^*$$

For X-matrices:
$$[\vec{W}(\rho)]_1 \leq \max_i \left(\inf_{\{p_k, |\psi_k\rangle\}} \sum_k p_k [\vec{S}(|\psi_k\rangle)]_i \right) \leq [\vec{W}(\rho)]_1$$

$$[\vec{W}(\rho)]_{2^{n-1}-1} \leq \inf_{\{p_k, |\psi_k\rangle\}} \sum_k p_k \min_i ([\vec{S}(|\psi_k\rangle)]_i) \leq [\vec{W}(\rho)]_{2^{n-1}-1}^{**}$$

* *MH and J. I. de Vicente*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **110**, 030501 (2013)

** *S. Rafsanjani, MH, C. Broadbent and J.H. Eberly*, Phys. Rev. A. **86**, 062303 (2012)

Measures and witnesses

Convex roof measures of multipartite entanglement:

$$\overrightarrow{S}_\alpha(\rho) := \inf_{\{p_k, |\psi_k\rangle\}} \sum_k p_k \overrightarrow{S}_\alpha(|\psi_k\rangle)$$

If $\overrightarrow{S}_\alpha(|\psi_k\rangle)$ is the full (and ordered) entropy vector:

$[\overrightarrow{S}_\alpha(\rho)]_i > 0 \Leftrightarrow \rho$ not $n - \log(i + 1) + 1$ -separable,

e.g. last entry greater 0 implies genuine multipartite entanglement

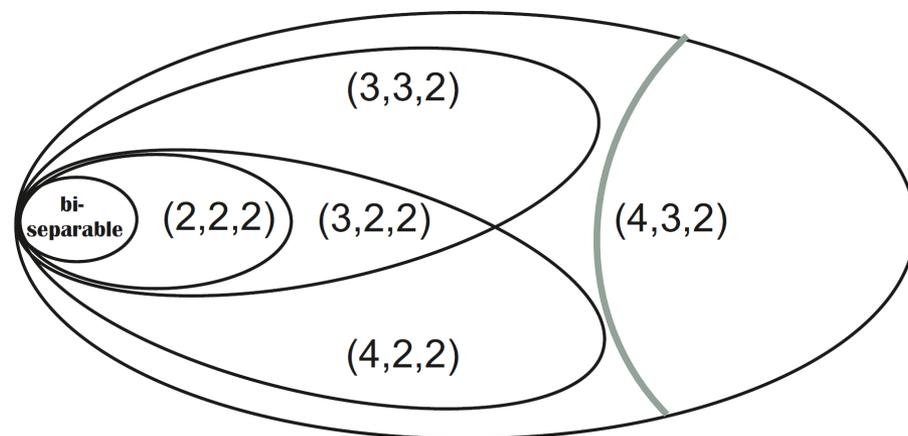
Connecting to dimensionality (i.e. ranks)

- $r_j := \text{rank}(\rho_j)$ and $r_i \leq r_{i+1}$
- $d_j := \min_{D(\rho)} \max \psi_i r_j^i$

Since $S_2^j \geq -\log_2(1 - \frac{W_j}{2})$



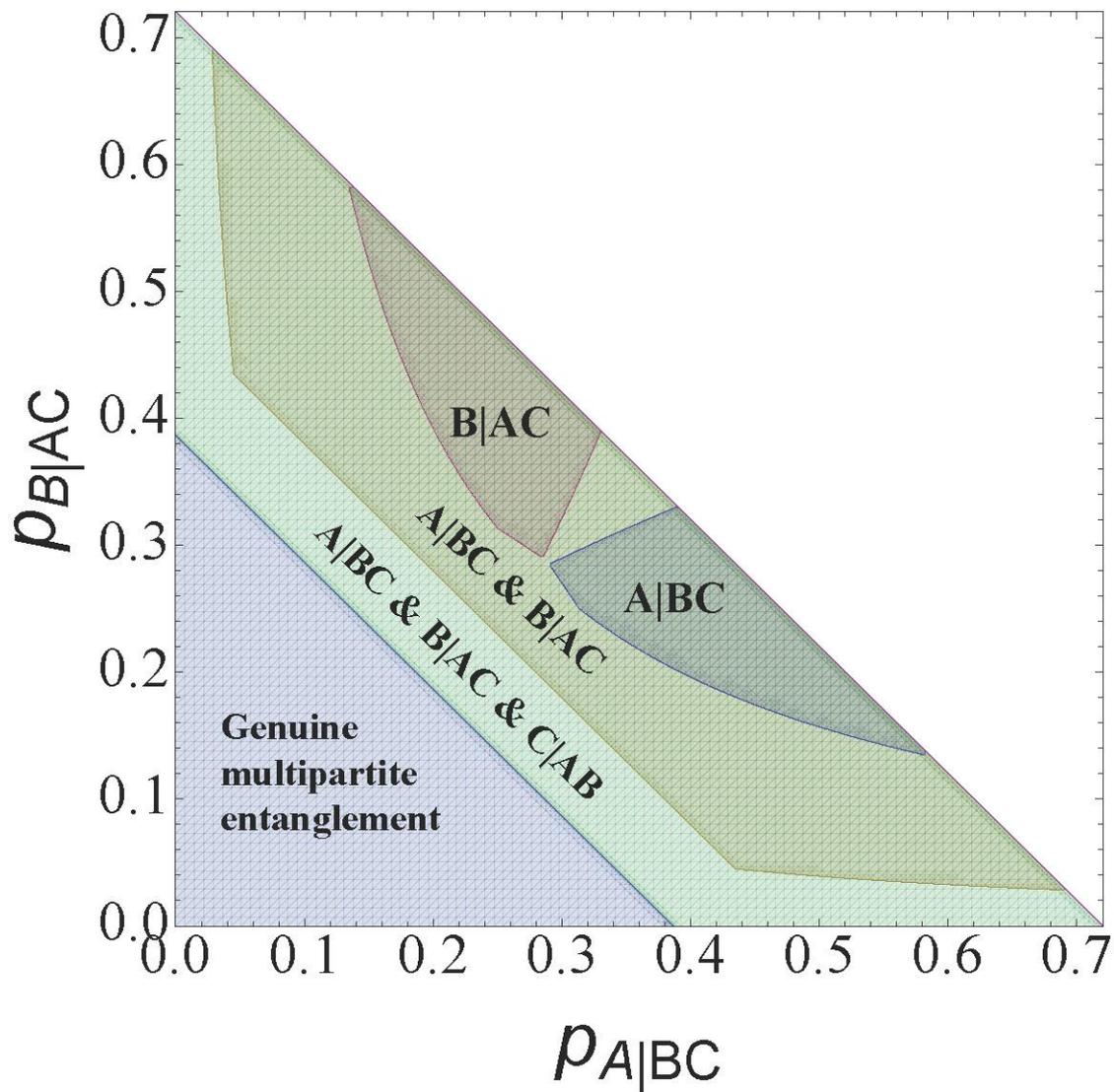
$$d_j \geq \frac{1}{1 - \frac{W_j}{2}}$$



- Some examples

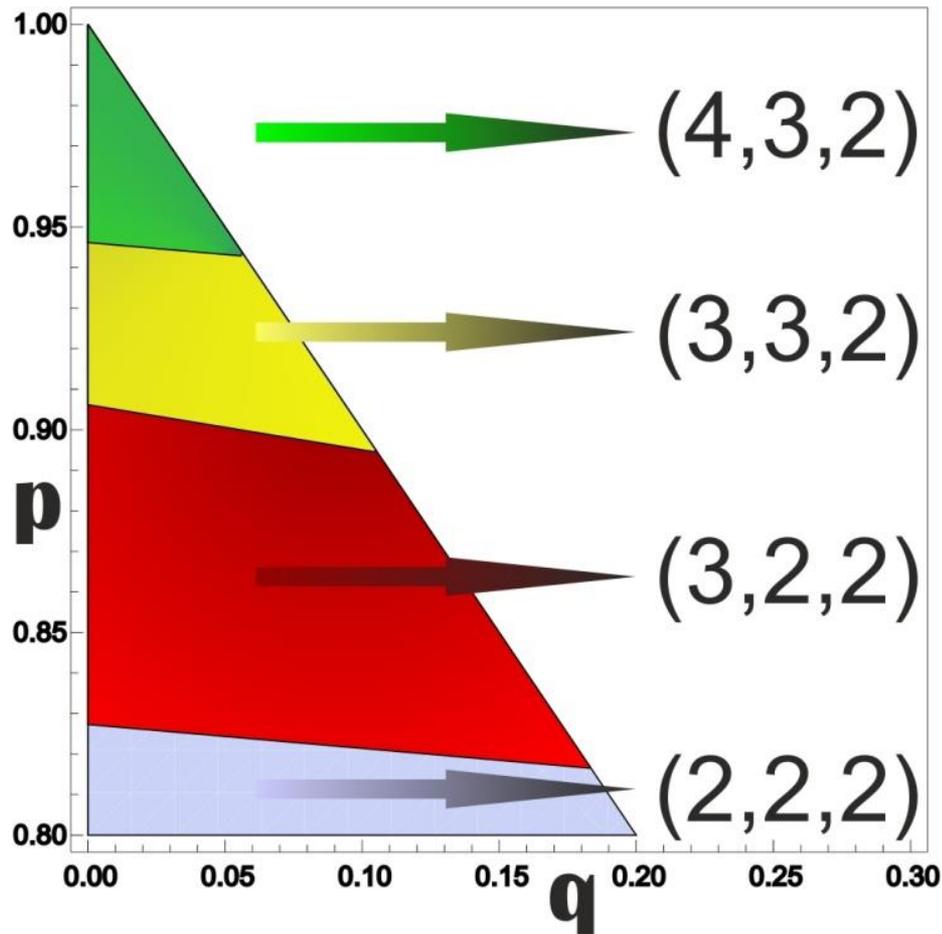
$$\rho = p_{A|BC} \frac{\mathbb{I}_A}{2} \otimes \sigma_{BC} + p_{B|AC} \frac{\mathbb{I}_B}{2} \otimes \sigma_{AC} + p_{C|AB} \frac{\mathbb{I}_C}{2} \otimes \sigma_{AB} + (1 - p_{A|BC} - p_{C|AB} - p_{B|AC}) \sigma_{ABC}$$

$p_{C|AB} = 0.28$



$$|\psi_{(432)}\rangle = \frac{1}{2}(|000\rangle + |111\rangle + |012\rangle + |123\rangle)$$

$$\rho = p|\psi_{(432)}\rangle\langle\psi_{(432)}| + q\sigma_{dp} + (1 - q - p)\frac{1}{64}\mathbb{I}$$



Improving detection for known density matrices: the normal form

$$|\psi\rangle = \sqrt{1-2\varepsilon}|000\rangle + \sqrt{\varepsilon}|111\rangle + \sqrt{\varepsilon}|222\rangle$$



$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3(1-2\varepsilon)}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3\varepsilon}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3\varepsilon}} \end{array} \right)^{\otimes 3}$$



$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (|000\rangle + |111\rangle + |222\rangle)$$