Spin-Coherent State for Quantum Annealing with Antiferromagnetic fluctuation

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Ferromagnetic p-spin model

$$\hat{H}(s,\lambda) = s\hat{H}_0 + (1-s)\hat{V}_{\mathrm{TF}}, \quad (0 \le s \le 1)$$
where $\hat{H}_0 = -N\left(\frac{1}{N}\sum_{i=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_i^z\right)^p, \ \hat{V}_{\mathrm{TF}} = -\sum_{i=1}^N \hat{\sigma}_i^x.$
The Glover Problem for $p \to \infty$

However, with this Hamiltonian , 1^{st} -order phase transition disturbs the QA for efficiently finding the ground state .

Ref.) T. Jörg et al., EPL 89, 40004 (2010).

The antiferromagnetic fluctuation was proposed to avoid 1st-order phase transition .

Antiferromagnetic fluctuation (AFF)

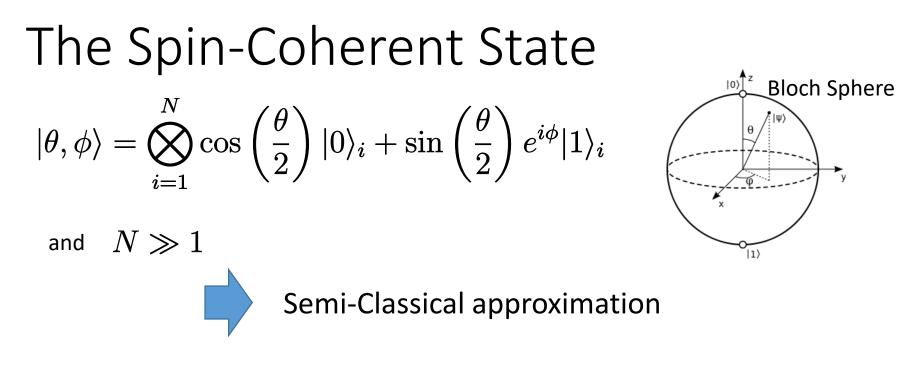
Our Hamiltonian:

$$\hat{H}(s,\lambda) = s \left\{ \lambda \hat{H}_0 + (1-\lambda)\hat{V}_{AFF} \right\} + (1-s)\hat{V}_{TF},$$

where
$$\hat{V}_{AFF} = +N\left(\frac{1}{N}\sum_{i=1}^{N}\hat{\sigma}_{i}^{x}\right)^{2}$$
, λ : initial: an arbitrary value final : 1

Ref.) Y. Seki and H. Nishimori, PRE 85, 051112 (2012).

Phase Diagram In present study, we investigate the physical background of AFF. Especially, Quantum effect of the AFF. 1st-order phase transition line



Ref.) S. Muthukrishnan, T. Albash, and D. A. Lidar, Phys. Rev. X 6, 031010 (2016).

- If the approximation breaks down, we cannot interpret the QA process in classical.
- We investigate the validity of the semi-classical approximation for our Hamiltonian.

Concurrence

• A measure of Entanglement between two spins



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

 λ_i are the eigenvalues of the Hermitian operator $R = \sqrt{\sqrt{\rho}\tilde{\rho}\sqrt{\rho}}$ with $\tilde{\rho} = (\sigma_y \otimes \sigma_y)\rho^*(\sigma_y \otimes \sigma_y)$.

- If the concurrence is non-zero, there is the entanglement.
- We find that the concurrence becomes a large value by the AFF.