

Communication over Quantum Channels with Parameter Estimation

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- Causal and Non-causal CSI [Boche, Cai, and Nötzel 2016]

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- Without CSI [Zhang, Vedantam, and Mitra 2011]
- Causal, strictly-causal CSI [Choudhuri, Kim, and Mitra 2013]
- Non-causal CSI [Sutivong, Chiang, Cover, and Kim 2005]
- CSI + feedback [Bross and Lapidoth 2018]

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Quantum States

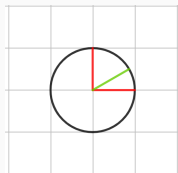
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Entanglement

Systems A and B are entangled if $|\psi_{AB}\rangle \neq |\psi_A\rangle \otimes |\psi_B\rangle$

For example, $|\Phi_{AB}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle + |1\rangle \otimes |1\rangle)$.

Quantum States (Cont.)

The state ρ_A of a quantum system A is an Hermitian, positive semidefinite, unit-trace density matrix over \mathcal{H}_A .

Measurement

A POVM (= positive-operator valued measure) is a set of positive semi-definite operators $\{\Lambda^j\}$ such that $\sum_j \Lambda^j = \mathbb{1}$. Born rule: the probability of the measurement outcome j is $p_A(j) = \text{Tr}(\Lambda^j \rho_A)$.

Quantum Entropy and Mutual Information

Given ρ_{AB} , define

$$H(A)_\rho \equiv -\text{Tr}(\rho_A \log \rho_A)$$

$$H(A|B)_\rho \equiv H(AB)_\rho - H(B)_\rho$$

$$I(A; B)_\rho \equiv H(A)_\rho + H(B)_\rho - H(AB)_\rho$$

Random Parameter Quantum Channel

A random-parameter quantum channel $\mathcal{N}_{SA \rightarrow B}$ is a linear, completely positive, trace preserving map corresponding to a quantum physical evolution:

$$\rho_A \xrightarrow{\mathcal{N}_{A \rightarrow B}^{(s)}} \rho_B$$

with

$$S \sim q(s)$$

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A $(2^{nR}, n)$ code with strictly-causal CSI at the encoder consists of a message set $[1 : 2^{nR}]$, a sequence of n consistent preparation maps $\mathcal{E}_{M, S^{i-1} \rightarrow A^i}^{(i)}$, for $i \in [1 : n]$, and a decoding POVM $\{\Lambda_{B^n}^{m, \hat{s}^n}\}_{m \in [1 : 2^{nR}], \hat{s}^n \in \hat{S}^n}$.

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Let $d : \mathcal{S} \times \hat{\mathcal{S}} \rightarrow [0, d_{max}]$ be a given distortion measure, and

$$d^n(s^n, \hat{s}^n) \equiv \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n d(s_i, \hat{s}_i)$$

Coding with Strictly-causal CSI (Cont.)

Probability of Error

$$P_{e|m}^{(n)} = \sum_{s^n \in \mathcal{S}^n} q^n(s^n) \text{Tr} \left[\left(\mathbb{1} - \sum_{\hat{s}^n \in \hat{\mathcal{S}}^n} \Lambda_{B^n}^{m, \hat{s}^n} \right) \mathcal{N}_{A^n \rightarrow B^n}^{(s^n)}(\rho_{A^n}^{m, s^{n-1}}) \right]$$

with $\mathcal{N}_{A^n \rightarrow B^n}^{(s^n)} \equiv \bigotimes_{i=1}^n \mathcal{N}_{A \rightarrow B}^{(s_i)}$.

Distortion

$$\Delta^{(n)} = \mathbb{E} d^n(S^n, \hat{S}^n)$$

$$= \sum_{m, \hat{m}, s^n, \hat{s}^n} d^n(s^n, \hat{s}^n) q^n(s^n) \cdot \frac{1}{2^{nR}} \text{Tr} \left[\Lambda_{B^n}^{\hat{m}, \hat{s}^n} \mathcal{N}_{A^n \rightarrow B^n}^{(s^n)}(\rho_{A^n}^{m, s^{n-1}}) \right]$$

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Capacity-Distortion Region

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Related Work: Without Parameters

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with $|\mathcal{X}| \leq |\mathcal{H}_A|^2$ and $\rho_{XB} \equiv \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} p_X(x) |x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \mathcal{N}^0(\phi_A^x)$.

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Related Work: Without Parameters (Cont.)

Additivity Conjecture (lasted until 2009)

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Additivity for Entanglement-Breaking Channels (Shor 2002)

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Back to our problem:

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$$\rho_{XB_1B_2} \equiv (\mathbb{1} \otimes \mathcal{P} \otimes \Upsilon)(\rho_{XA_1A_2})$$

Then, there exists a classical-classical-quantum extension $\rho_{XYB_1B_2}$ such that

$$I(X; B_1, B_2)_\rho \leq I(X; B_1)_\rho + I(X, Y; B_2)_\rho.$$

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Main Results: Strictly-Causal CSI

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with $|\mathcal{X}| \leq |\mathcal{H}_A|^2 + 1$ and $|\mathcal{Z}| \leq |\mathcal{H}_A|^2 + |\mathcal{S}|$, where the union is over the set of all distributions $p_X(x) p_{Z|X, S}(z|x, s)$, state collection $\{|\phi_A^{z, x}\rangle\}$, and set of POVMs $\{\Gamma_{B|x, z}^{\hat{s}}\}$, with

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For a random-parameter **measurement channel**, $\mathcal{C}_{s-c}(\mathcal{M}) = \mathcal{R}_{s-c}(\mathcal{M})$.

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where the union is over $p_X(x) p_{Z|X, S}(z|x, s)$, state collection $\{|\phi_K^{z, x}\rangle\}$, quantum channels $\mathcal{F}_{K \rightarrow A}^{(s)}$, and set of POVMs $\{\Gamma_{B|x, z}^{\hat{s}}\}$, with

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In the proof, similar methods are applied to the virtual channel $\mathcal{L}_{SK \rightarrow B}$, where

$$\mathcal{L}_{K \rightarrow B}^{(s)}(\rho_K) \equiv \mathcal{N}_{A \rightarrow B}^{(s)}(\mathcal{F}_{K \rightarrow A}^{(s)}(\rho_K))$$

Main Results: Non-Causal CSI

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$$\rho_{SXB} = \sum_{s,x} q(s) p_{X|S}(x|s) |s\rangle\langle s| \otimes |x\rangle\langle x| \otimes \mathcal{N}_{A \rightarrow B}^{(s)}(\theta_A^{x,s}).$$

Main Results: Non-Causal CSI (Cont.)

Theorem

The capacity-distortion region of a random-parameter quantum channel $\mathcal{N}_{SA \rightarrow B}$ with non-causal CSI at the encoder is given by

$$\mathcal{C}_{n-c}(\mathcal{N}) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \mathcal{R}_{n-c}(\mathcal{N}^{\otimes n})$$

Even in the classical case, a single-letter characterization is an open problem.

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Direct consequences that extend the results of Boche, Cai, and Nötzel (2016):

Corollary

The capacity of a random-parameter quantum channel $\mathcal{N}_{SA \rightarrow B}$ with strictly-causal CSI at the encoder is the same as without CSI.

* similar result for quantum feedback (clean channel from Bob to Alice) [Bowen 2004] and classical feedback for entanglement-breaking channels [Bowen and Nagarajan 2005]

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The capacity of a random-parameter quantum channel $\mathcal{N}_{SA \rightarrow B}$ with causal CSI at the encoder is given by

$$C_{\text{caus}}(\mathcal{N}, d_{\text{max}}) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{k} \sup_{p_{X^k}(x^k), \mathcal{F}_{G^k \rightarrow A^k}^{(s^k)}, |\phi_{G^k}^{x^k}\rangle} I(X^k; B^k)_\rho$$

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