On the universal constraints for relaxation rates for quantum dynamical semigroup

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ON QUANTUM STATISTICAL MECHANICS OF NON-HAMILTONIAN SYSTEMS

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An axiomatic definition of time evolution (dynamical semi-group) of a physical system has been given. A dynamical semi-group is defined as a one-parameter semi-group of linear endomorphisms of the set of all density operators corresponding to the physical system in question. Some classes of dynamical semi-groups (quantum Poisson and Brownian processes) induced by Markov processes on topological groups are described. Examples of dynamical semi-groups for the harmonic oscillator are given.

Markovian semigroups

THEORETICAL PHYSICS

On Necessary and Sufficient Conditions for a Generator of a Quantum Dynamical Semi-Group

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Summary. A dynamical semi-group has been defined as a one-parameter contracting semi-group of trace preserving linear operators on the real Banach space $L^1(\mathcal{H})$ of self-adjoint trace class linear operators on a separable complex Hilbert space \mathcal{H} . It has been proved that a linear operator L with the domain D(L) and the range R(L) both in $L^1(\mathcal{H})$ generates dynamical semi-group $S(-\mathcal{H}) = \{S_t; t \ge 0\}$ iff the domain D(L) is dense in $L^1(\mathcal{H})$, $R(I-L) = L^1(\mathcal{H})$, L is a dissipative operator in the sense of Lumer and Phillips, and Tr(Lp) = 0 for all $p \in D(L)$. The resulting master equation $d/dt(S_t, p) = L(S_t, p)$, $p \in D(L)$, satisfies the positivity and normalization requirements.

Completely positive dynamical semigroups of *N*-level systems*

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We establish the general form of the generator of a completely positive dynamical semigroup of an N-level quantum system, and we apply the result to derive explicit inequalities among the physical parameters characterizing the Markovian evolution of a 2-level system.

GKS 1976

Theorem 2.2. A linear operator $L: M(N) \to M(N)$ is the generator of a completely positive dynamical semigroup of M(N) if it can be expressed in the form

$$L: \rho \to L\rho = -i[H, \rho] + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^{N^2-1} C_{ij} \{ [F_i, \rho F_j^*] + [F_i \rho, F_j^*], \quad \rho \in M(N),$$
(2.3)

Ingarden-Kossakowski-Sudarshan-Gorini



Markovian semigroup

$$\dim \mathcal{H} = d < \infty \; ; \quad \hbar = 1$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \Lambda_t = \mathcal{L} \Lambda_t$$

Theorem (Gorini-Kossakowski-Sudarshan-Lindblad (1976))

 $\Lambda_t = e^{t\mathcal{L}}$ is CPTP for $t \geq 0$ if and only if

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \mathcal{L}_D(\rho)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_D(\rho) = \sum_k \gamma_k \left(L_k \rho L_k^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2} \{ L_k^{\dagger} L_k, \rho \} \right) \quad ; \quad \gamma_k > 0$$

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L}(\rho) &= -i[H,\rho] + \sum_k \gamma_k \left(L_k \rho L_k^\dagger - \frac{1}{2} \{ L_k^\dagger L_k, \rho \} \right) \\ \Phi(\rho) &:= \sum_k \gamma_k L_k \rho L_k^\dagger \quad \text{(Completely positive)} \\ (\Phi^\ddagger(X), \rho) &= (X, \Phi(\rho)) \quad \text{(HS inner product)} \\ \mathcal{L}(\rho) &= -i[H, \rho] + \Phi(\rho) - \frac{1}{2} \{ \Phi^\ddagger(1), \rho \} \end{split}$$

Schrödinger vs. Heisenberg

$$\Lambda_t$$
 is CPTP $\longleftrightarrow \Lambda_t^{\ddagger}$ is CP unital

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \Phi(\rho) - \frac{1}{2} \{ \Phi^{\dagger}(\mathbb{1}), \rho \} \longrightarrow \Lambda_t = e^{t\mathcal{L}}$$

$$\operatorname{Tr} \mathcal{L}(\rho) = 0 \iff \operatorname{Tr} \Lambda_t(\rho) = \operatorname{Tr} \rho$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}(X) = i[H, X] + \Phi^{\ddagger}(X) - \frac{1}{2} \{ \Phi^{\ddagger}(\mathbb{1}), X \} \longrightarrow \Lambda_t^{\ddagger} = e^{t\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}(\mathbb{1}) = 0 \iff \Lambda_t^{\ddagger}(\mathbb{1}) = \mathbb{1}$$

Given $\Phi: \mathcal{M}_d \to \mathcal{M}_d$, it is CP iff

$$(id \otimes \Phi)\mathbf{P} \geq 0$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \frac{1}{d} |\psi\rangle\langle\psi| \; ; \quad \psi = \sum_{k} |k \otimes k\rangle$$

Given $\mathcal{L}:\mathcal{M}_d o\mathcal{M}_d$, it generates CP semigroup iff

$$\mathbf{P}^{\perp}[(\mathrm{id}\otimes\mathcal{L})\mathbf{P}]\mathbf{P}^{\perp}\geq 0$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} \left(L_{k} \rho L_{k}^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2} \{ L_{k}^{\dagger} L_{k}, \rho \} \right) \quad ; \quad \gamma_{k} > 0$$

- ullet γ_k are not directly measured in the lab.
- they DO depend on the representation

Which physical quantities decide about complete positivity?

Spectrum

$$\mathcal{L}(X_{\alpha}) = \ell_{\alpha} X_{\alpha} \ (\Rightarrow \ \mathcal{L}(X_{\alpha}^{\dagger}) = \ell_{\alpha}^{*} X_{\alpha}^{\dagger})$$

Theorem

- $\ell \in \operatorname{spec}(\mathcal{L}) \iff \ell^* \in \operatorname{spec}(\mathcal{L})$
- there is a leading eigenvalue $\ell_0 = 0$
- the corresponding eigenvector defines a density operator
- Re $\ell_{\alpha} \leq 0$ for $\alpha = 1, 2, ..., d^2 1$.

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} := -\mathrm{Re}\,\ell_{\alpha}$$
 (relaxation rates)

$$T_{\alpha} := 1/\Gamma_{\alpha}$$
 (relaxation times)

$$\gamma_{lpha}$$
 vs Γ_{lpha}

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} \left(L_{k} \rho L_{k}^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2} \{ L_{k}^{\dagger} L_{k}, \rho \} \right) \quad ; \quad \gamma_{k} > 0$$

Positivity of Γ_{α} is necessary but NOT sufficient for CP

Example: qubit

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{3} \gamma_k (\sigma_k \rho \sigma_k - \rho)$$

$$\Gamma_1 = \gamma_2 + \gamma_3 , \ \Gamma_2 = \gamma_3 + \gamma_1 , \ \Gamma_3 = \gamma_1 + \gamma_2$$

$$\rho = \frac{1}{2} \left(\mathbb{1} + \sum_k x_k \sigma_k \right)$$

$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, x_3) \rightarrow \mathbf{x}(t) = \left(e^{-\Gamma_1 t} x_1, e^{-\Gamma_2 t} x_2, e^{-\Gamma_3 t} x_3 \right)$$

$$\mathbf{x}(t) \in \mathbf{B} \iff \Gamma_k \ge 0 \ (k = 1, 2, 3)$$

NOT enough for complete positivity!

Example: qubit

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$$\Gamma_1 = \gamma_2 + \gamma_3$$
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$$\mathcal{L}$$
 is a legitimate Lindbladian $\iff \gamma_k \geq 0 \iff$

$$\Gamma_1 \le \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_3$$
, $\Gamma_2 \le \Gamma_3 + \Gamma_1$, $\Gamma_3 \le \Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2$

$$\Gamma := \Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_3$$

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \quad (k = 1, 2, 3)$$

Example: GKS 1976

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i\frac{\Delta}{2}[\sigma_z, \rho] + \gamma_+ \mathcal{L}_+ + \gamma_- \mathcal{L}_- + \gamma_z \mathcal{L}_z$$

$$\mathcal{L}_+(\rho) = \sigma_+ \rho \sigma_- - \frac{1}{2} \{\sigma_- \sigma_+, \rho\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_-(\rho) = \sigma_- \rho \sigma_+ - \frac{1}{2} \{\sigma_+ \sigma_-, \rho\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_z(\rho) = \sigma_z \rho \sigma_z - \rho$$

$$\Gamma_{\rm T} := \Gamma_1 = \Gamma_2 = \frac{1}{2}(\gamma_+ + \gamma_-) + 2\gamma_z \; ; \quad \Gamma_{\rm L} = \Gamma_3 = \gamma_+ + \gamma_-$$

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$$\Gamma := \Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_3 = 2(\gamma_+ + \gamma_- + \gamma_z)$$

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \quad (k = 1, 2, 3)$$

Bloch equations

$$M_k := \operatorname{Tr}(\rho \sigma_k)$$

$$\dot{M}_x = \Delta M_y - \frac{M_x}{T_T}$$

$$\dot{M}_y = -\Delta M_x - \frac{M_y}{T_T}$$

$$\dot{M}_z = -\frac{M_z - M_0}{T_L}$$

 $2T_{\rm L} > T_{\rm T}$

well tested!

General qubit Lindbladian

Theorem (G. Kimura, PRA 2002)

For any qubit Lindblad generator

$$\Gamma := \Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_3$$

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \quad (k = 1, 2, 3)$$

- $\bullet \quad \ell_1 = \ell_2^* = -\Gamma_T + i\omega , \quad \ell_3 = -\Gamma_{L_1}$
- $\ell_k = -\Gamma_k, \quad k = 1, 2, 3$

$$\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 \ge \Gamma_3$$
, etc

general d

Wolf & Cirac, CMP (2008): $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_D$

$$\|\mathcal{L}\|_{\infty} \le \frac{2}{d} \, \Gamma$$

$$\Gamma_k = -\operatorname{Re} \ell_k \implies \Gamma_k \le |\ell_k| \le ||\mathcal{L}||_{\infty} \le \frac{2}{d} \Gamma$$

Kimura et al, OSID (2017): arbitrary \mathcal{L}

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{\sqrt{2}}{d} \, \Gamma$$

Conjecture:
$$\Gamma_k \leq \frac{1}{d}\Gamma$$
 $(d > 2)$

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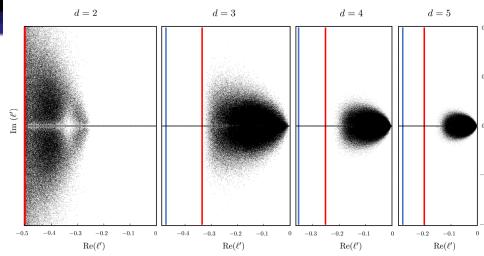
d-level Lindbladian

$$\Gamma := \Gamma_1 + \ldots + \Gamma_{d^2 - 1}$$

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{d} \Gamma \quad (k = 1, \dots, d^2 - 1)$$

$$R_k := \frac{\Gamma_k}{\Gamma}$$

$$R_k \le \frac{1}{d} \quad (k = 1, \dots, d^2 - 1)$$



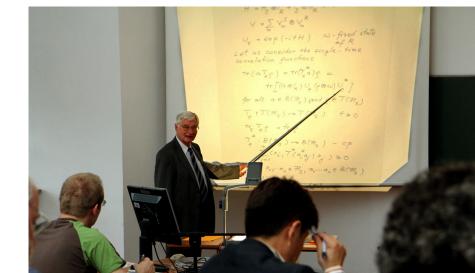
Distribution of ℓ_{α}/Γ for random Lindbladians. Red vertical lines denote the bound '-1/d'. Blue vertical lines denote the bound

 $'-\sqrt{2}/d'$. S. Denisov, T. Laptyeva, W. Tarnowski, DC, and K. Życzkowski, Universal Spectra of Random Lindblad Operators, PRL 123, 140403 (2019).

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

- is tight
- true for 'classical' generator
- true for unital semigroups
- true for Davies generators
- implications

44 SMP (Toruń 2012)



40 years after (Toruń 2016)





The bound cannot be improved

$$\Gamma_k \le \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

$$\Sigma^{\dagger} = \Sigma = \sum_{k} s_{k} |k\rangle\langle k| \; ; \quad s_{1} \leq \ldots \leq s_{d}$$
$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = \Sigma \rho \Sigma - \frac{1}{2} \{\Sigma^{2}, \rho\} = -\frac{1}{2} [\Sigma, [\Sigma, \rho]]$$
$$\Gamma_{ij} = (s_{i} - s_{j})^{2}$$

$$s_2 = \ldots = s_{d-1} = \frac{s_1 + s_d}{2} \implies \Gamma_{\max} = \frac{1}{d}\Gamma$$

Classical generator

 $\mathbf{T}(t) = e^{t\mathbf{K}} = \text{semigroup of stochastic matrices}$

$$\mathbf{K}_{ij} \ge 0 \ (i \ne j) \ ; \quad \sum_{i=1}^{d} \mathbf{K}_{ij} = 1$$

$$\mathbf{K}_{ij} = t_{ij} - \delta_{ij} \sum_{k=1}^{d} t_{kj} \; ; \quad t_{ij} \ge 0$$

Pauli Master Equation:
$$\dot{p}_i = \sum_j \left(t_{ij}p_j - t_{ji}p_i\right)$$

$$\Gamma_k^{\text{cl}} = -\text{Re}\,\ell_k^{\text{cl}} \ge 0 \quad (k = 1, \dots, d - 1)$$

 $\Gamma_k^{\rm cl}$ can be completely arbitrary

$\mathbf{K}_{ij} = t_{ij} - \delta_{ij} \sum_{k} t_{kj} \; ; \quad t_{ij} \geq 0$

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = \sum_{i,j=1}^{d} t_{ij} \mathcal{L}_{ij} \rho \mathcal{L}_{ij}^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2} \{B, \rho\} \quad ; \ \mathcal{L}_{ij} = |i\rangle\langle j|$$

$$B = \sum_{k} b_{k} |k\rangle\langle k| \; ; \quad b_{k} = \sum_{j=1}^{d} t_{jk}$$

$$\left\{\Gamma_{1}^{\text{cl}}, \dots, \Gamma_{d-1}^{\text{cl}}\right\} \cup \left\{\Gamma_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} (b_{i} + b_{j}) \; ; (i \neq j)\right\}$$

<u>Th</u>eorem

$$\Gamma := \sum_{k} \Gamma_{k}^{\text{cl}} + \sum_{i \neq j} \Gamma_{ij}$$

$$\Gamma_{k}^{\text{cl}} \le \frac{1}{d} \Gamma \qquad \& \qquad \Gamma_{ij} \le \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

Schrödinger vs. Heisenberg

$$\mathcal{L}(X_{\alpha}) = \ell_{\alpha} X_{\alpha}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}(Y_{\alpha}) = \ell_{\alpha}^* Y_{\alpha}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\omega) = 0$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}(1) = 0$$

 $\omega = \text{invariant state}$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\ddagger}(Y_{\alpha}) = \ell_{\alpha}^* Y_{\alpha}$$

$$\omega = \text{invariant state} \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}(\omega) = 0$$

$$(A,B)_{\omega} := \operatorname{Tr}(\omega A^{\dagger} B) \longrightarrow \|A\|_{\omega}^{2} = (A,A)_{\omega}$$

Theorem

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} = \frac{1}{2||Y_{\alpha}||_{\omega}^{2}} \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} ||[L_{k}, Y_{\alpha}]||_{\omega}^{2}$$

Unital semigroup

$$\omega = \frac{1}{d} \, \mathbb{1}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(1) = 0$$

$$\Lambda_t := e^{t\mathcal{L}} \quad \text{is unital iff} \quad \frac{d}{dt} S(\Lambda_t \rho) \geq 0$$

Unital semigroup

$$\omega = \frac{1}{d} \mathbb{1}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{1}) = 0$$

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} = \frac{1}{2\|Y_{\alpha}\|_{\omega}^{2}} \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} \|[L_{k}, Y_{\alpha}]\|_{\omega}^{2}$$

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} = \frac{1}{2||Y_{\alpha}||^2} \sum_{k} \gamma_k ||[L_k, Y_{\alpha}]||^2 \; ; \; ||A||^2 = \text{Tr}(A^{\dagger}A)$$

Unital semigroup

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} = \frac{1}{2||Y_{\alpha}||^2} \sum_{k} \gamma_k ||[L_k, Y_{\alpha}]||^2$$

Bötcher & Wenzel, Lin. Alg. Appl. (2008)

$$||[A, B]||^2 \le 2||A||^2||B||^2$$

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} \le \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} ||L_{k}||^{2}$$

Unital semigroup

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \sum_{k} \gamma_k \left(L_k \rho L_k^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2} \{ L_k^{\dagger} L_k, \rho \} \right) \quad ; \quad \gamma_k > 0$$

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} \le \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} ||L_{k}||^{2}$$

$$||L_{k}||^{2} = 1 \longrightarrow \sum_{k} \gamma_{k} = \frac{1}{d} \sum_{\alpha} \Gamma_{\alpha} = \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

Theorem

For a unital semigroup

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

Beyond unital semigroup — covariant generators

$$U_{\mathbf{x}}\mathcal{L}(X)U_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger} = \mathcal{L}(U_{\mathbf{x}}XU_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger})$$

$$U_{\mathbf{x}} = \sum_{k=0}^{d} e^{-ix_k} |k\rangle\langle k| \; \; ; \; \; \mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

Beyond unital semigroup — covariant generators

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_0 + \mathcal{L}_1 + \mathcal{L}_2,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_0(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] \; ; \quad H = \sum_i h_i |i\rangle\langle i|$$

$$\mathcal{L}_1(\rho) = \sum_{i \neq j=1}^d \frac{t_{ij}}{i} \left(L_{ij}\rho L_{ij}^{\dagger} - \frac{1}{2}\delta_{ij}\{|j\rangle\langle j|, \rho\} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2(\rho) = \sum_{i,j=1}^d \frac{d_{ij}}{i} \left(|i\rangle\langle i|\rho|j\rangle\langle j| - \frac{1}{2}\delta_{ij}\{|j\rangle\langle j|, \rho\} \right)$$

$$t_{ij} \geq 0 \; , \quad [d_{ij}] \geq 0 \; ; \quad L_{ij} = |i\rangle\langle j|$$

 $\Gamma_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$

Weak coupling limit — Davies generators

$$\mathcal{L}(\rho) = -i[H, \rho] + \mathcal{L}_D(\rho)$$

- $H = \sum_{i} h_i |i\rangle\langle i|$
- $\omega = \sum_i p_i |i\rangle\langle i|$
- ullet \mathcal{L}_D^{\ddagger} is Hermitian w.r.t. $(\;,\;)_{\omega}$

$$U_{\mathbf{x}}\mathcal{L}(X)U_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger} = \mathcal{L}(U_{\mathbf{x}}XU_{\mathbf{x}}^{\dagger})$$

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{d} \Gamma$$

Implications

$$\Gamma_{\alpha} \le \frac{1}{d}\Gamma$$

- spectra of channels
- is quantum channel Φ Markovian, that is, $\Phi = e^{\mathcal{L}}$?

Spectra of channels: $\Gamma_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{d}\Gamma$

$$\mathcal{L} = \Phi - id$$

Theorem

The spectrum $z_{\alpha}=x_{\alpha}+iy_{\alpha}$ of any unital quantum channel satisfy

$$\sum_{\beta=1}^{d^2-1} x_{\beta} \le d(d-1) - 1 + dx_{\alpha},$$

for $\alpha = 1, ..., d^2 - 1$.

Theorem

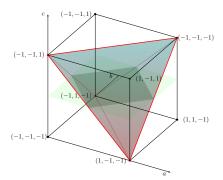
The spectrum $z_{\alpha} = x_{\alpha} + iy_{\alpha}$ of any qubit channel satisfies

$$|x_1 \pm x_2| < 1 \pm x_3$$
.

Pauli qubit channels: $\Phi(\rho) = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{3} p_{\alpha} \sigma_{\alpha} \rho \sigma_{\alpha}$

$$\widehat{\Phi} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \Delta \end{pmatrix} \quad ; \quad \Delta = \operatorname{diag}[\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3]$$

Algoet - **Fujiwara** : $|\lambda_1 \pm \lambda_2| \le 1 \pm \lambda_3 \iff |x_1 \pm x_2| \le 1 \pm x_3$



Markovianity $\Gamma_{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{d}\Gamma$

M. Wolf, et al PRL (2008). Unital Φ . Is $\Phi=e^{\mathcal{L}}$?

$$\mathcal{L} \longrightarrow \ell_{\alpha} = iy_{\alpha} - \Gamma_{\alpha}$$

$$\Phi \longrightarrow z_{\alpha} = e^{\ell_{\alpha}}$$

$$\det \Phi = z_1 \dots z_{d^2 - 1} = e^{-\Gamma} \le e^{d\Gamma_\alpha} = |z_\alpha|^d$$

$$\sqrt[d]{\det \Phi} \le |z_{\alpha}| \le 1$$

Frobenius-Perron ring

Example: qubit Pauli channel

$$z_k = e^{-\Gamma_k}$$
 $z_1 z_2 z_3 \le z_k^2 \ (k = 1, 2, 3)$ $z_1 z_2 \le z_3 \ , \ \text{etc.}$

Davalos et al, Quantum (2019) Puchała et al, Phys. Lett. A (2019)

Conlusions

- For any qubit Lindbladian $\Gamma_k \leq \frac{1}{2} \Gamma$
- ullet For any unital Lindbladian $\ \Gamma_k \leq rac{1}{d} \, \Gamma$
- True for any 'physical generator' obtained in the weak coupling limit
- ullet The conjecture for arbitrary ${\cal L}$ is supported by numerical analysis
- New bounds for the spectra of channels
- Necessary condition for Markovianity (for unital channels) $\sqrt[d]{\det \Phi} \leq |z_{\alpha}| \leq 1$
- D.C., G. Kimura, <u>A. Kossakowski</u>, and Y. Shishido, *On the universal constraints for relaxation rates for quantum dynamical semigroup*, arxiv:2011.10159

