

Unraveling correlation in quantum master equations for open system dynamics

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In this talk I will discuss the range of validity of commonly used quantum master equations for reduced dynamics of open quantum systems [1]. I will use our recently developed correlation picture [2] to unravel the exact form of correlation appearing in such equations [3].

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