

Trace decreasing semigroup for an open quantum system interacting with a repeatedly measured ancilla

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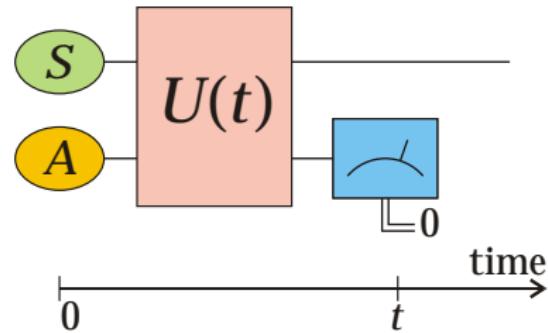
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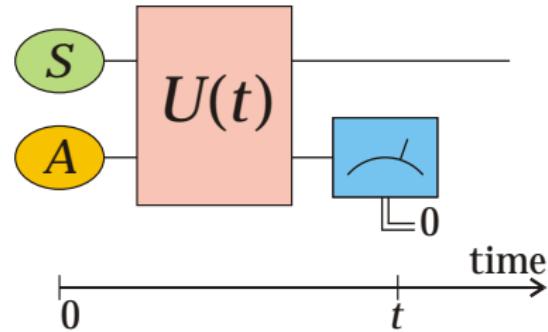
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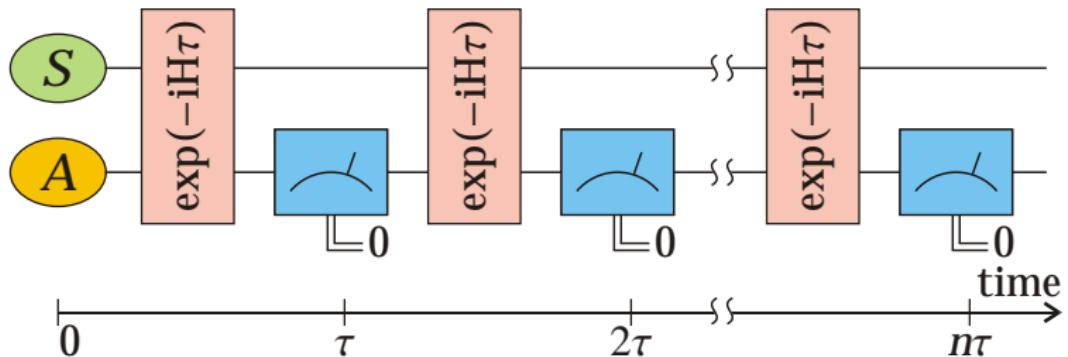


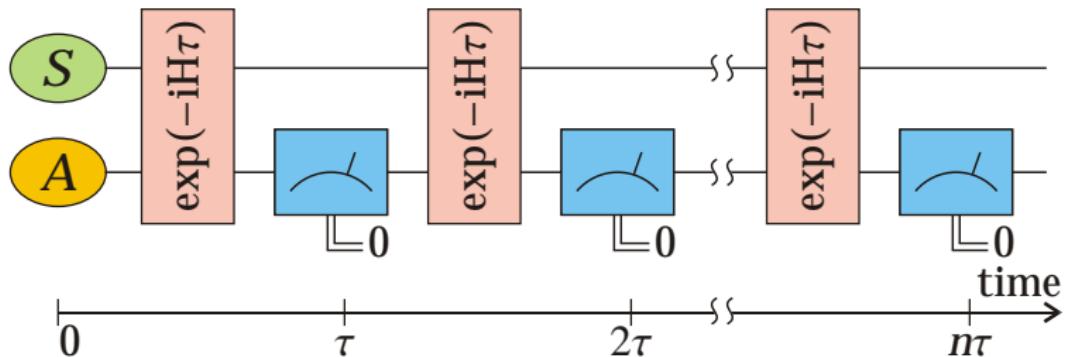
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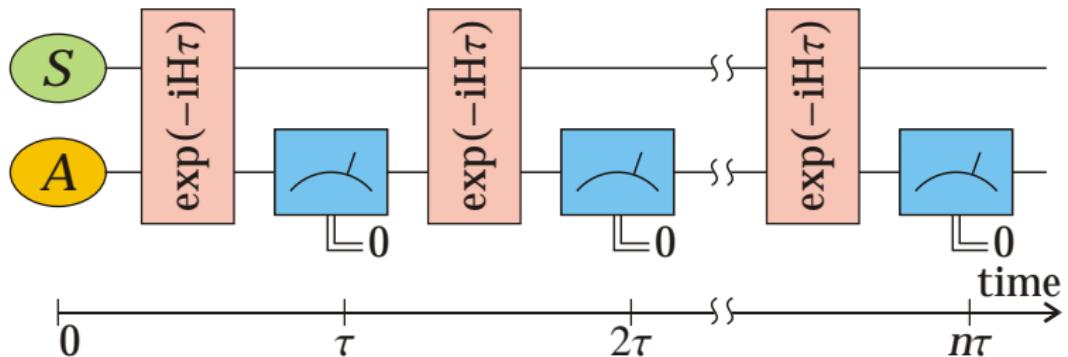


$$p_{\rho_S(0)}(t) = \text{tr} \rho_S^c(t), \quad \varrho_S^c(t) = \rho_S^c(t) / \text{tr} \rho_S^c(t) = \rho_S^c(t) / p_0(t)$$



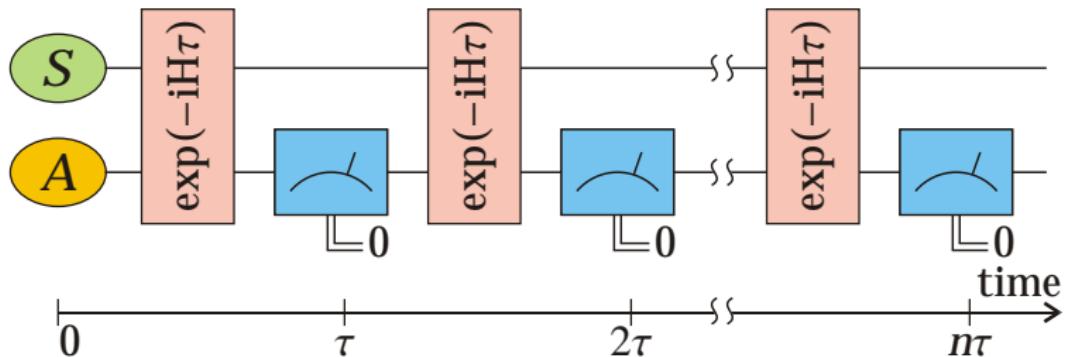


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&= I_S - i\tau \langle 0_A | H | 0_A \rangle - \frac{\tau^2}{2} \langle 0_A | H^2 | 0_A \rangle + o_S(\tau^2) \\
&= \exp \left(-i\tau H_0^S - \frac{\tau^2}{2} \Gamma_S + o_S(\tau^2) \right),
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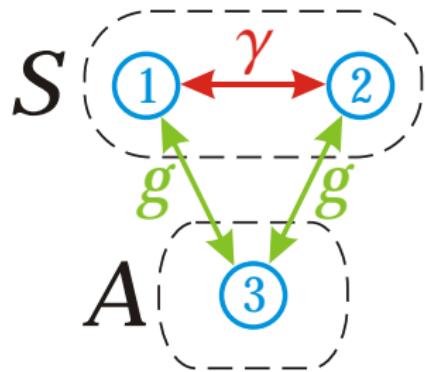
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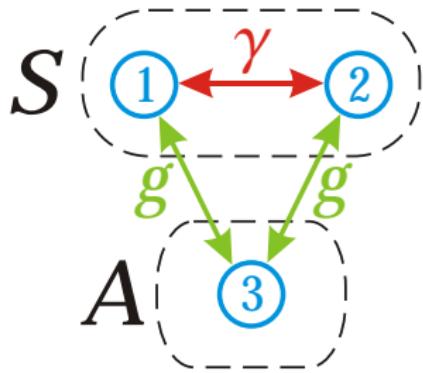
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