

Ground state of the two-qubit Ising model

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In[43]:= $Assumptions = {J > 0, h > 0};
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Define Pauli operators and other

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In[44]:= I1 = {{1, 0}, {0, 1}}; MatrixForm[I1]
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Out[44]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[45]:= X = {{0, 1}, {1, 0}}; MatrixForm[X]
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Out[45]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[46]:= Y = {{0, -I}, {I, 0}}; MatrixForm[Y]
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Out[46]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[47]:= Z = {{1, 0}, {0, -1}}; MatrixForm[Z]
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Out[47]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[48]:=
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$$H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \{ \{1, 1\}, \{1, -1\} \}; \text{MatrixForm}[H]$$

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Out[48]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[49]:=
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$$I1 = {{1, 0}, {0, 1}}; \text{MatrixForm}[I1]$$

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Out[49]//MatrixForm=
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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[50]:= X = {{0, 1}, {1, 0}}; MatrixForm[X]
Out[50]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$


In[51]:= Y = {{0, -I}, {I, 0}}; MatrixForm[Y]
Out[51]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$


In[52]:= Z = {{1, 0}, {0, -1}}; MatrixForm[Z]
Out[52]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$


In[53]:= H =  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  {{1, 1}, {1, -1}}; MatrixForm[H]
Out[53]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

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Define two qubit operators

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In[54]:= ZZ = KroneckerProduct[Z, Z]; MatrixForm[ZZ]
Out[54]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$


In[55]:= IX = KroneckerProduct[I1, X]; MatrixForm[IX]
Out[55]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[56]:= XI = KroneckerProduct[X, I1]; MatrixForm[XI]
Out[56]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Define the Hamiltonian

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In[57]:= Hamiltonian[J_, h0_, h1_] = -J ZZ - h0 XI - h1 IX; MatrixForm[Hamiltonian[J, h0, h1]]
Out[57]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -J & -h1 & -h0 & 0 \\ -h1 & J & 0 & -h0 \\ -h0 & 0 & J & -h1 \\ 0 & -h0 & -h1 & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

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Compute eigenvalues and eigenvectors

We consider H0 with no field , and H1 with external field

Hamiltonian with no field

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In[58]:= H0 = Hamiltonian[J, 0, 0]; MatrixForm[H0]
Out[58]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -J & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & J & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & J & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[59]:= Eigenvalues[H0]
Out[59]= {-J, -J, J, J}
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In[60]:= Eigenvectors[H0]
Out[60]= {{0, 0, 0, 1}, {1, 0, 0, 0}, {0, 0, 1, 0}, {0, 1, 0, 0}}
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The eigenvectors are the basis vectors, if $J>0$ the ground state is 00 and 11

These are product states with no entanglement

However also combinations of the ground states are eigestates, and the Bell state 00+11 is a ground state

Notably enough this is maximally entangled !!!

So we can have ground state with and without entanglement in the absence of the field

Hamiltonian with field h0=h1=h

In[61]:=

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H1 = Hamiltonian[J, h, h]; MatrixForm[H1]
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Out[61]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -J & -h & -h & 0 \\ -h & J & 0 & -h \\ -h & 0 & J & -h \\ 0 & -h & -h & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

In[62]:=

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Eigenvalues[H1]
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Out[62]=

$$\{-J, J, -\sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}, \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}\}$$

In[63]:=

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e1 = Eigenvectors[H1]
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Out[63]=

$$\left\{\{-1, 0, 0, 1\}, \{0, -1, 1, 0\}, \left\{1, -\frac{J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}{2h}, -\frac{J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}{2h}, 1\right\}, \left\{1, -\frac{J + \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}{2h}, -\frac{J + \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}{2h}, 1\right\}\right\}$$

For $J>0$ degeneracy is broken, and the state with energy $-J$ is $|00\rangle+|11\rangle$ which is a maximally-entangled Bell state, as the eigenvector with energy J i.e. $|01\rangle+|10\rangle$

The ground state has energy $-\sqrt{(4h^2 + J^2)}$ and is also an entangled written as a combination of bell states $|00\rangle+|11\rangle$ and $|01\rangle+|10\rangle$

Hamiltonian with h0=h and h1=0

In[64]:=

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H2 = Hamiltonian[J, h, 0]; MatrixForm[H2]
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Out[64]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -J & 0 & -h & 0 \\ 0 & J & 0 & -h \\ -h & 0 & J & 0 \\ 0 & -h & 0 & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

In[65]:=

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Eigenvalues[H2]
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Out[65]=

$$\{-\sqrt{h^2 + J^2}, -\sqrt{h^2 + J^2}, \sqrt{h^2 + J^2}, \sqrt{h^2 + J^2}\}$$

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In[66]:= e2 = Eigenvectors[H2]
Out[66]= {{0, -((J - Sqrt[h^2 + J^2])/h), 0, 1}, {-((J - Sqrt[h^2 + J^2])/h), 0, 1, 0}, {0, -(J + Sqrt[h^2 + J^2])/h, 0, 1}, {-((J + Sqrt[h^2 + J^2])/h), 0, 1, 0}}
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Hamiltonian with field $h_0 \neq h_1$

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In[67]:= H1 = Hamiltonian[J, h0, h1]; MatrixForm[H1]
Out[67]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} -J & -h1 & -h0 & 0 \\ -h1 & J & 0 & -h0 \\ -h0 & 0 & J & -h1 \\ 0 & -h0 & -h1 & -J \end{pmatrix}$$

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Computing the entanglement of the ground state by schmidt decomposition

Entanglement for H1

Normalize the ground state

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In[88]:= Norm[e1[[3]] // Simplify
Out[88]=  $\sqrt{\frac{J(J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2})}{4 + \frac{J(J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2})}{h^2}}}$ 

In[68]:= nGS = FullSimplify[Refine[e1[[3]]/Norm[e1[[3]]], Assumptions -> J > 0 && h > 0]]; MatrixForm[nGS]
Out[68]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{h}{\sqrt{4h^2 + J(J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2})}} \\ \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}} \\ \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4h^2 + J^2}}} \\ \frac{h}{\sqrt{4h^2 + J(J - \sqrt{4h^2 + J^2})}} \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[69]:= Refine[Limit[nGS, h → 0], Assumptions → J > 0]
Limit: Warning: Assumptions that involve the limit variable are ignored.

Out[69]= {Indeterminate, 0, 0, Indeterminate}
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Check normalization

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In[70]:= Refine[Norm[nGS], Assumptions → J > 0 && h > 0] // FullSimplify
Out[70]= 1
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Extract the coefficient for the ground state of H1 as a 2x2 Matrix

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In[71]:= Cij = {{nGS[[1]], nGS[[2]]}, {nGS[[3]], nGS[[4]]}}; MatrixForm[Cij]
Out[71]//MatrixForm= 
$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{h}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J (J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2})}} & \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}} \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}} & \frac{h}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J (J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2})}} \end{pmatrix}$$

dk = FullSimplify[Eigenvalues[Cij]]
Out[72]= 
$$\left\{ \frac{4 h \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} - \sqrt{64 h^4 + 48 h^2 J^2 + 8 J^4 - 32 h^2 J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} - 8 J^3 \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}}{4 \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}}, \frac{4 h \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} + \sqrt{64 h^4 + 48 h^2 J^2 + 8 J^4 - 32 h^2 J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} - 8 J^3 \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}}{4 \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}} \right\}$$

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Check eigenvalues

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In[73]:= Sum[dk[[j]]^2, {j, 1, 2}] // FullSimplify
Out[73]= 1

In[74]:= Sum[dk[[j]]^2, {j, 1, 2}] /. {J → 1.0, h → 0.5}
Out[74]= 1.
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SVD of Cij

In[91]:=

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{Usvd, dsvd, Vsvd} = SingularValueDecomposition[Cij]
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Out[91]=

$$\left\{ \left\{ \frac{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}} - \frac{h \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}}, \frac{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1 - \frac{J}{\sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}}} - \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{\text{Abs}\left[\begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}\right]^2 + \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}^2}} \right\}, \left\{ \frac{h}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{J^2}{4 h^2 + J^2}}}, \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & 1 & \dots \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

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In[93]:=

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FullSimplify[dsvd]
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Out[93]=

$$\left\{ \left\{ \sqrt{\left(\sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} + 2 h \left(h - \sqrt{2 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}} + \sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} \right) \right) / \left(8 h^2 + 2 J \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) \right) }, 0 \right\}, \left\{ 0, \sqrt{\left(\sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} + 2 h \left(h + \sqrt{2 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}} + \sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} \right) \right) / \left(8 h^2 + 2 J \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) \right) } \right\}$$

In[96]:=

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dsvd1 = FullSimplify[dsvd[[1, 1]]]
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Out[96]=

$$\sqrt{\left(\sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} + 2 h \left(h - \sqrt{2 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}} + \sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) + 4 h^2 J \left(2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right)} \right) \right) / \left(8 h^2 + 2 J \left(J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2} \right) \right)}$$

In[101]:=

dsvd2 = FullSimplify[dsvd[[2, 2]]]

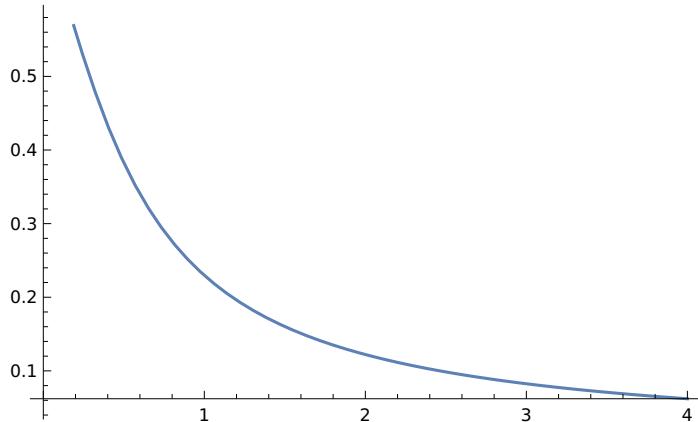
Out[101]=

$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{\left(\left(\sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 (J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2})} + 4 h^2 J (2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}) \right) + \right.} \\ & \quad \left. 2 h \left(h + \sqrt{2 h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}} + \sqrt{4 h^4 + 2 J^3 (J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2})} + 4 h^2 J (2 J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}) \right) \right) / \\ & \quad \left(8 h^2 + 2 J (J - \sqrt{4 h^2 + J^2}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

In[97]:=

Plot[dsvd1 /. J → 1, {h, 0, 4}]

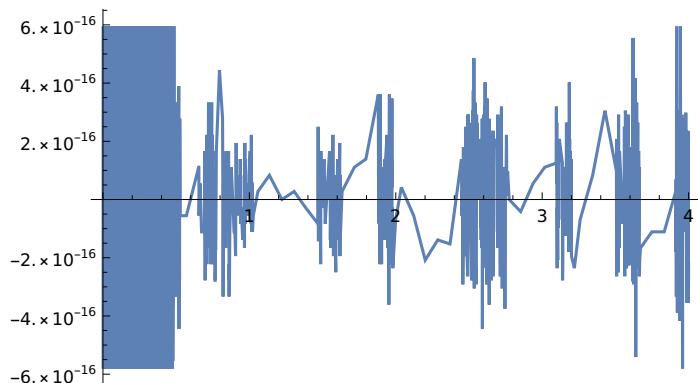
Out[97]=



In[99]:=

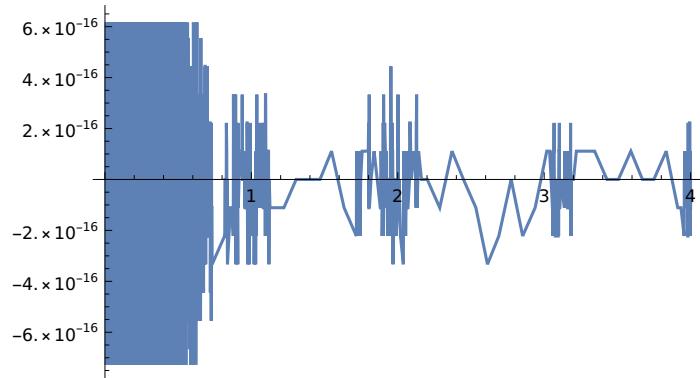
Plot[dk[[1]] - dsvd1 /. J → 1, {h, 0, 4}]

Out[99]=



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In[102]:= Plot[dk[[2]] - dsvd2 /. J → 1, {h, 0, 4}]
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Out[102]=
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Entropy of entanglement

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In[75]:=
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entropy = -Sum[dk[[j]]^2 × Log2[dk[[j]]^2], {j, 1, 2}];
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In[104]:=
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FullSimplify[entropy]
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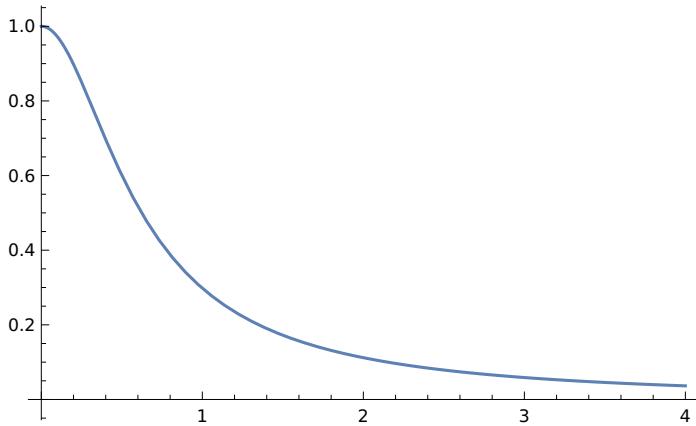
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Out[104]=
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$$\frac{4 h \sqrt{4 h^2+2 J \left(J-\sqrt{4 h^2+J^2}\right)} \operatorname{ArcCoth}\left[\frac{\sqrt{2} h}{\sqrt{2 h^2+J^2-J \sqrt{4 h^2+J^2}}}\right]}{4 h^2+J \left(J-\sqrt{4 h^2+J^2}\right)}+\operatorname{Log}\left[\frac{J}{2 \sqrt{4 h^2+J^2}}\right]-\operatorname{Log}[2]$$

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In[76]:=
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Plot[entropy /. J → 1, {h, 0, 4.0}]
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Out[76]=
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In[77]:=
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Out[77]=
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Apparently even a vanishing field introduce entanglement by breaking the degeneracy and making as the ground state the Bell state

For large h the ground state is the product state of the eigenstates of X and no entanglement is present

Entanglement of H2

Normalize the ground state

Note that the ground state is the first eigenvalue

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In[78]:= nGS2 = FullSimplify[Refine[e2[[1]]/Norm[e2[[1]]], Assumptions → J > 0 && h > 0]];
MatrixForm[nGS2]
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Out[78]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2+\frac{2J(\sqrt{h^2+J^2})}{h^2}}}{\sqrt{2+\frac{2J(\sqrt{h^2+J^2})}{h^2}}} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

In[79]:=

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Refine[Limit[nGS2, h → 0], Assumptions → J > 0]
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Limit: Warning: Assumptions that involve the limit variable are ignored.

Out[79]=

$$\{0, 0, 0, 1\}$$

Check normalization

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In[80]:= Refine[Norm[nGS2], Assumptions → J > 0 && h > 0] // FullSimplify
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Out[80]=

$$1$$

Extract the coefficient for the ground state of H2 as a 2x2 Matrix

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In[81]:= Cij2 = {{nGS2[[1]], nGS2[[2]]}, {nGS2[[3]], nGS2[[4]]}}; MatrixForm[Cij2]
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Out[81]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2+\frac{2J(\sqrt{h^2+J^2})}{h^2}}} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2+\frac{2J(\sqrt{h^2+J^2})}{h^2}}} \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[82]:= dk2 = Eigenvalues[Cij2]
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Out[82]= {0,  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{h^2 + J^2 - J \sqrt{h^2 + J^2}}{h^2}}}$ }
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This state is not entangled as it has only one Schmidt coefficient non vanishing

Check decomposition

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In[83]:= Sum[dk2[[j]]^2, {j, 1, 2}] // FullSimplify
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Out[83]=  $\frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{J}{\sqrt{h^2 + J^2}}\right)$ 
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In[84]:= Sum[dk2[[j]]^2, {j, 1, 2}] /. {J → 1.0, h → 0.5}
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Out[84]= 0.947214
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