

Entanglement entropy on the fuzzy sphere

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$$\Rightarrow H = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left\{ (\partial_t \hat{\Phi})^2 - [L_a, \hat{\Phi}][L_a, \hat{\Phi}] + \hat{\Phi} \mu^2 \hat{\Phi} \right\}$$

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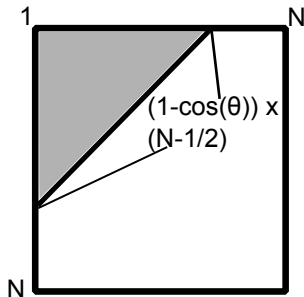
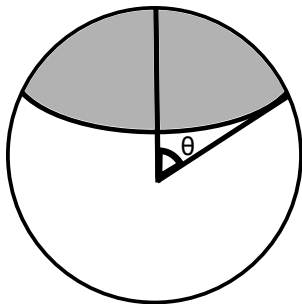
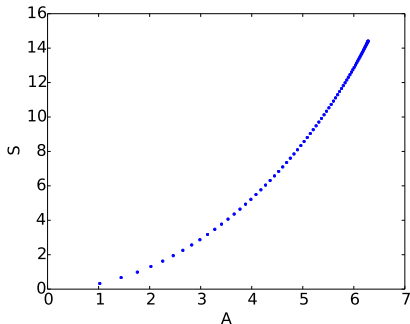
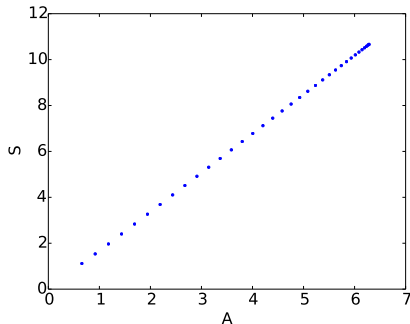


Figure : Degrees of freedom on the fuzzy sphere and their matrix counterparts

Results: Entanglement Entropy



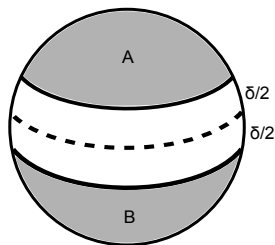
(a) Fuzzy sphere



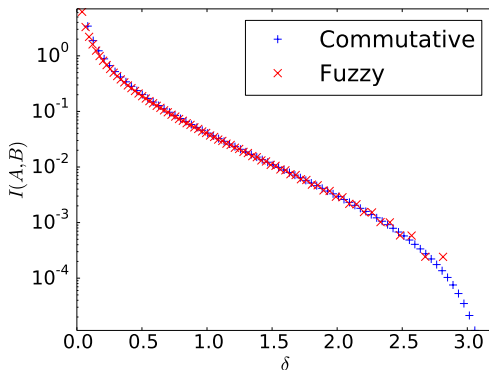
(b) Commutative sphere

Figure : Entanglement entropy vs. area of boundary, $\mu = 1.0$.

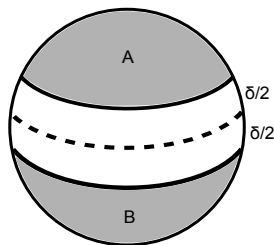
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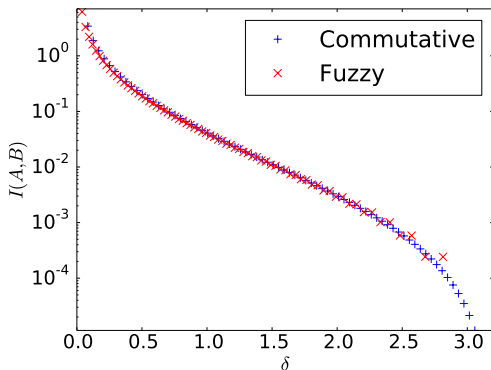
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Very *symmetric* situation: probably does not match for off-centre strip.