

Separation of quantum, spatial quantum, and approximate quantum correlations

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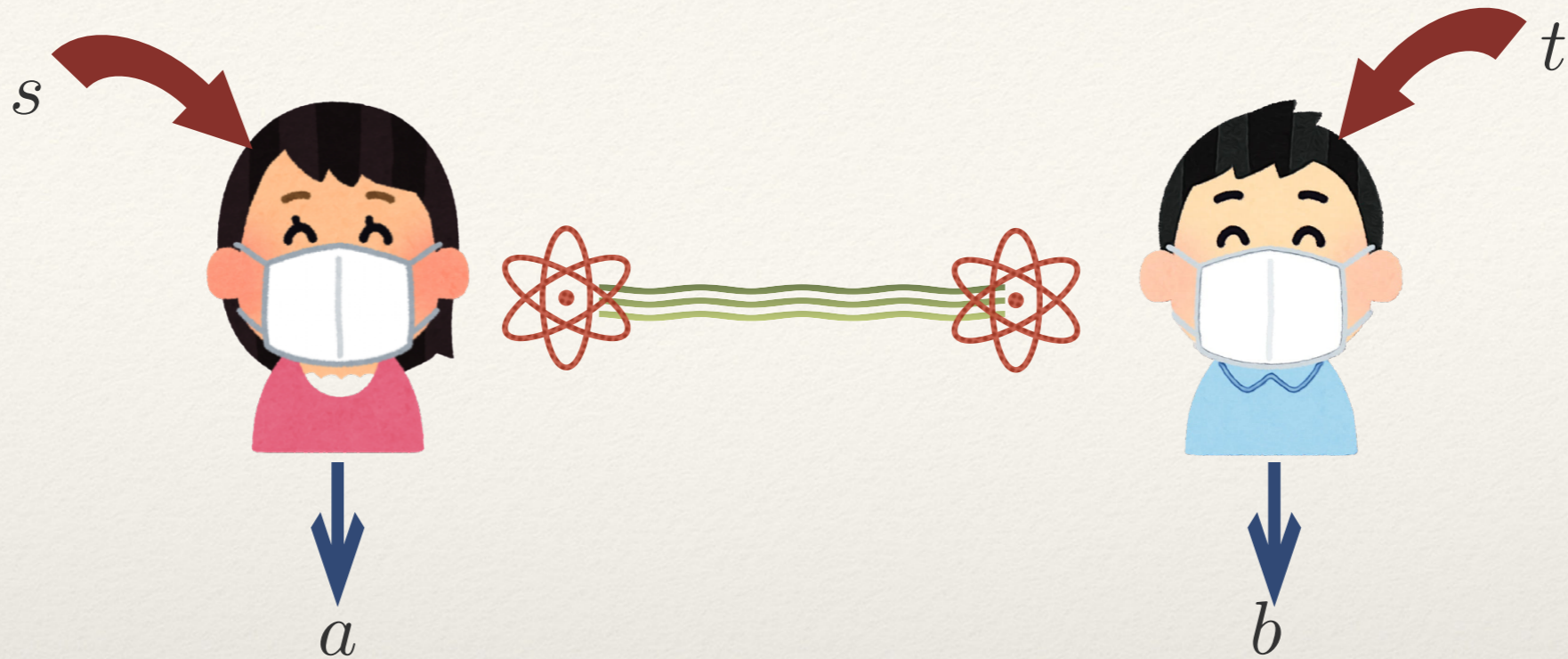


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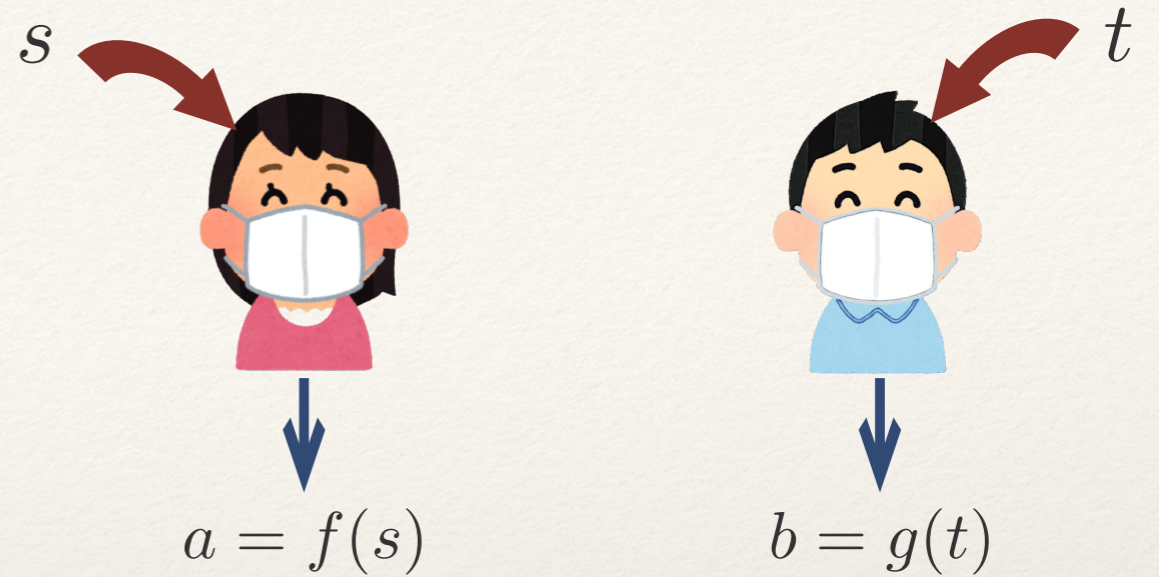
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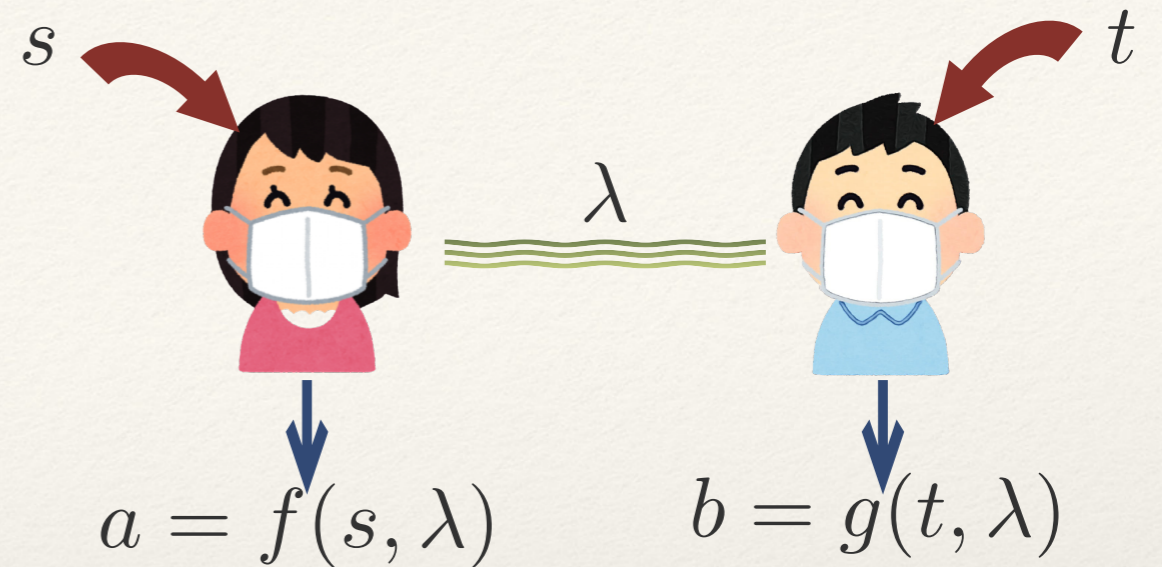
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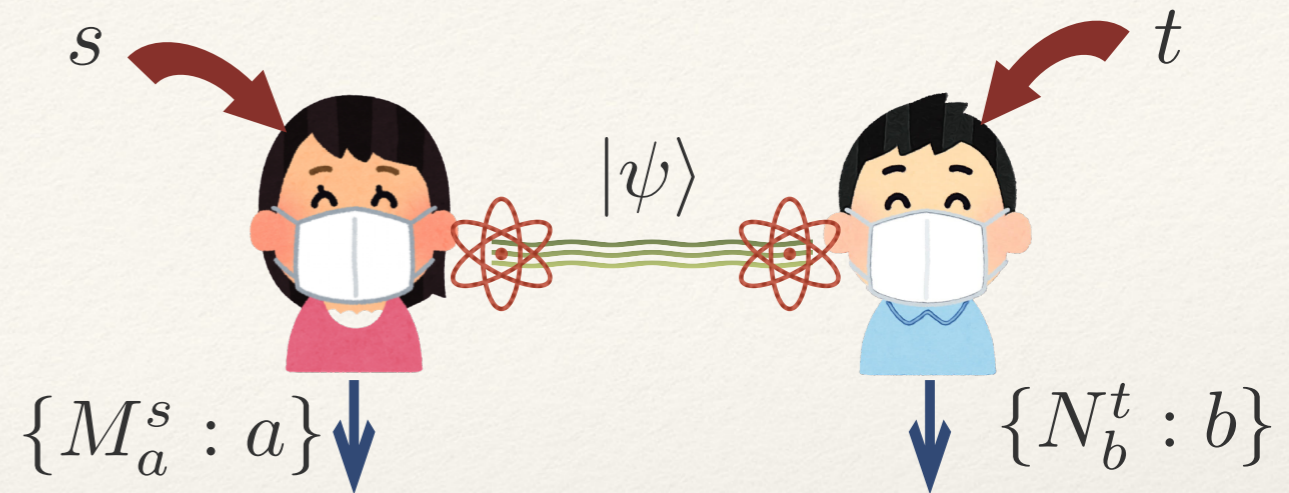


$p(a, b|s, t)$ = probability of outputs a and b , when the inputs are s and t

$$p(a, b|s, t) = \sum_{\lambda} p(\lambda) p(a|s, \lambda) p(b|t, \lambda)$$

Quantum Strategies

- ❖ Alice and Bob share **quantum state** $|\psi\rangle$
- ❖ They apply measurements $\{M_a^s : a\}$ and $\{N_b^t : b\}$



$$p(a, b|s, t) = \langle \psi | M_a^s \otimes N_b^t | \psi \rangle$$

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$$\sum_a M_a^s = I_{\mathcal{H}} \quad \forall s,$$

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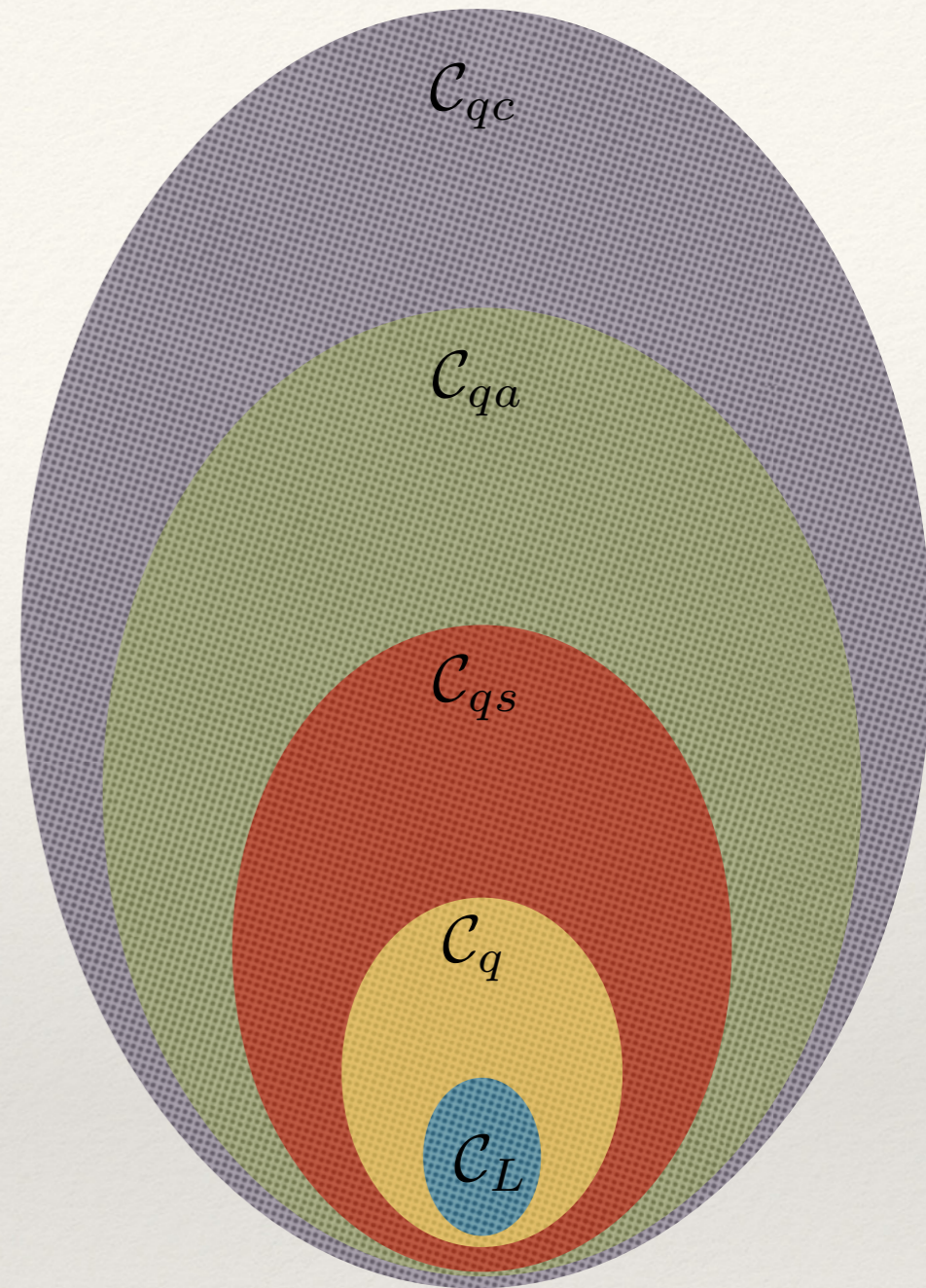
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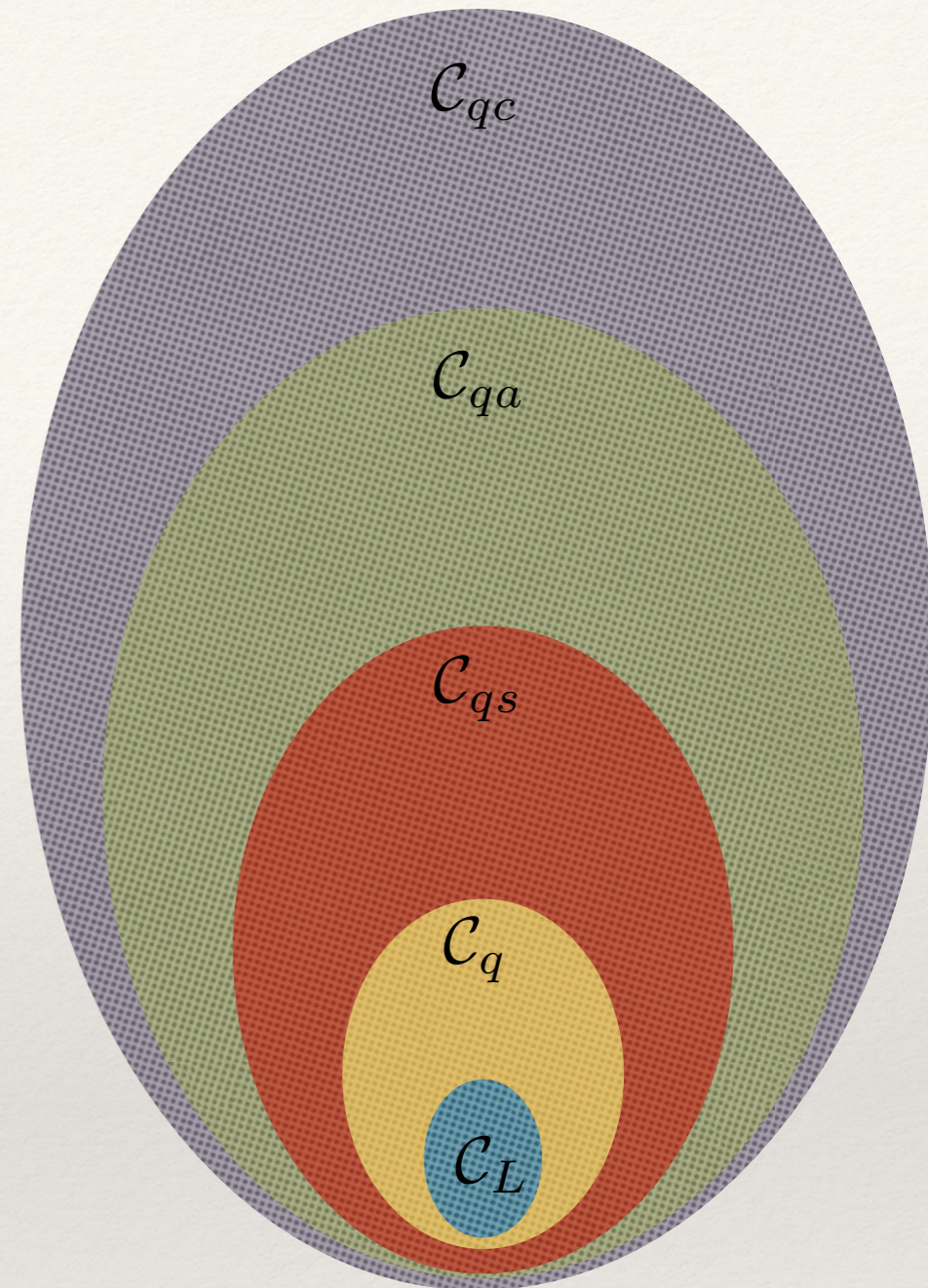
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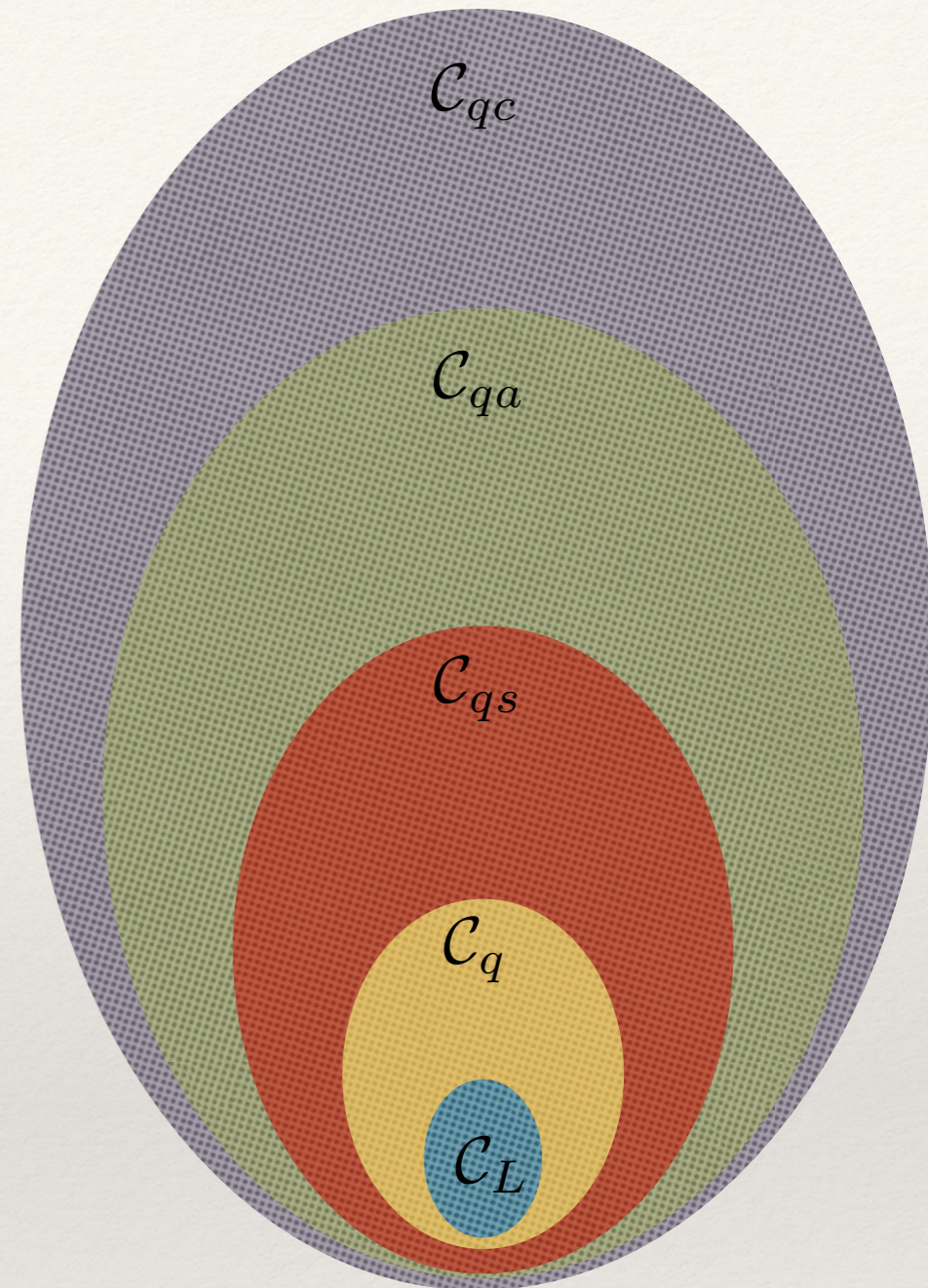
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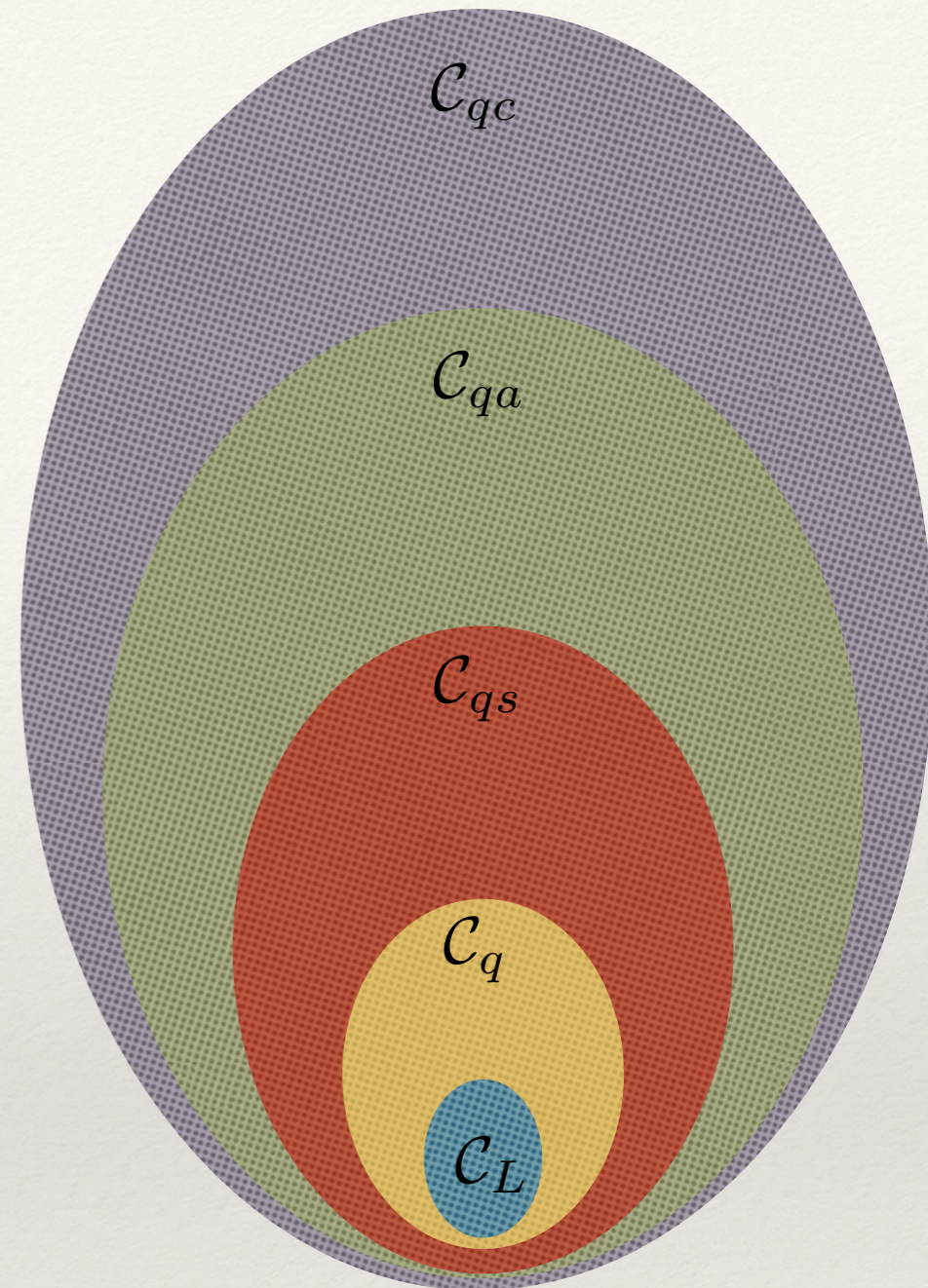
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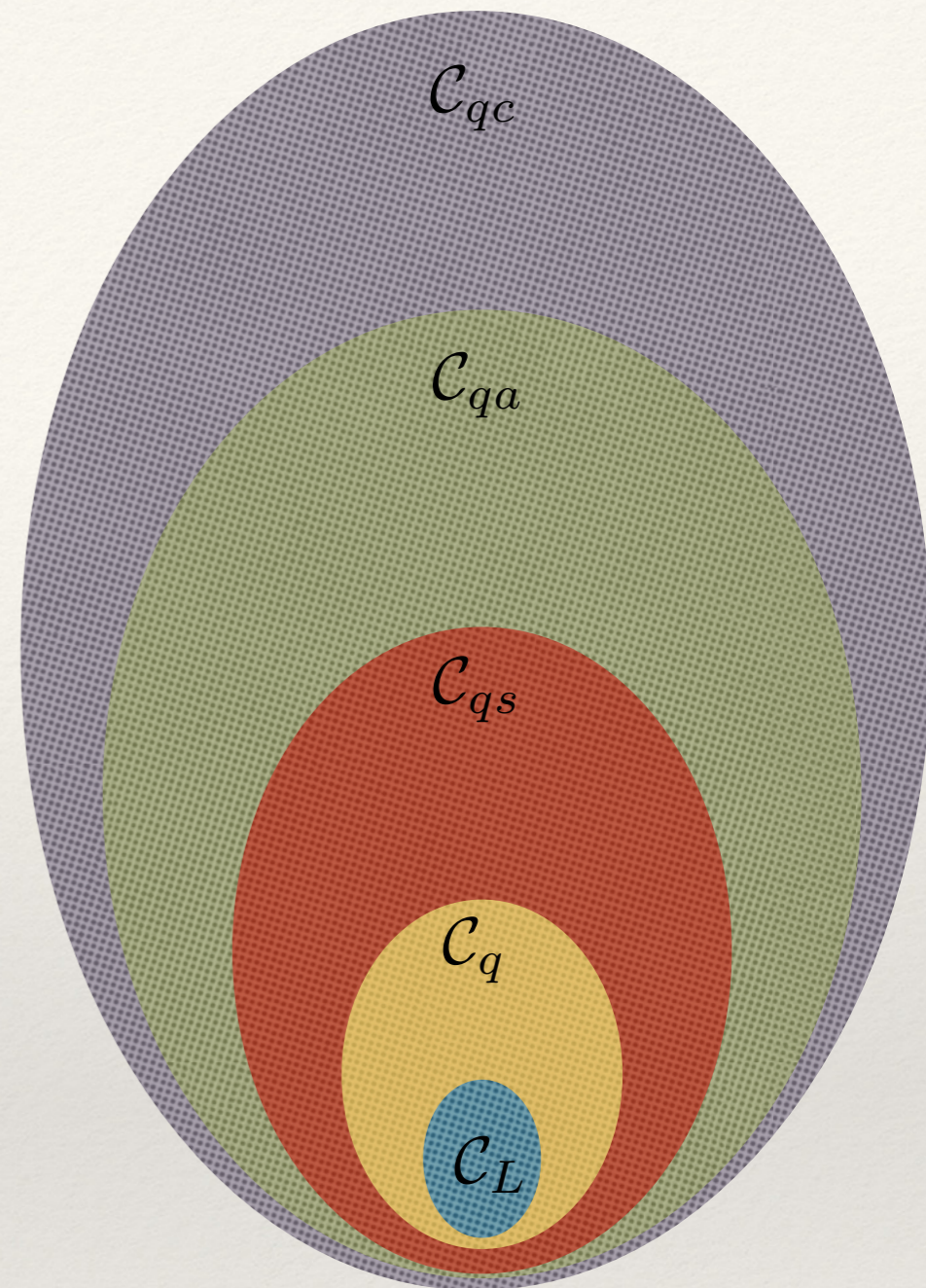


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All inclusions are strict

Our results: Improvements in $\mathcal{C}_q \neq \mathcal{C}_{qs}$ and $\mathcal{C}_{qa} \neq \mathcal{C}_{qs}$

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Given $|\psi\rangle$ the tilted-CHSH game can be played in two different ways!

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[Van Dam & Hayden, arXiv:quant-ph/0201041]

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Harmonic
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