

Exercise (analytic)

Question: prove recursively the orthogonality of the $n + 1^{\text{th}}$ Lanczos vector $|\Phi_{n+1}\rangle$ w.r.t all previous ones.

Numerics on (quantum) XY and Heisenberg chain

- Power method: Calculate the GS energy per site $e_0(L)$ for rings of size L = 6, 8, 10, 12 etc...
- Check the finite size scaling of $e_0(L)$?
- Lanczos method: check the convergence of the lowest 10 eigenenergies of a small Heisenberg ring with the number of iterations (for fixed Sz and k).
- Compute the dispersion of the lowest triplet excitations and compare with Des Cloizeaux-Pearson (1962) exact expression.