



NOISE-RESILIENT
VARIATIONAL
HYBRID
QUANTUM-
CLASSICAL
OPTIMIZATION

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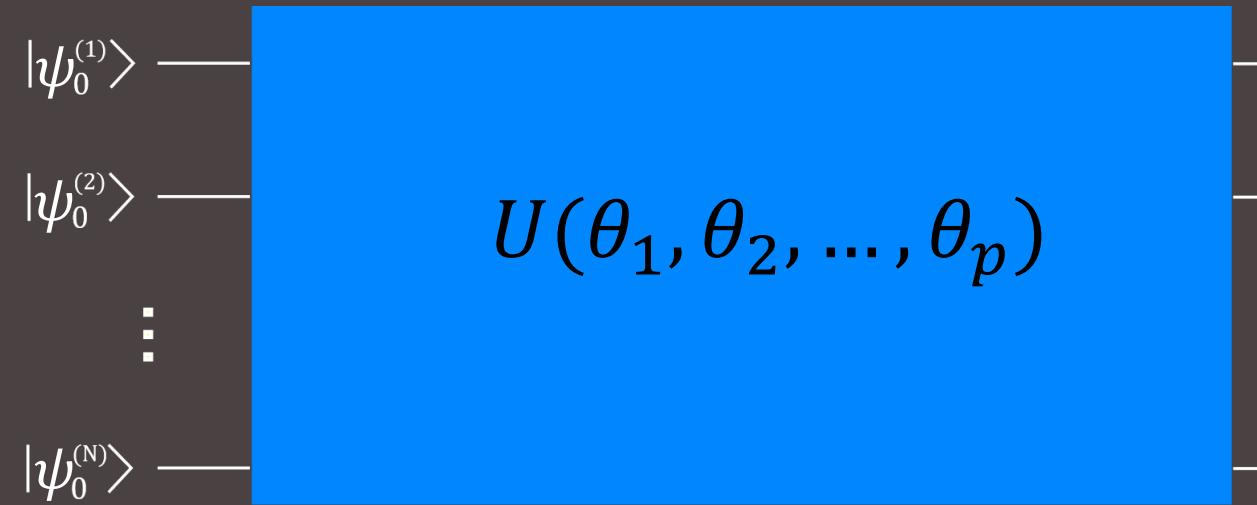


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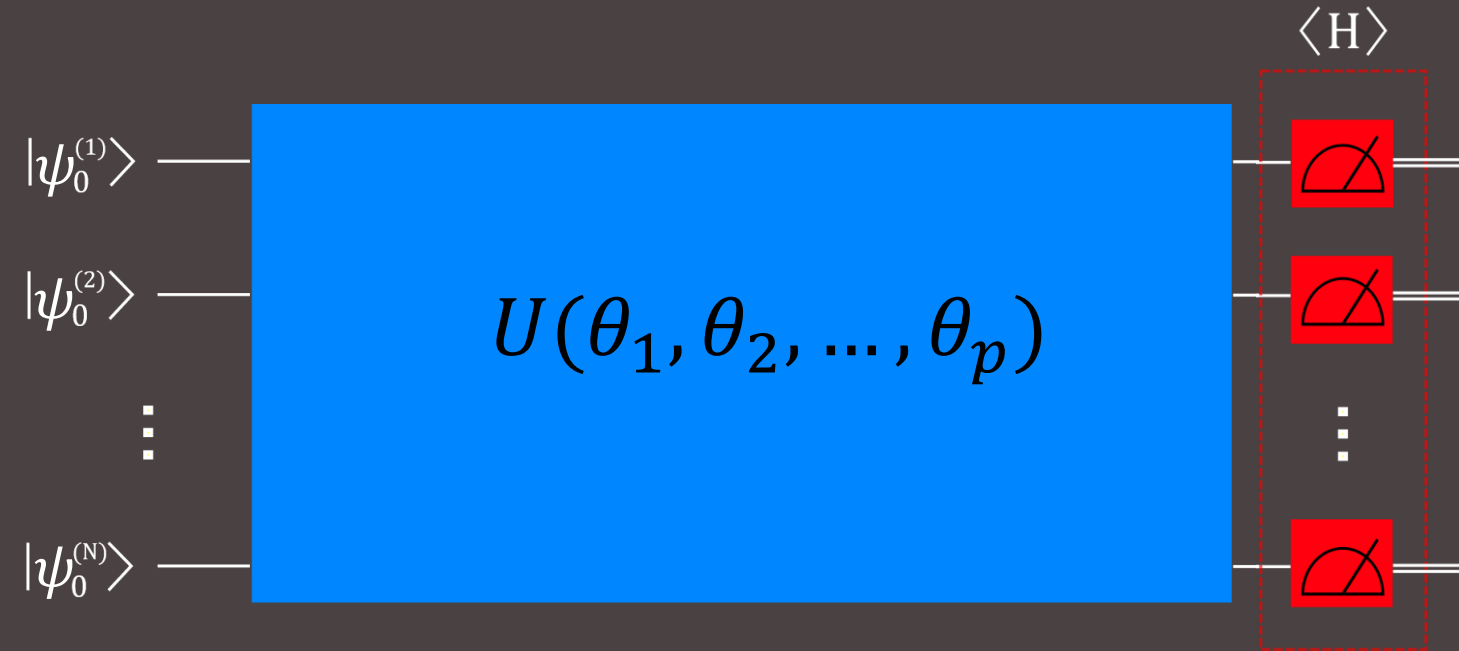


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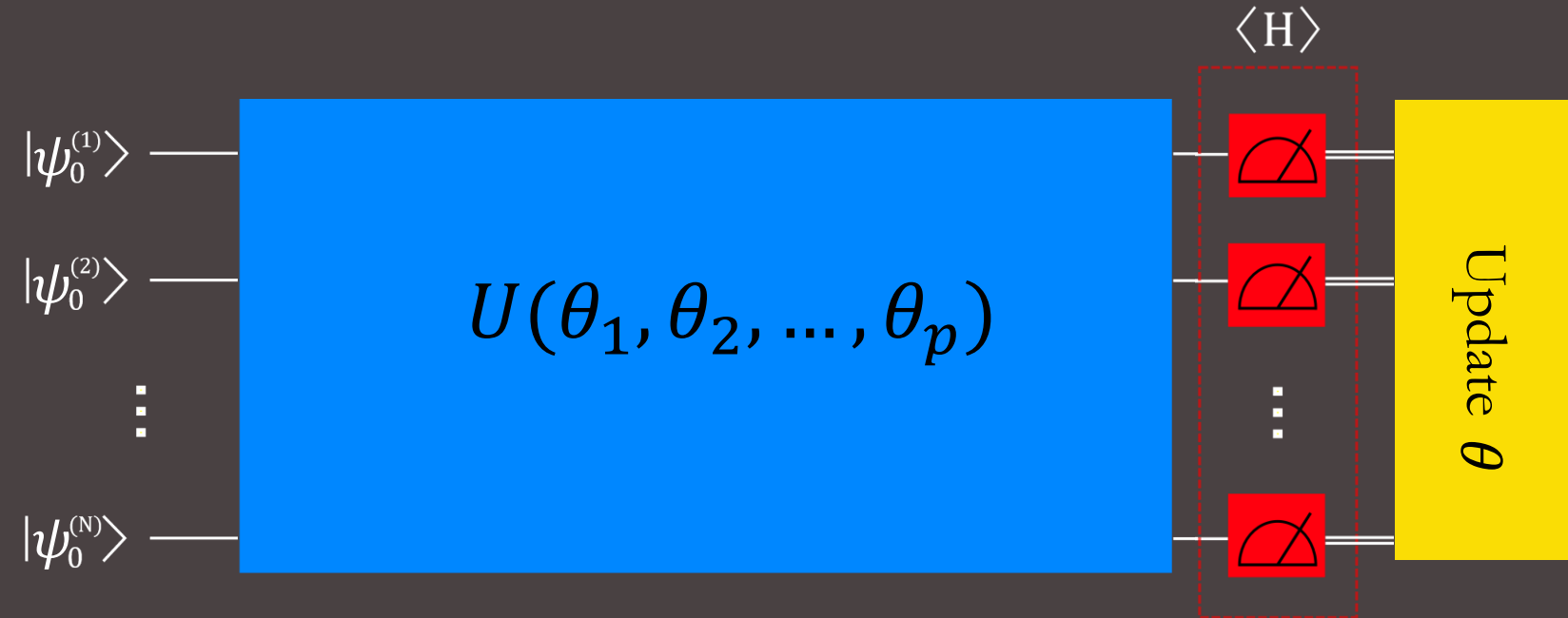


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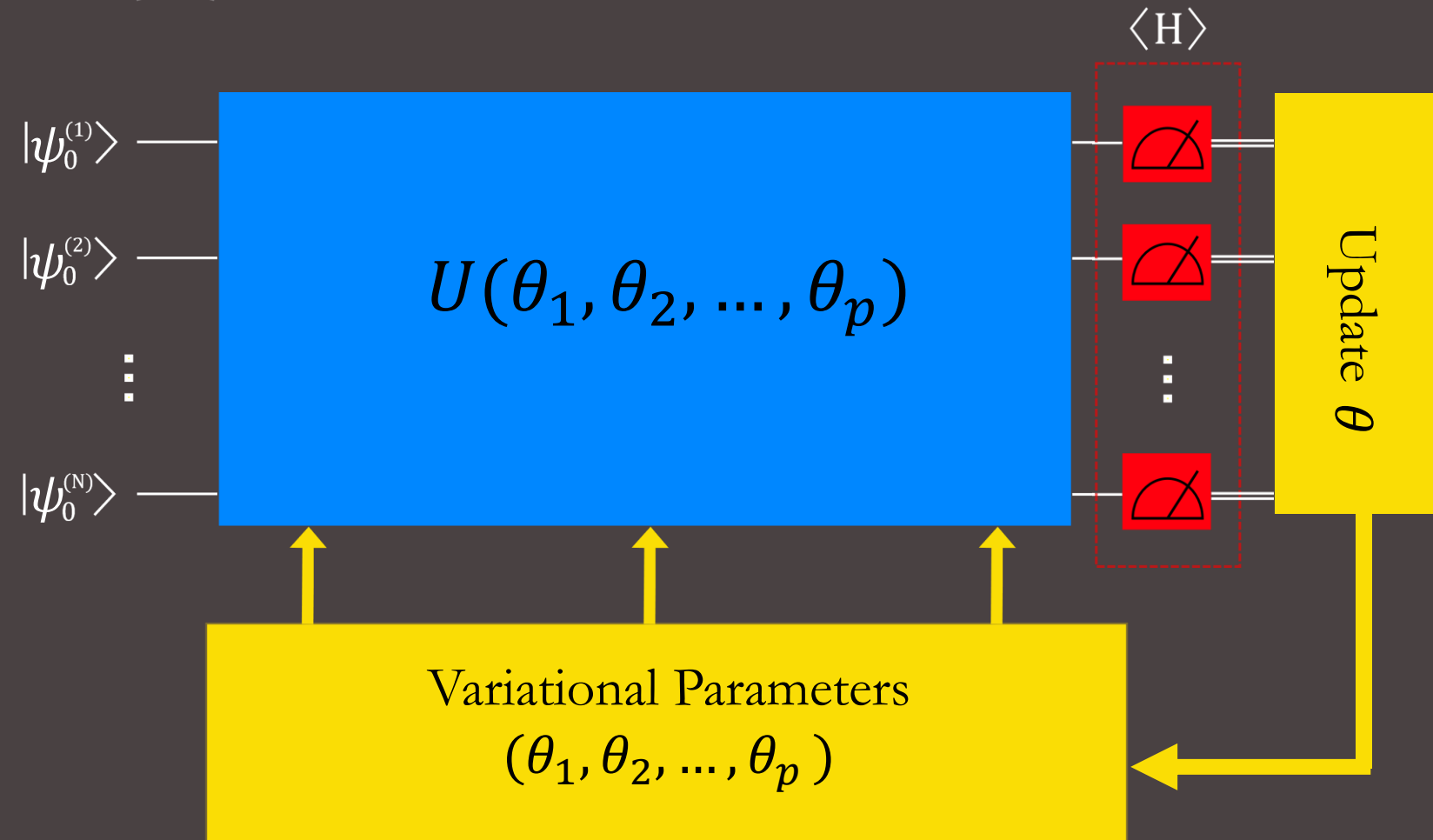
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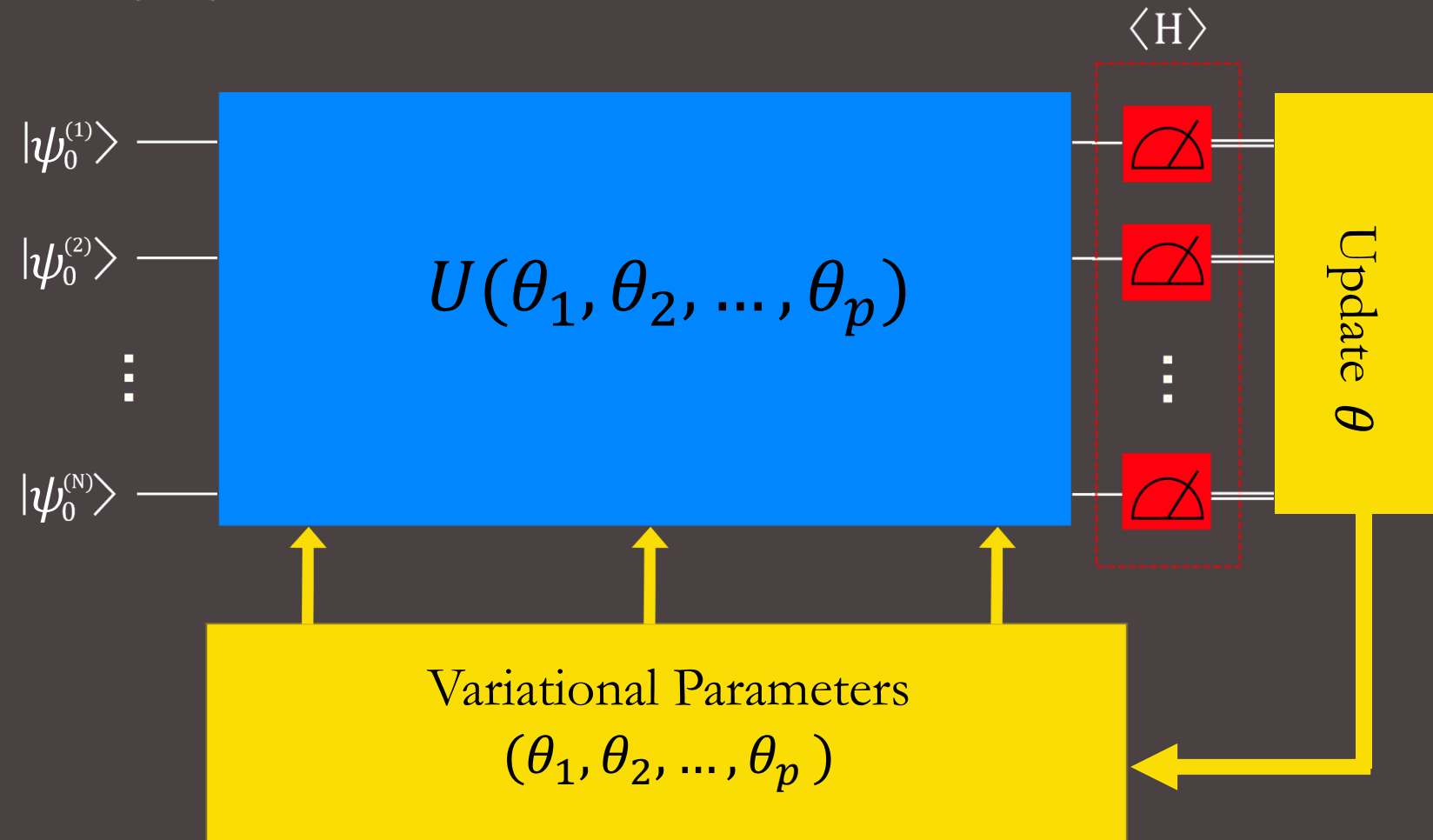
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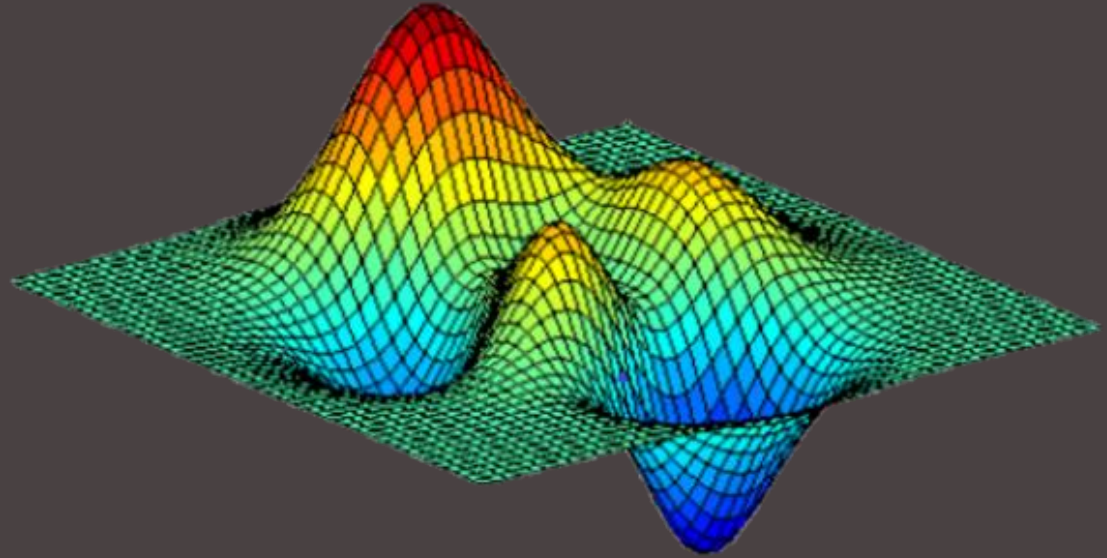
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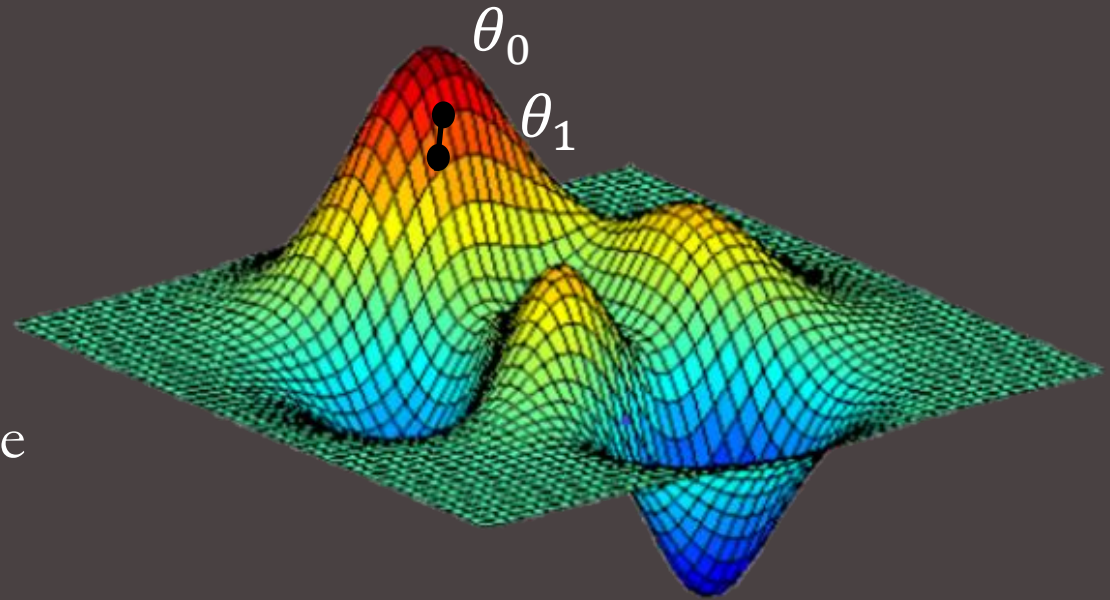


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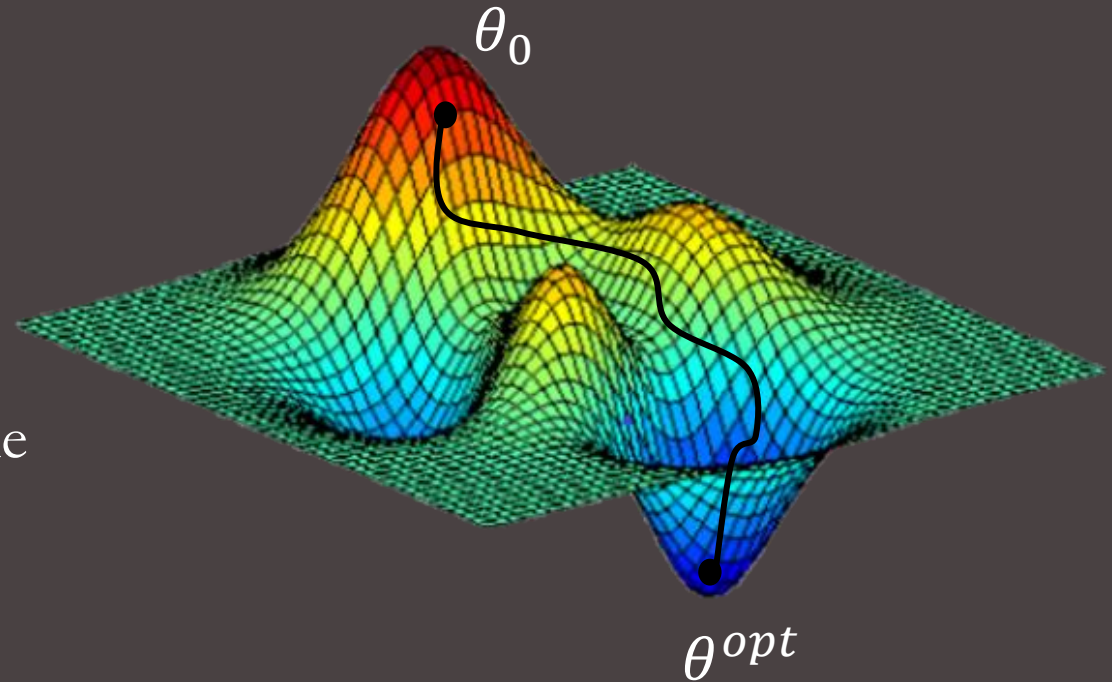


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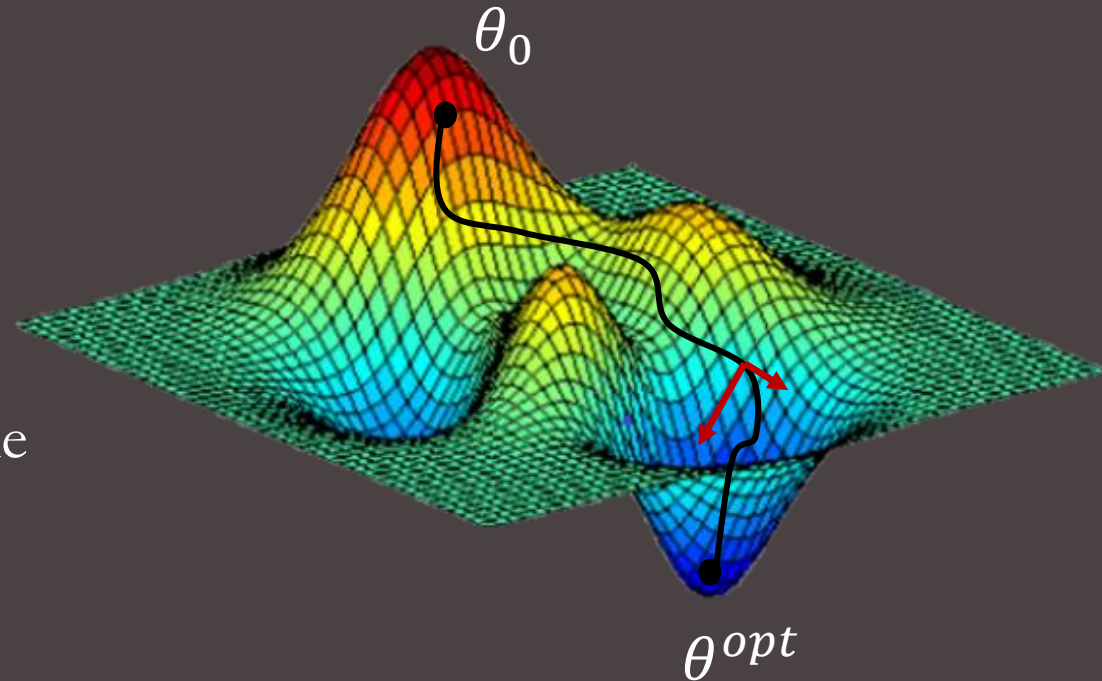


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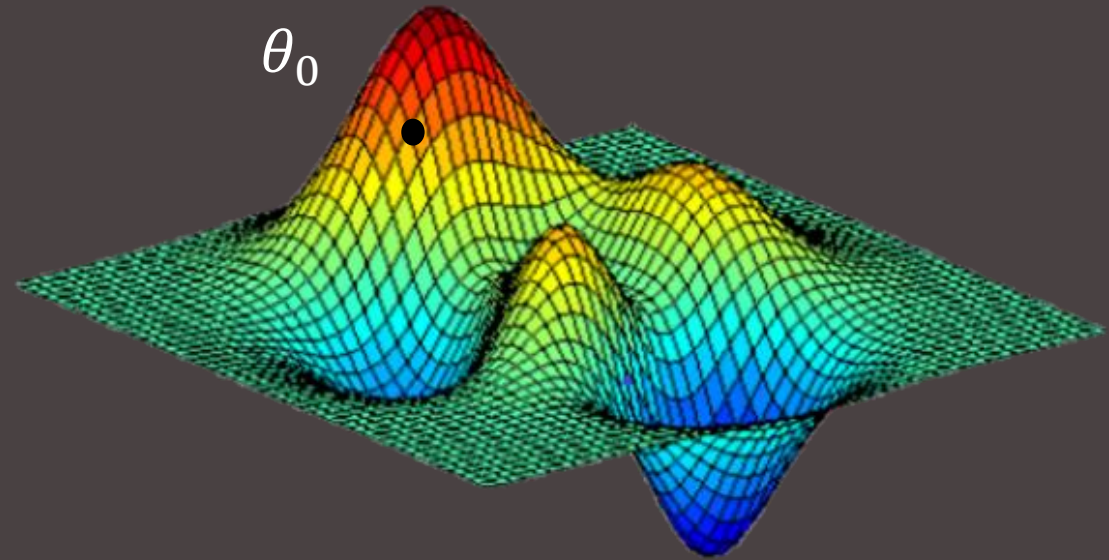
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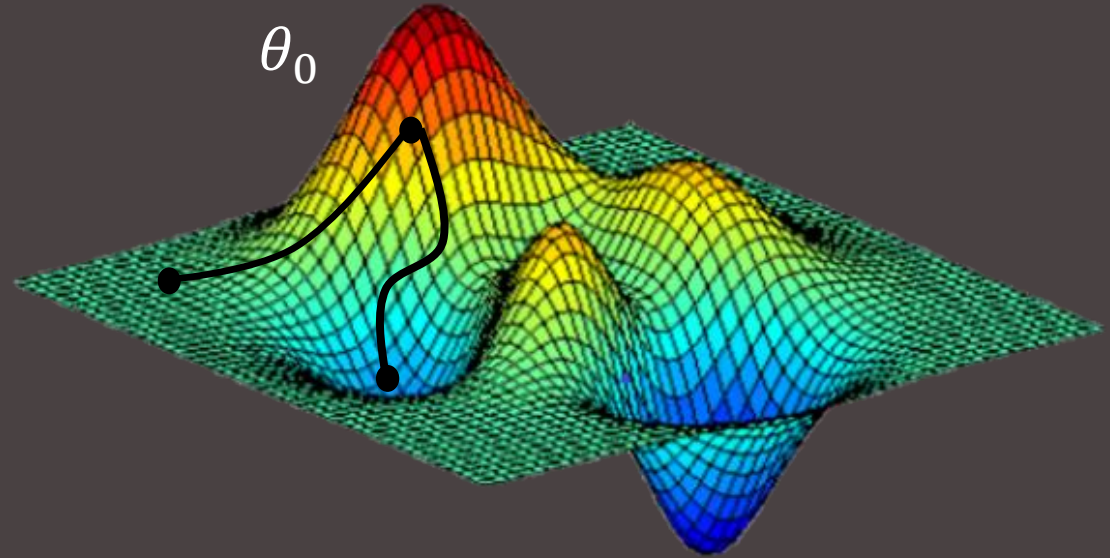




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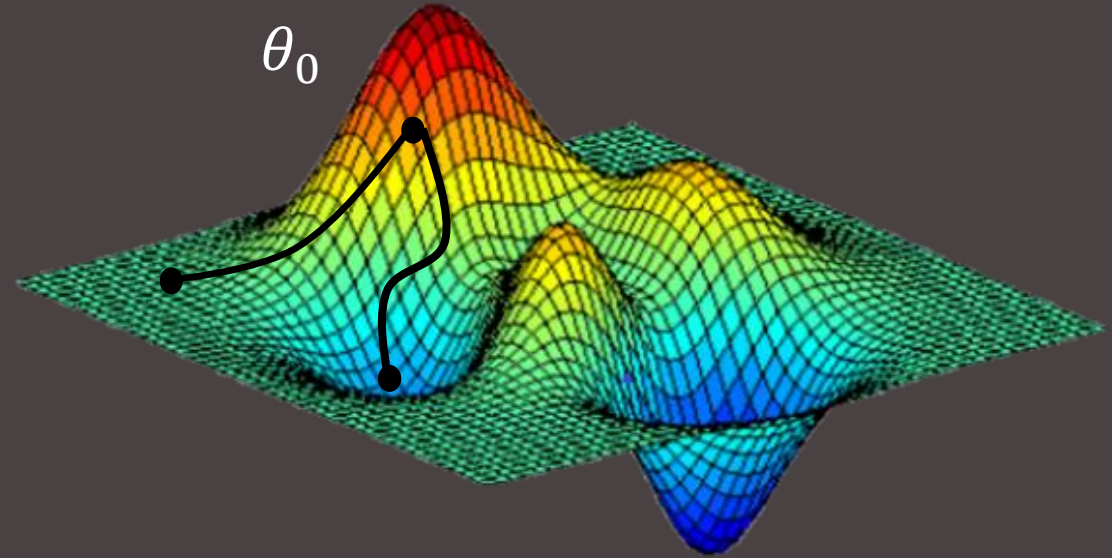


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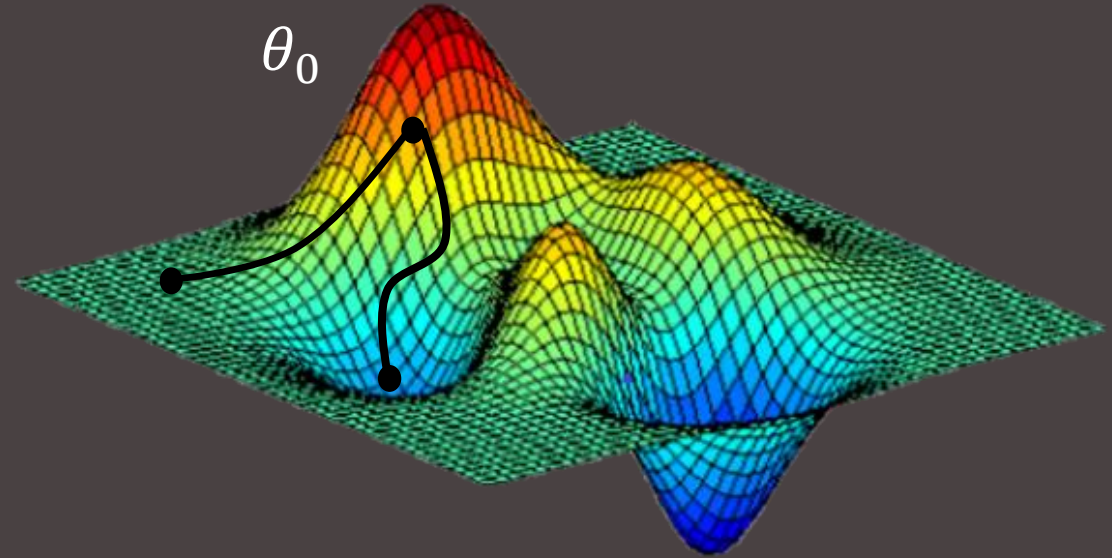


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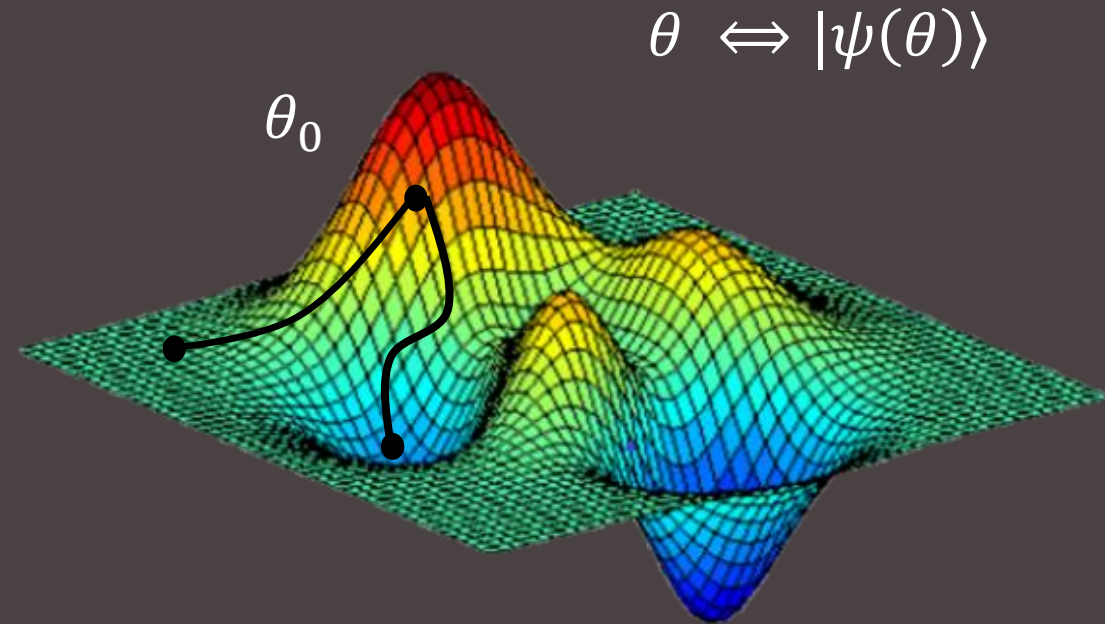


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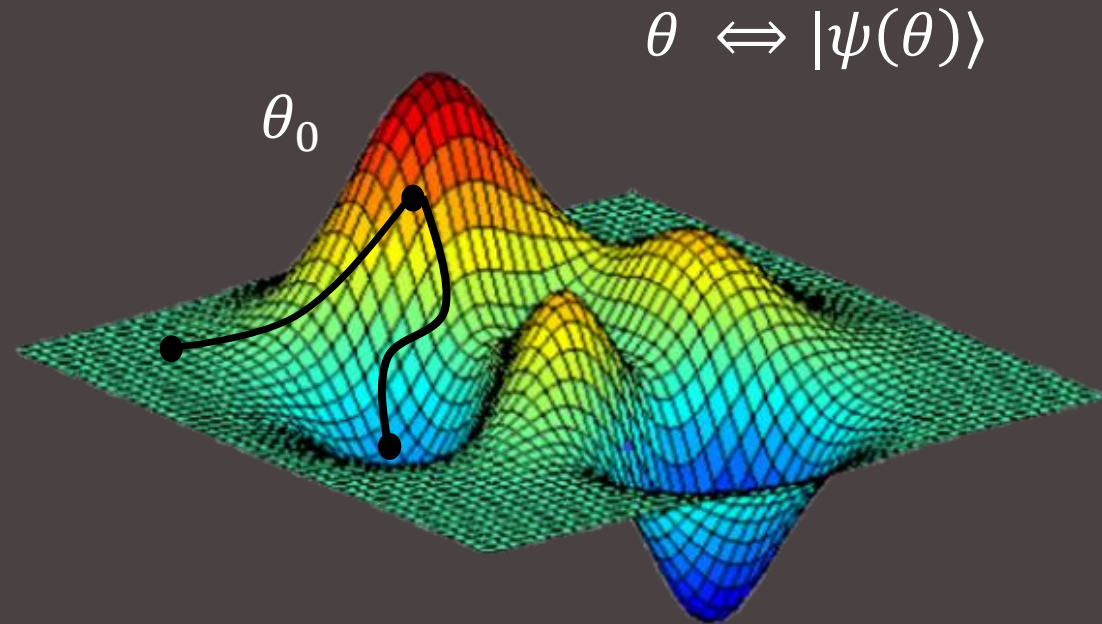


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Convergence
Role of Noise and outcomes } geometrical point of view?



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Tradeoff → Noise can help to explore parameter space AND to bound the error

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