# A Quantum $\sqrt{\text { NOT }}$ Gate <br> - 0 <br> 1 <br>  <br> $|0\rangle-\sqrt{X}-\frac{|0\rangle+|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$ <br>  <br> Classical Bit Qubit <br> $|1\rangle-\sqrt{X}-\frac{|0\rangle-|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$ <br> <br> Quantum Gate Computing Basics 

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## Structure of a Quantum Machine Learning Algorithm



Quantum


Input encoding


Quantum system
state preparation
$\downarrow$
unitary evolution
$\downarrow$
measurement

## Algorithm Type




# All the methods discussed in the lectures you had over the last 2 weeks 



Classical data processed via quantum algorithms on quantum devices

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## Encoding



## State of a quantum system

basis encoding of binary string $(1,0)$,
i.e. representing integer 2

$$
|\psi\rangle=\alpha_{0}|00\rangle+\alpha_{1}|01\rangle+\alpha_{2}|10\rangle+\alpha_{3}|11\rangle
$$

amplitude encoding of unit-length
complex vector ( $\alpha_{0}, \alpha_{1}, \alpha_{2}, \alpha_{3}$ )
data encoding in different parts of the state and operator description

## Basis encoding:

maps a collection of items into the states forming an orthonormal basis of the Hilbert space of the considered quantum system.

The orthonormal basis $\{|x\rangle\} x \in X$, called computational basis, is made by the eigenstates of a reference observable measured on the considered quantum system. For instance, a bit can be encoded into a qubit by the mapping $0 \rightarrow|0\rangle, 1 \rightarrow|1\rangle$. Then the $n$-bit strings ( $x_{1} \cdots x_{n}$ ) can be encoded into the states of $n$ qubits forming an orthonormal basis of a $2^{n}$-dimensional Hilbert space $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{n}}$ :

$$
\mathbb{B}^{n} \ni\left(x_{1} \cdots x_{n}\right) \mapsto\left|x_{1} \cdots x_{n}\right\rangle \in \mathrm{H}_{n}
$$

[^0]Binary encoding into basis states

Represent numbers as binaries, each binary digit requires a qubit
basis vector coefficient $\{0,1\}$


## Time-Evolution Encoding

Associates the input data value $\times$ with the time evolution parameter $\dagger$

$$
U(x)=e^{-i x H}
$$

In quantum machine learning, this kind of encoding is particularly popular when encoding classical trainable parameters into a quantum circuit. The most common choice are the Pauli rotation gates, in which $H=\frac{1}{2} \sigma_{a}$ and $a \in\{x, y, z\}$. Successive gates or evolutions of the form $U(x)$ can be used to encode a real-valued vector $x \in R^{N}$
data
-0.438
Encoded with RY gate applied to initial state 10>

$$
\begin{aligned}
|\psi(-0.438)\rangle & =\cos (-0.438 / 2)|0\rangle+\sin (-0.438 / 2)|1\rangle \\
& \approx 0.976|0\rangle-0.217|1\rangle
\end{aligned}
$$

sine/cosine structure typical for Time-Evolution Encoding $\rightarrow$ leads to Fourier-type dependence of amplitudes on the inputs

## Angle/Rotation encoding

When used on an $n$-qubit circuit, this feature map of angle encoding can take up to $n$ numerical inputs $x_{1}, \ldots, x_{n}$. The action of its circuit consists in the application of a rotation gate on each qubit $j$ parametrised by the value $x_{j}$. In this feature map, we are using the $x_{j}$ values as angles in the rotations, hence the name of the encoding.

Example


In example of simple Pauli-X rotation, transforms real-valued N dimensional input vector $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{N}$ as

$$
\phi_{1}(\mathbf{x})=\left(\begin{array}{c}
\sin \left(x_{1}\right) \sin \left(x_{2}\right) \ldots \sin \left(x_{N}\right) \\
\sin \left(x_{1}\right) \sin \left(x_{2}\right) \ldots \cos \left(x_{N}\right) \\
\vdots \\
\cos \left(x_{1}\right) \cos \left(x_{2}\right) \ldots \sin \left(x_{N}\right) \\
\cos \left(x_{1}\right) \cos \left(x_{2}\right) \ldots \cos \left(x_{N}\right)
\end{array}\right)
$$

encoding can be repeated multiple times, e.g.

$$
\phi_{1}(\mathbf{x}) \otimes \cdots \otimes \phi_{1}(\mathbf{x})=\left(\begin{array}{c}
x_{1} x_{1} \ldots x_{1} \\
x_{1} x_{1} \ldots x_{2} \\
\vdots \\
x_{N} x_{N} \ldots x_{N}
\end{array}\right)
$$

$\longrightarrow$ results in non-linearities and higher expressivity of model
$\longrightarrow$ repeated encoding used to show universal approximation theorem for variational quantum circuits

## Hamiltonian Encoding:

For some applications, it can be useful to encode matrices into the Hamiltonian of a time evolution. The basic idea is to associate a Hamiltonian $H$ with a square matrix $\mathbf{A}$. In case $\mathbf{A}$ is not Hermitian, one can sometimes use the trick of encoding

$$
H_{\mathbf{A}}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
0 & \mathbf{A} \\
\mathbf{A}^{\dagger} & 0
\end{array}\right)
$$

instead, and to perform the computations in two subspaces of the Hilbert space. Hamiltonian encoding allows us to extract and process the eigenvalues of $A$, for example, to multiply $\mathbf{A}$ or $\mathbf{A}^{-1}$ with an amplitude-encoded vector.

## Amplitude encoding:

Represent classical data as amplitudes of a quantum state

$$
\left|\psi_{\mathbf{x}}\right\rangle=\sum_{i=1}^{d} x_{i}\left|\phi_{i}\right\rangle \in \mathrm{H}
$$

or for composite systems with $\quad \sum_{i j}\left|a_{i j}\right|^{2}=1$

$$
\left|\psi_{A}\right\rangle=\sum_{i, j=1}^{d} a_{i j}\left|\phi_{i}\right\rangle \otimes\left|\phi_{j}\right\rangle \in \mathrm{H} \otimes \mathrm{H}
$$

Example:

$$
\begin{gathered}
\text { data vector } \begin{array}{c}
\text { normalised and padded data vect } \\
\mathbf{x}=(0.1,-0.6,1.0) \longrightarrow \\
\mathbf{x}=(0.073,-0.438,0.730,0.000) \\
\downarrow
\end{array} \\
\text { quantum state } \\
\left|\psi_{\mathbf{x}}\right\rangle=0.073|00\rangle-0.438|01\rangle+0.730|10\rangle+0|11\rangle
\end{gathered}
$$

This could also be encoded as a matrix A

$$
\mathbf{A}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
0.073 & -0.438 \\
0.730 & 0.000
\end{array}\right)
$$

Amplitude encoding uses much less qubits than basis encoding, however, routines to prepare amplitude vectors can be costly

## Qsample encoding:

Given a probability distribution $p$ on the finite set $X$, it can be encoded in the state:

$$
\left|\psi_{p}\right\rangle=\sum_{x \in X} \sqrt{p(x)}|x\rangle \in \mathrm{H}
$$

Repeated measurements on the state $|\psi p\rangle$ with respect to the computational basis allow to sample the distribution $p$.

In a sense a hybrid case of basis and amplitude encoding since the information is represented by amplitudes, but the features are encoded in the qubits.

## visualisation of data encoding



| Equboding |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Basis | $N \tau$ | Runtime | Input type |
| Amplitude | $\log N$ | $\mathcal{O}(N \tau)$ | Single input (binary) |
| Angle | $N$ | $\mathcal{O}(N) / \mathcal{O}(\log (N))^{\mathrm{a}}$ | Single input |
| Hamiltonian | $\log N$ | $\mathcal{O}(N)$ | Single input |
| ${ }^{\text {a Only applies under strict assumptions. see Schuld \& Petruccione }}$ |  |  |  |

Encoding can be important for runtime of algo - crucial aspect of QC


## Quantum Circuits



Recover information of the target state


Classical quantum circuit simulator
(b)


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## Need transition form classical to quantum:

$\bigcirc 0$
Classical
bits

Classical Bit
gates
algorithms

Quantum


Qubit

## quantum algorithms



## Single-Qubit Quantum Gates

Illustrative to write single-qubit operation as matrices
X-Gate: Quantum equivalent to classical NOT gate

$$
\begin{aligned}
|0\rangle & \mapsto|1\rangle \\
|1\rangle & \mapsto|0\rangle
\end{aligned}
$$

$\longrightarrow$ Flips $\mid 0>$ to $\mid 1>$ and vice versa (hopping)
Represented by matrix $\quad \mathbf{X}=\left(\begin{array}{ll}0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0\end{array}\right)$
concretely $\quad \mathbf{X}|0\rangle=\left(\begin{array}{ll}0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0\end{array}\right)\binom{1}{0}=\binom{0}{1}=|1\rangle$

It is unitary $\quad \mathbf{X X}^{\dagger}=\mathbf{X X}^{-1}=\mathbb{1}$

Z-Gate: $\quad$ Represented by matrix $\quad\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1\end{array}\right)$
Action

$$
\begin{array}{lr}
|0\rangle \mapsto & |0\rangle \\
|1\rangle \mapsto & -|1\rangle
\end{array}
$$

$\longrightarrow$ Eigenvalues +- 1

Note, the $X, Y$ and $Z$ gates are represented by the Pauli matrices

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sigma_{x}=\left(\begin{array}{ll}
0 & 1 \\
1 & 0
\end{array}\right) \quad \sigma_{y}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
0 & -i \\
i & 0
\end{array}\right) \quad \sigma_{z}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
1 & 0 \\
0 & -1
\end{array}\right) \quad\left[\sigma_{i}, \sigma_{j}\right]=2 i \epsilon_{i j k} \sigma_{k} \\
& \operatorname{det} \sigma_{j}=-1 \\
& \operatorname{tr} \sigma_{j}=0 .
\end{aligned} \quad \sigma_{1}^{2}=\sigma_{2}^{2}=\sigma_{3}^{2}=-i \sigma_{1} \sigma_{2} \sigma_{3}=\left(\begin{array}{ll}
1 & 0 \\
0 & 1
\end{array}\right)=I .
$$

Hadamard gate: $\quad$ Matrix representation $\quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1\end{array}\right)$

$$
\begin{aligned}
\text { Action: } \quad|0\rangle & \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle+|1\rangle) \longleftrightarrow|+\rangle:=\frac{|0\rangle+|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \\
|1\rangle & \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle-|1\rangle) \longleftrightarrow|-\rangle:=\frac{|0\rangle-|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}
\end{aligned}
$$

Phase gate: Matrix representation $\quad P_{\phi}:=\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i \phi}\end{array}\right)$

With special phase values

$$
S:=P_{\pi / 2} \quad T:=P_{\pi / 4} \quad R:=P_{-\pi / 4}
$$

## Summary of fixed 1-qubit gates:

| Gate | Circuit representation | Matrix representation | Dirac representation |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $X$ | $-X-$ | $\left(\begin{array}{ll}0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0\end{array}\right)$ | $\|1\rangle\langle 0\|+\|0\rangle\langle 1\|$ |
| $Y$ | $-Y-$ | $\left(\begin{array}{cc}0 & -i \\ i & 0\end{array}\right)$ | $i\|1\rangle\langle 0\|-i\|0\rangle\langle 1\|$ |
| $Z$ | $-Z-$ | $\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1\end{array}\right)$ | $\|1\rangle\langle 0\|-\|0\rangle\langle 1\|$ |
| $H$ | $-H-$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1\end{array}\right)$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\|0\rangle+\|1\rangle)\langle 0\|+\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\|0\rangle-\|1\rangle)\langle 1\|$ |
| $S$ | $-S-$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\begin{array}{ll}1 & 0 \\ 0 & i\end{array}\right)$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\|0\rangle\langle 0\|+\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} i\|1\rangle\langle 1\|$ |
| $T$ | $-T-$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\begin{array}{cc}1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{(-i \pi / 4)}\end{array}\right)$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\|0\rangle\langle 0\|+\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{(-i \pi / 4)}\|1\rangle\langle 1\|$ |

## Quantum gate can be parametrised

## Pauli rotations:

$$
\begin{aligned}
R_{x}(\theta)=e^{-i \frac{\theta}{2} \sigma_{x}}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
\cos \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) & -i \sin \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \\
-i \sin \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) & \cos \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)
\end{array}\right)=\cos \frac{\theta}{2} I-i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} X \\
R_{y}(\theta)=e^{-i \frac{\theta}{2} \sigma_{y}}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
\cos \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) & -\sin \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \\
\sin \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) & \cos \left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)
\end{array}\right)=\cos \frac{\theta}{2} I-i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} Y \\
R_{z}(\theta)=e^{-i \frac{\theta}{2} \sigma_{z}}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
e^{-i \frac{\theta}{2}} & 0 \\
0 & e^{i \frac{\theta}{2}}
\end{array}\right)=\cos \frac{\theta}{2} I-i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} Z
\end{aligned}
$$

generalised form via $R\left(\theta_{1}, \theta_{2}, \theta_{3}\right)=R_{z}\left(\theta_{1}\right) R_{y}\left(\theta_{2}\right) R_{z}\left(\theta_{3}\right)$

$$
R\left(\theta_{1}, \theta_{2}, \theta_{3}\right)=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
e^{i\left(-\frac{\theta_{1}}{\theta_{1}}-\frac{\theta_{3}}{2}\right)} \cos \left(\frac{\theta_{2}}{2}\right) & -e^{i\left(\frac{\theta_{1}}{2}+\frac{\theta_{3}}{2}\right)} \sin \left(\frac{\theta_{2}}{2}\right) \\
e^{i\left(\frac{\theta_{1}}{2}-\frac{\theta_{3}}{2}\right)} \sin \left(\frac{\theta_{2}}{2}\right) & e^{i\left(\frac{\theta_{1}}{2}+\frac{\theta_{3}}{2}\right)} \cos \left(\frac{\theta_{2}}{2}\right)
\end{array}\right)
$$

## Measurement process

Measurement process of a generic (normalised) qubit state $|\psi\rangle=\alpha_{0}|0\rangle+\alpha_{1}|1\rangle$
represented by projection onto eigenstates $P_{0}=|0\rangle\langle 0|$ and $P_{1}=|1\rangle\langle 1|$
Prob of measurement outcome 0 is then $p(0)=\operatorname{tr}\left(P_{0}|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|\right)=\langle\psi| P_{0}|\psi\rangle=\left|\alpha_{0}\right|^{2}$

$$
\text { and } p(1)=\left|\alpha_{1}\right|^{2}
$$

After measurement qubit is in state $\quad|\psi\rangle \leftarrow \frac{P_{0}|\psi\rangle}{\sqrt{\langle\psi| P_{0}|\psi\rangle}}=|0\rangle$

The observable corresponding to a computational basis measurement is Pauli-Z observable

$$
\sigma_{z}=|0\rangle\langle 0|-|1\rangle\langle 1| \quad \text { (we know eigenvalues }+1 \text { for }|0\rangle \text { and }-1 \text { for }|1\rangle \text { ) }
$$

The expectation value $\left\langle\sigma_{z}\right\rangle$ in a value in [-1, 1]. Its error can be estimated as sampling from a Bernoulli distribution.

Wald interval gives
(suited for large s and $\mathrm{p} \sim 0.5$ )

stat. z-value

$\rightarrow$ For $\epsilon=0.1$ and conf level $99 \%$ one needs 167 samples For $\epsilon=0.01$ and conf level $99 \%$ one needs 17,000 samples
$\rightarrow$ Overall might need a large number of shots on quantum computer This needs to be taken into account when comparing quantum and classical computers in terms of speedups and quantum advantage

## The Bloch Sphere

Since $\quad|\psi\rangle=\alpha|0\rangle+\beta|1\rangle \quad$ with $\quad|\alpha|^{2}+|\beta|^{2}=1$ one can find angles such that

$$
\alpha=e^{i \gamma} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \quad \beta=e^{i \delta} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}
$$

Thus, with $\phi=\delta-\gamma$ single qubit can be parametrised as

$$
|\psi\rangle=e^{(i \gamma)}\left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2}|0\rangle+e^{(i \phi)} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}|1\rangle\right)
$$


$(\sin \theta \cos \phi, \sin \theta \sin \phi, \cos \phi)$
where a global imaginary phase has no measurable effect and can be omitted.

## 2-qubit states

Are built by tensor products, each qubit can be in state |0> or in state |1>
So, for two qubits we have four possibilities:

$$
|0\rangle \otimes|0\rangle,|0\rangle \otimes|1\rangle,|1\rangle \otimes|0\rangle,|1\rangle \otimes|1\rangle
$$

that we denote

$$
|0\rangle|0\rangle,|0\rangle|1\rangle,|1\rangle|0\rangle,|1\rangle|1\rangle
$$

or

$$
|00\rangle,|01\rangle,|10\rangle,|11\rangle
$$

We can have superposition as a generic state

$$
|\psi\rangle=\alpha_{00}|00\rangle+\alpha_{01}|01\rangle+\alpha_{10}|10\rangle+\alpha_{11}|11\rangle
$$

with complex coefficients such that $\sum_{x, y=0}^{1}\left|\alpha_{x y}\right|^{2}=1$

## 2-qubit states

Furthermore, we can express the state as a vector

$$
\left(\begin{array}{l}
\alpha_{00} \\
\alpha_{01} \\
\alpha_{10} \\
\alpha_{11}
\end{array}\right)
$$

For which we find the inner products

$$
\begin{gathered}
\langle 00 \mid 00\rangle=\langle 01 \mid 01\rangle=\langle 10 \mid 10\rangle=\langle 11 \mid 11\rangle=1 \\
\langle 00 \mid 01\rangle=\langle 00 \mid 10\rangle=\langle 00 \mid 11\rangle=\cdots=\langle 11 \mid 00\rangle=0
\end{gathered}
$$

A 2-qubit quantum gate is a unitary matrix $U$ of size $4 \times 4$

## 2-qubit gates

CNOT gate:
unitary matrix representation $\quad\left(\begin{array}{llll}0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0\end{array}\right)$
In words: if the first qubit is $\mid 0>$ nothing changes. If it is $\mid 1>$ we flip the second bit (and first stays the same)

Action:

$$
\begin{aligned}
|00\rangle & \rightarrow|00\rangle & & |01\rangle
\end{aligned} \rightarrow|01\rangle
$$

As a gate: $\quad x, y \in\{0,1\} \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} & |x\rangle \longrightarrow \backsim|x\rangle \\ & |y\rangle \longrightarrow \oint\end{aligned}|y \oplus x\rangle$

- A set of gates that can approximate any quantum operation -> Universal quantum computer
e.g. Rotation gates $R_{x}(\theta), R_{y}(\theta), R_{z}(\theta)+$ phase shift gate $P(\varphi)+$ CNOT

The CNOT gate is an extremely important gate

- It realises conditional probabilities
- It creates entanglement

- It can copy classical information, because

$$
\begin{aligned}
|00\rangle & \rightarrow|00\rangle \\
|10\rangle & \rightarrow|11\rangle
\end{aligned}
$$

- Constructs other control gates


## SWAP gate

Can swap two qubits.
In basis $|00\rangle,|01\rangle,|10\rangle,|11\rangle$
it is represented by $\quad\left(\begin{array}{llll}1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1\end{array}\right)$

In gate notation:


Can be decomposed by Pauli operators

$$
\mathrm{SWAP}=\frac{I \otimes I+X \otimes X+Y \otimes Y+Z \otimes Z}{2}
$$

## N-qubit states

When we have $n$ qubits, each of them can be in state $|0\rangle$ or |1>
Thus for $n$ qubit states we have $2^{\wedge} n$ possibilities:

$$
|00 \ldots 0\rangle,|00 \ldots 1\rangle, \ldots,|11 \ldots 1\rangle
$$

or simply

$$
|0\rangle,|1\rangle, \ldots,\left|2^{n}-1\right\rangle
$$

A generic state of the system will be

$$
|\psi\rangle=\alpha_{0}|0\rangle+\alpha_{1}|1\rangle+\ldots+\alpha_{2^{n}-1}\left|2^{n}-1\right\rangle
$$

With complex coefficients, such that $\quad \sum_{i=0}^{2^{n}-1}\left|\alpha_{i}\right|^{2}=1$

Suppose we have the $N$ qubit state

$$
|\psi\rangle=\alpha_{0}|0\rangle+\alpha_{1}|1\rangle+\ldots+\alpha_{2^{n}-1}\left|2^{n}-1\right\rangle
$$

If we measure all its qubits, we obtain:

- 0 with probability $\left|\alpha_{0}\right|^{2}$ and the new state will be $|0 \ldots 00\rangle$
- 1 with probability $\left|\alpha_{1}\right|^{2}$ and the new state will be $|0 \ldots 01\rangle$
- ...
- $2^{n}-1$ with probability $\left|\alpha_{2^{n}-1}\right|^{2}$ and the new state is $|1 \ldots 11\rangle$

Completely analogous to 1 and 2 qubit situation but now with $2^{n}$ possibilities

## Toffoli gate (CCNOT)

controls from two qubits

Matrix representation

$$
\left(\begin{array}{llllllll}
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0
\end{array}\right)
$$

Truth table


Toffoli gate can also be decomposed into Pauli operators

$$
\text { Toff }=e^{i \frac{\pi}{8}\left(I-Z_{1}\right)\left(I-Z_{2}\right)\left(I-X_{3}\right)}=e^{-i \frac{\pi}{8}\left(I-Z_{1}\right)\left(I-Z_{2}\right)\left(I-X_{3}\right)}
$$

## Example: Turning a Hamiltonian term into a gate

Recall


Assume, universal gate operations on device are $\left\{H, R_{Z}, C X\right\}$

Example 1 Assume $H_{1}=Z \longrightarrow U=e^{-i Z t} \longrightarrow$
Example 2 Assume $H_{2}=X \longrightarrow$ since $H X H=Z \Rightarrow X=H Z H$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \rightarrow U=H e^{-i Z t} H \quad \text { (proof via CBH Formula) } \\
& \rightarrow H \quad R_{Z}(2 t) \quad H
\end{aligned}
$$

## Example 3

$$
H=Z \otimes Z
$$

$$
\text { note } e^{-Z \otimes Z t} \neq e^{-i Z t} \otimes e^{-i Z t}
$$

$$
\text { with }(Z \otimes Z)^{2}=\mathbb{I} \text { one finds } e^{i(Z \otimes Z) t}=\cos (t) \mathbb{I}-i \sin (t) Z \otimes Z
$$

for the action on states we find

$$
\begin{aligned}
e^{i(Z \otimes Z) t}|00\rangle & =(\cos (t) \mathbb{I}-i \sin (t) Z \otimes Z)|00\rangle=(\cos (t)-i \sin (t))|00\rangle \\
e^{i(Z \otimes Z) t}|11\rangle & =(\cos (t) \mathbb{I}-i \sin (t) Z \otimes Z)|11\rangle=(\cos (t)-i \sin (t))|11\rangle \\
e^{i(Z \otimes Z) t}|01\rangle & =\cos (t)|01\rangle-i \sin (t) Z|0\rangle \otimes Z|1\rangle=(\cos (t)+i \sin (t))|01\rangle
\end{aligned}
$$

which can be written in matrix form as


## Overlap of Quantum States

SWAP test:

Is a way to extract $|\langle a \mid b\rangle|^{2}$ of tensor product state $|a\rangle \otimes|b\rangle=|a\rangle|b\rangle$ One adds an ancilla qubit $|0\rangle|a\rangle|b\rangle$
then apply an H to the ancilla $\longrightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle+|1\rangle)|a\rangle|b\rangle$
apply SWAP gate to $|a\rangle$ and $|b\rangle$
condition to ancilla being in state 1 $\longrightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle|a\rangle|b\rangle+|1\rangle|a\rangle|b\rangle)$
another H on the ancilla $\longrightarrow|\psi\rangle=\frac{1}{2}|0\rangle \otimes(|a\rangle|b\rangle+|b\rangle|a\rangle)+\frac{1}{2}|1\rangle \otimes(|a\rangle|b\rangle-|b\rangle|a\rangle)$
Measure ancilla. Probability it is in 0 is:

$$
p_{0}=\frac{1}{2}-\left.\frac{1}{2}|\langle a \mid b\rangle|^{2} \longrightarrow| | a|b\rangle\right|^{2}=1-2 p_{0}
$$



## Hadamard test:

Elegant way to measure overlap/scalar product of quantum states
Start with superposition of ancilla and 1 register $|\psi\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle|a\rangle+|1\rangle|b\rangle)$
Then apply $H$ on ancilla $\quad|\psi\rangle=\frac{1}{2}|0\rangle \otimes(|a\rangle+|b\rangle)+\frac{1}{2}|1\rangle \otimes(|a\rangle-|b\rangle)$
The acceptance probability of ancilla to be in $0 \quad p(0)=\frac{1}{4}(\langle a|+\langle b|)(|a\rangle+|b\rangle)$,
$=\frac{1}{4}(2+\langle a \mid b\rangle+\langle b \mid \mathbf{a}\rangle$,
$=\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}(\langle a \mid b\rangle)$.
Starting with ancilla in $\quad|-\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle-i|1\rangle)$ gives $\quad p(0)=\frac{1}{4}(\langle a|-i\langle b|)(|a\rangle+i|b\rangle)$,

| 0 | - | , | + |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 |  |  |  |

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\frac{1}{4}(2-i\langle b \mid a\rangle+i\langle a \mid b\rangle, \\
& =\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Im}(\langle a \mid b\rangle) .
\end{aligned}
$$

## Grover Algorithm

- Well-known algorithm to give quadratic speedup in finding element in unordered list. Classically, this takes on average K/2 steps in a list of length K...
- Idea is based on amplitude amplification. One encodes the elements as basis states and iteratively increases the value of the amplitude of the element of interest.
- For example:



[^0]:    $\longrightarrow$ can prepare superposition of data that can be processed in parallel, e.g.

    $$
    |\psi\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n}}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^{n}-1}|x\rangle
    $$

