

Session Outline

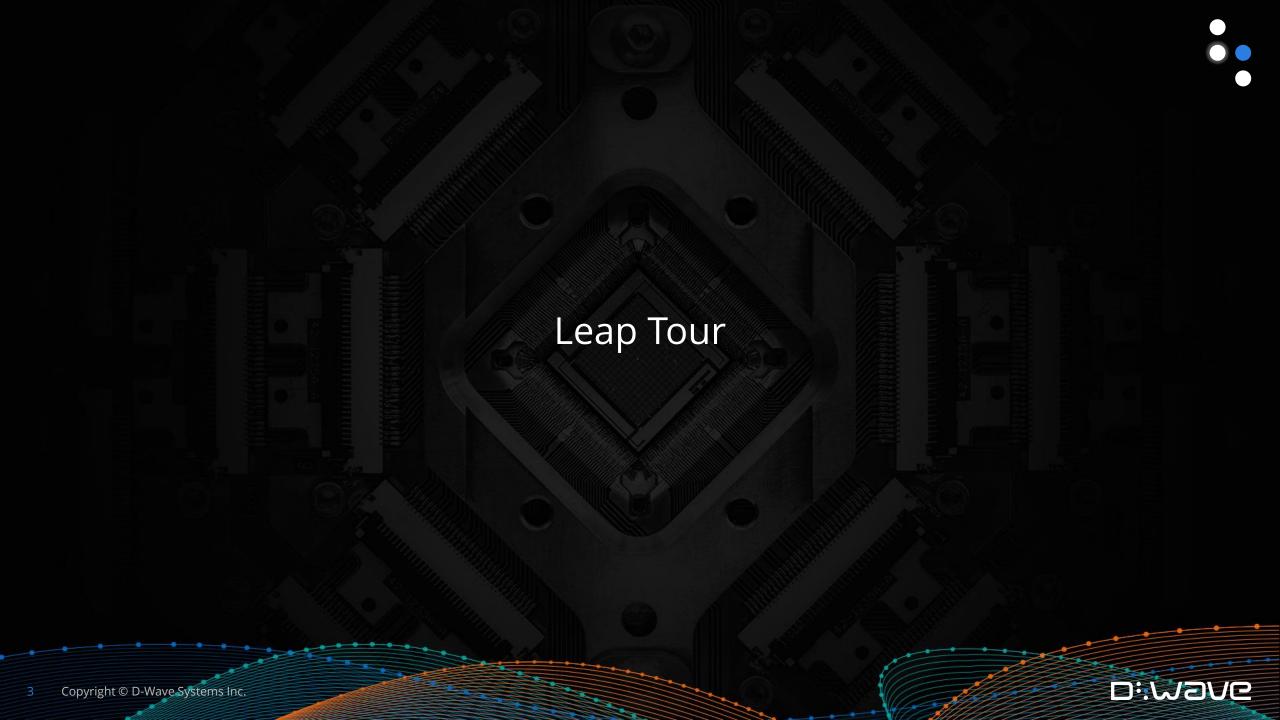


- Leap tour
- Ocean SDK
- Review important concepts
 - Quantum annealing
 - Problem Formulation
 - Chip topology
- Example: 3 Qubit Problem

Session Goals

- 1. Become familiar with Leap
- 2. Know what software tools are available
- 3. Understand the connection between quantum annealing, problem formulation and the chip topology



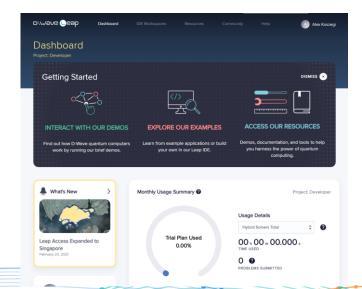


Leap





Real-Time Cloud Access
Integrated Open Source ADE
Demos and Reference Code
Community Support
Online Training

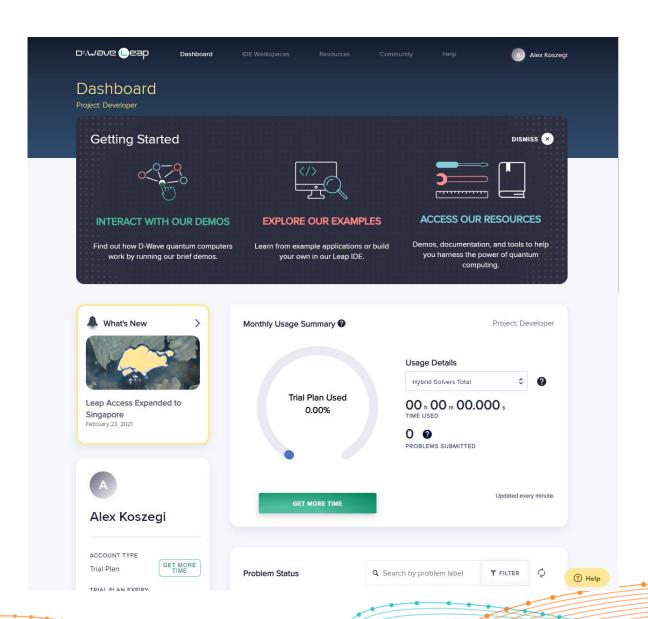






Dashboard

- Account details (name, project, API token)
- Quick links to demos, examples and resources
- Usage summary
- Problem status and details for your last 1000 problems
- Available solvers





Solvers



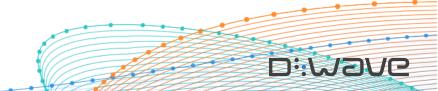
Hybrid

- Binary Quadratic Model (BQM) Solver
 - Up to 20 000 dense or 1 million sparse nodes
 - Binary variables
- Discrete Quadratic Model (DQM) Solver
 - Up to 3000 variables or 3 billion total biases
 - Discrete variables with up to 10 000 options each

QPU

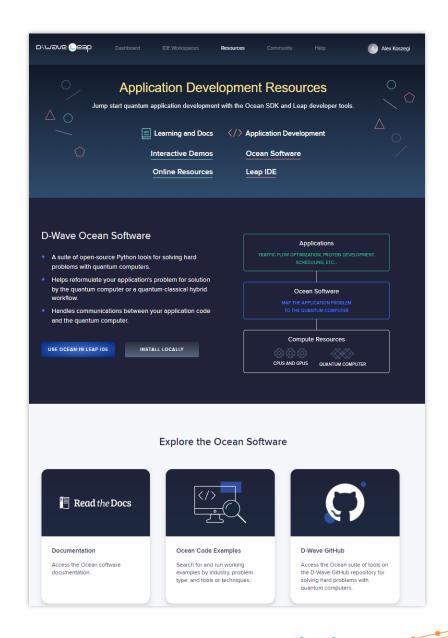
- Advantage
 - Over 5000 qubits
 - Pegasus architecture (qubits are coupled to 15 other qubits)
- D-Wave 2000Q
 - Over 2000 qubits
 - Chimera architecture (qubits are coupled to 5 or 6 other qubits)

Available Solvers Available solvers at Solver API endpoint: https://cloud.dwavesys.com/sapi/ Solver Name Description Hybrid Hybrid solver for general BQM hybrid_binary_quadratic_model_version2 problems, version 2.0 Hybrid solver for general DQM hybrid_discrete_quadratic_model_version1 Online problems, version 1.0 QPU Advantage_system1.1 Advantage system DW_2000Q_6 D-Wave 2000Q lower-noise system Note: If you do not see the solver you are interested in, see the docs to find out how to query for available solvers.



Resources

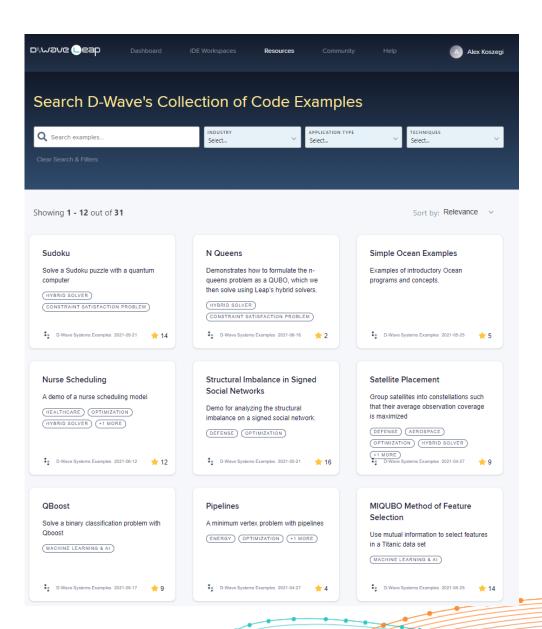
- Ocean installation instructions
- Ocean documentation
- Code examples
- Demos
- Problem Solving Handbook
- Jupyter Notebooks
- YouTube





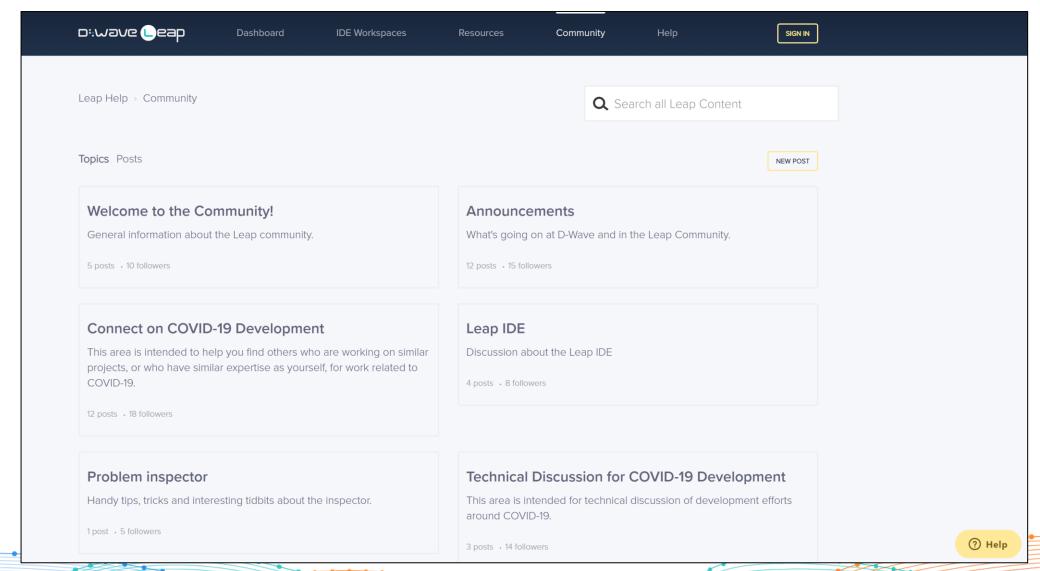
Resources – Collection of Examples

- Variety of code examples using the QPU, hybrid BQM, and hybrid DQM solvers
- Detailed explanations of the problem and the formulation
- Template included
- Access in the Leap IDE or GitHub



Community

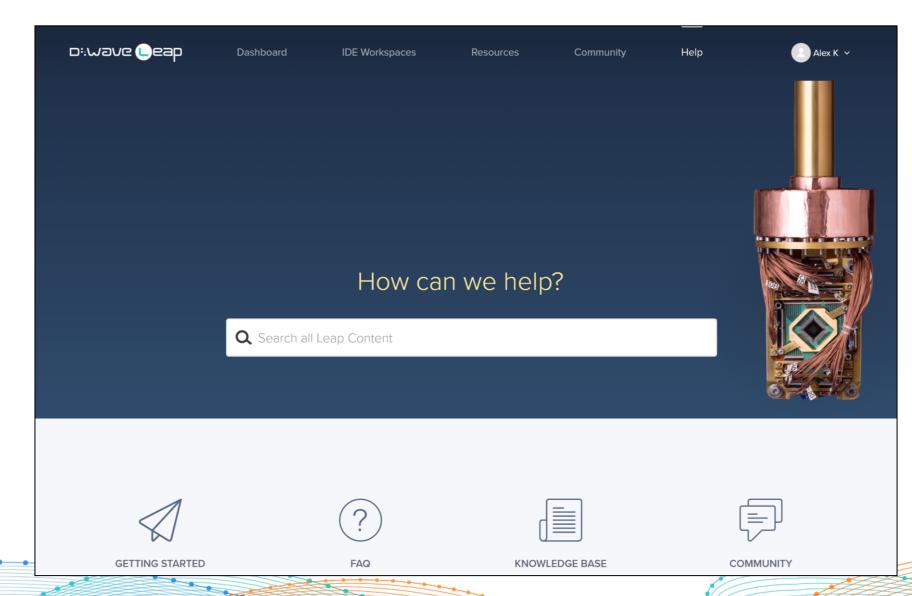




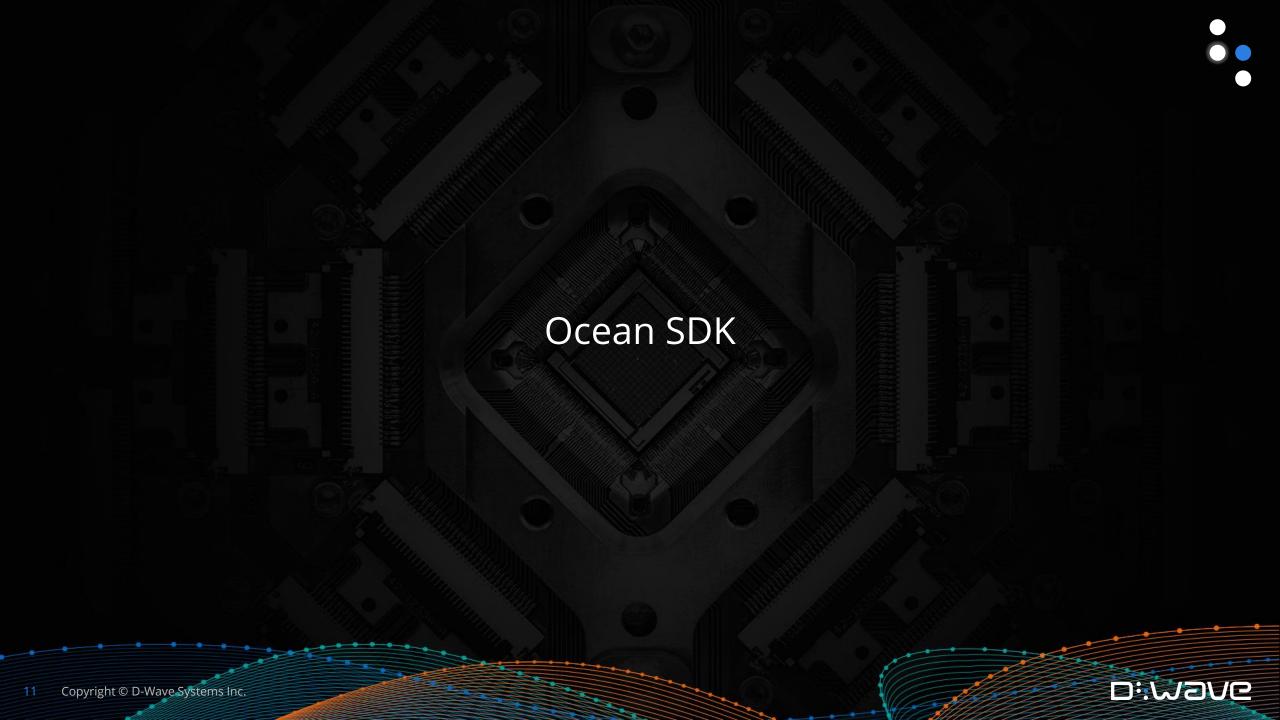


Help and Search









Writing Quantum Programs



- Access the solvers through the Ocean SDK
- Ocean is a package of Python tools for accessing D-Wave's systems, preprocessing, postprocessing and building quadratic models
- Majority is open-source code available on GitHub
- Extensions and features from community welcome

D-Wave's Ocean Software

Ocean software is a suite of tools D-Wave Systems provides on the D-Wave GitHub repository for solving hard problems with quantum computers.



Ocean Software Stack

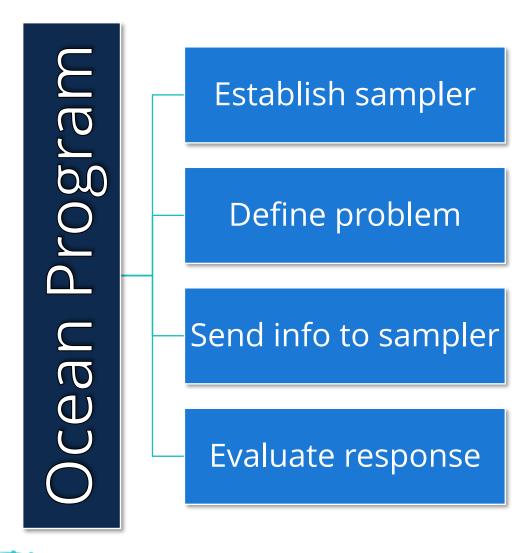


Use	Package	Description
Constructing quadratic models	dimod	Tools for working with BQMs, DQMs, and higher order models Also provides utilities for constructing new samplers and composed samplers
	dwavebinarycsp	Generates BQMs from constraint satisfaction problems
	penaltymodel	Maps constraints to BQMs
	Pyqubo	Creates quadratic models from mathematical expressions
Accessing quantum samplers	dwave-system	D-Wave samplers and composites
	dwave-cloud-client	API client to D-Wave solvers
Classical samplers	dwave-neal	Simulated annealing sampler
	dwave-tabu	Tabu sampler
Pre/post processing	dwave- preprocessing	Preprocessing tools for quadratic models
	dwave-greedy	Steepest descent solver
Hybrid tools/solvers	dwave-hybrid	Framework for building hybrid solvers
	qbsolv	Decomposing solver
Graph and visualization tools	minorminer	Tool for minor embedding graphs
	dwave-networkx	Networkx extension
	dwave-inspector	Visualizer for problems submitted to quantum computers



Program Structure





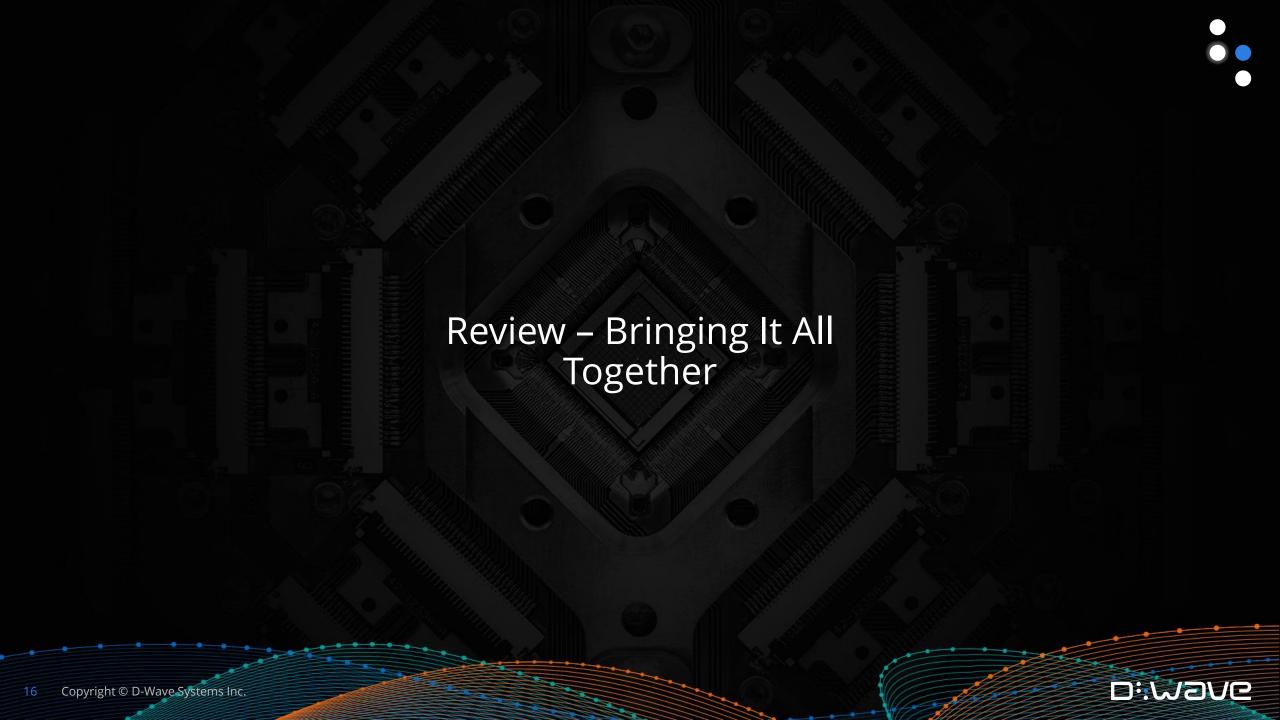
Program Example



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import dimod
from dwave.system import DWaveSampler, EmbeddingComposite
# 1. Define sampler
sampler = EmbeddingComposite(DWaveSampler())
# 2. Define problem
bqm = dimod.BQM(\{\}, \{'ab': -1, 'bc': -1, 'ca': -1\}, 0, 'BINARY')
# 3. Submit problem and parameters to the solver
sampleset = sampler.sample(bqm, num_reads=10)
# 4. Evaluate the solution
print(sampleset)
```

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    a b c energy num_oc. chain_.
    0 1 1 1 -3.0 10 0.0
    ['BINARY', 1 rows, 10 samples, 3 variables]
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Quantum Annealing

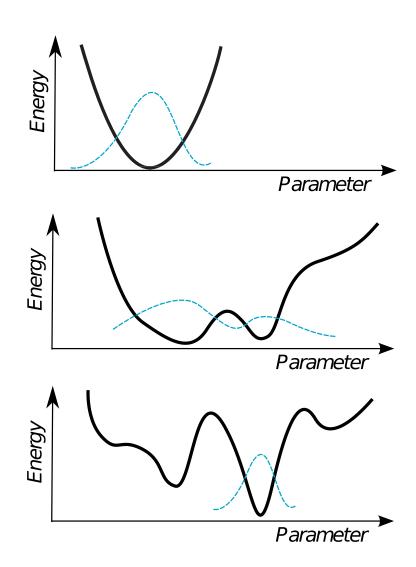
Start from H_i and anneal slowly to H_f :

$$H_i = -\sum_i \sigma_x^{(i)}$$

- The ground state of H_i will be superposition state of spin up and spin down
- This term drives quantum tunneling/spin flipping

$$H_f = -\sum_{i} h_i \, \sigma_z^{(i)} + \sum_{i,j>i} J_{ij} \, \sigma_z^{(i)} \sigma_z^{(j)}$$

Classical term representing the problem (ground state is the solution)



Problem Formulations



Binary Quadratic Model (BQM)

General class of problems that can be mapped to the QPU

Ising Model

$$E_{ising} = \sum_{i} h_{i} s_{i} + \sum_{i>j} J_{i,j} s_{i} s_{j}$$

Binary variables: $s_i \in \{-1,1\}$

Quadratic Unconstrained Binary Optimization (QUBO)

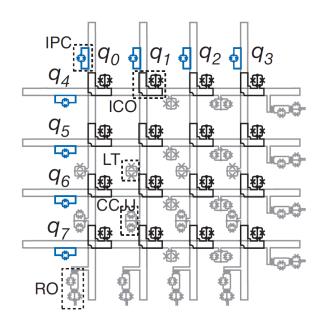
$$E_{qubo} = \sum_{i} a_i q_i + \sum_{i>j} b_{i,j} q_i q_j$$

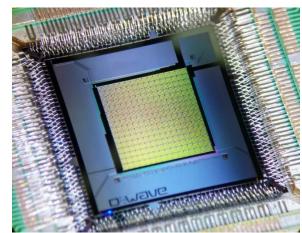
Binary variables: $q_i \in \{0,1\}$

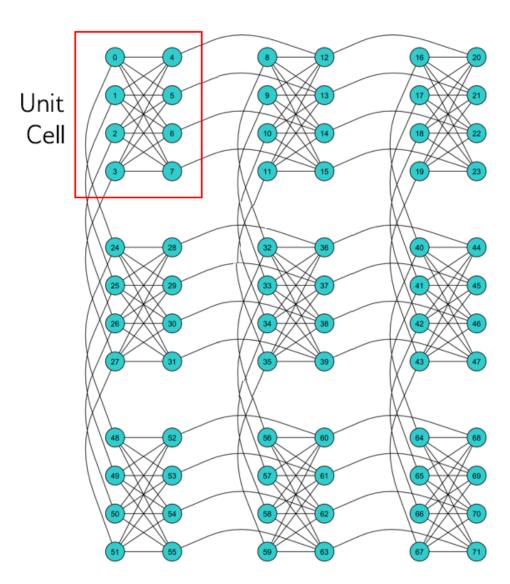
Converting between Ising and QUBO:
$$q_i = \frac{1 + s_i}{2}$$



8-Qubit Unit Cell (D-Wave 2000Q)





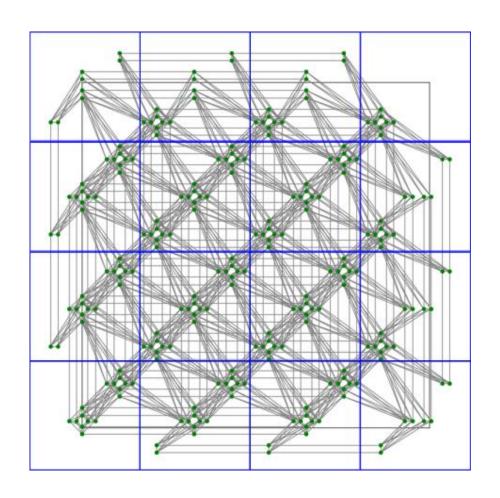




Advantage Architecture - Pegasus

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- Unit cells of 24 qubits are tiled across the processor
- 16x16 grid of unit cells
- Each qubit couples to 15 other qubits

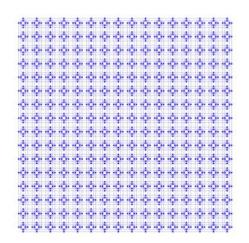




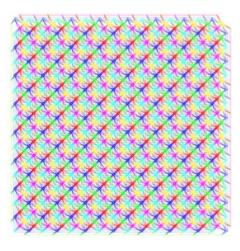
Embeddings



2000Q







64 (17)

64x64 (16)

8x8x8 (4)

16 bit (16)

Complete Graph

Complete Bipartite

Cubic Lattice

Factoring Circuit

180 (17)

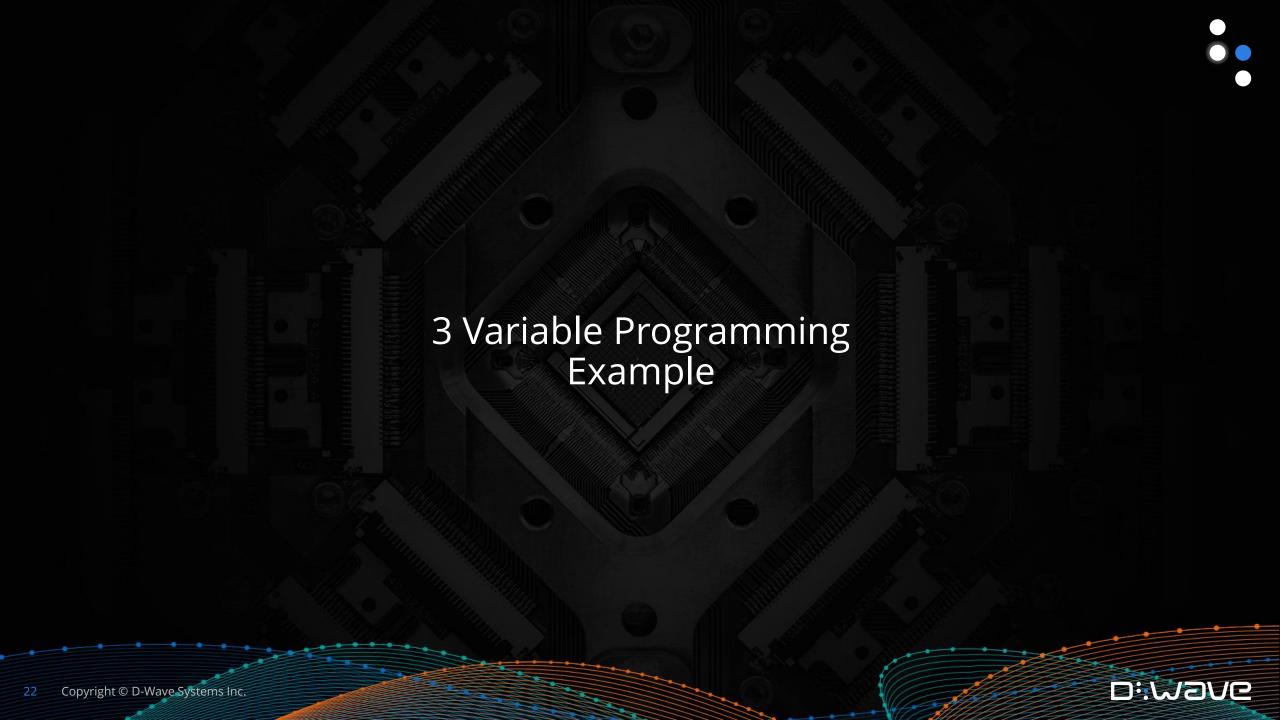
172x172 (15)

15x15x12 (2)

30 bit (15)

(chain length in parentheses)





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import dimod
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     # 1. Define sampler
     sampler = EmbeddingComposite(DWaveSampler(solver={'topology_type': 'chimera'}))
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     # 2. Define problem: anti-ferromagnetic chain
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             E = a*b + b*c + c*a
     bqm = dimod.BQM({}, {'ab': 1, 'bc': 1, 'ca': 1}, 0, 'SPIN')
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     # 3. Submit problem and parameters to the solver
     sampleset = sampler.sample(bqm, num reads=10)
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Note:

- We're using SPIN variables, so a, b and c are binary variables that can be +1 or -1
- We're running this problem on the D-Wave 2000Q (with the Chimera architecture)

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c energy num_oc. chain_.
           -1.0
                             0.0
                             0.0
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                             0.0
           -1.0
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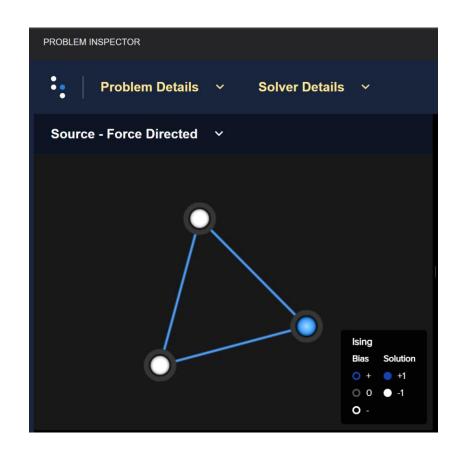




We can represent mathematical problems as graphs where

- Variables = nodes
- Quadratic interactions = edges
- Both nodes and edges can be weighted (weights represent linear and quadratic biases in the equation)

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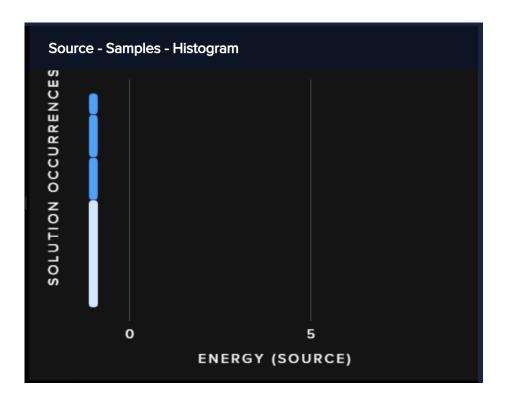


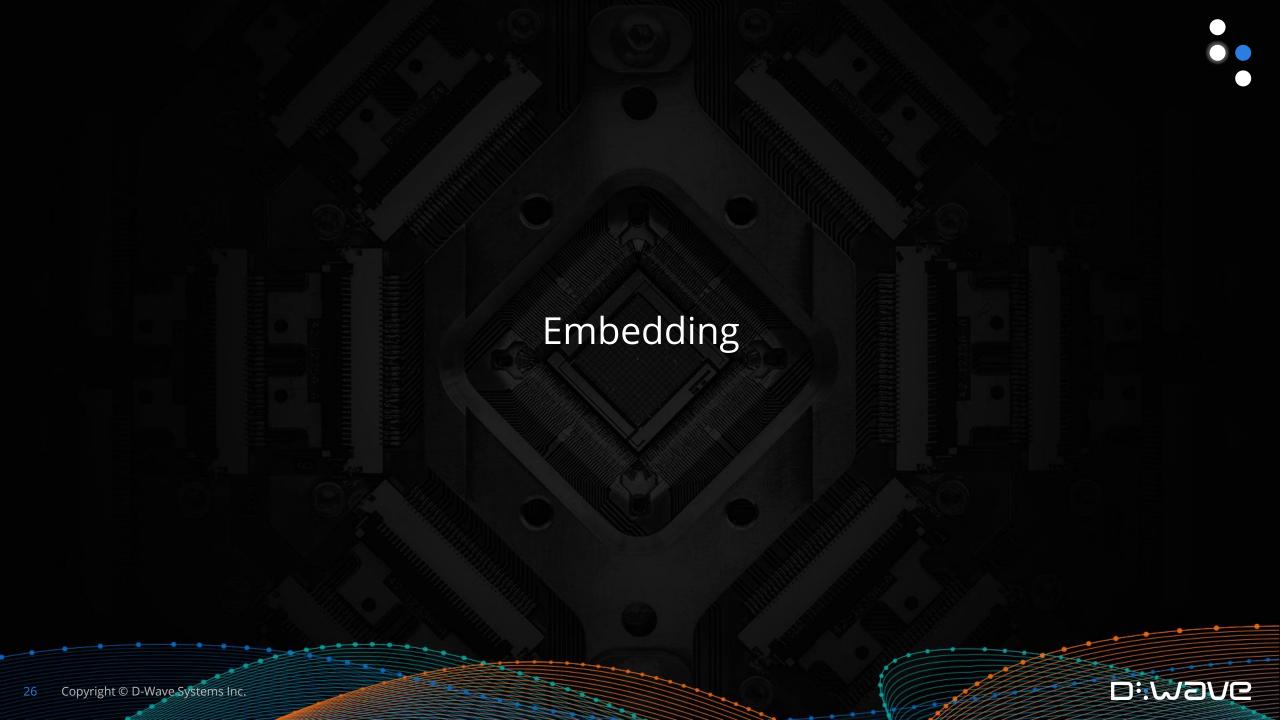


The QPU is probabilistic so we need to sample many times from the problem's energy landscape.

These samples can be represented in a histogram of energies.

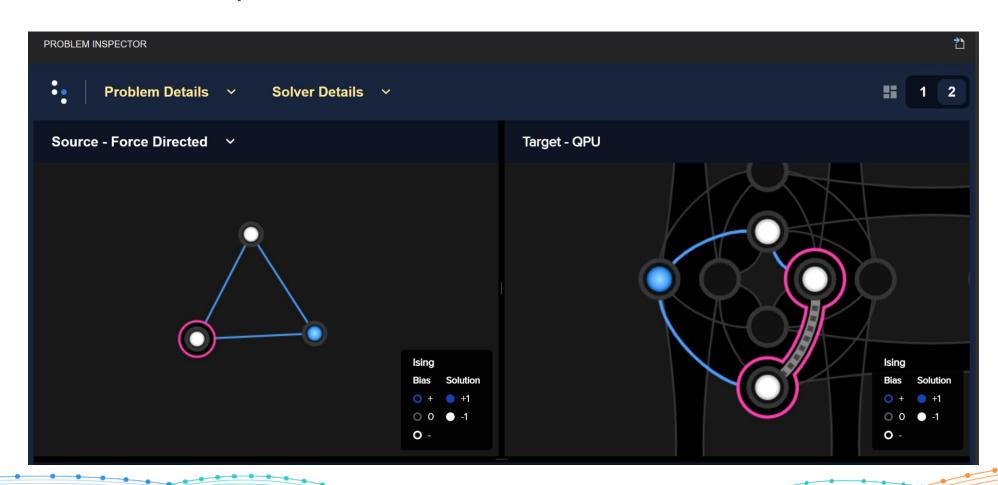
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To run a problem on the QPU we need to embed, or map the variables to qubits and interactions to couplers.

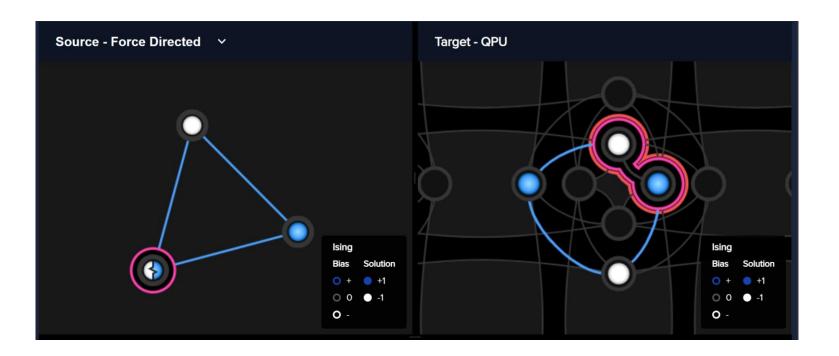






When variables need to be embedded as chains of qubits, the chain strength parameter has to be tuned. It tells the QPU to treat qubits in a chain as a single variable.

If it isn't strong enough the chain will 'break'

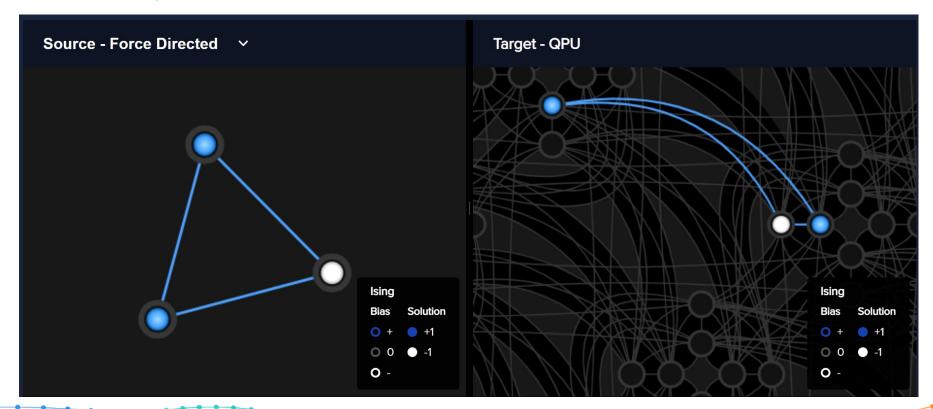




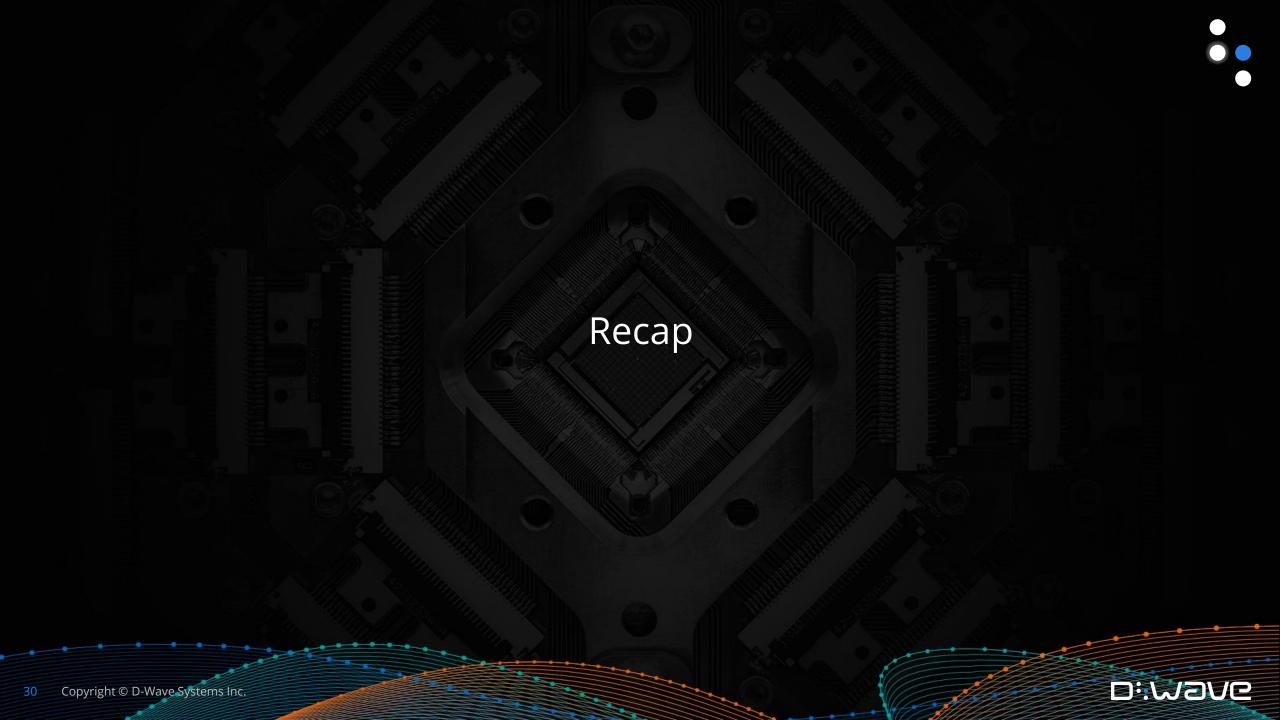


Benefits of Advantage:

- Greater connectivity between qubits
- Greater number of qubits







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- Leap is D-Wave's cloud platform
- The Ocean SDK contains open-source tools to submit problems to the QPU and hybrid solvers
- The QPU is probabilistic
- Problems need to be embedded onto qubits and couplers

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