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Quantum Computing Deep Dive

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What is new in .NET 5 and the future of .NET

Why Quantum Computing?

- There are still a lot of problems that cannot be solved by computers
- CPU’s have their physical limits
- Current classical computing architectures already have issues with unwanted quantum side effects because of their scale
- Why try to simulate a complex quantum world using classical computers?

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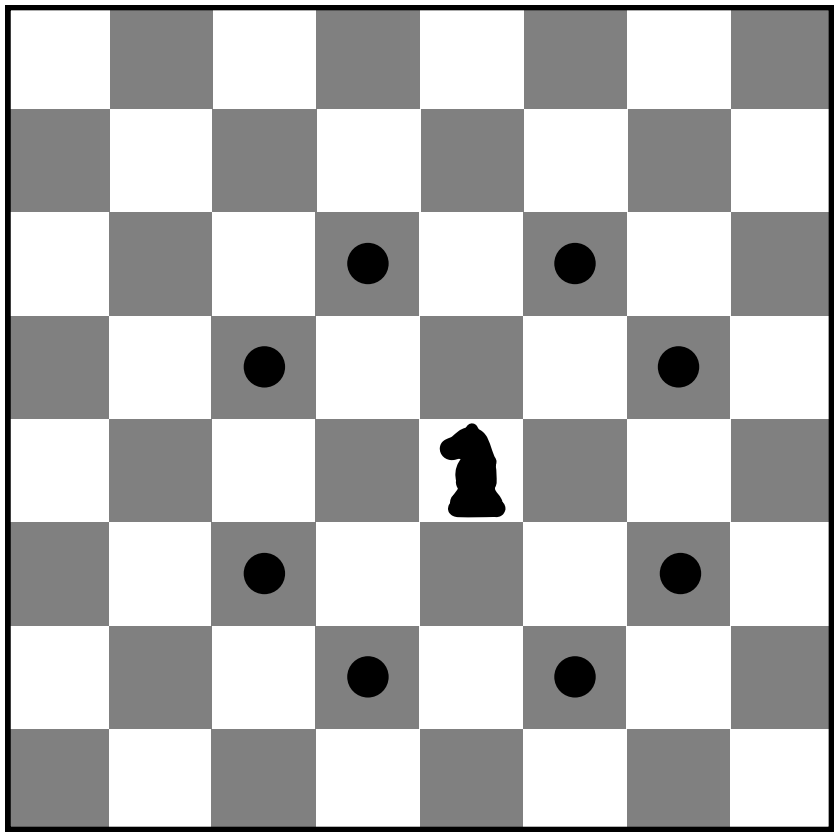

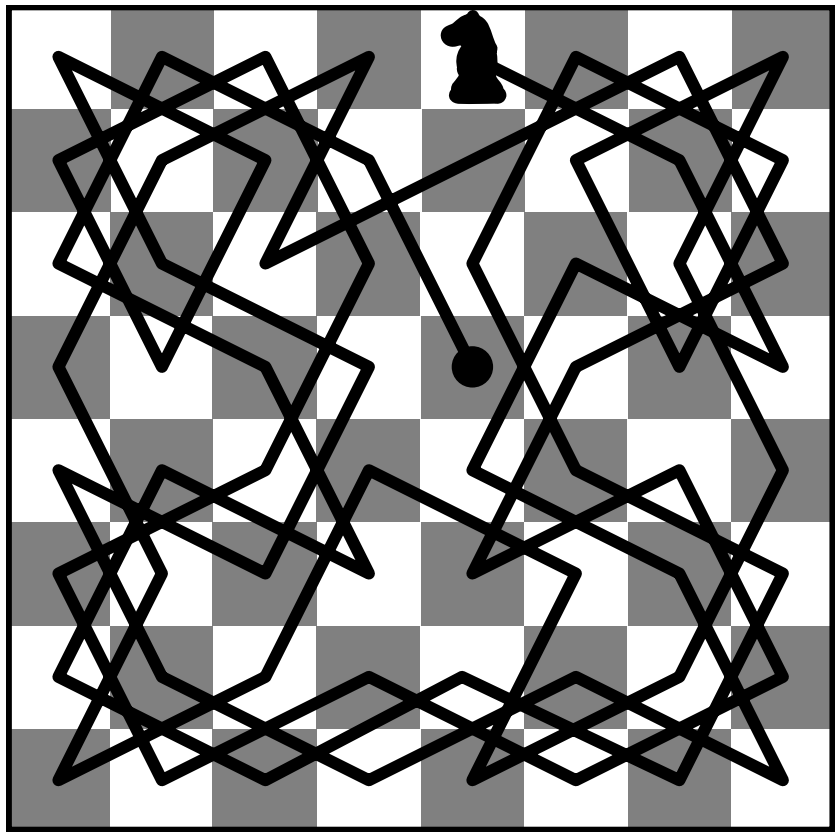

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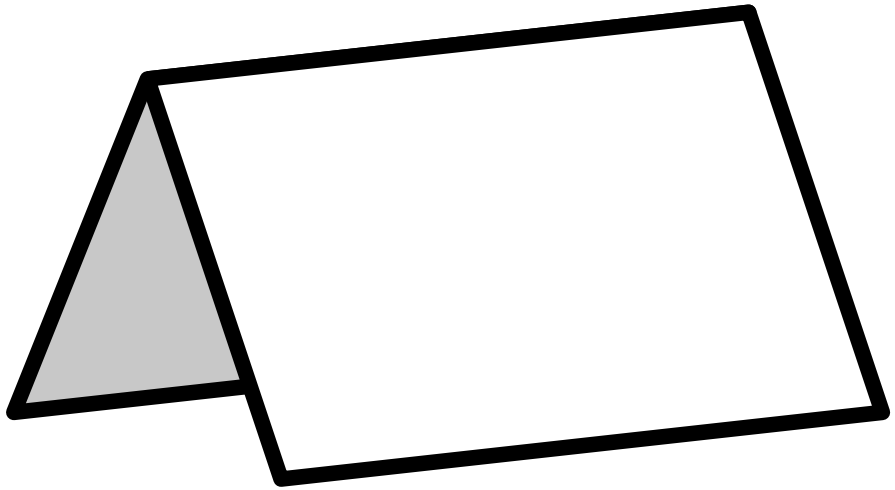
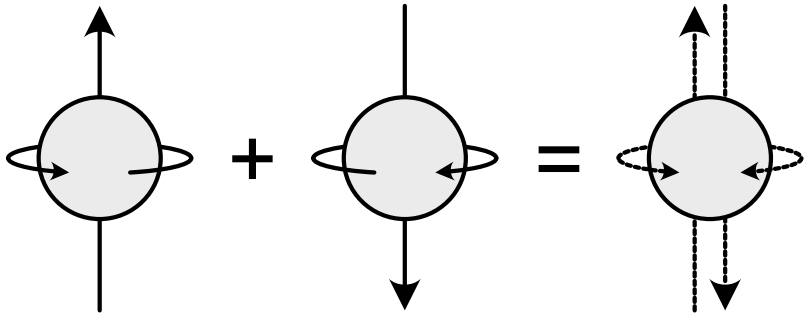
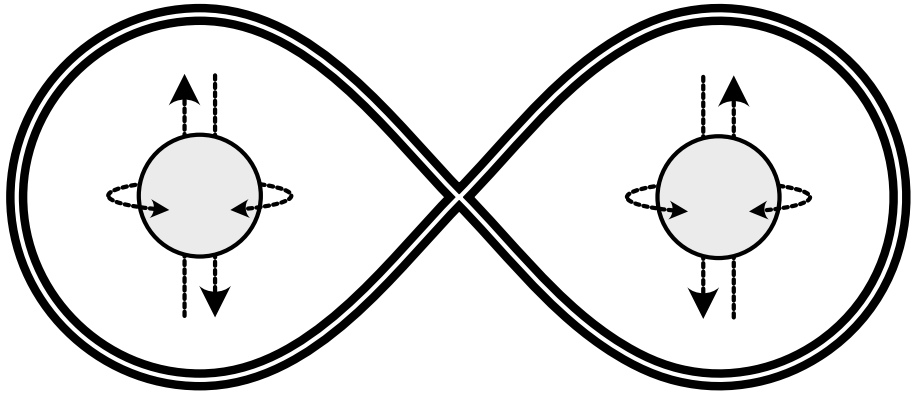


Superposition and Entanglement

- Quantum mechanics describes superposition and entanglement of quantum particles
- Quantum Computing can use these phenomenon to its advantage





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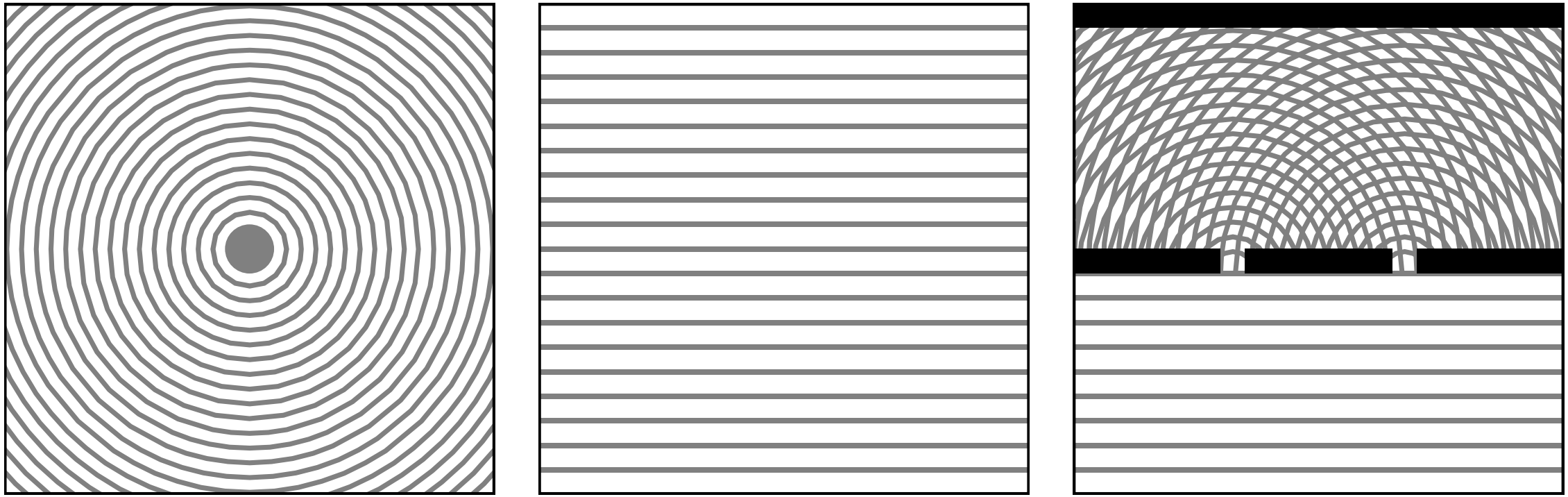

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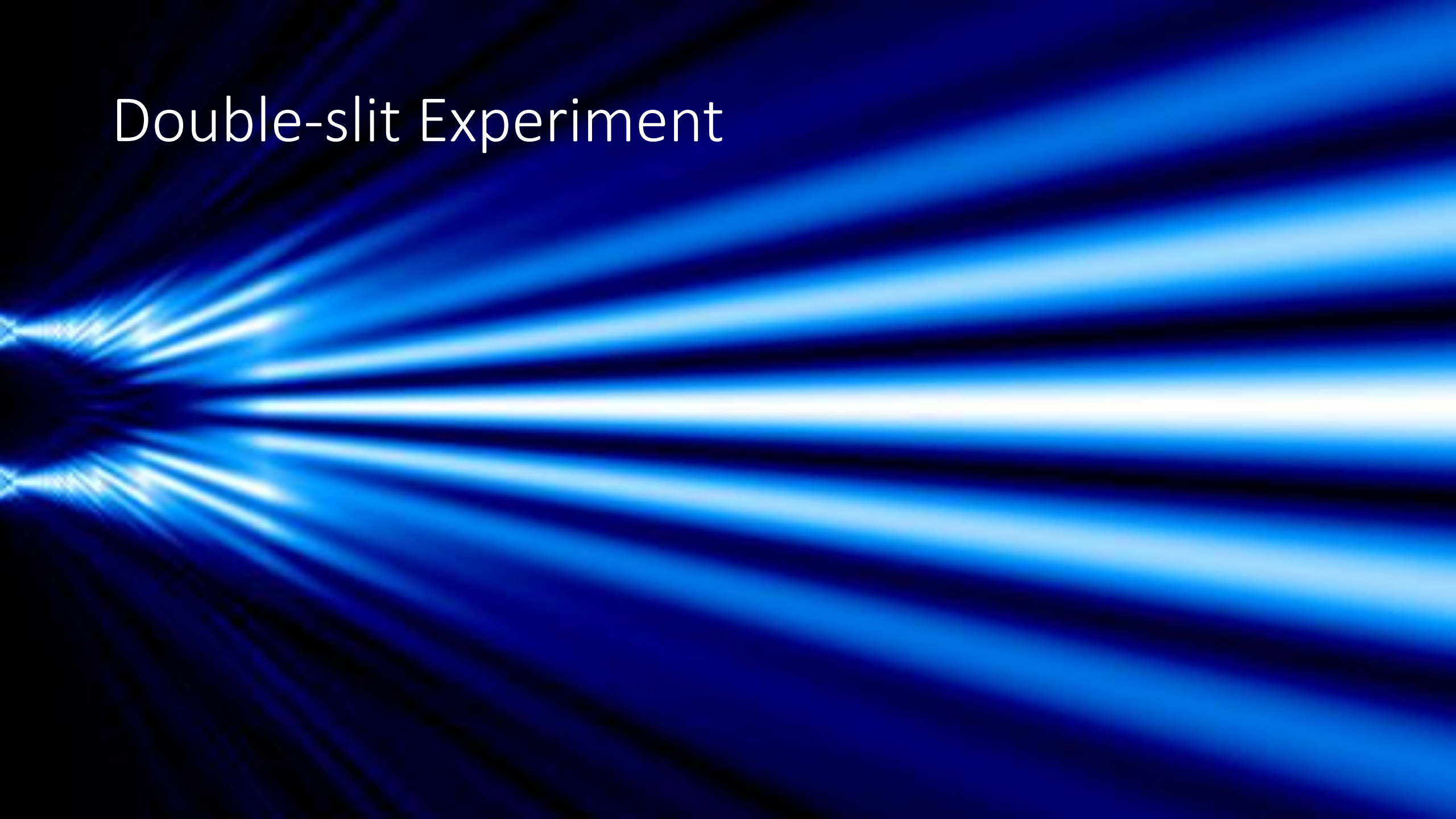

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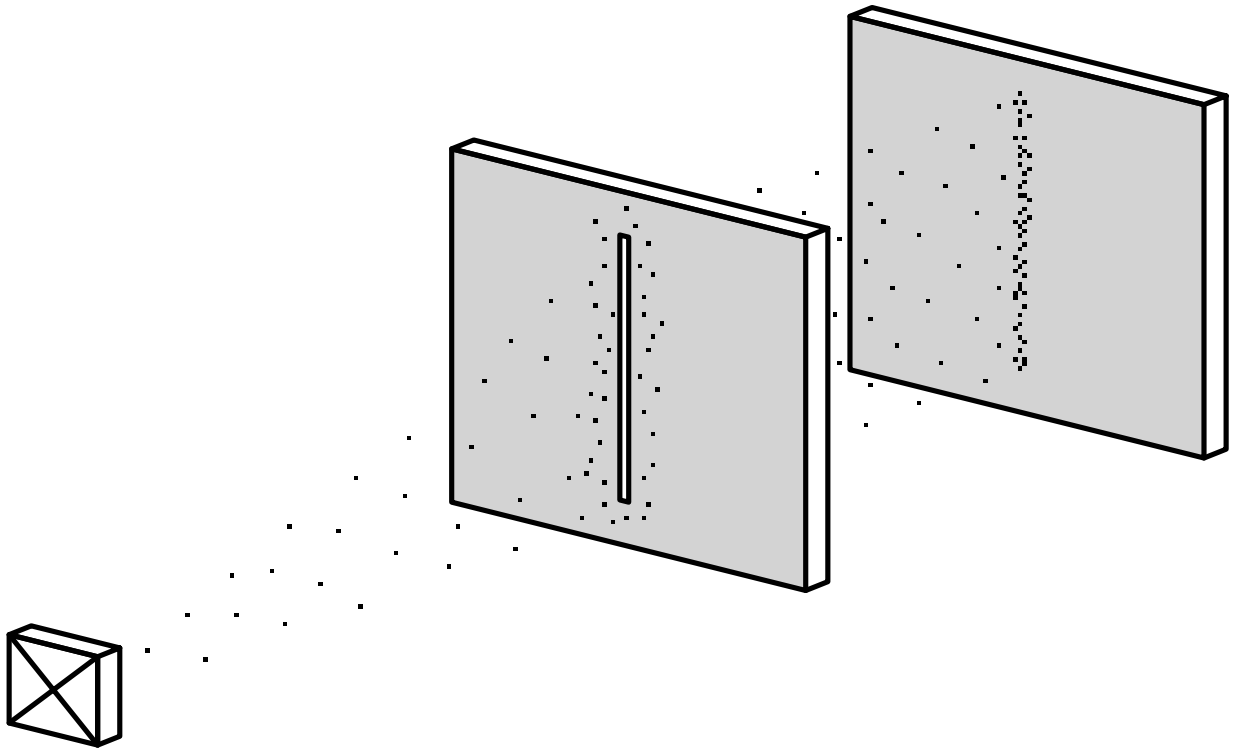

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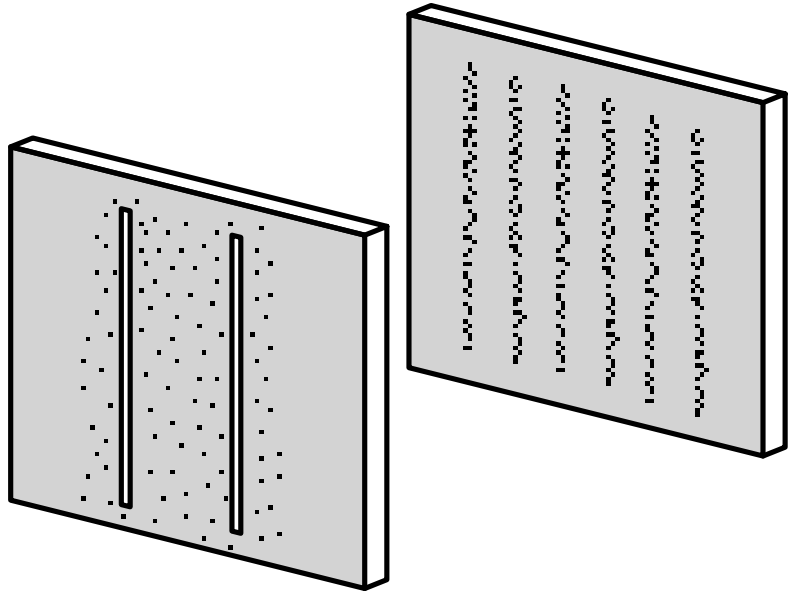

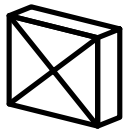

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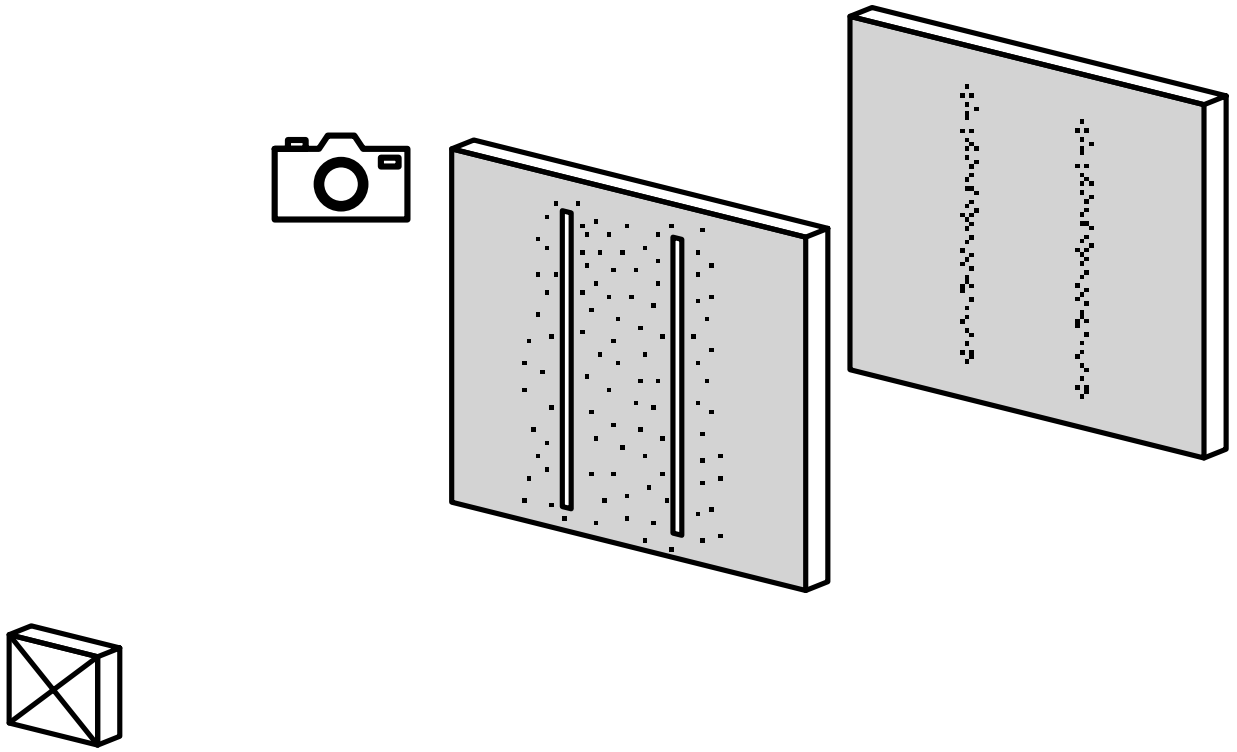
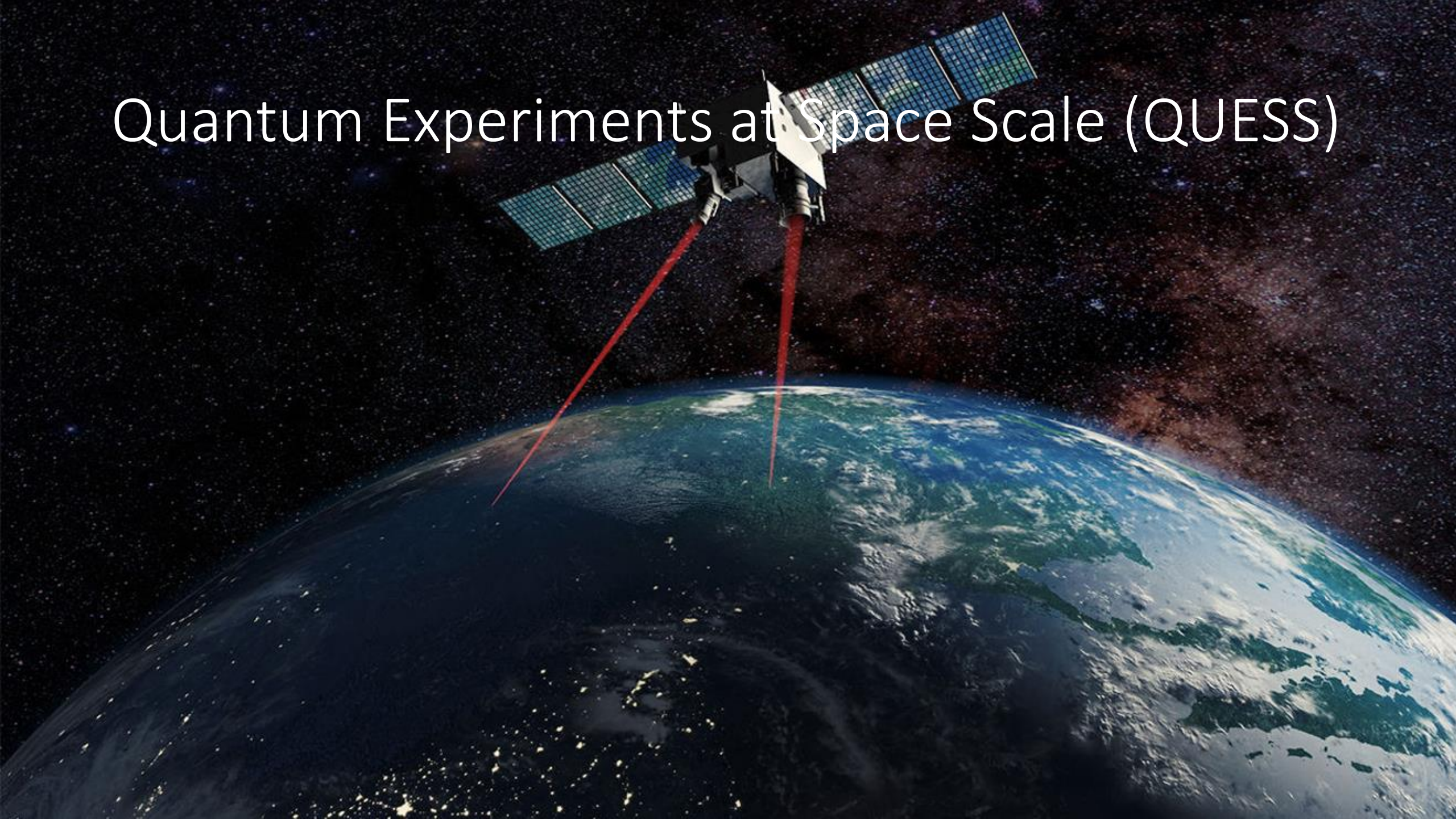


Quantum Experiments at Space Scale (QUESS)



Why Quantum Computing?

- Security
  - Public/private key encryption?
  - Could make current RSA encryption obsolete
  - QKD (Quantum Key Distribution)

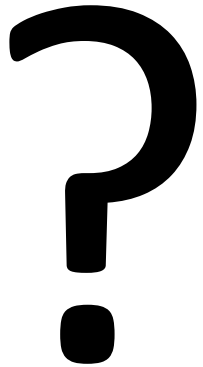
$$3.167 \times 6.301 = 19.955.267$$

Why Quantum Computing?

- Drug development
  - It takes a quantum system to simulate a quantum system
  - Interactions between molecules
  - Gene sequencing
  - Protein folding

Why Quantum Computing?

- Machine Learning
  - Analyze large quantities of data
  - Fast feedback
  - Emulate human mind

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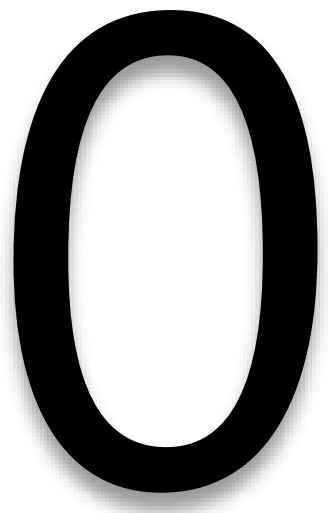
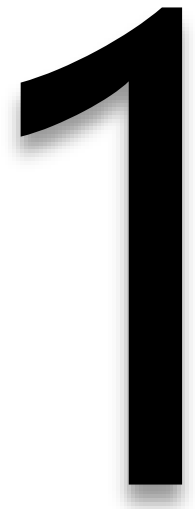
Bits vs. Qubits





Bits vs. Qubits

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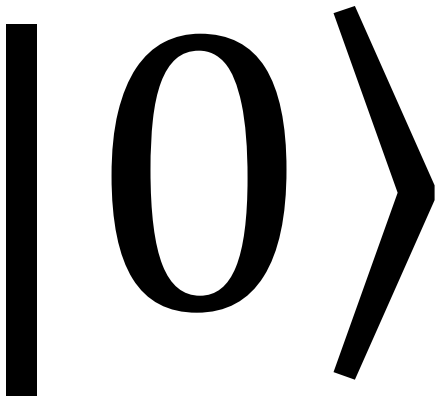

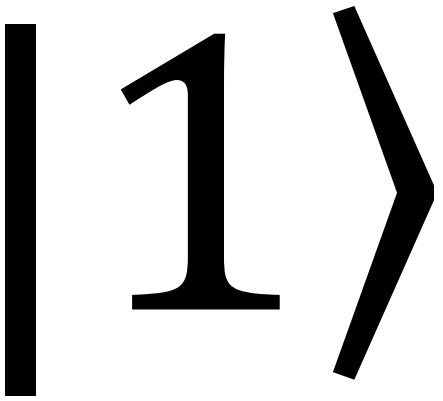

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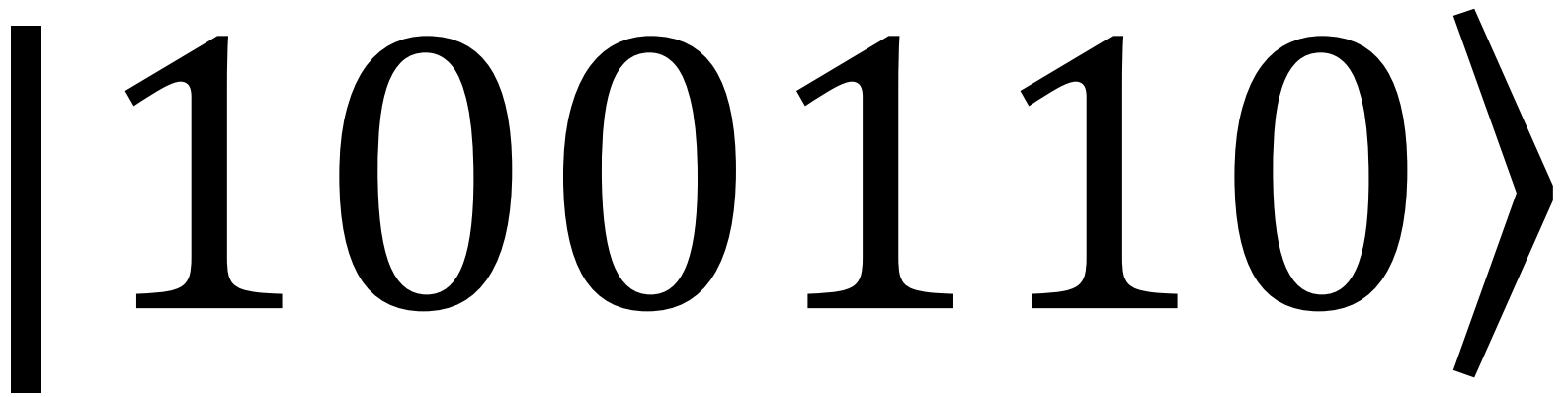
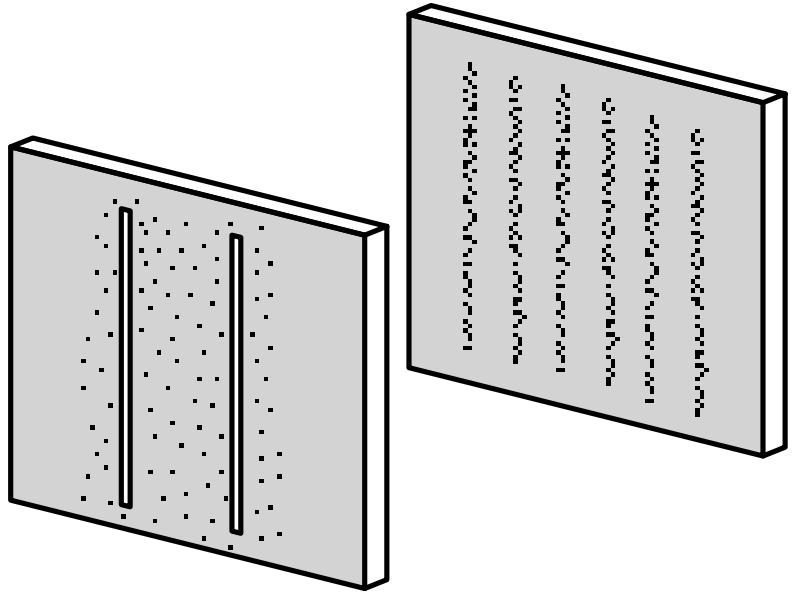
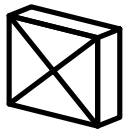


Quantum state





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$$|\boldsymbol{\alpha}|^2 + |\boldsymbol{\beta}|^2 = 1$$

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = a + bi$$

$$\boldsymbol{\beta} = c + di$$

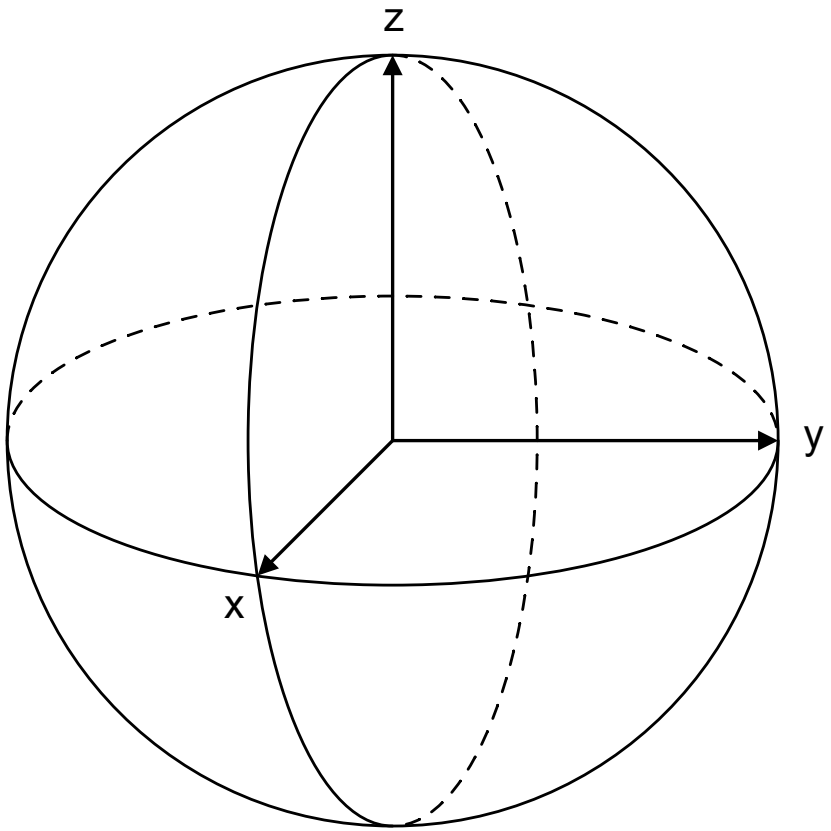
Quantum state

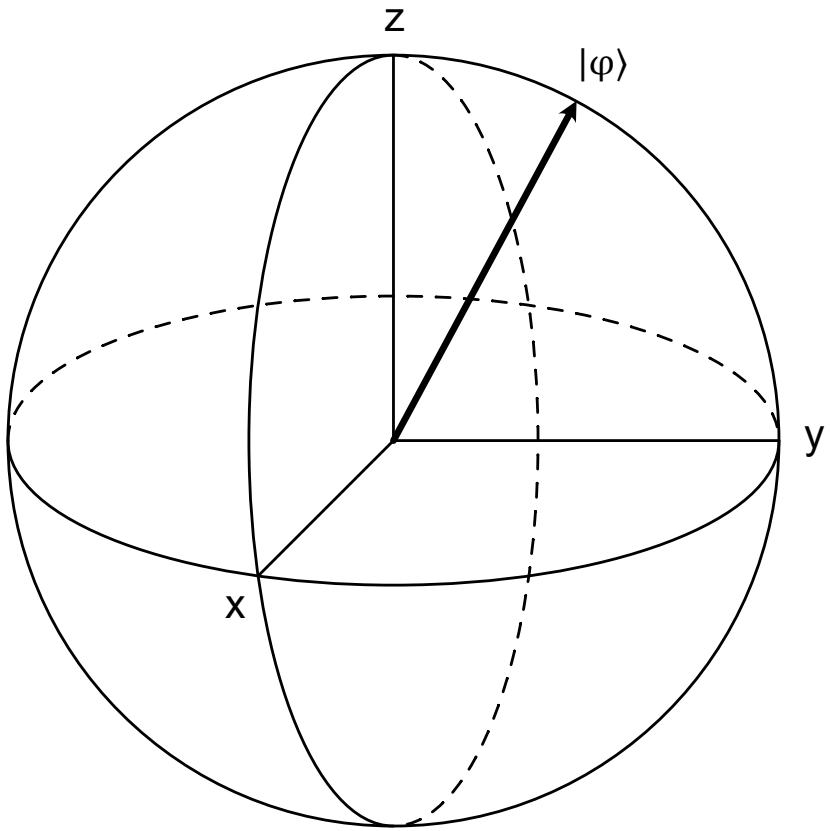
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle$$

Quantum state

- Classical bit 0, Quantum bit $|0\rangle$
- Classical bit 1, Quantum bit $|1\rangle$
- Quantum bit in superposition
- $\boldsymbol{\alpha}|0\rangle + \boldsymbol{\beta}|1\rangle$ where $|\boldsymbol{\alpha}|^2 + |\boldsymbol{\beta}|^2 = 1$
- $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$ and $\boldsymbol{\beta}$ are complex numbers $(\mathrm{a}i + \mathrm{b})$
- Value known after measurement
- Collapses to $|0\rangle$ with probability $|\boldsymbol{\alpha}|^2$ or $|1\rangle$ with probability $|\boldsymbol{\beta}|^2$

Quantum state





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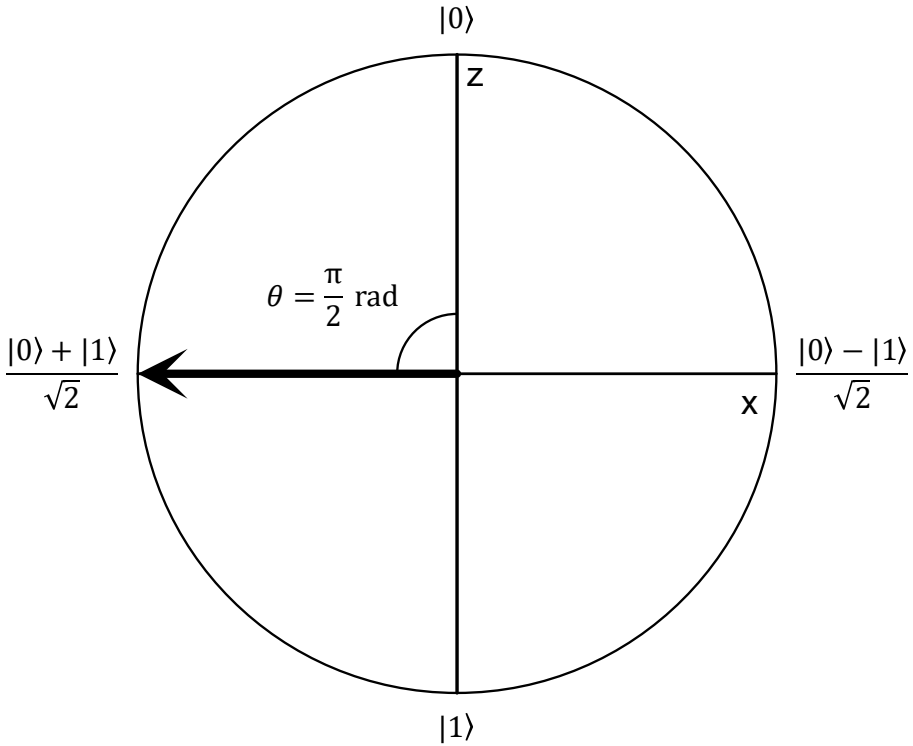

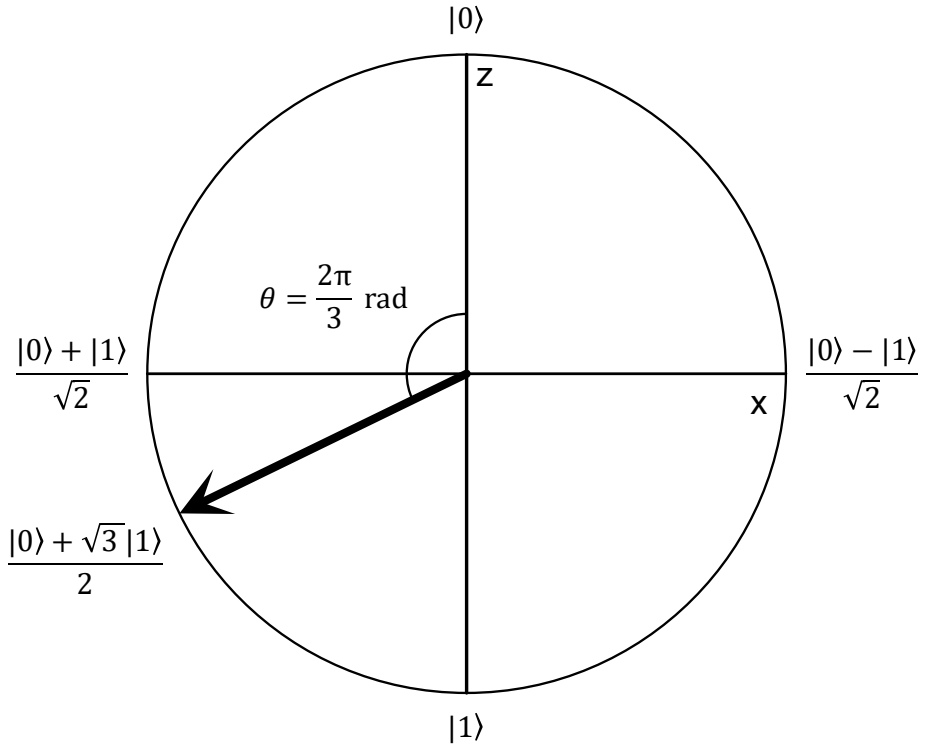

Quantum state

- 2 Qubit system (4 values):

$$\alpha|00\rangle + \beta|01\rangle + \gamma|10\rangle + \delta|11\rangle$$

- 3 Qubit system (8 values):

$$\alpha|000\rangle + \beta|001\rangle + \gamma|010\rangle + \delta|011\rangle + \varepsilon|100\rangle + \epsilon|110\rangle + \zeta|101\rangle + \eta|111\rangle$$

- 4 Qubit system (16 values):

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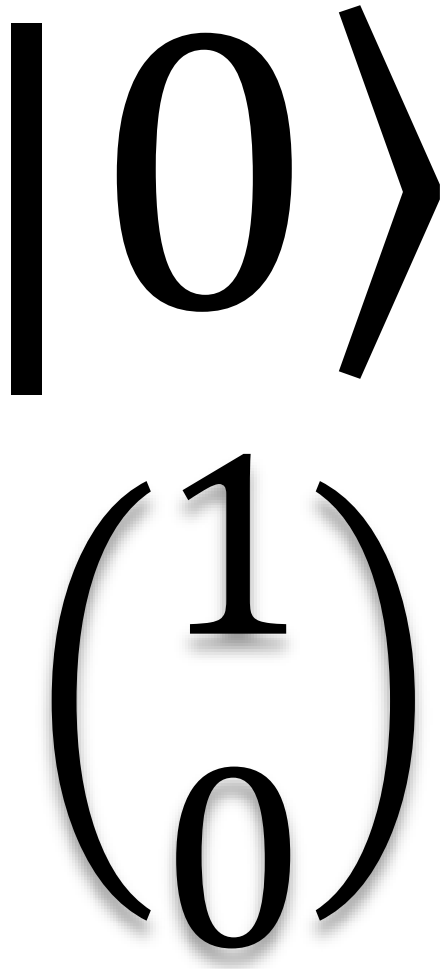
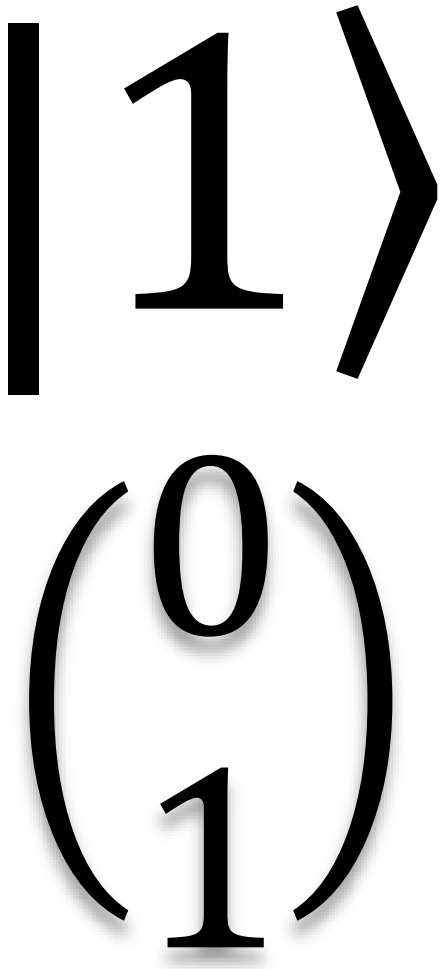
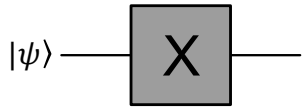
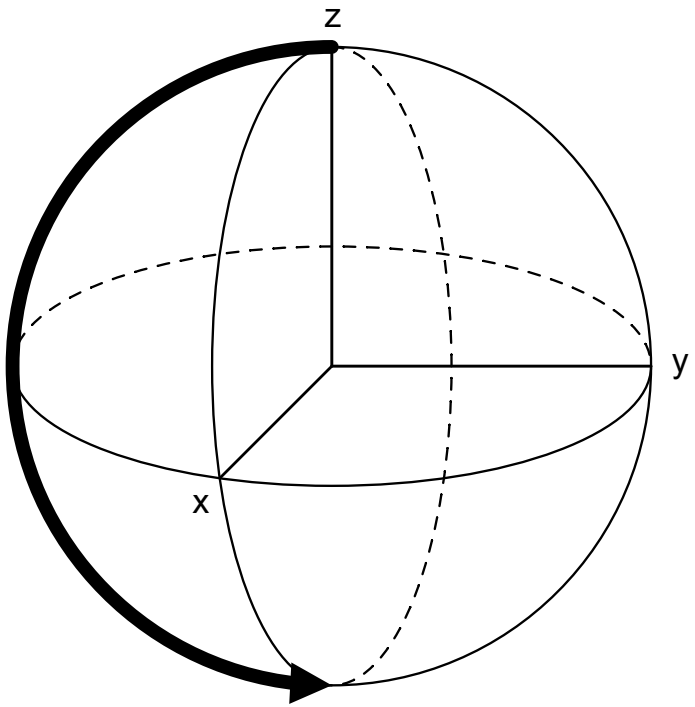
Quantum state





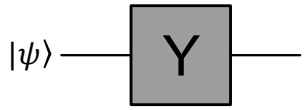
X-gate

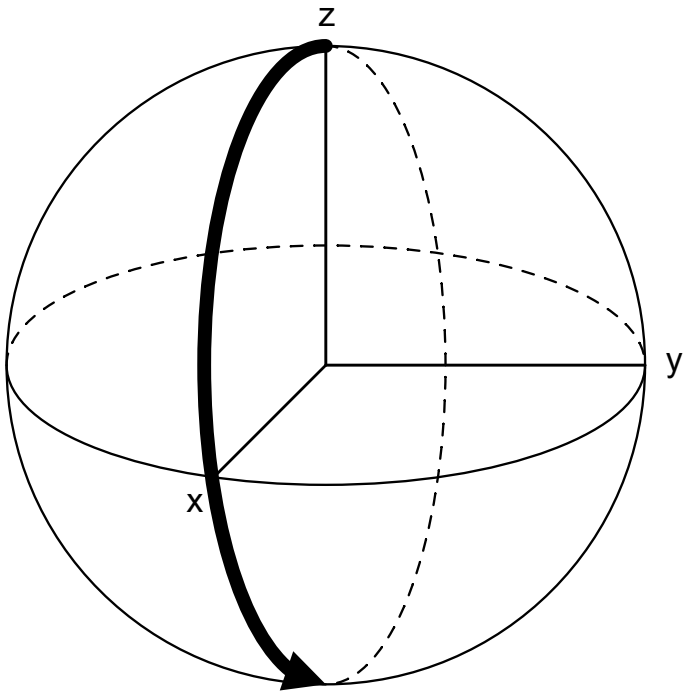




$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

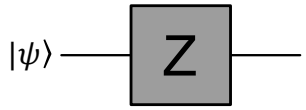
Y-gate

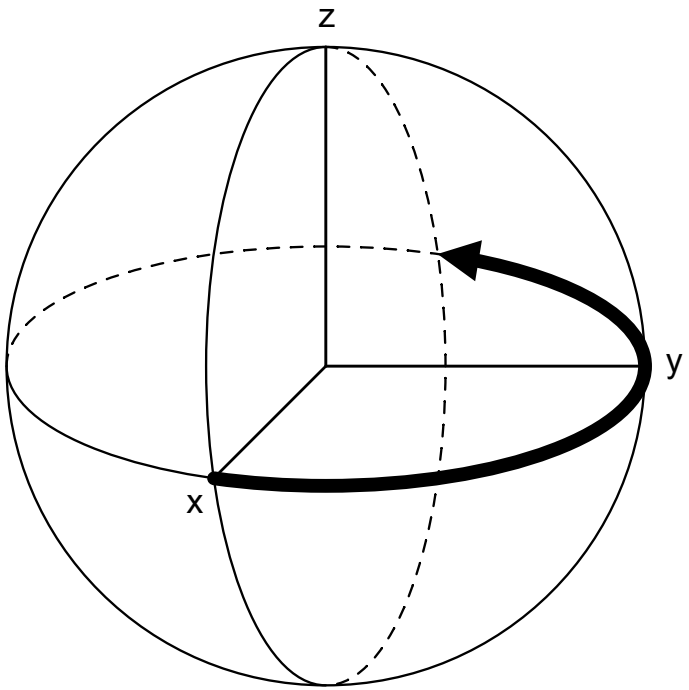




$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

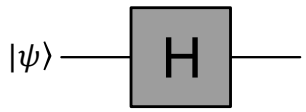
Z-gate

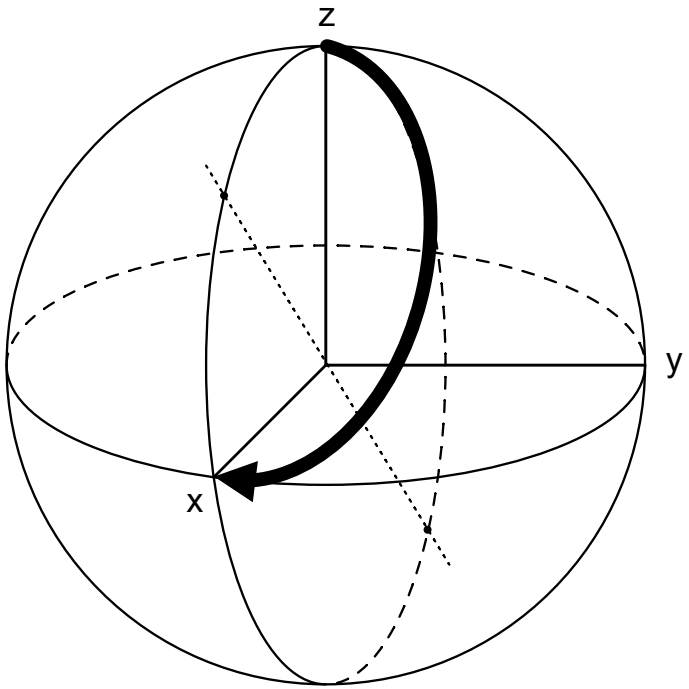




$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

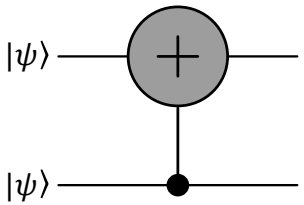
H-gate





$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

CNOT-gate



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

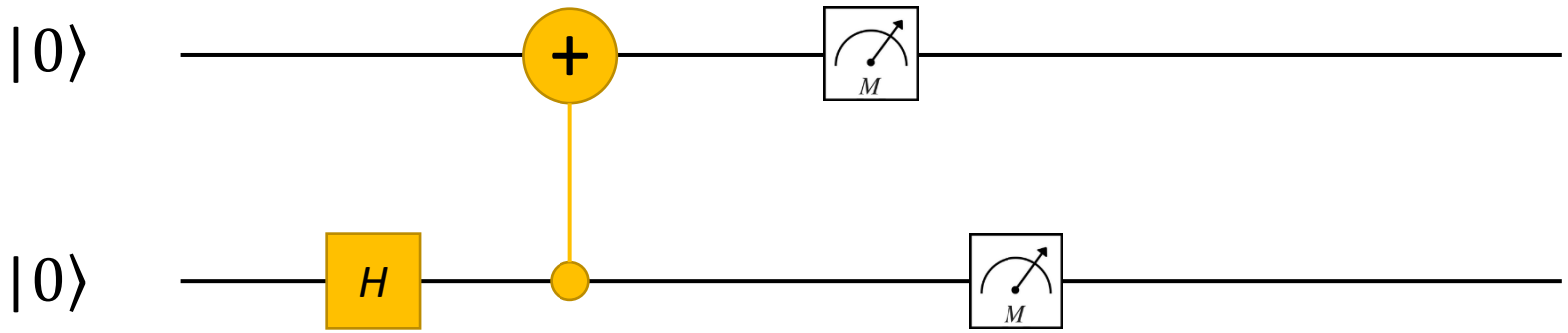
IBM Q Experience

https://quantum-computing.ibm.com

Microsoft Q#

https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/quantum/development-kit

Entanglement



$$|0\rangle = \begin{pmatrix}1\\0\end{pmatrix}$$

$$|0\rangle = \begin{pmatrix}1\\0\end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{H}} \begin{pmatrix}\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix}1\\0\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\ 0\\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\ 0\end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{CNOT}} \begin{pmatrix}1&0&0&0\\0&1&0&0\\0&0&0&1\\0&0&1&0\end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix}\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\0\\\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\0\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\0\\0\\\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\end{pmatrix} = ?$$

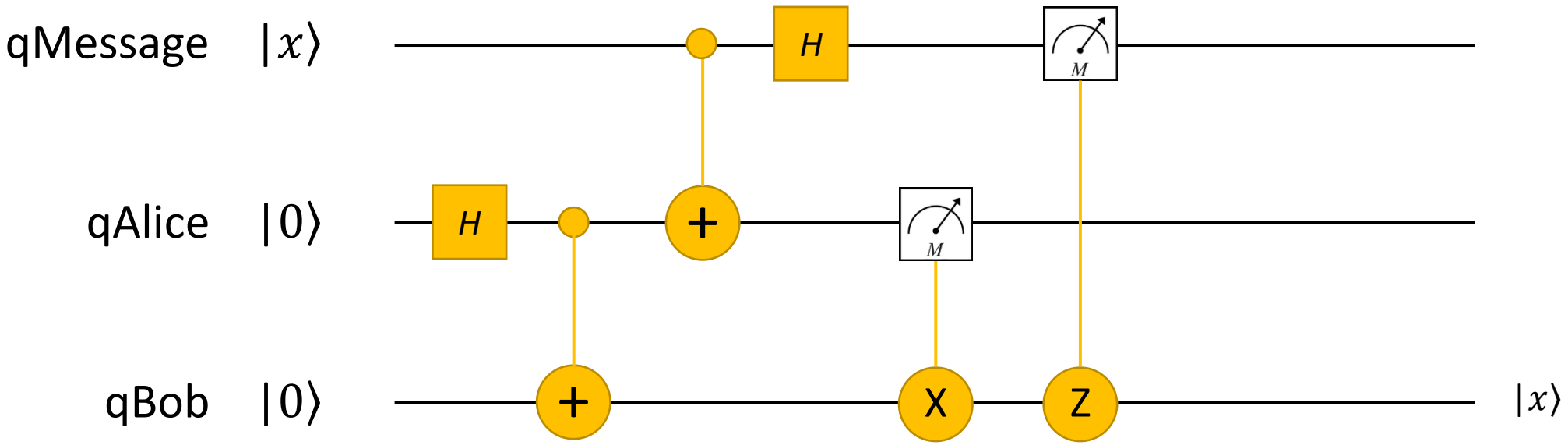
Entanglement

If the product state of two qubits cannot be factored, they are entangled

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} c \\ d \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} ac = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ ad = 0 \\ bc = 0 \\ bd = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{matrix}$$

This set of two qubits has a 50% chance of collapsing to $|00\rangle$ and a 50% chance of collapsing to $|11\rangle$

Teleportation



Quantum Algorithms

- Deutch (1985)
  - Is there a problem that a Quantum Computer can solve faster than a Classical Computer?
  - Deterministic!

Quantum Algorithms

- Deutsch–Jozsa (1992)
  - Based on Deutch (for 1 bit), but applicable for n-bits
  - Deterministic!

Quantum Algorithms

- Grover's algorithm (1996)
  - “Searching a database”
  - Probabilistic!

Quantum Algorithms

- Shor's algorithm (1994)
  - Prime factorization of integers
  - Combination of classical and quantum algorithm
  - Probabilistic!

https://github.com/Djohnnie/QuantumComputing-DotNet-DeveloperDays-2020

Thank you, be professional, and have fun out there!

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