Quantum Circuit Transformation Based on Subgraph Isomorphism and Tabu Search

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Abstract—The goal of quantum circuit transformation is to construct mappings from logical quantum circuits to physical ones in an acceptable amount of time, and in the meantime to introduce as few auxiliary gates as possible. We present an effective approach to constructing the mappings. It consists of two key steps: one makes use of a combined subgraph isomorphism and complement (CSIC) to initialize a mapping, the other dynamically adjusts the mapping by using Tabu search-based adjustment (TSA). Our experiments show that, compared with the very recent method wghtgraph considered in the literature, CSIC can save 22.43% of auxiliary gates and reduce the depth of output circuits by 8.46% on average in the initialization of the mapping, and TSA has a better scalability than many state-of-the-art algorithms for adjusting mappings.

Index Terms—Quantum circuit transformation, subgraph isomorphism, initial mapping, Tabu search

I. Introduction

Quantum technology has been applied in practice, but large quantum computers have not yet been built. Most of the contributions of quantum information to computer science are still in the early stage. In 2017, IBM developed the first 5-qubit backend called IBM QX2, followed by the 16-qubit backend IBM QX3. The revised versions of them are called IBM QX4 and IBM QX5, respectively. IBM Q Experience [1] provides the public with free quantum computer resources on the cloud and opens source the quantum computing software framework Qiskit [2].

Users of these early quantum computers mainly rely on quantum circuits to implement quantum algorithms. There is a gap between the design and implementation of a quantum algorithm. In the design stage, we usually do not consider any hardware connectivity constraints. But in order to implement an algorithm on a physical device, some physical constraints must be taken into account. Hence, it is necessary to transform the circuits for quantum algorithms to satisfy both logical and physical constraints. This process is called quantum circuit transformation, which maps logical qubits to physical ones before the logical circuits are executed in physical devices. A big challenge for quantum information is the problem of quantum decoherence. Due to the decoherence of qubits, quantum gates need to be applied in a coherent period as the time for a qubit to stay in a coherent state is very short. The longest coherence time of a superconducting quantum chip is still within 10us-100us. Therefore, two main goals of a circuit transformation is to reduce the depths of output circuits and the numbers of auxiliary gates introduced by the transformation.

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In the current work, we adjust the lifetime of qubits through parallelization, and use SubgraphMatching [3] to generate partial isomorphic subgraphs of logical circuits and physical circuits as part of the initial mapping. The advantage of the initial mapping is that we use the appropriate subgraph isomorphism and the two-way connection of the logical circuits and the physical circuits to obtain a dense initial mapping, which avoids certain nodes from being mapped to remote locations. We use Tabu search [4] to generate circuits that can be executed on physical devices. Tabu search can avoid falling into local optima and swapping the recently swapped qubits, thereby improve the parallelism of quantum gates. We add SWAP gates associated with the gates on the shortest path to the candidate set, which greatly reduces the search space and improves the search speed. Our evaluation function not only considers the current gates but also the constraints of the gates already considered.

We compare CSIC with the state-of-the-art initial mapping methods wghtgraph [5] and optm [6]. On average, the auxiliary gates of the CSIC algorithm are reduced by 22.43% (resp. 27.14%), and the depths are reduced by 8.46% (resp. 10.74%). We compare TSA with wgtgraph [5] and SABRE [7]. TSA can transform 159 circuits in a few minutes, while the other two adjustment algorithms are difficult to transform medium or large circuits. Among the 159 circuits that we also test with SABRE, only 29 can be successfully mapped within the five-minute limit.

The main contributions of this paper are summarized as follows.

- 1) We use the combined subgraph isomorphism algorithm to generate part of the initial mapping and then complete the mapping based on the connectivity between qubits.
- We present a heuristic circuit adjustment algorithm based on Tabu search, which can adjust large circuits much efficiently, compared with existing precise search and heuristic algorithms.
- 3) We propose a look-ahead evaluation function that considers both the current gates and the gates yet to be executed. It filters out SWAP gates that are beneficial to the current gates and also bring closer the gates to be executed.
- 4) We test 159 circuits, and the results show that the initial mapping generated by our method requires to insert fewer SWAP gates, and the adjustment algorithm can be extended to transform medium and large circuits.

The rest of this paper is organized as follows. In Section II we discuss some related work. In Section III we recall some background of quantum computing and quantum information.

In Section IV we introduce the problem of quantum circuit transformation and povide our detailed solution. The experimental results are reported in Section V. The last section concludes the paper and discusses some future work.

II. RELATED WORK

There are several initial mapping methods. Paler [8] has showed that the initial mapping has an important influence on quantum circuit transformation. He proposed a heuristic method to find the initial mapping. Just by placing qubits in different positions from the default trivial placement in the actual circuit instances on the actual NISQ device, the time cost can be reduced by up to 10%. Li et al. [7] have proposed a novel reverse traversal technique, which determines the initial mapping by considering the entire circuit. Zhou et al. [9] have put forward an annealing algorithm to find an initial mapping, but it is unstable. In [5], Li et al. have considered the subgraph isomorphism algorithm wghtgraph to generate an initial mapping, which is the most recent result, so we will compare with it.

One important goal of circuit adjustment algorithm is to minimize the number of auxiliary SWAP gates. There are currently five main methods for solving the quantum circuit adjustment problem.

- Unitary matrix decomposition algorithm. It is used in [10], [11] to rearrange the quantum circuit from the beginning while retaining the input circuit. It can be applied to a broad class of circuits consisting of generic gate sets, but the results are not as efficient as a compiler designed specifically for this task.
- Converting into some existing problems. This approach converts the quantum circuit transformation problem into some existing problems, such as AI planning [12], [13], Integer Linear Programming (ILP) [14], or Satisfiability Modulo Theories (SMT) [15]. Existing tools for those problems are then used to find acceptable results. The approach cannot take advantage of certain properties of quantum mapping, which is a drawback. Furthermore, as the time cost is usually long, it can only transform small quantum circuits.
- Exact methods. Siraichi et al. [16] have proposed an exact method. It will iterate all possible mappings for all dependencies, so it is only suitable for simple quantum architectures and cannot be extended to complex ones.
- Graph theory. In [17], Shafaei et al. have used the minimum linear permutation solution in graph theory to model the problem of reducing the interaction distance. The main idea is to divide a given circuit into several sub-circuits and apply the minimum linear permutation solution, respectively. Then, by adding auxiliary gates, all gates in the sub-circuits become adjacent gates. Finally, bubble sort is used to calculate the number of necessary SWAP gates. In [18], [19], a two-step method is used to reduce the quantum circuit transformation to the graph problem to minimize the number of auxiliary gates, based on the graph coloring problem and the largest subgraph isomorphism problem.

• Heuristic search. Heuristic search uses an evaluation function to obtain an acceptable solution in exponential time. Zulehner et al. [6] have suggested to layer the circuits, then determine compatible mappings for each of these layers to add as few auxiliary gates as possible. Zhou et al. [9] have designed a heuristic search algorithm with a novel selection mechanism. Instead of choosing the operation with the lowest cost to apply, one can look ahead one step and then choose the best continuous operation. In this way, the algorithm can effectively avoid local minima. Moreover, a pruning mechanism has been introduced to reduce the search space's size and ensure that the program terminates in a reasonable amount of time.

Li et al. [7] have proposed a SWAP-based search algorithm SABRE. Compared with previous search algorithms based on exhaustive mapping, SABRE can adapt to large quantum circuits in the NISQ era. In [20], a routing algorithm called $t | ket \rangle$ ensures that any quantum circuit can be compiled into any architecture. The algorithm is divided into four stages: decomposing the input circuit into time steps, determining the initial mapping, routing across time steps, and cleaning up. The heuristics in $t | ket \rangle$ give the same or better results than other circuit transformation systems in terms of the depth and the total number of gates in the compiled circuit, with much shorter running time, and can transform larger circuits. In [21], a variation-aware qubit movement strategy is proposed. It takes advantage of the change in error rate and a change-aware quantum circuit transformation strategy by trying to select the route with the lowest probability of failure. This strategy uses the error rate of SWAPs to allocate logical qubits to physical qubits, thus avoiding paths with high error rates as much as possible.

Among the existing methods above, wghtgraph [5] and optm [6] are probably the most effective initial mapping ones. As to circuit adjustment algorithms, wgtgraph [5] and SABRE [7] represent the state-of-the-art. Therefore, we choose to compare our solution with them in Section V.

III. PRELIMINARY

In this section, we introduce some notions and notations of quantum computing and quantum information.

Classical information is stored in bits, while quantum information is stored in qubits. Besides two basic states $|0\rangle$ and $|1\rangle$, a qubit can be in any linear superposition state like $|\phi\rangle=a\,|0\rangle+b\,|1\rangle$, where $a,b\in\mathbb{C}$ satisfy the condition $|a|^2+|b|^2=1.$ The intuition is that $|\phi\rangle$ is in the state $|0\rangle$ with the probability $|a|^2$ or in the state $|1\rangle$ with the probability $|b|^2.$ We use the letter Q (resp. q) to denote a physical qubit (resp. logical qubit).

By applying quantum gates to qubits, we can change their states. For example, the Hadamard gate (H gate) can be applied on a single qubit, while the CNOT gate can be applied on two qubits. Their representations in terms of gate symbols and their semantics in terms of matrices are shown in Fig. 1.

A quantum logical circuit consists of quantum gates interconnected by quantum wires [22]; see Fig. 2 for an example.

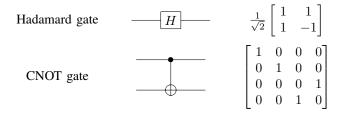


Fig. 1. The symbols of two quantum gates and their matrices

A quantum wire is a mechanism for moving quantum data from one location to another. Each line denotes a qubit, and the gates on the lines act on the corresponding qubits. The execution order of a quantum logical circuit is from left to right. The width of a circuit refers to the number of qubits in the circuit. The depth of a circuit refers to the number of layers executing in parallel. For example, the depth of the circuit in Fig. 2 is 6, and the width is 5. In this paper, a circuit with a depth less than 100 is a called a small circuit, a circuit with a depth greater than 1000 is called a large circuit, and the rest are medium circuits. It is unnecessary to consider quantum gates acting on single qubits in circuit adjustments, since the single qubits are *local* [17].

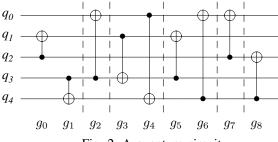


Fig. 2. A quantum circuit

In the current work, we mainly consider the physical circuits of the IBM Q series. Let $\mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{P}}=(V_P,E_P)$ denote the architecture graph of a physical circuit, where V_P denotes the set of physical qubits and E_P denotes the set of edges that connect CNOT gates. In Fig. 3, Diagrams (a) and (b) are the physical architecture graphs of the 5-qubit IBM QX2 and IBM QX4, respectively; Diagram (c) and (d) are the physical architecture graphs of the 16-qubit IBM QX3 and IBM QX5, respectively; Diagram (e) is the physical architecture graph of IBM Q20. The direction in each edge indicates the control direction of a 2-qubit gate, and 2-qubit gates can only be performed between on two adjacent qubits. IBM physical circuits only support single quantum gates and CNOT gates between two adjacent qubits.

Given a logical circuit LC, a physical architecture \mathcal{AG}_P , an initial mapping τ , and a CNOT gate $g = \langle q_i, q_j \rangle$, where q_i is the control qubit, q_j is the target qubit, if gate g is executable on a physical circuit with the architecture \mathcal{AG}_P , then $\langle \tau(q_i), \tau(q_j) \rangle$ must be a directed edge on \mathcal{AG}_P .

Example 1: Fig. 4 (a) is the logical architecture of Fig. 2. Fig. 4 (b) is the partial architecture graph of IBM Q20. An

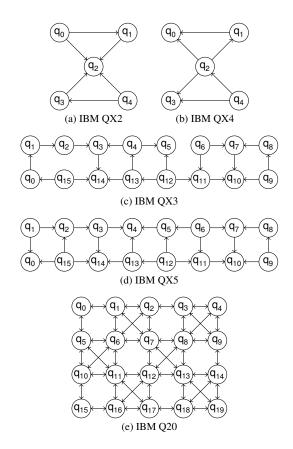


Fig. 3. IBM QX architectures

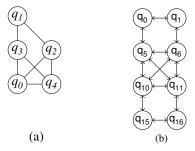


Fig. 4. (a) The architecture graph of the original circuit in Fig. 2. (b) The partial architecture graph of IBM Q20.

initial mapping is

$$\tau = \{q_0 \to \mathsf{q}_{10}, \ q_1 \to \mathsf{q}_0, \ q_2 \to \mathsf{q}_6, \ q_3 \to \mathsf{q}_5, \ q_4 \to \mathsf{q}_{11}\}.$$

The 2-qubit gate $g_0 = \langle q_2, q_1 \rangle$ is not executable, since the edge $\langle \tau(q_2), \tau(q_1) \rangle = \langle \mathbf{q_6}, \mathbf{q_0} \rangle$ does not exist in \mathcal{AG}_P . But $g_3 = \langle q_1, q_3 \rangle$ is executable, since the edge $\langle \tau(q_1), \tau(q_3) \rangle = \langle \mathbf{q_0}, \mathbf{q_5} \rangle$ exists in \mathcal{AG}_P .

IV. QUANTUM CIRCUIT TRANSFORMATION

It is a popular assumption that the input circuit has only single quantum gates and CNOT gates [23], [24]. We add auxiliary gates to move two non-adjacent qubits to adjacent position or change the direction of a CNOT gate. Adding more gates increases the risk of introducing more noise. Therefore, we expect to find a circuit transformation algorithm that, when

given an input circuit, can produce an output circuit with a minimal number of auxiliary gates and a small circuit depth in an acceptable amount of time.

Roughly speaking, quantum circuit transformation includes the following three steps.

- Preprocessing. This step includes extracting the logical architecture graph of the circuit, adjusting the life cycle of qubits as in [25], and calculating the shortest paths of the physical circuit.
- 2) Isomorphism and completion. This step uses the subgraph isomorphism algorithm to find part of the initial mapping [3]. Then we perform a mapping completion to include the remaining nodes that do not satisfy all isomorphism requirements, according to the connectivity between the unmapped nodes and the mapped nodes.
- 3) Adjustment. After the second step, some logically adjacent nodes may be mapped to physically non-adjacent nodes, thus quantum gates applied on them cannot be executable on physical devices. It is necessary to adjust the quantum circuits by adding auxiliary gates to swap qubits. We use Tabu search-based adjustment algorithm to generate circuits that can be physically executed.

Note that isomorphism and adjustment are both NP-complete [16]. Thus, we make use of some heuristics. Below we give a detailed consideration for each step.

A. Preprocessing

In the preprocessing step, we adjust the input circuit described by an openQASM program to shorten the life cycle of qubits. Then we use a Breadth-First Search (BFS) to calculate the shortest distance between each pair of nodes on the architecture graph.

We use a layered method to analyze the life cycle of qubits and pack the gates that can be executed in parallel into a bundle, forming a layered bundle format [25].

Quantum gates acting on different qubits can be executed in parallel. Therefore, we classify the gates that can be executed in parallel into one layer, otherwise we add a new layer. The notation $L(LC) = \{\mathcal{L}_0, \mathcal{L}_1, ..., \mathcal{L}_n\}$ denotes the layered circuit, where \mathcal{L}_i $(0 \leq i \leq n)$ stands for a quantum gate set that can be executed in parallel. The quantum gate set separated by the dotted line in Fig. 2 are the following $\mathcal{L}_0 = \{g_0, g_1\}, \mathcal{L}_1 = \{g_2\}, \mathcal{L}_2 = \{g_3, g_4\}, \mathcal{L}_3 = \{g_5, g_6\}, \mathcal{L}_4 = \{g_7\}, \mathcal{L}_5 = \{g_8\}.$

At the same time of circuit layering, we generate a logical circuit architecture graph $\mathcal{AG_L}=(V_L,E_L)$, which is an undirected graph with V_L being the set of vertices, and E_L the set of undirected edges that denote the connectivity between qubits related by CNOT gates. Given a physical architecture graph and assume the distance of each edge is 1, we can use Floyd-Warshall algorithm to calculate the shortest distance matrix dist[i][j], which denotes the shortest distance from $\mathbf{q_i}$ to $\mathbf{q_i}$.

For IBM QX2, QX3, QX4, and QX5, the control of one qubit to a neighbour is unilateral. In this case, a SWAP gate can be implemented by using three CNOT gates and four H gates, as shown in Fig. 5. The four H gates are needed to change the direction of the middle CNOT gate. Consider a

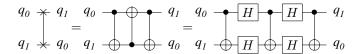


Fig. 5. Implementing a SWAP gate by using CNOT gates and H gates

CNOT gate $g = \langle q_i, q_j \rangle$. If q_i and q_j are mapped to \mathbf{q}_m and \mathbf{q}_n , respectively, then the cost of executing g under the shortest path is $cost_{cnot}(q_i,q_j)=7\times(dist[m][n]-1)$. For IBM Q20, where the control between two adjacent qubits is bilateral, a SWAP gate can be implemented by using three CNOT gates. Thus the cost is $cost_{cnot}(q_i,q_i)=3\times(dist[m][n]-1)$.

Example 2: Take the QX5 (cf. Fig. 3 (d)) architecture as an example. Given a CNOT gate $g = \langle q_1, q_2 \rangle$, with q_1 mapped to \mathbf{q}_1 and q_2 mapped to \mathbf{q}_{14} , the shortest distance between them is dist[1][14] = 3. There are 3 shortest paths to move \mathbf{q}_1 to the adjacent position of \mathbf{q}_{14} : $\pi_0 = \mathbf{q}_1 \to \mathbf{q}_2 \to \mathbf{q}_3 \to \mathbf{q}_{14}$, $\pi_1 = \mathbf{q}_1 \to \mathbf{q}_2 \to \mathbf{q}_{15} \to \mathbf{q}_{14}$, $\pi_2 = \mathbf{q}_1 \to \mathbf{q}_0 \to \mathbf{q}_{15} \to \mathbf{q}_{14}$. Their costs are given by $cost_{\pi_0} = 18$, $cost_{\pi_1} = 14$, and $cost_{\pi_2} = 14$, respectively.

B. Isomorphism and Completion

Generally speaking, in a physical architecture graph, it is almost impossible to find a subgraph that exactly matches all the nodes in a logical architecture graph. We regard the mapping with the largest number of matching nodes as the partial mapping. SubgraphMatching compares various compositions of several state-of-the-art subgraph isomorphism algorithms. It shows that the best performance can be achieved by using filters and the sorting ideas of the GraphQL algorithm to process candidate nodes, and the local candidates calculation method LFTJ based on set-intersection to enumerate the results. Since SubgraphMatching cannot handle disconnected graphs, we artificially create connected graphs by linking isolated nodes to the nodes with the largest degree in the logical architecture graph.

The input of Algorithm 1 is a target graph (\mathcal{AG}_P) , a query graph (\mathcal{AG}_L) , and the partial mapping set T. We initialize an empty queue Q. Then we traverse τ and add the unmapped nodes to the queue Q. For the unmapped nodes, we try to map them to the vicinity of the mapped nodes in \mathcal{AG}_P . If a node q is not mapped to any physical node, we need to perform such kind of mapping completion. Finally, we generate a dense mapping, which can reduce the added auxiliary gates. In principle, we could try to match the remaining unmapped nodes randomly, but it may lead to a mapping with a node far away from other nodes. If an unmapped node has an edge adjacent to a matched node in the query graph, it will be matched to one of the adjacent nodes first. In this way, we can obtain all initial candidate mappings.

Example 3: Following the previous example, we use the CSIC algorithm for the logical architecture graph given in Fig. 4 (a) and the physical architecture graph given in Fig. 3 (e) to obtain the partial mapping set $T = \{\tau_0, \tau_1, ..., \tau_n\}$. We take one of the partial mappings as an example.

$$\tau_0 = \{q_0 \to \mathsf{q}_{10}, q_1 \to -1, q_2 \to \mathsf{q}_6, q_3 \to \mathsf{q}_5, q_4 \to \mathsf{q}_{11}\}.$$

Algorithm 1: Complete initial mapping

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Input: \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{L}}: The architecture of logical circuit;
   \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{P}}: The architecture of physical circuit;
    T: A partial mapping set obtained by
   SubgraphMatching;
    Output: result: A collection of mapping relations
               between \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{L}} and \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{P}};
 1 Initialize result = \emptyset;
2 l \leftarrow \max_{\tau \in T} \tau.length;
3 for \tau \in T do
        if l = \tau.length then
4
             result.add(\tau);
 5
             Q \leftarrow an empty unmapped node queue;
 6
             i \leftarrow 1;
 7
             while i \leq \tau.length do
 8
                  Q.push(\{i, i \leq \tau.length \});
                 i \leftarrow i + 1;
10
             while Q is not empty do
11
                  q \leftarrow Q.poll();
12
13
                  targetAdj \leftarrow \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{P}}.adjacencyMatrix();
                  queryAdj \leftarrow \mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{L}}.adjacencyMatrix();
14
                  cans \leftarrow an empty candidate node list
15
                   sorted by degree;
                  cans \cup \{q_m, \ q_m \leq queryAdj[q].length\};
16
                  while cans is not empty do
17
18
                       q \leftarrow \tau[cans.first];
                       k \leftarrow 0;
19
                       cans \leftarrow cans \backslash cans.first;
20
                       while k < targetAdj[q].length do
21
                            if (tarqetAdj[q][k] \neq
22
                              -1 \text{ or } targetAdj[k][q] \neq -1
                             and not \tau.contains(k) then
23
                                 \tau[q] \leftarrow k;
                                break;
25
                            k \leftarrow k + 1;
26
                       if k \neq targetAdj[q].length then
27
28
29 return result;
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where $q_1 \to -1$ means that q_1 is not mapped to any physical node, so we need to perform a mapping completion. The maximum number of mapped nodes is 4. Next, we will demonstrate how τ_0 is completed. We add all unmapped nodes to the queue $Q,\ Q=\{q_1\}$. Then we loop until Q is empty. We pop the first element q of Q, get the adjacency matrix of the query graph and the target graph, and traverse the adjacency matrix. We put the nodes q_m adjacent to q into the candidate nodes list cans, which is sorted by the connectivity of q_m and q. We get $cans = \{q_3, q_2, q_4, q_0\}$. Then, we traverse cans and take out the first element q_3 in cans, and calculate the phycical node $q = q_5, \ \tau_0(q_3) = q_5$. Finally, we map q to the node connected to q but not yet mapped. If the nodes connected to q have been mapped, the loop continues. In this

example, it can be directly mapped to q_0 . In the end, we obtain the mapping

$$\tau_0 = \{q_0 \to \mathsf{q}_{10}, q_1 \to \mathsf{q}_0, q_2 \to \mathsf{q}_6, q_3 \to \mathsf{q}_5, q_4 \to \mathsf{q}_{11}\}.$$

C. Adjustment

1) Tabu search: The Tabu search algorithm is a type of heuristic algorithm. It uses a tabu list to avoid searching repeated spaces, thereby avoiding deadlock. The algorithm uses amnesty rules to jump out of the local optimum to ensure the diversity of transformed results. The circuit adjustment mainly relies on the Tabu search algorithm, aiming to adjust those large circuits that the current algorithm is difficult to adjust and produce an output circuit closer to the optimal solution.

The following objects are defined in Tabu search: neighborhoods, neighborhood action, tabu list, candidate set, tabu object, evaluation function, and amnesty rule. All the edges that can be swapped in the current map are the neighborhoods. Tabu list avoids local optima and guarantees the parallelism of auxiliary gates. Tabu object is the object in the tabu list. We try not to use the recently swapped qubits as much as possible, which are added to the tabu list. We perform pruning to reduce search space, since only swaps adjacent to at least one gate node are meaningful. We select the edge in the shortest path that has an intersection with the qubits contained in the gate as a candidate set. Evaluation function selects an element from the candidate set that can make the distance of gates smaller. Amnesty rules are used when all objects in the candidate set are banned, or after banning an object, the target value will be greatly reduced.

The calculation of neighborhoods is shown in Algorithm 2. The input is the current circuit mapping τ_p . The set qubits contains the mapping from physical qubits to logical qubits, where j=qubits[i] means that the i-th physical qubit has been mapped to the j-th logical qubit. The set locs denotes the mapping of logical qubits to physical qubits, where j=locs[i] means that the i-th logical qubit has been mapped to the j-th physical qubit. The current layer list of all gates is cl, and the output is a candidate set of the current mapping. The set E contains the edges of all the shortest paths in the physical architecture graph of all the gates in the current layer.

Example 4: Let us consider the mapping

$$\tau_0 = \{q_0 \to \mathsf{q}_{10}, q_1 \to \mathsf{q}_0, q_2 \to \mathsf{q}_6, q_3 \to \mathsf{q}_5, q_4 \to \mathsf{q}_{11}\},\$$

for $L_0 = \{g_0, g_1\}$, $dist_{cnot}(g_0) = 3$ and $dist_{cnot}(g_1) = 3$. Gate g_1 can be executed directly in the τ_0 mapping, so we delete it from L_0 , but g_0 cannot be executed in the mapping τ_0 . Thus, a circuit adjustment is required. Nodes that cannot be executed join the set $swap_nodes = \{q_0, q_6\}$. The set of the shortest paths is

$$paths = \{\{q_6 \rightarrow q_1 \rightarrow q_0\}, \{q_6 \rightarrow q_5 \rightarrow q_0\}\},\$$

and then we traverse the shortest paths to calculate the candidate set. The two endpoints of an edge passed by one of the shortest paths should intersect with the swap set and join the candidate set. The current candidate set is $\{(q_6, q_1), (q_1, q_0), (q_6, q_5), (q_5, q_0)\}$.

Algorithm 2: Calculate the candidate sets

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Input: dist: The shortest paths of physical
            architecture:
   qubits: The mapping from physical qubits to logical
   locs: The mapping from logical qubits to physical
   qubits;
   cl: Gates included in the current layer of circuits;
   Output: results: The set of candidate solution;
1 Initialize results \leftarrow \emptyset;
2 E_w \leftarrow Calculate the weight of each edge;
swap\_nodes \leftarrow An empty set of candidate swap
    nodes;
4 foreach g \in cl do
       if g is executable then
        | cl \leftarrow cl \setminus \{g\};
 6
       else
 7
            swap\_nodes.add(locs[g.control]);
            swap\_nodes.add(locs[g.target]);
10 foreach g \in cl do
       foreach
11
         path \in paths[locs[q.control]][locs[q.target]] do
           foreach e \in path do
12
                if \{e.source, e.target\} \cap swap\_nodes \neq \emptyset
13
                 then
                    new \ qubits \leftarrow qubits;
14
                    new\_locs \leftarrow locs;
15
                    q_1 \leftarrow new\_qubits[e.source];
16
                    q_2 \leftarrow new\_qubits[e.target];
17
                    new\_qubits[e.source] \leftarrow q_2;
18
                    new\_qubits[e.target] \leftarrow q_1;
19
                    if q_1 \neq -1 then
20
                     new\_locs[q_1] \leftarrow q_2;
21
                    if q_2 \neq -1 then
22
                     | new\_locs[q_2] \leftarrow q_1;
23
24
                    s.swaps \leftarrow p.swaps \cup
25
                      \{distance.paths[e.source][e.target]\};
26
                      evaluate(dist, new\_locs, cl);
                    results \leftarrow results \cup \{s\};
27
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The Tabu search-based adjustment algorithm takes a layered circuit and an initial mapping as input and outputs a circuit that can be executed in the specified architecture graph, as shown in Algorithm 3. The adjusted circuit mapping of each layer is used as the initial mapping of the next layer. Line 1 regards the initial mapping τ_{ini} as the best mapping τ_{best} . Lines 3-12 cyclically check whether all the gates in the current layer can be executed under the mapping τ_{ini} . If not all the gates are executable or the number of iterations has not reached the given maximum number, the search will continue. Otherwise,

28 return results;

Algorithm 3: Tabu search

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Input: \tau_{ini}: The initial mapping
   tl: Tabu list
   Output: \tau_{best}: The best mapping
 1 Initialize \tau_{best} \leftarrow \tau_{ini};
                            // Number of iterations
2 iter \leftarrow 1;
3 while not mustStop(iter, \tau_{best}) do
        C \leftarrow \tau_{ini}.candidates(); // candidate set
4
        if C is empty then
5
        | break;
 6
        C_{best} \leftarrow find\_best\_candidates(C, tl);
7
        if C_{best} is empty then
 8
         C_{best} \leftarrow find\_amnesty\_candidates(C, tl);
 9
        \tau_{best} \leftarrow C_{best};
10
        tl \leftarrow tl \cup \{C_{best}.swap\};
11
        iter \leftarrow iter + 1;
12
13 return \tau_{best}
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the search will terminate. Line 4 gets the current mapping candidate, and Line 7 finds the best mapping in the candidate set. The mapping will first remove the overlapping elements of the candidate set and the tabu list. Then from the remaining candidates, we choose a mapping with the lowest cost. Line 9 takes the amnesty rules. When the best candidate is not found, all the elements in the candidate set will be put in the tabu list. The amnesty rules select the mapping with the lowest cost in the candidate set as the best candidate mapping. Lines 10-12 update the best mapping τ_{best} and the current mapping τ_{curr} , and add the SWAP performed by the best mapping to the tabu list tl, indicating that the SWAP has just been performed. The algorithm would try to avoid re-swapping the just swapped qubits. Then it will check whether the termination condition of the algorithm is satisfied. The condition determines whether the number of iterations has reached the maximum number, or the current mapping ensures all the gates in the current layer can be executed.

Example 5: Let us continue the previous example. We start searching from the initial mapping. We need to get the candidate SWAP set and select the one with the lower evaluation scores. For $L_0 = \{g_0, g_1\}$, the candidate set is $\{(\mathsf{q}_6, \mathsf{q}_1), (\mathsf{q}_1, \mathsf{q}_0), (\mathsf{q}_6, \mathsf{q}_5), (\mathsf{q}_5, \mathsf{q}_0)\}$, and the costs are given as follows.

$$cost((q_6, q_1)) = 3.0, cost((q_1, q_0)) = 3.0, cost((q_6, q_5)) = 3.0, cost((q_5, q_0)) = 3.0.$$

The algorithm will choose the first SWAP, the mapping becomes

$$\tau_0 = \{q_0 \to \mathsf{q}_{10}, q_1 \to \mathsf{q}_0, q_2 \to \mathsf{q}_1, q_3 \to \mathsf{q}_5, q_4 \to \mathsf{q}_{11}\}.$$

It can be seen that the current mapping ensures the executability of g_0 . The algorithm continues to search for the next layer.

2) Evaluation functions: We can control the search direction by changing the evaluation functions. We test two evaluation functions: one uses the number of auxiliary gates in the generated circuit as the evaluation criterion (1), and the

other uses the depth of the generated circuit as the evaluation criterion (2).

$$cost((\textbf{q}_{\textbf{m}},\textbf{q}_{\textbf{n}})) = \sum_{g \in L} (dist[\tau(g.control)][\tau(g.target)]) \quad \ (1)$$

$$cost((\mathbf{q_m}, \mathbf{q_n})) = Depth(L)$$
 (2)

where $cost((q_m, q_n))$ denotes the cost of executing all the gates of the current layer L after swapping q_m with q_n . We only calculate the depth between the unmapped gates as in (1) or the distance of the unmapped gates as in (2).

3) Look ahead: We observe that the number of gates in each layer after layering is small. The output of the i-th layer, with i < n, is used as the input of the (i+1)-th layer. Note that any swap operation in the i-th layer will affect the mapping of the (i + 1)-th layer. If we only consider the gates in the current layer when choosing the swapping gates, the swap only satisfies the requirement of the i-th layer, not necessarily the next layer. Therefore, we take the gates in the (i+x)-th layer, with i + x < n, into consideration, where x is the number of look-ahead layers. However, it is necessary to give a higher priority to the execution of the gates in the i-th layer, so we introduce an attenuation factor δ , which controls the influence of the gates in the (i + x)-th layer. Heuristics show that for $x=2, \ \delta=0.9$, the final effect approaches the best. Our evaluation functions in (1) and (2) can be adjusted as (3) and (4), respectively.

$$cost((\mathbf{q_m}, \mathbf{q_n})) = \sum_{g \in L_i} (dist[\tau(g.control)][\tau(g.target)]) + \\ \delta \times \sum_{j=i}^{i+x} \sum_{g \in L_j} (dist[\tau(g.control)][\tau(g.target)])$$
(3)

$$cost((\mathbf{q_m}, \mathbf{q_n})) = Depth(L_i) + \delta \times Depth(\sum_{j=i}^{i+x} L_j).$$
 (4)

4) Complexity: Given a logical circuit architecture graph $\mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{L}} = (V_L, E_L)$ and a physical circuit architecture graph $\mathcal{AG}_{\mathcal{P}} = (V_P, E_P)$, we assume that the initial mapping is τ , the depth of the circuit is d, and the number of qubits is V_L . Tabu search deals with one layer at once, and searches at most d times. Starting from the initial mapping, we first delete the executable gates of the first layer under the initial mapping. Then, the edges of all the shortest paths of all the gates that are not executable in the current layer are added to the candidate set where at least one node is in the gate mapping. In the worst case, the length of the shortest path is $(|E_P|-1)$ and the size of the candidate set is $(|E_P|-1)$. Each swap will make the total distance between the gates smaller. In the worst case, the number of swaps is $(|E_P|-1)^{|E_P|-2}$, but our selection strategy will make the number of swaps significantly reduced. The time complexity in the worst case is $O(d \times (|E_P|-1)^{(|E_P|-2)})$, and the space complexity is the size of our candidate set $(E_P - 1)$, which is in PSPACE.

V. EXPERIMENTS

We compare the CSIC algorithm and Tabu search-based adjustment TSA with the wghtgraph in [5] and the heuristic

algorithm A^* in [6]. All the experiments are conducted on a Ubuntu machine with 2.2GHz CPU and 64G memory.

Firstly, we compare the efficiency of initial mapping on optm [6], CSIC and wghtgraph [5]. In order to observe the results of these two initial mapping algorithms, we used the same circuit adjustment algorithm A^* [6]. We test 159 circuits. Within five minutes, optm, wghtgraph, and CSIC can transform 125, 107, and 135 circuits, respectively. We then compare the wghtgraph algorithm and the CSIC algorithm more closely. The wghtgraph algorithm has 21 circuits with fewer auxiliary gates and 19 circuits with smaller depths, and the CSIC algorithm has 54 circuits with fewer auxiliary gates and 60 circuits with smaller depths. They output 27 circuits with equal depth and 31 circuits with equal auxiliary gates. On average, the auxiliary gates of the CSIC algorithm are reduced by 22.43%, and the depths are reduced by 8.46%.

Secondly, we compare the optm algorithm with the CSIC algorithm. The optm algorithm has 1 circuit with fewer auxiliary gates and 2 circuits with a small depth, while the CSIC algorithm has 101 circuits with fewer auxiliary gates and 100 circuits with a small depth. They have 4 circuits with equal depth and 4 circuits with equal auxiliary gates. The auxiliary gates of the CSIC algorithm are relatively reduced by 27.14%, and the depths are reduced by 10.74%. Table I shows the experimental data. The three initial mapping algorithms are compared according to the depth of the generated circuits using the same A^* algorithm, and the numbers of added auxiliary gates. The column headed by CSIC /optm shows the efficiency improvement of the former upon the latter $(n_{optm} - n_{CSIC})/n_{optm}$.

We then compare in Table II the use of two indicators TSA_{dep} and TSA_{num} that prioritize smaller depths and fewer auxiliary gates, respectively. Using the two indicators as objective functions, we test 159 circuits. The depth of the final circuits obtained by TSA_{num} are 7.70% smaller than TSA_{dep} on average, and the numbers of auxiliary gates added are 26.95% smaller on average. Inserting a SWAP gate requires adding 3 CNOT gates, and the depth will increase by 3. Therefore, the circuit adds less depth, since the number of SWAP gates added is less.

Finally, we compare TSA with wgtgraph. Since the wgtgraph algorithm only uses 2-qubit gates, it is impossible to compare the depth of the generated circuits. Instead, we compare the number of SWAP gates added and the time costs. We set a five-minute timeout period and test 159 circuits. It turns out that TSA_{num} only takes 135 seconds and TSA_{dep} takes 159 seconds. The wgtgraph algorithm takes overtime for the 159 circuts, but only produces valid results for 107 circuits, including 66 small circuits, 41 medium circuits, and no circuit output is produced for any of the 44 large circuits. Although Tabu search can quickly produce results on large circuits, in contrast, more auxiliary gates are added. In the generated circuits obtained by wgtgraph from 107 small and medium circuits, the number of SWAP gates added by wgtgraph is 38.97% smaller than TSA_{num} on average. The Tabu search can quickly output transformed circuits on large circuits, but wgtgraph cannot get results. Since our candidate set is too small to be able to process the circuit quickly, this also leads

| | optm | wgtgraph | CSIC | CSIC /optm | CSIC /wgtgraph |
|-----------------|--------|----------|--------|------------|----------------|
| Depths | 132709 | 129399 | 118450 | 10.74% | 8.46% |
| Auxiliary gates | 20477 | 19232 | 14918 | 27.14% | 22.43% |

TABLE. I. Comparison of optm, wgtgraph and CSIC

| benchmarks #circ. | | TSA_{num} | | TSA_{dep} | | wgtgraph | | SABRE | |
|-------------------|--------|-------------|------|-------------|------|----------|------|--------|-------|
| benemiarks | #CIIC. | #succ. | time | #succ. | time | #succ. | time | #succ. | time |
| small | 66 | 66 | 5 | 66 | 5 | 66 | 254 | 19 | 9651 |
| medium | 49 | 49 | 8 | 49 | 8 | 41 | 1595 | 5 | 13270 |
| large | 44 | 44 | 122 | 44 | 146 | 0 | - | - | - |
| total | 159 | 159 | 135 | 159 | 159 | 107 | - | - | - |

TABLE. II. Comparison of TSA_{num} , TSA_{dep} , wghtgraph and SABRE

to an increment in the insertion of additional gates. As to SABRE, when dealing with 159 circuits with a five-minute limit for each circuit, it successfully produces results for only 19 small circuits, 5 medium circuits. The detailed results of the circuit comparisons are in the Appendix.

VI. CONCLUSION

We have proposed a scalable algorithm for quantum circuit transformation. We first use a subgraph isomorphism algorithm and a mapping completion method based on the connectivity between qubits to generate a high-quality initial mapping. Then we exploit a look-ahead heuristic search taking into account the influence of the pre-layer circuit mapping to reduce the number of auxiliary gates, and complete the transformation. We have compared the influence of the initial mapping with the state-of-the-art algorithms wghtgraph and optm and also compared the overall efficiency with optm, wghtgraph, and SABRE. Experimental results have showed that the initial mapping generated by CSIC has fewer SWAP gates added and the results can be obtained in an acceptable amount of time. Most small and medium circuits can be transformed in a few seconds. For large circuits, the results can be obtained within a few minutes, but the cost of insertion may be lareger than wgtgraph. We have introduced a lookahead method to make each selected SWAP more in line with the constraints of the gates to be executed. In the future, we will investigate how to reduce the number of inserted auxiliary gates and increase the speed. We will also apply the proposed method to more NISQ devices.

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APPENDIX

EXPERIMENTAL DETAILS

In the following tables, qubit no. denotes the number of qubits in the circuit, CNOT no. denotes the number of initial CNOT gates, TSA_{num} , TSA_{dep} , optm, wghtgr, SABRE denote the numbers of CNOT gates added by the TSA using their respective circuit transformation methods. The symbol '-' means that the circuit cannot be successfully transformed within five minutes.

Tables III and IV show the circuits that TSA_{num} , TSA_{dep} , optm, wghtgr can successfully transform, and calculate the total numbers of gates added by them. Table V shows the circuits that optm, wghtgr, and SABRE may not be able to transform. Tables VI and VII show the depths of the circuits after TSA_{num} , TSA_{dep} , optm can successfully transform them. Table VIII shows the circuits that optm cannot transform.

| Circuit | qubit | CNOT | TSA _{num} | TSA_{dep} | optm | wghtgr | SABRE |
|---|---------|-----------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-------|
| name | no. | no. | added | added | added | added | added |
| decod24-enable_126 | 6 | 149 | 27 | 50 | 60 | 16 | - |
| 4mod5-v0_19 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| 4mod5-v0_18 | 5 | 31 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 2 | - |
| mod5d2_64 | 5 | 25 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 3 | - |
| 4gt4-v0_72 | 6 | 113 | 14 | 10 | 33 | 13 | 60 |
| alu-v3_35 4gt4-v0_73 | 5 6 | 18 179 | 2 25 | 4 40 | 8 76 | 3 19 | 12 |
| alu-v3_34 | 5 | 24 | 23 | 3 | 70 | 3 | 28 |
| 3_17_13 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | - |
| 4gt4-v0_78 | 6 | 109 | 12 | 8 | 48 | 4 | 281 |
| 4gt4-v0_79 | 6 | 105 | 16 | 17 | 48 | 3 | - |
| 4mod7-v1_96 | 5 | 72 | 16 | 19 | 27 | 6 | - |
| mod10_171 | 5 | 108 | 17 | 20 | 39 | 8 | - |
| ex2_227 | 7 5 | 275 | 46 | 55 | 121 | 25 | - |
| mod10_176 0410184_169 | 14 | 78 104 | 14 11 | 14 13 | 38 49 | 5 1 | - |
| 4mod5-v0_20 | 5 | 104 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 12 |
| aj-e11_165 | 5 | 69 | 8 | 8 | 33 | 6 | - |
| alu-v1_28 | 5 | 18 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 3 | _ |
| f2_232 | 8 | 525 | 92 | 104 | 218 | 72 | - |
| 4gt12-v0_86 | 6 | 116 | 8 | 31 | 48 | 3 | - |
| 4gt12-v0_87 | 6 | 112 | 7 | 30 | 45 | 2 | 148 |
| 4gt12-v0_88 | 6 | 86 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 6 | - |
| alu-v1_29 ham7_104 | 5 7 | 17 149 | 30 | 4 31 | 11 68 | 3 16 | - |
| C17_204 | 7 | 205 | 26 | 53 | 99 | 23 | _ |
| xor5 254 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | _ |
| hwb4_49 | 5 | 107 | 14 | 15 | 38 | 10 | 73 |
| rd73_140 | 10 | 104 | 25 | 29 | 35 | 19 | _ |
| decod24-v0_38 | 4 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 12 |
| rd53_131 | 7 | 200 | 21 | 39 | 98 | 12 | |
| rd53_133 | 7 | 256 | 39 | 55 | 102 | 17 | - |
| rd53_135 sys6-v0_111 | 7 10 | 134 98 | 22 18 | 33 30 | 38 38 | 22 15 | - |
| decod24-v2_43 | 4 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 36 |
| rd53_138 | 8 | 60 | 13 | 19 | 23 | 8 | - |
| rd32-v0_66 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 21 |
| sym9_146 | 12 | 148 | 31 | 52 | 54 | 28 | - |
| 4gt13-v1_93 | 5 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | - |
| graycode6_47 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - |
| 4mod5-bdd_287 | 7 | 31 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 2 | - 10 |
| ham3_102 | 3 6 | 11 79 | 0 8 | 0 14 | 3 22 | 0 4 | 12 |
| 4gt4-v0_80 ex-1_166 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | _ |
| mod5mils_65 | 5 | 16 | ő | 0 | 6 | 0 | 16 |
| 0example | 5 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | - |
| alu-v4_36 | 5 | 51 | 12 | 8 | 22 | 2 | 108 |
| alu-v4_37 | 5 | 18 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 21 |
| ex1_226 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| one-two-three-v0_98 | 5 | 65 | 11 | 13 | 32 | 5 | - |
| one-two-three-v0_97 one-two-three-v3_101 | 5 5 | 128 32 | 21 3 | 23 | 64 14 | 12 | - |
| rd32_270 | 5 | 36 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 4 | - |
| rd53_130 | 7 | 448 | 89 | 100 | 190 | 52 | - |
| rd53_251 | 8 | 564 | 74 | 131 | 230 | 44 | - |
| 4mod5-v1_24 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | - |
| mod5adder_127 | 6 | 239 | 21 | 47 | 111 | 21 | - |
| 4_49_16 | 5 | 99 | 20 | 16 | 40 | 6 | - |
| hwb5_53 | 6 | 598 | 92 | 168 | 173 | 57 | - |
| ex3_229 4gt10-v1_81 | 6 5 | 175 66 | 8 13 | 7 15 | 50 28 | 8 4 | - |
| alu-v2_32 | 5 | 72 | 13 | 17 | 27 | 4 | _ |
| alu-v2_32 alu-v2_31 | 5 | 198 | 39 | 51 | 85 | 16 | - |
| alu-v2_30 | 6 | 223 | 38 | 45 | 96 | 17 | - |
| sf_276 | 6 | 336 | 51 | 38 | 138 | 12 | - |
| decod24-v1_41 | 5 | 38 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 1 | - |
| sf_274 | 6 | 336 | 10 | 21 | 82 | 11 | 370 |
| 4gt4-v1_74 | 6 | 119 | 9 | 24 | 37 | 6 | - |
| alu-v2_33 | 5 12 | 17 | 101 | 150 | 168 | 2 | 14 |
| cm152a_212 cnt3-5_179 | 16 | 532 85 | 101 | 150 6 | 168 35 | 42 | - |
| CIII.3-3_179 | 10 | 65 | 1 0 | 0 | | 1 | |

TABLE. III. Comparison of the numbers of SWAP gates added by the output circuits on IBM Q20

| Circuit | qubit | CNOT | TSA _{num} | TSA _{dep} | optm | wghtgr | SABRE |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| name | no. | no. | added | added | added | added | added |
| sym6_316 | 14 | 123 | 32 | 33 | 56 | 18 | - |
| 4mod5-v1_22 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 21 |
| 4mod5-v1_23 | 5 | 32 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 2 | - |
| mini_alu_305 | 10 | 77 | 11 | 19 | 28 | 9 | - |
| alu-v0_26 | 5 | 38 | 7 | 10 | 13 | 4 | - |
| alu-bdd_288 | 7 | 38 | 4 | 11 | 16 | 5 | - |
| alu-v0_27 | 5 | 17 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 3 | - |
| 4gt13_91 | 5 | 49 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 2 | - |
| 4gt5_77 | 5 | 58 | 12 | 12 | 20 | 3 | - |
| 4gt13_92 | 5 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 51 |
| 4gt5_76 | 5 | 46 | 7 | 10 | 24 | 7 | - |
| 4gt5_75 | 5 | 38 | 5 | 11 | 16 | 3 | - |
| 4gt12-v1_89 | 6 | 100 | 19 | 23 | 38 | 9 | - |
| one-two-three-v1_99 | 5 | 59 | 11 | 10 | 26 | 5 | - |
| 4gt13_90 | 5 | 53 | 7 | 7 | 13 | 3 | 53 |
| ising_model_10 | 10 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 | - |
| ising_model_13 | 13 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | - |
| 4gt11_84 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 12 |
| 4gt11_83 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - |
| mod5d1_63 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 28 |
| 4gt11_82 | 5 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - |
| ising_model_16 | 16 | 150 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | - |
| decod24-v3_45 | 5 | 64 | 14 | 14 | 32 | 5 | - |
| rd32-v1_68 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | - |
| mini-alu_167 | 5 | 126 | 27 | 27 | 49 | 10 | - |
| one-two-three-v2_100 | 5 | 32 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 3 | - |
| 4mod7-v0_94 | 5 | 72 | 8 | 14 | 36 | 4 | - |
| cm82a_208 | 8 | 283 | 45 | 75 | 84 | 16 | - |
| mod8-10_178 | 6 | 152 | 5 | 13 | 13 | 25 | - |
| mod8-10_177 | 6 | 196 | 14 | 25 | 58 | 34 | - |
| majority_239 | 7 | 267 | 39 | 43 | 105 | 28 | - |
| qft_10 | 10 | 90 | 23 | 34 | 30 | 15 | - |
| miller_11 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 36 |
| decod24-bdd_294 | 6 | 32 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 4 | - |
| con1_216 | 9 | 415 | 75 | 101 | 177 | 56 | - |
| total | 664 | 11540 | 1618 | 2250 | 4260 | 990 | - |

TABLE. IV. Comparison of the numbers of SWAP gates added by the output circuits on IBM Q20

| Circuit name | qubit no. | CNOT no. | TSA _{num} added | TSA _{dep} added | optm added | wghtgr added | SABR added |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | | |
| max46_240 | 10 | 11844 | 2648 | 3762 | - | - | - |
| rd73_252 | 10 | 2319 | 521 | 751 | 708 | - | - |
| cycle10_2_110 | 12 | 2648 | 712 | 1026 | 961 | - | - |
| sqrt8_260 | 12 | 1314 | 378 | 481 | 457 | - | - |
| urf4_187 | 11 | 224028 | 45463 | 60958 | - | - | - |
| sqn_258 | 10 | 4459 | 1072 | 1455 | - | - | - |
| radd_250 | 13 | 1405 | 342 | 458 | 511 | - | - |
| ham15_107 | 15 | 3858 | 1228 | 1894 | - | - | - |
| sao2_257 | 14 | 16864 | 5076 | 7050 | - | - | - |
| sym9_148 | 10 | 9408 | 1812 | 2746 | - | - | - |
| urf5_280 | 9 | 23764 | - | - | - | - | - |
| square_root_7 | 15 | 3089 | 858 | 2212 | - | - | - |
| hwb7_59 | 8 | 10681 | 2360 | 3539 | 3722 | - | - |
| wim_266 | 11 | 427 | 74 | 118 | 147 | - | - |
| urf2_152 | 8 | 35210 | 8458 | 11855 | 10577 | - | - |
| urf5_158 | 9 | 71932 | 19415 | 25309 | - | - | - |
| urf2_277 | 8 | 10066 | 2706 | 3760 | 3782 | - | _ |
| life_238 | 11 | 9800 | 2593 | 3579 | _ | - | _ |
| root 255 | 13 | 7493 | 1857 | 2929 | _ | - | _ |
| 9symml_195 | 11 | 15232 | 4053 | 5660 | _ | _ | _ |
| sym10 262 | 12 | 28084 | 7806 | 11259 | _ | _ | _ |
| dc1 220 | 11 | 833 | 164 | 193 | 371 | _ | _ |
| cm42a_207 | 14 | 771 | 129 | 211 | 294 | _ | _ |
| rd53_311 | 13 | 124 | 37 | 49 | 51 | _ | _ |
| dc2_222 | 15 | 4131 | 1438 | 1718 | - | _ | _ |
| rd84_142 | 15 | 154 | 42 | 64 | 50 | _ | _ |
| _ | 11 | 1343 | 294 | 435 | 30 | - | - |
| z4_268 | l | | | 433 | 750 | - | - |
| sym6_145 | 7 15 | 1701 | 250 | 3535 | 750 | - | - |
| co14_215 | 1 | 7840 | 2587 | | 70 | - | - |
| cnt3-5_180 | 16 | 215 | 47 | 73 | 79 | - | - |
| mlp4_245 | 16 | 8232 | 2771 | 3872 | - | - | - |
| hwb8_113 | 9 | 30372 | 7057 | 10211 | - | - | - |
| qft_16 | 16 | 240 | 77 | 147 | - | - | - |
| plus63mod4096_163 | 13 | 56329 | 17748 | 23875 | - | - | - |
| urf1_149 | 9 | 80878 | 21602 | 29125 | - | - | - |
| urf3_155 | 10 | 185276 | 48390 | 63552 | - | - | - |
| urf3_279 | 10 | 60380 | 16975 | 23211 | - | - | - |
| hwb9_119 | 10 | 90955 | 21751 | 29612 | - | - | - |
| plus63mod8192_164 | 14 | 81865 | 26663 | 34999 | - | - | - |
| pm1_249 | 14 | 771 | 129 | 211 | 294 | - | - |
| sym9_193 | 11 | 15232 | 4053 | 5660 | - | - | - |
| misex1_241 | 15 | 2100 | 358 | 612 | 600 | - | - |
| urf1_278 | 9 | 26692 | 7238 | 10150 | - | - | - |
| squar5_261 | 13 | 869 | 181 | 283 | 290 | - | - |
| ground_state_estimation_10 | 13 | 154209 | 13467 | 22255 | 15221 | - | - |
| adr4_197 | 13 | 1498 | 417 | 532 | - | - | - |
| hwb6_56 | 7 | 2952 | 619 | 933 | 909 | - | _ |
| clip_206 | 14 | 14772 | 4362 | 6089 | - | - | _ |
| cm85a_209 | 14 | 4986 | 1358 | 1874 | _ | _ | _ |
| rd84_253 | 12 | 5960 | 1704 | 2381 | _ | _ | _ |
| dist_223 | 13 | 16624 | 4665 | 6235 | _ | _ | _ |
| | 1 1 2 | 10027 | 1005 | 0233 | 1 - | l - | |
| inc_237 | 16 | 4636 | 1048 | 1714 | _ | _ | _ |

TABLE. V. Comparison of the numbers of SWAP gates added by the output circuits on IBM Q20

| Circuit | qubit | CNOT | depths | TSA_{num} | TSA_{dep} | ontm |
|------------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| name | no. | no. | no. | depths | depths | optm depths |
| decod24-enable_126 | 6 | 149 | 190 | 230 | 299 | 358 |
| 4mod5-v0_19 | 5 | 16 | 21 | 16 | 16 | 21 |
| 4mod5-v0_18 | 5 | 31 | 40 | 37 | 46 | 48 |
| mod5d2_64 | 5 | 25 | 32 | 37 | 40 | 53 |
| 4gt4-v0_72 | 6 | 113 | 137 | 155 | 143 | 233 |
| alu-v3_35 | 5 | 18 | 22 | 24 | 30 | 44 |
| 4gt4-v0_73 | 6 5 | 179 24 | 227 30 | 254 30 | 299 33 | 442 49 |
| alu-v3_34 3_17_13 | 3 | 17 | 22 | 17 | 17 | 49 |
| 4gt4-v0 78 | 6 | 109 | 137 | 145 | 133 | 266 |
| 4gt4-v0_79 | 6 | 105 | 132 | 153 | 156 | 259 |
| 4mod7-v1_96 | 5 | 72 | 94 | 120 | 129 | 168 |
| mod10_171 | 5 | 108 | 139 | 159 | 168 | 257 |
| ex2_227 | 7 | 275 | 355 | 413 | 440 | 679 |
| mod10_176 | 5 | 78 | 101 | 120 | 120 | 204 |
| rd73_252 | 10 | 2319 2648 | 2867 3386 | 3882 | 4572 | 4601 5826 |
| cycle10_2_110 0410184_169 | 12 14 | 104 | 104 | 4784 137 | 5726 143 | 191 |
| 4mod5-v0_20 | 5 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 10 | 24 |
| sqrt8_260 | 12 | 1314 | 1661 | 2448 | 2757 | 2787 |
| aj-e11_165 | 5 | 69 | 86 | 93 | 93 | 184 |
| alu-v1_28 | 5 | 18 | 22 | 24 | 30 | 50 |
| f2_232 | 8 | 525 | 668 | 801 | 837 | 1268 |
| radd_250 | 13 | 1405 | 1781 | 2431 | 2779 | 3093 |
| 4gt12-v0_86 | 6 | 116 | 135 | 140 | 209 | 254 |
| 4gt12-v0_87 4gt12-v0_88 | 6 | 112 86 | 131 108 | 133 110 | 202 125 | 246 176 |
| alu-v1_29 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 29 | 29 | 46 |
| ham7_104 | 7 | 149 | 185 | 239 | 242 | 367 |
| C17_204 | 7 | 205 | 253 | 283 | 364 | 512 |
| xor5_254 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 8 |
| hwb4_49 | 5 | 107 | 134 | 149 | 152 | 236 |
| rd73_140 | 10 | 104 | 92 | 179 | 191 | 147 |
| decod24-v0_38 | 4 | 23 | 30 | 23 | 23 | 49 |
| rd53_131 rd53_133 | 7 | 200 256 | 261 327 | 263 373 | 317 421 | 509 596 |
| rd53_135 | 7 | 134 | 159 | 200 | 233 | 261 |
| sys6-v0_111 | 10 | 98 | 75 | 152 | 188 | 142 |
| decod24-v2_43 | 4 | 22 | 30 | 22 | 22 | 57 |
| hwb7_59 | 8 | 10681 | 13437 | 17761 | 21298 | 23025 |
| rd53_138 | 8 | 60 | 56 | 99 | 117 | 90 |
| rd32-v0_66 | 4 | 16 | 20 | 16 | 16 | 39 |
| sym9_146 | 12 | 148 | 127 | 241 | 304 | 235 |
| 4gt13-v1_93 graycode6_47 | 5 | 30 5 | 39 | 30 5 | 30 5 | 76 5 |
| wim_266 | 11 | 427 | 514 | 649 | 781 | 912 |
| urf2_152 | 8 | 35210 | 44100 | 60584 | 70775 | 71645 |
| urf2_277 | 8 | 10066 | 11390 | 18184 | 21346 | 20336 |
| 4mod5-bdd_287 | 7 | 31 | 41 | 37 | 49 | 59 |
| ham3_102 | 3 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 22 |
| 4gt4-v0_80 | 6 | 79 | 101 | 103 | 121 | 164 |
| ex-1_166 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 22 |
| mod5mils_65 Oexample | 5 5 | 16 9 | 21 | 16 12 | 16 15 | 40 15 |
| alu-v4_36 | 5 | 51 | 66 | 87 | 75 | 128 |
| alu-v4_30 | 5 | 18 | 22 | 24 | 30 | 44 |
| ex1_226 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 8 |
| one-two-three-v0_98 | 5 | 65 | 82 | 98 | 104 | 174 |
| one-two-three-v0_97 | 5 | 128 | 163 | 191 | 197 | 331 |
| one-two-three-v3_101 | 5 | 32 | 40 | 41 | 44 | 73 |
| rd32_270 | 5 | 36 | 47 | 45 | 45 | 64 |
| dc1_220 | 11 | 833 | 1041 | 1325 | 1412 | 2035 |
| rd53_130 rd53_251 | 7 8 | 448 564 | 569 712 | 715 786 | 748 957 | 1073 1341 |
| cm42a_207 | 14 | 771 | 940 | 1158 | 1404 | 1739 |
| rd53_311 | 13 | 124 | 130 | 235 | 271 | 234 |
| 4mod5-v1_24 | 5 | 16 | 21 | 16 | 16 | 30 |
| mod5adder_127 | 6 | 239 | 302 | 302 | 380 | 609 |
| 4_49_16 | 5 | 99 | 125 | 159 | 147 | 240 |
| hwb5_53 | 6 | 598 | 758 | 874 | 1102 | 1234 |
| ex3_229 | 6 | 175 | 226 | 199 | 196 | 366 |

TABLE. VI. Comparison of the depth of the output circuits on IBM Q20

| G: '4 | 1 1 | CNOT | 1 1 | TDC A | TEC A | |
|---|---------|-----------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Circuit | qubit | CNOT | depths | TSA _{num} | TSA _{dep} | optm |
| name | no. | no. | no. | depths | depths | depths |
| rd84_142 | 15 | 154 | 110 | 280 | 346 | 195 |
| 4gt10-v1_81 | 5 | 66 | 84 | 105 | 111 | 158 |
| alu-v2_32 | 5 | 72 | 92 | 114 | 123 | 163 |
| alu-v2_31 | 5 | 198 | 255 | 315 | 351 | 490 |
| alu-v2_30 | 6 | 223 | 285 | 337 | 358 | 552 |
| sym6_145 | 7 | 1701 | 2187 | 2451 | 3048 | 4294 |
| sf_276 | 6 | 336 | 435 | 489 | 450 | 830 |
| decod24-v1_41 | 5 | 38 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 92 |
| sf_274 | 6 | 336 | 436 | 366 | 399 | 663 |
| 4gt4-v1_74 | 6 | 119 | 154 | 146 | 191 | 259 |
| alu-v2_33 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 29 | 29 | 43 |
| cnt3-5_180 | 16 | 215 | 209 | 356 | 434 | 372 |
| cm152a_212 | 12 | 532 | 684 | 835 | 982 | 1125 |
| cnt3-5_179 | 16 | 85 | 61 | 103 | 103 | 124 |
| sym6_316 | 14 | 123 | 135 | 219 | 222 | 280 |
| 4mod5-v1_22 | 5 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 27 |
| 4mod5-v1_23 | 5 | 32 | 41 | 47 | 47 | 49 |
| mini_alu_305 | 10 | 77 | 71 | 110 | 134 | 139 |
| alu-v0_26 | 5 | 38 | 49 | 59 | 68 | 83 |
| alu-bdd_288 | 7 | 38 | 48 | 50 | 71 | 86 |
| alu-v0_27 | 5 | 17 | 21 | 23 | 29 | 45 |
| 4gt13_91 | 5 | 49 | 61 | 70 | 70 | 88 |
| 4gt5_77 | 5 | 58 | 74 | 94 | 94 | 132 |
| 4gt13_92 | 5 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 30 | 77 |
| 4gt5_76 | 5 | 46 | 56 | 67 | 76 | 125 |
| 4gt5_75 | 5 | 38 | 47 | 53 | 71 | 95 |
| 4gt12-v1_89 | 6 | 100 | 130 | 157 | 169 | 239 |
| one-two-three-v1_99 | 5 5 | 59 | 76 | 92 | 89 | 146 |
| 4gt13_90 | 1 | 53 | 65 | 74 | 74 | 100 |
| pm1_249 | 14 | 771 | 940 | 1158 | 1404 | 1739 |
| ising_model_10 | 10 | 90 | 52 | 90 | 90 | 116 |
| ising_model_13 | 13 | 120 | 46 | 120 | 120 | 113 |
| misex1_241 | 15 | 2100 | 2676 | 3174 | 3936 | 4258 |
| 4gt11_84 | 5 5 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 9 | 19 |
| 4gt11_83 | 5 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| mod5d1_63 | | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 15 |
| 4gt11_82 | 5 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 21 | 23 |
| ising_model_16 | 16 | 150 | 57 | 150 | 150 | 85 |
| squar5_261 | 13 5 | 869 64 | 1051 84 | 1412 106 | 1718 106 | 1801 180 |
| decod24-v3_45 ground_state_estimation_10 | 13 | 154209 | 217236 | 194610 | 220974 | ! |
| | 4 | 154209 | 217230 | 194010 | 16 | 260172 40 |
| rd32-v1_68 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4809 | l . | ! |
| hwb6_56 | 5 | 2952 | 3736 162 | | 5751 207 | 6129 304 |
| mini-alu_167 | 5 | 126 | 40 | 207 41 | 44 | 64 |
| one-two-three-v2_100 | 5 | 32 72 | 92 | 96 | l | 198 |
| 4mod7-v0_94 | 8 | 283 | 340 | | 114 508 | 553 |
| cm82a_208 mod8-10 178 | - | 152 | 193 | 418 167 | 191 | 221 |
| mod8-10_178 mod8-10_177 | 6 | 196 | 251 | 238 | 271 | 415 |
| majority 239 | 7 | 267 | 344 | 384 | 396 | 639 |
| gft 10 | 10 | 90 | 37 | 159 | 192 | 103 |
| qit_10 miller_11 | 3 | 23 | 29 | 23 | 23 | 57 |
| decod24-bdd 294 | 6 | 32 | 40 | 41 | 41 | 68 |
| con1_216 | 9 | 415 | 508 | 640 | 718 | 919 |
| total | 884 | 240309 | 323327 | 338085 | 389022 | 440477 |
| เบเสเ | 004 | 240309 | 343341 | 220002 | 303022 | ++04// |

TABLE. VII. Comparison of the depth of the output circuits on IBM Q20

| Circuit | auhit | CNOT | dontho | TCA | TCA | antm |
|-------------------|----------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------|
| name | qubit | | depths | TSA _{num} | TSA _{dep} | optm |
| | no. | no. 11844 | no. 14257 | depths 19788 | depths 23130 | depths |
| max46_240 | | | | | 406902 | - |
| urf4_187 | 11 10 | 224028 4459 | 264330 | 360417 | | - |
| sqn_258 | - | | 5458 | 7675 | 8824 | - |
| ham15_107 | 15 | 3858 | 4819 | 7542 | 9540 | - |
| sao2_257 | 14 | 16864 | 19563 | 32092 | 38014 | - |
| sym9_148 | 10 | 9408 | 12087 | 14844 | 17646 | - |
| square_root_7 | 15 | 3089 | 3847 | 5663 | 9725 | - |
| urf5_158 | 9 | 71932 | 89148 | 130177 | 147859 | - |
| life_238 | 11 | 9800 | 12511 | 17579 | 20537 | - |
| root_255 | 13 | 7493 | 8839 | 13064 | 16280 | - |
| 9symml_195 | 11 | 15232 | 19235 | 27391 | 32212 | - |
| sym10_262 | 12 | 28084 | 35572 | 51502 | 61861 | - |
| dc2_222 | 15 | 4131 | 5242 | 8445 | 9285 | - |
| z4_268 | 11 | 1343 | 1644 | 2225 | 2648 | - |
| co14_215 | 15 | 7840 | 8570 | 15601 | 18445 | - |
| mlp4_245 | 16 | 8232 | 10328 | 16545 | 19848 | - |
| hwb8_113 | 9 | 30372 | 38717 | 51543 | 61005 | - |
| qft_16 | 16 | 240 | 61 | 471 | 681 | - |
| plus63mod4096_163 | 13 | 56329 | 72246 | 109573 | 127954 | - |
| urf1_149 | 9 | 80878 | 99586 | 145684 | 168253 | - |
| urf3_155 | 10 | 185276 | 229365 | 330446 | 375932 | - |
| urf3_279 | 10 | 60380 | 70702 | 111305 | 130013 | - |
| hwb9_119 | 10 | 90955 | 116199 | 156208 | 179791 | - |
| plus63mod8192_164 | 14 | 81865 | 105142 | 161854 | 186862 | - |
| sym9_193 | 11 | 15232 | 19235 | 27391 | 32212 | - |
| urf1_278 | 9 | 26692 | 30955 | 48406 | 57142 | - |
| adr4 197 | 13 | 1498 | 1839 | 2749 | 3094 | _ |
| clip_206 | 14 | 14772 | 17879 | 27858 | 33039 | _ |
| cm85a_209 | 14 | 4986 | 6374 | 9060 | 10608 | _ |
| rd84 253 | 12 | 5960 | 7261 | 11072 | 13103 | _ |
| dist 223 | 13 | 16624 | 19694 | 30619 | 35329 | _ |
| inc 237 | 16 | 4636 | 5864 | 7780 | 9778 | _ |
| urf6 160 | 15 | 75180 | 93645 | 149313 | 175254 | _ |
| | 1 | | | | | l |

TABLE. VIII. Comparison of the depth of the output circuits on IBM Q20