

Efficient Bipartite Distributed Quantum Computing

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Entanglement-efficient
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bipartite-distributed

quantum

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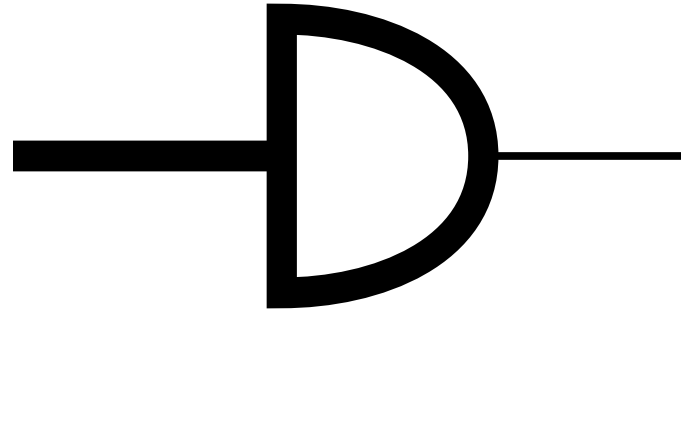
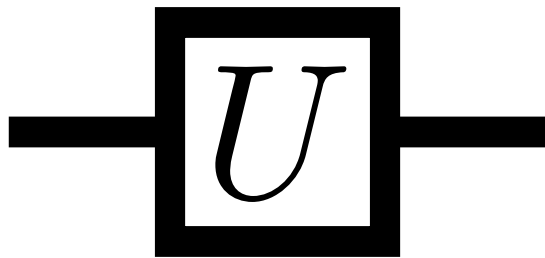
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Notation and Terminology

Quantum computations described by quantum circuits acting on qubits

Quantum circuits are built from:

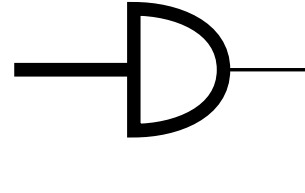
- Unitary quantum gates (inc. classical control)
- Projective measurements (in computational basis)



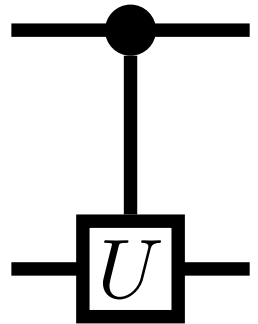
Terminology and Notation



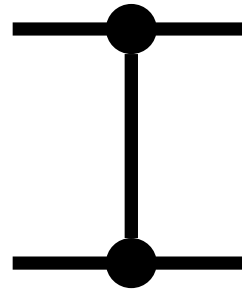
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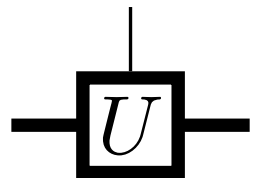
:= Computational basis measurement



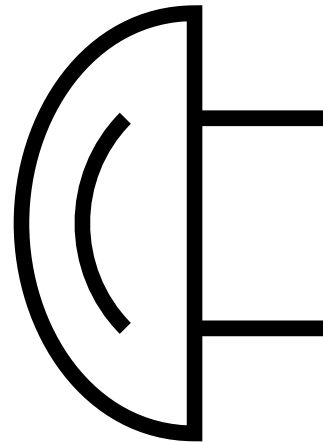
:= Quantum control unitary



:= CZ unitary



:= Classical control unitary



:= Bell State

Motivation

“Useful” quantum circuits need lots of qubits...
...but scaling quantum computers is difficult

How can we still run these large circuits?

This is **not a uniquely quantum** problem

Distributed Quantum Computing

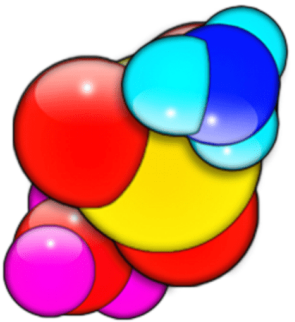
Classical computers also have computational bottlenecks

Solution: Distributed computing

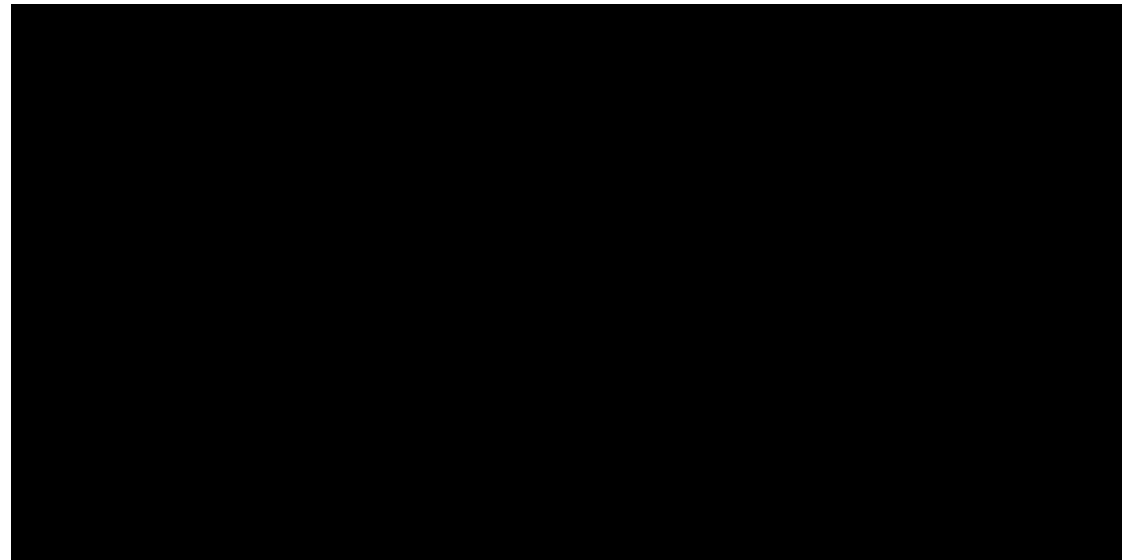


Distributed Quantum Computing

E.g. protein folding



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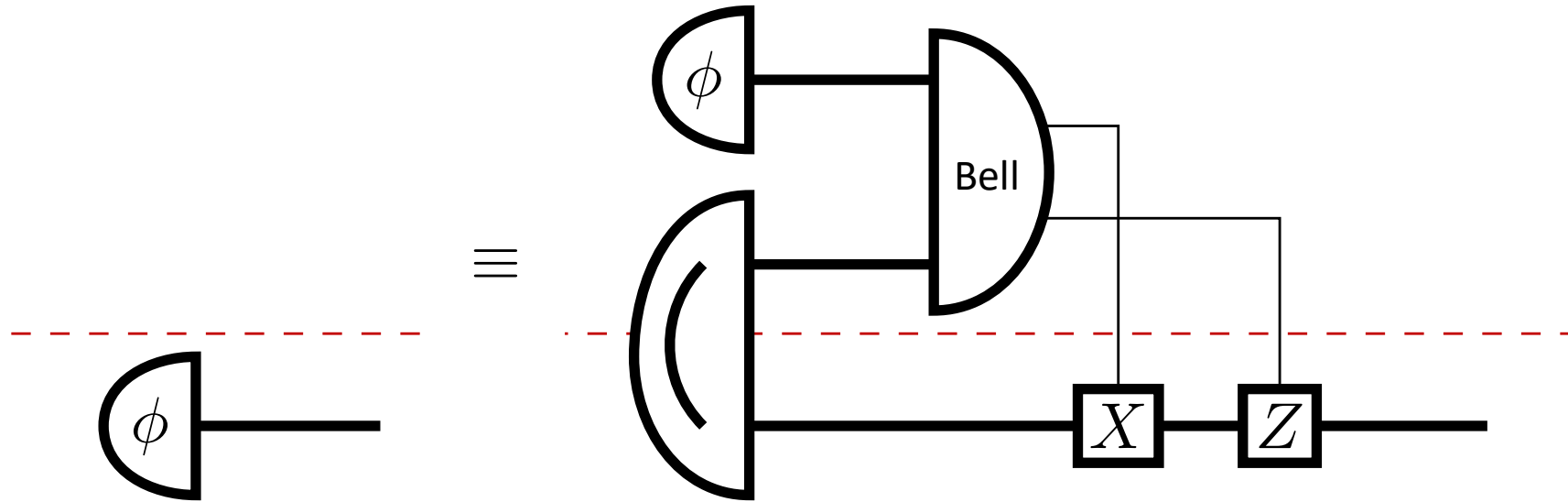
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Question: How can we build distributed computing systems for quantum computers?

Two steps:

1. Break up computation
2. Connect computers to pass information as needed

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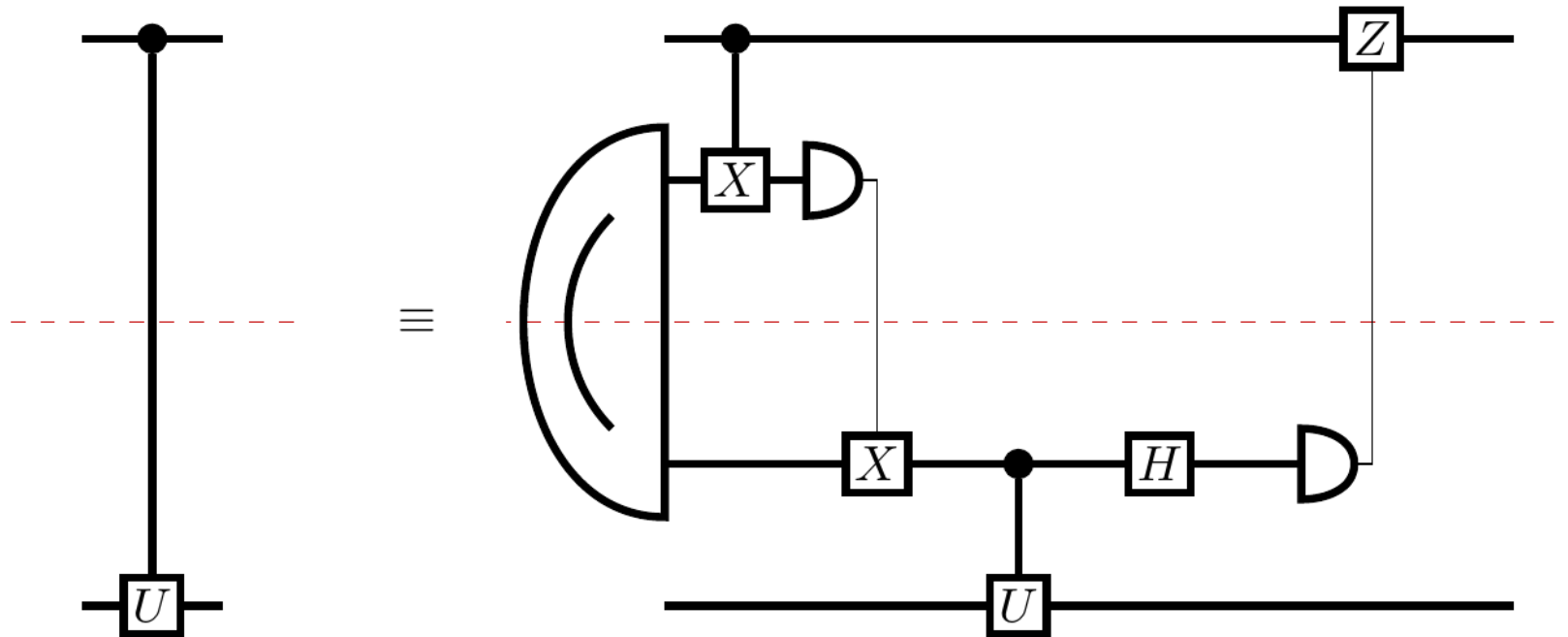


But can we do better?

»Yes!

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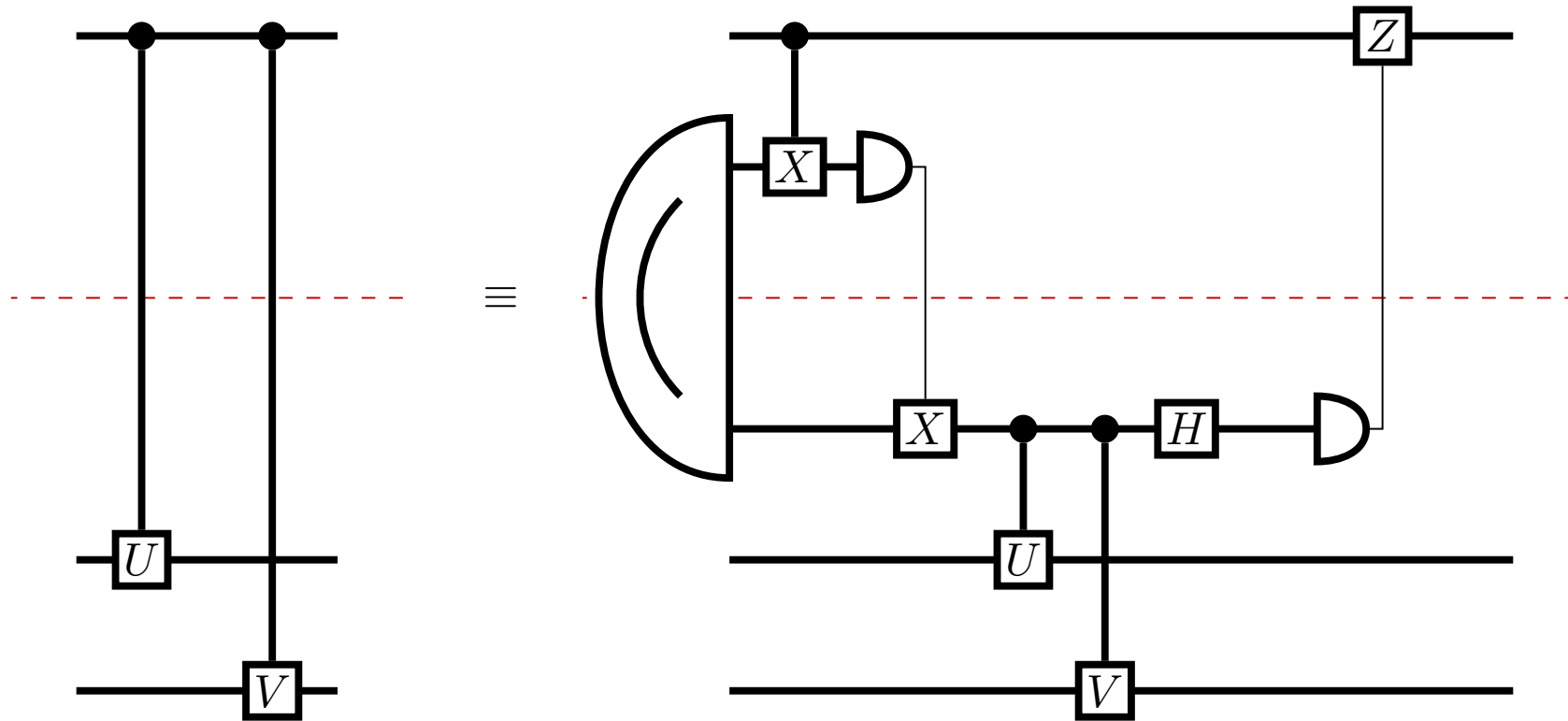
“EJPP” Protocol



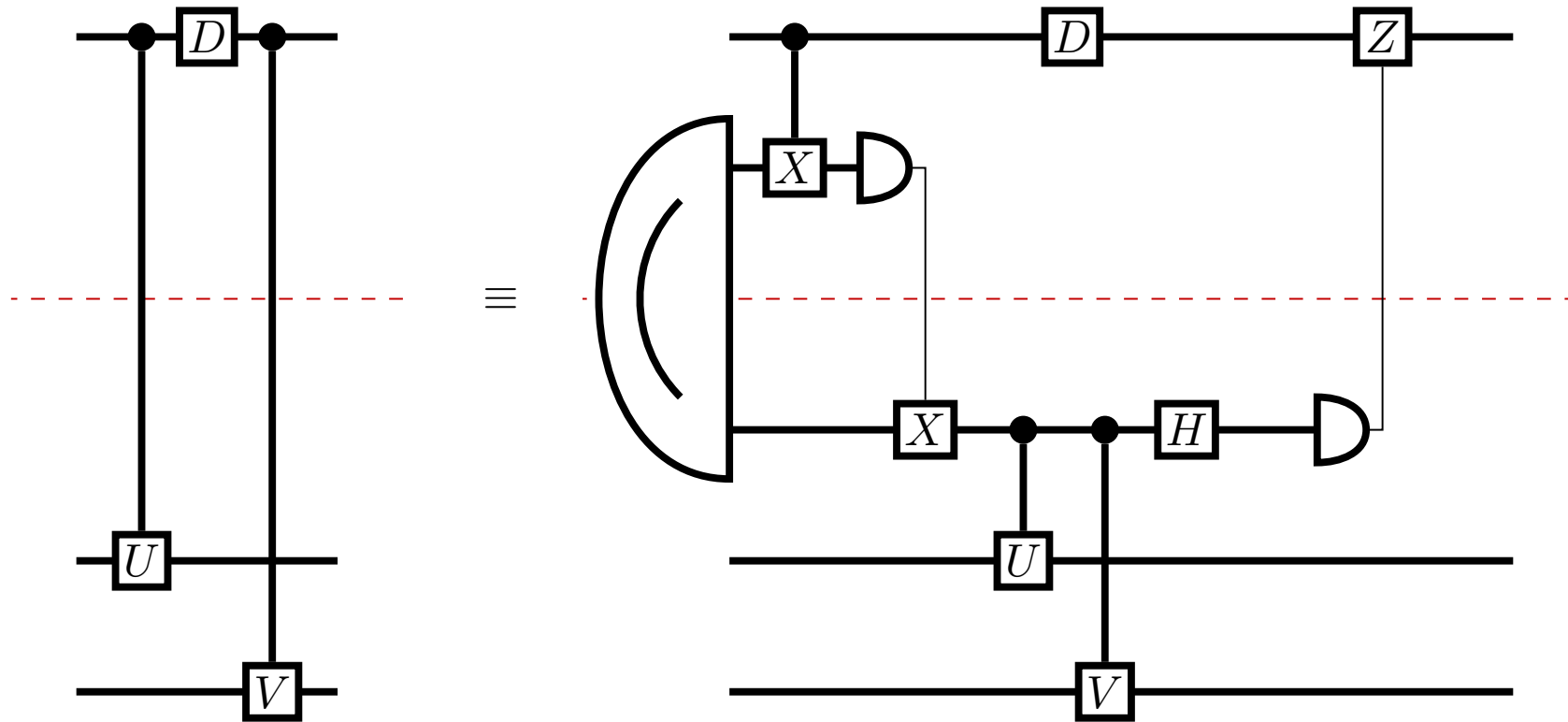
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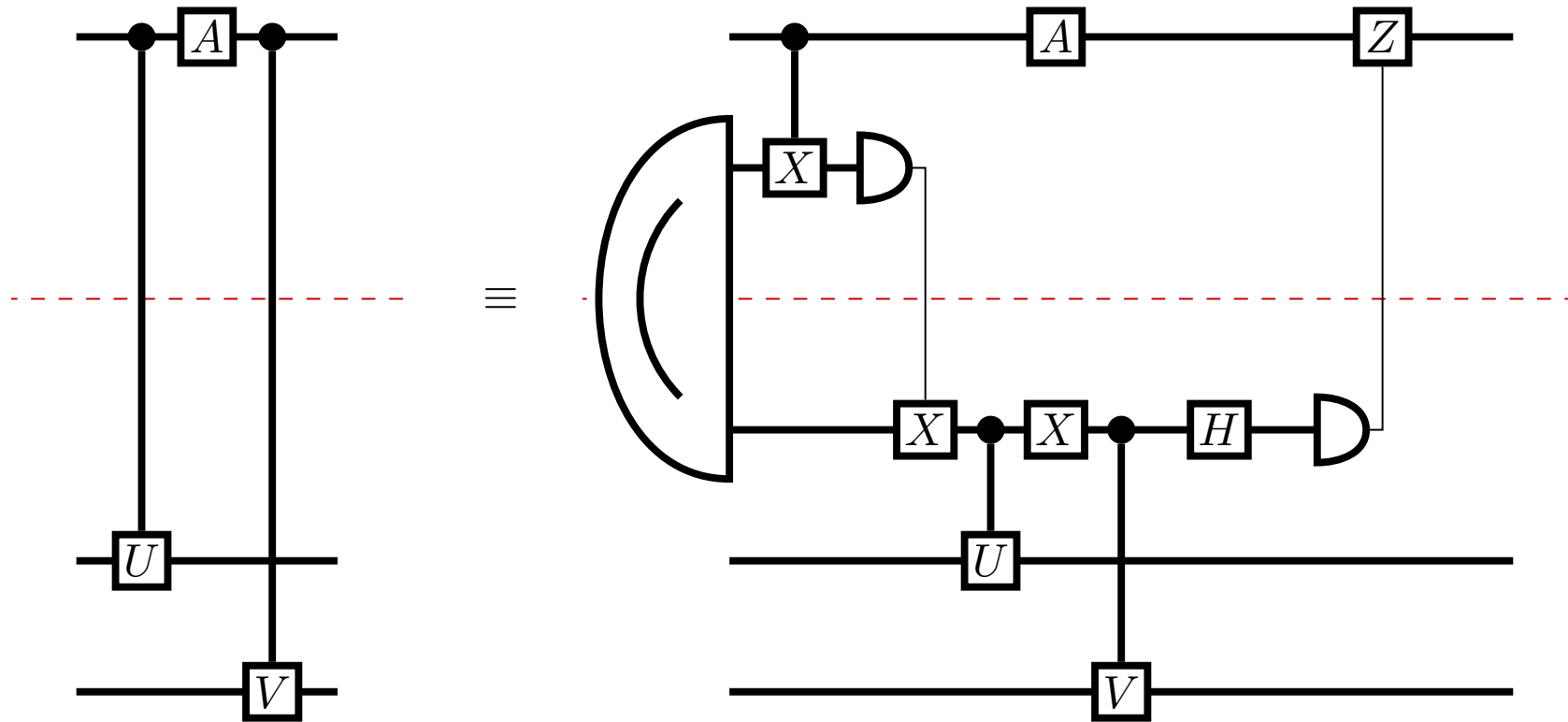


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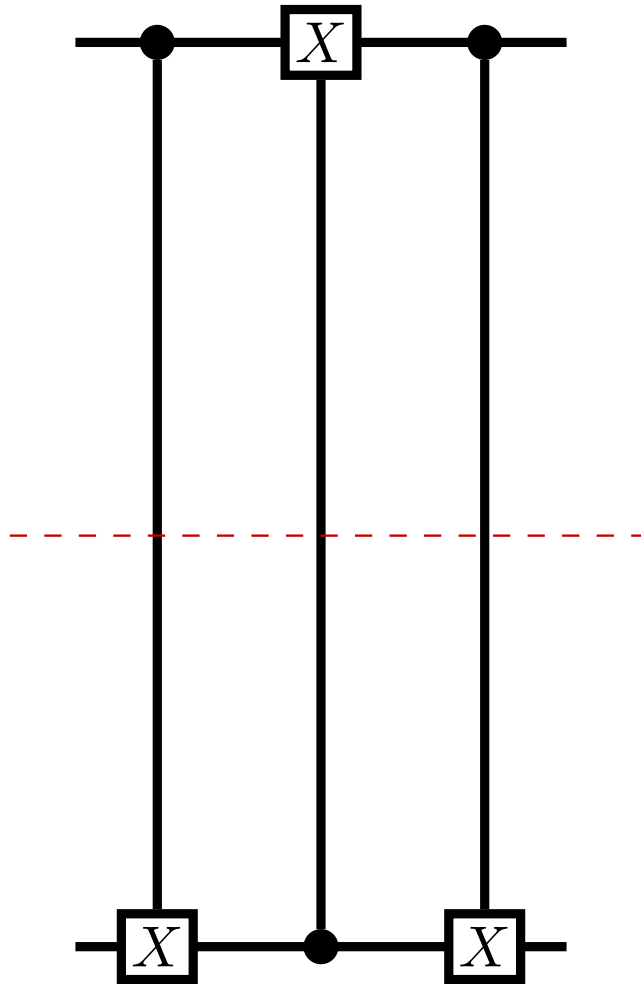
Diagonal gates don't matter

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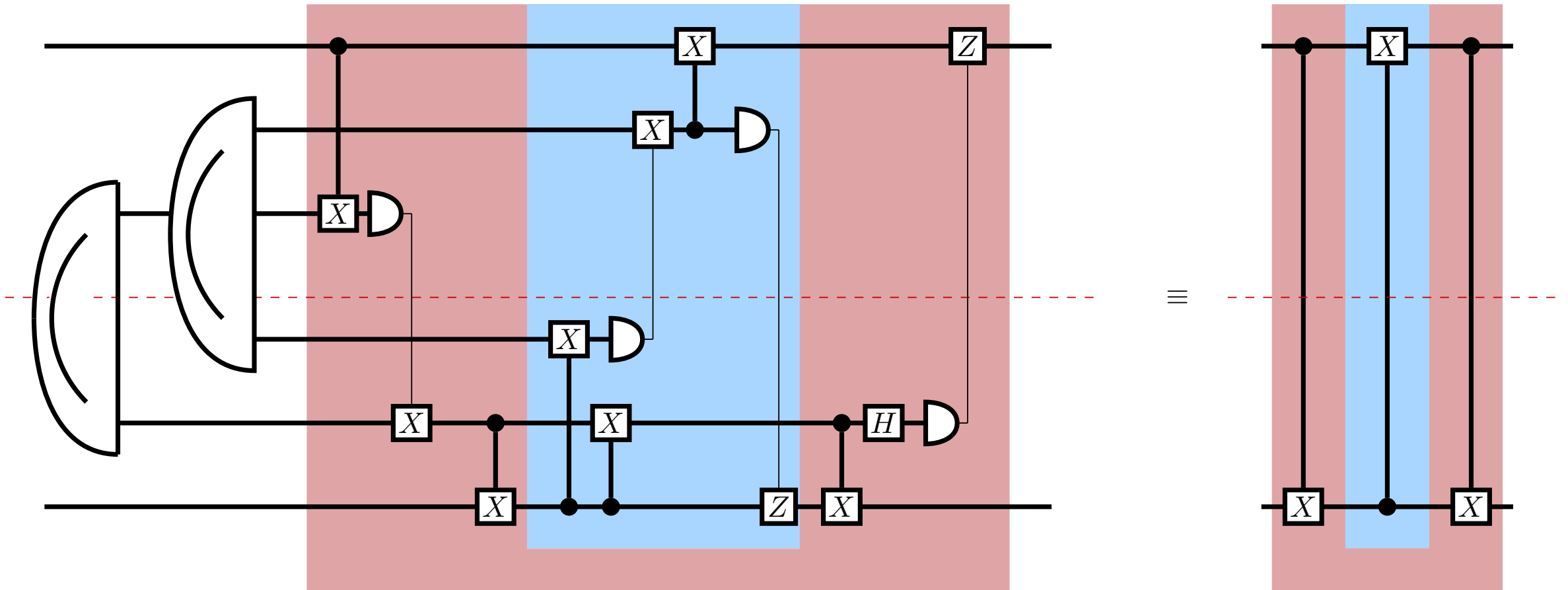


Anti-diagonal gates don't matter

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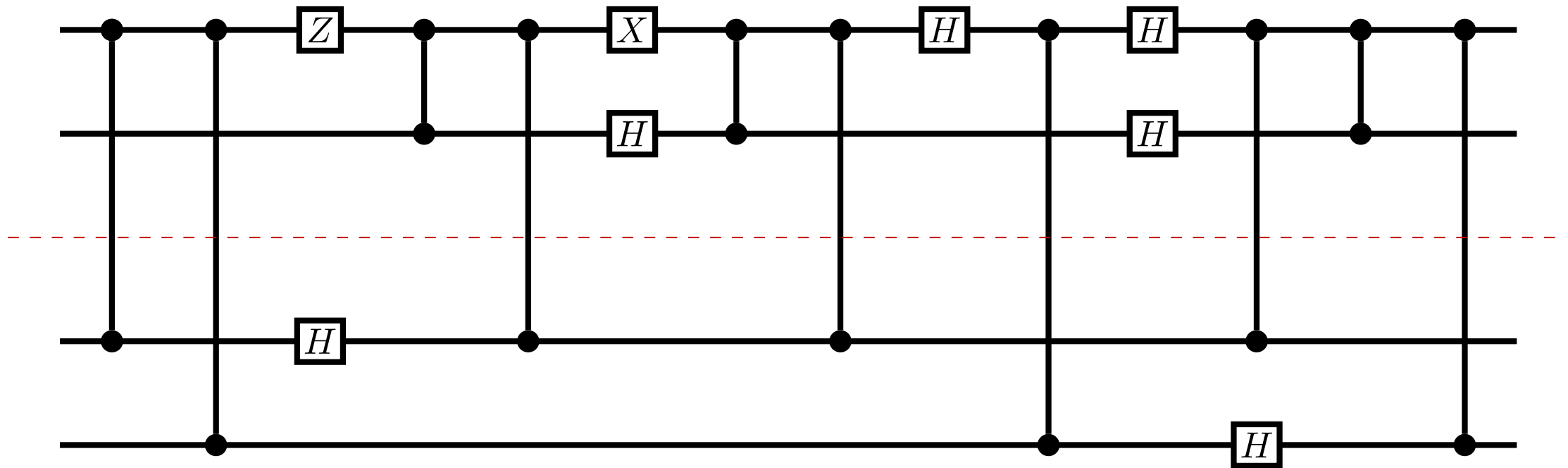


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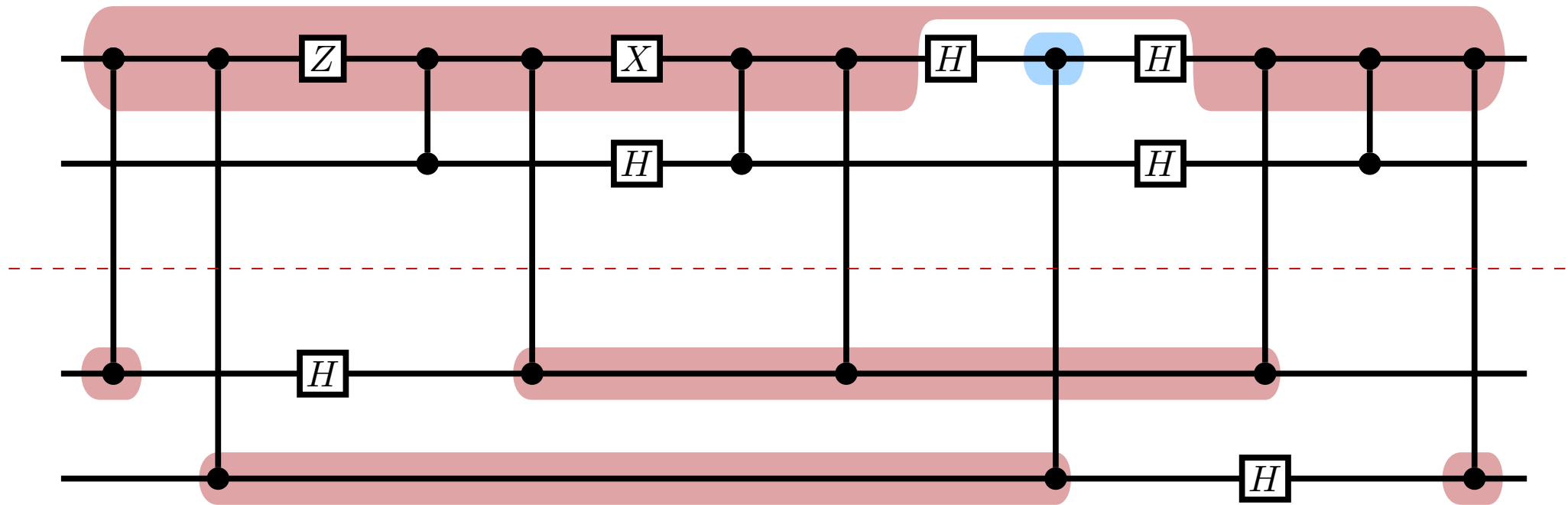
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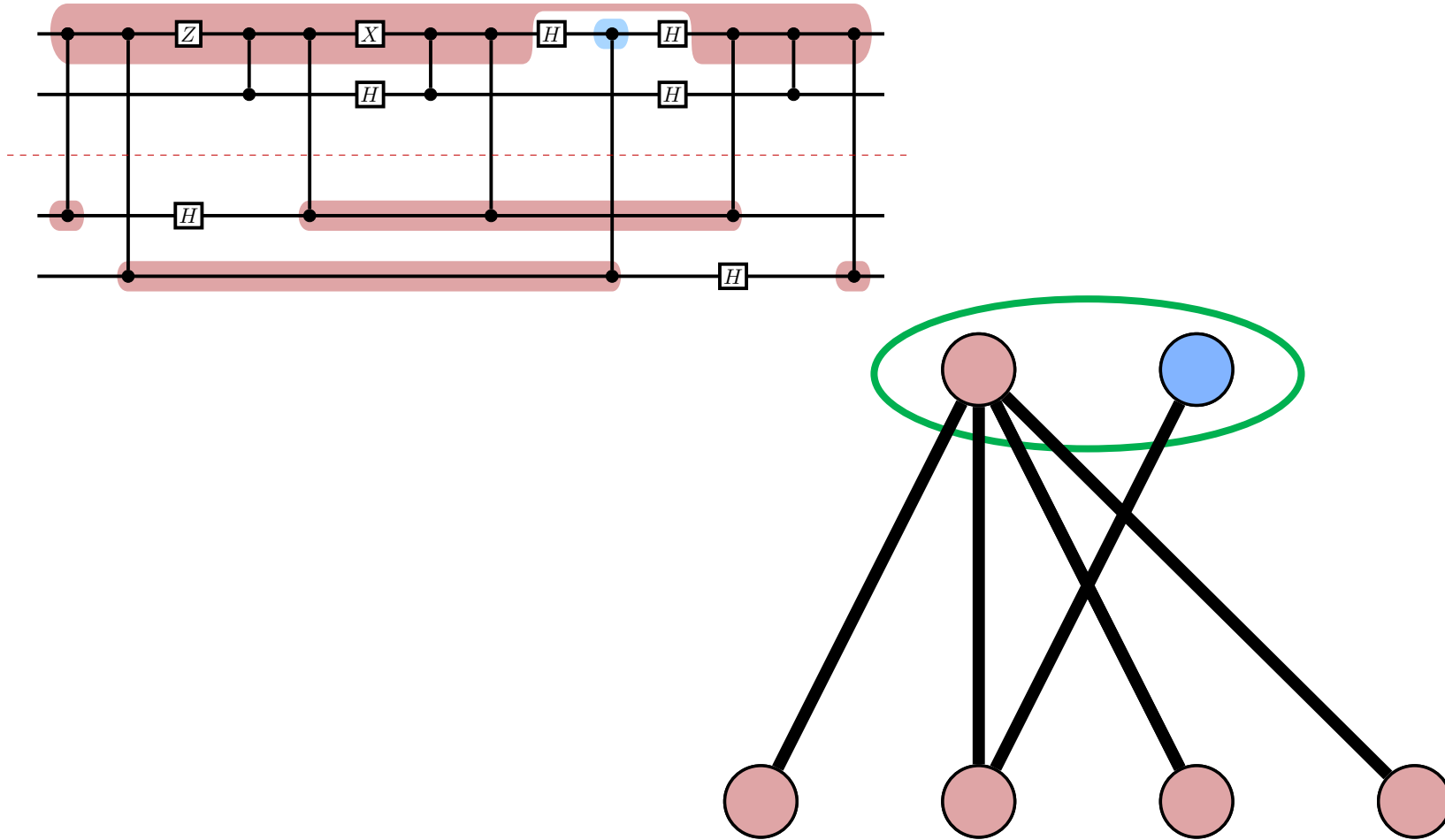


Find equivalent circuit with no non-local quantum gates
Subject to minimising ebit cost

Bipartite Distributed Quantum Computing



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*Colours are irrelevant

Efficient Bipartite Distributed Quantum Computing

Minimum vertex cover of a bipartite graph is efficiently computable!

Efficient Bipartite Distributed Quantum Computing

pytket-dqc

Automated entanglement-efficient distribution of quantum circuits.

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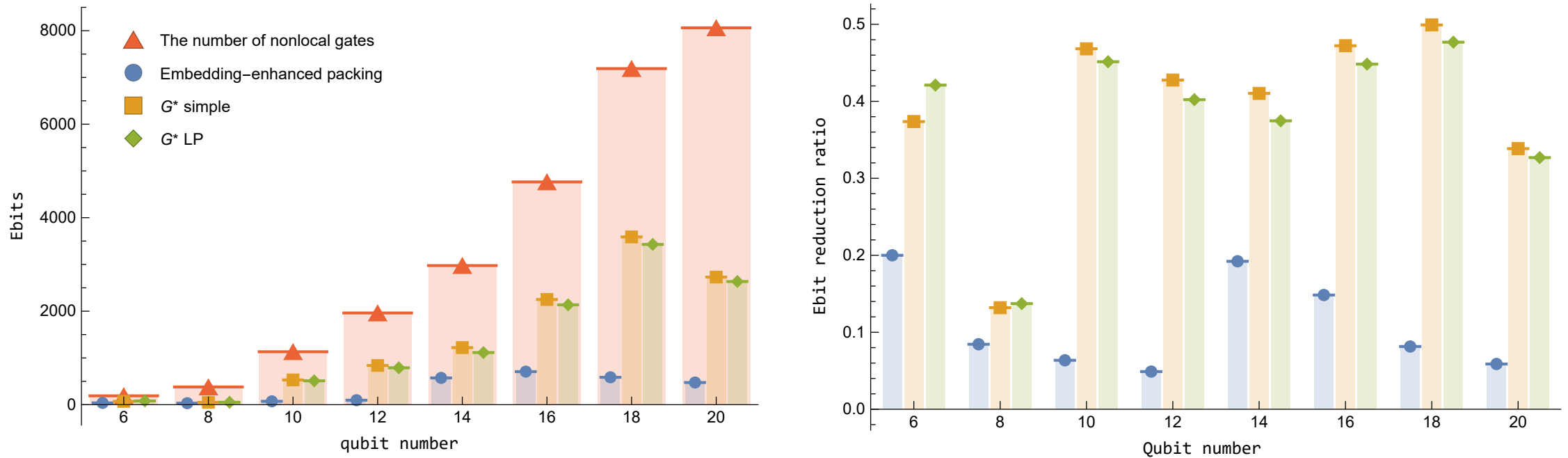
This package takes a quantum circuit and network description and produces a circuit distributed across the given network, using entanglement-assisted local operations and classical communication to implement non-local gates in the circuit, with the aim of reducing the amount of entanglement required for the circuit implementation. A more in-depth presentation of the methods implemented here can be found in the corresponding paper ["Distributing circuits over heterogeneous, modular quantum computing network architectures"](#).

Here we detail the steps required to install `pytket-dqc`. More thorough documentation of its use can be found [here](#). You may also find the example Jupyter notebooks in `examples/` instructive.



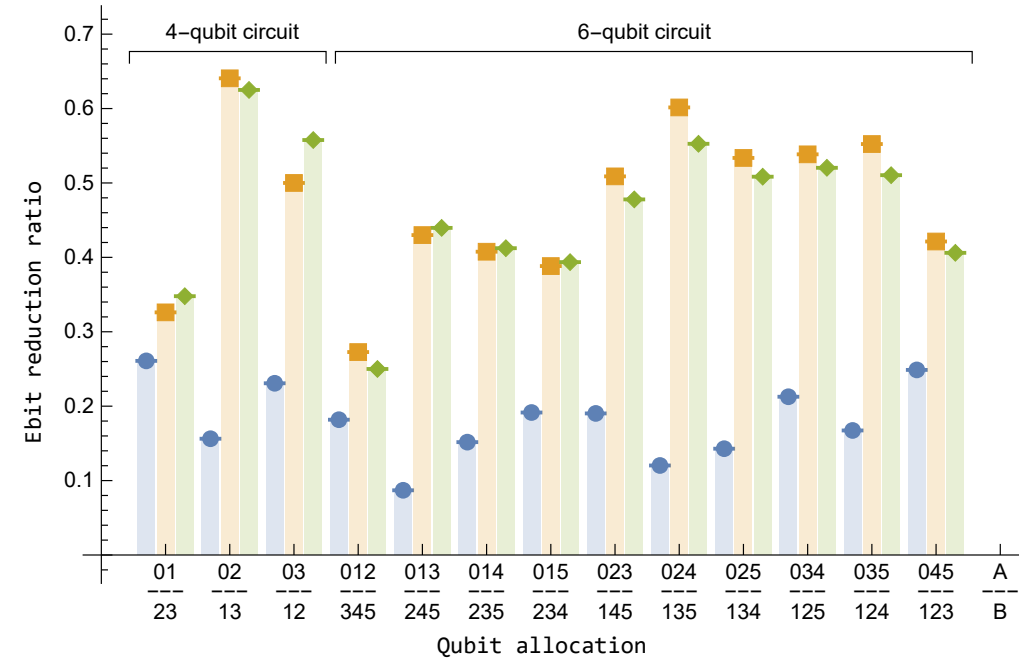
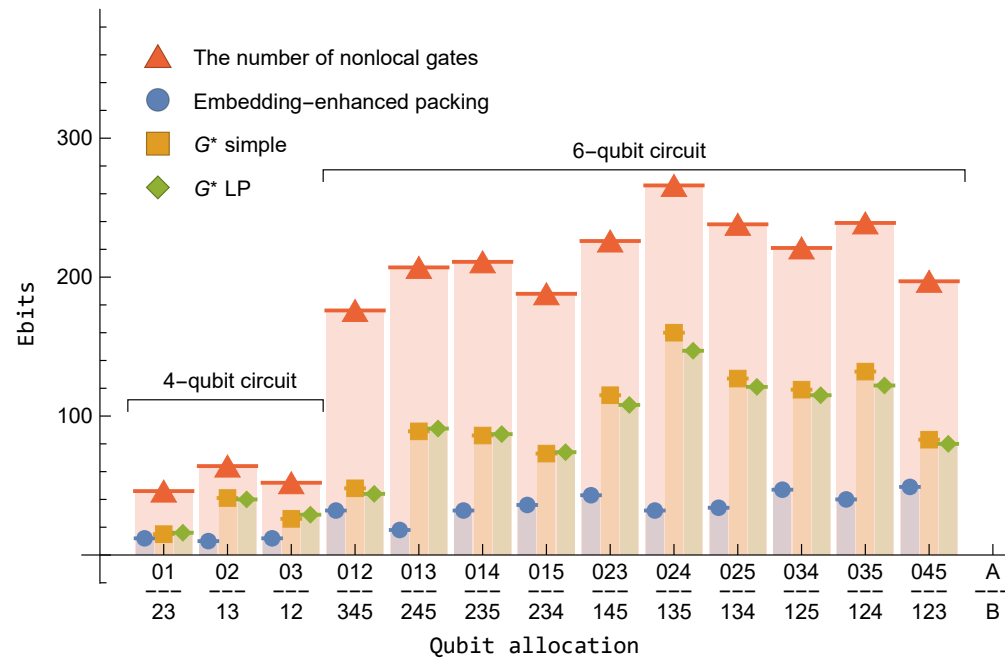
<https://github.com/CQCL/pytket-dqc>

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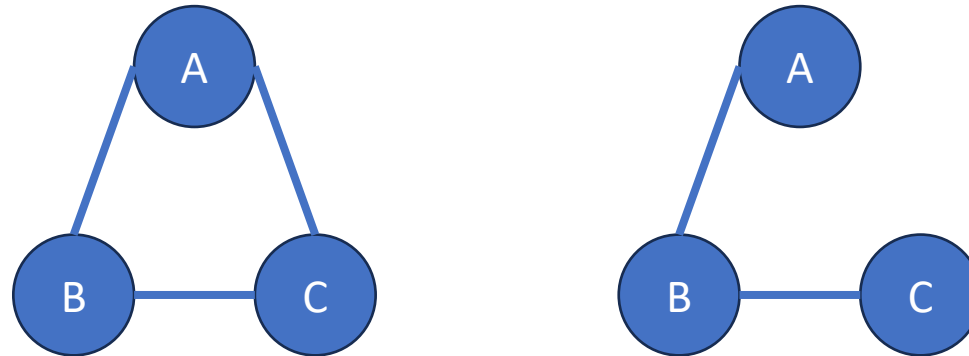


What next?

Look at the multipartite case

- Multipartite minimum vertex cover not efficient in general to compute
- Can find a vertex cover with size at most 2x size of minimum vertex cover

No unique network topology!



What next?

Distributing circuits over heterogeneous, modular quantum computing network architectures

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What's next?

Alternatives to EJPP?

Better gates other than CZ?

Summary

Why distributed quantum computing?

- Can run larger circuits without scaling individual quantum computers

How to distribute?

- Use EJPP

How to distributed efficiently?

- Take minimum vertex cover approach

Future challenges

- Multipartite case

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Bipartite (this talk)



Multipartite



Github repository with all code

