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# Arbitrary state, Superdense coding, Quantum teleportation

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# ***Revision***

- **1. Postulate: qubit**
  - Hilbert-space
- **2. Postulate: logic gates**
  - Unitary transform
  - Elementary gates
- **3. Postulate Q/C conversion**
  - Measurement statistics
  - Post measurement state
- **4. Postulate: registers**
  - Tensor product

$$|\varphi\rangle = \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-1} \varphi_i |i\rangle$$

$$U^\dagger \equiv U^{-1}$$

$$P(m \mid |\varphi\rangle) = \langle \varphi | M_m^\dagger M_m | \varphi \rangle$$

$$|\varphi'\rangle = \frac{M_m |\varphi\rangle}{\sqrt{\langle \varphi | M_m^\dagger M_m | \varphi \rangle}}$$

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

$$|\varphi\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle$$

- Pauli X (bit-flip) gate:

$$|\psi\rangle = X|\varphi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = b|0\rangle + a|1\rangle$$

- Pauli Z (phase-flip) gate:

$$|\psi\rangle = Z|\varphi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = a|0\rangle - b|1\rangle$$

$$|\varphi\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle$$

- Pauli  $Y$  (double-flip) gate:
 
$$|\psi\rangle = Y|\varphi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -j \\ j & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -jb \\ ja \end{bmatrix} = -jb|0\rangle + ja|1\rangle$$

- Phase gate

$$|\psi\rangle = P(\alpha)|\varphi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{j\alpha} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ e^{j\alpha}b \end{bmatrix} = a|0\rangle + e^{j\alpha}b|1\rangle$$

# HADAMARD GATE

$$|\varphi\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle$$

$$|\psi\rangle = H|\varphi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{a+b}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{a+b}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle$$

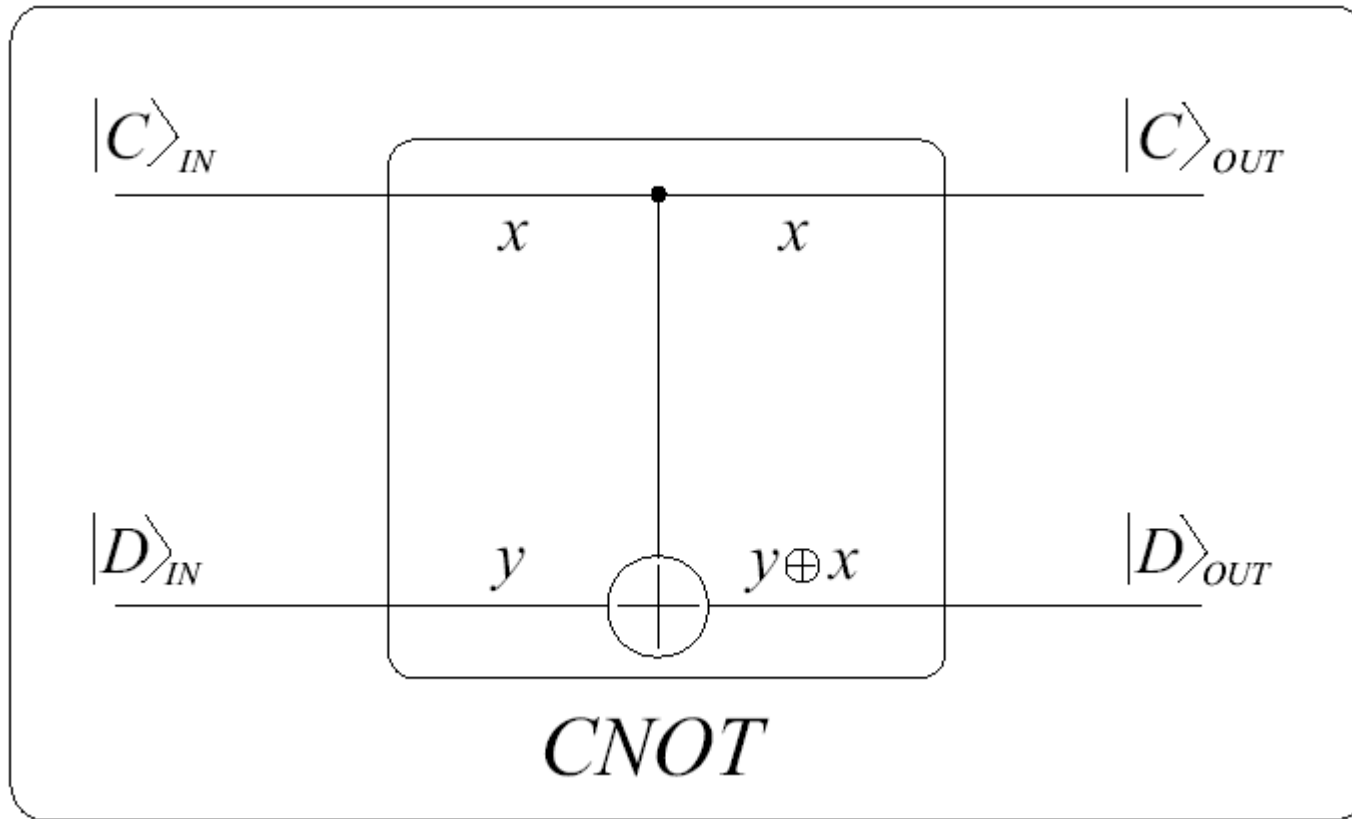
- Hadamard gate is Hermitian i.e.  $H^\dagger = H$
- furthermore:  $HH = I$

- $H$  gate prepares uniform superposition:

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

$$H|1\rangle = \frac{|0\rangle - |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

## CONTROLLED NOT GATE (CNOT GATE)



Upper wire: control

Lower wire: data

- Truth table

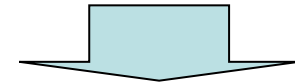
IN		OUT	
$x$	$y$	$x$	$y \oplus x$
0	0	0	$0 \oplus 0 = 0$
0	1	0	$1 \oplus 0 = 1$
1	0	1	$0 \oplus 1 = 1$
1	1	1	$1 \oplus 1 = 0$

- Master equation

$$CNOT : |x\rangle|y\rangle \rightarrow |x\rangle|y \oplus x\rangle$$

## Matrix

$$\begin{aligned} |00\rangle &\rightarrow |00\rangle & |01\rangle &\rightarrow |01\rangle \\ |10\rangle &\rightarrow |11\rangle & |11\rangle &\rightarrow |10\rangle \end{aligned}$$



$$CNOT = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$|\beta_{00}\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle + |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

$$|\beta_{01}\rangle = \frac{|01\rangle + |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

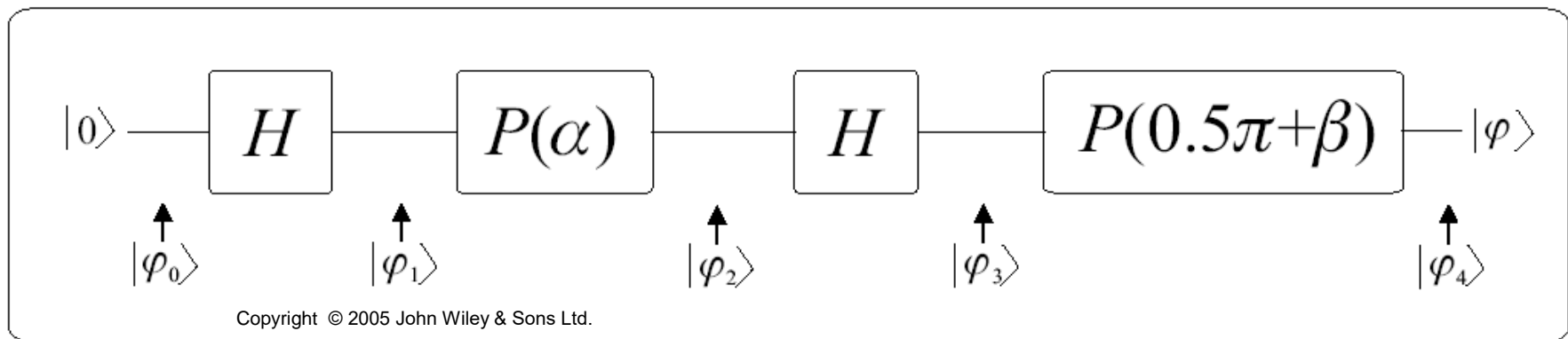
$$|\beta_{10}\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle - |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

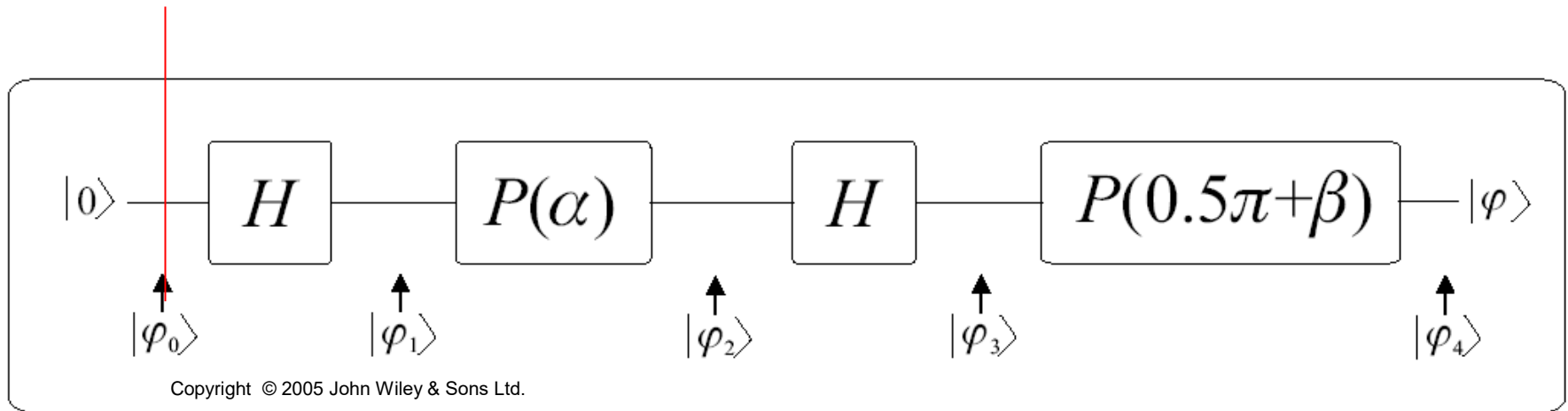
$$|\beta_{11}\rangle = \frac{|01\rangle - |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

Bell states are orthogonal!

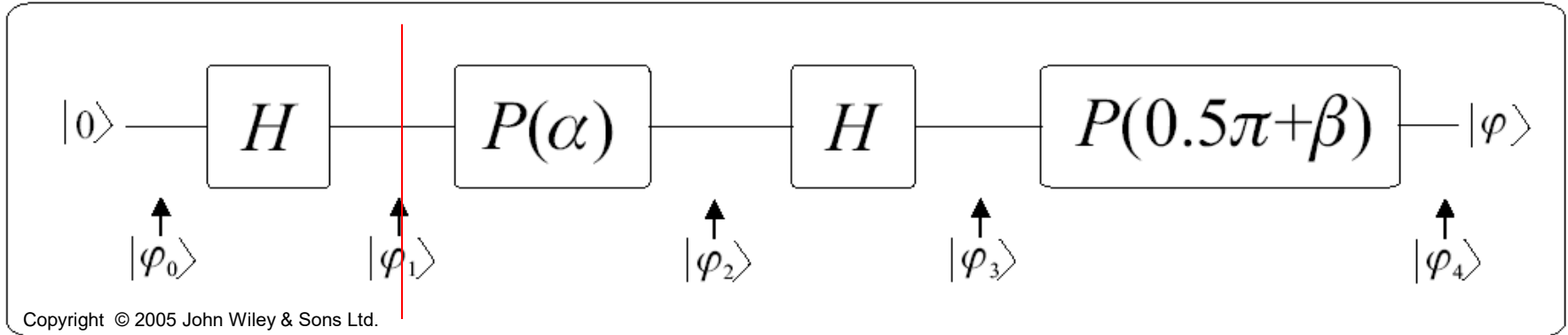


## ***Preparing arbitrary quantum states***

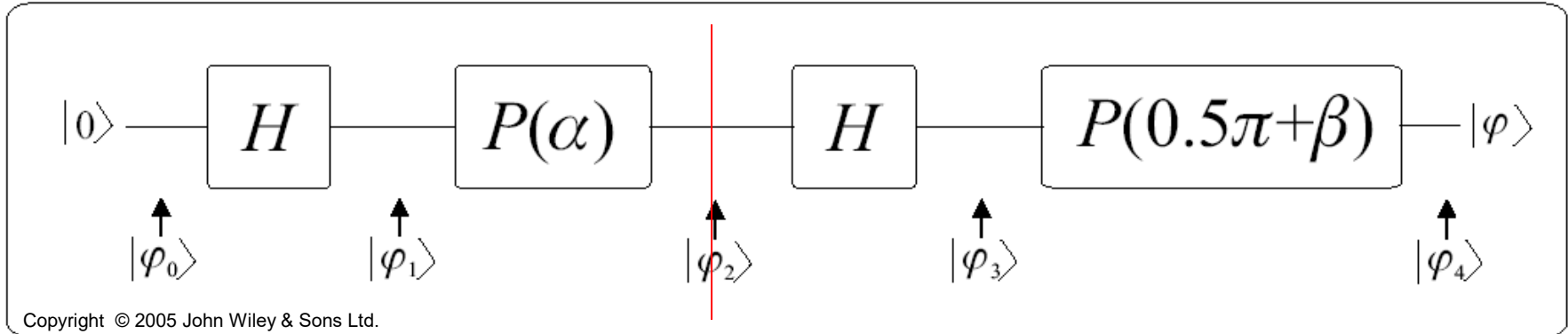




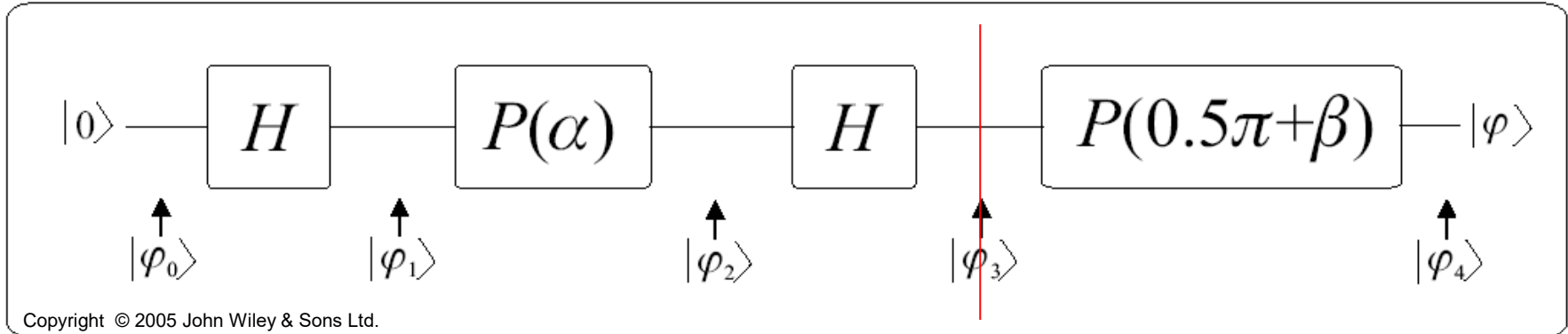
$$|\varphi_0\rangle = |0\rangle$$



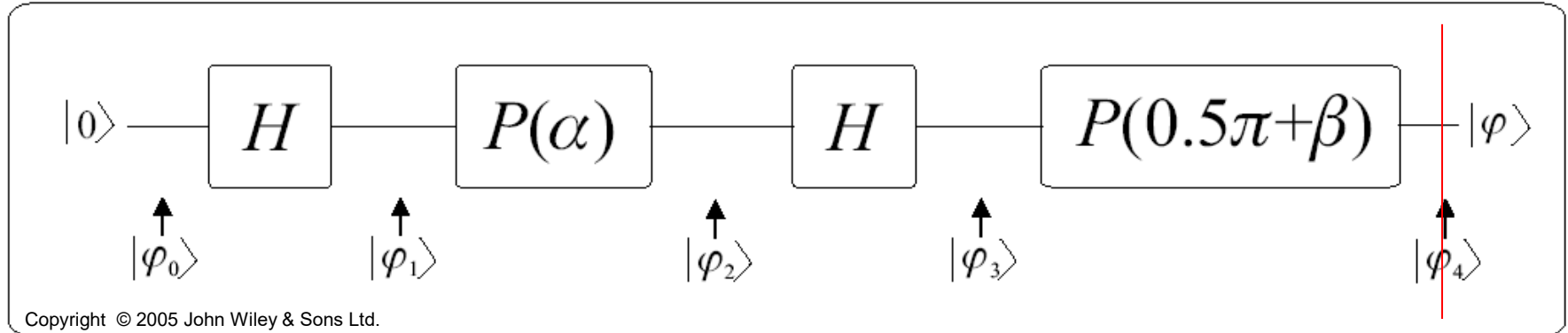
$$|\varphi_1\rangle = H|0\rangle = \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$



$$|\varphi_2\rangle = P(\alpha)|\varphi_1\rangle = \frac{|0\rangle + e^{j\alpha}|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$



$$|\varphi_3\rangle = H|\varphi_2\rangle = \frac{\frac{|0\rangle+|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} + e^{j\alpha} \frac{|0\rangle-|1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1+e^{j\alpha}}{2}|0\rangle + \frac{1-e^{j\alpha}}{2}|1\rangle$$



$$|\varphi_4\rangle = e^{j0.5\alpha} \left[ \cos\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) |0\rangle + e^{j\beta} \sin\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) |1\rangle \right]$$

Almost general 1-qubit state except the global phase, but this does not influence the measurement statistics!

**Exercise 2.6.** Show that  $\frac{1+e^{j\alpha}}{2} = e^{j0.5\alpha} \cos(0.5\alpha)$  and  $e^{j0.5\pi} \frac{1-e^{j\alpha}}{2} = e^{j0.5\alpha} \sin(0.5\alpha)$ !





# ***Superdense Coding***

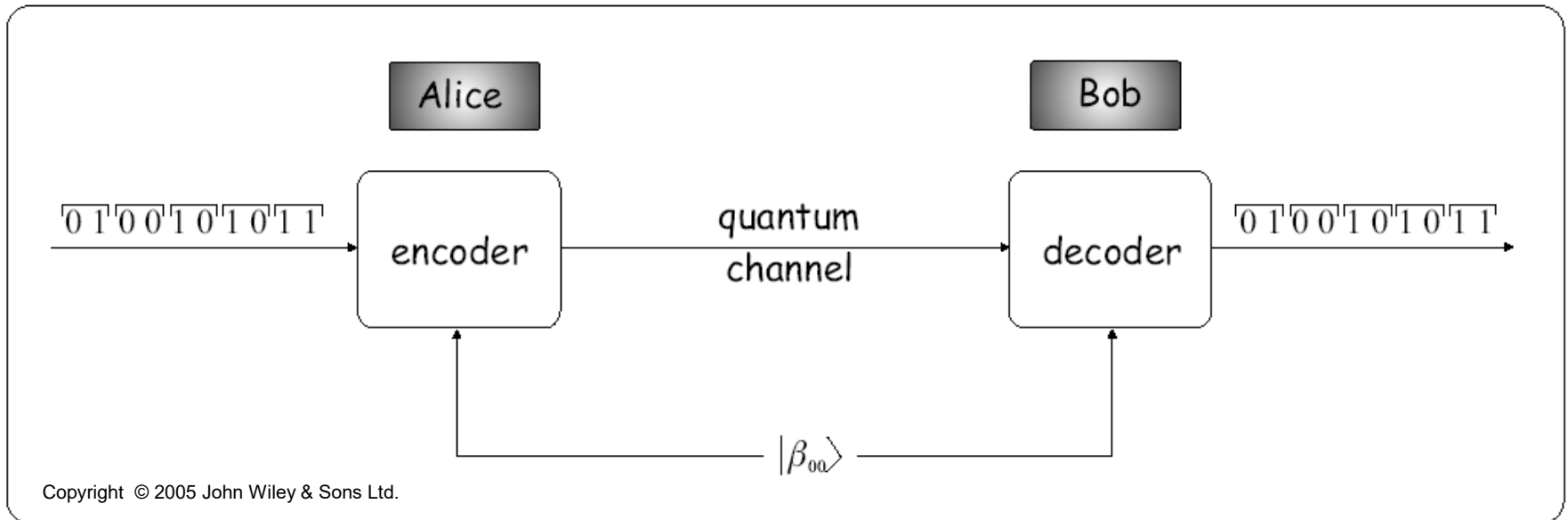
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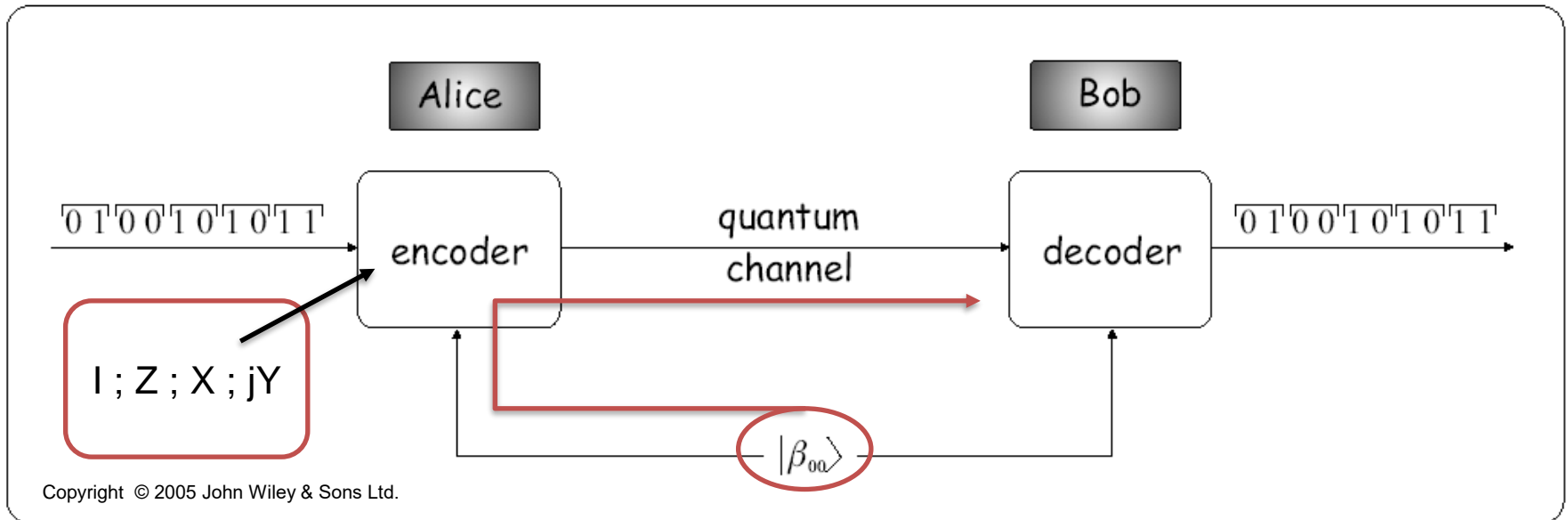
Communication via one- and two-particle operators  
on Einstein–Podolsky–Rosen states

Phys. Rev. Lett. 69, 2881–2884 (1992).

- From classical information theory point of view the information transmission rate is limited.
- Alice and Bob would like to increase the rate of information transfer by means of quantum communications exploiting such special properties as entanglement.

## THE ARCHITECTURE





## PROTOCOL STEPS (1)

- First they share a  $|\beta_{00}\rangle$  entangled pair.
- Next Alice applies the following a special coding scheme on her half pair and sends the her coded qubit to Bob.

dibit	transform	joint state
00	$I$	$\frac{ 00\rangle +  11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$
01	$Z$	$\frac{ 00\rangle -  11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$
10	$X$	$\frac{ 10\rangle +  01\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$
11	$jY$	$\frac{ 01\rangle -  10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$

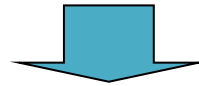
$$|\beta_{00}\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle + |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

$$|\beta_{01}\rangle = \frac{|01\rangle + |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

$$|\beta_{10}\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle - |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}},$$

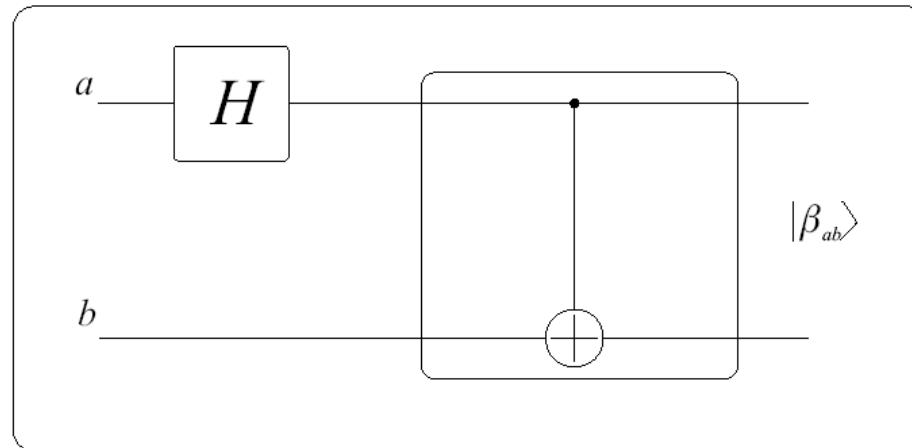
$$|\beta_{11}\rangle = \frac{|01\rangle - |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

- Bob being an expert of quantum computing realises that the modified pairs represent the four different Bell pairs therefore they form an orthonormal set of quantum states.

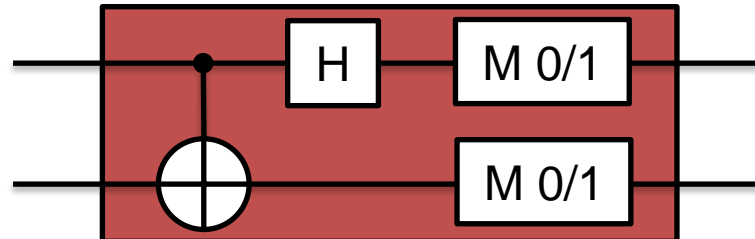


- They can be unambiguously distinguished by means of a projective measurement.
- However there is another way to solve the detection problem if we exploit the unitary nature of quantum transformations i.e. we are able to compute the inverse

- We know that Bell states can be produced by means of the following circuit



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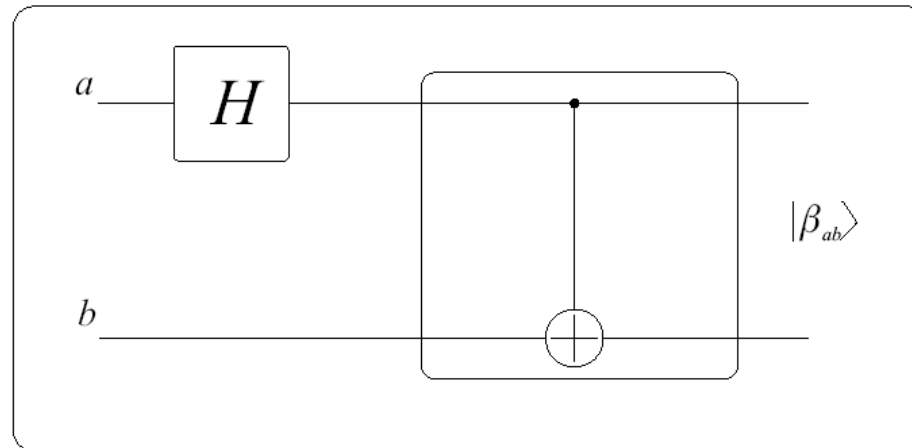
- Since both  $(H \otimes I)$  and  $CNOT$  gates are Hermitian operators Bob has to implement these gates in the reverse order to build the decoder.

$$((H \otimes I)CNOT)^{-1} = ((H \otimes I)CNOT)^\dagger = CNOT^\dagger(H \otimes I)^\dagger$$

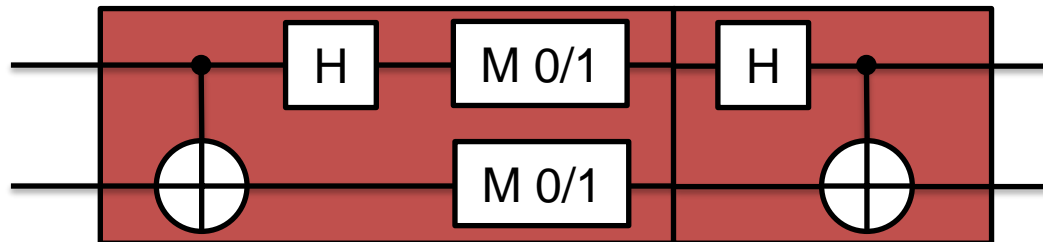
**Exercise 4.1.** Check whether the  $CNOT(H \otimes I)$  gate really returns the wanted classical states!

## PROTOCOL STEPS (5)

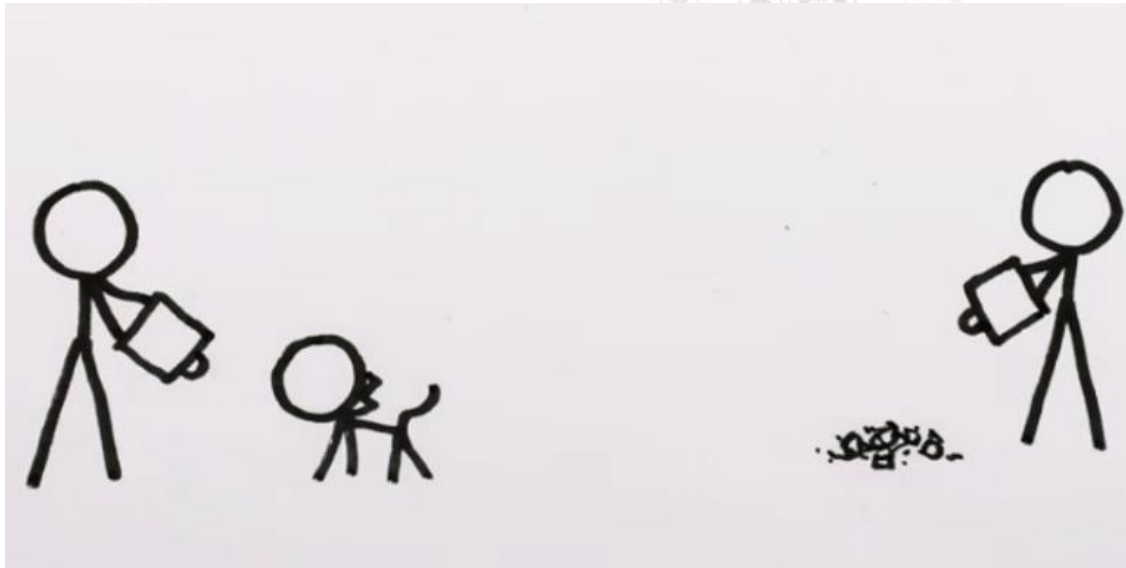
$$|\varphi'\rangle = \frac{M_m|\varphi\rangle}{\sqrt{\langle\varphi|M_m^\dagger M_m|\varphi\rangle}}$$



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# ***Quantum teleportation***



Avery Thompson: How Quantum Teleportation Actually Works, 2017.

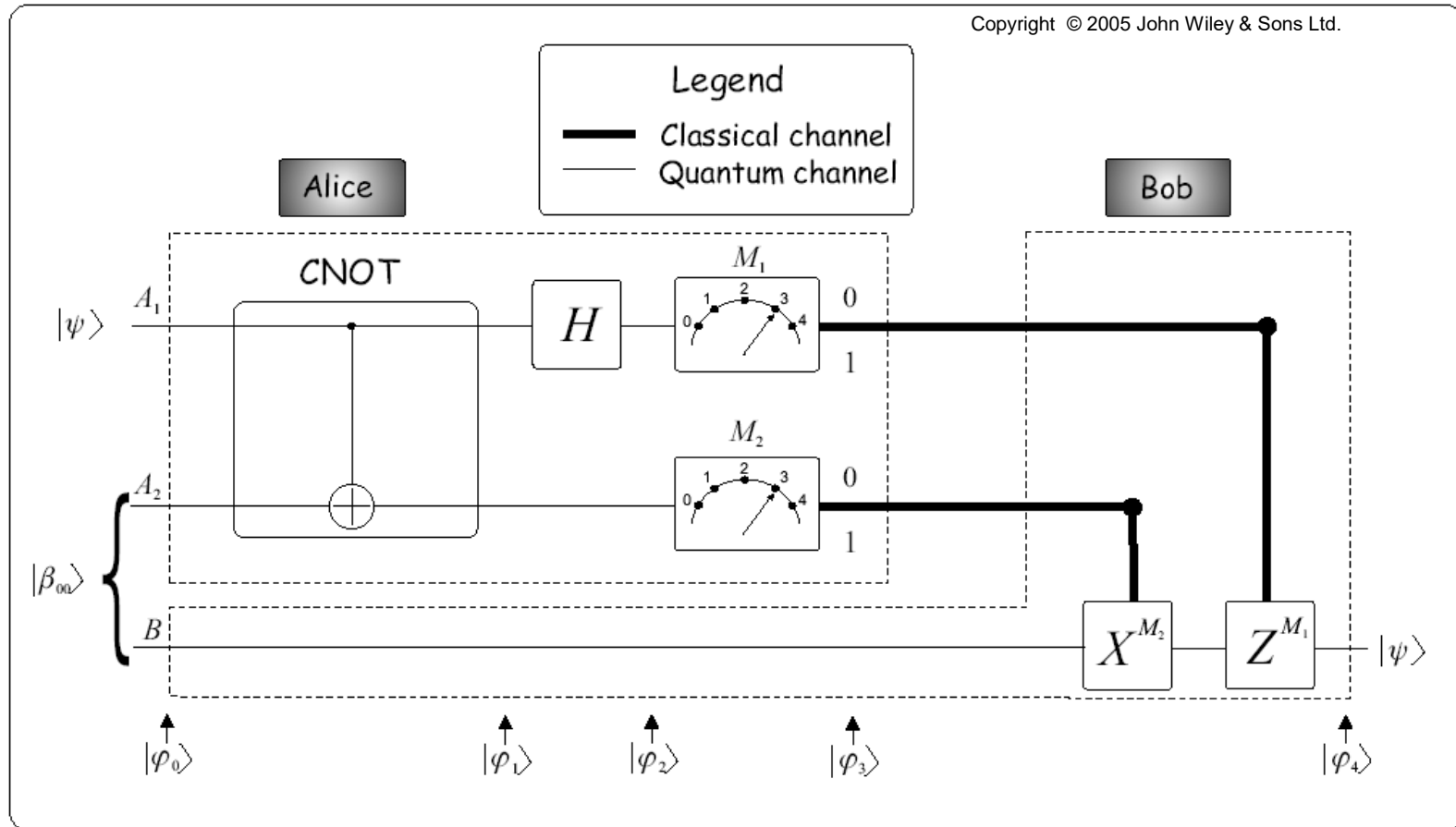
- There is an often repeated scene in most popular science fiction novels and movies.
- The space traveller enters into a cabin on the board of a space ship than he/she suddenly disappears accompanied with colourful lighting effects.
- A few moments later our astronaut appears in another cabin located on a planet hundreds of light-years away from the starting point.
- Let us analyze this futuristic scene scientifically.

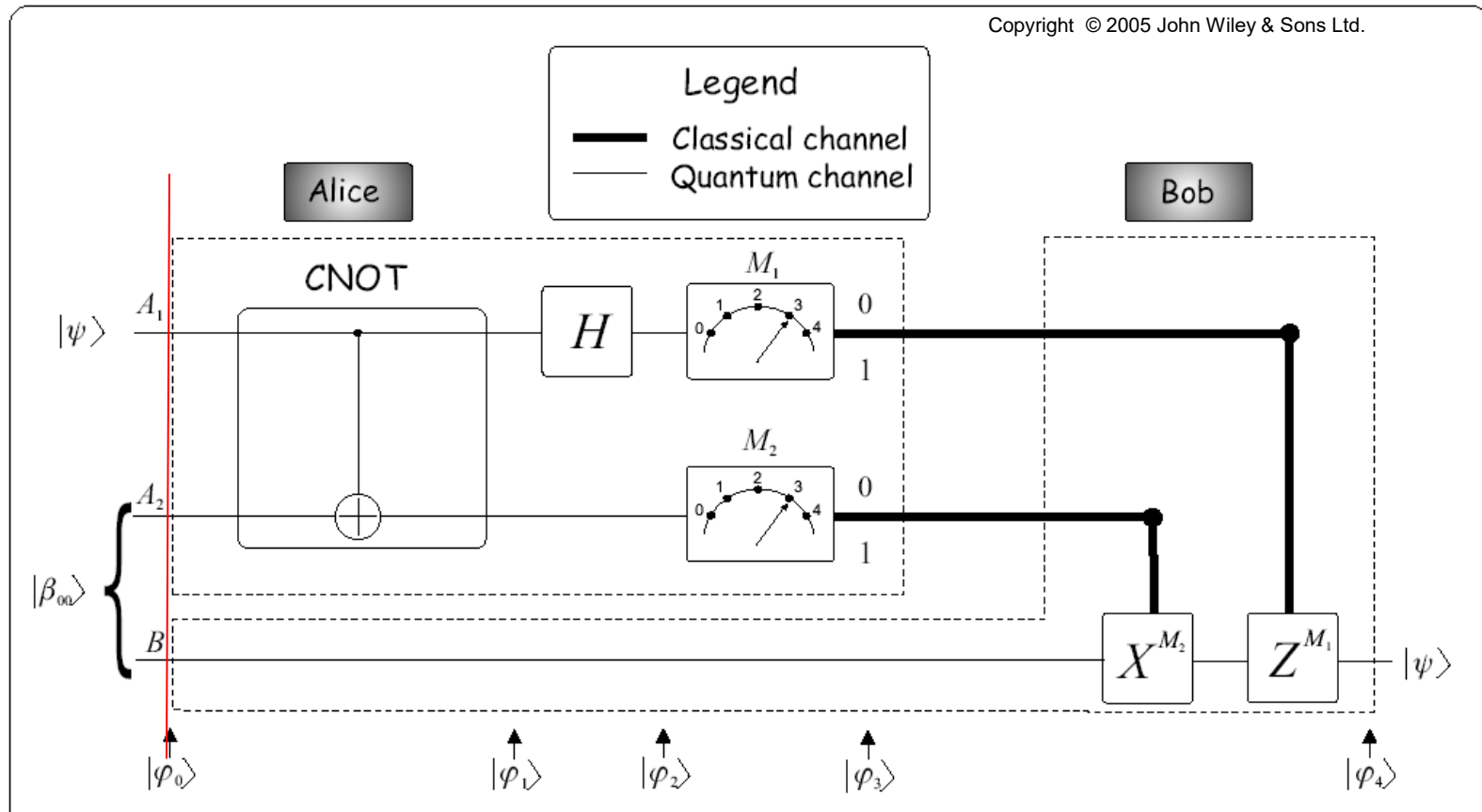
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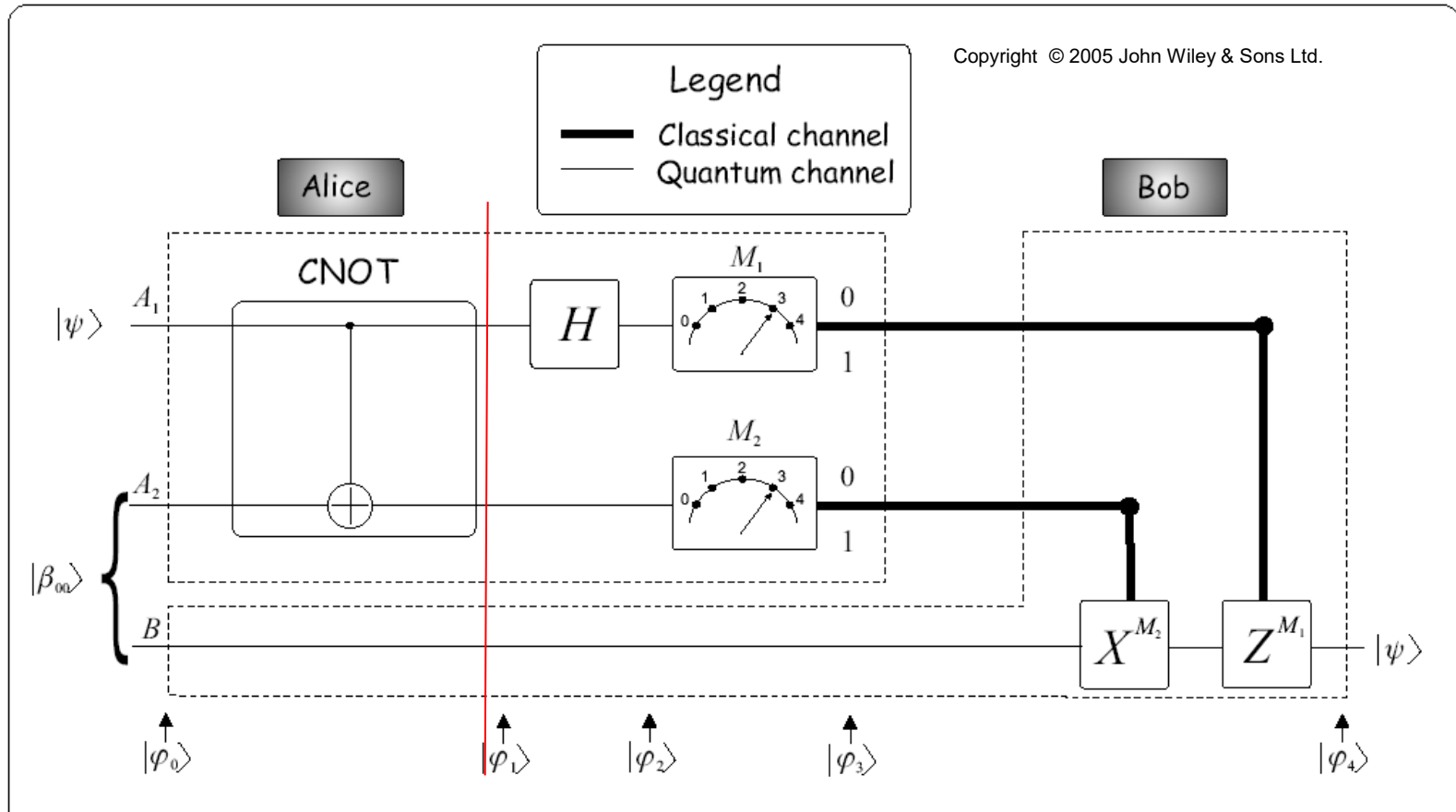
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## CIRCUIT OF TELEPORTATION



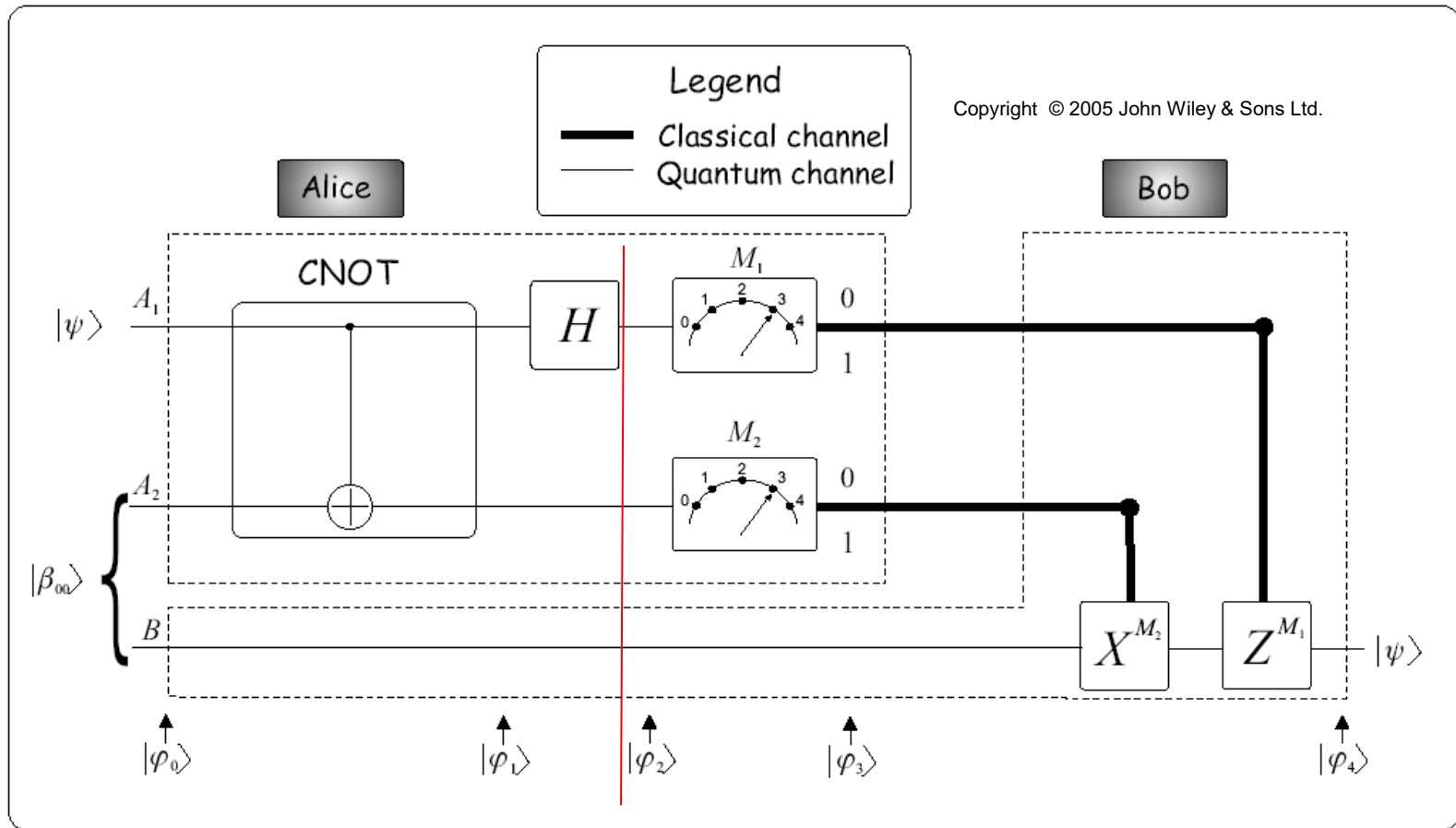


$$|\varphi_0\rangle = |\psi\rangle|\beta_{00}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a|0\rangle^{A_1} \left( |00\rangle^{A_2B} + |11\rangle^{A_2B} \right) + b|1\rangle^{A_1} \left( |00\rangle^{A_2B} + |11\rangle^{A_2B} \right) \right]$$

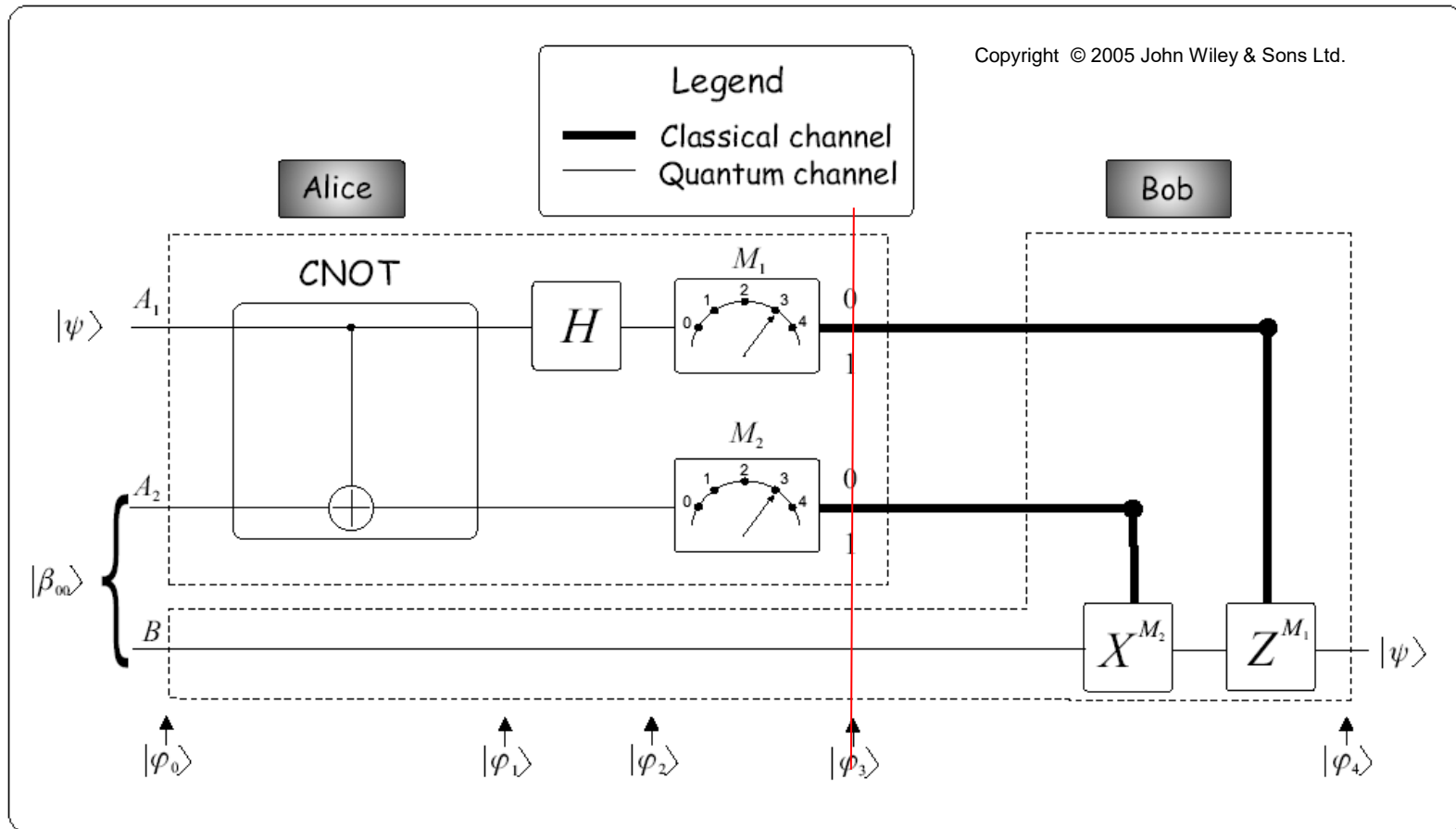


$$|\varphi_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a|0\rangle^{A_1} \left( |00\rangle^{A_2B} + |11\rangle^{A_2B} \right) + b|1\rangle^{A_1} \left( |10\rangle^{A_2B} + |01\rangle^{A_2B} \right) \right]$$





$$|\varphi_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a \left( |0\rangle + |1\rangle \right) \left( |00\rangle + |11\rangle \right) + b \left( |0\rangle - |1\rangle \right) \left( |10\rangle + |01\rangle \right) \right]$$



# HOW TO REASSEMBLY?

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\varphi_2\rangle = & \frac{1}{2} \left[ |0\ 0\rangle^{A_1 A_2} \left( a|0\rangle^B + b|1\rangle^B \right) + |0\ 1\rangle^{A_1 A_2} \left( a|1\rangle^B + b|0\rangle^B \right) \right. \\
 & + \left. |1\ 0\rangle^{A_1 A_2} \left( a|0\rangle^B - b|1\rangle^B \right) + |1\ 1\rangle^{A_1 A_2} \left( a|1\rangle^B - b|0\rangle^B \right) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 A_1 A_2 & \rightarrow & B & = U|\psi\rangle \\
 00 & \rightarrow & \frac{a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle}{2} & = I|\psi\rangle \\
 01 & \rightarrow & \frac{a|1\rangle + b|0\rangle}{2} & = X|\psi\rangle \\
 10 & \rightarrow & \frac{a|0\rangle - b|1\rangle}{2} & = Z|\psi\rangle \\
 11 & \rightarrow & \frac{a|1\rangle - b|0\rangle}{2} & = ZX|\psi\rangle
 \end{array}$$

- Alice needs no information about  $|\psi\rangle$  to teleport it.
- Without Alice's classically transferred bit pair Bob is not able to produce  $|\psi\rangle$  thus no 'faster than light' communication is possible in this way, which is in full harmony with the relativity theory.
- In order to encode and transfer  $a$  and  $b$  i.e.  $|\psi\rangle$  classically Alice may require very large amount of classical bits let alone the measurement problem how to gain them. Contrary teleportation needs only two classical and two quantum bits altogether.

**Exercise 4.2.** Using teleportation Bob obtains a replica of an arbitrary one-qbit state having in Alice's hand. Explain why quantum teleportation can not be used in this way as a cloning machine!

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