QUANTUM ALGORITHM

Deutsch's algorithm, Deutsch-Jozsa Algorithm

Phase Kickback

$$CNOT(|++\rangle) = |++\rangle$$
 $CNOT(|+-\rangle) = |--\rangle$
 $CNOT(|-+\rangle) = |-+\rangle$
 $CNOT(|--\rangle) = |+-\rangle$

Phase Kickback

$$\begin{split} |x\rangle|-\rangle \\ &= |x\rangle\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle-|1\rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|0\rangle-|x\rangle|1\rangle) \\ &\to U_f\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|0\rangle-|x\rangle|1\rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(U_f|x\rangle|0\rangle-U_f|x\rangle|1\rangle) \quad \text{U}_f \text{ works on both 0} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|0\oplus f(x)\rangle-|x\rangle|1\oplus f(x)\rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|f(x)\rangle-|x\rangle|\overline{f(x)}\rangle) \end{split}$$

$$|x\rangle - U_f - (-1)^{f(x)}|x\rangle$$

$$|-\rangle - U_f - (-1)^{f(x)}|x\rangle$$
unitary operation denoted by U_f which is linear
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|f(x)\rangle - |x\rangle|\overline{f(x)}\rangle)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|0\rangle - |x\rangle|1\rangle) &: f(x) = 0\\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|1\rangle - |x\rangle|0\rangle) &: f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} |x\rangle \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle) &: f(x) = 0\\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|x\rangle|0\rangle - |x\rangle|1\rangle) &: f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} |x\rangle| - \rangle &: f(x) = 0\\ -|x\rangle| - \rangle &: f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

 $=(-1)^{f(x)}|x\rangle|-\rangle$

Deutsch's algorithm

- Deutsch's algorithm combines quantum parallelism with a property of quantum mechanics known as interference.
- Quantum parallelism can be described as the ability to evaluate the function f (x) at many values of x simultaneously.
- Let's consider very simple functions, one that accepts a single bit as input and produces a single bit as output.
- The identity and bit flip functions are called balanced because the outputs are opposite for half the inputs. Constant functions give same output regardless of inputs.

Four possible functions f(x):

$$f(x) = 0 f(x) = 1 f(x) = x f(x) = \bar{x}$$
Constant functions Balanced functions

Deutsch's Problem statement

- Deutsch's algorithm will let us put together a state that has all of the output values of the function associated with each input value in a superposition state. Then we will use quantum interference to find out if the given function is constant or balanced.
- The first step in developing this algorithm is to imagine a unitary operation denoted by U_f that acts on two qubits.



David Deutsch

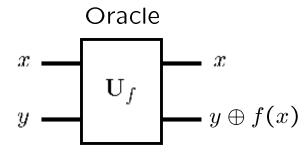


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Deutsch's Problem

$$\alpha_0|00\rangle + \alpha_1|01\rangle + \alpha_2|10\rangle + \alpha_3|11\rangle$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{two qubits} \\ \alpha_0|00\rangle + \alpha_1|01\rangle + \alpha_2|10\rangle + \alpha_3|11\rangle \\ \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \alpha_0\\ \alpha_1\\ \alpha_2\\ \alpha_3 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} |00\rangle\\ |01\rangle\\ |10\rangle\\ |11\rangle \end{array}$$



Example f(x) = x:

$$\mathbf{U}_f = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array}\right)$$

 $x, y, f(x) \in \{0, 1\}$

Four possible functions f(x):

$$f(x) = 0 f(x) = 1 f(x) = x f(x) = \bar{x}$$
Constant functions Balanced functions

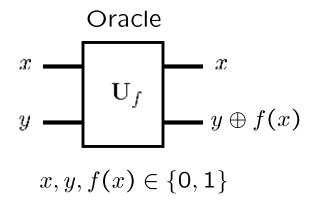
Deutsch's Problem

Determine whether f(x) is constant or balanced using as few queries to the oracle as possible.

Classical Deutsch

Four possible functions f(x):

$$f(x) = 0 f(x) = 1 f(x) = x f(x) = \bar{x}$$
Constant functions Balanced functions



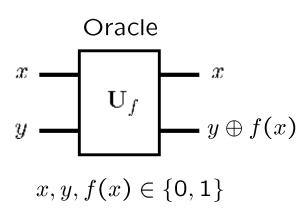
Query input of x_0 and y_0 only gives information about $f(x_0)$.

Knowing $f(x_0)$ not enough to distinguish constant from balanced.

Classically we need to query the oracle two times to solve Deutsch's Problem. f(0) and f(1) both need to be calculated.

Four possible functions f(x):

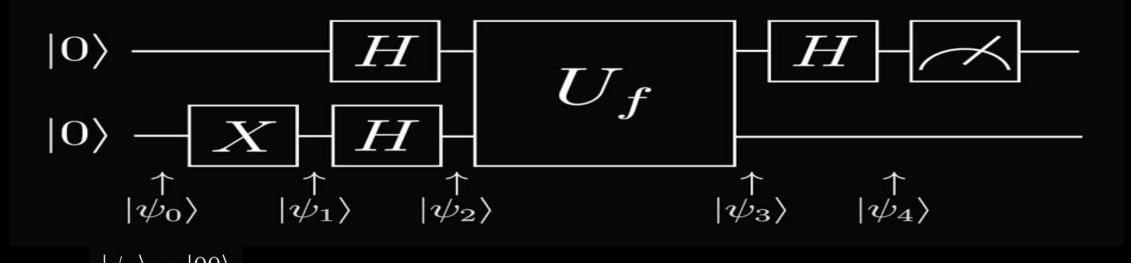
$$f(x) = 0 f(x) = 1 f(x) = x f(x) = \bar{x}$$
Constant functions Balanced functions



input
$$y = 0$$
:
$$|x\rangle|0\rangle \xrightarrow{U_f} |x\rangle|0 \oplus f(x)\rangle$$

$$= |x\rangle|f(x)\rangle$$

Now let's see how Deutsch's Algorithm works.



$$|\psi_0\rangle = |00\rangle$$

$$|\psi_1\rangle = |01\rangle$$

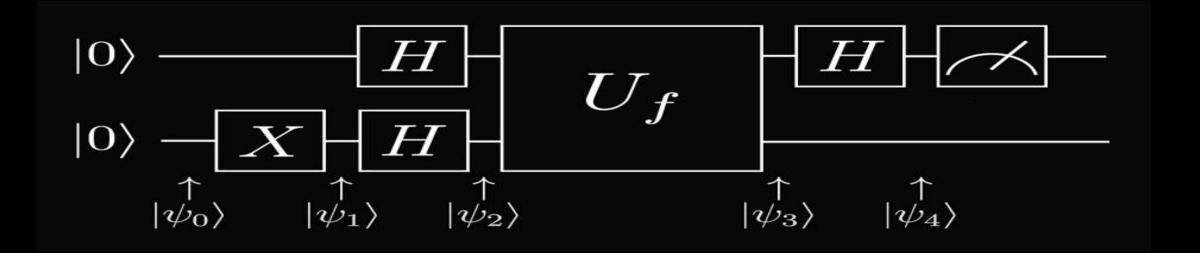
$$|\psi_2\rangle = |+-\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)|-\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle |-\rangle + |1\rangle |-\rangle)$$

Deutsch's circuit

Now check for next state



$$|\psi_{3}\rangle = U_{f} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle| - \rangle + |1\rangle| - \rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (U_{f}|0\rangle| - \rangle + U_{f}|1\rangle| - \rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ((-1)^{f(0)}|0\rangle| - \rangle + (-1)^{f(1)}|1\rangle| - \rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ((-1)^{f(0)}|0\rangle + (-1)^{f(1)}|1\rangle)|-\rangle$$

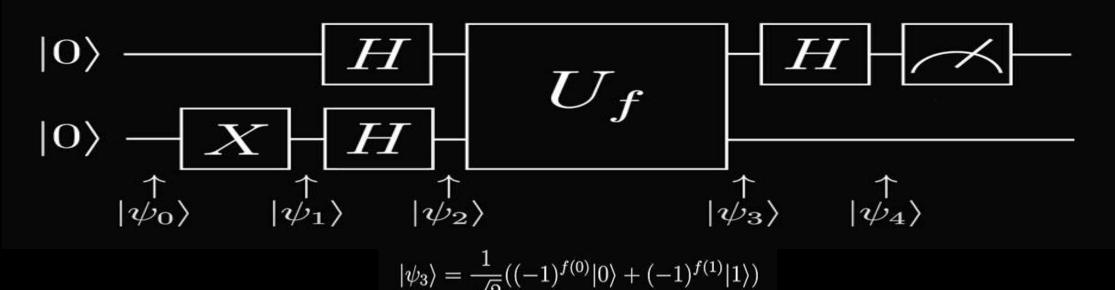
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ((-1)^{f(0)}|0\rangle + (-1)^{f(1)}|1\rangle)$$

From phase kickback

$$(-1)^{f(x)}|x\rangle|-\rangle$$

ignore - state

Now check for two conditions



$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}((-1)^{f(0)}|0\rangle + (-1)^{f(1)}|1\rangle)$$

$$f(0) = f(1) \text{ or } f(0) \neq f(1)$$

$$f(0) = f(1)$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$
, if $f(0) = 0$ and $f(1) = 0$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$
, if $f(0) = 1$ and $f(1) = 1$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

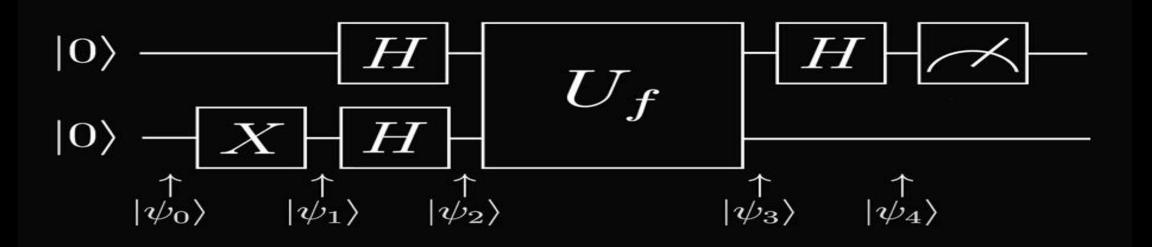
$$|\psi_3\rangle = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

$$f(0) \neq f(1)$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle), \text{ if } f(0) = 0 \text{ and } f(1) = 1$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-|0\rangle + |1\rangle), \text{ if } f(0) = 1 \text{ and } f(1) = 0$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \quad |\psi_3\rangle = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$



if
$$f(0) = f(1)$$
: $|\psi_3\rangle = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$ $|\psi_3\rangle = \pm |+\rangle$

if
$$f(0) \neq f(1)$$
: $|\psi_3\rangle = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$ $|\psi_3\rangle = \pm |-\rangle$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \pm |-\rangle$$

After Applying H gate at state 4:

if
$$f(0) = f(1) : |\psi_4\rangle = \pm |0\rangle$$

if
$$f(0) \neq f(1) : |\psi_4\rangle = \pm |1\rangle$$

if we measure 0 then the function is constant, since f(0) = f(1)

if we measure 1 then the function is balanced, since $f(0) \neq f(1)$

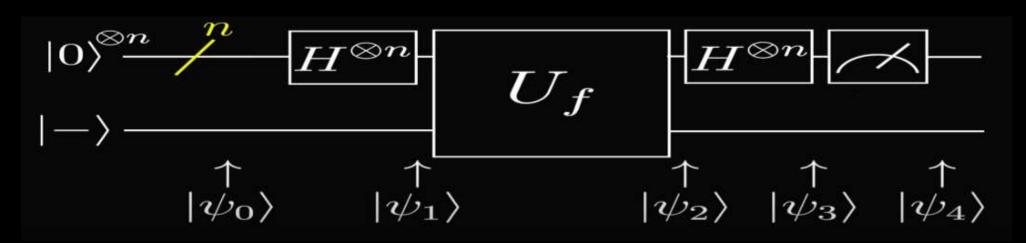
In words Deutsch's algorithm is implemented by the following steps:

- 1. Apply Hadamard gates to the input state $|0\rangle|1\rangle$ to produce a product state of two superpositions.
- 2. Apply U_f to that product state.
- 3. Apply a Hadamard gate to the first qubit leaving the second qubit alone.

Deutsch's Algorithm: $f: \{0,1\} \rightarrow \{0,1\}$

Deutsch-Jozsa Algorithm: $f: \{0,1\}^n \to \{0,1\}$

Classical computers need to query the function at worst $2^{n-1} + 1$ times



n means n number of qubits

Refer next slide for solution

$$|\psi_0\rangle = |00...0\rangle|-\rangle$$
$$= |0\rangle^{\otimes n}|-\rangle$$

$$\begin{split} |\psi_1\rangle &= H^{\otimes n}|0\rangle^{\otimes n}|-\rangle \\ &= H|0\rangle H|0\rangle ... H|0\rangle|-\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes ... \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)|-\rangle \end{split}$$

Now check for next state

$$H^{\otimes 2}|0\rangle^{\otimes 2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^2} |x\rangle$$

Combination of string of length 2

$$H^{\otimes 3}|0\rangle^{\otimes 3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^3}}(|000\rangle + |001\rangle + |010\rangle + |011\rangle + |100\rangle + |101\rangle + |110\rangle + |111\rangle)$$

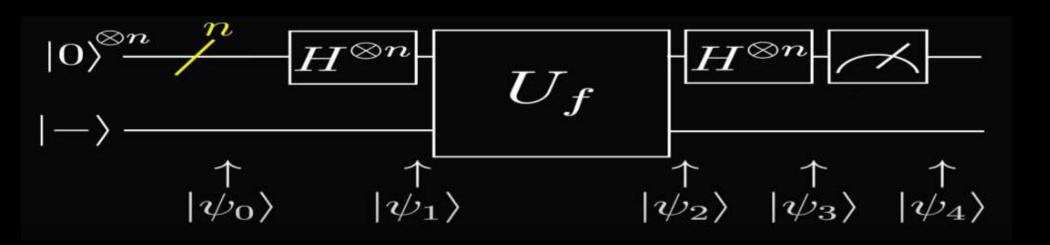
$$=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2^3}}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}^3}|x\rangle$$

Combination of string of length 3

$$H^{\otimes n}|0\rangle^{\otimes n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} |x\rangle$$

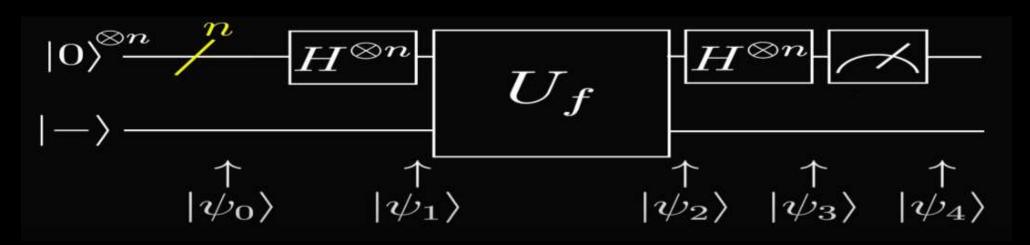
Combination of string of length n

Remember: This is only for 0 input in H gate, not for general input



$$\begin{split} |\psi_2\rangle &= U_f \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} |x\rangle| - \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} U_f |x\rangle| - \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle| - \rangle \quad \text{Phase Kickback} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle \quad \text{Ignore - state} \end{split}$$

Now check for next state



$$\begin{split} |\psi_3\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} H^{\otimes n} |x\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{z \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} \sum_{z \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} \sum_{z \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle \end{split}$$

Amplitude of the $|0\rangle^{\otimes n}$ state: (All 0 state)

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x) + x \cdot 000 \dots 0} = \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x) + \mathbf{0}} = \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)}$$

Now check 2 conditions after 2 slides

$$H|x_i\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_i}|1\rangle)$$

We already know

$$H|0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + (-1)^{0}|1\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$
$$H|1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + (-1)^{1}|1\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

Our main aim is to find the output for n qubit generalized input to H gate

$$H^{\otimes n}|x\rangle = H|x_0\rangle H|x_1\rangle ... H|x_{n-1}\rangle$$

Testing $H^{\otimes 3}|x\rangle$

$$H^{\otimes 3}|x\rangle = H|x_0\rangle H|x_1\rangle H|x_2\rangle$$

Let's solve the equation

$$H^{\otimes 3}|x\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^3}}(|000\rangle + (-1)^{x_2}|001\rangle + (-1)^{x_1}|010\rangle + (-1)^{x_1+x_2}|011\rangle + (-1)^{x_0}|100\rangle + (-1)^{x_0+x_2}|101\rangle + (-1)^{x_0+x_1}|110\rangle + (-1)^{x_0+x_1}|111\rangle$$

Check that the position of 1 in the state and value of x is same. Rewrite x with the superposition of the position of 1

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^3}}(|000\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 001}|001\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 010}|010\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 011}|011\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 100}|100\rangle \\ + (-1)^{x \cdot 101}|101\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 110}|110\rangle + (-1)^{x \cdot 111}|111\rangle) \qquad \text{Order: } \mathbf{x_0} \text{ bit } \mathbf{x_1} \text{ bit } \mathbf{x_2} \text{ bit }$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^3}} \sum_{z \in \{0,1\}^3} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle$$

$$x_1.x_2.x_3...x_n * z_1.z_2.z_3...z_n = x_1z_1 + x_2z_2 + ... + x_nz_n$$

$$H^{\otimes n}|x\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{z \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle$$

Now let's go back 2 slides to find the output in state 3.

Amplitude of the $|0\rangle^{\otimes n}$ state: $\frac{1}{2^n}$ $\sum (-1)^{f(x)}$

if f(x) is constant:

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^0 : f(x) = 0\\ \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^1 : f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} 1 & : f(x) = 0\\ \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^1 & : f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2^n} 2^n & : f(x) = 0\\ \frac{1}{2^n} (-2^n) & : f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$=\begin{cases} 1 & : f(x) = 0 \\ -1 & : f(x) = 1 \end{cases}$$
 if $f(x)$ is constant:
$$\frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)} = \pm 1$$

In General combing these two conditions

Now check if f(x) is balanced

Amplitude of the
$$|0\rangle^{\otimes n}$$
 state: $\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)}$

if f(x) is balanced:

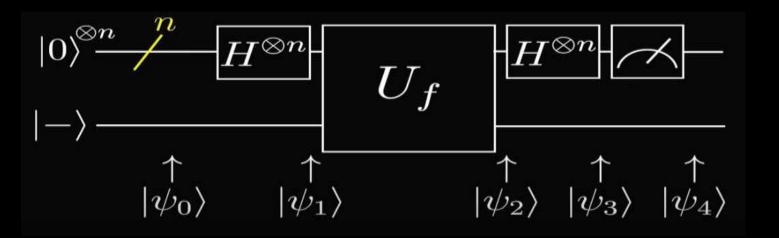
$$\frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} (-1)^{f(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^n}((-1)^0 + (-1)^1 + (-1)^1 + (-1)^0 + \dots + (-1)^0)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^n}(0)$$

Half of the f(x) should be 0 and another half should be 1

Next slide check the effect on measurement

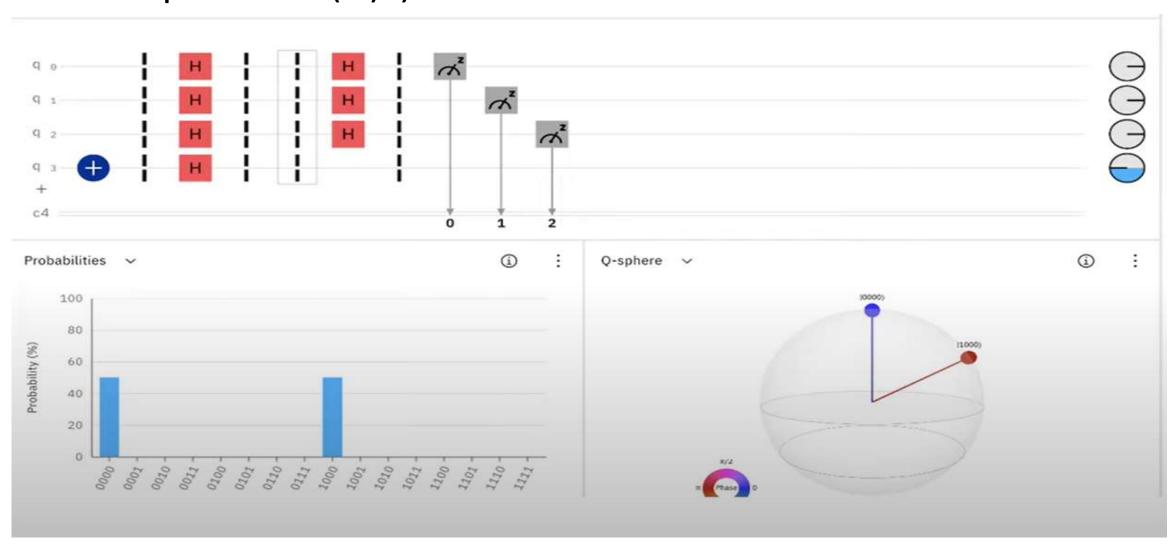


if we measure 000...0 then f(x) is constant Since the amplitude of the all 0's state if f(x) is constant is ± 1

if we don't measure 000...0 then f(x) is balanced Since the amplitude of the all 0's state if f(x) is balanced is 0

In the case where f is constant the amplitude for all 0 state is +1 or −1, depending on the constant value f(x) takes. Because $|\psi_3\rangle$ is of unit length it follows that all the other amplitudes must be zero, and an observation will yield 0s for all qubits in the query register. If f is balanced then the positive and negative contributions to the amplitude for $|0\rangle$ \otimes n cancel, leaving an amplitude of zero, and a measurement must yield a result other than 0 on at least one qubit in the query register.

For Constant Function: Qiskit Code (Random Example of f(x))



For Balanced Function: Qiskit Code (Random Example of f(x))



Algorithm: Deutsch-Jozsa

Inputs: (1) A black box U_f which performs the transformation $|x\rangle|y\rangle \to |x\rangle|y\oplus f(x)\rangle$, for $x\in\{0,\ldots,2^n-1\}$ and $f(x)\in\{0,1\}$. It is promised that f(x) is either *constant* for all values of x, or else f(x) is *balanced*, that is, equal to 1 for exactly half of all the possible x, and 0 for the other half.

Outputs: 0 if and only if f is constant.

Runtime: One evaluation of U_f . Always succeeds.

Procedure:

1.
$$|0\rangle^{\otimes n}|1\rangle$$

$$5. \rightarrow z$$

initialize state

create superposition using Hadamard gates

calculate function f using U_f

perform Hadamard transform

measure to obtain final output z

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