

Quantum assignment 2

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1 Task 1

Define a function $f : \{0, 1\}^3 \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ by $f(x, y, z) = x \oplus y \oplus z'$. Your task is to create a quantum circuit that implements the Deutsch-Josza algorithm to determine whether the function f is balanced or constant.

- i. Remember to provide a detailed explanation of each step in your quantum circuit, i.e., the initial state, all the operations on the quantum state, the evaluation of function f as a black box and the final measurement. (20)
- ii. Then, analyze the measurement results to determine whether the function f is constant or balanced. (5)

2 Task 2

- i. Design an efficient quantum circuit for half-adder which takes inputs x and y and produces the outputs $x \wedge y$ (logical AND) and $x \oplus y$ (logical XOR). (5)
- ii. Using the previous circuit, create a quantum circuit for the operation

$$(x, y, z) \rightarrow (x, t, x \oplus y \oplus z)$$

$$\text{where } t = ((x \oplus y) \wedge z) \vee (x \wedge y). \quad (15)$$

- iii. Using the above two circuits, create a quantum circuit for adding two numbers a_1a_0 and b_1b_0 . (15)

To answer the above questions, you can use the ancilla bits.