

Complexity of recognizing Dyck languages of bounded height with quantum query algorithms.

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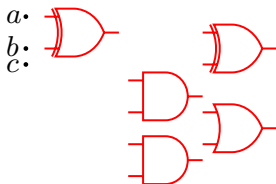


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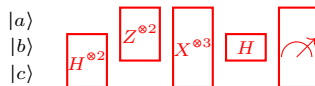


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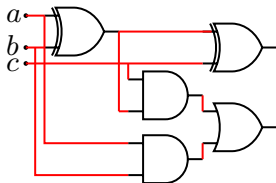


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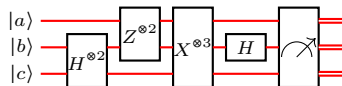


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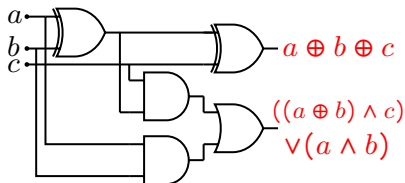


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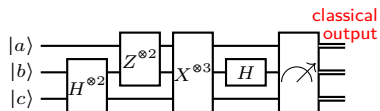


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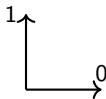


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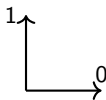


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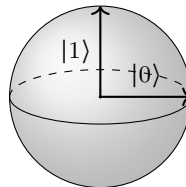


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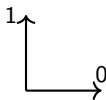


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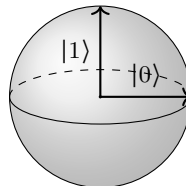


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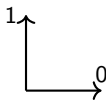


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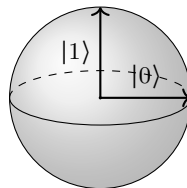


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$$H^{\otimes 2} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Figure: Unitary matrix on 2 qubits.

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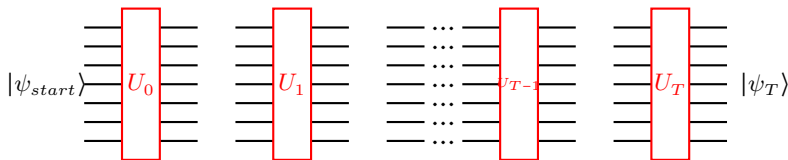


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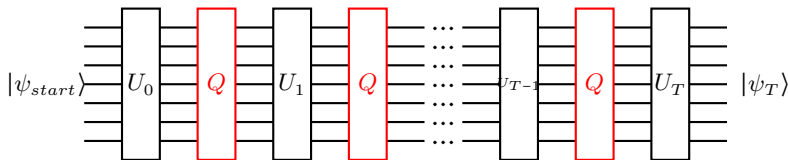


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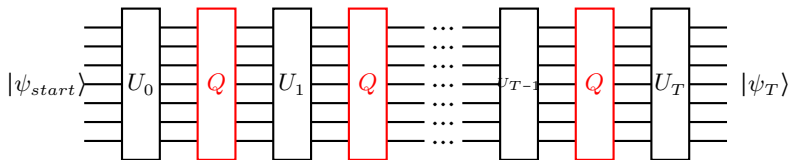


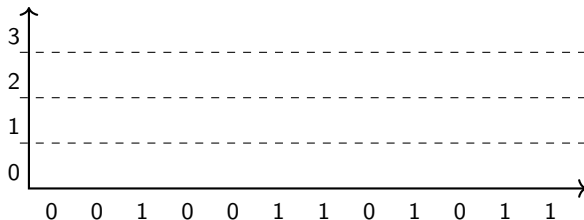
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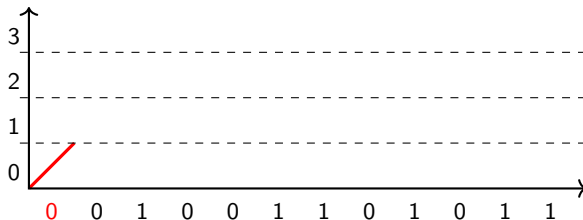
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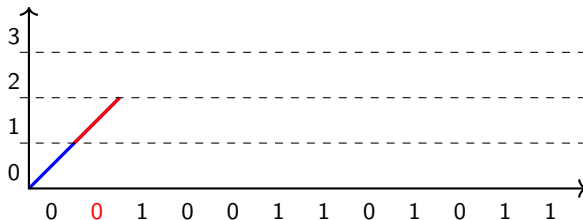
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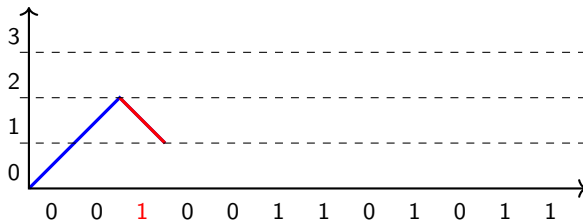
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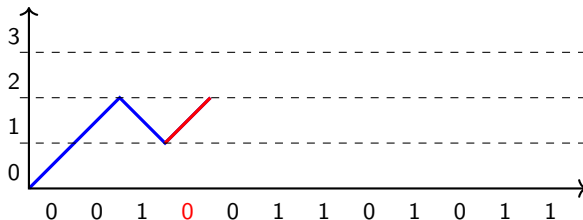
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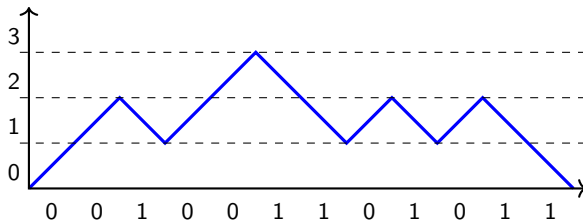
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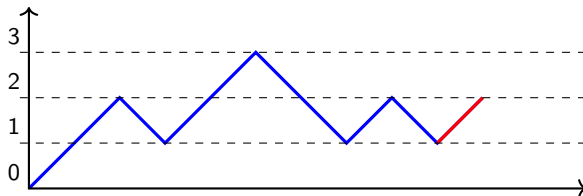
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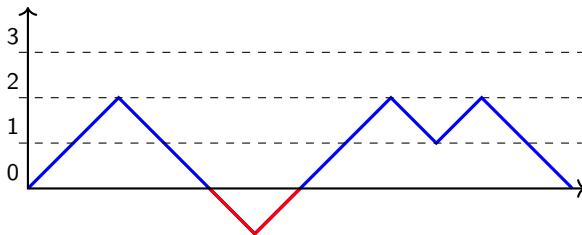
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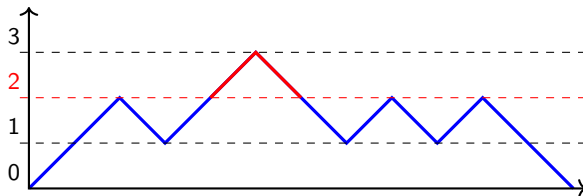
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Implication:

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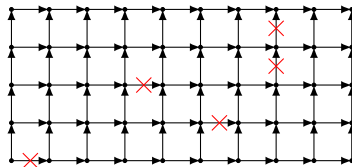


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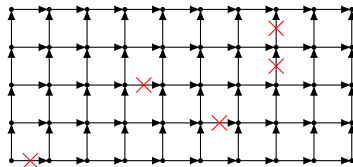


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$$\Omega\left(\sqrt{nc^k}\right)$$

Goal of the internship

Figure: scale

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 - Original algorithm and small revisions
 - A new algorithm for $k=2$
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For $k \geq 2$ it is not more easy

presentation of the algorithm

small revision

the new algorithm

can be plug in the big one

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 - Upper bounds: Trying not do to every node
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What as been done:



Possible idea to go further:





Scott Aaronson, Daniel Grier, and Luke Schaeffer.

A quantum query complexity trichotomy for regular languages, 2018.