

# Hamiltonian Simulation $H=Z$

§4.7 Simulation of quantum systems, Nielsen & Chuang

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## Introduction


Quantum circuit for simulating the Hamiltonian  $H=\otimes Z$  for time  $\Delta t$ .

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- Structure of  $H=\otimes Z$  for time  $\Delta t$ , operator and matrix form
- Equivalence between circuits with CNOT connected directly to the last/ancilla qubit or with intermediate connections (both forms are used in the literature)

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In[5]:= (* import package *)
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Needs["Quantum`Computing`"];
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 **SetQuantumGate:** Symbol SetQuantumGate appears in multiple contexts {Quantum`Computing`, Global`}; definitions in context Quantum`Computing` may shadow or be shadowed by other definitions.

# n=1

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In[ ]:= Clear[Δt, I2, Z, RZ, U1, U2, rot, psi]
I2 = PauliMatrix[0];
Z = PauliMatrix[3];

(* direct method *)
U1 = MatrixExp[-I KroneckerProduct[Z, I2] Δt];

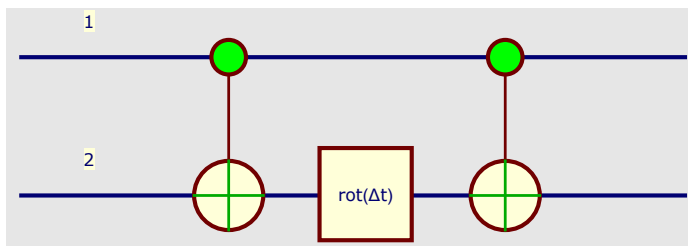
(* define Rz rotation *)
SetQuantumGate[rot, 1,
  Function[{q1},
    Function[{Δt},
      
$$e^{-i\Delta t} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + e^{+i\Delta t} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

];
QuantumTableForm[rot1[Δt]];
QuantumMatrixForm[rot1[Δt]];
QuantumMatrixForm[C{3}[NOT4]];

(* build circuit *)
circ = C{1}[NOT2] · rot2[Δt] · C{1}[NOT2];
(* plot *)
QuantumPlot[circ]
U2 = QuantumMatrix[circ];
(* compare unitaries *)
Print["U1=", U1]
Print["U2=", U2]
(* define test ket. We are only interested on the effect of the operators
   on an arbitrary ket (where the ancilla is supposed to start as 0) *)
psi = ArrayFlatten[KroneckerProduct[{a[0], a[1]}, {1, 0}], 1];
Print["ψ=", psi]
(* the non-zero entries of this ket
   will select the relevant entries of the operators *)
(* because of zero entries in U1,U2,
   we need to add ε to the operators and then take the limit ε→0 *)
Limit[(U1.psi+ε) / (U2.psi+ε), ε→0]
(* the resulting kets are the same *)

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Out[ ]:=



$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{U1} &= \{ \{e^{-i\Delta t}, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0, e^{-i\Delta t}, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, e^{i\Delta t}, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, e^{i\Delta t}\} \} \\ \mathbf{U2} &= \{ \{e^{-i\Delta t}, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0, e^{i\Delta t}, 0, 0\}, \{0, 0, e^{i\Delta t}, 0\}, \{0, 0, 0, e^{-i\Delta t}\} \} \\ \psi &= \{a[0], 0, a[1], 0\} \end{aligned}$$
$$Out[\bullet]= \{1, 1, 1, 1\}$$
$$n=2$$

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In[ ]:= Clear[Δt, I2, Z, RZ, U1, U2, rot, psi]

I2 = PauliMatrix[0];
Z = PauliMatrix[3];

(* direct method *)
U1 = MatrixExp[-I KroneckerProduct[Z, Z, I2] Δt];

(* define Rz rotation *)
SetQuantumGate[rot, 1,
  Function[{q1},
    Function[{Δt},
      
$$e^{-i\Delta t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + e^{+i\Delta t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right);$$

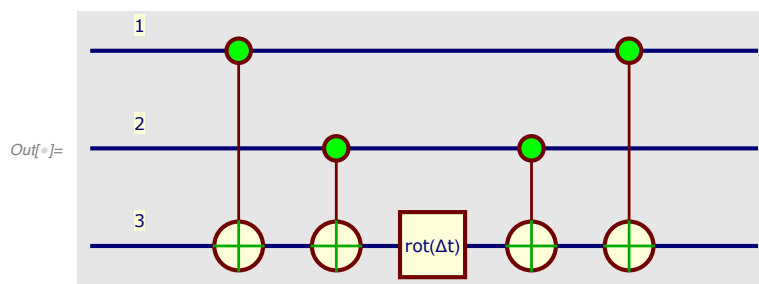
    QuantumTableForm[rot1[Δt]];
    QuantumMatrixForm[rot1[Δt]];
    QuantumMatrixForm[C{3}[NOT4]];
  ]];

(* build circuit *)
circ = C{1}[NOT3] · C{2}[NOT3] · rot3[Δt] · C{2}[NOT3] · C{1}[NOT3];

(* plot *)
QuantumPlot[circ]
U2 = QuantumMatrix[circ];

(* compare unitaries *)
psi = ArrayFlatten[KroneckerProduct[{a[0], a[1]}, {a[2], a[3]}, {1, 0}], 1];
Limit[(U1.psi + ε) / (U2.psi + ε), ε → 0]

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$$Out[\bullet]=\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1\}$$

n=3



## intermediate connections

$$n=2$$

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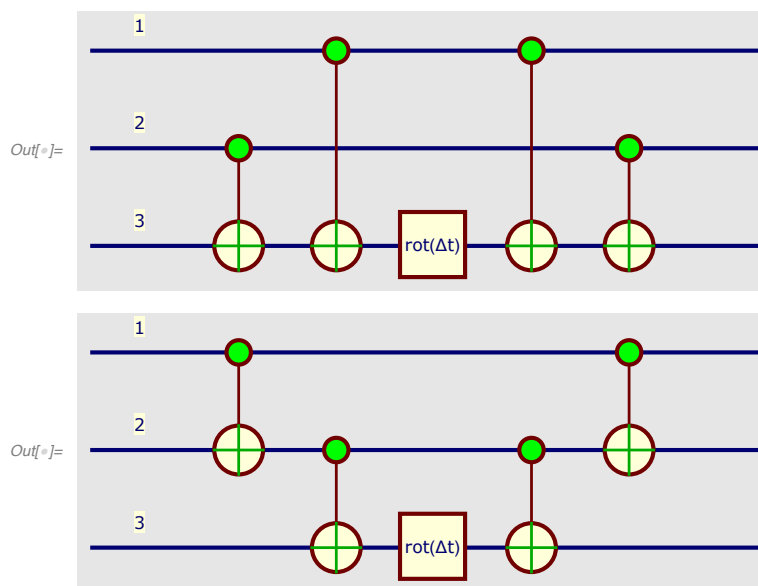
In[ ]:= Clear[Δt, I2, Z, RZ, U1, U2, rot, psi, circ1, circ2]

I2 = PauliMatrix[0];
Z = PauliMatrix[3];
(* define Rz rotation *)
SetQuantumGate[rot, 1,
  Function[{q1},
    Function[{Δt},
      
$$e^{-i\Delta t} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + e^{+i\Delta t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
;
    ]];

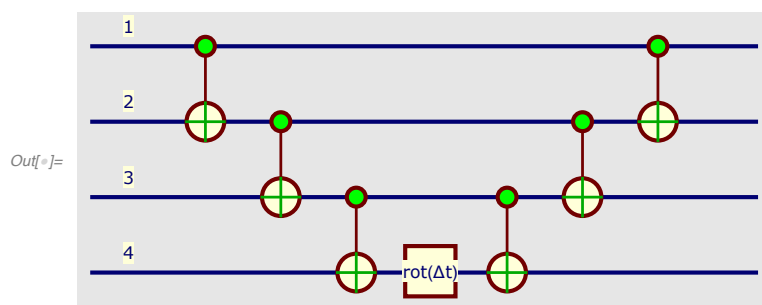
(* build circuit *)
circ1 = C{2}[NOT3] · C{1}[NOT3] · rot3[Δt] · C{1}[NOT3] · C{2}[NOT3];
circ2 = C{1}[NOT2] · C{2}[NOT3] · rot3[Δt] · C{2}[NOT3] · C{1}[NOT2];

(* plot *)
QuantumPlot[circ1]
QuantumPlot[circ2]
U1 = QuantumMatrix[circ1];
U2 = QuantumMatrix[circ2];
(* compare unitaries *)
psi = ArrayFlatten[KroneckerProduct[{a[0], a[1]}, {a[2], a[3]}, {1, 0}], 1];
Limit[(U1.psi + ε) / (U2.psi + ε), ε → 0]

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$$Out[\bullet]=\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1\}$$





Out[ ]:= {1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1}





## Procedurally building a circuit implementing the $k^2$ operator

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In[173]:= (* agrees with Figure 4.3 of Eltoft *)
"Quantum Simulation of Schrödinger's Equation" *)
Clear[Δt, I2, Z, RZ, U1, U2, psi, n, circ]

n = 4;
Δt = π;

(* define Rz rotation *)
SetQuantumGate[rot, 1,
Function[{q1},
Function[{Δt},

$$e^{-i\Delta t} \begin{vmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix}_{q_1} \cdot \langle 0 |_{q_1} + e^{+i\Delta t} \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{vmatrix}_{q_1} \cdot \langle 1 |_{q_1} ]];$$

],
cnot[i_, j_] := Module[{ },
Return[

$$C^{\hat{i}}[NOT_{n+1}] \cdot C^{\hat{j}}[NOT_{n+1}] \cdot rot_{n+1}[2^{-(4-i-j)} \Delta t] \cdot C^{\hat{j}}[NOT_{n+1}] \cdot C^{\hat{i}}[NOT_{n+1}]$$

]
]

circ =  $\bigotimes_{j=1}^n rot_j[2^{-(n+4-j)} \Delta t]$  ·  $\bigotimes_{j=1}^n \bigotimes_{m=j+1}^n cnot[j, m]$ 
QuantumPlot[circ]
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Out}[178] = & \text{rot}_{\hat{1}}\left[\frac{\pi}{2}\right] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{2}}\left[\frac{\pi}{4}\right] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{3}}\left[\frac{\pi}{8}\right] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{4}}\left[\frac{\pi}{16}\right] \cdot C^{\{\hat{1}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{2}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}[2\pi] \cdot \\ & C^{\{\hat{2}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{1}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}^2] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}[\pi] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{1}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}^2] \cdot \\ & C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}\left[\frac{\pi}{2}\right] \cdot C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{1}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{2}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \\ & \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}\left[\frac{\pi}{2}\right] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{2}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}^2] \cdot C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}\left[\frac{\pi}{4}\right] \cdot C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \\ & C^{\{\hat{2}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot \text{rot}_{\hat{5}}\left[\frac{\pi}{8}\right] \cdot C^{\{\hat{4}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \cdot C^{\{\hat{3}\}}[NOT_{\hat{5}}] \end{aligned}$$
