

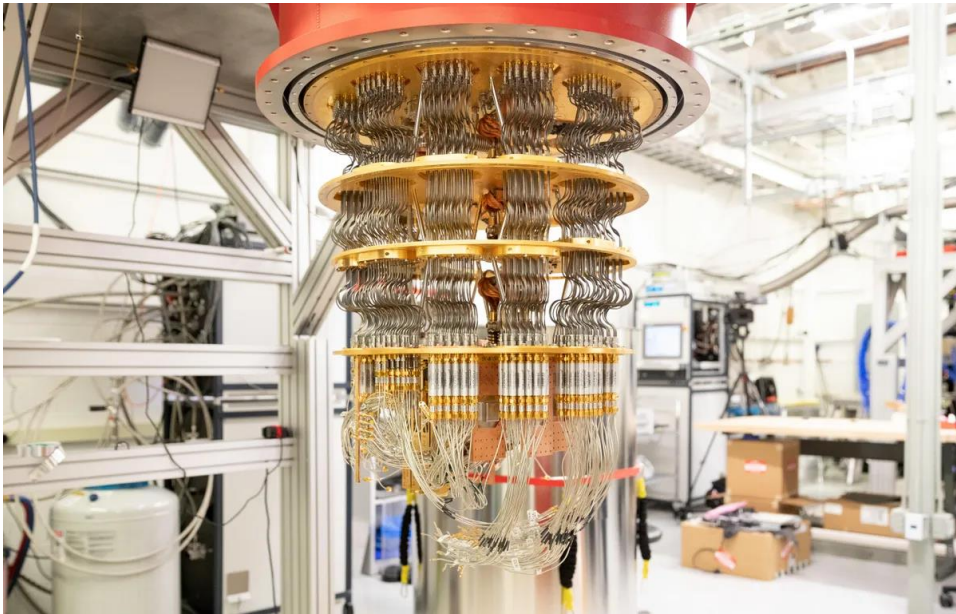
# A Simple Introduction to Quantum Computers

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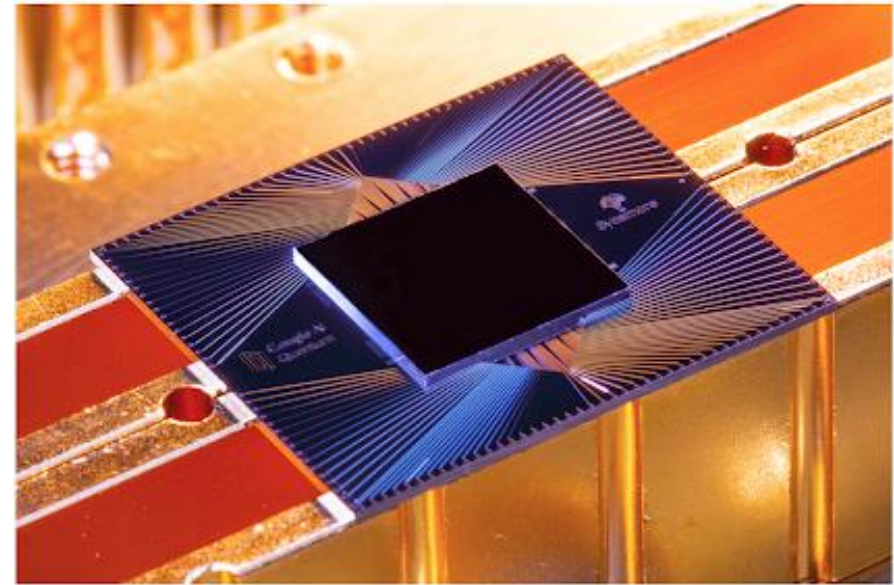
# Overview of Topics

- What are quantum computers?
- Qubits and their representation
- Quantum Logic Gates
- Quantum Logic Circuits
- Applications of Quantum Computers

# What are Quantum Computers?



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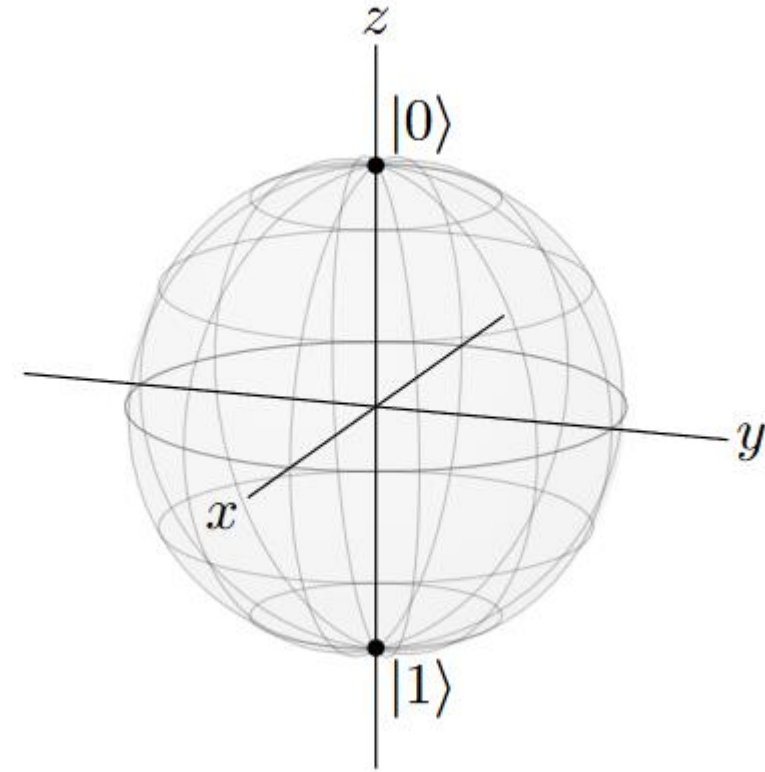


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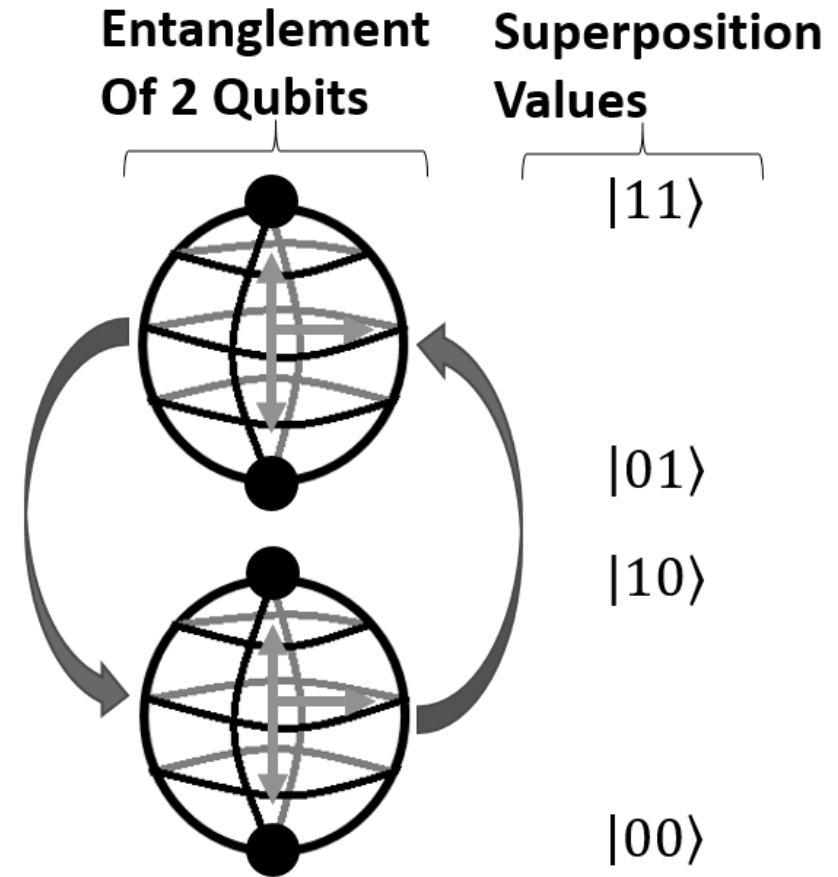
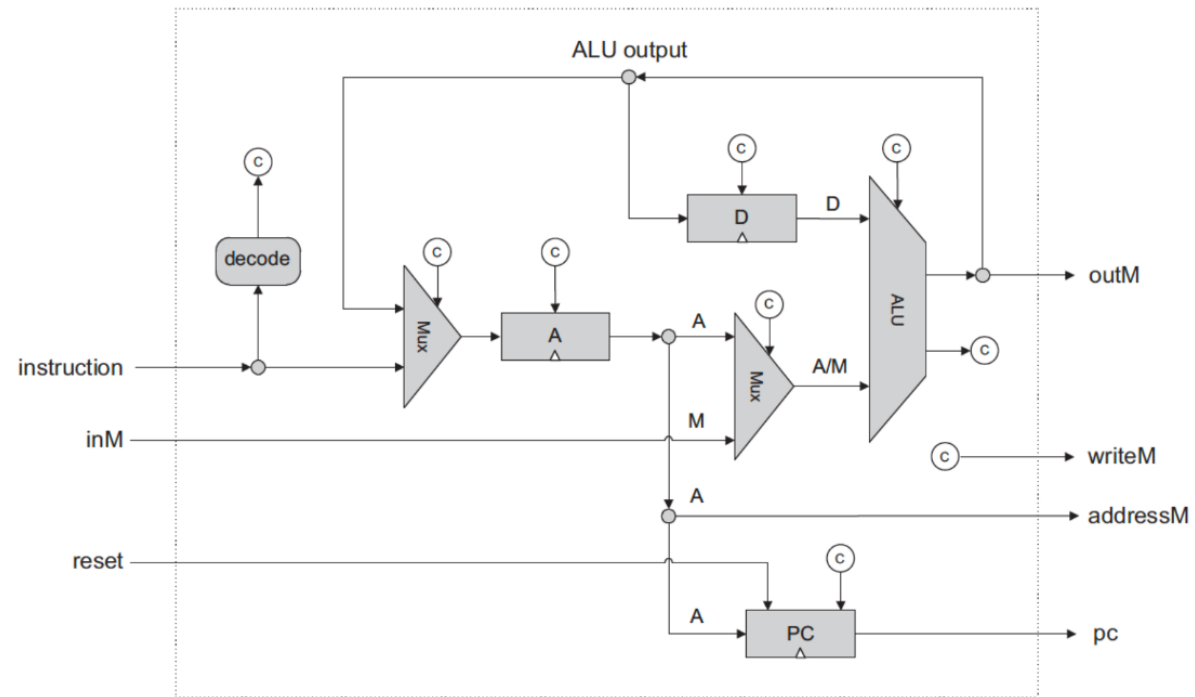
# How do they differ from classical computers?



Source: <https://computer.howstuffworks.com/bytes.htm>



Source: Wong, T.G. (2022) 'One Quantum Bit', in *Introduction to classical and quantum computing*. Omaha: Rooted Groove, p. 76.



Source: Havenstein, Christopher & Thomas, Damarcus & Chandrasekaran, Swami. (2018). SMU Data Science Review Comparisons of Performance between Quantum and Classical Machine Learning. 10.13140/RG.2.2.20353.40801.

# Prerequisites

- Knowledge of Trigonometry and Linear Algebra
  - <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/trigonometry>
  - <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/linear-algebra>
- IBM Quantum Account
  - Set up using Deakin email
  - <https://quantum-computing.ibm.com/>