

CONTROLLED GATES

1. CNOT Gate

It is a conditional gate that performs X gate on target qubit if the control qubit is $|1\rangle$



Input (control, target)	Output (c, t)
0 0	0 0
0 1	0 1
1 0	1 1
1 1	1 0

$$CNOT = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & X \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = |0\rangle\langle 0| \otimes I + |1\rangle\langle 1| \otimes X$$

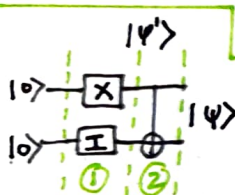
Examples



$$|00\rangle = |0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad CNOT = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & X \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi\rangle = CNOT |00\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow |00\rangle$$

So $|00\rangle$ remains the same.
As the control bit is not $|1\rangle$



$$|00\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

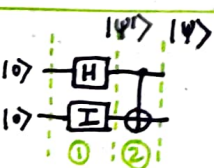
$$X \otimes I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi'\rangle = XI |00\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow |10\rangle$$

Now

$$|\psi\rangle = CNOT |\psi'\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow |11\rangle$$

control qubit is $|1\rangle$
so target qubit $|0\rangle$ becomes $|1\rangle$
Therefore $|10\rangle$ becomes $|11\rangle$



$$|00\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H \otimes I = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi'\rangle = HI |00\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |10\rangle)$$

50% probability of being in $|00\rangle$
50% probability of being in $|10\rangle$

$$|\psi'\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |10\rangle)$$

$$|\psi\rangle = CNOT |\psi'\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

So $|\psi'\rangle \rightarrow |\psi\rangle$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |10\rangle) \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

control qubit $|0\rangle$ remains same
control qubit $|1\rangle$ target qubit flips

50% probability of being in $|00\rangle$
50% probability of being in $|11\rangle$
This is a Bell State that represents Entanglement.

(More on Entanglement LATER)

$|0\rangle \xrightarrow{H} \xrightarrow{\text{CNOT}} \xrightarrow{H} |\psi''\rangle$
 $|0\rangle \xrightarrow{H} \xrightarrow{\oplus} \xrightarrow{H} |\psi'\rangle$
 $|\psi''\rangle \xrightarrow{H} |\psi'\rangle \xrightarrow{H} |\psi\rangle$

$(1) |00\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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

$|\psi''\rangle = HH|00\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$(2) |\psi'\rangle = \text{CNOT}|\psi''\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$(3) |\psi\rangle = HH|\psi'\rangle = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = |00\rangle$

So $|00\rangle \rightarrow |00\rangle$
 Similarly
 $|01\rangle \rightarrow |11\rangle$
 $|10\rangle \rightarrow |10\rangle$
 $|11\rangle \rightarrow |01\rangle$

It affects the state of control qubit, while target qubit remains unchanged.

Overall Gate = $(HH) \otimes \text{CNOT} \otimes (HH)$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

So, the given quantum circuit is equivalent to



This is example of Phase Kickback operation of a gate on a qubit is 'kicked back' into another qubit via a controlled operation.

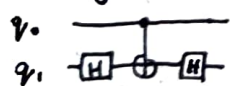
Like in the example above, X gate operation on the TARGET QUBIT is kicked on to the CONTROL QUBIT.

ADVANTAGE - allows CNOT in both directions using Hadamard Gate by wrapping them around CNOT gate.

Controlled-Z (CZ)

We know $HXH = Z$

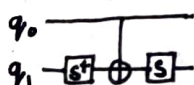
So CZ gate is



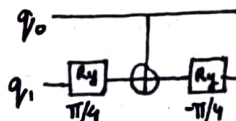
$\text{CZ} = H(\text{CNOT})H$



Controlled Y Gate



Controlled H Gate



CNOT can be transformed to controlled version of any rotation about the Bloch Sphere, by preceding and succeeding CNOT with correct rotations.

These Rotations are of 180° .

T Gate

$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/4} \end{bmatrix}$

Controlled-T

$\text{Controlled-T} = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & T \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{i\pi/4} \end{bmatrix}$

More generally Controlled U operation for any gate

$U = \begin{bmatrix} u_{00} & u_{01} \\ u_{10} & u_{11} \end{bmatrix}$

$\text{C-U} = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & U \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & u_{00} & u_{01} \\ 0 & 0 & u_{10} & u_{11} \end{bmatrix}$