

In principle demonstration of quantum secret sharing in the IBM quantum computer

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Classical Secret Sharing

- Classic Secret sharing is method of distributing a secret among group of members each of whom is allocated a share of secret, such that it can be reconstructed only when a sufficient number of members come together.
- By the use of advanced quantum algorithms this Classical Secret Sharing Scheme is broken
- CSS schemes are not perfectly secure from eavesdrops attack.

Quantum Secret Sharing

- Quantum secret sharing is a way to share secret messages with unconditional security
- Alice shares the quantum information between two parties Bob and Charlie.
- To retrieve the secret fully one of Bob or Charlie should consent from the other.
- The presence a dishonest receiver or outsider can be detected without the secret being revealed.

Quantum Secret Sharing

- For splitting the message into two parts it uses the GHZ states or maximally entangled three-particle states.
- If we suppose Alice, Bob and Charlie each have one particle from the GHZ triplet which is in state.
- These three particles choose to measure in x or y direction randomly.
- By combining measurement results of Bob and Charlie result of Alice measurement can be known in half the time.

HBB Protocol

- (i) The sender Alice and the users Bob and Charlie shares a 3-qubit GHZ state prior to the beginning of quantum secret sharing procedure.
- (ii) Alice wants to send an arbitrary single qubit state, in her possession to Charlie (Bob) through the method of quantum teleportation.
- (iii) Alice then performs a Bell basis measurement on the two particles (A, a) in her possession and keeps the measurement result to herself.
- (iv) After confirming via public channel, that both Bob and Charlie have received one particle each, Alice sends her measurement result to Charlie (Bob).
- (v) Bob (Charlie) then performs a single particle measurement on his particle in X-basis and sends his measurement result to Charlie (Bob) .
- (vi) Now, Charlie (Bob) can reconstruct the teleported information by getting one bit classical information from Bob (Charlie) and the two bits earlier sent by Alice .

Transporting Qubits

- According to the No-Cloning theorem, qubits cannot be duplicated
- Is there a way to transmit qubits from one point to another without destroying superposition and phase information?

$$|\Psi\rangle = \alpha |0\rangle + \beta |1\rangle$$



Alice



Bob

Quantum Teleportation

- Quantum Teleportation enables the transfer of qubits, while perfectly preserving state information
- Allows for transmission over great distances (from Earth to Space)

Does not involve:

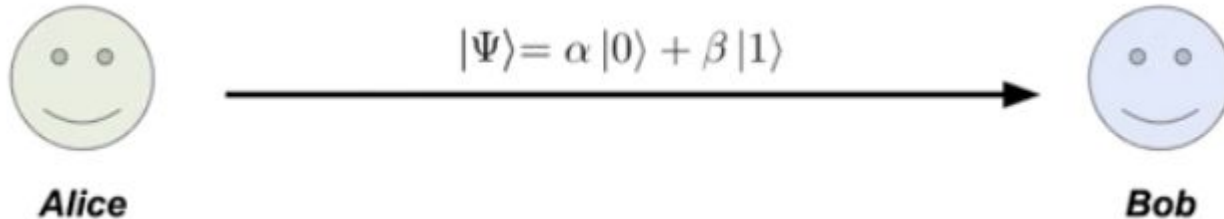
- Moving matter from one point to another via Materialization or de-Materialization
- Travelling forward or backward in time
- Travelling faster than speed of light

Requirements for Quantum Teleportation

A qubit can be perfectly transmitted using 3 qubit and 2 classical bits.

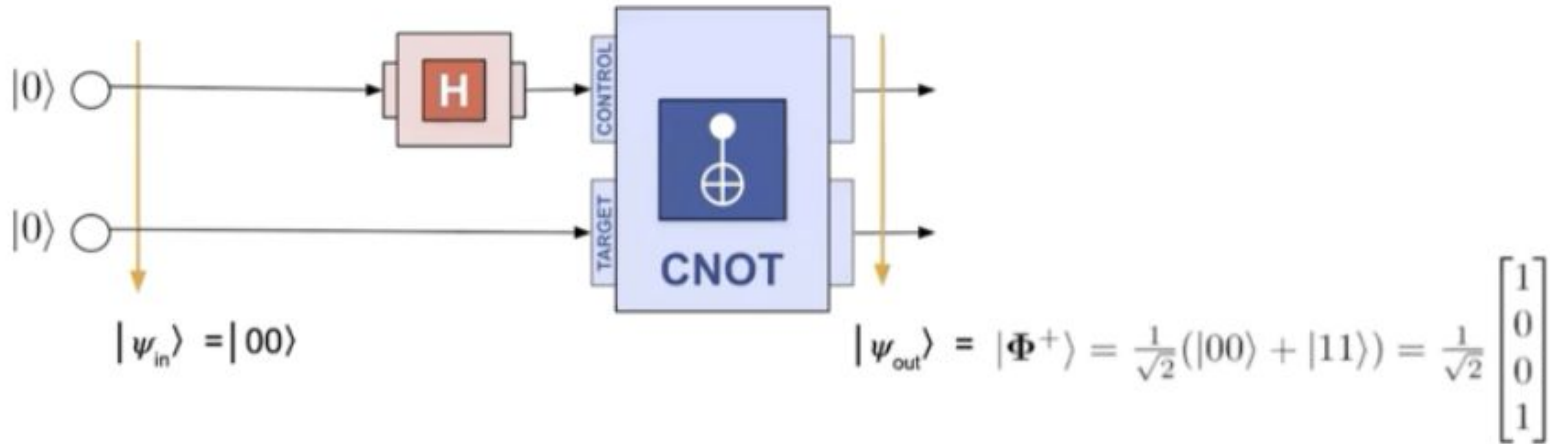
Teleportation needs:

- Two qubits that are entangled...each party has one half of the entangled pair
- A message qubit that will be send from one point to another
- A classical communication line between both parties for the transmission of two classical bits.
(therefore it cannot be faster than the speed of light)



Step 1: Create an entangled pair of qubits

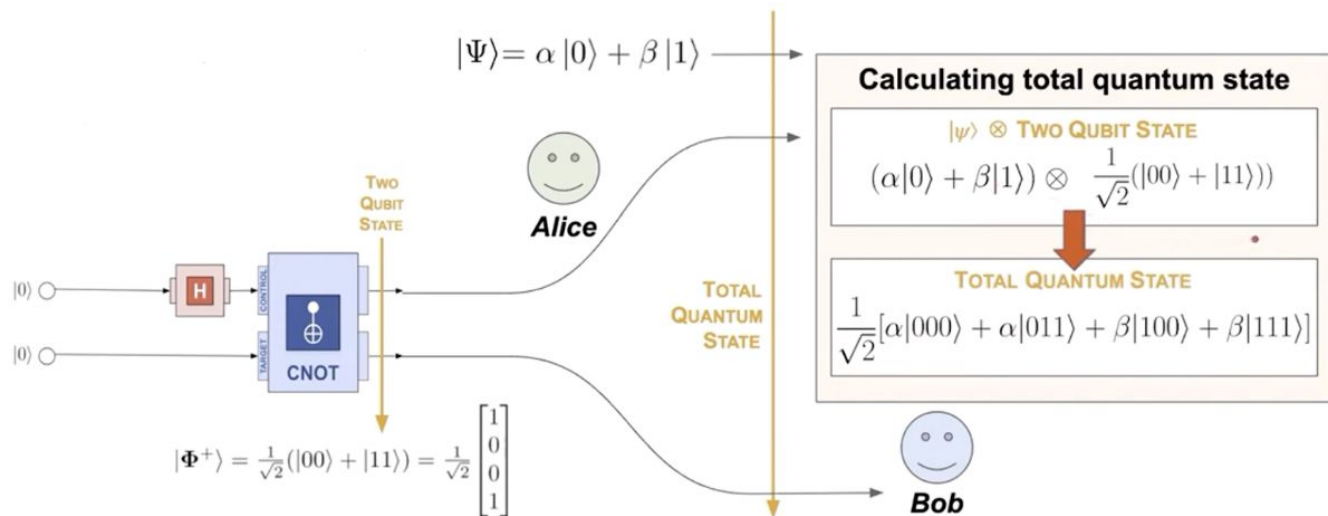
- Alice and Bob entangle the qubits using Hadamard and CNOT gate



Step 2: Distribute entangled qubits to Alice & Bob

Alice now has two qubits:

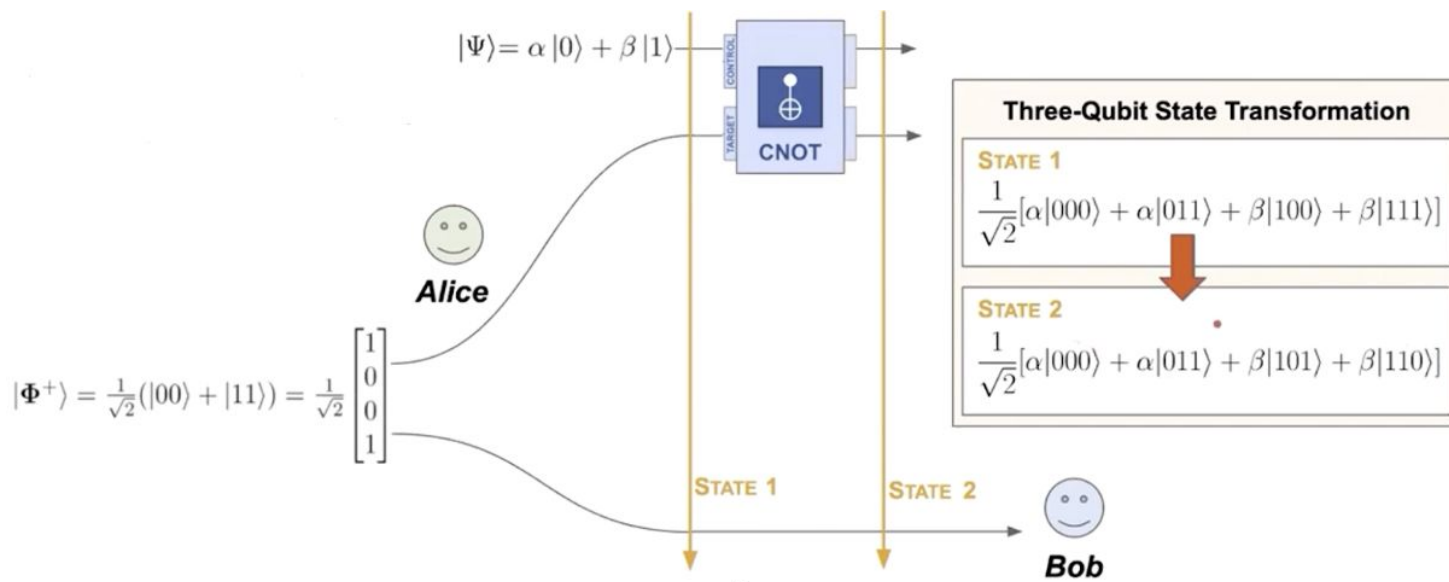
- Half of the entangled pair
- The message qubit, $|\psi\rangle$



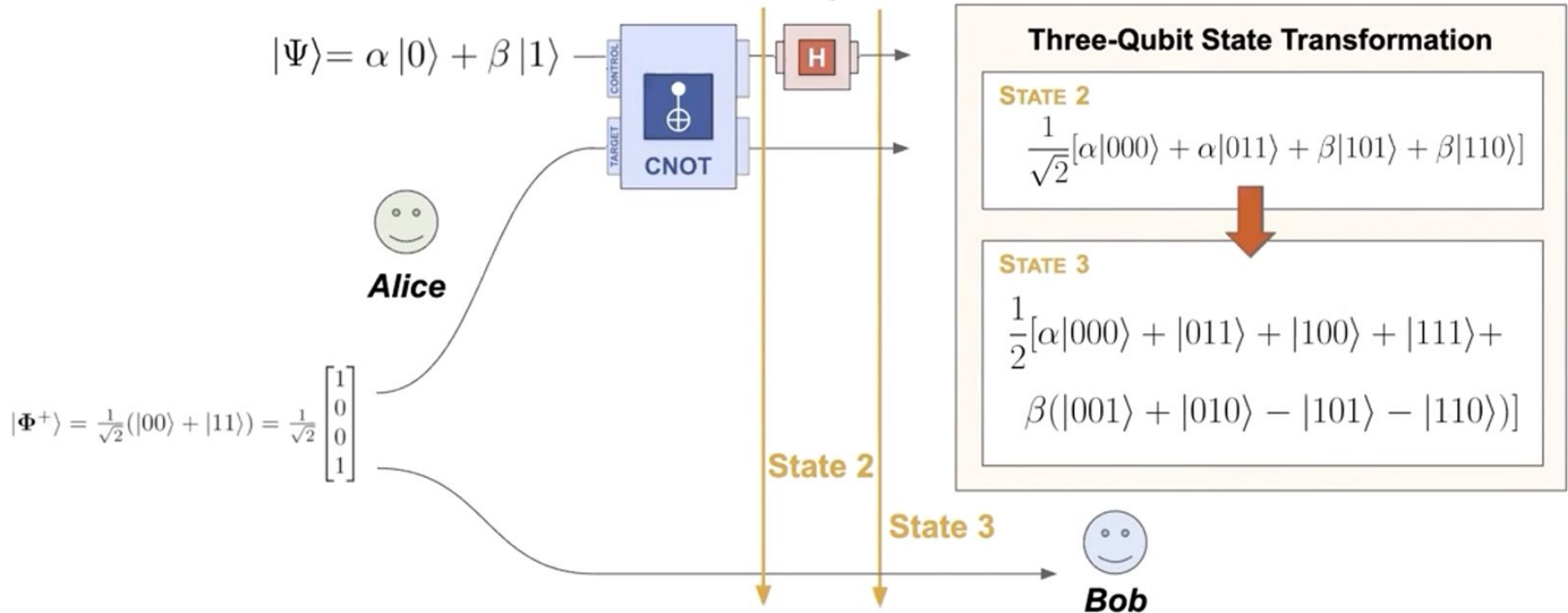
Step 3: Alice applies CNOT to her qubits

Alice applies CNOT on:

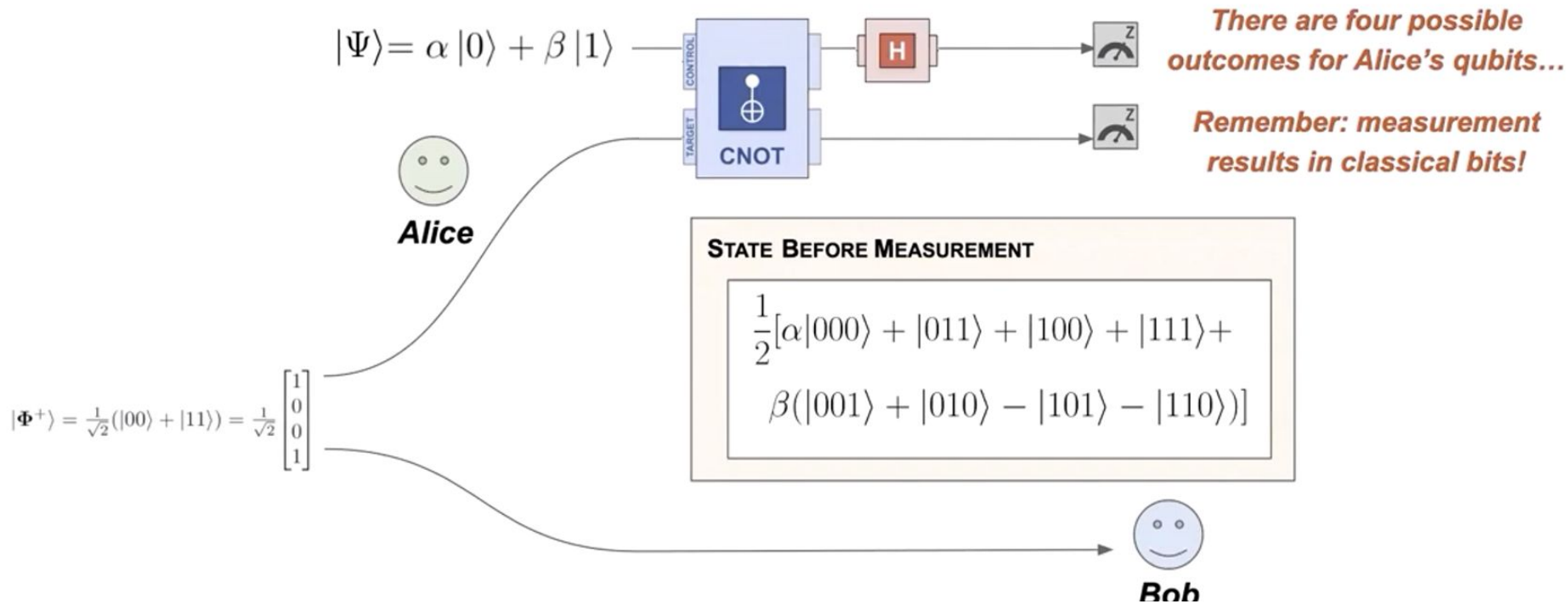
- Message qubits $|\psi\rangle$ (control)
- Her qubit (target)



Step 4: Alice applies an H gate on $|\psi\rangle$



Step 5: Alice measures both of her qubits



Step 6: Process results of measurements

We deduce information about Bob's state by using partial measurements!

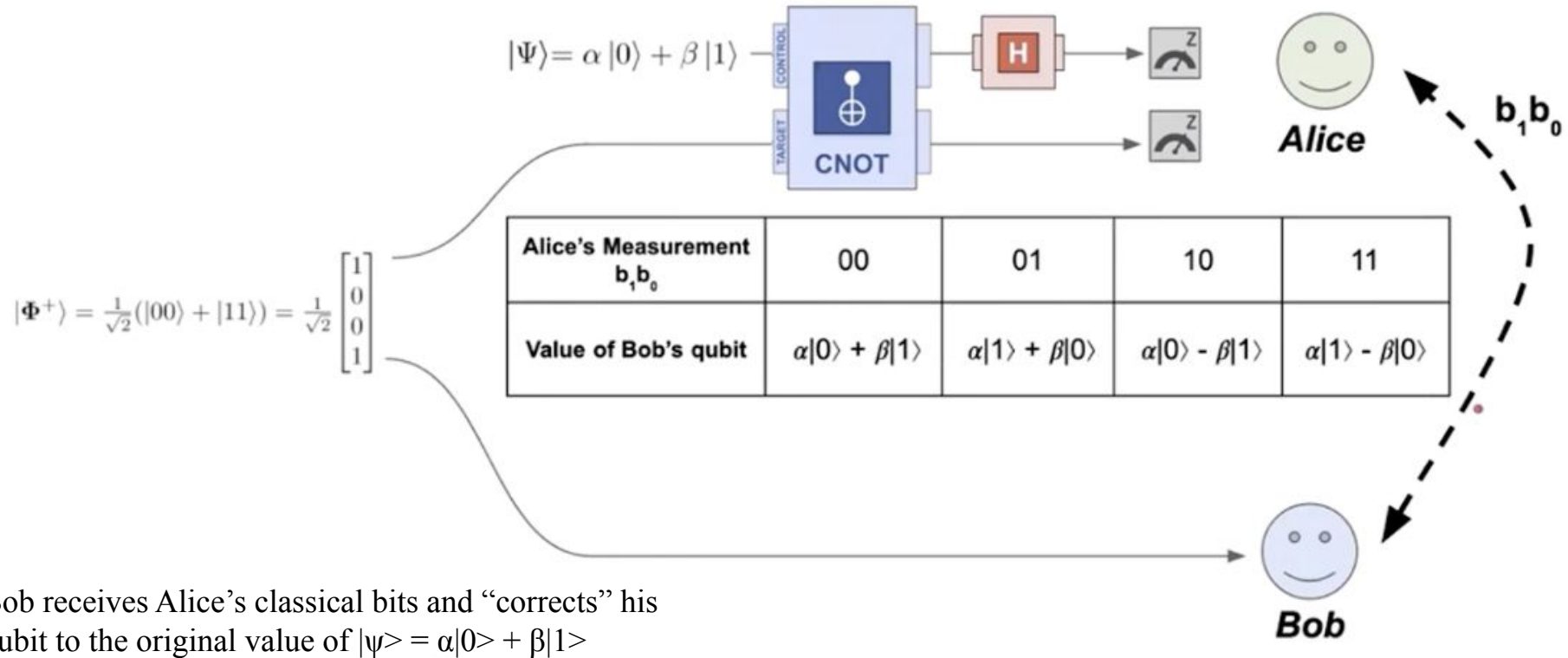
State before Measurement:

$$\frac{1}{2}[\alpha|000\rangle + |011\rangle + |100\rangle + |111\rangle + \beta(|001\rangle + |010\rangle - |101\rangle - |110\rangle)]$$

For example, if Alice sees 00, we narrow down the state of the entire system to the possibilities that satisfy this observation:
 $|000\rangle$ and $|001\rangle$.

Alice's Measurement	00	01	10	11
Value of Bob's qubit	$\alpha 0\rangle + \beta 1\rangle$	$\alpha 1\rangle + \beta 0\rangle$	$\alpha 0\rangle - \beta 1\rangle$	$\alpha 1\rangle - \beta 0\rangle$

Step 7: Alice transmits her two classical bits to Bob



Step 8: Bob Recovers $|\psi\rangle$

To recover $|\psi\rangle$:

- If b_1 is 1, then apply a Z gate
- If b_2 is 1, then apply a NOT (X) gate

Alice's Measurement b_1b_0	00	01	10	11
Value of Bob's qubit	$\alpha 0\rangle + \beta 1\rangle$	$\alpha 1\rangle + \beta 0\rangle$	$\alpha 0\rangle - \beta 1\rangle$	$\alpha 1\rangle - \beta 0\rangle$

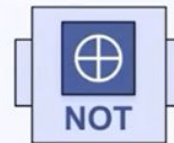
No Gates
Needed!

Apply
NOT Gate

Apply
Z Gate

Apply
NOT and Z Gate

Correction Gates:

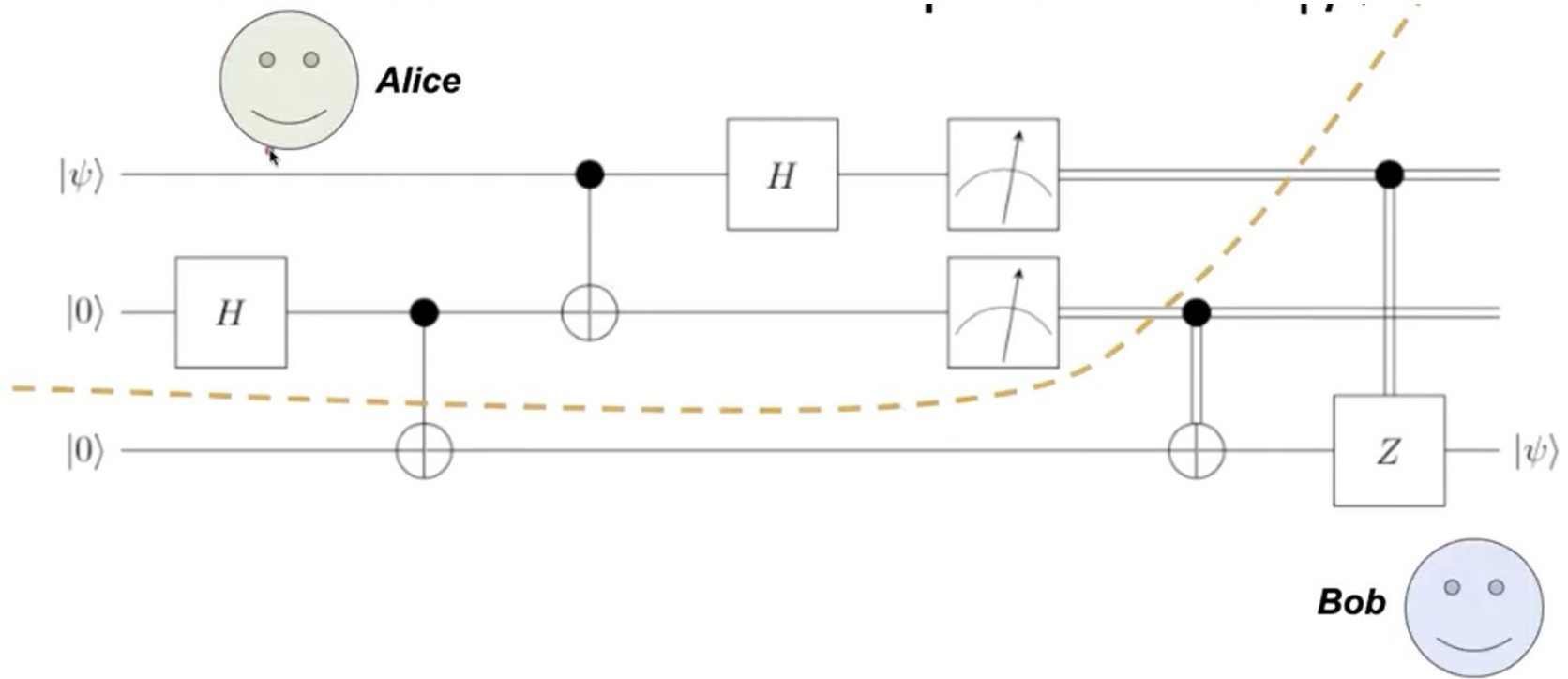


$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

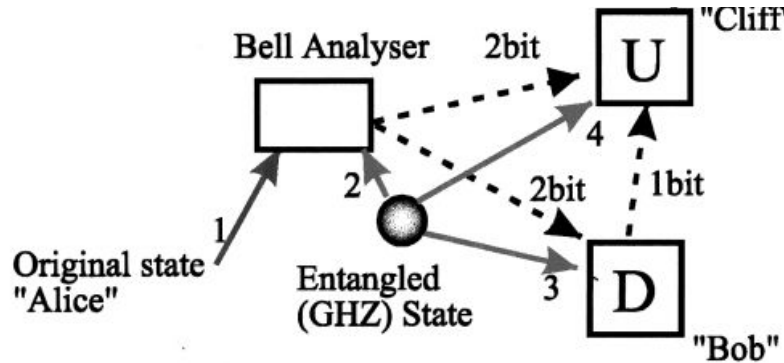
Quantum Circuit for Teleportation of $|\psi\rangle$



Teleportation using Three particle Entanglement

Quantum State $|\Psi_A\rangle = a|\uparrow\rangle_1 + b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_1$

Three particle entangled state used: $|\psi_{GHZ}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|\uparrow\rangle_2|\uparrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4 + |\leftrightarrow\rangle_2|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4)$



Initial Product State

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\Psi_A\rangle \otimes |\psi_{GHZ}\rangle = & \frac{1}{2} [|\phi_{12}^+\rangle \otimes (a|\uparrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4 + b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) \\
 & + |\phi_{12}^-\rangle \otimes (a|\uparrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4 - b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) \\
 & + |\psi_{12}^+\rangle \otimes (a|\uparrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4 + b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4) \\
 & + |\psi_{12}^-\rangle \otimes (a|\uparrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4 - b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4)]
 \end{aligned}$$

A measurement using Bell state analyzers on particles 1 and 2 will project the state of particles 3 and 4 onto the joint, generally entangled states

Take the case where, Bell State analyzers give the readout $|\phi_{12}^+\rangle$

Therefore the states of the particles 3 & 4 will be $|\psi_{34}\rangle = a|\uparrow\rangle_3|\uparrow\rangle_4 + b|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3|\leftrightarrow\rangle_4$

Constructing the state at location 4, “Charlie” with the help of “Bob” at location 3

$$|\uparrow\rangle_3 = \sin \theta |x_1\rangle_3 + \cos \theta |x_2\rangle_3,$$

$$|\leftrightarrow\rangle_3 = \cos \theta |x_1\rangle_3 - \sin \theta |x_2\rangle_3,$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi_{34}\rangle &= (a \sin \theta |\uparrow\rangle_4 + b \cos \theta |\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) |x_1\rangle_3 \\ &\quad + (a \cos \theta |\uparrow\rangle_4 - b \sin \theta |\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) |x_2\rangle_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$|\psi_{34}\rangle = (a \sin \theta |\uparrow\downarrow\rangle_4 + b \cos \theta |\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) |x_1\rangle_3 \\ + (a \cos \theta |\uparrow\downarrow\rangle_4 - b \sin \theta |\leftrightarrow\rangle_4) |x_2\rangle_3$$

- Bob performs a single particle measurement on his particle in X-basis and sends his measurement result to Charlie
- If the outcome is x_1 and $\theta = \pi/4$, the state of particle 4 will be

$$|\psi_4\rangle = a |\uparrow\downarrow\rangle_4 + b |\leftrightarrow\rangle_4.$$

- If the outcome is x_2 and $\theta = \pi/4$ then Charlie applies Z gate
- We have successfully teleported the particle from Alice to Charlie.

Quantum Circuit for Teleportation of $|\psi\rangle$

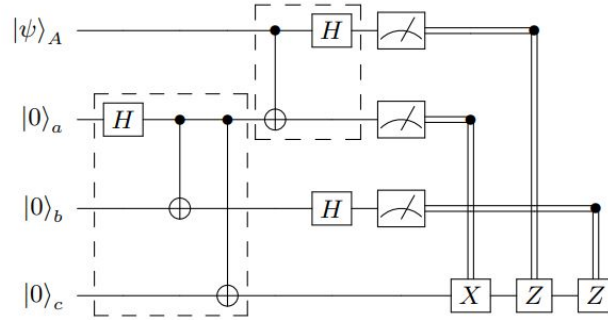


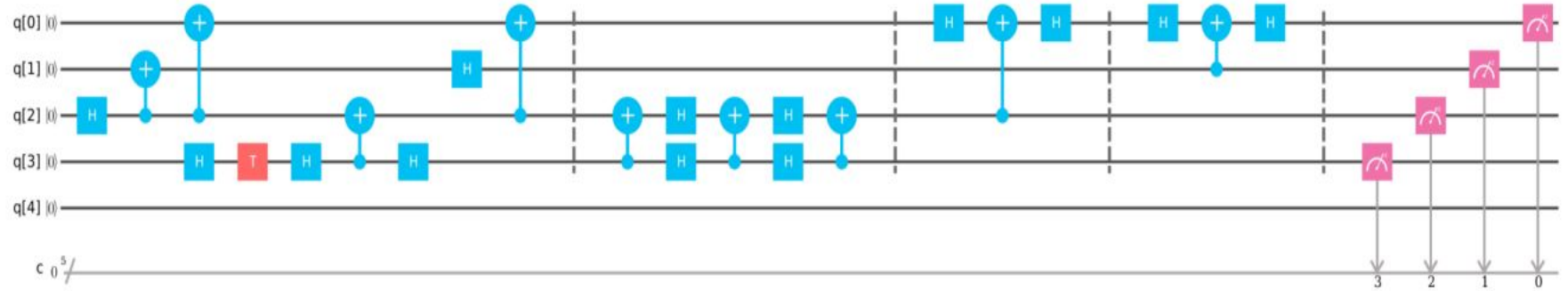
FIG. 1: **Quantum circuit to implement quantum secret sharing (QSS) protocol.** Here, $|\psi\rangle_A$ represents the quantum secret in Alice's possession. Qubits a, b and c represent the GHZ channel shared between Alice, Bob and Charlie respectively. The measurement device at the end of each qubit line measures the qubit in Z-basis. The double line after measurement represents the classical information corresponding to the output state. The first dashed box (from left to right) represents the 3-qubit GHZ state and the second one represents Bell measurement.

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THANK YOU!!

Quantum Circuit Implementation



Simulated Results

TABLE II: Simulated results

No. of Shots	Probability of $ 0\rangle_C$	Probability of $ 1\rangle_C$
8192	0.853	0.147
4096	0.860	0.139
1024	0.850	0.151

No. of shots	Probability of $ 0\rangle_C$	Probability of $ 1\rangle_C$
1024	0.853	0.147
4096	0.869	0.131
8192	0.858	0.142

Run Results

No. of Shots	Probability of $ 0\rangle_C$	Probability of $ 1\rangle_C$
8192	0.800	0.200
4096	0.803	0.197
1024	0.798	0.203

No. of shots	Probability of $ 0\rangle_C$	Probability of $ 1\rangle_C$
1024	0.662	0.338
4096	0.623	0.377
8192	0.734	0.266