

Ex. 1

1. $M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ y & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$

$$M = \alpha X + \beta Y$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ y & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ y & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \alpha - i\beta \\ \alpha + i\beta & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{thus, } \begin{cases} x = \alpha - i\beta \\ y = \alpha + i\beta \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \alpha = \frac{x+y}{2} \\ \beta = i \frac{x-y}{2} \end{cases}$$

2. M : any 2×2 complex matrix.

$$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$M = \alpha I + \beta X + \gamma Y + \delta Z$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

express
in terms
of I and Z .

express in terms
of X and Y
using (1)

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \alpha I + \delta Z + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \beta - i\gamma \\ \beta + i\gamma & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + \delta & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha - \delta \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \beta - i\gamma \\ \beta + i\gamma & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \alpha + \delta = a \\ \alpha - \delta = d \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{a+d}{2} \\ \delta &= \frac{a-d}{2} \end{aligned} \end{aligned}$$

$$M = \frac{a+d}{2} I + \frac{b+c}{2} X + \frac{ic-b}{2} Y + \frac{a-d}{2} Z$$

$$3. \quad XZ = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = iY$$

$$\text{tr}(XZ) = 0$$

$$XY = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 0 & -i \end{pmatrix} = iZ$$

$$\text{tr}(XY) = 0$$

$$YZ = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix} = iX$$

$$\text{tr}(YZ) = 0$$

$$X^2 = Id \quad Y^2 = Id \quad Z^2 = Id$$

$$\text{tr}(X^2) = 2 \quad \text{tr}(Y^2) = 2 \quad \text{tr}(Z^2) = 2$$

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$$4) \quad U = \alpha I + \beta X + \gamma Y + \delta Z$$

$$U^\dagger = \alpha^* I + \beta^* X + \gamma^* Y + \delta^* Z$$

$$\text{tr}(UU^\dagger) = \text{tr}((\alpha I + \beta X + \gamma Y + \delta Z)(\alpha^* I + \beta^* X + \gamma^* Y + \delta^* Z))$$

$$= \text{tr}(\alpha I \alpha^* I + \beta X \beta^* X + \gamma Y \gamma^* Y + \delta Z \delta^* Z)$$

$$= 2(\alpha \alpha^* + \beta \beta^* + \gamma \gamma^* + \delta \delta^*)$$

$$= 2(|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 + |\gamma|^2 + |\delta|^2)$$

$$U^\dagger U = I \quad \text{and} \quad \text{tr}(UU^\dagger) = 2$$

$$\text{So, } 2(|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 + |\gamma|^2 + |\delta|^2) = 2$$

$$|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 + |\gamma|^2 + |\delta|^2 = 1$$

Ex. 2

$$1. H = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (X + Z)$$

2. H-error \Rightarrow phase flip.

$$|\tilde{0}\rangle = |000\rangle$$

$$|\tilde{1}\rangle = |111\rangle$$

$$|\tilde{\tilde{0}}\rangle = |\tilde{\tilde{+}}\tilde{\tilde{+}}\tilde{\tilde{+}}\rangle$$

$$|\tilde{\tilde{1}}\rangle = |\tilde{\tilde{-}}\tilde{\tilde{-}}\tilde{\tilde{-}}\rangle$$

$$\text{where } |\tilde{\tilde{+}}\rangle = \frac{|\tilde{0}\rangle + |\tilde{1}\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \\ |\tilde{\tilde{-}}\rangle = \frac{|\tilde{0}\rangle - |\tilde{1}\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

A state $\alpha|\tilde{0}\rangle + \beta|\tilde{1}\rangle$ is mapped to

$$|\Omega\rangle = \alpha|\tilde{\tilde{0}}\rangle + \beta|\tilde{\tilde{1}}\rangle \text{ using Shor's code}$$

\rightarrow Compute $H_1|\Omega\rangle$, error

$$|\tilde{\tilde{0}}\rangle = |\tilde{\tilde{+}}\tilde{\tilde{+}}\tilde{\tilde{+}}\rangle = (|000\rangle + |111\rangle)^{\otimes 3}$$

$$|\tilde{\tilde{1}}\rangle = |\tilde{\tilde{-}}\tilde{\tilde{-}}\tilde{\tilde{-}}\rangle = (|000\rangle - |111\rangle)^{\otimes 3}$$

$$|\Omega\rangle = \alpha \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|000\rangle + |111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 3} + \frac{\beta}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|000\rangle - |111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 3}$$

$$H_1|\Omega\rangle = \alpha \left(\left(\frac{|+00\rangle + |-11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \otimes \left(\frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \otimes \left(\frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right) \\ + \beta \left(\left(\frac{|+00\rangle + |-11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \otimes \left(\frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \otimes \left(\frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right)$$

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$$2. X_1 |\Omega\rangle = \alpha \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|100\rangle + |011\rangle) + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle + |1111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 2} \right) \\ + \beta \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|100\rangle + |011\rangle) + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|000\rangle + |1111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 2} \right)$$

After the process for bit-flip detection and correction,

$$\alpha \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|100\rangle + |011\rangle) |1\rangle + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle + |1111\rangle) |0\rangle \right)^{\otimes 2} \right)$$

Correct by applying X_1 , we get

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle \pm |1111\rangle),$$

For $Z_1 |\Omega\rangle$.

$$\alpha \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle - |1111\rangle) \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle + |1111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 2} \right) \\ + \beta \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle + |1111\rangle) \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|1000\rangle - |1111\rangle) \right)^{\otimes 2} \right)$$

After correction of the bit-flip, the state is

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\Omega\rangle + Z|\Omega\rangle)$$

Express $|\Omega\rangle$ in the $\{|\tilde{+++}\rangle, |\tilde{---}\rangle\}$ basis
to apply the phase detection and correction.

$$|\Omega\rangle = \alpha |\tilde{+++}\rangle + \beta |\tilde{---}\rangle$$

$$Z_1 |\Omega\rangle = \alpha |\tilde{-++}\rangle + \beta |\tilde{+--}\rangle$$

- No phase shift in $|\Omega\rangle \rightarrow$ syndrome $|0\rangle$
 \Rightarrow after detection get $|\Omega\rangle |0\rangle$.

For $Z_1 |\Omega\rangle \rightarrow$ syndrome 1

\Rightarrow phase flip on 1st register.

$$\Rightarrow \text{correction} : \alpha |\tilde{+++}\rangle + \beta |\tilde{-++}\rangle$$