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In [1]: from qiskit import QuantumCircuit
import qiskit.quantum_info as qi
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Exercise 1.1

Find the corresponding density matrix for the following pure states. Use Qiskit to prepare the states, and verify your results using the `quantum_info` module:

1. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - i|1\rangle)$
1. $\frac{1}{2}(|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle + |11\rangle)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi_{AB}\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|10\rangle - i|11\rangle) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - i \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rho_{AB} &= |\psi_{AB}\rangle \langle \psi_{AB}| \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \end{bmatrix} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \end{bmatrix} \right) \\
 \rho_{AB} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

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In [2]: qc_AB = QuantumCircuit(1)
qc_AB.h(0)
qc_AB.s(0)
qc_AB.z(0)
qc_AB.draw()
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Out[2]: q_0: ── H ── S ── Z ──
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In [3]: psi_AB = qi.Statevector.from_instruction(qc_AB)
psi_AB.draw('latex', prefix='\\psi_{AB}\\rangle = ')
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Out[3]:

$$|\psi_{AB}\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}i \end{bmatrix}$$

In [4]:

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rho_AB = qi.DensityMatrix.from_instruction(qc_AB)
rho_AB.draw('latex', prefix='\\rho_{AB} = ')
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Out[4]:

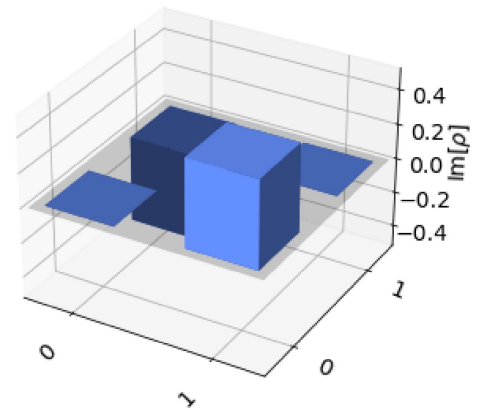
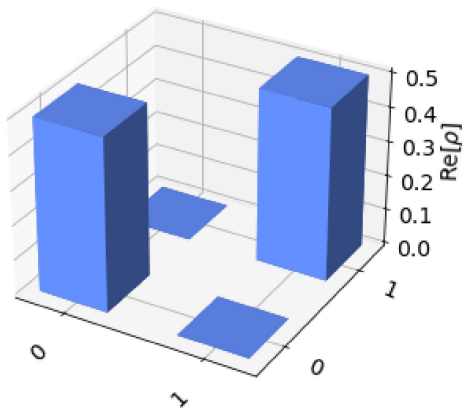
$$\rho_{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2}i \\ -\frac{1}{2}i & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

In [5]:

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from qiskit.visualization import plot_state_city
plot_state_city(rho_AB.data, title='Density Matrix')
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Out[5]:

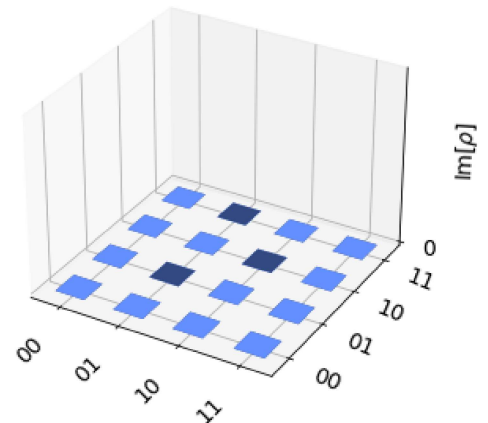
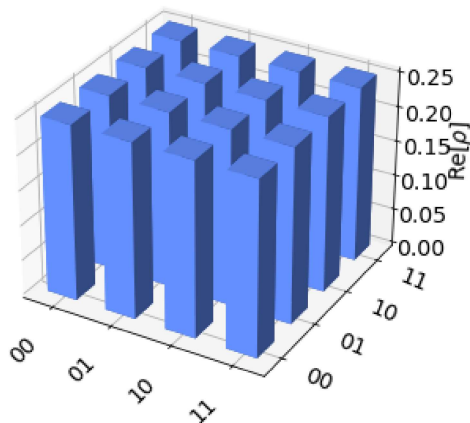
Density Matrix



$$\rho_{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

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In [9]: from qiskit.visualization import plot_state_city
plot_state_city(rho_AB.data, title='Density Matrix')
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Out[9]: Density Matrix



Exercise 2.2

Derive and compare the density matrices for:

1. A pure one-qubit state in an equal superposition of $|0\rangle$ and $|1\rangle$:

$$\rho_p = |\psi_p\rangle\langle\psi_p|, \text{ with } |\psi_p\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

1. A mixed one-qubit state in an equal mixture of $|0\rangle$ and $|1\rangle$:

$$\rho_m = \frac{1}{2}|0\rangle\langle 0| + \frac{1}{2}|1\rangle\langle 1|$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad |\psi_p\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \quad \text{Pure state}$$

$$|\psi_p\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Density matrix

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_p &= |\psi_p\rangle \langle \psi_p| = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \rho_p &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \rho_m = \frac{1}{2} |0\rangle \langle 0| + \frac{1}{2} |1\rangle \langle 1| \quad \text{Mixed state}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 4.1

Calculate the reduced density matrices for each of the following composite states.

1. The pure state: $|\psi_{pr}\rangle = \frac{1}{2}(|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle + |11\rangle)$

1. The mixed state: $\rho_{mr} = \frac{1}{4}|\Phi^+\rangle\langle\Phi^+| + \frac{3}{4}|\Phi^-\rangle\langle\Phi^-|$, where $|\Phi^+\rangle$ and $|\Phi^-\rangle$ are the Bell states:

$$|\Phi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

$$|\Phi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle - |11\rangle)$$

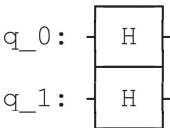
1) For mathematical workout please see the pdf attached in the repo, titled 'Reduced_Density_Unsolved'

In [15]:

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qc_AB = QuantumCircuit(2)
qc_AB.h(0)
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qc_AB.h(1)
qc_AB.draw()
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Out[15]:



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In [16]: psi_AB = qi.Statevector.from_instruction(qc_AB)
psi_AB.draw('latex', prefix='\\psi_{AB}\\rangle = ')
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Out[16]:

$$|\psi_{AB}\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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In [17]: rho_AB = qi.DensityMatrix.from_instruction(qc_AB)
rho_AB.draw('latex', prefix='\\rho_{AB} = ')
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Out[17]:

$$\rho_{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

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In [18]: rho_B = qi.partial_trace(rho_AB,[0])
rho_A = qi.partial_trace(rho_AB,[1])

display(rho_B.draw('latex', prefix=" \\rho_{B} = "),
        rho_A.draw('latex', prefix=" \\rho_{A} = "))
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$$\rho_B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rho_A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

2) Please see the pdf attached in the repo, titled 'Reduced_Density_Unsolved'

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