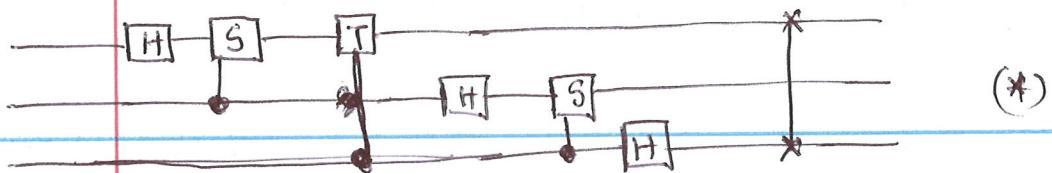


e.g. Circuit for QFT on 3 qubits.



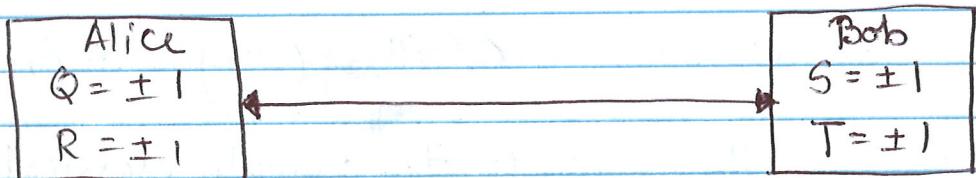
[Ex: Implement controlled S, controlled T using CNOT & single qubit gates].

>>> Di-Vincenzo's Criteria

1. A scalable physical system with well characterized qubit.
2. Ability to initialize the state of the qubits to a simple fiducial state ($|0\cdots 0\rangle$).
3. Long relevant decoherence times.
4. A "universal set" of quantum gates.
5. A qubit specific measurement capability.

[Ex: Read about Di-Vincenzo's criteria on wikipedia].

>>> Bell's Inequality



- Charlie prepares two particles, & sends one particle to Alice, & other to Bob. (Charlie should be able to prepare identical copies). repeat experimental procedure).

- Alice, after receiving particle, performs measurement on it
 - P_Q, P_R are two physical properties
 - P_Q has value $Q \in \{1, -1\}$
 - P_R has value $R \in \{1, -1\}$
 - Alice uses a random method to decide if she will measure P_Q or P_R
- Bob similarly measures
 - P_S or P_T with values $S, T \in \{1, -1\}$ respectively.

Classical scenario

$$QS + RS + RT - QT = (Q+R)S + (R-Q)T = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow E(QS) + E(RS) + E(RT) - E(QT) \leq 2. \quad (\text{Bell inequality})$$

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$$|1\rangle = \frac{|01\rangle - |10\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \quad (\text{Bell state}) \rightarrow \text{prepared by Charlie.}$$

• Qubit 1 \rightarrow Alice, Qubit 2 \rightarrow Bob

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= Z_1 \\ R &= X_1 \end{aligned}$$

Evals are ± 1

$$S = \frac{-Z_2 - X_2}{\sqrt{2}} = -H_2$$

$$T = \frac{Z_2 - X_2}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{Evals are } \pm 1.$$

$$S = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -H$$

$$T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\langle QS \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \langle RS \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \langle RT \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \langle QT \rangle = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{So, } \langle QS \rangle + \langle RS \rangle + \langle RT \rangle - \langle QT \rangle = 2\sqrt{2} !! \quad [\text{Nature chooses this!}]$$

>>> Universal Quantum Gates (I)

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, Z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, S = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix}, T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/4} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H = \frac{X+Z}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$T^2 = S$$

$$\begin{aligned} H^* &= H \\ T^* &= T \\ S^* &= S^3 \end{aligned}$$

[phase gate] //

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$\frac{\pi}{8}$ -gate

$$\begin{pmatrix} e^{i\pi/8} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\pi/8} \end{pmatrix}$$

global phase can be ignored

Rotation Matrices

$$R_x(\theta) = e^{-i\theta X/2} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} I - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} X = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta/2 & -i \sin \theta/2 \\ -i \sin \theta/2 & \cos \theta/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_y(\theta) = e^{-i\theta Y/2} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} I - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} Y = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta/2 & -\sin \theta/2 \\ \sin \theta/2 & \cos \theta/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_z(\theta) = e^{-i\theta Z/2} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} I - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} Z = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\theta/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\theta/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

► Rotation about arbitrary axis.

$$\text{Thm: } R_{\hat{n}}(\theta) = e^{-i\theta \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}/2} = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} I - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} (n_x X + n_y Y + n_z Z)$$

where. $\hat{n} = (n_x, n_y, n_z)$ unit vector in 3d.

Pf: $\exp(iA\alpha) = (\cos \alpha)I + (i \sin \alpha) A$, if $A^2 = I$.

$$(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma})^2 = (n_x^2 + n_y^2 + n_z^2) I = I.$$

Thm: If U is unitary, then $U = e^{i\alpha} R_{\hat{n}}(\theta)$, $U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$

Pf: $U = e^{iK}$, K is Hermitian, so $K = \alpha_0 I + \alpha_1 \sigma_1 + \alpha_2 \sigma_2 + \alpha_3 \sigma_3$

$$= e^{i\alpha I} e^{i(\alpha_1 \sigma_1 + \alpha_2 \sigma_2 + \alpha_3 \sigma_3)}$$

$$= e^{i\alpha_0} e^{i\sqrt{(\alpha_1)^2 + (\alpha_2)^2 + (\alpha_3)^2} \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}}$$

Thm: (Z-Y decomposition for a single qubit). If $U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ is unitary, then $U = e^{i\alpha} R_z(\beta) R_y(\gamma) R_z(\delta)$.

Pf: Any 2×2 unitary can be expressed as

$$U^{(*)} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{i(\alpha - \beta/2 - \delta/2)} \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} & -e^{i(\alpha - \beta/2 + \delta/2)} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \\ e^{i(\alpha + \beta/2 - \delta/2)} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} & e^{i(\alpha + \beta/2 + \delta/2)} \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= e^{i\alpha} R_z(\beta) R_y(\gamma) R_z(\delta) \quad \blacksquare.$$

Pf of (*).

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 e^{i\theta_1} & r_2 e^{i\theta_2} \\ r_3 e^{i\theta_3} & r_4 e^{i\theta_4} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U^* = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 e^{-i\theta_1} & r_3 e^{-i\theta_3} \\ r_2 e^{-i\theta_2} & r_4 e^{-i\theta_4} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U^* U = \begin{pmatrix} r_1^2 + r_3^2 & r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_2 - \theta_1)} + r_3 r_4 e^{i(\theta_4 - \theta_3)} \\ r_1 r_2 e^{-i(\theta_2 - \theta_1)} + r_3 r_4 e^{-i(\theta_4 - \theta_3)} & r_2^2 + r_4^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U U^* = \begin{pmatrix} r_1^2 + r_2^2 & r_1 r_3 e^{i(\theta_1 - \theta_3)} + r_2 r_4 e^{i(\theta_2 - \theta_4)} \\ r_1 r_3 e^{-i(\theta_1 - \theta_3)} + r_2 r_4 e^{-i(\theta_2 - \theta_4)} & r_3^2 + r_4^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_1^2 + r_3^2 &= r_2^2 + r_4^2 \\ r_1^2 + r_2^2 &= r_3^2 + r_4^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$r_1 r_2 = r_3 r_4, \quad r_1 r_3 = r_2 r_4$$

Note:
 $r_1 = r_4 = \cos \frac{\gamma}{2}$ satisfies
 $r_2 = r_3 = \sin \frac{\gamma}{2}$ all thes.

Also, we have:

$$\theta_2 - \theta_1 = \theta_4 - \theta_3 + \pi \pmod{2\pi}$$

Notice: $\theta_1 = \alpha - \beta/2 - \delta/2 \Rightarrow \theta_2 = \theta_1 + \theta_4 - \theta_3 + \pi \pmod{2\pi}$

inversible system $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \theta_3 = \alpha + \beta/2 - \delta/2 \\ \theta_4 = \alpha + \beta/2 + \delta/2 \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \theta_2 = \alpha - \beta/2 + \delta/2 + \pi \pmod{2\pi}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \\ \theta_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta/2 \\ \delta/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det = 1(1+1) + 1(1+1) - 1(1-1) = 4 \neq 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Fact: $XYX = -Y, XZX = -Z$

Pf: $XYX = -YXX = -Y \quad \blacksquare$

Fact: $XR_y(\theta)X = R_y(-\theta), XR_z(\theta)X = R_z(-\theta)$.

Pf: From above. \blacksquare

Corollary: $U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ is unitary. Then \exists unitary A, B, C s.t
 $ABC = I$, & $U = e^{i\alpha} AXBXCA$.

Pf: Set $A = R_z(\beta)R_y\left(\frac{\gamma}{2}\right)$, $B = R_y\left(\frac{-\gamma}{2}\right)R_z\left(-\frac{\delta+\beta}{2}\right)$
 $C = R_z\left(\frac{\delta-\beta}{2}\right)$

Clearly, $ABC = I$.

$$AXBX = R_y\left(\frac{\gamma}{2}\right)R_z\left(\frac{\delta+\beta}{2}\right)$$

$$AXBXCA = R_z(\beta)R_y(\gamma)R_z(\delta) \quad \blacksquare$$

More generally if \hat{m}, \hat{n} are orthonormal unit vectors,

Thm: $U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ is unitary $\Rightarrow U = e^{i\alpha} R_{\hat{m}}(\beta)R_{\hat{n}}(\gamma)R_{\hat{m}}(\delta)$.

Pf: [Exercise]

Thm: If \hat{m}, \hat{n} are unit vectors & not parallel. Then if

$U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ is unitary $\Rightarrow U = e^{i\alpha} R_{\hat{m}}(\beta_1)R_{\hat{n}}(\gamma_1)R_{\hat{m}}(\beta_2)R_{\hat{n}}(\gamma_2)\dots$

finitely many terms. The # of terms needed is independent of U (i.e. \exists an upper bound).

Pf: [Exercise]

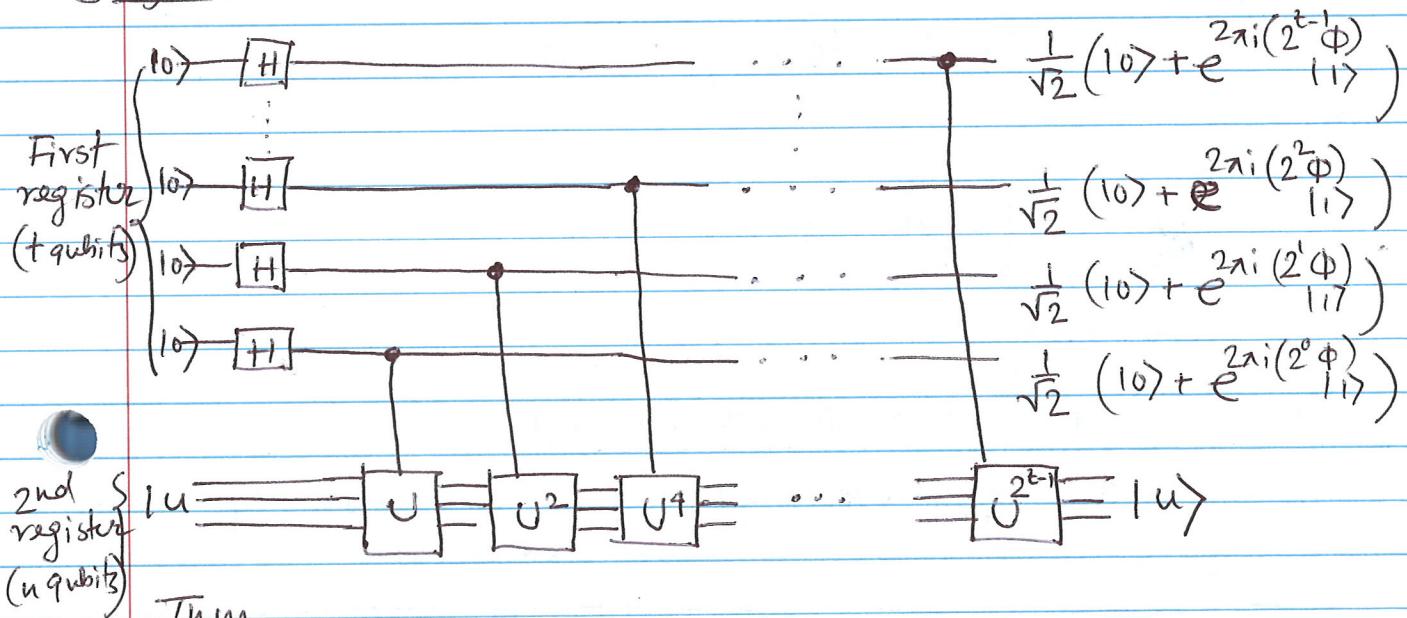
>> Quantum Phase Estimation

- Suppose there is an unitary op. U has an eigenvector $|u\rangle$ with eigenval $e^{2\pi i \phi}$.

$$U|u\rangle = e^{2\pi i \phi} |u\rangle, \quad 0 \leq \phi < 1.$$

- Classically estimating ϕ is $O(\text{poly}(2^n))$.
- Can we do better with quantum computing?

Stage 1.



Thm.

$$\begin{aligned} |0\rangle^{\otimes t} |u\rangle &\rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^t}} (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i (2^{t-1}\phi)} |1\rangle) \otimes \cdots \otimes (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i (2^0\phi)} |1\rangle) \\ &\stackrel{\text{why}}{=} \frac{1}{2^{t/2}} \sum_{k=0}^{2^t-1} e^{2\pi i \phi k} |k\rangle |u\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Pf.

Calculation as QFT.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2^{t/2}} \sum_{k=0}^{2^t-1} e^{2\pi i \phi k} |u\rangle &= \frac{1}{2^{t/2}} \sum_{k_1, \dots, k_t=0}^1 e^{2\pi i \phi \sum_{l=1}^t k_l 2^{l-1}} |k_1 \dots k_t\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{t/2}} \sum_{k_1, \dots, k_t=0}^1 \bigotimes_{l=1}^t e^{2\pi i \phi k_l 2^{l-1}} |k_l\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{t/2}} \bigotimes_{l=1}^t \sum_{k_l=0}^1 e^{2\pi i k_l \phi 2^{l-1}} |k_l\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Suppose ϕ has an exact t -bit representation.

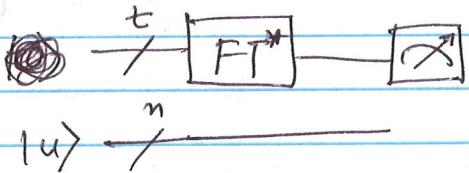
$$\phi = 0 \cdot \phi_1 \cdots \phi_t$$

Then state after 1st stage:

$$\frac{1}{2^t \sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot \phi_t} |1\rangle) \otimes (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot \phi_{t-1}, \phi_t} |1\rangle) \otimes \cdots \\ \cdots \otimes (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot \phi_1 \cdots \phi_t} |1\rangle) |u\rangle$$

This is exactly the state after QFT.

Stage 2.



On measuring first t -qubits we get:

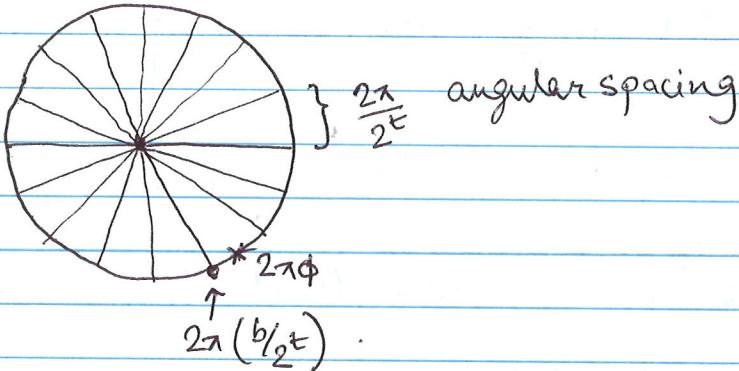
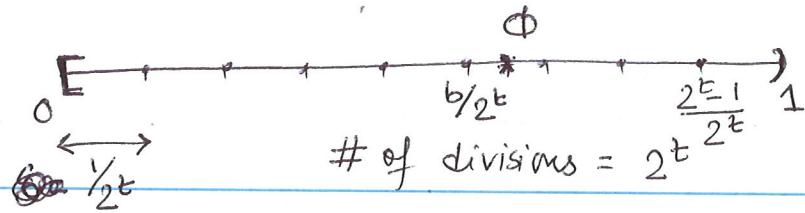
$|\phi_1 \cdots \phi_t\rangle$ exactly! (So we know ϕ exactly).

What happens when ϕ does not have an exact t -bit representation?

- By increasing t , we can get more & more accurate estimate of ϕ with high probability.

Analysis of general case

- Let b be an integer $0 \leq b \leq 2^t - 1$, s.t $b/2^t \leq \phi$ is the best t -bit approx to ϕ .



$$0 \leq \delta = \phi - b/2^t \leq 2^{-t} \Rightarrow 0 \leq 2^t \delta = 2^t \phi - b \leq 1$$

Apply FT* to state after Phase 1 gives following state.

$$\left(\frac{1}{2^t} \sum_{k,l=0}^{2^t-1} e^{2\pi i \phi k} e^{-2\pi i k l / 2^t} |l\rangle \right) |u\rangle .$$

so on First register we have:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2^t} \sum_{k,l=0}^{2^t-1} e^{2\pi i (\phi - l/2^t) k} |l\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^t} \sum_{l=0}^{2^t-1} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{2^t-1} e^{2\pi i (\phi - l/2^t) k} \right) |l\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{2^t} \sum_{l=0}^{2^t-1} \left(\frac{1 - e^{2\pi i (2^t \phi - l)}}{1 - e^{2\pi i (\phi - l/2^t)}} \right) |l\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Let α_l be amplitude of $| (b+l) \pmod{2^t} \rangle$.

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_l &= \frac{1}{2^t} \sum_{k=0}^{2^t-1} \left(\frac{1 - e^{2\pi i (2^t \phi - (b+l))}}{1 - e^{2\pi i (\phi - \frac{b+l}{2^t})}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2^t} \left(\frac{1 - e^{2\pi i (2^t \delta - l)}}{1 - e^{2\pi i (\delta - l/2^t)}} \right) . \end{aligned}$$

Observe:

$$|\alpha_\ell| = \frac{1}{2^{\frac{t}{2}}} \left| \frac{1 - e^{2\pi i (\frac{t}{2} - \ell)}}{1 - e^{2\pi i (\delta - \ell/2^t)}} \right|$$

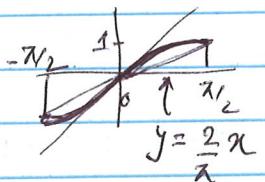
$$\leq \frac{1}{2^{\frac{t}{2}-1}} \left| \frac{1}{1 - e^{2\pi i (\delta - \ell/2^t)}} \right|$$

Fact: if $-\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi$, then $|1 - e^{i\theta}| \geq \frac{2|\theta|}{\pi}$.

Pf. $|1 - e^{i\theta}|^2 = (1 - \cos \theta)^2 + (\sin \theta)^2 = 2 - 2\cos \theta = 4\sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow |1 - e^{i\theta}| = 2\left|\sin \frac{\theta}{2}\right|$$

$$\geq 2 \frac{|\theta|}{\pi}$$



Fact: Let $-2^{\frac{t-1}{2}} < \ell \leq 2^{\frac{t-1}{2}}$, $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}$ (Notice by varying ℓ we get all states $|\ell\rangle$).

Then $|\alpha_\ell| \leq \frac{1}{2^{\frac{t}{2}-1}} \frac{1}{\left|1 - e^{2\pi i (\delta - \ell/2^t)}\right|}$.

Pf. $-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^t} \leq \frac{\ell}{2^t} \leq \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2^t} \geq -\frac{\ell}{2^t} \geq -\frac{1}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \delta - \frac{1}{2^t} \geq \delta - \frac{\ell}{2^t} \geq \delta - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2\pi \left(\delta - \frac{1}{2}\right) \leq 2\pi \left(\delta - \frac{\ell}{2^t}\right) \leq 2\pi \left(\frac{1}{2} + \delta - \frac{1}{2^t}\right)$$

$$-\pi + 2\pi \delta \leq 2\pi \left(\delta - \frac{\ell}{2^t}\right) \leq \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow -\pi \leq 2\pi \left(\delta - \frac{\ell}{2^t}\right) \leq \pi.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_0 / |\alpha_\ell| &\leq \frac{1}{2^{t-1}} \cdot \frac{1}{\left|1 - e^{2\pi i (8-\lambda) \frac{1}{2} t}\right|} \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{2^{t-1}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi(8-\lambda) \frac{1}{2} t} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{t+1}} \cdot \frac{1}{8-\lambda} \frac{1}{t} \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

Let $-2^{t-1} < m \leq 2^{t-1}$, $m \in \mathbb{Z}$.

We measure one of these m 's.

$$P(m) = |\alpha_m|^2 \leq \left(\frac{1}{2^{t+1}(8-\lambda) \frac{1}{2} t} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2^t 8 - \lambda} \right)^2$$

If we want accuracy ϵ , i.e., $-\epsilon \leq m \leq \epsilon$, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(|m| > \epsilon) &= \sum_{\ell=e+1}^{2^{t-1}} |\alpha_\ell|^2 + \sum_{\ell=-2^{t-1}}^{-e-1} |\alpha_\ell|^2 \\
 &\leq \frac{1}{4} \left[\sum_{\ell=-2^{t-1}+1}^{-(e+1)} \frac{1}{(2^t 8 - \lambda)^2} + \sum_{\ell=e+1}^{2^{t-1}} \frac{1}{(2^t 8 - \lambda)^2} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

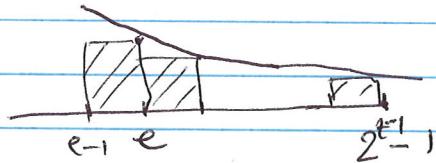
Notice, $0 \leq 2^t 8 \leq 1$.

$$\ell \geq \ell - 2^t 8 \geq \ell - 1 \leq \frac{1}{(\ell-1)^2}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{\ell^2}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{4} \left[\sum_{\ell=-2^{t-1}+1}^{-(e+1)} \frac{1}{\ell^2} + \sum_{\ell=e+1}^{2^{t-1}-1} \frac{1}{(\ell-1)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\ell=e+1}^{2^{t-1}-1} \frac{1}{\ell^2}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \int_{e-1}^{2^{t-1}-1} \frac{1}{x^2} dx$$



$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{e-1} - \frac{1}{2^{t-1}-1} \right) \leq \frac{1}{2(e-1)}$$

Suppose you want to estimate ϕ to an accuracy $2^{-\tilde{n}}$.

► Choose $e = 2^{t-\tilde{n}} - 1$

$$\frac{e}{2^t} = 2^{-\tilde{n}} - \frac{1}{2^t} e \Rightarrow \phi - \frac{e}{2^t} = \phi - 2^{-\tilde{n}} + \frac{1}{2^t}$$

$$\text{if } \frac{e}{2^t} > \phi \Rightarrow \frac{e}{2^t} - \phi = 2^{-\tilde{n}} - \phi - \frac{1}{2^t} \leq 2^{-\tilde{n}} - \phi$$

► Choose $t = \tilde{n} + p \Rightarrow t - \tilde{n} = p \Rightarrow e = 2^p - 1$.

$$\text{Then } P(|m| \leq e) = 1 - \frac{1}{2(2^p - 1)}$$

Suppose want to

make $P(|m| \leq e) \geq 1 - \varepsilon \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{2(2^p - 1)} \geq 1 - \varepsilon$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2(2^p - 1)} \leq \varepsilon \Rightarrow 2^p - 1 \geq \frac{1}{2\varepsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^p \geq 1 + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} \Rightarrow p \geq \log_2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} \right)$$

Accuracy:

$$\frac{e}{2^{\tilde{n}+p}} = \frac{2^p - 1}{2^{\tilde{n}+p}} = 2^{-\tilde{n}} - \frac{1}{2^{\tilde{n}+p}} \leq 2^{-\tilde{n}}$$

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>>> Universal quantum gates (II)

Thm: $U \in \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ unitary $\Rightarrow U = e^{i\alpha} R_{\hat{m}}(\beta) R_{\hat{n}}(\gamma) R_{\hat{m}}(\delta)$
 where \hat{m}, \hat{n} unit vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 & orthogonal.

Pf: $R_{\hat{m}}(\beta) R_{\hat{n}}(\gamma) R_{\hat{m}}(\delta)$

$$= \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} \cos \left(\frac{\beta + \delta}{2} \right) I - i \frac{\sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \sin \left(\frac{\beta + \delta}{2} \right)}{} (\hat{m} \cdot \vec{\sigma})$$

$$- i \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \cos \left(\frac{\beta - \delta}{2} \right) (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}) - i \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} \sin \left(\frac{\beta - \delta}{2} \right) (\hat{m} \times \hat{n}) \cdot \vec{\sigma} \quad (**)$$

Notice, $\{I, (\hat{m} \cdot \vec{\sigma}), (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}), (\hat{m} \times \hat{n}) \cdot \vec{\sigma}\}$ is an orthonormal basis for Hermitian matrices in $\mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$, w.r.t. H-S inner prod.

Note: $(\hat{m} \cdot \vec{\sigma})(\hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}) = i (\hat{m} \times \hat{n}) \cdot \vec{\sigma} \rightarrow [Ex]$.

$$(\hat{m} \cdot \vec{\sigma})^2 = I. \qquad \qquad \qquad \rightarrow [Do \text{ in class}]$$

$$\tilde{X} = \hat{m} \cdot \vec{\sigma}, \quad \tilde{Y} = \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\sigma}, \quad \tilde{Z} = (\hat{m} \times \hat{n}) \cdot \vec{\sigma} = (\hat{n} \times \hat{m}) \cdot \vec{\sigma}$$

$$\boxed{\tilde{X}^2 = \tilde{Y}^2 = \tilde{Z}^2 = -i \tilde{X} \tilde{Y} \tilde{Z} = I} \rightarrow \text{just like Pauli algebra.}$$

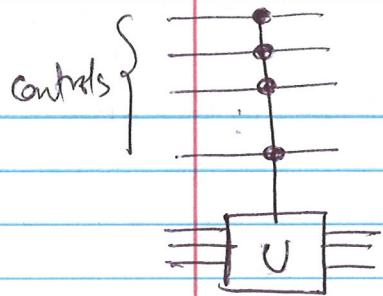
$$U = e^{iK}, \quad K \text{ is Hermitian}$$

$$= e^{i(aI + b\tilde{X} + c\tilde{Y} + d\tilde{Z})} = e^{ia} e^{i(b\tilde{X} + c\tilde{Y} + d\tilde{Z})}$$

$$= e^{ia} e^{i\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 + d^2}} \left(\frac{b}{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 + d^2}} \tilde{X} + \frac{c}{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 + d^2}} \tilde{Y} + \frac{d}{\sqrt{b^2 + c^2 + d^2}} \tilde{Z} \right)$$

= (**). for appropriate choices of variables. \blacksquare

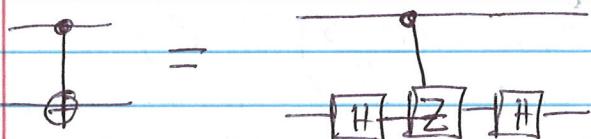
Controlled operations



← Prototype operation ($C^n(U)$)

[How to design quantum circuits to do this?]

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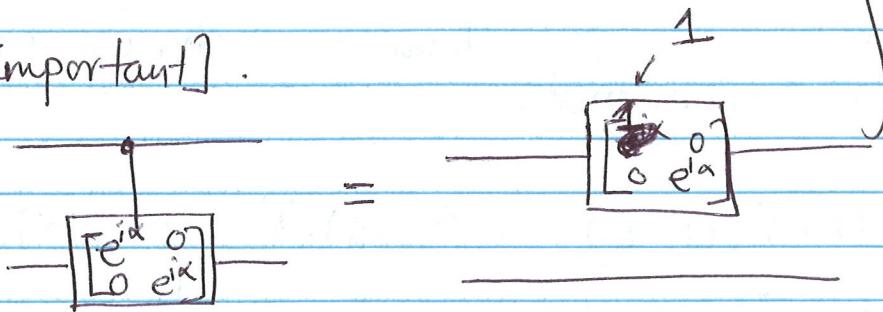


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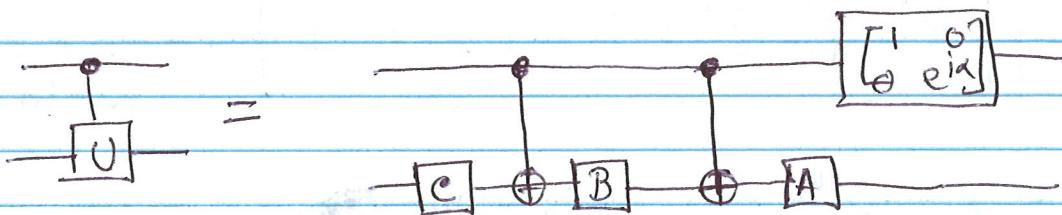
} Do in class

Ex: [Important].



Recall: $U = e^{i\alpha} ABC$ for some unitary A, B, C s.t $ABC = I$.

Thm.



Pf: Check basis states.

$$|0\rangle |n\rangle \rightarrow |0\rangle (ABC|n\rangle) = |0\rangle |n\rangle$$

$$|1\rangle |n\rangle \rightarrow (e^{i\alpha}|1\rangle) (ABC|n\rangle) = e^{i\alpha}|1\rangle (U|n\rangle).$$