

# QP-3 : Bernstein-Vazrani Algorithm

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## 1. Quantum Circuit creation

i) Imports :

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In [1]: # Importing the QuantumCircuit class from Qiskit
# The QuantumCircuit class is used to create quantum circuits
from qiskit import QuantumCircuit

# Importing the numpy library
# Numpy is used for working with arrays and perform numerical operations
import numpy as np
```

ii) Quantum circuit creation and adding different components:

```
In [2]: # Number of qubits
# It should be greater than 5, so I am taking 6
n = 6
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In [3]: # Generate the bit string "s"
# Random integer in [0,.....2^nqubits - 1]
s = np.random.randint(2**n)
# Converting to binary string
s_str = format(s, '0' + str(n) + 'b')
print("Random integer:", s)
print("Secret string:", s_str)
```

Random integer: 26  
Secret string: 011010

```
In [4]: # Creating a Quantum Circuit
# n+1 qubits in x-register
# n classical bits in y-register for measurement
circuit = QuantumCircuit(n + 1, n)

# Initializing the y-register to |-> state
# So, applying X and H to |0>
circuit.x(n)
circuit.h(n)

# Applying H to all x-register qubits
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# H on qubit i one by one
# Used to create superposition of all binary states |0> to |>.
for i in range(n):
    circuit.h(i)

# Barrier : to separate the oracle from rest of the circuit
circuit.barrier()

# Building an Oracle
# with CNOT's from bit-'s'(if s=1) in x-register to y-register in |->
for i in range(n):
    # if ith bit of 's' is not 0
    if s & (1 << i):
        # CNOT from qubit i (x-register) to qubit n (y-register)
        # Control is i, Target is n
        circuit.cx(i, n)

# Barrier : to separate the oracle from rest of the circuit
circuit.barrier()

# Apply H to all x-register qubits
# H on qubit i one by one
# Used to convert the superposition state to computational basis state s
for i in range(n):
    circuit.h(i)

# Barrier : to separate the rest of the circuit
circuit.barrier()

# Measuring all x-register qubits
for i in range(n):
    # Measuring qubit i
    # Storing result in classical bit i
    circuit.measure(i, i)

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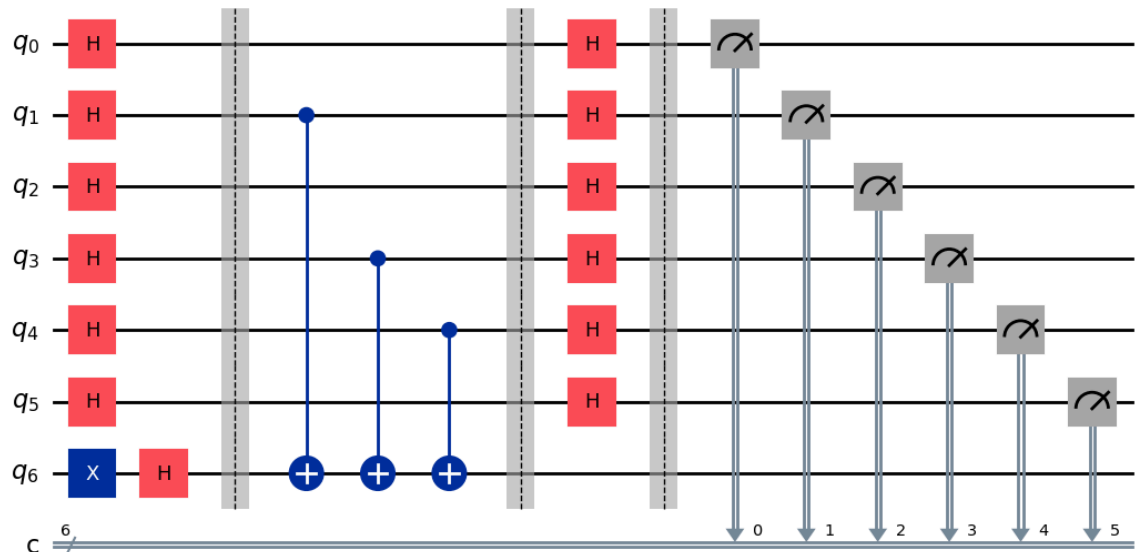
iii) Circuit diagram :

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In [5]: # The draw method is used to visualize the quantum circuit.
# I am drawing the circuit using the 'mpl' output and 'iqp' style
circuit.draw(output='mpl', style='iqp')

```

Out[5]:



**Fig 01 : Quantum Circuit for the Bernstein-Vazrani Algorithm**

The above circuit diagram comprises of following notations and components :

#### Circuit Notations :

- **q0, q1, q2, q3, q4, q5** are the 6 qubits represented by the solid horizontal line. (x-registers)
- **q6** is the 7th qubit represented by the solid horizontal line. (y-register)
- **c** is the classical bit after measurement which is represented by the double lines.
- **6/** above the double lines represents the no. of classical data bits measurements (0,1,2,3,4,5).

**Note : In Qiskit, the initial state is  $|q_5 q_4 q_3 q_2 q_1 q_0\rangle$  where  $q_5$  the most significant bit and  $q_0$  is the least significant bit.**

#### Circuit Components (left to right according to time step) :

- **H on q0, q1, q2, q3, q4 and q5** in orange box represents the Hadamard gate. It converts initial state  $|0\rangle$  to  $|+\rangle$ , so it produces superposition on all x-registers.
- **X on q6** in blue box represents the X gate. Here, it inverts initial state  $|0\rangle$  to  $|1\rangle$ .
- **H on q6** in orange box represents the Hadamard gate. Here, it converts  $|1\rangle$  to  $|-\rangle$  on the y-register.
- **CNOT** denoted by dark-blue line where  $\cdot$  is the control and  $+$  is the target. There can be multiple CNOT gates in the circuit depending upon the secret

string. This group of CNOT gates is called the **Oracle**.

**\*\*\*Note\*\*** : The condition in the program **if s & (1 << i)**: ensures that a CNOT gate is applied only if the ith bit of s is 1. If the ith bit is 1, then a CNOT gate is added with qubit i (from the x-register) as the control and qubit n (the y-register) as the target.\*

- **Barrier** denoted by dotted lines separates the oracle from rest of the circuit.
- **H on q0, q1, q2, q3, q4 and q5** in orange box represents the Hadamard gate. It converts the superposition state to computational basis state. This is used to obtain the secret state s again.
- **Meters** in gray boxes represents the Measurement operation on q0, q1, q2, q3, q4 and q5.

## 2. Simulation code and output

i) Imports :

```
In [6]: # The qiskit_aer library provides backend quantum simulators
# I am importing the Aer module which contains various type of simulators.
from qiskit_aer import Aer

# I am importing the transpile function from the qiskit library
# Transpile function is required to ensure that my circuit
# is able to run on the simulator.
from qiskit import transpile

# Importing the plot_histogram function from qiskit
# It used to visualize the simulation result.
from qiskit.visualization import plot_histogram
```

ii) Getting the Simulator and running it

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In [7]: # The qasm simulator runs the circuit and its result is classical bits.
simulator = Aer.get_backend("qasm_simulator")

# Transpile transforms the circuit to something appropriate for the machine.
# I am transpiling my circuit for the backend qasm simulator
sim_circuit = transpile(circuit, backend = simulator)

# The run method in the simulator executes the transpiled circuit.
# I am running the trial 4096 times.
job_sim = simulator.run(sim_circuit, shots = 4096)
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iii) Fetching the result and plotting histogram :

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In [8]: # I am fetching the results of the simulation job execution.
# This result contains the counts of each measurement outcome.
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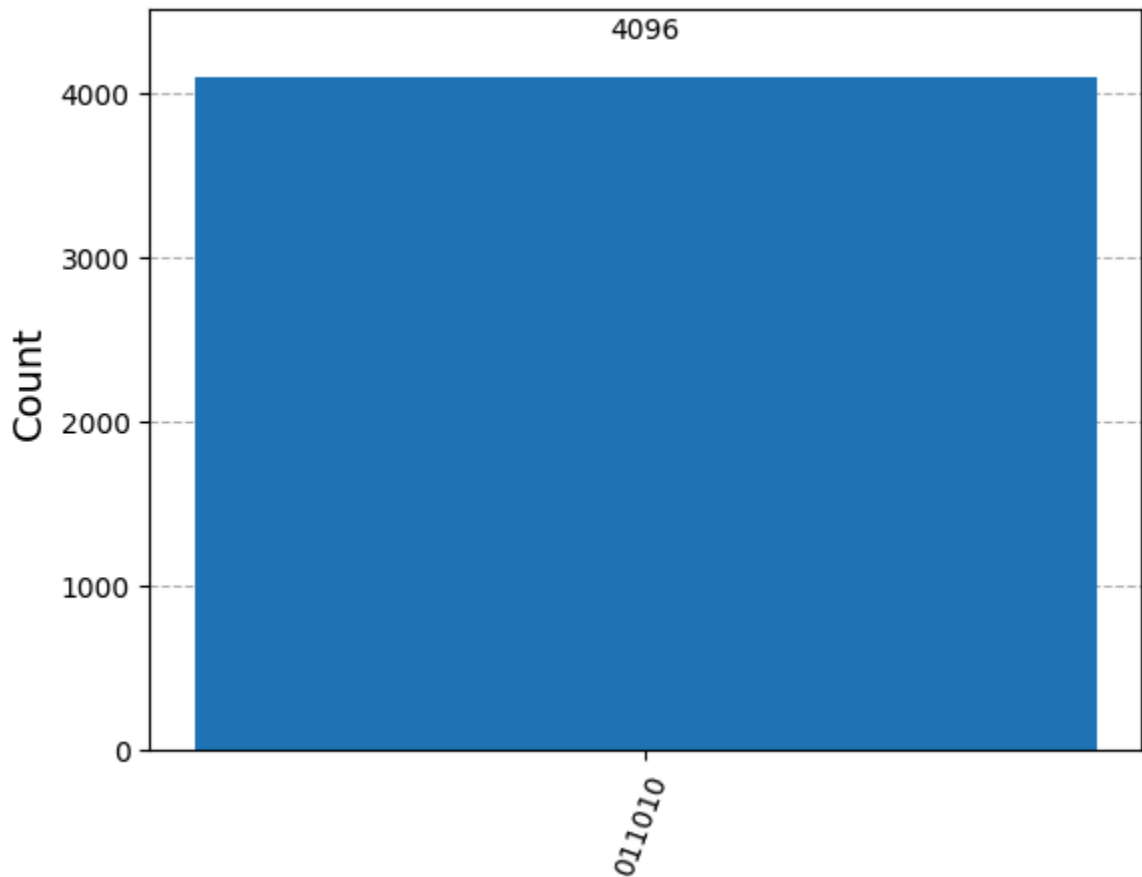
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result_sim = job_sim.result()

# result.get_counts() method is used to find the count of different outcomes
# I am generating and displaying a histogram of the simulation outcomes.
plot_histogram(result_sim.get_counts(circuit))

```

Out[8]:



**Fig 02 : Measured state Vs Counts**

The histogram represents the probability of measuring the output states when my quantum circuit runs on the simulator.

In the above histogram :

- The **x-axis** represents the measured states.
- The **y-axis** represents the number of times each state was measured.

I ran my circuit for 4096 trials.

Here, on the x-axis, there is 011010 with count 4096, which means that the measurement found the qubits q5, q4, q3, q2, q1, q0 in 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 0 state with 100% probability.

So, I get back my secret string  $s = 011010$  with 100% probability after the measurement.

### 3. IBM QC Hardware calculation

i) Imports :

```
In [9]: # Importing the QiskitRuntimeService class from qiskit_ibm_runtime module
# The QiskitRuntimeService class is used to connect to IBMQ Services
# and run actual IBM QC hardware
from qiskit_ibm_runtime import QiskitRuntimeService

# Importing the SamplerV2 class from qiskit_ibm_runtime module
# The SamplerV2 class is used to find the probabilities of output states
from qiskit_ibm_runtime import SamplerV2 as Sampler
```

ii) Getting the Hardware and running it

```
In [10]: # I am creating a new object of QiskitRuntimeService
# It is used to connect with my IBMQ account and use the services
service = QiskitRuntimeService()

# backends method is used to fetch list of all available quantum backends
mybackends = service.backends(operational = True, simulator = False,
                              min_num_qubits = 5)
mybackends
```

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Out[10]: [<IBMBackend('ibm_brisbane')>,
<IBMBackend('ibm_sherbrooke')>,
<IBMBackend('ibm_kyiv')>]
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In [11]: # least_busy method is used to pick the best available backend
device = service.least_busy(operational = True, simulator = False,
                             min_num_qubits = 5)
device
```

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Out[11]: <IBMBackend('ibm_brisbane')>
```

```
In [12]: # Transpile transforms the circuit to something appropriate for the hardware
# seed is used to get the same transpiled circuit every time I run
transpiled_circuit = transpile(circuit, device, seed_transpiler = 13)

# SamplerV2 is used to find the probabilities of output states
# mode = device is used to select the least busy hardware I got above
sampler = Sampler(mode = device)

# The run method in the sampler executes the transpiled circuit
job_hardware = sampler.run([transpiled_circuit])
```

iii) Fetching the result and plotting histogram :

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In [13]: # I am fetching the results of the sampler job execution.
# This result contains the counts of each measurement outcome.
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result_hardware = job_hardware.result()

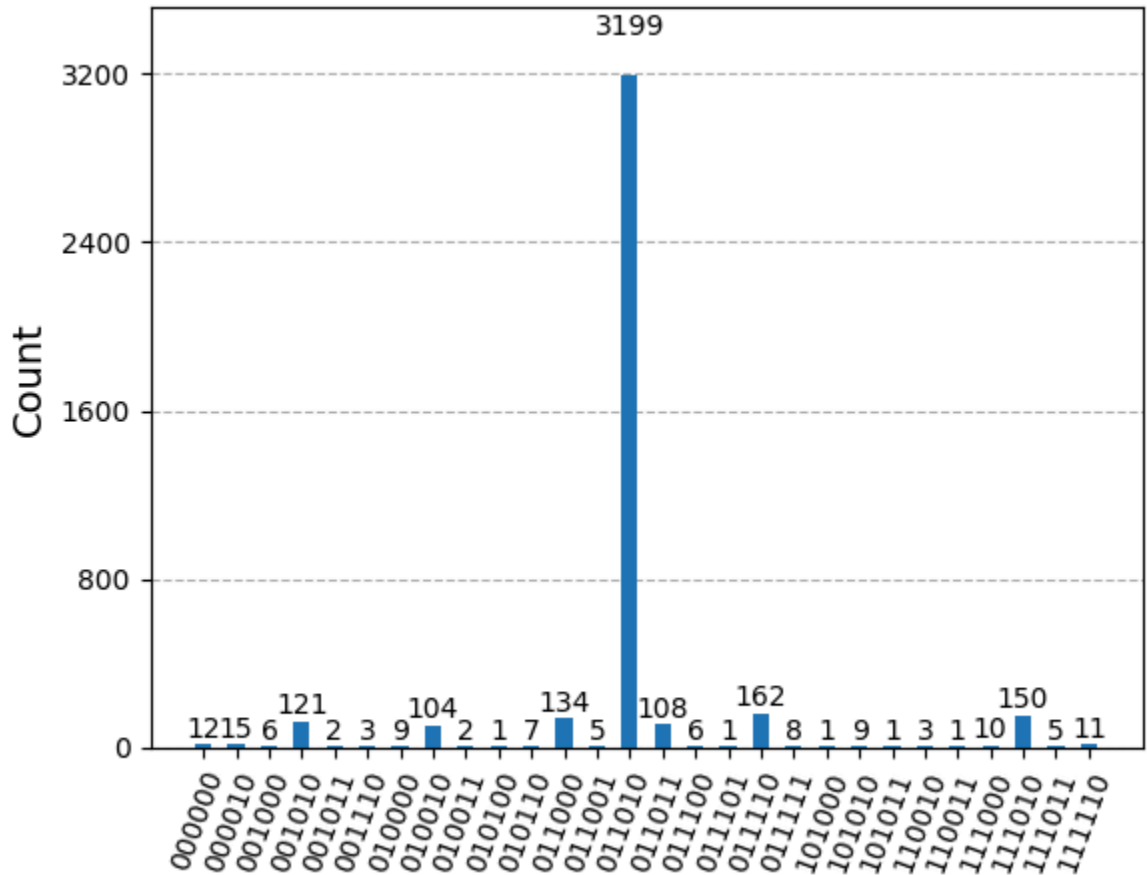
# the 1st element at 0th index is the public result
pub_result = result_hardware[0]

# I am extracting the classical data part from the public result
# the values of c tells about the count of each outcome
classical_data = pub_result.data.c

# .get_counts() is used to measure the data in the classical bit 'c'
# I am generating and displaying a histogram of the execution outcomes
plot_histogram(classical_data.get_counts())

```

Out[13]:



**Fig 03 : Measured state Vs Counts**

The histogram represents the probability of measuring the output states when my quantum circuit runs on the IBM QC Hardware.

In the above histogram :

- The **x-axis** represents the measured states.
- The **y-axis** represents the number of times each state was measured.

The circuit ran for 4096 trials on the IBM QC Hardware.

Here, on the x-axis, there are multiple different measured states with smaller counts and 011010 with count 3199.

$$3199/4096 = 0.7810$$

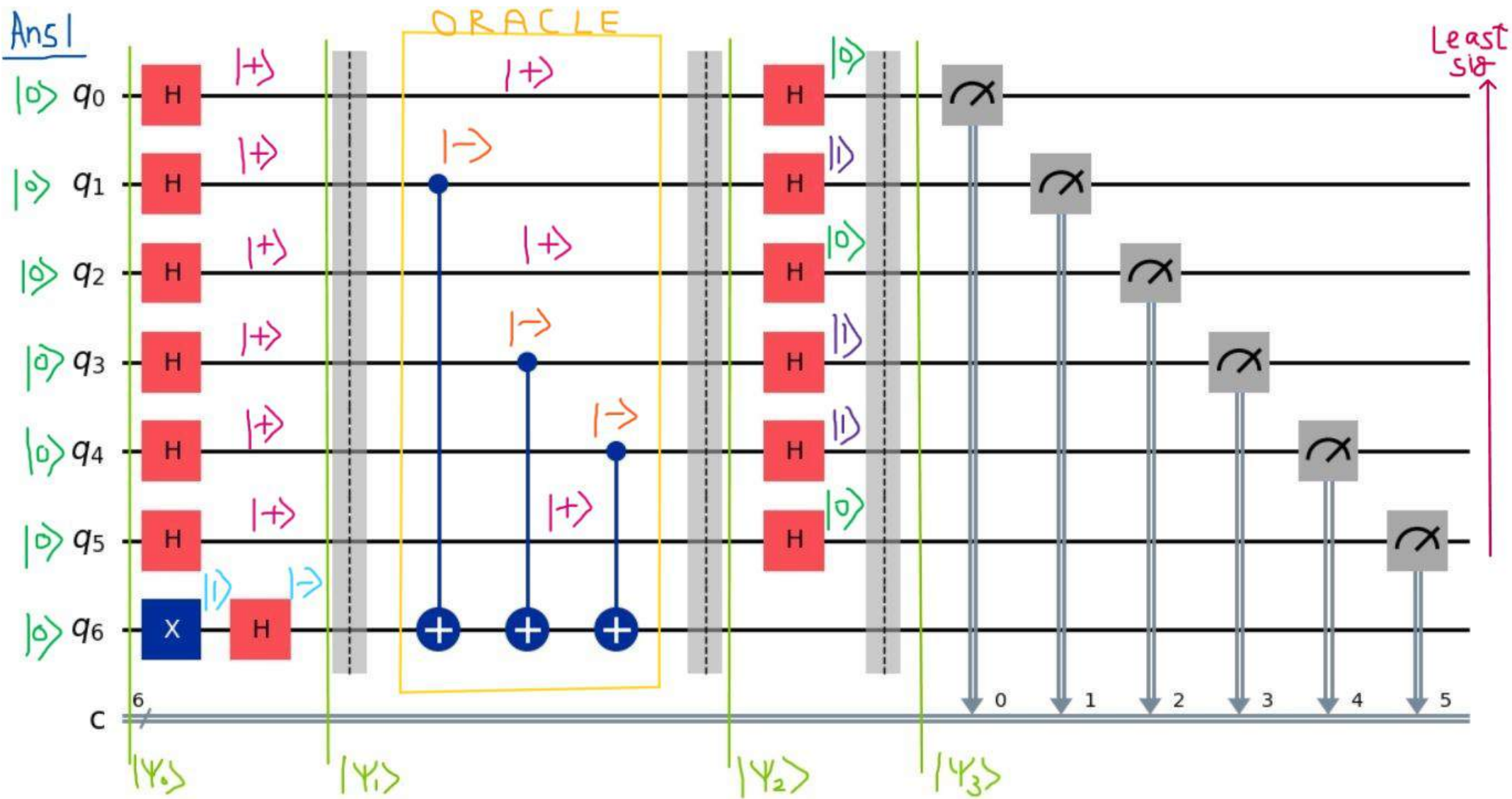
This means that the measurement found the qubits q5, q4, q3, q2, q1, q0 in 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 0 state with 78.1 % probability.

So, I get back my secret string  $s = 011010$  with 78.1 % probability after the measurement. This proves that I successfully got back my secret string with a high probability.

Also the simulator and the IBM QC Hardware produced very similar results, which validates that the Bernstein-Vazrani Algorithm worked fine.



Ans 1



$$n=6$$

$x$ -register with  $n=6$  qubits and a  $y$ -register with 1 qubit.

i) The initial state of all qubits is  $|0\rangle \rightarrow$

$$\text{so, } |\Psi_0\rangle = |0\rangle^{\otimes n} |0\rangle_y$$

$$\underline{n=6}, \quad |\Psi_0\rangle = |0\rangle^{\otimes 6} |0\rangle = |000000\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

ii) Converting the  $y$ -register to  $|-\rangle$  state  $\rightarrow$

$$X |0\rangle = |1\rangle$$

$$H |1\rangle = |-\rangle$$

$$\text{so, } |\Psi_0'\rangle = |0\rangle^{\otimes n} |-\rangle_y$$

$$\underline{n=6}, \quad |\Psi_0'\rangle = |0\rangle^{\otimes 6} |-\rangle = |000000\rangle \otimes |-\rangle$$

iii) Applying  $H$  to all  $x$ -registers  $\rightarrow$

$$H |0\rangle = |+\rangle = \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{For all } n, \quad H^{\otimes n} |0\rangle^{\otimes n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle$$

$$\therefore |\Psi_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle |-\rangle_y$$

$$\underline{n=6}$$

$$H^{\otimes 6} |000000\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^6}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^6-1} |x\rangle$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{n=6}$$

$$|\Psi_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{64}} \sum_{x=0}^{63} |x\rangle \otimes |-\rangle$$



iv) Applying Oracle -

$$U_f |x\rangle |-\rangle_y = (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle |-\rangle_y$$

$$f(x) = s \cdot x$$

$$\therefore |\Psi_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{s \cdot x} |x\rangle |-\rangle_y$$

$$n=6,$$

$$|\Psi_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{64}} \sum_{x=0}^{63} (-1)^{s \cdot x} |x\rangle \otimes |-\rangle$$

v) Applying H again on x-registers  $\rightarrow$

$$H^{\otimes n} (-1)^{s \cdot x} |x\rangle = |s\rangle$$

$$\therefore |\Psi_3\rangle = |s\rangle |-\rangle_y$$

$$n=6, \quad H^{\otimes 6} \sum_{x=0}^{63} (-1)^{s \cdot x} |x\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{64}} \sum_{z=0}^{63} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{64}} \sum_{x=0}^{63} (-1)^{s \cdot x} (-1)^{x \cdot z} \right) |z\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{64} \sum_{x=0}^{63} (-1)^{x \cdot (s \oplus z)} |z\rangle = |s\rangle$$

when,  $z = s$ ,  $s \oplus z = 0$ , summation = 64

$z \neq s$ ,  $s \oplus z \neq 0$ , summation = 0

$$\therefore, \quad |\Psi_3\rangle = |s\rangle |-\rangle$$



4) Given  $x$ -summation  $\sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x) + x \cdot z} = K.$

To prove it yields a non-zero value only for  $|z\rangle = |s\rangle$  and zero for all other  $|z\rangle \neq |s\rangle.$

$$f(x) = s \cdot x \quad \text{and} \quad s \cdot x = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} s_i x_i \text{ mod } 2$$

$$f(x) = s_0 x_0 + s_1 x_1 + \dots + s_{n-1} x_{n-1} \text{ mod } 2$$

$$\therefore x\text{-summation } K = \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{s \cdot x + x \cdot z}$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot (s \oplus z)}$$

Doing binary summation  $\rightarrow x = (x_{n-1}, x_{n-2}, \dots, x_0)$

$$K =$$

$n$  bit binary string

$$\sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} = \sum_{x_0 \in \{0,1\}} \sum_{x_1 \in \{0,1\}} \dots \sum_{x_{n-1} \in \{0,1\}}$$

$$\therefore (-1)^{x \cdot (s \oplus z)} = (-1)^{\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x_i (s_i \oplus z_i)}$$

$$= \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{x_i (s_i \oplus z_i)}$$

$$\therefore K = \sum_{x_0 \in \{0,1\}} \sum_{x_1 \in \{0,1\}} \dots \sum_{x_n \in \{0,1\}} \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{x_i (s_i \oplus z_i)}$$



$$\therefore K = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{x_i \in \{0,1\}} (-1)^{x_i (x_i \oplus z_i)}$$

Binary, so only 2 possibilities

$$\text{If } x_i \oplus z_i = 0, \quad \sum_{x_i \in \{0,1\}} (-1)^{x_i \cdot 0} = 2$$

$$\text{If } x_i \oplus z_i = 1, \quad \sum_{x_i \in \{0,1\}} (-1)^{x_i \cdot 1} = (-1)^0 + (-1)^1 = 0$$

$$K = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{x_i \in \{0,1\}} (-1)^{x_i (x_i \oplus z_i)}$$

$$K = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} 2 = 2^n$$

$$K = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} 0 = 0$$

For  $|z\rangle = |s\rangle \longrightarrow \text{"x-summation"} = 2^n$

For  $|z\rangle \neq |s\rangle \longrightarrow \text{"x-summation"} = 0$

For my  $|s\rangle = |011010\rangle,$

$\longrightarrow$  if  $|z\rangle = |011010\rangle \Rightarrow \frac{\text{x-summation}}{(2)^6 = 64}$

$\longrightarrow$  if  $|z\rangle \neq |011010\rangle \Rightarrow \frac{\text{x-summation}}{0}$



For example,  $s = |011010\rangle$ , Let  $z = |000000\rangle$

$$s \oplus z = 011010 \oplus 000000 = 011010$$

$$K = \prod_{i=0}^5 \sum_{x_i \in \{0,1\}} (-1)^{x_i (s_i \oplus z_i)}$$

$$= 2 \times 0 \times 0 \times 2 \times 0 \times 2 = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} i=0, s \oplus z = 0 &\Rightarrow \sum 2 \\ i=1, s \oplus z = 1 &\Rightarrow 0 \\ i=2, s \oplus z = 1 &\Rightarrow 0 \\ i=3, s \oplus z = 0 &\Rightarrow 2 \\ i=4, s \oplus z = 1 &\Rightarrow 0 \\ i=5, s \oplus z = 0 &\Rightarrow 2 \end{aligned}$$

For  $|z\rangle \neq |s\rangle$ ,  $K = 0$



Ans. 5).

a) Show  $\text{CNOT } |x\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^x |x\rangle |-\rangle$

$\nearrow$  Target  
 $\searrow$  Control

$x=0$ ,  $|x\rangle |-\rangle = |0\rangle \frac{|0\rangle - |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\swarrow$  Control  $\searrow$  Target

$$\text{CNOT } |0\rangle |-\rangle = |0\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^0 |0\rangle |-\rangle \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$\searrow$   
Control is  $|0\rangle$ , so target will not flip.

$x=1$ ,  $|x\rangle |-\rangle = |1\rangle \frac{|0\rangle - |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\swarrow$  Control  $\searrow$  Target

$$\text{CNOT } |1\rangle |-\rangle$$

$\searrow$  Control is  $|1\rangle$ , so target will flip

$$\therefore \text{CNOT } |1\rangle |-\rangle = |1\rangle \frac{-|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} = -|1\rangle |-\rangle$$

$$\therefore \text{CNOT } |1\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^1 |1\rangle |-\rangle \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

From, (i) and (ii), it is proved that

$$\text{CNOT } |x\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^x |x\rangle |-\rangle$$



b). CNOT  $|+\rangle|-\rangle$

$$|+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

or  $|+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes |-\rangle$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|-\rangle + |1\rangle|-\rangle)$$

Applying CNOT -

$$\text{CNOT } |+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\text{CNOT } |0\rangle|-\rangle + \text{CNOT } |1\rangle|-\rangle)$$

We know,

$$\text{CNOT } |x\rangle|-\rangle = (-1)^x |x\rangle|-\rangle.$$

$$\therefore \text{CNOT } |0\rangle|-\rangle = (-1)^0 |0\rangle|-\rangle = |0\rangle|-\rangle$$

$$\therefore \text{CNOT } |1\rangle|-\rangle = (-1)^1 |1\rangle|-\rangle = -|1\rangle|-\rangle$$

$$\therefore \text{CNOT } |+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|-\rangle - |1\rangle|-\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) |-\rangle$$

$$= |-\rangle|-\rangle$$



$$\text{CNOT } |-\rangle |-\rangle$$

$$|-\rangle |-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \otimes |-\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle |-\rangle - |1\rangle |-\rangle)$$

Applying CNOT  $\rightarrow$

$$\text{CNOT } |-\rangle |-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\text{CNOT } |0\rangle |-\rangle - \text{CNOT } |1\rangle |-\rangle)$$

$$\text{CNOT } |0\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^0 |0\rangle |-\rangle = |0\rangle |-\rangle$$

$$\text{CNOT } |1\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^1 |1\rangle |-\rangle = -|1\rangle |-\rangle$$

$$\text{CNOT } |-\rangle |-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle |-\rangle - (-|1\rangle |-\rangle))$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle |-\rangle + |1\rangle |-\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) |-\rangle$$

$$= |+\rangle |-\rangle$$



c) show that  $\rightarrow U_f |x\rangle |- \rangle = (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle |- \rangle$

$$U_f |x\rangle |- \rangle = U_f \left( |x\rangle \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (U_f |x\rangle |0\rangle - U_f |x\rangle |1\rangle)$$

$$U_f |x\rangle |0\rangle = |x\rangle |0 \oplus f(x)\rangle$$

$$U_f |x\rangle |1\rangle = |x\rangle |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle$$

$$= |x\rangle |f(x)\rangle$$

$$\therefore U_f |x\rangle |- \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|x\rangle |f(x)\rangle - |x\rangle |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle)$$

$$= |x\rangle \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle)$$

i)  $f(x)=0 \Rightarrow |f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle = (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 $= \sqrt{2} |- \rangle$

ii)  $f(x)=1 \Rightarrow |f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle = (|1\rangle - |0\rangle) \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 $= -\sqrt{2} |- \rangle$

$$\therefore U_f |x\rangle |- \rangle = |x\rangle \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ((-1)^{f(x)} \sqrt{2} |- \rangle)$$

$$= (-1)^{f(x)} (|x\rangle \otimes |- \rangle)$$

$$= (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle |- \rangle$$



d).  $U_f |+\rangle|-\rangle$  for  $f(0)=f(1)$

$$|+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle|0\rangle - |0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle - |1\rangle|1\rangle)$$

$$\therefore U_f |+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{2} (U_f (|0\rangle|0\rangle - |0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle - |1\rangle|1\rangle))$$

Using formula,  $U_f |x\rangle|y\rangle = |x\rangle|y \oplus f(x)\rangle$

$$\therefore U_f |0\rangle|0\rangle = |0\rangle|0 \oplus f(0)\rangle = |0\rangle|f(0)\rangle$$

$$U_f |0\rangle|1\rangle = |0\rangle|1 \oplus f(0)\rangle$$

$$U_f |1\rangle|0\rangle = |1\rangle|0 \oplus f(1)\rangle = |1\rangle|f(1)\rangle$$

$$U_f |1\rangle|1\rangle = |1\rangle|1 \oplus f(1)\rangle$$

$$\therefore U_f |+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle|f(0)\rangle - |0\rangle|1 \oplus f(0)\rangle + |1\rangle|f(1)\rangle - |1\rangle|1 \oplus f(1)\rangle)$$

Case 1  $\rightarrow$  i)  $f(0)=f(1)=0$

$$\therefore U_f |+\rangle|-\rangle = \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle|0\rangle - |0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle - |1\rangle|1\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) + |1\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle))$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

$$= |+\rangle|-\rangle$$



$$\text{ii) } \underline{f(0) = f(1) = 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} U_f |+\rangle |-\rangle &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle |1\rangle - |0\rangle |0\rangle + |1\rangle |1\rangle - |1\rangle |0\rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle (|1\rangle - |0\rangle) + |1\rangle (|1\rangle - |0\rangle)) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) (|1\rangle - |0\rangle) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \\ &= -|+\rangle |-\rangle \end{aligned}$$

for  $f(0) = f(1)$ ,

$$U_f |+\rangle |-\rangle = (-1)^{f(0)} |+\rangle |-\rangle$$

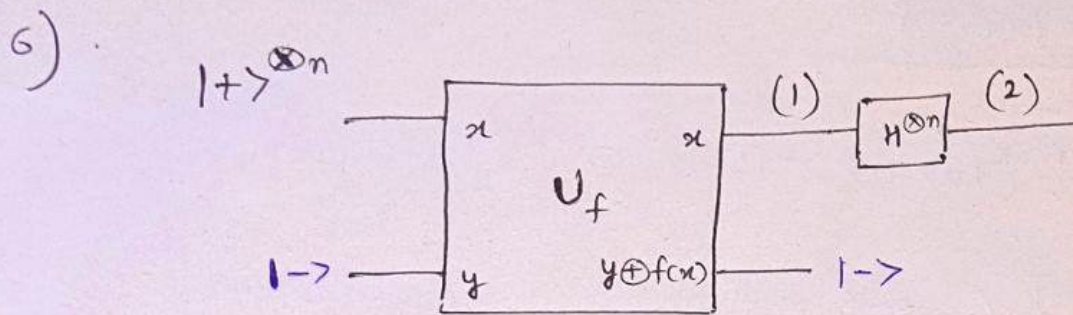
Case - 2  $\rightarrow f(0) \neq f(1)$  . Let  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(1) = 1$   
or  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f(1) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} U_f |+\rangle |-\rangle &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle |0\rangle - |0\rangle |1\rangle + |1\rangle |1\rangle - |1\rangle |0\rangle) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) + |1\rangle (|1\rangle - |0\rangle)) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) - |1\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \\ &= |-\rangle |-\rangle \end{aligned}$$

for  $f(0) \neq f(1)$

$$U_f |+\rangle |-\rangle = |-\rangle |-\rangle$$





Given,  $|+\rangle^{\otimes n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle$

(a) State vector (1)  $\rightarrow$

$$U_f(|+\rangle^{\otimes n} |-\rangle) = U_f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle \otimes |-\rangle\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} U_f(|x\rangle |-\rangle)$$

Now,  $U_f(|x\rangle |-\rangle) = U_f\left(|x\rangle \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)\right)$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (U_f |x\rangle |0\rangle - U_f |x\rangle |1\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|x\rangle |0 \oplus f(x)\rangle - |x\rangle |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|x\rangle \otimes (|f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle))$$

$f(x)=0 \rightarrow |f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle = (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2} |-\rangle$

$f(x)=1 \rightarrow |f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle = |1\rangle - |0\rangle \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = -\sqrt{2} |-\rangle$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore U_f(|x\rangle|-\rangle) &= |x\rangle \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( (-1)^{f(x)} \sqrt{2} |-\rangle \right) \\
 &= (-1)^{f(x)} (|x\rangle \otimes |-\rangle) \\
 &= (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle |-\rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore U_f(|+\rangle^{\otimes n} |-\rangle) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} U_f(|x\rangle |-\rangle) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle |-\rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

State vector (1) after  $U_f$

(b) State vector (2)  $\rightarrow$

We know,

$$H|x\rangle = \frac{\sum_z (-1)^{xz} |z\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

For  $n$  qubits,

$$\begin{aligned}
 H^{\otimes n} |x_1 \dots x_n\rangle &= \frac{\sum_{z_1 \dots z_n} (-1)^{x_1 z_1 + \dots + x_n z_n} |z_1 \dots z_n\rangle}{\sqrt{2^n}} \\
 &= \frac{\sum_{z=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{xz} |z\rangle}{\sqrt{2^n}}
 \end{aligned}$$

State vector (2) is obtained by applying  $H^{\otimes n}$  to the state vector (1)



So, we get  $\rightarrow$

$$H^{\otimes n} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} |x\rangle \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} H^{\otimes n} |x\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{z=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot z} |z\rangle \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} \sum_{z=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x) + x \cdot z} |z\rangle$$

$$\text{Let } K = \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x) + x \cdot z}$$

i) If  $f(x)$  is a constant function i.e.  $f(x)=0$  or  $f(x)=1$  for all  $2^n$   $x$ -values.

$$K = (-1)^{f(x)} \underbrace{\sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot z}}$$

$$\text{if } z=0^n, x \cdot z = 0 \text{ so, } \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot z} = 2^n$$

$$\text{if } z \neq 0^n, x \cdot z = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot 1 = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \pmod{2}$$

If the no. of 1's is even,  $x \cdot z = 0$

If the no. of 1's is odd,  $x \cdot z = 1$



$$\text{So, for } z = 1^n \quad \sum (-1)^{xz} = \underbrace{\sum_{\text{even}} (-1)^0}_1 + \underbrace{\sum_{\text{odd}} (-1)^1}_{-1} = 0$$

$$\text{So, } K = 0 \quad (\text{for } z = 1^n) \longrightarrow \text{zero}$$

$$K = (-1)^{f(x)} \cdot 2^n \quad (\text{for } z = 0^n) \longrightarrow \text{Non-zero}$$

ii) If  $f(x)$  is a balanced function,  $f(x)=0$  for half of  $2^n$   $x$  values and  $f(x)=1$  for other half of  $2^n$   $x$  values.

$$K = (-1)^{f(x)} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{xz}$$

$$= \sum_{f(x)=0} (-1)^{0+xz} + \sum_{f(x)=1} (-1)^{1+xz}$$

$$= \sum_{f(x)=0} (-1)^{xz} - \sum_{f(x)=1} (-1)^{xz}$$

$$= 0 \quad (\text{always})$$