

Single-Qubit Rotations

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In[*]:= Let[Qubit, S]
        Let[Real,  $\phi$ ]
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Rotation Around the X Axis

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[ $\phi$ , S[1]]
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Out[*]= Rotation[ $\phi$ ,  $S^x$ ]
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In[*]:= in = Ket[{S}]
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Out[*]=  $|0_S\rangle$ 
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In[*]:= out = op ** in
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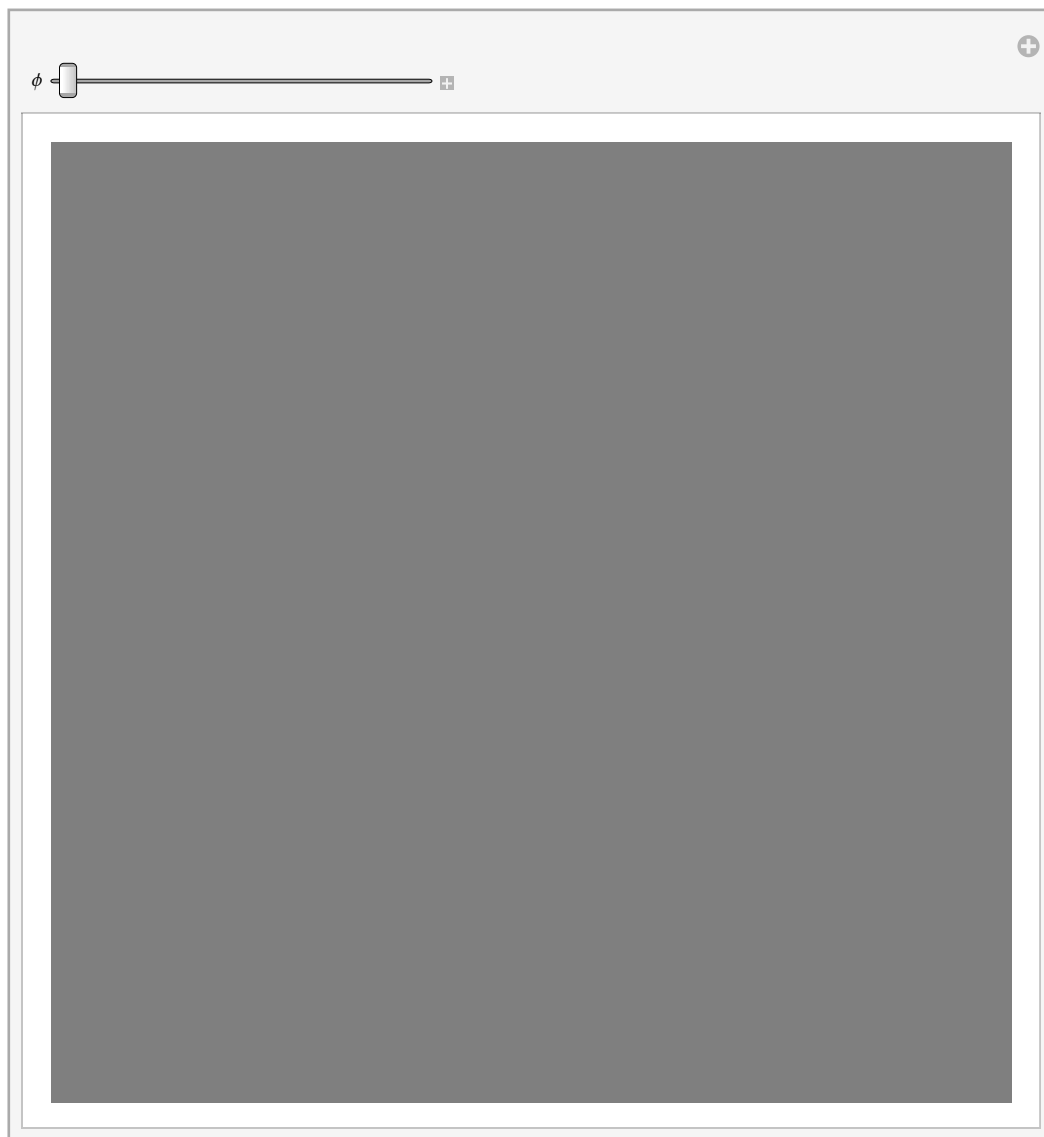
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Out[*]=  $\cos\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] |0_S\rangle - i \sin\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] |1_S\rangle$ 
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In[*]:= bv[ $\phi$ _] = BlochVector[out] // ExpToTrig // FullSimplify
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Out[*]= {0, -Sin[ $\phi$ ], Cos[ $\phi$ ] }
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In[*]:= Manipulate[BlochSphere[{Red, Bead@bv@ $\phi$ }, ImageSize → Medium], { $\phi$ , 0, 2 Pi}]
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Out[*]=



Rotation Around the Y Axis

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[ $\phi$ , S[2]]
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Out[*]=
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$$\text{Rotation}[\phi, S^y]$$

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In[*]:= in = Ket[{S}]
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Out[*]=
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$$|0_S\rangle$$

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In[*]:= out = op ** in
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Out[*]=
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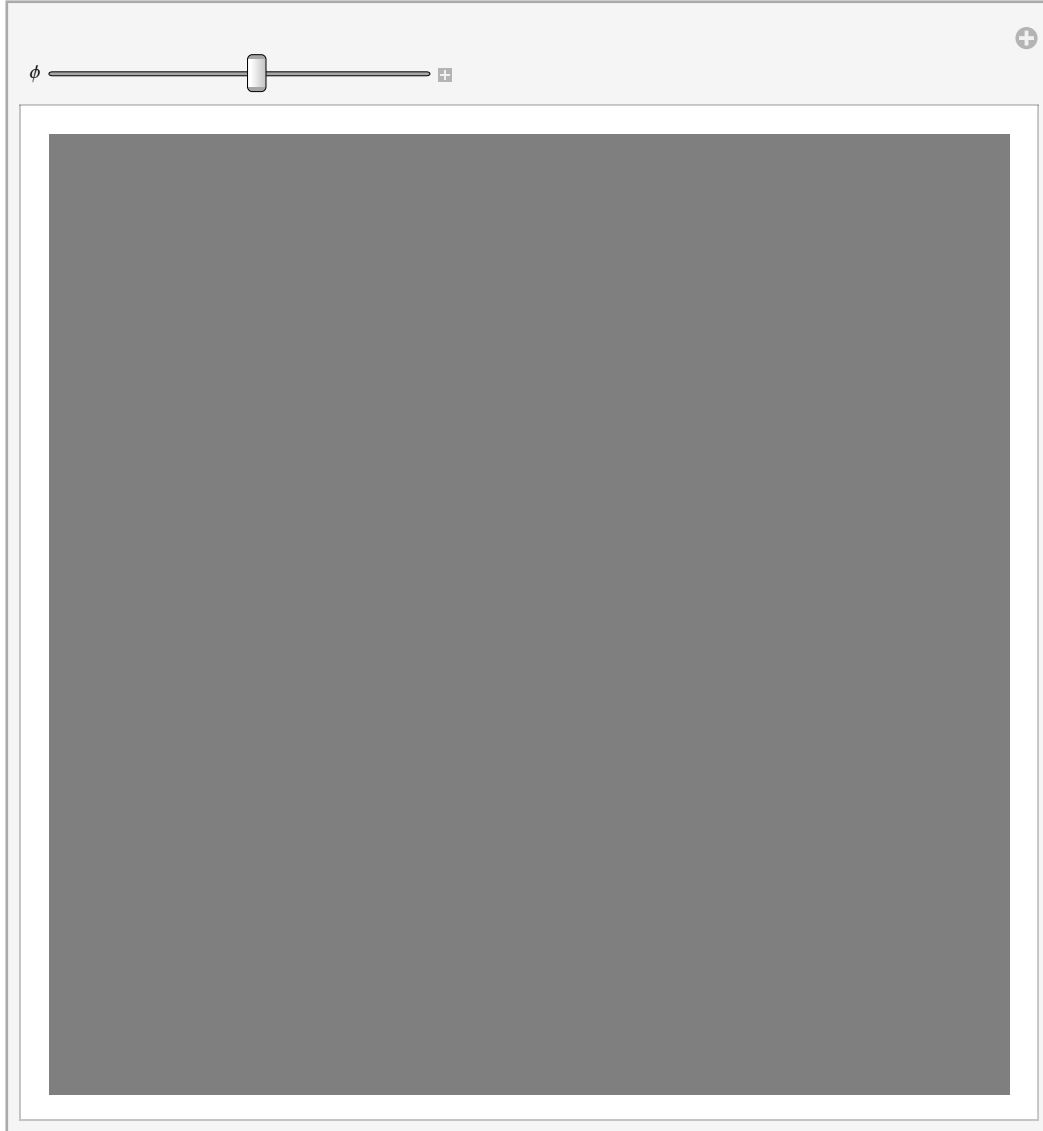
$$\cos\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] |0_S\rangle + |1_S\rangle \sin\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right]$$

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In[ ]:= bv[φ_] = BlochVector[out] // ExpToTrig // FullSimplify
Out[ ]:= {Sin[φ], 0, Cos[φ]}

In[ ]:= Manipulate[BlochSphere[{Red, Bead@bv@φ}, ImageSize → Medium], {φ, 0, 2 Pi}]
Out[ ]:=

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Rotation Around the Z Axis

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In[ ]:= op = Rotation[φ, S[3]]
Out[ ]:= Rotation[φ, S^Z]

In[ ]:= in = S[6] ** Ket[{S}]
Out[ ]:=

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$$\frac{| \downarrow \rangle}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{| 1s \rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

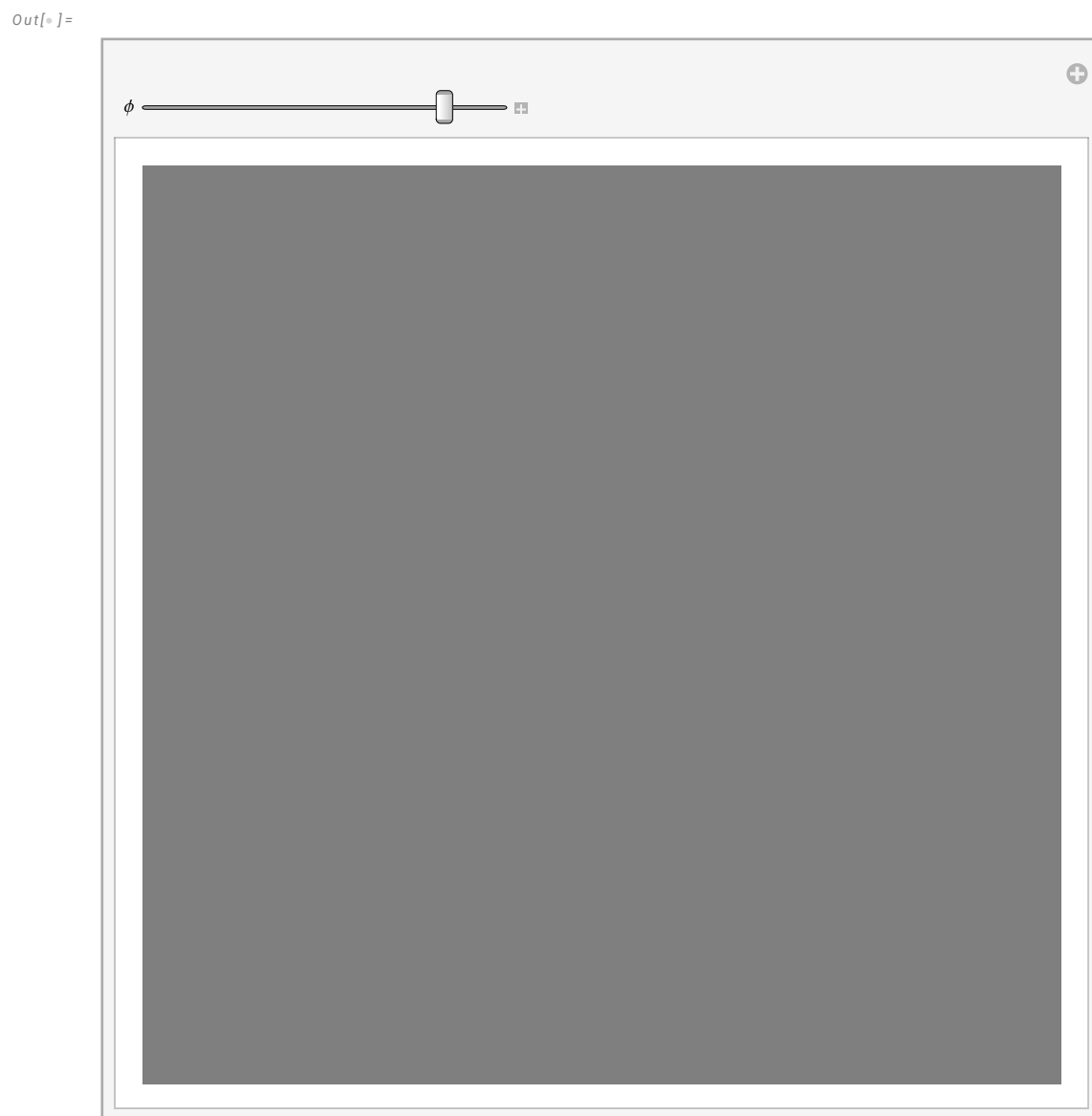
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In[*]:= out = op ** in
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$$\frac{|_ \rangle \left(\cos\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] - i \sin\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] \right)}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{|1_s \rangle \left(\cos\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] + i \sin\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] \right)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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In[*]:= bv[phi_] = BlochVector[out] // ExpToTrig // FullSimplify
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Out[*]:= {Cos[phi], Sin[phi], 0}
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```
In[*]:= Manipulate[BlochSphere[{Red, Bead@bv@phi}], ImageSize -> Medium], {phi, 0, 2 Pi}]
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Operator Algebra

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[phi, S[3]]
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Out[*]:= Rotation[phi, S^z]
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In[*]:= Elaborate[op]
Out[*]=

$$\text{Cos}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] - \text{i} S^Z \text{Sin}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right]$$


In[*]:= SS = S[All]
Out[*]=
 $\{S^X, S^Y, S^Z\}$ 

In[*]:= TT = op ** SS ** Dagger[op]
Out[*]=
 $\{\text{Cos}[\phi] S^X + S^Y \text{Sin}[\phi], \text{Cos}[\phi] S^Y - S^X \text{Sin}[\phi], S^Z\}$ 

In[*]:= mat = RotationMatrix[phi, {0, 0, 1}]
Out[*]=
 $\{\{\text{Cos}[\phi], -\text{Sin}[\phi], 0\}, \{\text{Sin}[\phi], \text{Cos}[\phi], 0\}, \{0, 0, 1\}\}$ 

In[*]:= SS.mat - TT
Out[*]=
 $\{0, 0, 0\}$ 

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[phi, S[1]]
Out[*]=
Rotation[phi, S^X]

In[*]:= Elaborate[op]
Out[*]=

$$\text{Cos}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] - \text{i} S^X \text{Sin}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right]$$


In[*]:= SS = S[All]
Out[*]=
 $\{S^X, S^Y, S^Z\}$ 

In[*]:= TT = op ** SS ** Dagger[op]
Out[*]=
 $\{S^X, \text{Cos}[\phi] S^Y + S^Z \text{Sin}[\phi], \text{Cos}[\phi] S^Z - S^Y \text{Sin}[\phi]\}$ 

In[*]:= mat = RotationMatrix[phi, {1, 0, 0}]
Out[*]=
 $\{\{1, 0, 0\}, \{0, \text{Cos}[\phi], -\text{Sin}[\phi]\}, \{0, \text{Sin}[\phi], \text{Cos}[\phi]\}\}$ 

In[*]:= SS.mat - TT
Out[*]=
 $\{0, 0, 0\}$ 

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[phi, S[2]]
Out[*]=
Rotation[phi, S^Y]

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In[*]:= Elaborate[op]
Out[*]:=

$$\text{Cos}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right] - i S^y \text{Sin}\left[\frac{\phi}{2}\right]$$


In[*]:= SS = S[All]
Out[*]:=

$$\{S^x, S^y, S^z\}$$


In[*]:= TT = op ** SS ** Dagger[op]
Out[*]:=

$$\{\text{Cos}[\phi] S^x - S^z \text{Sin}[\phi], S^y, \text{Cos}[\phi] S^z + S^x \text{Sin}[\phi]\}$$


In[*]:= mat = RotationMatrix[\phi, {0, 1, 0}]
Out[*]:=

$$\{\{\text{Cos}[\phi], 0, \text{Sin}[\phi]\}, \{0, 1, 0\}, \{-\text{Sin}[\phi], 0, \text{Cos}[\phi]\}\}$$


In[*]:= SS.mat - TT
Out[*]:=

$$\{0, 0, 0\}$$


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Application: Phase and Hadamard

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In[*]:= op = Rotation[\phi, S[3]]
Out[*]:=

$$\text{Rotation}[\phi, S^z]$$


In[*]:= mat = Matrix[op];
MatrixForm[mat]
Out[*]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} e^{-\frac{i\phi}{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{\frac{i\phi}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$


In[*]:= Phase[\phi, S[3]] // Matrix // MatrixForm
Out[*]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$


In[*]:= Exp[I * \phi / 2] * mat // MatrixForm
Out[*]//MatrixForm=

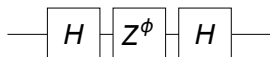
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$


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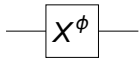
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In[*]:= qc = QuantumCircuit[S[6], Phase[\phi, S[3]], S[6]]
Out[*]:=

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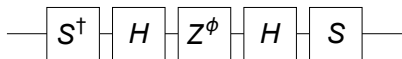


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In[*]:= new = QuantumCircuit[Phase[ $\phi$ , S[1]]]
Out[*]=
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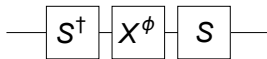


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In[*]:= qc = new // Elaborate // Simplify
Out[*]=
0
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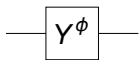
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In[*]:= qc = QuantumCircuit[S[-7], S[6], Phase[ $\phi$ , S[3]], S[6], S[7]]
Out[*]=
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In[*]:= more = QuantumCircuit[S[-7], Phase[ $\phi$ , S[1]], S[7]]
Out[*]=
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In[*]:= new = QuantumCircuit[Phase[ $\phi$ , S[2]]]
Out[*]=
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In[*]:= qc = new // Elaborate // Simplify
more = new // Elaborate // Simplify
Out[*]=
0
Out[*]=
0
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Summary

Functions

- Rotation
- BlochVector, BlochSphere, Bead
- Phase

Related Links

- Chapters 1 and 2 of the Quantum Workbook (2022, 2023).
- Tutorial: “Quantum States”
- Tutorial: “Quantum Computation: Overview”