Controlled-Unitary Gates

In[0]:= Let[Qubit, S]

CNOT vs Controlled-X

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In[*]:= cnot = QuantumCircuit[CNOT[S[1], S[2]]]
Out[*] =

In[*]:= cx = QuantumCircuit[ControlledGate[S[1], S[2, 1]]]
Out[*] =

In[*]:= Elaborate[cnot - cx]
Out[*] =

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Let us now consider a controlled-unitary gate of the following form.

In[*]:= QuantumCircuit[ControlledGate[S[1], Phase[ϕ , S[3, 1]]]] Out[*]=



One also think of multi-control unitary gate of the following form.

In[*]:= QuantumCircuit[ControlledGate[S@{1, 2}, Phase[ϕ , S[3, 1]]]] Out[*]=



Here is the full form of ControlledGate.

 $ln[\circ]:= ControlledGate[{S[1, $], S[2, $]} \rightarrow {1, 1}, Phase[\phi, S[3, 3]]]$ Out[0]= ControlledGate [$\{S_1, S_2\} \rightarrow \{1, 1\}, S_3^z(\phi)$]

In[*]:= qc = QuantumCircuit[ControlledGate[S[1], Phase[ϕ , S[3, 1]]]] Out[0]=



In[*]:= mat = Matrix[qc]; mat // MatrixForm

Out[•]//MatrixForm=

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{e^{i\,\phi}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{e^{i\,\phi}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{e^{i\,\phi}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{e^{i\,\phi}}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

In[0]:= in = Basis[S@{1, 2}]; out = qc ** in;

Thread[in → out] // TableForm

Out[•]//TableForm=

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In[0]:= op = I * EulerRotation[{Pi/3, Pi/2, Pi/6}, S[2]]; Matrix[op] // SimplifyThrough // MatrixForm

Out[o]//MatrixForm=

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\mathrm{i}}{2} & \left(-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{\mathrm{i}}{4} \right) \left(\dot{\mathbb{1}} + \sqrt{3} \right) \\ \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{\mathrm{i}}{4} \right) \left(1 + \dot{\mathbb{1}} \sqrt{3} \right) & -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\mathrm{i}}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

 $In[\cdot]:= cu = ControlledGate[S[1], op, "Label" \rightarrow "U"];$ QuantumCircuit[cu]

Out[0]=



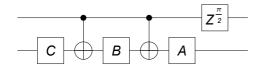
In[*]:= Expand[cu]

Out[0]=

$$\begin{split} & \text{Sequence} \Big[\text{Rotation} \Big[- \text{ArcTan} \Big[\frac{-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}} \Big] \text{, } S_2^z \text{, Label} \rightarrow C \Big] \text{, } \text{CNOT} [\{S_1\} \rightarrow \{1\} \text{, } \{S_2\}] \text{,} \\ & \Big\{ \text{Cos} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big]^2 + \frac{\text{i}}{2} \frac{S_2^y}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\text{i}}{2} \frac{S_2^z}{\sqrt{2}} - \text{i} S_2^x \text{ Sin} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big]^2 \text{, Label} \rightarrow B \Big\} \text{, } \text{CNOT} [\{S_1\} \rightarrow \{1\} \text{, } \{S_2\}] \text{,} \\ & \Big\{ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{3} \text{ Cos} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big] - \frac{1}{2} \text{ i} \text{ Cos} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big] \text{ } S_2^z + \frac{1}{2} \text{ i} \text{ } S_2^x \text{ Sin} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big] - \frac{1}{2} \text{ i} \text{ } \sqrt{3} \text{ } S_2^y \text{ Sin} \Big[\frac{\pi}{8} \Big] \text{, Label} \rightarrow A \Big\} \text{,} \\ & S_1^z \Big(\frac{\pi}{2} \Big) \Big] \end{split}$$

In[•]:= qc = QuantumCircuit[Expand[cu]]

Out[0]=



In[0]:= Elaborate[cu] - Elaborate[cu]

Out[0]=

■ For a proof of the decomposition, see the Q3 tutorial titled "Controlled-Unitary Gates".

Summary

Functions

- ControlledGate
- Hadamard

Related Links

- Chapters 2 of the Quantum Workbook (2022, 2023).
- Tutorial: "Quantum Computation: Overview"