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Classical Computing (bit)

- can be 0 (or) 1
- can be read, stored and perform ~~operation~~ operations

Quantum Computing (qubit)

Qubit - Fundamental mathematical object that quantum systems are made of and which possesses a state.

- Two states are $|0\rangle$ and $|1\rangle$ (dirac notation)
- But can be also in superposition of the above two states

Quantum Bits

Superposition is a linear combination of states

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

/"psi"/

α, β - complex numbers

- State of qubit is a vector in 2D complex vector space

$|0\rangle$ and $|1\rangle$ are computational basis states, form orthonormal basis for complex 2D vector space

Difference

Qubit cannot be examined without changing it to $|0\rangle$ or $|1\rangle$

Prob. of getting 0 - $|\alpha|^2$

Prob. of getting 1 - $|\beta|^2$

$$|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 = 1$$

$|\psi\rangle$ is a unit vector in 2D complex vector space

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Quantum bit

classical bit - 0, 1

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

$|0\rangle, |1\rangle$

Dirac
Notation

$\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$

complex no.

- Special states
- basic states and
form orthonormal
basis

Measured -

0, 1

some state of the
physical system

Electron \rightarrow state (0)

Eg:

Given proper energy \rightarrow next state (1)

But it is possible for it to exist between these two states due to energy provided, but when measured it shows only 0 (or) 1 states

Prob of getting 0 - $|\alpha|^2$

Prob. of getting 1 - $|\beta|^2$

$$|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 = 1$$

eg: If $|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle$

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So if $|\psi\rangle$ is measured then there is 50% chance of getting 0 and 50% for 1.

* Hence there is no chance we can determine original state of qubit by measuring it (because once measured it collapses to 0 (or) 1)

* If we could have made infinite no. of copies of same state, then we can measure them which gives idea of $|\alpha|^2, |\beta|^2$

* $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) = |+\rangle$ (special state)

Visualising $|\psi\rangle$

- Discovered by Bloch

Bloch Sphere

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

$$= (\alpha_r, \alpha_i)|0\rangle + (\beta_r, \beta_i)|1\rangle$$

4 Variables

(cant be visualized on 3D graph)

Using polar co-ordinates to express the state -

$$|\psi\rangle = |\alpha| e^{i\delta_1} |0\rangle + |\beta| e^{i\delta_2} |1\rangle$$

- four real parameters - $|\alpha|, |\beta|, \delta_1, \delta_2$

$$|\psi\rangle = e^{i\delta_1} (|\alpha| |0\rangle + |\beta| e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_1)} |1\rangle)$$

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global phase

As only measurable quantities are $|\alpha|^2, |\beta|^2$

so $e^{i\delta_1}$ (global phase) has no observable consequences and can be neglected

Eg. $|e^{i\delta} \alpha|^2 = (e^{i\delta} \alpha)^* (e^{i\delta} \alpha) = (e^{-i\delta} \alpha^*) (e^{i\delta} \alpha) = \alpha^* \alpha = |\alpha|^2$

$$\text{so, } |\psi\rangle = |\alpha| |0\rangle + |\beta| e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_1)} |1\rangle$$

$$\delta_2 - \delta_1 = \phi$$

$$|\psi\rangle = |\alpha| |0\rangle + |\beta| e^{i\phi} |1\rangle$$

- Three real parameters - $|\alpha|, |\beta|, \phi$

where α can't have imaginary part
(i.e. δ_1 made to 0)

Essentially here δ_1 - reference phase (global phase) is absolute phase of qubit which isn't required but relative phase $\phi = \delta_2 - \delta_1$ plays an important role

So for $|\psi'\rangle$ in sphere,

$$(\theta' = \frac{\theta}{2})$$

$$|\psi'\rangle = \cos \theta' |0\rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \theta' |1\rangle$$

$$|\psi'\rangle = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle$$

where $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$, $0 \leq \phi \leq 2\pi$

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$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

Complex

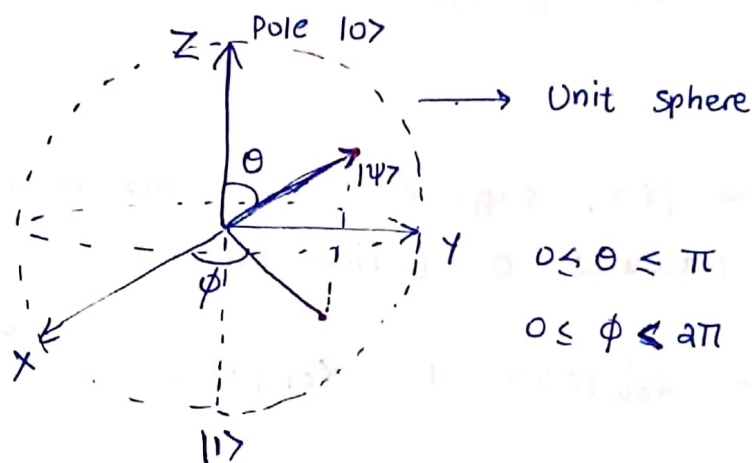
If try to measure the state, it collapses to 0 (or) 1

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No reason provided

"Fundamental Postulates of Quantum Mechanics"

Bloch Sphere Visualization

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$



$$|\psi\rangle = \cos\frac{\theta}{2}|0\rangle + e^{i\phi}\sin\frac{\theta}{2}|1\rangle$$

On surface \rightarrow all states \rightarrow pure state (Prob of $|0\rangle + |1\rangle = 1$)

Inside sphere \rightarrow states \rightarrow impure state

⊛ How much information does qubit store (or carry in it) ?

i.e. points on sphere - infinite (its true but information cant be obtained)

$\alpha, \beta \rightarrow$ cannot be retrieved (because it collapses to 0 or 1)

so in order to store more information, we need multiple qubits

2-qubit system

4 states

$$|00\rangle \quad |01\rangle \quad |10\rangle \quad |11\rangle$$

4 basis states

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha_{00}|00\rangle + \alpha_{01}|01\rangle + \alpha_{10}|10\rangle + \alpha_{11}|11\rangle$$

α_{ij} — complex numbers

$|\alpha_{ij}|^2 =$ prob of system returning $|ij\rangle$ at measurement

⊛

In previous $|\psi\rangle$, suppose one bit was measured and it returned 0 (first one)

[Ratio of probabilities]
still remains same
?

$$|\psi'\rangle = \alpha'_{00}|00\rangle + \alpha'_{01}|01\rangle$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{00}}{\sqrt{|\alpha_{00}|^2 + |\alpha_{01}|^2}} |00\rangle + \frac{\alpha_{01}}{\sqrt{|\alpha_{00}|^2 + |\alpha_{01}|^2}} |01\rangle$$

suppose second qubit was measured now (assume 1)

$$|\psi''\rangle = 1 \cdot |01\rangle \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \alpha'_{01} = 1 \\ \alpha'_{00} = 0 \end{array} \right)$$

α 's can be manipulated or changes

$|\psi\rangle \rightarrow$ operated upon
(operators)

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circuit gates

Bell Gates (EPR) → Einstein, Podolsky & Rosen

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{|00\rangle + |11\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

suppose first one is measured

if its 0 → second must be 0

if its 1 → second must be 1

so measurement of one qubit affects the other irrespective of their distance.

n qubits

Basis states ? $2^n \rightarrow b_1 \dots b_{2^n}$

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{2^n} \alpha_i |b_i\rangle$$

2^n α 's stores 2^n α 's

Eg: $n = 500 \rightarrow 2^{500}$ values stored → much greater than # of atoms in universe

Quantum computation

↓ How qubits can be operated upon

Circuits, gates, operators

Single qubit gate

! Classical gates - NOT gate

like NOT gate in qubits

$$|0\rangle \rightarrow |1\rangle$$

$$|1\rangle \rightarrow |0\rangle$$

$$\text{For } |\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

\downarrow NOT

$$|\psi\rangle = \beta|0\rangle + \alpha|1\rangle$$

① X gate (operation)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X|\psi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

② Z gate

$$Z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle \rightarrow \boxed{Z} \rightarrow \alpha|0\rangle - \beta|1\rangle$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ -\beta \end{bmatrix}$$

③ H gate (Hadamard Gate)

$$H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle \rightarrow \boxed{H} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[\alpha(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) + \beta(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)]$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha + \beta \\ \alpha - \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

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Recap

Measuring qbits — 0 or 1 (collapses)

2 qubit system

first bit - measured - 0

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{\alpha_{00}|00\rangle}{\sqrt{\alpha_{00}^2 + \alpha_{01}^2}} + \frac{\alpha_{01}|01\rangle}{\sqrt{\alpha_{00}^2 + \alpha_{01}^2}}$$

Algorithms

Discrete Log

Search Algo

Feynman proposed : Quantum system simulations

n qubits — 2^n orthogonal states.

→ ~~Gate~~ Gates → operations → qubits

Single qubit operations

NOT

$$|0\rangle \rightarrow |1\rangle$$

$$|1\rangle \rightarrow |0\rangle$$

$$\alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle \rightarrow \beta|0\rangle + \alpha|1\rangle$$

All operations are assumed to be linear in quantum systems

If it were non-linear → leads to anomalies like

paradox
time value negative
Time travel
faster than light travel

Matrix

NOT

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\psi: \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$$

$$X|\psi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

single qubit operations in Classical (VS) Quantum

rotations on
bloch sphere

only 1 non-trivial
operation

just one of example... X
and many other
non-trivial gates

Adjoint of an operator / gate

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matrix (2x2)

say U is an operator
for a qubit (after operation also the
prob. have to sum to 1)

$$\textcircled{1} U^\dagger U = I$$

(U^\dagger - Transpose of complex conjugate
of matrix)

verify for X:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad X^\dagger = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad X^\dagger X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

Also called Unitary Constraint $\rightarrow U U^\dagger = I$

verify for Z

$$Z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad Z^\dagger = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad Z Z^\dagger = I$$

Hadamard Gate H

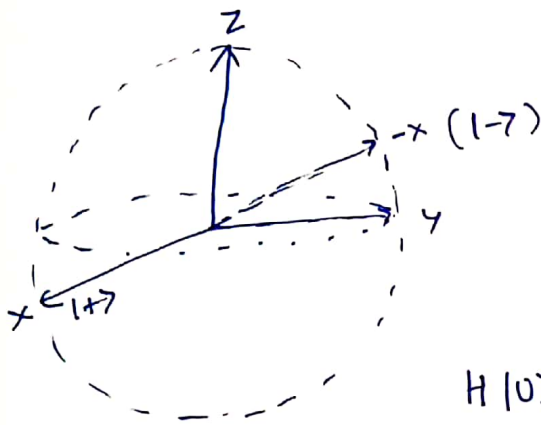
$$H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha + \beta \\ \alpha - \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H|\psi\rangle = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{2}} |0\rangle + \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\sqrt{2}} |1\rangle$$

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

$$= \alpha |+\rangle + \beta |-\rangle$$



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

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

$$H|0\rangle = H \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = |+\rangle$$

$$H|1\rangle = H \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = |-\rangle$$

Hadamard Gate

1. Rotation about y -axis by 90° anticlockwise
2. Rotation about x -axis by 180° anticlockwise