

Lecture 2 Follow Up

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1. Explain the difference between the underlying space of values for a classical bit versus a quantum bit.

Classic bit: State of either 0 or 1, no other possibilities

Quantum bit: Any possible superposition combination of 0, 1

2. Explain the same for a three bit system (classical versus quantum).

3 Bit Classic: 2^3 possible states {000 001 010 011 100 101 110 111} (only one at a time)

3 Bit Quantum: superposition of all 8 states at the same time

3. What are the four bit quantum basis vectors?

The four basis vectors are

$|00\rangle$

$|01\rangle$

$|10\rangle$

$|11\rangle$

4. What is the result of applying a Hadamard gate on a 0 basis vector? A 1 basis vector? A general quantum bit?

Zero basis:

• You get a state that is a superposition of 0 & 1 with equal probability & a phase difference

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

One basis:

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

General Quantum Bit

$$H|A\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + \beta \\ \alpha - \beta \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{2}} |0\rangle + \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\sqrt{2}} |1\rangle$$

5. What are all possible classical functions of a two bit system? Present these cleanly in a table.

$$2^n \text{ possible binary functions} \rightarrow 2^{2^2} = 2^4 = 16$$

| Input (AB) | F0 | F1 | F2 | F3 | F4 | F5 | F6 | F7 | F8 | F9 | F10 | F11 | F12 | F13 | F14 | F15 |
|------------|----------|----------|----------|---------|-------------|-------------|---------|--------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------|
| 00 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 01 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Func. Desc | Always 0 | Always A | Always B | A AND B | NOT A AND B | A AND NOT B | A XOR B | A OR B | NOT (A OR B) | NOT (A XOR B) | NOT (A AND NOT B) | NOT (NOT A AND B) | NOT (A AND B) | Always NOT B | Always NOT A | Always 1 |

6. What is the difference between (a) the space of all possible 2 quantum bits, (b) the space of entangled 2-quantum bit values, (c) the space of values for all 2-quantum bits formed via the tensor product?

a) The space of all 2 quantum bits are all linear combinations of the following basis states: $|00\rangle$, $|01\rangle$, $|10\rangle$, $|11\rangle$

b) The space of entangled 2-quantum bit values is a subset of the space of all possible 2 quantum bits.

c) The spaces of values for all 2 quantum bits formed via tensor product is the same thing as the space of all 2 quantum bits (a). The tensor product of 2 qubits forms a 4D complex vector space with the basis states: $|00\rangle$, $|01\rangle$, $|10\rangle$, $|11\rangle$

7. Express the basis values of a 2-quantum bit system in terms of tensor products of 1-quantum bit values.

Basis states of 2 qubit system = tensor products of basis states of two individual qubits

$$|00\rangle = |0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

$$|10\rangle = |1\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

$$|01\rangle = |0\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

$$|11\rangle = |1\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

$$|11\rangle = |1\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

8. If I have the 2-quantum bit system where there is a 50% chance of measuring 00 and 11, express this using the ket notation, and the tensor product. If I measure one of these bits to be a 1, what will the other bit be measured as, and with what probability? Repeat for the case of a 0 measured on the first bit

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |00\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |11\rangle$$

if measure one bit as 1, the other collapses to 1 with 100% probability
'0' '0' with 100% probability

9. If I have the 2-quantum bit system where there is a 1/4 chance of measuring any of the four basis values, and I measure one of the bits to be 1 what are the probabilities of measuring the various values of the other bits. Compare this situation with that of Q8.

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} (|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

if one of the bits is 1, you have this prob. dist:

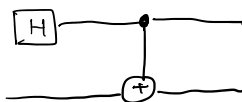
| | 00 | 01 |
|-----|-----|-----|
| 100 | 25% | 25% |
| 101 | 25% | 25% |
| 110 | 25% | 25% |
| 111 | 25% | 25% |

Compared to Q8 we do not have 100% certainty of the values of other bits.

10. Construct an entangled state for the 2 quantum bit system, that differs from question 8.

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|01\rangle - |10\rangle)$$

11. Suppose you have a CNOT gate. Apply the result of the Hadamard gate on the control bit of the CNOT, and a general bit value x to the other input. Show clearly (i.e., show your work) what the output will be.



Hadamard Gate

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

CNOT Gate

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|01\rangle + |10\rangle)$$

CNOT gate flips target qubit if control qubit is 1