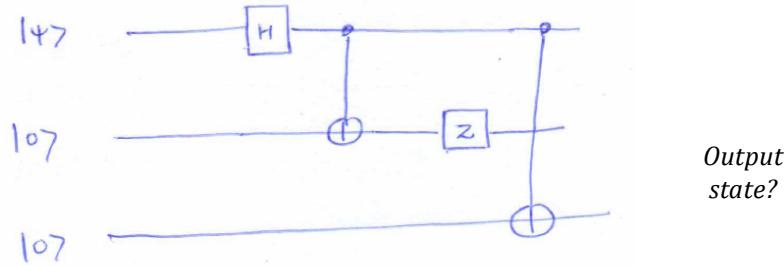


**PH 441**  
**End-Sem. Part I**  
**24/11/2020**  
**Marks: 20**

1. Find the output state of the following circuit, for:



- (a)  $|\psi\rangle = |0\rangle$  and  
(b)  $|\psi\rangle = |1\rangle$

$$\frac{|000\rangle - |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

3

2. (a) A system is in a statistical mixture of states in which 25% are in the state  $|0\rangle$  and the remaining in state  $|1\rangle$ . If the measurement is made in  $\{|+\rangle, |-\rangle\}$ , basis, what is the probability of finding the system in the  $|+\rangle$  state?  $\frac{4}{5}$   
(b) Work out the reduced density matrix corresponding to the first qubit, for following state:  $|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}[|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle]$

1+2=3

3. Consider the following two-qubit state:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}}(|00\rangle + \sqrt{5}|01\rangle + \sqrt{2}|10\rangle + \sqrt{3}|11\rangle)$$

- (a) If we measure the first qubit and get  $|0\rangle$ , then find out the state to which the second qubit collapses.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(|0\rangle + \sqrt{5}|1\rangle)$   
(b) What is the probability that a projective measurement of the first qubit gives  $|0\rangle$ ?  $\frac{6}{11}$

2+2=4

4. What is the fundamental difference between *Super-dense coding* and *quantum teleportation*. Show how the quantum teleportation protocol could be realized using the Bell state:  $|\Phi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[|00\rangle - |11\rangle]$ .

1+4=5

5. Consider the following table giving values of a 2 to 1 function  $f(x)$  corresponding to three qubit inputs  $x$ . There exists a string  $\xi$  such that  $f(x) = f(y)$  iff  $x \oplus \xi = y$ .

x	f(x)	x	f(x)
000	101	100	000
001	010	101	110
010	000	110	101
011	110	111	010

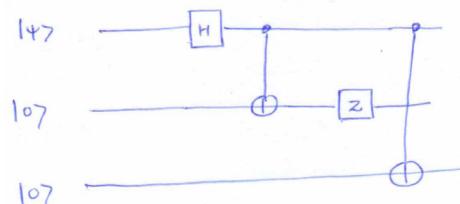
Table 1

The string in this case is  $|110\rangle$ . A Simon algorithm is executed and the second register is measured which gives:  $|000\rangle$ . If the first register is passed through Hadamard gates, what will be the result of measurement on the first register?

5

## Solutions

1.



$$(a) \quad |\psi\rangle = |0\rangle$$

$$|000\rangle \xrightarrow{H} \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \quad |00\rangle \xrightarrow{\text{CNOT}} \frac{|000\rangle + |110\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \xrightarrow{Z} \frac{|000\rangle - |110\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\downarrow \text{CNOT}$$

$$\frac{|000\rangle - |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Thus output is } \frac{|000\rangle - |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \equiv |-\rangle$$

(iv) Similarly for  $|+\rangle = |1\rangle$

The output state is  $\frac{|000\rangle + |111\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \equiv |+\rangle$

$$2. \quad (\text{a}) \quad \text{Here,} \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 3/4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P(|+\rangle) = \langle + | P | + \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{4} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(b) |4\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (|100\rangle + |011\rangle + |110\rangle)$$

$$\rho_{12} = 147 \text{ cpl}$$

$$P_2 = \text{Tr}_2(P_{12}) = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} (|00\rangle + \sqrt{5} |01\rangle + \sqrt{2} |10\rangle + \sqrt{3} |11\rangle)$$

If we get the first qubit as  $|0\rangle$ , it can be from the first two terms

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{11}, \quad P_2 = \frac{5}{11}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Probability of obtaining  $|0\rangle$  in first qubit

$$P = P_1 + P_2 = \frac{6}{11}$$

Post measurement state

$$|\psi'\rangle = \frac{\sqrt{11} [ |0\rangle + \sqrt{5} |1\rangle ]}{\sqrt{P}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} [ |0\rangle + \sqrt{5} |1\rangle ]$$

(a) Thus, the second qubit collapses to :  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} [ |0\rangle + \sqrt{5} |1\rangle ]$

(b)

$$P = \frac{6}{11}$$

4.

In superdense coding, two classical bits are sent from one party to another by using a quantum channel.

On the other hand, in quantum teleportation, quantum bits are sent from one party to another by using a classical channel.

(Now discuss as <sup>quantum teleportation</sup> we discussed in the class for the case  $|\phi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$ )

steps

(i)  $|\phi\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle$ , the qubit to be transmitted

(ii) Alice and Bob share:

$$|\pm\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle - |11\rangle)$$

(iii)  $|\phi\rangle \otimes |\pm\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a|1000\rangle - a|0111\rangle + b|1100\rangle - b|1111\rangle \right]$

Alice has the first two qubits while Bob has the third.

(iv) Alice apply  $U_{CNOT} \otimes I$  followed by  $U_H \otimes I \otimes I$

$$\begin{aligned} & (U_H \otimes I \otimes I)(U_{CNOT} \otimes I) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a|1000\rangle - a|0111\rangle \right. \\ & \quad \left. + b|1100\rangle - b|1111\rangle \right] \\ &= \cancel{\otimes} (U_H \otimes I \otimes I) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a|1000\rangle - a|0111\rangle + b|1100\rangle \right. \\ & \quad \left. - b|1111\rangle \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ a(|0>+|1>)|00> - a(|0>+|1>)|11> + b(|0>-|1>)|10> \right. \\ & \quad \left. - b(|0>-|1>)|01> \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ |00>(a|0>-b|1>) + |11>(a|0>+b|1>) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + |10>(-a|1>+b|0>) + |01>(-a|1>-b|0>) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Thus, Alice is going to obtain one of the following ~~qubits~~ states:  $|00\rangle$ ,  $|11\rangle$ ,  $|01\rangle$ ,  $|10\rangle$  with equal probability while Bob's state qubit collapses to  $a|0>-b|1>$ ,  $a|0>+b|1>$ ,  $-a|1>+b|0>$  and  $-a|1>-b|0>$  respectively.

(v) Now, after receiving the two classical bits, Bob knows the state of the qubit in his stand by applying the following Decorr Decoding:

<u>Received qubit</u>	<u>Bob's state</u>	<u>Decoding</u>
00	$a 0\rangle - b 1\rangle$	Z
01	$-a 0\rangle + b 1\rangle$	<del>-Y</del>
10	$a 0\rangle + b 1\rangle$	I
11	$-a 1\rangle + b 0\rangle$	-X

5.

The second register measures:  $|1000\rangle$

Therefore the first register contains:

$$|+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |010\rangle + |100\rangle ]$$

Apply the Hadamard gate:

$$|+\rangle \xrightarrow{H^{\otimes 3}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \otimes \frac{|0\rangle - |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \otimes \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{|0\rangle - |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \otimes \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \otimes \frac{|0\rangle + |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ (|000\rangle - |001\rangle + |100\rangle - |101\rangle) (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) + (|100\rangle + |101\rangle - |110\rangle - |111\rangle) (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ (|000\rangle - |111\rangle) (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ |1000\rangle + |1001\rangle - |1100\rangle - |1111\rangle \right]$$