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Homework 3

Due Nov 11 at 3:59am

Points 100

Questions 10

Available until Nov 11 at 3:59am

Time Limit 60 Minutes

Allowed Attempts 3

Instructions

We use the **conventions in the QBook101**.

The default programming language for coding is Python. You may write pieces of code during this exercise.

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Attempt History

	Attempt	Time	Score
KEPT	Attempt 2	3 minutes	80 out of 100
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	Attempt 1	60 minutes	0 out of 100

ⓘ Correct answers are hidden.

Score for this attempt: **80** out of 100

Submitted Oct 9 at 12:41am

This attempt took 3 minutes.

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Question 1

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We have a three state quantum system. If the system is in the quantum state

$$|u\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \quad ,$$

what is the probability of being in the first state?

- ☐ $\frac{1}{7}$
- ☐ $\frac{2}{\sqrt{7}}$
- ☐ $\sqrt{\frac{2}{7}}$
- ☒ $\frac{2}{7}$

Question 2

10 / 10 pts

If $|u\rangle \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is a quantum state on the unit circle with angle $\frac{5\pi}{6}$, what is $|u\rangle$?

☐ $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

☐ $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

☐ $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

☒ $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

Question 3

10 / 10 pts

We have a qubit in state $|1\rangle$. We apply the operators X, H, X, H in order,

where H and X are the Hadamard and NOT operators, respectively.

What is the final state?

☐ $-|1\rangle$

☒ $|1\rangle$

☐ $|0\rangle$

☐ $|-\rangle$

Question 4

10 / 10 pts

When a qubit is in the quantum state $|u\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \end{pmatrix}$,

the Hadamard operator is applied: $|u'\rangle = H|u\rangle$

What is the probability of being in state $|0\rangle$ in the new quantum state $|u'\rangle$?

☒ 0.0286

0.9714

☐ 0.9714

☐ 0.5

☐ 1

Incorrect

Question 5

0 / 10 pts

We apply a series of quantum operators to a single qubit that is in state $|1\rangle$ at the beginning.

If we observe the state 0 at the end with probability 1, then which one of the following combinations is possible,

where M stands for a measurement, and we apply the operators from the left to the right?

☒ H, X, H, M

☐ H, H, M

☐ M, X, M, X, M

☐ X, H, X, H, M

☐ X, H, X, M

Question 6

10 / 10 pts

$XHHHHXXXHHHHH\cancel{X}|+\rangle$

☐ $|+\rangle$

☐ $|1\rangle$

☐ $|-\rangle$

☒ $|0\rangle$

Incorrect

Question 7

0 / 10 pts



If we execute the above program 500 times, what is the most likely count of observing '0'?

☐ 125

☐ 375

- ☒ 250
- ☐ 400

Question 8

10 / 10 pts



If we execute the above program 1000 times, what is the most likely count of observing '0'?

- ☒ 625
- ☐ 125
- ☐ 250
- ☐ 375

Question 9

10 / 10 pts

If we execute the following quantum program with a single qubit and a single classical bit 1000 times, which one of the following outcomes is more likely?

Hint: You could write a code in python similar to the tasks in the notebooks.

```
start in |1>
apply the Hadamard operator
make a measurement
for i in range(9)
    x = i mod 3
    if the classical bit is x:
        apply a Hadamard operator
    make a measurement
```

- ☐ {'0': 511, '1': 489}
- ☐ {'0': 392, '1': 608}
- ☐ {'0': 367, '1': 633}
- ☐ {'0': 442, '1': 558}
- ☒ {'0': 274, '1': 726}

Question 10

10 / 10 pts

We have four qubits, say q_0, \dots, q_3 initially in zero states.

We apply the X operators to both qubits q_0 and q_2 .

For the rest of qubits, we apply either identity operator or X operator.

After making a measurement, we read the values from the qubits q_0, \dots, q_3 as b_0, \dots, b_3 respectively.

If $b = b_3 \cdot \dots \cdot b_0$ a binary number, which one of the following decimal numbers is not possible for the value of b ?

☐ 15

☐ 7

☐ 13

☐ 5

☒ 11

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