

QUANTUM ALGORITHMS
HOMEWORK 6 ADDITIONAL PROBLEMS

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1. Prove that the inner product and the tensor product commute:

$$\langle \alpha \otimes \beta \mid \gamma \otimes \delta \rangle = \langle \alpha \mid \gamma \rangle \langle \beta \mid \delta \rangle .$$

This is asserted on page 57 of the textbook.

2. An n -ary function $f : \mathbb{B}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ is *idempotent* if

$$f(0, \dots, 0) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad f(1, \dots, 1) = 1.$$

Find a basis \mathcal{A} so that every idempotent Boolean function is representable as a circuit over \mathcal{A} . Prove your answer is correct. [Hint 1: Post's Lattice.] [Hint 2: ? :.]