

PHYC90045 Introduction to Quantum Computing

Assignment 1

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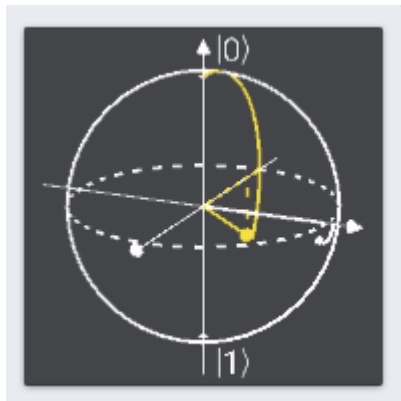
$$H|0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

(b)

The operation is
$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix},$$

such that
$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

The resulting state on the Bloch sphere is:



(c)

The operation is:
$$\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ \sqrt{2}i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

such that
$$\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ \sqrt{2}i & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

(d)

$$R_Z(\theta_R) = e^{i\theta_g} \left(I \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} - iZ \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{i(\theta_g - \frac{\theta_R}{2})} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i(\theta_g + \frac{\theta_R}{2})} \end{bmatrix}$$

This should be equal to $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\theta_R} \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\text{Thus, } \begin{cases} \theta_g - \frac{\theta_R}{2} = 0 \\ \theta_g + \frac{\theta_R}{2} = \theta_R \end{cases},$$

So, global phase $\theta_g = \frac{\theta_R}{2}$.

2.

(a)

The sequence is $R_1 R_2 R_2 R_1 = THTH HTHT HTHT THTH$.

(b)

Because the action of two H gates is actually an identity, Alice's sequence should be: $THT THT HTHT THTH$.

3.

$$|\psi_0\rangle = |0\rangle$$

$$|\psi_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

$$|\psi_2\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i}|1\rangle$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i})|0\rangle + \frac{1}{2}(1 - e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}i})|1\rangle$$

4.

The initial state is $|00\rangle$. To get the $|\psi\rangle$ state, it first should become $\left(\frac{i}{2}|0\rangle - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}|1\rangle\right) \otimes |0\rangle$ after a R-gate. Then, it can become the final $|\psi\rangle$ state after a CNOT gate.

The matrix form of R-gate can be written as: $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{i}{2} & \alpha \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \beta \end{bmatrix}$, (α and β can be any complex number).

Assume that the R-gate is a Z-axis rotation, then

$$R_Z(\theta_R) = e^{i\theta_g} \left(I \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} - iZ \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{i(\theta_g - \frac{\theta_R}{2})} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i(\theta_g + \frac{\theta_R}{2})} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ but it cannot be equal to } \begin{bmatrix} \frac{i}{2} & \alpha \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \beta \end{bmatrix}.$$

Assume that the R-gate is a Y-axis rotation, then

$$R_Y(\theta_R) = e^{i\theta_g} \left(I \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} - iY \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \right) = e^{i\theta_g} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} & -\sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \\ \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} & \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ but it cannot be equal to } \begin{bmatrix} \frac{i}{2} & \alpha \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \beta \end{bmatrix}.$$

Assume that the R-gate is an X-axis rotation, then

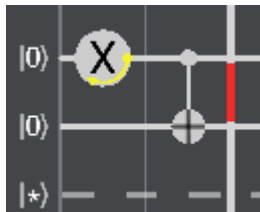
$$R_X(\theta_R) = e^{i\theta_g} \left(I \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} - iX \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \right) = e^{i\theta_g} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} & -i \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \\ i \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} & \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{This should be equal to } \begin{bmatrix} \frac{i}{2} & \alpha \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \beta \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{So } \alpha = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \beta = \frac{i}{2};$$

Thus, $\theta_g = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\theta_R = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$, and the R-gate is an X-axis rotation.

Therefore, the whole circuit is shown below, where the R-gate is an X-axis rotation with global phase $\theta_g = \frac{\pi}{2}$ and rotation angle $\theta_R = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$.



5.

(a)

The qubits associated with Alice and Bob and the qubit state to be teleported is shown in the below circuit.



$$|\psi_1\rangle = \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle \right) \otimes |0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |000\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |100\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi_2\rangle &= \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle \right) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes |0\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |000\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |010\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |100\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |110\rangle \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |000\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |011\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |100\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |111\rangle \right)$$

$$|\psi_4\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |000\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |011\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |110\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |101\rangle \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi_5\rangle &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |000\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |011\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |100\rangle + \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |111\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |010\rangle \right. \\ &\quad \left. - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |001\rangle + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |110\rangle + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |101\rangle \right) \\ &= \frac{|00\rangle}{2} \otimes \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle \right) + \frac{|01\rangle}{2} \otimes \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{|10\rangle}{2} \otimes \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle \right) + \frac{|11\rangle}{2} \otimes \left(\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle \right) \end{aligned}$$

(b)

Let $|\psi\rangle$ be the third qubit after measurement.

If the result of measurement is 0,0, $|\psi\rangle = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle$;

If the result of measurement is 0,1, $|\psi\rangle = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle$, after a correction of a

X gate, it will be changed to $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle$;

If the result of measurement is 1,0, $|\psi\rangle = \cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle + i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle$, after a correction of a

Z gate, it will be changed to $\cos \frac{\theta}{2} |0\rangle - i \sin \frac{\theta}{2} |1\rangle$;

If the result of measurement is 1,1, $|\psi\rangle = \cos\frac{\theta}{2}|1\rangle + i\sin\frac{\theta}{2}|0\rangle$, after a correction of a X gate and a Z gate, it will be changed to $\cos\frac{\theta}{2}|0\rangle - i\sin\frac{\theta}{2}|1\rangle$.

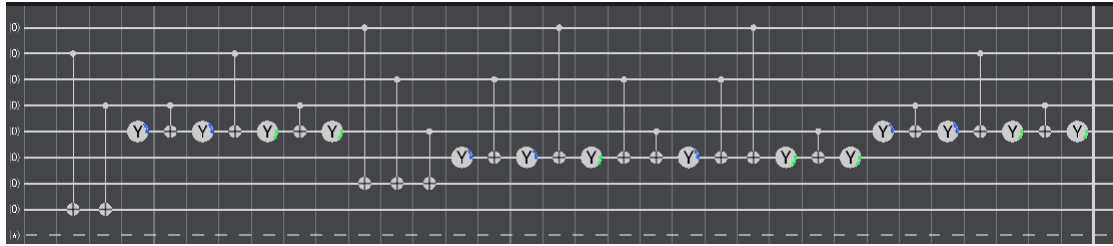
Therefore, after measurement and correction, the original state is teleported.

6.

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When using the Toffoli decomposition, I have noticed that there have been some gates that can be eliminated. This is because a Y-rotation with $\theta_R = \frac{\pi}{4}$ and a Y-rotation with $\theta_R = -\frac{\pi}{4}$ is an identity, and two CNOT gates is also an identity. Therefore, the circuit can be simplified as:



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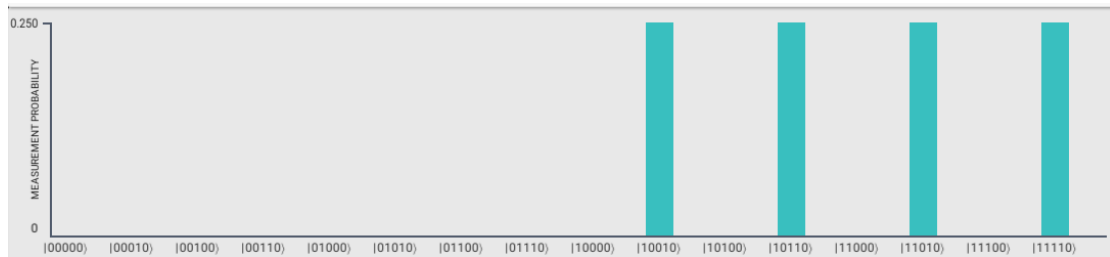
In this circuit, I have used Grover's algorithm and amplitude amplification to ensure 100% probability of measuring the searching result. In this case, it is a multiple solution problem, and the number of solution $M=4$ (there are 4 values of x that satisfy $f(x)=4$, which are 2, 6, 10 and 14).

As x contains 4 qubits, $n=4$ and $N=16$. Thus, $g_0 = \sqrt{\frac{M}{N}} =$

0.5. Let the number of iterations $j=2$, so $\theta' = \frac{\pi}{2j+1} = \frac{\pi}{10}$, and $g'_0 = \sin \theta' = 0.3090$.

I use X-rotation in this circuit and set $\theta_g = \frac{\pi}{2}$, so $\theta_R = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{g'_0}{g_0} \right) = 0.4241\pi$.

The result of this circuit can be seen as follows:



The value of x is the last 4 qubits. It is evident that the probability of measuring 2(0010), 6(0110), 10(1010) and 14(1110) are all 25%, while the probability of measuring the other values are all 0%, which means this circuit has achieved 100% probability of searching for the value of x .

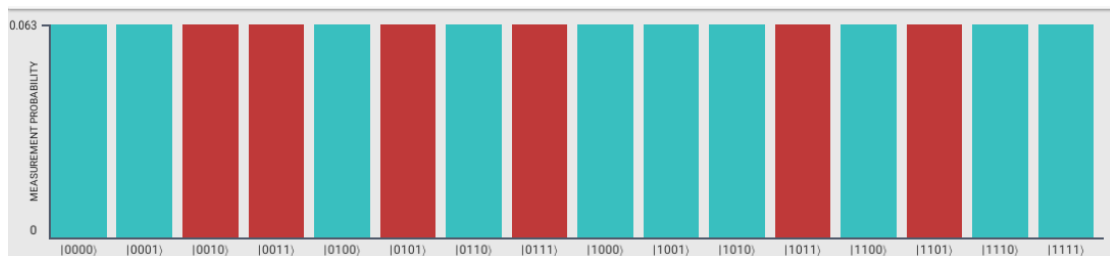
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(a)

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In this circuit, I have used some X gates and control-X gates to inverse the phase of prime numbers. The result of this circuit is shown below.



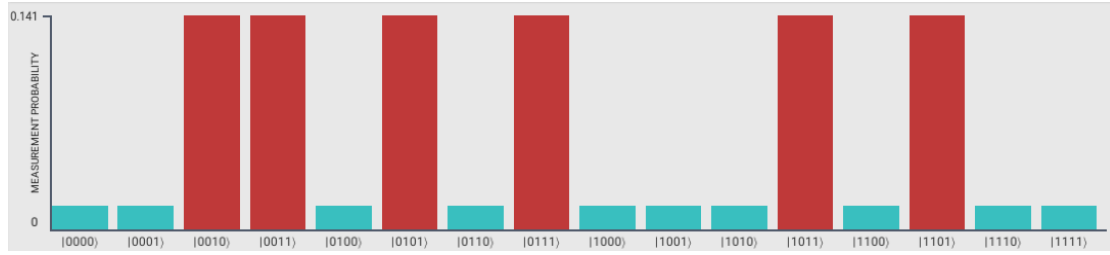
It is clear that the phase angle of prime numbers is π , and that of non-prime numbers is 0. Therefore, the prime numbers can be easily identified.

(b)

The URL of circuit is:

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In this circuit, I have implemented a single iteration of Grover's algorithm and the result is shown below.



From the result, we can see that the probability of measuring prime numbers is 84.6%.

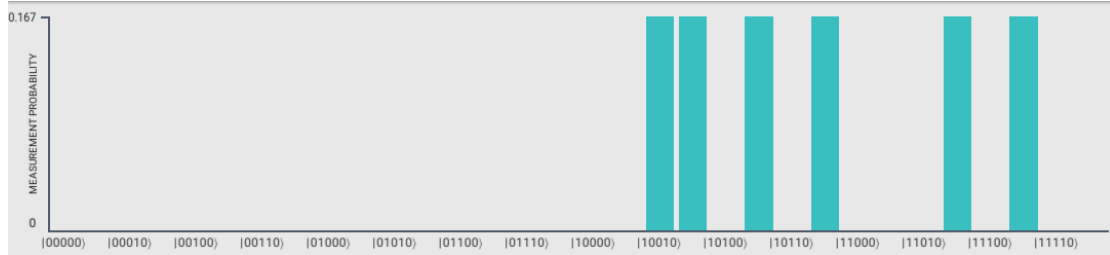
(c)

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To get the 100% probability of measuring prime numbers, I used amplitude amplification in this circuit. In this case, it is a multiple solution problem, and the number of solution $M=6$ (there are 6 prime numbers below 16, which are 2, 3, 5, 7, 11 and 13). As x contains 4 qubits, $n=4$ and $N=16$. Thus, $g_0 = \sqrt{\frac{M}{N}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4}$. Let the number of iterations $j=2$, so $\theta' = \frac{\pi}{2j+1} = \frac{\pi}{10}$, and $g'_0 = \sin \theta' = 0.3090$. I use X-rotation in this circuit and set $\theta_g = \frac{\pi}{2}$, so $\theta_R = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{g'_0}{g_0} \right) = 0.3367\pi$.

The result of this circuit can be seen as follows:



It is evident that the probability of measuring prime numbers has achieved 100%.

9.

(a)

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} & 0 & i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} & 0 & \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U^+ = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$UU^+ = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, the operation U is unitary and $UU^+ = I$.

Let $|\psi\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle + c|2\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$ as an arbitrary superposition over the qutrit basis

states.

$$\text{Then } U|\psi\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ci \\ b \\ \frac{1}{2}c + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ai \end{bmatrix} = \left(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ci\right)|0\rangle + b|1\rangle + \left(\frac{1}{2}c + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ai\right)|2\rangle$$

(b)

The URL of circuit is:

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$$U|0\rangle = \frac{1}{2}|0\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|2\rangle, \quad U|1\rangle = |1\rangle, \quad \text{and} \quad U|2\rangle = \frac{1}{2}|2\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|0\rangle;$$

we can write it in binary form:

$$U|00\rangle = \frac{1}{2}|00\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|10\rangle = \left(\frac{1}{2}|0\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|1\rangle\right) \otimes |0\rangle,$$

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

$$U|10\rangle = \frac{1}{2}|10\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|00\rangle = \left(\frac{1}{2}|1\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|0\rangle\right) \otimes |0\rangle;$$

So, the operation is (1) keep the second qubit unchanged;

(2) if the second qubit is $|0\rangle$, change the first qubit (change $|0\rangle$ to

$\frac{1}{2}|0\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|1\rangle$ and change $|1\rangle$ to $\frac{1}{2}|1\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|0\rangle$), otherwise keep the first qubit unchanged.

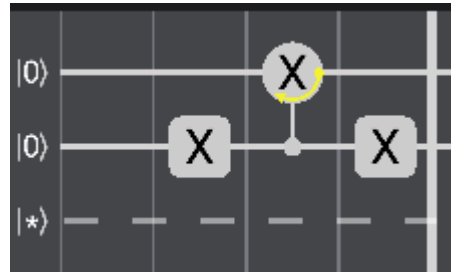
The operation of changes in first qubit can be written as: $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$, which is a

rotation around X-axis with its global phase $\theta_g = 0$, and $\theta_R = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$.

This is because

$$R_X(\theta_R) = e^{i\theta_g} \left(I \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} - iX \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \right) = e^{i\theta_g} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} & -i \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} \\ -i \sin \frac{\theta_R}{2} & \cos \frac{\theta_R}{2} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and this matrix}$$

$$\text{should equal } \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}. \text{ So, } \begin{cases} \frac{\theta_R}{2} = -\frac{\pi}{3} \\ \theta_g = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \theta_R = -\frac{2\pi}{3} \\ \theta_g = 0 \end{cases}.$$



The circuit is , which only operates on the first qubit when the second qubit is $|0\rangle$. When the input is $|00\rangle$, the output is $\frac{1}{2}|00\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|10\rangle$; When the input is $|01\rangle$, the output is $|01\rangle$; When the input is $|10\rangle$, the output is $\frac{1}{2}|10\rangle + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i|00\rangle$. The result can be shown below.

