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Cluster-State Quantum Computing

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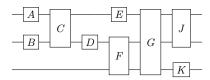
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Arbitrary quantum circuit involving unitary operations on 3 qubits.

A new model, proposed by Briegel and Raussendorf [Raussendorf and Briegel, 2000], demonstrates that quantum computation can be achieved by using single qubit measurements as computational steps.

This so-called cluster model or *one-way quantum computer (1WQC)* relies on an entangled state of a large number of qubits or *cluster state* as the resource.

Interestingly, 1WQC's have no classical analogues and probe into new territory in regards to entanglement and measurements.

Basic teleporation

Motivation Cluster states (CS) Universal computation through CS



Cluster states form a class of multiparty entangled quantum states which belong to the larger set of so-called graph states.

Examples of graph states:

- Bell states
- Greenberger-Horne-Zeilinger (GHZ) states
- states that appear in quantum error correction

Intuitively, graph states can be thought of as multi-qubit states that can be represented by a graph.

- Each qubit is represented by a vertex of the graph
- An edge between vertices represents an interacting pair of qubits



Cluster states (CS)

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Representations

Figure: Figure showing representative 2-D cluster shapes. The vertices are qubits with integer indices, and the edges indicate entanglement connectivity between select neighbors.

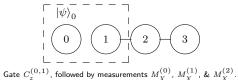


The spacial layout of the graph representation of the cluster state plays a role in the computational power of that state.

Operations on a linearly prepared cluster state can be efficiently simulated on a classical computer in $O(n \log^c(1/n))$, where n is the initial number of qubits, and c is the cost of floating point multiplication [Nielsen, 2006].

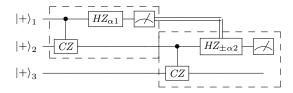
In general, measurement based models can be polynomial time reduced to the gate array model, and thus have the same power, but they are more easily parallelizable [Jozsa, 2006].





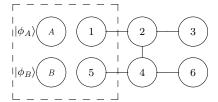


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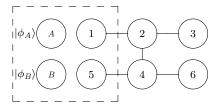
Linear wire Arbitrary single qubit operations



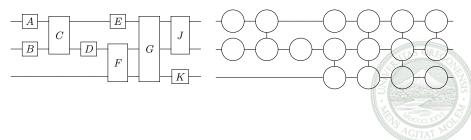


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Parallelizability Experimental implementations

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