

# Cluster State Quantum Computing

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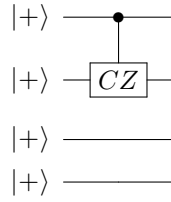
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## I. 4-NODE CLUSTER STATE

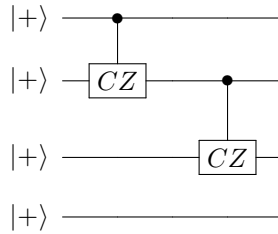
### A. Linear Cluster State

We start with four qubits in the  $|+\rangle$  state and apply a CZ gate on the first two qubits to entangle them.



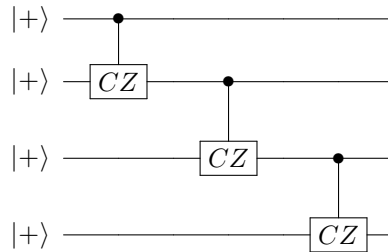
$$CZ_{12} |+\rangle_1 |+\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4 = \left( \frac{|0\rangle_1 |+\rangle_2 + |1\rangle_1 |-\rangle_2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |+\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4 = \left( \frac{|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |+\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4$$

Now we apply a CZ gate to qubits 2 and 3.



$$\begin{aligned} CZ_{23} \left( \frac{|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |+\rangle_4 &= \left( \frac{|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2 |-\rangle_3}{\sqrt{2}} \right) |+\rangle_4 \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2) |0\rangle_3 + (|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 - |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2) |1\rangle_3] |+\rangle_4 \end{aligned}$$

Finally we apply one last CZ gate on the last two qubits.



$$\begin{aligned}
& CZ_{34} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 + |-\rangle |1\rangle) |0\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4 + (|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 - |-\rangle |1\rangle) |1\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 + |-\rangle |1\rangle) |0\rangle_3 |+\rangle_4 + (|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 - |-\rangle |1\rangle) |1\rangle_3 |-\rangle_4] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2 |-\rangle_3) |0\rangle_4 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|+\rangle_1 |0\rangle_2 |-\rangle_3 + |-\rangle_1 |1\rangle_2 |+\rangle_3) |1\rangle_4
\end{aligned}$$

*B. T-shaped Cluster State*