

Quantum Computing @ MEF

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Figure 1 presents the circuit respective to quantum teleportation. Analyse this circuit and then solve the two exercises below.

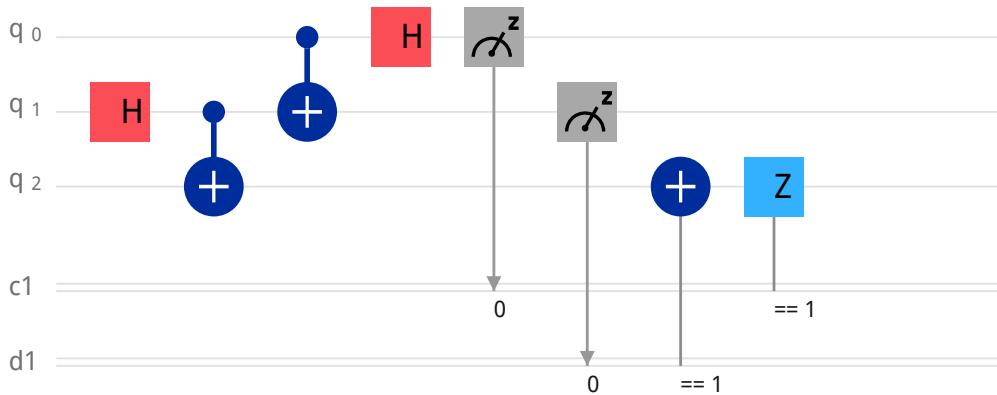


Figure 1: Quantum teleportation circuit.

Exercise 1. Write down the mathematical laws and definitions that were used at each step in following calculation.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\alpha |0\rangle + \beta |1\rangle) \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |00\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |11\rangle \right) \\
 &= \{ \dots \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ((\alpha |0\rangle + \beta |1\rangle) \otimes (|00\rangle + |11\rangle)) \\
 &= \{ \dots \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\alpha |000\rangle + \alpha |011\rangle + \beta |100\rangle + \beta |111\rangle) \\
 &\mapsto \{ \dots \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\alpha |000\rangle + \alpha |011\rangle + \beta |110\rangle + \beta |101\rangle) \\
 &= \{ \dots \} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle \otimes \alpha |00\rangle + |0\rangle \otimes \alpha |11\rangle + |1\rangle \otimes \beta |10\rangle + |1\rangle \otimes \beta |01\rangle) \\
 &= \{ \dots \}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle \otimes (\alpha|00\rangle + \alpha|11\rangle) + |1\rangle \otimes (\beta|10\rangle + \beta|01\rangle)) \\
&\mapsto \{\dots\} \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes (\alpha|00\rangle + \alpha|11\rangle) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \otimes (\beta|10\rangle + \beta|01\rangle) \right) \\
&= \{\dots\} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} ((|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \otimes (\alpha|00\rangle + |11\rangle) + (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \otimes (\beta|10\rangle + \beta|01\rangle)) \\
&= \{\dots\} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (\alpha|000\rangle + \alpha|011\rangle + \alpha|100\rangle + \alpha|111\rangle + \beta|010\rangle + \beta|001\rangle - \beta|110\rangle - \beta|101\rangle) \\
&= \{\dots\} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (|00\rangle \otimes (\alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle) + |01\rangle \otimes (\beta|0\rangle + \alpha|1\rangle) + |10\rangle \otimes (\alpha|0\rangle - \beta|1\rangle) + |11\rangle \otimes (-\beta|0\rangle + \alpha|1\rangle))
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 2. The quantum teleportation protocol (Fig. 1) starts by putting the qubits shared by Alice and Bob in the entangled state $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$. Show that after slight modifications the protocol will work equally well if these two qubits are put instead in the entangled state $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|01\rangle + |10\rangle)$. Present the modified circuit in Qiskit and discuss how you can use the latter to test the circuit.