

# Some Recent Research Issues in Quantum Logic

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*Part one*

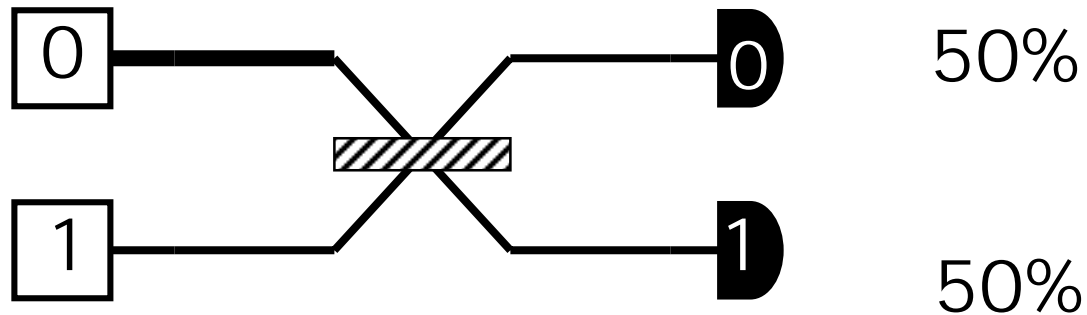
# What will be discussed?

- 1. Background
- 2. Quantum circuits synthesis
- 3. Quantum circuits simulation
- 4. Quantum logic emulation and evolvable hardware
- 5. Quantum circuits verification
- 6. Quantum-based robot control

# Quantum Logic Circuits

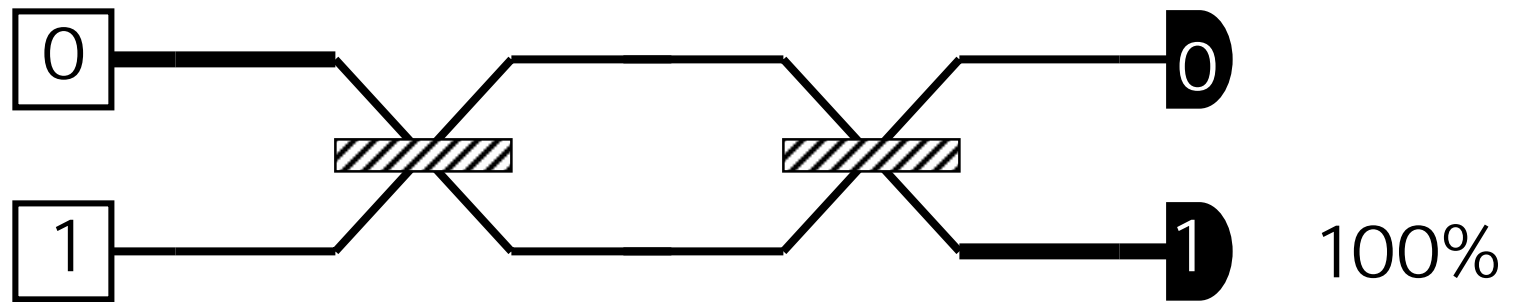
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# A beam-splitter



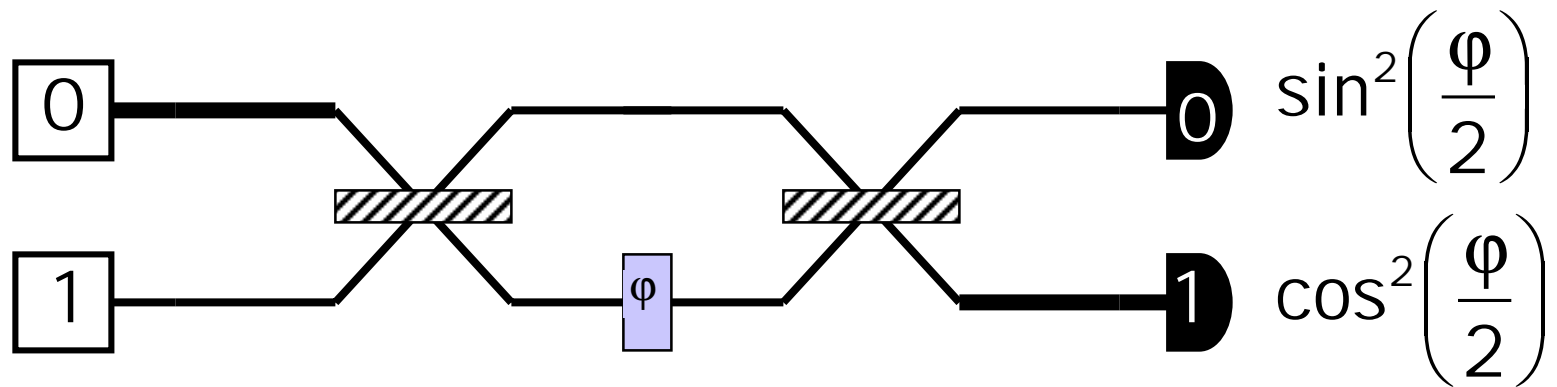
The simplest explanation is that the beam-splitter acts as a classical coin-flip, randomly sending each photon one way or the other.

# Quantum Interference



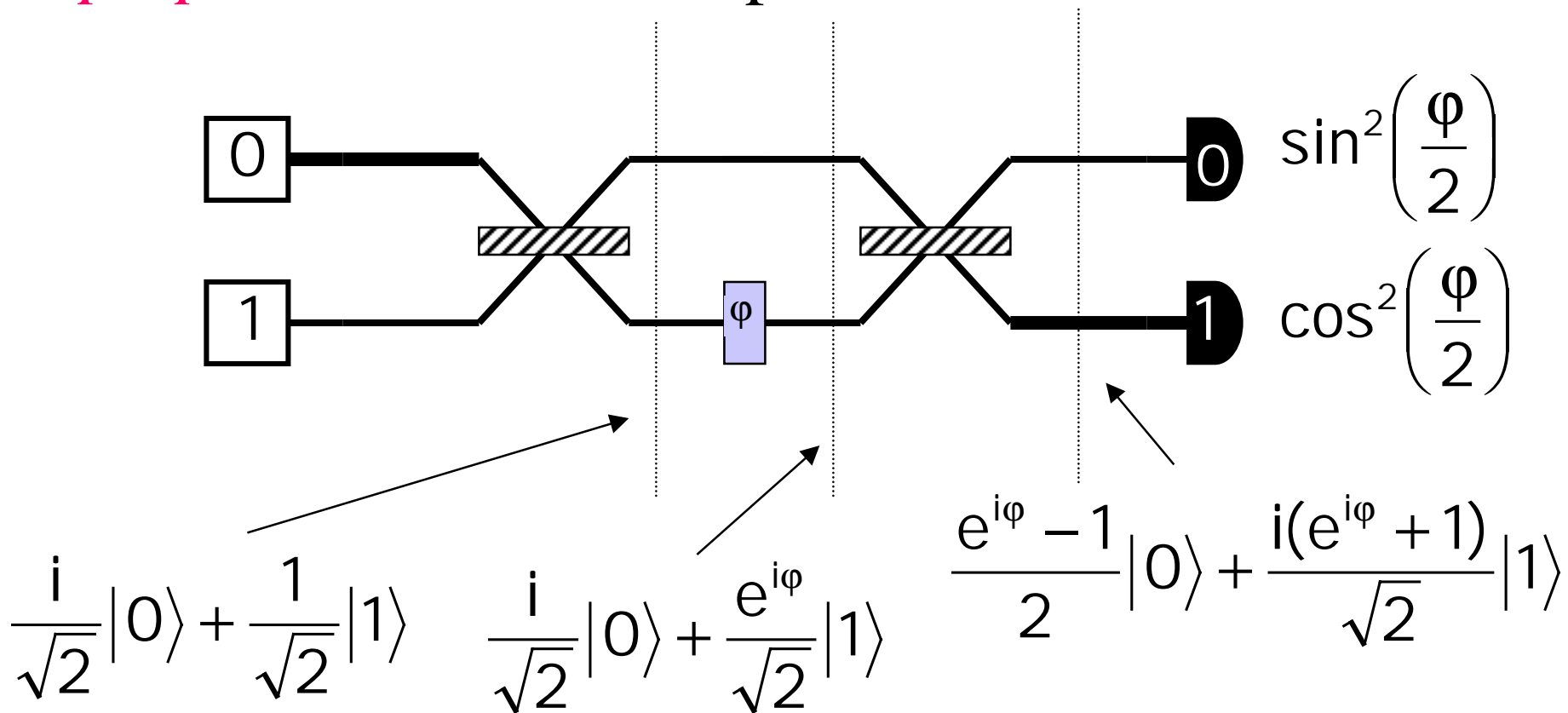
The simplest explanation must be wrong, since it would predict a 50-50 distribution.

# More experimental data



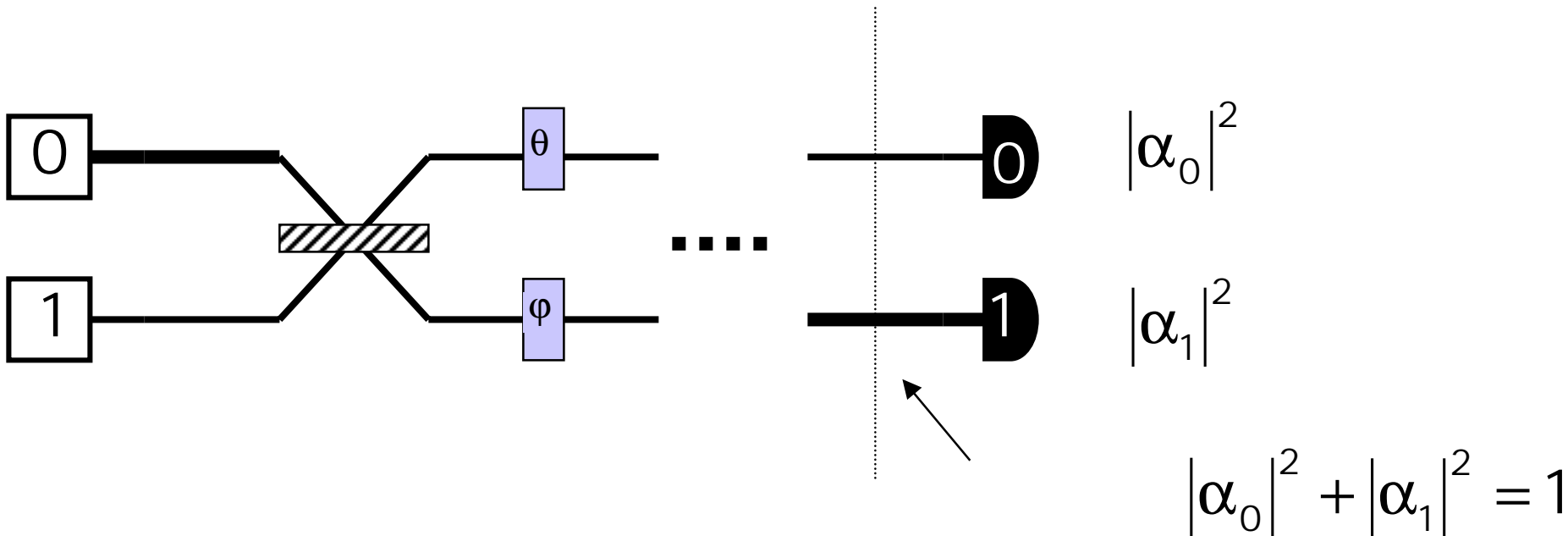
# A new theory

The particle can exist in a linear combination or *superposition* of the two paths



# Probability Amplitude and Measurement

If the photon is measured when it is in the state  $\alpha_0|0\rangle + \alpha_1|1\rangle$  then we get  $|0\rangle$  with probability  $|\alpha_0|^2$





# Quantum Operations

The operations are induced by the apparatus *linearly*, that is, **if**

$$|0\rangle \rightarrow \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle$$

**and**

$$|1\rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle$$

**then**

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_0|0\rangle + \alpha_1|1\rangle &\rightarrow \alpha_0\left(\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle\right) + \alpha_1\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|0\rangle + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}|1\rangle\right) \\ &= \left(\alpha_0 \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} + \alpha_1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)|0\rangle + \left(\alpha_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \alpha_1 \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)|1\rangle \end{aligned}$$

# Quantum Operations

Any linear operation that takes states

$$\alpha_0|0\rangle + \alpha_1|1\rangle \quad \text{satisfying} \quad |\alpha_0|^2 + |\alpha_1|^2 = 1$$

and maps them to states

$$\alpha'_0|0\rangle + \alpha'_1|1\rangle \quad \text{satisfying} \quad |\alpha'_0|^2 + |\alpha'_1|^2 = 1$$

must be **UNITARY**

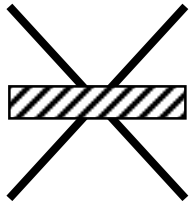
# Linear Algebra

$|0\rangle$  corresponds to  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

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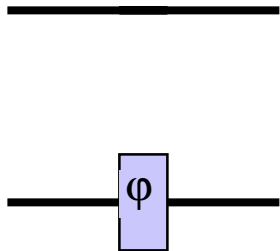
$\alpha_0|0\rangle + \alpha_1|1\rangle$  corresponds to  $\alpha_0\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha_1\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0 \\ \alpha_1 \end{pmatrix}$

# Linear Algebra



corresponds to

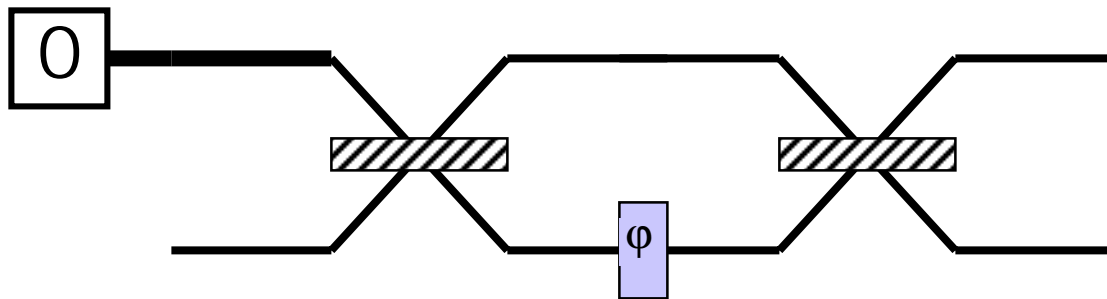
$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$



corresponds to

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\varphi} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Linear Algebra



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# Linear Algebra

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} u_{00} & u_{01} \\ u_{10} & u_{11} \end{bmatrix}$$

is unitary **if and only if**

$$UU^t = \begin{bmatrix} u_{00} & u_{01} \\ u_{10} & u_{11} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{00}^* & u_{10}^* \\ u_{01}^* & u_{11}^* \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

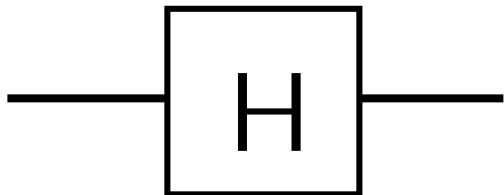
# Abstraction

The **two position states** of a photon in a **Mach-Zehnder apparatus** is just one example of a quantum bit or ***qubit***

Except when addressing a particular physical implementation, we will simply talk about “**basis**” states  $|0\rangle$  and  $|1\rangle$  and **unitary operations** like



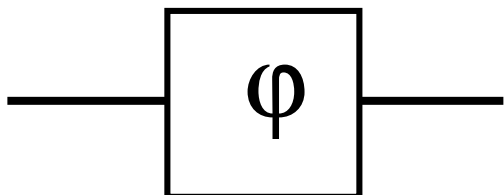
where



corresponds to

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

and

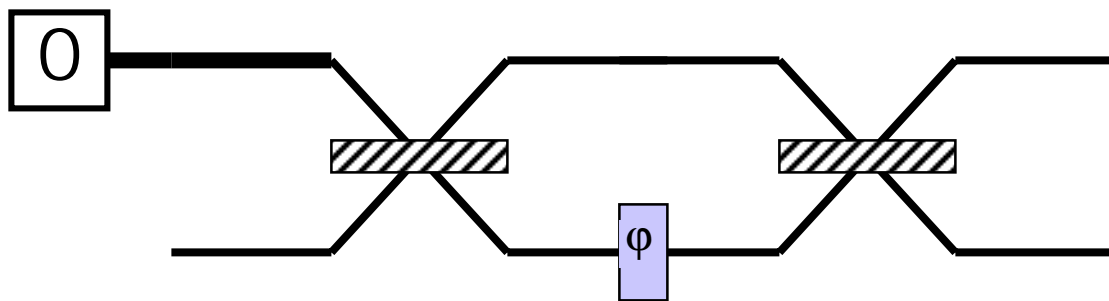


corresponds to

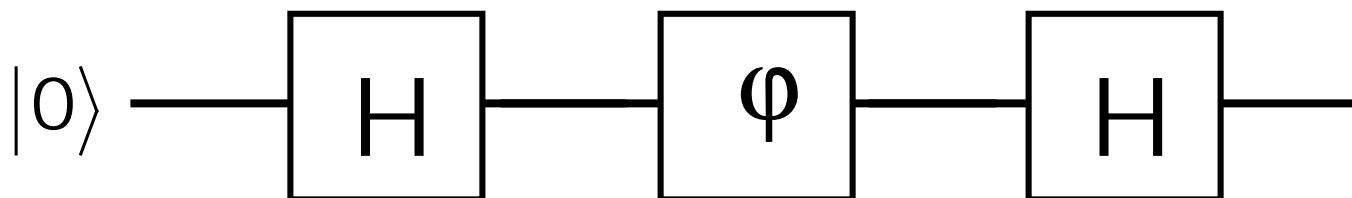
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi} \end{pmatrix}$$



An arrangement like



is represented with a network like



# More than one qubit

If we concatenate two qubits

$$(\alpha_0|0\rangle + \alpha_1|1\rangle) (\beta_0|0\rangle + \beta_1|1\rangle)$$

we have a 2-qubit system with **4 basis states**

$$|0\rangle|0\rangle = |00\rangle \quad |0\rangle|1\rangle = |01\rangle \quad |1\rangle|0\rangle = |10\rangle \quad |1\rangle|1\rangle = |11\rangle$$

and we can also describe the state as

$$\alpha_0\beta_0|00\rangle + \alpha_0\beta_1|01\rangle + \alpha_1\beta_0|10\rangle + \alpha_1\beta_1|11\rangle$$

or by the vector

$$\begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0\beta_0 \\ \alpha_0\beta_1 \\ \alpha_1\beta_0 \\ \alpha_1\beta_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0 \\ \alpha_1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# More than one qubit

In general we can have arbitrary superpositions

$$\alpha_{00}|0\rangle|0\rangle + \alpha_{01}|0\rangle|1\rangle + \alpha_{10}|1\rangle|0\rangle + \alpha_{11}|1\rangle|1\rangle$$

$$|\alpha_{00}|^2 + |\alpha_{01}|^2 + |\alpha_{10}|^2 + |\alpha_{11}|^2 = 1$$

where there is **no factorization** into the **tensor product** of two independent qubits.

These states are called *entangled*.

# Measuring multi-qubit systems

If we measure both bits of

$$\alpha_{00}|0\rangle|0\rangle + \alpha_{01}|0\rangle|1\rangle + \alpha_{10}|1\rangle|0\rangle + \alpha_{11}|1\rangle|1\rangle$$

we get  $|x\rangle|y\rangle$  with probability  $|\alpha_{xy}|^2$

Classical  
Versus  
Quantum

# Classical vs. Quantum Circuits

- Goal: Fast, low-cost implementation of useful algorithms using standard components (gates) and design techniques

- Classical Logic Circuits

- Circuit behavior is governed implicitly by classical physics
- Signal states are simple bit vectors, e.g.  $X = 01010111$
- Operations are defined by Boolean Algebra
- No restrictions exist on copying or measuring signals
- Small well-defined sets of universal gate types, e.g. {NAND}, {AND,OR,NOT}, {AND,NOT}, etc.
- Well developed CAD methodologies exist
- Circuits are easily implemented in fast, scalable and macroscopic technologies such as CMOS

# Classical vs. Quantum Circuits

- Quantum Logic Circuits

- Circuit behavior is governed explicitly by quantum mechanics
- Signal states are vectors interpreted as a **superposition** of binary “qubit” vectors with complex-number coefficients

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{i=0}^{2^n-1} c_i |i_{n-1}i_{n-1}\dots i_0\rangle$$

- Operations are defined by linear algebra over Hilbert Space and can be represented by unitary matrices with complex elements
- Severe restrictions exist on **copying** and **measuring** signals
- Many universal gate sets exist but the best types are not obvious
- Circuits must use microscopic technologies that are slow, fragile, and not yet scalable, e.g., NMR

# Quantum Circuit Characteristics

- Unitary Operations
  - Gates and circuits must be reversible (information-lossless)
    - Number of output signal lines = Number of input signal lines
    - The circuit function must be a bijection, implying that output vectors are a permutation of the input vectors
  - **Classical** logic behavior can be represented by permutation matrices
  - **Non-classical** logic behavior can be represented including **state sign** (phase) and **entanglement**

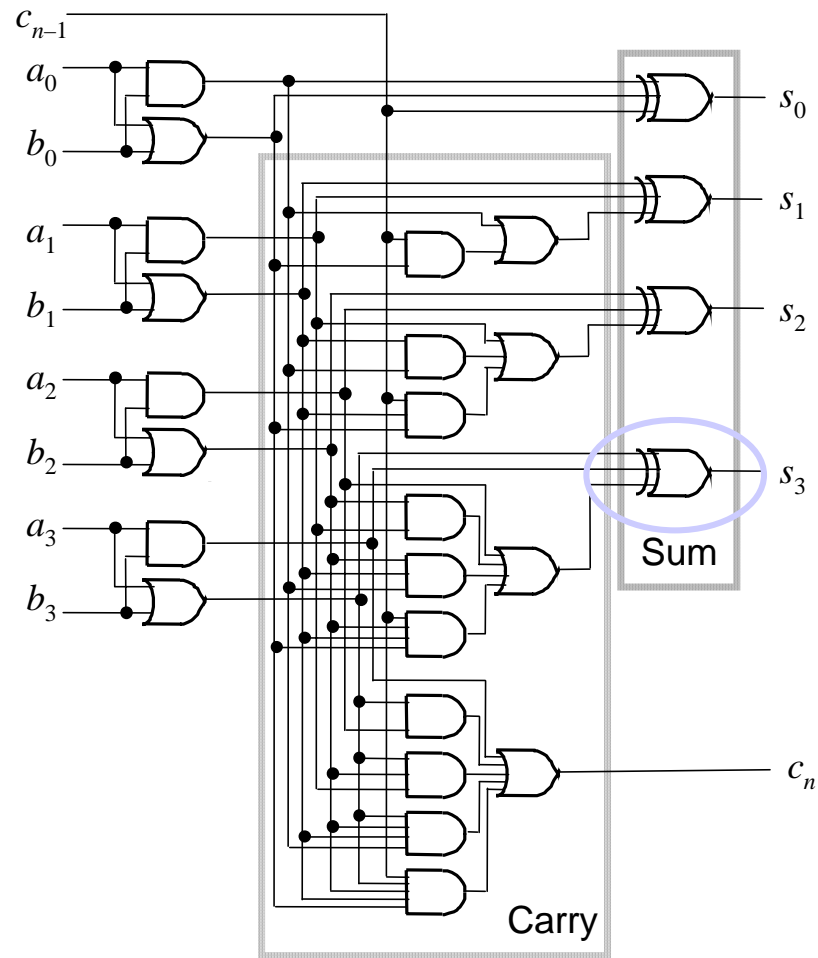


# Quantum Circuit Characteristics

- Quantum Measurement
  - Measurement yields only one state  $X$  of the superposed states
  - Measurement also makes  $X$  the new state and so *interferes with computational processes*
  - $X$  is determined with some **probability**, implying uncertainty in the result
  - States cannot be copied (“cloned”), implying that **signal fanout is not permitted**
  - Environmental interference can cause a **measurement-like state collapse (decoherence)**

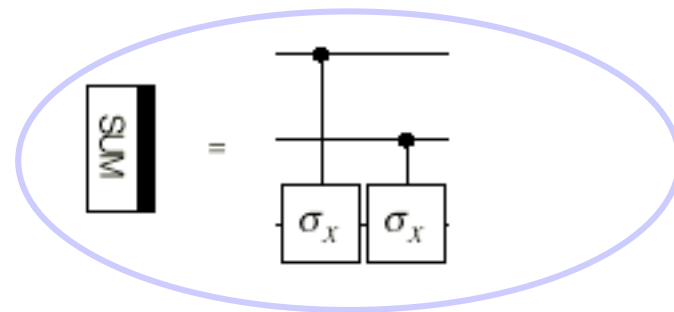
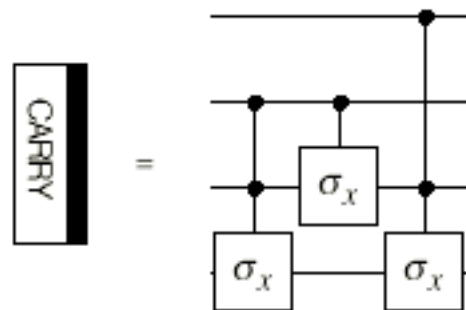
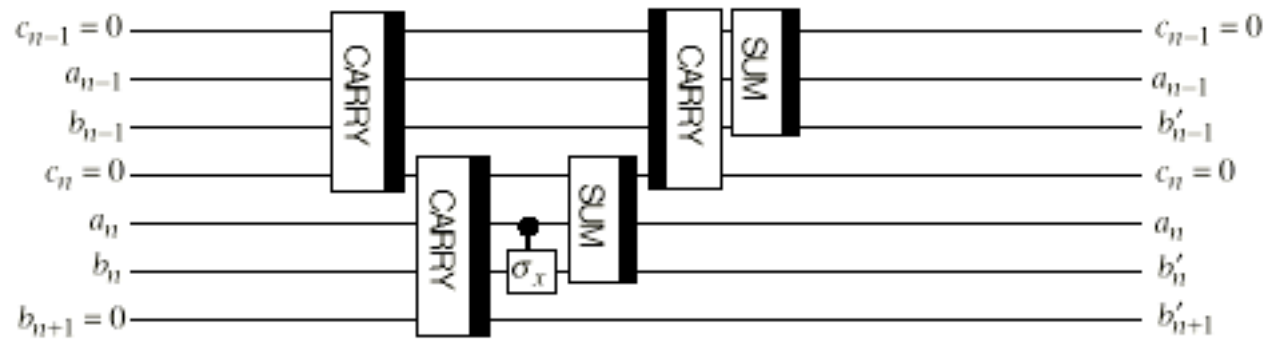
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Classical adder



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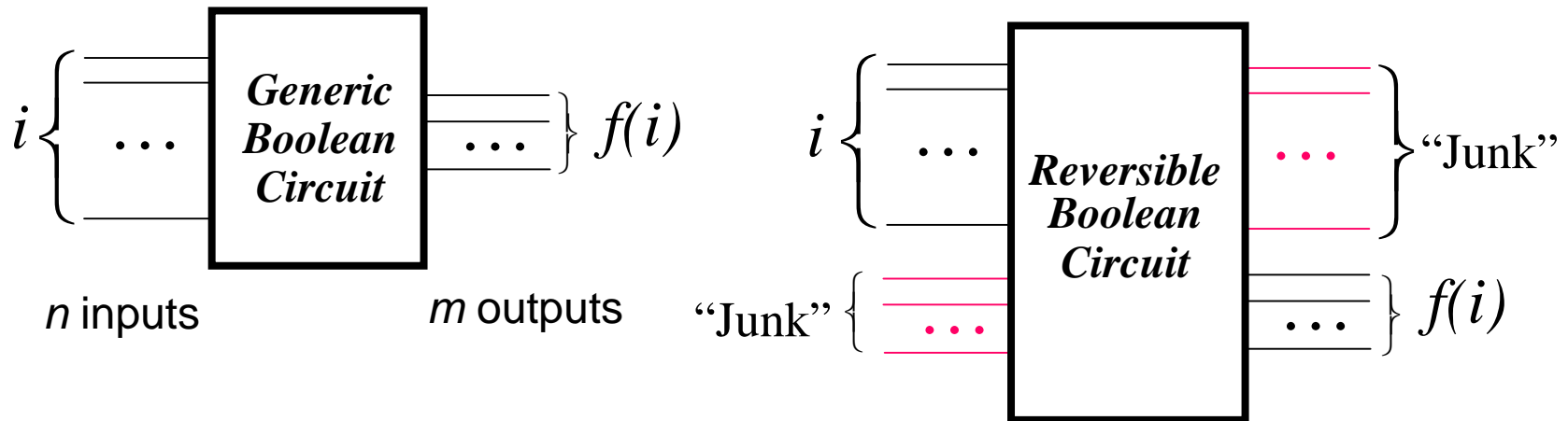
## Quantum adder



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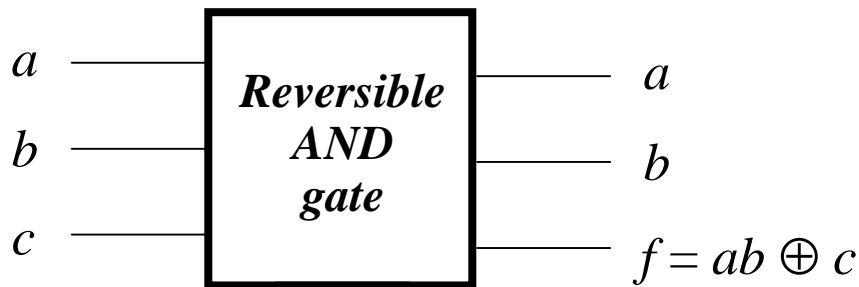
- Reversibility was studied around 1980 motivated by power minimization considerations
- Bennett, Toffoli et al. showed that any classical logic circuit  $C$  can be made reversible with modest overhead



# Reversible Circuits

- How to make a given  $f$  reversible
  - Suppose  $f: i \rightarrow f(i)$  has  $n$  inputs  $m$  outputs
  - Introduce  $n$  extra outputs and  $m$  extra inputs
  - Replace  $f$  by  $f_{\text{rev}}: i, j \rightarrow i, f(i) \oplus j$  where  $\oplus$  is XOR

- Example 1:  $f(a,b) = \text{AND}(a,b)$

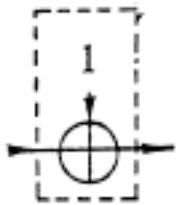


$a$	$b$	$c$	$a$	$b$	$f$
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	0	1	0
0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	0

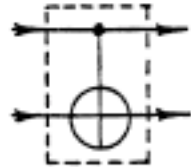
- This is the well-known Toffoli gate, which realizes AND when  $c = 0$ , and NAND when  $c = 1$ .

# Reversible Circuits

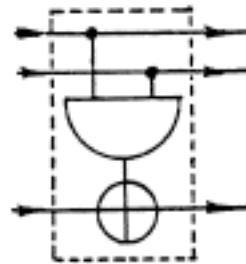
- Reversible gate family [Toffoli 1980]



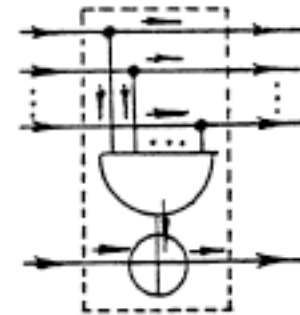
NOT



XOR/FAN-OUT



AND/NAND  
(Toffoli gate)



generalized AND/NAND

- Every Boolean function has a reversible implementation using Toffoli gates.
- There is no universal reversible gate with fewer than three inputs

Quantum

Gates

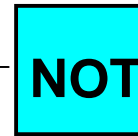


# Quantum Gates

- **One-Input gate: NOT**

- Input state:  $c_0|0\rangle + c_1|1\rangle$

- Output state:  $c_1|0\rangle + c_0|1\rangle$

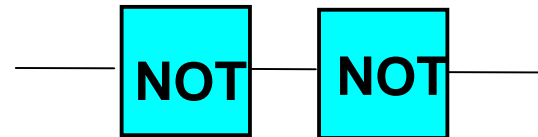


- Pure states are mapped thus:  $|0\rangle \rightarrow |1\rangle$  and  $|1\rangle \rightarrow |0\rangle$

- Gate operator (matrix) is  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$   $|0\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$   $|1\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- As expected:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



# Quantum Gates

- **One-Input gate: “Square root of NOT”**

- Some matrix elements are imaginary

- Gate operator (matrix):

$$\begin{pmatrix} i/\sqrt{1/2} & 1/\sqrt{1/2} \\ 1/\sqrt{1/2} & i/\sqrt{1/2} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}$$

- We find:

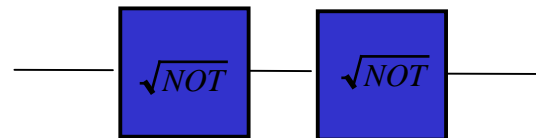
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{so } |0\rangle \rightarrow |0\rangle \text{ with probability } |i/\sqrt{2}|^2 = 1/2$$

and  $|0\rangle \rightarrow |1\rangle$  with probability  $|1/\sqrt{2}|^2 = 1/2$

Similarly, this gate randomizes input  $|1\rangle$

- But concatenation of two gates eliminates the randomness!

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} i & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



# Quantum Gates

- **One-Input gate: Hadamard**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{---} \boxed{\text{H}} \text{---}$$

- Maps  $|0\rangle \rightarrow 1/\sqrt{2} |0\rangle + 1/\sqrt{2} |1\rangle$  and  $|1\rangle \rightarrow 1/\sqrt{2} |0\rangle - 1/\sqrt{2} |1\rangle$ .
- Ignoring the normalization factor  $1/\sqrt{2}$ , we can write  
 $|x\rangle \rightarrow (-1)^x |x\rangle - |1-x\rangle$

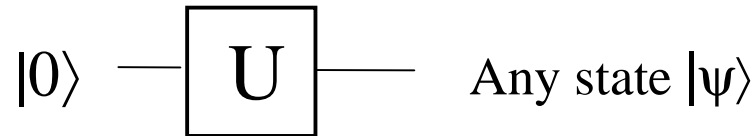
- **One-Input gate: Phase shift**

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{---} \boxed{\phi} \text{---}$$

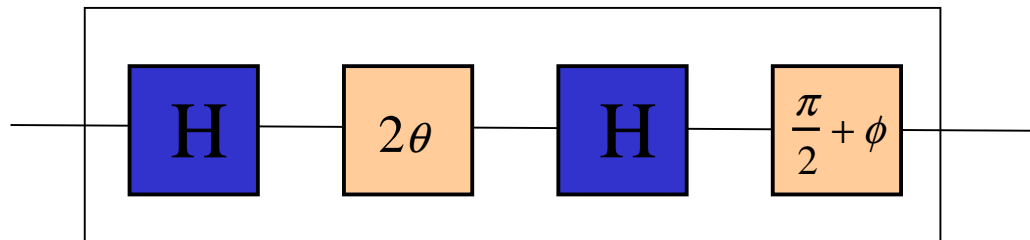
# Quantum Gates

## Universal One-Input Gate Sets

- Requirement:

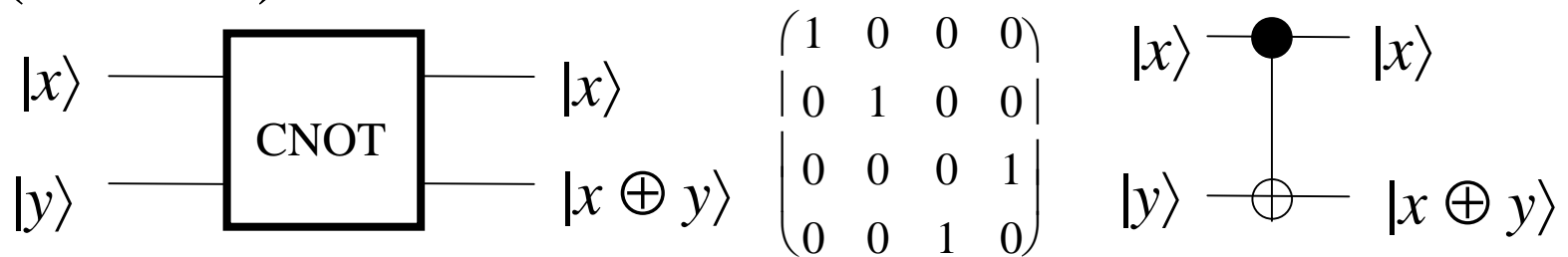


- **Hadamard** and **phase-shift** gates form a universal gate set
- *Example:* The following circuit generates  $|\psi\rangle = \cos \theta |0\rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \theta |1\rangle$  up to a global factor



# Quantum Gates

- **Two-Input Gate: Controlled NOT (CNOT)**

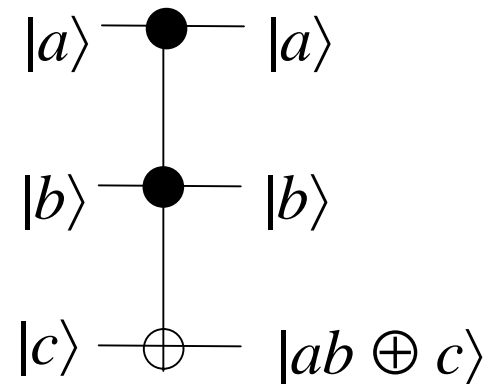


- CNOT maps  $|x\rangle|0\rangle \rightarrow |x\rangle|x\rangle$  and  $|x\rangle|1\rangle \rightarrow |x\rangle|\text{NOT } x\rangle$
- $|x\rangle|0\rangle \rightarrow |x\rangle|x\rangle$  *looks like cloning*, but it's not. These mappings are valid only for the pure states  $|0\rangle$  and  $|1\rangle$
- Serves as a “non-demolition” measurement gate

# Quantum Gates

- **3-Input gate: Controlled CNOT**  
(C<sup>2</sup>NOT or Toffoli gate)

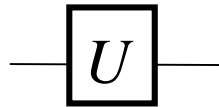
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



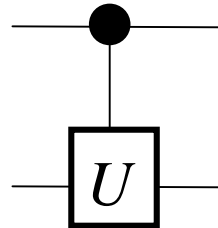
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- General controlled gates that control some 1-qubit unitary operation  $U$  are useful

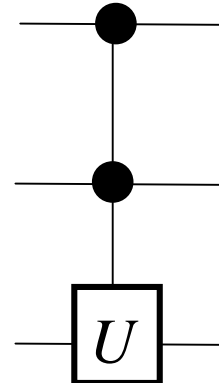
$$\begin{pmatrix} u_{00} & u_{01} \\ u_{10} & u_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$



$U$



$C(U)$



$C^2(U)$

etc.

# Quantum Gates

## Universal Gate Sets

- To implement any unitary operation on  $n$  qubits **exactly** requires an **infinite** number of gate types
- The (infinite) set of all 2-input gates is universal
  - Any  $n$ -qubit unitary operation can be implemented using  $\Theta(n^3 4^n)$  gates [Reck et al. 1994]
- CNOT and the (infinite) set of all 1-qubit gates is universal



# Quantum Gates

## Discrete Universal Gate Sets

- The **error** on implementing  $U$  by  $V$  is defined as

$$E(U, V) = \max_{|\Psi\rangle} \|(U - V)|\Psi\rangle\|$$

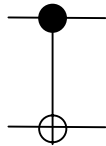
- If  $U$  can be implemented by  $K$  gates, we can simulate  $U$  with a total error less than  $\epsilon$  with a gate overhead that is polynomial in  $\log(K/\epsilon)$
- A discrete set of gate types  $G$  is **universal**, if we can approximate any  $U$  to within any  $\epsilon > 0$  using a sequence of gates from  $G$

# Quantum Gates

## Discrete Universal Gate Set

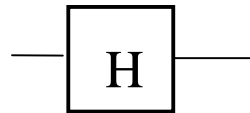
- **Example 1:** Four-member “standard” gate set

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



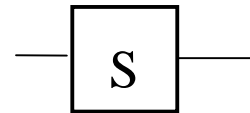
CNOT

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$



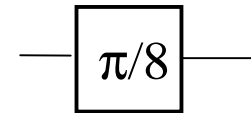
Hadamard

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix}$$



Phase

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/4} \end{pmatrix}$$



$\pi/8$  (T) gate

- **Example 2:** {CNOT, Hadamard, Phase, Toffoli}

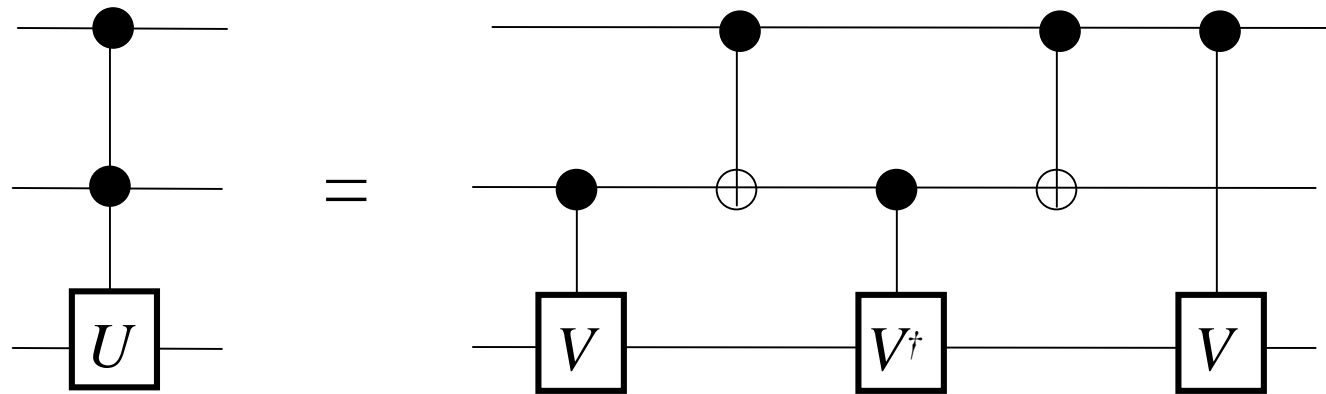
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# Quantum Circuits

- A quantum (combinational) circuit is a sequence of quantum gates, linked by “wires”
- The circuit has fixed “width” corresponding to the number of qubits being processed
- Logic design (classical and quantum) attempts to find circuit structures for needed operations that are
  - Functionally correct
  - Independent of physical technology
  - Low-cost, e.g., use the minimum number of qubits or gates
- Quantum logic design is not well developed!

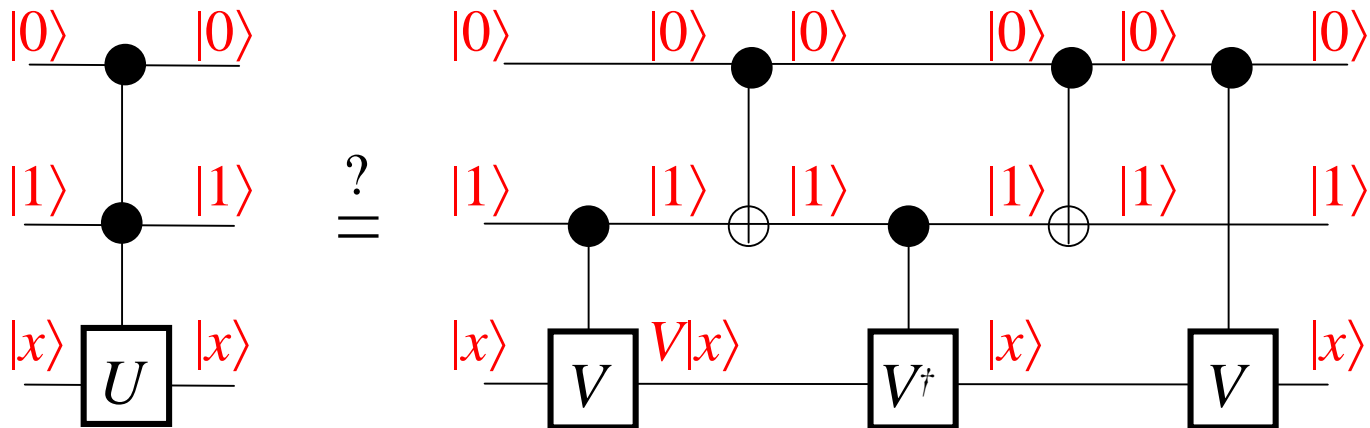
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- Ad hoc designs known for many specific functions and gates
- **Example 1** illustrating a theorem by [Barenco et al. 1995]: Any  $C^2(U)$  gate can be built from CNOTs,  $C(V)$ , and  $C(V^\dagger)$  gates, where  $V^2 = U$



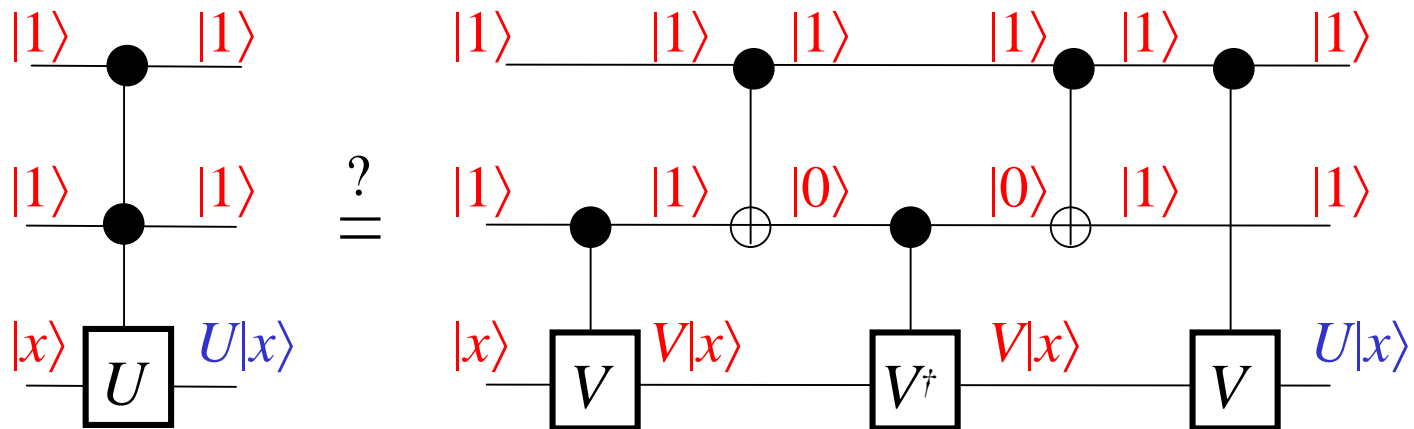
# Quantum Circuits

## Example 1: Simulation



# Quantum Circuits

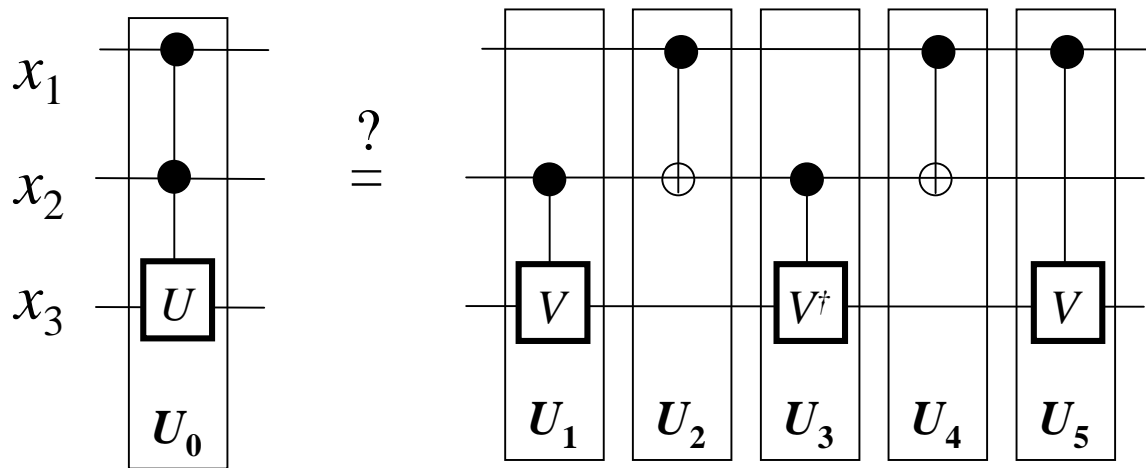
## Example 1: Simulation (contd.)



- *Exercise:* Simulate the two remaining cases

# Quantum Circuits

## Example 1: Algebraic analysis



- Is  $U_0(x_1, x_2, x_3) = U_5 U_4 U_3 U_2 U_1(x_1, x_2, x_3)$   
 $= (x_1, x_2, x_1 x_2 \oplus U(x_3))$  ?



# Quantum Circuits

**Example 1 (contd);**

$$U_1 = I_1 \otimes C(V)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & v_{00} & v_{01} \\ 0 & 0 & v_{10} & v_{11} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & v_{00} & v_{01} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & v_{10} & v_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & v_{00} & v_{01} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & v_{10} & v_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Quantum Circuits

**Example 1 (contd);**

$$U_2 = U_4 = CNOT(x_1, x_2) \otimes I_1$$

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# Quantum Circuits

## Example 1 (contd);

- $U_5$  is the same as  $U_1$  but has  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  permuted (tricky!)
- It remains to evaluate the product of five  $8 \times 8$  matrices  $U_5 U_4 U_3 U_2 U_1$  using the fact that  $VV^\dagger = I$  and  $VV = U$

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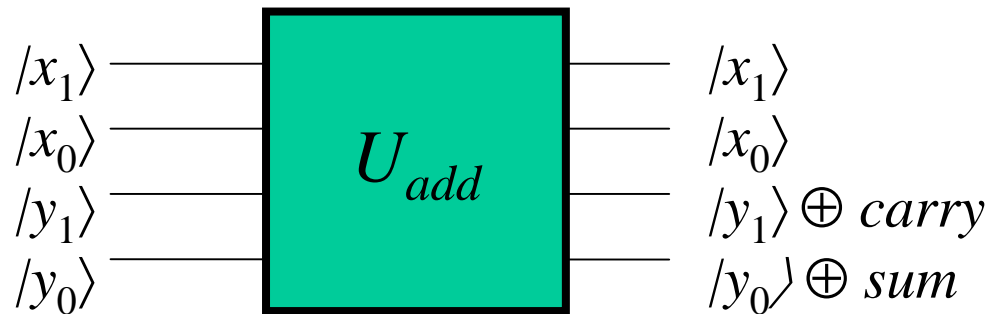
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# Quantum Circuits

- **Implementing a Half Adder**

- *Problem:* Implement the classical functions  $sum = x_1 \oplus x_0$  and  $carry = x_1x_0$

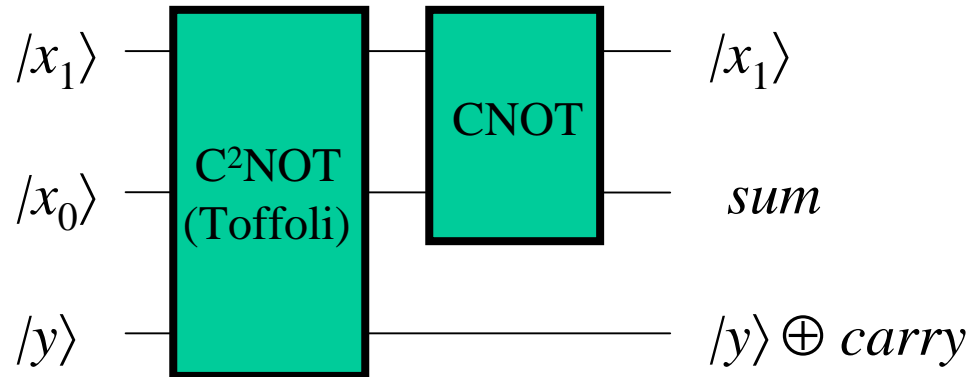
- **Generic design:**





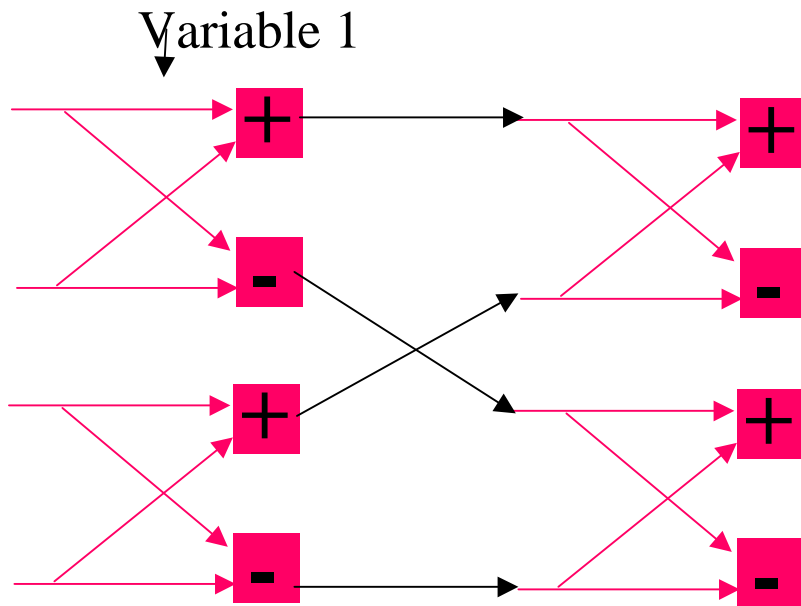
# Quantum Circuits

- **Half Adder.** Specific (reduced) design



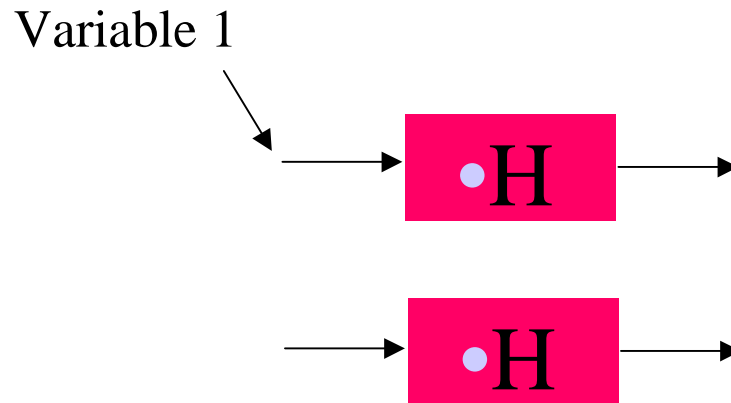
# Walsh Transform for two binary-input many-valued variables

Classical logic



You need a butterfly

Quantum logic



Butterfly is created automatically by tensor product corresponding to superposition

↑  
• minterms

# **Portland Quantum Logic Group (PQLG)**

**What we do?**



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# Current Projects

- Logic Synthesis for Reversible Logic

- decomposition

- Decision Diagram Mapping

- composition

- regular structures - lattices, PLAs, nets



4 papers  
published



paper  
submitted

- Logic Synthesis for Quantum Logic

- Quantum Simulation using new Decision Diagrams

# Current Projects

- FPGA-based model of Quantum Computer
- Reversible FPGA using CMOS.
- Realization of new spectral transforms using quantum logic.
- Non-linear Quantum Logic solves NP problems in polynomial time.
- Quantum-inspired search algorithms for robotics



# Where to learn more

- Web Page of Marek Perkowski
  - class 572 - *see description of student projects*
  - Portland Quantum Logic Group

**We are open to  
collaboration and we  
want to grow**

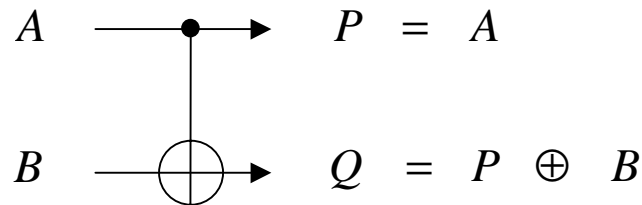
**Automated Synthesis of  
Generalized Reversible  
Cascades using Genetic  
Algorithm**

# Agenda

- Introduction and history
- Reversible Logic and Reversible Gates
- Genetic algorithms
- The Model
- Simulation
- Conclusion

# Reversible gates...

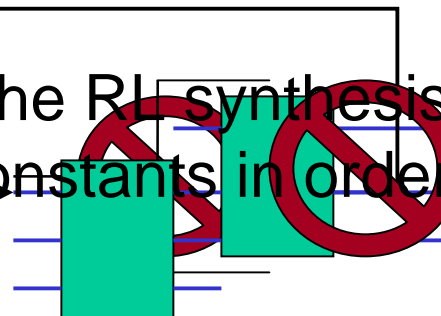
Feynman, Toffoli, Fredkin, ...



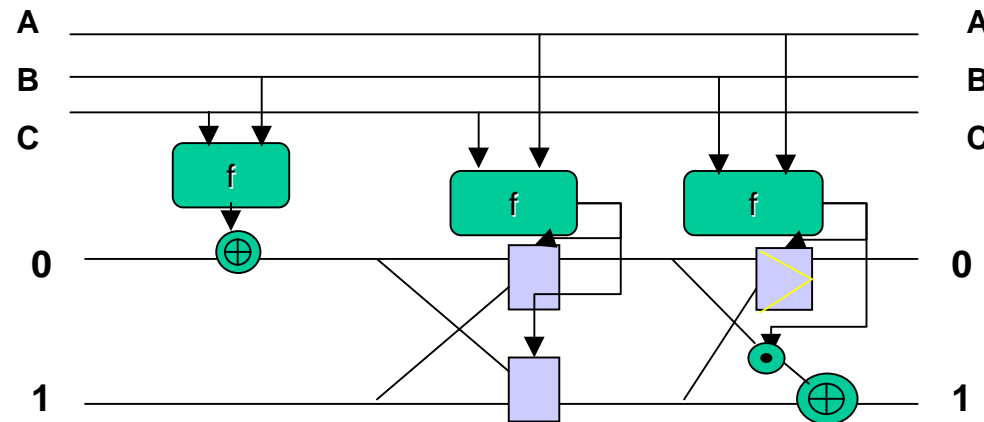
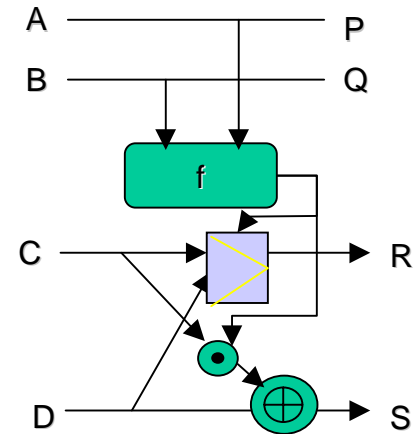
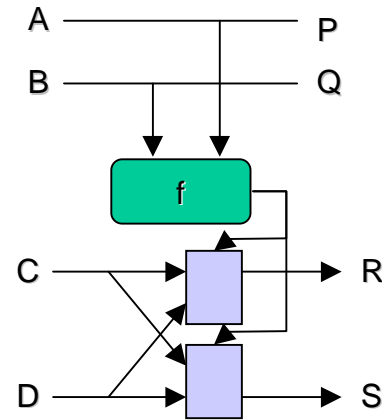
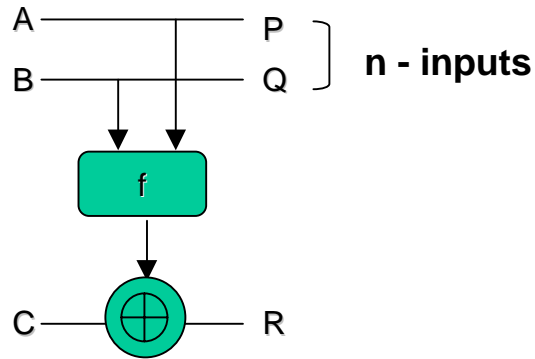
Mapping of I/O allows  
unique  $(P, Q) \Rightarrow (A, B)$

## and Reversible Circuits

- To reduce the RL synthesis limitations one can insert constants in order to modify the functionality

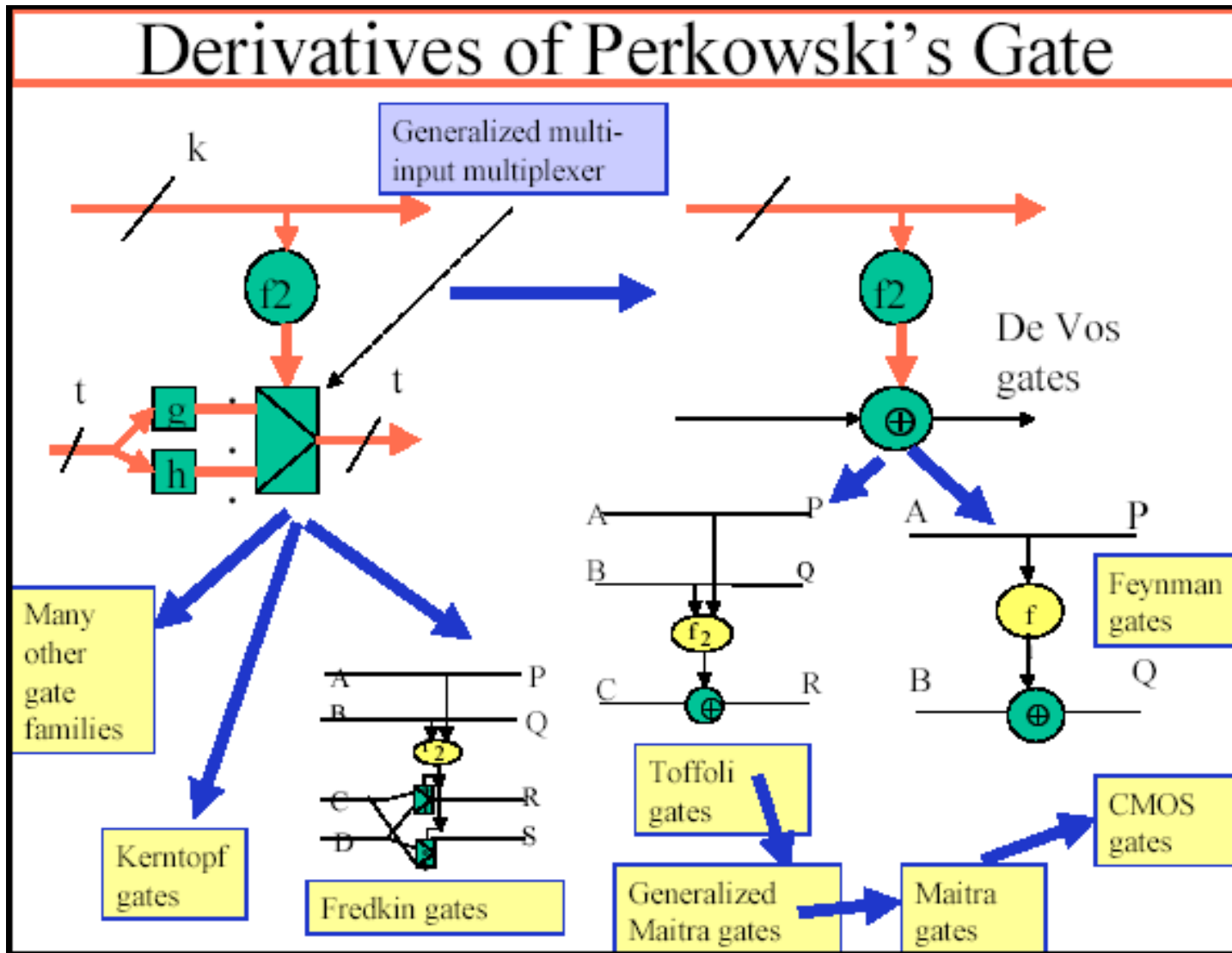


# Generalized Reversible Gates





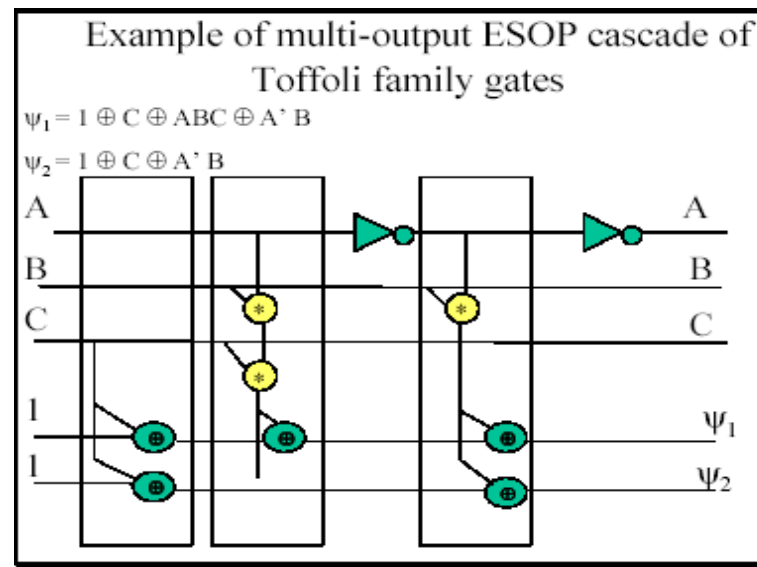
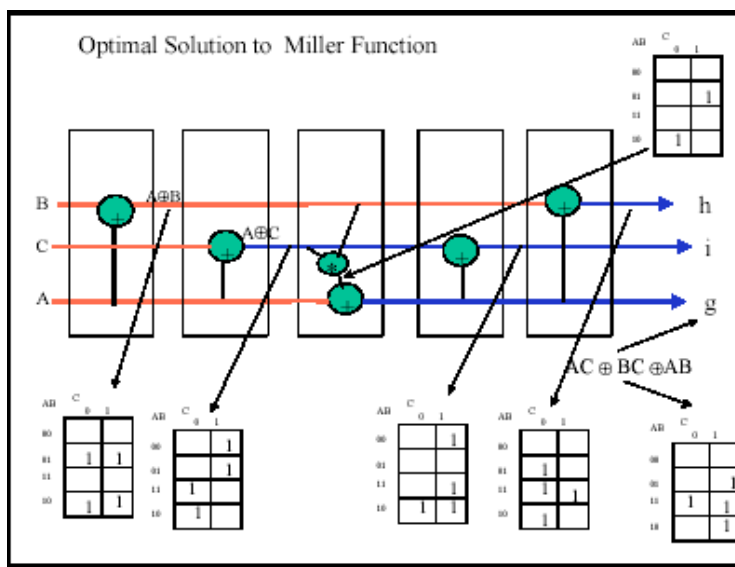
# Perkowski gates family



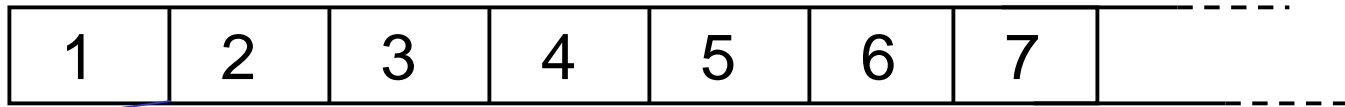
# Cascades

- *Mixed data/control inputs (generalized complex control gates)*
- *All :*
  - ESOP
  - Factorized-ESOP
  - MV Complex Terms
  - XOR family

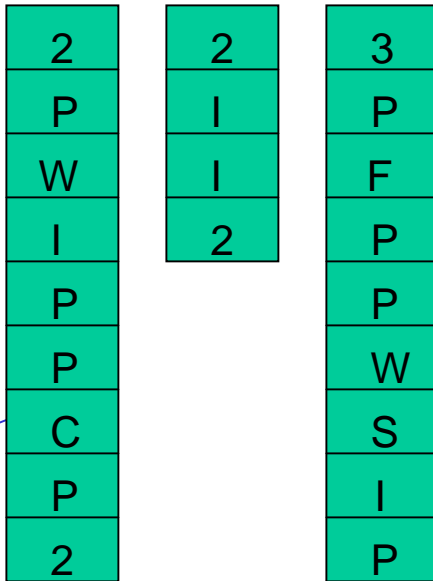
## ■ Example:



# Genetic algorithms



Population

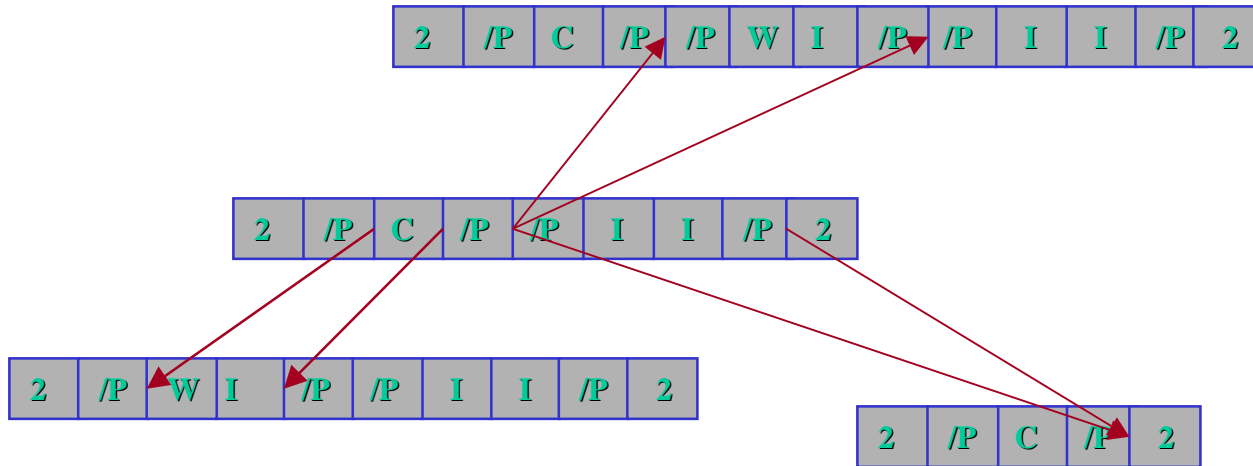


Individual

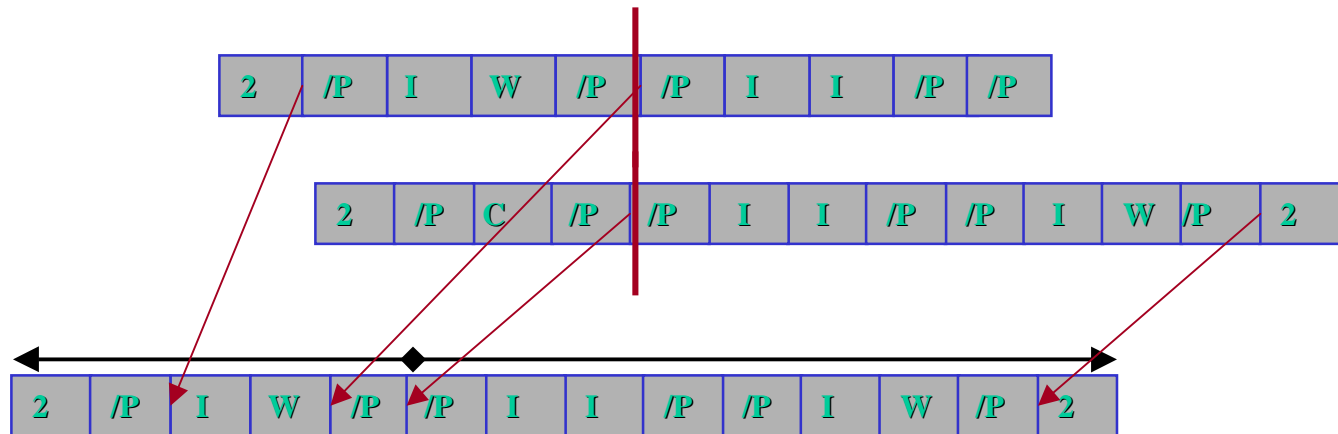
- Population of n individuals
- Chromosome variable length
- Parallel blocks
- Classic GA's operators

# Encoding & operations

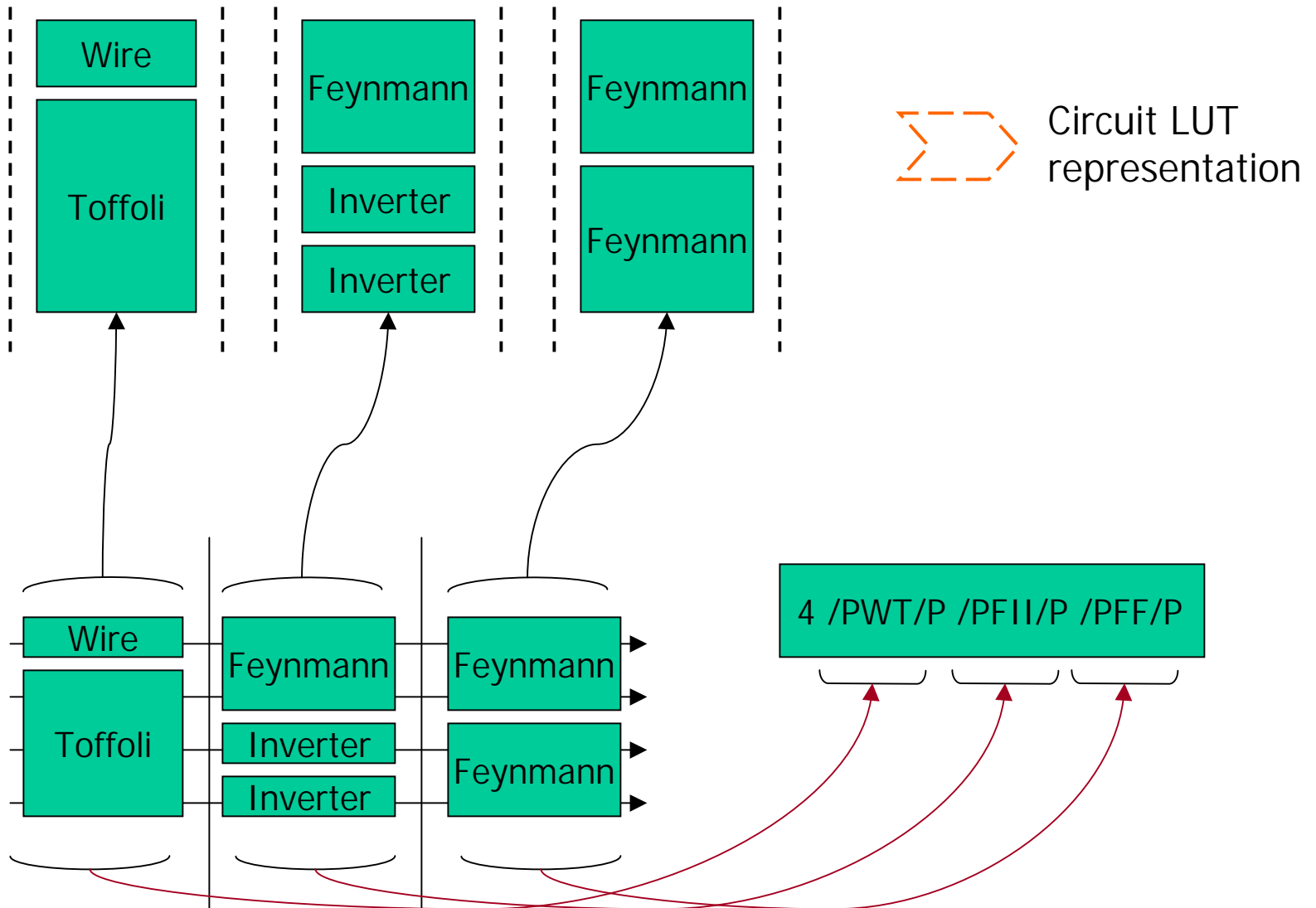
Mutation



C-O



# Circuit Encoding



# GA's settings

- Stochastic universal sampling
- Fitness:

$$F_i = \frac{1}{1 + error_i} - \Lambda_i$$

## ■ Error:

$$error = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{2^n} |U_{ij} - S_{ij}| \quad S, U \in U(2^n)$$

## ■ LUT for Fredkin gate:

A, B, D	A'	B'	C'
000	0	0	0
001	0	0	1
010	0	1	0
011	0	1	1
100	1	0	0
101	1	0	1
110	1	1	1
111	1	1	0

## ■ Error evaluation:

- comparison outputs / LUT
- Permutations of all constants and inputs
- Normalization of error by wires and patterns
- Penalization for length

# Overview

Mutation	Gates Blocks	Position (block/circuit)
Cross-Over*	Segments	Experimental (unitary matrices)
Reproduction	Circuits	Best gates Best Circuits

\* - for circuits having only same number of I/O

# Experimental settings

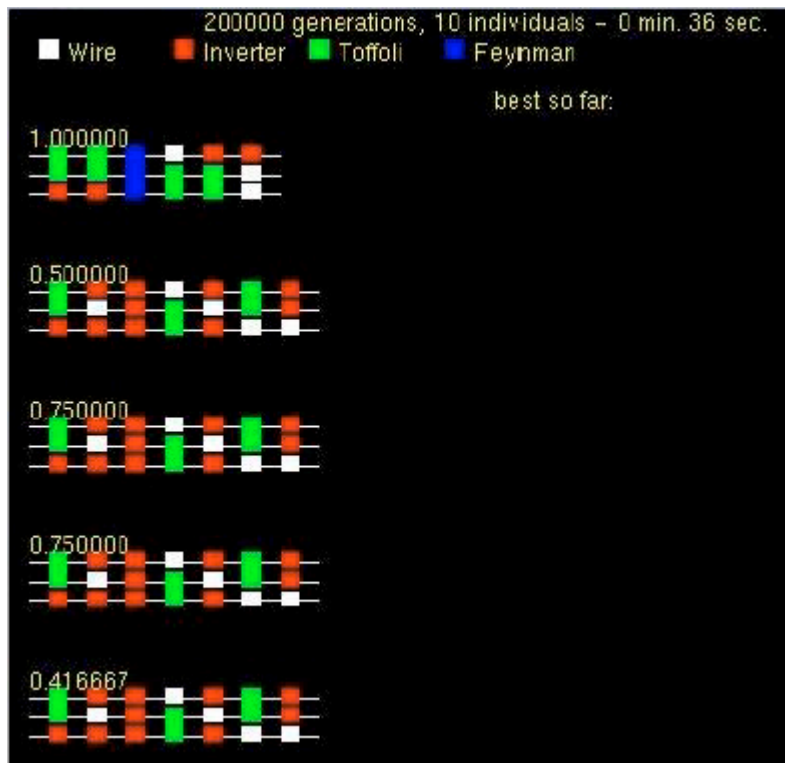
- Each input is equivalent with any other
- Evolving new circuits by recombination
- Non specific conditions
- Population 100-150
- Mutation = 0.01 –1
- Crossover = 0.3 – 0.8
- Specifications:
  - Genetic operations based on RCB > minimal element
  - The noise in these experiments is not only a mutation but an random operator on random blocks !!!

Number of wires	Gates
1	Wire, Inverter
2	Feynman, Swap
3	Fredkin, Toffoli
4	Margolus



# Testing

- No starting set restriction
- Mutation only on blocks



## Unitary gate search

# of inputs	Number of individuals	Number of generations	Real gate found	Real Time
2	10/50	10/1	*	< 1 Min
3	10/50	10/1	*	< 1 Min
4	10/50	10/1	*	< 1 Min

## Random function search

# Improvements

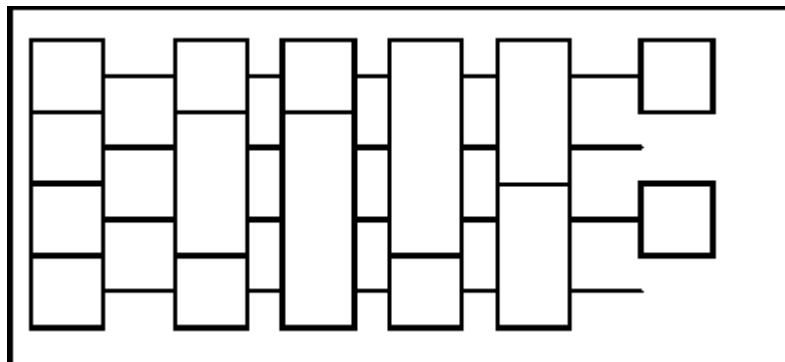
- Using  $\min(\text{ESOP}(F \oplus G))$  for fitness
- Lamarckian learning
  - One genotype  $\Rightarrow$  multiple possibilities of phenotype
  - Using to minimize Exorcism-4

# Circuit search

-Starting set restriction

-Mutation all levels (0.01 – 0.1)

Circuit/Gate	# of Gen.	R.T.	Exact/similar
Toffoli	5/1	0	*/*
Fredkin	5/1	0	*/*
Adder	?/200,000	120 sec	0/*



# Conclusion

- Ideas:
  - Using GA to evolve arbitrary Reversible Circuit
  - Specific Encoding helps the evolution
  - Alternative encoding presented
- Future works:
  - Apply Lamarckian GA and other new variants of evolutionary approaches
  - Create hybrid algorithms by mixing evolutionary and logic-symbolic methods
  - Use new representations such as permutations and decision diagrams
  - Use Logic minimizer to minimize the ESOP expression of the circuit
  - **THIS IS WORK IN PROGRESS, EVERYBODY IS WELCOME TO JOIN.**
  - **Publishing**