



Measurement-based quantum computation 10th Canadian Summer School on QI



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What is a quantum computer?

The one-way quantum computer

A multi-qubit entangled "resource state" E.g. cluster state



Single-qubit measurements

Choice of bases specify computation

Adaptive (some bases depend upon previous outcomes)

= A universal quantum computer

Overview of Lectures

- * I. Cluster states and graph states I
 - * What are they? Basic properties.
- * 2. The one-way quantum computer
 - * What is the model? How does it work?
- * 3. Cluster states and graph states II
 - * Stabilizer formalism and graphical representation
- * 4. Cluster states and graph states III
 - * How do we build them?
- * **5. Beyond cluster states** (*If time permits*)
 - * (other models of MBQC)
- * 6. (Robert Raussendorf) Fault tolerant MBQC

Pauli group and Clifford Group

- Pauli group: \mathbb{P}_n
 - Set of all n-fold tensor products of X, Y, Z and I, with pre-factors +I, -I. +i, -i for group closure.
- Clifford group:
 - "Normalizer" of \mathbb{P}_n Set of unitaries C such that
- $\forall \sigma_k \in \mathbb{P}_n \qquad \qquad C\sigma_k C^{\dagger} = \sigma_j \qquad \qquad \sigma_j \in \mathbb{P}_n$

Equiv,:
$$C\sigma_k = \sigma_j C = (C\sigma_k C^{\dagger})C$$

"Maps Pauli group onto Pauli group"







Etching with z measurements



FIG. 1. Quantum computation by measuring two-state particles on a lattice. Before the measurements the qubits are in the cluster state $|\Phi\rangle_C$ of (1). Circles \odot symbolize measurements of σ_z , vertical arrows are measurements of σ_x , while tilted arrows refer to measurements in the *x*-*y* plane.

 Figure 1 in H.J. Briegel and R. Raussendorf, Phys. Rev. Lett. 86, 5188 (2001)

Measurement-patterns for gates in the one-way model



R. Raussendorf, D. E. Browne and H.J. Briegel, Phys. Rev. A 68: 022312 (2003)

LC-orbit of local Clifford equivalent states



Fig. 4. – An example for a successive application of the LC-rule, which exhibits the whole equivalence class associated with graph No. 1. The rule is successively applied to the vertex, which is colored red in the figure.

 Figure 4 in M. Hein, W. Dür, J. Eisert, R. Raussendorf, M. Van den Nest, H.-J. Briegel, quant-ph/0602096 (Varena lectures)

Counter-example to LU-LC conjecture



The two graphs (with / without the red edge) represent locally equivalent states, but are **not** related by the LC rule.

Zhengfeng Ji et al, Quantum Inf. Comput., Vol. 10, No. 1&2, 97-108, 2010

Universal resources derived via graphical rules



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Graphical "Gottesman-Knill Theorem"

Quantum Fourier Transform





Standard-form measurement pattern

Graph state **after all Pauli** measurements performed

M. Hein, J. Eisert and H.J. Briegel, Phys. Rev. A 69, 062311 (2004)

Valence bond PEPS to MPS



Constructs a Matrix Product State MPS

 $|\psi\rangle = \sum_{s_1,\dots,s_n} \operatorname{Tr}[M(s_1)M(s_2)\dots M(s_n)] |s_1\rangle |s_2\rangle \cdots |s_n\rangle$

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- And many more...
 - Search arxiv for **One-way, MBQC, Cluster States, Graph States,**