# Quantum combinatorial designs 

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Quantum Mechanics

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## Motivation 1: secure quantum communication


X. Song Ma et al, Quantum teleportation over 143 kilometres using active feed-forward, Nature 489, 269 (2012)


Ji-Gang Ren et al, Ground-to-satellite quantum teleportation, Nature 549, 70-73 (2017)

## Motivation 2: quantum computing



## A fast quantum mechanical algorithm for database search <br> Lov K. Grover <br> 3C-404A, Bell Labs <br> 600 Mountain Avenue <br> Murray Hill NJ 07974 <br> lkgrover@bell-labs.com

## Summary

Imagine a phone directory containing $N$ names arranged in completely random order. In order to find someone's phone number with a probability of $\frac{1}{2}$, any classical algorithm (whether deterministic or probabilistic) will need to look at a minimum of $\frac{N}{2}$ names. Quantum mechanical systems can be in a superposition of states and simultaneously examine multiple names. By properly adjusting the phases of various operations, successful computations reinforce each other while others interfere randomly. As a result, the desired phone number can be obtained in only $O(\sqrt{N})$ steps. The algorithm is within a small constant factor of the fastest possible quantum mechanical algorithm.

This paper applies quantum computing to a mundane problem in information processing and presents an algorithm that is significantly faster than any classical algorithm can be. The problem is this: there is an unsorted database containing $N$ items out of which just one item satisfies a given condition - that one item has to be retrieved. Once an item is examined, it is possible to tell whether or not it satisfies the condition in one step. However, there does not exist any sorting on the database that would aid its selection. The most efficient classical algorithm for this is to examine the items in the database one by one. If an item satisfies the required condition stop; if it does not, keep track of this item so that it is not examined again. It is easily seen that this algorithm will need to look at an average of $\frac{N}{2}$ items before finding the desired item.



Polynomial-Time Algorithms for Prime Factorization and Discrete Logarithms on a Quantum Computer*

Peter W. Shor ${ }^{\dagger}$

## Abstract

A digital computer is generally believed to be an efficient universal computing device; that is, it is believed able to simulate any physical computing device with an increase in computation time by at most a polynomial factor. This may not be true when quantum mechanics is taken into consideration. This paper considers factoring integers and finding discrete logarithms, two problems which are generally thought to be hard on a classical computer and which have been used as the basis of several proposed cryptosystems. Efficient randomized algorithms are given for these two problems on a hypothetical quantum computer. These algorithms take a number of steps polynomial in the input size, e.g., the number of digits of the integer to be factored.

Table 5: Quantum factorization records

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number | \# of factors | \# of qubits <br> needed | Algorithm | Year <br> implemented |
| 15 | 2 | 8 | Shor | $2001[2]$ |
|  | 2 | 8 | Shor | $2007[3]$ |
|  | 2 | 8 | Shor | $2007[3]$ |
|  | 2 | 8 | Shor | $2009[5]$ |
| 21 | 2 | 8 | Shor | $2012[6]$ |
| 143 | 2 | 10 | Shor | $2012[7]$ |
| 56153 | 2 | 4 | minimization | $2012[1]$ |
| 291311 | 2 | 4 | minimization | $2012[1]$ |
| 175 | 3 | 6 | minimization | not yet |
|  | 2 | 3 | minimization | not yet |

Nikesh S. Dattani, Nathaniel Bryans, Quantum factorization of 56153 with only 4 qubits, arXiv:1411.6758 (2014)

Combinatorial designs

## Hadamard matrices



## Existence of Hadamard matrices

## Only possible for size $d=2$ or $d$ multiple of four.

Tensor product of two Hadamard matrices is a Hadamard matrix

First open case is $d=4 \times 167=668$

## Hadamard Conjecture

There exists a Hadamard matrix for every size $d$ multiple of four

## Latin squares

Square arrangements of size $d$ having $d$ different symbols.
Symbols are not repeated along every row/column.


Latin squares exist for any finite size $d$








## Graeco-Latin squares



Graeco-Latin squares exist for every finite size $d>2$, except $d=6$


## 36 officers of Euler

How can a delegation of six regiments, each of which sends a coronel, a lieutenantcolonel, a major, a captain, a lieutenant, and a sub-lieutenant be arranged in a regular $6 \times 6$ array such that no row or column duplicates a rank or a regiment?

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## Mutually orthogonal Latin squares



Three MOLS of size four

## LS1: Orientation of L's

LS2: Color of L's
LS3: Color of squares

There are, at most, $d-1$ MOLS of size $d$


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## Orthogonal arrays

An orthogonal array $\mathrm{OA}(r, N, d, k)$ is an arrangement of symbols taken from the alphabet $\{0, \ldots, \mathrm{~d}-1\}$, having $r$ rows and $N$ columns such that for every subarray made up of $k$ columns and $r$ rows, all possible combination of symbols appear along the rows. Repetition of all possible combinations of symbols are allowed.

|  | 0 | 0 |  | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 1 | 1 |  | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|  | 1 | 0 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Orthogonal arrays

Orthogonal array of strength $\boldsymbol{k}$ : every subset of $k$ columns contains all possible combination of symbols (repetitions of all combinations are allowed).

Strength $k=2$
$\begin{array}{lll}0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0\end{array}$

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| 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 |$\quad$| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 |  |  | 2 |
| 2 |  |  |  |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
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| 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |  |  |  |
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| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
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| 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
|  |  |  | 2 | 2 | 0 |  |
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| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
|  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
|  |  |  | 0 | 2 | 2 |  |
|  |  |  | 2 | 2 | 0 |  |
| 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1 | 0 | 2 |  |

## Hadamard matrices from orthogonal arrays

$$
\left.\begin{array}{llll}
0 & 0 & 0 & \\
0 & 1 & 1 & \square \\
1 & 0 & 1 \\
1 & 1 & 0 & \square
\end{array} \begin{array}{cccc}
1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\
1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\
1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\
1 & -1 & -1 & 1
\end{array}\right)
$$

An $O A(4 \lambda, 4 \lambda-1,2,2)$ exists if an only if a Hadamard matrix of size $4 \lambda$ exists

## MOLS from orthogonal arrays




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# MOLHipercubes from orthogonal arrays 

In general, an $\mathrm{OA}\left(d^{\wedge} k, N, d, k\right)$ determines $N-2$ MOLH of size $d$ in dimension $k$

## Quantum combinatorial designs

## Two-qubit quantum states

A two-qubit quantum state $|\phi\rangle \in \mathbb{C}^{2} \otimes \mathbb{C}^{2}$ is separable if

$$
|\phi\rangle=\left|\phi_{1}\right\rangle \otimes\left|\phi_{2}\right\rangle
$$

Otherwise $|\phi\rangle$ is entangled.
$|\phi\rangle=\sin \alpha|00\rangle+\cos \alpha|11\rangle$

$$
\rho_{A}=\operatorname{Tr}_{B}(|\phi\rangle\langle\phi|)
$$



## Maximally entangled states

## Two qubit systems

$$
\mid \text { Bell }\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle+|11\rangle)
$$

Three qubit systems

$$
|G H Z\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|000\rangle+|111\rangle)
$$

$$
|W\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(|001\rangle+|010\rangle+|100\rangle)
$$


I. Bengtsson, K. Życzkowski, Geometry of Quantum states Cambridge University Press (2017)

## Absolutely maximally entangled states

$N$ partite quantum pure states such that every reduction to $\lfloor N / 2\rfloor$ parties is maximally mixed

Two qubits

Three qubits

$$
\begin{aligned}
|A M E(2,2)\rangle= & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle+|11\rangle) \\
|A M E(3,2)\rangle= & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|000\rangle+|111\rangle) \\
|A M E(4,3)\rangle= & \frac{1}{3}(|0000\rangle+|0121\rangle+|0212\rangle+ \\
& |1110\rangle+|1201\rangle+|1022\rangle+ \\
& |2220\rangle+|2011\rangle+|2102\rangle)
\end{aligned}
$$

## Quantum orthogonal arrays

A quantum orthogonal array $\operatorname{QOA}(r, N, d, k)$, also denoted as $|O A\rangle$, is an arrangement composed by $d$-dimensional quantum states, having $r$ rows and $N$ columns such that every reduction to $k$ columns forms a POVM.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& O A=\begin{array}{ll}
0 & 1 \\
1 & 0
\end{array} \quad \square \quad|O A\rangle=\begin{array}{ll}
|0\rangle & |1\rangle \\
|1\rangle & |0\rangle
\end{array} \\
& T r_{B}(|O A\rangle\langle O A|)=\stackrel{|0\rangle\langle 0|}{|1\rangle\langle 1|} \\
& |0\rangle\langle 0| \quad|1\rangle\langle 1|
\end{aligned}
$$

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## Quantum orthogonal arrays

$$
(\mathbb{I} \otimes H) \begin{aligned}
& |0\rangle|0\rangle \\
& |1\rangle|1\rangle
\end{aligned}=\begin{aligned}
& |0\rangle|+\rangle \\
& |1\rangle|-\rangle
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
H=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(\begin{array}{cc}
1 & 1 \\
1 & -1
\end{array}\right) \quad| \pm\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle \pm|1\rangle)
$$

## Quantum orthogonal arrays

$|0\rangle|0\rangle|0\rangle\left|\Phi^{+}\right\rangle$
$|0\rangle|1\rangle|1\rangle\left|\Psi^{+}\right\rangle$
$\left.\begin{array}{l}\left|\Phi^{ \pm}\right\rangle=(|00\rangle \pm|11\rangle) / \sqrt{2} \\ \left|\Psi^{ \pm}\right\rangle=(|01\rangle \pm|10\rangle) / \sqrt{2}\end{array}\right\}$ Bell basis
$|1\rangle|0\rangle|1\rangle\left|\Psi^{-}\right\rangle$
$|1\rangle|1\rangle|0\rangle\left|\Phi^{-}\right\rangle$


Three MOQLS of size two

## Quantum Latin cube

| 0 | 0 | 0 | $\left\|G H Z_{000}\right\rangle$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | $\left\|G H Z_{001}\right\rangle$ |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | $\left\|G H Z_{010}\right\rangle$ |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | $\left\|G H Z_{011}\right\rangle$ |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | $\left\|G H Z_{100}\right\rangle$ |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | $\left\|G H Z_{101}\right\rangle$ |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | $\left\|G H Z_{110}\right\rangle$ |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | $\left\|G H Z_{111}\right\rangle$ |

$|G H Z\rangle=\frac{1}{\sqrt{d}} \sum_{i=0}^{d-1}|i, i, i\rangle$

$\left|G H Z_{i j k}\right\rangle=(-1)^{\alpha_{i j k}} \sigma_{i} \otimes \sigma_{j} \otimes \sigma_{k}|G H Z\rangle$

## Quantum Orthogonal arrays of 5 columns



## Role of QOA in quantum technologies




Thank you for your attention
D. Goyeneche, Z. Raissi, S. Di Martino, K. Życzkowski,

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