

## Lecture 22

# Interactions, Entanglement, and Two-Qubit Quantum Gates

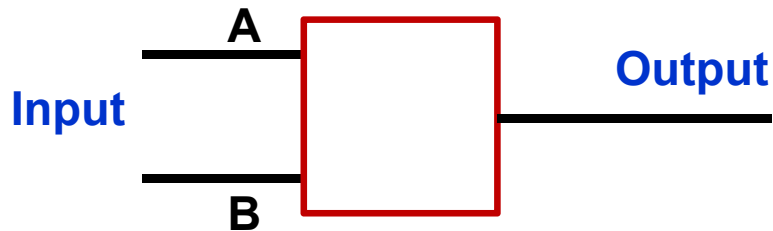
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In this lecture you will learn:

- Two-qubit quantum gates
- How interaction causes entanglement
- Coupled spin qubits
- Coupled SHO qubits and superconducting qubits
- C-NOT (Control-X) gate implementation

## Two-Bit Classical Logic Gates

Classical two-bit logic gate takes two-bit input and typically produces a one-bit output:



- The gates AND and NOT taken together are **functionally complete** (i.e. any digital logic circuit can be implemented using just AND and NOT gates)
- The gate NAND by itself is **functionally complete** (i.e. any digital logic circuit can be implemented using just NAND gates)
- NAND is a **universal** gate!

| NAND  |        |
|-------|--------|
| Input | Output |
| 00    | 1      |
| 01    | 1      |
| 10    | 1      |
| 11    | 0      |

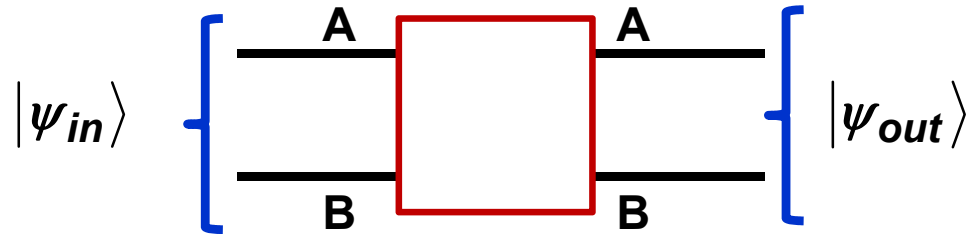
| NOR Gate |        |
|----------|--------|
| Input    | Output |
| 00       | 1      |
| 01       | 0      |
| 10       | 0      |
| 11       | 0      |

| XOR Gate |        |
|----------|--------|
| Input    | Output |
| 00       | 0      |
| 01       | 1      |
| 10       | 1      |
| 11       | 0      |

Two-input one-output two-bit classical logic gates are irreversible

## Two-Qubit Quantum Gates

A two-qubit quantum gate operates on two qubits and the result is two qubits

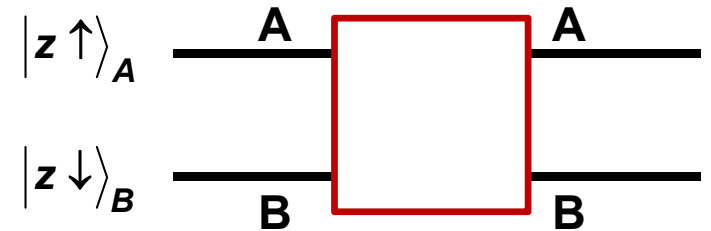


The input (or the output) state consists of a state belonging to the Hilbert state of two different qubits

### Examples:

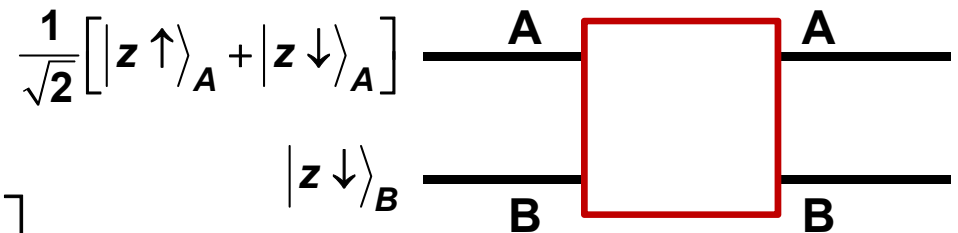
$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = |z \uparrow\rangle_A \otimes |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$

Unentangled



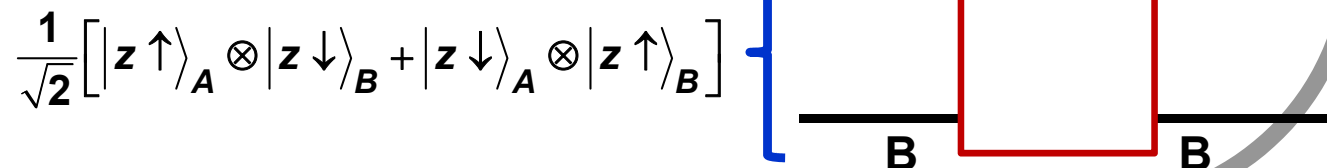
$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A + |z \downarrow\rangle_A \right] \otimes |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$

Unentangled

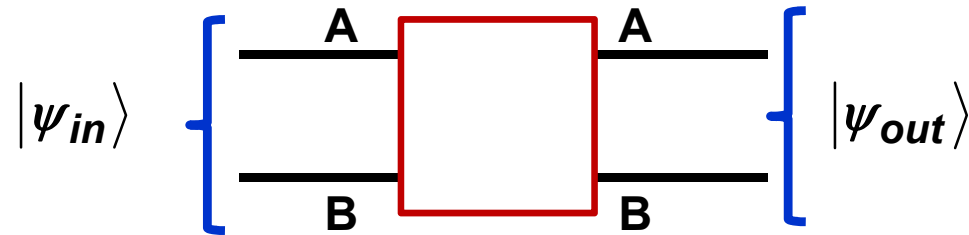


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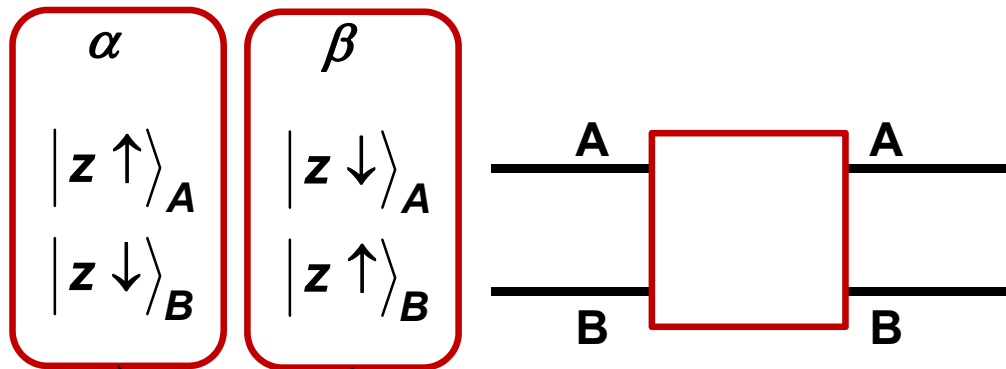
Entangled



## Two-Qubit Quantum Gate: Entangled State Input



$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = \alpha |z \uparrow\rangle_A \otimes |z \downarrow\rangle_B + \beta |z \downarrow\rangle_A \otimes |z \uparrow\rangle_B$$



These two realities are simultaneously going into the gate

## Mapping Convention: Spins

Always remember the mapping convention between the physical quantum states of spins, their column vector representations, and the logical qubits:

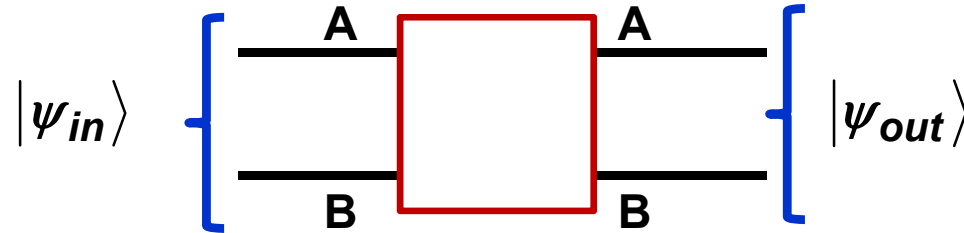
$$\begin{array}{c} |z \uparrow\rangle \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow |0\rangle \\ |z \downarrow\rangle \leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \leftrightarrow |1\rangle \end{array}$$

↑                          ↑                          ↑  
Spin                          Mapping                          Logical qubits  
physical                          to col                          qubits  
states                          vector rep

You are very likely going to make an error if you forget the above!

## Two-Qubit Quantum Gates: Different Notation

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |z \uparrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |0\rangle \\ |z \downarrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |1\rangle \end{array} \right.$$

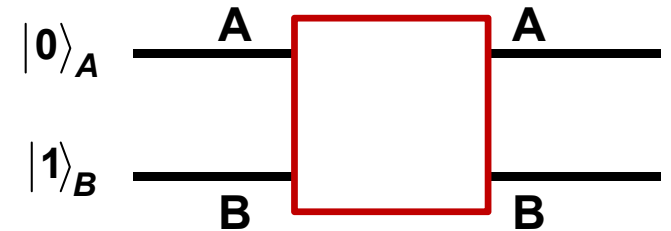


Even when one is working with a spin qubits, one often uses the logical 0 and logical 1 qubit notation:

### Examples:

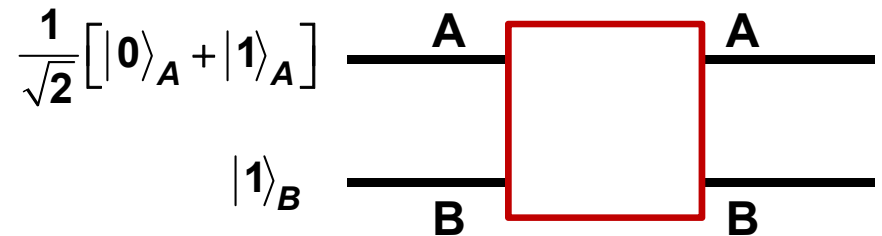
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Unentangled



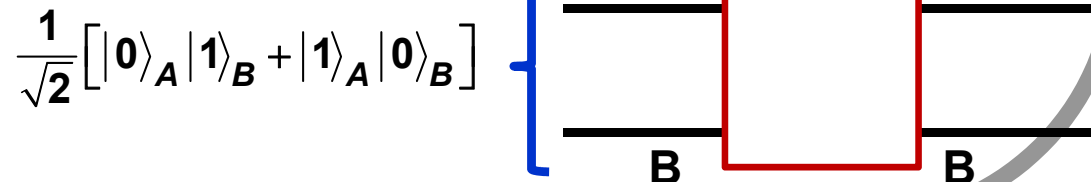
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Unentangled

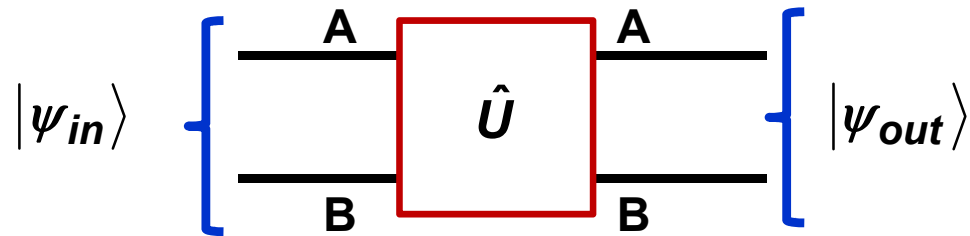


$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B ]$$

Entangled



## Two-Qubit Quantum Gates: Unitarity, Linearity, and Reversibility



**Unitarity:**

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\psi_{in}\rangle \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \hat{U} \text{ is a unitary operator}$$

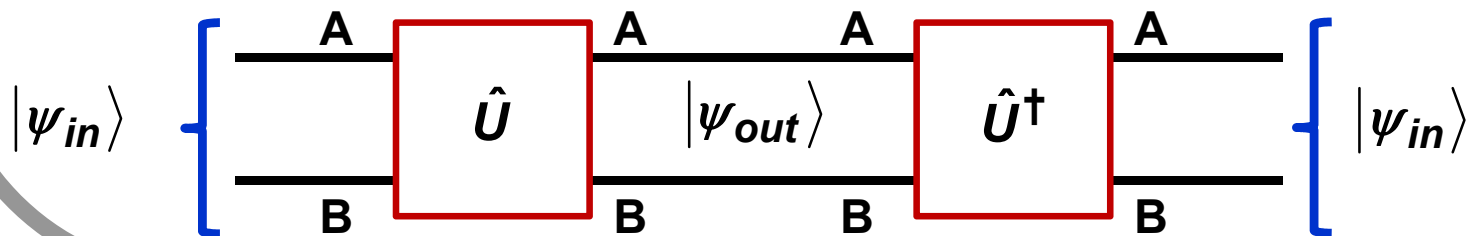
**Linearity:**

Suppose  $|\chi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\chi_{in}\rangle$  and  $|\phi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\phi_{in}\rangle$ , then if  $|\psi_{in}\rangle = \alpha|\chi_{in}\rangle + \beta|\phi_{in}\rangle$ , the output is:

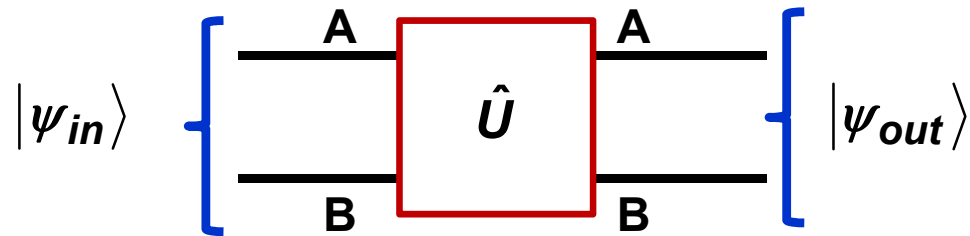
$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\psi_{in}\rangle = \hat{U}(\alpha|\chi_{in}\rangle + \beta|\phi_{in}\rangle) = \alpha\hat{U}|\chi_{in}\rangle + \beta\hat{U}|\phi_{in}\rangle = \alpha|\chi_{out}\rangle + \beta|\phi_{out}\rangle$$

**Reversibility:**

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\psi_{in}\rangle \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad |\psi_{in}\rangle = \hat{U}^\dagger|\psi_{out}\rangle$$



## Two-Qubit Quantum Gates: Hilbert Space



The Hilbert space of two-qubits consists of the following four unentangled basis states:

$$|0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B \quad |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B \quad |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B \quad |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B$$

The operation of a quantum gate is fully specified by its actions on all basis states

Both the input and the output state can be written in terms of the above four states

$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = \alpha |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + \beta |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + \gamma |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + \delta |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi_{out}\rangle &= \hat{U} |\psi_{in}\rangle \\ &= a |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + b |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + c |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + d |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B \end{aligned}$$

| 2-Qubit Gate              |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Input                     | Output |
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |

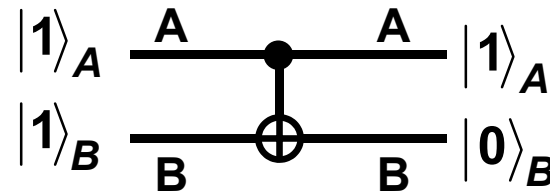
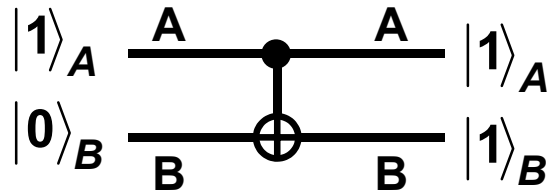
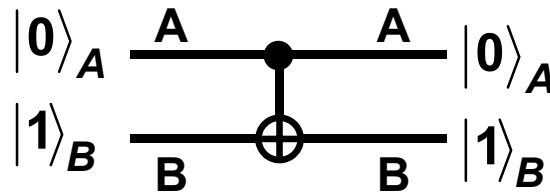
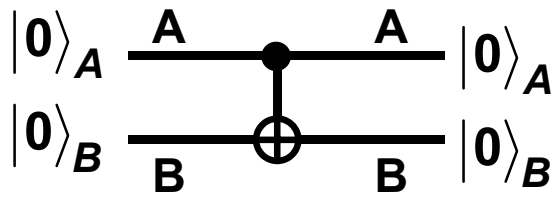


## The Control-X (C-NOT) Gate

The Hilbert space of two-qubits consists of the following four unentangled basis states:

$$|0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B \quad |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B \quad |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B \quad |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B$$

The operation of a quantum gate is fully specified by its actions on all basis states



### Control-X or C-NOT

| Input                     | Output                    |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |

Depending on the value of the control qubit (i.e. A), the qubit of the second input (B) is flipped (i.e. acted upon by the  $\hat{\sigma}_x$  operator)

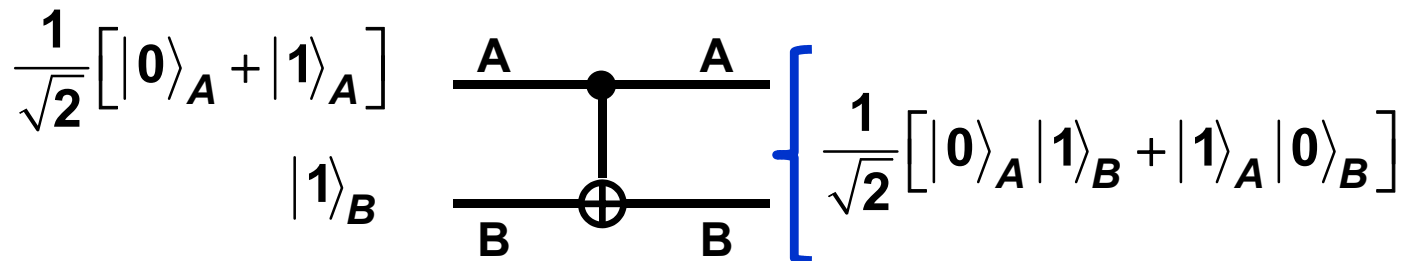
Use linearity of quantum gates to figure out what happens when the input state is a superposition of different basis states:

$$\left[ \alpha |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + \beta |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + \gamma |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + \delta |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B \right]
 \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{CNOT Gate} \\ \hline \end{array} \right]
 \left[ \alpha |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B + \beta |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + \gamma |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + \delta |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B \right]$$

## The Control-X (C-NOT) Gate can Entangle

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi_{in}\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |0\rangle_A + |1\rangle_A ] |1\rangle_B \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B ]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [ |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B + |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B ]$$



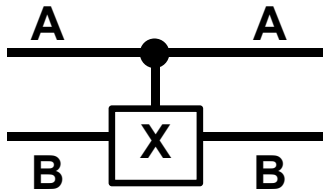
Unentangled input

Entangled output

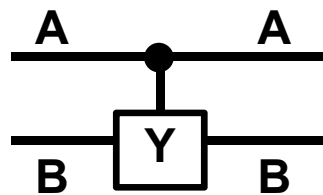
## Universal Set of Quantum Gates

The set of all single-qubit quantum gates together with the two-qubit CNOT gate form a widely used universal set of quantum gates

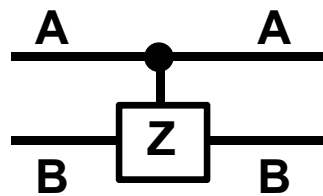
## Other Common Two-qubit Control Gates



Control-X (CNOT)



Control-Y



Control-Z

### Control-X or CNOT

| Input                     | Output                    |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |

### Control-Y

| Input                     | Output                      |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$   |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$   |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $-i 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $i 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$  |

### Control-Z

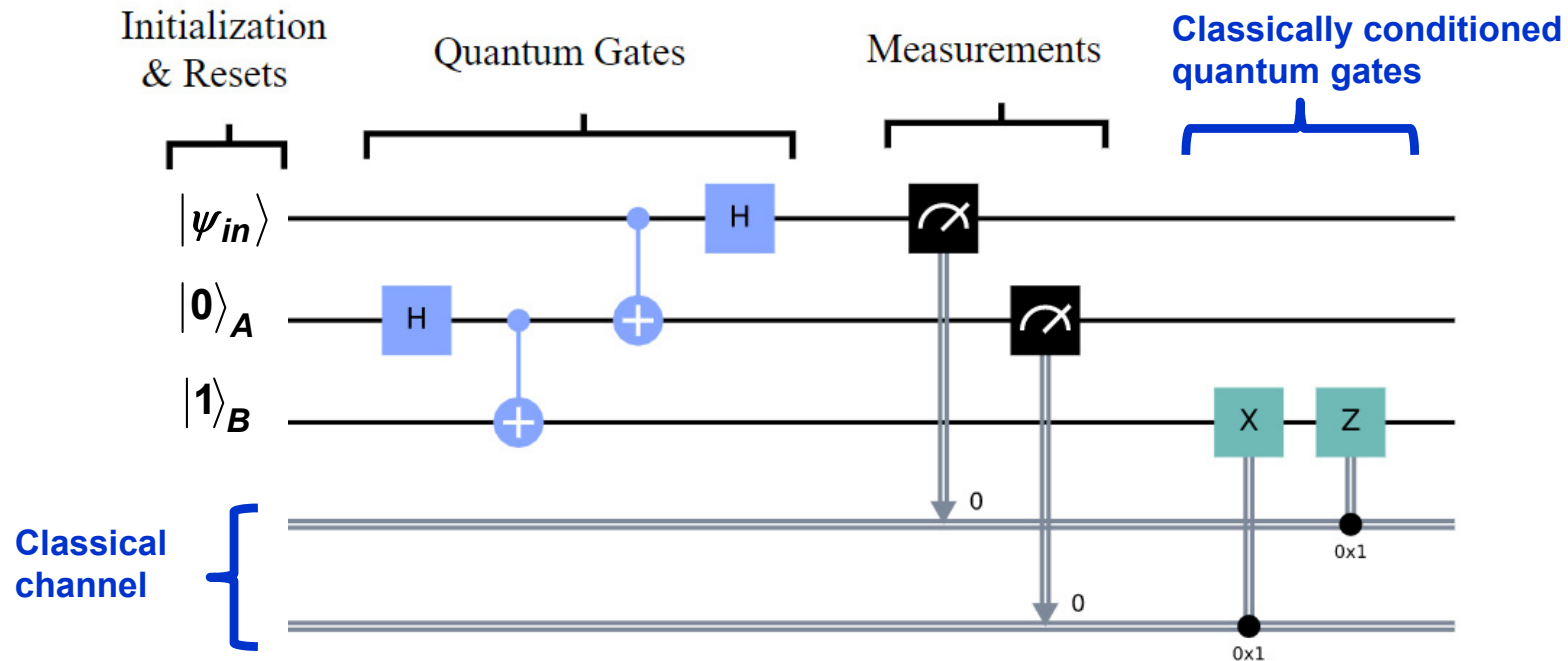
| Input                     | Output                     |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$  |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$  |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$  |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $- 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |

# Quantum Circuits

## What is a Quantum Circuit?

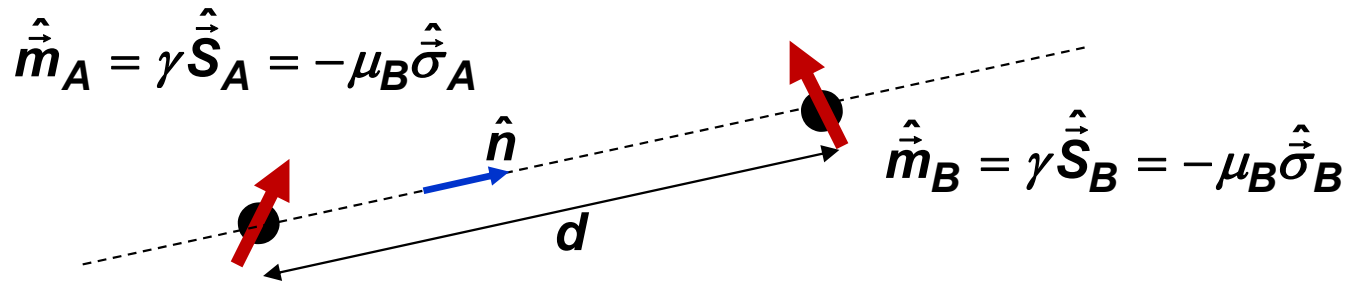
A quantum circuit is a computational routine consisting of coherent quantum operations on quantum data, such as qubits, and concurrent real-time classical computation

It is an ordered sequence of quantum gates, measurements and resets, all of which may be conditioned on and use data from the real-time classical computation



## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

Consider two spin 1/2 particles located as shown below:



The **magnetic dipole potential energy** between them can be written in terms of their magnetic moments:

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi d^3} \left[ \hat{m}_A \cdot \hat{m}_B - 3 \left( \hat{m}_A \cdot \hat{n} \right) \left( \hat{m}_B \cdot \hat{n} \right) \right] = \frac{\mu_0 \mu_B^2}{4\pi d^3} \left[ \hat{\sigma}_A \cdot \hat{\sigma}_B - 3 \left( \hat{\sigma}_A \cdot \hat{n} \right) \left( \hat{\sigma}_B \cdot \hat{n} \right) \right]$$

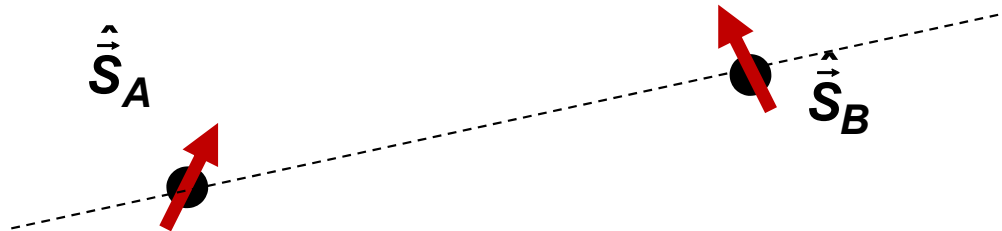
In materials, the **exchange energy** is much larger than the magnetic dipole energy and the resulting Hamiltonian usually takes the form:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H} &= J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \otimes \hat{\sigma}_B^x + J_y \hat{\sigma}_A^y \otimes \hat{\sigma}_B^y + J_z \hat{\sigma}_A^z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_B^z \\ &= J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x + J_y \hat{\sigma}_A^y \hat{\sigma}_B^y + J_z \hat{\sigma}_A^z \hat{\sigma}_B^z \\ &= J \hat{\sigma}_A \cdot \hat{\sigma}_B \quad \left\{ \text{If } J_x = J_y = J_z = J \right. \end{aligned}$$

The value of  $J$  is generally a decreasing function of the distance between the spins

## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

Consider two spins 1/2 as shown below:



Suppose the Hamiltonian is:

$$\hat{H} = J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x = \frac{4}{\hbar^2} J_x \hat{S}_A^x \hat{S}_B^x$$

What about the eigenstates of the Hamiltonian? They can be the entangled states:

$$\hat{H} |v_j\rangle = E_j |v_j\rangle$$

$$|v_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B - |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B \right] \quad E_1 = -J_x$$

$$|v_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B + |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B \right] \quad E_2 = J_x$$

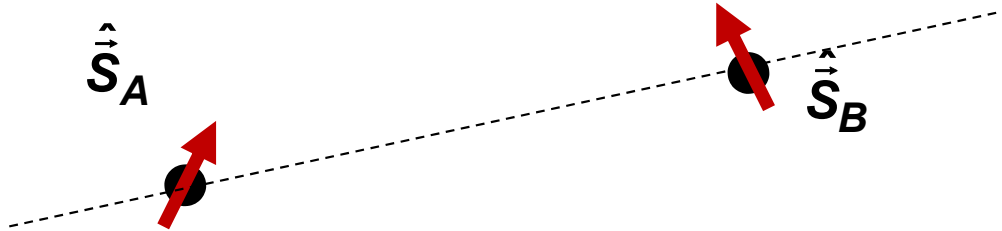
$$|v_3\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B + |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \right] \quad E_3 = J_x$$

$$|v_4\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B - |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \right] \quad E_4 = -J_x$$

The degenerate eigenstates can be combined to generate unentangled eigenstates

## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

Consider two spins 1/2 as shown below:



The Hamiltonian is:

$$\hat{H} = J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x = \frac{4}{\hbar^2} J_x \hat{S}_A^x \hat{S}_B^x$$

The unentangled eigenstates are:

$$\hat{H} |v_j\rangle = E_j |v_j\rangle$$

$$|v_1\rangle = |x \uparrow\rangle_A |x \downarrow\rangle_B \quad E_1 = -J_x$$

$$|v_2\rangle = |x \uparrow\rangle_A |x \uparrow\rangle_B \quad E_2 = J_x$$

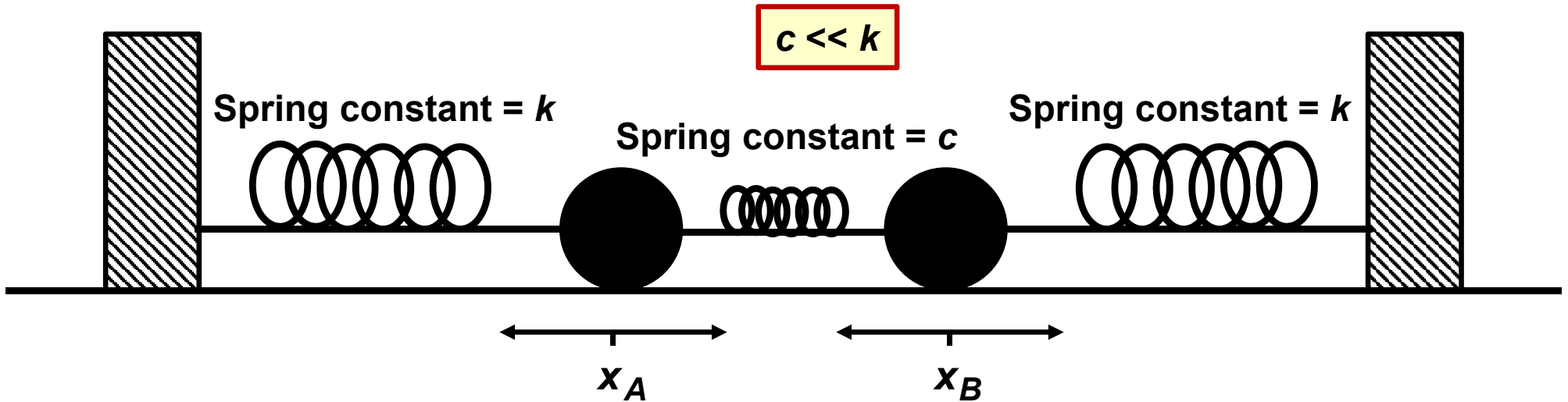
$$|v_3\rangle = |x \downarrow\rangle_A |x \downarrow\rangle_B \quad E_3 = J_x$$

$$|v_4\rangle = |x \downarrow\rangle_A |x \uparrow\rangle_B \quad E_4 = -J_x$$



# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Quantum SHOs

Consider two coupled quantum SHOs:



$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H} &= \frac{\hat{p}_A^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} k \hat{x}_A^2 + \frac{\hat{p}_B^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} k \hat{x}_B^2 + \frac{1}{2} c (\hat{x}_A - \hat{x}_B)^2 \\ &= \left[ \frac{\hat{p}_A^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} (k + c) \hat{x}_A^2 \right] + \left[ \frac{\hat{p}_B^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} (k + c) \hat{x}_B^2 \right] - c \hat{x}_A \hat{x}_B \\ &= \hat{H}_A + \hat{H}_B + \hat{H}_{AB} \\ &= \hbar \omega_0 \left[ \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \frac{1}{2} \right] + \hbar \omega_0 \left[ \hat{b}^\dagger \hat{b} + \frac{1}{2} \right] + \hat{H}_{AB} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} & \\ & \end{aligned} \right\} \omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k + c}{m}}$$

# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Quantum SHOs

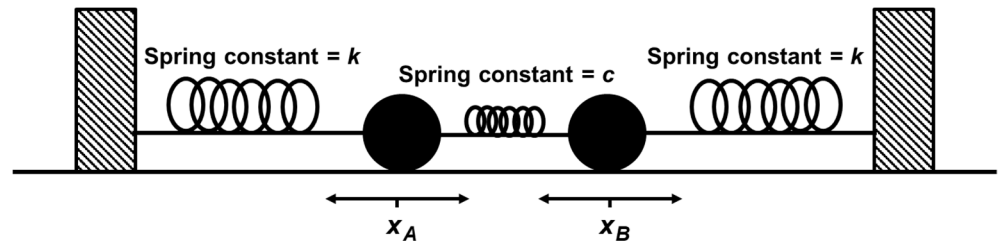
Consider two coupled quantum SHOs:

Restrict the Hilbert space of each SHO to just the first two states:

$$|n=0\rangle_A \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad |n=1\rangle_A \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H}_A &= E_0 |0\rangle_A \langle 0| + E_1 |1\rangle_A \langle 1| \\ &= \frac{E_0 + E_1}{2} + \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{E_0 + E_1}{2} + \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_A^z \\ &\approx \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_A^z \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{H}_B \approx \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} \hat{\sigma}_B^z$$



$$\hat{H}_{AB} = -c \hat{X}_A \hat{X}_B$$

$$= -c \frac{\hbar}{2m\omega_0} (\hat{a} + \hat{a}^\dagger)(\hat{b} + \hat{b}^\dagger)$$

$$= -c \frac{\hbar}{2m\omega_0} \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

Recall from HW

$$= J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} [\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z] + J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

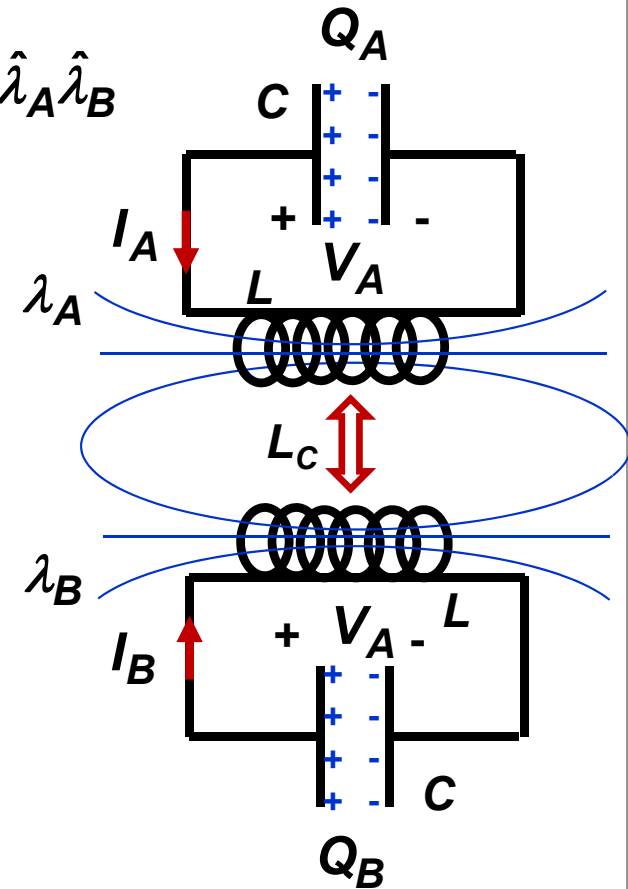
# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Superconducting Qubits

Consider two coupled quantum superconductive qubits:

$$\hat{H} = \left[ \frac{(\hat{Q}_A)^2}{2C} + \frac{1}{2} C \omega_o^2 (\hat{\lambda}_A)^2 \right] + \left[ \frac{(\hat{Q}_B)^2}{2C} + \frac{1}{2} C \omega_o^2 (\hat{\lambda}_B)^2 \right] + \frac{L_c}{L^2} \hat{\lambda}_A \hat{\lambda}_B$$

$$= \hat{H}_A + \hat{H}_B + \hat{H}_{AB}$$

$$= \hbar \omega_o \left[ \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \frac{1}{2} \right] + \hbar \omega_o \left[ \hat{b}^\dagger \hat{b} + \frac{1}{2} \right] + \hat{H}_{AB}$$



Restrict the Hilbert space of each qubit to just the first two states:

$$\hat{H}_A \approx \frac{\hbar \omega_o}{2} \hat{\sigma}_A^z$$

$$\hat{H}_B \approx \frac{\hbar \omega_o}{2} \hat{\sigma}_B^z$$

$$\hat{H}_{AB} = \frac{L_c}{L^2} \hat{\lambda}_A \hat{\lambda}_B$$

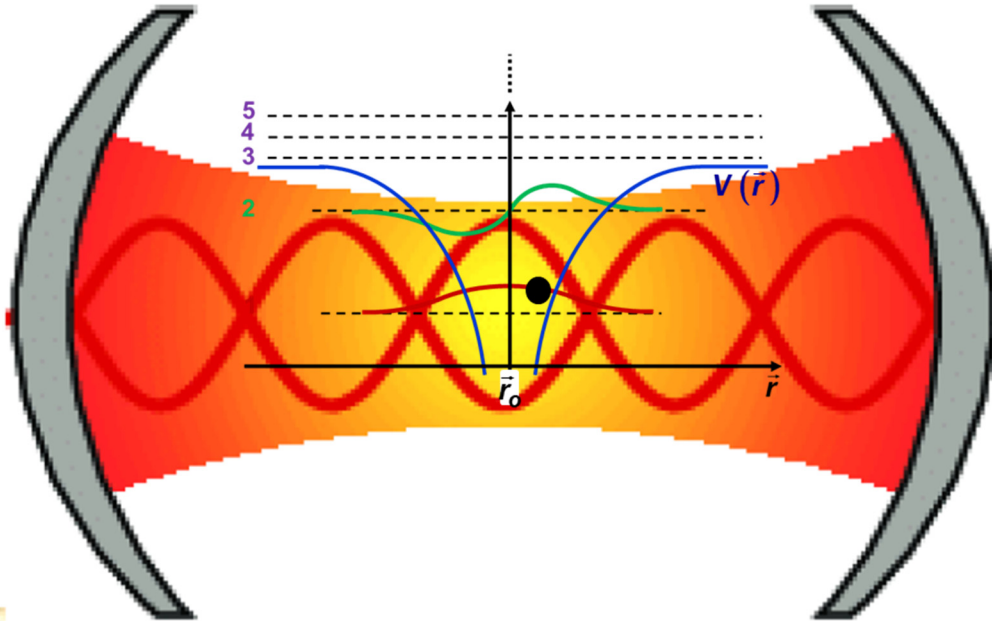
$$= \frac{L_c}{L^2} \frac{\hbar}{2C\omega_o} (\hat{a} + \hat{a}^\dagger) (\hat{b} + \hat{b}^\dagger)$$

$$= \frac{L_c}{L^2} \frac{\hbar}{2C\omega_o} \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

$$= J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hbar \omega_o}{2} [\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z] + J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

## Interaction and Entanglement: Atom in an Optical Cavity



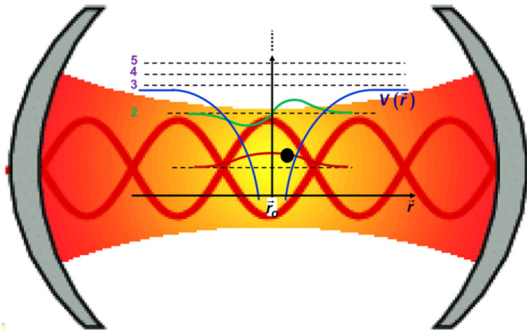
**System A:**  
The electron in the  
two-level atom

**System B:**  
The cavity mode  
(Handout 13)

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{H} &= E_1 |e_1\rangle\langle e_1| + E_2 |e_2\rangle\langle e_2| + \hbar\omega_0 \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} - q\hat{E}(\vec{r}_0)d [ |e_1\rangle\langle e_2| + |e_2\rangle\langle e_1| ] \\ &= E_1 |e_1\rangle\langle e_1| + E_2 |e_2\rangle\langle e_2| + \hbar\omega_0 \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + g(\hat{a} - \hat{a}^\dagger) [ |e_1\rangle\langle e_2| + |e_2\rangle\langle e_1| ]\end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ g = iq \sqrt{\frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2\epsilon_0}} U(\vec{r}_0)d \right.$$

# Interaction and Entanglement: Atom in an Optical Cavity



**System A:**  
The electron in the  
two-level atom

**System B:**  
The cavity mode  
(Handout 13)

Joint Hilbert space consists of all states of the form:

$$|e_1\rangle \otimes |n\rangle \quad \text{or} \quad |e_2\rangle \otimes |n\rangle \quad \{ n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \}$$

Eigenstates and eigenvalues of the Hamiltonian when  $\hbar\omega_0 = E_2 - E_1$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_1^n &= E_2 + n\hbar\omega_0 + |g|\sqrt{n+1} \\ \lambda_2^n &= E_2 + n\hbar\omega_0 - |g|\sqrt{n+1} \end{aligned} \quad \{ n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |v_1^n\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |e_2\rangle \otimes |n\rangle + \frac{g^*}{|g|} |e_1\rangle \otimes |n+1\rangle \right] \\ |v_2^n\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |e_2\rangle \otimes |n\rangle - \frac{g^*}{|g|} |e_1\rangle \otimes |n+1\rangle \right] \end{aligned}$$

**Entangled states!**

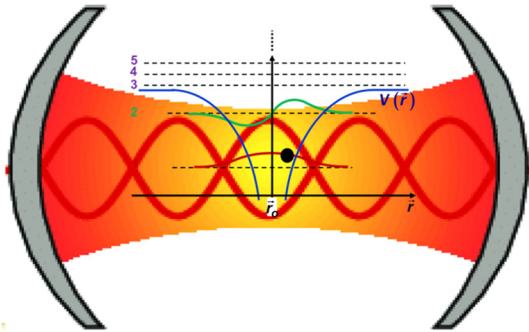
One final eigenstate is:

$$|e_1\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

with eigenvalue:

$$E_1$$

# Interaction and Entanglement: Atom in an Optical Cavity



**System A:**  
The electron in the  
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**System B:**  
The cavity mode  
(Handout 13)

Suppose we restrict the Hilbert space to just these two states in each system:

$|e_1\rangle$  and  $|e_2\rangle$   $\longrightarrow$  System A

$|0\rangle$  and  $|1\rangle$   $\longrightarrow$  System B  
(0 and 1 photon states only)

And assume zero detuning:

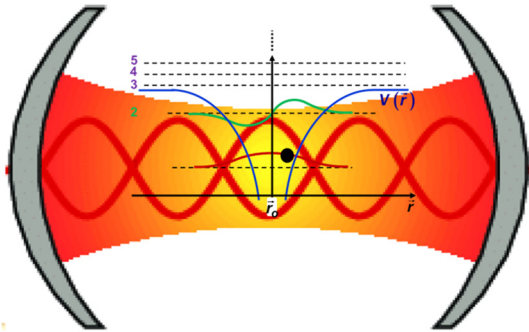
$$E_2 - E_1 = \hbar\omega_0$$

Perform the following mapping of each (atom and cavity mode) Hilbert space to the 2D Hilbert space of a spin 1/2:

$$|e_1\rangle \rightarrow |z \downarrow\rangle_A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad |e_2\rangle \rightarrow |z \uparrow\rangle_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{System A}$$

$$|0\rangle \rightarrow |z \downarrow\rangle_B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad |1\rangle \rightarrow |z \uparrow\rangle_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{System B}$$

# Interaction and Entanglement: Atom in an Optical Cavity



**System A:**  
The electron in the  
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**System B:**  
The cavity mode  
(Handout 13)

Then under this mapping:

$$[|e_1\rangle\langle e_2| + |e_2\rangle\langle e_1|] \rightarrow \hat{\sigma}_x^A$$

$$(\hat{a} + \hat{a}^\dagger) \rightarrow \hat{\sigma}_x^B$$

$$(\hat{a} - \hat{a}^\dagger) \rightarrow -i\hat{\sigma}_y^B$$

And the Hamiltonian in this restricted subspace becomes:

$$\hat{H} = E_1|e_1\rangle\langle e_1| + E_2|e_2\rangle\langle e_2| + \hbar\omega_0\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a} - q\hat{E}(\vec{r}_0)d[|e_1\rangle\langle e_2| + |e_2\rangle\langle e_1|]$$

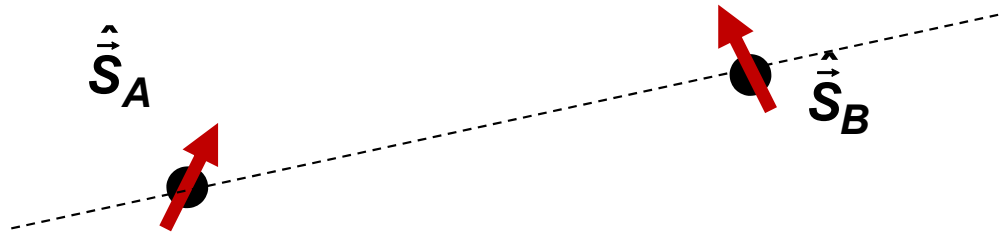
$$= E_1|e_1\rangle\langle e_1| + E_2|e_2\rangle\langle e_2| + \hbar\omega_0\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a} + g(\hat{a} - \hat{a}^\dagger)[|e_1\rangle\langle e_2| + |e_2\rangle\langle e_1|]$$

$$= \left( \frac{E_1 + E_2}{2} + \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} \right) + \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} (\hat{\sigma}_z^A + \hat{\sigma}_z^B) - ig\hat{\sigma}_x^A\hat{\sigma}_y^B$$

offset

## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

Consider two 1/2 spins located not far from each other, as shown below:



Suppose the interaction Hamiltonian is:

$$\hat{H} = J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x = \frac{4}{\hbar^2} J_x \hat{S}_A^x \hat{S}_B^x$$

Suppose:

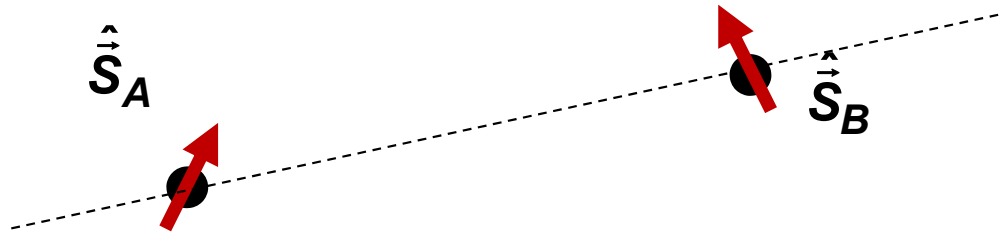
$$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$

What is the state at time  $t > 0$ :

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} t} |\psi(t=0)\rangle = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H} t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$



## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

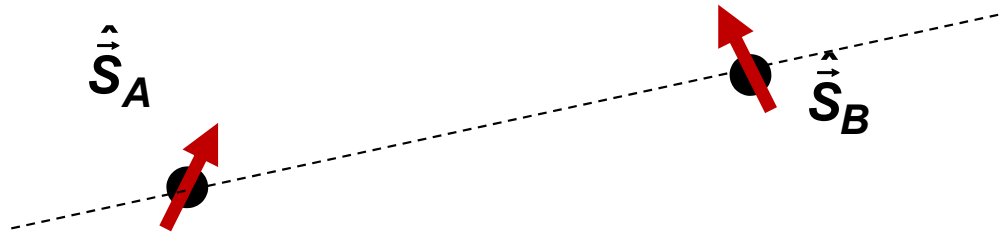


What is the state at time  $t > 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}\hat{H}t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\
 &= \left[ \hat{1} \cos\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) - i \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x \sin\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) \right] |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\
 &= \cos\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B - i \sin\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B
 \end{aligned}$$

$$e^{i\alpha(\hat{n}\cdot\hat{\sigma}_A)(\hat{m}\cdot\hat{\sigma}_B)} = \left[ \hat{1} \cos(\alpha) + i(\hat{n}\cdot\hat{\sigma}_A)(\hat{m}\cdot\hat{\sigma}_B) \sin(\alpha) \right]$$

## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins



Consider the state at time  $J_x t / \hbar = \pi/4$  :

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-\frac{i\pi}{4} \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B - i |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B \right] \end{aligned}$$

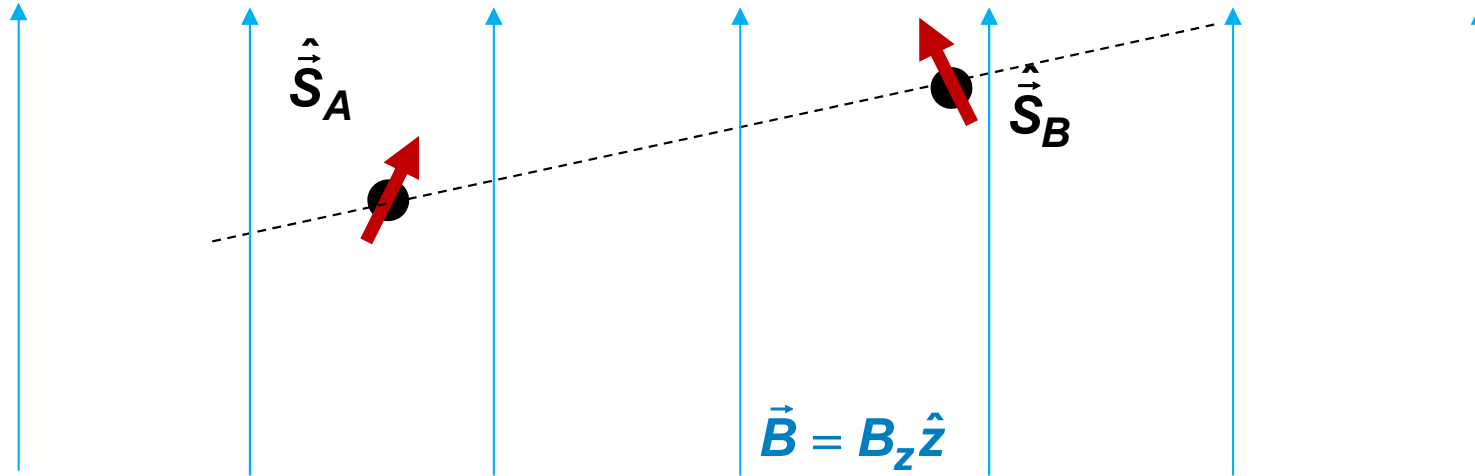
**Entangled state!!**

**Two lessons (or rules of thumb):**

- Interactions between two systems result in them getting entangled
- Interactions between two systems have equal and opposite effects on the systems involved

## Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Spins

Now consider two spins 1/2 in a DC magnetic field as shown below:



Each spin will now experience Zeeman splitting due to the DC z-directed magnetic field

$$\hat{H} = \underbrace{\frac{\Delta}{2} \hat{\sigma}_A^z + \frac{\Delta}{2} \hat{\sigma}_B^z}_{\text{Separable part}} + \underbrace{J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x}_{\text{Interaction part (involves operators from both systems A and B)}}$$

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_A + \hat{H}_B + \hat{H}_{AB}$$

## Some Useful Relations

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-i\left[\omega_0\left[\frac{\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z}{2}\right] + \frac{J_x}{\hbar}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\hat{\sigma}_B^x\right]t} |z\uparrow\rangle_A |z\uparrow\rangle_B \\
 &= \left[ \hat{1}\cos\left(\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}t\right) - i\sin\left(\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}t\right) \frac{\omega_0\left[\frac{\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z}{2}\right] + \frac{J_x}{\hbar}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\hat{\sigma}_B^x}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}} \right] |z\uparrow\rangle_A |z\uparrow\rangle_B
 \end{aligned}$$

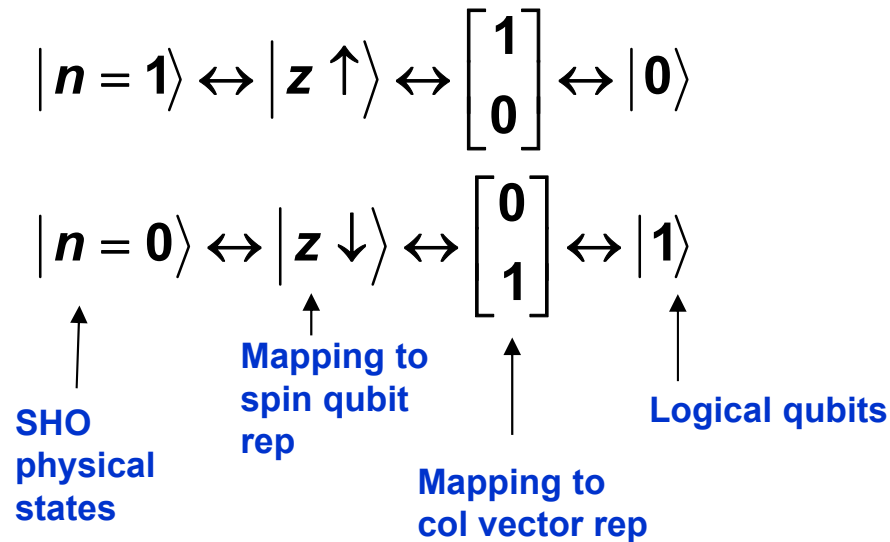
$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-i\left[\omega_0\left[\frac{\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z}{2}\right] + \frac{J_x}{\hbar}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\hat{\sigma}_B^x\right]t} |z\downarrow\rangle_A |z\downarrow\rangle_B \\
 &= \left[ \hat{1}\cos\left(\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}t\right) - i\sin\left(\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}t\right) \frac{\omega_0\left[\frac{\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z}{2}\right] + \frac{J_x}{\hbar}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\hat{\sigma}_B^x}{\sqrt{\omega_0^2 + (J_x/\hbar)^2}} \right] |z\downarrow\rangle_A |z\downarrow\rangle_B
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 &= \left[ \hat{1}\cos\left((J_x/\hbar)t\right) - i\sin\left((J_x/\hbar)t\right)\hat{\sigma}_A^x\hat{\sigma}_B^x \right] |z\uparrow\rangle_A |z\downarrow\rangle_B
 \end{aligned}$$

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 \end{aligned}$$

## Mapping Convention: SHO

Always remember the mapping convention between the physical quantum states of SHOs, their representations, and the logical qubits:



You are very likely going to make an error if you forget the above!

# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Superconducting Qubits

Two coupled superconducting qubits:

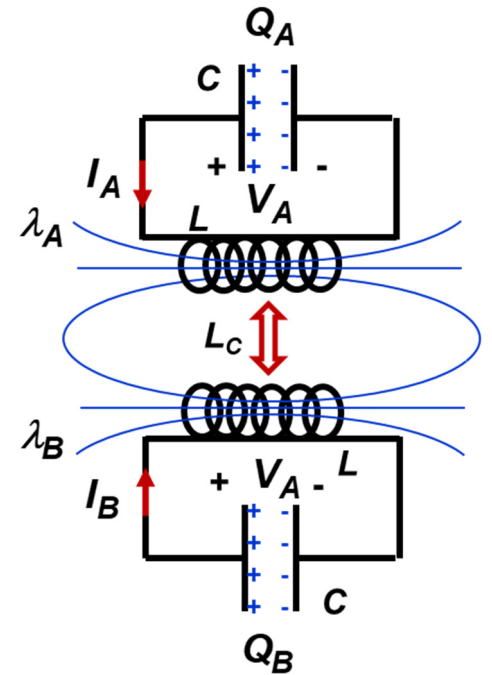
$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} [\hat{\sigma}_A^Z + \hat{\sigma}_B^Z] + J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^X \hat{\sigma}_B^X$$

Suppose:

$$|\psi(t=0)\rangle = |n=1\rangle_A |n=0\rangle_B = |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$

What is the state at time  $t > 0$ :

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}\hat{H}t} |\psi(t=0)\rangle = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar}\hat{H}t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B$$



Write the initial state in the spin representation

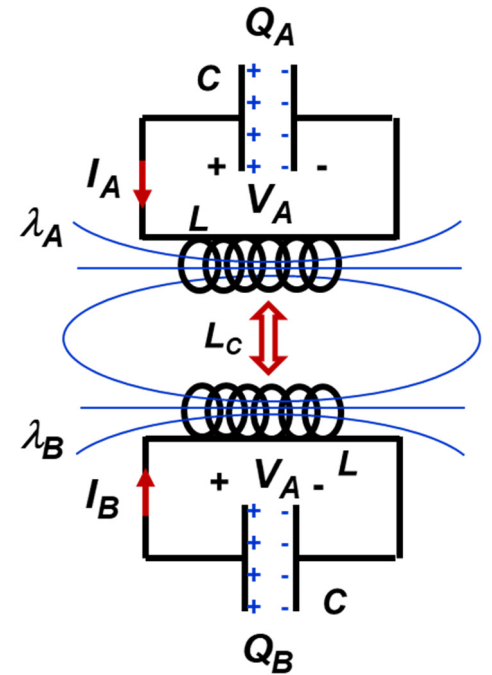
# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Quantum SHOs

Two coupled superconductive qubits:

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} [\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z] + J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

What is the state at time  $t > 0$ :

$$\begin{aligned} |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} \left[ \frac{\hbar\omega_0}{2} [\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z] + J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x \right] t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\ &= e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} [J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x] t} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\ &= \cos\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B - i \sin\left(\frac{J_x t}{\hbar}\right) |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B \end{aligned}$$



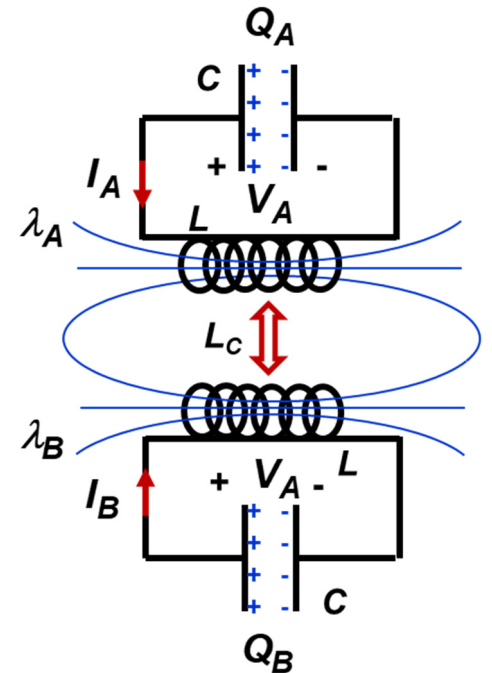
$$\left\{ \left[ \hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z \right] |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B = 0 \right.$$

# Interaction and Entanglement: Coupled Quantum SHOs

And find the state at time  $J_x t / \hbar = \pi/4$ :

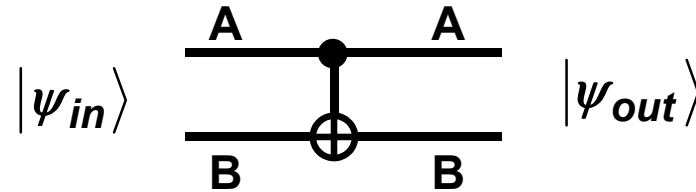
$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi(t)\rangle &= e^{-i\left[\frac{\omega_0 t}{2}[\hat{\sigma}_A^z + \hat{\sigma}_B^z] + \frac{\pi}{4} \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x\right]} |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |z \uparrow\rangle_A |z \downarrow\rangle_B - i |z \downarrow\rangle_A |z \uparrow\rangle_B \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ |n=1\rangle_A |n=0\rangle_B - i |n=0\rangle_A |n=1\rangle_B \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

Entangled state!!

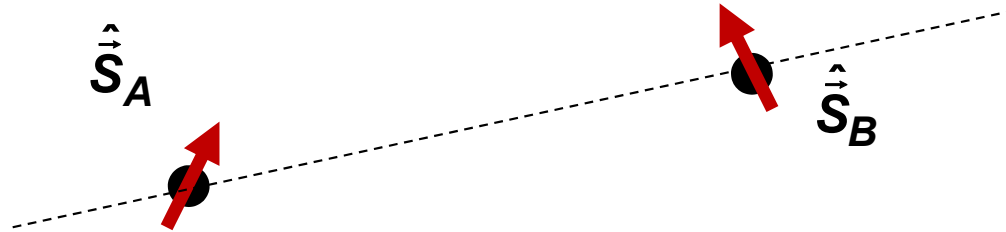




## Implementation of a CNOT Gate



We need to implement a CNOT gate using spin qubits:



Two assumptions:

- We can perform any single-qubit operation separately on each of the spins separately
- We can bring the spins together and implement the following interaction Hamiltonian:

$$\hat{H} = J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x$$

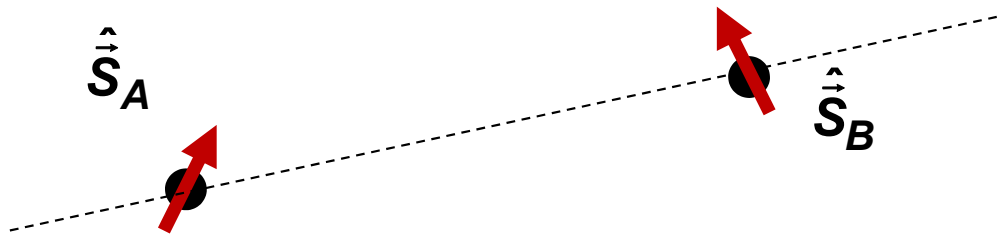
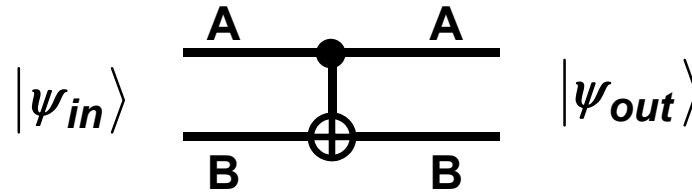
$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = e^{-\frac{i}{\hbar} J_x \hat{\sigma}_A^x \hat{\sigma}_B^x} |\psi_{in}\rangle = \hat{U} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$

### Control-X or C-NOT

| Input                     | Output                    |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} |z \uparrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |0\rangle \\ |z \downarrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |1\rangle \end{array} \right.$$

## Implementation of a CNOT Gate



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One relation that can come in handy is the following:

$$\left[ \hat{\sigma}^y, \hat{\sigma}^z \right] = 2i\hat{\sigma}^x \quad \Longrightarrow \quad e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} \hat{\sigma}^z e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} = \hat{\sigma}^x$$

The above can be used to show that:

$$e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} \left( \hat{\sigma}^z \right)^m e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} = \left( \hat{\sigma}^x \right)^m \quad \{ m = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \}$$

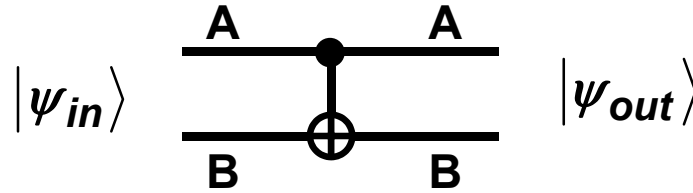
$$e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} e^{+i\alpha\hat{\sigma}^z} e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}^y} = e^{+i\alpha\hat{\sigma}^x}$$

$$e^{\hat{A}+\hat{B}} = e^{\hat{A}}e^{\hat{B}}$$

only if

$$[\hat{A}, \hat{B}] = 0$$

## Implementation of the CNOT Gate



### Control-X or C-NOT

| Input   | Output  |
|---|---|
| $ z \uparrow\rangle_A  z \uparrow\rangle_B$     | $ z \uparrow\rangle_A  z \uparrow\rangle_B$     |
| $ z \uparrow\rangle_A  z \downarrow\rangle_B$   | $ z \uparrow\rangle_A  z \downarrow\rangle_B$   |
| $ z \downarrow\rangle_A  z \uparrow\rangle_B$   | $ z \downarrow\rangle_A  z \downarrow\rangle_B$ |
| $ z \downarrow\rangle_A  z \downarrow\rangle_B$ | $ z \downarrow\rangle_A  z \uparrow\rangle_B$   |

What we need is the following operation:

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U} |\psi_{in}\rangle = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}(1-\hat{\sigma}_A^z)} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}(1-\hat{\sigma}_A^z)\sigma_B^x} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$

If spin-A is down, flips spin-B and adds an unwanted phase of  $\pi/2$

If spin-A is down, removes the unwanted phase of  $\pi/2$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} |z \uparrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |0\rangle \\ |z \downarrow\rangle \leftrightarrow |1\rangle \end{array} \right.$$

$$= e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^z} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^z\sigma_B^x} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$

$$= e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^z} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^z\sigma_B^x} e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$

Use the relation on previous slide

$$= e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^x} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\sigma_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$

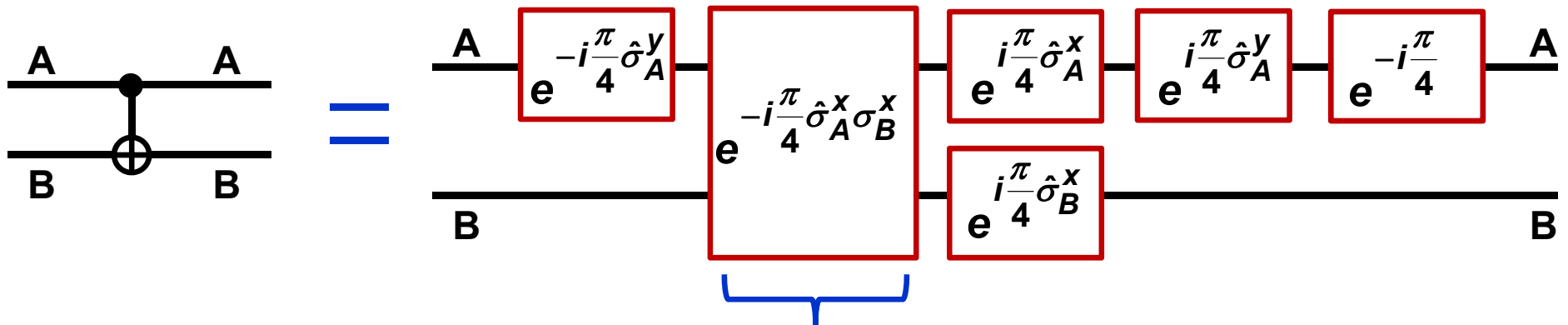
Single qubit gates

Single qubit gate

Two-qubit gate

## Implementation of a CNOT Gate

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{+i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^x} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\sigma_B^x} e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^y} |\psi_{in}\rangle$$



Two-qubit gate

The  $e^{-i\frac{\pi}{4}\hat{\sigma}_A^x\sigma_B^x}$  two-qubit gate can be implemented using any of the techniques discussed earlier in this lecture

## The Hadamard Gate Revisited

The H-gate:



$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U}|\psi_{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[\hat{\sigma}_z + \hat{\sigma}_x]|\psi_{in}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}|\psi_{in}\rangle$$

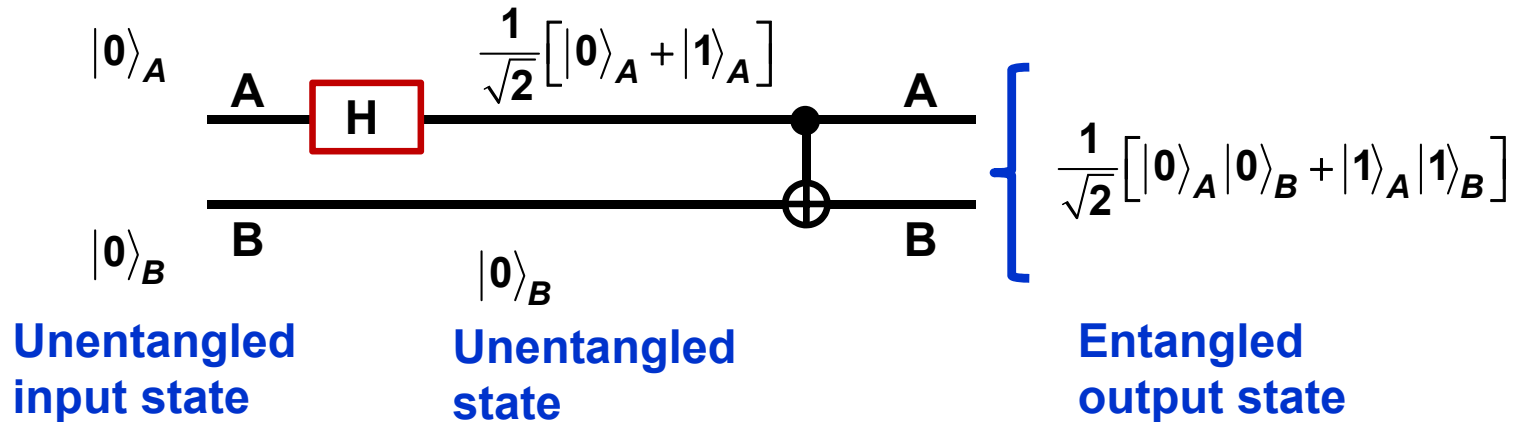
$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = |0\rangle = |z \uparrow\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[|0\rangle + |1\rangle] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[|z \uparrow\rangle + |z \downarrow\rangle] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi_{in}\rangle = |1\rangle = |z \downarrow\rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|\psi_{out}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[|0\rangle - |1\rangle] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[|z \uparrow\rangle - |z \downarrow\rangle] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

## The Control-X (C-NOT) Gate as an Entangler: The Bell Circuit

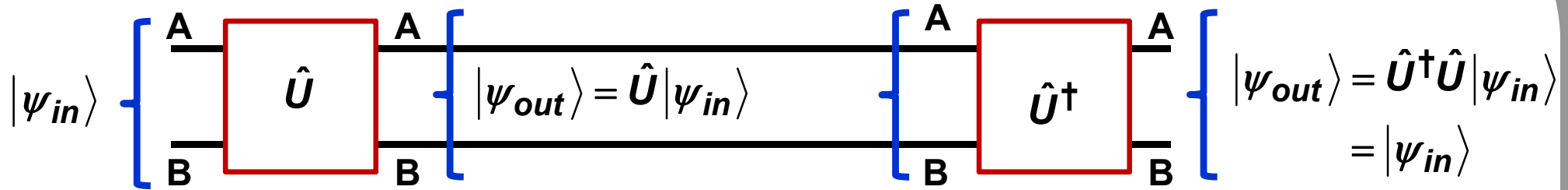


Being able to implement C-NOT gate reliably in any technology is the key to achieving quantum information processing ability in that technology

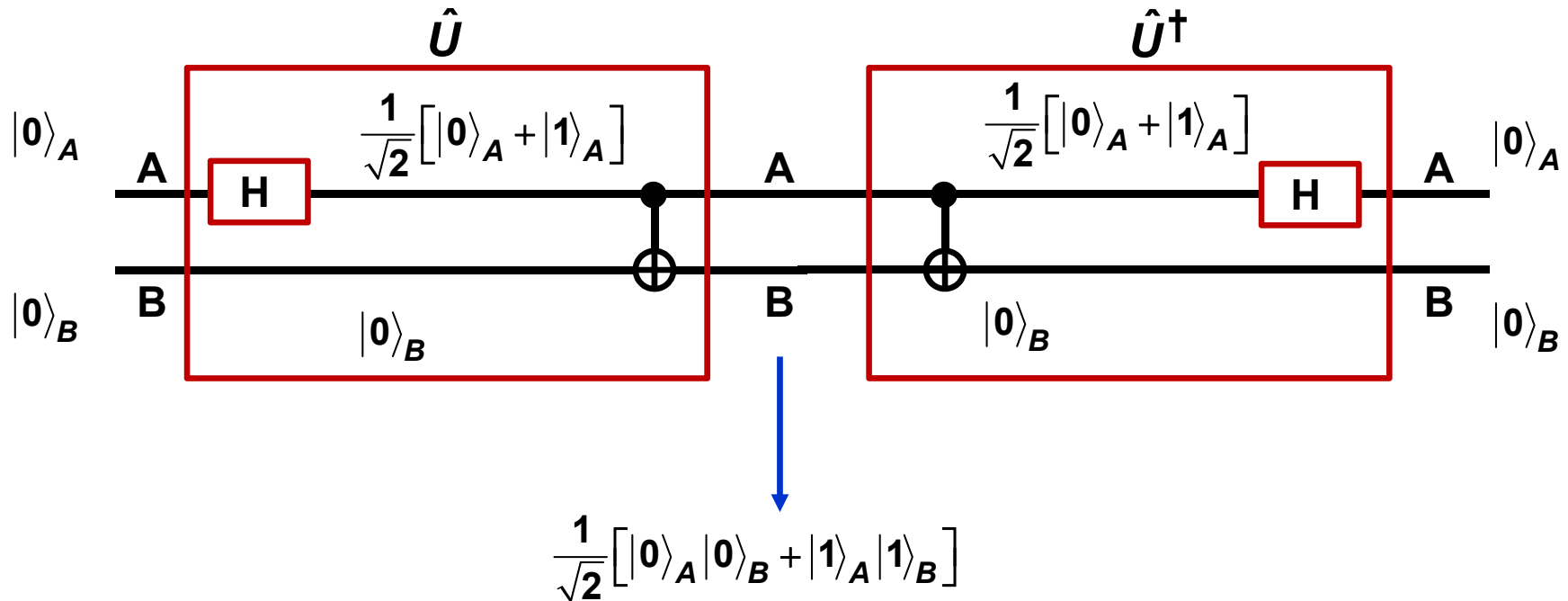
| The Bell Circuit         |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| Input                    | Output  |
| $ 0\rangle_A 0\rangle_B$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[ 0\rangle_A 0\rangle_B +  1\rangle_A 1\rangle_B]$ |
| $ 0\rangle_A 1\rangle_B$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[ 0\rangle_A 1\rangle_B +  1\rangle_A 0\rangle_B]$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A 0\rangle_B$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[ 0\rangle_A 0\rangle_B -  1\rangle_A 1\rangle_B]$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A 1\rangle_B$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[ 0\rangle_A 1\rangle_B -  1\rangle_A 0\rangle_B]$ |

The set of four possible output states are called Bell states

## Two-Qubit Quantum Gates and Circuits are Reversible



**Example:** Reversing a Bell circuit



## Another Hilbert Space Mapping: Change of Representation

The Hilbert space of two-qubits consists of the following four unentangled basis states that can be represented by the four dimensional Hilbert space of column vectors:

$$\begin{aligned}
 |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

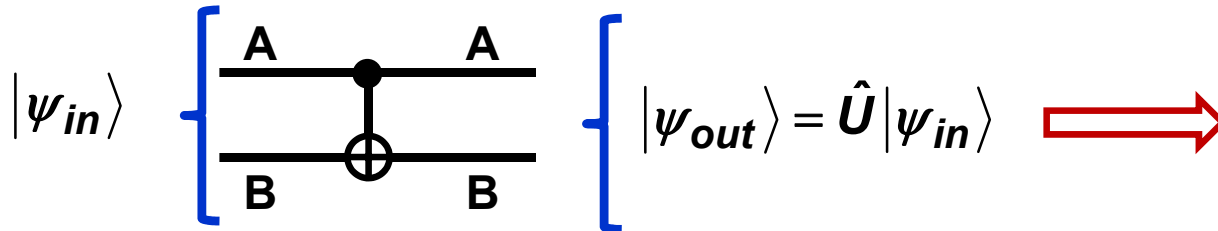
Then the action of the C-NOT gate (or the Control-X gate) can be represented by the 4x4 matrix acting in the new Hilbert space:

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi_{in}\rangle &\left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{A} \quad \text{A} \\ \text{---} \bullet \text{---} \\ | \\ \text{---} \oplus \text{---} \\ \text{B} \quad \text{B} \end{array} \right] \left\{ |\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U} |\psi_{in}\rangle \right. & \Rightarrow & \hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 & & & \hat{\sigma}_x
 \end{aligned}$$



## The Control-Z and Control-Y Gates

The Control-X (C-NOT) gate is:

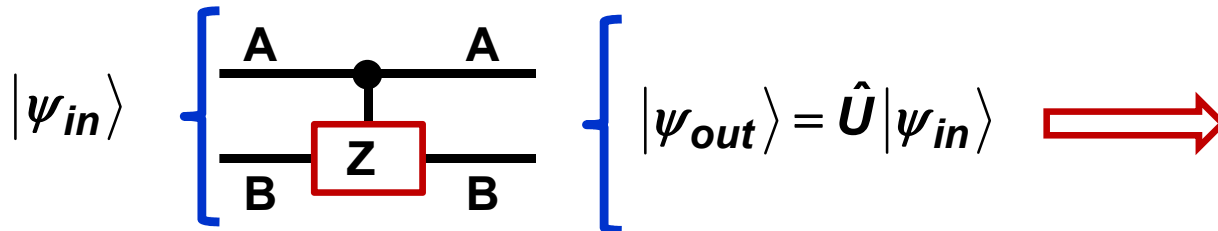


$$\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{\sigma}_x$

Depending on the value of the control qubit (i.e. A), the other qubit (B) gets operated upon by  $\hat{\sigma}_x$

The Control-Z gate is:

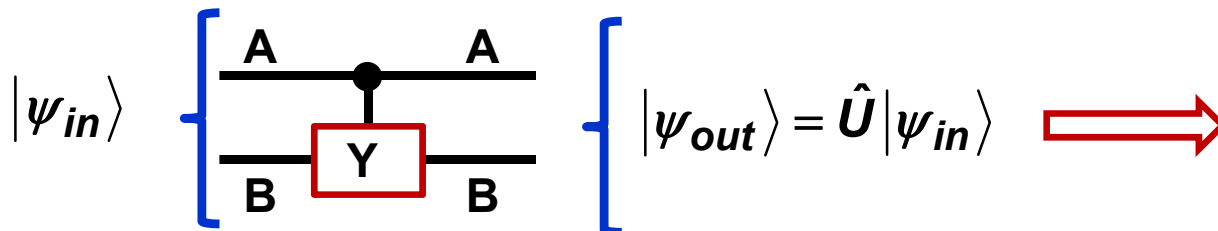


$$\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{\sigma}_z$

Depending on the value of the control qubit (i.e. A), the other qubit (B) gets operated upon by  $\hat{\sigma}_z$

The Control-Y gate is:



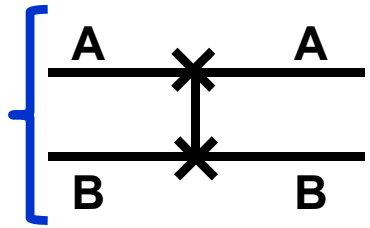

$$\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -i \\ 0 & 0 & i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{\sigma}_y$

Depending on the value of the control qubit (i.e. A), the other qubit (B) gets operated upon by  $\hat{\sigma}_y$

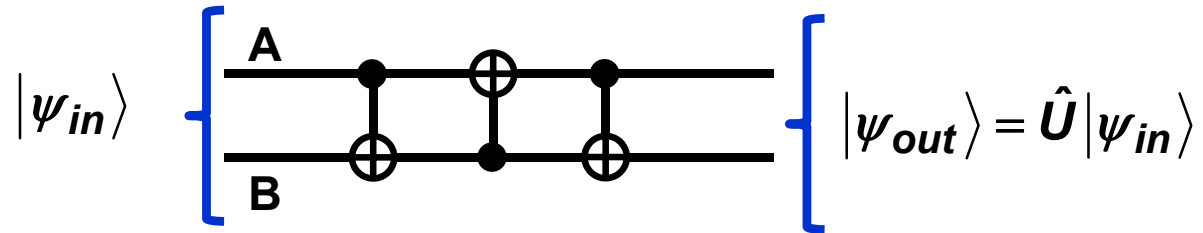
## The SWAP Gate

$$\begin{aligned}
 |0\rangle_A |0\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |0\rangle_A |1\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |1\rangle_A |0\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} &
 |1\rangle_A |1\rangle_B &\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$|\psi_{in}\rangle$ 

 $|\psi_{out}\rangle = \hat{U} |\psi_{in}\rangle$ 

 $\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 
 $\hat{\sigma}_x$

| SWAP                      |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Input                     | Output                    |
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ | $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ | $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |

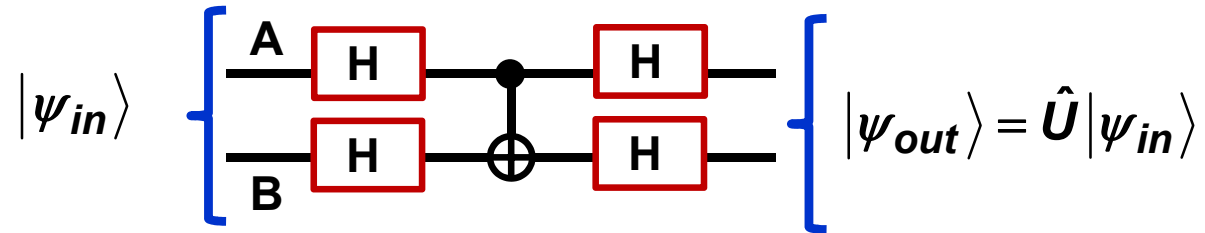
## The Mystery Circuit



| Mystery                   |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Input                     | Output |
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |

$$\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \end{bmatrix}$$

## The Mystery Circuit - II



### Mystery - II

| Input                     | Output |
|---------------------------|--------|
| $ 0\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 0\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  0\rangle_B$ |        |
| $ 1\rangle_A  1\rangle_B$ |        |

$$\hat{U} = \begin{bmatrix} ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? & ? \end{bmatrix}$$