

~~Physics~~

Physics (kets)

Math (vectors)

qubit

Basis for 2D space

basis:

 $|0\rangle \longleftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $|1\rangle \longleftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

state

 $\alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$
 \longleftrightarrow
 $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta$
~~inner product~~
rows vs columns
 $\langle \psi | = |\psi\rangle^\dagger$
 \longleftrightarrow
 $\begin{bmatrix} \alpha^* & \beta^* \end{bmatrix}$
 $= \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix}^\dagger$
 ~~$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|0\rangle + \beta|1\rangle$~~
 $\langle \psi | = \alpha^* \langle 0 | + \beta^* \langle 1 |$

inner product

 $\langle (|\psi_1\rangle, |\psi_2\rangle)$
 (v_1, v_2)
 $= \langle \psi_1 | \psi_2 \rangle \longleftrightarrow$
 $= v_1^\dagger v_2, v_1 \cdot$

$$|\psi_1\rangle = \alpha_1|0\rangle + \beta_1|1\rangle$$

$$|\psi_2\rangle = \alpha_2|0\rangle + \beta_2|1\rangle$$

$$\langle \psi_1 | \psi_2 \rangle = (\alpha_1^* \langle 0 | + \beta_1^* \langle 1 |) (\alpha_2 | 0 \rangle + \beta_2 | 1 \rangle)$$

$$= \alpha_1^* \alpha_2 + \beta_1^* \beta_2$$

physically

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1^* & \beta_1^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_2 \\ \beta_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \alpha_1^* \alpha_2 + \beta_1^* \beta_2.$$

~~Physics~~

Tensor Product

Matrix
 $V = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}, W = \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$V \otimes W$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} v_1 w_1 \\ v_1 w_2 \\ v_2 w_1 \\ v_2 w_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 w \\ v_2 w \end{bmatrix}$$

Physics
 $|\psi_1\rangle \otimes |\psi_2\rangle$

~~Tensor~~ product
 Vectors
 $|\psi_1\rangle = \alpha_1 |0\rangle + \beta_1 |1\rangle$
 $|\psi_2\rangle = \alpha_2 |0\rangle + \beta_2 |1\rangle$

$$|\psi_1\rangle \otimes |\psi_2\rangle$$

$$= (\alpha_1 |0\rangle + \beta_1 |1\rangle) \otimes (\alpha_2 |0\rangle + \beta_2 |1\rangle)$$

$$FOIL = \alpha_1 \alpha_2 |0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle + \alpha_1 \beta_2 |0\rangle \otimes |1\rangle + \beta_1 \alpha_2 |1\rangle \otimes |0\rangle + \beta_1 \beta_2 |1\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_1 \beta_2 \\ \beta_1 \alpha_2 \\ \beta_1 \beta_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Tensor Product

Matrix

Best is
~~W kind input~~
 $V = \sum_{ij} u_{ij} |i\rangle \langle j|$

A
 $\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$

$$V = \sum_{ij} v_{ij} |i\rangle \langle j|$$

B
 $\begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{pmatrix}$

$$V \otimes V = \left(\sum_{ij} u_{ij} |i\rangle \langle j| \right) \otimes \left(\sum_{kl} v_{kl} |k\rangle \langle l| \right) \quad A \otimes B = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} B & a_{12} \\ a_{21} B & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \sum_{ij} \sum_{kl} u_{ij} v_{kl} |i\rangle \langle j| \otimes |k\rangle \langle l|$$

$$= \sum_{ij} \sum_{kl} u_{ij} v_{kl} (|i\rangle \otimes |k\rangle) \langle j| \otimes \langle l|$$

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or claim

$$\sum_{\text{mins}} (U \otimes V)(|\psi\rangle \otimes |\varphi\rangle) = (U|\psi\rangle) \otimes (V|\varphi\rangle)$$

* ~~ask~~ ~~write~~ ~~out~~ ~~LHS~~. $|\psi\rangle = \sum_x \psi_x |x\rangle$, $|\varphi\rangle = \sum_x \varphi_x |x\rangle$
~~ask~~ ~~write~~ ~~out~~ ~~LHS~~. ~~write~~ ~~out~~ ~~RHS~~.

$$\text{LHS: } (U \otimes V)(|\psi\rangle \otimes |\varphi\rangle) = \left[\sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} \psi_{j_1} (|i_1\rangle \otimes |j_1\rangle) \right] \left[\sum_{i_2, j_2} v_{i_2 j_2} \varphi_{j_2} (|i_2\rangle \otimes |j_2\rangle) \right]$$

$$\left[\sum_{x, y} \psi_x \varphi_y (|x\rangle \otimes |y\rangle) \right] \quad \text{Yang}$$

NO RHS

$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} \psi_{j_1} \sum_{i_2, j_2} v_{i_2 j_2} \varphi_{j_2} (|i_1\rangle \otimes |i_2\rangle)$$

~~NO RHS~~

$$\boxed{\text{RHS}} \quad U|\psi\rangle = \left(\sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} |i_1\rangle |j_1\rangle \right) (|\psi_x\rangle)$$

$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} \psi_{j_1} |i_1\rangle \langle j_1 | x \rangle \quad \delta_{j_1 x}$$

$$= \sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} \psi_{j_1} |i_1\rangle$$

only for $j_1 = x$ where

$$V|\varphi\rangle = \sum_{i_2, j_2} v_{i_2 j_2} \varphi_{j_2} |i_2\rangle$$

$$U|\psi\rangle \otimes V|\varphi\rangle = \sum_{i_1, j_1} u_{i_1 j_1} \psi_{j_1} \sum_{i_2, j_2} v_{i_2 j_2} \varphi_{j_2} (|i_1\rangle \otimes |i_2\rangle)$$