

Deutsch-Jozsa Algorithm

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1. Deutsch-Jozsa Problem

Boolean function: $f: \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}$

Constant $\forall x \in \{0,1\}^n f(x) = 0$ or $\forall x \in \{0,1\}^n f(x) = 1$

Balanced $\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}^n} f(x) = 2^{n-1}$

Input: function f which is either Constant or Balanced

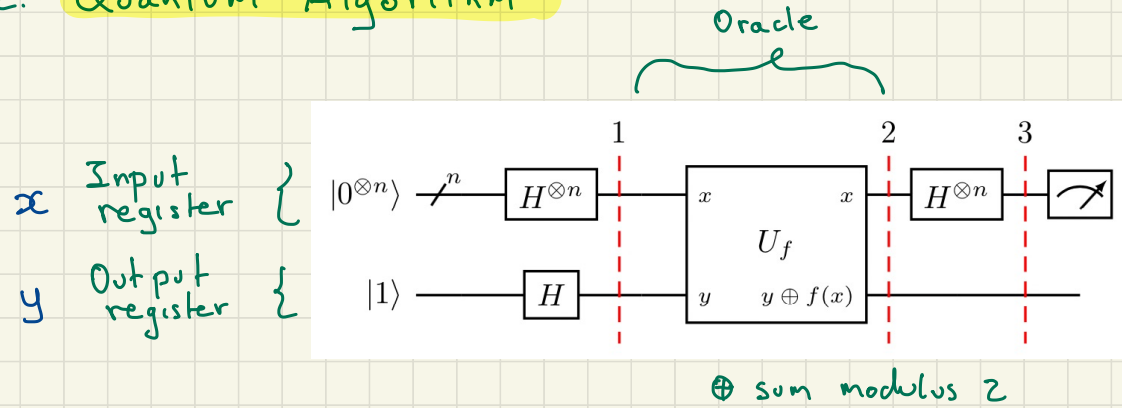
Output: $\begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } f \text{ is Constant} \\ 1 & \text{if } f \text{ is Balanced} \end{cases}$

Classical Algorithm

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def dj(f, n):  
    out = f(0)  
    for x in range(1, 2n-1 + 1):  
        if f(x) != out:  
            return 1  
    return 0
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$O(2^{n-1})$

2. Quantum Algorithm



Step 1. Prepare 2 quantum registers

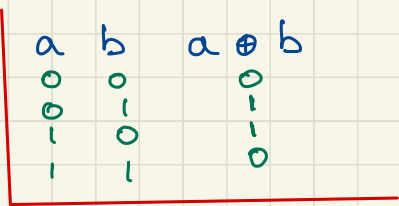
$$|\psi_0\rangle = |0\rangle^{\otimes n} |1\rangle$$

Step 2 Apply Hadamard gates

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\psi_1\rangle &= (H|0\rangle)^{\otimes n} (H|1\rangle) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n+1}}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle)^{\otimes n} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n+1}}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)
 \end{aligned}$$

Step 3 Apply the quantum oracle

$$U_f: \{0,1\}^{n+1} \rightarrow \{0,1\}^{n+1}$$
$$|x\rangle|y\rangle \mapsto |x\rangle|y \oplus f(x)\rangle$$



$$|\psi_2\rangle = U_f |\psi_1\rangle = U_f \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n+1}}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle (|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \right]$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n+1}}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle (|f(x)\rangle - |1 \oplus f(x)\rangle)$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^{n+1}}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} |x\rangle (-1)^{f(x)} (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$$

Step 4. Apply a Hadamard to x register

$$|x\rangle = |x_n x_{n-1} \dots x_1\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} H^{\otimes n} |011\rangle &= |+-\rangle = (|0\rangle + |1\rangle)(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)(|0\rangle - |1\rangle) \\ &= |000\rangle - |001\rangle - |010\rangle + |011\rangle \\ &\quad + |100\rangle - |101\rangle - |110\rangle + |111\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Parity sum = Parity($\sum x_i y_i$)

$$x \cdot y = \underbrace{x_1 y_1 \oplus x_2 y_2 \oplus \dots \oplus x_n y_n}_{\substack{\text{Apply } x \\ \text{mask to } y}}$$

$$H^{\otimes n} |x\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{y=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot y} |y\rangle$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle = H^{\otimes n} |\psi_2\rangle_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^n}} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} H^{\otimes n} |x\rangle (-1)^{f(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} \sum_{y=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{x \cdot y} |y\rangle (-1)^{f(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{y=0}^{2^n-1} \left[\sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} (-1)^{x \cdot y} \right] |y\rangle$$

Step 5. Measure the first register

$$|\Psi_3\rangle = \alpha_{100\dots 0} |100\dots 0\rangle + \alpha_{100\dots 1} |100\dots 1\rangle + \dots + \alpha_{111\dots 1} |111\dots 1\rangle$$

$$P(|10\rangle^{\otimes n} | \Psi_3 \rangle) = |\alpha_{10\rangle^{\otimes n}}|^2 = \left| \frac{1}{2^n} \sum_{x=0}^{2^n-1} (-1)^{f(x)} \right|^2$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1 & f \text{ is constant} \\ 0 & f \text{ is balanced} \end{cases}$$