

# Lecture 17

## QUANTUM CRYPTOGRAPHY. PART 2 - Dense coding, quantum teleportation and key distribution

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### **Communication via One- and Two-Particle Operators on Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen States**

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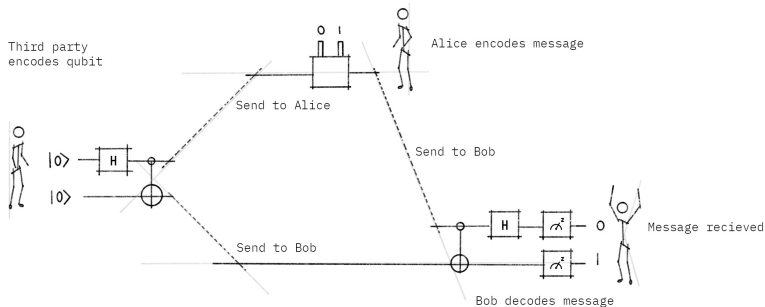
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As is well known, operations on one particle of an Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen (EPR) pair cannot influence the marginal statistics of measurements on the other particle. We characterize the set of states accessible from an initial EPR state by one-particle operations and show that in a sense they allow two bits to be encoded reliably in one spin- $\frac{1}{2}$  particle: One party, "Alice," prepares an EPR pair and sends one of the particles to another party, "Bob," who applies one of four unitary operators to the particle, and then returns it to Alice. By measuring the two particles jointly, Alice can now reliably learn which operator Bob used.

C. Bennett, S. Wiesner, Phys. Rev. Lett. 69, 2881 (1992)  
(*Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen state == entangled state*)

Alice and Bob both hold one qubit of an entangled two-qubit state:

$$|\Phi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|00\rangle + |11\rangle)$$



Alice wants to send Bob a sign - one the following digits  $\{00, 01, 10, 11\}$ . For that she chooses to act on the entangled state  $|\Phi^+\rangle$  by a respective operator:

$$U^A(00) = \mathbf{1}^A$$

$$U^A(01) = \sigma_z^A$$

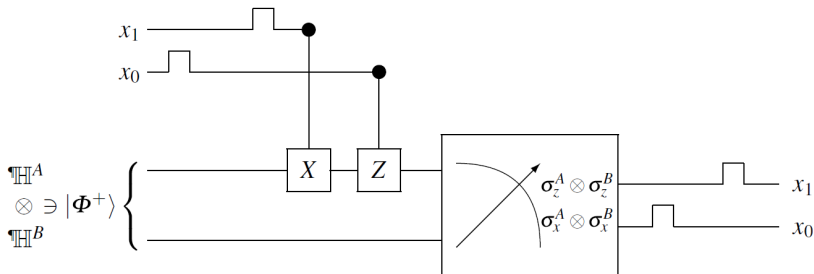
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to obtain the states  $|\Phi^+\rangle, |\Phi^-\rangle, |\Psi^+\rangle, |\Psi^-\rangle$ .

On its side Bob measures the values of the observables  $\sigma_z^A \otimes \sigma_z^B$  and  $\sigma_x^A \otimes \sigma_x^B$ . From their eigenvalues he understands the sign.

Alice wants to send the classical bits $x_1 x_0$	So she applies $U^A(x_1, x_0)$	The state of the total system becomes $(U^A \otimes \mathbf{1}) \Phi^+\rangle$	on which Bob measures $\sigma_z^A \otimes \sigma_z^B$ and $\sigma_x^A \otimes \sigma_x^B$ and observes the values
00	$\mathbf{1}^A$	$ \Phi^+\rangle$	+1 , +1
01	$\sigma_z^A$	$ \Phi^-\rangle$	+1 , -1
10	$\sigma_x^A$	$ \Psi^+\rangle$	-1 , +1
11	$\sigma_z^A \sigma_x^A$	$ \Psi^-\rangle$	-1 , -1



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### Teleporting an Unknown Quantum State via Dual Classical and Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen Channels

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An unknown quantum state  $|\phi\rangle$  can be disassembled into, then later reconstructed from, purely classical information and purely nonclassical Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen (EPR) correlations. To do so the sender, "Alice," and the receiver, "Bob," must prearrange the sharing of an EPR-correlated pair of particles. Alice makes a joint measurement on her EPR particle and the unknown quantum system, and sends Bob the classical result of this measurement. Knowing this, Bob can convert the state of his EPR particle into an exact replica of the unknown state  $|\phi\rangle$  which Alice destroyed.

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The qubit A. wants to "send" is a different one:

$$|\Psi^+\rangle = a|0\rangle + b|1\rangle.$$

A. explores the product state  $|\Psi^+\rangle|\Phi^+\rangle^{AB}$  which equals to <sup>1</sup>:

$$\begin{aligned} = & \frac{1}{2} \left[ |\Phi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes |\psi\rangle^B + |\Psi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_x^B |\psi\rangle^B) \right. \\ & \left. + |\Phi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_z^B |\psi\rangle^B) + |\Psi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_x^B \sigma_z^B |\psi\rangle^B) \right] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
|\psi\rangle^S \otimes |\Phi^+\rangle^{AB} &= \left( a|0\rangle^S + b|1\rangle^S \right) \otimes \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( |0\rangle^A \otimes |0\rangle^B + |1\rangle^A \otimes |1\rangle^B \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ a \underbrace{|0\rangle^S \otimes |0\rangle^A}_{= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\Phi^+\rangle^{SA} + |\Phi^-\rangle^{SA})} \otimes |0\rangle^B + a \underbrace{|0\rangle^S \otimes |1\rangle^A}_{= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\Psi^+\rangle^{SA} + |\Psi^-\rangle^{SA})} \otimes |1\rangle^B \right. \\
&\quad \left. + b \underbrace{|1\rangle^S \otimes |0\rangle^A}_{= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\Psi^+\rangle^{SA} - |\Psi^-\rangle^{SA})} \otimes |0\rangle^B + b \underbrace{|1\rangle^S \otimes |1\rangle^A}_{= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\Phi^+\rangle^{SA} - |\Phi^-\rangle^{SA})} \otimes |1\rangle^B \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[ |\Phi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes (a|0\rangle^B + b|1\rangle^B) + |\Psi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes (a|1\rangle^B + b|0\rangle^B) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + |\Phi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (a|0\rangle^B - b|1\rangle^B) + |\Psi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (a|1\rangle^B - b|0\rangle^B) \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[ |\Phi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes |\psi\rangle^B + |\Psi^+\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_x^B |\psi\rangle^B) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + |\Phi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_z^B |\psi\rangle^B) + |\Psi^-\rangle^{SA} \otimes (\sigma_x^B \sigma_z^B |\psi\rangle^B) \right]. \tag{6.7}
\end{aligned}$$

A. applies  $\sigma_z^S \otimes \sigma_z^A$  and  $\sigma_x^S \otimes \sigma_x^A$

Measured value of		State after measurement
$\sigma_z \otimes \sigma_z$	$\sigma_x \otimes \sigma_x$	
+1	+1	$ \Phi^+\rangle$
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B. on its side using the same correspondance as A. was using in “dense coding”

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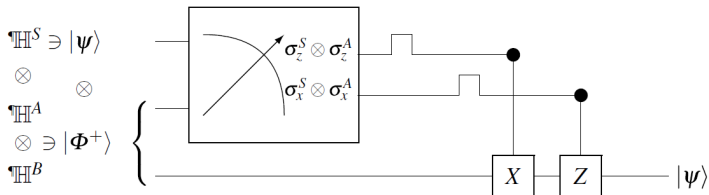
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to transform his qubit from the entangled state and transform it to  $|\psi\rangle$ .

Alice measures $\sigma_z^S \otimes \sigma_z^A$ and $\sigma_x^S \otimes \sigma_x^A$ to observe	The three-qubit total state after measurement is then: $ \Psi\rangle^{SA} \otimes \text{Bob's qubit-state}$	From bits received Bob determines to apply $U^B$	The state of Bob's qubit then becomes
+1 , +1	$ \Phi^+\rangle \otimes  \psi\rangle$	$\mathbf{1}^B$	$(\mathbf{1}^B)^2  \psi\rangle =  \psi\rangle$
+1 , -1	$ \Phi^-\rangle \otimes \sigma_z^B  \psi\rangle$	$\sigma_z^B$	$(\sigma_z^B)^2  \psi\rangle =  \psi\rangle$
-1 , +1	$ \Psi^+\rangle \otimes \sigma_x^B  \psi\rangle$	$\sigma_x^B$	$(\sigma_x^B)^2  \psi\rangle =  \psi\rangle$
-1 , -1	$ \Psi^-\rangle \otimes \sigma_x^B \sigma_z^B  \psi\rangle$	$\sigma_z^B \sigma_x^B$	$\sigma_z^B \sigma_x^B \sigma_x^B \sigma_z^B  \psi\rangle =  \psi\rangle$



# Quantum computing pioneers earn Breakthrough Prize<sup>12</sup>

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From left to right: Gilles Brassard, Charles H. Bennett, Peter Shor, and David Deutsch

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