

# Quantum Fourier Transforms

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# Outline

- Math review – complex roots of unity
- Introduction concept of Fourier transforms for continuous functions
- Applying Fourier transforms to digital computers
- Discrete Fourier Transform
- Mapping Discrete Fourier Transform to Quantum Fourier Transform
- Derivation of formula for generalized Quantum Fourier Transform
- Worked example Quantum Fourier Transform for 3 qubits
- Mapping 3 qubit Quantum Fourier Transform to quantum computing gates

# Math Review - Roots of Unity

- Let  $\omega_N \equiv e^{2\pi i/N}$
- For a given N generate all possible values
 
$$\{1, \omega^1, \omega^2, \omega^3, \dots, \omega^{N-1}\}$$

$$\{1, \omega^{e^{2\pi i/N}}, \omega^{e^{4\pi i/N}}, \omega^{e^{6\pi i/N}}, \dots, \omega^{(N-1)e^{2\pi i/N}}\}$$
- Replace the continuous version of  $x$ ,  $e^{isx}$  parameterized by  $s$ ) into N vectors

$$\mathbf{v}_j = \begin{pmatrix} v_{j0} \\ v_{j1} \\ \vdots \\ v_{jk} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega^{-j0} \\ \omega^{-j1} \\ \vdots \\ \omega^{-jk} \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $k$  is the coordinate index and  $j$  is the parameter that labels each vector

# N<sup>th</sup> Roots of Unity

- Begin with the Taylor series expansion of the exponential function

$$\omega_N = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{N}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)$$

- Compute the unit modulus

$$\begin{aligned} |\omega_N|^2 &= \omega_N^* \omega_N = \exp\left(-\frac{2\pi i}{N}\right) \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{N}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{2\pi i}{N} + \frac{2\pi i}{n}\right) \\ &= \exp(0) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

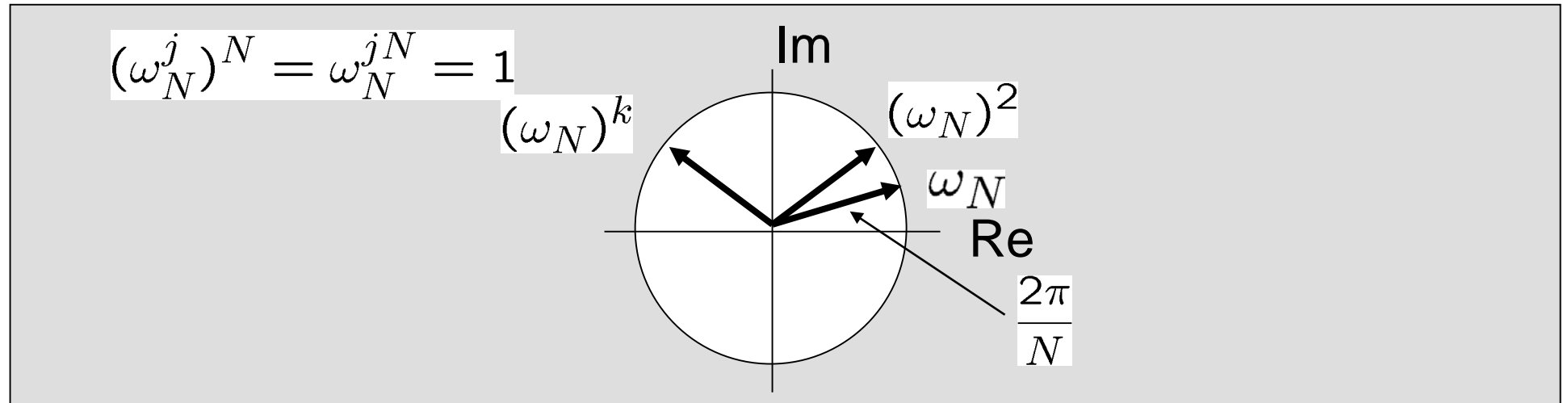
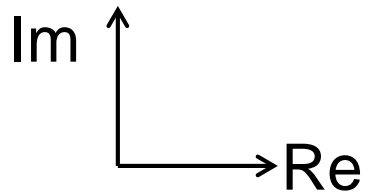
- Make a graphical construction of these N roots of unity

# Graphical Construction of These N Roots of Unity

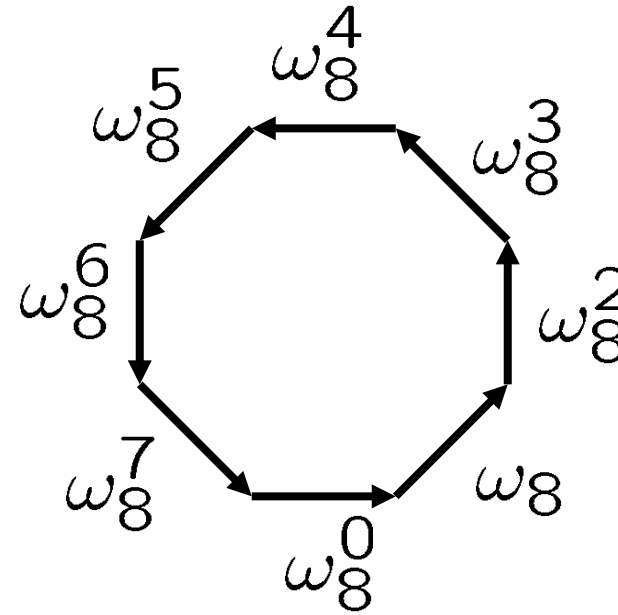
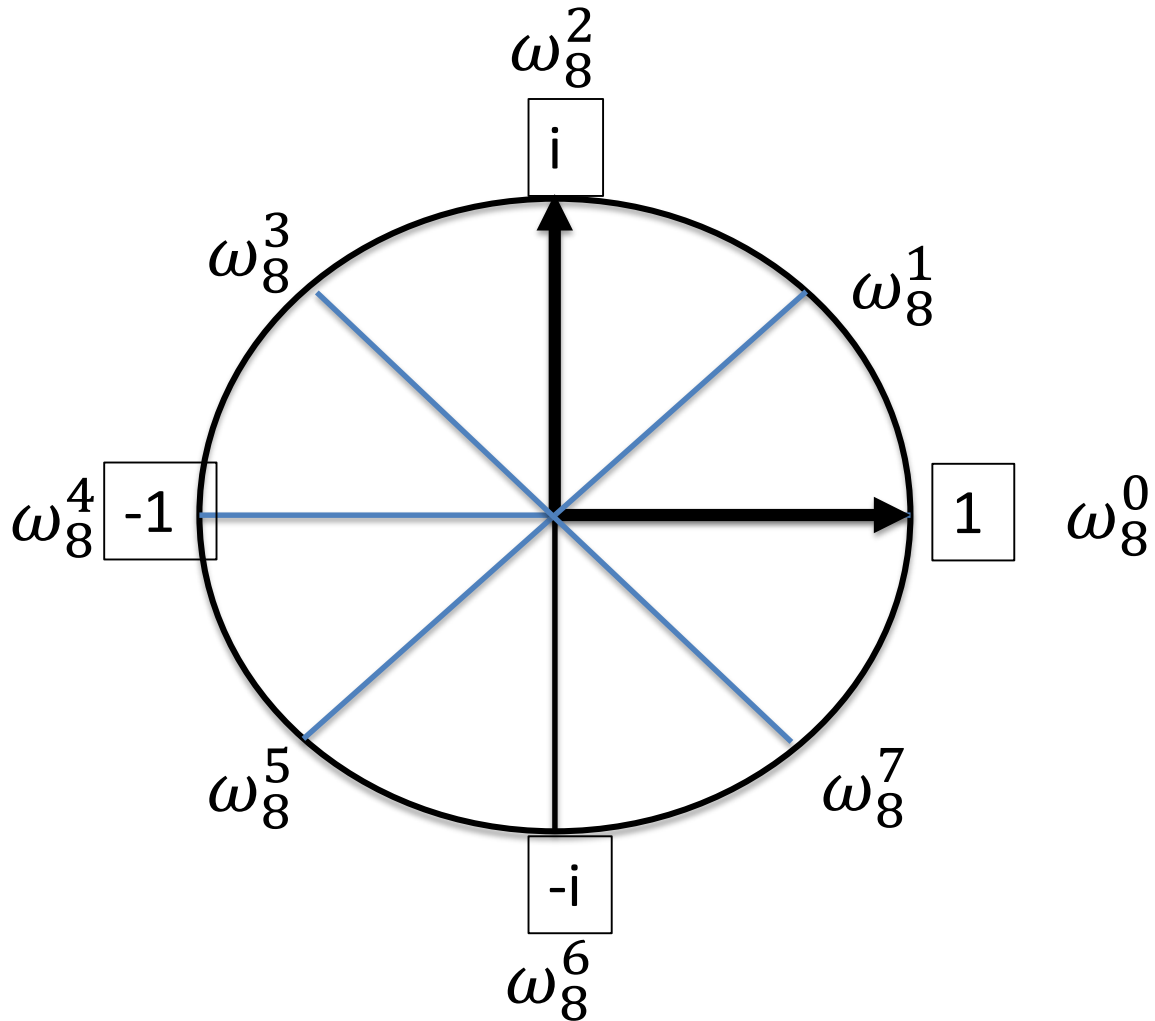
The sum of all sums:

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (\omega_N)^{jk} = \delta_{j,0}$$

Construct a coordinate system in the complex plane with real and imaginary axes

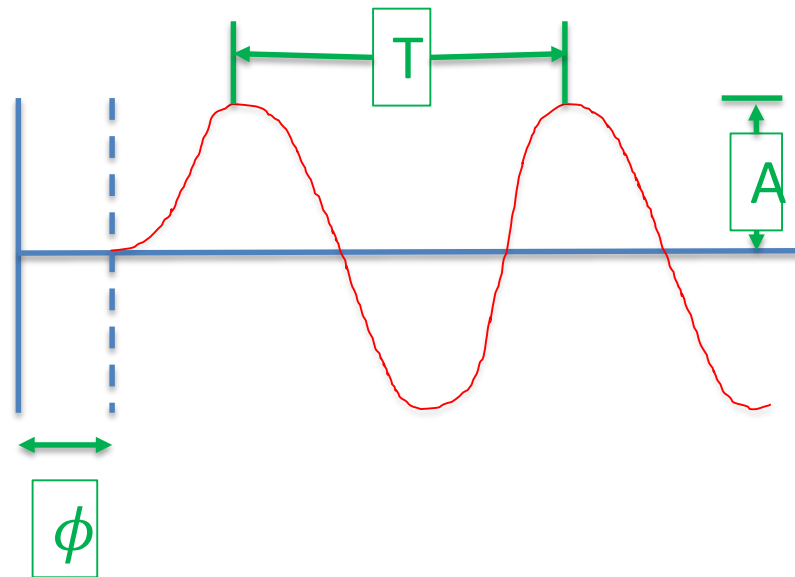


# Example 8<sup>th</sup> Roots of Unity Plotted on Complex Plane



# Fourier Transforms

- FT is a mapping between two domains
  - Time and frequency
  - position and momentum
- Can combine many different signals each with their own frequency, amplitude and phase



# Fourier Transform for Continuous Functions

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A(k) e^{ikx} dk$$
$$A(k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-ikx} dx$$



# Generic Expression for Fourier Transform and Inverse Fourier Transform

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-isx} dx .$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(s) e^{isx} ds .$$

# Application of Fourier Transform Ideas to Digital Computers

- Continuous mathematical formulations are incompatible with digital or quantum computers
- Computers are discrete and finite collections of bits (or qubits)
- Need to modify the continuous Fourier Transform to a digital formulation
- This digital formulation needs to ultimately be integrated into the hardware architecture of a quantum computer
- To make this happen it means designing and building gate operations that can be understood by a quantum computer

# Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)

- Need to construct an equivalent summation expression that can reference the Discrete Fourier Transform's functionality versus the continuous Fourier Transform
- **Definition:** An  $n^{\text{th}}$  order DFT is a function of an  $n$ -component vector  $f = (f_k)$  that produces a new  $n$ -component vector  $F = (F_j)$  given by a formula that describes the output vector's  $n$ -components

$$F_j \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f_k \omega^{-jk} \quad j=0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

- $\{F_j\}$  provides the “weighting factors” for the expansion of  $f$  as a weighted sum of the frequencies  $\omega^j$

$$f_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} F_j \omega^{jk}$$

- Essentially the real functions that were used in the continuous Fourier transforms have become complex roots of unity in the discrete Fourier transform

# Matrix Representation of a Discrete Fourier Transform

NOTATION  $\alpha \equiv \omega^{-1}$  AND  $\omega = \omega_N = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{N}\right)$   
 • THIS MATRIX ENCODES THE DFT FUNCTIONALITY

$$Z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{N-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{N-1} & \alpha^{2(N-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

• THE DFT OF THE VECTOR  $S_A$  CAN BE WRITTEN IN MATRIX FORM

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha^3 & \dots & \alpha^{N-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \alpha^6 & \dots & \alpha^{2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^j & \alpha^{2j} & \alpha^{3j} & \dots & \alpha^{j(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{N-1} & \alpha^{2(N-1)} & \alpha^{3(N-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} f_0 \\ f_1 \\ f_2 \\ \vdots \\ S_A \\ \vdots \\ f_{N-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Consequences of Transformation from Continuous Fourier Transform to Discrete Fourier transforms

- Three consequences
  1. Integrals become sums from 0 to N-1. [Rather than evaluating f at real continuous x the evaluation is over a complex spectrum vector  $F_j$  that also has N components
  2. The factor  $\frac{1}{2\pi}$  is replaced by a normalizing factor  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$ 

NOTE: This choice is driven by the need for all vectors to live in the projective sphere in Hilbert space and therefore be normalized
  3. The complex roots of unity  $\omega^{jk}$  replace the general exponential  $e^{isx}$

SUMMARY - DFT VERIFY

$|x\rangle = |x_{m-1}, x_{m-2}, \dots, x_1, x_0\rangle$  basis

$$U|x\rangle = \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \underbrace{\langle y|x\rangle}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{INSERT} \\ \text{COMPLETE} \\ \text{SEFOR STATES}}} \underbrace{|U|x\rangle}_{\substack{\rightarrow \\ \text{MATRIX} \\ \text{ELEMENT}}}$$

$$= \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} U(y,x) |y\rangle$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \tilde{f}(y) = \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} K(y,x) |x\rangle \\ \text{FROM DFT} \end{array} \right]$$

$$U \sum_x F(x) |x\rangle = \sum_x F(x) U|x\rangle$$

$$= \sum_x F(x) \sum_y K(y,x) |y\rangle$$

$$= \sum_y \left( \sum_x K(y,x) F(x) \right) |y\rangle$$

$$= \sum_y \tilde{f}(y) |y\rangle$$

INVERSE  
FOURIER  
TRANSFORM

# Transforming from Discrete Fourier Transform to Quantum Fourier Transform

- Defined the Discrete Fourier Transform that a given vector  $x \in \mathbb{C}^N$  outputs another vector  $y \in \mathbb{C}^N$  such that

$$y_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} x_j \omega^{jk}$$

- The Quantum Fourier Transform transforms a basis set  $\{|0\rangle, |1\rangle, \dots, |N-1\rangle\}$  into another basis set such that

$$|j\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |k\rangle \omega^{jk}$$

# Matrix Representation of a Quantum Fourier Transform

$$QFT_N = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & \omega^3 & \dots & \omega^{(N-1)} \\ \omega^2 & \omega^4 & \omega^6 & \dots & \omega^{2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \omega^{N-1} & \omega^{2(N-1)} & \omega^{3(N-1)} & \dots & \omega^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

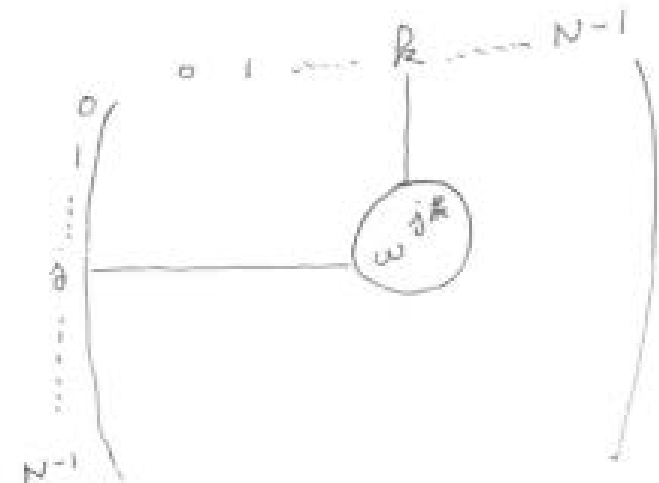
• ENTRIES IN THE MATRIX ARE THE  $N^{\text{th}}$  ROOTS OF UNITY

$$\omega = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{N}} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)$$

EX  $N=8$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1+i)$$

• MATRIX CAN BE REPRESENTED AS





# Derivation of the Recursion Relation for $N^{\text{th}}$ Order QFT

# Notation

## QFT CIRCUIT

### NOTATION

$$|x\rangle^m = |x_{m-1}\rangle \otimes |x_{m-2}\rangle \otimes \dots \otimes |x_0\rangle = \bigotimes_{k=0}^{m-1} |x_k\rangle$$

$|x_k\rangle$  CAN TAKE VALUES 107 OR 117

- THIS IS A DELIBERATE CHOICE TO DECREASE ORDER FROM  $x_{m-1}$  TO  $x_0 \Rightarrow$  WANT THE RIGHT-MOST BIT TO CORRESPOND TO THE LEAST SIGNIFICANT BIT OF THE BINARY NUMBER  $x_{m-1} \dots x_1 x_0$

- ALTERNATE REPRESENTATION IS DECIMAL

$ 0\rangle^4$	$\leftrightarrow$	100007
$ 1\rangle^4$	$\leftrightarrow$	100017
$ 2\rangle^4$	$\leftrightarrow$	100107
$\vdots$		
$ 15\rangle^4$	$\leftrightarrow$	111117

$$x = \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} x_k 2^k$$

# Sample Derivation for N=3

N=3 EXAMPLE ILLUSTRATION

$$\sqrt{N} \text{QFT} |x\rangle^m = \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} \phi_{xy} |y_{m-1} y_{m-2} \dots y_1 y_0\rangle$$

$$\sqrt{8} \text{QFT} |x\rangle^3 = \phi_{x0} |000\rangle + \phi_{x1} |001\rangle + \phi_{x2} |010\rangle + \phi_{x3} |011\rangle \\ + \phi_{x4} |100\rangle + \phi_{x5} |101\rangle + \phi_{x6} |110\rangle + \phi_{x7} |111\rangle$$

REGROUP INTO  
EVEN-ODD

$$= \phi_{x0} |000\rangle + \phi_{x2} |010\rangle + \phi_{x4} |100\rangle + \phi_{x6} |110\rangle \\ + \phi_{x1} |001\rangle + \phi_{x3} |011\rangle + \phi_{x5} |101\rangle + \phi_{x7} |111\rangle$$

$$= y\text{-even group } \Sigma \\ + y\text{-odd group } \Sigma$$

# Group Even Terms and Factor Right-Most Bit

N=3 EXAMPLE

Y-EVEN GROUPING

• START WITH CASE  $y_0=0$

$$\omega^{x y_0 2^0} = \omega^{x \cdot 0 \cdot 1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_{x_0} = \prod_{k=0}^2 \omega^{x y_k 2^k} = \prod_{k=1}^2 \omega^{x y_k 2^k}$$

← STARTS AT  $k=1$  BECAUSE THE  $k=0$  FACTOR IS "1"

Y-EVEN GROUP =  $\phi_{x_0} |000\rangle + \phi_{x_2} |010\rangle + \phi_{x_4} |100\rangle + \phi_{x_6} |110\rangle$

FACTOR OUT THE }  $\Rightarrow = [\phi_{x_0} |00\rangle + \phi_{x_2} |01\rangle + \phi_{x_4} |10\rangle + \phi_{x_6} |11\rangle] |0\rangle$

$(y_0 = 0)$

$$= \left[ \sum_{\substack{y_0=0 \\ \text{y-even}}}^7 \left( \prod_{k=1}^2 \omega^{x y_k 2^k} \right) |y_2 y_1\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

FACTURING OUT THE RIGHT MOST BIT LEADS TO SIMPLIFICATIONS

# Group Even Terms and Factor Right-Most Bit (cont'd)

N=3 EXAMPLE

QFT CIRCUIT - EVEN GROUPING

CONSEQUENCES OF FACTORING OUT RIGHT MOST BIT

1)  $\sum_{y \text{ OVEN}}^7 \rightarrow \sum_{\text{all}}^3$  HALVES THE TOTAL SUM

2)  $|y_2 y_1\rangle \rightarrow |y_1 y_0\rangle$

3)  $\prod_1^2 \rightarrow \prod_0^1$  SHIFTS THE PRODUCT FACTOR

4)  $2^k \rightarrow 2^{k+1}$

FOLD ABOVE 4 BULLETS INTO THE y-EVEN PORTION OF QFT EQ.

$$y\text{-EVEN} = \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 \omega^{x y_k 2^{k+1}} \right) |y_1 y_0\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

$$= \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 (\omega^2)^{x y_k 2^k} \right) |y_1 y_0\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

# Generalize to "N" Even Terms

## QFT CIRCUIT EVEN GROUPING

N=3 EXAMPLE

- THE FACTOR  $x$  STILL RUNS OVER THE ORIGINAL RANGE
- NOTE WHEN  $x > 3$  CAN REPLACE WITH " $x-4$ " BECAUSE ROOTS OF UNITY OBEY MODULAR ARITHMETIC " $x \text{ MOD } 4$ "

$$y\text{-EVEN} = \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 (\omega^2)^{x y_k 2^k} \right) |y_1, y_0\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

$$= \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 (\omega^2)^{(x \text{ MOD } 4) y_k 2^k} \right) |y_1, y_0\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

GENERALIZING TO ANY VALUE "m"

$$= \left[ \sum_{y=0}^{\frac{m}{2}-1} \left( \prod_{k=0}^{m-2} (\omega^2)^{(x \text{ MOD } 4) y_k 2^k} \right) |y_{m-2}, y_{m-3}, \dots, y_0\rangle \right] |0\rangle$$

# Group Odd Terms and Factor Right-Most Bit

## QFT CIRCUIT ODD GROUPING

N=3 EXAMPLE

START WITH CASE  $y_0=1$

$$\omega^{xy_0 2^0} = \omega^{x(2)(1)} = \omega^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_{xy} = \prod_{k=0}^{2} \omega^{xy_k 2^k} = \omega^x \prod_{k=1}^{2} \omega^{xy_k 2^k}$$

FACTORING OUT  $\omega^x$  TERM  
ALLOWS THE PRODUCT TO  
START AT  $k=1$   
\* ALIGNS WITH EVEN GROUP  
FORMULATION

$$y\text{-ODD GROUP} = \phi_{x1} |00\rangle + \phi_{x3} |01\rangle + \phi_{x5} |10\rangle + \phi_{x7} |11\rangle$$

$$= \left[ \phi_{x1} |00\rangle + \phi_{x3} |01\rangle + \phi_{x5} |10\rangle + \phi_{x7} |11\rangle \right] |1\rangle$$

$$= \omega^x \left[ \sum_{\substack{y=0 \\ y\text{-ODD}}}^7 \left( \prod_{k=1}^2 \omega^{xy_k 2^k} \right) |y_2 y_1\rangle \right] |1\rangle$$

# Group Odd Terms and Factor Right-Most Bit (cont'd)

## QFT CIRCUIT

y<sub>ODD</sub> GROUPING

CONSEQUENCES OF FACTORING OUT RIGHT MOST BIT

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4.)  $2^k \rightarrow 2^{k+1}$

FOLD THE ABOVE 4 BULLETS INTO THE y<sub>ODD</sub> PORTION OF THE QFT CG

$$y_{\text{ODD}} = \omega^x \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 (\omega^2)^{x y_k 2^k} \right) |y_1 y_0\rangle \right] |1\rangle$$



# Generalize to "N" Odd Terms

N=3 EXAMPLE

QFT CIRCUIT

ODD GROUPING

PERFORM SAME "x MOD 4" → x AS WAS DONE ON y-EVEN GROUPING

$$y\text{-ODD} = \omega^x \left[ \sum_{y=0}^3 \left( \prod_{k=0}^1 (\omega^{2^k})^{(x \bmod 4) y_k 2^k} \right) |y_1 y_0\rangle \right] |1\rangle$$

FOR GENERAL N

$$= \omega^x \left[ \sum_{y=0}^{N/2-1} \left( \prod_{k=0}^{m-2} (\omega^{2^k})^{(x \bmod \frac{N}{2}) y_k 2^k} \right) |y_{m-2} y_{m-3} \dots y_1 y_0\rangle \right] |1\rangle$$

# Quantum Fourier Transform Recursion Relation

QFT CIRCUIT  
RECURSION RELATION

REPEATING THIS PROCEDURE (RECURSIVELY)

$$\text{QFT}^{2^m} |x\rangle^m = \prod_{k=1}^m \left( \frac{|0\rangle + \omega_2^{kx} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

NOTE - RHS OF THE ABOVE EQ. IS EXPRESSED IN TERMS OF ROOTS OF UNITY

$$\omega_2^k = \omega_2^{2^{m-k}}$$

WRITTEN IN POWERS OF  $\omega = \omega_N$

$$\text{QFT}^{2^m} |x\rangle^m = \prod_{k=1}^m \left( \frac{|0\rangle + \omega^{2^{m-k}x} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

# Example of a 3 Qubit Quantum Fourier Transform

# 8<sup>th</sup> Complex Roots of Unity


QFT-EX-0

COMPLEX ROOTS OF UNITY  
EIGHT ROOTS OF UNITY

$$e^{k \left( \frac{2\pi i}{8} \right)} = e^{k \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} \quad k = 0, \dots, 7$$

$$e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$$

k	
0	$e^{0 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = e^0 = \boxed{+1}$
1	$e^{i \frac{\pi}{4}} = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \boxed{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + i)}$
2	$e^{i \frac{\pi}{2}} = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = 0 + i = \boxed{i}$
3	$e^{3 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = \cos \left( \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (-1 + i)}$
4	$e^{4 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = e^{i\pi} = \cos(\pi) + i \sin(\pi) = \boxed{-1}$
5	$e^{5 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = e^{\frac{5\pi i}{4}} = \cos \left( \frac{5\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{5\pi}{4} \right) = \boxed{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 + i)}$
6	$e^{6 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = \cos \left( \frac{3\pi}{2} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{3\pi}{2} \right) = \boxed{-i}$
7	$e^{7 \left( \frac{i\pi}{4} \right)} = \cos \left( \frac{7\pi}{4} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{7\pi}{4} \right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 - i)}$



# General Formula for QFT and First Factor for the 3 Qubit Example Construction

TRANSLATING THE MATH TO A QFT QUANTUM CIRCUIT

EXAMPLE  $m=3$

$$\text{QFT}^{(3)} |x\rangle^3 = \left( \frac{107 + w^{4x} 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \left( \frac{107 + w^{2x} 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \left( \frac{107 + w^x 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

FIRST FACTOR

NOTE  $w$  IS AN 8<sup>TH</sup> ROOT OF UNITY  $\Rightarrow$  COEFFICIENT OF 117 IN TERM  $\left( \frac{107 + w^{4x} 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$  CAN BE

DERIVED BY

$$w^{4x} = w^{4(4x_2 + 2x_1 + x_0)}$$

$$= w^{16x_2} w^{8x_1} w^{4x_0}$$

$\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$   
 $1$                        $1$                        $(w^4)^{x_0} = (-1)^{x_0}$

$$\left( \frac{107 + w^{4x} 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{107 + (-1)^{x_0} 117}{\sqrt{2}}$$

FOR  $x_0 = 0 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{107 + 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

FOR  $x_0 = 1 \Rightarrow \left( \frac{107 - 117}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

THIS IS A HADAMARD TRANSFORMATION

# Middle (2<sup>nd</sup>) Factor for the 3 Qubit Example Construction

SECOND (MIDDLE) FACTOR

EXAMINE  $w^{2x} = w^{2(4x_2 + 2x_1 + x_0)} = w^{8x_2} w^{4x_1} w^{2x_0}$

$$= (w^8)^{x_2} (w^4)^{x_1} (w^2)^{x_0}$$

$$= (1) (-1)^{x_1} (i)^{x_0}$$

$$\left( \frac{|10\rangle + w^{2x} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \left( \frac{|10\rangle + (-1)^{x_1} (i)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

for  $x_0=0 \Rightarrow H|x_1\rangle$

for  $x_0=1 \left( \frac{|10\rangle + (-1)^{x_1} (i)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

When  $x_0=1$  need an additional factor

IF APPLY  $H|x_1\rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_1\rangle$  BUT IF

$x_0=1$  NEED  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_0, i\rangle$

PROBLEM TRANSFORM  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_1\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_1, i\rangle$

SOLN: INSERT 2x2 ROTATION MATRIX  $R_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_1\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} |x_1, i\rangle$$

**FINAL RESULT**

$x_0=0$	$H x_1\rangle$
$x_0=1$	$R_1 H x_1\rangle$

# 3<sup>rd</sup> (Least Significant) Factor for the 3 Qubit Example

THIRD FACTOR (LEAST SIGNIFICANT)

RIGHTMOST OUTPUT FACTOR HAS AN  $\omega$  WITH NO  
EXPONENT IN THE NUMERATOR

$$\omega^x = \omega^{(4x_2 + 2x_1 + x_0)} = \omega^{4x_2} \omega^{2x_1} \omega^{x_0}$$

$$= (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0}$$

$$\left( \frac{|0\rangle + \omega^x |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \rightarrow \left( \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\text{for } x_0 = 0 = \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{for } x_0 = 1 = \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

# 3<sup>rd</sup> (Least Significant) Factor for the 3 Qubit Example (cont'd)

THIRD FACTOR (OBSERVATIONS)

WHEN  $x_0 = 0$  THE LEAST SIGNIFICANT FACTOR REDUCES TO

$$x_0 = 0 \quad \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

COMPARE TO PREVIOUS CALCULATION [2<sup>nd</sup> MIDDLE FACTOR]

$$\frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_1} (i)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- THIS IMPLIES IF  $x_0 = 0$  APPLY SAME STEPS (PROCEDURE) TO  $|x_2\rangle |x_1\rangle$  AS WAS USED FOR  $|x_1\rangle |x_0\rangle$
- NOW HAVE TO ADJUST FOR CASE  $x_0 = 1$ . THE COLUMN VECTOR NEEDING ADJUSTMENT IS  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} \end{pmatrix}$
- HOWEVER IF  $x_0 = 1$  ACTUAL RESULT SHOULD BE

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0} \end{pmatrix}$$

NEED TO CONSTRUCT ROTATION MATRICES TO TRANSFORM

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} \omega^{x_0} \end{pmatrix}$$

SOLUTION INSERT ANOTHER ROTATION MATRIX

$$R_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (i)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0} \end{pmatrix}$$



# 3<sup>rd</sup> (Least Significant) Factor for the 3 Qubit Example (cont'd)

THIRD FACTOR (CONT'D)

FINAL RESULT WILL BE

$$\frac{|0\rangle + \omega^x |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} = \begin{cases} H|x_2\rangle & x_0=0 & x_1=0 \\ R_1 H|x_2\rangle & x_0=0 & x_1=1 \\ \text{-----} & \text{-----} & \text{-----} \\ R_2 H|x_2\rangle & x_0=1 & x_1=0 \\ R_2 R_1 H|x_2\rangle & x_0=1 & x_1=1 \end{cases}$$

CONSTRUCT QUANTUM COMPUTING CIRCUIT  
BASED ON THESE MATHEMATICAL CALCULATIONS

HAVE 3 QUBITS

$|x_2\rangle$  ———


$|x_1\rangle$  ———

$|x_0\rangle$  ———

INSERT MATHEMATICAL FORMULATION 1 FACTOR AT A TIME

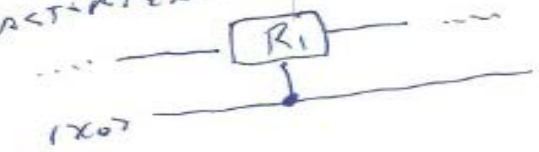
# Building a Quantum Computing Circuit from the Mathematics of the Quantum Fourier Transform

# QFT Quantum Gate Construction: 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Factor

FIRST FACTOR  
 BASED ON THE CALCULATION FROM FIRST FACTOR  
 $|\tilde{x}_2\rangle = H|x_0\rangle$   


SECOND (MIDDLE) FACTOR  
 2 TERMS  
 $|\tilde{x}_2\rangle = H|x_0\rangle$   
 $|\tilde{x}_1\rangle = \begin{cases} H|x_1\rangle & x_0=0 \\ R_1 H|x_1\rangle & x_0=1 \end{cases}$

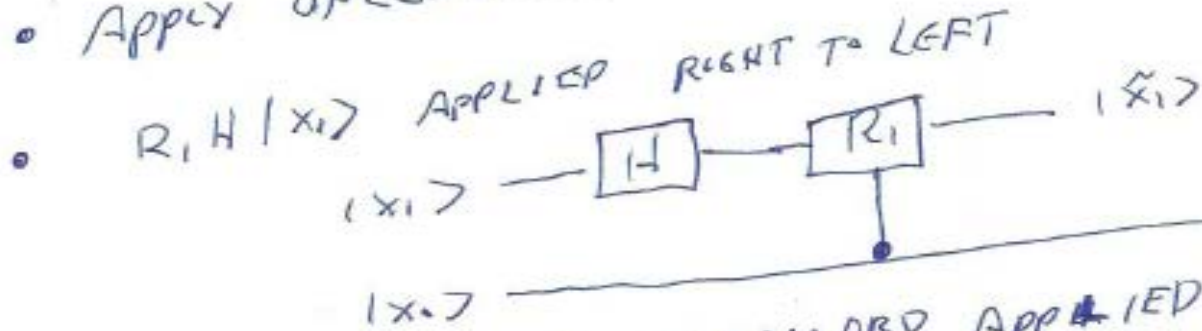
- OBSERVATIONS
- Apply H to the two LEAST SIGNIFICANT KEYS  $|x_0\rangle$  AND  $|x_1\rangle$  UNCONDITIONALLY. H WILL ALWAYS BE USED IN THE COMPUTATION OF THE FINAL 2 MOST-SIGNIFICANT FACTORS
  - CONDITIONALLY APPLY  $R_1$  TO RESULT OF  $H|x_1\rangle$  IF  $x_0=1$
  - APPLY TO LEAST SIGNIFICANT INPUT KEYS  $|x_1\rangle$   $|x_0\rangle$  GET MOST SIGNIFICANT PART OF THE OUTPUT IS FAST-RIZATION (SWAPPING NEEDS TO BE INCLUDED)



# QFT Quantum Gate Construction: 2<sup>nd</sup> Factor (cont'd)

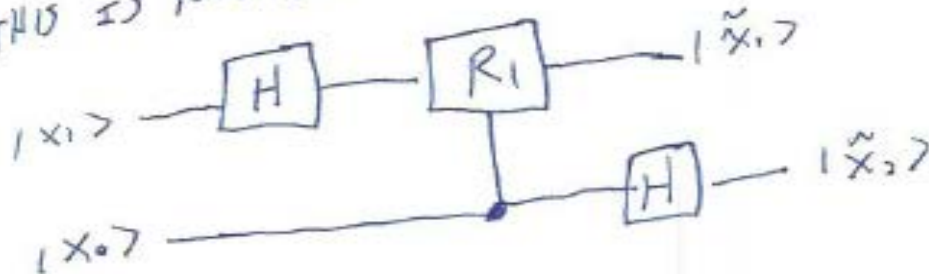
## CIRCUIT CONSTRUCTION (CONT'D)

- Apply UNCONDITIONAL HADAMARD GATE TO  $|x_0\rangle$  BEFORE  $R_1$



- INSERT ADDITIONAL HADAMARD APPLIED TO  $|x_0\rangle$

**\*\* NOTE** Add H AFTER  $x_0$  USED AS THE CONTROL  
 TO CONTROL  $x_1$ 's  $R_1$  GATE  
 IF THIS IS NOT DONE  $x_0$  IS REPLACED BY HADAMARD



# QFT Quantum Gate Construction: 3<sup>rd</sup> Factor

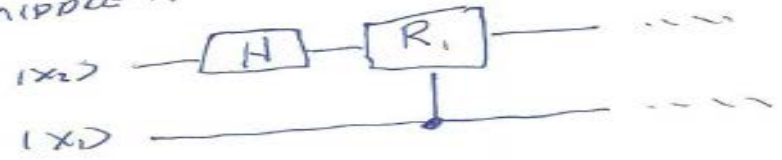
CIRCUIT CONSTRUCTION (contd)

LAST FACTOR (LEAST SIGNIFICANT)

- RECALL  $\frac{|0\rangle + w^x |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} (w)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}}$
- $= \frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \quad x=0$
- $\frac{|0\rangle + (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} (w)^{x_0} |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} \quad x=1$

CASE  $x_0=0$

- APPLY SAME CONSTRUCT TO  $|x_2\rangle |x_1\rangle$  USED FOR  $|x_1\rangle |x_0\rangle$  IN THE MIDDLE FACTOR



CASE  $x_0=1$

STATE GENERATED WITH THIS CIRCUIT

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} \end{pmatrix}$$

BUT WHAT IS NEEDED IS

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ (-1)^{x_2} (w)^{x_1} (w)^{x_0} \end{pmatrix}$$

# QFT Quantum Gate Construction: 3<sup>rd</sup> Factor

QUANTUM COMPUTING  
CIRCUIT CONSTRUCTION (CONTD)

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- USE SAME TECHNIQUE APPLIED TO MIDDLE FACTOR  
CONSTRUCT A ROTATION MATRIX (CALL IT  $R_2$ )

$$R_2 \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} \\ \dots \end{pmatrix} =$$

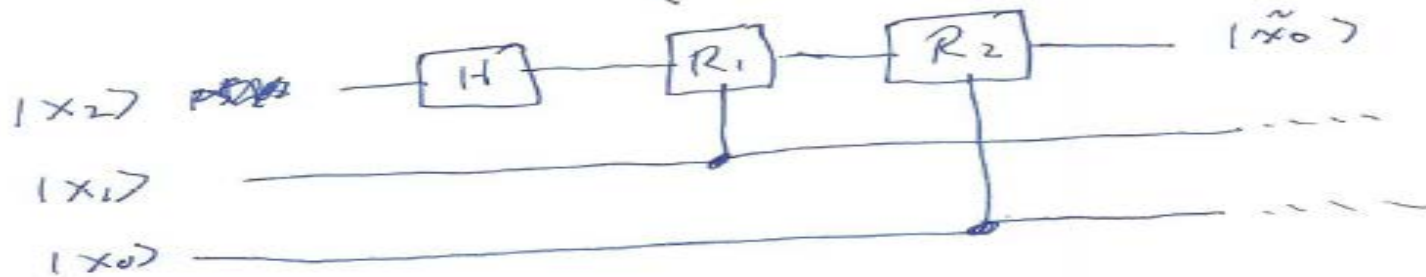
$$= \begin{pmatrix} (-1)^{x_2} (j)^{x_1} (\omega)^{x_0} \\ \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

- COMPLETE CIRCUIT CONSTRUCT IS AS FOLLOWS

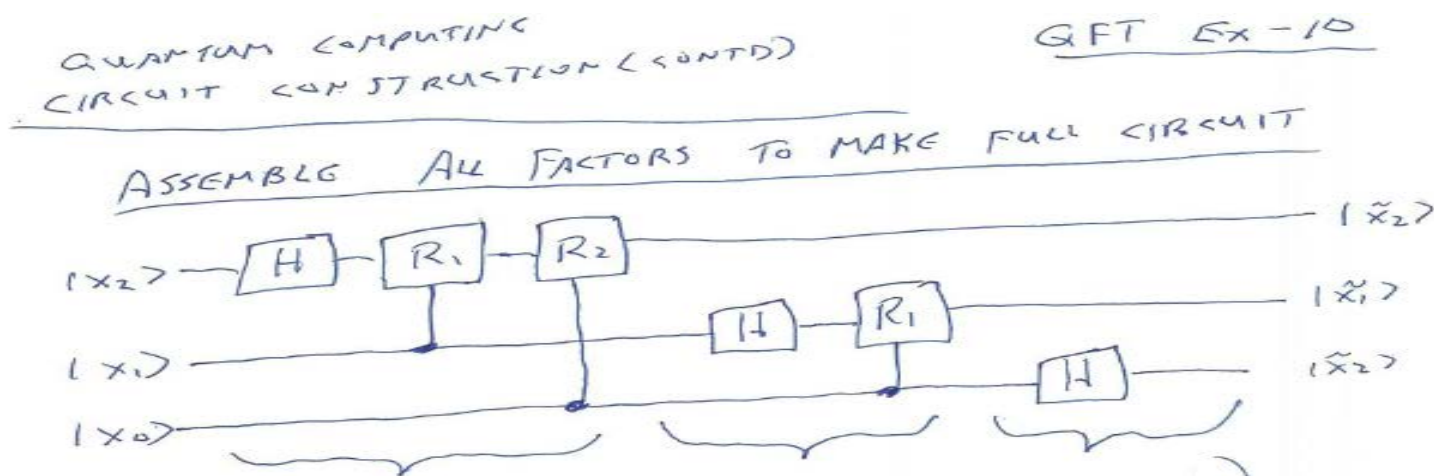
$$\frac{|0\rangle + \omega^x |1\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} =$$

- $H |x_2\rangle$
- $R_1 H |x_2\rangle$
- $R_2 H |x_2\rangle$
- $R_2 R_1 H |x_2\rangle$

- $x_0 = 0 \quad x_1 = 0$
- $x_0 = 0 \quad x_1 = 1$
- $x_0 = 1 \quad x_1 = 0$
- $x_0 = 1 \quad x_1 = 1$

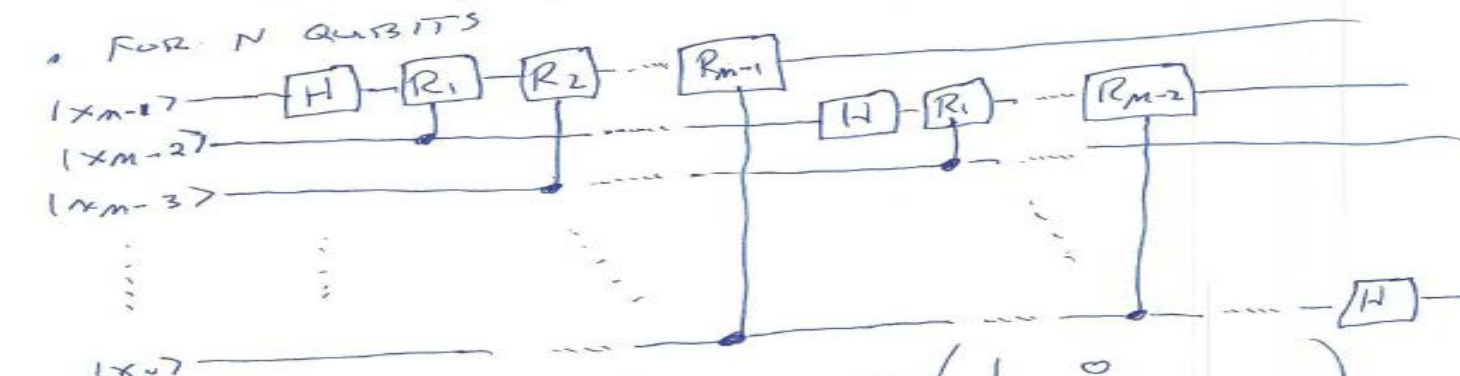


# Full N<sup>th</sup> Order Qubit Quantum Fourier Transform Circuit



QFT CIRCUIT (N<sup>TH</sup> ORDER)

PATTERN IN THE INSERTED ROTATION GATES

$$R_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega \end{pmatrix} \quad R_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \omega^4 \end{pmatrix}$$


GENERALIZE ROTATION MATRIX  $R_k = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^{2^{(m-k-1)}} \end{pmatrix}$

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