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IQ1 Quick Review

- Geometric Grover
- Factoring  $\rightarrow$  order-finding

Order finding:

Input:  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $N \geq 2$ ,  $a \in \{2, \dots, N-1\}$ ,  $\gcd(a, N) = 1$

Output:  $\min \{r \mid a^r \equiv 1 \pmod{N}\}$   
 = period of  $f(i) = x^i \pmod{N}$

Best-known classical alg:  $O(2^n)$ ,  $n = \lceil \log_2(N-1) \rceil$

exponential  
in # digits  
of  $N$

As a query problem:  $g: X \rightarrow Y$ ,  $X \subseteq \Sigma^N$

$N \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n = \lceil \log_2 N \rceil$ ,  $\Sigma = \mathbb{Z}_2^n$ ,  $Y = \mathbb{Z}_N$

$i \equiv j \pmod{r}$

for factoring,  
know that  
 $N \neq 2^n$ !

$X = \{x_0 \dots x_{N-1} \in \Sigma^N \mid x_i = x_j \text{ iff } i = \{j, j+r, j+2r, \dots\}\}$   
 $\Leftrightarrow i \equiv j \pmod{r}$

$g(x) = r$

$\bar{X} = \{x_0 \dots x_{N-1} \in \Sigma^N \mid x_i = a^i \pmod{N}\}$

Example:  $a=3$ ,  $N=10$ ,  $n=4$ ,  $2^n=16$

	$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
	$x_i$	1	3	9	7	1	3	9	7	1	3	9	7	...
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$(r=4)$

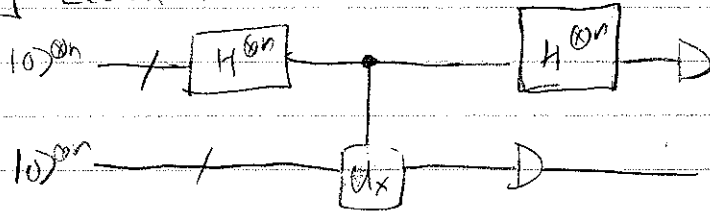
cf. Simon's Problem:  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $N=2^n$ ,  $\Sigma = \mathbb{B}^n$ ,  $Y = \mathbb{B}$

$X = \{x_0 \dots x_{N-1} \in \Sigma^N \mid x_i = x_j \text{ iff } i = j \oplus s\}$

$g(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & s = 0^n \\ 1 & s \neq 0^n \end{cases}$

~~$i \equiv j \pmod{sr}$~~

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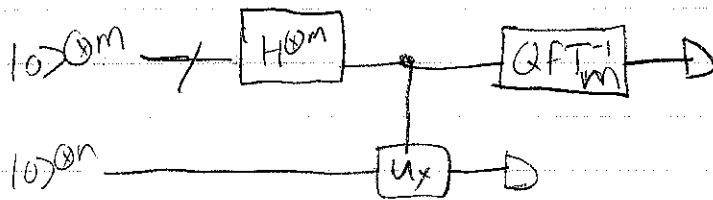
Yields  $i : s \cdot i = 0$

$n+1$  calls: determines  $s$  w/prob  $> 1/4$

$4(n+1)$  calls: determines  $s$  w/prob  $> 2/3$

$\rightarrow Q_2(F) = O(n)$

Order-finding alg: (Shor)



$N^2 \leq 2^m \leq N^4$

$N \leq 2^n, n := \lceil \log_2 M \rceil$   
( $2n \leq m \leq 4n$ )

$U_x |i\rangle |j\rangle = \begin{cases} |i\rangle |j \oplus x\rangle & \text{if } i \equiv j \pmod{r} \\ |i\rangle |j\rangle & \text{if } i \not\equiv j \pmod{r} \end{cases}$

Case 1:  $r | M$

(w/prob  $> \frac{4}{\pi^2}$ )

yields  $i : \frac{i}{M} = \frac{k}{r}$  for some  $k$  uniformly over  $\{0, \dots, r-1\}$

will explain later

$\rightarrow$  Continued fraction algorithm finds  $\frac{k}{r}$  in lowest terms ( $O(M^3) = O(n^3)$  steps)

will explain later upon

$\left[ \begin{array}{l} 1 \text{ call: } \text{prob}[\text{gcd}(k, r) = 1] > \frac{1}{2 \log M} \Rightarrow r \text{ found} \\ O(n) \text{ calls: } r \text{ found w/prob } \geq 2/3 \end{array} \right.$

Each call: can be implemented in  $O(n^2)$  steps (modular exponentiation)

$\rightarrow O(n^3)$  steps

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Case 2:  $r \neq M$  (more likely)

yields i:  $|\frac{i}{M} - \frac{k}{r}| \leq \frac{1}{2M}$  for some uniform  $0 \leq k \leq r$

Thm 3.1 in NC.  
Proved in App. 4

→ Theorem: Given  $\varphi \in (0, 1)$  and  $N \geq 2$ , there is at most one fraction  $\frac{k}{r}$  with  $0 \leq k, r \leq N$ ,  $r \neq 0$ ,  $\gcd(k, r) = 1$  satisfying

$$|\varphi - \frac{k}{r}| \leq \frac{1}{2N^2}$$

Moreover, given  $\varphi, N$ , the LFA will find  $k, r$  in  $O(n^3)$  steps

1 call: finds  $r$  w/  $\text{prob}[\gcd(k, r) = 1] \geq \frac{1}{2.5M}$

$O(n)$  calls: " " "  $\geq 2/3$

Each call:  $O(n^2)$  steps

⇒  $O(n^3)$  steps!

⇒  $O(n^3)$  steps overall!

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Discrete Fourier Transform: Useful in signal processing, e.g.

$$\text{DFT}(\vec{x} \in \mathbb{C}^N) = \vec{X}$$

$$\vec{X}_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e^{-2\pi i j k / N} x_j = \omega^{jk} x_j$$

$$\omega := e^{2\pi i / N}$$

$$= F_{jk}$$

$$\text{DFT}^{-1}(\vec{X}) = x_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \omega^{jk} X_j$$

$$\text{DFT}^{-1}([0, 1, 0]^T) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ 1 & \omega^2 & \omega \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \omega \\ \omega^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

→  $\Theta(N^2)$  multiplications, additions

Fast Fourier Transform:  $\Theta(N \log N)$  operations <sup>multiplication</sup>  
 $j = j_{n-1} j_{n-2} \dots j_0$      $\frac{j^k}{2^n} = j_{n-1} (k_0) + j_{n-2} (k_1 k_0) + \dots + j_0 (k_{n-1} \dots k_0)$  }  $n$  sums!  
 $k = k_{n-1} k_{n-2} \dots k_0$     Must do  $n$  sums:  $\forall N$  values of  $j \rightarrow \Theta(N \log N)$

Quantum Fourier transforms:  $\Theta((\log N)^2)$  operations

Let  $N = 2^n$  here (recall QFT<sup>-1</sup> on  $M = 2^m$  in order- $h$ nd)

$$\text{QFT}: |j\rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e^{-2\pi i j k / N} |k\rangle \quad \text{DFT on amplitudes!}$$

$$\text{cf } U_{\text{WH}}: |j\rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (-1)^{jk} |k\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} (|0\rangle + (-1)^{j_{n-1}} |1\rangle) (|0\rangle + (-1)^{j_{n-2}} |1\rangle) \dots (|0\rangle + (-1)^{j_0} |1\rangle)$$

$$j = j_0 2^0 + j_1 2^1 + j_2 2^2 + \dots + j_{n-1} 2^{n-1} \\ = \sum_{\ell=0}^{n-1} j_{\ell} 2^{\ell}$$

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Product representation:

N.C. eqs 5.5-5.10

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e^{2\pi i j k / 2^n} |k\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k_0=0}^1 \dots \sum_{k_{n-1}=0}^1 e^{2\pi i j \sum_{l=0}^{n-1} k_l 2^{l-n}} |k_{n-1} \dots k_0\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k_0=0}^1 \dots \sum_{k_{n-1}=0}^1 e^{2\pi i j k_l 2^{l-n}} |k_l\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \bigotimes_{l=0}^{n-1} \left[ \sum_{k_l=0}^1 e^{2\pi i j k_l 2^{l-n}} |k_l\rangle \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \bigotimes_{l=0}^{n-1} [ |0\rangle + e^{2\pi i j 2^{-n+1}} |1\rangle ] \quad \text{ignore multiples of } 2\pi$$

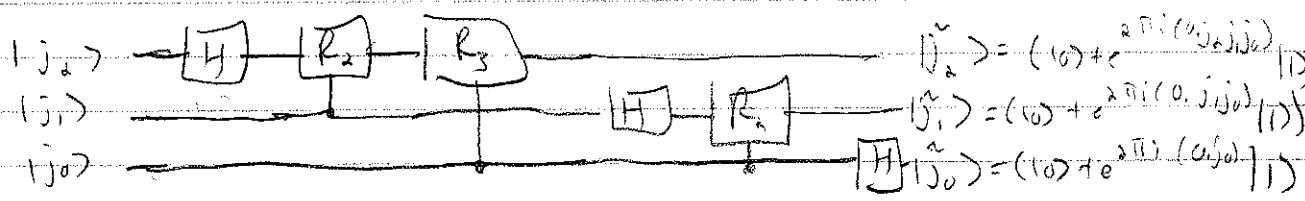
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} ( |0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 j_0} |1\rangle ) ( |0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 1 0 j_1} |1\rangle ) \dots ( |0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 j_{n-1}} |1\rangle )$$

Note: my convention at  $j = j_{n-1} \dots j_0$  differs from NC's convention at  $j = j_0 \dots j_{n-1}$ . Mine is better because it better matches how we write decimal numbers.



Quantum circuit for QFT:

Let  $R_d = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi/2^d} \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $|j\rangle = |j_0 j_1 \dots j_{d-1}\rangle$



Output qubits must be reversed to give QFT.

$$H |j_i\rangle = ( |0\rangle + e^{2\pi i (0 j_i)} |1\rangle )$$

Generally:  $n$  H gates (1/qubit) }  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  gates  
 $\binom{n}{2}$   $R_d$  gates (1/qubit pair) }  
 $\frac{n}{2}$  SWAP gates (to reverse output) }