

Programming Quantum Computers (Apps V: Machine Learning)

(Subtrack of Quantum Computing: An App-Oriented Approach)

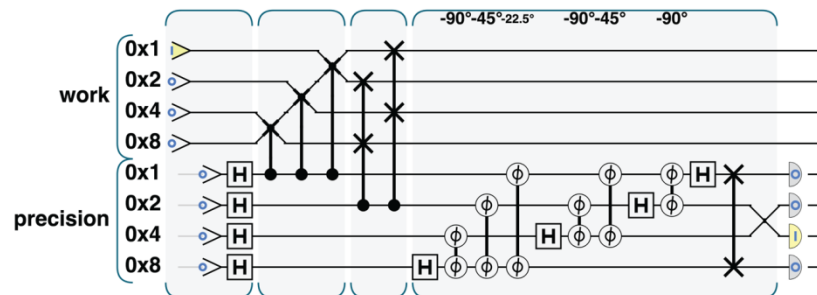
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Quantum Computers are Real

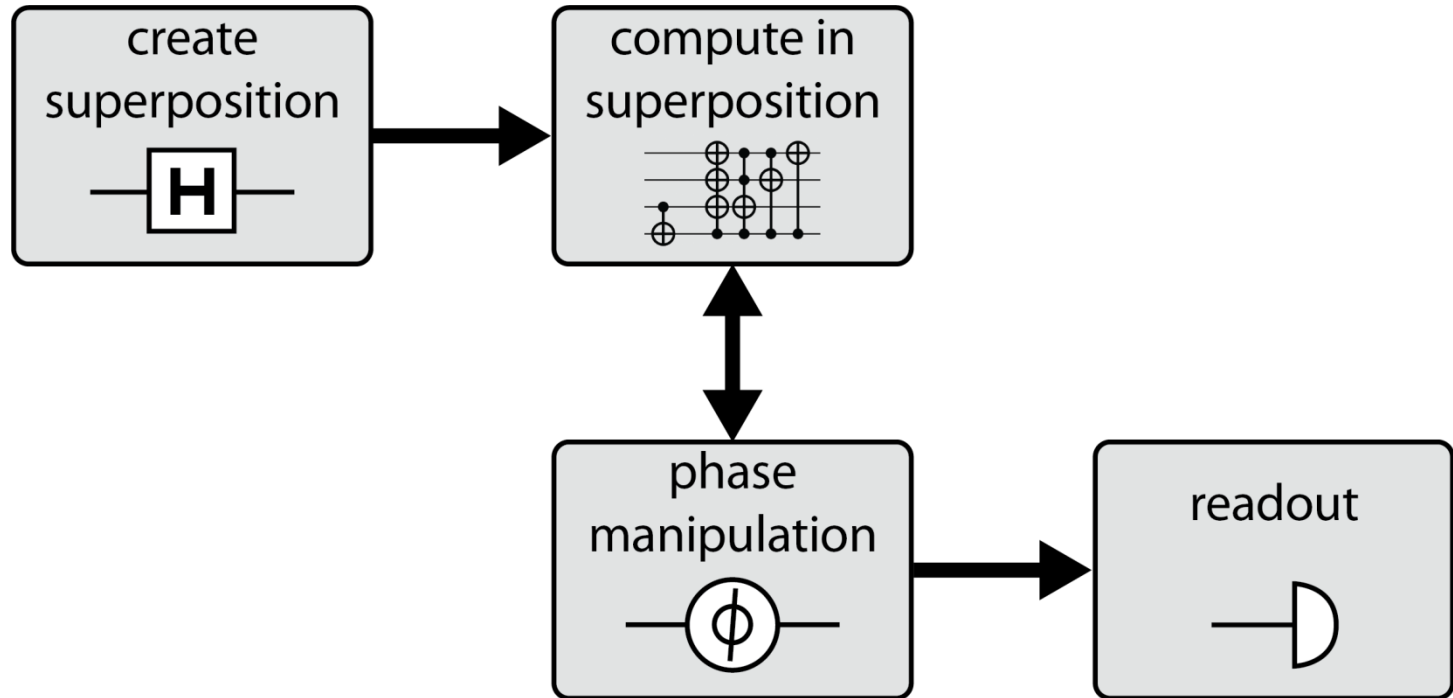
- What are they useful for?
 - Let's discover, by programming them!
- A hands-on approach to programming QCs/QPUs.
 - By doing; i.e., by writing code & building programs.
 - Using simulators, since real QCs are harder-to-access (so far).
- Goals: Read, understand, write, and *debug* quantum applications.
 - Ones like this program.



Topics Covered

- Qubit, Superposition, Entanglement.
- Single-Qubit Ops: H, NOT and Phase.
- Multi-Qubit Ops: Conditional Ops.
- Teleportation.
- Quantum Arithmetic and Logic.
- (Quantum) Amplitude Amplification.
 - Converting phase info into magnitude info.
- Quantum Fourier Transform.
 - Revealing patterns (frequencies).
- (Quantum) Phase Estimation.
 - Characterization of quantum operations.
- QRAM, Vector & Matrix Quantum Encodings, and Quantum Simulation.

Structure of Quantum Apps



QUANTUM APPLICATIONS

QUANTUM MACHINE LEARNING

Lecture Outline

- What is QML?
- Solving Systems of Linear Equations.
- Quantum Principle Component Analysis.
- Quantum Support Vector Machines.
- Other Machine Learning Applications.

QML

Systems of Linear Equations

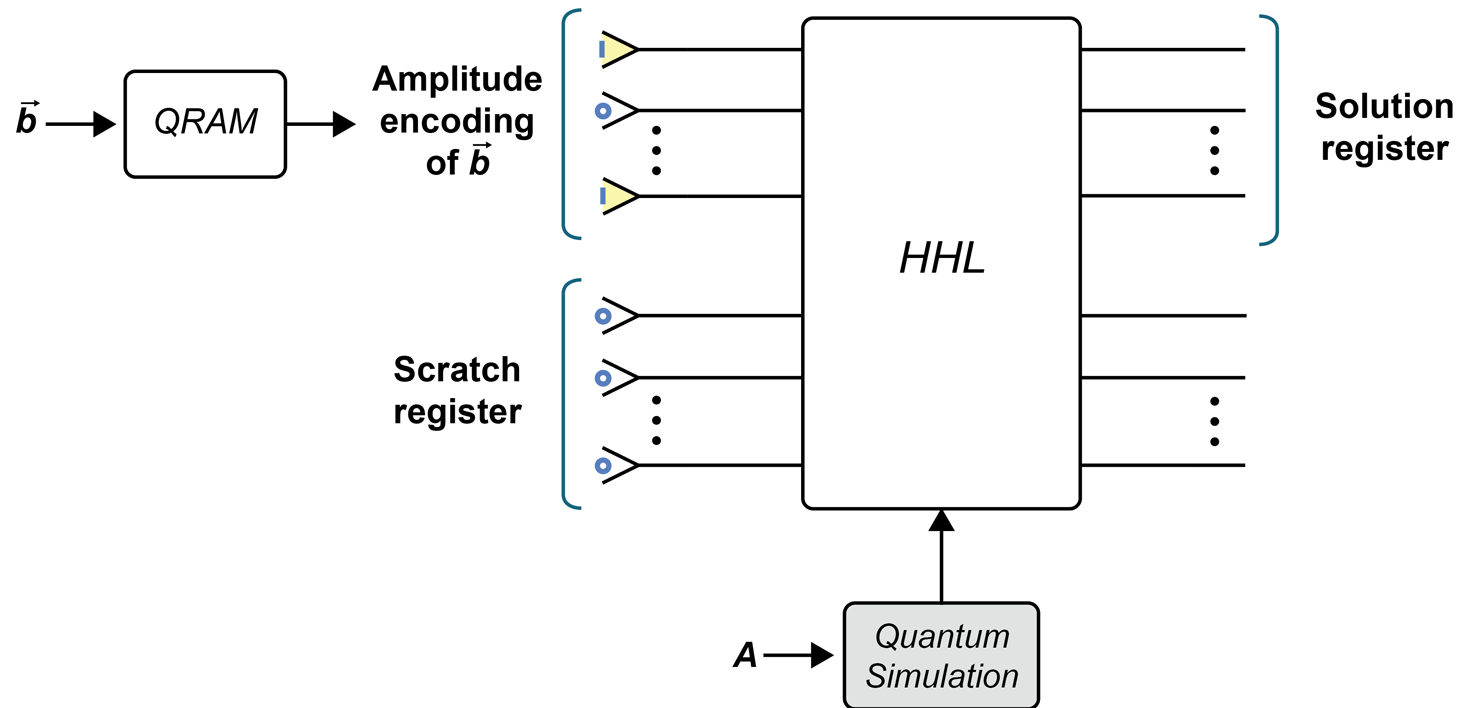
- Elementary school puzzles.
 - Fruit salad puzzles.
 - TODO: Fix. 2 bananas and 3 apples and 5 oranges = 17
 - 3 oranges and 7 apples = 15
 - 2 bananas and 6 oranges = ??
 - $A + A + A = 30$. $B + B - A = 2$. $O + O + B = 18$. $A + B \times O = ??$ (46).
 - “Cat, tortoise and table” puzzle <<Put pic>>
 - $T + C - O = 170$. $T + O - C = 130$. $T = ??$ (150).
- A System of Linear Equations = A Matrix.
 - Math of quantum *applications* not of quantum programming.

Systems of Linear Equations

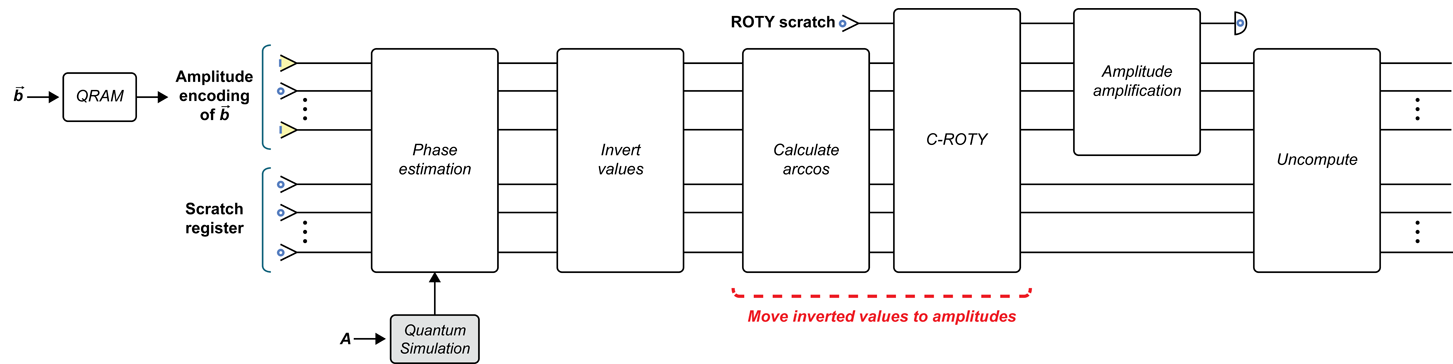
- $3x_1 + 4x_2 = 3$ and $2x_1 + x_2 = 3$.
 - $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$.
 - General form: $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ (matrix \mathbf{A} , and vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{b}).
- Matrix Inversion.
 - $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b} \Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.
 - Has many, *many* applications.
 - *Conjugate gradient descent* (cgd) is probably the most efficient conventional matrix inversion algorithm.
 - Depends on matrix possessing certain helpful properties.
 - The HHL algorithm can efficiently compute (faster than *cgd*) an amplitude-encoding of $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.
 - Quantum output. Still very useful; a critical building block in other QML apps.
 - HHL: Provides *quantum* answers to puzzles (oranges=??, apples=??, bananas=??).

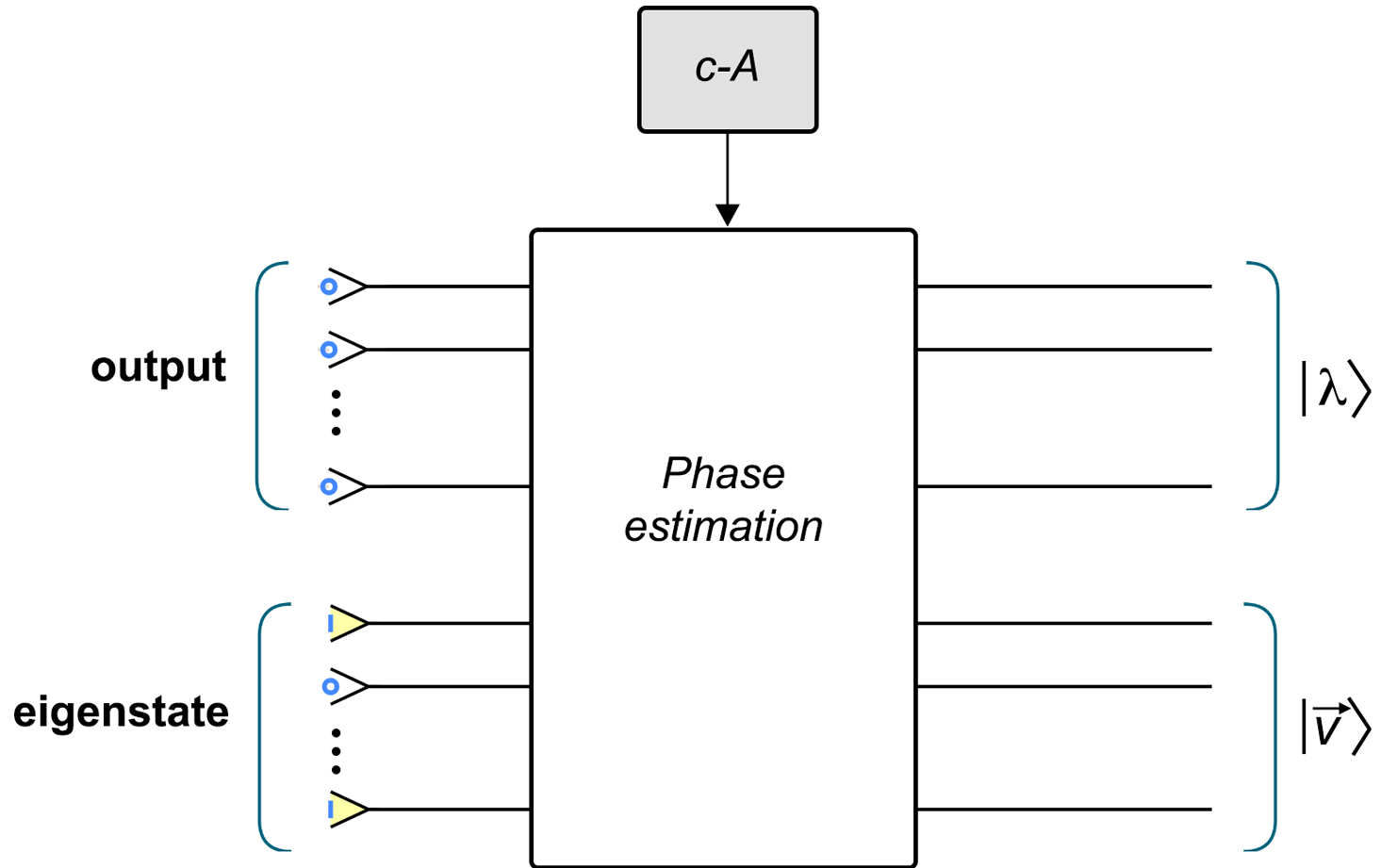
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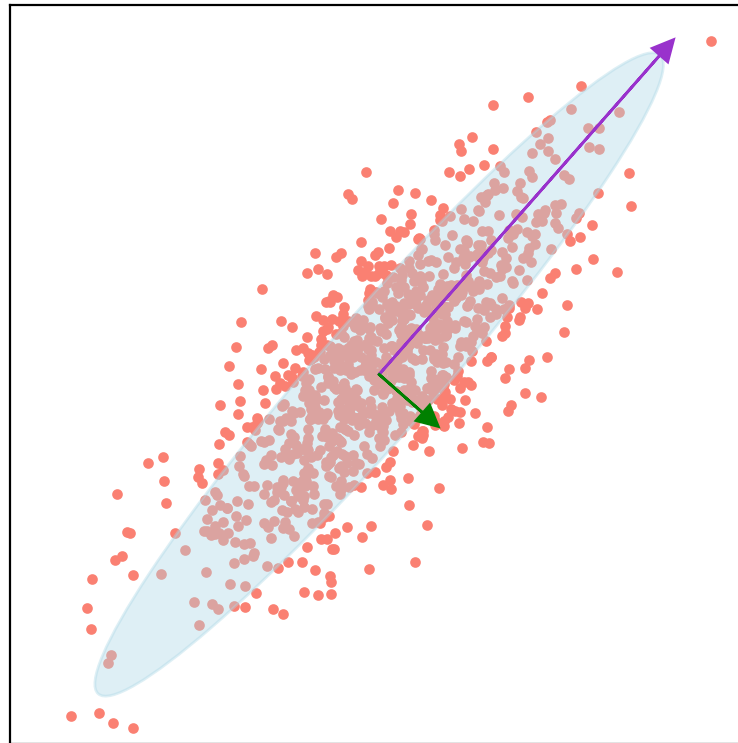


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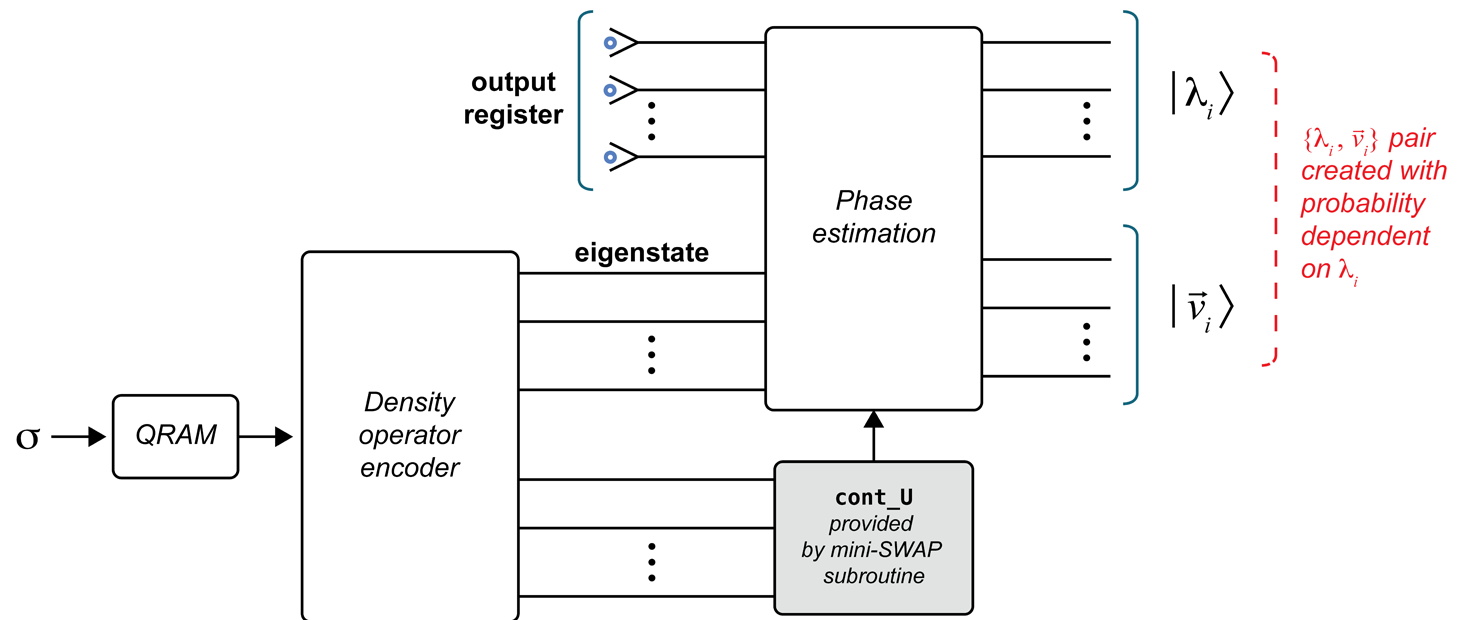


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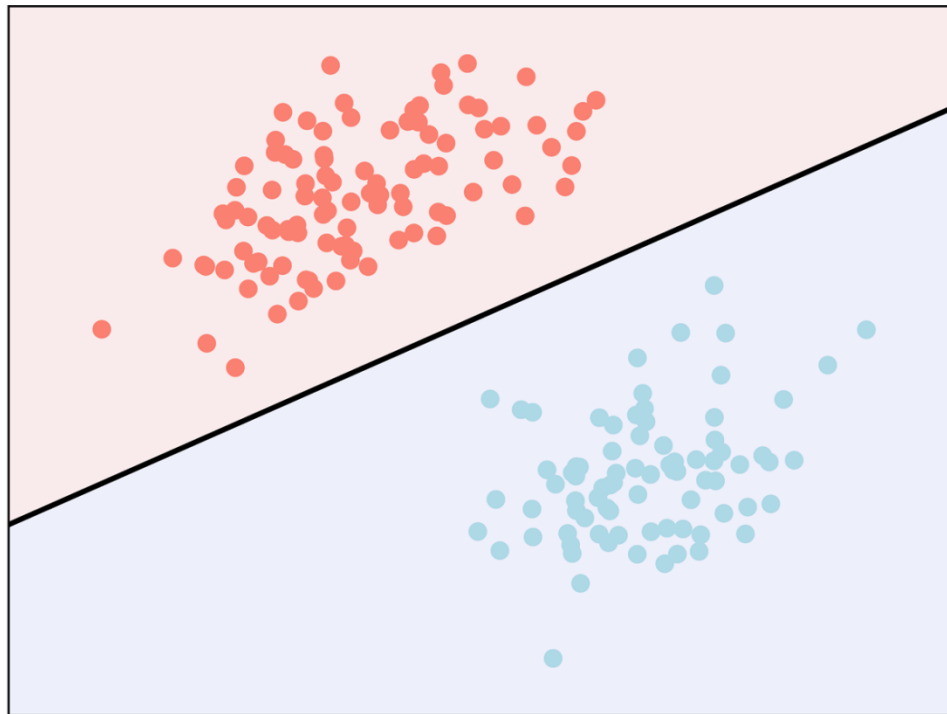


- ▶ First principal component (88% of variance)
- ▶ Second principal component (12% of variance)

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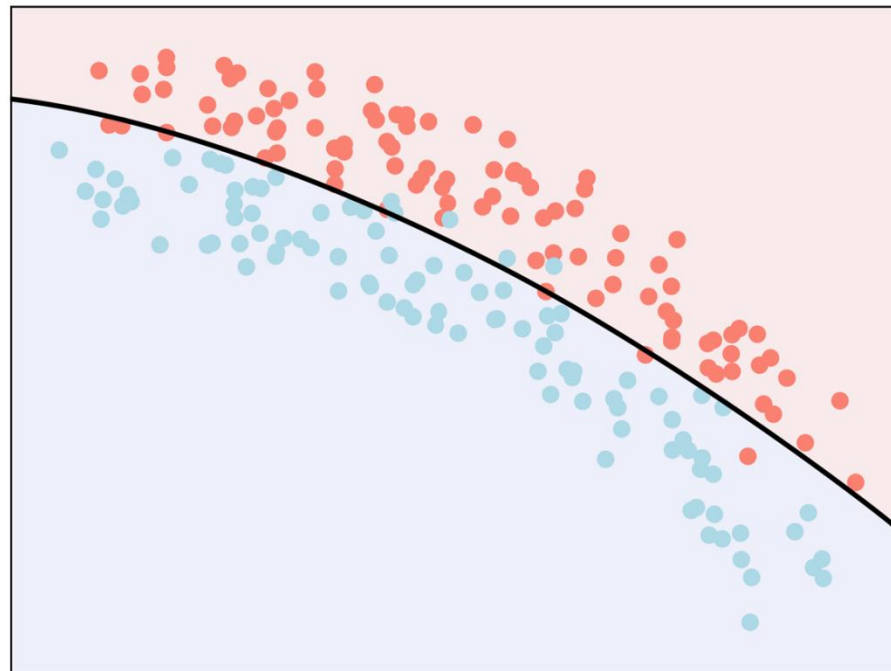


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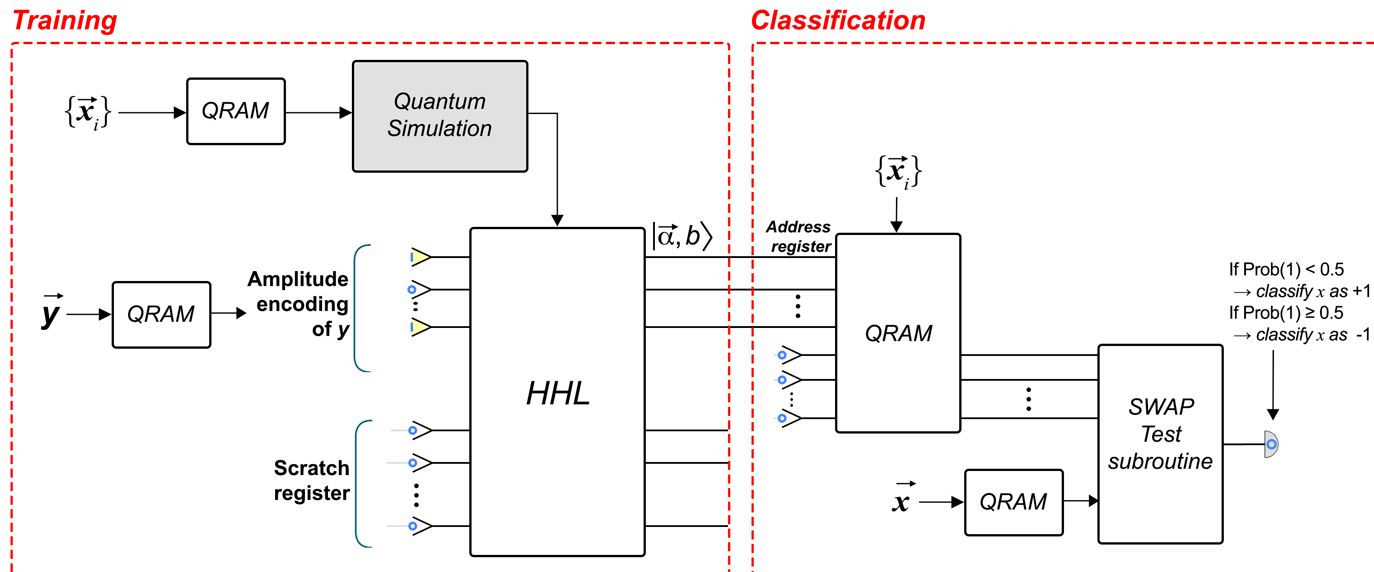
— SVM hyperplane ● Training data: Class 1 ● Training data: Class 2

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QSVM



Projects

- QML:
 - Implement HHL in QCEngine, QX, Q#, Cirq or Quirk.
 - Or in some other real quantum system or quantum simulator.
 - Implement QPCA and QSVM.
- Quantum Cryptography:
 - Implement Shor's factoring algorithm.
 - Break (a tiny version of) RSA!
 - Implement QKD.
- Quantum Image Processing (QIP):
 - Implement QSS.

QC/QP: What Next?

- Hope you enjoyed the course!

- Send me your feedback:

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- ‘Staying on Top’:

- Summary of Ch.14.

- QPLs:

- QML Overview.

QML Overview

- QML: A functional quantum programming language.
 - Ref: ‘An Algebra of Pure Quantum Programming’, Altenkirch et al. (& GVS), ENTCS, 2007.

- QML Code Example:

```
H x = if° x
      then (false + (-1) * true)
      else (false + true)
```

- Wanted: Prove that $H (H x)$ is observationally equivalent to x . (i.e., $H^2 = id$).

QML Overview

- QML definition (P.4 in QPLRef1):

$$\begin{array}{llll} p, q & ::= x \mid (x, y) & (\text{Patterns}) & (\text{Variables}) \quad x, y, \dots \in \text{Vars} \\ t, u, e & ::= x \mid () \mid (t, u) & (\text{Terms}) & (\text{Prob.amplitudes}) \quad \kappa, \iota, \dots \in \mathbb{C} \\ & \mid \text{let } p = t \text{ in } u & & \\ & \mid \text{if}^\circ t \text{ then } u \text{ else } u' & & \\ & \mid \text{false} \mid \text{true} \mid \vec{0} \mid \kappa * t \mid t + u & & \end{array}$$

The classical sub-language consists of variables, **let**-expressions, unit, pairs, booleans, and conditionals. Quantum data is modelled using the constructs $\kappa * t$, $\vec{0}$, and $t + u$. The term $\kappa * t$, where κ is a complex number, associates the *probability amplitude* κ with the term t . It is convenient to have a special constant $\vec{0}$ for terms with probability amplitude zero. The term $t + u$ is a quantum *superposition* of t and u . Quantum superpositions are first-class values: when used as the first subexpression of a conditional, they turn the conditional into a *quantum control* construct. For example, **if**[◦] ($\text{true} + \text{false}$) **then** t **else** u evaluates both t and u and combines their results in a quantum superposition.

QML Overview

- The following three functions correspond to simple rotations on qubits:

$qnot\ x = \text{if } x \text{ then } false \text{ else } true$

$had\ x = \text{if } x \text{ then } ((-1) * true + false) \text{ else } (true + false)$

$z\ x = \text{if } x \text{ then } ((-1) * true) \text{ else } false$

- The first is the quantum version of boolean negation; it behaves as usual when applied to classical values but it also applies to quantum data.

- Evaluating

$qnot\ (\kappa * false + \iota * true)$

swaps the probability amplitudes associated with *false* and *true*.

- The second function represents the fundamental *Hadamard* matrix, and the third represents the *Pauli – Z* operator.

QML Overview

The function:

```
cnot c x = if° c  
    then (true, qnot x)  
    else (false, x)
```

is the conditional-not operation, which behaves as follows: if the control qubit c is $true$ it negates the second qubit x ; otherwise it leaves it unchanged. When the control qubit is in some superposition of $true$ and $false$, the result is a superposition of the two pairs resulting from the evaluation of each branch of the conditional. For example, evaluating $cnot (false + true) false$ produces the *entangled* pair $(false, false) + (true, true)$.

- Handling the no-cloning property; defining a type system for reasoning about programs.
- QPL Refs:
 - ‘An Algebra of Pure Quantum Programming’, Altenkirch et al., ENTCS, 2007.
 - ‘Foundations of Quantum Programming’, Ying, Elsevier (MK), 2016.

QC/QP: What Next ... Even More!

- URLs: quantamagazine.com? zoo? ... others.
- Research group at FoE?
- QNLP?
 - Oxford, others.
- Q...<<techs>>???

The Future:
What happens next is all at your hands,
and it is all up to
YOU!

Discussion

Q & A

Next Lecture Appetizer!

- In next lecture (isA):
 - No next lecture! 😊
 - No necessary textbook reading. 😊
 - Prepare for the FINAL!!! 😐 😐 😐

Course Webpage

<http://eng.staff.alexu.edu.eg/staff/moez/teaching/pqc-f19>

- Where you can:
 - Download lecture slides (incl. exercises and homework).
 - Check links to other useful material.

Thank You