# To Design Quantum Unitary Gate using Born Scattering

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Abstract: Classical computers are reaching towards their limit in speed and chip size. Present day need is a shift towards more efficient, fast and secured computational system. Quantum computation and Quantum information is a field in which control of a quantum mechanical system plays a role. The basic building block in quantum Information and computation theory is a Quantum Gate. Quantum Gate is a Unitary operator or a Unitary Gate for evolution of a quantum operation and satisfies condition  $U^1=U^*$ . Quantum Fourier Transform is a quantum algorithm to perform Fourier transform of quantum mechanical amplitudes.[6] The various applications of Quantum Fourier Transform are in the fields of Phase estimation, Order finding problems, Factoring problems, Eigen values of a unitary operator, Hidden subgroup problems etc.[6]

In this paper, effort has been made to design a Quantum Unitary Gate. To achieve this, an elastic scattering process with a weak potential is analyzed using the Born approximation. The algorithm to design the QFT gate has been applied.

# **1. INTRODUCTION**

The physical state of a particle is represented by a state vector or 'state ket' in a complex vector space. The set of all state

vectors of a single particle constitutes a Hilbert space  $\mathcal{H}$ . A finite dimensional Hilbert space is considered as a Quantum System. The Position, momentum, Hamiltonian etc characteristics of a particle are called observables. These observables are given by Hermitian operators.

A quantum operation is an evolution defined by Unitary operator. This unitary operator is called a Quantum Gate. The evolution is obtained by some scattering experiment. Time Evolution operator is a translation which relates two kets. A linear transformation from one Hilbert space(Domain) to another(Range) is Isometric if Inner product remains same. A Linear operator is unitary if and only if it satisfies condition  $U^{-1}=U^*$ .[1] Unitary operator U is bounded i.e. ||U||=1.[1] Unitary operator of H onto the whole of H and preserves the norm. i.e. D (U) = R (U) = H and  $||U\psi|| = ||\psi||$  for

all  $|\psi\rangle$ . [1] The Inverse of a unitary operator is also defined on the whole of H.

# 2. SCATTERING THEORY AND BORN APPROXIMATION

A particle with mass  $\mu$  and momentum p=ħk, at time t<sub>0</sub>, is in the state  $|\psi_i\rangle$  which is an eigen state of the free particle of Hamiltonian H<sub>0</sub>. After passing through a region of potential V, it gets scattered to a state  $|\psi_s\rangle$  and finally is in the eigen state of the perturbed Hamiltonian  $\hat{H}$ .



# Fig. 1 Evolution using Scattering process

The  $|\psi\rangle$  at t=0 is related to the in asymptote  $|\psi_{in}\rangle$  and the out asymptote  $|\psi_{out}\rangle$ . H<sub>0</sub> =  $\hbar^2 + k^2/2\mu V$  is free Hamiltonian where k=  $(2\mu E/\hbar^2)^{0.5}$ . E is the kinetic energy. Interaction between both particles is denoted by r = r - r' and  $\alpha = \angle(r, r')$ . For  $r \gg r'$ 

$$|r-r'| = (r^2 - 2rr'\cos\alpha + r'^2)^{1/2} \approx r - r'r'r'$$

Basic schrodinger equation [2]  $(H_0 + V) |\psi\rangle = E |\psi\rangle$  and its Solution is

$$\left|\psi\right\rangle = \frac{1}{E - H_0} V \left|\psi\right\rangle + \left|\phi\right\rangle \quad \dots \tag{1}$$

Lippmann Schwinger equation for position basis[2]

$$\langle r | \psi \rangle = \langle r | \phi \rangle + \int d^3 r \left\langle r \left| \frac{1}{E - H_0 + i\varepsilon} \right| r' \right\rangle \langle r' | V | \psi \rangle ...(2)$$

Kernel of integral equation is defined by Green's function[2]

$$G_{\pm}(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}') = (-1/4\pi) \frac{e^{\pm ik|r-r'|}}{|r-r'|} \dots$$
(3)

Due to weak interaction of particle with potential, the effects of multiple scattering can be avoided and a first order approximation of the scattering states will work. Substituting kernel and for larger r, Born approximation expression for scattering is

$$\psi_{s} = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{2m}{\hbar^{2}} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^{3}x' e^{-ik'x'} V(x') \psi_{i}(\mathbf{r}') \dots$$
(4)

The Born Approximation of the scattering amplitude is the Fourier Transform of the scattering potential.[9] Final wave is a summation of incident and scattered wave.  $\psi_f = \psi_i + \psi_s$ 

$$\psi_f = \psi_i - \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{2m}{\hbar^2} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \int d^3x' e^{-ik'x'} V(x') \psi_i(\mathbf{r}')$$
(5)

# 3. MULTIPOLE MOMENT POTENTIAL

The scattering potential is assumed to be generated by a distribution of charge over a small region B of space. The potential V(r) then satisfies Poisson's equation:

$$\nabla^2 V(\underline{r}) = -\frac{\rho(\underline{r})}{\varepsilon_0} \quad \dots \tag{6}$$

Where  $\rho(r)$  is the charge density. Equivalently the solution of eq (6) is

$$V(r) = \int_{B} \frac{\rho(r')}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 \left| \frac{r-r'}{r} \right|} d^3r' \quad \dots \tag{7}$$

For r > r', eq (7) can be approximated by

$$V(\underline{r}) = \sum_{l=0}^{N} \frac{C_l P_l(\cos\theta)}{r^{l+1}} \quad \dots \tag{8}$$

#### Assuming $\rho(r')$ is azimuthally symmetric.

Potential in product form in spherical coordinates is  $\Phi = \frac{U(\mathbf{r})}{r} P(\theta) Q(\phi)$ When  $\theta$  in P( $\theta$ ) is expressed in terms of

x=cos  $\theta$  then substituting in Laplace equation in spherical coordinates, generalized Legendre equation is given[5] by:

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\left(1-x^2\right)\frac{dp}{dx}\right] + \left[l\left(l+1\right) - \frac{m^2}{1-x^2}\right]P = 0$$

Solutions of the above equation are Legendre functions. Legendre polynomials using Rodrigues' formula[5]:

$$P_l(x) = \frac{1}{2^l l!} \frac{d^l}{dx^l} (x^2 - 1)^l \,.$$

# 4. DESIGNING GATE

Quantum scattering is used here to design a finite dimensional quantum unitary gate. When the scattering potential is small, the outstate is a small perturbation of the input state.

$$\begin{split} \left| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{f} \right\rangle &= \left| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i} \right\rangle + \varepsilon T_{v} \left| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i} \right\rangle \\ \left| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{f} \right\rangle &= (I + \varepsilon T_{v}) \left| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i} \right\rangle \qquad (9) \end{split}$$

Where Tv is a skew Hermitian operator determined by the potential V. V is selected so that  $||I+\epsilon Tv-U_d||$  is a minimum, where Ud is Unitary in nature. The initial state

$$\psi_i\left(\frac{r}{L}\right) = C \cdot \exp\left(jk \stackrel{\wedge}{n_i \cdot r}_{L}\right) \quad \dots \tag{10}$$

where  $n_i$  are unit vectors.

Using Born scattering, the final state is given by

$$\psi_i^f\left(\underline{r}\right) = \frac{\delta m_0 C}{2\pi\hbar^2} \int V\left(\underline{r}\right) \psi_i\left(\underline{r}\right) \frac{\exp\left(jk\left|\underline{r}-\underline{r}\right|\right)}{\left|\underline{r}-\underline{r}\right|} d^3r + \psi_i\left(\underline{r}\right) \qquad (11)$$

V is taken as multipole potential of the form

$$V(r,\theta) = \sum_{l=0}^{N} \frac{c(l)P_{l}(\cos\theta)}{r^{l+1}} \dots$$
(12)

Then Tv is of the form

$$Tv = \sum_{l=0}^{N} c(l) V_l(r, \theta) \equiv \sum_{l=0}^{N} c(l) V_l(\underline{r}) \qquad \dots$$
(13)

where  $V_1$  (r, $\theta$ ) is completely determined by the projectile moment  $\hbar ki = \hbar k \frac{\hat{n}}{ni}$ .

The C(l)s are to be selected so that  $\sum_{i=1}^{k} \left\| \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i}^{d} - \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i}^{f} \right\|^{2}$  is a minimum. where  $\boldsymbol{\psi}_{i}^{d} = U_{d} \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i}$ ,  $1 \le i \le k$  and  $U_{d}$  is desired unitary gate.

$$\begin{split} \psi_i^f(r,\theta) &= \\ \frac{\delta m_0 C}{2\pi\hbar^2} \sum_{l=0}^N C(l) \int_{r^{-2}\sin\theta' dr' d\theta' d\phi'}^{P_l(\cos\theta')} \psi_i(r',\theta') \exp(-jk(r^2 + r' - 2\pi'(\cos\theta\cos\theta' + \sin\theta\sin\theta'\cos\phi'))^{1/2})}{\left(r^2 + r'^2 - 2rr'(\cos\theta\cos\theta' + \sin\theta\sin\theta'\cos\phi')\right)^{1/2}} \\ &+ \psi_i(r,\theta) \end{split}$$

where  $1 \le i \le k$  ..... (14)

In other words C(l)'s are chosen so that the average error energy between the desired set of final states and the actual set of final state is a minimum. This is a simple quadratic function optimization problem and the optimal equations form a set of linear equations for {C(l)} that are solved by matrix inversion using MATLAB.

# 5. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS



Fig. 2 scattering pattern of Gate

A Matlab implementation has been done to obtain Quantum Unitary Gate. A particle of position vector  $r(\mathbf{r}, \theta, \phi)$  is incident and scattered to vector  $r'(\mathbf{r}', \theta', \phi')$ . Here  $\phi = 0$  is taken and for incident parameters  $r, \theta$  and scattered parameters  $r', \theta', \phi'$ , scattering amplitude is calculated. Software implementation of expressions for incident, scattered and final waves is done. Figure 2 represents example of incident, scattered and final wave patterns.

# 6. CONCLUSION

An effort has been made in this paper to design a quantum gate using elastic scattering process and Born approximation. Approximation for coefficient of potential is done so that gate can be maximally optimized towards Unitary. For this a small perturbation has been applied to correct evolution operator.

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