

Quantum Algorithm for Eulerian Graph Problem

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Abstract

A quantum algorithm for the Eulerian graph problem and its example are reported. When nodes are connected by edges, a route that traverses each edge just for once is obtained. When it is assumed that a computational complexity of a classical computation is Z , a computational complexity of the quantum algorithm by using quantum phase inversion gates and quantum inversion about mean gates is about $Z^{1/2}$. Therefore, a high-speed process becomes possible.

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1. Introduction

A quantum computer can compute speedily by a parallel computation that uses quantum entangled states. Deutsch-Jozsa's algorithm for the rapid solution [1–3], Shor's algorithm for the factorization [2–4], Grover's algorithms for the database search [2,5–7], Durr-Hoyer's algorithm for finding a minimum [8], Brassard-Hoyer-Tapp's algorithm for counting [9], and so on are known. A quantum algorithm for the knapsack problem has recently been reported by Fujimura [10]. The Eulerian graph problem [11] is examined this time to expand the application range of the quantum computation. Therefore, its result is reported.

2. Eulerian graph problem

When nodes are connected by edges, a route that traverses each edge just for once is obtained. There are a unicursal route and a traversable route.

3. Quantum algorithm

3.1. Premise

A graph is assumed that k nodes connected by n edges. There are $h_{u,v}$ edges between the u -th node and the v -th node [$0 \leq u < v \leq k - 1$]. Where, there aren't any edges from

a node to same node directly. It is assumed that t is $k + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1)$, and m is

$n + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1)$. When an the w -th node [$w = 0, \dots, t - 1$] has Q_w edges,

R_w is a minimum integer that is $Q_w/2$ or more. Where, $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w$ is a necessary number of nodes that the graph changes a line that may be contained same nodes. Therefore, the graph has 3 cases.

(I) A case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m$. This case is a unicursal route.

(II) A case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m + 1$. This case is a traversable route.

(III) A case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w > m + 1$. This case isn't the Eulerian graph. Therefore, it isn't necessary that we calculate this case.

A length of the δ -th edge [$\delta = 0, \dots, h_{u,v} - 1$] between the i -th node and the j -th node [$0 \leq i < j \leq t - 1$] is $L_{i,j}^{(\delta)}$. Where, $L_{(p,q)}^{(0)}$ [p and q are integers.] is $L_{p,q}^{(0)}$ at $p < q$, or $L_{q,p}^{(0)}$ at $q < p$. A total length of edges on the Eulerian graph is L^* . At (I), L^* is L_{uni}^* , and at (II), it is L_{tra}^* . One edge of $h_{u,v}$ is $L_{u,v}^{(0)}$, and remains $L_{u,v}^{(1)}, \dots, L_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-2)}$, and $L_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-1)}$ are $L_{u,g_{u,v}}^{(0)} + L_{v,g_{u,v}}^{(0)}, \dots, L_{u,g_{u,v}}^{(h_{u,v}-2)} + L_{v,g_{u,v}}^{(h_{u,v}-2)}$, and $L_{u,g_{u,v}}^{(0)} + L_{v,g_{u,v}}^{(h_{u,v}-1)}$, respectively. Where, $g_{u,v}^{(1)}, \dots, g_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-2)}$, and $g_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-1)}$ are middle nodes. When there aren't edges between the i -th node and the j -th node, $L_{i,j}^{(0)}$ is assumed $2L^*$. Moreover, $L_{i,i}^{(0)}$ and $L_{j,j}^{(0)}$ are assumed $2L^*$. These edges that are assumed $2L^*$ are excluded by gate actions. The cases of (I) and (II) are as follows.

3.2. Case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m$ [Unicursal route]

It is assumed that k nodes are $P_0(x_0, y_0, z_0), P_1(x_1, y_1, z_1), \dots, P_{k-2}(x_{k-2}, y_{k-2}, z_{k-2}),$ and $P_{k-1}(x_{k-1}, y_{k-1}, z_{k-1})$. There are $h_{u,v}$ edges between the u -th node and the v -th node. New nodes are assumed $P_k(x_k, y_k, z_k), \dots, P_{t-2}(x_{t-2}, y_{t-2}, z_{t-2}),$ and $P_{t-1}(x_{t-1}, y_{t-1}, z_{t-1})$. These nodes are $g_{u,v}^{(1)}, \dots, g_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-1)}$, and so on. When P_0 starts and ends, we consider that combinations of t nodes that may be contained same nodes. An answer contains a counter course for a course. Therefore, the final answer has 2 routes at least. Therefore, a computational complexity of a classical computation of a unicursal route [= Z_{uni}] is $(1/2)(m-1)!/((R_0-1)!R_1! \dots R_{t-1}!).$

First of all, quantum registers $|a_0\rangle, |a_1\rangle, \dots, |a_{m-2}\rangle,$ and $|b\rangle$ are prepared. When α is a minimum integer that is $\log_2 t$ or more, each of $|a_f\rangle$ that f is an integer from 0 to $m-2$ is consisted of α quantum bits [=qubits]. States of $|a_f\rangle$ and $|b\rangle$ are a_f and $b,$ respectively.

Step 1: Each qubit of $|a_f\rangle$ and $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle.$

Step 2: The Hadamard gate $\boxed{\text{H}}$ [2, 3] acts on each qubit of $|a_f\rangle.$ It changes them for entangled states. The total states are $(2^\alpha)^{m-1}.$

Step 3: It is assumed that a quantum gate (A) changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_f \geq t,$ or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_f < t.$ As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is 0, quantum phase inversion gates (PI) and quantum inversion about mean gates (IM) [2, 5–7] act on $|b\rangle.$ When β is a minimum even integer that is $(2^\alpha/t)^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is β because they are a couple. Next, an observation gate (OB) observes $|b\rangle.$ These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_0\rangle$ to $|a_{m-2}\rangle.$ Therefore, each state of $|a_f\rangle$ is 0, 1, $\dots, t-2,$ or $t-1,$ and the total states become t^{m-1} [= W_0].

Step 4: It is assumed that a quantum gate (B_0) changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_0 = 0,$ or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_0 \neq 0.$ Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1\rangle$ to $|a_{m-2}\rangle.$ As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is $R_0-1,$ (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle.$ By these actions, states of $W_1 = (m-1)!(t-1)^{(m-1)-(R_0-1)}/(((m-1)-(R_0-1))!(R_0-1)!$ are selected. When γ_1 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_0/W_1)^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is $\gamma_1.$ Next, (OB) observes $|b\rangle.$ By these actions, states of W_1 remain. And $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle.$ Similarly, the quantum gate (B_s) [$s = 1, \dots, t-2.$ s is an integer.] changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_0 = s,$ or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_0 \neq s.$ These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1\rangle$ to $|a_{m-2}\rangle.$ As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is $R_s,$ (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle.$ By these actions, states of $W_{s+1} = (m-1)!(t-(s+1))^{(m-1)-((R_0-1)+R_1+\dots+R_s)}/(((m-1)-((R_0-1)+R_1+\dots+R_s))!(R_0-1)!R_1! \dots R_s!)$ are selected. When γ_{s+1} is a minimum even integer that is $(W_s/W_{s+1})^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is $\gamma_{s+1}.$ Next, (OB) observes $|b\rangle.$ By these actions, states of W_{s+1} remain. And $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle.$ These actions are repeated sequentially from 1 to $t-2$ at $s.$ After all, states of

$W_{t-1} = (m-1)!(t-(t-1))^{(m-1)-((R_0-1)+R_1+\dots+R_{t-2})} / (((m-1)-((R_0-1)+R_1+\dots+R_{t-2}))!(R_0-1)!R_1!\dots R_{t-2}!)$ remain.

Step 5: It is assumed that a quantum gate (C_1) obtains states of $|a_0\rangle$ and $|a_1\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(0,a_0)}^{(0)} + L_{(a_0,a_1)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Next, (C_2) obtains states of $|a_1\rangle$ and $|a_2\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_1,a_2)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_2\rangle$ to $|a_{m-2}\rangle$. Where, (C_{m-2}) obtains states of $|a_{m-3}\rangle$ and $|a_{m-2}\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_{m-3},a_{m-2})}^{(0)} + L_{(a_{m-2},0)}^{(0)}\rangle$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is L_{uni}^* , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $2^{[= W_t]}$ are selected. They contains a counter course for a course. When γ_t is a minimum even integer that is $(W_{t-1}/W_t)^{1/2} [= Z_{uni}^{1/2}]$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_t . Next, (OB) observes $|a_0\rangle, |a_1\rangle, \dots, |a_{m-2}\rangle$, and $|b\rangle$. By these actions, a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{m-2} , and b are obtained. Therefore, one final answer is a permutation of $P_0 \rightarrow P_{a_0} \rightarrow P_{a_1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_{a_{m-2}} \rightarrow P_0$. And the counter course for this course is another final answer.

3.3. Case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m + 1$ [Traversable route]

It is assumed that k nodes are $P_0(x_0, y_0, z_0), P_1(x_1, y_1, z_1), \dots, P_{k-2}(x_{k-2}, y_{k-2}, z_{k-2})$, and $P_{k-1}(x_{k-1}, y_{k-1}, z_{k-1})$. There are $h_{u,v}$ edges between the u -th node and the v -th node. New nodes are assumed $P_k(x_k, y_k, z_k), \dots, P_{t-2}(x_{t-2}, y_{t-2}, z_{t-2})$, and $P_{t-1}(x_{t-1}, y_{t-1}, z_{t-1})$. These nodes are $g_{u,v}^{(1)}, \dots, g_{u,v}^{(h_{u,v}-1)}$, and so on. When a node starts and other node ends, we consider that combinations of t nodes that may be contained same nodes. An answer contains a counter course for a course. Therefore, the final answer has 2 routes at least. Therefore, a computational complexity of a classical computation of a traversable route [= Z_{tra}] is $(1/2)(m+1)!/(R_0!R_1!\dots R_{t-1}!)$.

First of all, $|a_0\rangle, |a_1\rangle, \dots, |a_m\rangle$, and $|b\rangle$ are prepared. When α is a minimum integer that is $\log_2 t$ or more, each of $|a_f\rangle$ that f is an integer from 0 to m is consisted of α qubits. States of $|a_f\rangle$ and $|b\rangle$ are a_f and b , respectively.

Step 1: Each qubit of $|a_f\rangle$ and $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle$.

Step 2: \boxed{H} acts on each qubit of $|a_f\rangle$. It changes them for entangled states. The total states are $(2^\alpha)^{m+1}$.

Step 3: (A) changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_f \geq t$, or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_f < t$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is 0, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. When β is a minimum even integer that is $(2^\alpha/t)^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is β . Next, (OB) observes $|b\rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_0\rangle$ to $|a_m\rangle$. Therefore, each state of $|a_f\rangle$ is 0, 1, $\dots, t-2$, or $t-1$, and the total states become $t^{m+1} [= W_0]$.

Step 4: (B_0) changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_0 = 0$, or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_0 \neq 0$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1\rangle$ to $|a_m\rangle$. As

a target state for $|b\rangle$ is R_0 , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_1 = (m+1)!(t-1)^{(m+1)-R_0}/(((m+1)-R_0)!R_0!)$ are selected. When γ_1 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_0/W_1)^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_1 . Next, (OB) observes $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of W_1 remain. And $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle$. Similarly, $(B_s)[s = 1, \dots, t-2]$ changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b+1\rangle$ at $a_0 = s$, or it doesn't change $|b\rangle$ at $a_0 \neq s$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1\rangle$ to $|a_m\rangle$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is R_s , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_{s+1} = (m+1)!(t-(s+1))^{(m+1)-(R_0+R_1+\dots+R_s)}/(((m+1)-(R_0+R_1+\dots+R_s))!R_0!R_1!\dots R_s!)$ are selected. When γ_{s+1} is a minimum even integer that is $(W_s/W_{s+1})^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_{s+1} . Next, (OB) observes $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of W_{s+1} remain. And $|b\rangle$ is set $|0\rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from 1 to $t-2$ at s . After all, states of $W_{t-1} = (m+1)!(t-(t-1))^{(m+1)-(R_0+R_1+\dots+R_{t-2})}/(((m+1)-(R_0+R_1+\dots+R_{t-2}))!R_0!R_1!\dots R_{t-2}!)$ remain.

Step 5: (C_1) obtains states of $|a_0\rangle$ and $|a_1\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_0, a_1)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Next, (C_2) obtains states of $|a_1\rangle$ and $|a_2\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_1, a_2)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_2\rangle$ to $|a_m\rangle$. Finally, (C_m) obtains states of $|a_{m-1}\rangle$ and $|a_m\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_{m-1}, a_m)}^{(0)}\rangle$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is L_{tra}^* , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $2[= W_t]$ are selected. They contain a counter course for a course. When γ_t is a minimum even integer that is $(W_{t-1}/W_t)^{1/2}[= Z_{tra}^{1/2}]$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_t . Next, (OB) observes $|a_0\rangle, |a_1\rangle, \dots, |a_m\rangle$, and $|b\rangle$. By these actions, a_0, a_1, \dots, a_m , and b are obtained. Therefore, one final answer is a permutation of $P_{a_0} \rightarrow P_{a_1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_{a_m}$. And the counter course for this course is another final answer.

4. Numerical calculation

4.1. Case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w$ [Unicursal route]

$6[= k]$ nodes on a graph are $P_0(0, 0, 0)$, $P_1(2, 0, 0)$, $P_2(2, 2, 1)$, $P_3(1, 2, 0)$, $P_4(0, 2, 2)$, and $P_5(1, 1, 0)$. As for a unicursal route, the length of $12[= n]$ edges on the graph are $L_{0,1}^{(0)} = 2$, $L_{1,5}^{(0)} = L_{0,5}^{(0)} = 2^{1/2} \approx 1.4$, $L_{0,2}^{(0)} = 3$, $L_{2,3}^{(0)} = 2^{1/2} \approx 1.4$, $L_{2,3}^{(1)} = L_{2,3}^{(2)} = 2$, $L_{3,4}^{(0)} = 5^{1/2} \approx 2.2$, $L_{3,4}^{(1)} = 6^{1/2} + 1 \approx 3.4$, $L_{1,4}^{(0)} = 12^{1/2} \approx 3.5$, $L_{1,3}^{(0)} = 5^{1/2} \approx 2.2$, and $L_{0,4}^{(0)} = 2 \cdot 2^{1/2} \approx 2.8$. L_{uni}^* is about 27.3. P_2 and P_3 have 3 edges, and P_3 and

P_4 have 2 edges. $h_{2,3}$ is 3, and $h_{3,4}$ is 2. Therefore, t is $k + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1) =$

$6 + 2 + 1 = 9$, and m is $n + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1) = 12 + 2 + 1 = 15$. Added 3 nodes are $P_6(2, 2, 0)[= g_{2,3}^{(1)}]$, $P_7(1, 2, 1)[= g_{2,3}^{(2)}]$, and $P_8(0, 1, 2)[= g_{3,4}^{(1)}]$. $L_{2,3}^{(1)}$, $L_{2,3}^{(2)}$, and $L_{3,4}^{(1)}$ become $L_{2,6}^{(0)} + L_{3,6}^{(0)} = 1 + 1 = 2$, $L_{2,7}^{(0)} + L_{3,7}^{(0)} = 1 + 1 = 2$, and $L_{3,8}^{(0)} + L_{4,8}^{(0)} \approx 2.4 + 1 = 3.4$, respectively. When there aren't edges between the i -th node and the j -th node, $L_{i,j}^{(0)}$ is assumed $2L_{uni}^*$. Moreover, $L_{i,i}^{(0)}$ and $L_{j,j}^{(0)}$ are assumed $2L_{uni}^*$. These edges that are assumed $2L_{uni}^*$ are excluded by gate actions. The values of $Q_0/2, Q_1/2, \dots, Q_7/2$, and $Q_8/2$ are $4/2 \leq 2 = R_0 = R_1 = R_2, 6/2 \leq 3 = R_3, 4/2 \leq 2 = R_4$, and $2/2 \leq 1 = R_5 = R_6 = R_7 = R_8$, respectively. Therefore, $\sum_{w=0}^8 R_w$ is $15[= m]$, and it is

checked this graph is a unicursal route.

It is assumed that P_0 starts and ends. An answer contains a counter course for a course. Therefore, the final answer has 2 routes at least. Z_{uni} is $(1/2)(m-1)!/((R_0-1)!R_1! \cdots R_8!) = (1/2)(15-1)!/((2-1)!2!3!2!1!1!1!1!) \approx 9.1 \times 10^8$.

First of all, $|a_0 \rangle, |a_1 \rangle, \dots, |a_{13} \rangle$, and $|b \rangle$ are prepared. As $\log_2 t$ is $\log_2 9 \approx 3.2 \leq 4 = \alpha$, each of $|a_f \rangle$ that f is an integer from 0 to 13 is consisted of 4 qubits.

Step 1: Each qubit of $|a_f \rangle$ and $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$.

Step 2: $\boxed{\text{H}}$ acts on each qubit of $|a_f \rangle$. It changes them for entangled states. The total states are $(2^\alpha)^{m-1} = (2^4)^{14}$.

Step 3: (A) changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b+1 \rangle$ at $a_f \geq 9$, or it doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_f < 9$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is 0, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. When β is a minimum even integer that is $(2^\alpha/t)^{1/2} = (2^4/9)^{1/2} \approx 1.3 \leq 2 = \beta$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is 2. Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_0 \rangle$ to $|a_{13} \rangle$. Therefore, each state of $|a_f \rangle$ is 0, 1, \dots , 7, or 8, and the total states become $t^{m-1} = 9^{14}[= W_0]$.

Step 4: (B₀) changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b+1 \rangle$ at $a_0 = 0$, or it is doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_0 \neq 0$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1 \rangle$ to $|a_{13} \rangle$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is 1[$= R_0 - 1$], (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_1 = (15-1)!(9-1)^{(15-1)-(2-1)}/(((15-1)-(2-1))!(2-1)!) = 14 \cdot 8^{13}$ are selected. When γ_1 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_0/W_1)^{1/2} \approx 1.7 \leq 2 = \gamma_1$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is 2. Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of W_1 remain. And $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$. Similarly, (B_s)[$s = 1, \dots, 7$] changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b+1 \rangle$ at $a_0 = s$, or it doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_0 \neq s$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1 \rangle$ to $|a_{13} \rangle$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is R_s , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_{s+1} = 14!(9-(s+1))^{14-(1+R_1+\dots+R_s)}/((14-(1+R_1+\dots+R_s))!1!R_1! \cdots R_s!)$ are selected. When γ_{s+1} is a minimum even integer that is $(W_s/W_{s+1})^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is γ_{s+1} . Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of W_{s+1} remain. And $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from

1 to 7 at s . They are $(W_1/W_2)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_2$, $(W_2/W_3)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_3$, $(W_3/W_4)^{1/2} \approx 2.8 \leq 4 = \gamma_4$, $(W_4/W_5)^{1/2} \approx 2.0 \leq 2 = \gamma_5$, $(W_5/W_6)^{1/2} \approx 1.5 \leq 2 = \gamma_6$, $(W_6/W_7)^{1/2} \approx 1.5 \leq 2 = \gamma_7$, and $(W_7/W_8)^{1/2} \approx 1.4 \leq 2 = \gamma_8$. Where, the values of W_2, \dots, W_7 , and W_8 are $14!7^{11}/(11!1!2!)$, \dots , $14!2^2/(2!1!2!2!3!2!1!1!)$, and $14!1^1/(1!1!2!2!3!2!1!1!)$, respectively. After all, states of W_8 remain.

Step 5: (C_1) obtains states of $|a_0\rangle$ and $|a_1\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(0,a_0)}^{(0)} + L_{(a_0,a_1)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Next, (C_2) obtains states of $|a_1\rangle$ and $|a_2\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_1,a_2)}^{(0)}\rangle$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_2\rangle$ to $|a_{13}\rangle$. Where, (C_{13}) obtains states of $|a_{12}\rangle$ and $|a_{13}\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_{12},a_{13})}^{(0)} + L_{(a_{13},0)}^{(0)}\rangle$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is $27.3 [= L_{uni}^*]$, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $2 [= W_9]$ are selected. They contains a counter course for a course. When γ_9 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_8/W_9)^{1/2} [= Z_{uni}^{1/2}] \approx 3.0 \times 10^4 = \gamma_9$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_9 . Next, (OB) observes $|a_0\rangle$, $|a_1\rangle$, \dots , $|a_{13}\rangle$, and $|b\rangle$. By these actions, for example, a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{13} , and b are 1, 5, 0, 2, 3, 4, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7, 3, 8, 4, and 27.3, respectively. Therefore, one final answer is a permutation of $P_0 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_5 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_4 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_6 \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_7 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_8 \rightarrow P_4 \rightarrow P_0$. And the counter course for this course is another final answer.

4.2. Case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m + 1$ [Traversable route]

$6 [= k]$ nodes on a graph are $P_0(0, 0, 0)$, $P_1(2, 0, 0)$, $P_2(2, 2, 1)$, $P_3(1, 2, 0)$, $P_4(0, 2, 2)$, and $P_5(1, 1, 0)$. As for a traversable route, the length of $11 [= n]$ edges on the graph are $L_{0,1}^{(0)} = 2$, $L_{1,5}^{(0)} = L_{0,5}^{(0)} = 2^{1/2} \approx 1.4$, $L_{0,2}^{(0)} = 3$, $L_{2,3}^{(0)} = 2^{1/2} \approx 1.4$, $L_{2,3}^{(1)} = L_{2,3}^{(2)} = 2$, $L_{3,4}^{(0)} = 5^{1/2} \approx 2.2$, $L_{3,4}^{(1)} = 6^{1/2} + 1 \approx 3.4$, $L_{1,4}^{(0)} = 12^{1/2} \approx 3.5$, and $L_{1,3}^{(0)} = 5^{1/2} \approx 2.2$. L_{tra}^* is about 24.5. P_2 and P_3 have 3 edges, and P_3 and P_4

have 2 edges. $h_{2,3}$ is 3, and $h_{3,4}$ is 2. Therefore, t is $k + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1) =$

$6 + 2 + 1 = 9$, and m is $n + \sum_{v=1, u < v}^{k-1} \sum_{u=0}^{k-2} (h_{u,v} - 1) = 11 + 2 + 1 = 14$. Added 3 nodes are

$P_6(2, 2, 0) [= g_{2,3}^{(1)}]$, $P_7(1, 2, 1) [= g_{2,3}^{(2)}]$, and $P_8(0, 1, 2) [= g_{3,4}^{(1)}]$. $L_{2,3}^{(1)}$, $L_{2,3}^{(2)}$, and $L_{3,4}^{(1)}$ become $L_{2,6}^{(0)} + L_{3,6}^{(0)} = 1 + 1 = 2$, $L_{2,7}^{(0)} + L_{3,7}^{(0)} = 1 + 1 = 2$, and $L_{3,8}^{(0)} + L_{4,8}^{(0)} \approx 2.4 + 1 = 3.4$, respectively. When there aren't edges between the i -th node and the j -th node, $L_{i,j}^{(0)}$ is assumed $2L_{tra}^*$. Moreover, $L_{i,i}^{(0)}$ and $L_{j,j}^{(0)}$ are assumed $2L_{tra}^*$. These edges that are assumed $2L_{tra}^*$ are excluded by gate actions. The values of $Q_0/2$, $Q_1/2, \dots, Q_7/2$, and $Q_8/2$ are $3/2 \leq 2 = R_0$, $4/2 \leq 2 = R_1 = R_2$, $6/2 \leq 3 = R_3$, $3/2 \leq 2 = R_4$, and

$2/2 \leq 1 = R_5 = R_6 = R_7 = R_8$, respectively. Therefore, $\sum_{w=0}^8 R_w$ is $15 [= m + 1]$, and it is checked this graph is a traversable route.

An answer contains a counter course for a course. Therefore, the final answer has 2 routes at least.

Z_{tra} is $(1/2)(m + 1)!/(R_0!R_1! \cdots R_8!) = (1/2)(14 + 1)!/(2!2!2!3!2!1!1!1!1!) \approx 6.8 \times 10^9$.

First of all, $|a_0 \rangle, |a_1 \rangle, \dots, |a_{14} \rangle$, and $|b \rangle$ are prepared. As $\log_2 t$ is $\log_2 9 \approx 3.2 \leq 4 = \alpha$, each of $|a_f \rangle$ that f is an integer from 0 to 14 is consisted of 4 qubits.

Step 1: Each qubit of $|a_f \rangle$ and $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$.

Step 2: $\boxed{\text{H}}$ acts on each qubit of $|a_f \rangle$. It changes them for entangled states. The total states are $(2^\alpha)^{m+1} = (2^4)^{15}$.

Step 3: (A) changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b + 1 \rangle$ at $a_f \geq 9$, or it doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_f < 9$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is 0, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. When β is a minimum even integer that is $(2^\alpha/t)^{1/2} = (2^4/9)^{1/2} \approx 1.3 \leq 2 = \beta$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is 2. Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_0 \rangle$ to $|a_{14} \rangle$. Therefore, each state of $|a_f \rangle$ is 0, 1, ..., 7, or 8, and the total states become $t^{m+1} = 9^{15} [= W_0]$.

Step 4: (B_0) changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b + 1 \rangle$ at $a_0 = 0$, or it is doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_0 \neq 0$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1 \rangle$ to $|a_{14} \rangle$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is $2 [= R_0]$, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_1 = (14 + 1)!(9 - 1)^{(14+1)-2}/(((14 + 1) - 2)!2!) = 15 \cdot 7 \cdot 8^{13}$ are selected. When γ_1 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_0/W_1)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_1$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is 2. Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of W_1 remain. And $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$. Similarly, $(B_s)[s = 1, \dots, 7]$ changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b + 1 \rangle$ at $a_0 = s$, or it doesn't change $|b \rangle$ at $a_0 \neq s$. These actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_1 \rangle$ to $|a_{14} \rangle$. As a target state for $|b \rangle$ is R_s , (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of $W_{s+1} = 15!(9 - (s + 1))^{15-(2+R_1+\dots+R_s)}/((15 - (2 + R_1 + \dots + R_s))!2!R_1! \cdots R_s!)$ are selected. When γ_{s+1} is a minimum even integer that is $(W_s/W_{s+1})^{1/2}$ or more, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b \rangle$ is γ_{s+1} . Next, (OB) observes $|b \rangle$. By these actions, states of W_{s+1} remain. And $|b \rangle$ is set $|0 \rangle$. These actions are repeated sequentially from 1 to 7 at s . They are $(W_1/W_2)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_2$, $(W_2/W_3)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_3$, $(W_3/W_4)^{1/2} \approx 2.8 \leq 4 = \gamma_4$, $(W_4/W_5)^{1/2} \approx 1.9 \leq 2 = \gamma_5$, $(W_5/W_6)^{1/2} \approx 1.6 \leq 2 = \gamma_6$, $(W_6/W_7)^{1/2} \approx 1.5 \leq 2 = \gamma_7$, and $(W_7/W_8)^{1/2} \approx 1.4 \leq 2 = \gamma_8$. Where, the values of W_2, \dots, W_7 , and W_8 are $15!7^{11}/(11!2!2!), \dots, 15!2^2/(2!2!2!3!2!1!1!)$, and $15!1^1/(1!2!2!3!2!1!1!)$, respectively. After all, states of W_8 remain.

Step 5: (C_1) obtains states of $|a_0 \rangle$ and $|a_1 \rangle$, and it changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_0, a_1)}^{(0)} \rangle$. Next, (C_2) obtains states of $|a_1 \rangle$ and $|a_2 \rangle$, and it changes $|b \rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_1, a_2)}^{(0)} \rangle$. Similarly, these actions are repeated sequentially from $|a_2 \rangle$ to $|a_{14} \rangle$. Finally, (C_{14})

obtains states of $|a_{13}\rangle$ and $|a_{14}\rangle$, and it changes $|b\rangle$ for $|b + L_{(a_{13}, a_{14})}^{(0)}\rangle$. As a target state for $|b\rangle$ is $24.5 [= L_{tra}^*]$, (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$. By these actions, states of $2 [= W_9]$ are selected. They contain a counter course for a course. When γ_9 is a minimum even integer that is $(W_8/W_9)^{1/2} [= Z_{tra}^{1/2}] \approx 8.4 \times 10^4 = \gamma_9$, the total number that (PI) and (IM) act on $|b\rangle$ is γ_9 . Next, (OB) observes $|a_0\rangle$, $|a_1\rangle$, \dots , $|a_{14}\rangle$, and $|b\rangle$. By these actions, for example, a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{14} , and b are $0, 1, 5, 0, 2, 3, 4, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7, 3, 8, 4$, and 24.5 , respectively. Therefore, one final answer is a permutation of $P_0 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_5 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_4 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_6 \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_7 \rightarrow P_3 \rightarrow P_8 \rightarrow P_4$. And the counter course for this course is another final answer.

5. Discussion and Summary

The computational complexity of this quantum algorithm [= S] becomes the following.

(I) The case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m$. [a unicursal route] In the order of the actions by the gates, the number of them is $(m-1)\alpha$ at \boxed{H} , $(m-1)$ at (A) , $2(m-1)$ at (PI) and (IM) , $(m-1)$ at (OB) , $(m-1)(t-1)$ at $(B_s)[s=0, \dots, t-2]$, $\sum_{e=1}^{t-1} \gamma_e$ at (PI) and (IM) , $t-1$ at (OB) , $2(m-2)$ at $(C_d)[d=1, \dots, m-2]$. d is an integer. γ_t at (IP) and (IM) , and 1 at (OB) . Therefore, S_{uni} that is S of a unicursal route becomes $(\alpha+4)(m-1) + m(t-1) + 2(m-2) + 1 + \sum_{e=1}^t \gamma_e$. In the example of the section 4.1, S_{uni} is about 3.0×10^4 . S_{uni}/Z_{uni} is about $1/Z_{uni}^{1/2} \approx 1/(3.0 \times 10^4)$ because Z_{uni} is about 9.1×10^8 .

(II) The case of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = m+1$. [a traversable route] In the order of the actions by the gates, the number of them is $(m+1)\alpha$ at \boxed{H} , $(m+1)$ at (A) , $2(m+1)$ at (PI) and (IM) , $(m+1)$ at (OB) , $(m+1)(t-1)$ at $(B_s)[s=0, \dots, t-2]$, $\sum_{e=1}^{t-1} \gamma_e$ at (PI) and (IM) , $t-1$ at (OB) , $2m$ at $(C_d)[d=1, \dots, m]$, γ_t at (IP) and (IM) , and 1 at (OB) . Therefore, S_{tra} that is S of a traversable route becomes $(\alpha+4)(m+1) + (m+2)(t-1) + 2m + 1 + \sum_{e=1}^t \gamma_e$. In the example of the section 4.2, S_{tra} is about 8.4×10^4 . S_{tra}/Z_{tra} is about $1/Z_{tra}^{1/2} \approx 1/(8.4 \times 10^4)$ because Z_{tra} is about 6.8×10^9 .

When k and n [in other words, t and m] are large enough, there are $S_{uni}/Z_{nui} \approx 1/Z_{uni}^{1/2}$ and $S_{tra}/Z_{tra} \approx 1/Z_{tra}^{1/2}$ because of $S_{uni} \approx \gamma_t \approx Z_{uni}^{1/2}$ and $S_{tra} \approx \gamma_t \approx Z_{tra}^{1/2}$. For example, as for $k = t = n = m = 100$, $R_0 = R_2 = \dots = R_{99} = 1$, and $R_1 = 2$, S/Z is about $1/(4.9 \times 10^{79})$ because of $\sum_{w=0}^{t-1} R_w = n + 1 = m + 1$ [in other words, a traversable route] and $Z \approx 2.4 \times 10^{159}$.

Further development of the quantum computation in the future is expected.

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