# Quantum Geometric Algebra 

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## Abstract

Quantum computing concepts are described using geometric algebra, without using complex numbers or matrices. This novel approach enables the expression of the principle ideas of quantum computation without requiring an advanced degree in mathematics.

Using a topologically derived algebraic notation that relies only on addition and the anticommutative geometric product, this talk describes the following quantum computing concepts:
bits, vectors, states, orthogonality, qubits, classical states, superposition. states, spinor, reversibility, unitary operator, singular, entanglement, ebits, separability, information erasure, destructive interference and measurement.

These quantum concepts can be described simply in geometric algebra, thereby facilitating the understanding of quantum computing concepts by non-physicists and non-mathematicians.

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## Overview of Presentation

- Co-Occurrence and Co-Exclusion
- Geometric Algebra $G_{n}$ Essentials
- Symmetric values, scalar addition and multiplication
- Graded N-vectors, scalar, bivectors, spinors
- Inner product, outer product, and anticommutative geometric product
- Qubit Definition is Co-Occurrence
- Standard and Superposition States, Hadamard Operator, Not Operator
- Reversibility, Unitary Operators, Pauli Operators, Circular basis
- Irreversibility, Singular Operators, Sparse Invariants and Measurement
- Eigenvectors, Projection Operators, trine states
- Quantum Registers
- Geometric product equivalent to tensor product, entanglement, separability
- Ebits and Bell/magic States/operators, non-separable and information erasure
- C-not, C-spin, Toffoli Operators
- Conclusions


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## Co-Occurrence and Co-Exclusion

$$
\begin{gathered}
\mathbf{a}=+\mathbf{a}=\mathbf{O N} \text { and } \\
\overline{\mathbf{a}}=-\mathbf{a}=\operatorname{not} \mathbf{O N} \\
\text { where } \mathbf{a}+\overline{\mathbf{a}}=0
\end{gathered}
$$

$$
\mathrm{a}+\overline{\mathrm{b}}=\overline{\mathrm{b}}+\overline{\mathrm{a}}
$$

Co-occurrence means states exist exactly simultaneously

Co-exclusion means a change occurred due to an operator

Abstract Time

Both of Mike Manthey's concepts used heavily in this research

## Boolean Logic using + /* in $\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}$



| + | 0 | 1 | -1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | -1 |
| 1 | 1 | -1 | 0 |
| -1 | -1 | 0 | 1 |


| $*$ | 0 | 1 | -1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | -1 |
| -1 | 0 | -1 | 1 |

Normal multiplication and mod 3 addition for ring $\{-1,0,1\}$, so can simplify to $\{-, 0,+\}$ and remove rows/columns for header value 0 .


+ NAND + => - same XNOR same $=>+$
- NOR - => + differ XNOR differ $=>-$

| $*$ | + | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| + | + | - |
| - | - | + |
| If same then +1 <br> If diff then -1 |  |  |

If same then +1
If diff then -1


Also for any vector e: since $\mathbf{e}^{2}=1$ then $\mathbf{e}=1 / \mathbf{e}$

| Logic inG | $=\operatorname{span}\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}\}$ | GA Mapping $\{+,-\}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| GA Mapping $\{+, 0\}$ |  |  |
| Identity $\mathbf{a}$ | $\mathbf{a} * 1=\mathbf{a}+0=\mathbf{a}$ | $-1-\mathbf{a}=-(1+\mathbf{a})$ |
| NOT a | $\mathbf{a}^{*}-1=-\mathbf{a}$ | $-1+\mathbf{a}=-(1-\mathbf{a})$ |
| $\mathbf{a}$ XOR b | $-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ | $-1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ |
| $\mathbf{a}$ OR b | $\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ | $-1-\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ |
| $\mathbf{a}$ AND b | $+1-\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{b}-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ | $+1+\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}$ |

Geometric Algebra is Boolean Complete

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## Geometric Algebra Essentials


$\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}+\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$ where geometric product is sum
$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}=\cos \theta$
$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}=i \sin \theta$
of inner product (is a scalar)
and outer product (is a bivector)
$\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}=2}$ generates $\mathrm{N}=2^{\mathrm{n}}: \operatorname{span}\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}\}$
$\underline{G}_{2}=$ scalars $\{ \pm 1\}$, vectors $\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}\}$, and bivector $\{\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}\}$ then: With $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}=0 \quad$ (only orthonormal basis so are perpendicular) then $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=-\mathbf{b} \mathbf{a} \quad$ (due to anti-commutative outer product) $\mathbf{a}^{2}=\mathbf{b}^{2}=1 \quad$ (due to inner product since collinear) bivector is spinor because: (right multiplication by spinor) $\mathbf{a}(\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b})=\mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=\mathbf{b}$, and $\mathbf{b}(\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b})=-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b} \mathbf{b}=-\mathbf{a}$
spinor is also pseudoscalar $I$ because:
$(\mathbf{a b})^{2}=\mathbf{a b} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{a b} \mathbf{b}=-(\mathbf{a})^{2}(\mathbf{b})^{2}=-1=\mathrm{NOT}$
so $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}=\sqrt{-1}=\sqrt{N O T}$

also $\mathbf{x}^{\prime}=R \mathbf{x} \tilde{R}$ with $R=\alpha-\beta \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}, \tilde{R}=\alpha+\beta \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}, \alpha=\cos (\theta / 2), \beta=\sin (\theta / 2)$

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## Number of Elements in $\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}$

Graded: scalar, vector, bivector, trivector, ..., $n$-vector for $G_{n}$ with $N=2^{n}$ elements
$(1+\mathbf{a})(1+\mathbf{b})(1+\mathbf{c})=1+\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{c}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{c}+\mathbf{b} \mathbf{c}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b} \mathbf{c}<$ multivector
$\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}=\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}^{+}+\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}^{-}=\langle A\rangle_{0}+\langle A\rangle_{1}+\langle A\rangle_{2}+\langle A\rangle_{3}+\ldots+\langle A\rangle_{n}$
$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Odd grade terms } \mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}{ }^{-}= & \text {Row }=n \\ \langle A\rangle_{1}+\langle A\rangle_{3}+ & \text { Col }=m\end{array} \quad 1+\sum_{m=1}^{n}\binom{n}{m}=N=2^{n}$

$$
\langle A\rangle_{1}+\langle A\rangle_{3}+\ldots
$$

Even Subalgebra $\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}{ }^{+}=$ $\langle A\rangle_{0}+\langle A\rangle_{2}+\ldots$
$\mathrm{G}_{3}{ }^{+}$are the quaternions: $1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{b}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{c}+\mathbf{b} \mathbf{c}$

0
1
2

3
4
$\begin{array}{lllllllll}\mathbf{5} & & 1 & 5 & 10 & 10 & 5 & 1 & \\ \mathbf{6} & & 1 & 6 & 15 & 20 & 15 & 6 & 1\end{array}$ Pascal's Triangle

$$
=1
$$

$$
=2
$$

$$
=4
$$

$$
=8
$$

$$
=16
$$

$$
=32
$$

$$
=64
$$

(Binomial)

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## Inner Product Calculation

$\mathbf{Y}=(\mathbf{x} \wedge \mathbf{y})$ and $\mathbf{Z}=(\mathbf{Y} \wedge \mathbf{z})$ with vector variables $\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{x}=\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{y}=\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{z}=\mathbf{c}$
$\mathrm{G}_{2}=\operatorname{span}\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}\}: \quad \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{Y}=\mathbf{w} \cdot(\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b})=(\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{a}) \wedge \mathbf{b}-(\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \wedge \mathbf{a}$
$\mathrm{G}_{3}=\operatorname{span}\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}\}: \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{Z}=(\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{a}) \wedge \mathbf{b} \wedge \mathbf{c}-(\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \wedge \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{c}+(\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{c}) \wedge \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$
Only one non-zero term in sum for orthogonal basis set $\{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}\}$

Outer Product

| $X \wedge Y$ | $Y$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | +1 | $\mathbf{a}$ | $\mathbf{b}$ | $\mathbf{a b}$ |  |
| $X$ | +1 | +1 | $\mathbf{a}$ | $\mathbf{b}$ | $\mathbf{a b}$ |
|  | $\mathbf{a}$ | $\mathbf{a}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{a b}$ | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{b}$ | $\mathbf{b}$ | $-\mathbf{a b}$ | 0 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{a b}$ | $\mathbf{a b}$ | 0 | 0 | 0 |


| $X \bullet Y$ | $Y$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | +1 | $\mathbf{a}$ | $\mathbf{b}$ | $\mathbf{a b}$ |  |
| $X$ | +1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{a}$ | 0 | +1 | 0 | $\mathbf{b}$ |
|  | $\mathbf{b}$ | 0 | 0 | +1 | $-\mathbf{a}$ |
|  | $\mathbf{a b}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{b}$ | $-\mathbf{a}$ | -1 |

$X Y=X \cdot Y+X \wedge Y$ only if $X$ or $Y$ are assigned vector $\mathbf{x}$ or $\mathbf{y}$

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## Qubit is Co-occurrence in $\mathrm{G}_{2}$

## Single Qubit: $A=( \pm \mathbf{a} 0 \pm \mathrm{a} 1)$

where $\mathrm{Q}_{1}=\mathrm{G}_{2}=\operatorname{span}\{\mathbf{a 0}, \mathbf{a} \mathbf{1}\}$
4 elements \& $3^{4}=81$ multivectors


| Row ${ }_{\mathrm{k}}$ | a0 | a1 | $A_{1}=\overline{\mathbf{a 0}}+\mathbf{a 1}$ | $A_{0}=\mathbf{a} 0+\overline{\mathbf{a} 1}$ | $A_{+}=\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} 1$ | $A_{-}=\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} 1$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $R_{0}$ | - | - | 0 | 0 | + | - |
| $R_{1}$ | - | + | + | - | 0 | 0 |
| $R_{2}$ | + | - | - | + | 0 | 0 |
| $R_{3}$ | + | $+$ | 0 | 0 | - | + |
| Binary combinations of input states |  |  | Anti-symmetric sums are classical states |  | Symmetric sums are superposition states |  |
|  |  |  | $A_{1}=R_{1}-R_{2}$ | $A_{0}=R_{2}-R_{1}$ | $A_{+}=R_{0}-R_{3}$ | $A_{-}=R_{3}-R_{0}$ |

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## Spinor is Hadamard Operator



| Start Phase | Qubit State $A$ | Each Times Spinor | Result $=A \mathbf{S}_{\text {A }}$ | End Phase |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Classical | $A_{0}=+\mathbf{a} 0-\mathbf{a 1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +\mathrm{a} 0(\mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1)=+\mathrm{a} 1 \\ & -\mathrm{a} 0(\mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1)=-\mathrm{a} 1 \end{aligned}$ | $A_{+}=+\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} 1$ | Superposed |
|  | $A_{1}=\mathbf{- a 0}+\mathbf{a 1}$ |  | $A_{-}=-\mathbf{a} 0-\mathbf{a 1}$ |  |
| Superposed | $A_{+}=+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0}+\mathbf{a} 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & +\mathrm{a} 1(\mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1)=-\mathrm{a} 0 \\ & -\mathrm{a} 1(\mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1)=+\mathrm{a} 0 \end{aligned}$ | $A_{1}=-\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1}$ | Classical |
|  | $A_{-}=-\mathbf{a} 0-\mathrm{a} 1$ |  | $A_{0}=+\mathbf{a} 0-\mathbf{a 1}$ |  |

Hadamard is the $90^{\circ}$ phase or spinor operator $\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}}=(\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0} \mathbf{a 1})$
NOT operator is $180^{\circ}$ gate $\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}^{2}}{ }^{2}=(\mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{a})(\mathbf{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1)=-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} \mathbf{a} 1=-1$
Therefore $\mathbf{S}_{A}=\sqrt{-1}=\sqrt{N O T}$ and generally $\sqrt[r]{\theta}=\theta / r$ and $\theta^{p}=p \theta$

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## Unitary Pauli Noise States in G

| Flip: | Case | Hilbert notation | Use case | GA equivalent is $(-1)=$ complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bit | $[\mathrm{a}]$ | $\sigma_{1}\|0\rangle \rightarrow\|1\rangle$ | $[\mathrm{a}]$ | $(+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})(-1) \rightarrow(-\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})$ |
| $\sigma_{1}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0\end{array}\right]$ | $[\mathrm{b}]$ | $\sigma_{1}\|1\rangle \rightarrow\|0\rangle$ | $[\mathrm{b}]$ | $(-\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})(-1) \rightarrow(+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |


| Phase $=\left[\begin{array}{cc}1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1\end{array}\right]$ | Case | Hilbert notation | Use cases | GA equivalent is spinor $\mathbf{S}_{A}=\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{a} 1$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | [a] | $\sigma_{3}\|1\rangle \rightarrow-\|1\rangle$ | [a]\& [b] | $(-\mathrm{a} 0+\mathrm{a} 1)(-\mathrm{a0} \mathrm{a} 1) \rightarrow(+\mathrm{a} 0-\mathrm{a} 1)$ |
|  | [b] | $\sigma_{3}\|0\rangle \rightarrow\|0\rangle$ |  |  |
|  | [c] | $-\sigma_{3}\|1\rangle \rightarrow\|1\rangle$ | [b]\&[c] | $(+\mathrm{a} 0-\mathrm{al})(\mathrm{a0} a 1) \rightarrow(+\mathrm{a0}+\mathrm{a} 1)$ |


| Both | Case | Hilbert notation | Use cases | GA equivalent is $\left(-1+\mathbf{S}_{A}\right)=P_{A}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | [a] | $\sigma_{2}\|0\rangle \rightarrow+i\|0\rangle$ | [a]\& [b] | $(+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathrm{a} 1)(-1+\mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1) \rightarrow-\mathrm{a} 1$ |
| $\sigma_{2}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}0 & -i \\ i & 0\end{array}\right]$ | [b] | $\sigma_{2}\|1\rangle \rightarrow-i\|1\rangle$ |  |  |

Pauli operators -1, $\mathbf{S}_{A}$ and $P_{A}$ are even grade!

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| Reversible Basis Encodings: |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Standard, Dual, Pauli and Circular basis |  |  |  |  |
| Label for Row | Start State | Diag ( $-1+\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{a 1}$ ) | Diag (a0) | $\operatorname{Diag}(+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a 1})$ |
| classical 0 classical 1 | + a0-a1 | - $\mathbf{1} 1$ | (+1+a0 a1) | -1 |
|  | $-\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a} 1$ | + $\mathbf{1}$ | $(-1-\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{a 1})$ | +1 |
| superposition + superposition - | $+\mathrm{a} 0+\mathrm{a} 1$ | + a0 | (+1-a0 a1) | + a0 a1 (random) |
|  | $-\mathrm{a0}-\mathrm{a} 1$ | - $\mathbf{a 0}$ | $(-1+\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{a 1})$ | - a0 a1 (random) |
| Label for Basis | Diagonals | Pauli $=$ Ver/Hor | Circular | Direct or Complex |
| Reversible op. return to start |  | V/Hor (1+a0 a1) | Cir (a0) | Dir (-a0+a1) |

Reversible Basis Encodings: Standard, Dual, Pauli and Circular basis


## Unitary Operators and Reversibility

For multivector state $X$ and multivector operator $Y$,

$$
\text { If new state } Z=X Y \text { then }
$$

$Y$ is unitary if-and-only-if $W=1 / Y=Y^{-1}$ exists

$$
\text { such that } Y W=Y Y^{-1}=1
$$

Therefore unitary operator $Y$ is invertible/reversible:

$$
Z / Y=X Y / Y=X
$$

For unitary $Y$ then requires $\operatorname{det}(Y)= \pm 1$ or $|\operatorname{det}(Y)|=1$

$$
\begin{array}{|l|l|}
\hline A_{0} A_{1}=1 & \text { Trines are unitary: }(\operatorname{Tr})^{3}=1 \text { so } 1 / \operatorname{Tr}=(\operatorname{Tr})^{2} \\
A_{-} A_{+}=1 & \text { for } \operatorname{Tr}=\left(+1 \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}}\right) \text { or }\left(+1 \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{1} \pm \mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}}\right) \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

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## Singular Operators in $\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}}$

If $1 / X$ is undefined then requires $\operatorname{det}(X)=0$,
Since $( \pm 1 \pm \mathbf{x})^{-1}$ is undefined then $\operatorname{det}( \pm 1 \pm \mathbf{x})=0$ and therefore $\mathrm{X}=( \pm 1 \pm \mathbf{x})$ is singular


Singular examples: $\operatorname{det}( \pm 1 \pm \mathbf{a})=\operatorname{det}( \pm 1 \pm \mathbf{b})=0$
Also fact that: $\operatorname{det}(X) \operatorname{det}(Y)=\operatorname{det}(X Y)$,
which means if factor $X$ has $\operatorname{det}(X)=0$,
then product $(X Y)$ also has $\operatorname{det}(X Y)=0$.

$$
X^{-1}=\left(X^{*}\right)^{T}
$$

$\approx \frac{1}{\operatorname{det}(X)}$

In $G_{2}: \operatorname{det}(1 \pm \mathbf{a}) \operatorname{det}(1 \pm \mathbf{b})=\operatorname{det}(1 \pm \mathbf{a} \pm \mathbf{b} \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{b})=0$

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## Row Decode Operators $R_{\mathrm{k}}$ are Singular

| Row $_{\text {k }}$ | a0 | a1 | $(-1)(1-\mathbf{a 0})$ | $(-1)(1+\mathbf{a 0})$ | $(-1)(1-\mathbf{a} 1)$ | $(-1)(1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})$ | $\longleftarrow$ Standard |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $R_{0}$ | - | - | + | 0 | + | 0 | Algebraic Notation |
| $R_{1}$ | - | + | + | 0 | 0 | + |  |
| $R_{2}$ | + | - | 0 | + | + | 0 |  |
| $R_{3}$ | + | + | 0 | + | 0 | + |  |
| Summation of $R_{\mathrm{k}} \rightarrow$ |  |  | $A O_{-}=R_{0}+R_{1}$ | $A 0_{+}=R_{2}+R_{3}$ | $A l_{-}=R_{0}+R_{2}$ | $A l_{+}=R_{1}+R_{3}$ | Dual <br> $\longleftarrow$ Vector <br> Notation: |
| Denoted as Vector $\rightarrow$ |  |  | [ ++00 ] | [00 + + ] | [ $+0+0$ ] | [ $0+0+]$ |  |
| $\mathrm{Row}_{\mathrm{k}}$ | a0 | a1 | $(1-\mathbf{a} 0)(1-\mathbf{a} 1)$ | $(1-\mathbf{a} 0)(1+\mathbf{1} 1)$ | $(1+\mathbf{a} 0)(1-\mathbf{a} 1)$ | $(1+\mathbf{a} 0)(1+\mathbf{a} 1)$ |  |
| $R_{0}$ | - | - | + | 0 | 0 | 0 | matrix diagonal |
| $R_{1}$ | - | + | 0 | + | 0 | 0 |  |
| $R_{2}$ | + | - | 0 | 0 | + | 0 |  |
| $R_{3}$ | + | + | 0 | 0 | 0 | + | $\begin{aligned} & R_{2}+R_{3}= \\ & {[++++]=1} \end{aligned}$ |
| State logic $\rightarrow$ |  |  | $R_{0}=A O_{-} A l_{-}$ | $R_{1}=A O_{-} A l_{+}$ | $R_{2}=A O_{+} A l_{-}$ | $R_{3}=A O_{+} A l_{+}$ |  |
| Denoted as Vector $\rightarrow$ |  |  | $R_{0}=\left[\begin{array}{lll}+ & 0 & 0\end{array}\right]$ | $R_{1}=[0+00]$ | $R_{2}=[00+0]$ | $R_{3}=\left[\begin{array}{llll}0 & 0 & +\end{array}\right]$ |  |

$R_{\mathrm{k}}$ are topologically smallest elements in $\mathrm{G}_{2}$ and are linearly independent $\quad$ 8/15/2002 DJM

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## Measurement and Sparse Invariants

| Start States A | Each start state $A$ times each $R_{\mathrm{k}}$ gives the answer |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $A(1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0})(1-\mathbf{a} 1)$ | $A(1-\mathbf{a 0})(1+\mathbf{a} 1)$ | $A(1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0})(1+\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})$ | $A(1-\mathbf{a} 0)(1-\mathbf{a} 1)$ |
| $A_{0}=+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a} 1$ | $-1+\mathrm{a} 1=1^{+}$ | $+1+\mathrm{al}=1^{-}$ | -a0 ( $+1+\mathrm{a} 1)$ | +a0 ( $-1+\mathbf{a 1}$ ) |
| $A_{1}=-\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a} 1$ | $+1-\mathrm{a} 1=1^{-}$ | $-1-\mathrm{al}=1^{+}$ | - $\mathbf{a 0}(-1-\mathbf{a 1})$ | +a0 ( $+1-\mathrm{a} 1)$ |
| $A_{-}=-\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a} 1$ | -a0 ( $-1+\mathbf{a 1}$ ) | +a0 ( $+1+\mathrm{a}$ ) | $+1+\mathrm{al}=1^{-}$ | $-1+\mathrm{a} 1=1^{+}$ |
| $A_{+}=+\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} 1$ | -a0 ( $+1-\mathrm{a} 1)$ | +a0( $-1-\mathbf{a 1}$ ) | $-1-\mathrm{al}=1^{+}$ | $+1-\mathrm{a} 1={ }^{-}$ |
| End State $\rightarrow$ | $A^{\prime}=>+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a 1}$ | $A^{\prime}=>-\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a 1}$ | $A^{\prime}=>+\mathbf{a 0}+\mathbf{a 1}$ | $A^{\prime}=>-\mathrm{a0}-\mathrm{a} 1$ |
| Description $\rightarrow$ | Classical States Measurement |  | Superposition States Measurement |  |

$$
\begin{aligned}
& 1^{+}++1 \quad 1^{-\sim-1} \quad 1^{-=-1+} \quad\left(1^{*}\right)^{2}=1^{+} \\
& -1+\mathrm{a} 1=[+0+0]=1^{+0}+1-\mathrm{a} 1=[-0-0]=\mathrm{I}^{-0} \\
& -1-\mathrm{a} 1=[0+0+]=1^{+90}+1+\mathrm{a} 1=[0-0-]=\left.\right|^{-90}
\end{aligned}
$$

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## Projection Operators $P_{\mathrm{k}}$ and Eigenvectors $E_{\mathrm{k}}$

| Primary Tetrahedron (k=0-3) |  |  |  | Dual Tetrahedron (=7-k) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| k = | $E_{\mathrm{k}}=R_{\mathrm{k}}-1$ | $P_{\mathrm{k}}=-R_{\mathrm{k}}$ | $R_{\mathrm{k}}=1+E_{\mathrm{k}}$ | $\mathrm{k}=$ | $E_{\mathrm{k}}=R_{\mathrm{k}}-1$ | $P_{\mathrm{k}}=-R_{\mathrm{k}}$ | $R_{\mathrm{k}}=1+E_{\mathrm{k}}$ |
| 0 | [0---] | $\left[\begin{array}{lllll}-0 & 0 & 0\end{array}\right]$ | [+0000] | 7 | $[0+++]$ | $[-+++]$ | [+---] |
| 1 | [-0--] | [0-00] | [ $0+000$ | 6 | $[+0++]$ | [+-++] | [-+--] |
| 2 | [--0-] | [00-0] | [00+0] | 5 | $[++0+]$ | [++-+] | [--+-] |
| 3 | [---0] | [000-] | $[000+]$ | 4 | $[+++0]$ | [+++-] | [---+] |
| sum | $\left[\begin{array}{llll}0 & 0 & 0\end{array}\right]$ | [----] | [++++] | sum | $\left[\begin{array}{llll}0 & 0 & 0\end{array}\right]$ | [----] | [++++] |

$R_{\mathrm{k}}=-P_{\mathrm{k}}$
$E_{\mathrm{k}}^{2}=1$
$E_{\mathrm{k}} R_{\mathrm{k}}=R_{\mathrm{k}}$
$P_{\mathrm{k}}^{2}=P_{\mathrm{k}}$
Idempotent!!


$$
E_{\mathrm{k}}= \pm \mathrm{a} 0 \pm \mathrm{a} 1 \pm \mathrm{a} 0 \mathrm{a} 1
$$

$$
P_{0} \cdot P_{3}=P_{1} \cdot P_{2}=P_{7} \cdot P_{4}=P_{6} \bullet P_{5}=0
$$

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## Qubits form Quantum Register $\mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{q}}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { with } A=( \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{1}), B=( \pm \mathbf{b} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{b} 1), C=( \pm \mathbf{c} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{c} \mathbf{1}) \\
& \text { then } A B C=( \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})( \pm \mathbf{b} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{b} \mathbf{1})( \pm \mathbf{c} \mathbf{0} \pm \mathbf{c} \mathbf{1})
\end{aligned}
$$

$A_{+} B_{+}=(+\mathbf{a} 0+\mathbf{a} 1)(+\mathbf{b 0}+\mathbf{b} 1)=\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0} \mathbf{b 0}+\mathbf{a} 0 \mathbf{b 1}+\mathbf{a} 1 \mathbf{b 0}+\mathbf{a} 1 \mathbf{b} 1$

Geometric product replaces the tensor product $\otimes$

| $\mathbf{R o w}_{\mathrm{k}}$ | State Combinations |  |  | Individual bivector products |  |  |  | Column Vector |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathbf{a 0}$ | $\mathbf{a 1}$ | $\mathbf{b 0}$ | $\mathbf{b 1}$ | $\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{b 0}$ | $\mathbf{a 0} \mathbf{b 1}$ | $\mathbf{a 1} \mathbf{b 0}$ | $\mathbf{a 1} \mathbf{b 1}$ | $A_{+} B_{+}$ | $A_{0} B_{0}$ |
| $R_{0}$ | - | - | - | - | + | + | + | + | + | 0 |
| $R_{3}$ | - | - | + | + | - | - | - | - | - | 0 |
| $R_{5}$ | - | + | - | + | + | - | - | + | 0 | - |
| $R_{6}$ | - | + | + | - | - | + | + | - | 0 | + |
| $R_{9}$ | + | - | - | + | - | + | + | - | 0 | + |
| $R_{10}$ | + | - | + | - | + | - | - | + | 0 | - |
| $R_{12}$ | + | + | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0 |
| $R_{15}$ | + | + | + | + | + | + | + | + | + | 0 |

$\mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{q}}=\mathrm{G}_{\mathrm{n}=2 \mathrm{q}}$
State Count:
Total: $2^{2 q}=4^{q}$
Non-zero: $2^{\text {q }}$
Zeros: $4^{q}-2^{q}$
$A B C=0$
$A_{1} B_{1} P_{\mathrm{A}} P_{\mathrm{B}}=$ a1 $\mathbf{b 1}=\mathbf{S}_{11}$

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## Ebits: Bell/magic States and Operators

| Sepa | bl |  |  |  | $A_{0}(\mathbf{S}$ | $\left(S_{B}\right)$ | $B_{+}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Non-Separ |  |  |  |  | $=A_{+} B_{0}$ | ${ }_{0} B_{+} C$ | urrent! |
|  |  |  |  | 0 | a0 b1 | 1 b 0 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | b1 = | $\mathbf{S}_{11}=$ |  |
|  |  | Co | ina |  | Individ | vectors | Output |
| $\mathrm{Row}_{\mathrm{k}}$ | a0 | a1 | b0 | b1 | -a0 b0 | a1 b1 | column |
| $R_{1}$ | - | - | - | + | - | - | + |
| $R_{2}$ | - | - | + | - | + | + | - |
| $R_{4}$ | - | + | - | - | - | - | + |
| $R_{7}$ | - | + | + | + | + | + | - |
| $R_{8}$ | + | - | - | - | + | + | - |
| $R_{11}$ | + | - | + | + | - | - | + |
| $R_{13}$ | + | + | - | + | + | + | - |
| $R_{14}$ | + | + | + | - | - | - | + |

Valid states where exactly one qubit in superposition phase!!

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathrm{B}=\left(\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}}+\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{B}}\right) \\
& \mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{i} \pm 1}= \pm \mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{~B} \\
& \mathrm{~B}_{0}=-\mathbf{S}_{00}+\mathbf{S}_{11}=\Phi^{+} \\
& \mathrm{B}_{1}=+\mathbf{S}_{01}+\mathbf{S}_{10}=\Psi^{+} \\
& \mathrm{B}_{2}=+\mathbf{S}_{00}-\mathbf{S}_{11}=\Phi^{-} \\
& \mathrm{B}_{3}=-\mathbf{S}_{01}-\mathbf{S}_{10}=\Psi^{-} \\
& \mathrm{M}=\left(\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}}-\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{B}}\right) \\
& \mathrm{M}_{\mathrm{i} \pm 1}= \pm \mathrm{M}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{M} \\
& \mathrm{M}_{0}=+\mathbf{S}_{01}-\mathbf{S}_{10} \\
& \mathrm{M}_{1}=-\mathbf{S}_{00}-\mathbf{S}_{11} \\
& \mathrm{M}_{2}=-\mathbf{S}_{01}+\mathbf{S}_{10} \\
& M_{3}=+\mathbf{S}_{00}+\mathbf{S}_{11} \\
& \mathrm{M}_{3}=\mathrm{B}_{2}\left(\mathbf{S}_{01}+\mathbf{S}_{10}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

$B \& M$ are Singular!

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## Interesting Facts about Ebits

 $B^{2}=I^{-}$and $M^{2}=I^{-}$and $\sqrt{B}=B+I^{-}$
$-\mathrm{P}_{A} \mathrm{P}_{B}=\mathrm{B}-\left(1+\mathrm{S}_{A} \mathbf{S}_{B}\right)=\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{I}^{+}$
$A B=\mathrm{B}_{i}+\mathrm{M}_{j}$ but
$\mathrm{B}_{i} \mathrm{M}=\mathrm{M}_{i} \mathrm{~B}=0$,
so $A B \mathrm{~B}=\mathrm{B}_{i+1}+0$


B and M are valid for $\mathrm{Q}_{q>2}$ as $\left(\mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{A}} \pm \mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{B}} \pm \mathbf{S}_{\mathrm{C}} \pm \ldots\right)$

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## Cnot, Cspin and Toffoli Operators

For $\mathrm{Q}_{2}$ with qubits $A$ and $B$, where $A$ is the control:
$\mathrm{CNot}_{\mathrm{AB}}=A_{0}=(\mathbf{a} \mathbf{0}-\mathbf{a 1})$ where $\left(A_{0}\right)^{2}=-1$
$\mathrm{Cspin}_{\mathrm{AB}}=\sqrt{\mathrm{CNot}}=\left(-1+A_{0}\right)=(-1+\mathbf{a 0}-\mathbf{a} \mathbf{1})$

| Also for Q |
| :---: |
| q |
| $P_{\mathrm{k}}{ }^{2 \mathrm{q}}=$ |
| $=P_{\mathrm{k}}$ |


| $E_{\mathrm{k}} \mathrm{x}=1$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| q | x |
| 1 | 2 |
| 2 | 6 |
| 3 | 80 |
| 4 | $? ? ?$ |

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## Conclusions

- The Quantum Geometric Algebra approach appears to simply and elegantly define many of the properties of quantum computing.
- This work was facilitated tremendously by the use of custom tools that automatically maintained the GA anticommutative and topological rules in an algebraic fashion.
- Many thanks to Mike Manthey for all his inspiration and support on my PhD effort.
- Many questions and much work still remains.

