

FACTORING

Learning Goals

- Analyze a multi-qubit algorithm
- Become familiar with Shor's factoring algorithm (most famous q. alg)

Public Key Crypto (RSA)

Alice



Eve



Bob



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617 digits

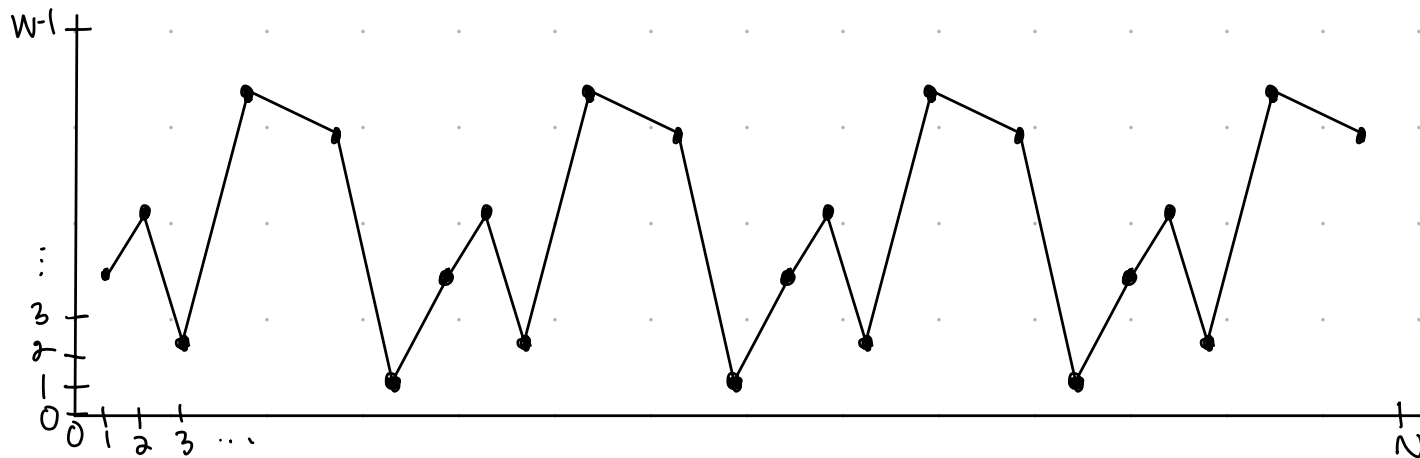
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Period Finding

Period Finding Problem

Input:

ex:



Output:

What is the classical query complexity of factoring?

- A) $O(\sqrt{r})$ B) $O(r)$ C) $O(r^2)$ D) $O(n)$

Bits to Digits

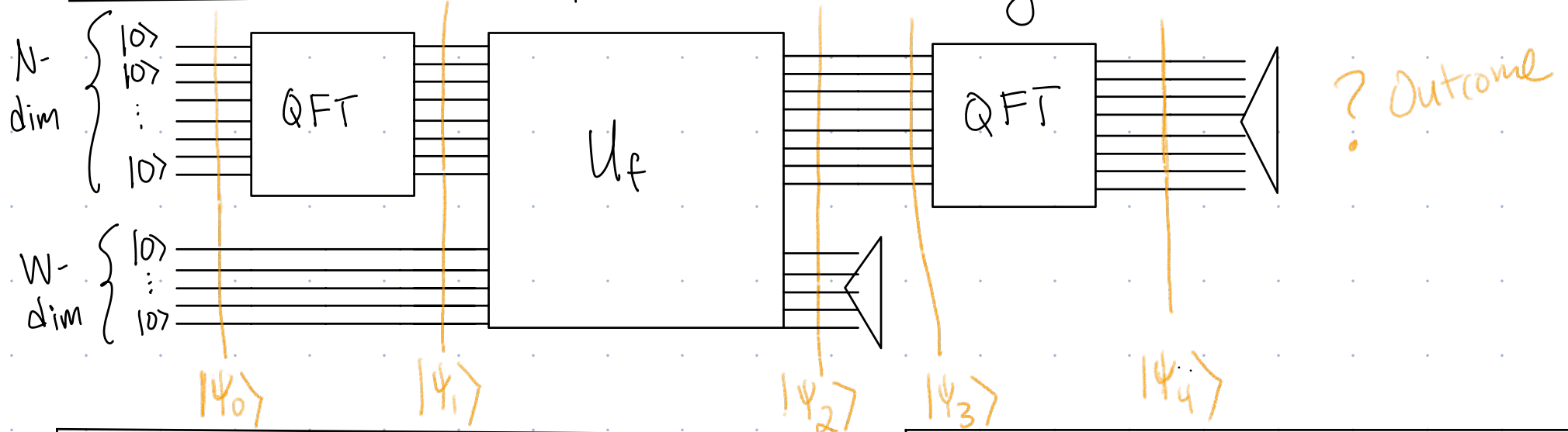
Classically, we code using base 10, not binary. We'll do same:

Ambiguity:

If $|3\rangle$ is an N -dimensional state, how many qubits are in the system?

A) $O(1)$ B) $O(\log N)$ C) $O(N)$ D) $O(2^N)$

Quantum Circuit for Period Finding

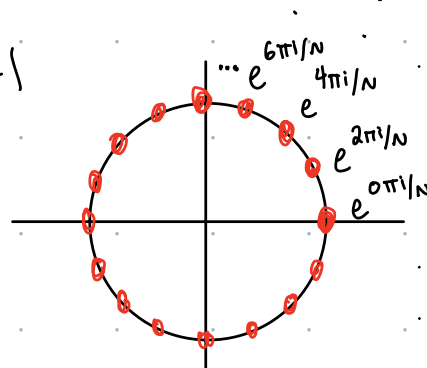


QFT: Quantum Fourier Transform

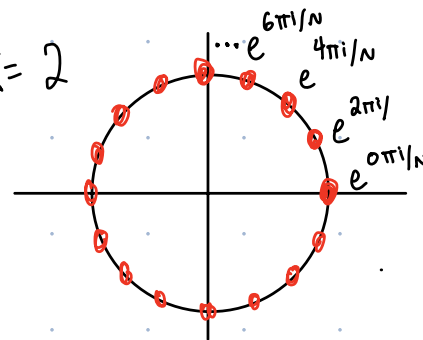
U_f :

Phase of
each s.b.
state in
superposition

$X=1$



$X=2$



$\text{QFT}|0\rangle = ?$

go/fourier-transform

Reminder:

$\triangleleft$ = Standard
basis
measurement

- Measure entire state:

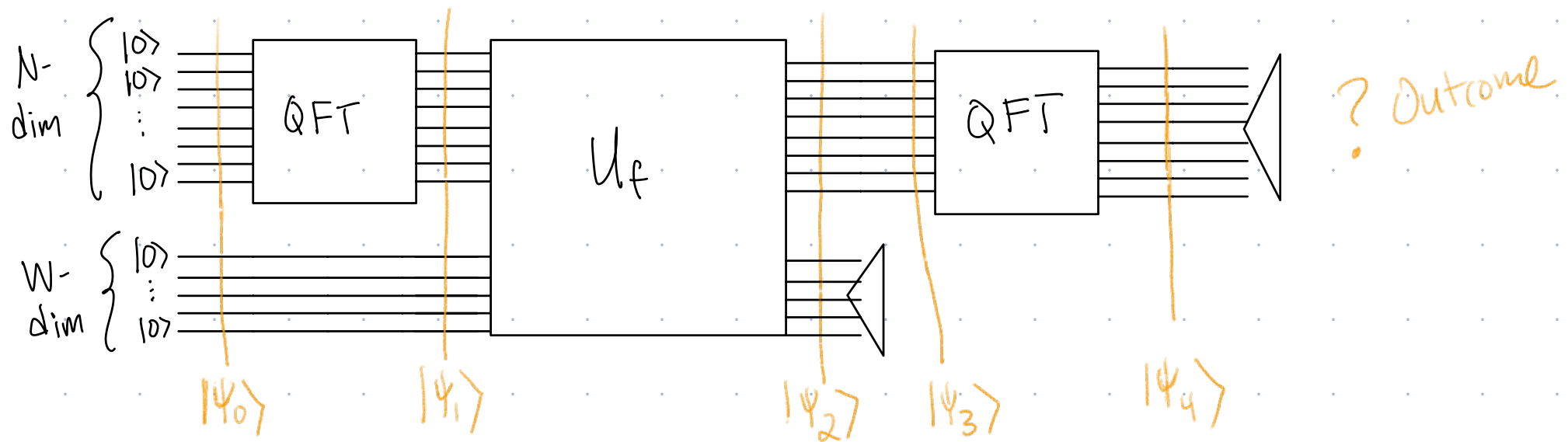
$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} a_x |x\rangle \Rightarrow \text{Prob of outcome } |x^*\rangle$$

- Partial measurement (B system)

$$|\psi\rangle_{AB} = \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} \sum_{y=0}^{W-1} a_{xy} |x\rangle |y\rangle \Rightarrow \text{Prob of outcome } |y^*\rangle \text{ is}$$

$\Rightarrow$ Collapse to

Group Exercise: Analyze!



$$|\psi_0\rangle =$$

$$|\psi_1\rangle =$$

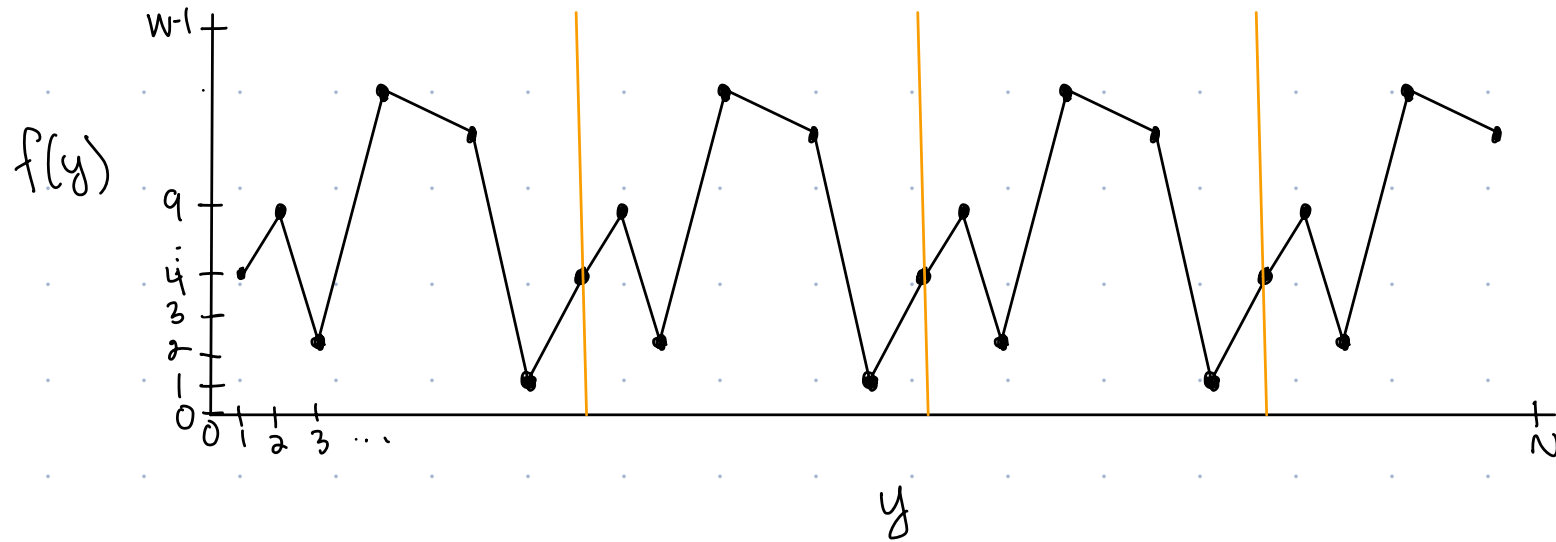
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$$|\psi_2\rangle =$$

$$|\psi_3\rangle \rightarrow$$

For the following example, what does state collapse to if outcome is $|4\rangle$? If outcome is $|9\rangle$? What is pattern if get outcome $|f(b^*)\rangle$?

$r=5$



[outcome $f(b^*)$]

$$|\psi_3\rangle = \sum_{m=0}^{\boxed{}} |b^* \boxed{}\rangle$$

Suppose measure outcome $|f(b^*)\rangle$:

Plugging In:

$$|\psi_4\rangle$$

$$|\psi_5\rangle =$$

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Probability of Outcome $|z^F\rangle$

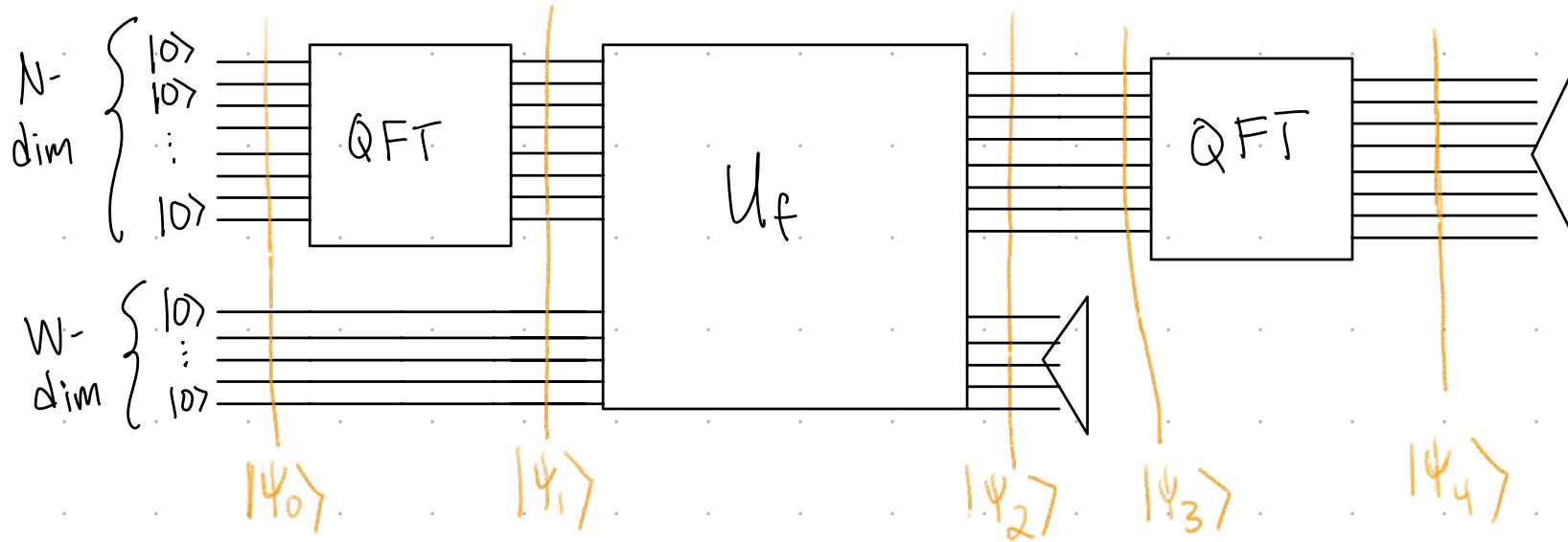
Geometric Series Formula:

$$\sum_{m=0}^{t-1} a^m = \begin{cases} t & \text{if } a=1 \\ \frac{1-a^t}{1-a} & \text{if } a \neq 1 \end{cases}$$

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Period Finding Algorithm (Shor's Algorithm)

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Query Complexity of Period Finding

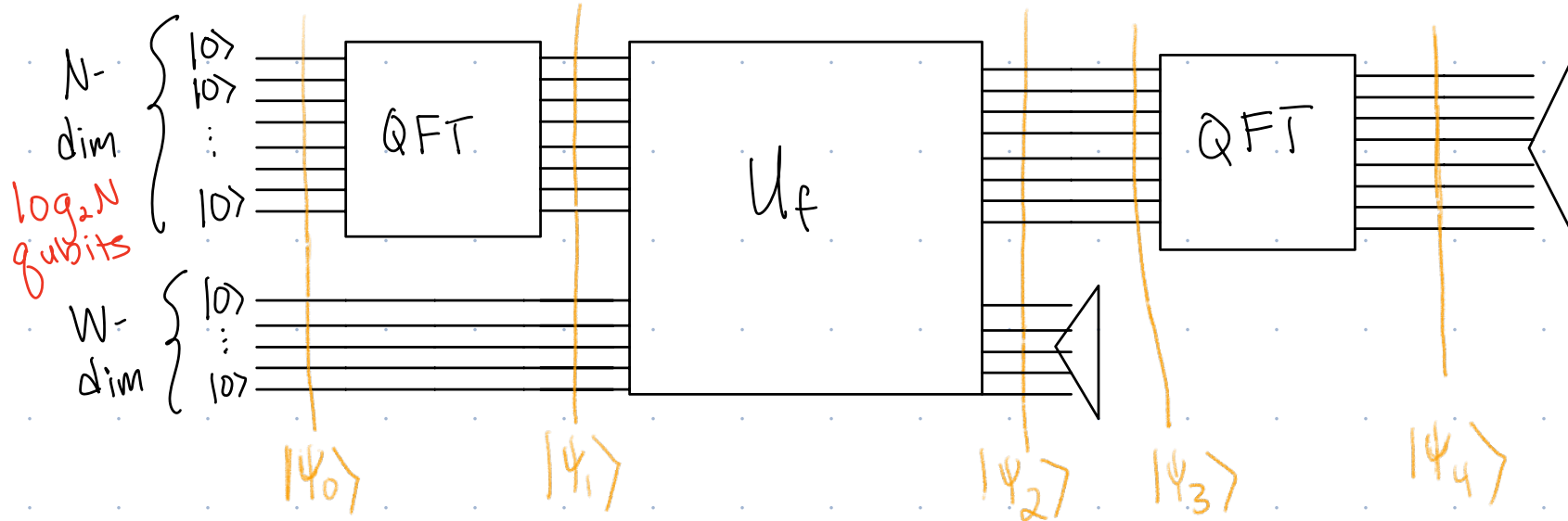
Classical:

Quantum:

Time Complexity of Factoring

Quantum:

Circuit used to factor N .

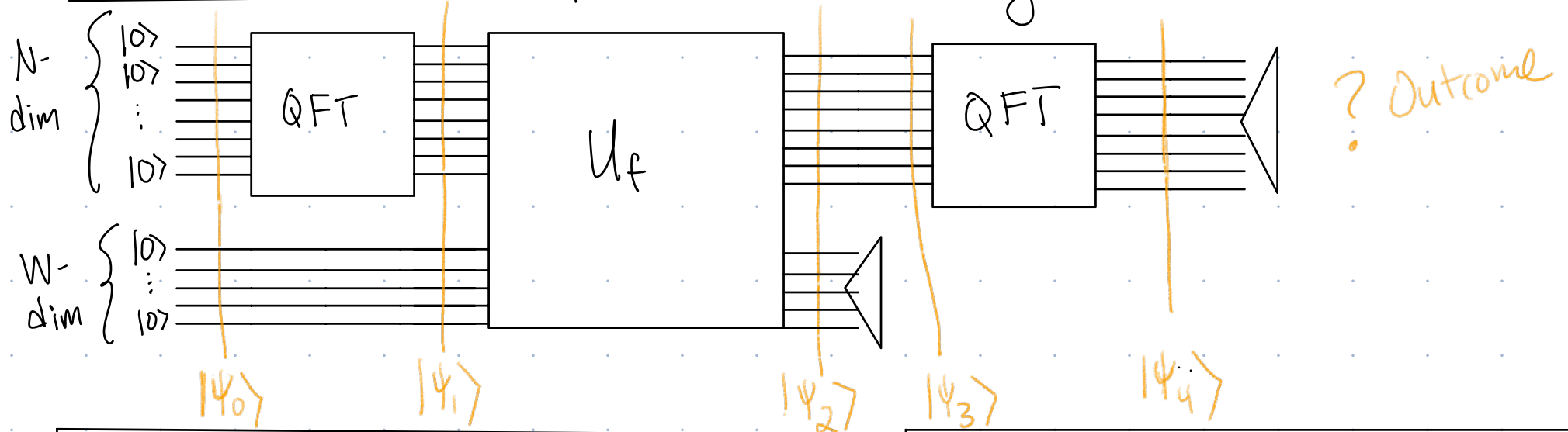


Classical:

Pesky Detail:

Quantum Circuit for Period Finding

GROUP WORK Version



QFT: Quantum Fourier Transform

$$|x\rangle \xrightarrow{\text{N-dim standard basis state}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} e^{2\pi i xy/N} |y\rangle$$

U_f :

$$|x\rangle |y\rangle = |x\rangle |f(x)+y \bmod W\rangle$$

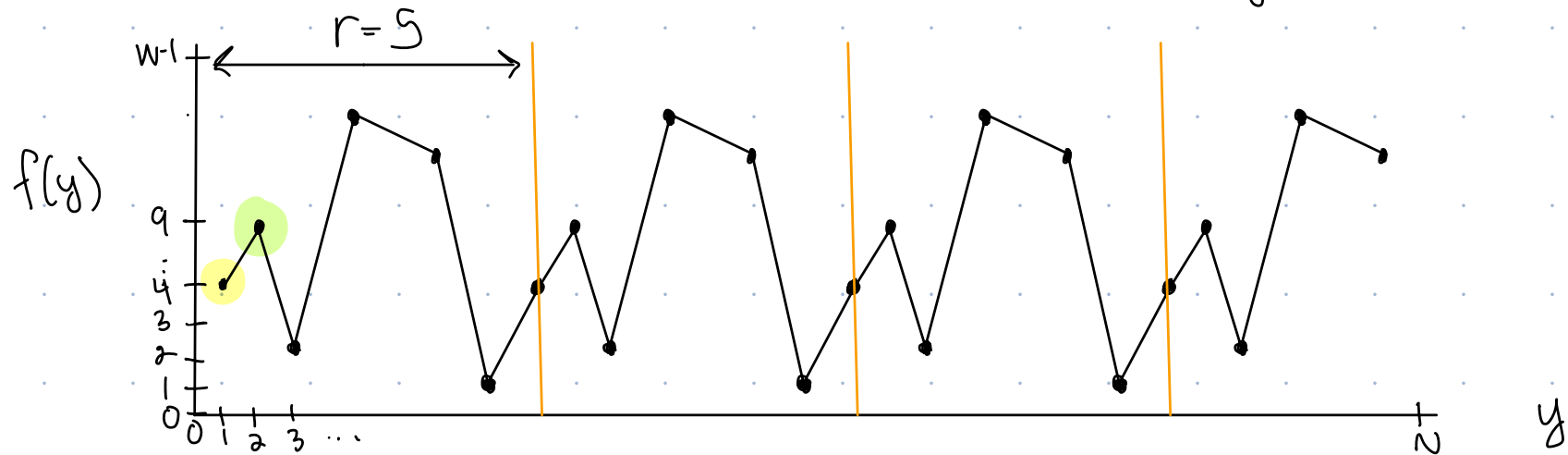
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 N -dim W -dim
 Standard
 basis state

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$$|\psi_2\rangle =$$

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Reminder: $U \left(\sum_i a_i |i\rangle \right) = \sum_i a_i U|i\rangle$

◁ = Standard
basis
measurement

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$$P(|y\rangle) = \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} |a_{xy}|^2$$

$\Rightarrow$ Collapse to $\frac{1}{\sqrt{P(|y\rangle)}} \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} a_{xy} |x\rangle$ ~~$|y\rangle$~~ Destroyed only terms with that specific $|y\rangle$

