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Abstract:

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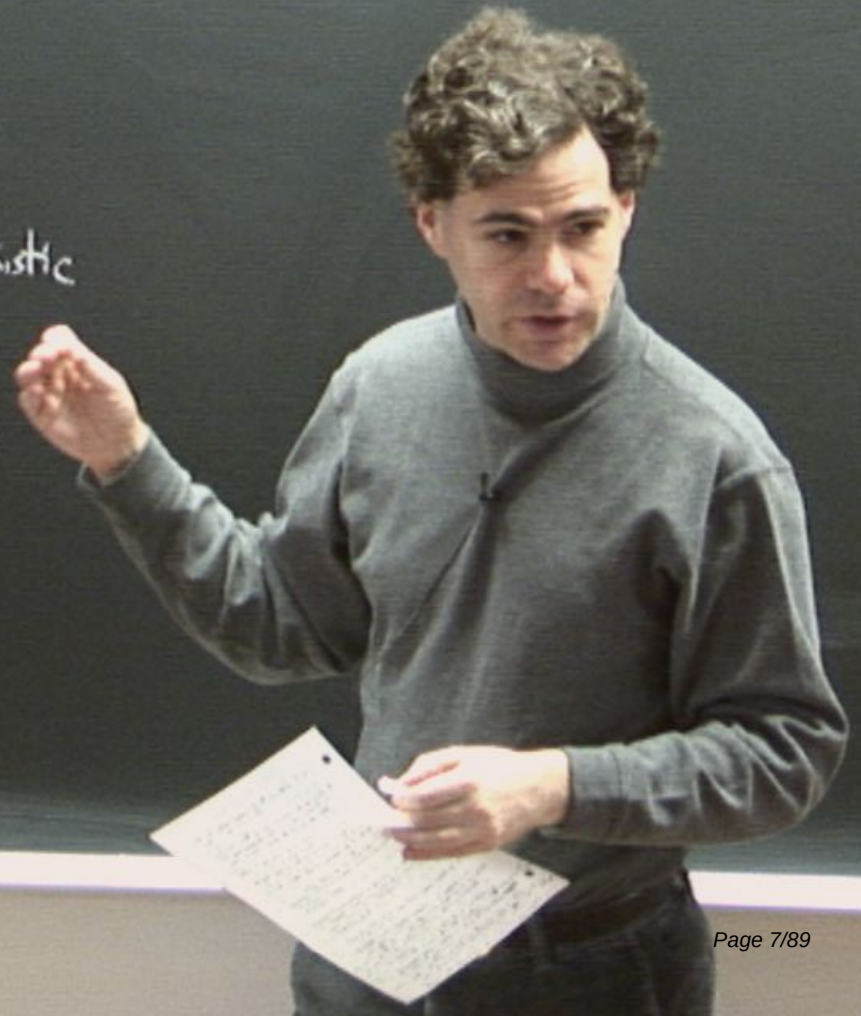


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 w_x is the witness for a yes instance x .

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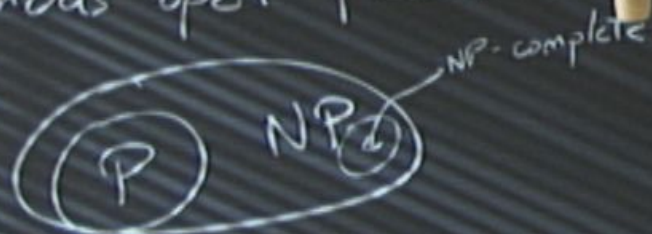
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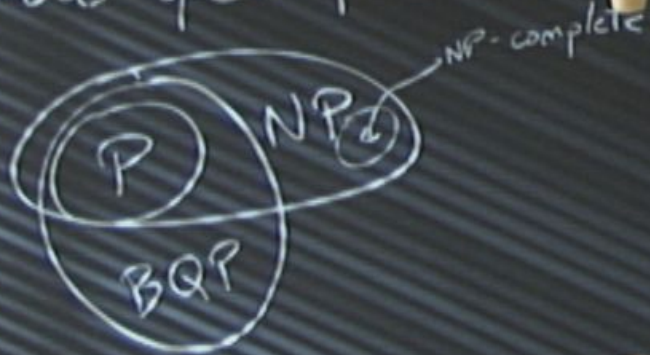
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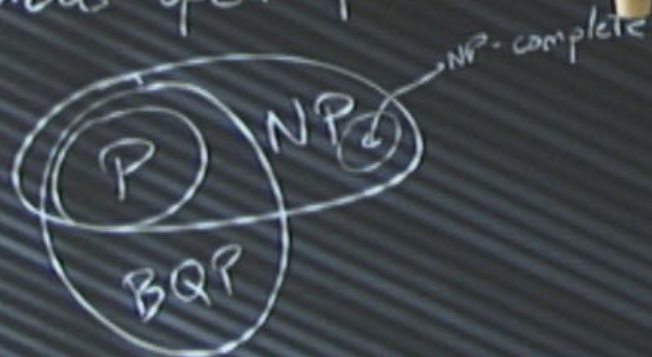
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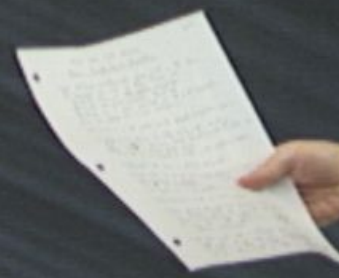
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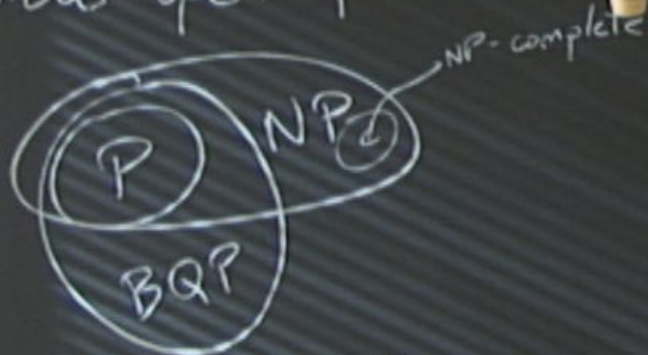
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$P \neq NP$?

Famous open problem



Cannot prove
 $P \neq BQP$, $NP \neq BQP$
 $BQP \neq NP$

Oracle problems

An oracle is a black box function

$$x \mapsto O(x)$$

We know nothing about how $O(x)$ is computed

We can ask questions, known as

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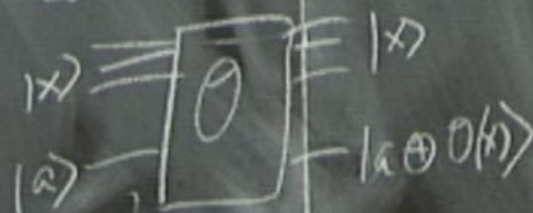
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Def: Language M

s.t. $x \in L$
Solving M allows

Def: A language

if $\forall L \in \mathcal{NP}$, L
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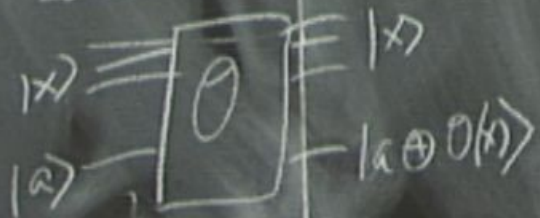
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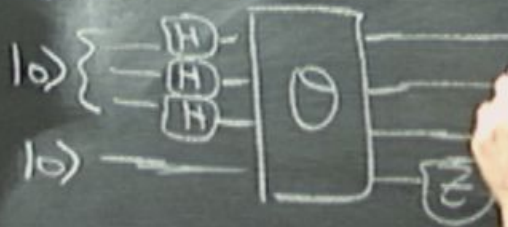
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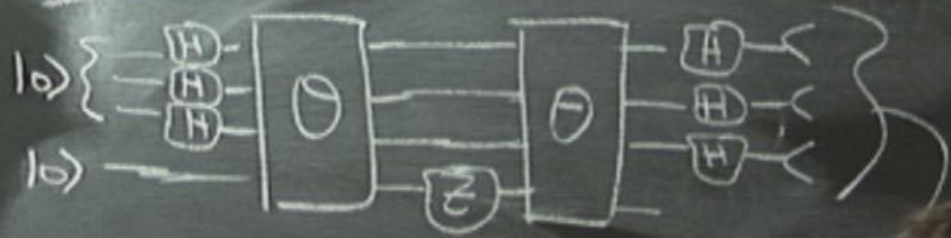
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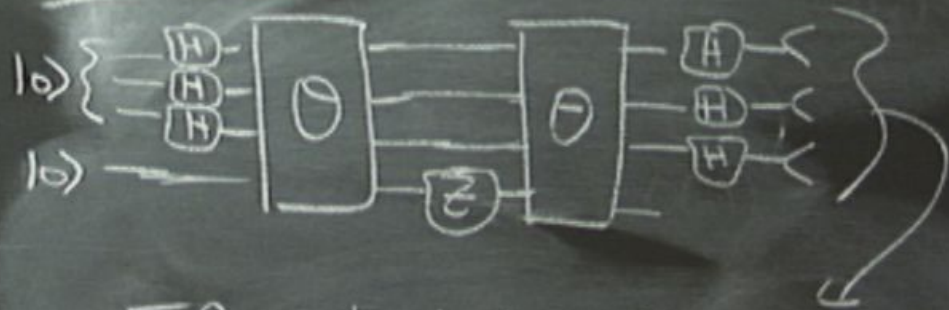
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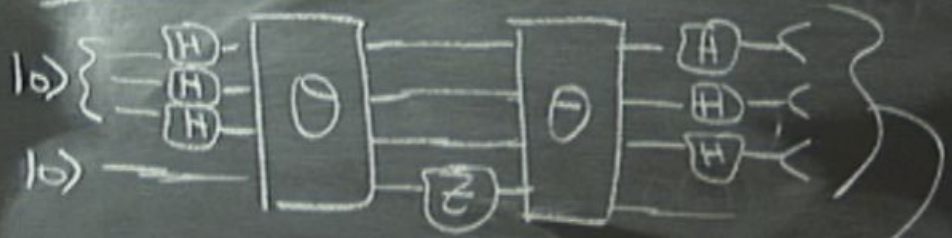
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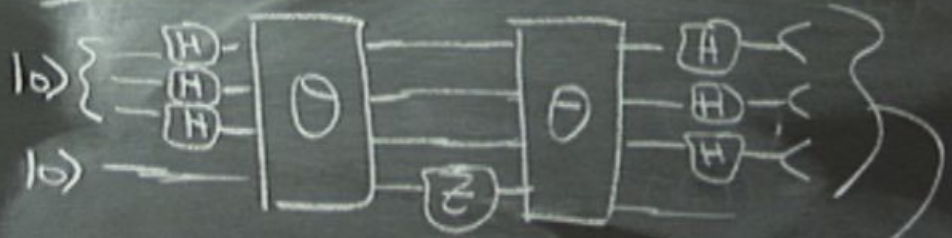
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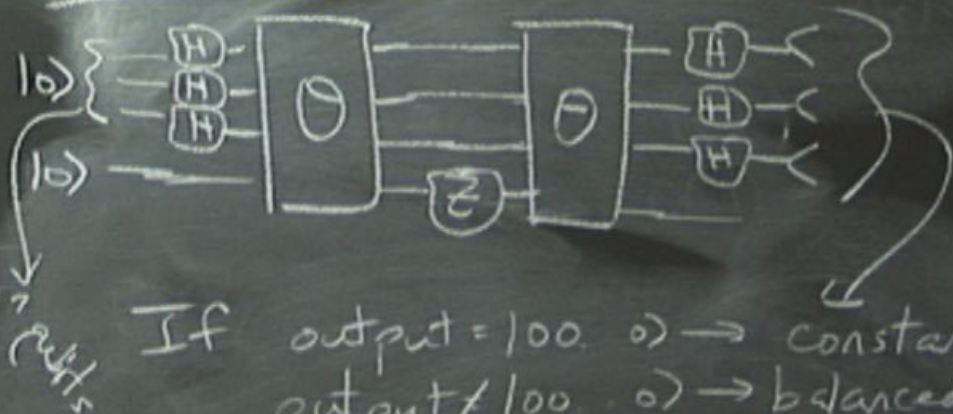
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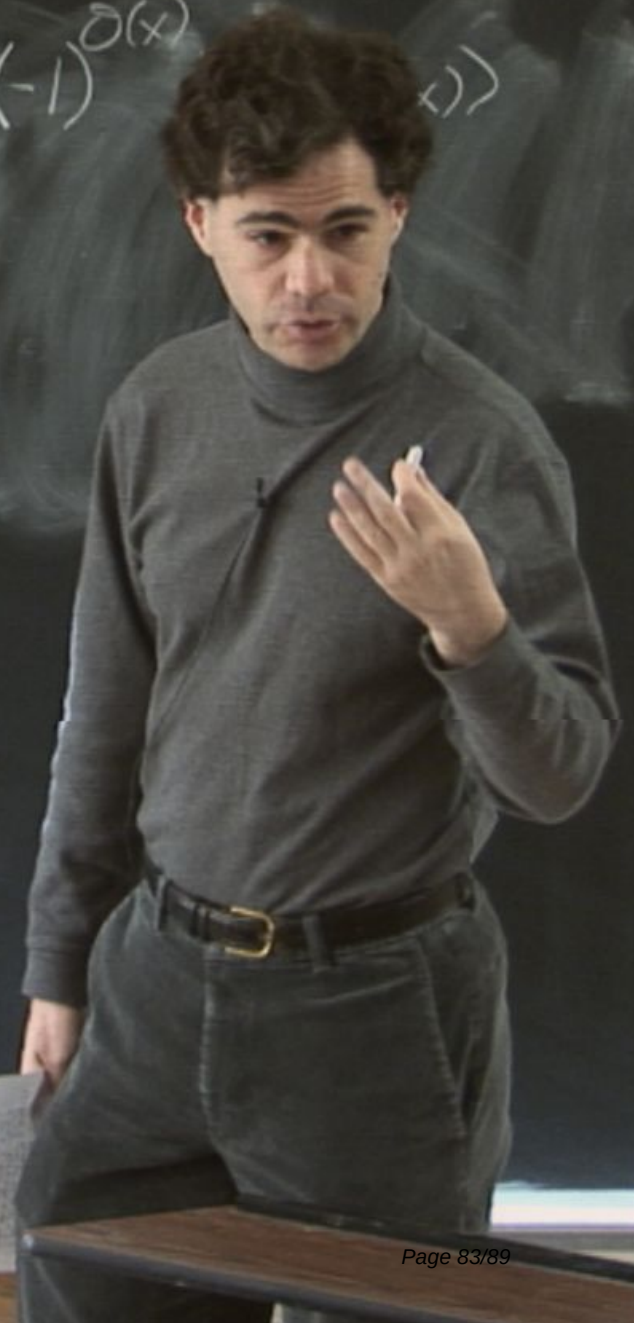


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Measurement never gives $|0 \dots 0\rangle$! $\checkmark$

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