

An introduction to Quantum Information Processing

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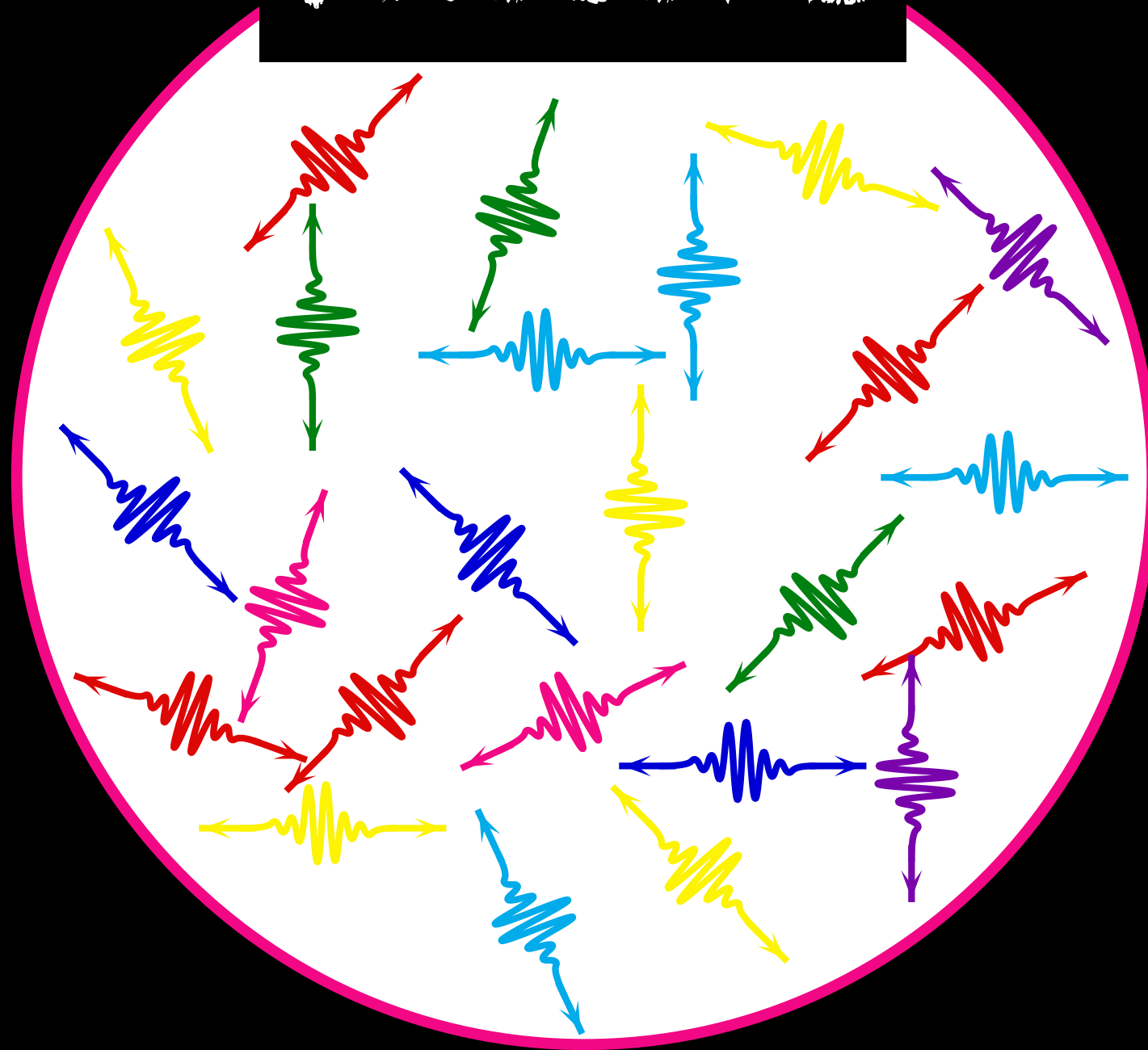
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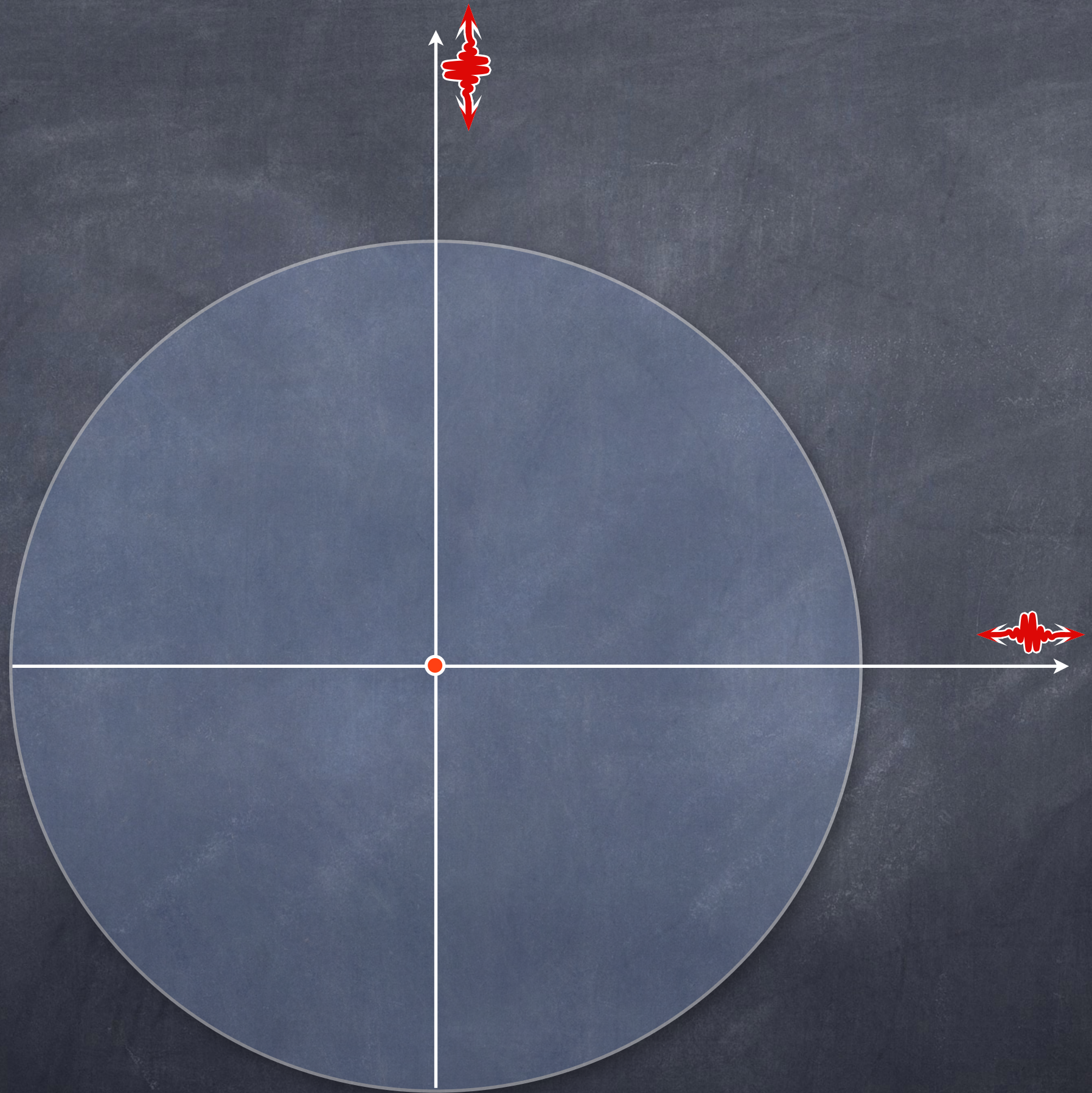
Quantum Information

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Bits & Qubits

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$$\begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \theta \end{array} = \cos\theta \begin{array}{c} \leftarrow \text{wavy line} \rightarrow \end{array} + \sin\theta \begin{array}{c} \updownarrow \text{wavy line} \end{array}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle = C_0 \begin{array}{c} \leftarrow \text{wavy line} \rightarrow \end{array} + C_1 \begin{array}{c} \updownarrow \text{wavy line} \end{array}$$

$$C_i, C_{ij} \in \mathbb{C}$$

00: 

01:  

10:  

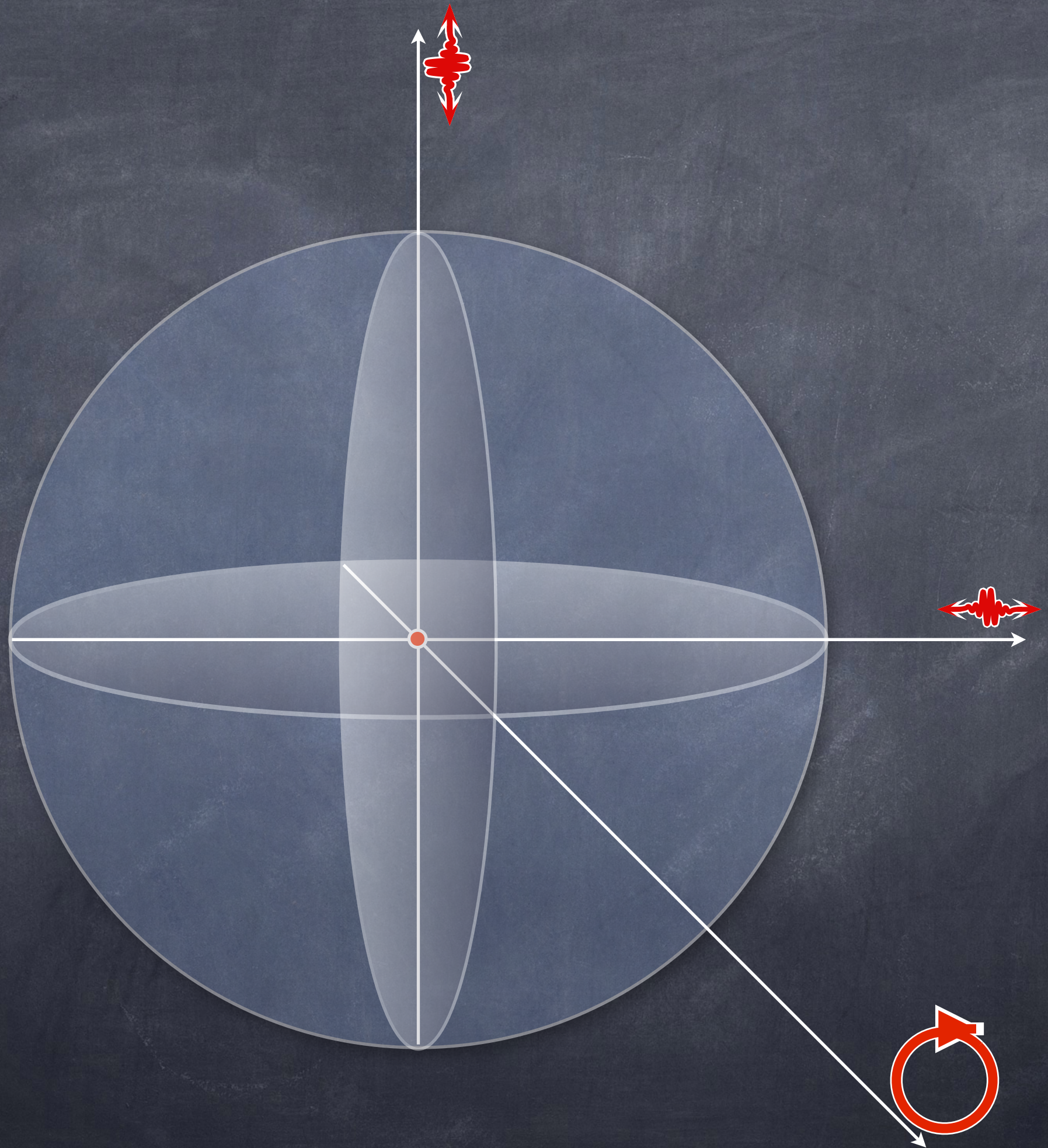
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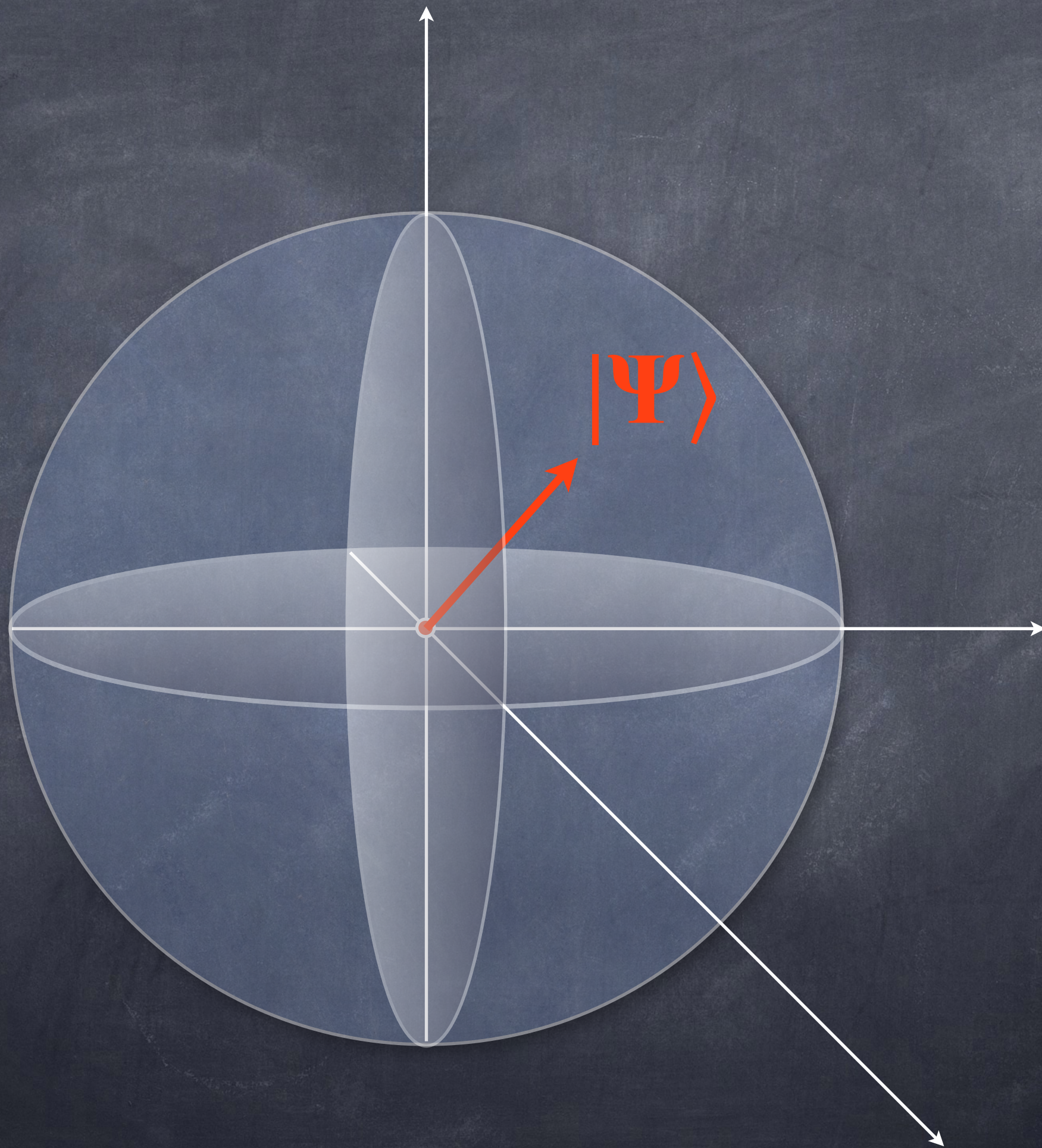
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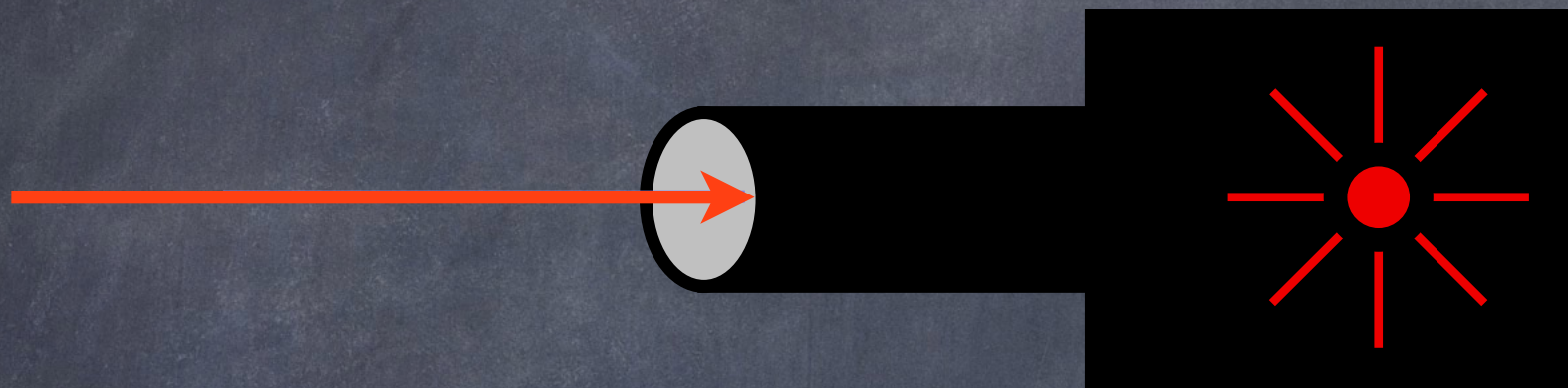
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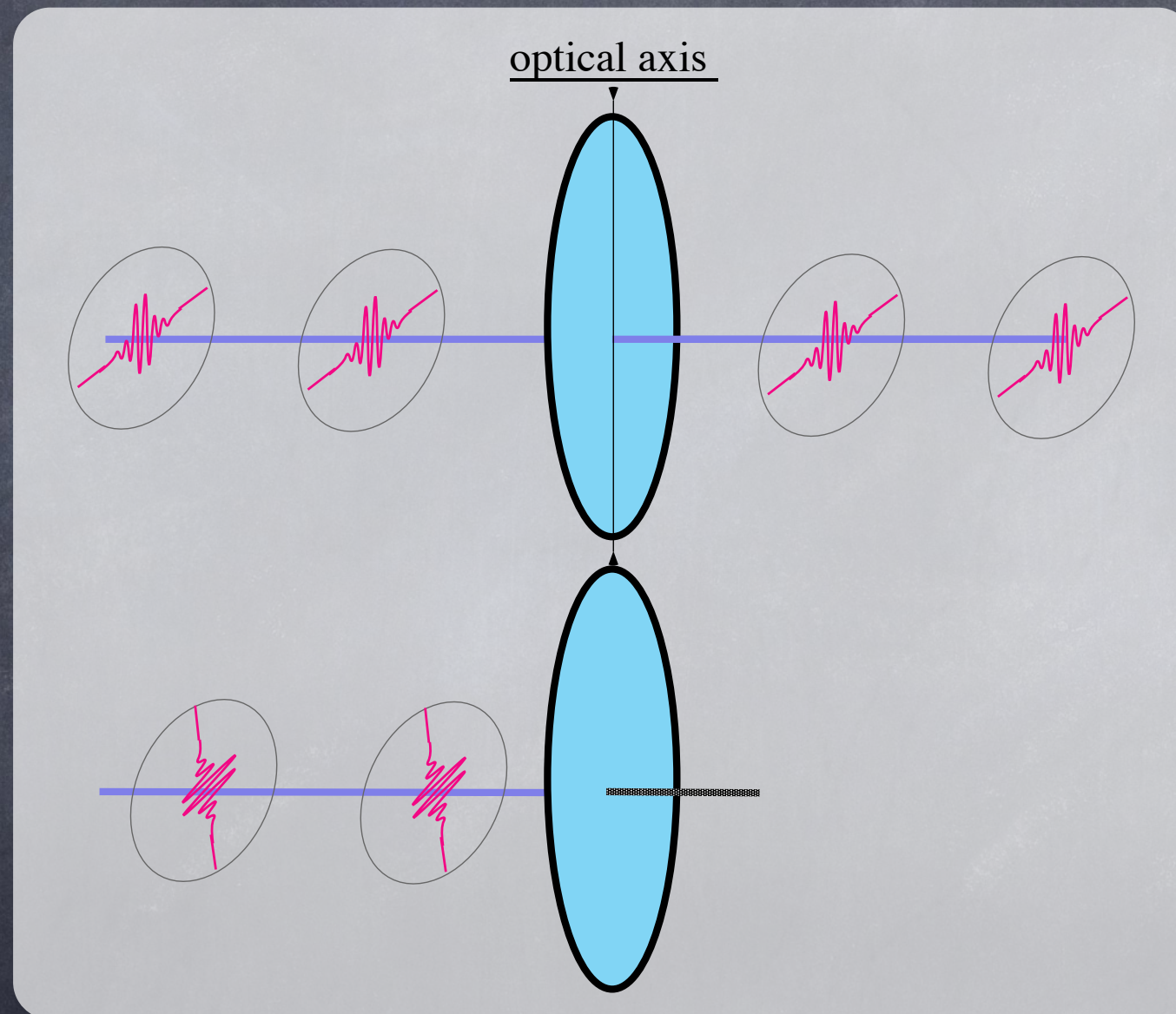
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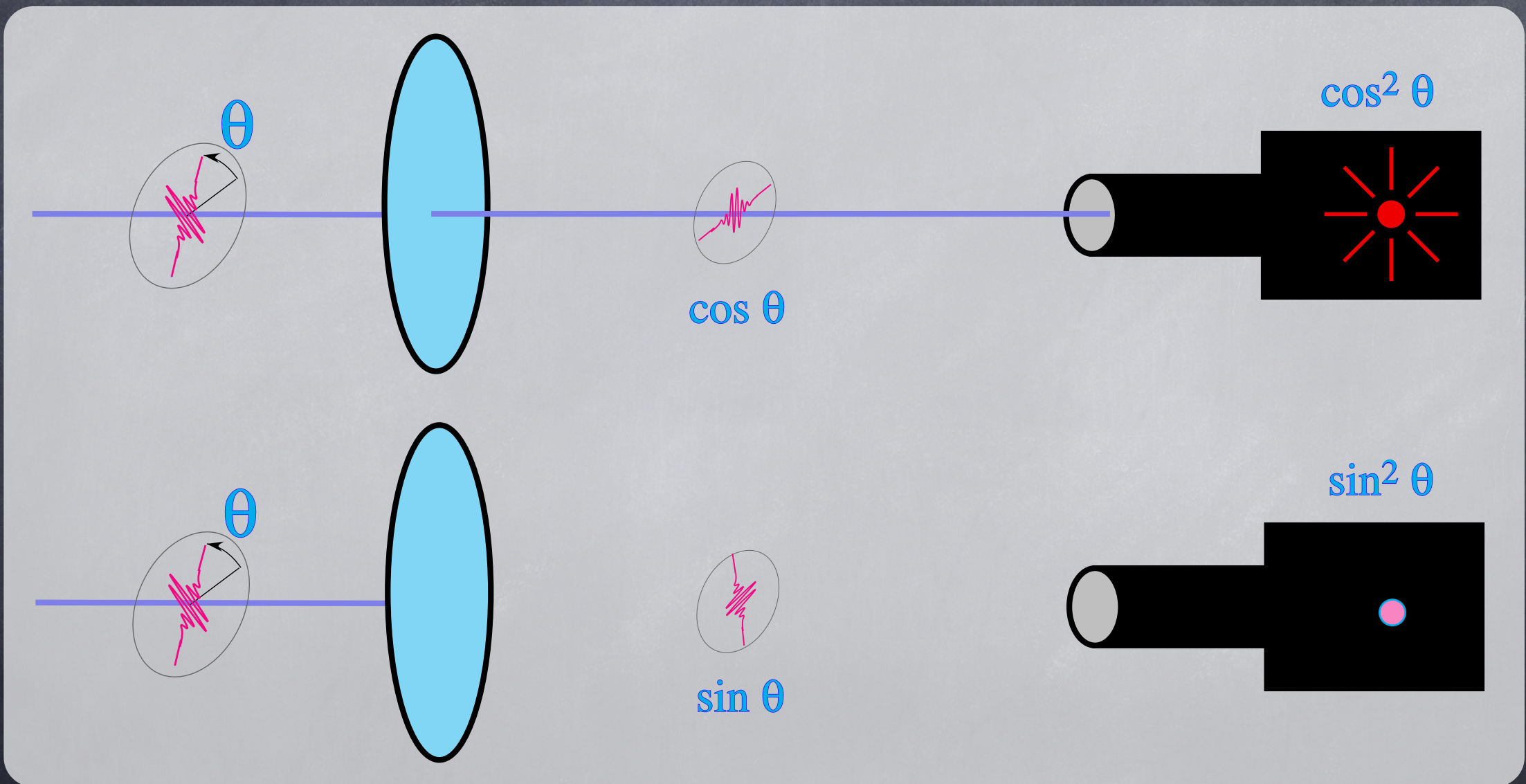
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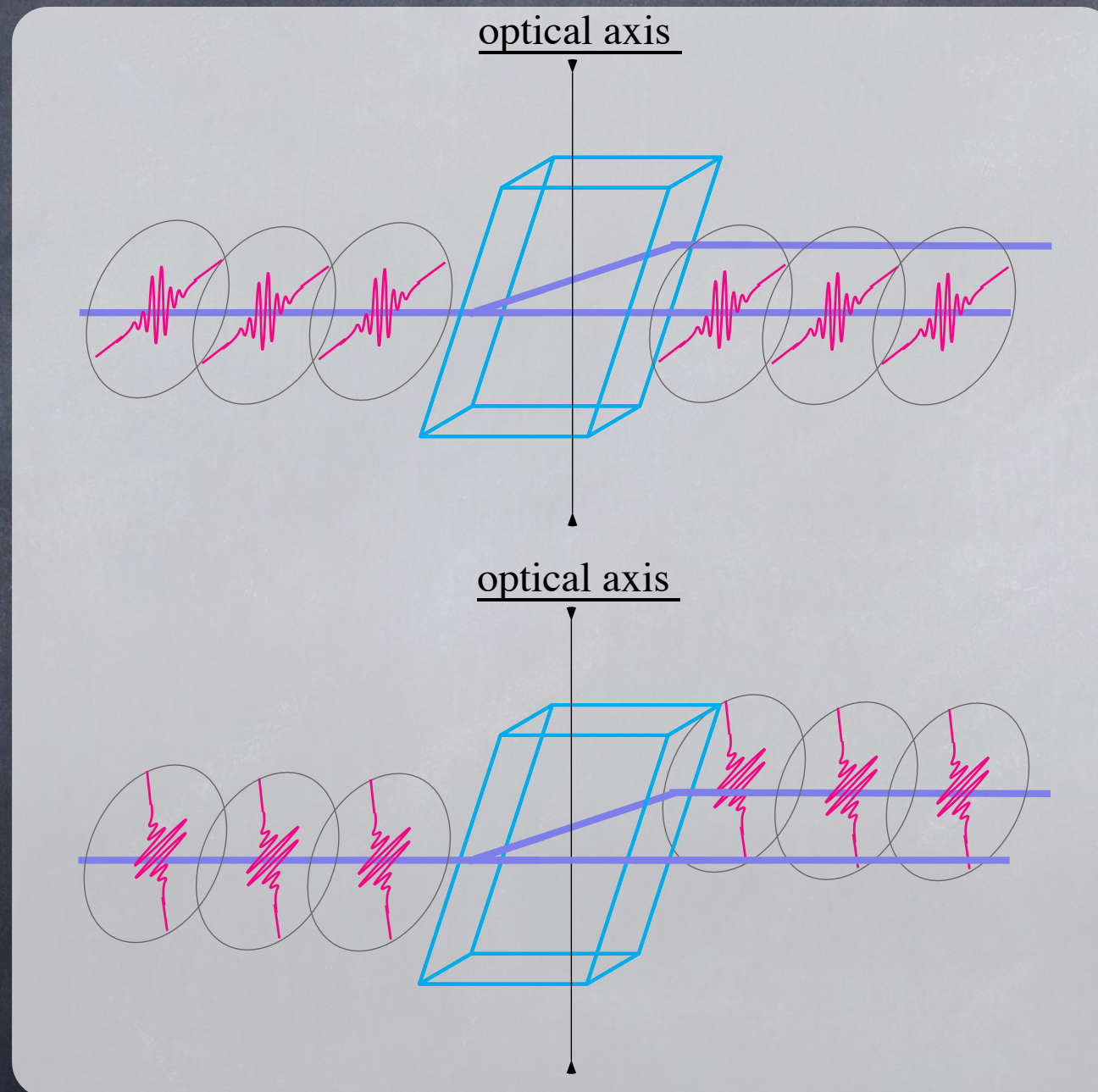


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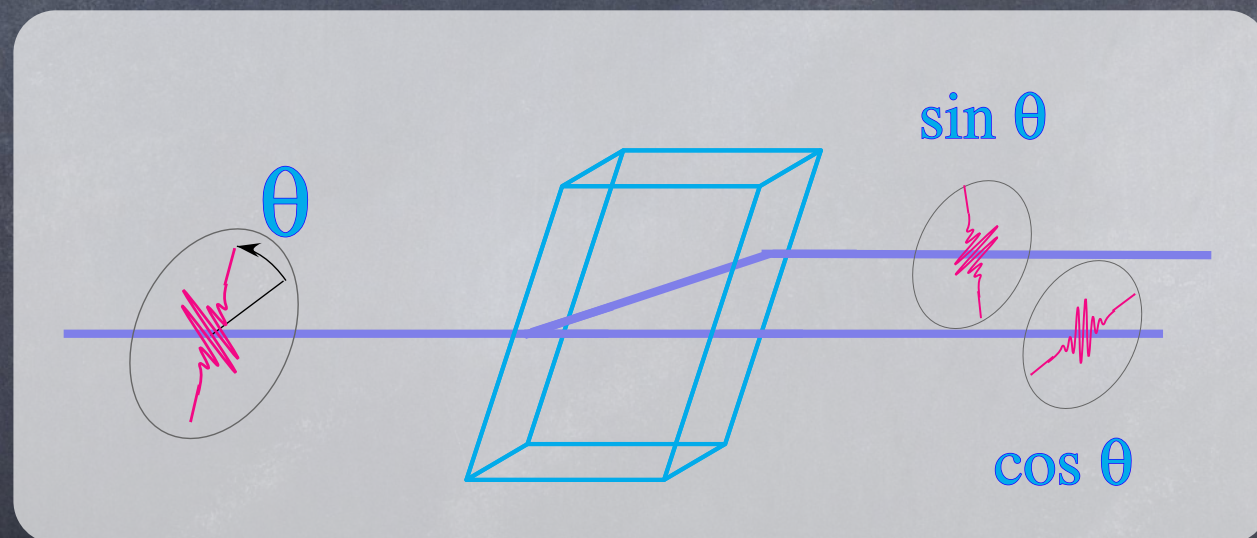


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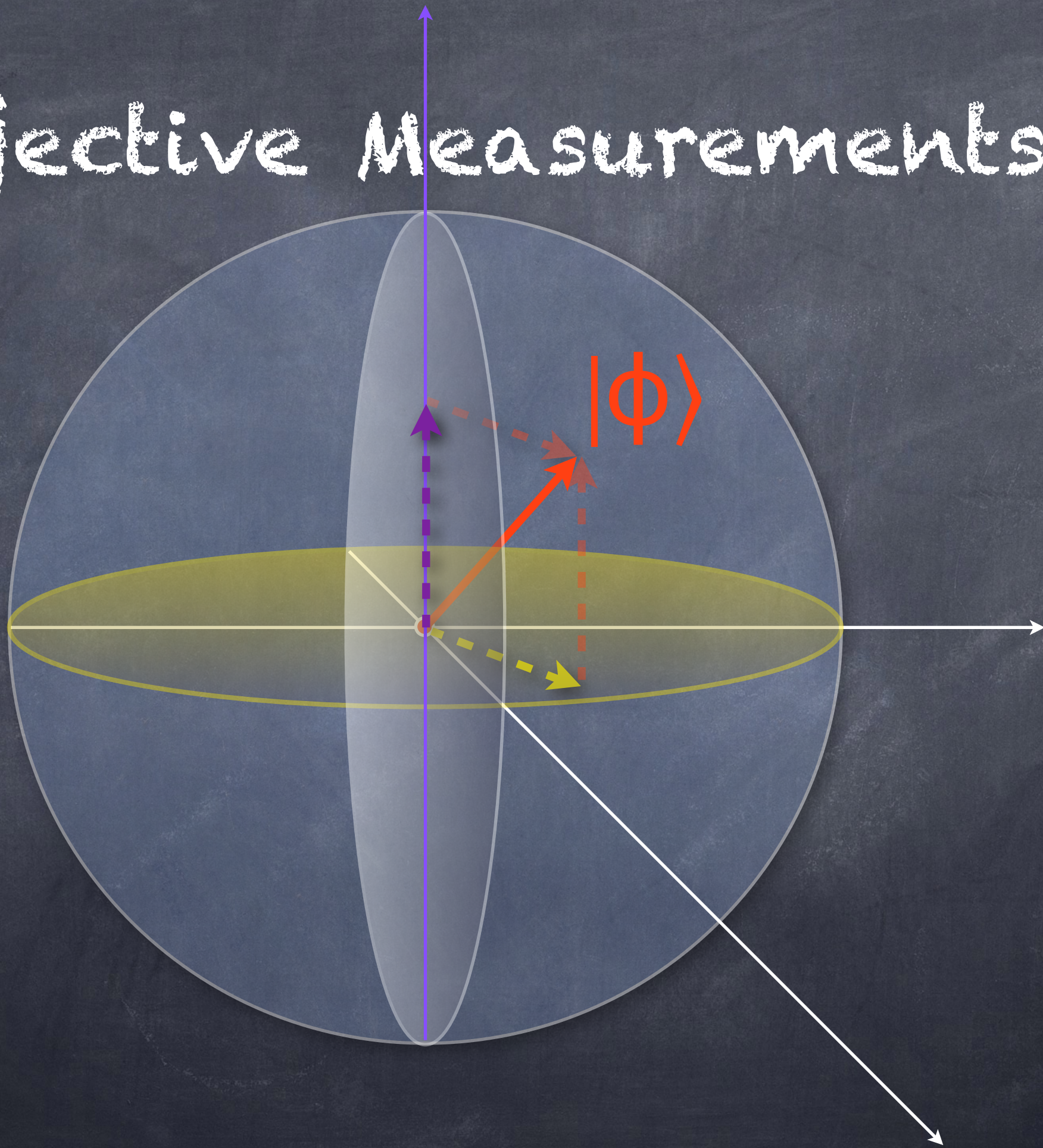


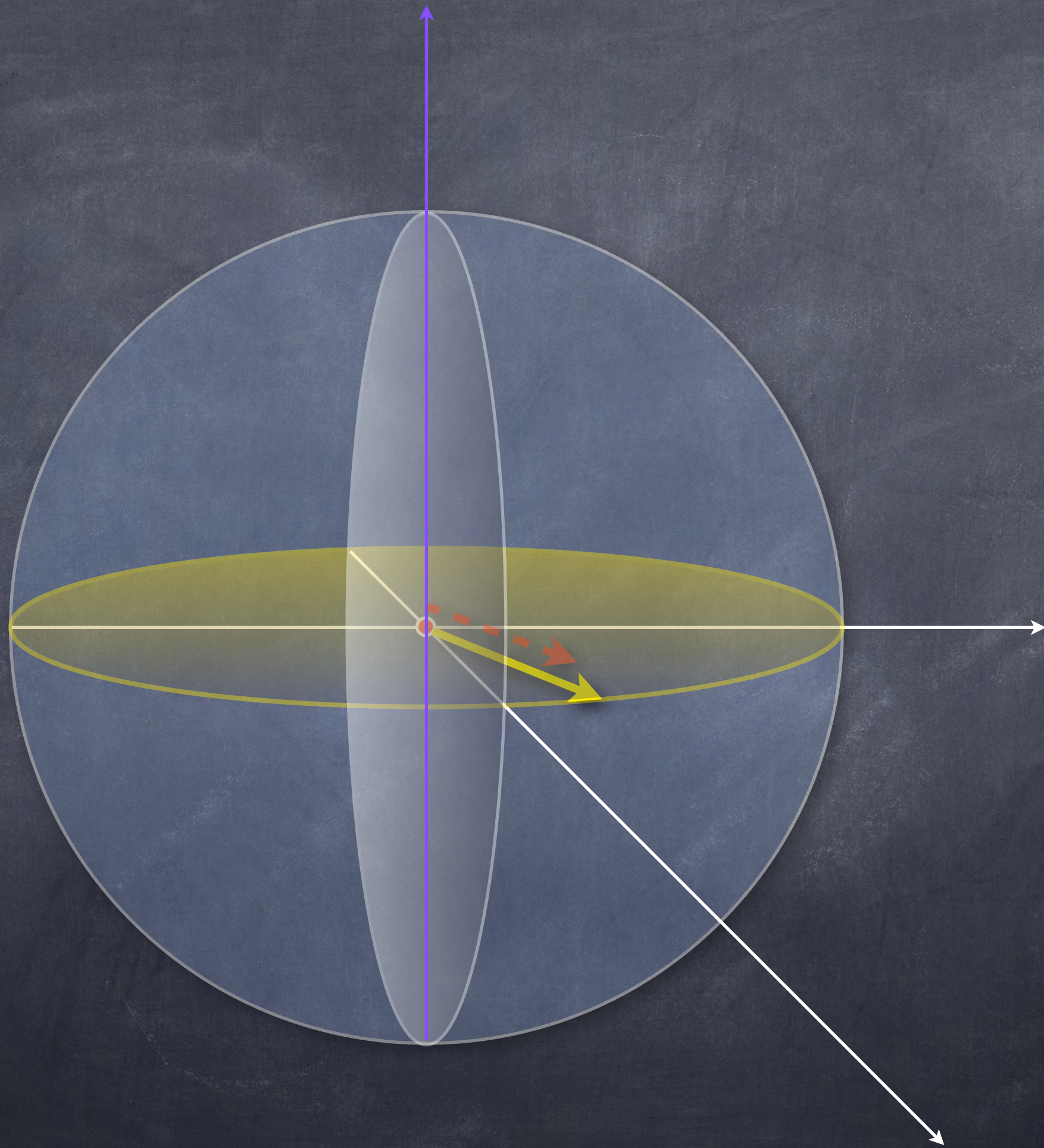
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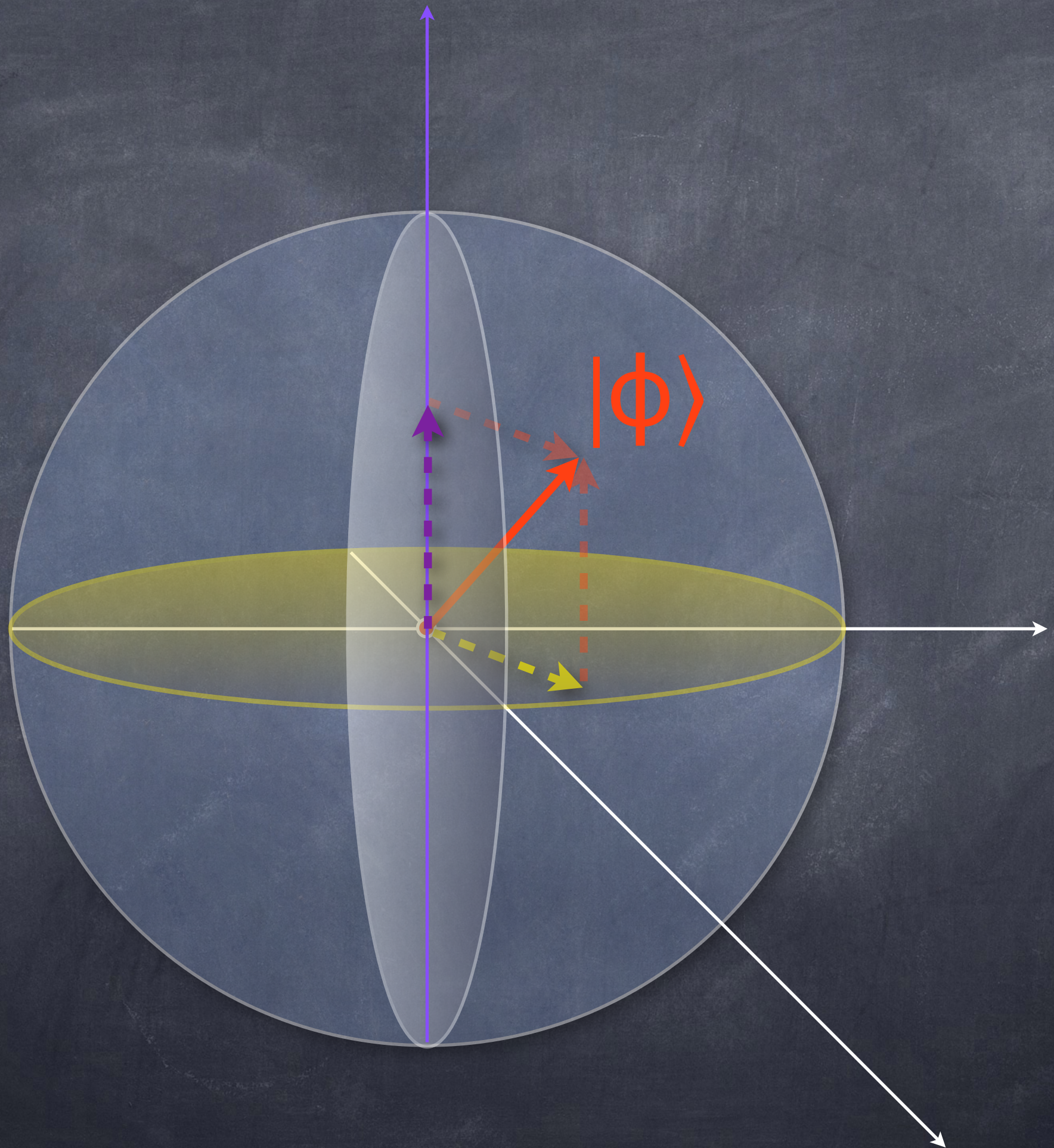


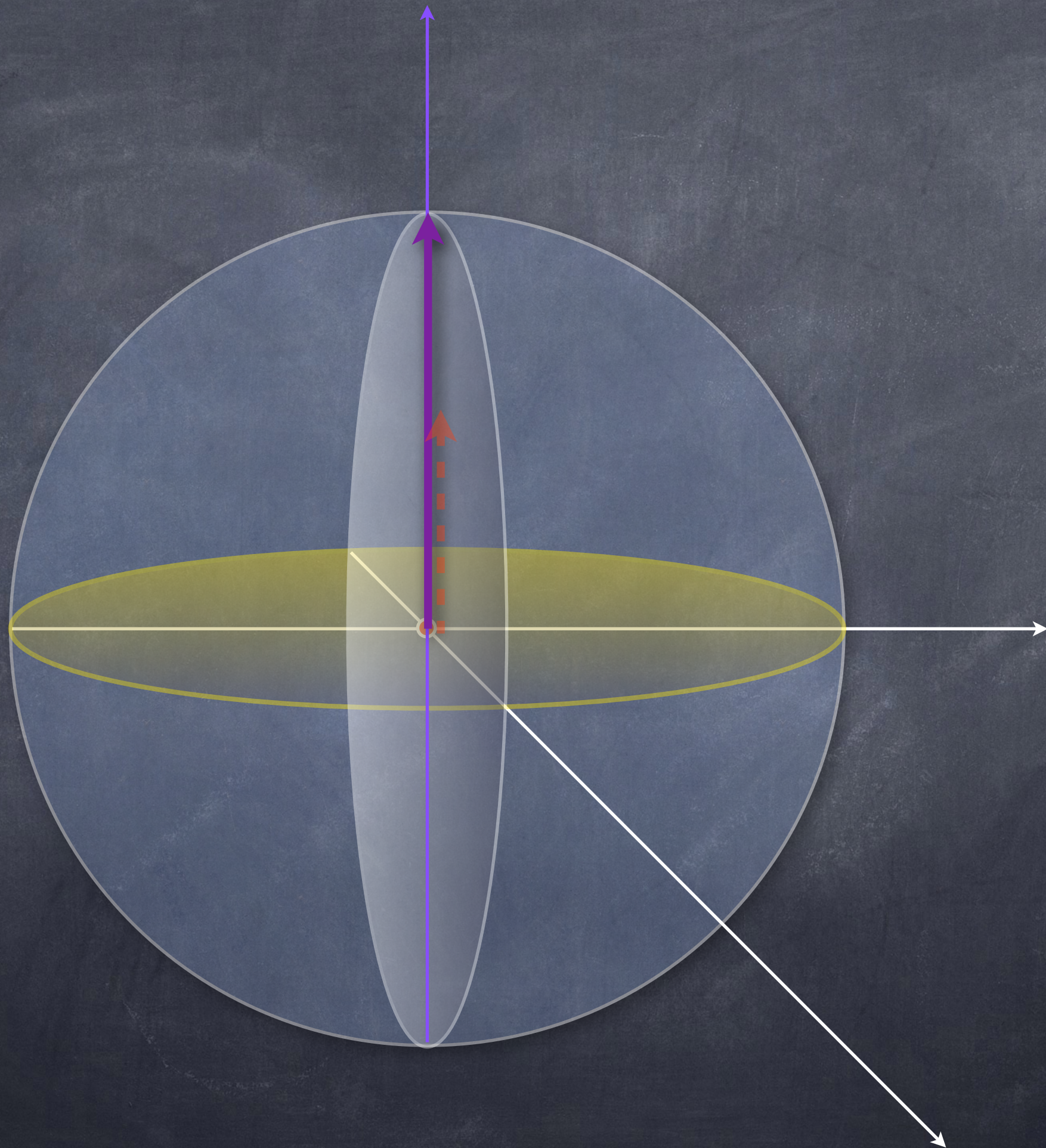
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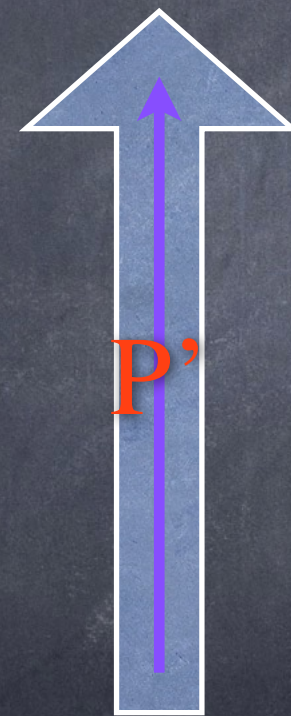




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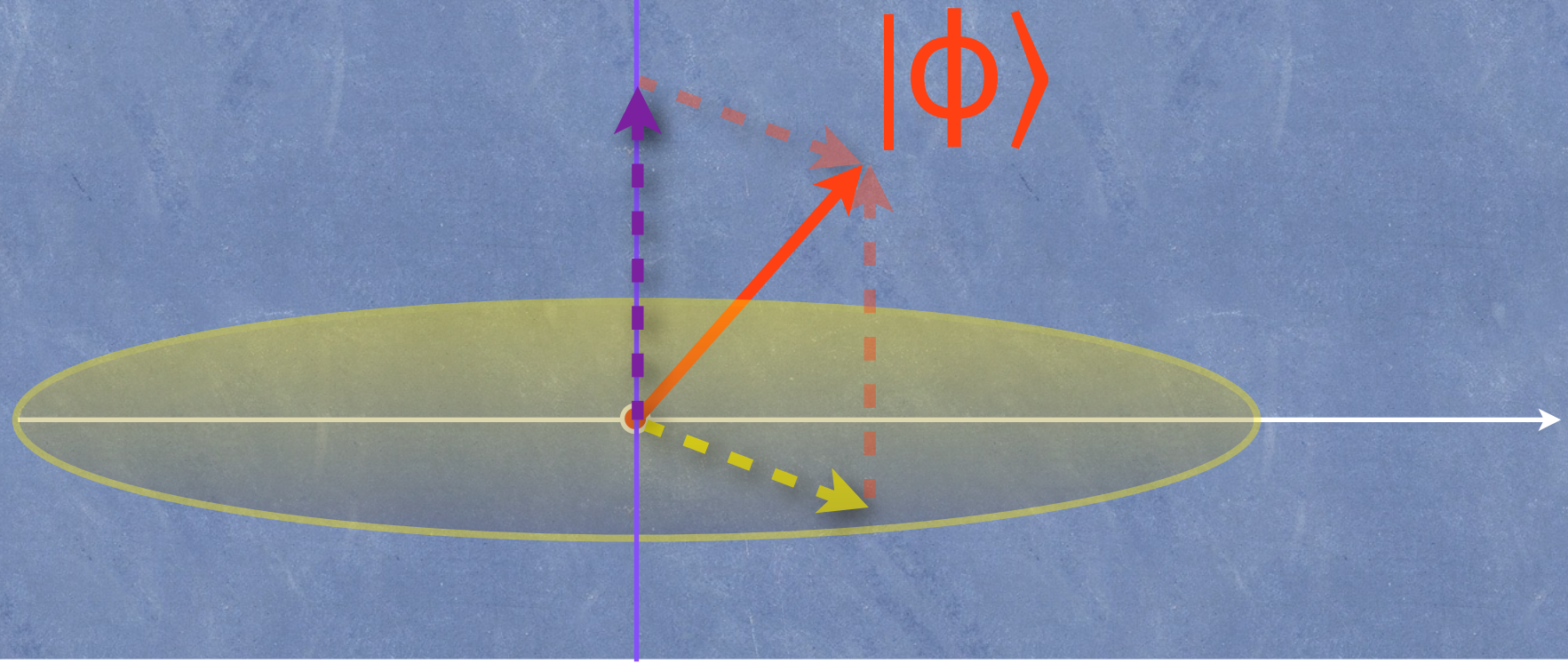
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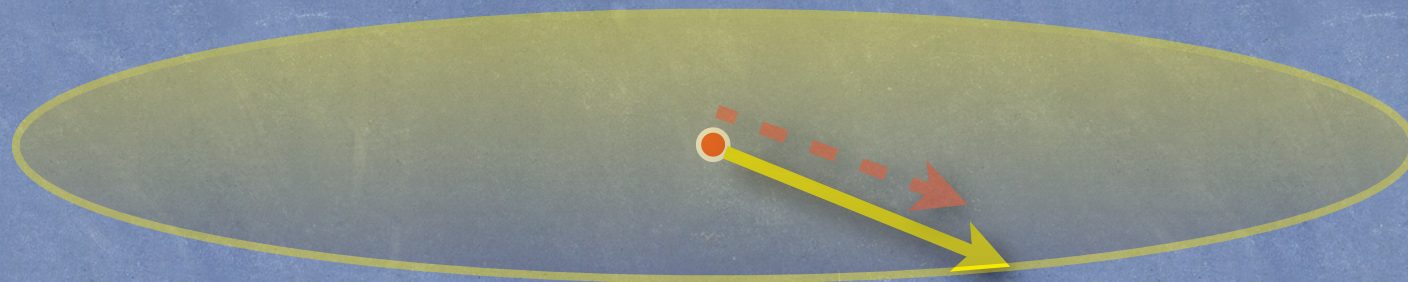
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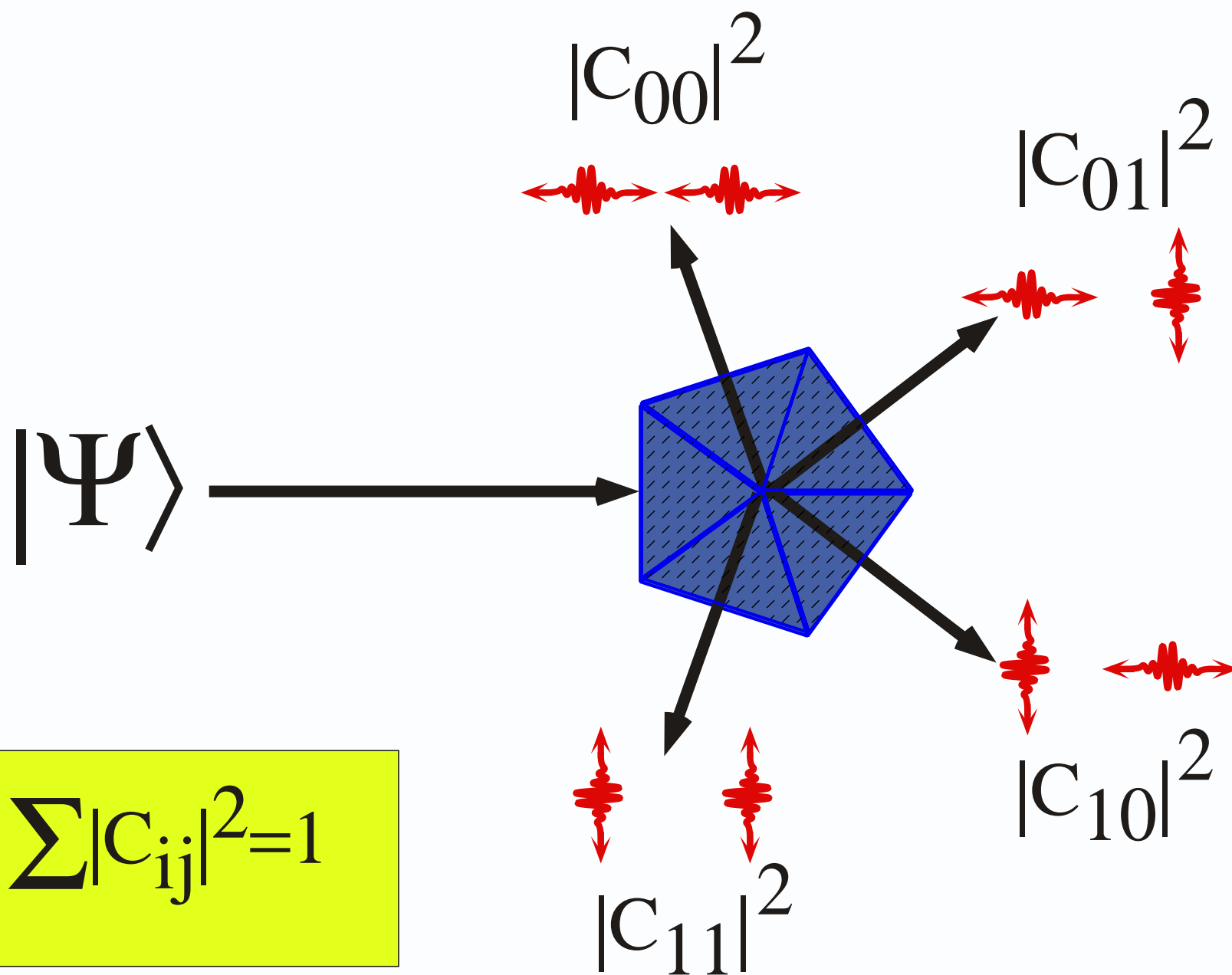
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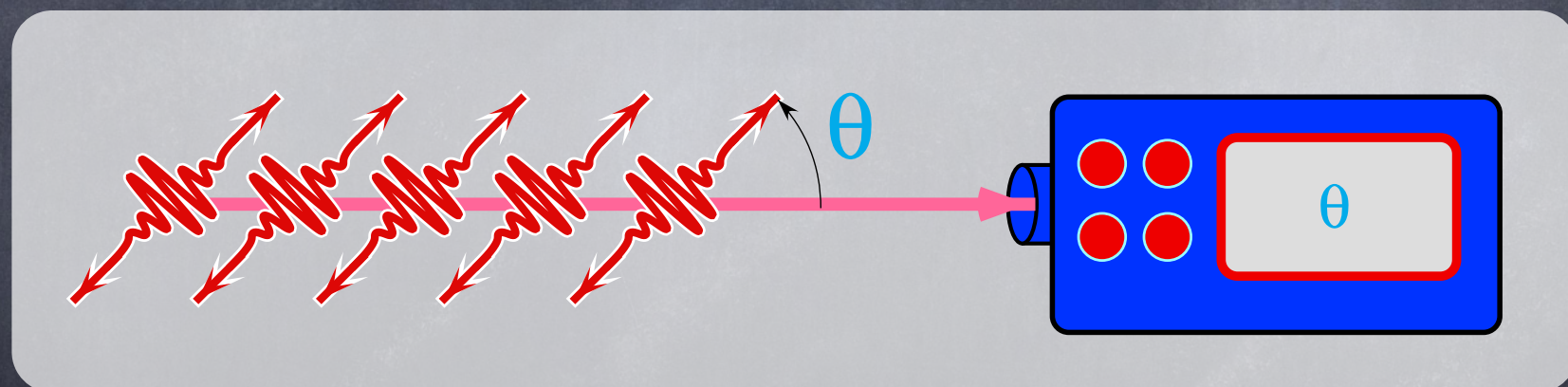
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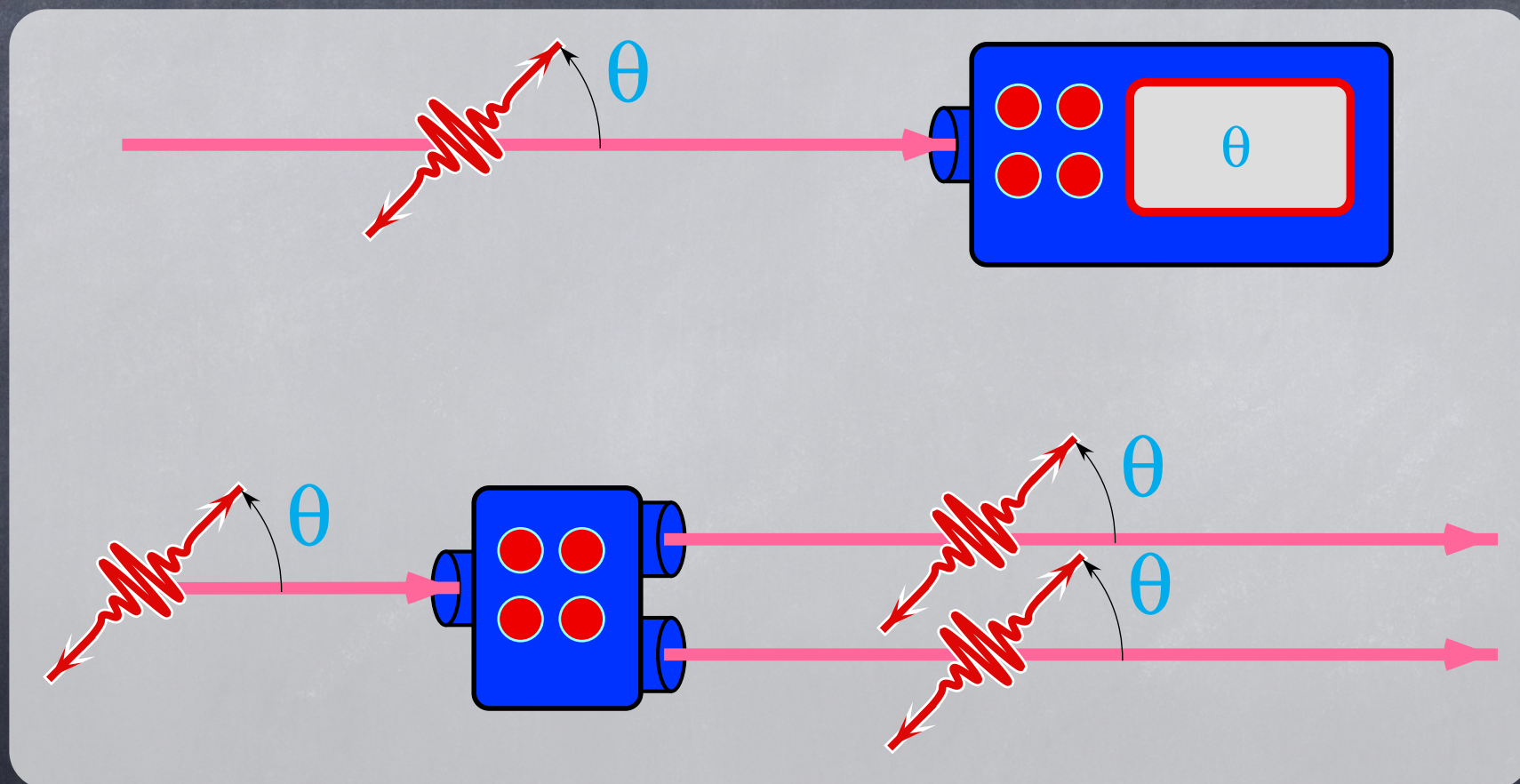


$$\sum |C_{ij}|^2 = 1$$

Possible



Impossible



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Quantum Computations

Unitary Operators

$$|\Psi\rangle \xrightarrow{\boxed{U}} |\Psi'\rangle$$

$$\text{Horizontal Pulse} \xrightarrow{\boxed{U}} |\Psi_0\rangle$$

$$\text{Vertical Pulse} \xrightarrow{\boxed{U}} |\Psi_1\rangle$$

$$C_0 \text{ Horizontal Pulse} + C_1 \text{ Vertical Pulse} \xrightarrow{\boxed{U}} C_0 |\Psi_0\rangle + C_1 |\Psi_1\rangle$$

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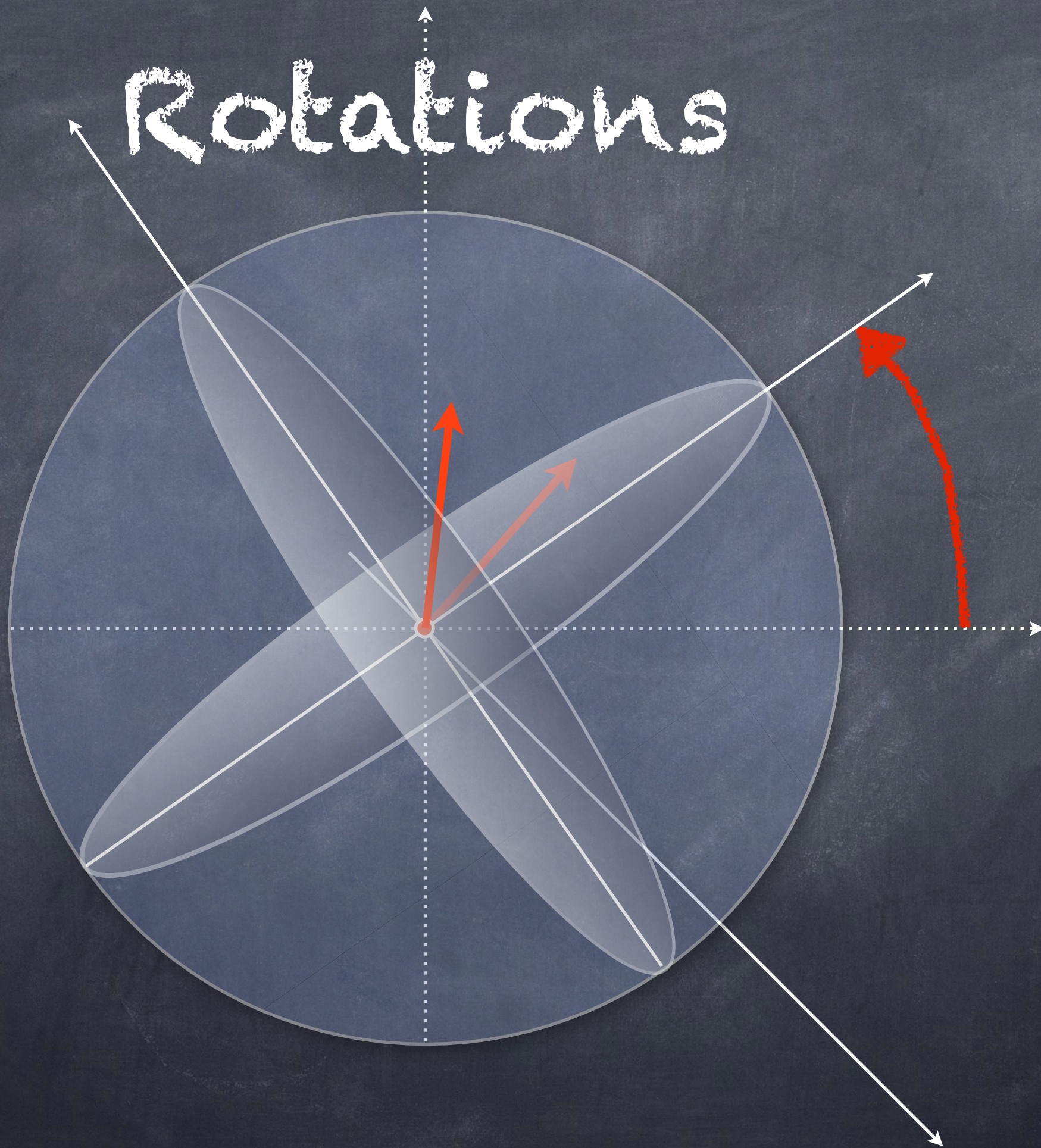
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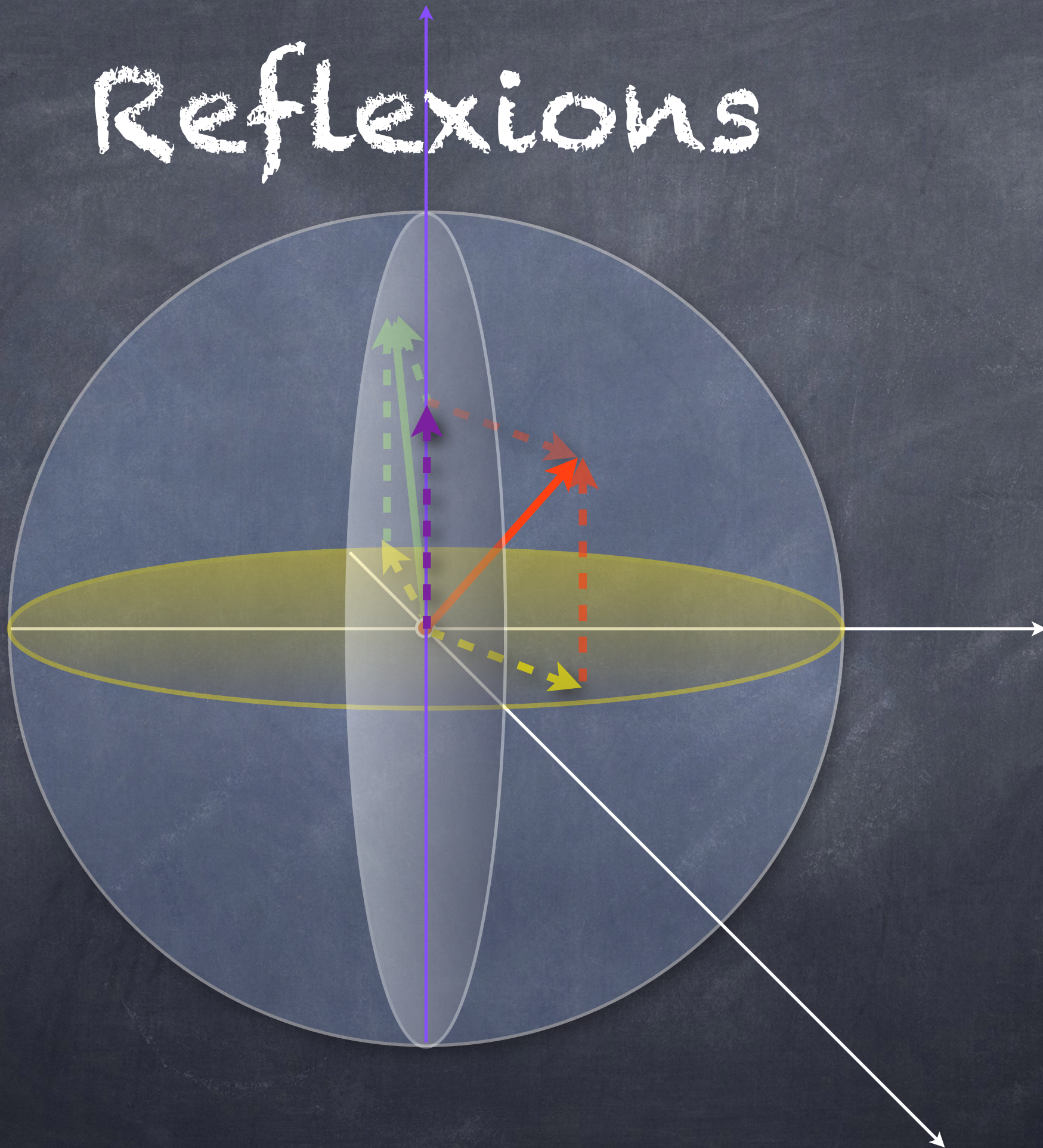
preserves scalar products:

$$\begin{aligned} & (\langle \psi | U^\dagger) (U | \phi \rangle) \\ &= \langle \psi | U^\dagger U | \phi \rangle = \langle \psi | I | \phi \rangle = \langle \psi | \phi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Rotations



Reflexions



Example: Hadamard

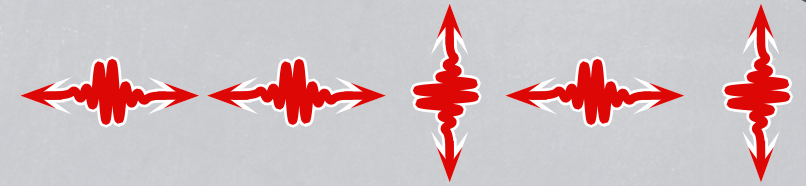
$$\begin{array}{lcl} |0\rangle & \xrightarrow{\boxed{\text{H}}} & (|0\rangle + |1\rangle)/\sqrt{2} \\ |1\rangle & \xrightarrow{\boxed{\text{H}}} & (|0\rangle - |1\rangle)/\sqrt{2} \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{\text{H}} = 1/\sqrt{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Classical vs Quantum

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Quantum



Copying:

Yes

NO

Measuring:

Yes

partial

Broadcasting:

Yes

NO

Superposing:

NO

Yes

Interfering:

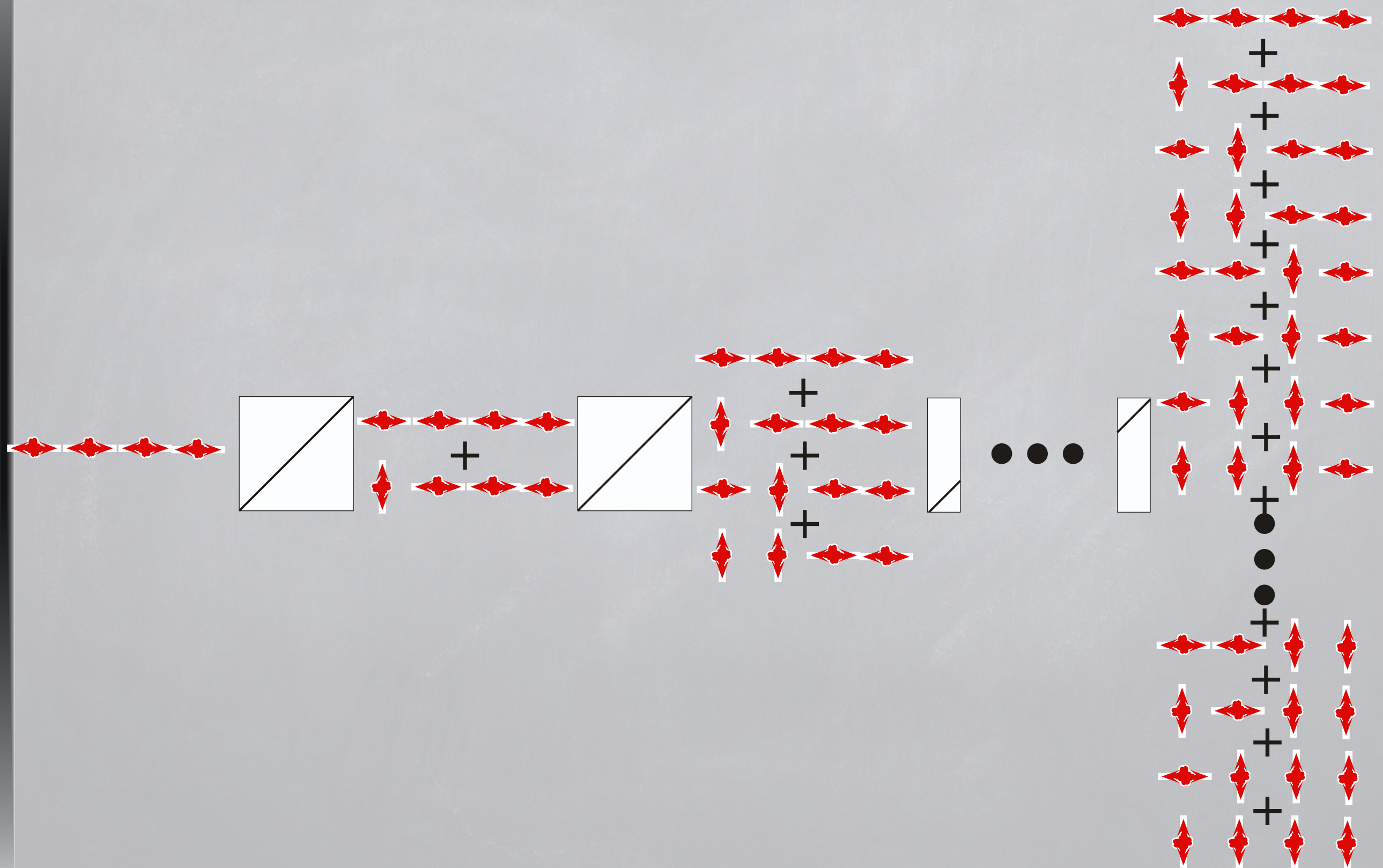
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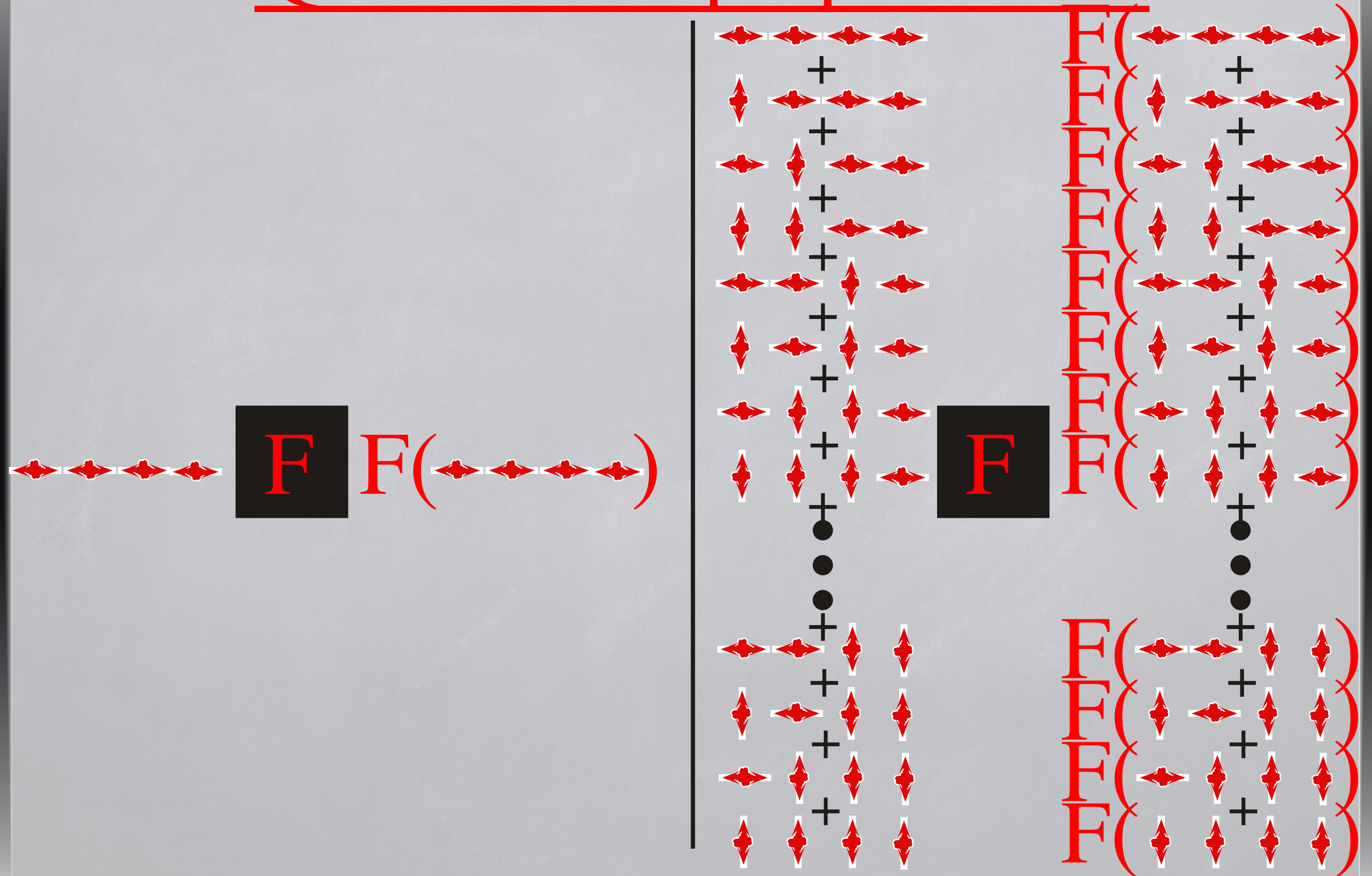
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Quantum Factoring

Quantum Superposition



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Quantum Factoring

Given $n=pq$ and $\phi(n)=(p-1)(q-1)$

it is easy to find p and q because

$$\phi(n) = (p-1)(q-1) = pq - p - q + 1 = n - p - (n/p) + 1$$

$$p + (n/p) + n - \phi(n) + 1 = 0$$

$p^2 + (n - \phi(n) + 1)p + n = 0$ has solutions:

$$p = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{4ac}}{2a} \quad (a=1, b=n-\phi(n)+1, c=n)$$

Quantum Factoring

Euler's theorem

$$a^{\phi(n)} \bmod n = 1$$

$$F(a,r,n):=(a^r \bmod n,r,n)$$

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Quantum Factoring

$$(\odot, 1, n)$$

$$(\odot, 2, n)$$

$$(\odot, 3, n)$$

...

$$(\odot, \phi(n)-1, n)$$

$$(\odot, \phi(n), n)$$

$$(\odot, \phi(n)+1, n)$$

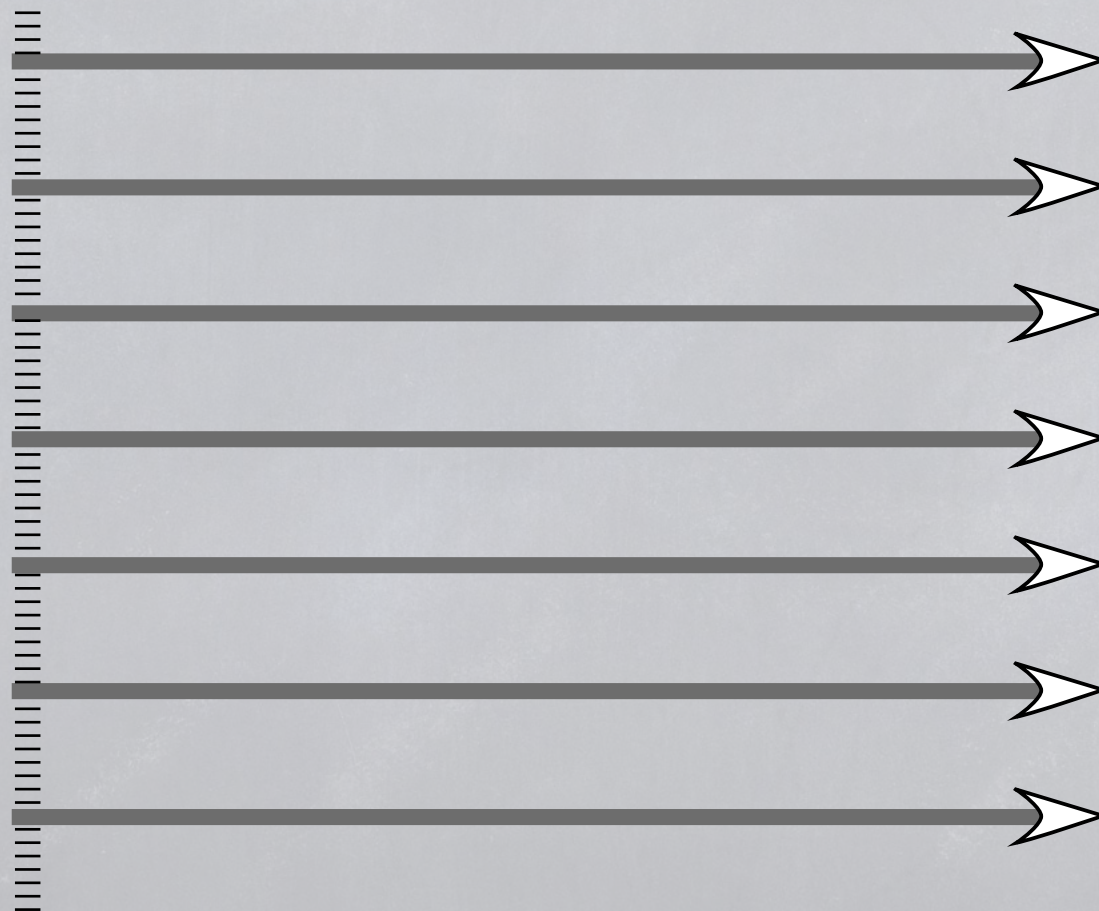
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Quantum Factoring



Quantum Factoring

Construct the superposition
for all r and all a of

$$(a^r \bmod n, r, n)$$

measure r , and with high
probability $r = k\phi(n)$
for some integer k

repeat to obtain $r' = k'\phi(n)$
 $\gcd(r, r') = \phi(n)$.

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