

# Programmable Quantum Simulators for Condensed Matter and Lattice Gauge Models

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## Two flavors of Quantum Simulators:

1. Simple, but non-programmable: use the ‘natural’ Hamiltonian of a synthetic system with similar degrees of freedom to the system being simulated.
2. Programmable: Requires universal control of all quantum degrees of freedom to synthesize arbitrary Hamiltonian time evolution.
  - Hamiltonian synthesis via ‘digital’ Trotter-Suzuki + Baker-Campbell-Hausdorff gate sequences and/or analog optimal control theory

ALL simulators require the ability to make accurate and non-trivial measurements (hopefully beyond the capability of traditional experiment).

Error correction/mitigation will ultimately be needed in most cases.

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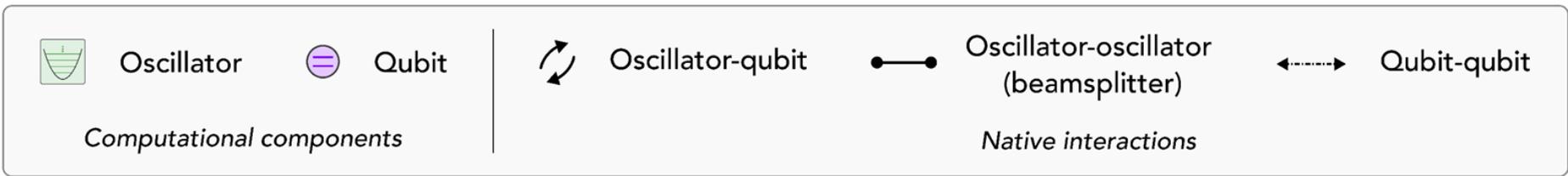
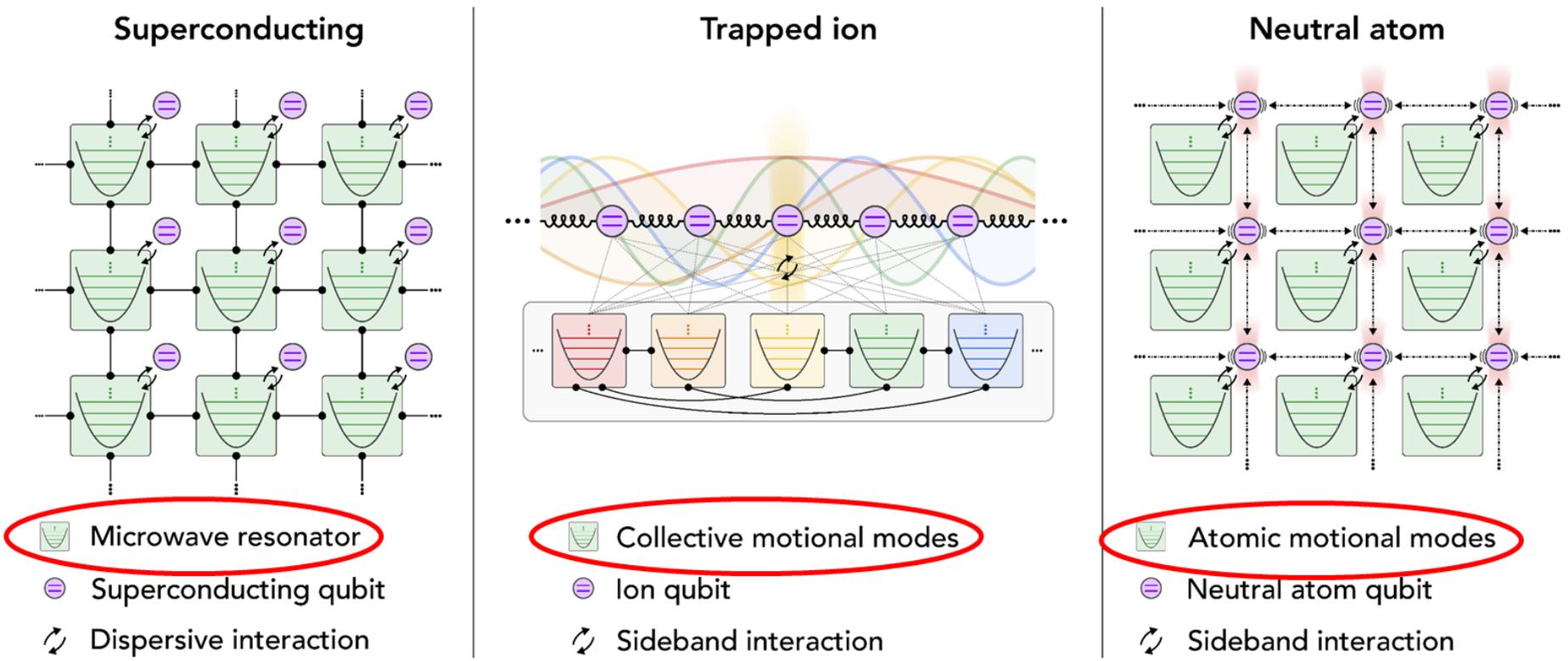
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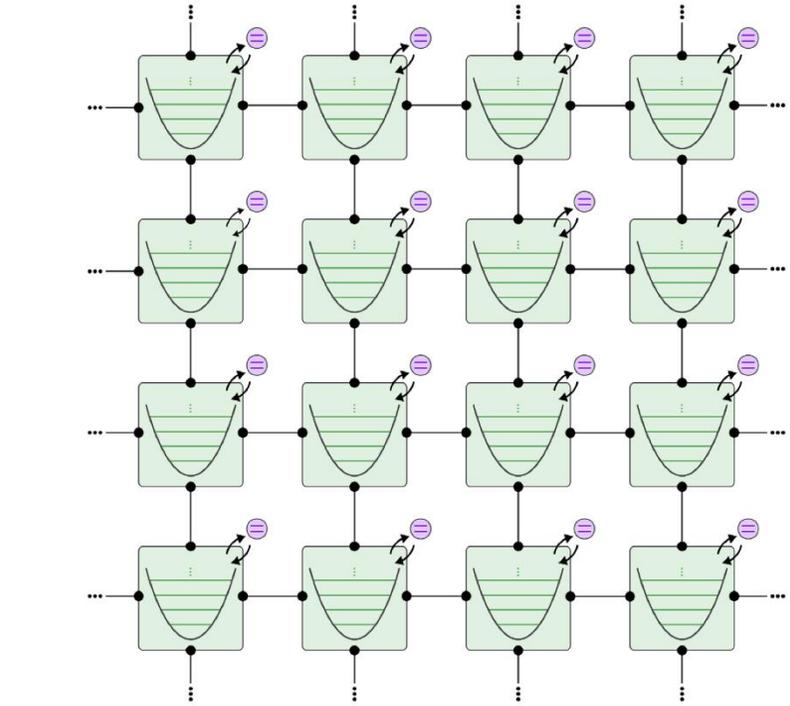
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 Instruction Set Architectures, Abstract Machine Models and Applications  
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### Hybrid CV-DV Quantum Processors

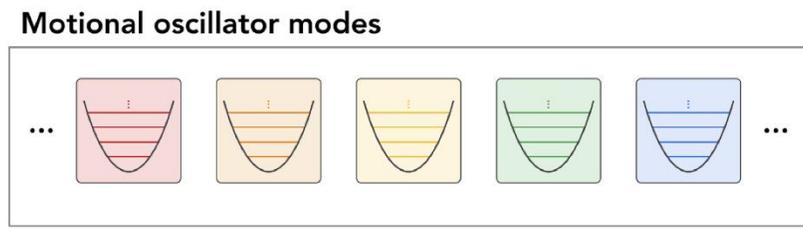
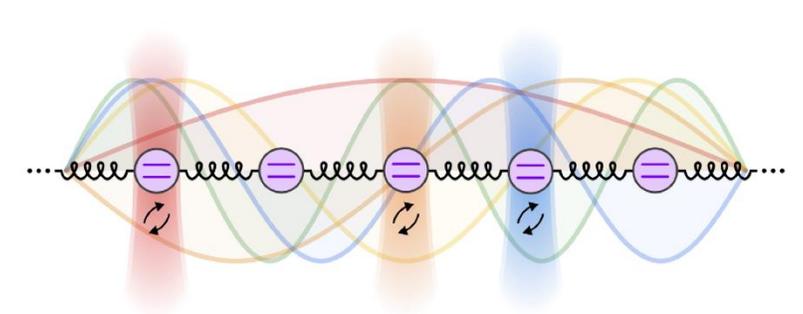


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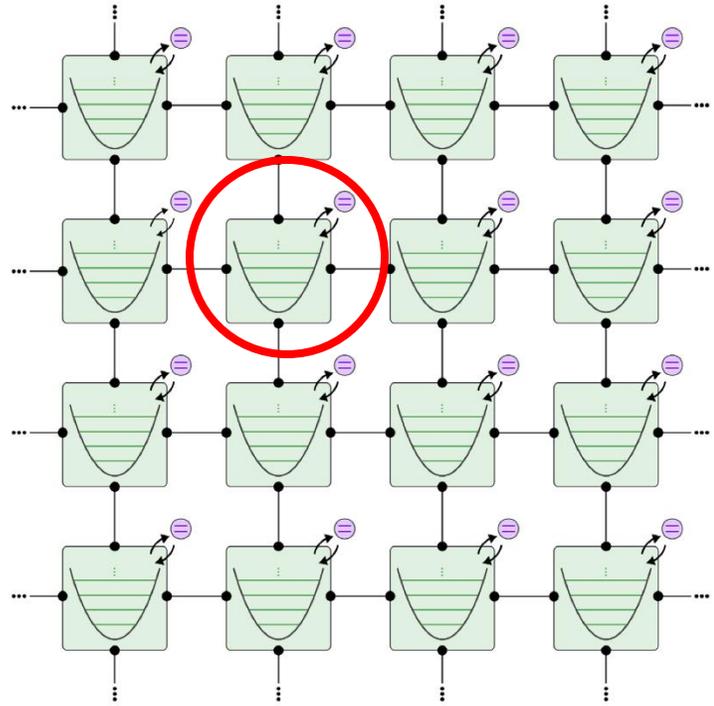
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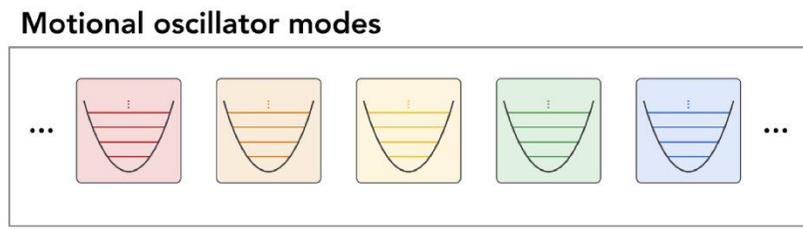
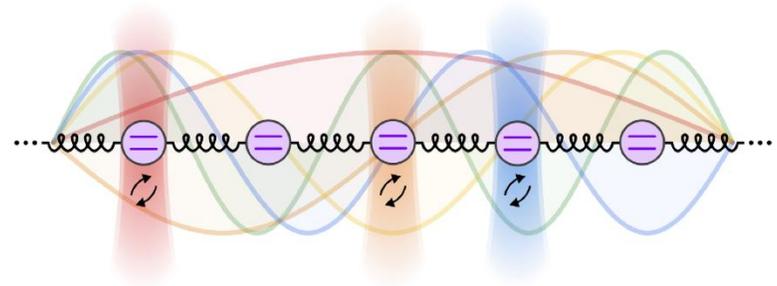
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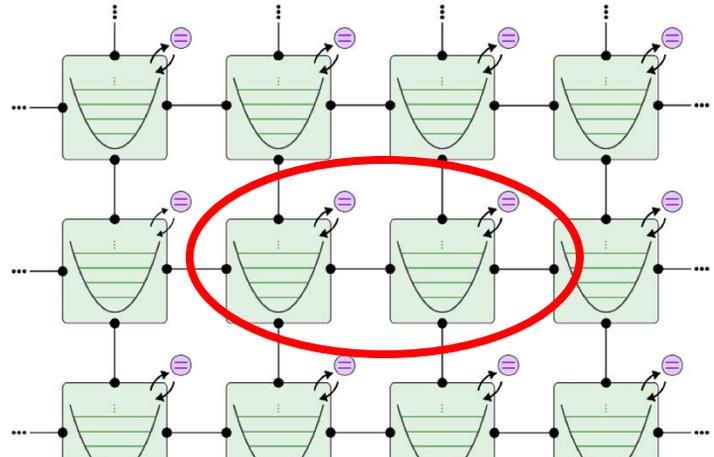
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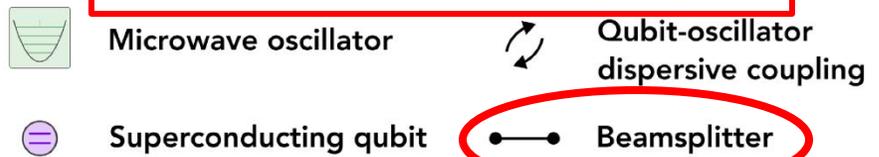
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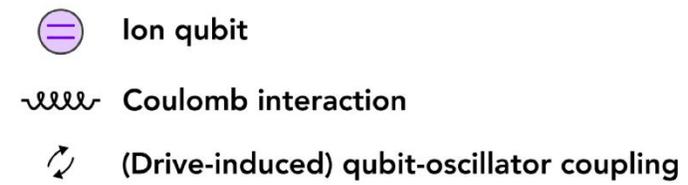
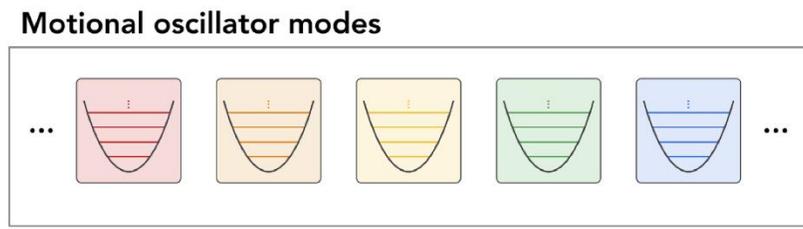
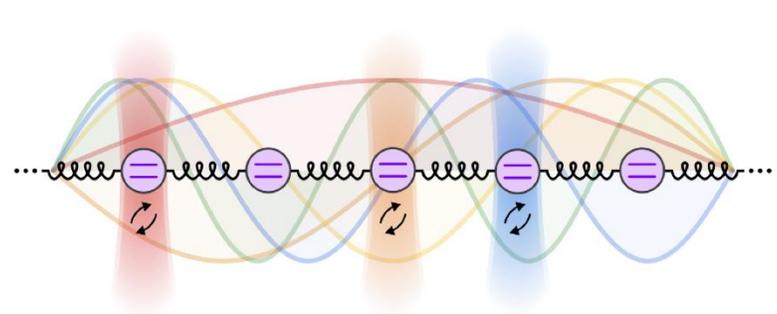


High on-off ratio (microwave activated) beam splitters between detuned cavities

No direct qubit-qubit coupling



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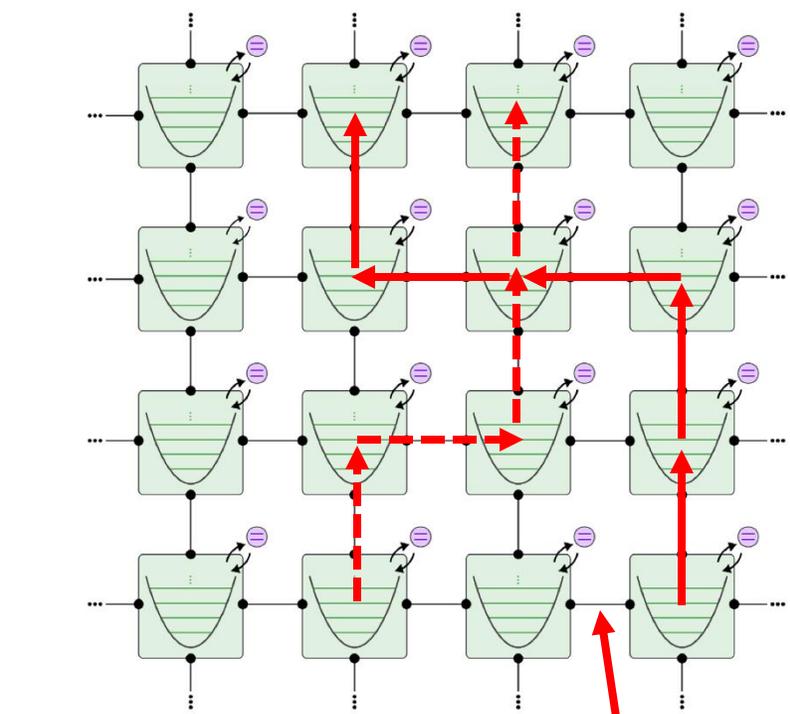
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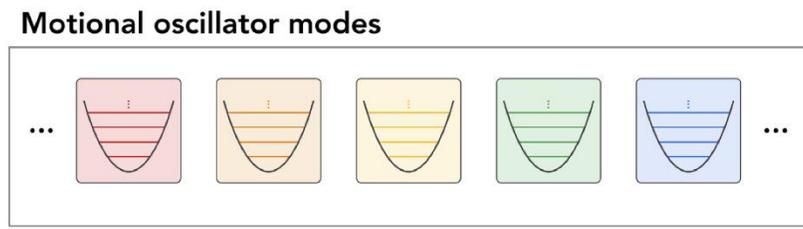
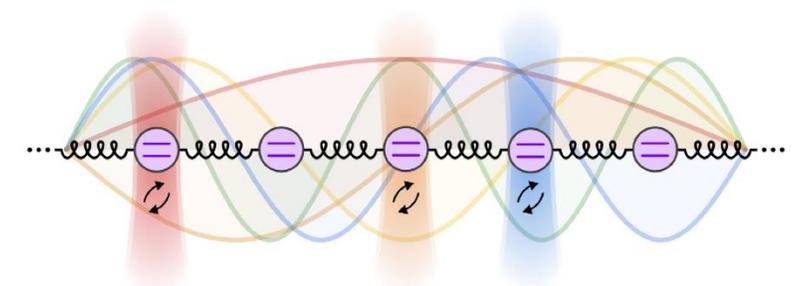
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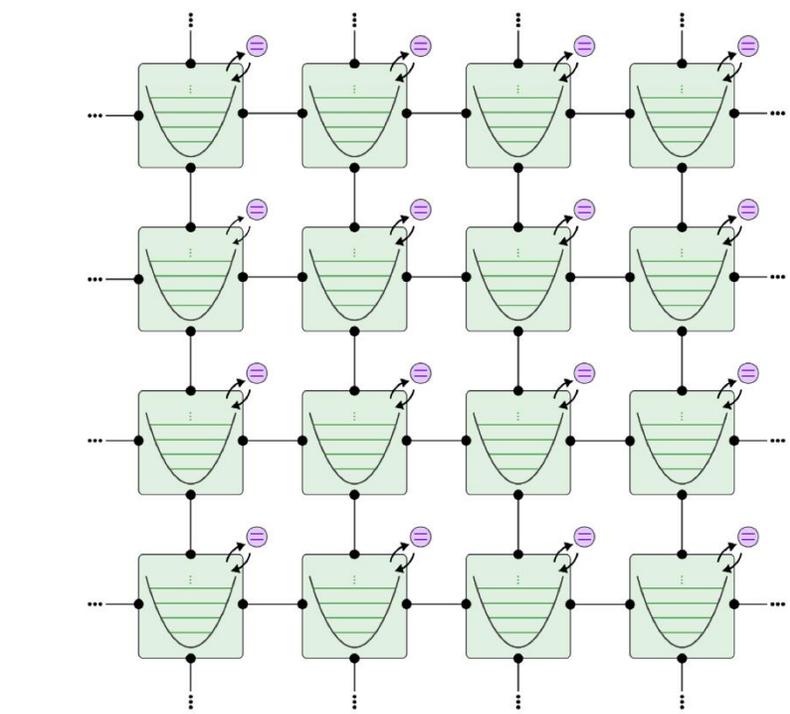
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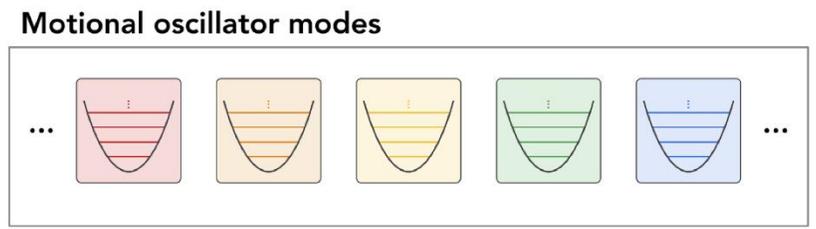
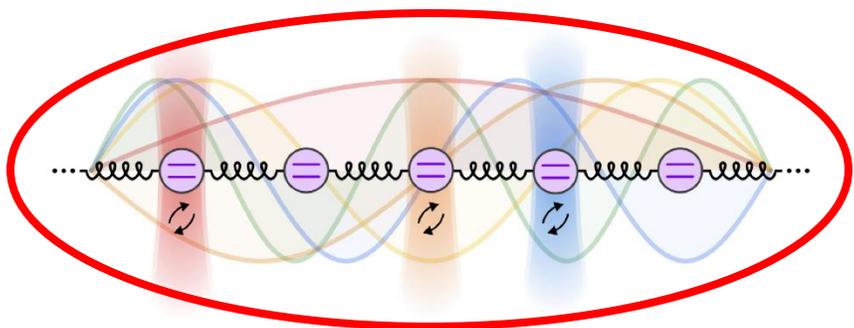
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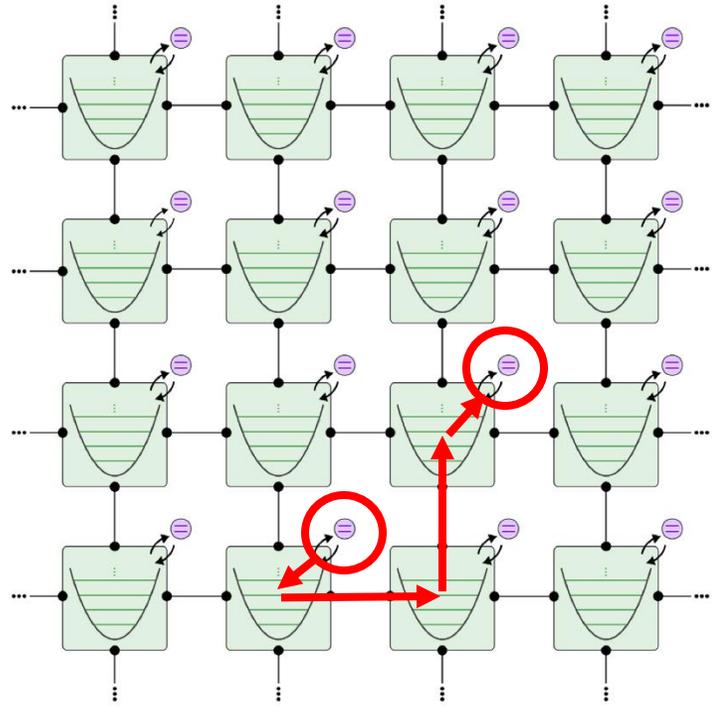
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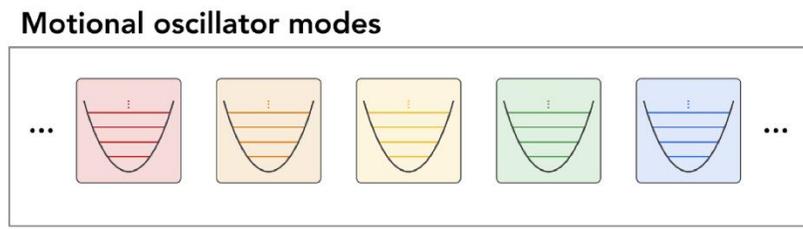
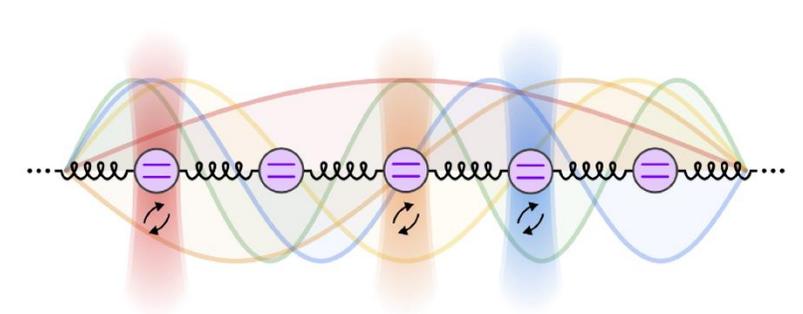
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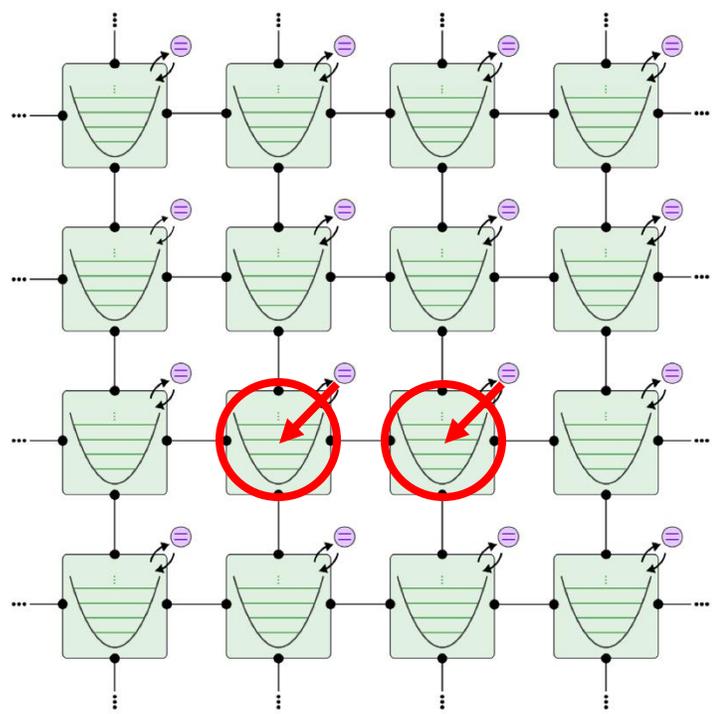
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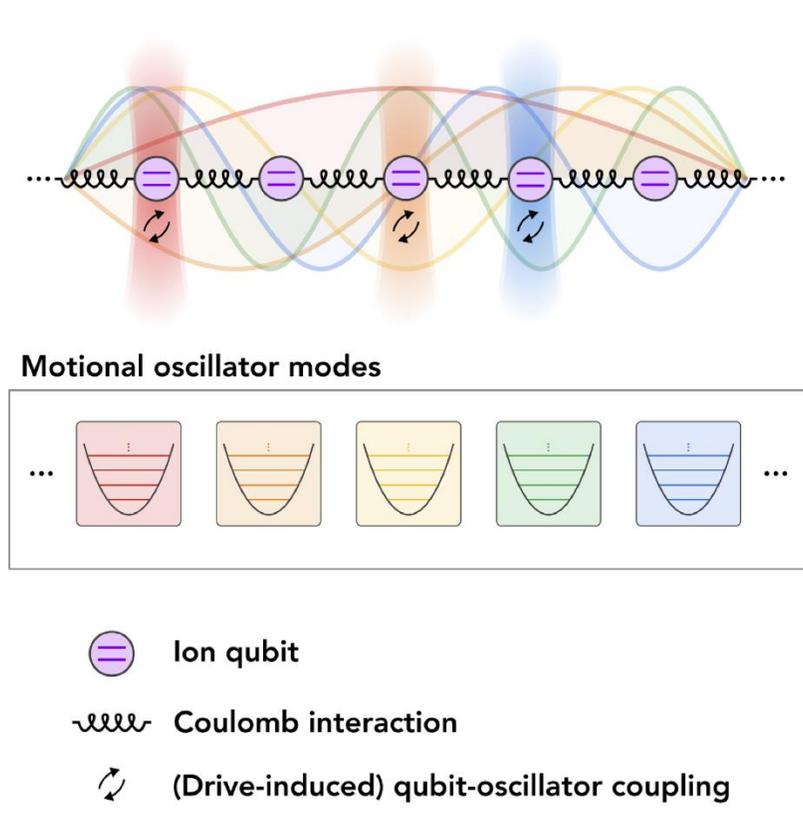
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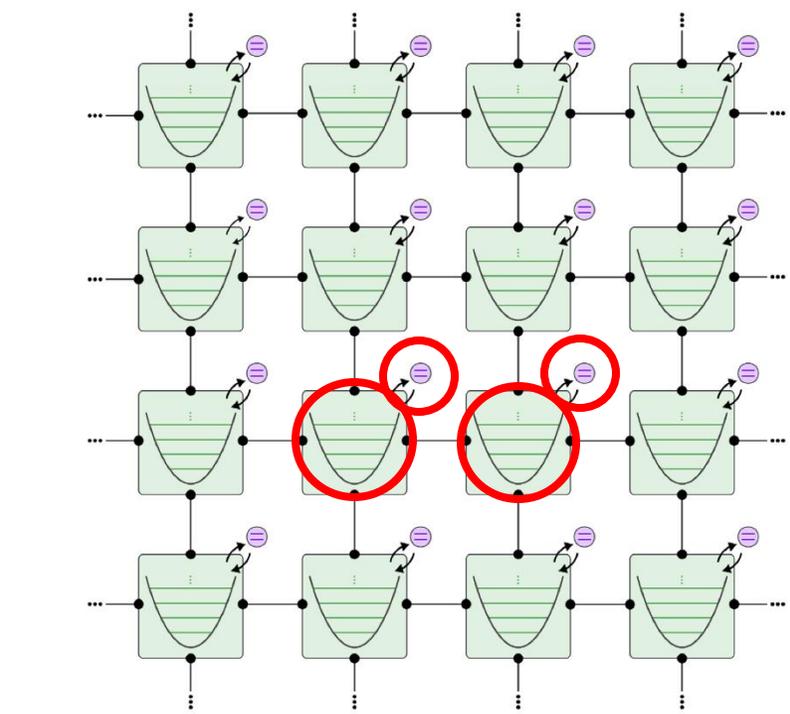
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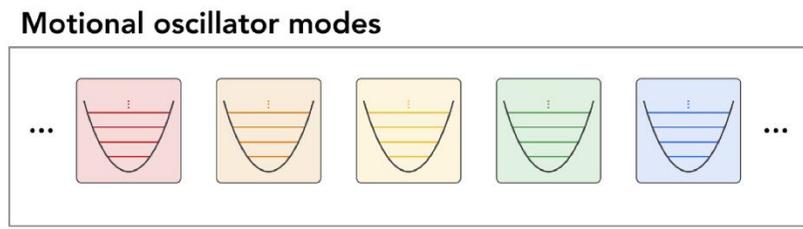
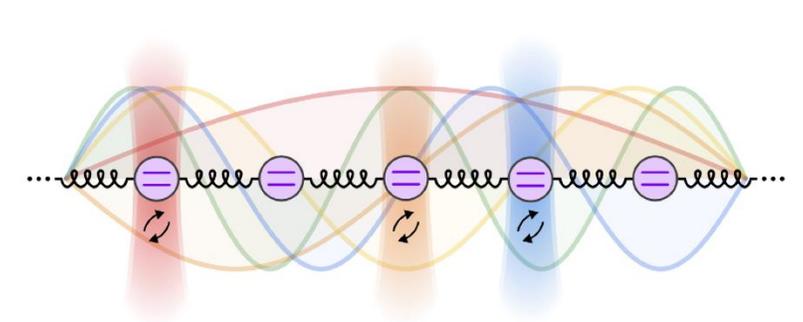
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## Take-home message:

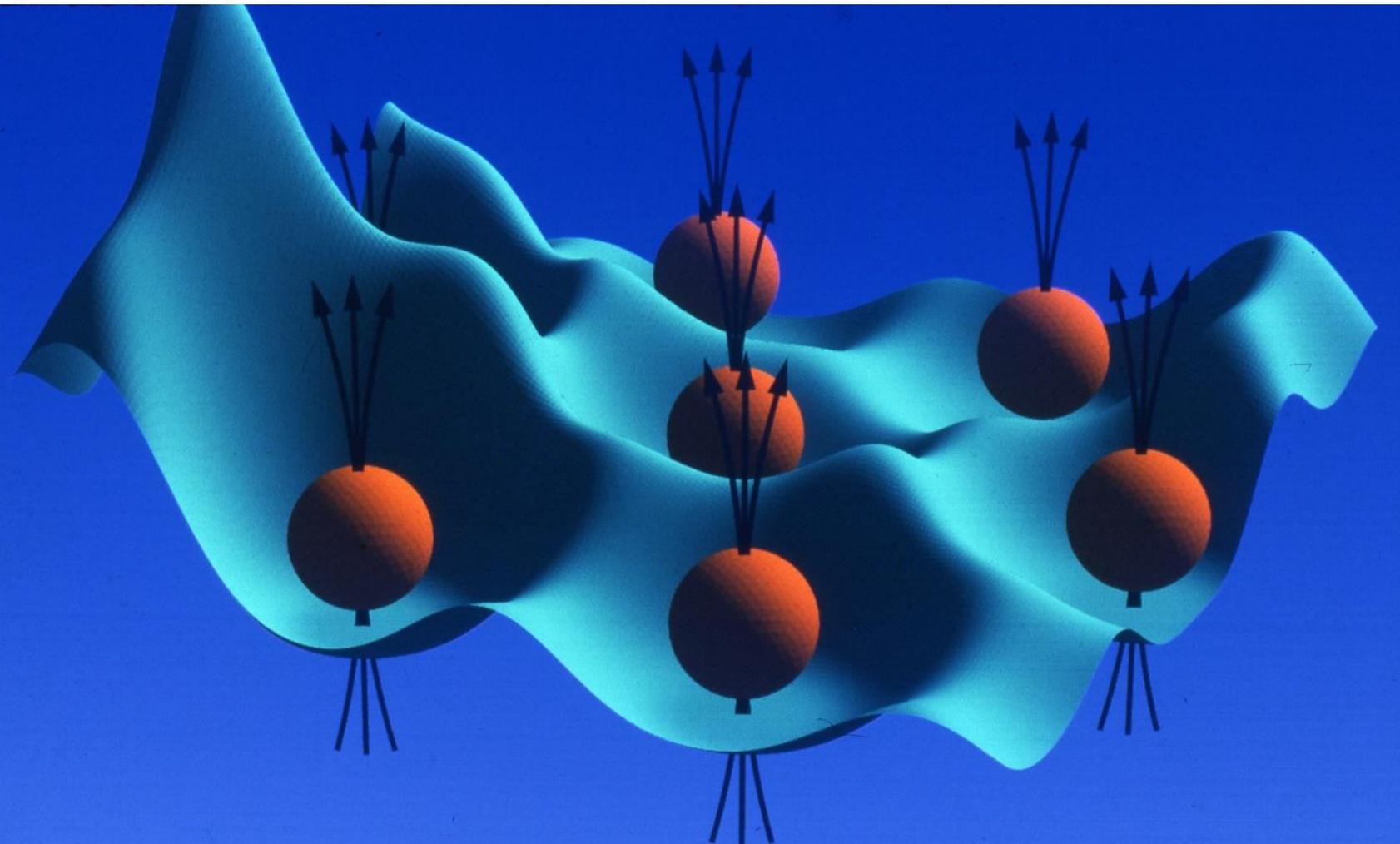
- ❑ **Hardware native bosonic modes offer advantages for:**
  - Efficient quantum error correction
  - Efficient quantum simulation of physical models containing bosons
- ❑ **Hybrid qubit/oscillator combinations can achieve universal control**
  - We need a simple instruction set architecture (ISA) in order to be able to develop algorithms and reason about circuit depth/complexity
  - Small ISA can be compiled to the control pulse level via OCT (optimal control theory) but entire algorithms cannot. We need an ISA to compile algorithms, estimate circuit costs and reason about error propagation.
- ❑ **Goals:**
  - Develop ISA: instruction set architecture(s); apply to quantum simulations, algorithms, and error correction
  - Represent the ISA in an extension of Qiskit that can treat bosonic modes; promulgate as a co-design tool for the community [arXiv:2209.11153](https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.11153) and <https://medium.com/qiskit/introducing-bosonic-qiskit-a-package-for-simulating-bosonic-and-hybrid-qubit-bosonic-circuits-1e1e528287bb>

# Towards Many-Body Quantum Simulations of Interacting Bosons in Circuit QED

Example target application:

FQHE for bosons  
(photons)

Can we convince  
microwave  
photons that  
they are charged  
particles in a  
magnetic field?  
fractional statistics  
 $\nu = 1/2$  abelian semions  
 $\nu = 1$  non-abelian



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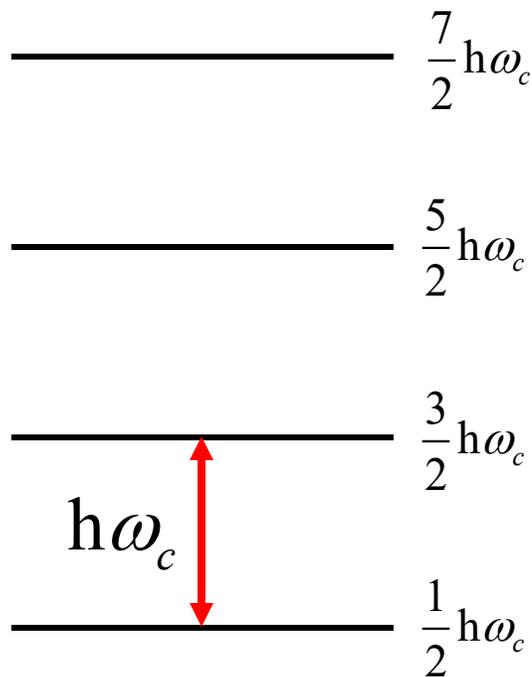
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- **Target application II: Z2 lattice gauge theory**

## Single-particle wave functions in the lowest Landau Level (2DEG strong B field)

$$z = [x + iy] / l$$

$$\psi[z] = f[z] e^{-\frac{1}{4}|z|^2} \quad f[z] = \text{poly}[z]$$



Laughlin correlated many-body ground state for  
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Plasma analogy

$$|\Psi_m[z]|^2 = e^{-\beta U_{\text{class}}},$$

where  $\beta \equiv \frac{2}{m}$  and

$$U_{\text{class}} \equiv m^2 \sum_{i < j} (-\ln |z_i - z_j|) + \frac{m}{4} \sum_k |z_k|^2.$$

2D Coulomb potential ('charge  $m$  rods')

2D Poisson equation  
 $\nabla^2 \Phi = -2\pi \rho(\mathbf{r})$

Potential from uniform compensating background  
charge density  $\rho_0 = -\frac{1}{2\pi l^2}$ . Charge neutrality sets  
the electron density  $\rho$ :  $m\rho + \rho_0 = 0$   
corresponding to Landau level filling  $\nu = \frac{1}{m}$ .

## Fractionally charged quasi-hole excitations

$$|\psi_Z^+|^2 = e^{-\beta U_{\text{class}}} e^{-\beta V}$$

$$V \equiv m \sum_{j=1}^N (-\ln |z_j - Z|)$$

Charge  $m$  particles repelled by a charge 1 impurity

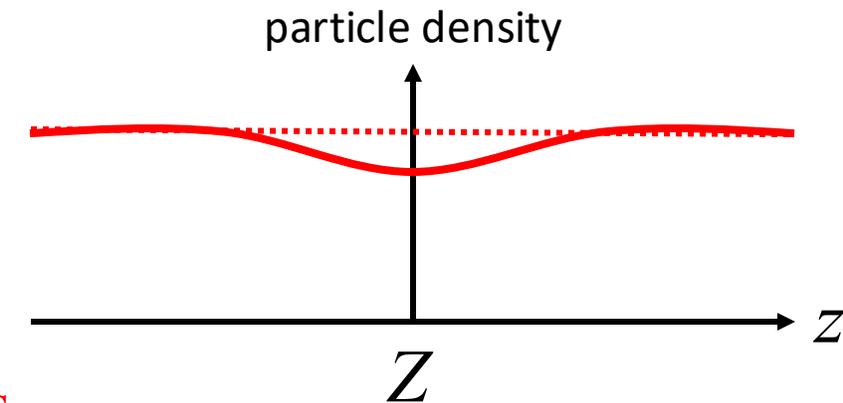
$$\psi_Z^+[z] = \left[ \prod_{j=1}^N (z_j - Z) \right] \Psi_m[z]$$

Particles avoid the position of quasi-hole

Perfect screening in plasma implies local charge neutrality, so the screening cloud has ‘charge’  $\delta q = m \delta n = -1$ ,

implying that the quasi-hole has net particle number  $\delta n = -\frac{1}{m}$ .

A similar calculation shows the quasi-holes obey **fractional statistics**.



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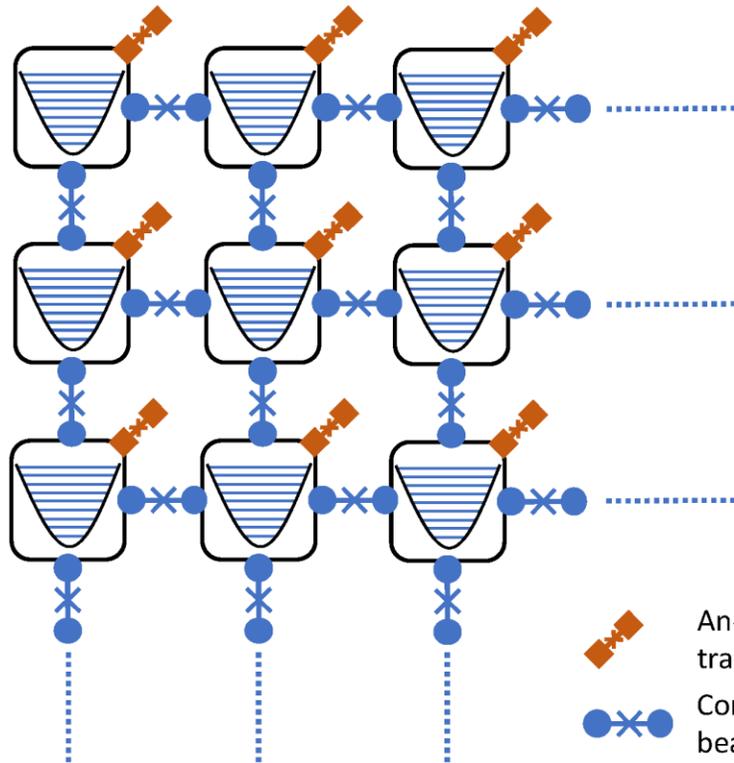
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 Controllable beam splitter

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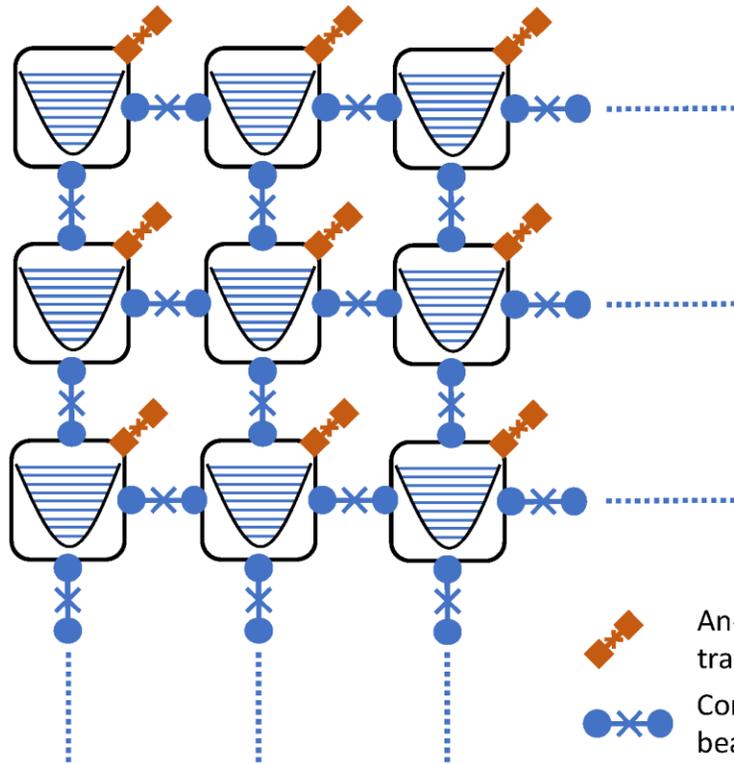
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- Topological states with SC qubits rather than resonators: See M. Gorlach papers:
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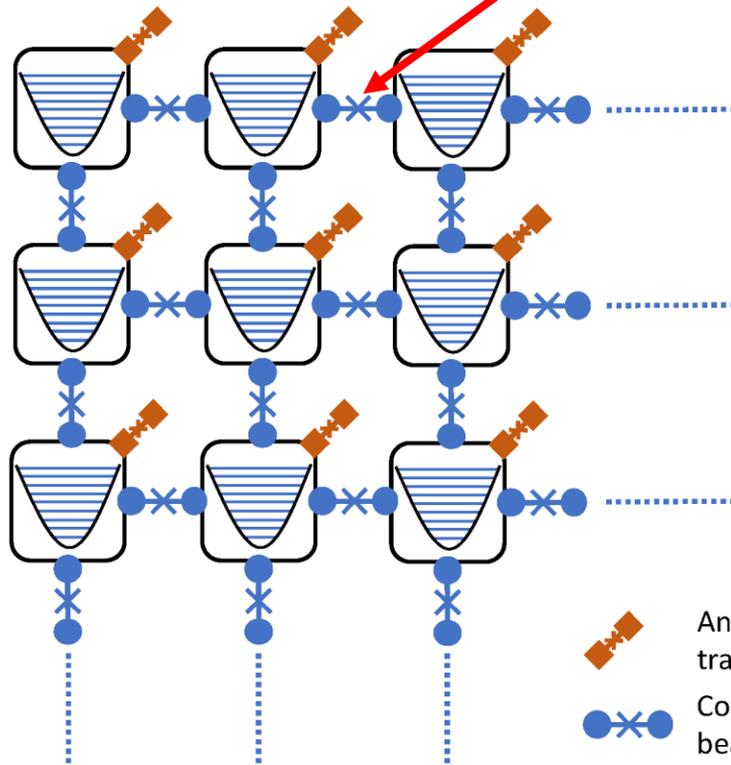
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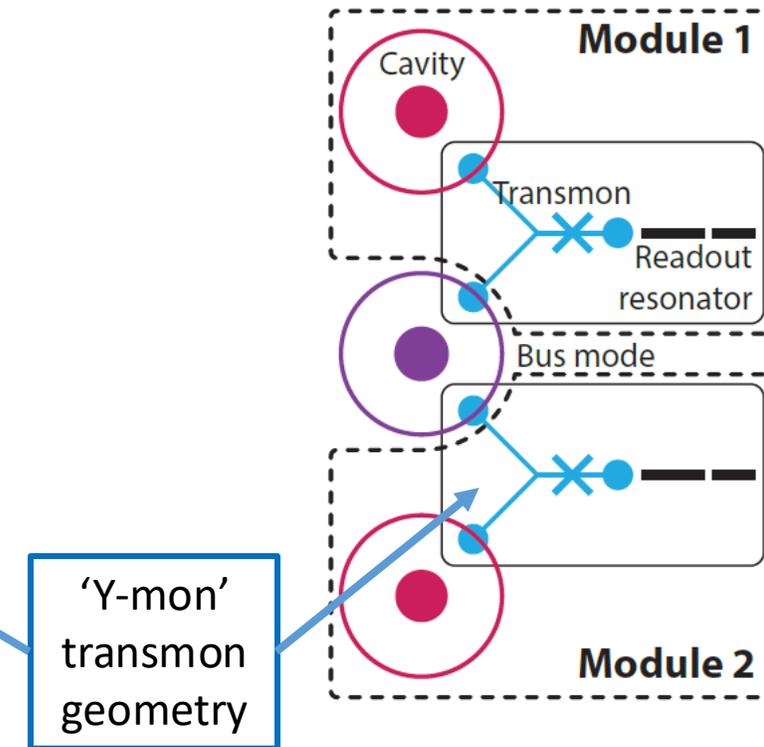
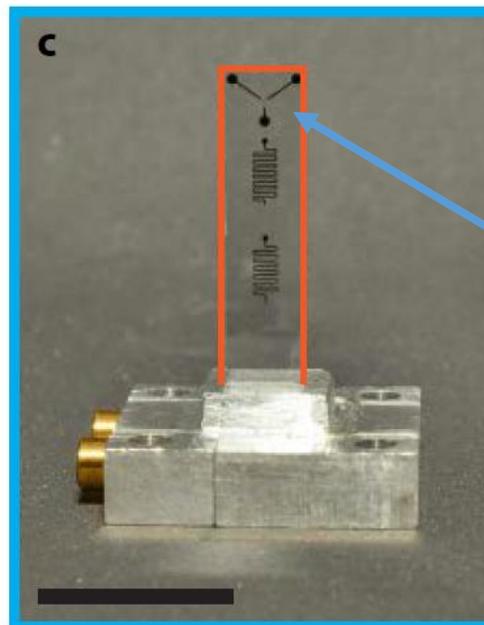
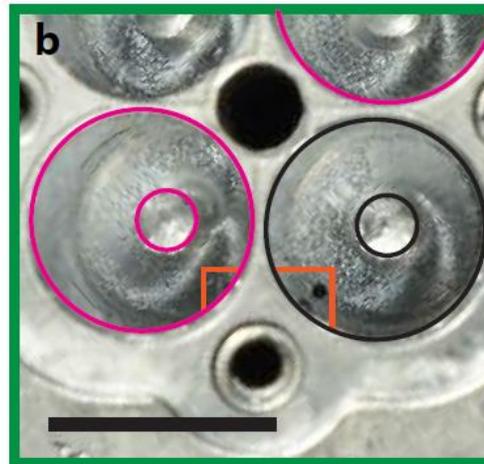
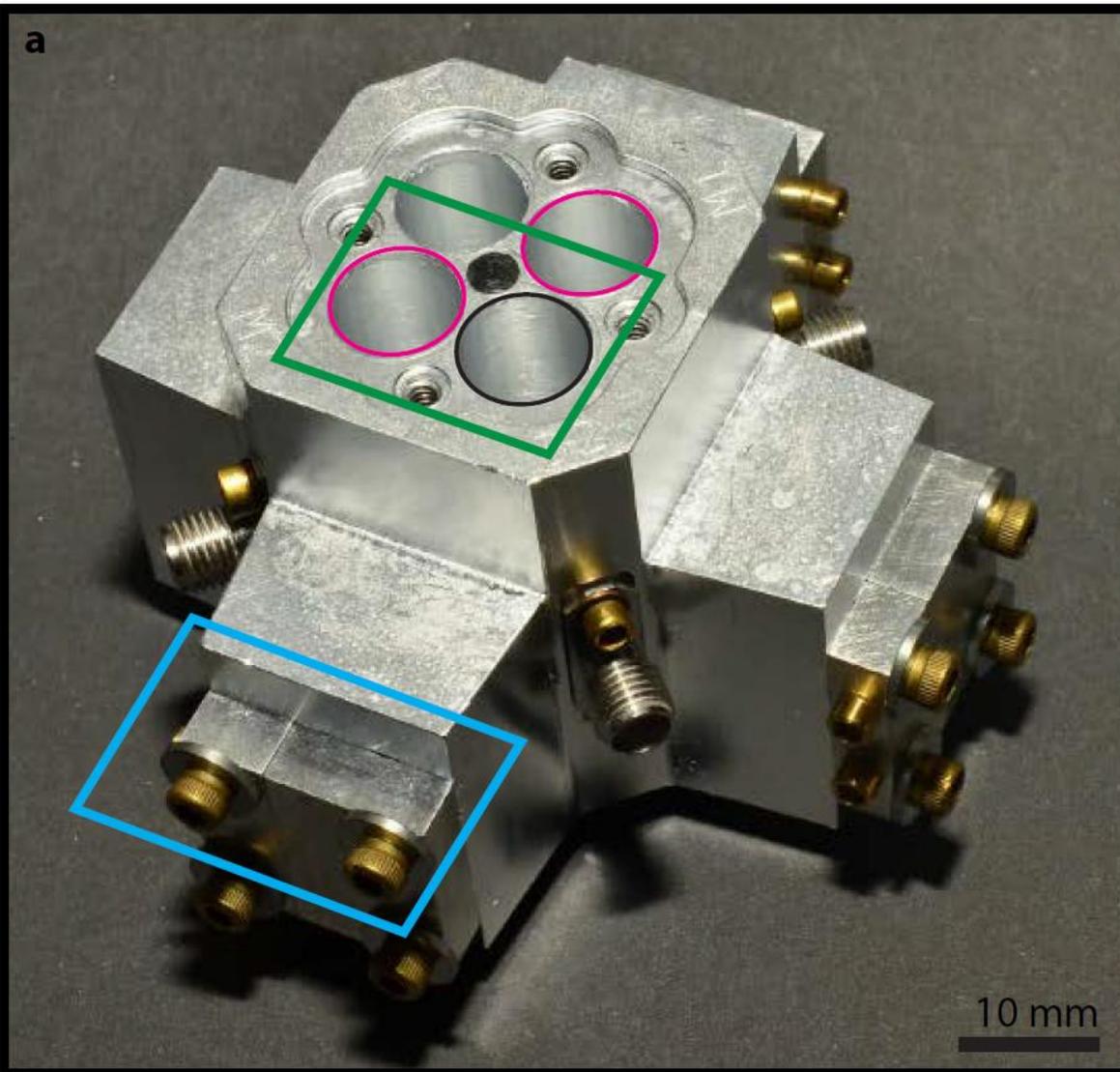
 Ancilla transmon  
 Controllable beam splitter

Microwave resonator  


In quantum optics language, this is a beam-splitter Hamiltonian

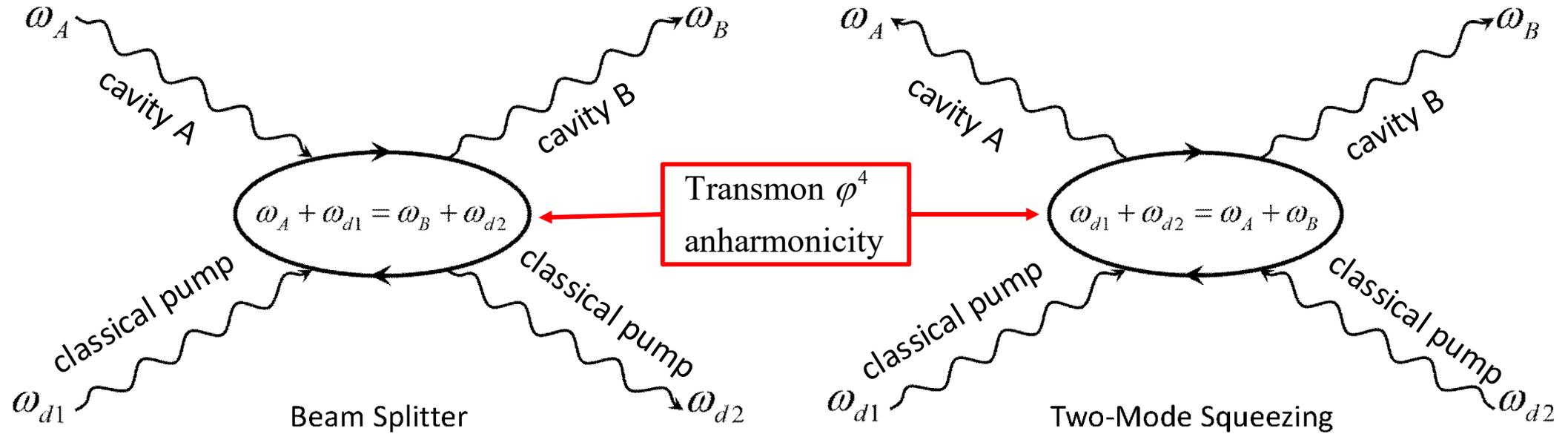
## Realizing a programmable beam splitter Hamiltonian

Deterministic teleportation of a quantum gate between two logical qubits, Kevin S. Chou et al., *Nature* **561**, 368 (2018)



JJ is parametrically pumped to turn on the beam splitter between cavities.

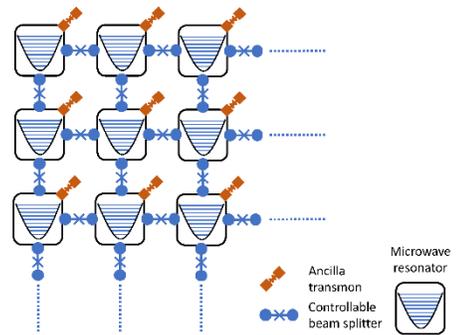
Two-mode Gaussian Operations via 4-wave Mixing with a Transmon Coupler  
 [All bilinear couplers that can be turned on and off by microwave pulses are necessarily pumped non-linear devices.]



$$H_{BS} = g_{BS}(t)AB^\dagger + g_{BS}^*(t)A^\dagger B.$$

$$H_{TMS} = g_{TMS}(t)A^\dagger B^\dagger + g_{TMS}^*(t)AB.$$

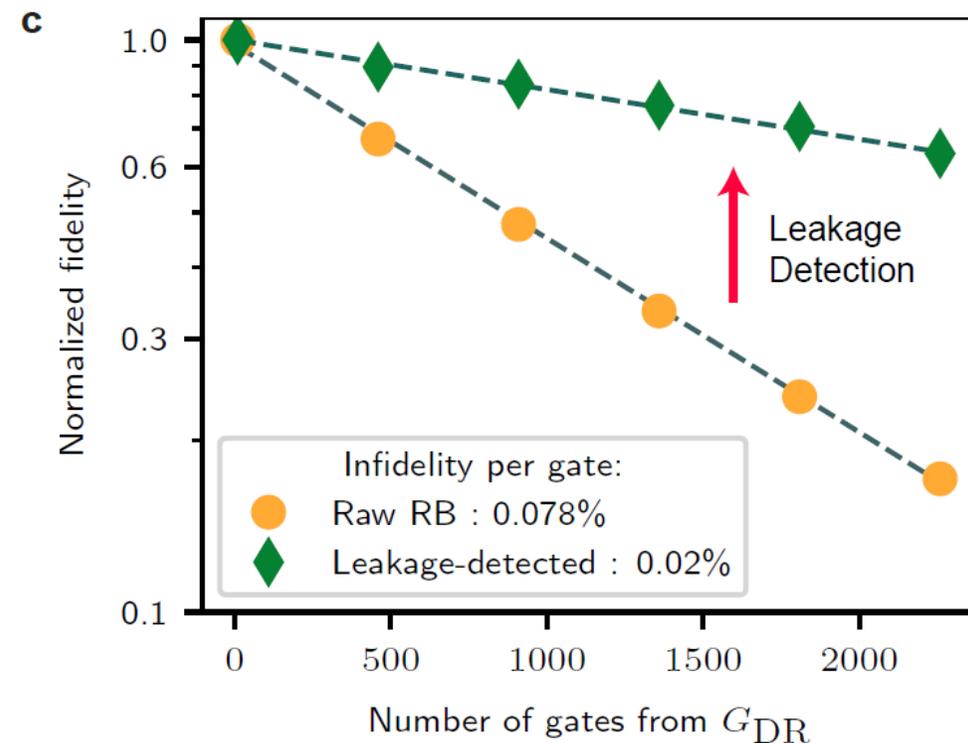
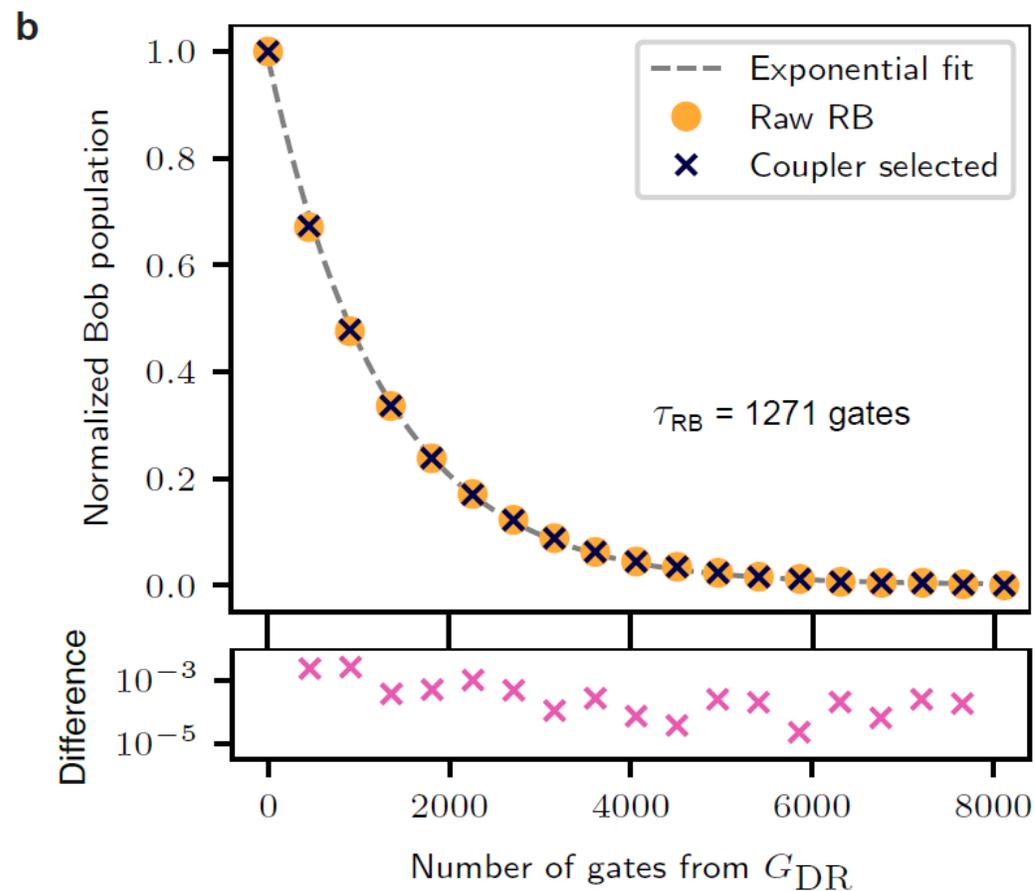
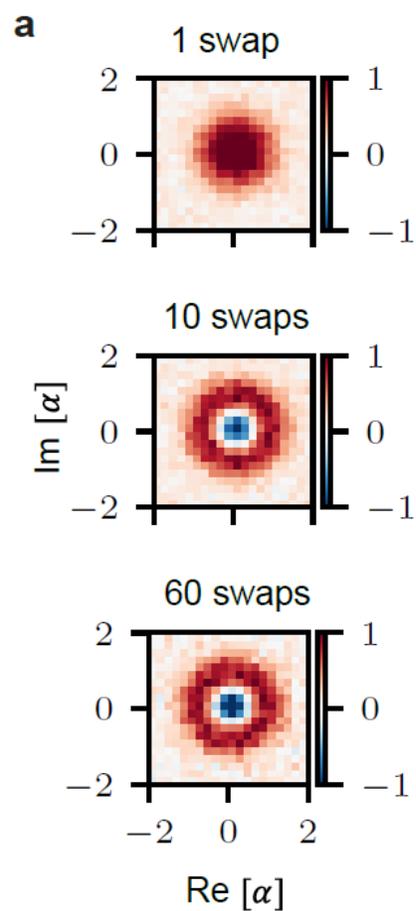
Each resonator has a distinct frequency to reduce cross-talk and enhance on/off ratio.



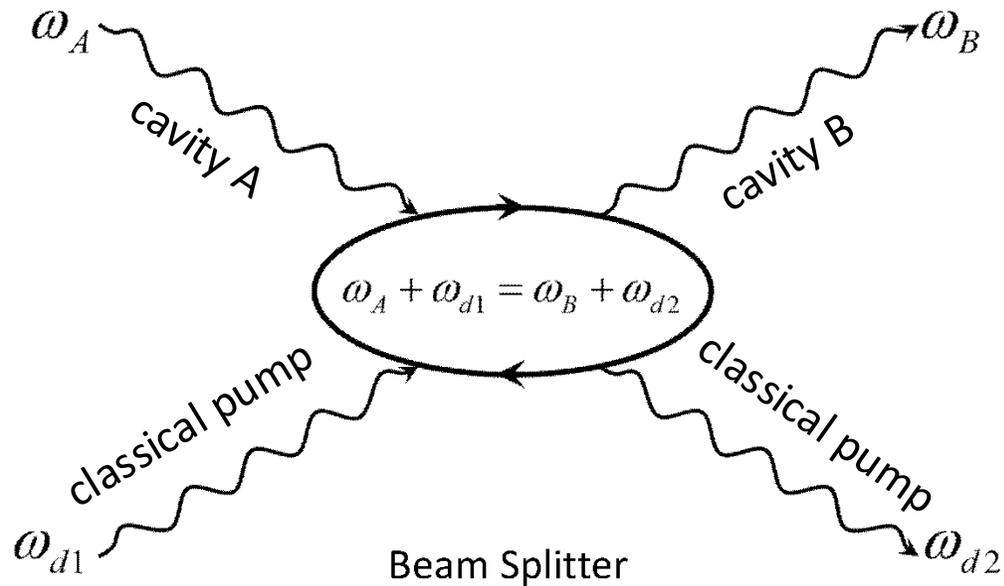
Phase and amplitude of the coupling is controlled by the choice of pump tone phases and amplitudes. Pump supplies the energy change needed for the process to be resonant (e.g. frequency-converting beam splitter). No need to fine tune the cavity manufacture.

# High-fidelity beam-splitter SWAP gates $|0,1\rangle \rightarrow |1,0\rangle$

Yao Lu et al. (Schoelkopf group), [arXiv:2303.00959](https://arxiv.org/abs/2303.00959)



Two-mode Gaussian Operations via 4-wave Mixing

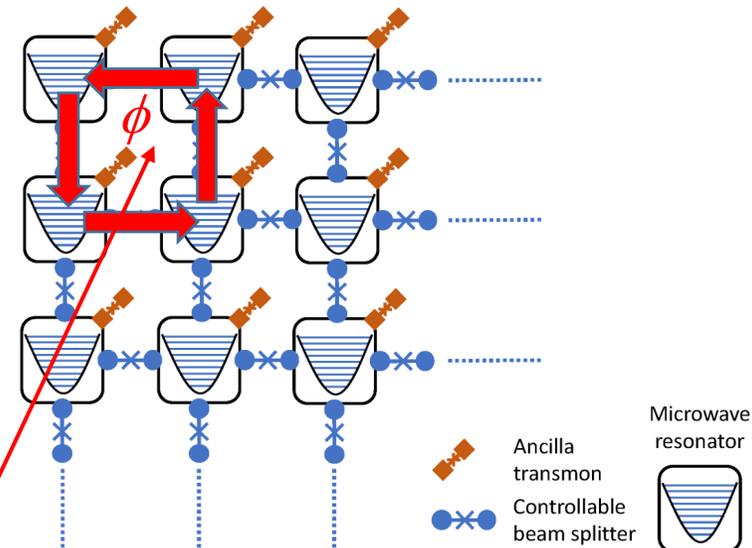


$$H_{BS} = g_{BS}(t)AB^\dagger + g_{BS}^*(t)A^\dagger B.$$

Phase-locking the pump tones allows complex  $J$  and Photon can acquire a non-zero phase around each plaquette. Acts like a charged particle in a magnetic field  $\phi = \frac{q}{h} \oint \vec{r} \cdot \vec{A}(\vec{r}) = \frac{q}{h} \Phi$

Beam splitter realizes the boson hopping term.

$$H_J \equiv \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} \{ J_{ij} b_i^\dagger b_j + J_{ij}^* b_j^\dagger b_i \}$$



What does 'phase locking' mean?

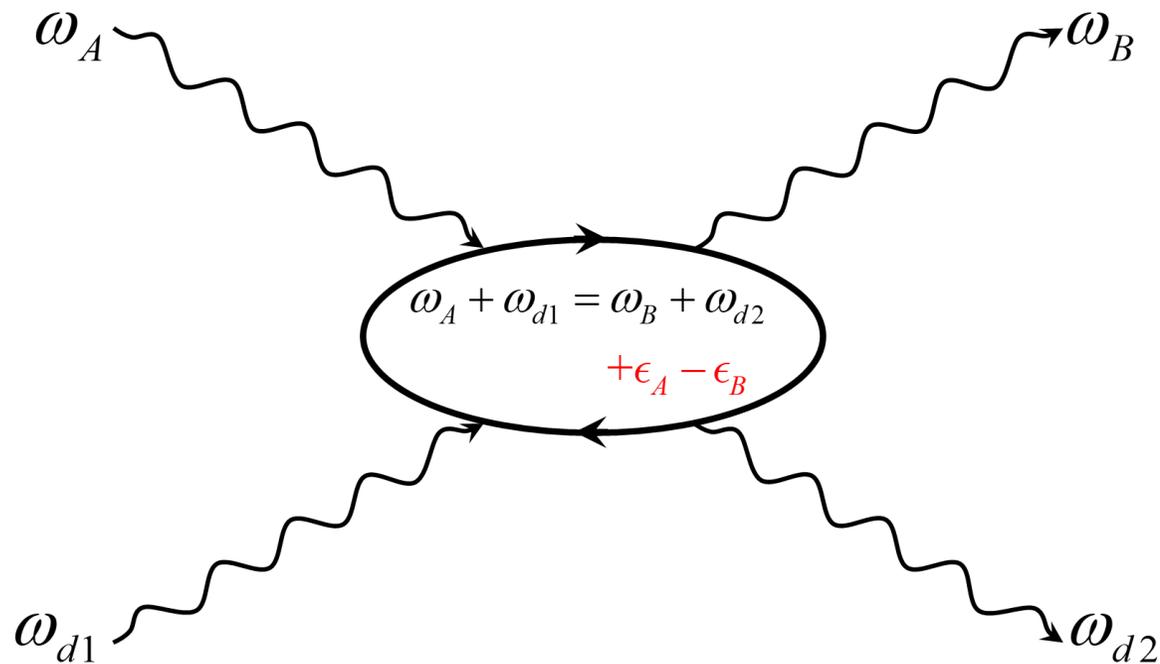
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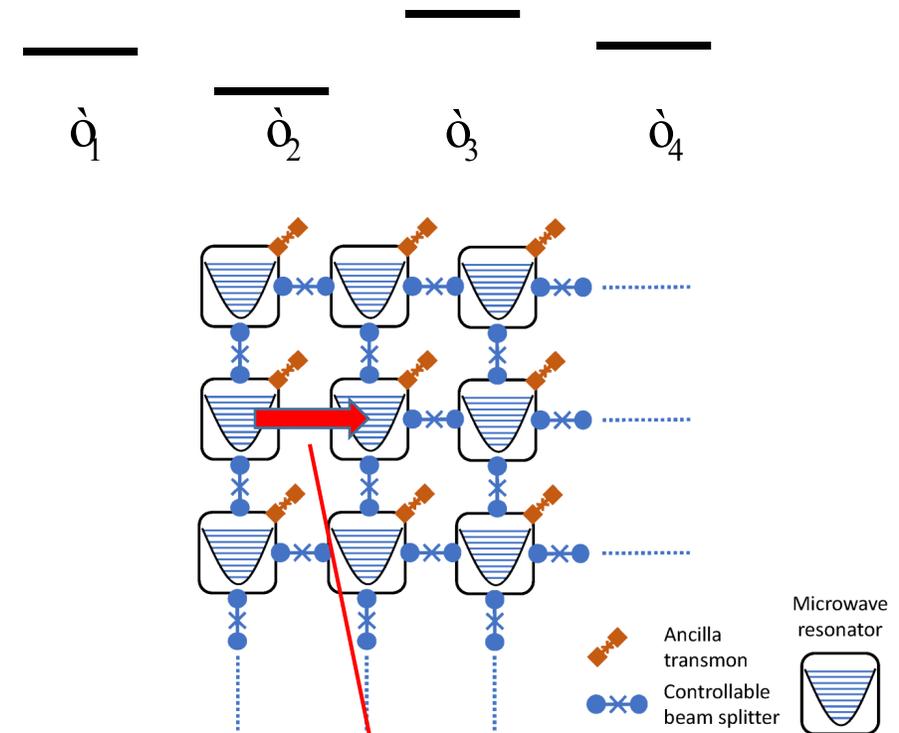
How do we create the randomly disordered site energy terms?

$$H_V \equiv \sum_k \dot{\omega}_k b_k^\dagger b_k$$

Fully in-operando programmable site energies.



Detuning the pump drives means the photon cannot resonantly hop from one cavity to the next:  $\omega_{d1} - \omega_{d2} = \omega_B - \omega_A + \dot{\omega}_A - \dot{\omega}_B$ .



Analogy to electrodynamics:

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla V + \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t}$$

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$$\text{? } H_U \equiv U \sum_k b_k^\dagger b_k^\dagger b_k b_k \quad \text{Hubbard } U \text{ boson repulsion}$$

The quadratic terms in the Hamiltonian are now fully programmable.

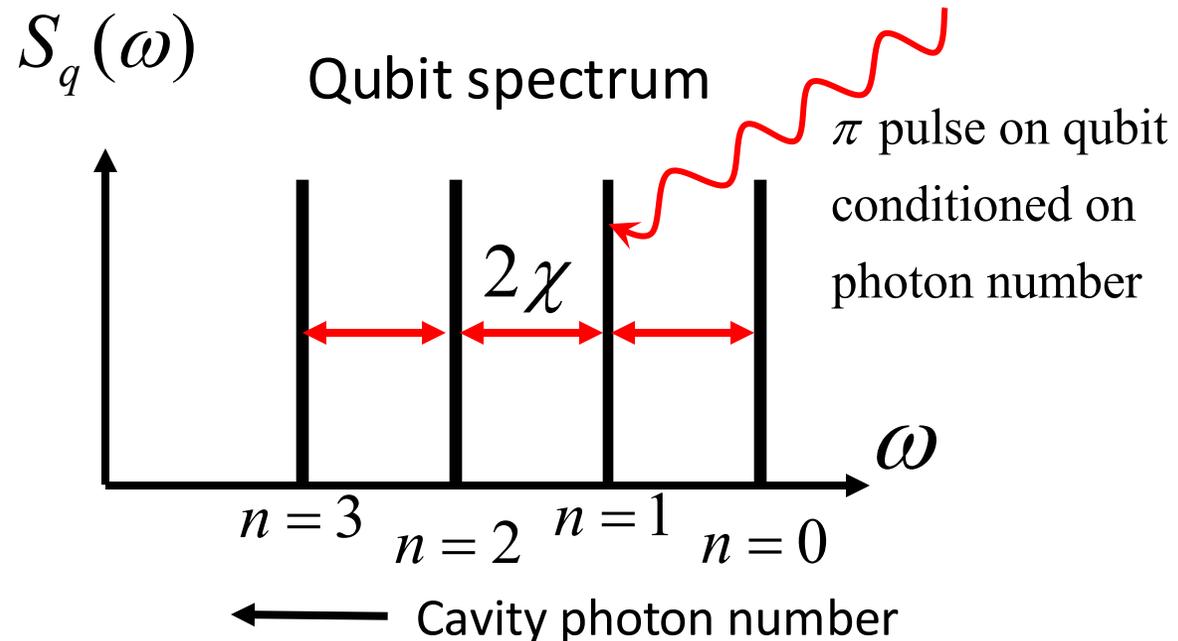
How do we program the boson-boson repulsive interaction term?

Synthesizing the cavity Hubbard  $U$  interaction using the cavity-qubit dispersive coupling.

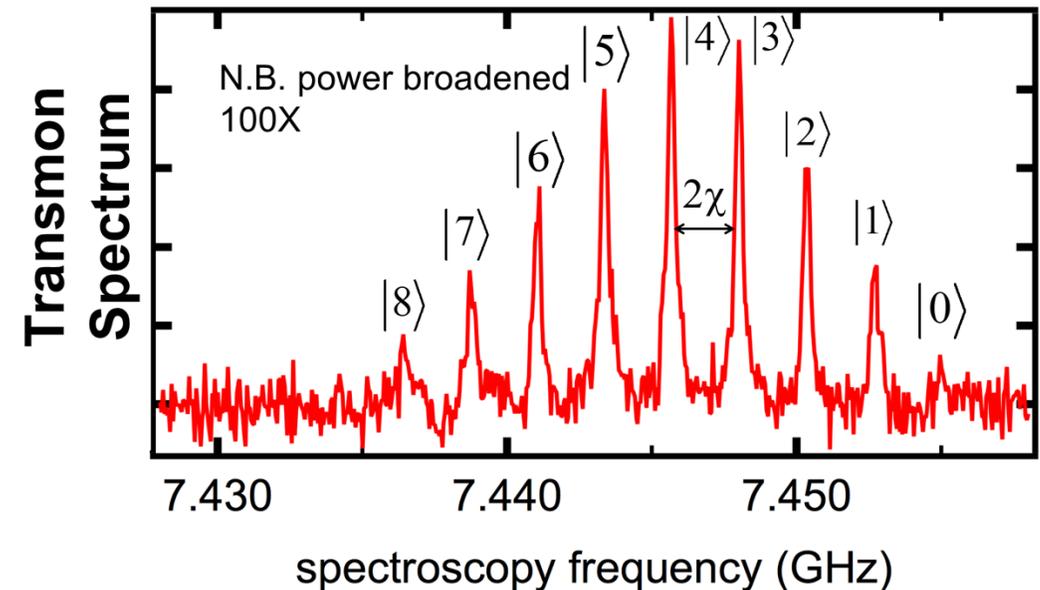
Qubit-Cavity Strong Dispersive Coupling

$$\omega_c \neq \omega_q$$

$$H = \omega_c a^\dagger a + \frac{\omega_q}{2} \sigma^z + \chi \sigma^z a^\dagger a$$



Microwaves are particles!!



# SNAP-gate Instruction Set

## Unconditional Displacement Gate

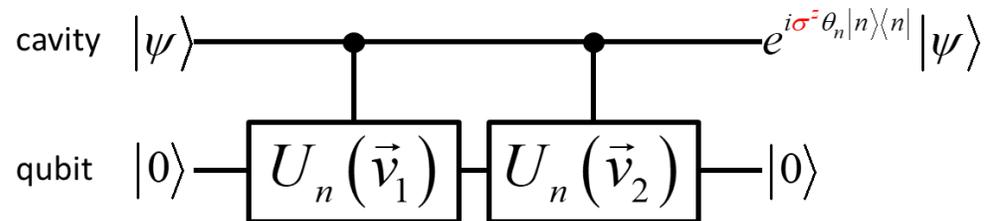
$$D[\alpha] \equiv e^{\alpha a^\dagger - \alpha^* a}$$

$$U_{\text{SNAP}}(\vec{\theta}) \left[ \sum_m \Psi_m |m\rangle \right] = \left[ \sum_m e^{i\theta_m} \Psi_m |m\rangle \right]$$

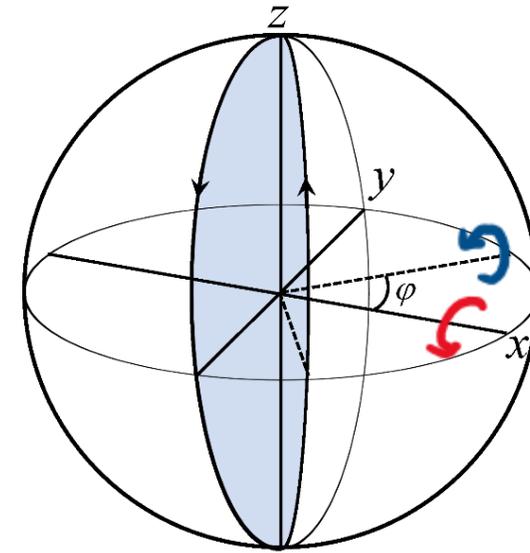
Provable universal control.

Krastanov et al., *Phys. Rev. A* **92**, 040303(R) (2015)

Heeres et al., *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **115**, 137002 (2015)



$$U_n(\vec{v}) = e^{-\frac{i}{2}(v_x \sigma^x + v_y \sigma^y) |n\rangle\langle n|}$$



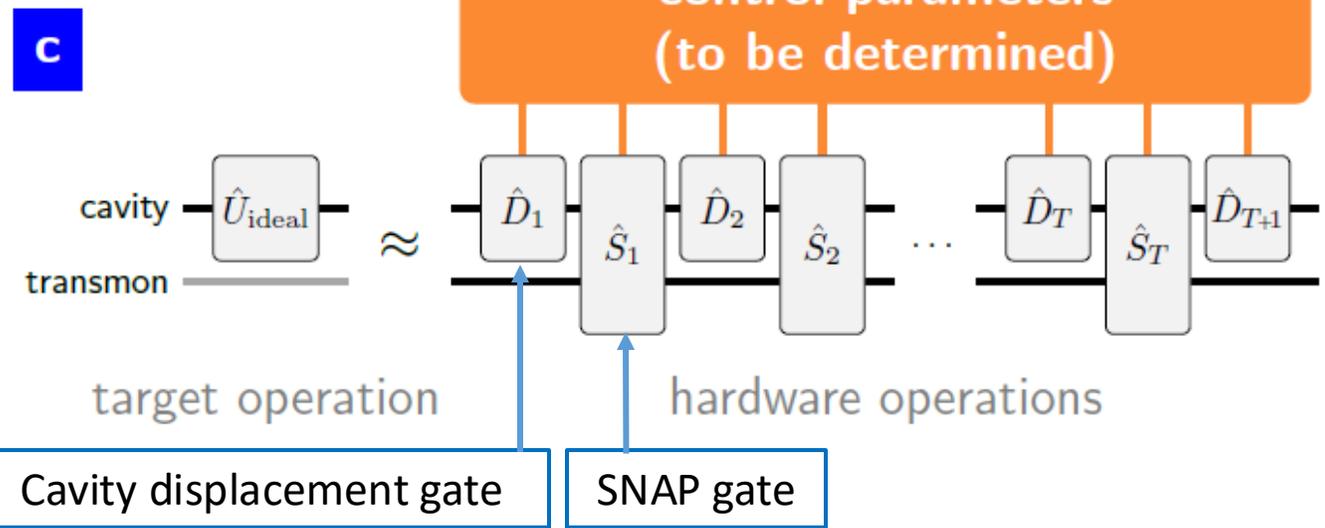
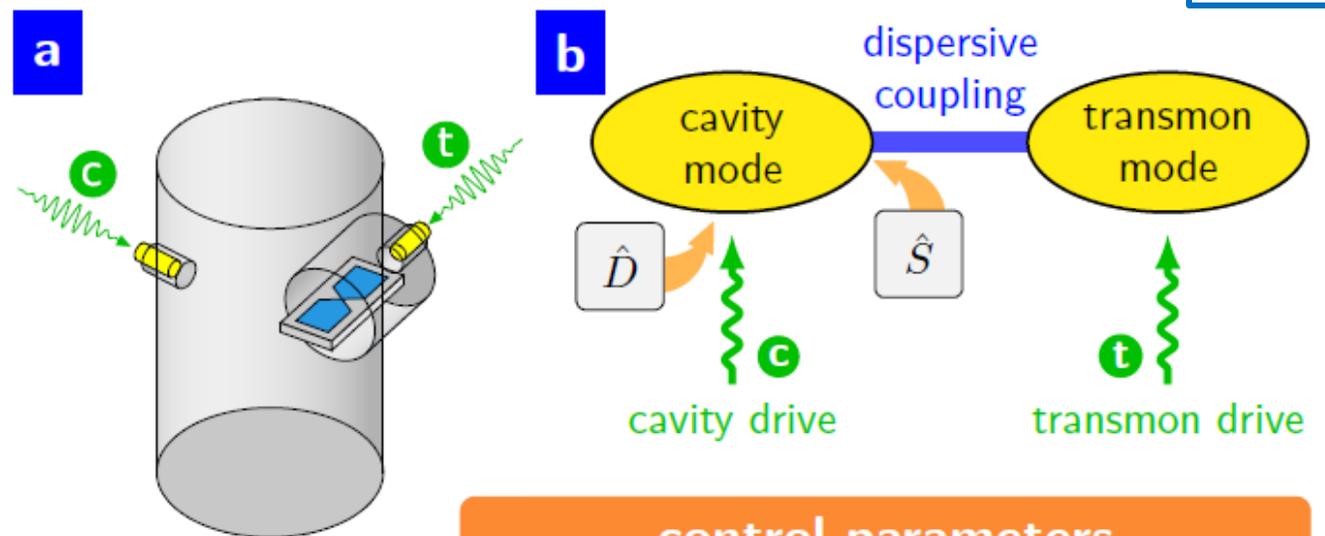
Use dispersive coupling of qubit to cavity to apply **separate independent** geometric phases to each photon Fock state.

$$U_{\text{SNAP}}(\vec{\theta}) \equiv e^{i\sigma^z \sum_{n=0}^{n_{\max}} \theta_n \hat{P}_n}$$

$$\hat{P}_n = |n\rangle\langle n|$$

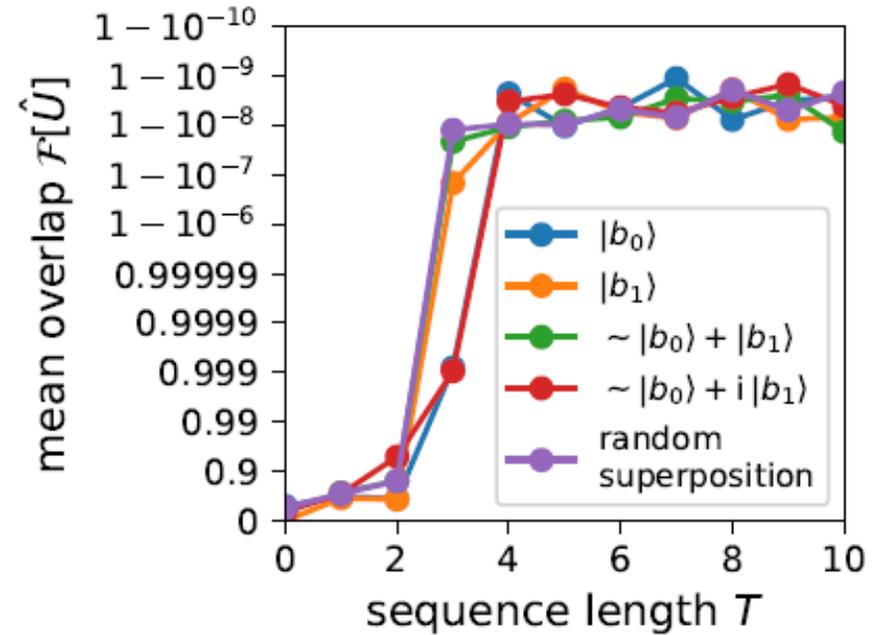
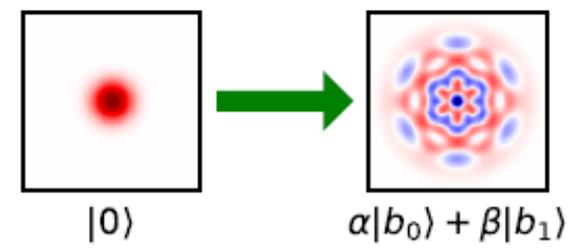
$$\vec{\theta} = (\theta_0, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_{n_{\max}})$$

SNAP instruction set is extremely efficient



Binomial QEC Code State Prep.

$$|b_0\rangle = \frac{|0\rangle + \sqrt{3}|6\rangle}{2} \quad |b_1\rangle = \frac{\sqrt{3}|3\rangle + |9\rangle}{2}$$



'Efficient cavity control with SNAP gates,' Fösel et al., arXiv:2004.14256

Programming the Hubbard boson repulsion

$$H_U \equiv U \sum_k b_k^\dagger b_k^\dagger b_k b_k$$

On each site  $k$ :

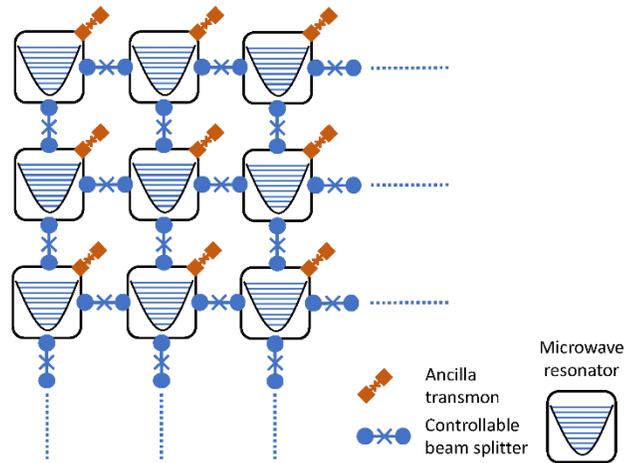
$$e^{-iH_U t} = e^{-iUt \hat{n}_k (\hat{n}_k - 1)} = U_{\text{SNAP}}(\vec{\theta})$$

$$\theta_n = -Ut[n(n-1)]$$

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$$\hat{P}_n = |n\rangle\langle n|$$

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All required technology has been experimentally demonstrated, but not yet at scale.

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Experimental status with microwave cavities:

Two sites

Two sites

One site

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These microwave bosons are not strictly conserved.

It is possible to create an engineered quantum bath that will gently (adiabatically) replace missing bosons as long there is an excitation gap.

But for the FQHE:

Novel slow dynamics if the 'hole' (missing photon) fractionalizes into two 'charge'-1/2 quasiholes:

*Autonomous stabilization of photonic Laughlin states through angular momentum potentials*,  
R. O. Umucalilar, J. Simon and I. Carusotto, Phys. Rev. A **104**, 023704 (2021).

*Stabilizing the Laughlin state of light: dynamics of hole fractionalization*, Kurilovich et al.,  
*SciPost Phys.* **13**, 107 (2022), <https://scipost.org/SciPostPhys.13.5.107> .

Laughlin state before a boson has been lost at position  $Z$

$$\psi_m[z] = \prod_{i < j} (z_i - z_j)^m e^{-\frac{1}{4} \sum_k |z_k|^2} = \prod_{1 < k} (z_1 - z_k)^m \prod_{1 < i < j} (z_i - z_j)^m e^{-\frac{1}{4} \sum_k |z_k|^2}$$

Laughlin state after a boson has been lost at position  $Z$

$$\Psi_m[z] = \prod_{1 < k} (Z - z_k)^m \prod_{1 < i < j} (z_i - z_j)^m e^{-\frac{1}{4} \sum_k |z_k|^2}$$

Looks the same but coordinate of particle 1 (say) has been converted from a quantum coordinate to a classical variable  $Z$  giving location of the  $m$  quasiholes that have been created. AN ENERGY EIGENSTATE.

There is (essentially) no 'back action' on the other electrons creating any collective excitations.

We can design an irreversible process to quickly but gently refill the hole (replace the missing photon) thereby stabilizing the state.

Details later. First some pictures.

Kurilovich et al., SciPost Phys. 13, 107 (2022)

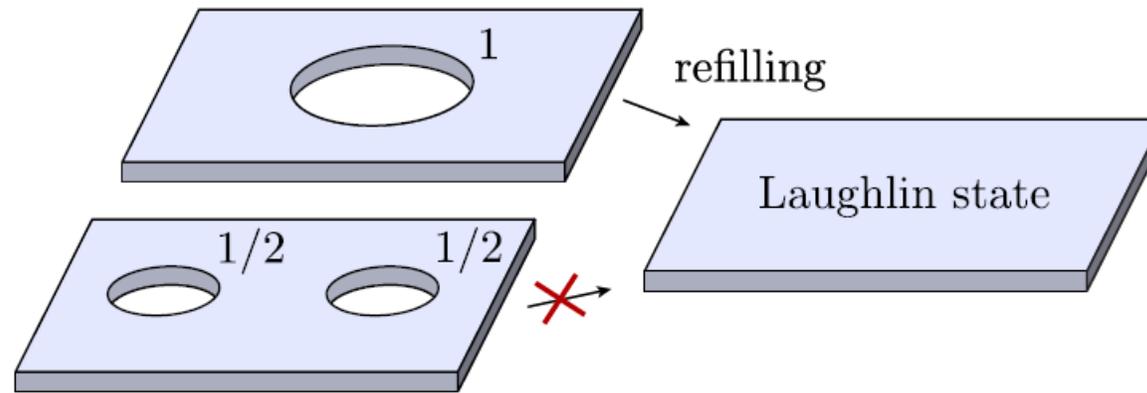
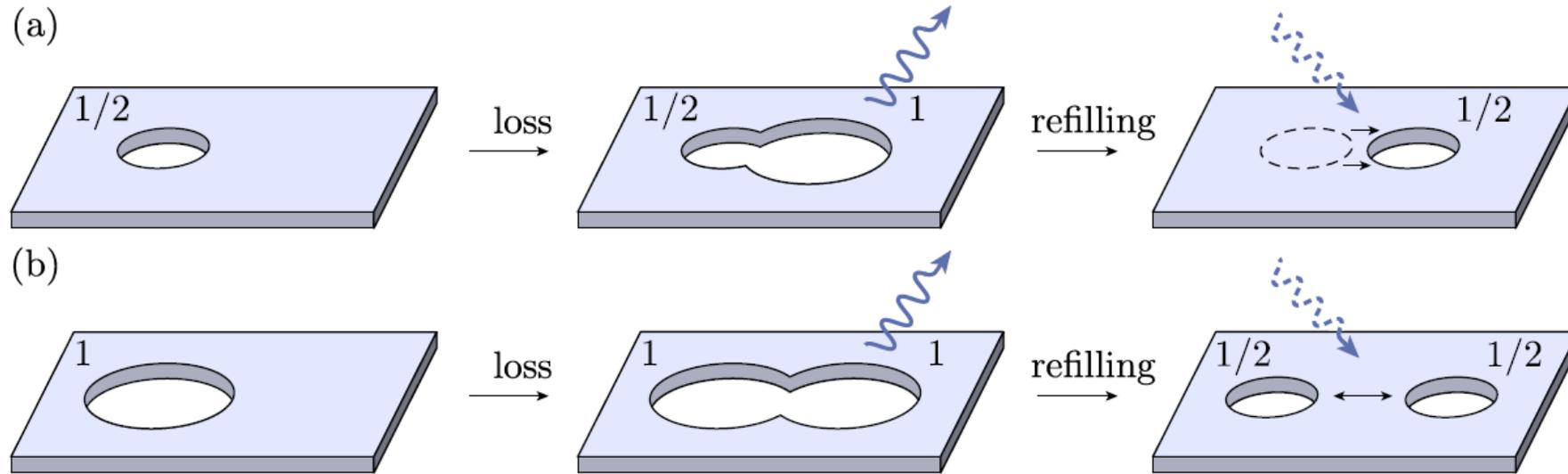


Figure 1: Conceptual picture for the stabilization of the photonic Laughlin state at half-filling. Full hole in the Laughlin state is refilled by adding a photon locally. At the same time two remote quasiholes – which also correspond to the absence of a single photon – cannot be refilled by the stabilization setup. This is because a real (i.e. “bare”) photon cannot break into two pieces, in contrast to a hole in the fractional quantum Hall state that can break into two anyons.

Dynamics dominated by incoherent loss and refilling processes.



Curiously, both the quasi-hole diffusion rate  $D$  and the fission/fusion rates are controlled by the loss rate  $\kappa$  (assuming rapid refilling  $\Gamma \gg \kappa$ ).

Figure 2: Dissipative dynamics of quasipoles in the stabilized photonic Laughlin state at half-filling. (a) Diffusion of a single quasipole. A photon is first lost in the vicinity of the quasipole and then quickly refilled by the stabilization setup at a different location. As a result the position of the quasipole is shifted in a random direction. (b) A full hole breaks into two stable quasipoles. Again, this requires loss of an additional photon in the vicinity of the initial hole that is followed by a subsequent refilling at a different location.

Lindblad master equation for density matrix

$$\frac{d\rho}{dt} = -i[H, \rho] + \mathcal{L}_\kappa \rho + \mathcal{L}_\Gamma \rho.$$

$\mathcal{L}_\kappa$  describes the loss of photons due to the dissipation,

$$\mathcal{L}_\kappa \rho = \kappa \int d^2r \left( \psi(\mathbf{r}) \rho \psi^\dagger(\mathbf{r}) - \frac{1}{2} \{ \rho, \psi^\dagger(\mathbf{r}) \psi(\mathbf{r}) \} \right),$$

where  $\kappa$  is the photon decay rate.

The superoperator  $\mathcal{L}_\Gamma$  describes the action of the stabilization setup that refills the lost photons,

$$\mathcal{L}_\Gamma \rho = \Gamma \int d^2r \left( \tilde{\psi}^\dagger(\mathbf{r}) \rho \tilde{\psi}(\mathbf{r}) - \frac{1}{2} \{ \rho, \tilde{\psi}(\mathbf{r}) \tilde{\psi}^\dagger(\mathbf{r}) \} \right).$$

Here,  $\Gamma$  is the rate at which the photons are injected into the system

$\tilde{\psi}(\mathbf{r}) = \mathcal{P} \psi(\mathbf{r}) \mathcal{P}$  is the annihilation operator projected on the subspace of the LLL states with zero interaction energy, i.e., the quasihole states [but not quasi-electron states]

This is accomplished by bath engineering, to be described shortly.

Two-component reaction-diffusion equation for the non-equilibrium dynamics

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t n_h = \frac{1}{2} \overset{\text{loss}}{\downarrow} \kappa - \overset{\text{refill}}{\downarrow} \Gamma n_h - \frac{1}{2} \overset{\text{fission}}{\downarrow} c \kappa n_h + \overset{\text{fusion}}{\downarrow} c \kappa n_{\text{qh}}^2, \\ \partial_t n_{\text{qh}} = D \nabla^2 n_{\text{qh}} + c \kappa n_h - 2c \kappa n_{\text{qh}}^2. \end{cases}$$

Curiously, both the quasi-hole diffusion rate  $D$  and the fission/fusion rates are controlled by the loss rate  $\kappa$  (assuming rapid refilling  $\Gamma \gg \kappa$ ).

[dimensionless coefficient  $c \sim 1$  determined by microscopic details]

Steady-state solution:

$$n_h = \frac{\kappa}{2\Gamma} \text{ (agrees with naive detailed balance)}$$

$$n_{\text{qh}} = \sqrt{\frac{n_h}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\kappa}{4\Gamma}} \quad ? \quad n_h$$

Deviation of photon density from ideal Laughlin state:

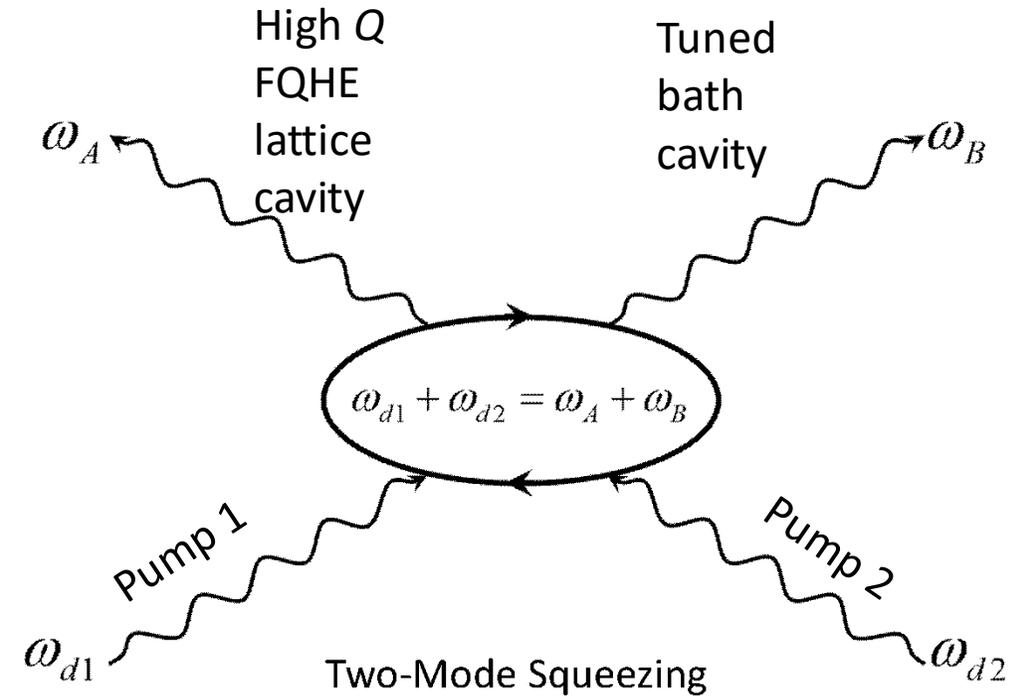
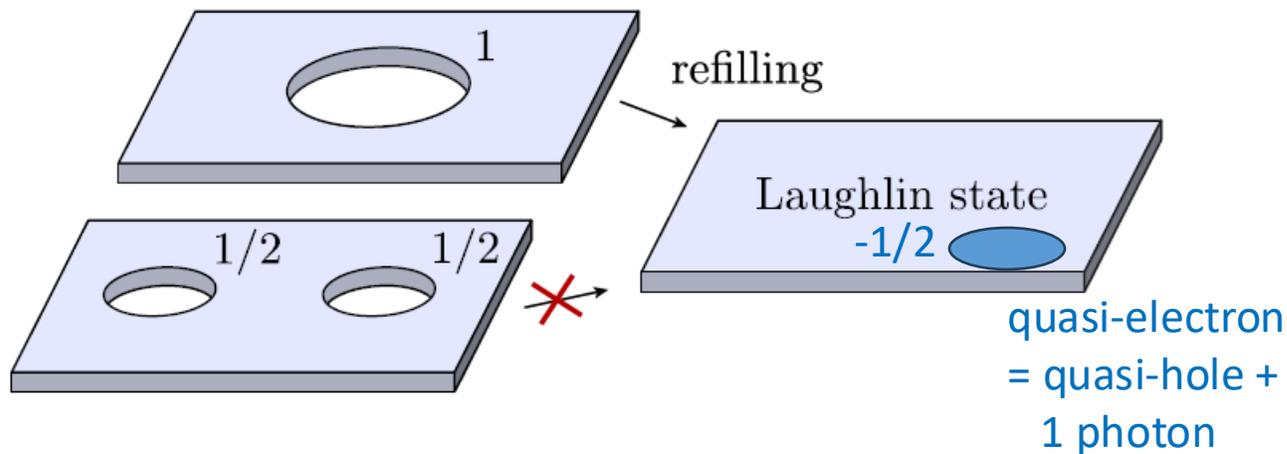
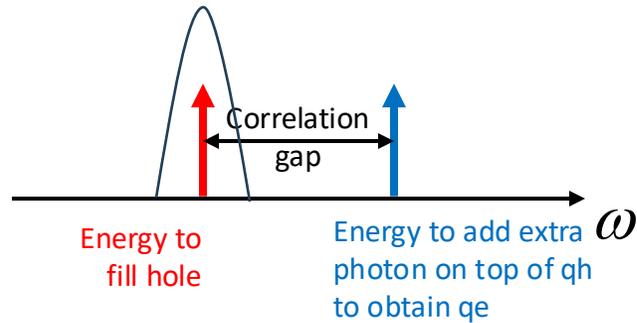
$$\Delta N = n_h + \frac{1}{2} n_{\text{qh}} \sim \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{\kappa}{\Gamma}} \text{ (dominated by isolated qh particles)}$$

Smallest relaxation rate

$$\tau^{-1} \sim \frac{\kappa^{3/2}}{\Gamma^{1/2}}$$

Bath engineering:

Goal: Gently insert a photon to fill a hole (lost photon) with just the right energy, but not enough energy to cross the FQHE gap and add a photon at a place where there is no hole.



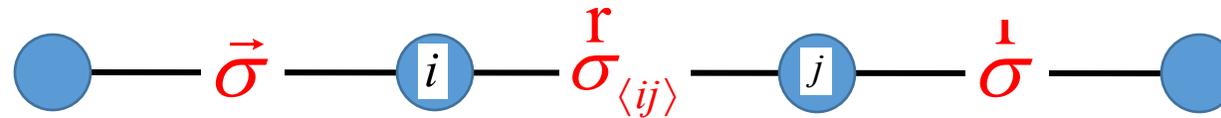
Bath engineering: Linewidth of bath cavity should be large for irreversibility but smaller than the correlation gap

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Another target application:  $\mathcal{C}_2$  lattice gauge theory for bosons hopping on a lattice

bosons on lattice sites,  $\mathcal{C}_2$  gauge fields on links



$$H = -J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} a_i^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_j - \lambda \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^x$$

Physical intuition: each boson hop changes the sign of  $\sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^x$

Dynamical gauge field:

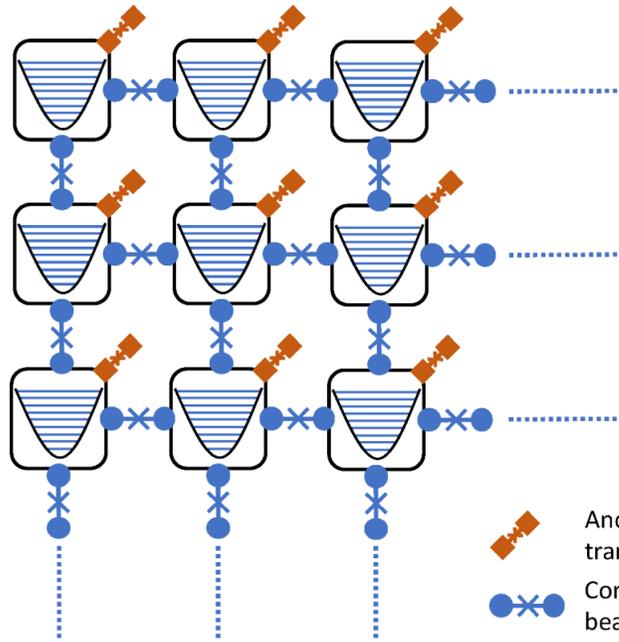
$\sigma^z$  = vector potential

$\sigma^x$  = conjugate electric field

Gauss Law Constraint  $G_j \equiv \prod_{i \in \langle ij \rangle} \sigma_{\langle i,j \rangle}^x e^{i\pi a_j^\dagger a_j}$

$$[H, G_j] = 0$$

# Realization of $\phi_2$ lattice gauge theory for bosons with SNAP ISA

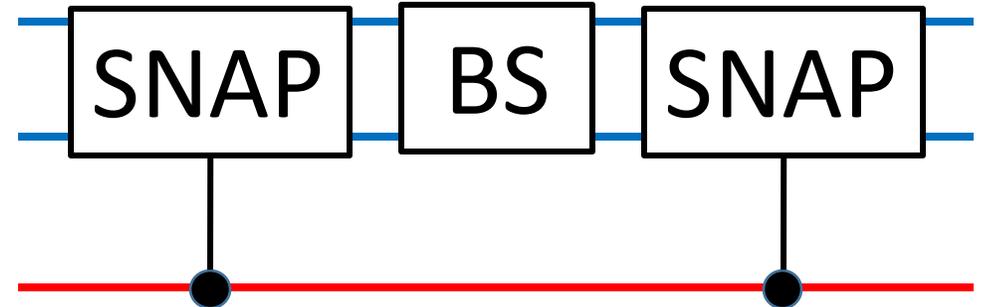


$$H = -J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} a_i^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_j - \lambda \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^x$$

Cavity a

Cavity b

Ancilla a



$$U(\theta)^\mathbf{r} e^{Jt[a_i^\dagger a_j - a_j^\dagger a_i]} U^\dagger(\theta)^\mathbf{r} = e^{iJt[a_i^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_j + a_j^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_i]}$$

(see next slide for algebraic proof)

$$U(\theta)^\mathbf{r} = \text{SNAP} = e^{i\frac{\pi}{2} a_i^\dagger a_i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} \quad [\text{controlled parity gate}]$$

Physical intuition: each boson hop changes the sign of  $\sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^x$

[In 1D only need ancillae connected to 1 cavity.]

$$U(\theta) e^{Jt[a_i^\dagger a_j - a_j^\dagger a_i]} U^\dagger(\theta) = e^{iJt[a_i^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_j + a_j^\dagger \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_i]}$$

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Proof:

$$e^{i\frac{\pi}{2} a_i^\dagger a_i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} a_i e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} a_i^\dagger a_i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} a_i = -i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_i$$

and

$$e^{i\frac{\pi}{2} a_i^\dagger a_i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} a_i^\dagger e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} a_i^\dagger a_i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2} \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z} a_i^\dagger = +i \sigma_{\langle ij \rangle}^z a_i^\dagger$$

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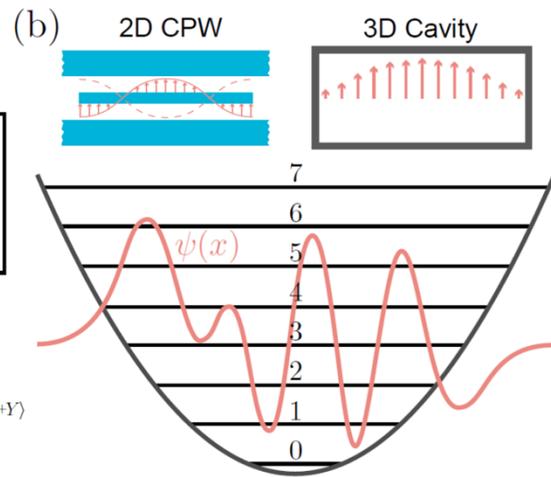
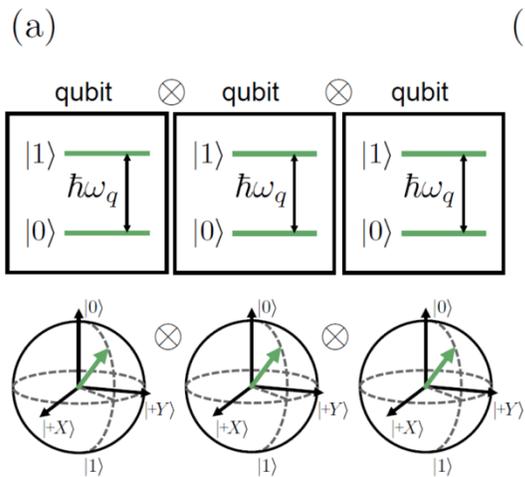
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Discrete variable  
(transmon qubits)

Continuous variable  
(microwave or mechanical oscillators)



- Instruction Set Architecture for hybrid qubit/oscillator systems
- Qiskit extension to oscillators
  - Represent  $\Lambda = 2^n$  levels of oscillator with a register of  $n = \log_2 \Lambda$  qubits
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