

Cavity Quantum Electrodynamics with Superconducting Circuits

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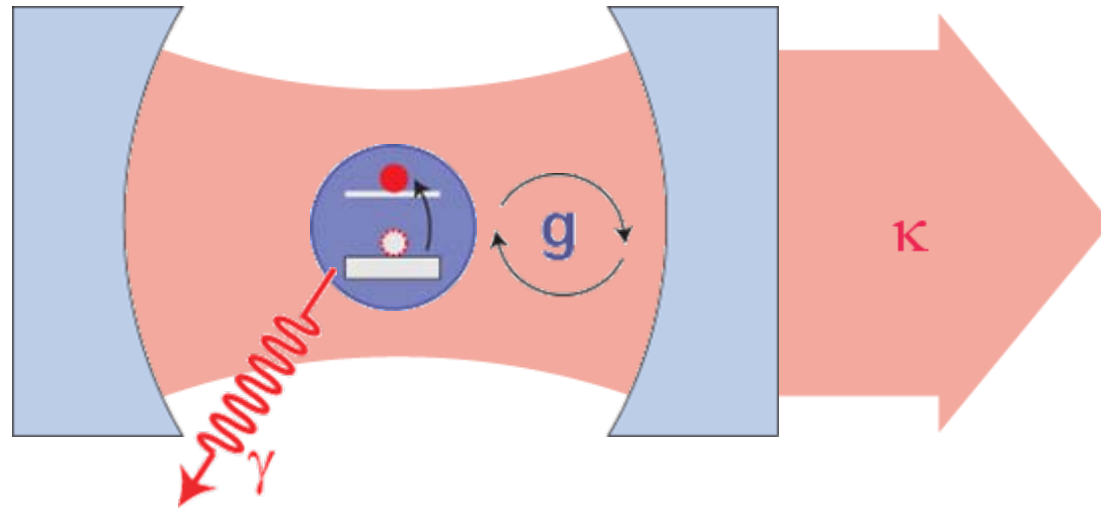
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Cavity Quantum Electrodynamics



Jaynes-Cummings Hamiltonian

$$H = \hbar\omega_r \left(a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{\hbar\omega_a}{2} \sigma^z + \hbar g (a^\dagger \sigma^- + a \sigma^+) + H_\kappa + H_\gamma$$

strong coupling limit ($g = dE_0/\hbar > \gamma, \kappa, 1/t_{\text{transit}}$)

Dressed States Energy Level Diagram

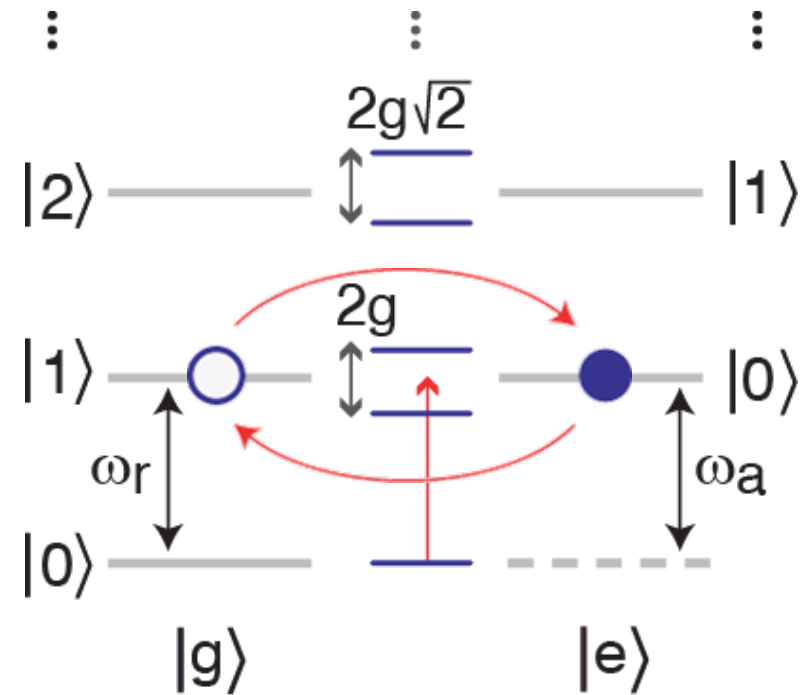
$$H = \hbar\omega_r \left(a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{\hbar\omega_a}{2} \sigma^z + \hbar g (a^\dagger \sigma^- + a \sigma^+)$$

in resonance:

$$\omega_a - \omega_r = \Delta = 0$$

strong coupling limit:

$$g = \frac{dE_0}{\hbar} > \gamma, \kappa$$



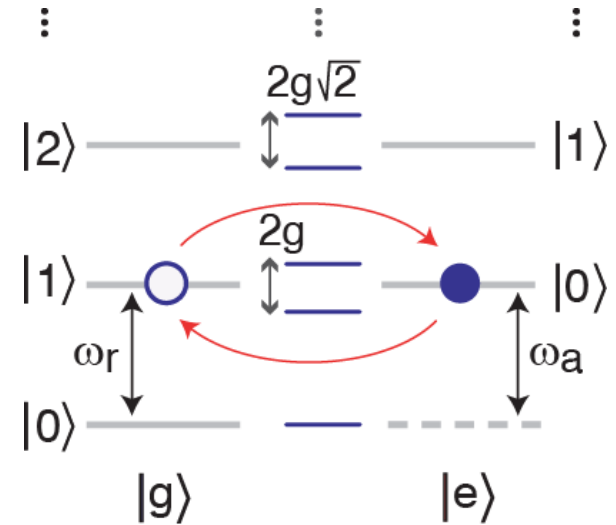
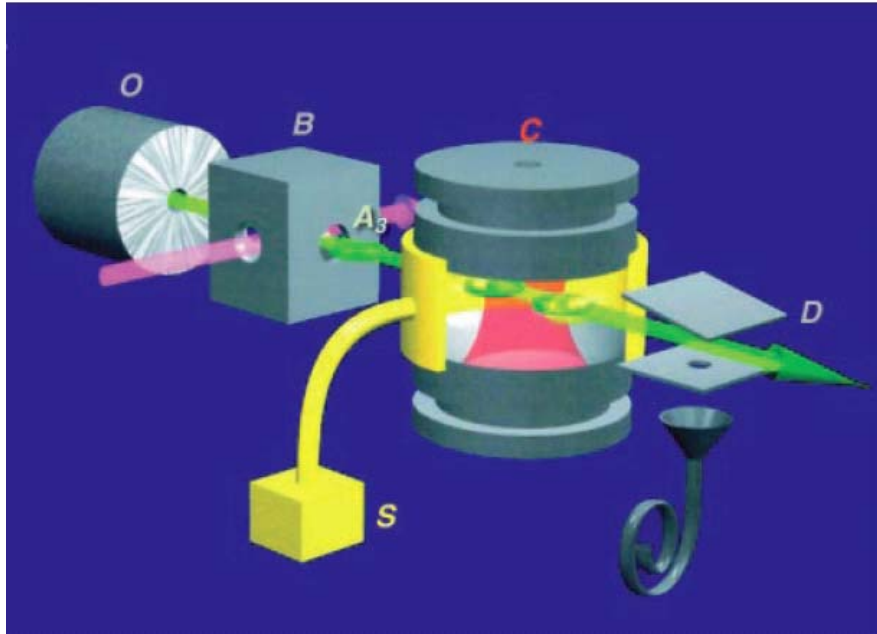
Jaynes-Cummings Ladder

Atomic cavity quantum electrodynamics reviews:

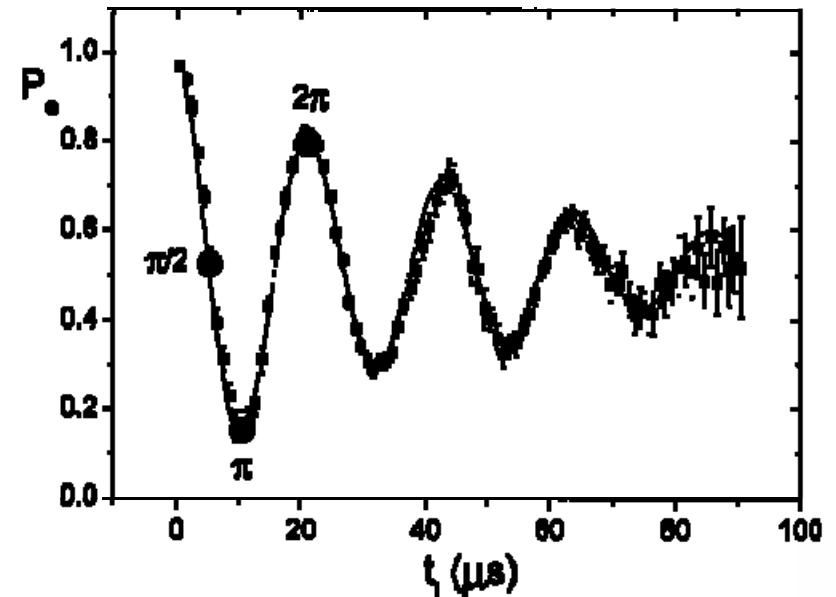
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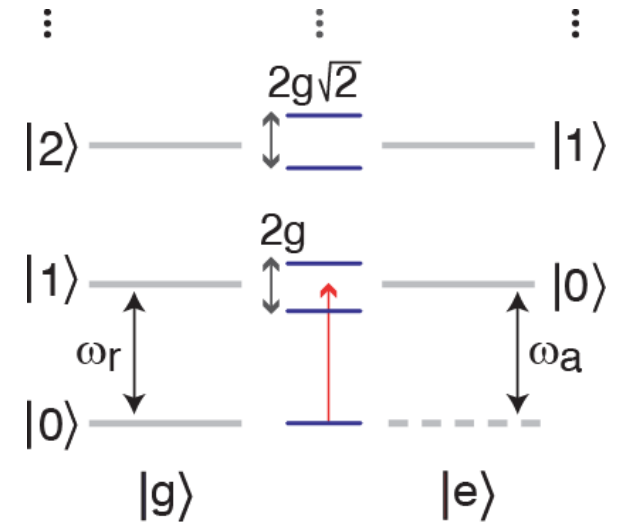
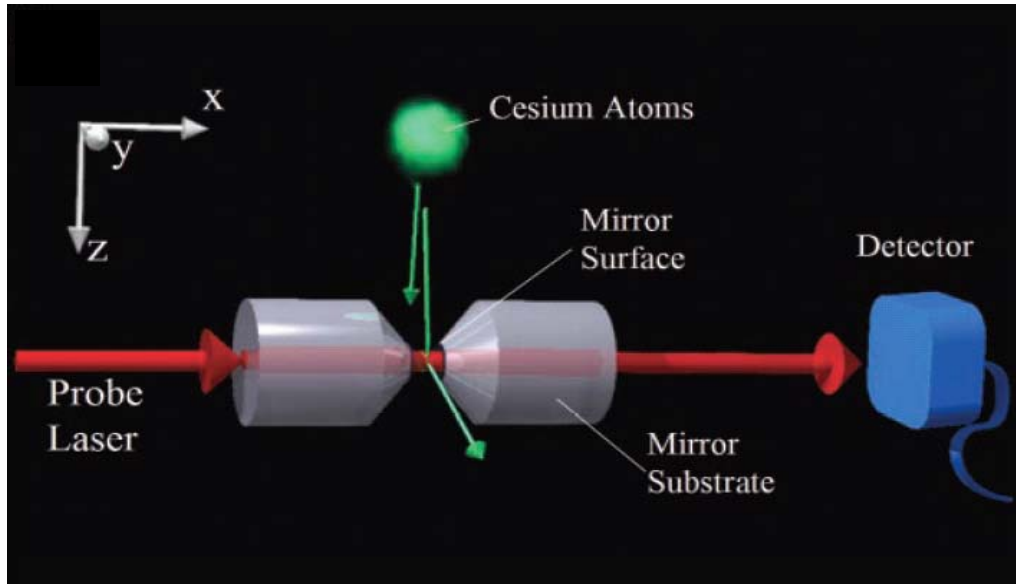
Vacuum Rabi Oscillations with Rydberg Atoms



Review: J. M. Raimond, M. Brune, and S. Haroche
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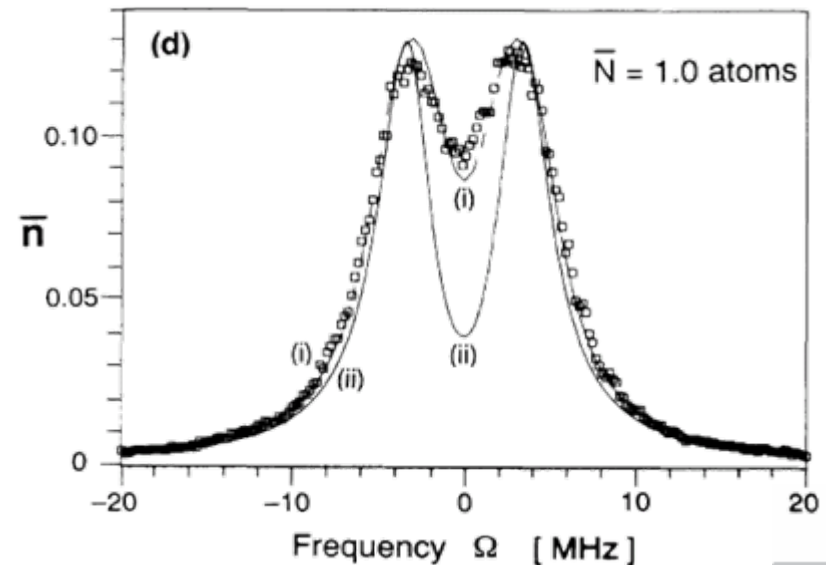


Vacuum Rabi Mode Splitting with Alkali Atoms



R. J. Thompson, G. Rempe, & H. J. Kimble,
Phys. Rev. Lett. **68** 1132 (1992)

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Quantum Electronic Circuits: Artificial Atoms and Photons on a Chip



The Quantum Electronic Circuit Toolkit



Capacitor



Inductor



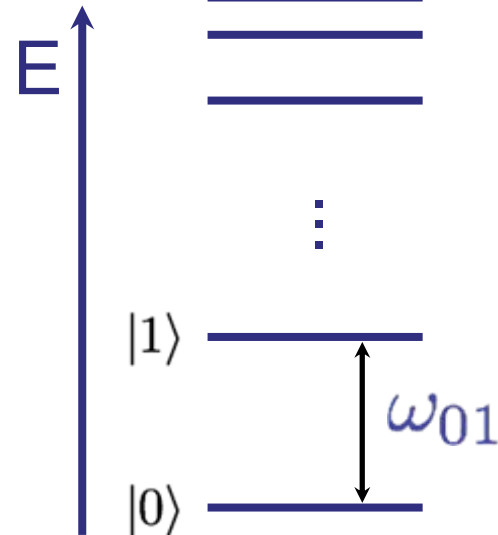
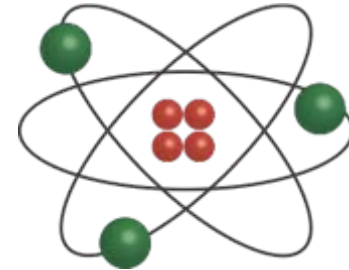
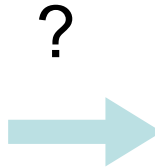
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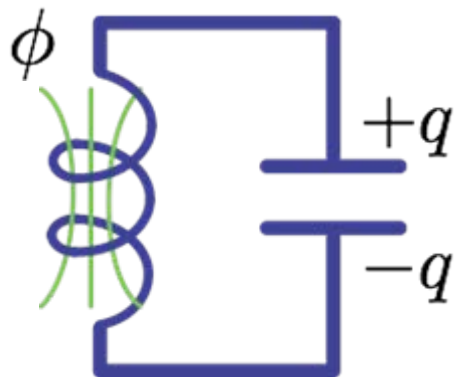
Voltage source



Current source

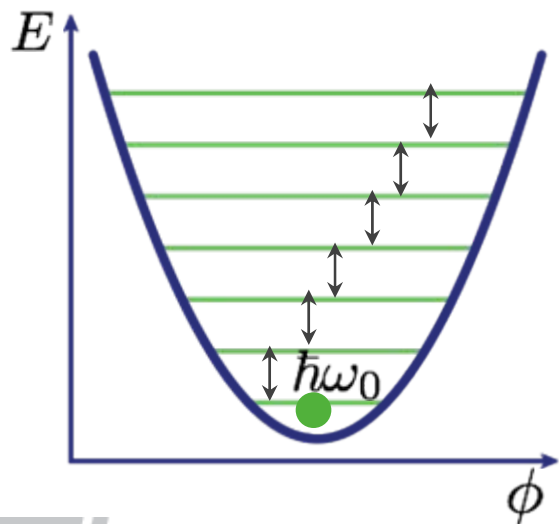


Electrical Harmonic Oscillators



$$H = \frac{\phi^2}{2L} + \frac{q^2}{2C} \rightarrow \frac{\hat{\phi}^2}{2L} + \frac{\hat{q}^2}{2C} \quad [\hat{\phi}, \hat{q}] = i$$

$$\hat{H} = \hbar\omega_0 \left(a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \right) \quad \omega_0 = 1/\sqrt{LC}$$



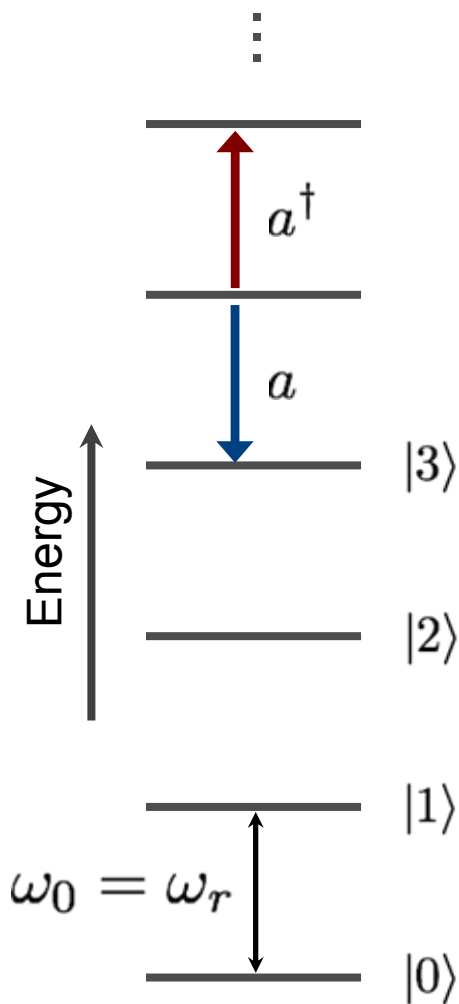
Typical parameters for microfabricated LC:

$$L \sim 0.1 \text{ nH} \quad C \sim 1 \text{ pF} \rightarrow \omega_0/2\pi \sim 15 \text{ GHz}$$

$$1 \text{ GHz} \sim 50 \text{ mK}$$

Problem #1: Linear

Harmonic Oscillator: A Linear Many-Level System



Infinitely many *linearly* spaced energy levels

Ladder operators: a, a^\dagger

Product of ladder operators:

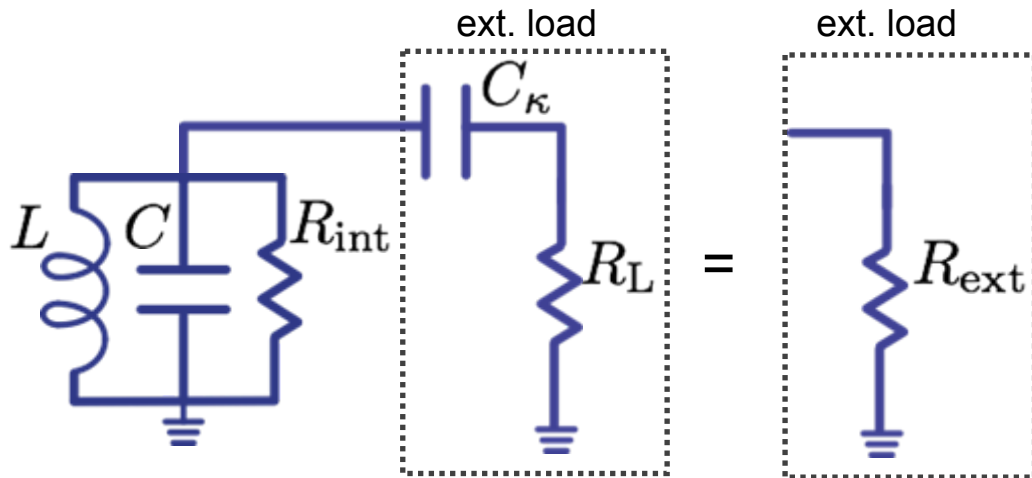
$$a^\dagger a = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & & & & \\ & 1 & & & \\ & & 2 & & \\ & & & 3 & \\ & & & & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

Contains information about which "step" of the ladder the oscillator is on

Hamiltonian of a harmonic oscillator (the total energy):

$$H = \omega_0 a^\dagger a$$

Electrical Harmonic Oscillators: Dissipation



Internal losses: R_{int}
conductor, dielectric

External losses: R_{ext}
radiation, coupling

Total losses: $\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{R_{\text{int}}} + \frac{1}{R_{\text{ext}}}$

Quality factor: $Q = \frac{R}{Z} = \omega_0 RC$

Relaxation rate: $\Gamma_1 = \frac{\omega_0}{Q} = \frac{1}{RC}$

Characteristic impedance: $Z = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \sim 10 \Omega$

Problem #2: Avoid internal and external dissipation

Artificial Atom Toolkit



Capacitor



Inductor



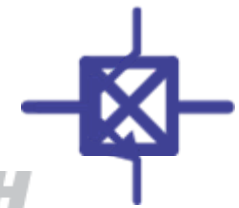
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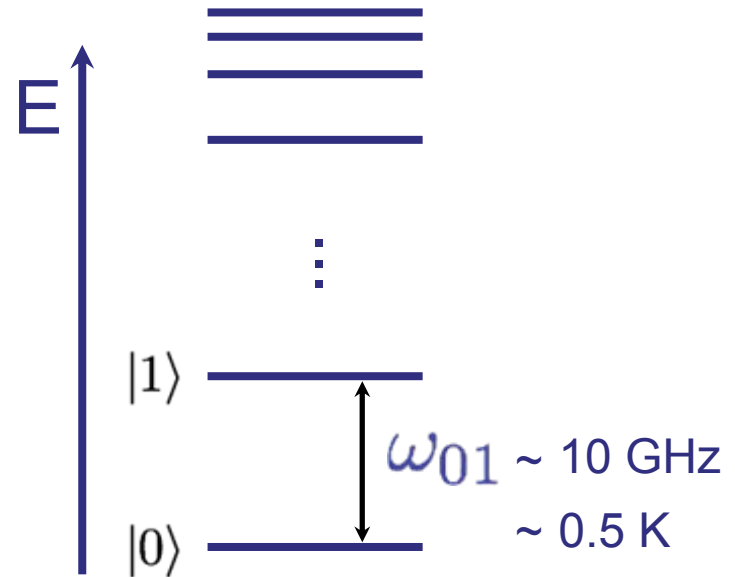
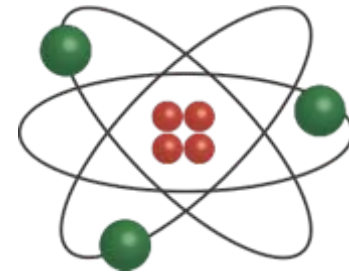
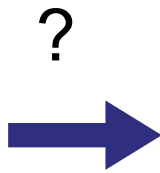
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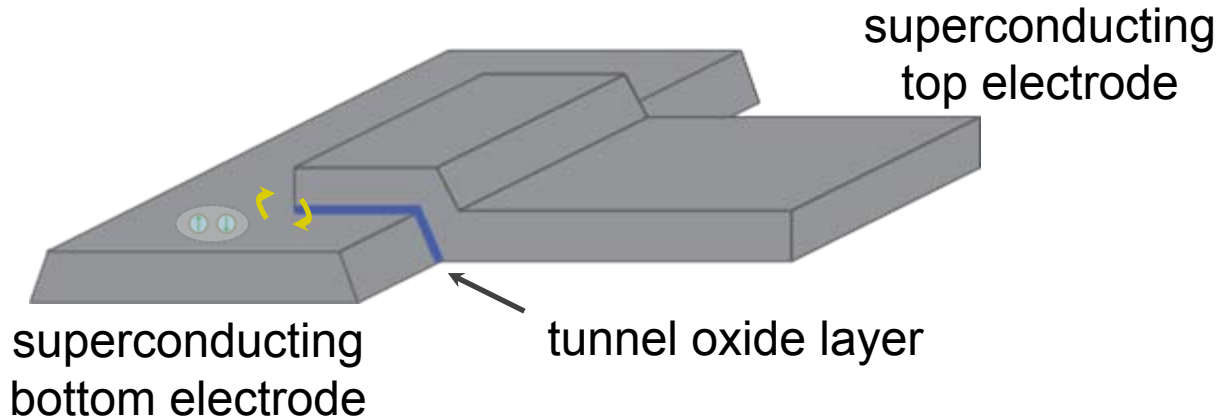


Josephson Junction



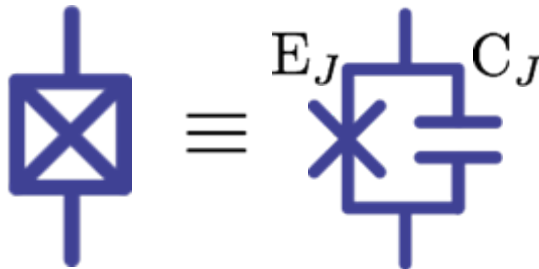
Josephson Junctions ...

... superconducting non-linear elements:



superconductors: Al, Nb

tunnel barrier: AlOx



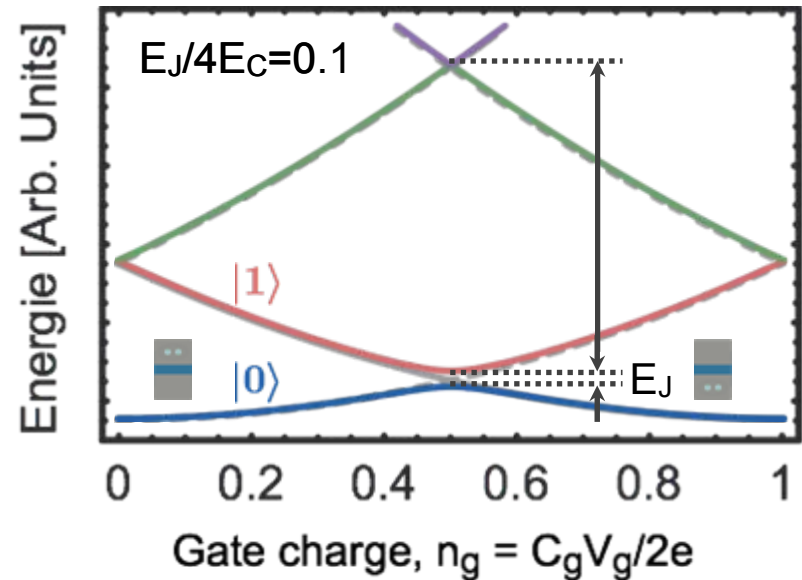
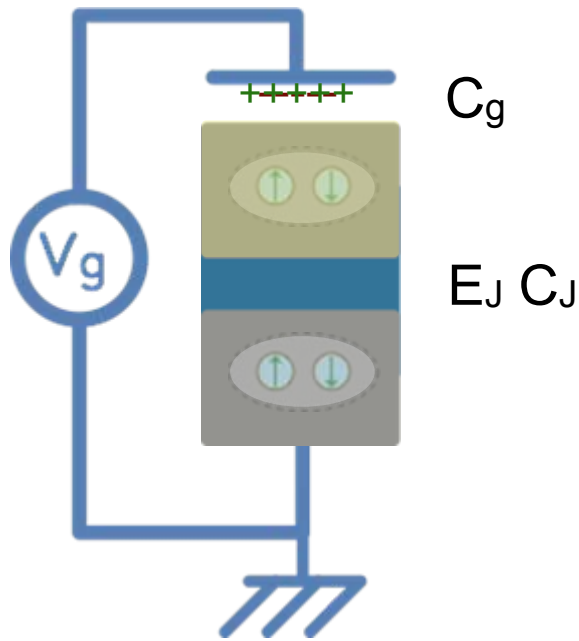
Josephson energy : E_J
(tunneling amplitude)

junction capacitance: C_J

nonlinear

dissipation-less

A Superconducting Qubit: The Cooper Pair Box



First theoretically suggested:

Shnirman et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. **79**, 2371 (1997)

Bouchiat et al. Physica Scripta **176**, 165 (1998)

First experimental realization:

Y. Nakamura et al. Nature (London) **398**, 786 (1999)

The Cooper Pair Box Hamiltonian (for Theorists)

- generic Hamiltonian for an electrical oscillator

$$\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H}_{\text{el}} + \mathbf{H}_{\text{J}} = \frac{1}{2C} q^2 + \frac{1}{2L} \Phi^2$$

- CPB Hamiltonian

$$\mathbf{H}_{\text{CPB}} = \mathbf{H}_{\text{el}} + \mathbf{H}_{\text{J}} = 4E_{\text{C}0}(N - n_{\text{g}})^2 - E_{\text{J}0} \cos \Theta$$

$$E_{\text{C}0} = (2e^2)/2C_{\Sigma}$$

$$E_{\text{J}} = \Phi_0 I_{\text{c}} / 2\pi$$

- pick a basis

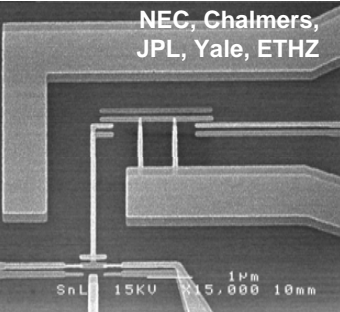
$$[\Theta, N] = i \quad \text{and} \quad N = i \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \quad , \quad \Theta = -i \frac{\partial}{\partial n}$$

- in the charge basis

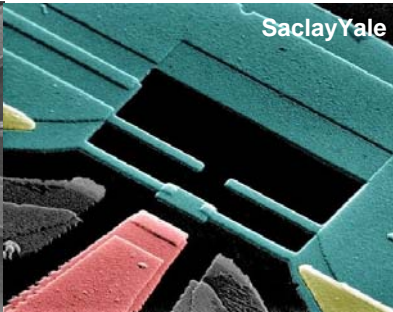
$$\mathbf{H}_{\text{CPB}} = \sum_n \left[4E_{\text{C}0}(N - n_{\text{g}})^2 |n\rangle \langle n| - \frac{E_{\text{J}}}{2} (|n\rangle \langle n+1| + |n+1\rangle \langle n|) \right]$$

Many Superconducting Qubits

Cooper Pair Box



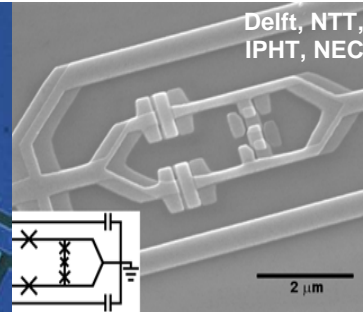
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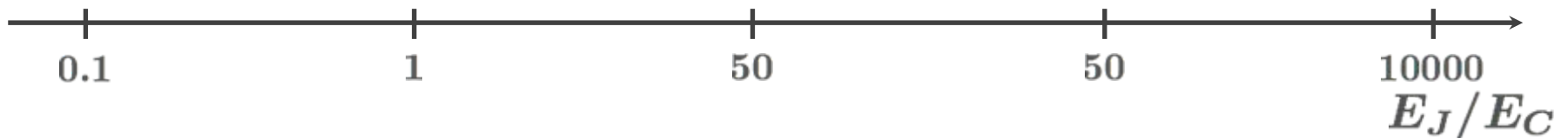
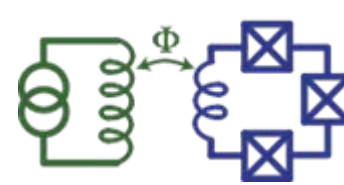
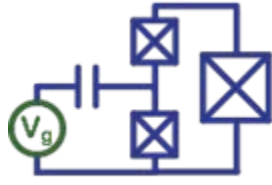
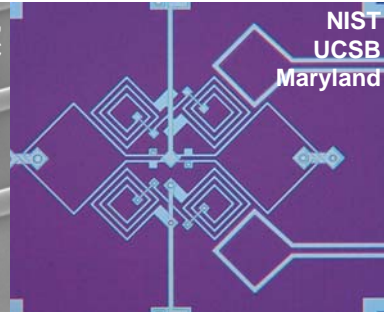
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Flux



Phase

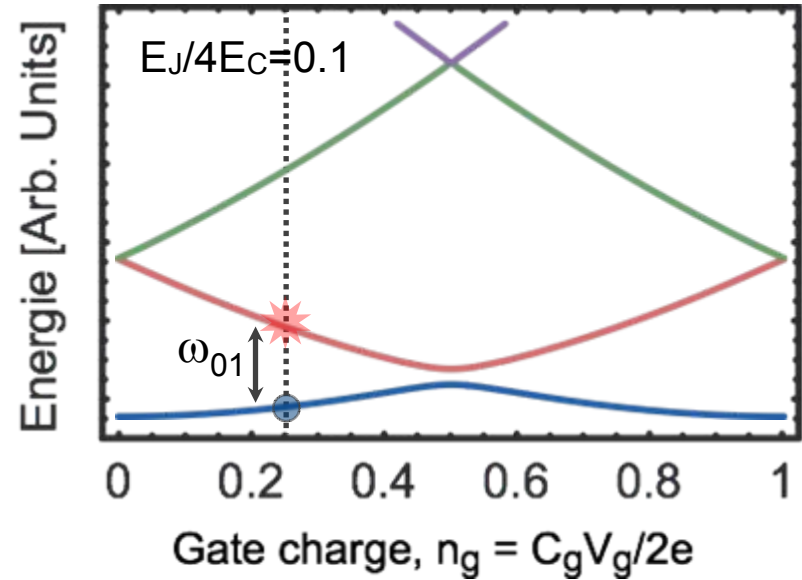
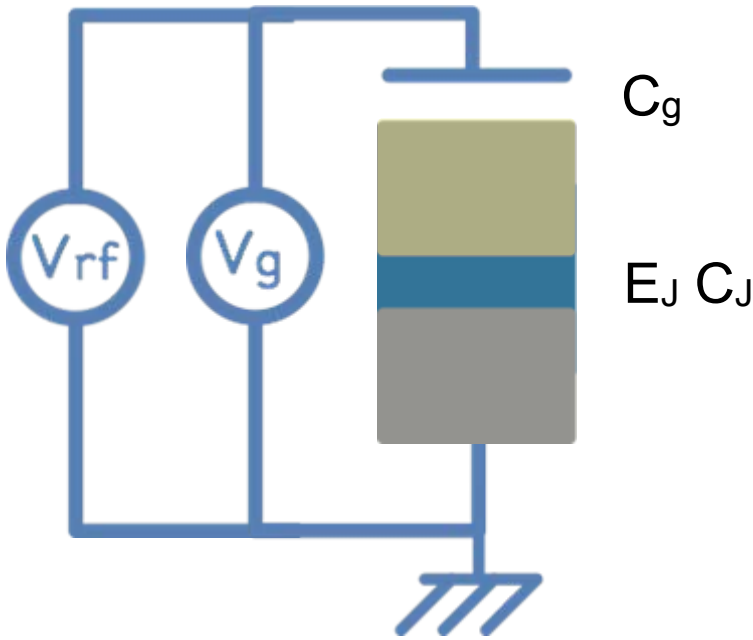


concepts review: M. H. Devoret, A. Wallraff and J. M. Martinis, *condmat/0411172* (2004)
 realizations review: G. Wendin and V.S. Shumeiko, *cond-mat/0508729* (2005)

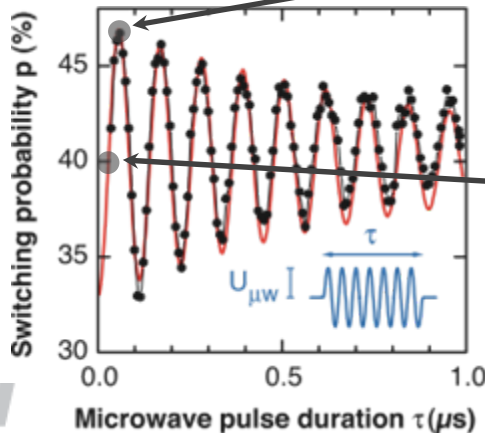
Thousandfold increase in dephasing times:

- First coherent oscillations (NEC, 1999) → $T_2 \sim 1$ ns
- “Sweet spot” (Saclay, 2002) → $T_2 \sim 500$ ns
- Transmon (Yale, 2007) → $T_2 \sim 2000$ ns

How to do Control: Single-Qubit Gates à la NMR



Experimental results:



NOT-gate
(π -pulse)

$\sqrt{\text{NOT}}$ -gate
($\pi/2$ -pulse)

Single qubit Hamiltonian, with drive:

$$H = \frac{\omega_{01}}{2} \sigma_z + \Omega_R \cos(\omega t) \sigma_x$$

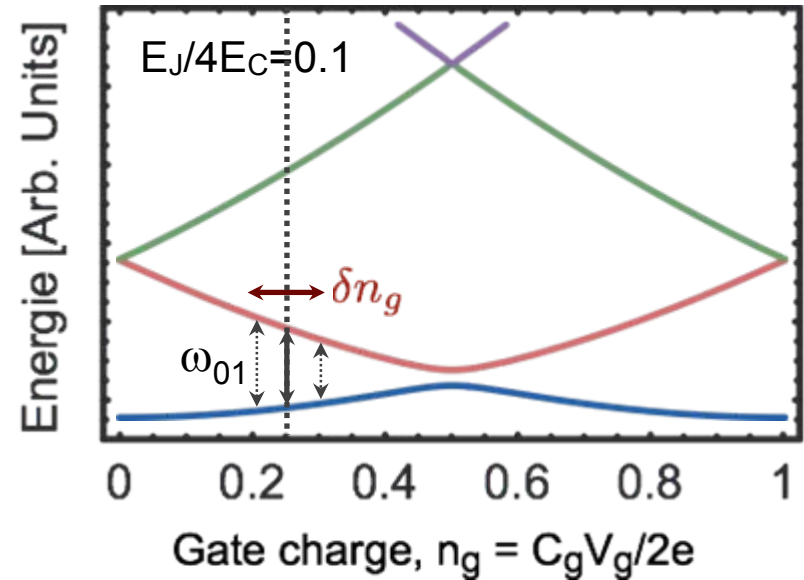
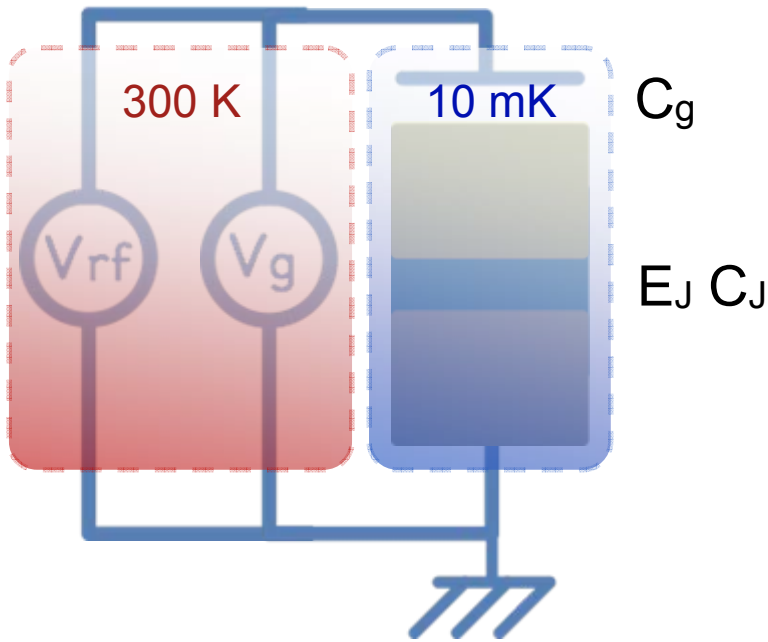
Relaxation and dephasing times:

$$T_1 \sim 1.8 \mu\text{s} \quad (\text{Bit flip})$$

$$T_2^* \sim 500\text{ns} \quad (\text{Phase randomization})$$

Vion et al., *Science* **296** 886 (2002)

Problem: Charge (and other types of) Noise



Charge fluctuations:

$$n_g \rightarrow n_g + \delta n_g$$

Golden rule:

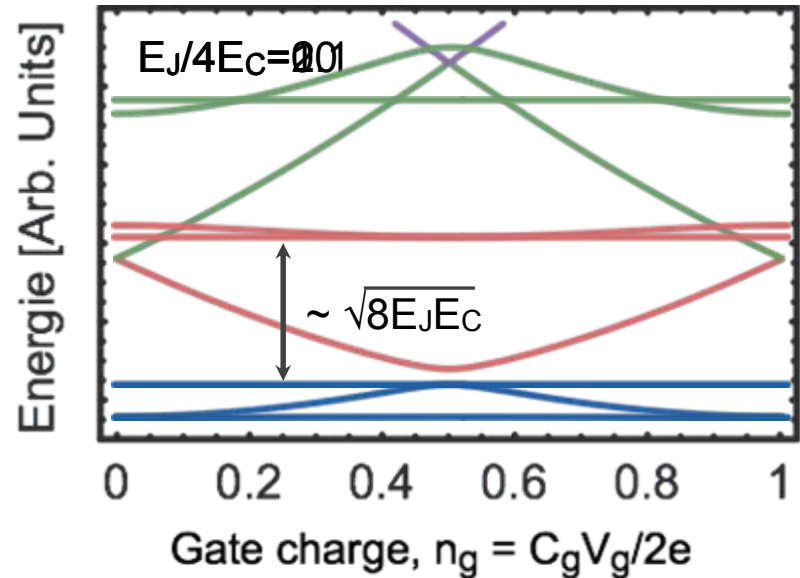
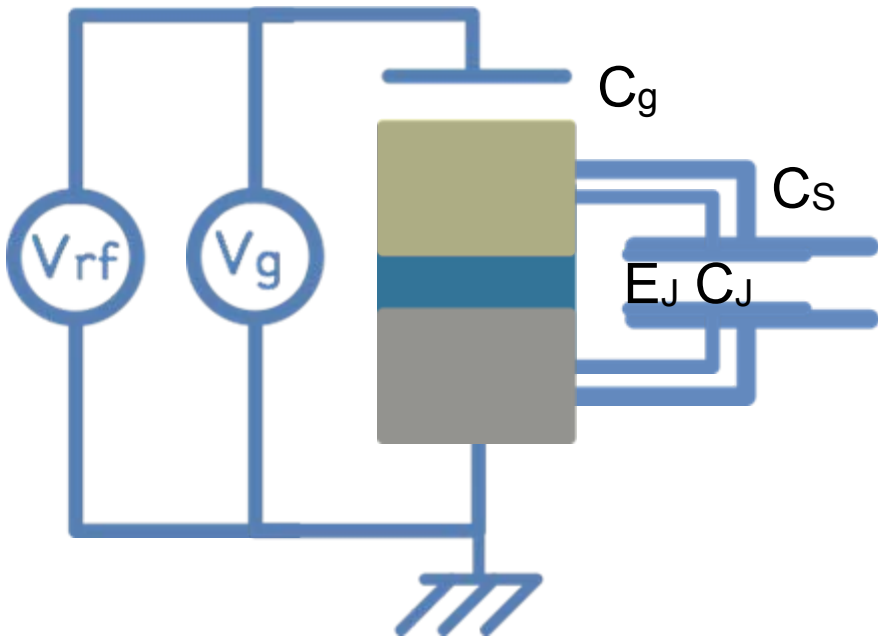
$$\gamma_1 = T_1^{-1} \propto S_{n_g}(\omega_{01}) + S_{n_g}(-\omega_{01})$$

$$\gamma_\phi = T_\phi^{-1} \propto S_{n_g}(\omega \rightarrow 0)$$

Solutions:

- Suppress relaxation by suppressing noise at qubit frequency (circuit QED)
- Suppress phase randomization with flat energy bands (Transmon)

Solution: Reduce Charge Noise Sensitivity



Charge dispersion decreases more rapidly than anharmonicity:

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_m &\equiv E_m(n_g = 1/2) - E_m(n_g = 0) \\ &\simeq (-1)^m E_C \frac{2^{4m+5}}{m!} \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(\frac{E_J}{2E_C}\right)^{\frac{m}{2} + \frac{3}{4}} e^{-\sqrt{8E_J/E_C}} \end{aligned}$$

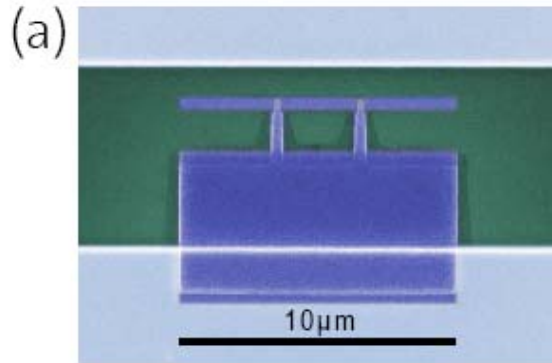
$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_r(n_g = 1/2) &\equiv (E_{12} - E_{01}) / E_{01} \\ &\simeq -(8E_J/E_C)^{-1/2} \end{aligned}$$

Predicted long dephasing times: [J. Koch *et al.*, PRA 76, 042319 \(2007\)](#)

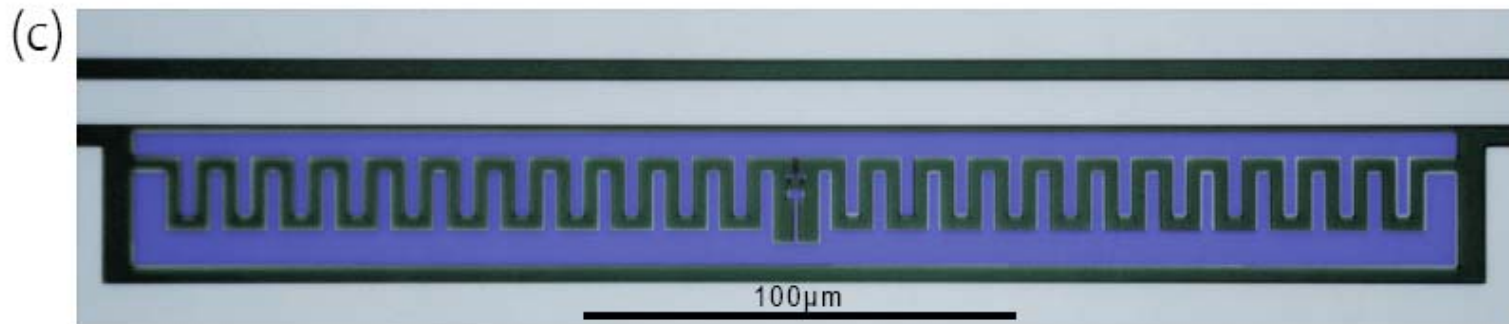
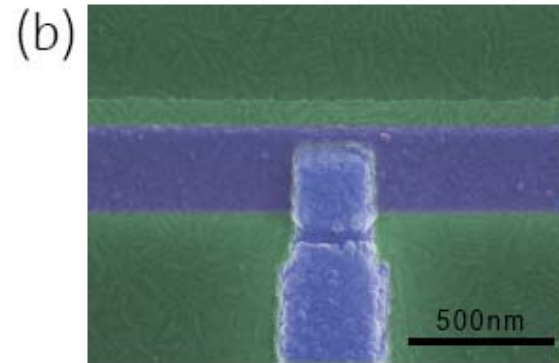
Measured long dephasing times: [J. A. Schreier *et al.* PRB 77, 180502 \(2008\)](#)

Two Versions of the Cooper Pair Box

standard Cooper pair box

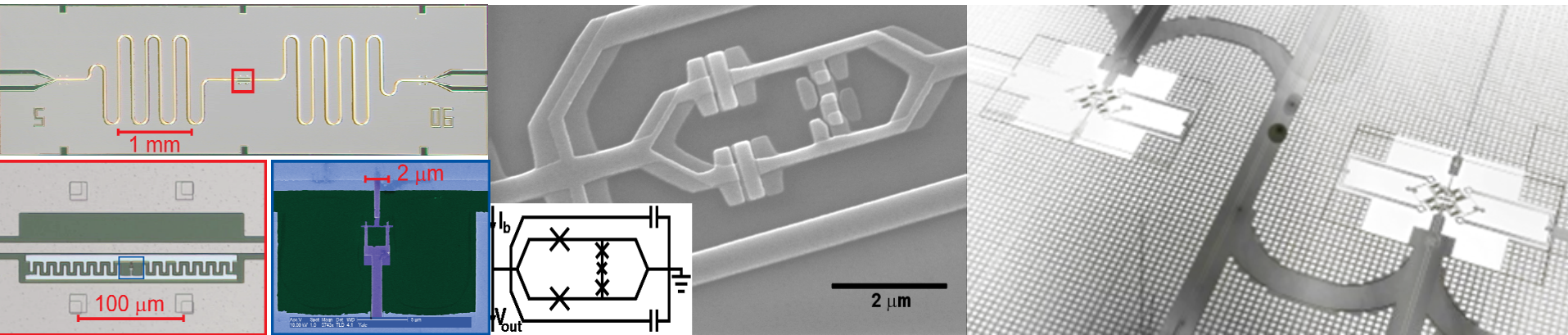


tunnel junction

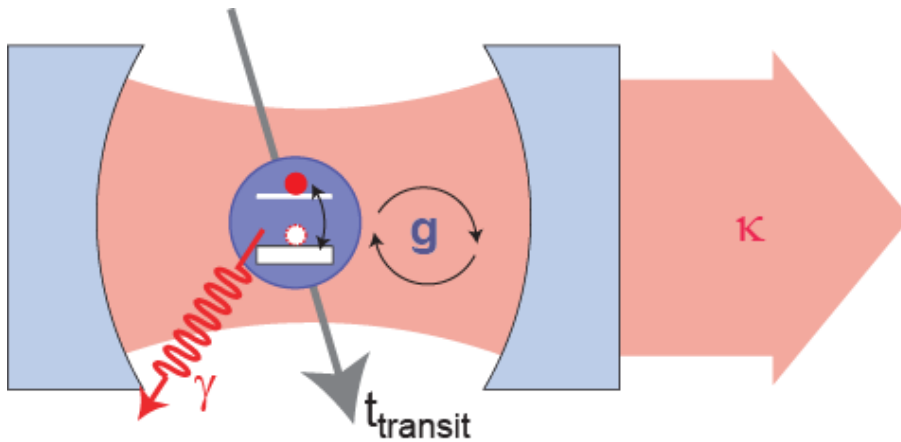


Transmon

Circuit Quantum Electrodynamics



Cavity QED with Superconducting Circuits



coherent quantum mechanics
with individual photons and qubits ...

... in superconducting circuits:

many proposals:

discrete LC circuits:

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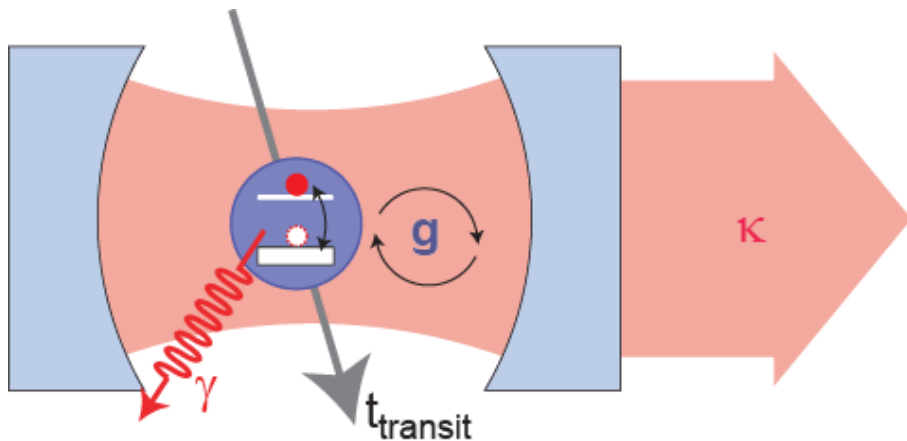
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3D cavities:

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- J. Q. You and F. Nori, *Phys. Rev. B* **68**, 064509 (2003).

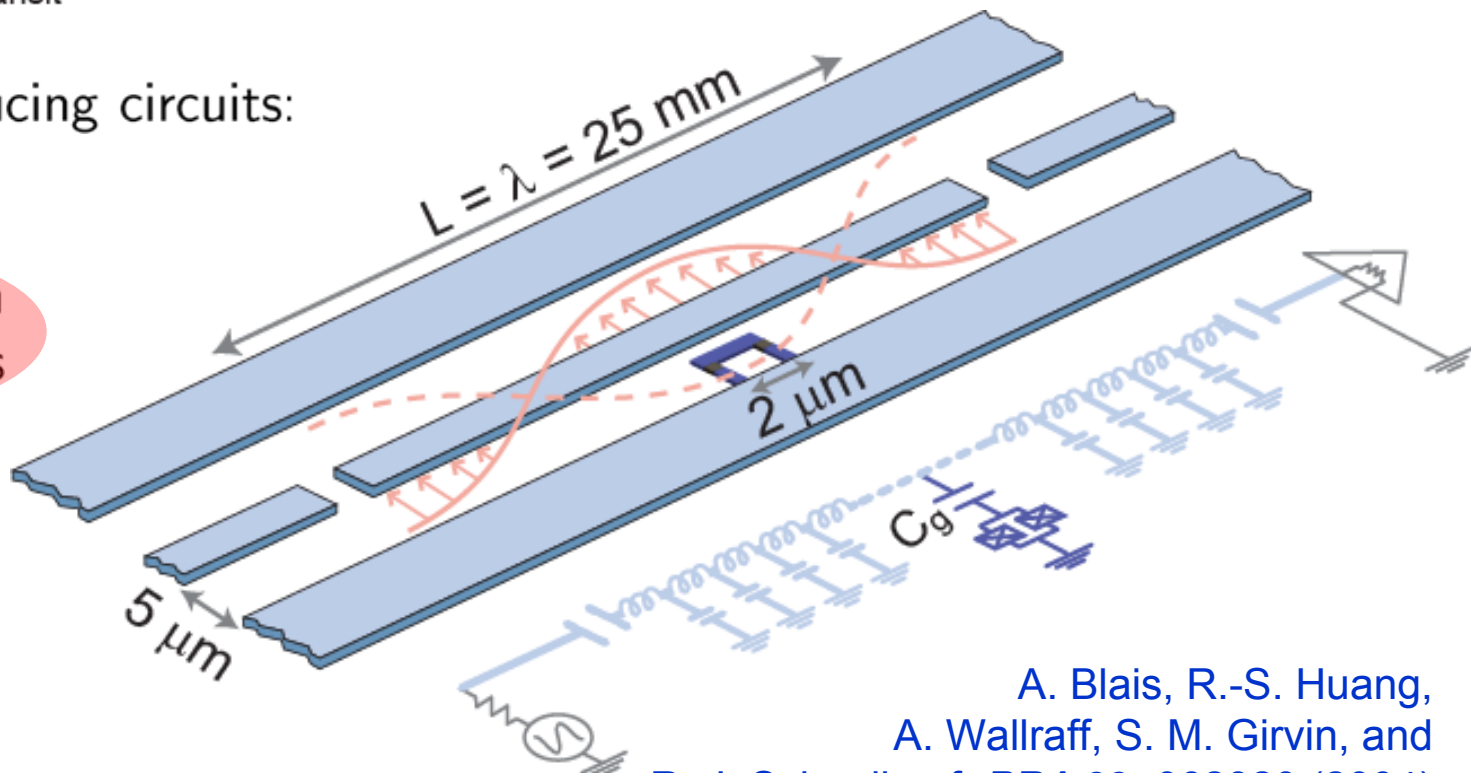
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coherent quantum mechanics
with individual photons and qubits ...

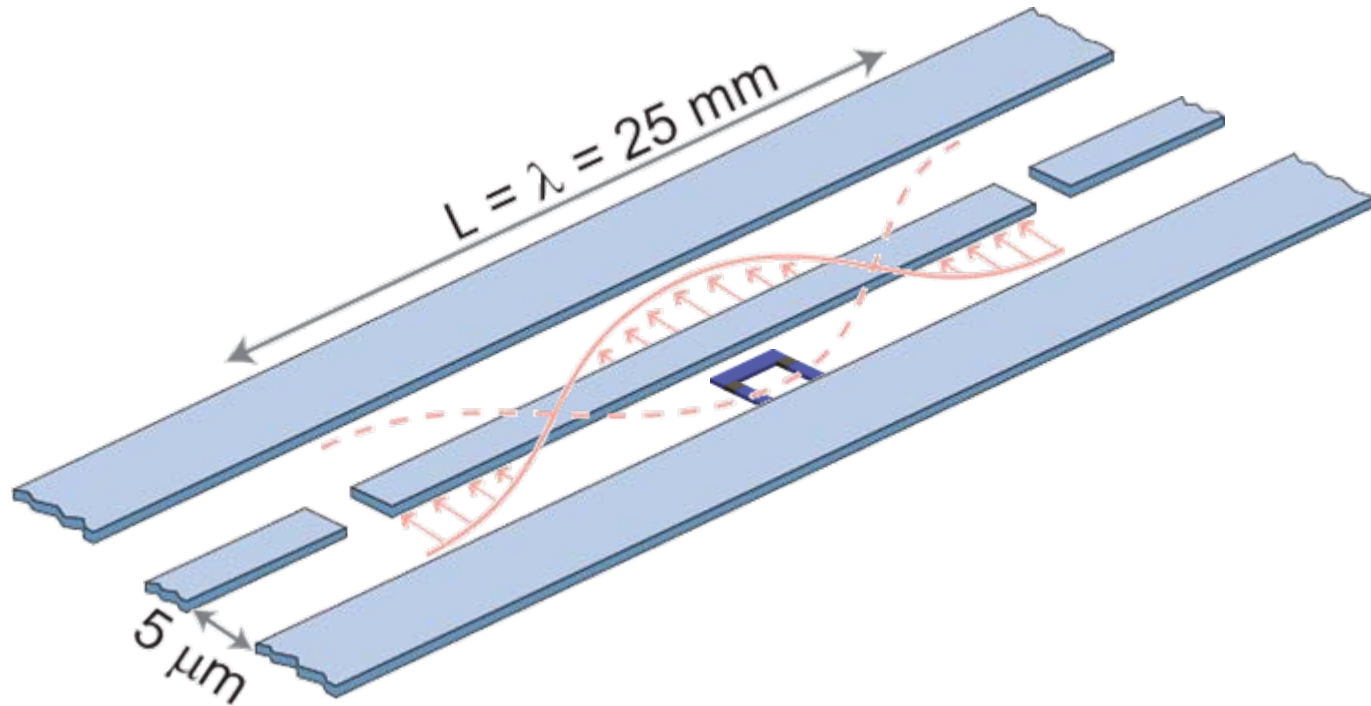
... in superconducting circuits:

circuit quantum
electrodynamics



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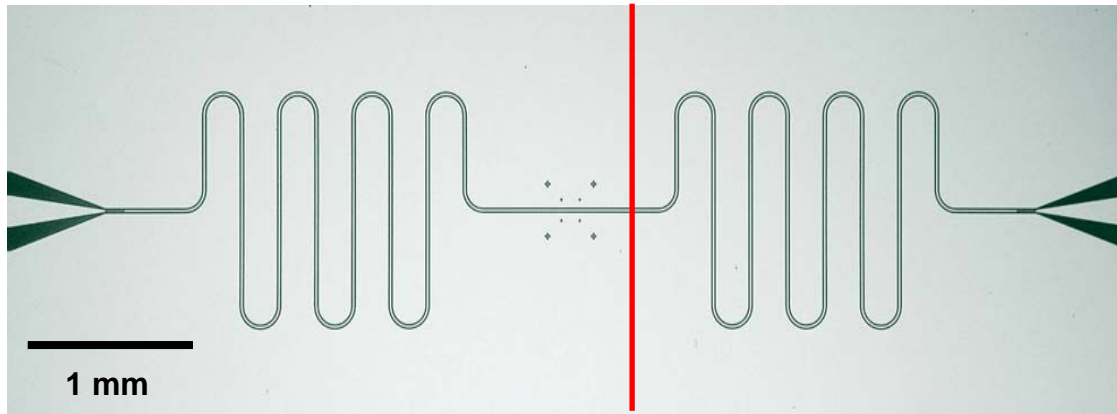
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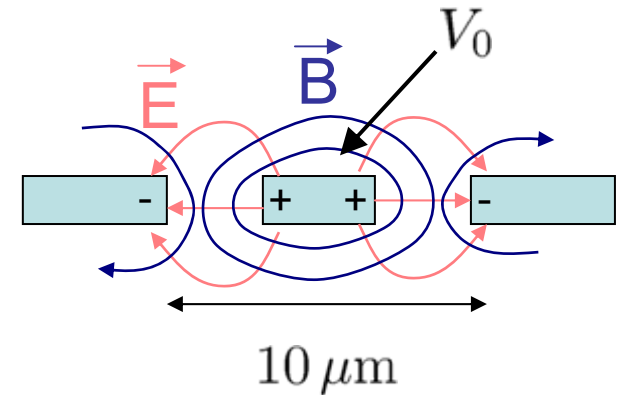
elements

- the cavity: a superconducting 1D transmission line resonator with **large vacuum field** E_0 and **long photon life time** $1/\kappa$
- the artificial atom: a Cooper pair box with **large dipole moment** d and **long coherence time** $1/\gamma$

Vacuum Field in 1D Cavity



cross-section
of transm. line (TEM mode):



voltage across resonator in vacuum state ($n = 0$)

harmonic oscillator

$$V_{0,\text{rms}} = \sqrt{\frac{\hbar\omega_r}{2C}} \approx 1 \mu\text{V}$$

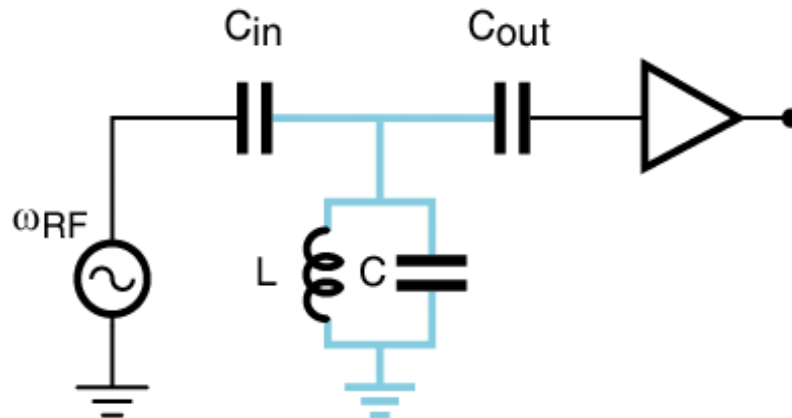
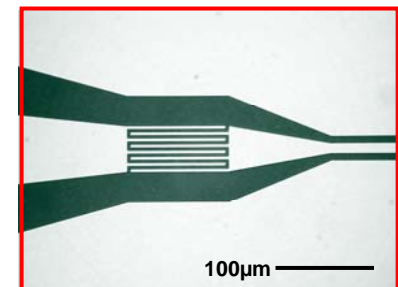
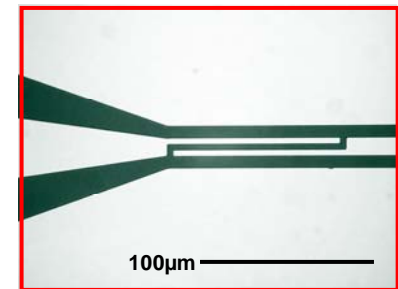
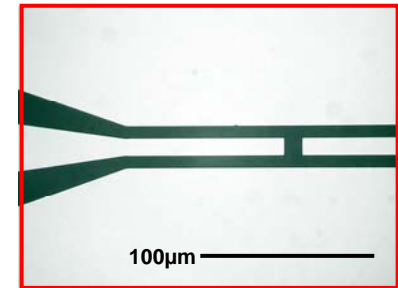
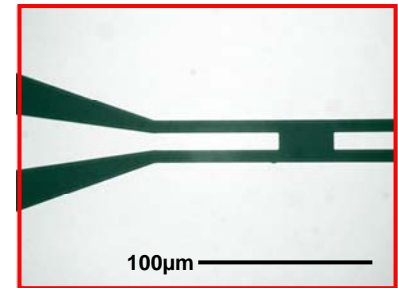
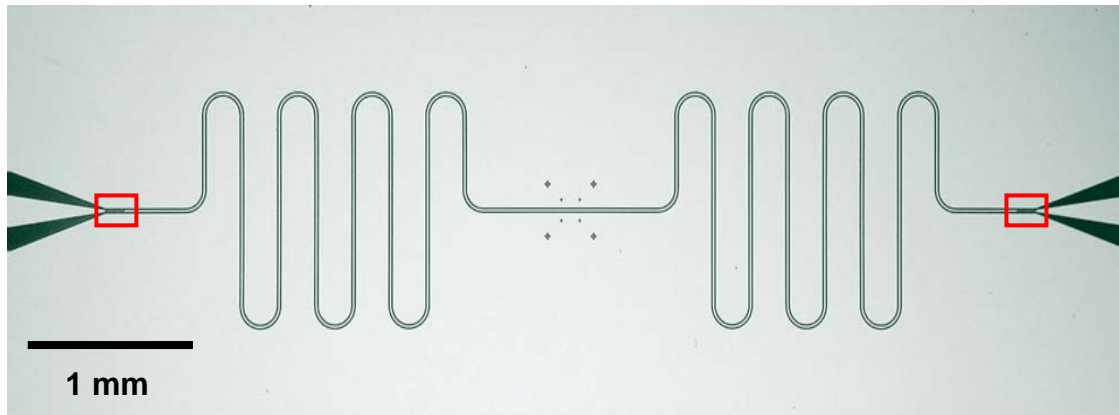
$$H_r = \hbar\omega_r \left(a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$E_0 = \frac{V_{0,\text{rms}}}{b} \approx 0.2 \text{ V/m}$$

$\times 10^6$ larger than E_0
in 3D microwave cavity

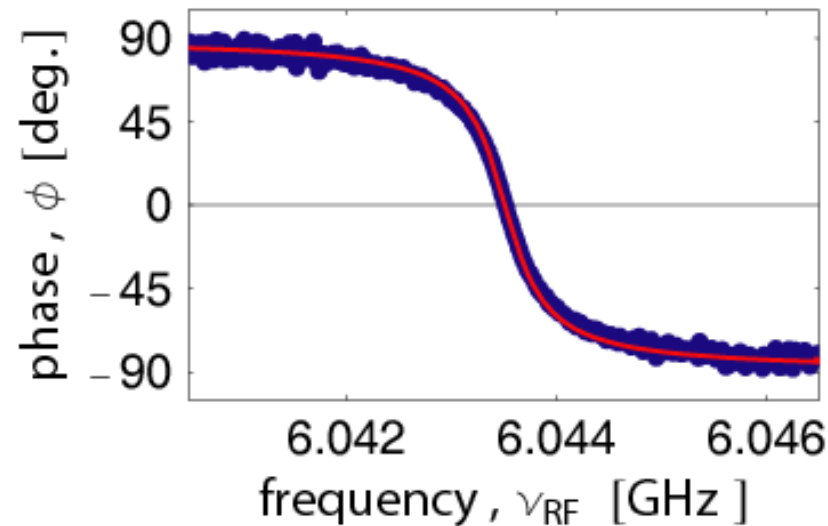
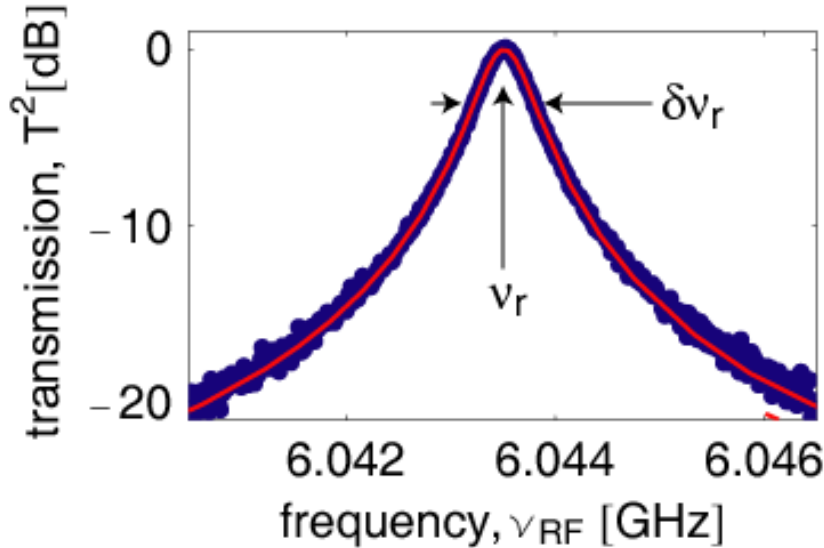
for $\omega_r/2\pi \approx 6 \text{ GHz}$ ($C \sim 1 \text{ pF}$), $b \approx 5 \mu\text{m}$

Storing Photons and Controlling their Life Time



photon lifetime (quality factor)
controlled by coupling capacitor $C_{in/out}$

Resonator Quality Factor and Photon Lifetime



resonance frequency:

$$\nu_r = 6.04 \text{ GHz}$$

quality factor:

$$Q = \frac{\nu_r}{\delta\nu_r} \approx 10^4$$

photon decay rate:

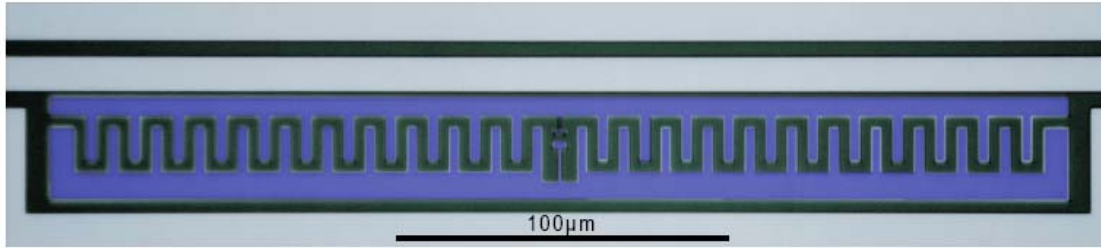
$$\frac{\kappa}{2\pi} = \frac{\nu_r}{Q} \approx 0.8 \text{ MHz}$$

photon lifetime:

$$T_\kappa = 1/\kappa \approx 200 \text{ ns}$$

Energy Levels of a Superconducting Qubit

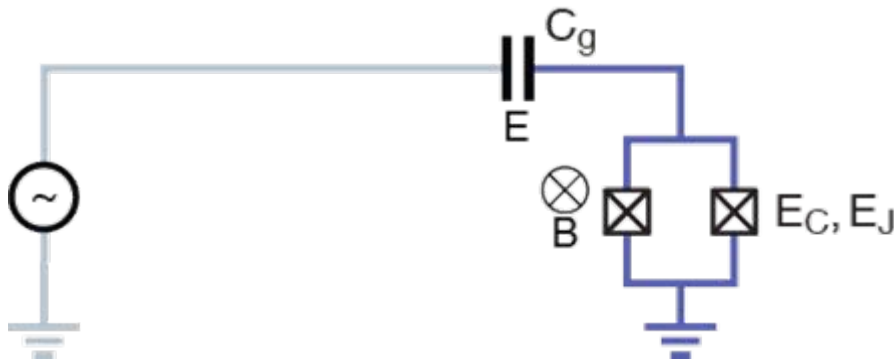
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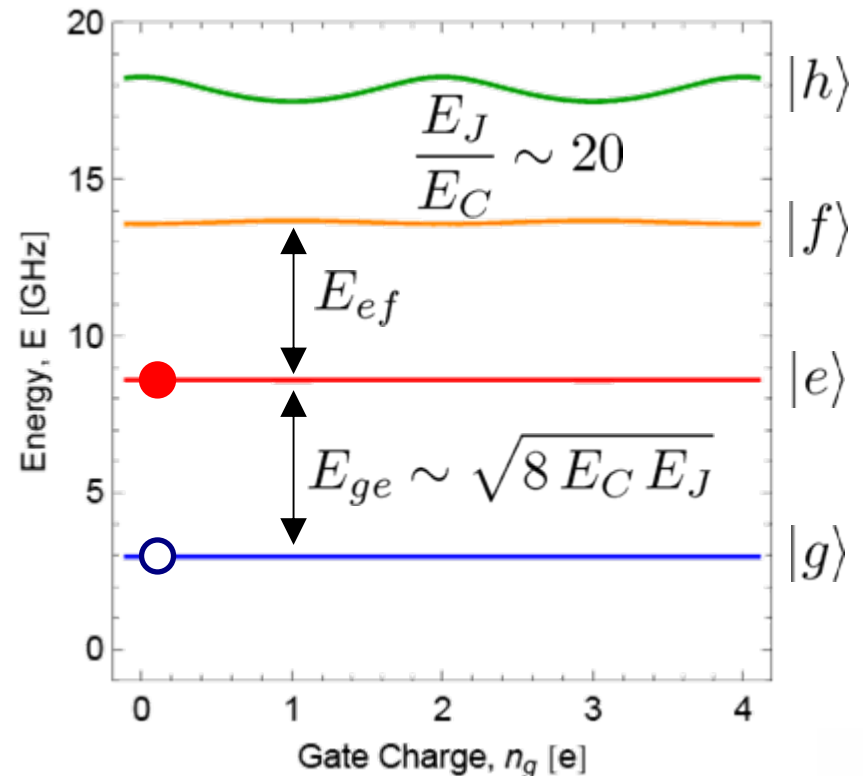
controllable by:

- electric fields E
- magnetic fields B

circuit diagram:



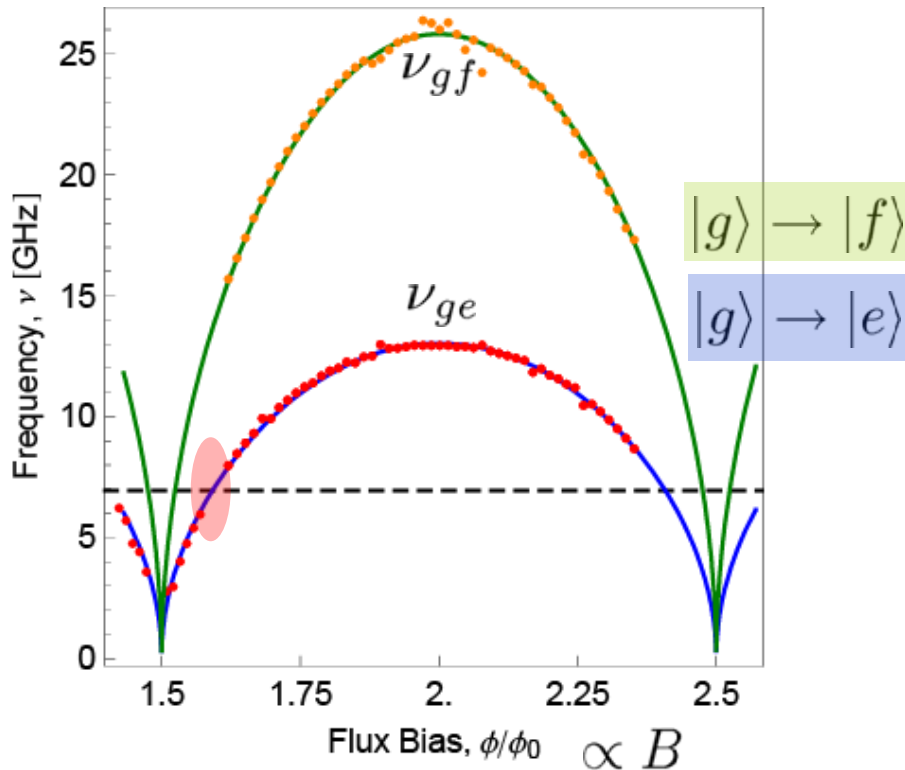
Transmon energy levels vs. E



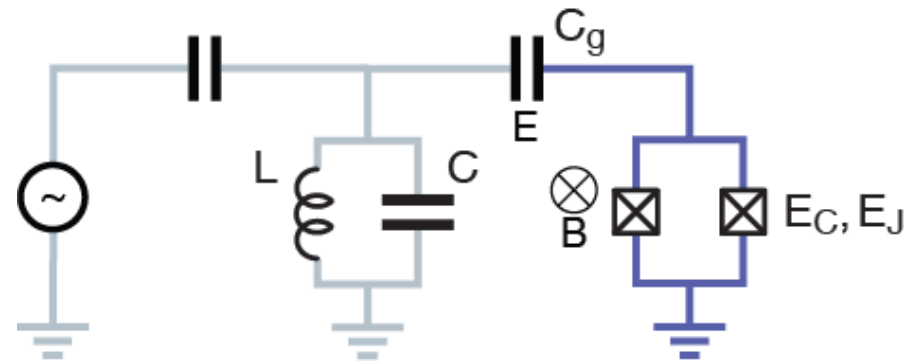
→ long excited state life time $T_1 = 1/\gamma$

B-Field Dependence of Energy Levels

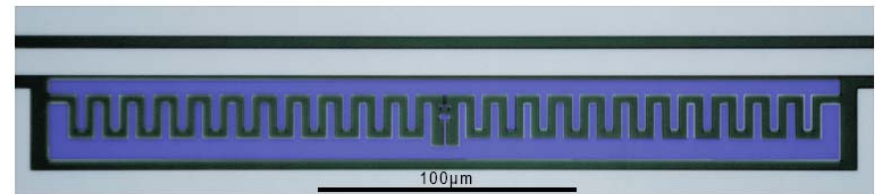
spectroscopic measurement of transition frequency vs. magnetic field B :



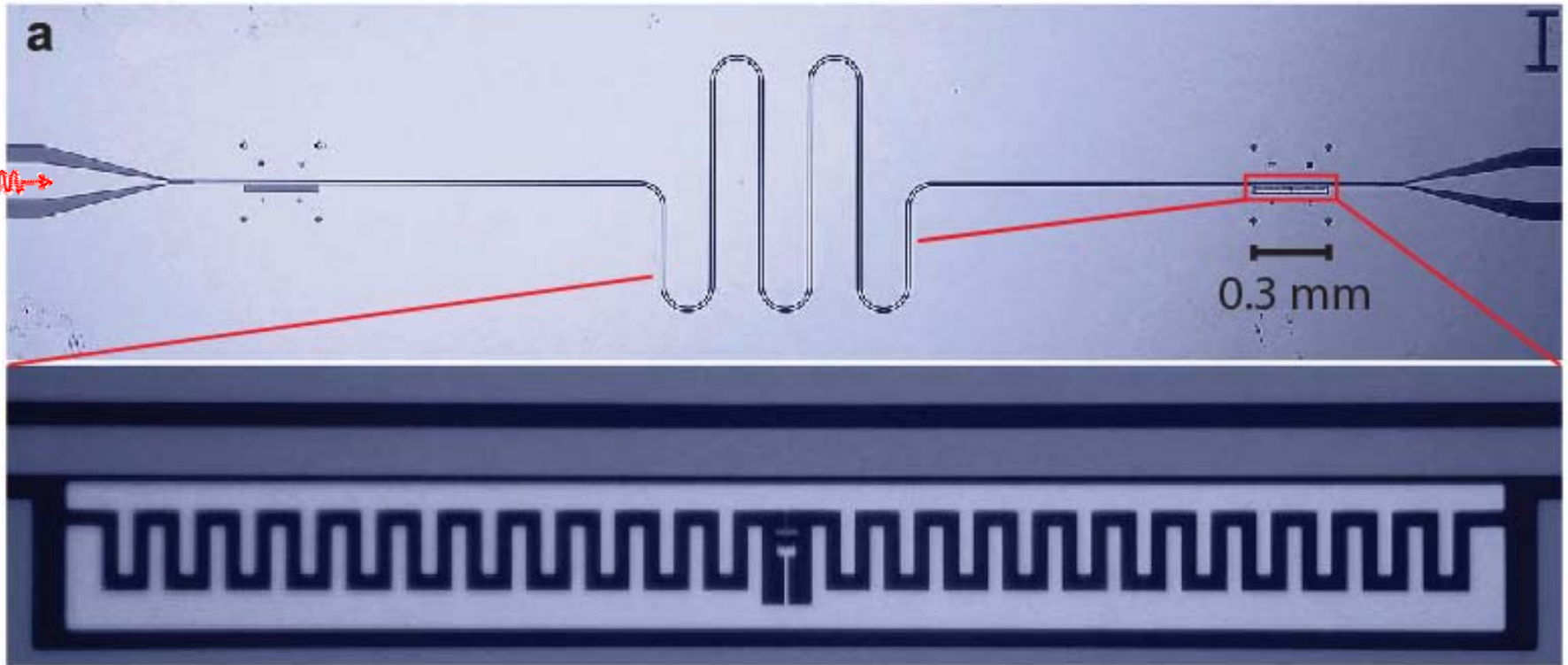
tune qubit into resonance



qubit coupled to resonator



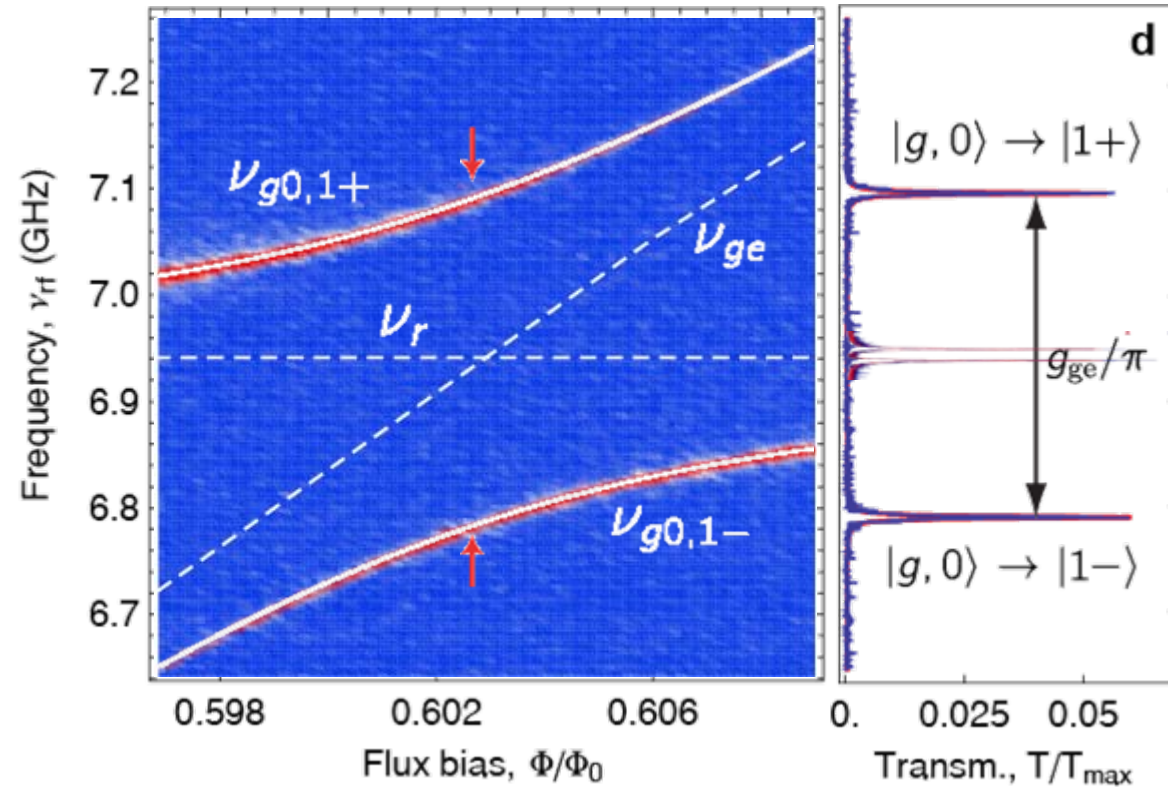
Strong Coupling Cavity QED Circuit



Resonant Vacuum Rabi Mode Splitting ...

... with one photon ($n = 1$):

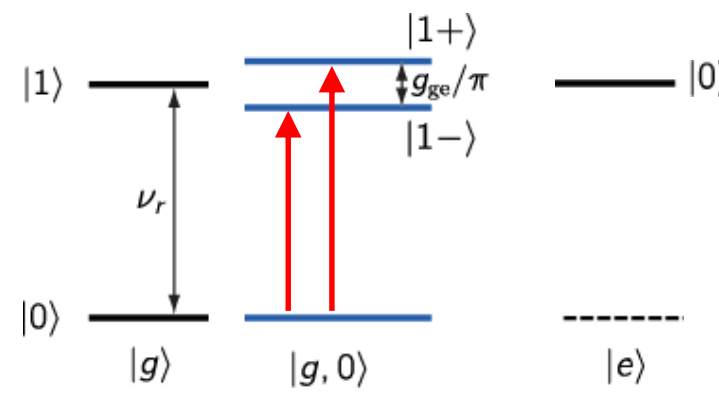
very strong coupling:



$g_{ge}/\pi = 308 \text{ MHz}$

$\kappa, \gamma < 1 \text{ MHz}$

$g_{ge} \gg \kappa, \gamma$



forming a 'molecule' of a qubit and a photon

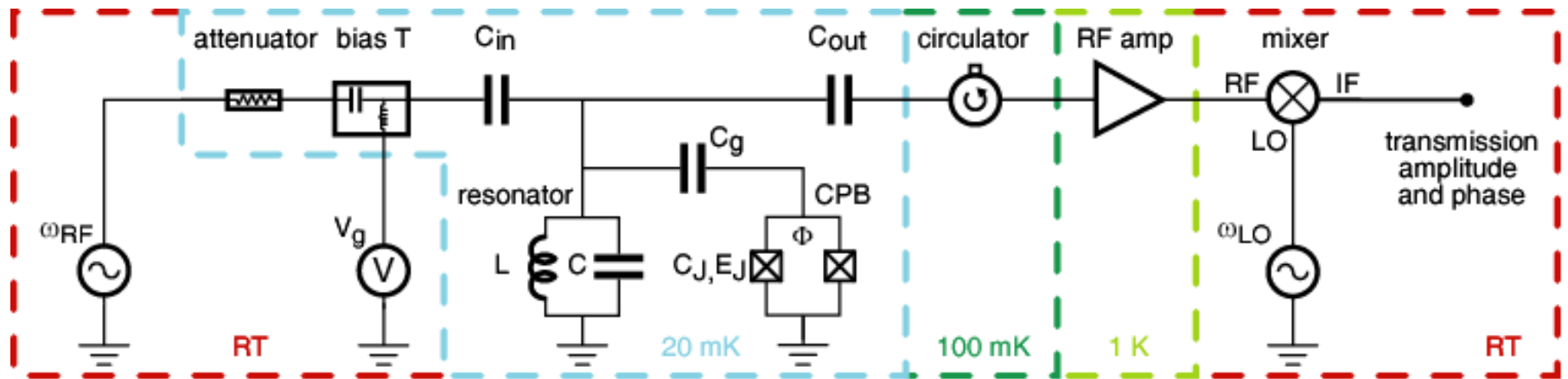
first demonstration: A. Wallraff, ... and R. J. Schoelkopf, *Nature (London)* **431**, 162 (2004)

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How to Measure Single Microwave Photons

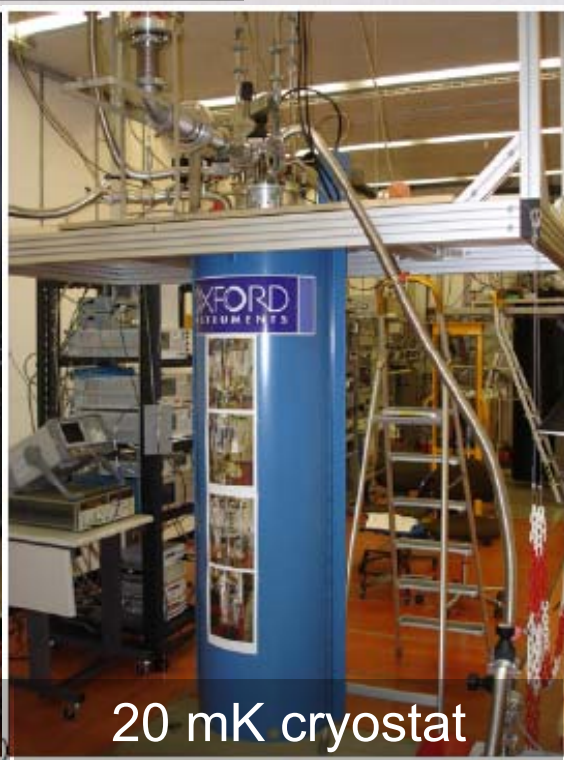
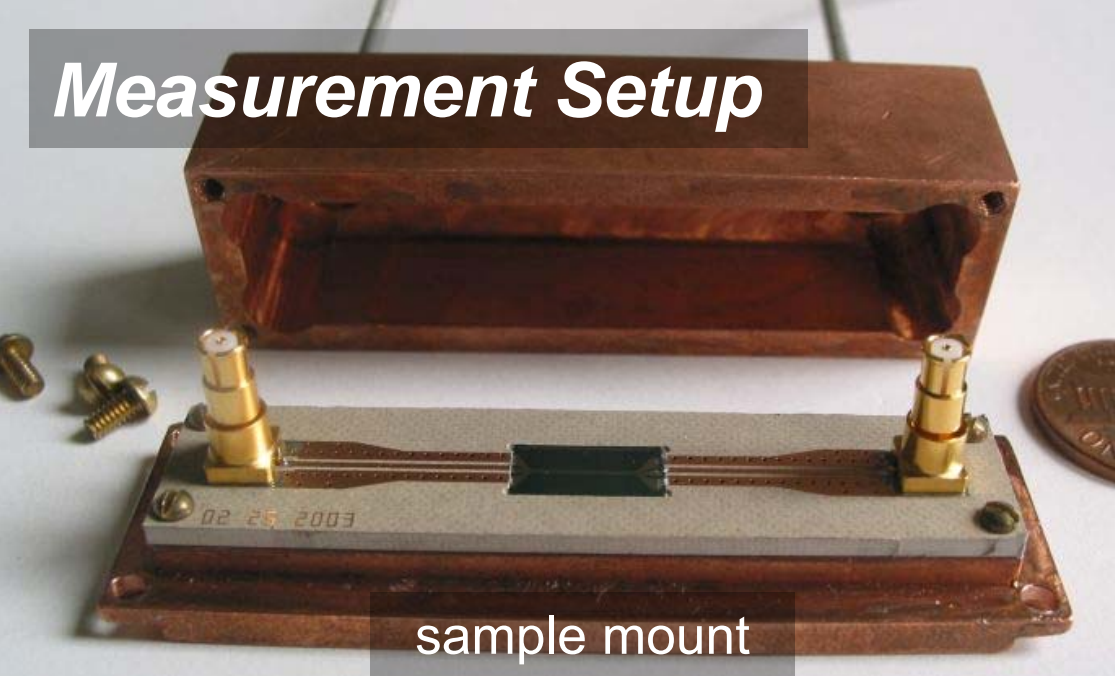
- average power to be detected

$$\rightarrow \langle n = 1 \rangle \hbar \omega_r \kappa / 2 \approx P_{RF} = -140 \text{ dBm} = 10^{-17} \text{ W}$$



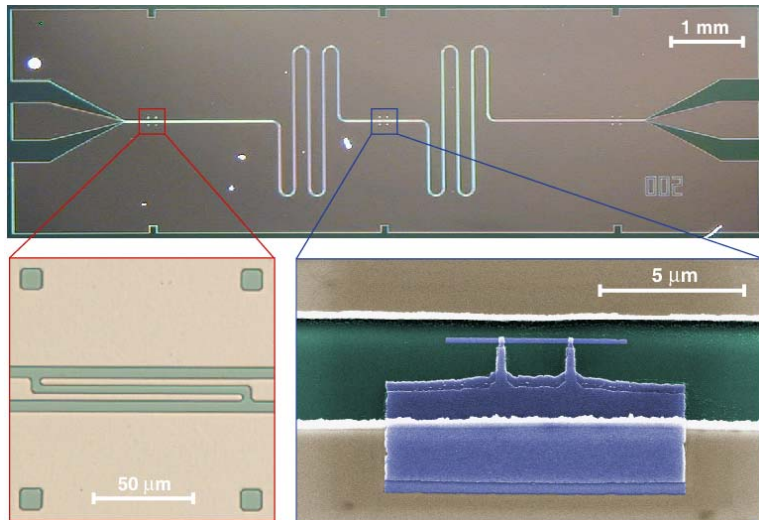
- efficient with cryogenic low noise HEMT amplifier ($T_N = 6 \text{ K}$)
- prevent leakage of thermal photons (cold attenuators and circulators)

Measurement Setup

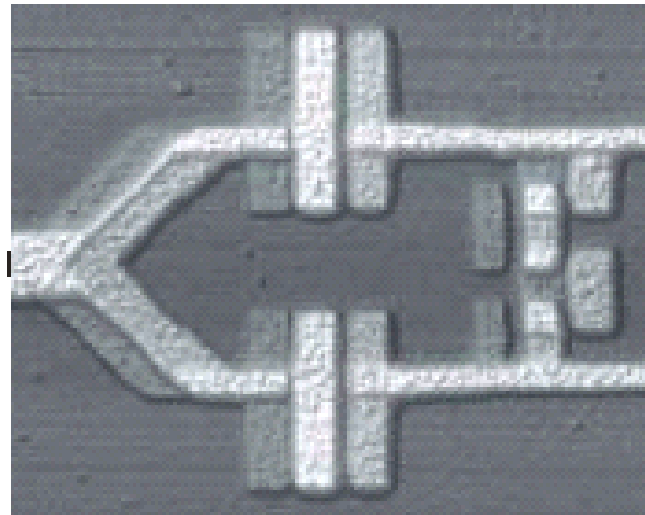


Strong Coupling with Superconducting Circuits

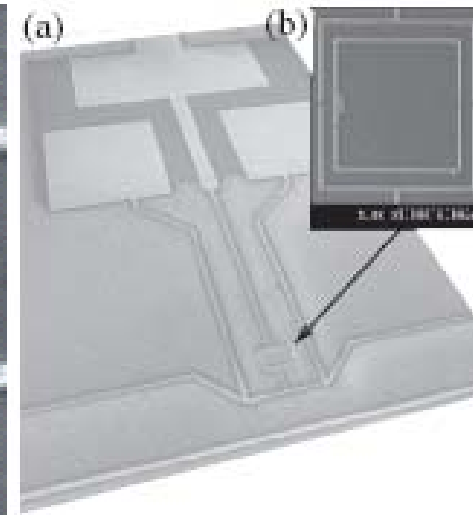
circuit quantum electrodynamics (QED) experiments since 2004:



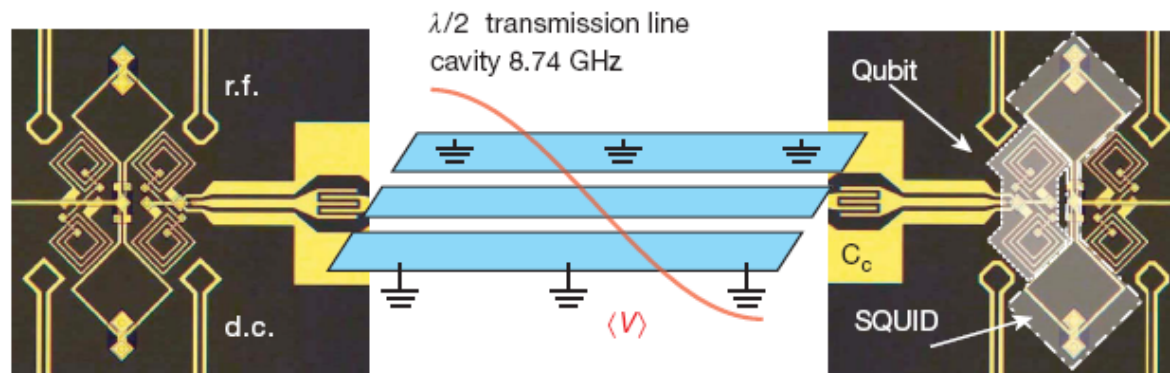
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Nature (London) **431**, 162 (2004)



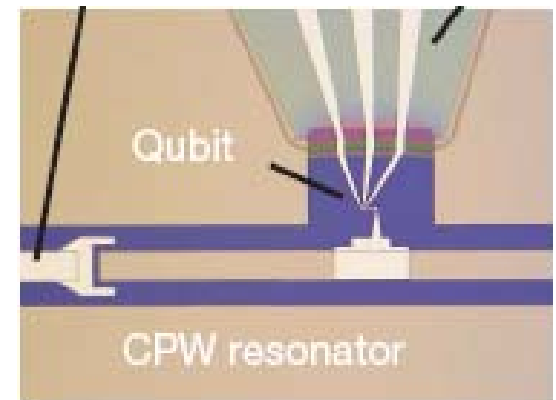
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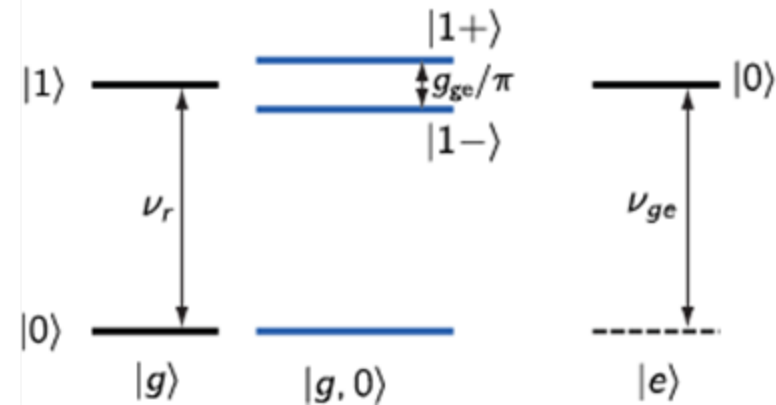
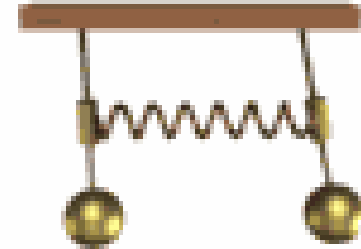


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The Quantum Nonlinearity of the J-C Ladder

Why to probe the nonlinearity?

- classical interpretation of first doublet
- quantum effects
 - scaling of coupling rate g_{eff} with amplitude (square root of photon number n)
- \sqrt{n} -scaling is a pure quantum effect
 - direct evidence for field quantization
 - studied in time-resolved measurements of the atom but until recently not in spectroscopic experiments

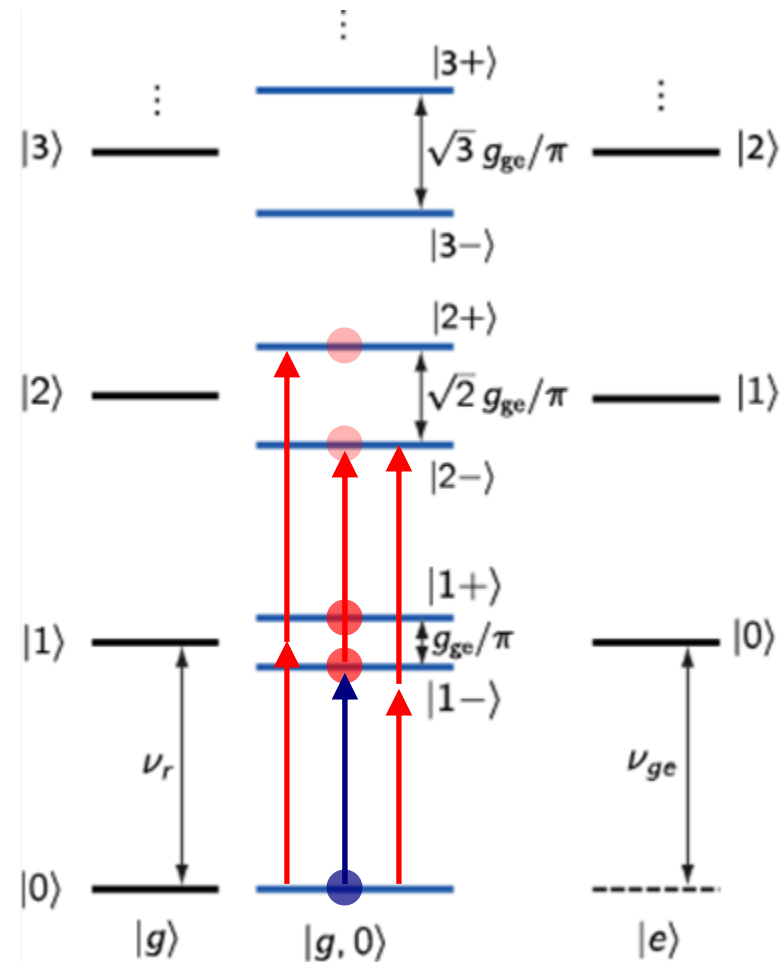


$$|n\pm\rangle = (|g, n\rangle \pm |e, n-1\rangle) / \sqrt{2}$$

Climbing the Jaynes-Cummings Ladder

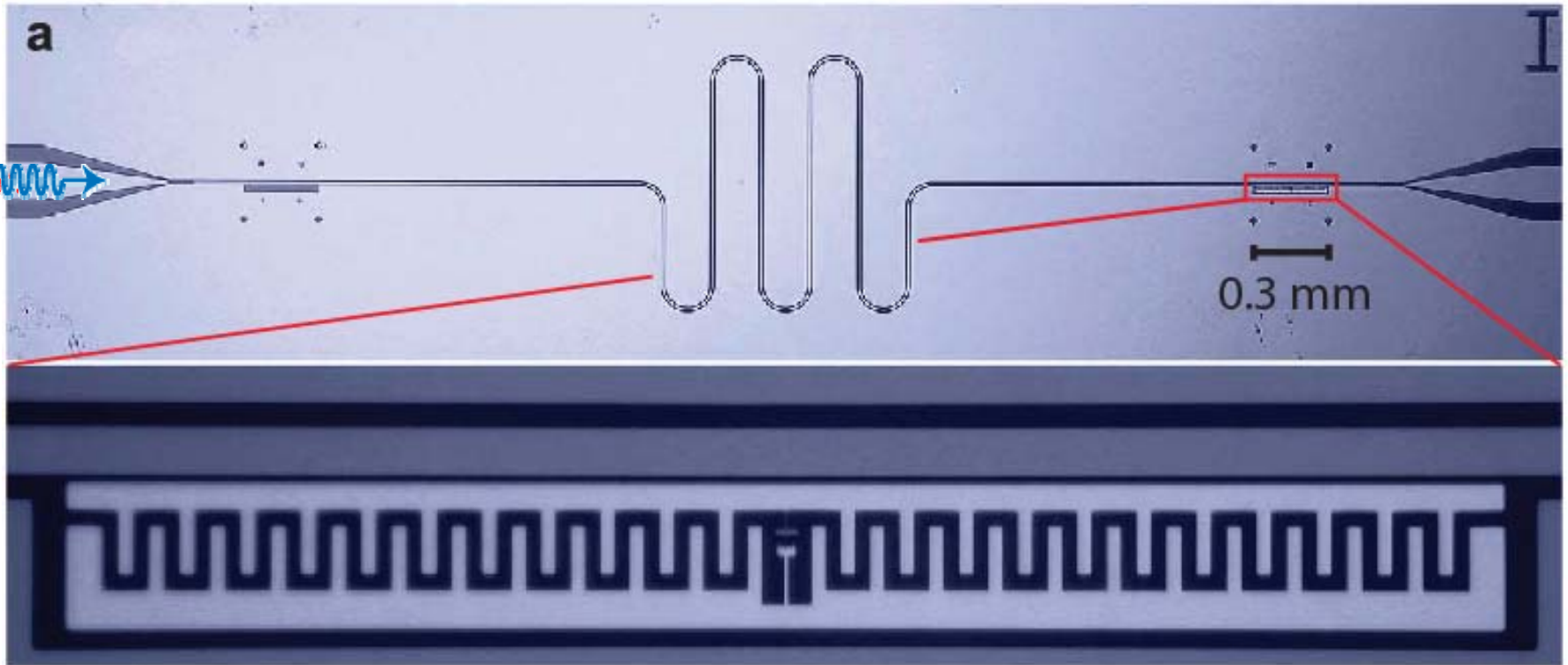
How to climb the ladder?

- cool to ground state $|g, 0\rangle$
- Controllably increase # n of excitations
 - thermal population
 - multi photon transitions
 - pump and probe spectroscopy



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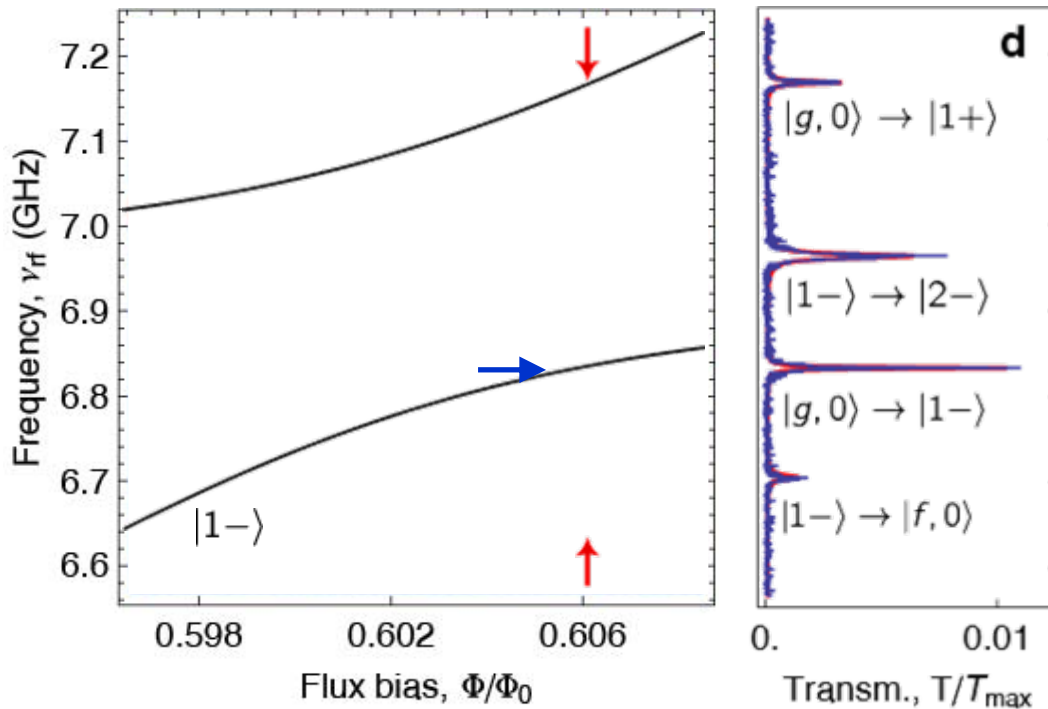
Two-Photon Pump and Probe Spectroscopy



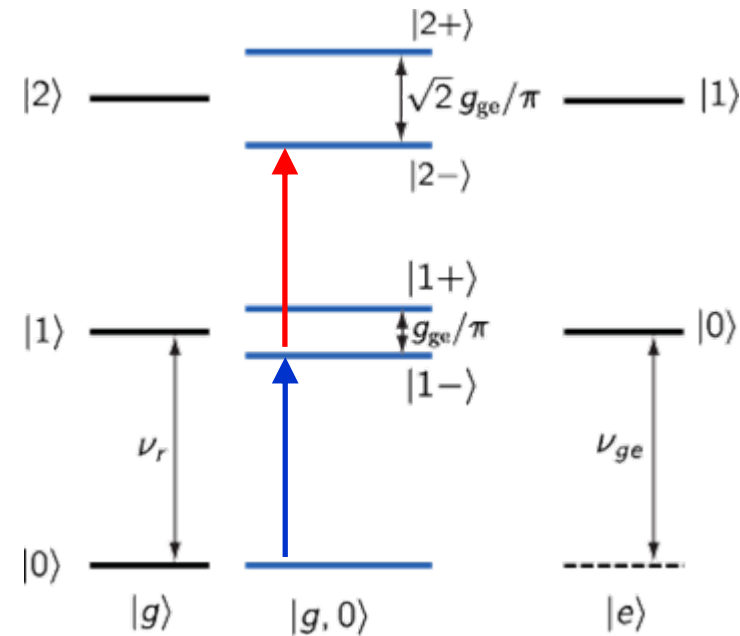
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Resonant Vacuum Rabi Mode Splitting ...

... with two photons ($n = 2$):



pump and probe: $|n-\rangle$

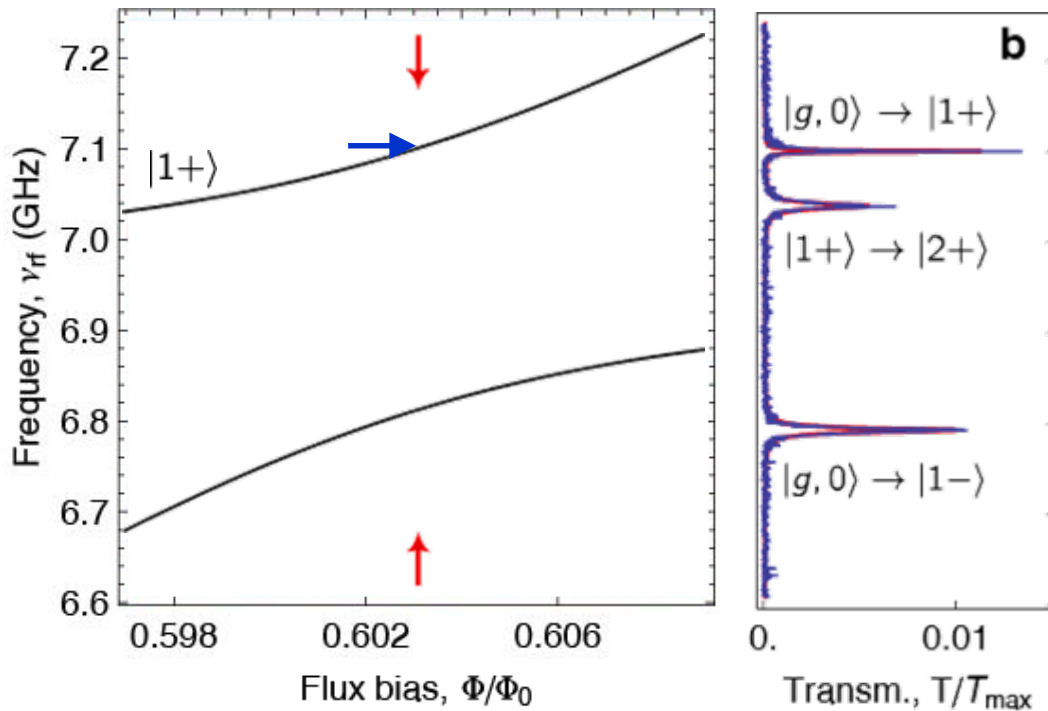


- $|n-\rangle \rightarrow |n+\rangle$ is weak

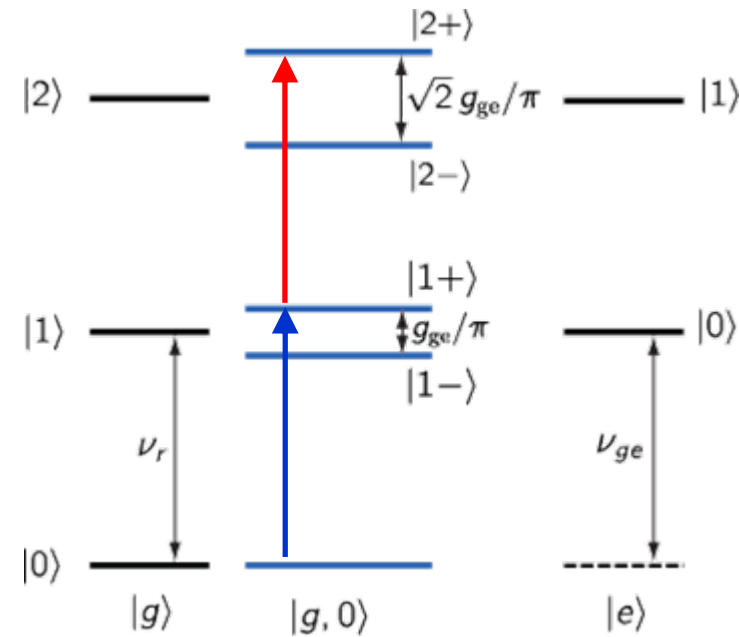
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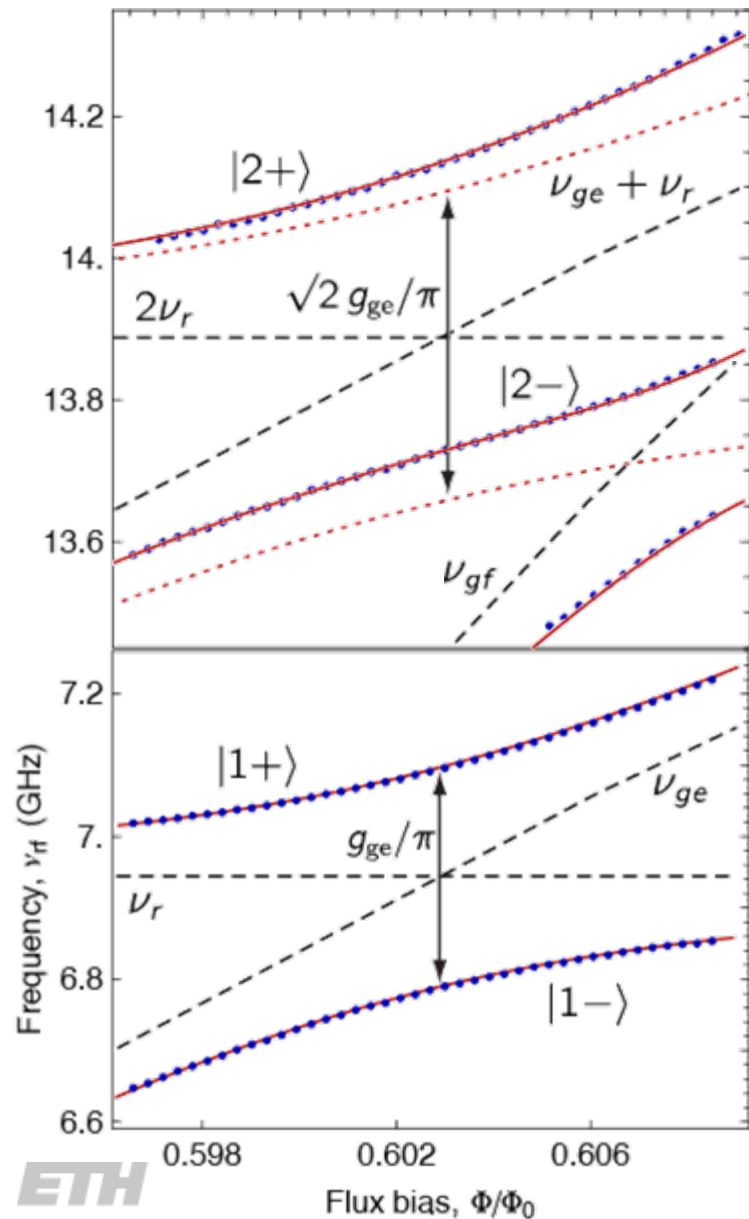
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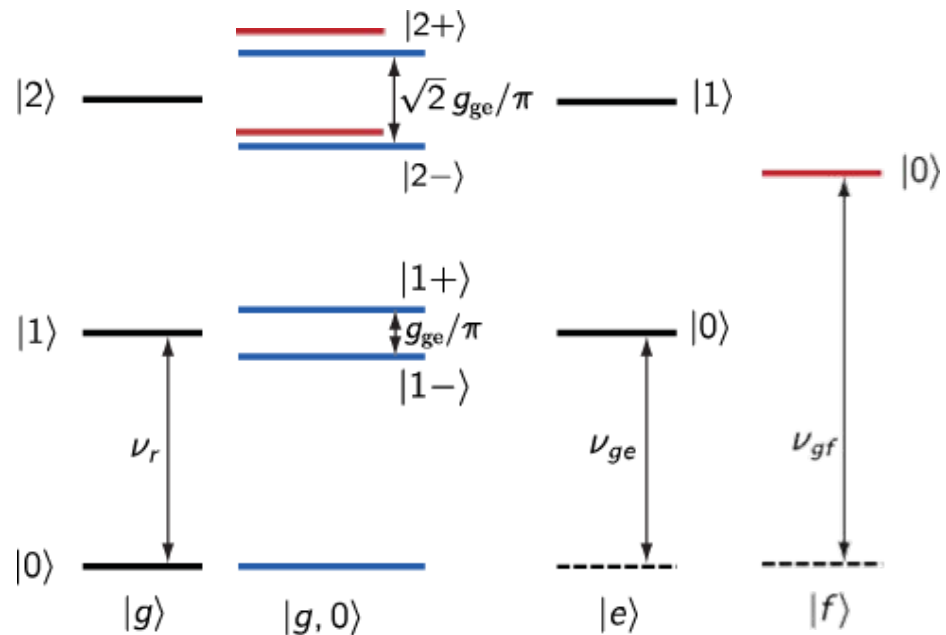
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Sqrt(n) Quantum Nonlinearity



- energies reconstructed from pump + probe
- shifts due to 3rd qubit level $|f\rangle$
- full Hamiltonian yields good agreement
- clear spectroscopic demonstration of field quantization in cavity QED



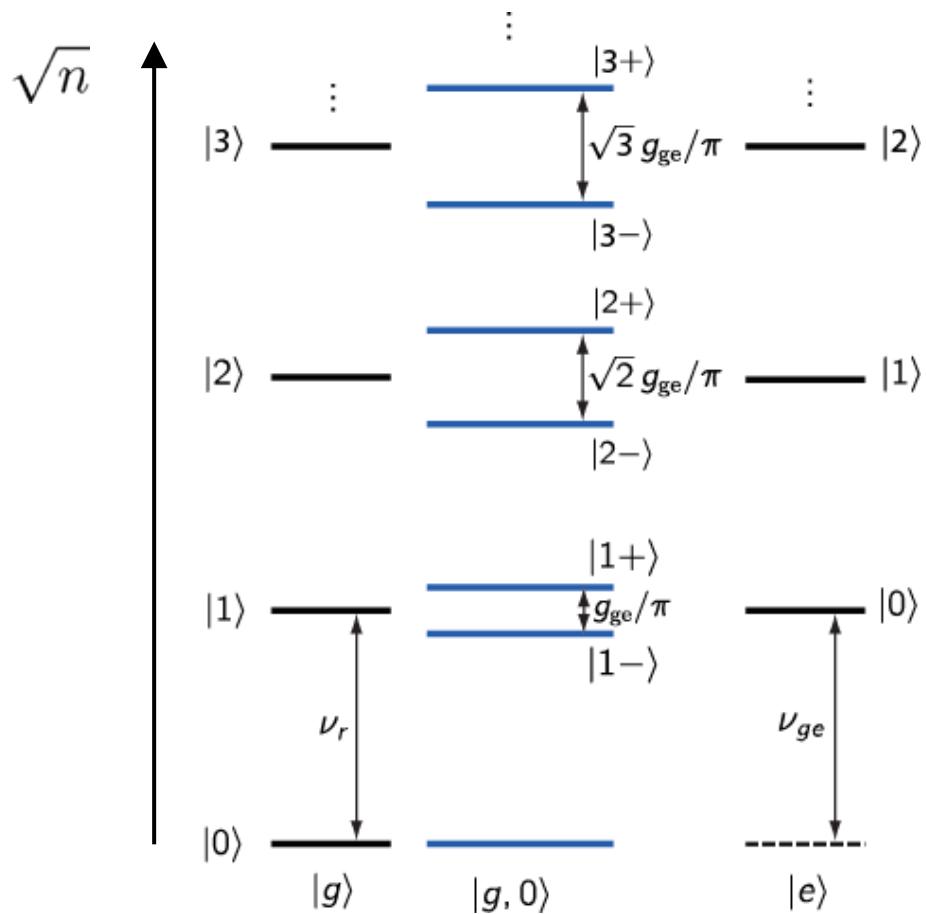
Cavity QED with Multiple Atoms

coupling scales with number m of atoms

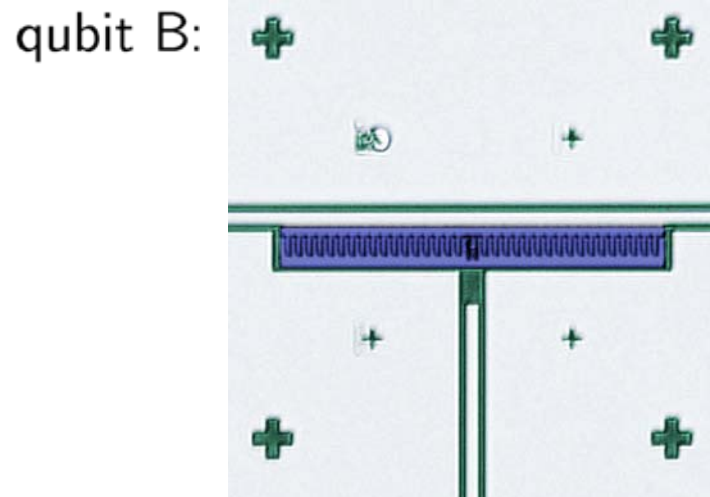
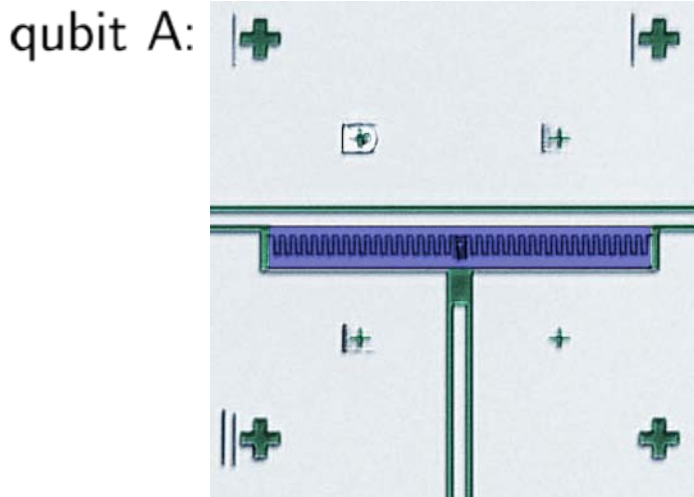
$$\sqrt{m}$$



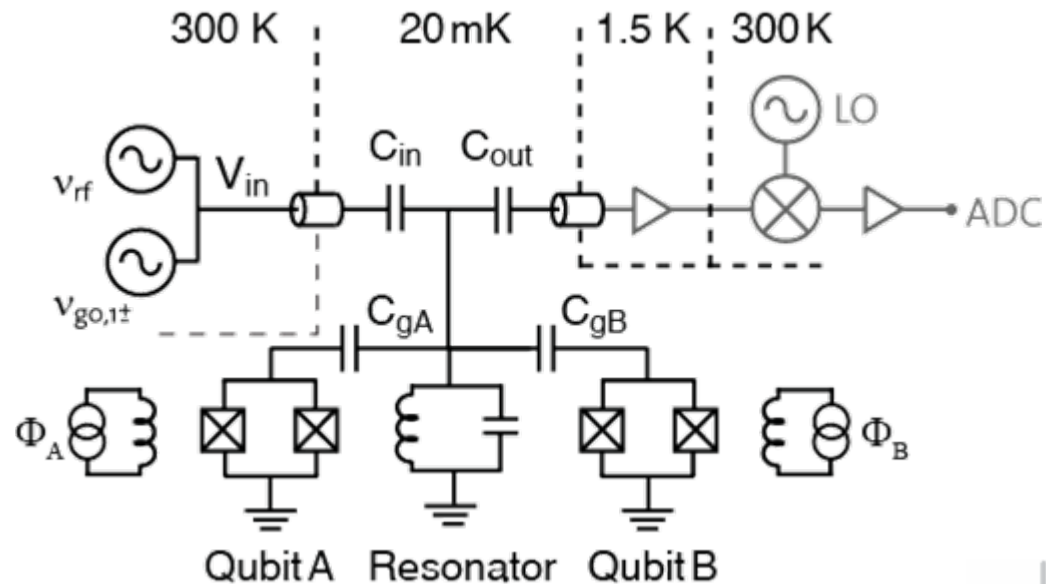
coupling scales with number n of photons



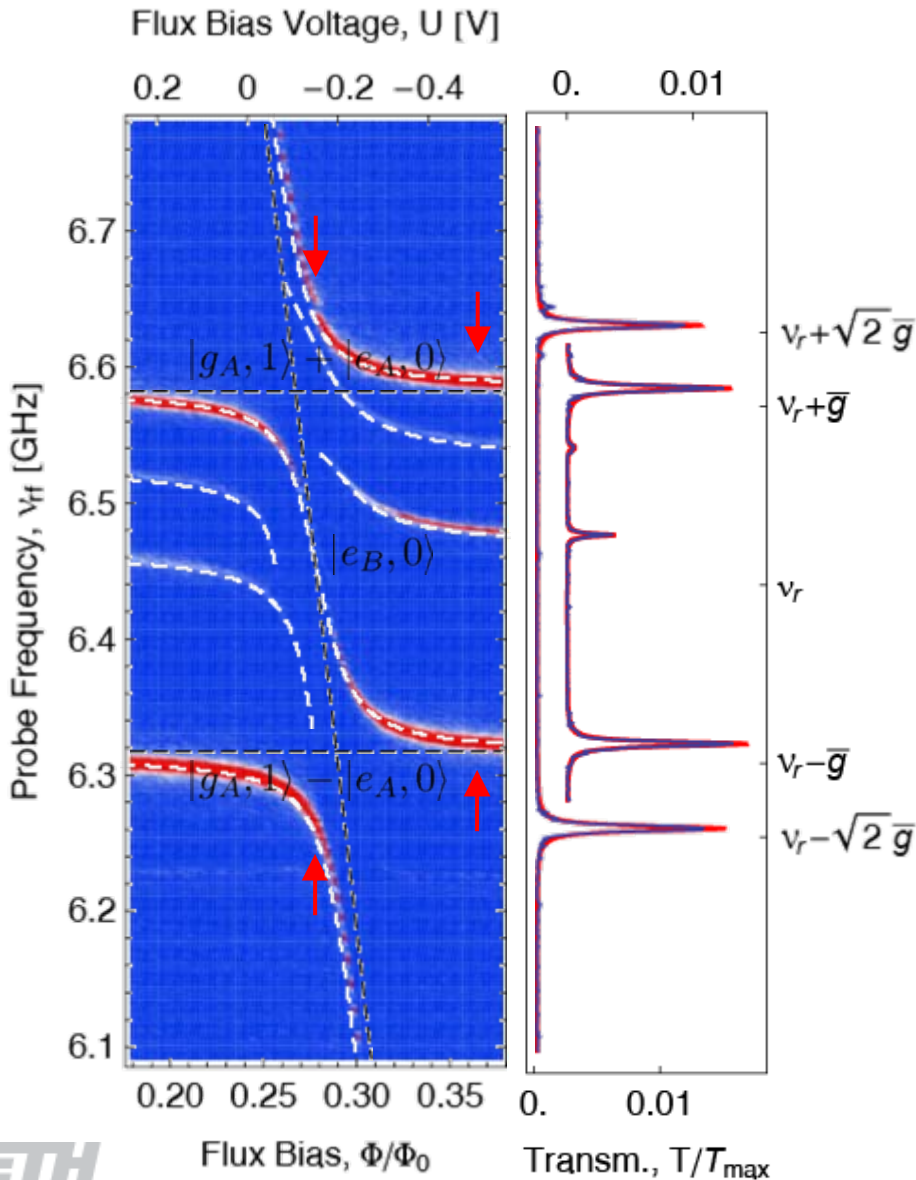
Two-'Atom' Cavity QED



- two almost identical qubits
- two almost identical coupling constants $g_{A,B}$
- local flux control $\Phi_{A,B}$



Two Qubit Vacuum-Rabi Mode Splitting



- qubit A in resonance with resonator ($\nu_{ge} = \nu_r$)

$$|g_A, 1\rangle \pm |e_A, 0\rangle$$

- qubit B tuned into resonance with local flux Φ_B

- two qubit & resonator coupled states

$$|g_A g_B 1\rangle \pm |e_A g_B 0\rangle \pm |g_A e_B 0\rangle$$

- multi-qubit splitting scales as $\sqrt{m} \bar{g}$, where m is the number of qubits

- and a little bit of a two-photon ($n = 2$) state



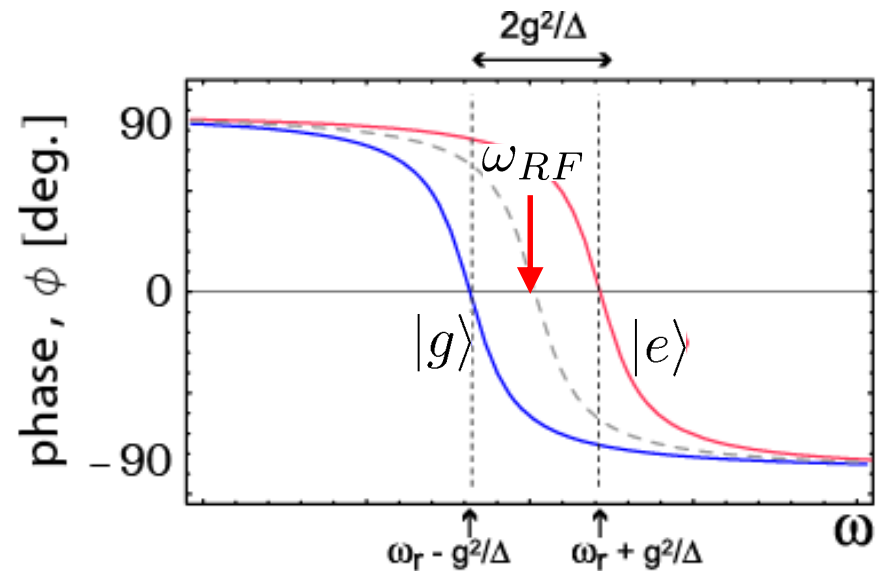
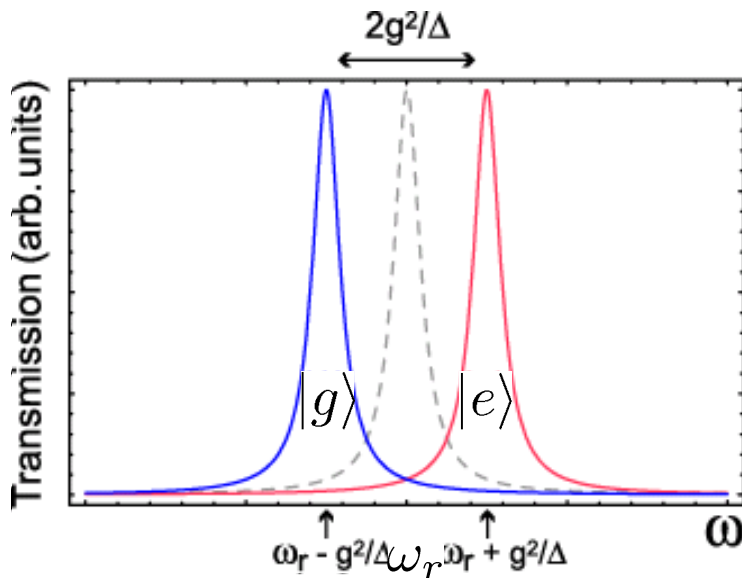
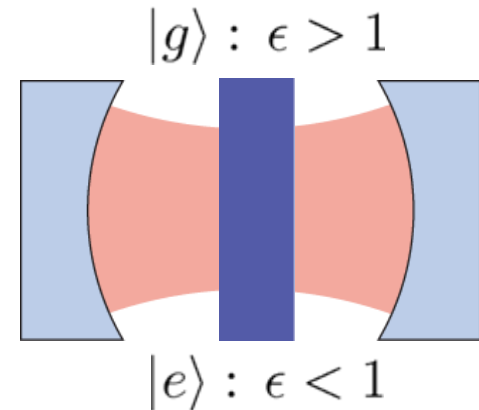
Dispersive Qubit-Photon Interaction

approximate diagonalization in the dispersive limit $|\Delta| = |\omega_a - \omega_r| \gg g$

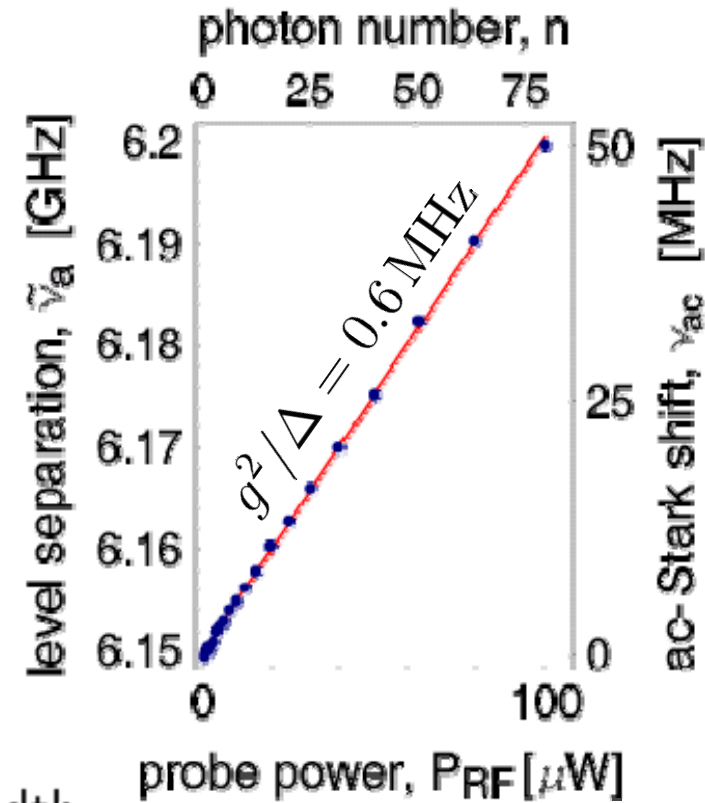
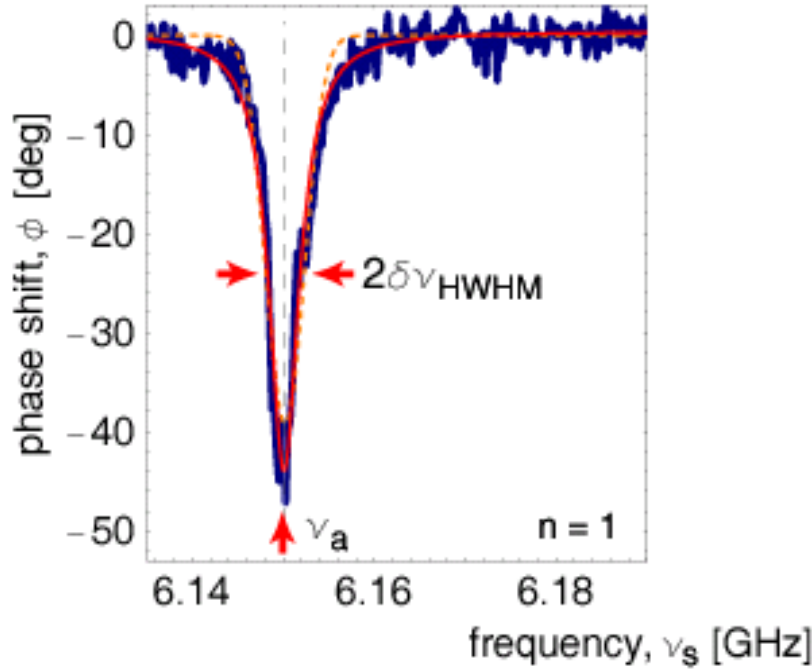
$$H \approx \hbar \left(\omega_r + \frac{g^2}{\Delta} \sigma_z \right) a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \hbar \left(\omega_a + \frac{g^2}{\Delta} \right) \sigma_z$$

//
cavity frequency shift
and qubit ac-Stark shift

//
Lamb shift



Qubit Spectroscopy & AC-Stark Effect



photon number dependence of line position and width

for $\Delta_{a,r} = \omega_a - \omega_r \gg g$

ac-Stark (light) shift

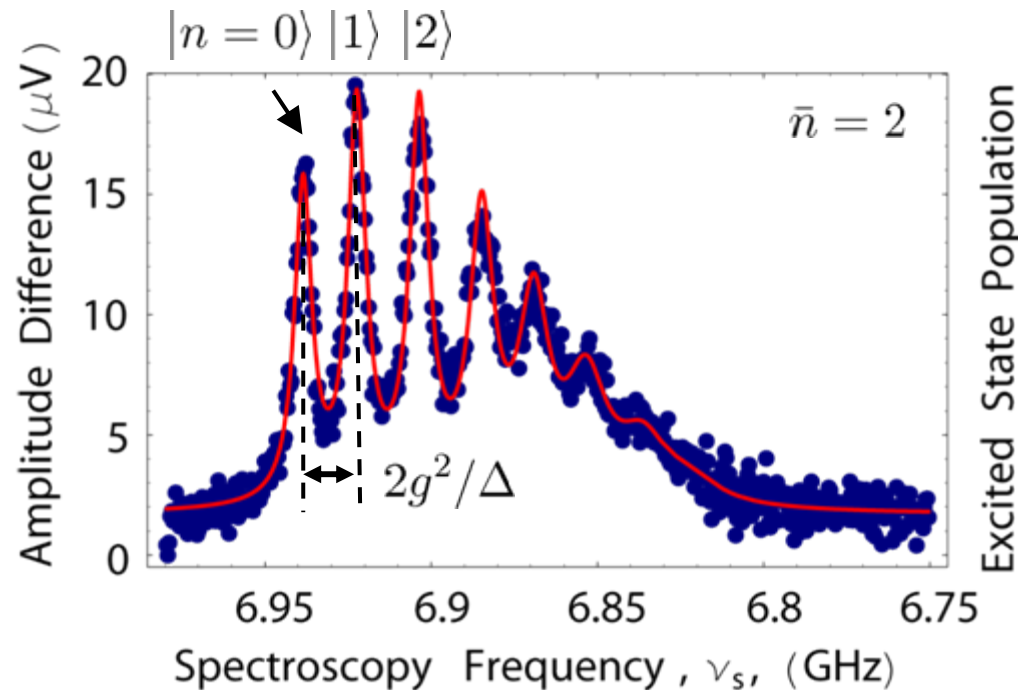
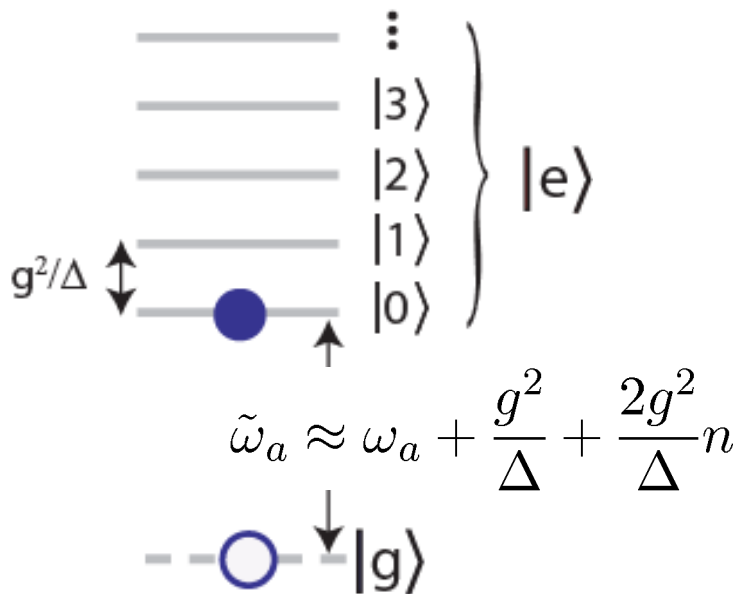
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Photon Number Dependent 'Quantum' Light Shift

ac-Stark (light) shift

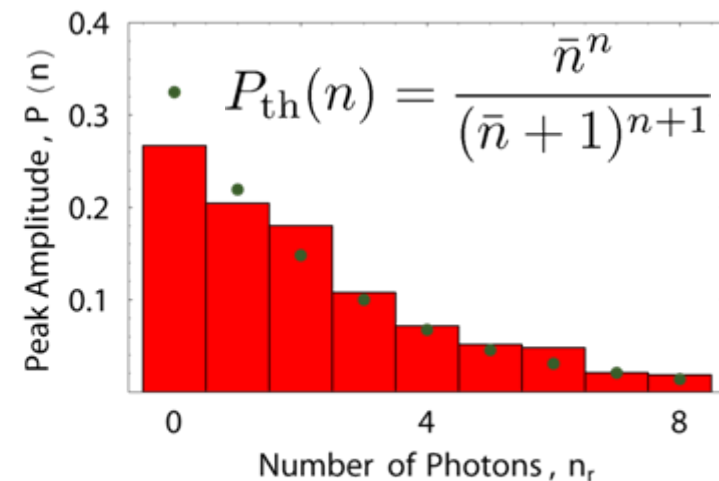
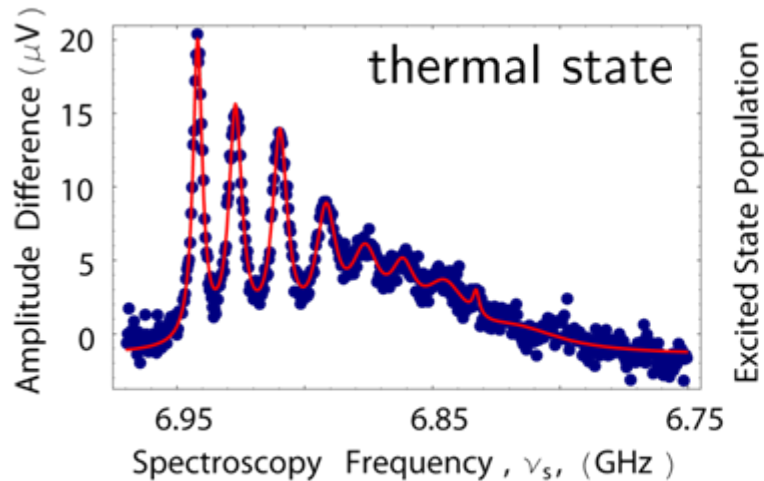
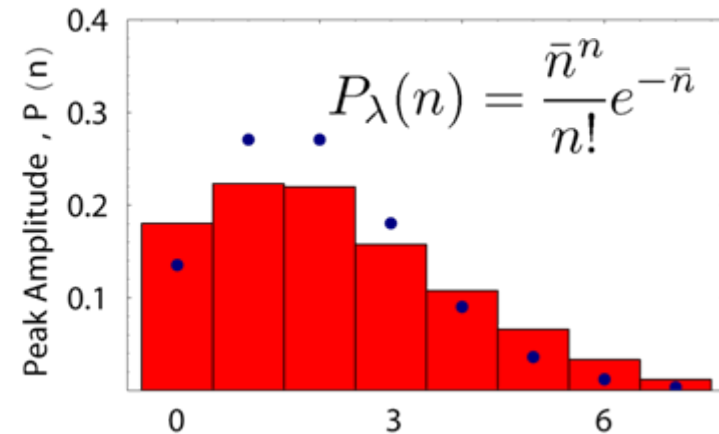
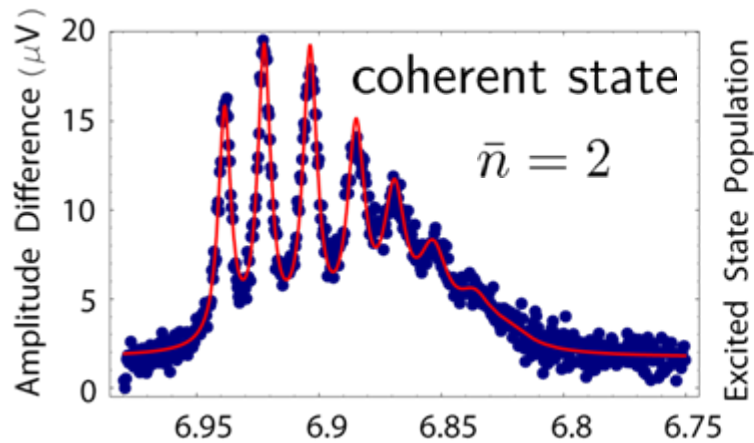
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weight of spectroscopic peaks relate to probability $P(n)$ of photon number states

Measuring Photon Number Statistics



distinguish between coherent and thermal states

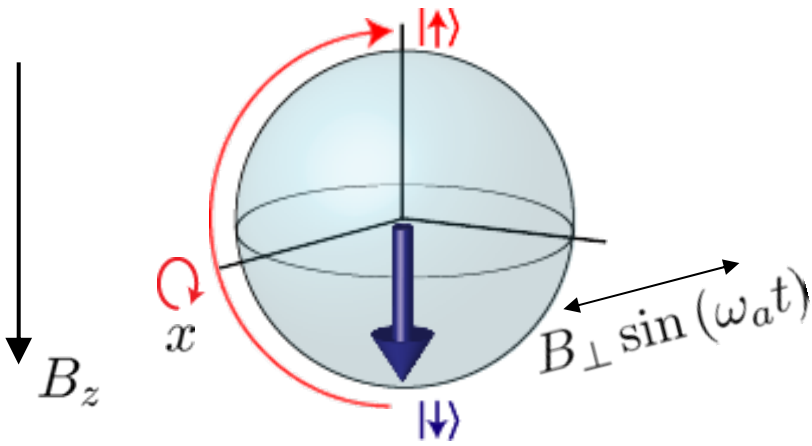
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Qubit Control and Time Resolved Measurements

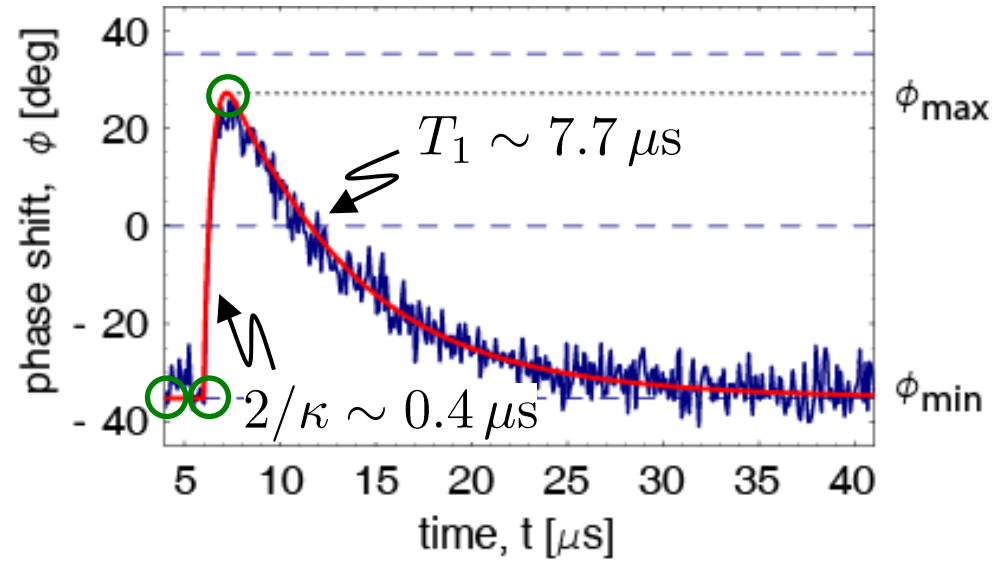
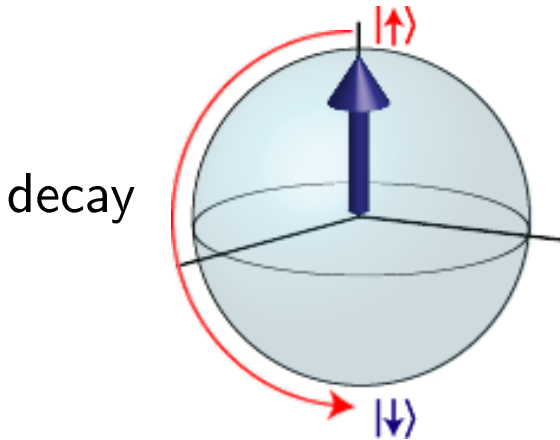
Rabi Oscillations, Ramsey Fringes, Tomography ...

Qubit Control and Readout

initialize



control

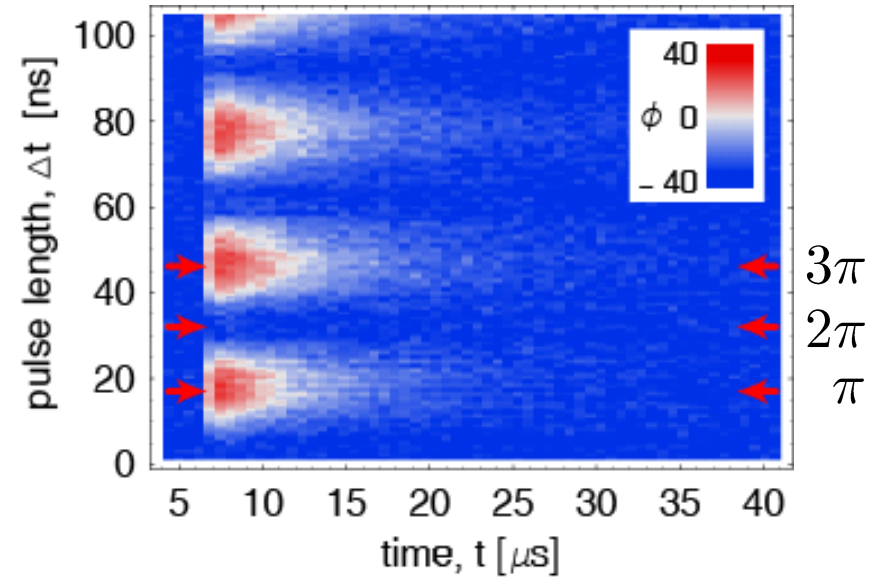
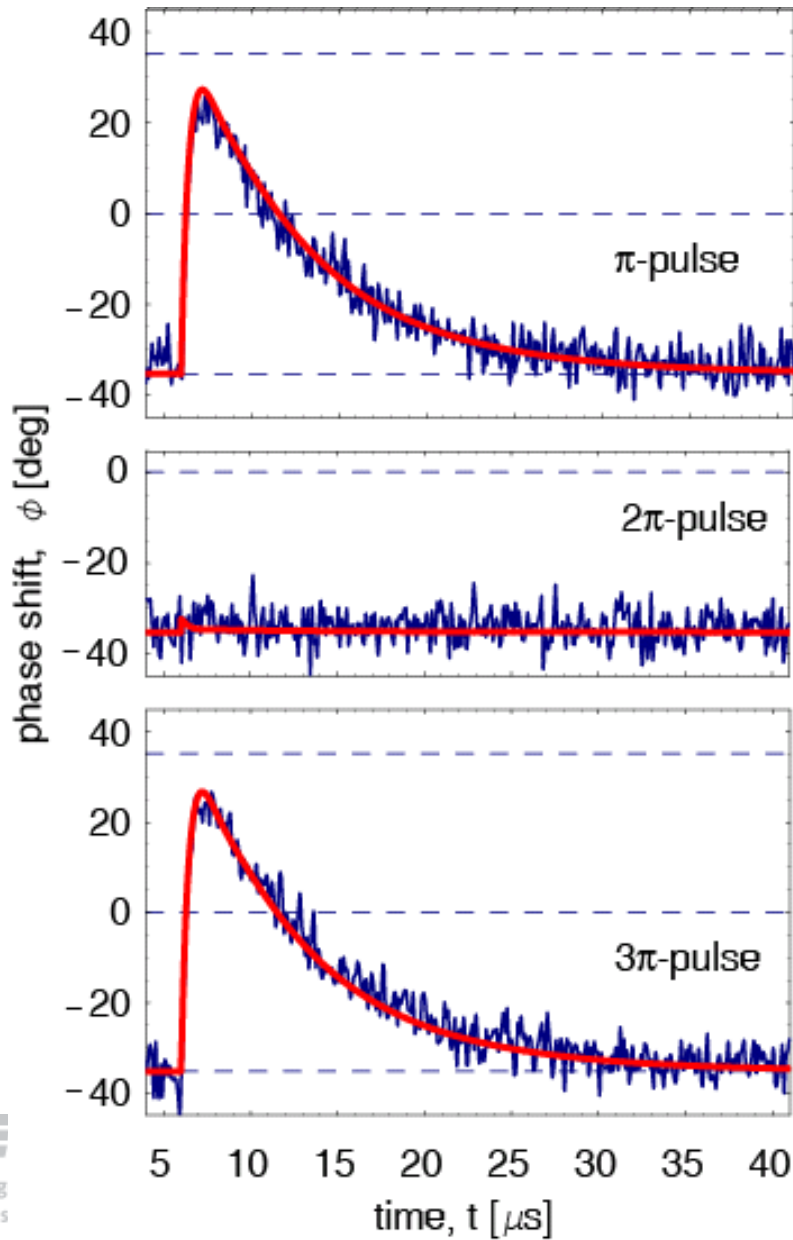


measurement properties:

- continuous
- dispersive
- quantum non-demolition
- in good agreement with predictions

Wallraff, Schuster, Blais, ... Girvin, and Schoelkopf,
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Rabi Oscillations (weak cont. measurement)



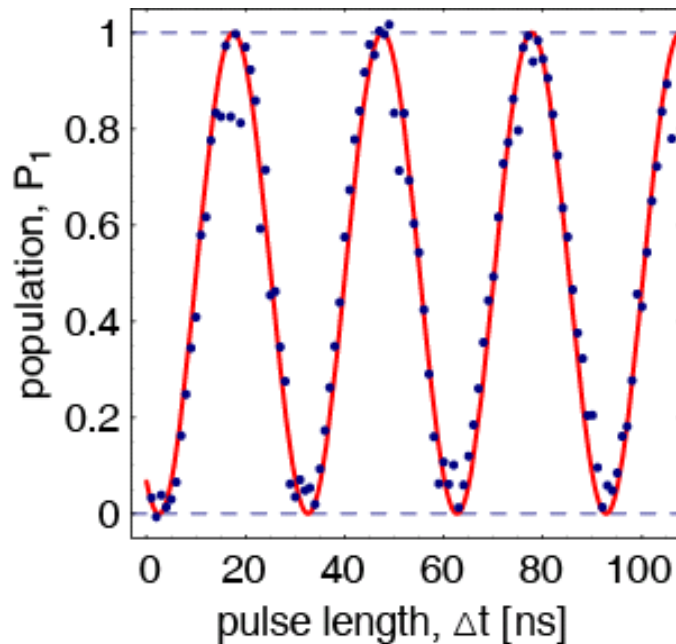
- high control fidelity
- high read-out fidelity
- good understanding of field-qubit interaction

High Fidelity Control & Read Out

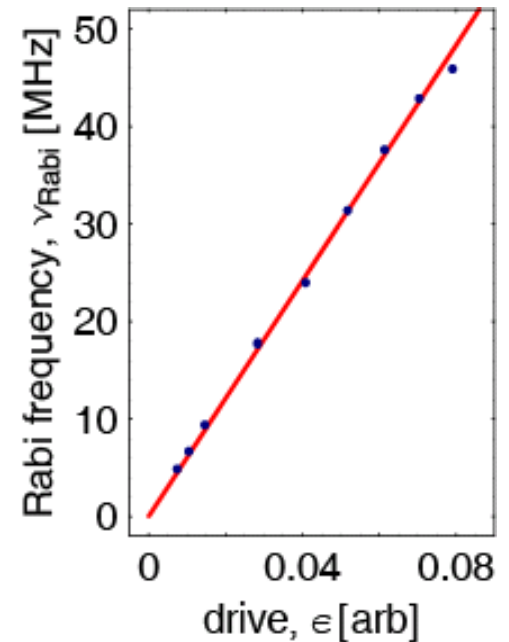
pulse scheme:



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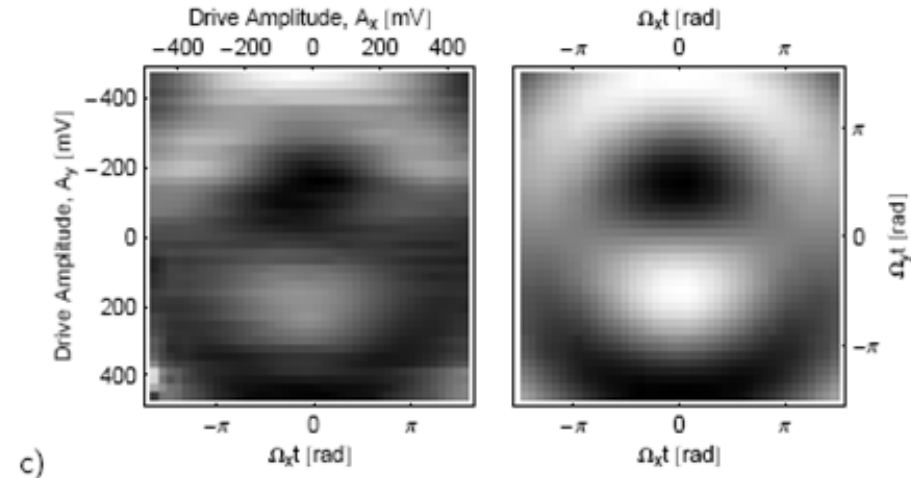
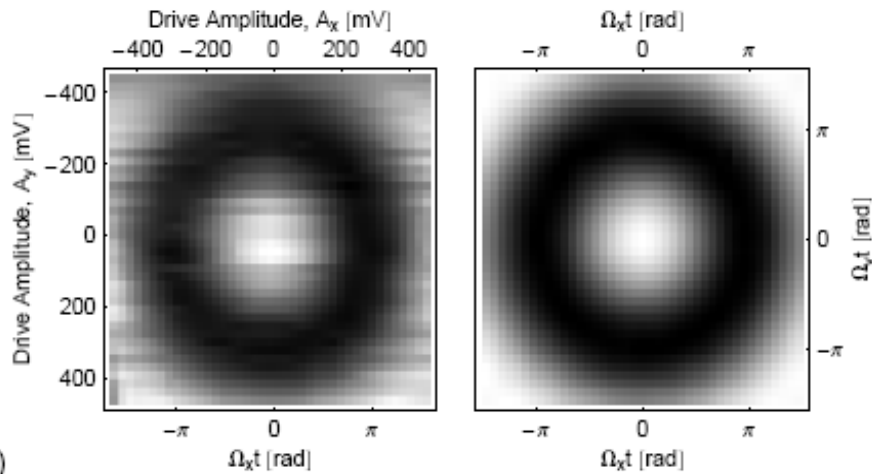
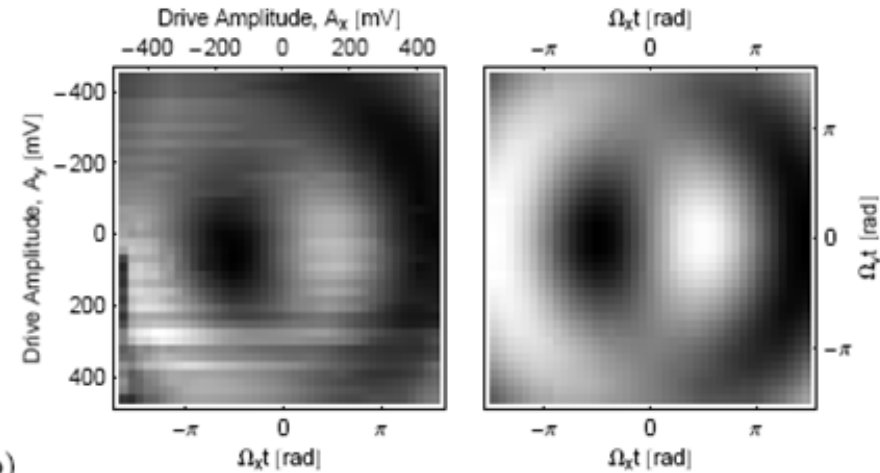
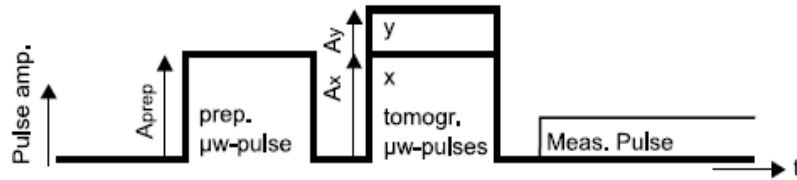


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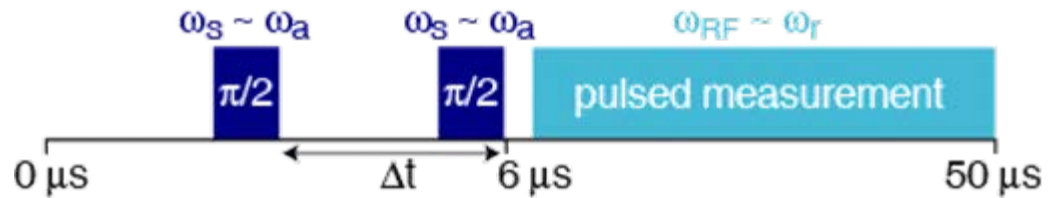
- high visibility $95 \pm 5\%$
- detailed understanding of qubit/read-out interaction

Quantum State Tomography

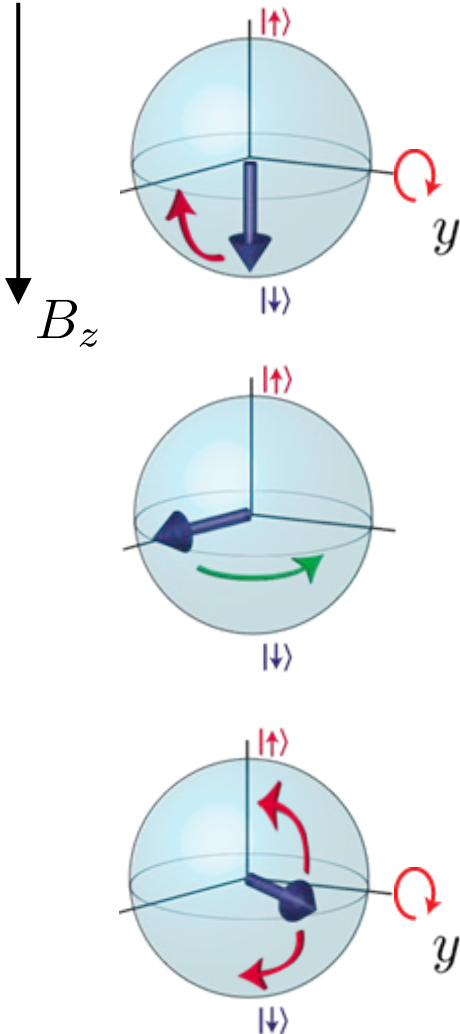
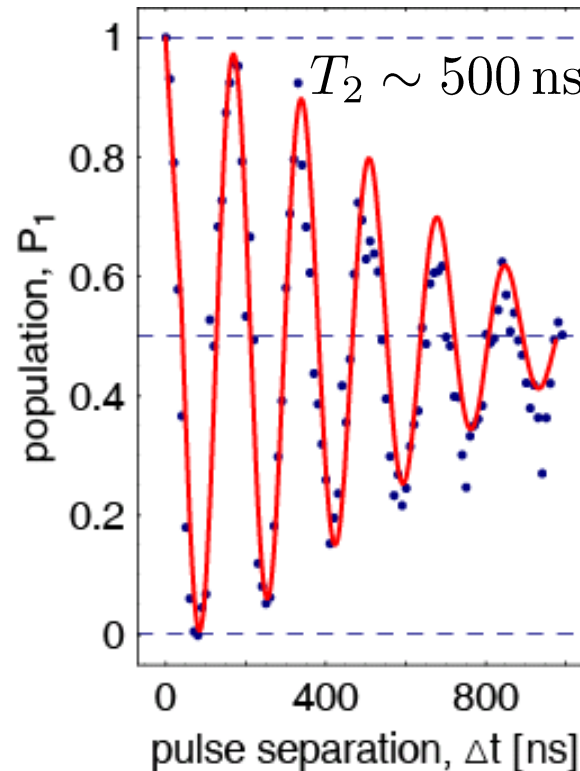


Single Qubit Coherence: Ramsey Fringes

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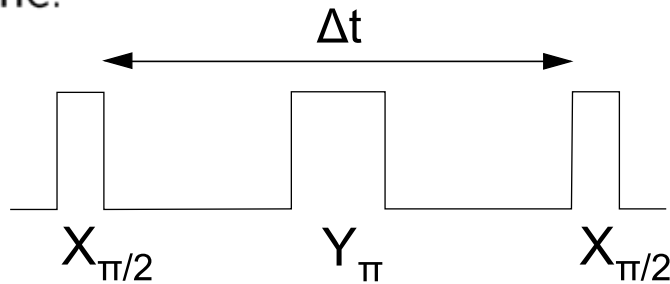


Ramsey fringes:

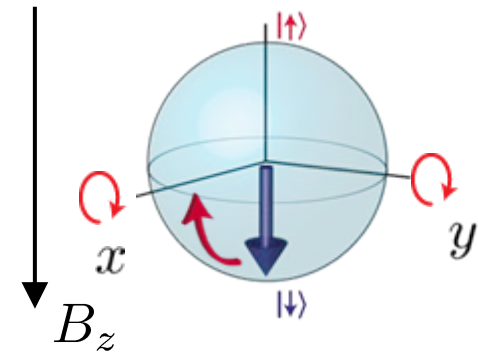
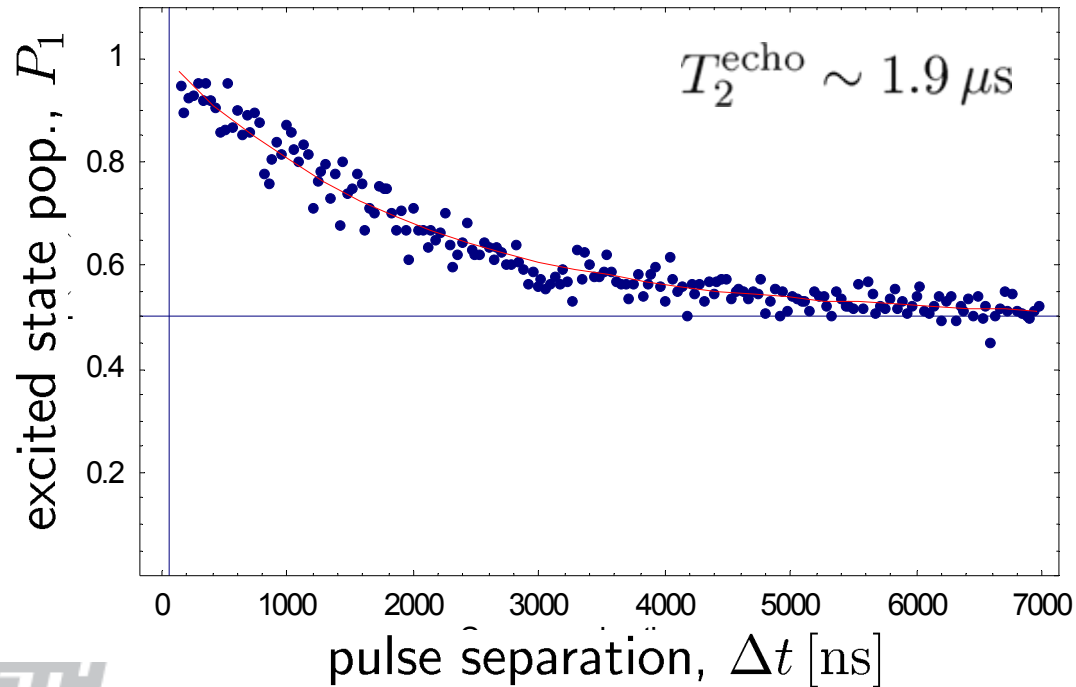


Spin Echo Experiment

pulse scheme:



result:



- refocusing
- elimination of low frequency fluctuations
- increased effective coherence time



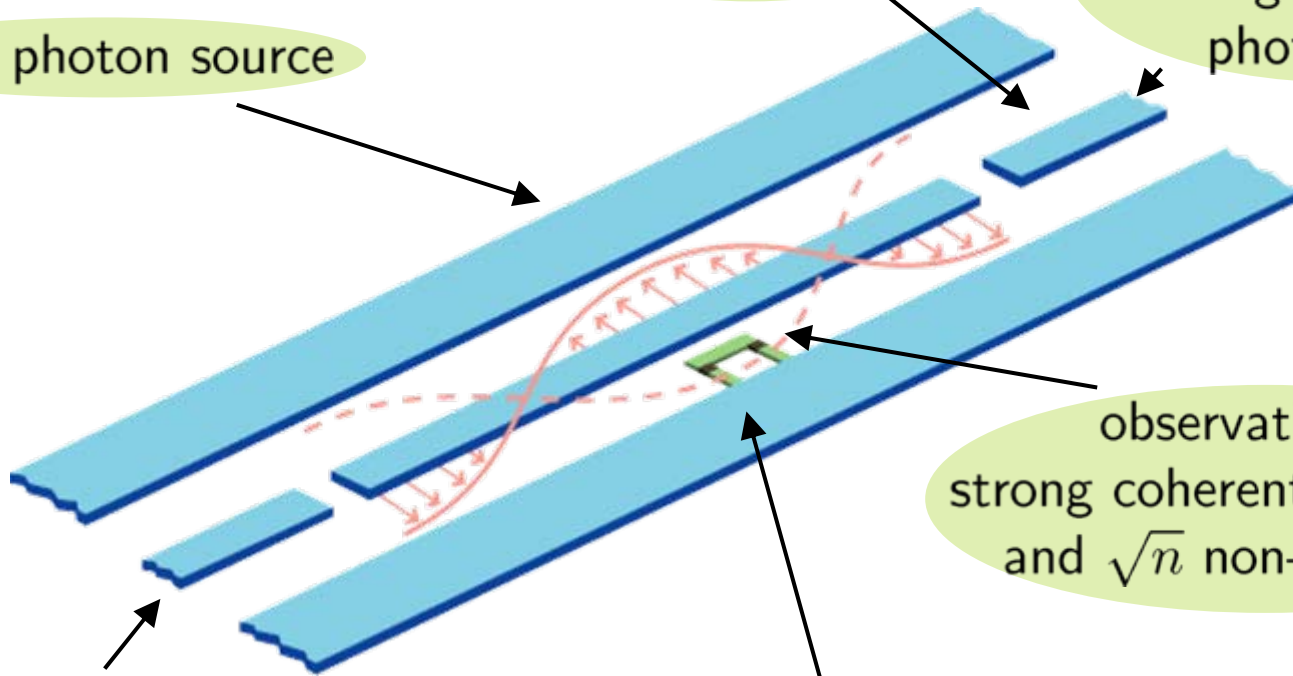
Circuit QED and Quantum Optics

in the future:
single photon detector
squeezed states

single photon source

photon statistics:
coherent and
thermal states

measurements in solid
on single microwave
photon level



observation of
strong coherent interaction
and \sqrt{n} non-linearities

realized cavities
with large vacuum fields
long photon lifetimes

artificial atom
with large dipole moment
long coherence time

Quantum Computation with Circuit QED

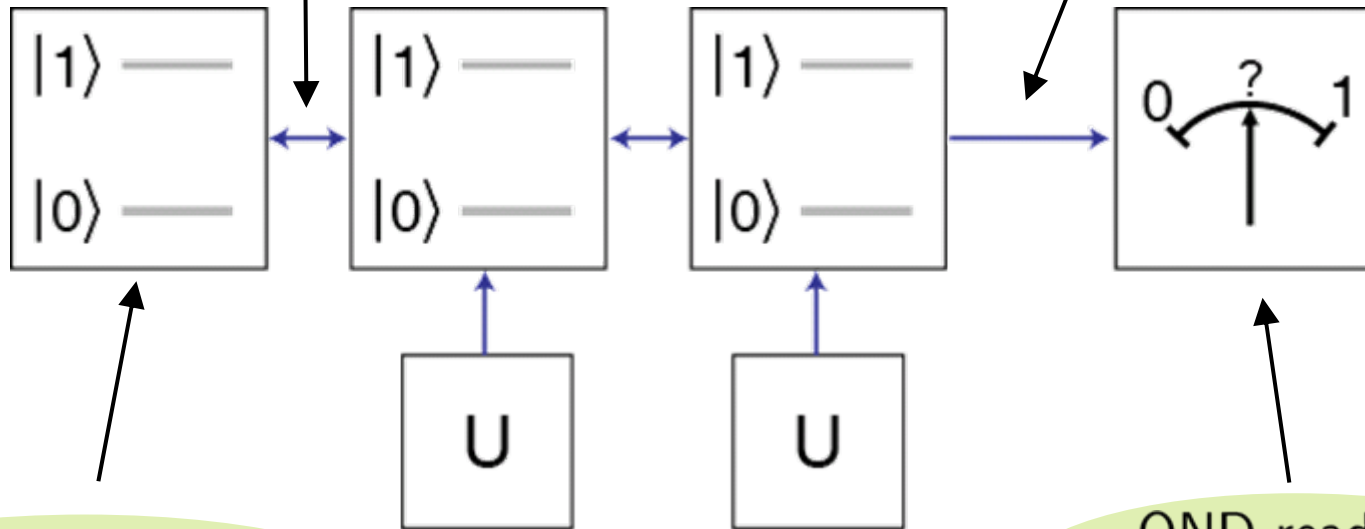
next steps:

realize single shot read-out

demonstrate 2 bit gate and quantum algorithm

cavity as non-local inter-qubit coupling bus

measurement process
and backaction
understood



realized single qubits
with long coherence times

demonstrated
accurate control,
geometric phase

QND readout
with high visibility

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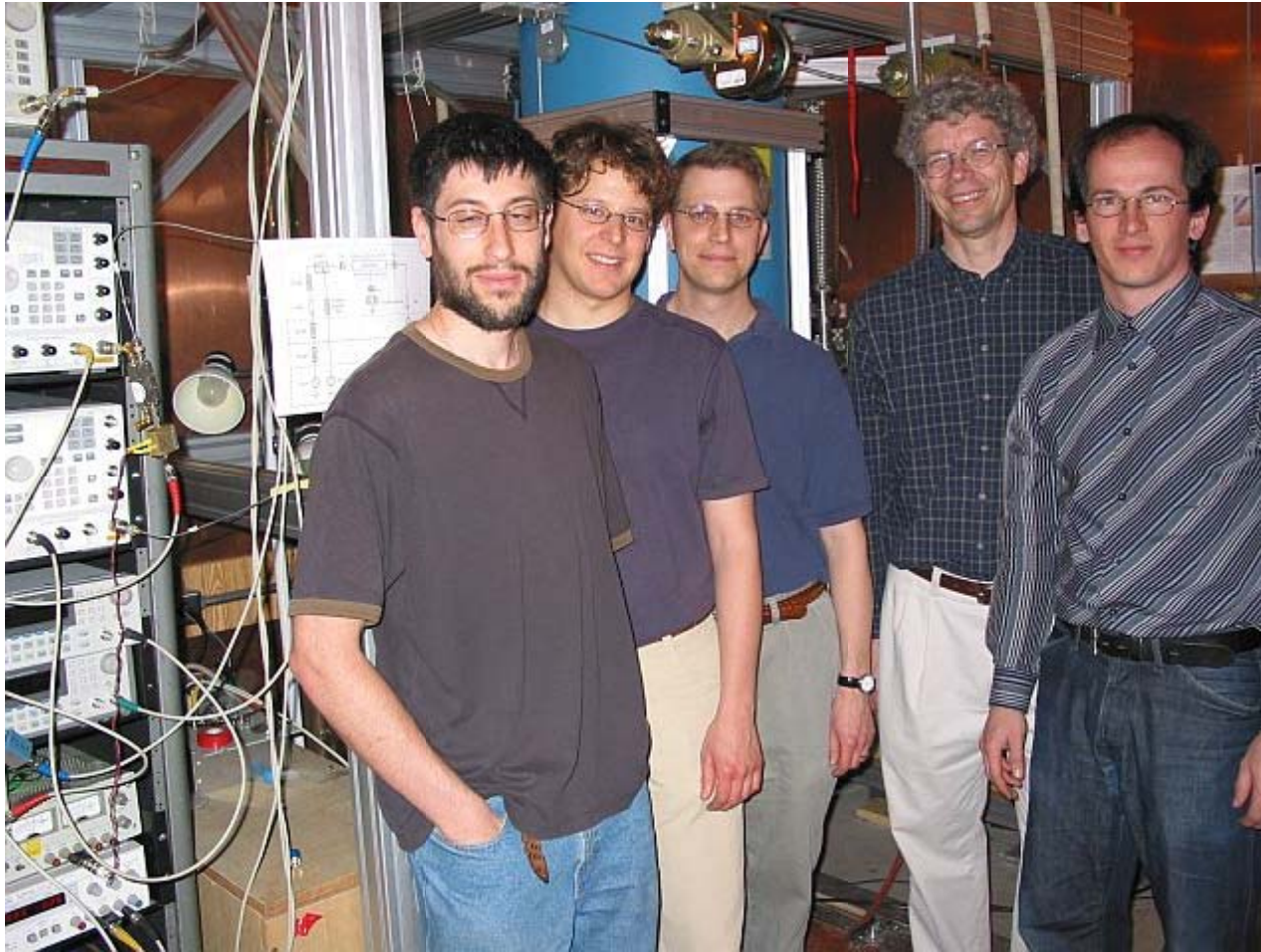
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Circuit QED Publications

circuit QED proposal:

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strong coupling & vacuum Rabi mode splitting:

- Wallraff, Schuster, Blais, Frunzio, Huang, Majer, Kumar, Girvin, Schoelkopf, *Nature* **431**, 162 (2004)
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high visibility Rabi oscillations & coherence time measurements:

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ac Stark shift, number splitting & measurement induced dephasing:

- Schuster, Wallraff, Blais, Frunzio, Huang, Majer, Girvin, Schoelkopf, *PRL* **94**, 123062 (2005)
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