



Advances in SRF qubit architectures for quantum computing

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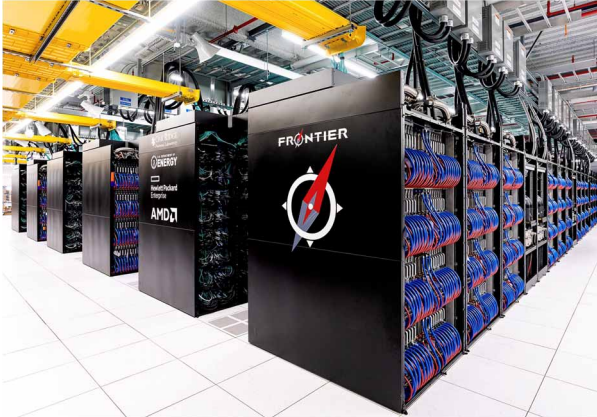


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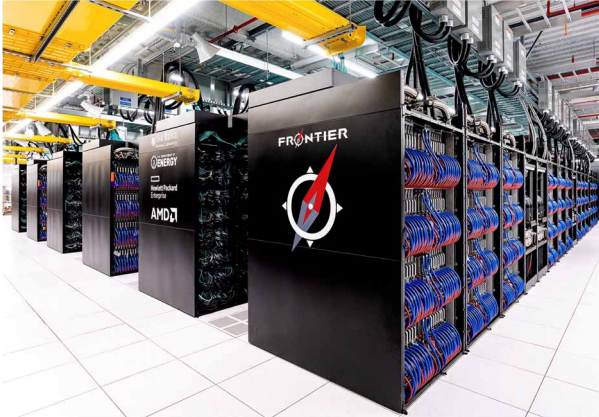


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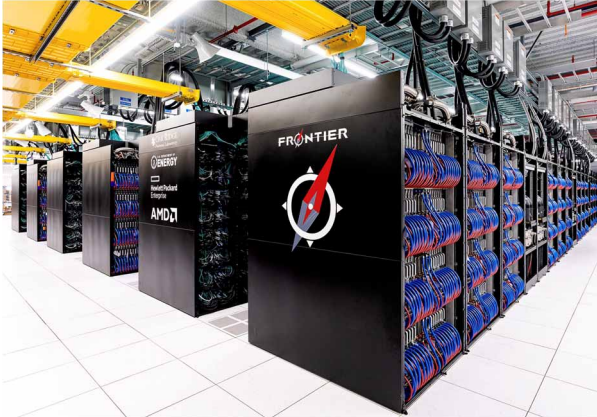


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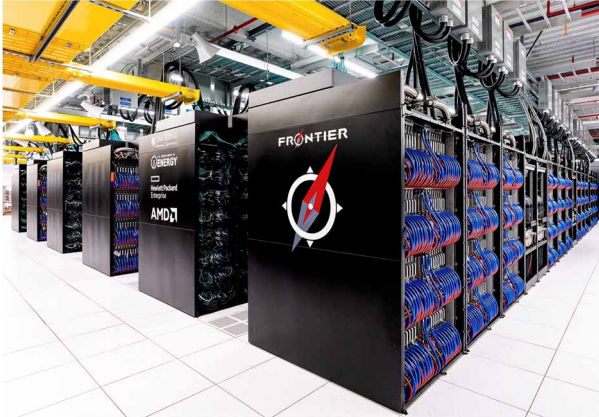


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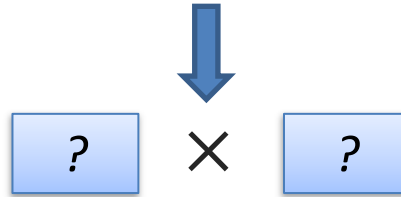


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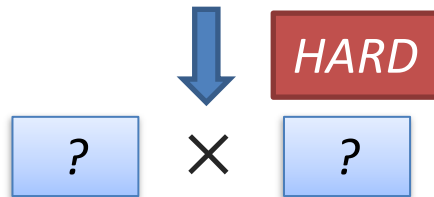


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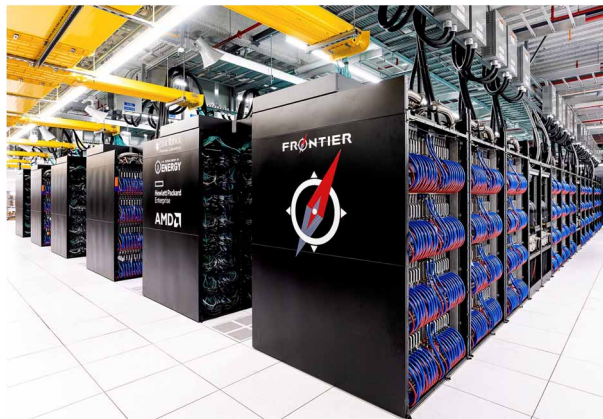


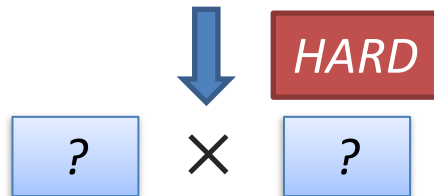
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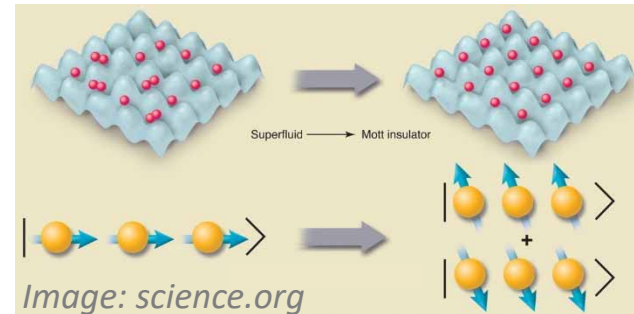
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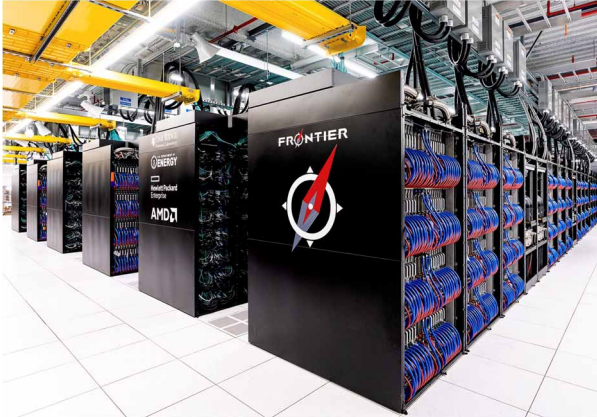


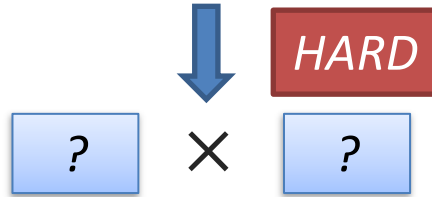
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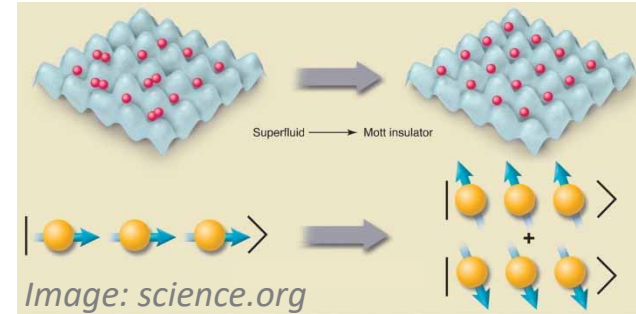
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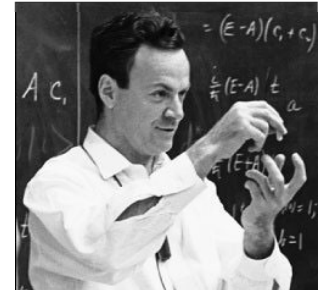


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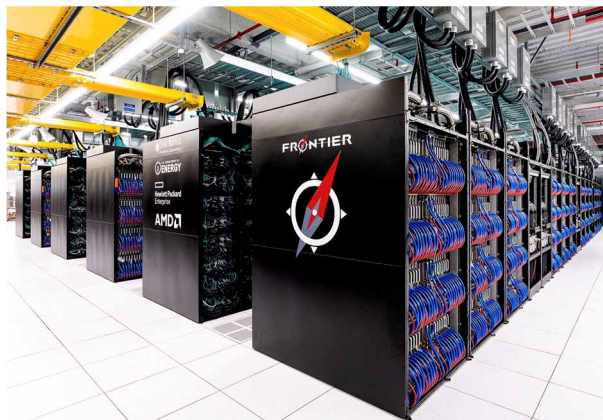


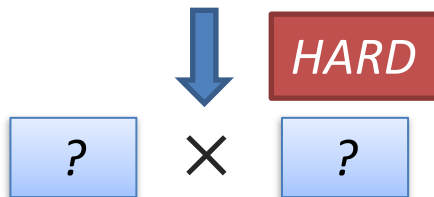
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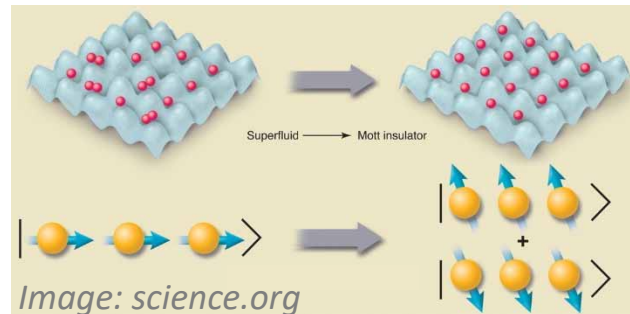
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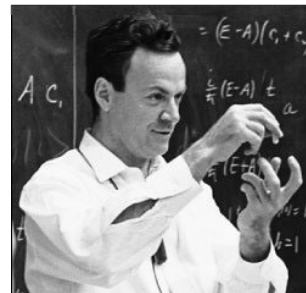


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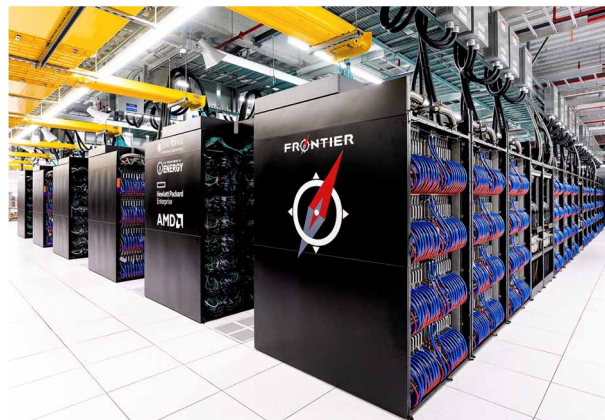


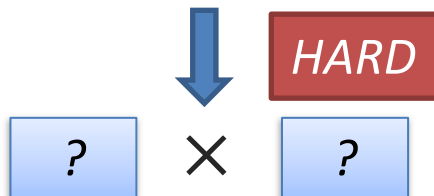
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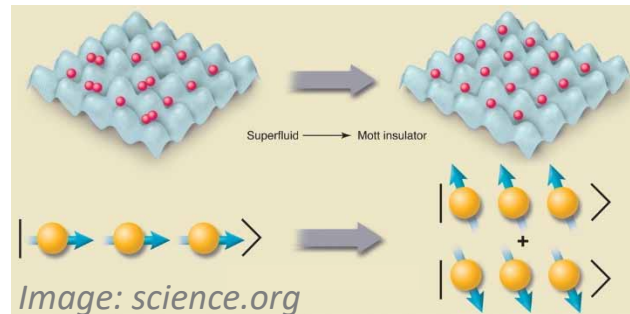
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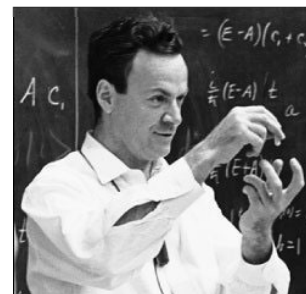


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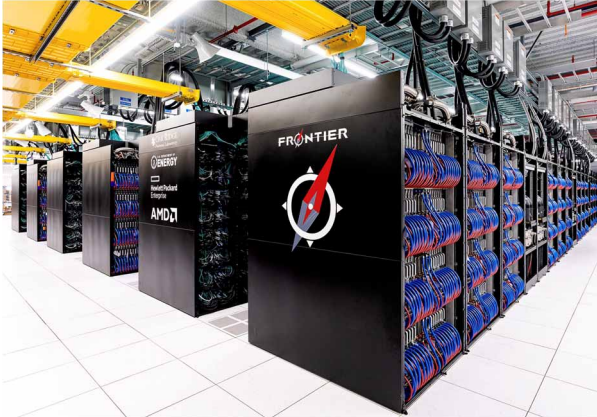


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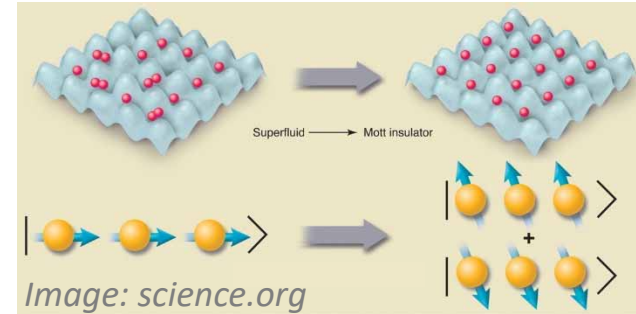


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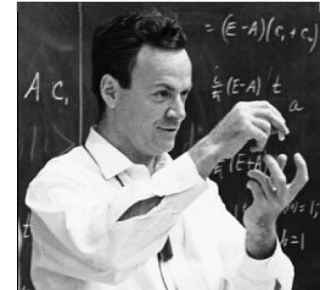
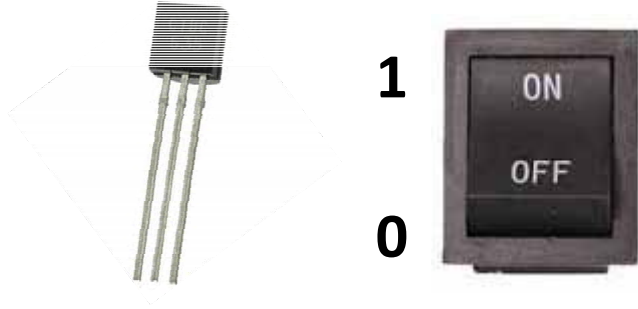


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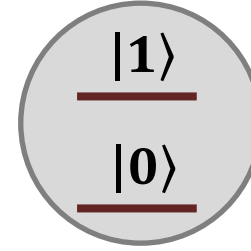


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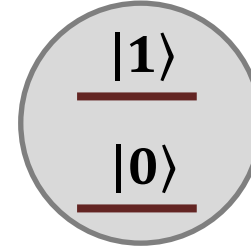
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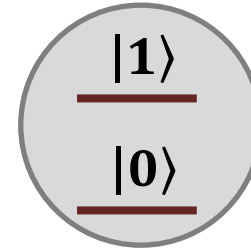
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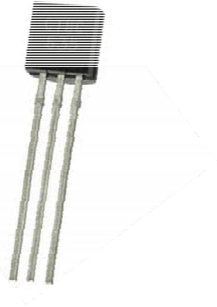
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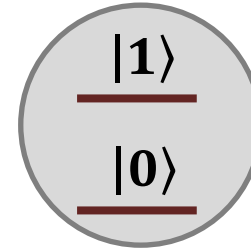
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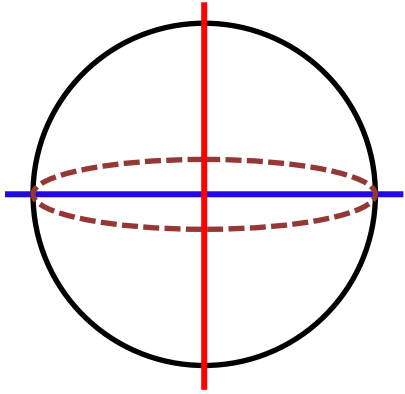
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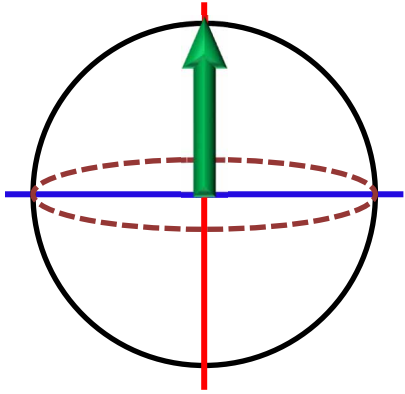
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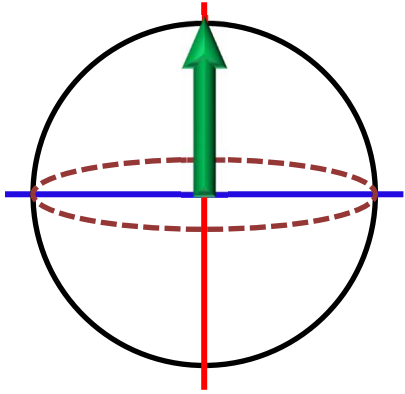
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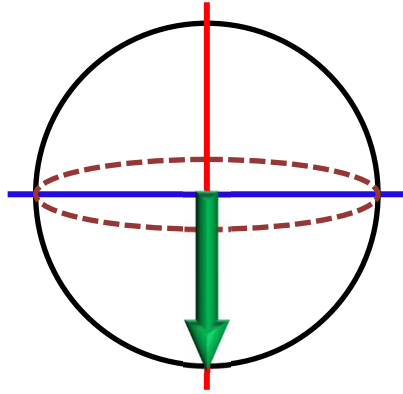
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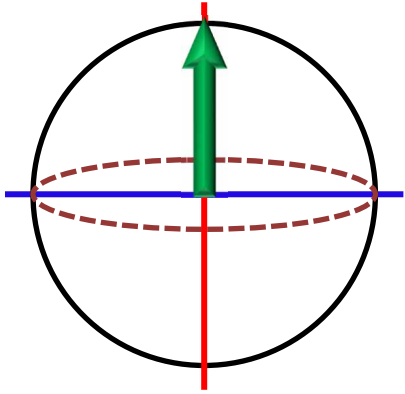
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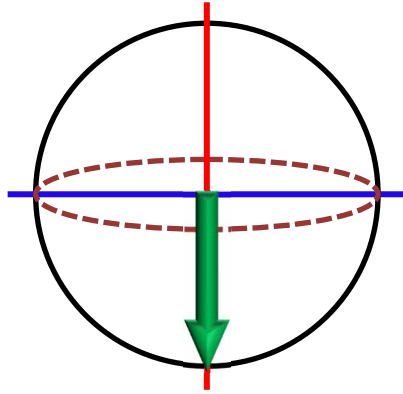
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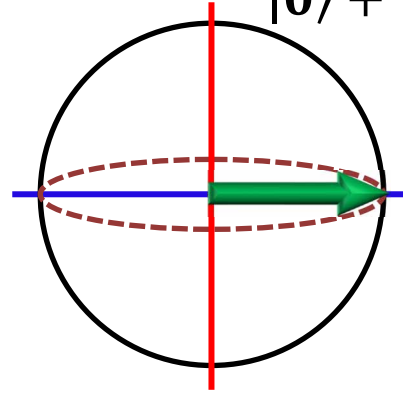
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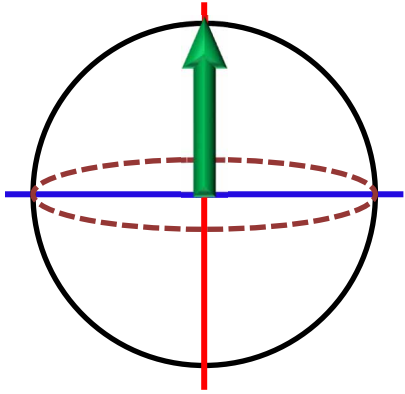
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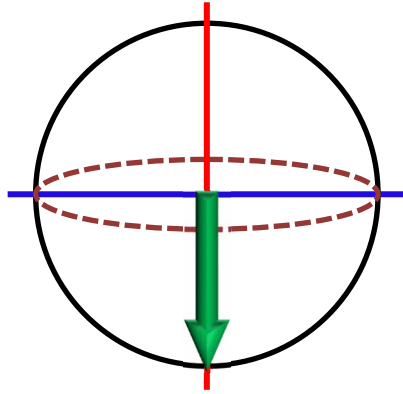
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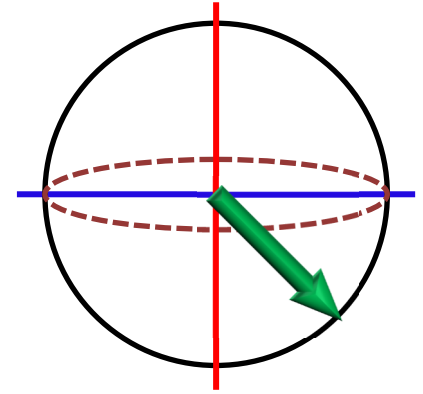
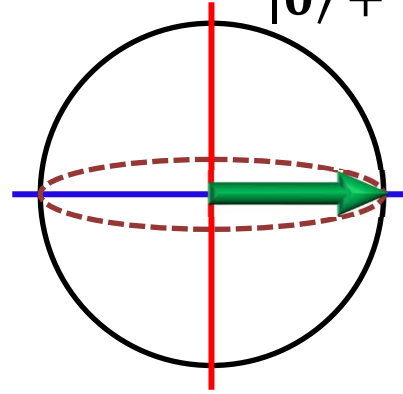
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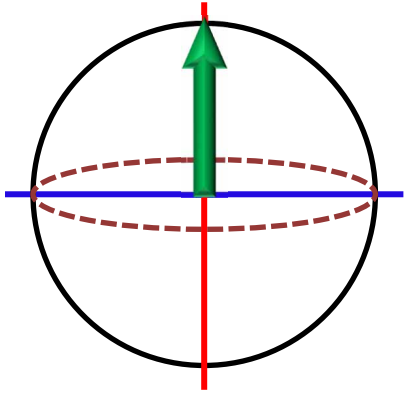
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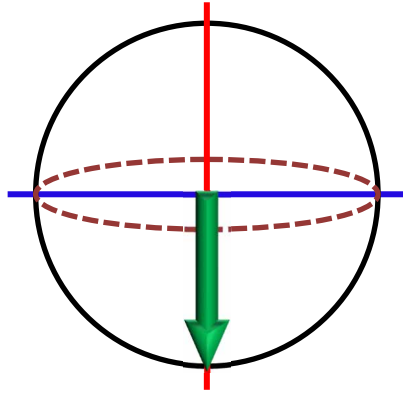
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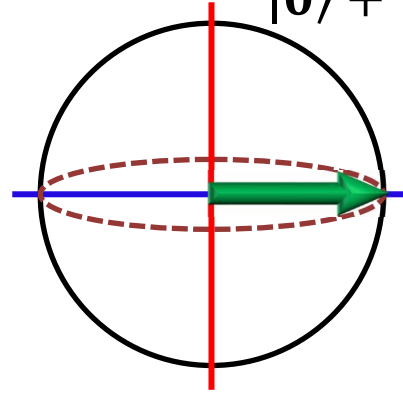


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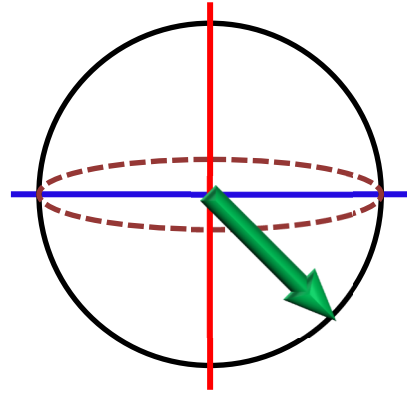
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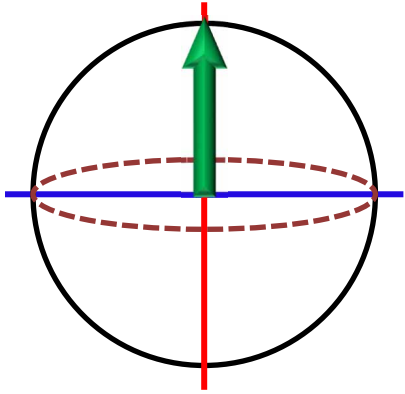


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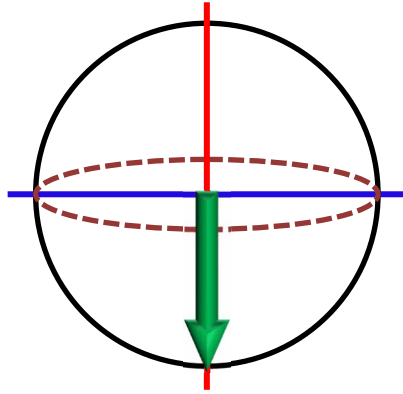
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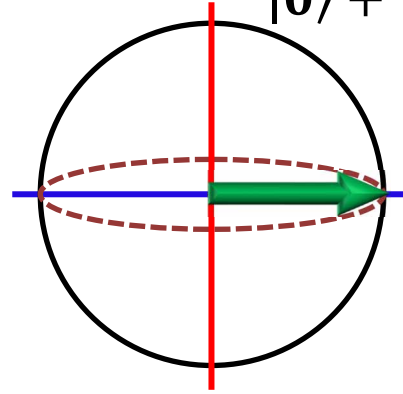


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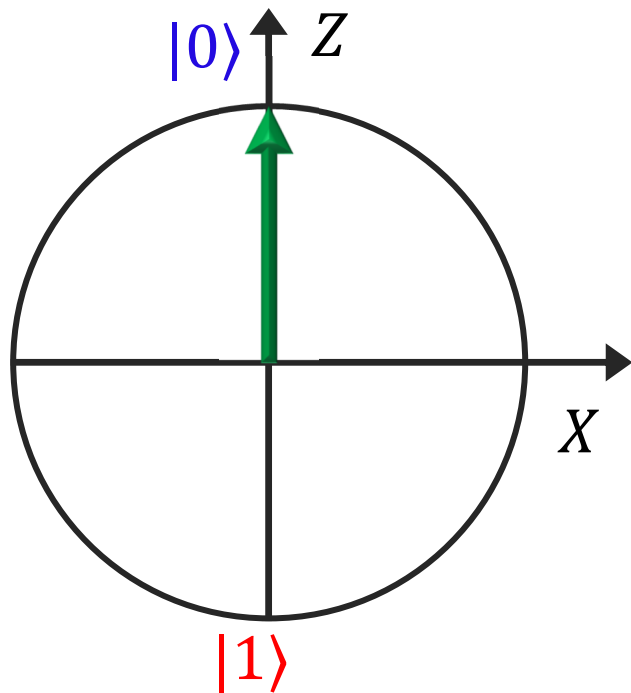


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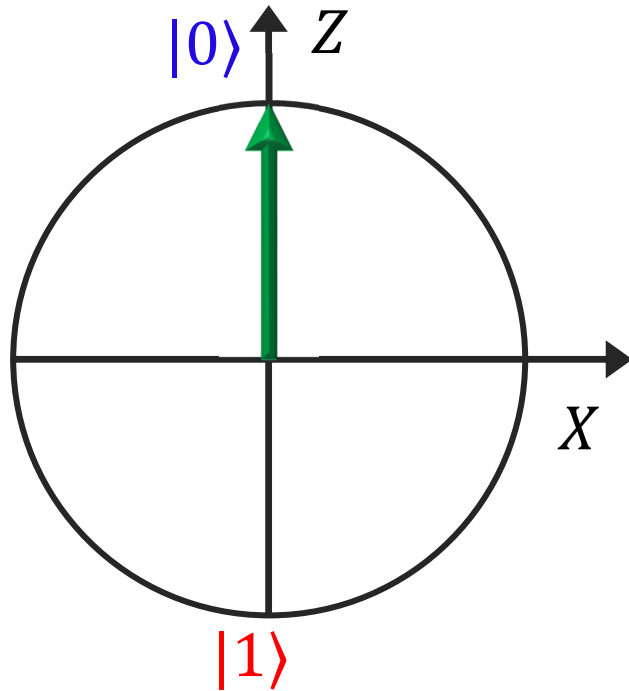
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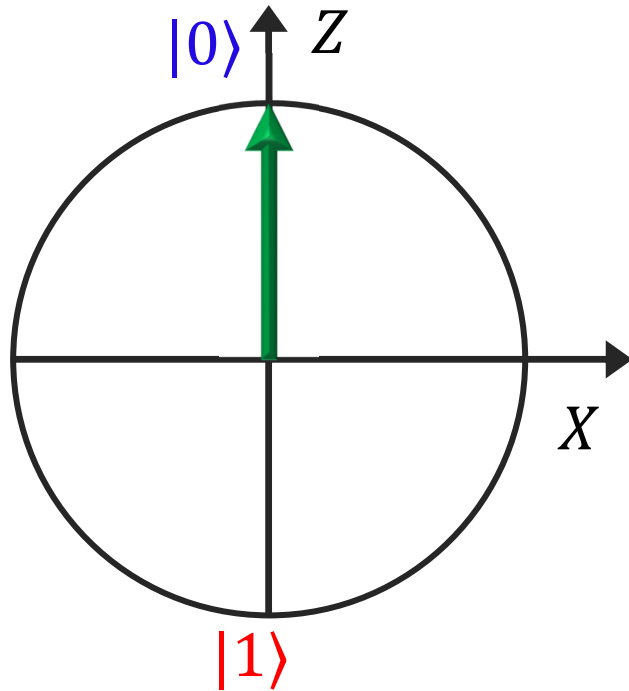
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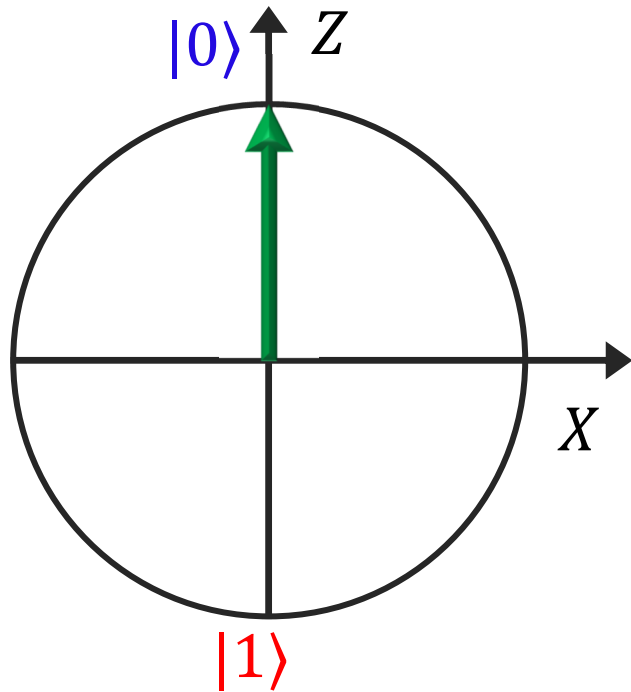


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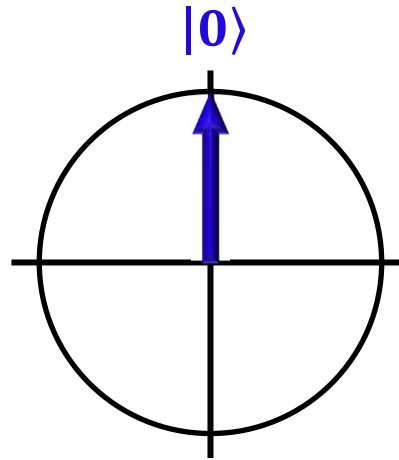
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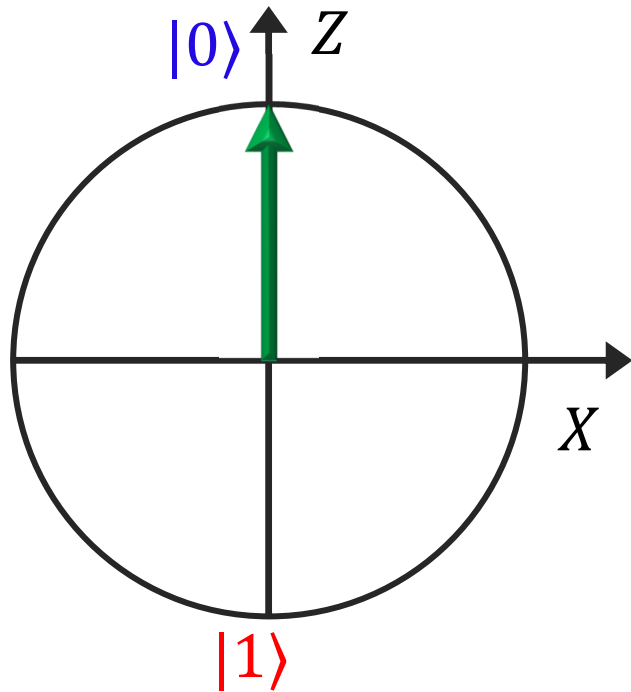
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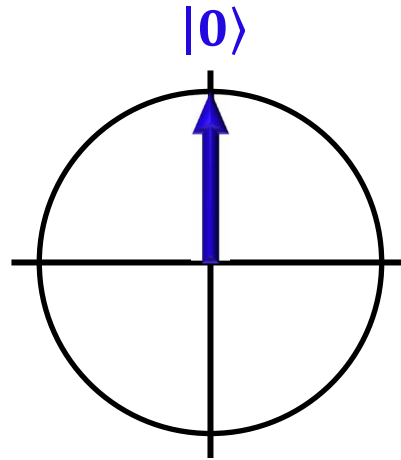
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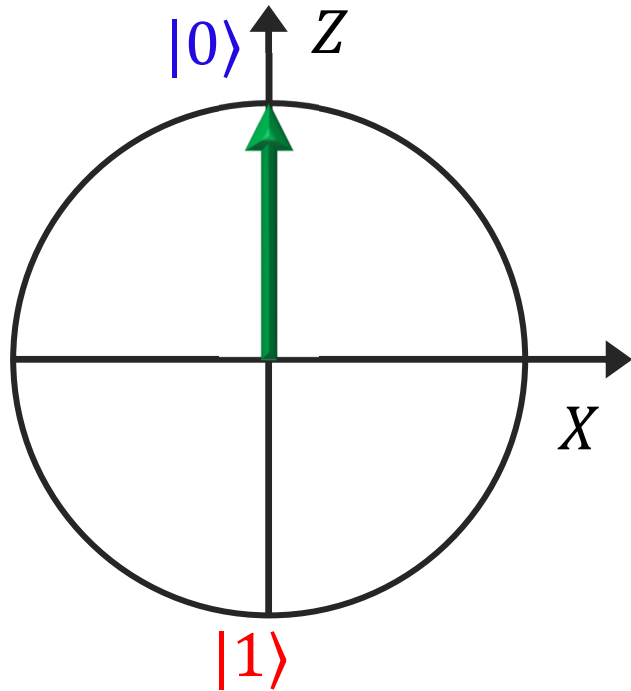
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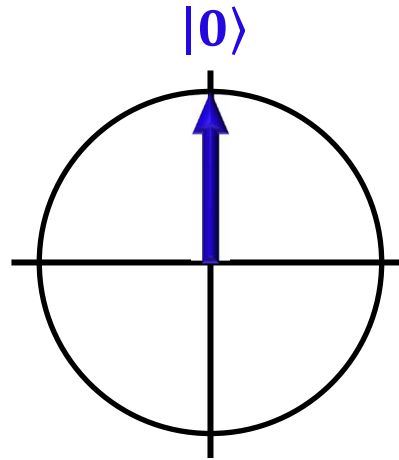
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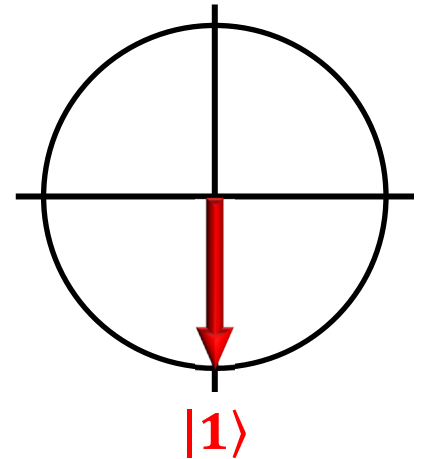
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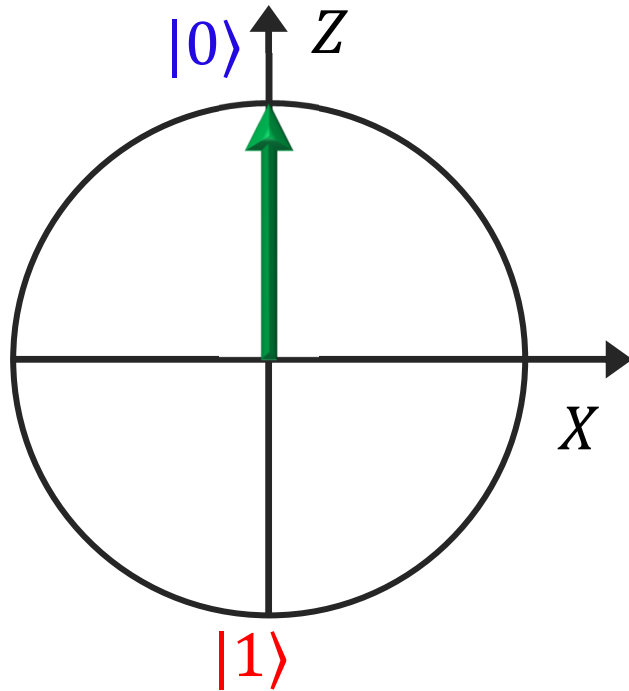
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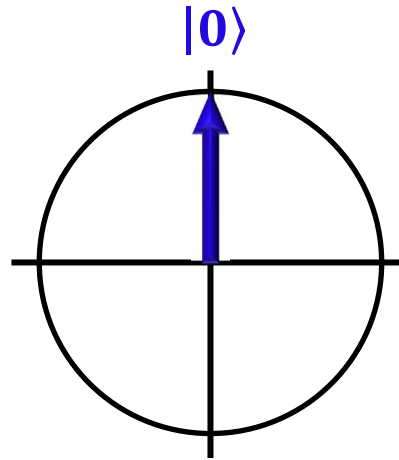
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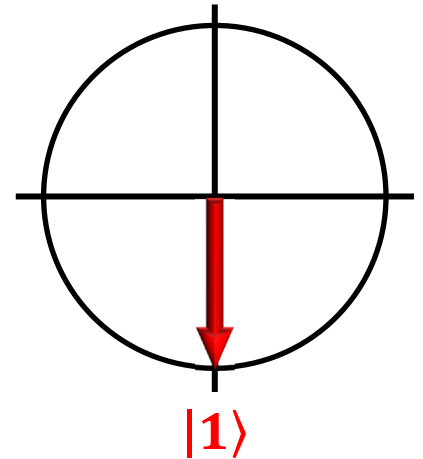
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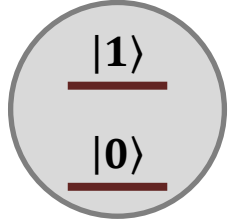


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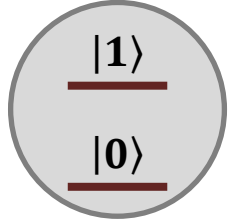
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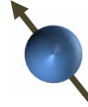


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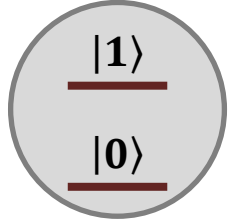
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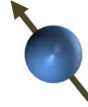
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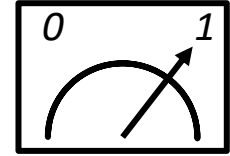


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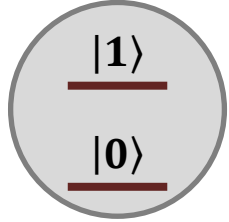
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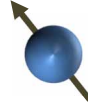


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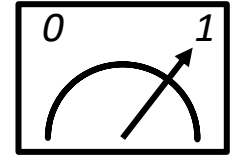


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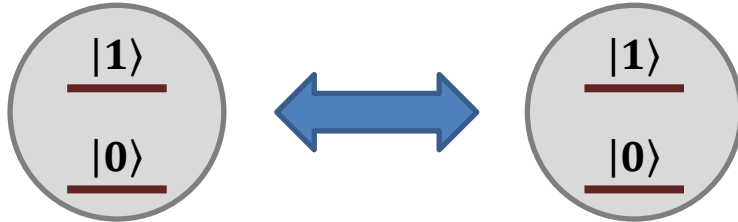


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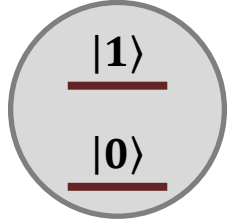


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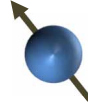


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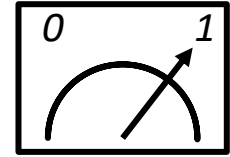


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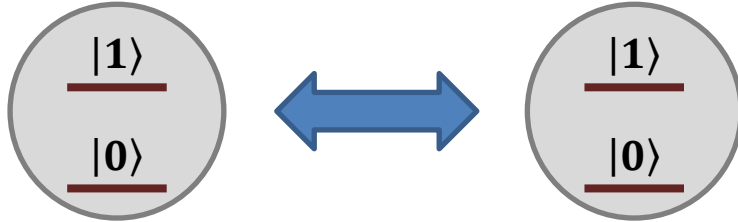


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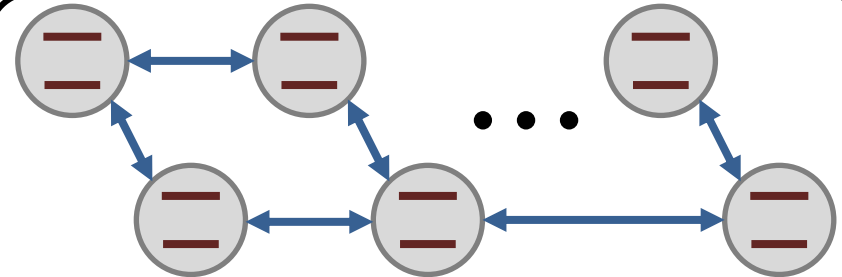
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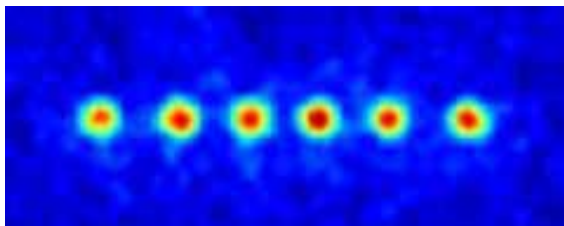
Couple multiple qubits



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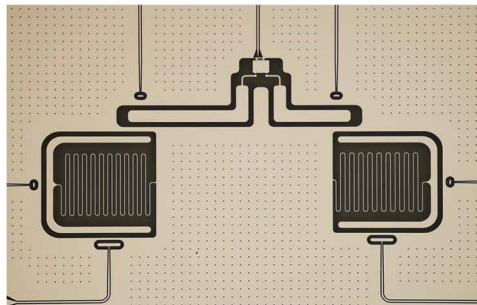
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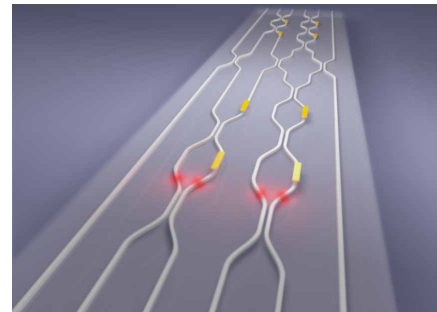
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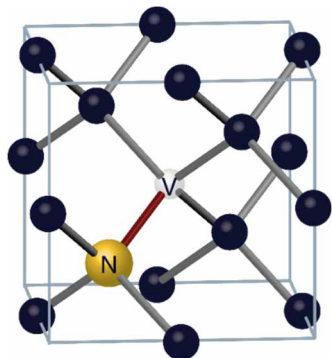
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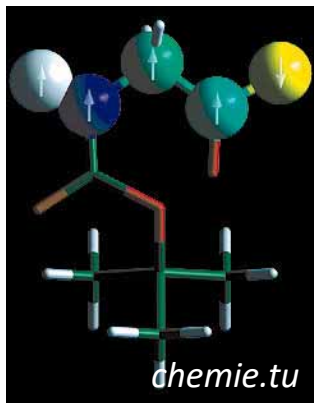
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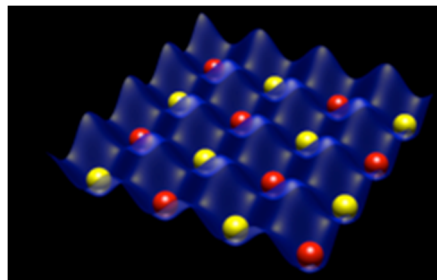
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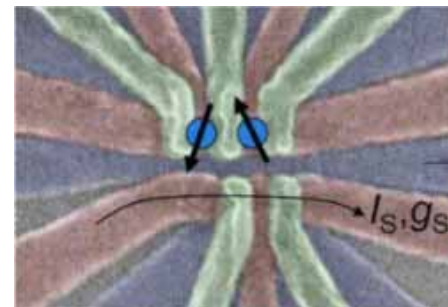
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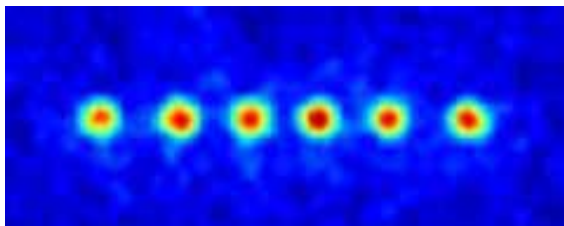
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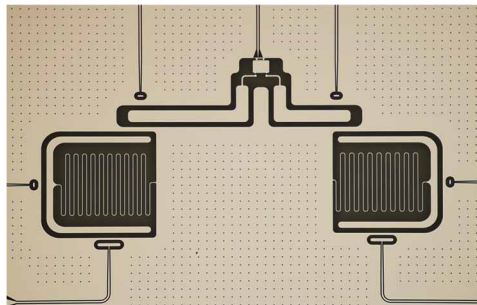
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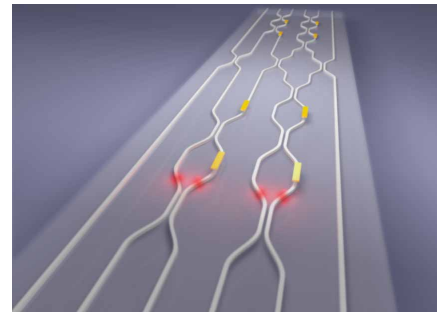
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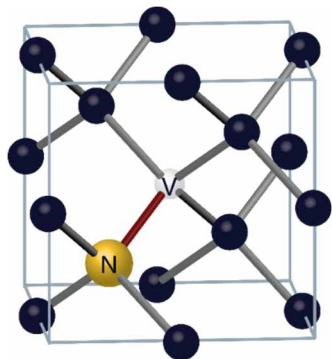
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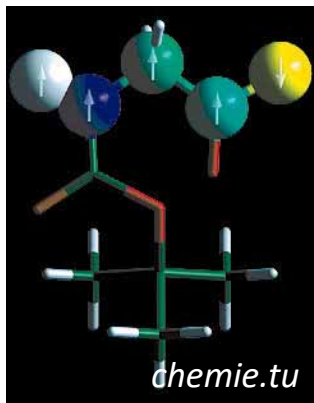
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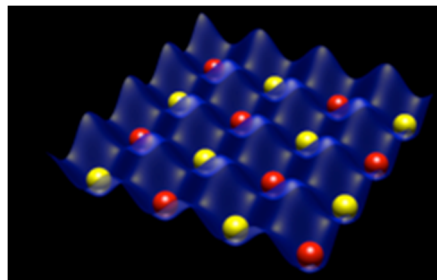
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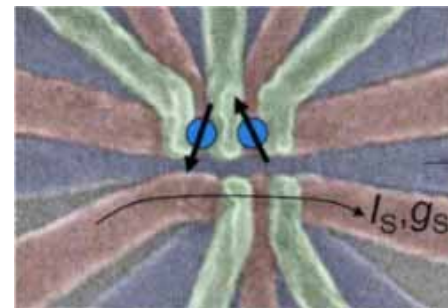
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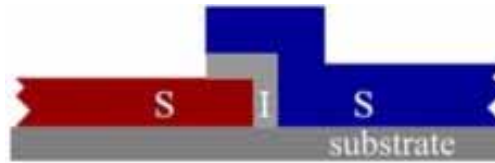
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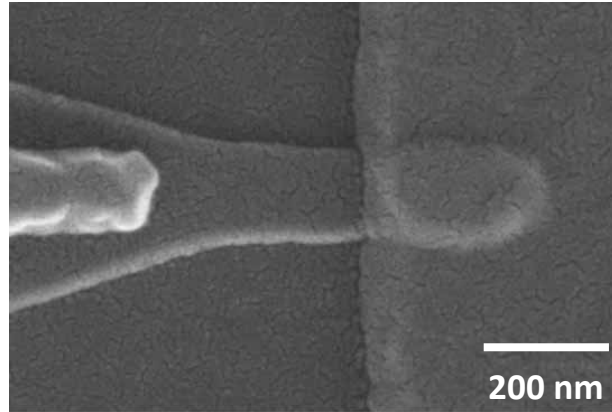


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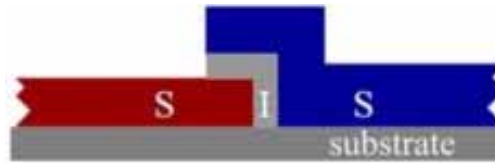
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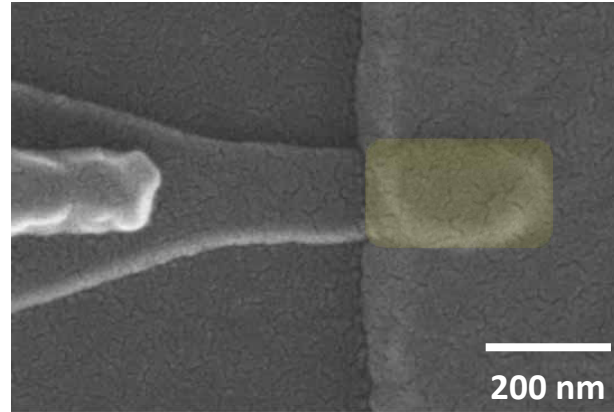
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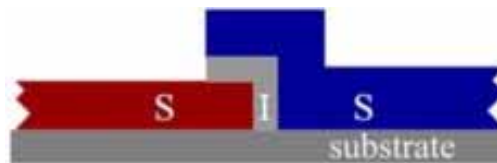
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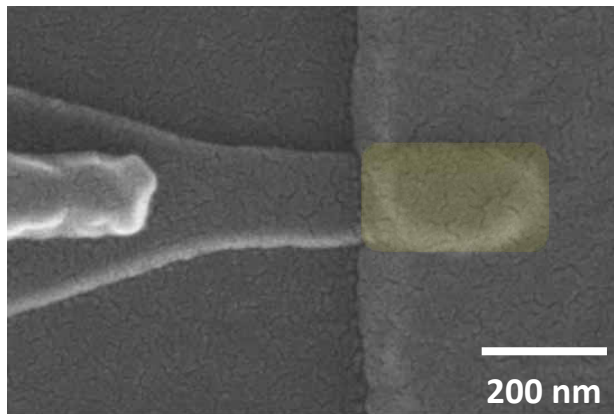
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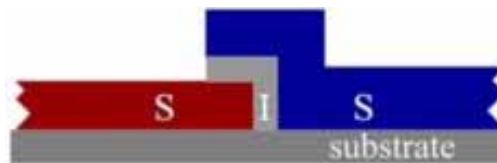
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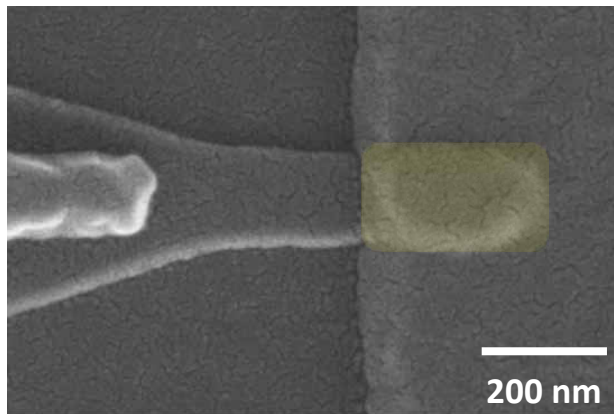
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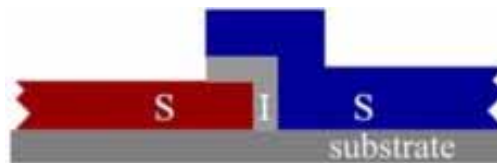
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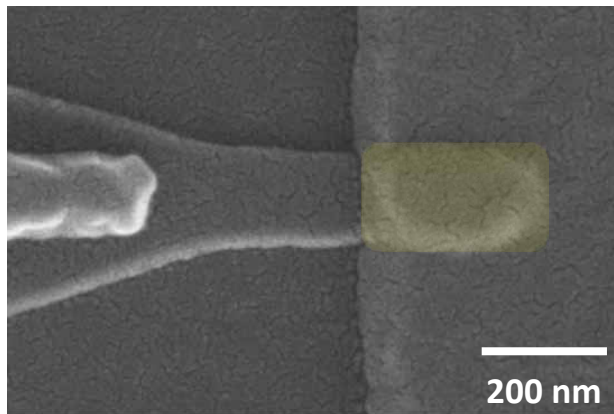
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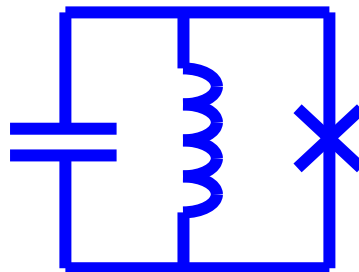


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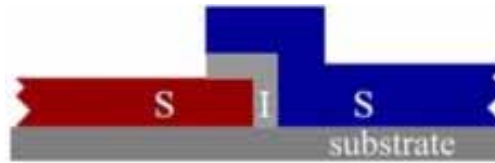


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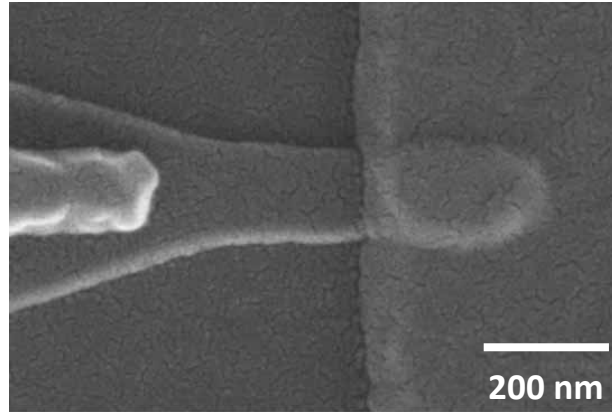
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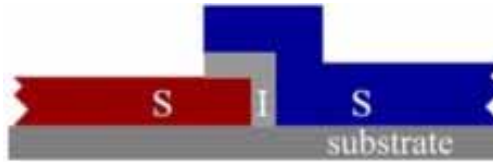
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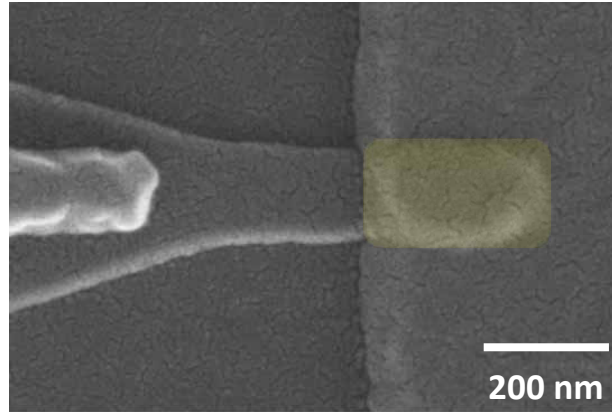
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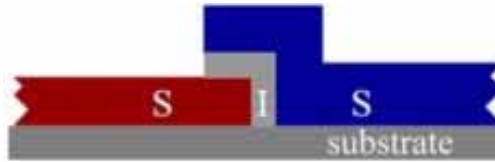
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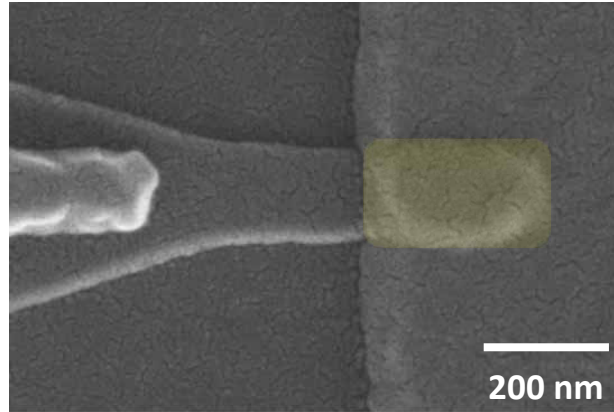
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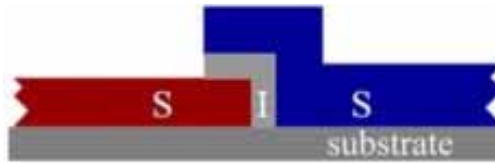
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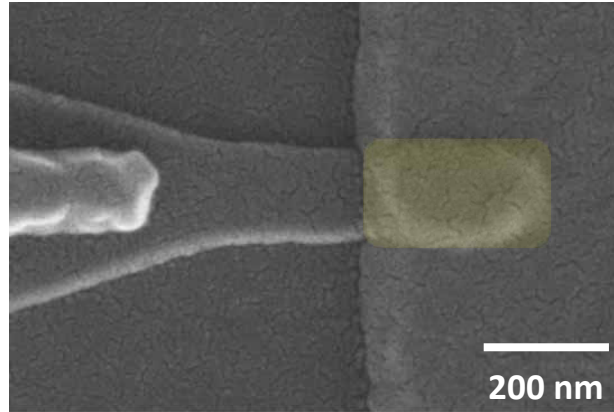
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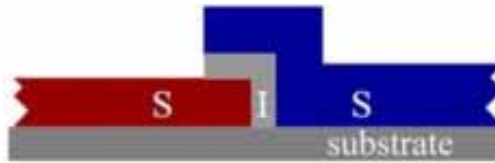
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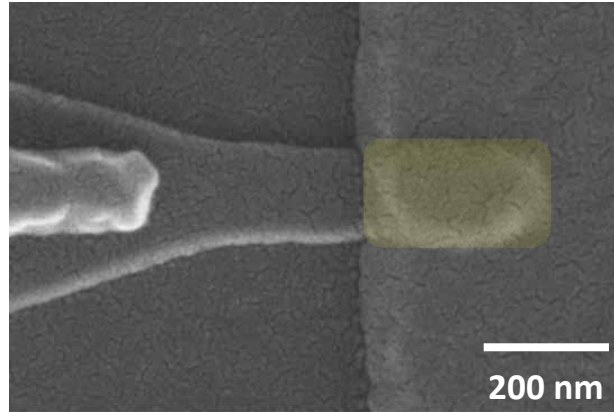
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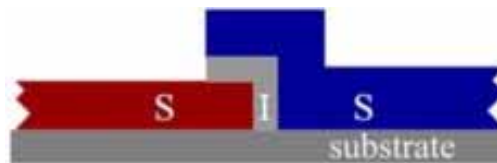
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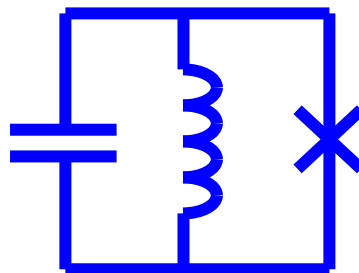
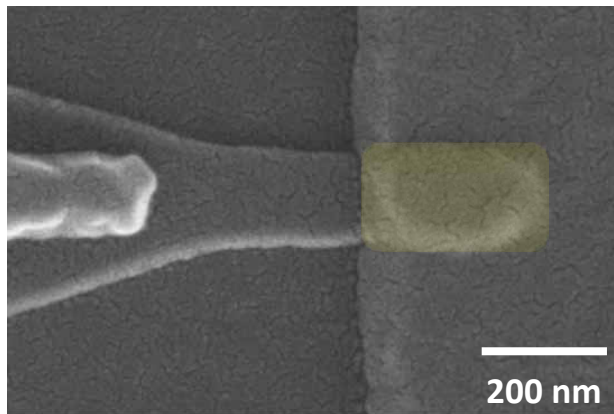


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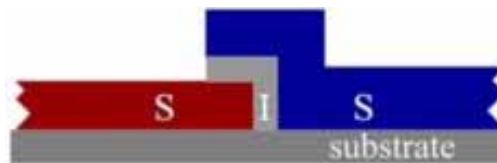
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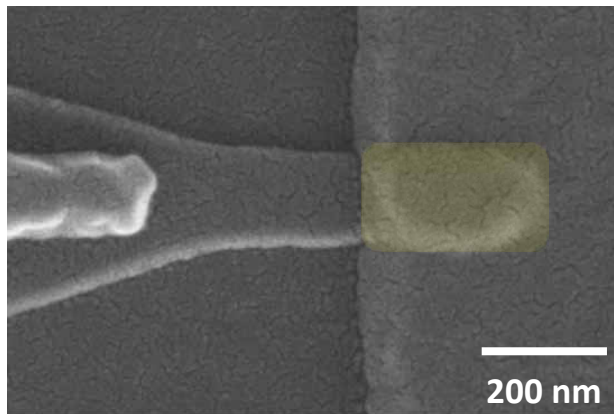
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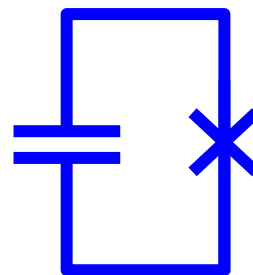


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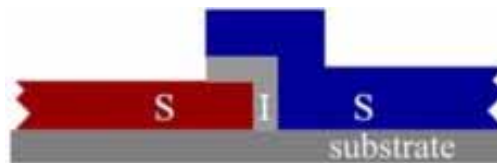
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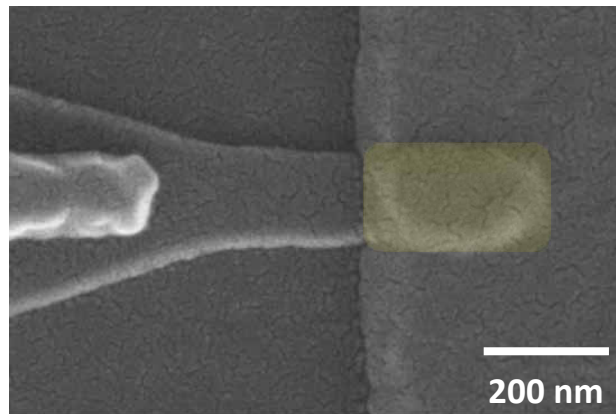
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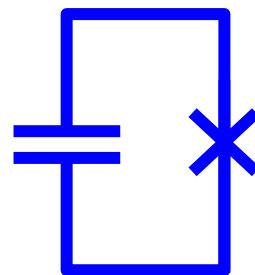


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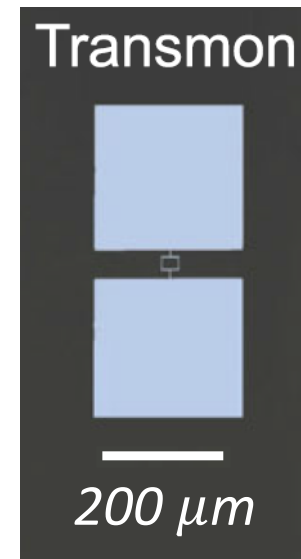
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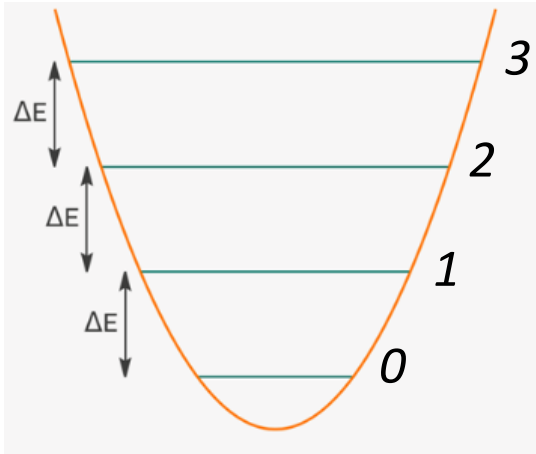
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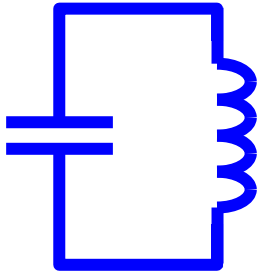
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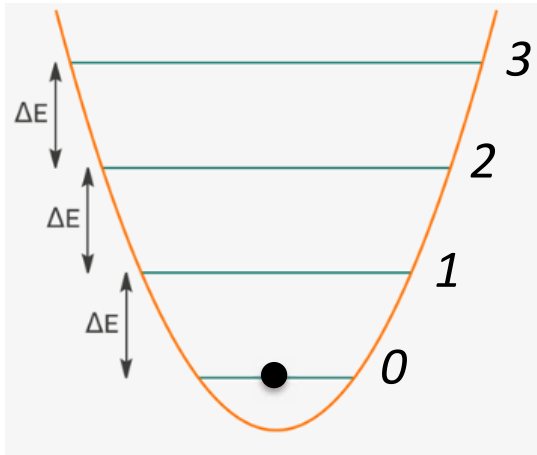
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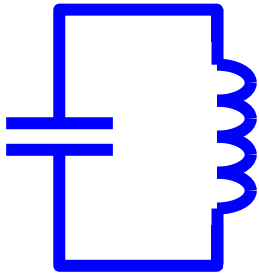
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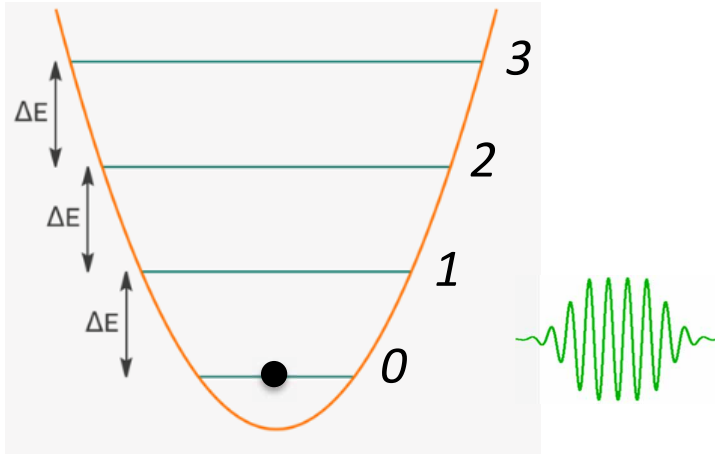
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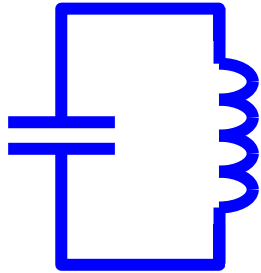
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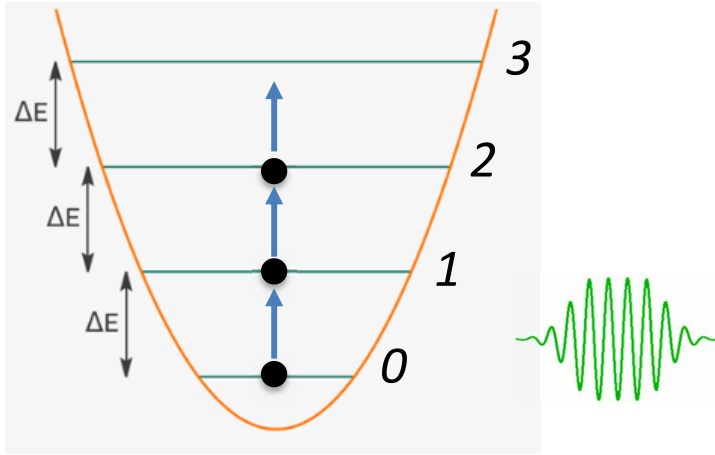
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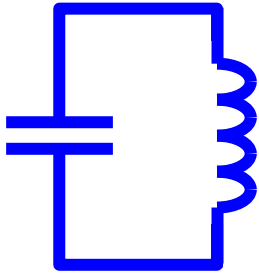
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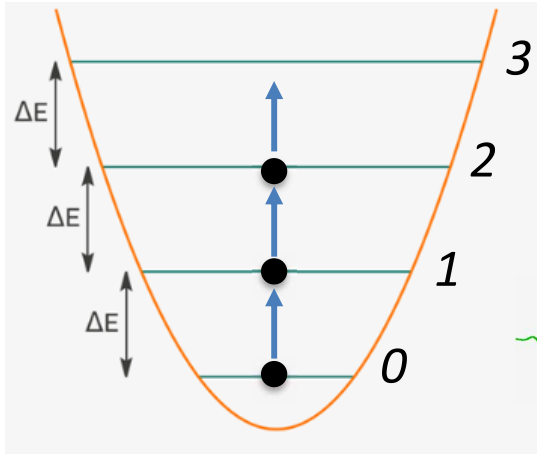
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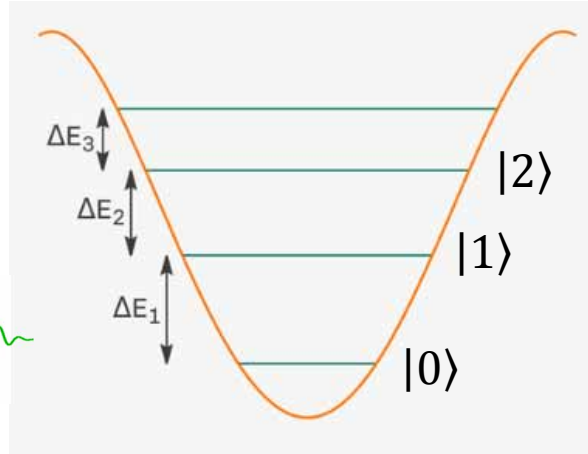
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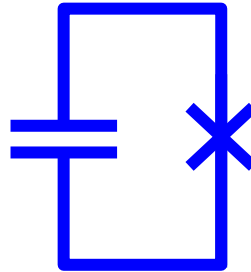
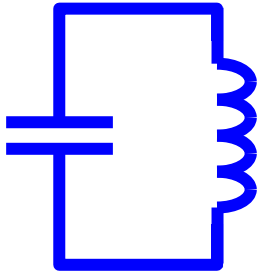
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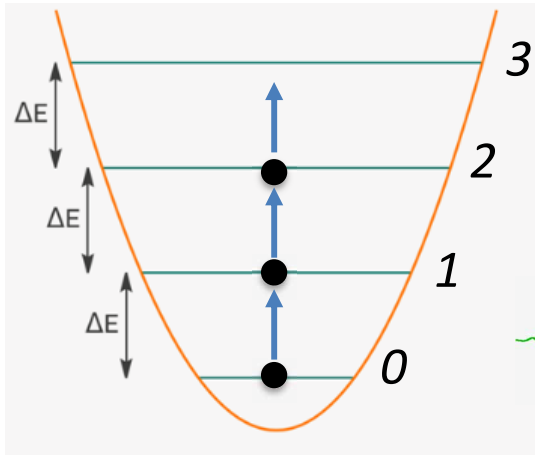
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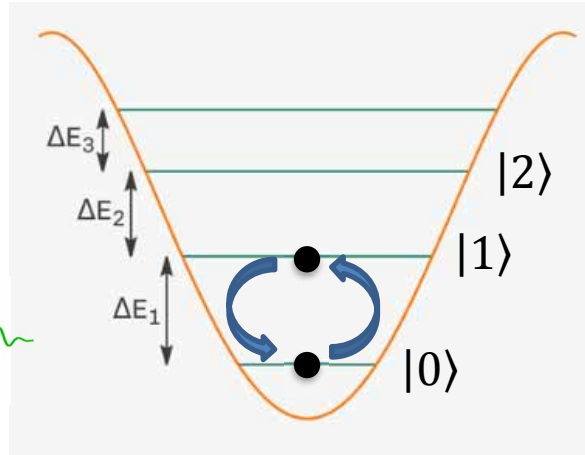
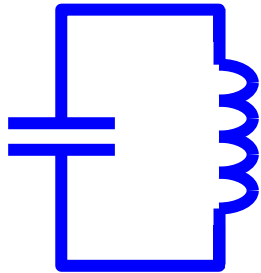
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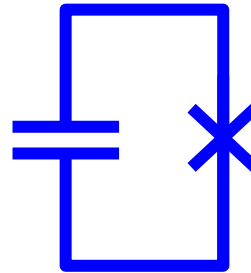
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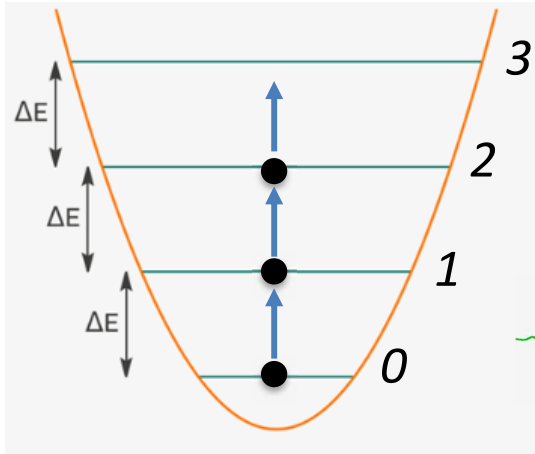
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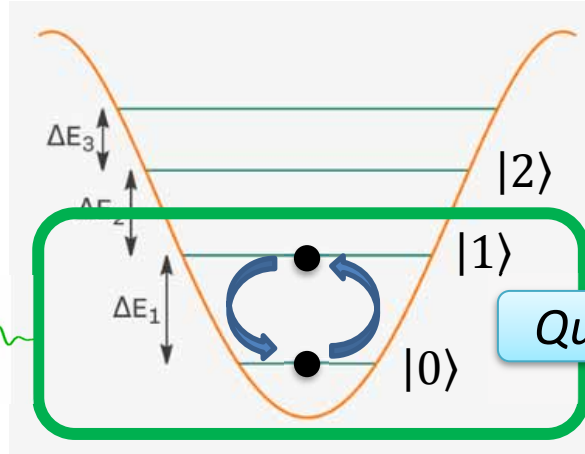
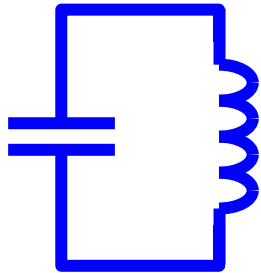
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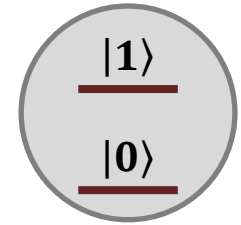
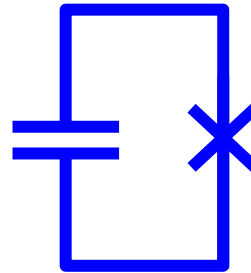
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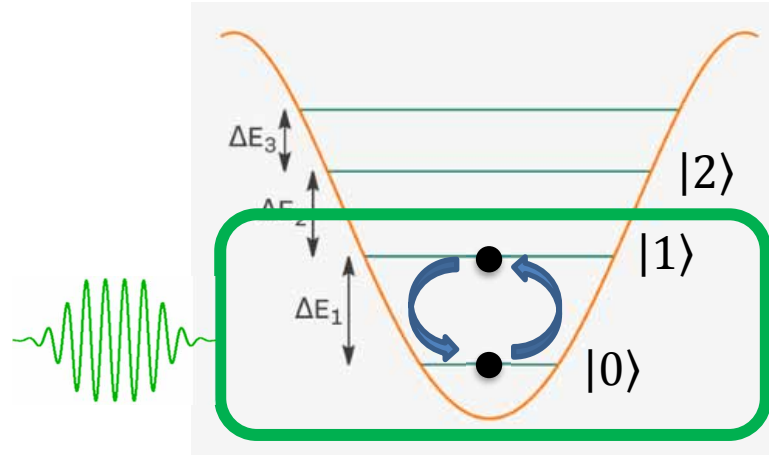


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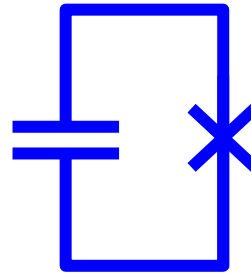


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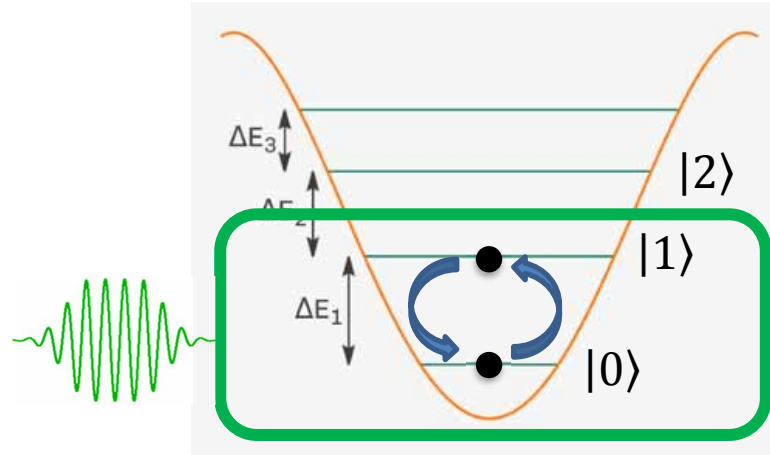


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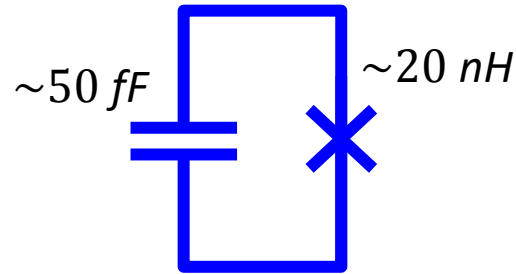


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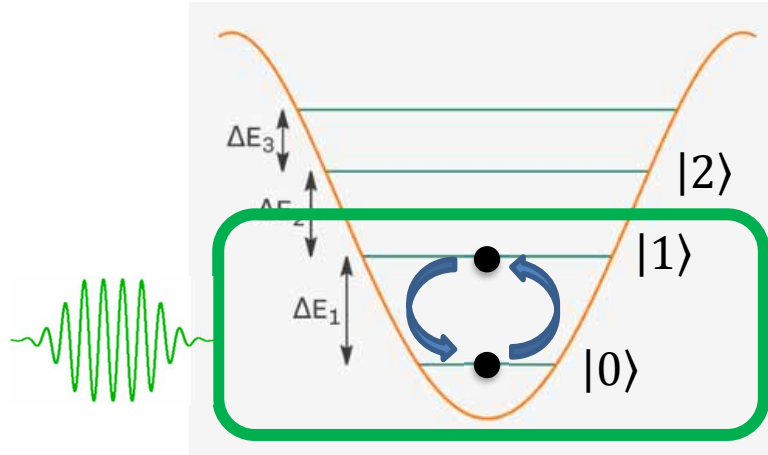
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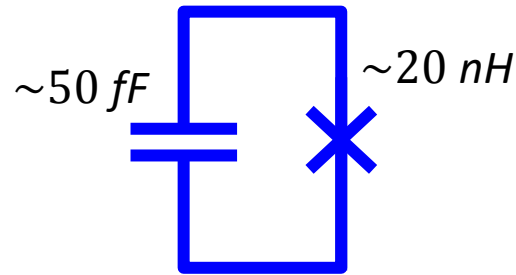
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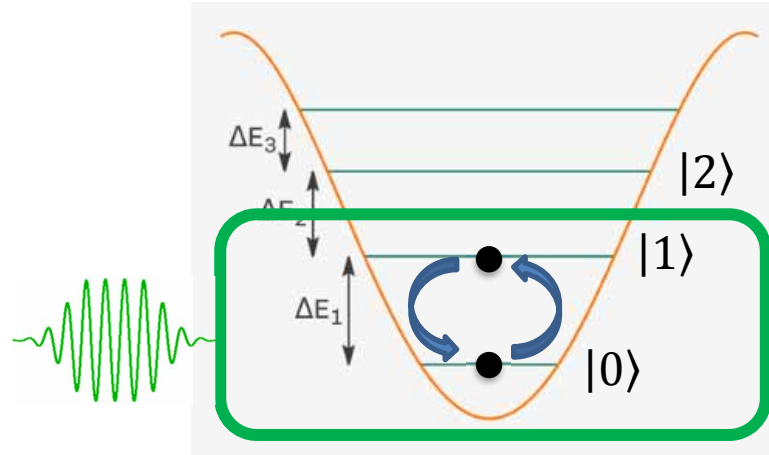
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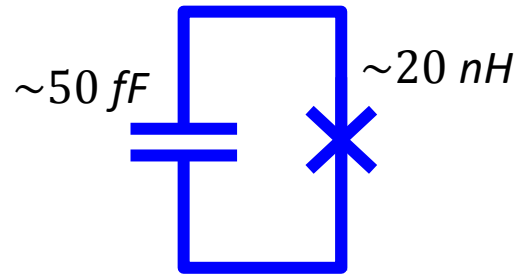
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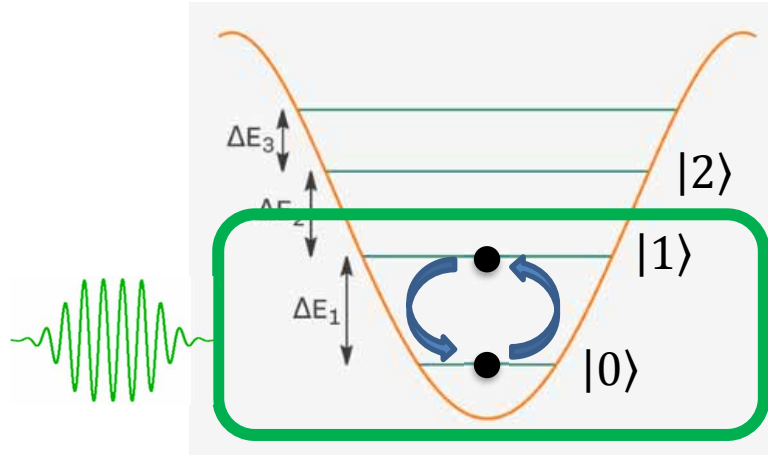


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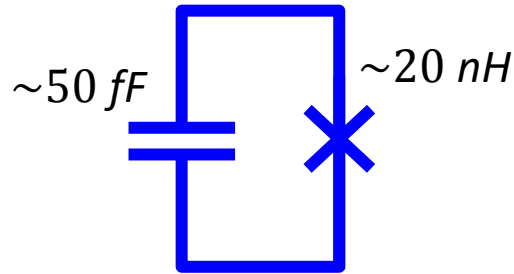
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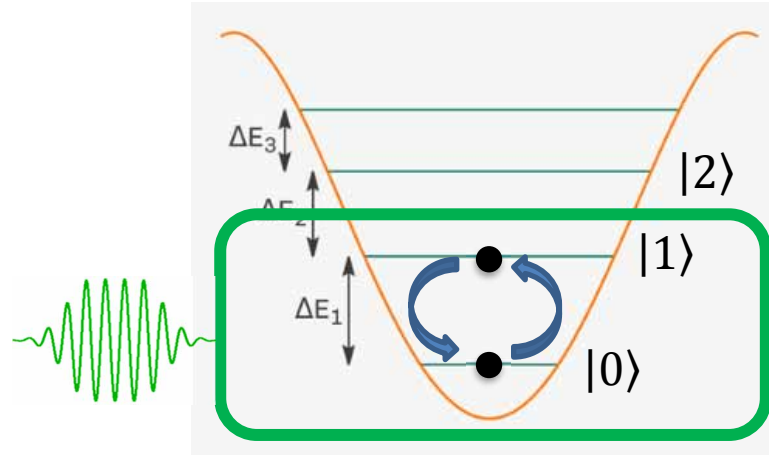
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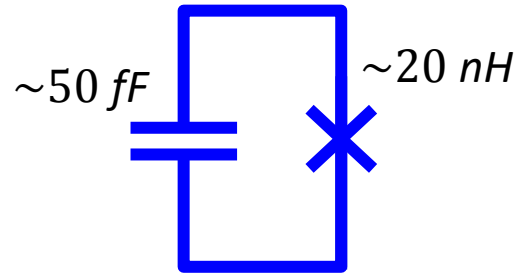
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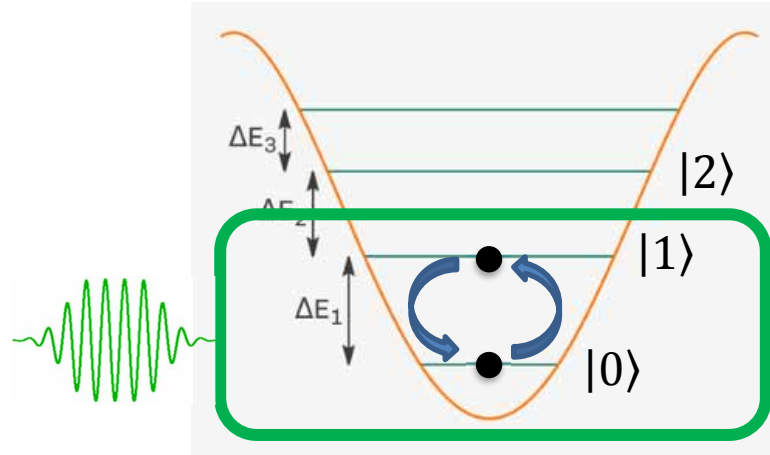
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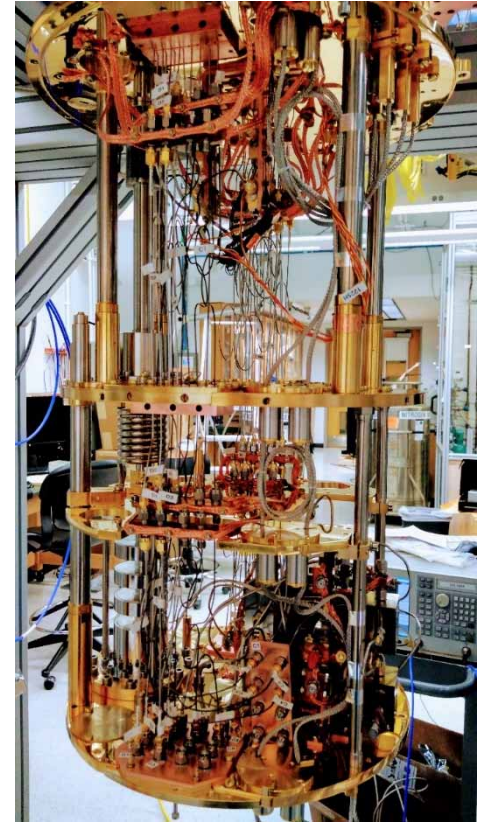
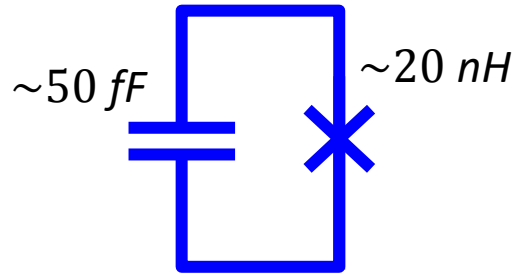
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20 mK

$\sim 240 \text{ mK}$

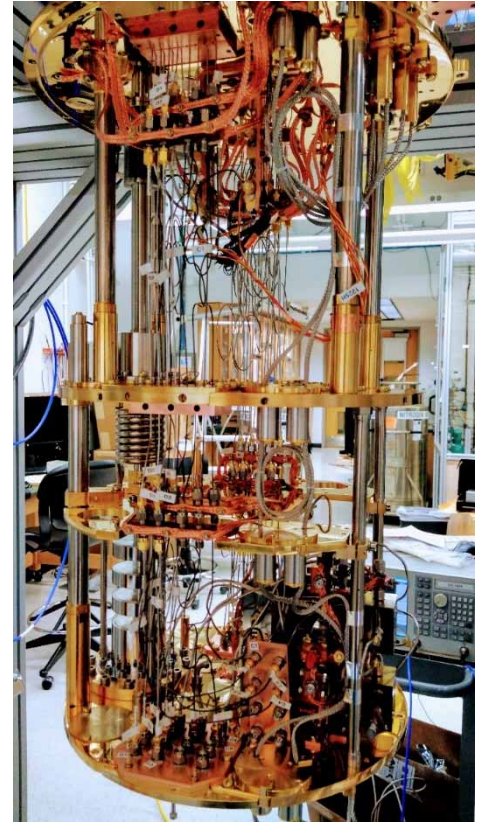
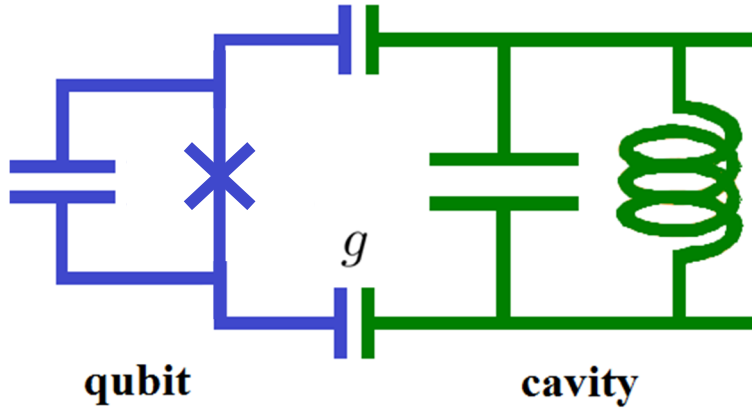


Anharmonic Oscillator



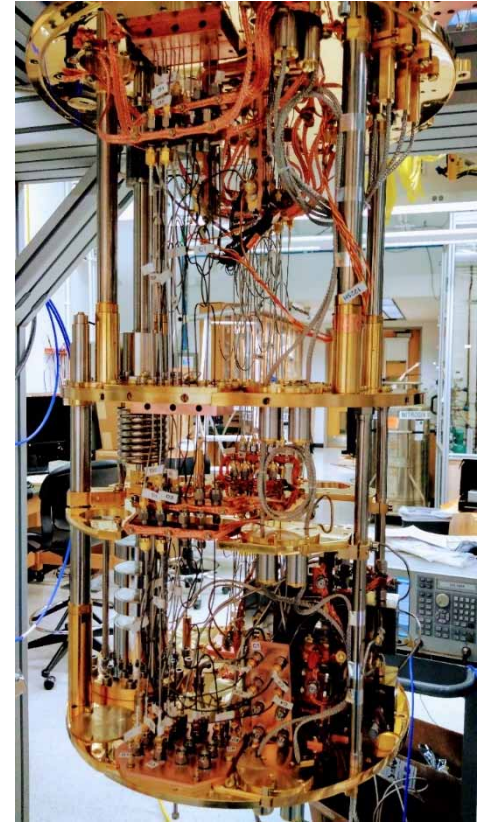
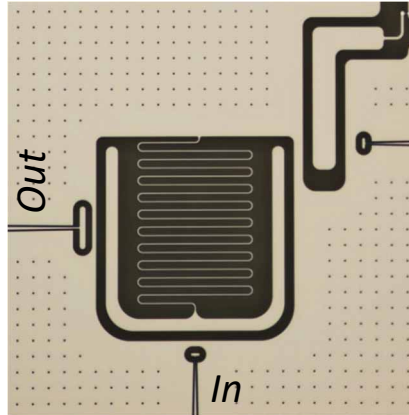
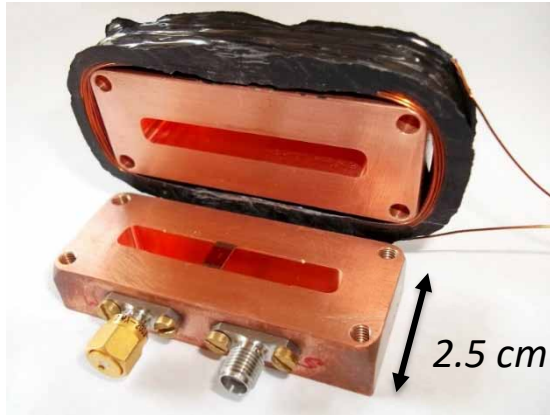
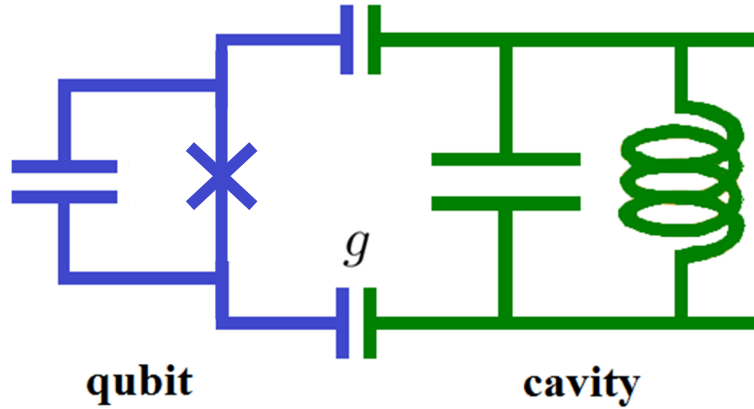
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Circuit QED Architecture



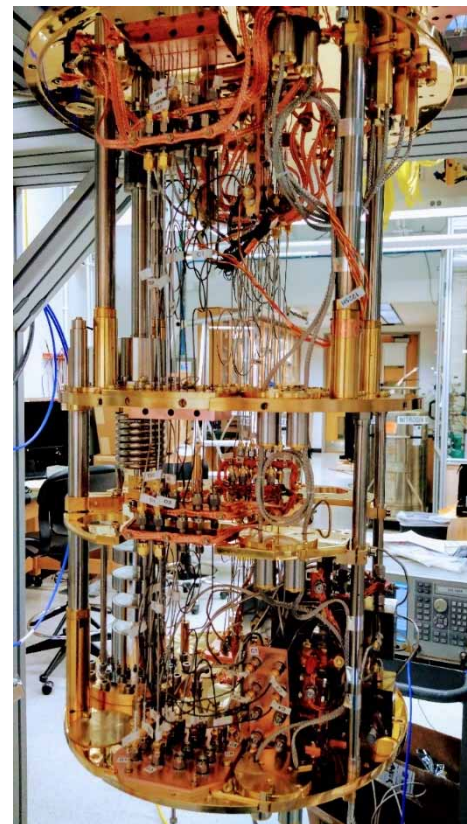
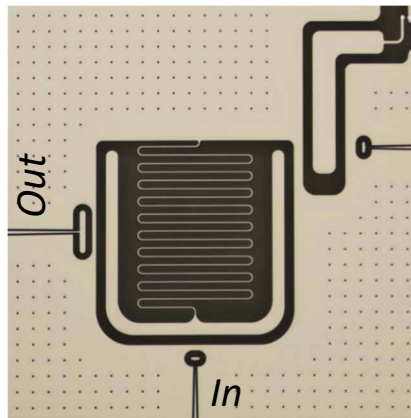
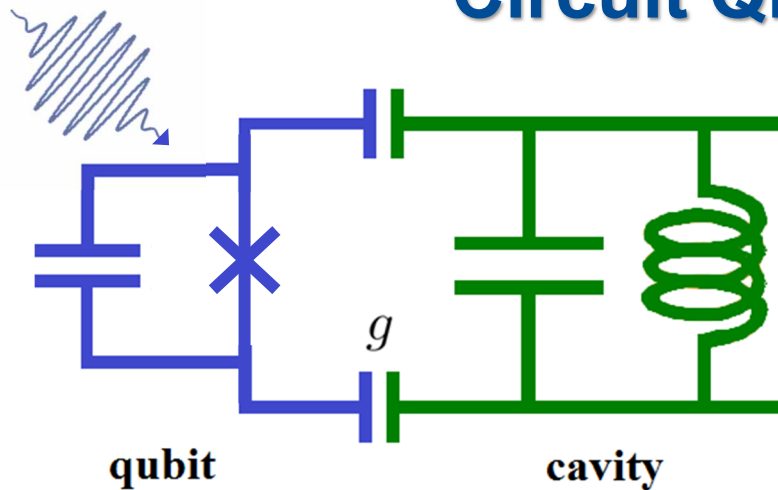
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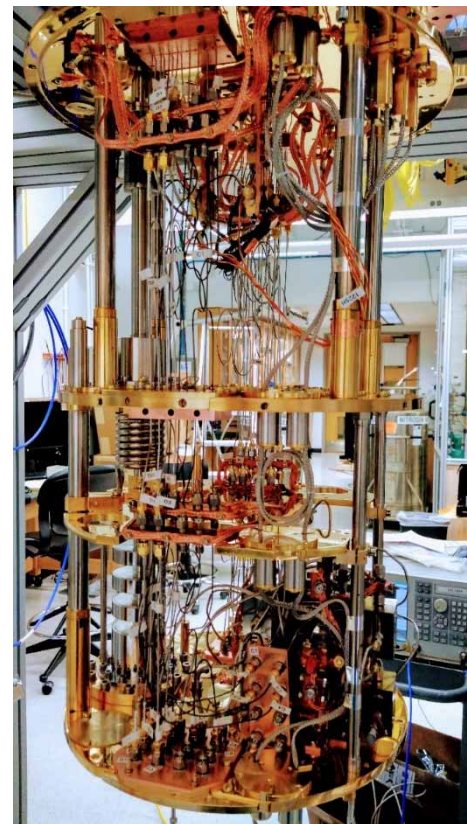
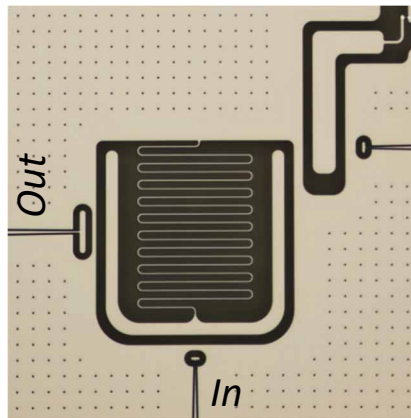
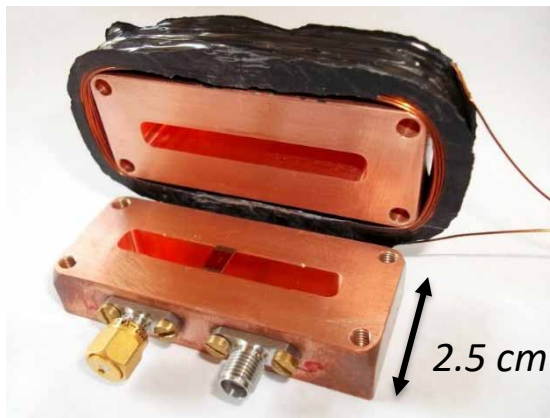
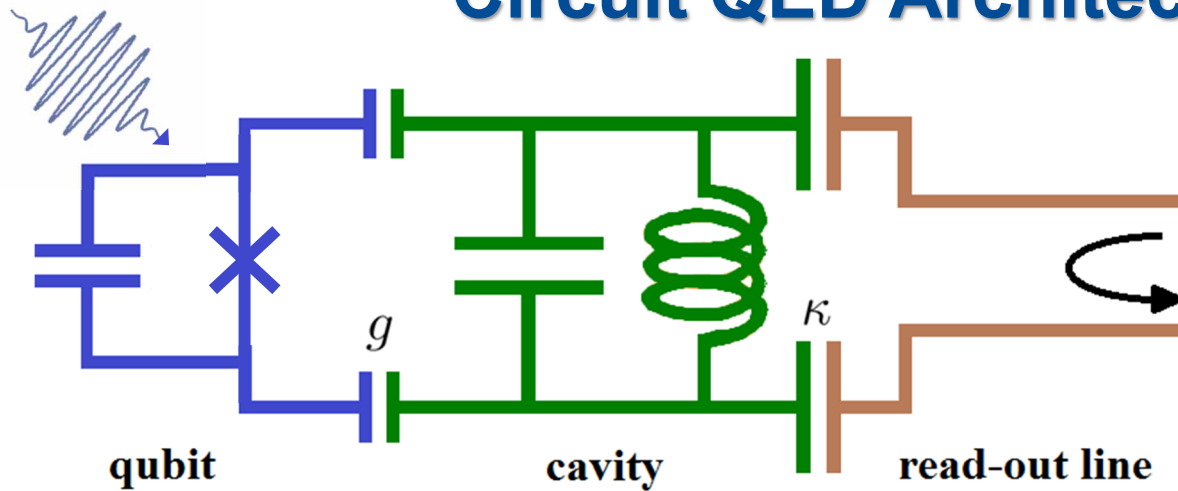
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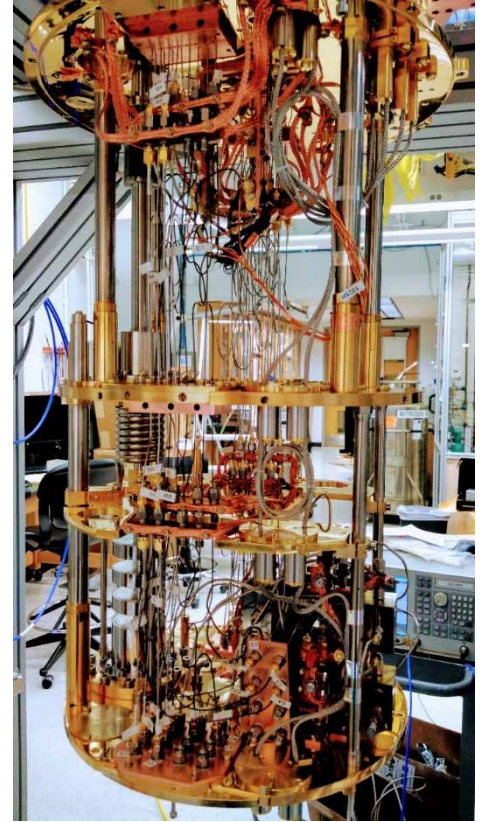
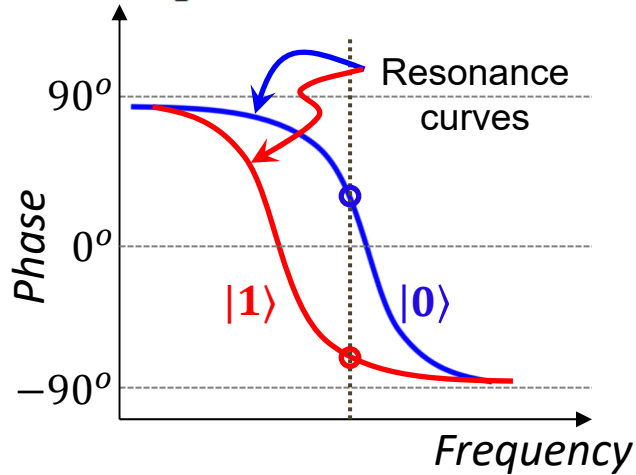
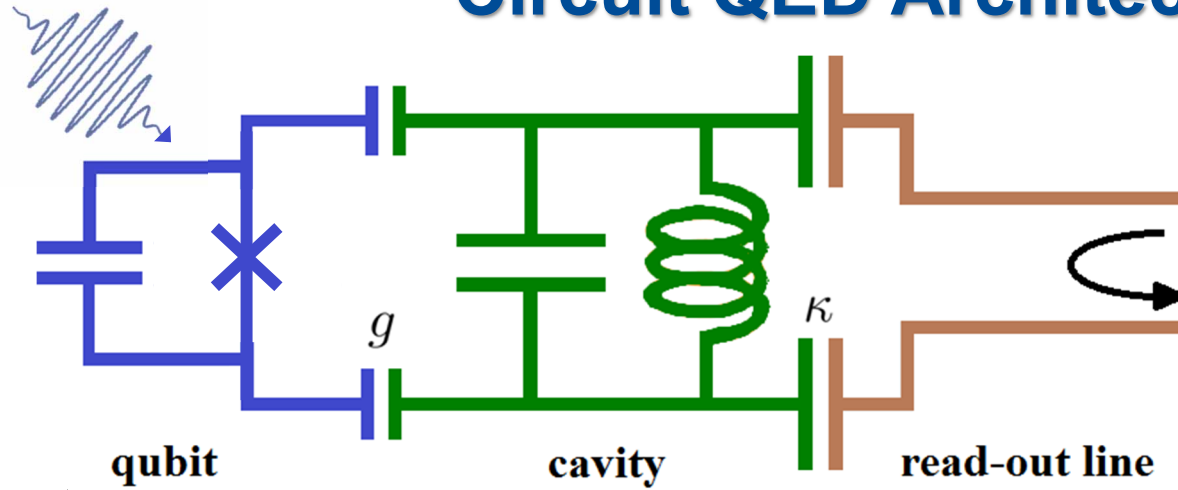
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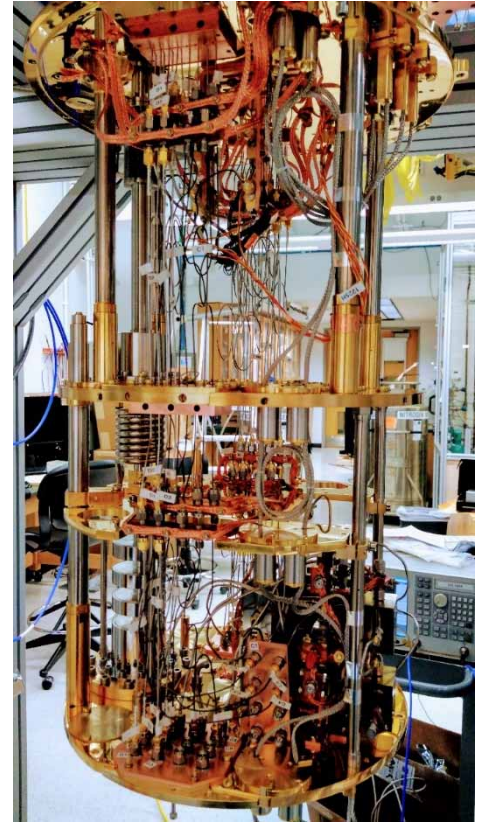
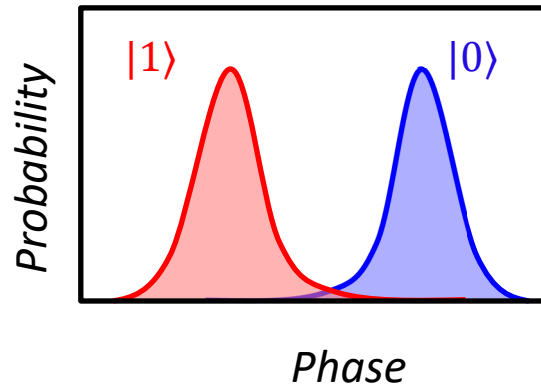
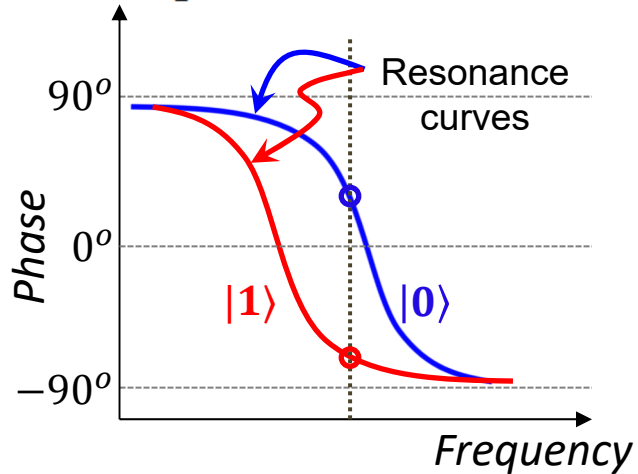
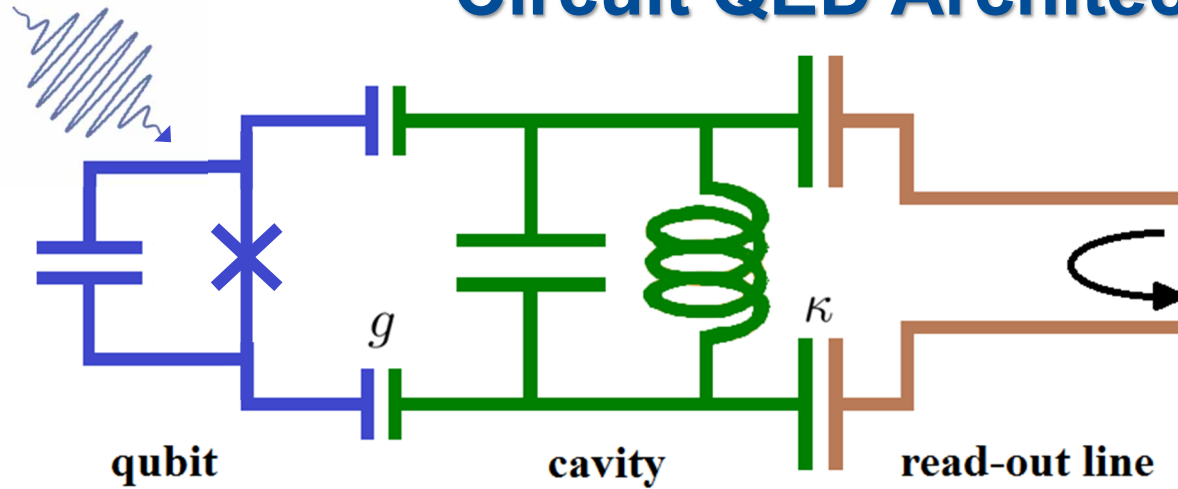
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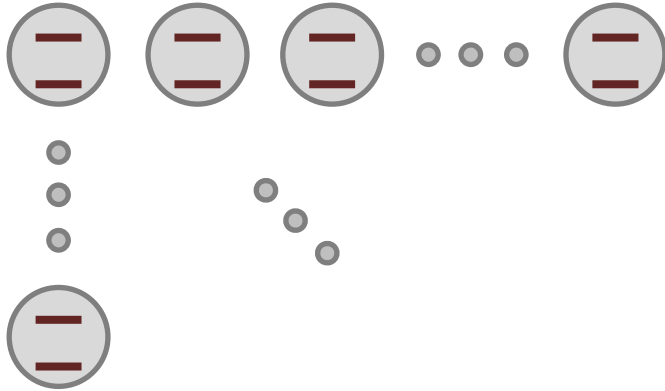
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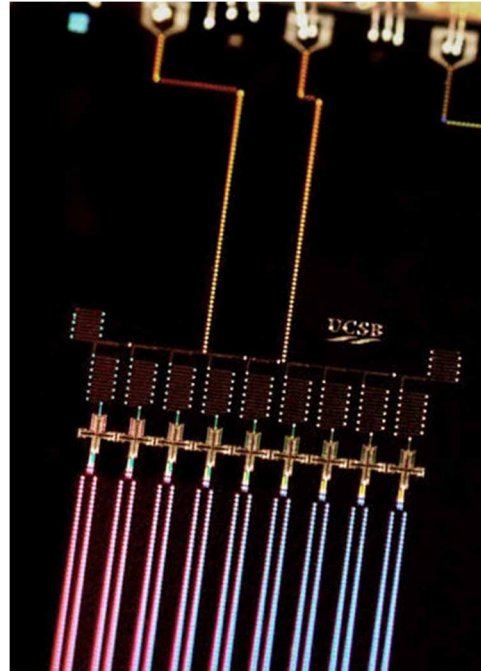
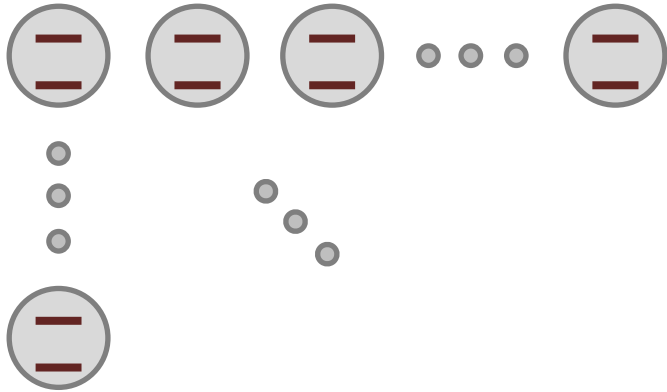
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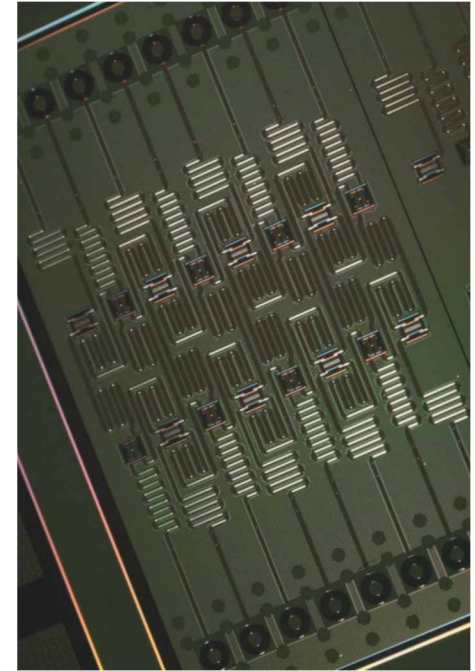


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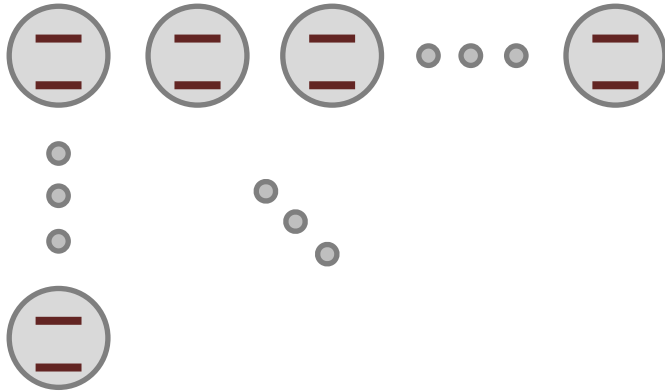
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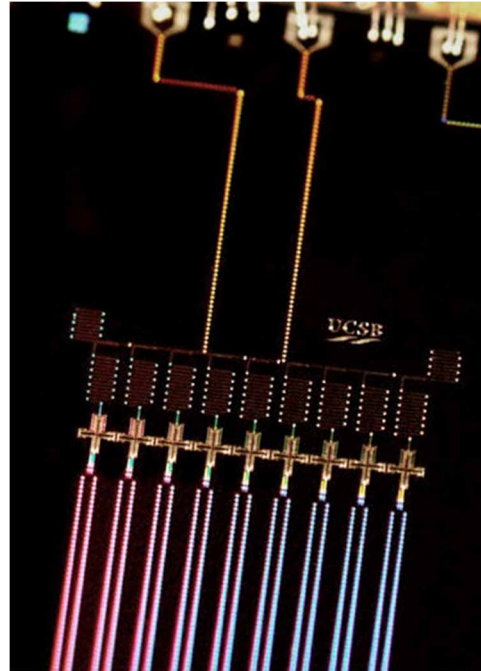
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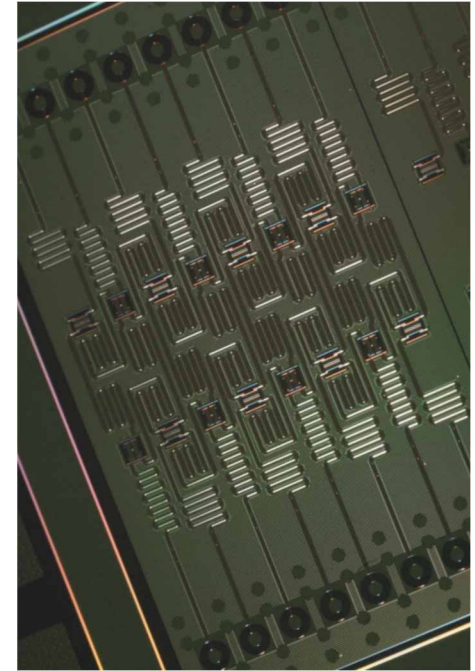
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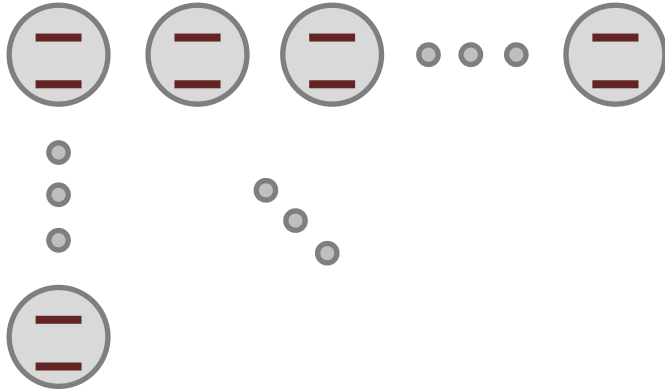
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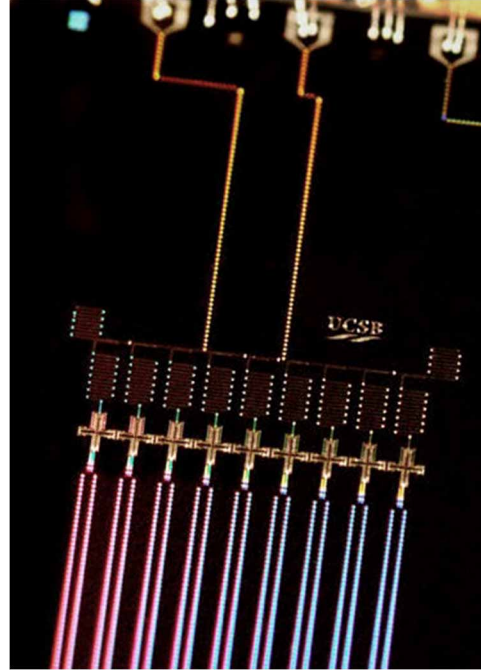
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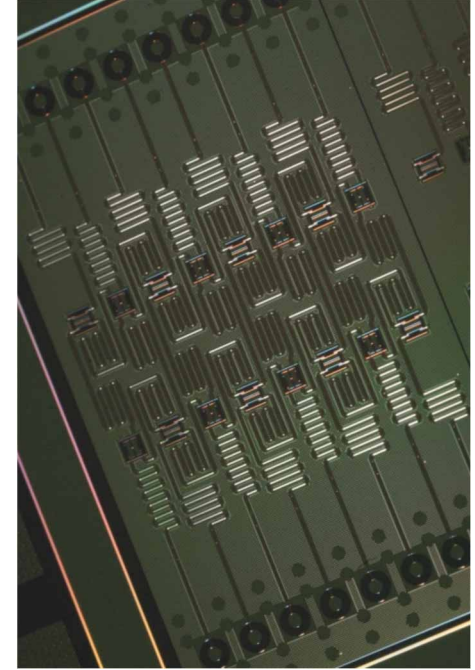


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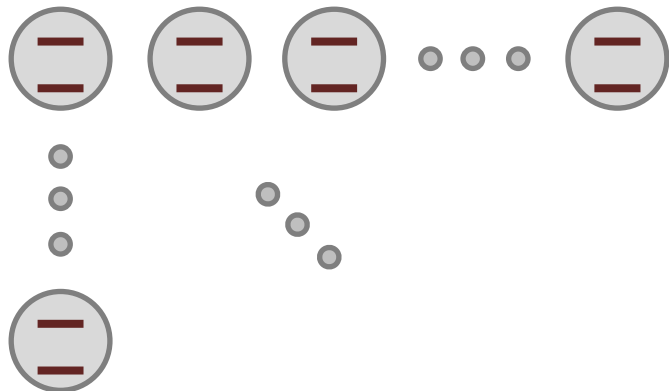
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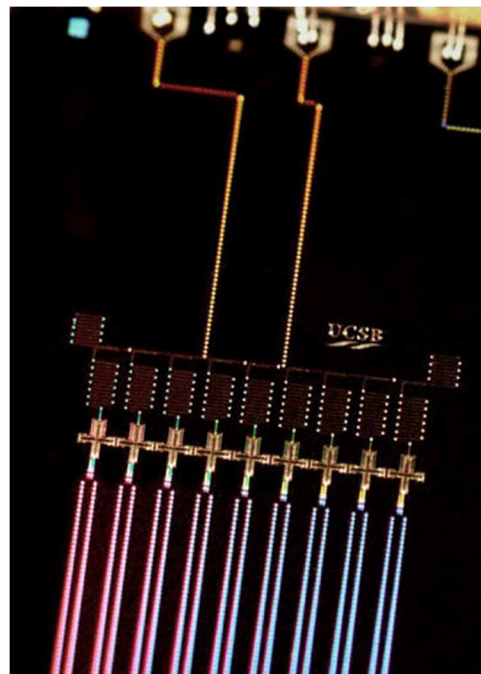
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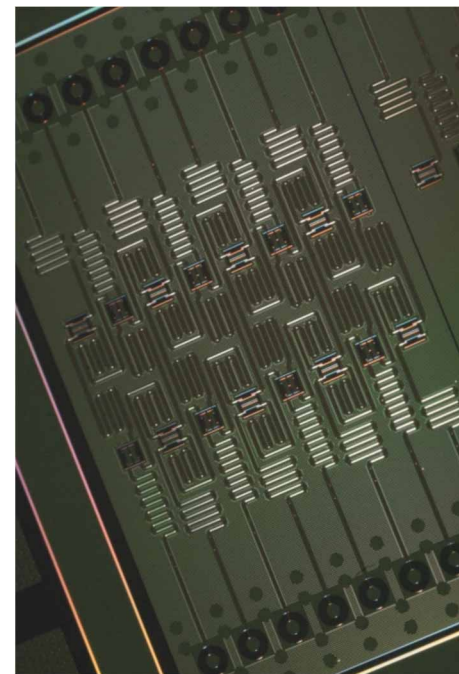
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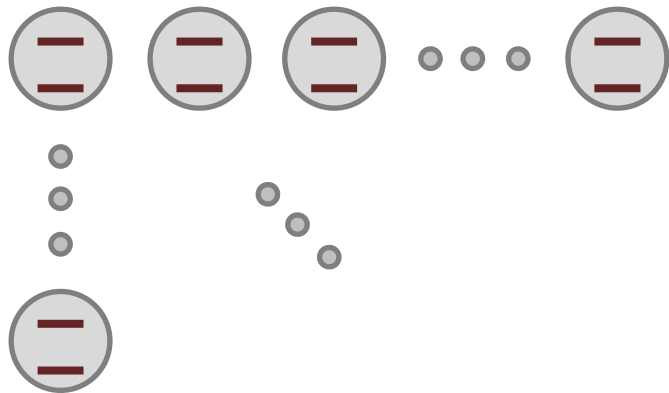
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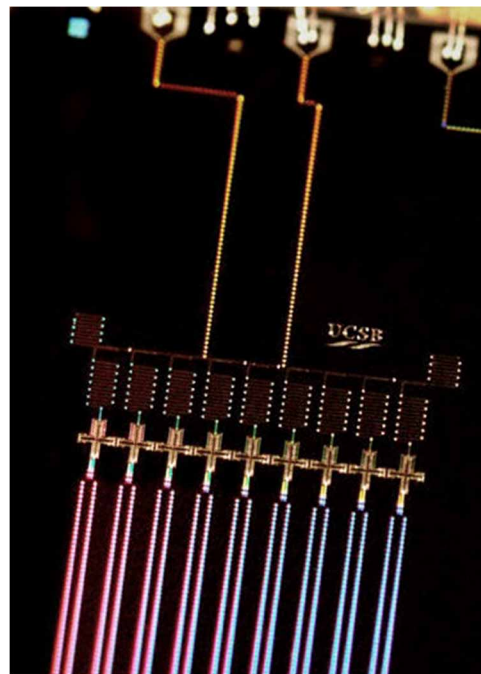


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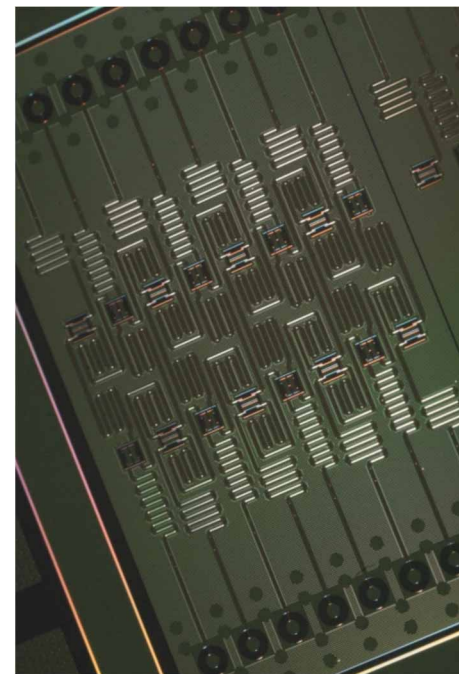
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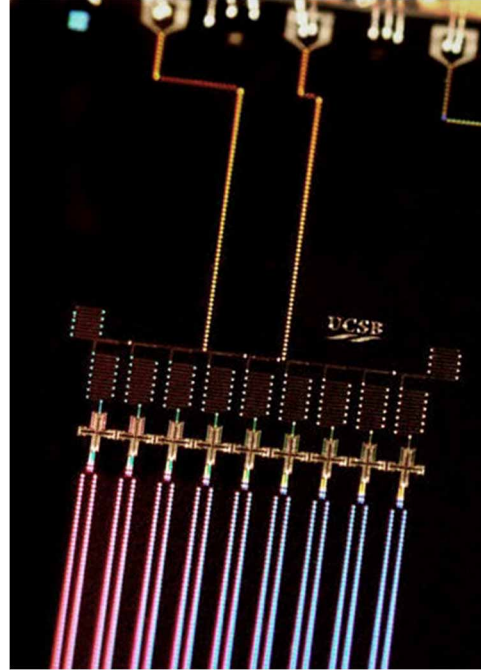
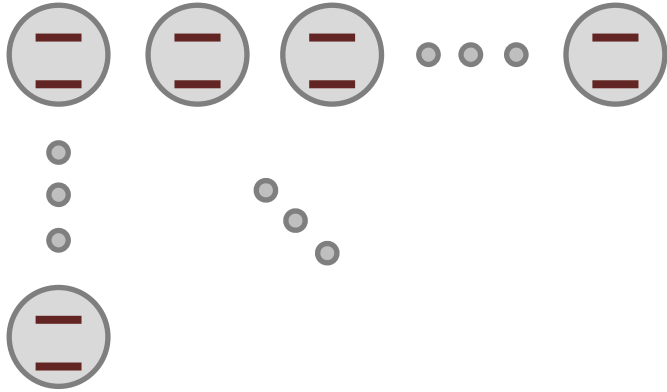
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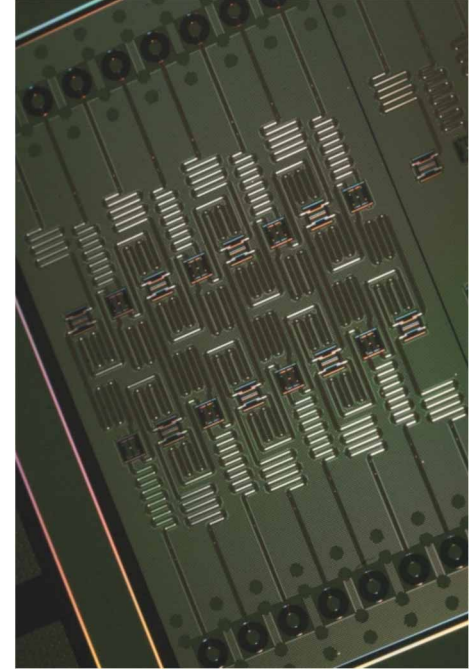
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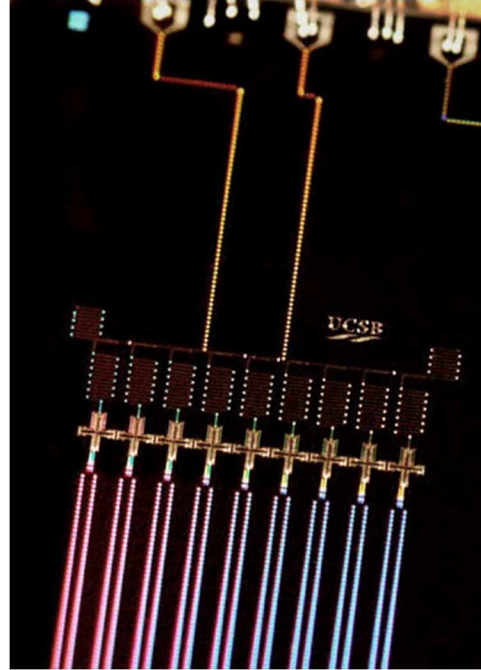
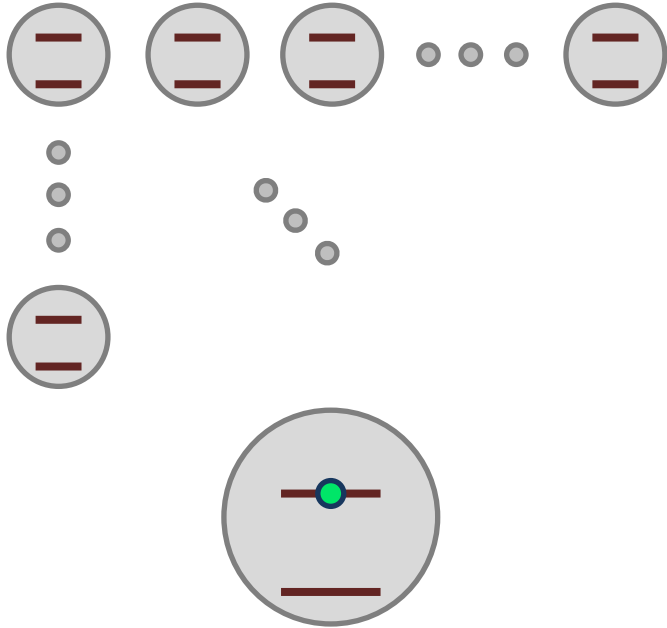
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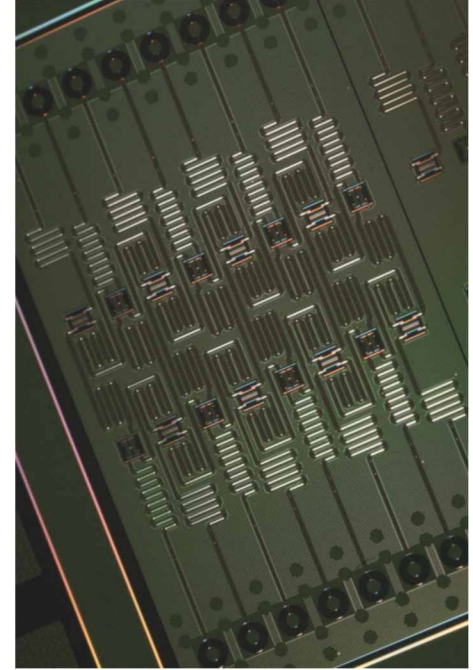
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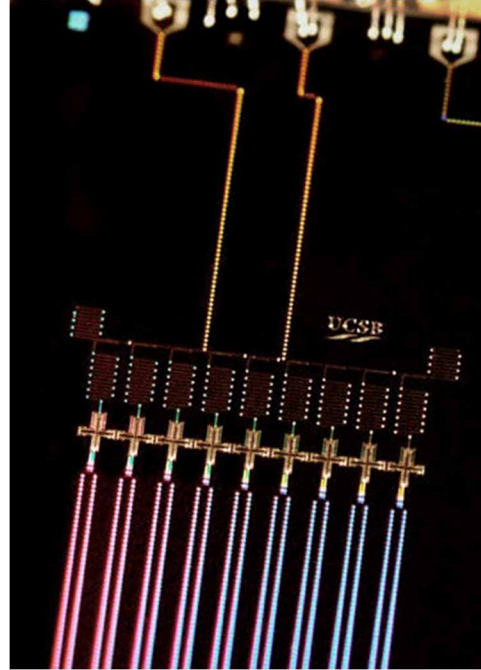
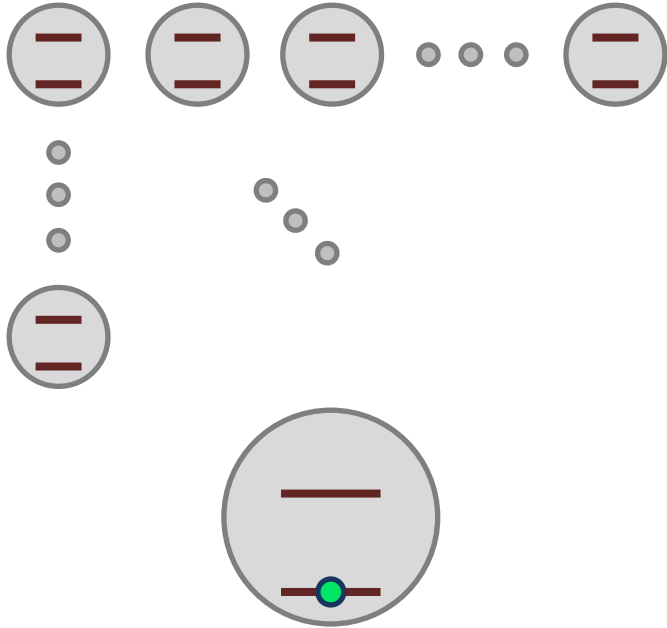
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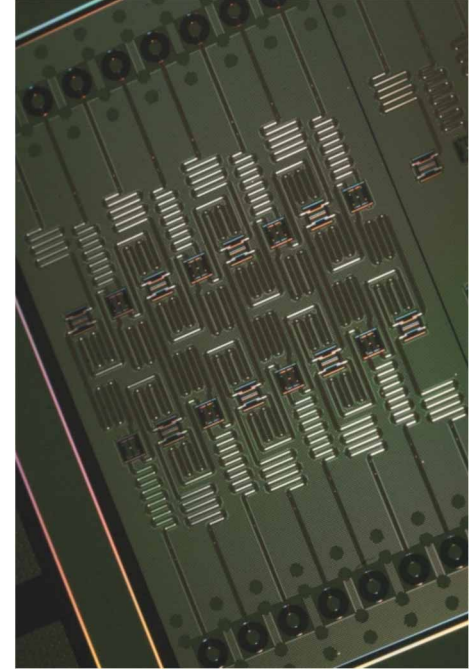
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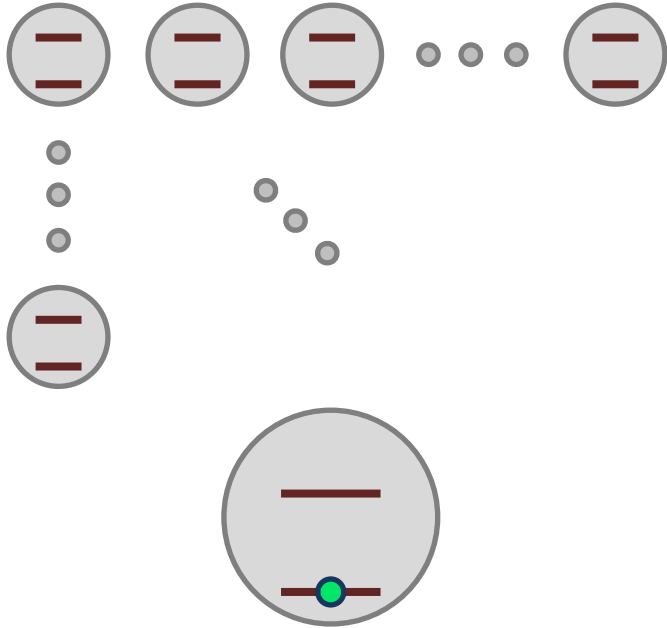
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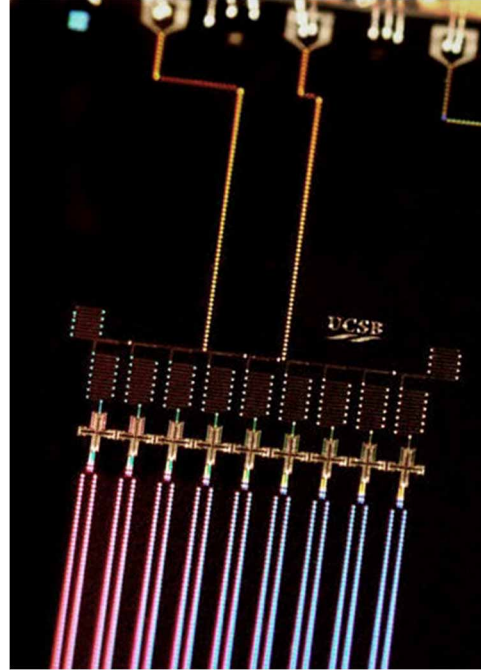
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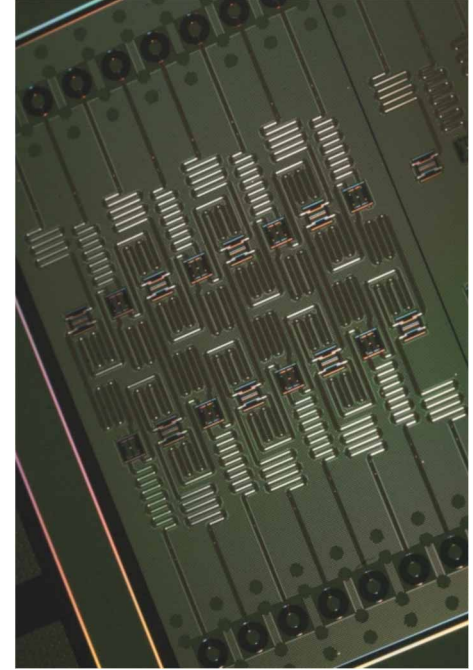
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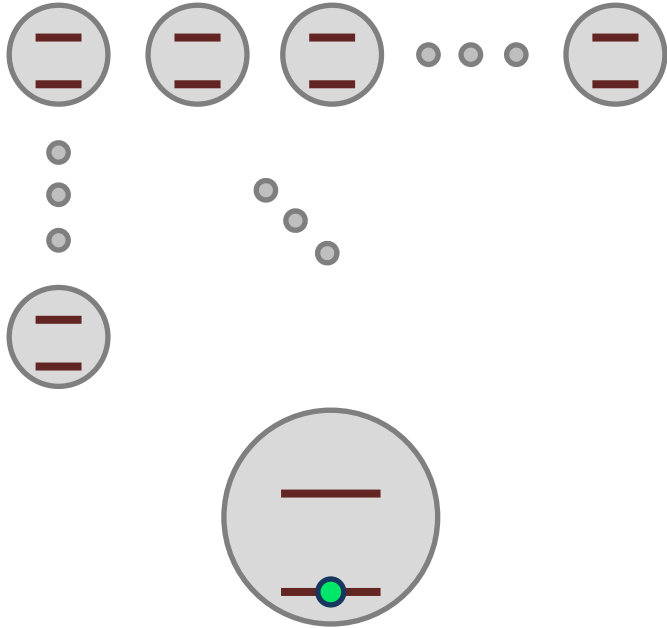
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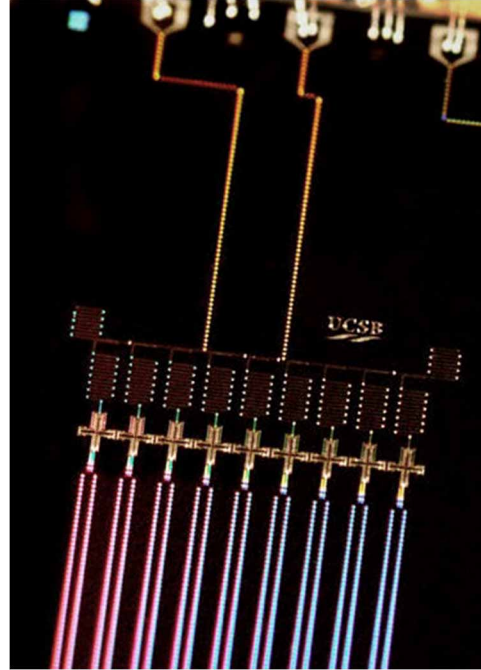
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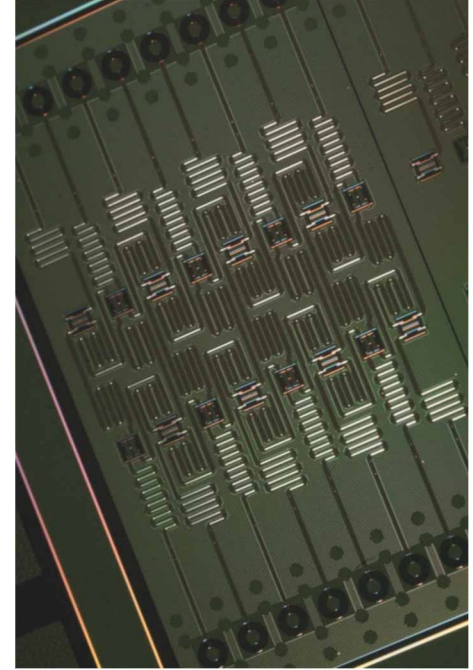


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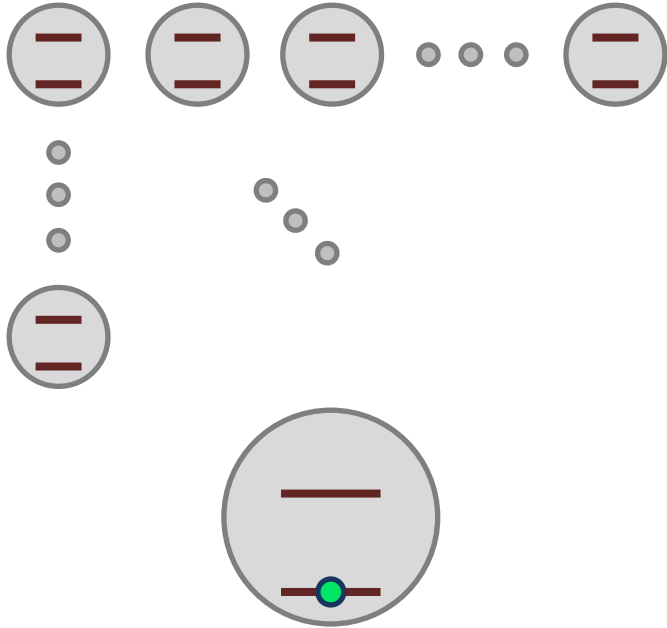
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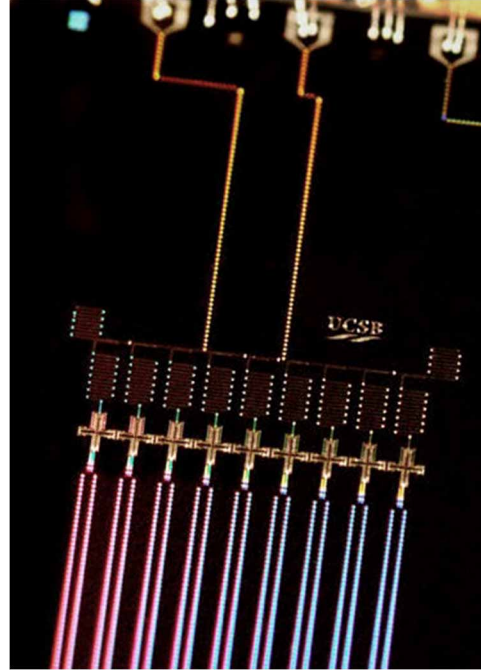
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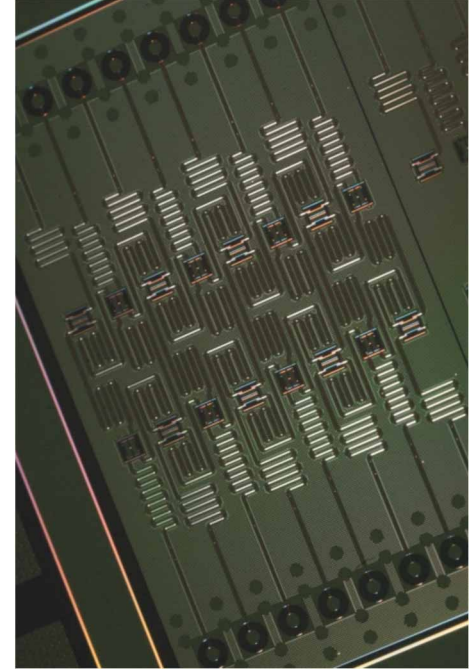


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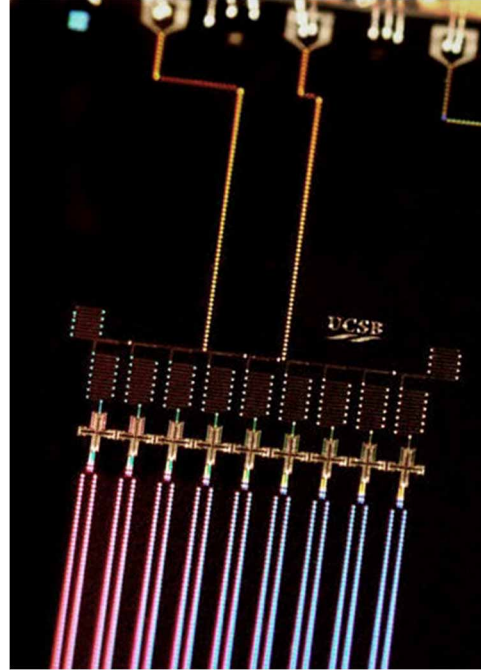
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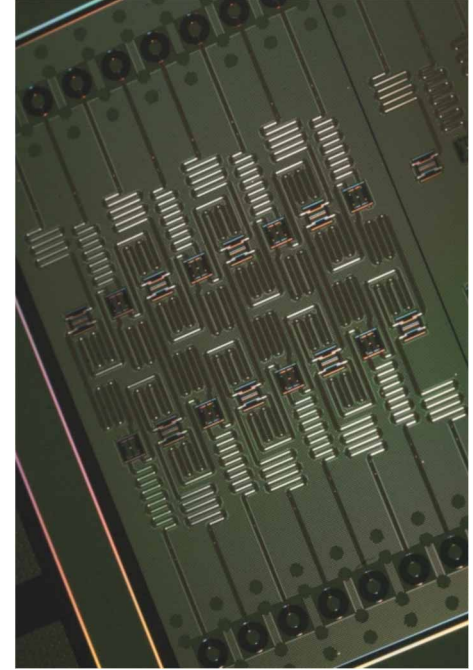
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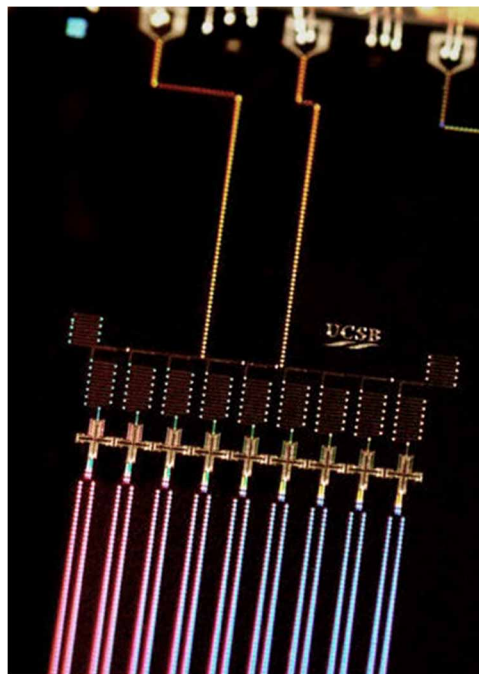
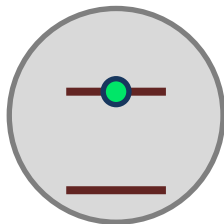
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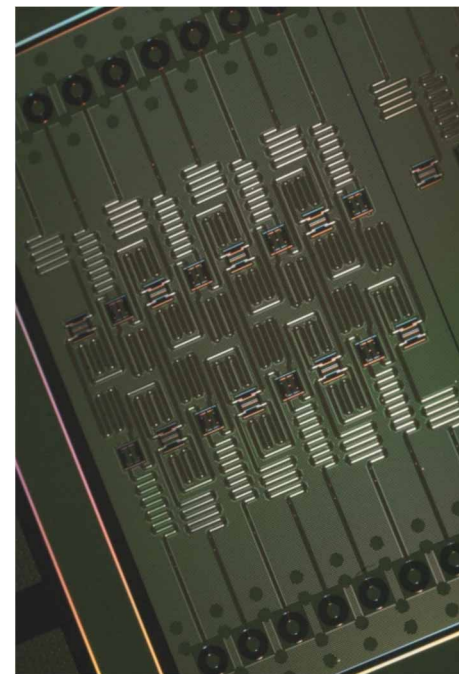
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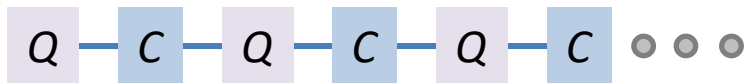
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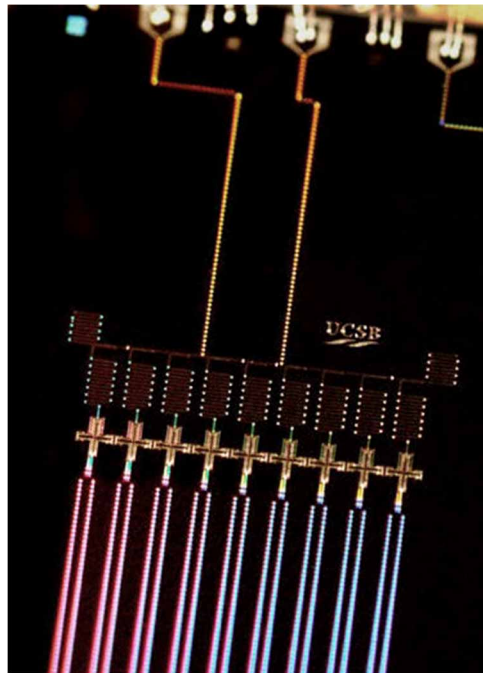
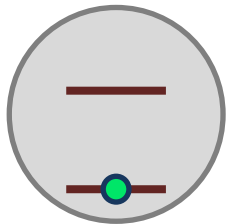
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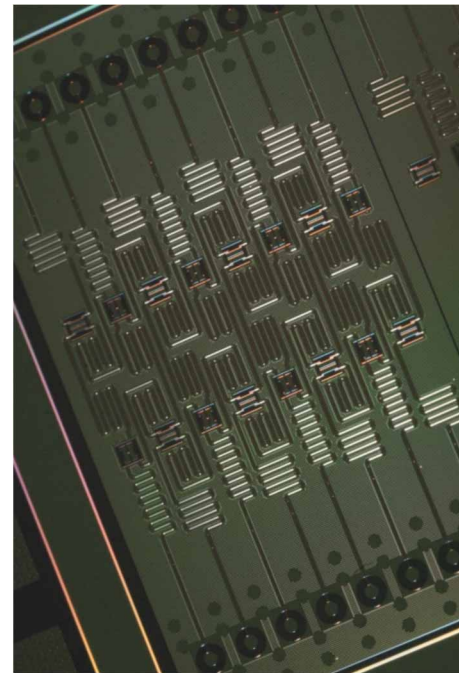
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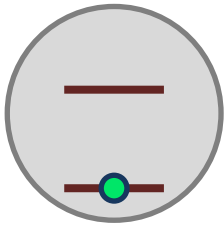
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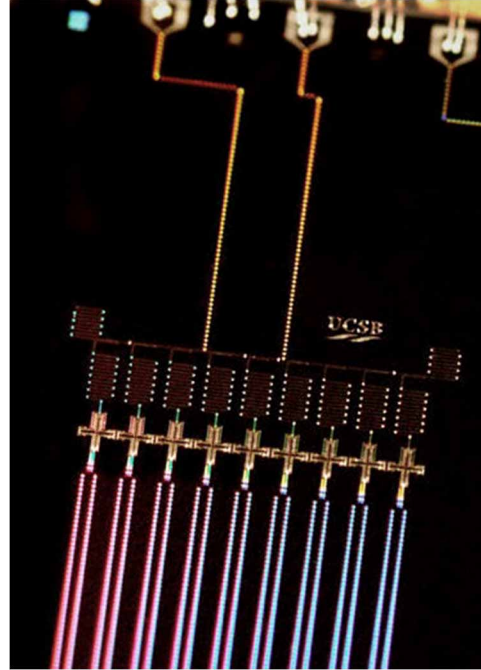
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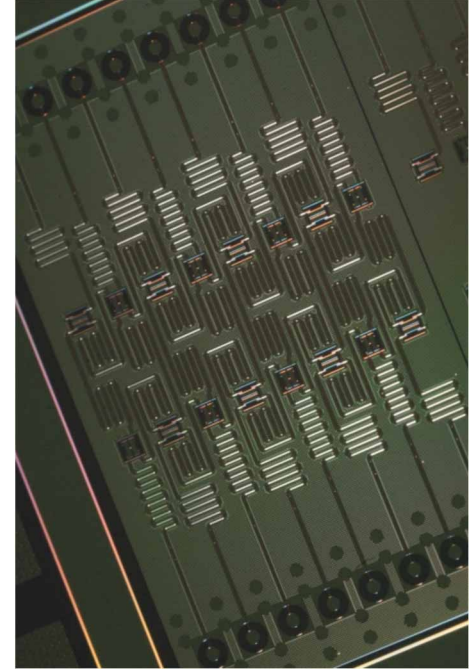
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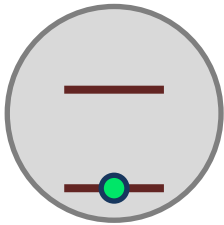
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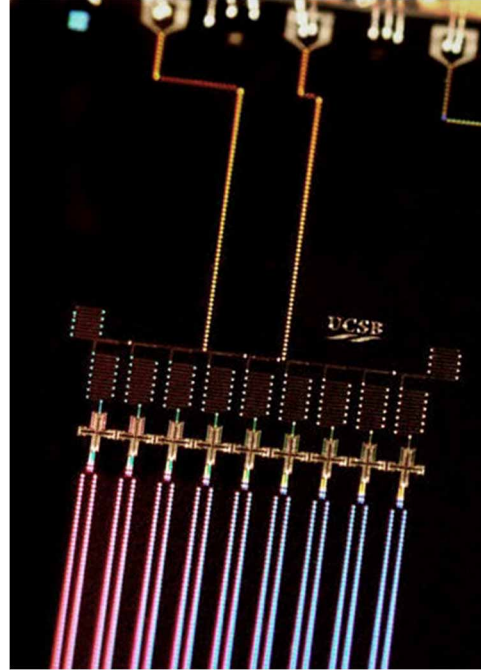


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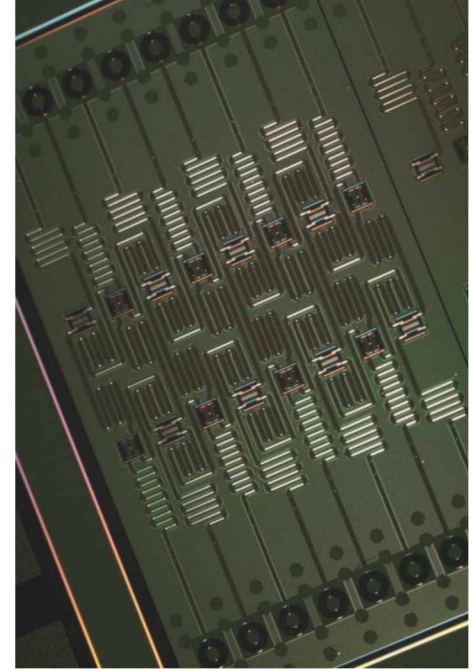


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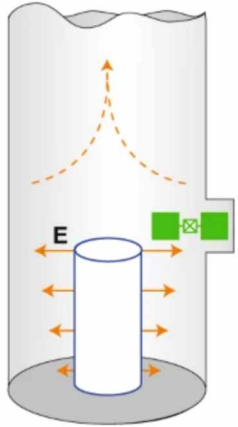


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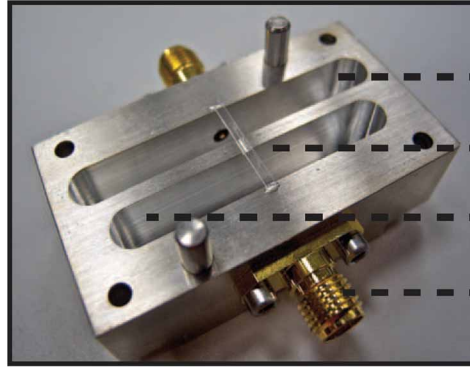
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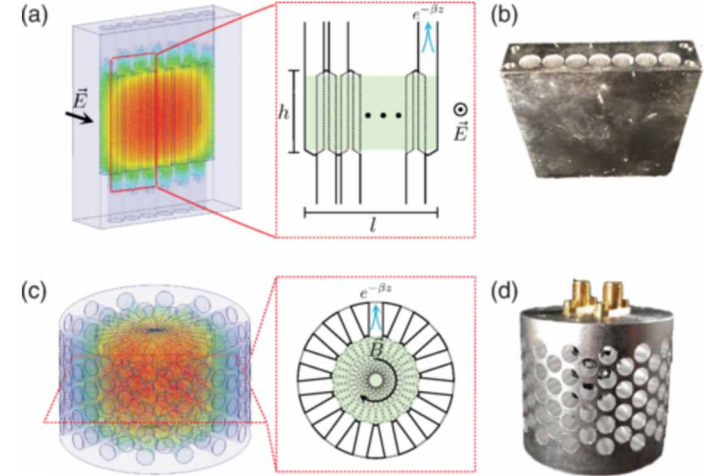


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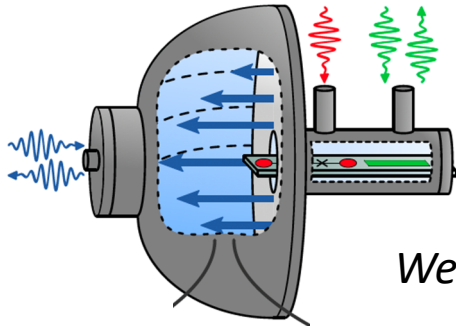


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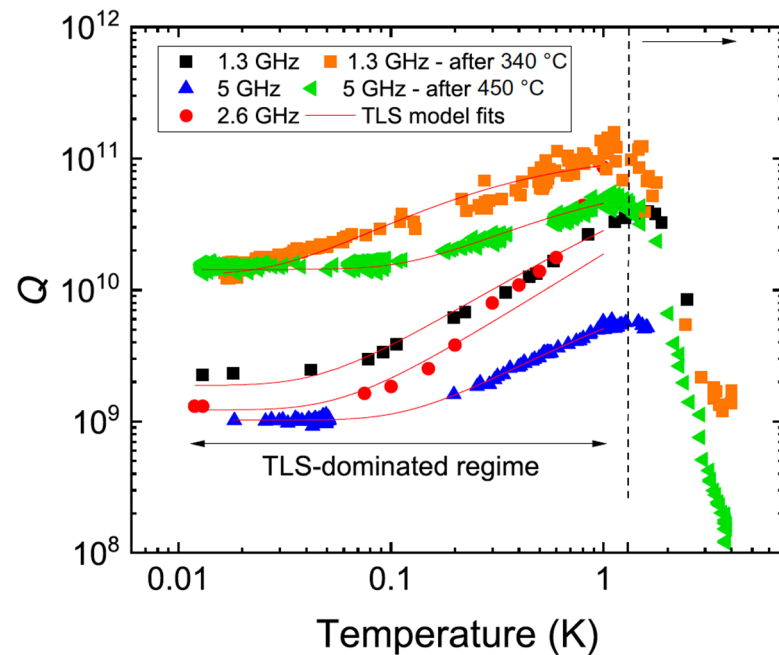
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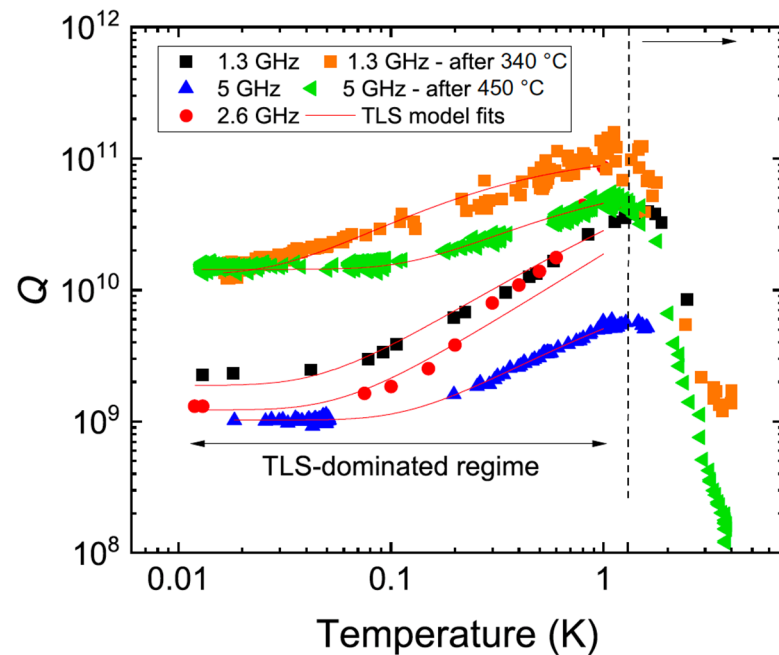
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1.3 GHz SRF:

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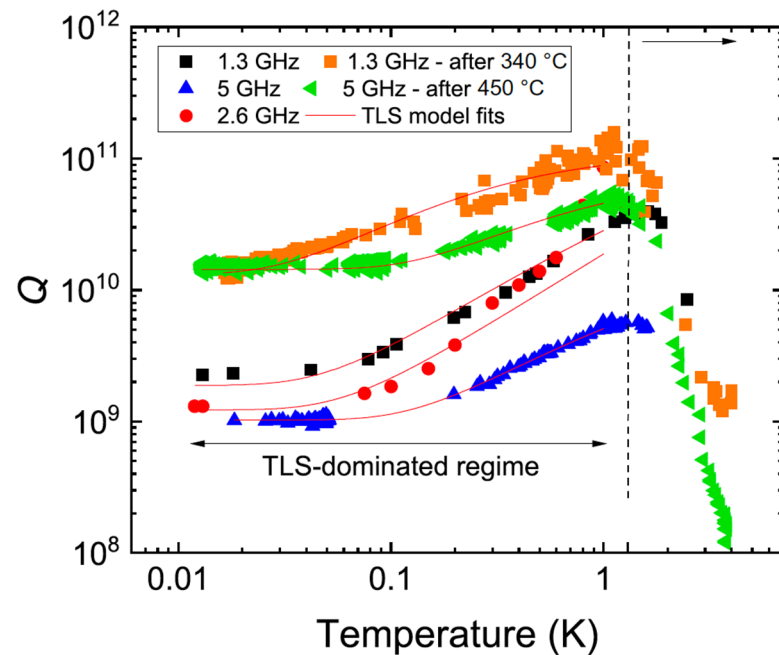


$$T_1 > 2 \text{ s}$$

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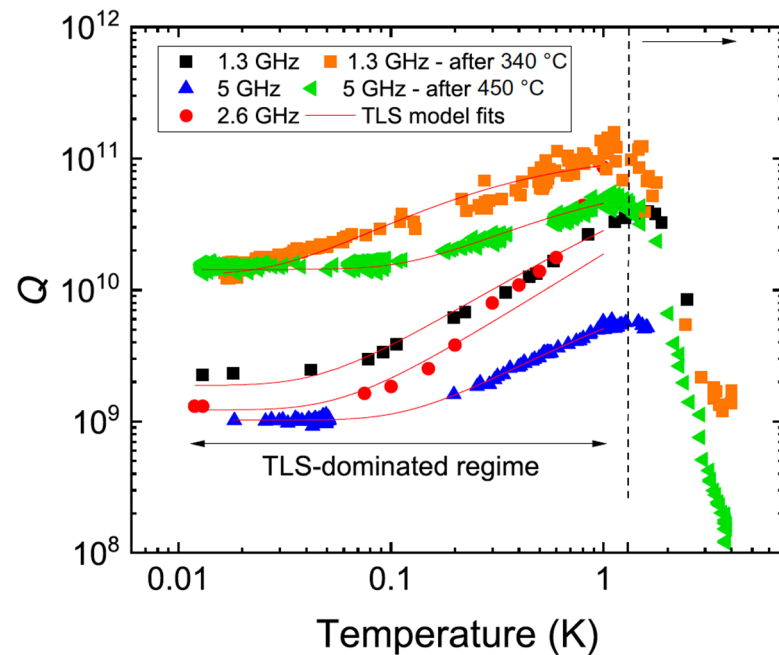


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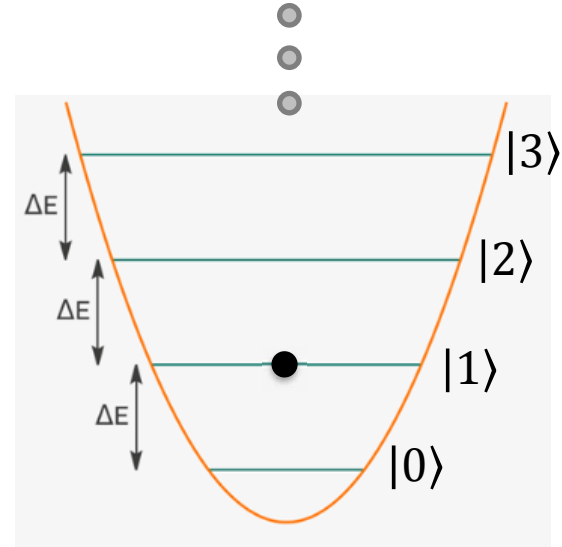
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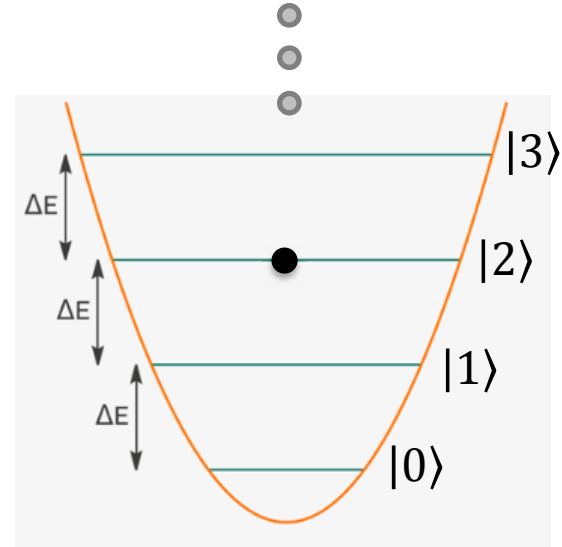


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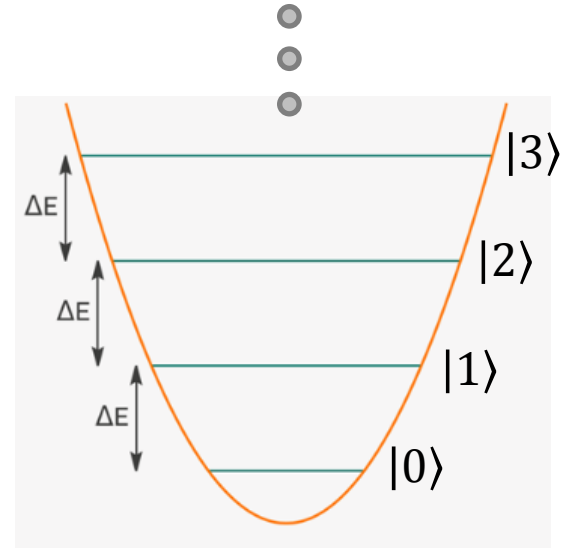
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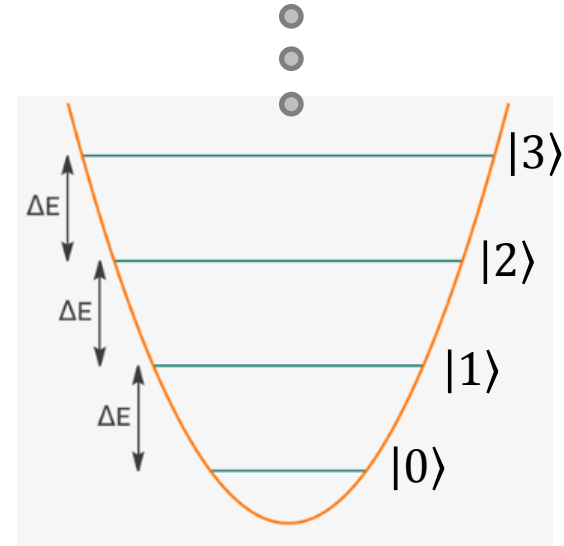
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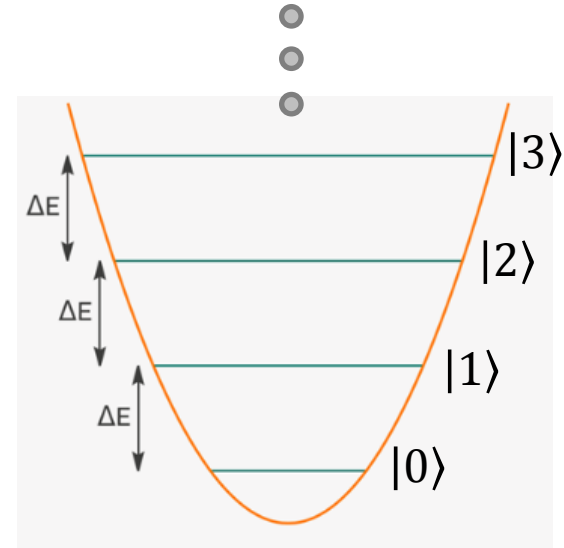
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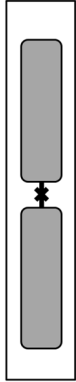
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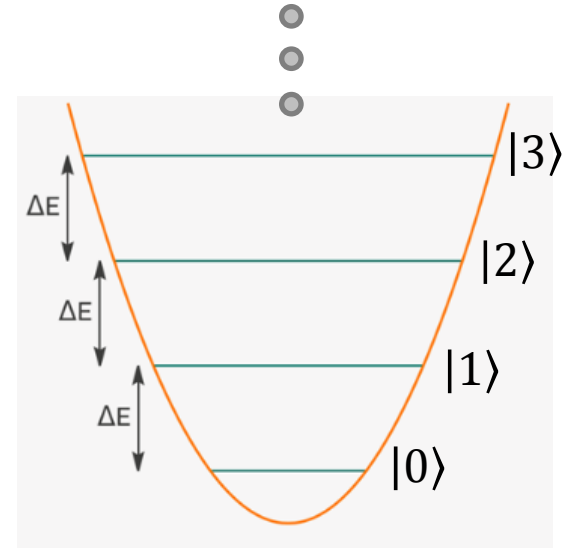
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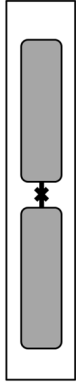
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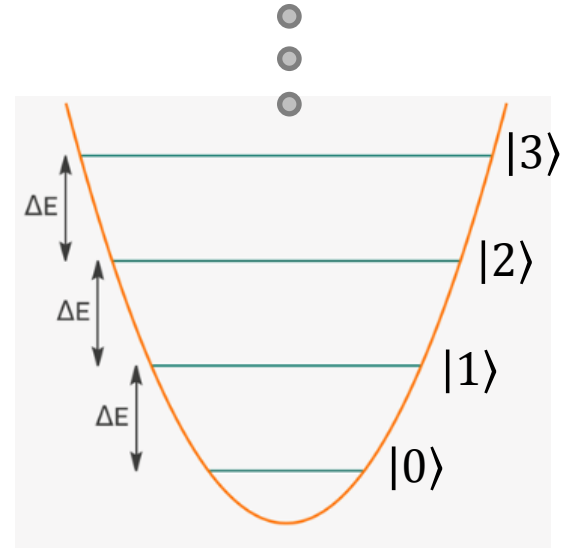
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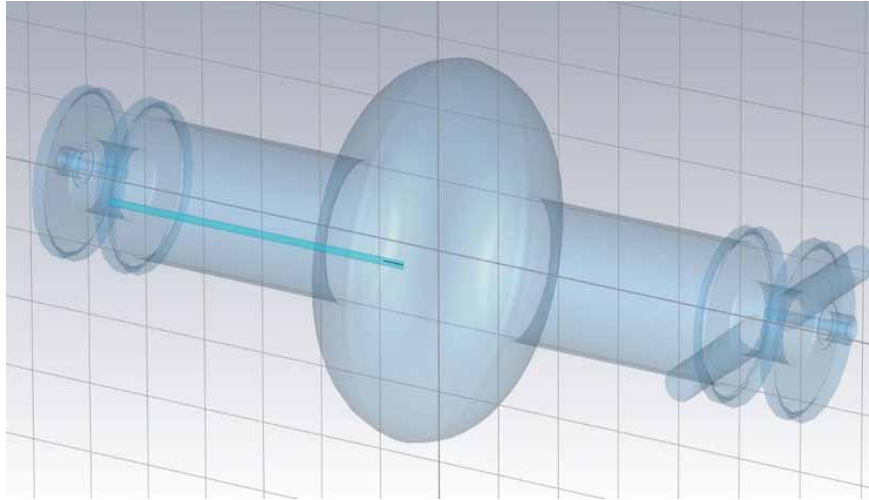
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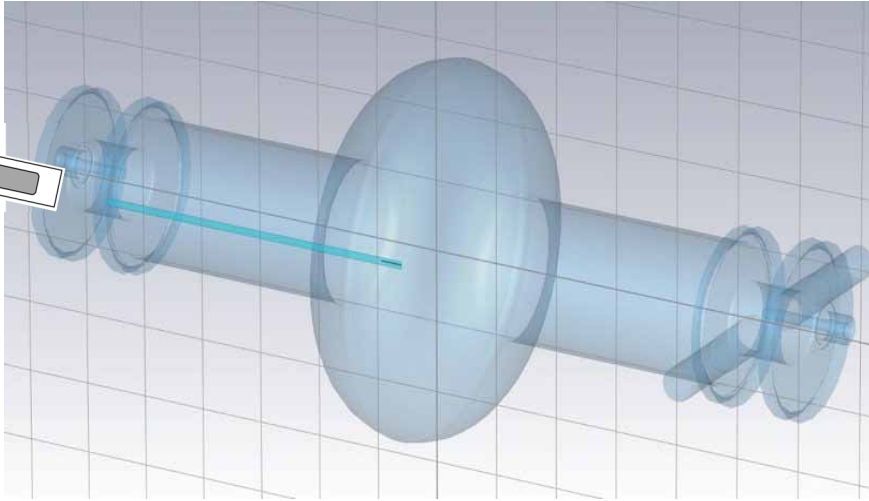
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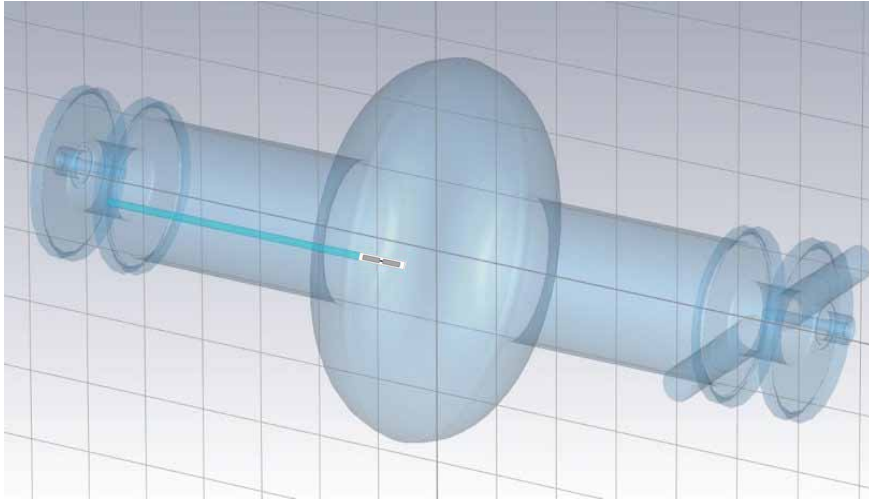
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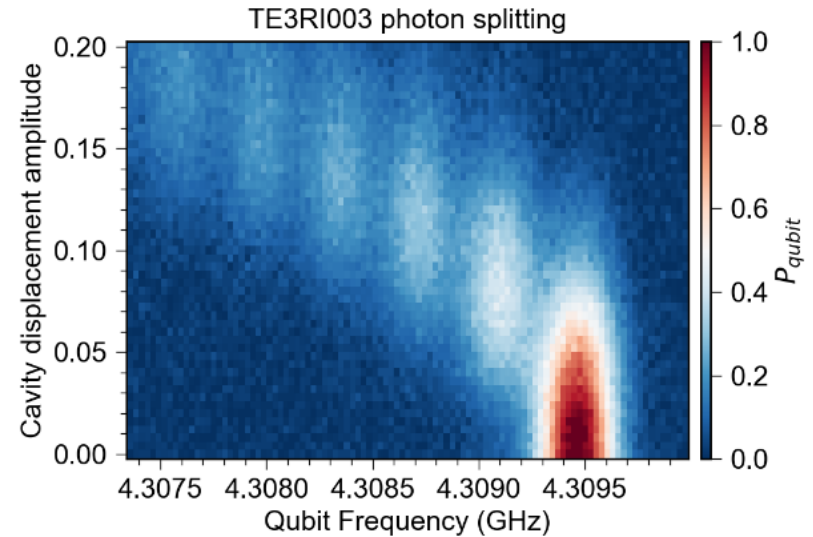
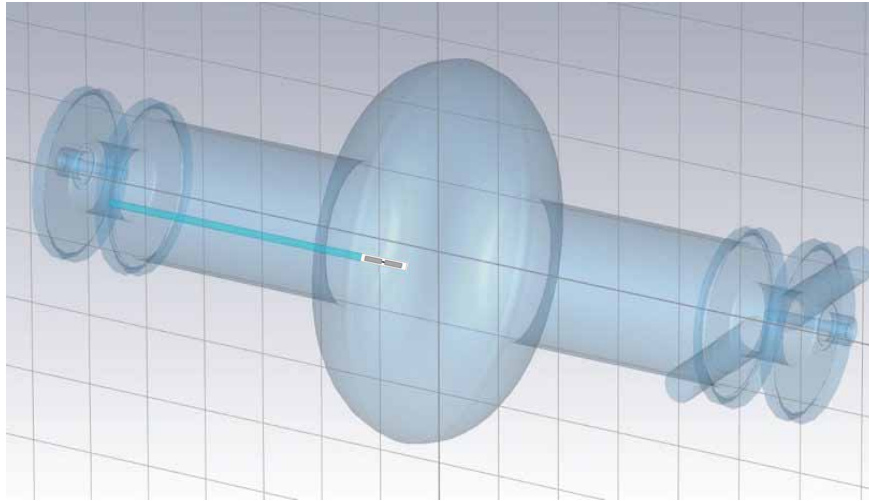
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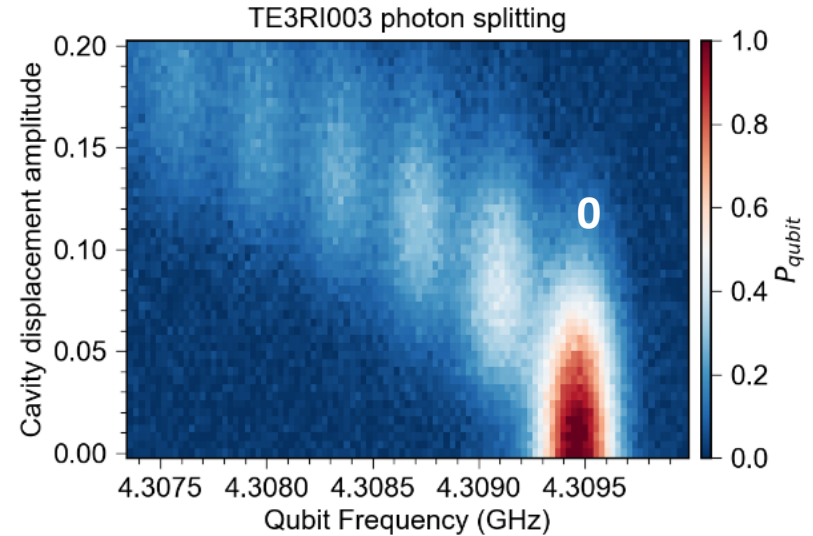
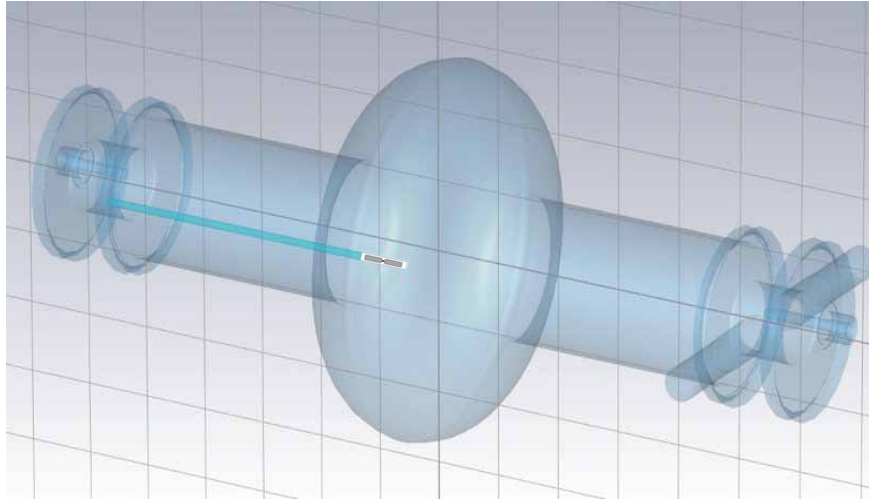
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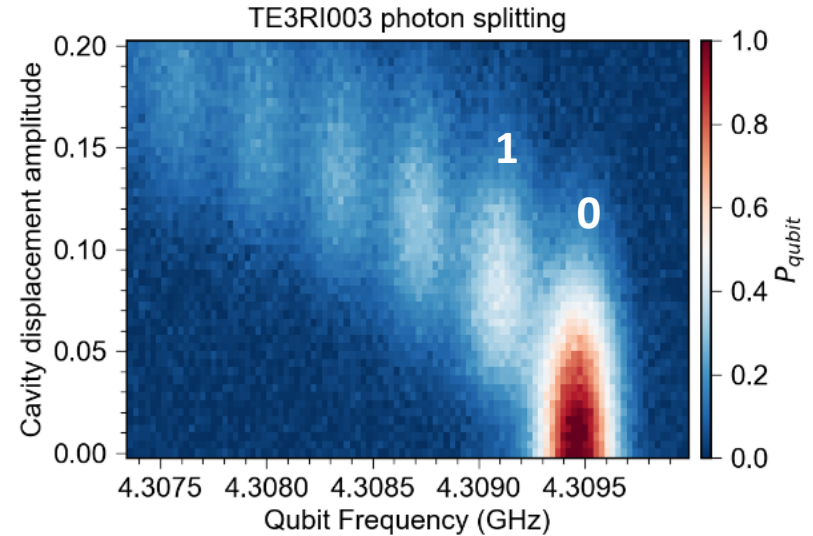
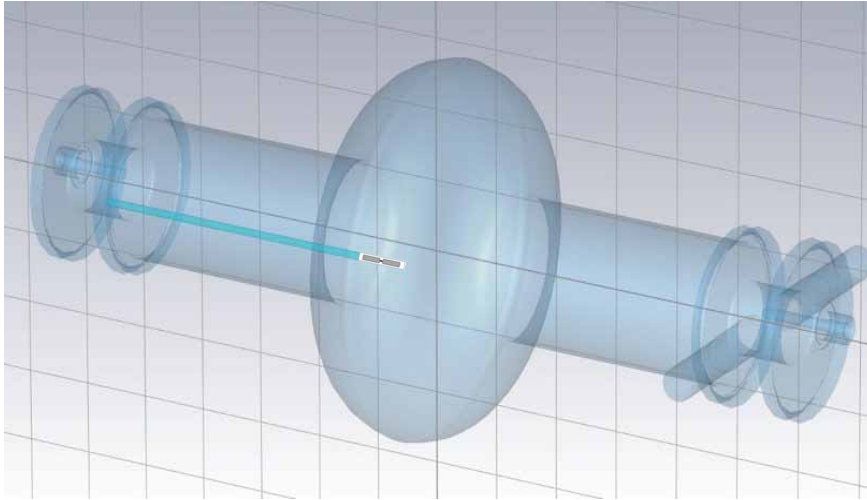
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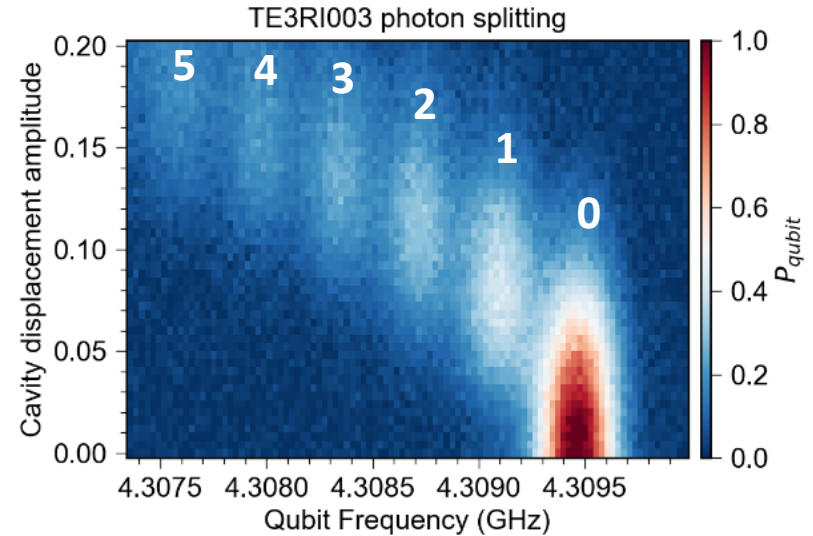
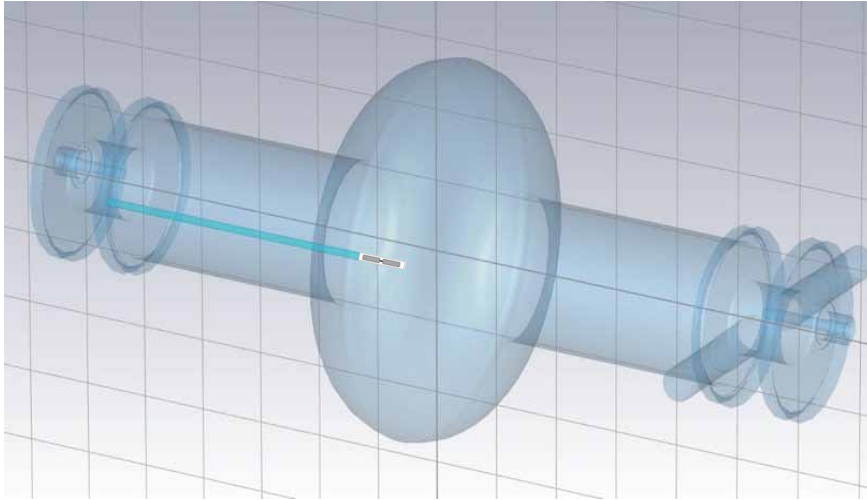
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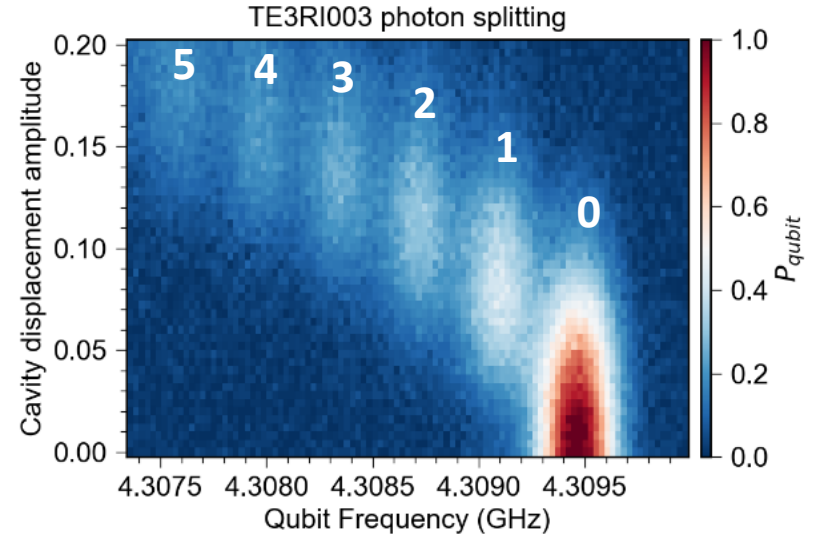
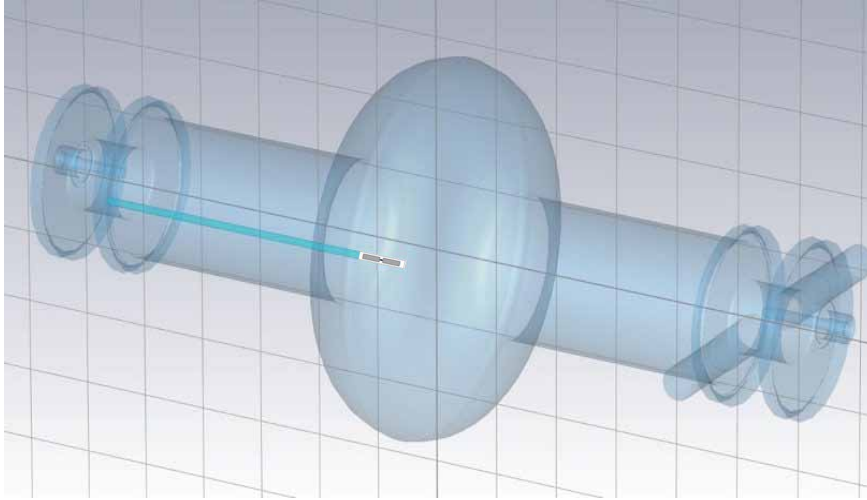
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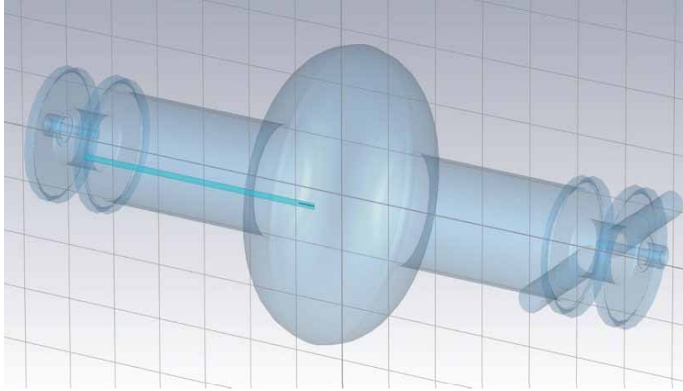
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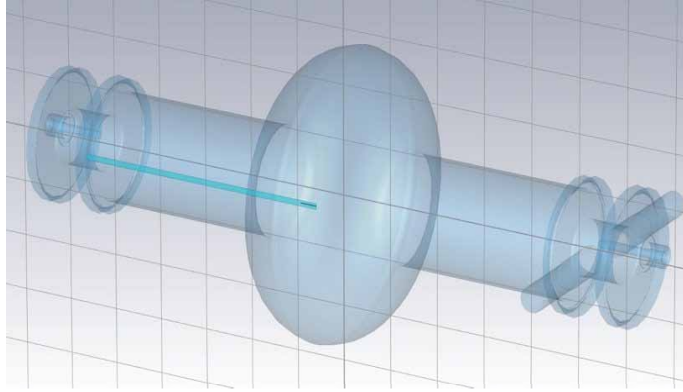
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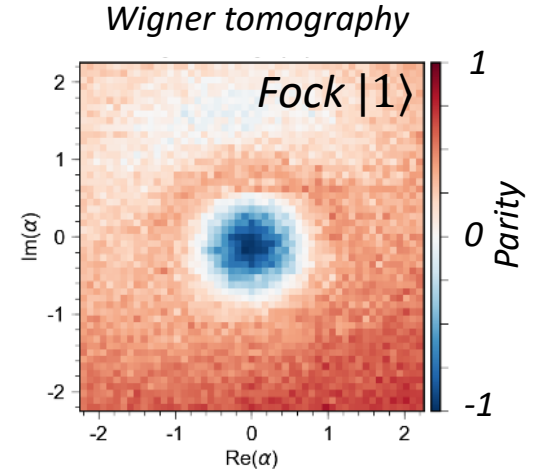
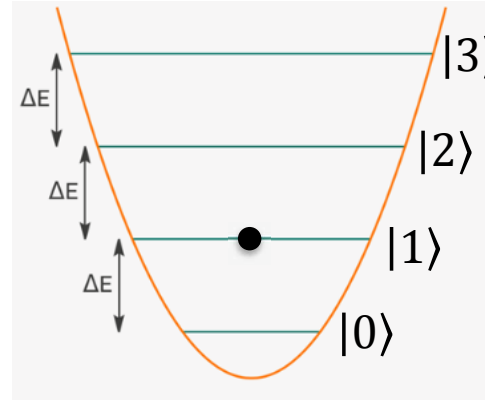


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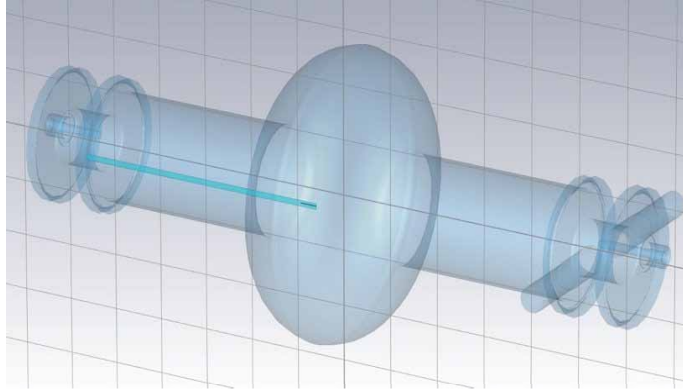
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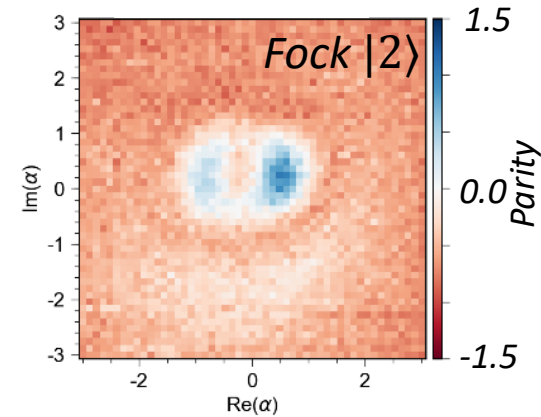
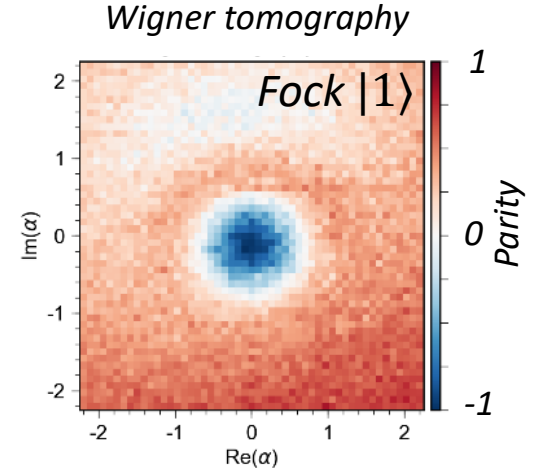
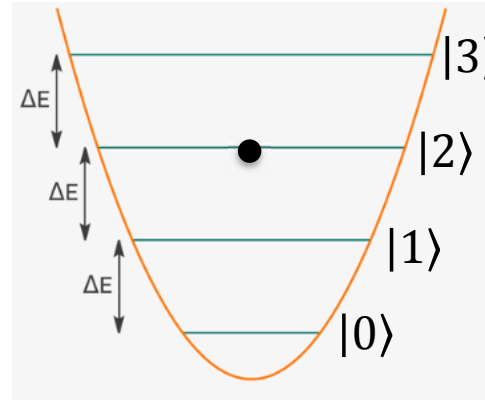
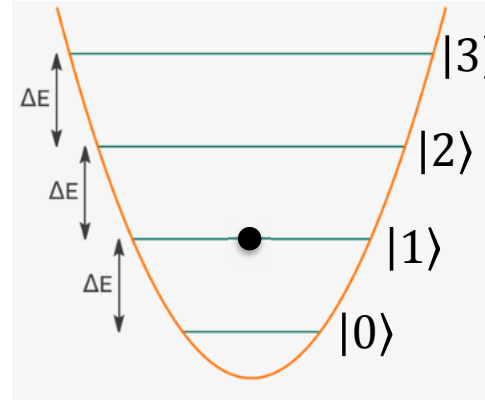
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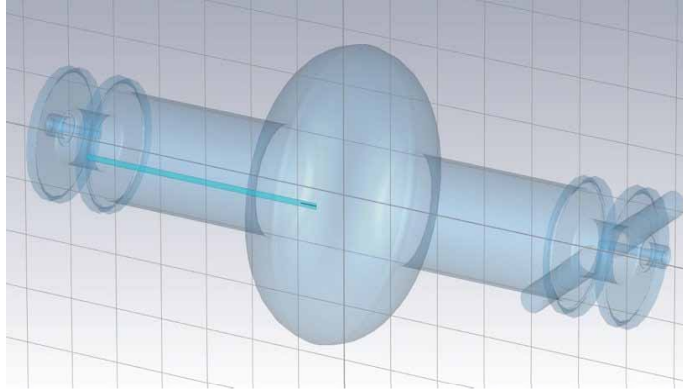
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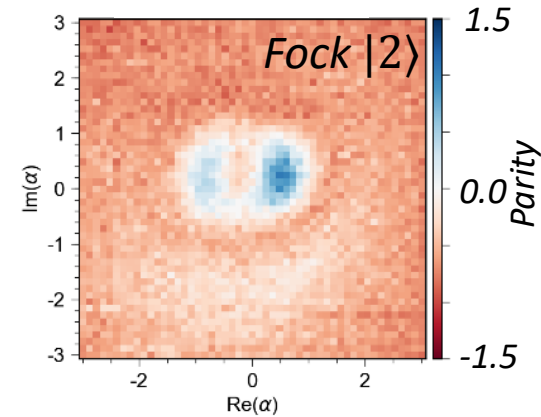
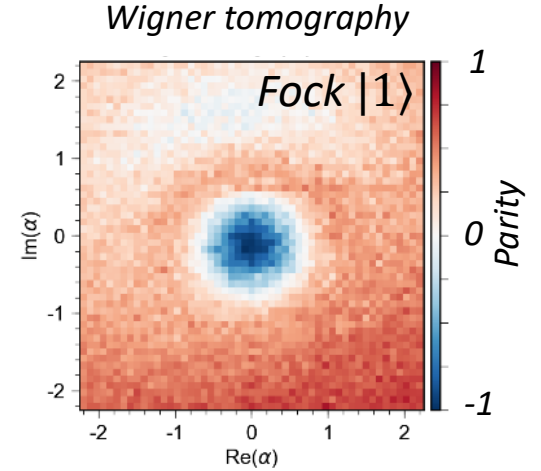
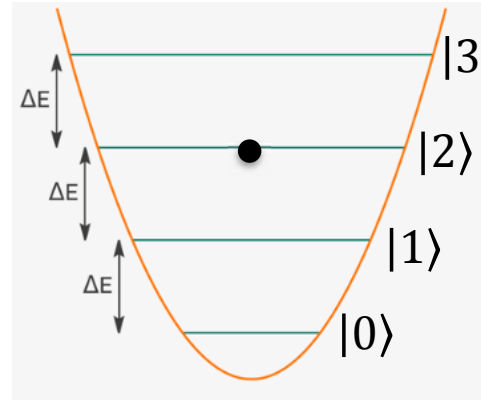
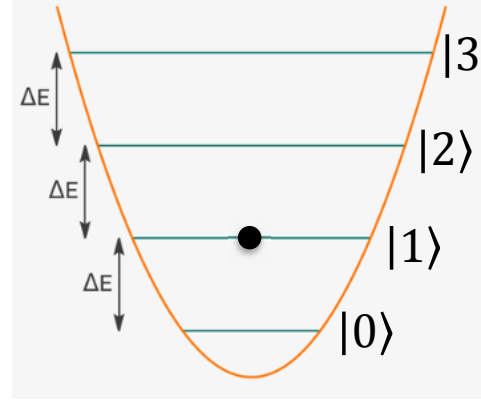
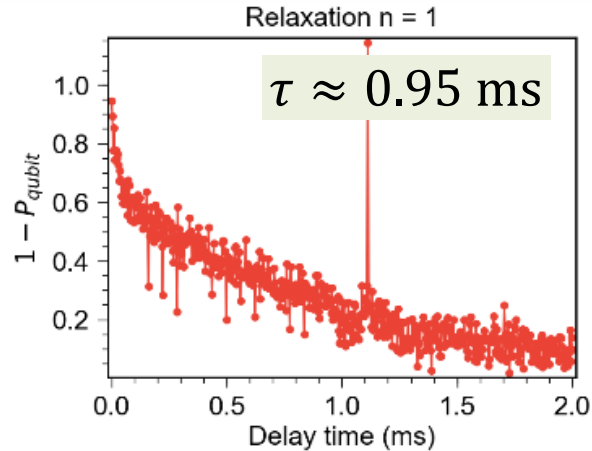
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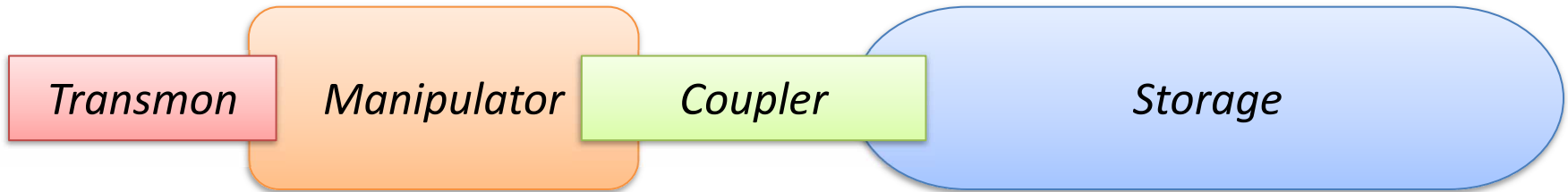
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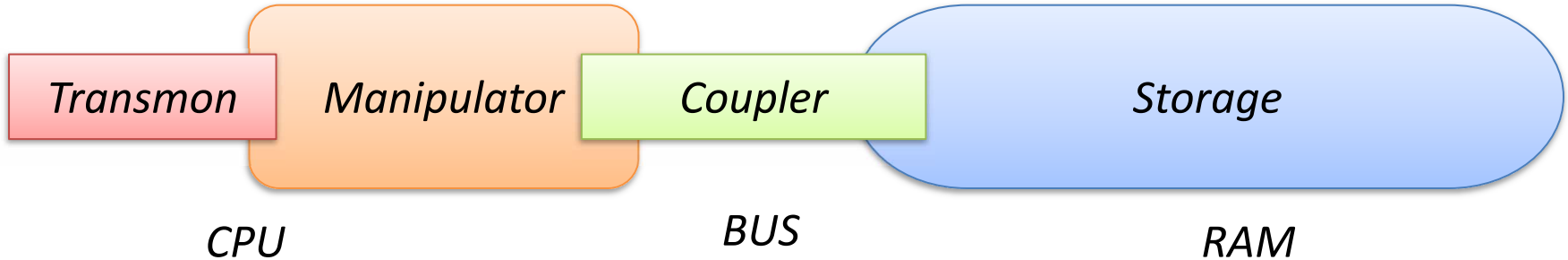
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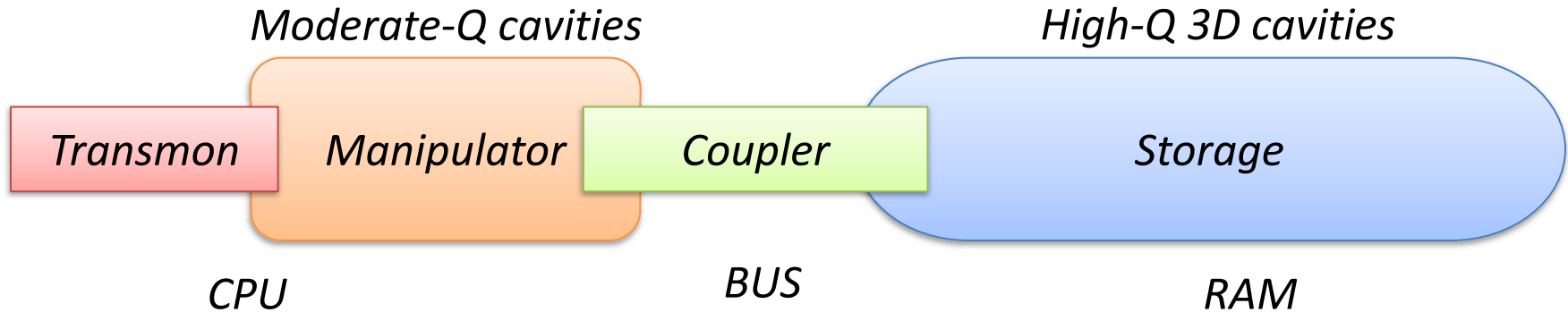


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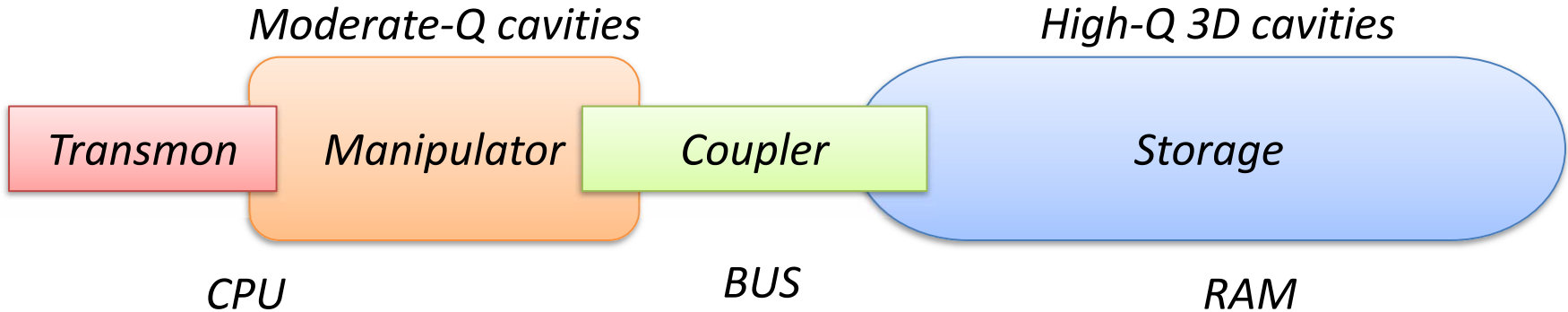
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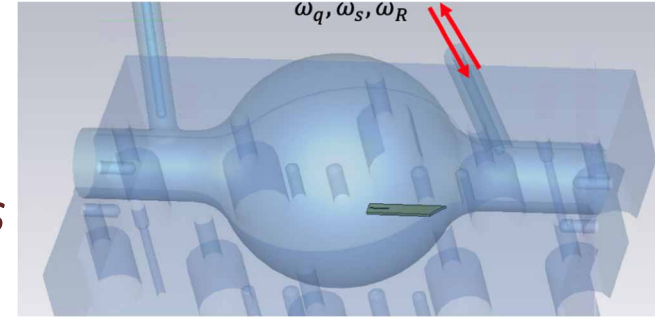
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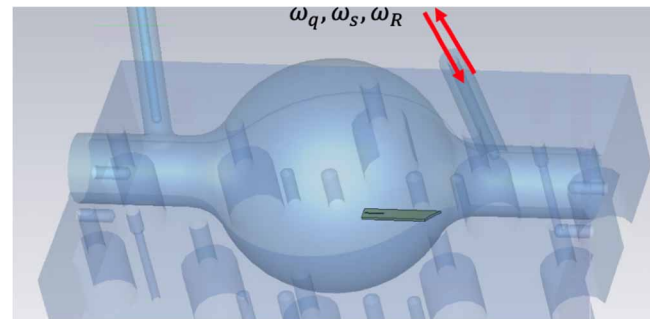
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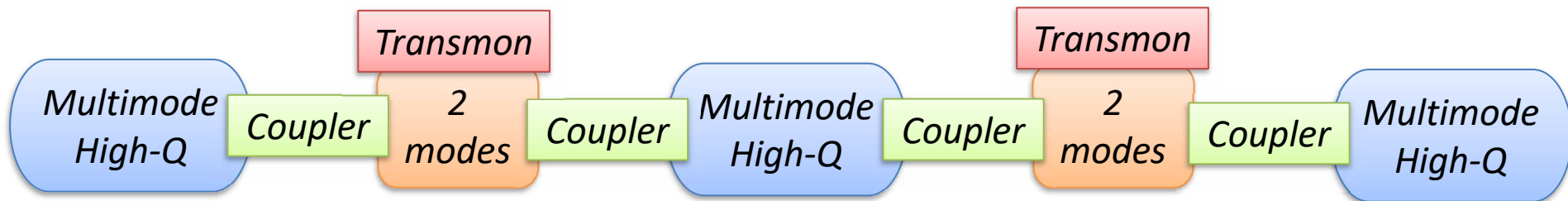
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