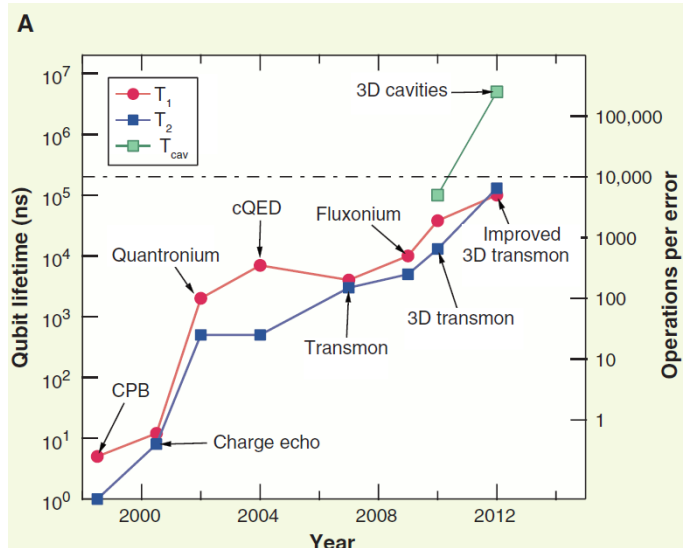
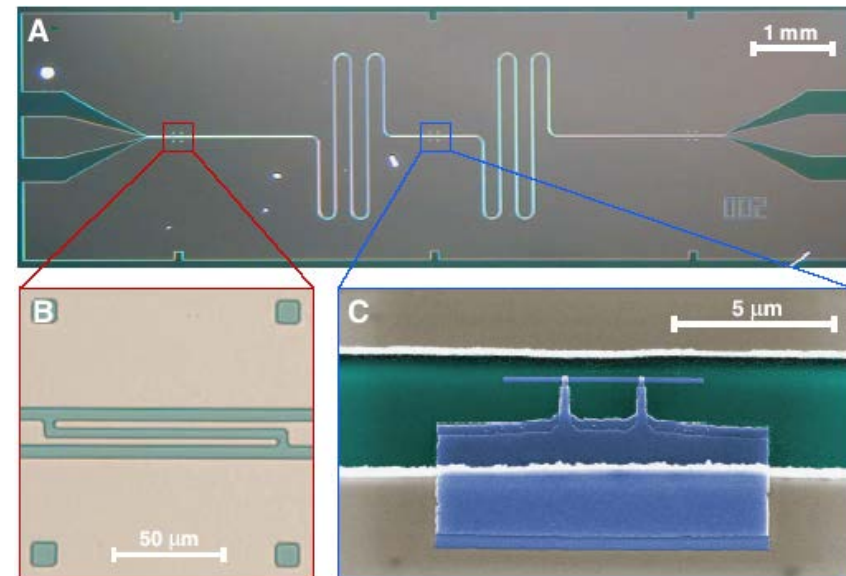
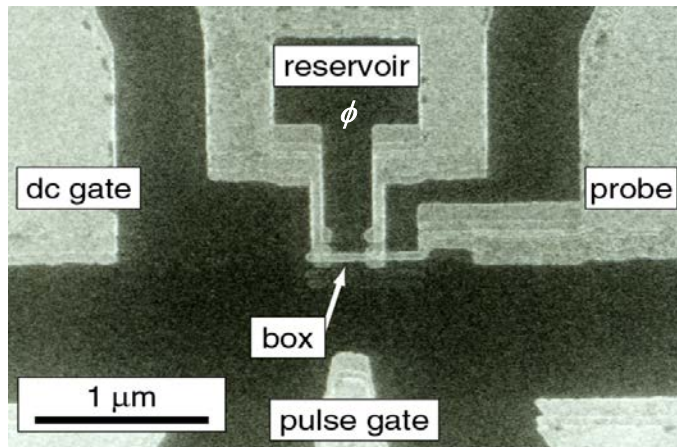


# Quantum Computing Architectures

Budapest University of Technology and Economics 2018 Fall



## Lecture 8: Cavity QED Qubit coupling

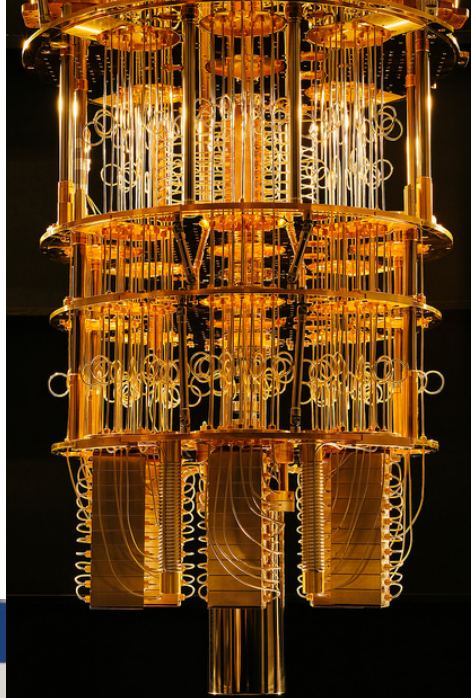


# Low temperatures

Fridge: IBM

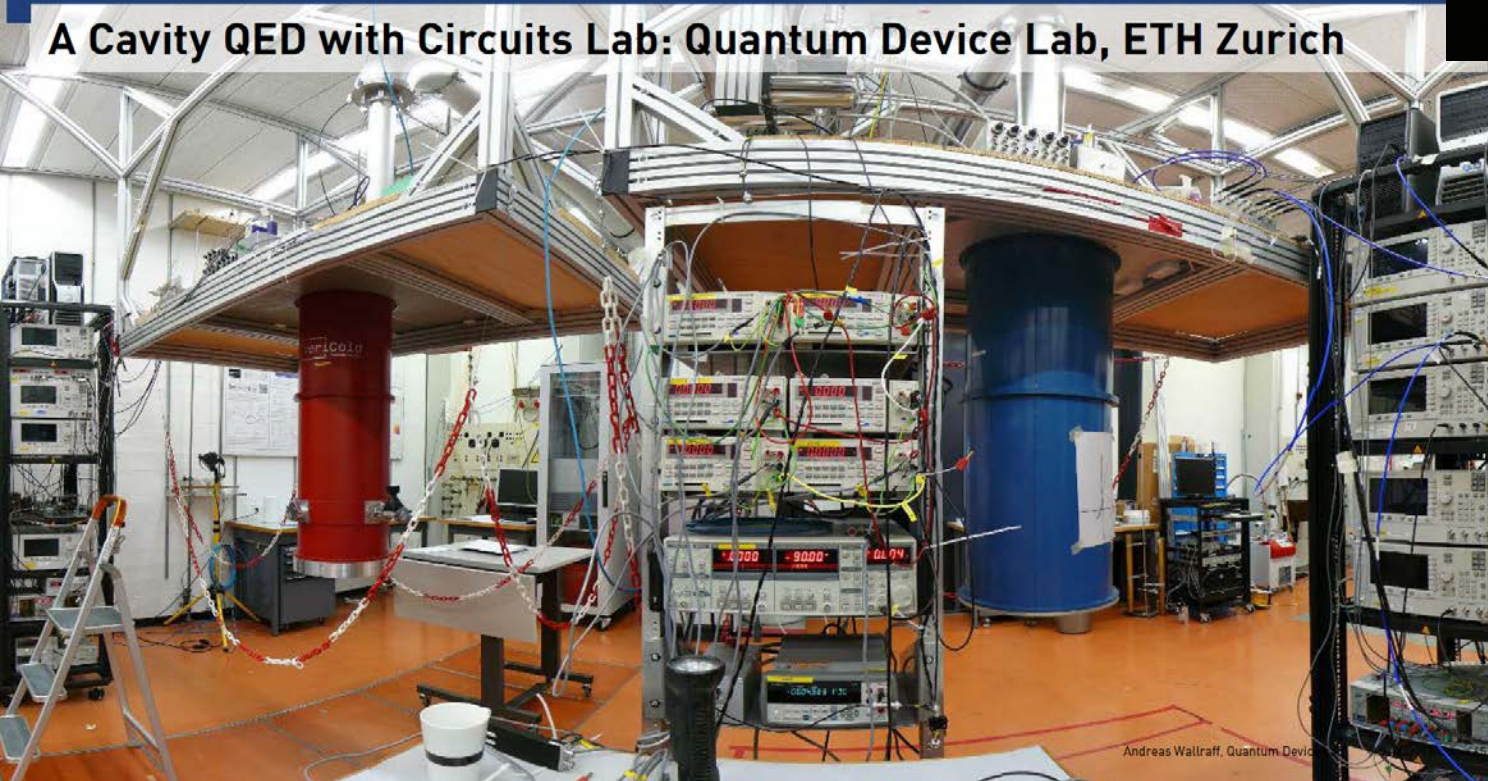
Ingredients:

- Low temperature (He3-He4 refrigerator)
- Low electrical noise (electron temperature)
- High frequency equipment



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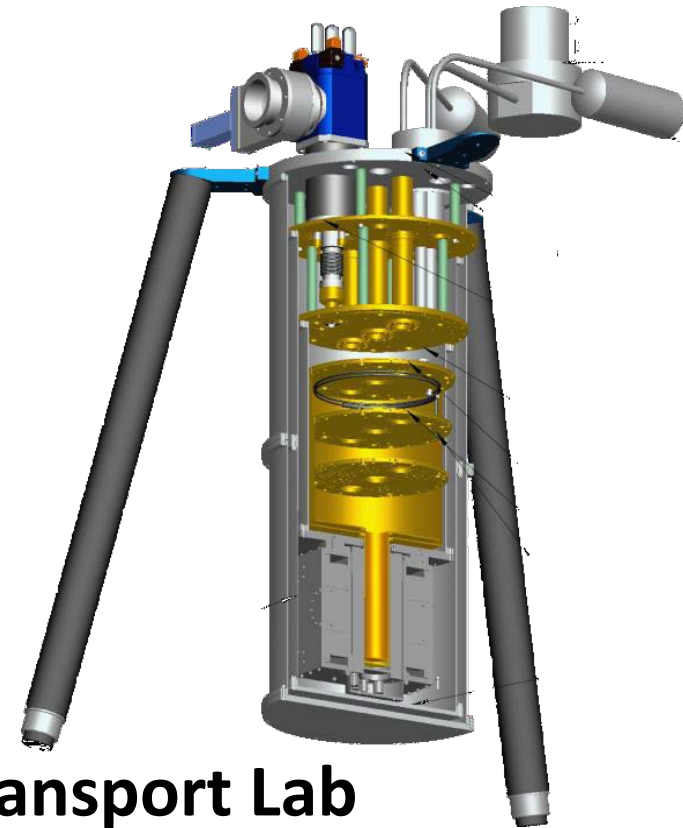
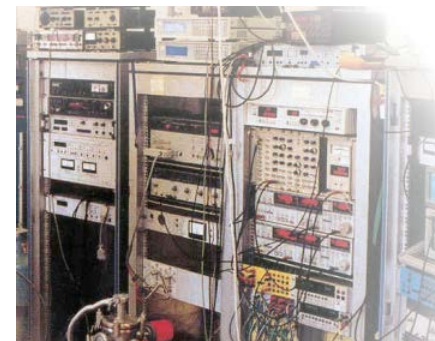
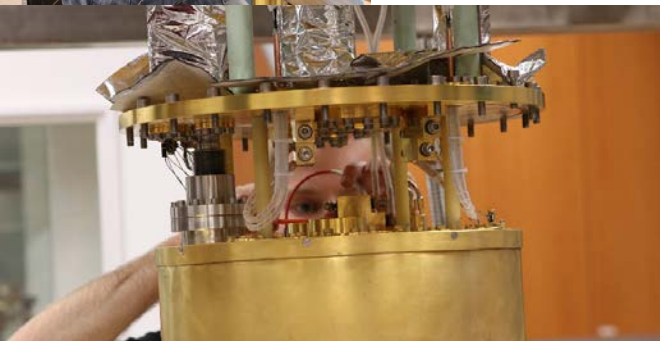
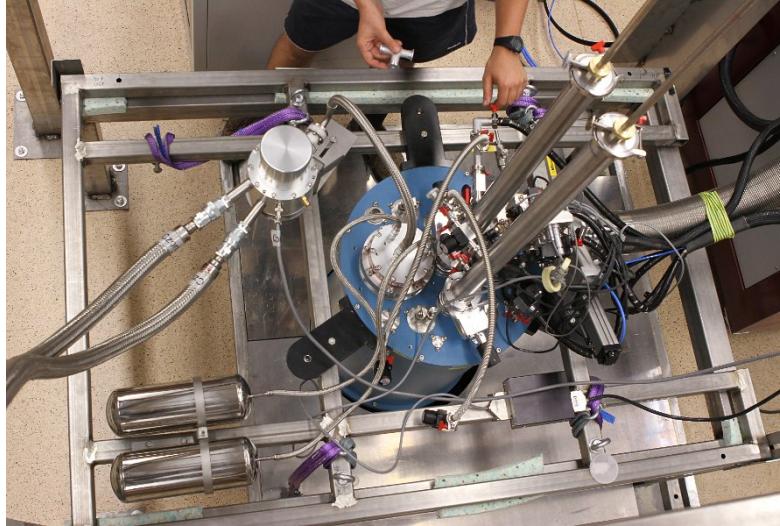
## A Cavity QED with Circuits Lab: Quantum Device Lab, ETH Zurich



What temperature is needed for a  $\omega_r=5$  GHz resonator for average photon number  $\langle n \rangle < 0.05$  ?

And for a qubit with  $\omega_q=5$ GHz for a excited state population smaller than 0.05?

# Low temperatures BME quantum transport lab



## Transport Lab

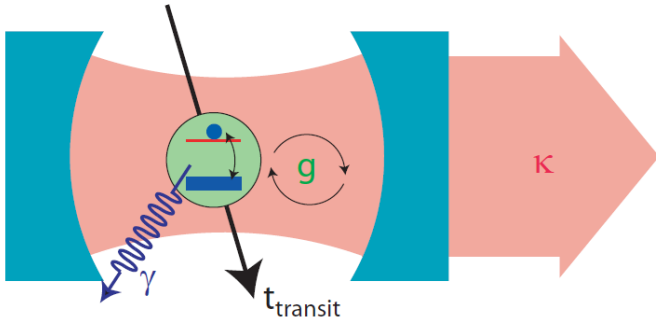
Fridge,  $T_{\text{fridge}} \approx 7\text{mK}$

Vector magnet 9-3T

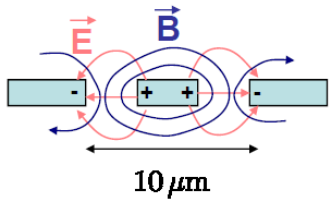
Liquid He facility

Electronics ...

# SC circuits

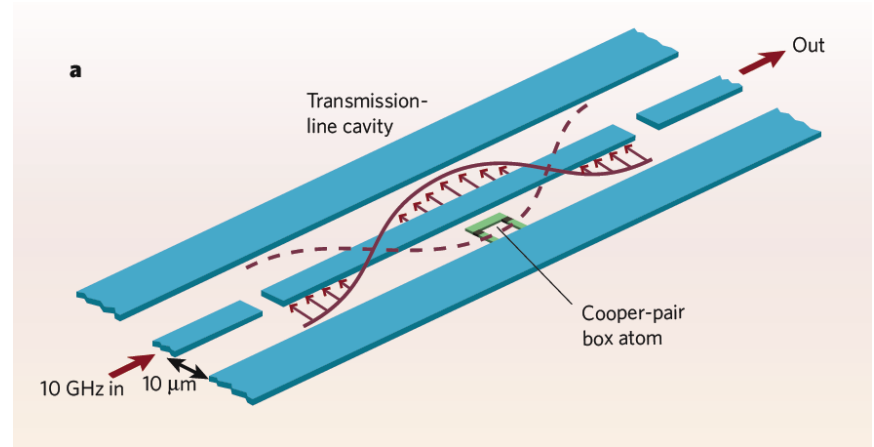


Fabry – Perot cavity for optics – using mirrors



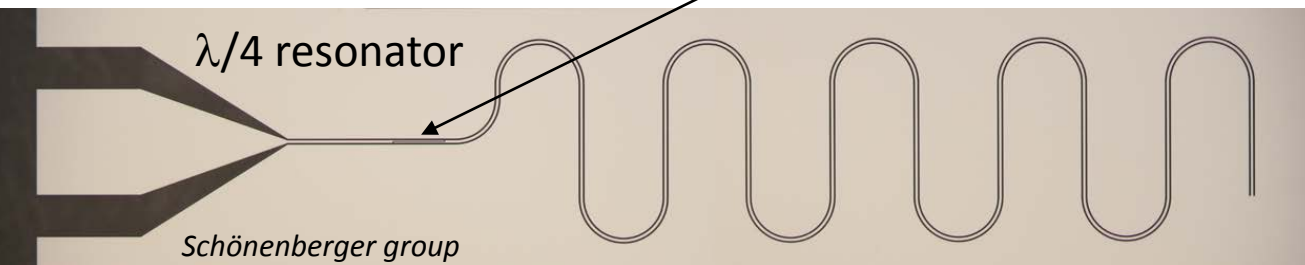
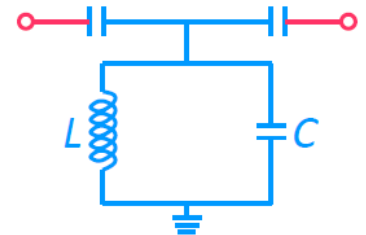
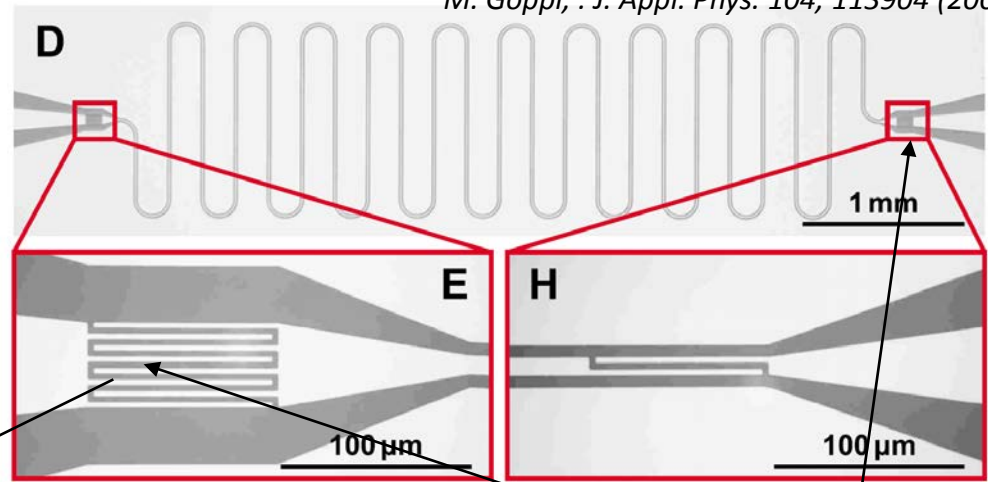
Central conductor and ground plane – essentially a coax

Superconducting circuit to minimize losses (white – SC material, black etched away)  
 Capacitors: voltage antinodes – zero current – good for electrical dipole coupling  
 Current antinode (voltage node) - maximal current – good for inductive coupling

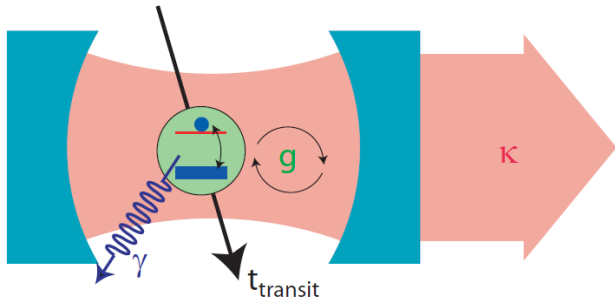


Fabry – Perot cavity for MW photons – capacitive mirrors

*R.J. Schoelkopf et al., Nature 451, 664 (2009)*  
*M. Göppl, : J. Appl. Phys. 104, 113904 (2008)*



# Readout: circuit QED



Can be mapped to J-C Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H} = 4E_c (N - N_g)^2 - E_J \cos \delta + \hbar\omega_r \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \underbrace{2 \frac{C_g}{C_\Sigma} e V_{RMS}^0 \hat{N} (\hat{a}^\dagger + \hat{a})}_{\text{Coupling term - electrical coupling to charge (dipole)}}$$

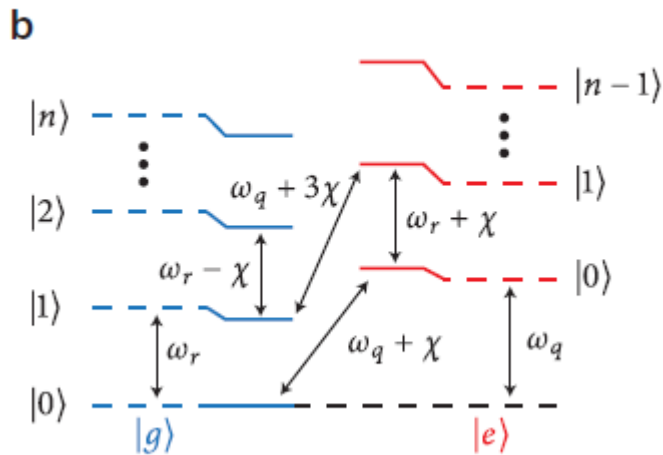
Coupling term – electrical coupling to charge (dipole)

$$\omega_r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{L_r C_r}} \quad V_{rms}^0 = \sqrt{\frac{\hbar\omega_r}{2C_r}}$$

Jaynes Cummings Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H} = \frac{\hbar\omega_q}{2} \sigma_Z + \hbar\omega_r \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \hbar g (\hat{a}^\dagger \sigma_- + \hat{a} \sigma_+) + H_\kappa + H_\gamma$$

↓ Qubit    
 ↓ Resonator    
 ↓ Coupling    
 ↓ Cavity decay    
 ↘ Qubit lifetime

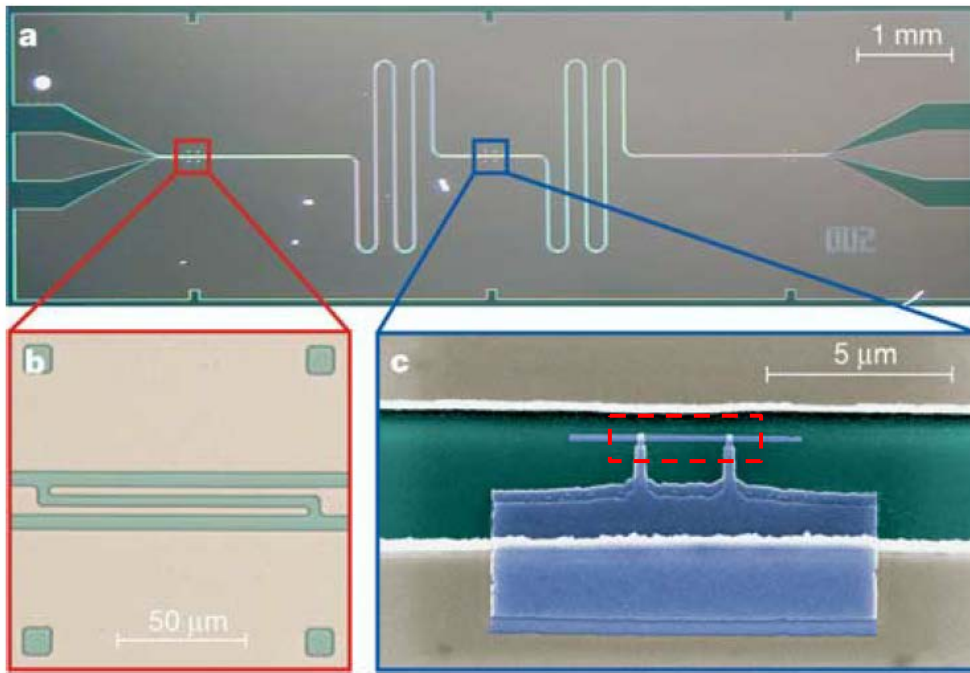


$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \hbar\omega_q + \hbar \frac{g^2}{\Delta} \right) \sigma_Z + \left( \hbar\omega_r + \hbar \frac{g^2}{\Delta} \sigma_Z \right) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

↑  
Lamb-shift

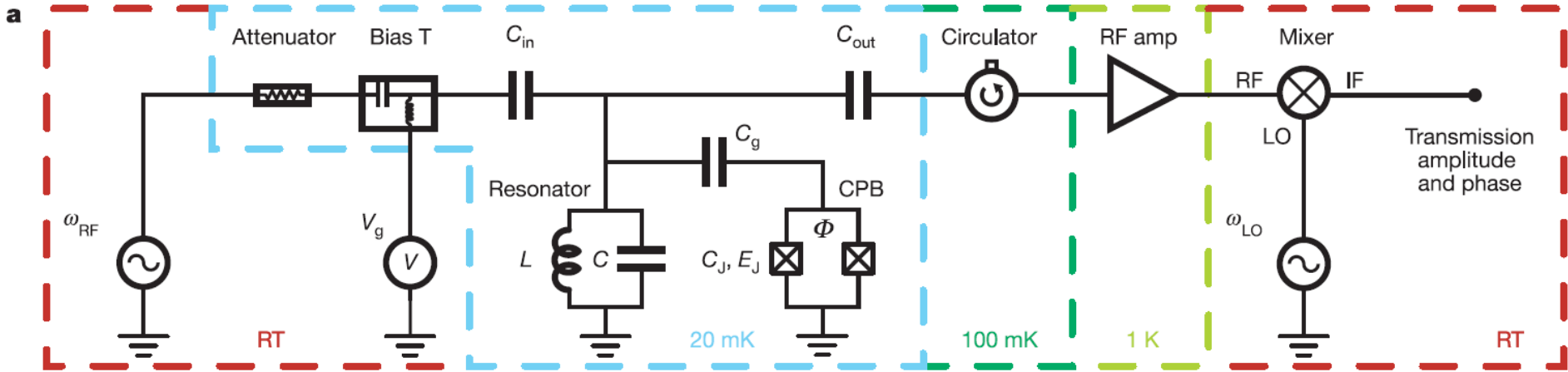
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Qubit-state dependent  
resonance shift

$$\Delta = \omega_q - \omega_r$$

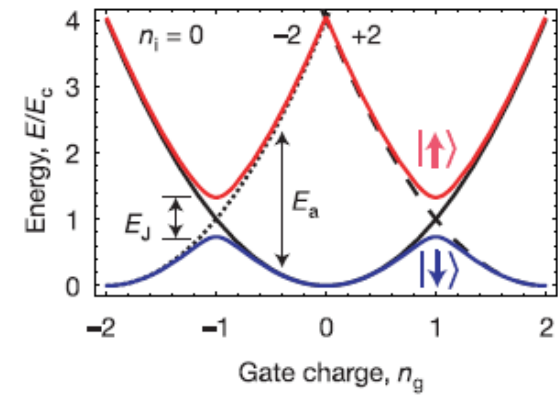
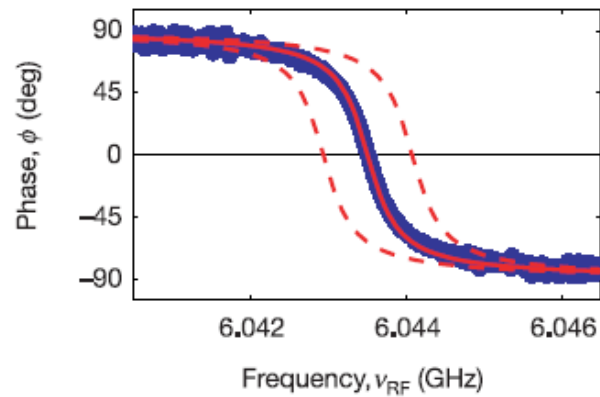
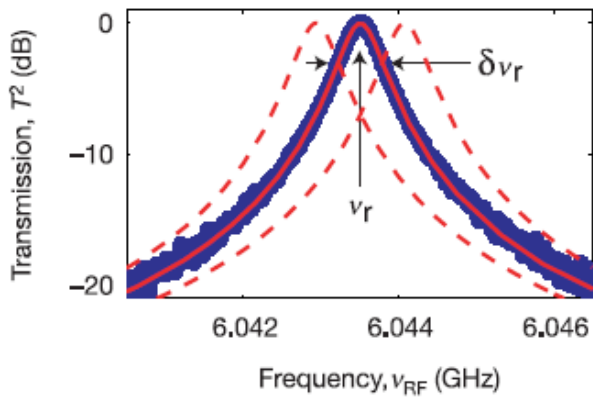


Readout: circuit QED  
Spectroscopy on resonator

CP-box coupled (capacitively) to a MW cavity  
External B field tunes  $E_J$   
In the circuit model the qubit is a tunable capacitance which shifts the resonator



Many circuit elements are at low T (amplifier, circulator etc.)

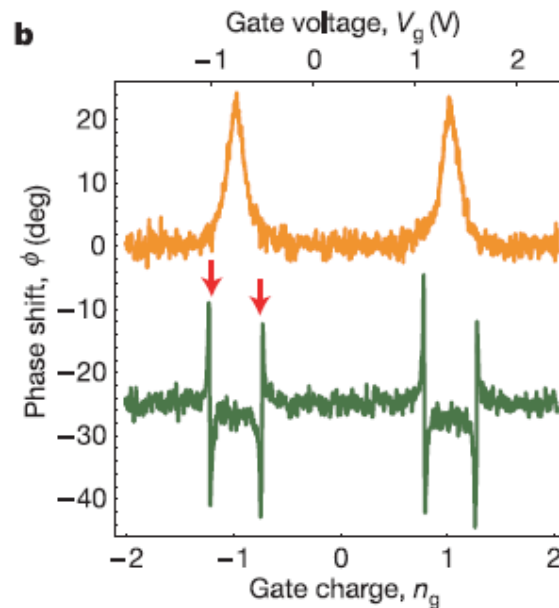
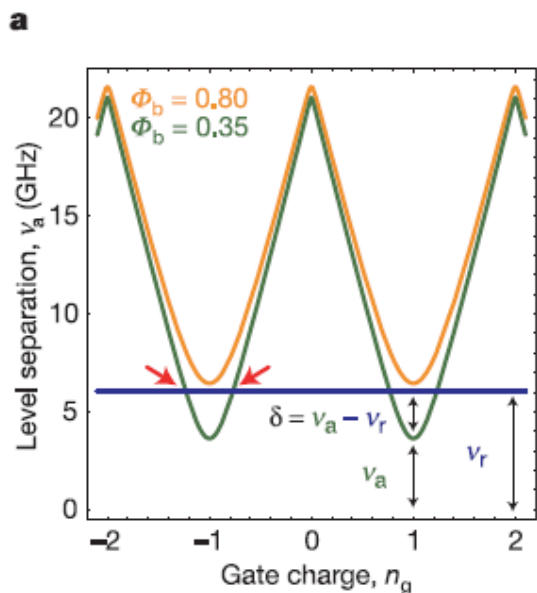


Resonator: Lorentz-like resonance curve with high Q. Phase response is more sensitive

Simulation: shifted curves for the two different qubit states. Idea: measurement at fixed frequency – measure phase response

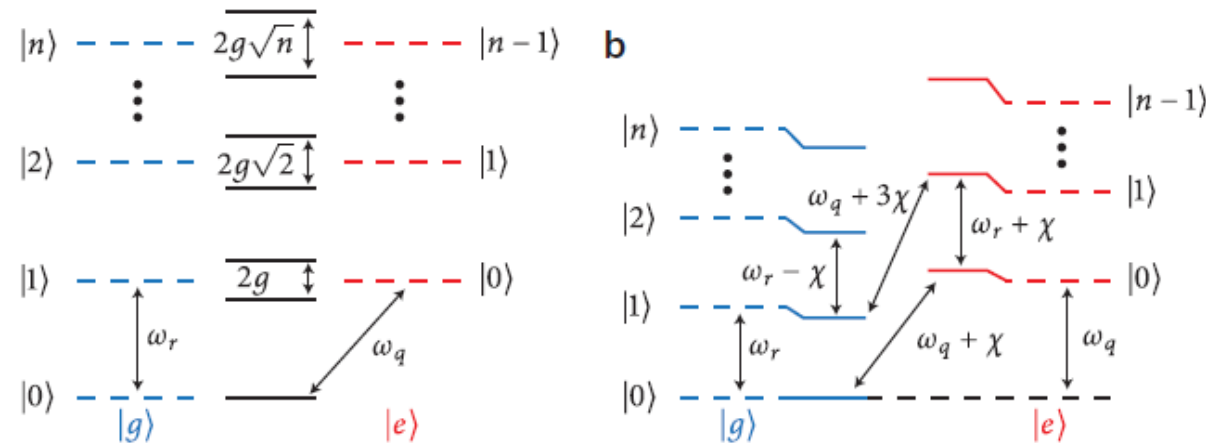
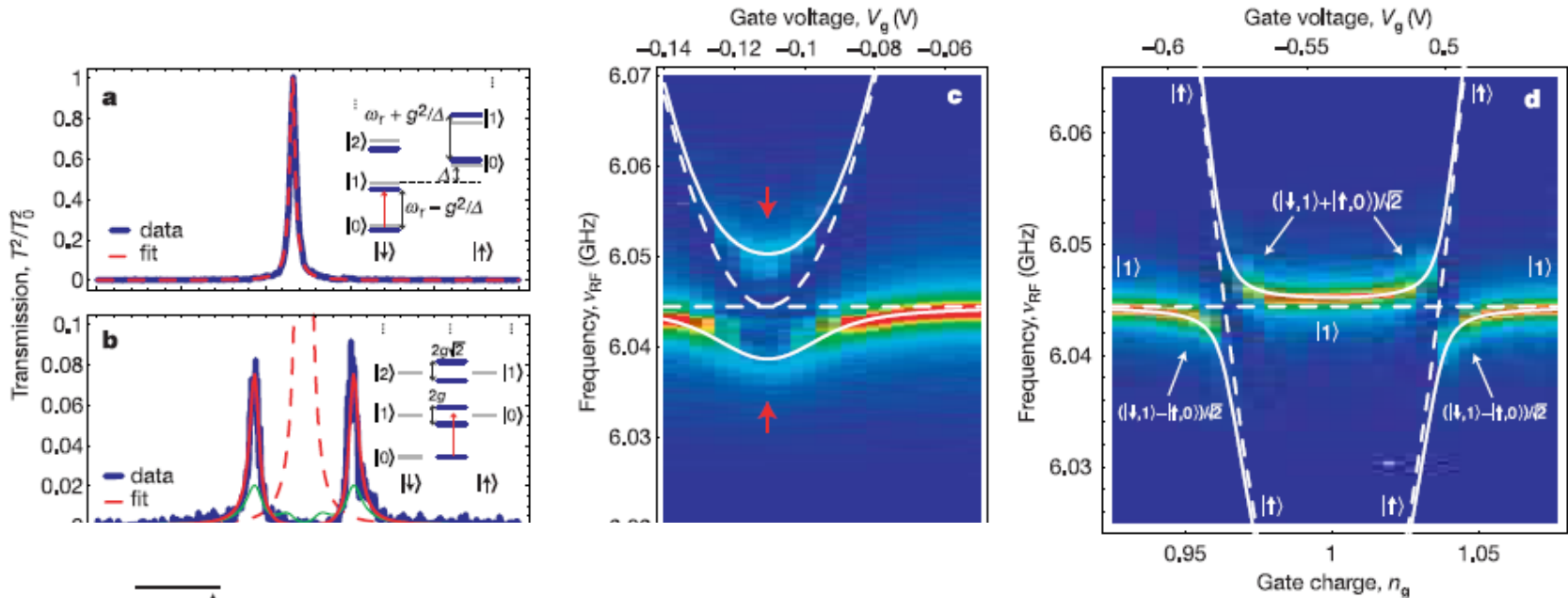
Reminder: 
$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \hbar\omega_q + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} \right) \sigma_Z + \left( \hbar\omega_r - \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} \sigma_Z \right) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

$$\chi = \frac{g^2}{\Delta}$$



Here Qubit is in the ground state, and resonator is probed for different parameters  
 2 different flux biases: for one it goes through the resonance with the resonator (green), for the other not (orange).  
 Phase shift decreases by increasing detuning from resonance

# Strong coupling – Spectroscopy measurement

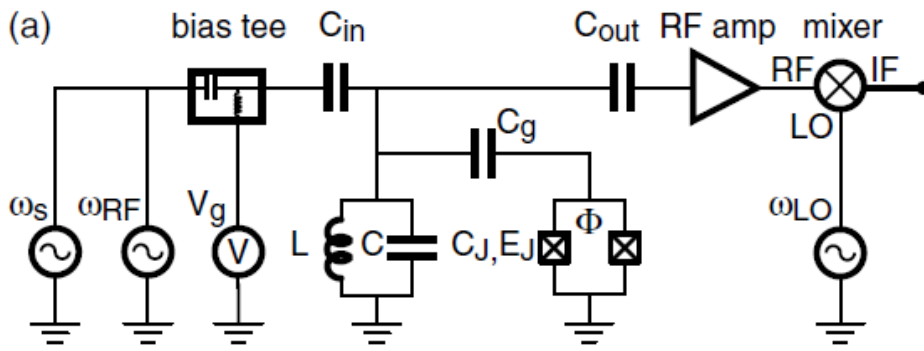


Far away from crossing pure resonator states. Close to resonance an avoided crossing is seen. Bonding and anti-bonding states – entangled states with both photon and qubit character – „phobit” and „quton”.

Here the photon number is small  $n \ll 1$ . Vacuum Rabi oscillation with frequency  $2g$ . Continuous photon emission and absorption.

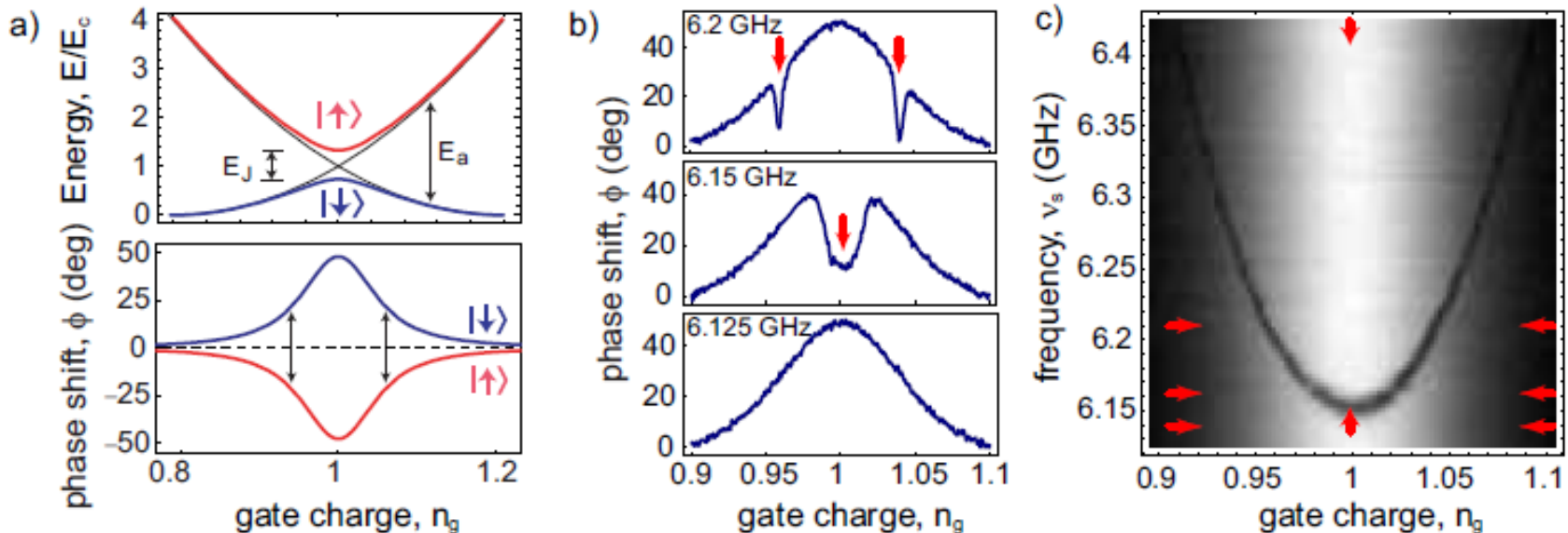


# Spectroscopy 2-tone measurements



2 tone:  
 $\omega_s$ : qubit frequency (here continuous)  
 $\omega_{RF}$ : cavity frequency (here continuous)

Phase shift: opposite for the two states. If  $\omega_s$  excites cavity than reduction in phase shift (red arrows). For high power, both states are equally populated and the shift averages to zero.  
 6.125 GHz- no resonance with qubit, just phase shift observed  
 6.15 GHz - at  $N_g=1$  the qubit is driven. Reduction in the phase shift is seen. Similarly at 6.2 GHz.  
 For Rabi etc. pulsing at  $\omega_s$  is needed (see later).



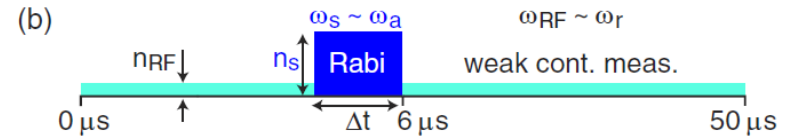
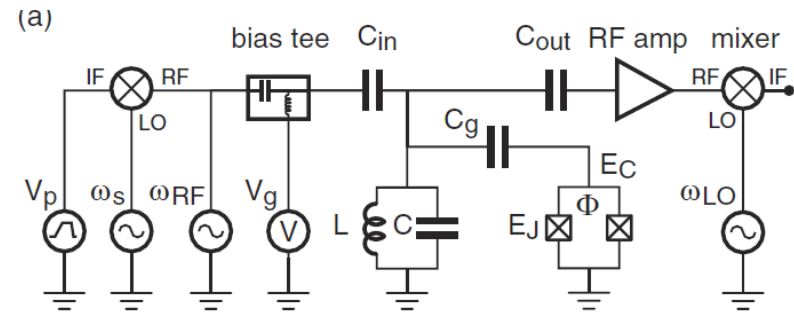
# Qubit rotations

## Two tone measurements

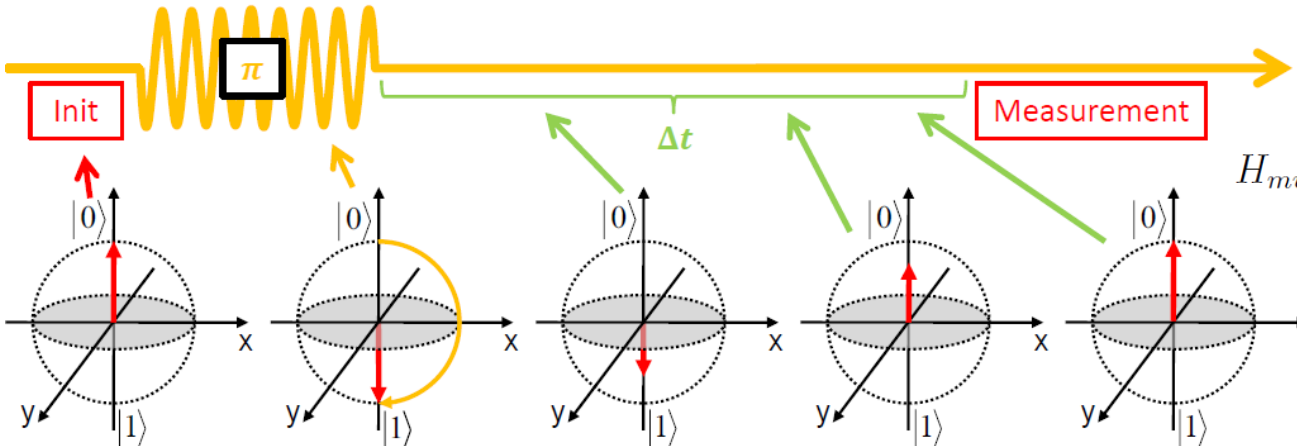
2 tone:

$\omega_S$ : qubit frequency (here pulsed)

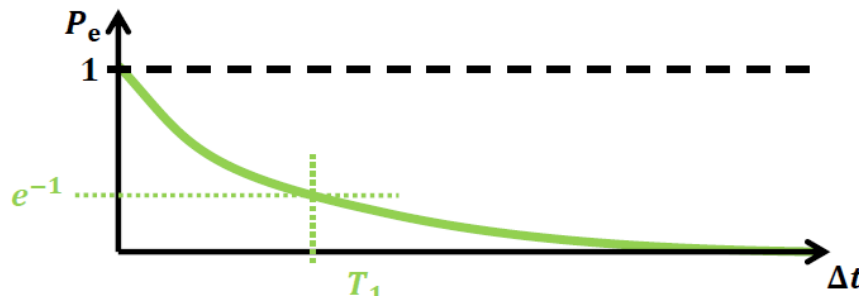
$\omega_{RF}$ : cavity frequency (here continuous)



## T1 measurement



Rotating frame & no detuning ( $\Delta\omega = \omega - \omega_q = 0$ )  $\rightarrow$  no  $xy$ -evolution



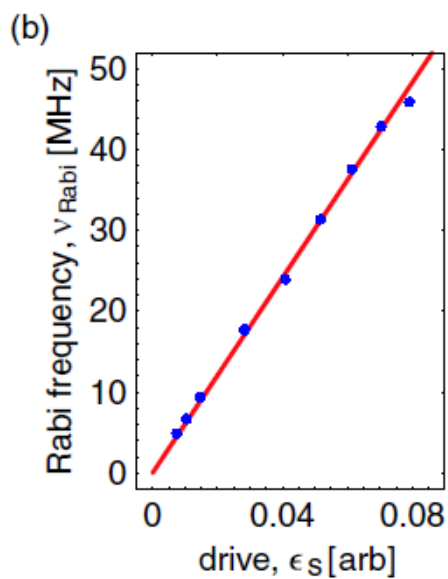
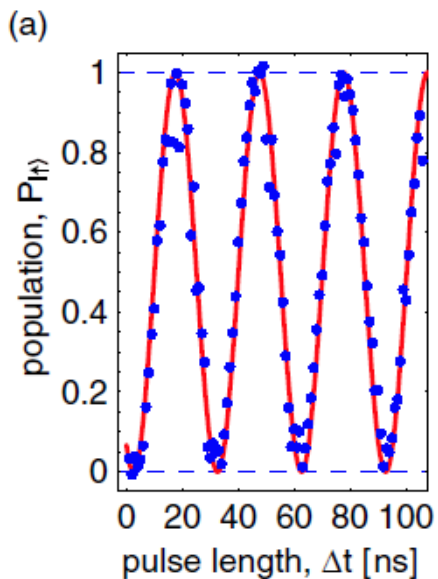
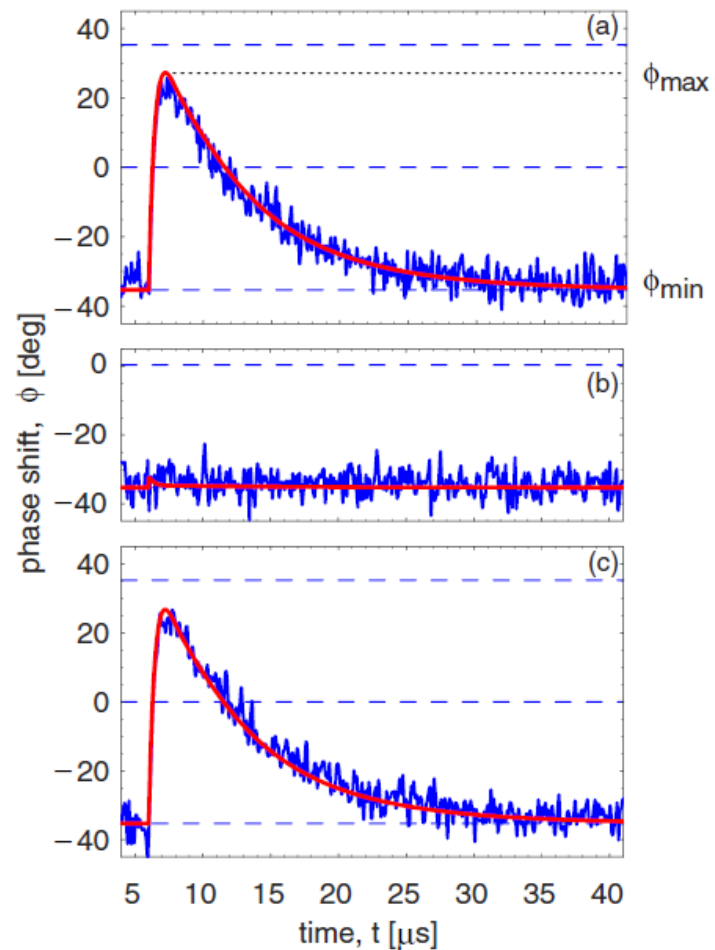
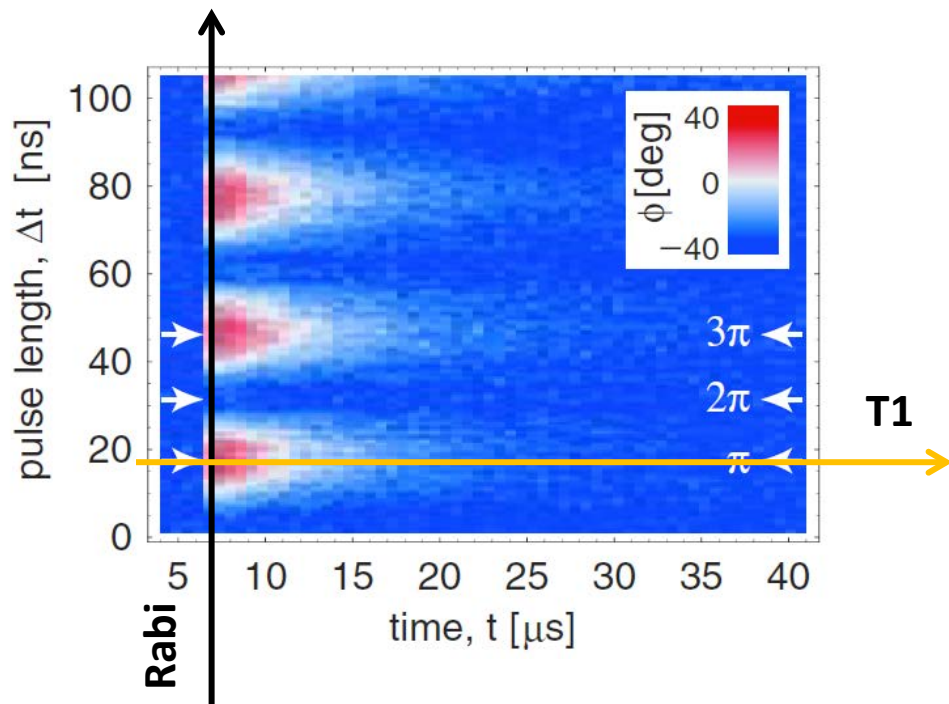
$$H_{mw}(t) = \hbar\epsilon(t) (\hat{a}^\dagger e^{i\omega_{mw}t} + \hat{a} e^{-i\omega_{mw}t})$$

Rotating frame

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2}\hbar \left( \omega_q + \frac{2g^2}{\Delta} \left( \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \omega_{mw} \right) \sigma_Z$$

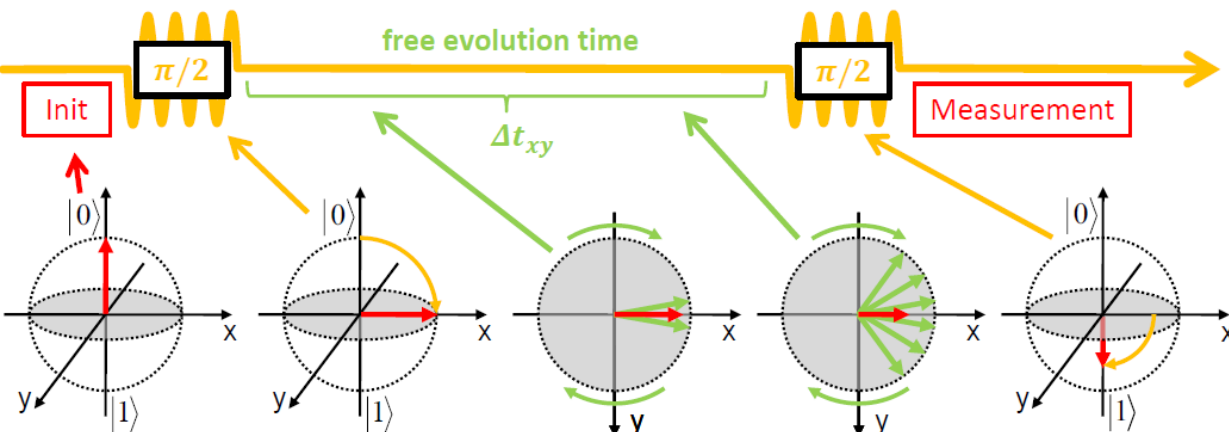
$$+ \hbar(\omega_r - \omega_{mw}) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

$$+ \hbar\epsilon(t) (\hat{a}^\dagger + \hat{a}) + \hbar \frac{g\epsilon(t)}{\Delta} \sigma_X$$



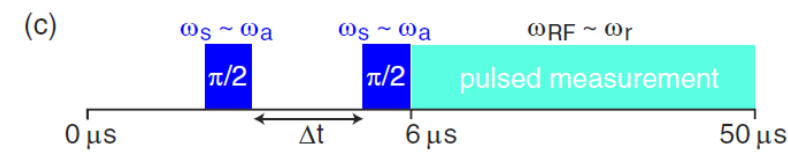
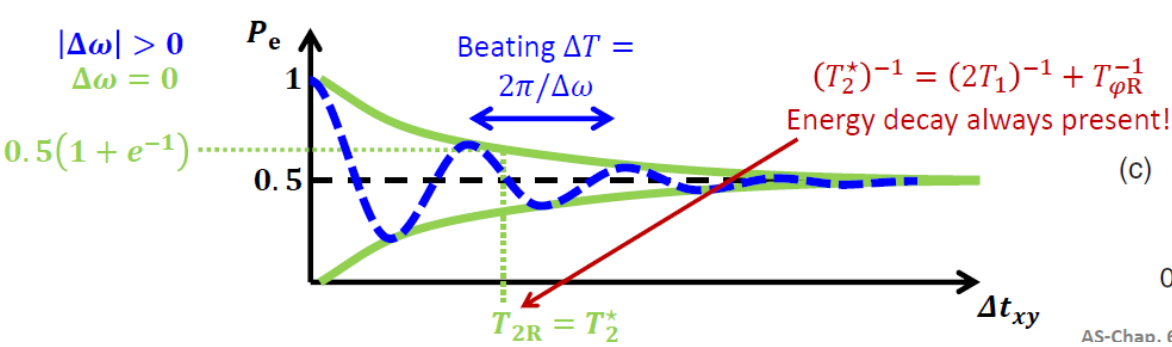
### Charge qubit

0 phase: if the qubit was not there  
 GS and ES has opposite shift. In ES does not reach maxima due to finite cavity lifetime  
 $2\pi$ : no relaxation should occur  
 $T1 \sim 7 \mu\text{s}$

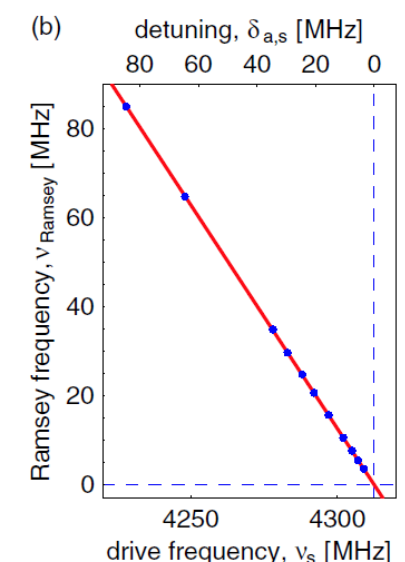
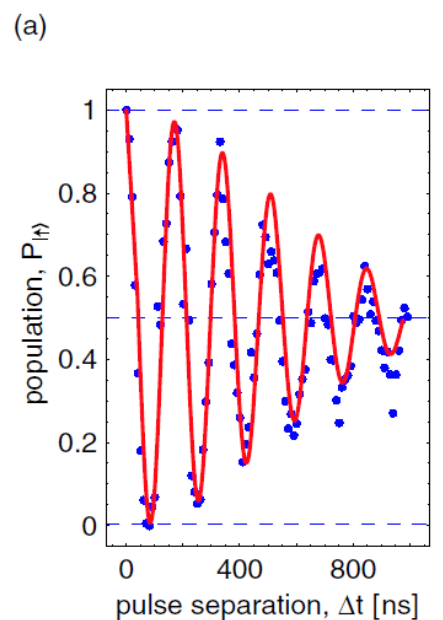


## T2 measurement

2 tone:  
 $\omega_S$ : qubit frequency (here pulsed)  
 $\omega_{RF}$ : cavity frequency (here pulsed)



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Ramsey measurement for different detunings (detuning – small precession compared to the rotating frame) – decay:  $T_2 \sim 500$  ns

A. Walraff et al., PRL 95, 060501 (2005)

R. Gross, A. Marx, Applied Superconductivity, Lecture notes (Walter-Meissner Institute)

# Transmon cQED

Mostly the same, gate voltage not a useful parameter

Using the transmon wave function, RWA only the following relevant terms remain:

$$\hat{H} = \hbar \sum_j \omega_j |j\rangle \langle j| + \hbar \omega_r \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} + \left[ \hbar \sum_i g_{i,i+1} |i\rangle \langle i+1| \hat{a}^\dagger + \text{H.C.} \right]$$

Multi level Jaynes Cummings Hamiltonian, where

$$\hbar g_{i,i+1} = 2e \frac{C_g}{C_\Sigma} e V_{rms}^0 \langle i | \hat{N} | i+1 \rangle \quad \langle i | \hat{N} | i+1 \rangle \sim \left( \frac{E_J}{8E_C} \right)^{1/4}$$

$g$  – coupling term is large, even increases with increasing  $E_J$

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} (\hbar \omega_{01} + \hbar \chi_{01}) \sigma_Z + (\hbar \omega_r - \hbar \chi_{12} + \hbar \chi \sigma_Z) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

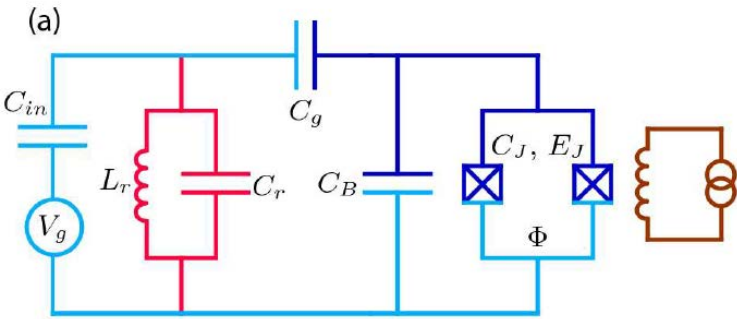
$$\chi = \chi_{01} - \chi_{12}/2 \quad \chi_{ij} = \frac{g_{ij}}{\omega_{ij} - \omega_r}$$

Higher levels matter a bit, otherwise the same

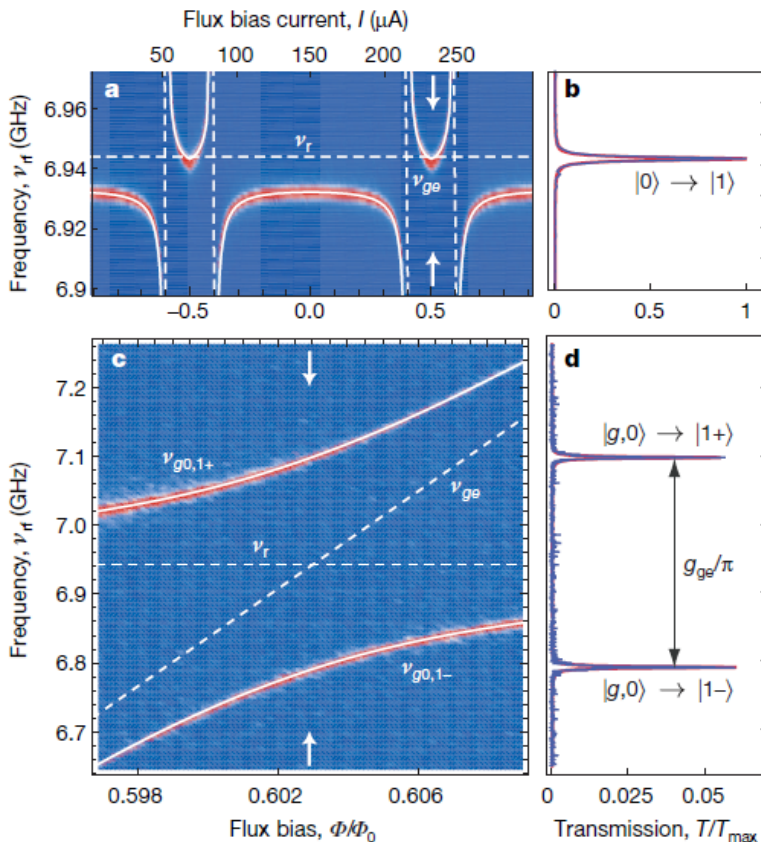
Strong coupling achieved

For 0-1 state  $2g$  Rabi frequency

For 1-2 state  $\sqrt{2} * 2g$  as J-C says

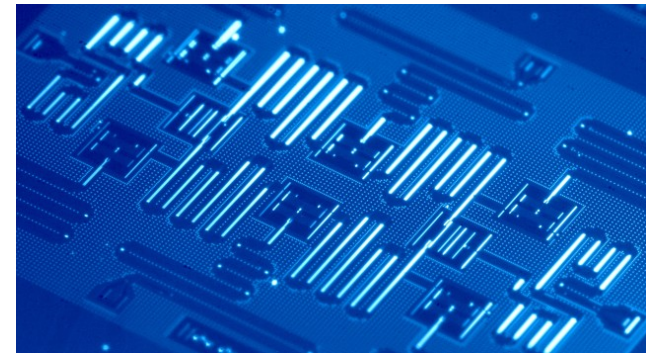


**Strong coupling**

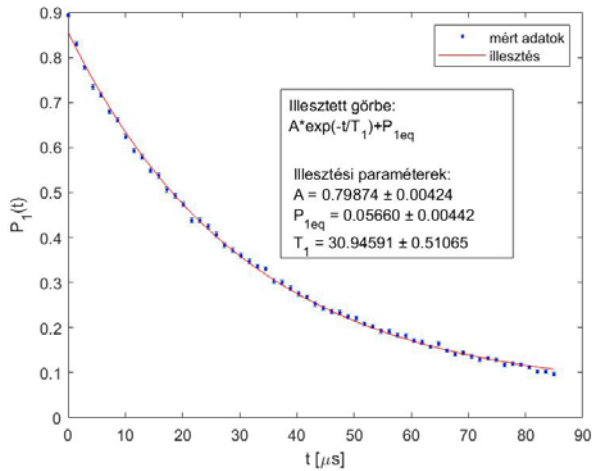


# Transmon cQED

Timescales have evolved  
Measurements on IBM experience

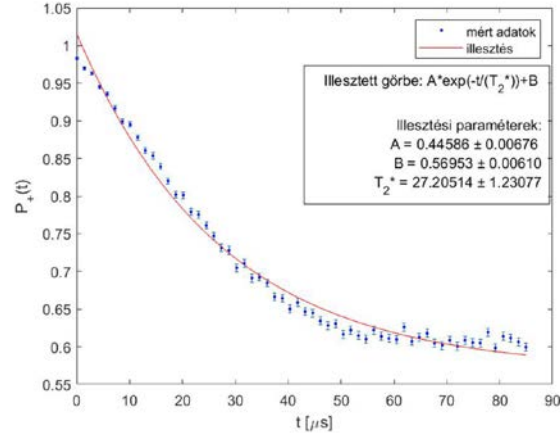


## T1 measurement



$$T_1 \sim 31 \mu\text{s}$$

## T2 measurement



$$T_2^* \sim 27 \mu\text{s}$$

T2 is T1 limited – relaxation not by decoherence.

Claim T1 comes from spontaneous emission to the cavity – Purcell effect.

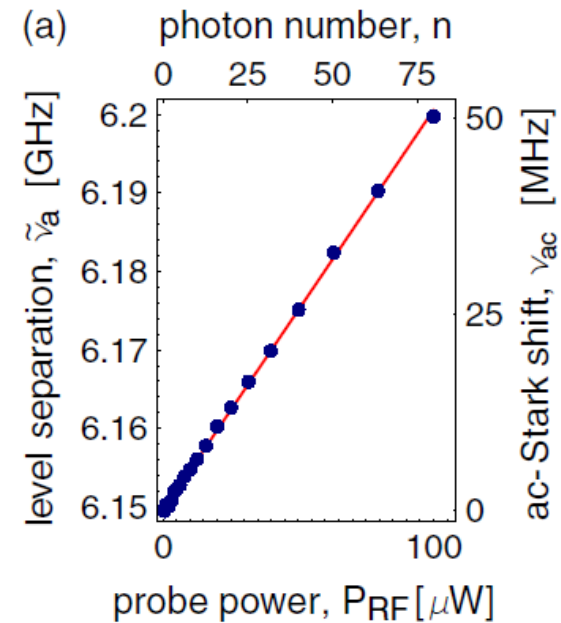
# Back-action Stark-shift

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \hbar\omega_q + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} \right) \sigma_Z + \left( \hbar\omega_r + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} \right) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \hbar\omega_q + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} \right) \sigma_Z + \hbar\omega_r \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

Stark shift

By increasing the resonator power, hence the average photon number, the qubit frequency shifts.



$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \hbar\omega_q + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta} + \hbar\frac{g^2}{\Delta}\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a} \right) \sigma_Z + \hbar\omega_r\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a} \quad \chi = \frac{g^2}{\Delta}$$

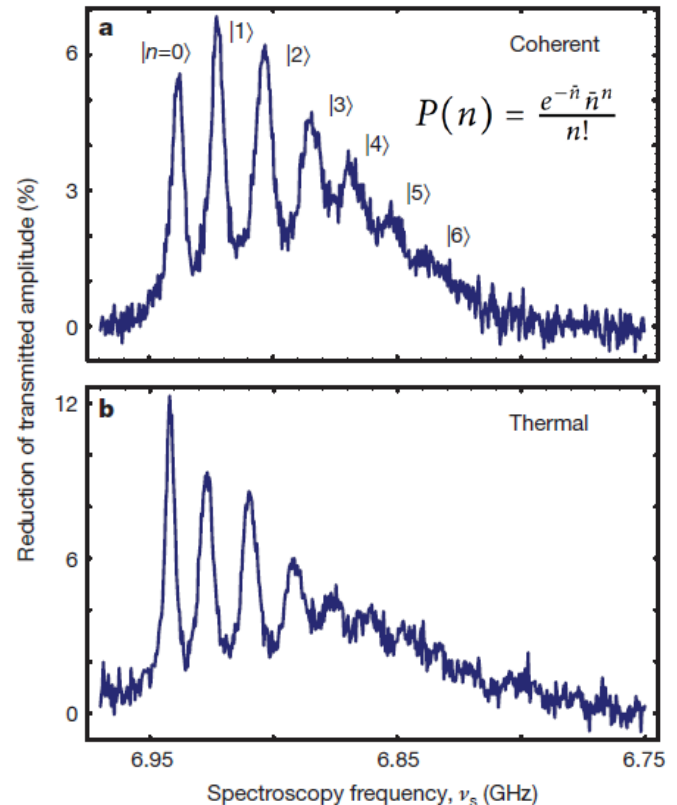
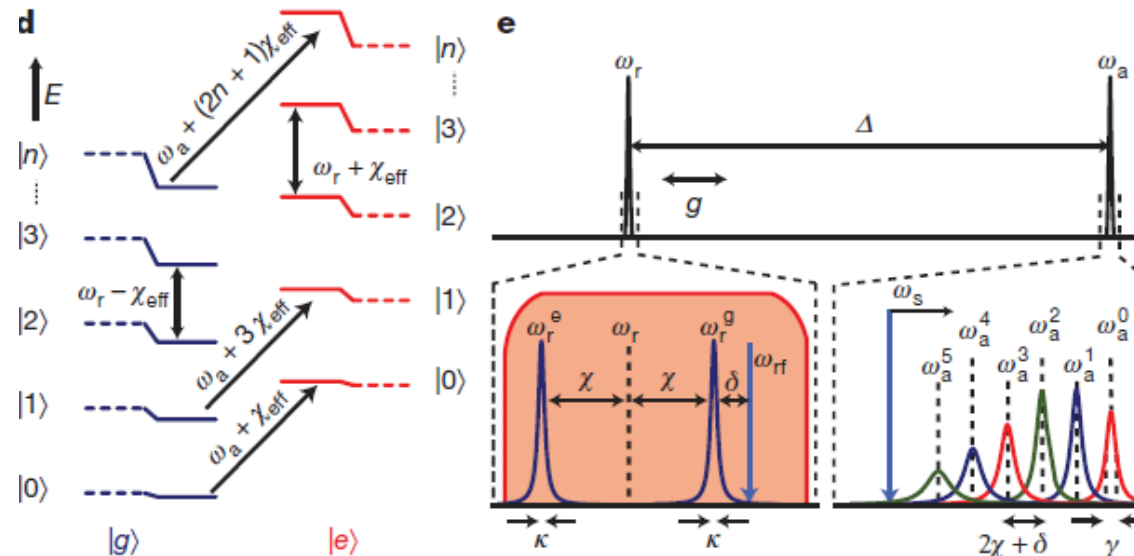
In the strong dispersive regime ( $\chi \gg \gamma, \kappa$ ) individual photon states resolved:

Populate resonator at wrf. Then sweep  $\omega_s$  (qubit frequency). If there were  $n$  photons in the cavity the resonance will be at  $2n\chi$ . If the qubit gets excited can be seen from the resonator frequency shift.

Individual photon states resolved.

Under usual drive close to coherent states observed.

Add large thermal noise – thermal distribution.

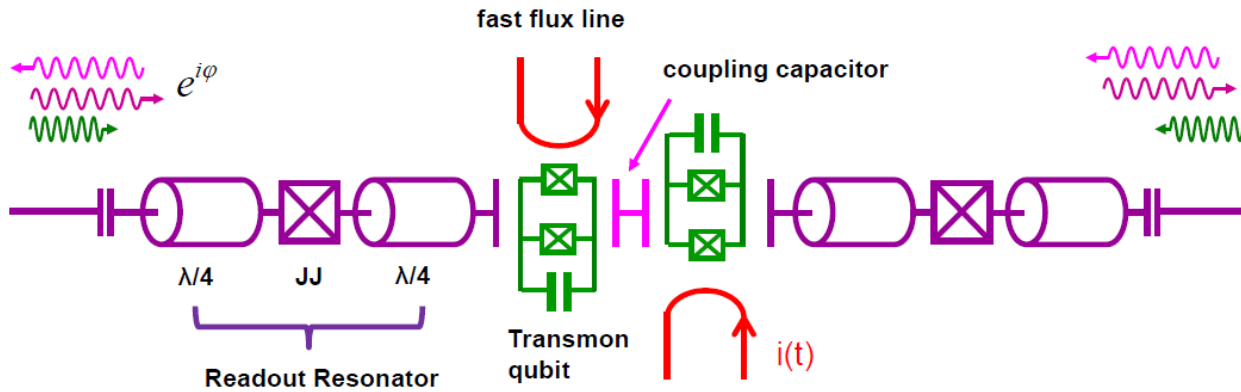




# Coupling qubits

## Capacitive coupling

Fix coupling – not tuneable  
 Separate readout resonator for both of them  
 Can perform swap operation



Coupling term

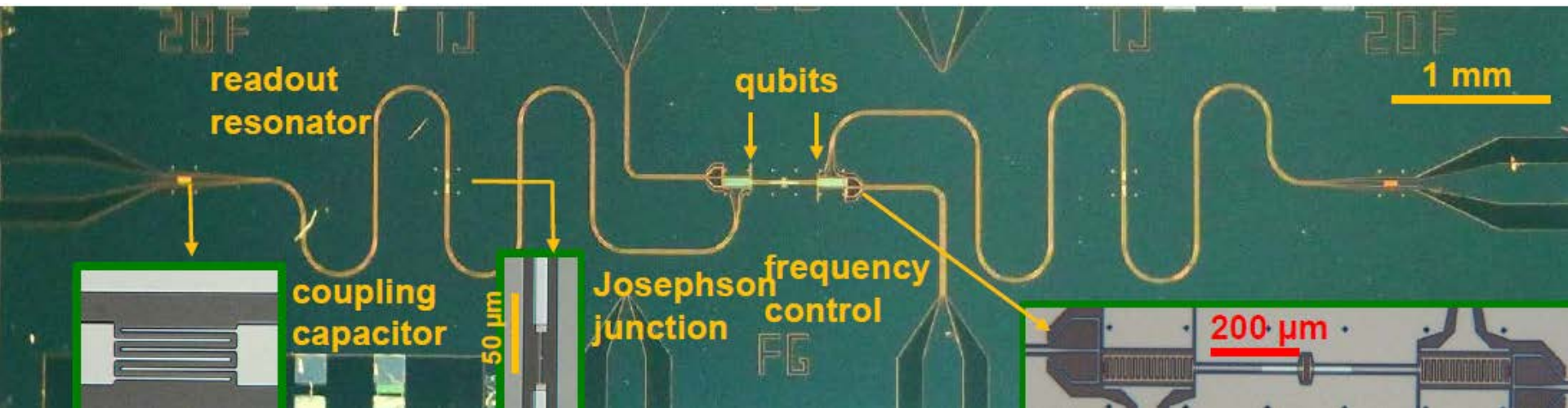
$$2 \frac{E_{c,I} E_{c,II}}{E_{cc}} (\hat{N}_I - N_{g,I})(\hat{N}_{II} - N_{g,II})$$

...

$$\hbar g (\sigma_I^+ \sigma_{II}^- + \sigma_I^- \sigma_{II}^+)$$

$$\hbar g = (2e)^2 \frac{C_c}{C_I C_{II}} |\langle 0_I | \hat{N}_I | 1_I \rangle \langle 0_{II} | \hat{N}_{II} | 1_{II} \rangle|$$

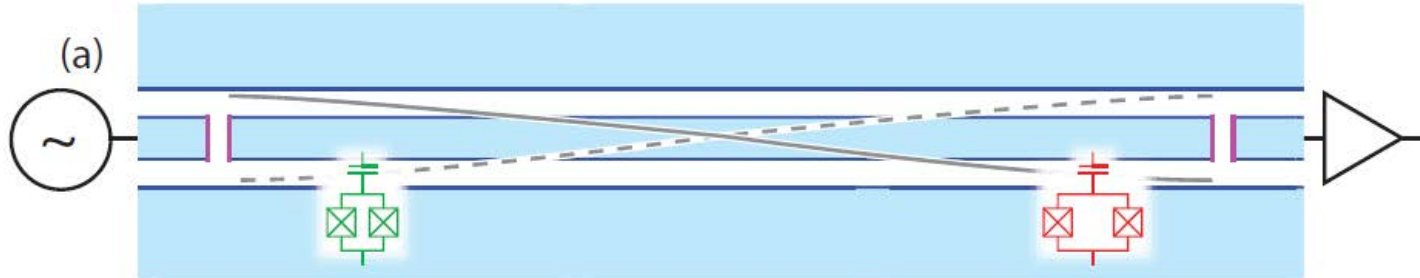
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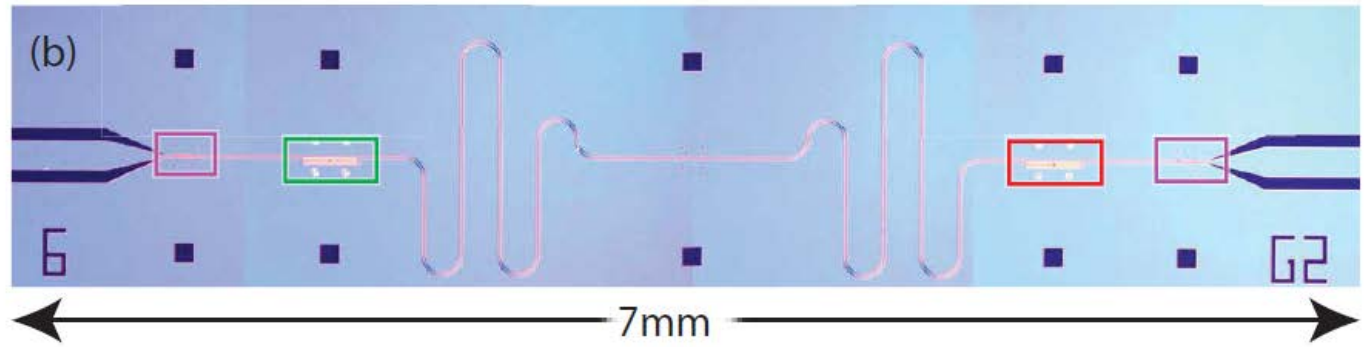
# Coupling qubits

## Quantum bus

Two qubits at  
opposite sides of  
the resonator  
 $\lambda/2$  mode



Different loop area  
– different EJ



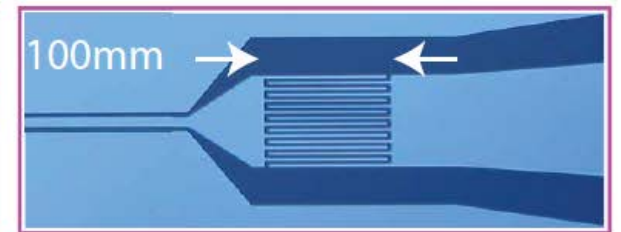
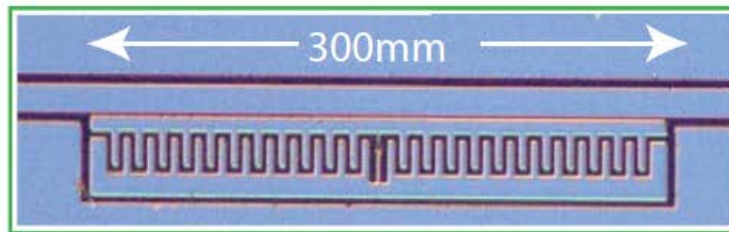
Device parameters:

$$E_{C1}/h = 424 \text{ MHz}$$

$$E_{C2}/h = 442 \text{ MHz}$$

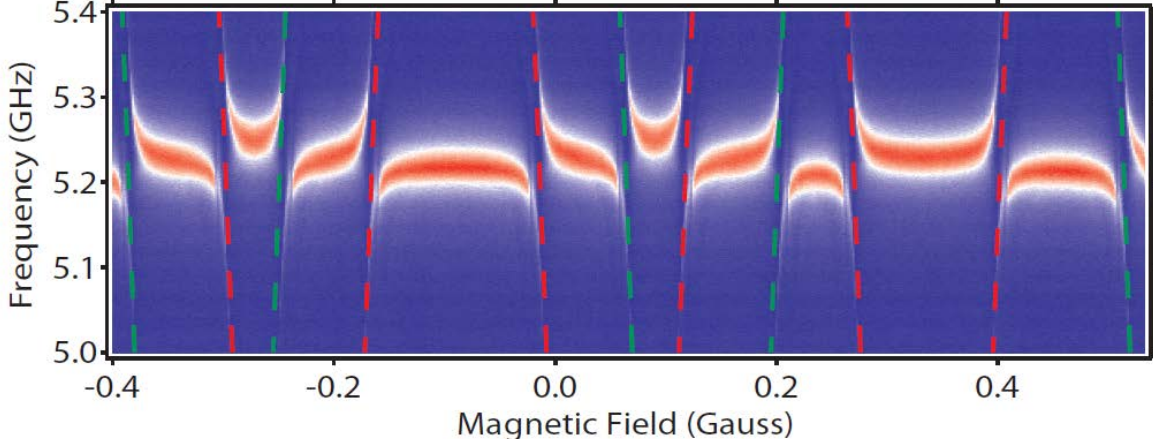
$$E_{J1}^{\text{max}}/h = 14.9 \text{ GHz}$$

$$E_{J2}^{\text{max}}/h = 18.9 \text{ GHz}$$



Resonator:

$$\omega_C/2\pi = 5.22 \text{ GHz}, \kappa/2\pi = 33 \text{ MHz}$$

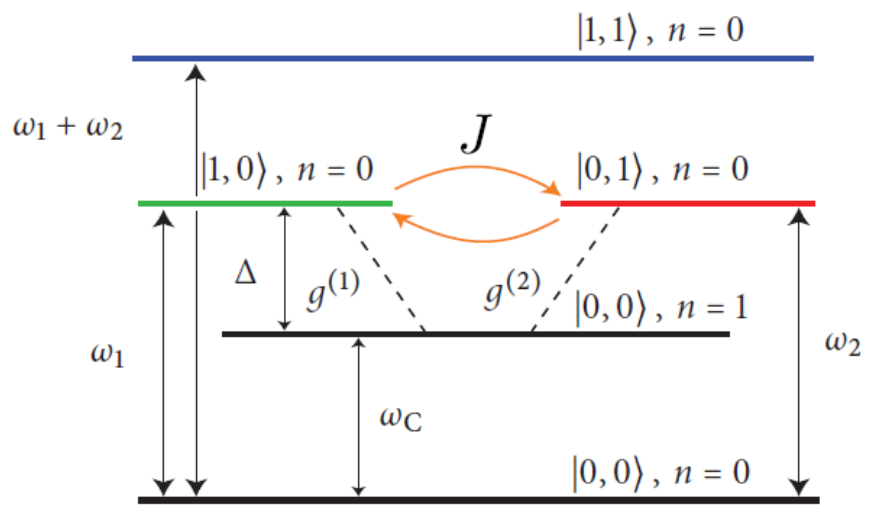


Single tone spectroscopy on resonator  
 Avoided crossings for both resonors  
 suggest strong coupling – theory  
 curve dashed lines  
 $\rightarrow g^{(1),(2)}/\pi = 105$  MHz

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2} \hbar \omega_q^{(1)} \sigma_Z^1 + \frac{1}{2} \hbar \omega_q^{(2)} \sigma_Z^2 + \hbar \left( \omega_r + \chi^{(1)} \sigma_Z^{(1)} + \chi^{(2)} \sigma_Z^{(2)} \right) \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a}$$

$$+ \hbar J \left( \sigma_-^{(1)} \sigma_+^{(2)} + \sigma_-^{(2)} \sigma_+^{(1)} \right)$$

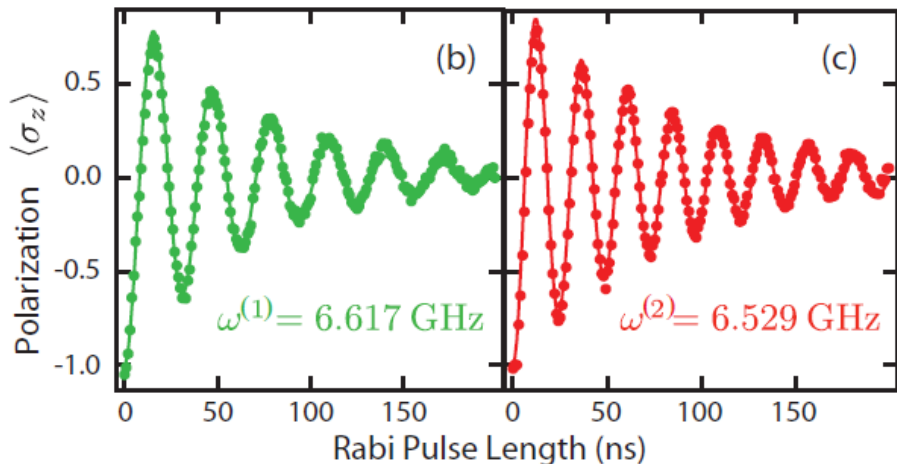
Lecture 2: Perturbation theory and in  
 the rotating frame: 2 qubit +  
 interaction term



$$J = \frac{g^{(1)} g^{(2)}}{2} \left( 1/\Delta^{(1)} + 1/\Delta^{(2)} \right)$$

$$|\Delta^{(1),(2)}| = |\omega^{(1),(2)} - \omega_r| \gg g^{(1),(2)}$$

Virtual exchange of photons via the cavity with rate  $g_1$  and  $g_2$ , if they are on resonance with each other (off to the cavity)



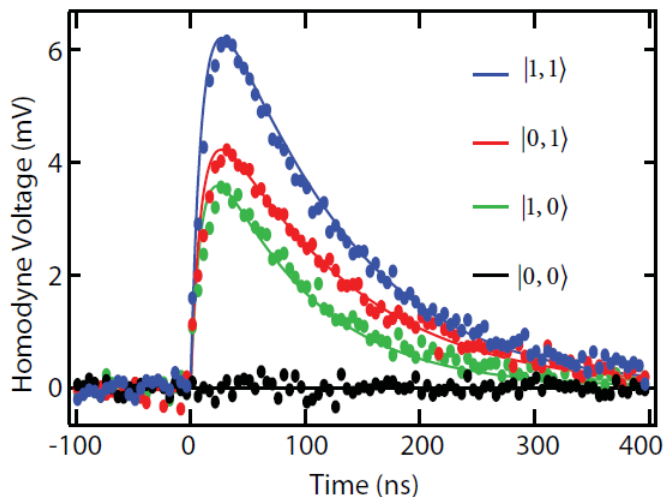
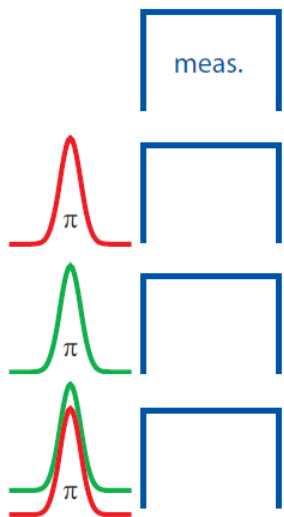
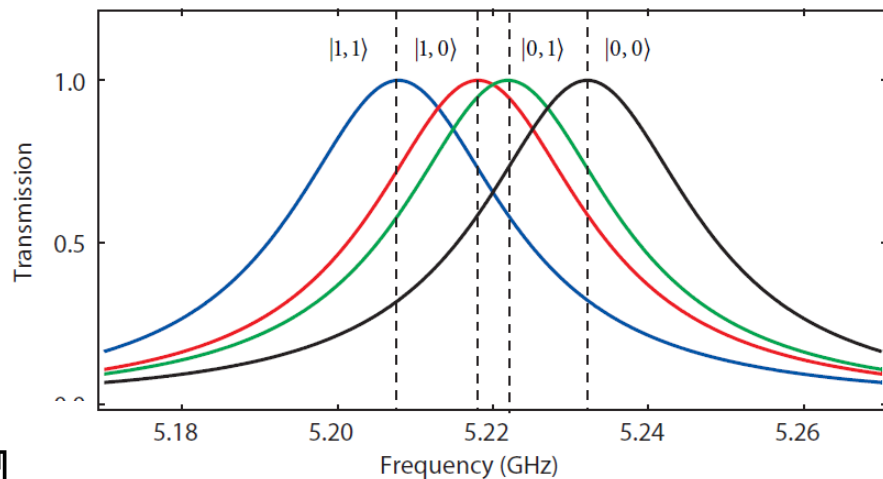
2 tone:

$\omega_S$ : qubit frequency (here continuous)

$\omega_{RF}$ : cavity frequency (here continuous)

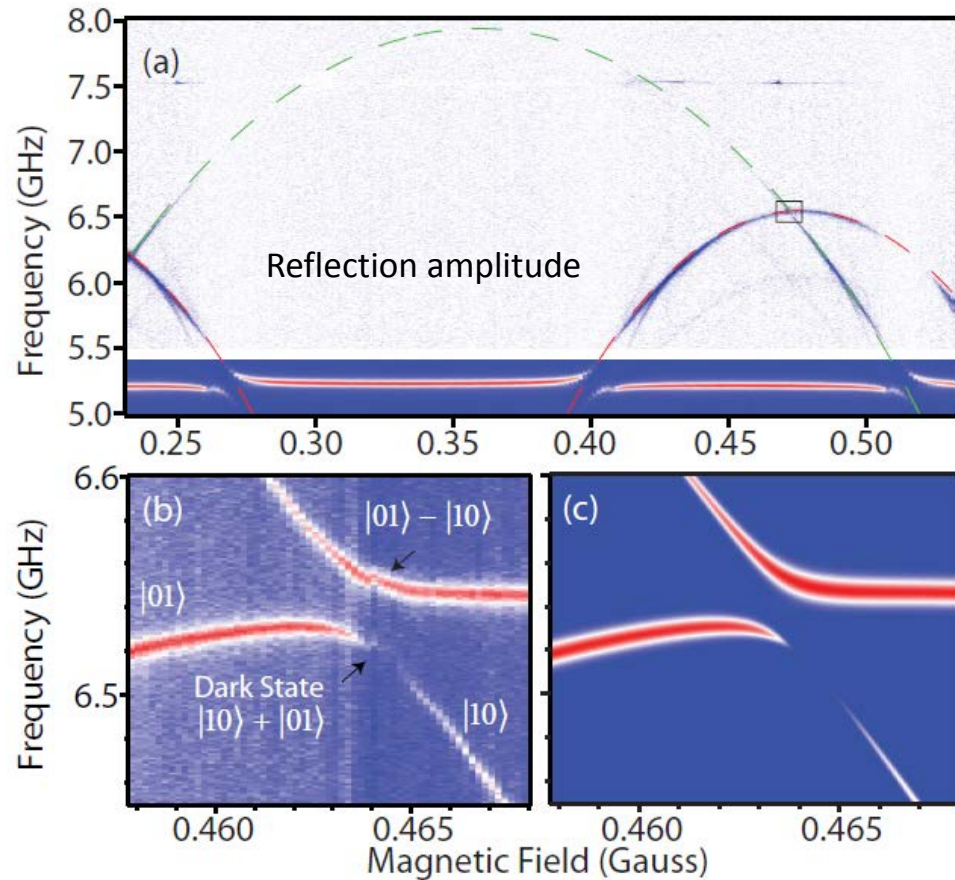
The 2 qubits can be addressed separately if their frequency is detuned

Separate characterization is possible



Dispersive readout: Due to the different parameters of the 2 qubit, all the states of the 2-qubit system can be read out with the cavity (different dispersive shift).

T1 and T2 can be measured.



2 tone:

$\omega_S$ : qubit frequency (here continuous)

$\omega_{RF}$ : cavity frequency (here continuous)

$$2J = 2g^{(1)}g^{(2)}/\Delta = 2\pi \cdot 26 \text{ MHz}$$

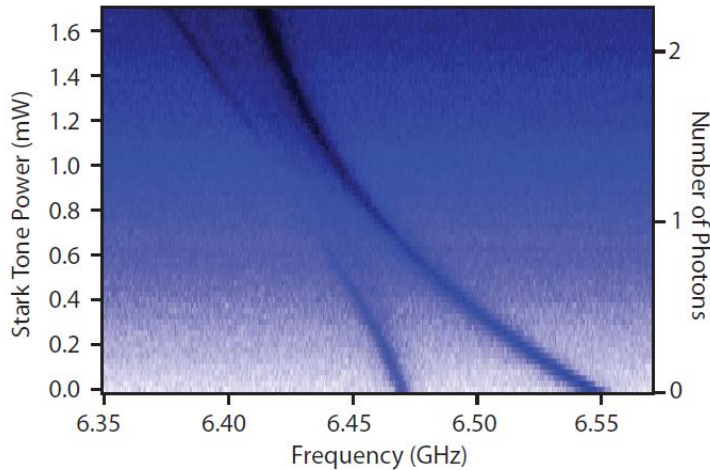
The qubit states hybridize with the cavity and also with each other if they are on resonance (dark state some interference effect)

Global magnetic field – tunes both qubits.

$$\hat{H} = \frac{1}{2}\hbar(\omega_q^{(1)} + \chi^{(1)}\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a})\sigma_Z^1 + \frac{1}{2}\hbar(\omega_q^{(2)} + \chi^{(2)}\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a})\sigma_Z^2 + \hbar\omega_r\hat{a}^\dagger\hat{a} + \hbar J(\sigma_-^{(1)}\sigma_+^{(2)} + \sigma_-^{(2)}\sigma_+^{(1)})$$

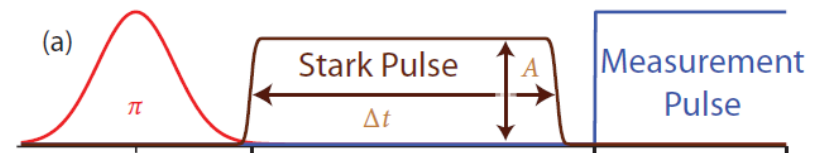
Flux biasing to avoided crossing  
not fast enough  
Use stark effect  
2 qubits at 6.47 and 6.55 GHz -  
close to resonance  
Drive at 6.675 GHz

### Avoided crossing using Stark effect



Size of the Stark shift depends on photon number and detuning

$$\chi = \frac{g^2}{\Delta}$$



Start at state  $1,0 \rightarrow$  pulse to the avoided crossing where the bonding and the antibonding states are the eigenstates.

The state evolves between  $1,0$  and  $0,1$ . After  $\Delta t$  waiting time measurement of the state at the cavity frequency

### SWAP operation

