

Photonic simulation of quantum systems: combating noise and weak interaction

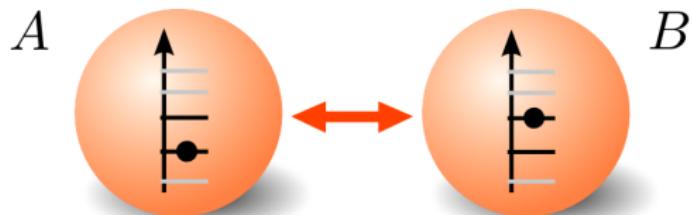
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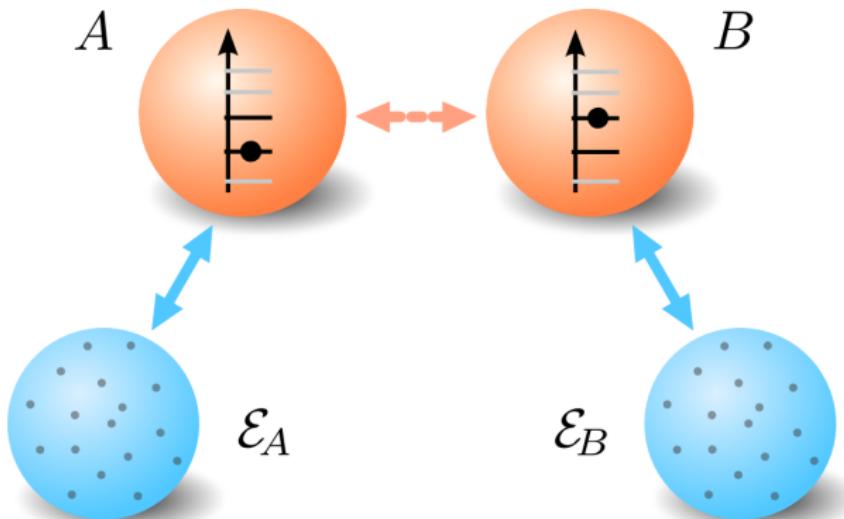
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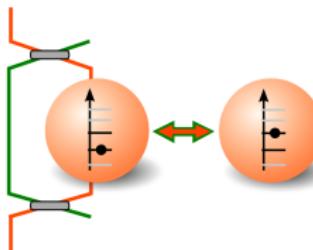
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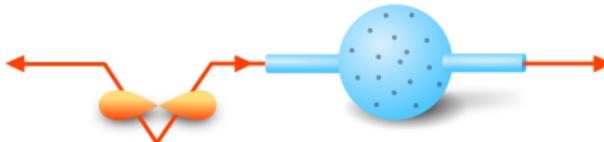
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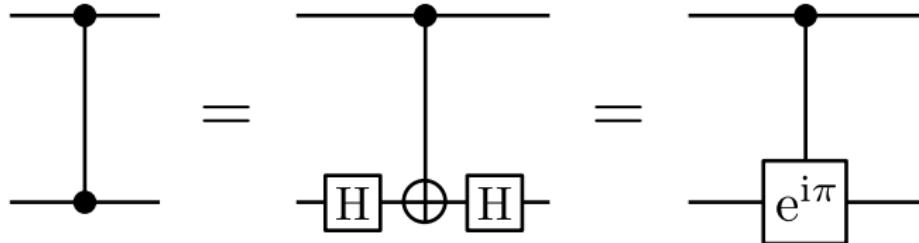
Quantum C-Z and C-PHASE gates

$$\text{CZ} = I - 2|11\rangle\langle 11|$$

$$\text{CZ } |jk\rangle = (-1)^{jk} |jk\rangle$$

$$\text{CPHASE} = \exp(i\phi|11\rangle\langle 11|)$$

$$\phi = \pi$$



spin-spin coupling

Quantum C-Z gate of weakly spin-spin coupled qubits

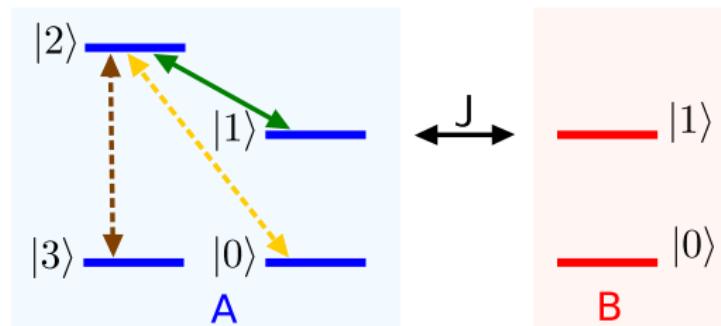
$$U_\phi = \exp(i\phi |11\rangle\langle 11|)$$

$$\phi < \pi$$

Auxiliary BS coupling $|1\rangle \rightleftharpoons |2\rangle$

$$|1\rangle \rightarrow t|1\rangle + r|2\rangle$$

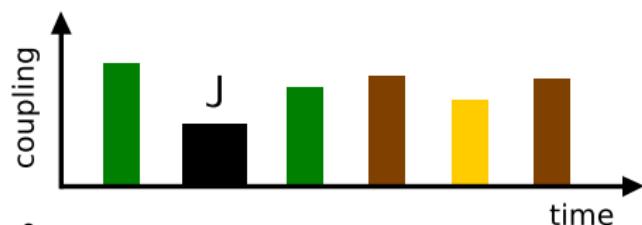
$$|2\rangle \rightarrow \tilde{t}^*|2\rangle - \tilde{r}^*|1\rangle$$



Projection back to $\{|0\rangle, |1\rangle\}$

$$(t\tilde{t} - r\tilde{r}^*)|0\rangle\langle 0| + |1\rangle\langle 1|$$

$$\text{CZ: } r\tilde{r}^*/t\tilde{t} = (1 + e^{i\phi})/2$$



$$\text{Probability of success: } P_s = |t\tilde{t} - r\tilde{r}^*|^2$$

$$\text{maximized for } |t|^2 = |\tilde{t}|^2 = 1/[1 + |\cos(\phi/2)|]$$

[A. Feizpour et al., PRL 107, 133603 (2011); C. Simon and E.S. Polzik, PRA 83, 040101(R) (2011)]

Quantum C-Z gate of BS-coupled qubits

Beam splitter coupling of two bosonic modes

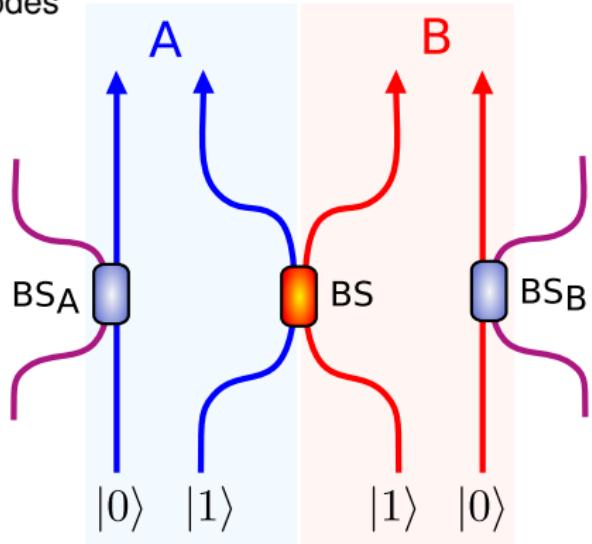
$$U_{\text{BS}}(t) = \exp \left[\kappa t (ab^\dagger - a^\dagger b) \right]$$

$$U_{\text{BS}}(R) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{1-R} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{1-R} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-2R \end{pmatrix}$$

Strong interaction

$$R = \sin^2(\kappa t) > 1/2$$

$$U_{\text{BS}}(2/3) \sim \text{CZ}$$



Quantum C-Z gate of weakly BS-coupled qubits

Weakly coupled systems

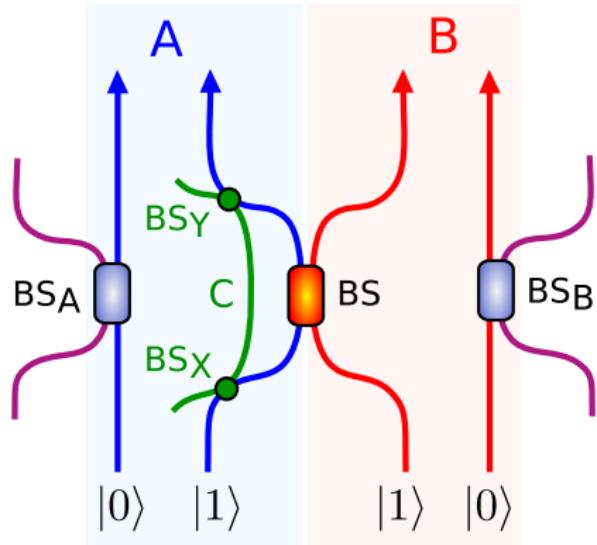
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BS partially bypassed by C

BS_{X,Y}: amp. transmittances t_X, t_Y

$$\text{C-Z: } \frac{r_X r_Y}{t_X t_Y} = \frac{3R - 2}{2\sqrt{1-R}}$$

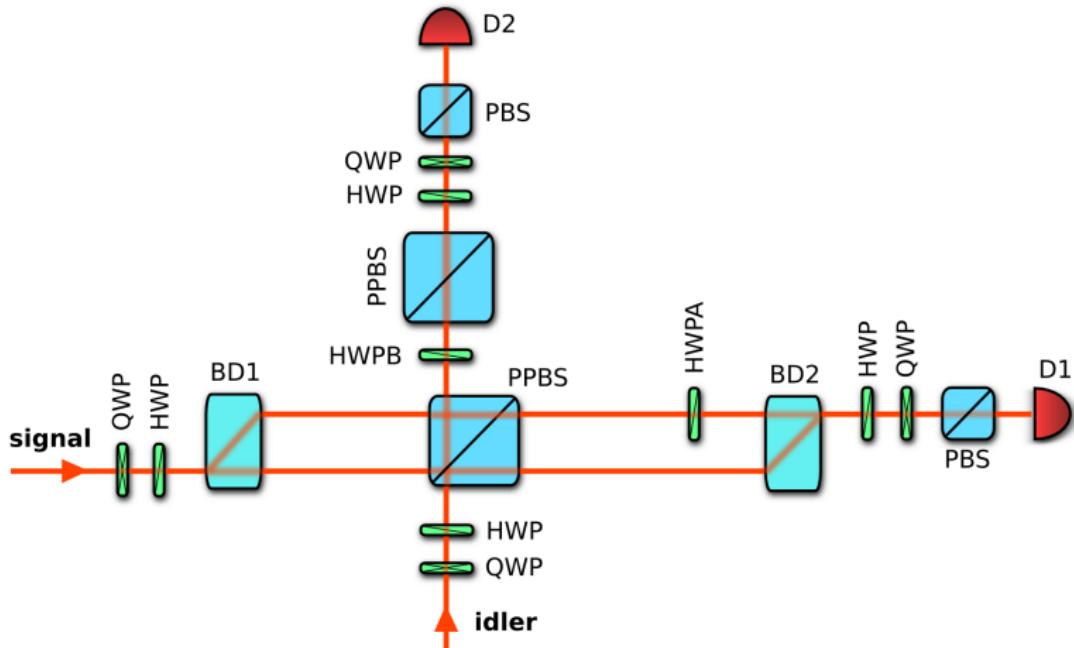
Probability of success: $R^2 \frac{T_X T_Y}{4}$
maximized for $T_X = T_Y$



$$U = \begin{pmatrix} t_A t_B & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & t_A t & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & t_B(t t_X t_Y + r_X r_Y) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & (2t^2 - 1)t_X t_Y + t r_X r_Y \end{pmatrix} = R \frac{t_X t_Y}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

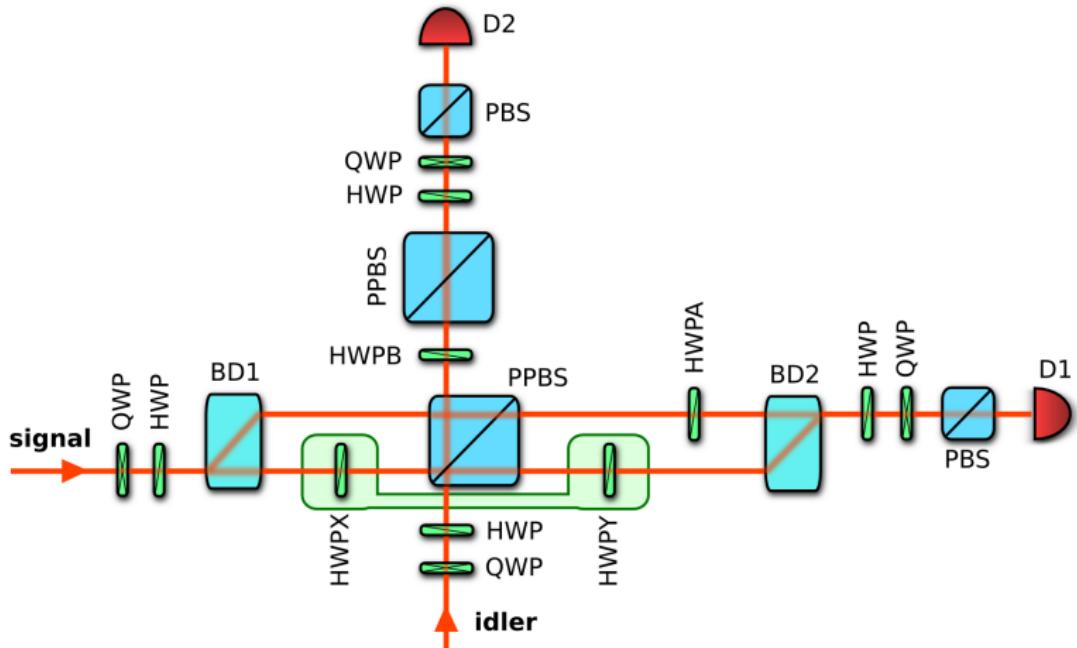
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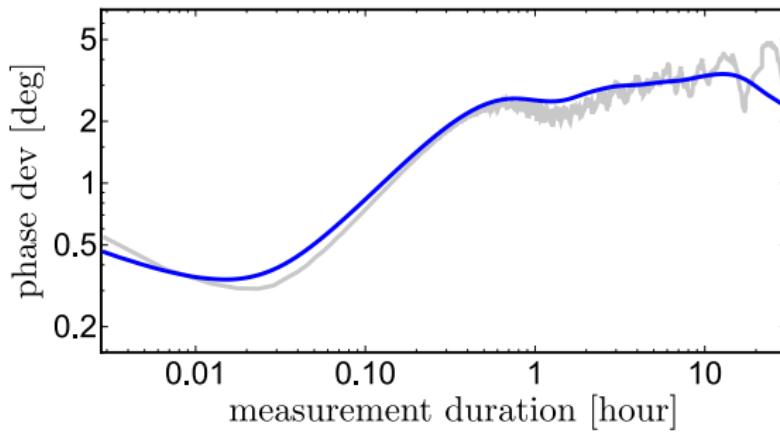
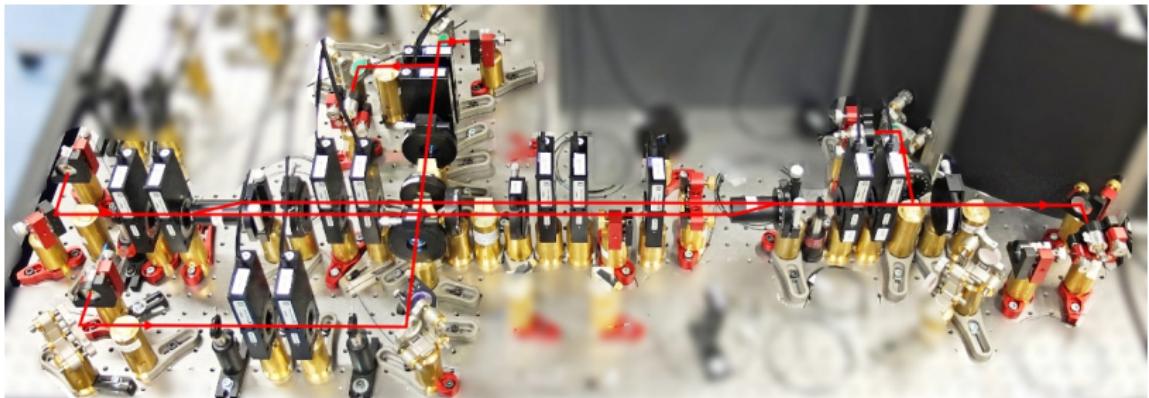


$\text{BS}_{X,Y}$ bypass: HWPX and HWPY, $T_X = \cos^2(2\phi_X)$

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Experimental setup based on Toffoli gate experiment

[M. Mičuda et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 111, 160407 (2013)]

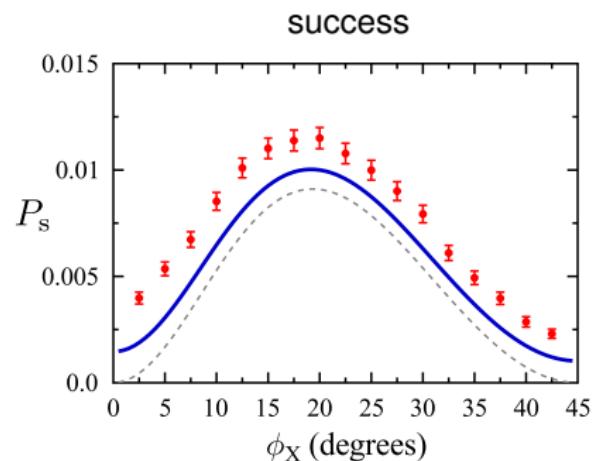
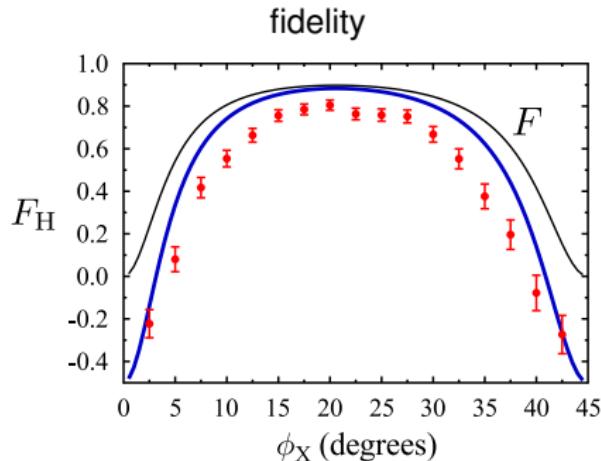


Simulation results

Gate fidelity: $F_\chi = \text{Tr}[\chi\chi_{\text{cz}}]/(\text{Tr}[\chi]\text{Tr}[\chi_{\text{cz}}])$

Hofmann bound on quantum process fidelity: $F_\chi \geq F_1 + F_2 - 1$

[H.F. Hofmann, PRL 94, 160504 (2005); M. Mičuda et al., PRA 89, 042304 (2014)]



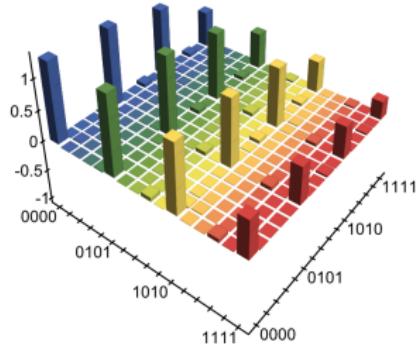
Theoretical model: $R_H = 1.9\%$, $\mathcal{V}_{\text{HOM}} = 94\%$

Maximum predicted gate fidelity: 88.9% at $\phi_X = 20^\circ$

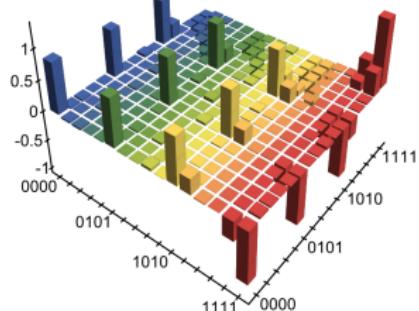
Simulation results: full tomography of quantum process

Number of preparation/measurement configurations: $6^4 = 1296$
10 s acquisition per configuration → total time of 6 hours

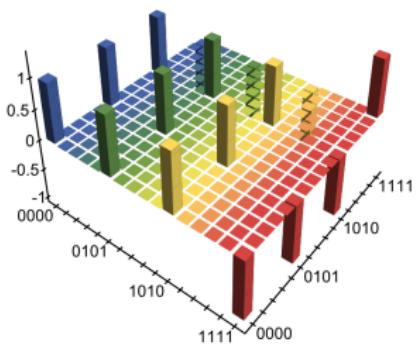
without bypass



optimal bypass



ideal C-Z gate



$$F_x = 84.6\%$$

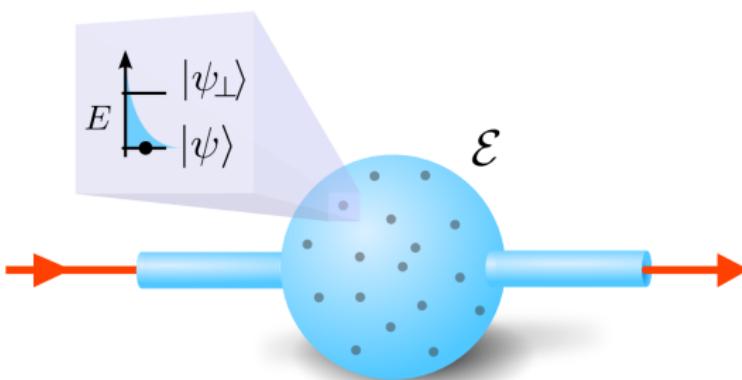
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Multi-qubit environment \mathcal{E} :

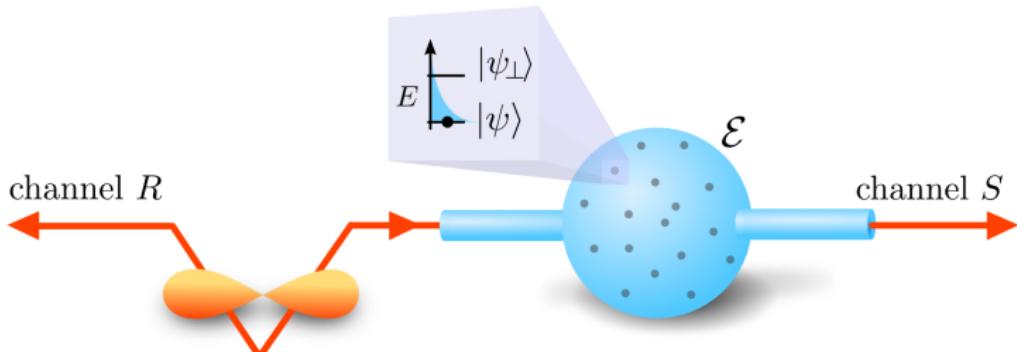
$$\rho = (1 - p_T)|\psi\rangle\langle\psi| + p_T|\psi_{\perp}\rangle\langle\psi_{\perp}|$$

$$p_T = \frac{\exp(-\frac{\Delta E}{k_B T})}{1 + \exp(-\frac{\Delta E}{k_B T})}$$



Incoherent environment: qubits do not interfere or interact with another qubits

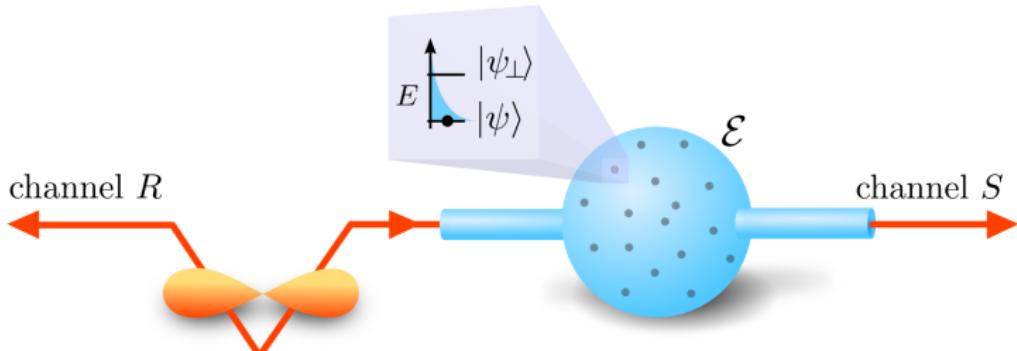
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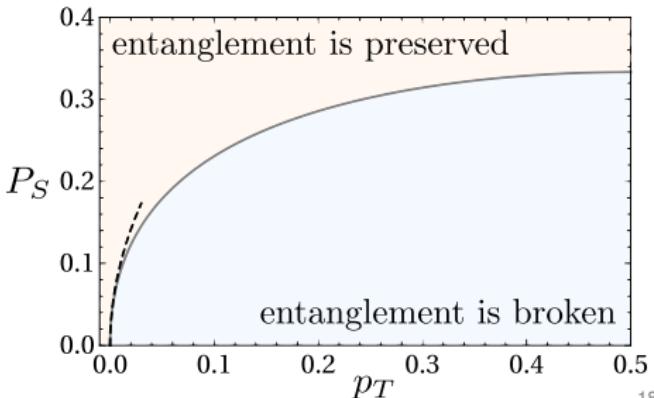
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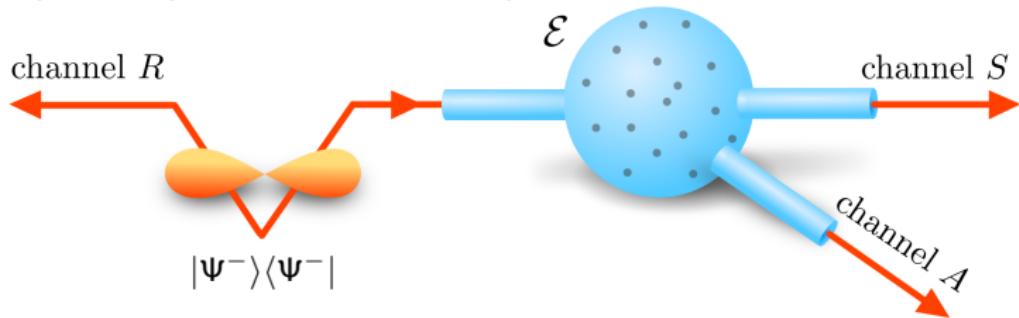
$$P_S > \frac{\sqrt{p_T(1-p_T)}}{1 + \sqrt{p_T(1-p_T)}}$$

$$\frac{p_T}{P_S^2} < 1 \quad \text{for } p_T \ll 1$$



Using additional environment probing

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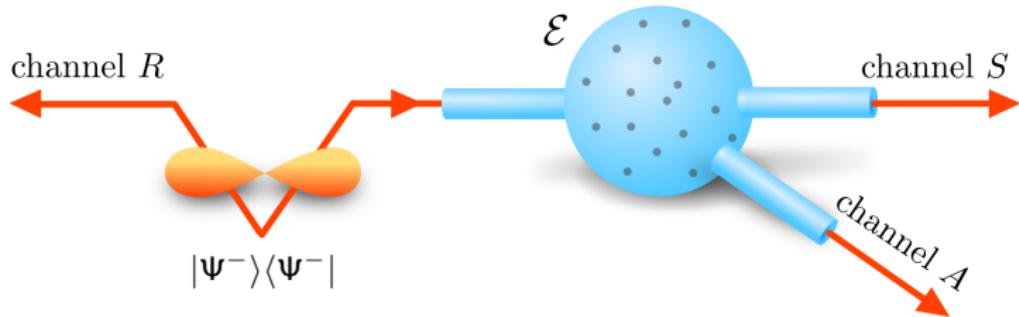


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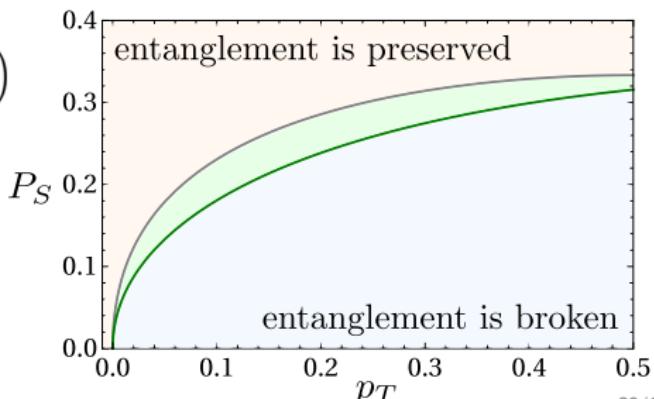
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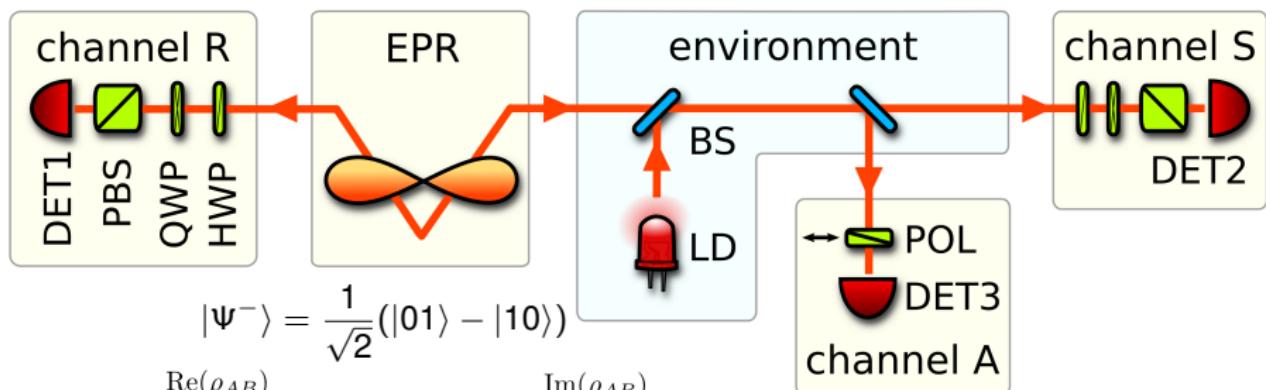
$P_E = 0$ for single particle environment

[E. Nagali et al., PRA 79, 060304(R) (2009)]

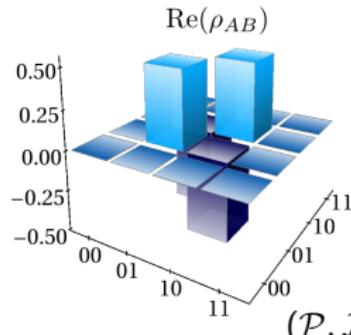
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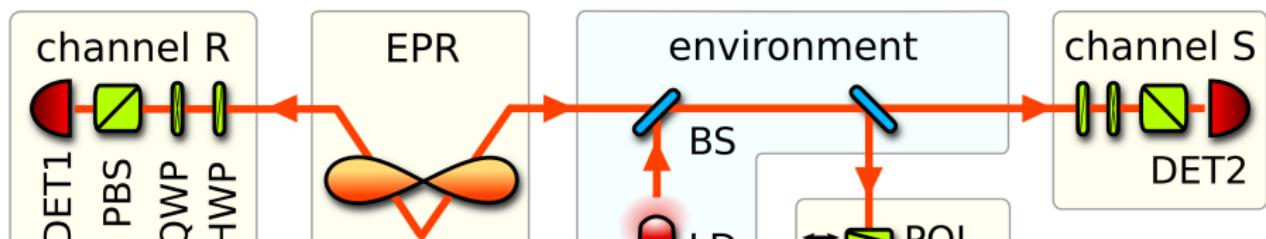
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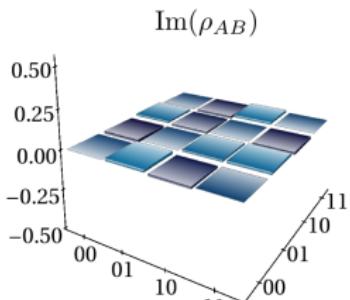
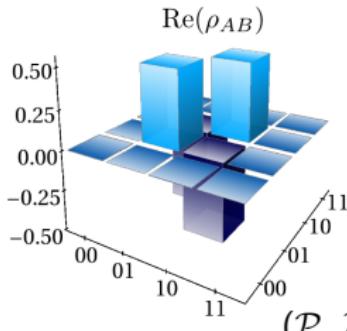
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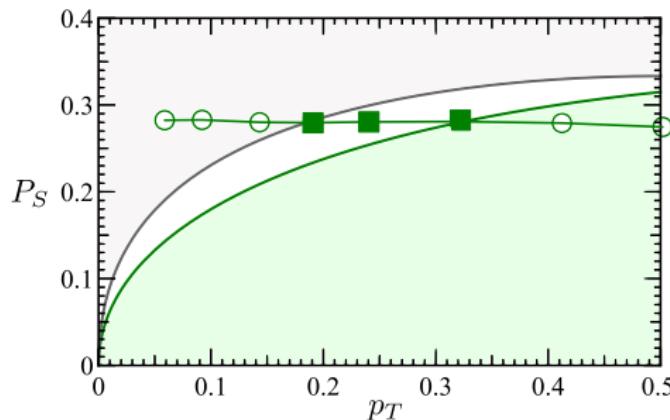
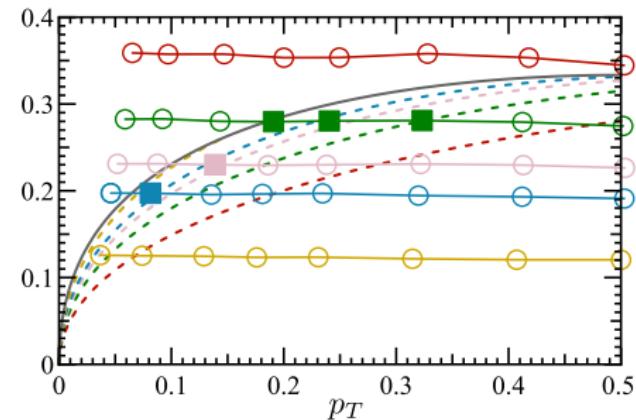
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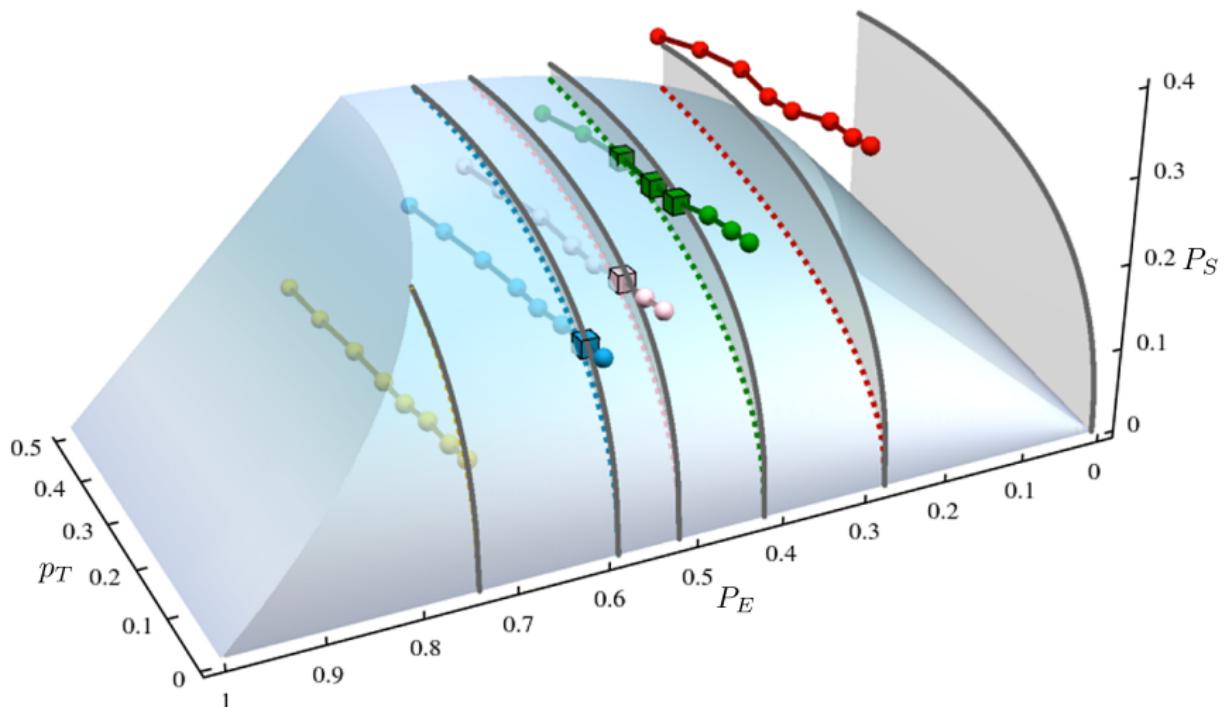
Model of the simulator:

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$P_E = 0.42$  $P_E = 0.27, 0.42, 0.52, 0.58, 0.74$ 

Simulation results and generalization of the simulator

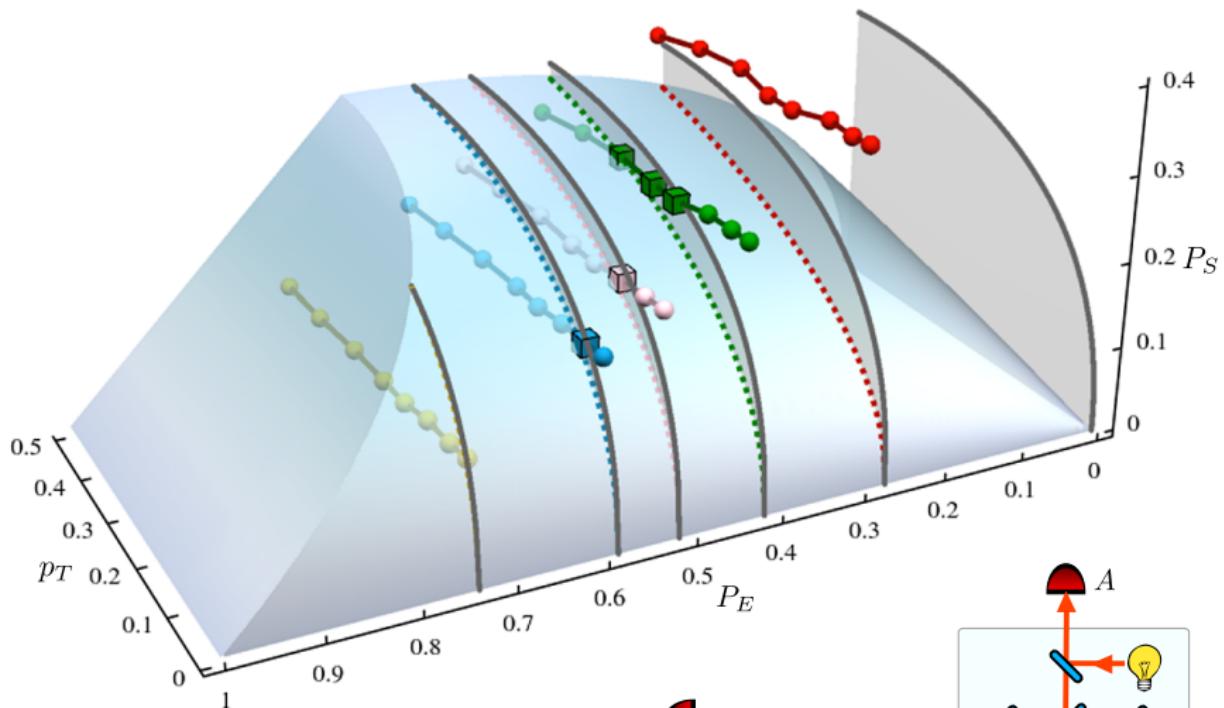
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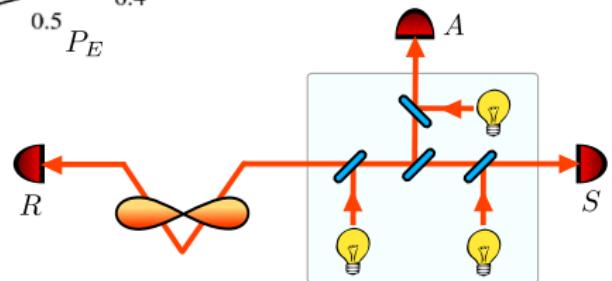
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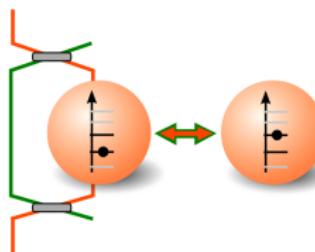
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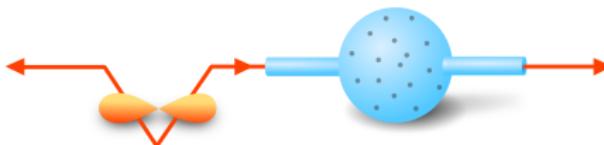
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