

Quantum Information with Solid-State Devices

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Lecture I



Overview

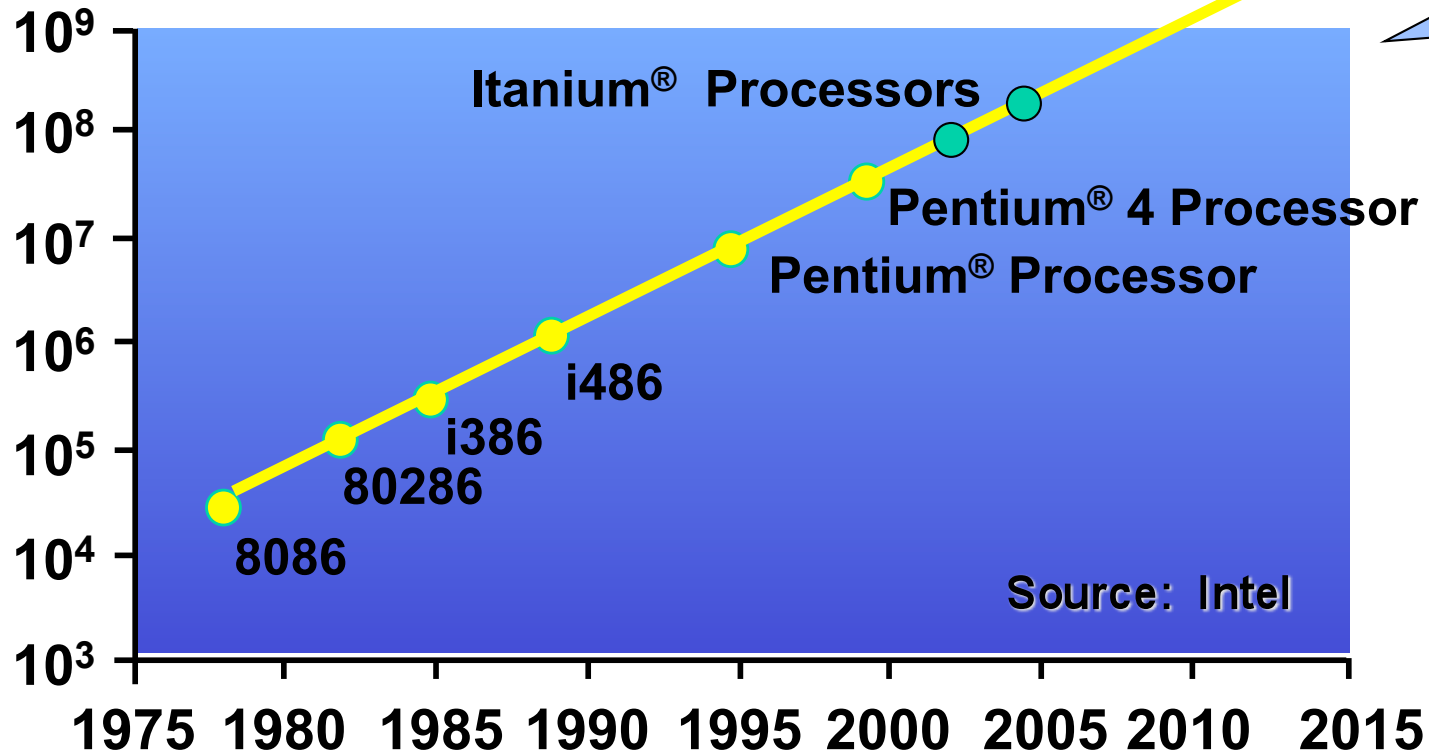
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- Motivation
- Subjects covered in the Lecture
- History

Administration

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- Website
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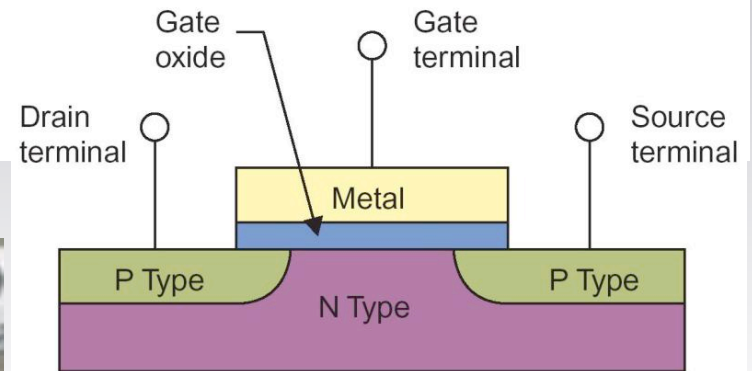
Transistors / IC

Moore's Law



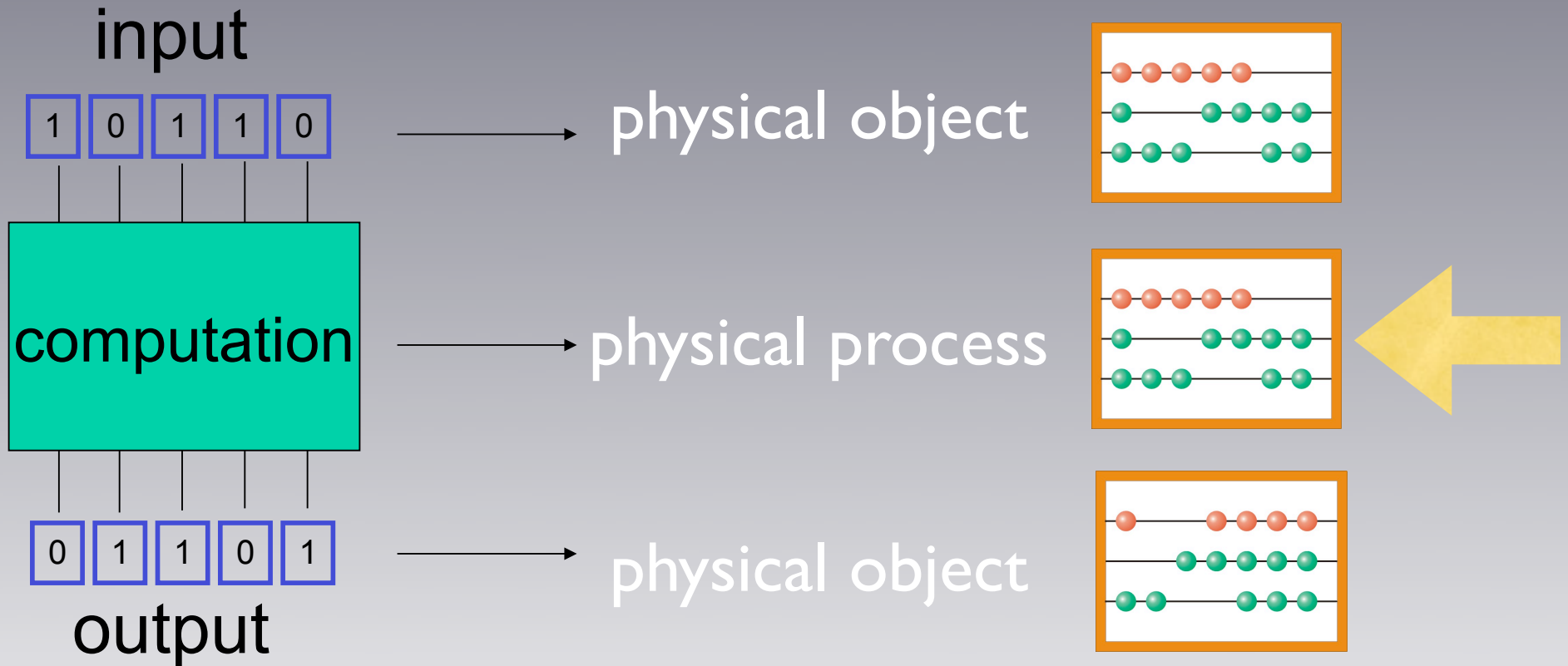
quantum regime

number of transistors doubles every 2 years
Gorden Moore 1965



Information & Physics

information processing
is a physical process



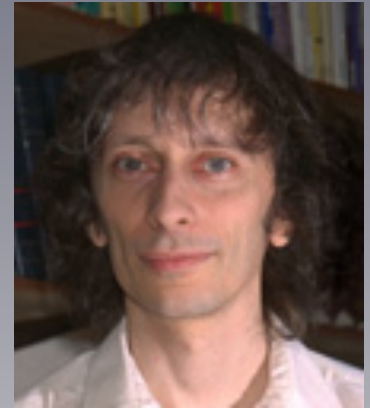
information is physical
Rolf Landauer



Quantum Information

the fundamental laws of physics
is quantum mechanics

therefore the fundamental laws of
information processing is quantum
mechanics

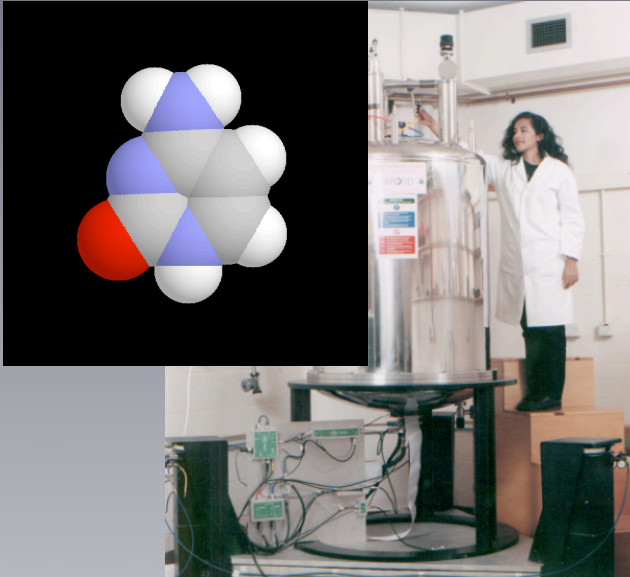


David Deutsch

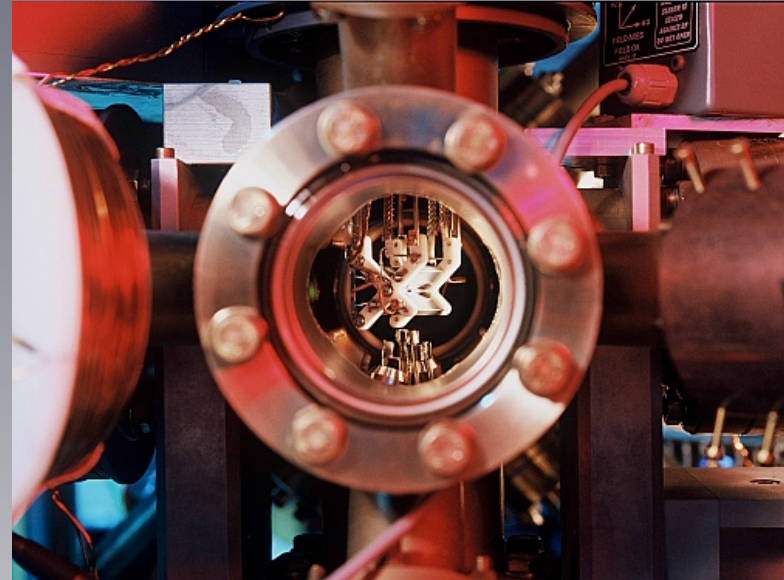
➔ **Quantum Information**

can we make use of quantum mechanics to speed
up information processing?

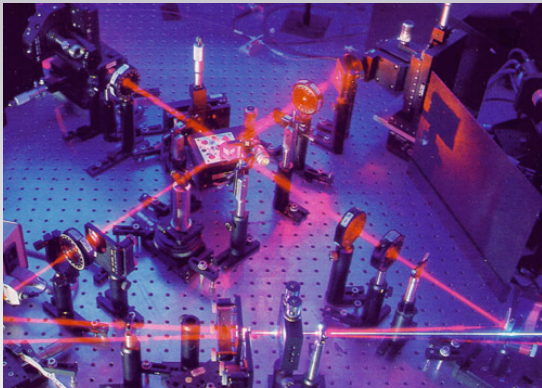
Realization



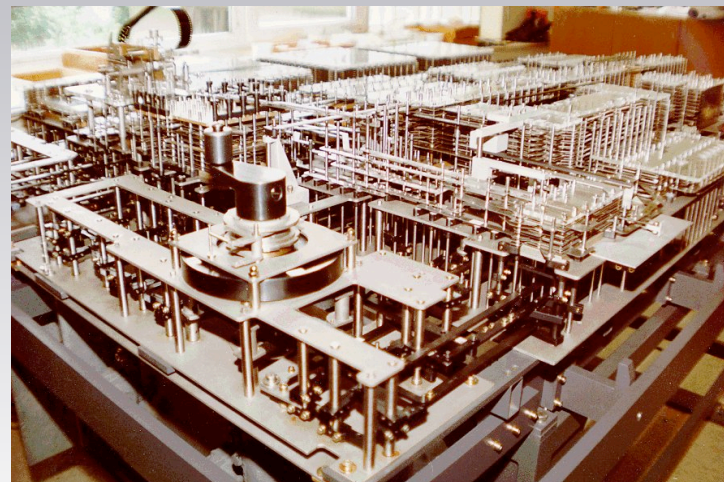
nuclear magnetic resonance
NMR



Ion Trap

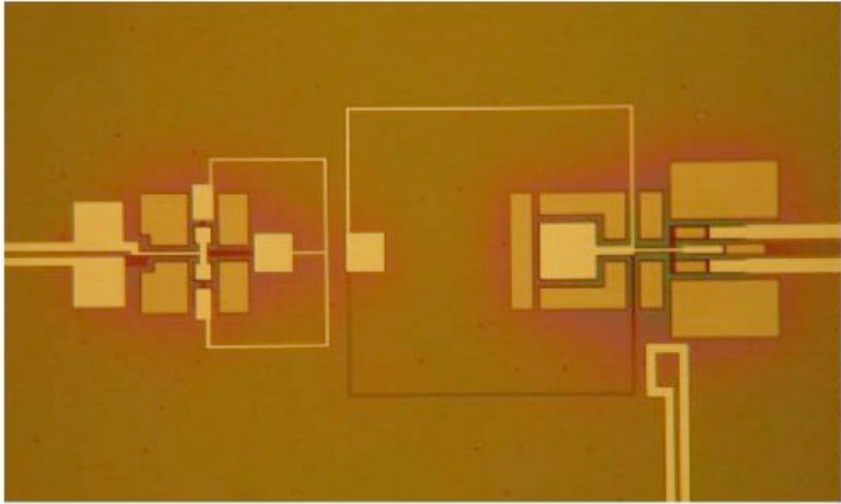


Photons



Zuse Z1, 1936

Realization



make use of nano-lithography
quantum chip

fundamental question
is there a fundamental limit
for the size of a quantum
system?

can we see quantum effects in
a solid-state environment
with billions of electrons/
nuclei?

macroscopic quantum
coherence

Energy Scales

$$E = h\nu$$

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda}$$

A screenshot of a web browser window titled "Energy Scales" showing a table of energy values for microwave photons. The browser address bar shows the URL <http://www.majer.ch/physics/energyscales/index.html>. The table contains the following data:

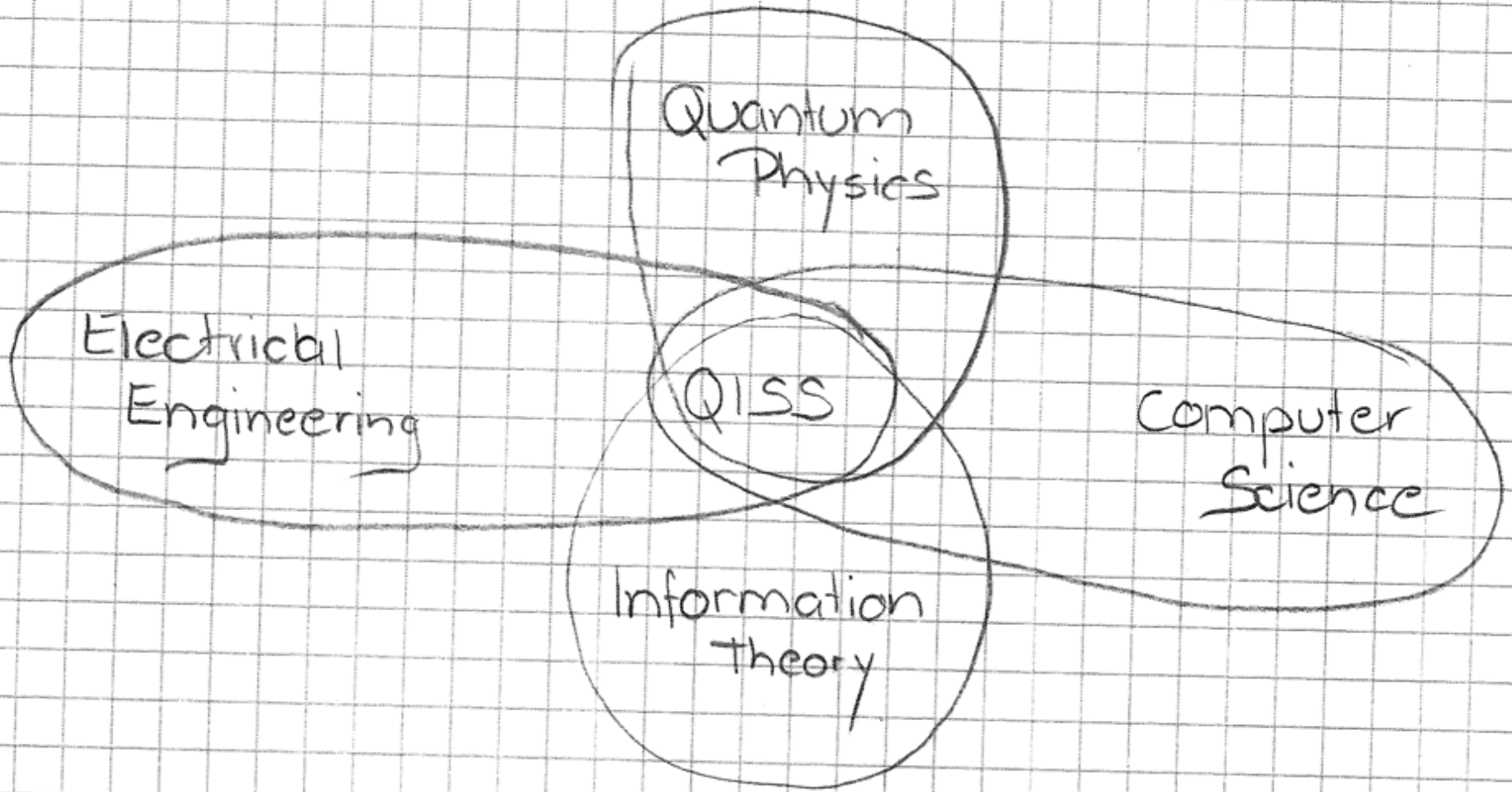
| Energy Value | Unit |
|--------------|-------|
| 3.313e-24 | Joule |
| 5 | GHz |
| 240.0 | mK |
| 20.68 | μeV |
| 59.96 | mm |
| 357.2 | mT |

microwave photons

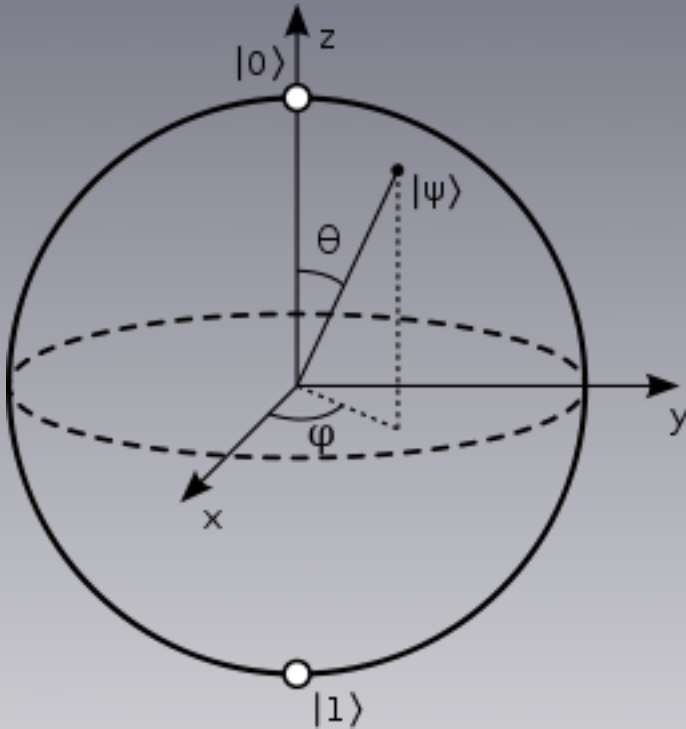
A screenshot of a web browser window titled "Energy Scales" showing a table of energy values for optical (red) photons. The browser address bar shows the URL <http://www.majer.ch/physics/energyscales/index.html>. The table contains the following data:

| Energy Value | Unit |
|--------------|-------|
| 2.838e-19 | Joule |
| 428.3 | THz |
| 2.055e+4 | K |
| 1.771 | eV |
| 700 | nm |
| 3.060e+4 | T |

optical (red) photons

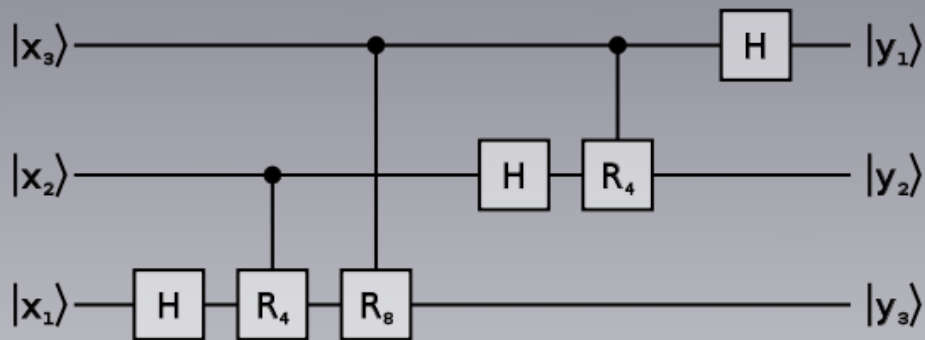


I Basic Concepts



qubit/quantum bit
Bloch sphere
Rabi oscillation
open quantum systems
density matrix
decoherence/dephasing
Lindblad equation
Ramsey oscillation
echo techniques

I Basic Concepts



multiple qubits

qubit coupling / qubit interaction

quantum gates

simple quantum algorithms

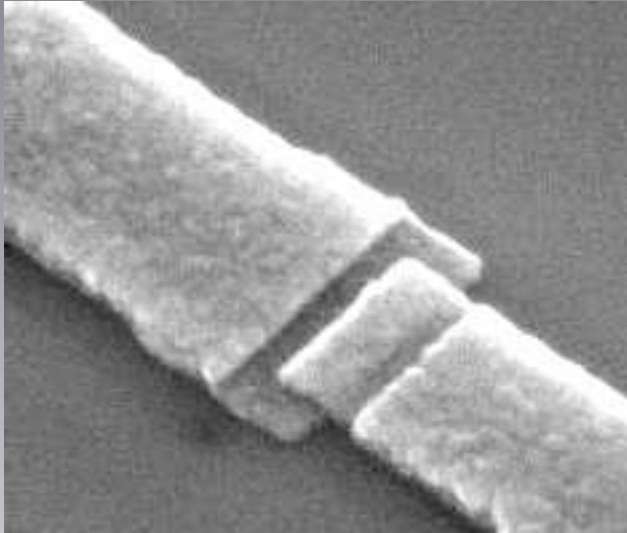
Deutsch-Josza algorithm

Grover search algorithm

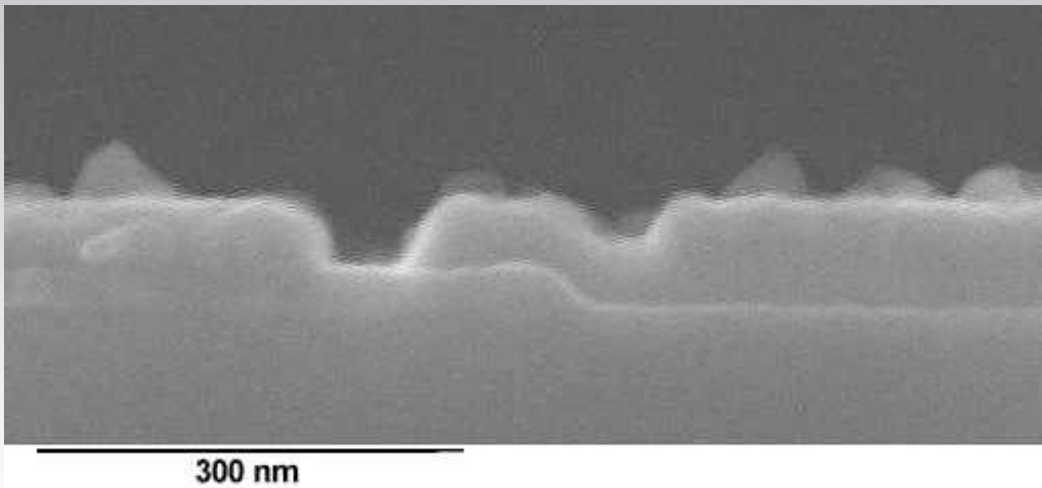
state tomography

DiVincenzo criteria

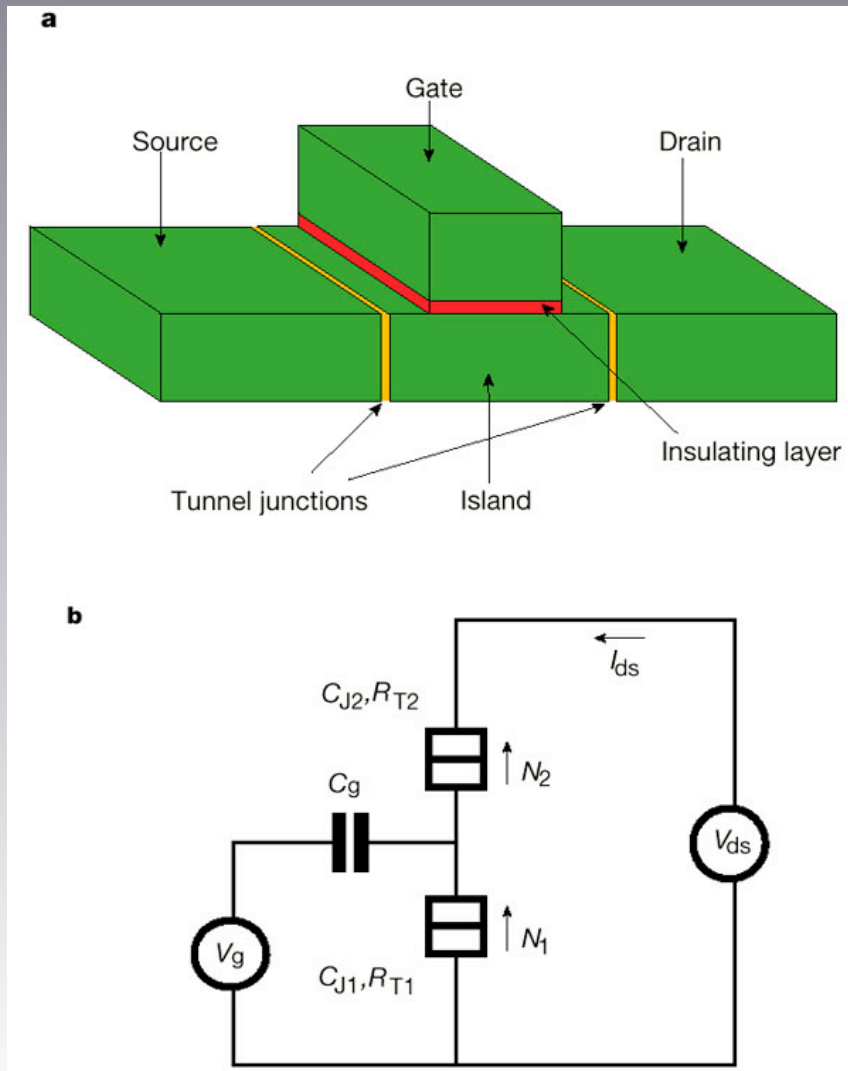
II Superconducting Electronics



Josephson junction
superconductors
tunnel junctions
Josephson equations
SQUID



II Superconducting Electronics



single electron transistor

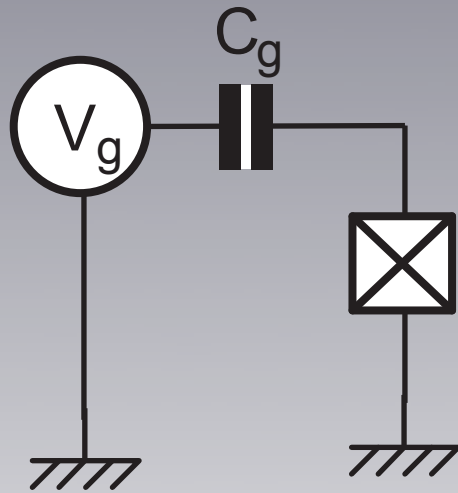
charging energy

Coulomb blockade

amplifying quantum signals

II Superconducting Electronics

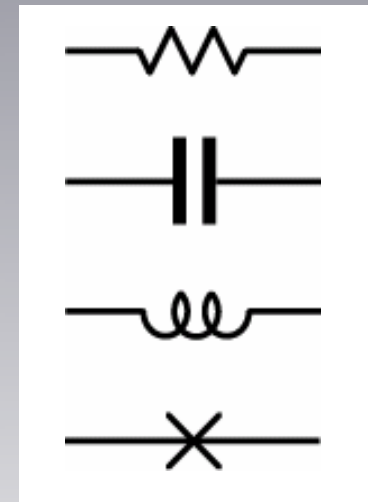
Quantum Circuits



charge and phase are
conjugate variables

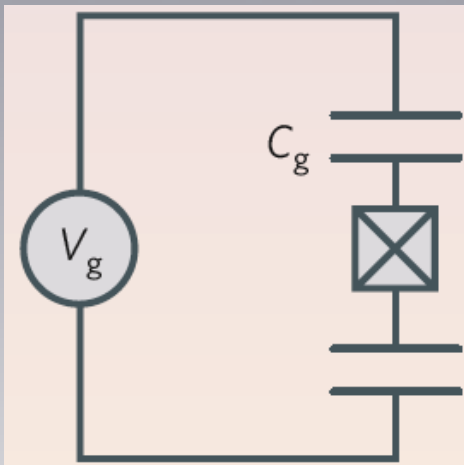
quantization of a
circuit

Circuit Elements

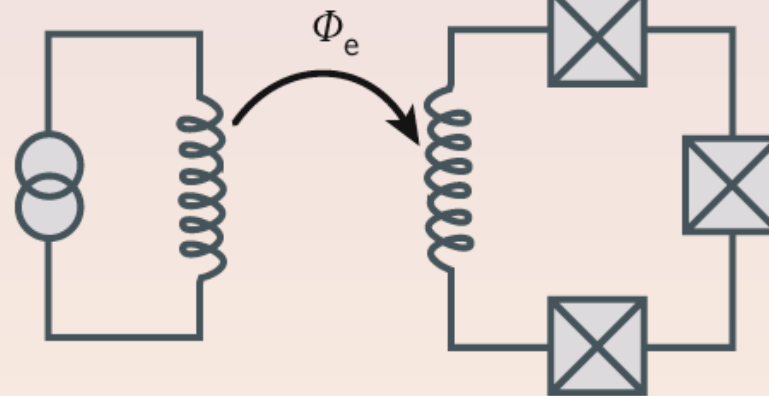


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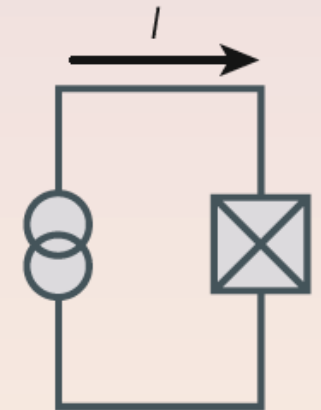
Superconducting Qubits



Charge Qubit



Flux Qubit

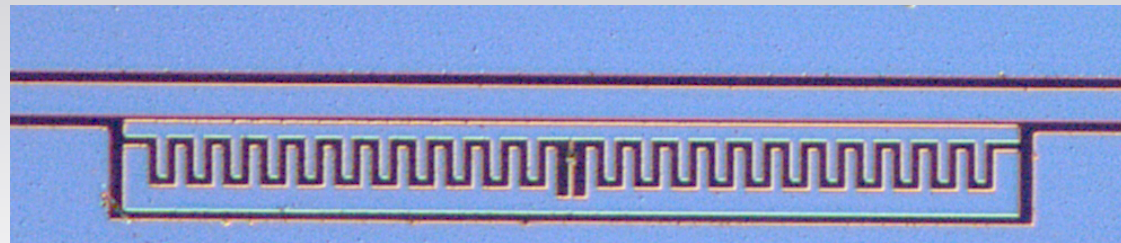
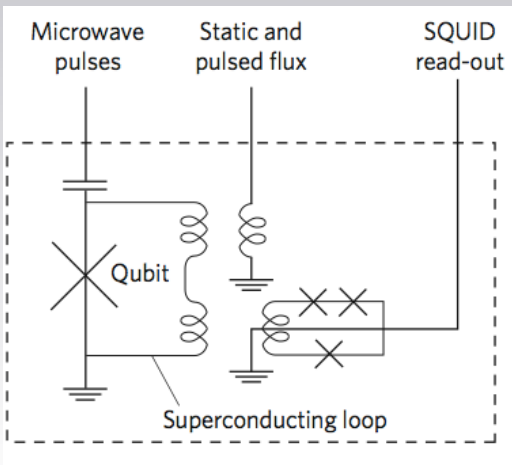
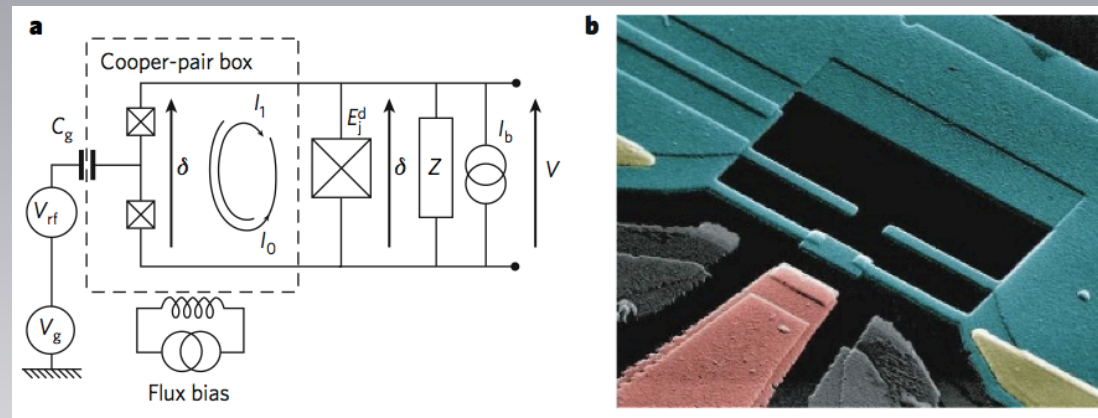


Phase Qubit

II Superconducting Electronics

Qubit Measurement

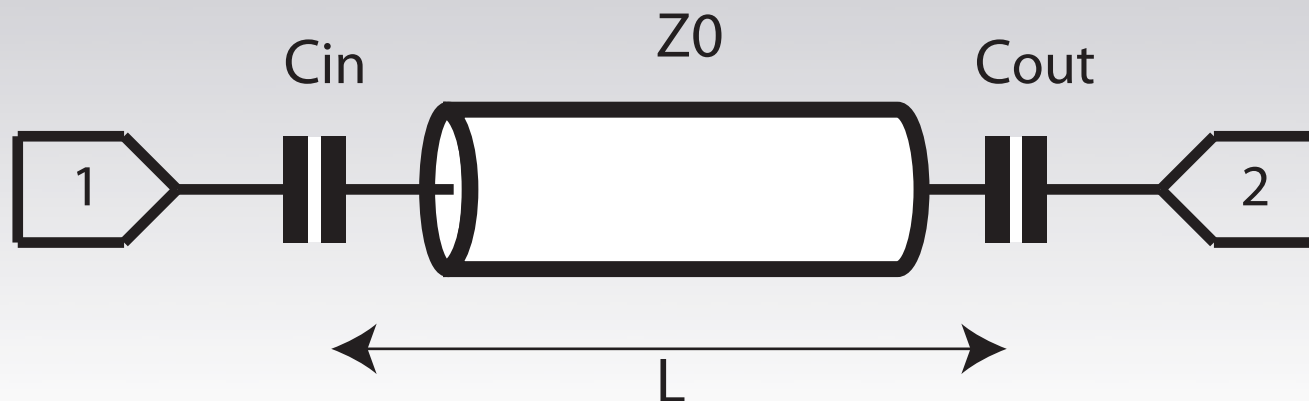
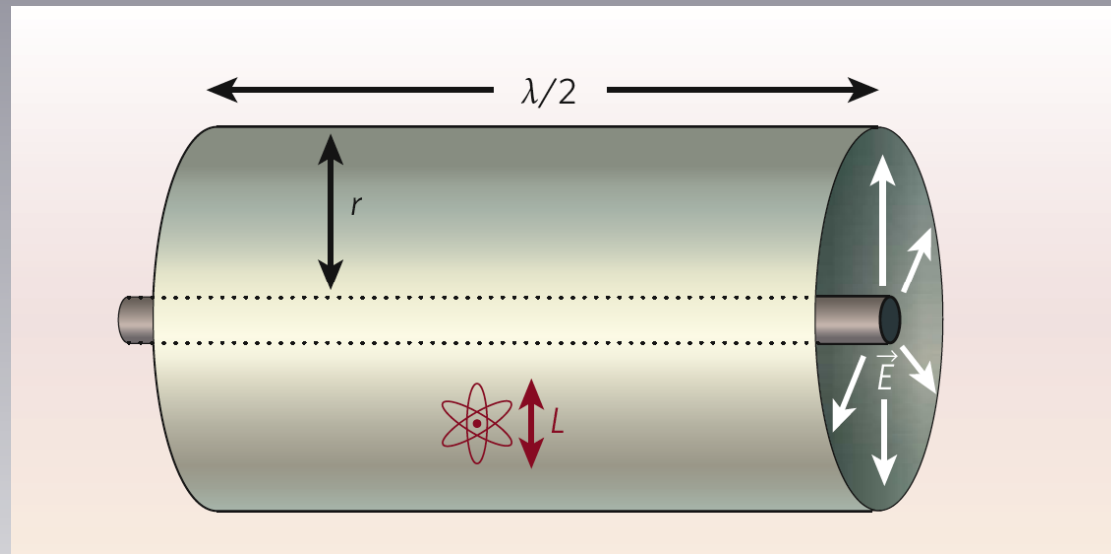
Qubit (avoiding) Decoherence



Transmon Qubit

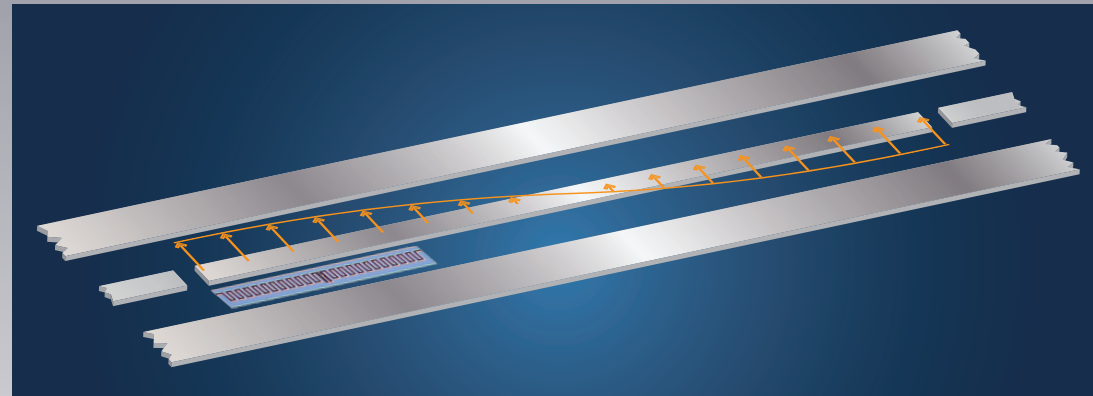
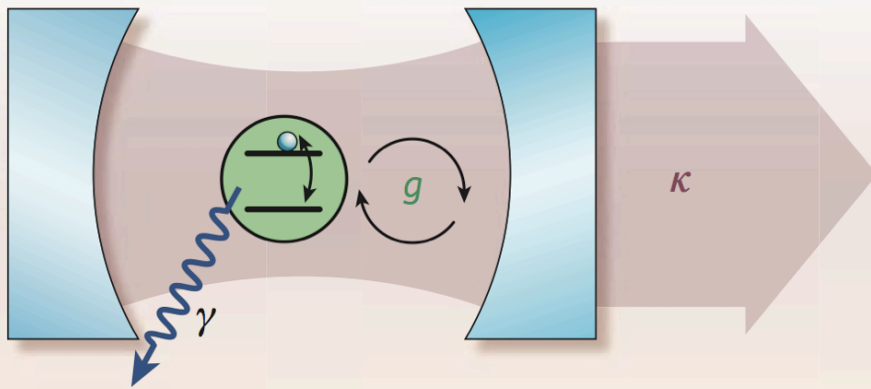
II Superconducting Electronics

Transmission Line Resonators



II Superconducting Electronics

circuit cavity QED

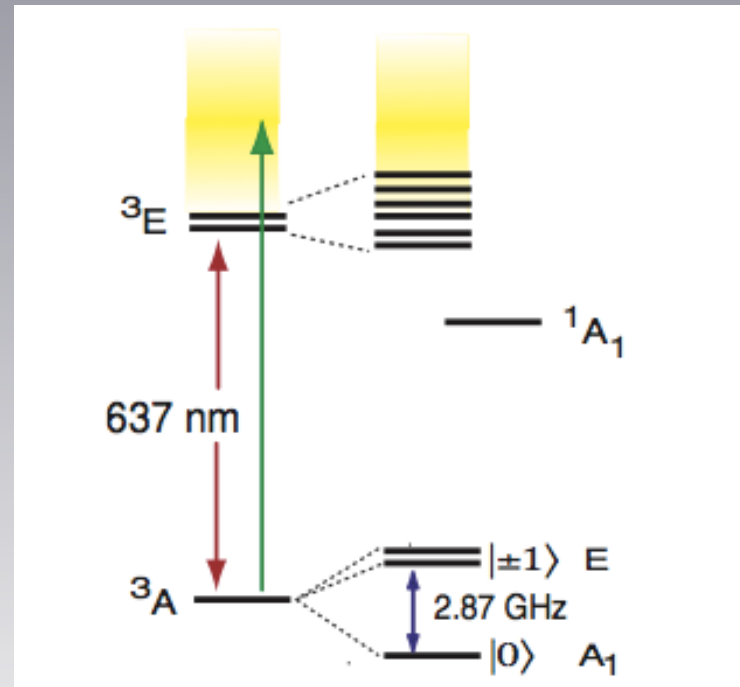
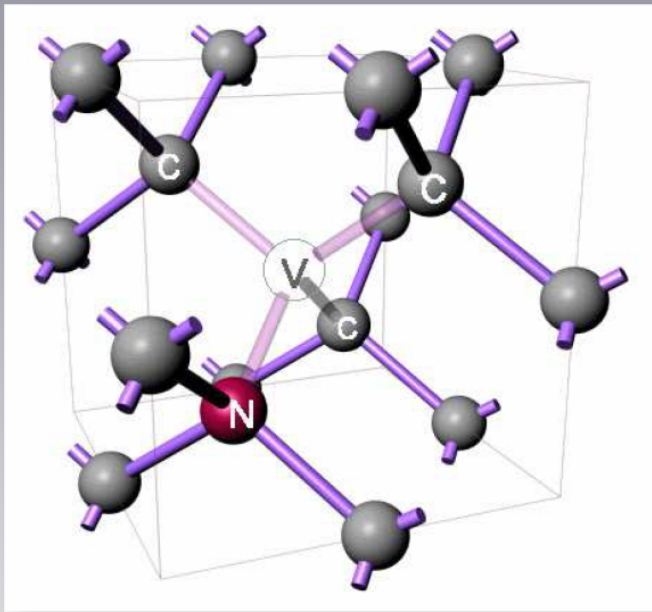


Jaynes-Cummings hamiltonian
vacuum Rabi oscillations
dispersive regime

III Other Solid-State Quantum Systems

Nitrogen Vacancy Color Center

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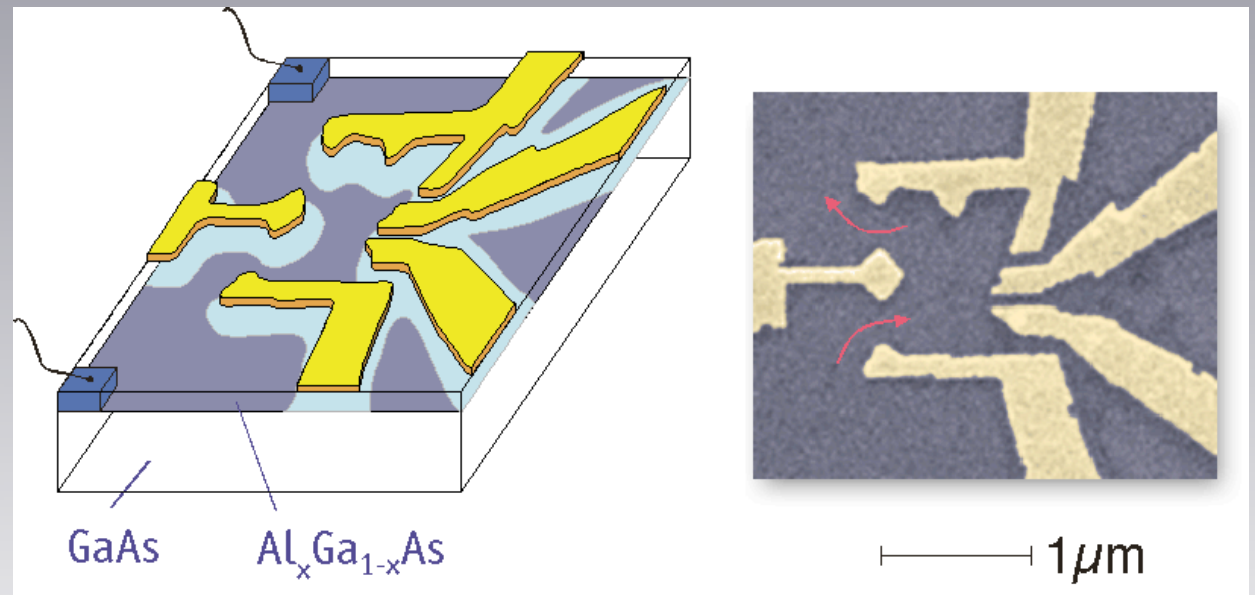
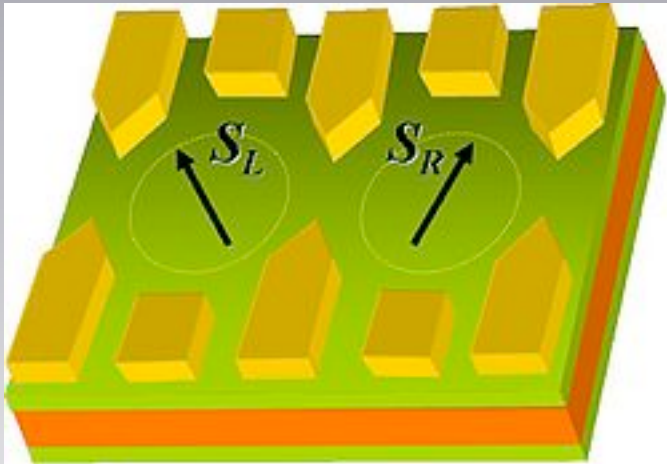
room
temperature

optically detected magnetic resonance (ODMR)
coupling to N nucleus / ^{13}C nucleus

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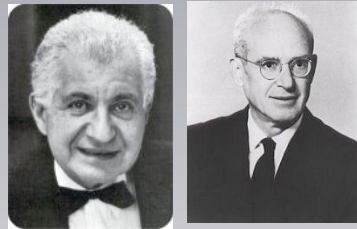
Quantum Systems

Semiconductor Quantum Dots



Loss-DiVincenzo proposal

Quantum Physics



1900

1900

Planck: \hbar

1913

Bohr: model of the atom

1926

Schrödinger/Heisenberg

1935

Einstein/Podolski/Rosen

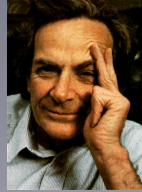
1963

Bell: inequalities

2000

Quantum Computing

1982 R. Feynman



Quantum Simulations

1985 D. Deutsch



Quantum Information Processing
Deutsch algorithm

1994 P. Shor



Prime factorization

1995 P. Shor

Quantum Error Correction

1996 L. Grover



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