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the second quantum revolution

superposition

linked to wave-particle duality and linearity of Schrödinger's equation

entanglement

state correlation of distant quantum objects, but random and after measurement

individual control of quantum objects electrons, photons, atoms









quantum computing quantum telecommunications quantum cryptography quantum sensing

sciences used with quantum technologies



physics

electromagnetism quantum physics quantum matter thermodynamics fluids mechanics photonics



engineering

materials design

electronics engineering cryogenics mathematics linear algebra groups theory analysis complexity theories



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computer science

information theory algorithms design programming classical computing telecommunications machine learning human sciences philosophy epistemology sociology technology ethics economics of innovation R&D policy making geopolitics startups ecosystem

quantum computing



typical difficult problems



$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi(x,t)}{\partial t} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi(x,t)}{\partial x^2} + V(x)\Psi(x,t)$$



solving Schrodinger's wave equation to simulate quantum matter machine learning and deep learning

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solving partial derivative equations

quantum computing usage categories

research

operations



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QPUs vendors per qubit type



all qubit types have their challenges

quantum annealing

- mature development tools offering.
- large number of software startups, particularly in Japan and Canada.
- quantum annealers are available in the cloud by D-Wave and Amazon Web Services.
- · the greatest number of well documented case studies in many industries although still at the proof of concept stage.
- most universal oubits gates algorithms can be

superconducting qubits

- key technology in public research and with commercial vendors (IBM, Google, Rigetti,
- record of 433 programmable gubits with IBM.
- constant progress in noise reduction. particularly with the cat-oubits variation which could enable a record low ratio of physical/logical pubits.
- many existing enabling technologies: cryostats, cabling, amplifiers, logic, sensors.
- potentially scalable technology and deployable in 2D geometries.

- trapped ions qubits
- identical ions => no calibration required like with superconducting/electron spin aubits.
- excellent gubit gate fidelities and high ratio between coherence time and gate time => supports deep algorithms in number of gate cycles.
- entanglement possible between all gubits on 1D
- requires some cryogeny at 4K to 10K => simpler.
- easy to entangle ions with photons for long distance communications.

silicon spin qubits

- good scalability potential to reach millions of gubits, thanks to their size of 100x100 nm.
- works at around 100 mK 1K => larger cooling
- relatively good oubits fidelity reaching 99.6% of gubits.

neutral atoms qubits

· long qubit coherence time and fast gates.

operational systems with 100-300 atoms.

works in both simulation and gate-based

no need for specific integrated circuits.

uses standard apparatus.

low energy consumption.

identical atoms, that are controlled with the

same laser and micro-wave frequencies (but

- adapted to 2D architectures usable with
- surface codes or color codes QEC.
- can leverage existing semiconductor fabs. good quantum gates speed.

- scalability remains to be demonstrated.

qubits NV centers

- works at 4K, with simple cryogeny without dilution
- can also potentially work at ambiant temperature, with some limitations on entanglement.
- long coherence time > 1 ms.
- strong and stable diamond structure.
- can also help create quantum memory for other qubits types, like superconducting qubits.
- · possible to integrate it with optical quantum telecommunications.

- manufacturing.

Majorana fermions

 theorically very stable gubits with low level of required error correction.

long coherence time and gates speed

algorithms.

enabling processing complex and deep

 potential gubits scalability, built with technologies close to electron spin qubits.

field could be fruitful with no Maiorana

relatively slow computing

due to long quantum gate

times which may be

problematic for deep

photons aubits stable gubits with absence of

algorithms.

- gubits processing at ambiant temperature. emerging nano-photonic manufacturing
- easier to scale-out with inter-oubits
- telecommunications.
- MBOC/FBOC circumventing the fixed gates depth computing capacity.

- not yet scalable in number of operations due to probabilistic character of quantum gates and the efficiency of photon sources in most paradigms.

- losing atoms during computing.

- no Maiorana fermion gubit demonstrated vet.

qubit fidelities are average with most vendors.

good gubits stability.

key QPU challenges



qubits fidelities



errors mitigation and correction



(e) t type modularity involves microwave-to-optical transduction to link QPUs in different dilution refrigerators.

quantum interconnect



enabling technologies scalability



energy consumption



quantum memory



how to improve qubit fidelities? *



materials



manufacturing



reduce crosstalk



tune qubit parameters

Cross-Cross Resonance Gate

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High-fidelity three-qubit iToffoli gate for fixed-frequency superconducting qubits

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use different primary gates



improve control signals quality

some software challenges



data loading



tensor networks competition



actual speedups



benchmarking



actual computing time



coding abstraction level

simulate matter for...



quantum digital twins to create better batteries



battery simulation lithium-oxygen source: IBM



battery simulation

estimating the cost of electrolyte simulation on PsiQuantum's future QPU.

source: PsiQuantum, Mercedes-Benz



battery simulation

model lithium oxide to understand how batteries age over time *source: Hyundai, IonQ*

DAIMLER

battery simulation

lithium-sulfur battery design

source: IBM



battery simulation

simulating magnetism and spins

source: Samsung, Honeywell



TotalEnergies

battery materials design

simulating Mott insulator transitions in battery electrode materials and ceramic superconductors and discharge curve of Li_xCoO₂.

source: Total, Pasqal

simulate matter for...



FeMoCo role in nitrogen fixation



cyanobacteria

bacteria producing ammonia in soil and water or legume plants root nodules

heterocyst

cell within cyanobacteria that support the chemical pathways producing ammonia using dinitrogen

nitrogenase

protein complex producing ammonia in heterocyst cells

FeMoCo complex

part of the two nidDK proteins in some nitrogenases that is involved in ammonia production

quantum sensors

less invasive imaging (MRI, MEG) and better precision biological sensors (NV centers).

drugs discovery

- DNA sequence alignment.
- de novo DNA sequence.
- protein folding and interactions with ligands.
- force field and electronic structure computation.
- screening and generation of molecular entities as drug candidates.
- drug retargeting.

diagnostics

- medical images classification and reconstruction.
- disease assessement based on genomic samples.
- clinical data classification and analysis.
- disease risk prediction.
- clustering of similar individuals.

treatments

- persistence and healthrelated behavior prediction.
- treatment and intervention effectiveness forecasting.
- disease outbreak prediction and spread modeling.
- precision oncology.
- tailored radiotherapy.
- hospital capacities optimization.

simulating nature

• chemical simulations.

data processing

- images and structured data.
- quantum machine learning.

search and optimizations

• various datasets.

quantum sensing



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		cold atom clouds	atomic spin		Х	Х		Х				Х	Х		Х				
Rydberg atoms		Rydberg states		Х	Х										Х				
trapped ions		electronic state		х	х	Х			Х		х	Х							
		vibrational mode		х				х							Х				
	spin ensembles	NMR	nuclear spins		х										Х				
solid state		NV/SiC center ensembles	electron spins		х		Х			Х					Х	Х		х	
	single spins	P donor in Si	electron spins		х										Х				
		quantum dot	electron spins	х	х										Х	Х			
		single NV center	electron spins		х		Х			Х					Х	Х		х	
superconducting circuits charge qubits		supercurrent	х	х										Х					
		flux qubits	circulating current		х										Х				
		charge qubits	charge eigenstates		х											Х			
single electron transistor		charge eigenstates	х												Х				
optomechanics		phonons	х				Х	х						Х		Х			
interferometer		photons, atoms		х	х	Х				х			х						

quantum sensors in healthcare













magnétomètres ultrasensibles $210 \text{ fT}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

medical imaging biological analysis SQUID based ultra-low field MRI helium 4 nucleus spin MEG brain imaging

quantum communications and cryptography





Connectivity

Quantum Computing Paranoia Creates a New Industry

Even though quantum computers don't exist yet, security companies are preparing to protect against them.

by Tom Simonite January 30, 2017



ear sells in the computer security business. And in late 2015
 Massachusetts-based Security Innovation got an unexpected boost from one of the scariest organizations around—the
 National Security Agency.

For six years the company had been trying to create a new revenue stream by licensing an unusual encryption technology called NTRU, which it acquired from four Brown University mathematicians. It was invented as a solution to the powerful code-breaking power of computers that exploit quantum physics, but interest was slack because quantum computers didn't yet exist or look likely to exist anytime soon.

quantum telecommunications





quantum technologies

quantum random number generators







Vienna 2008 SECOQC, 5 nodes, 20/25 km





Geneva 1993, 1995, 2007, 2018 (400 km)

Italy-Slovenia-Croatia network

Italian Quantum Backbone (IQB) 1,850 km QKD link connects Turin, Milan, Bologna, ..., a 150 km fiber reaches Modane in France, and connects to Grenoble, Lyon and Paris, then Europe + Padua satellite/ground QKD experiment

Athens

2019
 OpenQKD project DataCom

QKD hardware settings





quantum technologies ecosystem

industry vendors country + creation year

trapped ion gubits

micro QC

trapped ion gubits

QLSI

silicon qubits

European Flagship Quantum Technologies

what makes EU* unique in quantum

- **1.** strong public research and academia
- 2. dynamic quantum industry ecosystem
- **3.** enabling technologies leadership
- 4. HPC and early pilot projects
- 5. responsible innovation

* adding UK and Switzerland when convenient

Breakdown of scientific publications by country of origin over the period 2010 - 2020

Quantum technologies: patent applications vs. scientific publications across the world by Sébastien Ragot and Michel Kurek, November 2021

first quantum computers in EU

the « true » global investments

Key findings:

The European Union and its member states are #1 worldwide public investors in quantum technologies.

EU lags the USA only in private investments, both due to the large IT investments (can't be fixed) and larger funding rounds for their large startups (could be fixed).

China is behind the USA and the EU for both private and public investments in quantum technologies.

Chart hypothesis:

- Classified military/intelligence expenses, in the USA and China: estimated at 30% of civil expenses.
- Most countries do not include legacy public investments in their numbers: unlike France.
- Investment duration: data normalized over 5 years period, particularly for the UK.
- Large IT vendors quantum investments are guestimates: IBM, Google, Microsoft, Intel, Alibaba, Baidu, etc.
- Undisclosed early stage investment in startups: is usually negligible.
- Unspent amounts not accounted for: like probably in India.

skills needs

vertical

finance, chemistry, energy, industry, transportation, etc.

sweet spot

classical computing

HPC, supercomputing, mathematics, tensor networks, differential equations, ...

quantum computing

many paradigms (gate-based, annealing, simulation, MBQC, ...), linear algebra, ...

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Long-term Scientific Frontiers

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Quantum Superpolynomial Speed

Field Theory & Type III

Quantum Tech for Scaling

Add Team workspace Collaborate on a Team plan

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in the scientific litterature, qubit gate fidelities are often presented like this: 99.914(3)% what is the meaning of the number between parentheses?

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In scientific literature, when qubit gate fidelities are presented as "99.914(3)%", the number in parentheses—(3) in this case—indicates the uncertainty or the error margin of the last digits in the reported measurement. This is a concise way to express the standard error or uncertainty associated with the measurement.

Here's a breakdown of what each part means:

- **99.914%** is the central or mean value of the fidelity. It suggests that the fidelity of the qubit gate, or how well it performs its intended operation, is 99.914%.
- (3) is the uncertainty in the last digit of the fidelity, scaled to the same decimal place. In this case, it indicates an uncertainty of 0.003%. This means the true fidelity is expected to be within the range of 99.911% to 99.917%.

This notation helps in understanding the precision of quantum gate operations and is crucial for developing reliable quantum computing systems.

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