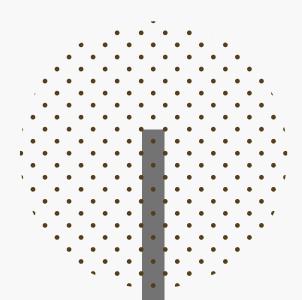
# INSTALLATION

QSILVER





#### Welcome to QSilver!

This workshop consists of a collection of Jupyter notebooks

We use Python 3 (3.6+) as our programming language and we will be working on libraries Qiskit and Cirq!

This is a beginners guide to install Qiskit and Cirq!

For a video walkthrough of the installation please check this <u>video</u>

Note: If you have already installed Qiskit or Cirq on your system, you may skip this guide and move on to the Start notebook

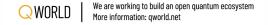
If you have Jupyter notebook/lab already installed, you may skip to the installation notebooks section for the installation part

#### Installing Anaconda®

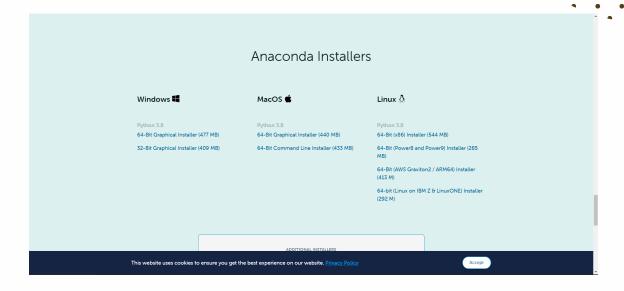


Installing Anaconda® will install the required Python compiler and libraries you need with one click! It will also make it easy to install Jupyter notebooks

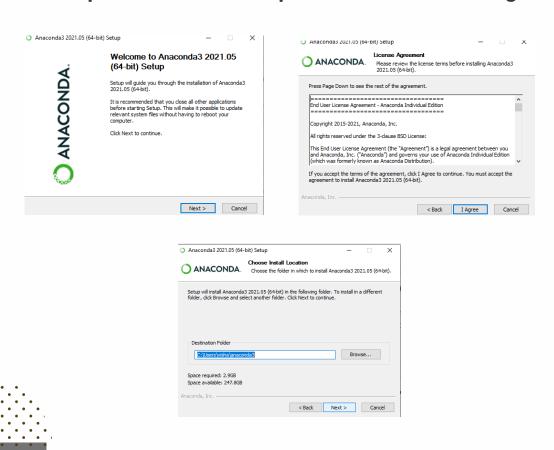
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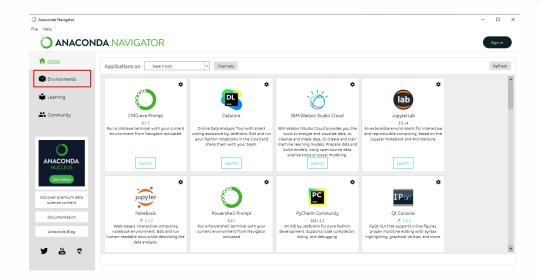
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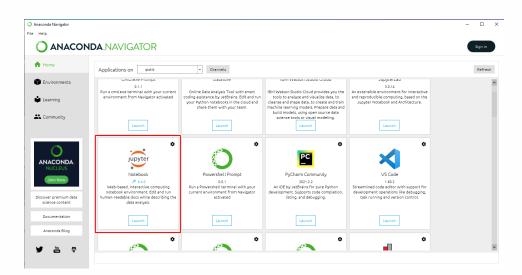
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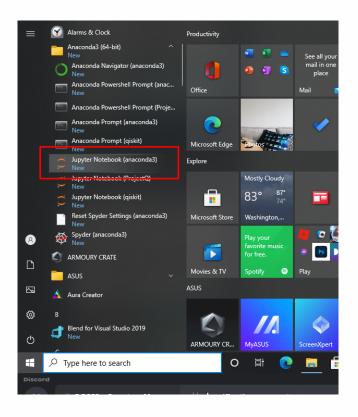
In the Annaconda navigator you can either directly install jupyter as shown below or you can create a separate new environment for this task



Proceed to install jupyter from the navigator dashboard

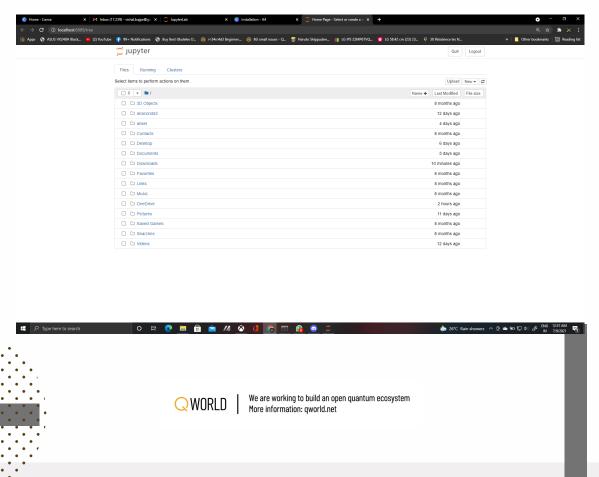


#### Setting up Jupyter notebooks



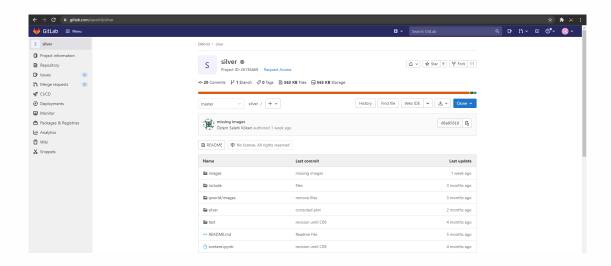
Run jupyter notebook from the start menu. A command prompt or powershell window should appear following an opening of a web browser page that looks like one below.

Note: Keep the command prompt window open while working



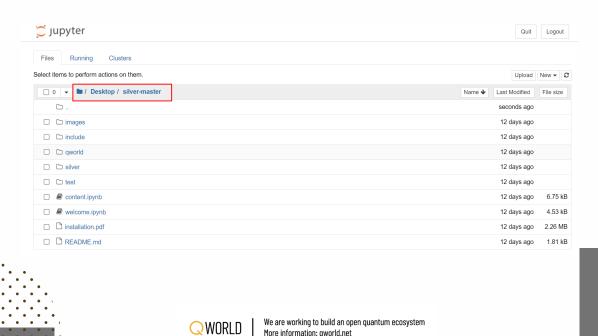
#### **Setting up QSilver files**

#### Download the QSilver files from this <u>link</u>



Extract the files to one of the accessible directories e.g. Desktop, Documents, Downloads etc.

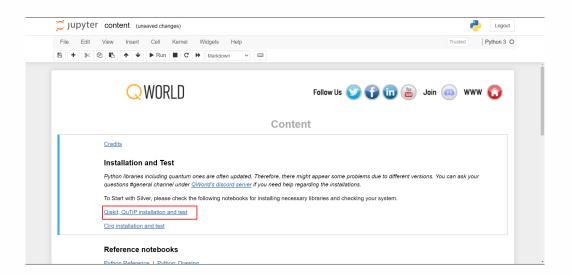
We have extracted our files in the Desktop here and we can access it from the dashboard as shown



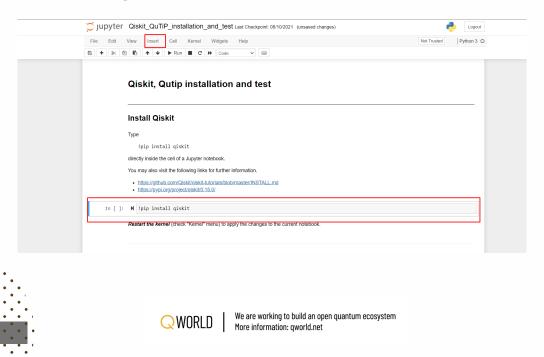
More information: qworld.net

#### **Installing Qiskit and Qutip**

1) Open the notebook "content.ipynb" from the dashboard and open "Qiskit, QuTiP installation and test"

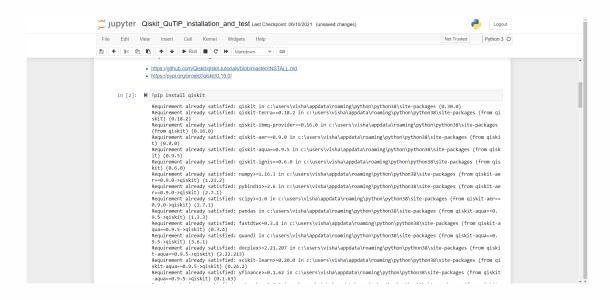


2) Create a new cell and type in "!pip install qiskit" to initiate the installation. To create a new cell, click on the Insert tab on top. To run the cell, click on the Run button on top left

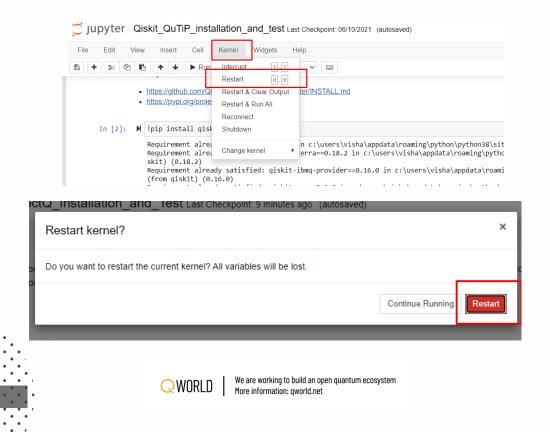


#### **Installing Qiskit and Qutip**

#### 3) Run this cell to initiate installation of Qiskit

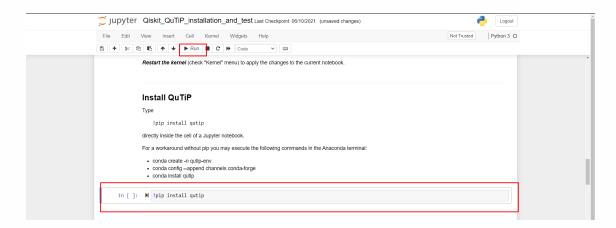


## 4) If there are no errors, Restart your kernel to finalize installation



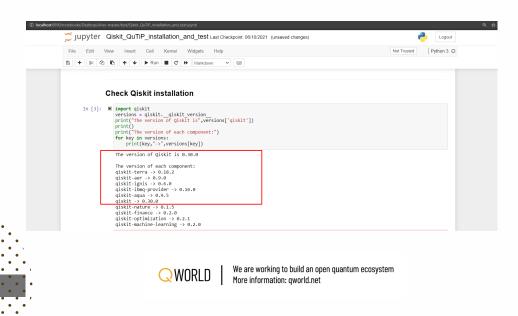
#### **Installing Qiskit and Qutip**

5) Let us now install Qutip. Proceed by creating a new cell and typing in "!pip install qutip" and run the cell. Restart the kernel as shown in Step 4 to finalize the installation



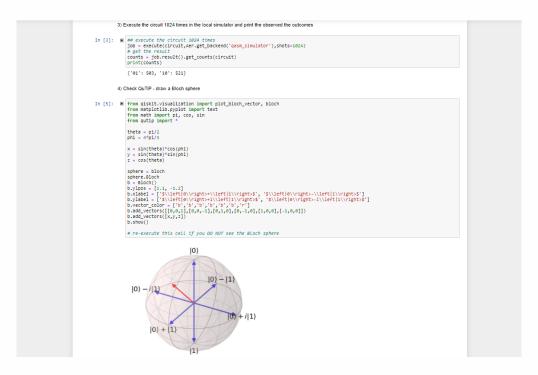
#### **Testing Qiskit and Qutip installation**

1) Run the cell below to check the Qiskit installation. You should get an output showing the components installed and their versions.



#### **Testing Qiskit and Qutip installation**

2) Run the cells preceding that. You should notice circuit outputs and the Bloch sphere diagram to indicate successful installation of Qiskit and Qutip!

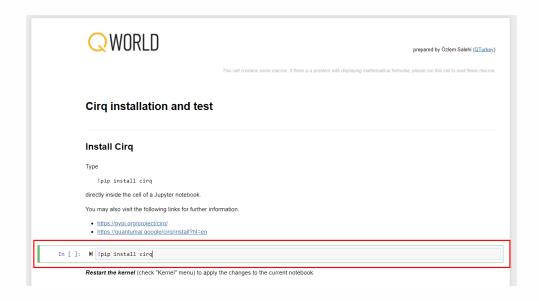


3) Let us now move on to Cirq installation! Exit this notebook and head back to content.py. Click on the "Cirq installation and test" to proceed

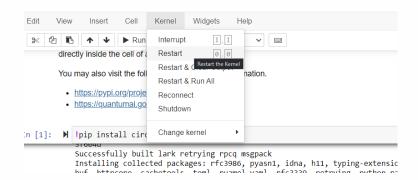


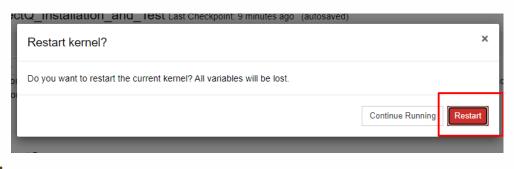
#### **Installing Cirq**

1) Let us setup and install cirq now. Proceed by creating a new cell and typing in "!pip install cirq"



2) Restart the kernel to finalize the installation





#### **Testing Cirq**

1) Run this cell to test out the cirq installation and print the map layout of Google's Foxtail chip

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Check Cirq installation

In [3]: M import cirq

print(cirq.google.Foxtail)

# should print:

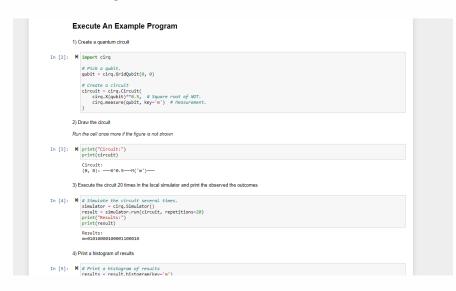
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2) Run the preceding cells to execute a sample circuit and test out cirq



If there are no errors, your installation is complete and successful! You can continue onto the further notebooks in the "content" section and start your Silver journey! :D

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