



Quantum Dynamics and Control with QuantumControl.jl

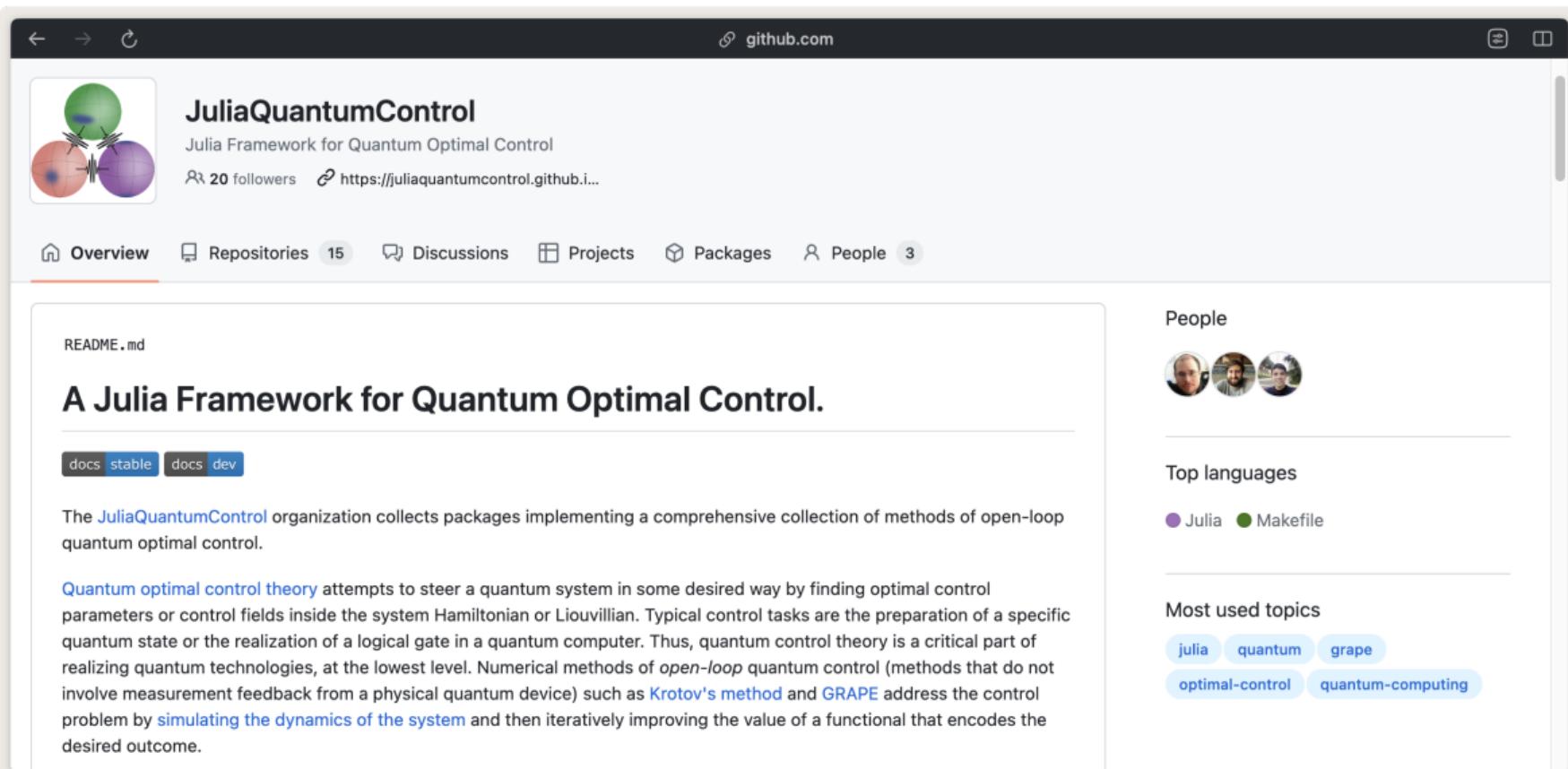
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Julia Framework for Quantum Optimal Control

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A Julia Framework for Quantum Optimal Control.

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The [JuliaQuantumControl](#) organization collects packages implementing a comprehensive collection of methods of open-loop quantum optimal control.

Quantum optimal control theory attempts to steer a quantum system in some desired way by finding optimal control parameters or control fields inside the system Hamiltonian or Liouvillian. Typical control tasks are the preparation of a specific quantum state or the realization of a logical gate in a quantum computer. Thus, quantum control theory is a critical part of realizing quantum technologies, at the lowest level. Numerical methods of *open-loop* quantum control (methods that do not involve measurement feedback from a physical quantum device) such as [Krotov's method](#) and [GRAPE](#) address the control problem by [simulating the dynamics of the system](#) and then iteratively improving the value of a functional that encodes the desired outcome.

People



Top languages

Julia Makefile

Most used topics

julia quantum grape
optimal-control quantum-computing

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Packages

Package	Version	CI Status	Coverage	Description
★ QuantumPropagators.jl	May 2023 v0.6.0	 CI passing	 codecov 90%	Simulate the time evolution of quantum systems (docs)
QuantumControlBase.jl	May 2023 v0.8.3	 CI passing	 codecov 89%	Shared methods and data structures (docs)
QuantumGradientGenerators.jl	May 2023 v0.1.2	 CI passing	 codecov 81%	Dynamic Gradients for Quantum Control (docs)
Krotov.jl	Mar 2023 v0.5.3	 CI passing	 codecov 90%	Krotov's method of optimal control (docs)
GRAPE.jl	Mar 2023 v0.5.4	 CI passing	 codecov 79%	Gradient Ascent Pulse Engineering method (docs)
TwoQubitWeylChamber.jl	Mar 2023 v0.1.1	 CI passing	 codecov 97%	Optimizing two-qubit gates in the Weyl chamber (docs)
QuantumControlTestUtils.jl	May 2023 v0.1.5	 CI passing		Tools for testing and benchmarking (docs)
★ QuantumControl.jl	May 2023 v0.8.0	 CI passing	 codecov 78%	Framework for Quantum Dynamics and Control (docs)

[Documentation](#)

What is Quantum Control?

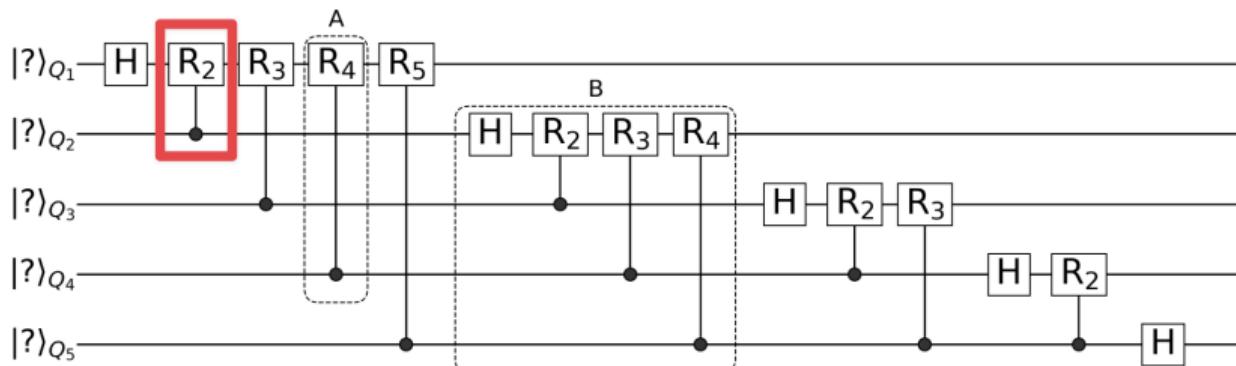
Steer a quantum system in some desired way

Quantum Gates

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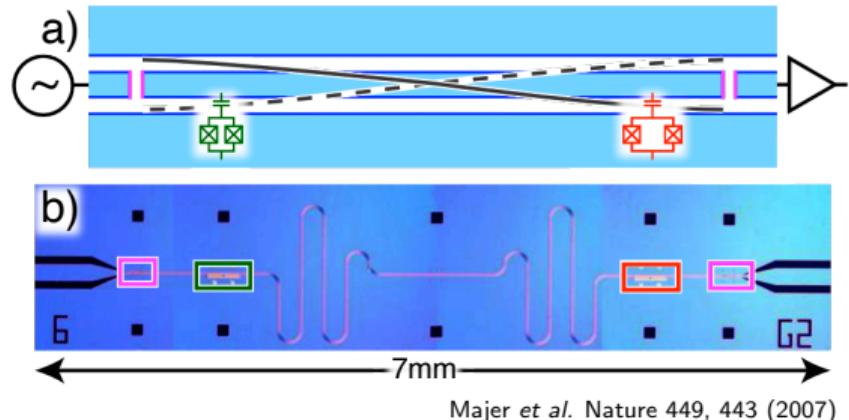
Quantum Fourier Transformation

The Quantum Fourier Transformation (QFT) circuit is to repeat two kinds of blocks repeatedly:



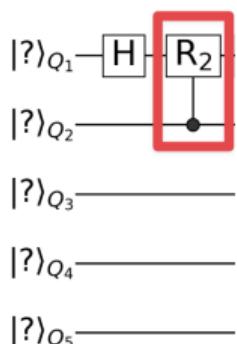
The basic building block control phase shift gate is defined as

Two-Transmon Gate



$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \epsilon(t)\hat{H}_1$$

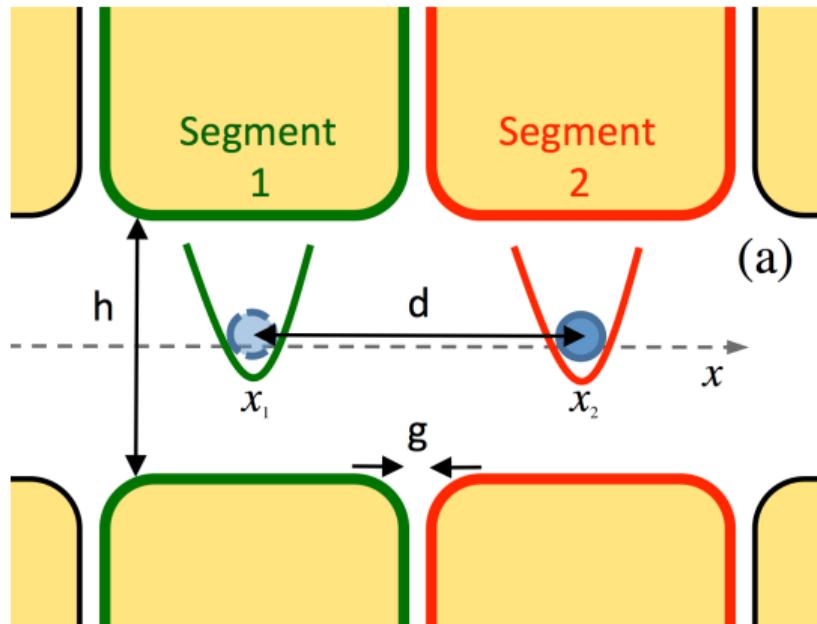
↑
microwave field in transmission line



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |00\rangle \rightarrow CR_2|00\rangle \\ |01\rangle \rightarrow CR_2|01\rangle \\ |10\rangle \rightarrow CR_2|10\rangle \\ |11\rangle \rightarrow CR_2|11\rangle \end{array} \right\}$$

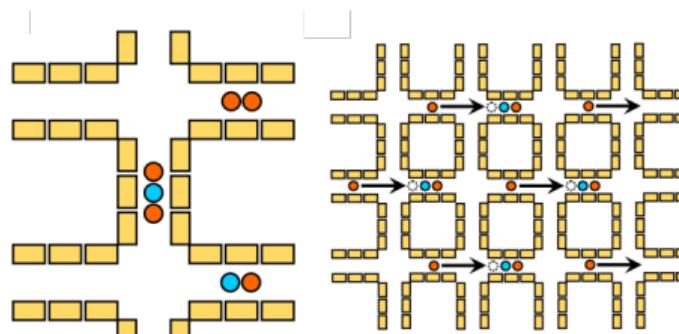
with the same $\epsilon(t)$;
acting on logical subspace

Controlling the transport of an ion



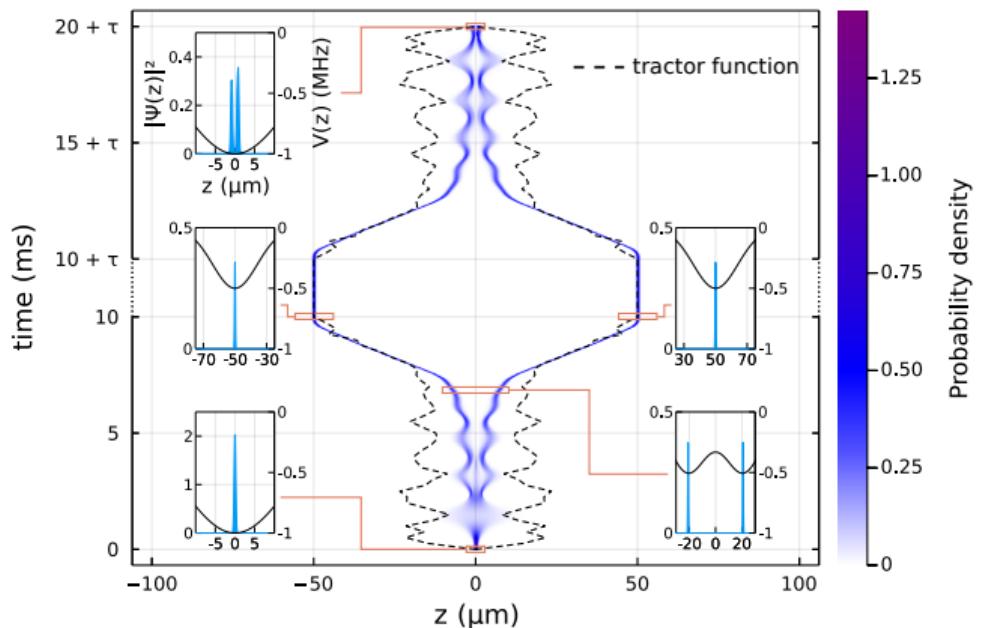
Fürst et al. New J. Phys. 16, 075007 (2014)

Find electrode voltages
to move trapped ions



Bruzewicz et al. npj Quantum Inf 5, 102 (2019)

Tractor atom interferometry

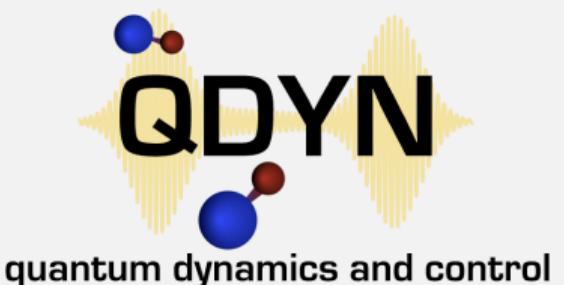


Find non-adiabatic tractor potential closing interferometric path

Raihel et al. Quantum Sci. Technol. 8, 014001 (2022)

Fortran: QDYN library

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About QDYN

QDYN is a Fortran 95 library and collection of utilities for the simulation of quantum dynamics and optimal control with a focus on both efficiency and precision. Its core features include

- A rich set of data structures for both closed and open quantum systems
- Routines for static system analysis (e.g. diagonalization, emission spectra)
- Propagators for the dynamic equations (Schrödinger equation, master equation) using



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🔗 Krotov Python Package

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Python implementation of Krotov's method for quantum optimal control.

This implementation follows the original implementation in the [QDYN Fortran library](#).

The `krotov` package is built on top of [QuTiP](#).

Development happens on [Github](#). You can read the full documentation [online](#) or [download a PDF version](#).

Goerz et al. SciPost Phys. 7, 80 (2019)

Languages



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Why Julia?

- Flexibility
- Performance
- Expressiveness

QuantumControl.jl examples

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Examples

Krotov-specific examples

- Optimization of a State-to-State Transfer in a Two-Level-System
- Optimization of a Dissipative Quantum Gate
- Pulse Parametrization
- Optimization for a perfect entangler

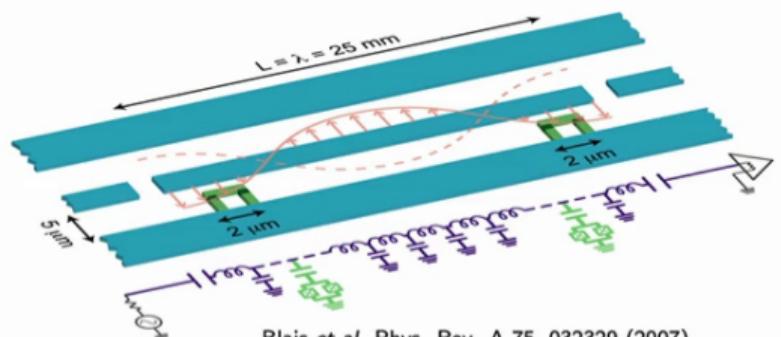
GRAPE-specific examples

- Optimization of a State-to-State Transfer in a Two-Level-System
- Optimization for a perfect entangler

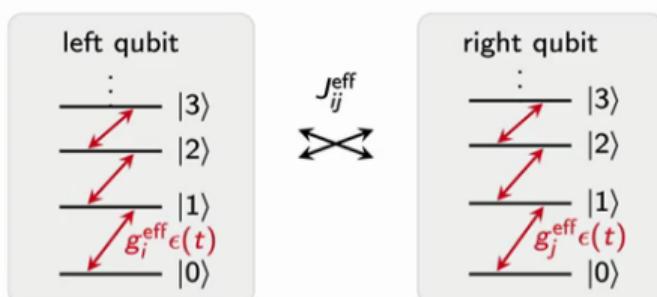
juliaquantumcontrol.github.io/GRAPE.jl/stable/examples/perfect_entanglers

Example: Optimization of Perfectly Entangling Quantum gate

Two Transmon qubits with a shared transmission line ¶



Blais et al. Phys. Rev. A 75, 032329 (2007)

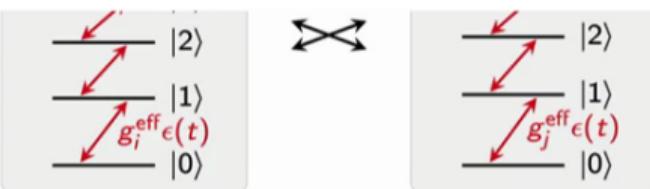
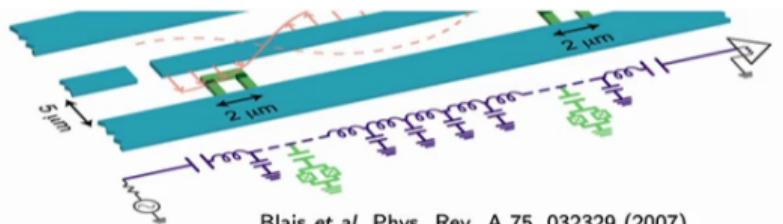


Goerz et al. EPJ Quantum Tech. 2, 21 (2015)

Goerz et al. npj Quantum Information 3, 37 (2017)

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```
[ ]: const GHz = 2π
const MHz = 0.001GHz
const ns = 1.0
const μs = 1000ns;
⊗ = kron;
const i = 1im;
```

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We truncated the Hamiltonian to N levels

```
[ ]: const N = 6; # levels per transmon
```

So the dimension of the total Hilbert space is $N^2 = 36$

The Hamiltonian and parameters are taken from Goerz et al., Phys. Rev. A 91, 062307 (2015); Table 1.

```

w1 - w2 = sparse(w1 * w2), w1-w2 = sparse(w1 * w2)

# rotating frame:  $\omega_1, \omega_2 \rightarrow$  detuning; driving field  $\Omega \in \mathbb{C}$ 
 $\tilde{\omega}_1 = \omega_1 - \omega_d$ ;  $\tilde{\omega}_2 = \omega_2 - \omega_d$ 

 $\hat{H}_0 = \text{sparse}(
    (\tilde{\omega}_1 - \alpha_1 / 2) * \hat{n}_1 +
    (\alpha_1 / 2) * \hat{n}_1^2 +
    (\tilde{\omega}_2 - \alpha_2 / 2) * \hat{n}_2 +
    (\alpha_2 / 2) * \hat{n}_2^2 +
    J * (\hat{b}_1^+ \hat{b}_2 + \hat{b}_1 \hat{b}_2^+)
)$ 
 $\hat{H}_{1\text{re}} = \text{sparse}((1 / 2) * (\hat{b}_1 + \hat{b}_1^+ + \lambda * \hat{b}_2 + \lambda * \hat{b}_2^+))$ 
 $\hat{H}_{1\text{im}} = \text{sparse}((i / 2) * (\hat{b}_1^+ - \hat{b}_1 + \lambda * \hat{b}_2^+ - \lambda * \hat{b}_2))$ 
return hamiltonian( $\hat{H}_0$ , ( $\hat{H}_{1\text{re}}$ ,  $\Omega_{\text{re}}$ ), ( $\hat{H}_{1\text{im}}$ ,  $\Omega_{\text{im}}$ ))
end;

```

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Initial driving field

```
[ ]: using QuantumControl.Amplitudes: ShapedAmplitude
using QuantumControl.Shapes: flattop

function guess_amplitudes(; T=400ns, E₀=35MHz, dt=0.1ns, t_rise=15ns)
    tlist = collect(range(0, T, step=dt))
    shape(t) = flattop(t, T=T, t_rise=t_rise)
    Qre = ShapedAmplitude(t -> E₀, tlist; shape)
    Qim = ShapedAmplitude(t -> 0.0, tlist; shape)
    return tlist, Qre, Qim

```

Dynamical Generator

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Glossary



Generator – Dynamical generator (Hamiltonian / Liouvillian) for the time evolution of a state, i.e., the right-hand-side of the equation of motion (up to a factor of i) such that $|\Psi(t + dt)\rangle = e^{-i\hat{H}dt}|\Psi(t)\rangle$ in the infinitesimal limit. We use the symbols G , \hat{H} , or L , depending on the context (general, Hamiltonian, Liouvillian). Examples for supported forms a Hamiltonian are the following, from the most general case to simplest and most common case of linear controls,

$$\hat{H} = \overbrace{\hat{H}_0}^{\text{drift term}} + \sum_l \overbrace{\hat{H}_l(\{\epsilon_l(t)\}, t)}^{\text{control term}} \quad (\text{G1})$$

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_l \underbrace{a_l(\{\epsilon_l(t)\}, t)}_{\text{control function}} \hat{H}_l \quad (\text{G2})$$

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_l \overbrace{\epsilon_l(t)}^{\text{control operator}} \underbrace{\hat{H}_l}_{\text{control operator}} \quad (\text{G3})$$

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```
return hamiltonian(̂H₀, (̂H₁re, Ωre), (̂H₁im, Ωim))
```

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_l \underbrace{a_l(\{\epsilon_l(t)\}, t)}_{\text{control function}} \hat{H}_l \quad (\text{G2})$$

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_l \overbrace{\epsilon_l(t)}^{\text{control amplitude}} \underbrace{\hat{H}_l}_{\text{control operator}} \quad (\text{G3})$$

Generator Interface

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```
@test check_generator(generator; state, tlist,
                      for mutable_state=true, for immutable_state=true,
                      for_expval=true, atol=1e-15)
```



verifies the given generator:

- `get_controls(generator)` must be defined and return a tuple
- all controls returned by `get_controls(generator)` must pass `check_control`
- `evaluate(generator, tlist, n)` must return a valid operator (`check_operator`), with forwarded keyword arguments (including `for_expval`)
- `evaluate!(op, generator, tlist, n)` must be defined
- `substitute(generator, replacements)` must be defined
- If `generator` is a `Generator` instance, all elements of `generator.amplitudes` must pass `check_amplitude`.

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QuantumControl.jl is not a modeling framework!



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Particle

```
xmin = -2.  
xmax = 4.  
N = 10  
b_position = PositionBasis(xmin, xmax, N)  
b_momentum = MomentumBasis(b_position)  
  
x0 = 1.2  
p0 = 0.4  
sigma = 0.2  
psi = gaussianstate(b_position, x0, p0, sigma)  
  
x = position(b_position)  
p = momentum(b_position)
```

For particles QuantumOptics.jl provides two different choices - either the calculations can be done in real space or they can be done in momentum space by using [PositionBasis](#) or [MomentumBasis](#) respectively. The definition of these two bases types is:

Initial driving field

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using QuantumControl.Shapes: flattop

function guess_amplitudes(; T=400ns, E₀=35MHz, dt=0.1ns, t_rise=15ns)
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    Qre = ShapedAmplitude(t -> E₀, tlist; shape)
    Qim = ShapedAmplitude(t -> 0.0, tlist; shape)
    return tlist, Qre, Qim
end

tlist, Qre_guess, Qim_guess = guess_amplitudes();
```

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```
[ ]: include("includes/plot_complex_pulse.jl")
[ ]: plot_complex_pulse(tlist, Array(Qre_guess))
[ ]: H = transmon_hamiltonian(Qre=Qre_guess, Qim=Qim_guess);
```

Logical basis

```
[ ]: function ket(i::Int64; N=N)
    Ψ = zeros(ComplexF64, N)
    Ψ[i+1] = 1
    return Ψ
end
```

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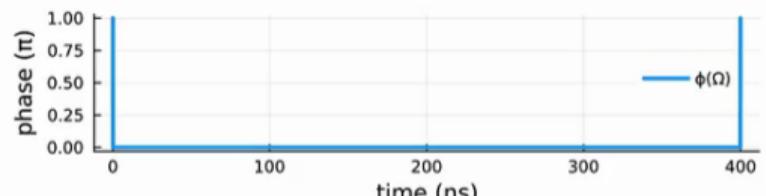
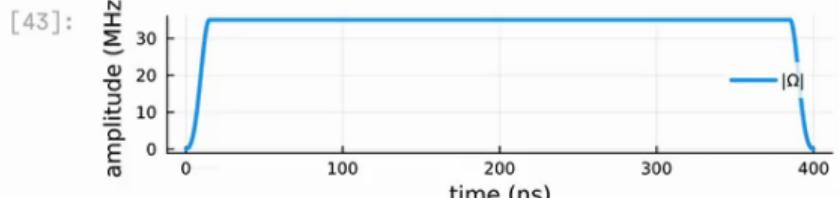
```
[42]: include("includes/plot_complex_pulse.jl")
```

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```
[42]: plot_complex_pulse (generic function with 1 method)
```

```
[43]: plot_complex_pulse(tlist, Array(Qre_guess))
```

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```
[44]: H = transmon_hamiltonian(Qre=Qre_guess, Qim=Qim_guess);
```

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Logical basis



```
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```

Logical basis

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    Ψ = zeros(ComplexF64, N)
    Ψ[i+1] = 1
    return Ψ
end

function ket(indices::Int64...; N=N)
    Ψ = ket(indices[1]; N=N)
    for i in indices[2:end]
        Ψ = Ψ ⊗ ket(i; N=N)
    end
    return Ψ
end

function ket(label::AbstractString; N=N)
    indices = [parse(Int64, digit) for digit in label]
    return ket(indices...; N=N)
end;
```

```
[ ]: basis = [ket("00"), ket("01"), ket("10"), ket("11")];
```

```
[ ]: ket("01")
```

Dynamics of the guess field

```
[ ]: using QuantumControl: propagate
```

```
[47]: ket("01")
```

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```
[47]: 36-element Vector{ComplexF64}:
```

```
0.0 + 0.0im
1.0 + 0.0im
0.0 + 0.0im
```

```

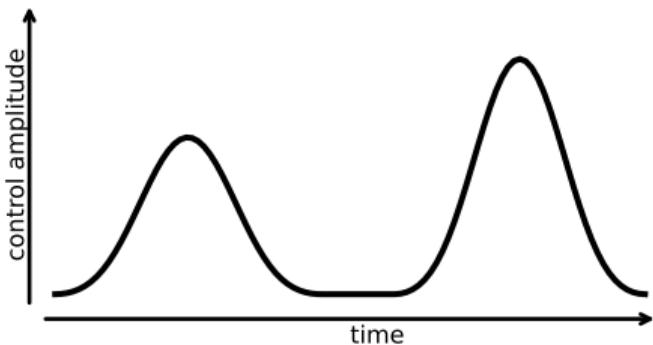
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Dynamics of the guess field

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[ ]: using QuantumControl: propagate
[ ]: ...
[ ]: logical_overlap = [(\psi -> \psi * \phi) for \phi \in basis];
[ ]: dyn00 = propagate(ket("00"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
[ ]: dyn01 = propagate(ket("01"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
[ ]: dyn10 = propagate(ket("10"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
[ ]: dyn11 = propagate(ket("11"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
[ ]: U_of_t = [[dyn00[:,n] dyn01[:,n] dyn10[:,n] dyn11[:,n]] for n = 1:length(tlist)];
[ ]: using TwoQubitWeylChamber: gate_concurrence, unitarity
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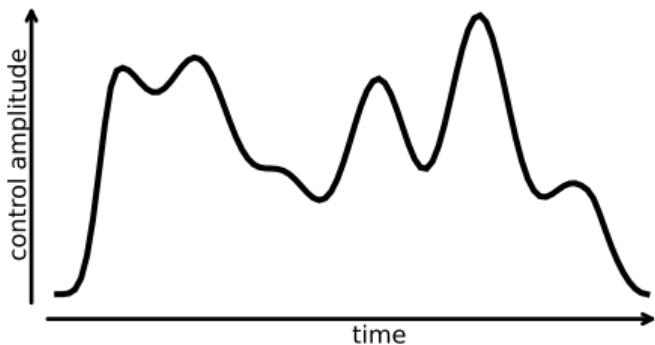
QuantumPropagators.jl



$$i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} |\Psi(t)\rangle = \hat{H}(\{\epsilon_l(t)\}) |\Psi(t)\rangle$$

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \hat{\rho}(t) = \mathcal{L}(\{\epsilon_l(t)\}) [\hat{\rho}(t)]$$

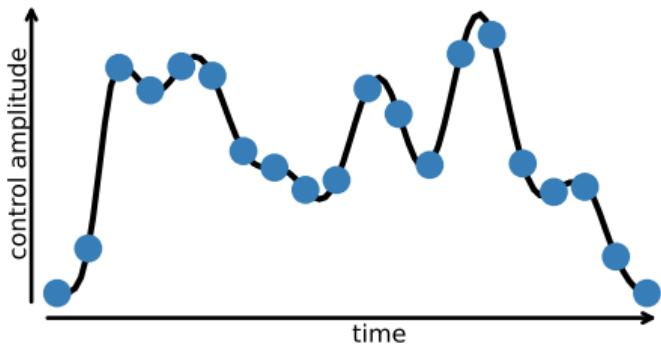
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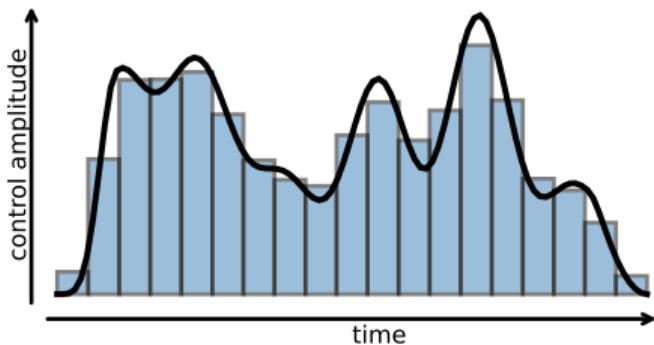
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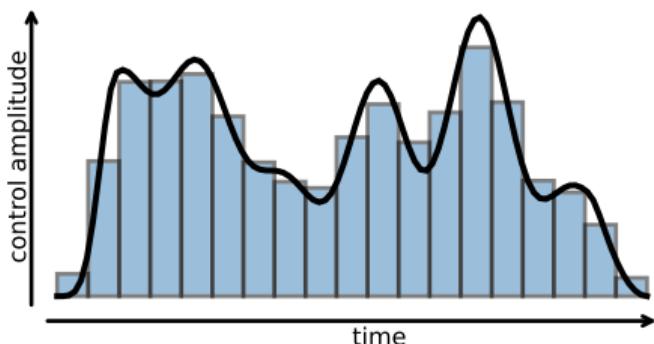
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PWC propagator: $\hat{U}_n = \exp[-\frac{i}{\hbar} \hat{H}_n dt]$ for n 'th time slice

⇒ evaluate $\hat{U}_n |\Psi\rangle$ (or $\mathcal{U}_n[\hat{\rho}]$) as a polynomial expansion

- Hermitian Hamiltonian → Chebychev polynomials
- Non-Hermitian Hamiltonian or Liouvillian → Newton polynomials

Propagator Interface

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Overview



The Propagator interface

As a lower-level interface than `propagate`, the `QuantumPropagators` package defines an interface for "propagator" objects. These are initialized via `init_prop` as, e.g.,

```
using QuantumPropagators: init_prop

propagator = init_prop(Ψ₀, H, tlist)
```

The `propagator` is a propagation-method-dependent object with the interface described by `AbstractPropagator`.

The `prop_step!` function can then be used to advance the `propagator`:

```
using QuantumPropagators: prop_step!

Ψ = prop_step!(propagator) # single step
```

```
0.0 + 0.0im
```

Dynamics of the guess field

```
[48]: using QuantumControl: propagate
```

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```
[ ]: logical_overlap = [(\Psi -> \Psi * \phi) for \phi \in basis];
```

```
[ ]: dyn00 = propagate(ket("00"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
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```

Dynamics of the guess field

[48]: `using QuantumControl: propagate`

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[49]: `logical_overlap = [(\psi -> \psi * \phi) for \phi \in basis];`

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[50]: `dyn00 = propagate(ket("00"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)`
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`dyn11 = propagate(ket("11"), H, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)`

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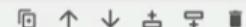
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0.0+0.0im	5.01846e-21-1.52469e-19im		-0.00751948+0.0103133im
0.0+0.0im	-6.35138e-21-1.56991e-19im		-0.00120914-0.00378444im
1.0+0.0im	0.999992-0.00125631im		0.549798-0.644815im

[51]: `U_of_t = [[dyn00[:,n] dyn01[:,n] dyn10[:,n] dyn11[:,n]] for n = 1:length(tlist)];`

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[]: `using TwoQubitWeylChamber: gate_concurrence, unitarity`



[]: `CNOT = [`

```
1.0+0.0im      0.999992-0.00125631im      0.549798-0.644815im
```

```
[51]: U_of_t = [[dyn00[:,n] dyn01[:,n] dyn10[:,n] dyn11[:,n]] for n = 1:length(tlist)];
```

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```
[52]: using TwoQubitWeylChamber: gate_concurrence, unitarity
```

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```
[53]: CNOT = [
    1 0 0 0
    0 1 0 0
    0 0 0 1
    0 0 1 1
];
```

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```
[54]: gate_concurrence(CNOT)
```

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```
[54]: 1.0
```

```
[ ]: plot(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="gate concurrence", label="", ylim=(0, 1))
```

```
[ ]: gate_concurrence(U_of_t[end])
```

```
[ ]: plot(tlist, 1 .- unitarity.(U_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="loss from subspace", label="")
```

```
[ ]: 1 - unitarity(U_of_t[end])
```

Maximization of Gate Concurrence

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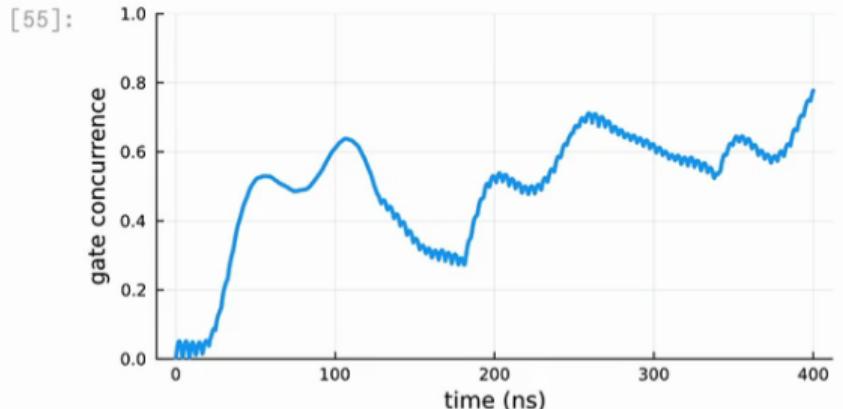
[54]: gate_concurrence(CNOT)

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[54]: 1.0

[55]: plot(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="gate concurrence", label="", ylim=(0, 1))

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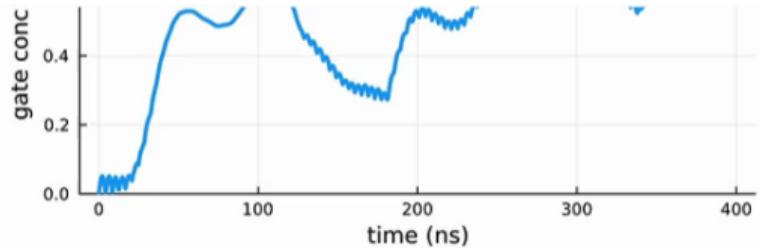
[56]: gate_concurrence(U_of_t[end])

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[56]: 0.7773116198529164

[]: plot(tlist, 1 .- unitarity.(U_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="loss from subspace", label="")

[]: 1 - unitarity(U_of_t)[end]



```
[56]: gate_concurrence(U_of_t[end])
```

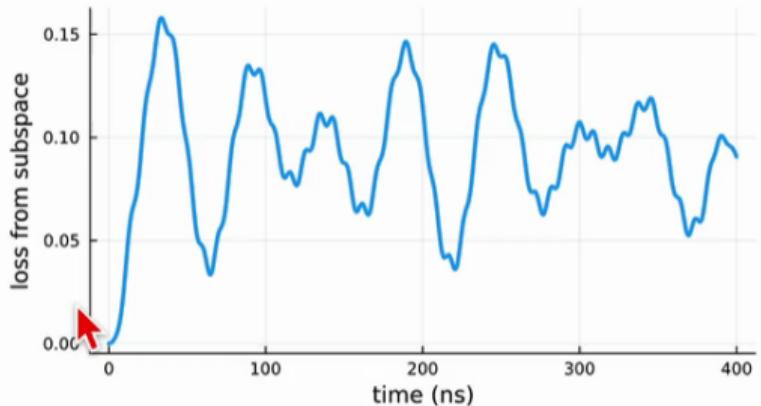
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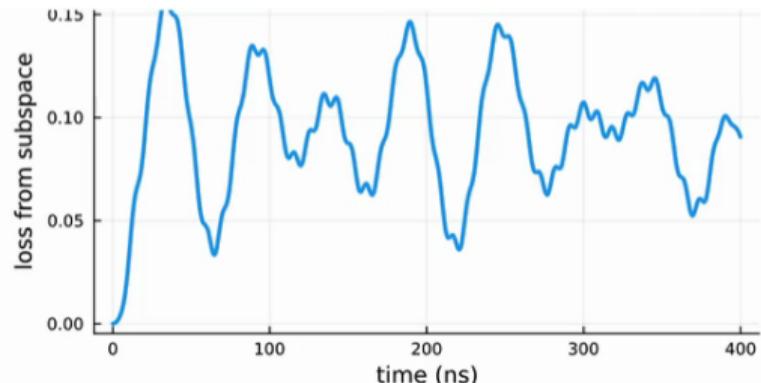
```
[56]: 0.7773116198529164
```

```
[57]: plot(tlist, 1 .- unitarity.(U_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="loss from subspace", label="")
```

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```
[57]:
```





```
[58]: 1 - unitarity(U_of_t[end])
```

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```
[58]: 0.09071664593816564
```

Maximization of Gate Concurrence

```
[59]: using QuantumControl: Objective
```

```
objectives = [Objective(; initial_state=ψ, generator=H) for ψ ∈ basis];
```

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```
[ ]: J_T_C = U -> 0.5 * (1 - gate_concurrence(U)) + 0.5 * (1 - unitarity(U));
```



```
[ ]: J_T_C(U_of_t[end])
```

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[58]: 0.09071664593816564

Maximization of Gate Concurrence

[59]:

```
using QuantumControl: Objective
```

```
objectives = [Objective(; initial_state=ψ, generator=H) for ψ ∈ basis];
```

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[60]:

```
J_T_C = U -> 0.5 * (1 - gate_concurrence(U)) + 0.5 * (1 - unitarity(U));
```

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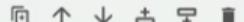
[61]: ~~J_T_C(U_of_t[end])~~

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[61]: 0.1567025130426246

[]:

```
using QuantumControl.Functionals: gate_functional
```



```
J_T = gate_functional(J_T_C);
```

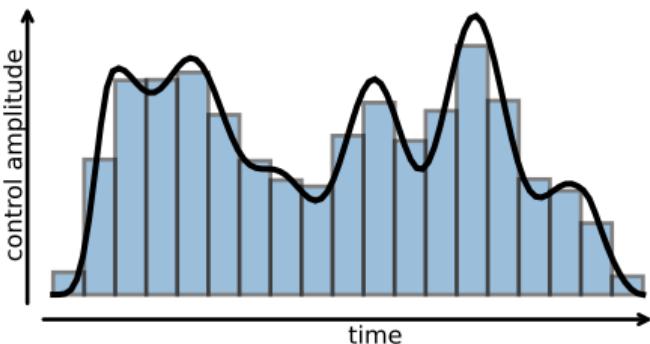
J_T is now a function of the propagated states $|\Psi_{00}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{01}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{10}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{11}(T)\rangle$.

[]:

```
using QuantumControl.Functionals: make_gate_chi
```

```
chi = make_gate_chi(J_T_C, objectives)
```

Gradient-based optimal control



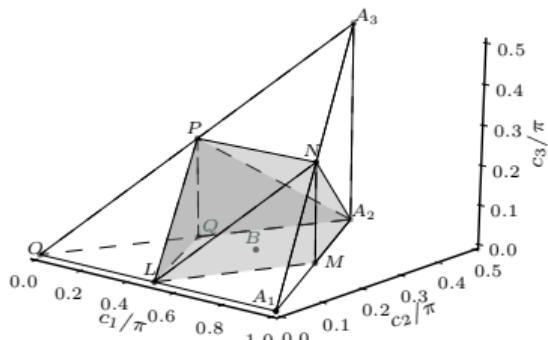
- Control parameters: discretized pulse values ϵ_{nl}
- Gradient $\nabla J_T = \frac{\partial J_T}{\partial \epsilon_{nl}}$
- Tune controls in the direction of the gradient

gate concurrence of two-qubit gate \hat{U}

- 1 $c_1, c_2, c_3 \propto \text{eigvals}(\hat{U}\tilde{U})$; $\tilde{U} = (\hat{\sigma}_y \otimes \hat{\sigma}_y) \hat{U} (\hat{\sigma}_y \otimes \hat{\sigma}_y)$
- 2 $C(\hat{U}) = \max |\sin(c_{1,2,3} \pm c_{3,1,2})|$

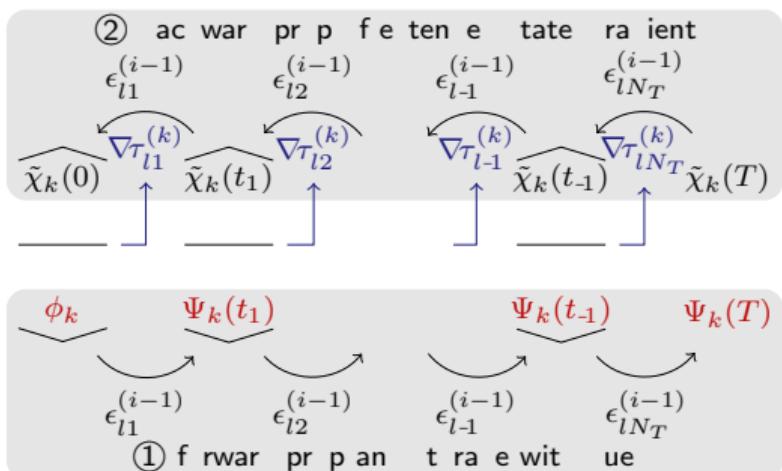
Childs et al. Phys. Rev. A 68, 052311 (2003)

Not analytic!



Semi-automatic differentiation

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla J_T &= \frac{\partial J_T(\{\Psi_k(T)\})}{\partial \epsilon_{nl}} \\ &= 2\text{Re} \left[\sum_k \underbrace{\frac{\partial J_T}{\partial |\Psi_k(T)\rangle}}_{\equiv \langle \chi_k |} \frac{\partial |\Psi_k(T)\rangle}{\partial \epsilon_{nl}} \right] \\ &= 2\text{Re} \left[\sum_k \frac{\partial}{\partial \epsilon_{nl}} \langle \chi_k(T) | \Psi_k(T) \rangle \right]\end{aligned}$$



Goerz et al. Quantum 6, 871 (2022)



Yao Community Seminar:
<https://youtu.be/MQCILD2P89c>

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[58]: 0.09071664593816564

Maximization of Gate Concurrence

[59]:

```
using QuantumControl: Objective
```

```
objectives = [Objective(; initial_state=Ψ, generator=H) for Ψ ∈ basis];
```

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[60]:

```
J_T_C = U -> 0.5 * (1 - gate_concurrence(U)) + 0.5 * (1 - unitarity(U));
```

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[61]:

```
J_T_C(U_of_t[end])
```

Last executed at 2023-07-24 20:23:36 in 8ms

[61]: 0.1567025130426246

[62]:

```
using QuantumControl.Functionals: gate_functional
```

```
J_T = gate_functional(J_T_C);
```

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J_T is now a function of the propagated states $|\Psi_{00}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{01}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{10}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{11}(T)\rangle$.

...

[]:

```
using QuantumControl.Functionals: make_gate_chi
```



```
chi = make_gate_chi(J_T_C, objectives)
```

Last executed at 2023-07-24 20:24:02 in 4ms

J_T is now a function of the propagated states $|\Psi_{00}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{01}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{10}(T)\rangle, |\Psi_{11}(T)\rangle$.

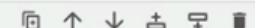
...

```
[63]: using QuantumControl.Functionals: make_gate_chi  
  
chi = make_gate_chi(J_T_C, objectives)
```

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```
[63]: (::QuantumControl.Functionals.var"#zygote_gate_chi!#35"{QuantumControl.Functionals.var"#zygote_gate_chi!#29#36"{Bool, Base.Pairs{Symbol, Union{}, Tuple{}, NamedTuple{(), Tuple{}}}, var"#52#53", Vector{Vector{ComplexF64}}, Int64}})  
(generic function with 1 method)
```

```
[ ]: using QuantumControl: ControlProblem  
  
problem = ControlProblem(;  
    objectives, tlist, J_T, chi,  
    check_convergence=res -> begin  
        (  
            (res.J_T <= 1e-3) &&  
            (res.converged = true) &&  
            (res.message = "Found a perfect entangler")  
        )  
    end,  
    use_threads=true,  
);
```



```
[ ]: using QuantumControl: optimize  
  
res = optimize(problem; method=:GRAPE)
```

t, base,rati~~s~~ly~~g~~mm~~o~~, un~~to~~ll~~s~~, t~~u~~p~~le~~ls, m~~an~~neu~~tu~~re~~l~~, t~~u~~p~~le~~ss~~ss~~, var nu~~z~~uu , v~~e~~c~~t~~o~~l~~z v~~e~~c~~t~~o~~l~~z l~~u~~m~~pl~~ea~~r~~ u~~u~~ss, t~~u~~lu~~u~~ss)
 (generic function with 1 method)

```
[64]: using QuantumControl: ControlProblem

problem = ControlProblem();
objectives, tlist, J_T, chi,
check_convergence=res -> begin
(
    (res.J_T <= 1e-3) &&
    (res.converged = true) &&
    (res.message = "Found a perfect entangler")
)
end,
use_threads=true,
);
```

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```
[*]: using QuantumControl: optimize

res = optimize(problem; method=:GRAPE)
```

N/A (28.57s)

iter.	J_T	∇J_T	ΔJ_T	FG(F)	secs
0	1.57e-01	1.42e-01	n/a	1(0)	1.4
1	1.46e-01	3.18e-01	-1.05e-02	1(0)	0.3
2	1.30e-01	2.86e-01	-1.61e-02	1(0)	0.3
3	8.10e-02	2.10e-01	-4.91e-02	2(0)	0.5
4	7.66e-02	3.79e-01	-4.41e-03	1(0)	0.2
5	4.89e-02	1.87e-01	-2.77e-02	1(0)	0.2
6	2.64e-02	2.11e-01	-2.25e-02	1(0)	0.2
7	7.54e-03	1.09e-01	-1.89e-02	1(0)	0.3
8	5.86e-03	1.98e-01	-1.68e-03	1(0)	0.3

Execution started at 2023-07-24 20:25:47

```
[65]: using QuantumControl: optimize
```

```
res = optimize(problem; method=:GRAPE)
```

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iter.	J_T	∇J_T	ΔJ_T	FG(F)	secs
0	1.57e-01	1.42e-01	n/a	1(0)	1.4
1	1.46e-01	3.18e-01	-1.05e-02	1(0)	0.3
2	1.30e-01	2.86e-01	-1.61e-02	1(0)	0.3
3	8.10e-02	2.10e-01	-4.91e-02	2(0)	0.5
4	7.66e-02	3.79e-01	-4.41e-03	1(0)	0.2
5	4.89e-02	1.87e-01	-2.77e-02	1(0)	0.2
6	2.64e-02	2.11e-01	-2.25e-02	1(0)	0.2
7	7.54e-03	1.09e-01	-1.89e-02	1(0)	0.3
8	5.86e-03	1.98e-01	-1.68e-03	1(0)	0.3
9	3.00e-03	4.01e-02	-2.87e-03	1(0)	0.3
10	2.71e-03	2.72e-02	-2.88e-04	1(0)	0.3
11	2.21e-03	2.82e-02	-5.01e-04	1(0)	0.3
12	1.42e-03	2.46e-02	-7.84e-04	1(0)	0.3
13	3.24e-04	2.83e-02	-1.10e-03	1(0)	0.3

```
[65]: GRAPE Optimization Result
```

-
- Started at 2023-07-24T20:25:47.270
- Number of objectives: 4
- Number of iterations: 13
- Number of pure func evals: 0
- Number of func/grad evals: 15
- Value of functional: 3.24322e-04
- Reason for termination: Found a perfect entangler
- Ended at 2023-07-24T20:25:52.287 (5 seconds, 17 milliseconds)

```
cont = res.optimized_controls[1] + i * res.optimized_controls[2]
```

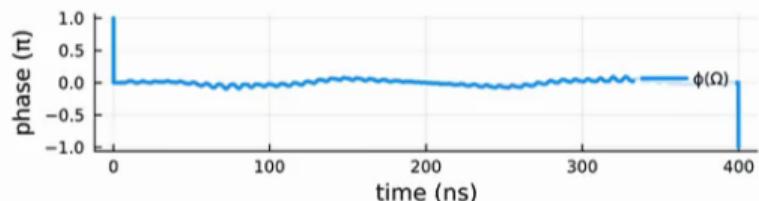
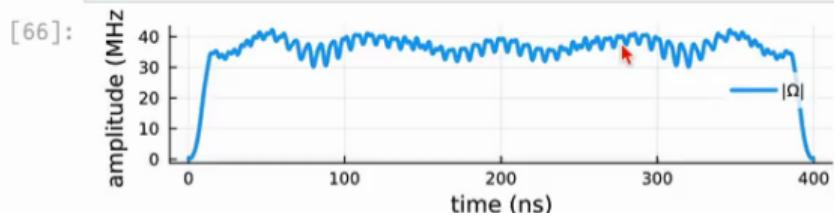


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```
[66]: ε_opt = res.optimized_controls[1] + i * res.optimized_controls[2]
Ω_opt = ε_opt .* discretize(Qre_guess.shape, tlist)

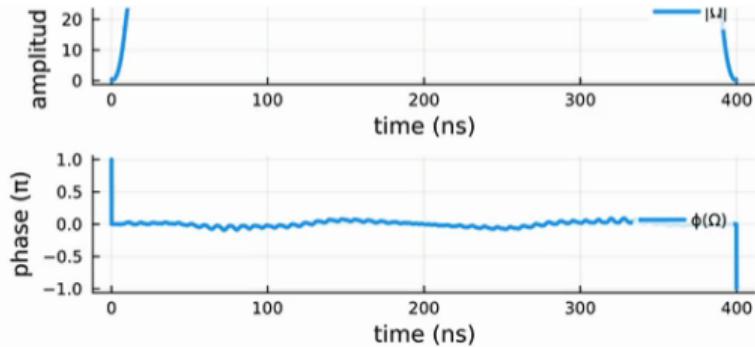
plot_complex_pulse(tlist, Ω_opt)
```

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Dynamics of the optimized field





▼ Dynamics of the optimized field ¶

```
[67]: using QuantumControl.Controls: get_controls
ε_re_guess, ε_im_guess = get_controls(H);
```

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```
[ ]: using QuantumControl.Controls: substitute

H_opt = substitute(
    H,
    IdDict(
        ε_re_guess => res.optimized_controls[1],
        ε_im_guess => res.optimized_controls[2]
    )
);
```



```
[67]: using QuantumControl.Controls: get_controls
      ε_re_guess, ε_im_guess = get_controls(H);
```

Last executed at 2023-07-24 20:26:19 in 3ms

```
[68]: using QuantumControl.Controls: substitute
      H_opt = substitute(
          H,
          IdDict(
              ε_re_guess => res.optimized_controls[1],
              ε_im_guess => res.optimized_controls[2]
          )
      );
```

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```
[69]: dyn00_opt = propagate(ket("00"), H_opt, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
      dyn01_opt = propagate(ket("01"), H_opt, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
      dyn10_opt = propagate(ket("10"), H_opt, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
      dyn11_opt = propagate(ket("11"), H_opt, tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
      U_opt_of_t = [[dyn00_opt[:,n] dyn01_opt[:,n] dyn10_opt[:,n] dyn11_opt[:,n]] for n = 1:length(tlist)];
```

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```
[ ]: plot(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_opt_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="gate concurrence", label="")
      plot!(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_of_t), label="guess")
```

```
[ ]: gate_concurrence(U_opt_of_t[end])
```

```
[ ]: plot(tlist, 1 .- unitarity.(U_opt_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="loss from subspace", label="")
      plot!(tlist, 1 .- unitarity.(U_of_t), label="guess")
```

```
    )
);
```

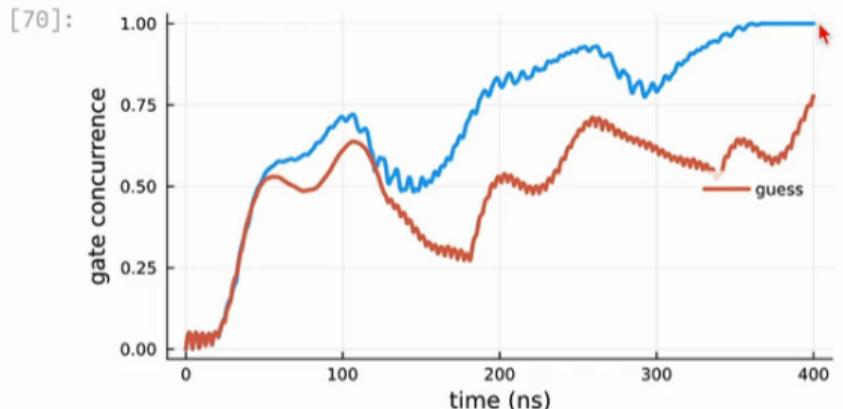
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```
[69]: dyn00_opt = propagate(ket("00"), H_opt , tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
dyn01_opt = propagate(ket("01"), H_opt , tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
dyn10_opt = propagate(ket("10"), H_opt , tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
dyn11_opt = propagate(ket("11"), H_opt , tlist; observables=logical_overlap, storage=true)
U_opt_of_t = [[dyn00_opt[:,n] dyn01_opt[:,n] dyn10_opt[:,n] dyn11_opt[:,n]] for n = 1:length(tlist)];
```

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```
[70]: plot(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_opt_of_t), xlabel="time (ns)", ylabel="gate concurrence", label="")
plot!(tlist, gate_concurrence.(U_of_t), label="guess")
```

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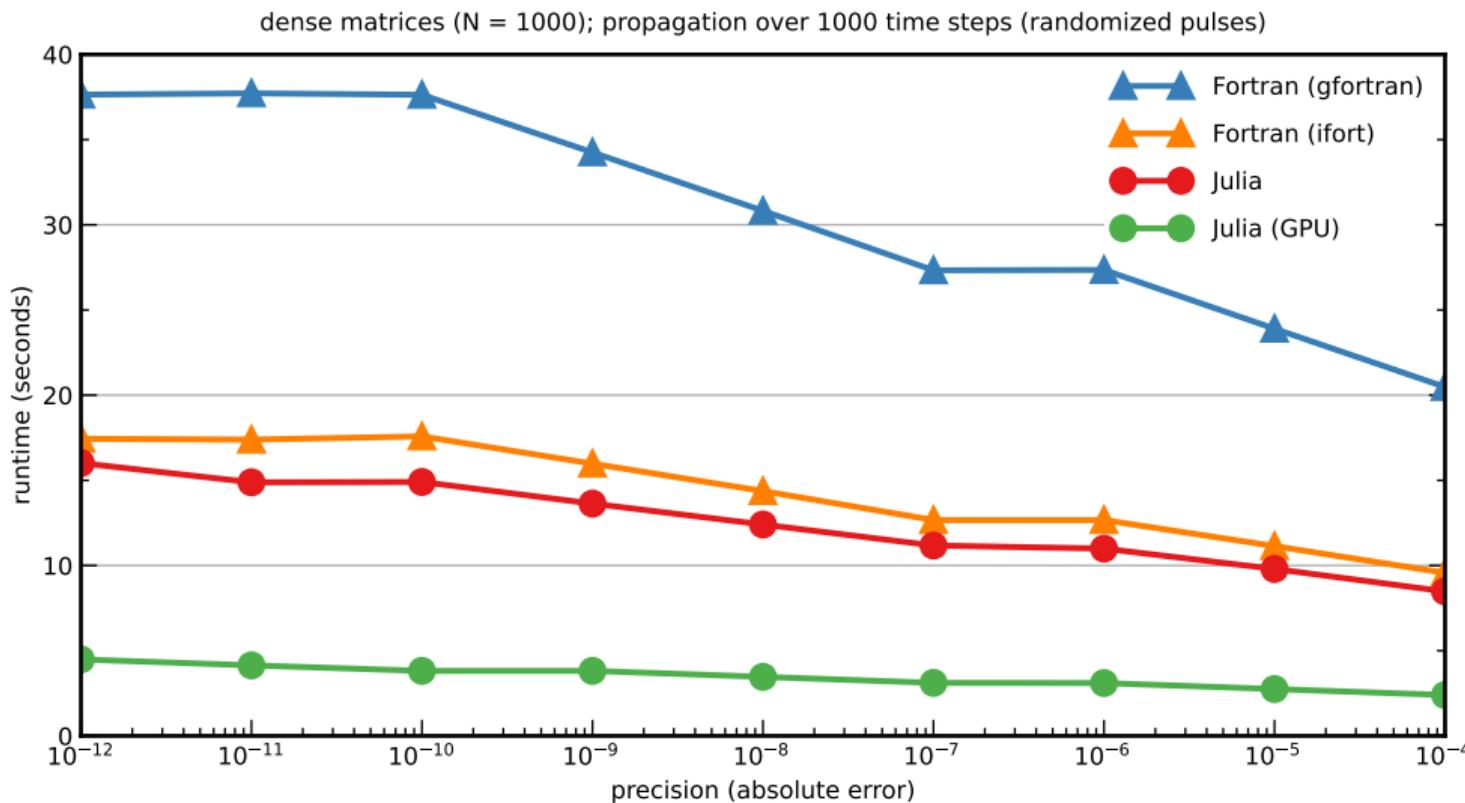


[]: gate_concurrence(U_opt_of_t[end])

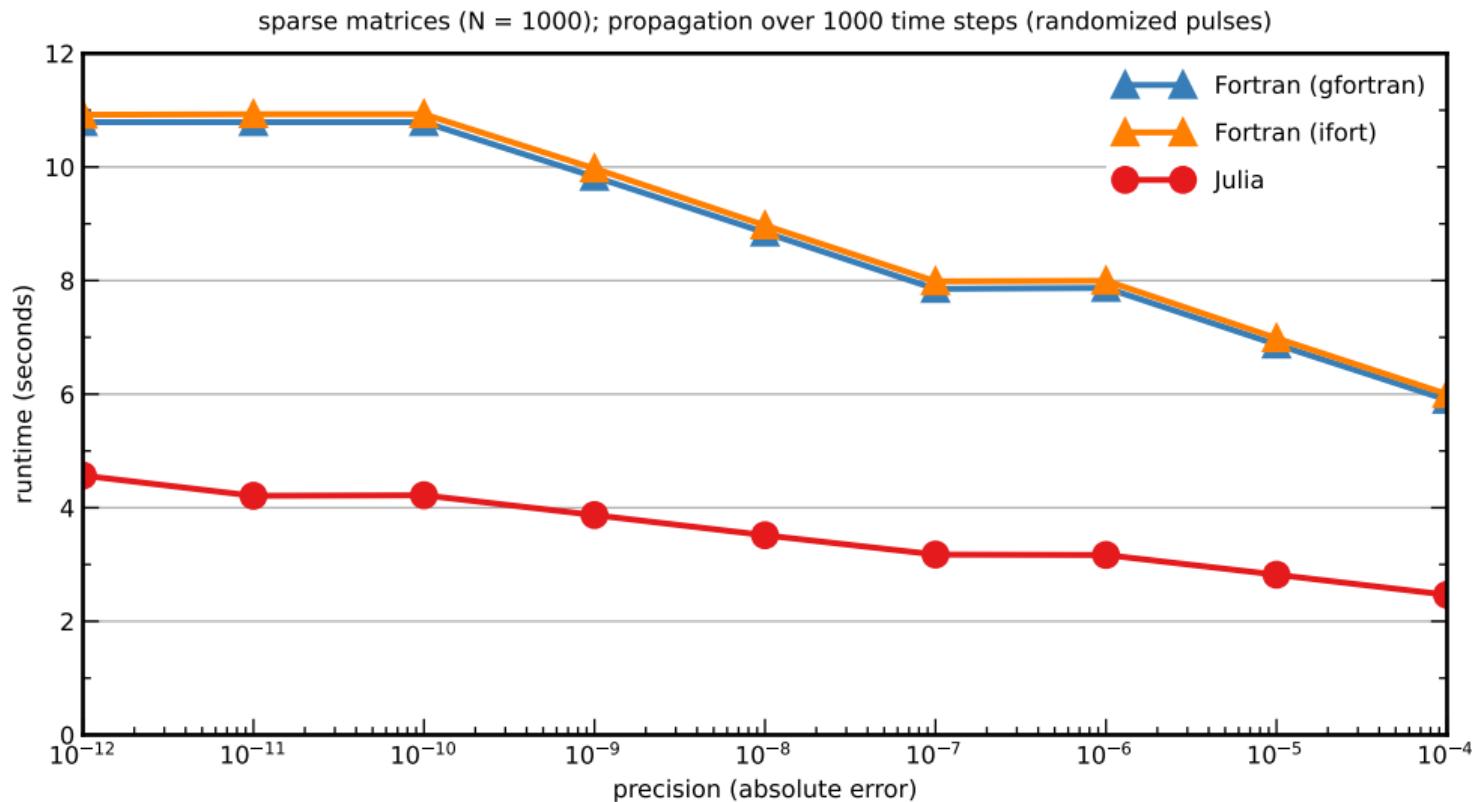


Performance

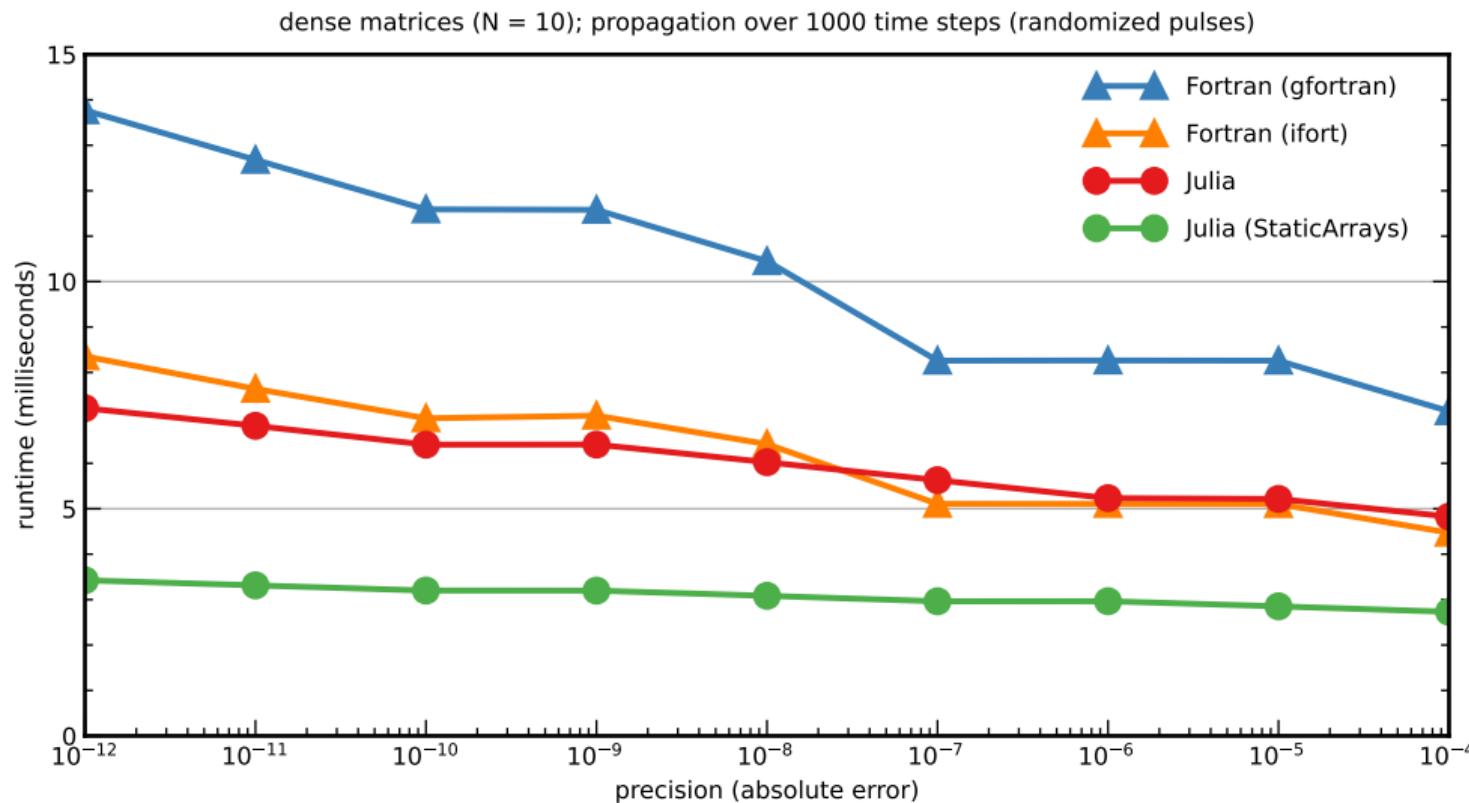
Benchmark for Chebychev Propagator – Large Hilbert Space



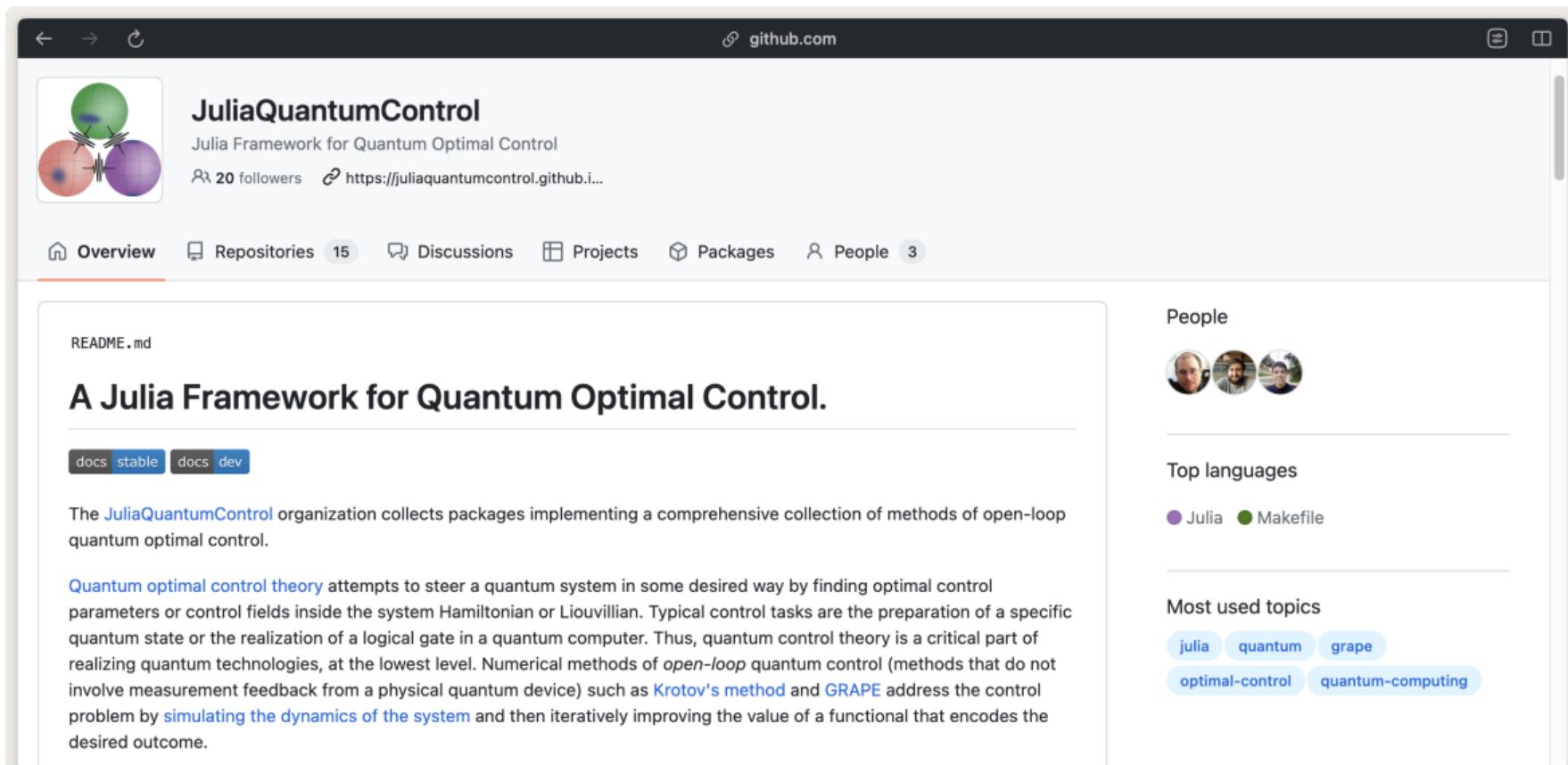
Benchmark for Chebychev Propagator – Large Hilbert Space (sparse)



Benchmark for Chebychev Propagator – Small Hilbert Space



Conclusions



The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for **JuliaQuantumControl**. The page includes a logo featuring three spheres (green, red, purple) with internal structures, a brief description of the framework, follower count, and links to the README and other repository details.

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Julia Framework for Quantum Optimal Control
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A Julia Framework for Quantum Optimal Control.

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The [JuliaQuantumControl](#) organization collects packages implementing a comprehensive collection of methods of open-loop quantum optimal control.

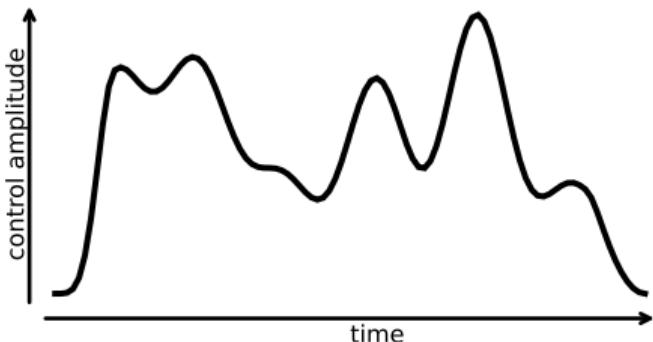
Quantum optimal control theory attempts to steer a quantum system in some desired way by finding optimal control parameters or control fields inside the system Hamiltonian or Liouvillian. Typical control tasks are the preparation of a specific quantum state or the realization of a logical gate in a quantum computer. Thus, quantum control theory is a critical part of realizing quantum technologies, at the lowest level. Numerical methods of *open-loop* quantum control (methods that do not involve measurement feedback from a physical quantum device) such as [Krotov's method](#) and [GRAPE](#) address the control problem by [simulating the dynamics of the system](#) and then iteratively improving the value of a functional that encodes the desired outcome.

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piecewise-constant pulses
⇒ parametrized continuous controls

$$\epsilon(t) = \epsilon(\{u_n\}, t)$$

- Adapt to experimental constraints on controls
- No PWC error: use DifferentialEquations as Propagator
- Specialized quantum control methods: CRAB, GROUP, GOAT, etc.
- But: local traps, controllability issues