

TBC: Quantum Rabi RWA

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Rough Plan

1. Hilbert space formulation of QM
2. The Quantum Rabi model for a two-state atom interacting with a laser
3. The Jaynes-Cumming model
4. What is an approximation? How do we justify it?
5. Rotating frames
6. Neglecting counter-rotating terms
7. Asymptotic justifications