

# A computer system perspective of large-scale quantum computers

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# Outline

1. Background and overview of large-scale quantum computation
2. System software  
Circuit optimization of logical circuit
3. Modular architecture
  1. Quantum multiplexing for interconnects
  2. Intermediate representation (Programming Language)
4. Towards large-scale quantum computer

# 1. Background: Motivation

$$P \subseteq BPP \subseteq BQP \subseteq PSPACE$$

- Prime factor (superpolynomial speedup)

Classical :  $\exp\left(\left((64/9)^{1/3} + o(1)\right)(\log n)^{1/3}(\log \log n)^{2/3}\right)$

Shor[1]:  $O(n^3)$

- Database searching (polynomial speedup)

Classical:  $O(n)$

Grover[2]:  $O(\sqrt{n})$

Discrete logarithms, quantum simulation, system of linear equation...

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- [2] Lov K. Grover "Quantum mechanics helps in searching for a needle in a haystack." *Physical Review Letters*, 79(2):325-328, 1997.

# Quantum Computing today

- Speed of atomic operations

## High performance computing[3]

Fugaku(2020)

442 PFLOPS

clock rate for a processor      2.2 GHz

## Quantum Computing (superconducting + optical interconnect)[4]

Single qubit gate      30 ns (33 MHz)

Two qubit gate      60 ns (16 MHz)

Measurement      240 ns (4 MHz)

Entanglement generation for remote nodes    1000 ns (1 MHz)

→ $10^3$  speedup is required!

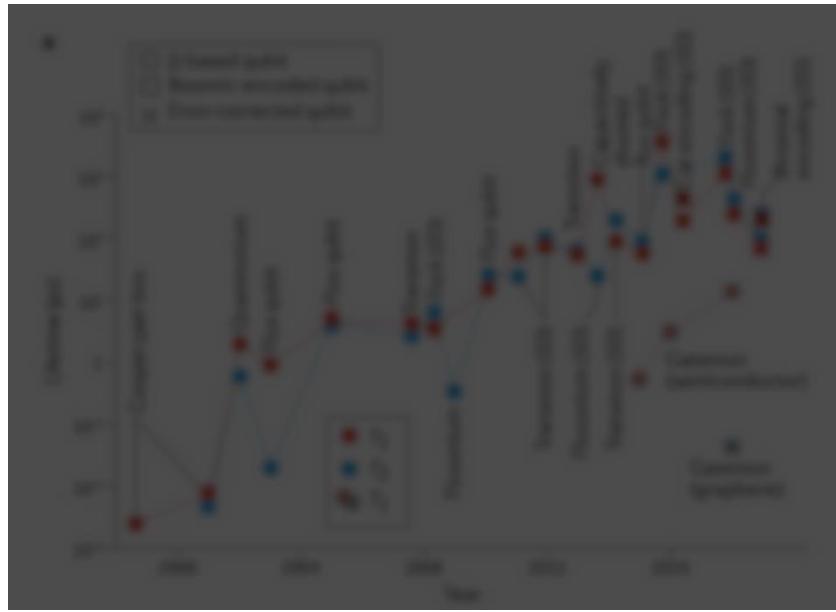
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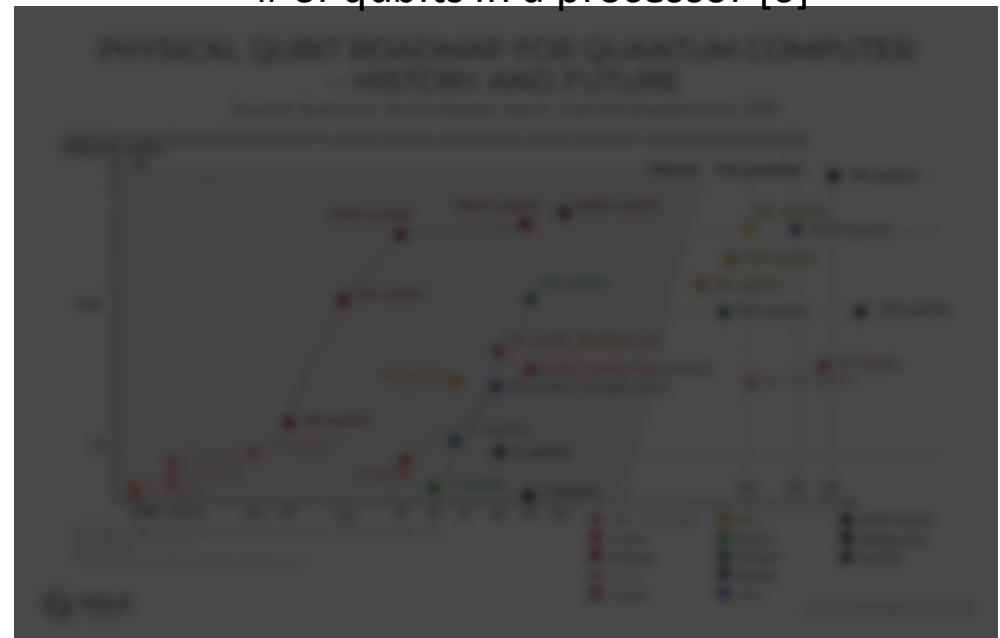
# Fault-tolerant quantum computing

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→ Fault-tolerant quantum computing may work

Lifetime of qubits [5]



# of qubits in a processor [6]

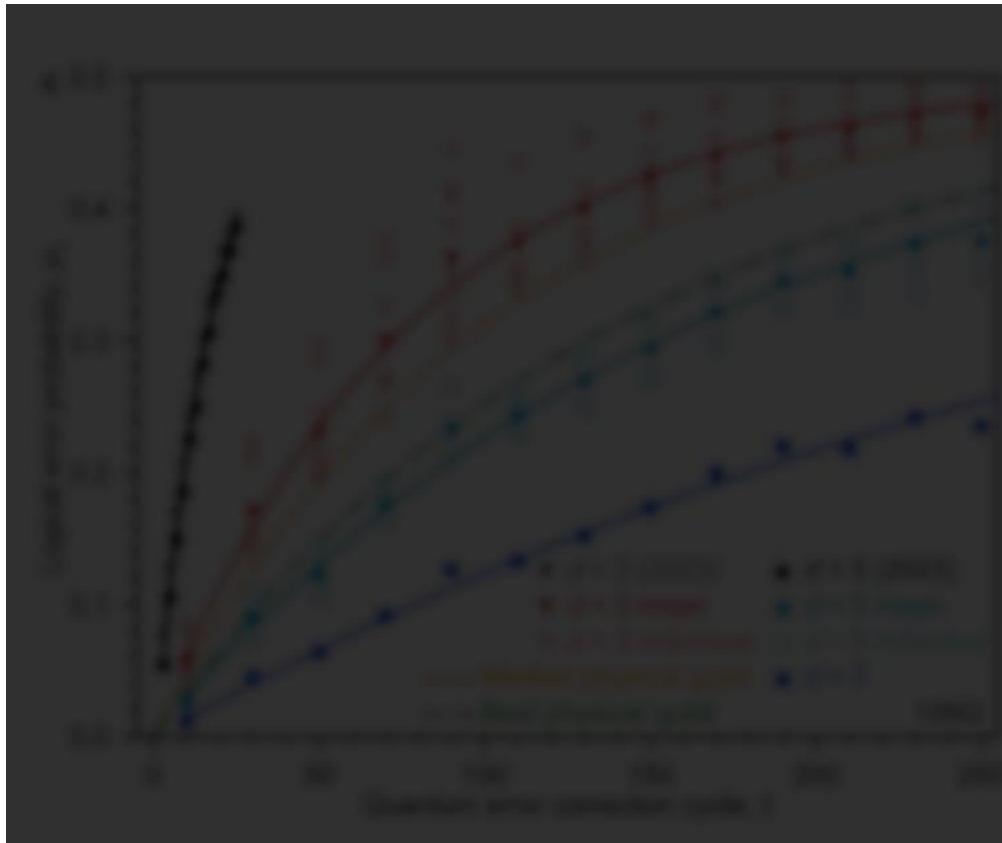


[5] Irfan Siddiqi, "Engineering high-coherence superconducting qubits." *Nature Reviews Materials* 6.10 (2021): 875-891.

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From [7]

- Error suppression factor  
 $\Lambda = 2.14 \pm 0.02$   
when increasing the code distance by two
- Real-time decoding  
Latency of 63  $\mu\text{s}$  at distance-5 up to a million cycles, with a cycle time of 1.1  $\mu\text{s}$
- Longer lifetime for logical qubit  
2.4  $\pm$  0.3 times better than the lifetime of physical qubits

# FTQC Overheads

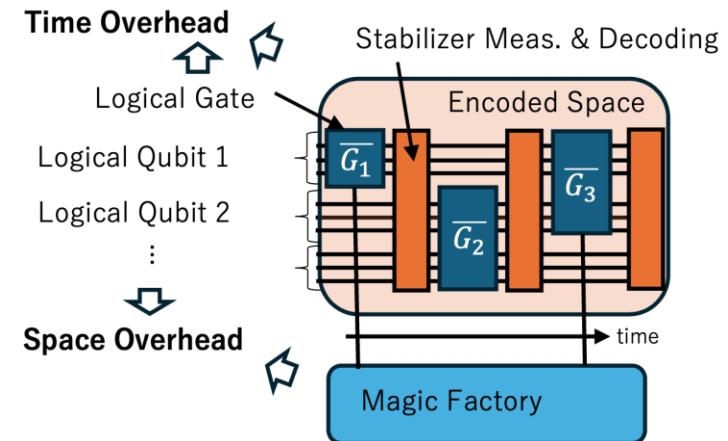
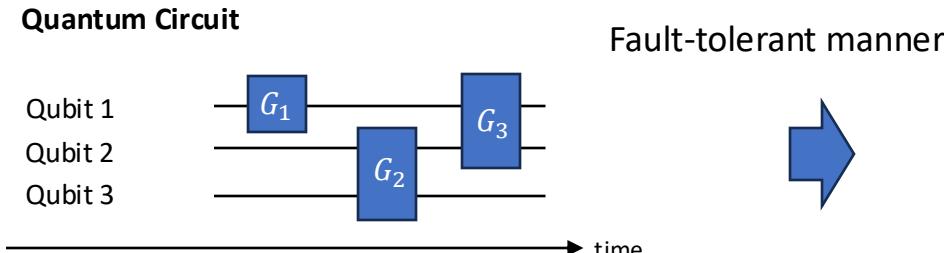
## Fault-tolerant Quantum Computing

Space overhead (100k qubits)

- All the computation processes are on a  **$r$  times redundant code space** where  $r = k/n$
- Cost of universality
  - Magic state distillation (Tri-orthogonal codes, 3D color codes etc), code-switching, Concatenation, etc

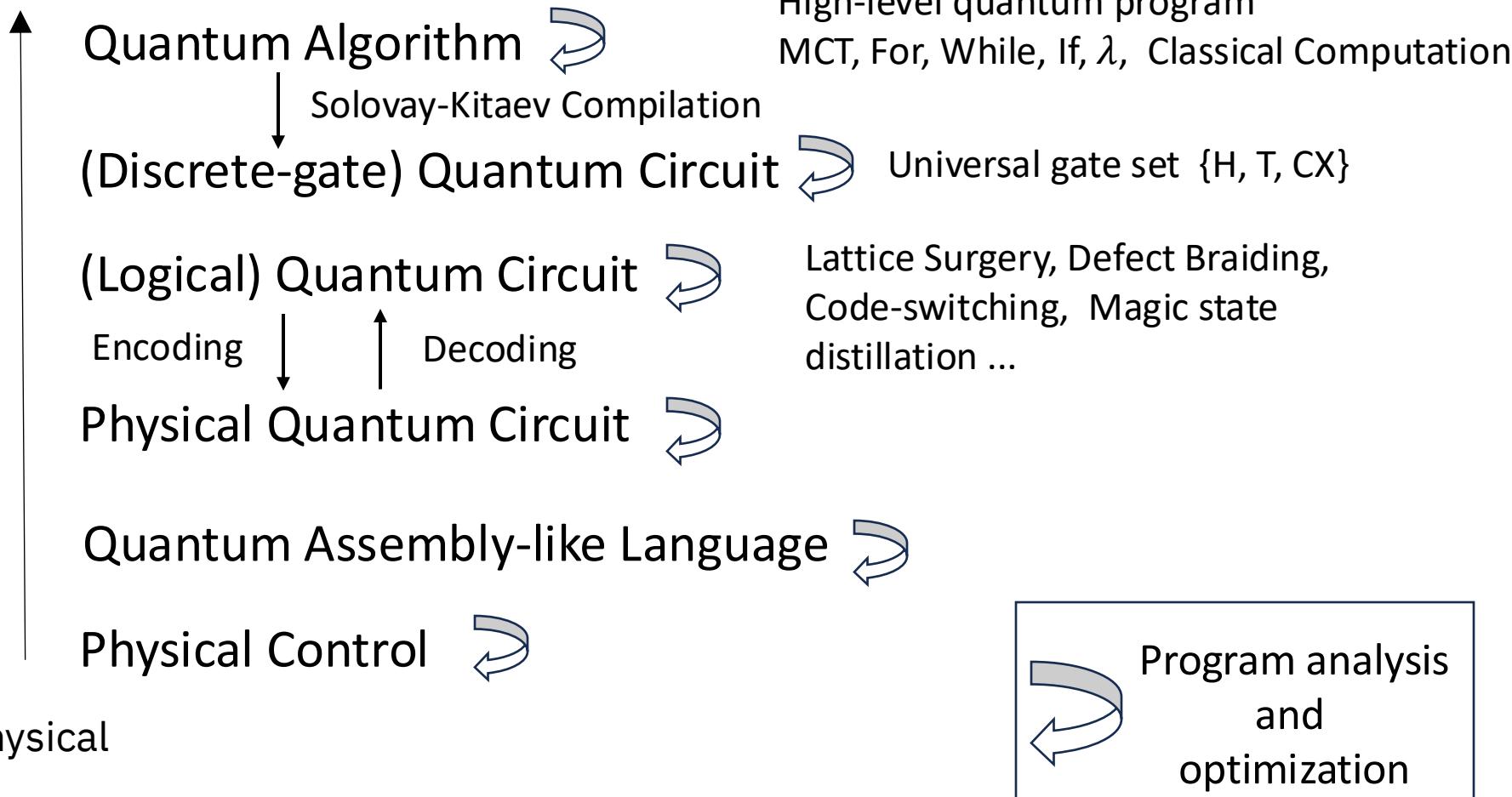
Time overhead (days)

- Repetitive Syndrome measurement → Decoding → Correction
- Fault-tolerant Logic



# Computational resources

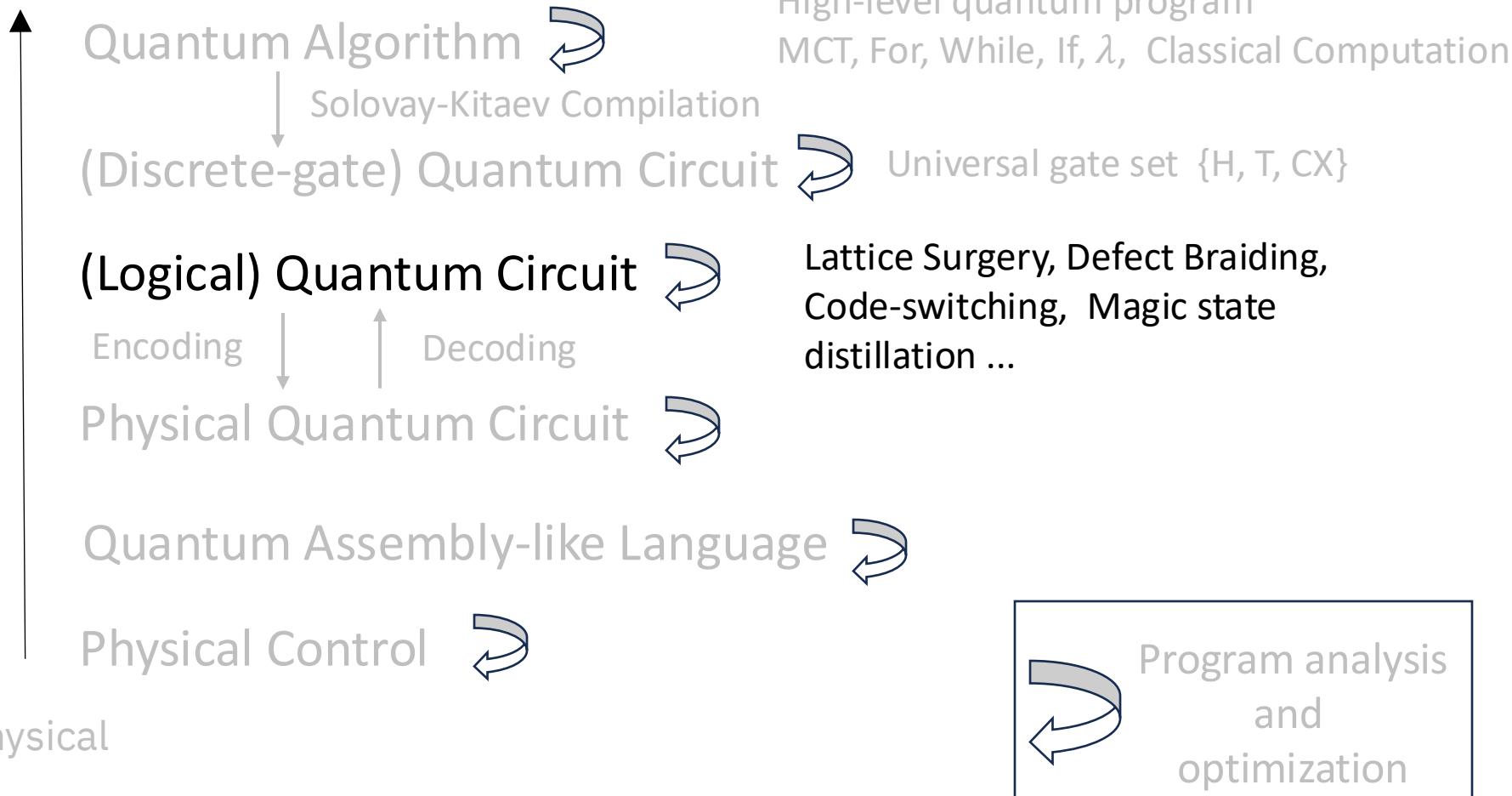
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# Computational resources

logical



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## 2. System software

There are many good codes and its fault-tolerant logic, but some of them are not well-defined in low-layer

Formalize the circuit optimization rules which preserve unitary



Check the computational complexity



Find an easy case, efficient solver, approximation, etc.



Introduce intermediate representation and then optimize

# For reducing computational resources

What I can do as a computer scientist

0. Is the layer structure appropriate?

1. Find a bottleneck
2. Ease it

→ go back to 0

# Logical Circuit

- Circuit optimization of logical circuit

Lattice surgery and defect braiding are candidates for the fault-tolerant logic for surface code computing

For the optimization problem of the logical quantum circuit,

- It is NP-hard for lattice surgery in general [8]
- The problem in a formal way has not been defined for defect braiding

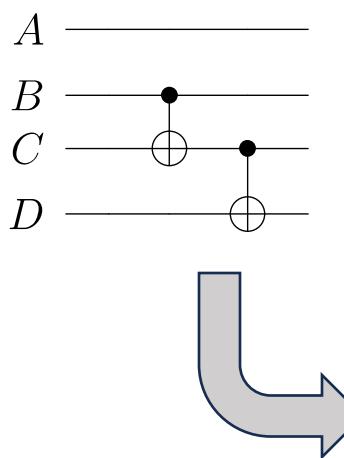
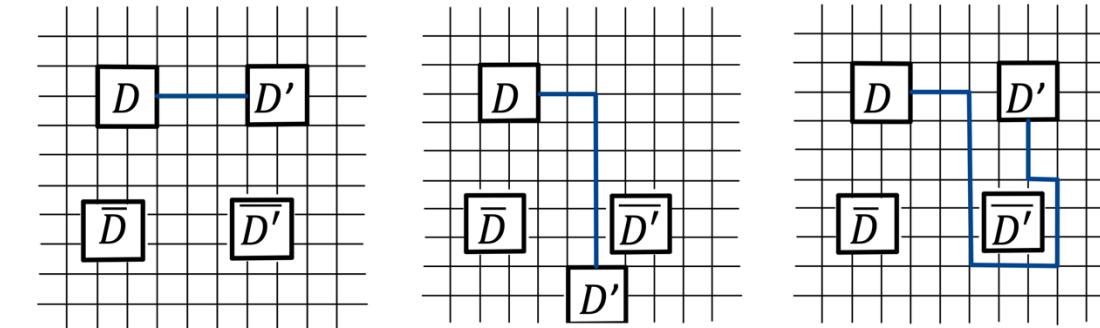
→ so we did!

[8] Daniel Herr, Franco Nori, and Simon J. Devitt. "Optimization of lattice surgery is NP-hard." *Npj quantum information* 3.1 (2017): 35.

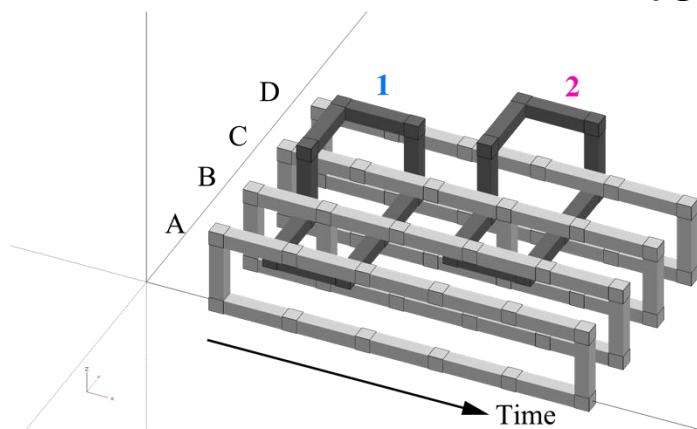
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# Computational complexity of DB circuit optimization

Defect braiding on surface codes realize two qubit logical interaction

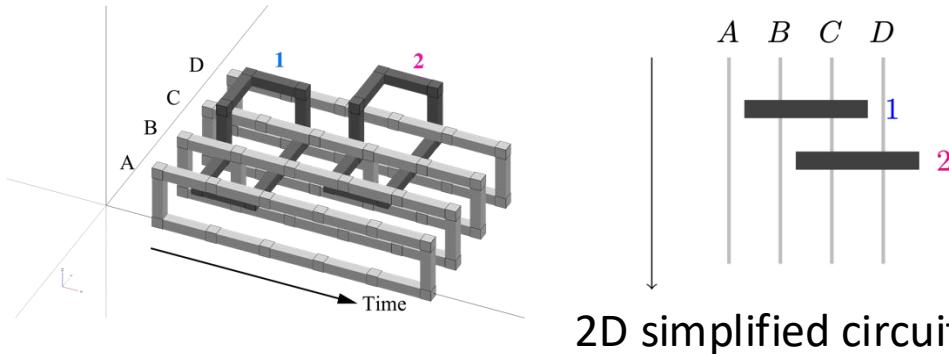


Topological circuit

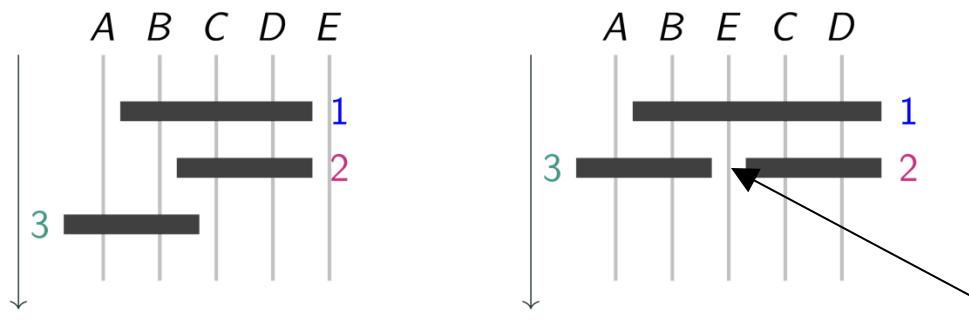


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# Computational complexity of DB circuit optimisation



Depth optimization with permutations of qubits (**Min-Braiding**)



$$\pi: \{A, B, C, D, E\} \rightarrow \{A, B, E, C, D\}$$

Enough margin between gates

Gates  $\mathcal{R}$ : 1 = {B, C, D} 2 = {C, D} 3 = {A, B}

Partial order: 2 > 1, 3 > 1

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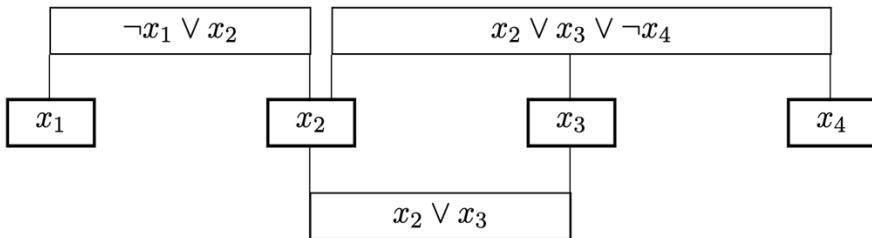
# Computational complexity of DB circuit optimisation

We have proven that:

NP-completeness of Min-Braiding optimization

How?

- Assume that there exists an algorithm  $\mathcal{A}$  that solves Min-Braiding efficiently.
- If it can be solved using  $\mathcal{A}$  for any instance of the **known hard problem**  $\mathcal{P}$ , Min-Braiding is at least more difficult than  $\mathcal{P}$ .
  - We used **PlanarRectLinear 3SAT** (subset of 3SAT)



$$\begin{aligned}\phi &= (\neg x_1 \vee x_2) \wedge (x_2 \vee x_3) \wedge (x_2 \vee x_3 \vee \neg x_4) \\ c_1 &= (\neg x_1 \vee x_2), c_2 = (x_2 \vee x_3), \\ c_3 &= (x_2 \vee x_3 \vee \neg x_4) \\ (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) &= (0, 0, 1, 0)\end{aligned}$$

# Optimizing DB circuit with ZX calculus

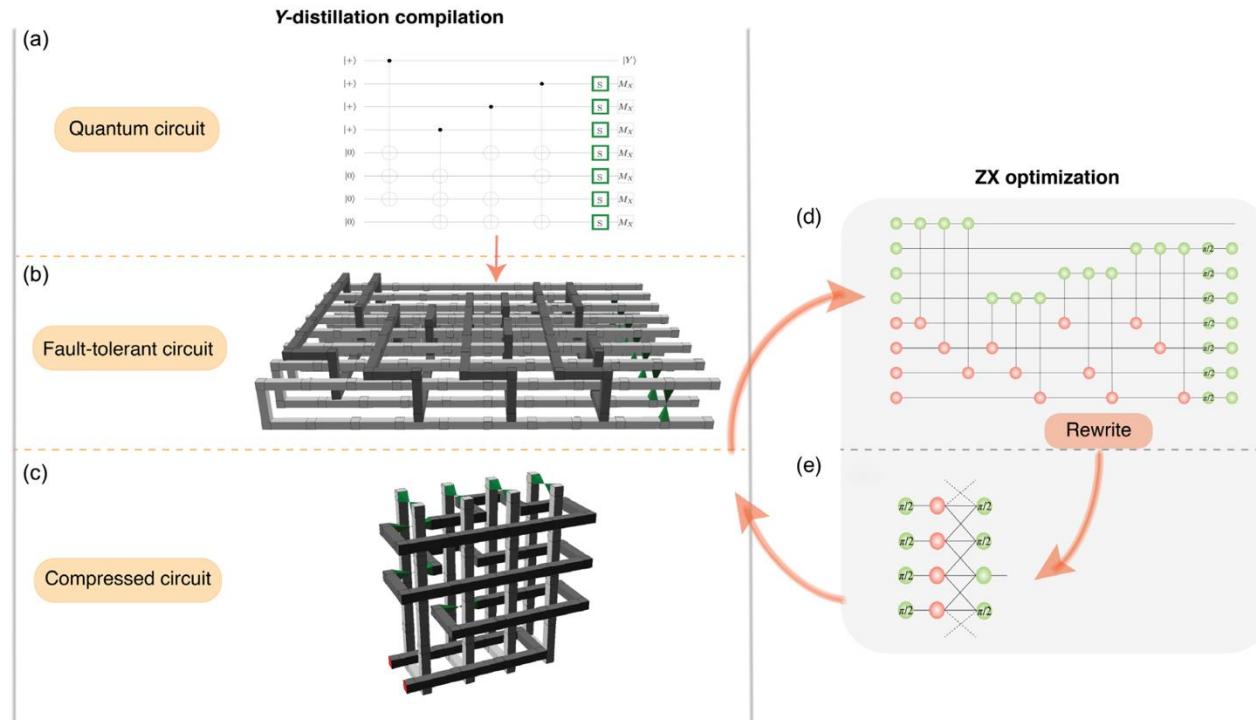


Fig. from [10]

[10] Michael Hanks, Marta Estarellas, William Munro & Kae Nemoto(2020). Effective compression of quantum braided circuits aided by ZX-calculus. *Physical Review X*, 10(4), 041030.

## 2. Modular architecture

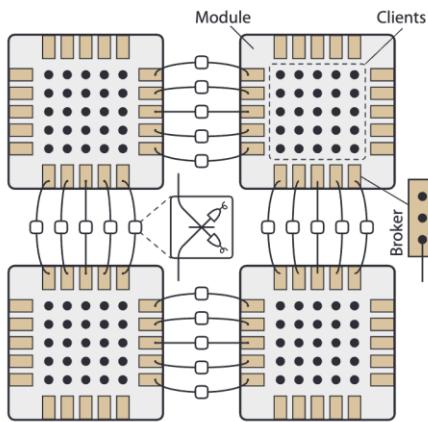


Fig. 1 in [12]

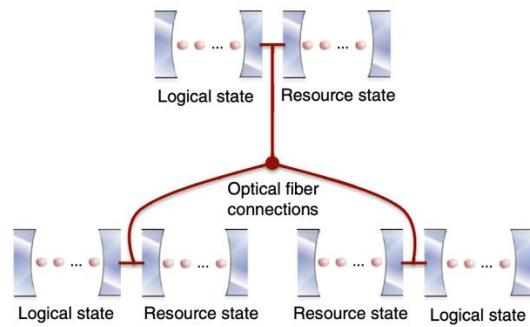
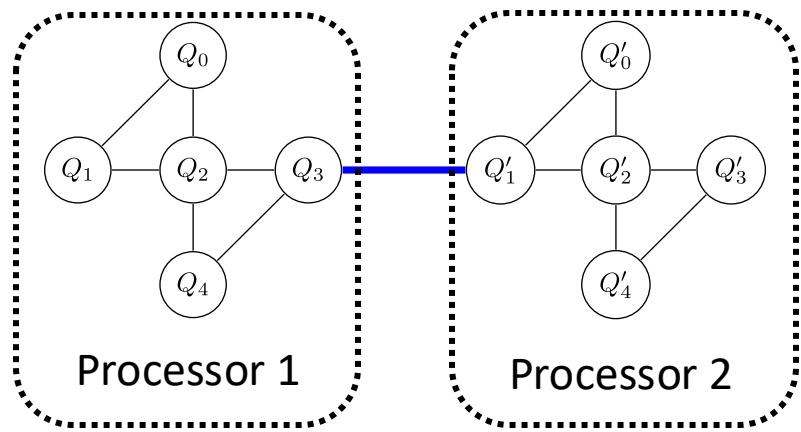


Fig. 3 in [13]

Quantum channel (interconnect [11])



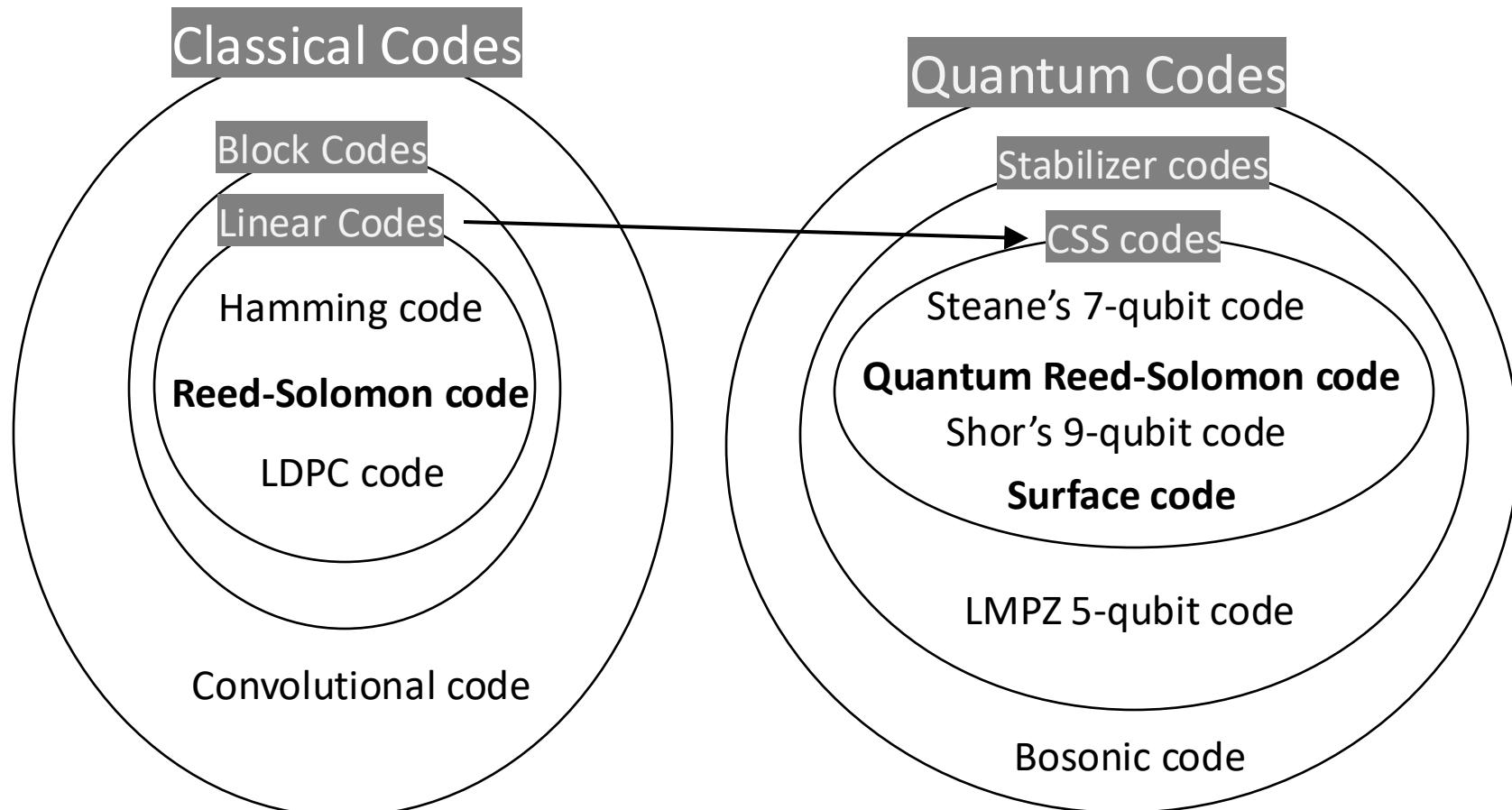
- photonic system is regarded as among the best candidate

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[13] Johannes Borregaard et al. "Efficient quantum computation in a network with probabilistic gates and logical encoding." *Physical Review A* 95.4 (2017): 042312.

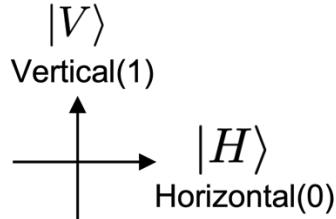
# Quantum Error Correction Code



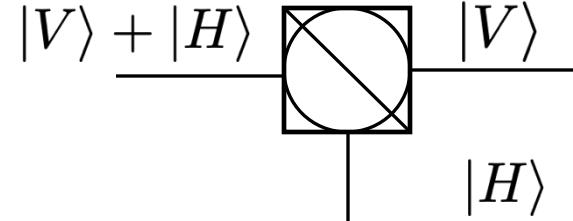
# Optical Systems

Treating the degrees of freedom of photons as qubits/qudits

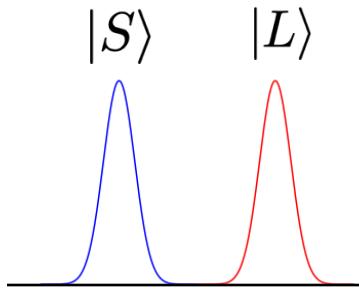
- Polarization



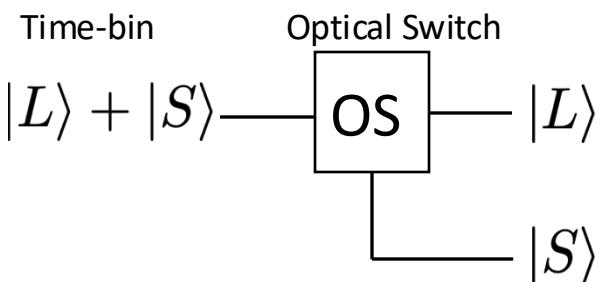
- Polarization



- Timebin



- Time-bin



- Photon is sometimes lost, which is an obstacle to information processing (called loss error).
- Quantum Multiplexing[14]: By using multiple degree of freedom, one photon can be used as high-dimensional qudit.

e.g. polarization and timebin

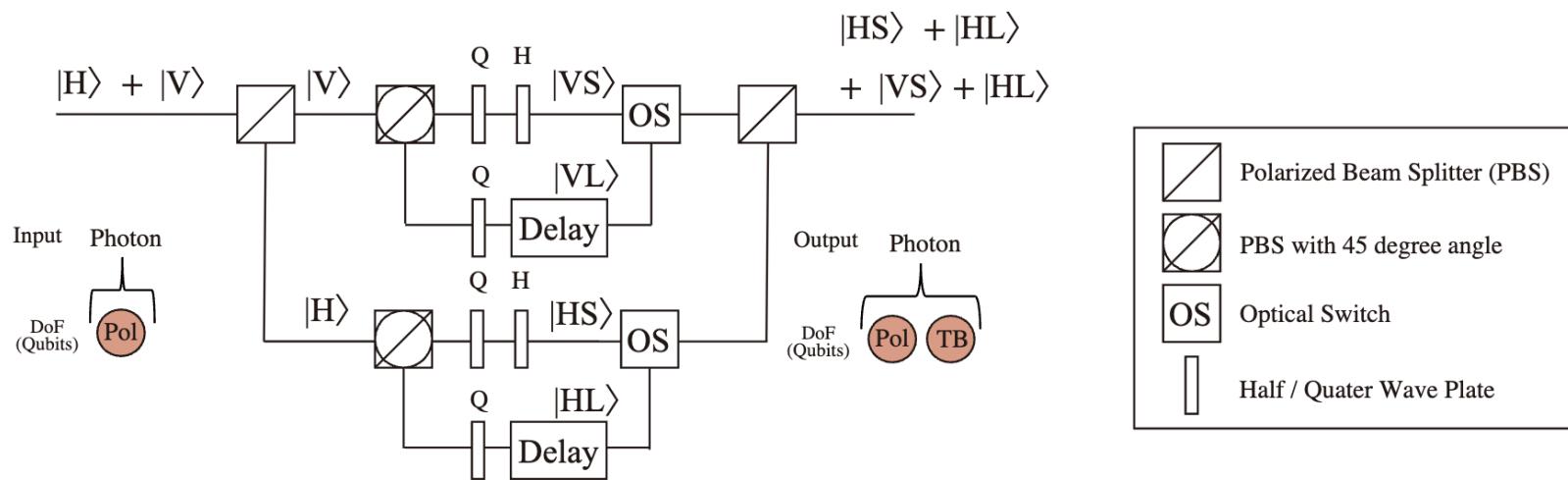
$|VL\rangle, |VS\rangle, |HL\rangle, |HS\rangle$ : 4-dim qudit

[14] Nicolò Lo Piparo, William J. Munro, and Kae Nemoto.

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# Timebin Encoding

- Timebin encoding



# Quantum Multiplexing

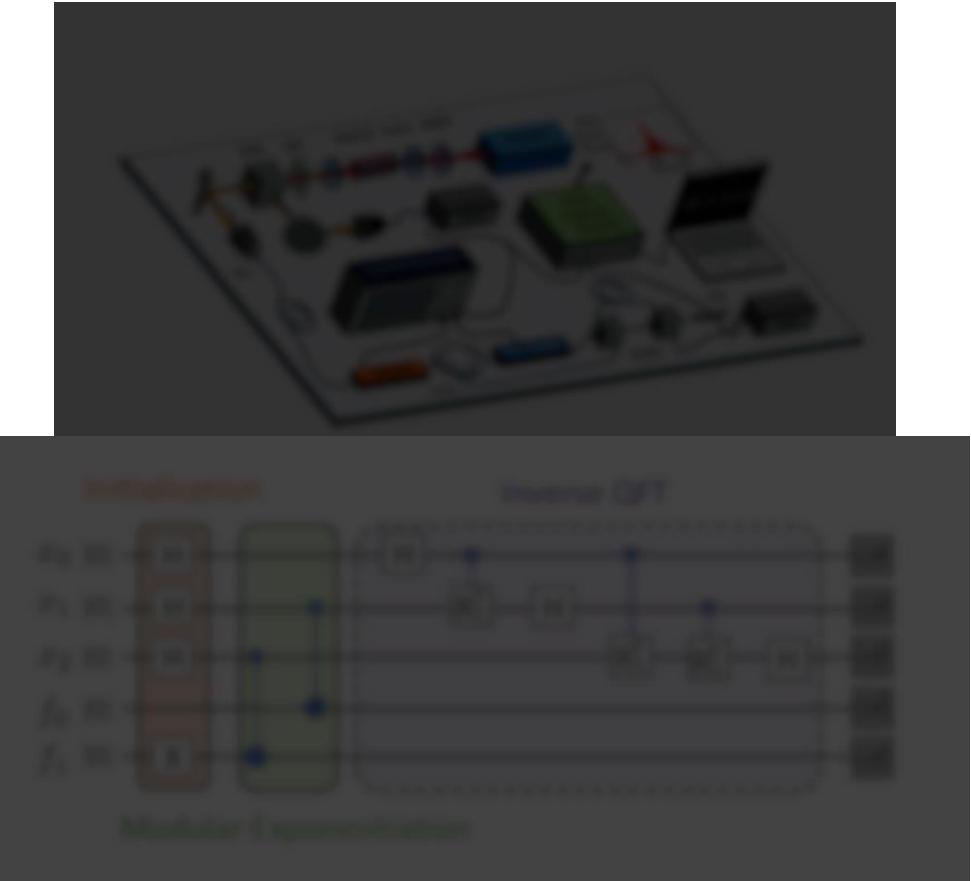
Quantum Multiplexing is a technique for exploit multiple degrees of freedom of photon.

- It is known that QM can reduce the resource of QRS code
  - single photon sources[22]
  - # of CX gates for Toffoli gates[23]

[22] Nicolò Lo Piparo, et al. "Resource reduction for distributed quantum information processing using quantum multiplexed photons." *Physical Review Letters* 124.21 (2020): 210503.

[23] Nicolò Lo Piparo, et al. "Aggregating quantum networks." *Physical Review A* 102.5 (2020): 052613.

# Quantum Multiplexing



Hao-Cheng Weng, Chih-Sung Chuu,  
Implementation of Shor's Algorithm with a Single Photon in 32 Dimensions  
arXiv:2408.08138

# (Classical)Reed-Solomon code

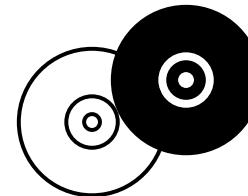
- Errors are counted with respect to symbols (corresponds to the elements of Galois Field)
- Maximum distance separable code (satisfy singleton bound)

$$d_{min} = n - k + 1$$

- Be able to correct  $t = n - k$  loss errors
  - good for optical channel

Applications

CD,DVD, QR, Satellite communication



# Quantum Reed-Solomon code

- Good at correct loss errors for qudits
  - Application: quantum repeaters[15]

[15] Sreraman Muralidharan et al. "One-way quantum repeaters with quantum Reed-Solomon codes." *Physical Review A* 97.5 (2018): 052316.

# Summary of Introduction

- QEC is a fundamental tool for Quantum Information Processing
- The implementation of quantum communication with optics is progressing.
  - there are still problems such as loss error.
- Quantum Reed-Solomon code is efficient for the loss errors
  - Errors are counted with respect to symbols(element of GF)

The cost of QEC including the encoding circuit makes their implementation quite challenging.

# (Classical) Reed-Solomon Code

Reed-Solomon code over  $GF(p^k)$  defined as follows:  
where  $p$  is prime number and  $k$  is positive integer

1. Let  $\alpha$  be the primitive element of  $GF(p^k)$

$$GF(p^k) = \{0, 1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha^{p^k-2}\}$$

(Also define addition/multiplication over GF by using minimal polynomial)

2. Input information is treated as the coefficients of polynomial

$$a(x) = a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_{k-1}x^{k-1}$$

3. Generator polynomial is given as

$$g(x) = (x - \alpha^l)(x - \alpha^{l+1}) \cdots (x - \alpha^{l+d-2})$$

where integer  $l \geq 0$

4. Calculate codewords  $w(x)$

$$w(x) = a(x)g(x)$$

# Quantum Reed-Solomon code [18]

It is possible to construct Quantum Codes from Reed-Solomon code by using CSS construction.

e.g. construction from [19]

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{C}_1 &= [d, k, d - k + 1]_d \\ \mathcal{C}_2 &= \mathcal{C}_1^\perp = [d, d - k, k + 1]_d \\ \mathcal{Q}_{\mathcal{C}_1, \mathcal{C}_2} &= \left[ \begin{matrix} [d, 2k - d, d - k + 1] \\ \text{physical} \quad \text{logical} \quad \text{distance} \end{matrix} \right]_d \\ &\quad \text{dim qudit}\end{aligned}$$

[18] Markus Grassl, Willi Geiselmann, and Thomas Beth. "Quantum reed-solomon codes." *International Symposium on Applied Algebra, Algebraic Algorithms, and Error-Correcting Codes*. Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg, 1999.

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# Proposal: Encoding circuit (e.g. $\left[ [5,1,3] \right]_5$ code)

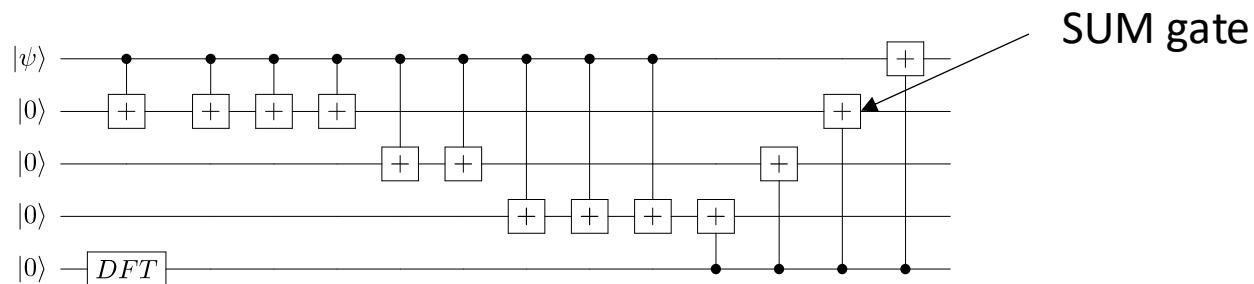
- new efficient implementation of the encoding circuit

$$\mathcal{C}_1 = [5, 3, 3]_5 \quad \mathcal{C}_2 = [5, 2, 4]_5$$

$$G = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha^3 & 1 \\ 0 & \alpha^2 & 1 & \alpha^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha^3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_L^1 = X_0^0 X_1^2 X_2^4 X_3^3 X_4^1$$

$$|0\rangle_L = |00000\rangle + |11111\rangle + |22222\rangle + |33333\rangle + |44444\rangle$$



5-dim qudit representation

# Operations for $d$ -dimensional Qudit

Generalized  $CX$  gate[20]

$$SUM(|a\rangle|b\rangle) = |a\rangle|a + b \text{ mod } d\rangle$$

Generalized Hadamard gate[21]

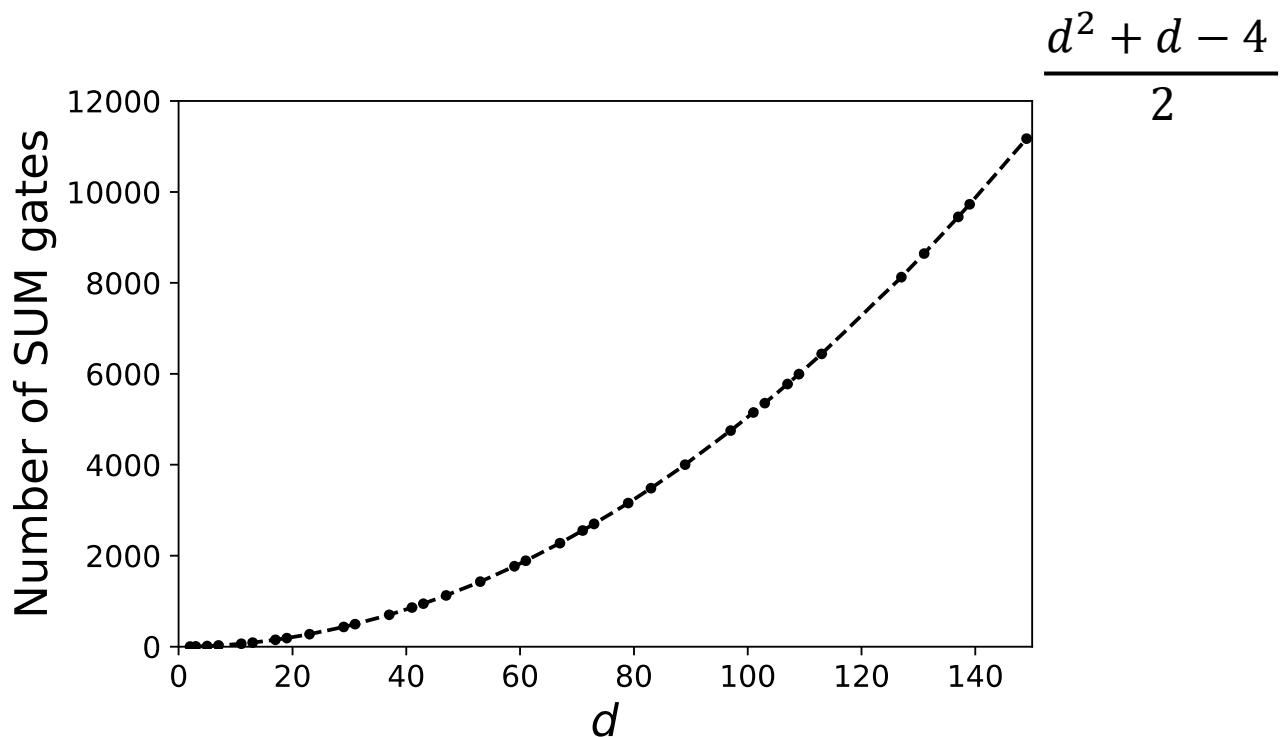
$$\text{DFT}(|0\rangle) = |0\rangle + |1\rangle + \dots + |d-1\rangle$$

[20] Daniel Gottesman, Alexei Kitaev, and John Preskill. Encoding a qubit in an oscillator. Physical Review A, 64(1):012310, 2001.

[21] Markus Grassl, Martin Rötteler, and Thomas Beth. "Efficient quantum circuits for non-qubit quantum error-correcting codes." *International Journal of Foundations of Computer Science* 14.05 (2003): 757-775.

# Result: Required resources

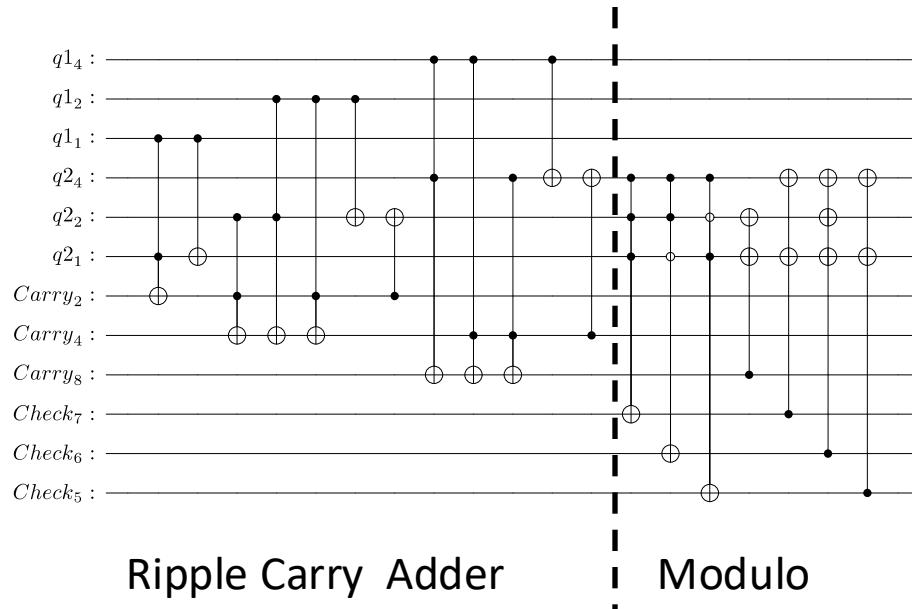
Required number of SUM gate for  $\left[ \left[ d, 1, \left\lceil \frac{d+1}{2} \right\rceil \right] \right]_d$  Quantum Reed-Solomon Code over  $GF(d)$



# Proposal: implementation of SUM Gate

Represent  $p$ -dim qudit over  $k$ -qubits system ( $2^k \geq p$ ) where  $p$  is prime number

e.g. SUM gate for  $p = 5$  (3-qubit mod 5 adder)



qudit	qubit
0	000
1	001
2	010
3	011
4	100

Numbers of Ancillae qubits  
 $k + 2(d - 1)$  qubits

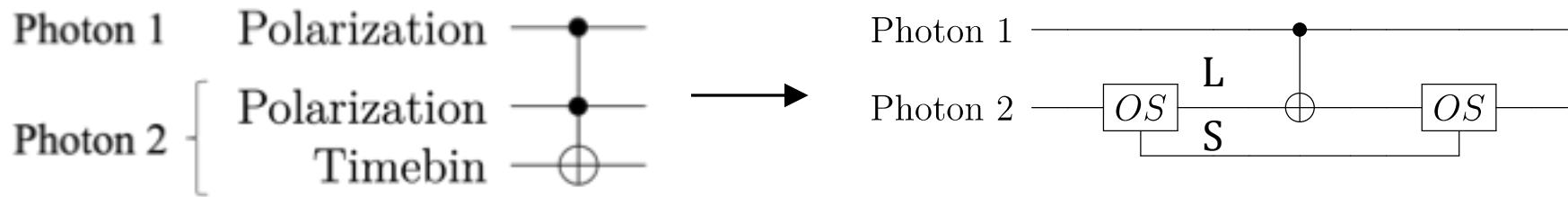
Number of gates

- RCA part  
 $(CCX + CX) + (k - 1)(3CCX + 2CX)$

- Modulo part

$$N_M = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=d}^{2(d-1)} (C_k X + H_D(\text{bin}(i), \text{bin}(i \bmod d)) CX) & \text{if } 2(d-1) \leq 2^k \\ \sum_d^{2^k-1} C_k X + \sum_{2^k}^{2(d-1)} C_{k+1} X + \sum_{i=d}^{2(d-1)} H_D(\text{bin}(i), \text{bin}(i \bmod d)) CX & \text{if } 2(d-1) > 2^k \end{cases}$$

# Multiplexing reduction for the Toffoli gates [23]

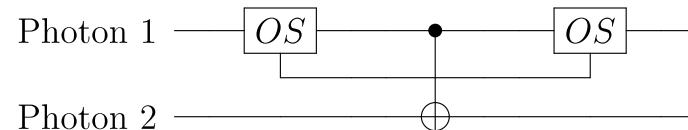
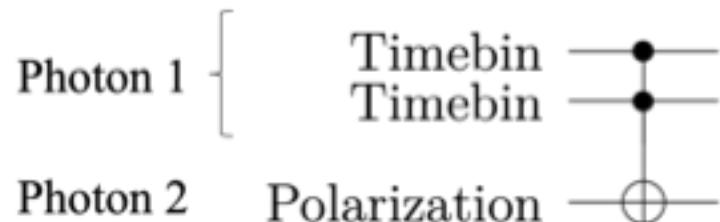


CCX gate  
(Toffoli gate)

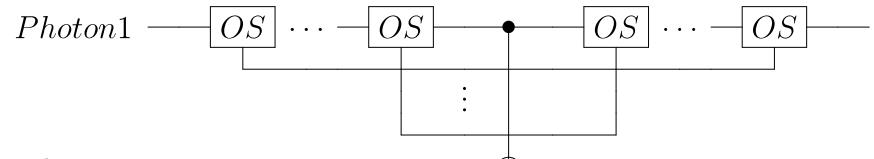
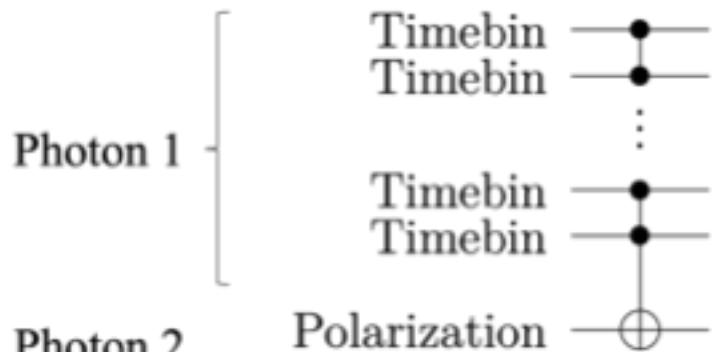
CX gate + OSs

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# Proposal: Multiplexing decomposition for the $C_kX$ gate



$CCX$

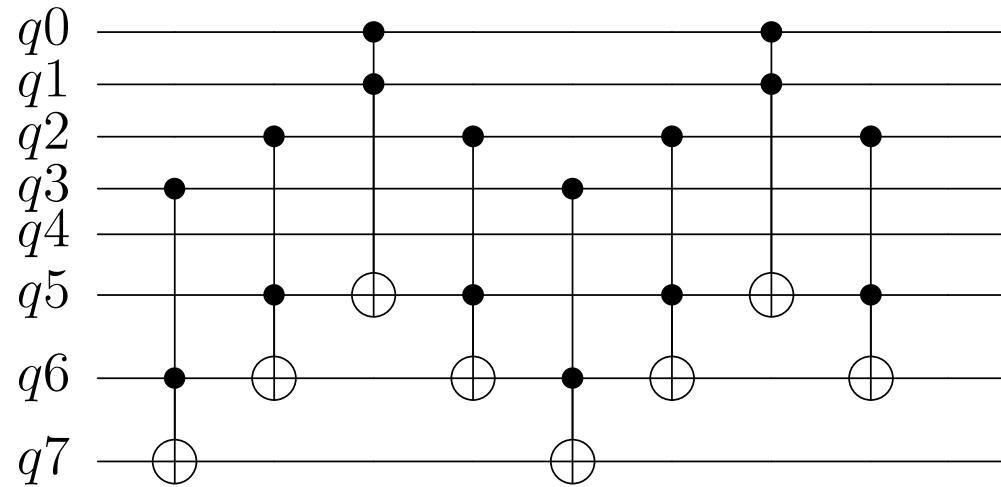
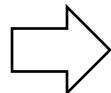
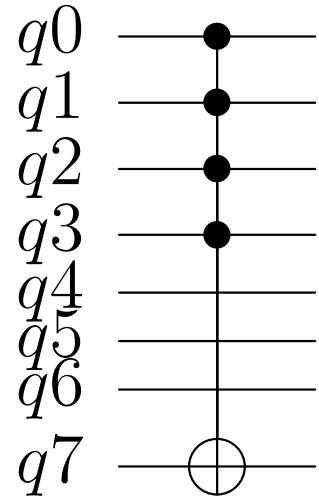


$C_kX$

Reduce # of control qubits by using OS

## Comparison: General Decomposition[24] with QM Decomposition

e.g.

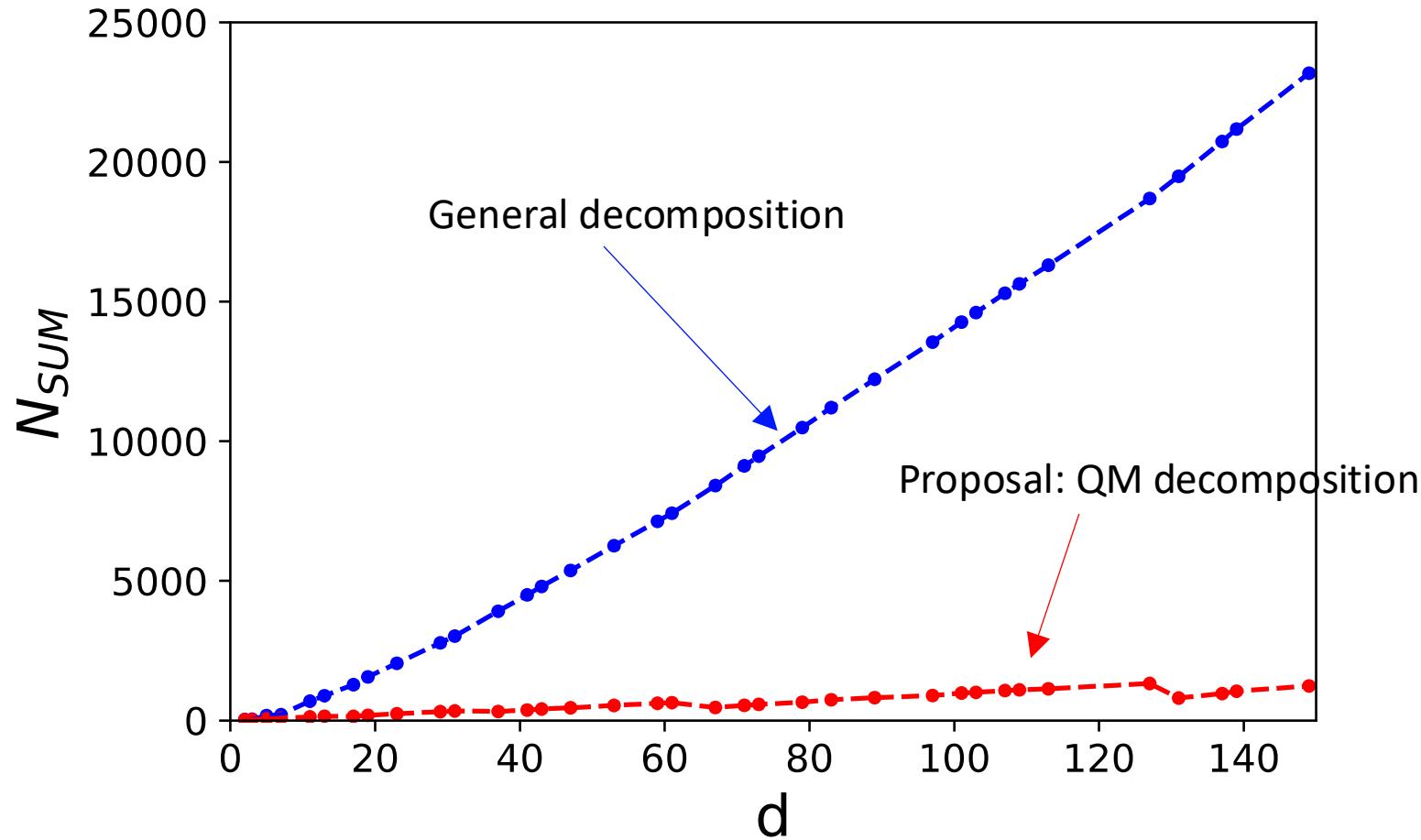


$$C_k X \rightarrow 4(k - 2)CCX$$

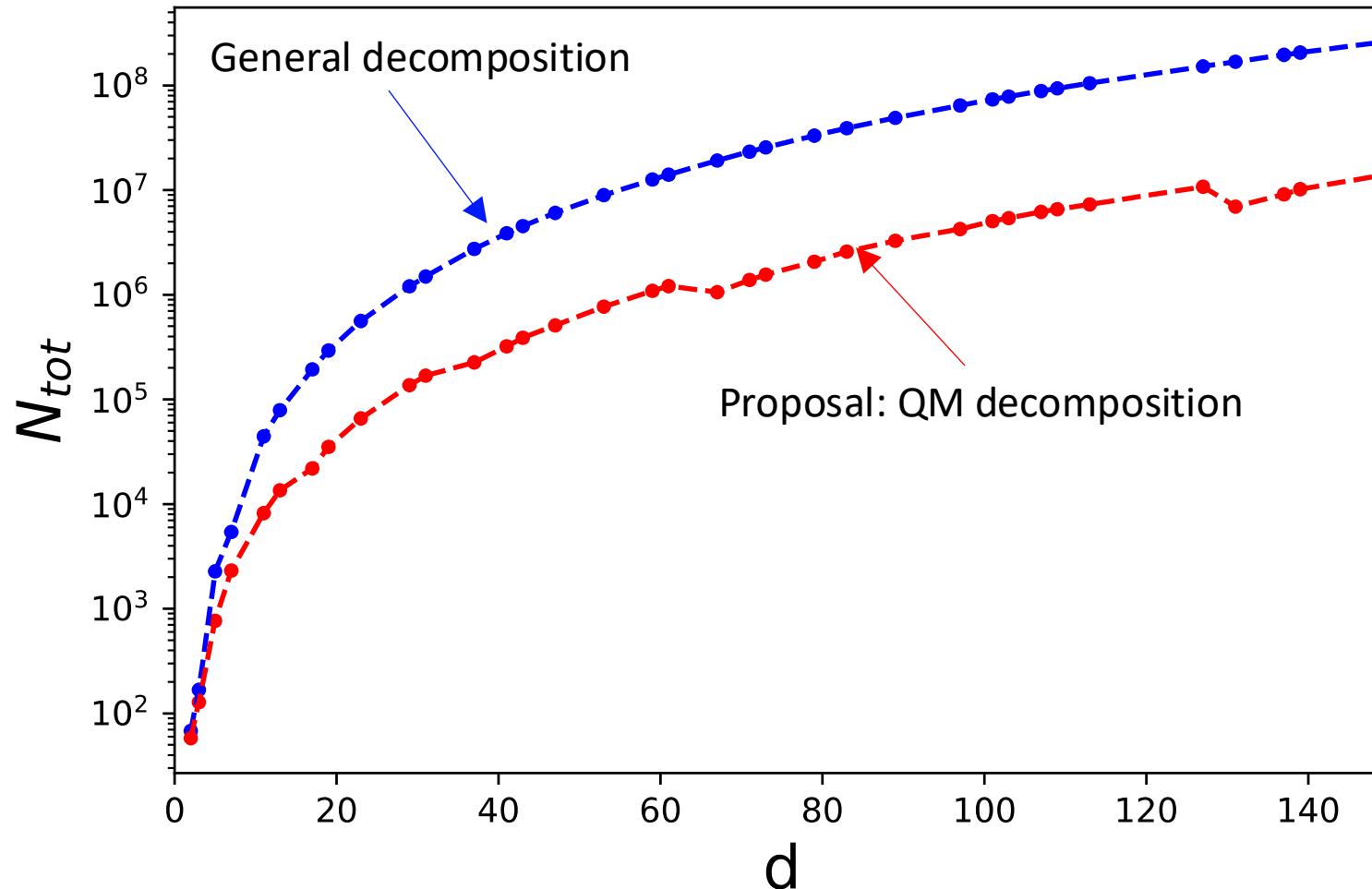
$$CCX \rightarrow 6CX + 2H + 3T^\dagger + 5T$$

[24] A. Barenco, C. H. Bennett, R. Cleve, D. P. Di- Vincenzo, N. Margolus, P. Shor, T. Sleator, J. A. Smolin, and H. Weinfurter. Elementary gates for quantum computation. Physical Review A, 52(5):3457, 1995.

# Result: Multiplexing Optimization for SUM gates



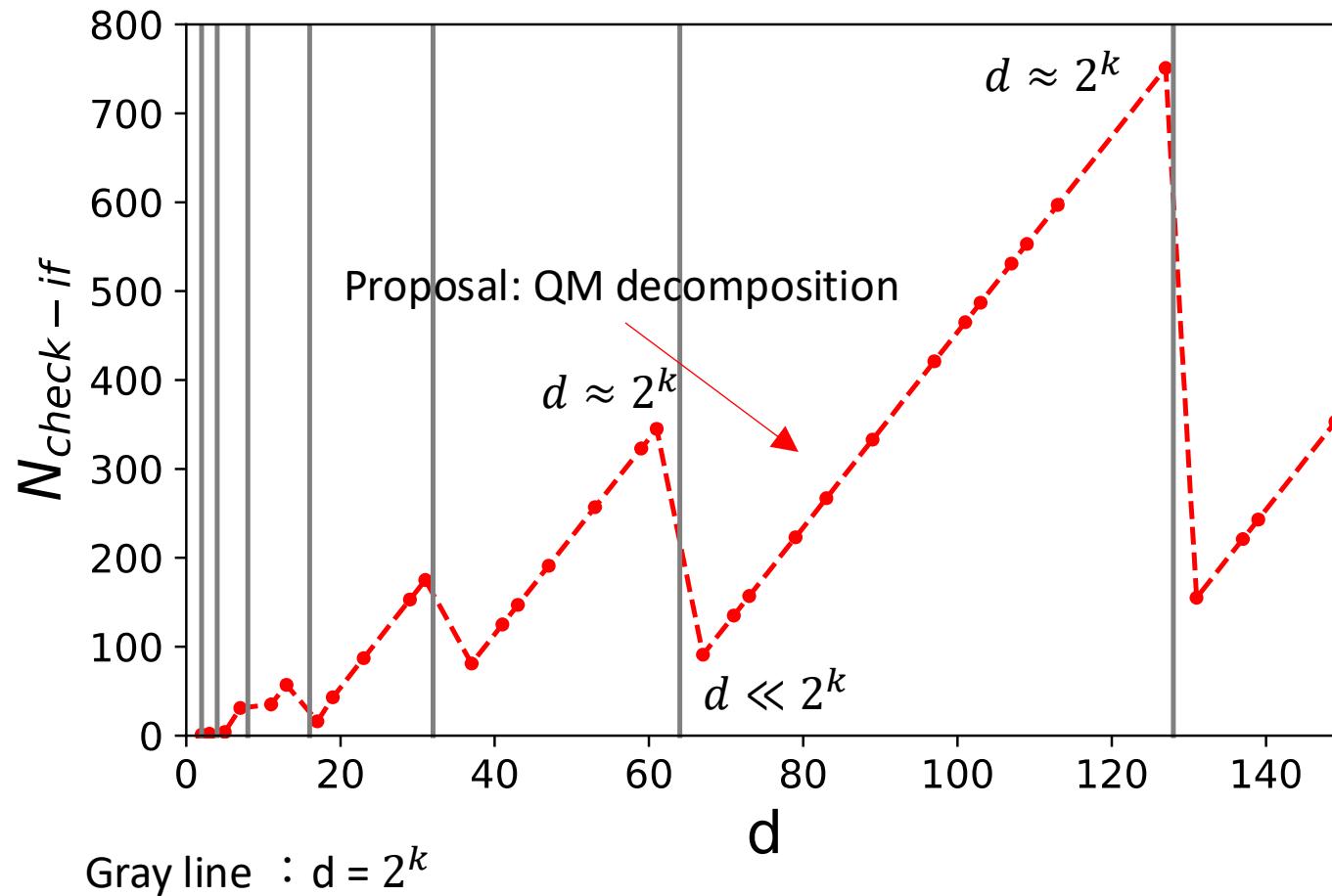
# Result: Multiplexing Optimization for the Encoder



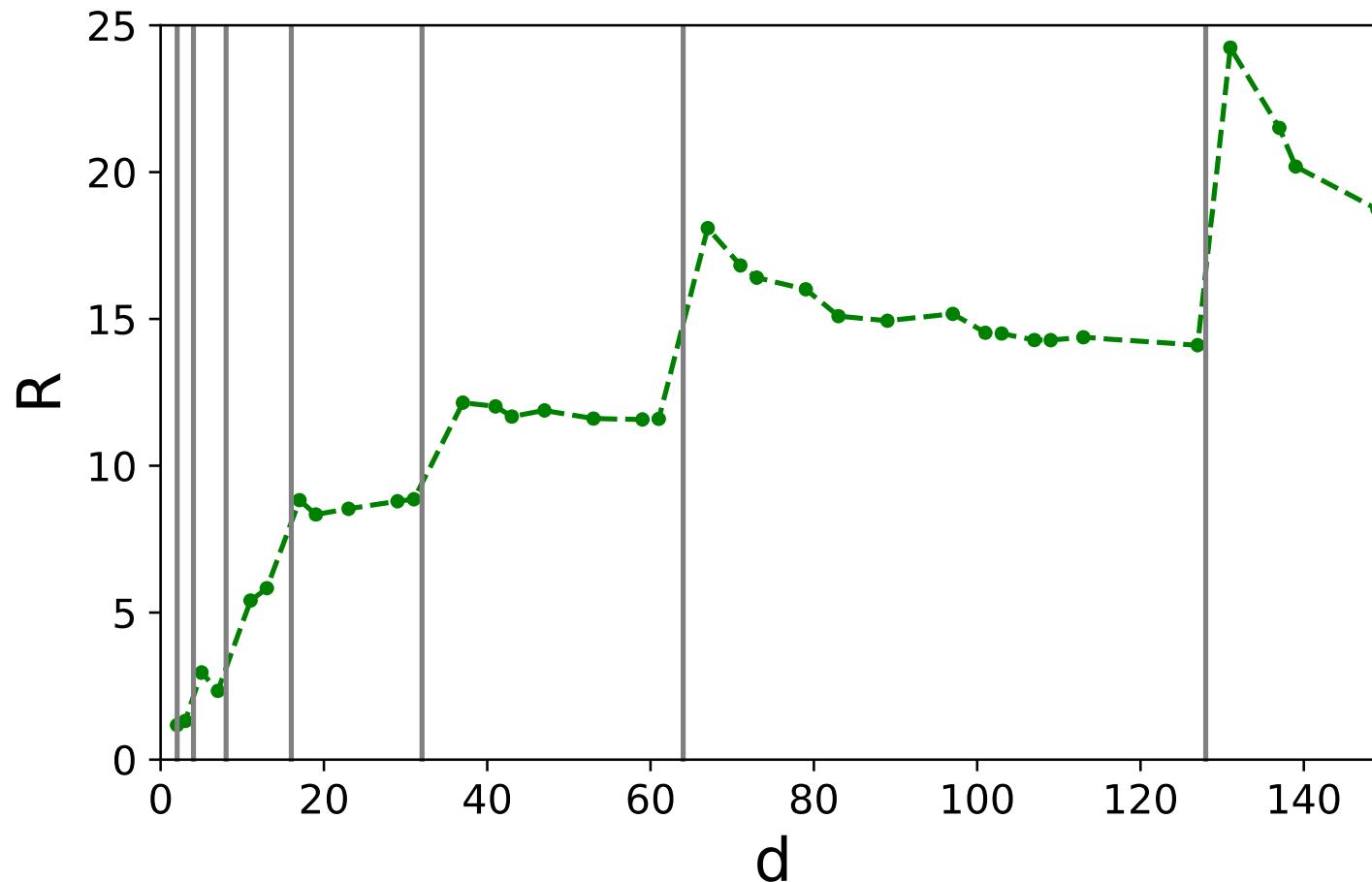
# Result: The cost of SUM gate

Modulo part

$$N_M = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=d}^{2(d-1)} \underline{(C_k X + H_D(\text{bin}(i), \text{bin}(i \bmod d)) CX)} & \text{if } 2(d-1) \leq 2^k \\ \sum_{d=2^k}^{2^k-1} \underline{C_k X} + \sum_{2^k}^{2(d-1)} \underline{C_{k+1} X} + \sum_{i=d}^{2(d-1)} H_D(\text{bin}(i), \text{bin}(i \bmod d)) CX & \text{if } 2(d-1) > 2^k \end{cases}$$



# Result: Multiplexing Optimization Ratio



Gray line : dim =  $2^k$

# Conclusion for QM for QRS

- We apply QM to the implementation of the encoding circuit of the QRS codes
- In this case we show that  $C_k X$  gates can be reduced into a single  $CX$  gate by using linear optical elements.
- Therefore, the total number of  $CX$  gates required to implement  $d$ -dimensional QRS codes is drastically reduced (except when  $d = 2^m$ ).
- We believe that this can also be applied to other systems such as Grover's search and discrete time quantum walks, leading to a much more feasible implementation of such technology

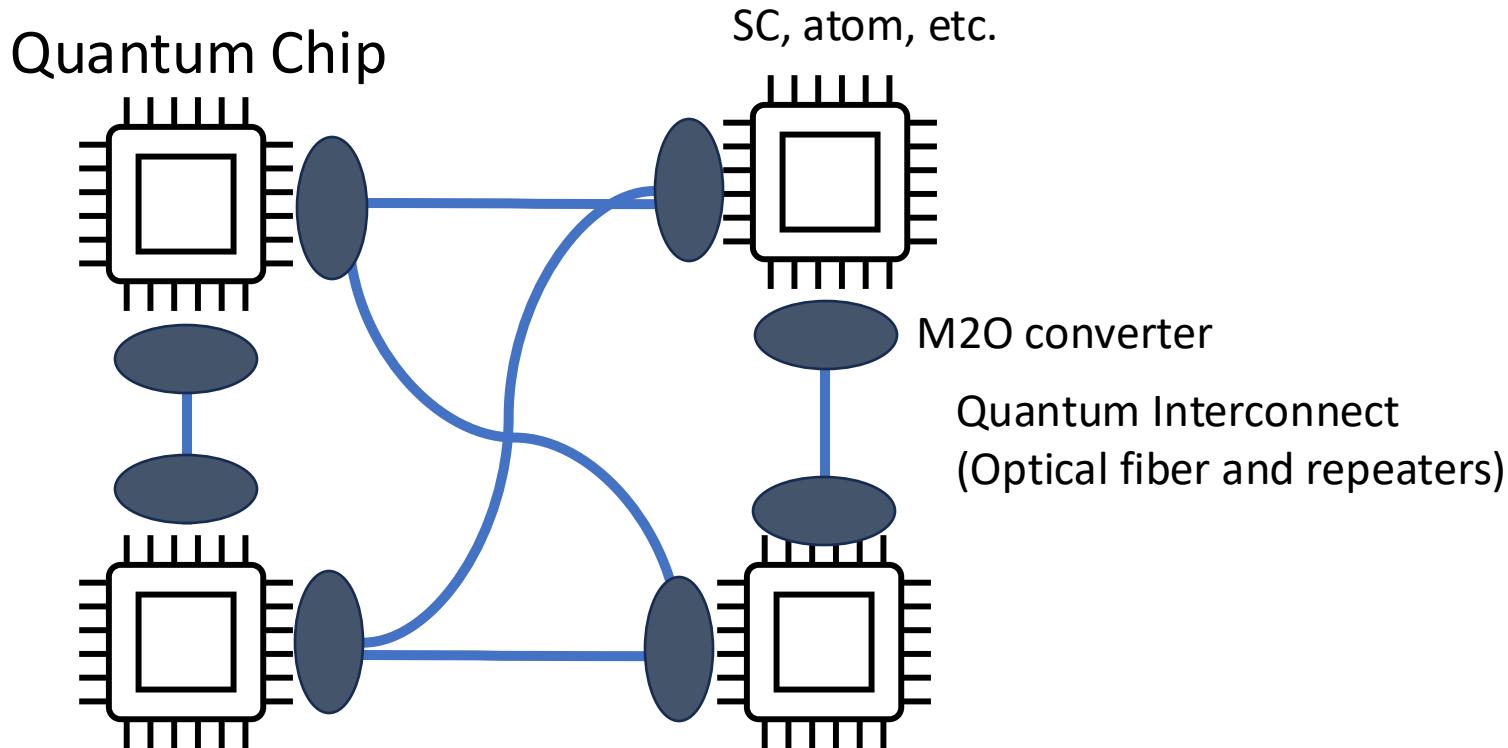
# Future work

- Evaluation of other resources (OSs)
- Correction/Decoder circuit
- Comparison with other circuit optimization methods

## Applications

- Other CSS codes and more general codes
- Any system that requires SUM gates

# QM and surface codes



	Quantum Chip	Quantum Interconnect
Case 1	Topological Codes	MDS codes(e.g. QRS)
Case 2		<b>Topological Codes</b>

Hybrid codes system may introduce overhead...

# Erasure channel

Erasure(photon loss) is dominant in the optical systems

$$\rho \rightarrow (1 - \varepsilon)\rho + \varepsilon|e\rangle\langle e|$$

Erasure error

where  $|e\rangle \notin \mathcal{H}_2$

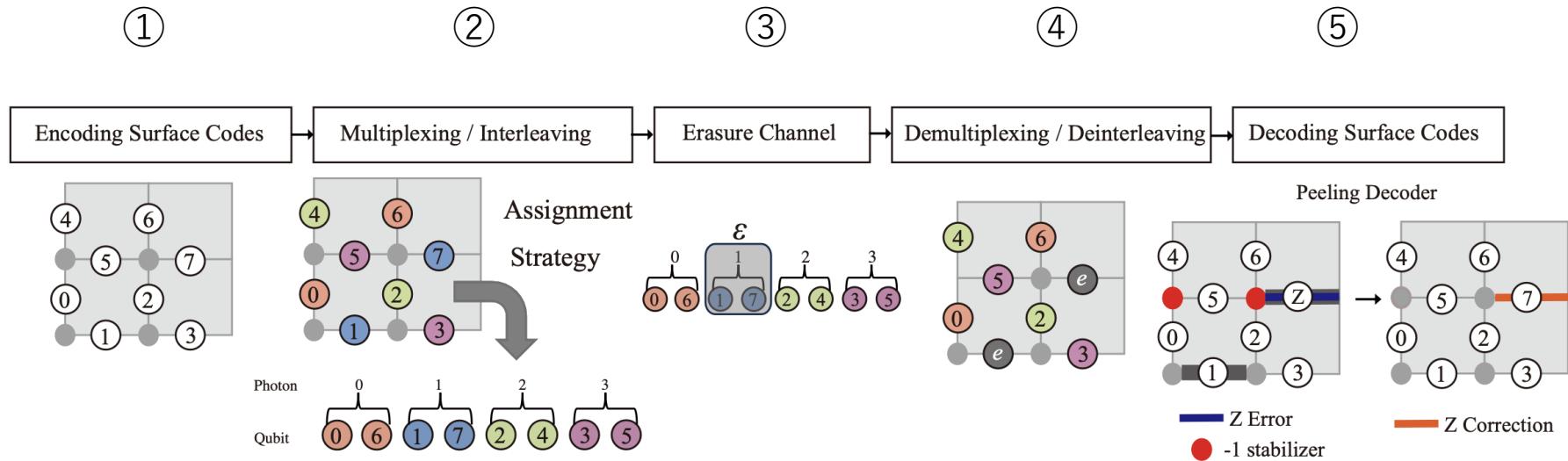
→ We can detect erasure without destruction!

0. detect erasure errors
1. replace the erased qubit with a mixed-state

$$\frac{\mathbb{I}}{2} = \frac{1}{4}(\rho + X\rho X + Y\rho Y + Z\rho Z)$$

2. stabilizer measurement
3. Decoding (calculate syndrome and correct)

# Proposal Quantum multiplexed SC comm



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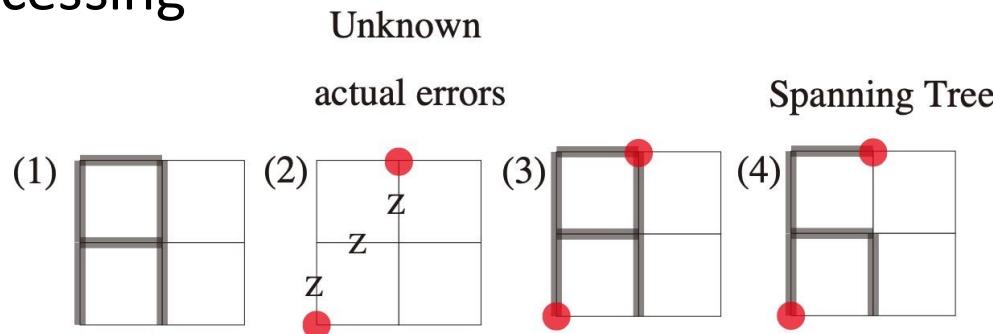
# Correction procedure for erasure errors

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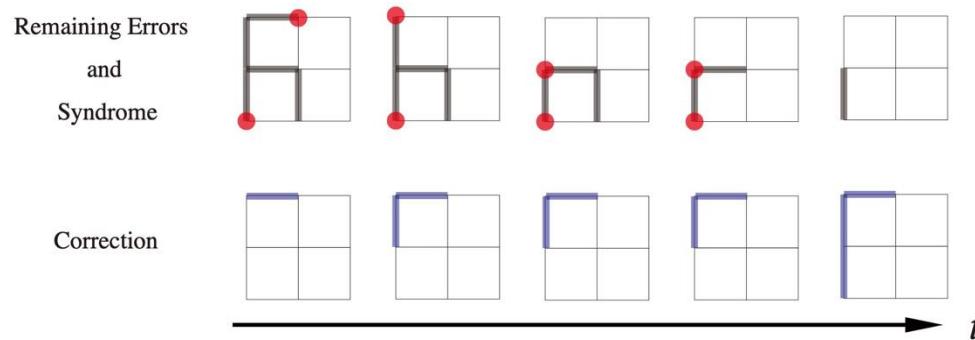
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# Erasure Correction with Surface Codes

## Preprocessing



## Peeling decoder [25]

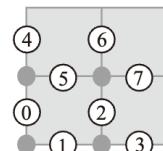
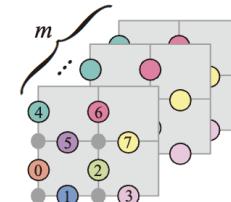
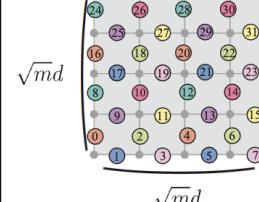
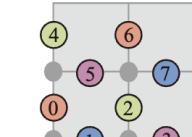


[25] N. Delfosse and G. Zémor, Linear-time maximum likelihood decoding of surface codes over the quantum erasure channel, Physical Review Research 2, 033042 (2020)

# Proposal: Three scenarios for QM Comm

Suppose we apply quantum multiplexing with  $m$  qubits per one photon, we can send

1.  $m$  different code words with the same # of photons
2.  $\sqrt{m} \times \sqrt{m}$  bigger code words with the same # of photons
3. Original code words with  $\frac{1}{m}$  photons

Scenarios				
Code parameters	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$	$[[2md^2, 1, \sqrt{md}]]$	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$
Number of Codes	1	$m$	1	1
Number of Data Qubits	$2d^2$	$2md^2$	$2md^2$	$2d^2$
Number of Photons	$2d^2$	$2d^2$	$2d^2$	$\lfloor 2d^2/m \rfloor$
Logical Error Rate	-	Same as without quantum multiplexing	Affected by classical correlation	Affected by classical correlation

# Scenario (A) Multiple Code Words

Sending  $m$  code words

- $m$  times better throughput
- No classical correlation inside a code

Scenarios	without multiplexing	(A)
Code parameters	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$
Number of Codes	1	$m$
Number of Data Qubits	$2d^2$	$2md^2$
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Logical Error Rate	-	Same as without quantum multiplexing

# Scenario (B) Large Code Word

Sending bigger codes

- Large code distance
- Encoding  $m$  qubits in a photon  
→ correlated Pauli errors

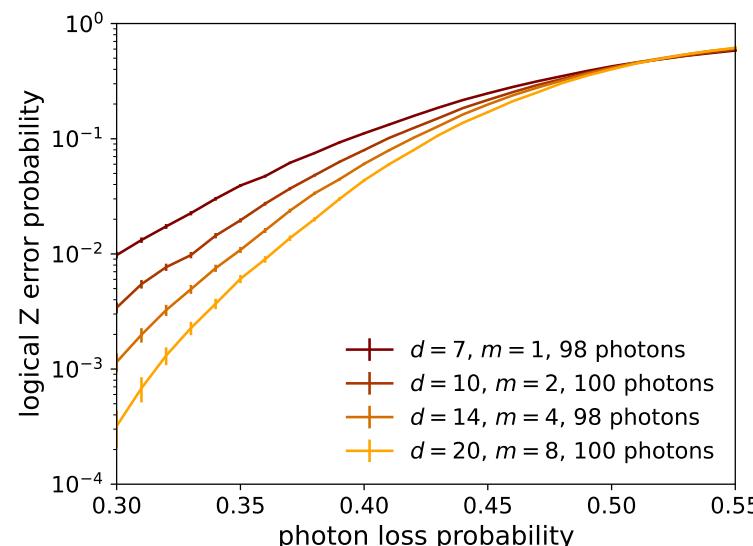
Scenarios	without multiplexing	(B)
Code parameters	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$	$[[2md^2, 1, \sqrt{md}]]$
Number of Codes	1	1
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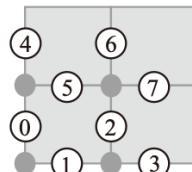
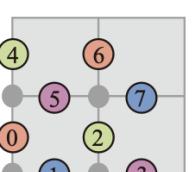
Benefit from the large distance is dominant



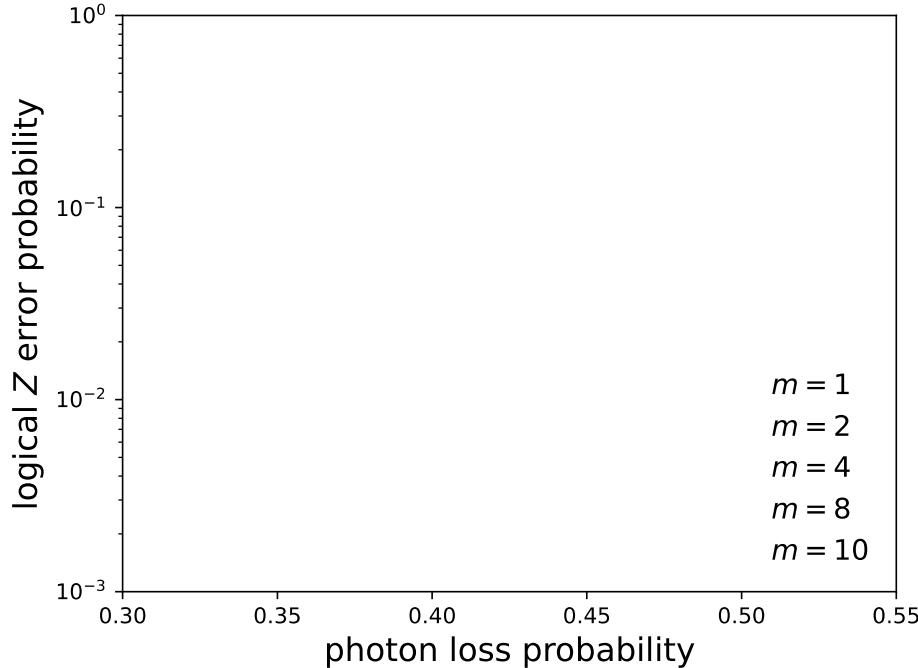
# Scenario (C)

Sending same codes with fewer photons

- $m$  times better throughput
- Encoding  $m$  qubits in a photon  
→ Classical correlation inside codewords

Scenarios		
	without multiplexing	(C)
Code parameters	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$	$[[2d^2, 1, d]]$
Number of Codes	1	1
Number of Data Qubits	$2d^2$	$2d^2$
Number of Photons	$2d^2$	$[2d^2/m]$
Logical Error Rate	-	Affected by classical correlation

# Scenario (C): Degradation caused by QM

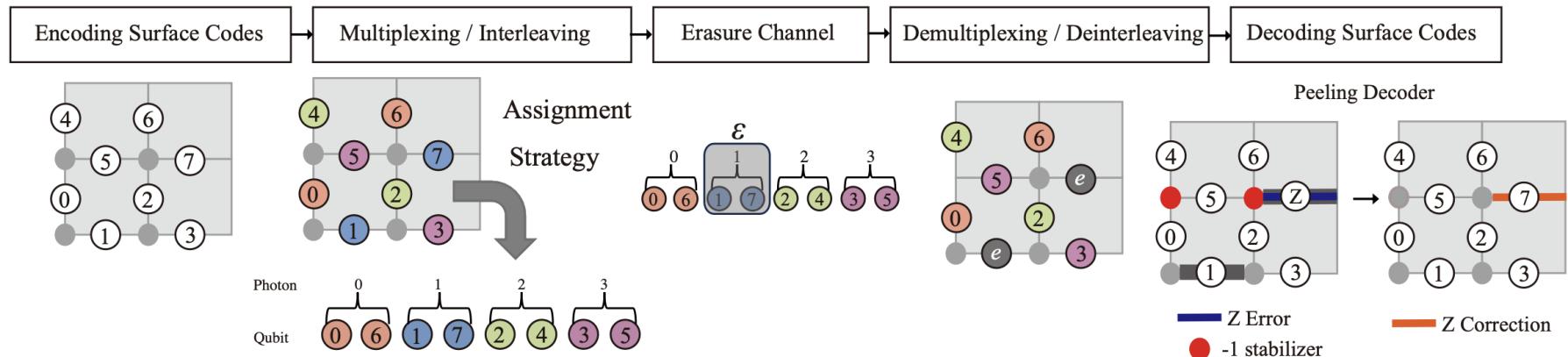


- There is a degree of freedom in the assignment of qubits to photons  
→ We propose 5 assignment strategies

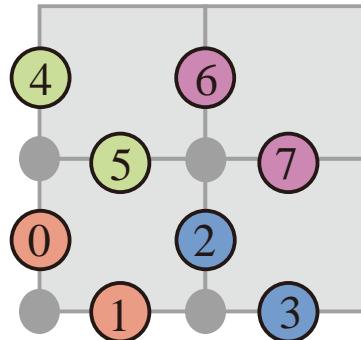
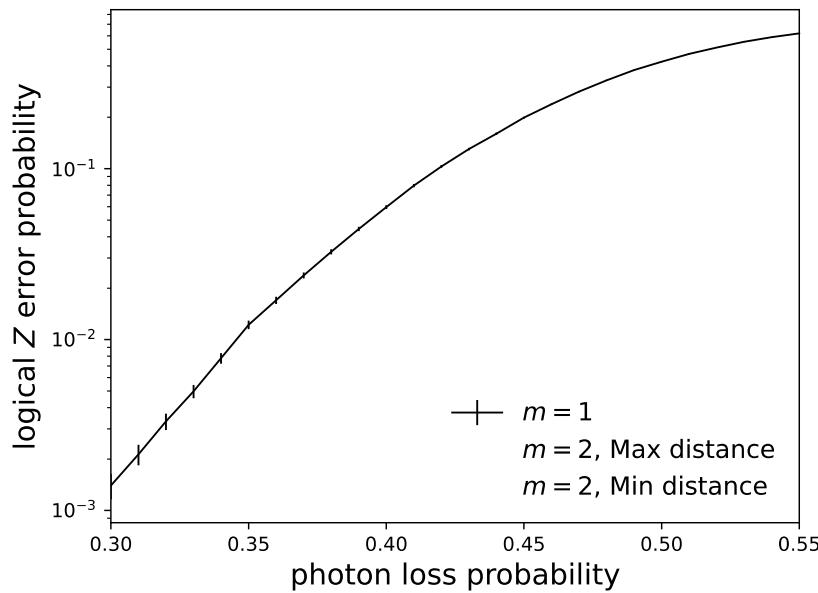
# Assignment strategy

The impact of introducing correlation on the performance is not trivial.

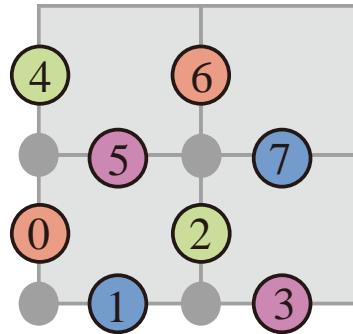
- Can negative effects of correlation be avoided?
- Is it possible to achieve better performance than no-multiplexing with reducing number of photons?



# Assignment strategies for QM



(i) Minimum distance



(ii) Maximum distance

Maximizing distance may help!

# Assignment strategies for QM (2)

## (iii) Uniformly random

Inspired by interleaving for classical error correction codes

## (iv) Random + Thresholds

For photons:

Threshold

$$T = \frac{d}{2} - 1$$

Pick 1<sup>st</sup> qubit randomly

While # of qubits in the photon <  $m$ :

Pick a candidate qubit  $c$  randomly.

if  $c$  has distance  $> T$  from nearest member:

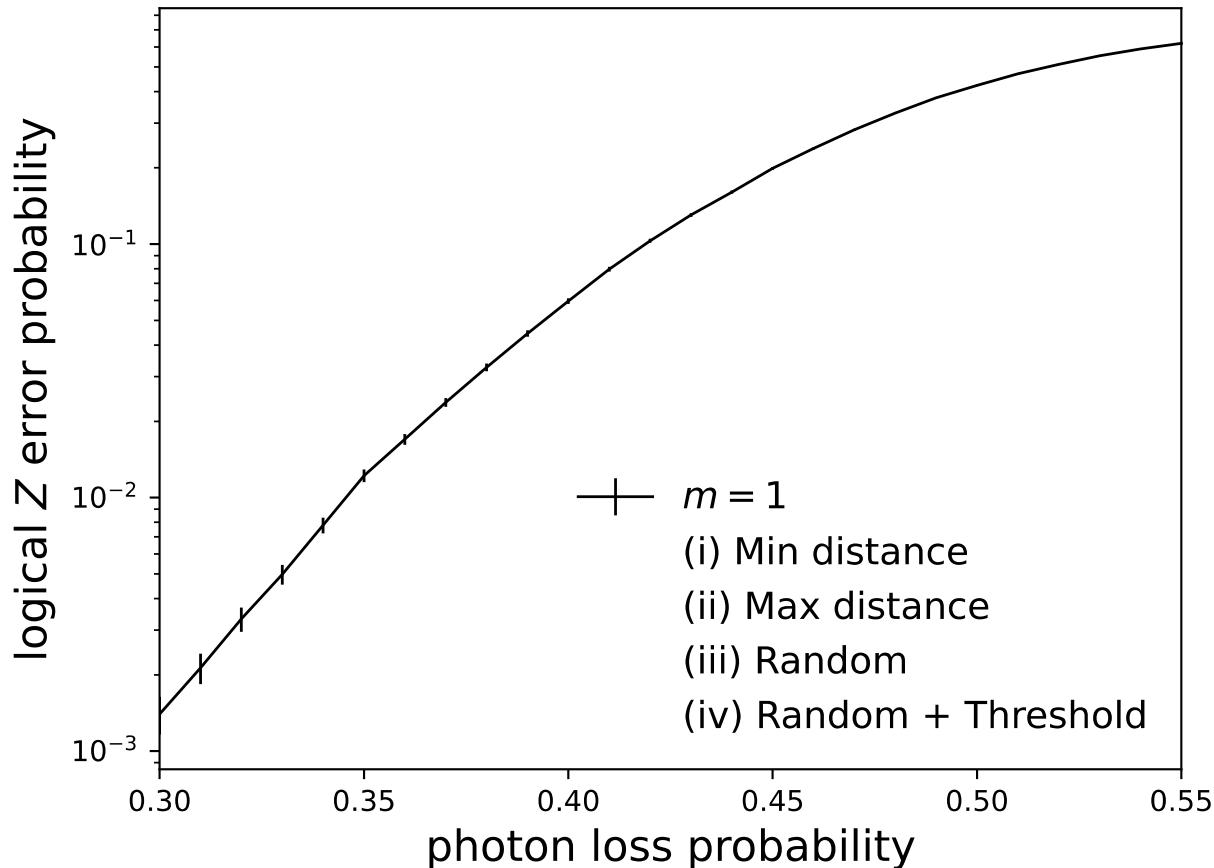
    add  $c$  to the photon

    if there is no candidate:

        update  $T$  as  $T - 1$

# Comparison on assignment strategies

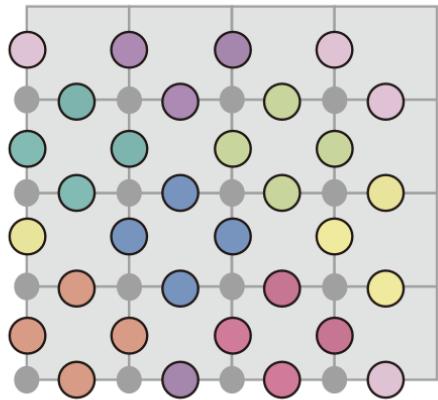
$m = 2$



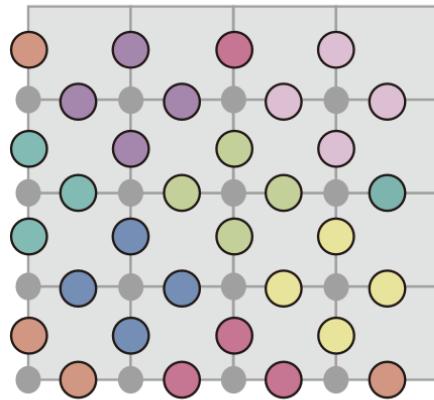
- Randomness and maximizing the distance has positive effect

# Assignment strategies for QM

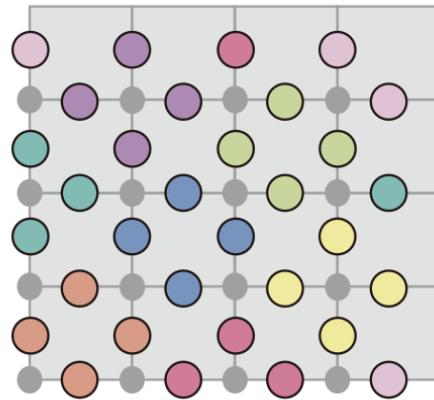
(v) Stabilizer based



**Z-stabilizer**



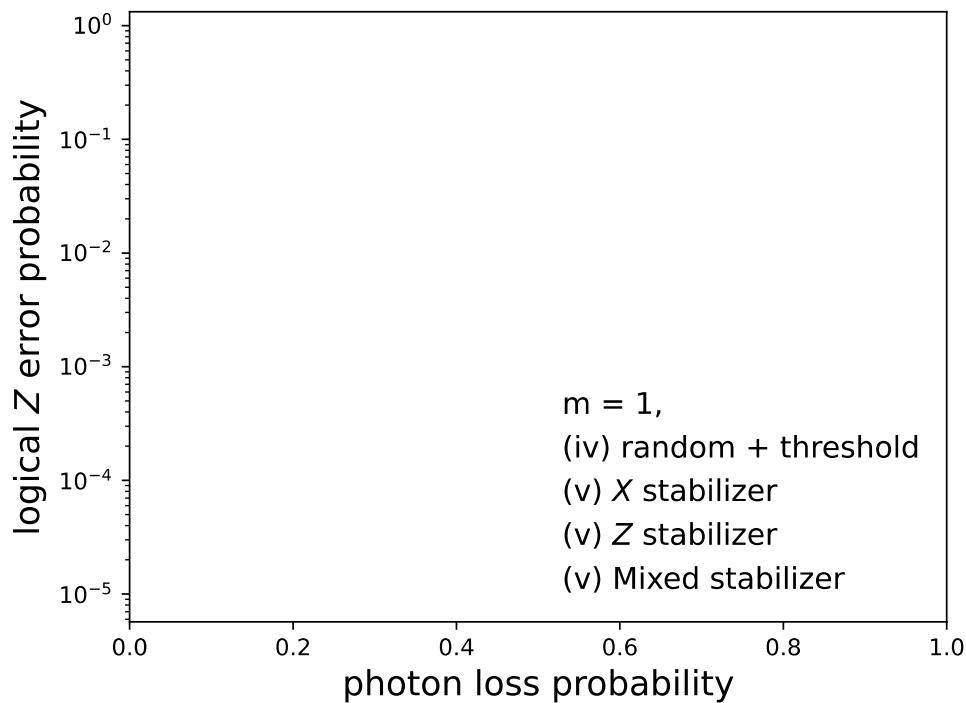
**X-stabilizer**



**Mixed**

# Assignment strategies for QM

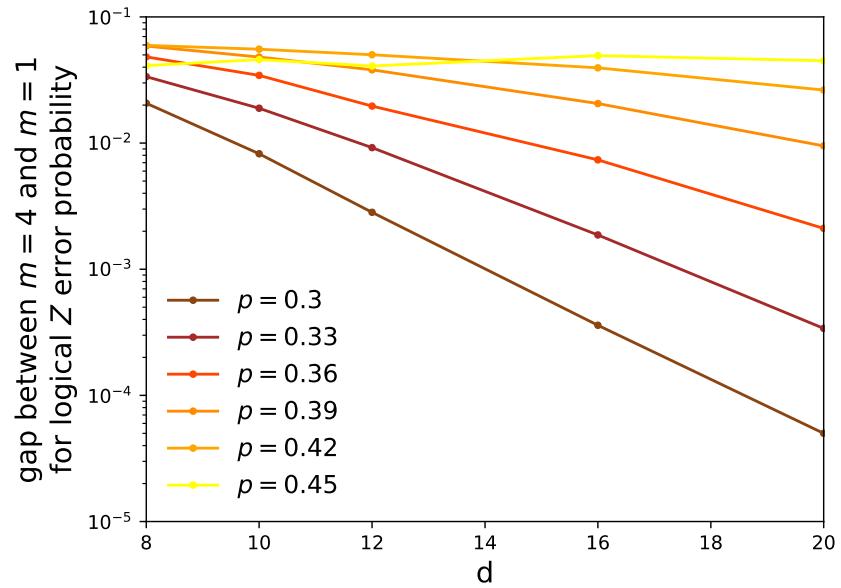
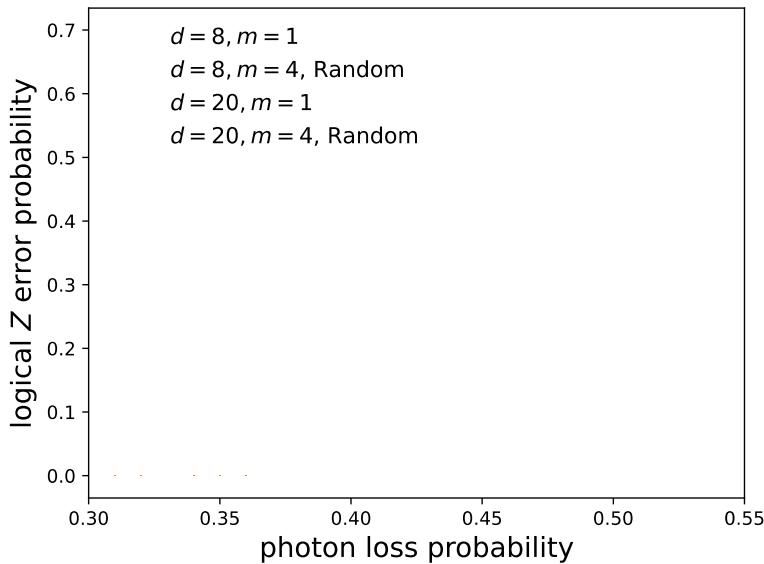
$m = 4$



- May be useful when using biased code or error is biased

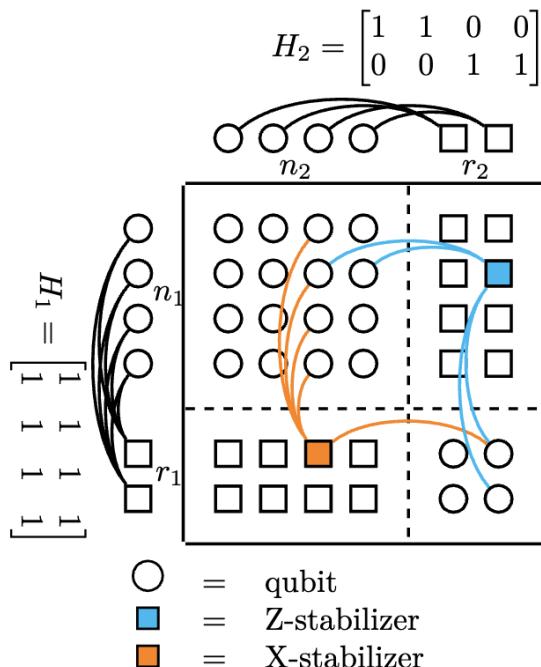
# Scaling the code

If  $m \ll d$ , classical correlation can be ignored

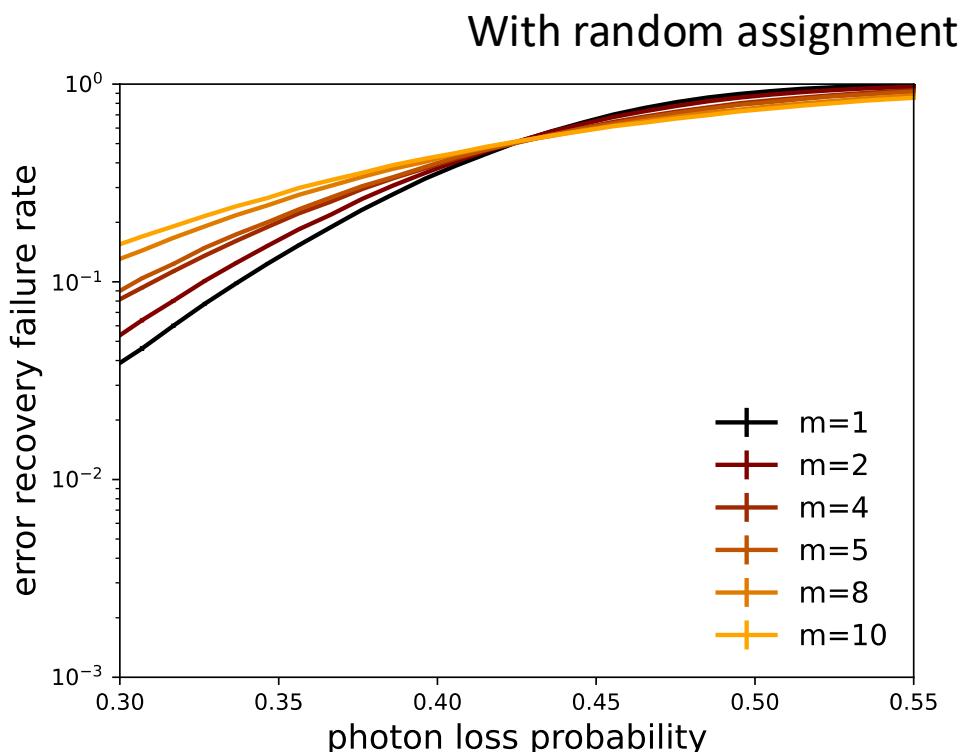


# Hypergraph Product (HGP) Codes

- Asymptotically finite rate
- Can be regarded as Generalized surface code  
Product of two ring graphs



$$H_X = \begin{bmatrix} 1000100010001000 & 1000 \\ 0100010001000100 & 1000 \\ \textcolor{red}{0010001000100010} & \textcolor{red}{0100} \\ 0001000100010001 & 0100 \\ 1000100010001000 & 0010 \\ 0100010001000100 & 0010 \\ 0100010001000100 & 0010 \\ 0010001000100010 & 0001 \\ 0001000100010001 & 0001 \end{bmatrix} \quad H_Z = \begin{bmatrix} 11000000000000000000 & 1010 \\ 00110000000000000000 & 0101 \\ 00001100000000000000 & 1010 \\ \textcolor{blue}{00000011000000000000} & \textcolor{blue}{0101} \\ 00000000110000000000 & 1010 \\ 00000000011000000000 & 0101 \\ 00000000001100000000 & 0101 \\ 00000000000110000000 & 1010 \\ 00000000000011000000 & 0101 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Non-ML Decoder

Maximally-likelihood Decoder for HGP (Gaussian elimination )

$$O(n^3)$$

Combined decoder (peeling + pruned peeling + VH)[26]

$$O(n^2) \text{ or } O(n^{1.5}) \text{ for probabilistic version}$$

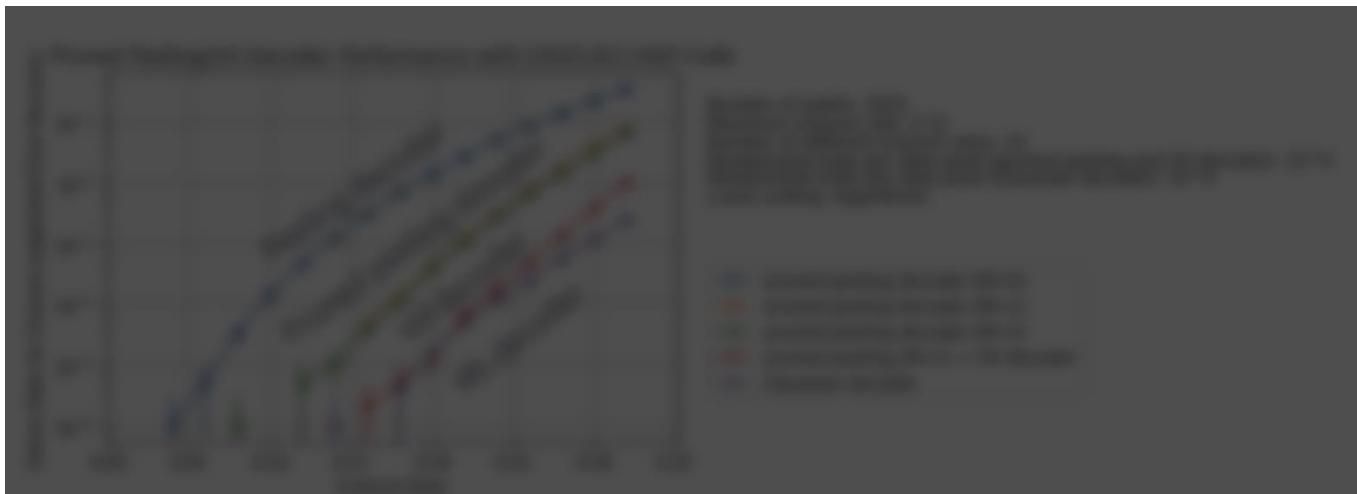


Fig from [26]

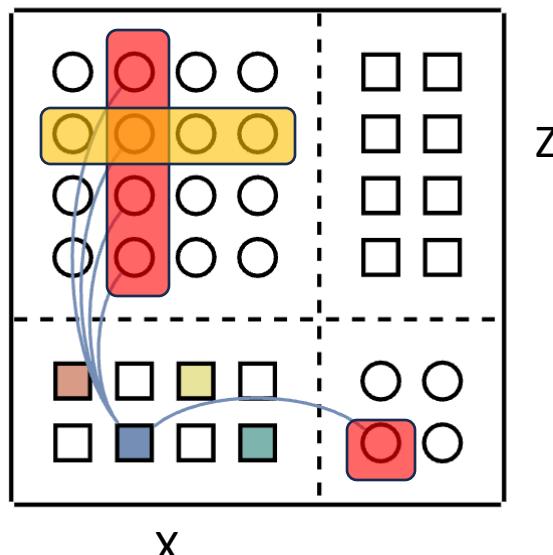
[26]N. Connolly, V. Londe, A. Leverrier, and N. Delfosse, “Fast erasure decoder for hypergraph product codes,” Quantum, vol. 8, p. 1450, Aug. 2024, doi: 10.22331/q-2024-08-27-1450.

# Decoding stopping set

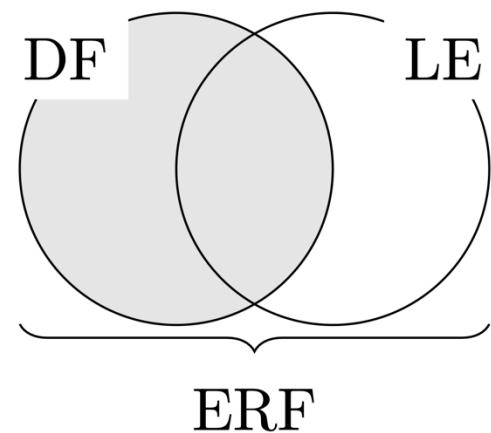
Combined decoder[26] runs in  $O(n^2)$

Two types of stopping set 

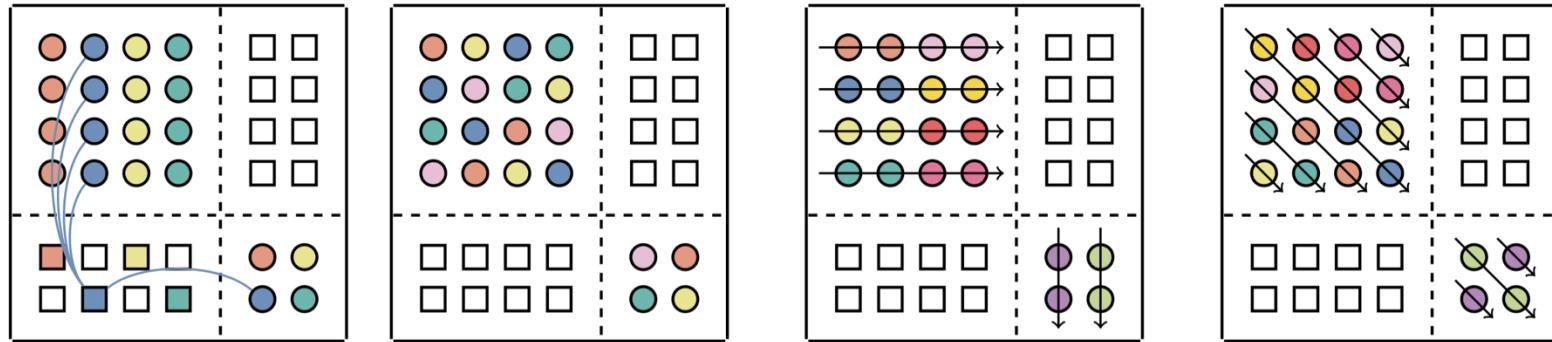
- Stabilizer stopping set  
All qubits in support of the x/z stabilizer
- Classical stopping set   
entire row or column: classical codes



Error Recovery Failure (ERF)  
• Decoding Failure (DF)  
• Logical Error (LE)



# Hypergraph Product (HGP) Codes



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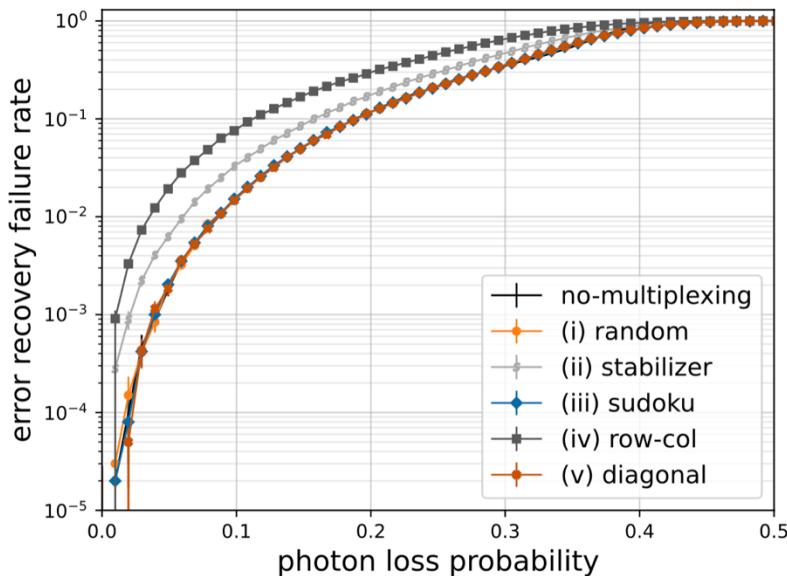
Strategy ii. Stabilizer    Strategy iii. Sudoku    Strategy iv. Row-Column    Strategy v. Diagonal

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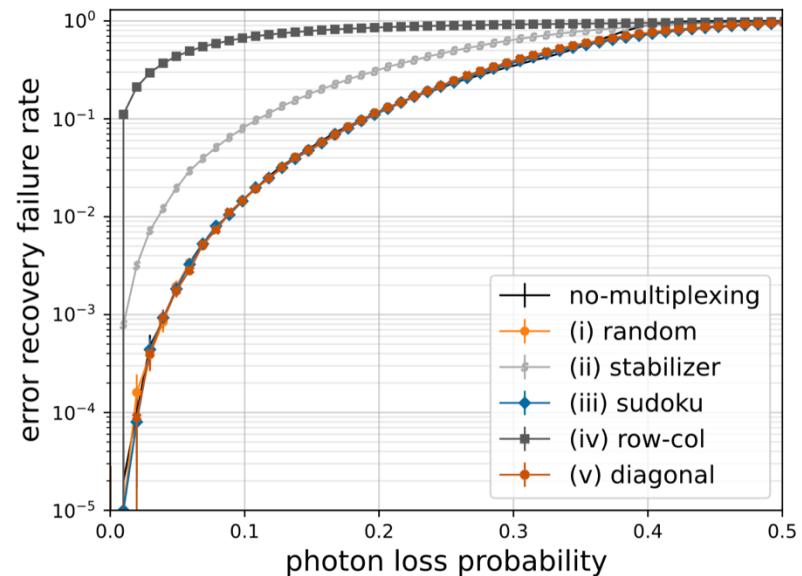
- Calculate distance is not as easy as surface codes
- Decoder-aware assignment strategies
- Without proper placement, the effect of degradation increases a lot with  $m$

# Hypergraph Product (HGP) Codes

$[[512, 8]]$  HGP codes ( $16 \times 16, 16 \times 16$ )



$m = 4$



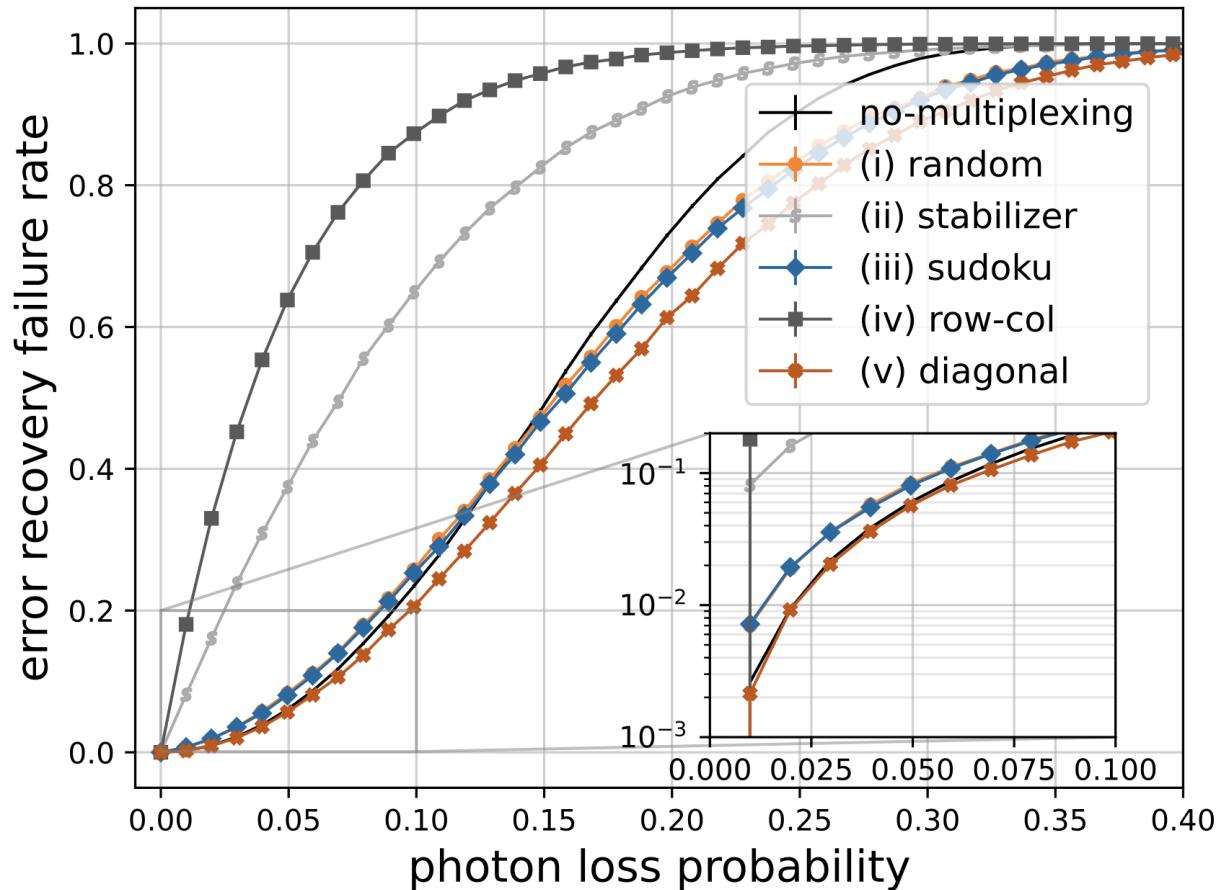
$m = 16$

(v) can achieve the same performance as without multiplexing while significantly reducing the resources required

# Hypergraph Product (HGP) Codes

$[[320, 82]]$  HGP codes ( $16 \times 16, 8 \times 8$ )

$m = 8$



(v) is even better than no-multiplexing!

# Summary



QM reduce required number of resources

- Number of gates → fast encoding
- Number of photons → Increase the throughput

QM may introduce a correlation on errors in qubits

- It may increase the logical error rate

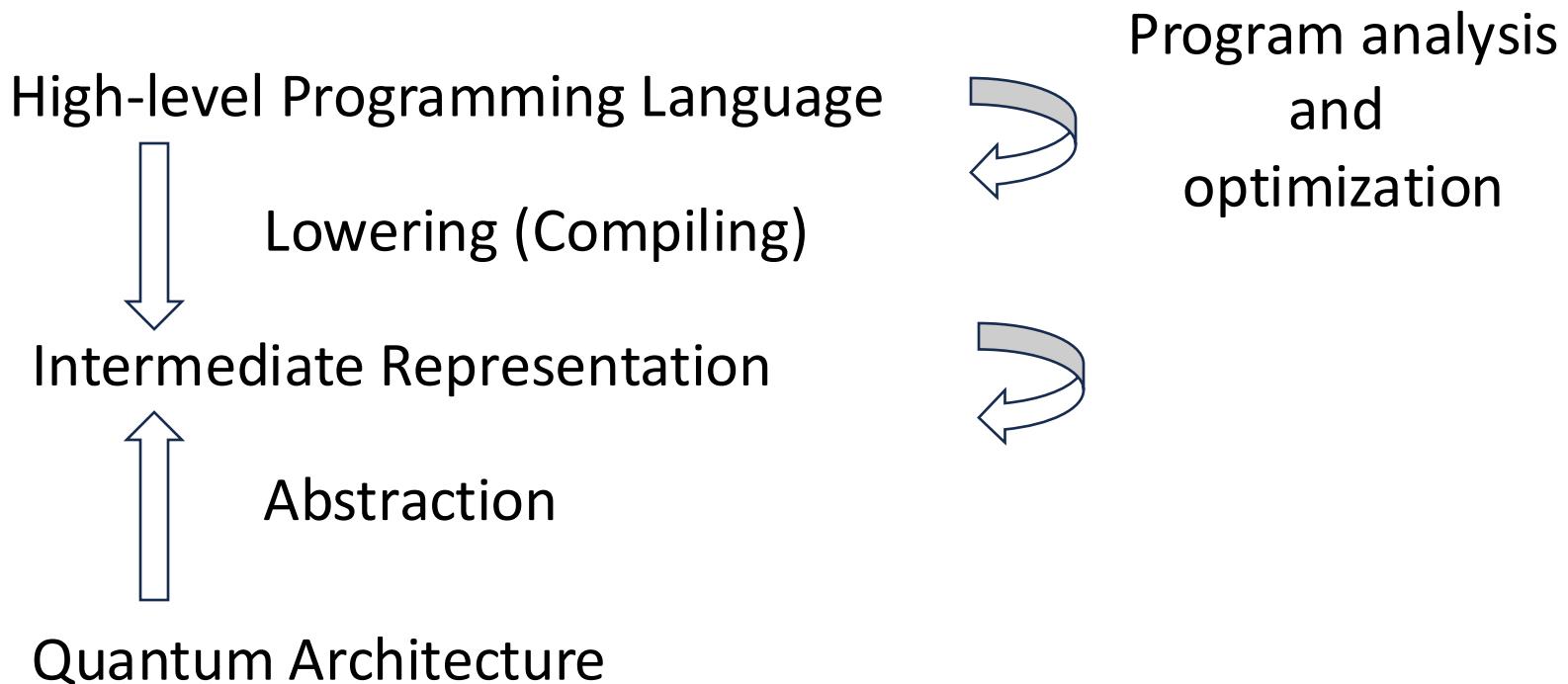
↑ could be dealt with assignment strategies

- Code structure aware (Surface codes)
- Decoder aware (HGP codes)



- Other assignment strategy
- Threshold behavior
- Efficiency of conversion of qubits to photons

# 3-2 Programming Language and IR



# Merits of formally defined Language

1. Allow us to discuss the behavior of programs  
→ Program verification (guarantee that a program has some property during execution)
  
2. Modeling of computation in an appropriate way  
→ More sophisticated program analysis, optimization, and intuitive structure of codes

# 3-2 Formal language for modular arch

## Setting

- Multiple quantum processors linked via quantum channels to realize scalable quantum computers
- Remote operations are achieved by using quantum channels

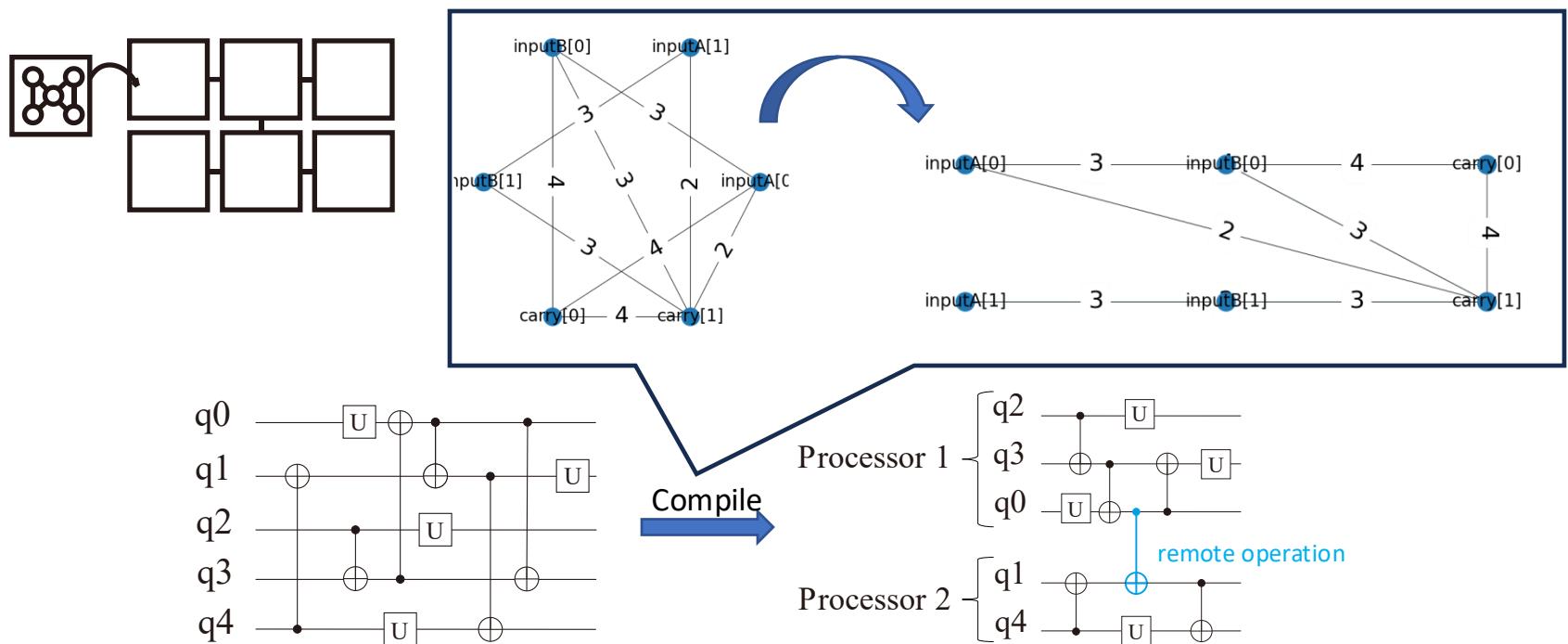
# Compilation for circuit distribution

- Many quantum algorithms are designed for monolithic architectures
  - It is difficult to implement quantum circuits with existing frameworks (e.g. QMPI [27])

[27] T. Häner, D. S. Steiger, T. Hoefler, and M. Troyer, “Distributed quantum computing with QMPI”

# Compilation for circuit distribution

- Distributed quantum compilers [28, 29] map quantum circuits to interconnected architectures



[28] D. Ferrari, A. S. Cacciapuoti, M. Moretti, and M. Caleffi, “Compiler design for distributed quantum computing”

[29] O. Daei, K. Navi, and M. Zomorodi-Moghadam, “Optimized Quantum Circuit Partitioning”

# How to define a typed IR

1. Instruction set and syntax

Universality  
Physical constraints  
High-level or low-level?

2. Semantics

How does the program behave?  
Operational semantics,

3. Type system

What kind of property would be required for “safe execution”?

# InQuIR: programming language

## Flow

### 1. Define the syntax

$$\begin{aligned} e ::= & x = \text{init}() \\ | & U(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\ | & x = \text{meas}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\ | & x = \text{genEnt } p \\ | & \text{entSwap } x_1 \ x_2 \\ | & \text{QSEND } x_1 \ \text{via } x_2 \\ | & x_1 = \text{QRECV } \text{via } x_2 \\ | & \text{RCXC } x_1 \ \text{via } x_2 \\ | & \text{RCXT } x_1 \ \text{via } x_2 \\ U ::= & X \mid Y \mid Z \mid CX \mid \dots \end{aligned}$$

### 2. Define (operational) semantics

How the runtime state transitions

e.g.

$$\frac{\forall v_i \in DataQubit \cup CommQubit}{[\rho, Q, E, \llbracket U(v_1, \dots, v_n); P \rrbracket_p, H] \rightarrow [U_{v_1, \dots, v_n} \rho U_{v_1, \dots, v_n}^\dagger, Q, E, \llbracket P \rrbracket_p, H]}$$

### 3. Fast static analysis with type system!

$$\frac{N + 1 \mid \Gamma \vdash e}{N \mid \Gamma, x : \text{qbit} \vdash \text{QSEND } x \text{ via } n; e} \quad \frac{N > 0 \quad N - 1 \mid \Gamma, x : \text{qbit} \vdash e}{N \mid \Gamma \vdash x = \text{QRECV } \text{via } n; e}$$

Typing rules for qubit usage analysis

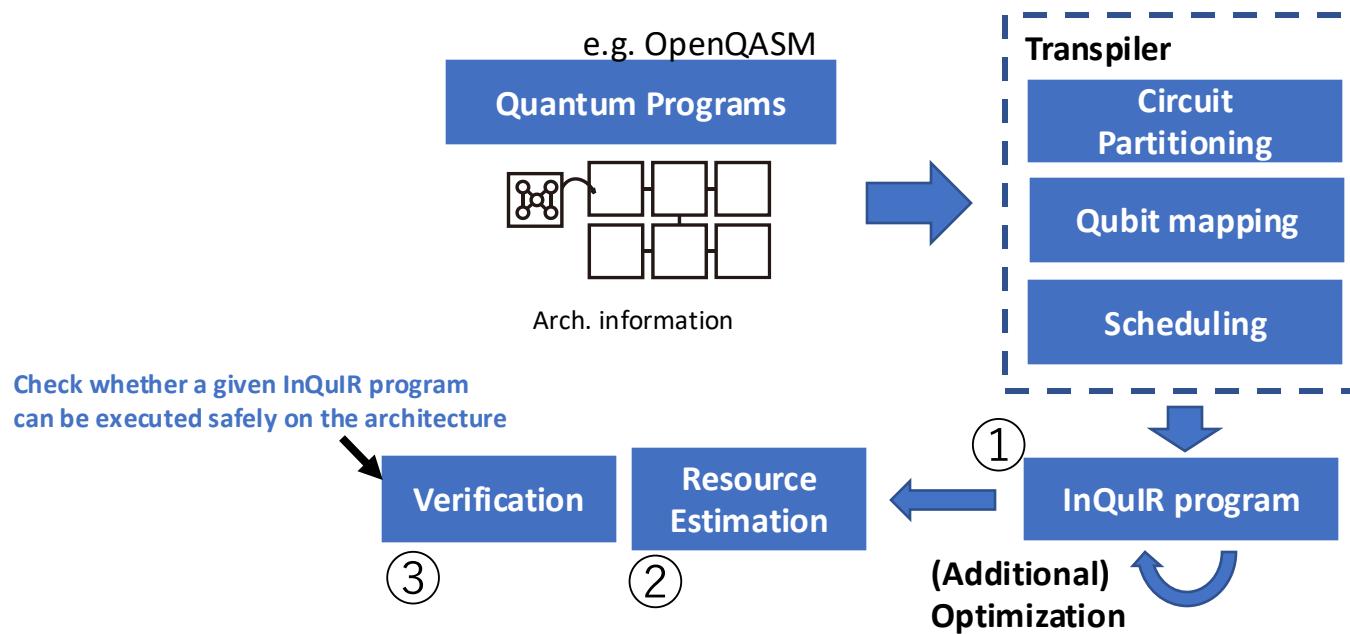
# Programming language for modular architecture

Introducing a quantum programming language to distributed quantum compilers has several advantages:

- The semantics of quantum programs are formally defined,  
so resource consumption can be estimated precisely
- Undesirable behaviors can be detected by using  
methods of  
static program analysis (e.g. type systems, abstract  
interpretation)
- Different quantum compilers can use the same program  
format

# Contribution: InQuIR

- We propose **InQuIR**, an Intermediate Representation for Interconnected Quantum Computers (First formal language for distributed QC)



# The (Brief) Syntax of InQuIR

$$\begin{aligned}
 e ::= & x = \text{init}() \\
 | & U(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\
 | & x = \text{meas}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\
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 | & \text{RCXT } x_1 \ \text{via } x_2 \\
 U ::= & X \mid Y \mid Z \mid CX \mid \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

Each processor  $p$  has a sequence of instructions  $\vec{e}_p$  to execute

Generate an entanglement with a processor  $p$ , and give it a label  $x$

Sending/Receiving a qubit data by quantum teleportation consuming an entanglement  $x_2$

Applying a Remote CX gate (in the Control/Target side) consuming an entanglement  $x_2$

# Applying CX gates remotely in InQuIR

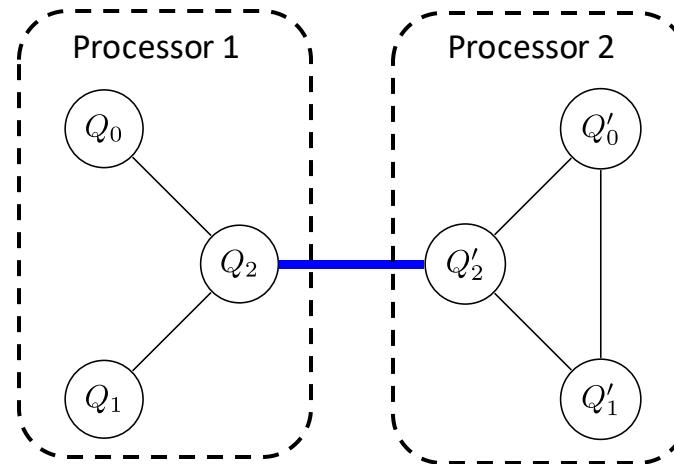
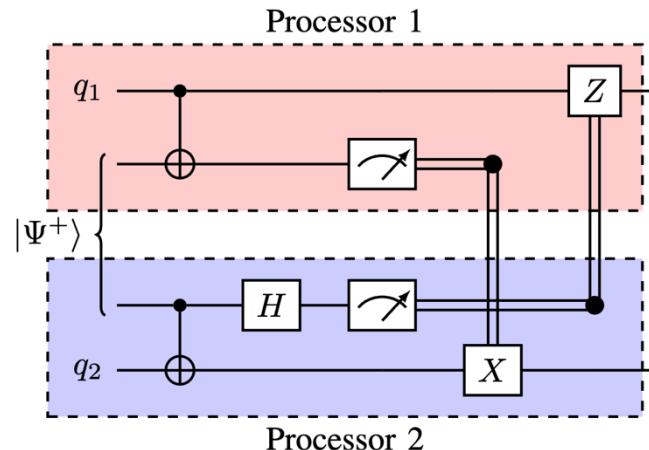
## Concurrent Processes

### Processor 1 (p1):

```
q0, q1 = init();
q2 = genEnt p2;
RCXC q0 via q2;
q2 = genEnt p2;
QSEND q1 via q2;
```

### Processor 2 (p2):

```
q0', q1' = init();
q2' = genEnt p1;
RCXT q0' via q2';
q2' = genEnt p1;
q1' = QRECV via
q2';
CX q0' q1';
```



# Two (toy) Compilation Strategies

**Processor 1 (p1):**

```
q0, q1 = init();
q2 = genEnt p2;
RCXC q0 via q2;
q2 = genEnt p2;
QSEND q1 via q2;
```

**Processor 2:**

```
q0', q1' = init();
q2' = genEnt p1;
RCXT q0' via q2';
q2' = genEnt p1;
q1' = QRECV via
q2';
CX q0' q1';
```

## 1. RCX strategy

- Use RCXC/RCXT

## 2. MOVE strategy

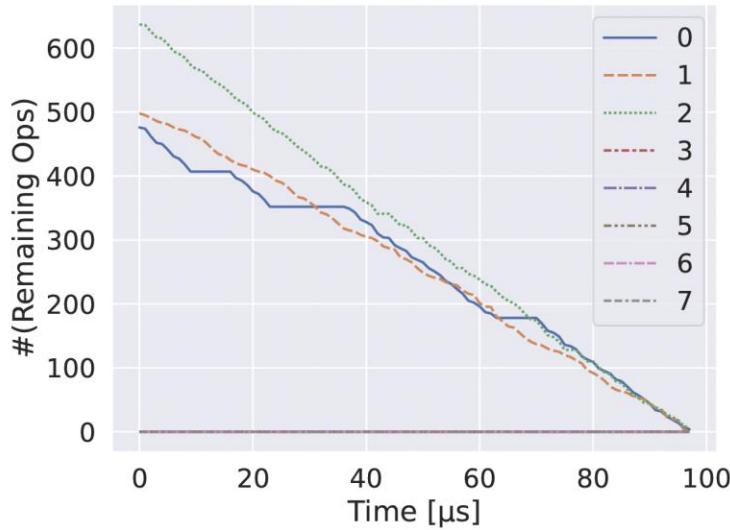
- Use QMOVE/QRECV

- #(communication depth) [30]

circuit name	RCX strategy	MOVE strategy
adder_63	304	334
life_238	5026	7220

[30] D. Ferrari, A. S. Cacciapuoti, M. Amoretti, and M. Caleffi, “Compiler design for distributed quantum computing”

# Network utilization analysis and visualization



Evaluation of compilation strategies  
by the same indicators (e.g. # of instructions, depth)

Estimating the hardware topology required for apps  
→ provide guidelines for hardware design

Future works?

- Introduction of new metrics for evaluation
- QEC and FT logics
- Find the “bugs” you want to verify with type system
- (Implementations...)

Circuit name	$N$	E-count	C-count	Linear: $(2, 2) \times 8$			Linear: $(2, 4) \times 8$			Linear: $(2, 6) \times 8$		
				$D_E$	$D_C$	cost[ns]	$D_E$	$D_C$	cost	$D_E$	$D_C$	cost [ns]
adr4_197	16	5308	10616	1020	3150	1562850	510	2248	751630	510	2248	751630
ising_model_16	16	140	280	10	20	13510	5	20	7280	5	20	7280
rd53_138	16	122	244	33	74	47730	17	66	23610	17	66	23610
sqn_258	16	15054	30108	2843	9606	4393910	1365	6024	2136340	1365	6024	2136340
root_255	16	31286	62572	5112	19268	8086560	2596	12878	3942970	2596	12878	3942970
4gt12-v1_89	16	224	448	68	136	97370	34	118	48780	34	118	48780
9symml_195	16	66732	133464	10512	40366	16504980	5342	25616	8025860	5342	25616	8025860
life_238	16	42796	85592	6755	26076	10628990	3432	16564	5153840	3432	16564	5153840

# Verification of InQuIR

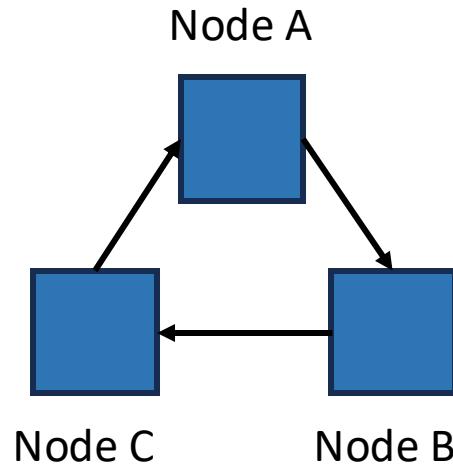
- We can statically check the “safety” of InQuIR programs by static program analysis
  - e.g. the qubit exhaustion and deadlocks do not occur
- A type system can be formalized to analyze qubit utilization

$$\frac{N + 1 \mid \Gamma \vdash e}{N \mid \Gamma, x : \text{qbit} \vdash \text{QSEND } x \text{ via } n; e} \quad \frac{N > 0 \quad N - 1 \mid \Gamma, x : \text{qbit} \vdash e}{N \mid \Gamma \vdash x = \text{QRECV} \text{ via } n; e}$$

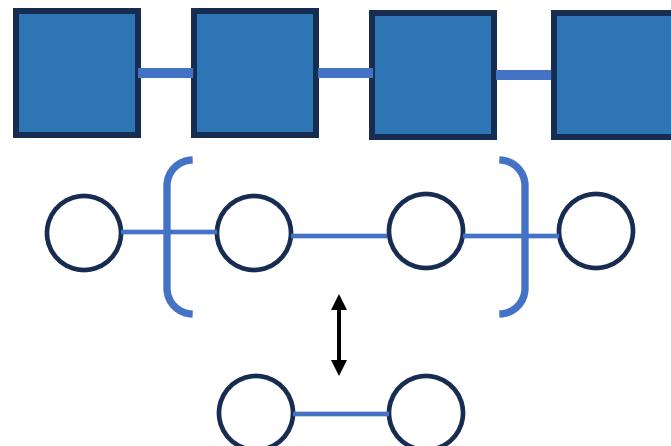
Typing rules for qubit usage analysis

# Verification of InQuIR

- Case study: deadlock free



Waiting relation is cyclic  
→ stack!



Path blocking for entanglement swapping

# Ongoing & Future Work

- Extending primitive operations of InQuIR to enable sophisticated optimizations
  - RCXC/RCXT should be decomposed to enable quasi-parallelism [31]
- Dealing with nondeterministic protocol
  - Entanglement purification / feed-forward
- Seeking new metrics to monitor resource usage

[31] D. Cuomo, M. Caleffi, K. Krsulich, F. Tramonto, G. Agliardi, E. Prati, and A. S. Cacciapuoti, “Optimized compiler for distributed quantum computing”

# 4. Towards large-scale quantum computer

For the implementation of useful & scalable FTQC

- Topological codes → High-rate LDPC codes

符号	$k$	$d$	degree
2D surface codes	$O(1)$	$n^{\frac{1}{2}}$	4
2D hyperbolic surface codes	$\Omega(n)$	$\log(n)$	$O(1)$
3D surface codes	$O(1)$	$(n \log n)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	$O(1)$
Hypergraph product codes	$\Omega(n)$	$n^{\frac{1}{2}}$	$O(1)$

Bivariate bicycle



Bravyi, Sergey, et al. "High-threshold and low-overhead fault-tolerant quantum memory." *Nature* 627.8005 (2024): 778-782.

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overhead for magic state distillation scales as  $O(\log^\gamma(1/\epsilon))$

## ~~Open Question~~

Is there any quantum error correction codes with  $\gamma \rightarrow 0$

where  $\gamma = \log_d \frac{n}{k}$ ?

Yes! There exist![32-35]

[32] Adam Wills, Min-Hsiu Hsieh, and Hayata Yamasaki.  
Constant-Overhead Magic State Distillation, August 2024.  
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CCZ gate, August 2024. arXiv:2408.10140 [quant-ph].

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Quantum Rainbow Codes, August 2024. arXiv: 2408.13130 [quant-ph]

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# 4. Towards large-scale quantum computer

Quantum Error Correction Codes & Hardware



Logical Gate Implementation & Microarchitecture



Domain-specific Language



Compilation, Resource Analysis, and Verification



Architecture

# Summary

## Hardness of braided quantum circuit optimization in the surface code

- Kunihiro Wasa, **Shin Nishio**, Koki Suetsugu, Michael Hanks, Ashley Stephens, Yu Yokoi, Kae Nemoto
- IEEE Transactions on Quantum Engineering [vol. 4, pp. 1-7, 2023](#)
- preprint: [arXiv\[quant-ph\] 2302.00273](#)

## InQuIR: Intermediate Representation for Interconnected Quantum Computers

- **Shin Nishio**, Ryo Wakizaka
- preprint: [arXiv\[quant-ph\] 2302.00267](#)

## Resource Reduction in Multiplexed High-Dimensional Quantum Reed-Solomon Codes

- **Shin Nishio**, Nicolò Lo Piparo, Michael Hanks, William John Munro, Kae Nemoto
- Physical Review A [107, 032620](#)
- preprint: [arXiv\[quant-ph\] 2206.03712](#)

## Multiplexed Quantum Communication with Surface and Hypergraph Product Codes

- **Shin Nishio**, Nicholas Connolly, Nicolò Lo Piparo, William John Munro, Thomas Rowan Scruby, Kae Nemoto
- preprint: [arXiv\[quant-ph\] 2406.08832](#)

# Summary

- Quantum computing systems include the classical computer systems
  - Defect braiding circuit optimization Phys. Rev. A **107**, 032620
- Modular architecture may be an efficient implementation of large-scale FTQC systems
  - Multiplexing can reduce resources for communication Phys. Rev. A **107**, 032620, arXiv:**2406.08832**
  - Formal language and intermediate representation play an important role in program optimization and analysis arXiv:**2302.00267**

Thank you!

# CSS Code [16,17]

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{C}_1 &= [n, k_1, d_1] && \text{[physical, logical, min distance] dimension} \\ \mathcal{C}_2 &= [n, k_2, d_2] (\{0\} \subset \mathcal{C}_2 \subset \mathcal{C}_1 \subset \mathbb{F}_2^n, k_2 < k_1)\end{aligned}$$

It is possible to define coset of  $\mathcal{C}_2$  about  $\mathcal{C}_1$  since  $\mathcal{C}_2 \subset \mathcal{C}_1$ .

Especially  $\mathcal{C}_w = \{v + w | v \in \mathcal{C}_2\}$  is a set which separates  $\mathcal{C}_2$  into different cosets.

→ Each  $\mathcal{C}_w$  can choose unique set of  $k_1 - k_2$  vectors in  $\mathcal{C}_1$  (Coset representative)

Suppose  $v$  is a coset representative. The  $[n, k_1 - k_2]$  codeword is given as

$$|v\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^k}} \sum_{w \in C_2} |w + v\rangle$$

[16] A. Robert Calderbank, and Peter W. Shor. "Good quantum error-correcting codes exist." *Physical Review A* 54.2 (1996): 1098.

[17] Andrew Steane, "Multiple-particle interference and quantum error correction." *Proceedings of the Royal Society of London. Series A: Mathematical, Physical and Engineering Sciences* 452.1954 (1996): 2551-2577.

# Introduction to QRS : Galois Field

Galois Field is a field with finite number of elements. Addition /Multiplication for the element of  $GF(p)$  is defined as modulo  $p$  addition/multiplication where  $p$  is a prime number

e.g.  $GF(5) = \{0, \alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha^3, 1\}$

Suppose  $\alpha = 2$ , then  $GF(5) = \{0, 2, 4, 3, 1\}$

+	0	2	4	3	1
0	0	2	4	3	1
2	2	4	1	0	3
4	4	1	3	2	0
3	3	0	2	1	4
1	1	3	0	4	2

$\times$	0	2	4	3	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	4	3	1	2
4	0	3	1	2	4
3	0	1	2	4	3
1	0	2	4	3	1

# Expansion of Galois Field

It is possible to define Galois extension  $GF(p^k)$  by using minimal polynomial (monic  $k$ -dim polynomial of  $GF(p)$ ).

The root of the minimal polynomial is called primitive element and denote it by  $\alpha$ .

e.g.  $GF(2) = \{0,1\}$

$$GF(2^2) = \{0,1,\alpha,\alpha^2\}$$

$$f(x) = x^2 + x + 1 \quad \text{minimal polynomial}$$

+	0	1	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$
0	0	1	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$
1	1	0	$\alpha^2$	$\alpha$
$\alpha$	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$	0	1
$\alpha^2$	$\alpha^2$	$\alpha$	1	0

$\times$	0	1	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$
0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$
$\alpha$	0	$\alpha$	$\alpha^2$	1
$\alpha^2$	0	$\alpha^2$	1	$\alpha$

# Appendix: SUM Gate for $d = 5$

## RCA part

$4 \ 2 \ 1 \quad 4 \ 2 \ 1$   
 $|abc\rangle |def\rangle$

carry      check if  
8 4 2      7 6 5  
 $|000\rangle \quad |000\rangle$

$|abc\rangle |(a + d + c4)(b + e + c2)(c + f)\rangle |000\rangle$

if  $a=d==1$ :  
carry 8  
(overflow)

if  $b=e==1$ :  
carry 4

if  $c=f==1$ :  
carry 2      Full adder part  
                 (written in mod 8)

## Modulo part

do nothing for

check if (activate ancillae)

$$0 \equiv 0 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$5 \equiv 0 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$1 \equiv 1 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$6 \equiv 1 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$2 \equiv 2 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$7 \equiv 2 \text{ mod } 5$$

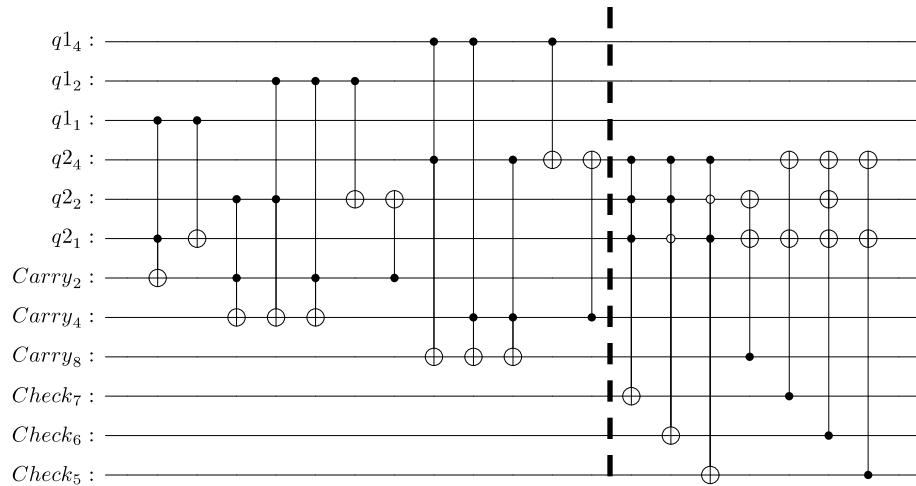
$$3 \equiv 3 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$8 \equiv 3 \text{ mod } 5$$

$$4 \equiv 4 \text{ mod } 5$$

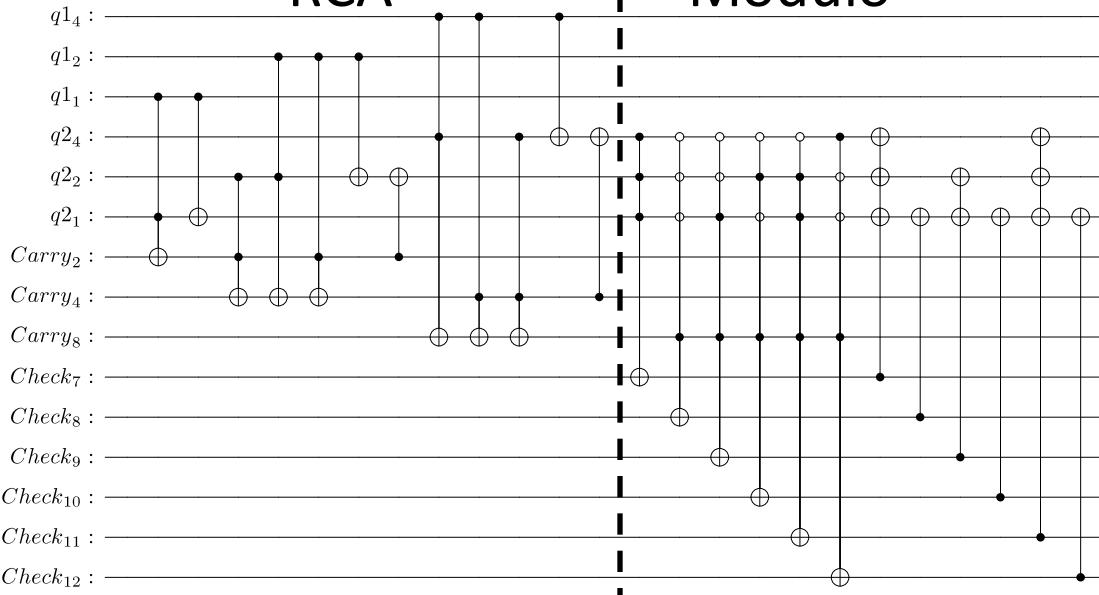
# Appendix: Implementation of SUM gate

mod 5



- $2(d - 1) \leq 2^k$

mod 7



- $2(d - 1) > 2^k$
- need to check the overflow  
→ require  $C_{k+1}X$  gate

# Appendix: $GF(2^m)$ QRS Code

- Required gates for  $GF(2^m)$  QRS code can be implemented using only CX gates
- A more efficient way to implement this using Toffoli has not been found.

e.g.  $GF(4)$

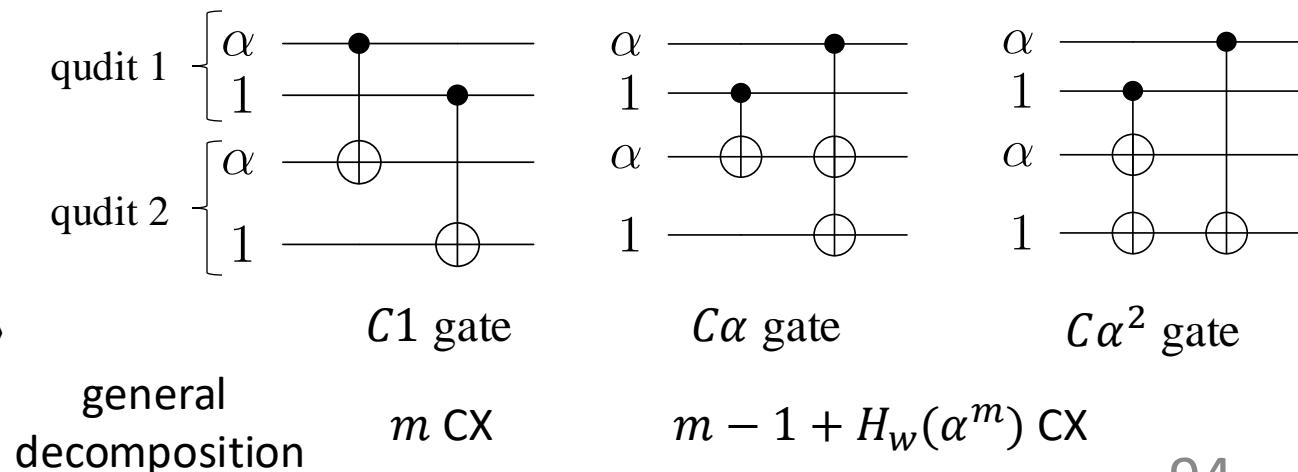
$$GF(4) = \{0, 1, \alpha, \alpha^2\} = \{0, 1, \alpha, \alpha + 1\} = \{00, 01, 10, 11\}$$

exponential      polynomial      vector

$x^2 + x + 1 = 0$   
primitive polynomial

Required gates

- $C1$  gate  
 $|a\rangle|b\rangle \rightarrow |a\rangle|a+b\rangle$
- $C\alpha$  gate  
 $|a\rangle|b\rangle \rightarrow |a\rangle|a\alpha + b\rangle$
- $C\alpha^2$  gate  
 $|a\rangle|b\rangle \rightarrow |a\rangle|a\alpha^2 + b\rangle$



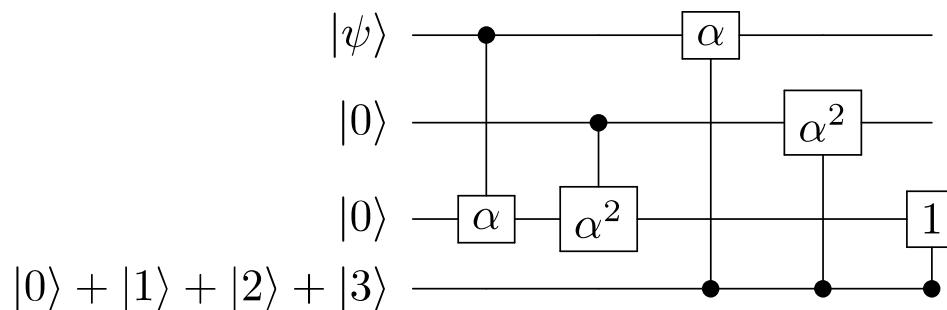
e.g.  $GF(2^m)$  QRS Code:  $[[3,1,3]]_5$  code

$$\mathcal{C}_1 = [3, 2, 2]_4 \quad \mathcal{C}_2 = [3, 1, 3]_4$$

generator matrix and parity check matrix

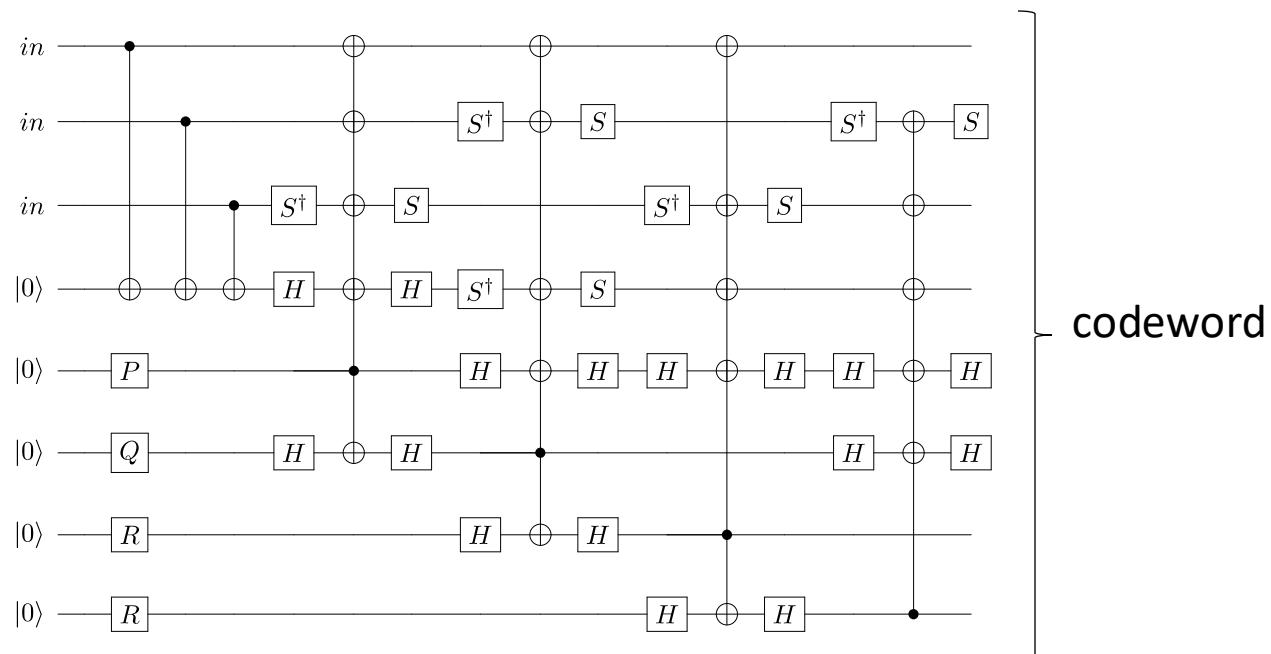
$$g(x) = (x - 1)(x - \alpha) = x^2 + (1 + \alpha)x + (\alpha)$$

$$G = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & \alpha^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



# Appendix: Stabilizer Codes

- Efficient encoding circuit for general stabilizer codes require many controlled gates with multi-targets[19].
- Cannot apply our method directly

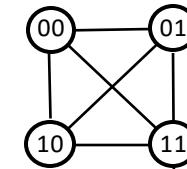
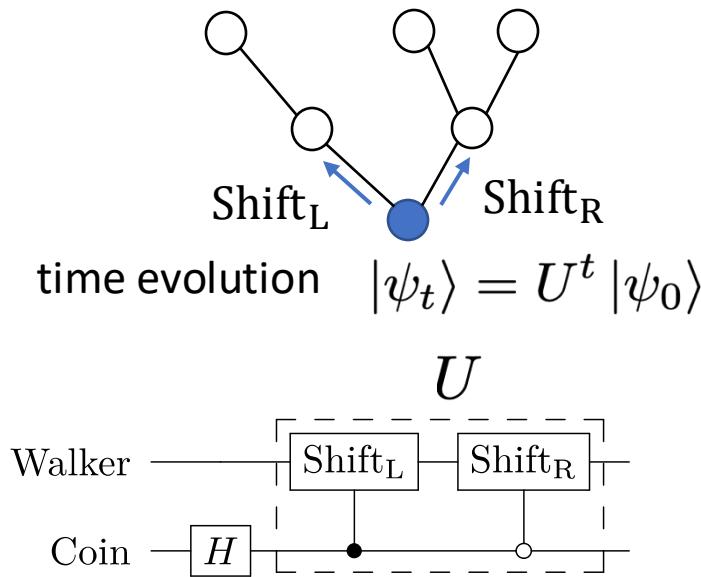


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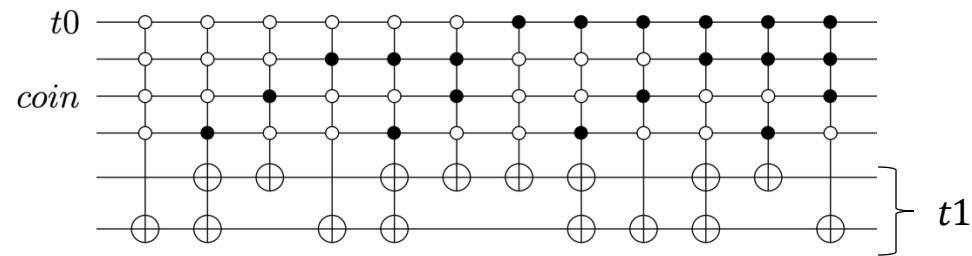
# Other Applications

## Discrete time quantum walk algorithm[15]

DTQW on a graph[16]



e.g. quantum walk on fully connected graph



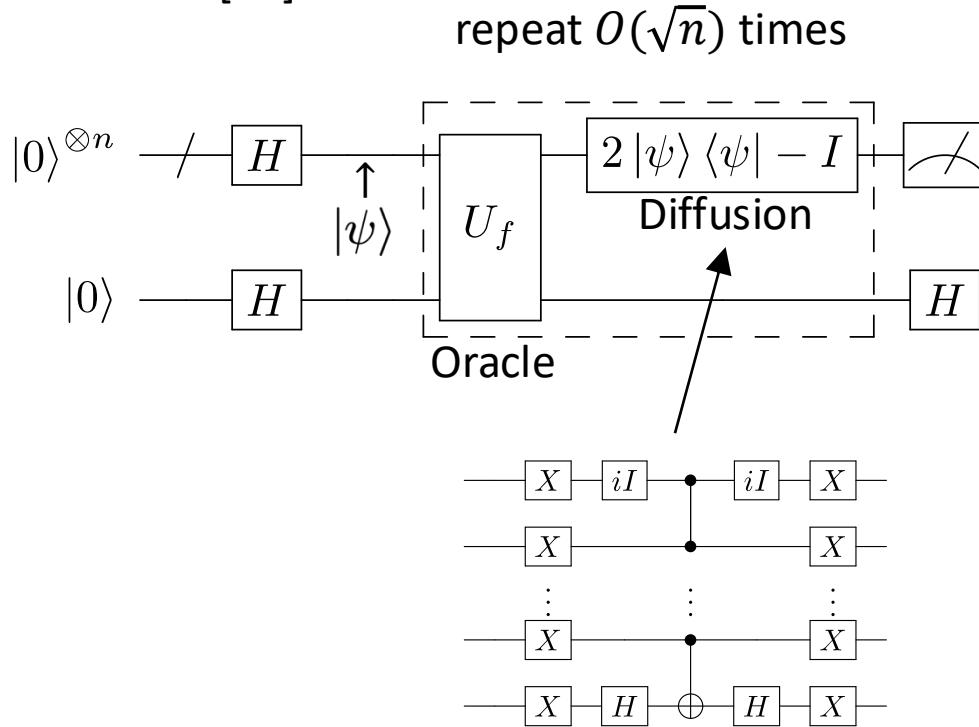
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# Other Applications

Grover's search[17]

Circuit Implementation [18]



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# Applying CX gates remotely in InQuIR

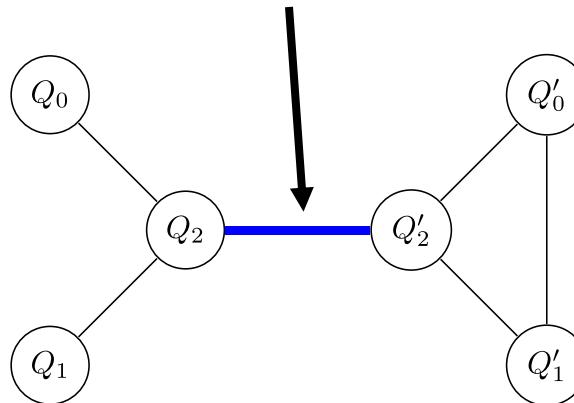
**Processor 1 (p1):**

```
q0, q1 = init();
q2 = genEnt p2; ←
RCXC q0 via q2;
q2 = genEnt p2;
QSEND q1 via q2;
```

**Processor 2 (p2):**

```
q0', q1' = init();
q2' = genEnt p1; ←
RCXT q0' via q2';
q2' = genEnt p1;
q1' = QRECV via
q2';
CX q0' q1';
```

Creating entanglement between  $Q_2$  and  $Q'_2$



# Applying CX gates remotely in InQuIR

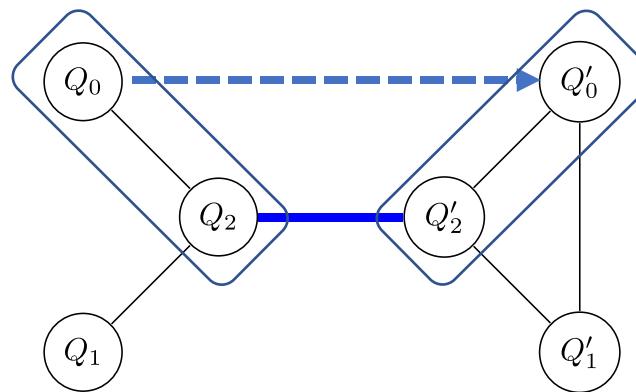
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q2 = genEnt p2;
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```

**Processor 2 (p2):**

```
q0', q1' = init();
q2' = genEnt p1;
RCXT q0' via q2'; ←
q2' = genEnt p1;
q1' = QRECV via
q2';
CX q0' q1';
```

Apply a remote CX gate to  $(Q_0, Q'_0)$   
by consuming the entangle pair  $(Q_2, Q'_2)$ ,  
where  $Q_0$  is a control qubit



This procedure does not change the position of data qubits

# Applying CX gates remotely in InQuIR

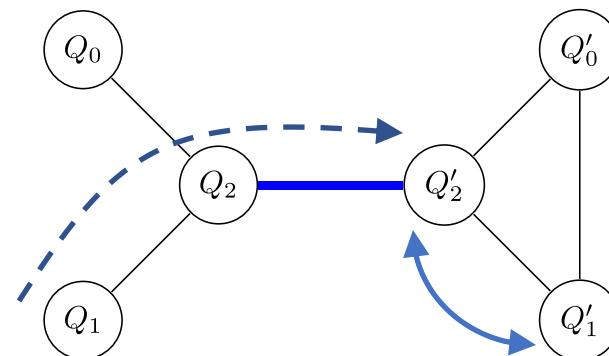
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RCXT q0' via q2';
q2' = genEnt p1;
q1' = QRECV via
q2';
CX q0' q1';
```

Teleport  $Q_1$  to  $Q'_2$ , and then move the data to  $Q'_1$  from  $Q'_2$



# Appendix

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**Algorithm 1:** Strategy iv. random + threshold

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**Input:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (the set of photons)  
where initially  $p_i = \{\emptyset\}$  (the set of qubits to be encoded in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  photon),  $Q = \{q_j\}$  (the list of all physical qubits in the code), and the number  $m$  of qubits in a single photon.

**Output:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (set of set of qubits in  $i^{\text{th}}$  photon).

- 1 Initialize the threshold with  $T := \frac{d}{2} - 1$ ;
  - 2 **for** photon  $p_i \in P$  **do**
  - 3     Pick a qubit  $q_j \in Q$  randomly.;
  - 4     Move  $q_j$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ ;
  - 5     **while**  $|p_i| < m$  **do**
  - 6         **while**  $|p_i| < m$  and  $Q \neq \emptyset$  **do**
  - 7             Pick a candidate qubit  $q_k \in Q$  randomly;
  - 8             **if**  $q_k$  has minimum distance greater than  $T$  from all the qubits in  $p_i$  **then**
  - 9                 Move  $q_k$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ ;
  - 10          **else**
  - 11                 Move  $q_k$  from  $Q$  to a waiting list  $Q'$ ;
  - 12     Move all qubits in  $Q'$  to  $Q$ ;
  - 13     Update  $T := T - 1$ ;
  - 14   Return  $P$ ;
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# Appendix

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**Algorithm 2:** Peeling Algorithm

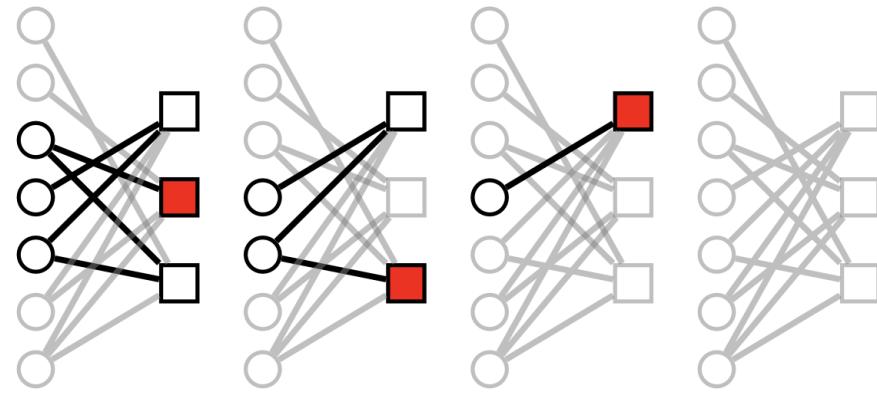
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**Input:** A code  $\text{Ker}(H)$  with Tanner graph  $G$ , a set of erased bits  $E$ , and a syndrome vector  $s$ .

**Output:** A predicted error  $\hat{e} \subseteq E$  such that  $H\hat{e} = s$ , or **Failure**.

- 1 Initialize  $\hat{e} = \emptyset$ ;
- 2 **while**  $E \neq \emptyset$  **do**
- 3   Compute erasure subgraph  $G_E \subseteq G$ ;
- 4   **if**  $\exists$  dangling check  $s_i \in G_E$  **then**
- 5     **if**  $s_i$  is unsatisfied **then**
- 6       Error on adjacent bit  $b_j \in E$ ;
- 7       Flip bit  $b_j$ , update syndrome  $s$ ;
- 8       Update  $\hat{e} := \hat{e} \cup \{b_j\}$ ;
- 9     **else**
- 10      No error on adjacent bit  $b_j$ ;
- 11      Update  $E := E \setminus \{b_j\}$ ;
- 12   **else**
- 13     Return **Failure**;
- 14 Return  $\hat{e}$ ;

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$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Appendix

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**Algorithm 3:** Strategy iii. sudoku
 

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**Input:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (the set of photons, where  $p_i$  is the set of qubits in photon  $i$ ),  $Q = \{q_j = (r_j, c_j, b_j)\}$  (a list of 3-tuples with the row, column, and block of each physical qubit in the HGP code), and the number  $m$  of qubits per photon.

**Output:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (photon assignments).

```

1 for photon  $p_i \in P$  do
2   Pick a qubit  $q_j \in Q$  randomly;
3   Move  $q_j$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ ;
4   while  $|p_i| < m$  and  $Q \neq \emptyset$  do
5     Pick a candidate qubit  $q_k \in Q$ ;
6     if  $q_k$  is in a different row and
       column (or block) from each
       previously selected  $q_j \in p_i$ 
       ( $(r_k \neq r_j$  and  $c_k \neq c_j$ ) or  $b_k \neq b_j$ )
       then
7       | Move  $q_k$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ ;
8     else
9       | Move  $q_k$  from  $Q$  to a temporary
         waiting list  $Q'$ ;
10    Move all qubits in  $Q'$  back to  $Q$ ;
11    while  $|p_i| < m$  do
12      | Pick a qubit  $q_k \in Q$  randomly;
13      | Move  $q_k$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ ;
14  Return  $P$ ;
```

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**Algorithm 4:** Strategy v. diagonal
 

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**Input:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (the set of photons where  $p_i$  is the set of qubits in photon  $i$ ),  $Q = \{q_j\}$  (a list of physical qubits ordered along the diagonal), and the number  $m$  of qubits per photon.

**Output:**  $P = \{p_i\}$  (photon assignments).

```

1 for photon  $p_i \in P$  do
2   for qubits with indices
3      $j \in \{im, \dots, (i+1)m\}$  do
4       | Move  $q_j$  from  $Q$  to  $p_i$ 
5  return  $P$ ;
```

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