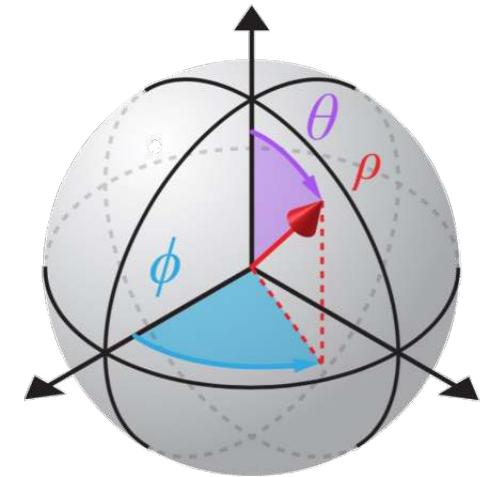
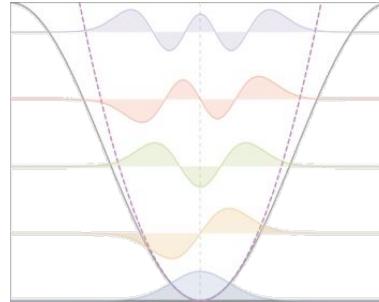
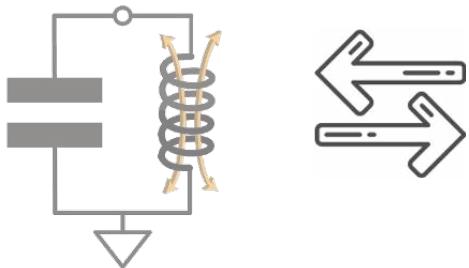
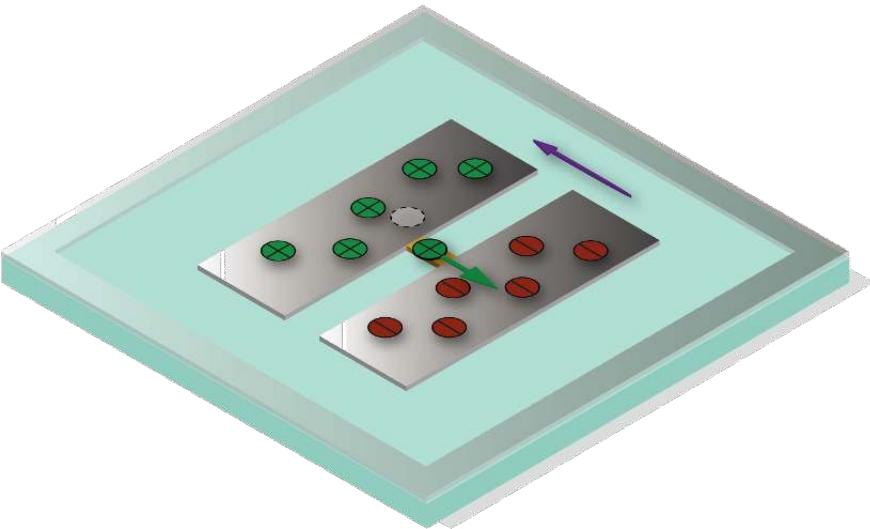


# To design quantum hardware

Energy-participation-ratio (EPR)  
and Qiskit Metal



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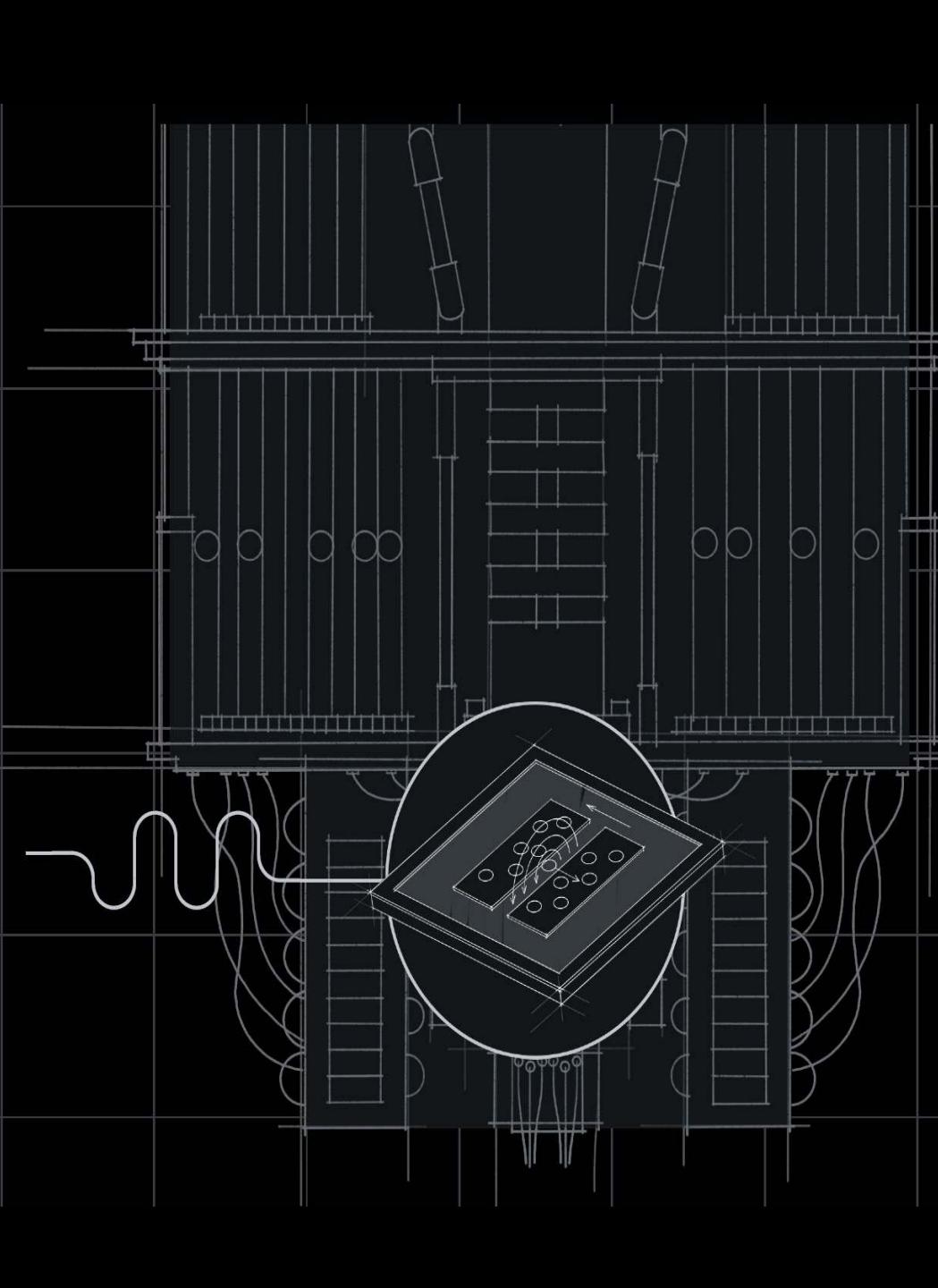
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# Quantum device design overview

## Energy-participation ratio (EPR)

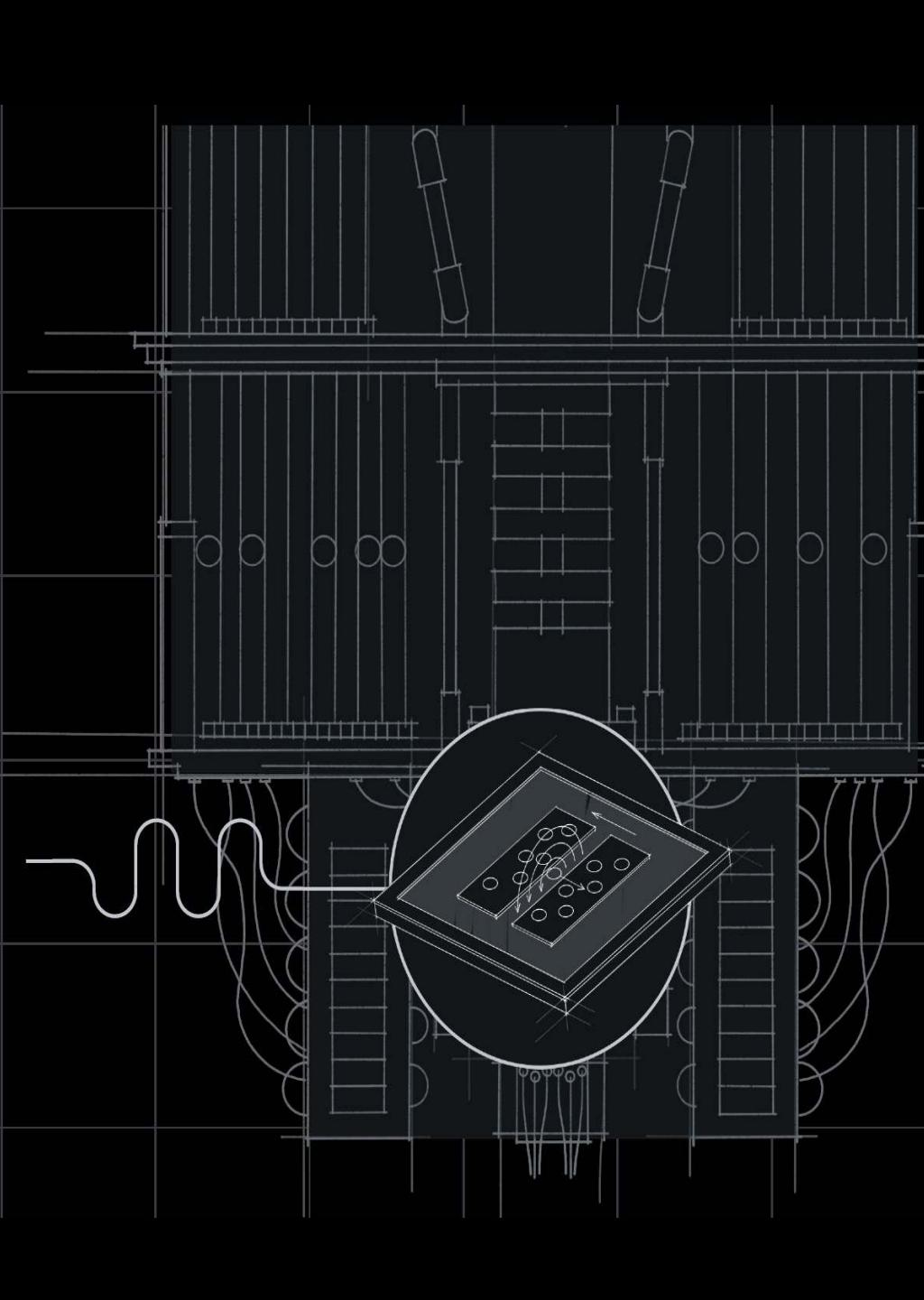
Minev et al. arXiv: 1902.10355 & 2010.00620 (Yale)

**Qiskit** | quantum device  
design

open source Q-EDA and analysis (IBM)  
[qiskit.org/metal](https://qiskit.org/metal)

## Modular lumped-oscillator method

Minev, Gambetta et al. (IBM)



# Quantum device design in a nutshell

# Quantum in the cloud or lab

Superconducting qubits



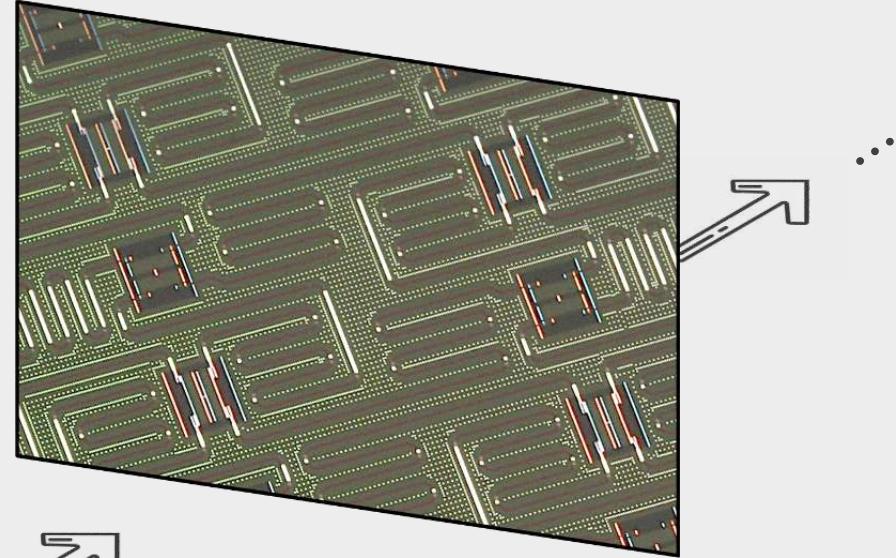
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Lab / cloud facility

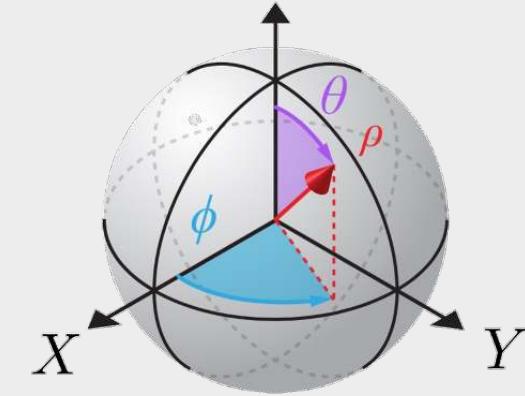
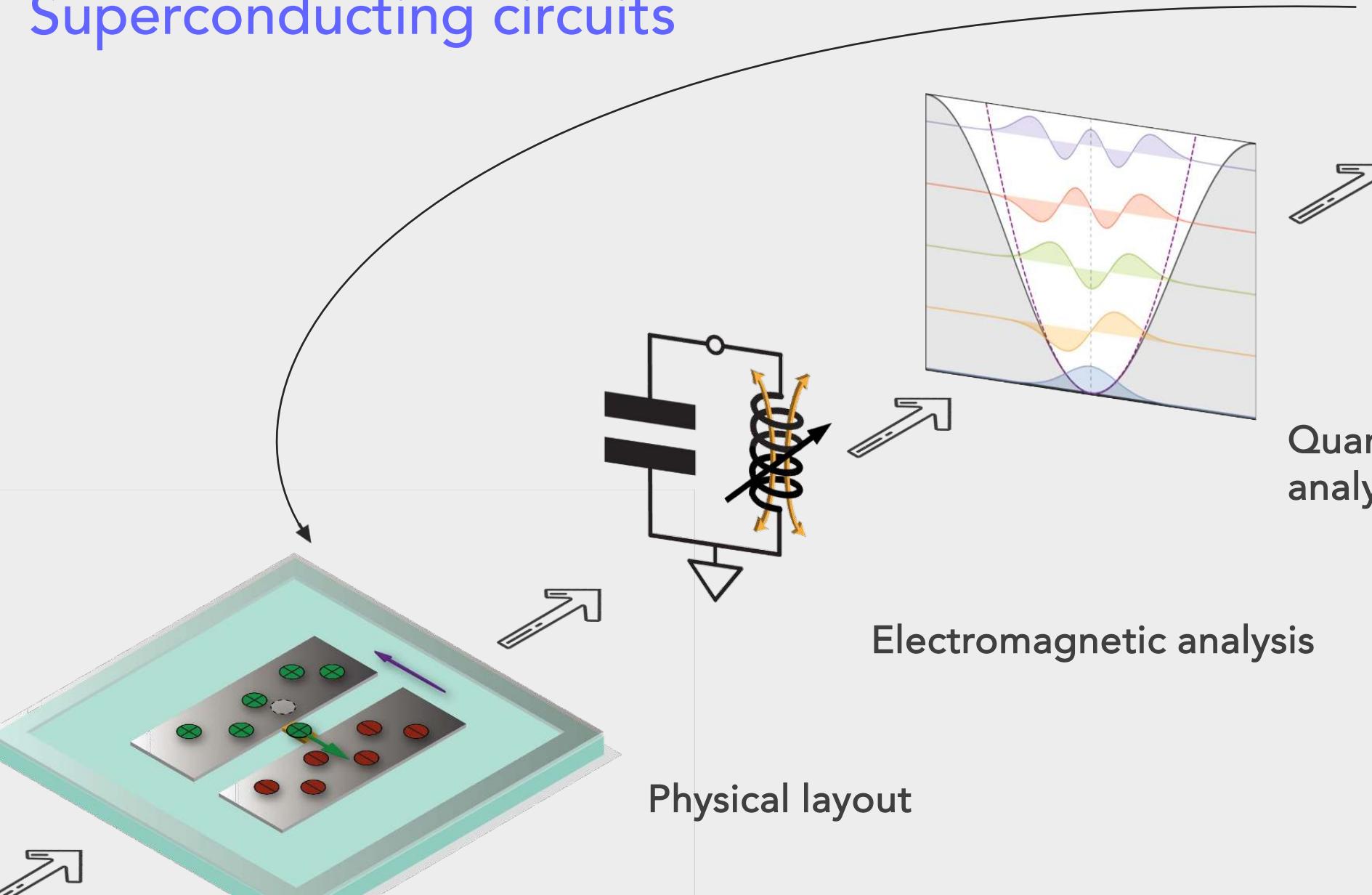


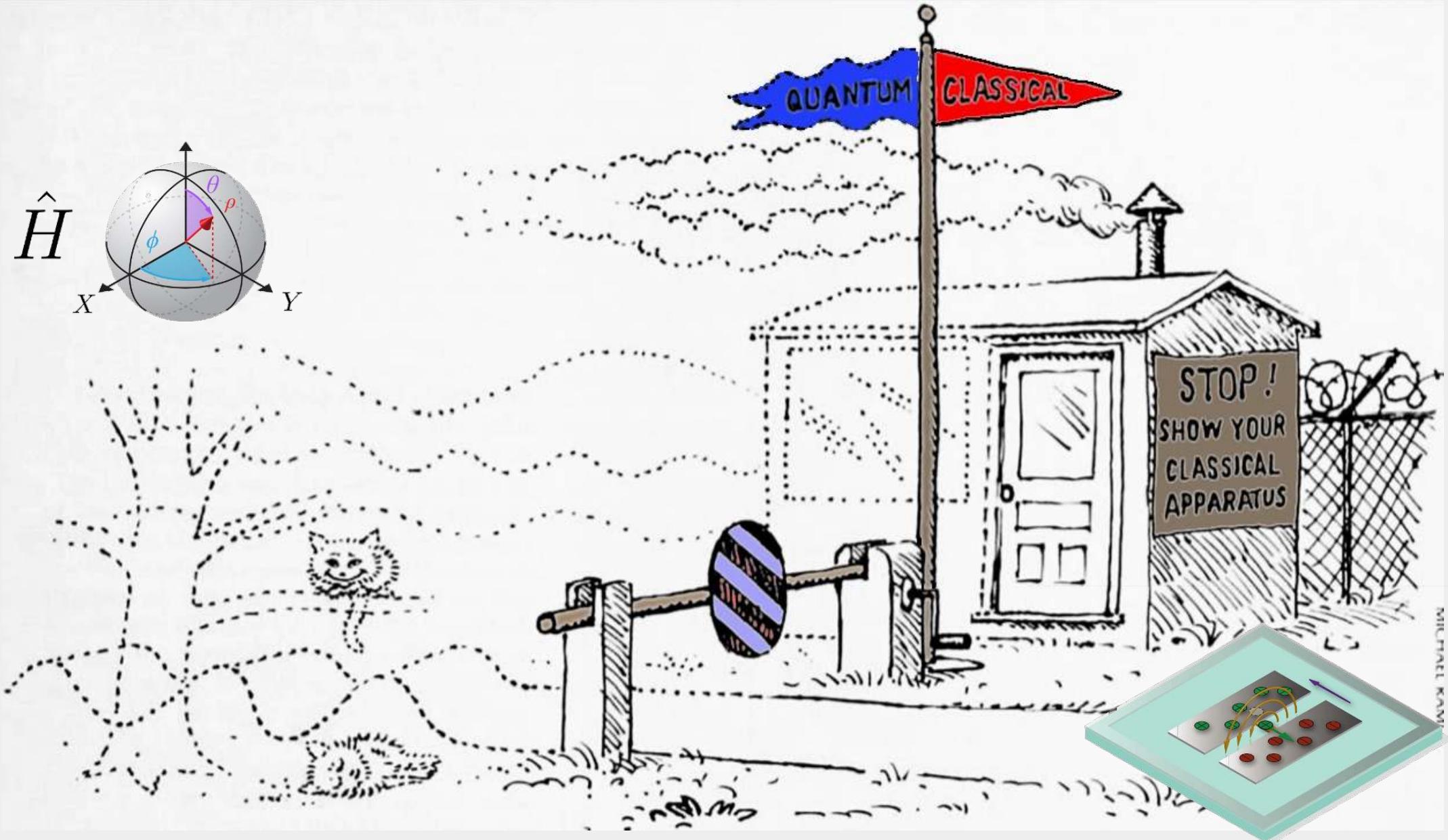
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# Quantum Device Design

Superconducting circuits





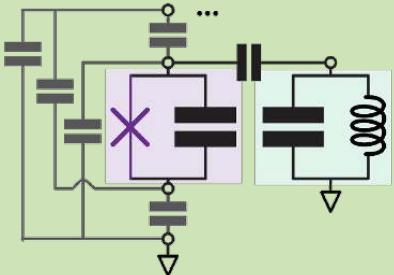
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# Quantization landscape

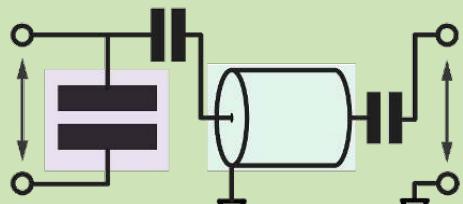
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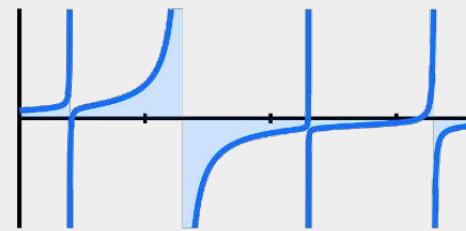
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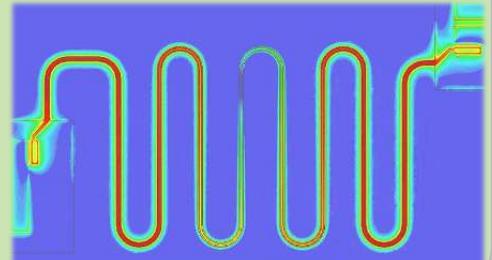
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impedance



eigenmode



Captures more information, complexity, accuracy

Yurke & Denker (1984), Devoret (1997), Burkard et al. (2004), Koch et al. (2007), Minev et al. (2021), ...

Malekakhlagh et al. (2017, 2019), Gely et al. (2019), Parra-Rodriguez et al. (2019), ...

Nigg et al. (2012), Bourassa et al. (2012), Solgun et al. (2014, 2015, 2017) ...

Minev (2019)  
Minev et al. (2020)

# A few introductory reviews

And many more... check online or ask us for specific topic

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In *Fluctuations Quantiques/Quantum Fluctuations* (p. 351)

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## Magnetic flux and inductance

## Faraday's law of induction

## Universal relationship

$$\Phi(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t v(\tau) d\tau$$

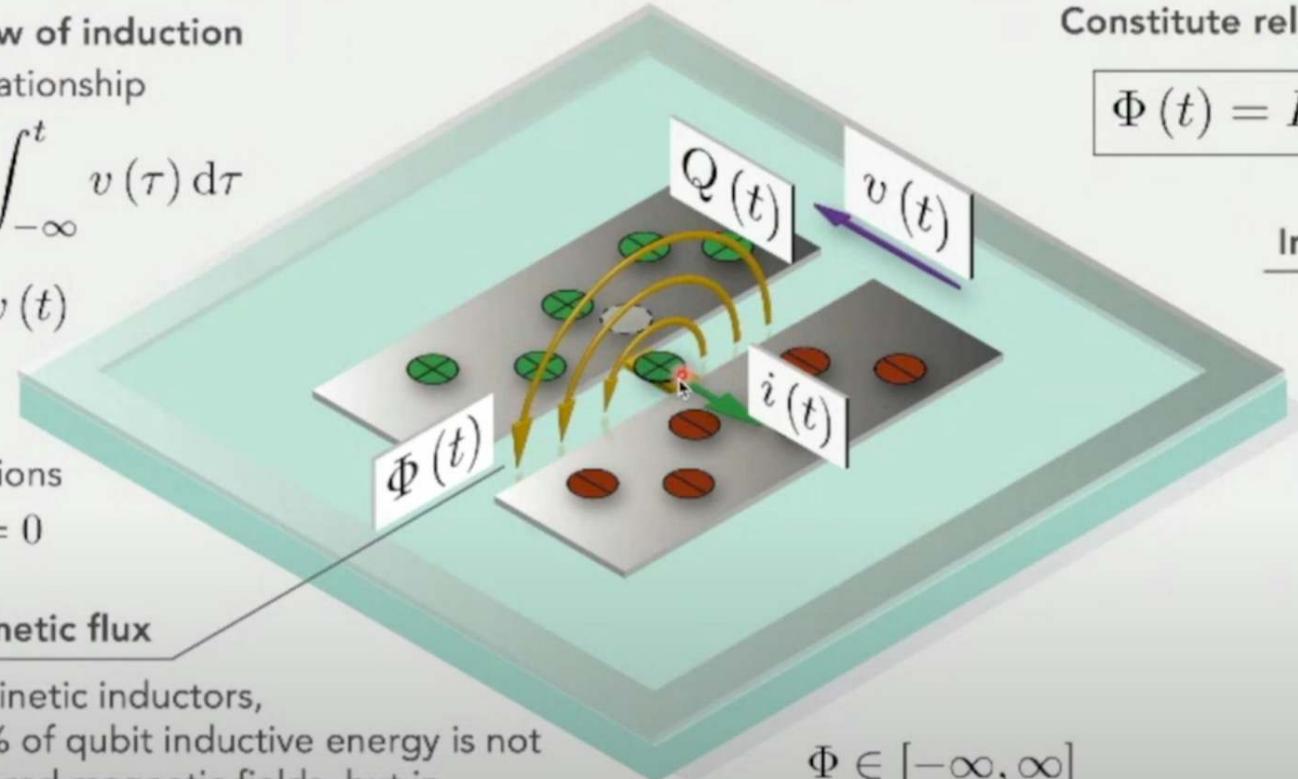
$$\frac{d}{dt}\Phi(t) = v(t)$$

## Initial conditions

$$\Phi(-\infty) = 0$$

### Magnetic flux

For kinetic inductors,  
~98% of qubit inductive energy is not  
in stored magnetic fields, but in  
kinetic inductance

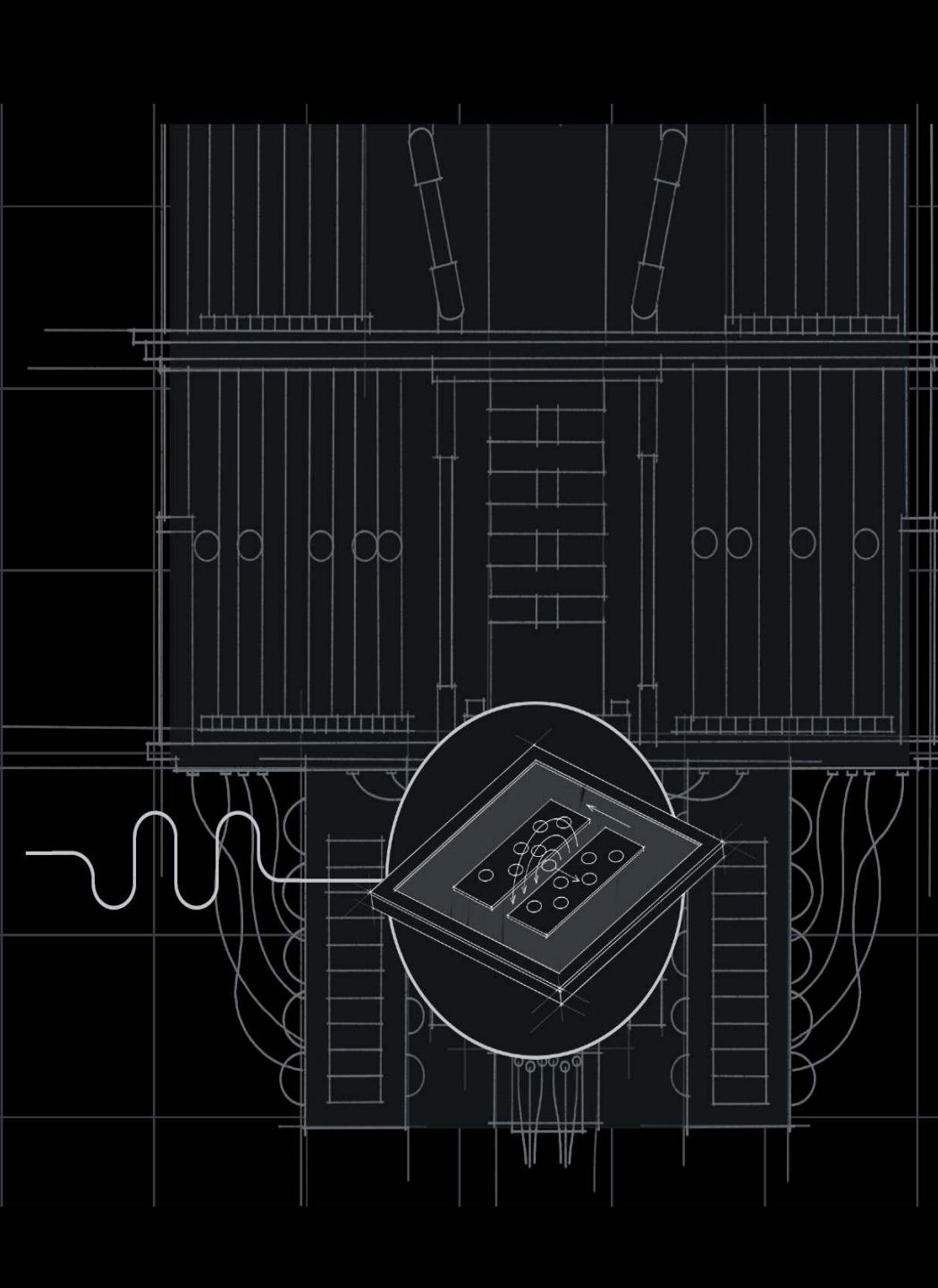


$$\Phi \in [-\infty, \infty]$$

Image: Zlatko Minev

which is a superconducting element.





# Energy-participation ratio (EPR)

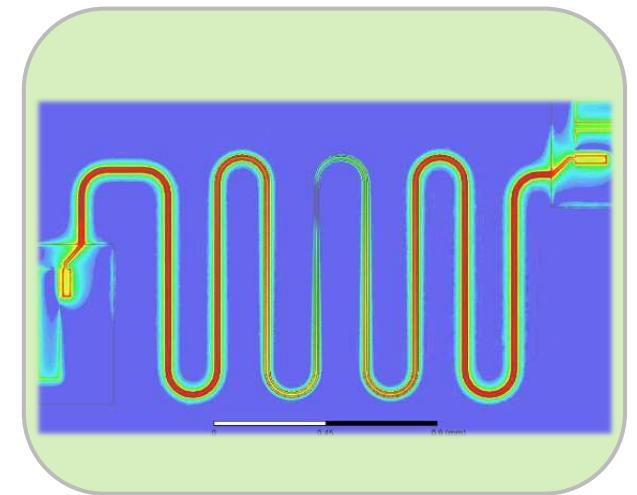
## Quantum Physics

[Submitted on 1 Oct 2020]

# Energy-participation quantization of Josephson circuits

Zlatko K. Minev, Zaki Leghtas, Shantanu O. Mundhada, Lysander Christakis, Ioan M. Pop, Michel H. Devoret

Superconducting microwave circuits incorporating nonlinear devices, such as Josephson junctions, are one of the leading platforms for emerging quantum technologies. Increasing circuit complexity further requires efficient methods for the calculation and optimization of the spectrum, nonlinear interactions, and dissipation in multi-mode distributed quantum circuits. Here, we present a method based on the energy-participation ratio (EPR) of a dissipative or nonlinear element in an electromagnetic mode. The EPR, a number between zero and one, quantifies how much of the energy of a mode is stored in each element. It obeys universal constraints---valid regardless of the circuit topology and nature of the nonlinear elements. The EPR of the elements are calculated from a unique, efficient electromagnetic eigenmode simulation of the linearized circuit, including lossy elements. Their set is the key input to the determination of the quantum Hamiltonian of the system. The method provides an intuitive and simple-to-use tool to quantize multi-junction circuits. It is especially well-suited for finding the Hamiltonian and dissipative parameters of weakly anharmonic systems, such as transmon qubits coupled to resonators, or Josephson transmission lines. We experimentally tested this method on a variety of Josephson circuits, and demonstrated agreement within several percents for nonlinear couplings and modal Hamiltonian parameters, spanning five-orders of magnitude in energy, across a dozen samples.



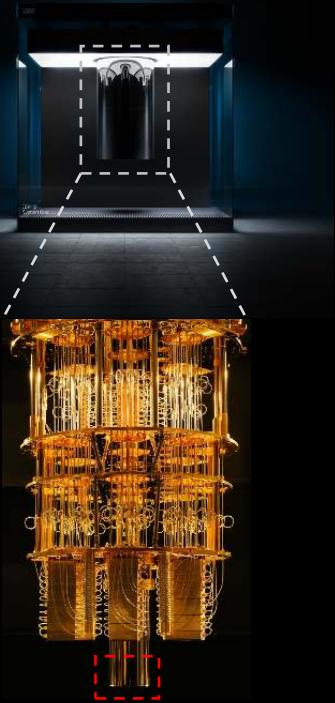
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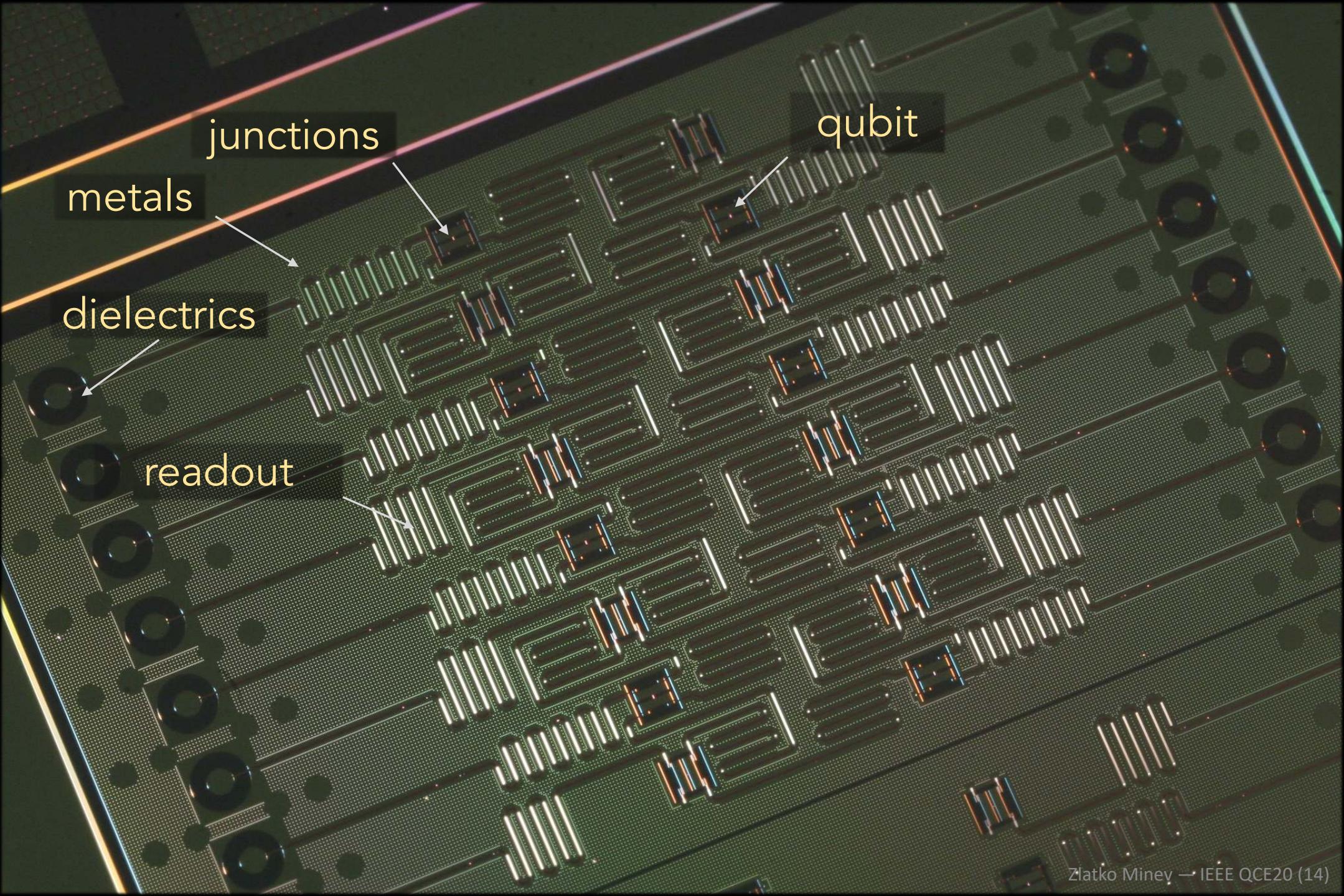
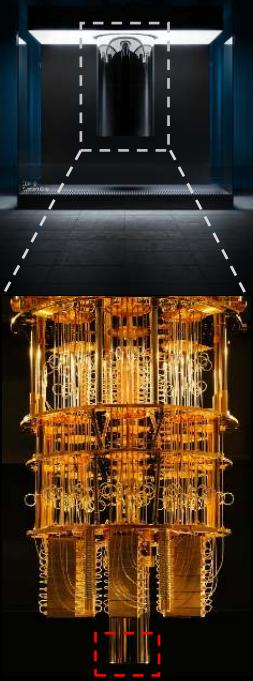
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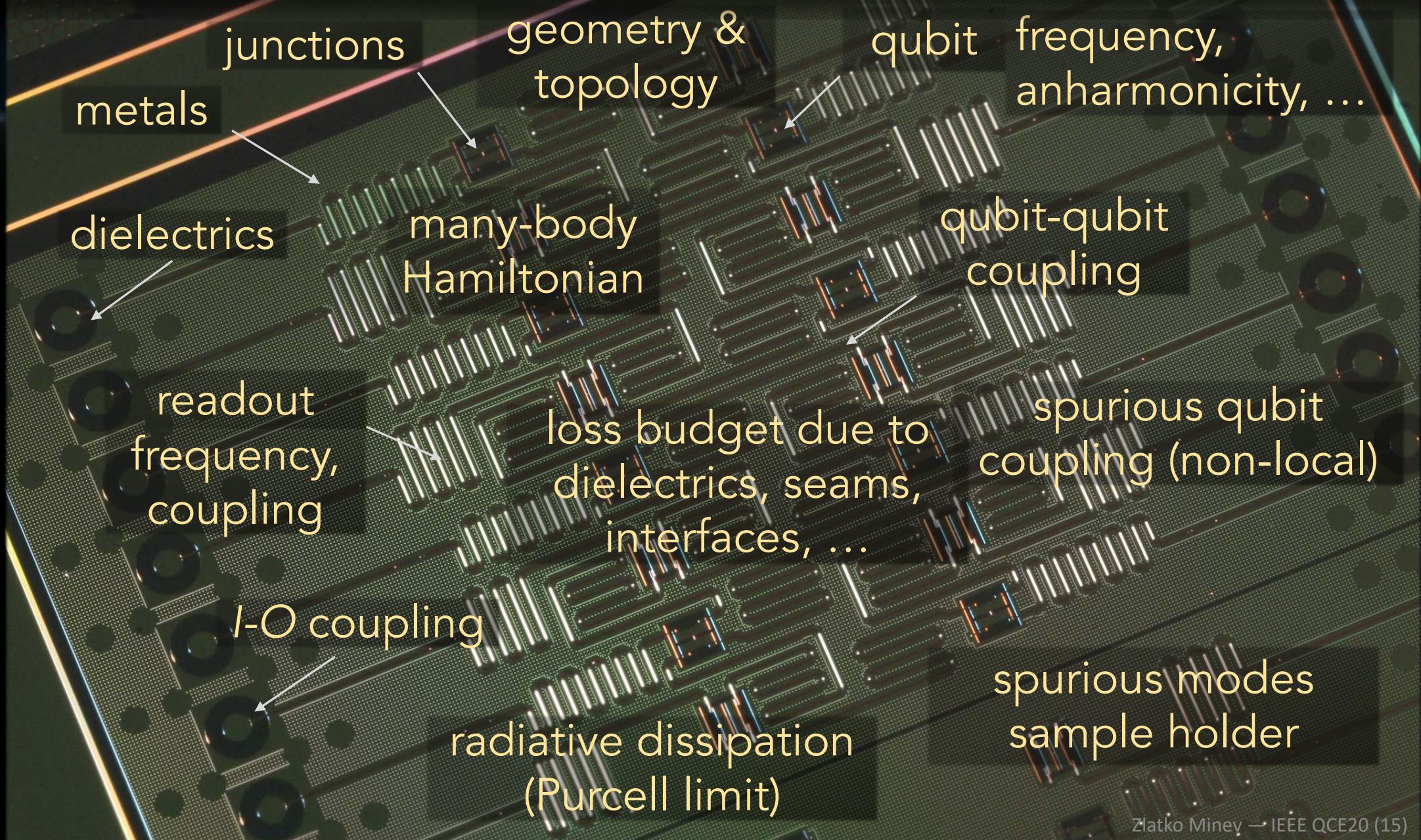
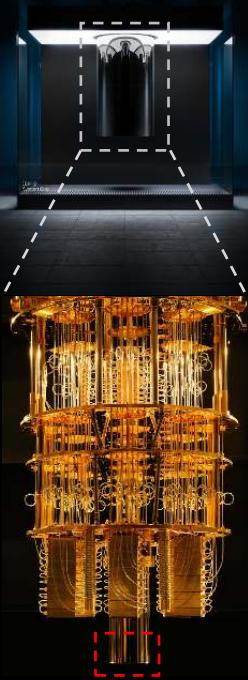
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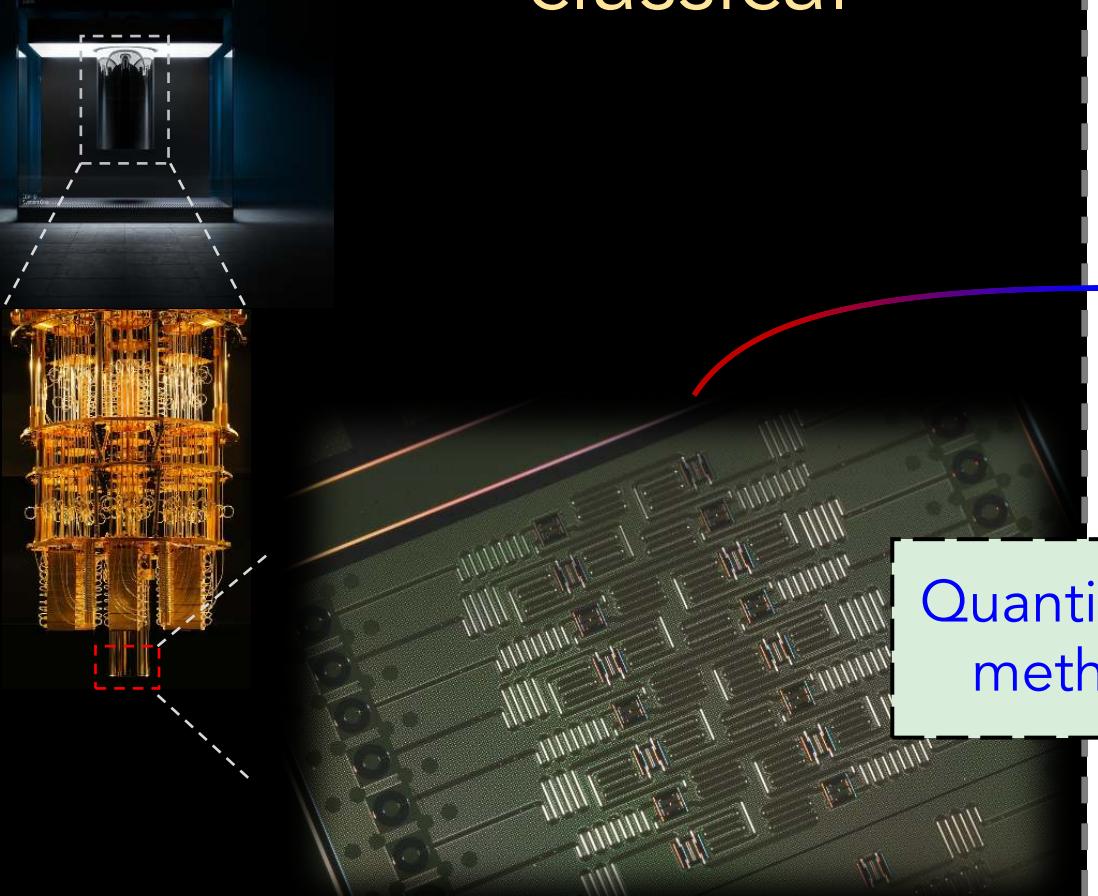
# Anatomy of a quantum chip



# What needs to be designed?



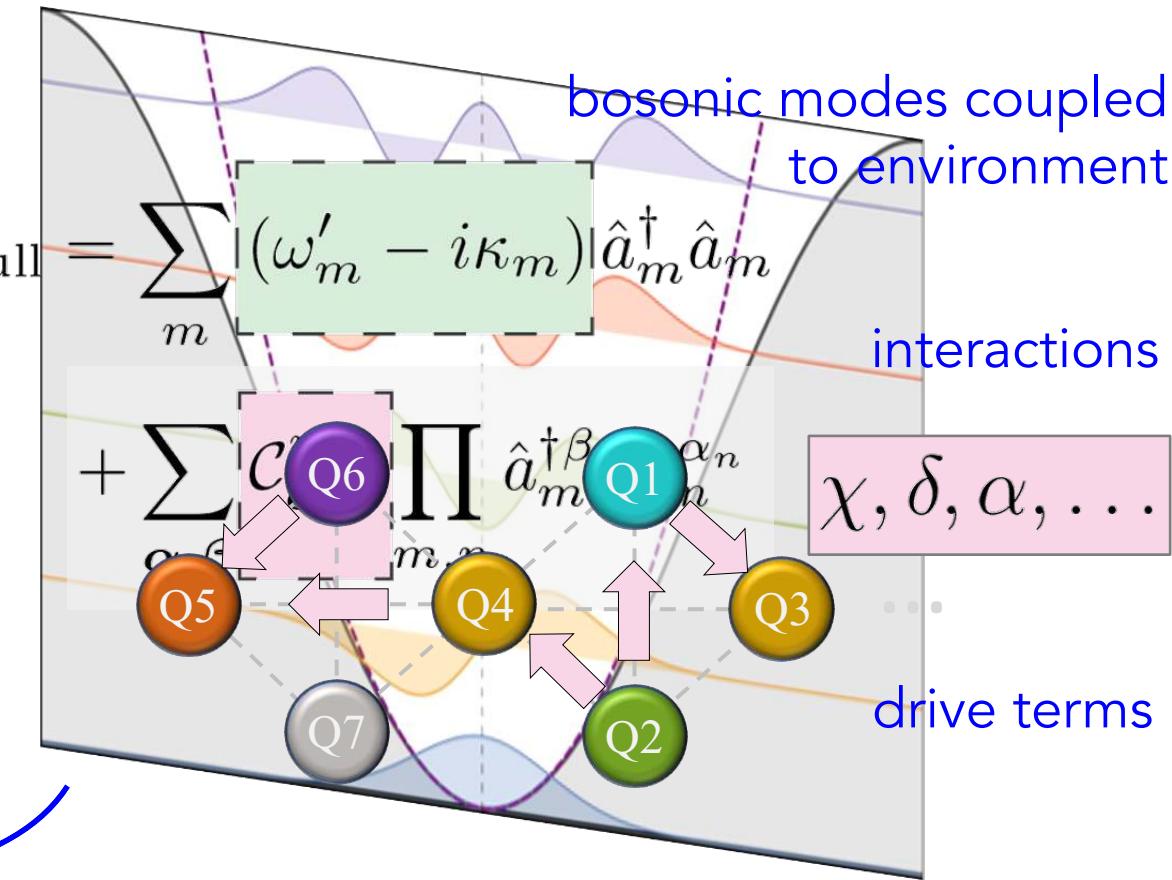
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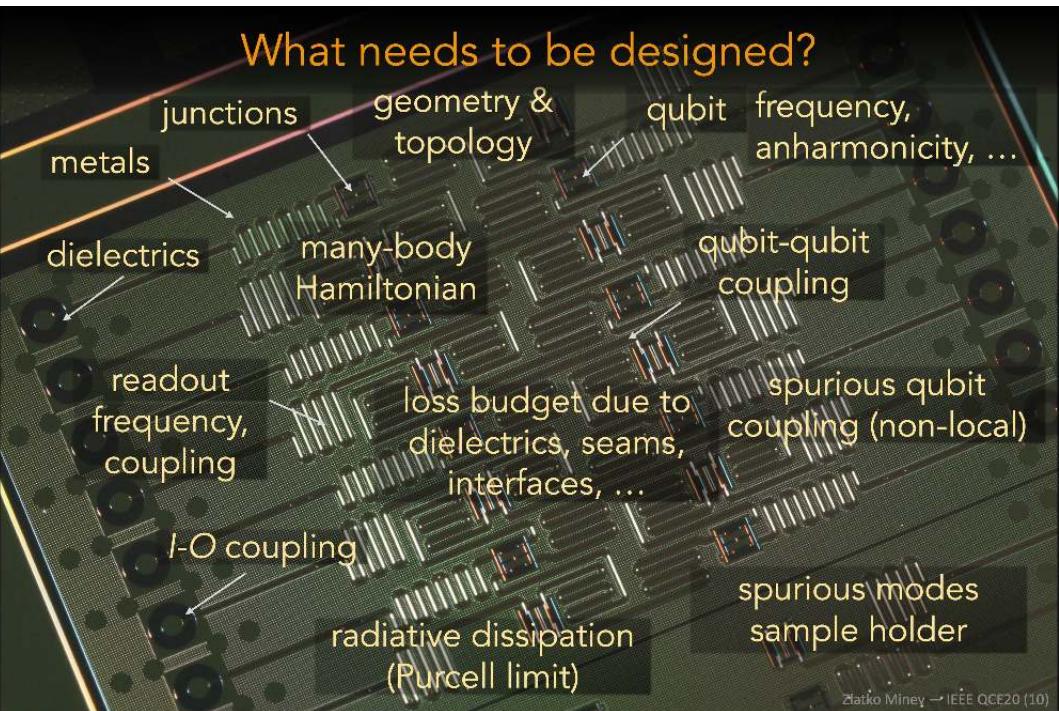


geometry, circuits, materials,  
electromagnetic fields,

...

# quantum





The solution of all these questions reduces to:

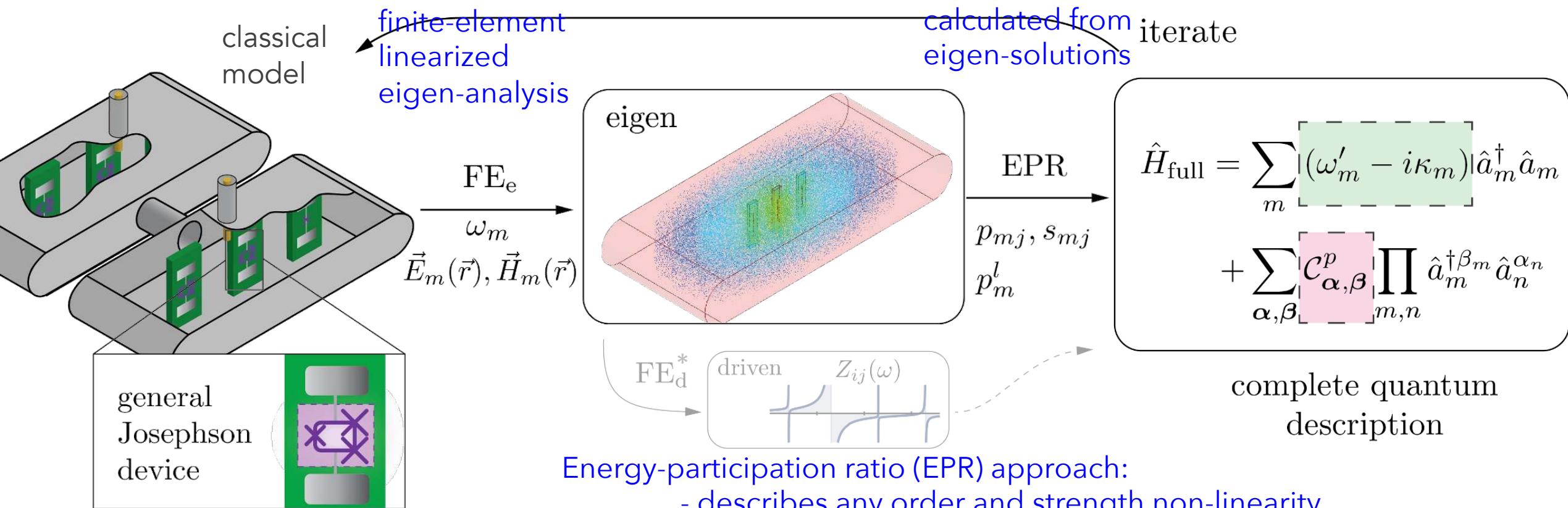
Where is the energy?

What fraction of the energy of a mode  $p_j$  ( $p_l$ )  
is stored in the non-linear (dissipative) element?

$$0 \leq p_j, p_l \leq 1$$

$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} \quad \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \quad \mathcal{D}[\sqrt{\kappa}\hat{a}]\rho$$

# Overview of energy-participation approach



Energy-participation ratio (EPR) approach:

- describes any order and strength non-linearity
- describes arbitrary (composite) non-linear inductive devices
- first-principle derivation
- zero approximations (aside from truncation of modes)
- fully automated in python ( [github.com/zlatko-minev](https://github.com/zlatko-minev) )

Practical limits: Fock and mode basis truncation due to computing power

\* Nigg, Paik, *et al.*, PRL (2012),  
Bourassa *et al.* (2012),  
Solgun *et al.* (2014, 2015, 2017), ...

# A simple example:

transmon qubit coupled to resonator

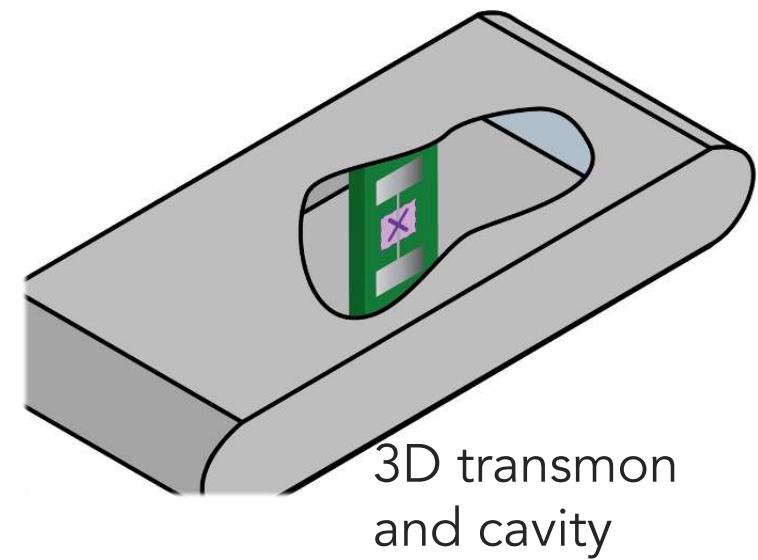
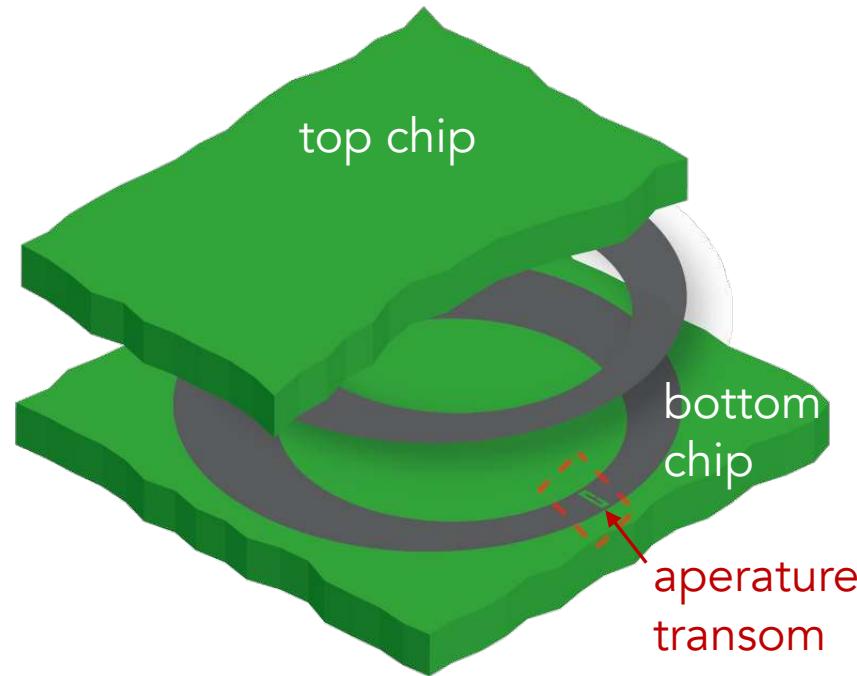
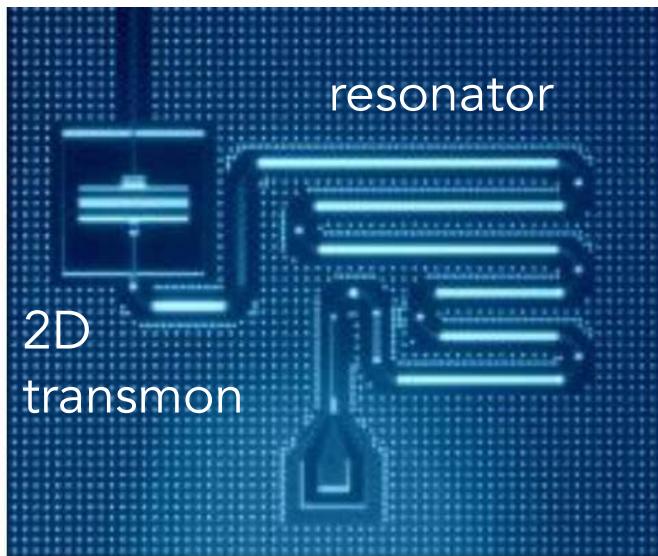
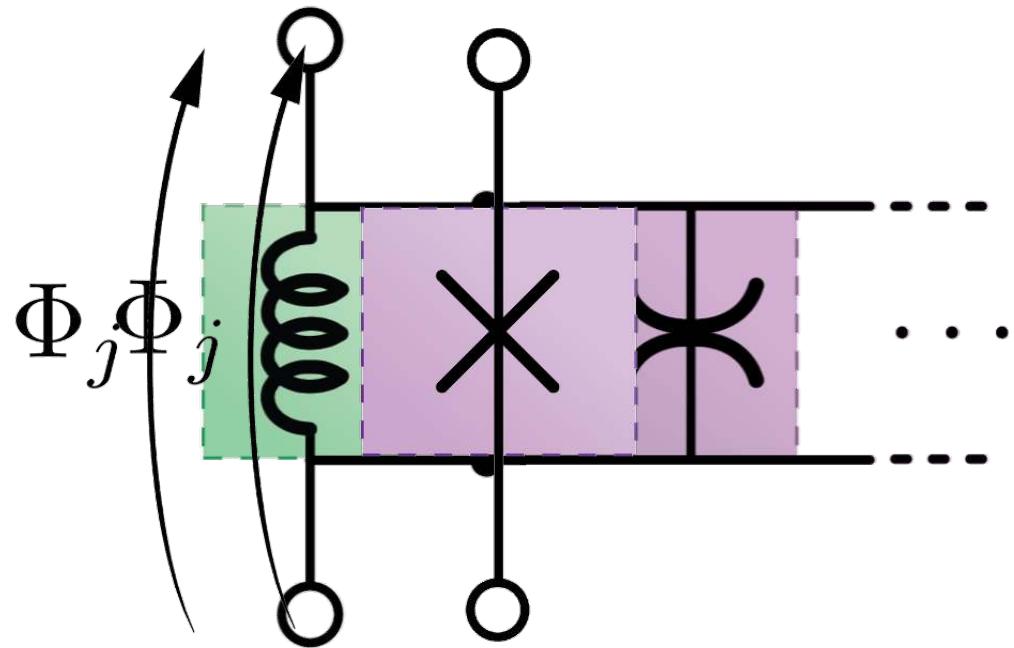


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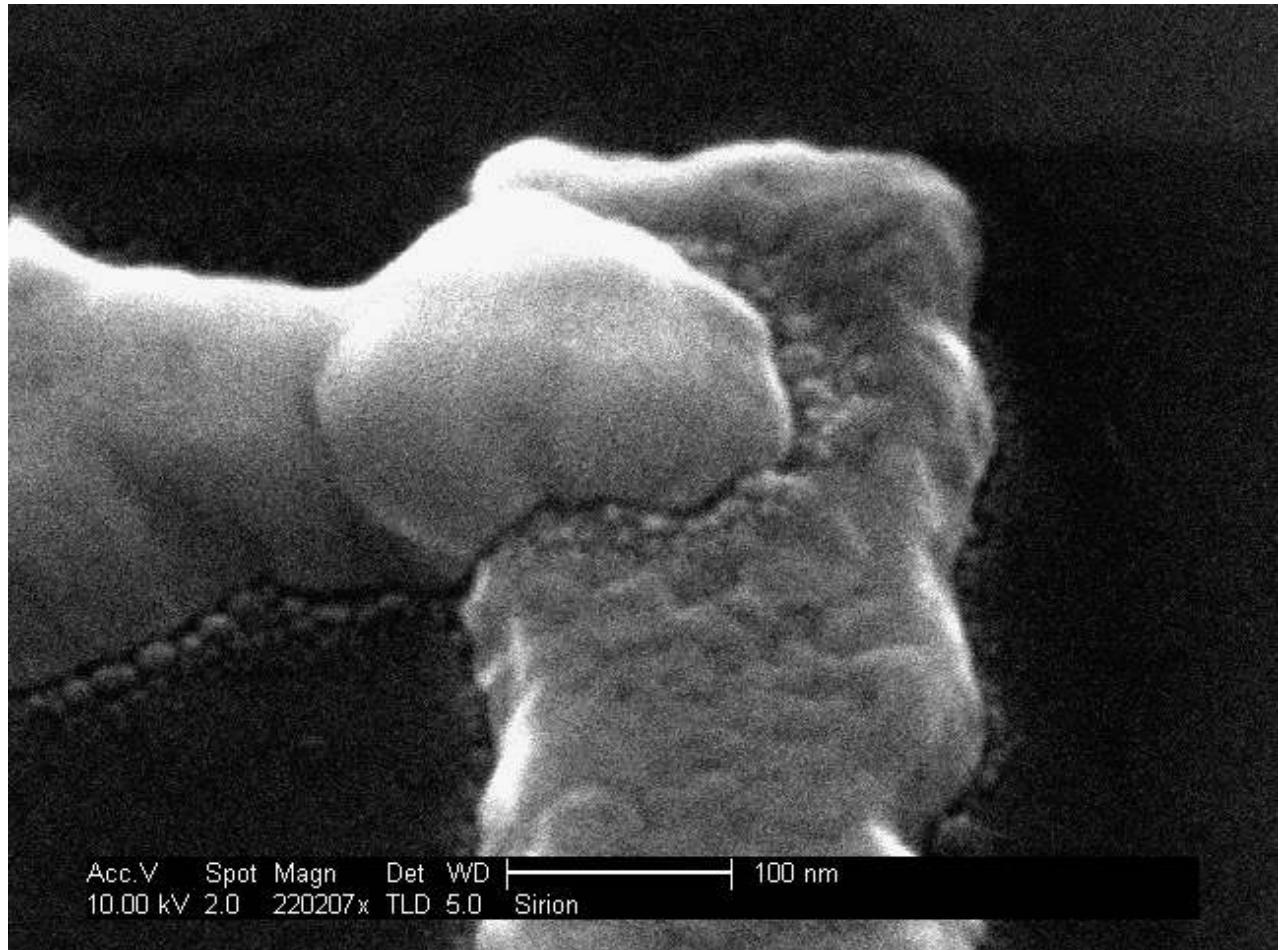
# Josephson tunnel junction



$$\mathcal{E}_j(\Phi_j) = E_j(1 - \cos(\Phi_j/\phi_0))$$

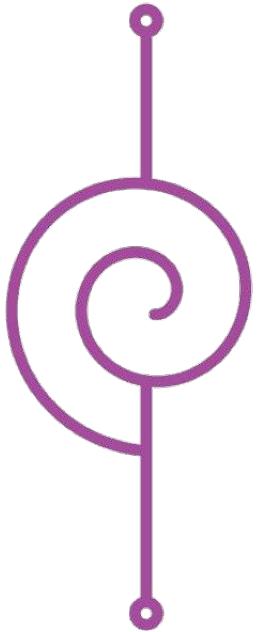
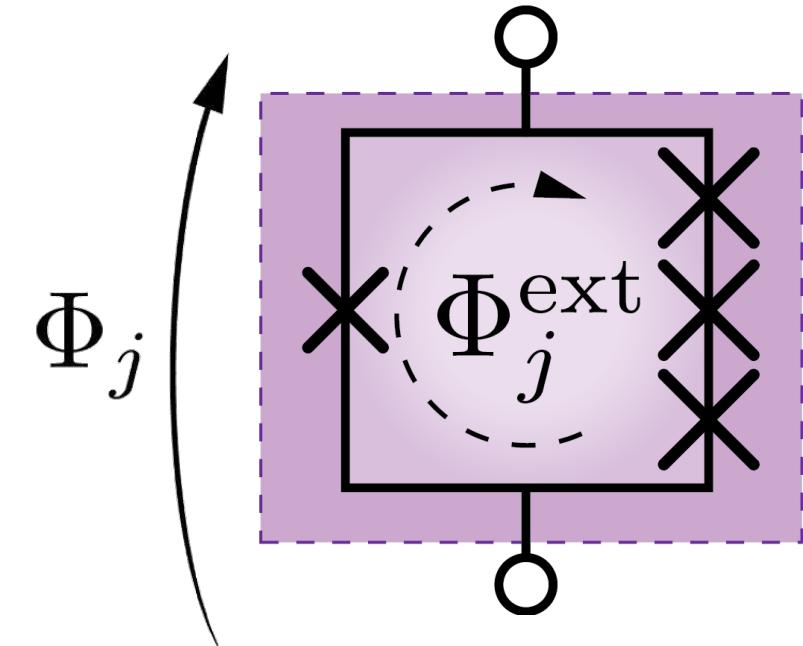
$$\phi_0 \equiv \frac{\hbar}{2e} \Phi_j + \mathcal{E}_j^{\text{nl}}(\Phi_j)$$

$$= \frac{E_j}{2} \left( \frac{\Phi_j}{\phi_0} \right)^2 - \frac{E_j}{4!} \left( \frac{\Phi_j}{\phi_0} \right)^4 + \mathcal{O}(\Phi_j^6)$$



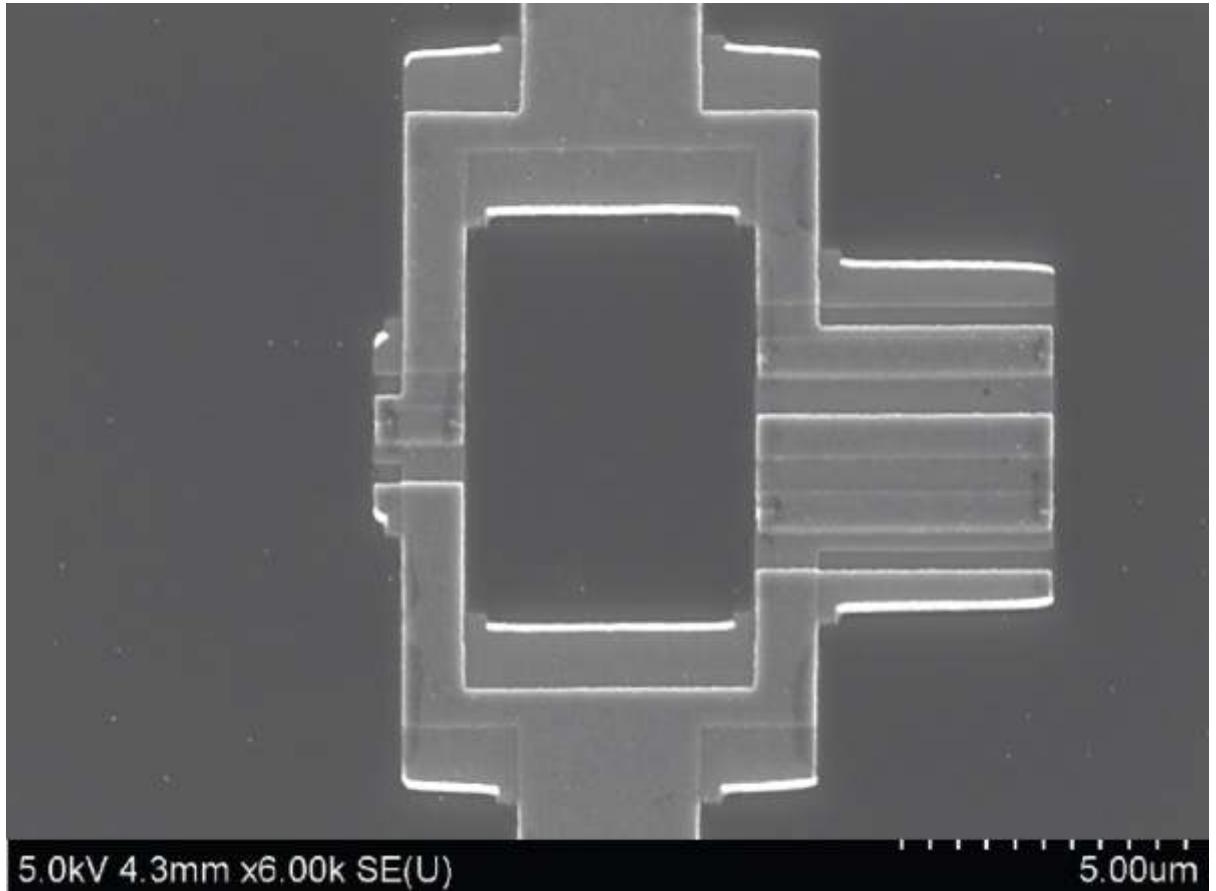
SEM image: L. Frunzio

# Composite Josephson device: example



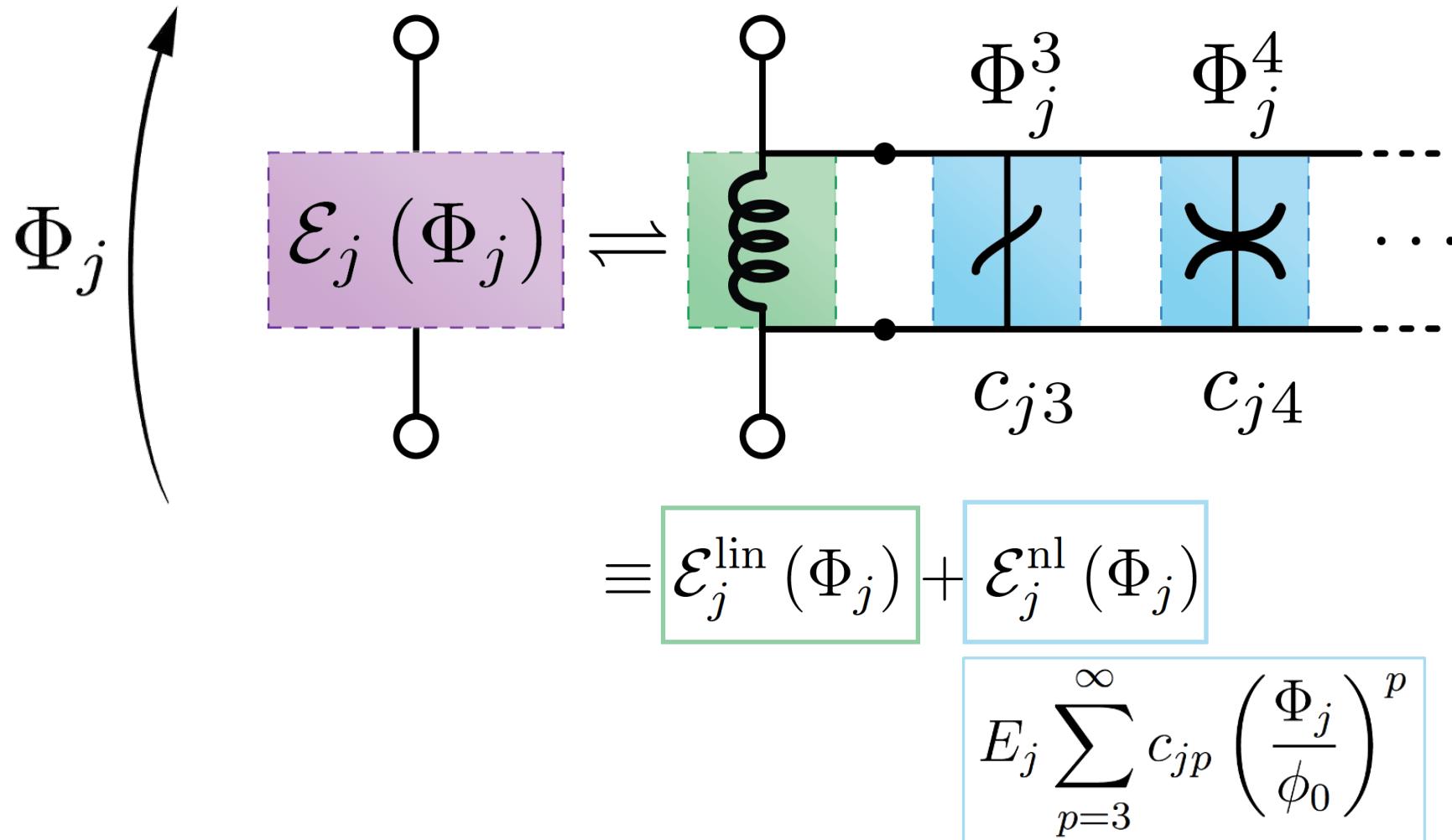
Energy function

$$\mathcal{E}_j (\Phi_j; \Phi_j^{\text{ext}}) = \mathcal{E}_j^{\text{lin}} (\Phi_j) + \mathcal{E}_j^{\text{nl}} (\Phi_j)$$

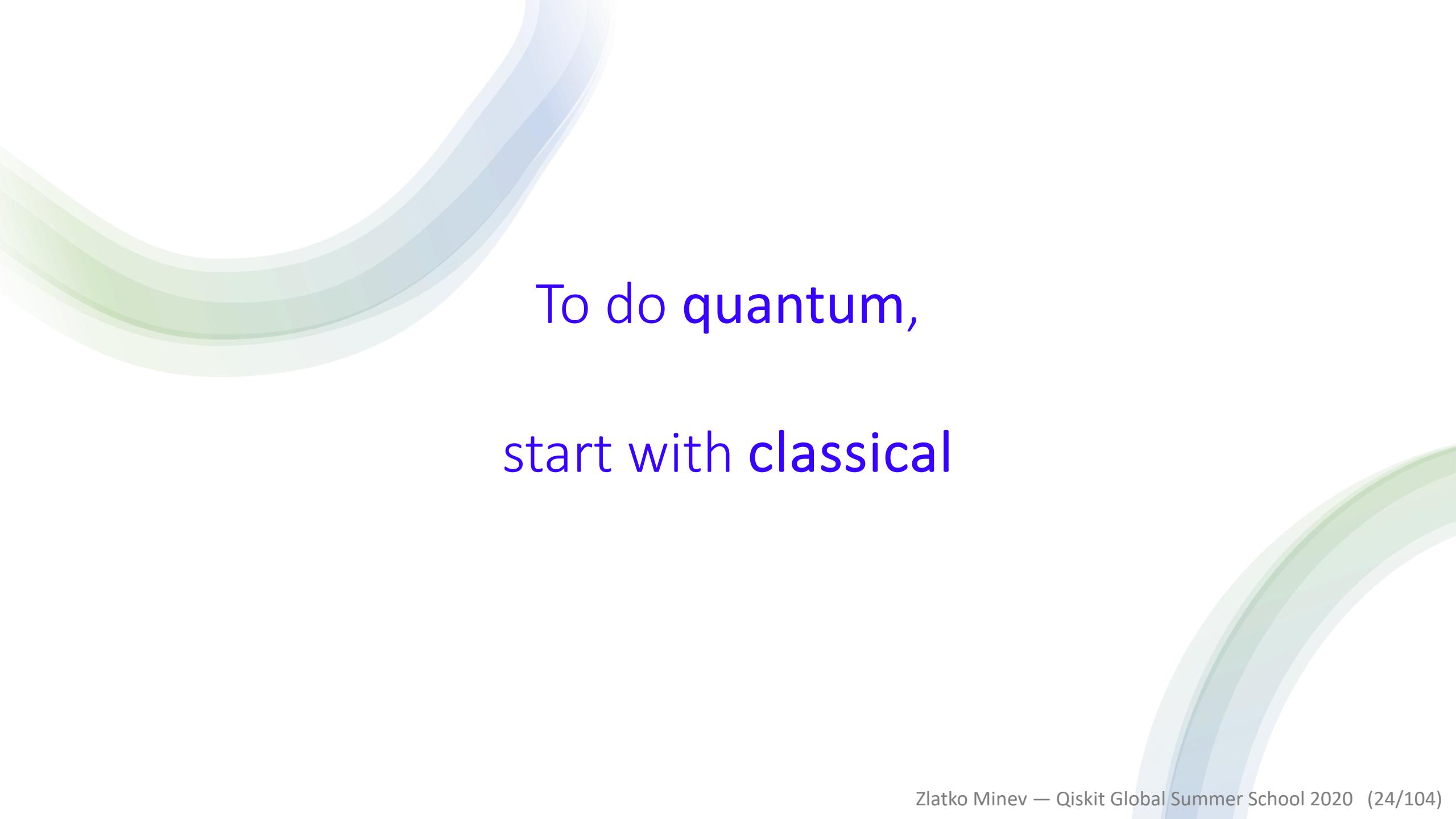


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# General Josephson device

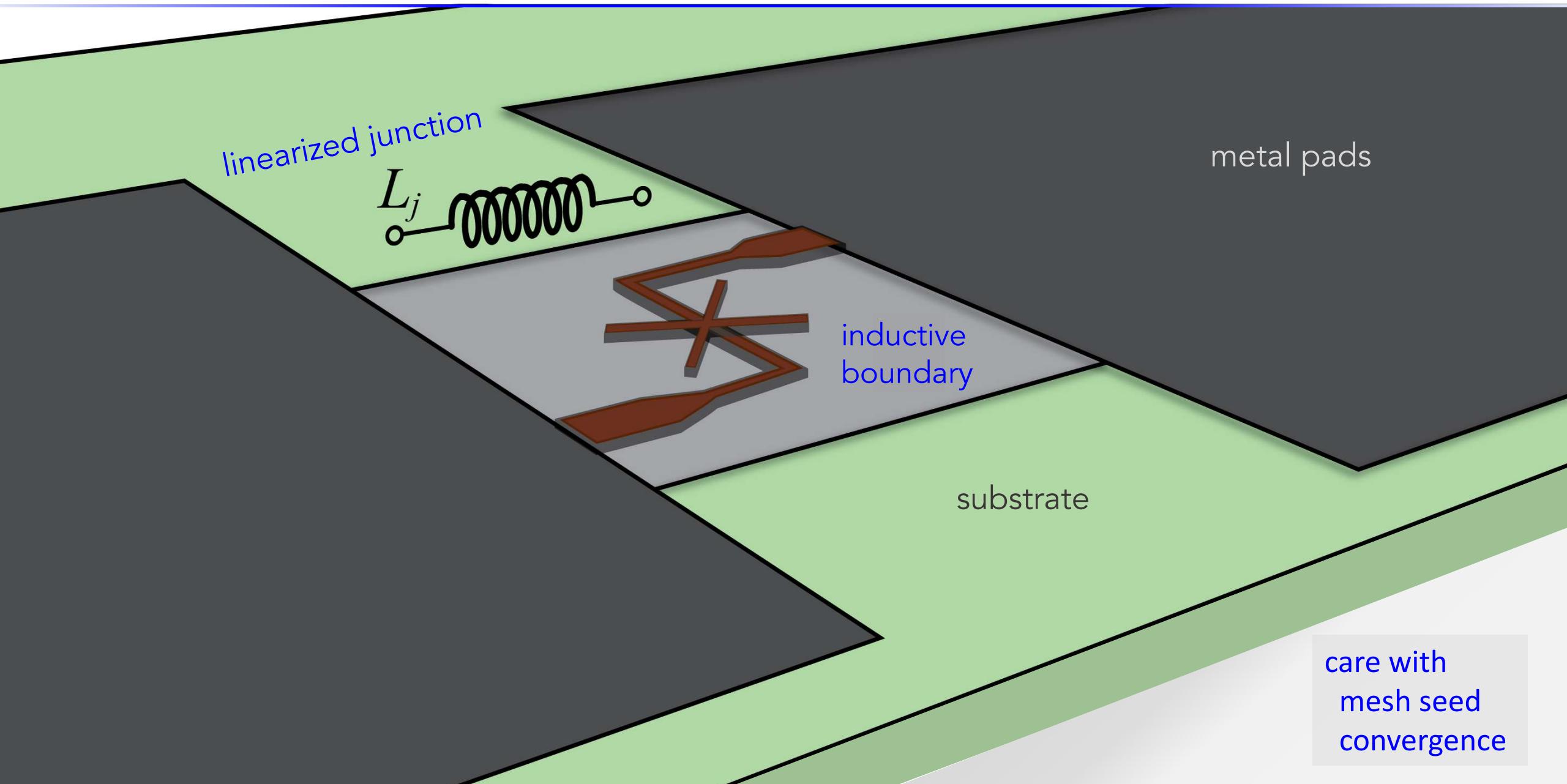


series with respect to operational equilibrium point



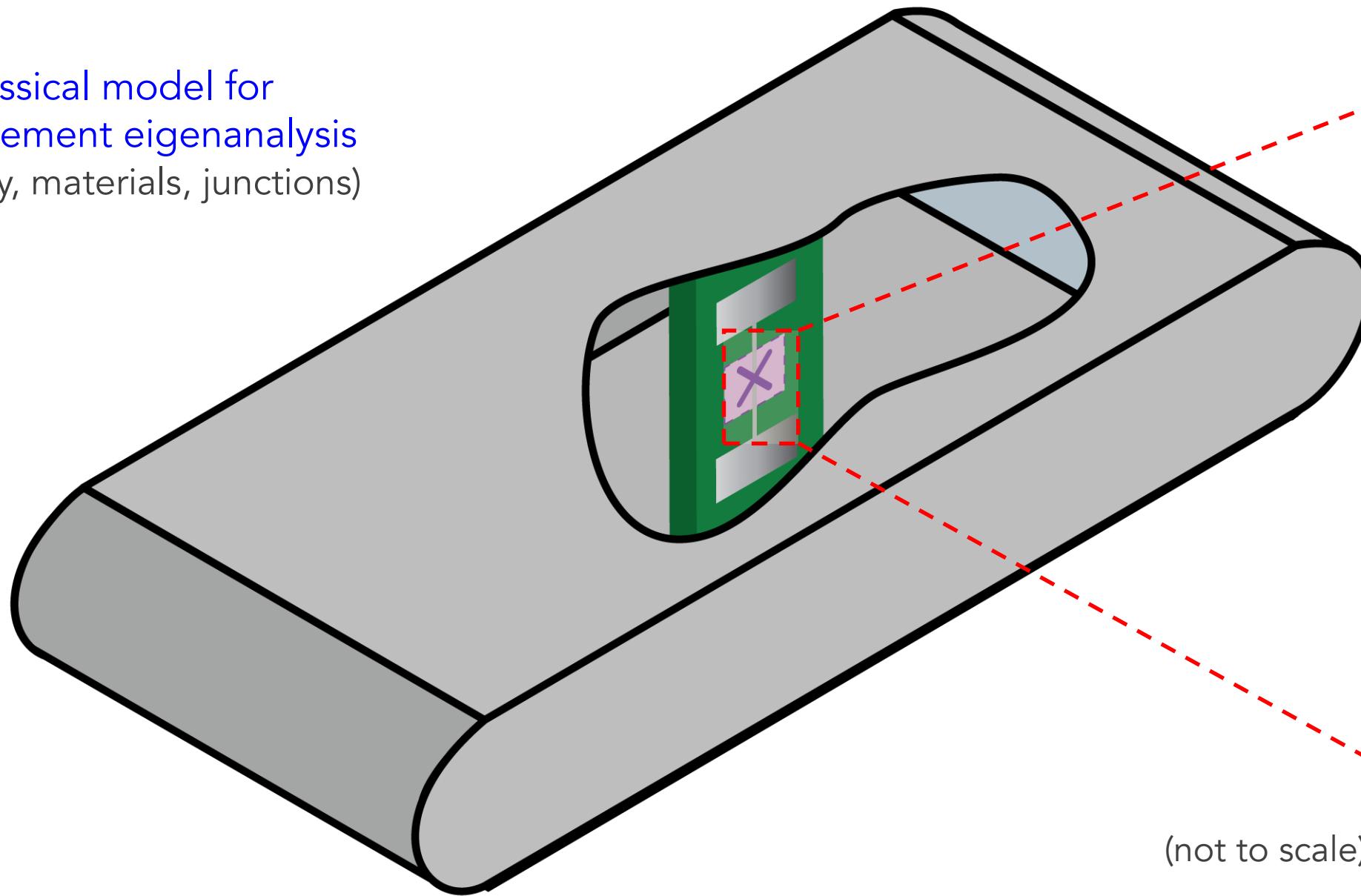
To do quantum,  
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# Finite-element model of linearized Junction



# Transmon qubit coupled to cavity

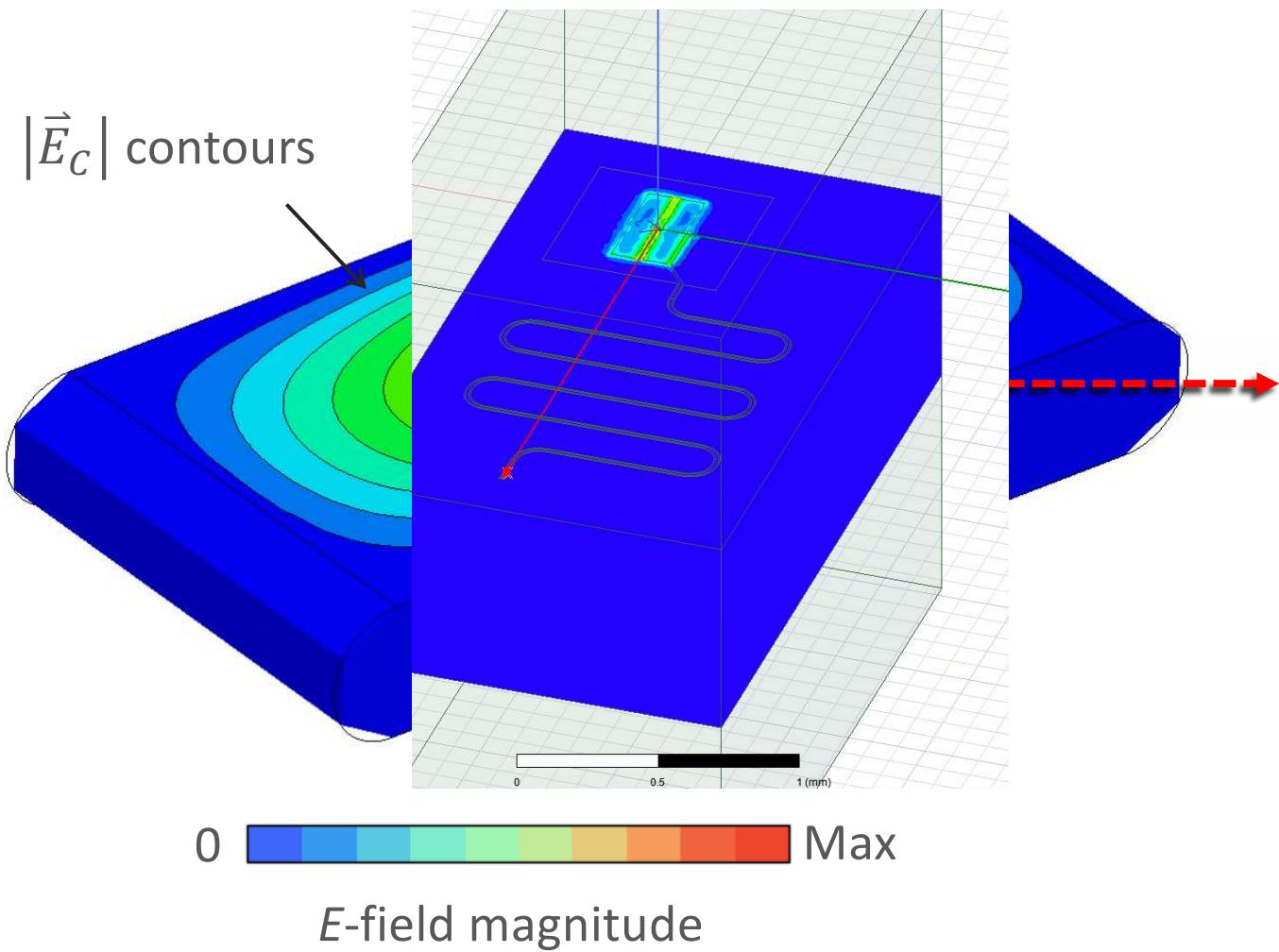
Classical model for  
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(geometry, materials, junctions)



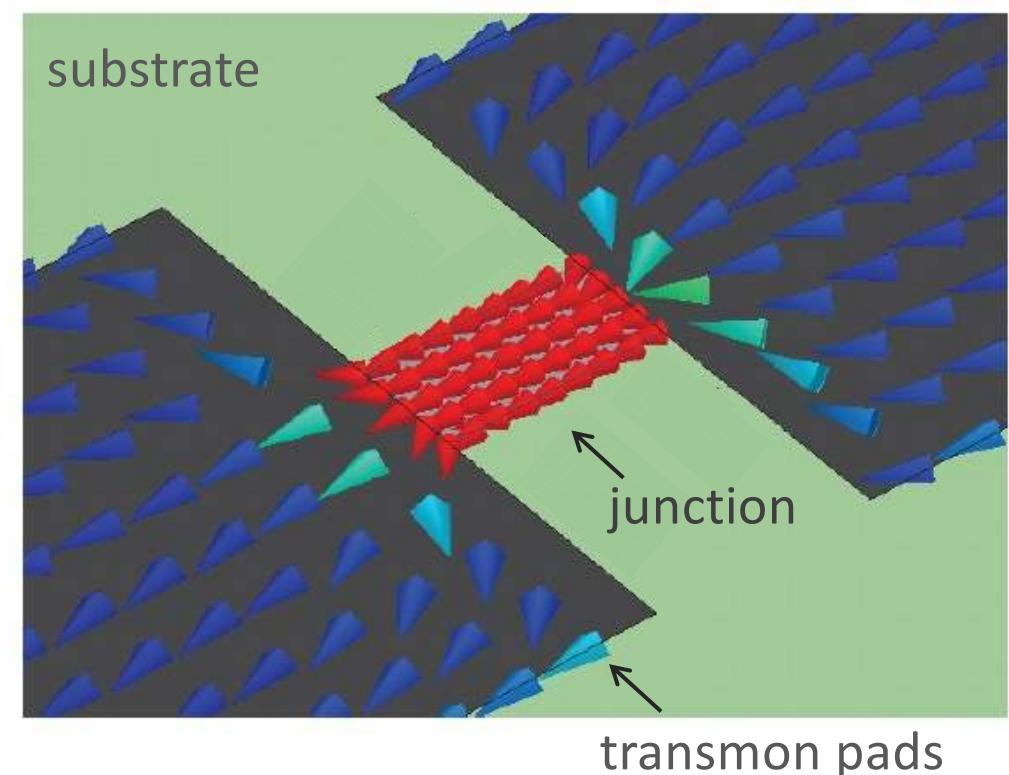
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# $\mathcal{H}_{\text{lin}}$ eigen modes

Cavity mode (7.0 GHz)



Qubit mode (linearized, 5 GHz)

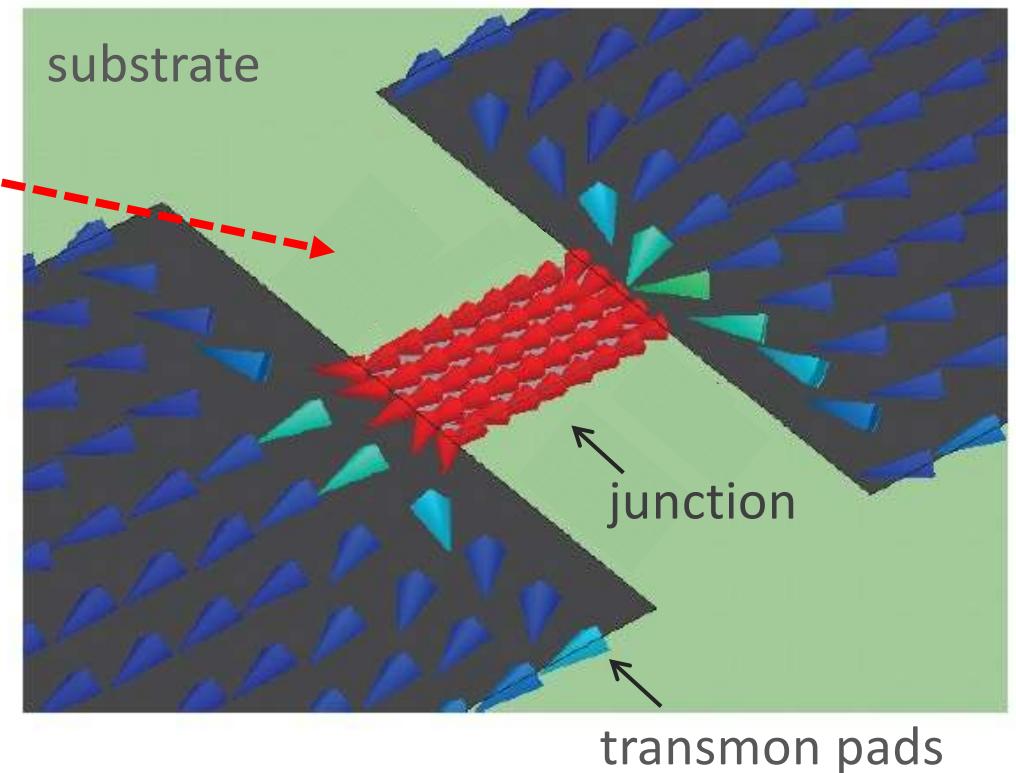


# Energy participation of the junction

$$p_m = \frac{\text{Energy stored in junction}}{\text{Inductive energy stored in mode } m}$$

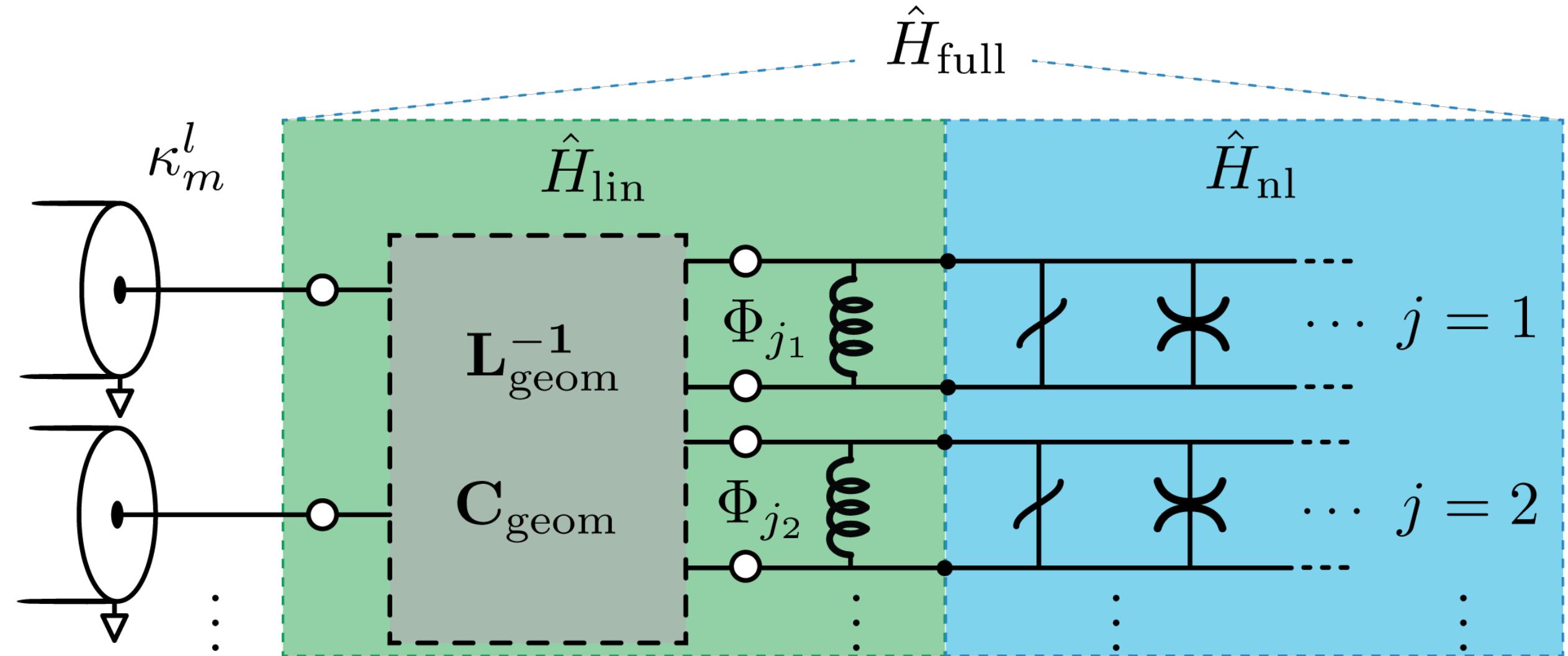
Energy  $\frac{1}{2} I_{\text{stored}}^2$  in junction

Qubit mode (linearized, 5 GHz)

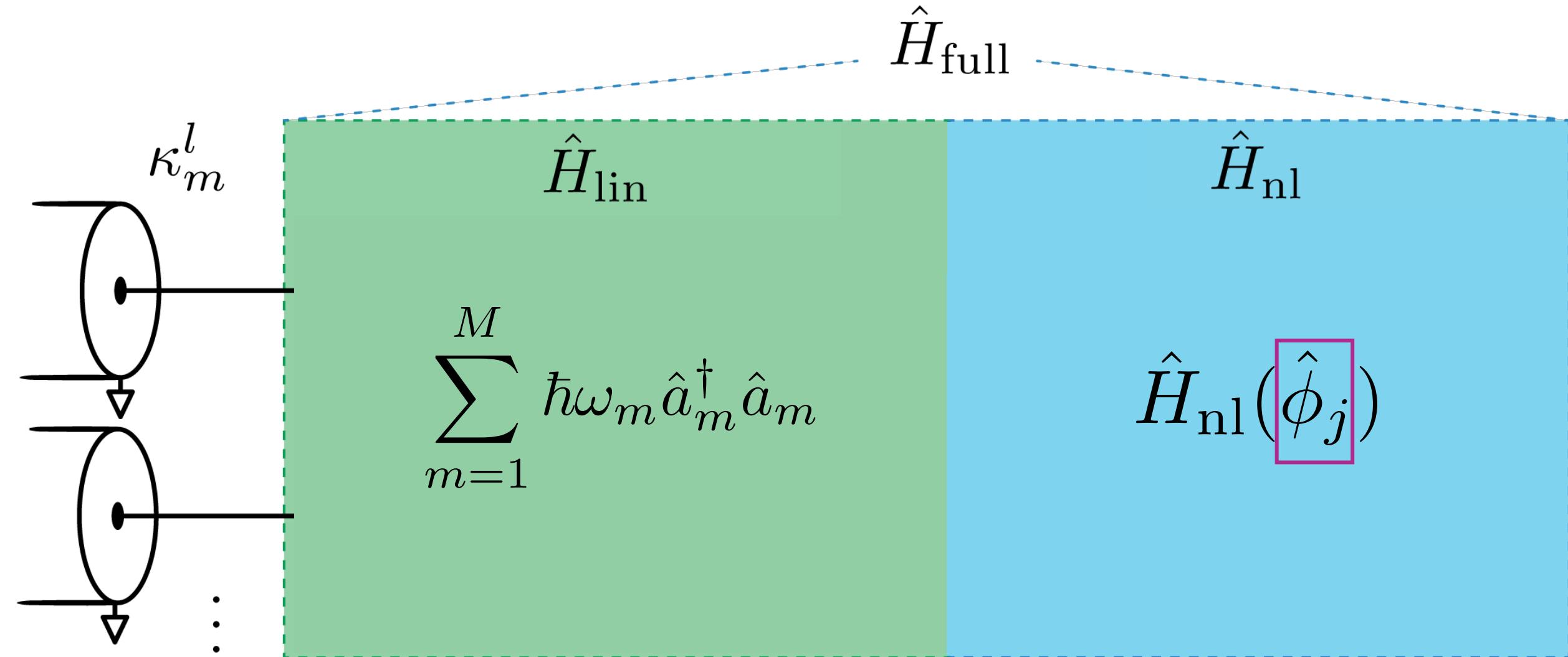


0 Max  
Current-density magnitude

# Decomposition of a general circuit

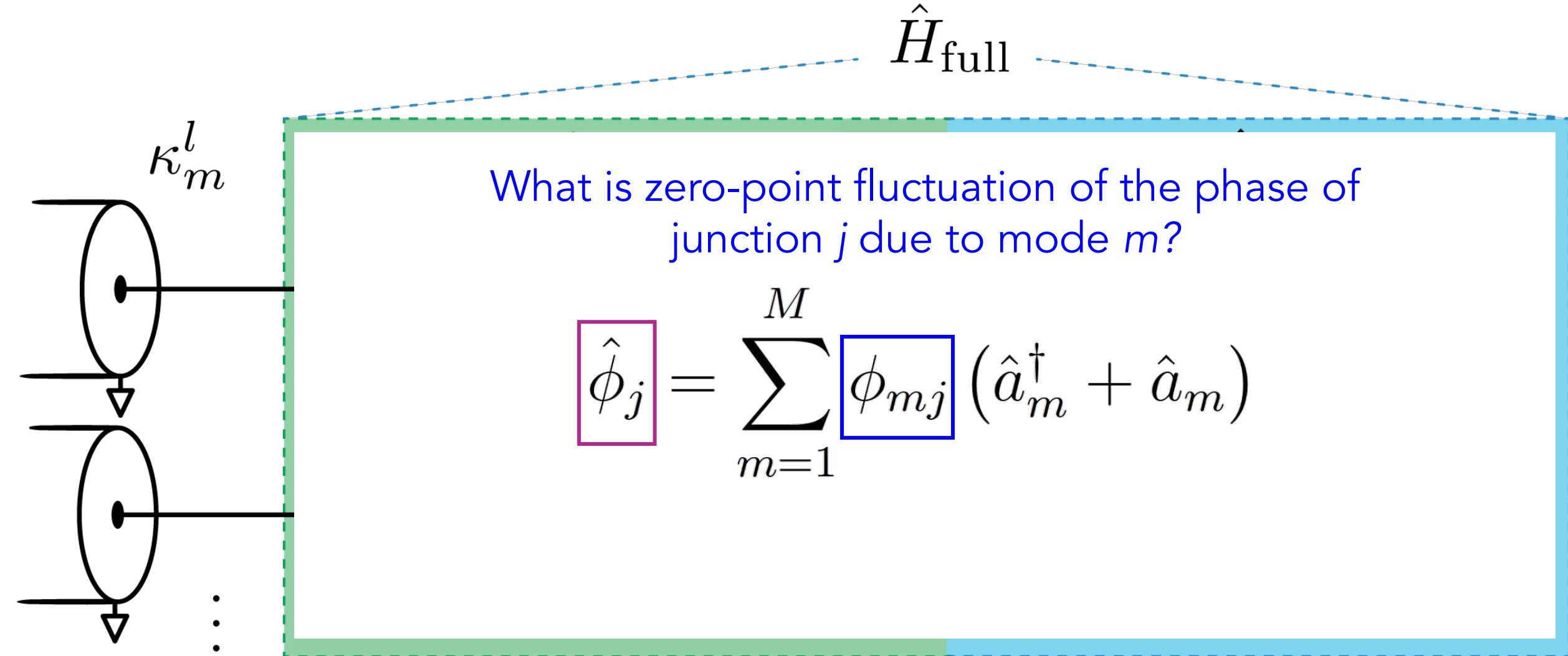


# Decomposition of a general circuit



second quantization in eigen basis of linearized circuit

# Decomposition of a general circuit



# Decomposition of a general circuit

$\hat{H}_{\text{full}}$

$\kappa_m^l$

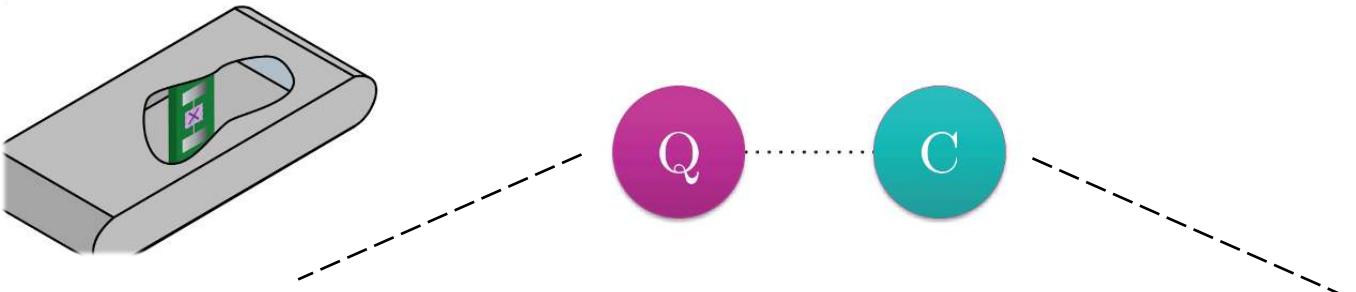
What fraction of the energy of mode  $m$  is stored in junction  $j$ ?

$$\frac{1}{\hbar} \phi_{mj}^2 = p_{mj} \frac{\omega_m}{2E_j}$$

for  $j > 1$ , root requires sign bit  $s_{mj} = \pm 1$

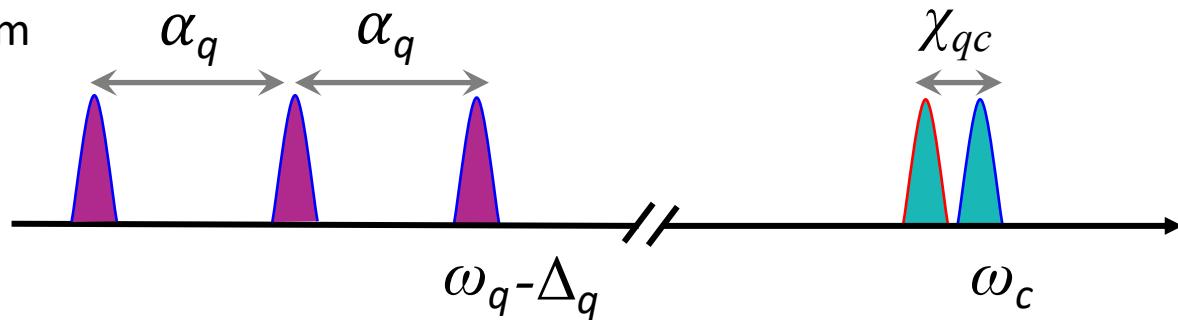
Drawing: Zurek, Physics Today (1991)

# Quantum Hamiltonian from the EPR



$$\hat{H}_{\text{eff}} = (\omega_q - \Delta_q) \hat{n}_q \pm (\omega_q \hat{n}_q \Delta_c \omega_c \hat{n}_c \hat{n}_c - \chi_{qc} \hat{n}_q \hat{n}_c \\ - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_q \hat{n}_q (\hat{n}_q - 1) - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_c \hat{n}_c (\hat{n}_c - 1)) ,$$

Transition spectrum



for simplicity, showing up to  $\mathcal{O}(\varphi^6)$  in RWA

Qubit/cavity anharmonicity

$$\alpha_{q/c} = p_{q/c}^2 \frac{\hbar \omega_{q/c}^2}{8E_J}$$

Qubit-cavity dispersive shifty

$$\chi_{qc} = p_q p_c \frac{\hbar \omega_q \omega_c}{4E_J}$$

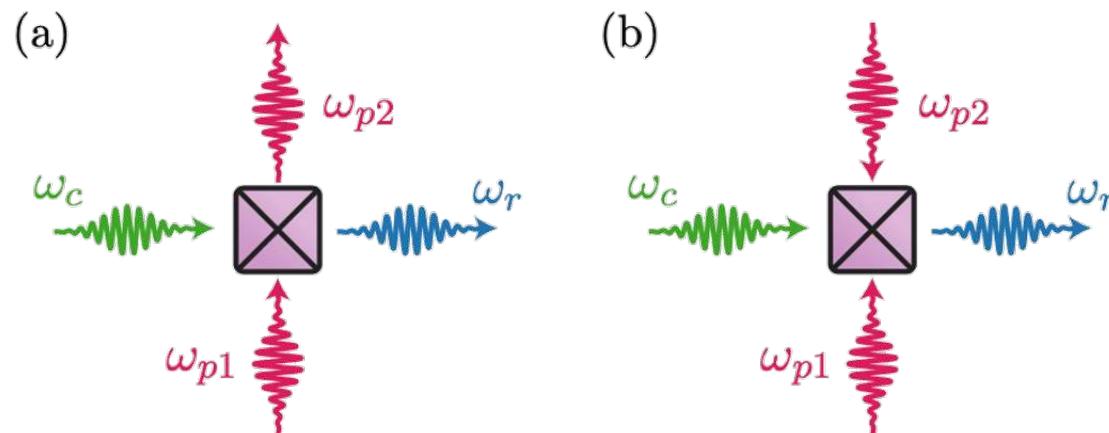
Qubit Lamb shift

$$\Delta_q = \alpha_q - \frac{1}{2} \chi_{qc}$$

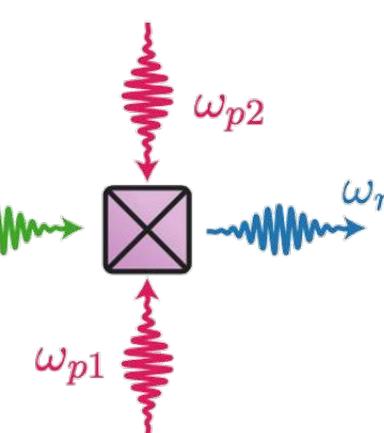
# Reconstruct full Hamiltonian

$$\sum_{m=1}^M \hbar \omega_m \hat{a}_m^\dagger \hat{a}_m$$

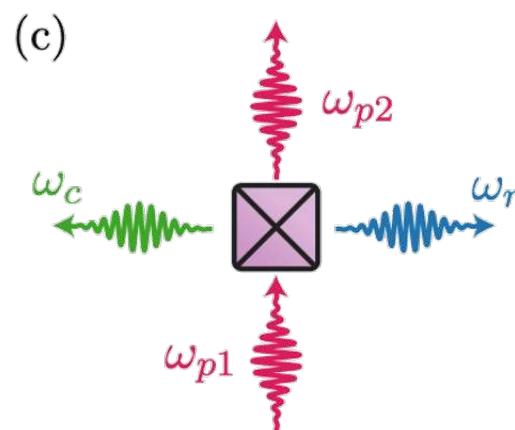
$$+ \hat{H}_{\text{nl}}(\hat{\phi}_j)$$



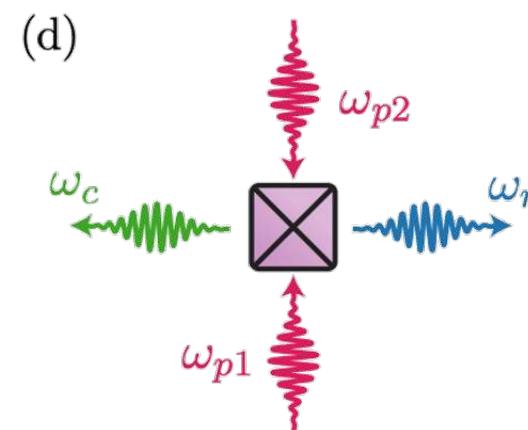
$$\hat{a}_c \hat{a}_r^\dagger \xi_1 \xi_2^*$$



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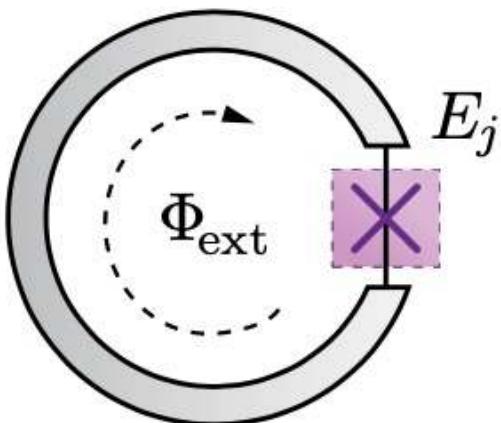
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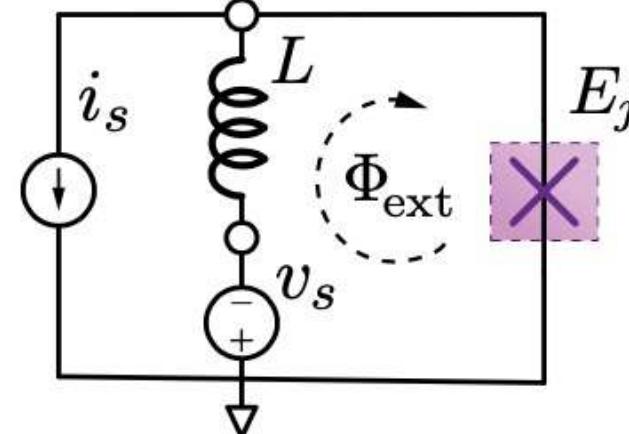
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# Flux conditions

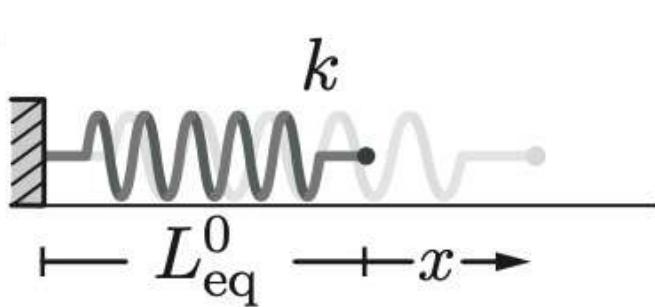
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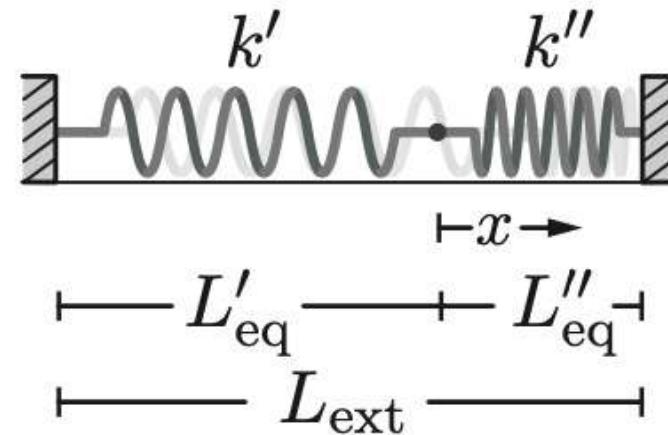
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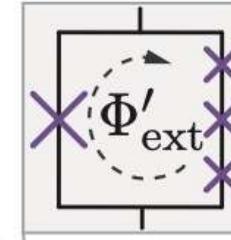
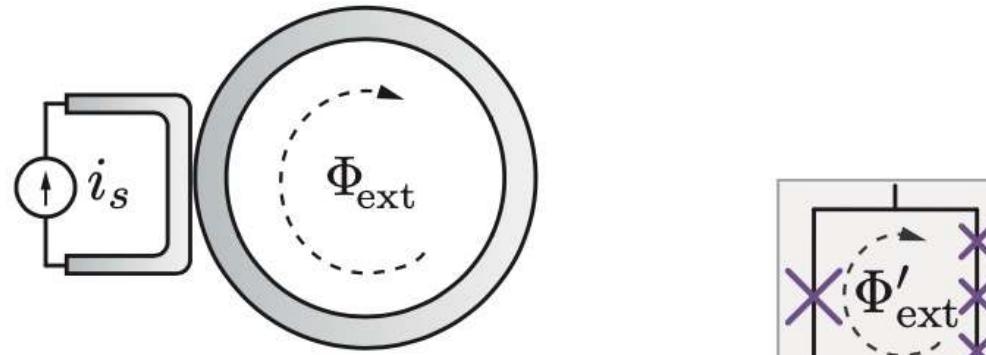


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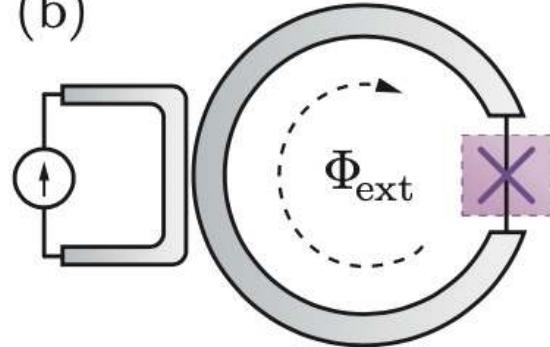


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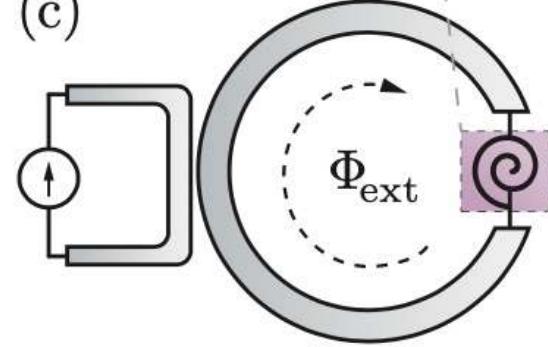
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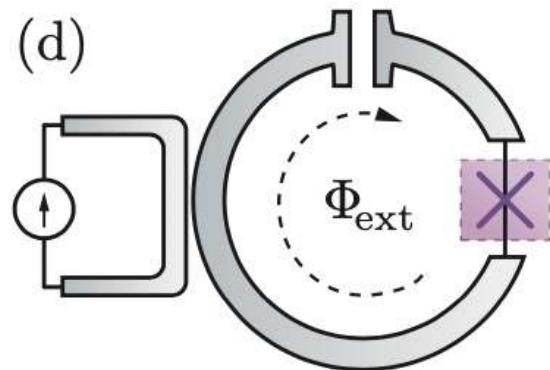
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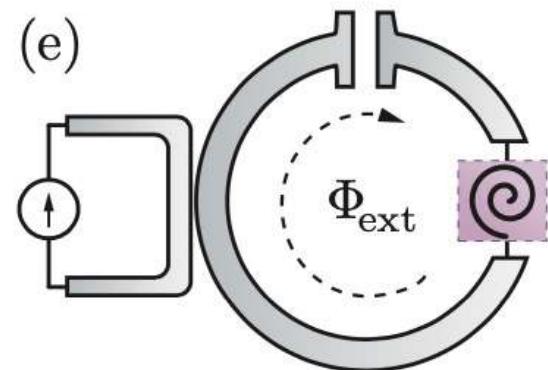
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(e)



# Universal EPR properties

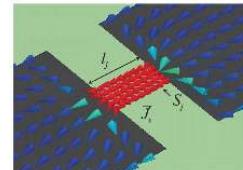
ZPF are not independent of each other

# The monogamy of EPR

## Commandments of EPR

1. All modes and all dipoles are created equal
2. Each dipole has exactly 1 EPR it must dilute among modes
3. Each mode receives exactly 1 EPR units

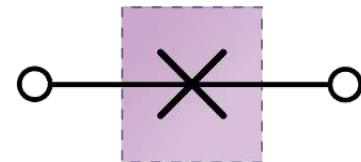
EPR



$$0 \leq p_{mj} \leq 1$$

EPR is bounded

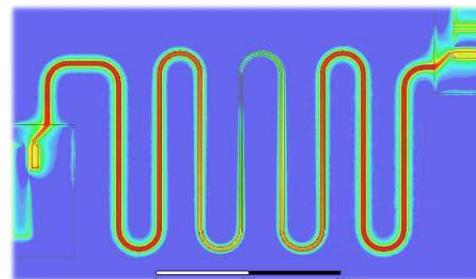
Non-linear dipole



$$\sum_{m=1}^M p_{mj} = 1 \quad \text{for } j \in \{1, \dots, J\}$$

Every dipole comes w/ 1 unit of EPR

Mode



$$0 \leq \sum_{j=1}^J p_{mj} \leq 1 \quad \text{for } m \in \{1, \dots, M\}$$

Every mode accepts at most 1 total unit of EPR

Orthogonality

$$\sum_{m=1}^M s_{mj} s_{mj'} \sqrt{p_{mj} p_{mj'}} = 0 \quad \text{for } j \neq j'$$

For a dipole, its EPRs across all modes are orthogonal

# Dissipation budget & EPR

# Coherence in superconducting circuits

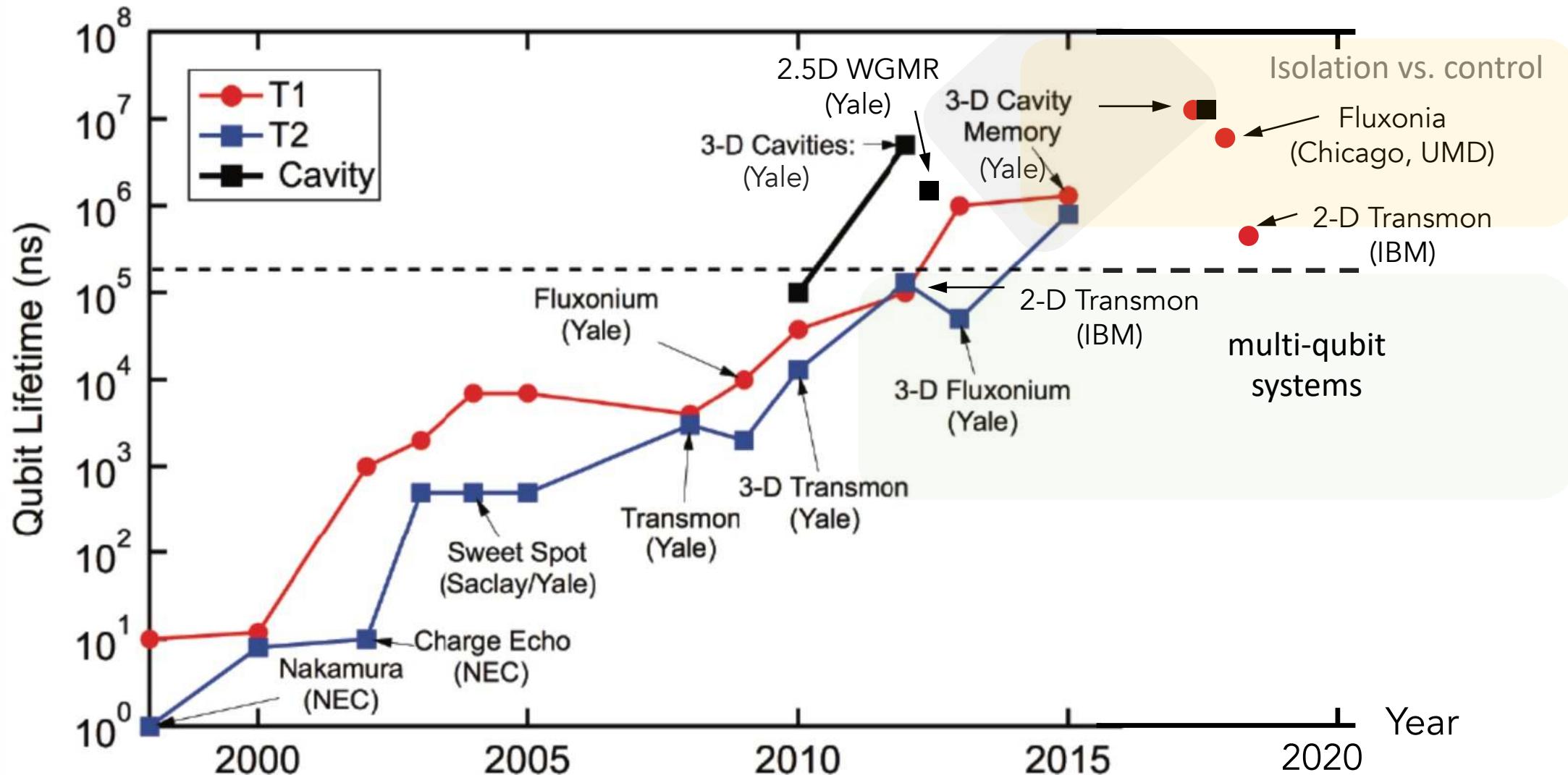
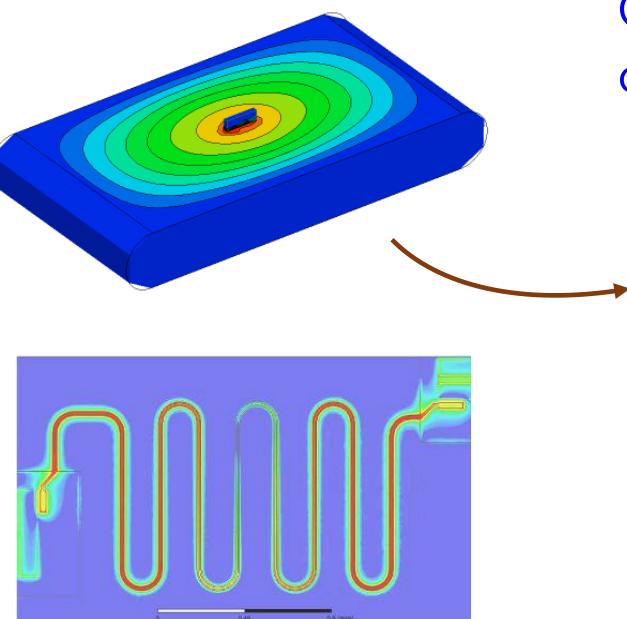


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# Dissipation budget and the energy-participation ratio (EPR)



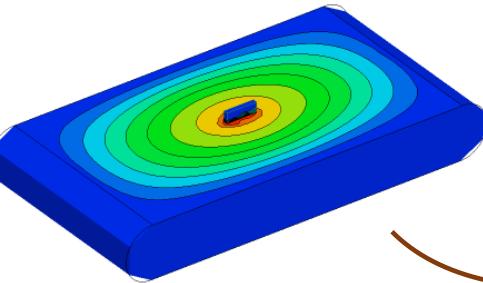
Quality factor  
of mode  $m$

EPR of lossy element  $l$   
in mode  $m$  (design)

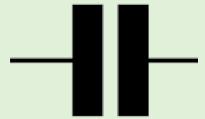
Quality of lossy element  $l$   
(material property)

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{\text{total},m}^{-1} &= \sum_l p_{ml} Q_l^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{Q_{\text{cap}}} + \frac{1}{Q_{\text{ind}}} + \frac{1}{Q_{\text{rad}}} \end{aligned}$$

# Lossy energy-participation ratios (EPRs)



Capacitive

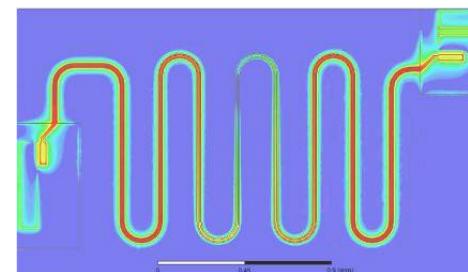


bulk

$$p_{ml}^{\text{cap}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_{\text{elec}}} \frac{1}{4} \Re \int_{V_l} \vec{E}_{\max}^* \overleftrightarrow{\epsilon} \vec{E}_{\max} dv ,$$

surface

$$p_{ml}^{\text{cap,surf}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_{\text{elec}}} \frac{t_l \epsilon_l}{4} \Re \int_{\text{surf}_l} |\vec{E}_{\max}|^2 ds ,$$



Inductive



bulk

$$p_{ml}^{\text{ind,surf}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_{\text{mag}}} \frac{\lambda_0 \mu_l}{4} \Re \int_{\text{surf}_l} \left| \vec{H}_{\max,\parallel} \right|^2 ds ,$$

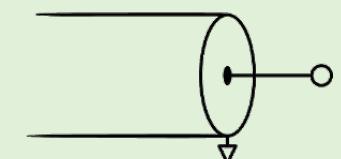
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$$p_{ml}^{\text{ind,bulk}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_{\text{mag}}} \frac{1}{4} \Re \int_{V_l} \vec{H}_{\max}^* \overleftrightarrow{\mu} \vec{H}_{\max} dv .$$

seam

$$p_{ml}^{\text{ind,seam}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{E}_{\text{mag}}} \frac{\lambda_0 t_l \mu_l}{4} \Re \int_{\text{seam}_l} \left| \vec{H}_{\max,\perp} \right|^2 dl ,$$

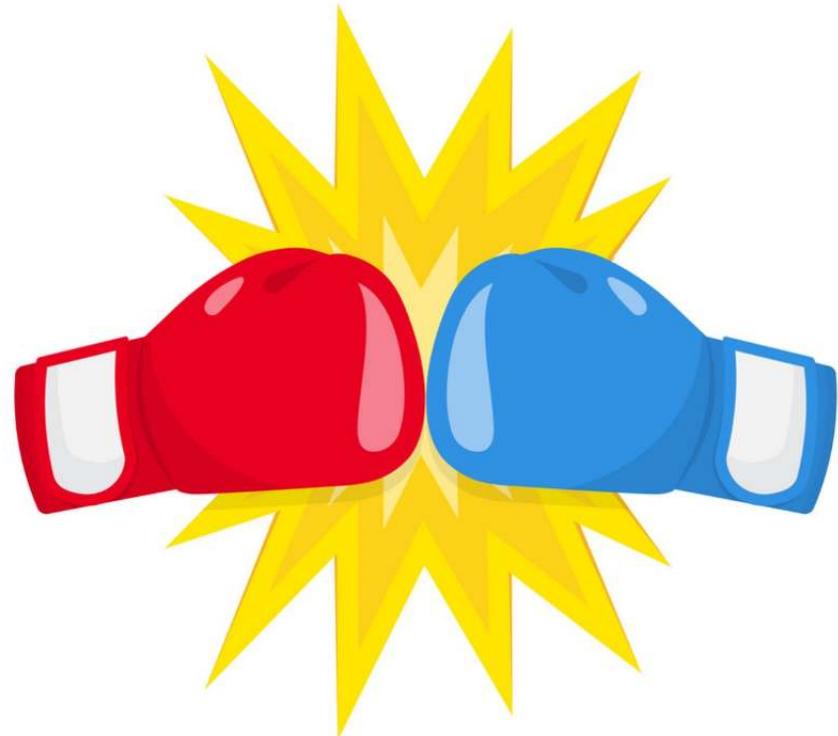
Radiative



external

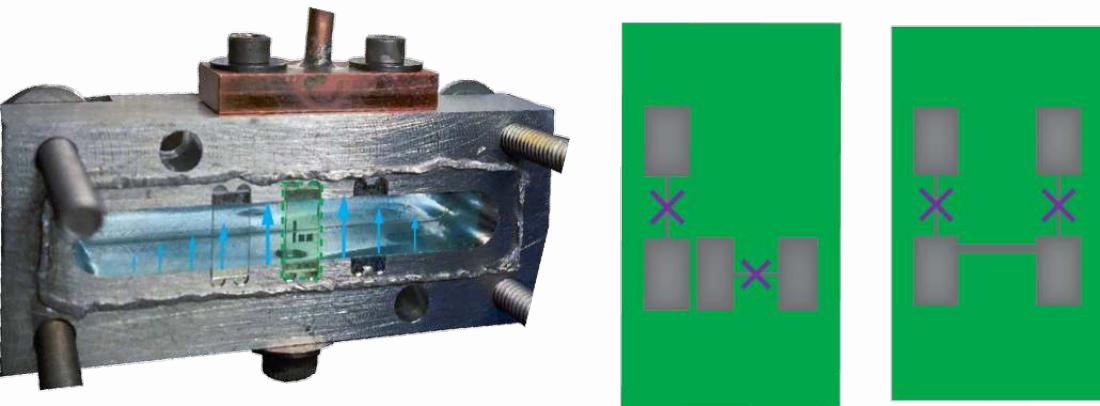
$$Q_{mp} = \frac{\omega_m \mathcal{E}_m(0)}{\frac{1}{2} R I_{mp}^2} .$$

# EPR theory vs. experiment

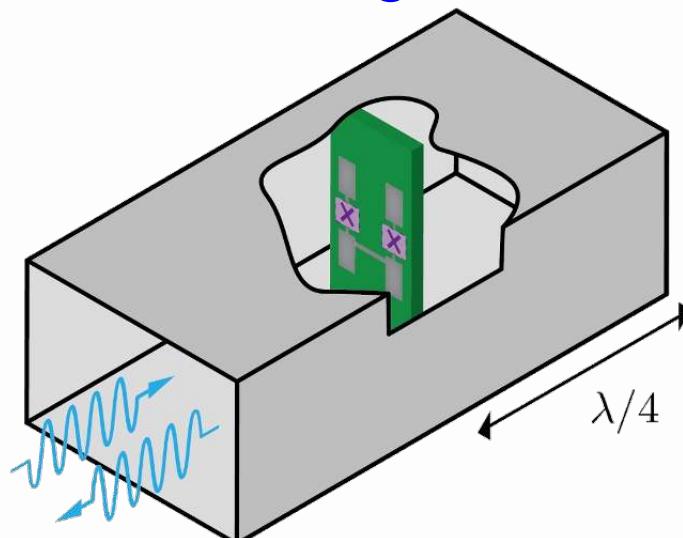


# First set of measured architectures and devices

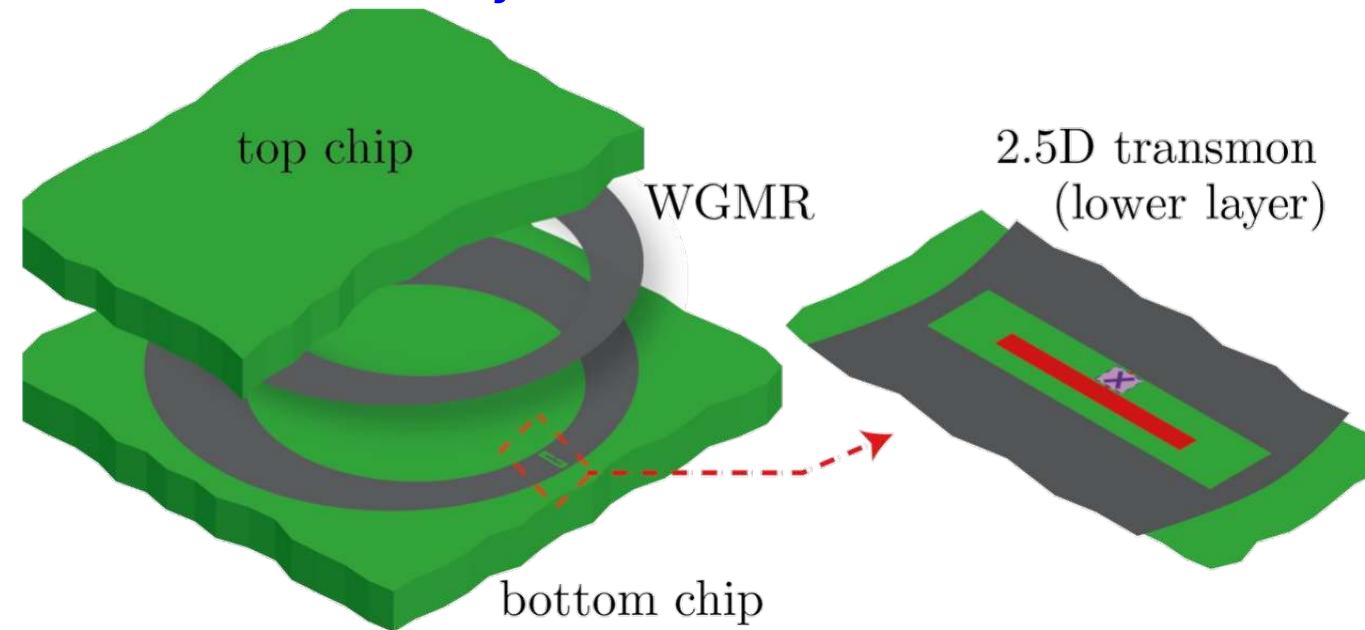
Three-dimensional (3D) \*



Waveguide



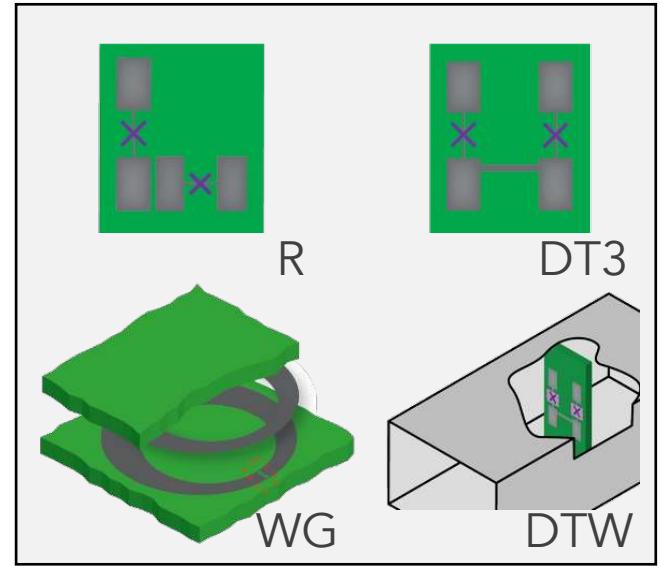
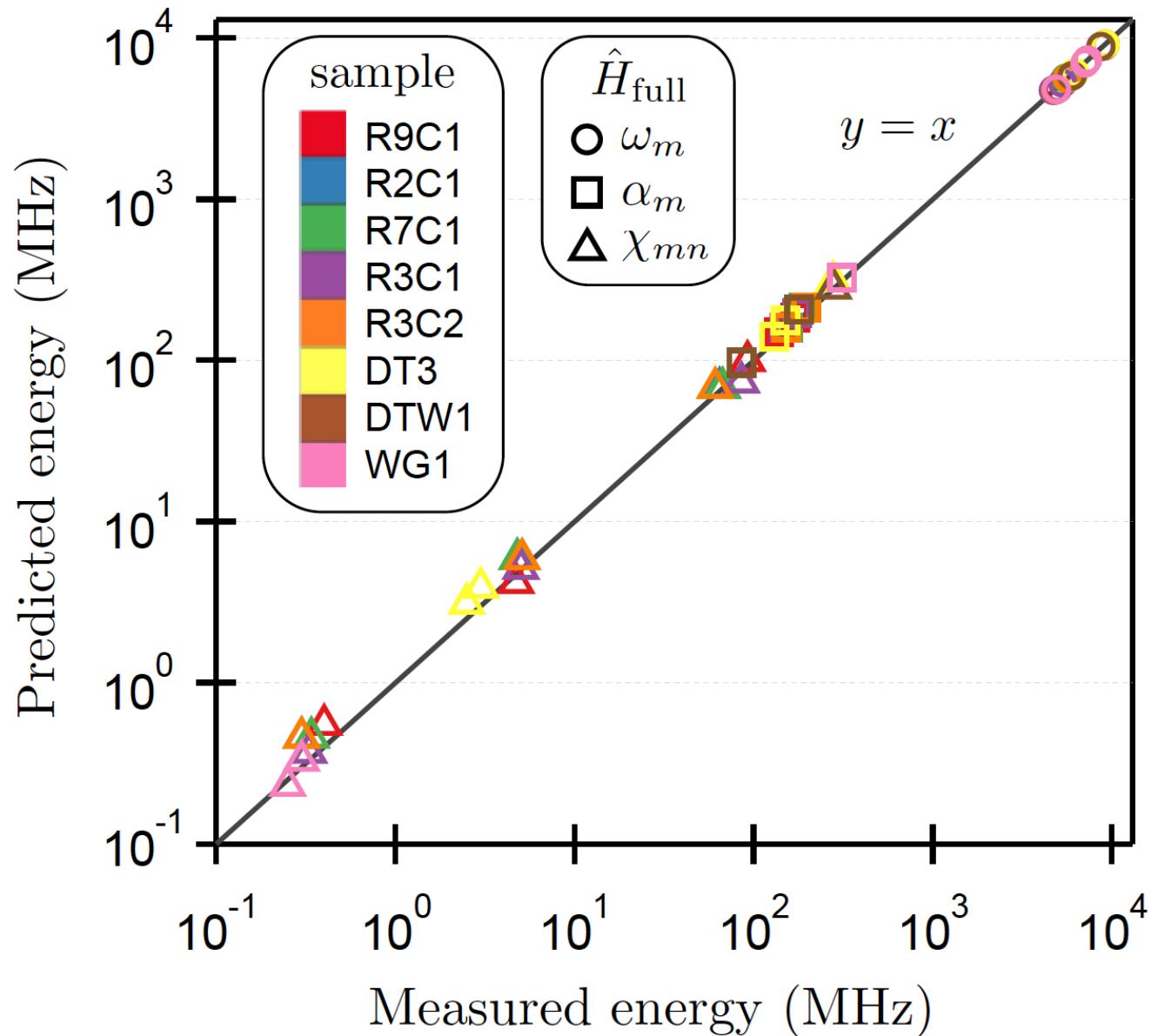
Multilayer (2.5D) cQED



Minev *et al.*, APL (2013)  
Minev *et al.*, WO/2016/138395 (2015)  
Minev *et al.*, Phys. Rev. App. (2016)

\* Minev *et al.*, arXiv:1803.00545 (2018); Related: Gambetta *et al.*, PRL (2011), Srinivasan *et al.*, PRL (2011), Dumur *et al.*, PRB (2015), Zhang *et al.*, Nature JQI (2017) ...

# Theory vs. experiment: agreement over 5 orders of magnitude



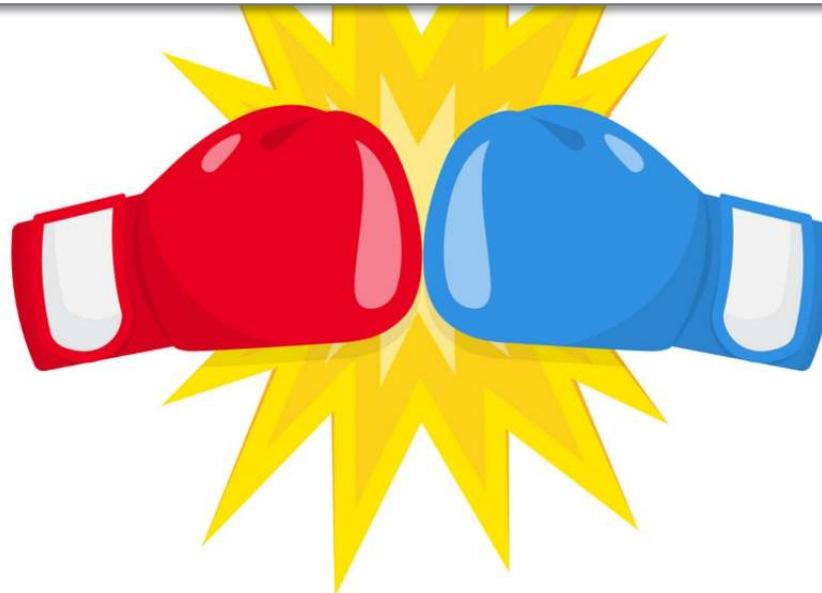
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# planar devices & comparison to other methods

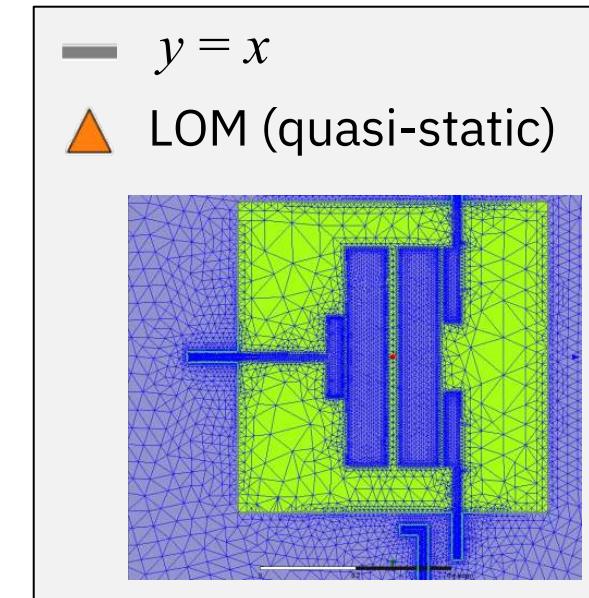
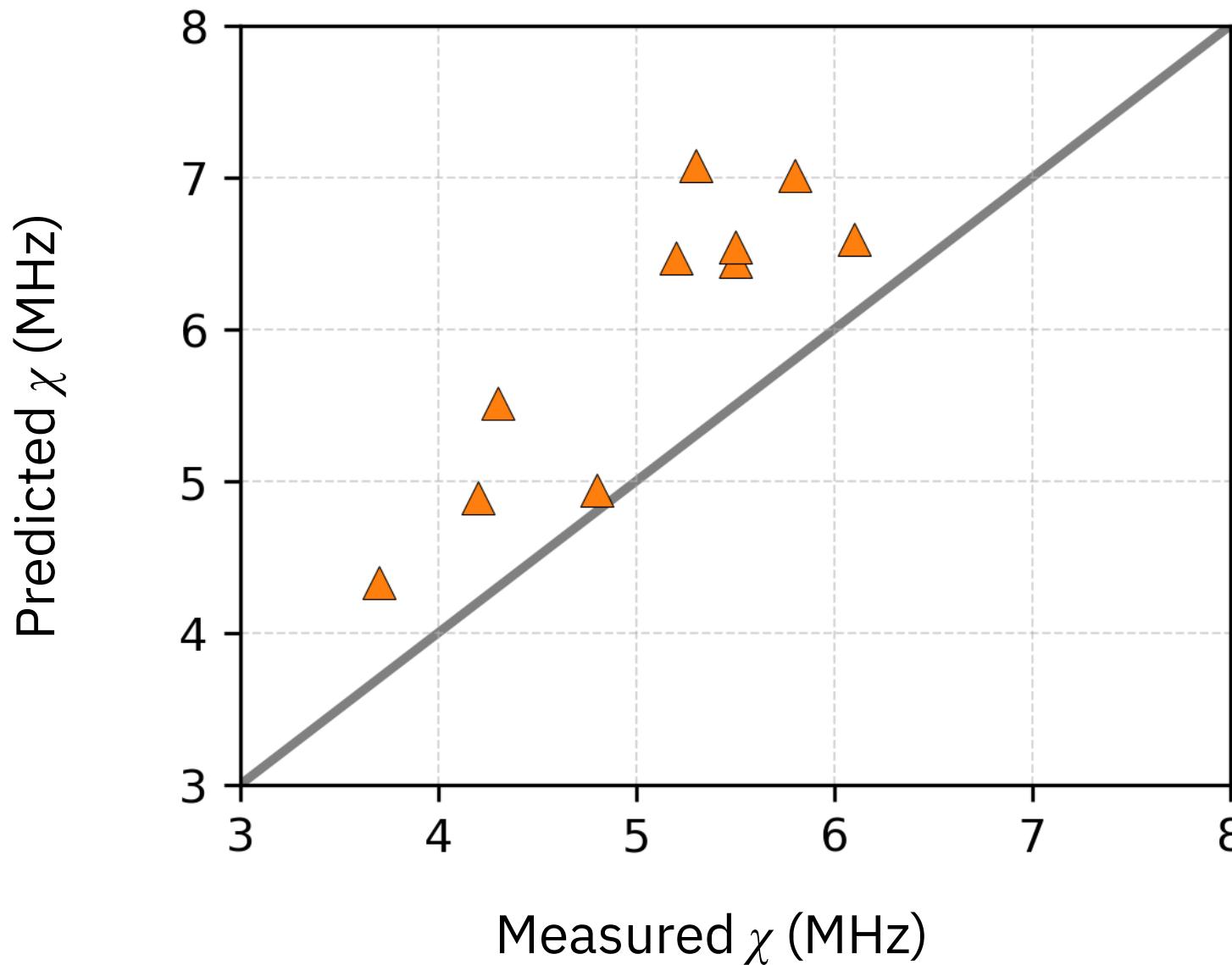
Quantum Physics  
*[Submitted on 2 Feb 2021]*

**Exploiting dynamic quantum circuits in a quantum algorithm with superconducting qubits**

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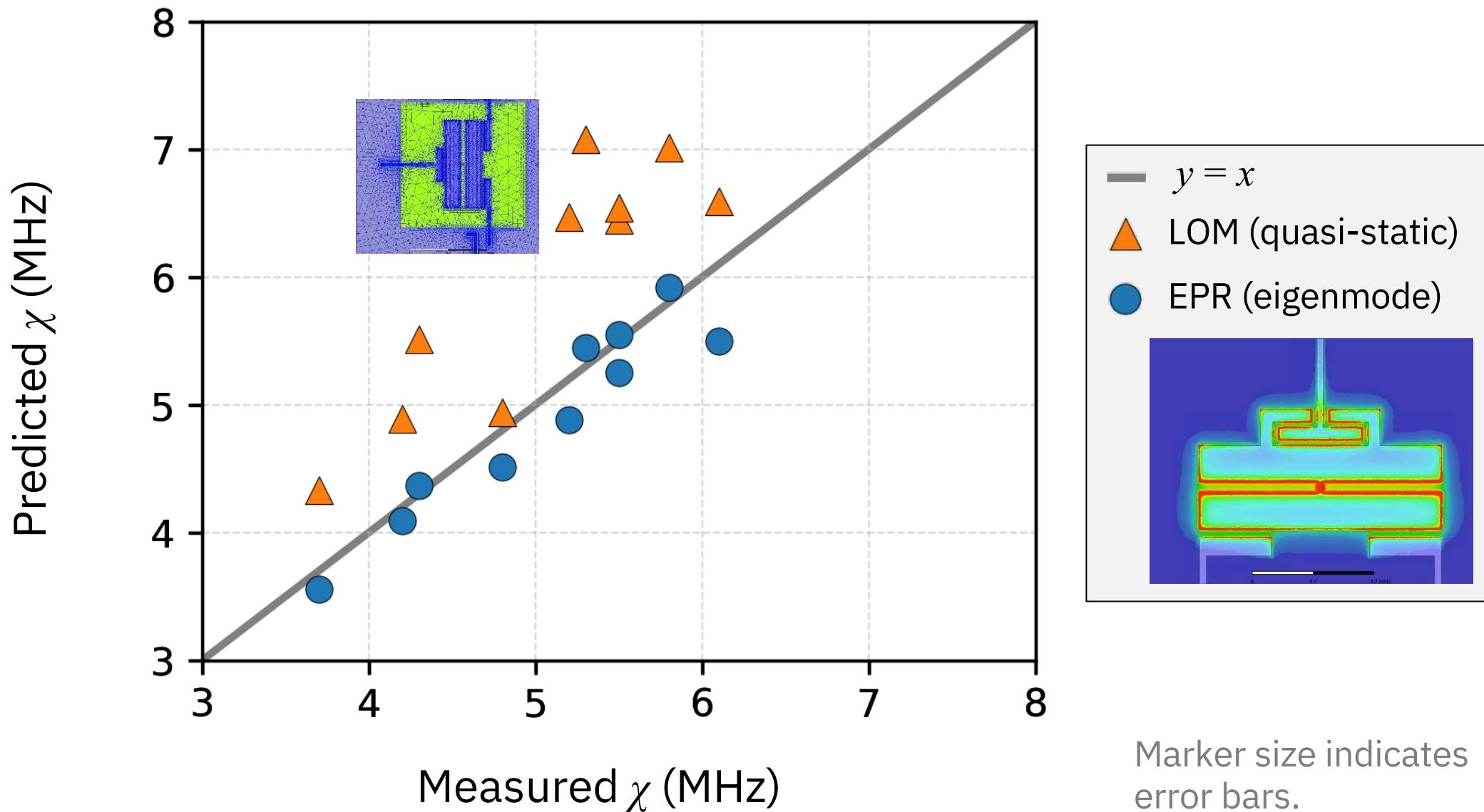
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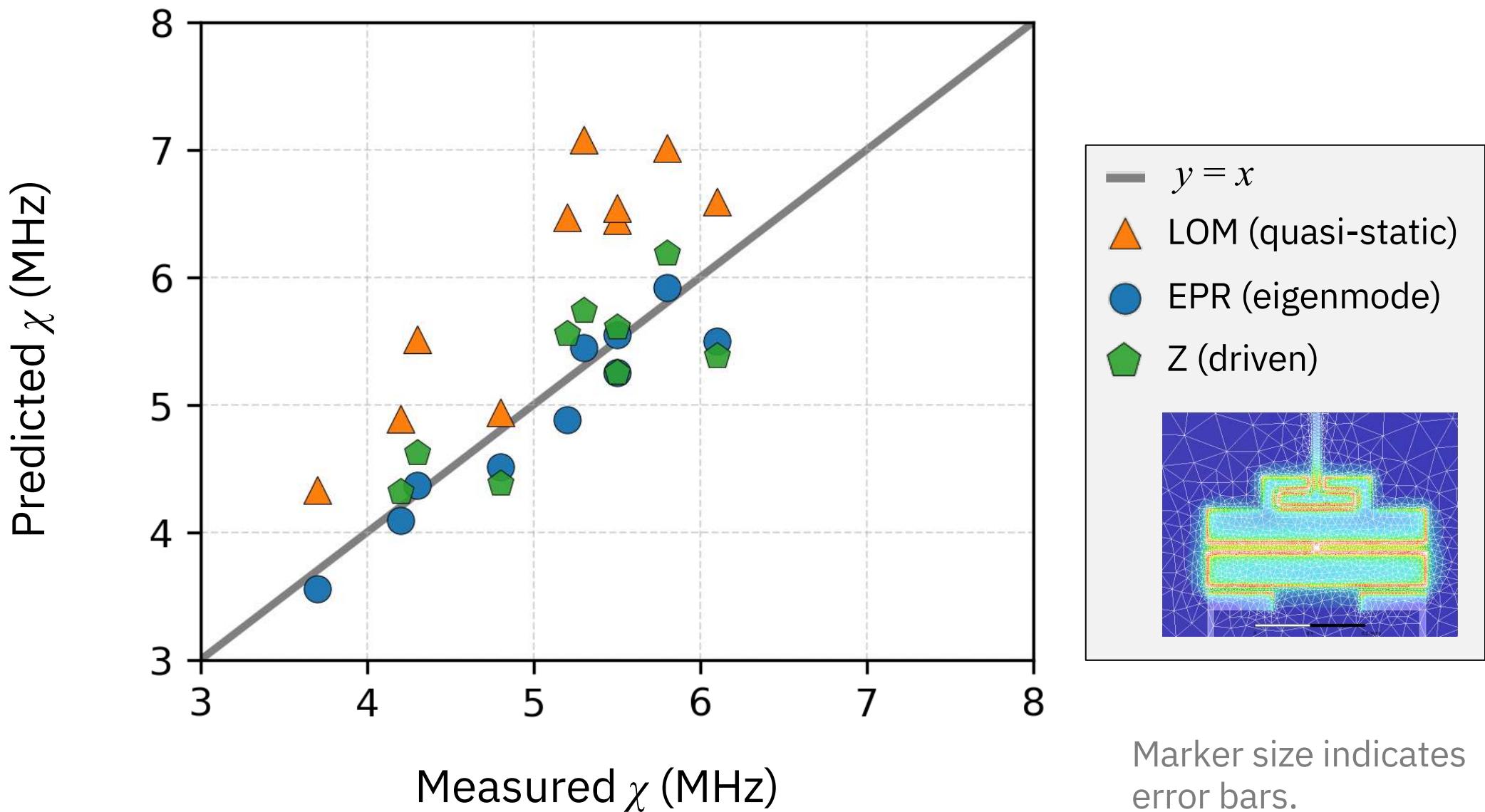
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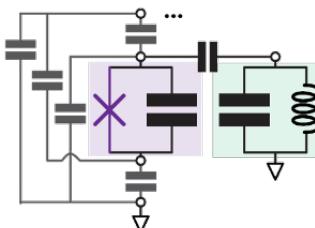
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# Quantization approaches



## Quasi-static

lumped  
(LOM)



Agreement  
for presented results

19%

External inputs

higher

7%

Speed

fastest and  
cheapest

low

4%

low

Generality

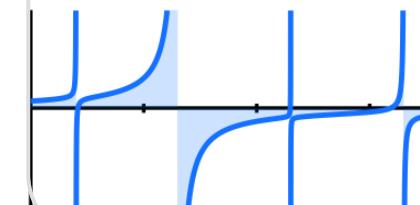
low

high

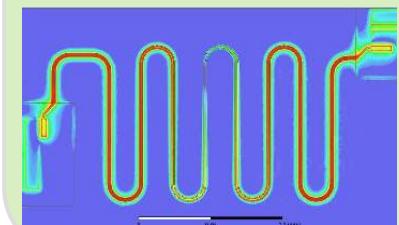
highest\*

## Full-wave

impedance  
(Z)



eigenmode  
(EPR)



\* includes dissipative params



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## zlatko-minev / pyEPR

Welcome to pyEPR 🍻! (see  
arXiv:2010.00620)

Open Source awesome star 78 fork 87 Install with conda pypi package 0.8.4.5

Automated Python module for the design and quantization of Josephson quantum circuits

### pyEPR Working group meeting -- Planning for the future of pyEPR

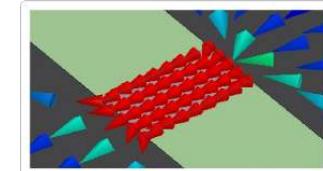
- Please sign-up here: <https://github.com/zlatko-minev/pyEPR/issues/45> or directly here !!
- See [pyEPR wiki](#) for notes from first meeting.
- We will schedule a follow-up meeting in 1-2 mo.

### Who uses pyEPR?

- Yale University, Michel Devoret lab [QLab](#), CT, USA
- Yale University, Rob Schoelkopf lab [RSL](#), CT, USA
- [IBM Quantum](#)
- [QUANTIC \(QUANTUM INFORMATION CIRCUITS\), PARISINRIA, ENS, MINES PARISTECH](#), Groups of Zaki Leghtas and team. France
- [Quantum Circuit Group](#) Benjamin Huard, Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon, France
- Emanuel Flurin, CEA Saclay, France
- Ioan Pop group, KIT Physikalisches Institut, Germany
- UC Berkeley, [Quantum Nanoelectronics Laboratory](#), Irfan Siddiqi, CA, USA
- [Quantum Circuits, Inc.](#), CT, USA
- [Seeqc](#) (spin-out of Hypres) Digital Quantum Computing, USA
- Serge [Rosenblum Lab] quantum circuits group (<https://www.weizmann.ac.il/condmat/ro>) Weizmann Instatue, Israel
- University of Oxford - LeekLab - Peter [Leek Lab](#), UK
- Britton [Plourde Lab](#), Syracuse University, USA
- Javad [Shabani Lab](#) Quantum Materials & Devices, NYU, NY, USA
- UChicago Dave Schuster Lab, USA
- SQC lab - Shay Hacohen Gourgy, Israel
- Lawrence Berkeley National Lab
- Colorado School of Mines, USA
- Syracuse University, USA
- IPQC, SJTU, Shanghai, China
- Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, India
- Quantum Computing UK
- Alice&Bob, France
- Centre for Quantum Technologies / Qcrew
- Quantum Device Lab ETHZ; Andreas Wallraff
- ... and many more! (Please e-mail [zlatko.minev@aya.yale.edu](mailto:zlatko.minev@aya.yale.edu) with updates.)

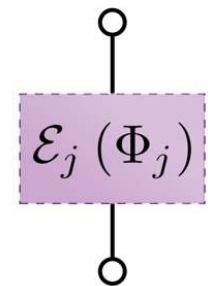
# Energy-Participation-Ratio (EPR) Approach

Simple and unified analysis of dissipation and Hamiltonian  
single-simulation efficient  
obviate driven simulations and notion of  $Z_{ij}(\omega)$



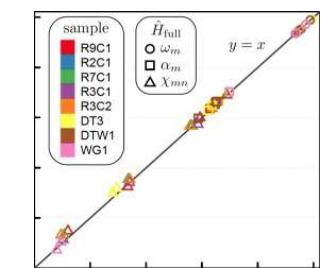
## General

handle arbitrary architectures and non-linear devices  
e.g., nanowires, ...



## Accuracy

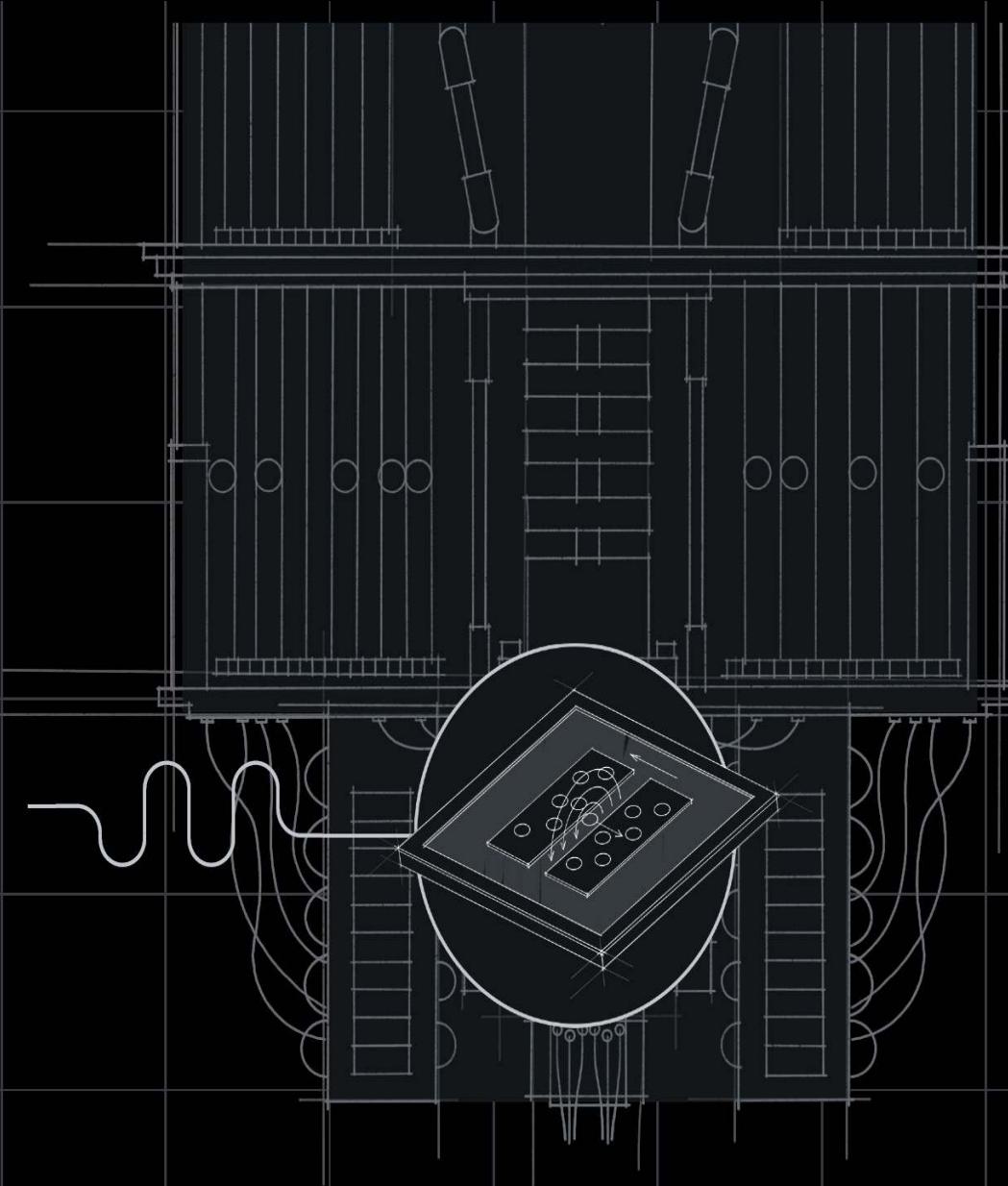
experimental ten to percent level over 5 orders in  $\hat{H}_{\text{full}}$



Suited for automated, robust analysis of large systems  
fully automated and tested (see GitHub)

arXiv:1902.10355 (Ch. 4);

Application to J and CR gate, ...



# Qiskit | quantum device design

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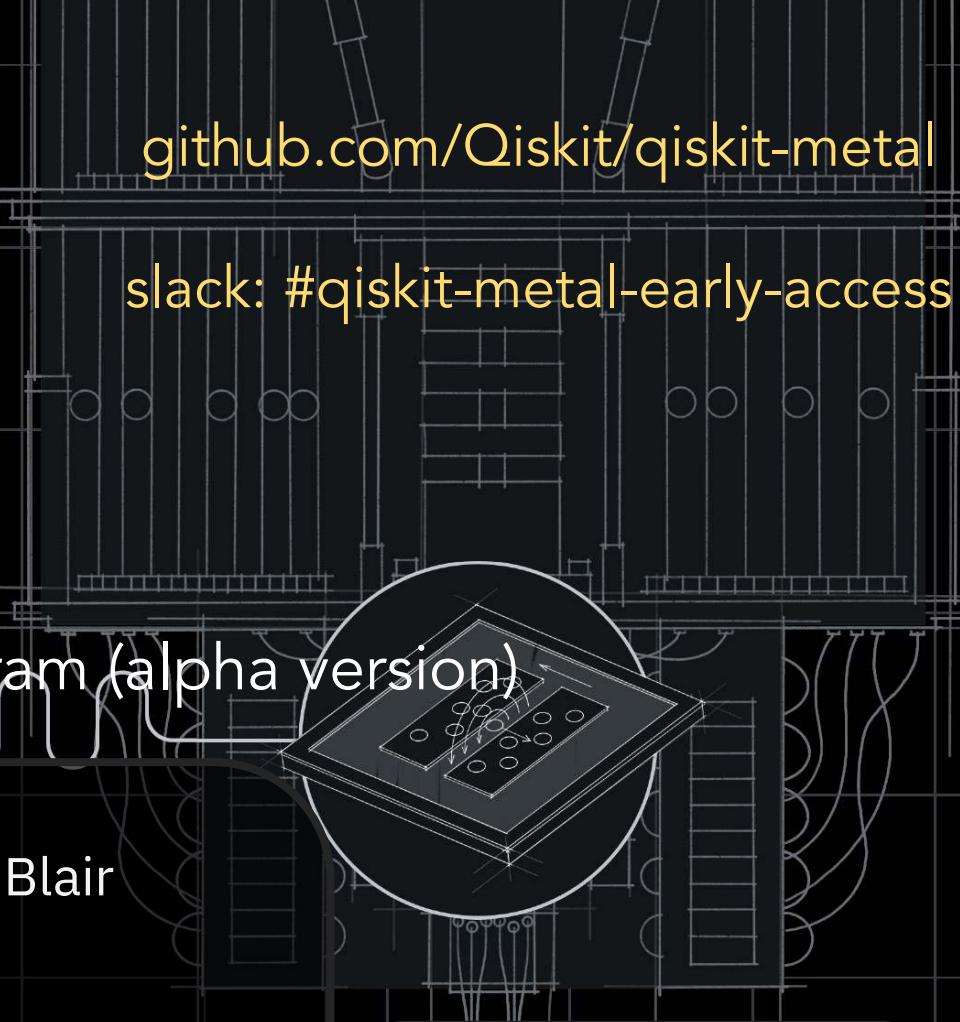
## Project Metal

[qiskit.org/metal](https://qiskit.org/metal)

Open source  
Early-access program (alpha version)

[github.com/Qiskit/qiskit-metal](https://github.com/Qiskit/qiskit-metal)

slack: #qiskit-metal-early-access

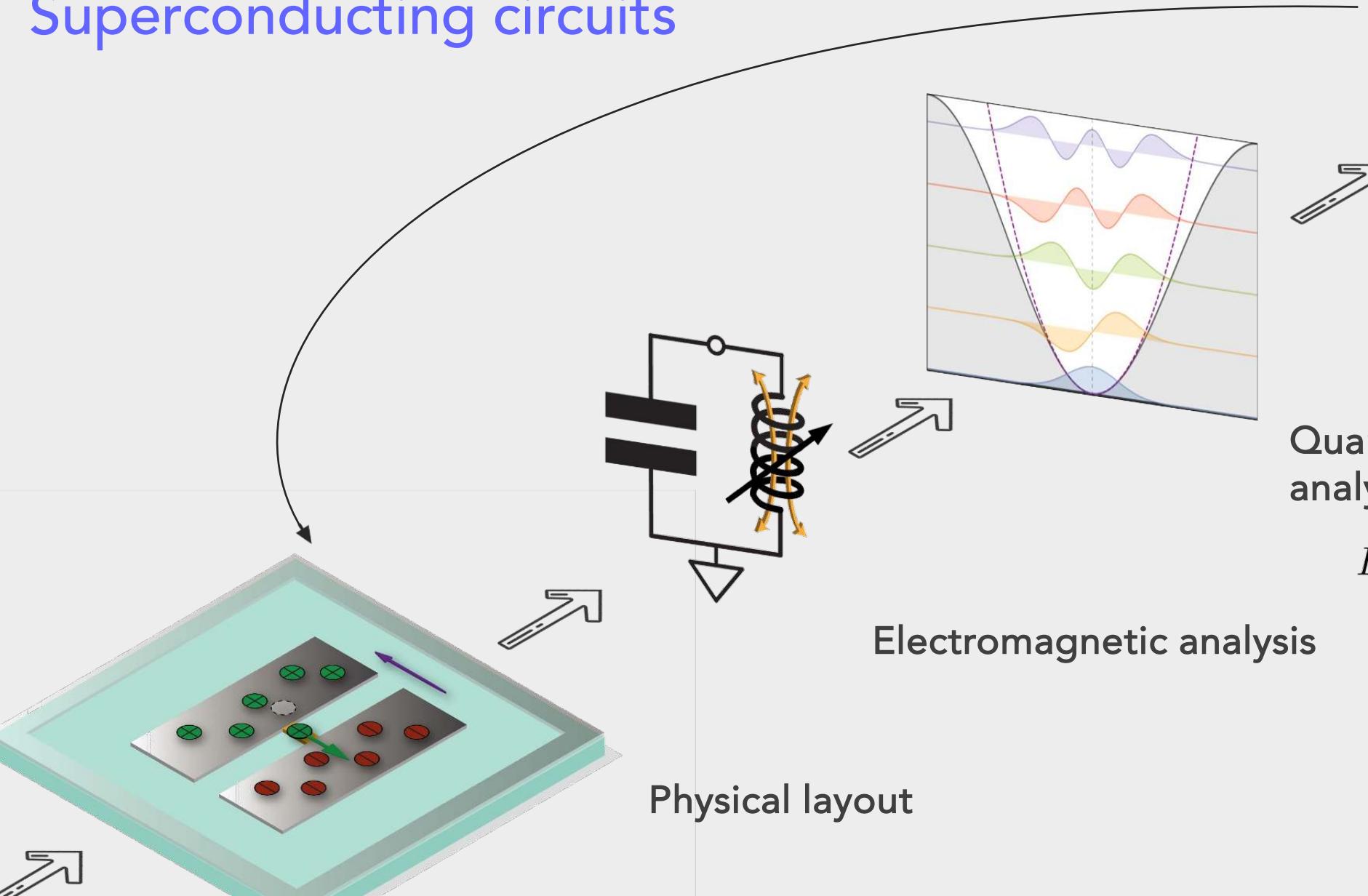


**Close collab.:**



# Quantum Device Design

Superconducting circuits



Qubit Hilbert space

Quantum Hamiltonian  
analysis

$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} = \sum_m [(\omega'_m - i\kappa_m)] \hat{a}_m^\dagger \hat{a}_m$$

$$+ \sum_{\alpha, \beta} [\mathcal{C}_{\alpha, \beta}^p] \prod_{m, n} \hat{a}_m^{\dagger \beta_m} \hat{a}_n^{\alpha_n}$$

$\chi, \delta, \alpha, \dots$

Physical layout

Electromagnetic analysis

Let's layout, analyze, and  
optimize a four-qubit chip...

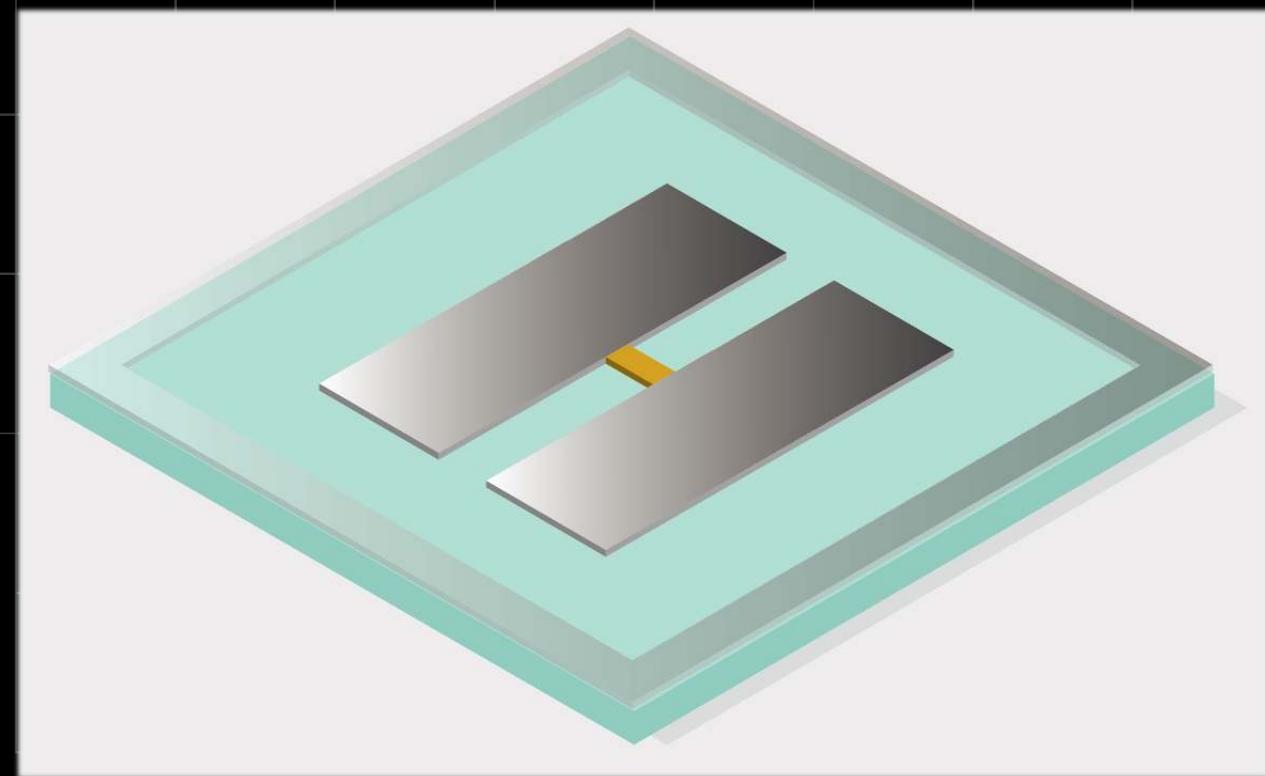
# Qubit layout with project Qiskit Metal

[qiskit.org/metal](https://qiskit.org/metal)

# Create a transmon qubit

```
from qiskit_metal qlibrary import qubits  
q1 = qubits.TransmonPocket('Q1', options=dict(...))
```

```
from qiskit_metal import MetalGUI  
MetalGUI()
```



File Edit View Run Kernel Tabs Settings Help

MyFirstMetal.ipynb

+ X C Code

Python 3

```
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metal_heading Welcome to Qiskit Metal!
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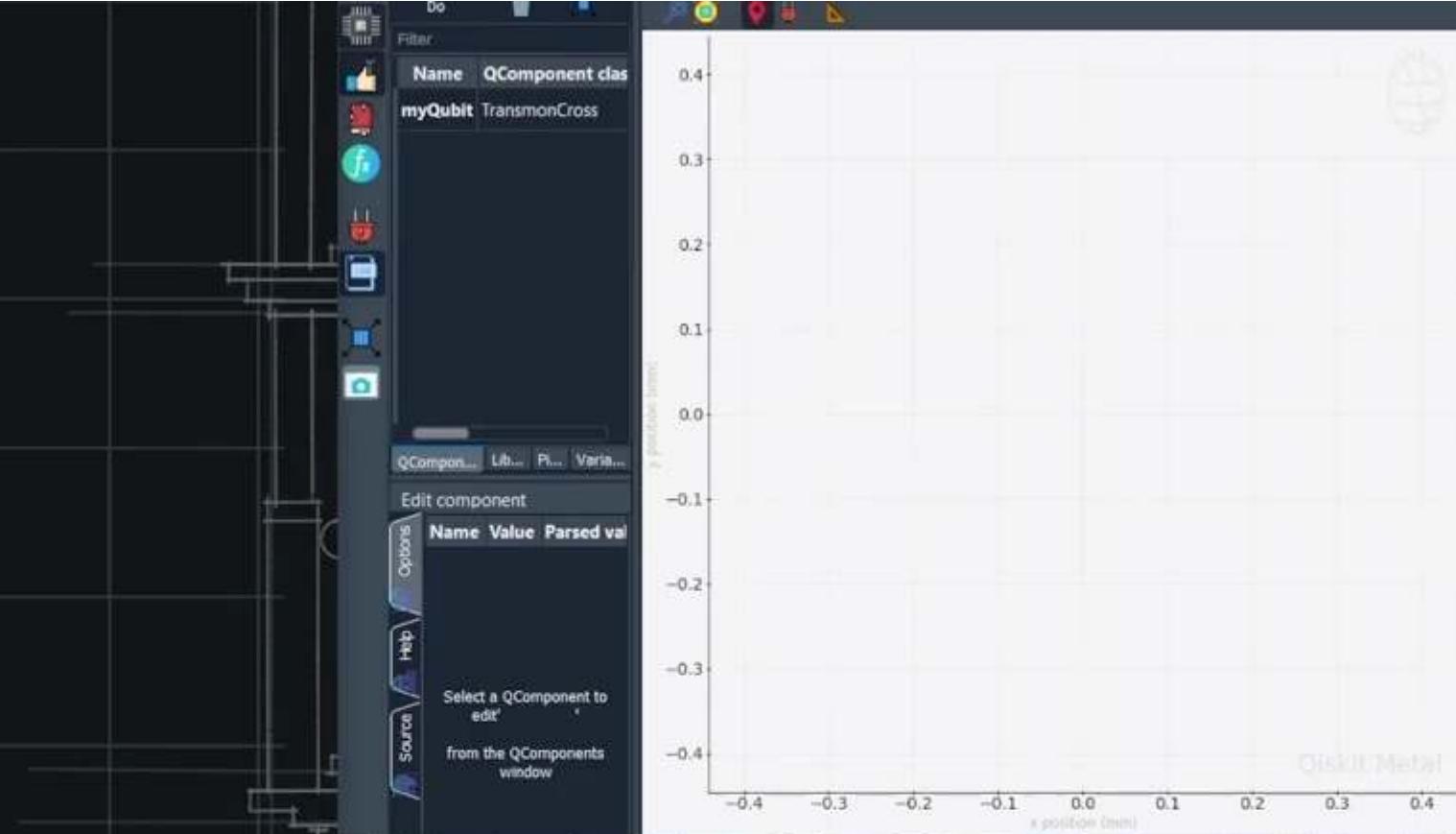
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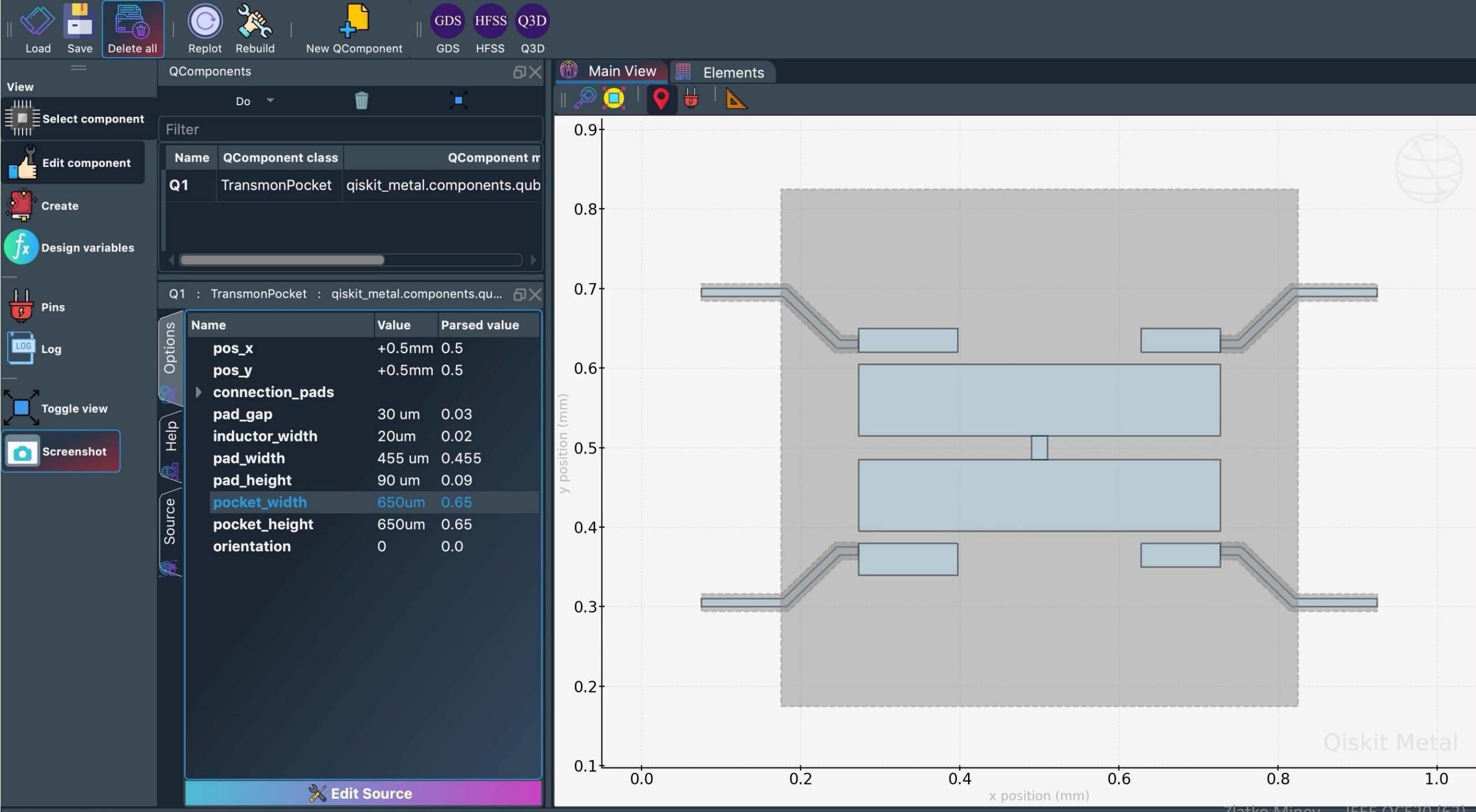
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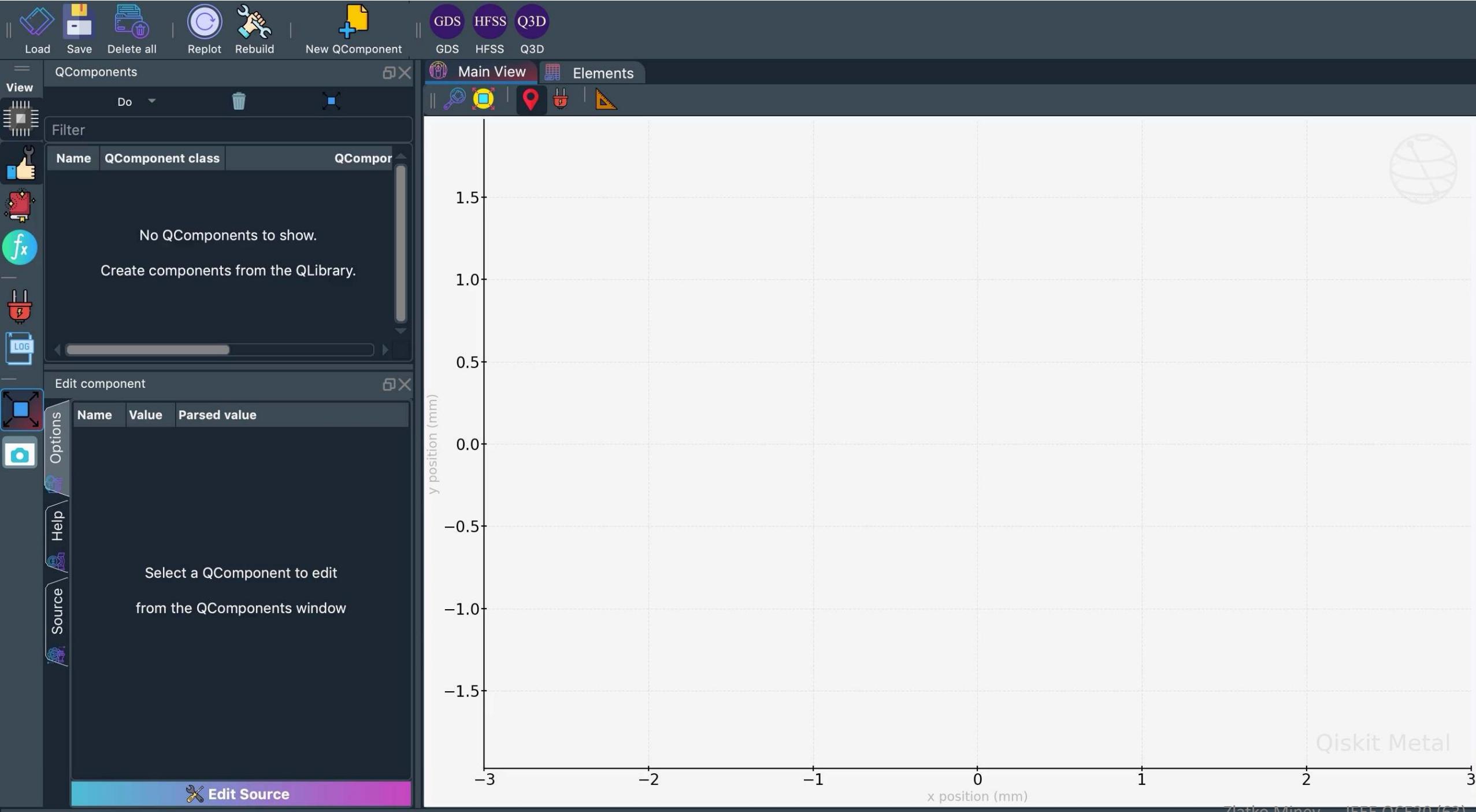
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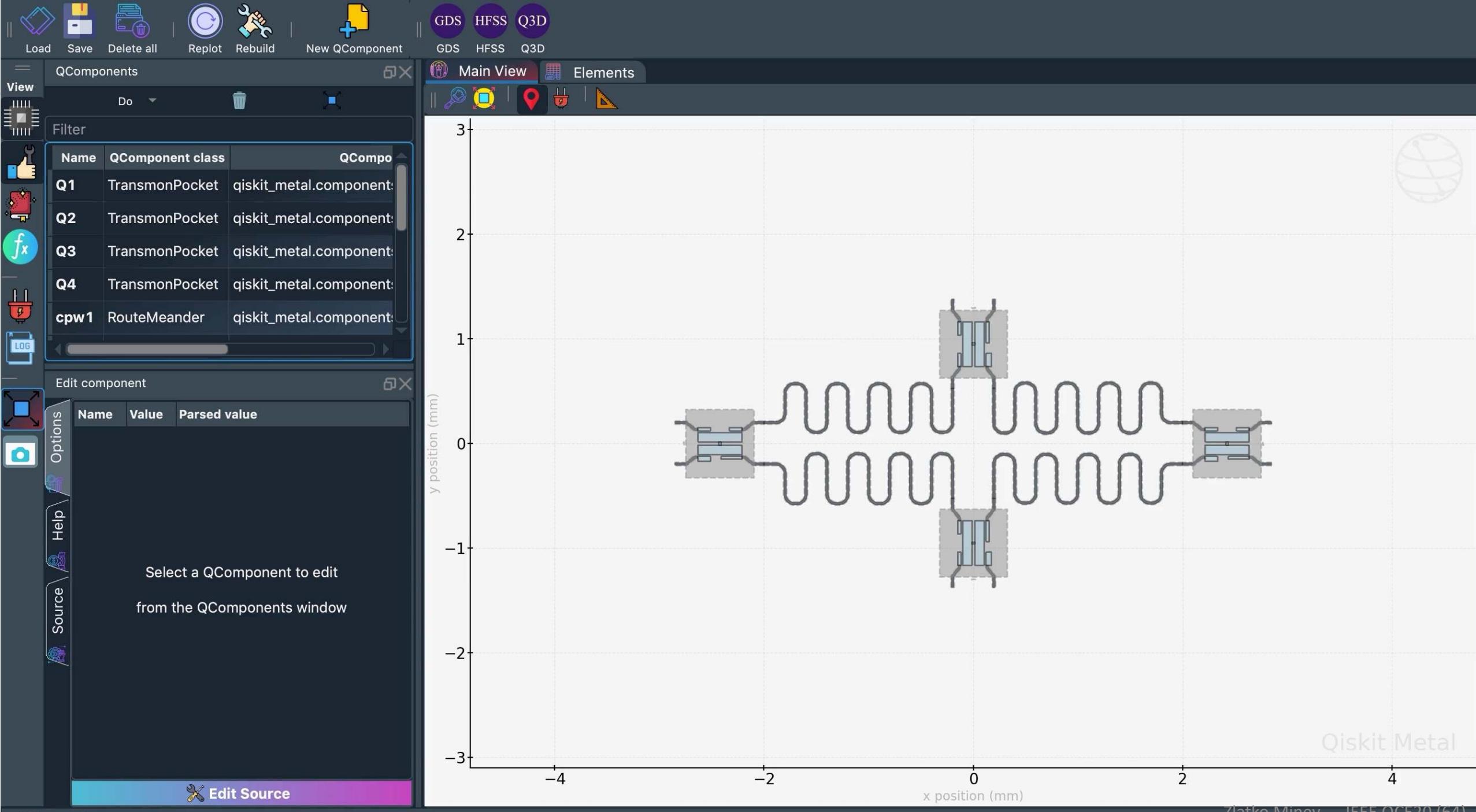
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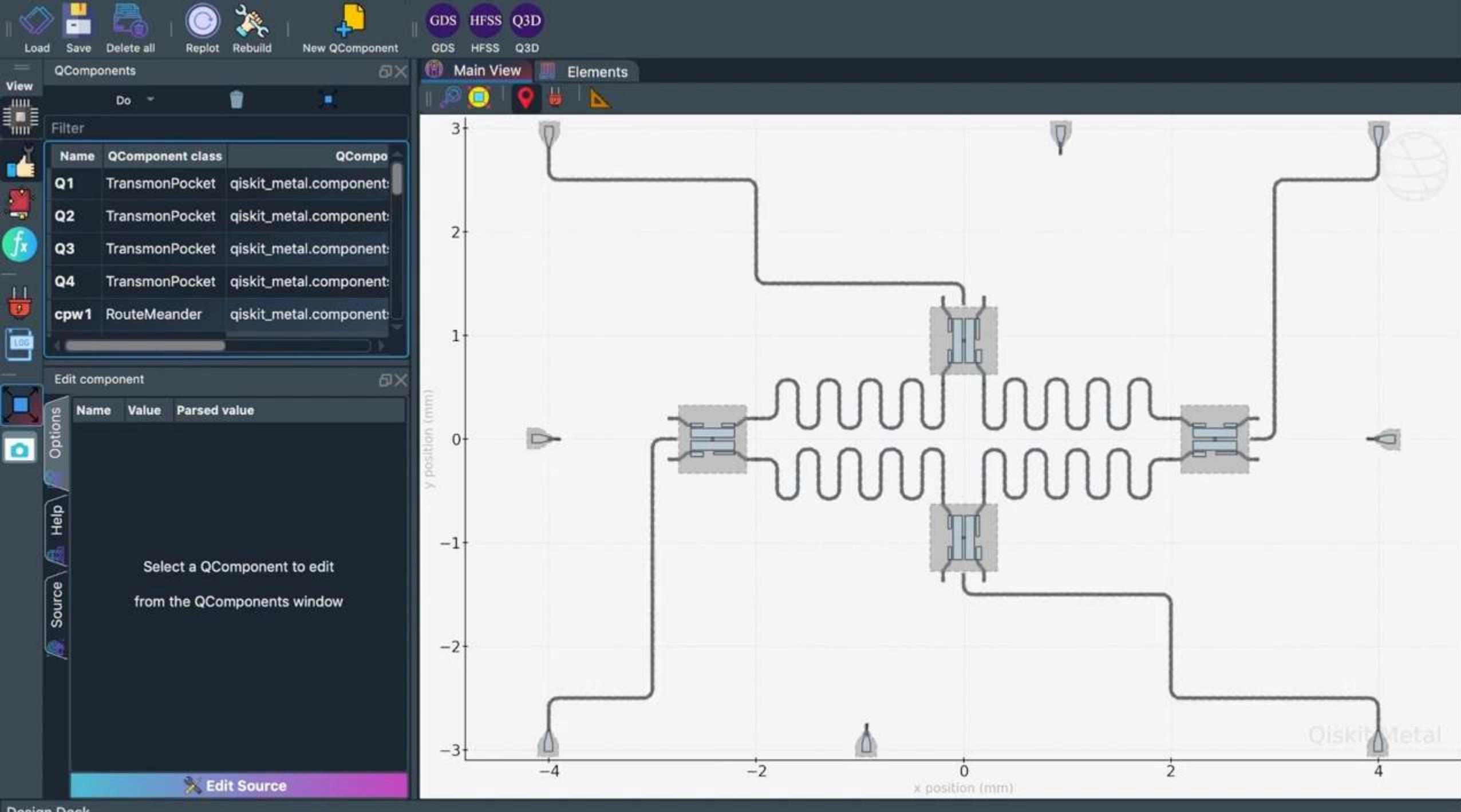
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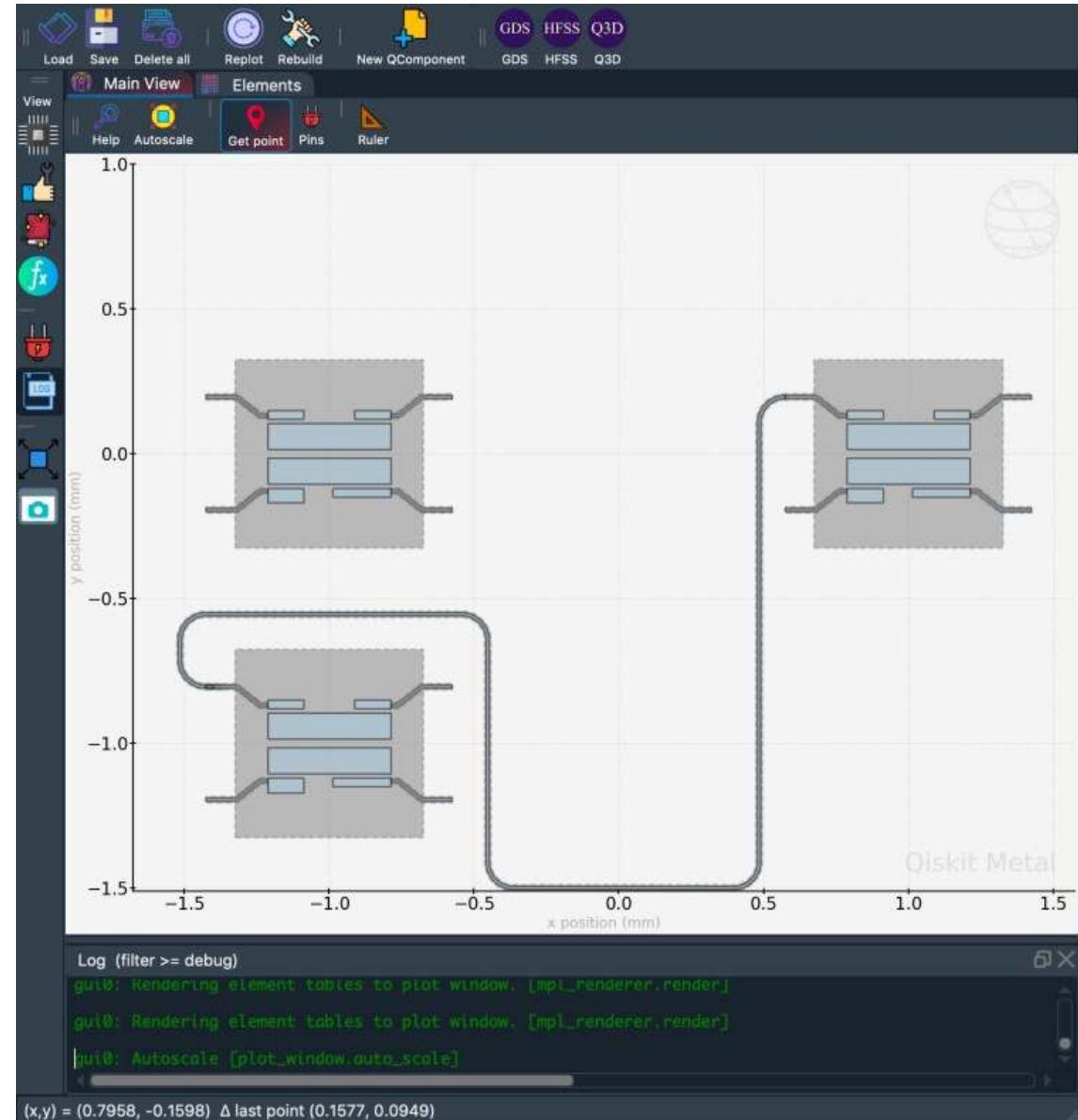
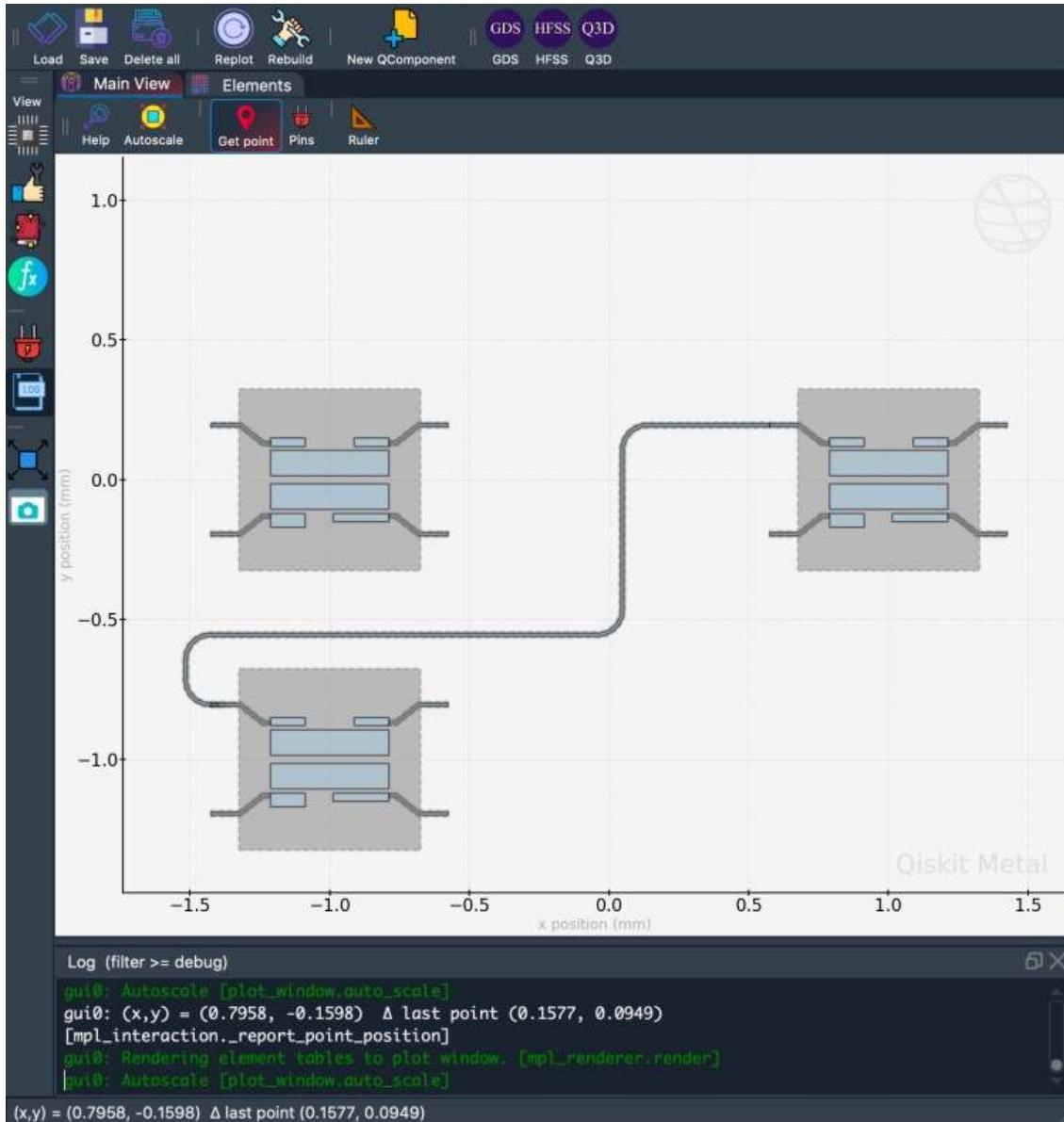






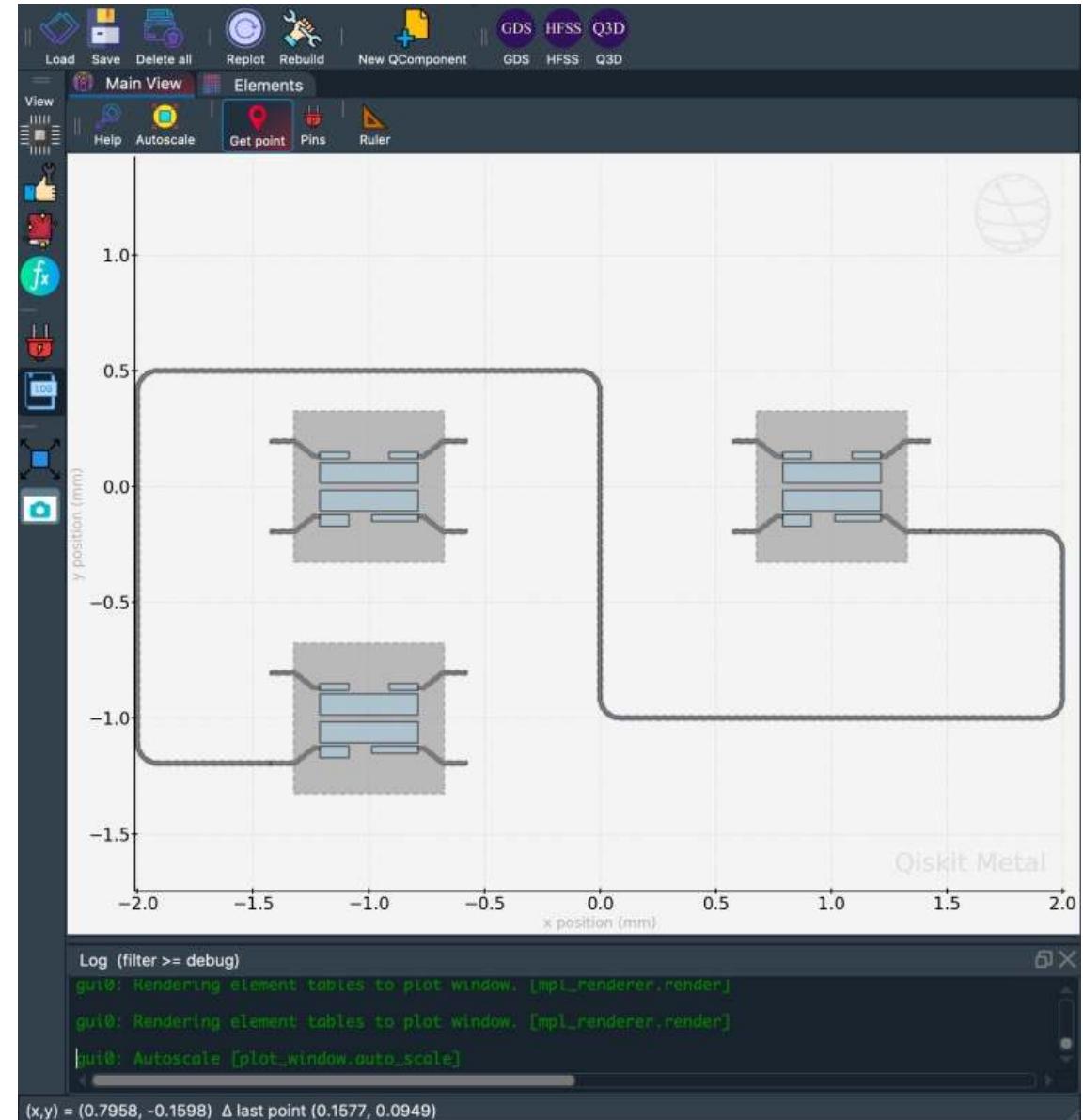
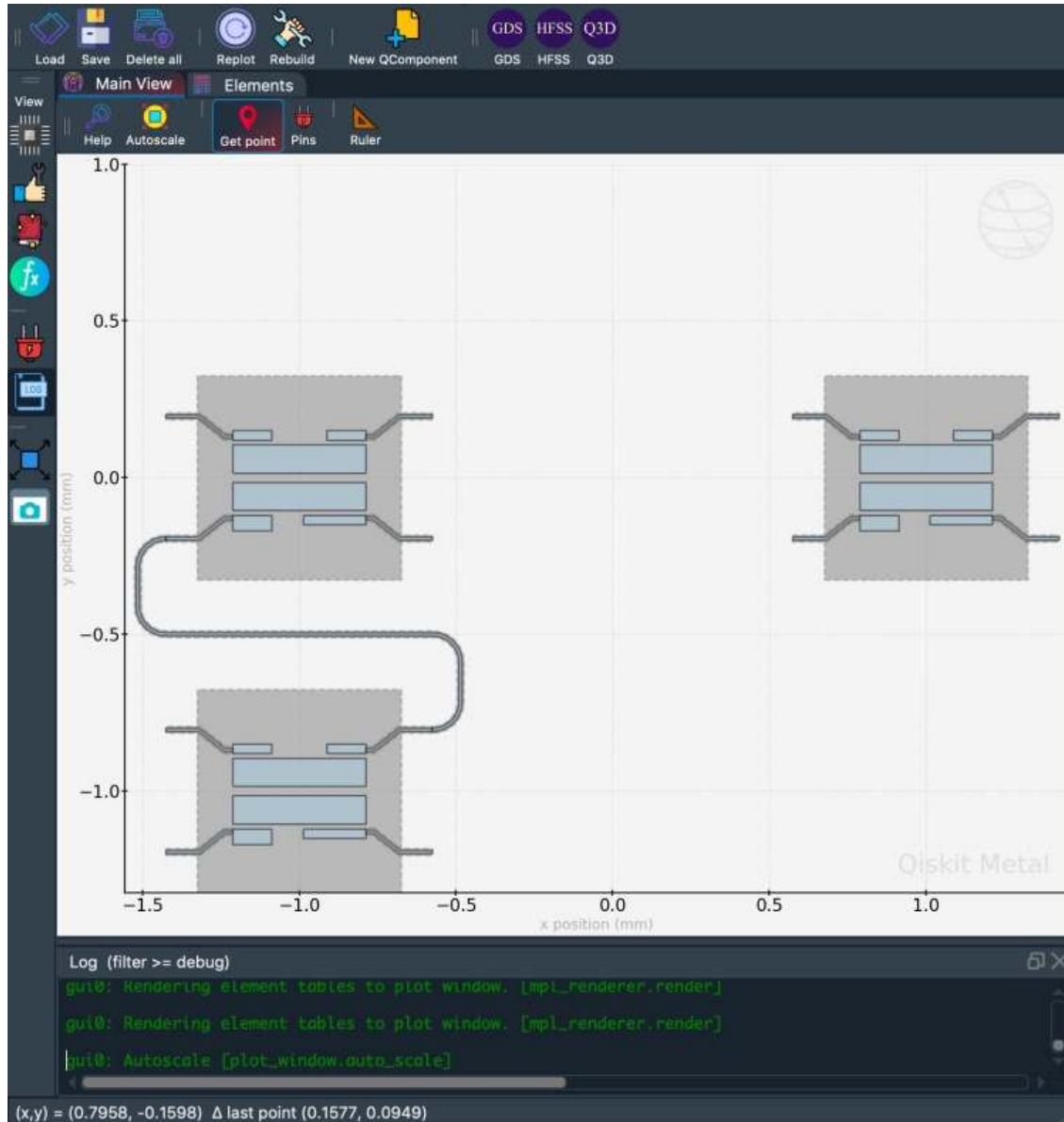
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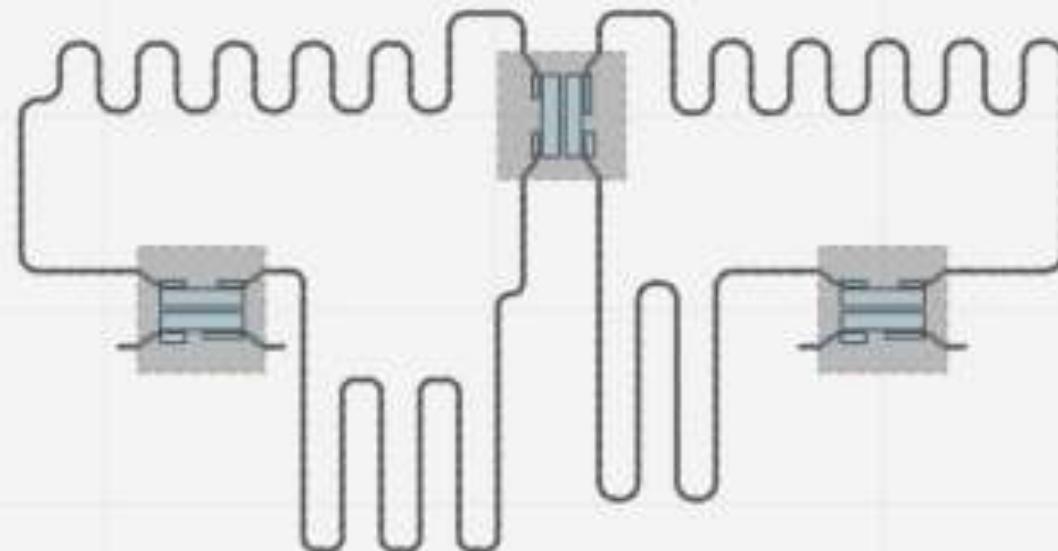
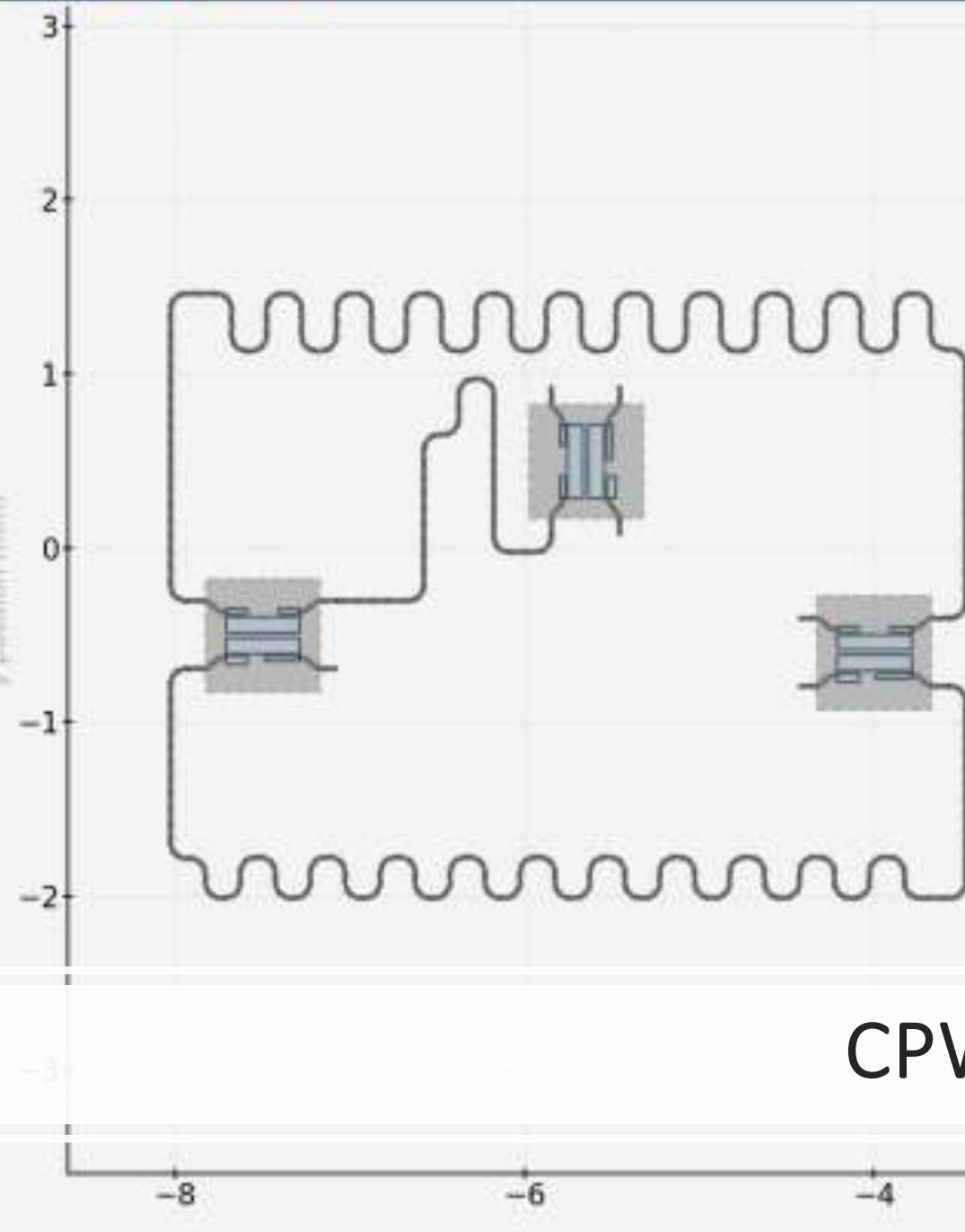
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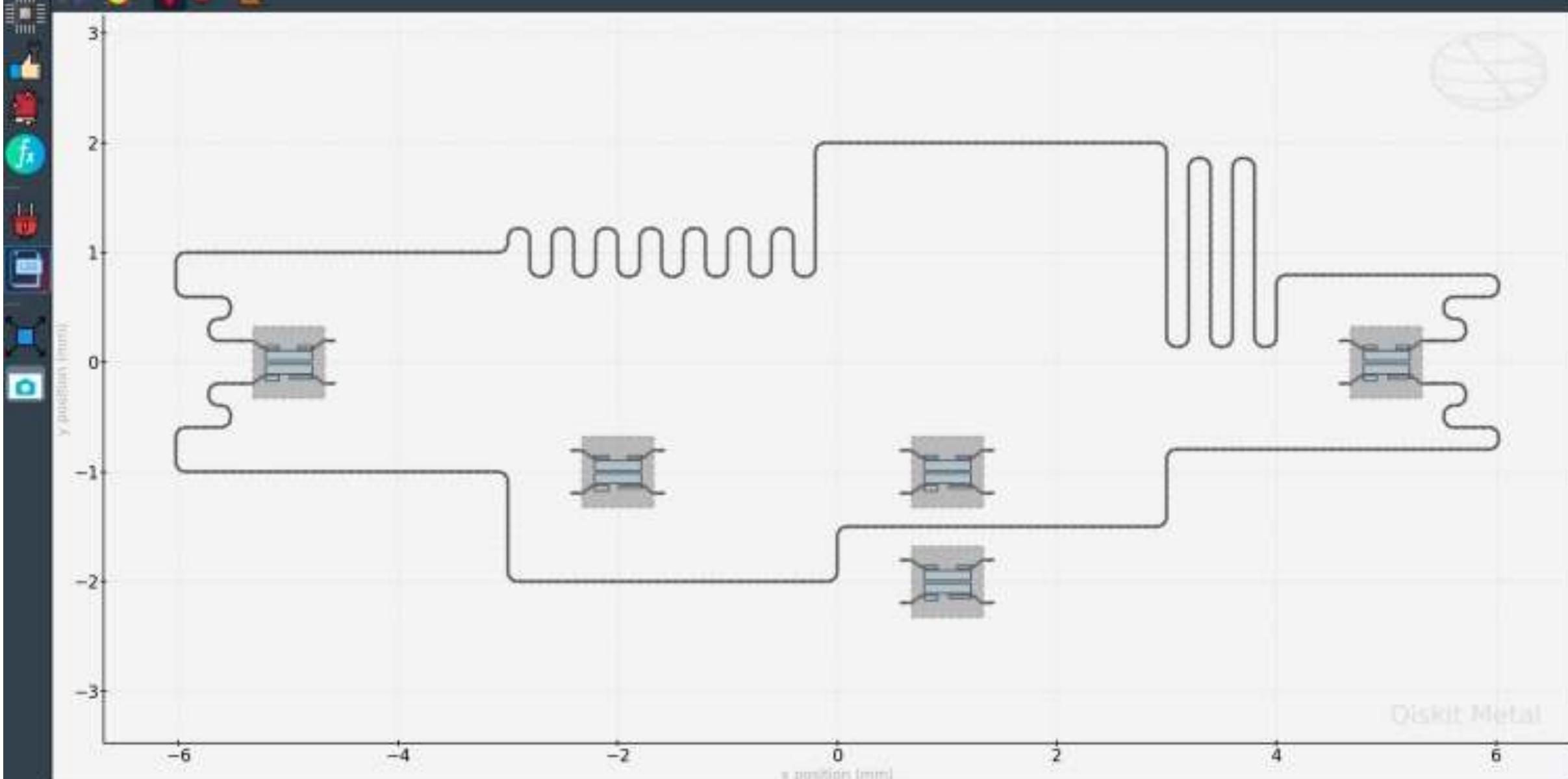
CPW galore

Load Save Delete all Replot Rebuild New QComponent

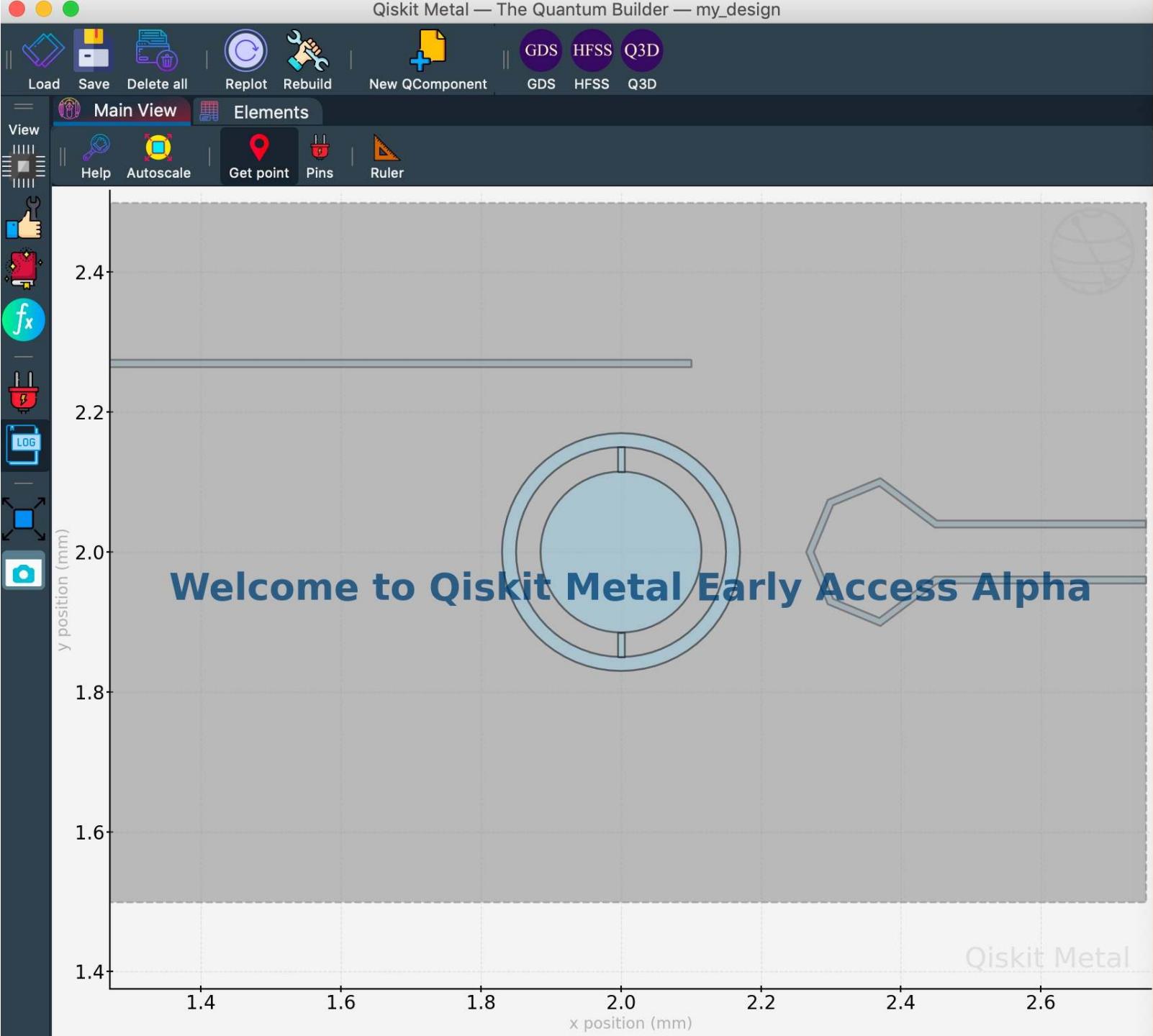
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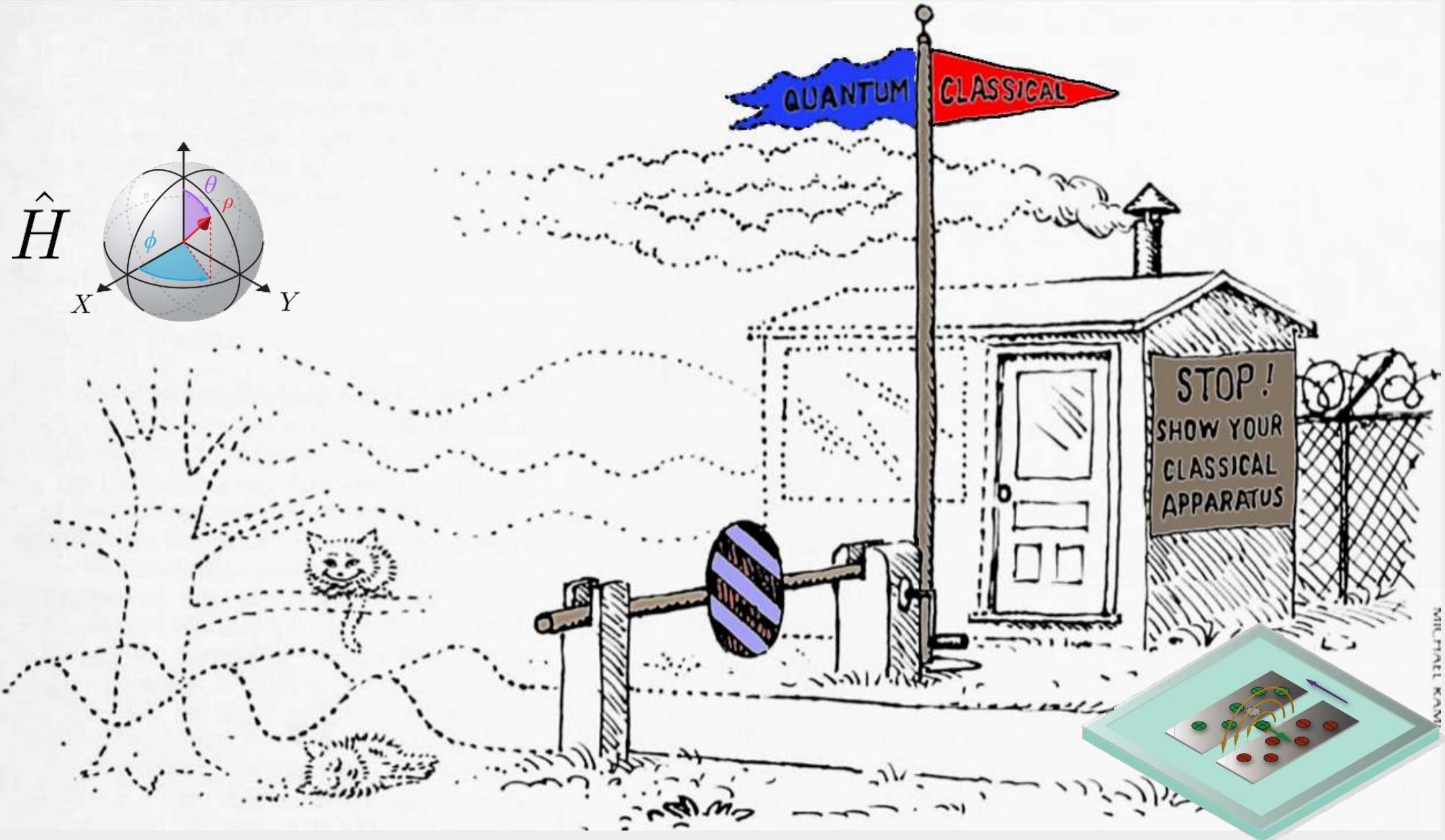
Main View Elements



# Concentric transmon

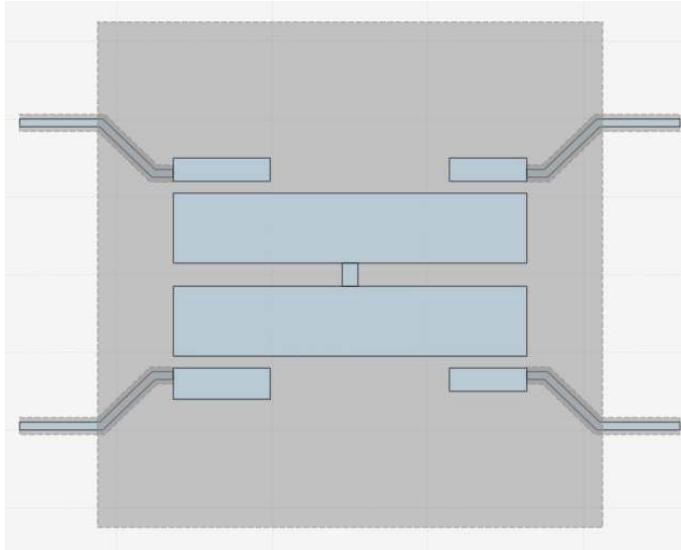


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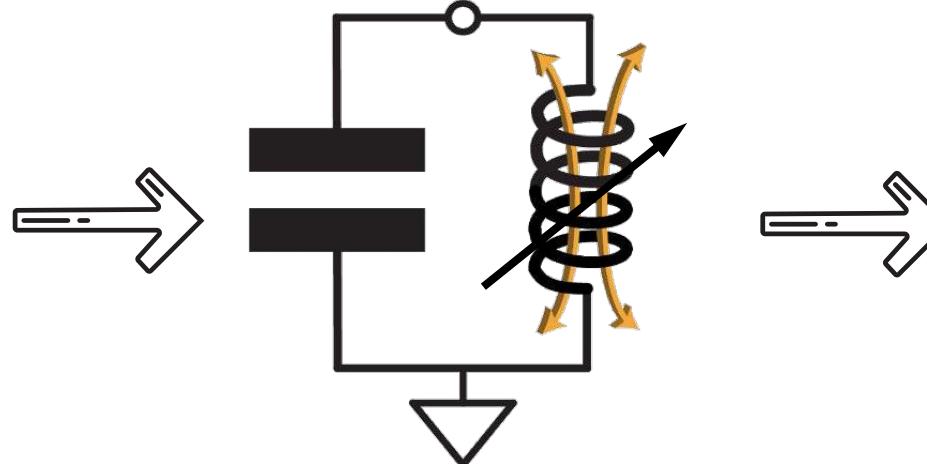


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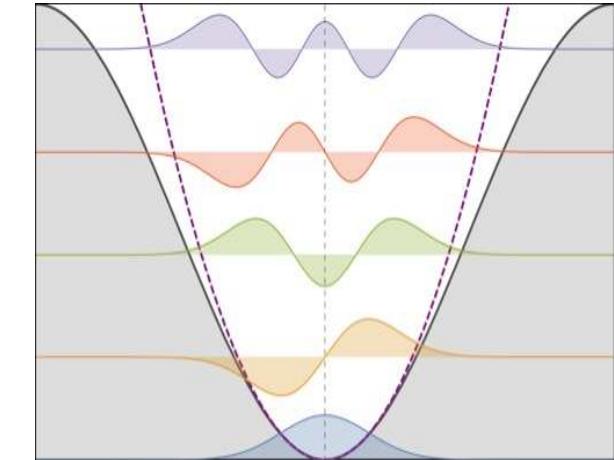
# Rendering sub-component into simulation tool



Layout



Electromagnetic analysis



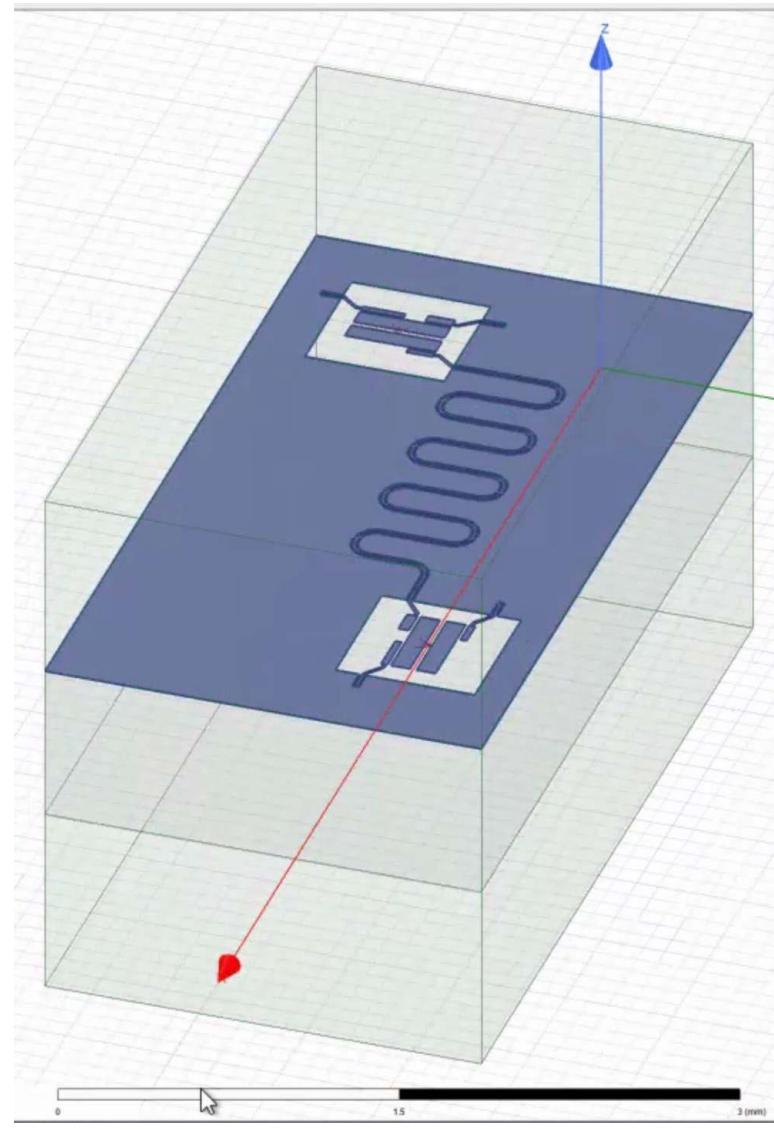
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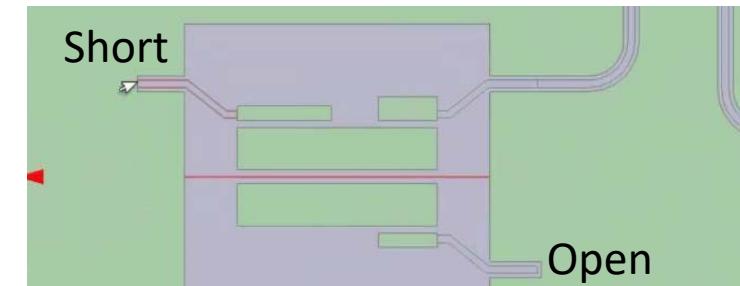
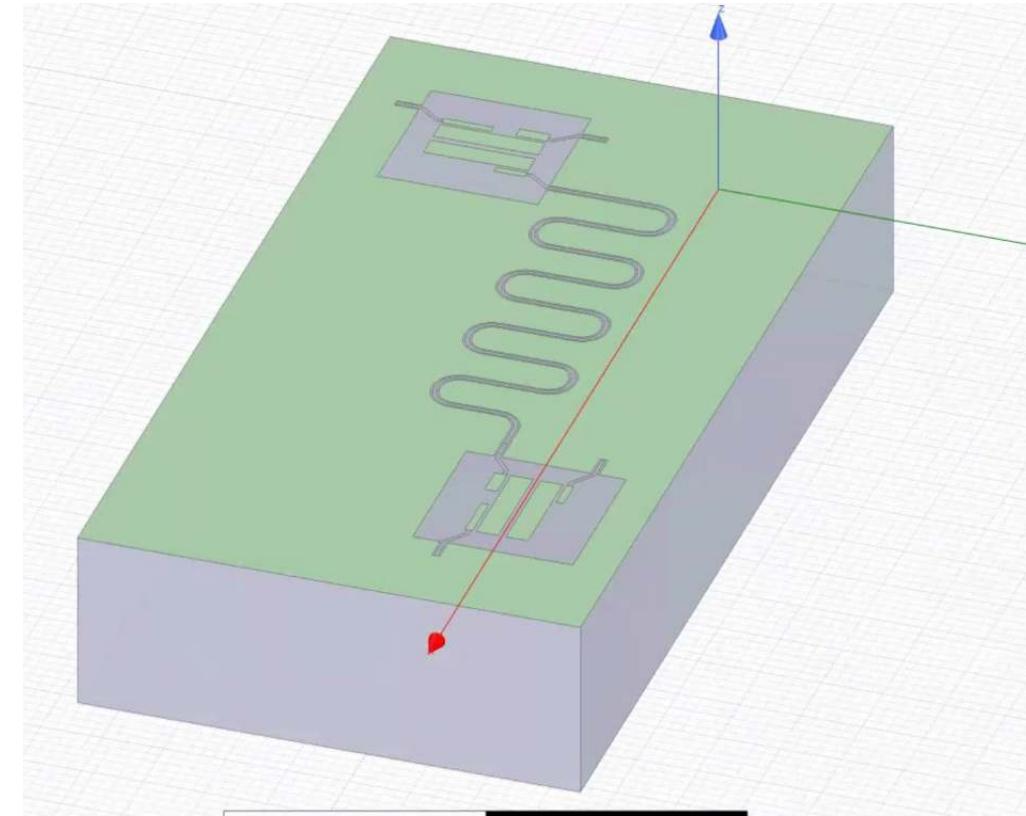
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HFSS



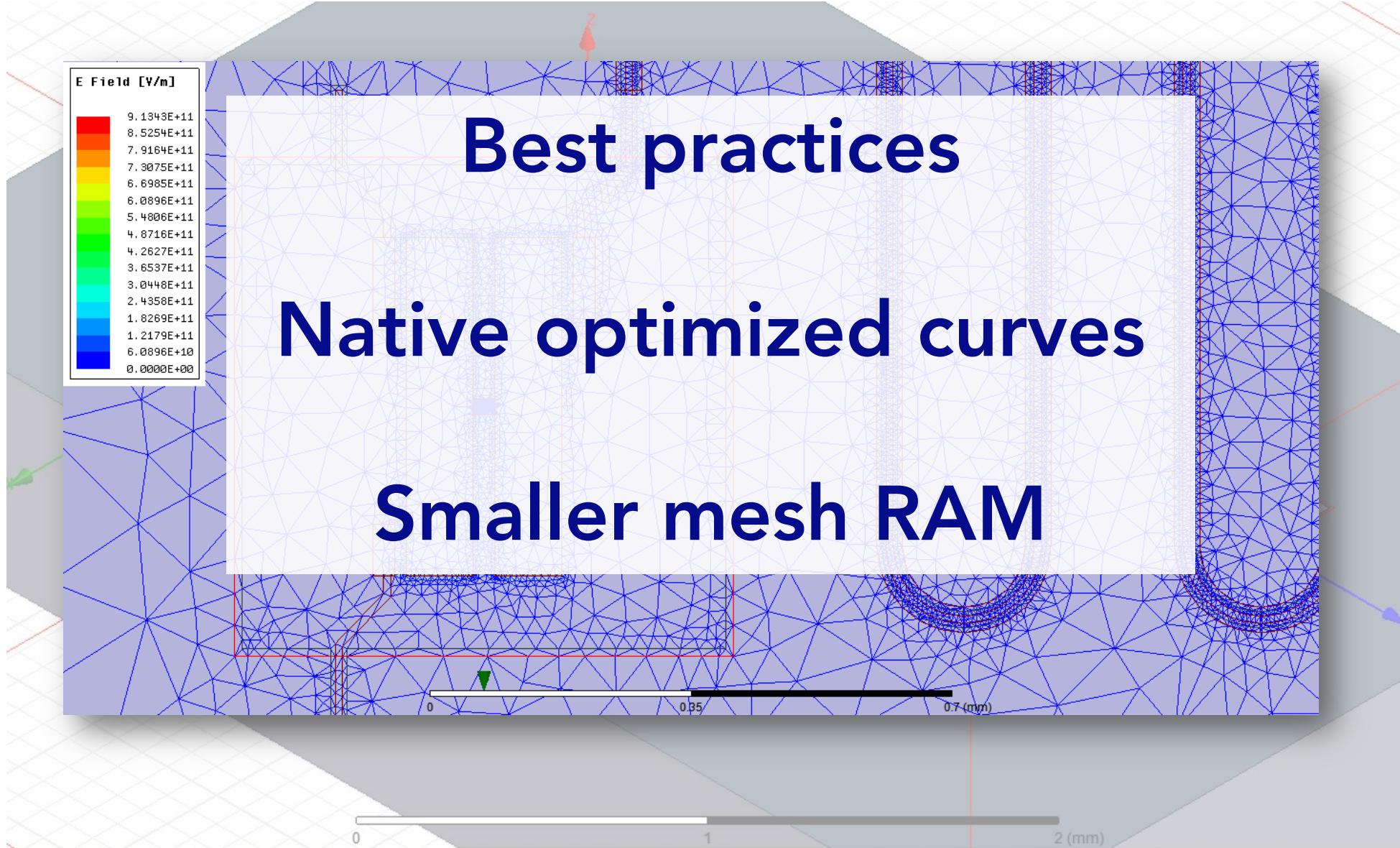
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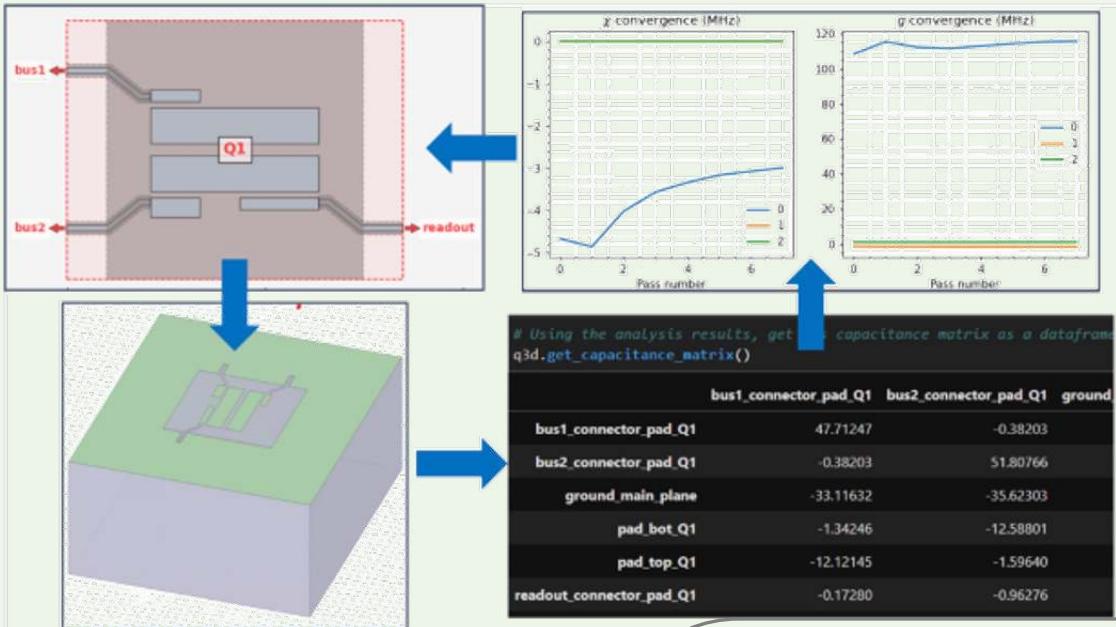


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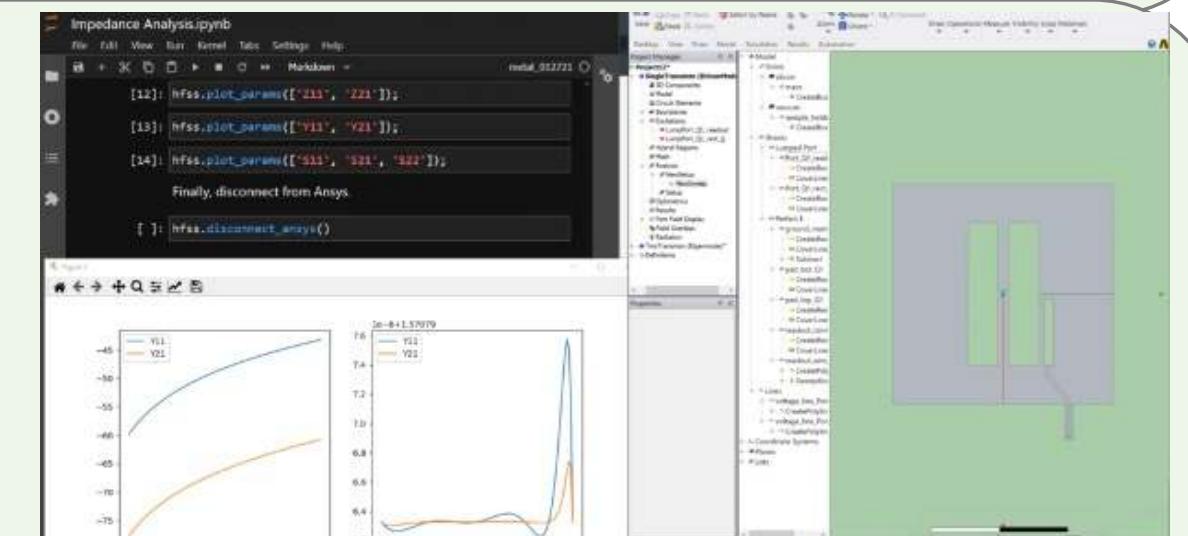
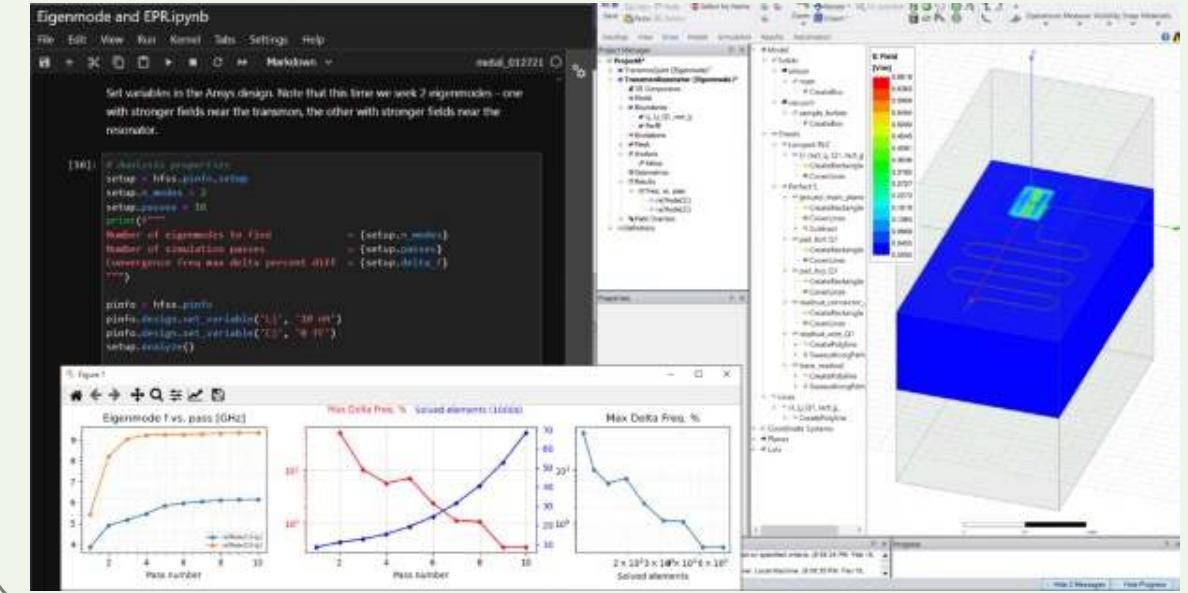


# Quantum analysis library

## Capacitive



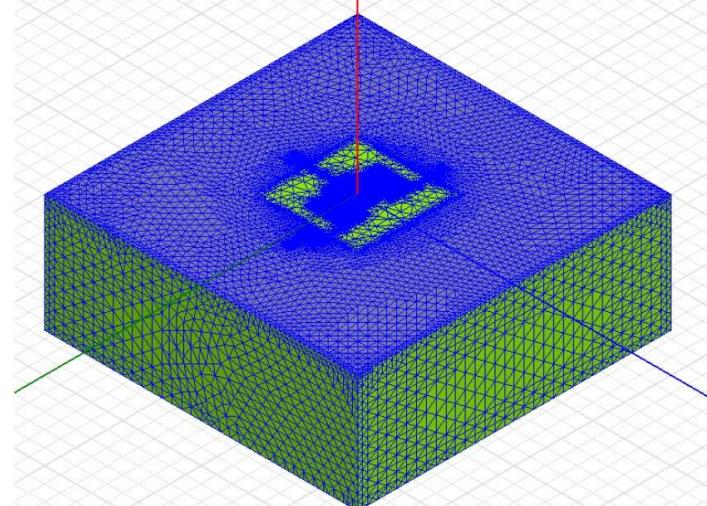
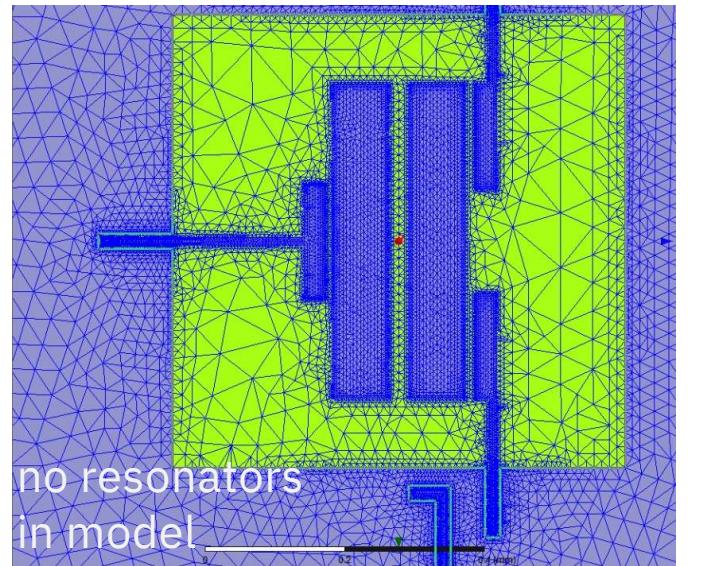
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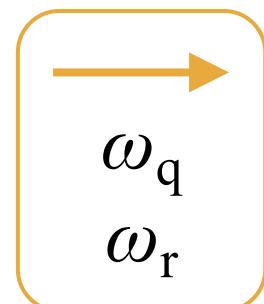
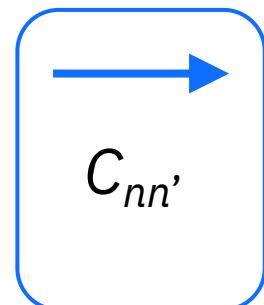
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Impedance  
Scattering

# Lumped-oscillator model (LOM)

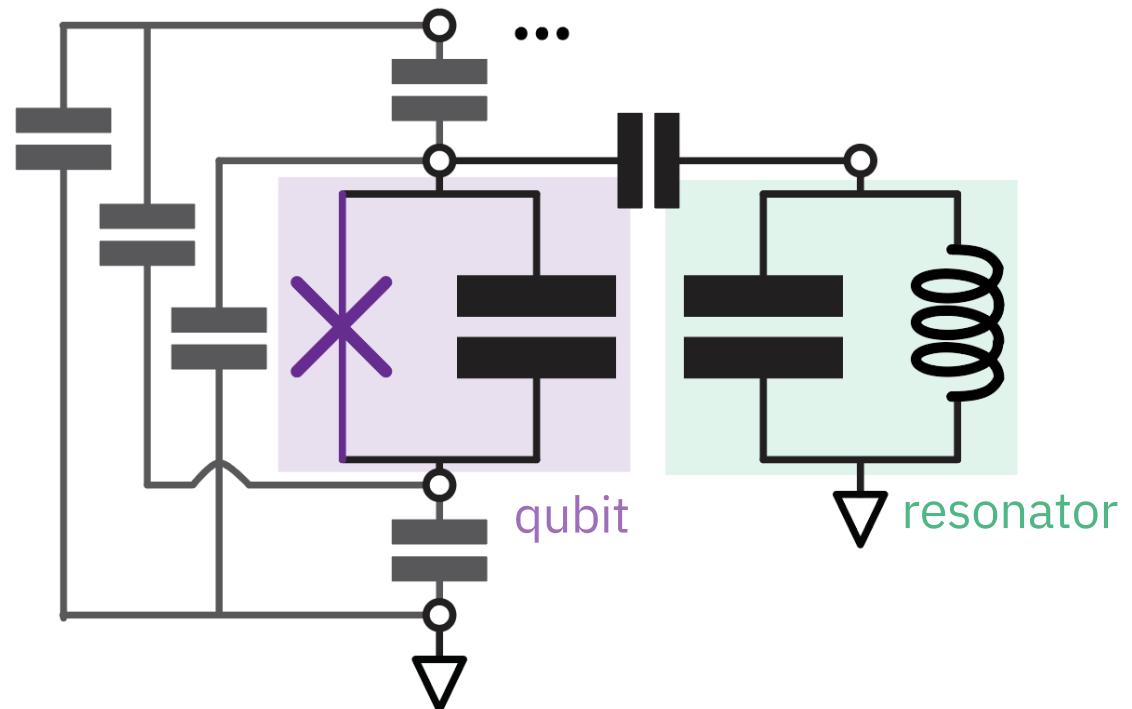
Quasi-static solver (Q3D)



Provide



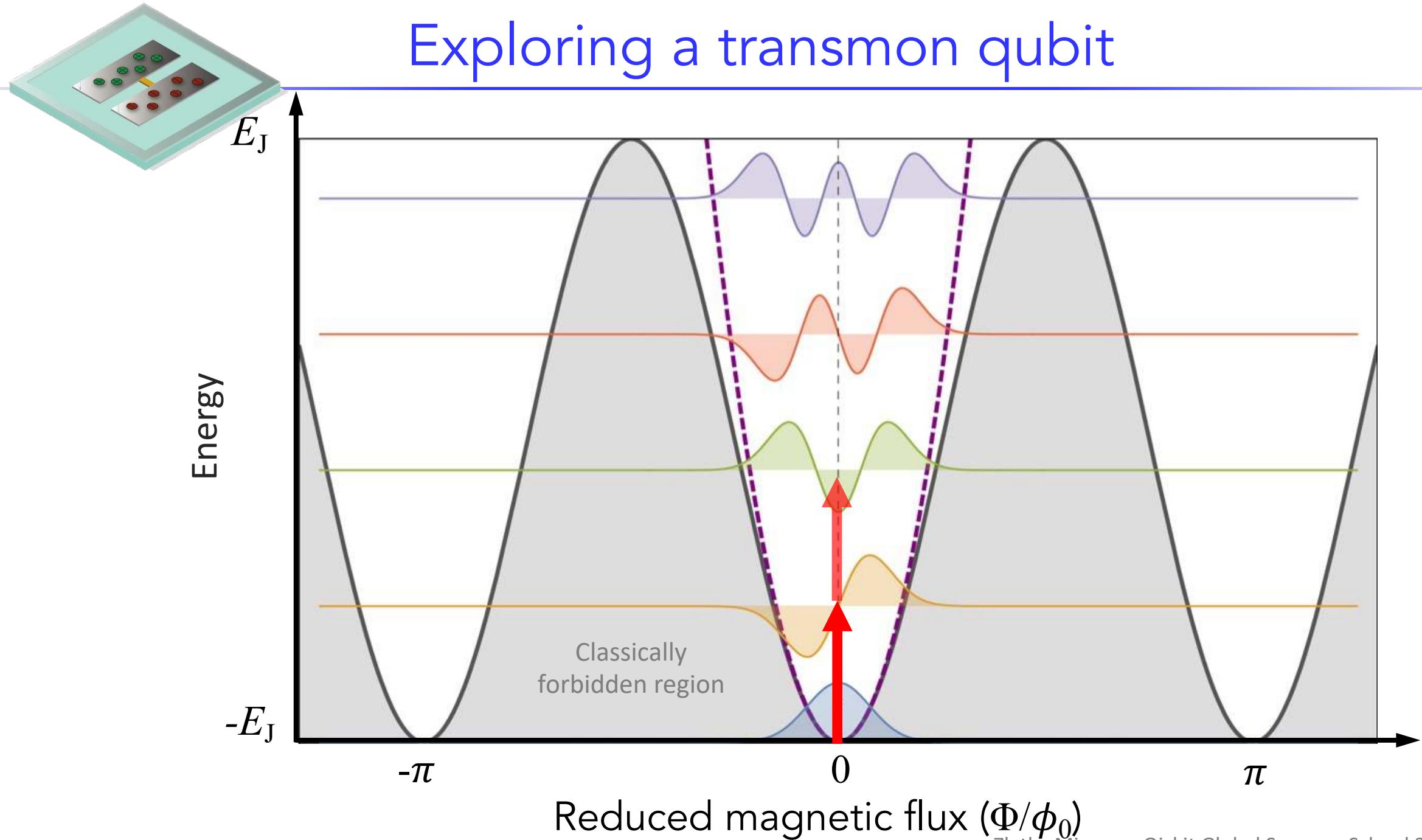
Equivalent lumped model



approximate  
not suitable for 3D  
some distributed effects beyond capture

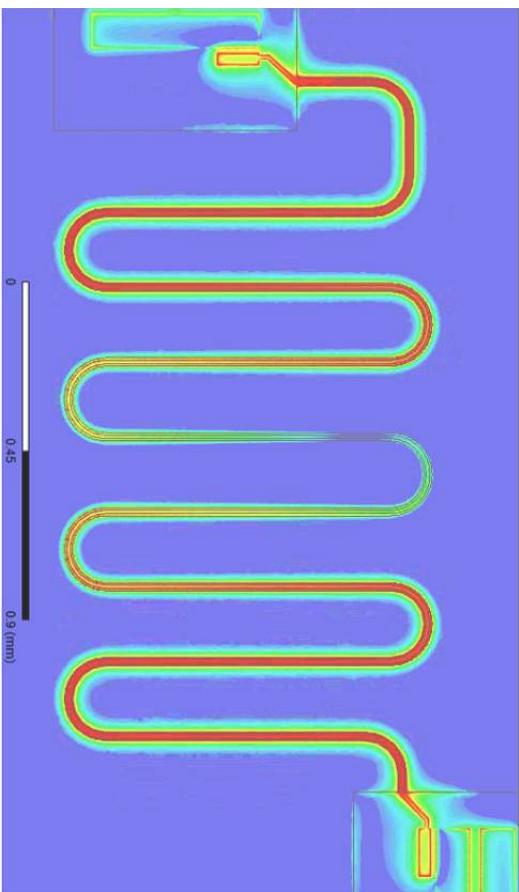
Yurke & Denker (1984); Devoret (1997); Burkard et al. (2004); Koch et al. (2007); ... Minev et al., in prep (2021) ...

# Exploring a transmon qubit

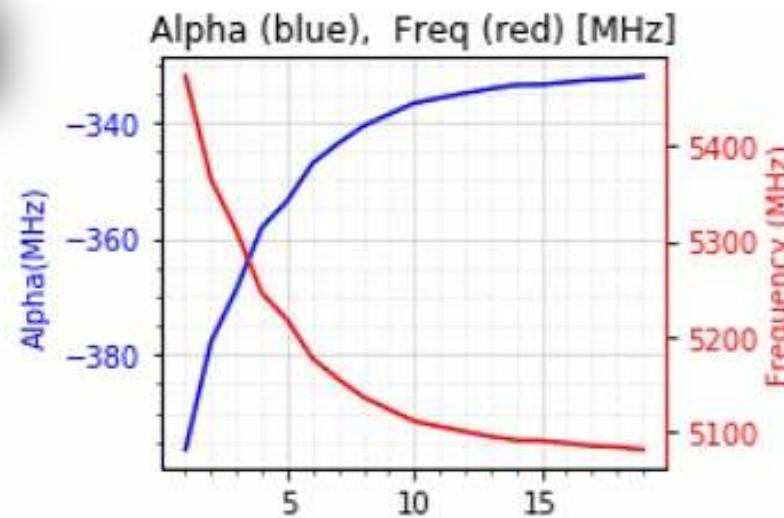


# Automated analysis and reports

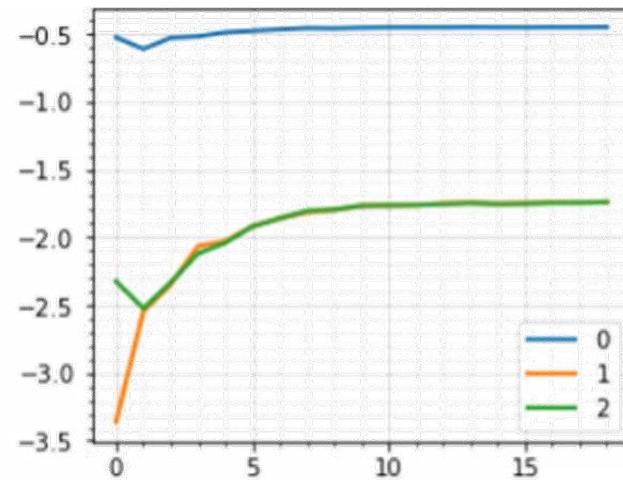
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metal.analysis.lumped_model.analyze('Q1')
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Qubit frequency & anharmonicity

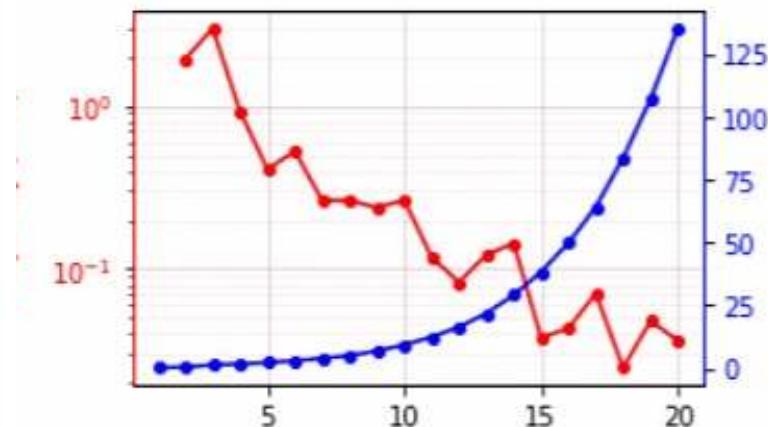


cross-Kerr  $\chi$  coupling (MHz)

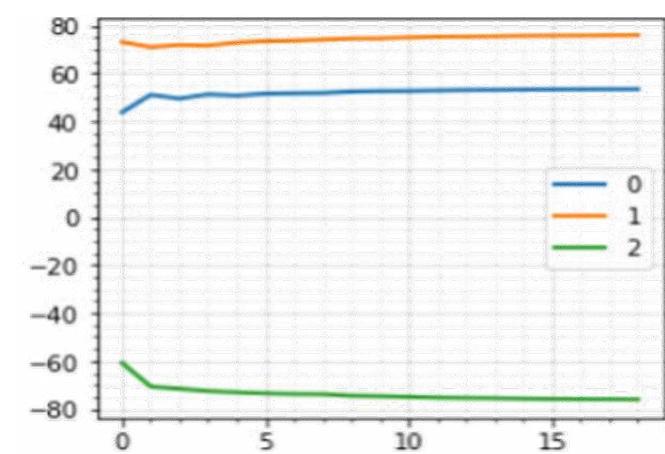


Analysis pass number

FE simulation convergence



Linear  $g$  coupling (MHz)



QComponents

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cpw4	RouteMeander	qiskit_metal.components.interconnects.meandered	good 8
OTG1	OpenToGround	qiskit_metal.components.connectors.open_to_ground	good 9
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OTG3	OpenToGround	qiskit_metal.components.connectors.open_to_ground	good 11

Variables

Variable name	Value	Parsed value (in mm)
cpw_width	10 um	0.01
cpw_gap	6 um	0.006

Add variable      Delete variable

Library Pins Variables

Edit component

Name	Value	Parsed value
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Select a QComponent to edit  
from the QComponents window

Main View Elements

Log (Info == debug)

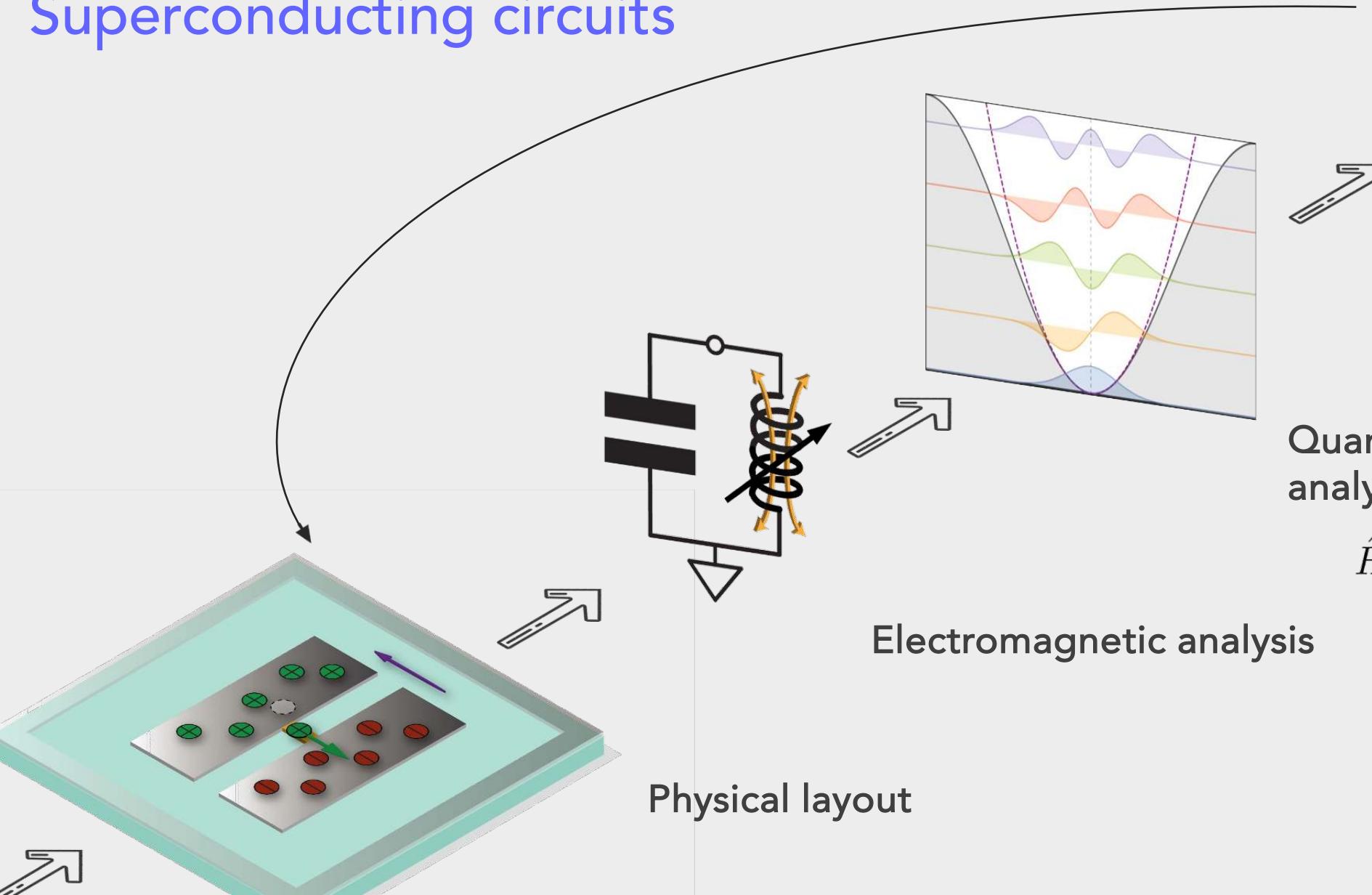
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2023-09-19 14:47:42,240: Auto-scale [1000,1000,1000,1000]

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# Quantum Device Design

Superconducting circuits



Qubit Hilbert space

Quantum Hamiltonian  
analysis

$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} = \sum_m [(\omega'_m - i\kappa_m)] \hat{a}_m^\dagger \hat{a}_m$$

$$+ \sum_{\alpha, \beta} [\mathcal{C}_{\alpha, \beta}^p] \prod_{m, n} \hat{a}_m^{\dagger \beta_m} \hat{a}_n^{\alpha_n}$$

$\chi, \delta, \alpha, \dots$

Physical layout

Electromagnetic analysis

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You can open this documentation using

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import qiskit_metal
qiskit_metal.open_docs()
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**• ATTENTION**

This is an early-access alpha version of Qiskit Metal. This folder will be expanded throughout the early-access period, based on both planned training and your feedback. Please let us know about anything you might want us to add or elaborate upon.

**Qiskit for quantum hardware design ('Qiskit Metal')** is a quantum device design and analysis SDK, library, and community.

Call it quantum EDA (QEDA) and analysis.

About Metal

Designing quantum devices is the bedrock of the quantum ecosystem, but it is a difficult, multi-step process that connects traditionally disparate worlds.

Metal is automating and streamlining this process. Our vision is to develop a community-driven universal platform capable of orchestrating quantum chip development from concept to fabrication in a simple and open framework. Qiskit for quantum hardware design (*Qiskit Metal*) is: \* Open source \* Community-driven \* Both a python API and a front-end visual GUI interface.

Metal & its vision (read full [Medium blog](#)):

We want to accelerate and lower the barrier to innovation on quantum devices.

Today at the IEEE Quantum Week Conference, the team discussed their vision for this first-of-its-kind project. Led by quantum physicist Zlatko Minev and developed with other IBM Quantum team members, this project is meant for those interested in quantum hardware design: a suite of design automation tools that can be used to devise and analyze superconducting devices, with a focus on being able to

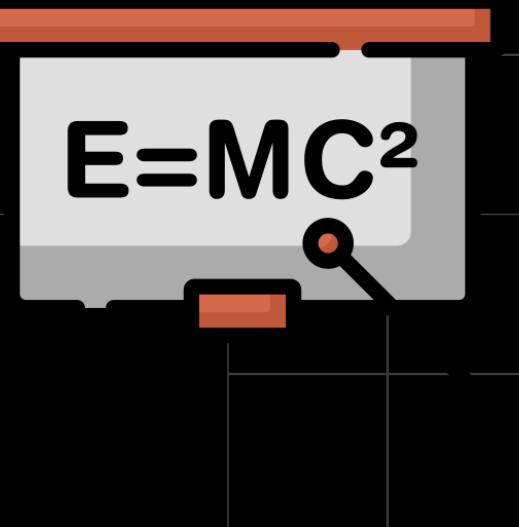
# Qiskit Metal Quantum Hardware Design

## Early-access program

Experiment



Theory



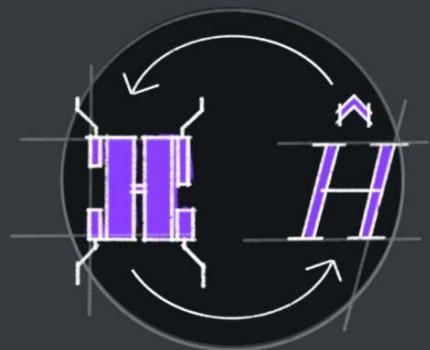
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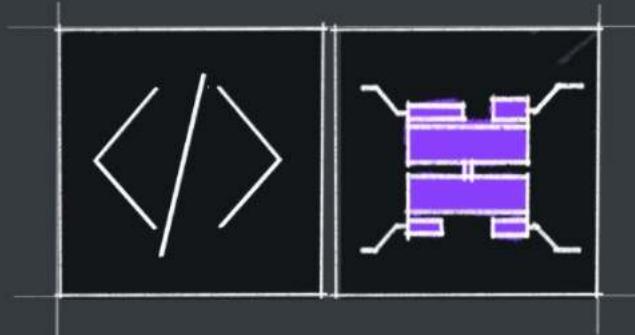
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# Why the Vision of Qiskit Metal

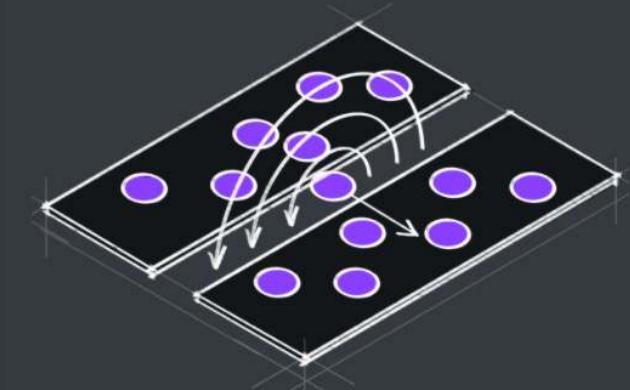
End-to-end automation



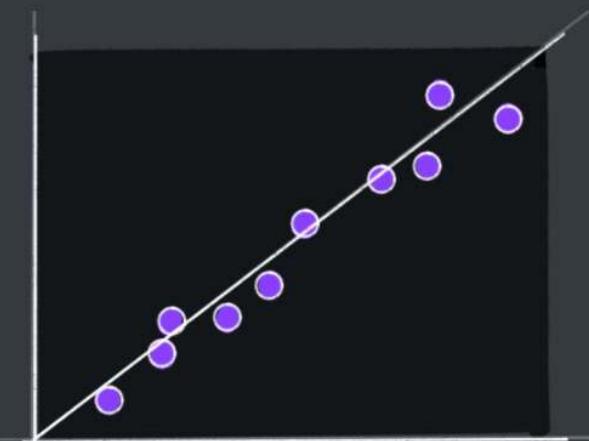
Flexible & extensible



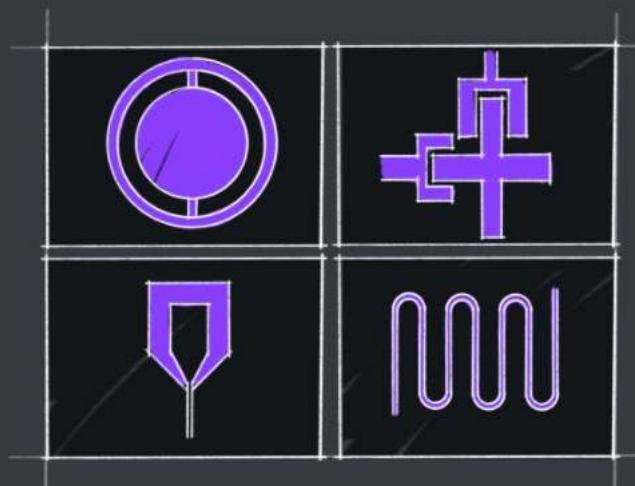
Light-weight interoperability



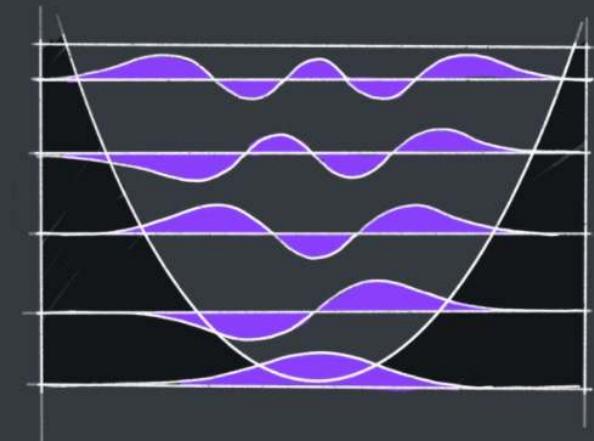
Experimentally tested



Library of components



Cutting edge resources



### Building together

Call for community participation

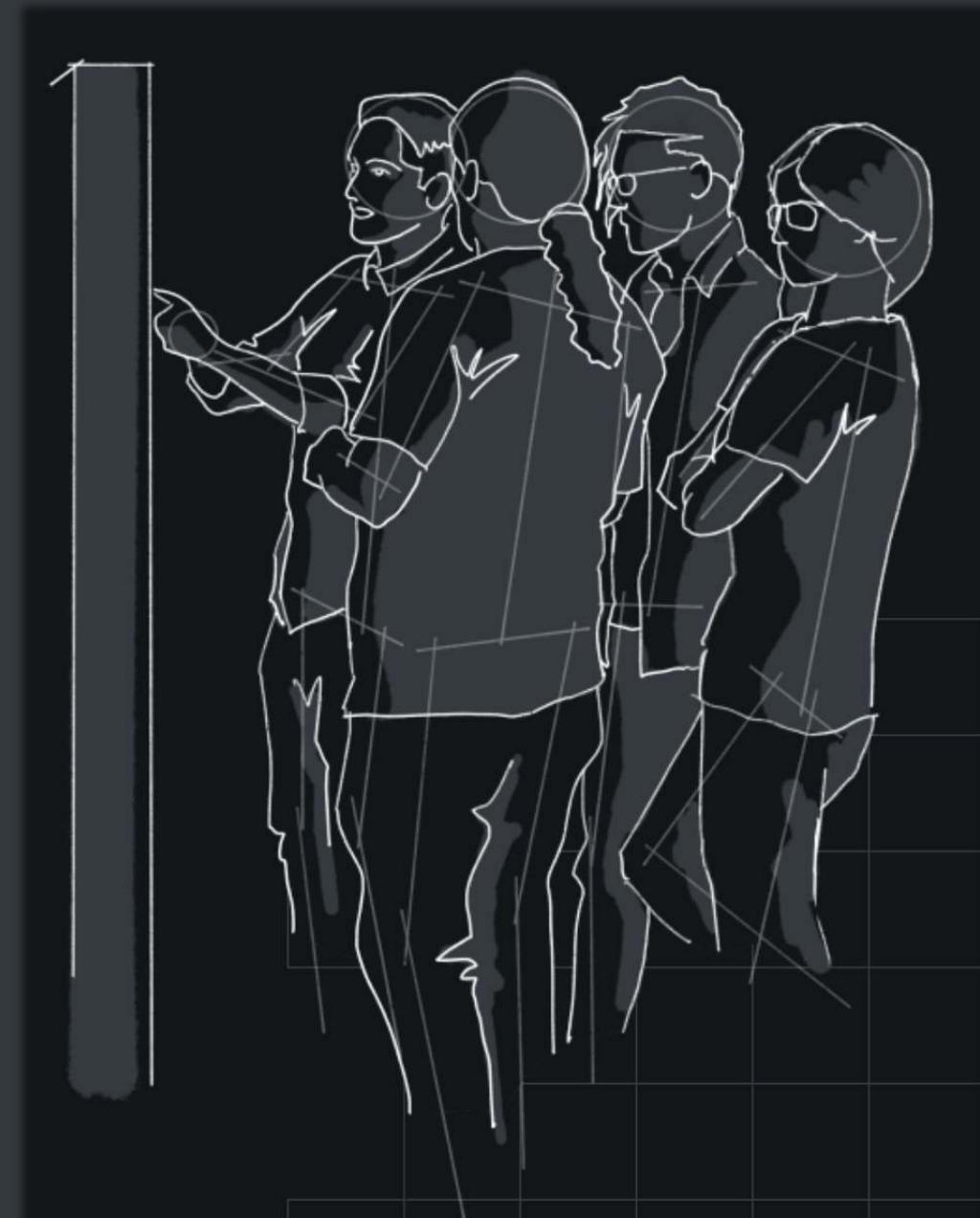
Open source  
Early access program

Education  
See summer school lectures 16-21 by Z. Minev from  
*Introduction to Quantum Computing and Quantum Hardware*  
and the *Qiskit Textbook*

[qiskit.org/metal](http://qiskit.org/metal)



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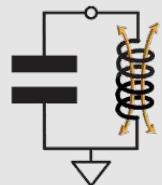
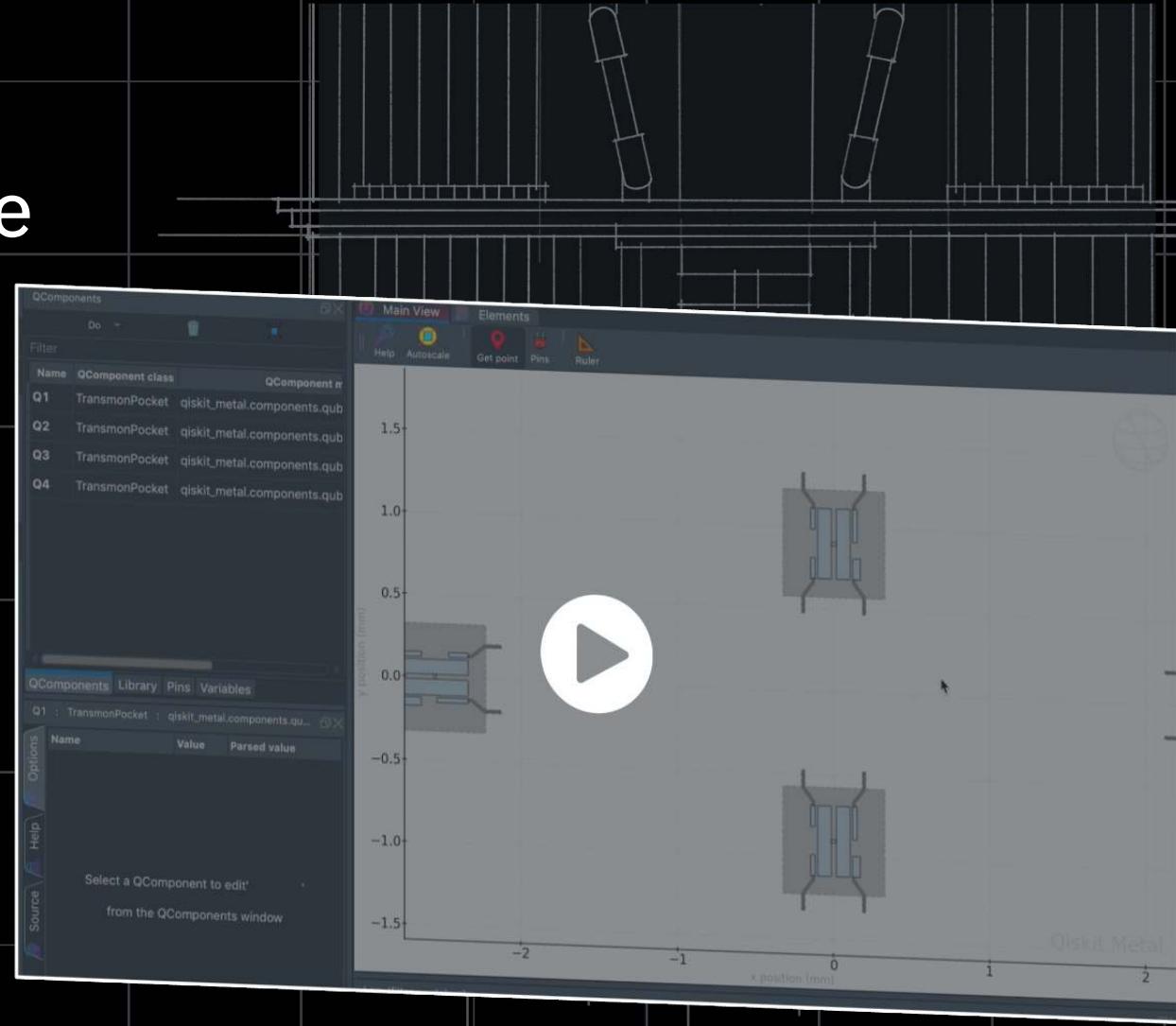


# Qiskit | quantum device design

## Project Metal

Open source

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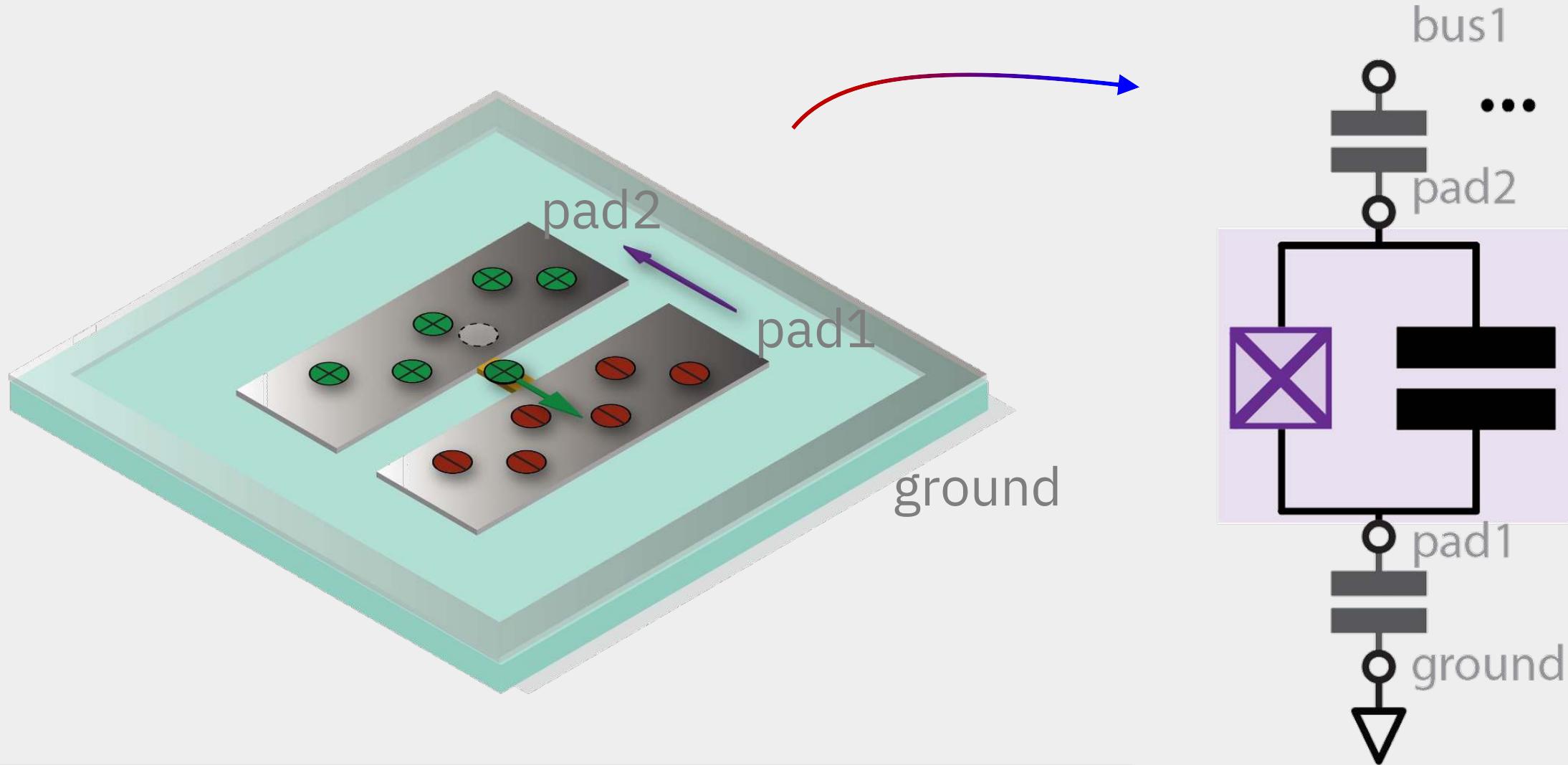


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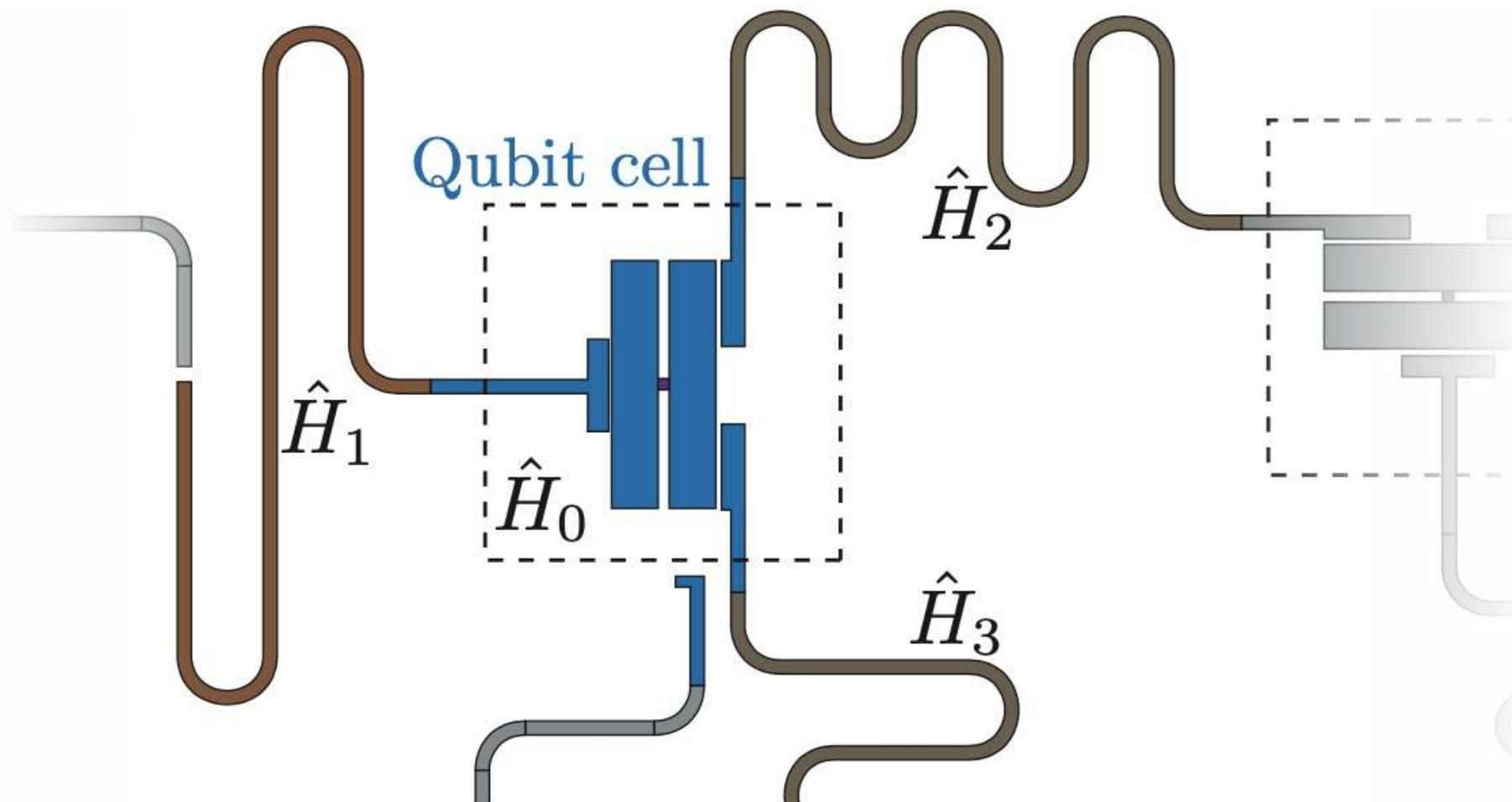
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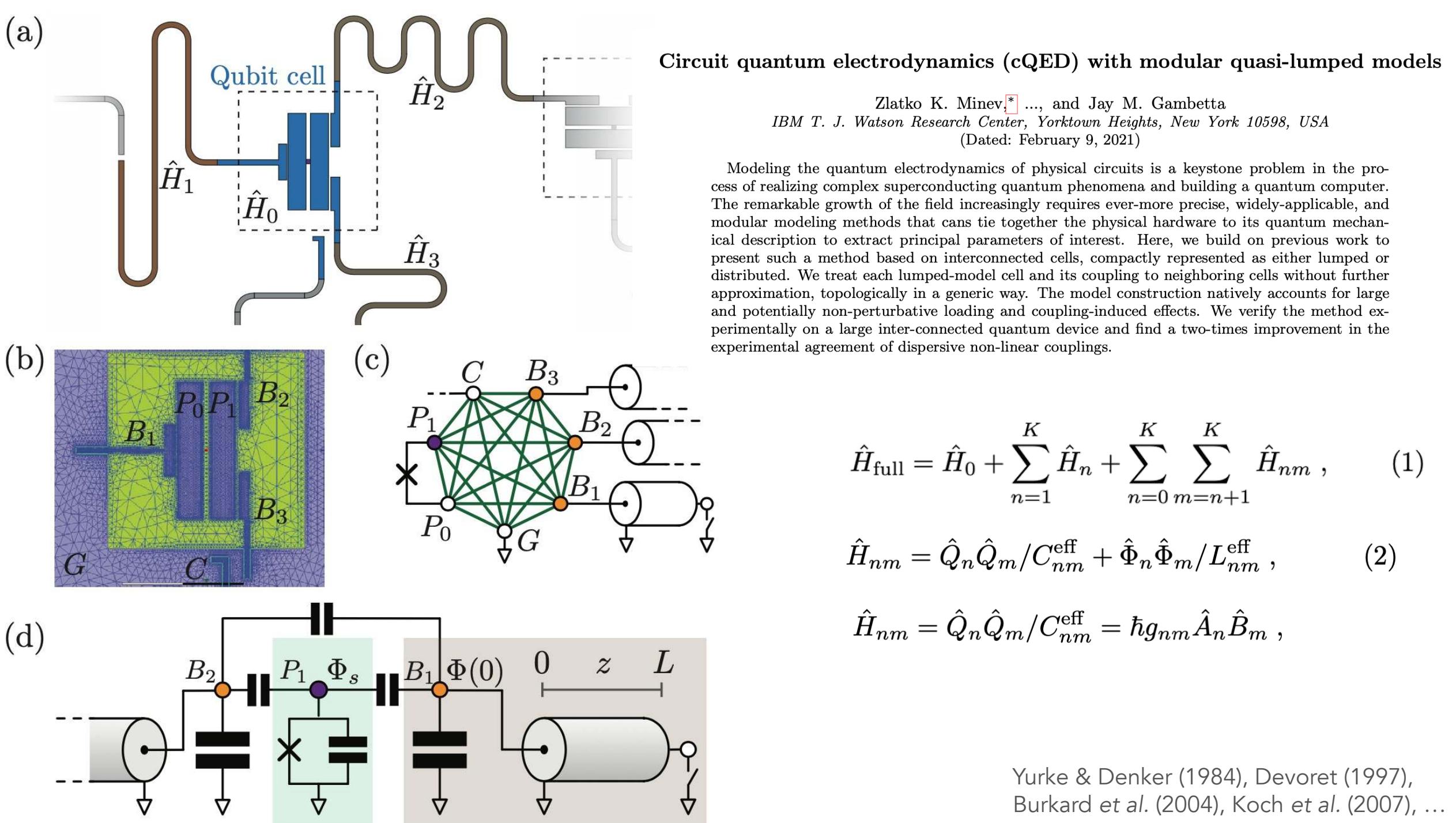
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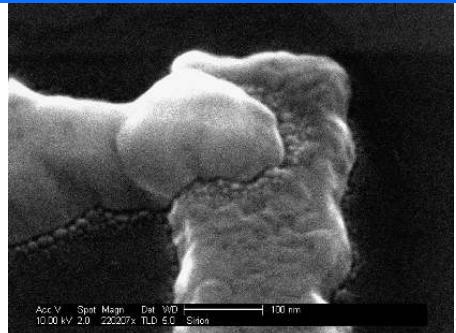
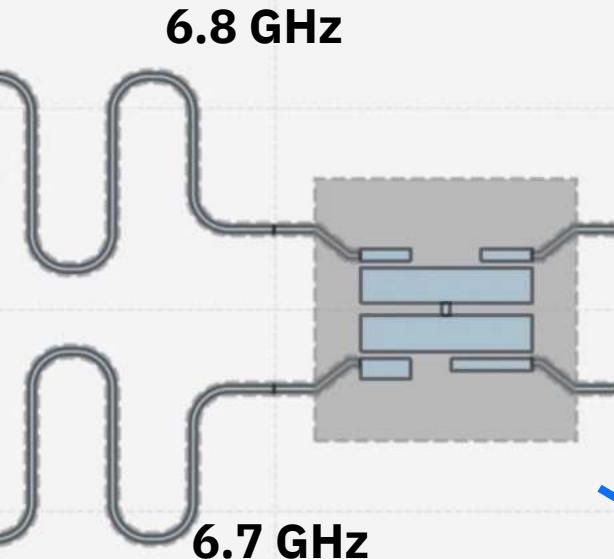
# Quasi-lumped modular method

$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_{n=1}^K \hat{H}_n + \sum_{n=0}^K \sum_{m=n+1}^K \hat{H}_{nm}, \quad (1)$$



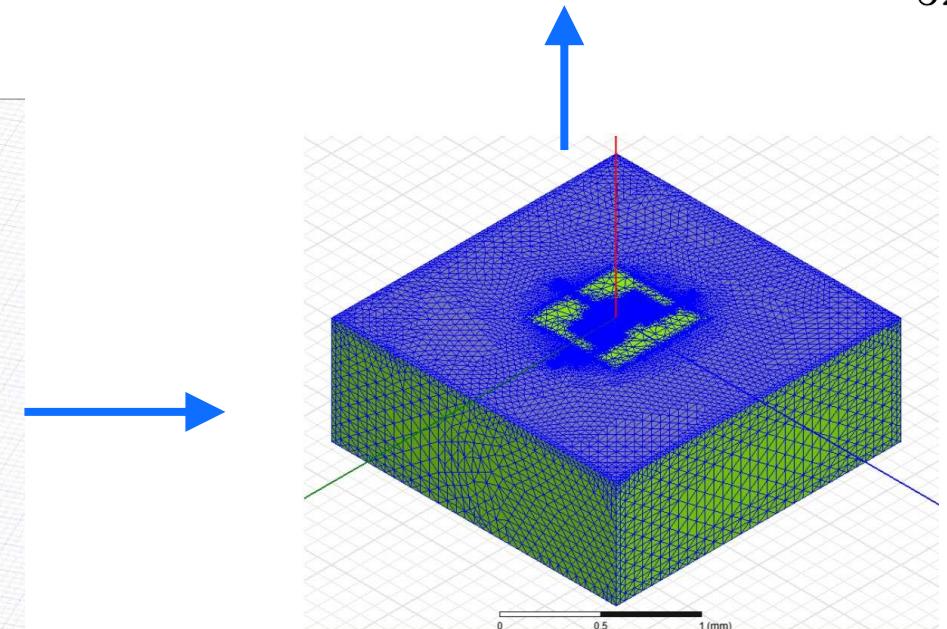
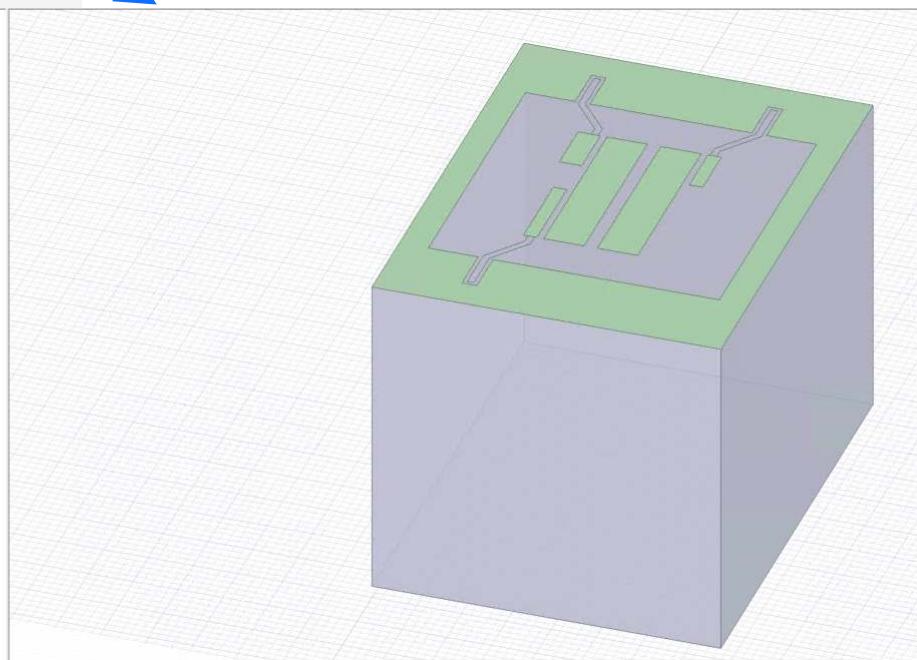
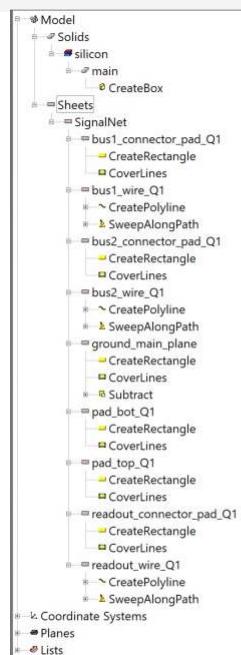


# Metal -> Sim model/BC -> Analyze -> Capacitance matrix



$$2 \text{ fF} = \begin{pmatrix} n_0 & C_{0\Sigma} & -C_{01} & -C_{02} & -C_{03} & -C_{04} & -C_{05} \\ n_1 & C_{1\Sigma} & -C_{12} & -C_{13} & -C_{14} & -C_{15} & \\ n_2 & C_{2\Sigma} & -C_{23} & -C_{24} & -C_{25} & \\ n_3 & C_{3\Sigma} & -C_{34} & -C_{35} & \\ n_4 & C_{4\Sigma} & -C_{45} & \\ n_5 & C_{5\Sigma} & \end{pmatrix},$$

**6.7 GHz**

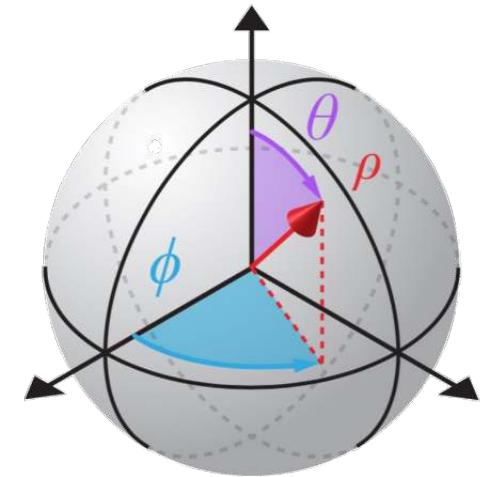
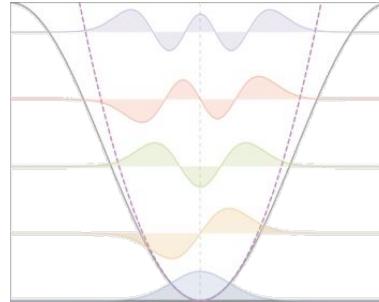
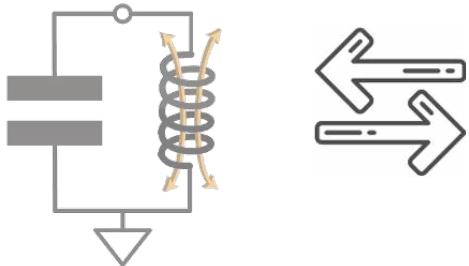
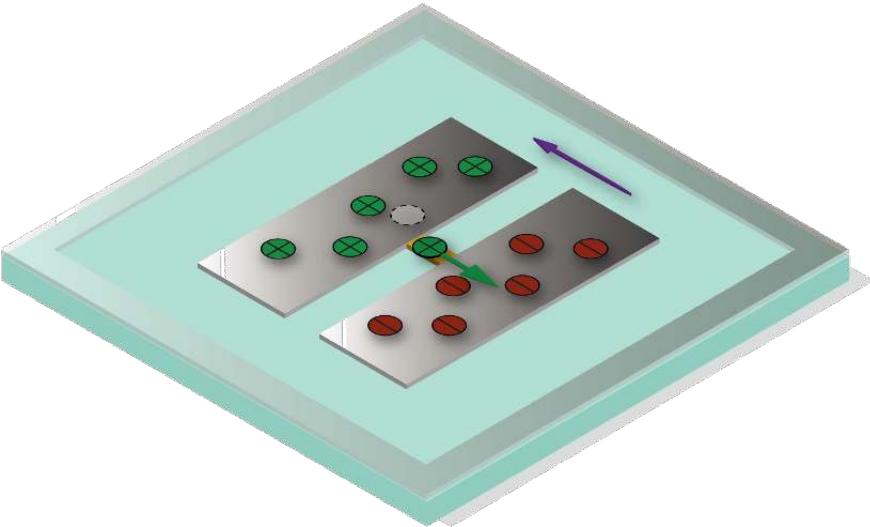


Minev & Gambetta, in prep (2020)

Zlatko Minev, IBM Quantum (92)

# To design quantum hardware

Energy-participation-ratio (EPR)  
and Qiskit Metal



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Thank you

# Quantum chip design flow

## Concept



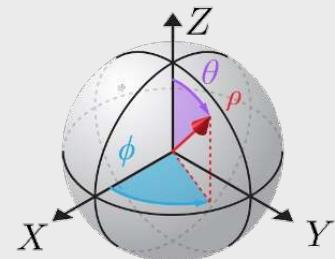
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Complexity, Information, Accuracy

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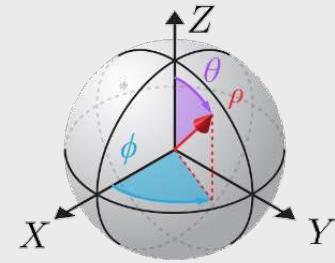
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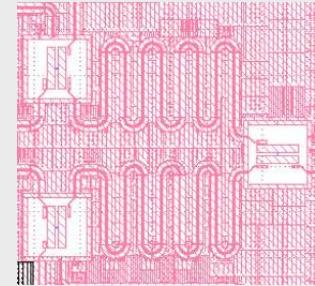
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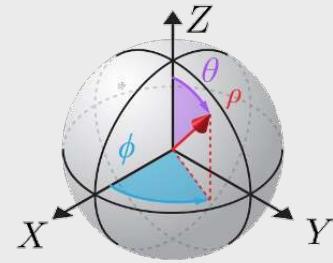
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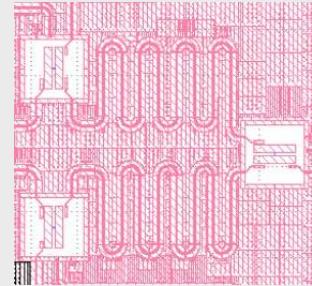
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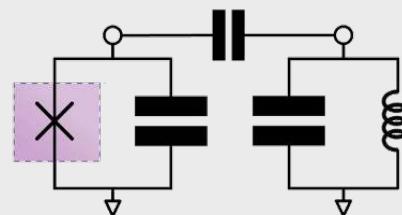
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Electromagnetic  
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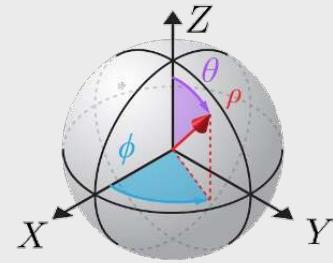
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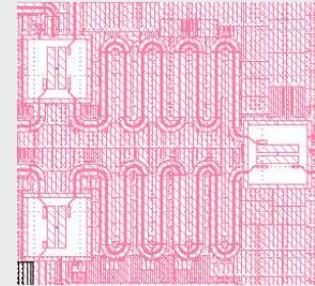
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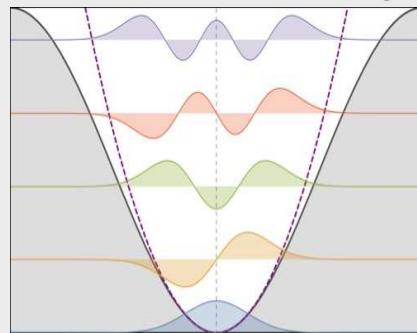
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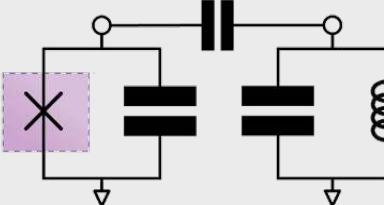
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Quantum Analysis



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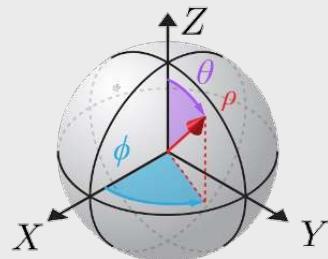
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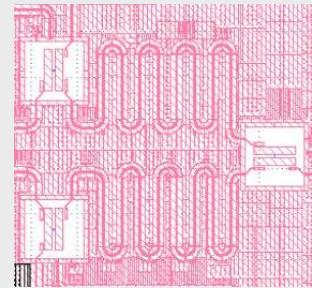
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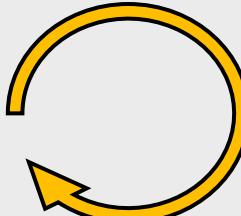
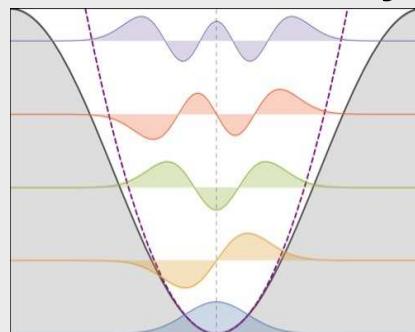
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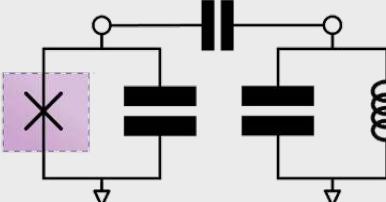
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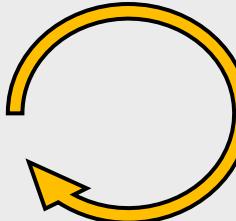
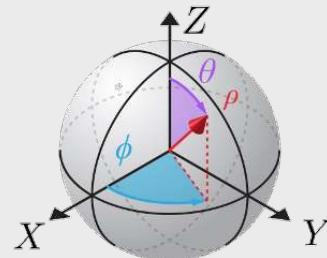
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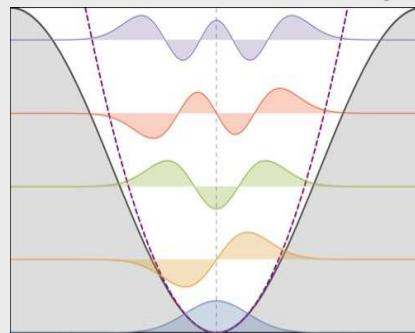
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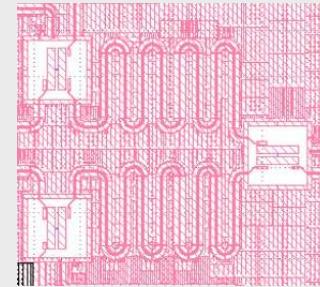
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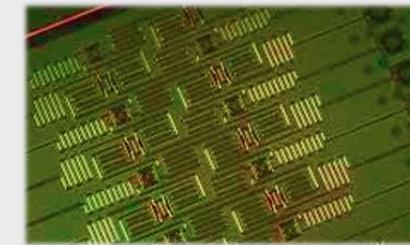
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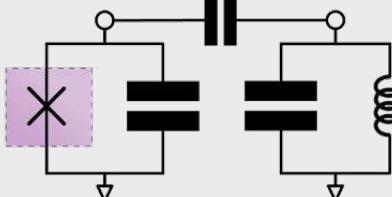
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## Fabrication



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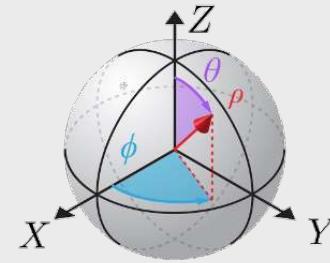
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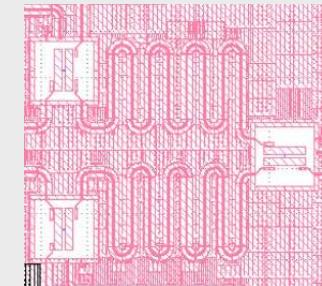
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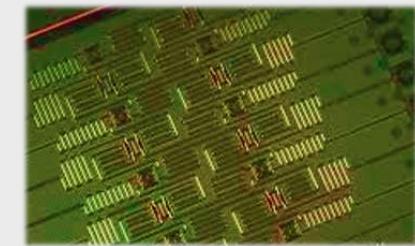
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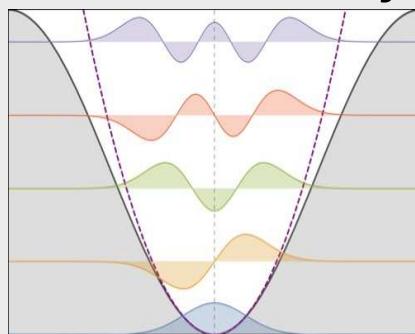
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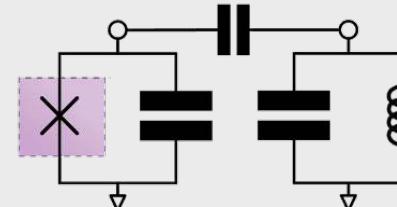


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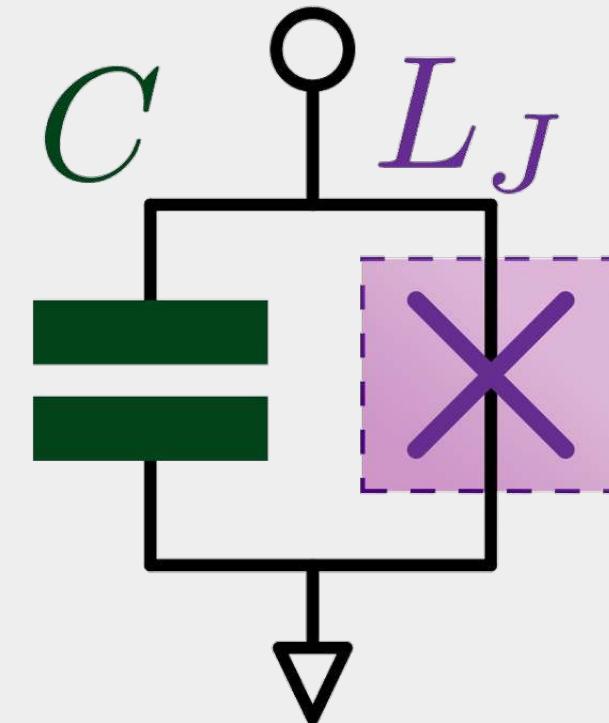
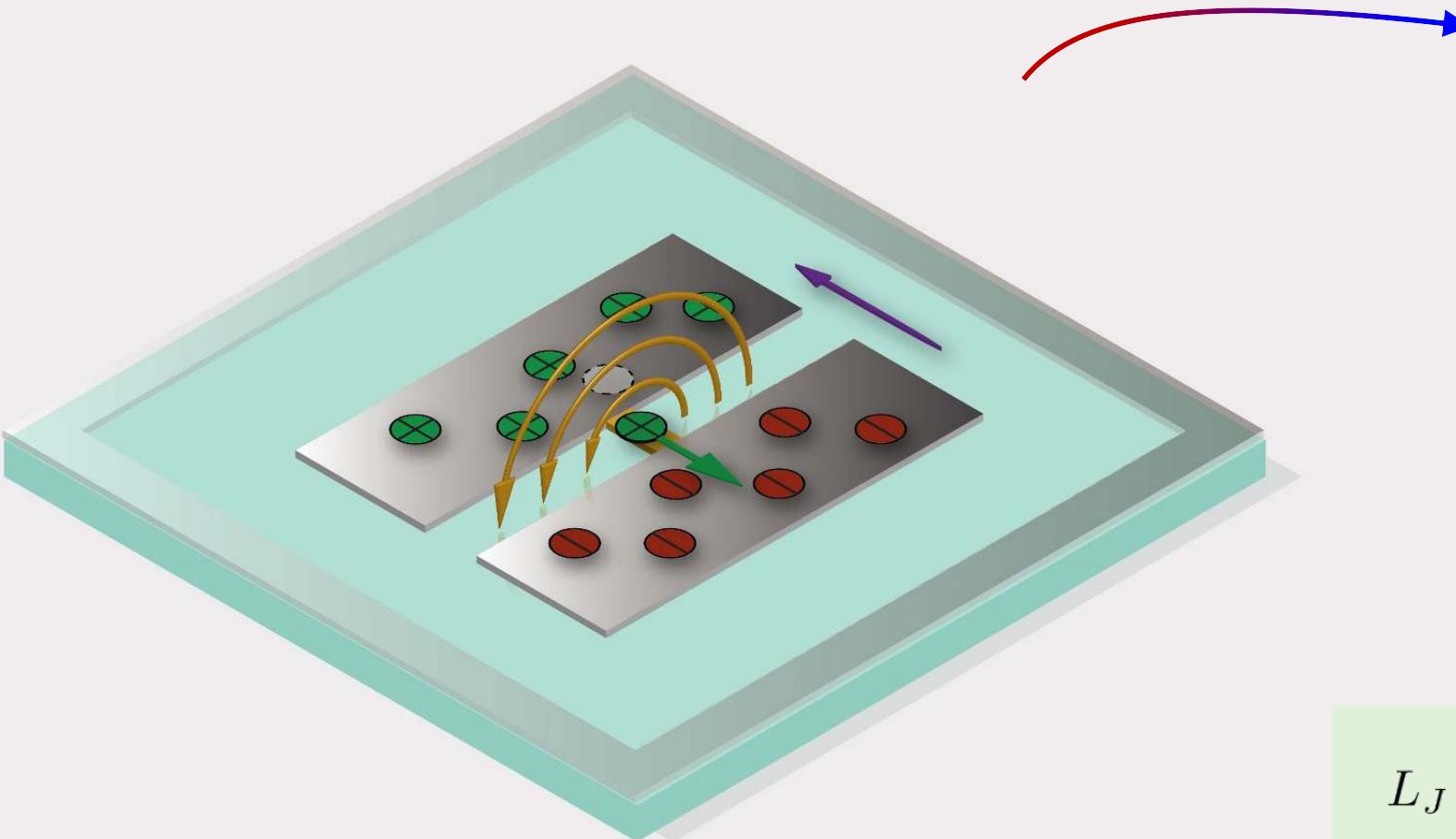


Project  
**Metal**

Electromagnetic  
Analysis



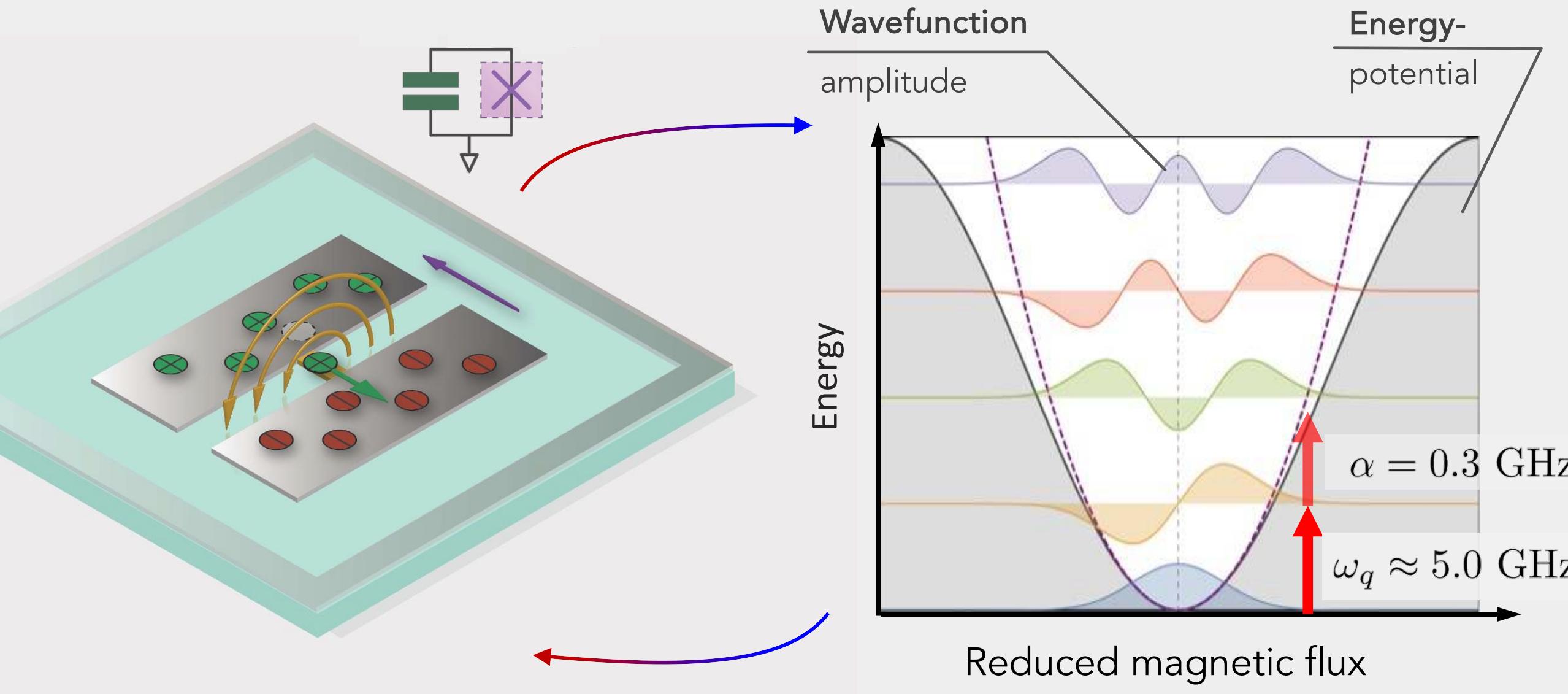
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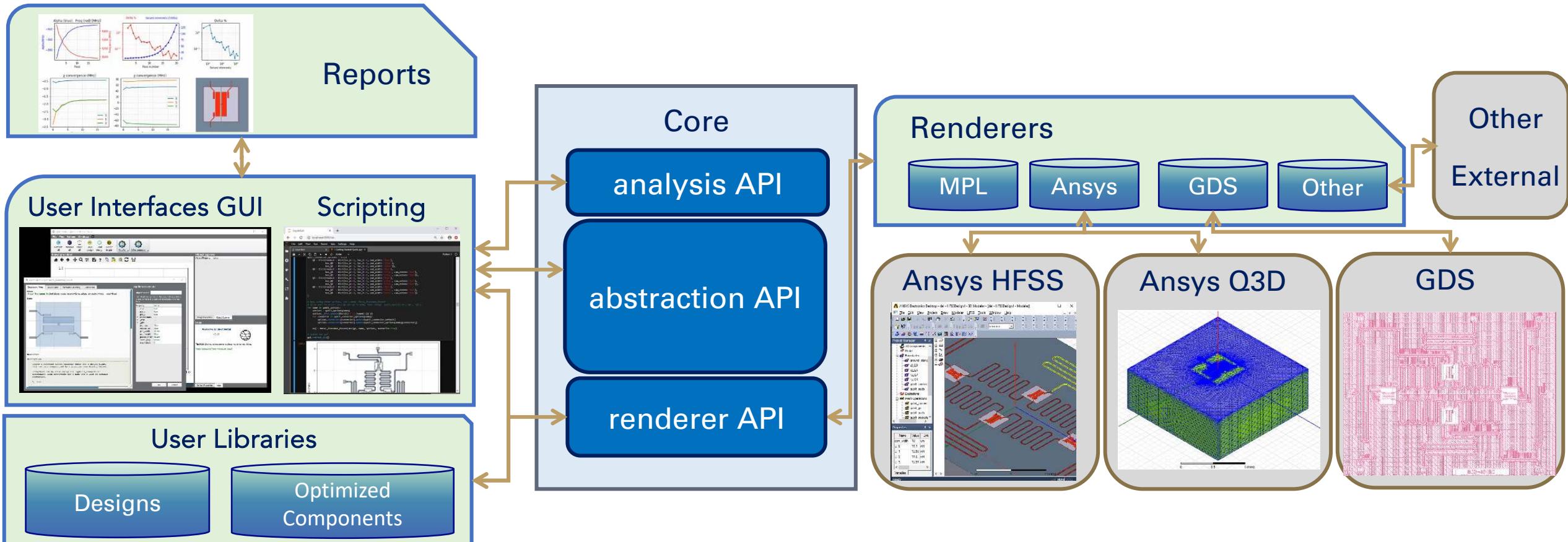
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$$C_J = 65 \text{ fF} \quad Z = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \approx 450 \Omega$$

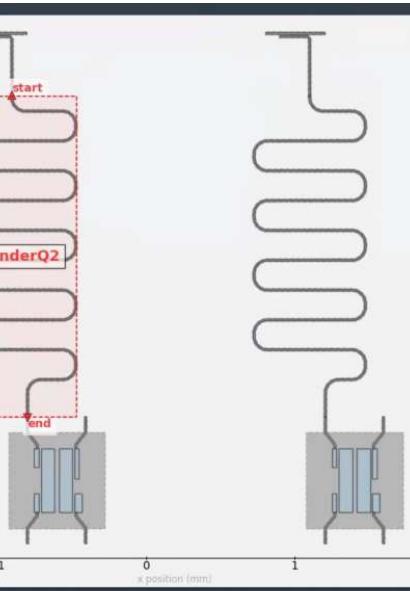
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# Qiskit Metal Container Diagram



# Hanger



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        pin='second_end'),
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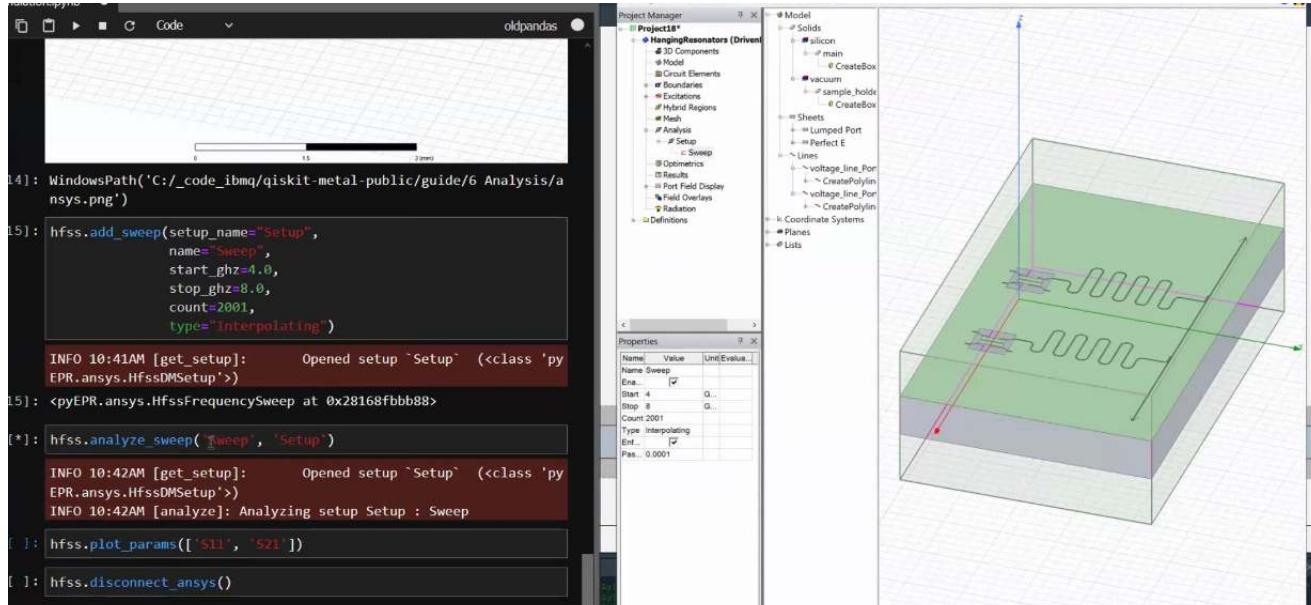
meanderQ1 = RouteMeander(design, 'meanderQ1', options=options1)
meanderQ2 = RouteMeander(design, 'meanderQ2', options=options2)

gui.rebuild()
gui.autoscale()

Add 2 open to grounds at the ends of the horizontal CPW.

[1]: otg1 = OpenToGround(design, 'otg1', options = dict(pos_x='3mm',
                                                    pos_y='3mm'))
otg2 = OpenToGround(design, 'otg2', options = dict(pos_x = ' -3mm',
                                                    pos_y='3mm',
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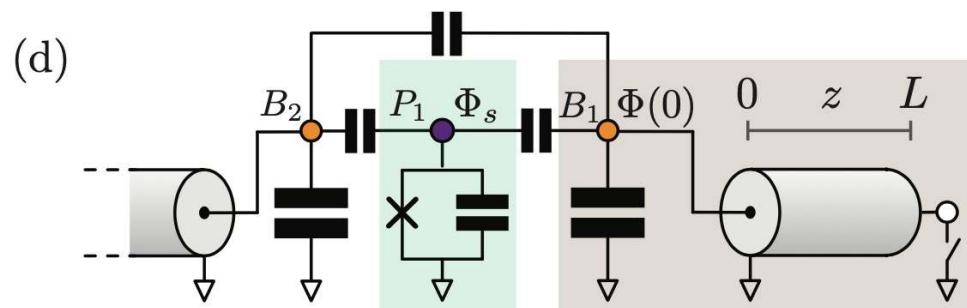
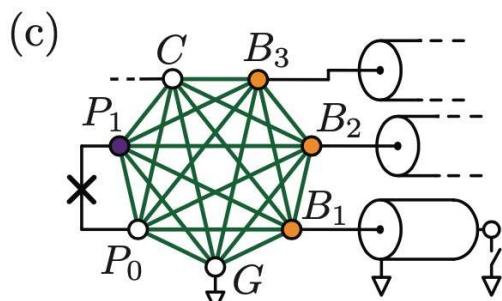
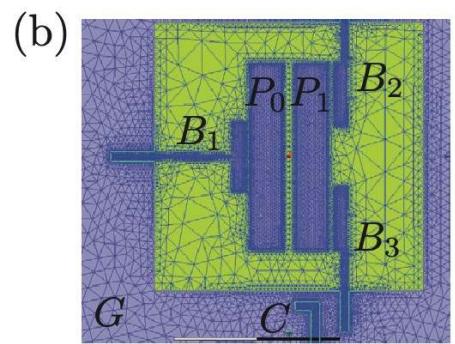
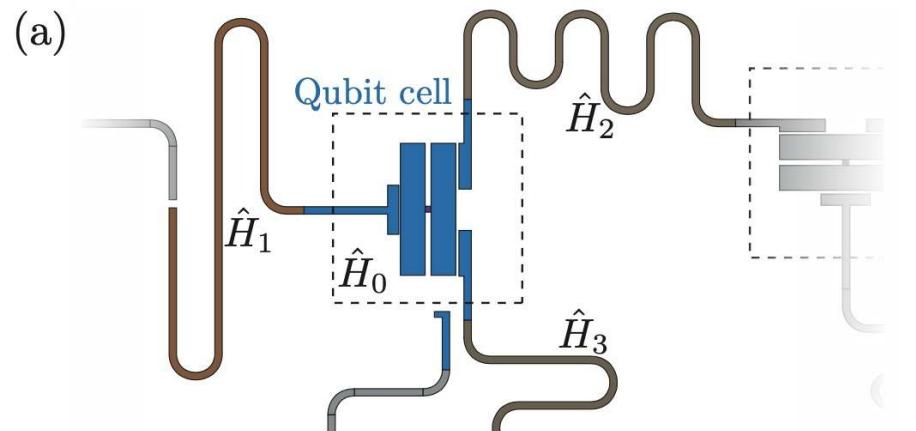
gui.rebuild()
gui.autoscale()
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oldpandas
14]: WindowsPath('C:/_code_ibmq/qiskit-metal-public/guide/6 Analysis/ansys.png')

15]: hfss.add_sweep(setup_name="Setup",
                    name="Sweep",
                    start_ghz=4.0,
                    stop_ghz=8.0,
                    count=2001,
                    type="Interpolating")
INFO 10:41AM [get_setup]:      Opened setup `Setup` (<class 'pyEPR.ansys.HfssDMSetup'>)
15]: <pyEPR.ansys.HfssFrequencySweep at 0x28168fb88>

[*]: hfss.analyze_sweep('Sweep', 'Setup')
INFO 10:42AM [get_setup]:      Opened setup `Setup` (<class 'pyEPR.ansys.HfssDMSetup'>)
INFO 10:42AM [analyze]: Analyzing setup Setup : Sweep
[*]: hfss.plot_params(['s11', 's21'])
[*]: hfss.disconnect_ansys()
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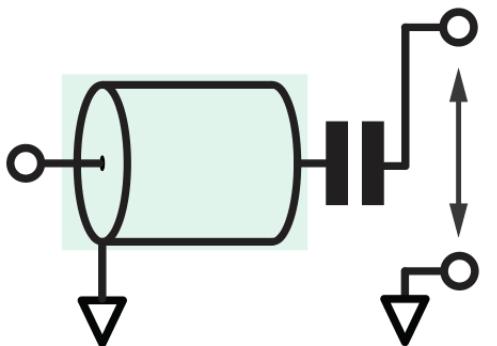
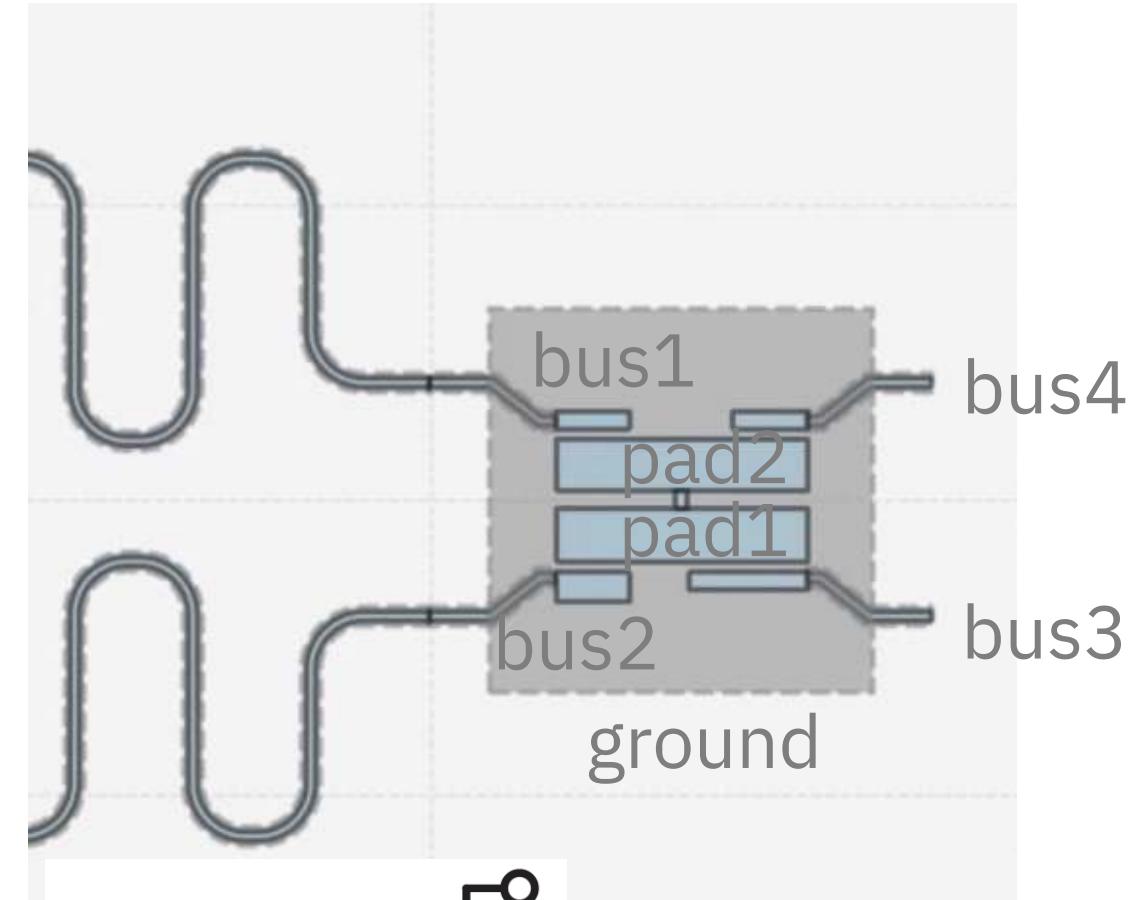


$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} = \hat{H}_0 + \sum_{n=1}^K \hat{H}_n + \sum_{n=0}^K \sum_{m=n+1}^K \hat{H}_{nm}, \quad (1)$$

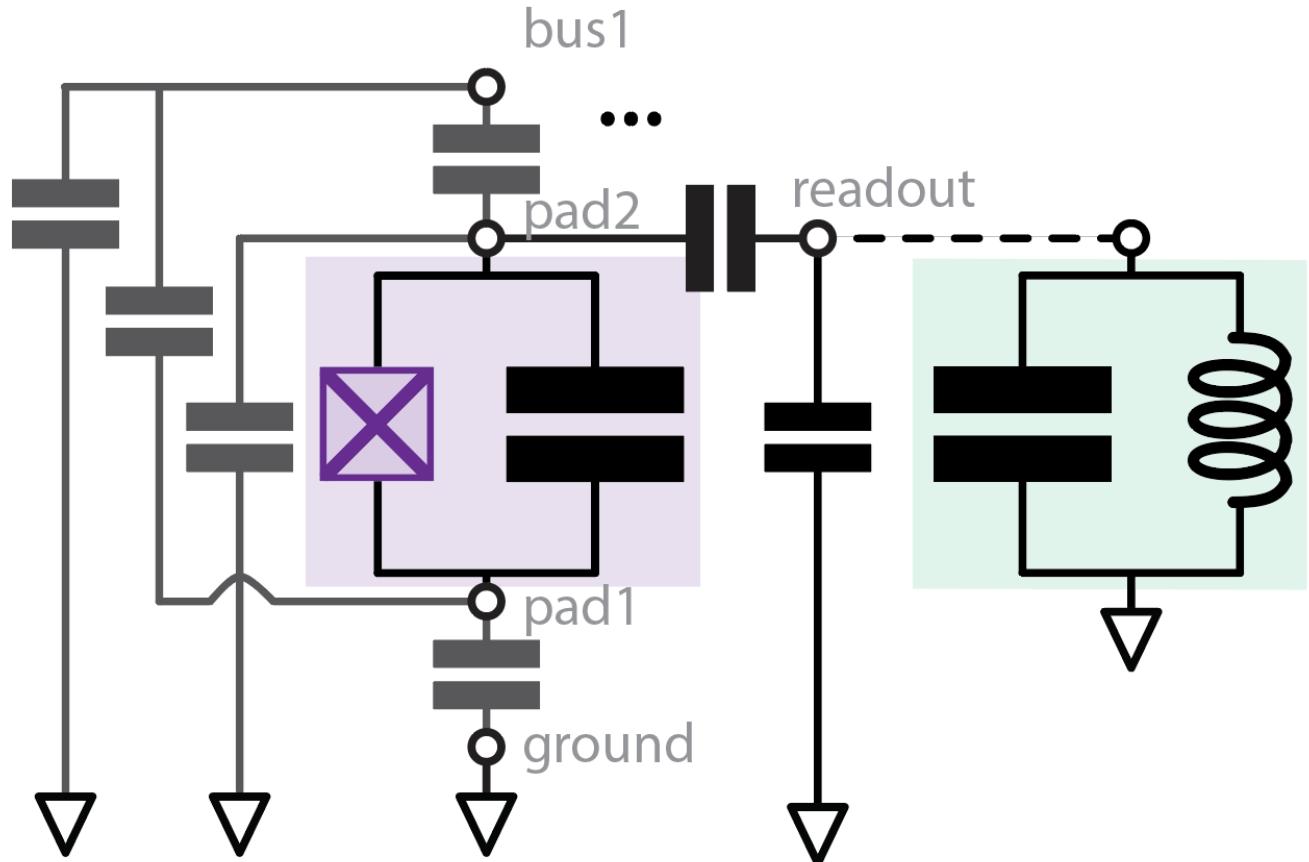
$$\hat{H}_{nm} = \hat{Q}_n \hat{Q}_m / C_{nm}^{\text{eff}} + \hat{\Phi}_n \hat{\Phi}_m / L_{nm}^{\text{eff}}, \quad (2)$$

$$\hat{H}_{nm} = \hat{Q}_n \hat{Q}_m / C_{nm}^{\text{eff}} = \hbar g_{nm} \hat{A}_n \hat{B}_m,$$

# Transmon coupled to other systems

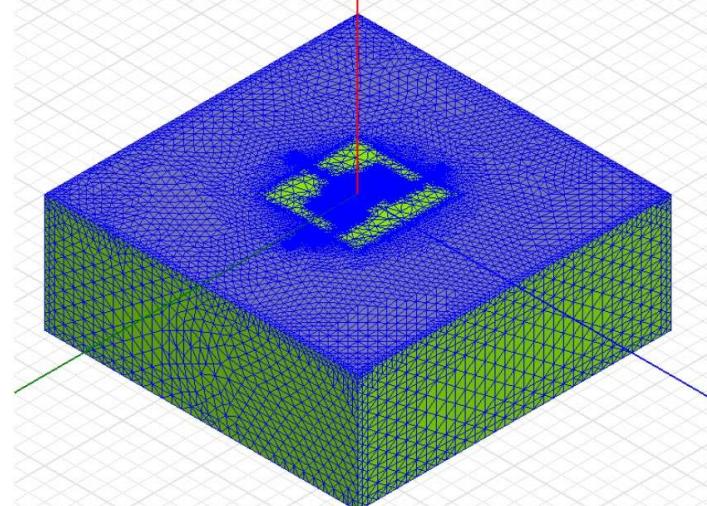
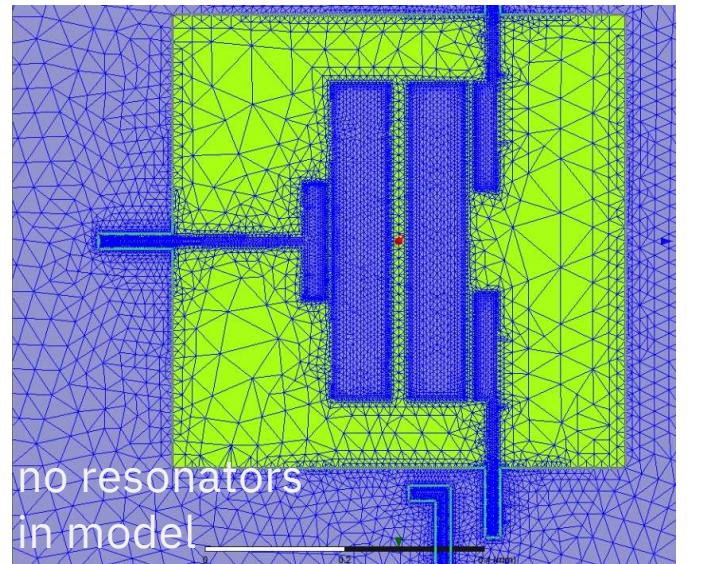


$$\hat{H}_{\text{full}} = \hat{H}_{\text{sys}}(\hat{a}) + \hat{H}_{\text{ext}}(\hat{b}_n) + \hat{H}_{\text{int}}(\hat{a}, \hat{b}_n)$$

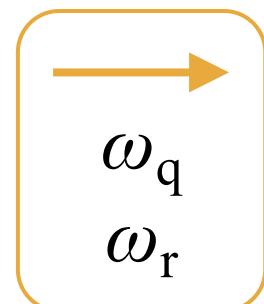
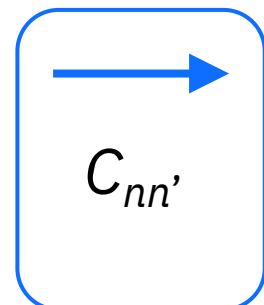


# Lumped-oscillator model (LOM)

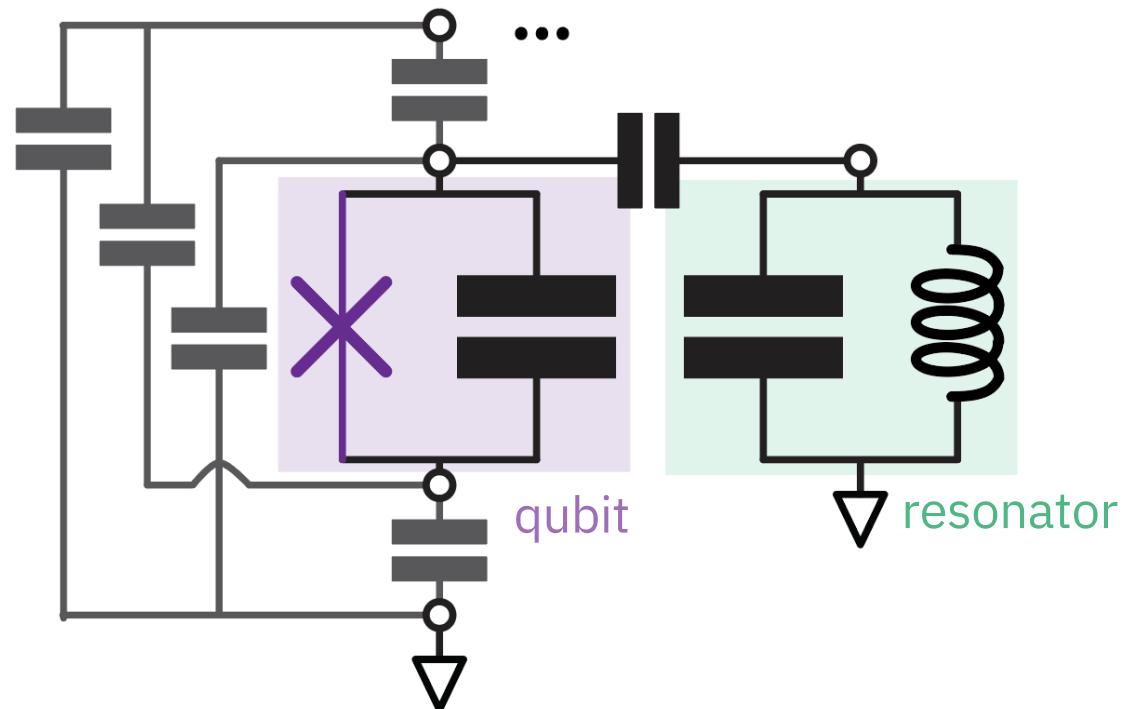
Quasi-static solver (Q3D)



Provide



Equivalent lumped model

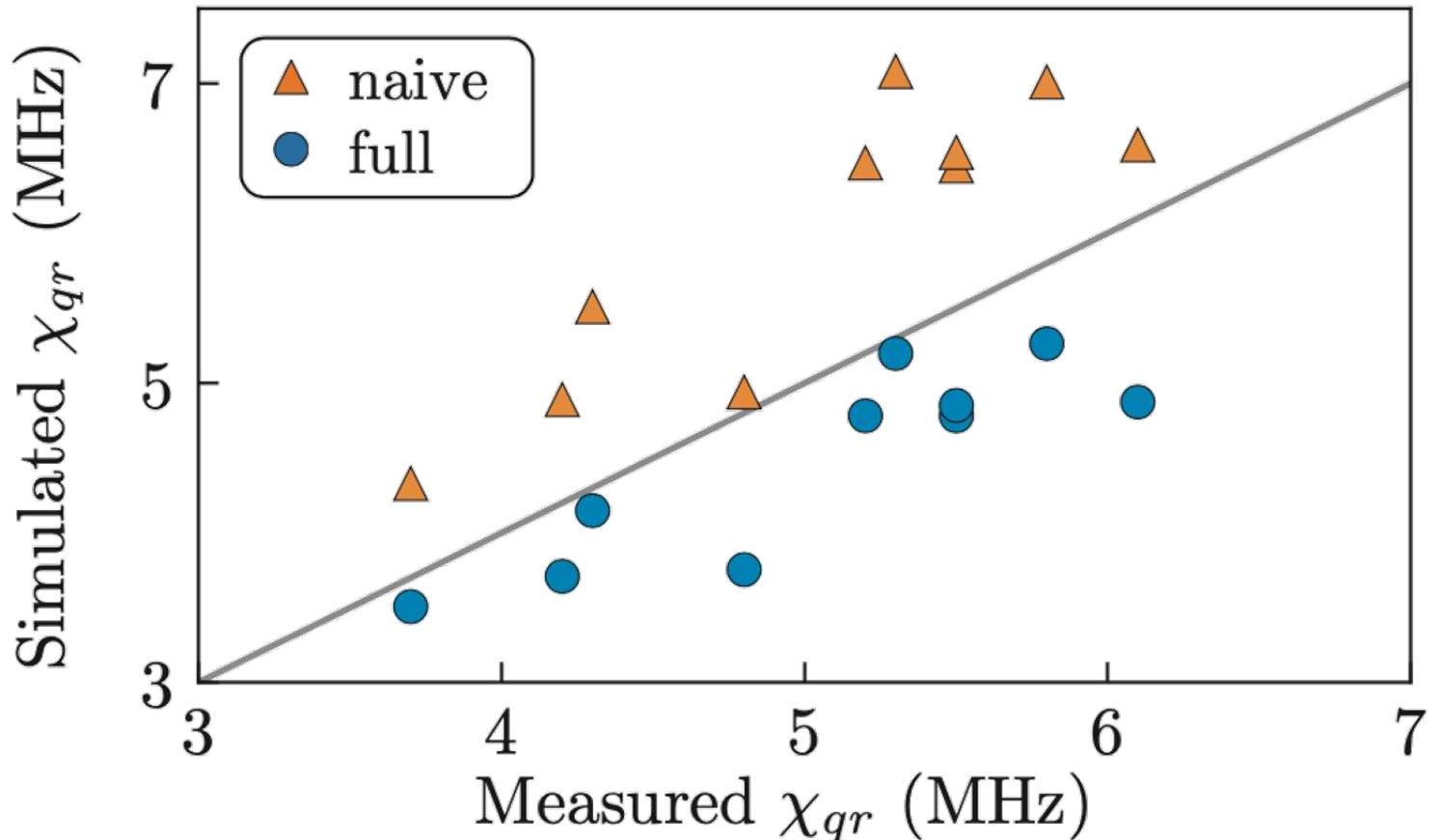
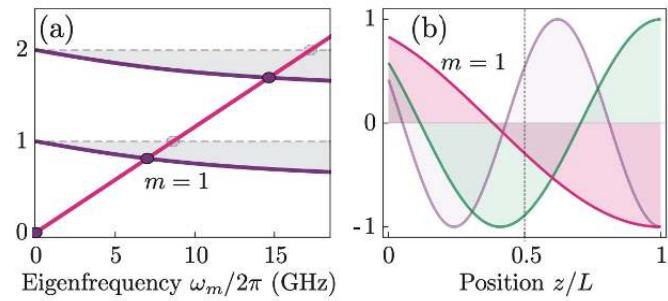


approximate  
not suitable for 3D  
some distributed effects beyond capture

Minev & Gambetta, in prep (2020)

Yurke & Denker (1984), Devoret (1997),  
Burkard et al. (2004), Koch et al. (2007), ...

# Improved precision and agreement



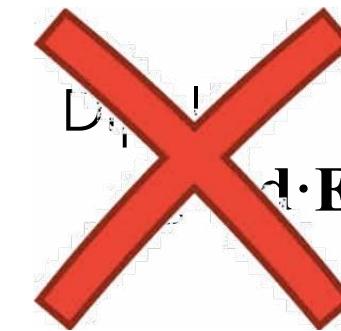
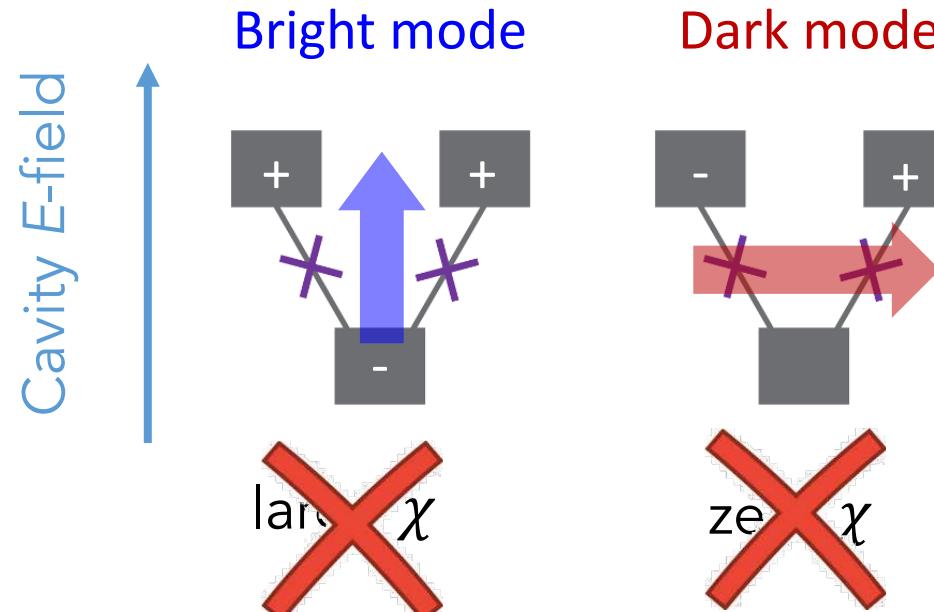
# Non-linear interaction with EPR

Non-linear interactions in terms of energy overlap

$$\chi_{mn} = \sum_{j=1}^J \frac{\hbar\omega_m\omega_n}{4E_j} p_{mj}p_{nj}$$

Energy participation overlap  
(only variable subject to significant variation)

Intuition with dipole and EPR



same  $p_{mj}$  for both  
 $\chi$ s are **equal**

For device, see

Gambetta *et al.*, PRL (2011), Srinivasan *et al.*, PRL (2011), Dumur *et al.*, PRB (2015), Zhang *et al.*, Nature JQI (2017), Minev *et al.*, arXiv (2018)

# Physical insights with EPR

Non-linear interactions in terms of energy overlap

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Energy participation  
overlap

(only variable subject  
to significant variation)

Fundamental constraints

What circuits/parameters can and cannot be realized?

$$\sum_{m=1}^M p_{mj} = 1$$

$$0 \leq \sum_{j=1}^J p_{mj} \leq 1$$

$$\sum_{m=1}^M s_{mj}s_{mj'}\sqrt{p_{mj}p_{mj'}} = 0$$

Arbitrary strength non-linear interaction can be calculated

# Charge dispersion

$$\omega_0 = 6.50 \text{ GHz}$$

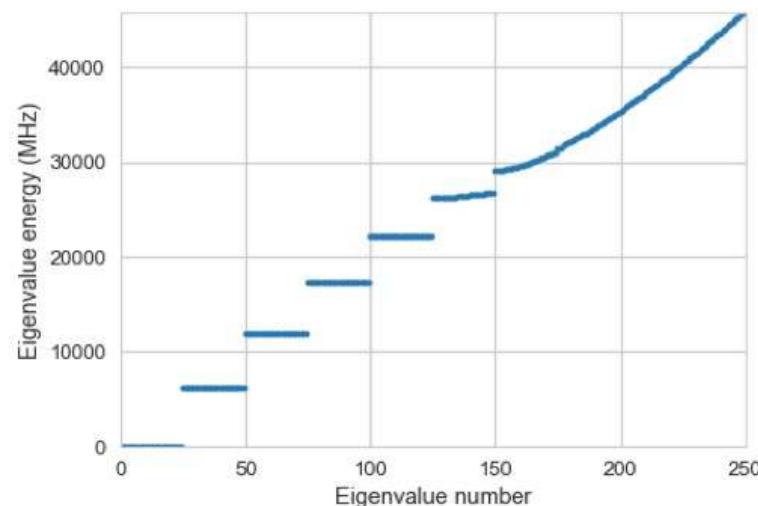
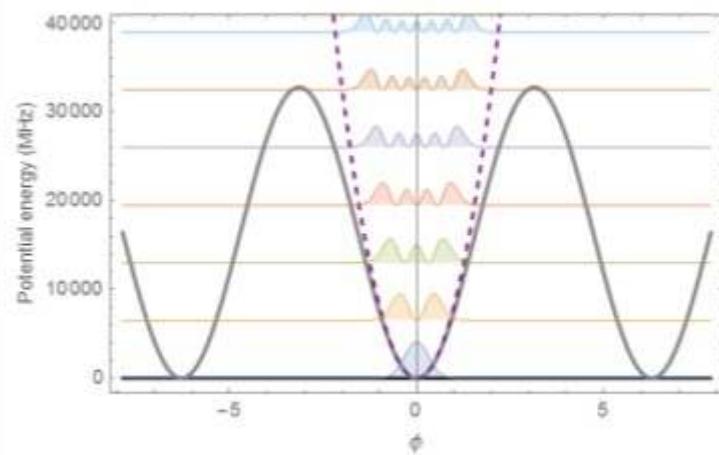
$$\alpha^{(4)} = 322.00 \text{ MHz}$$

$$\phi_{ZPF} = 0.45$$

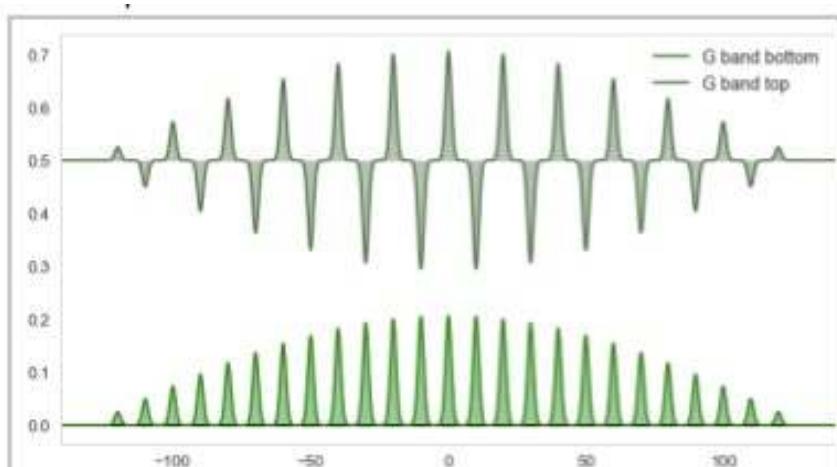
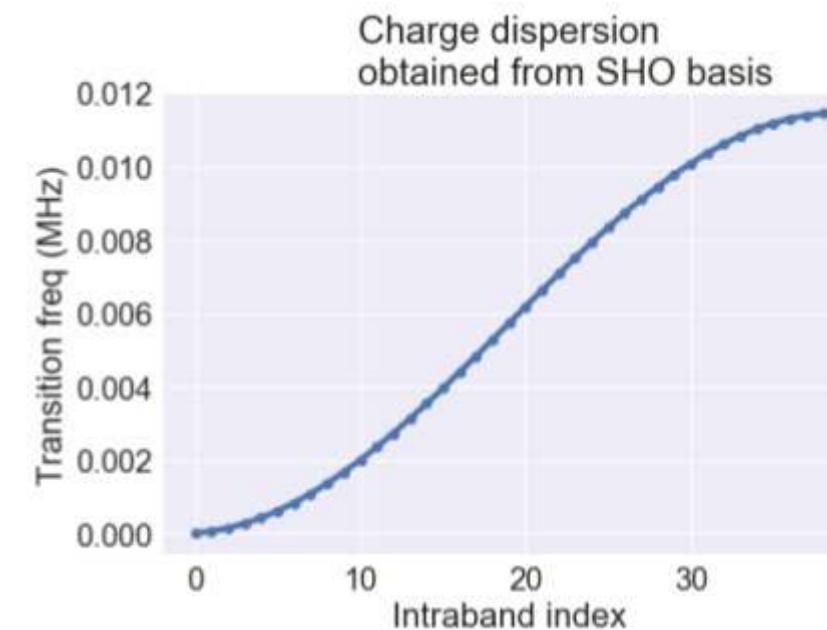
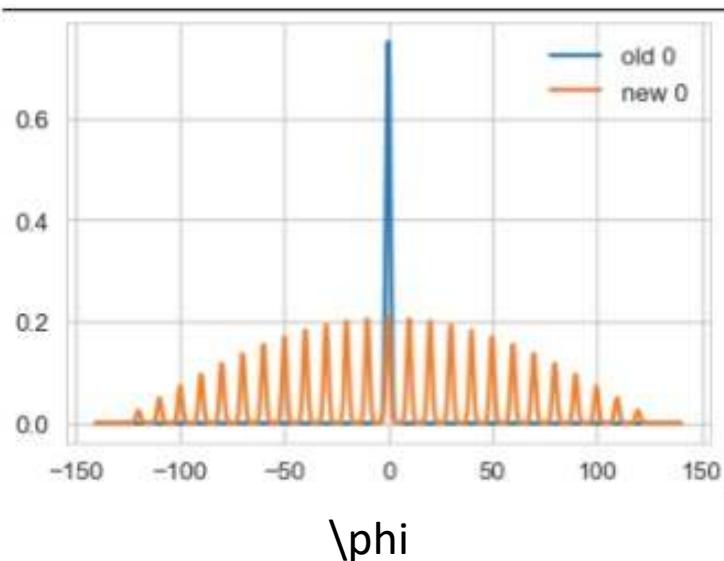
$$E_J = 16.40 \text{ GHz}$$

$$E_C = 0.32 \text{ GHz} \quad (E_J/E_C = 50.90)$$

$$\text{Dispersion} = -12.90 \text{ KHz}$$



$|\psi|^2$



$\backslash\phi$