

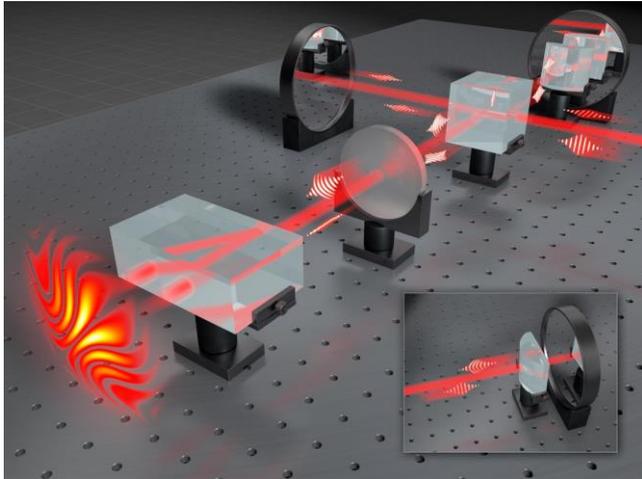
Multimode Quantum Optics with Photons, Spin Waves and Phonons

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Quantum Platforms

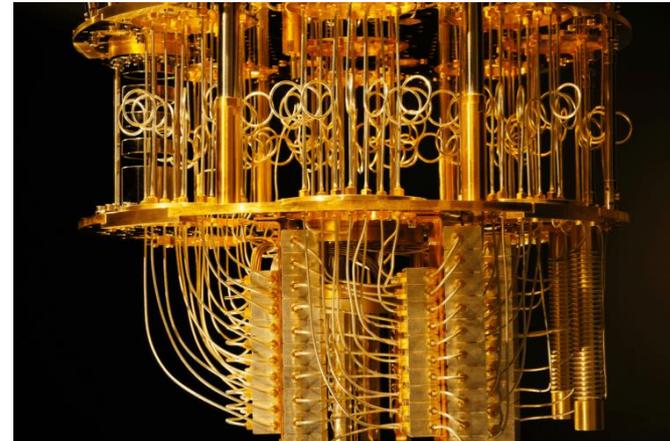
Photonics



Single-Photon gates
Multi-Photon gates
Sources
Detectors

Degrees of freedom: space, time, polarization

Material Systems

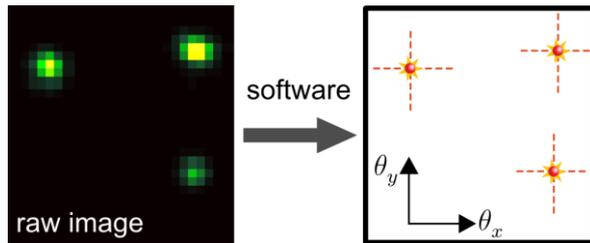


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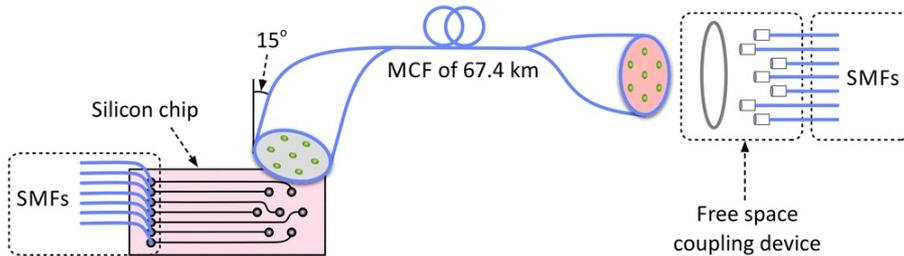
Ions
Superconducting circuits
Mechanical systems

Structured light

Spatial structure

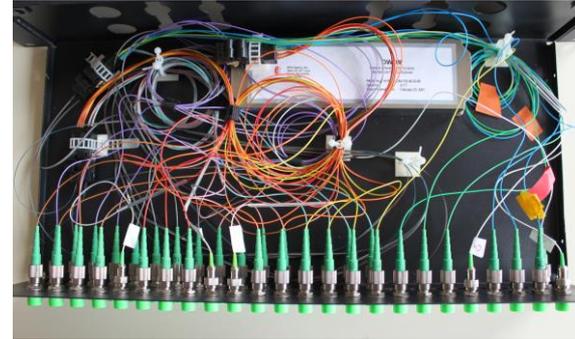


OAM, multicore fibres, space-division multiplexing

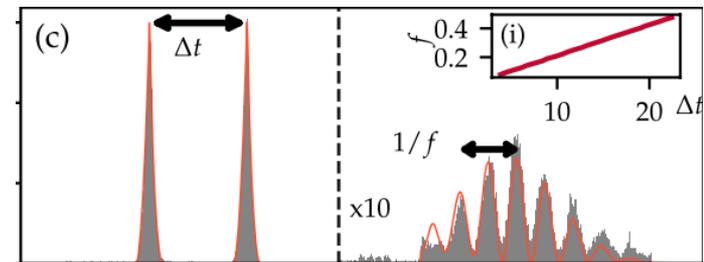


DTU Fotonik

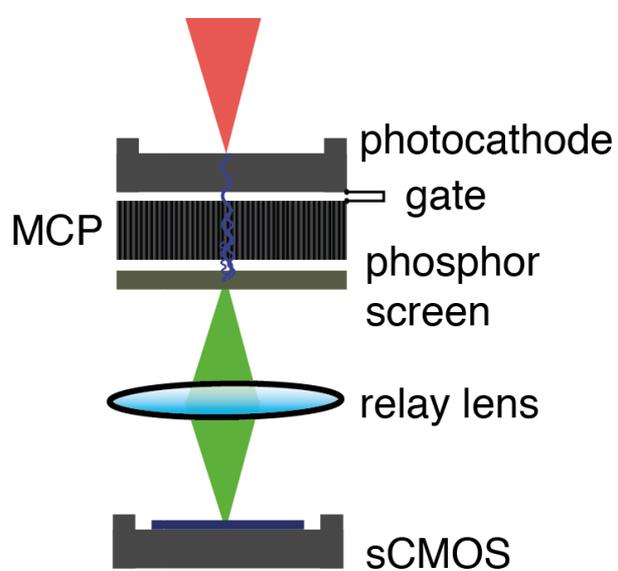
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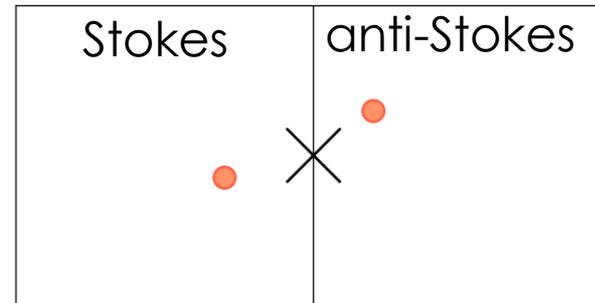
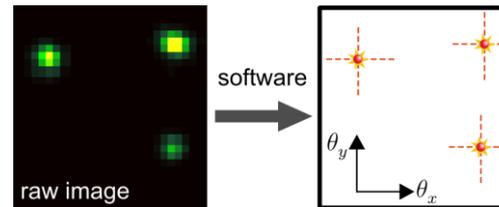
Time/frequency space



Intensified-sCMOS camera



real-time image processing

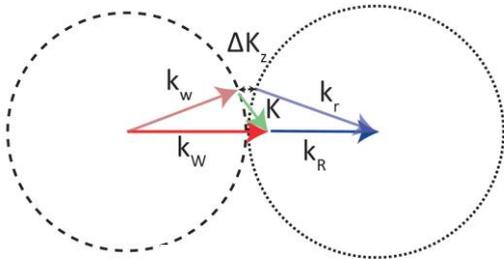
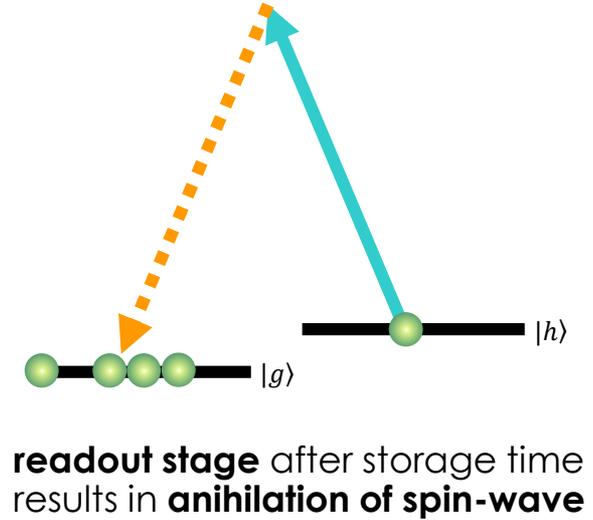
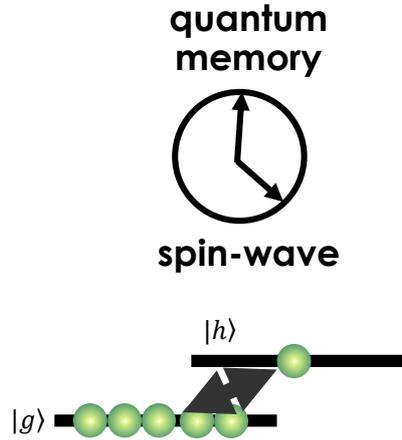
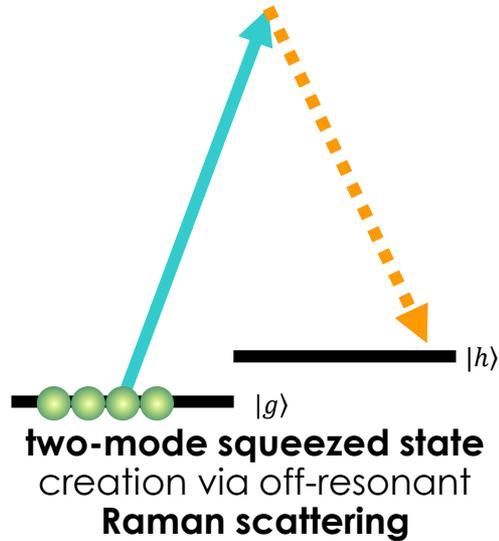


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Raman interface



$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \left(e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{r}_1} \left| \begin{array}{c} \star \\ \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \end{array} \right\rangle + e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{r}_2} \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \\ \star \end{array} \right\rangle + e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{r}_3} \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \\ \star \end{array} \right\rangle + \dots \right)$$

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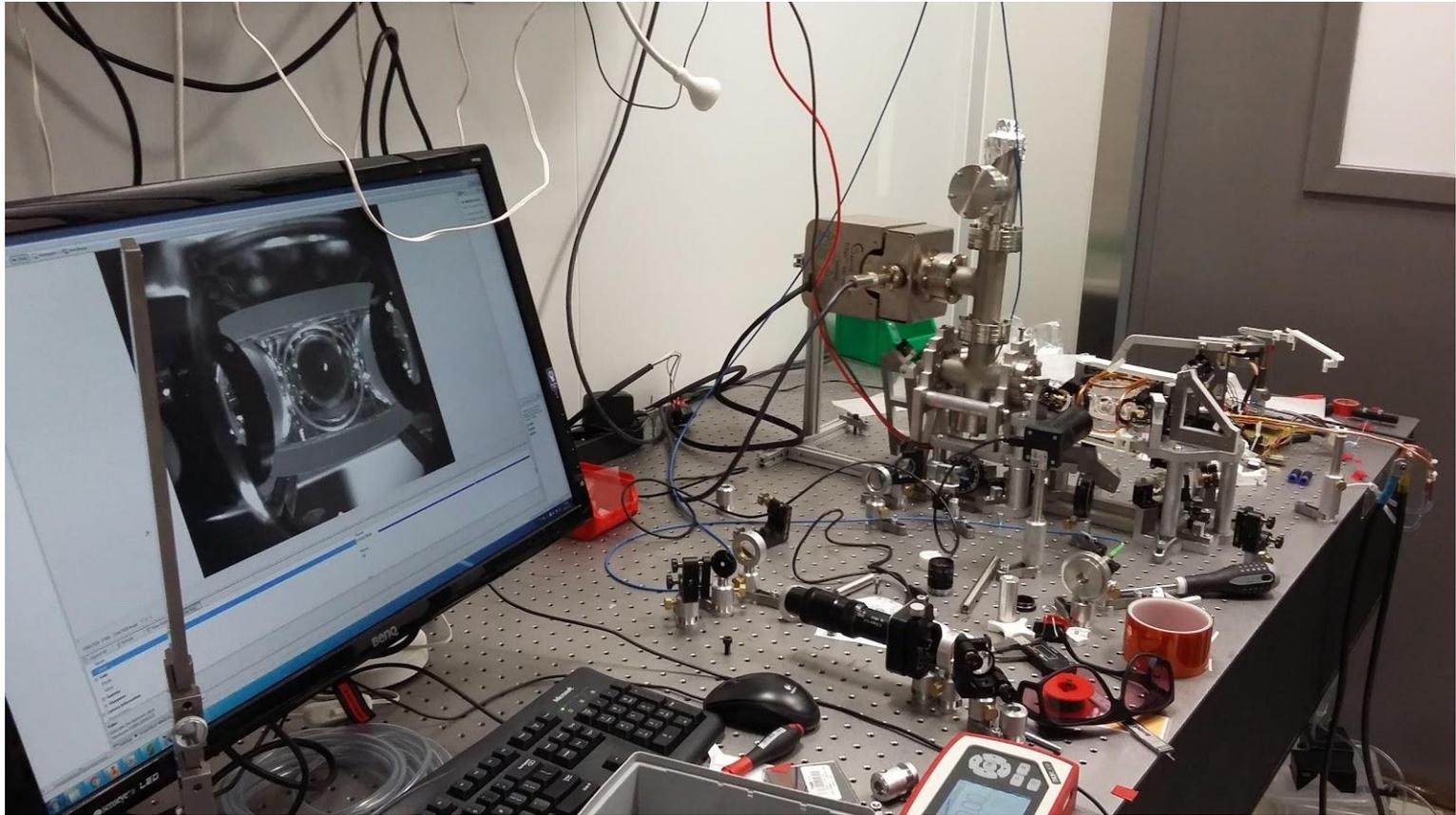
 $|g\rangle$

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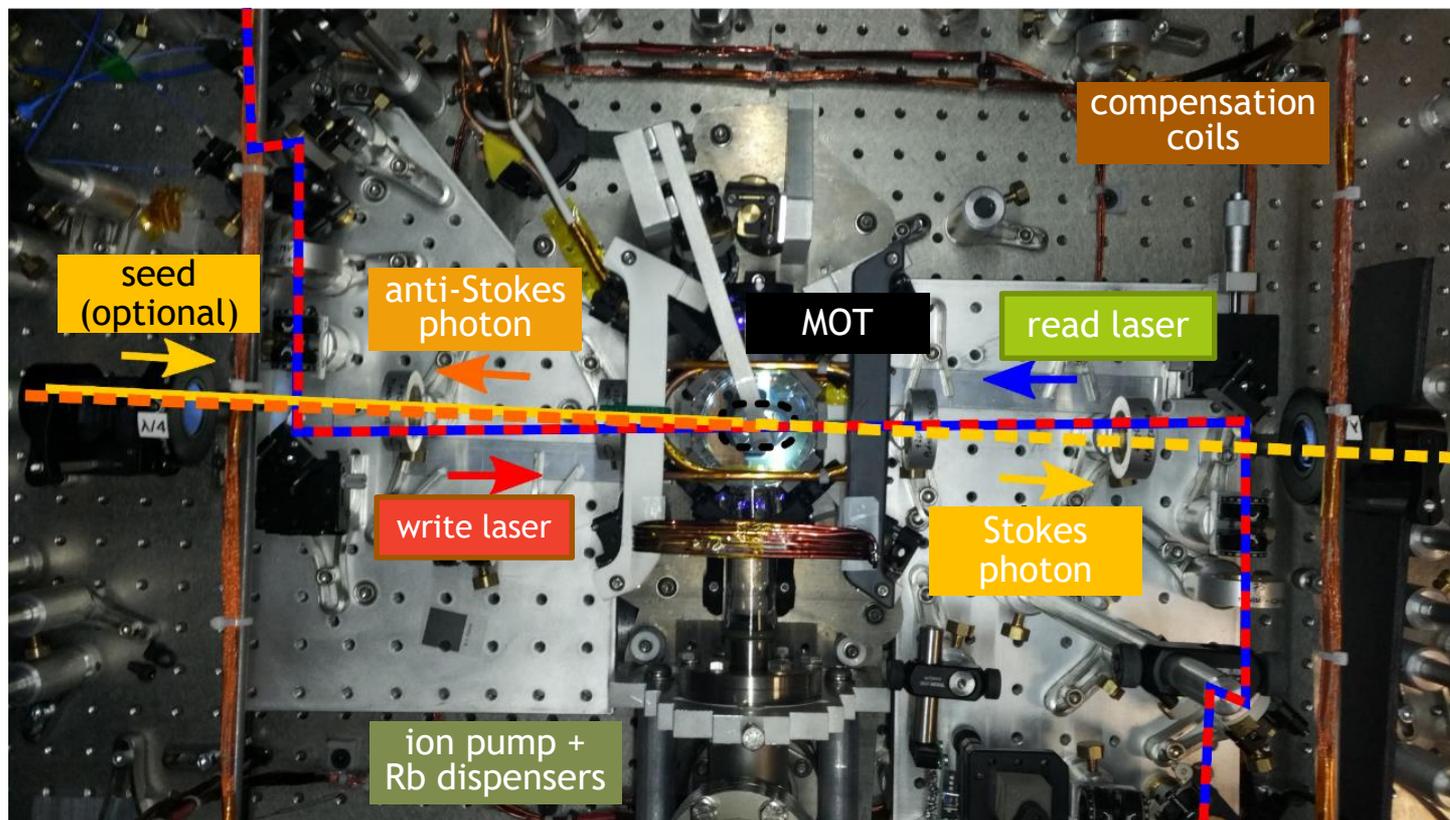
 $|h\rangle$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger(\mathbf{K}) = N^{-1/2} \sum_n^N \exp(i\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{r}_n) |h_n\rangle \langle g_n|$$

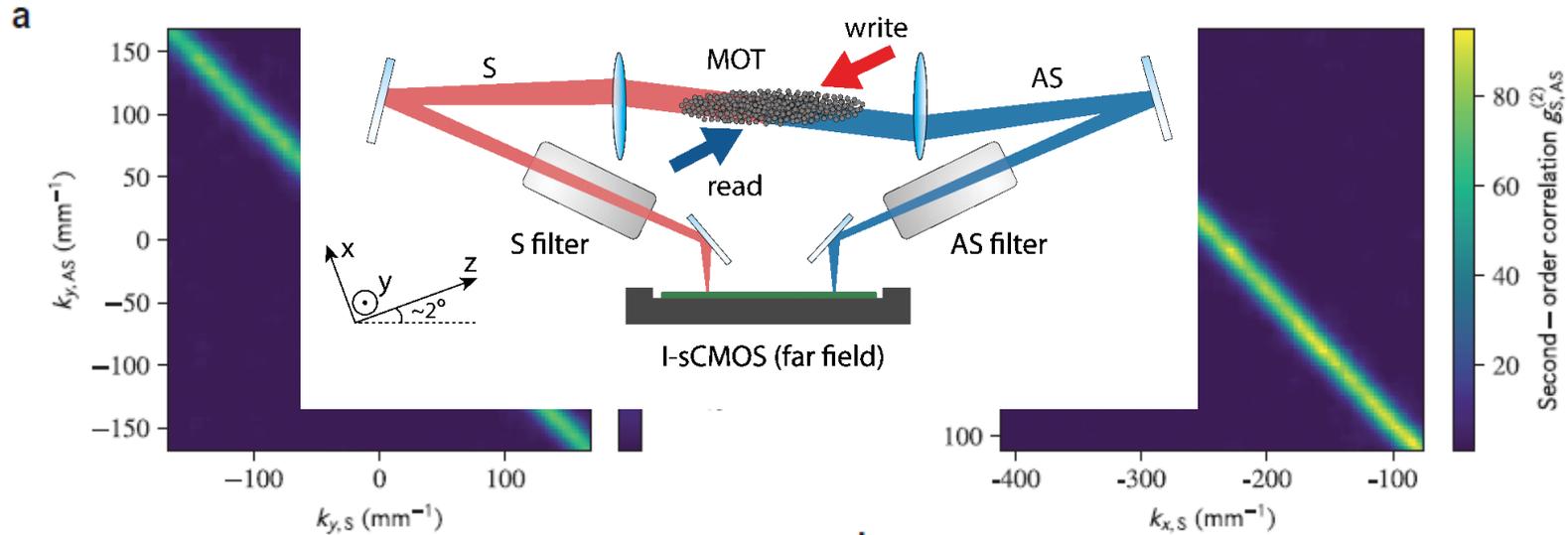
History – first atoms trapped



Experimental setup

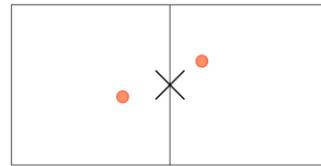


Photon number correlations



non-classical correlations

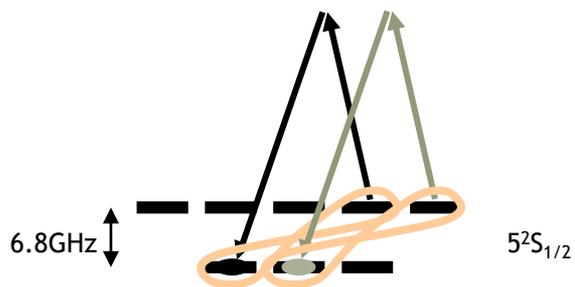
$$g^{(2)} = \frac{\langle n_S n_{AS} \rangle}{\langle n_S \rangle \langle n_{AS} \rangle} = 72 \pm 5 \gg 2$$



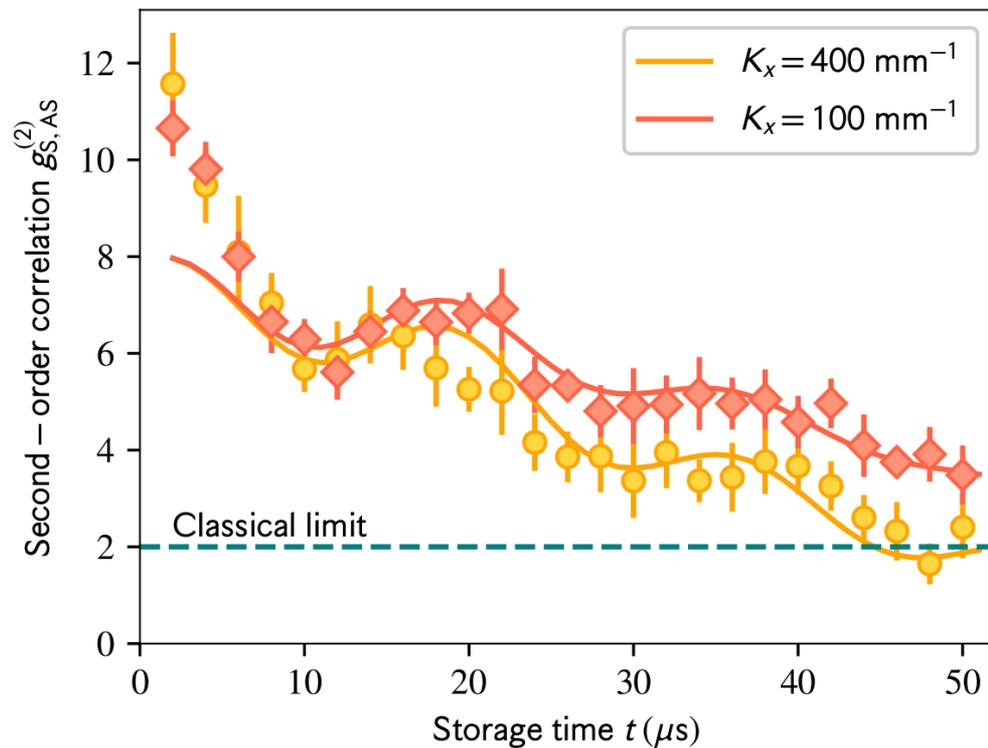
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665 modes back in 2017; >2.000 modes now, with better imaging system; ~20.000 available fundamentally

Temporal evolution

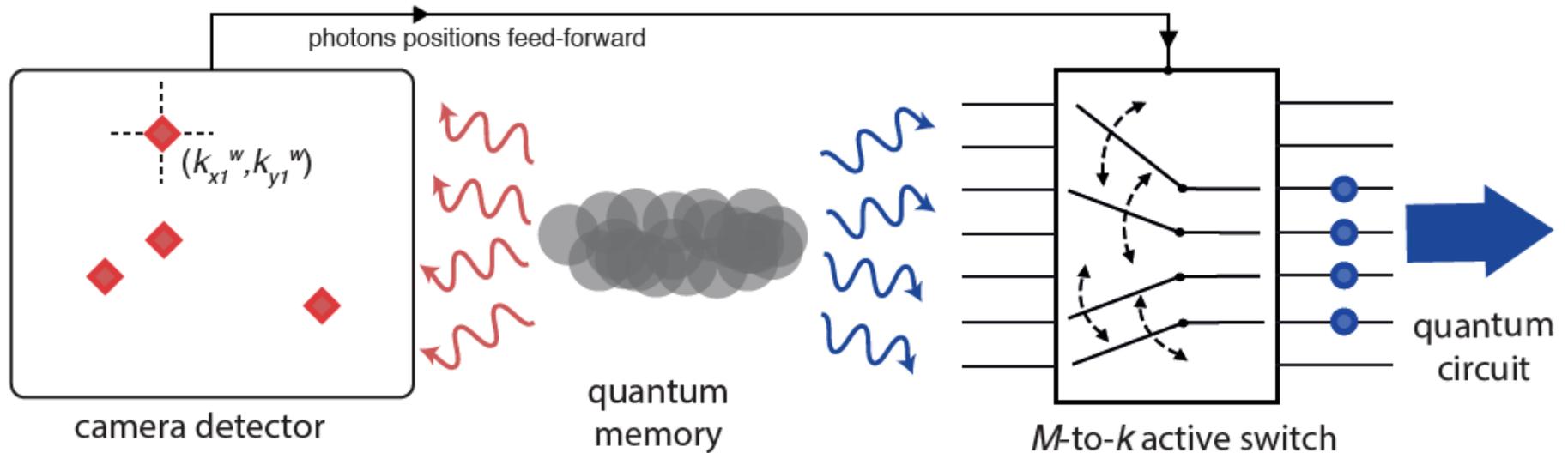


Oscillation between Zeeman sublevels engineered with optical pumping



Quasi-deterministic single and multi-photons

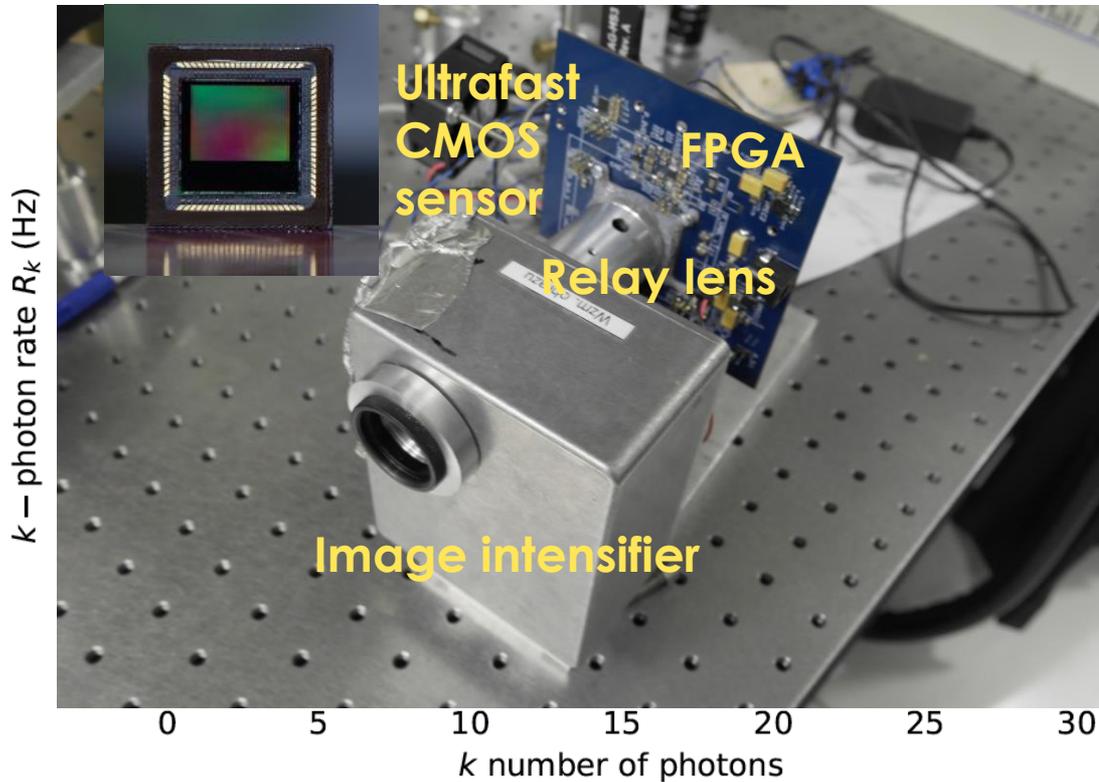
Enhancing photon rates via multiplexing



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Quasi-deterministic single and multi-photons: a bold estimate



4000-mode quantum memory with 20% heralding efficiency and 80% retrieval efficiency operating at 1 kHz* repetition rate

vs

k unsynchronized SPDC sources each at 80 MHz with 90% heralding efficiency**

$p=1\%$, photon detection efficiency 90%

* We will go up to 70 kHz with a new camera

** Optimistic even with comparison to Phys. Rev. Lett. **121**, 250505 (2018)

Ac-Stark effect on spin waves

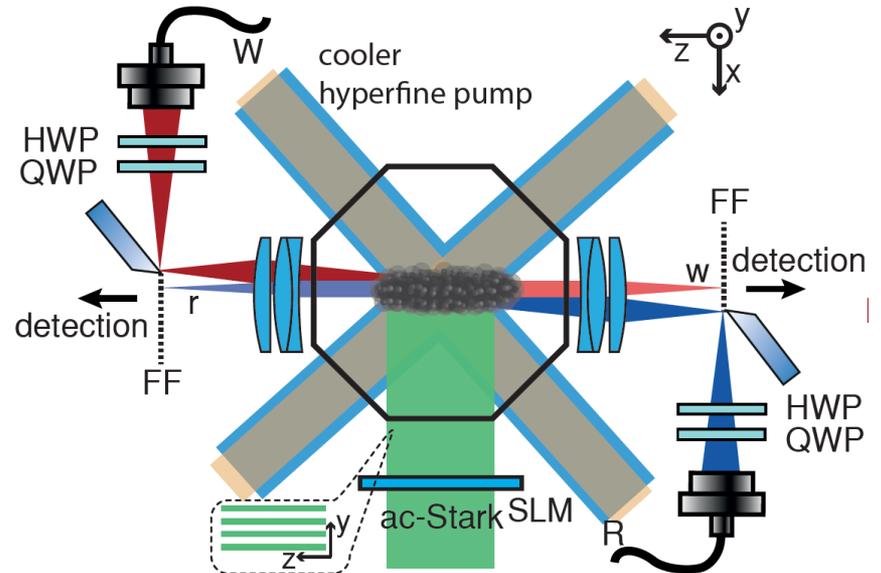
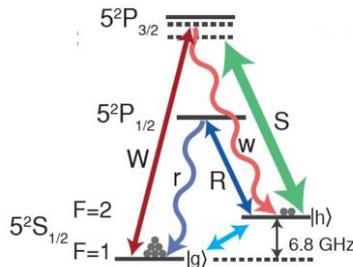
$$\hat{S}^\dagger(\mathbf{K}) = N^{-1/2} \sum_n^N \exp(i\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{r}_n) |h_n\rangle \langle g_n|$$

$$\hat{S}_S^\dagger(\mathbf{K}) = N^{-1/2} \sum_n^N \exp(i(\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{r}_n + \varphi_S(\mathbf{r}_n))) |h_n\rangle \langle g_n|$$

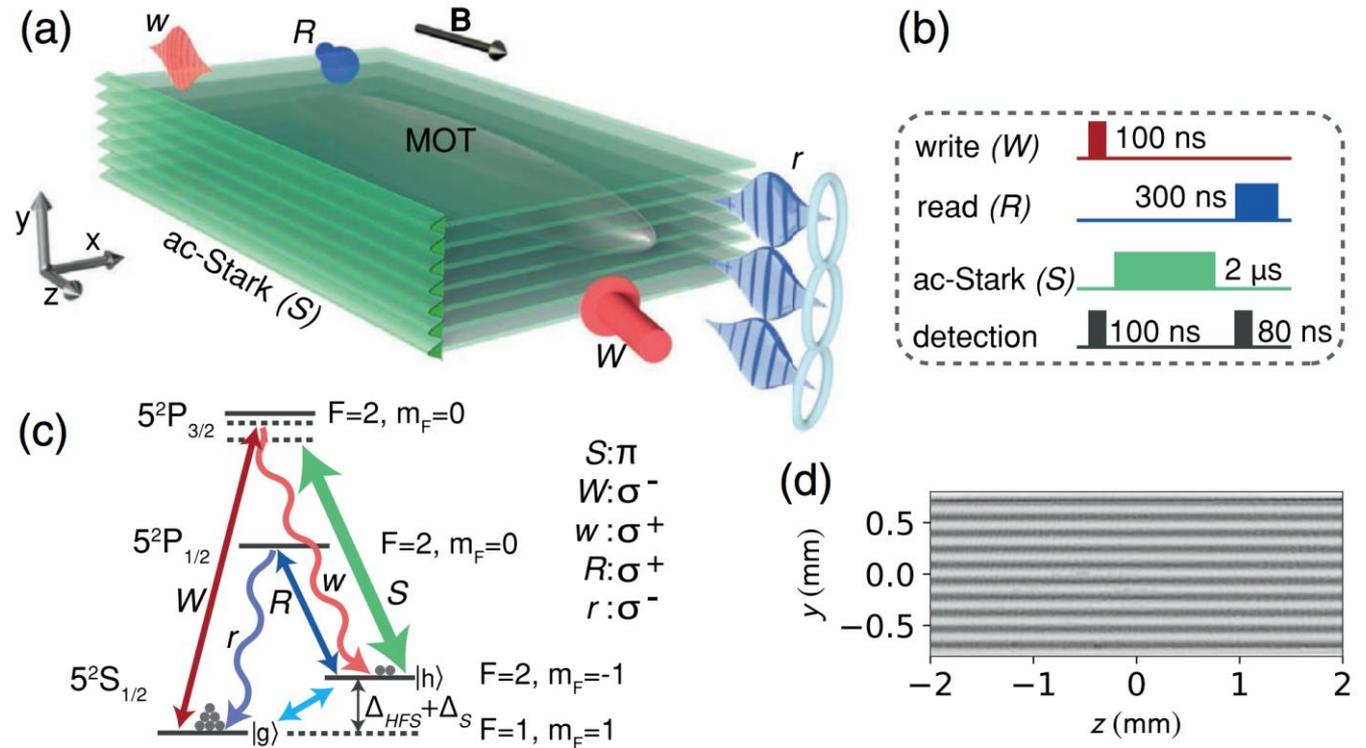
$$= \int \mathcal{F}[\exp(i\varphi_S(\mathbf{r}))](\mathbf{k}) \hat{S}^\dagger(\mathbf{K} + \mathbf{k}) d\mathbf{k},$$

$$\hat{S}_S^\dagger(K_y) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(\chi) \exp(in\vartheta) \hat{S}^\dagger(K_y + nk_g).$$

Phase accumulated due to ac-Stark shift



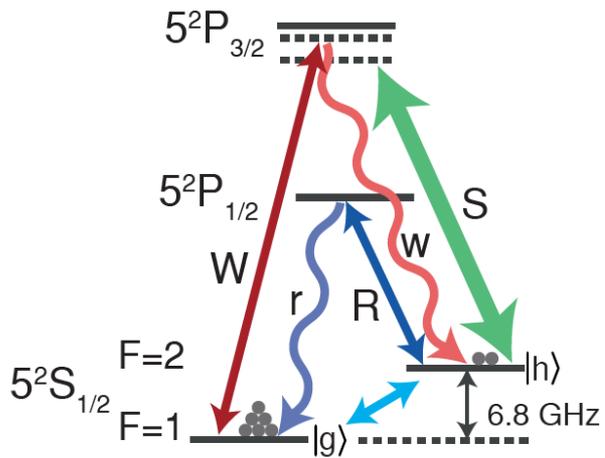
Spin wave reshaping



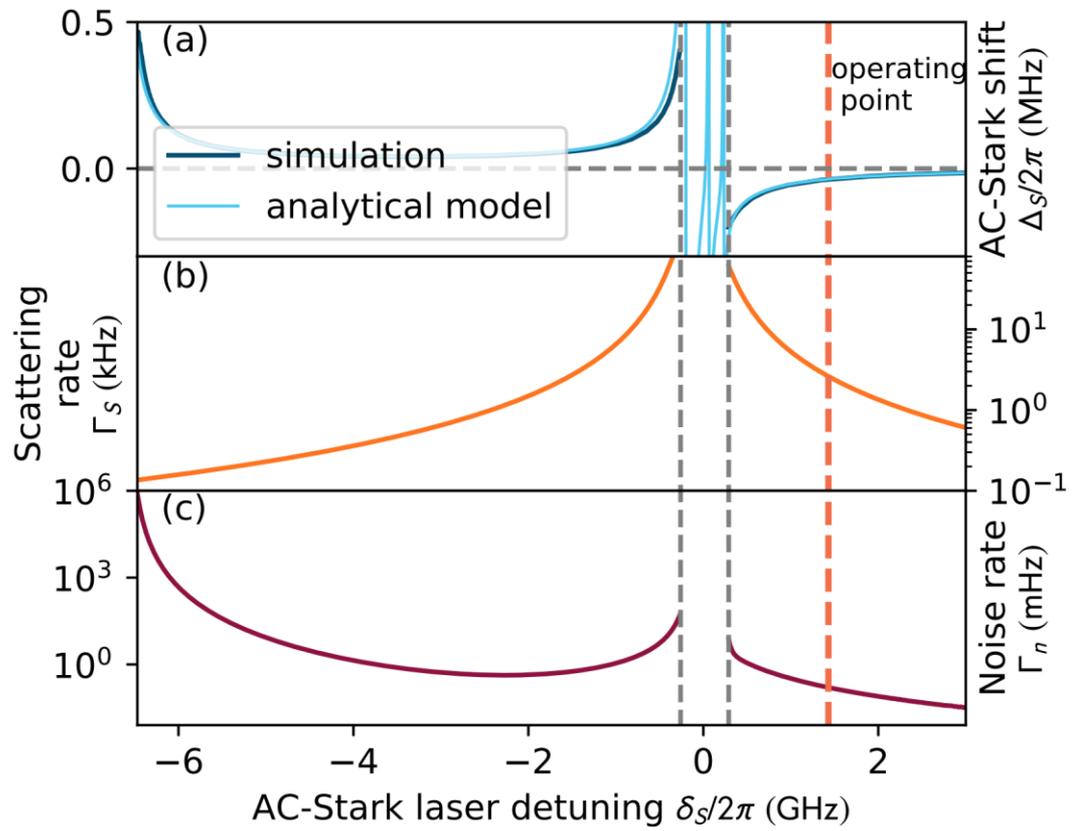
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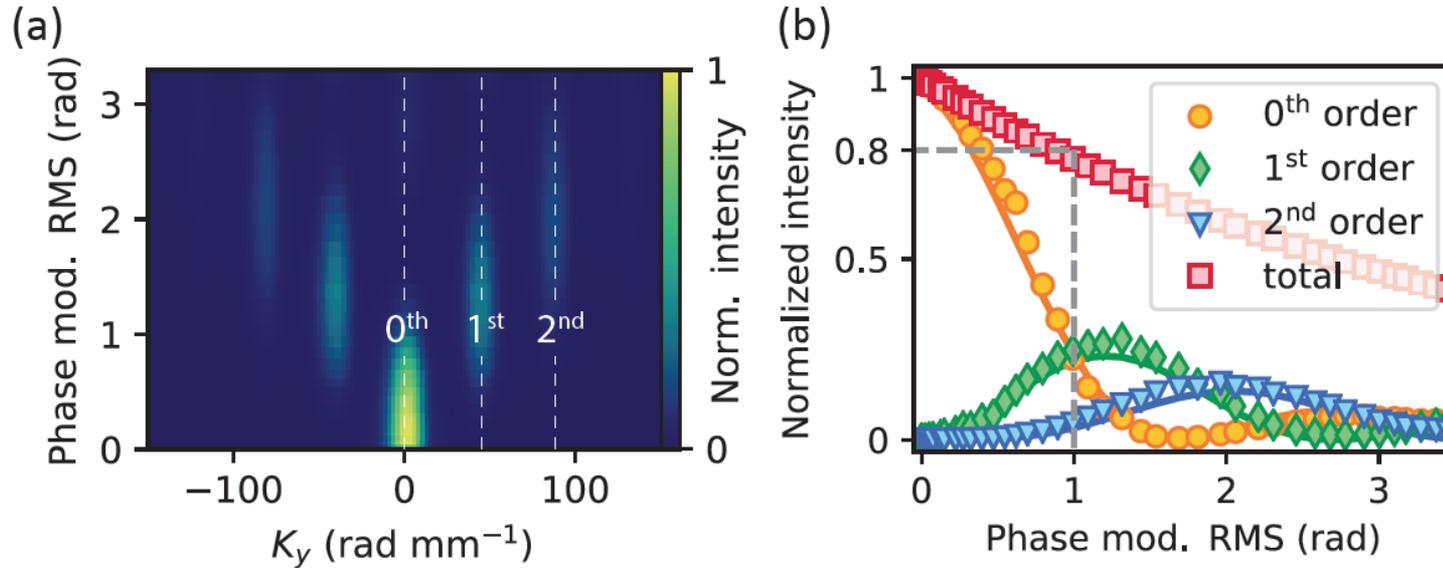
Ac-Stark configuration



Efficient modulation with small loss and noise addition



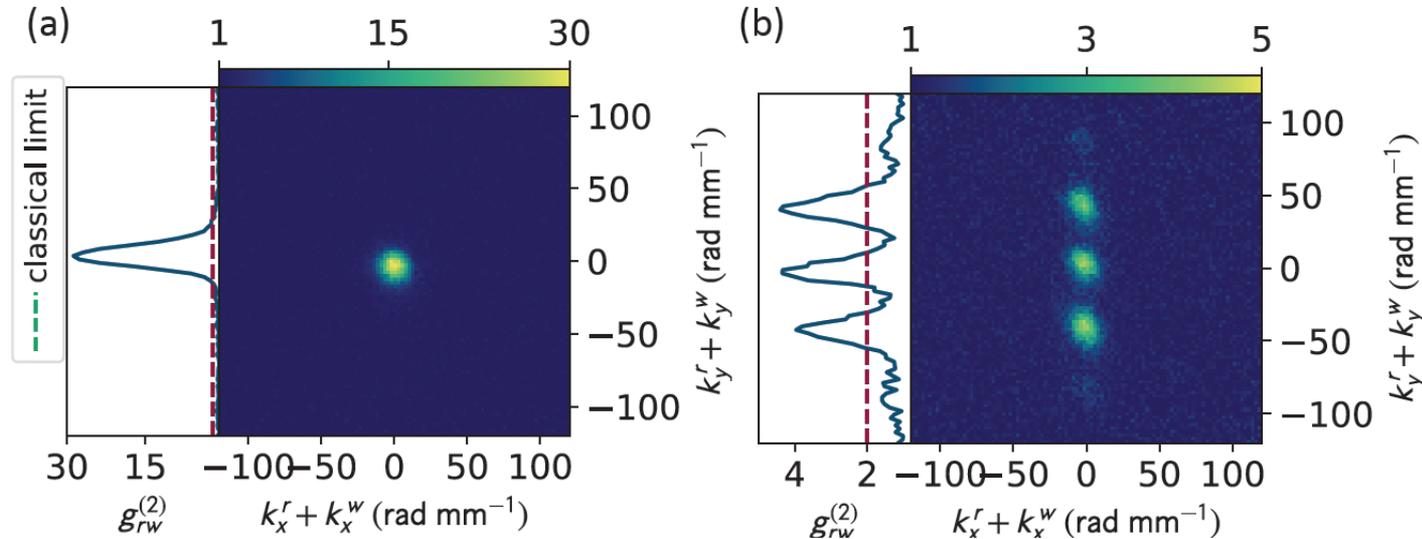
Spin-wave phase modulator



Directing spin waves into selected diffraction orders

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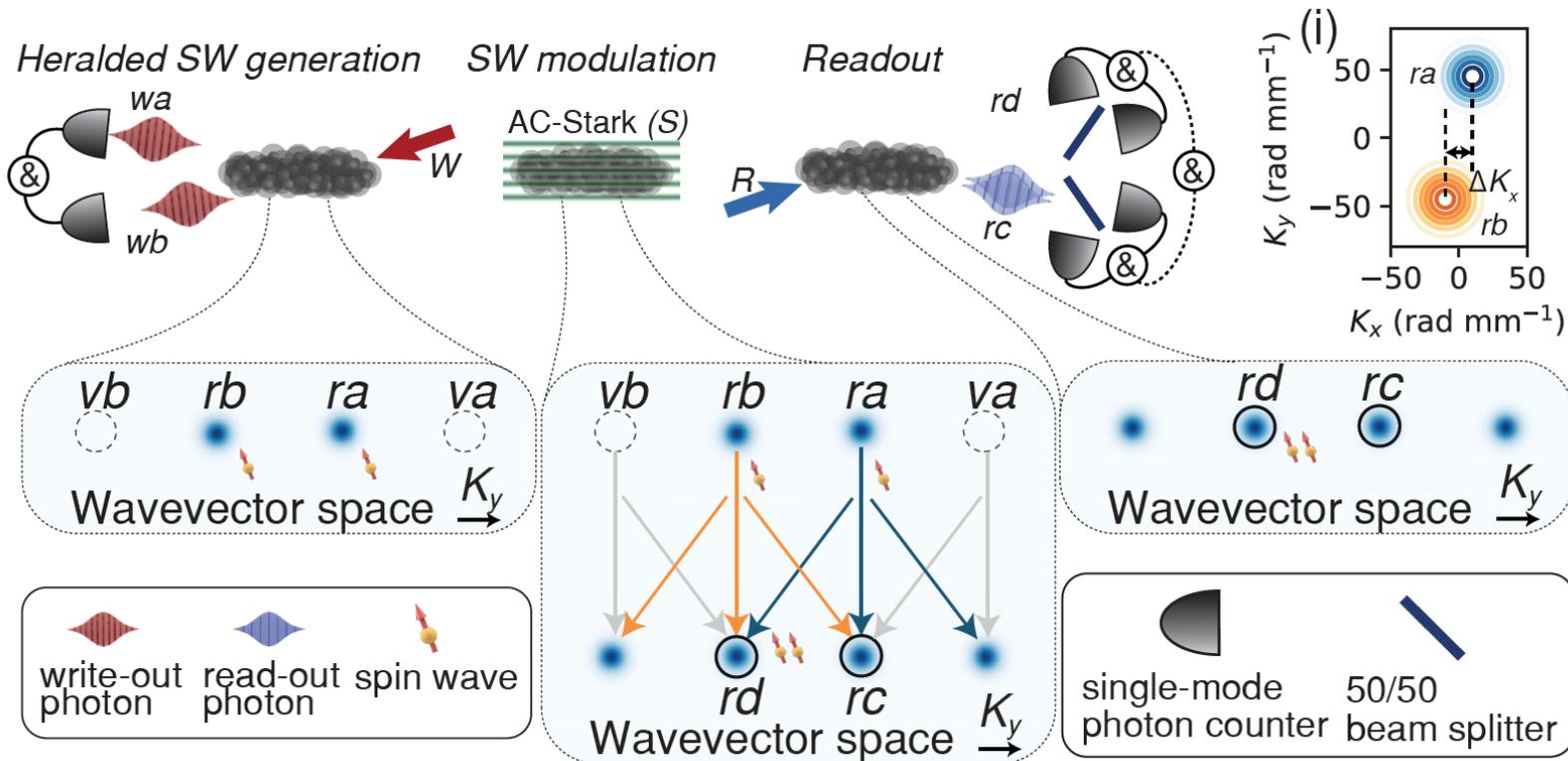
Operation for single photons



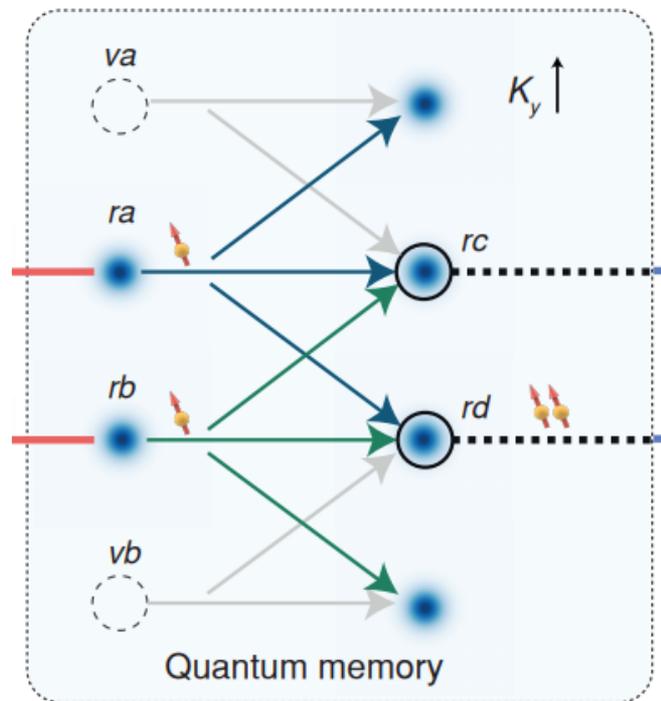
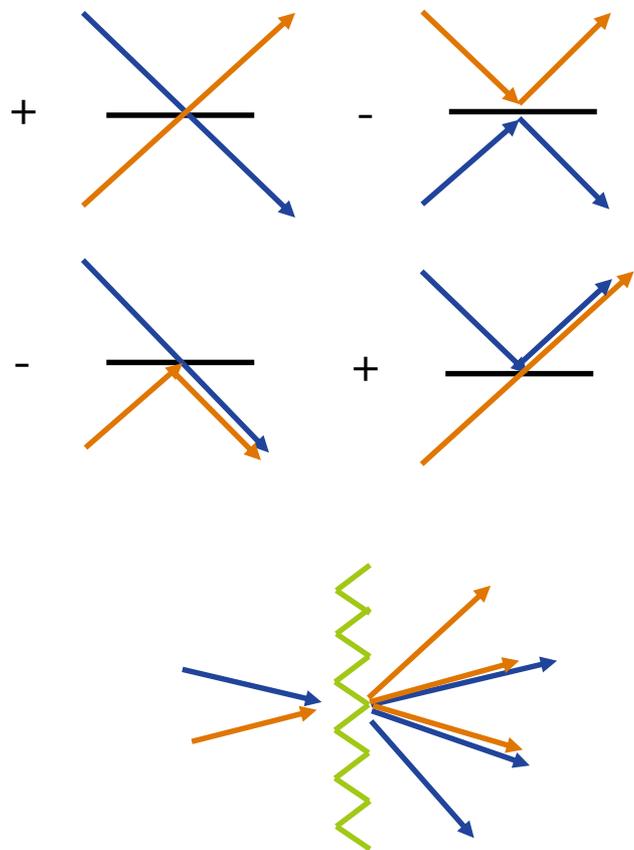
Diffraction observed in correlation functions as splitting of the central peak

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The three-way splitter

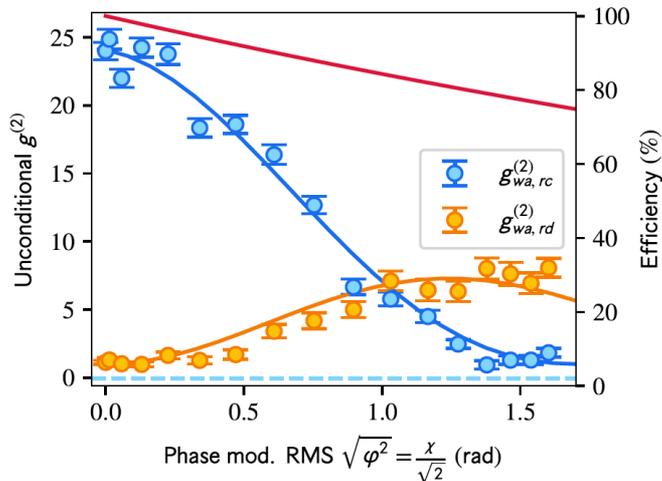


Splitting spin waves

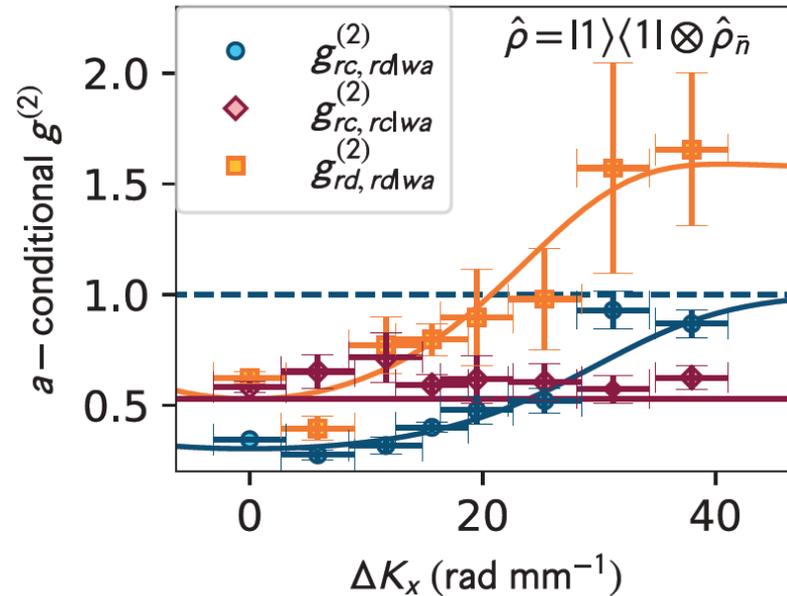


Hanbury Brown-Twiss measurement

Demonstration of nonclassical statistics (heralded $g^{(2)} < 0.3$) of spin wave through beamsplitting performed in the spin-wave domain

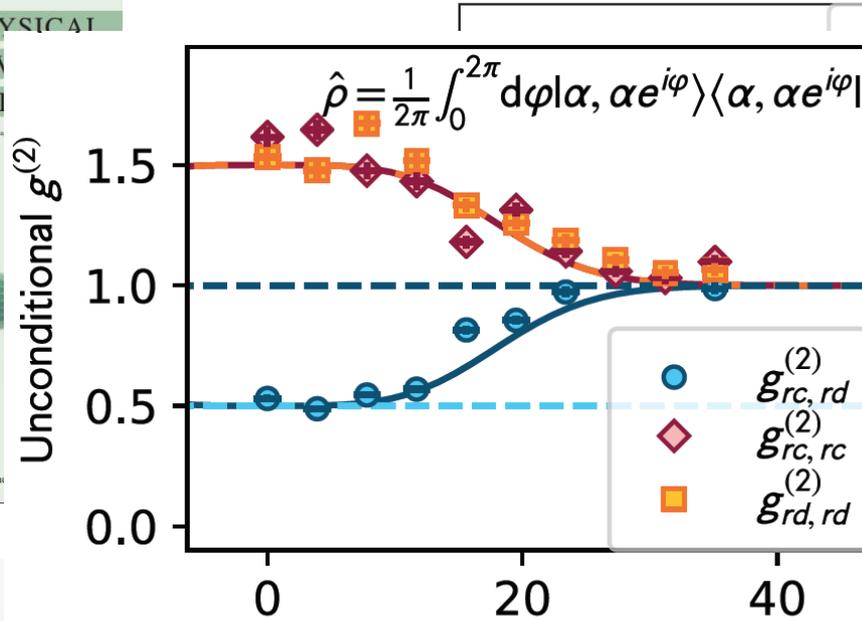
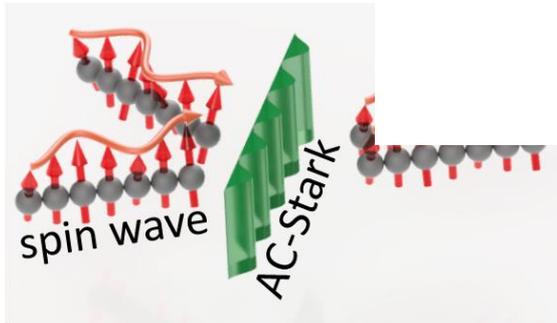
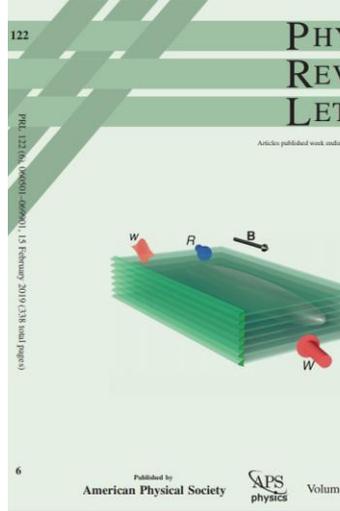


A weak thermal state as noise model



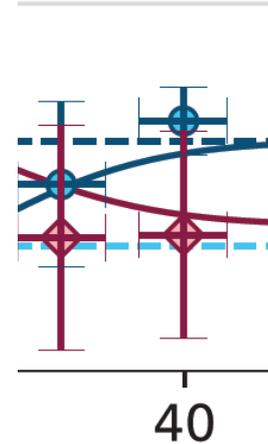
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Hong-Ou-Mandel interference



$$g_{rc,rdwa,wb}^{(2)}$$

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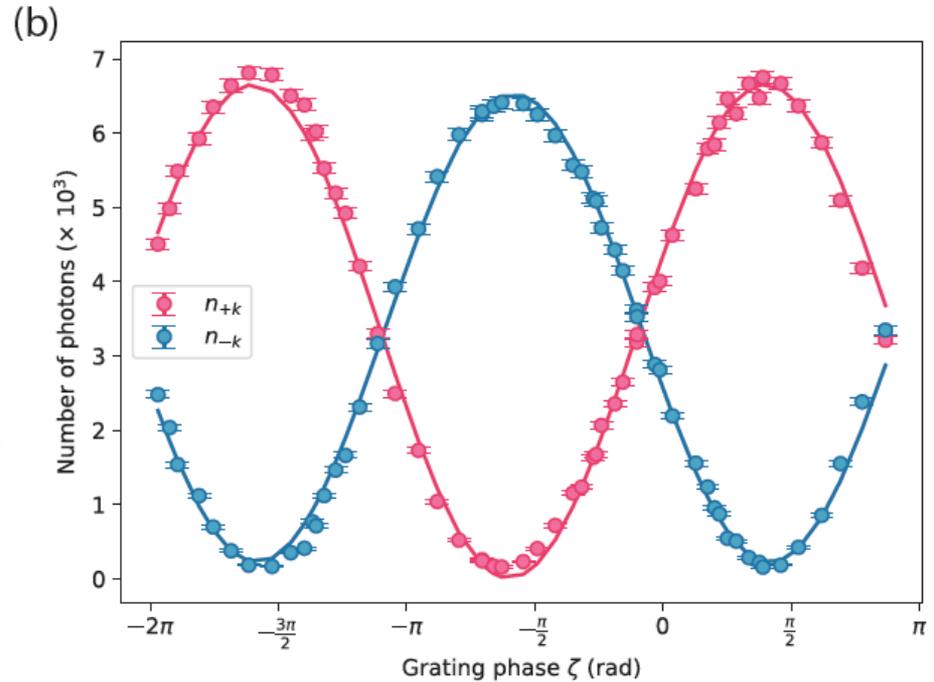
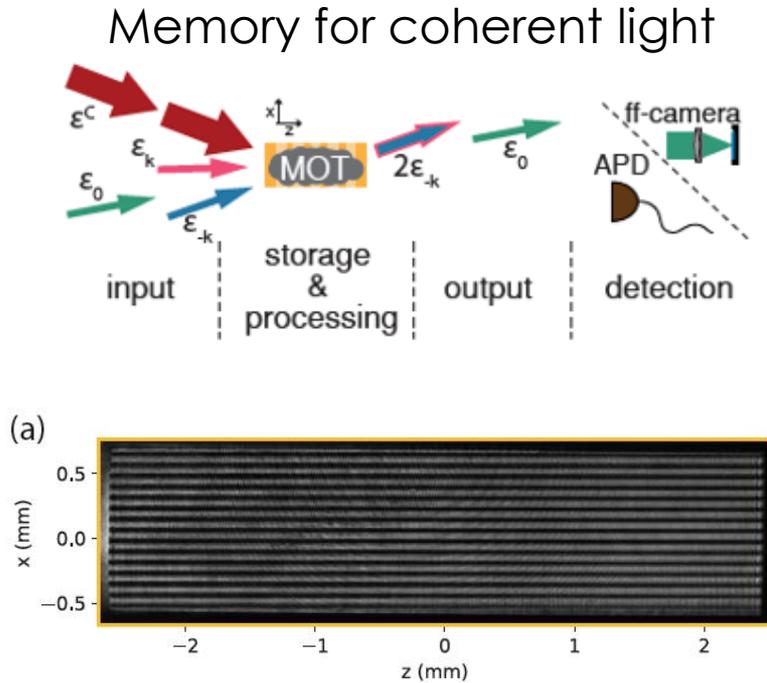


ΔK_x (rad mm⁻¹)

limited by photon purity: with weak coherent states we observed interferometric visibility of >95%

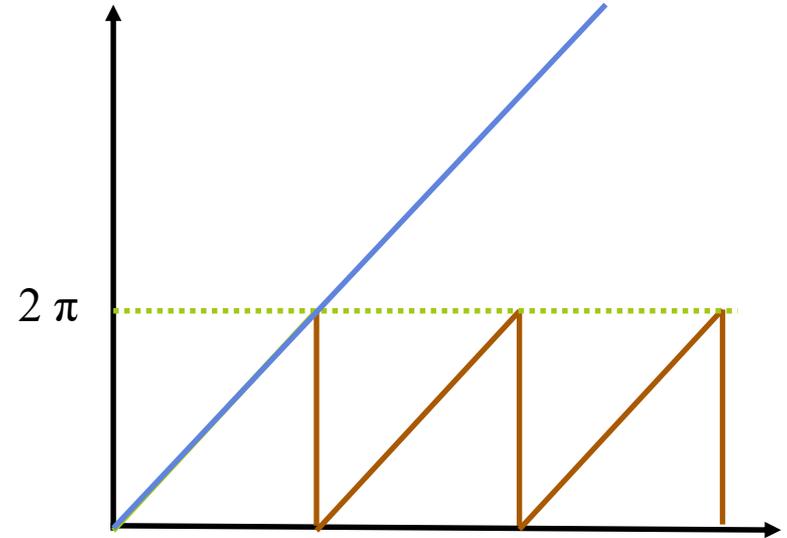
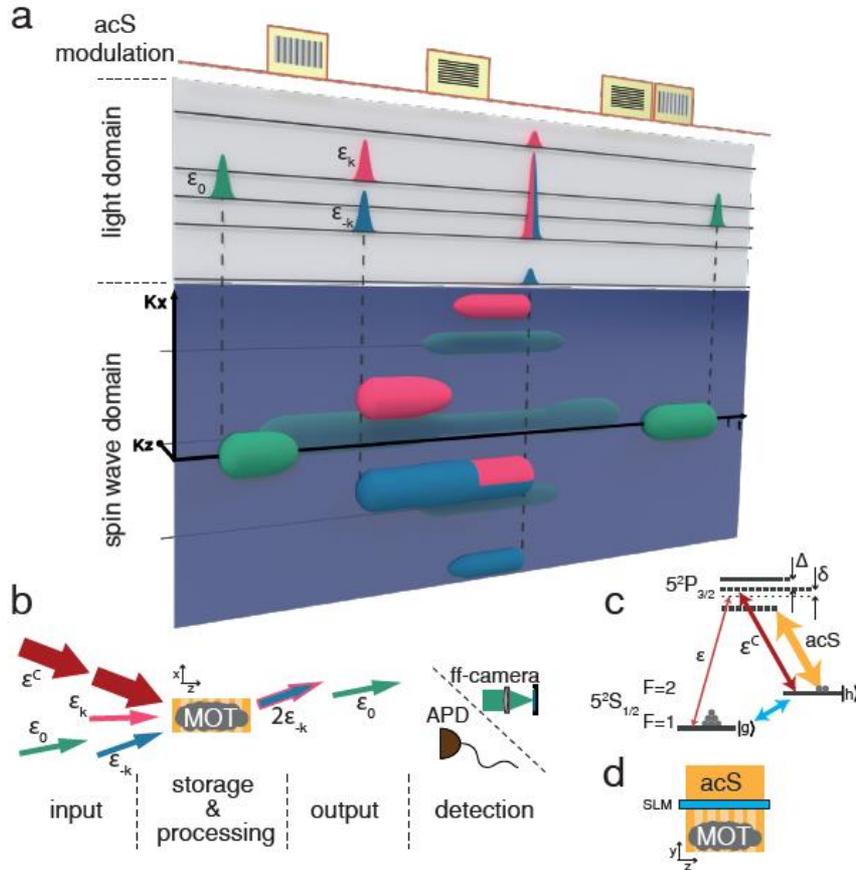
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Classical spin wave interference



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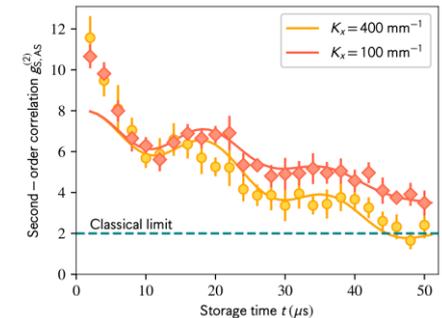
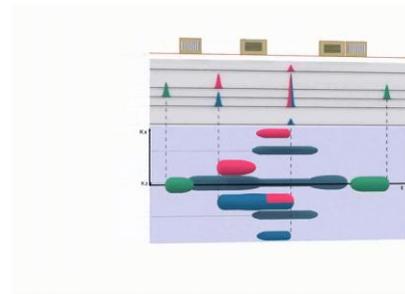
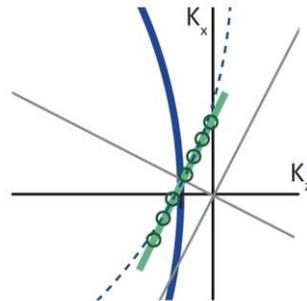
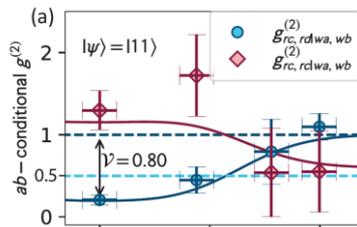
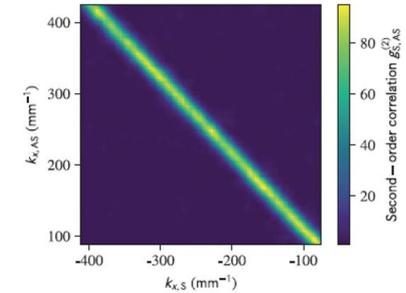
Going to many dimensions



$$c_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \exp(i\varphi_{\text{acS}}^{\text{periodic}}(\xi) - in\xi) d\xi$$

Manipulating photons, spin waves and phonons

- Wavevector-multiplexed quantum memory
- Quasi-deterministic generation of single photons
- Photonic-like manipulation of material quasi-particles
- Spin-wave-based interferometric processor for stored light
- Heralded phononic Fock states



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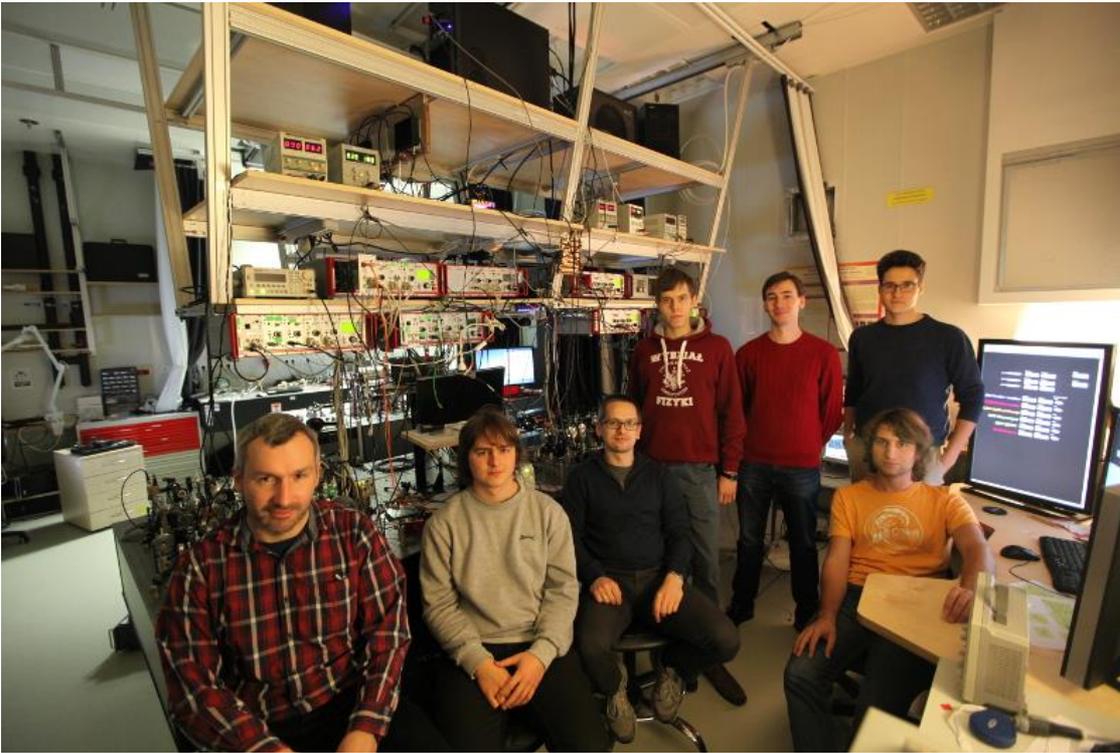
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