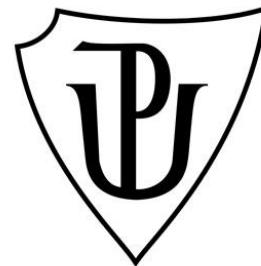


# **Experimental demonstration of photonic quantum Fredkin gate and its applications**

R. Stárek, M. Mičuda, M. Miková, I. Straka,  
M. Dušek, P. Marek, M. Ježek, R. Filip, and J. Fiurášek

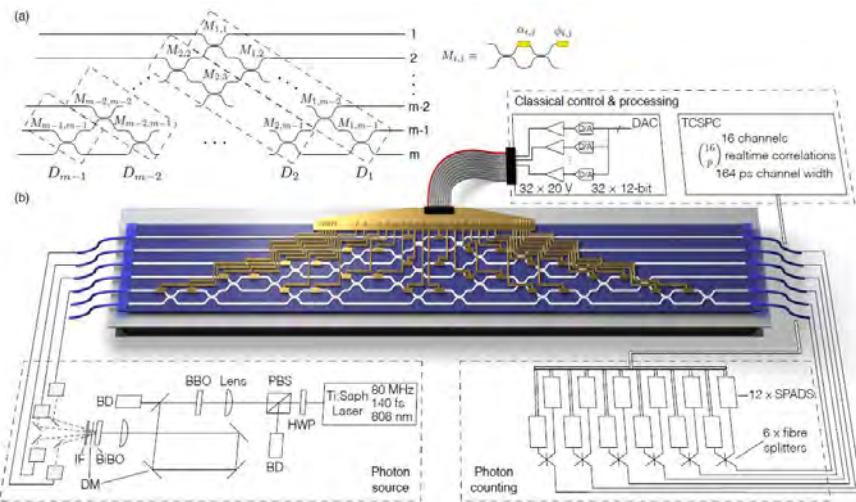
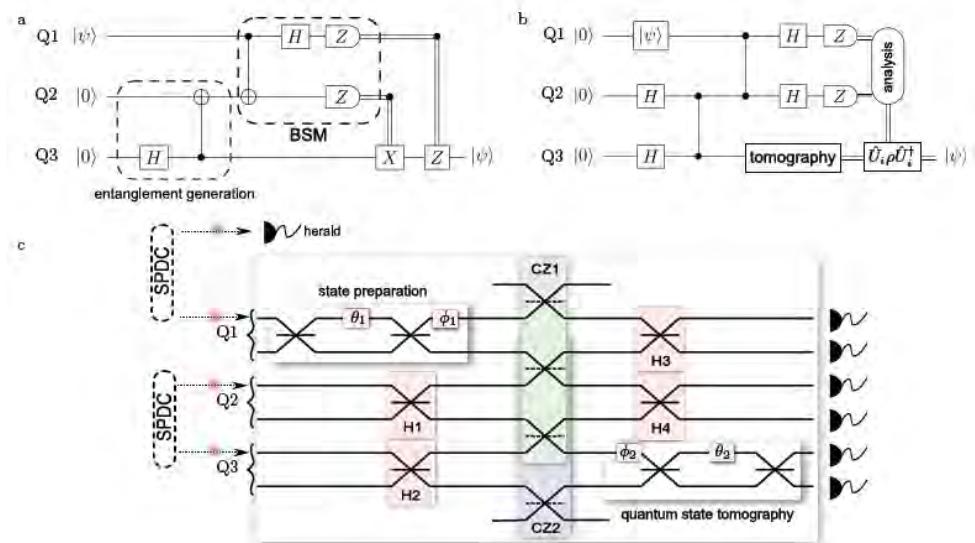
*Department of Optics, Palacký University, 17. listopadu 12, 77146 Olomouc, Czech Republic*



# Outline of the talk

- Paths to increase the complexity of optical quantum logic circuits
- Implementations of linear optical quantum Fredkin gate
- Hybrid scheme based on encoding qubits into path and polarization of single photons
- Symmetrization and anti-symmetrization with quantum Fredkin gate and applications
- Conclusions

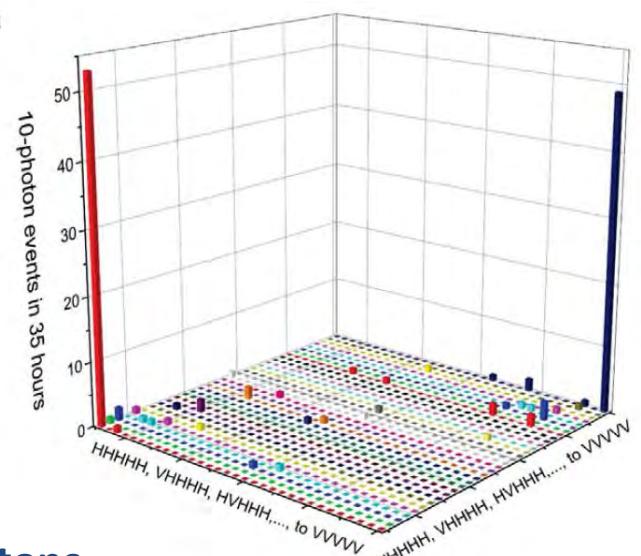
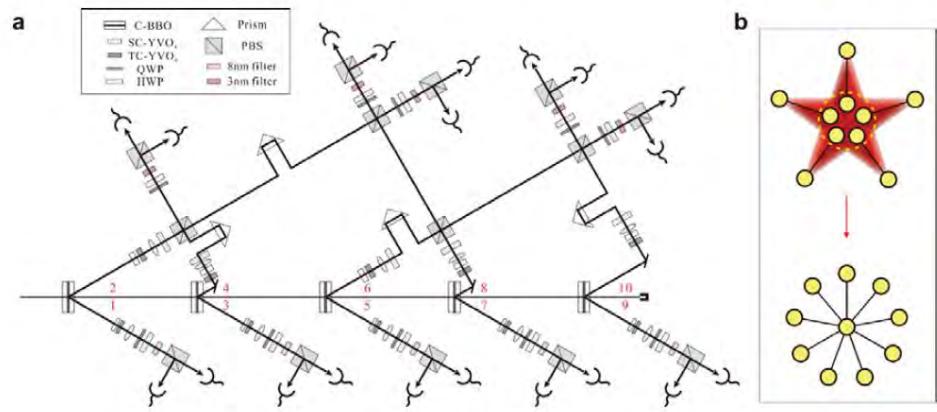
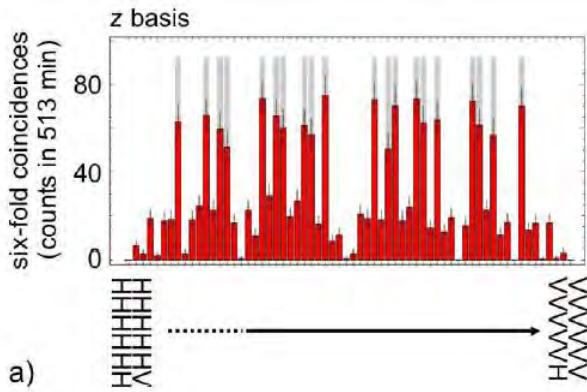
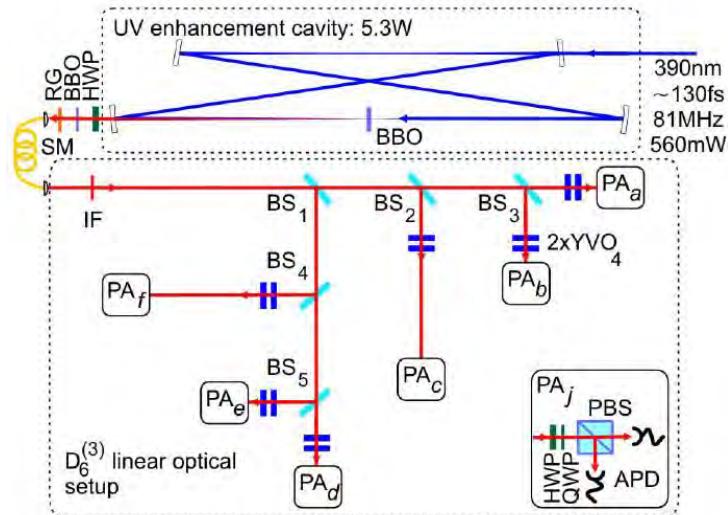
# Increasing the complexity of linear optics quantum logic circuits



## Integrated optics on a photonic chip

- A. Crespi, R. Osellame, R. Ramponi, D. J. Brod, E. F. Galvao, N. Spagnolo, C. Vitelli, E. Maiorino, P. Mataloni, F. Sciarrino, *Nature Photonics* **7**, 545 (2013).
- B.J. Metcalf, J.B. Spring, P.C. Humphreys, N. Thomas-Peter, M. Barbieri, W. S. Kolthammer, X.-M. Jin, N.K. Langford, D. Kundys, J.C. Gates, B.J. Smith, P.G.R. Smith, and I.A. Walmsley, *Nature Photonics* **8**, 770-774 (2014).
- J. Carolan, C. Harrold, C. Sparrow, E. Martin-Lopez, N.J. Russell, J.W. Silverstone, P.J. Shadbolt, N. Matsuda, M. Oguma, M. Itoh, G.D. Marshall, M.G. Thompson, J.C.F. Matthews, T. Hashimoto, J.L. O'Brien, and A. Laing, *Science* **349**, 711 (2015).

# Increasing the complexity of linear optics quantum logic circuits

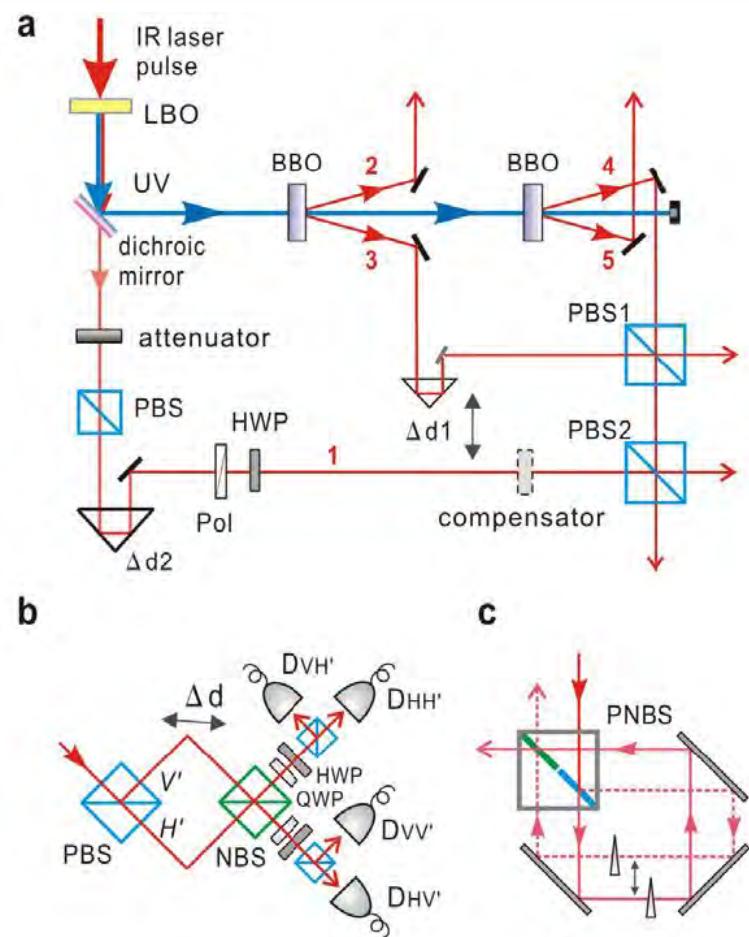
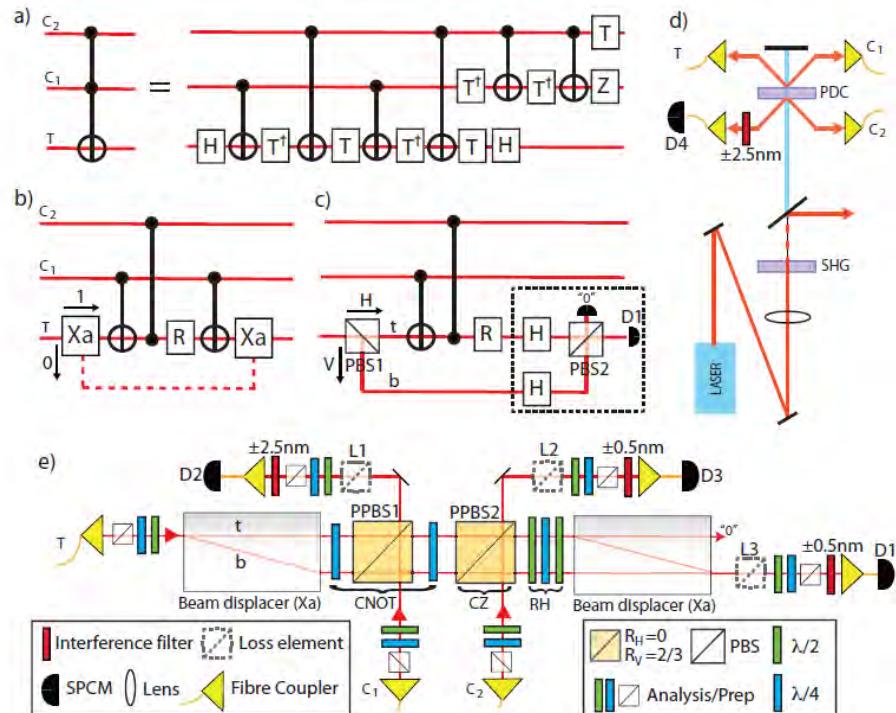


## Increasing the number of photons

W. Wieczorek, R. Krischek, Nikolai Kiesel, P. Michelberger, G. Toth, H. Weinfurter Phys. Rev. Lett. **103**, 020504 (2009).

X.-L. Wang, L.-K. Chen, W. Li, H.-L. Huang, C. Liu, C. Chen, Y.-H. Luo, Z.-E. Su, D. Wu, Z.-D. Li, H. Lu, Y. Hu, X. Jiang, C.-Z. Peng, L. Li, N.-L. Liu, Y.-A. Chen, C.-Y. Lu, and J.-W. Pan, arXiv:1605.08547.

# Increasing the complexity of linear optics quantum logic circuits



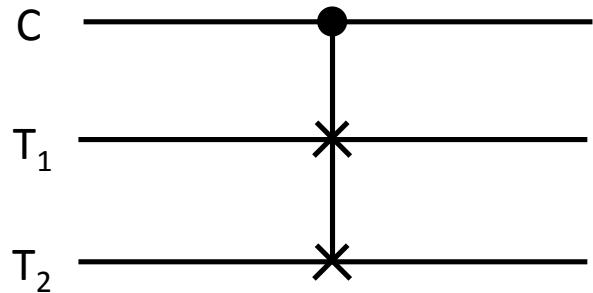
**Utilization of inherently stable interferometers  
and exploitation of several degrees of freedom of single photons**

B. P. Lanyon, M. Barbieri, M. P. Almeida, T. Jennewein, T. C. Ralph, K. J. Resch, G. J. Pryde, J. L. O'Brien, A. Gilchrist, A. G. White, Nature Physics **5**, 134 (2009).

W.-B. Gao, C.-Y. Lu, X.-C. Yao, P. Xu, O. Gühne, A. Goebel, Y.-A. Chen, C.-Z. Peng, Z.-B. Chen, and J.-W. Pan, Nature Physics, **6**, 331 (2010).

# Quantum Fredkin gate

## Controlled-SWAP gate



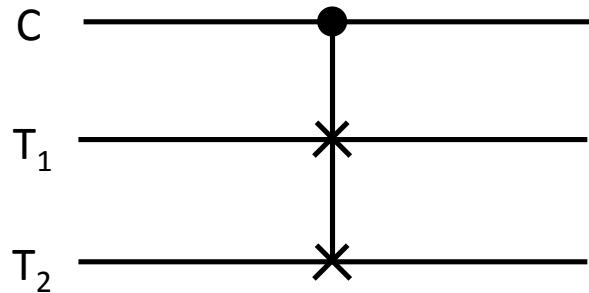
$$\hat{U}_{FRED} = |0\rangle\langle 0| \otimes \hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} + |1\rangle\langle 1| \otimes \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}$$

The SWAP operator

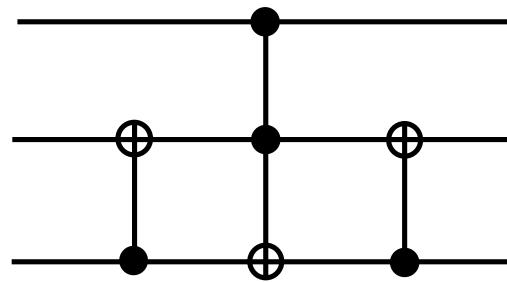
$$\hat{W}|i\rangle|j\rangle = |j\rangle|i\rangle$$

# Quantum Fredkin gate

Controlled-SWAP gate



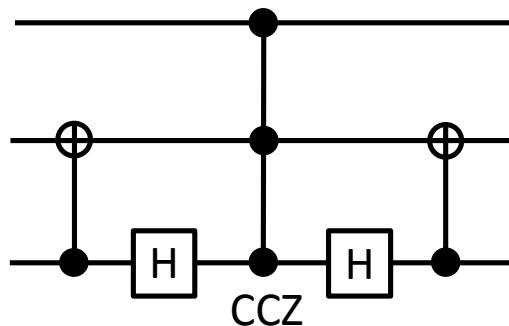
Decomposition into Toffoli and CNOT gates



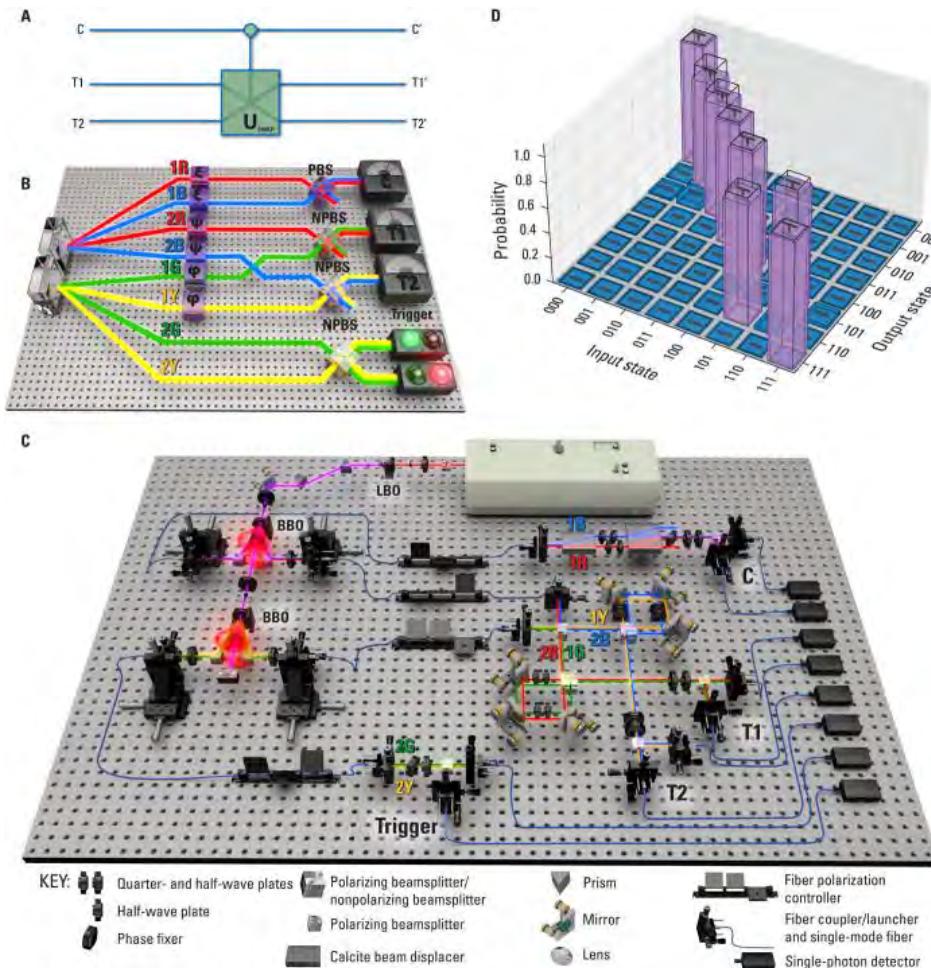
$$\hat{U}_{FRED} = |0\rangle\langle 0| \otimes \hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} + |1\rangle\langle 1| \otimes \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}$$

The SWAP operator

$$\hat{W}|i\rangle|j\rangle = |j\rangle|i\rangle$$



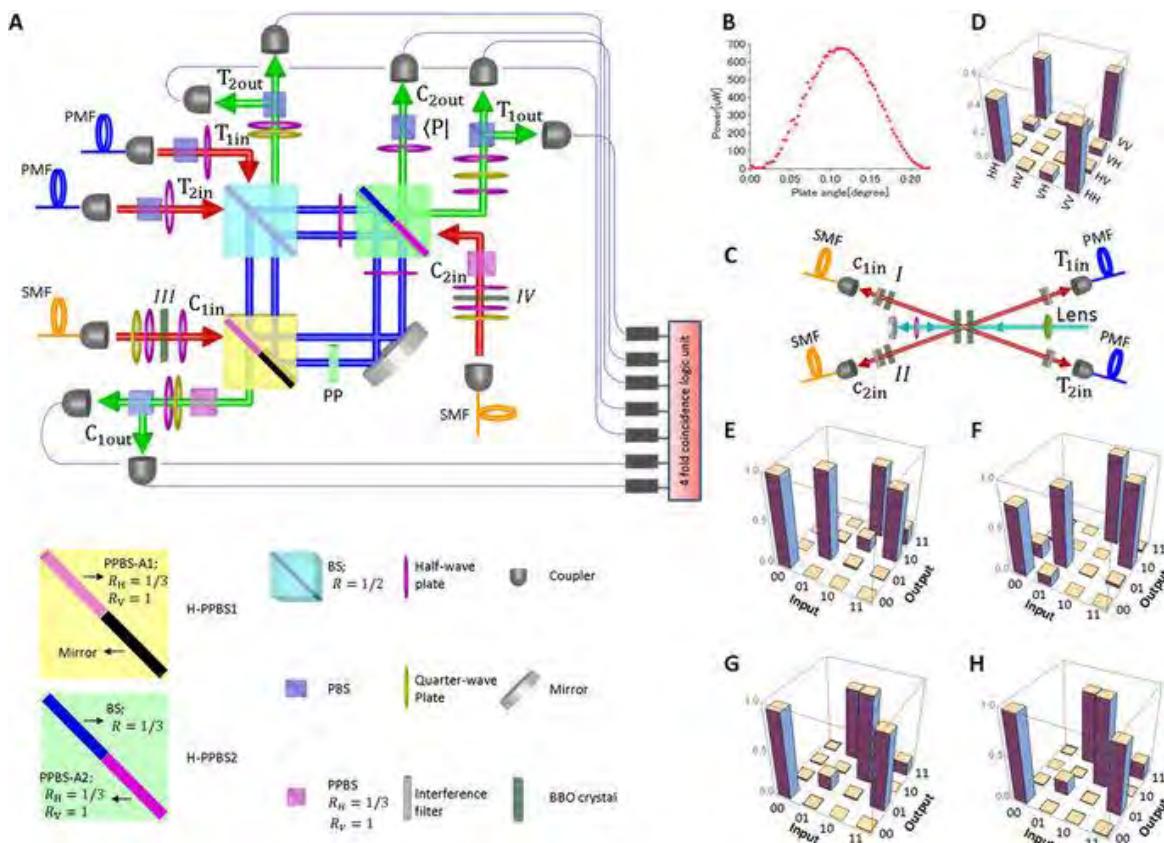
# Previous implementations of linear optical quantum Fredkin gate



Requires entanglement in the auxiliary spatial degrees of freedom.

Average fourfold coincidence rate of 2.2 per minute at the output of the gate.

# Previous implementations of linear optical quantum Fredkin gate



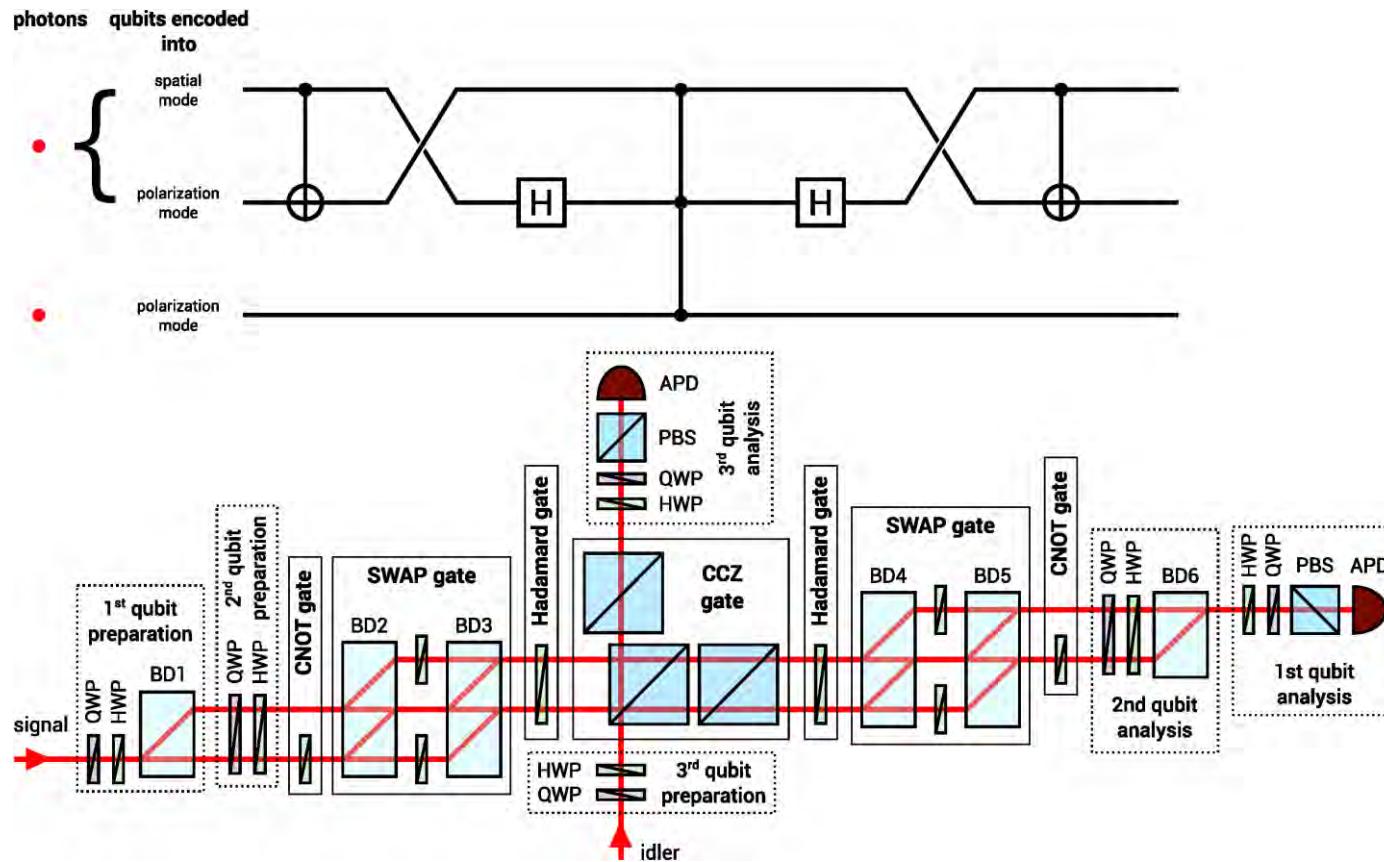
Requires encoding the control qubit into entangled two-photon state.

Low success probability of 1/162 implied low count rate of  $10^{-4}$  Hz.

T. Ono, R. Okamoto, M. Tanida, H. F. Hofmann, and S. Takeuchi, Sci. Rep. **7**, 45353 (2017).

J. Fiurášek, Phys. Rev. A **78**, 032317 (2008).

# Our approach to linear-optical quantum Fredkin gate



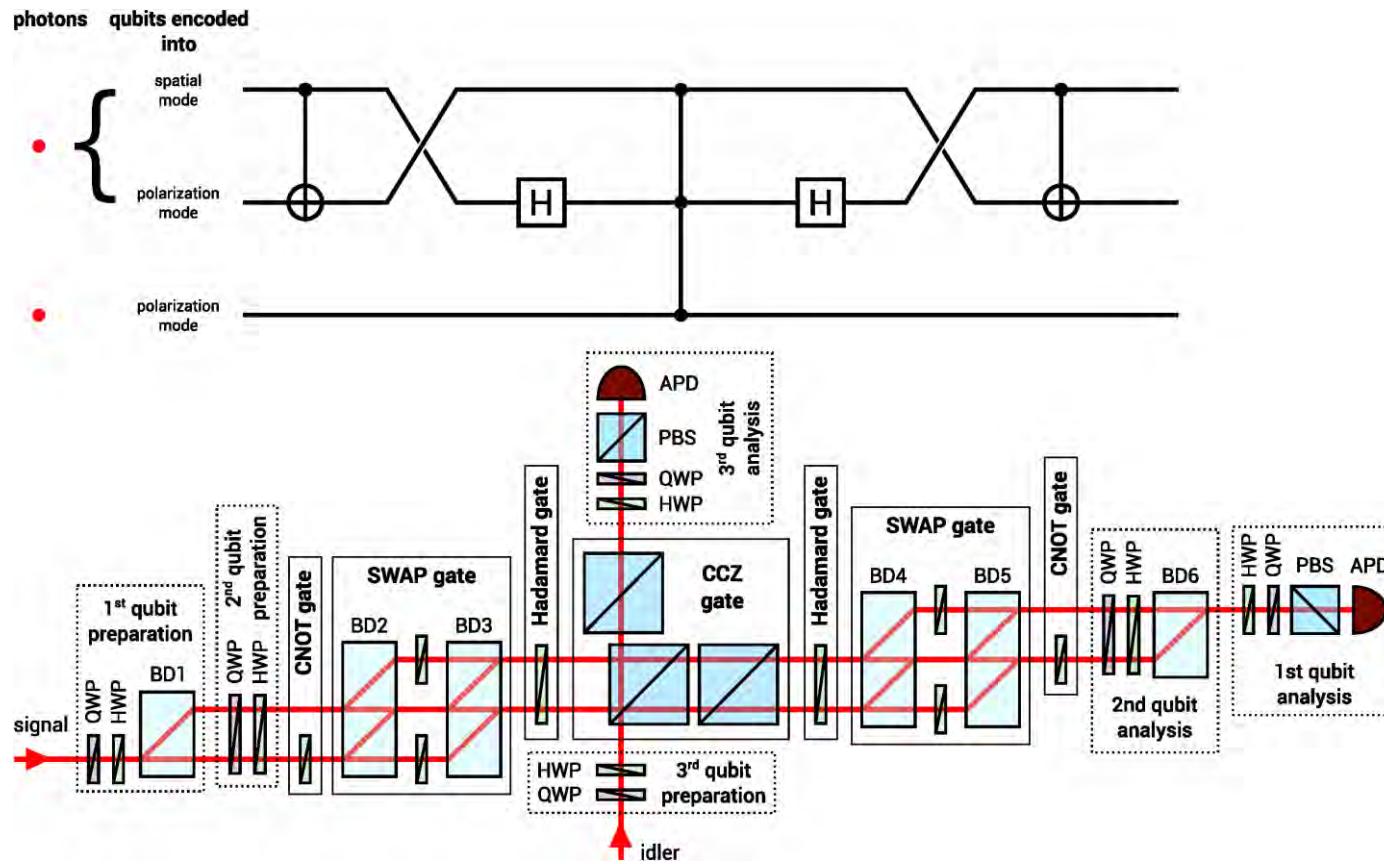
Hybrid encoding of three qubits into quantum states of two photons

Control qubit is encoded into polarization of signal photon

Target qubits are encoded into polarization and path of the idler photon

Two-photon coincidences are measured at the device output

# Our approach to linear-optical quantum Fredkin gate



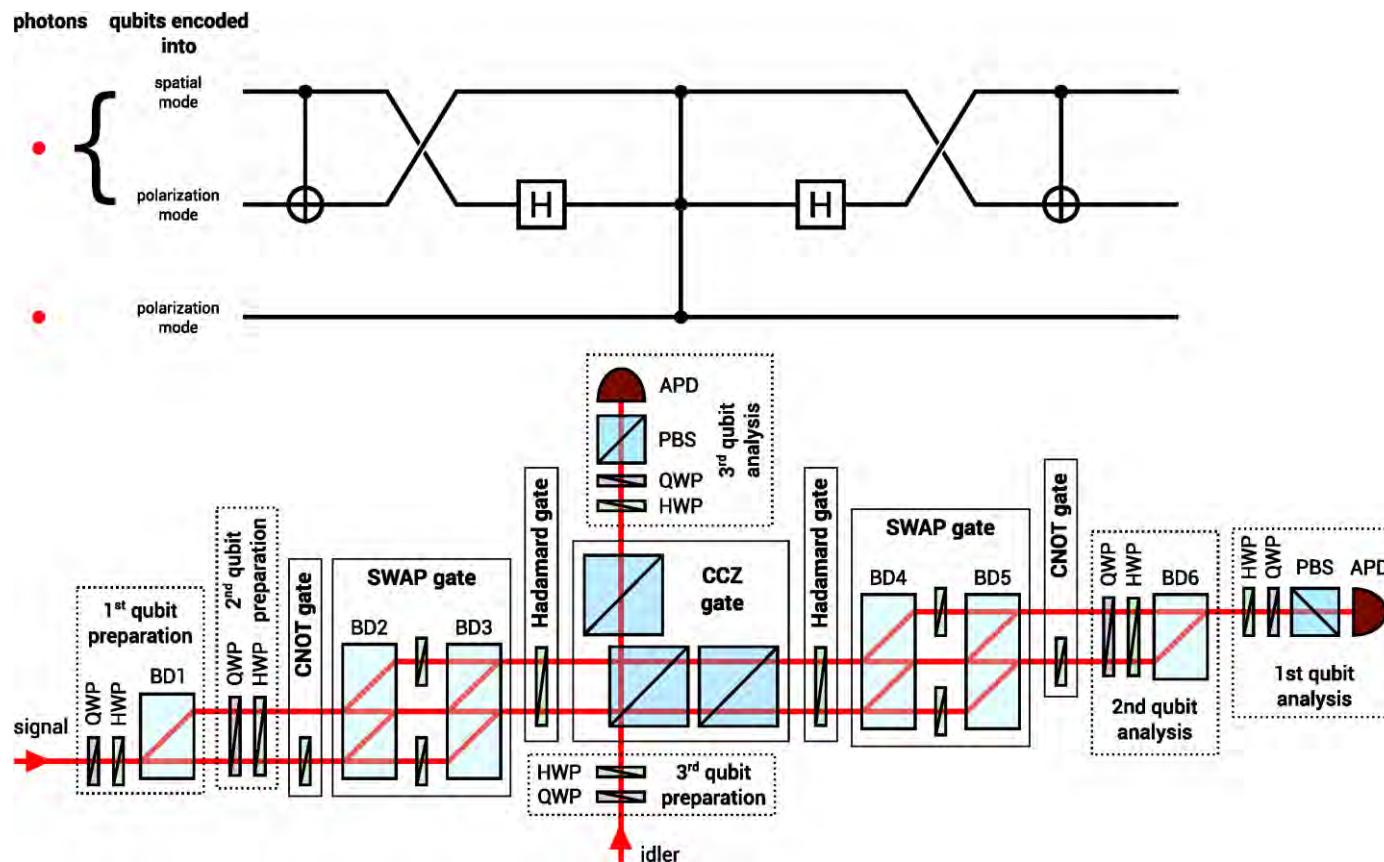
Quantum Toffoli gate is implemented by two-photon interference at a partially polarizing BS

Two-qubit CNOT gates are implemented deterministically using half-wave plates

Polarization and path qubits are twice swapped in our scheme

The interferometer formed by calcite beam displacers is inherently stable

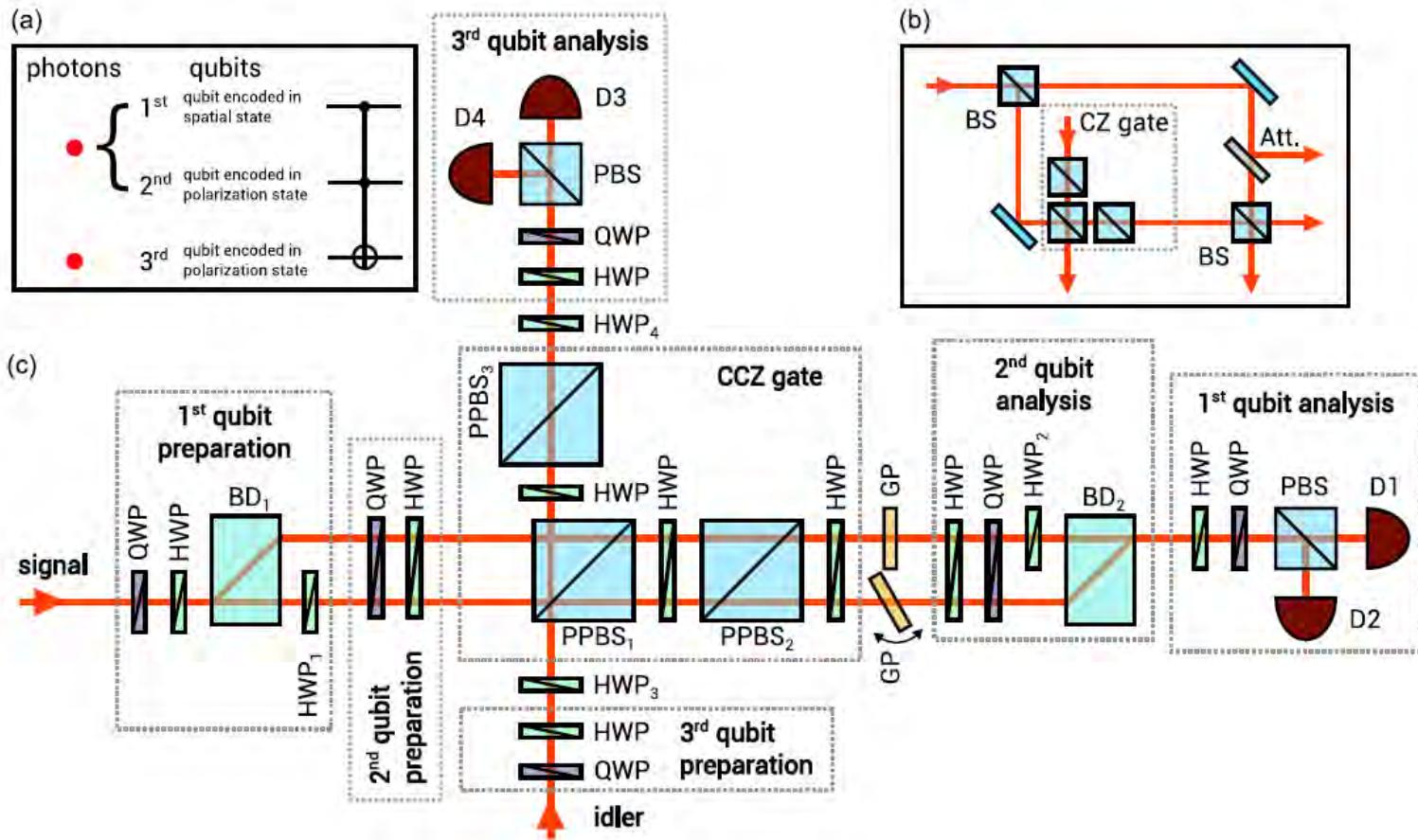
# Our approach to linear-optical quantum Fredkin gate



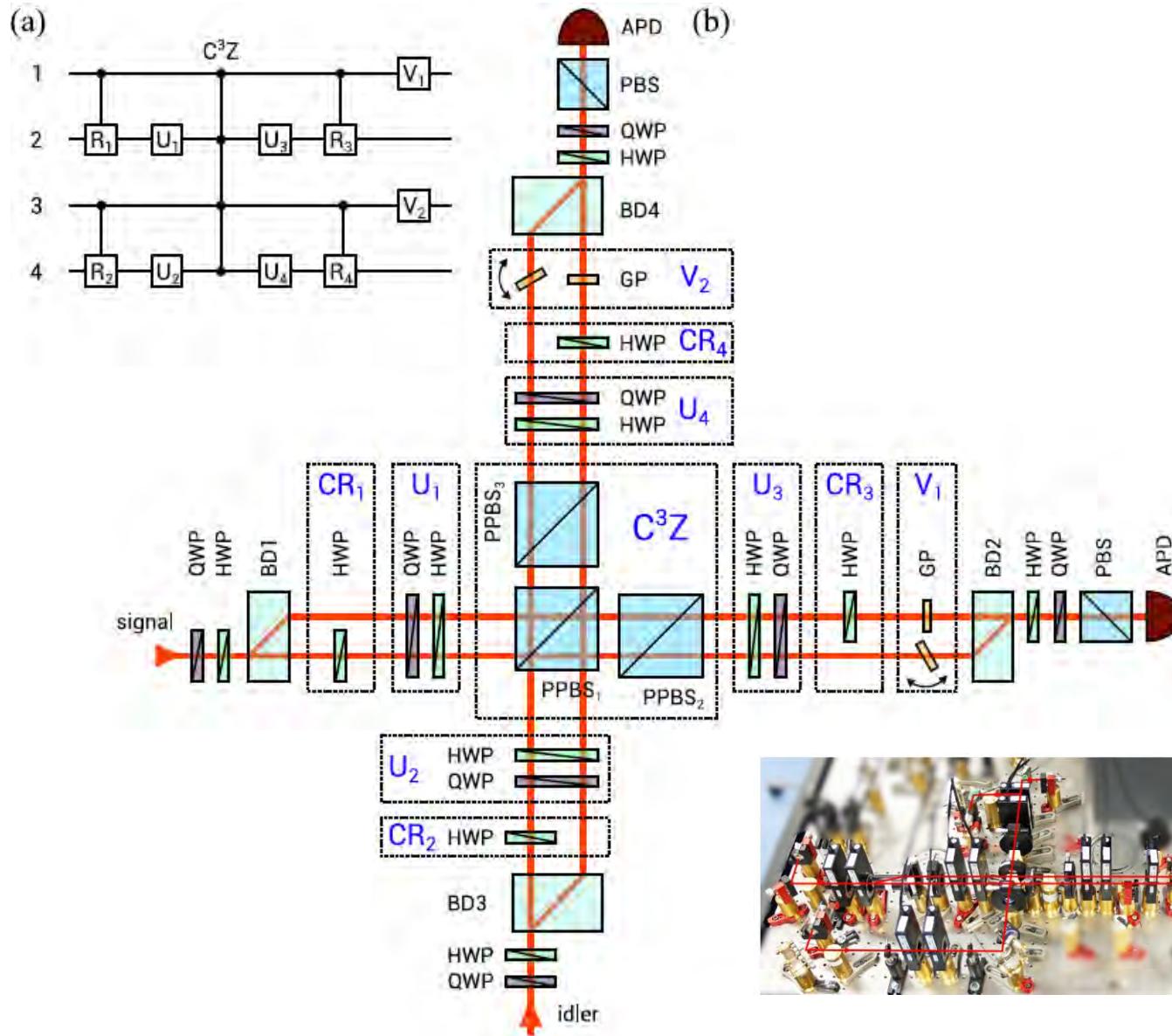
## Features of our implementation:

- High coincidence rate – 300 two-photon coincidences per second at the gate output
- Inherently stable setup
- Peculiar qubit encoding
- Not fully scalable (number of components scales exponentially when several qubits are encoded into a single photon)

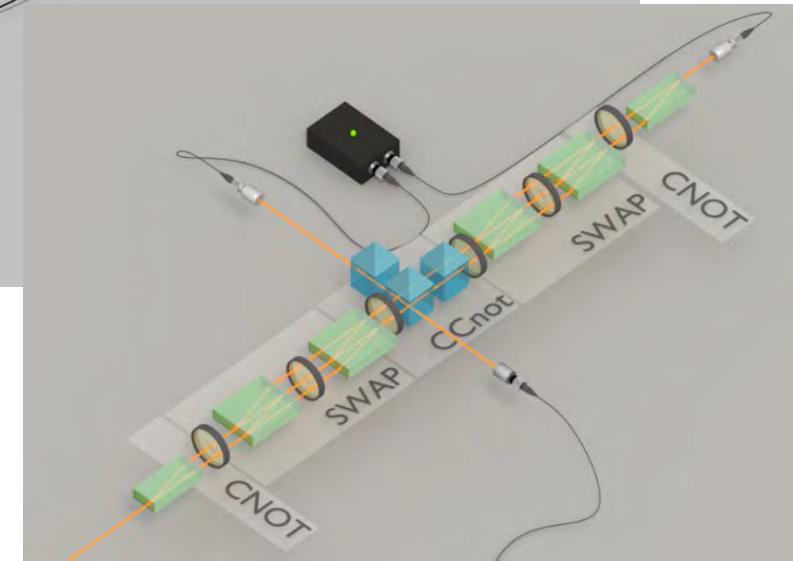
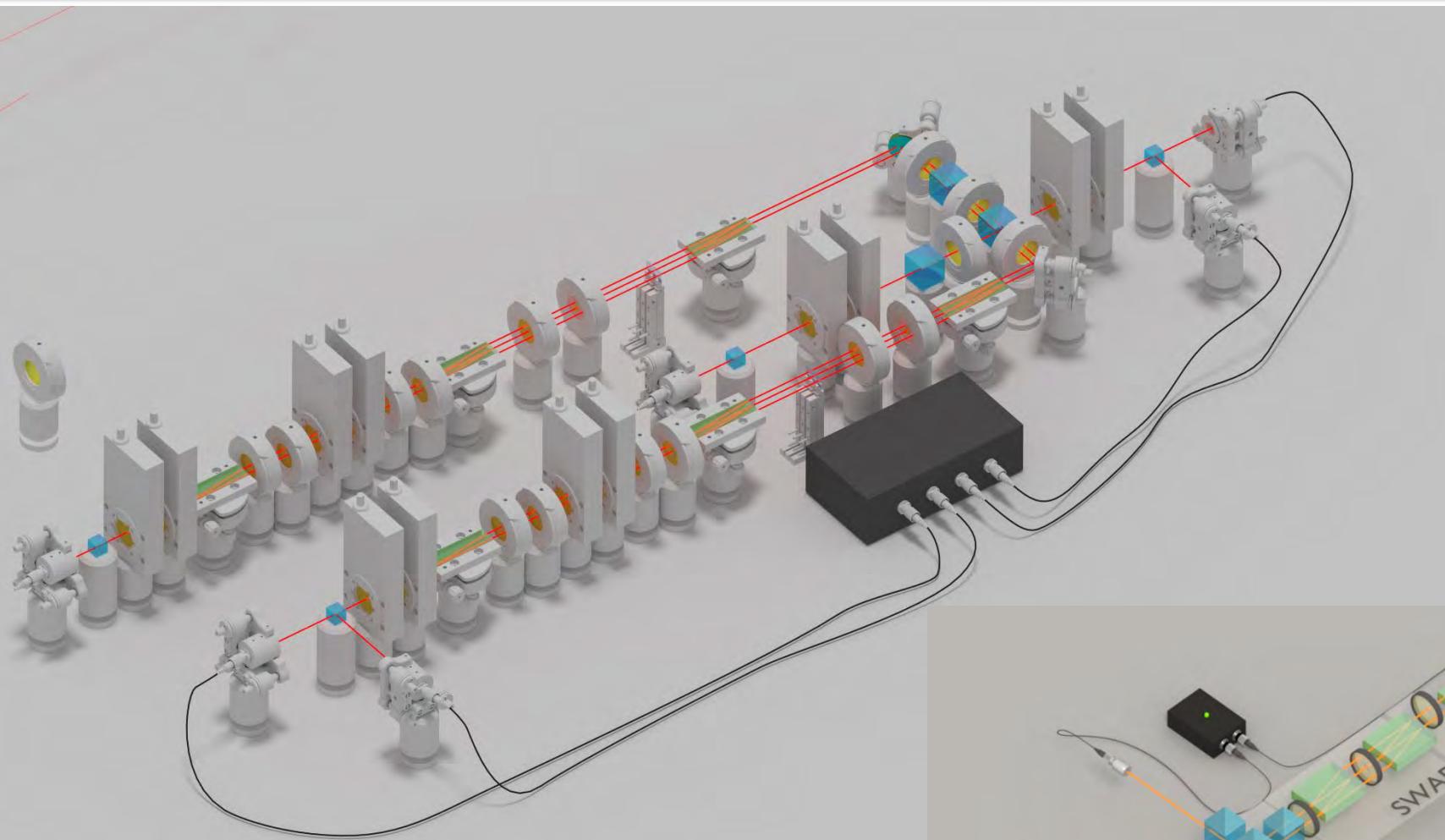
# Three-qubit linear optical quantum Toffoli gate



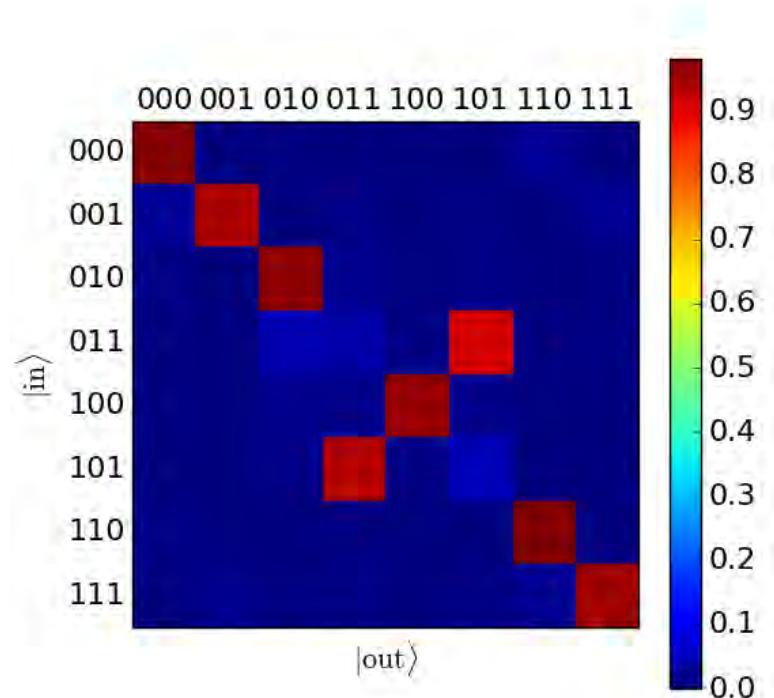
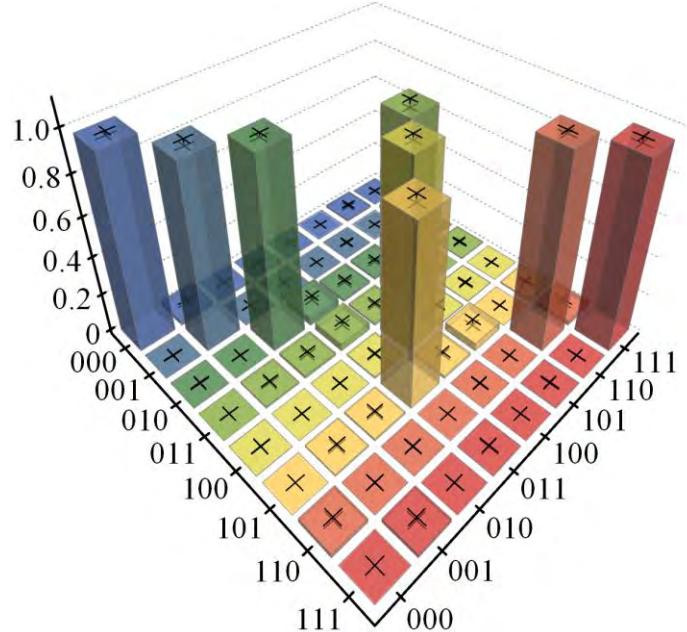
# Four-qubit linear optical quantum CCCZ gate



# Linear optical quantum Fredkin gate

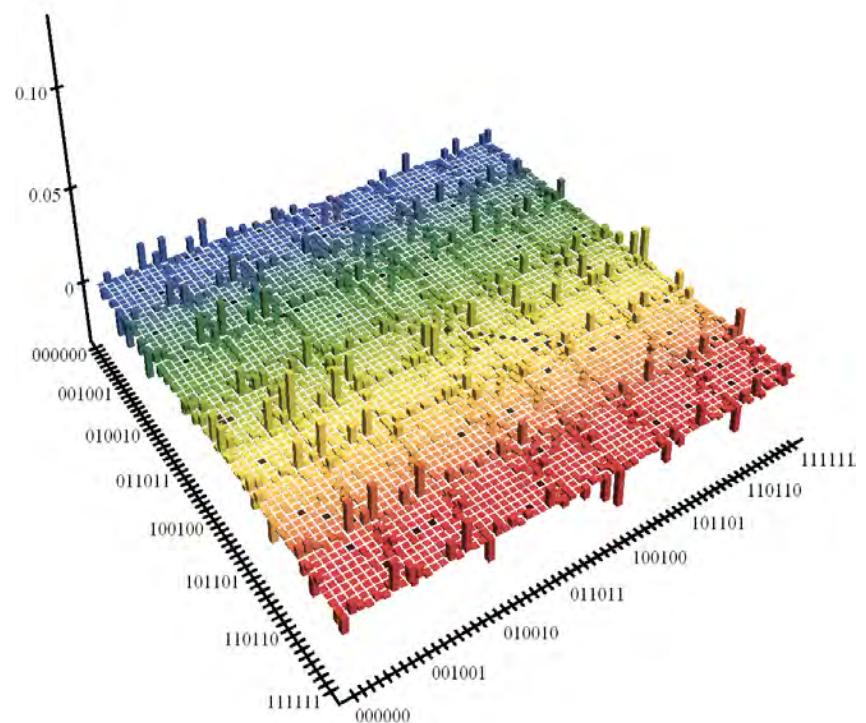
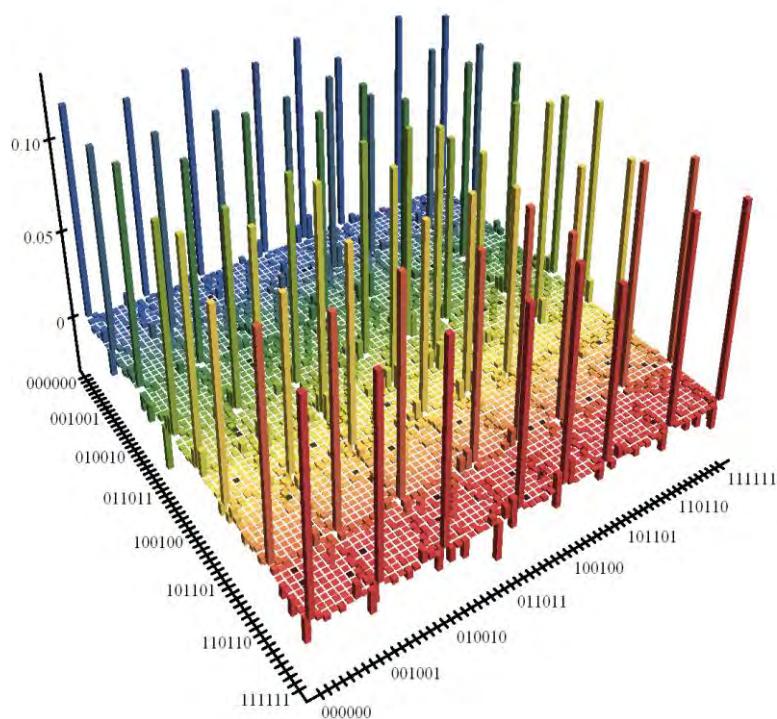


# Measured truth table



The truth table was measured in the computational basis.

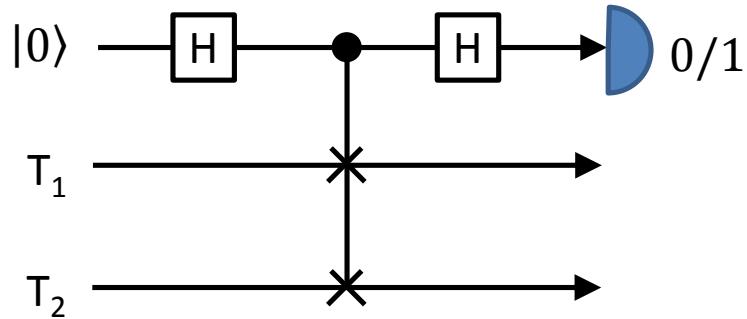
# Full quantum process tomography of quantum Fredkin gate



$$F = 0.901 \pm 0.001$$

- The Fredkin gate was probed by all  $6^3=218$  combinations of product states H,V,D,A,R,L.
- Each output state was characterized by measurements in  $3^3=27$  product bases formed by combinations of single-qubit bases H/V, D/A, R/L.

# Quantum symmetrization and anti-symmetrization

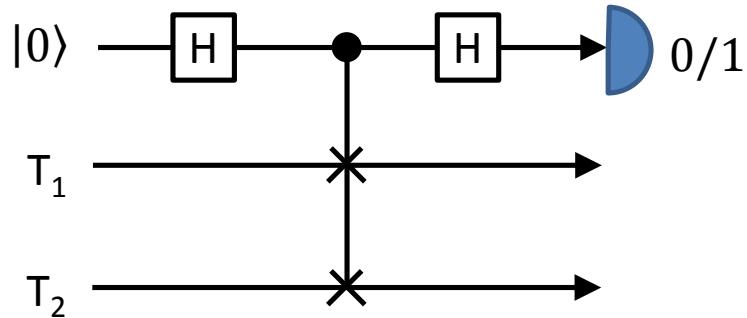


C. Miquel, J. P. Paz, M. Saraceno, E. Knill, R. Laflamme, and C. Negrevergne, Nature London **418**, 59 (2002).

R. Filip, Phys. Rev. A **65**, 062320 (2002).

A.K. Ekert, C.M. Alves, D.K.L. Oi, M. Horodecki, P. Horodecki, and L.C. Kwek, Phys. Rev. Lett. **88**, 217901 (2002).

# Quantum symmetrization and anti-symmetrization



Projection of the control qubit on state 0 heralds symmetrization of the target qubits:

$$\hat{W}|i\rangle|j\rangle = |j\rangle|i\rangle \quad \hat{S} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} + \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}) = \hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} - |\Psi^-\rangle\langle\Psi^-|$$

Projection of the control qubit on state 1 heralds anti-symmetrization of the target qubits:

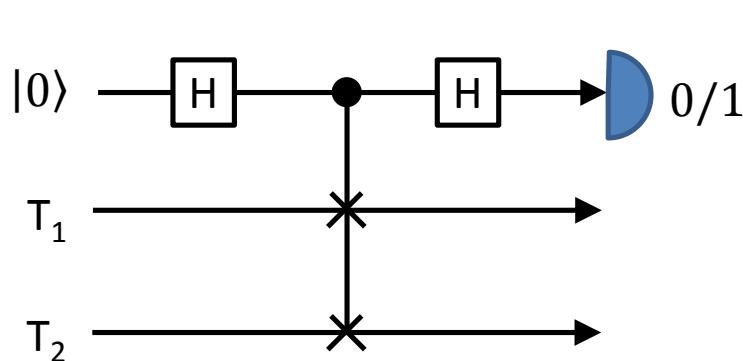
$$\hat{A} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} - \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}) = |\Psi^-\rangle\langle\Psi^-|$$

C. Miquel, J. P. Paz, M. Saraceno, E. Knill, R. Laflamme, and C. Negrevergne, Nature London **418**, 59 (2002).

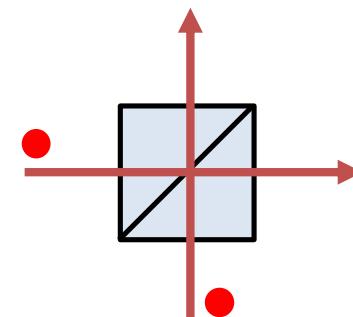
R. Filip, Phys. Rev. A **65**, 062320 (2002).

A.K. Ekert, C.M. Alves, D.K.L. Oi, M. Horodecki, P. Horodecki, and L.C. Kwek, Phys. Rev. Lett. **88**, 217901 (2002).

# Quantum symmetrization and anti-symmetrization



vs.



(anti)-symmetrization by two-photon  
interference on balanced BS

Projection of the control qubit on state 0 heralds symmetrization of the target qubits:

$$\hat{W}|i\rangle|j\rangle = |j\rangle|i\rangle \quad \hat{S} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} + \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}) = \hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} - |\Psi^-\rangle\langle\Psi^-|$$

Projection of the control qubit on state 1 heralds anti-symmetrization of the target qubits:

$$\hat{A} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{T_1 T_2} - \hat{W}_{T_1 T_2}) = |\Psi^-\rangle\langle\Psi^-|$$

C. Miquel, J. P. Paz, M. Saraceno, E. Knill, R. Laflamme, and C. Negrevergne, Nature London **418**, 59 (2002).

R. Filip, Phys. Rev. A **65**, 062320 (2002).

A.K. Ekert, C.M. Alves, D.K.L. Oi, M. Horodecki, P. Horodecki, and L.C. Kwek, Phys. Rev. Lett. **88**, 217901 (2002).

# Optimal quantum cloning by symmetrization

**Input state:**

$$|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_1} \otimes \frac{1}{2}\hat{I}_{T_2}$$

**Normalized symmetrized output state:**

$$\frac{2}{3}|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_1} \otimes |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_2} + \frac{1}{3}|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|_{T_1 T_2}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle_{T_1 T_2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|\psi\rangle|\psi_{\perp}\rangle + |\psi_{\perp}\rangle|\psi\rangle)$$

**Single- and two-copy fidelities:**

$$F_{single} = \frac{5}{6} \quad F_{global} = \frac{2}{3}$$

# Optimal quantum cloning by symmetrization

**Input state:**

$$|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_1} \otimes \frac{1}{2}\hat{I}_{T_2}$$

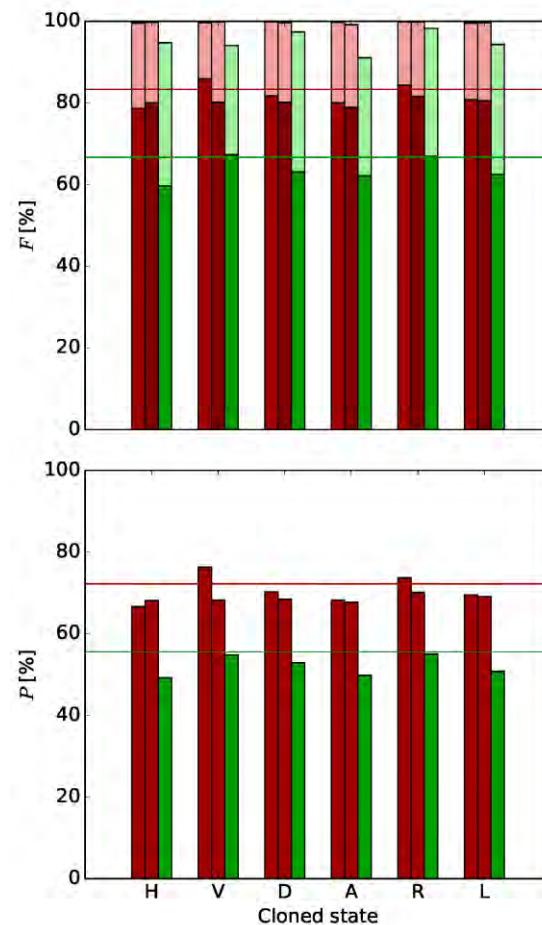
**Normalized symmetrized output state:**

$$\frac{2}{3}|\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_1} \otimes |\psi\rangle\langle\psi|_{T_2} + \frac{1}{3}|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|_{T_1 T_2}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle_{T_1 T_2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|\psi\rangle|\psi_\perp\rangle + |\psi_\perp\rangle|\psi\rangle)$$

**Single- and two-copy fidelities:**

$$F_{single} = \frac{5}{6} \quad F_{global} = \frac{2}{3}$$



red –single-copy fidelities and purities  
green – global fidelities and purities

# Purification of single-qubit states

**Input mixed state**

$$\hat{\rho} = p|\psi\rangle\langle\psi| + \frac{1-p}{2}\hat{I}$$

**Purification by symmetrization of  
two copies of the state**

$$\hat{S}_{T_1 T_2} (\hat{\rho} \otimes \hat{\rho}) \hat{S}_{T_1 T_2}$$

**Purified single-qubit state**

$$\hat{\rho}_{out} = \tilde{p}|\psi\rangle\langle\psi| + \frac{1-\tilde{p}}{2}\hat{I} \quad \tilde{p} = \frac{4p}{3+p^2} \geq p$$

J.I. Cirac, A.K. Ekert, and C. Macchiavello, Phys. Rev. Lett. **82**, 4344 (1999).

M. Ricci, F. De Martini, N.J. Cerf, R. Filip, J. Fiurasek, C. Macchiavello, Phys. Rev. Lett. **93**, 170501 (2004) .

# Purification of single-qubit states

Input mixed state

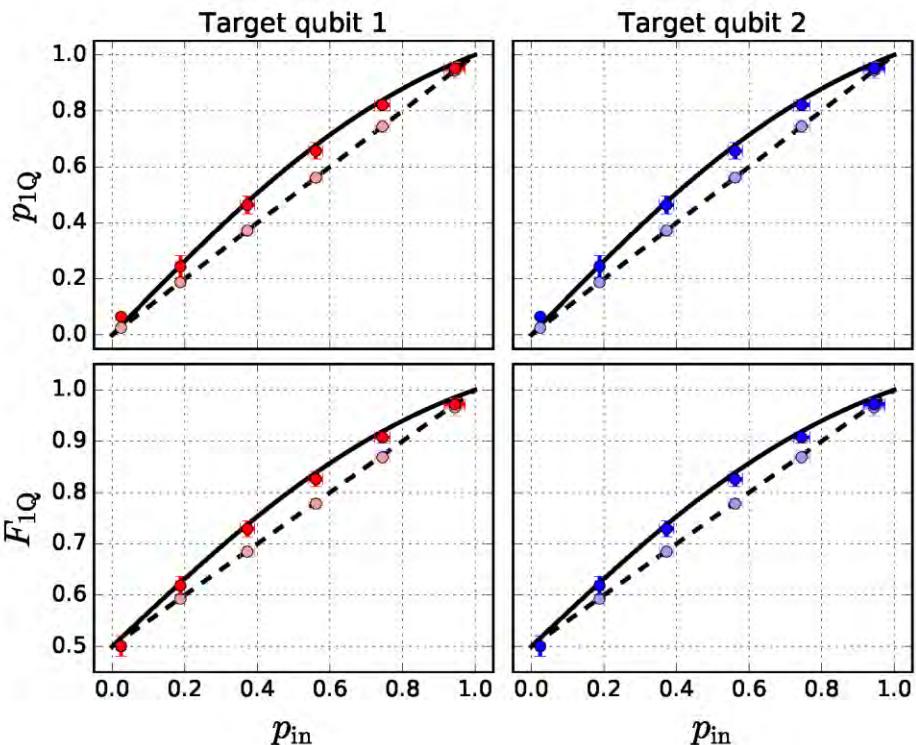
$$\hat{\rho} = p|\psi\rangle\langle\psi| + \frac{1-p}{2}\hat{I}$$

Purification by symmetrization of two copies of the state

$$\hat{S}_{T_1 T_2} (\hat{\rho} \otimes \hat{\rho}) \hat{S}_{T_1 T_2}$$

Purified single-qubit state

$$\hat{\rho}_{out} = \tilde{p}|\psi\rangle\langle\psi| + \frac{1-\tilde{p}}{2}\hat{I}$$



$$\tilde{p} = \frac{4p}{3+p^2} \geq p$$

J.I. Cirac, A.K. Ekert, and C. Macchiavello, Phys. Rev. Lett. **82**, 4344 (1999).

M. Ricci, F. De Martini, N.J. Cerf, R. Filip, J. Fiurasek, C. Macchiavello, Phys. Rev. Lett. **93**, 170501 (2004) .

# Direct estimation of purity and overlap of quantum states

**Input state of target qubits:**

$$\hat{\rho}_{T_1} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{T_2}$$

**Probability of symmetrization and anti-symmetrization:**

$$P_S = \text{Tr}[\hat{S}_{T_1 T_2} (\hat{\rho}_{T_1} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{T_2}) \hat{S}_{T_1 T_2}] \quad P_A = \text{Tr}[\hat{A}_{T_1 T_2} (\hat{\rho}_{T_1} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{T_2}) \hat{A}_{T_1 T_2}]$$

**Direct estimation of overlap of density matrices:**

$$P_S - P_A = \text{Tr}[\hat{\rho} \hat{\sigma}] \quad \text{If } \hat{\rho} = \hat{\sigma} \text{ then } P_S - P_A = \text{Tr}[\hat{\rho}^2]$$

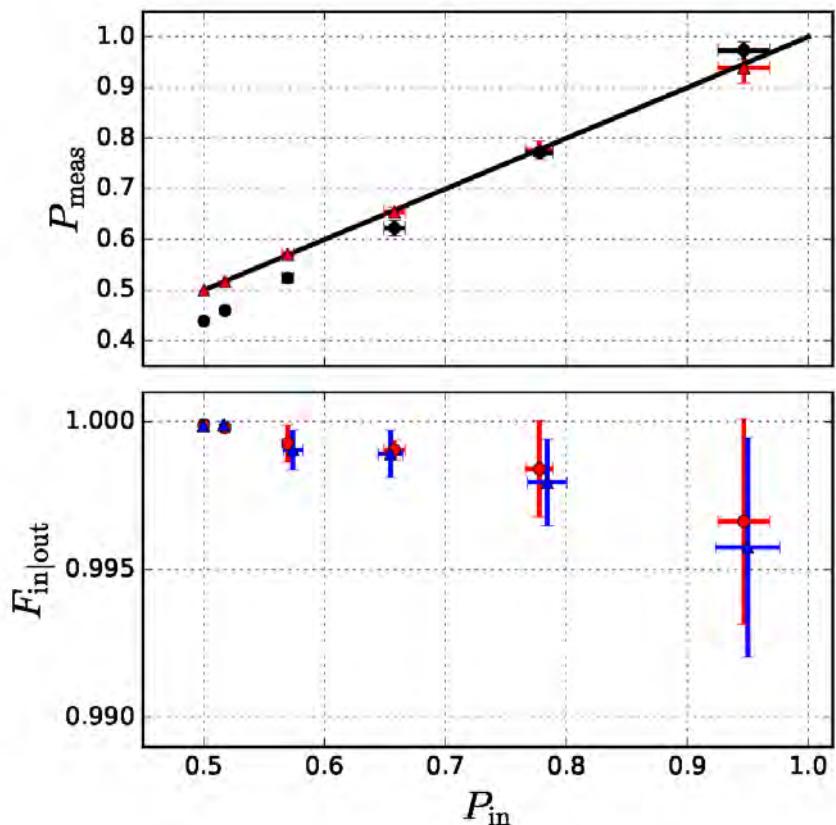
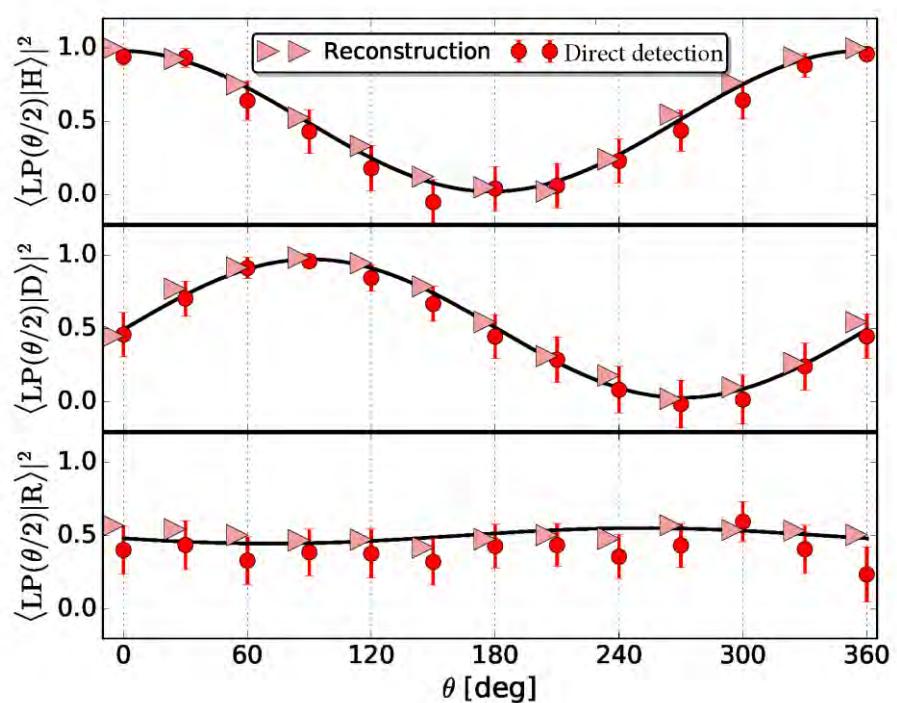
R. Filip, Phys. Rev. A **65**, 062320 (2002).

A.K. Ekert, C.M. Alves, D.K.L. Oi, M. Horodecki, P. Horodecki, and L.C. Kwek, Phys. Rev. Lett. **88**, 217901 (2002).

M. Hendrych, M. Dušek, R. Filip, and J. Fiurášek, Phys. Lett. A **310**, 95 (2003).

J. Du, P. Zou, X. Peng, D. Oi, L. Kwek, C. Oh, and A. Ekert, Phys. Rev. A **74**, 042319 (2006).

# Direct estimation of purity and overlap of quantum states



- Overlap and purity are estimated from measurements on the control qubit.
- Output target qubits are accessible and other measurements can be performed on them.
- Non-demolition character of purity estimation: the reduced single-qubit density matrices of the output target states remain equal to the input states.

# Single-qubit quantum fingerprinting

Comparison of states of the two target qubits:

$$|\psi\rangle_{T_1} \quad |\varphi\rangle_{T_2}$$

Probability of projection onto anti-symmetric subspace:

$$P_A = \frac{1}{2}(1 - |\langle\varphi|\psi\rangle|^2)$$

$$P_A > 0 \Leftrightarrow |\psi\rangle \neq |\varphi\rangle$$

S.M. Barnett, A. Chefles, and I. Jex, Phys. Lett. A 307, 189-195 (2003).

J. Niel de Beaudrap, Phys. Rev. A 69, 022307 (2004).

J. Du, P. Zou, X. Peng, D. Oi, L. Kwek, C. Oh, and A. Ekert, Phys. Rev. A 74, 042319 (2006).

R.T. Horn, S.A. Babichev, K.-P. Marzlin, A.I. Lvovsky, and B.C. Sanders, Phys. Rev. Lett. 95, 150502 (2005).

# Single-qubit quantum fingerprinting

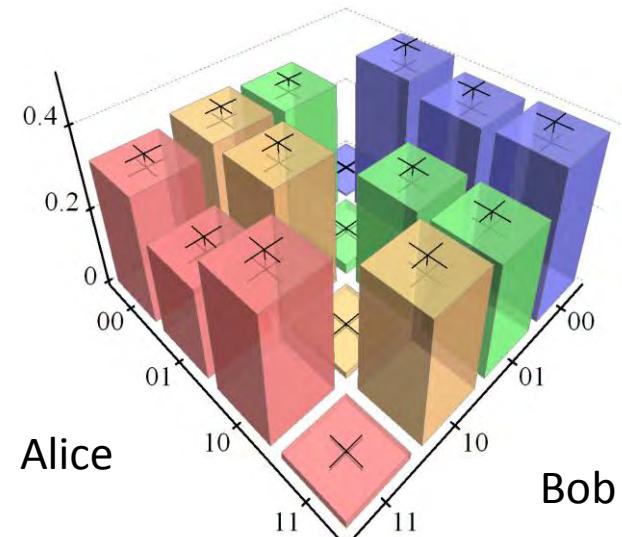
Comparison of states of the two target qubits:

$$|\psi\rangle_{T_1} \quad |\varphi\rangle_{T_2}$$

Probability of projection onto anti-symmetric subspace:

$$P_A = \frac{1}{2}(1 - |\langle\varphi|\psi\rangle|^2)$$

$$P_A > 0 \Leftrightarrow |\psi\rangle \neq |\varphi\rangle$$



Single-qubit quantum fingerprinting:

- Encode two classical bits into single-qubit states forming vortices of regular tetrahedron on Poincare sphere.
- Compare the two-bit strings by comparing the single-qubit fingerprints.
- Non-zero probability of detection of any difference in the compared pairs of bits.

S.M. Barnett, A. Chefles, and I. Jex, Phys. Lett. A 307, 189-195 (2003).

J. Niel de Beaudrap, Phys. Rev. A 69, 022307 (2004).

J. Du, P. Zou, X. Peng, D. Oi, L. Kwek, C. Oh, and A. Ekert, Phys. Rev. A 74, 042319 (2006).

R.T. Horn, S.A. Babichev, K.-P. Marzlin, A.I. Lvovsky, and B.C. Sanders, Phys. Rev. Lett. 95, 150502 (2005).

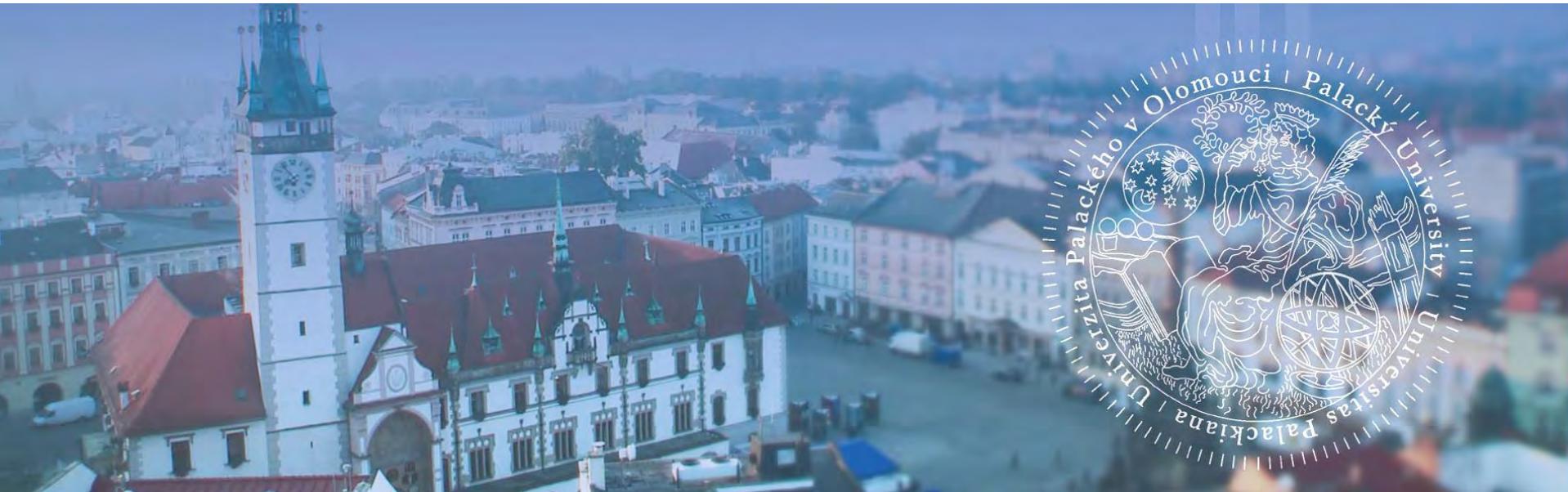
# Conclusions

Linear optical quantum Fredkin gate based on hybrid qubit encoding was demonstrated

High coincidence rate enables comprehensive gate characterization

Numerous application of circuit that enables (anti)-symmetrization of the target states

# Thank you for your attention!



[optics.upol.cz](http://optics.upol.cz)  
[www.opticsolomouc.org](http://www.opticsolomouc.org)