

Process-fidelity estimation of a linear optical quantum CZ gate

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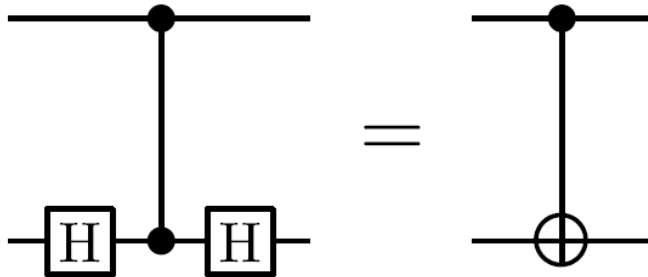
Outline of the talk

- Linear optical quantum CZ gate
- Quantum gate fidelity
- Quantum process tomography
- Hofmann bound on gate fidelity
- Three-qubit linear optical Toffoli gate
- Hofmann-like bounds from a minimum number of measurements

Linear optical quantum CZ/CNOT gate

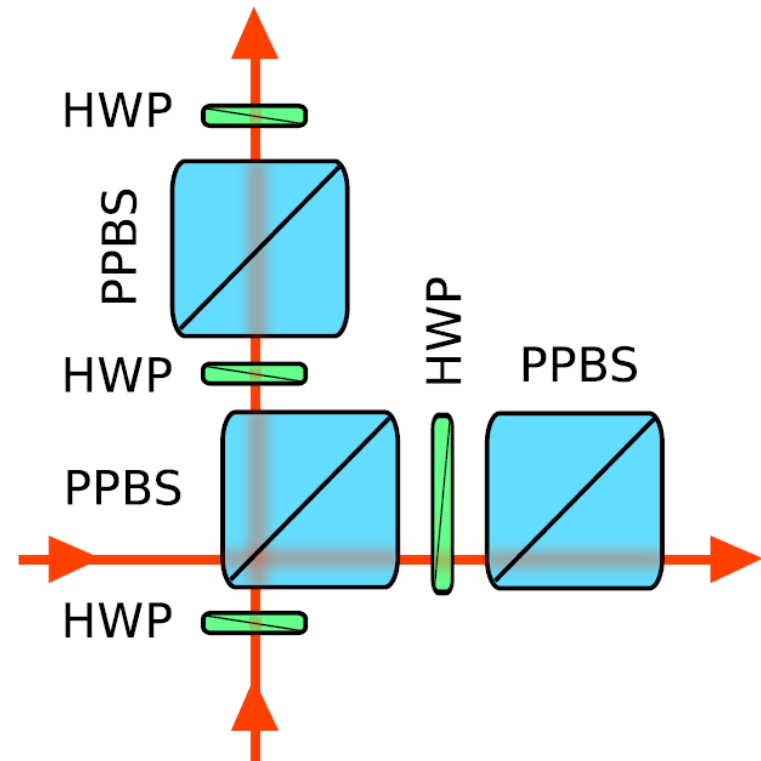
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$$\text{PPBS: } T_H = 1, T_V = 1/3$$

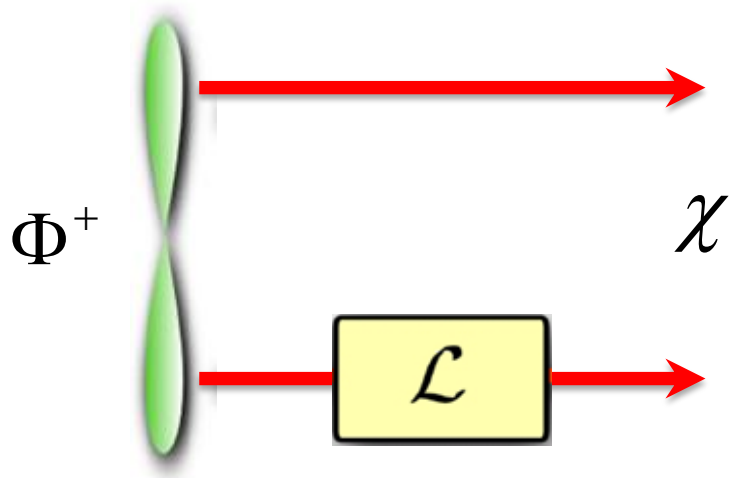


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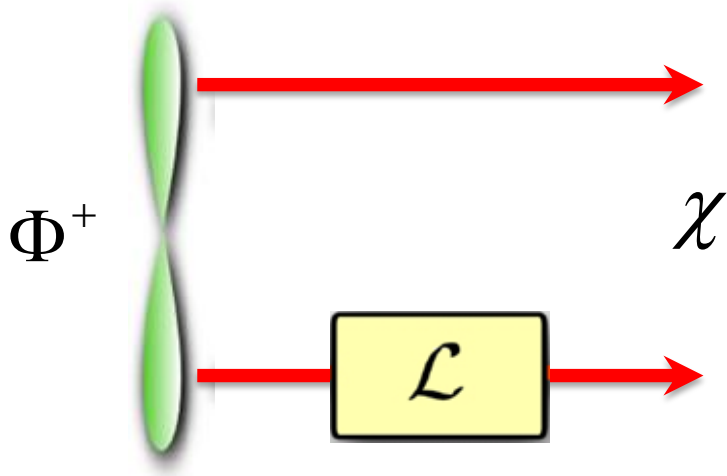
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Choi matrix of unitary CZ gate

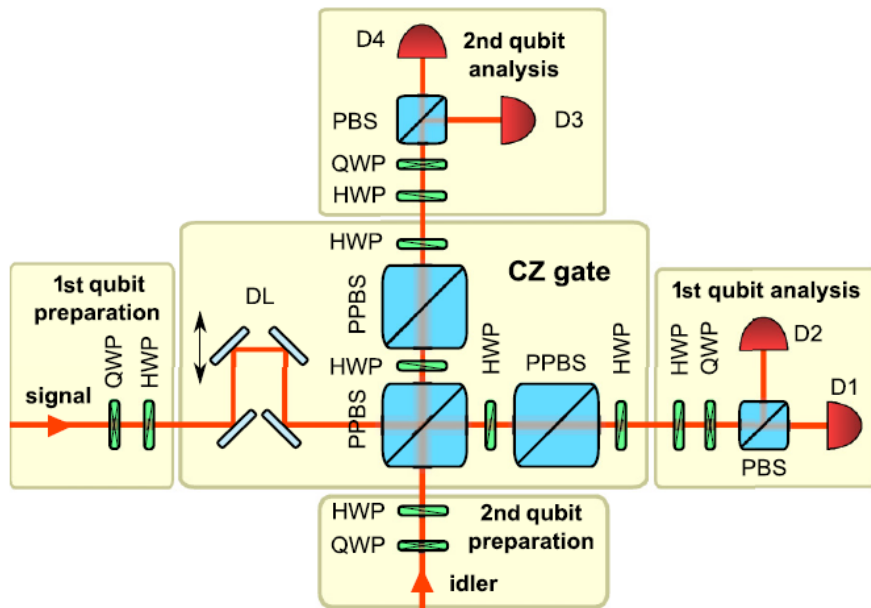
$$\chi_{CZ} = (\mathbb{I} \otimes U_{CZ}) |\Phi^+\rangle \langle \Phi^+| (\mathbb{I} \otimes U_{CZ}^\dagger)$$

Quantum gate fidelity

$$F_{CZ} = \frac{\text{Tr}[\chi \chi_{CZ}]}{\text{Tr}[\chi] \text{Tr}[\chi_{CZ}]}$$

Normalized overlap of Choi matrices.

Quantum process tomography



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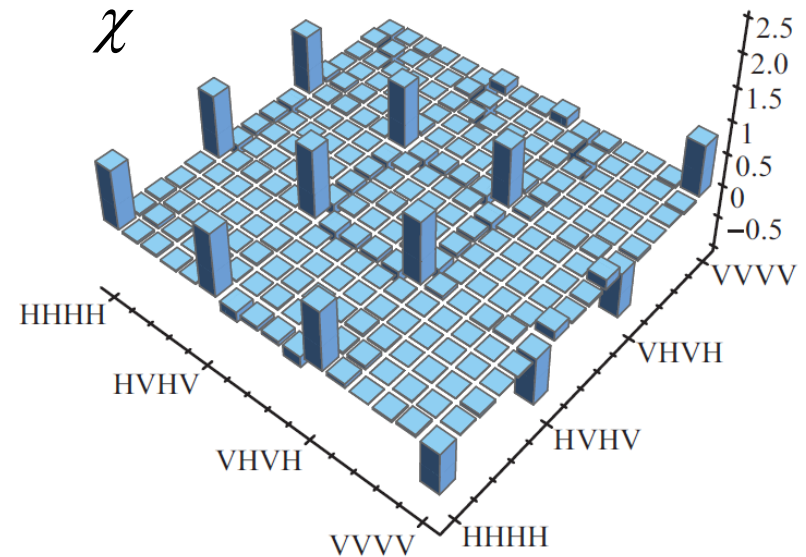
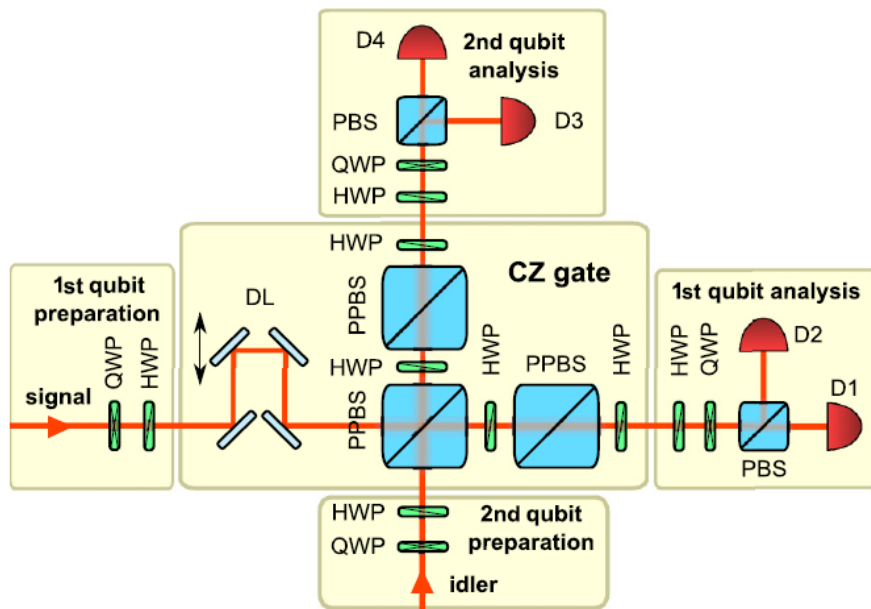
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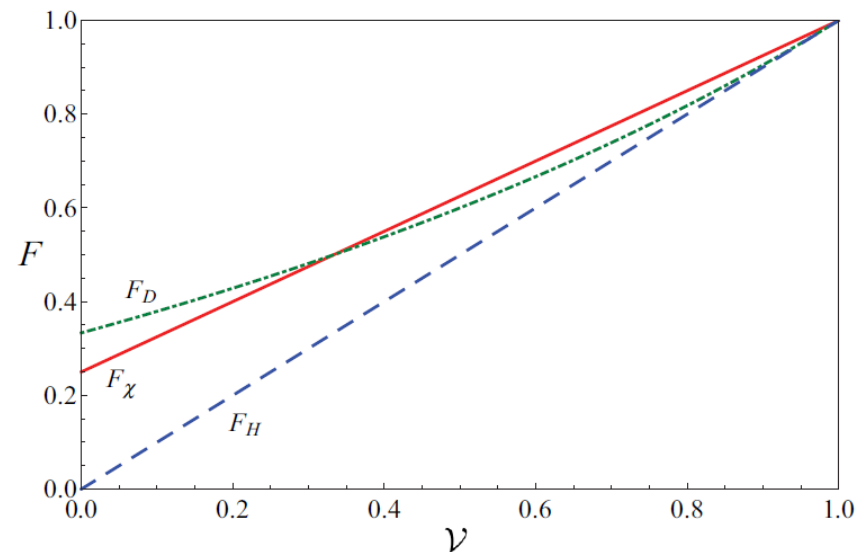
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Linear optical CZ gate is probabilistic.

Success probability depends on the input state due to various experimental imperfections.

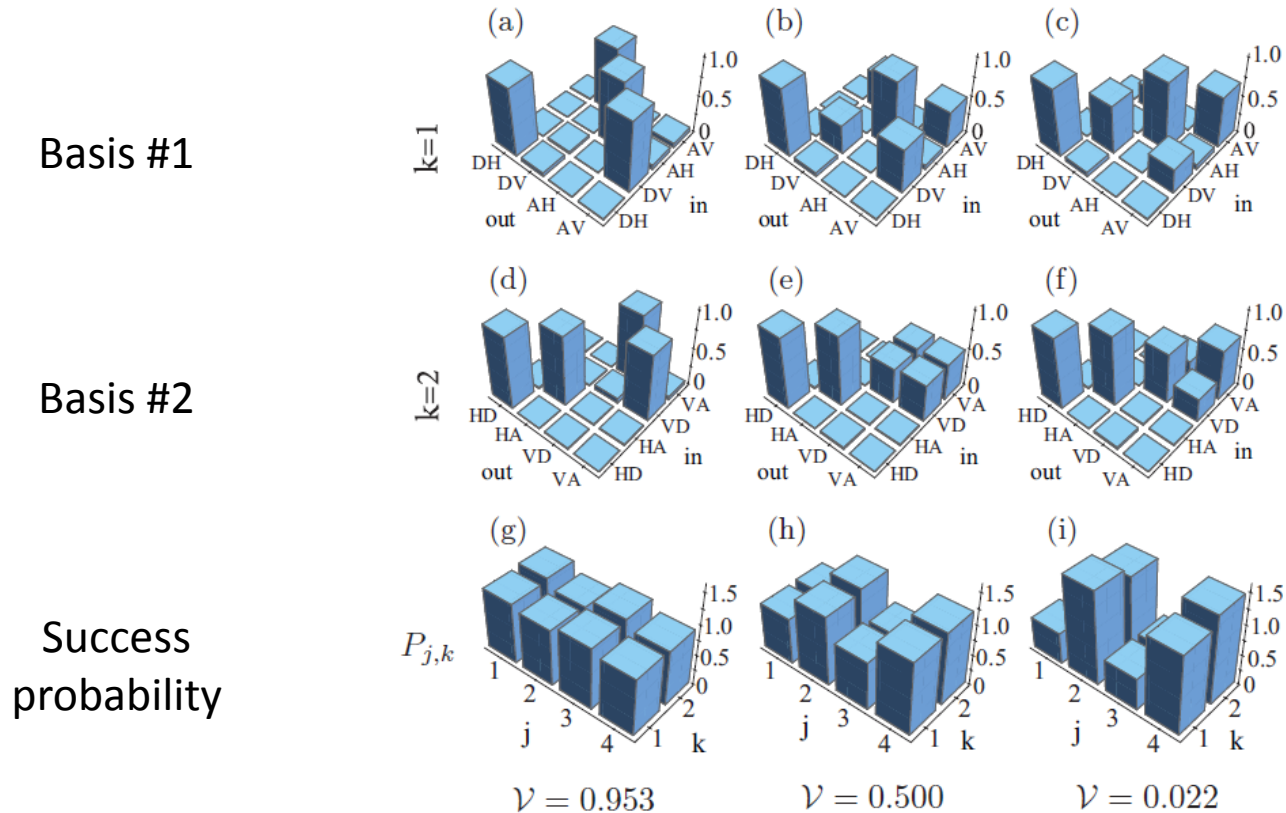
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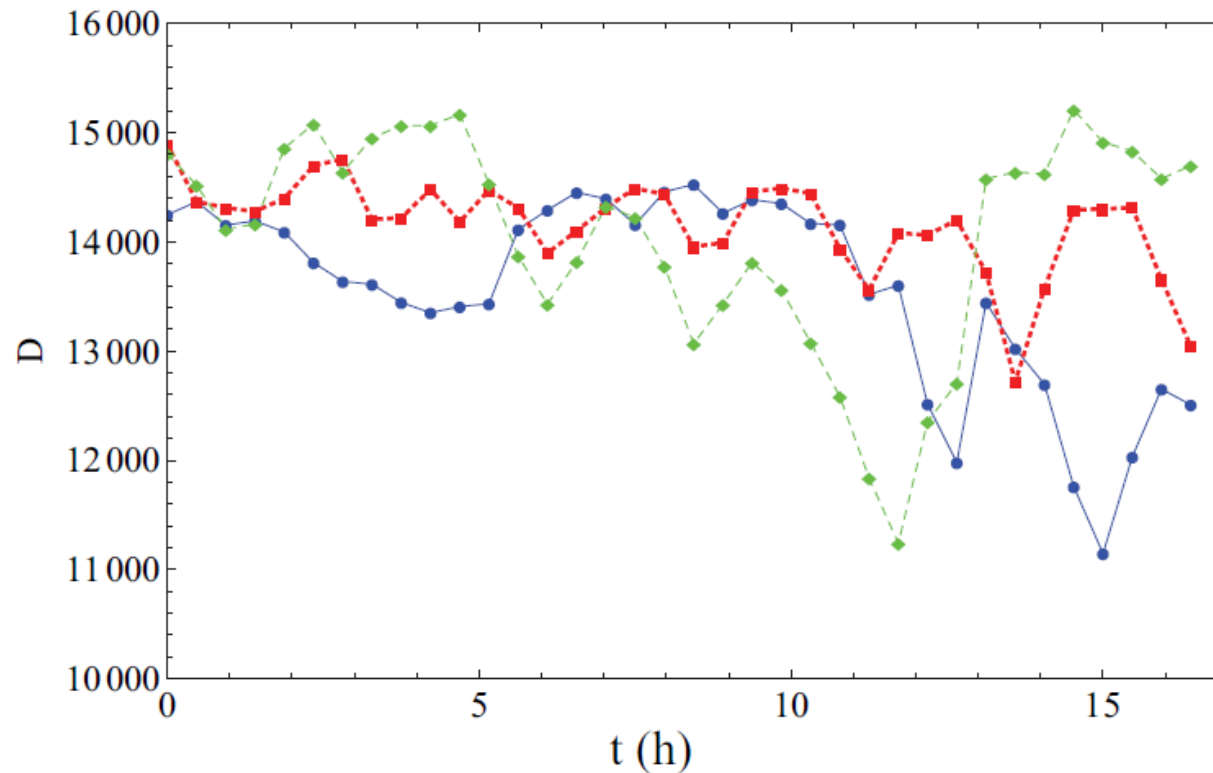
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Hofmann bound - experimental results



\mathcal{V}	F_D	F_H	F_X	$\min(F_1, F_2)$
0.953	0.875(2)	0.877(2)	0.860(1)	0.934(1)
0.500	0.465(2)	0.372(2)	0.531(1)	0.676(1)
0.022	0.253(2)	-0.034(2)	0.232(1)	0.479(1)

Systematic effects and errors



- Long-term fluctuations of the pair generation rate.
- Changes of visibility of two-photon interference during the measurement.
- Imperfections of waveplates and polarizing beam splitters.

Monte-Carlo sampling

Linear estimator
of quantum gate fidelity

$$F_{MC} = \frac{\sum_{j,k,l,m} u_{jk,lm} C_{jk,lm}}{\sum_{j,k,l,m} C_{jk,lm}}$$

$$j, k, l, m \in \{H, V, D, A, R, L\}$$

\mathcal{V}	σ_0	F_{MC}	\tilde{F}_{MC}
0.953	H/V	0.871(2)	0.861(2)
0.953	D/A	0.882(2)	0.870(2)
0.953	R/L	0.833(1)	0.846(1)
0.500	H/V	0.539(1)	0.533(2)
0.500	D/A	0.521(1)	0.518(2)
0.500	R/L	0.515(1)	0.520(1)
0.022	H/V	0.252(1)	0.240(1)
0.022	D/A	0.245(1)	0.240(1)
0.022	R/L	0.242(1)	0.235(1)

$C_{jk,lm}$ – number of projections onto state $|lm\rangle$ for input state $|jk\rangle$

Overdetermined data set - we can construct different estimators depending on the representation of identity operator:

$$\sigma_0 = |H\rangle\langle H| + |V\rangle\langle V|, \quad \sigma_0 = |D\rangle\langle D| + |A\rangle\langle A|, \quad \sigma_0 = |R\rangle\langle R| + |L\rangle\langle L|$$

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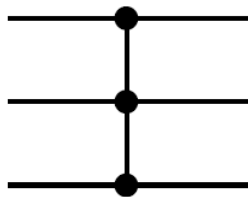
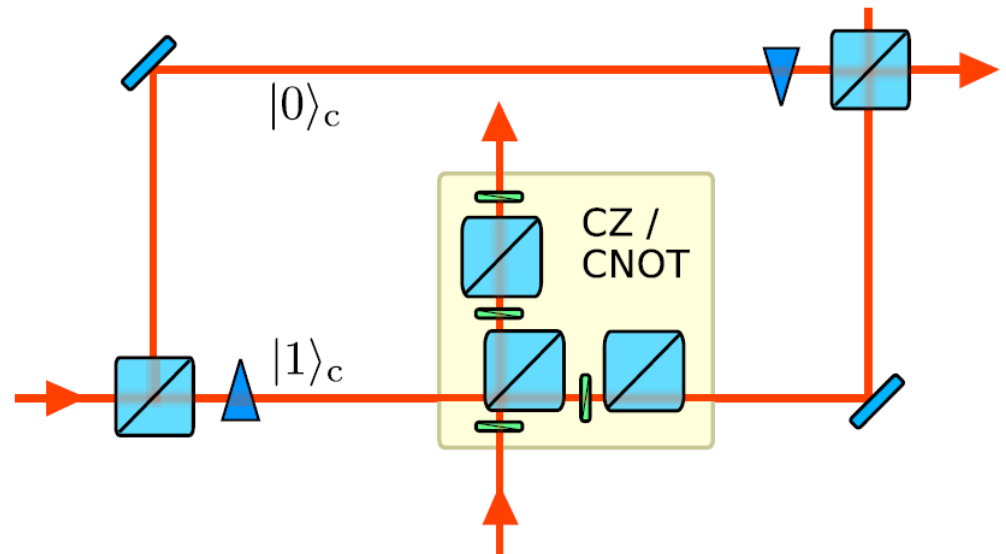
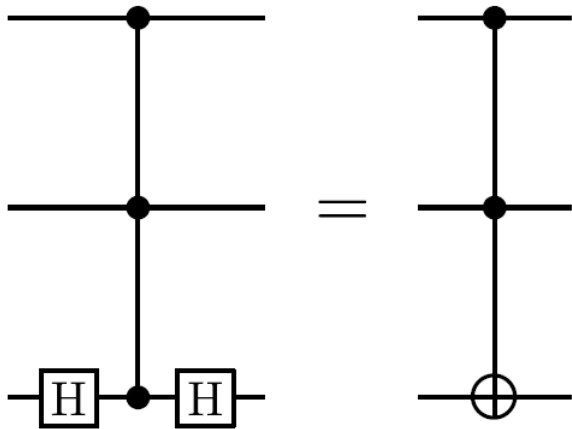
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Linear optical quantum CCZ/Toffoli gate

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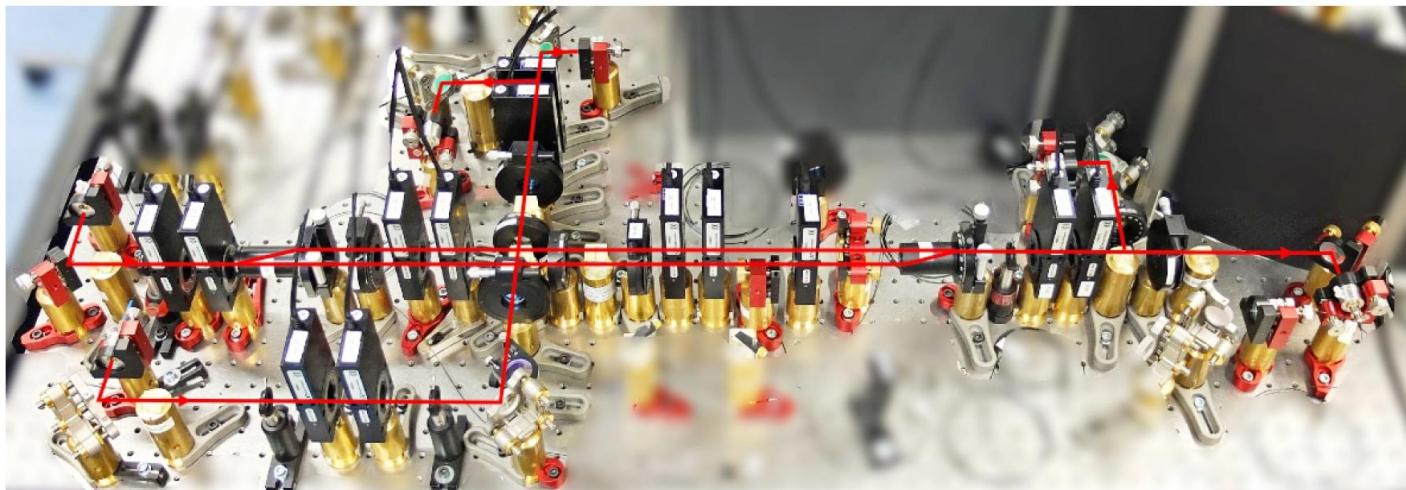
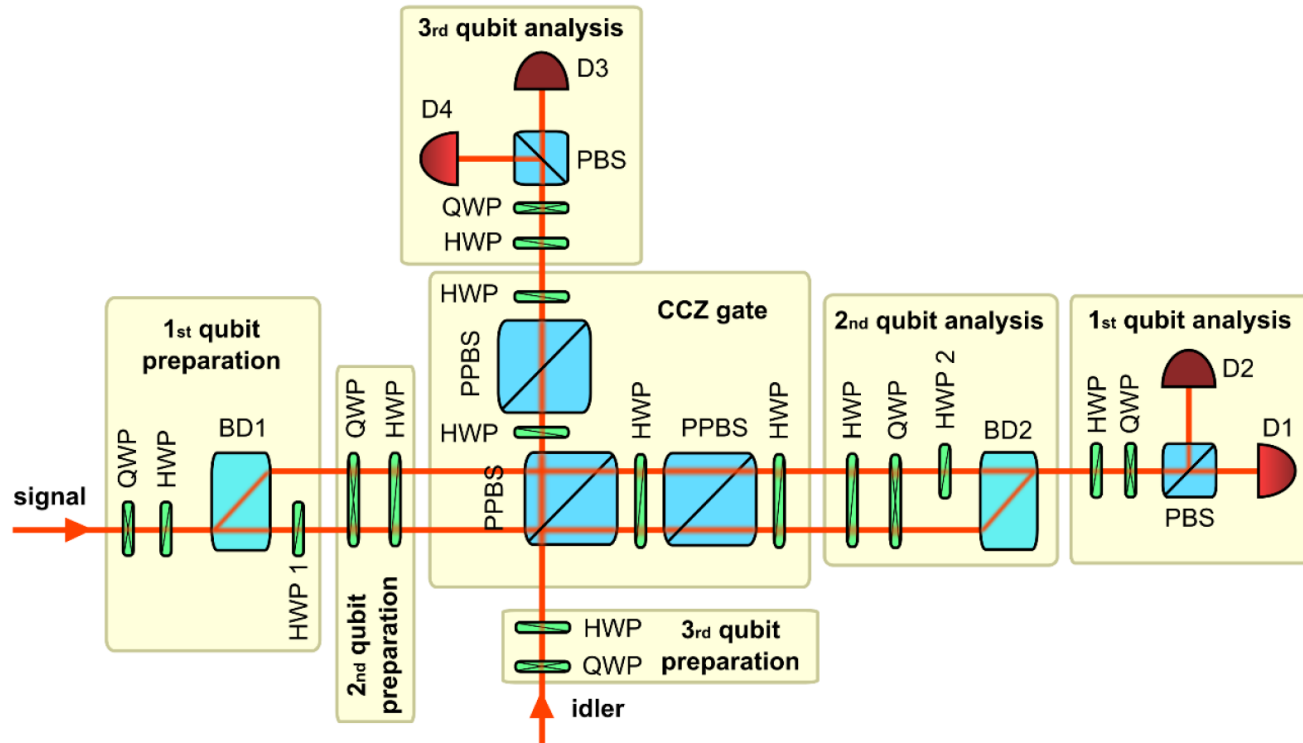


qubit 1: spatial degree of freedom of the first photon

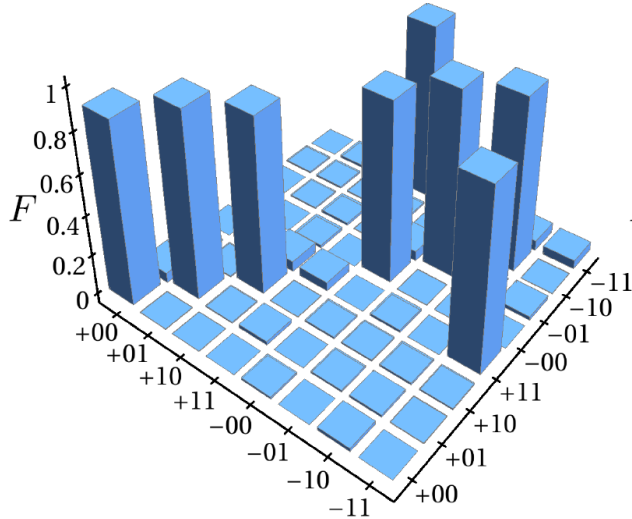
qubit 2: polarization degree of freedom of the first photon

qubit 3: polarization degree of freedom of the second photon

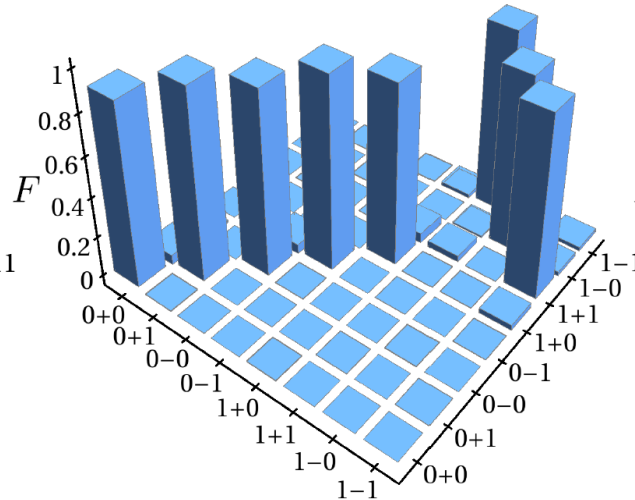
Linear optical CCZ gate – experimental setup



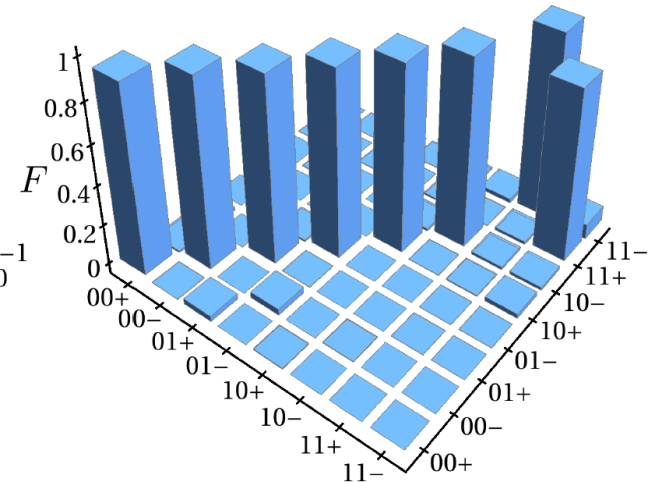
Generalized Hofmann bound on gate fidelity



$$F_1=0.928(1)$$



$$F_2=0.947(1)$$



$$F_3=0.955(1)$$

Truth tables measured for 3 product bases – measurement of fidelities of entangled states is avoided.

Lower bound on gate fidelity in terms of average state fidelities:

$$F_{CCZ} \geq F_1 + F_2 + F_3 - 2$$

$$F_{CCZ} \geq 0.830 \pm 0.002$$

Hofmann-like bound from a minimum number of measurements

To obtain a nontrivial bound on quantum gate fidelity, it suffices to probe the quantum gate with computational basis states and a single superposition state.

Computational basis

$$|00\rangle, |01\rangle, |10\rangle, |11\rangle$$

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$$|+\rangle = \frac{1}{2}(|00\rangle + |01\rangle + |10\rangle + |11\rangle)$$

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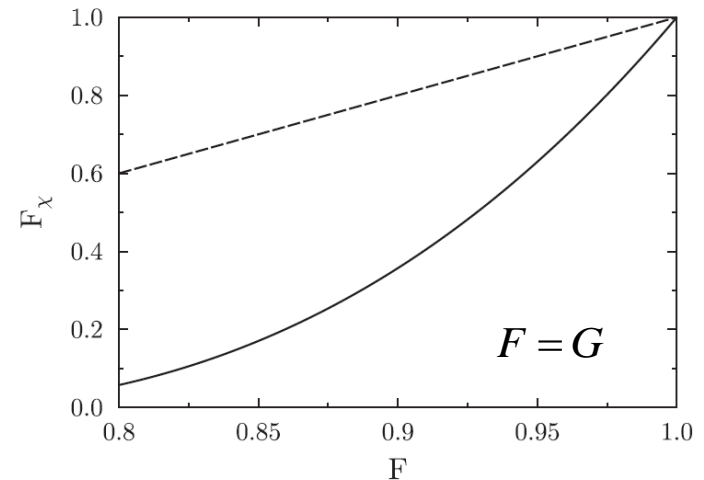
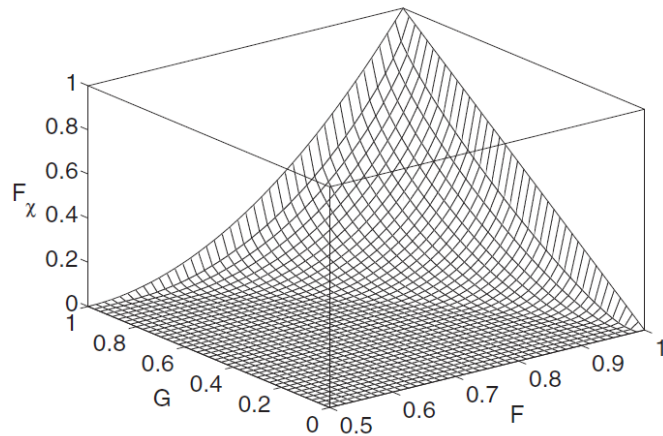
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The resulting lower bound on gate fidelity is weak and not practically useful.

Thank you for your attention!



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