Dispersive measurement of a phase qubit using a tunable cavity

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The phase qubit



Phase qubit tunneling measurement



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Dispersive measurement



Two-level:
$$\widetilde{\omega_{Cav}} = \omega_{Cav} \pm \frac{g^2}{\Delta_{01}}$$

Three-level:
$$\widetilde{\omega_{Cav}} = \omega_{Cav} \pm \left(\frac{g^2}{\Delta_{01}} - \frac{g^2}{\Delta_{12}}\right) = \omega_{Cav} \pm \frac{g^2}{\Delta_{01}} \left(1 + \frac{\Delta_{01}}{\alpha}\right)^{-1}$$

$$\Delta_{01} \gg g, \ \Delta_{01} = \omega_{01} - \omega_{Cav}, \ \Delta_{12} = \omega_{12} - \omega_{Cav}$$

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The Purcell effect



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The tunable cavity



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The device



Cavity spectroscopy



Qubit spectroscopy



Rabi oscillations



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Rabi oscillations



Dispersive shifts



$$\delta_f = 2 \frac{g^2}{\Delta_{01}} \left(1 + \frac{\Delta_{01}}{\alpha} \right)^-$$

The Purcell effect



$$T_1 = rac{1}{\gamma_P + \gamma_{Qu}}, \ \gamma_P = rac{2\pi f_{Cav}}{Q_{Cav}} rac{g^2}{\Delta_{01}^2}, \ \gamma_{Qu} = 1/T_{Qu}$$

The Purcell effect



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Conclusions

Summary

- Designed and fabricated a long-lifetime phase qubit
- Dispersively measured a phase qubit
- Observed and changed Purcell effect with tunable cavity

Future work

- Design improvements
- Perform bifurcation measurement, compare to tunneling measurement
- Swap cavity and qubit roles in one device; exploit tunable anharmonicity
- Multiplex multiple devices