

# Investigation of The Single and Two Hole Lateral Quantum Dot System

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# Motivation

| Electron Spin Qubit Coherence Times                       | $T_2$ – spin coherence | $T_2^*$ - spin dephasing |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| dopant-free, isotopically-purified <b>Si<sup>28</sup></b> | 28 ms <sup>†</sup>     | 120 us                   |
| modulation-doped <b>GaAs</b>                              | 0.9 ms <sup>†</sup>    | 80 ns                    |

<sup>†</sup> using CPMG pulses

But what about DiVincenzo Criteria 6 and 7?

6. Interconvert stationary and flying qubits
7. Transmit flying qubits between distant locations

# Potential Advantages of Holes in Lateral GaAs QDs

Direct Bandgap

No Valley Complications

Weaker hyperfine decoherence

J.Fischer et al. PRB78 155329 (2008)

R.Fallahi et al. PRL 105,257402 (2010)

Tunable g-factor (a) measure of LH-HH mixing

(b) Zero g-factor required for  to  transfer schemes

Gaudreau et al., Semicond. Sci. Techn. (2017)

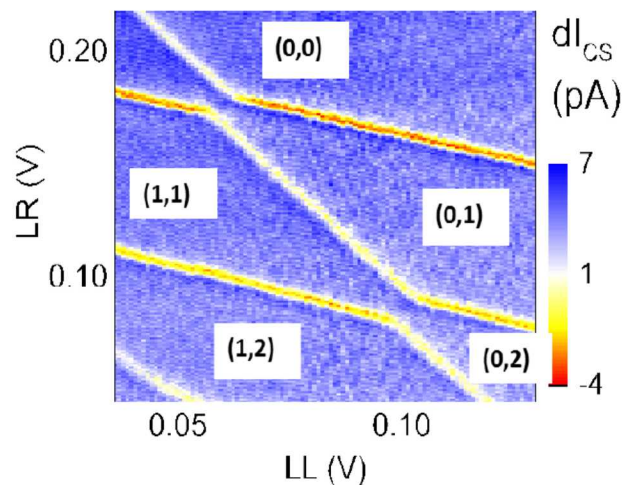
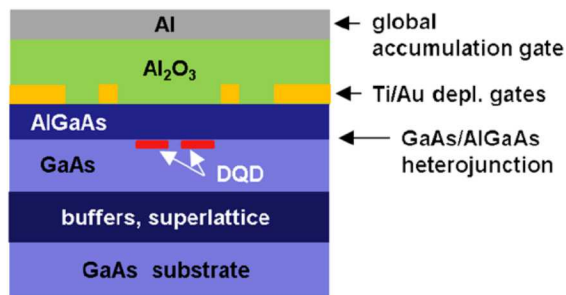
Fast spin-orbit rotations

# Sandia P- Double Quantum Dot Device

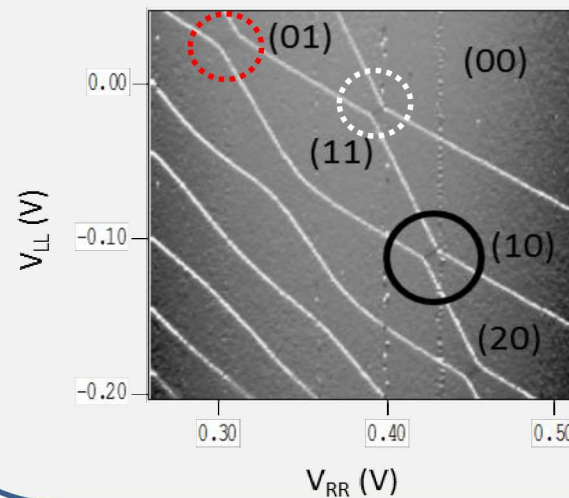
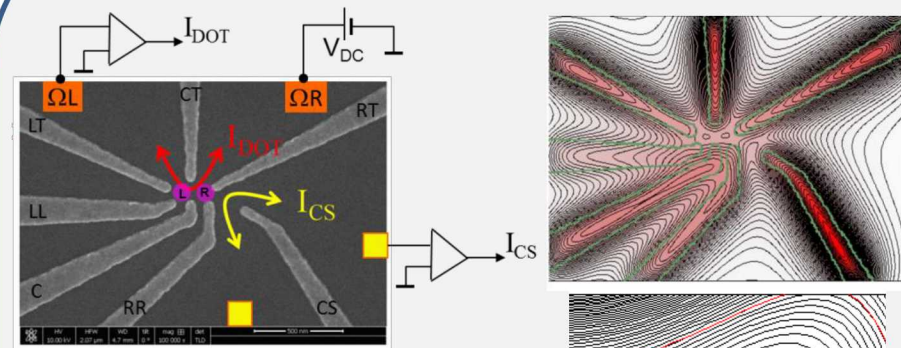
## Sandia

L. A. Tracy, et al. "Few-hole double quantum dot in an undoped GaAs/AlGaAs heterostructure," APL, v. 104, 123101 (2014).

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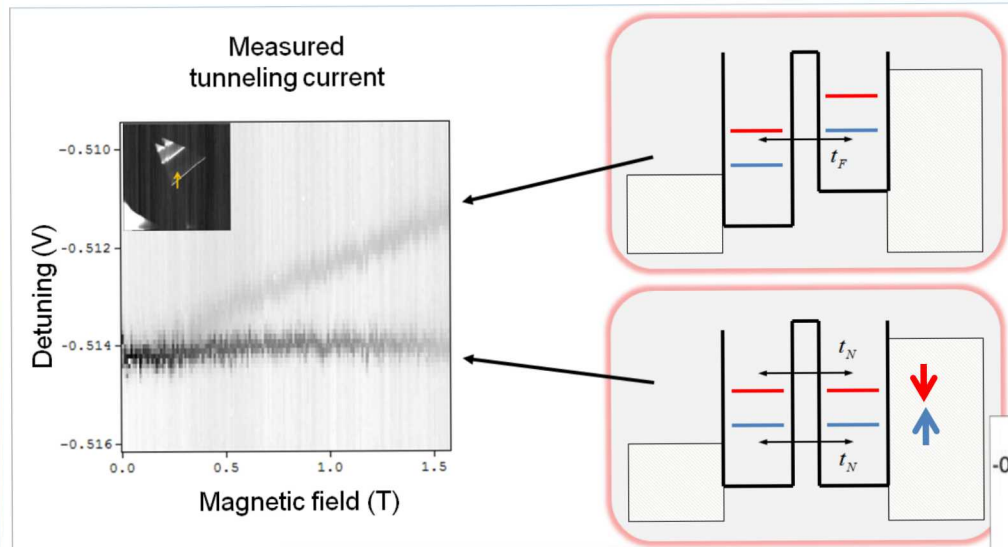
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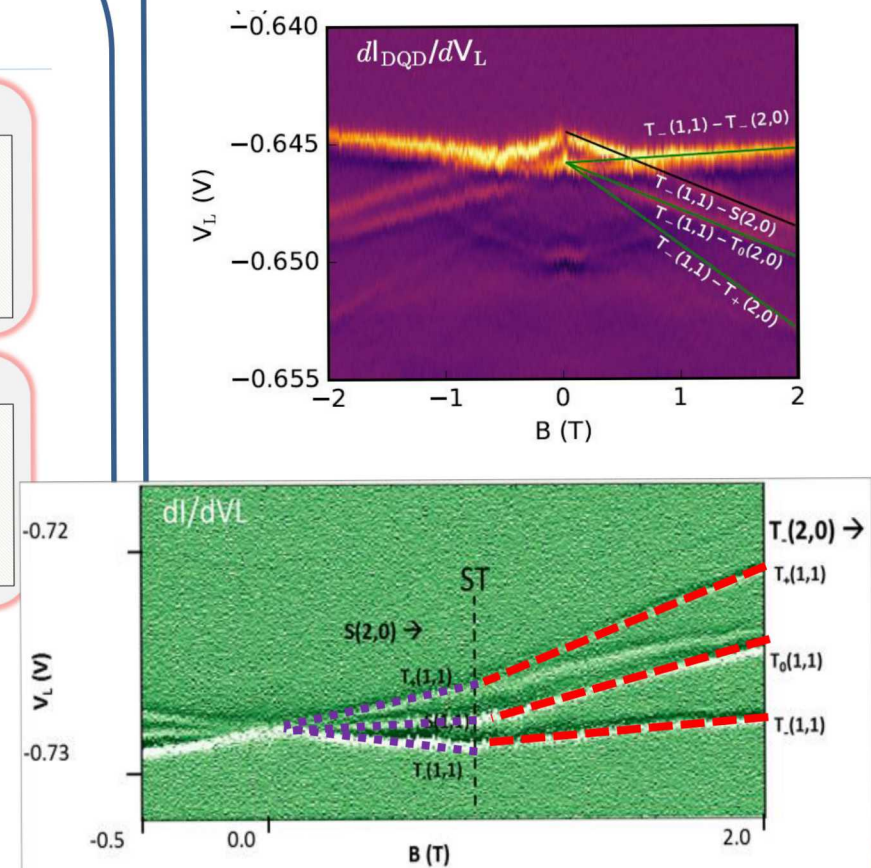
# One and Two Hole regimes in a Magnetic Field

Bogan et al. PRL (2017)

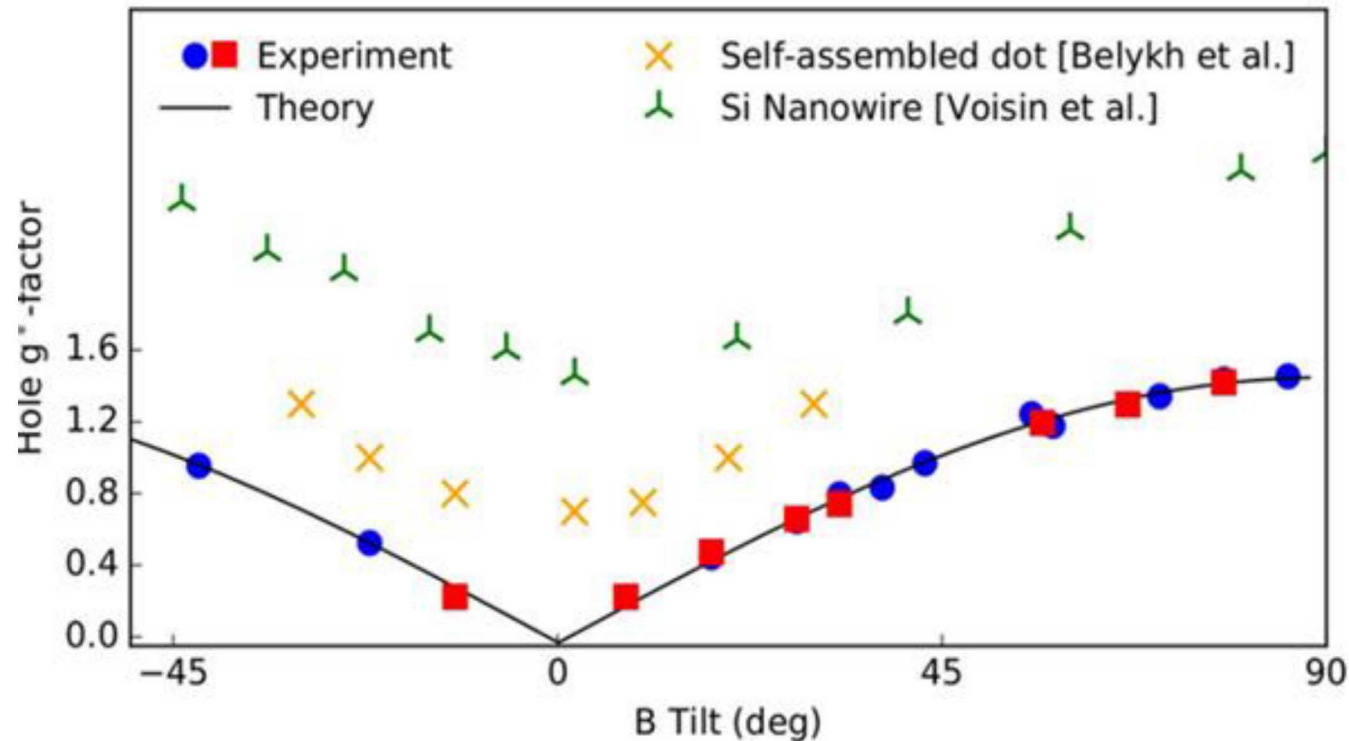
## Single Hole



## Two Holes

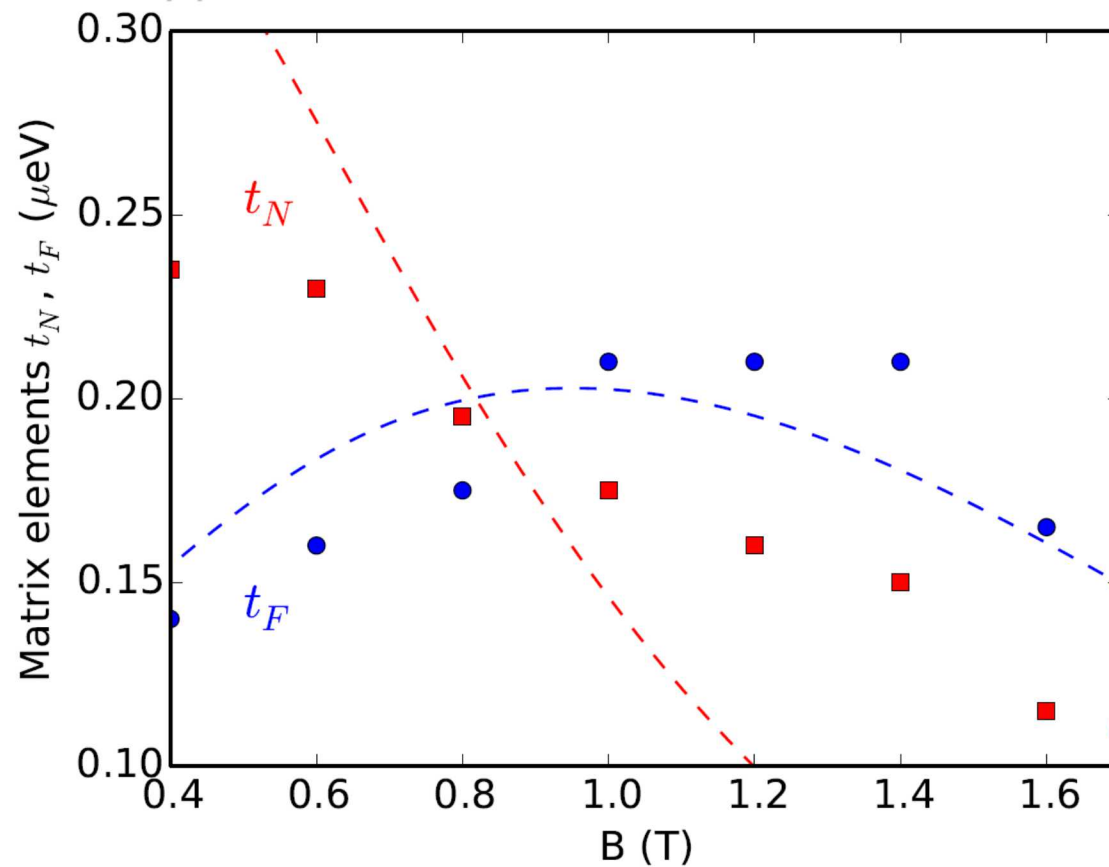


# G-factor vs Tilt



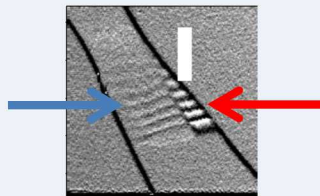
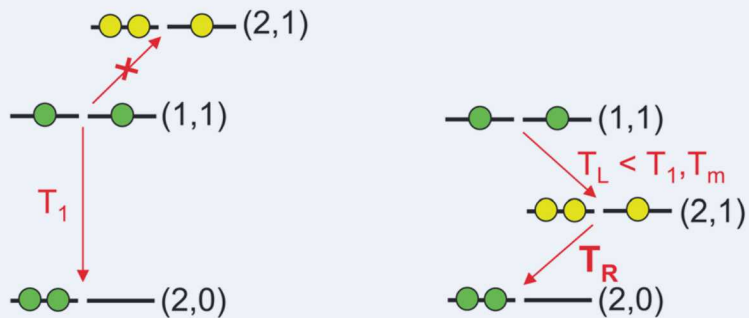
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# Tunnel Matrix Elements



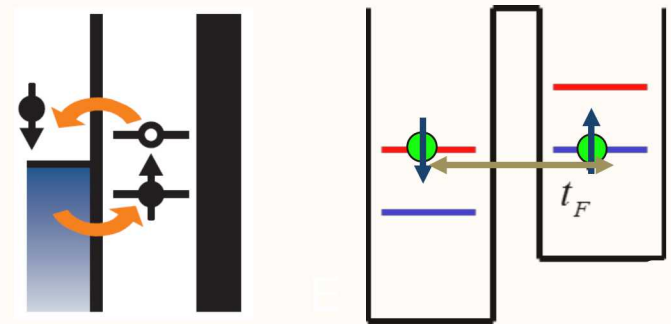
# Enhanced Readout/Measurement via Latching

## Spin Qubit Readout

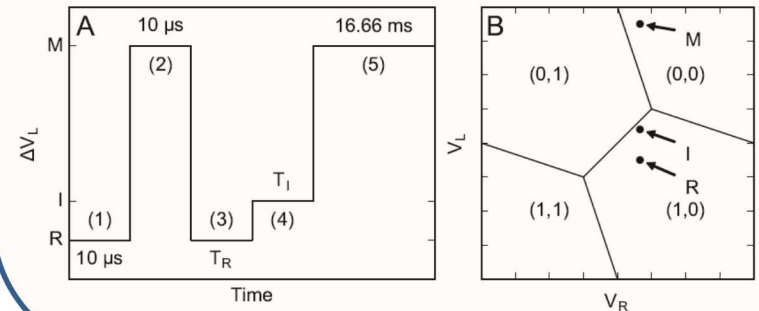


Studenikin et al., Appl. Phys. Lett. **101**, 233101 (2012).

## T1 - Measurement

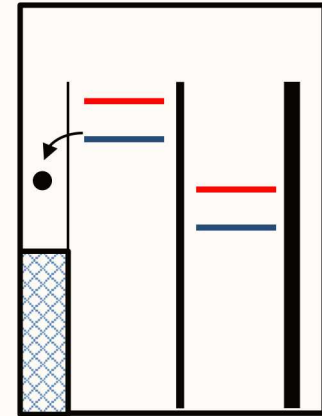
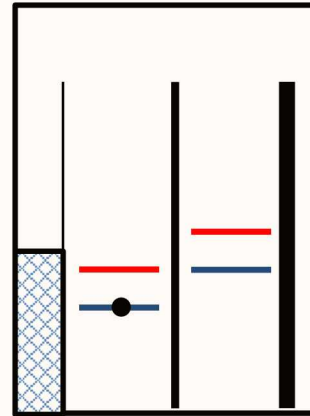
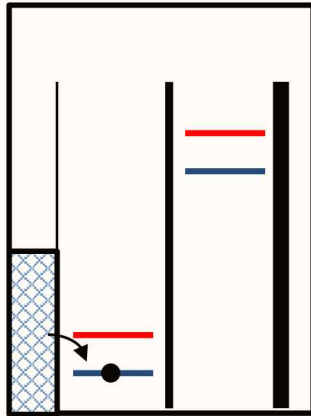


J.M.Elzerman et al. Nature (2004)

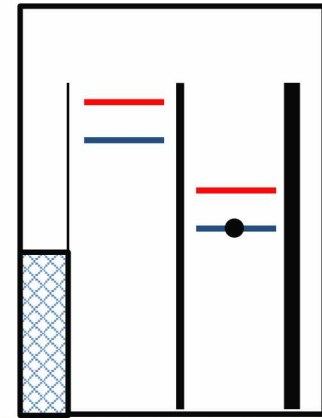
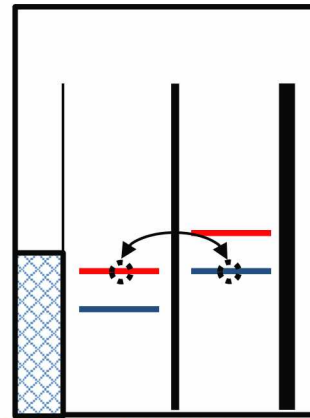
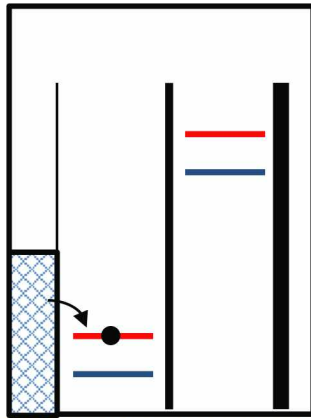


# T1 Protocol taking advantage of spin-flip tunneling

S.Studenikin et al. submitted



(0,0)



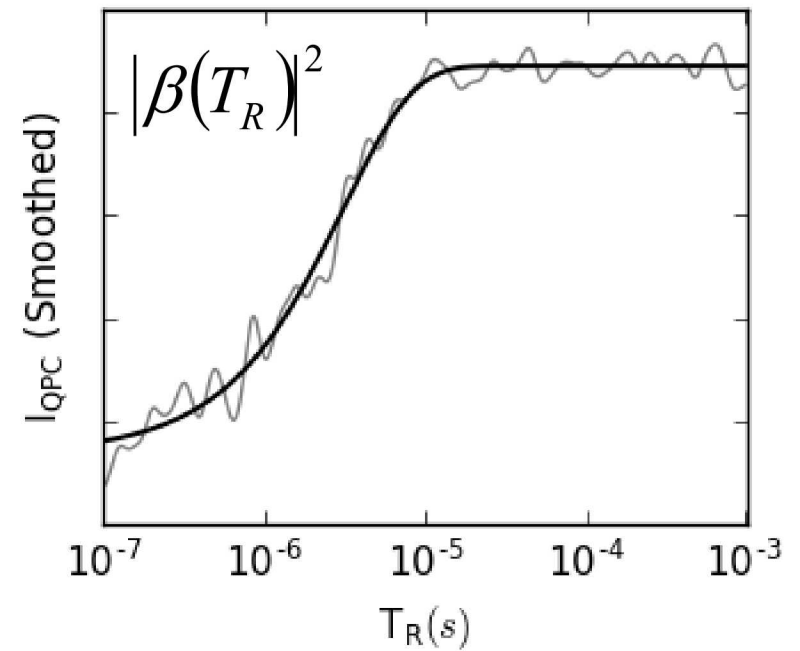
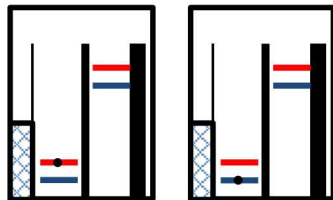
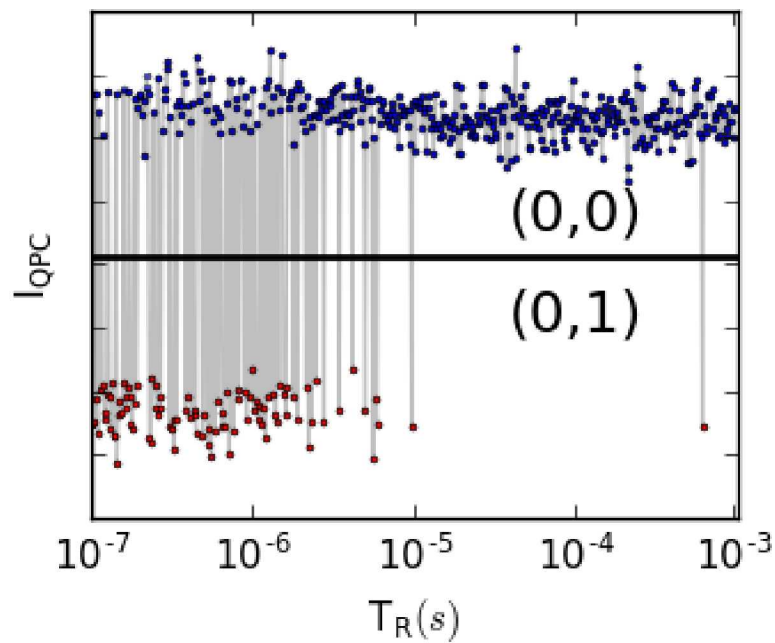
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Inject Random Spin and Wait

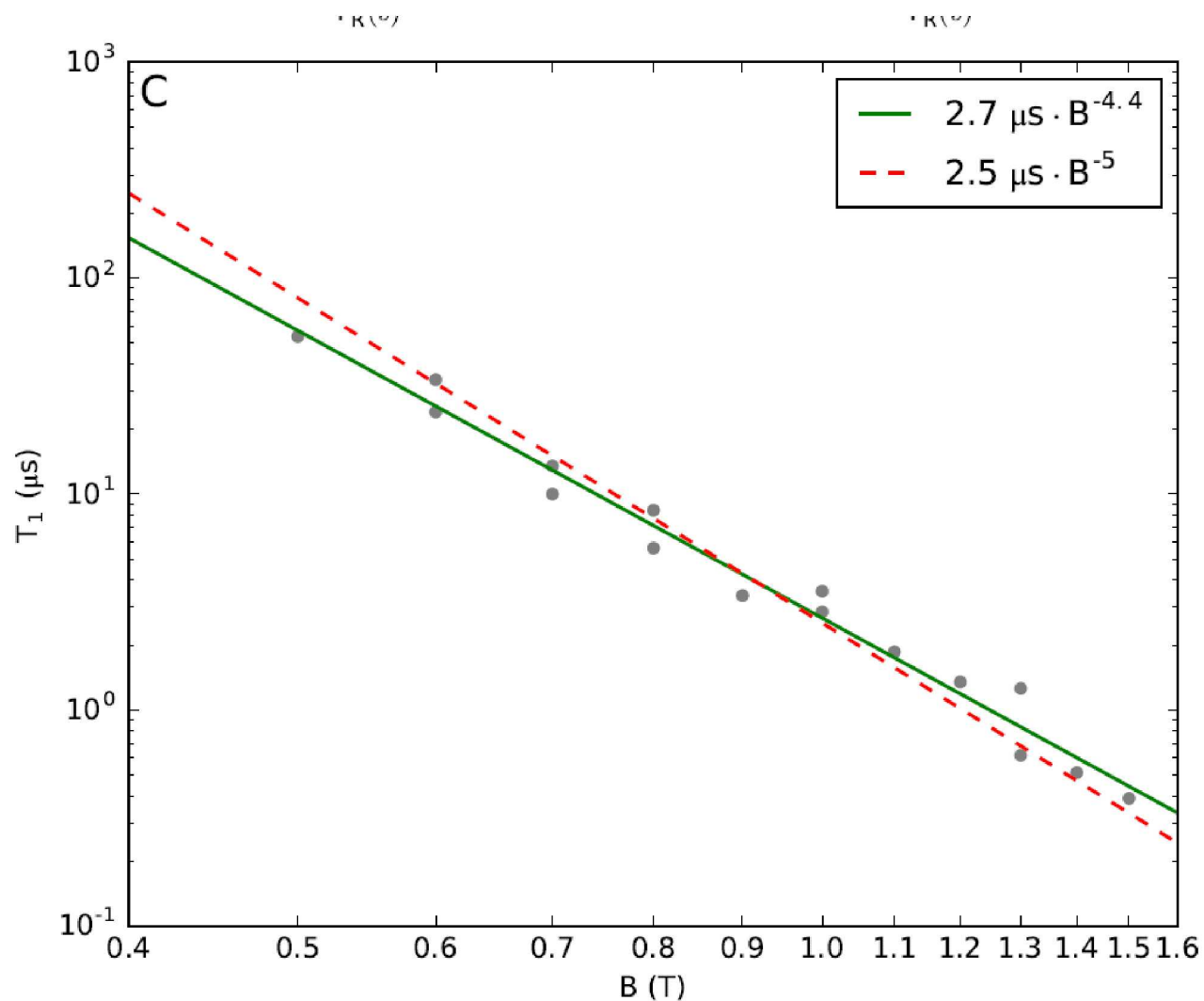
Interact

Empty left Dot

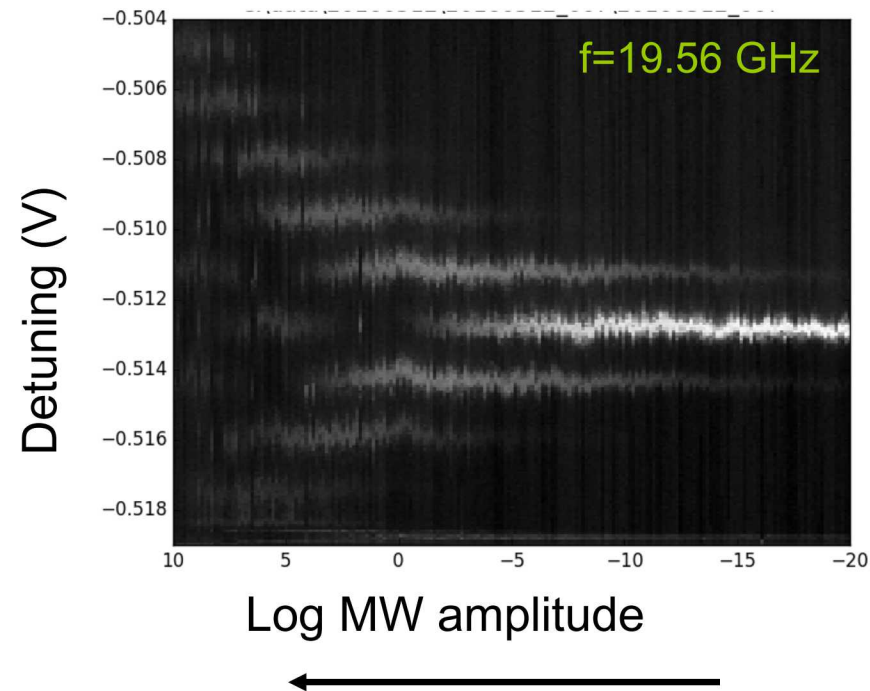
# Single Shot Readout



## B Dependence of T1 (Phonon assisted S-0)



# Landau-Zener-Stuckelberg Interferometry

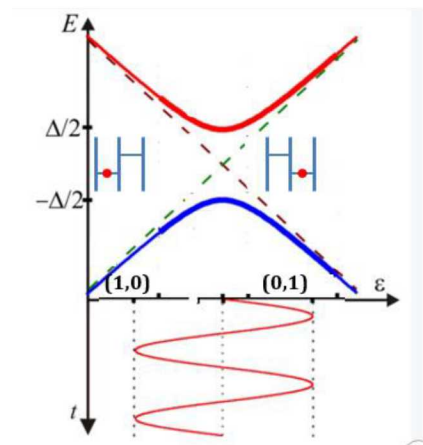


Zero magnetic field

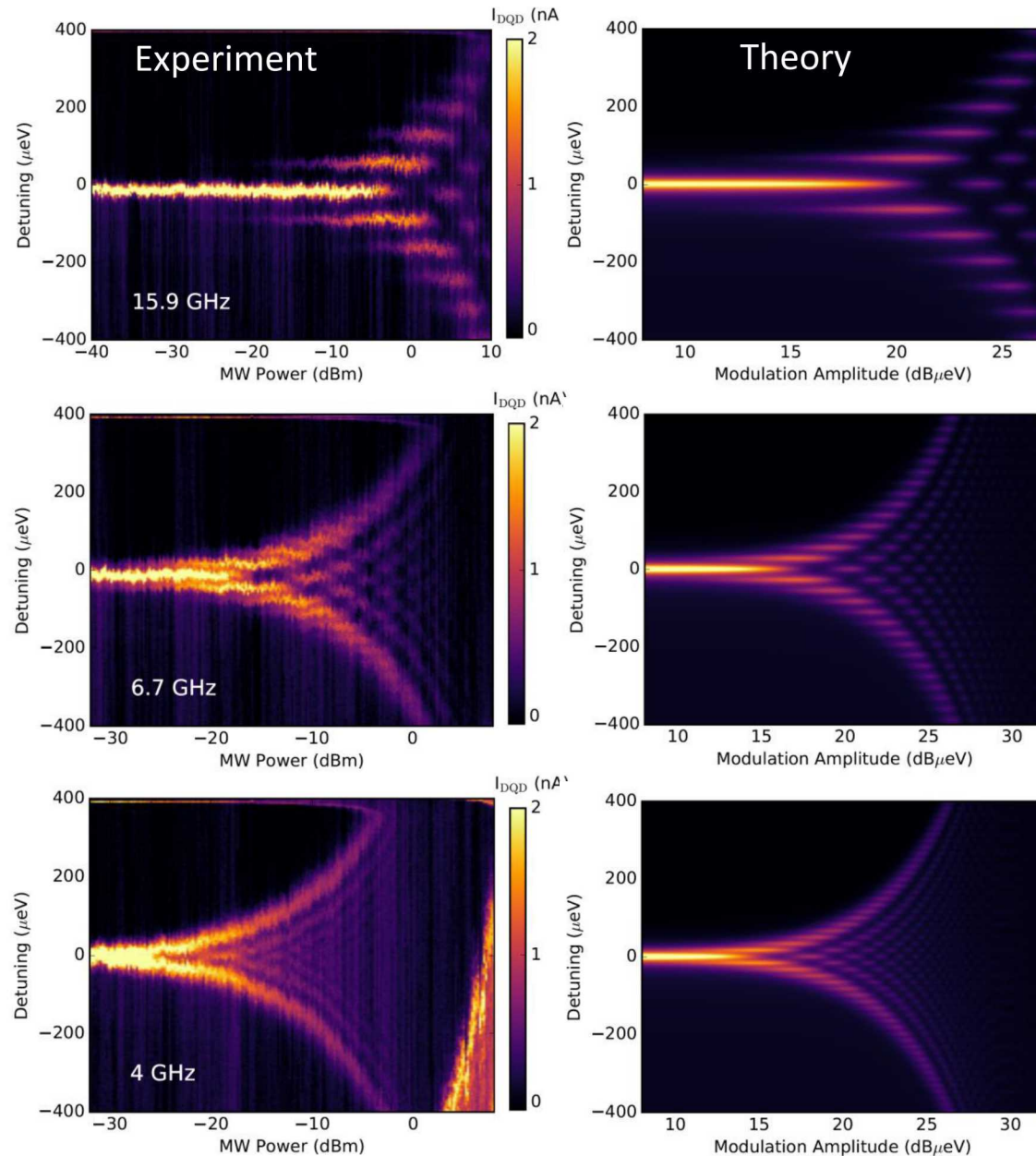
$$t^{(n)} = t J_n \left( \frac{V}{\hbar \omega_{MW}} \right)$$

For electrons:

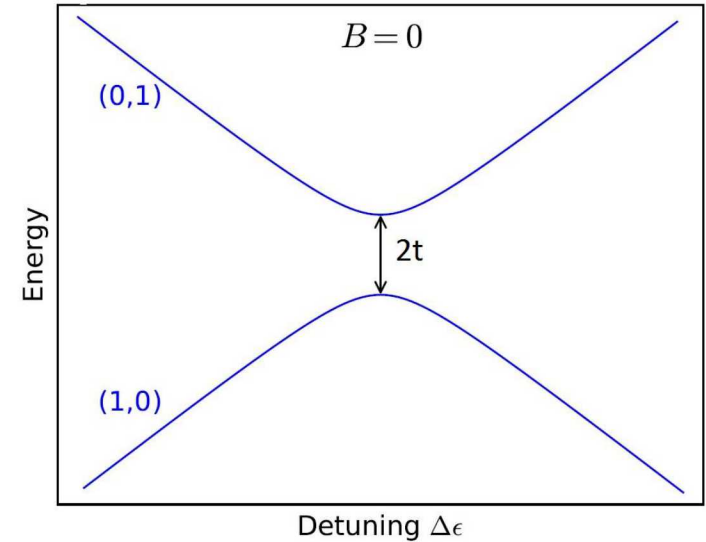
Oosterkamp et al., Nature **395**, 873; Schreiber et al., Nature Comm. **2**, 556,  
Gonzalez-Zalba et al., Nano Lett. **16**, 1614; Stehlik et al., PRB **86**, 121303;  
Forster et al., PRL **112**, 116803



# LZS oscillations of a single-hole charge qubit at B=0



A. Bogan et al. PRL (2018)

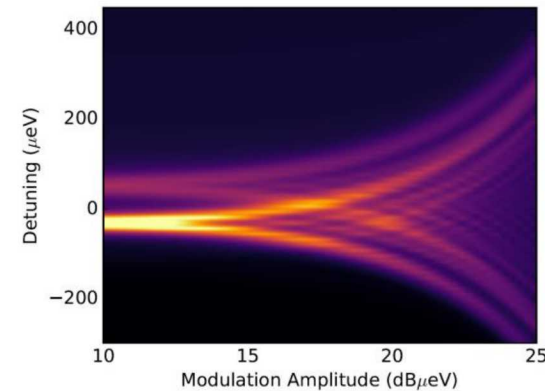
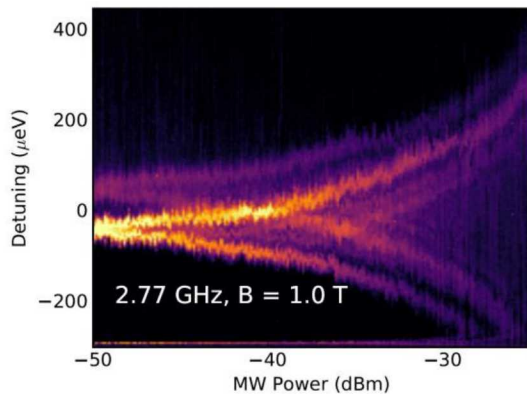
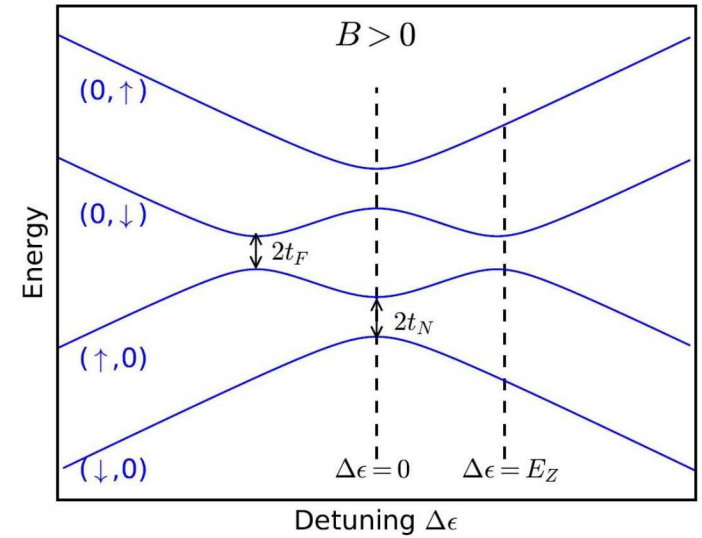
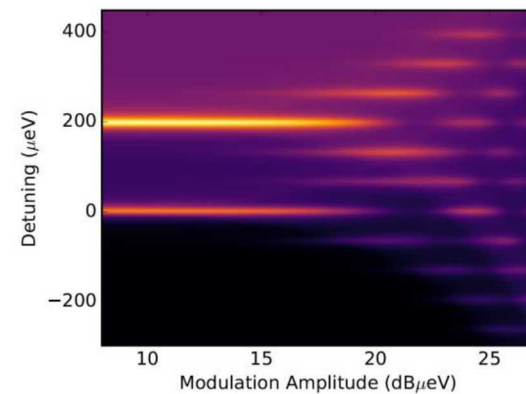
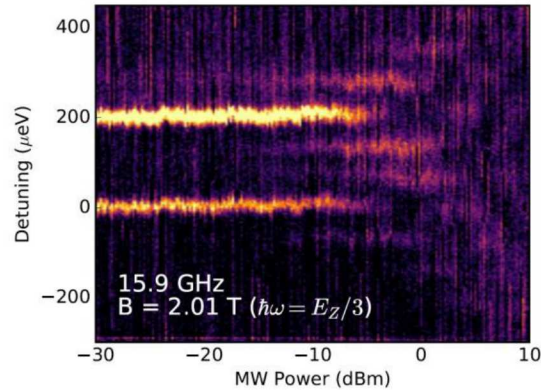
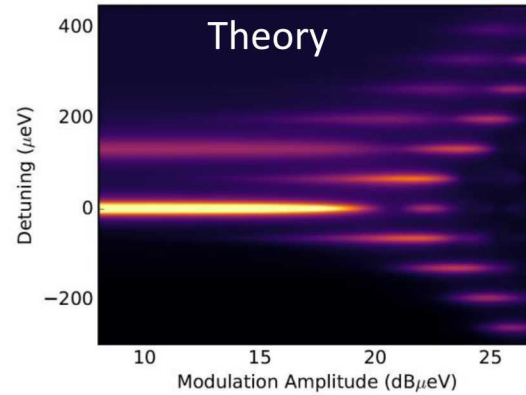
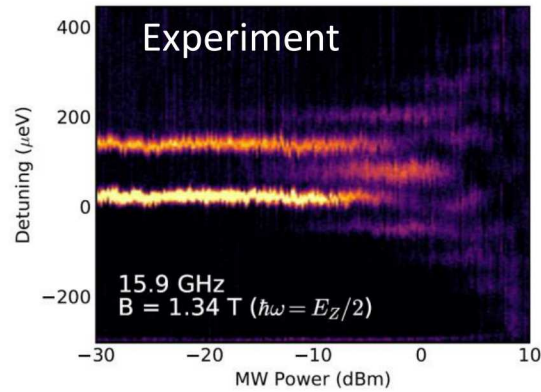


$$t = \sqrt{t_N^2 + t_F^2}$$

$$t^{(n)} = t J_n \left( \frac{V}{\hbar \omega_{MW}} \right)$$

# Single-hole hybrid spin-charge qubit at $B > 0$

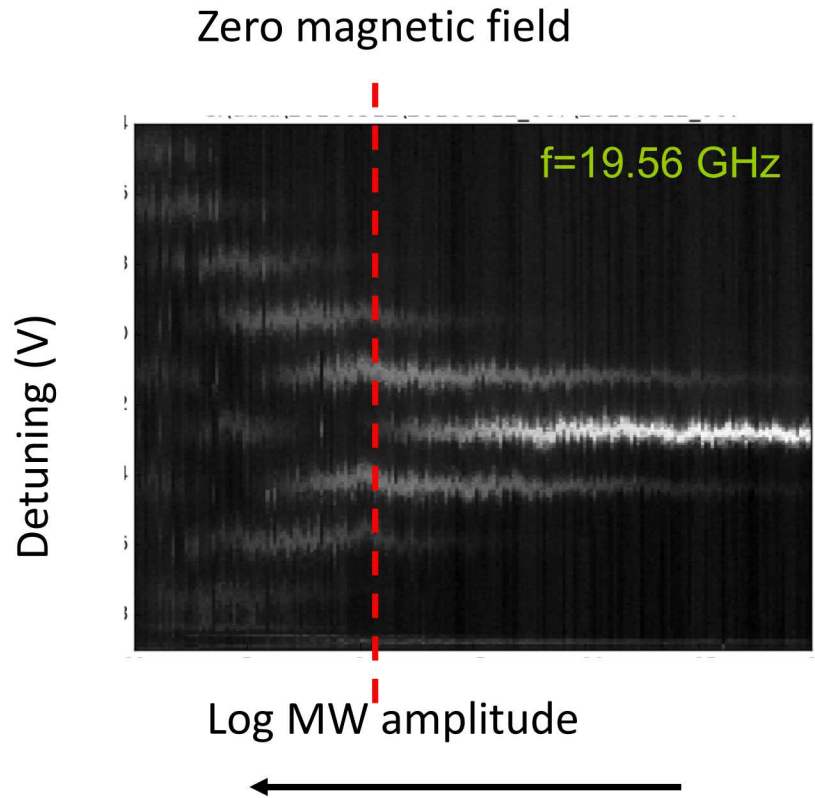
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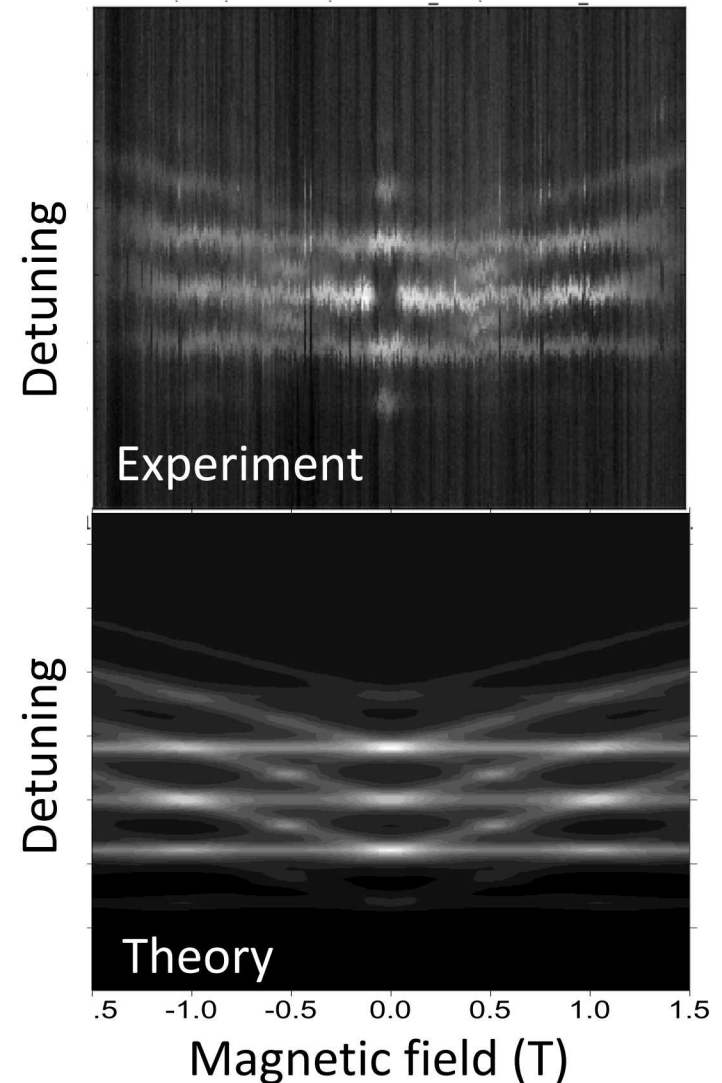
$$T_{2F}^* \sim T_{2N}^* \sim 100\text{ps}$$

# Magnetic field dependence of LZS

RC-CMC

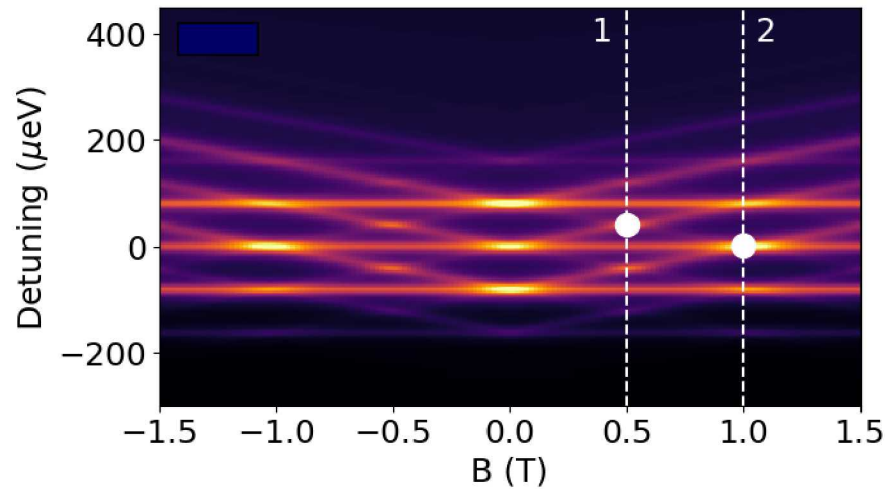


Pattern splits into  
spin-conserving and spin-flipping PAT



# Spin-not gate

MRC-CMRC



Two spin-flip transitions:

n=0 order:

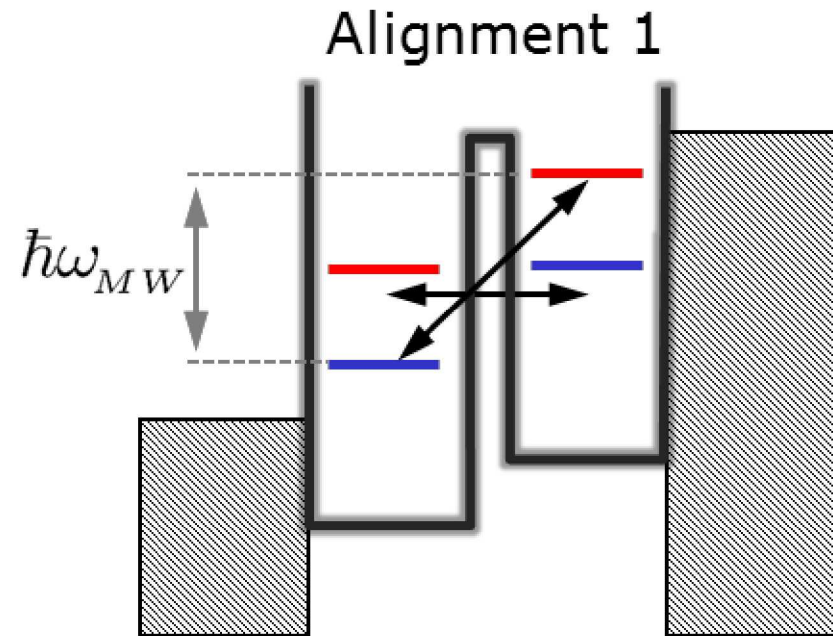
$$\uparrow\uparrow_L \leftrightarrow \downarrow\downarrow_R$$

n=1 order:

$$\downarrow\downarrow_L \leftrightarrow \uparrow\uparrow_R$$

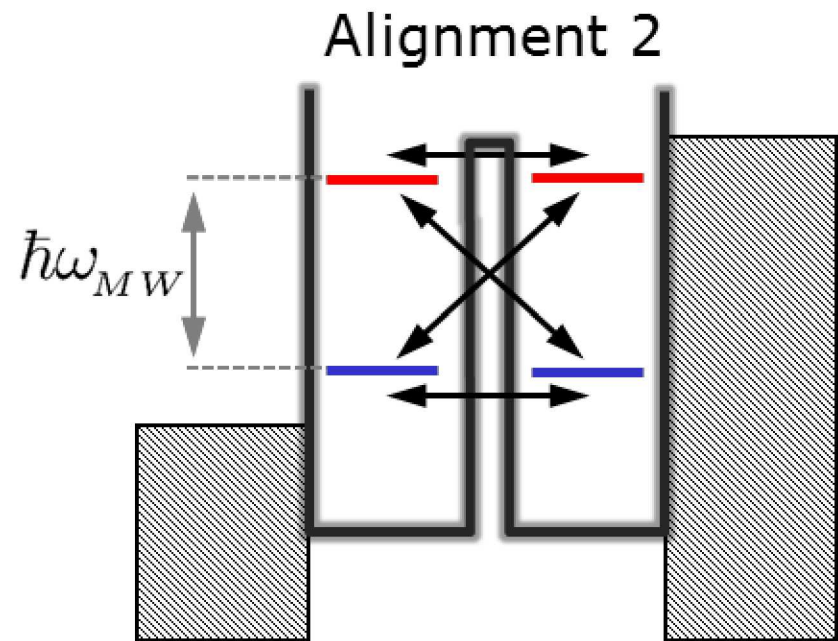
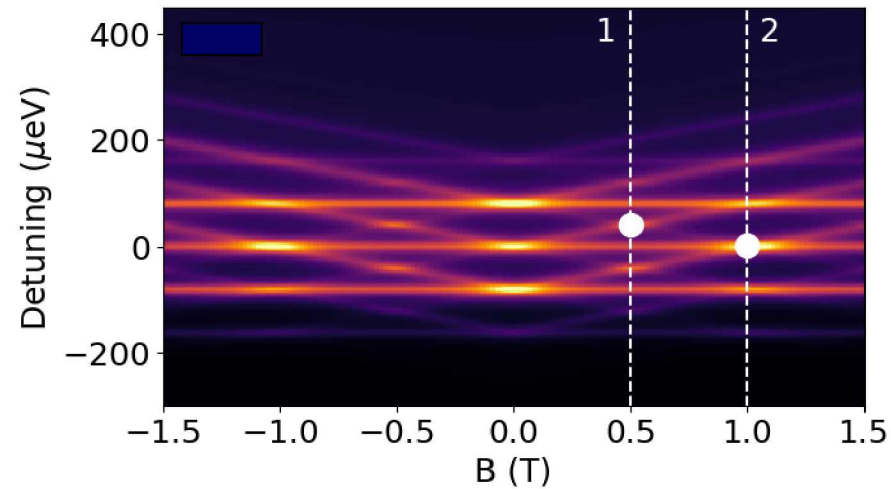
Possibility of the complete NOT gate

$$\alpha|\uparrow\uparrow_L\rangle + \beta|\downarrow\downarrow_L\rangle \leftrightarrow \alpha|\downarrow\downarrow_R\rangle + \beta|\uparrow\uparrow_R\rangle$$



# Interference loops

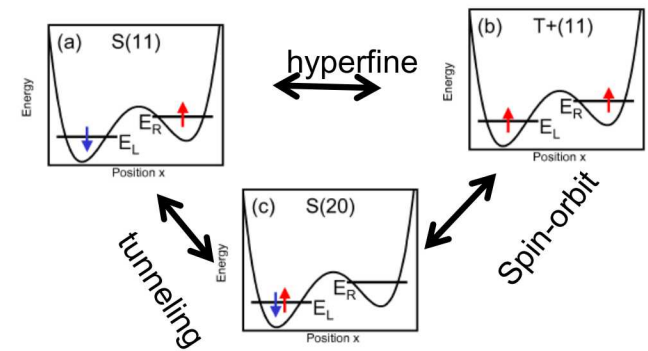
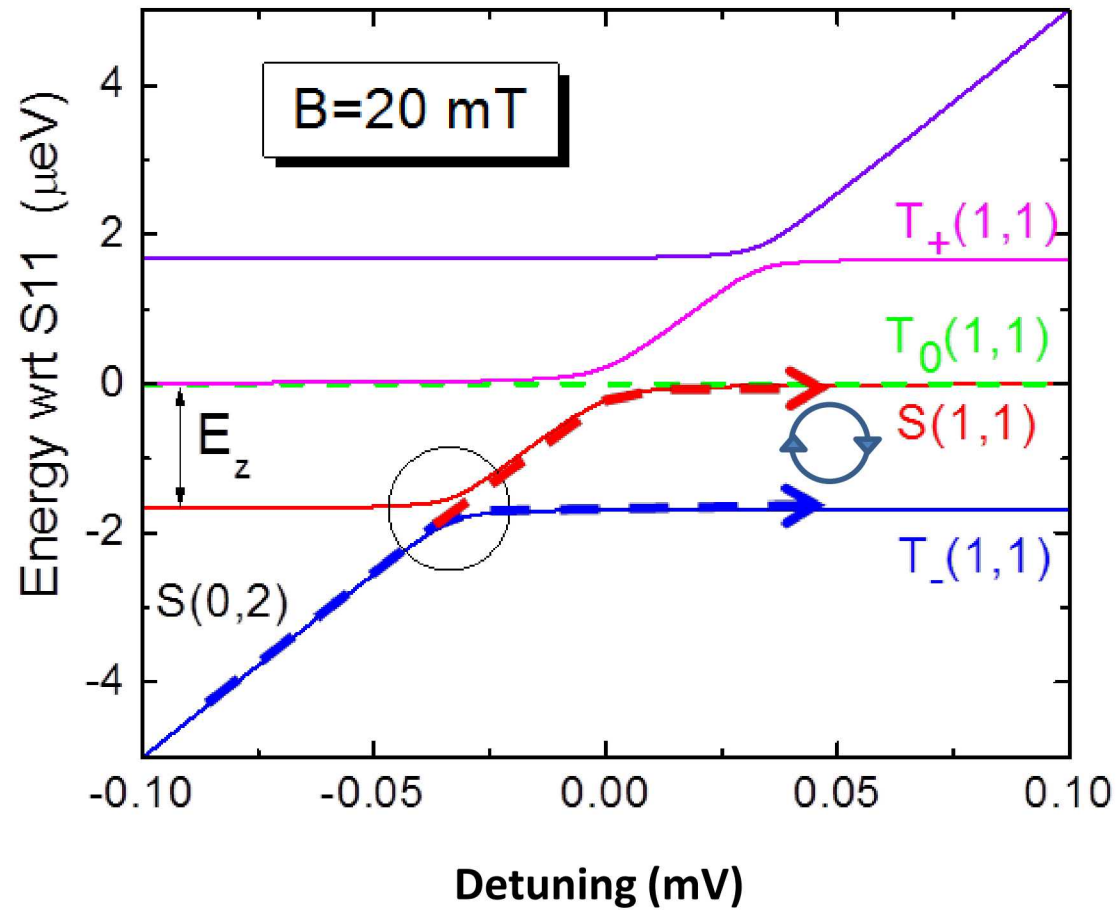
MC-CMC



Multiple photon-assisted tunneling pattern  
- possibility of novel quantum interference phenomena

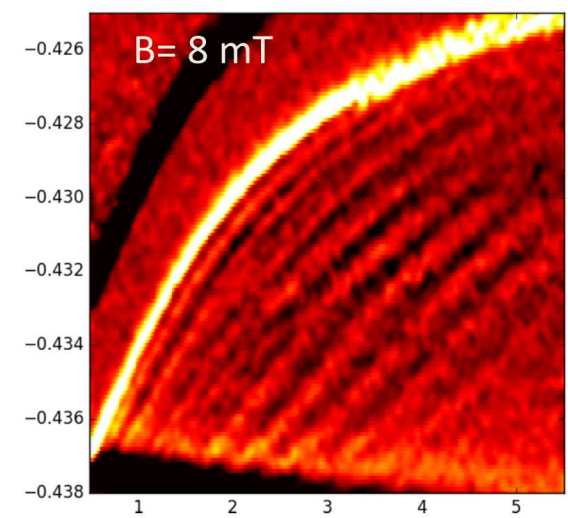
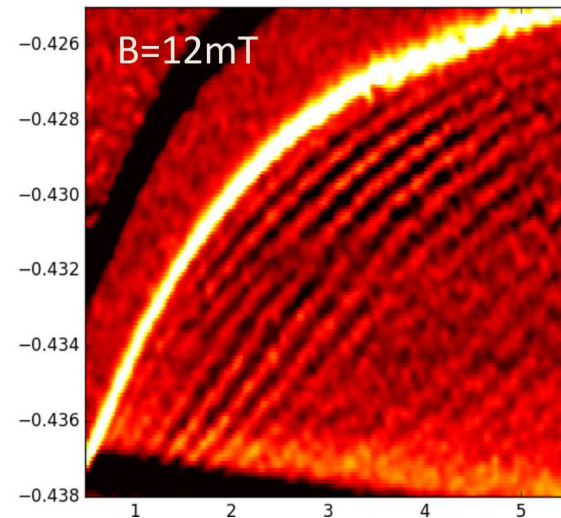
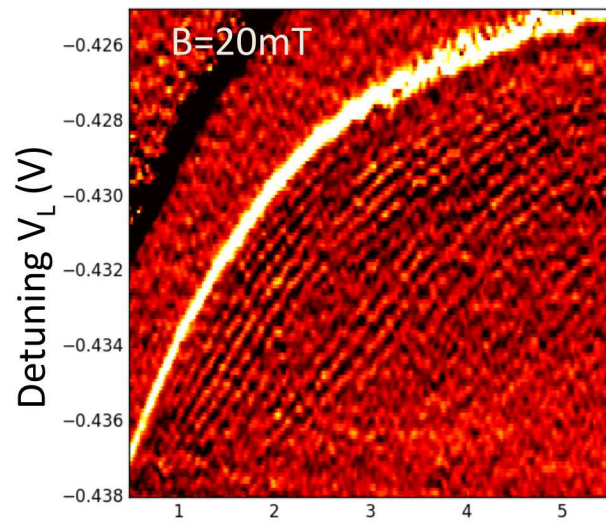
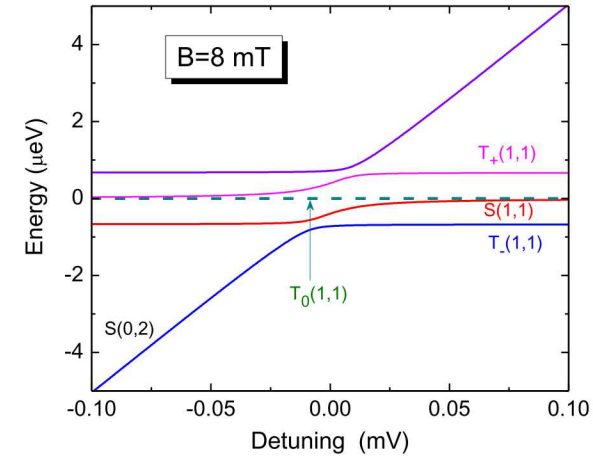
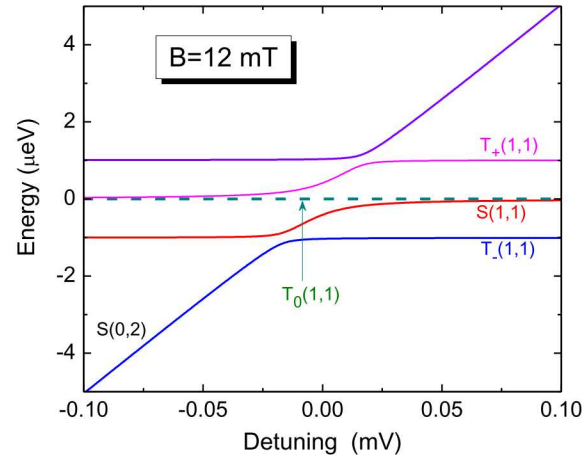
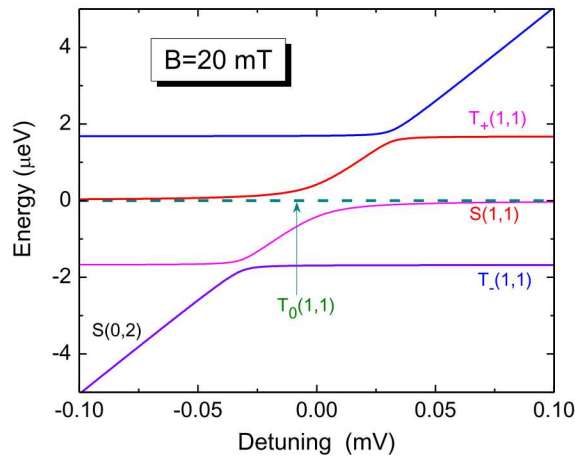
# 2 Hole LZS

MC-CMC



# LZS oscillations probing two-spin qubit at different magnetic fields

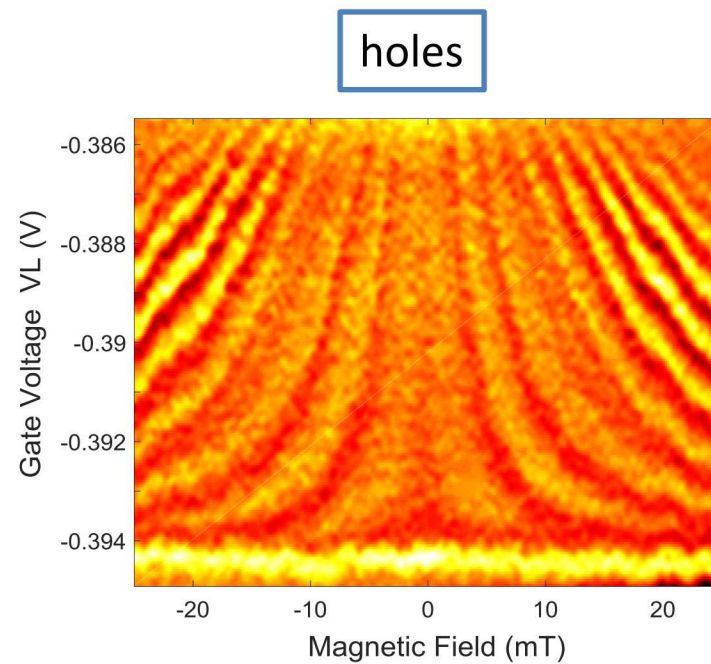
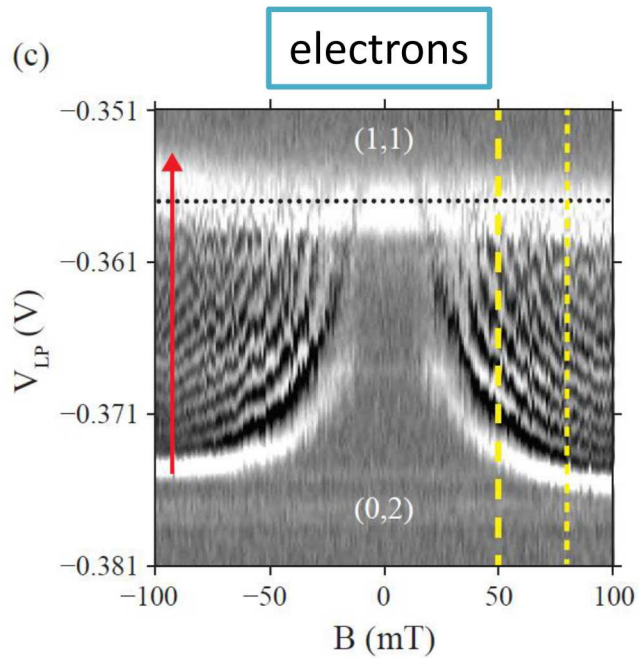
RC-CMC



Pulse duration ( $\times 10^{-8}$  ns)

# Coherent LZS funnels for electron and hole singlet-triplet systems

NR-CMRC



Spin-flip and non spin-flip tunneling similar order of magnitude due to strong S-O

Strong g-factor dependence on tilt -  $g \sim 0$  for in plane field

Single shot spin relaxation of single holes measured using latching technique  
- B dependence consistent with Phonon mediated Dresselhaus S-O

LZS interferometry for single hole provide opportunities for novel functionalities due to spin-flip tunneling and spin-flip photo-assisted tunneling

LZS between S and  $T_{\perp}$  for two holes observed involving S-O (not hyperfine) coupling