

# Feature detection and automation in Si MOS quantum dots toward automated qubit tuning

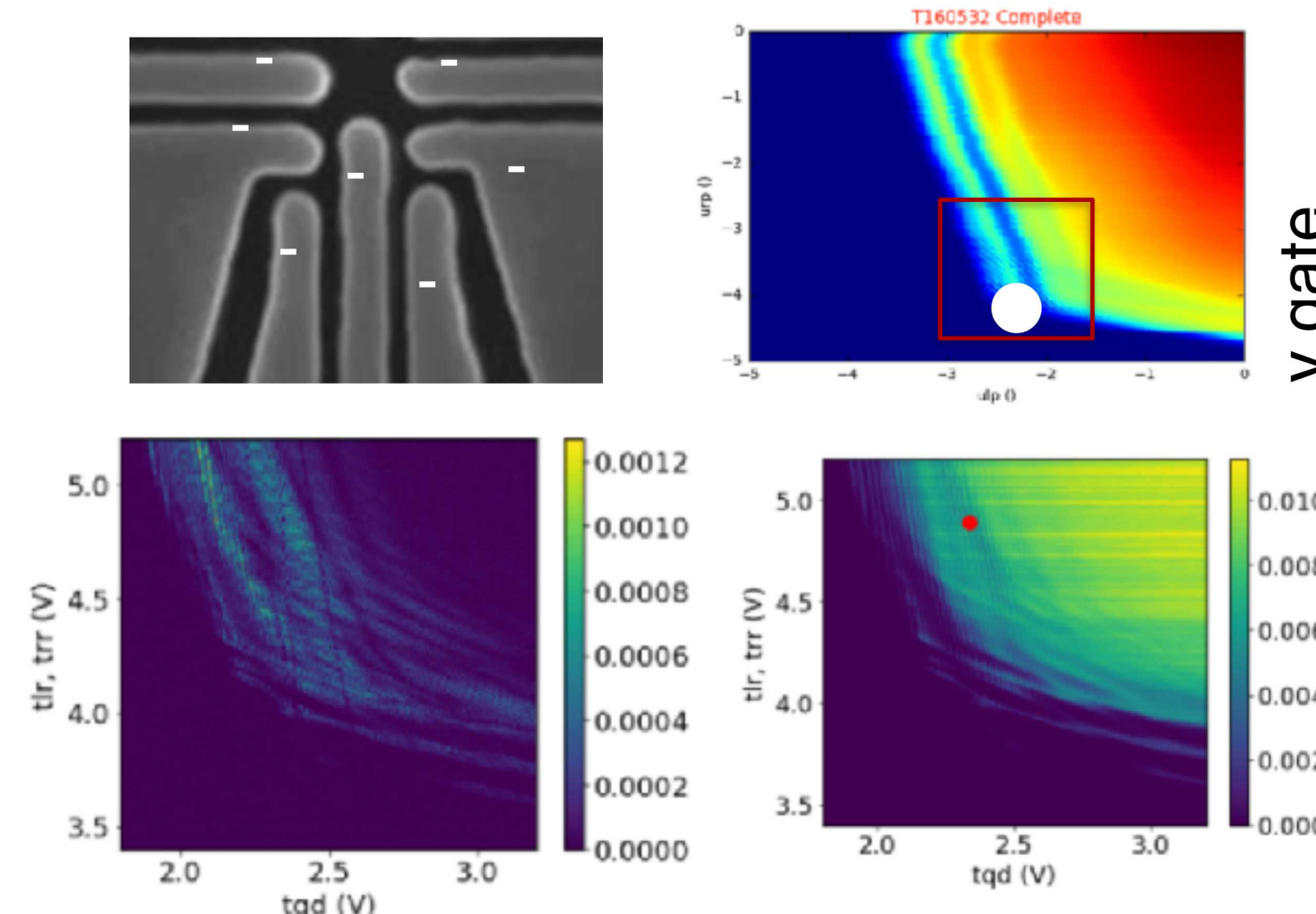
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## Introduction

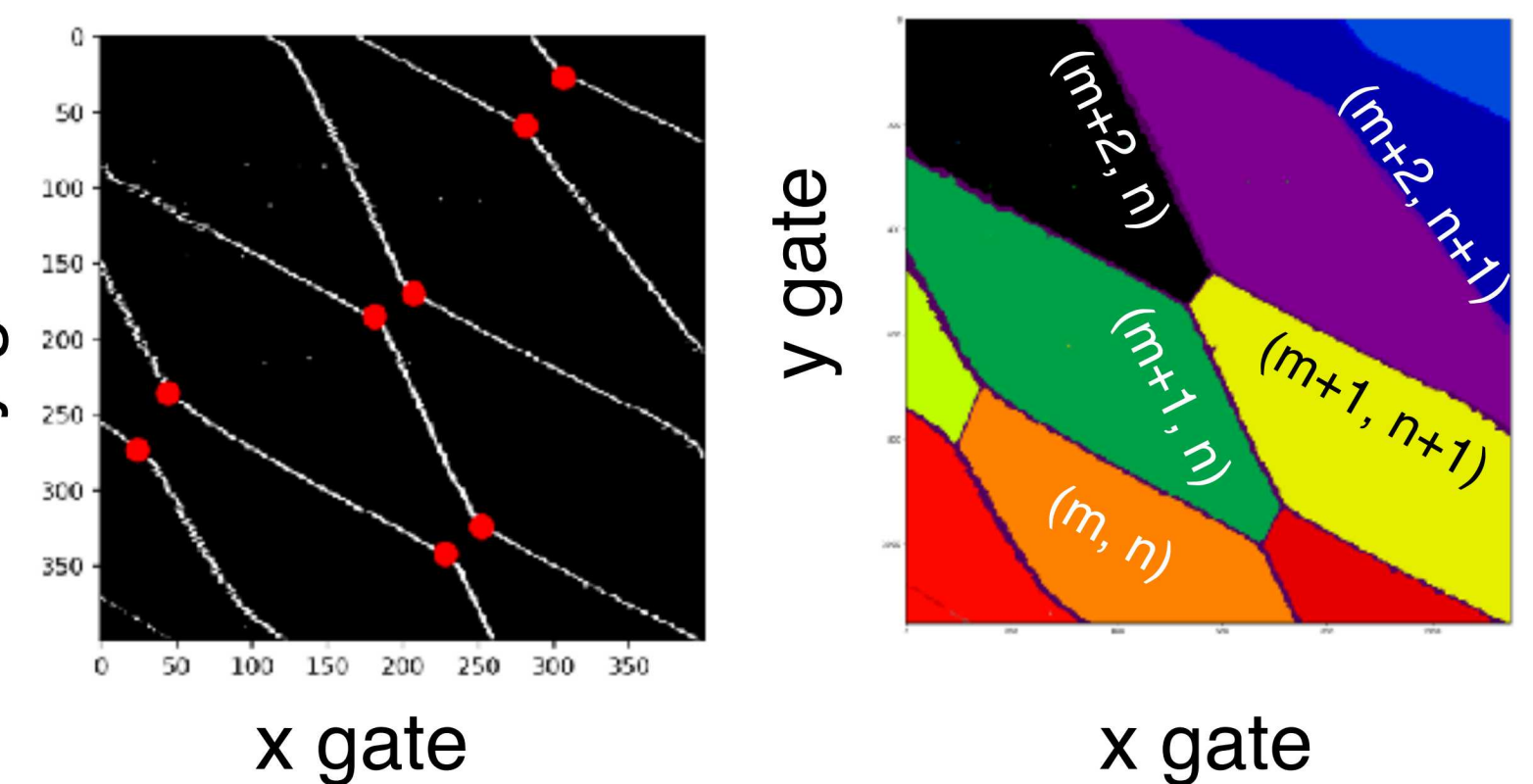
- Challenging tuning conditions and complex devices lead to a need for automated measurements and analysis [1]
- A few groups have shown some automation steps and automated analysis.[2, 3, 4, 5, 6]
- Previously we've shown that
  - Auto tune from no voltages to working charge sensor
  - Detect multiple charge offsets and anticrossings in a large voltage space
- Here we show a feed forward automation protocol starting at an anticrossing to generating pulse sequences toward qubit calibration

## Previous work

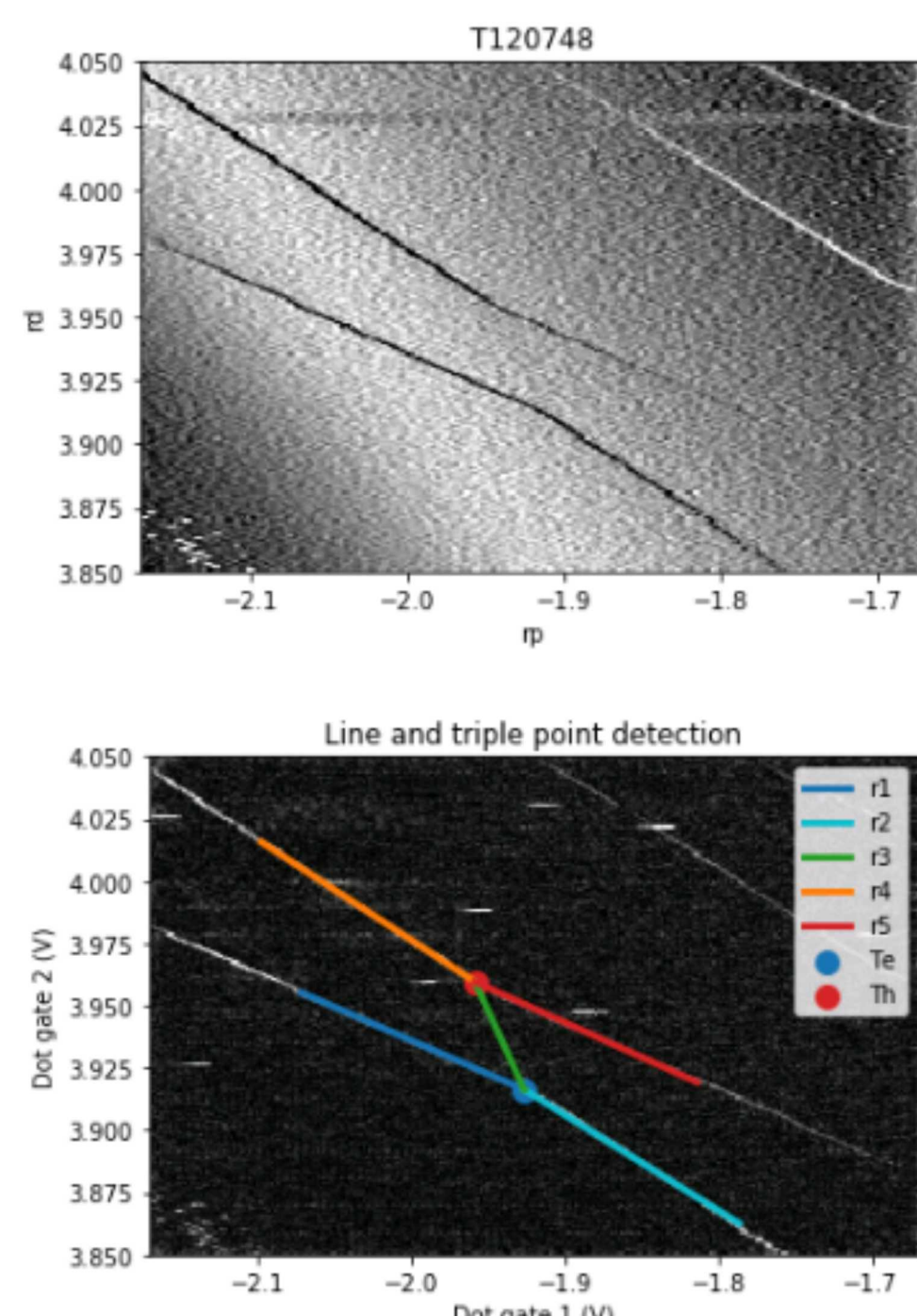
(a) Zero to charge sensor



(b) Finding anticrossings



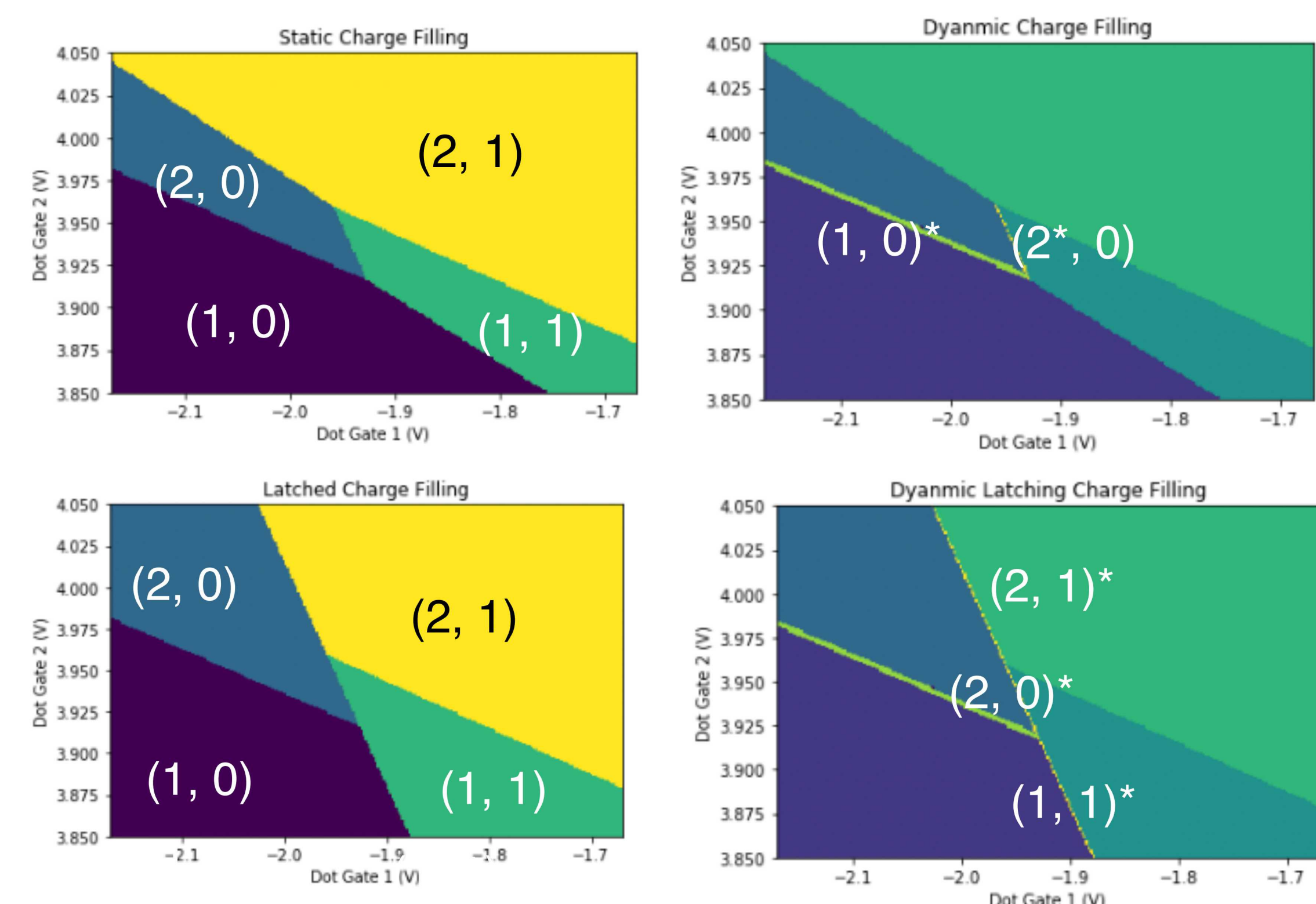
## Quantify Anticrossing Parameters



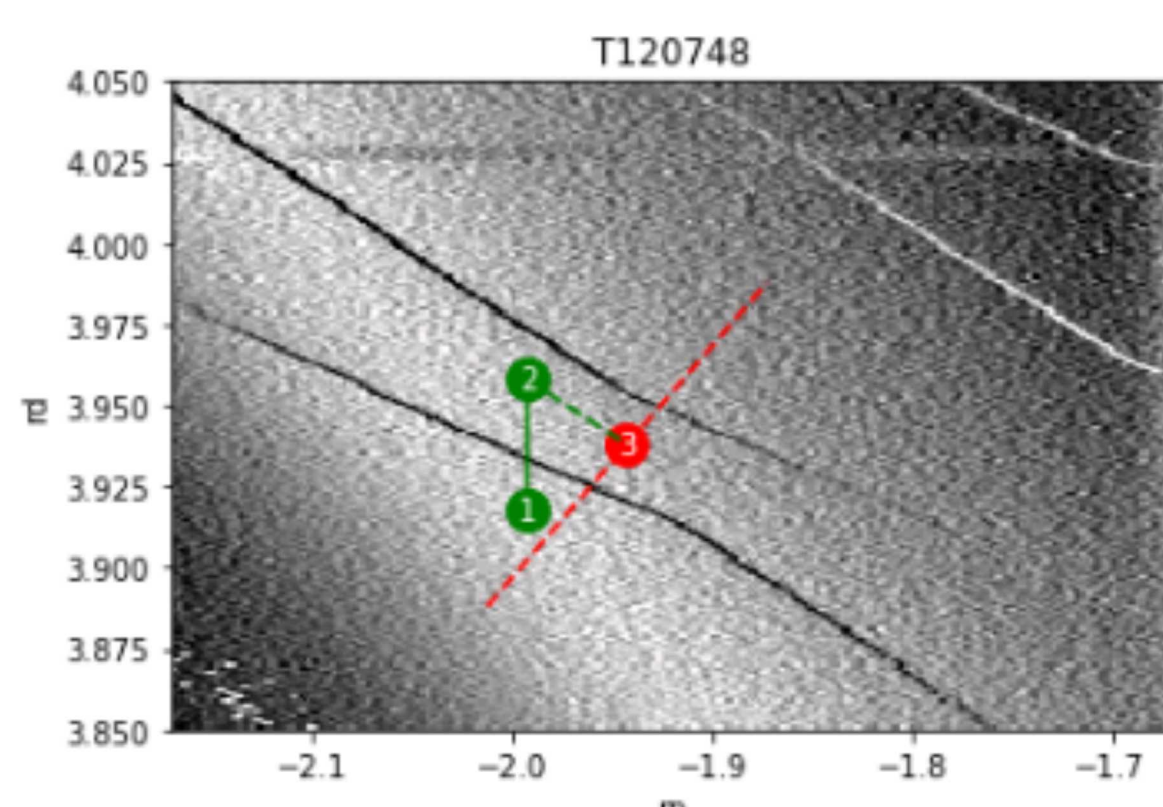
- Identify charge offsets and triple points in anticrossing stability diagram:
  - Hough transform to find lines
  - Gen. Hough Transform with angle template to find triple points
  - Optimize location triple points and angles

- Auto-Identify Stability Regions
  - Use output from anticrossing analysis
  - Simple greater than/less than rules apply for static and latching charge filling
  - Dynamic (excited states) can be filled in by knowledge of valley splitting

## Auto-Identify Stability Regions



## Auto-Generate Pulse Sequence



n	ramp	wait
1	100 ns	10 us
2	500 ns	1 us
3	500 ns	100 us

- '3 - level' pulse sequence is automatically generate from knowledge of charge stability regions
  - Initialize state in the (1, 0) region away from latch line
  - Load mixture of singlets and triplets in the (2, 0) region, beyond the (1, 0)\* excited state
  - Raster the readout point to observe potential readout window via Pauli Blockade or Latch Readout
- Other pulse sequences easily generated using similar logic

## Conclusions

**Starting from a single anticrossing of interest** (potential donor or double quantum dot qubit) we show we can:

- Analyze the stability diagram for triple point location and charge transition slopes
- Determine the charge filling for both the static and dynamic charge filling
- Automatically formulate a pulse sequence to begin calibrating our qubit

### Future Steps:

- Analysis modules for different pulse sequence results
- Mult-qubit stability diagram navigation

[1] Hensgens et al., Nature 548, 70 (2017). [4] Kalantre et al, arXiv:1712.04914 (2018).  
[2] Baart et al, APL 108, 213104 (2016). [5] Botzem et al. arXiv:1801.03755 (2018).  
[3] Diepen, et al, arXiv:1803.10352v1 (2018). [6] Lapointe-Major, Masters Thesis (2017)