

# Implementation of a Calcium Phagegate

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## Part I

Why?

# Outline

**1** Qubits

**2** Quantum Gates

**3** Universal Gates

**4** The Phasegate

# A Single Qubit

## Definition of a Single Qubit

$$|\Psi\rangle_{1q} = \alpha_0 |0\rangle + \alpha_1 |1\rangle$$

with

$$|\alpha_0|^2 + |\alpha_1|^2 = 1$$

## Vector Representation

$$|0\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|1\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle_{1q} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_0 \\ \alpha_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Two Qubits

## Definition of a Two-Qubit System

$$|\Psi\rangle_{2q} = \alpha_{00} |00\rangle + \alpha_{01} |01\rangle + \alpha_{10} |10\rangle + \alpha_{11} |11\rangle$$

with

$$|00\rangle \equiv |0\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

$$|01\rangle \equiv |0\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

$$|10\rangle \equiv |1\rangle \otimes |0\rangle$$

$$|11\rangle \equiv |1\rangle \otimes |1\rangle$$

## Vector Representation

$$|00\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad |01\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad |10\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad |11\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad |\Psi\rangle_{1q} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_{00} \\ \alpha_{10} \\ \alpha_{01} \\ \alpha_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$

## One and Two Qubit Gates

### 1 Qubit Gate: Hadamard

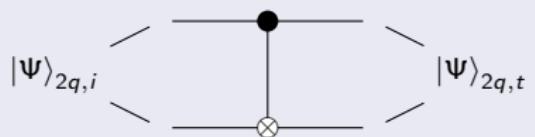
$$|\Psi\rangle_{1q,i} \xrightarrow{H} |\Psi\rangle_{1q,t}$$

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$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} |\Psi\rangle_{1q,i} = |\Psi\rangle_{1q,t}$$

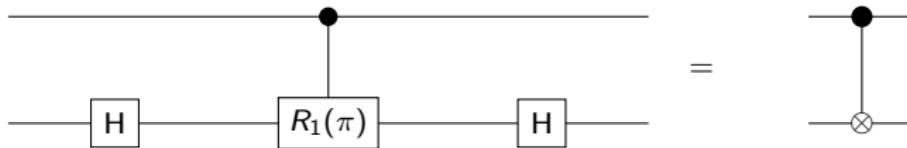
### 2 Qubit Gate: CNOT

$$|\Psi\rangle_{2q,i} \xrightarrow{CNOT} |\Psi\rangle_{2q,t}$$



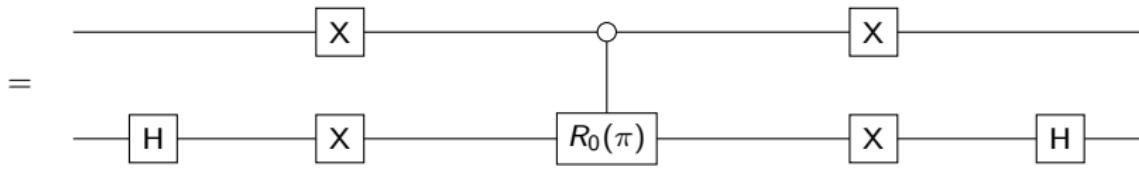
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## Quantum Circuits



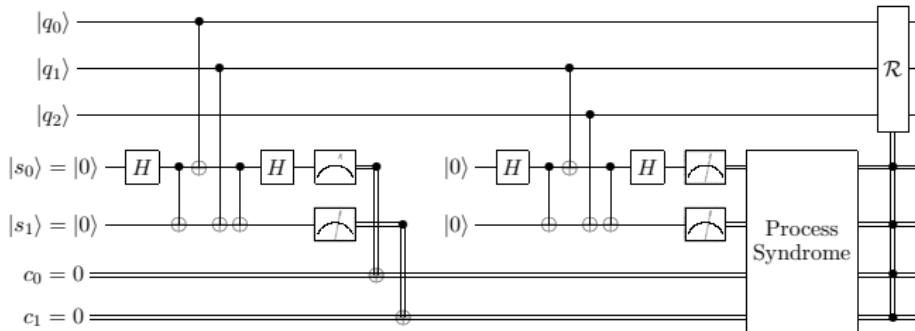
$$\mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{H} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{H} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

## CNOT from Phasegate

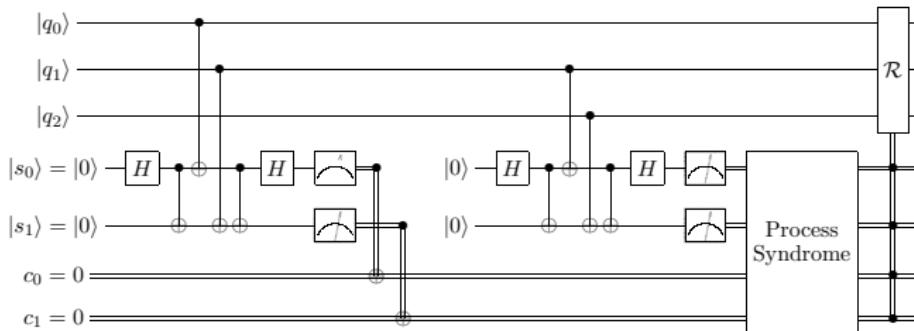


$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{H} \cdot (\hat{X} \otimes \mathbf{1} \cdot \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{X}) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\hat{X} \otimes \mathbf{1} \cdot \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{X}) \cdot \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{H}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Complicated Gates from One- and Two-Qubit Gates



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### Replacing Gates

In a complicated circuit involving multi-qubit gates, we can replace these gates with a series of one- and two-qubit gates

# Universal Gate Theorem

## Theorem

*Single Qubit and CNOT gates are universal: every quantum circuit can be constructed using only single qubit gates and the two-qubit CNOT gate.*

# The Controlled Phasegate

## Two-Qubit Controlled Phasegate

$$\hat{O} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Benefits of the Controlled Phasegate

- Depending on  $\phi$ , the Controlled Phasegate can emulate other gates.
- For  $\phi = \pi$ , it can emulate a CNOT.
- For  $\phi = \pi/2$ , it can emulate a SWAP.
- For  $\phi = \phi'/n$ , the gate can be repeated  $n$  times to achieve a total phase of  $\phi'$ .

## Part II

What?

# Outline

**5** Qubit Encoding in Calcium

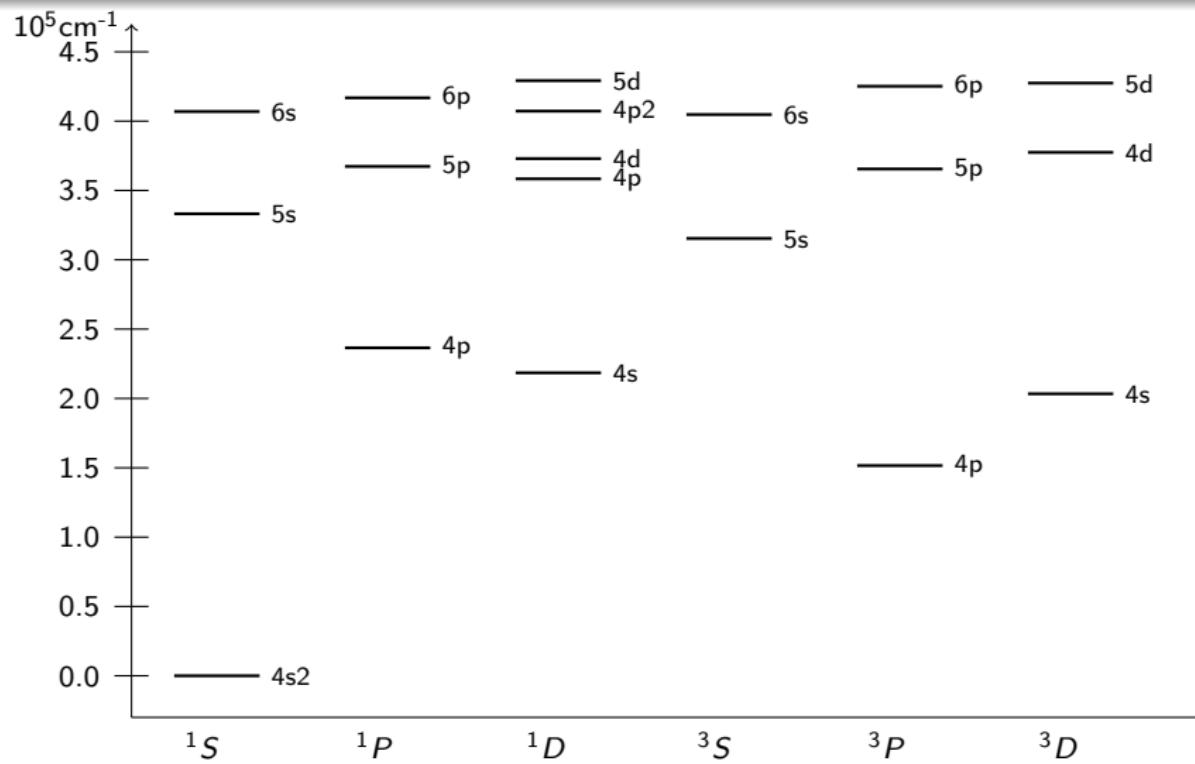
**6** The Two-Qubit System

**7** The Motional Degree of Freedom

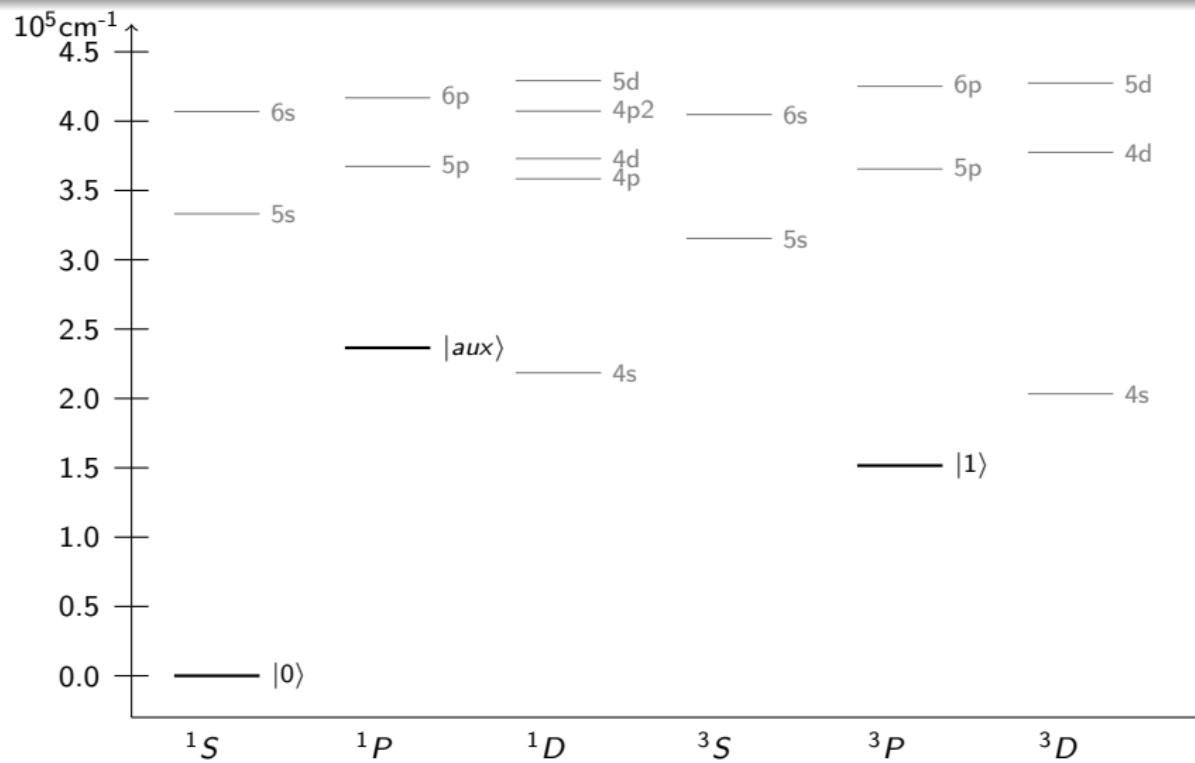
**8** The Full Optimization Target

**9** The Reduced Optimization Target

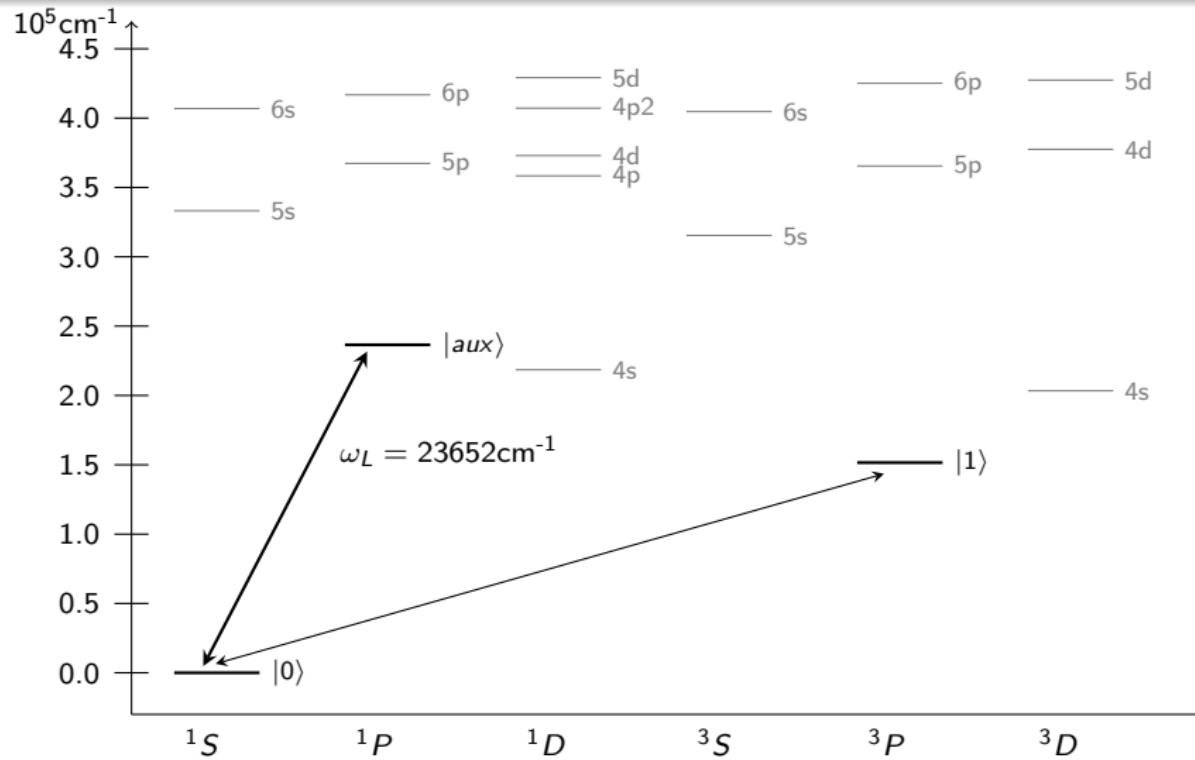
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# One-Qubit Hamiltonian

## Field Free Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H}_{1q}^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} E_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & E_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & E_{\text{aux}} \end{pmatrix}$$

## Field Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H}_{1q} = \begin{pmatrix} E_0 & 0 & \mu\epsilon(t) \\ 0 & E_1 & 0 \\ \mu^*\epsilon(t) & 0 & E_{\text{aux}} \end{pmatrix}$$

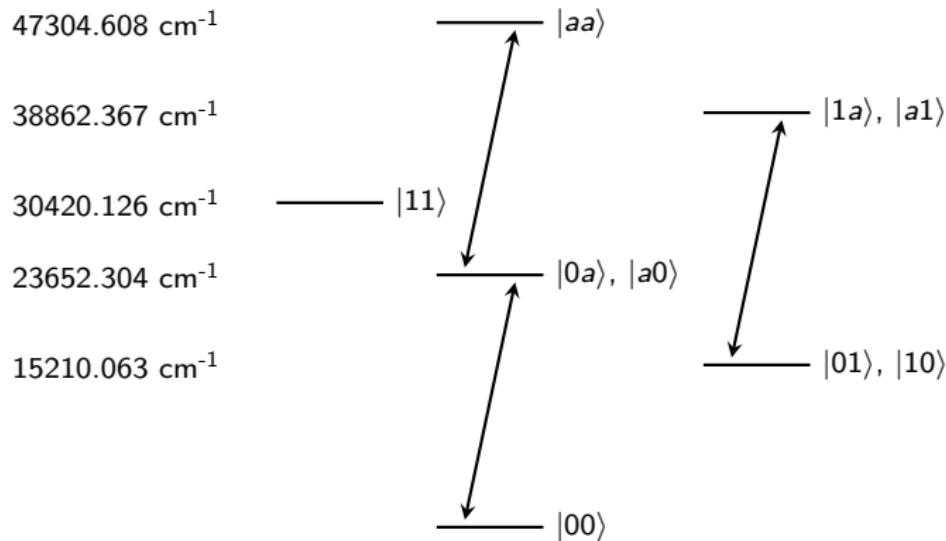
## Logical Two-Qubit Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H}_{2q} = \hat{H}_{1q} \otimes \mathbf{1} + \mathbf{1} \otimes \hat{H}_{1q}$$

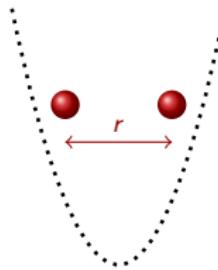
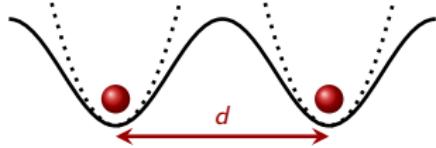
$$= \begin{pmatrix} E_0^0 & \cdot & \mu\epsilon & & \mu\epsilon & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & E_1^0 & \cdot & & \cdot & \mu\epsilon & \cdot \\ \mu\epsilon & \cdot & E_{\text{aux}}^0 & & \cdot & \cdot & \mu\epsilon \\ & & & E_0^1 & \cdot & \mu\epsilon & \\ & & & & E_1^1 & \cdot & \\ & & & & \mu\epsilon & E_{\text{aux}}^1 & \\ \mu\epsilon & \cdot & \cdot & & E_0^{\text{aux}} & \cdot & \mu\epsilon \\ \cdot & \mu\epsilon & \cdot & & \cdot & E_1^{\text{aux}} & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \mu\epsilon & & \mu\epsilon & \cdot & E_{\text{aux}}^{\text{aux}} \end{pmatrix},$$

with  $E_i^j \equiv E_i + E_j$

## Logical Two-Qubit System



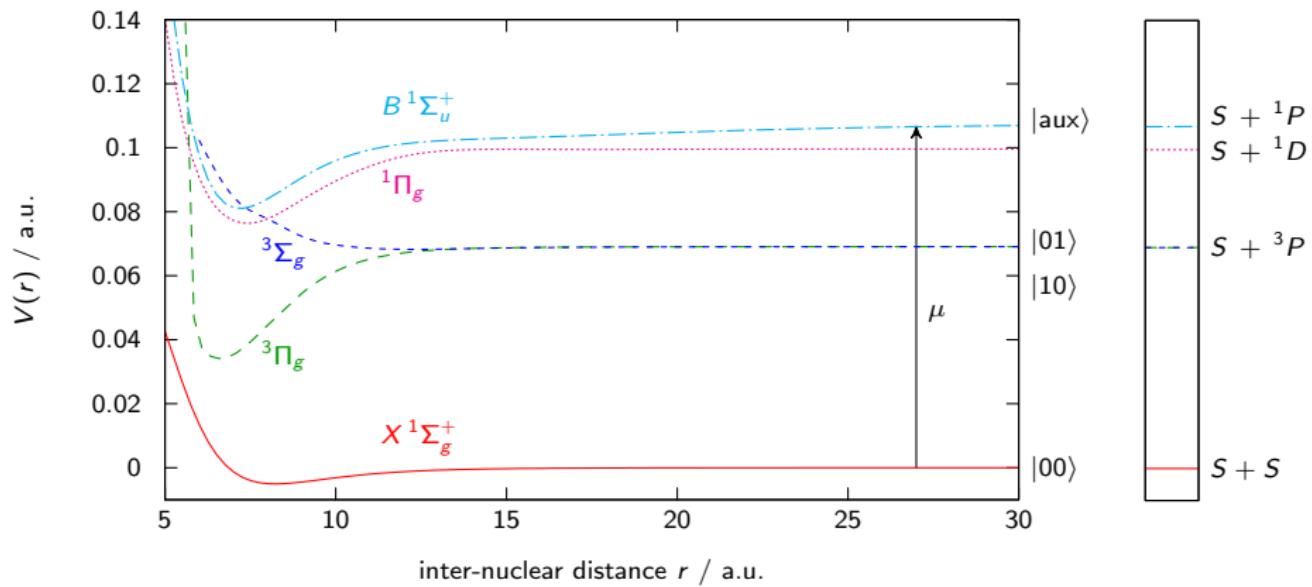
## Atoms in the Optical Lattice



### Wavefunction Including the Motional Degree of Freedom

$$|\Psi(r)\rangle_{2q} = \Psi(r) \otimes \sum_{i,j=\{0,1\}} a_{ij} |ij\rangle$$

## Interaction (Born-Oppenheimer) Potentials



## Full Two-Qubit Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H}_{2q}(r) = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{T} + \hat{V}_0^0(r) + \hat{V}_{\text{trap}}(r) & \hat{\mu}\epsilon(t) & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \hat{T} + \hat{V}_{\text{aux}}^0(r) + \hat{V}_{\text{trap}}(r) & \\ \hat{\mu}\epsilon(t) & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

## Optimization of Full Unitary Transformations

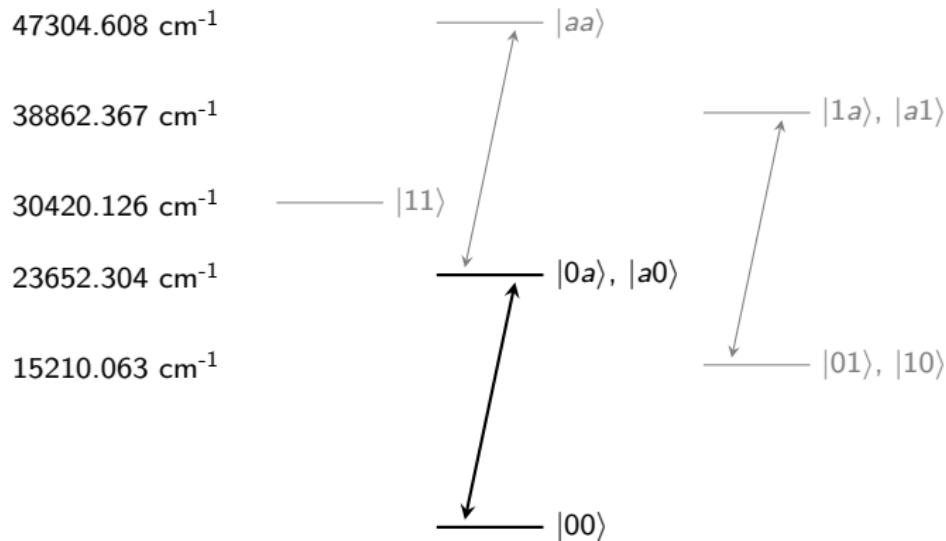
$$\begin{aligned} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}, \epsilon(t) &\xrightarrow{!} e^{i\phi} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{01}, \epsilon(t) &\xrightarrow{!} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{01} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{10}, \epsilon(t) &\xrightarrow{!} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{10} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{11}, \epsilon(t) &\xrightarrow{!} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{11} \quad (\text{guaranteed}) \end{aligned}$$

### Objective

Find a pulse  $\epsilon(t)$  that transforms the basis states into transformed states within a given time window  $[0, T]$ . This pulse will transform any state  $|\Psi(r)\rangle$  according to the unitary transformation

$$\hat{O} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\phi} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Reduced Two-Level System



## Reduced Hamiltonian and Target

### Hamiltonian for Reduced System

$$\hat{H}_{2q,\text{red}}(r) = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{T} + \hat{V}_0^0(r) + \hat{V}_{\text{trap}}(r) & \hat{\mu}\epsilon(t) \\ \hat{\mu}\epsilon(t) & \hat{T} + \hat{V}_{\text{aux}}^0(r) + \hat{V}_{\text{trap}}(r) \end{pmatrix}$$

### Reduced System Optimization Target

$$|\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}, \epsilon(t) \xrightarrow{!} e^{i\phi} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}$$

Is this enough?

## One-Qubit Phase

$$R_0(\phi_0) \otimes \mathbf{1} \cdot \mathbf{1} \otimes R_0(\phi) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{2i\phi_0} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi_0} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\phi_0} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}, \epsilon(t) &\longrightarrow e^{i\chi_{00}} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{01}, \epsilon(t) &\longrightarrow e^{i\chi_{00}/2} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{01} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{10}, \epsilon(t) &\longrightarrow e^{i\chi_{00}/2} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{10} \\ |\Psi(r)\rangle_{11}, \epsilon(t) &\longrightarrow |\Psi(r)\rangle_{11} \end{aligned}$$

## Non-interaction Target

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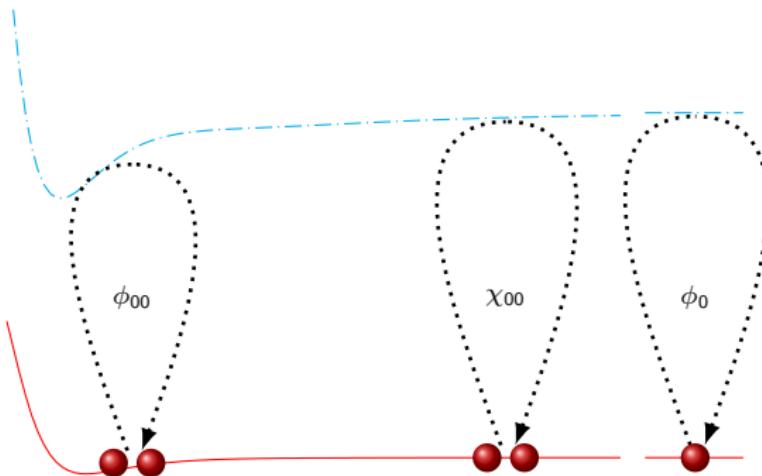
### Reduced System Optimization Target

$$|\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}, \epsilon(t) \xrightarrow{!} e^{i\phi} |\Psi(r)\rangle_{00}$$

$$|0\rangle, \epsilon(t) \xrightarrow{!} |0\rangle$$

$$|00\rangle \longrightarrow e^{i\phi_{00}+2\phi_0} |00\rangle; \quad \phi_{00} : \text{true interaction phase}$$

## Interacting and Non-Interacting Contributions to the Phase



## Part III

How?

# Outline

**10** Numerical Description

**11** Propagation

**12** OCT

# Numerics

- Discretization of time grid and spatial grid
- Mapping
- Numerical Calculation of Eigensystem
- IO/Analysis: Expectation values, population, etc.

## Chebychev Propagation

- Time Evolution:  $\Psi(r, t) = \Psi(r, 0) e^{-i\hat{H}(\epsilon)t}$
- Polynomial Expansion:  $e^{-i\hat{H}t} = \sum_{n=0}^N a_n P_n(H(\epsilon))$
- Renormalization:  $\hat{H}' = \frac{1}{\Delta E} \left( \hat{H} - \left( \frac{\Delta E}{2} + V_{\min} \right) \cdot \mathbf{1} \right)$
- Chebychev-Propagation:  $e^{-i\hat{H}t} = e^{-i(\frac{\Delta E}{2} + V_{\min})t} \sum \left[ a_n \left( \frac{\Delta E}{2} t \right) \phi_n(-i\hat{H}') \right]$
- $a_n, \phi_n(-i\hat{H}')$  from recursion

## OCT Formulas

### Optimization Functional

$$J = -F(\{\Psi(T)\}) + \int_{t=0}^T \frac{\alpha_0}{s(t)} \Delta\epsilon^2(t) dt$$

### Field Update

$$\Delta\epsilon(t) = \frac{s(t)}{2\alpha_0} \Im \left[ \sum_{k=1}^N \langle \Psi_{ik} | \hat{O}^\dagger \hat{U}^\dagger(t, T; \epsilon^{(0)}) \hat{\mu} \hat{U}(t, 0; \epsilon^{(1)}) | \Psi_{ik} \rangle \right]$$

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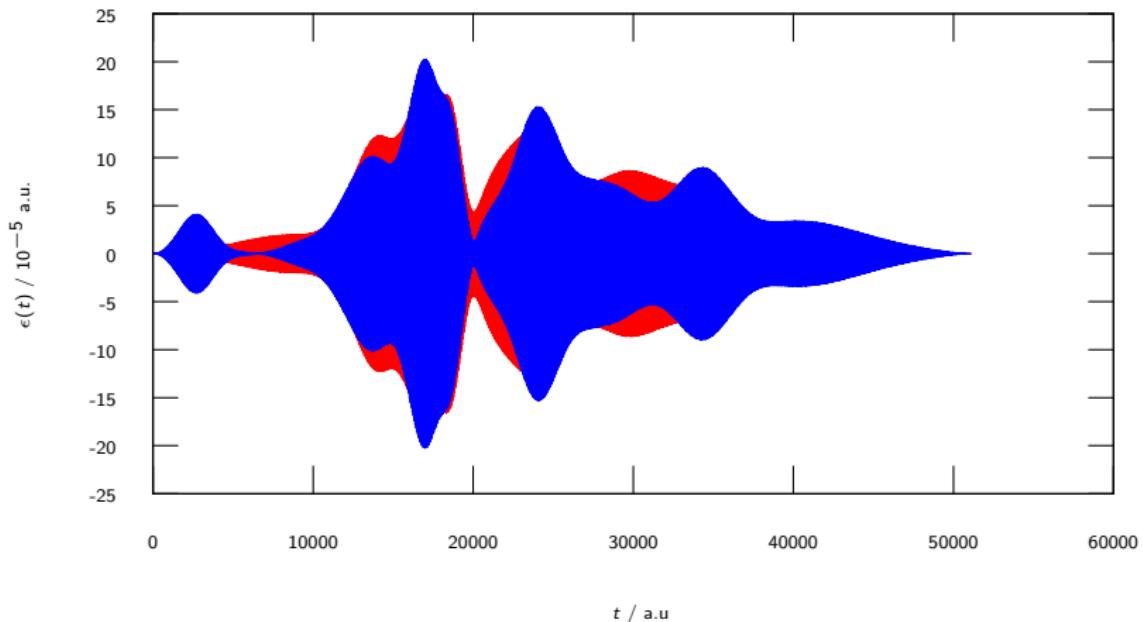
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## Guess Pulse and Optimized Pulse



## OCT Algorithm

$$t_0 \quad t = t_0 + dt \quad \dots \quad t = T - dt \quad T = t_0 + nt \cdot dt$$

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$$\epsilon_1 \quad \epsilon_2 \quad \dots \quad \epsilon_{nt-2} \quad \epsilon_{nt-1}$$

$\Psi_t$

$\Psi_i$

$$\times \quad \quad \quad \times \quad \quad \quad \times \quad \quad \quad \times \\ t_0 + \frac{dt}{2} \quad \quad \quad t_0 + \frac{3}{2}dt \quad \dots \quad T - \frac{3}{2}dt \quad \quad \quad T - \frac{dt}{2}$$

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$\epsilon_1$

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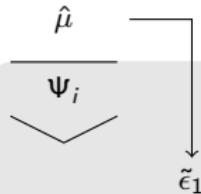
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$\epsilon_2$                      $\epsilon_{nt-2}$                      $\epsilon_{nt-1}$

$\hat{\mu}$                      $\Psi_{bw}(t_0)$                      $\dots$                      $\Psi_{bw}(t)$                      $\Psi_t$



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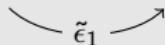
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$\tilde{\epsilon}_1$

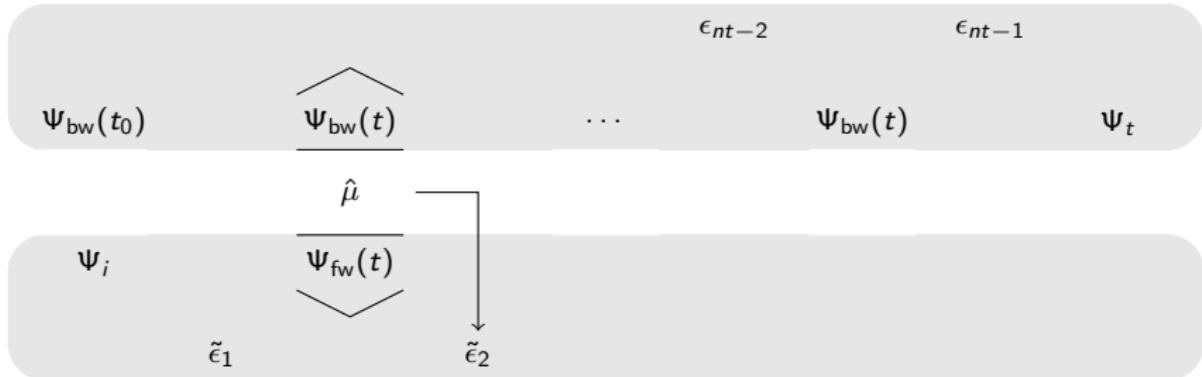


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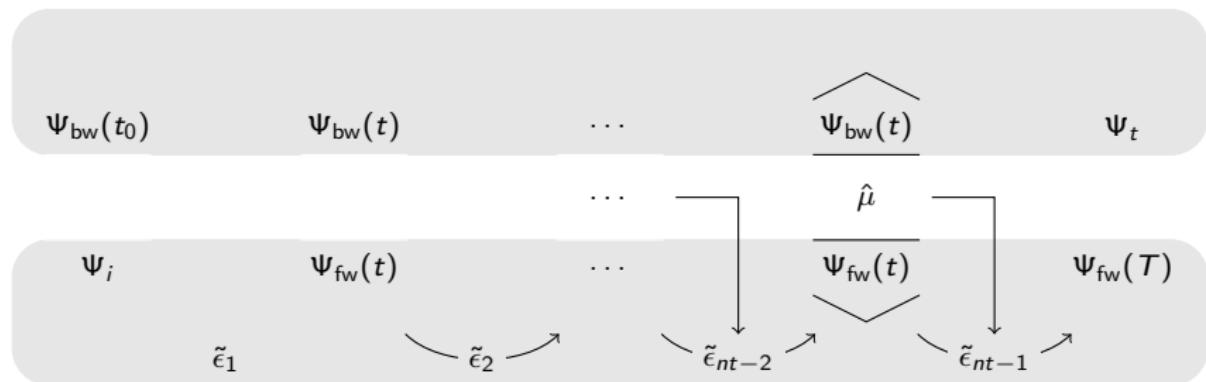


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$$\Psi_i \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \Psi_{\text{fw}}(T)$$

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$$\Psi_{\text{bw}}(t_0) \quad \Psi_{\text{bw}}(t) \quad \dots \quad \Psi_{\text{bw}}(t)$$

$\overbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}^{\Psi_t} = \tau$

$\Psi_i$

$$\tilde{\epsilon}_1 \quad \tilde{\epsilon}_2 \quad \dots \quad \tilde{\epsilon}_{nt-2} \quad \tilde{\epsilon}_{nt-1}$$

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## Part IV

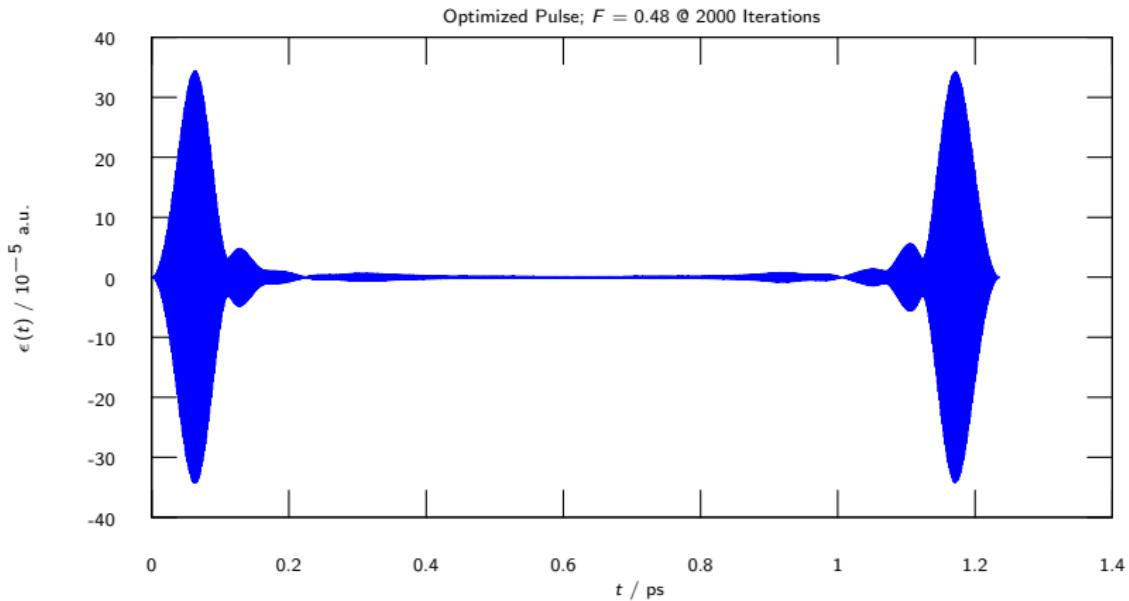
### Results

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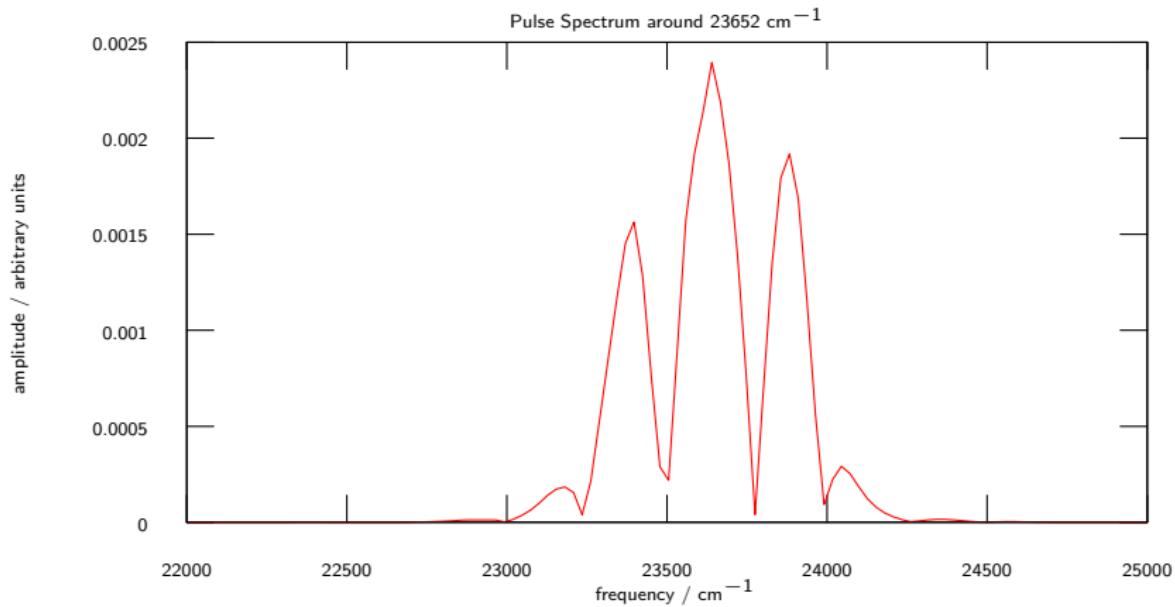
- 13 Result for 1 ps Pulse on Reduced System**
- 14 Result for 50 ps Pulse on Reduced System**
- 15 Result for 1 ps  $\pi/2$ -Pulse on Reduced System**
- 16 Result for 1 ps Pulse on Full System**
- 17 Result for 1 ps  $\pi/2$ -Pulse on Full System**
- 18 Open Questions**

# 1 ps Pulse in Reduced System

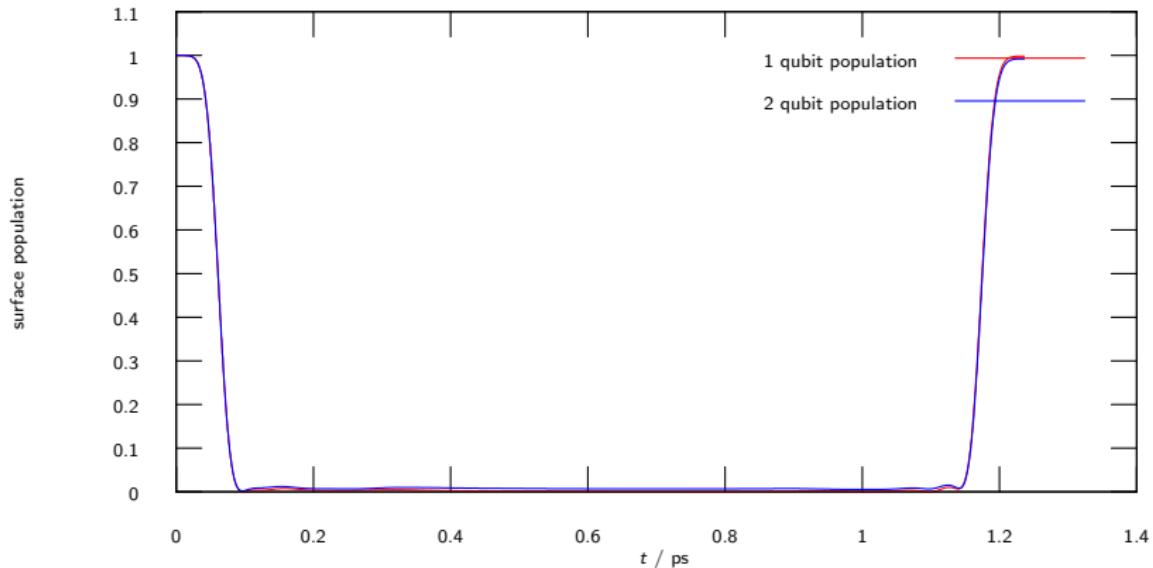
## Optimized Pulse



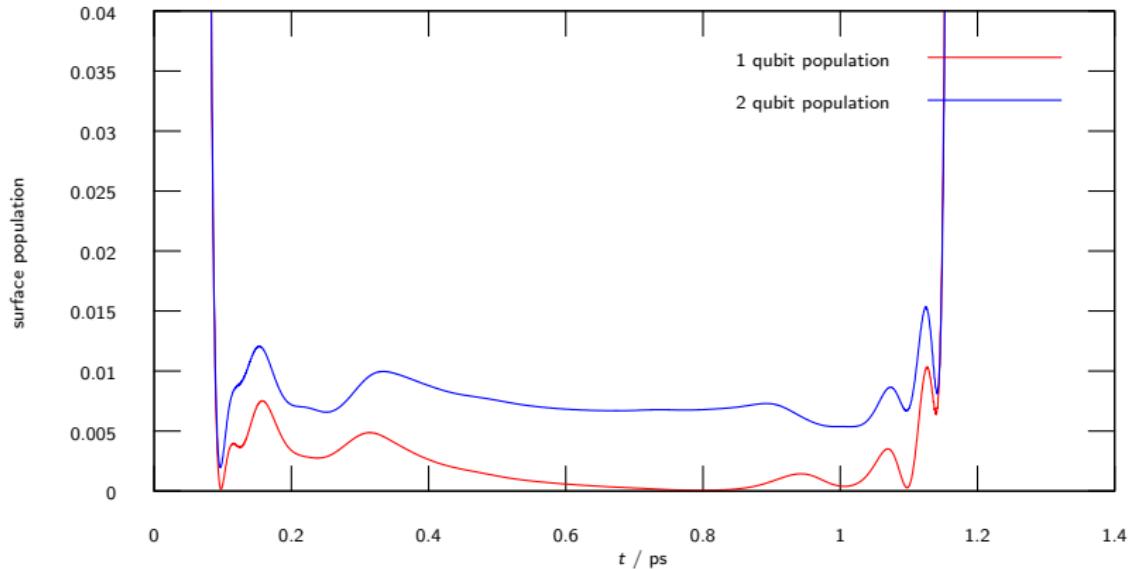
## Optimized Pulse Spectrum



## Population



## One and Two-Qubit Population



# Plotting the Phase Dynamics

## One-Qubit System

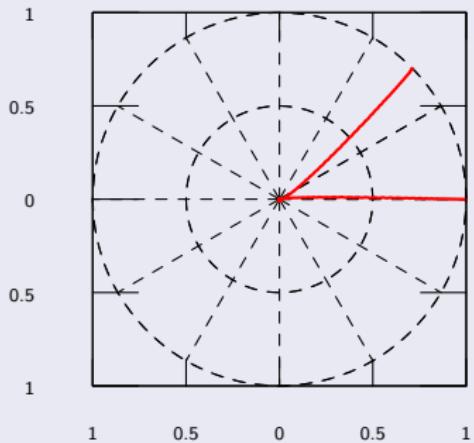
- $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_a \end{pmatrix}$
- One-Qubit Phasigate if  $a_a = 0$  and  $a_0 \in \mathbb{C}$
- Plot  $a_0$  in complex plane:  
points on unit circle represent phase gate.

## Two-Qubit System

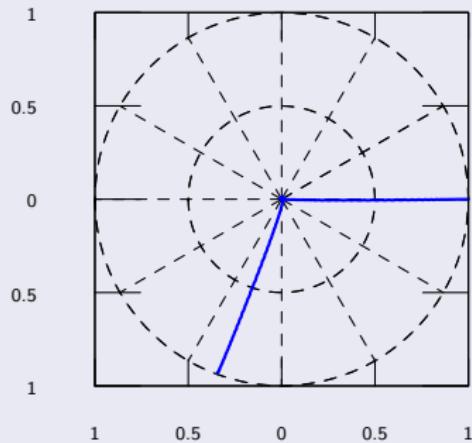
- $\begin{pmatrix} \Psi_{0,i}(r) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_0(r) \\ \Psi_a(r) \end{pmatrix}$
- Average relative phase:  
 $\phi = \text{ph}(\langle \Psi_{0,i} | \Psi_0 \rangle)$
- Population:  $a_0^2 = |\Psi_0|^2$
- Plot  $a_0^2 e^{i\phi}$  in complex plane:  
points on unit circle represent (average) phase gate.

# Phase Dynamics

## One-Qubit System

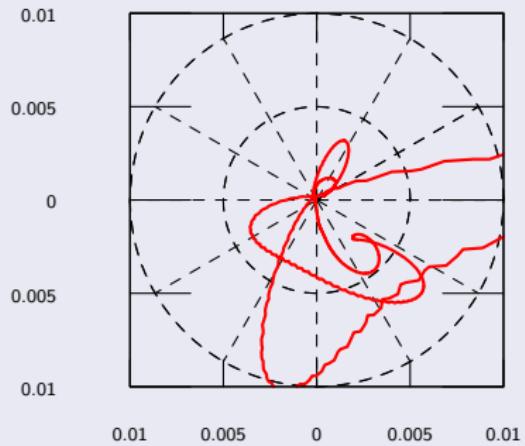


## Two-Qubit System

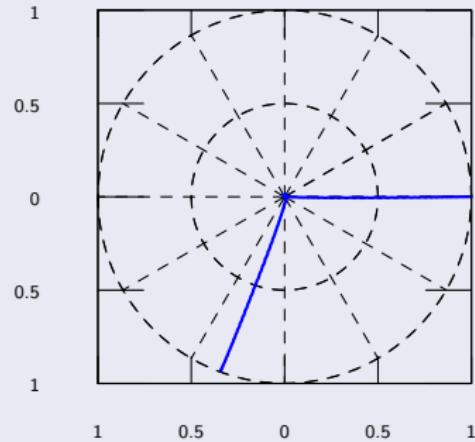


## Phase Dynamics during Depopulated Period

One-Qubit System

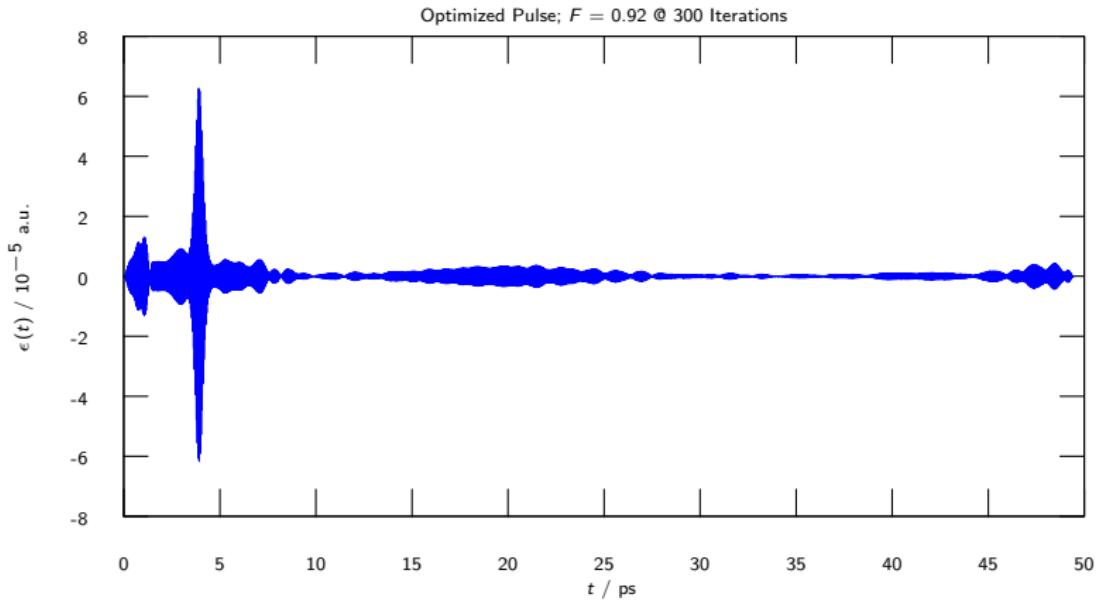


Two-Qubit System

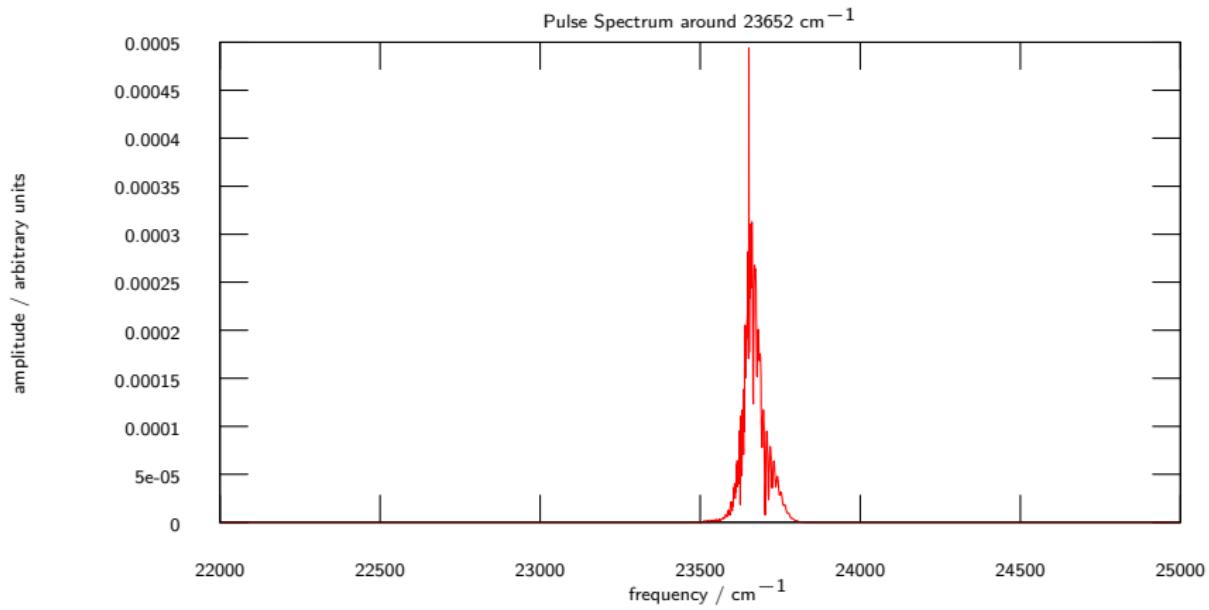


# 50 ps Pulse in Reduced System

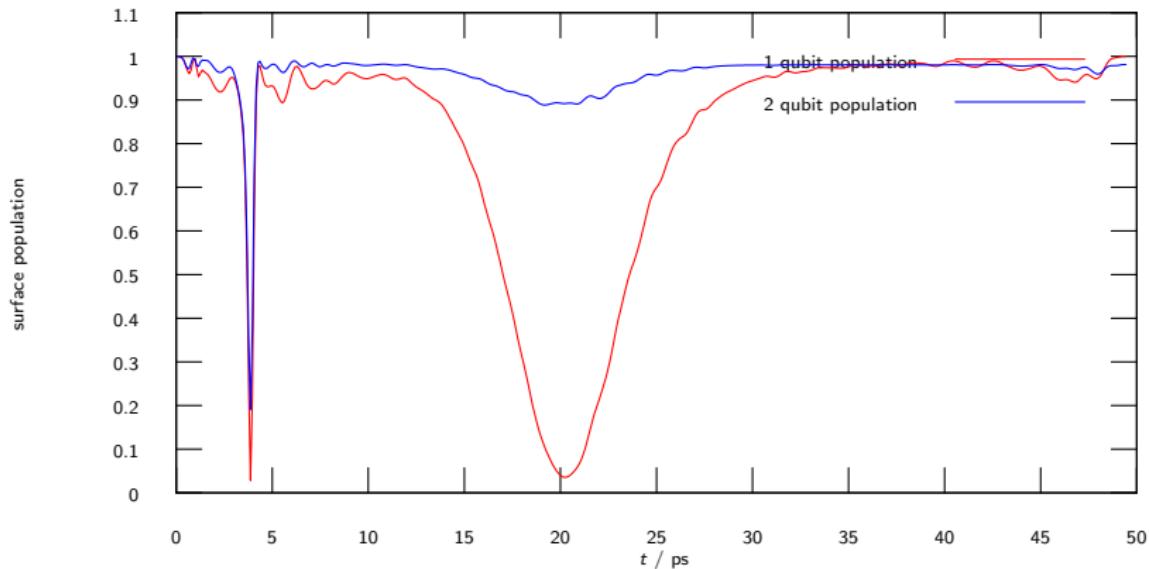
## Optimized Pulse



## Optimized Pulse Spectrum

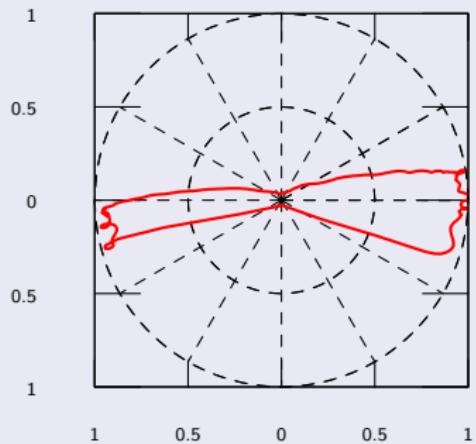


## Population

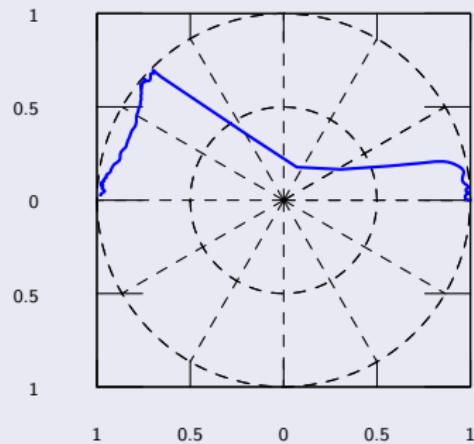


# Phase Dynamics

## One-Qubit System



## Two-Qubit System



Result for 1 ps Pulse on Reduced System

Result for 50 ps Pulse on Reduced System

**Result for 1 ps  $\pi/2$ -Pulse on Reduced System**

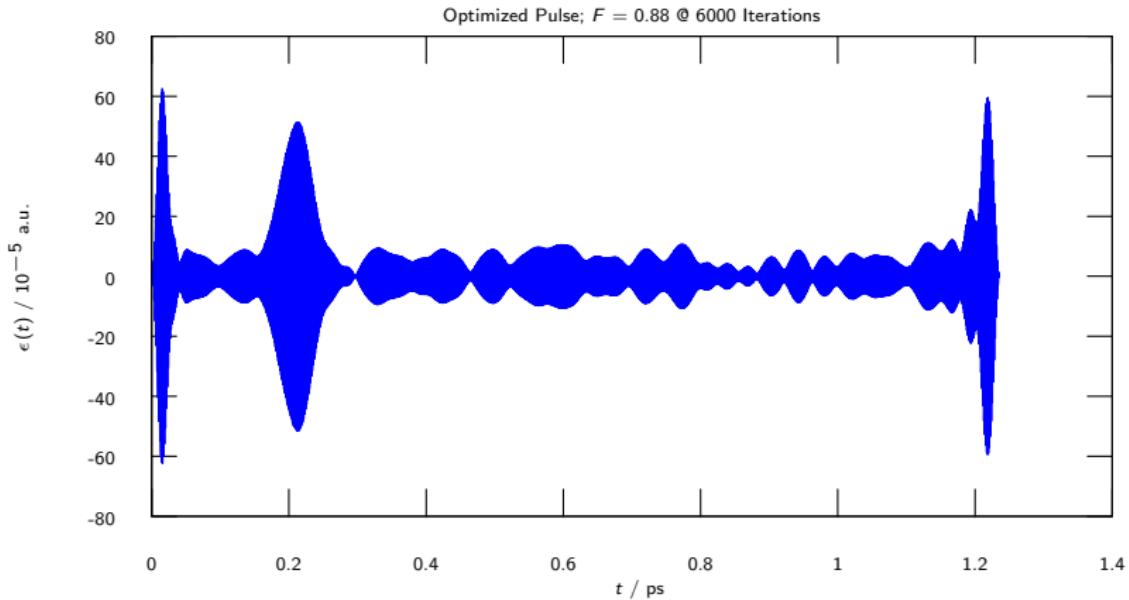
Result for 1 ps Pulse on Full System

Result for 1 ps  $\pi/2$ -Pulse on Full System

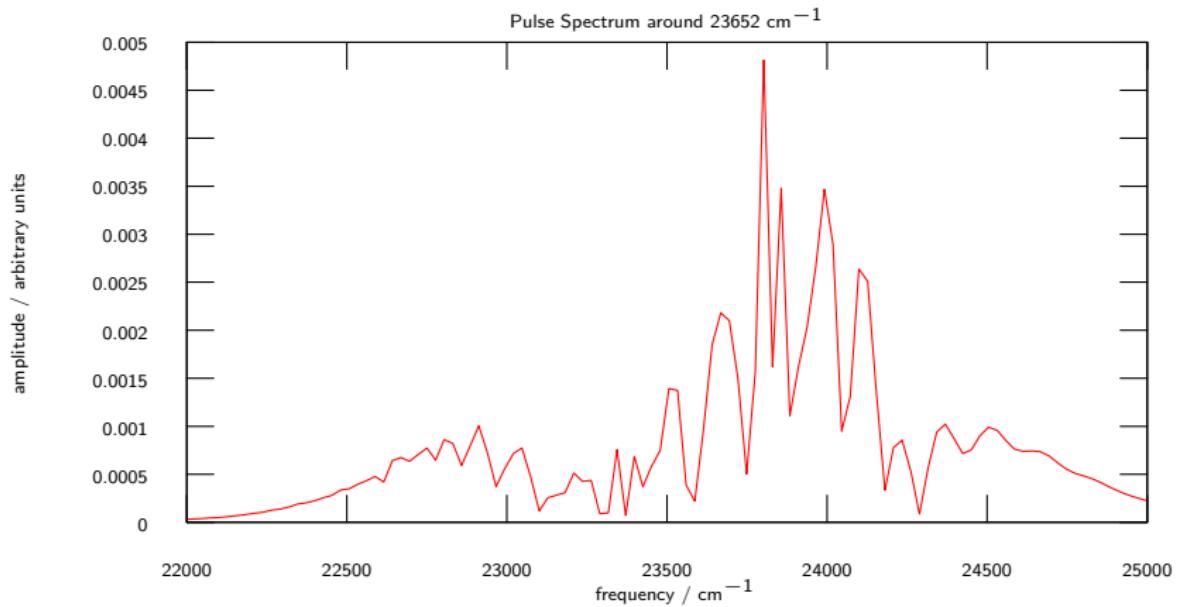
Open Questions

# 1 ps Pulse for $\pi/2$ Phase Gate in Reduced System

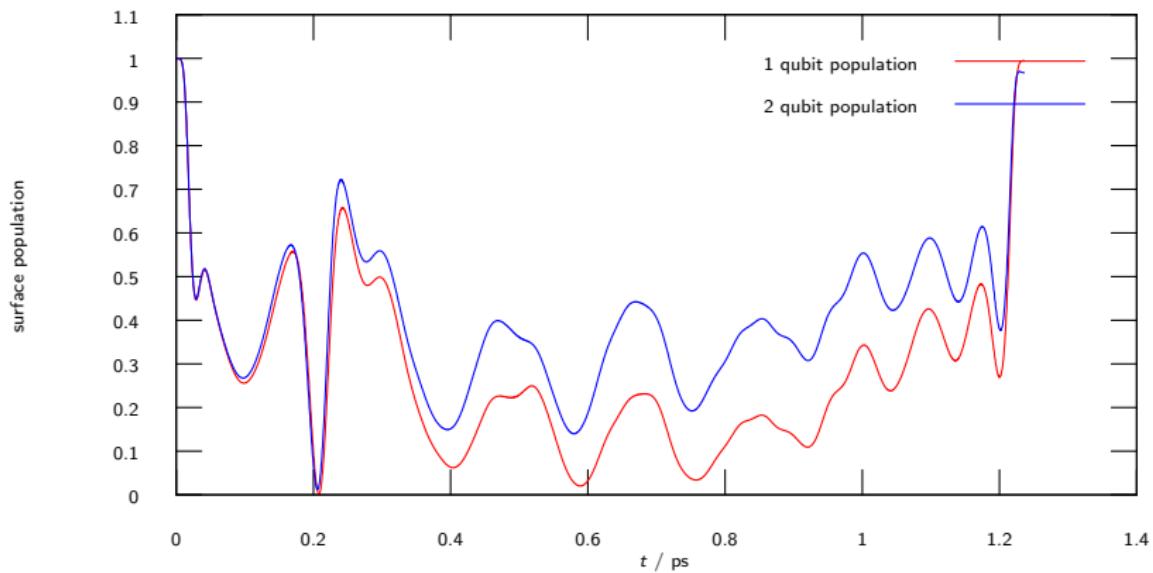
## Optimized Pulse



## Optimized Pulse Spectrum

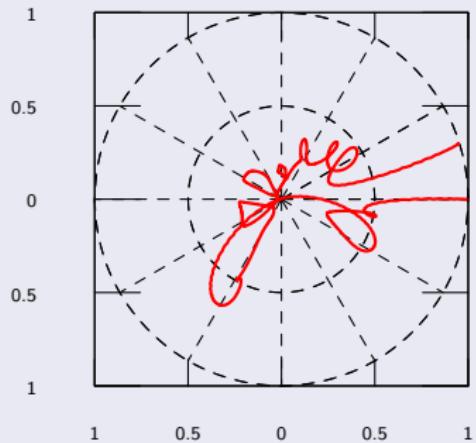


## Population

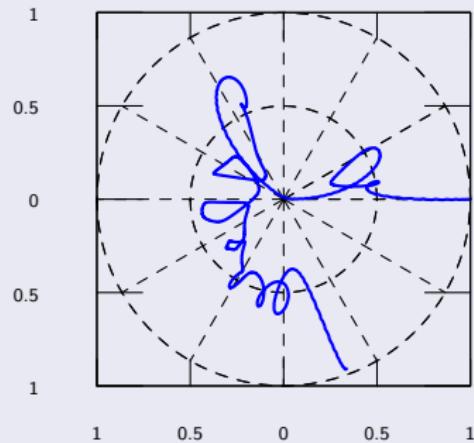


## Phase Dynamics

### One-Qubit System

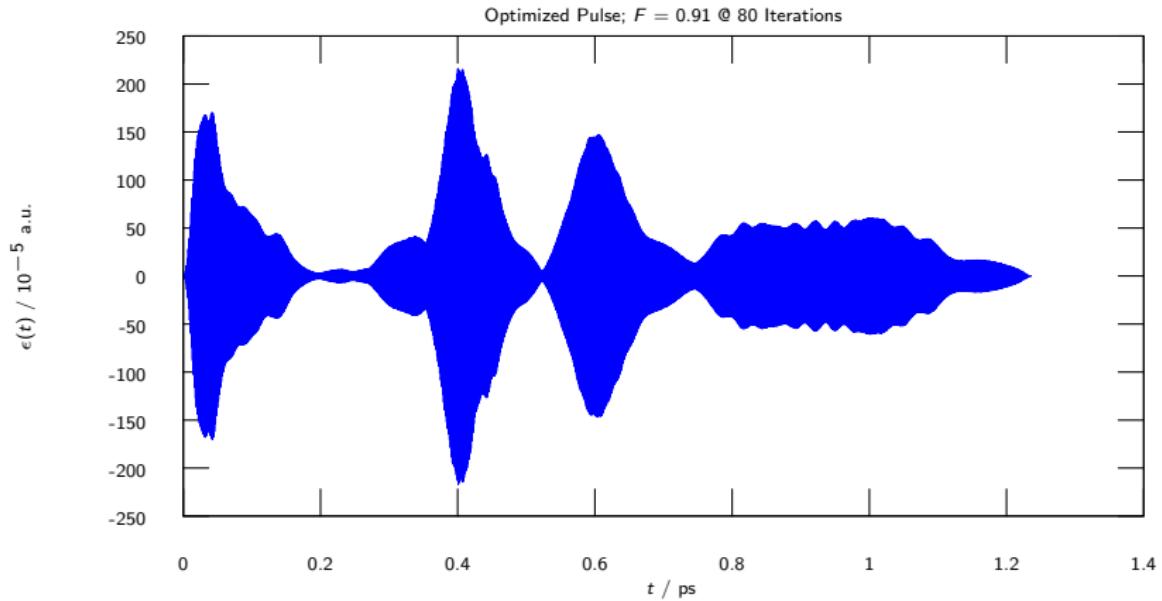


### Two-Qubit System

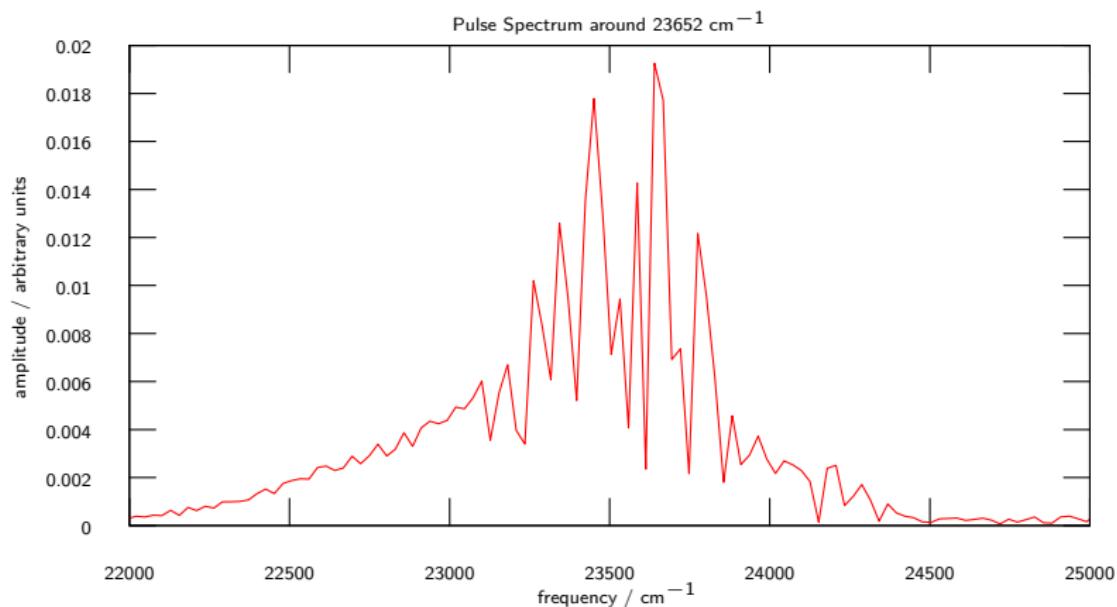


# 1 ps Pulse in Full System

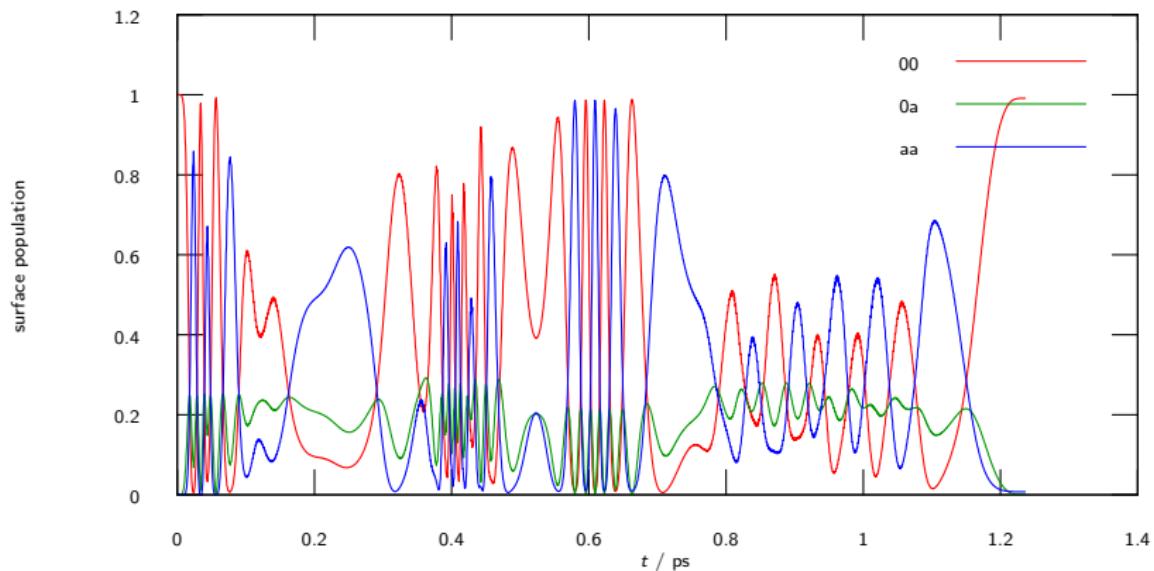
## Optimized Pulse



## Optimized Pulse Spectrum

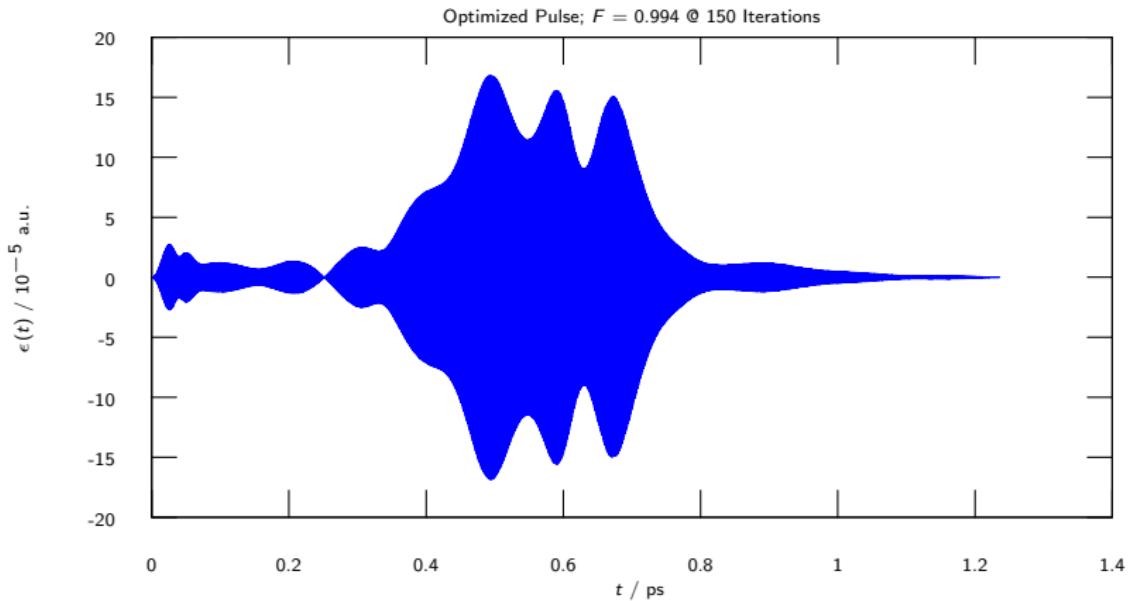


## Population

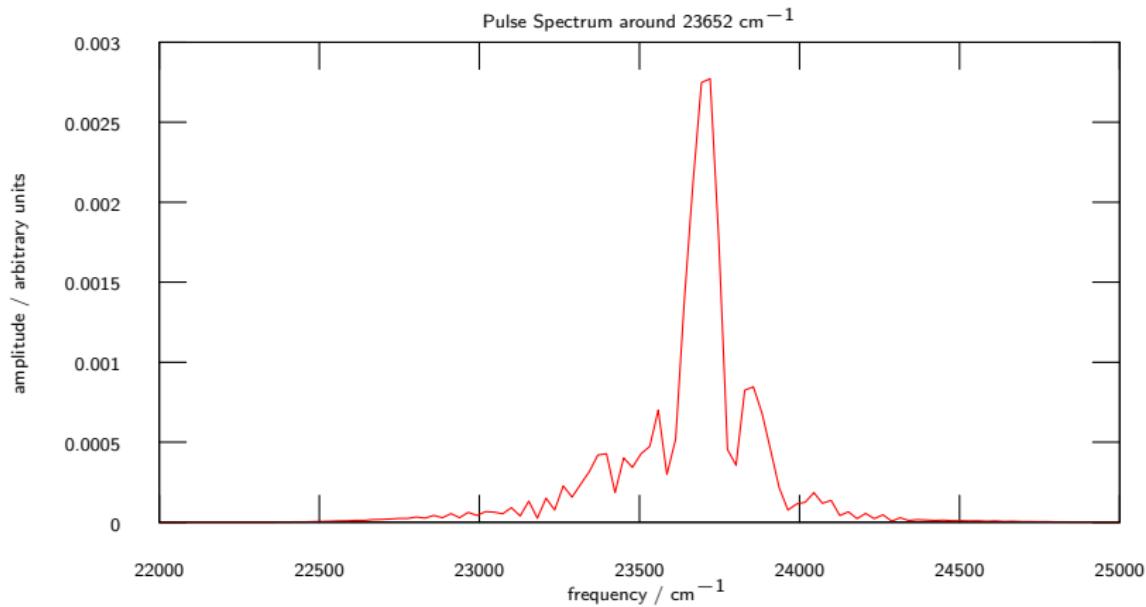


# 1 ps Pulse for $\pi/2$ Phase Gate in Full System

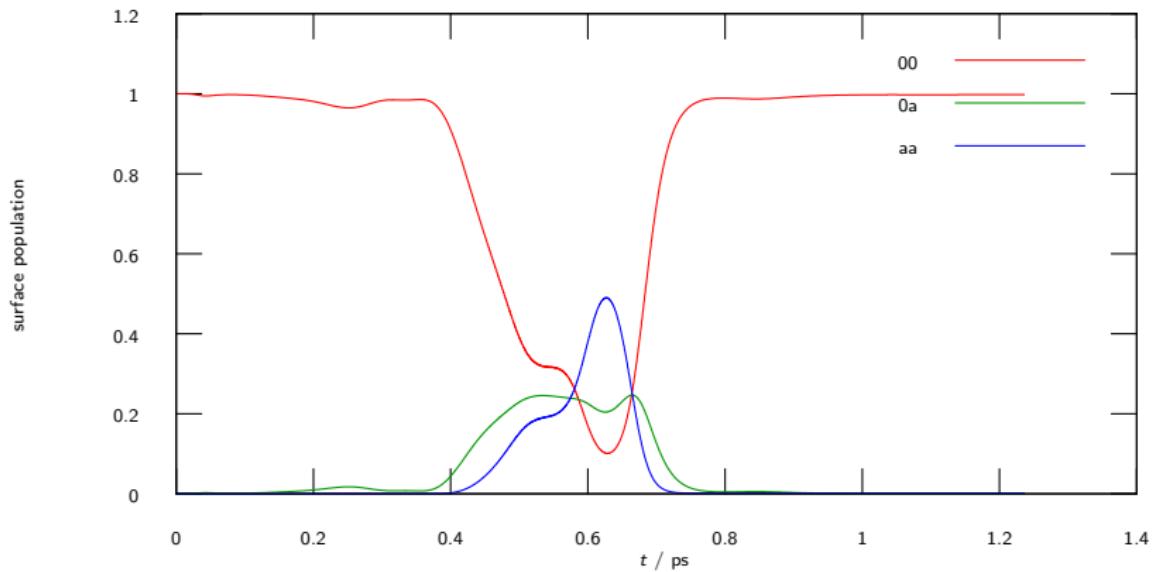
## Optimized Pulse



## Optimized Pulse Spectrum



## Population



- How can we get a fidelity of 1?
- Why does OCT go to pulses of such radically different pulses in similar situations? How can we explore the search space more effectively?
- Further analysis: Compare behavior of optimized pulses in different systems.
- Ultimate goal: much larger values for  $d$ , at equal time scales.
- Problem: numerical complexity.

# Thank You!