



SQMS: MAGO 1.0 and other activities

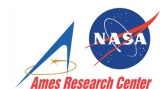
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30 Partner Institutions
>500 Collaborators

A DOE National Quantum Information Science Research Center

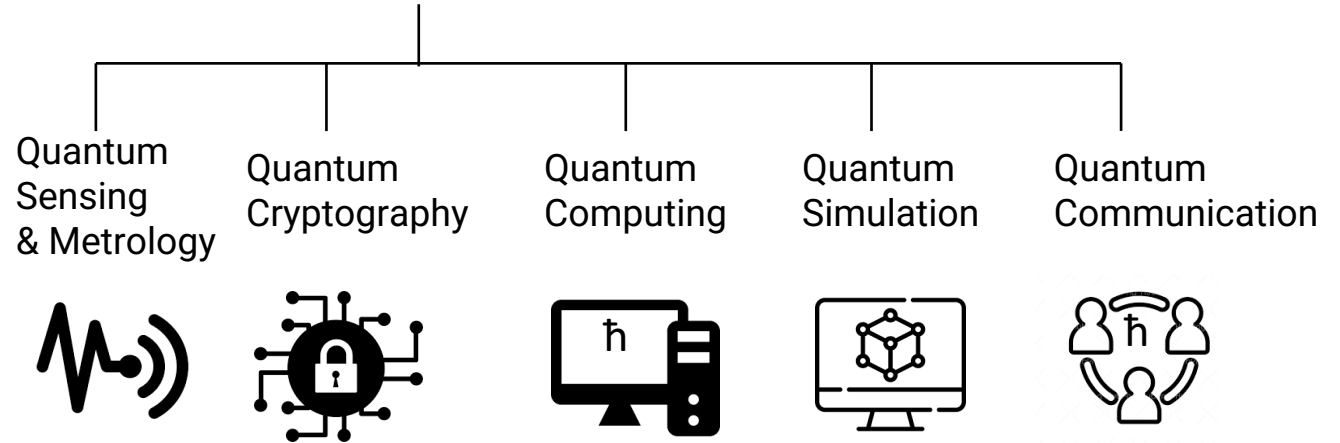


A rich **ecosystem**, multi-institutional and multidisciplinary collaboration **leveraging investments** at DOE national labs, academia, industry and several other federal and international entities

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Quantum Information Science



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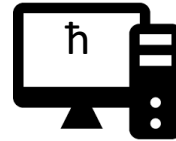
Quantum Sensing & Metrology



Quantum Cryptography



Quantum Computing



Quantum Simulation



Quantum Communication



Superconducting materials and RF cavities

Cryogenics

Electronics and Microwave Controls

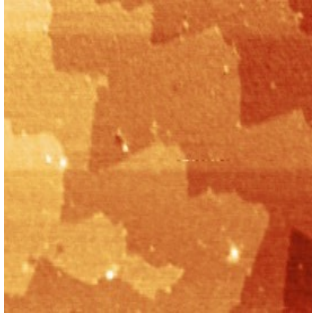
Precision Timing

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Leveraging unique technologies for advancing **quantum information science**

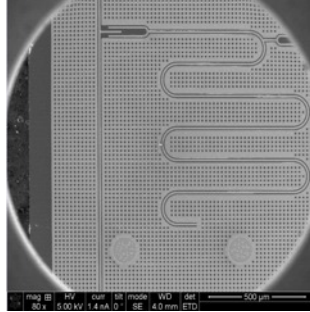
SQMS Science and Technology Innovation Chain

Materials



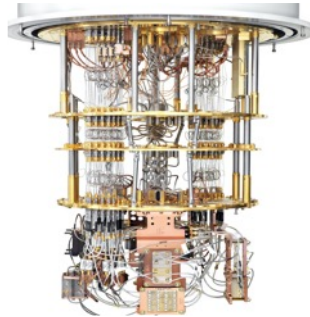
Developing a full understanding of sources of decoherence via a systematic, fundamental science approach

High-coherence devices



Demonstrating devices with systematically and consistently higher coherence at different SQMS partners

Systems integration



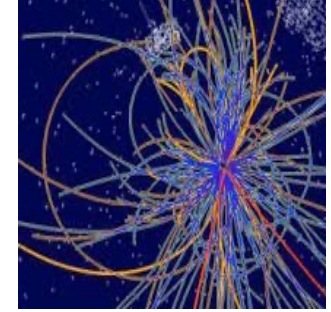
Preserving device high performance through the process of integrating into more complex systems

New platforms for quantum computing & sensing



Deploying quantum platforms of innovative architectures and improved performance

Quantum advantage

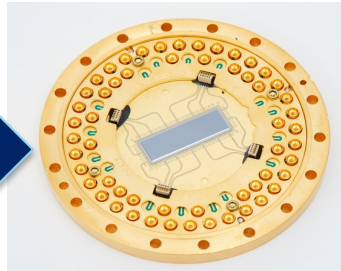
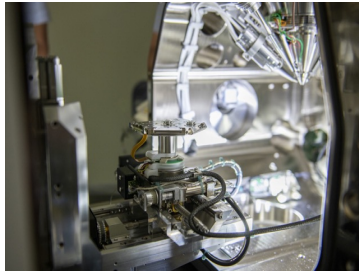
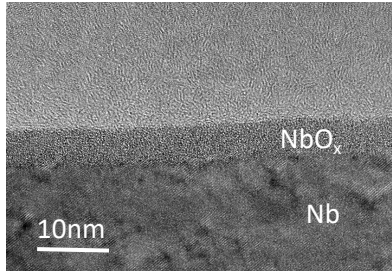


Demonstrating quantum computing and sensing advantage for particle physics and other scientific applications

Technology Thrust: Strategy

Basic Understanding -> Coherence Improvement -> 2D and 3D High Coherence QPUs

- Build upon **core strengths** of partners
 - Fermilab world's best superconducting RF cavities (3D) – **seconds** of coherence (quality factors $Q > 10^{10}$)
 - Associated deep structural and superconductivity knowledge of niobium (key part of 2D qubits)
 - Microwave, cryogenic, mechanical engineering and large scale integration experience
 - Deep 2D superconducting qubit and quantum processor expertise
 - Deep basic materials and superconductivity expertise



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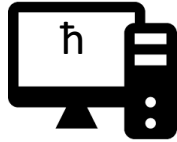
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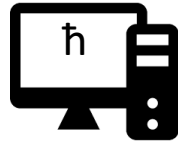
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Leveraging quantum technologies for **fundamental physics**

Foundations of Quantum Mechanics

Physics beyond Standard Model

Dark Matter

Simulation of quantum field theories...

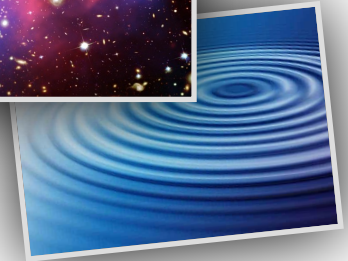
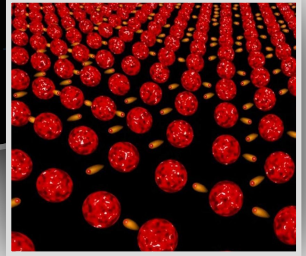
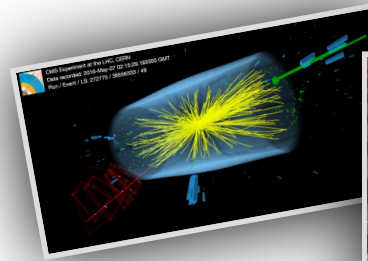
SQMS Science Thrust

- The questions that keep us up:

- What was the viscosity of the quark-gluon plasma as young?
- How does the quark-hadron transition (what happens at LHC) happen in “real time”?
- What are the non-perturbative effects of the quark-gluon plasma?
- What the non-perturbative effects of highly entangled systems?
- What is the dark matter?
- Are there new particles that have not been discovered?
- Can we detect dark matter?
- How well can we detect dark matter?

**Quantum Simulation
and Computation**

Quantum Sensing



These are long term endeavors.

Our goal is to enable breakthroughs in these questions.

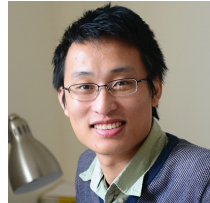
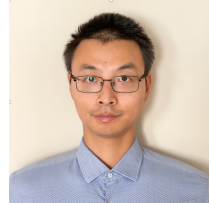
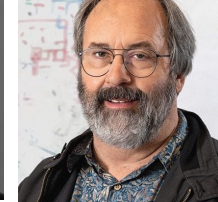
The People



Northwestern
University



Stanford



Theorists and experimentalists working closely. Experts in HEP, materials, SRF, sensing, QIS, RF engineering.

Use high Q SRF cavities to search for GWs

- INFN and CERN (~1998) → Microwave Apparatus for Gravitational Waves Observation
 - Successful proof-of-principle and prototype experiments
- Followed by (2001-2003)
 - 2-cell cavity with variable coupling and optimized geometry
 - Never treated nor tested – on shelf for >15y at INFN Genova



Now:

**Collaboration between
Fermilab, INFN, DESY,
UHH to revive MAGO!**



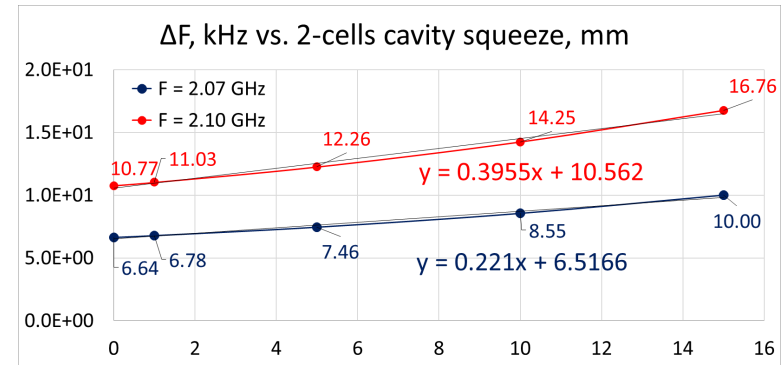
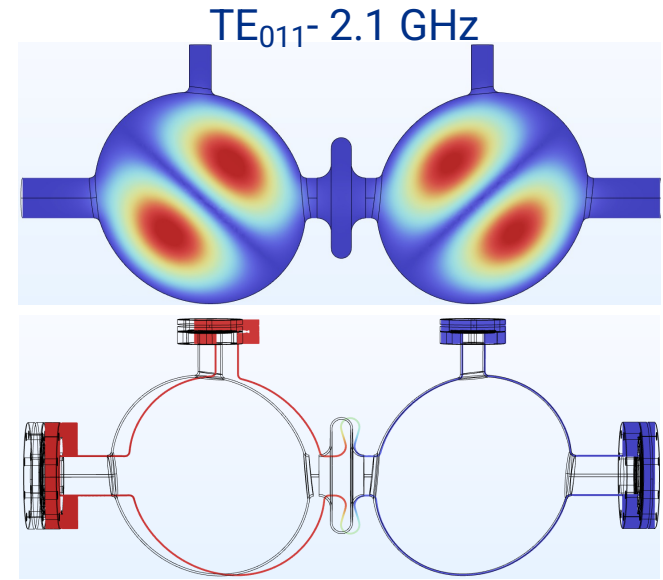
The cavity is travelling to Fermilab



MAGO 1.0 at Fermilab

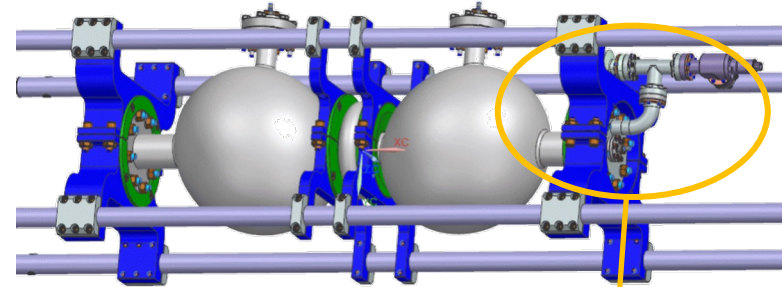
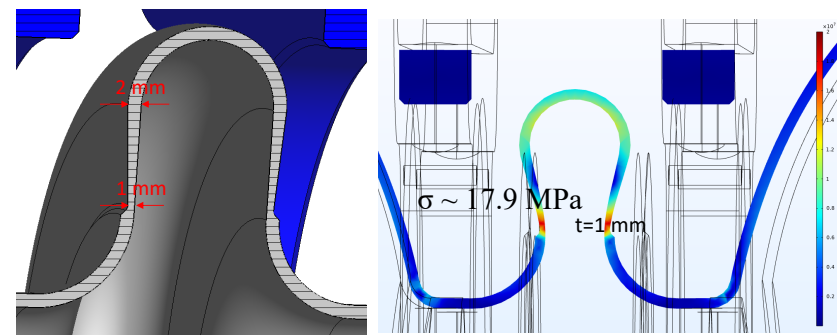
- RF and mechanical simulations with ideal vs real geometry and thickness
 - Frame optimization to relieve stress from thin coupling cell
- RF fixtures for RT elastic tuning to bring cavity to acceptable starting point
 - Currently no cold tuning plans
- Due to thin walls
 - Bulk BCP or light only? Vertical vs horizontal?

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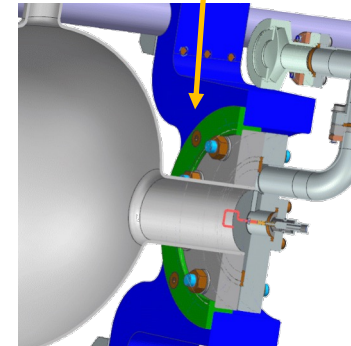


MAGO 1.0 at Fermilab

- HPR → head and nozzle design
- Heat treatment:
 - Stainless steel flanges
 - Unknown brazing material (likely copper based)
- Theoretical work:
 - **Simulate coupled oscillators** subject to **mechanical vibrations** (induced by GW vs ambient noise) derive **expected growth rate of the signal mode** due to parametric energy transfer and non-idealities contribution
 - Inform design for next generation cavity

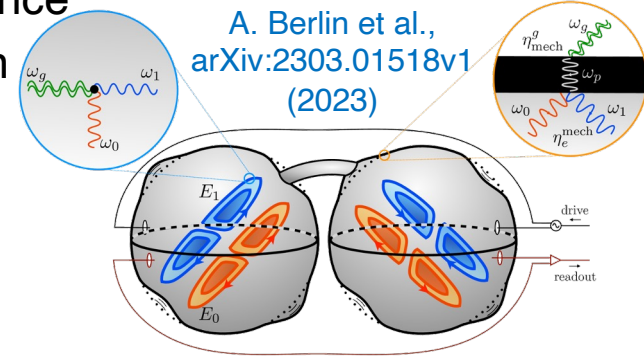


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Looking forward: MAGO 2.0

- Planning for a broadband non-resonant search
- Working to gain better understanding of sensitivity to GW strain on:
 - GW frequency detuning from cavity mechanical resonance
 - Imperfections in cavity shapes and asymmetry between coupled cells
 - Microphonics and high frequency vibrational noise
 - Amplifier noise
 - ...
- Currently focusing on design phase for an optimized cavity geometry and tuning system and planning to leverage lessons learned from MAGO 1.0
- US/Japan collaboration → small effort between SQMS Fermilab and University of Tokyo & KEK for SRF based GW searches
- Worth looking into custom cryostat and suspension design



In the case of GW searches is particularly important to have a series of coordinated and synchronized experiments taking place at different locations



MAGO 2.0 could be a global experiment involving many laboratories!

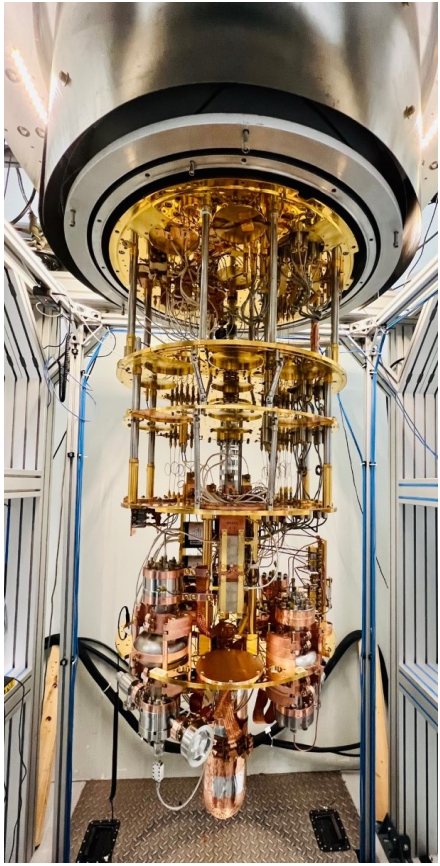


Facilities

LHe vertical test stand facility at Fermilab



SQMS QCL1 and QCL3 (mK fridges)



SQMS Physics and Sensing: other experiments

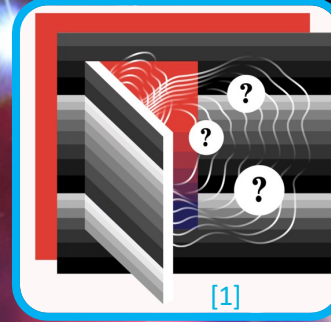
Quantum Sensing: new windows into fundamental physics

Dark Sector

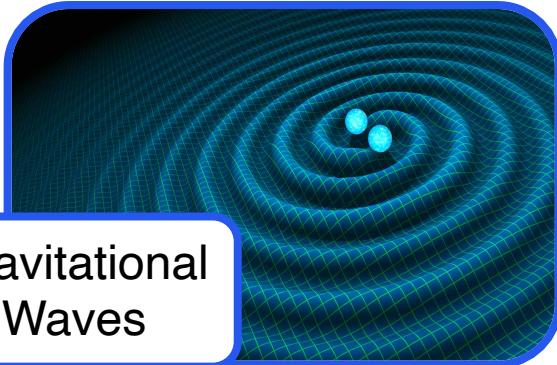
Dark Matter



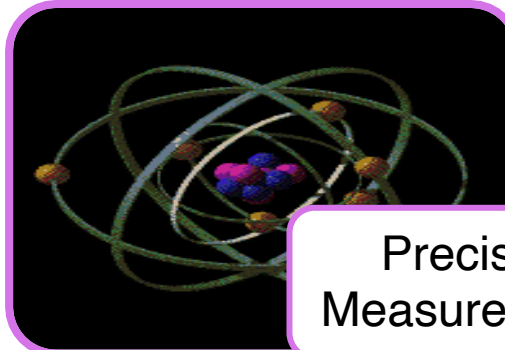
"Just" new particles



Gravitational Waves



Precision Measurements

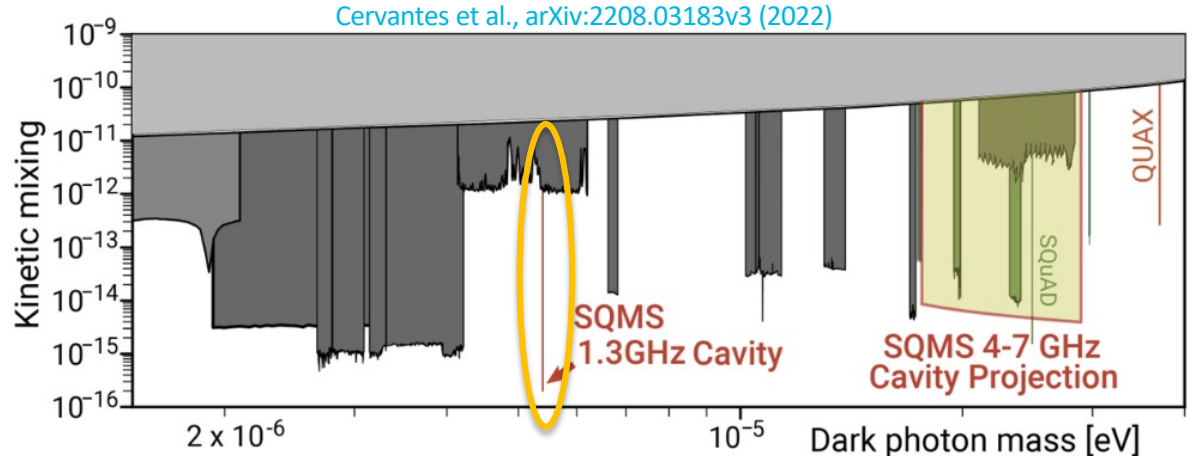
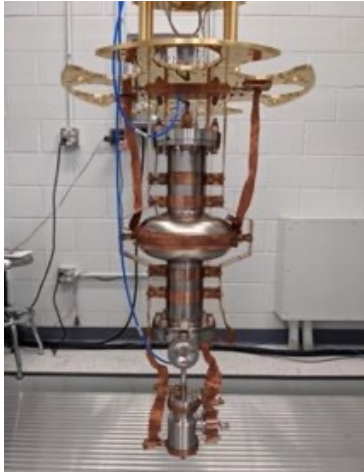


Fermilab Dark SRF Experiment



[1] Artwork by Sandbox Studio Chicago with A. Kova
symmetrymagazine.org

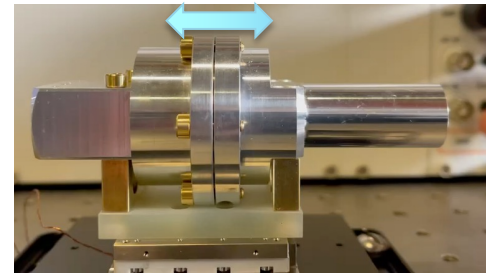
Deepest sensitivity: Ultrahigh Q for Dark photon DM



DPDM search in DR with 1.3 GHz cavity with $Q_L \approx 10^{10}$.
Deepest exclusion to wavelike DPDM by an order of magnitude.

Next steps:

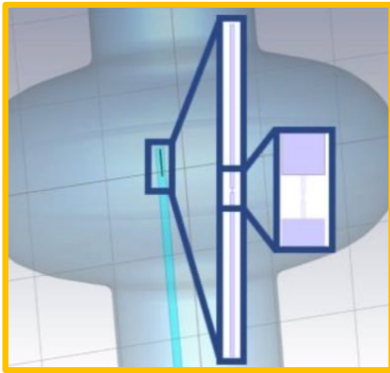
- Tunable DPDM search from 4-7 GHz (“low hanging fruit”)
- Implement photon counting to subvert SQL noise limit.



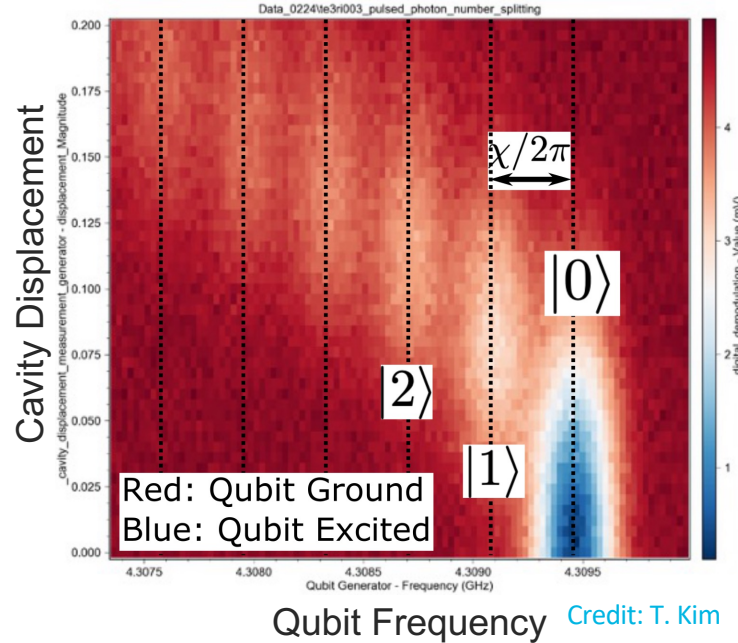
“plunger” cavity

4-7 GHz

Subverting SQL noise with qubit-based photon counting



Superconducting qubit in SRF cavity.



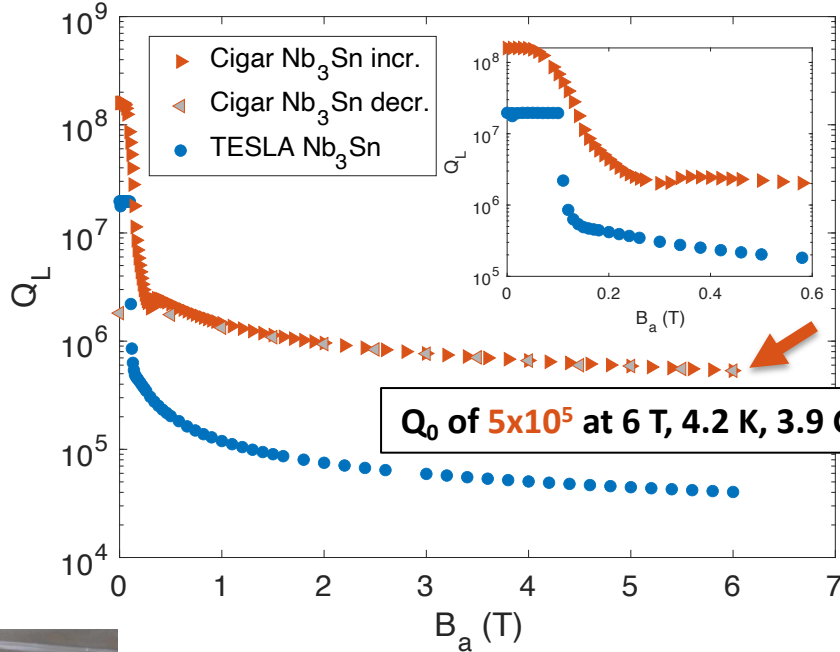
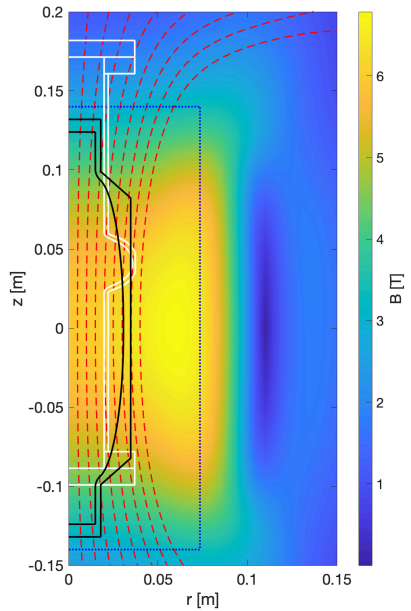
Quantum protocols counts photons non-destructively.

SQL noise: hf/k
240 mK @ 5 GHz

dominates
compared to 30 mK
thermal photons.

Regularly perform
photon counting with
dispersive
measurements.

Progress towards high Q cavities for Axion Searches



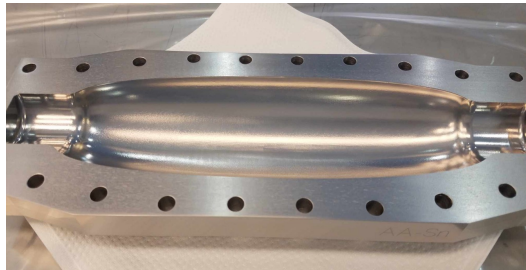
Q_0 of 5×10^5 at 6 T, 4.2 K, 3.9 GHz

- First measurements of high Q cavity in tesla scale magnetic fields
- Further optimizations with cavity treatment, magnetic field alignment, and geometry optimization. Implement tuning.

Posen et al., Phys. Rev. Applied 20, 034004 (2023)

- Explore other SC materials like commercial HTS tapes

See work by: D. Ahn et al., arXiv:2002.08769v4 (2020), and reported Q_0 of $1e7$ with HTS tapes, fixed frequency @ PATRAS2022, not published yet

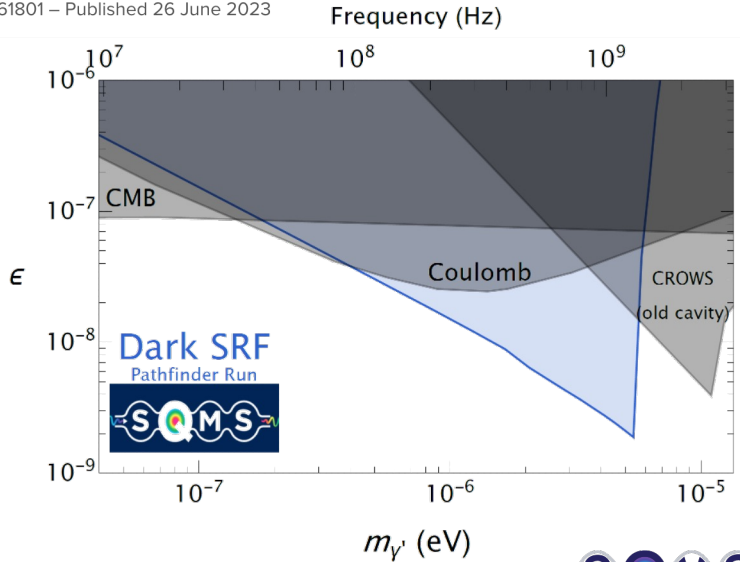
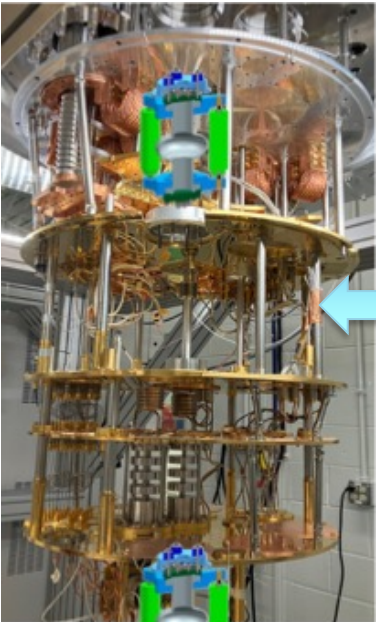
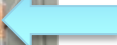


Dark SRF: light shining through wall search with SRF cavities

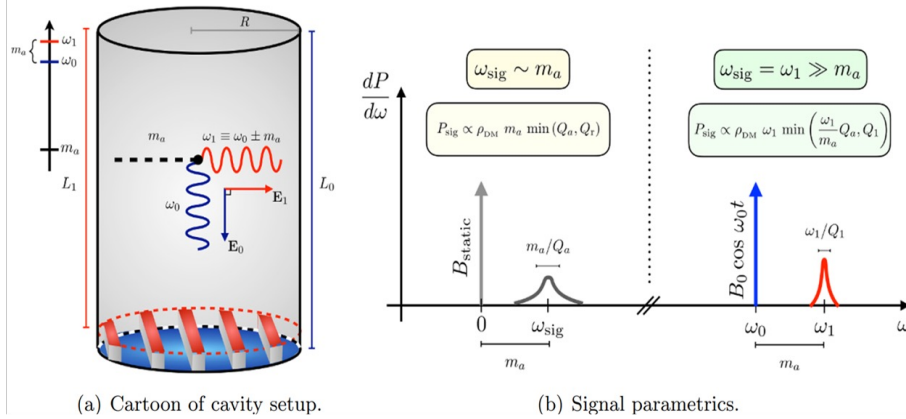
1. Pathfinder run with 1.3GHz cavities in LHe



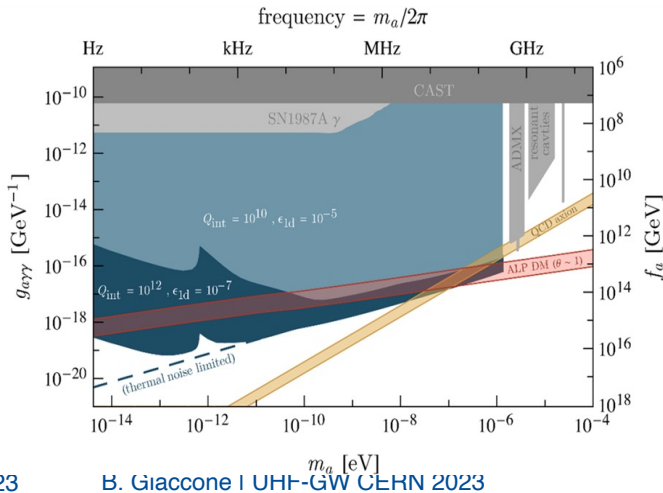
2. Next phase: conduct experiment at ~ 10 s mK in dilution refrigerator to increase sensitivity



Heterodyne Axion DM search

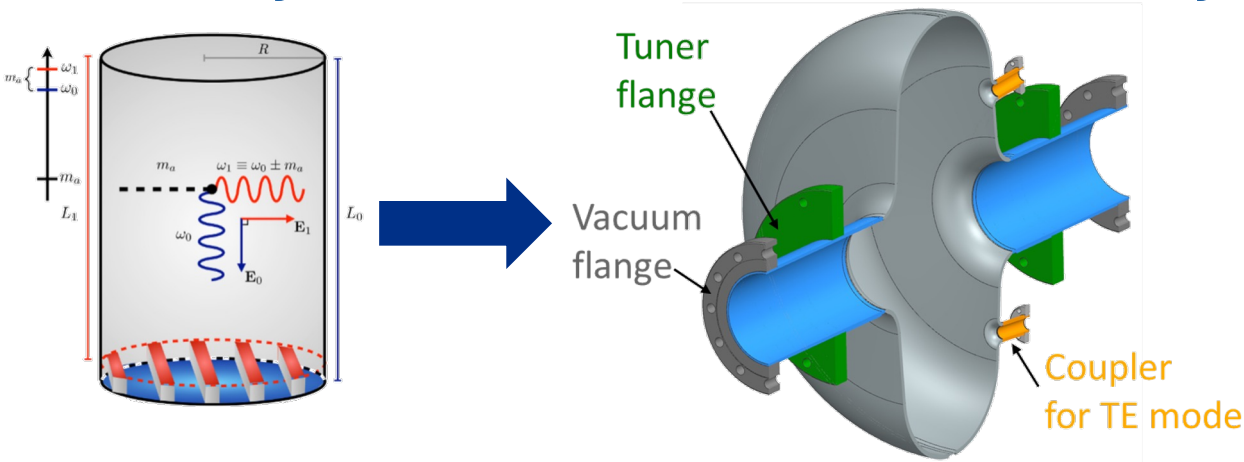


- One SRF cavity, no applied \vec{B}
- Modes TE_{011} and TM_{020} used to search for axion DM \rightarrow
 $m_{\text{axion}} \approx \Delta f$
- Enables to search for small masses without using prohibitively large cavities!

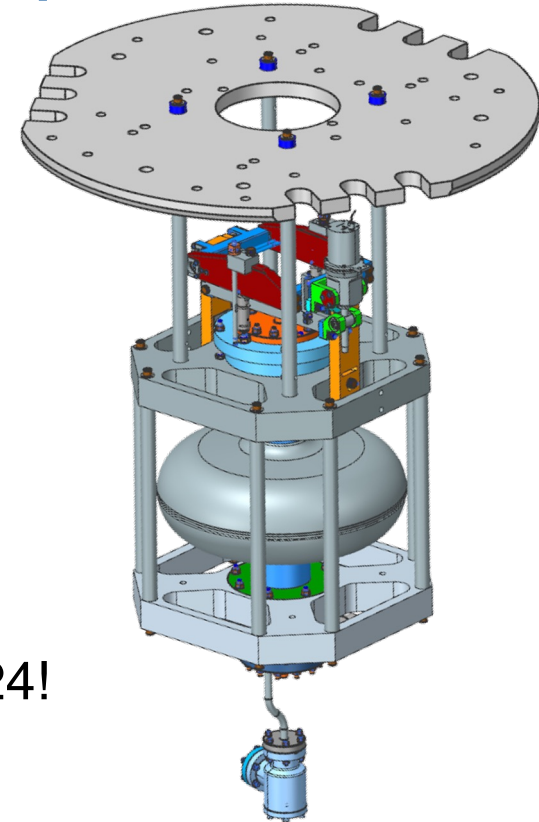


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Heterodyne Axion DM search: from theory to experiment



- Design is completed, currently procuring 2 prototype cavities
→ expected to arrive by end of 2023/beginning of 2024!
- Pump mode: TM_{020} , Signal mode: TE_{011}
 - By design: $\Delta f \approx 1\text{MHz}$
 - Tuner: same design as Dark SRF tuner



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Thank you for your attention!

SQMS summary vision: Building new quantum facilities, capabilities and workforce that will enable new scientific discovery

