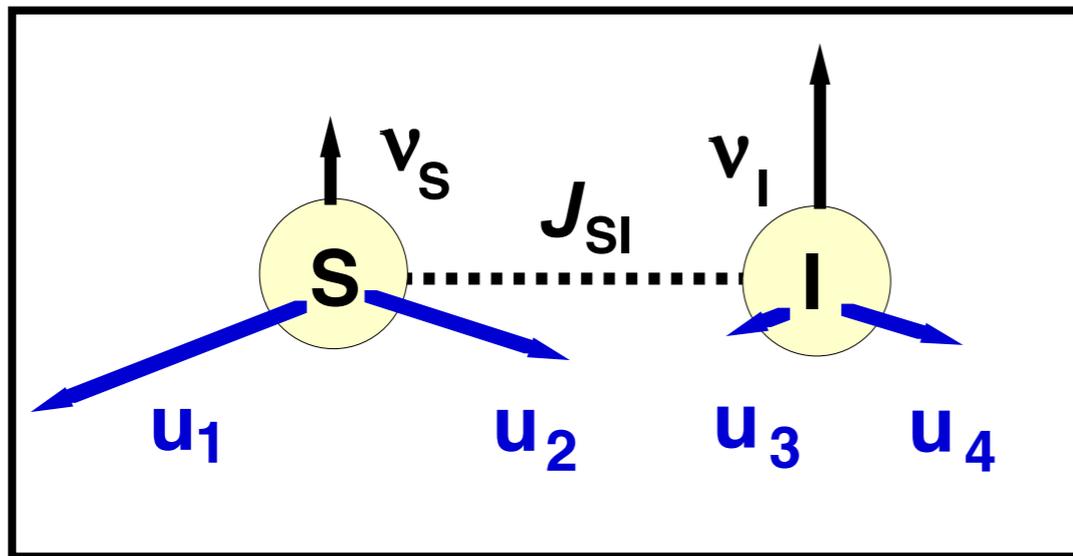


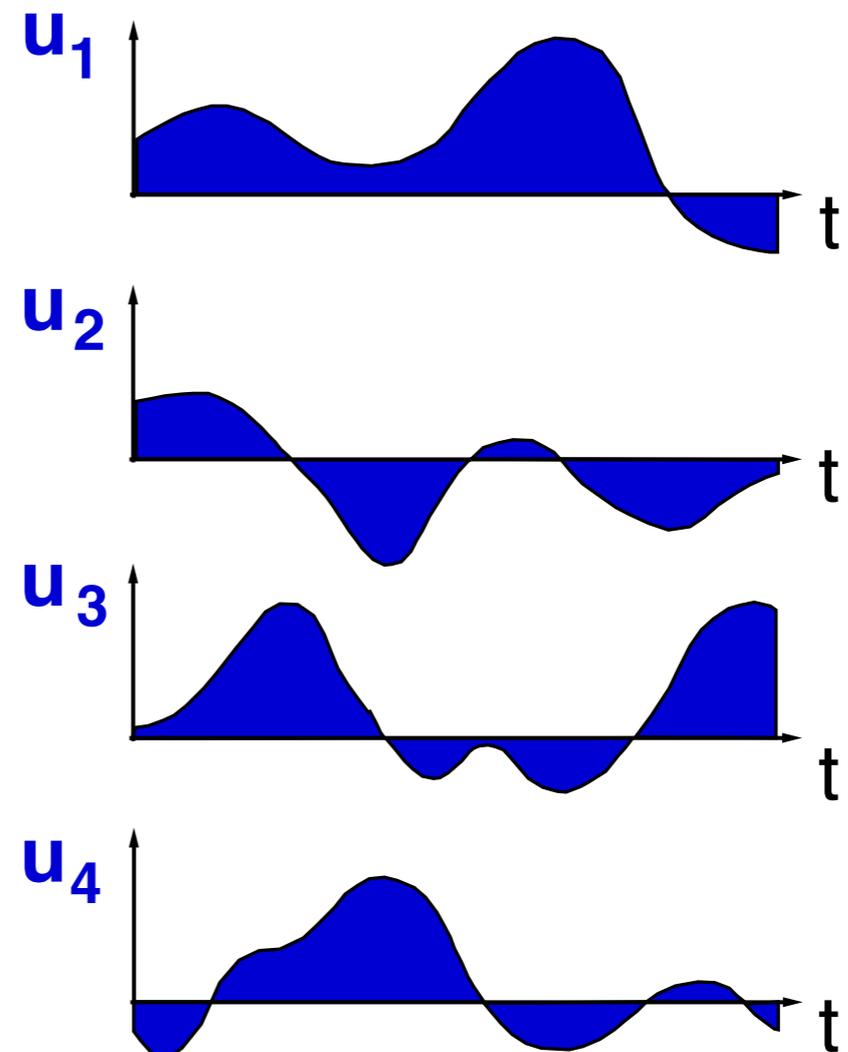
# **GRAPE, Robust Control and Quantum Gate Design Metric**

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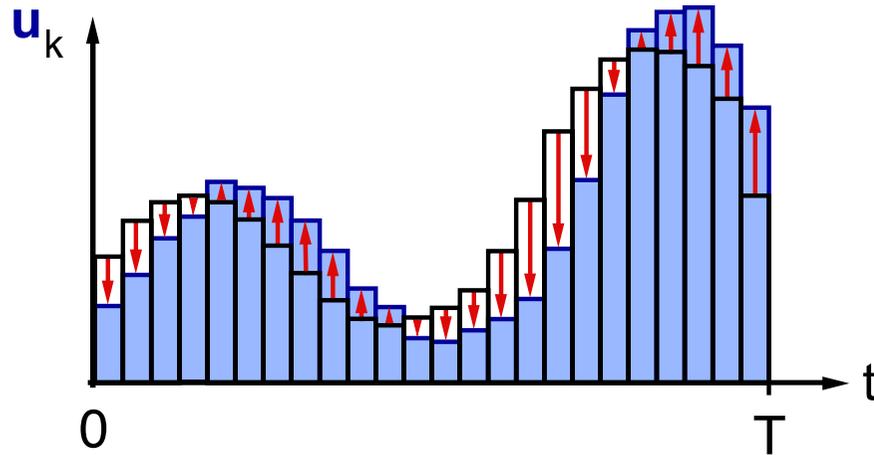
# Control Parameters $u_k(t)$



$$H_0 + \sum_k u_k(t) H_k$$



# GRAPE (Gradient Ascent Pulse Engineering)



desired transfer:  $A \longrightarrow C$

performance:  $\langle C | \rho(T) \rangle$

$$\rho(0) = A$$

$$\lambda(T) = C$$

$$\mathbf{u}_k(t) \longrightarrow \mathbf{u}_k(t) + \varepsilon \langle \lambda(t) | [-i H_k, \rho(t)] \rangle$$

# Robust control using GRAPE algorithm: single qubit examples

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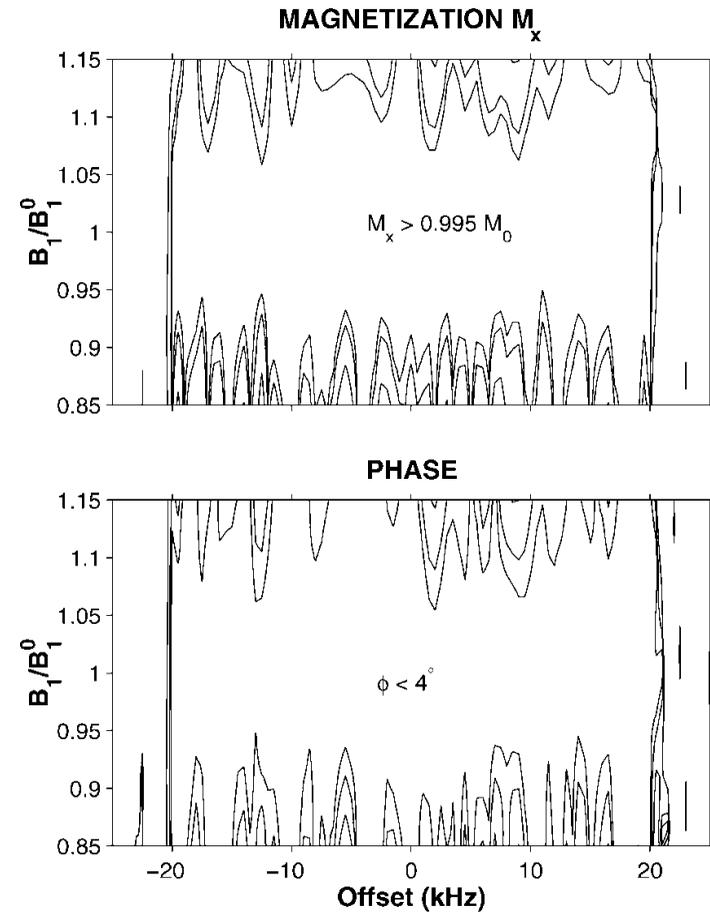
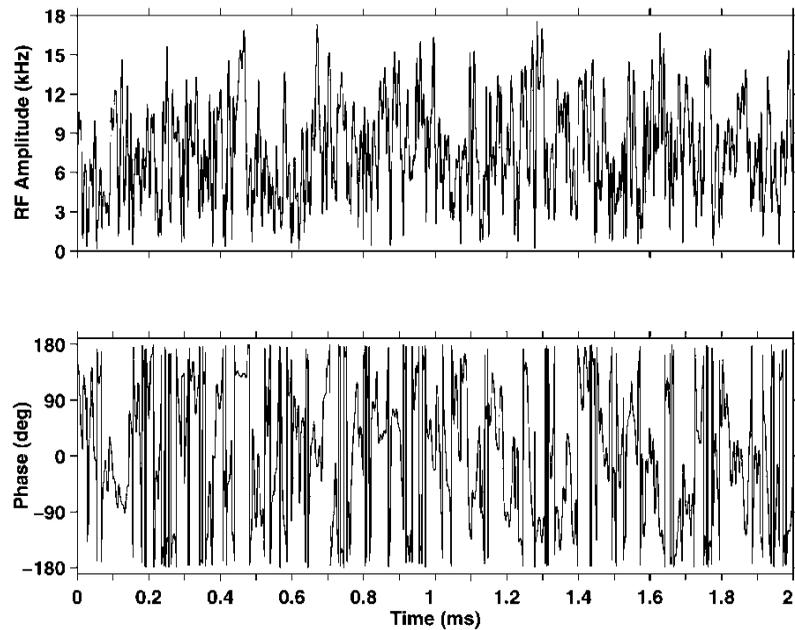
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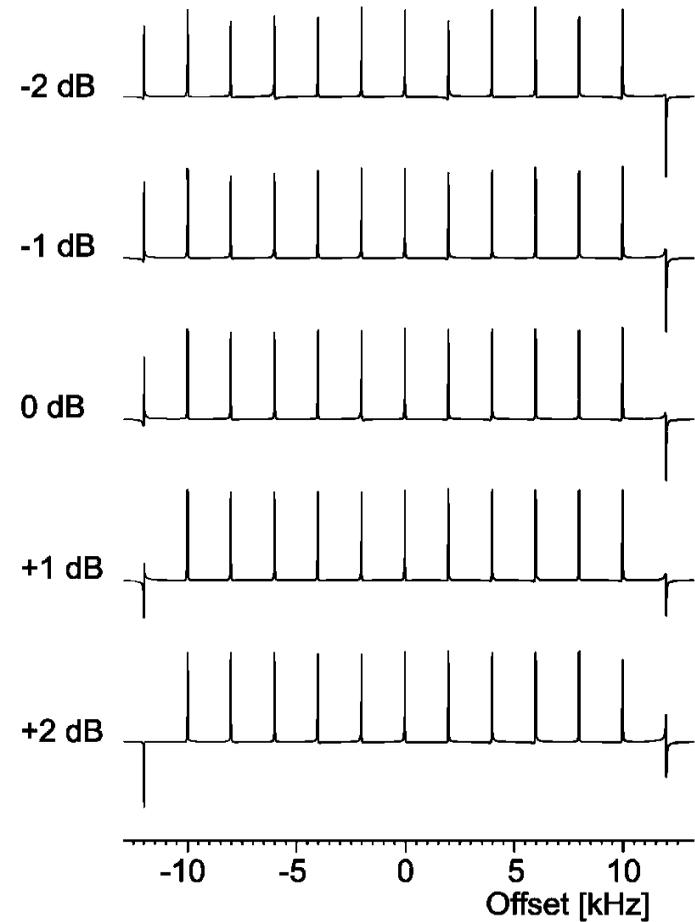
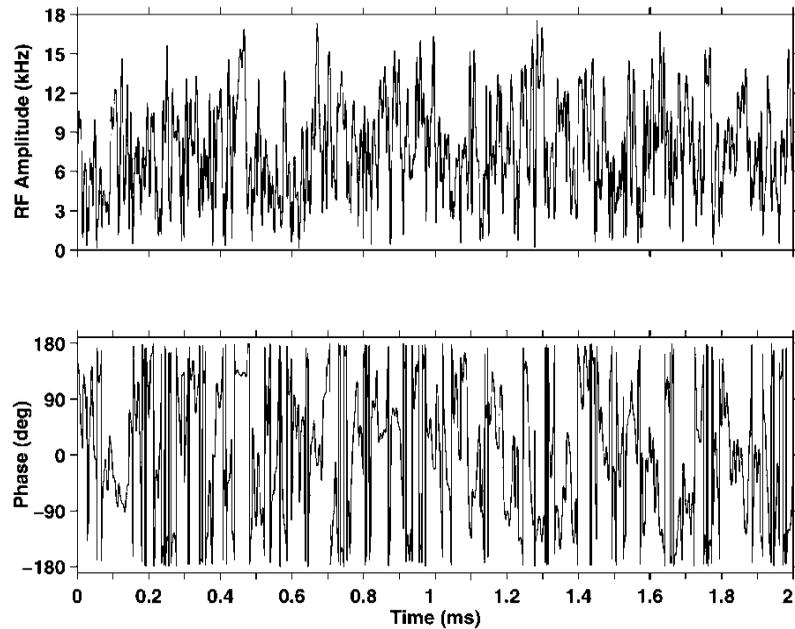
# Robust control of a single spin

## Control fields



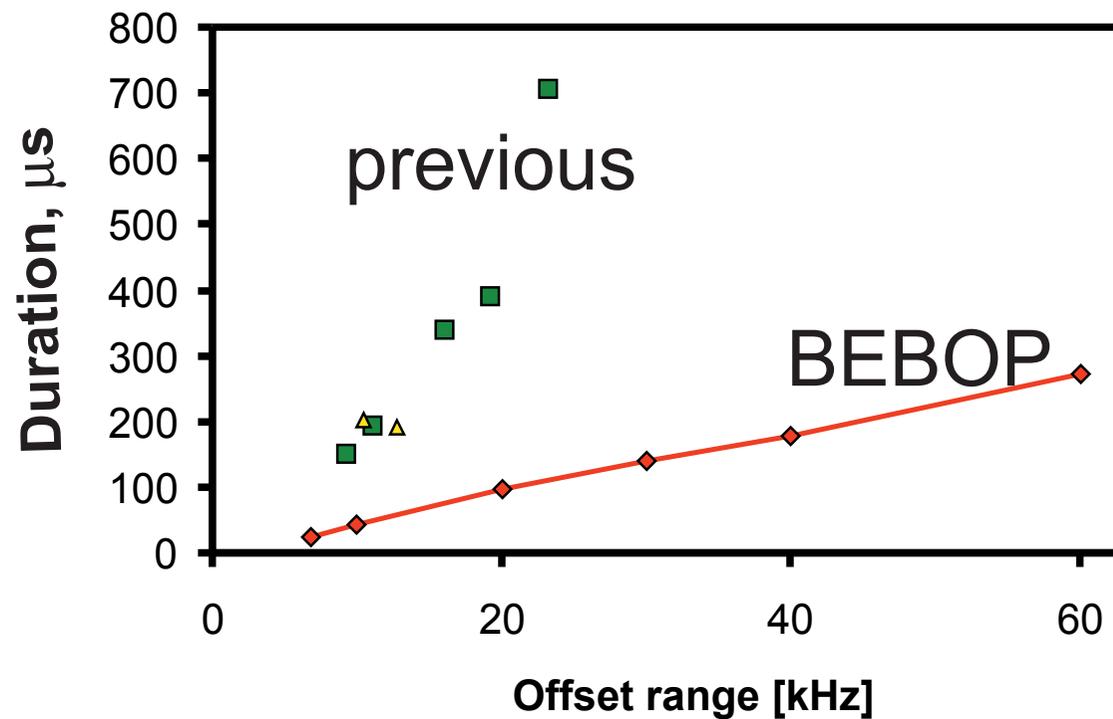
# Robust control of a single qubit

## Control fields



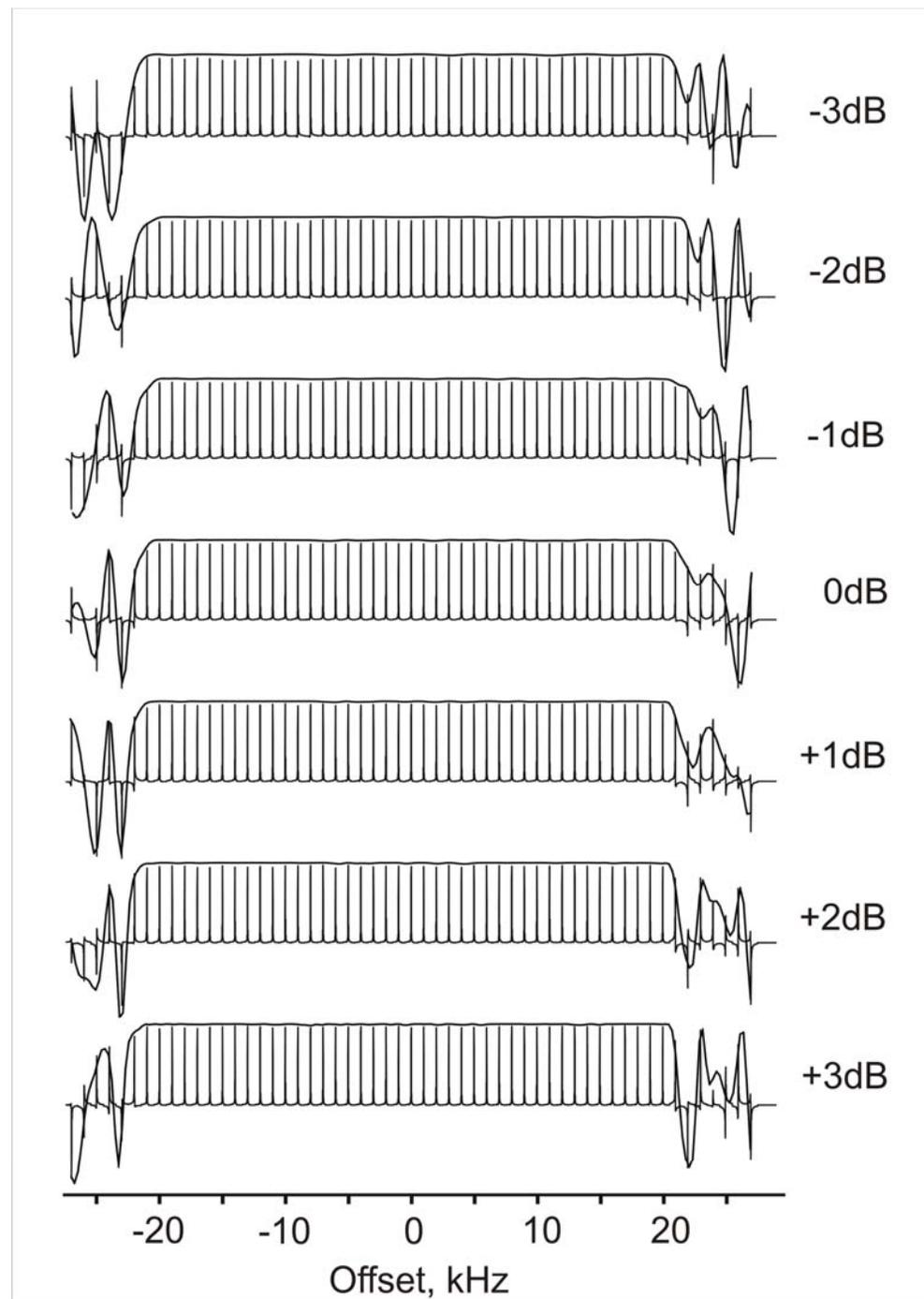
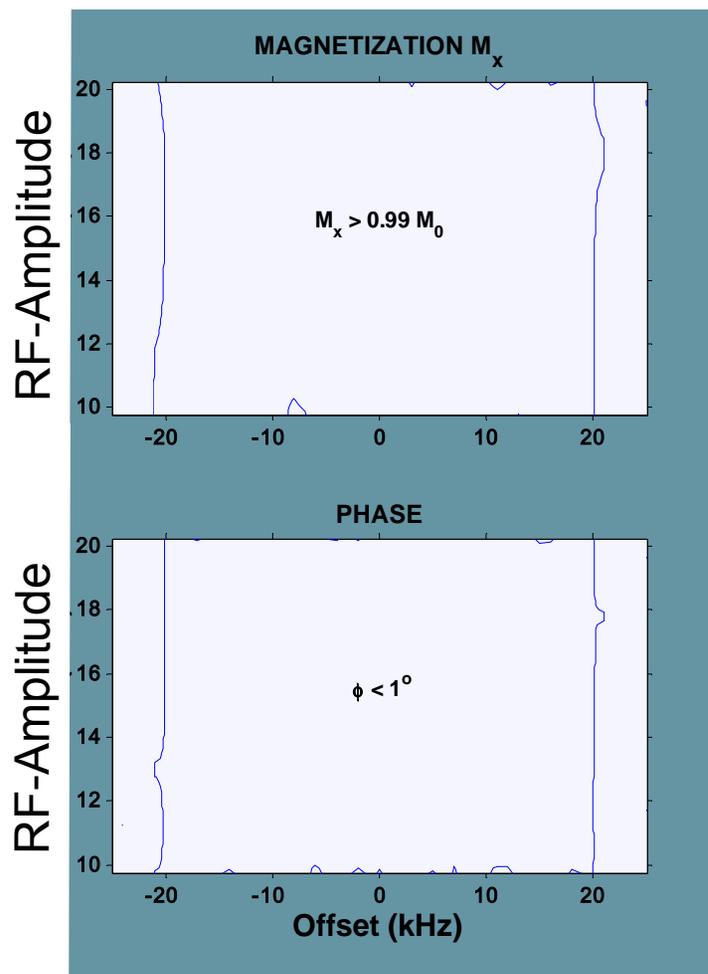
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Previous excitation pulses with the same performance are significantly longer than optimized pulses (BEBOP)

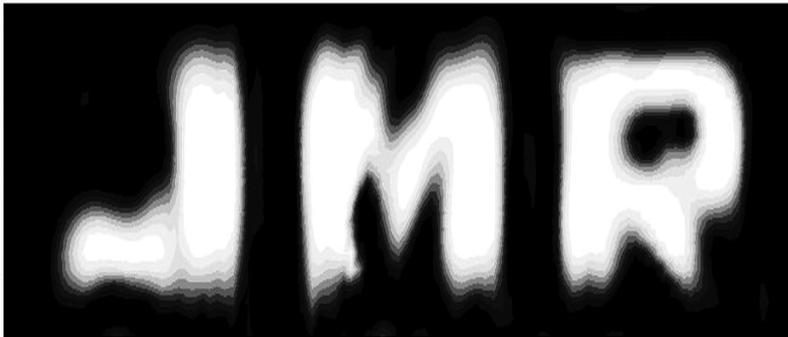


(excitation efficiency: 98%, max. rf amplitude: 10 kHz, no rf inhomogeneity)

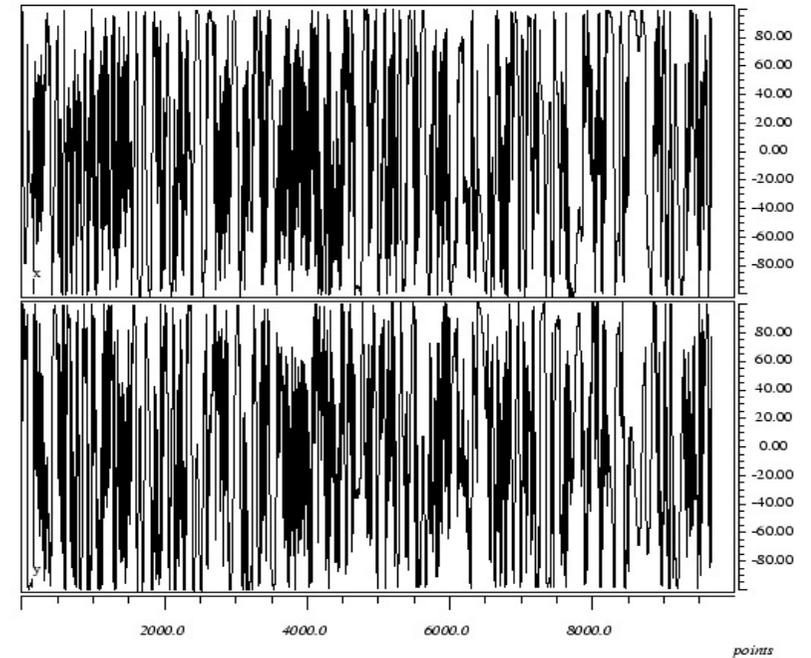
# robust, broadband excitation pulse



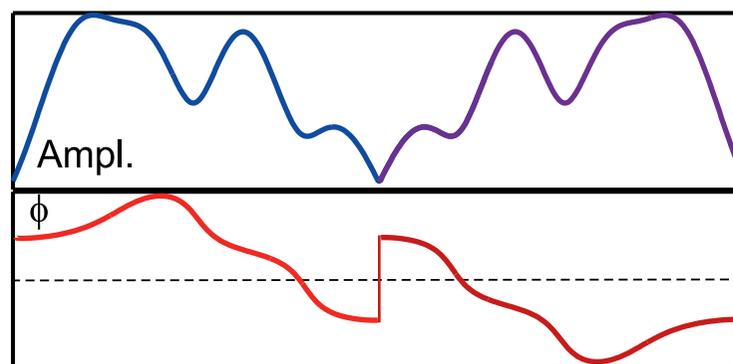
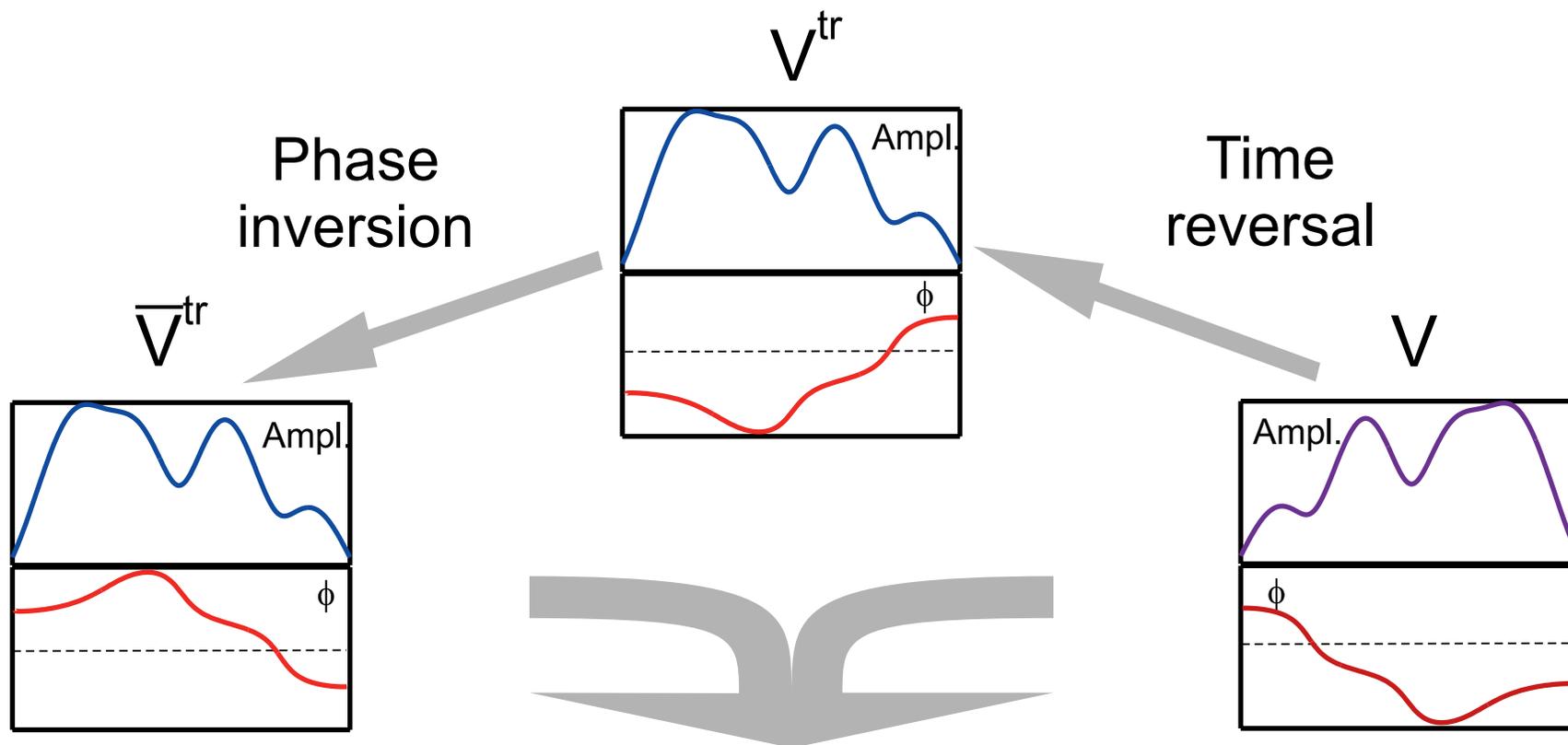
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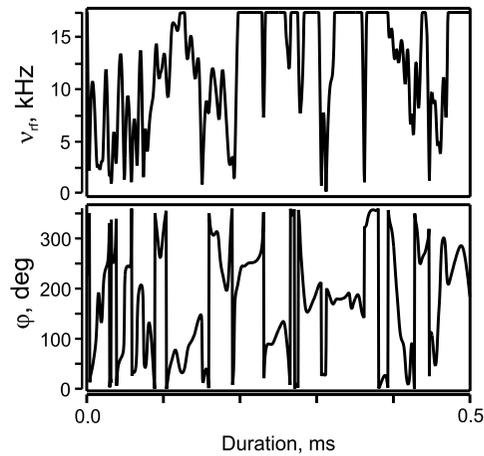


rf amplitude (y)

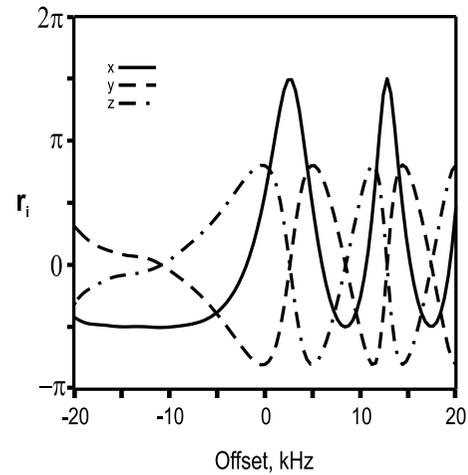


$$U_x(\alpha) = V \cdot \overline{V}^{tr}$$

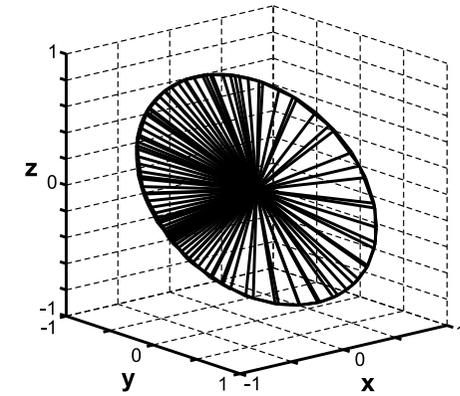
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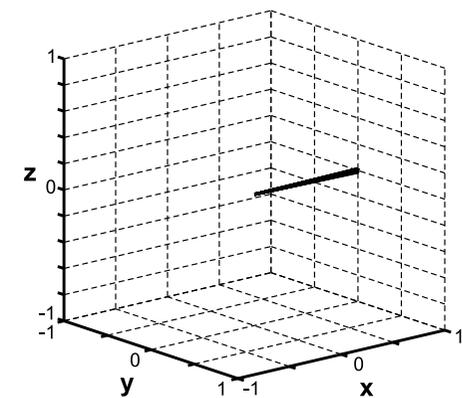
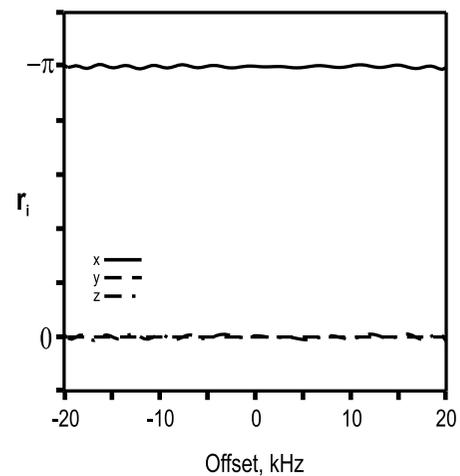
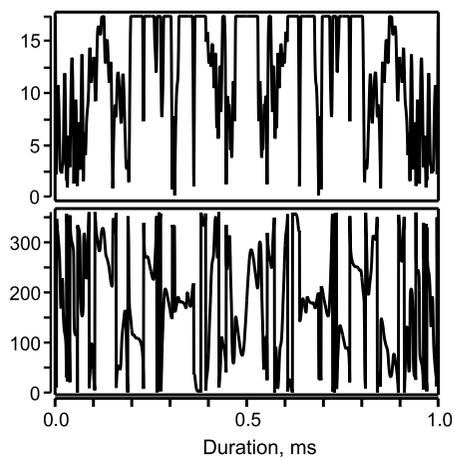
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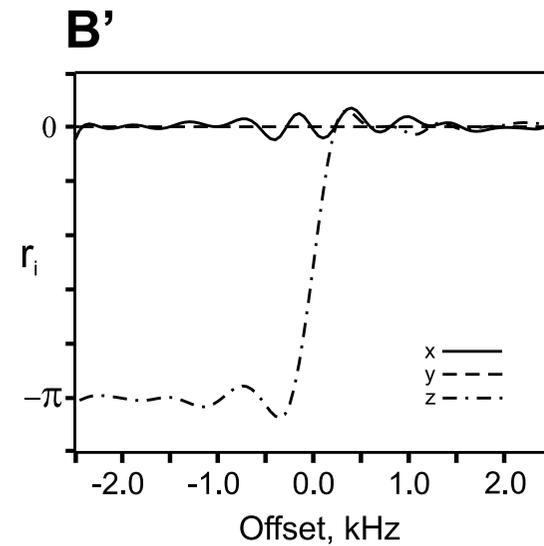
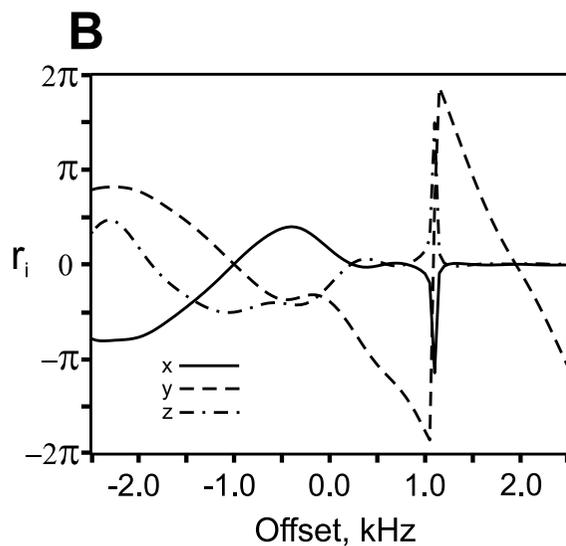
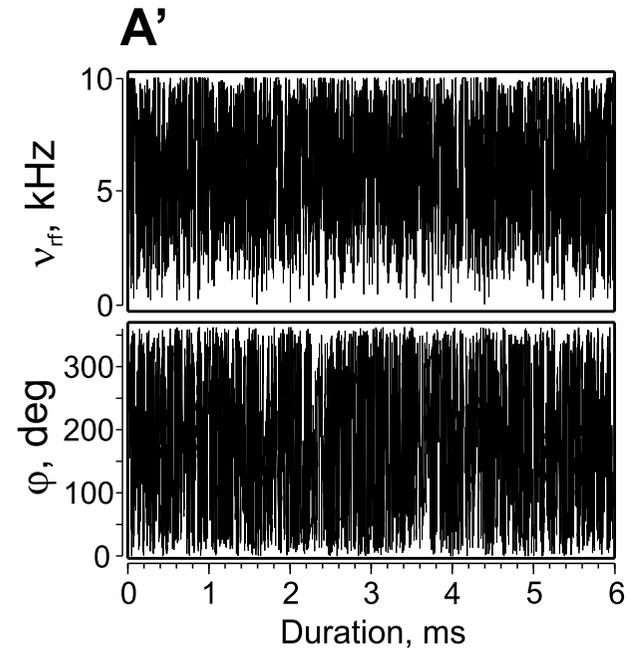
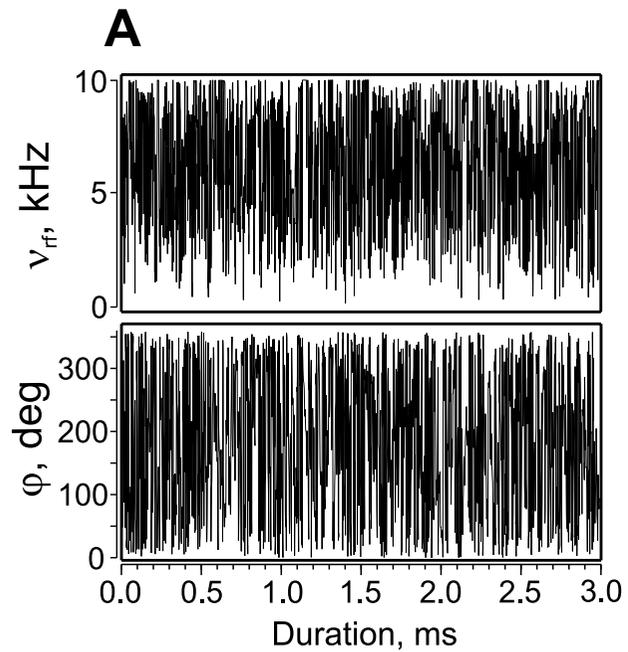
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# Construction of a band-selective $180^\circ_Z$ rotation



# Time-Optimal Simulation of Trilinear Coupling Terms



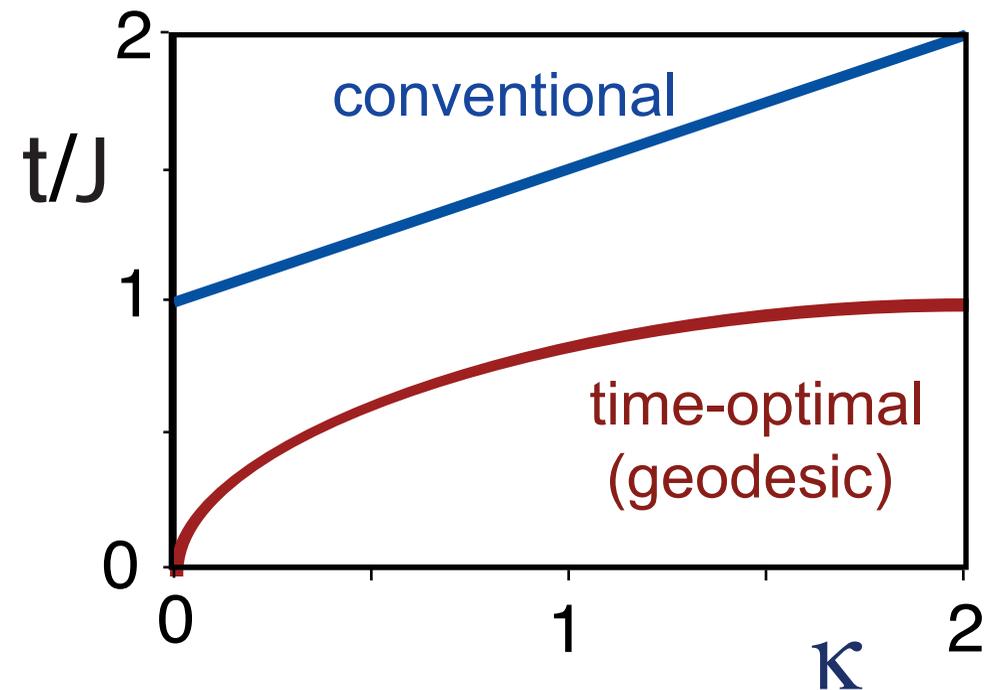
given:

$$H = 2 \pi J (I_{1z} I_{2z} + I_{2z} I_{3z})$$

desired:

$$H_{\text{eff}} = 2 \pi J_{\text{eff}} (I_{1z} I_{2z} I_{3z})$$

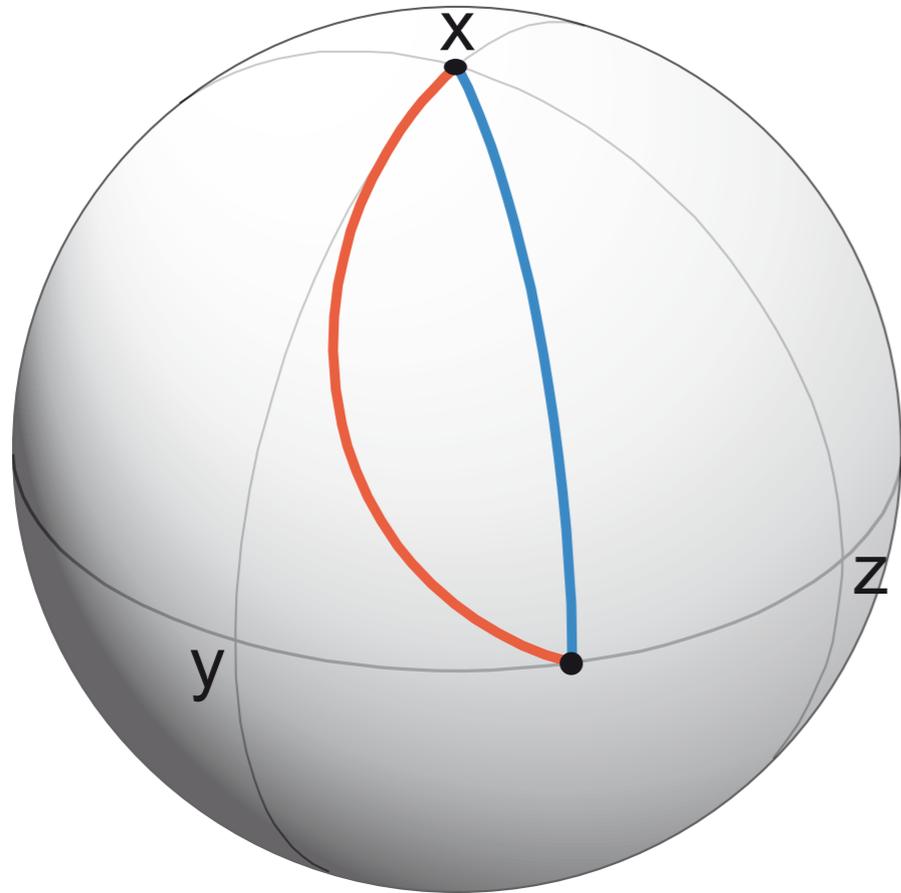
$$U = \exp\{-i \kappa 2 \pi I_{1z} I_{2z} I_{3z}\}$$



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# Geodesics on a sphere



Euklidian metric

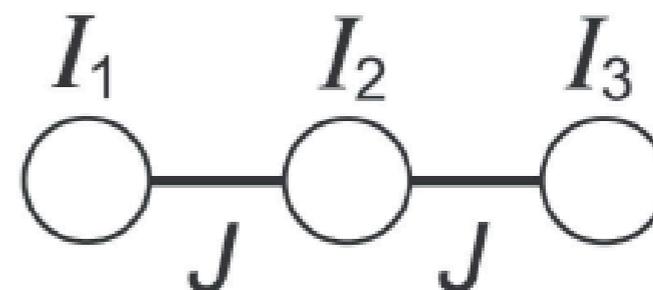
$$(dx)^2 + (dy)^2 + (dz)^2$$

“quantum gate design metric”

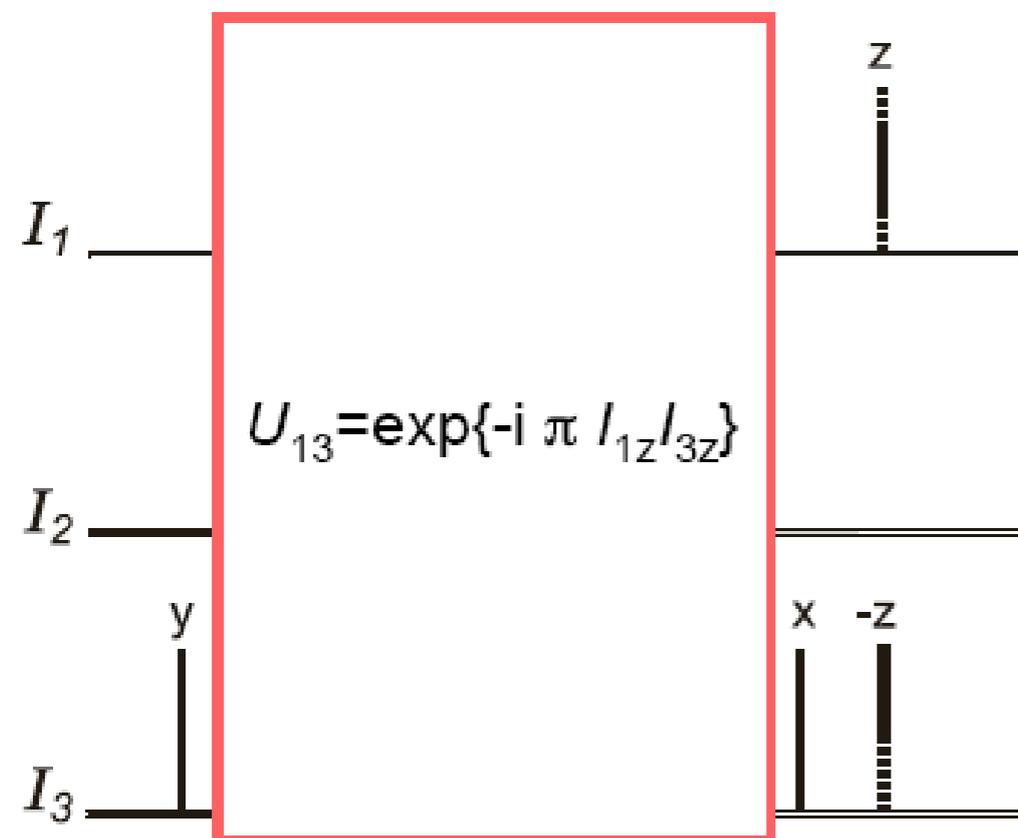
$$\frac{(dx)^2 + (dz)^2}{y^2}$$

*Khaneja et al., Phys. Rev. A 75, 012322 (2007).*

# Generating CNOT(1,3)



$$\mathcal{H}_c = 2\pi J(I_{1z}I_{2z} + I_{2z}I_{3z})$$



$$U_{13} = \exp\left\{-i\frac{\pi}{2}2I_{1z}I_{3z}\right\}$$

$$x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6)$$

$$x_1 = \langle I_{1x} \rangle$$

$$x_2 = \langle 2I_{1y}I_{2z} \rangle$$

$$x_3 = \langle 2I_{1y}I_{2x} \rangle$$

$$x_4 = \langle 4I_{1y}I_{2y}I_{3z} \rangle$$

$$x_5 = \langle 4I_{1y}I_{2z}I_{3z} \rangle$$

$$x_6 = -\langle 2I_{1x}I_{3z} \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{H}_c = 2\pi J(I_{1z}I_{2z} + I_{2z}I_{3z})$$

$$\mathcal{H}_A = u_A(t) \pi J I_{2y}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_B = u_B(t) \pi J I_{2x}$$

$$x_A = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)^t$$

$$x_B = (x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6)^t$$

$$\frac{dx_{A,B}}{dt} = \pi J \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -u_{A,B} & 0 \\ 0 & u_{A,B} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x_{A,B}$$

$$\frac{dx_{A,B}}{dt} = \pi J \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -u_{A,B} & 0 \\ 0 & u_{A,B} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x_{A,B}$$

$$(1, 0, 0, 0) \quad \left(0, x'_2, x'_3, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \quad \left(0, 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$x(t) = x_1(t), \quad y(t) = \sqrt{x_2^2(t) + x_3^2(t)} \quad \text{and} \quad z(t) = x_4(t)$$

$$\tan \theta(t) = \frac{x_2(t)}{x_3(t)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \pi J \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\sin \theta(t) & 0 \\ \sin \theta(t) & 0 & -\cos \theta(t) \\ 0 & \cos \theta(t) & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

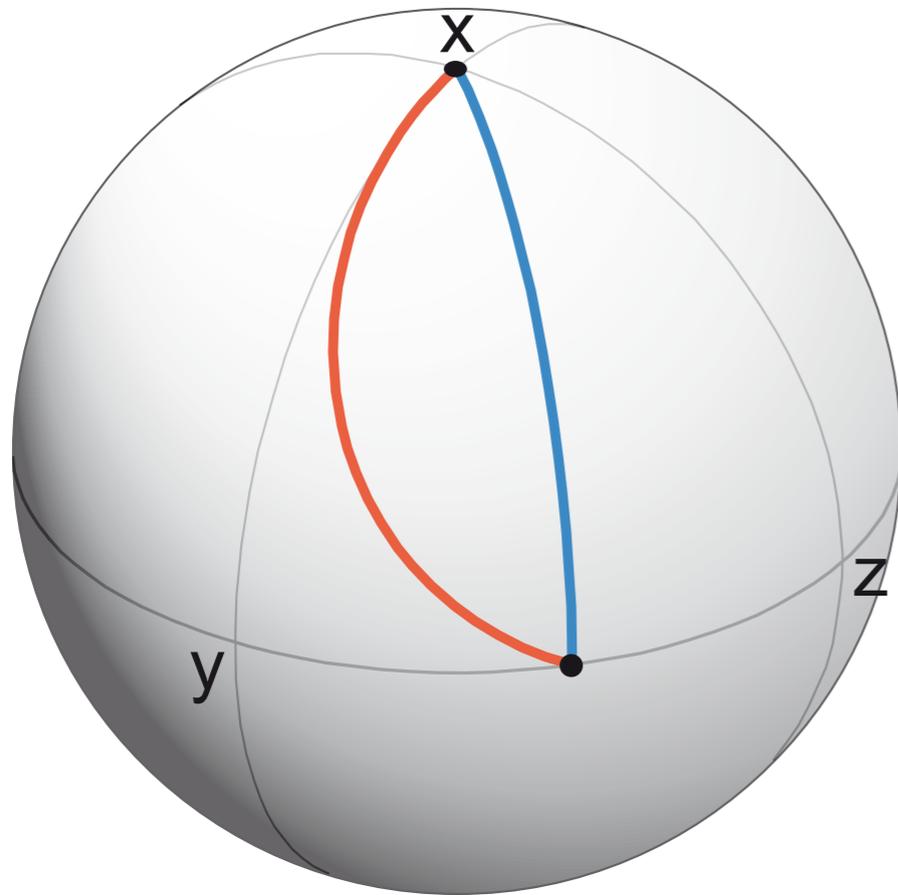
$$\frac{dx_{A,B}}{dt} = \pi J \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -u_{A,B} & 0 \\ 0 & u_{A,B} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x_{A,B}$$

transfer time:  $\frac{1}{\pi J} \int \underbrace{\sqrt{\frac{(\dot{x})^2 + (\dot{z})^2}{y^2}}}_{L} dt$   $y^2 = 1 - x^2 - z^2$

Euler-Lagrange equations for the geodesic

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{x}} \right) = \frac{\partial L}{\partial x}; \quad \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{z}} \right) = \frac{\partial L}{\partial z}$$

# Geodesics on a sphere



Euklidian metric

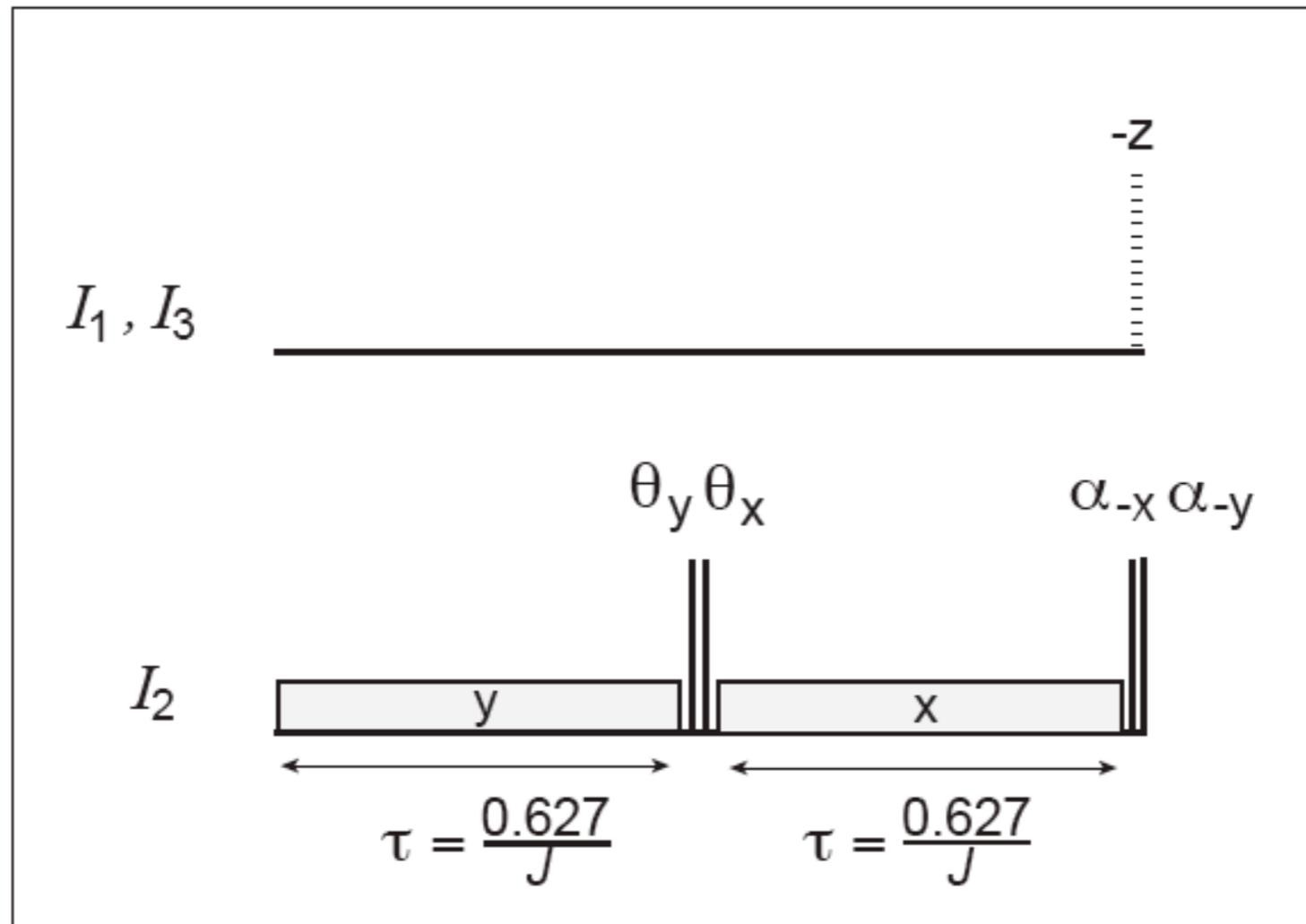
$$(dx)^2 + (dy)^2 + (dz)^2$$

“quantum gate design metric”

$$\frac{(dx)^2 + (dz)^2}{y^2}$$

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Pulse sequence for creating  $U_{13} = \exp\{-i \pi I_{1z} I_{3z}\}$



$\theta = 180^\circ - \alpha = 31.4^\circ$ , weak pulse amplitude:  $0.52 J$

TABLE I. Duration  $\tau_C$  of various implementations of the CNOT(1,3) gate.

Pulse sequence	$\tau_C$ (units of $J^{-1}$ )	Relative duration (%)
Sequence 1 (C1)	3.5	100
Sequence 2 (C2)	2.5	71.4
Sequence 3 (C3)	2.0	57.1
Sequence 4 (C4)	1.866	53.3
Sequence 5 (C5)	1.253	38.8

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# Experimental Demonstration

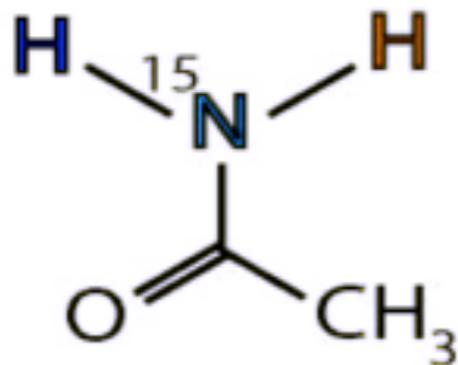
Solvent: DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>

Temp.: 295 K

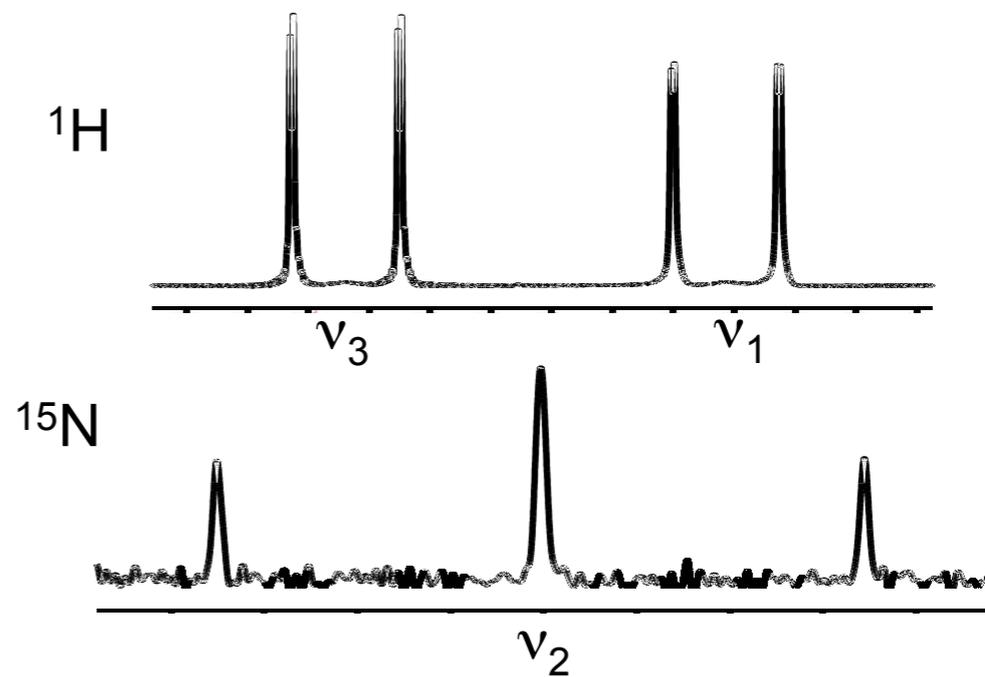
Bruker 500 Avance Spectrometer

$$J_{12} = -87.3 \text{ Hz} \approx J_{23} = -88.8 \text{ Hz} \gg J_{13} = 2.9 \text{ Hz}$$

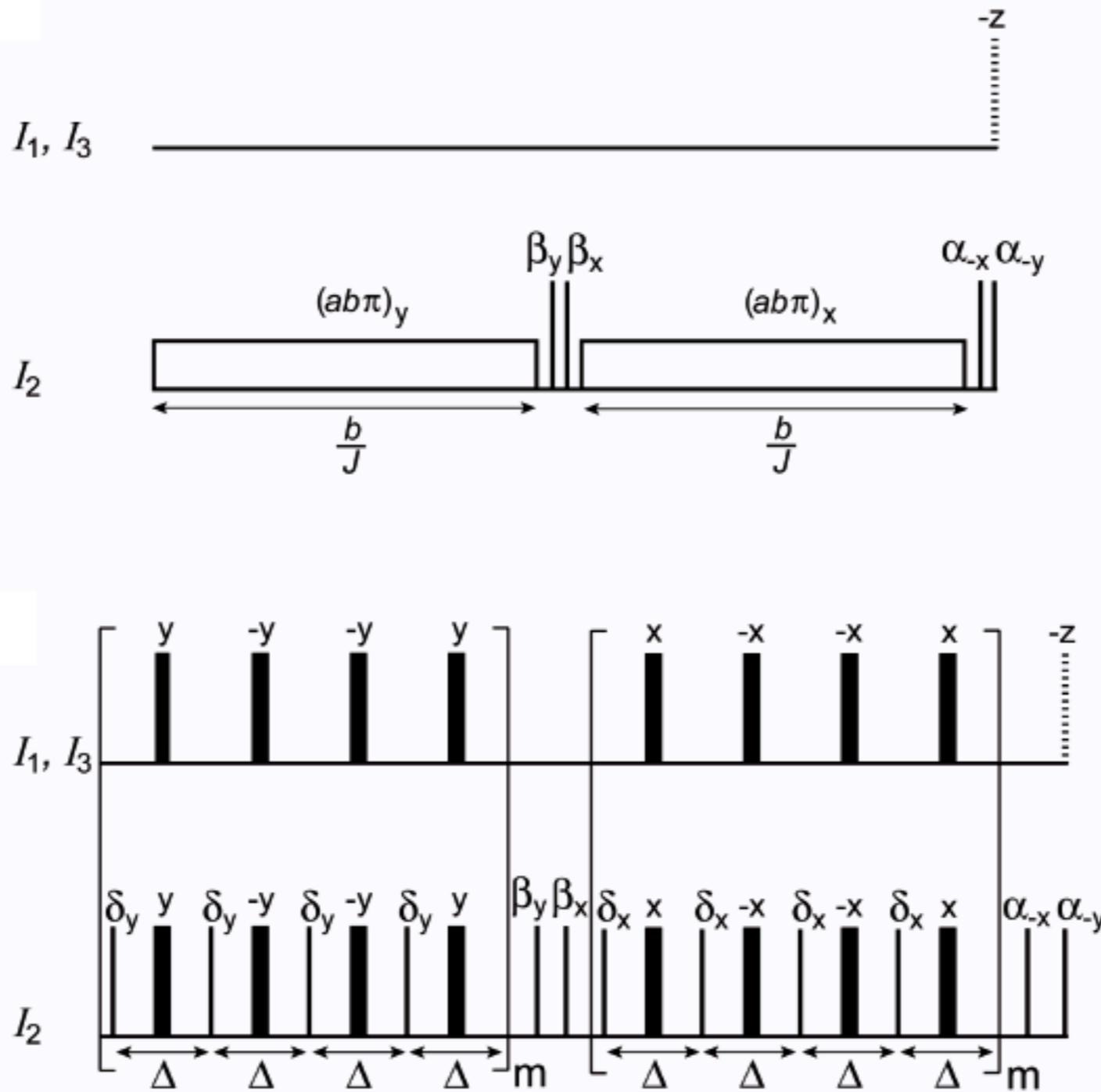
$$\Delta\nu_{13} = 310 \text{ Hz}$$



<sup>15</sup>N - acetamide



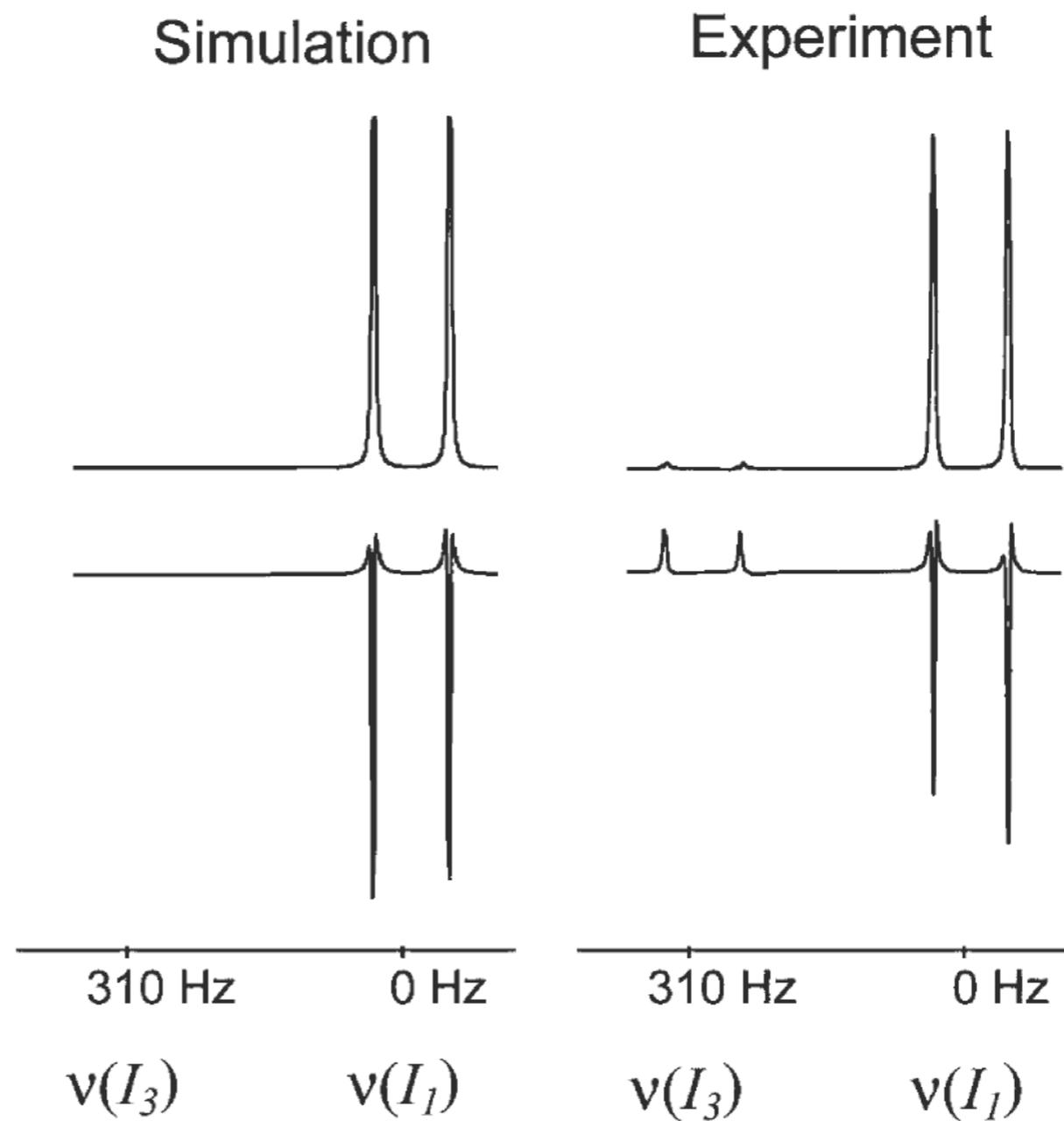
# Experimental Demonstration $U_{13}$



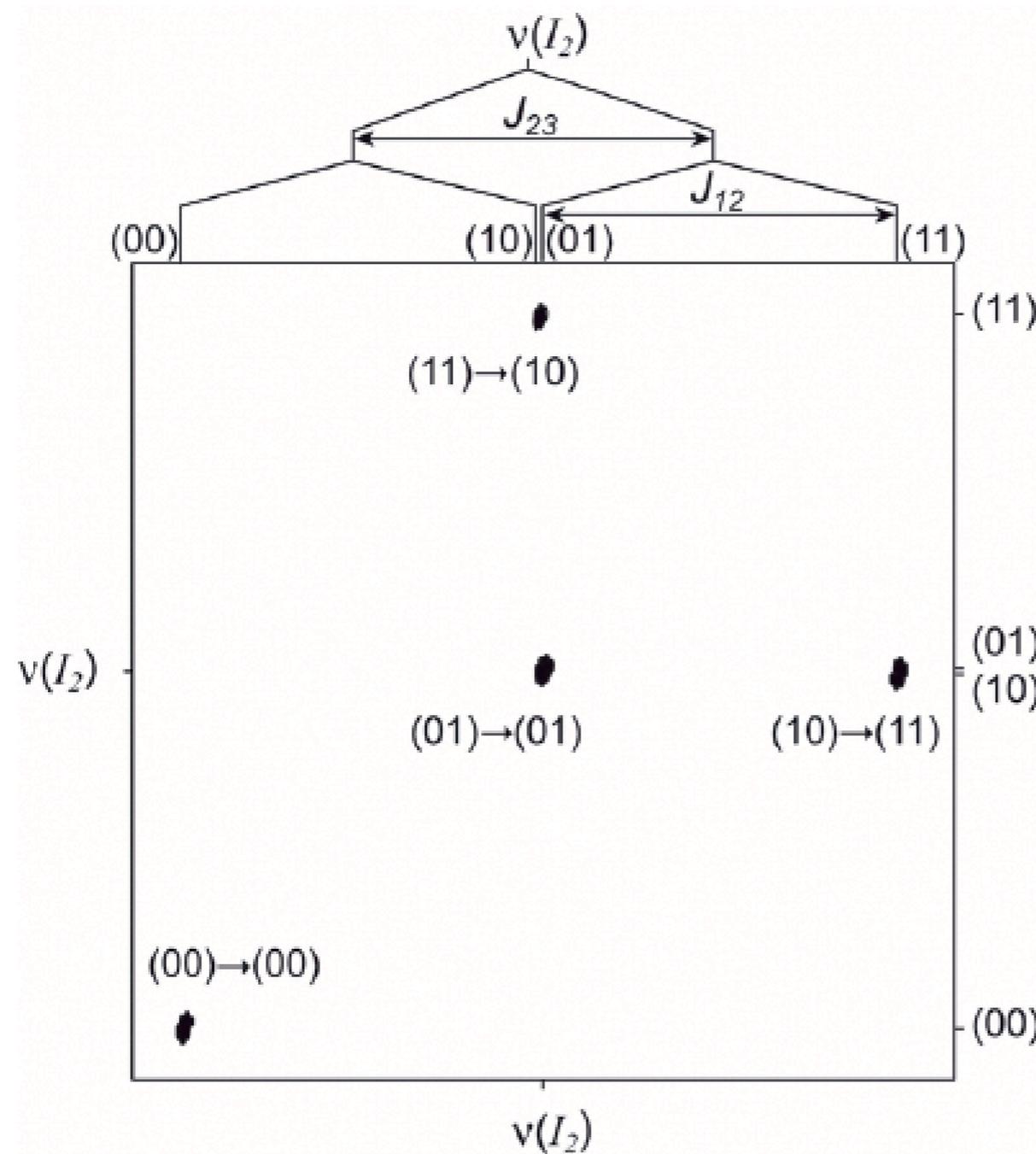
$$\mathcal{U}_{13} = \exp\left\{-i\frac{\pi}{2}2I_{1z}I_{3z}\right\}$$

$$\rho_A = I_{1x}$$

$$\rho_B = 2I_{1y}I_{3z}$$

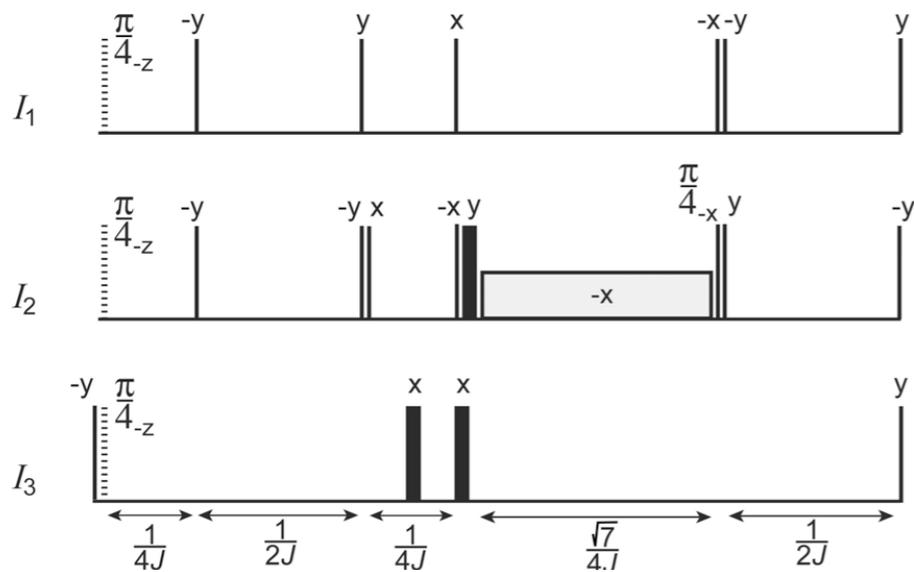


# Experimental demonstration of CNOT(1,3)

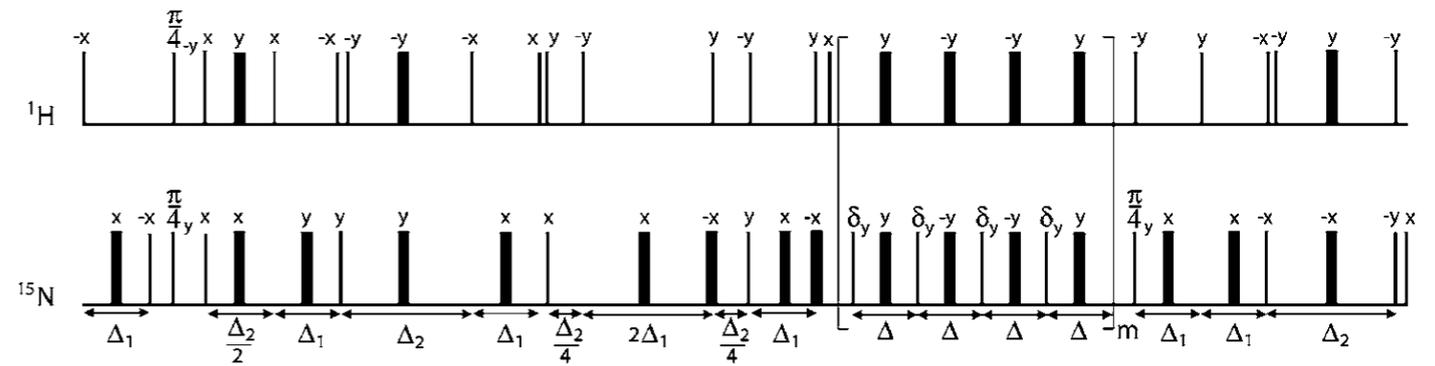


# Toffoli gate

ideal sequence



experimental sequence



$$\rho_A = I_{1x}$$

$$\rho_D = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(I_{1x} + 2I_{1x}I_{2z} + 2I_{1x}I_{3x} - 4I_{1x}I_{2z}I_{3x})$$

Simulation

Experiment

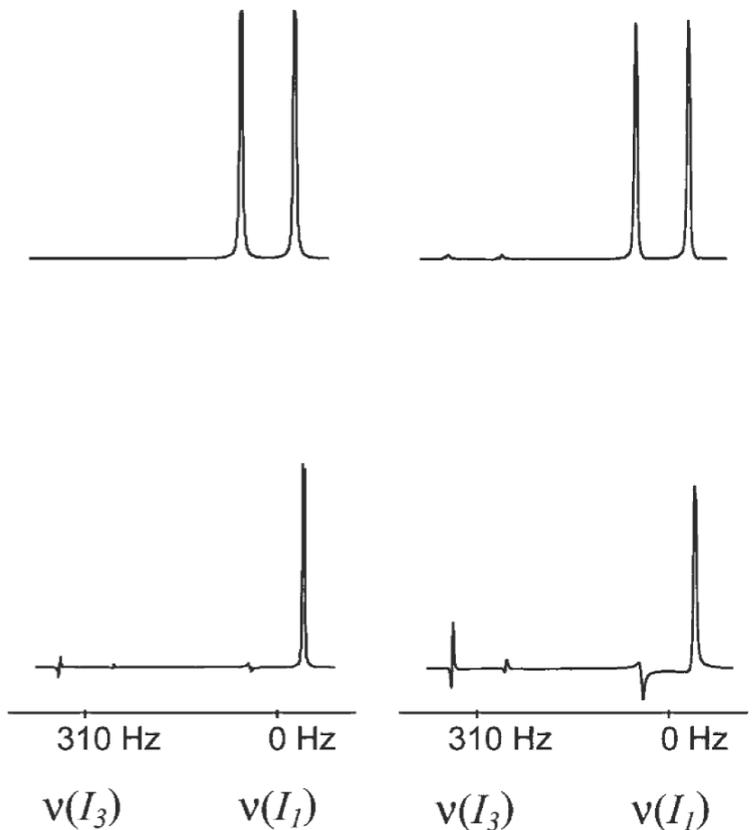


TABLE II. Duration  $\tau_T$  of various implementations of the Toffoli gate.

Pulse sequence	$\tau_T$ (units of $J^{-1}$ )	Relative duration (%)
Sequence 1 (T1)	9.0	100
Sequence 2 (T2)	4.5	50
Sequence 3 (T3)	4.75	52.8
Sequence 4 (T4)	3.16	35.1
Sequence 5 (T5)	2.57	28.6
Sequence 6 (T6)	2.16	24.0

(T1) D. P. DiVincenzo, Proc. R. Soc. London, Ser. A **1969**, 261 (1998).

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