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Theory

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Experimental

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- Yu Chen
- Brian Burkett
- Austin Fowler
- Rob Graff
- Evan Jeffrey

- Erik Lucero
- Anthony Megrant
- Josh Mutus
- Matthew Neeley
- Pedram Roushan
- Daniel Sank
- Julian Kelly

Areas of interest

- Prospects for quantum computation in the
 - short term: quantum annealing, optimization, sampling
 - medium term: quantum annealing, small gate based quantum devices (no fault tolerant)
 - long term: universal fault tolerant quantum computation
- Experimental devices based on superconducting qubits
 - qubit design (qubits, measurement, control, coupling, gates)
 - noise characterization (low frequency noise)
 - quantum annealing device design
 - high fidelity gates
 - surface code
- Physics simulations
 - superconducting qubits low level simulations
 - \circ open system simulations with many qubits
 - mean field trajectories + incoherent tunneling
 - quantum Monte Carlo
 - instantons
- Benchmarking of optimization problems
- Applications
 - machine learning
 - quantum chemistry

Capabilities

Experimental



$$\Gamma_{1\to0} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\tau \, e^{i\Omega_{10}\tau - h(i\epsilon_p\tau + (W\tau)^2/2)} \left[\frac{\pi\tau_c}{i\beta} \operatorname{csch}\frac{(\tau - i\tau_c)}{\beta/\pi}\right]^{\frac{h\eta}{2\pi}} D(\tau)$$

Numerics



0.75

Theory

of population 15.5 mK turs: 5 frozen slowdown 0.70 $\begin{array}{c} \langle 0,65 \\ 0 \\ | \phi | \phi \\ 0.60 \end{array}$ therm. thermalized population 35 mK 10 $t_{\rm qa}\,\Gamma_{10}$ 10^{0} rate 35 mk 0.55 10^{-2} 0.30 0.35 0.50 0.26 0.32 0.28 0.3 0.34 s

Capabilities Google is looking for

- 1. Embedding strategies and applications to real world practical problems of increasing size. Optimization and samplings problems.
- 2. Asses the limiting factor of finite precision.
- 3. Access the role of noise on different aspects of machine performance.
- 4. Quantum Annealing in benchmarks for increasing size (spin glass theory, finite temperature statistics).
- 5. Superconducting qubit design.

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