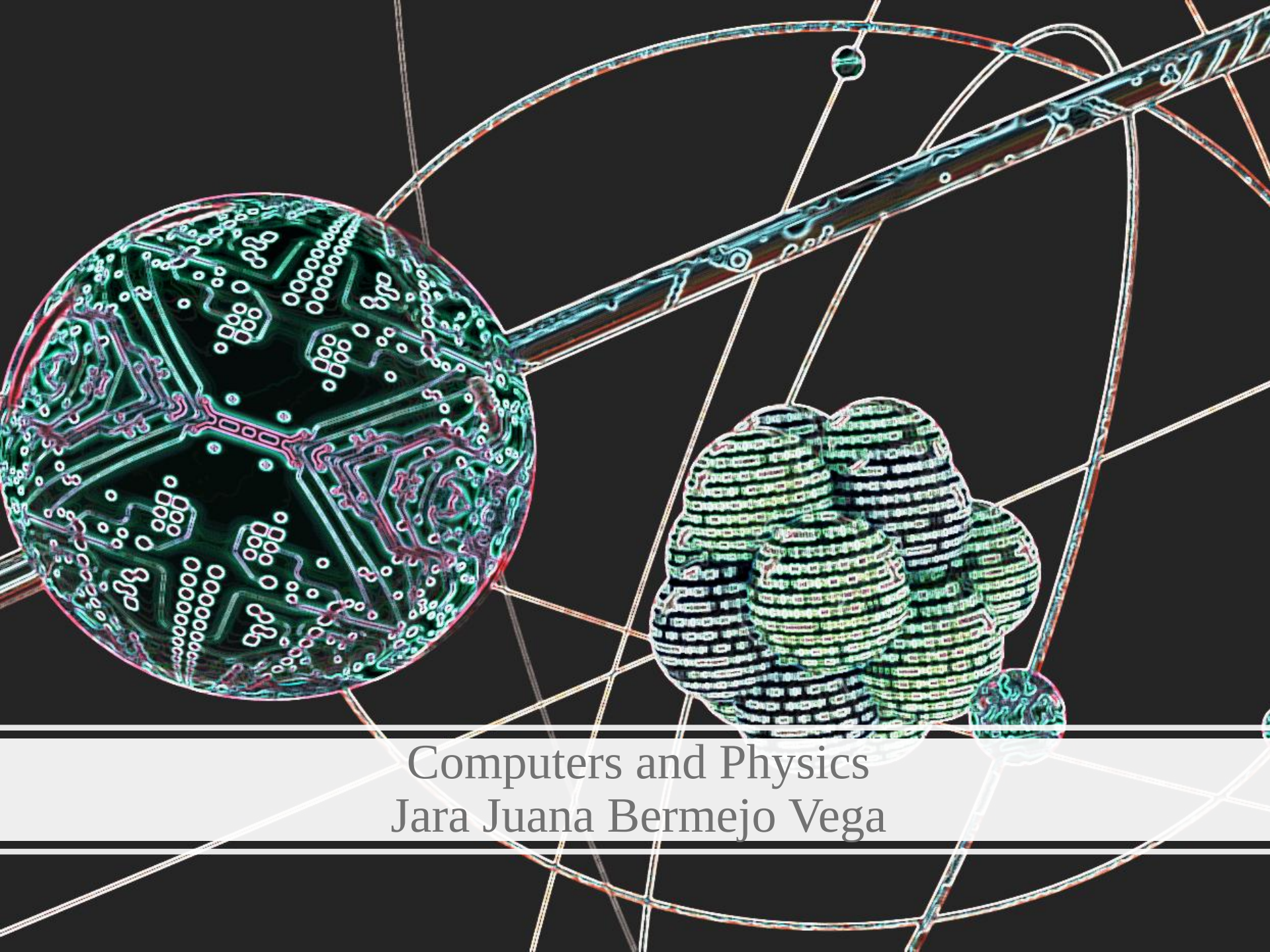
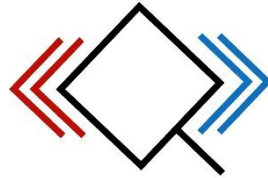




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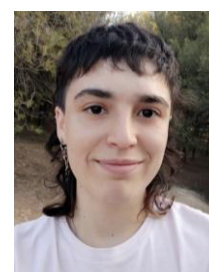
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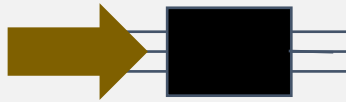


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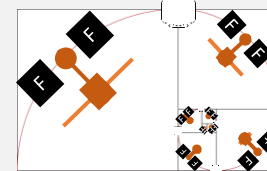
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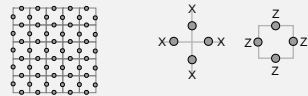
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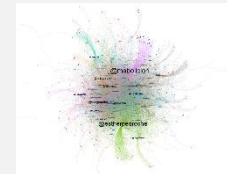
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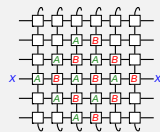


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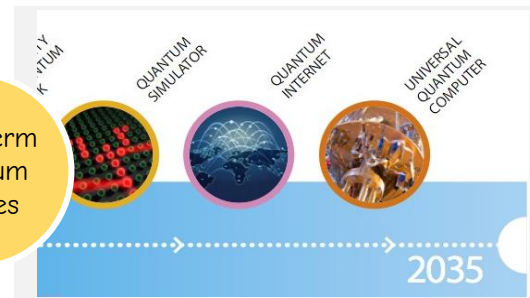


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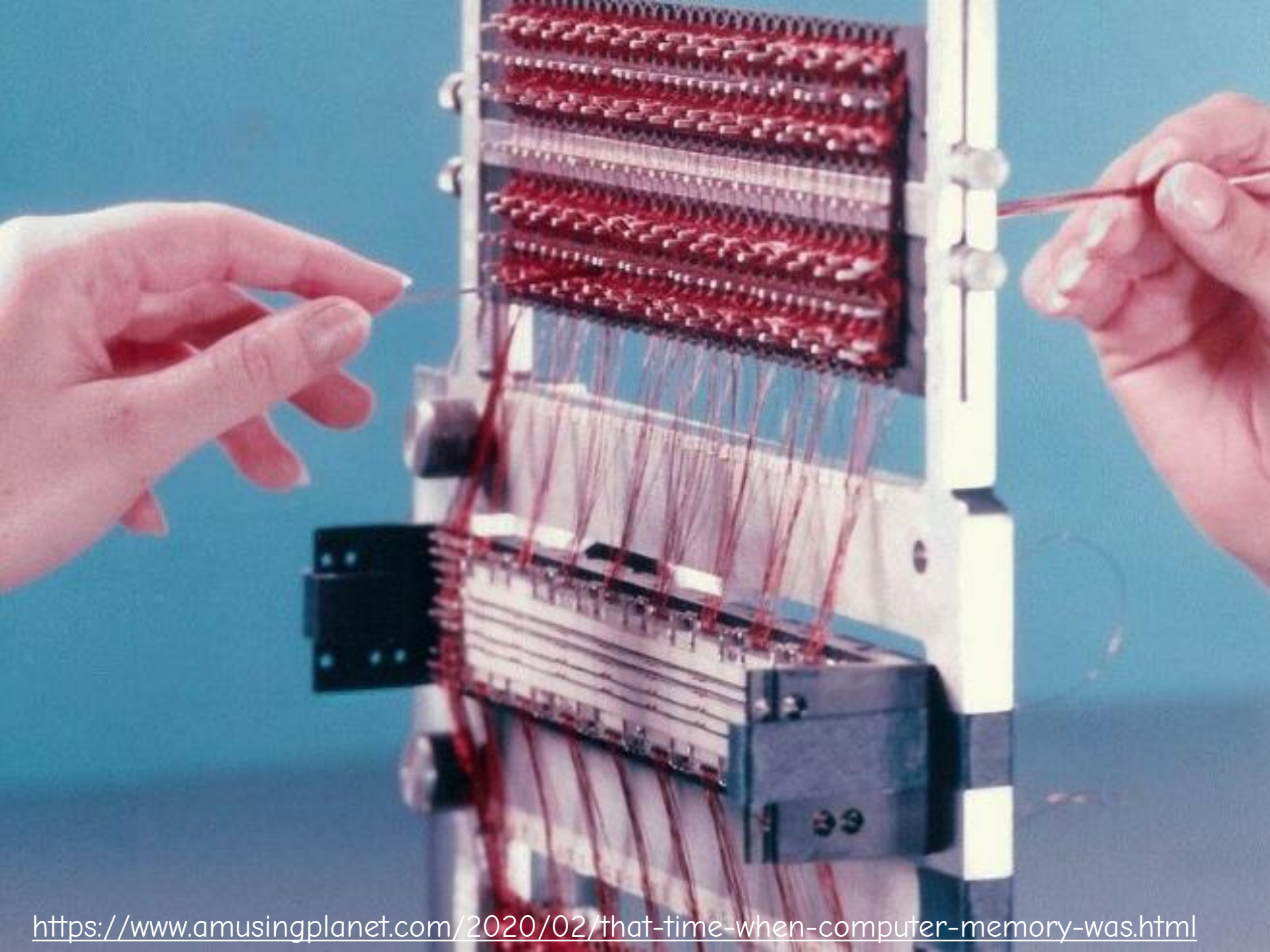
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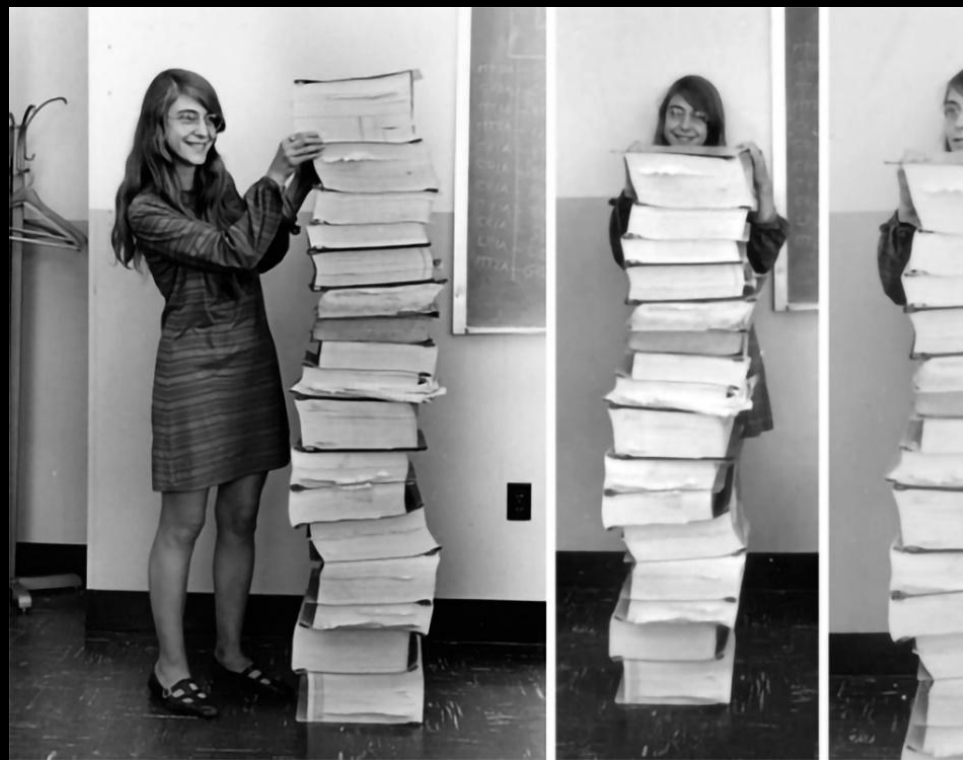
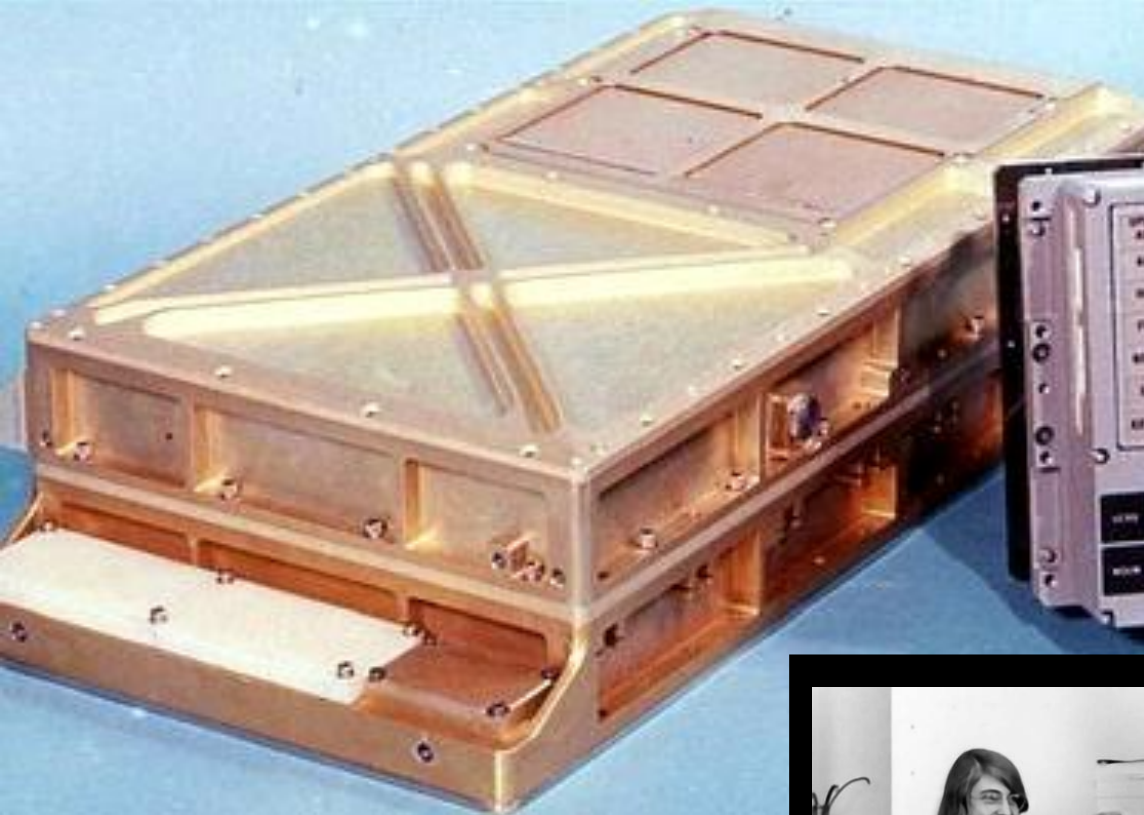


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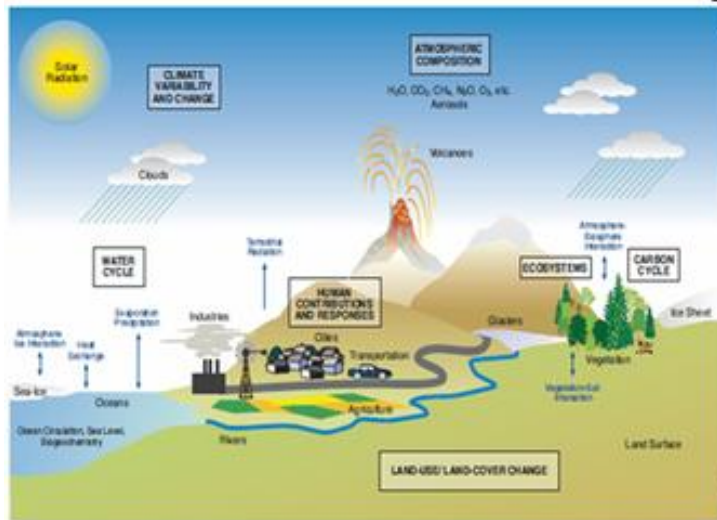
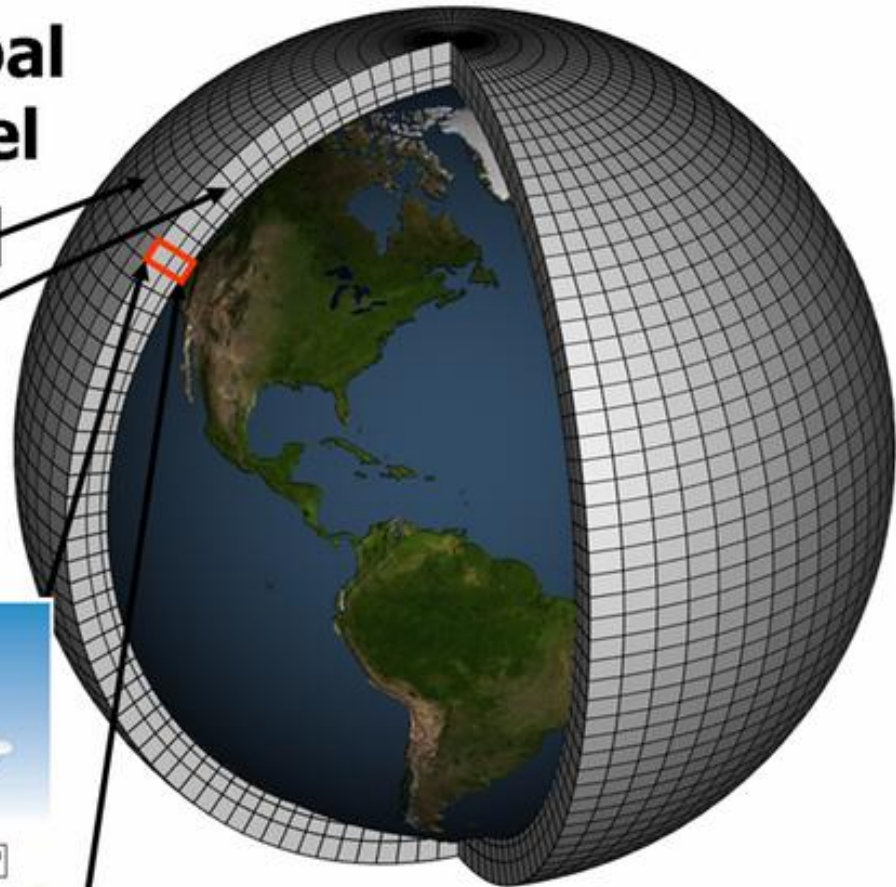




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Horizontal Grid (Latitude-Longitude)

Vertical Grid (Height or Pressure)



Navier-Stokes Equations

3 - dimensional - unsteady

z) Time : t Density: ρ Pressure: p
 vts: (u,v,w) Stress: τ Heat Flux:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho u)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(\rho v)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(\rho w)}{\partial z} = r$$

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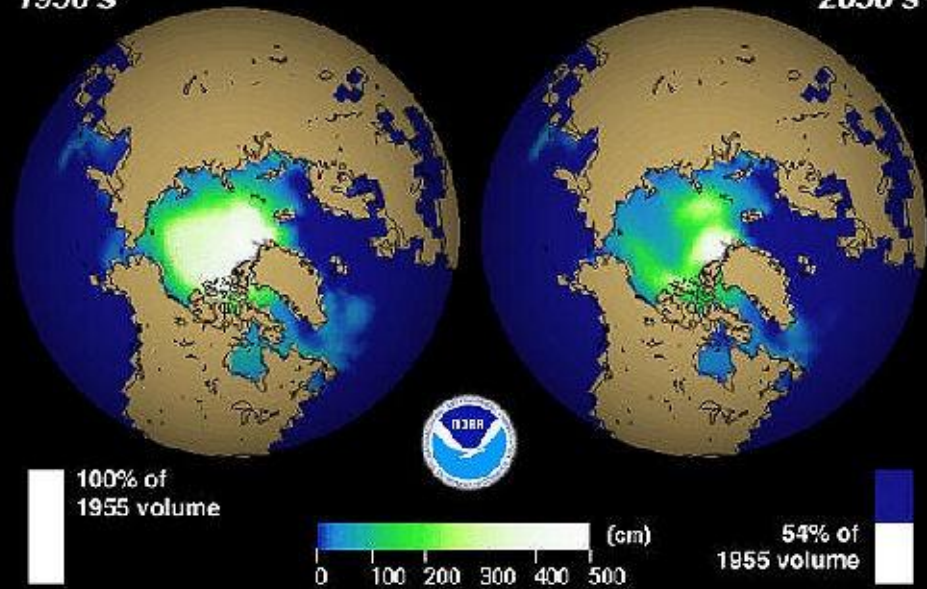
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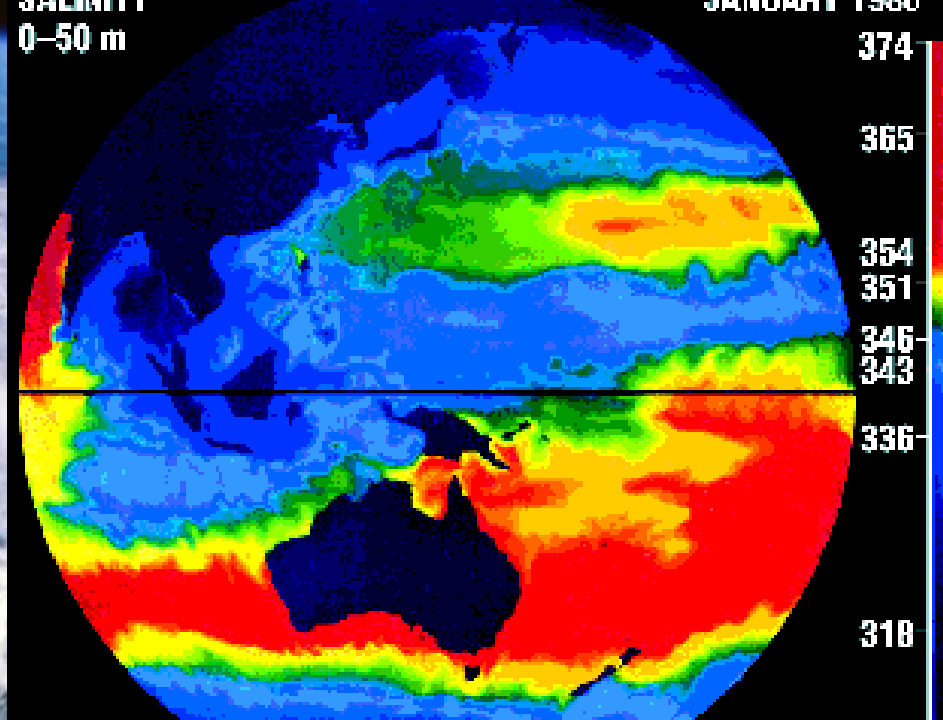
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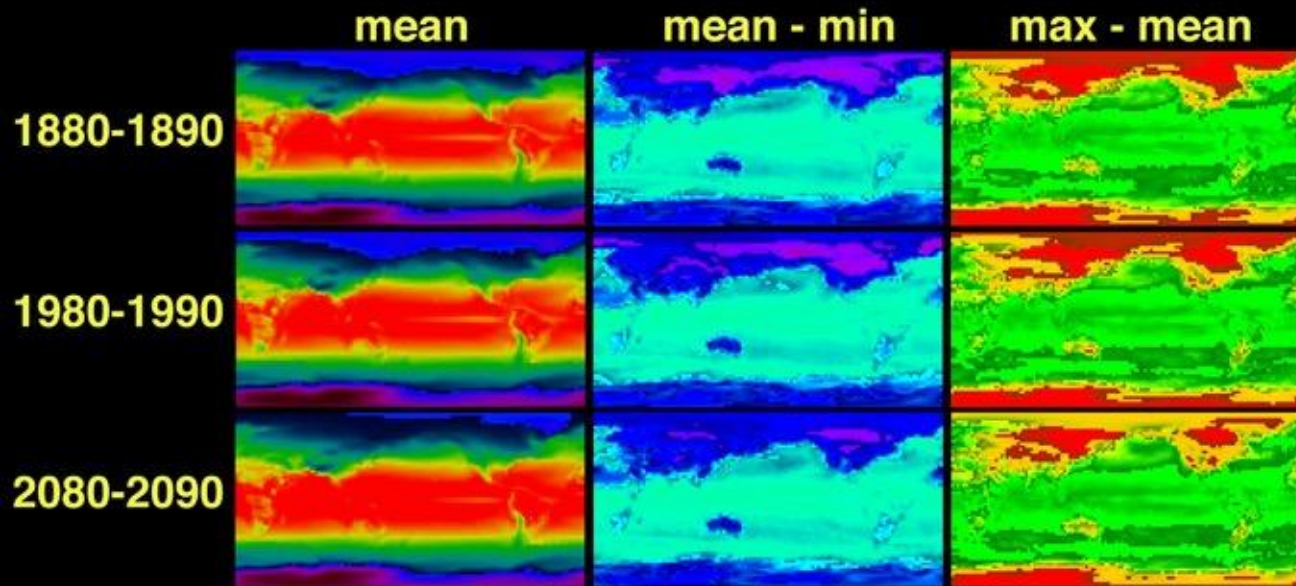
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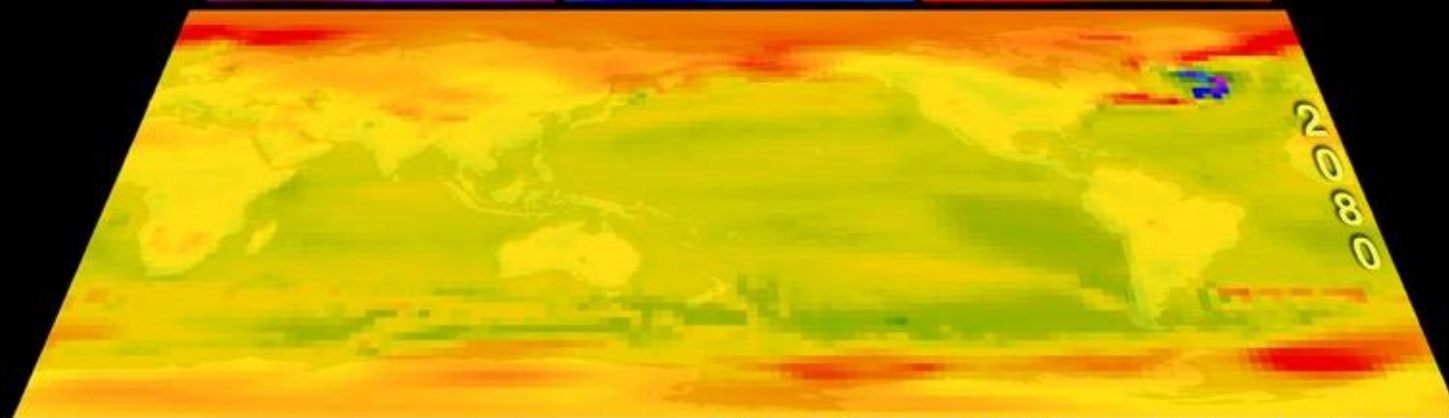
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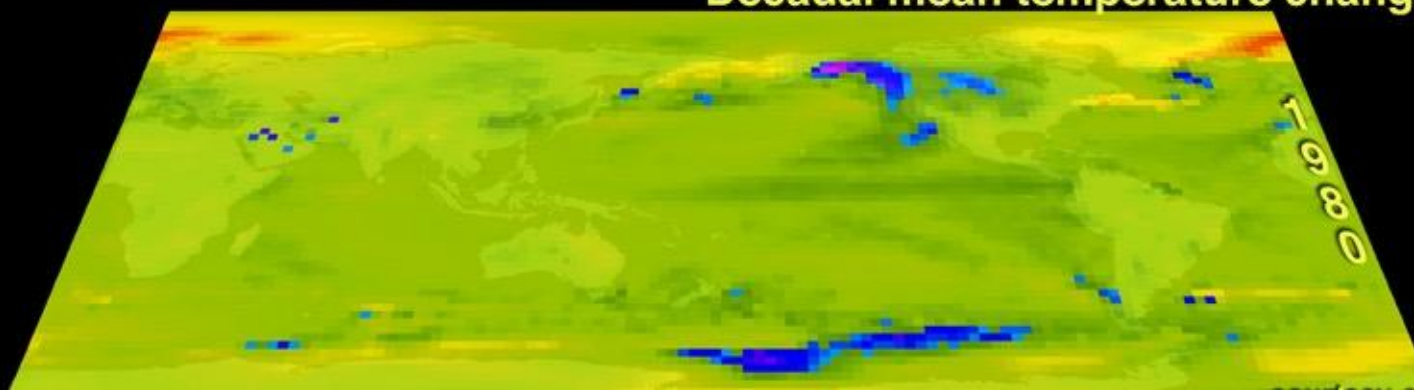


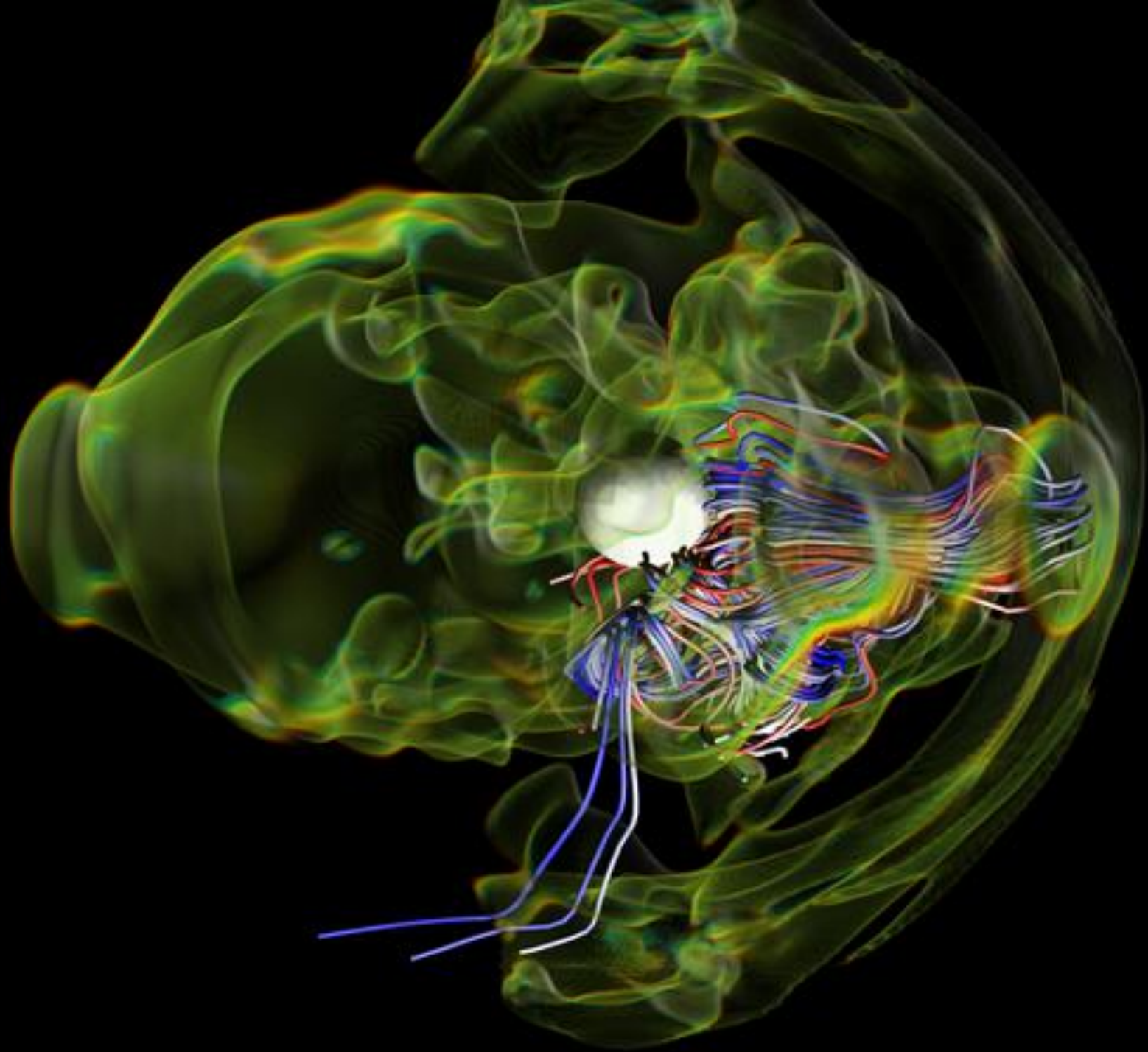


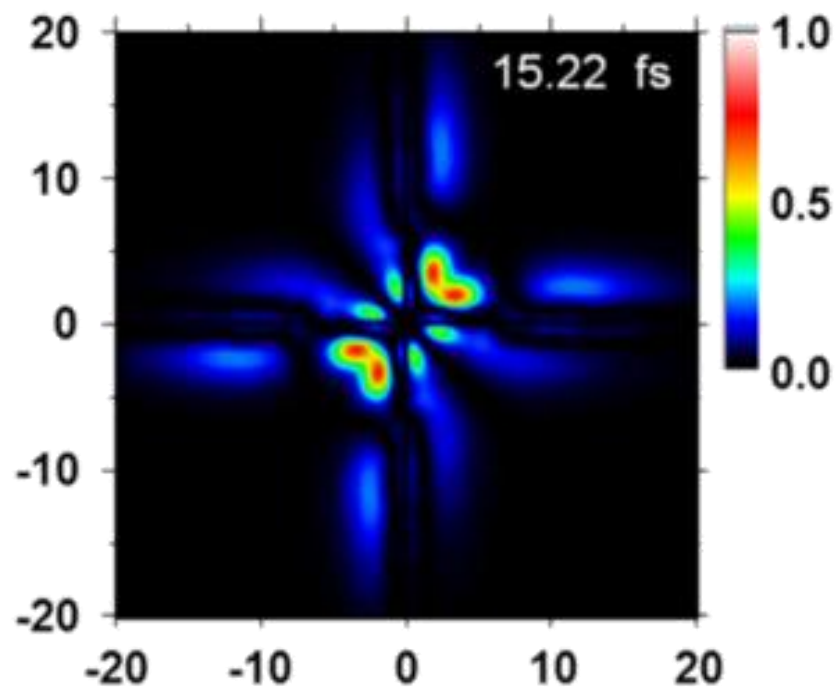
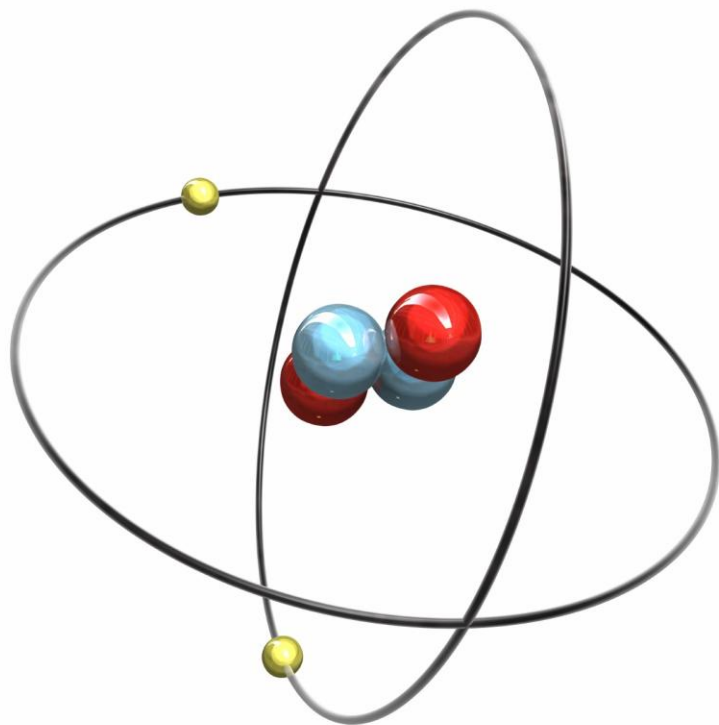
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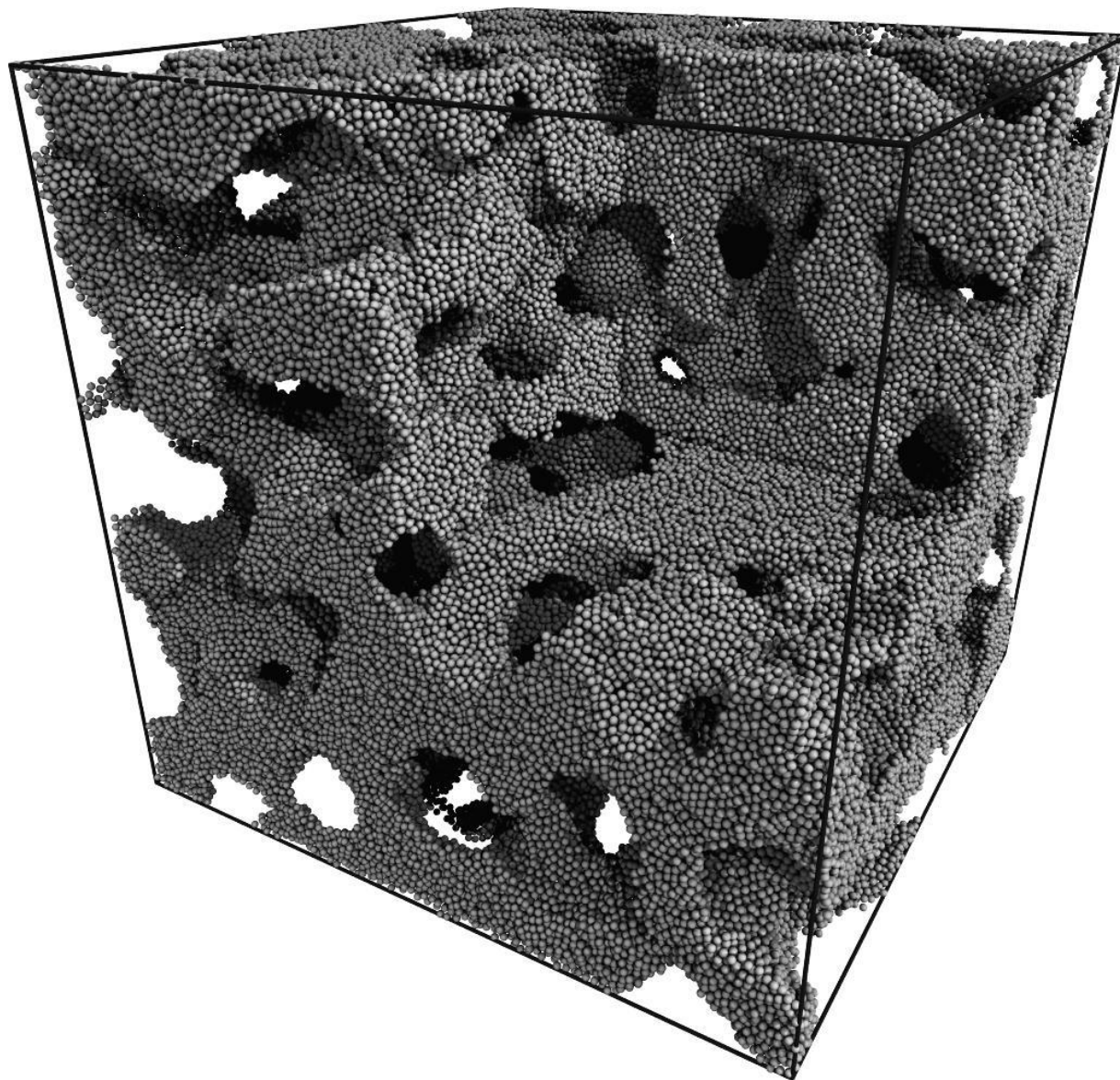


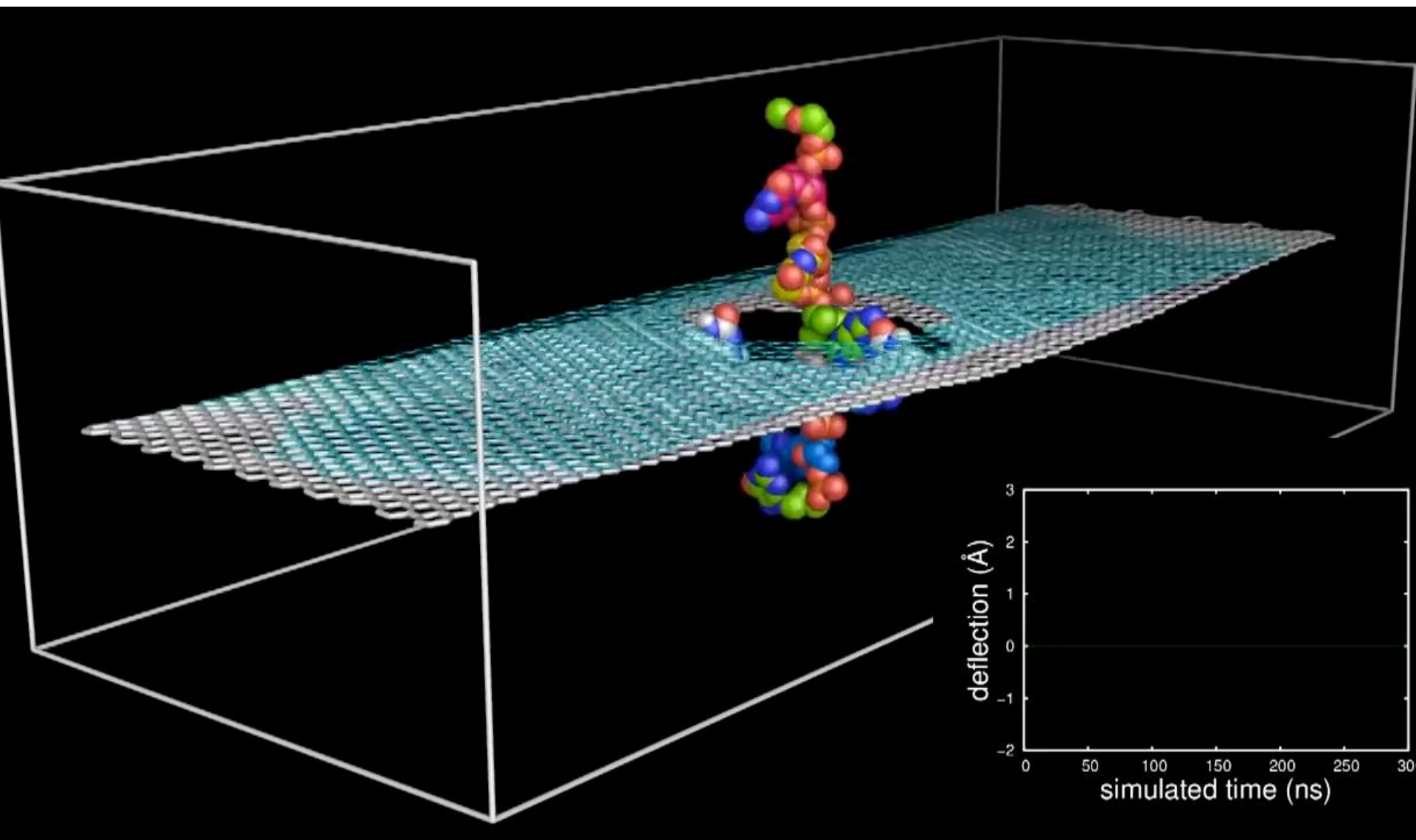
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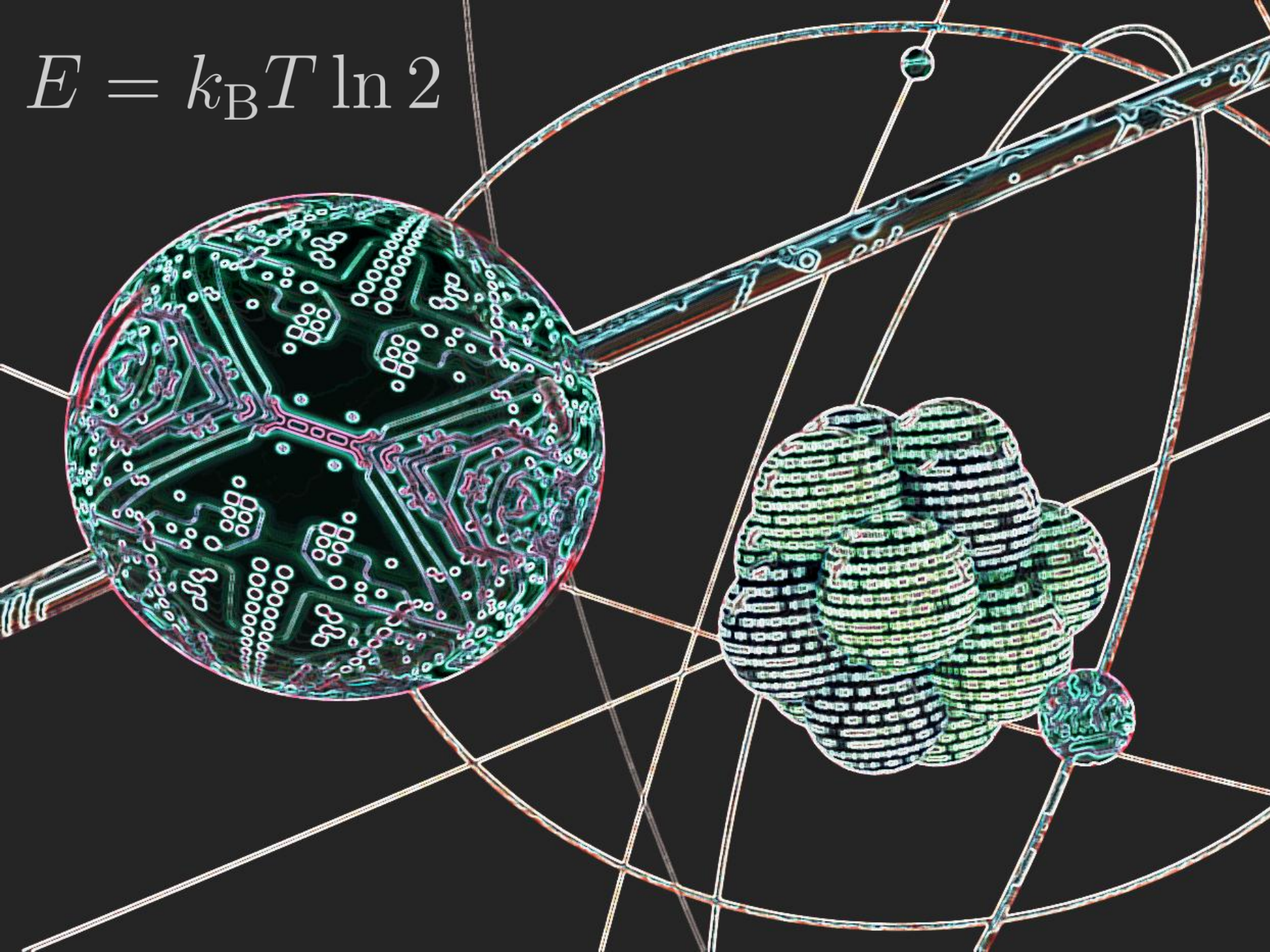
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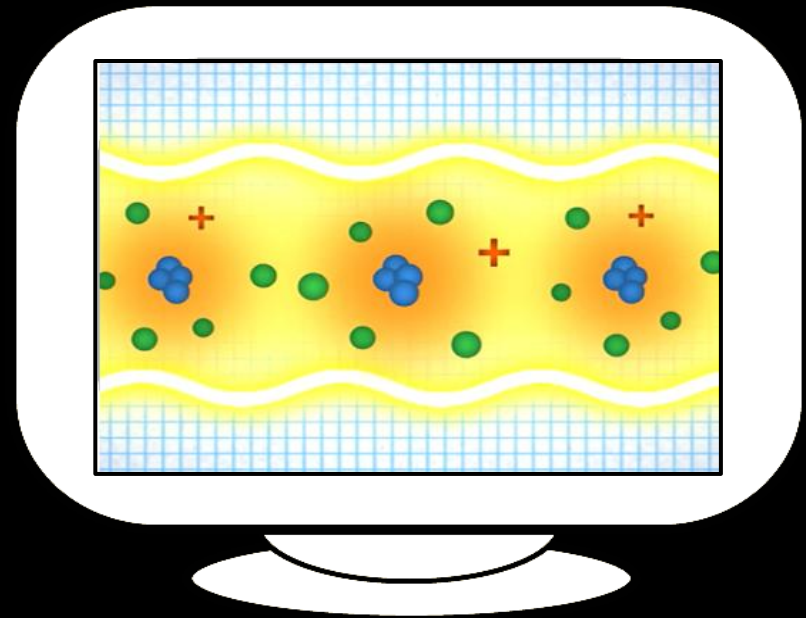
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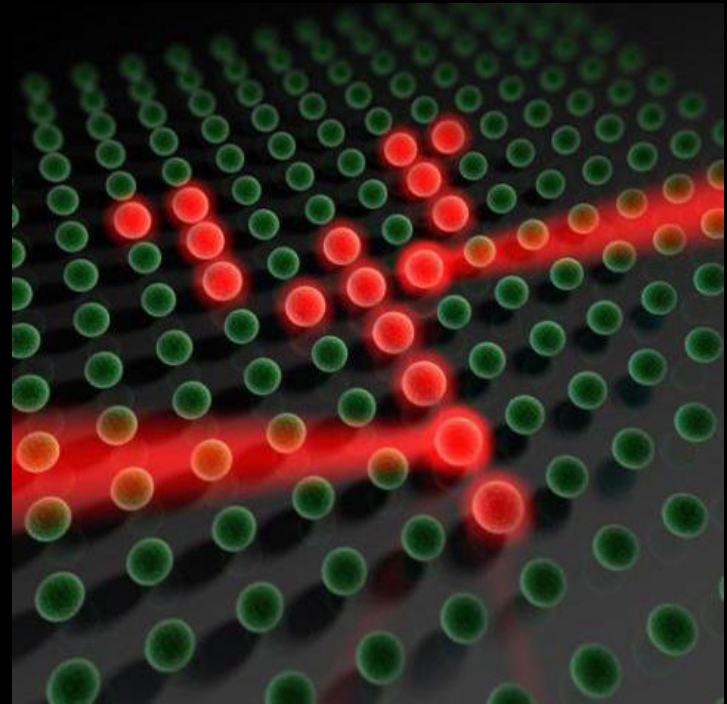


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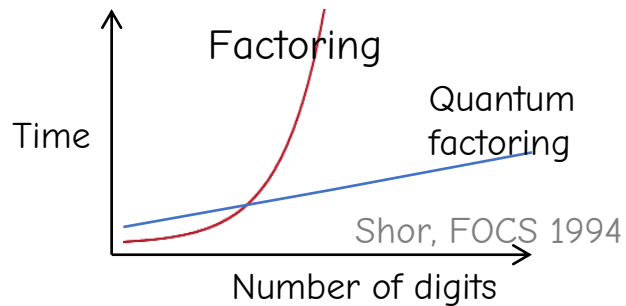
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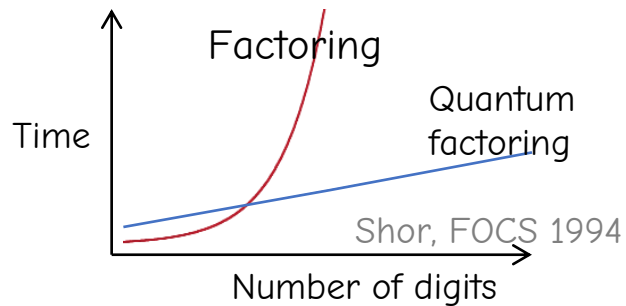
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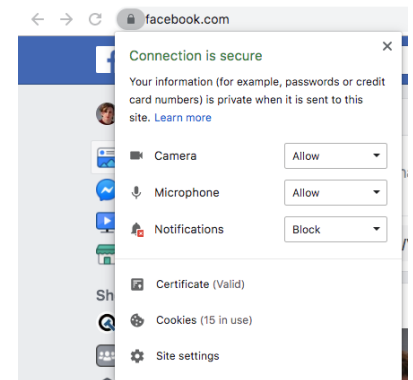
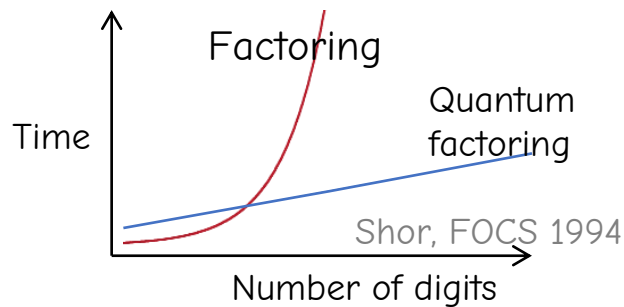
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Foundational Question

What makes quantum computing work?

Largeness
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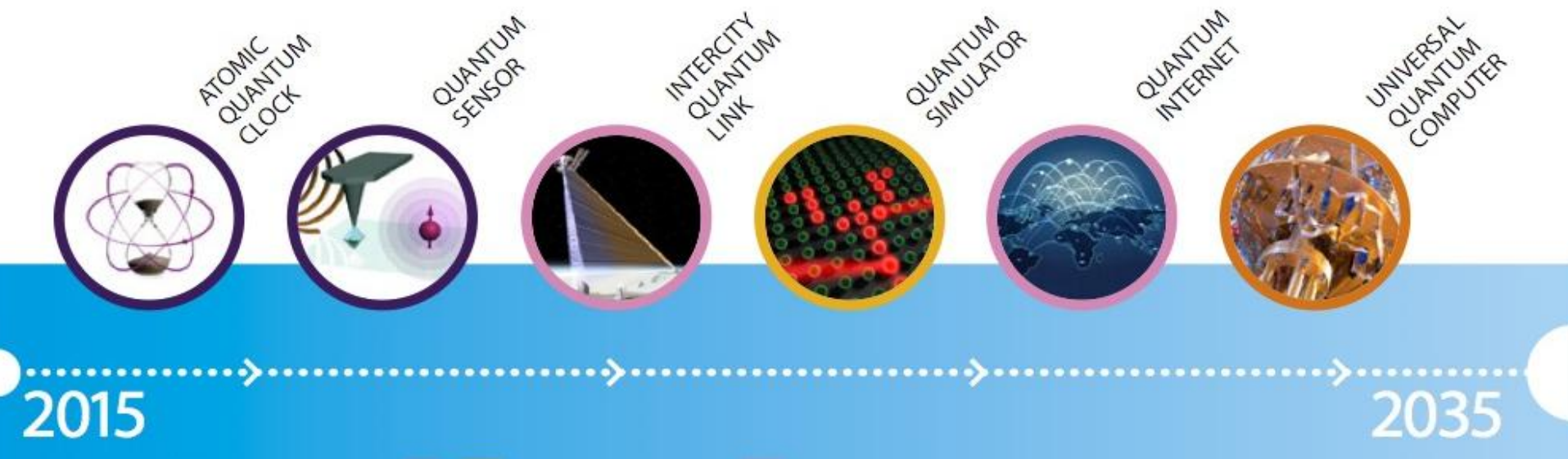
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Roadmap to Quantum Technologies



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How to factor 2048 bit RSA integers in 8 hours using 20 million noisy qubits

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We significantly reduce the cost of factoring integers and computing discrete logarithms in finite fields on a quantum computer by combining techniques from Shor 1994, Griffiths–Niu 1996, Zalka 2006, Fowler 2012, Ekerå–Håstad 2017, Ekerå 2017, Ekerå 2018, Gidney–Fowler 2019, Gidney 2019. We estimate the approximate cost of our construction using plausible physical assumptions for large-scale superconducting qubit platforms: a planar grid of qubits with nearest-neighbor connectivity, a characteristic physical gate error rate of 10^{-3} , a surface code cycle time of 1 microsecond, and a reaction time of 10 microseconds. We account for factors that are normally ignored such as noise, the need to make repeated attempts, and the spacetime layout of the computation. When factoring 2048 bit RSA integers, our construction's spacetime volume is a hundredfold less than comparable estimates from earlier works (Fowler et al. 2012, Gheorghiu et al. 2019). In the abstract circuit model (which ignores overheads from distillation, routing, and error correction) our construction uses $3n + 0.002n \lg n$ logical qubits, $0.3n^3 + 0.0005n^3 \lg n$ Toffolis, and $500n^2 + n^2 \lg n$ measurement depth to factor n -bit RSA integers. We quantify the cryptographic implications of our work, both for RSA and for schemes based on the DLP in finite fields.

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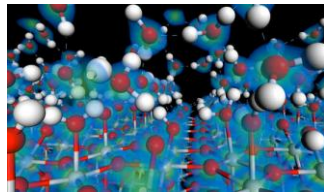
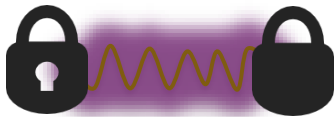
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Simulation

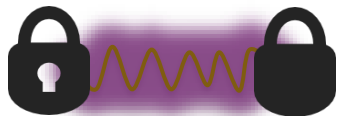


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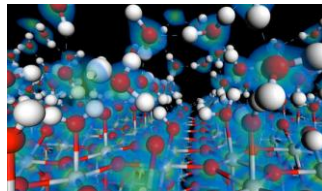
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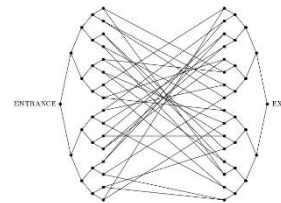


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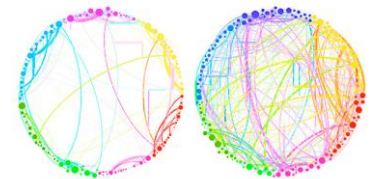


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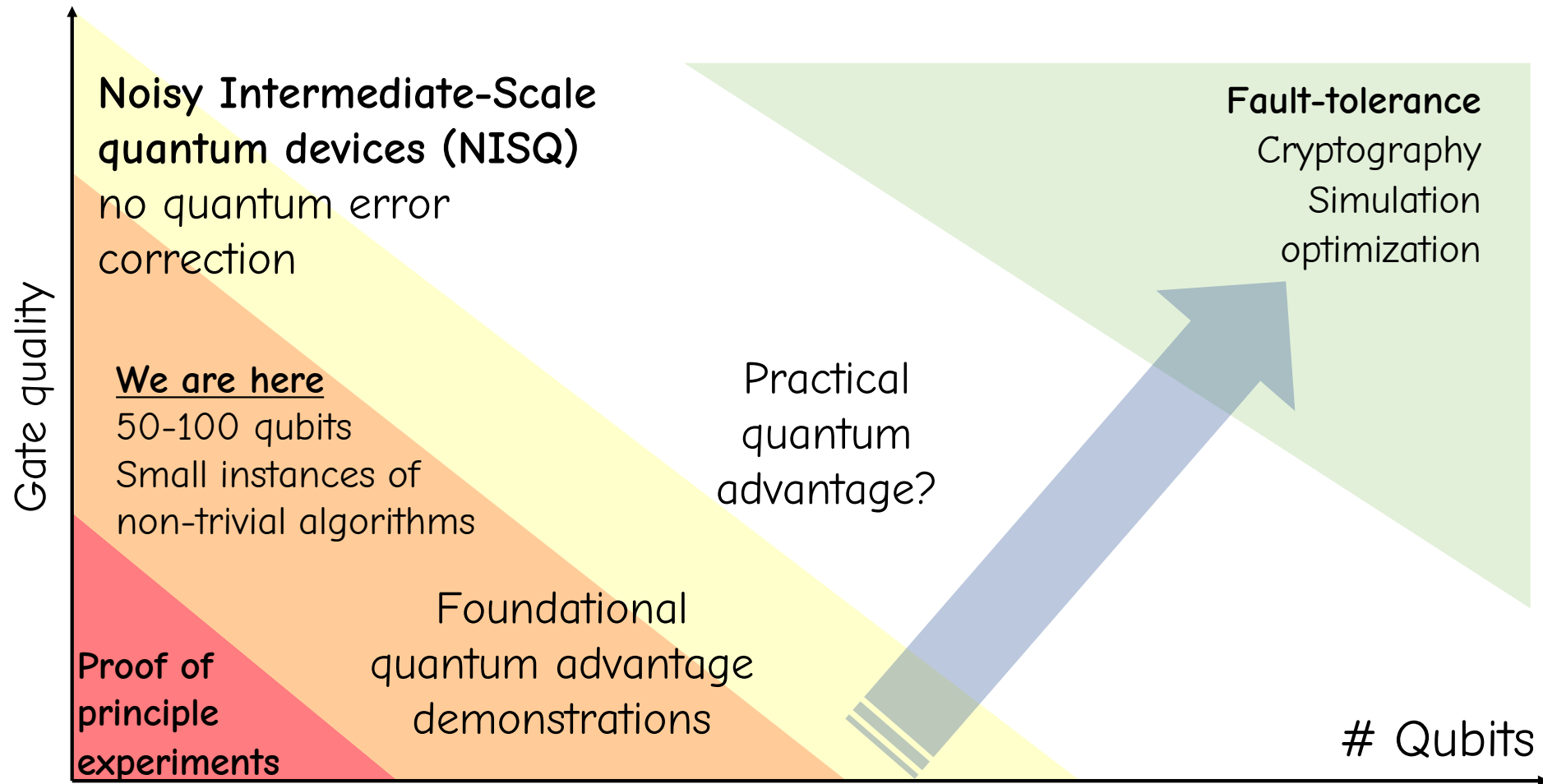


Prospects of Quantum Computing

Can we build them?



State of The Art



Where are we

50 qubits

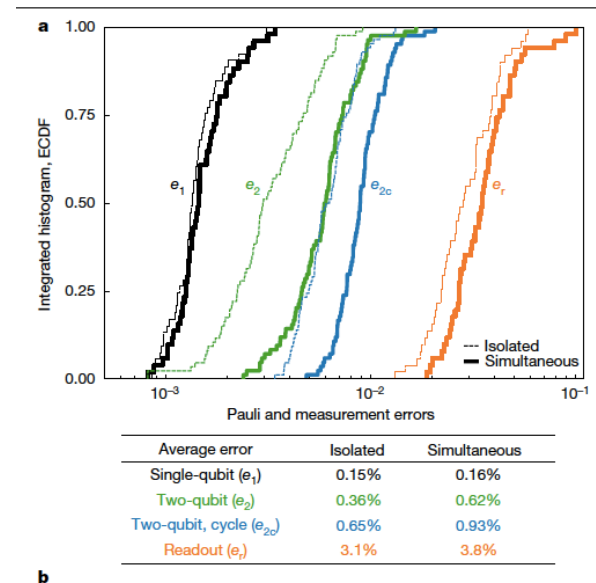
Circuit Depth 100 : 20 cycles of 5 gates

- Quality of gates

1 qubit gate error: $1.6 \cdot 10^{-3}$

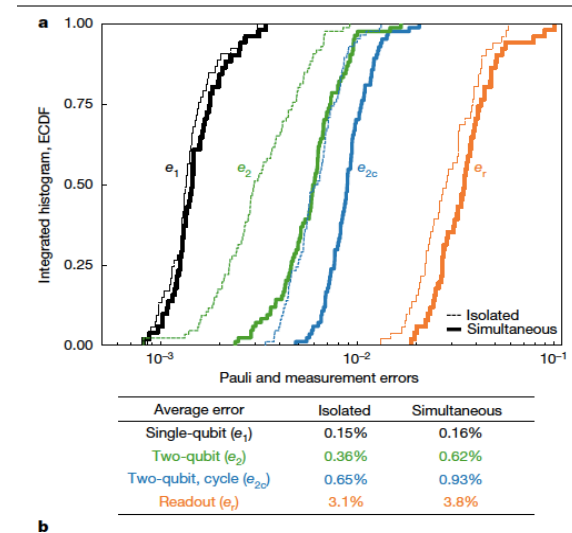
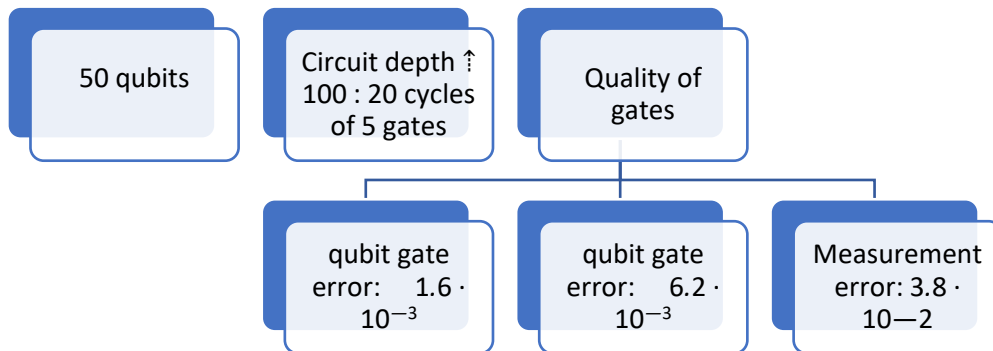
2 qubit gate error: $6.2 \cdot 10^{-3}$

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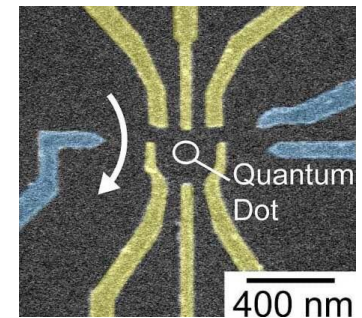
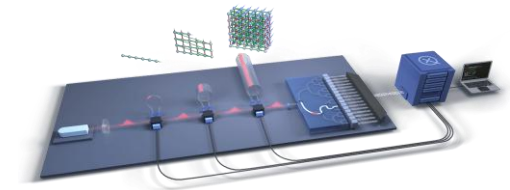
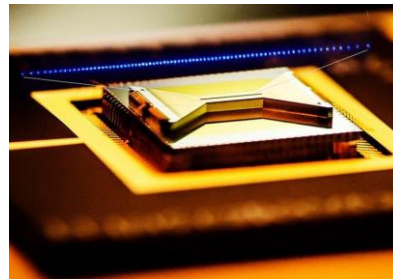
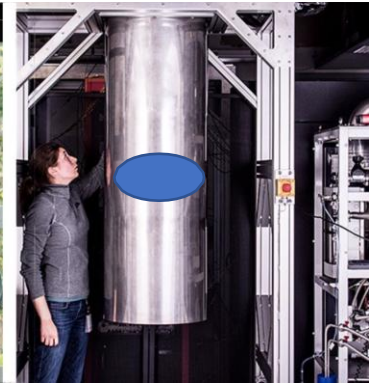
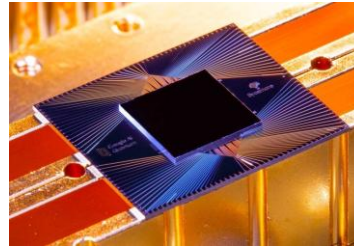
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Hardware architectures

- Superconducting circuits
- Ion Traps
- Photonics
- Quantum dots



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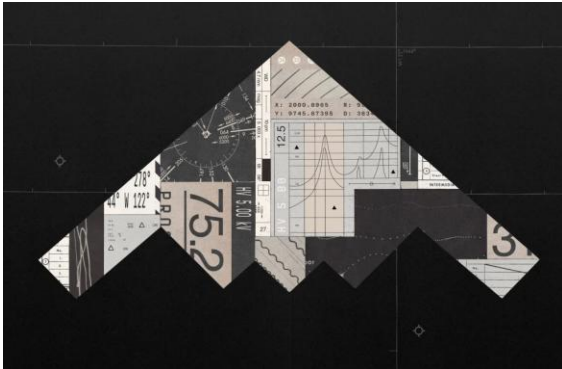
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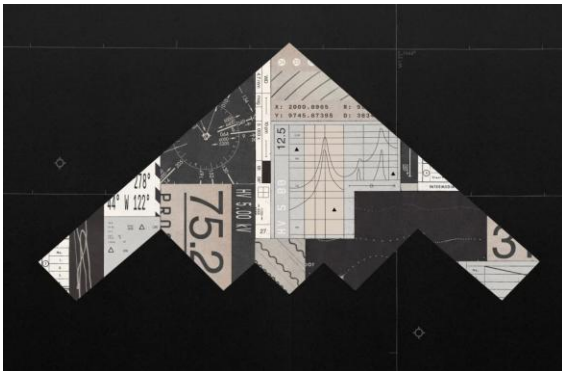
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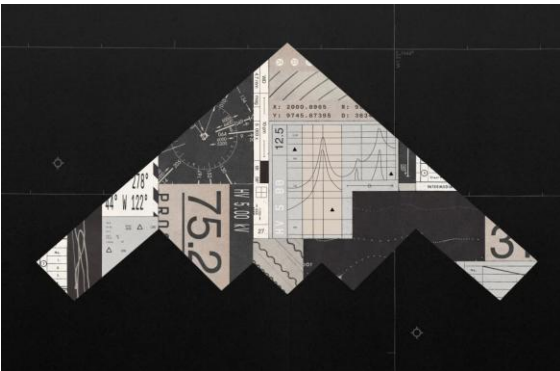
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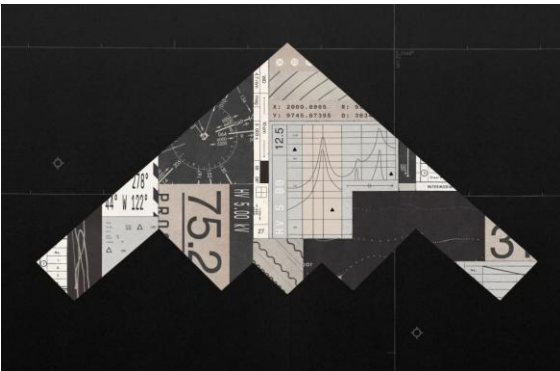
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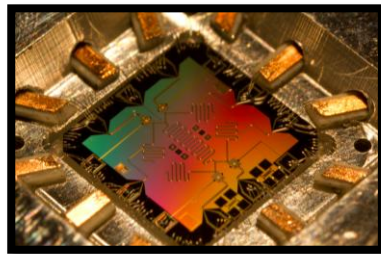
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- Faster computers/AI can increase inequality & bias
- Expensive resources: how and where will they be extracted?

Noisy Intermediate Scale Quantum computers (NISQ)

- 😊 Quantum computers offer advantages in computation
- 😊 50-1000 qubits devices are under construction



- ☹️ Quantum applications are hard to find and implement

What can we do with a quantum computer?

Can quantum computers demonstrate
reliable & **practical** computational advantages?



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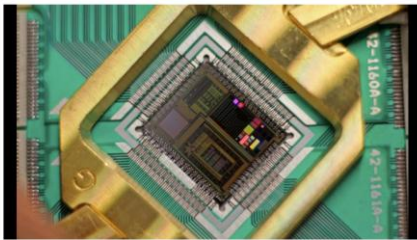
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We show that for any odd k and any instance of the Max-kXOR constraint satisfaction problem, there is an efficient algorithm that finds an assignment satisfying at least a $\frac{1}{2} + \Omega(1/\sqrt{D})$ fraction of constraints, where D is a bound on the number of constraints that each variable occurs in. This improves both qualitatively and quantitatively on the recent work of Farhi, Goldstone, and Gutmann (2014), which gave a quantum algorithm to find an assignment satisfying a $\frac{1}{2} + \Omega(D^{-3/4})$ fraction of the equations.

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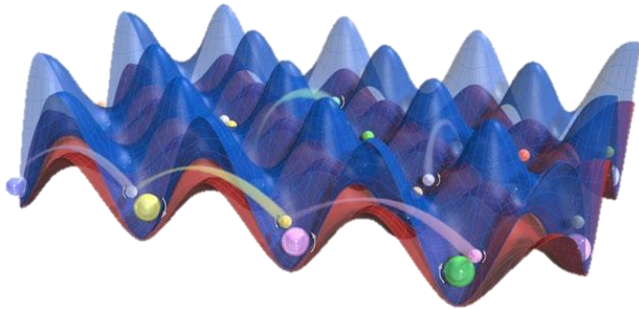
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Trotzky et. al., Nature Phys. 8 (2012), Choi et al., Science 352 (2016)

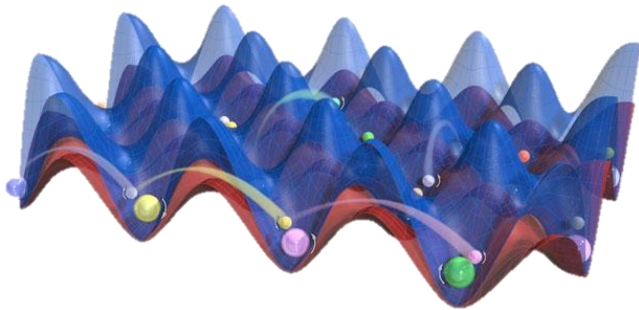


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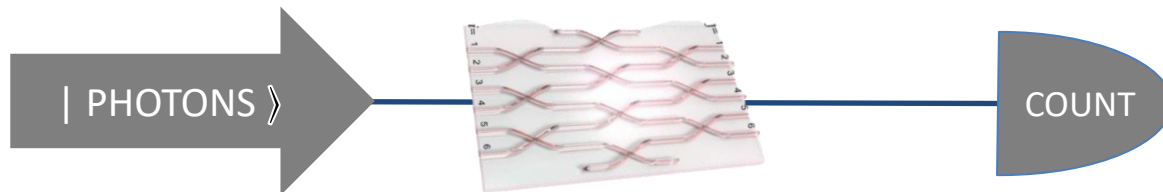
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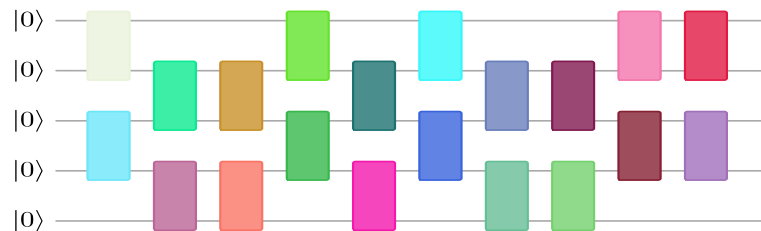
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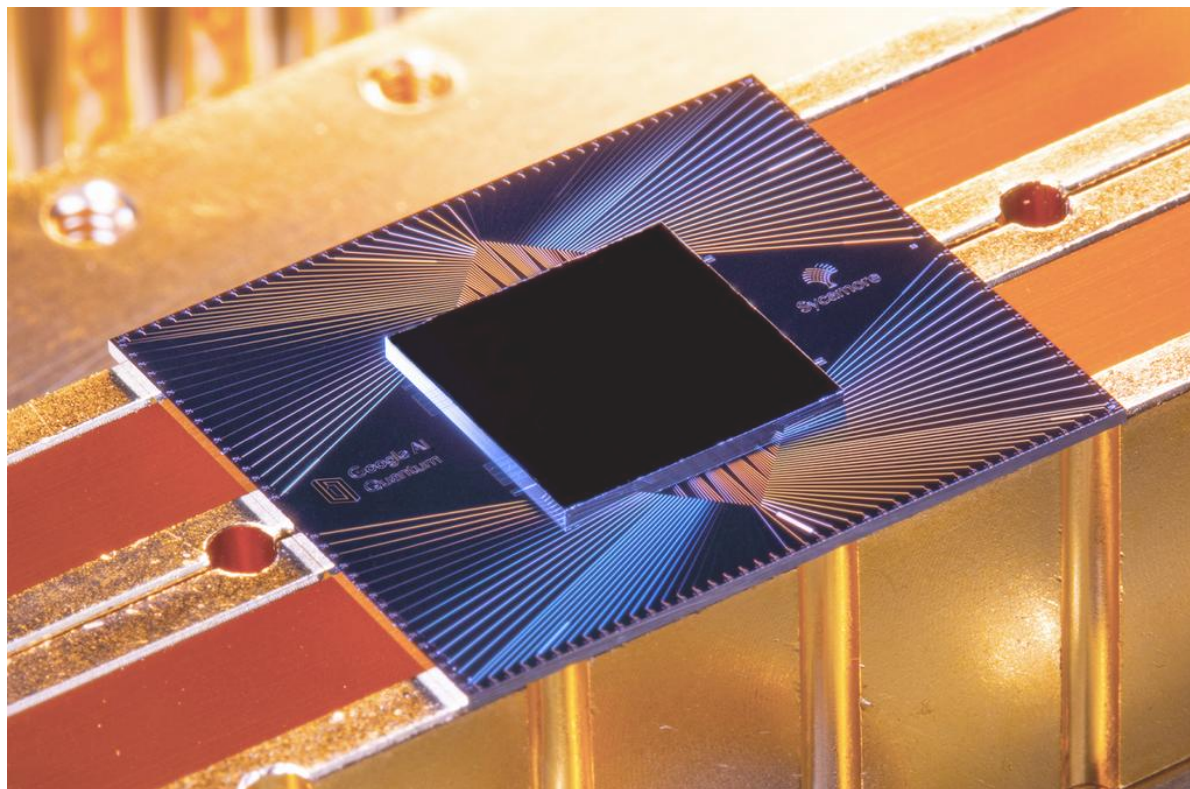
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Random circuit sampling ("Google")

They apply a long circuit of random physical interactions on superconducting qubits.



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The promise of quantum computers is that certain computational tasks might be executed exponentially faster on a quantum processor than on a classical processor¹. A fundamental challenge is to build a high-fidelity processor capable of running quantum algorithms in an exponentially large computational space. Here we report the use of a processor with programmable superconducting qubits^{2,3,4,5,6,7} to create quantum states on 53 qubits, corresponding to a computational state-space of dimension 2^{53} (about 10^{16}). Measurements from repeated experiments sample the resulting probability distribution, which we verify using classical simulations. Our Sycamore processor takes about 200 seconds to sample one instance of a quantum circuit a million times—our benchmarks currently indicate that the equivalent task for a state-of-the-art classical supercomputer would take approximately 10,000 years. This dramatic increase in speed compared to all known classical algorithms is an experimental realization of quantum supremacy^{8,9,10,11,12,13,14} for this specific computational task, heralding a much-anticipated computing paradigm.

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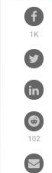
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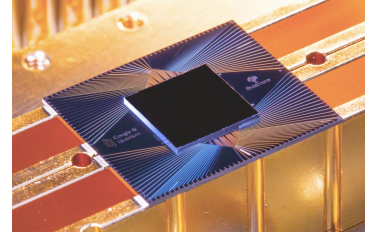
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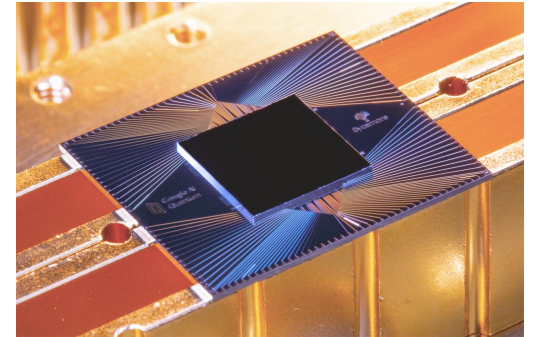
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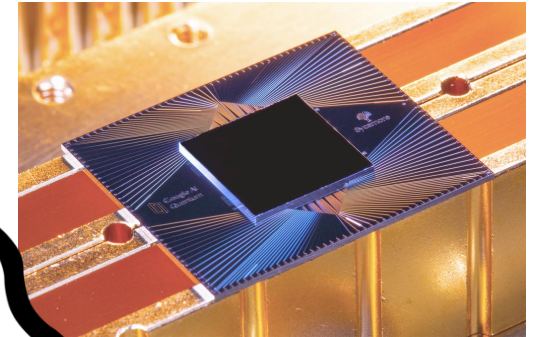
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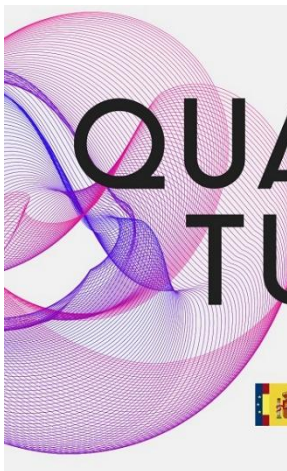


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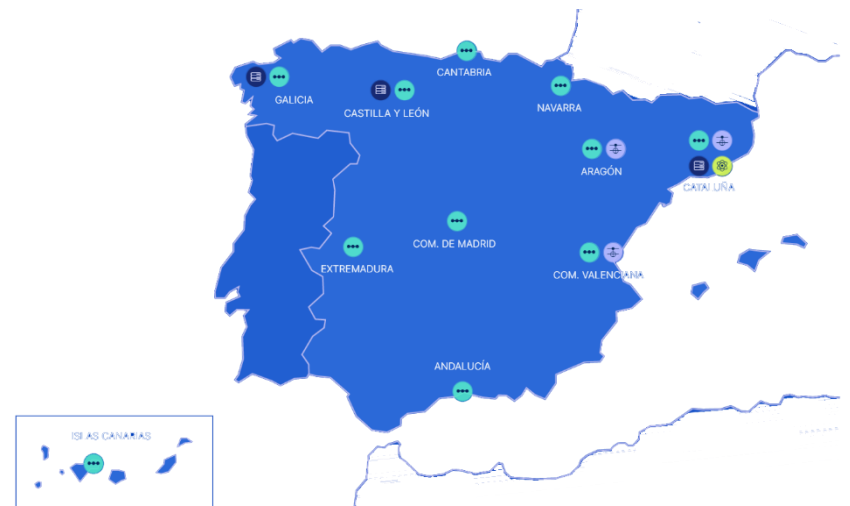
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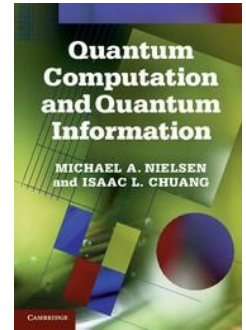


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