

# *Portfolio*

## *A Brief Introduction About Myself*

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*TRANSCENDING DISCIPLINES, TRANSFORMING LIVES*

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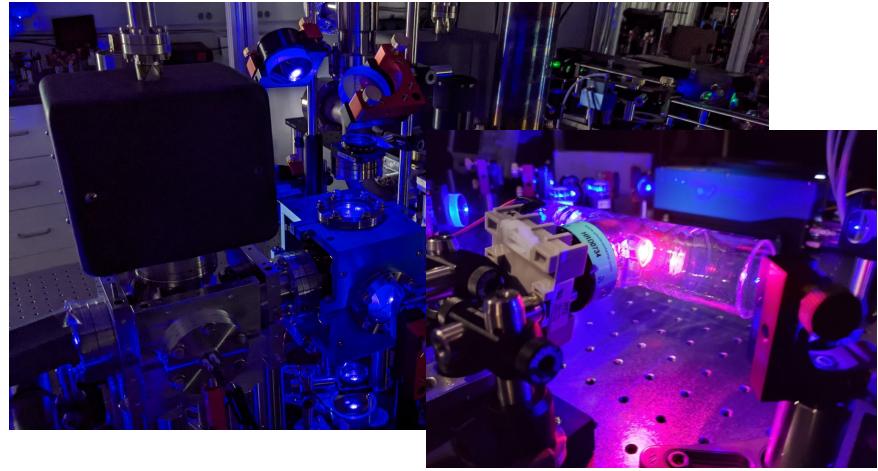
*MS in Applied Physics (2022)*

- Research Assistant , Physics Dept. Will Lab, Prof. Sebastian Will
  - *Strontium Atomic Tweezer Array [DAMOP2022]*

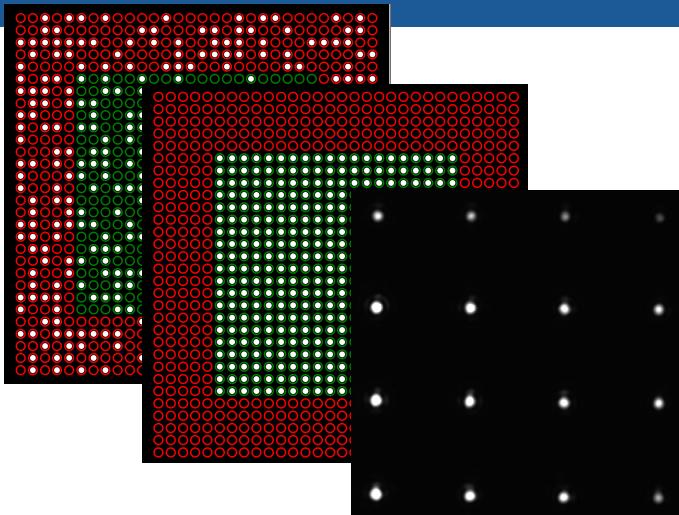
## National Cheng Kung University

*BS in Civil Engineering (2020) \*Most of my time at Physics Dept.*

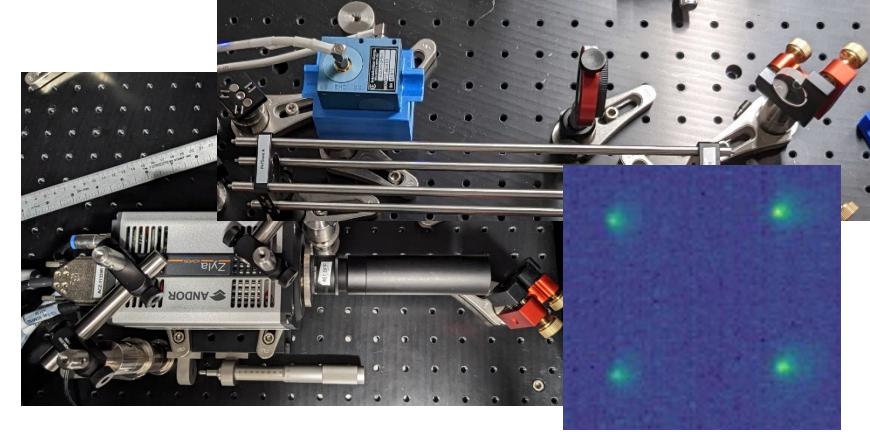
- Research Assistant , Physics Dept. Matterwave Lab, Prof. Pei-Chen Kuan
  - *Quantum Walks*
- Research Assistant, Civil Engineering Dept. AI Material Lab, Prof. Yun-Che Wang
  - *Machine Learning in Metamaterial Design.*  
[APCOM2019][CTAM44][MLDT2021][USNCCM16]
  - *Computational Molecular Dynamics*



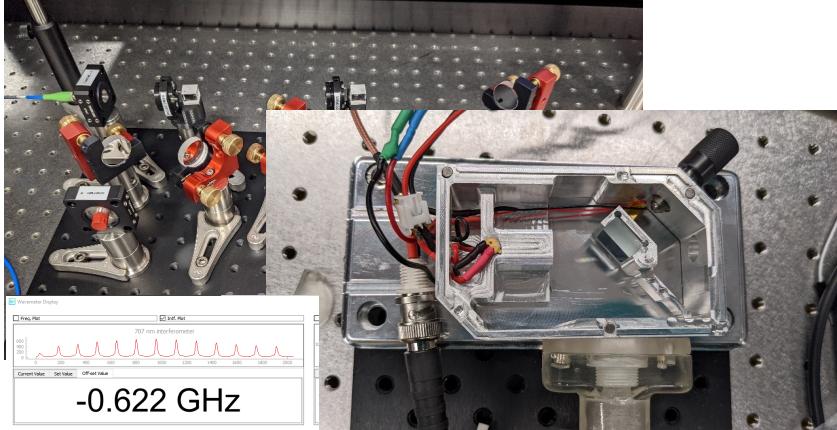
Laser cooling (2D/3D MOT)



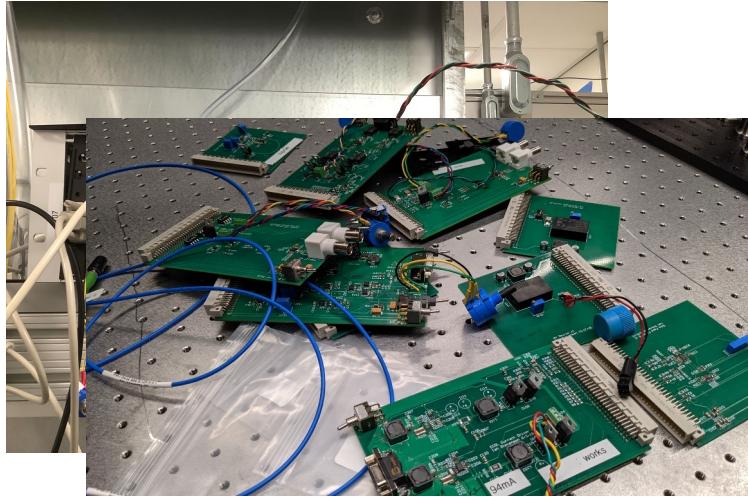
Software Package Development  
(Quantum Control)



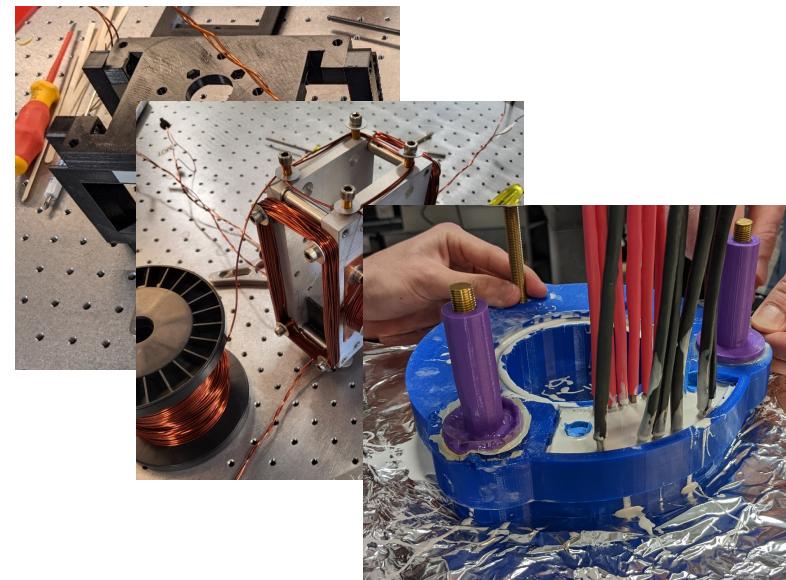
Single Atom Trapping/Imaging



Laser and fiber optics

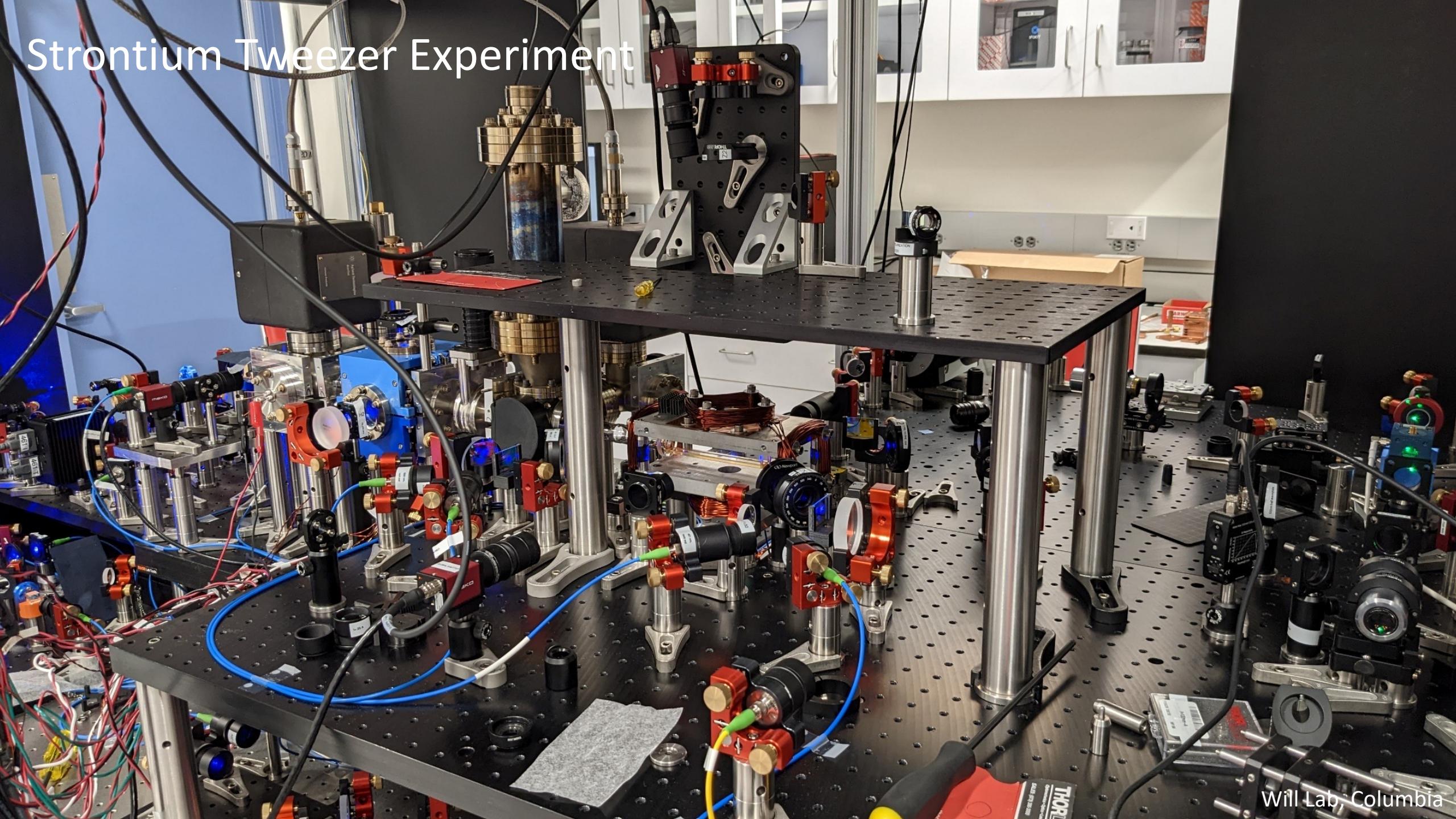


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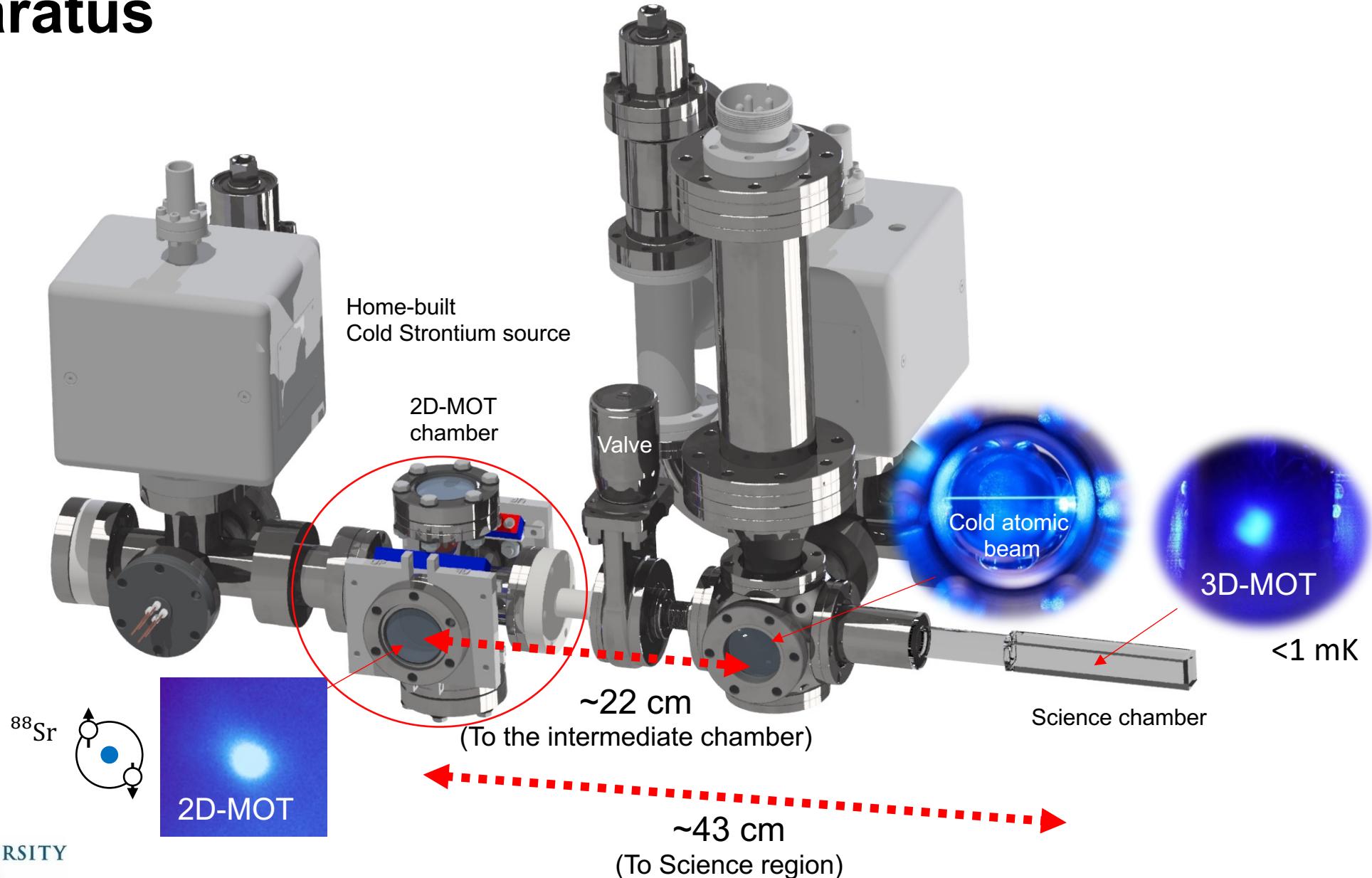


Coil Machining/Winding

# Strontium Tweezer Experiment

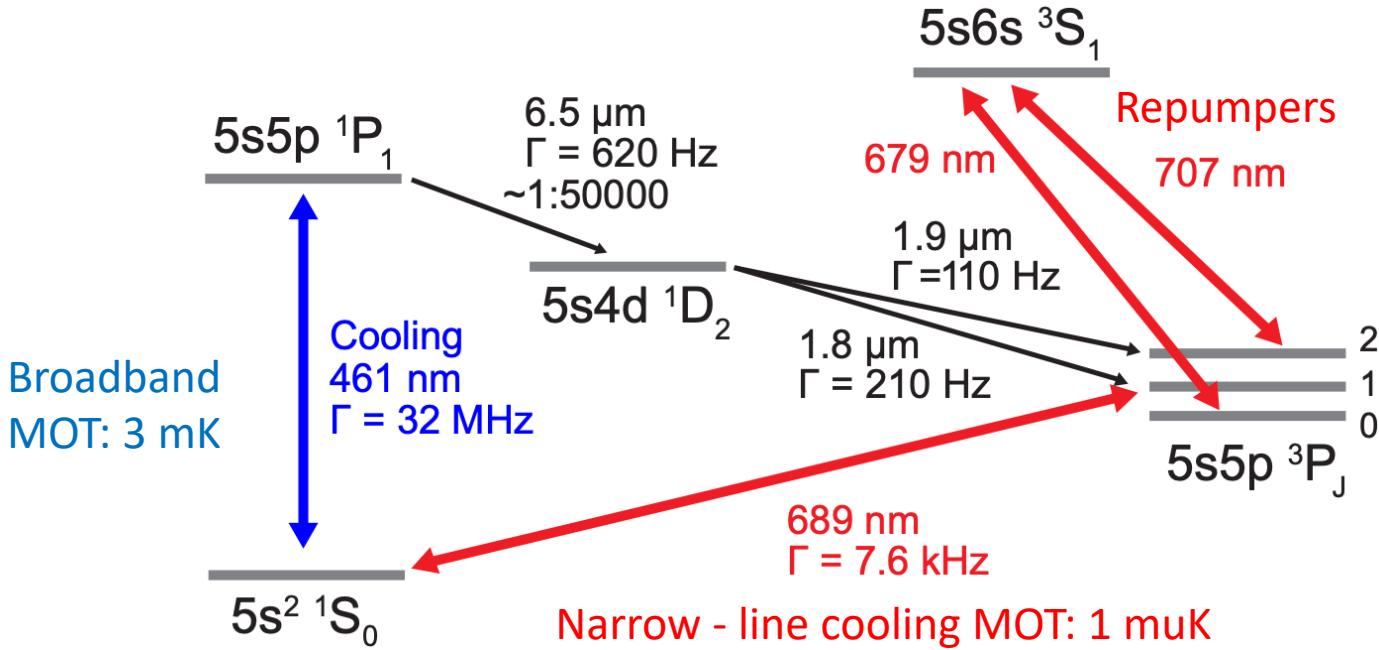


# Apparatus

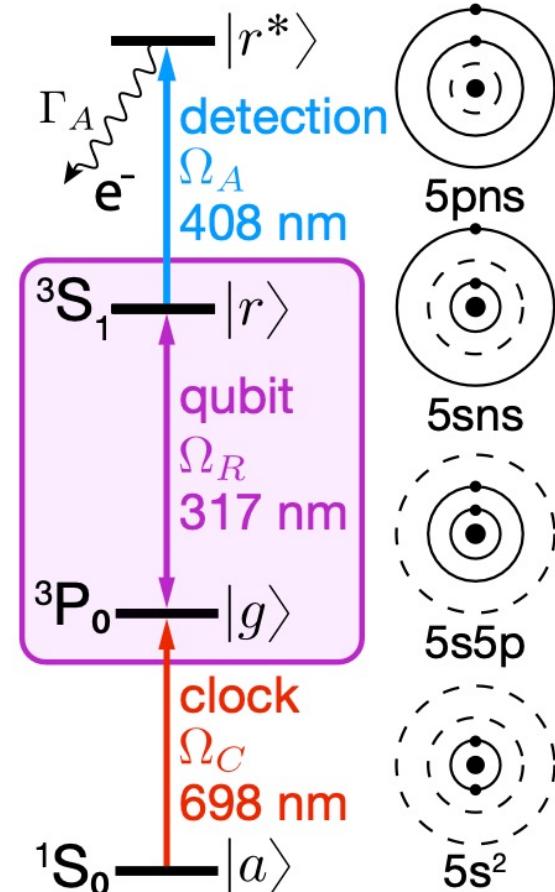


# Strontium-88 (Bosonic)

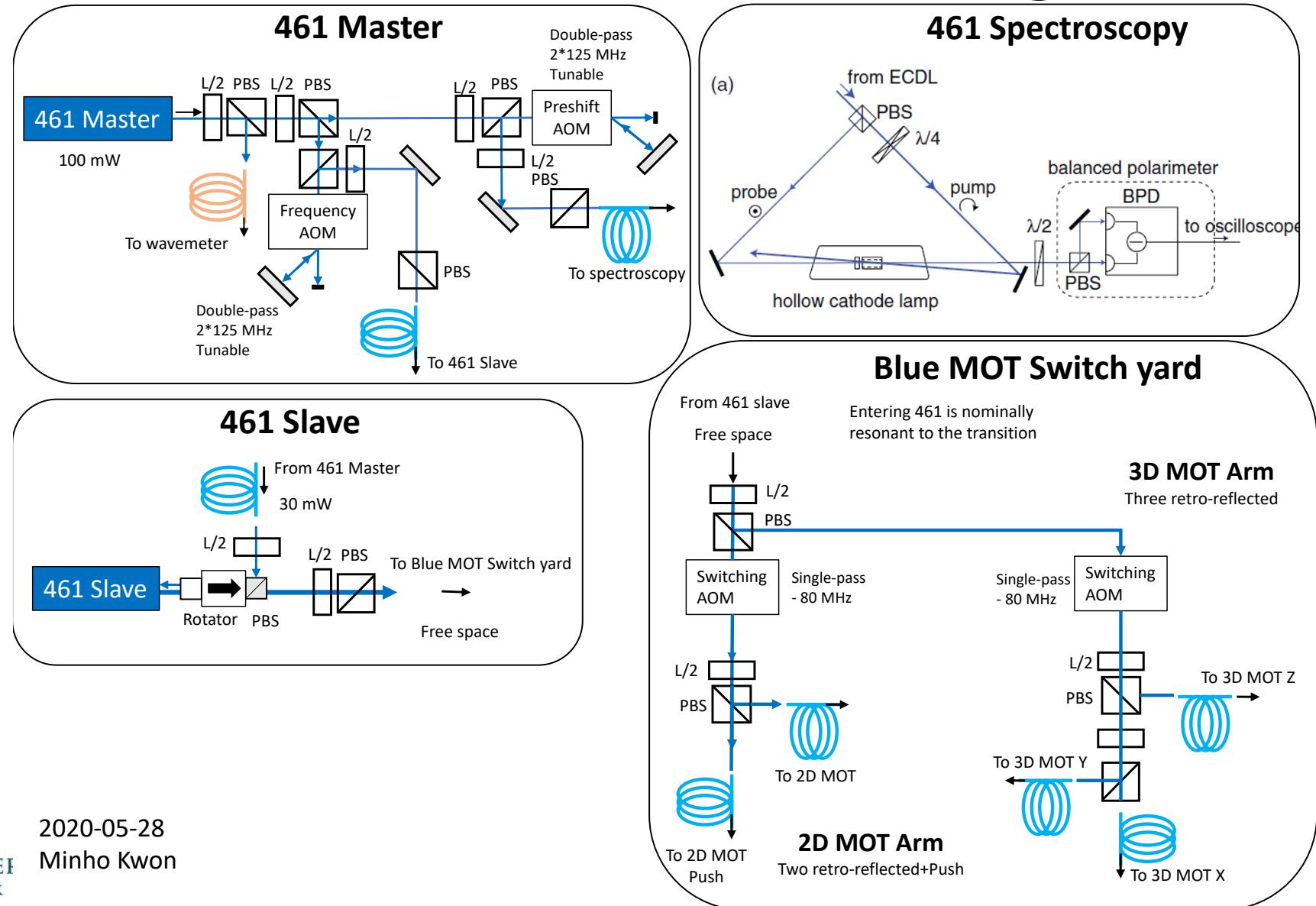
- MOT Cooling Scheme



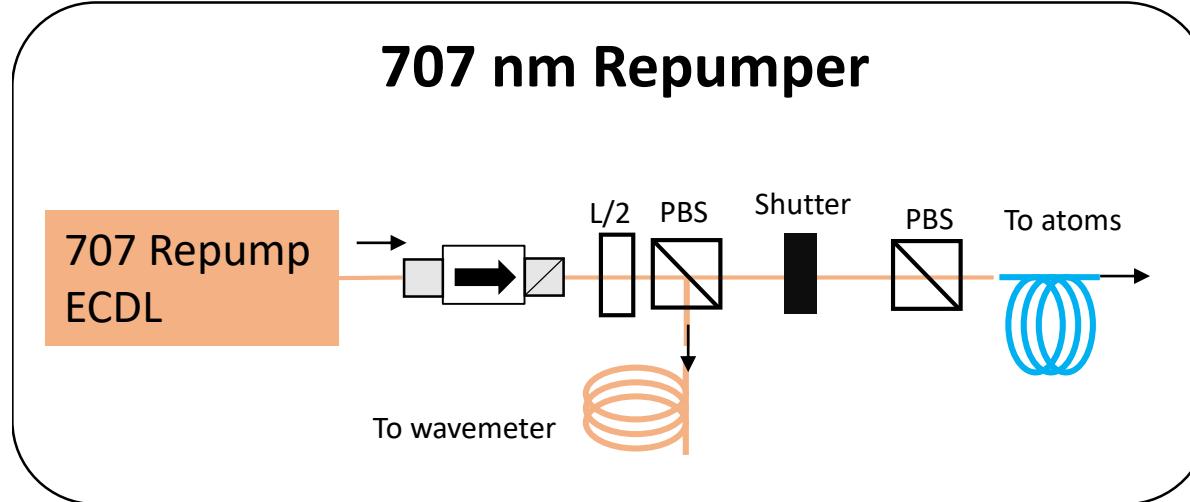
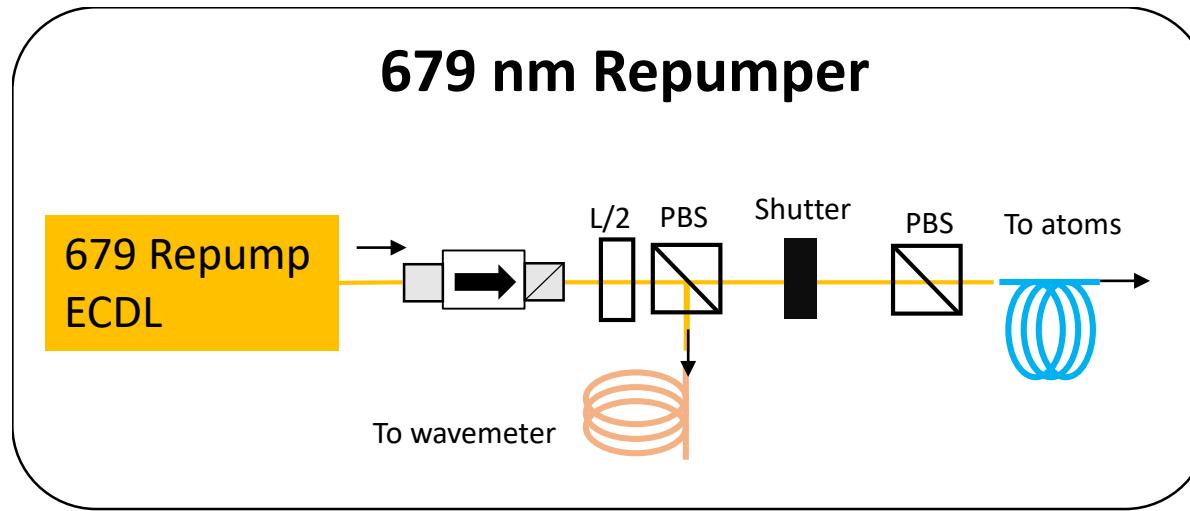
- Rydberg Scheme



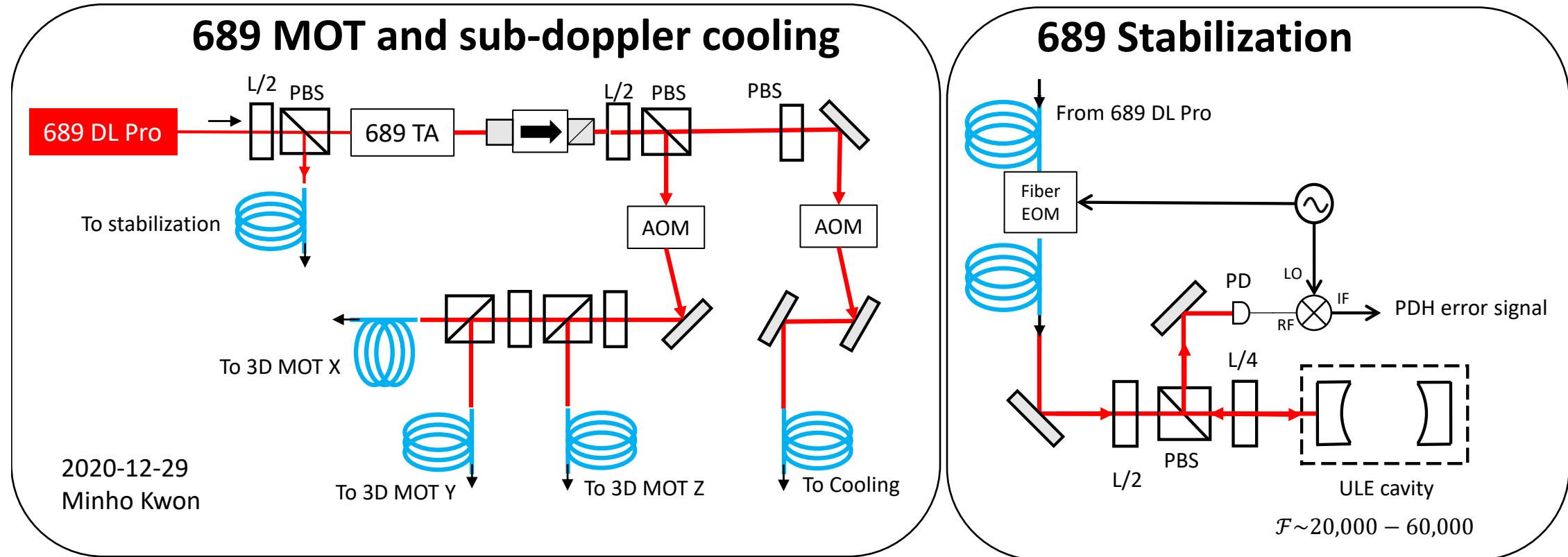
# Laser Source: 461nm (Broad Cooling)



# Laser Source: Repumpers

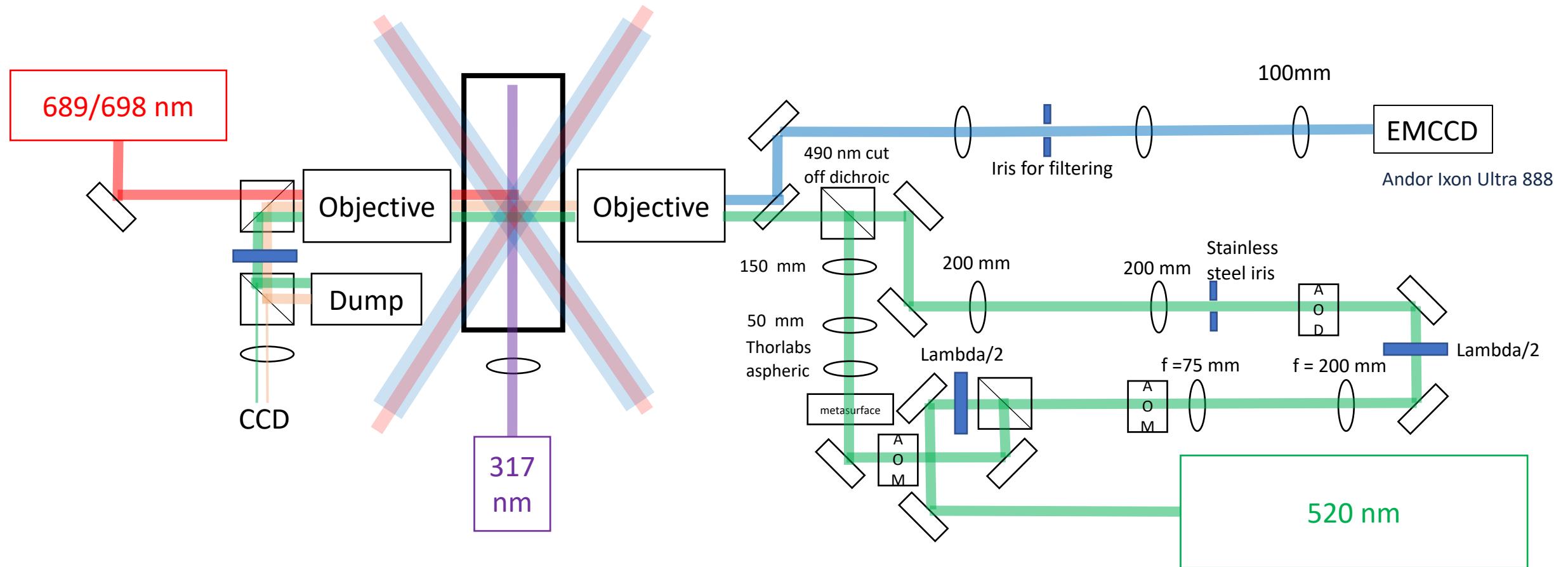


# Laser Source: 689 nm (Narrow-line Cooling)



# Optical Layout

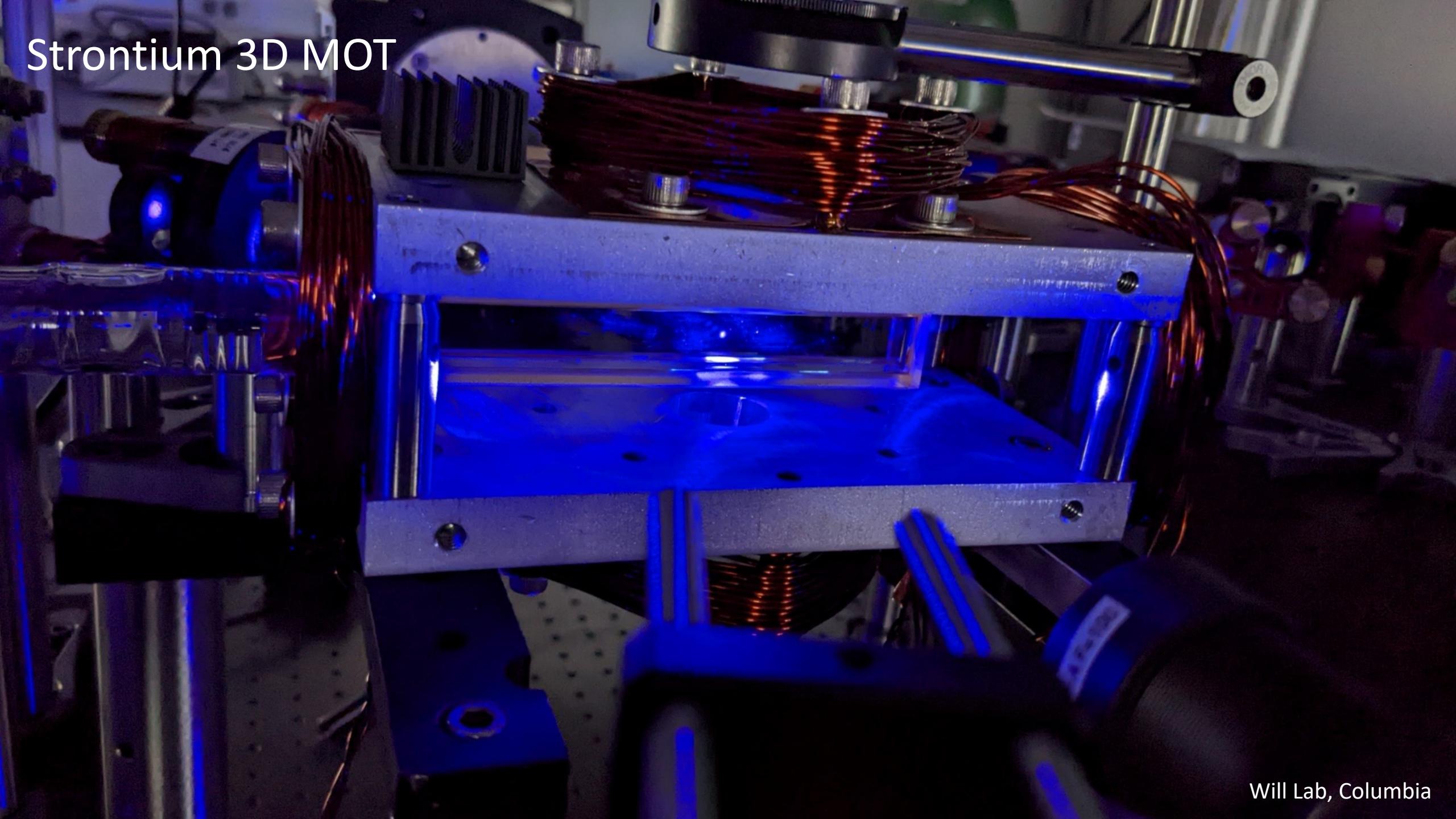
Blue/Red MOT



# The measured response time of AOD = 2.6 us  
# Input beam diameter of AOD = 3.3 mm  
# Output beam diameter of the laser ~1.2 mm  
# Input beam diameter to metasurface ~ 1.2 mm

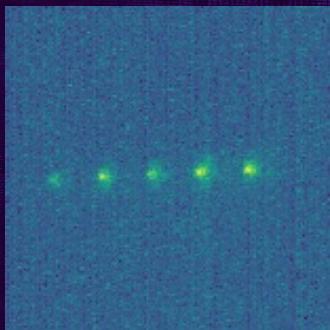
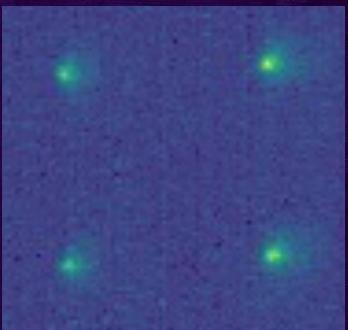
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# Strontium 3D MOT



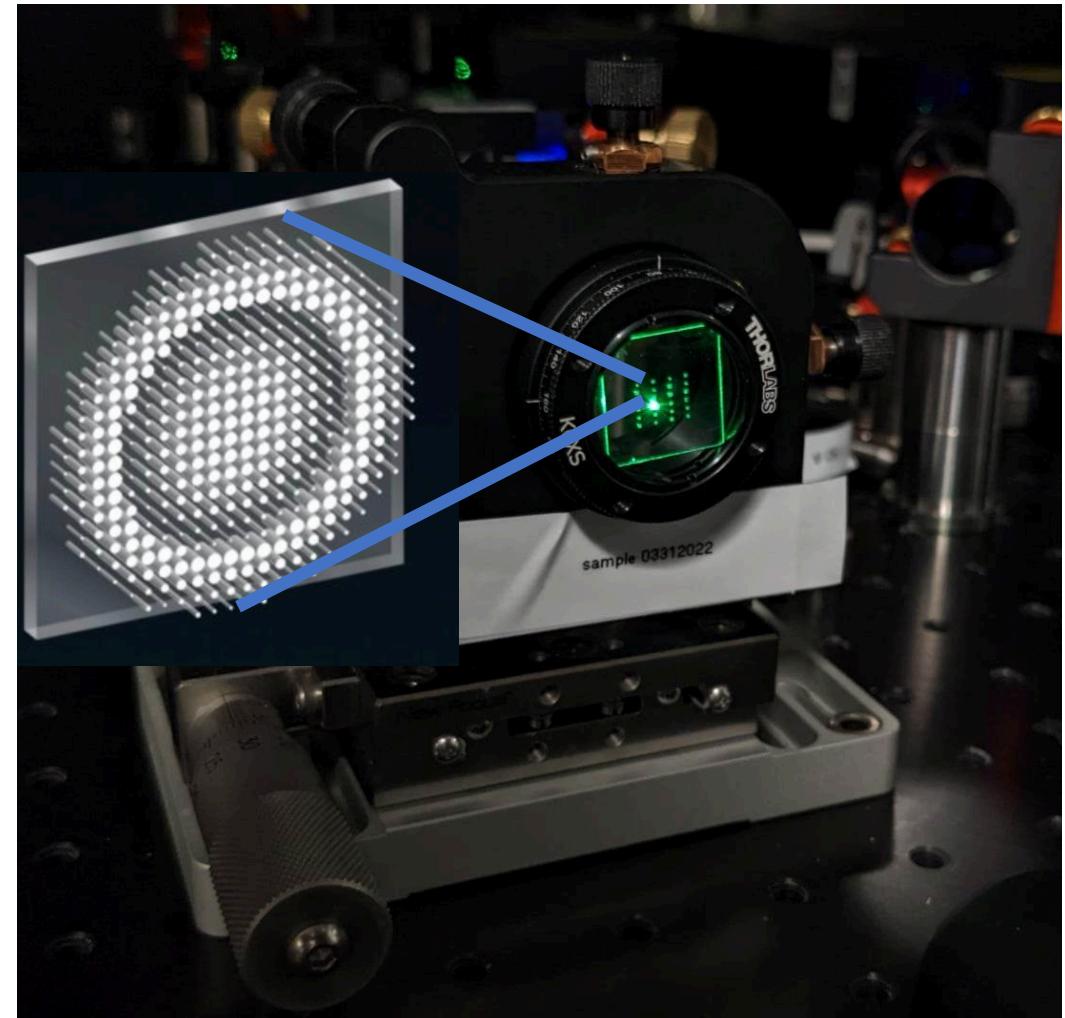
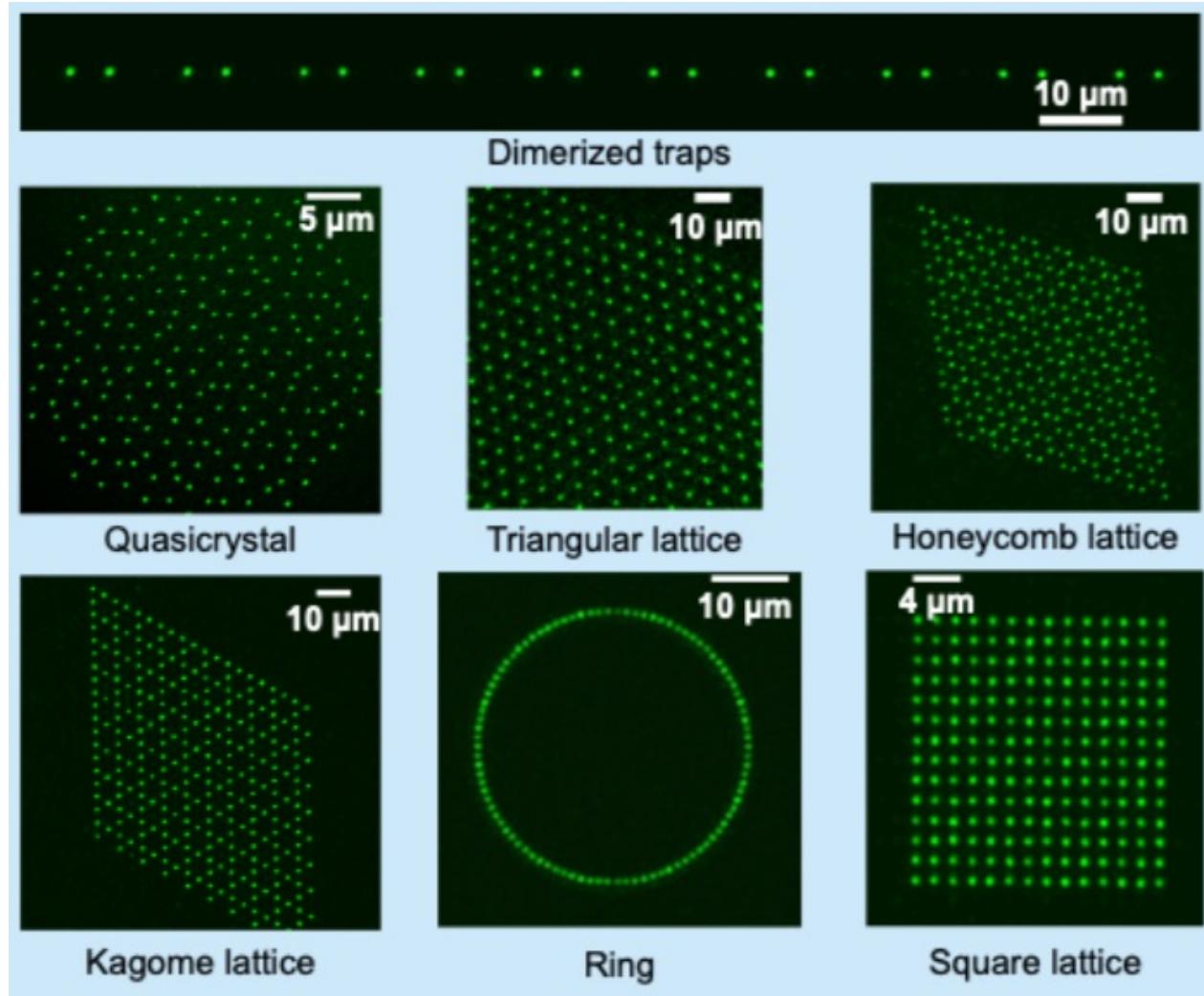
Will Lab, Columbia

# Strontium in Optical Dipole Trap



Tweezer Array

# Metasurface Tweezer Array



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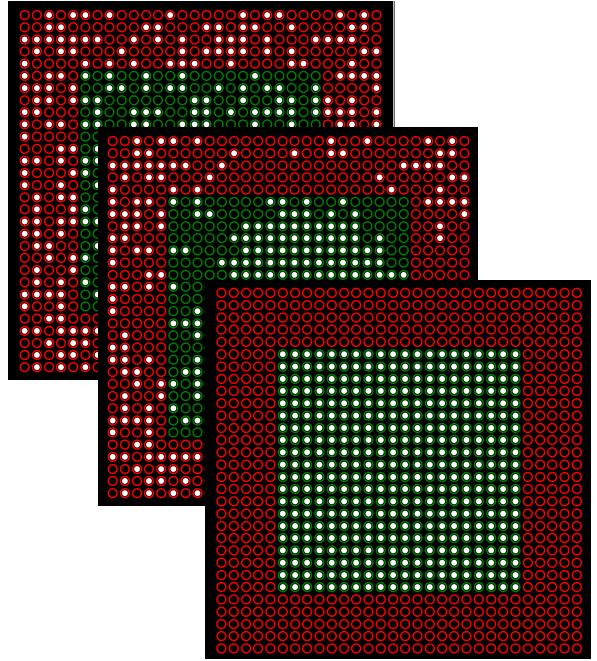
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## Quantum Walk

Quantum Information Theory

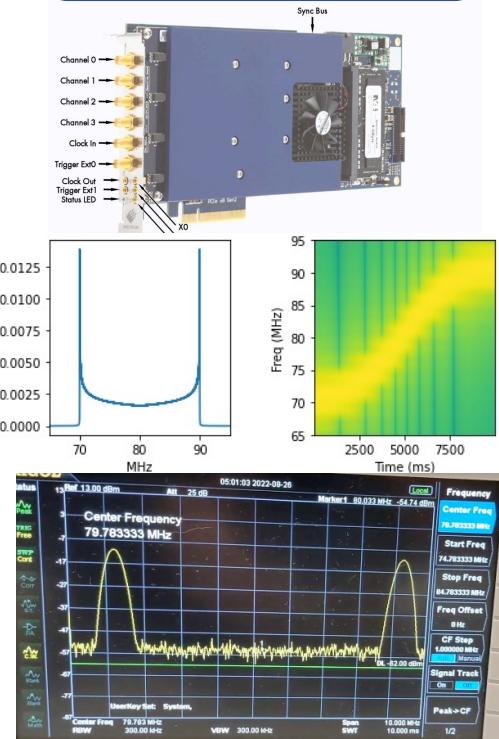
# Atom Rearranging

Non-Collision Path



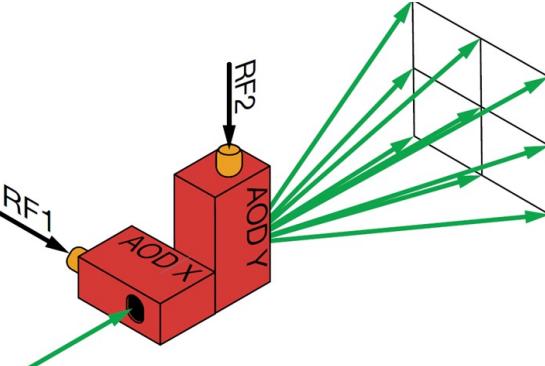
Algorithm: Graph Theory

AWG/VCO



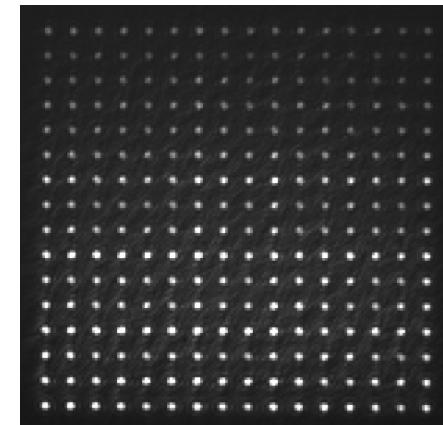
RF Signal Generation

AOD



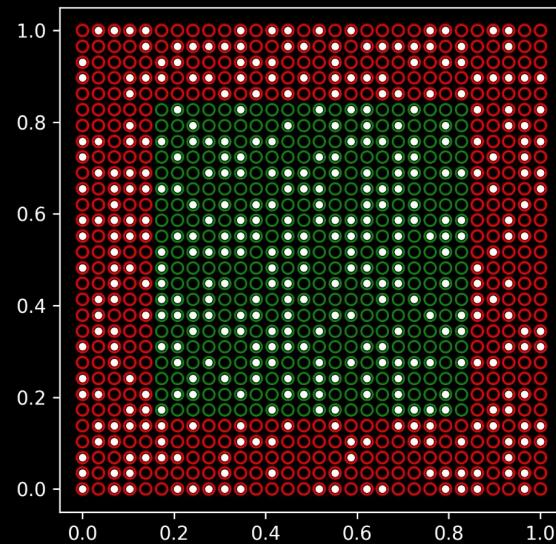
AOD Tweezer Moving

Compact Traps

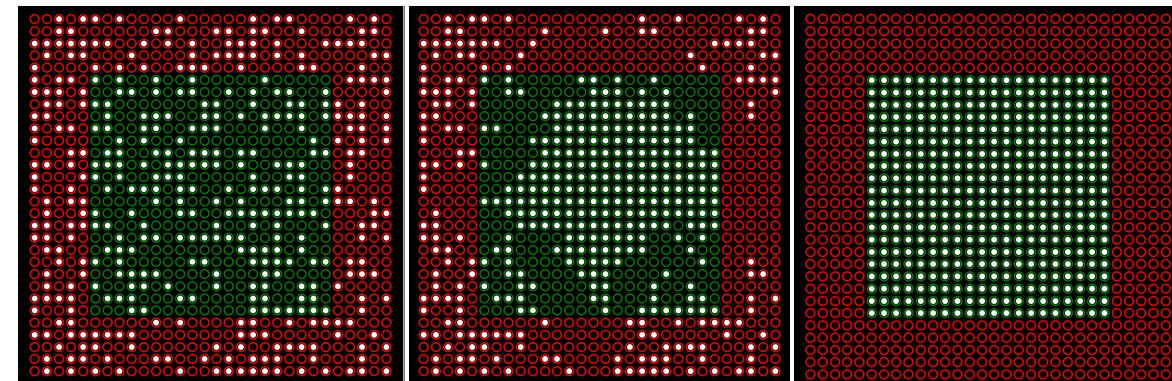


Atomic Array

# Atom Rearranging – As a linear sum assignment problem



- Goal: Finding the min number of moves to form compact array
- Bipartite Matching: Minimum cost for each atom to travel to target  
Jonker-Volgenant or Hungarian algorithm

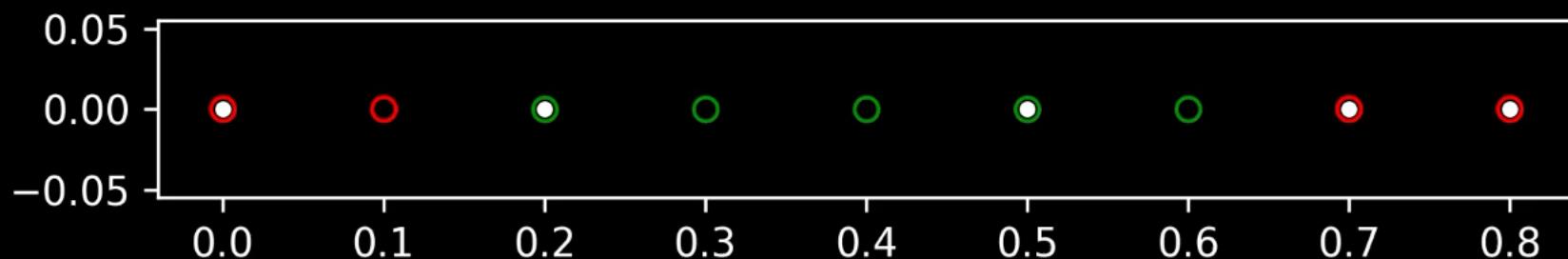


- Pathfinding: Shortest path on graph  
Dijkstra's algorithm
- Non-collision: Reordering

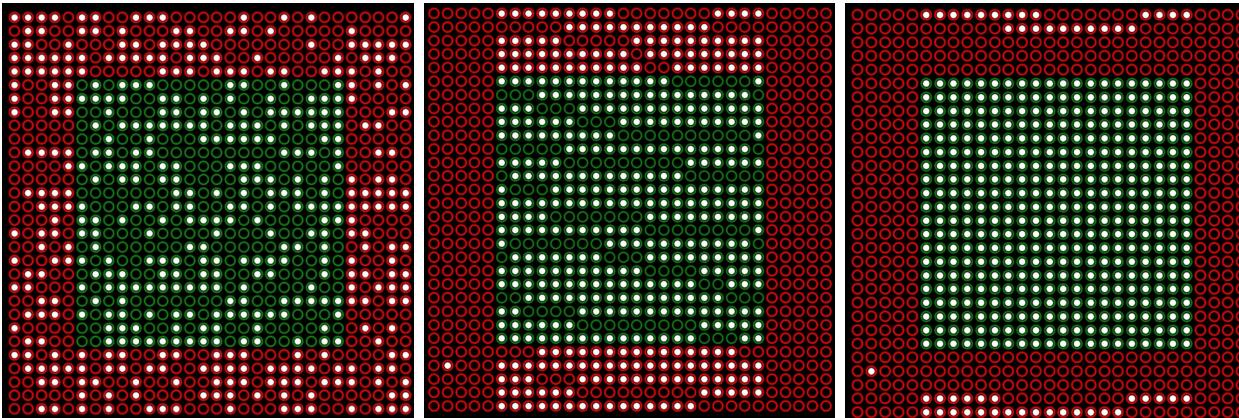
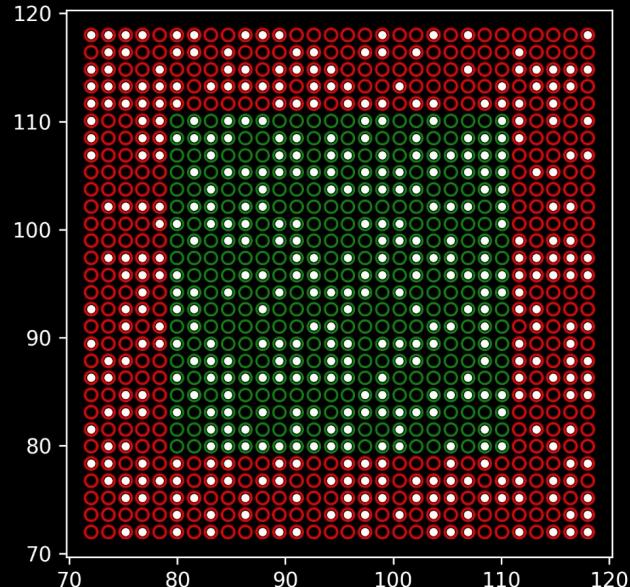
# Atom Rearranging: Moving Tweezer



# Atom Rearranging: Parallel Moving Tweezers

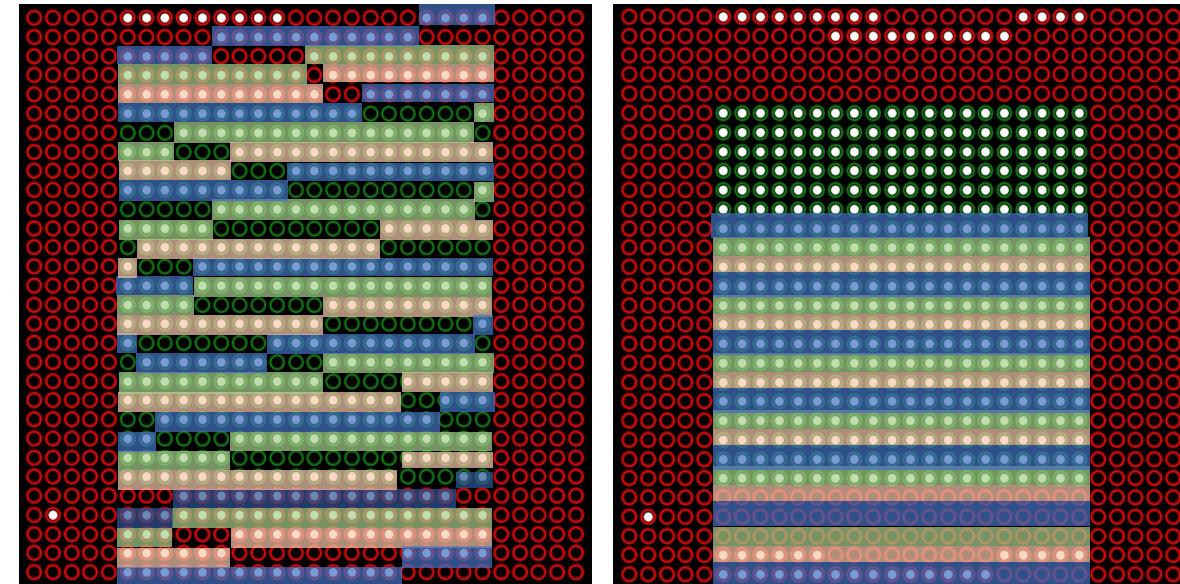


# Atom Rearranging – As a Tetris Game

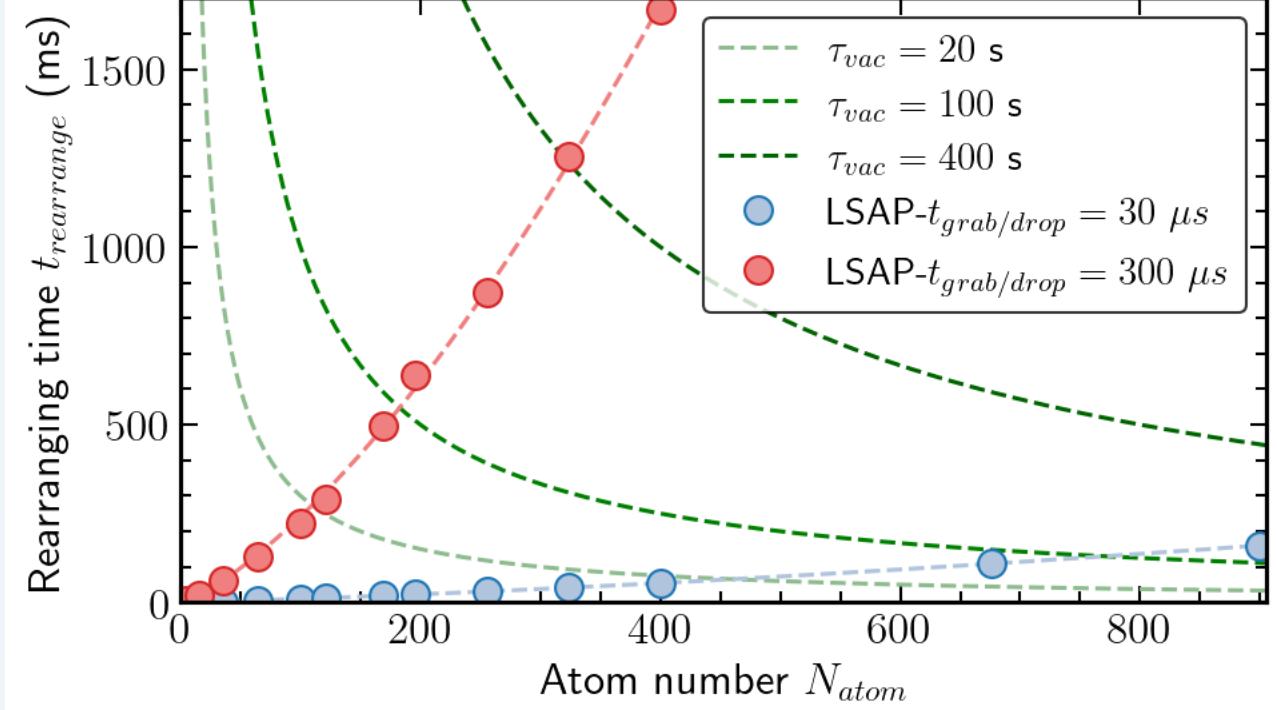
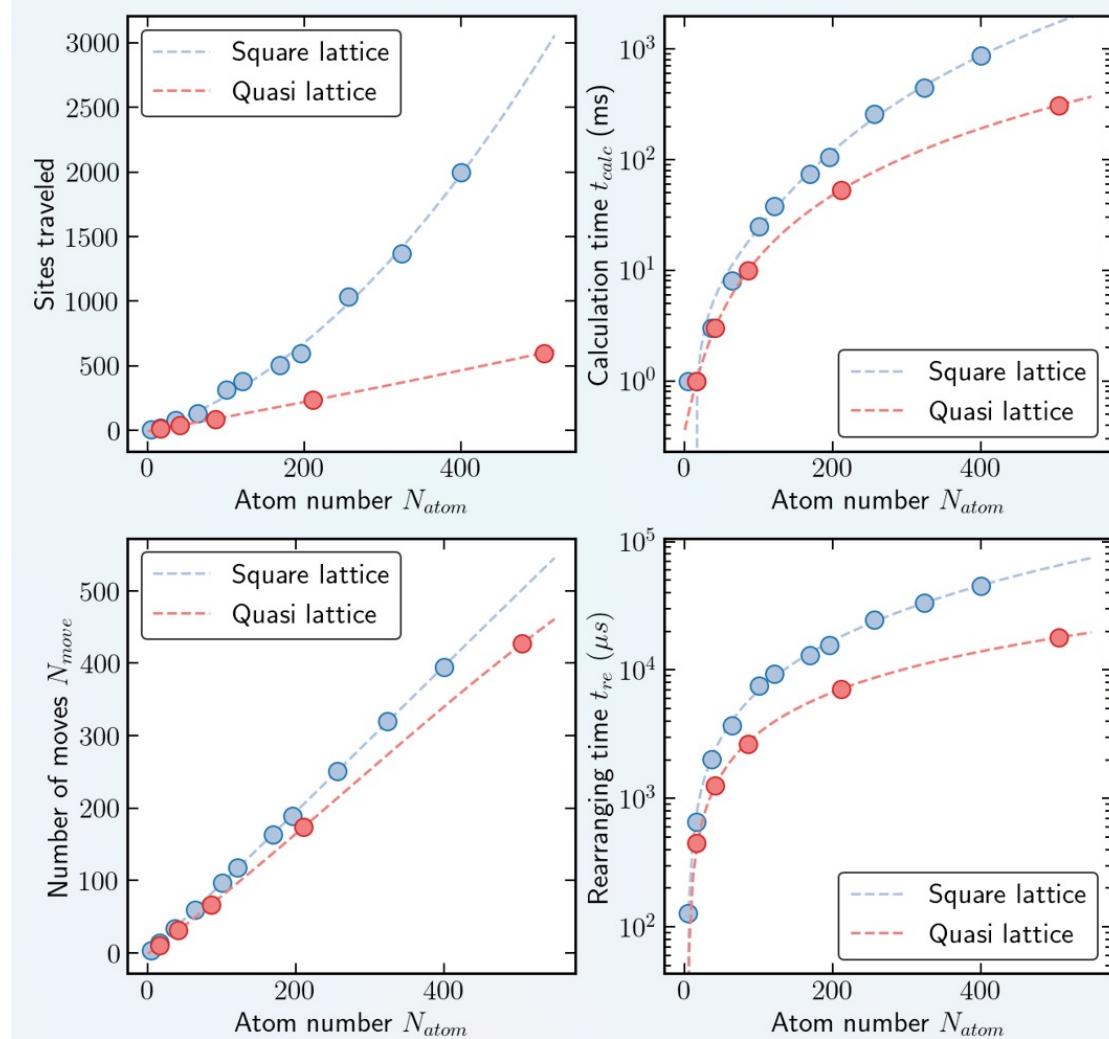


## Parallel Rearranging:

- Sorting Row by row to ensure we can fill each target row
- Compress column by column



# Atom Rearranging: Algorithm Performance



# Atom Rearranging: Gallery

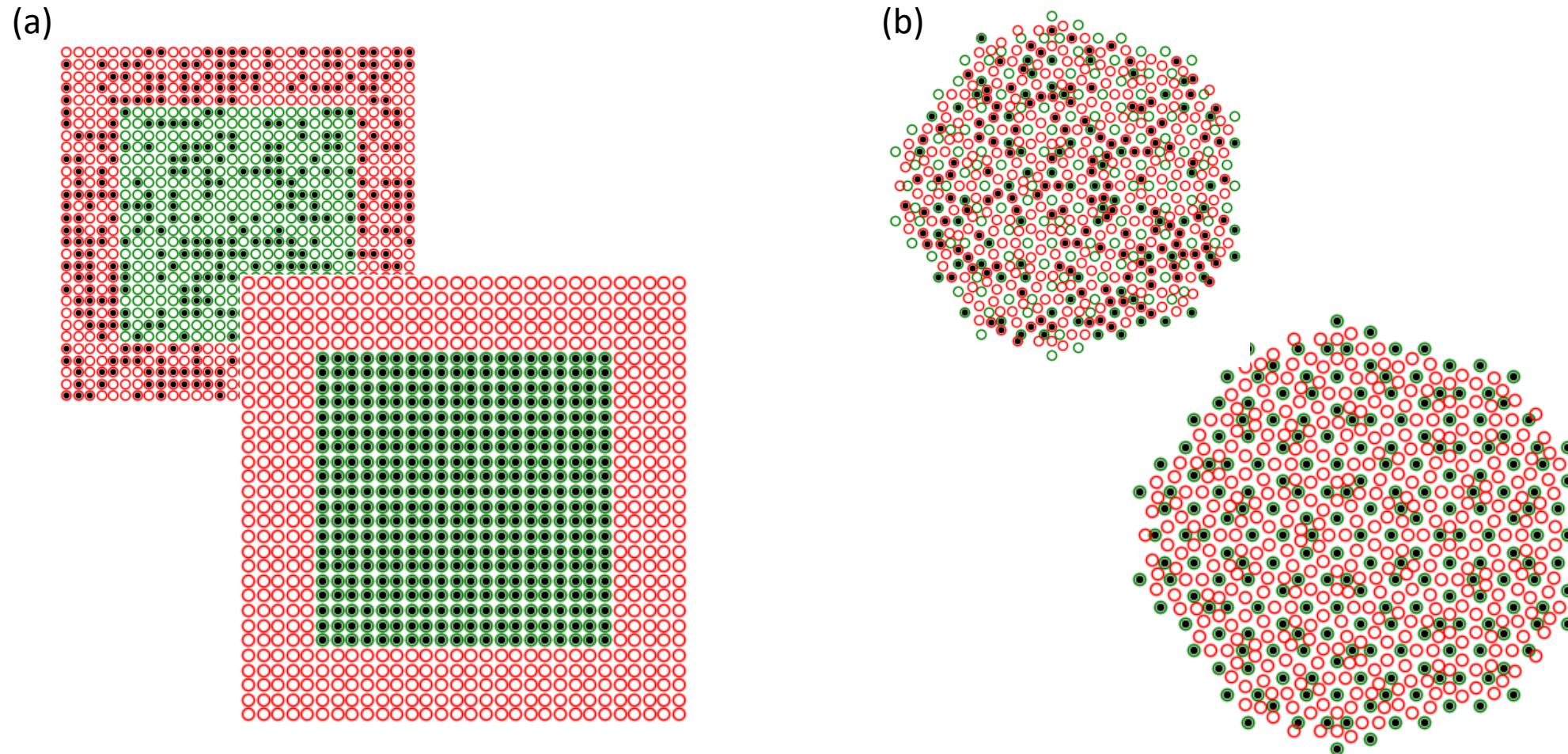
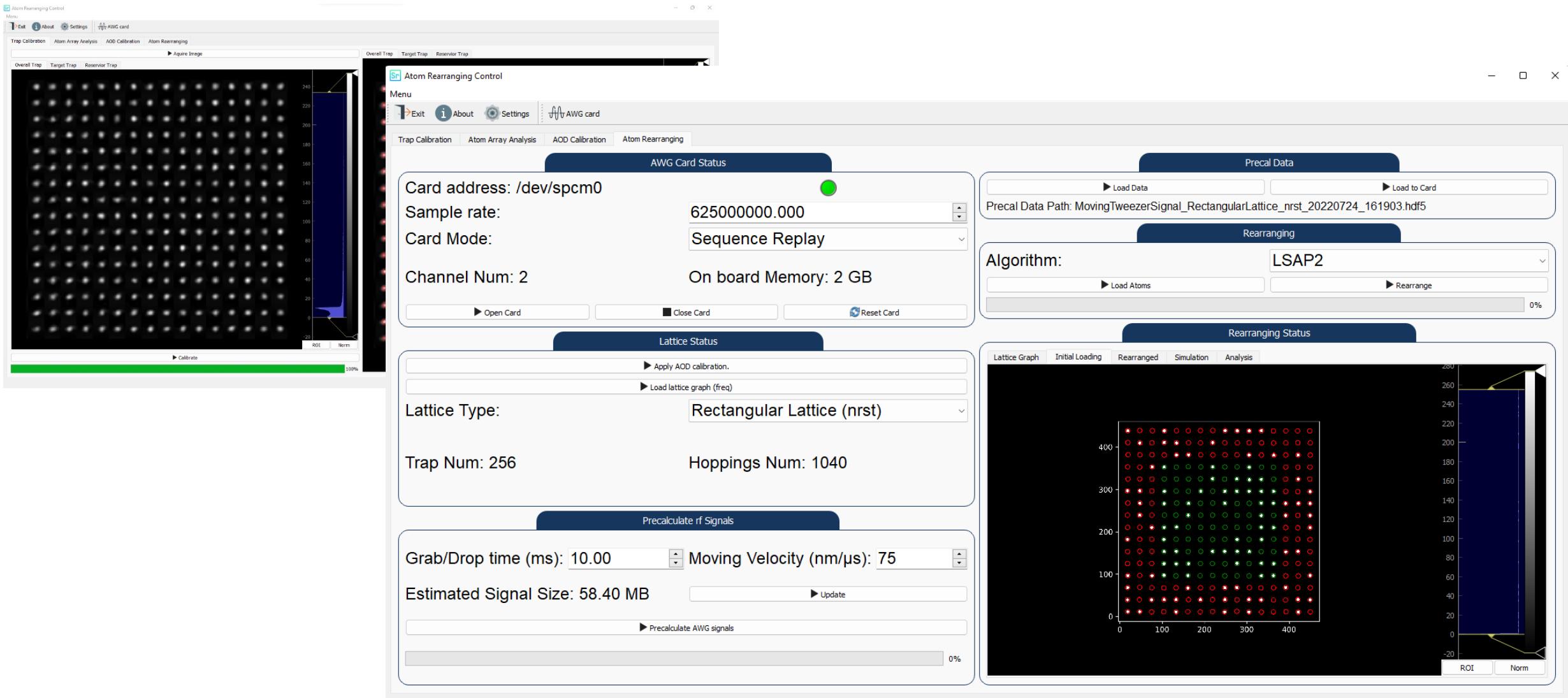


Fig.1 (a) 20x20 Square lattice (b) Quasi-lattice with 216 target trap sites

# Atom Rearranging: User Interface



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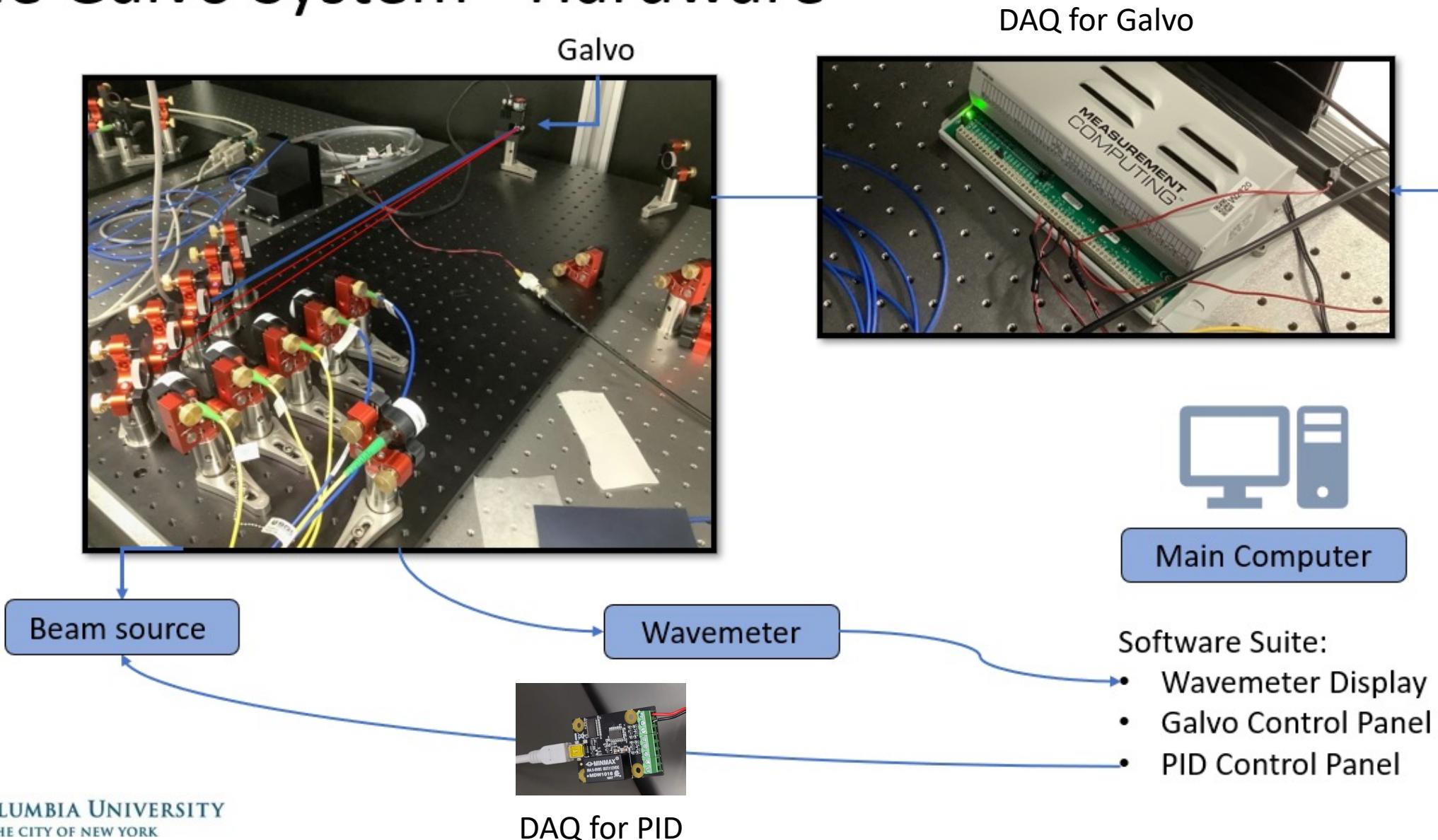
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# The Galvo System - Hardware



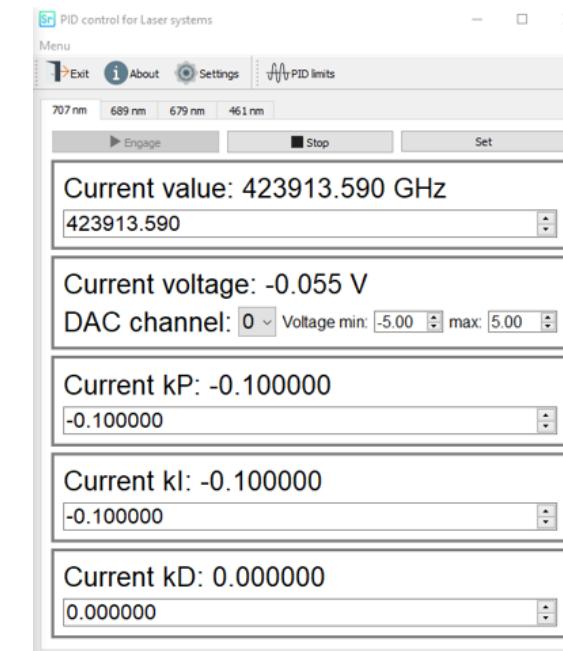
# Laser Multiplexing System- Software



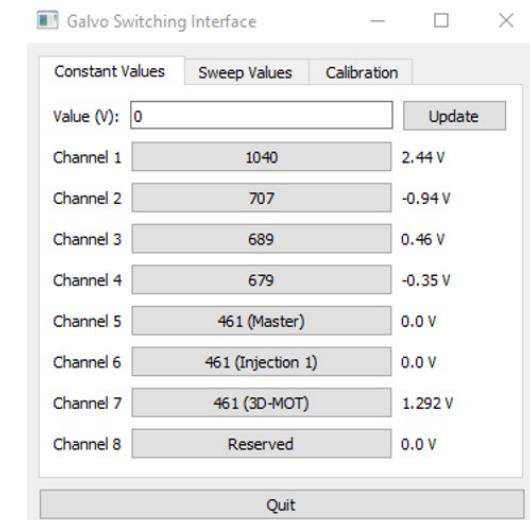
## Wavemeter Display



## PID Control Panel



## Galvo Control Panel



# Laser Multiplexing System- Gallery

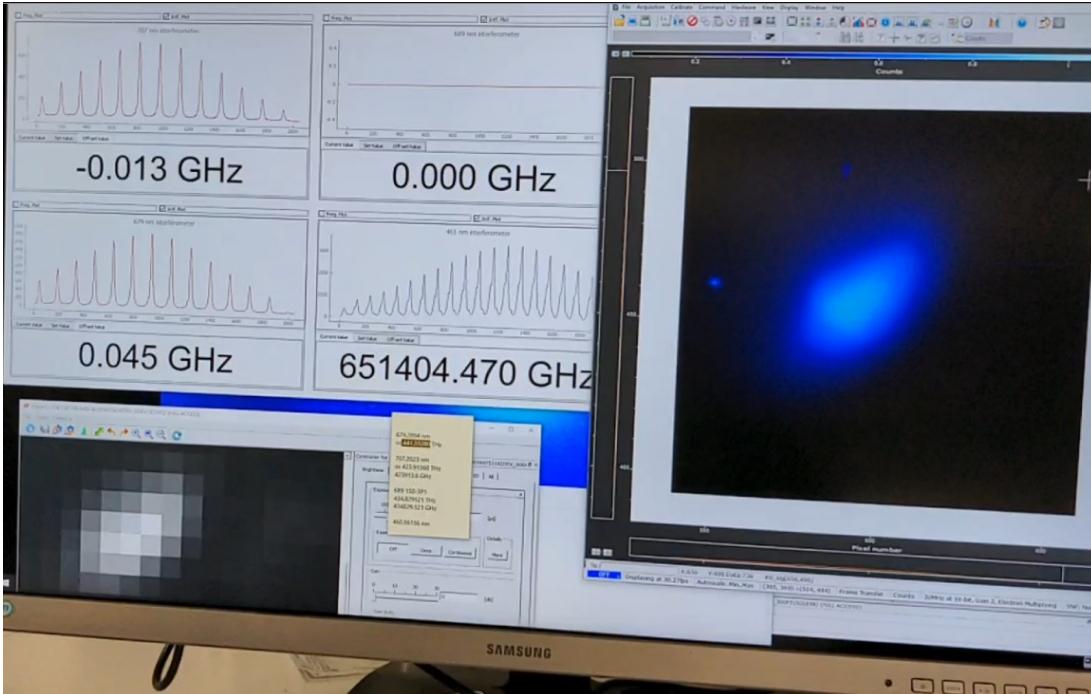


Fig.1 Blue MOT and required lasers

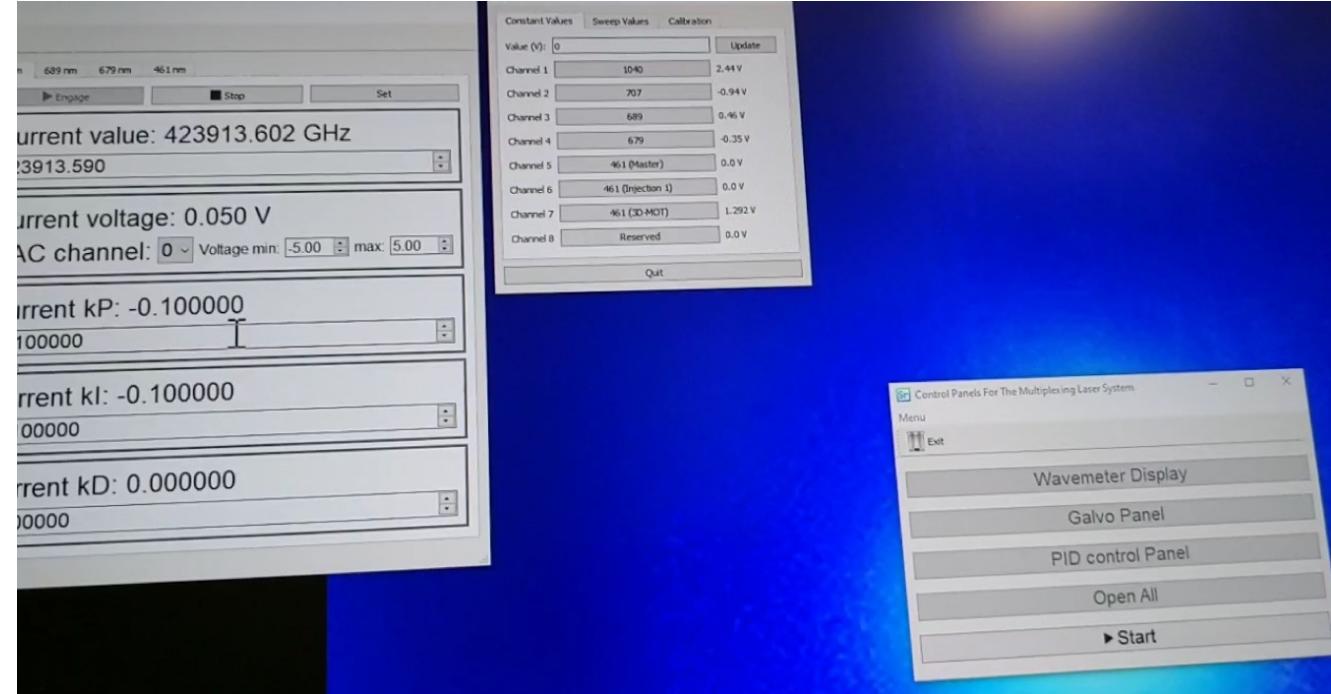


Fig.2 Software Suite

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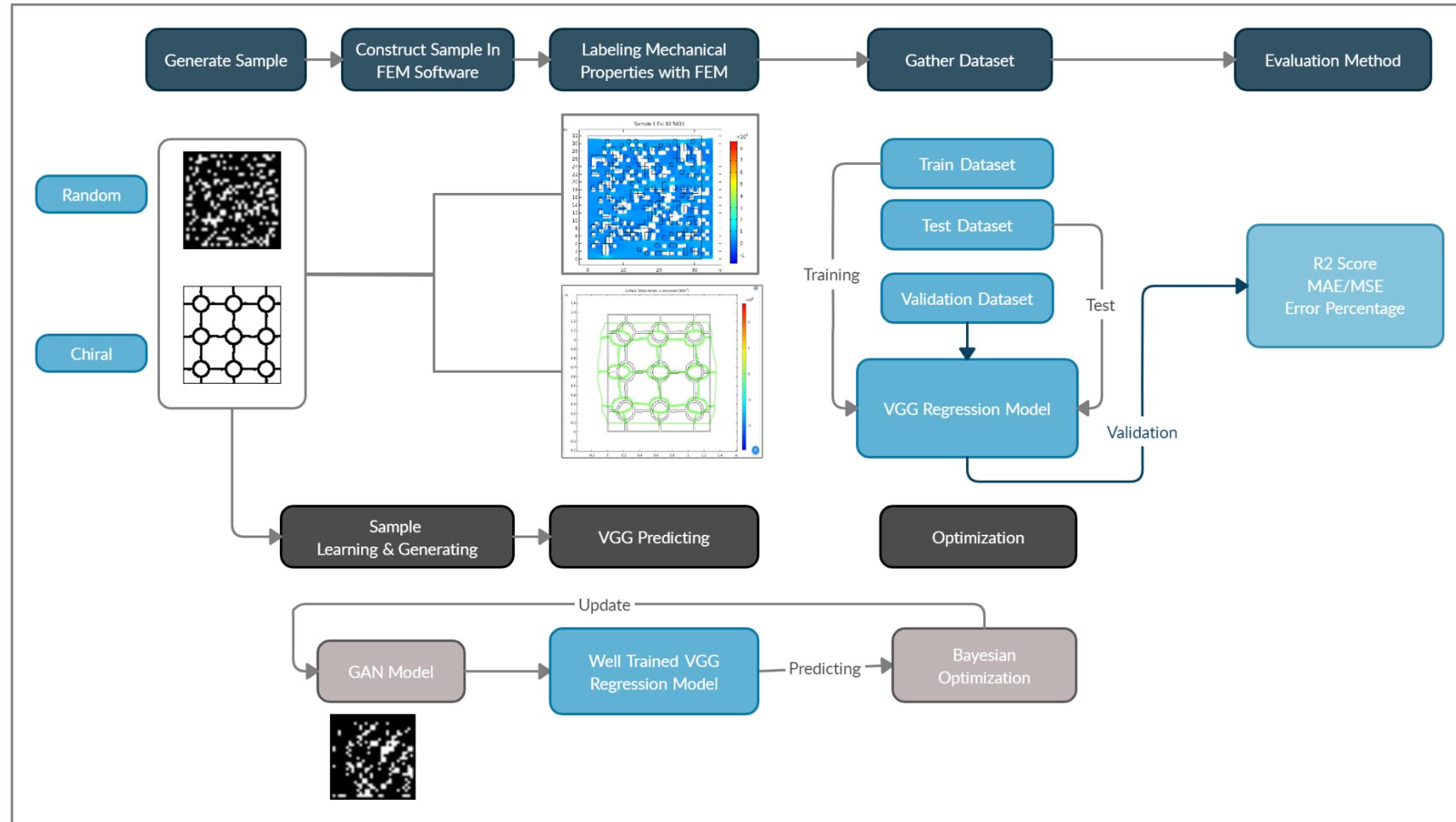
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# Computational Mechanics: Workflow



# Implemented Methods

- Image classification: VGG16/19 (Simonyan et al. 2015)
- Material image generation: Generative Adversarial Neural Networks (GANs)
  - GAN (IJ Goodfellow 2014)
  - CGAN (M Mirza et al. 2014)
  - WGAN series (M Arjovsky et al. 2017)
  - StyleGAN (Tero Karras et al. 2019)
- Finite element method (COMSOL Multiphysics)
  - COMSOL Multiphysics via MATLAB
- Molecular Engineering
  - LAMMPS
  - High Performance Computing: GCP, AWS

# Gallery

Table 5: The predicting accuracy of VGG19/Xception on sample dataset.

Property	Description	Random		Chiral	
		Accuracy	$R^2$	Accuracy	$R^2$
$E_x$	Young's modulus in x direction	98.82	0.997	99.04	0.987
$E_y$	Young's modulus in y direction	99.24	0.999	99.10	0.989
$v_{xy}$	Poisson'a ratio in x direction	98.63	0.671	93.67	0.999
$v_{yx}$	Poisson'a ratio in y direction	98.13	0.675	85.94	0.999
$B$	Bulk modulus	98.63	0.997	98.50	0.997
$G_s$	Simple shear modulus	99.24	0.999	98.64	0.991
$G_p$	Pure shear modulus	98.96	0.998	84.02	0.773

Fig.1 VGG Network Performance

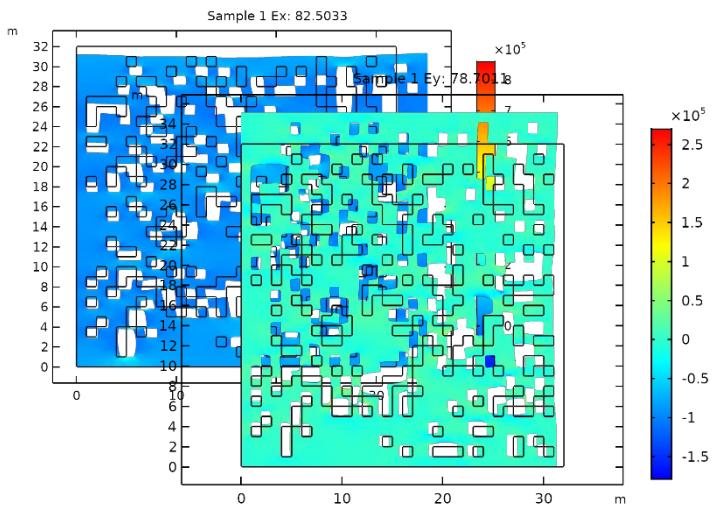


Fig.3 Finite Element Method

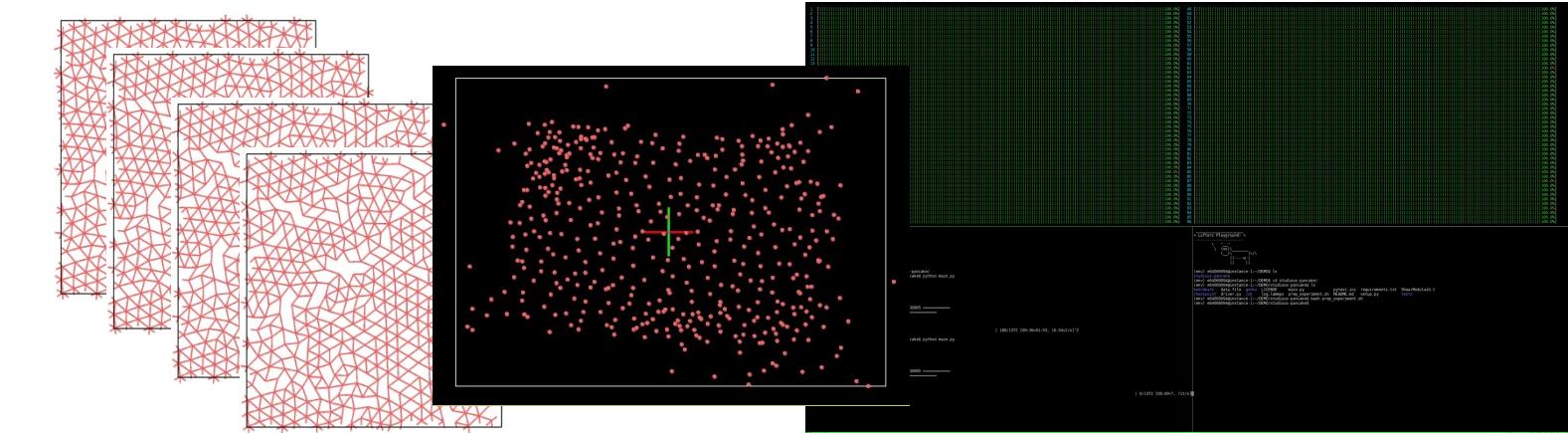


Fig.2 Computational Molecular Dynamics

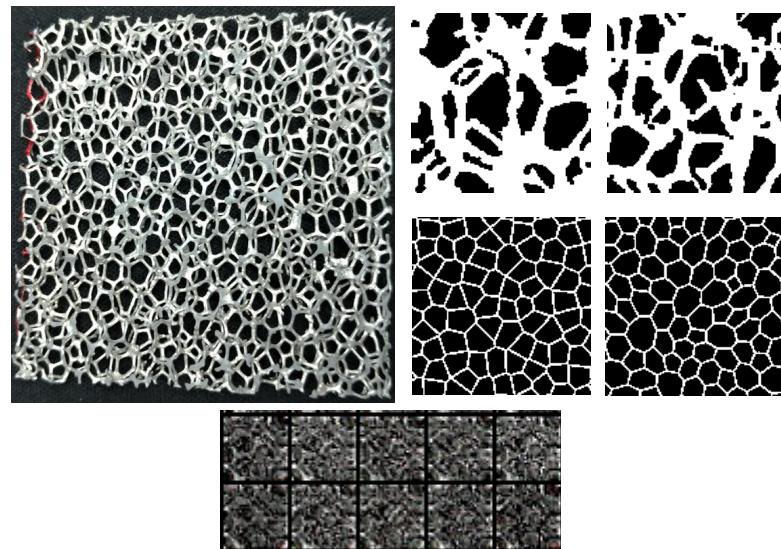


Fig.4 Material Modeling via GAN

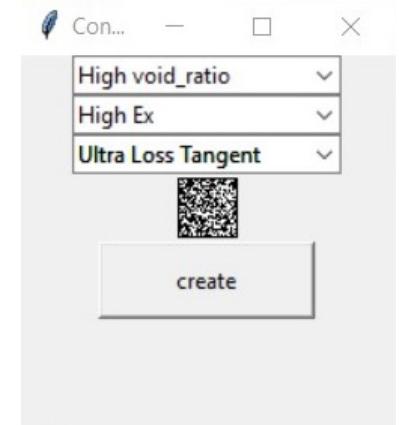


Fig5. Deploy Application

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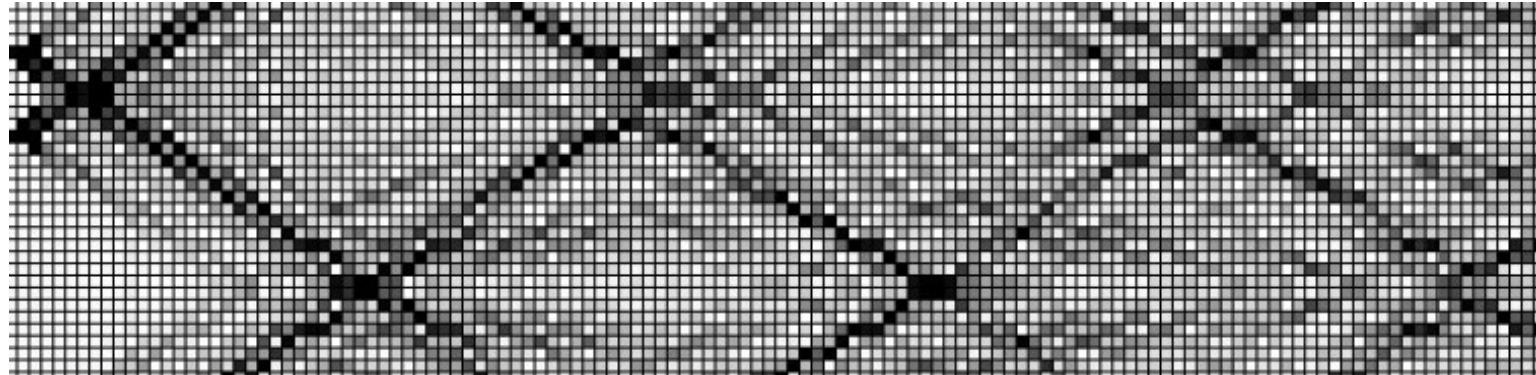
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# Quantum Walk: Possible Formulations of Quantum Simulators



“Quantum Cellular Automata/Quantum Lattice Gases”, Mayer, J. Stat. Phys., 1996

Particle-Hole Symmetry			
Time-Reversal Symmetry	+1	-1	×
+1	Z SSH		
-1	Z <sub>2</sub>	Z	
×	Z <sub>2</sub>		Z Chiral

1D

Particle-Hole Symmetry			
Time-Reversal Symmetry	+1	-1	×
	Z <sub>2</sub>		
	Z		Z <sub>2</sub> QSH
	Z	Z	Z IQH

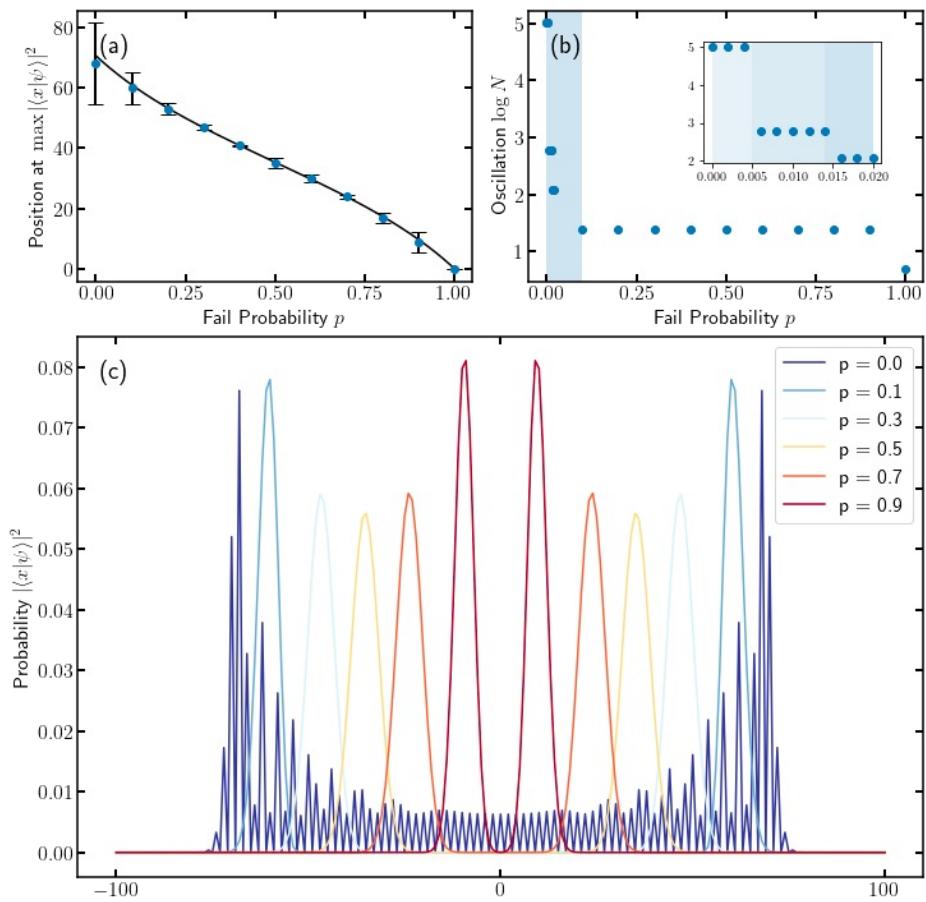
2D

$\mathcal{T}^2$ (TRS)	$\mathcal{P}^2$ (PHS)	$\Gamma^2$ (CS)	1D DTQW protocol	$\mathcal{T}^2$ (TRS)	$\mathcal{P}^2$ (PHS)	$\Gamma^2$ (CS)	2D DTQW protocol
1	1	1	$TR_y(\theta)$ or $T_\downarrow R_y(\theta_2) T_\uparrow R_y(\theta_1)$	—	—	—	$U_{2D}^\beta = T_3 R_y(\theta_1) T_2 R_\beta(\theta_2) T_1 R_y(\theta_1)$
—	—	1	$U_{ss}^\alpha = TR_\alpha(\theta)$ or $T_\downarrow R_\alpha(\theta_2) T_\uparrow R_\alpha(\theta_1)$	-1	—	—	$\begin{pmatrix} U_{2D}^\beta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} e^{-i\tau_y \sigma_y \varphi/2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & (U_{2D}^\beta)^T \end{pmatrix}$
-1	-1	1	$\begin{pmatrix} U_{ss}^\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & (U_{ss}^\alpha)^T \end{pmatrix}$	—	-1	—	$\begin{pmatrix} U_{2D}^\beta & 0 \\ 0 & (U_{2D}^\beta)^* \end{pmatrix}$
—	1	—	$U_{ss'} = T_\downarrow R_y(\theta_2) T_\uparrow R_y(\theta_1) T$	—	1	—	$U_{2D} = T_3 R_y(\theta_1) T_2 R_y(\theta_2) T_1 R_y(\theta_1)$
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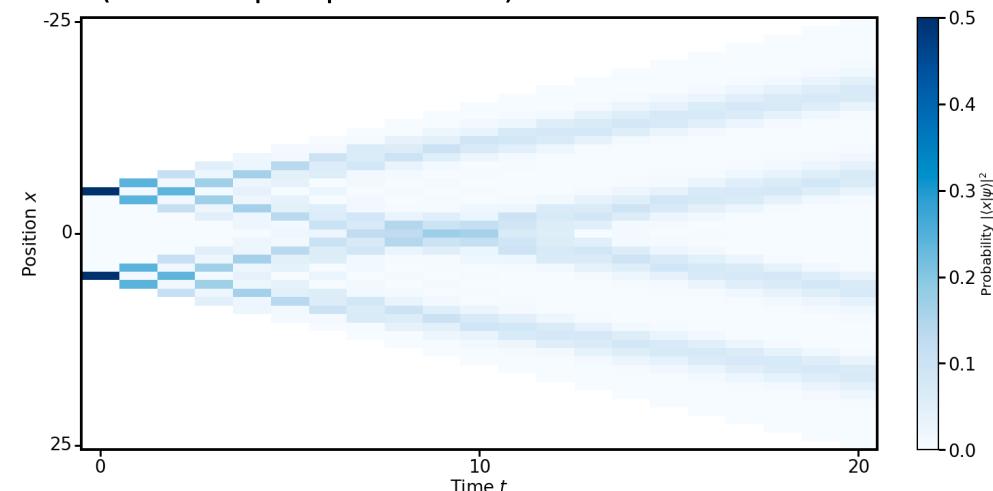
“Exploring topological phases with quantum walks”, Kitagawa *et al.*, PRA, 2010

# Quantum Walk: Our Model

(under preparation)



(a) Our modification to quantum walk can demonstrate soliton behavior.



(b) The spreading of walkers in real space of a two particle quantum walk in our model. A favorable candidate in spatial search.

$$H(\theta, k) \propto \begin{pmatrix} \omega(\theta, k) - i \ln \eta(\theta, k)^{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega(\theta, k) - i \ln \eta(\theta, k)^{1/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{\Psi}_R(k, t) = \sqrt{\frac{\eta(\theta, k)^t}{2\pi}} \left( i \cos \omega t + v(\theta, k) \sin(\omega t) + ie^{i\delta(\theta, k)} \sqrt{1 - (v(\theta, k))^2} \sin(\omega t) \right)$$

$$\tilde{\Psi}_L(k, t) = \sqrt{\frac{\eta(\theta, k)^t}{2\pi}} \left( \cos \omega t + iv(\theta, k) \sin(\omega t) - e^{-i\delta(\theta, k)} \sqrt{1 - (v(\theta, k))^2} \sin(\omega t) \right)$$

(c) We are arguing that it can also be a strong candidate of quantum simulator in exploring topological effects.

# Tetrahedral MOT – Rb87

**Single-laser, one beam, tetrahedral magneto-optical trap**

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