

QSIT 2013 - Questions 6

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1. Resonator as a quantum bus: entanglement of two qubits

Consider a transmission line resonator which is coupled to two well separated transmon qubits. The total Hamiltonian of this system is written as

$$H = \hbar\omega_r \left(a^\dagger a + \frac{1}{2} \right) - \sum_{i=1,2} \frac{\hbar\omega_i}{2} \sigma_{i,z} + \hbar \sum_{i=1,2} g_i (a^\dagger \sigma_i^- + a \sigma_i^+). \quad (1)$$

In this Hamiltonian, there is no direct qubit-qubit interaction term. However, resonator can mediate a coupling between them. To illustrate this we write the relevant hamiltonian in the dispersive regime:

$$H = \hbar (\omega_r + \chi_1 \sigma_{1,z} + \chi_2 \sigma_{2,z}) a^\dagger a + \sum_{i=1,2} \hbar \frac{\chi_i - \omega_i}{2} \sigma_{i,z} + \hbar J (\sigma_1^+ \sigma_2^- + \sigma_1^- \sigma_2^+). \quad (2)$$

Here, $\chi_i = \frac{g_i^2}{\omega_i - \omega_r}$ and $J = \frac{1}{2} g_1 g_2 \left(\frac{1}{\omega_1 - \omega_r} + \frac{1}{\omega_2 - \omega_r} \right)$.

What kind of two qubit gates can be implemented with this Hamiltonian?