



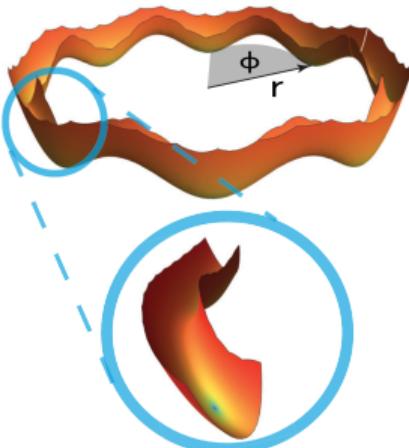
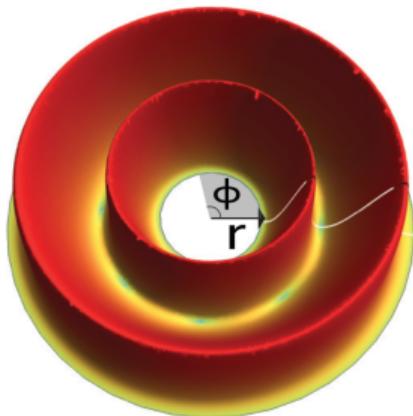
# Optimal Control of a Sagnac Tractor Atom Interferometer

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# Pinwheel Optical Lattice



Franke-Arnold et al. Opt. Express 15, 8619 (2007)

**Make it spin-dependent!**

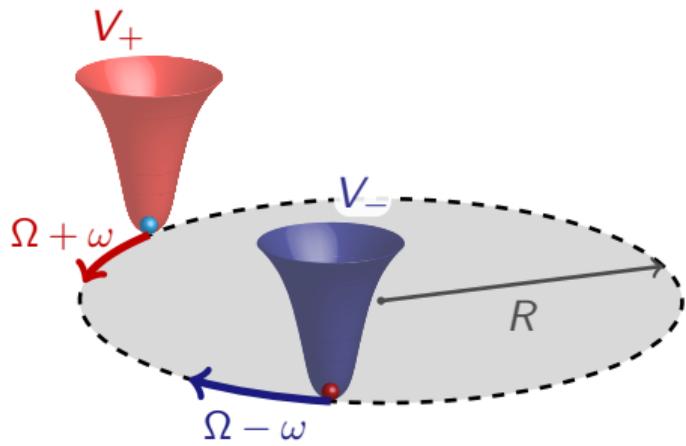
Raithel et al. Quantum Sci. Technol. 8 (2023)

Rubidium-87 hyperfine levels

$$|+\rangle \equiv |F = 1, m_F = 0\rangle$$

$$|-\rangle \equiv |F = 2, m_F = 0\rangle$$

# Rotating Tractor Interferometer



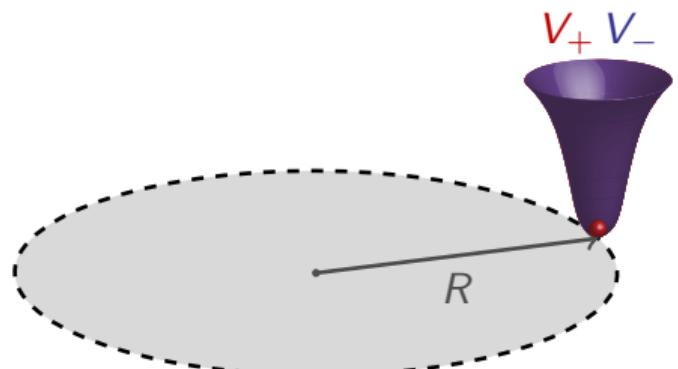
B. Dash *et al.* "Rotation sensing using tractor atom interferometry" (in preparation)

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# Adiabatic Dynamics

$t = 0 \text{ ms}$



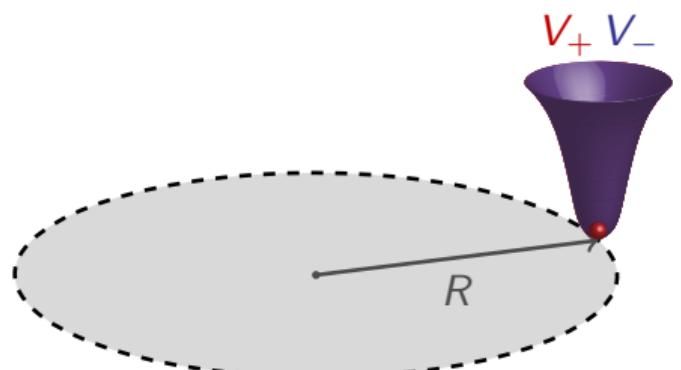
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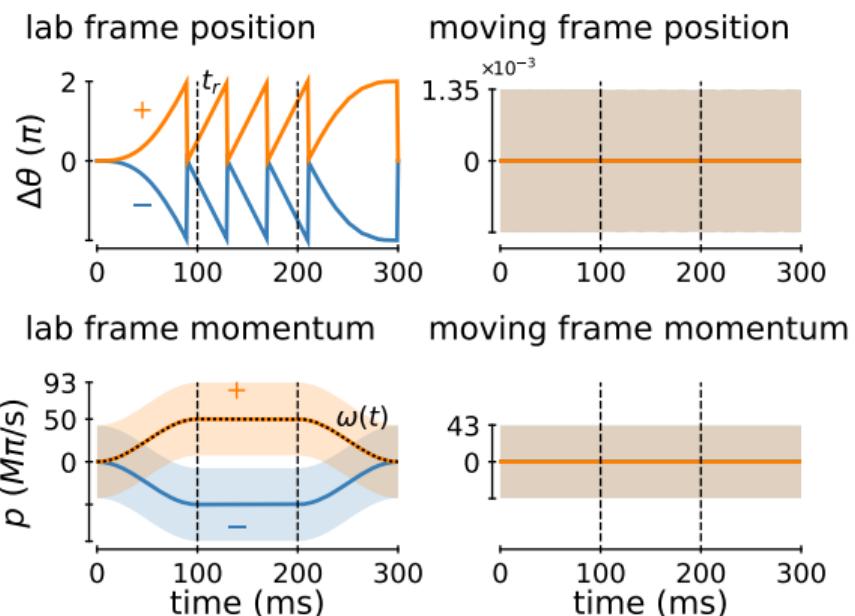
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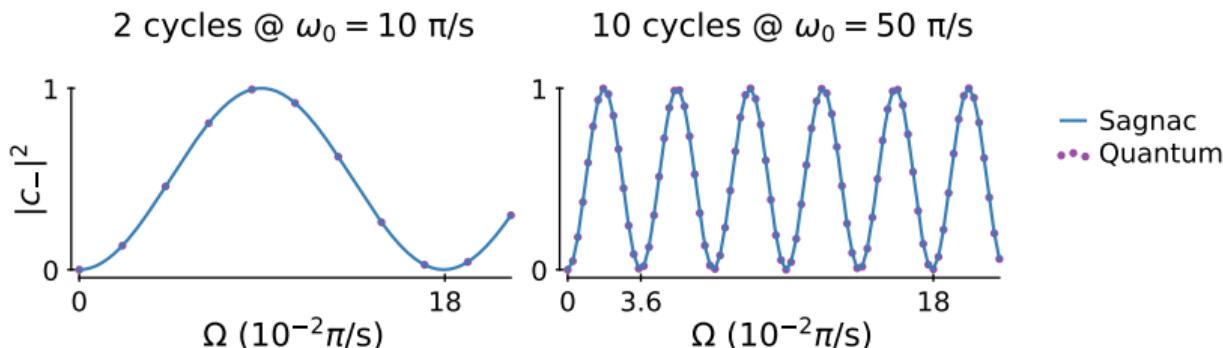
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$$\eta = \langle \Psi_-(\theta, T) | \Psi_+(\theta, T) \rangle = 1 \quad \text{if adiabatic}$$

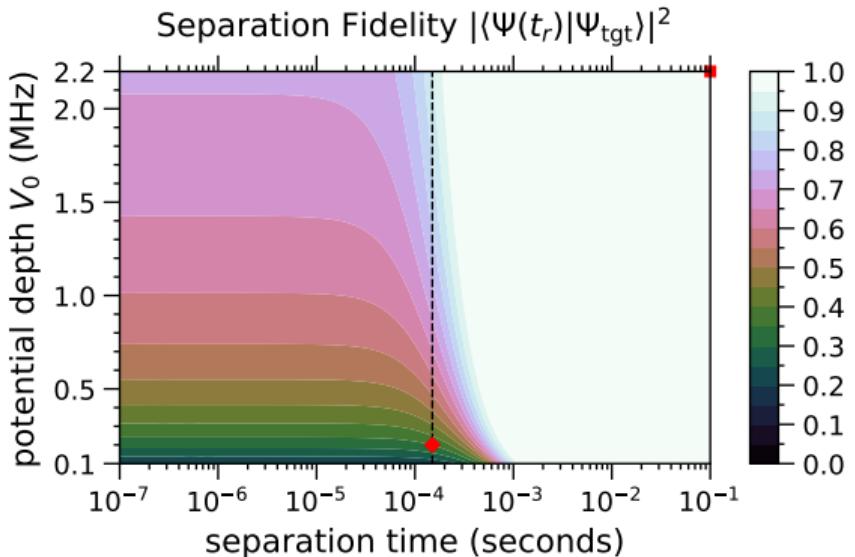
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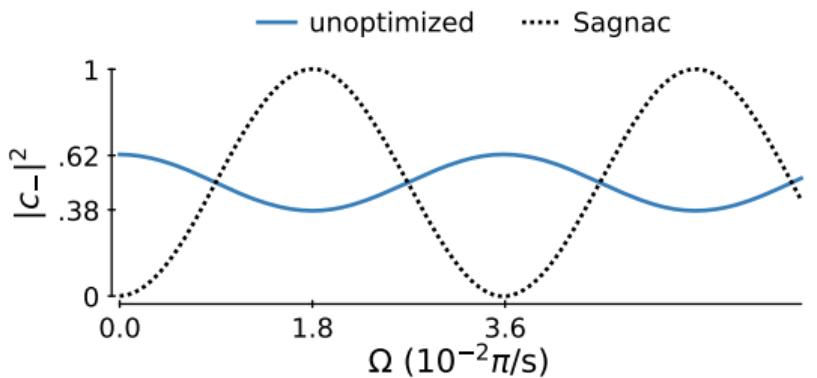
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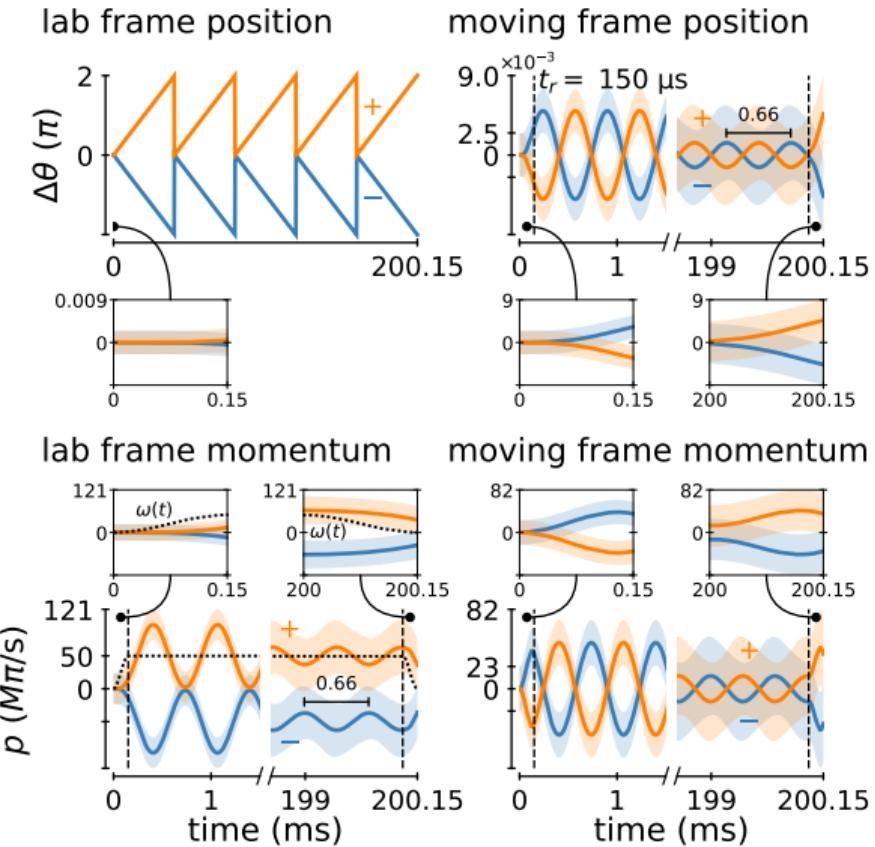
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# Control Problem

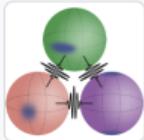
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Find  $\omega_{\text{opt}}(t)$  for short  $t_r$  so that

$$\Psi(\theta, t = 0) \rightarrow \Psi_{\text{tgt}}(\theta, t = t_r)$$

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# Optimization with QuantumControl.jl



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## A Julia Framework for Quantum Optimal Control.

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The **JuliaQuantumControl** organization collects packages implementing a comprehensive collection of methods of open-loop quantum optimal control.

Quantum optimal control theory attempts to steer a quantum system in some desired way by finding optimal control parameters or control fields inside the system Hamiltonian or Liouvillian. Typical control tasks are the preparation of a specific quantum state or the realization of a logical gate in a quantum computer. Thus, quantum control theory is a critical part of realizing quantum technologies, at the lowest level. Numerical methods of open-loop quantum control (methods that do not involve measurement feedback from a physical quantum device) such as [Krotov's method](#) and [GRAPE](#) address the control problem by [simulating the dynamics of the system](#) and then iteratively improving the value of a functional that encodes the desired outcome.

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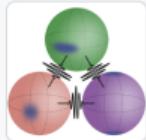
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    target_state=TARGET_STATE,
    generator=set_guided_control(HAMILTONIAN, TIME_GRID)
);
δw = get_controls(objective.generator)[1];
```

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```
[39]: problem = ControlProblem();
objectives=[objective], tlist=TIME_GRID,
J_T=J_T_sm, prop_method=:splitprop, verbose=false,
pulse_options=IdDict(δw => Dict(:lambda_a => 1e6, :update_shape => t => 1.0)),
check_convergence=res => begin ((res.J_T < 1e-8) && (res.converged = true) && (res.message = "J_T < 10^-8"))
);
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[40]: res = @optimize_or_load("./data/$NAME.jld2", problem; method=:krotov, iter_stop=400, force=true)
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iter.	J_T	$\int g_a(t)dt$	J	$\Delta J_T$	$\Delta J$	secs
0	6.48e-01	0.00e+00	6.48e-01	n/a	n/a	0.9
1	6.38e-01	4.99e-03	6.43e-01	-1.01e-02	-5.09e-03	5.3
2	6.27e-01	5.13e-03	6.33e-01	-1.04e-02	-5.23e-03	0.1
3	6.17e-01	5.28e-03	6.22e-01	-1.07e-02	-5.38e-03	0.1
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## Guided Control

$$\omega_{\text{opt}}(t) = \omega(t) + S(t)\delta\omega(t)$$

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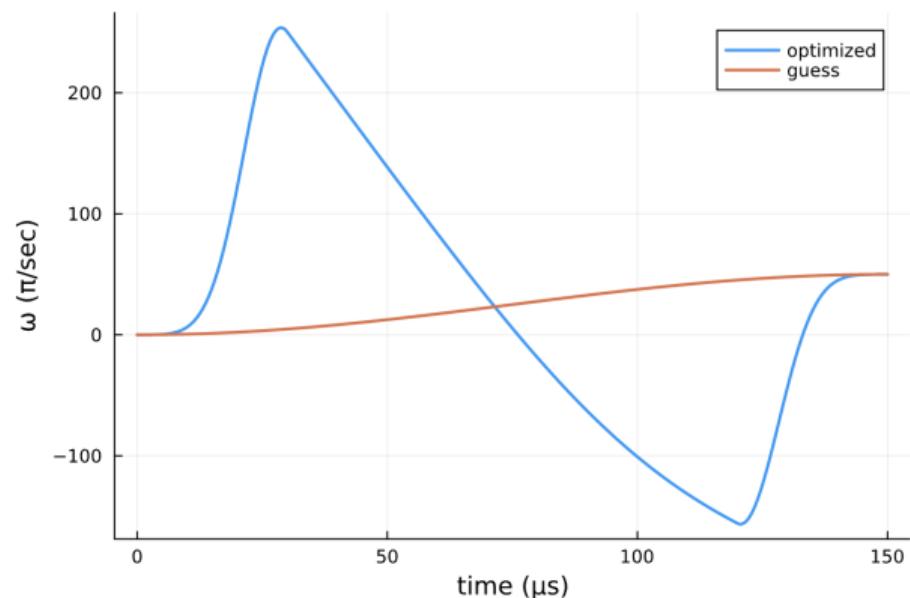
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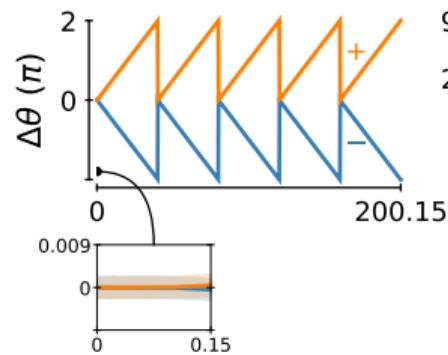
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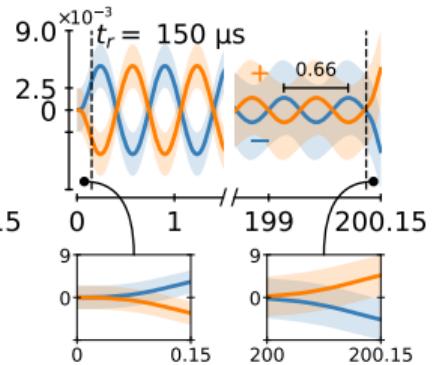


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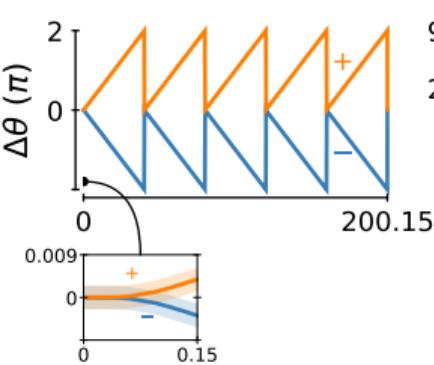
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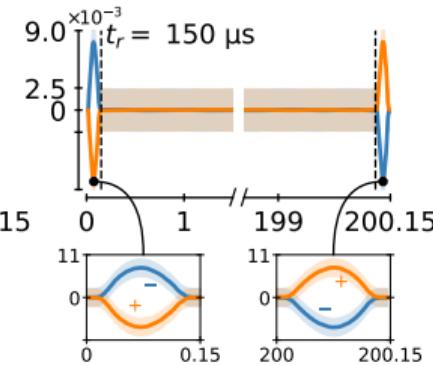
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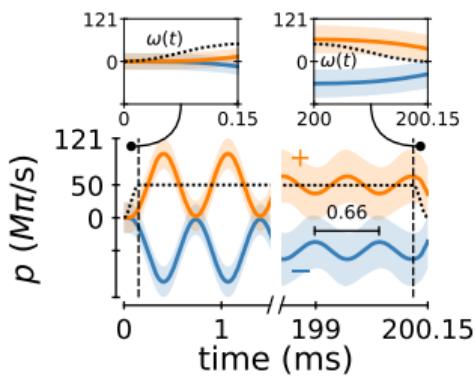
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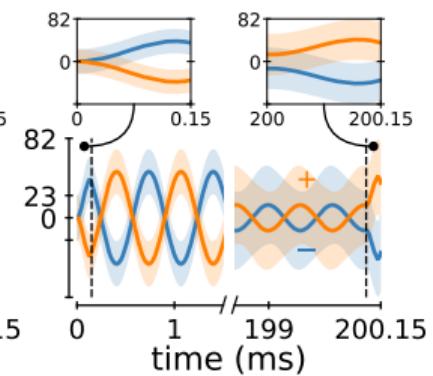
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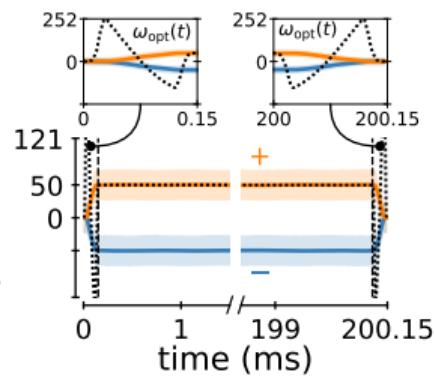
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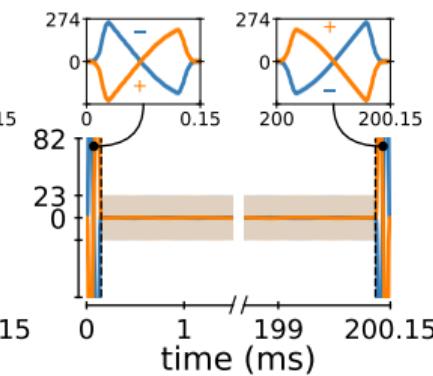
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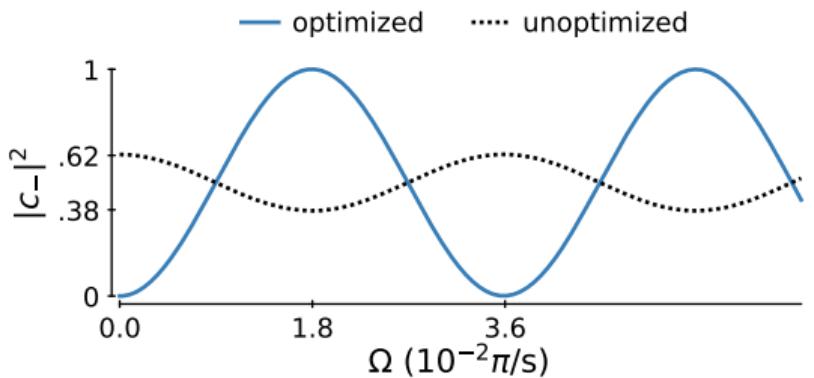
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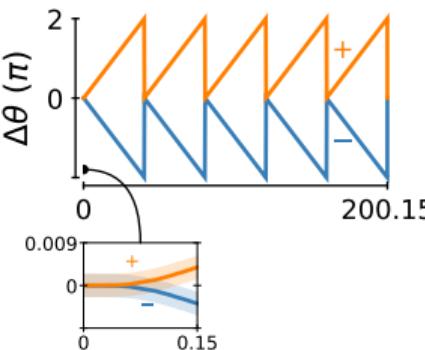
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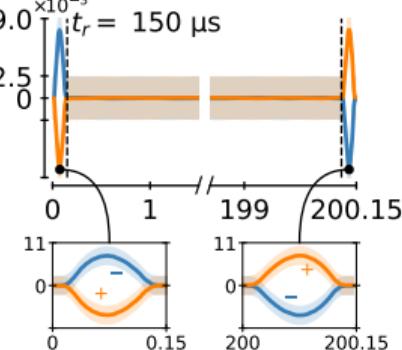
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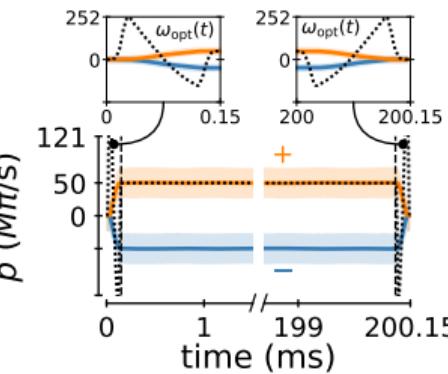
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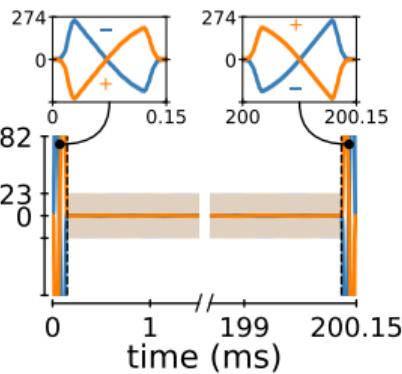
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# Conclusions

## Tractor Atom Interferometer

- Pinwheel optical lattice with freely tuneable angular velocity
- Can be made spin-dependent (Rubidium hyperfine levels)
- Continuous confinement guarantees closure of interferometer (if adiabatic)
- Highly scalable due to multi-pass design

## Optimal Control

- Control problem: non-adiabatically go to moving-lattice ground state
- Optimization with QuantumControl.jl  
<https://github.com/JuliaQuantumControl>
- “Throw and catch” solution restores full contrast

**Thank You**