Non classical light generation and storage using cold atomic ensembles

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Long Distance Quantum Communication



Quantum Network



Different types of Quantum memories



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Biphoton generation- Spontaneous Four wave mixing





Narrow band biphotons



Rabi oscillation regime



50

0

 $\Delta \omega_s$ or $\Delta \omega_{as}$ (in MHz)

100

0.4

0.2

0.0

-100

-50



Rabi oscillation regime



Band width ~ Natural linewidth of the atoms

Temporal length ~ natural decay+ dephasing

Oscillation period is controlled by Coupling strength

Group delay regime



Temporal length and the bandwidth can be controlled easily by just simply Tuning the Rabi frequency and Optical Depth



Non classical nature verification



| Pump Detuning γ_{13} | Ω_c γ_{13} | OD | CS violation factor | Estimated Bandwidth 2π (MHz) |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|----|------------------------|--|
| 13.3 | 5.5 | 15 | 65.7 | 16 |
| 16.7 | 2.6 | 20 | 4.4 | 2.80 |

Biphoton wavepackets





Part I- Conclusion & Work in progress



400 500

200

300 T(ns) Types of modulation techniques To arbitrarily shape the photons Paired photon generation with controllable delay / emission type Quantum memory

DLCZ Scheme



$$S = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=1}^{N} e^{-i (\mathbf{k}_W - \mathbf{k}_w) \cdot \mathbf{r}_j} |g\rangle_j \langle S |g\rangle$$



$$\eta_{ret} \propto \left| \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N} e^{i v_j \cdot (k_W - k_w) t} \right|^2$$



Quantum Memory with Optically Trapped Atoms

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In the presence of Magnetic field

$$\Delta\omega(mF) = \frac{\Delta E(mF)}{\bar{h}} = \frac{\mu_B g_F m_F B}{\bar{h}}$$

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{\sigma_{mF}=-2}^{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\sigma_{mF}}} e^{i \int_0^t \Delta \omega_{\sigma_{mF}}(t') dt' + i x_j \cdot (k_W - k_W)} |g_1 \dots \cdot s_j \dots \cdot g_N\rangle$$
Periodic retrieval can be observed
Due to the temporal fluctuation of phase
$$\eta_{ret} \propto \left| \sum_{\sigma_{mF}=-2}^{2} C_{\sigma_{mF}} e^{i \frac{\mu_B |g_F| m_F B}{\bar{h}} t \sigma_{mF} t} \right|$$
Good & Bad \bigcirc

Results



Results



Conclusion & Outlook

- Our cigar shaped cold atomic system is a powerful platform for generating and storing photons without turning of the quadruple magnetic field gradient.
- We have generated heralded single photons to realize single photon absorptive type Quantum memory.
- Experimentally demonstrated in controlled(still need to be optimized) fashion of retrieval at different wavelengths

Thank you very much for your kind attention