

# Quantum Computing. It is real. It is here.

# An introduction to this exciting technology.

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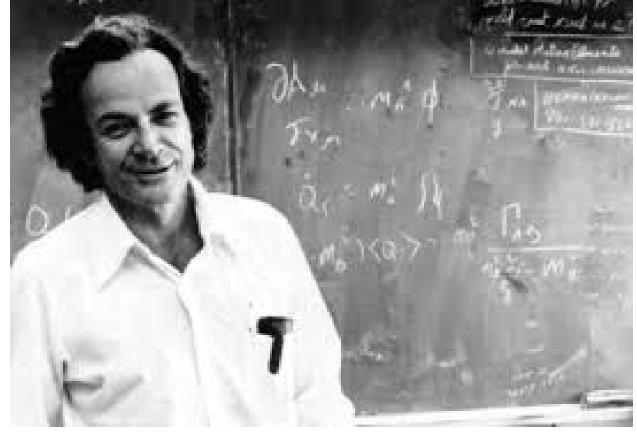
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# **Quantum Mechanics**

*"I think I can safely say that nobody understands quantum mechanics."* 

"Nature isn't classical, dammit, and if you want to make a simulation of nature, you'd better make it quantum mechanical."



#### **Richard Feynman**

AMERICAN THEORETICAL PHYSICIST



# **Global Investment in Quantum Computing**

# \$35.5 billion

Global **public and private** investment in quantum technologies in 2022.

# \$1.8 billion

public investment by U.S. National Quantum Initiative. By **2040**, quantum computing is expected to create up to **\$850 billion** in annual value for

various industries.

# \$1.1 billion in

public investment by European Quantum Flagship.

# \$15 billion in

public investment by China.

2021 Boston Consulting Group report, "When will quantum computers create value – and when?"

2022 World Economic Forum report "State of Quantum Computing"

# What are Quantum Technologies?

Quantum technologies harness unique properties of quantum physics – specifically **superposition** and **entanglement** - to perform calculations or measurements or transmit data.

#### **Quantum Computing**

**Quantum Communications** 

**Quantum Sensing** 



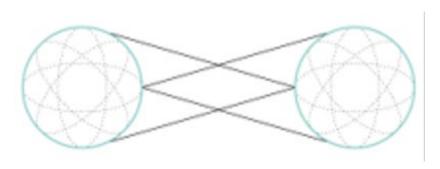






# **Key Quantum Principles**







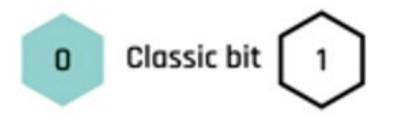
**Superposition** 

Entanglement

Interference



## **Classical vs. Quantum: What's the difference?**



- Bits exist as either "0" (off) or "1" (on)
- Operate based on law of classical physics
- Deterministic (same input=same output)
- Processes data serially



- Qubits exist in multiple states
- Operate based on laws of quantum physics
- Probabilistic (incorporates randomness)
- Examines different solutions simultaneously

# More than one way to build a quantum computer

#### **Type of Qubit**

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- Quantinuum
- IonQ
- Oxford Ionics

- Superconducting
- IBM
- Google
- Rigetti

- **Neutral Atom**
- Atom Computing
- Infleqtion
- QuEra

#### Photonic

- PsiQuantum
- Xanadu
- Orca Computing

#### Other

- Microsoft (Topological)
- Intel (Quantum Dots)



# Why Quantum Computing?

Because quantum computers are expected to solve problems considered intractable for today's computers.

#### "Killer" Applications

#### **Chemistry & Materials**

- Catalysis & molecule design
- Fertilizer production
- Drug & materials discovery
- Sustainability, renewables, process design
- Nuclear physics

#### Optimization

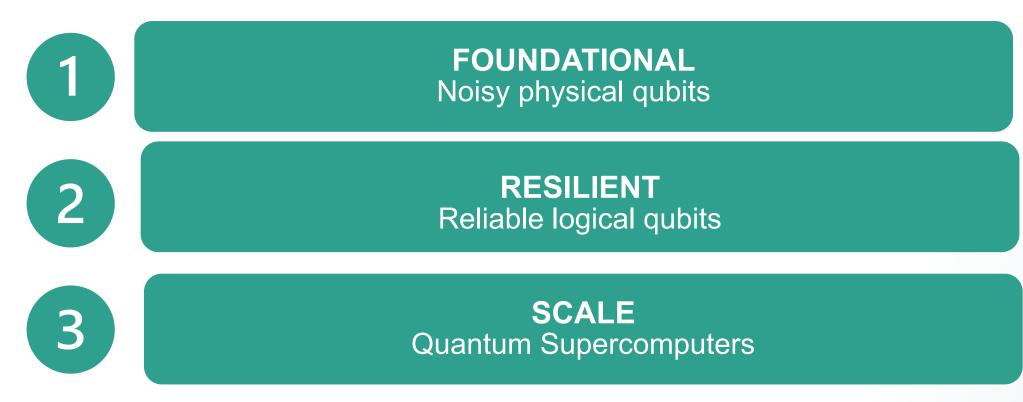
- Logistics: demand planning, routing, distribution
- Traffic routing
- Multiphysics simulation for aircraft design
- Finance: portfolio optimization

#### **Information Technology**

- Cybersecurity & cryptography
- Database search
- Machine learning

# Name of the Game: Scaling

### **IMPLEMENTATION LEVELS**

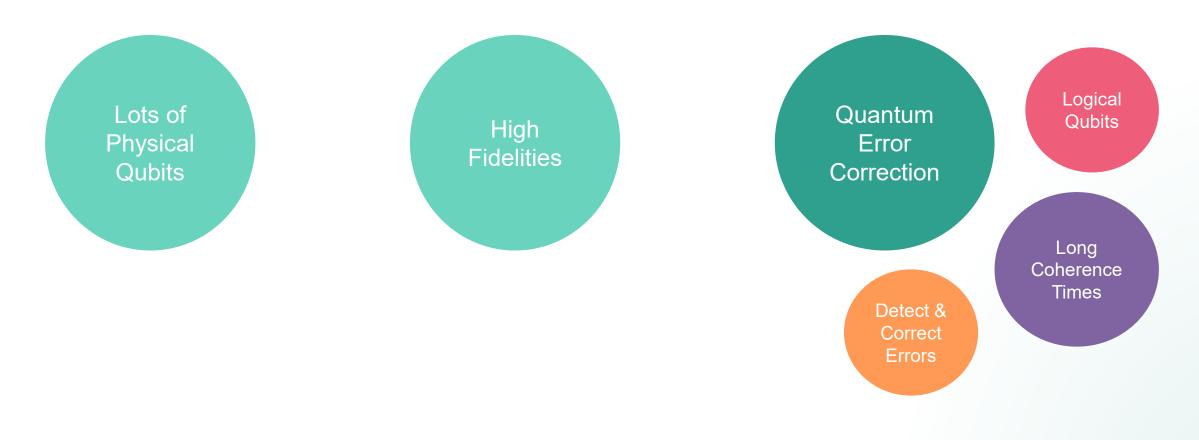


Microsoft Azure Quantum



# **The Goal? Fault Tolerance**

Fault-tolerant quantum computers can overcome errors that occur during computation and deliver accurate result.



# **Understanding logical qubits** with Quantinuum QUANTINUUM

# Introducing....Quantinuum



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#### **GLOBAL PRESENCE**

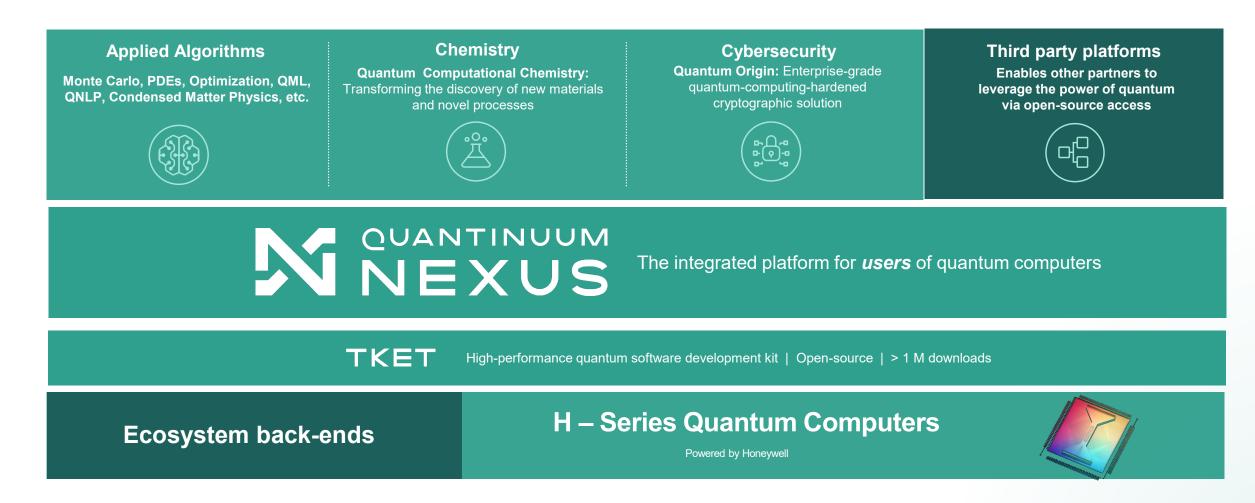
- Nearly 500 employees
- USA, UK, Germany, Japan
- Honeywell-affiliate



## SCIENCE LED. ENTERPRISE DRIVEN.

- 375+ scientists and engineers
- 15+ quantum hardware performance world-records
- **80+** patents
- 155+ publications (as of early 2024)
- **100+** proprietary algorithms and methods

# An integrated approach





## **Quantinuum at-a-glance**

WHAT WE OFFER

## Quantinuum Systems

World-class ion trap hardware with industry-leading fidelity and scalability

## **Full-stack**

InQuanto<sup>™</sup> Quantum chemistry software. TKET<sup>™</sup> open-source developer tool kit. LAMBEQ<sup>™</sup> natural language processing



Collaborations and partnerships with commercial and academic organization

USER COMMUNITY

>80 Scientific publications using H-Series hardware

> 400

Global users of H-Series hardware

>1,500,000

Downloads of TKET™ open-source tool kit

#### CUSTOMERS & PARTNERS

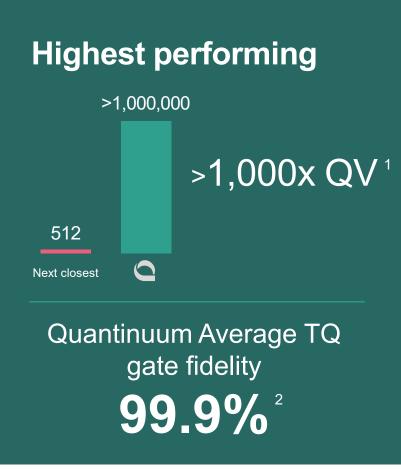
Premier financial institutions: JPMC | HSBC

Top industrials: Honeywell | BMW | Airbus | JSR

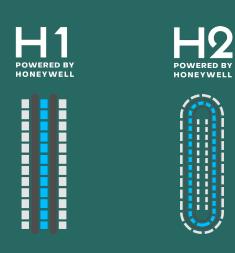
US Department of Energy Labs, RIKEN

**Cloud service partner:** Microsoft Azure Quantum

# **Quantinuum H-Series Hardware**



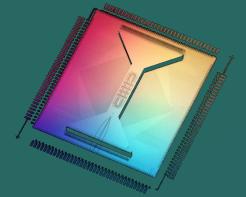
#### **Most Benchmarked**



18 benchmarks tested

All documented on GitHub

# Enabling what no other hardware can do



- Conditional logic
- All-to-all connectivity
- Long coherence times
- Qubit reuse
- Low cross-talk mid-circuit measurement

# **Scaling: Quantinuum Approach**

Continuous upgrading of hardware during its lifetime.



## **Quantinuum Development Roadmap**

\*analysis based on recent literature in new, novel error correcting codes predict that error could be as low as 1E-10 in Apollo (ref: arXiv:2403.16054, arXiv:2308.07915)



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