



ABSTRACT

The field of quantum computing is based on the laws of quantum mechanics, including states superposition and entanglement. Quantum cryptography is amongst the most surprising applications of quantum mechanics in quantum information processing. Remote state preparation allows a known state to a sender to be remotely prepared at a receiver's location when they prior share entanglement and transmit one classical bit. A trusted authority in a network where every user is only authenticated to the third party distributes a secret key using quantum entanglement parity bit, controlled gates, ancillary states, and transmit one classical bit. We also show it is possible to distribute entanglement in a typical telecom metropolitan optical network.

KEY IDEA AND HYPOTHESIS

- Quantum Cryptography
Quantum key distribution
Quantum teleportation consumes two cbits and ebits
Remote state preparation consumes one cbit
Key distribution between untrusted parties
Secure and efficient secret key establishment
Entanglement distribution in an optical network

DOMAIN AND THE SPECIFIC PROBLEM

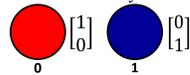
- Domain: Quantum key distribution
Specific Problem:
Finding a secure and efficient entanglement-assisted three-party quantum key distribution protocol
How to share secret keys between two untrusted to each other parties?
The problem of distributing entanglement in typical telecom metropolitan optical network
How can we have a centralized EPR source to creates and distributes entanglement to users in different access networks?
Is it possible to create a dynamic network using reconfigurable optical add/drop multiplexers to serve the multiple users in different access networks?
Can classical and quantum signal reliably travel in the same optical fiber?

METHODOLOGICAL APPROACH

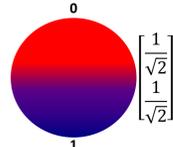
- Using the formal methodological approach to create a three-party quantum key distribution
Design simulate optical network architecture for entanglement distribution in a metropolitan optical network

CONVENTIONAL AND QUANTUM COMPUTING

- Conventional Computing
Systems depend on laws of Classical Physics to perform calculations.

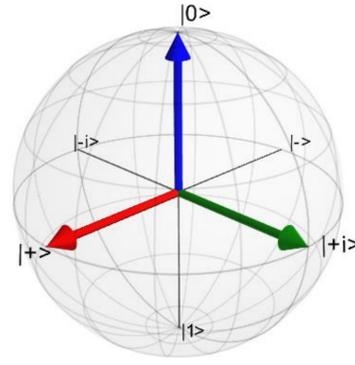


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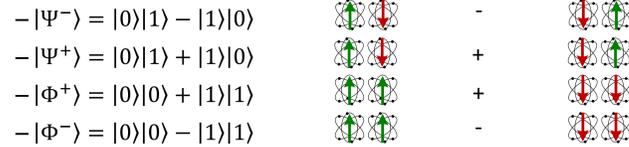
QUBITS AND QUANTUM BASES

- Qubit is linear combination
|Psi> = alpha|0> + beta|1>
Computational Basis:
|0> = cos theta|0> + sin theta|1>
|1> = cos theta|0> - sin theta|1>
Qubit Basis:
|+> = (|0>+|1>)/sqrt(2)
|-> = (|0>-|1>)/sqrt(2)
Qubit Basis:
|+i> = (|0>+i|1>)/sqrt(2)
|-i> = (|0>-i|1>)/sqrt(2)



QUANTUM ENTANGLEMENT

- Describe a pair of particles share the same properties
Bell States/EPR Pairs:



DETERMINISTIC AND EFFICIENT THREE-PARTY QUANTUM KEY DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION

- Pre-shared EPR parity bits
For |Psi^pm> = |T>_{Cx} = |1>
For |Phi^pm> = |T>_{Cx} = |0>
Ancillary qubits
For Alice |0>_A
For Bob |0>_B
Controlled-U Gates

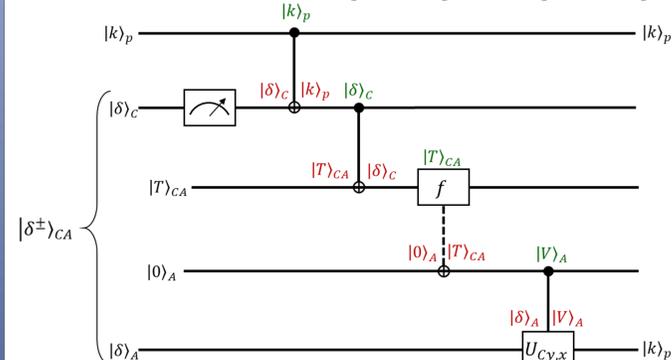


Figure 1. Shows the algorithm as a quantum circuit

- Intrinsic efficiency

eta = q_s / (q_u + b_t)

* q_s qubits * q_u ebits * b_t cbits

Table 1. Comparing the performance to the literature

Table with 6 columns: Protocol, Operations, Qubit/Type, ebit/Type, cbit, eta. Rows include Ref [44], Ref [42], Ref [51], Ref [45], and Ours.

Quantum Entanglement Distribution for Secret Key Establishment in Metropolitan Optical Networks

- Entanglement Distribution in MON
Backbone network
Backbone nodes
Access network
Centralized EPR source
Classical signals
Quantum signals
Simultaneous transmission of classical and quantum signals
Four-Wave mixing
Raman scattering

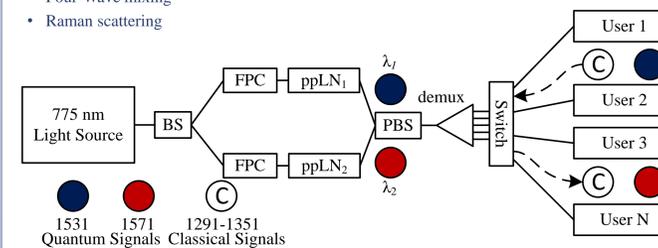


Figure 2. Entanglement distribution in an access network

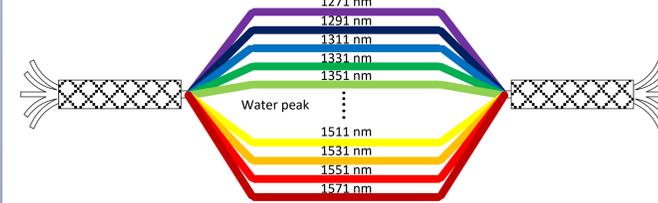


Figure 3. The range of classical and quantum channels

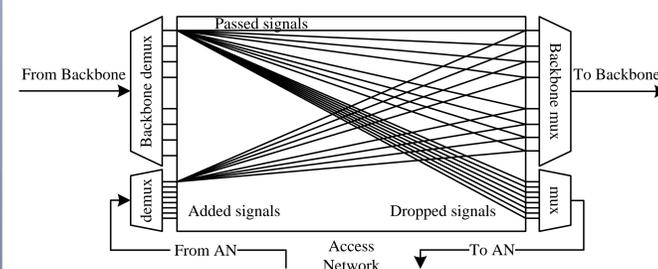


Figure 4. Design of the backbone node (ROADM)

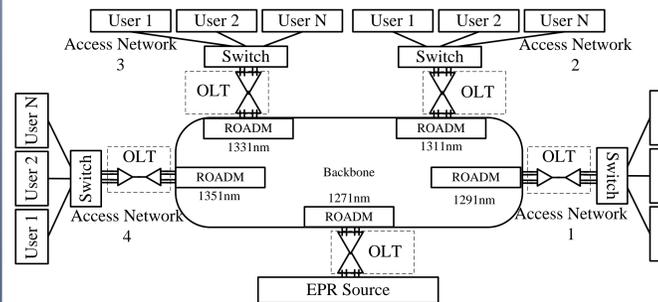


Figure 5. The architecture of the metropolitan optical network (MON)

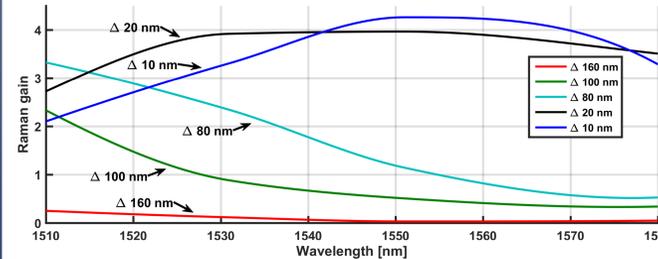


Figure 6. Raman gain in various spacing settings

RESULTS

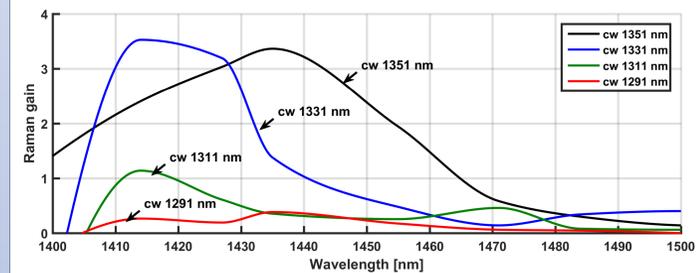


Figure 7. Raman gain generated from each classical channel

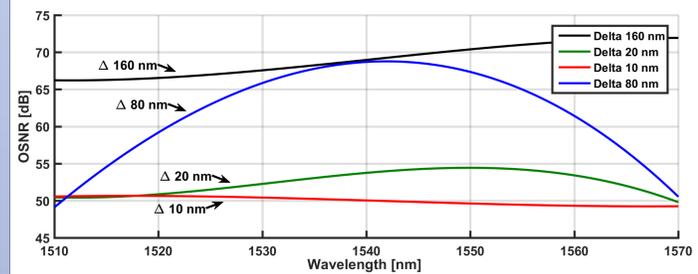


Figure 8. Show the optical signal to noise ratio

CONCLUSION

- Deterministic and efficient three-party QKD
The protocol uses:
Two maximally entangled states
One two-particles von Neumann.
Introduced the parity bit
Introduced ancillary
Introduced the U_cx and U_cy gates
The protocol is exact and deterministic
Compared related protocols
Distributes a key of d qubits by 2d entangled pairs and d cbits
Quantum entanglement distributing entangled in MON
Centralized entanglement source serves the entire network
Wavelengths that correspond to channels in the CWDM
Dynamic entanglement distribution:
Drop
Pass
Add
Simultaneous transmission of classical and quantum signals
Increased the number of access networks

REFERENCES

List of references including Shannon's communication theory, Bennett and Brassard's quantum cryptography, Shor's polynomial-time algorithms, and various quantum key distribution papers.