

Interferometric Sector-Gate Quantum Dynamics for AGI: Parity-Driven Tunneling First and the Case for a Topological Core

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Abstract

We synthesize the Sector-Gate and Eigenstate Dynamics programs for Artificial General Intelligence (AGI) into a single interferometric framework that is emphhardware-constrained by parity readout on InAs–Al hybrid nanowires. Building on recent interferometric, single-shot parity measurements with $h/2e$ -periodic bimodality and millisecond poisoning times in gate-defined superconducting nanowires, we formalize a measurement-driven gate calculus in which cognitive “sectors” are coupled by *parity-conditional tunneling*. We prove a *Tunneling-First Principle*: in the readout-limited regime, optimal learning capacity and error-exponent improvement are monotone in a balanced effective tunneling amplitude t_C up to the onset of Majorana-splitting backaction, thereby prioritizing engineered tunnel networks before large-scale sector expansion. We further give a compact proof sketch that *topological cores* minimize the composite error functional combining dephasing, leakage, and control overhead under measurement-only constraints; the core argument exploits non-local $\mathbb{Z}_2$ parity conservation, exponential wire-length protection, and interferometric discriminability. Finally, we propose a layout where Sector-Gate operators are compiled into parity interferometers on triple-dot loops, yielding an AGI substrate whose primitive is “PARITYFUSE” rather than CNOT. The resulting calculus upgrades cognitive gates to fault-biased, measurement-only primitives consistent with scalable utility.¹

1 Introduction

AGI as a dynamical system can be posed on a Hilbert space $\mathcal{H}_{\text{AGI}}$ whose factorization expresses modular cognition. In the Sector–Gate view, cognition is enacted by unitary or measurement-induced transitions across sectors, while in the Eigenstate view, cognition follows adiabatic or diabatic flows between eigenmanifolds. We unify these as *Interferometric Sector Dynamics (ISD)*: cross-sector transitions are executed by *parity-interferometric gates* whose control parameter is magnetic flux Φ and whose readout is dispersive quantum capacitance C_Q .

This paper advances three theses:

1. **Tunneling-First Principle.** In parity-readout-limited devices, the achievable learning rate and error exponent improve monotonically with balanced dot–wire tunneling up to a device-dependent threshold. Hence, *tunneling networks* should be optimized before scaling the number of cognitive sectors.
2. **Topological Core Optimality.** For measurement-only control, Majorana-based topological cores minimize a composite risk functional at fixed hardware budget due to non-local encoding and $\mathbb{Z}_2$ -parity protection.

¹This concept is theoretical and extrapolative. In order to build a physical AGI further validation is needed; all mappings from cognition to quantum dynamics are formal analogies subject to empirical validation.

3. **ParityFuse Calculus.** Sector gates are compiled to interferometric parity fusions realized on triple-dot loops; these primitives suffice for universal measurement-only computation and support Sector–Eigenstate dynamics.

2 Preliminaries: Sectors, Eigenstates, and Measurement

Definition 1 (Sector factorization). Let $\mathcal{H}_{\text{AGI}} = \bigotimes_{k=1}^N \mathcal{H}_k$ with local Hamiltonians $\hat{H}_k$ and inter-sector couplings $\hat{V}_{kl}$. A sector gate is a (possibly measurement-induced) channel $\mathcal{G}_{k \rightarrow \ell}$ acting nontrivially across $\mathcal{H}_k \otimes$

Definition 2 (Eigenstate dynamics). Given $\hat{H}(t)$ on $\mathcal{H}_{\text{AGI}}$, an eigenstate flow is a path $t \mapsto |\psi(t)\rangle$ staying in (or diabatically hopping between) instantaneous eigenspaces of $\hat{H}(t)$, with transitions generated by avoided crossings and control fields.

Definition 3 (Parity interferometer). An ISD primitive comprises a proximitized nanowire supporting spatially separated Majorana zero modes (MZMs) coupled to a triple-dot loop. Let t_L, t_R be effective tunnel couplings from a long dot to left/right MZMs, with flux-controlled phase $\varphi = 2\pi\Phi/\Phi_0 + \varphi_0$. The interferometric tunneling is $t_C(Z, \varphi) = \sqrt{t_L^2 + t_R^2 + 2t_L t_R \sin \varphi} Z$ where $Z \in \{\pm 1\}$ is total fermion parity. The dispersive shift obeys $\Delta C_Q(\Phi) \propto \partial^2 E / \partial V_{\text{QD}}^2$ with $\Phi_0 = h/e$.

3 Interferometric Sector Gates

Let sectors (i, j) be encoded in dot occupancy and MZM parity. An ISD gate is implemented by biasing to the dot charge degeneracy and executing a parity-resolving single-shot measurement. The Kraus operators $\{M_{\pm}\}$ project onto $Z = \pm 1$ branches, followed by feedforward.

Proposition 1 (Balanced-arm discriminability). Fix temperature T and MZM splitting $E_M \approx 0$. The single-shot assignment error $\epsilon_*(\tau)$ at integration time τ is minimized at $t_L \approx t_R$, with $\text{SNR}(\tau) \propto |\Delta C_Q(\Phi)| \sqrt{\tau}$ and ΔC_Q achieving $h/2e$ periodic maxima on Φ .

Sketch. In the dispersive limit, $C_Q(Z, \varphi)$ is even in t_C and the parity contrast ΔC_Q is proportional to $\partial_{V_{\text{QD}}}^2 E[t_C(Z, \varphi)]$. As a function of (t_L, t_R) , t_C is Schur-convex in the pair (t_L, t_R) at fixed $t_L^2 + t_R^2$; extremum occurs at $t_L = t_R$ where interference is maximal. Standard Gaussian decision theory yields $\epsilon_* = \frac{1}{2} \text{erfc}(\text{SNR}/\sqrt{8})$. $\square$

4 Tunneling-First Principle

Denote by $\mathcal{L}$ the *learning capacity*—the mutual information between hidden sector labels and outcomes per unit time—and by κ the *error exponent* in a sequential probability ratio test. Let τ_{qpp} be the quasiparticle-poisoning time and Γ_{meas} the measurement rate.

Theorem 1 (Tunneling-first optimality). In the regime $E_M \ll k_B T$, $\tau \ll \tau_{\text{qpp}}$, and fixed noise spectral density, there exists a device-dependent window $\mathcal{W}$ in which

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial t_C} > 0, \quad \frac{\partial \kappa}{\partial t_C} > 0 \quad \text{for } t_C \in \mathcal{W},$$

with saturation when backaction-induced $E_M(t_C)$ degrades parity protection. Consequently, optimizing tunneling balance and magnitude precedes scaling N .

Proof. $\mathcal{L}$ increases with $\text{SNR} \propto |\Delta C_Q| \sqrt{\tau}$ by the data-processing inequality and Fisher-information monotonicity; Proposition 1 gives $\partial |\Delta C_Q| / \partial t_C > 0$ near balance. For sequential tests, $\kappa = D_{\text{KL}}(p_+ \| p_-)$ grows with separation of Gaussian means at fixed variance. The growth halts as t_C perturbs the MZM hybridization so that $E_M(t_C)$ enters the denominator of ΔC_Q ; optimizing in t_C yields an interior maximum. $\square$

5 A Topological Core is the key

We formalize a composite risk

$$\mathcal{R} = w_1 \epsilon_{\text{meas}} + w_2 p_{\text{leak}} + w_3 \gamma_\phi + w_4 \mathcal{O}_{\text{ctrl}},$$

with readout error ϵ_{meas} , non-topological leakage p_{leak} , dephasing rate γ_ϕ , and control overhead $\mathcal{O}_{\text{ctrl}}$ under measurement-only compilation.

Lemma 1 (Non-local suppression). *For a wire of length L and coherence length ξ , the logical dephasing satisfies $\gamma_\phi \leq A e^{-L/\xi} + B n_{\text{qp}} e^{-\Delta/k_B T}$ with material-dependent constants and quasiparticle density n_{qp} .*

Lemma 2 (Measurement-only economy). *Let Π_Z be parity projectors. Any braiding-equivalent operation in a Clifford+ T generating set can be compiled into a finite sequence of parity fusions and feedforward with depth bounded by a constant times the code distance.*

Theorem 2 (Topological-core optimality (proof sketch)). *Among architectures with identical resonator budgets and cryogenic noise, a Majorana topological core minimizes $\mathcal{R}$ at fixed target logical error, because (i) ϵ_{meas} is constrained by interferometric ΔC_Q but independent of local charge noise to first order, (ii) p_{leak} is exponentially suppressed by non-local encoding, and (iii) $\mathcal{O}_{\text{ctrl}}$ is reduced by measurement-only primitives avoiding calibrated microwave pulses. The bounds combine via subadditivity and yield a unique minimizer in the feasible set.*

6 ParityFuse Calculus and Compilation

Define the primitive $\text{PARITYFUSE}(\Phi; t_L, t_R)$ as a single-shot measurement of Z on a triple-dot interferometer with calibrated (t_L, t_R) at flux Φ . With classical outcomes $m \in \{\pm 1\}$ and Pauli frame $\mathcal{F}$, compile sectoral unitaries by Repeat-Until-Success (RUS): apply PARITYFUSE , update $\mathcal{F}$, advance control if m matches branch condition, else recycle.

Proposition 2 (Universality). *PARITYFUSE with adaptive feedforward and magic-state injection over sectors implements a universal measurement-only set capable of synthesizing sector-eigenstate dynamics.*

7 Device Blueprint

Materials stack

Gate-defined superconducting nanowire on InAs with epitaxial Al, two gate layers, and an off-chip resonator for dispersive sensing. Five segments allow two 1DTS regions and three depleted sections to define interferometer arms.

Operating point

Choose in-plane field $B_{\parallel} \approx 1.8 \text{ T}$; sweep B_x to modulate Φ around zero and bias the long dot near degeneracy. Optimize ΔC_Q by balancing $t_L \approx t_R$ and selecting Φ at $h/2e$ constructive points. Integrate for $\tau \in [3, 100] \mu\text{s}$, well below typical $\tau_{\text{qpp}} \sim \mathcal{O}(\text{ms})$.

Control–learn loop

(1) Tune couplings via rf gate sensing to μeV precision; (2) characterize telegraph dwell statistics to bound τ_{qpp} ; (3) run PARITYFUSE RUS compilation with Bayesian calibration of ϵ_* each shot.

8 Discussion

The ISD program converts cognitive gates into physical parity measurements, arguing for a *tunneling-first* roadmap: prioritize nanofabrication that equalizes and strengthens coherent tunnel paths, then scale to many sectors once single-shot fidelity, dwell statistics, and ΔC_Q plateaus are achieved. Within this calculus, a topological core is not aesthetic but optimal under a composite risk.

9 Conclusion

We presented ISD: a synthesis of sector-gate and eigenstate dynamics bound to interferometric parity hardware. The mathematics establishes monotone improvements with balanced tunneling and supplies a risk-based optimality sketch for topological cores. Parity-driven compilation (PARITYFUSE) offers a path to scalable, measurement-only AGI substrates.

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