

Group Meeting:

Short Brief Introduction:
Shortcut to adiabaticity to
decompress BEC

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Fast optimal frictionless atom cooling in harmonic traps

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Shortcut to adiabaticity for an interacting Bose-Einstein condensate

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Subjects: **Quantum Gases** (cond-mat.quant-gas)

Experiment

Outline:

1. Theoretical part:

(1) shortcut idea

(2) decompress trajectory for BEC

2. Experimental part:

(1) procedures

(2) results & phenomena

Adiabatic process:

A physical system remains in its instantaneous eigenstates and eigenvalues if a given perturbation is acting on it slowly.

Property: SLOW !



Need "Shortcut"!

Shortcut to adiabaticity idea

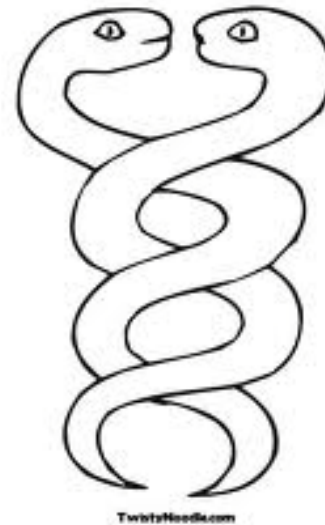
Objective:

get the same result to the adiabaticity !

Find an invariant operator that commute with system Hamiltonian at $t=0$ and t_f !

Engineer a frequency trajectory connecting the equilibrium states (only need) in the final and initial points.

Snakes



Lewis-Riesenfeld invariants

System Hamiltonian $H(t)$ $i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} |\Psi(t)\rangle = H(t) |\Psi(t)\rangle$

Construct invariant $I(t)$ satisfies $i\hbar \frac{\partial I(t)}{\partial t} - [H(t), I(t)] = 0$

$|\Psi(t)\rangle = \sum_n c_n |\psi_n(t)\rangle$ c_n are time-independent amplitudes,

$|\psi_n(t)\rangle = e^{i\alpha_n(t)} |\phi_n(t)\rangle$ $I(t) |\phi_n(t)\rangle = \lambda_n |\phi_n(t)\rangle$, λ_n constant

$H(0) \longrightarrow H(t_f)$ populations in the initial and final instantaneous bases are the same, but admitting transitions at intermediate times.

$[I(0), H(0)] = 0$

$[I(t_f), H(t_f)] = 0$

the eigenstates of $I(t)$ equal the solutions of $H(t)$ at $t=0, t_f$.
Guarantee a state transfer without final excitations.

decompress trajectory for BEC

1D cigar shaped trap

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \left[-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{1}{2} m \omega(t)^2 x^2 + g |\psi|^2 \right] \psi,$$

Ansatz: $\psi(x, t) = e^{-\beta(t)} e^{-\alpha(t)x^2} \phi(x, t).$

Scaling: $\rho = x/b \quad \Phi(\rho, t) = \phi(x, t)$

$$\begin{aligned} i\hbar \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} = & -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{1}{b^2} \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial \rho^2} + \left[\frac{1}{2} m \omega(t)^2 + i\hbar \dot{\alpha} - \frac{2\hbar^2}{m} \alpha^2 \right] b^2 \rho^2 \Phi \\ & + \left[g e^{-(\alpha+\alpha^*)x^2} e^{-(\beta+\beta^*)} |\Phi|^2 \right] \Phi + \left[i\hbar \dot{\beta} + \frac{\hbar^2 \alpha}{m} \right] \Phi \\ & + \left[2 \frac{\hbar \alpha}{m} + i \frac{b}{b} \right] \hbar \rho \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \rho}, \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

After several algebra steps

$$i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \tau} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial \rho^2} + \frac{m\omega_0^2}{2} \rho^2 \Psi + gb|\Psi|^2 \Psi.$$

One case: In TF limit:

		Boundary conditions		
$\omega_0 = \omega(0)$	}	$b(0) = 1,$	$\dot{b}(0) = 0,$	$\ddot{b}(0) = 0$
$\omega_f = \omega(t_f)$		$b(t_f) = (\omega_0/\omega_f)^{2/3}$	$\dot{b}(t_f) = 0$	$\ddot{b}(t_f) = 0$

Using scaling relations

$$\ddot{b} + \omega(t)^2 b = \frac{\omega_0^2}{b^2}, \quad \tau(t) = \int_0^t \frac{dt'}{b},$$

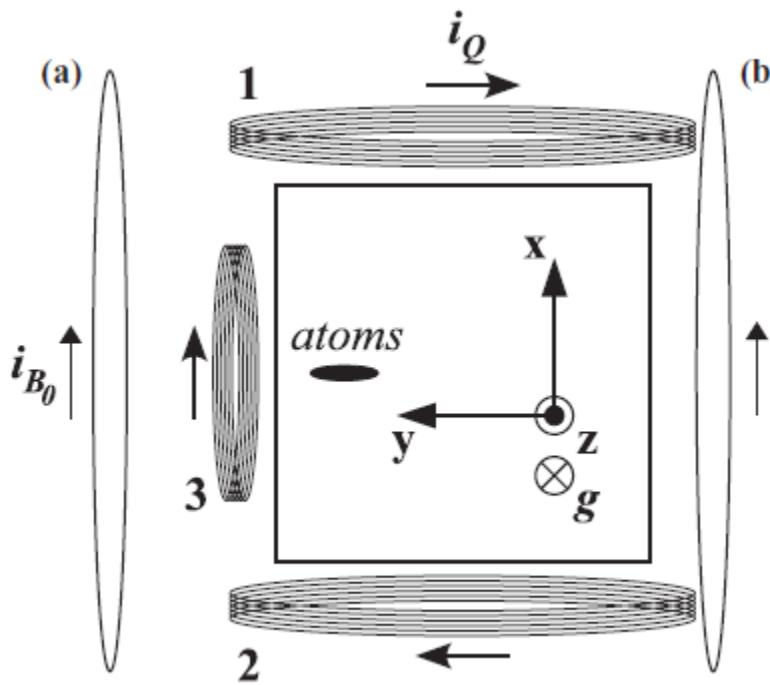
$$\omega(t)^2$$

Can be calculated

→ this is decompression trajectory

Experimental Setup and Model:

3D GPE



QUIC TRAP

$$(b) \quad i\hbar \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = \left[-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 + U(\mathbf{r}, t) + \tilde{U} N |\psi(\mathbf{r}, t)|^2 \right] \psi(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$U(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{1}{2} m \omega_{\perp}(t)^2 (x^2 + z^2) + \frac{1}{2} m \omega_{\parallel}^2(t) y^2 + mgz,$$

$$\psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = (b_{\perp}^2 b_{\parallel})^{-1/2} \chi(\boldsymbol{\rho}, \tau(t)) \exp[i\phi(\mathbf{r}, t)]$$

$$\rho_x = x/b_{\perp}, \quad \rho_y = y/b_{\parallel}, \quad \rho_z = z/b_{\perp} + ga/\omega_{0\perp}^2$$

$$\tau(t) = \int_0^t dt' / [b_{\perp}^2(t') b_{\parallel}(t')].$$

Following theoretical paper, get 16 independent boundary conditions.

Simplify the process ----→ remain axial size of BEC constant, shortcut work only along radial direction

Decompression trajectory

$$\ddot{b}_{\perp}(t) + b_{\perp}(t)\omega_{\perp}^2(t) = \omega_{0\perp}^2/b_{\perp}(t)^3, \quad (4)$$

$$\omega_{\parallel}(t) = \omega_{0\parallel}/b_{\perp}(t), \quad (5)$$

$$b_{\perp}(t)^4\ddot{a}(t) + 2b_{\perp}(t)^3\dot{b}_{\perp}(t)\dot{a}(t) + \omega_{0\perp}^2 a(t) - \omega_{0\perp}^2 b_{\perp}(t)^3 = 0, \quad (6)$$

Decompression trajectory **simulation**

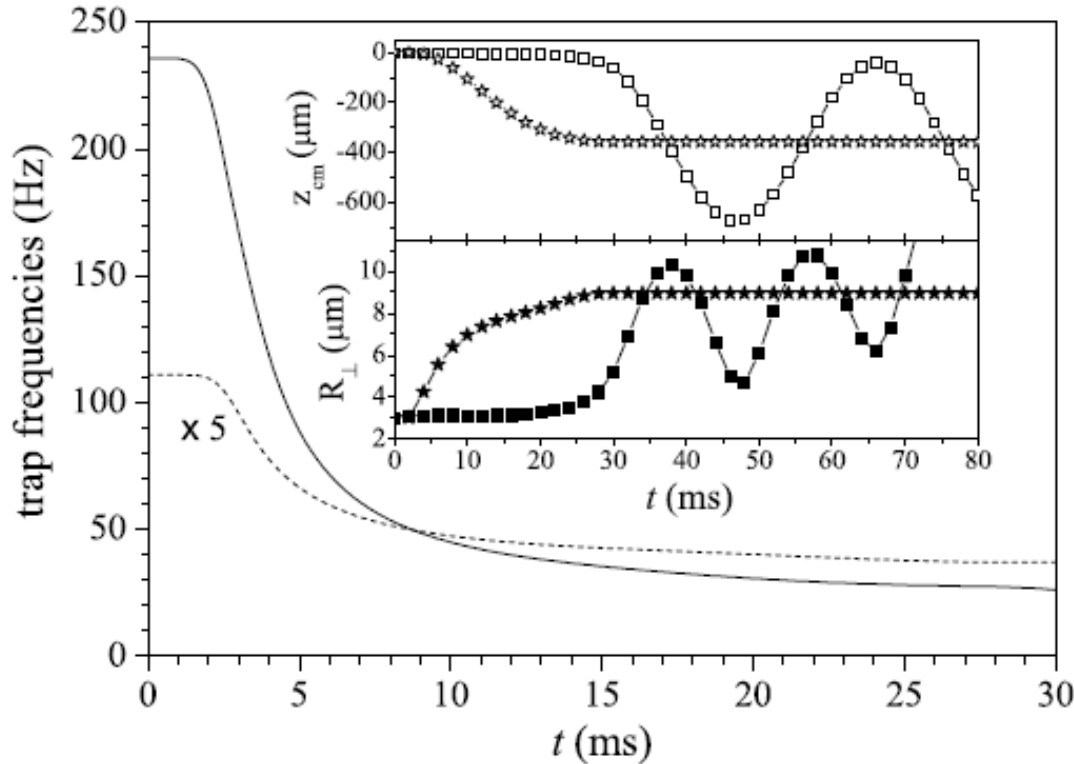


Fig. 2: Shortcut BEC decompression in 30 ms. We plot the shortcut trajectories $\omega_{\perp}(t)/2\pi$ (solid line) and $\omega_{\parallel}(t)/2\pi$ ($\times 5$, dashed line). The insert compares the subsequent evolution of the BEC's center of mass (open symbols) and radial size (solid symbols) for the shortcut (stars) and linear (squares) decompressions (GPE simulation).

Center of mass position

Shortcut (star)

Linear decompression (square)

Radial size

**Shortcut
reach equilibrium soon!**

dipole oscillation $\omega_{f\perp}$

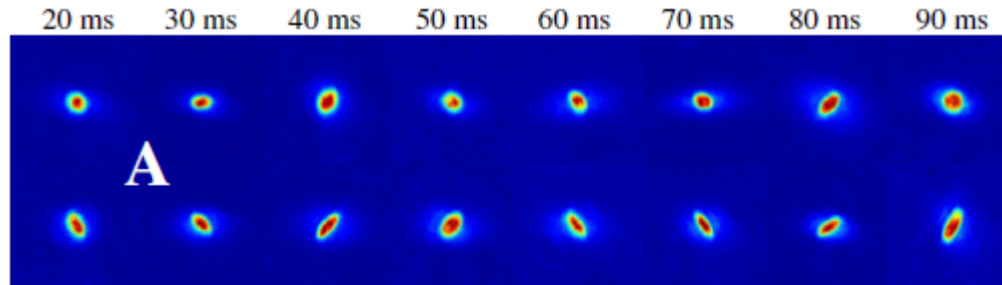
breathing oscillation $2\omega_{f\perp}$

results & phenomena

Holding time
in QUIC

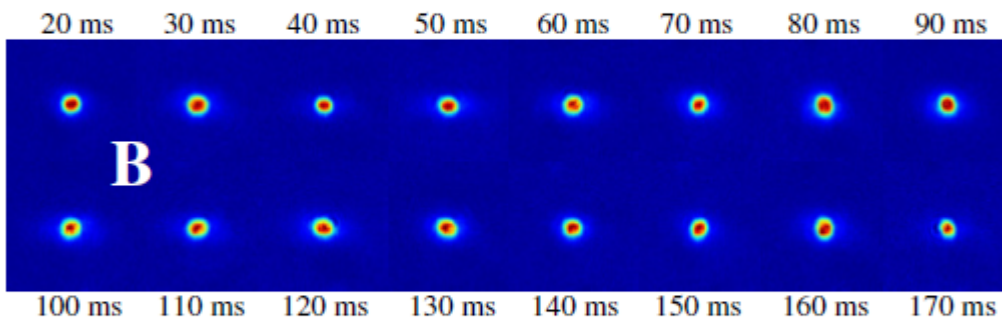


Linear



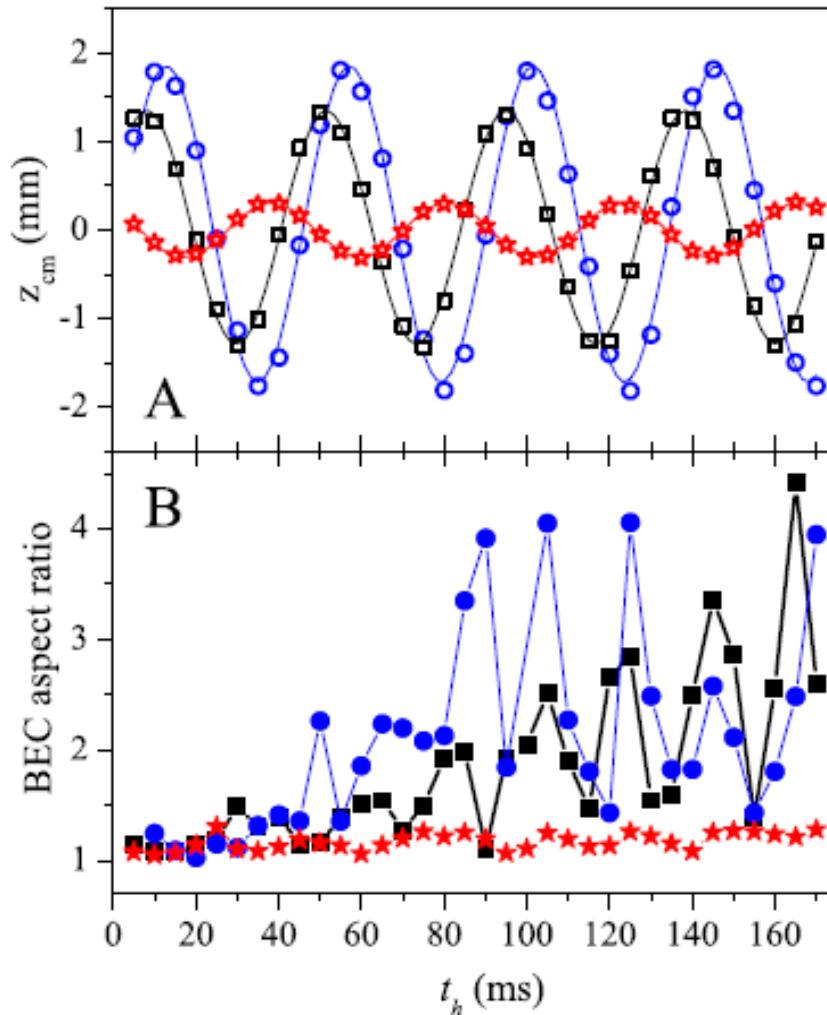
1. Deformation
2. Angular motion (scissors mode)
 $\delta n = Cxy$

shortcut



1. Deformation suppressed
2. Stationary

Fig. 1: (Color online) Linear *vs.* shortcut BEC decompression. We compare the time evolution of the BEC after two different decompression schemes: (A) a 30-ms-long linear ramp and (B) the shortcut trajectory (see text). The center-of-mass motion has been subtracted from these time-of-flight images for clarity.



Shortcut (imperfections exist)
 abrupt
 linear

Shortcut reduce the dipole excitation by a factor of 6 and 4.3 compared with abrupt and linear schemes

Shortcut reduce breathing excitations by a factor of 12 and 10.

Fig. 3: (Color online) Decompression-induced excitations. We report the temporal evolution of (A) the center-of-mass position and (B) the aspect ratio of the BEC after three different decompression schemes: an abrupt decompression (open circles); a 30 ms linear ramp (squares); the 30 ms shortcut trajectory (stars). All measurement are performed after a 28-ms-long time of flight.

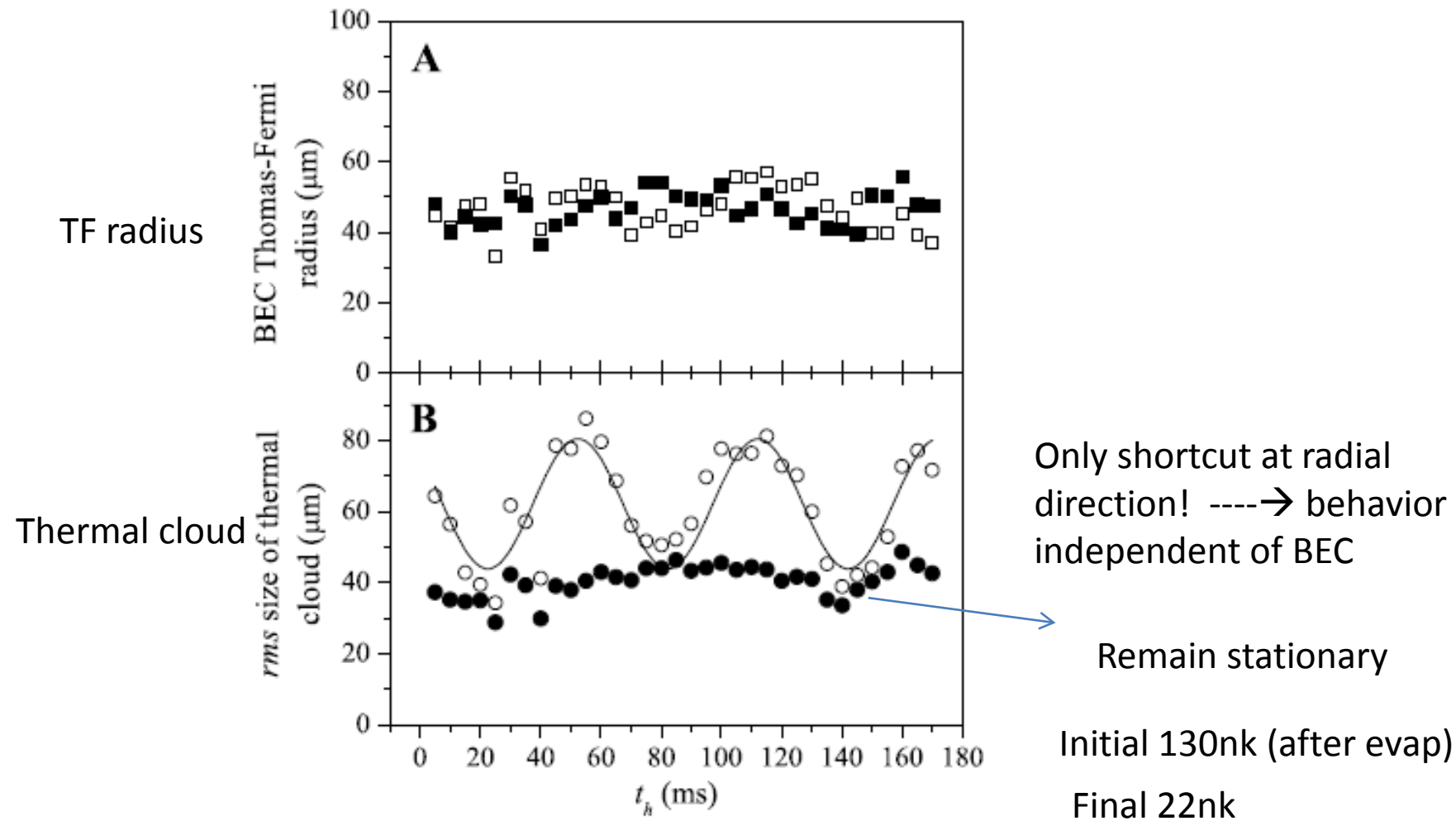


Fig. 4: BEC vs. thermal cloud decomposition. We plot the sizes of the BEC (A) and thermal component (B) vs. t_h for the shortcut trajectory. The filled and empty symbols correspond to the radial (vertical) and axial directions, respectively.

Experiment imperfections:

1. Mismatch the theoretical and experimental frequency trajectory
2. Trap Anharmonicity
3. limited spatial resolution and noise
4. more...

Summary:

Shortcut idea is introduced.

Use shortcut to adiabaticity frequency trajectory to cool down atoms in a much time (30ms) from 130nk to 22nk.

This technique reduce the excitations.

Thank you !