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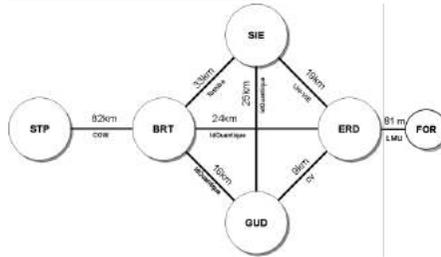
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Telecom Paris at the forefront of R&D in Quantum Key Distribution, over the past 15 years



First European QKD network (Vienna, 2008)



CV-QKD Technology

Record distance of 100 km (2012)

First Commercial System (SeQureNet)

Collaborative projects with key actors (2008-2017)



Network and Cryptography (FREQUENCY)

Implementation Sec, Q hacking (Q-CERT, ETSI)

Multiplexing (Quantum WDM)

Quantum Networks (QCALL)



Telecom Paris, (IQA+GTO) partner of 2 projects from the Quantum Technology Flagship, since 2018



Continuous Variable Quantum Communication

European Quantum Technology Flagship Project: 2018-2021

21 Partners, 3 years, 10 M€ budget

Q Comm R&D, Telecom Manufacturers, Network Operators



OPENQKD



European QKD Testbed

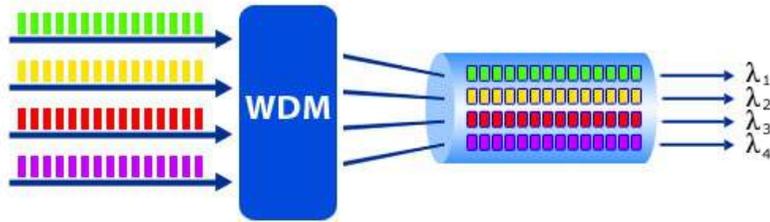
European Quantum Technology Flagship Project: 2019-2022

38 Partners, 3 years, 15 M€ budget

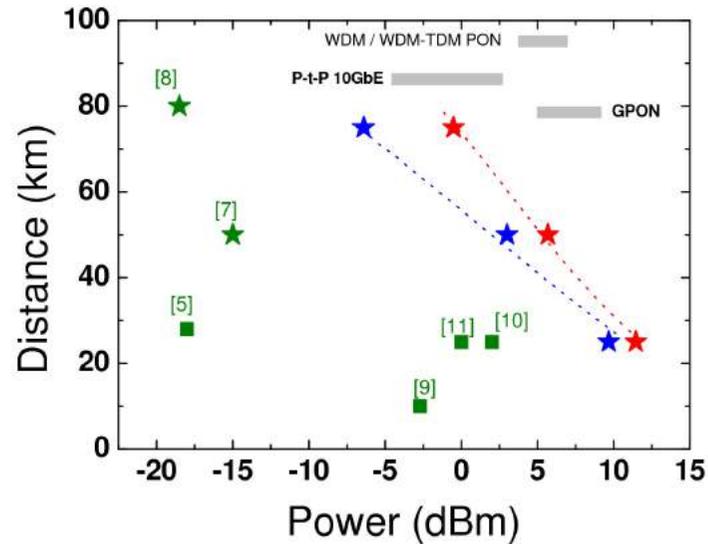
QKD and Encryption Suppliers, Telecom and Aerospace industry, Standardization bodies, QKD and Network R&D, Early Adopters

- 16 Test Sites (incl. Paris) Use-case demonstrations, Standards
- Precursor of Euro QCI

WDM integration of CV-QKD

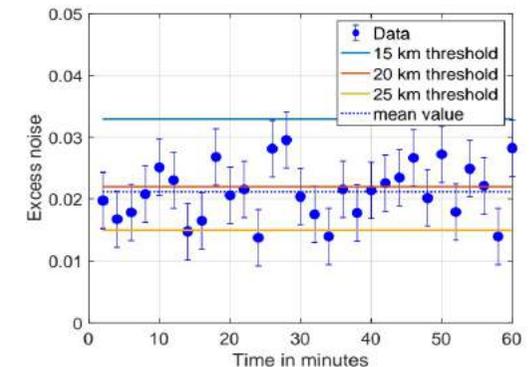
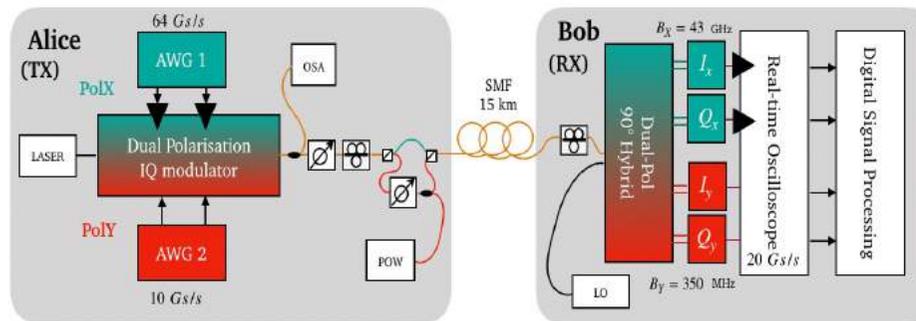
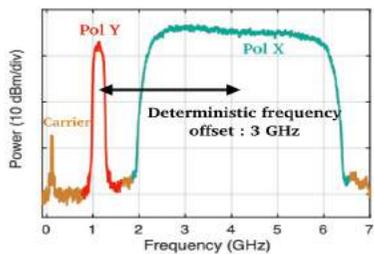


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 Coexistence of continuous variable QKD with intense DWDM classical channels. *New Journal of Physics*, 17(4), 043027. (2015).



CV-QKD
 strong WDM
 coexistence
 (10 dBm @ 25
 km) favored by
 coh detection

Convergence with classical coherent comm systems

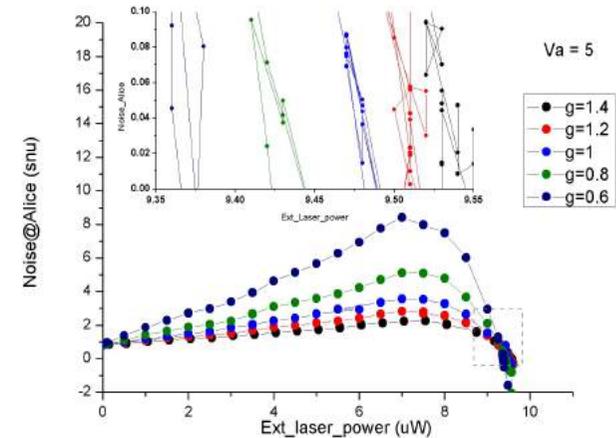
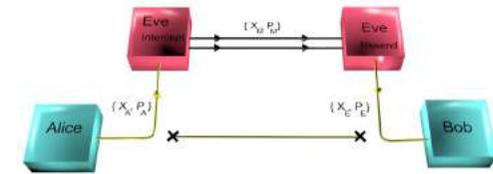


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Build Certified QKD (Q Hardware) Implementations

From Quantum Hacking ...

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- R. Kumar, F. Mazzoncini, H. Qin, R. Alléaume, *Experimental vulnerability analysis of QKD based on attack ratings*. Scientific reports, 11(1), 1-12 (2021).
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...to Security Evaluation and Certification



ETSI QKD Industry Standardization Group
International group of experts (academics & industry)

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OPENQKD (Flagship project 2019-2022)



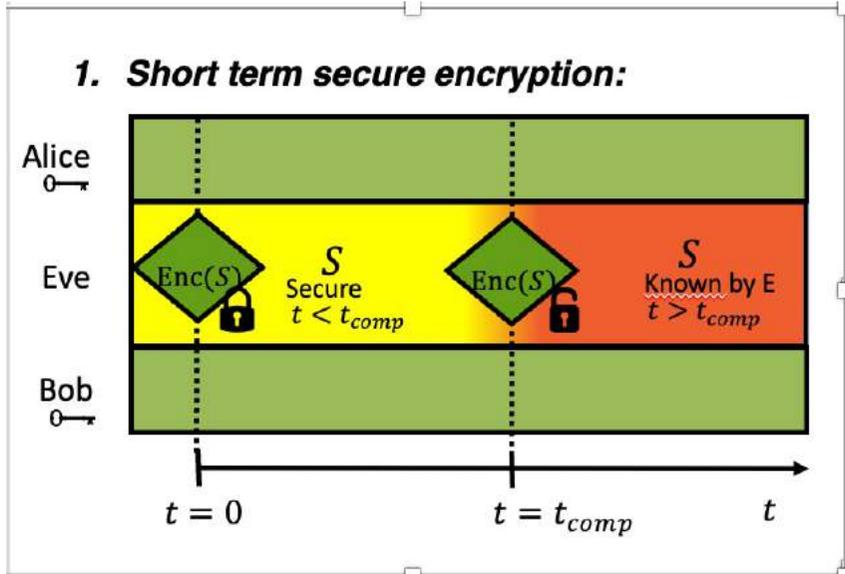
- Quantum Hacking
- Protection Profile for QKD

➔ **Towards Quantum Hardware Security (next Flagship phase)**

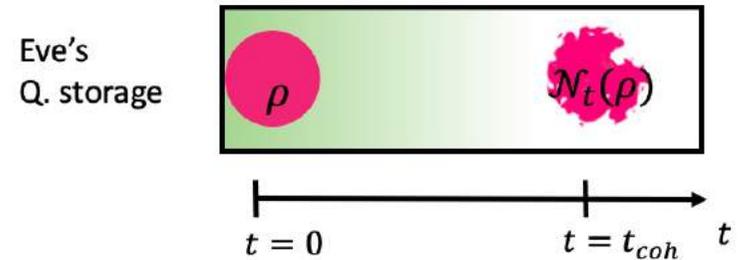
Hybridize quantum and computational cryptography

Quantum Computational Timelock

New Security Model



2. Time-limited quantum storage:



$$\left\| \mathcal{N}_t(\rho) - \frac{\mathbf{I}_d}{d} \right\| = o\left(\frac{1}{d}\right), \quad \forall t > t_{dcoh}$$

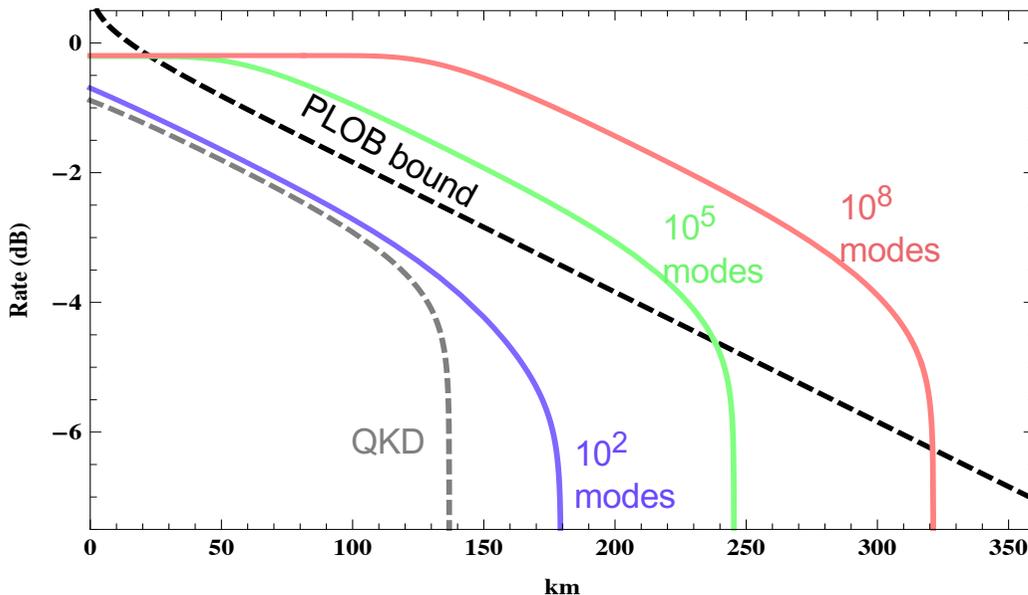
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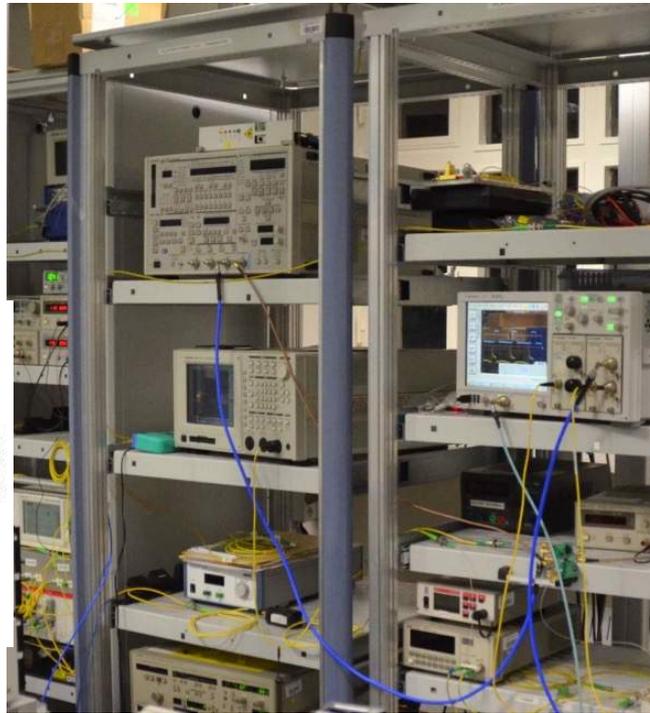
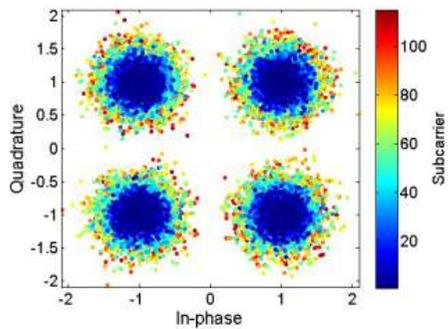
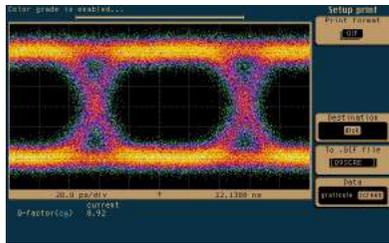
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Secure KD with $\gg 1$ photons / ch use

→ Longer reach & Higher rates than QKD



Q Communication over a state-of-the-art optical communication platform



Collaboration avec équipe GTO - Telecom Paris (Yves Jaouen, Cédric Ware)

Plateforme 40 Gb/s à l'état de l'art + détecteurs cohérents « quantiques »

ParisRegionQCI: Deployment of a Quantum Communication Network in Paris Region

ParisRegionQCI 2021-2024



Projet Région IDF, **mostly industry**
Orange (Coord), Thales, Nokia, Kets,
 Quandela, VeriQloud, IOGS, LIP6, Telecom Paris.

ParisQCI: 2021-2024

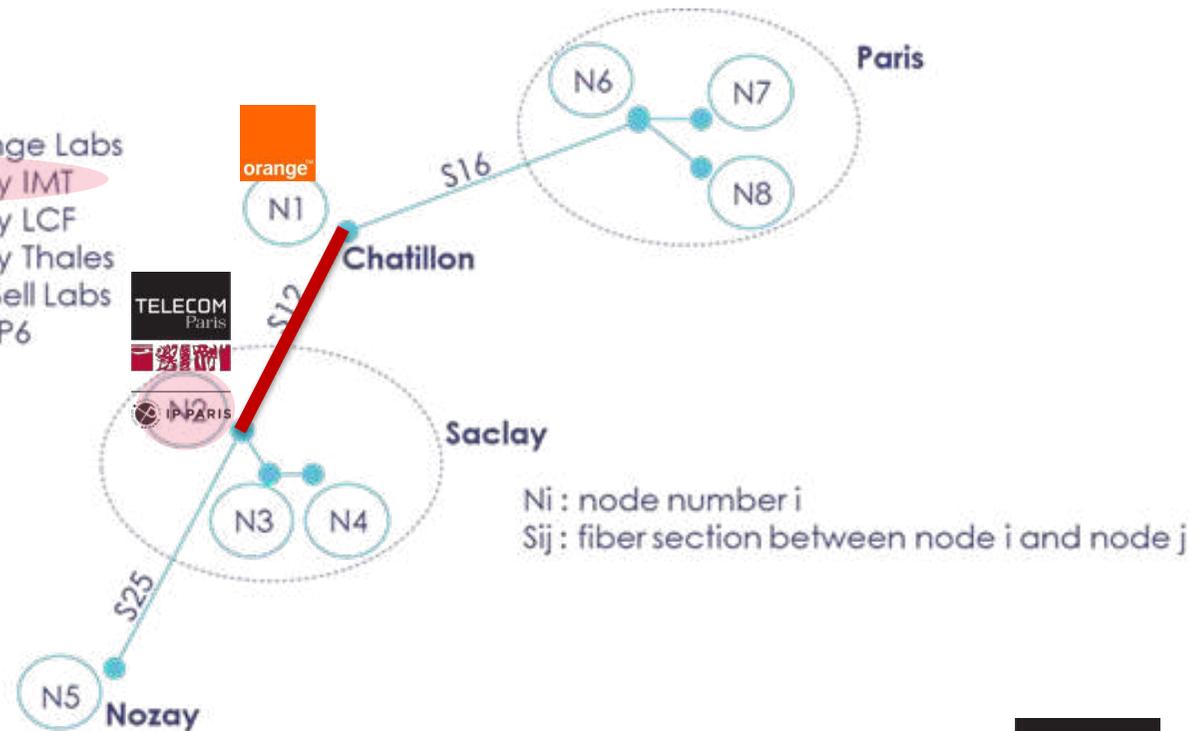


Projet SIRTEQ SYNERGIE
mostly academic (Q Internet)
LIP6 (coord), MPQ, LKB, C2N, LCF,
 Telecom Paris.

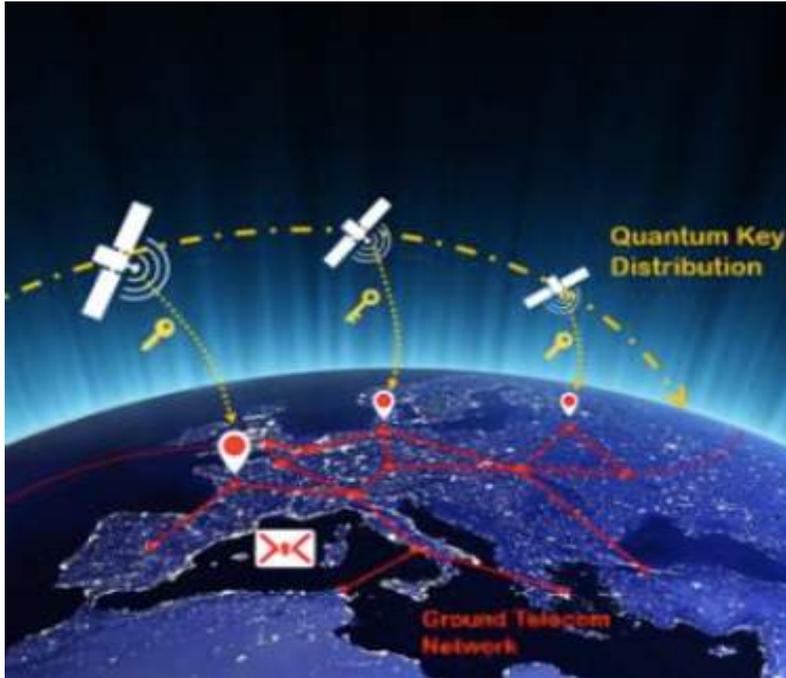
**OR-TP link
 deployed
 in Sept 2021**

→ *First step
 towards national
 French Q network
 in EuroQCI*

- N1 : Chatillon Orange Labs
- N2 : Plateau Saclay IMT
- N3 : Plateau Saclay LCF
- N4 : Plateau Saclay Thales
- N5 : Nozay Nokia Bell Labs
- N6 : Paris Jussieu LIP6
- N7 : Paris ENS
- N8 : Paris MPQ



European Quantum Communication Infrastructure (EuroQCI)



Projet Initié par la Commission Européenne en 2019

Vise le déploiement d'une

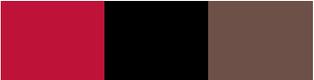
Infrastructure pan-européenne publique de communications quantiques

(terrestre + satellitaire) à l'horizon 2030

Ratifié par les 27 pays européens (EU27)

Implication importante de Télécom Paris

- **2019-2022: Etudes de faisabilité, QOSAC, QSAFE**
- **2022: Digital Europe Program → FranceQCI**



Conclusion

■ Recherche Quantique @ Télécom Paris

- Recherche reconnue internationalement
- Forte activité européenne: QT Flagship, EuroQCI
- Dimension fondamentale + technologique (brevets)

■ Nouvelles Opportunités

- Collaborations industrielles
- Innovation et valorisation, Création Start-up
- **Emplois pour les ingénieurs de l'IMT**
 - Programme Quantum Engineering (integrated M2)