

Universal quantum computation with hybrid spin-Majorana qubits

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We theoretically propose a set of universal quantum gates acting on a hybrid qubit formed by coupling a quantum-dot spin qubit and Majorana fermion qubit. First, we consider a quantum dot that is tunnel coupled to two topological superconductors. The effective spin-Majorana exchange facilitates a hybrid CNOT gate for which either qubit can be the control or target. The second setup is a modular scalable network of topological superconductors and quantum dots. As a result of the exchange interaction between adjacent spin qubits, a CNOT gate is implemented that acts on neighboring Majorana qubits and eliminates the necessity of interqubit braiding. In both setups, the spin-Majorana exchange interaction allows for a phase gate, acting on either the spin or the Majorana qubit, and for a SWAP or hybrid SWAP gate which is sufficient for universal quantum computation without projective measurements.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Quantum dots are promising scalable settings to store and manipulate quantum information using spin states [1,2]. However, the quantum data stored are susceptible to decoherence by the environment wherein quantum information is lost [3].

An alternative proposal to such traditional quantum bits is topological quantum computers [4], which make use of degenerate ground states of topological matter, whose edge states obey non-Abelian statistics upon exchange [5], to encode qubits. The information stored in these nonlocal degrees of freedom is tolerant to local system noise and can be manipulated by braiding [6–9]. There are several proposed realizations of such topological qubits [4], the most successful one to date being those composed of Majorana fermions (MFs) due to their immediate experimental accessibility [10–17]. Several theoretical setups to realize MFs have been proposed: semiconducting-superconducting nanowires [18,19], topological insulators [20], topological superconductors (TSCs) [21], and magnetic adatoms on top of *s*-wave superconductors [22–26]. However, MFs do not generate a universal set of topological gate operations necessary for quantum computation [27,28].

The additional nontopological gates needed to achieve universality with MF qubits can be implemented by fusing anyons [27], using magnetic flux [31], or quantum information transfer with spins in quantum dots [30,32]. The principal drawback of these schemes is twofold: (1) after preparing the system state, a projective measurement must be made, which should be perfect [27] and which is typically time intensive [2]; (2) braiding between two topological qubits is required to perform universal quantum computation, which necessitates a long-distance topologically nontrivial interaction between them. Scalable networks of qubits have been proposed by using MFs as elements of plaquettes for surface codes [33–35]; such schemes, however, do not take advantage of the MF braid statistics. In this work, using a hybrid qubit composed of a coupled spin and MF qubit [Fig. 1(a)], we can coherently transfer information between the qubit components, thereby keeping the gate operation time on MF qubits potentially as short as possible. Furthermore, when the spins on two such hybrid qubits are allowed to interact, universal quantum

computation can be achieved by applying gate operations directly to MF qubits using fixed spin qubits as a control for the interaction, thus eliminating the need for large tunnel-connected wire networks. Making use of such a coupling, we propose a scalable modular network of Majorana and spin hybrid (MaSH) qubits [Fig. 1(b)].

In the following, we derive the effective coupling between the spin and MF qubits which is used to perform a phase gate on the MF qubit and a SWAP gate between the spin and MF qubits. Extending the system to a network of MaSH qubits, long-distance coupled by the spins, we demonstrate the necessary operations to obtain universal quantum computing. Because MFs can be realized in many different setups, we have considered a rather general coupling between spin and MF qubits which provides a proof of principle for a wide class of physical systems.

II. SETUP

We consider a single-level quantum dot placed between two TSCs [Fig. 1(a)], which can be realized as any of the previously mentioned setups. The chemical potential and Coulomb repulsion, U , on the dot are assumed to be tuned to favor single occupancy (or, more generally, a spin-1/2 ground state). The two opposite spin levels of the dot $\epsilon_{\uparrow/\downarrow}$ are nondegenerate in the presence of a magnetic field. The Hamiltonian of the quantum dot is

$$H_D = \sum_{\sigma=\uparrow,\downarrow} (\epsilon_{\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} d_{\sigma} + U n_{\sigma} n_{\bar{\sigma}}/2), \quad (1)$$

where d_{σ}^{\dagger} (d_{σ}) creates (annihilates) an electron with spin σ and $n_{\sigma} = d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} d_{\sigma}$. The right (*r*) and left (*l*) TSCs, modeled as a Kitaev chain [36], are tuned to the topological regime, furnishing MFs at opposite ends. As the separation between MFs can be comparable with the MF localization length, we include a phenomenological splitting of δ between MFs in the same TSC but neglect splitting between MFs on opposite TSCs [37,38]. Neglecting quasiparticle excitations also [39–41], we consider the MF states on the TSC, which is a good approximation when the tunneling is much smaller than the superconducting

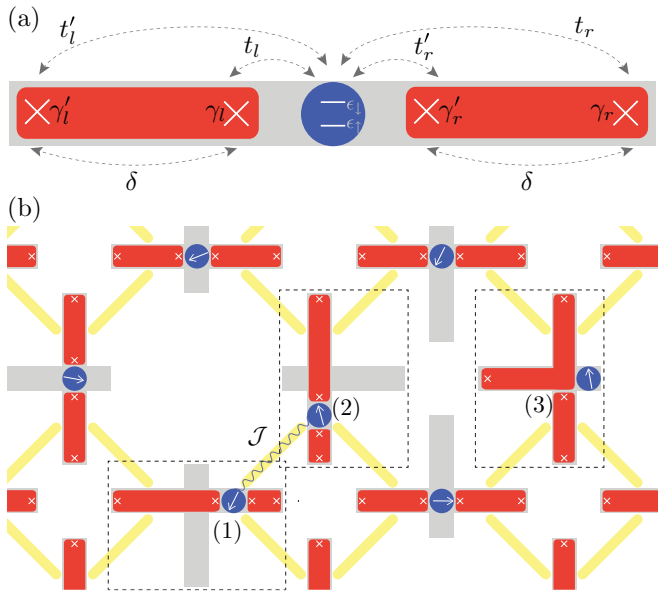


FIG. 1. (a) Setup of two TSCs (red bars) furnishing two MFs (X's) on the left TSC, γ'_l and γ_l , and two MFs on the right TSC, γ'_r and γ_r , in contact with a nontopological SC (gray); the MFs on each TSC can overlap, causing a splitting δ . Between the two TSCs is a quantum dot (blue disk) with two single-electron levels of up, ϵ_\uparrow , and down, ϵ_\downarrow , spin. The MFs are coupled to the dot through the tunneling elements t_ν and t'_ν , where ν labels the right (r) and left (l) TSCs. (b) MaSH network of TSCs where a grid of hybrid qubits (red and gray crosses) are long-distance coupled by tunably connecting the spin-1/2 quantum dots, with strength \mathcal{J} , via floating gates (solid yellow lines), e.g., hybrid qubit (1) is coupled to hybrid qubit (2). Braiding of MFs utilizes the T junctions of the TSCs on each hybrid qubit, for instance, hybrid qubit (3). Note that the T junctions are isolated units without tunnel connection to each other.

gap; the Hamiltonian of the TSC is

$$H_M = \sum_{\nu=r,l} i\delta\gamma'_\nu\gamma_\nu, \quad (2)$$

where γ'_ν (γ_ν) is the MF at the left (right) end of the ν th TSC and we have set the chemical potential of the superconductors to zero.

The overlap of the electron wave functions on the dot and MF wave functions in the TSC is described by the tunneling Hamiltonian [36,42],

$$H_T = \sum_{\sigma,\nu} d_\sigma^\dagger (it'_\nu\gamma'_\nu + t_\nu\gamma_\nu) + \text{H.c.}, \quad (3)$$

where t'_ν (t_ν) is the matrix element for an electron on the dot tunneling into the left (right) MF in the ν th TSC. We assume our Kitaev chains to have a single spin species oriented perpendicular to the axis of quantization on the dot and the tunneling elements to be spin independent. A spin-dependent tunneling or, equivalently, choosing a different axis of spin polarization on the TSC changes the direction of the effective magnetic field on the dot [43], which should not qualitatively affect our results.

Each pair of MFs in the TSCs is conveniently described as a single Dirac fermion $f_\nu = (\gamma'_\nu + i\gamma_\nu)/2$; the MF and tunneling

Hamiltonians are rewritten as

$$H_M = \sum_\nu \delta(2f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu - 1),$$

$$H_T = \sum_{\sigma,\nu} it_{\nu-}^* f_\nu^\dagger d_\sigma - it_{\nu+}^* f_\nu d_\sigma + \text{H.c.}, \quad (4)$$

respectively, where $t_{\nu\pm} = t_\nu \pm t'_\nu$. The value of $f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu = 0, 1$ determines the parity of the ν th TSC, which can be even or odd, respectively. The total parity of the MF qubit is defined as the sum of the parities of the TSCs modulo two. The terms proportional to $t_{\nu+}$ ($t_{\nu+}^*$) correspond to removing (adding) a Cooper pair from the condensate and adding (removing) one electron to the dot and one to the ν th TSC; the terms proportional to $t_{\nu-}$ or $t_{\nu-}^*$ correspond to the transfer of electrons between the dot and the ν th TSC [42]. The full model Hamiltonian of our hybrid qubit system is $H = H_D + H_M + H_T$.

III. EFFECTIVE HAMILTONIAN

If the coupling between the dot and the TSCs is weak compared to the difference in energies of the dot electrons and MFs, we obtain an effective Hamiltonian $\mathcal{H}_T = \mathcal{H}_s + \mathcal{H}_o + \mathcal{H}_e$ by applying a Schrieffer-Wolff transformation [44–47] to H (see also Appendix A),

$$\mathcal{H}_s = \sum_{\sigma,\nu} \left(\frac{|t_{\nu-}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} f_\nu f_\nu^\dagger + \frac{|t_{\nu+}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu \right) \mathcal{B}_\sigma,$$

$$\mathcal{H}_o = \sum_{\sigma,\nu} \left(\frac{t_{\nu-}^* t_{\nu-}}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} f_\nu f_\nu^\dagger + \frac{t_{\nu+}^* t_{\nu+}}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu \right) \mathcal{B}_\sigma, \quad (5)$$

$$\mathcal{H}_e = - \sum_{\sigma,\nu} t_{\nu-}^* t_{\nu+} \left(\frac{\mathcal{A}_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} + \frac{\mathcal{A}_\sigma^\dagger}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} \right) f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu^\dagger + \text{H.c.}$$

We have taken U the largest energy scale, i.e., $U \rightarrow \infty$, and defined the operators $\mathcal{A}_\sigma = n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma$ and $\mathcal{B}_\sigma = \mathcal{A}_\sigma + \mathcal{A}_\sigma^\dagger$. In this limit, the dot is always singly occupied, which fixes the MF qubit to be in an even-parity [Fig. 2(a)] or odd-parity [Fig. 2(b)] subspace of the full Hilbert space. Here, \mathcal{H}_s results from hopping between the dot and a single TSC. The term proportional to $|t_{\nu-}|^2$ corresponds to the process of the electron on the dot hopping to the ν th TSC, then back to the dot [Fig. 2(c)], while the term proportional to $|t_{\nu+}|^2$ corresponds to the process of the electron on the dot combining with the electron on the ν th TSC into a Cooper pair, and breaking a Cooper pair adding one electron to the dot and one to the same TSC [Fig. 2(d)]; both processes can happen in either parity subspace. The Hamiltonian \mathcal{H}_o (\mathcal{H}_e) results from hopping between the dot and both TSCs, which couple states in the odd-(even)-parity subspace exclusively. The term proportional to $t_{\nu-}^* t_{\nu-}$ corresponds to transferring an electron from the dot to the even-parity TSC, then from the odd-parity TSC to the quantum dot [Fig. 2(e)]. The condensing of the electron on the dot and with the electron from the odd-parity TSC into a Cooper pair and then breaking apart a Cooper pair, putting one electron on the opposite TSC and the other electron on the dot [Fig. 2(f)], is described by $t_{\nu+}^* t_{\nu+}$. The term proportional to $t_{\nu-}^* t_{\nu+}$ acts on the zero total electron state by transferring the dot electron to the ν th TSC, then taking two electrons from the

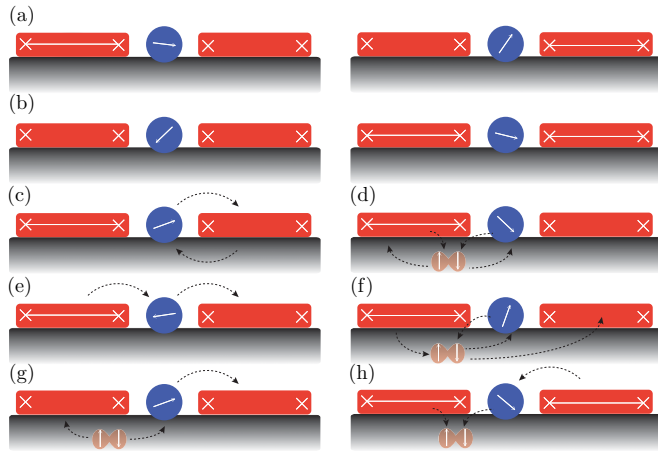


FIG. 2. Schematic of the MF qubit formed by a left and right TSC (red bars) tunnel coupled by a quantum dot (blue disk) with spin-1/2 ground state and some of the processes that result from the coupling between spin and MF qubit dictated by \mathcal{H}_T . The odd parity of the TSCs is indicated by a straight line (white) between the MFs (white crosses), i.e., $f_v^\dagger f_v = 1$. The four MF states give rise to two types of MF qubits: (a) the degenerate odd-parity states of the MF qubit (even total system parity) with one fermion on the left TSC (left panel) and one on the right TSC (right panel); (b) the degenerate even-parity states of the MF qubit (odd total system parity) with no fermions on either TSC (left panel) and with one fermion on each TSC (right panel). (c),(d) The virtual processes described by \mathcal{H}_s ; the remaining undepicted processes are similar but take place on the one, three, and four total electron state. (e),(f) The transfer of an electron from one TSC to the other due to \mathcal{H}_o . (g),(h) The processes determined by \mathcal{H}_e that map the system between the two states in the even-parity sector of the MF qubit. The other processes resulting from \mathcal{H}_o and \mathcal{H}_e are obtained by exchanging the right and left TSCs (or initial and final states) in (c)–(h).

condensate, filling the state in the latter TSC, and transferring the other onto the dot [Fig. 2(g)]. The latter term, $t_{v\pm}^* t_{v\pm}$, acting on the three total electron state, condenses the dot electron with one of the TSC electrons while the other TSC electron tunnels onto the dot [Fig. 2(h)].

In order to create a MF qubit, one must have a superposition of same parity states. In the two TSC system, we restrict to the even total parity or odd MF qubit parity subspace, i.e., one electron on the dot and one electron on either the right ($|r\rangle = f_r^\dagger |0\rangle$) or left ($|l\rangle = f_l^\dagger |0\rangle$) TSC with $|0\rangle$ being the vacuum. In the first quantized notation, the effective Hamiltonian is

$$\mathcal{H}_T = \sum_{\kappa,\lambda=0,\dots,3} J_{\kappa\lambda} \sigma_\kappa \eta_\lambda, \quad (6)$$

where σ_κ (η_λ) act on the spin of the dot (odd-parity sector of TSCs defined such that $\eta_3|r\rangle = +|r\rangle$ and $\eta_3|l\rangle = -|l\rangle$). For $\kappa(\lambda) \in \{1,2,3\}$, these are the standard Pauli matrices, while $\sigma_0(\eta_0)$ is the identity matrix. The anisotropic exchange constant $J_{\kappa\lambda}$ is a function of δ, ϵ_σ , and $t_{v\pm}$ (Appendix B).

IV. QUANTUM GATES

In general, when the interaction between qubits is entangling, i.e., $J_{\kappa\lambda} \neq 0$ for $\kappa, \lambda \neq 0$, a SWAP gate between the

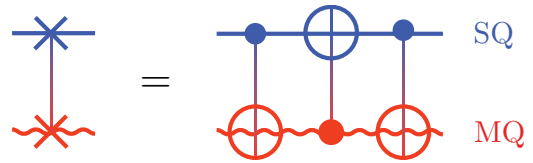


FIG. 3. Schematic of the hybrid SWAP (hSWAP) gate obtained as follows: apply the hCNOT gate using, say, the spin qubit (SQ) as the control and the MF qubit (MQ) as the target; apply the hCNOT gate, reversing the roles of the qubits; apply the hCNOT gate with the control and target qubits as in the first operation. Starting with the initial state $|x, y\rangle$ such that $x, y \in \{0, 1\}$, where we identify 0 (1) with the $|\downarrow\rangle$ ($|\uparrow\rangle$) and $|l\rangle$ ($|r\rangle$) state of the spin and MF qubit, respectively, by applying the pictured gate sequence, one obtains $|x, y\rangle \rightarrow (-1)^x |x, y \oplus x\rangle \rightarrow (-1)^y |y, y \oplus x\rangle \rightarrow |y, x\rangle$; this results in a coherent swap of states between the spin and MF qubit.

qubits can be implemented. However, a simple setup that yields a so-called hybrid SWAP (hSWAP) gate (Fig. 3) consists of two semi-infinite TSCs with no magnetic field on the dot. The first condition implies that the outer MF wave functions do not overlap with that of the inner MFs ($\delta = 0$) or the quantum dot ($t'_l = t'_r = 0$), while the second implies the spin states on the dot are degenerate, $\epsilon_\uparrow = \epsilon_\downarrow = \epsilon_0$, for which \mathcal{H}_T becomes $(\mathbb{1} + \sigma_1)[(|t'_r|^2 + |t_l|^2) + 2\text{Re}(t'_l t_l^*) \eta_1] / \epsilon_0$. When $t_l = t'_r = t$, \mathcal{H}_T further reduces to [1,48] (see Appendix B)

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}} = 2|t|^2 (\mathbb{1} + \sigma_1)(\mathbb{1} + \eta_1) / \epsilon_0, \quad (7)$$

which can be used to perform a hybrid controlled phase (hCP) gate [49]. Although in the following we focus on the manipulation of the MF qubit using the spin qubit, owing to the symmetry of the Hamiltonian between spin and MF operations, i.e., under the exchange $\sigma_1 \leftrightarrow \eta_1$, one could equally use the MF qubit to manipulate the spin qubit.

After a single-qubit unitary rotation by a Hadamard gate, which can be implemented by applying a magnetic field to the spin qubit and by braiding [27] MFs [Fig. 4(a)], \mathcal{H}_{hCP}

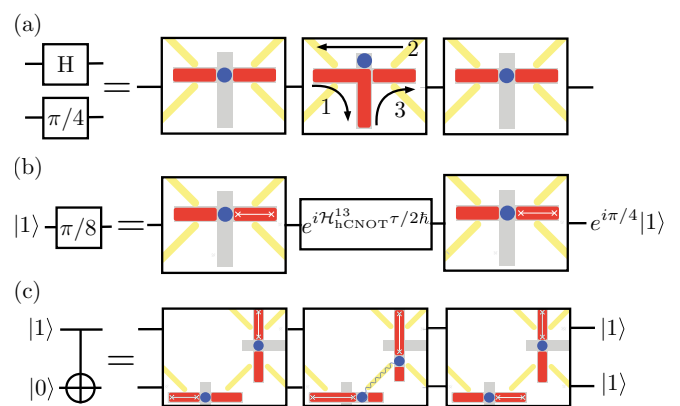


FIG. 4. Implementation of the necessary gates for universal quantum computation: (a) Hadamard and $\pi/4$ -phase gate as a result of braiding, (b) $\pi/8$ -phase gate obtained by coupling the MF qubit and the fixed spin qubit, and (c) CNOT gate obtained through an effective coupling of two MF qubits facilitated by a long-range interaction between the corresponding spin qubits.

transforms into

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} = 2|t|^2(\mathbb{1} + \sigma_i)(\mathbb{1} + \eta_j)/\epsilon_0, \quad (8)$$

where $(i, j) = (1, 3)$ or $(3, 1)$. Pulsing the coupling t between the dot and TSCs for the duration τ so that $\int^\tau \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} = \pi(\mathbb{1} + \sigma_i)(\mathbb{1} + \eta_j)/4$, one obtains the hybrid CNOT (hCNOT) gate,

$$U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} = (\mathbb{1} - \sigma_i - \eta_j - \sigma_i \eta_j)/2 \quad (9)$$

(see Appendix C), from which an hSWAP gate can be coded as $U_{\text{hSWAP}} = U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{31} U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{13} U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{31}$. Applying the hSWAP gate to the two qubits exchanges the relative weights of the up- and down-spin states of the spin qubit with the right- and left-parity states of the MF qubit (Fig. 3), respectively. To implement a $\pi/8$ gate, one may hSWAP the quantum state of the MF qubit onto the spin qubit, perform a $\pi/8$ gate on the spin qubit, and hSWAP the states back; this requires no preparation or projective measurement. Alternatively, one can fix the spin qubit by a magnetic field along the z axis and pulse $\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCNOT}}^{13}$. This generates a phase gate for any value of phase according to the duration of the pulse [Fig. 4(b)]. These three gates are sufficient for universal quantum computation of the hybrid qubit. We note that according to Eq. (7), the lower bound on operation time of this gate is of the order of $\hbar\epsilon_0/|t|^2$, which can be quite small even within the limits of validity of our Schrieffer-Wolff transformation.

V. MaSH NETWORK

We consider a network of MaSH qubits formed by crossing one TSC in the topological phase with one in the trivial phase and defining the spin-1/2 quantum dots at their intersection [Fig. 1(b)]. The MaSH qubit elements are connected via floating gates [50] whose ends are placed off center from quantum dots. One can perform braiding of MFs by first moving the quantum dot to an unused topologically trivial arm of the hybrid qubit so it does not participate in the operation, then performing braiding as usual [51]: move (as a concrete example) the left TSC to the other topologically trivial arm, shifting the right (left) TSC to where the left (right) was, and finally returning the quantum dot to the position between the two. Because the coupling of quantum dots through floating gates is very sensitive to the relative position of the two [50], the hybrid qubits are engaged when the spin-qubit components are near the respective edges of the connective floating gate. This induces an isotropic interaction given by $\mathcal{J}\vec{\sigma}^{(i)} \cdot \vec{\sigma}^{(j)}$, where (i, j) refers to two neighboring hybrid qubits, say $i = 1$ and $j = 2$. If $\mathcal{J} \gg |t|$, there is an effective interaction between the MF qubits modulated by the relative direction of the spin qubits,

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} = \frac{|t|^4}{\epsilon_0^2 \mathcal{J}} [\sigma_2^{(1)} \sigma_2^{(2)} + \sigma_3^{(1)} \sigma_3^{(2)}] [1 - \eta_1^{(1)} \eta_1^{(2)}]. \quad (10)$$

Fixing the direction of the spin qubits along the z axis and applying $\mathcal{H}^{(12)}$ for a specified time (see Appendix D), one obtains the gate $U_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} = \exp[i\pi(1 - \eta_1^{(1)} \eta_1^{(2)})/4]$, which directly couples the two MF qubits. A CNOT gate [Fig. 4(c)], using MF qubit (1) as the target and qubit (2) as the control, can be implemented using the sequence

$$U_{\text{CNOT}}^{(12)} = H^{(2)} U_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} H^{(1)} H^{(2)} R^{(1)} R^{(2)} H^{(1)}, \quad (11)$$

where $H^{(i)}$ and $R^{(i)}$ are the Hadamard and $(-\pi/4)$ -phase gates, respectively, acting on the i th MF qubit (see Appendix C). Therefore, using this CNOT gate, the Hadamard, and $\pi/8$ gate in the MaSH setup, one can implement the necessary gates to realize universal quantum computation by fixing the spin qubits as a control and storing all quantum information in the MF qubits. As noted before, owing to the symmetry of the setup, the role of the spin and the MF qubits can be interchanged and the MF qubits can be used as control qubits.

One may also use the spin qubit to read out parity of the MF qubit by applying the hSWAP gate and measuring the spin on the dot. Alternatively, one can prepare the system so the initial state of the spin qubit is spin up and the MF qubit is in a superposition of eigenvalues of $\eta_1, |i\rangle = |\uparrow\rangle(\alpha|+\rangle + \beta|-\rangle)$, where $\eta_1|\pm\rangle = \pm|\pm\rangle = (|r\rangle \pm |l\rangle)/\sqrt{2}$. Rewriting the effective exchange Hamiltonian in terms of projection operators, $\mathcal{P}_\pm = (1 \pm \eta_1)/2$, we find that Eq. (1) becomes

$$(\mathbb{1} + \sigma_1)[(|t'_r|^2 + |t_l|^2) + 2\text{Re}t'_r t_l^*(\mathcal{P}_+ - \mathcal{P}_-)]/\epsilon_0, \quad (12)$$

after taking $\delta = t'_l = t_r = 0$ and $\epsilon_\uparrow = \epsilon_\downarrow = \epsilon_0$. The time-evolved initial state is

$$|i(\tau)\rangle = [\alpha e^{i\omega_+\tau} \cos(\omega_+\tau)|+\rangle + \beta e^{i\omega_-\tau} \cos(\omega_-\tau)|-\rangle]|\uparrow\rangle + i[\alpha e^{i\omega_+\tau} \sin(\omega_+\tau)|+\rangle + \beta e^{i\omega_-\tau} \sin(\omega_-\tau)|-\rangle]|\downarrow\rangle, \quad (13)$$

where $\omega_\pm = |t'_r \pm t_l|^2/\hbar\epsilon_0$. In the simplest case when $t'_r = t_l = t$, the probability to find the spin in the down state is $\mathbb{P}(|\downarrow\rangle) = |\alpha|^2 \sin^2(4|t|^2\tau/\hbar\epsilon_0)$ and the probability to find the spin in the up state is $\mathbb{P}(|\uparrow\rangle) = 1 - \mathbb{P}(|\downarrow\rangle)$. Coupling the spin and MF qubit for a time $\pi\hbar\epsilon_0/8|t|^2$, the probability for the quantum dot to be in a spin-up (-down) state is equal to the probability of finding the initial system in the $|-\rangle$ ($|+\rangle$) state, from which one can deduce the superposition of MF parity states.

Finally, this network can serve as a platform for the surface code with the well-known error threshold of 1.1% [52,53]. For this, we assess the fidelities of our gates and show that they can be made to satisfy this threshold by tuning the tunneling amplitude t and dot level energy ϵ_0 appropriately. Indeed, since \mathcal{H}_T in Eq. (6) differs from the exact $\mathcal{H}_T^{\text{exact}}$ by a term of the order of $|t|^4/\epsilon_0^3$, to leading order in our small expansion parameter t/ϵ_0 , the hCNOT gate constructed from the full Hamiltonian, $U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} = \exp[i\tau(\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} + \hat{\epsilon})/\hbar]$, is not an exact hCNOT gate, where $\hat{\epsilon} \sim |t|^4/\epsilon_0^3$ is the leading-order correction term. Because τ is of the order of $\hbar\epsilon_0/|t|^2$, we may expand in $\hat{\epsilon}$ to find $U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} \approx U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} [1 + i \int_0^\tau d\tau' \hat{\epsilon}(\tau')/\hbar]$, where $\hat{\epsilon}(\tau) = U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij\dagger} \hat{\epsilon} U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij}$. The fidelity of an hCNOT gate is [50]

$$F(U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij}) = \min_{v,\sigma} |\langle v\sigma | U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij\dagger} U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij} | v\sigma \rangle|^2 \approx 1 - \frac{2}{\hbar} \max_{v,\sigma} \left\{ \int_0^\tau d\tau' \text{Im} \langle v\sigma | U_{\text{hCNOT}}^{ij\dagger} \hat{\epsilon}(\tau') | v\sigma \rangle \right\}, \quad (14)$$

where the minimum (maximum) is taken over $v = r, l$ and $\sigma = \uparrow, \downarrow$. Thus, the increase in infidelity $1 - F$ is of the order

of $\tau\hat{\epsilon}/\hbar \sim |t|^2/\epsilon_0^2$, which can be made controllably small as to satisfy the surface-code error threshold, i.e., $1 - F \leq 1.1\%$. Similarly, we can bound the infidelity for the $\pi/8$ and $U_{\text{CNOT}}^{(12)}$ gates below 1.1% by tuning the ratio $|t|^2/\epsilon_0^2$ sufficiently small.

VI. OUTLOOK AND CONCLUSIONS

Although there are several systems in which our setup could be implemented, perhaps the most natural scenario is in nanowires because (1) signatures of MFs in nanowires with proximity-induced superconductivity were identified experimentally [10–15,54], and (2) single-electron quantum dots and electrical implementation of single-qubit quantum gates were realized in semiconducting nanowires [55–57] also on top of superconductors [54,58,59].

For a single hybrid qubit setup, we envision one nanowire on top of a conventional s -wave superconductor in which one electrically tunes the left and right ends of the wire into the topological regime, while a quantum dot is electrically defined between them. The length of the topological section in the wires can be changed, thereby independently controlling the overlap between the MFs (δ). Similarly, one may set the size of the quantum dot so that the Coulomb repulsion is large as well as applying a gate voltage to ensure the dot is in a spin-1/2 ground state and fix the dot energy level (ϵ_σ) relative to the chemical potential of the wires. One can likewise control the

tunneling between quantum dot and wire (t_v and t'_v) by either adjusting the distance between the two or tuning the barrier height that separates them. To assemble a MaSH network, one composes individual hybrid qubits from two crossed nanowires, then connects them with floating gates. Voltage controls, in addition to the previously mentioned tunneling elements, braiding operations and the position of the quantum dot, and thus the effective coupling between spin qubits (\mathcal{J}).

By coupling spin and Majorana qubits, we have constructed the necessary gates for universal quantum computation of spin-Majorana hybrid qubits. Forming a MaSH network, a universal set of gates can be implemented directly on the MF qubits, while using the spin qubits only as a control. Thanks to the modular nature of this setup and the construction of the CNOT gate, it is unnecessary to engineer a large-scale coherent network of TSCs. The necessary experimental techniques to realize a single spin-MF hybrid qubit or a network of such qubits are available. Our results demonstrate that one can harness universal quantum computation from both single- and multiple-element spin-MF hybrid qubit systems.

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APPENDIX A: EFFECTIVE HAMILTONIAN

In this section, we perform a Schrieffer-Wolff transformation on the tunneling Hamiltonian beginning with a Hamiltonian that couples two Kitaev chains to a quantum dot,

$$H = H_M + H_D + H_T, \quad H_M = i \sum_v \delta_v \gamma'_v \gamma_v, \\ H_D = \sum_\sigma \epsilon_\sigma d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + U n_\sigma n_{\bar{\sigma}}/2, \quad H_T = \sum_{\sigma,v} d_\sigma^\dagger (i t'_v \gamma'_v + t_v \gamma_v) + (t_v^* \gamma_v - i t_v'^* \gamma'_v) d_\sigma, \quad (\text{A1})$$

where v labels the left (l) and right (r) chains. We rewrite the Majorana fermions as $f_v = (\gamma'_v + i\gamma_v)/2$ so that $f_v^\dagger f_v = (1 + i\gamma'_v \gamma_v)/2$ and $i\delta_v \gamma'_v \gamma_v = \delta_v (2f_v^\dagger f_v - 1)$. The logical values of the qubit are written in terms of the parity of the left and right TSCs.

Writing $\gamma'_v = f_v + f_v^\dagger$ and $\gamma_v = (f_v - f_v^\dagger)/i$, the tunneling Hamiltonian is transformed into

$$H_T = \sum_{\sigma v} d_\sigma^\dagger [i t_v (f_v + f_v^\dagger) - i t'_v (f_v - f_v^\dagger)] + [-i t_v'^* (f_v - f_v^\dagger) - i t_{L_v}^* (f_v + f_v^\dagger)] d_\sigma \\ = \sum_{\sigma v} i (t_v'^* - t_v^*) f_v^\dagger d_\sigma - i (t_v'^* + t_v^*) f_v d_\sigma + i (t_v - t'_v) d_\sigma^\dagger f_v + i (t'_v + t_v) d_\sigma^\dagger f_v^\dagger \\ = \sum_{\sigma v} i t_{v-}^* f_v^\dagger d_\sigma - i t_{v+}^* f_v d_\sigma - i t_{v-} d_\sigma^\dagger f_v + i t_{v+} d_\sigma^\dagger f_v^\dagger, \quad (\text{A2})$$

where $t_{v\pm} = t'_v \pm t_v$. Using a Schrieffer-Wolff transformation, one may show that the operators $A_v - A_v^\dagger$ and $B_v - B_v^\dagger$ eliminate the tunneling Hamiltonian, $H_T = -[A_v - A_v^\dagger + B_v - B_v^\dagger, H_M + H_D]$, to first order in $t_{v\pm}$, where

$$A_v = i (t_v'^* - t_v^*) \sum_\sigma \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_v} - \frac{U n_{\bar{\sigma}}}{(\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_v)(\epsilon_\sigma + U - 2\delta_v)} \right] f_v^\dagger d_\sigma = -i t_{v-}^* \sum_\sigma \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_v} - \frac{U n_{\bar{\sigma}}}{(\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_v)(\epsilon_\sigma + U - 2\delta_v)} \right] f_v^\dagger d_\sigma, \\ B_v = i (t_v'^* + t_v^*) \sum_\sigma \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_v} - \frac{U n_{\bar{\sigma}}}{(\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_v)(\epsilon_\sigma + U + 2\delta_v)} \right] f_v d_\sigma = i t_{v+}^* \sum_\sigma \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_v} - \frac{U n_{\bar{\sigma}}}{(\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_v)(\epsilon_\sigma + U + 2\delta_v)} \right] f_v d_\sigma. \quad (\text{A3})$$

We must now calculate $[A_v, H_T]$ and $[B_v, H_T]$. The following commutation relations will be useful:

$$\begin{aligned}
[f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] &= i \sum_{\sigma\mu} [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, t_{-\mu}^* f_\mu^\dagger d_\sigma - t_{+\mu}^* f_\mu d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger] \\
&= i \sum_{\sigma\mu} \delta_{\mu\nu} t_{+\mu}^* d_\rho d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} (\delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v^\dagger f_\mu - \delta_{\nu\mu} d_\sigma^\dagger d_\rho) + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger, \\
[f_v d_\rho, H_T] &= i \sum_{\sigma\mu} [f_v d_\rho, t_{-\mu}^* f_\mu^\dagger d_\sigma - t_{+\mu}^* f_\mu d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger] \\
&= i \sum_{\sigma\mu} -t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\rho d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v f_\mu + t_{+\mu} (\delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v f_\mu^\dagger - \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\sigma^\dagger d_\rho). \tag{A4}
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $[Un_{\bar{\rho}} f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] = Un_{\bar{\rho}} [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] + [Un_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v^\dagger d_\rho$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
[n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] &= i \sum_{\sigma\nu} [n_{\bar{\rho}}, t_{\nu-}^* f_\nu^\dagger d_\sigma - t_{\nu+}^* f_\nu d_\sigma - t_{\nu-} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\nu + t_{\nu+} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\nu^\dagger] \\
&= i \sum_{\sigma\nu} t_{\nu-}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\nu^\dagger - t_{\nu+}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\nu - t_{\nu-} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\nu + t_{\nu+} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\nu^\dagger. \tag{A5}
\end{aligned}$$

Taking the large on-site charging limit, $U \rightarrow \infty$, we find

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_v [A_v, H_T] &= -i \sum_{\rho\nu} t_{\nu-}^* \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} - \frac{n_{\bar{\rho}}}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] - \frac{[n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right\} \\
&= -i \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \{ n_\rho [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] - [n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v^\dagger d_\rho \} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \{ n_\rho [t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\rho d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} (\delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v^\dagger f_\mu - \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\sigma^\dagger d_\rho) + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger] \\
&\quad - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu^\dagger - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger) f_v^\dagger d_\rho \}, \\
\sum_v [B_v, H_T] &= i \sum_{\rho\nu} t_{\nu+}^* \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} - \frac{n_{\bar{\rho}}}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right) [f_v d_\rho, H_T] - \frac{[n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right\} \\
&= i \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \{ n_\rho [f_v d_\rho, H_T] - [n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v d_\rho \} \\
&= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \{ n_\rho [-t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\rho d_\sigma - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v f_\mu + t_{+\mu} (\delta_{\rho\sigma} f_v f_\mu^\dagger - \delta_{\mu\nu} d_\sigma^\dagger d_\rho)] \\
&\quad - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu^\dagger - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger) f_v d_\rho \}. \tag{A6}
\end{aligned}$$

Notice that for $\hat{O} = f_v^\dagger$, $f_v, n_\rho [\hat{O} d_\rho, H_T] = -n_\rho H_T \hat{O} d_\rho$. The only term that survives from H_T is proportional to d_ρ^\dagger so that this term has no spin-flip processes:

$$\begin{aligned}
-n_\rho H_T f_v^\dagger d_\rho &= i (t_{-\mu} n_\rho d_\rho^\dagger f_\mu - t_{+\mu} d_\rho^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger) f_v^\dagger d_\rho = i (t_{-\mu} f_\mu f_v^\dagger - t_{+\mu} f_\mu^\dagger f_v^\dagger) n_\rho, \\
-n_\rho H_T f_v d_\rho &= -i (-t_{+\mu} n_\rho d_\rho^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger + t_{-\mu} d_\rho^\dagger f_\mu) f_v d_\rho = -i (-t_{+\mu} f_\mu^\dagger f_v + t_{-\mu} f_\mu f_v) n_\rho. \tag{A7}
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, these terms do not involve spin flips and

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_v [A_v, H_T] &= -i \sum_{\rho\nu} t_{\nu-}^* \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} - \frac{n_{\bar{\rho}}}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] - \frac{[n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right\} \\
&= -i \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \{ n_\rho [f_v^\dagger d_\rho, H_T] - [n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_v^\dagger d_\rho \} \\
&= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} [(t_{-\mu} f_\mu f_v^\dagger - t_{+\mu} f_\mu^\dagger f_v^\dagger) \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_\rho - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu^\dagger - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_\mu - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger) f_v^\dagger d_\rho] \\
&= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} [t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_\rho f_\mu f_v^\dagger - t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_\rho f_\mu^\dagger f_v^\dagger - (-t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_\sigma^\dagger f_\mu^\dagger) f_v^\dagger d_\rho],
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{\nu} [B_{\nu}, H_T] &= i \sum_{\rho\nu} t_{\nu+}^* \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} - \frac{n_{\bar{\rho}}}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} \right) [f_{\nu} d_{\rho}, H_T] - \frac{[n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_{\nu} d_{\rho}}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} \right\} \\
 &= i \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} \{ n_{\rho} [f_{\nu} d_{\rho}, H_T] - [n_{\bar{\rho}}, H_T] f_{\nu} d_{\rho} \} \\
 &= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} [-t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu} - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu} - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} \\
 &\quad + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} [-t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu} - (-t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}]. \tag{A8}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let us consider processes when only one TSC is involved in the tunneling, $\mu = \nu$ [Figs. 2(a) and 2(b)],

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{\nu} [A_{\nu}, H_T] &= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\nu}} [t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu} - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu}^{\dagger} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\nu}} [t_{-n_{\rho}} f_{\nu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - (-t_{+}^* d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\nu} - t_{-} d_{\bar{\rho}}^{\dagger} f_{\nu}) f_{\nu}^{\dagger} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta} [t_{-n_{\rho}} f_{\nu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} + t_{-} d_{\bar{\rho}}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} d_{\rho}], \tag{A9}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{\nu} [B_{\nu}, H_T] &= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} [-t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu} - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= - \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta} [-t_{+n_{\rho}} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} - (t_{-}^* d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} + t_{+} d_{\bar{\rho}}^{\dagger} f_{\nu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta} [t_{+n_{\rho}} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + t_{+} d_{\bar{\rho}}^{\dagger} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} d_{\rho}],
 \end{aligned}$$

where the final inequalities for each term are due to the single occupancy of the dot. Summing these together, with their Hermitian conjugate, we get

$$\mathcal{H}_s = \sum_{\rho\nu} \left(\frac{|t_{\nu+}|^2}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + \frac{|t_{\nu-}|^2}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\nu}} f_{\nu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} \right) (2n_{\rho} + d_{\bar{\rho}}^{\dagger} d_{\rho} + d_{\rho}^{\dagger} d_{\bar{\rho}}). \tag{A10}$$

Processes involving multiple TSCs, $\mu = \bar{\nu}$, are calculated from

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{\nu} [A_{\nu}, H_T] &= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\nu}} [t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu} - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} \\
 &\quad + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu}^{\dagger} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\nu}} [t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu}^{\dagger} - (-t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu}^{\dagger} d_{\rho}], \\
 \sum_{\nu} [B_{\nu}, H_T] &= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} [-t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu} - (t_{-\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} - t_{+\mu}^* \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\bar{\rho}} f_{\mu} - t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} \\
 &\quad + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}] \\
 &= - \sum_{\sigma\rho\mu\nu} \frac{t_{\nu+}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} + 2\delta_{\nu}} [-t_{+\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu}^{\dagger} f_{\nu} + t_{-\mu} \delta_{\sigma\rho} n_{\rho} f_{\mu} f_{\nu} - (-t_{-\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu} + t_{+\mu} \delta_{\bar{\rho}\sigma} d_{\sigma}^{\dagger} f_{\mu}^{\dagger}) f_{\nu} d_{\rho}]. \tag{A11}
 \end{aligned}$$

Because we will have to add the Hermitian conjugates of these terms, notice that

$$\left[\sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu-n_{\rho}} f_{\nu} f_{\bar{\nu}}^{\dagger} \right]^{\dagger} = \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^*}{\epsilon_{\rho} - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu-n_{\rho}} f_{\nu} f_{\bar{\nu}}^{\dagger},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu+n_\rho} f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}} \right]^\dagger &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu+n_\rho} f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}, \\
\left[\sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu-d_\rho^\dagger} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger \right]^\dagger &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^*}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu-d_\rho^\dagger} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger, \\
\left[\sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu+d_\rho^\dagger} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger \right]^\dagger &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^*}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} t_{\nu+d_\rho^\dagger} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger,
\end{aligned} \tag{A12}$$

so that the contribution from the transfer of the fermions [Figs. 2(c) and 2(d)] is

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{H}_o &= \sum_{\rho\nu} \left[\left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\nu-t_{\bar{\nu}-}^*} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\nu+t_{\bar{\nu}+}^*} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger \right] n_\rho \\
&\quad + \left[\left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu-} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu+} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger \right] d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho \\
&= \sum_{\rho\nu} \left(\frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu-} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + \left(\frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu+} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger.
\end{aligned} \tag{A13}$$

Next notice that

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(- \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu+}}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger d_\rho \right)^\dagger &= - \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu-}}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}} d_\rho, \\
\left(- \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu-}}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger d_\rho \right)^\dagger &= - \sum_{\rho\nu} \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu+}}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} d_\rho^\dagger f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger d_\rho,
\end{aligned} \tag{A14}$$

so that terms acting on the even-parity sector [Figs. 2(e) and 2(f)] are

$$\mathcal{H}_e = - \sum_{\rho\nu} t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu-} \left(\frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_\nu} \right) f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}} + t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu+} \left(\frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\rho + d_\rho^\dagger d_\rho}{\epsilon_\rho + 2\delta_\nu} \right) f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger. \tag{A15}$$

Summing up the results, we have the tunneling Hamiltonian to second order in $t_{\nu\pm}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{H}_T &= \mathcal{H}_s + \mathcal{H}_e + \mathcal{H}_o, \\
\mathcal{H}_s &= \sum_{\sigma\nu} \left(\frac{|t_{\nu-}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_\nu} f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu + \frac{|t_{\nu+}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_\nu} f_\nu f_\nu^\dagger \right) (2n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma), \\
\mathcal{H}_o &= \sum_{\sigma\nu} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu-} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_\nu} \right) t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu+} f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}, \\
\mathcal{H}_e &= - \sum_{\sigma\nu} t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu-} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_\nu} \right) f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}} + t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu+} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta_{\bar{\nu}}} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta_\nu} \right) f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger.
\end{aligned} \tag{A16}$$

When the splitting is equal in both TSCs, $\delta_\nu = \delta$, we obtain Eq. (1) in the main text,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{H}_T &= \mathcal{H}_s + \mathcal{H}_o + \mathcal{H}_e, \\
\mathcal{H}_s &= \sum_{\sigma,\nu} \left(\frac{|t_{\nu-}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} f_\nu f_\nu^\dagger + \frac{|t_{\nu+}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} f_\nu^\dagger f_\nu \right) (2n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma), \\
\mathcal{H}_o &= \sum_{\sigma,\nu} \left(\frac{t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu-}}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + \frac{t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu+}}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}} \right) (2n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma), \\
\mathcal{H}_e &= - \sum_{\sigma,\nu} t_{\bar{\nu}+}^* t_{\nu-} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} \right) f_\nu^\dagger f_{\bar{\nu}}^\dagger + t_{\bar{\nu}-}^* t_{\nu+} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\delta} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\delta} \right) f_\nu f_{\bar{\nu}}.
\end{aligned} \tag{A17}$$

APPENDIX B: FULL EXCHANGE HAMILTONIAN

The full interaction between the MF qubit and the spin qubit can be written down as the exchange Hamiltonian,

$$\mathcal{H}_T = \sum_{\kappa, \lambda=0, \dots, 3} J_{\kappa\lambda} \sigma_{\kappa} \eta_{\lambda}, \quad (\text{B1})$$

in which

$$J_{\kappa\lambda} = \begin{pmatrix} B_1 & B_2 & B_3 & B_4 \\ B_1 & B_2 & B_3 & B_4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ B_5 & B_6 & B_7 & B_8 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (\text{B2})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{--})(\Gamma_{+r} + \Gamma_{+l}) + (\mathcal{C}_{+-} + \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\Gamma_{-r} + \Gamma_{-l}), \\ B_2 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{--})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{+r} + \tilde{\Gamma}_{+l}) - (\mathcal{C}_{+-} + \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{-r} + \tilde{\Gamma}_{-l}), \\ B_3 &= i[(\mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{--})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{+r} - \tilde{\Gamma}_{+l}) + (\mathcal{C}_{+-} + \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{-r} - \tilde{\Gamma}_{-l})], \\ B_4 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{--})(\Gamma_{+r} - \Gamma_{+l}) - (\mathcal{C}_{+-} + \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\Gamma_{-r} - \Gamma_{-l}), \\ B_5 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} - \mathcal{C}_{--})(\Gamma_{+r} + \Gamma_{+l}) + (\mathcal{C}_{+-} - \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\Gamma_{-r} + \Gamma_{-l}), \\ B_6 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} - \mathcal{C}_{--})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{+r} + \tilde{\Gamma}_{+l}) - (\mathcal{C}_{+-} - \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{-r} + \tilde{\Gamma}_{-l}), \\ B_7 &= i[(\mathcal{C}_{++} - \mathcal{C}_{--})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{+r} - \tilde{\Gamma}_{+l}) + (\mathcal{C}_{+-} - \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\tilde{\Gamma}_{-r} - \tilde{\Gamma}_{-l})], \\ B_8 &= (\mathcal{C}_{++} - \mathcal{C}_{--})(\Gamma_{+r} - \Gamma_{+l}) - (\mathcal{C}_{+-} - \mathcal{C}_{-+})(\Gamma_{-r} - \Gamma_{-l}). \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B3})$$

Here, $\Gamma_{\pm\nu} = |t_{\nu\pm}|^2$, $\tilde{\Gamma}_{\pm\nu} = t_{\pm\nu}^* t_{\nu\pm}$, and $\mathcal{C}_{\sigma\rho} = 1/(\epsilon_{\sigma} + 2\rho\delta)$ or, with a σ - and ρ -independent denominator,

$$\mathcal{C}_{\sigma\rho} = \frac{(\epsilon_0 - 2\rho\delta)(\epsilon_0^2 + \Delta^2 - 4\delta^2) - 2\epsilon_0\Delta^2 + \sigma\Delta[2\epsilon_0(\epsilon_0 - 2\rho\delta) - (\epsilon_0^2 + \Delta^2 - 4\delta^2)]}{[(\epsilon_0 - \Delta)^2 - 4\delta^2][(\epsilon_0 + \Delta)^2 - 4\delta^2]}, \quad (\text{B4})$$

where we have written $\epsilon_{\sigma} = \epsilon_0 + \sigma\Delta$.

We consider the limit that the length of the TSCs is infinite and the dot is placed between them, so that $t'_l = t_r = 0$ and $\delta = 0$, thus $t_{\pm r} = \pm t'_r$ and $t_{\pm l} = t_l$. When the difference in phase between t'_r and t_l is ϕ , we find that $\Gamma_{\pm r} = |t'_r|^2$, $\Gamma_{\pm l} = |t_l|^2$, $\Gamma_{\pm r} = \pm t'_r t_l e^{i\phi}$, and $\Gamma_{\pm l} = \pm t'_r t_l e^{-i\phi}$. The exchange interaction becomes

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &= \mathcal{D}^+(|t'_r|^2 + t_l^2), & B_2 &= 2\mathcal{D}^+ t'_r t_l \cos \phi, & B_3 &= 0, & B_4 &= 0, \\ B_5 &= \mathcal{D}^-(|t'_r|^2 + t_l^2), & B_6 &= 2\mathcal{D}^- t'_r t_l \cos \phi, & B_7 &= 0, & B_8 &= 0, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B5})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D}^+ &= \mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{+-} + \mathcal{C}_{-+} + \mathcal{C}_{--} = \frac{\epsilon_0}{\epsilon_0^2 - \Delta^2}, \\ \mathcal{D}^- &= \mathcal{C}_{++} + \mathcal{C}_{+-} - \mathcal{C}_{-+} - \mathcal{C}_{--} = \frac{\Delta}{\epsilon_0^2 - \Delta^2}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B6})$$

When $\Delta = 0$ and $t'_r = t_l = t$, this reduces to Eq. (2) in the main text.

APPENDIX C: HYBRID CNOT GATE

Let us introduce the hCP gate $U'_{\text{hCP}} = \exp[i\pi(1 - \sigma_3)(1 - \eta_3)/4] = (1 + \sigma_3 + \eta_3 - \sigma_3\eta_3)/2$ and relate it to the one used in the main text, $U_{\text{hCP}} = \exp[i\pi(1 + \sigma_3)(1 + \eta_3)/4] = (1 - \sigma_3 - \eta_3 - \sigma_3\eta_3)/2$. Note that U'_{hCP} reduces to the ‘‘canonical form’’ of the conditional phase gate for identical qubit types. Next, we note that $U'_{\text{hCP}} = U_{\text{hCP}} R_{\text{SQ}}(-\pi) R_{\text{MQ}}(-\pi)$, where $R_{\text{SQ}}(\phi) = \exp[i\phi\sigma_3/2]$ and $R_{\text{MQ}}(\phi) = \exp[i\phi\eta_3/2]$ are the phase gates on the spin and MF qubit, respectively. Then, we get the corresponding hybrid CNOT gate $U'_{\text{hCNOT}} = (1 + \sigma_3 + \eta_1 - \sigma_3\eta_1)/2$ from U'_{hCP} by a Hadamard operation $H_{\text{MQ}} = (\eta_1 + \eta_3)/\sqrt{2}$ (which takes η_3 into η_1), $U'_{\text{hCNOT}} = H_{\text{MQ}} U'_{\text{hCP}} H_{\text{MQ}}$, and thus

$$U'_{\text{hCNOT}} = H_{\text{MQ}} U'_{\text{hCP}} R_{\text{SQ}}(-\pi) R_{\text{MQ}}(-\pi) H_{\text{MQ}} = U_{\text{hCNOT}} R_{\text{SQ}}(-\pi) H_{\text{MQ}} R_{\text{MQ}}(-\pi) H_{\text{MQ}}, \quad (\text{C1})$$

where $U_{\text{hCNOT}} = (1 - \sigma_3 - \eta_1 - \sigma_3\eta_1)/2$ (used in the main text). Thus, we can get the ‘‘canonical form’’ of the CNOT gate, U_{hCNOT}^{31} , from U'_{hCNOT}^{31} by simple single-qubit unitary operations. And similarly for U_{hCNOT}^{13} . Note that the phase gate $R_{\text{MQ}}(-\pi)$ can be obtained by braiding since it is the square of the $\pi/4$ -phase gate.

APPENDIX D: EFFECTIVE INTERACTION BETWEEN MAJORANA FERMION QUBITS

In this section, we derive an effective Hamiltonian for the interaction of neighboring hybrid qubits, labeled (1) and (2), in a MaSH network [Fig. 1(b)]. We assume that adjacent spin qubits couple via an isotropic exchange interaction of the form

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)} = \mathcal{J}[\sigma_1^{(1)}\sigma_1^{(2)} + \sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)} + \sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}], \quad (\text{D1})$$

and that the MF qubits couple to the spin qubits via

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}} = \frac{2|t|^2}{\epsilon_0} [\mathbb{1} + \sigma_1^{(1)} + \eta_1^{(1)} + \sigma_1^{(1)}\eta_1^{(1)} + \sigma_1^{(2)} + \eta_1^{(2)} + \sigma_1^{(2)}\eta_1^{(2)}], \quad (\text{D2})$$

according to Eq. (2) in the main text. When $\mathcal{J} \gg 2|t|^2/\epsilon_0$, we can make a Schrieffer-Wolff transformation on $\mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)}$, using \mathcal{H}_{hCP} as a perturbation, which gives an effective coupling between two hybrid qubits up to second order in $|t|^2/\epsilon_0$,

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{HQ}}^{(12)} = \mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)} + \mathcal{H}_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)}, \quad (\text{D3})$$

where

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} = - \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{i}{2\hbar} \int_0^\infty d\tau e^{-\epsilon\tau} [\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}(\tau), \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}]. \quad (\text{D4})$$

Here, $\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}(\tau)$ is the time evolution of \mathcal{H}_{hCP} under the unperturbed Hamiltonian $\mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)}$,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}(\tau) &= e^{i\mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)}\tau/\hbar} \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}} e^{-i\mathcal{H}_{\text{SQ}}^{(12)}\tau/\hbar} = [e^{i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_1^{(1)}\sigma_1^{(2)}\tau} e^{i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)}\tau} e^{i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}\tau}] \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}} [e^{-i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_1^{(1)}\sigma_1^{(2)}\tau} e^{-i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)}\tau} e^{-i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}\tau}] \\ &= \frac{2|t|^2}{\epsilon_0} \{ \mathbb{1} + \eta_1^{(1)} + \eta_1^{(2)} + e^{2i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)}\tau} e^{2i\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}\tau} [\sigma_1^{(1)} + \sigma_1^{(1)}\eta_1^{(1)} + \sigma_1^{(2)} + \sigma_1^{(2)}\eta_1^{(2)}] \}, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{D5})$$

with $\omega_{\mathcal{J}} = \mathcal{J}/\hbar$. Evaluating the commutator in Eq. (D4),

$$[\mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}(\tau), \mathcal{H}_{\text{hCP}}] = 4i \left(\frac{2|t|^2}{\epsilon_0} \right)^2 \cos(2\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\tau) \sin(2\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\tau) [\sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)} + \sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}] [1 - \eta_1^{(1)}\eta_1^{(2)}], \quad (\text{D6})$$

and using the integral,

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \int_0^\infty d\tau e^{-\epsilon\tau} \sin(2\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\tau) \cos(2\omega_{\mathcal{J}}\tau) = \frac{1}{8\omega_{\mathcal{J}}}, \quad (\text{D7})$$

we find

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} = \frac{|t|^4}{\epsilon_0^2 \mathcal{J}} [\sigma_2^{(1)}\sigma_2^{(2)} + \sigma_3^{(1)}\sigma_3^{(2)}] [1 - \eta_1^{(1)}\eta_1^{(2)}], \quad (\text{D8})$$

which is an effective exchange coupling between adjacent MF qubits that is modulated by the corresponding spin qubits. Applying this interaction for a time $\tau_{\text{MF}} = \pi \hbar \epsilon_0 \mathcal{J} / |t|^4$, we obtain the gate $U_{\text{MQ}}^{(12)} = \exp[i\pi(1 - \eta_1^{(1)}\eta_1^{(2)})/4]$.

APPENDIX E: INNER-OUTER MAJORANA BASIS

Instead of forming Dirac fermions in the same TSC, one can instead form a full fermion from the MFs closest together (inner fermion) and a fermion from the MFs furthest apart (outer fermion),

$$g_r = (\gamma'_r + i\gamma_l)/2, \quad g_l = (\gamma'_l + i\gamma_r)/2, \quad (\text{E1})$$

respectively. The MFs are, in turn, written as

$$\gamma'_v = g_v + g_v^\dagger, \quad \gamma_v = (g_{\bar{v}} - g_{\bar{v}}^\dagger)/i. \quad (\text{E2})$$

The tunneling Hamiltonian can then be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{H}_T &= \sum_{\sigma, v} it_v d_\sigma^\dagger (g_v + g_v^\dagger) - it'_v d_\sigma^\dagger (g_{\bar{v}} - g_{\bar{v}}^\dagger) - it_v^* (g_{\bar{v}} - g_{\bar{v}}^\dagger) d_\sigma - it_v^* (g_v + g_v^\dagger) d_\sigma \\ &= \sum_{\sigma, v} id_\sigma^\dagger [(t_v - t_{R\bar{v}})g_v + (t_v + t'_{\bar{v}})g_v^\dagger] - i[(t_v^* + t_{\bar{v}}^*)g_v + (t_v^* - t_{\bar{v}}^*)g_v^\dagger] d_\sigma \\ &= \sum_{\sigma, v} -i\tilde{t}_{v-} d_\sigma^\dagger g_v + i\tilde{t}_{v-}^* g_v^\dagger d_\sigma + i\tilde{t}_{v+} d_\sigma^\dagger g_v^\dagger - i\tilde{t}_{v+}^* g_v d_\sigma, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{E3})$$

where we have defined $\tilde{t}_{v-} = t'_v - t_v$ and $\tilde{t}_{v+} = t_v + t'_v$. Furthermore, we redefine the MF coupling in the TSC so that $\tilde{H}_M = \sum_v \tilde{\delta}_v (2g_v^\dagger g_v - 1)$, where $\tilde{\delta}_r$ ($\tilde{\delta}_l$) now parameterizes the overlap between the inner (outer) MFs. With this redefinition, we see that

the transformed Hamiltonian is, term by term, identical to Eq. (2). Upon performing the same Schrieffer-Wolff transformation, we find

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_T &= \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_s + \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_e + \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_o, \\
 \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_s &= \sum_{\sigma, \nu} \left(\frac{|\tilde{t}_{\nu+}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} g_\nu^\dagger g_\nu + \frac{|\tilde{t}_{\nu-}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} g_\nu g_\nu^\dagger \right) (2n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma), \\
 \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_o &= \sum_{\sigma, \nu} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} \right) \tilde{t}_{\nu-}^* \tilde{t}_{\nu-} g_\nu g_\nu^\dagger + \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} \right) \tilde{t}_{\nu+}^* \tilde{t}_{\nu+} g_\nu^\dagger g_\nu, \\
 \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_e &= - \sum_{\sigma, \nu} \tilde{t}_{\nu+}^* \tilde{t}_{\nu-} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} \right) g_\nu g_\nu + \tilde{t}_{\nu-}^* \tilde{t}_{\nu+} \left(\frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} + \frac{n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_\nu} \right) g_\nu^\dagger g_\nu^\dagger. \tag{E4}
 \end{aligned}$$

When the outer MFs are totally uncoupled to the system, $t_r = t_l' = 0$, then $t_{l\pm} = 0$ so that

$$\left(\frac{|\tilde{t}_{r+}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma + 2\tilde{\delta}_r} g_r^\dagger g_r + \frac{|\tilde{t}_{r-}|^2}{\epsilon_\sigma - 2\tilde{\delta}_r} g_r g_r^\dagger \right) (2n_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma + d_\sigma^\dagger d_\sigma). \tag{E5}$$

One can immediately see that the effective magnetic field is, in general, different when the state is occupied versus unoccupied.

One can use this basis as more transparent construction of parity. When the MFs on the same TSC are well separated, $\delta = t_l' = t_r = 0$, the tunneling Hamiltonian in the new basis is $2(|\tilde{t}_{r+}|^2 g_r^\dagger g_r + |\tilde{t}_{r-}|^2 g_r g_r^\dagger)(\mathbb{1} + \sigma_1)/\epsilon_0$. When the parity of the junction between the TSCs is one (zero), i.e., the complex fermion state formed by the inner MFs is occupied (unoccupied), there is an effective magnetic field on the dot proportional to $|\tilde{t}_{r-}|^2/\epsilon_0$ ($|\tilde{t}_{r+}|^2/\epsilon_0$). The Rabi oscillations between the spin-up and -down eigenstates, which can be detected, are therefore sensitive to the parity of the junction between two TSCs. The parity can be measured because the MF qubit is in a fixed parity subspace, i.e., if the fermion is not shared by the nearest MFs, then it must be shared between the outer MFs. If the parity is unrestricted, one must measure both MFs on both the left and right TSCs to determine the state of the MF qubit.

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