

Quantum i Kongsberg Discovery

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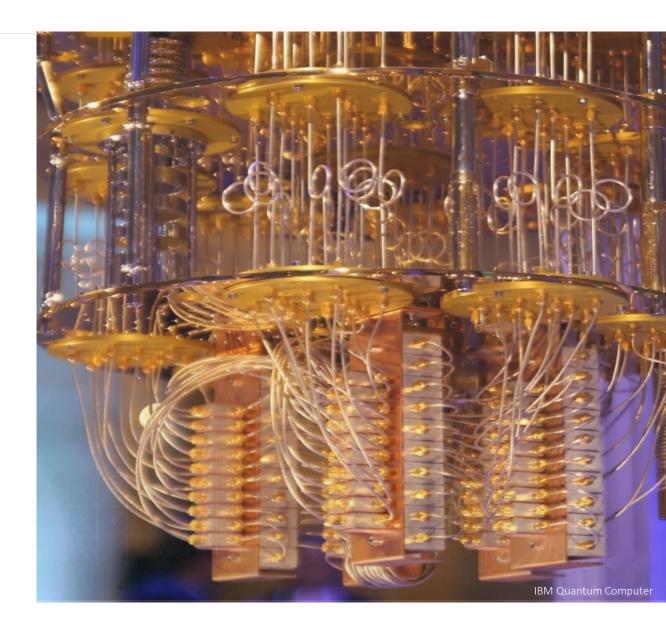


Why should Kongsberg invest in Quantum Computer knowledge

And what about Quantum Sensors, Quantum cryptography and communication

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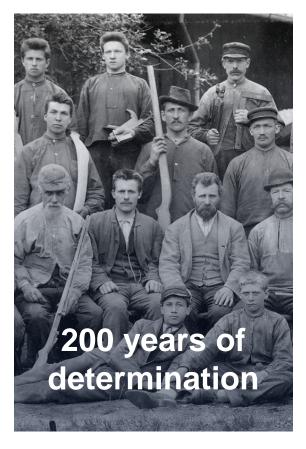
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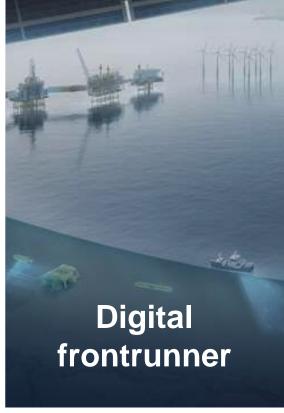
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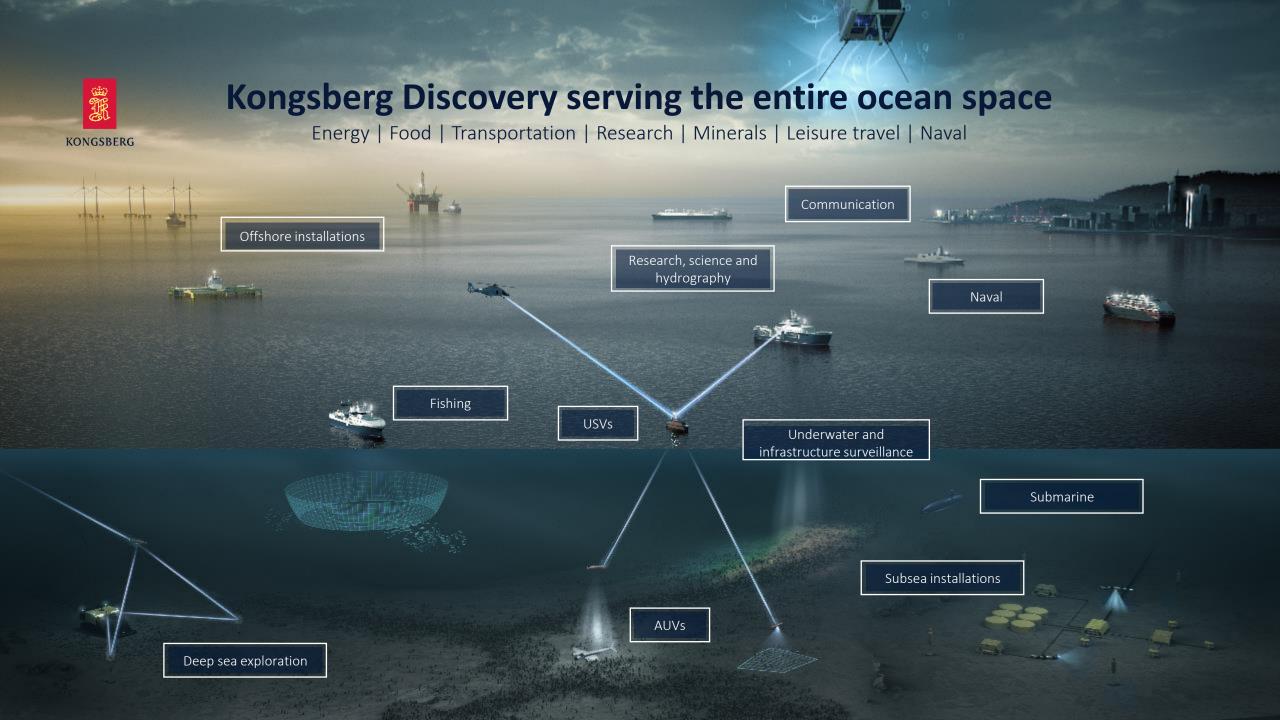
Two centuries of achievement, innovation and transformation
—fuelling a journey that has seen us start as a small munitions business in Norway and emerge as a pioneering global technology provider.













Why Quantum Technology

What can Quantum technology do for Kongsberg

- First; Quantum technology is divided into three major parts:
 - Quantum Computing
 - It is all about solving some equations that classical computers can not solve.
 - Quantum Communication/Krypto
 - It is about sending data between two parties absolutely secure.
 - This has a sub-activity to prevent future Quantum computers from breaking crypto keys named post-quantum cryptography.
 - Quantum Sensors
 - Sensors based on Quantum effects, like entanglement, superposition, tunneling etc.

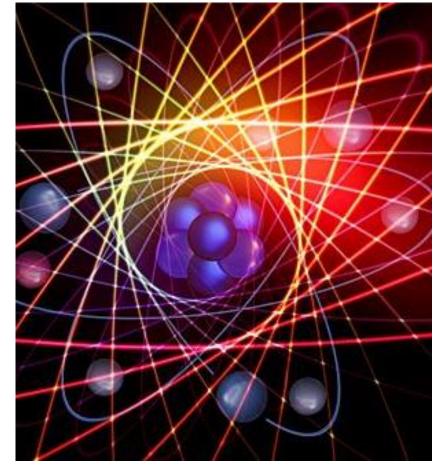


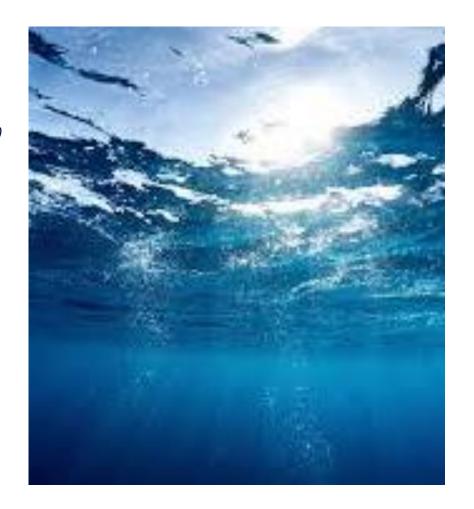
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- All these fields are important to Kongsberg.
 - KDI delivers software that could benefit from quantum computing algorithms in the future.
 - KDA delivers software that uses encryption that must be protected for over 30 years.
 - KD delivers sensors that must be competitive in the future.
 - All Kongsberg divisions use communication that must be safe and trusted.
- We need to stay in front, not be disrupted by competitors, and deliver safe, competitive products in the future.
- For Kongsberg, it is important to follow Quantum technology as it evolves.





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As an example:

- Kongsberg Discovery delivers HUGIN, an AUV that can operate submerged and autonomously for weeks.
- Being fitted with different sensors, it can do surveys, look for lost gods, etc.
- One challenge is that there is no GNSS/GPS underwater, so how does it know its position?
- In Kongsberg, we have MRU and extremely precise IMU that can estimate positions using inertial motion only.
- However, after some time, even that started to drift. Now, there are several additional methods for navigation, but they all have some issues.
- The question becomes: Would a quantum-based inertial sensing unit be able to lower the drift issue enough to navigate for weeks without losing its position considerably?



Why Standardisation

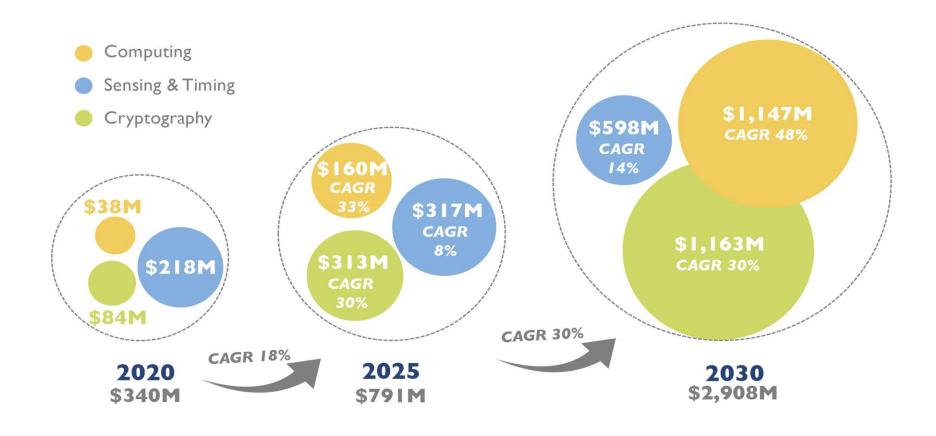
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- When a new technology arrives, fundamentally different from all we know and experience daily, it is important to standardize on certain aspects.
- When that is said, it is also important to understand where the limit goes;
 - We need standardized terminology to know we talk about the same thing.
 - We need standardized test/measuring methods and comparison methodology to be able to compare different products.
 - This will be very hard, as we also want to compare classical and quantum-based systems, which are fundamentally different.
 - We need and possibly have standards for equipment used in the quantum industry.
 - These are mostly classical instruments like lasers, fiber cables, photon detectors, etc.
 - Product standards make no sense at the moment; almost no quantum technology has proven supremacy at the moment, and thus, we must not limit ourselves to unsound standards.

2020-2030 market forecast for quantum technologies



(Source: Quantum Technologies 2021 report, Yole Développement, 2021)





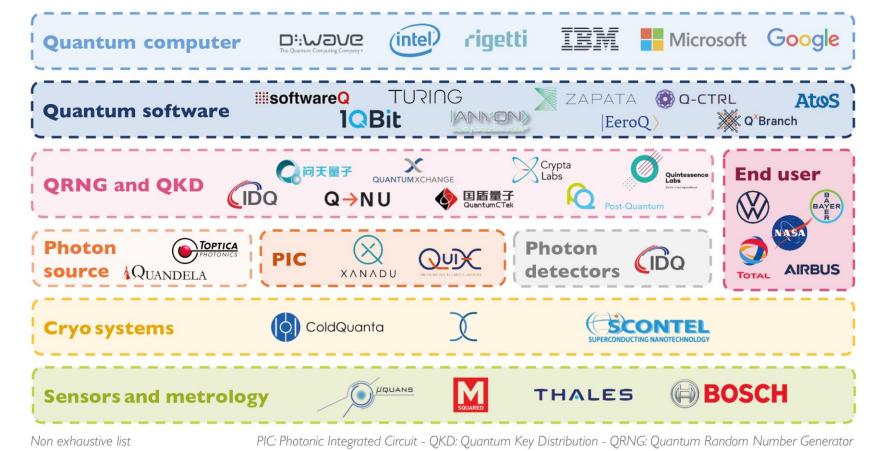
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Example of quantum technology supply chain



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