Nonclassical states and reservoir engineering in cavity optomechanics

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We discuss the generation and manipulation of nonclassical states of mechanical resonators and of optical fields obtained by tailoring the interaction of a cavity optomechanical system with its environment. In particular we shall discuss the application of reservoir engineering techniques for the generation of superposition states, squeezed and entangled states of mechanical resonators.

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