



# Article The Classicality and Quantumness of the Driven Qubit–Photon–Magnon System

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**Abstract:** The hybrid architecture of the driven qubit–photon–magnon system has recently emerged as a promising candidate for novel quantum technologies. In this paper, we introduce the effective wavefunction of a superconducting single qubit and a magnon mode contained within a cavity resonator and an external field. The non-classicality of the magnon and resonator modes are investigated by using the negative values of the Wigner function. Additionally, we discuss the non-classicality of the qubit state via the Wigner–Yanase skew information. We find that the mixture angle of the qubitresonator plays a controllable role in non-classicality. However, the strength of the magnon–photon increases the non-classical behaviour of the system.

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### 1. Introduction

Hybrid quantum systems have provided an excellent experimental and theoretical platform for studying quantum computing [1], quantum information processing [2], and quantum state engineering [3–7]. Different components of hybrid quantum systems have been developed, such as strongly coupled magnons and cavity microwave photons [8], magnon–photon–phonons [9,10], magnon-superconducting qubits [11], and microwave optomechanical-magnetic systems [12]. One of the most attractive quantum systems is the hybrid qubit–photon–magnon quantum system because of its diversification [13,14]. It has opened a new avenue for exploring intermediate transitions through the Hamiltonian interaction between different components. It also has many attractive applications, including the generation of hybrid entangled states. Experimentally, the entanglement of a single hybrid qubit–photon–magnon has been realized [15]. Additionally, some theoretical studies have been devoted to illustrating the potential of quantum information in this system [2,16].

As is well known, study of driven qubit systems is the core of the primary discoveries of principal effects in both classical and quantum physics. An attractive example is the influence of an external classical field over a two-level quantum system [17]. Furthermore, the effect of the driven classical field on a two-level atom with some other medians such as the Kerr nonlinear [18], Stark shift [19], and vibrating graphene membrane [20] have been investigated. The effective simulation of a single classical drive in the Jaynes–Cummings model has been realized [21]. Moreover, the driven system of two identical superconducting qubits coupled simultaneously to a cavity field has been studied [22].



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**Copyright:** © 2022 by the authors. Licensee MDPI, Basel, Switzerland. This article is an open access article distributed under the terms and conditions of the Creative Commons Attribution (CC BY) license (https:// creativecommons.org/licenses/by/ 4.0/). Furthermore, non-classicality is an essential characteristic of the quantum world, where it has many theoretical implications and practical applications [23]. Various meanings have been constructed for the non-classicality of quantum systems, such as quantumness [24], the negativity of Wigner functions [25,26], quantum entanglement [27,28], non-locality [29,30], discordance, and other quantum correlations [31–34]. In terms of atomic spin optical coherent states, the non-classicality of light has been quantified by virtue of the Wigner–Yanase skew information [35]. Additionally, the non-classicality of two atoms and the nondegenerate two-photon nonlinear Jaynes–Cummings model has been investigated [36]. The Wigner–Yanase skew information has been identified as the amount of non-classicality of bosonic field states [37] and for a single and multiqubit state [38,39]. It has also been used to indicate quantum entanglement [40], quantum coherence [41], and some non-local quantum correlations [42].

This study highlights the non-classicality of a hybrid qubit–photon–magnon system in the presence of an external classical field. The present system still needs more investigation, by opens a new avenue for more theoretical and applicable novel quantum technologies. The non-classicality of the photon–magnon subsystem is discussed in the quantum phase space by applying the two-mode Wigner distribution function. However, the nonclassicality of the qubit subsystem is realized by using the atomic Wigner-Yanase skew information. In Section 2, we introduce our physical Hamiltonian component and drive the effective wave function in a dispersive-limit interaction. The mathematical form of the two-mode Wigner function is reconstructed in Section 3, where the quantumness of the magnon–photon in phase space is investigated. Section 4 presents the non-classicality of the qubit system in terms of skew information. Finally, we summarize the effect of different physical Hamiltonian components on the behaviour of non-classicality.

#### 2. Physical Model

Let us consider a hybrid physical quantum system consisting of a superconducting qubit (single atom), a ferromagnetic crystal in the Kittle mode (magnon), and a resonator (photon). These physical components are driven by an external classical field. The magnon mode interacts with the resonator via the magnetic dipole interaction, while the single qubit is coupled to the resonator via a general Rabi model. The physical Hamiltonian of this system can be written as,

$$\hat{H} = \omega_c \hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{a} + \omega_m \hat{m}^{\dagger} \hat{m} + \frac{\omega_q}{2} \sigma_z + \lambda_1 (\hat{a}^{\dagger} + \hat{a}) (\hat{m}^{\dagger} + \hat{m}) + \lambda_2 (\hat{a}^{\dagger} + \hat{a}) (\sigma_x \cos \theta + \sigma_z \sin \theta) + \lambda_3 \sigma_x,$$
(1)

where  $\omega_c$ ,  $\omega_m$ , and  $\omega_q$  are the eigenfrequencies of the resonator, magnon, and qubit, respectively.  $\hat{a}^{\dagger}(\hat{a})$  and  $\hat{m}^{\dagger}(\hat{m})$  are the creation and annihilation operators of the resonator and magnon modes, respectively.  $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_z$  are the standard Pauli operators, which are labelled by the excited ( $|e\rangle$ ) and the ground ( $|g\rangle$ ) states as  $\sigma_x = |e\rangle\langle g| + |g\rangle\langle e|$ , and  $\sigma_z = |e\rangle\langle e| - |g\rangle\langle g|$ .  $\lambda_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3 are the coupling strengths of the photon–magnon, qubit–photon, and the driven external field, respectively. The angle  $\theta$  represents the transversal couplings and the mixture of the longitudinal between the qubit and the resonator.

By diagonalizing the driven classical field and non-interacted qubit terms using the following eigenstates [17,43], we have

$$|+\rangle = \cos \eta |e\rangle + \sin \eta |g\rangle, \quad |-\rangle = -\sin \eta |e\rangle + \cos \eta |g\rangle,$$
 (2)

with  $\eta = \frac{1}{2} \arctan 2\lambda_3 / \omega_q$ , In this case, the excited state  $|e\rangle$  and the ground state  $|g\rangle$  can be rotated into new excited  $|+\rangle$  and ground  $|-\rangle$  states; hence, one can redefine the Pauli spin operators  $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_z$  as,

$$\hat{\sigma}_x = \hat{S}_z \sin 2\eta + \hat{S}_x \sin 2\eta, \qquad \hat{\sigma}_z = \hat{S}_z \cos 2\eta - \hat{S}_x \sin 2\eta, \qquad (3)$$

where  $\hat{S}_z = |+\rangle\langle+|-|-\rangle\langle-|, \hat{S}_x = |+\rangle\langle-|+|-\rangle\langle+|$ . After applying the previous transformations with the rotating wave approximation, the Hamiltonian (1) can be rewritten as,

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}} = \omega_{c} \hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{a} + \omega_{m} \hat{m}^{\dagger} \hat{m} + \frac{\Omega}{2} \hat{S}_{z} + \lambda_{1} (\hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{m} + \hat{m}^{\dagger} \hat{a}) + \lambda_{2} \cos(2\eta + \theta) (\hat{a} \hat{S}_{+} + \hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{S}_{-}) + \lambda_{2} \sin(2\eta + \theta) (\hat{a} + \hat{a}^{\dagger}) \hat{S}_{z},$$
(4)

where  $\Omega = \sqrt{\omega_q^2 + 4\lambda_3^2}$ ,  $\hat{S}_+ = |+\rangle\langle -|$  and  $\hat{S}_- = |-\rangle\langle +|$ . In the interaction picture, the physical Hamiltonian model (4) is,

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{IP} = \lambda_1 \left( \hat{m}^\dagger \hat{a} e^{i(\omega_m - \omega_c)} + \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{m} e^{-i(\omega_m - \omega_c)} \right) + \lambda_2 \cos(2\eta + \theta) \left( \hat{a} \hat{S}_+ e^{i(\Omega - \omega_c)} + \hat{a}^\dagger \hat{S}_- e^{-i(\Omega - \omega_c)} \right) \\
+ \lambda_2 \sin(2\eta + \theta) \left( \hat{a} e^{-i\omega_c} + \hat{a}^\dagger e^{i\omega_c} \right) \hat{S}_z.$$
(5)

in the dispersive interactions of the hybrid model, assuming that the coupling strengths  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  are much smaller than the transition frequencies  $\omega_m - \omega_c$  and  $\omega_c$ , where we use the condition  $\omega_m = \Omega$ . The effective Hamiltonian by the James method of the system takes the following form [44],

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{eff} = \alpha_1 (\hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{a} \hat{S}_z + \hat{S}_+ \hat{S}_-) + \alpha_2 (\hat{a}^{\dagger} \hat{a} - \hat{m}^{\dagger} \hat{m}) + \alpha_3 \hat{S}_z + \alpha_4 (\hat{m}^{\dagger} \hat{S}_- + \hat{m} \hat{S}_+), \tag{6}$$

where  $\alpha_1 = -\frac{\lambda_2^2}{\omega_{11}}\cos^2(2\eta + \theta)$ ,  $\alpha_2 = \frac{\lambda_2^2}{\omega_{11}}$ ,  $\alpha_3 = \frac{\lambda_2^2}{\omega_c}\sin^2(2\eta + \theta)$ , and  $\alpha_4 = \frac{-\lambda_1\lambda_2}{\omega_{11}}\cos(2\eta + \theta)$  with  $\omega_{11} = \Omega - \omega_c$ .

Now, we consider the case in which the qubit system is initially prepared in the new exited state  $|+\rangle$ , while the initial resonator and magnon modes are initially in coherent states. Thus, the initial state is given by,

$$|\psi(0)\rangle = q_n q_m |+, n, m\rangle$$
, with  $q_n = e^{-|\zeta|^2/2} \frac{\zeta^n}{\sqrt{n!}}$ , and  $q_m = e^{-|\Xi|^2/2} \frac{\Xi^m}{\sqrt{m!}}$ . (7)

According to the effective Hamiltonian (6), the temporal wave function  $|\psi(t)\rangle$  associated with the initial state (7) is obtained by employing the Schrödinger equation as,

$$|\psi(t)\rangle = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \left( A_1^{n,m}(t) |+, n, m\rangle + A_2^{n,m}(t) |-, n, m+1\rangle \right), \tag{8}$$

where

$$A_{1}^{n,m}(t) = q_{n}q_{m}e^{-it(x_{1}+x_{2})/2} \left(\cos \mu t/2 - \frac{i(x_{1}-x_{2})}{\mu}\sin \mu t/2\right),$$

$$A_{2}^{n,m}(t) = \frac{-2iq_{n}q_{m}\alpha_{4}\sqrt{m+1}}{\mu}e^{-it(x_{1}+x_{2})/2}\sin \mu t/2,$$

$$\mu = \sqrt{(x_{1}-x_{2})^{2} + 4(m+1)\alpha_{4}^{2}}, \quad x_{1} = \alpha_{1}(n+1) + \alpha_{2}(n-m) + \alpha_{3},$$
and  $x_{2} = -\alpha_{1}n + \alpha_{2}(n-m-1) - \alpha_{3}.$ 
(9)

Consequentially, the final density operator of the total effective system is given by,

$$\hat{\rho} = |\psi(t)\rangle\langle\psi(t)|. \tag{10}$$

Hereafter, we will obtain the reduced quantum state of the resonator–magnon to recognize the non-classicality by employing the two-mode Wigner distribution. Furthermore, we will find the reduced qubit state to visualize the atomic non-classicality.

#### 3. Wigner Function of a Two-Mode Field

The Wigner quasi-probability distribution in the quantum phase space for an arbitrary density operator  $\hat{\rho}$  of a single mode electromagnetic field is defined by [45],

$$\mathcal{W}(p,q) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} du \langle q+u|\hat{\rho}|q-u\rangle e^{-2iup},\tag{11}$$

where  $\hat{p}$  and  $\hat{q}$  satisfy the commutation relation  $[\hat{q}, \hat{p}] = i$ . The generalized Wigner distribution functions of the two-mode electromagnetic field can be expressed by,

$$\mathcal{W}(p,q;r,s) = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} du \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dv \langle q+u,r+v|\hat{\rho}|q-u,r-v\rangle e^{-2i(up+vs)}.$$
 (12)

Using the fact of transition operator  $e^{-ipu}|q\rangle = |q+u\rangle$ , the effect of the displacement operators  $D(\Gamma_{1 \text{ and } 2})$  in the state  $|-u, -v\rangle$  is,

$$D(\Gamma_1)D(\Gamma_2)|-u,-v\rangle = e^{-iqp/2}e^{ip\hat{q}}e^{-iq\hat{p}}e^{-irs/2}e^{is\hat{r}}e^{-ir\hat{s}}|-u,-v\rangle.$$
(13)

Then, one can write,

$$|q-u,r-v\rangle = e^{i(qp+rs)/2} e^{i(pu+sv)} D(\Gamma_1) D(\Gamma_2)|-u,-v\rangle.$$
(14)

Substituting in Equation (13), the integration form of the Wigner function reads,

$$\mathcal{W}(\Gamma_1;\Gamma_2) = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} du \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dv \langle u, v | D^{\dagger}(\Gamma_1) D^{\dagger}(\Gamma_2) \hat{\rho} D(\Gamma_1) D(\Gamma_2) | -u, -v \rangle.$$
(15)

Particularly, we use the Fock basis and parity operator  $\langle k, l | -u, -v \rangle = (-1)^{(k+l)}$  $\langle k, l | u, v \rangle$  to obtain the final form of the two-mode Wigner function,

$$\mathcal{W}(\Gamma_1;\Gamma_2) = \frac{4}{\pi^2} \sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{+\infty} (-1)^{(k+l)} \langle k, l | D^{\dagger}(\Gamma_1) D^{\dagger}(\Gamma_2) \hat{\rho} D(\Gamma_1) D(\Gamma_2) | k, l \rangle.$$
(16)

In our discussion, we assume that  $\Gamma_i = x_i + iy_i$ , where *i* is related to the number mode field.

By studying the Wigner function of the resonator–magnon subsystem, one can trace out the qubit subsystem in Equation (10), where the final density operator of the resonator– magnon system is given by,

$$\rho_{c,m} = Tr_a[|\psi(t)\rangle\langle\psi(t)|]$$
  
=  $|A_1^{n,m}(t)|^2|n,m\rangle\langle n,m| + |A_2^{n,m}(t)|^2|n,m+1\rangle\langle n,m+1|.$  (17)

Substituting the density operator (13) into Equation (16), one may obtain the ultimate form of the Wigner function of the resonator–magnon as,

$$\mathcal{W}(\Gamma_{1};\Gamma_{2}) = \frac{4}{\pi^{2}} e^{-|\Gamma_{1}|^{2} - |\Gamma_{2}|^{2}} \sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \sum_{l=1}^{+\infty} (-1)^{(k+l)} \times \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \left( |A_{1}^{n,m} D_{k,n}(-\Gamma_{1}) D_{l,m}(-\Gamma_{2})|^{2} + |A_{2}^{n,m} D_{k,n}(-\Gamma_{1}) D_{l,m+1}(-\Gamma_{2})|^{2} \right),$$
(18)

where

$$D_{n,m}(\Gamma_i) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{\frac{n!}{m!}} (-\Gamma_i^*)^{m-n} L_n^{m-n}(|\Gamma_i|^2), & n \le m\\ \sqrt{\frac{m!}{n!}} (\Gamma_i)^{n-m} L_m^{n-m}(|\Gamma_i|^2) & n > m \end{cases}$$
(19)

As is well known, the Wigner function is a two-fold measure, where negative values indicate the quantumness of a system and positive values indicate classicality or minimum uncertainty. We display the Wigner function to show the classicality and quantumness

of the resonator–magnon subsystem and study the effect of the mixture angle  $\theta$  with coupling parameters  $\lambda_i$  in the Wigner function. In Figures 1–3, we set the scaled time equal to  $5\pi$ , where this time represents the middle of the collapse period in atomic inversion. The initial mean photon numbers are  $|\zeta|^2 = 9 = |\Xi|^2$ ,  $\Gamma_1 = x_c + iy_c$  (related to the resonator) and  $\Gamma_2 = x_m + iy_m$  (related to the magnon mode).



**Figure 1.** The behaviour of  $\mathcal{W}$  as a function of x, y, where  $\Gamma_m = x + iy = \Gamma_c$  where (**a**)  $\theta = 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**b**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**c**)  $\theta = \pi/2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**d**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_3 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2$ ; (**e**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_3$ ; (**f**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1 = \lambda_3$ .

In Figure 1, we displayed the general behaviour of the two-mode Wigner distribution with  $\Gamma_1 = x + iy = \Gamma_2$ . The quantumness and classicality of the resonator–magnon system depend on the mixture angle, where the position of negative and positive values is changed according to the phase space. At  $\theta = 0$  and  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ , Figure 1a shows that the function W has negative fringes at (x, y) = (0, 0), as well as an original positive peak at (x, y) = (0, 3). This means that the quantumness of the system is limited around zero phase space, while the classicality of the system corresponds to the initial intensity of the coherent state. As displayed in Figure 1b, the position of classicality and nonclassicality changes around (x, y) = (3, 0) at  $\theta = \pi/4$ , while the non-classicality around (x, y) = (0, 0) is neglected. Moreover, the Wigner function shows that the classicality of the quantum system increases at  $\theta = \pi/2$  Figure 1c. By regulating the qubit-resonator in the maximum mixture state with  $\theta = \pi/4$ , the effects of the magnon–resonator, resonator– qubit, and driven field couplings are displayed in Figure 1d–f, respectively. Note that an increase in different couplings reduces and diffuses the maximum and lower bounds of the Wigner function. The decreasing rate induced by the coupling of the qubit-resonator system is less than that predicated in the other two couplings. From this figure, one can deduce that the qubit-resonator position decreases the quantum and classical correlation when the two mode fields are measured in the same phase space.



**Figure 2.** The behaviour of  $\mathcal{W}$  as a function of  $x_m$ ,  $y_m$ , where  $\Gamma_c = 0.5(1 + I)$ , where (**a**)  $\theta = 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**b**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**c**)  $\theta = \pi/2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**d**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_3 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2$ ; (**e**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_3$ ; (**f**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1 = \lambda_3$ .

Figure 2 shows the general behaviour of the Wigner function according to the magnonresonator system in the magnon phase space, where  $\Gamma_1 = 0.5(1 + I)$  and  $\Gamma_2 = x_m + iy_m$ . Figure 2a displays the Wigner function where the mixing angle is initially fixed at  $\theta = 0$ . The Wigner function predicts a maximum negative peak at  $(x_m, y_m) = (-1, 3)$ , with some interference peaks at (0,0). On the other hand, the negative and positive behaviours of W decrease at  $\theta = \pi/4$ , while the negative behaviour increases at  $\theta = \pi/2$ . Hence, the mixing angle  $\theta$  has a noticeable influence on the behaviour of the Wigner function in the magnon phase space as shown in Figure 2c. Figure 2d illustrates the behaviour of the Wigner function where  $\theta = \pi/4$ , increasing the strength of external classical field ( $\lambda_3 = 2$ ). It is remarked that the non-classicality increases along  $y_m$  compared to Figure 2b. This means that the strength of the external classical field increases the non-classicality along one side of phase space [18]. Additionally, as the strength of the qubit-resonator grows which displayed in Figure 2d–f, the non-classicality in the magnon phase increases, where the negative behaviour of  $\mathcal W$  is increased. Moreover, the increase of the coupling of the resonator-magnon reduces the classicality and non-classicality of the system. In this case, the general behaviour of the Wigner function is similar to the standard Schrödinger's cat state [46]. From this figure, we can infer that the non-classicality of the driven qubit–photon– magnon system increases in the magnon phase space by handling the qubit-resonator in a pure state with  $\theta = \pi/2$  and increasing the value of the coupling strength.



**Figure 3.** The behaviour of  $\mathcal{W}$  as a function of  $x_c$ ,  $y_c$ , where  $\Gamma_2 = 0.5(1 + I)$ , where (**a**)  $\theta = 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**b**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**c**)  $\theta = \pi/2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (**d**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_3 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2$ ; (**e**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_3$ ; (**f**)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 2$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1 = \lambda_3$ .

Different behaviour can be seen in Figure 3, where the behaviour of the Wigner function is displayed in cavity-mode phase space with  $\Gamma_2 = 0.5(1 + I)$ . As shown in Figure 3a, the maximum bounds of the non-classical and classical correlation are depicted at  $\theta = 0$ , such that the qubit-photon-magnon reduces to a generalized Jaynes–Cummings Hamiltonian [47]. This justifies Wigner function's similarity to its behaviour in the Fock state [48]. Further, Figure 3b,c show that the classical and non-classical correlations at  $\theta = \pi/4$  are greater than those are depicted at  $\theta = \pi/2$ . On the other hand, the increase of the classical field and qubit–resonator couplings diffuse and reduce the classicality and non-classicality.

#### 4. Non-Classicality in Terms of Skew Information

This section will pursue the dynamics of the non-classicality of the qubit system from information-theoretic interpretations of the Wigner–Yanase skew information. If a conserved observable  $\hat{X}$  is not commuting with a reduced density operator  $\hat{\rho}$ , one can measure the information content of the pure or mixed quantum state  $\hat{\rho}$  skew to the observable  $\hat{X}$  by using the skew information [49],

$$\mathcal{I}(\hat{\rho}, \hat{X}) = -\frac{1}{2} Tr[\sqrt{\hat{\rho}}, \hat{X}]^2.$$
(20)

This quantifier can be interpreted as a coherence of quantum state  $\hat{\rho}$  for the operator  $\hat{X}$ , the asymmetry of  $\hat{\rho}$  relating to  $\hat{X}$ , the uncertainty of  $\hat{X}$  in the state  $\hat{\rho}$ , and as a version of quantum Fisher information. For a single qubit state, the atomic non-classicality in terms of skew information is expressed as [38],

$$\mathcal{C} = \mathcal{I}(\hat{\rho}, \hat{\sigma}_x) + \mathcal{I}(\hat{\rho}, \hat{\sigma}_y) + \mathcal{I}(\hat{\rho}, \hat{\sigma}_z).$$
(21)

However, the non-classicality of a general mixed state  $\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2}(1+\hat{n}.\hat{\sigma})$  can be defined as,

$$C = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \sqrt{1 - |n(t)|^2} \right), \tag{22}$$

where  $\hat{n} = (n_1, n_2, n_3), |n| \le 1$  and  $\hat{\sigma} = (\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z)$ .

Employing Equation (10), for the single qubit quantum state after tracing out the two-mode field and return to the original qubit basis  $|e\rangle$  and  $|g\rangle$ , one can obtain,

$$\hat{\rho}_a = \rho_{11} |e\rangle \langle e| + \rho_{12} |e\rangle \langle g| + \rho_{21} |g\rangle \langle e| + \rho_{22} |g\rangle \langle g|, \qquad (23)$$

where

$$\rho_{11} = \sum_{n,m=1}^{\infty} \left( |A_1^{n,m}(t)|^2 \cos^2 \eta + |A_2^{n,m}(t)|^2 \sin^2 \eta - \sin 2\eta \operatorname{Re}[A_1^{n,m}(t)(A_2^{n,m+1}(t))^*] \right)$$

$$\rho_{22} = \sum_{n,m=1}^{\infty} \left( |A_2^{n,m}(t)|^2 \cos^2 \eta + |A_1^{n,m}(t)|^2 \sin^2 \eta + \sin 2\eta \operatorname{Re}[A_1^{n,m}(t)(A_2^{n,m+1}(t))^*] \right)$$

$$\rho_{12} = \sum_{n,m=1}^{\infty} \left( A_1^{n,m}(t)(A_2^{n,m+1}(t))^* \cos^2 \eta - (A_1^{n,m}(t))^* A_2^{n,m+1}(t) \sin^2 \eta + \sin 2\eta (|A_1^{n,m}(t)|^2 - |A_2^{n,m}(t)|^2) \right)$$
(24)

 $\rho_{21} = \rho_{12}^*.$ 

The components of the Bloch vector  $n(t) = (n_1(t), n_2(t), n_3(t))$  are given by,

$$n_1(t) = 2Re[\rho_{12}], \quad n_2(t) = 2Im[\rho_{12}], \quad n_3(t) = \rho_{11} - \rho_{22}$$
 (25)

The non-classical behaviour of the qubit subsystem is illustrated in Figure 4 with different values of coupling strengths, and mixture angels are taken into account. From Figure 4a, the behaviour of non-classicality at  $\theta = \pi/2$  is effectively that formed at  $\theta = 0$  and  $\theta = \pi/4$ . The super-mixed angle ( $\theta = \pi/4$ ) reduces the non-classicality of the qubit system. Further, Figure 4b exhibits the effect of different strengths of magnon–resonator couplings at a super-mixed angle. Clearly, as the strength of the magnon–resonator coupling increases, the qubit non-classicality vanishes. In Figure 4c, we show the influence of the qubit–resonator coupling on the function C, where  $\theta = \pi/4$ . Obviously, the interior Figure 4c shows that, as time increases, the coupling  $\lambda_2$  does not recreate the quantumness of the qubit system. Moreover, the effects of different values of classical field coupling are shown in Figure 4d at a super-mixed angle. The non-classicality is stable at the maximum value with  $\lambda_3 = 0.5$ , while it decreases at other values. Thus, it is better to know the influence of the classical field at a fixed time (t = 10). The black curve shows the non-classicality is maximum at  $\lambda_3 \simeq 0.5$ . Then, it decays as the coupling of the classical field increases.



**Figure 4.** The behaviour of qubit non-classicality through skew information C, where  $\zeta = 3 = \Xi$ . (a)  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2 = \lambda_3$ ; (b)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 1 = \lambda_3$ ; (c)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_3$ ; (d)  $\theta = \pi/4$ ,  $\lambda_1 = 1 = \lambda_2$ .

## 5. Conclusions

This paper investigated the dynamical behaviour of non-classicality for a hybrid physical system consisting of the qubit–photon–magnon within an external classical field. The wave function in the dispersive regime of the hybrid model was obtained where the qubit is prepared initially in the excited state, while the resonator and magnon modes were prepared in the standard coherent state. The negative values of the two-mode Wigner function show the non-classicality of the magnon–resonator. The atomic spin skew information was employed to display the non-classicality of the qubit system.

Our results show that when the resonator and magnon are measured in the same phase space via the Wigner function, non-classical behaviour at a considerable strength of qubit-resonator coupling is generated, while a super-mixture angle reduces the nonclassicality. By measuring the magnon-resonator in the magnon phase space, the nonclassicality increases as the strength of the qubit-resonator coupling increases. In the resonator phase space, the coupling of the qubit-resonator increases the non-classicality. Overall, the coupling of the external field disperses and increases the non-classicality along one side of the phase space. When returning the hybrid system to a generalized Jaynes–Cummings Hamiltonian model via the mixture angle, the Wigner function depicted high non-classicality. On the other hand, atomic non-classicality is reduced as the magnonresonator coupling increases, while the qubit-resonator coupling recreates the classicality of the qubit system. The behaviour of qubit non-classicality depends on the value of the external classical field.

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