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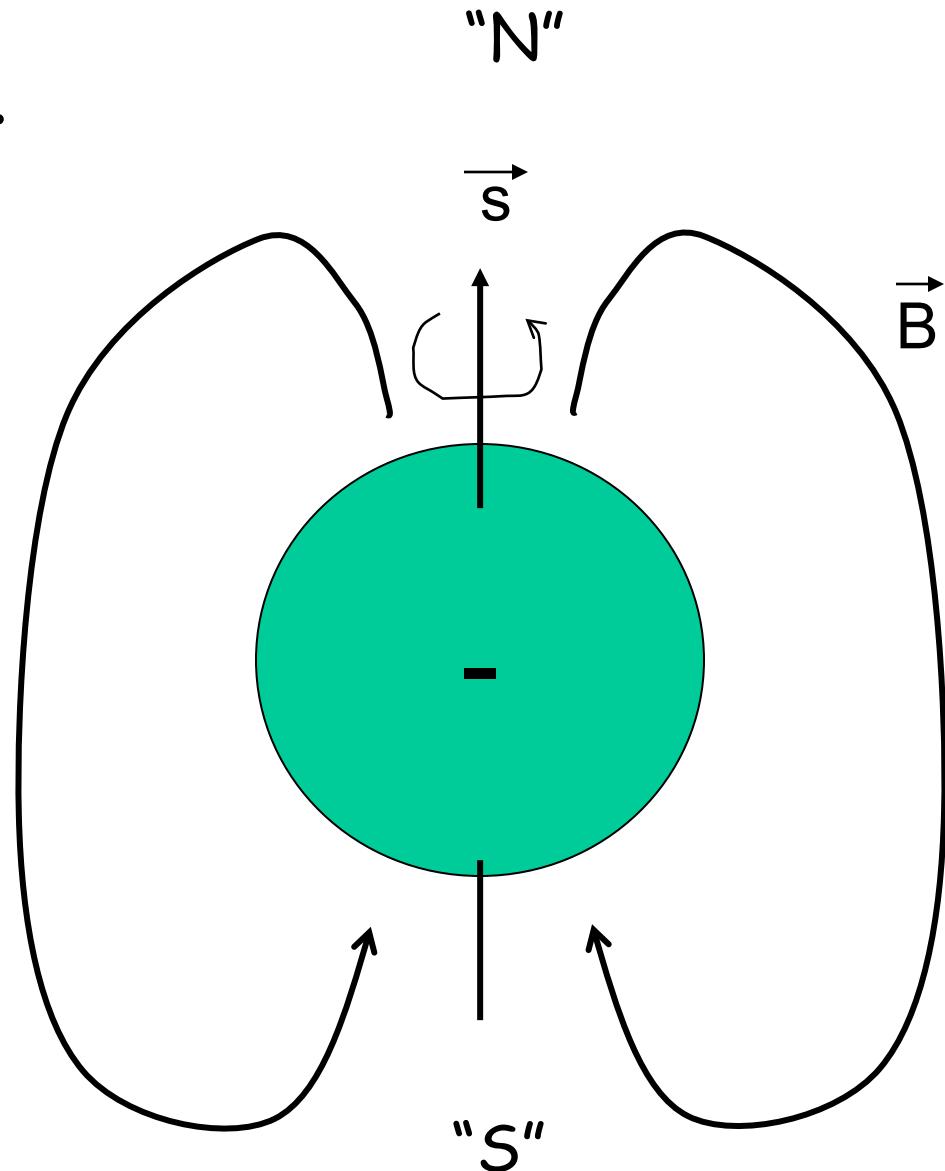
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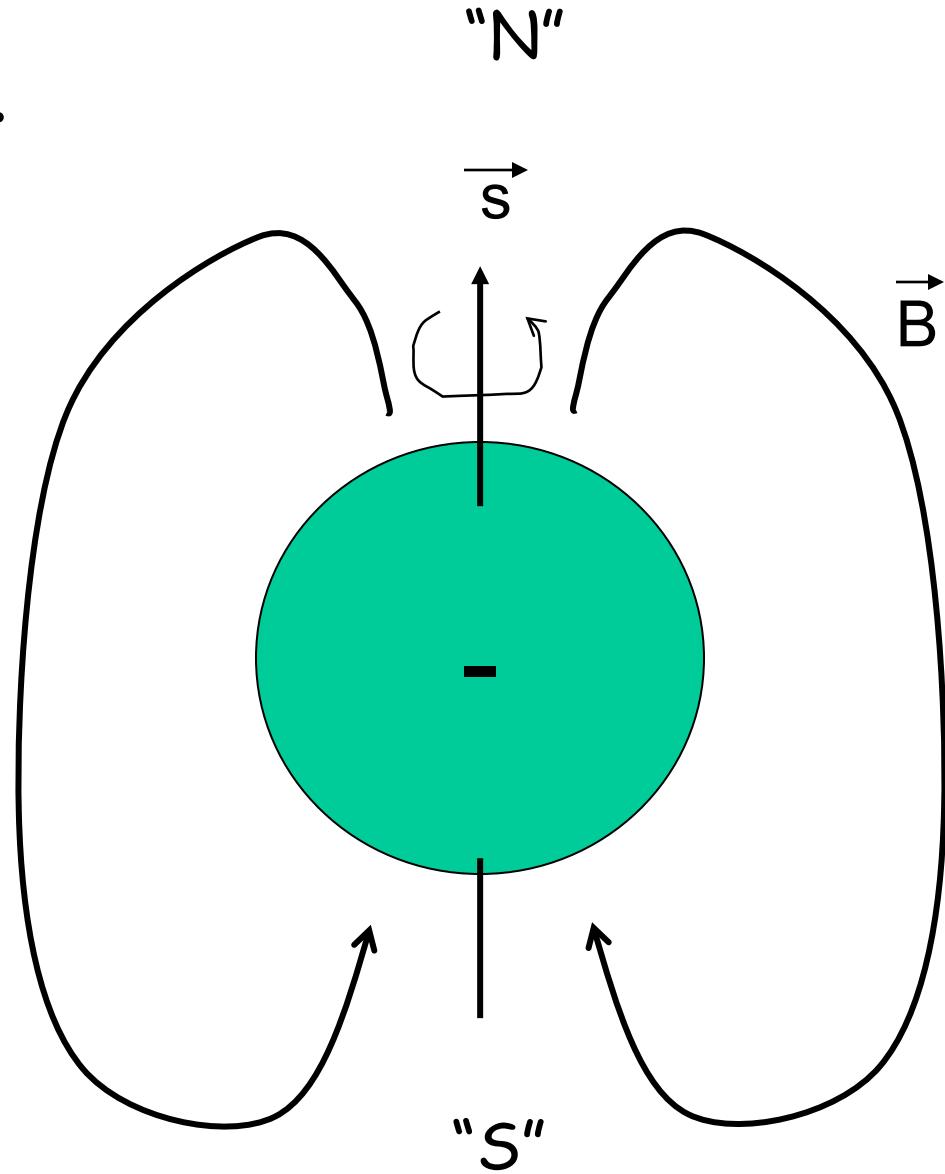
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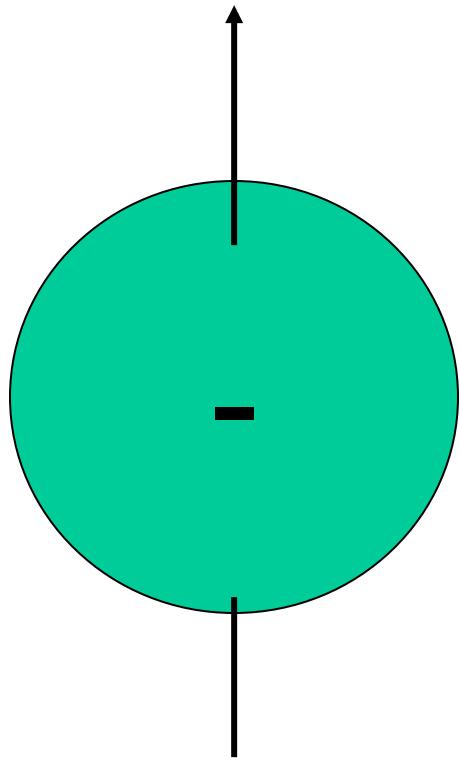
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and that's pretty
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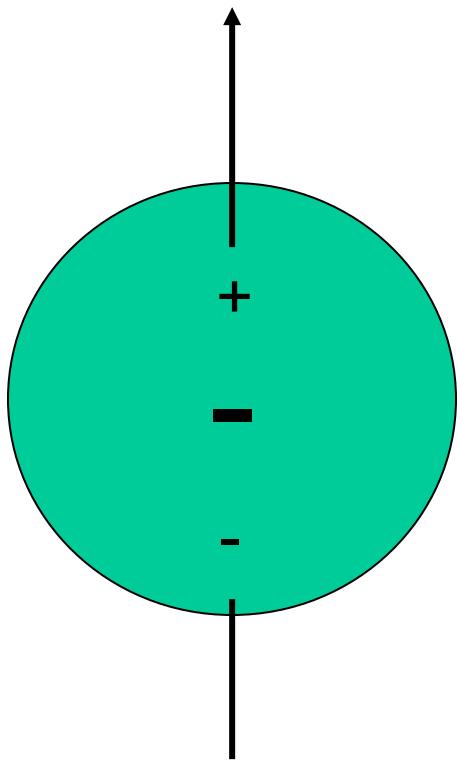
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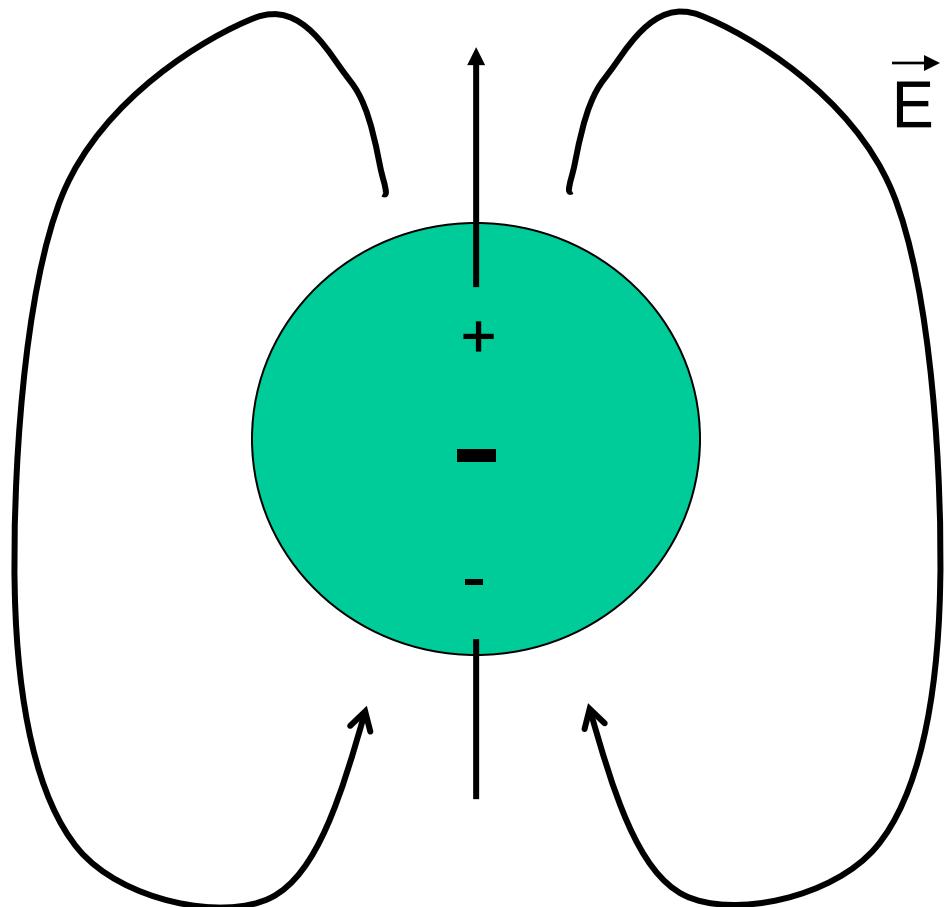


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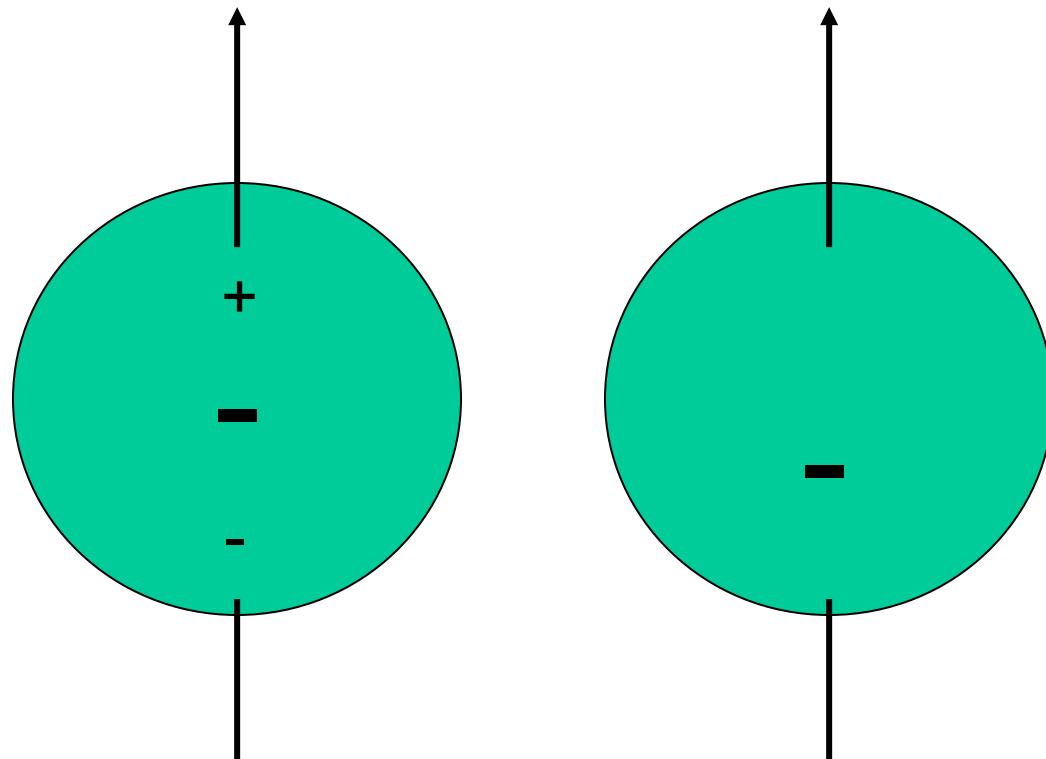
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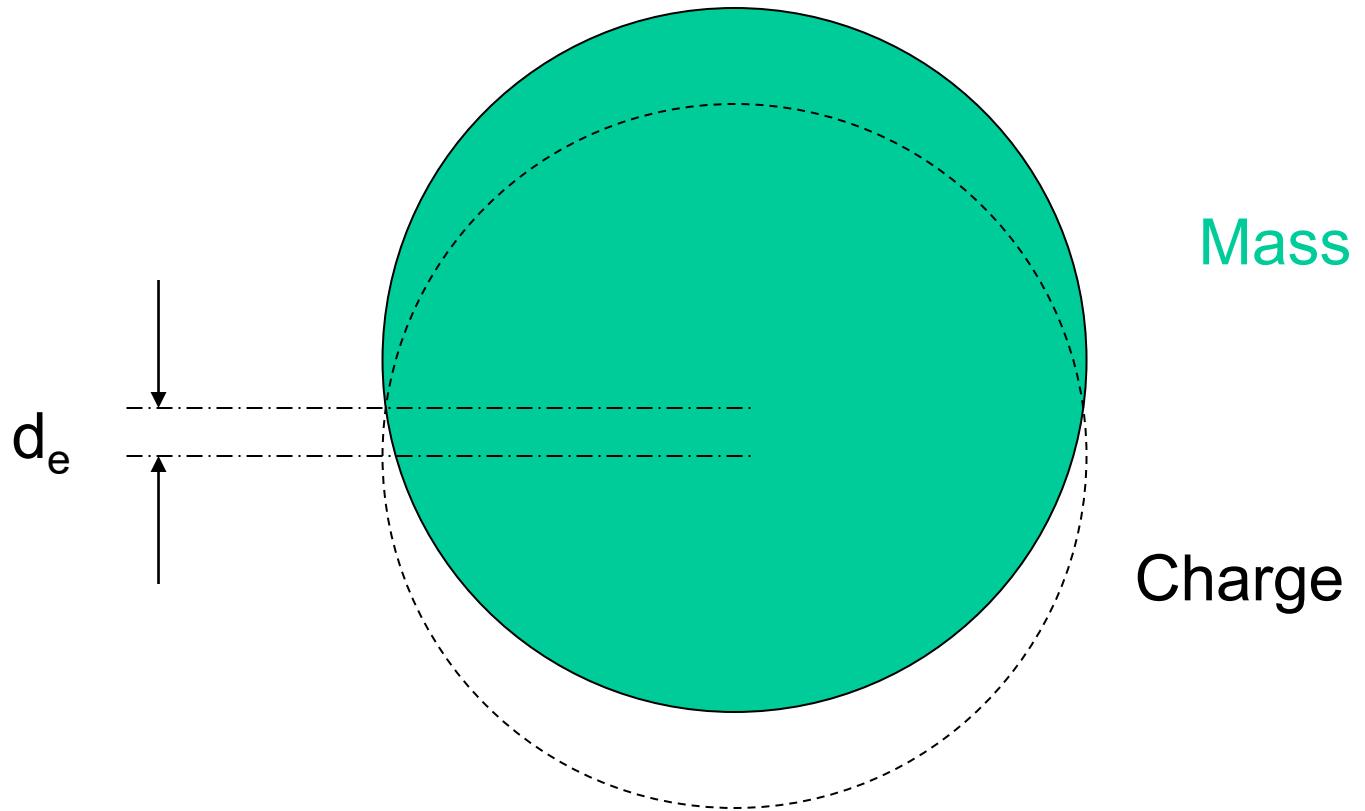


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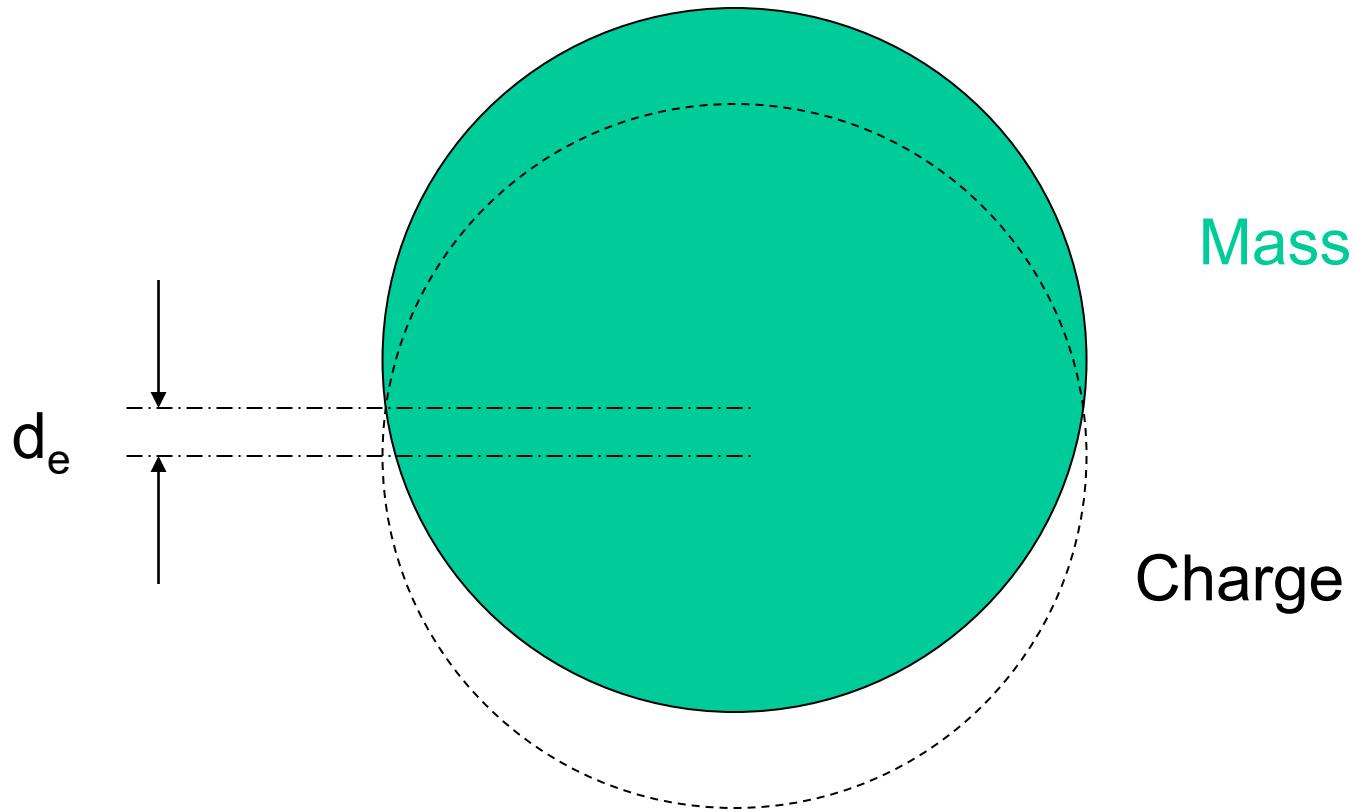
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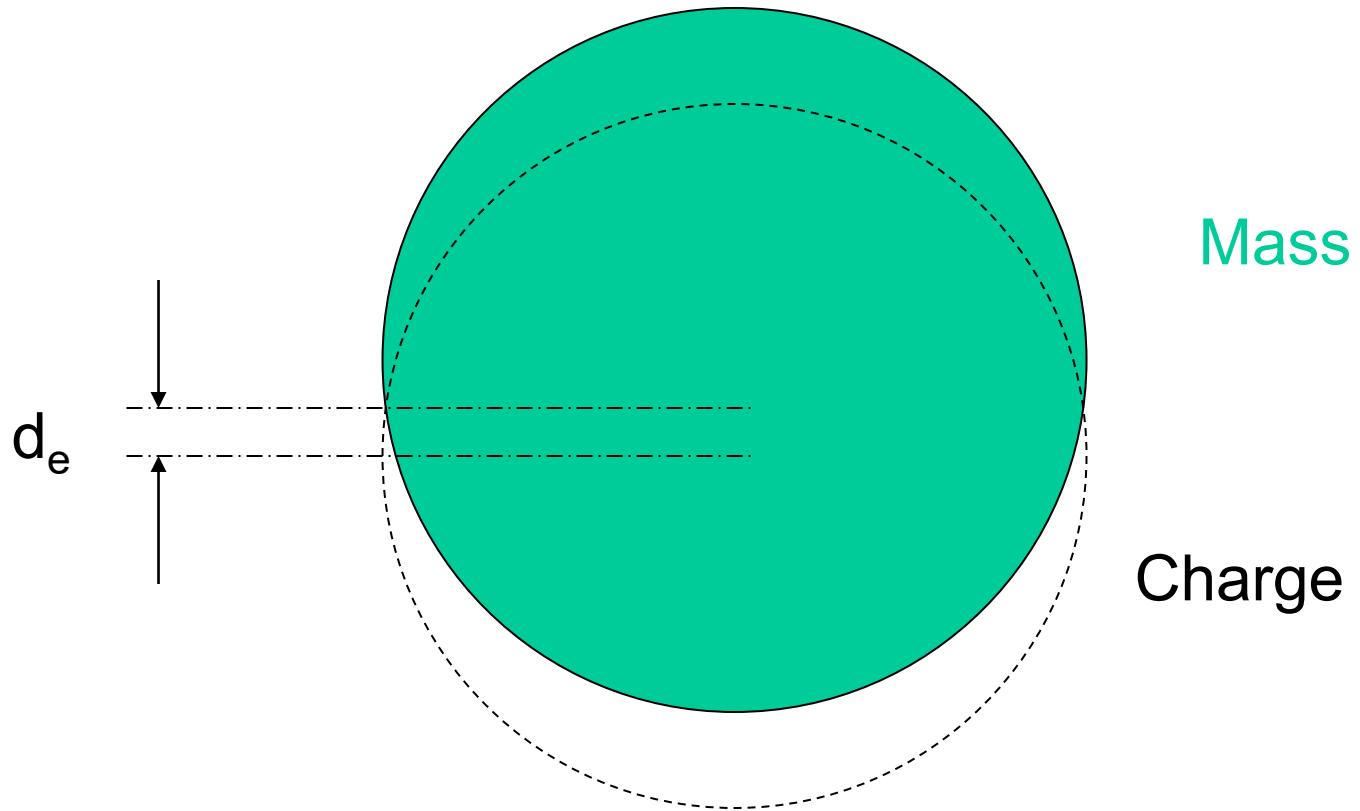
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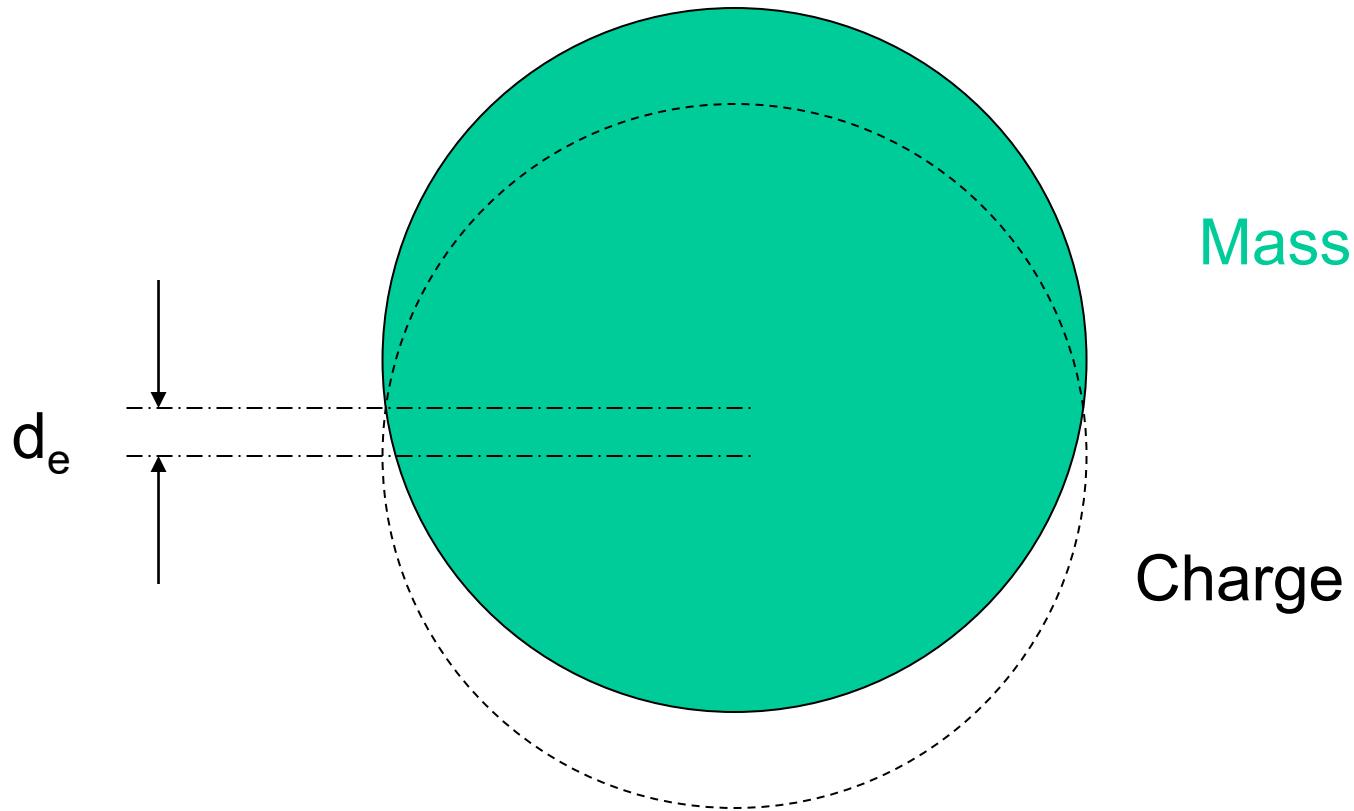
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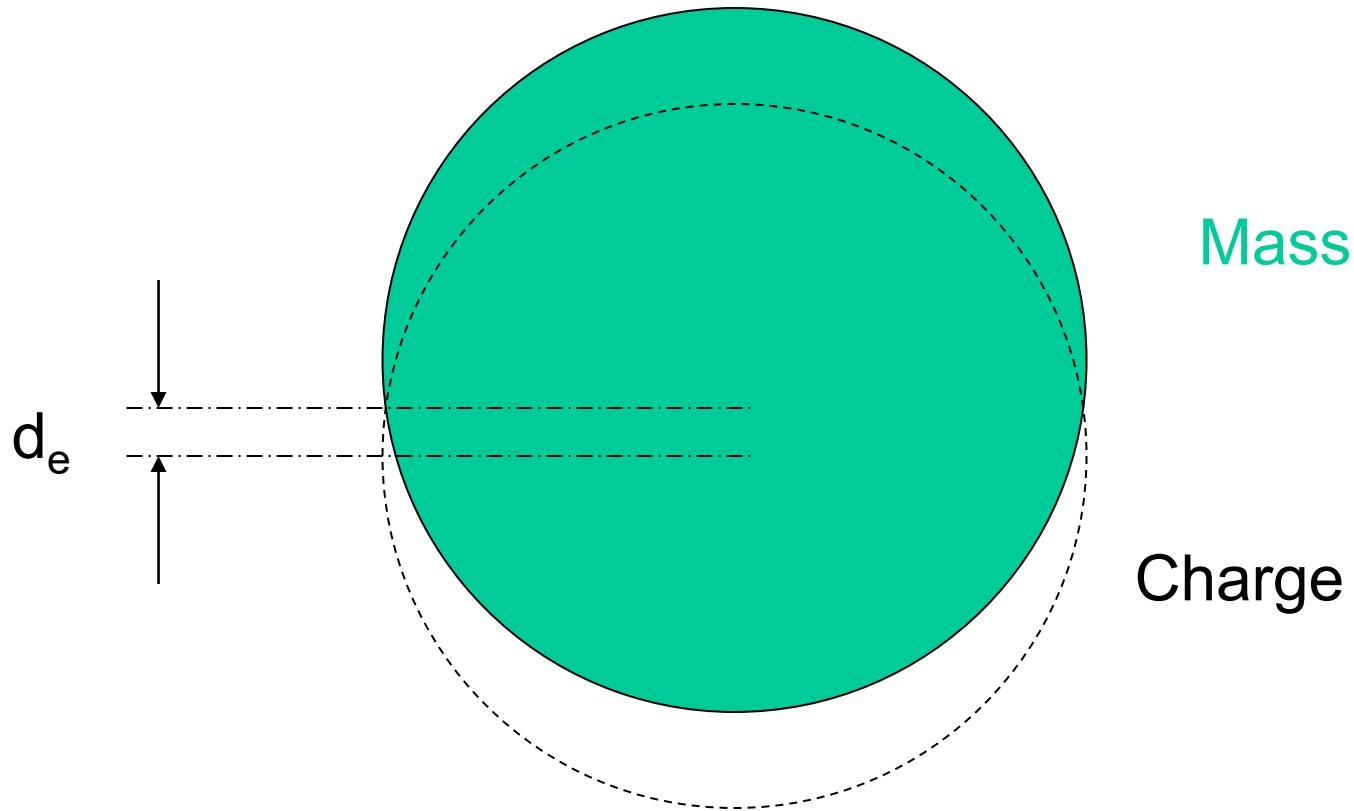


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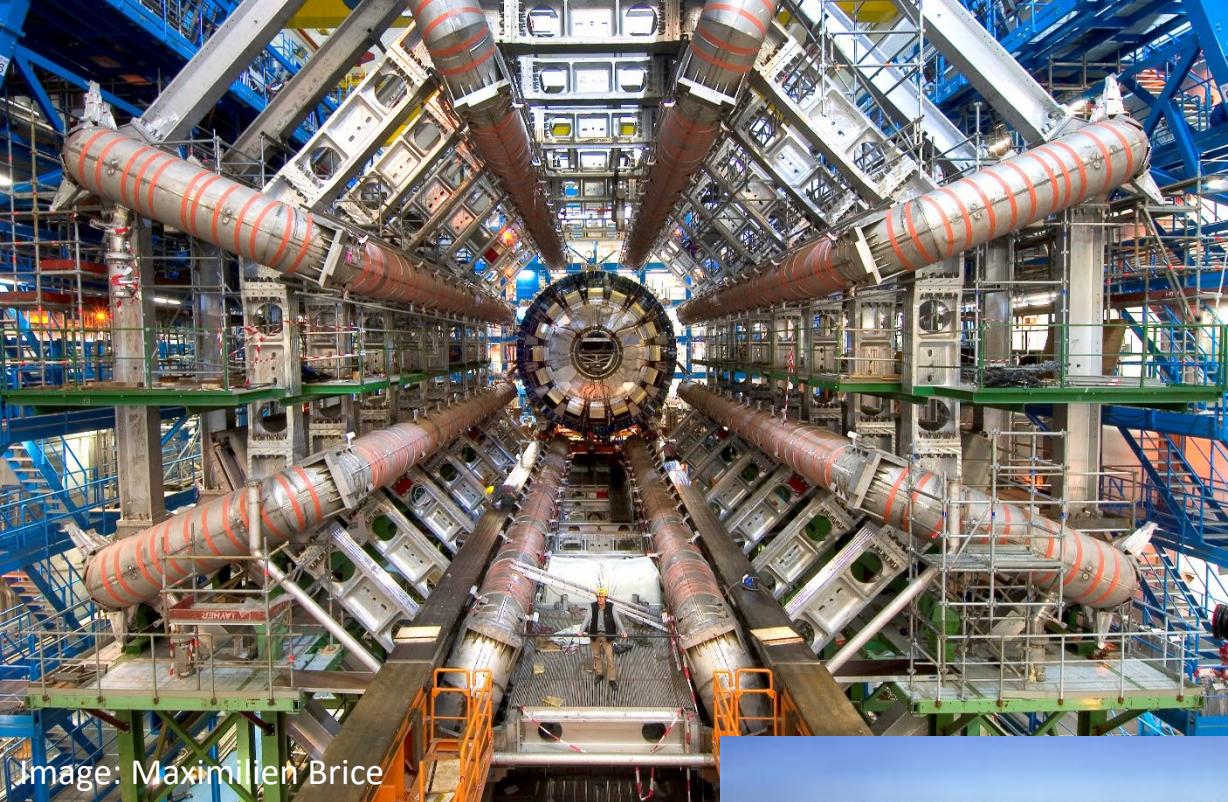


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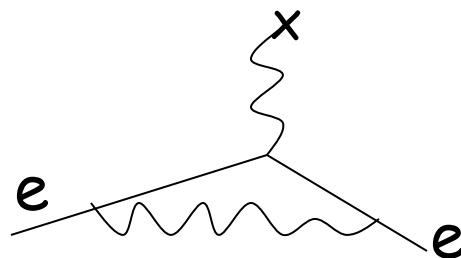
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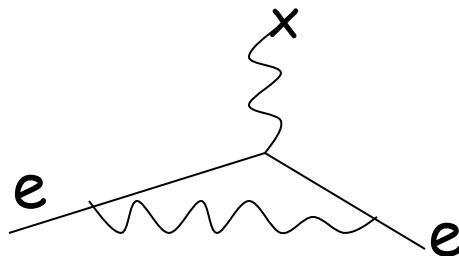


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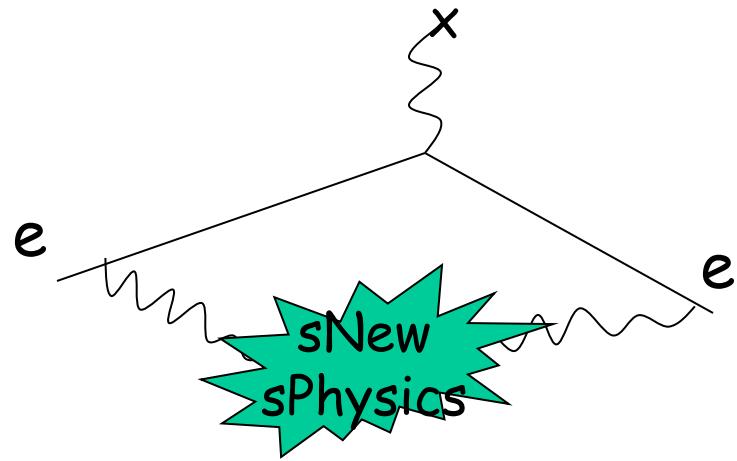
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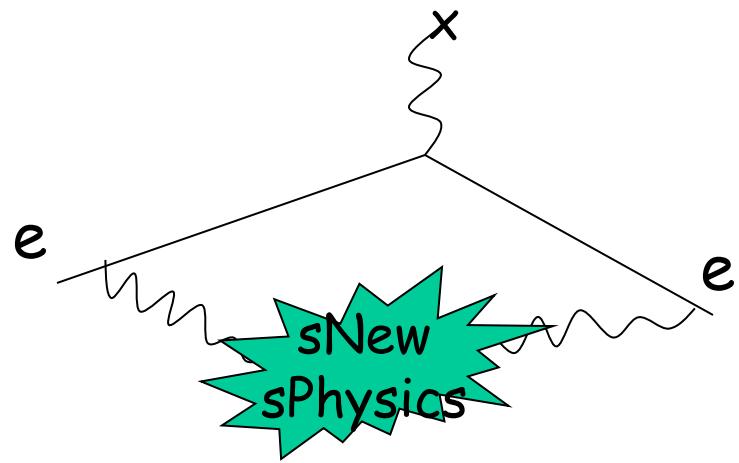
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(best test of many-loop field theory)

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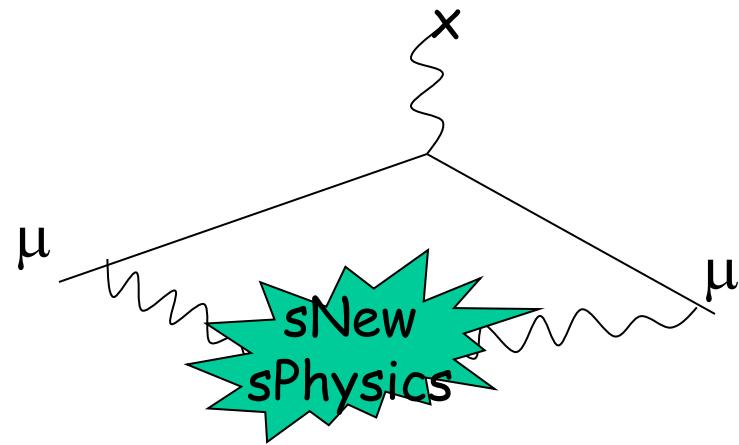


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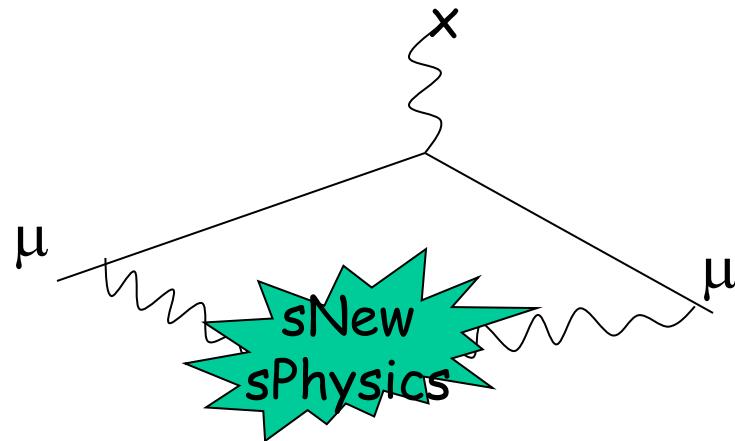


A: Probably not. m_e is too small.

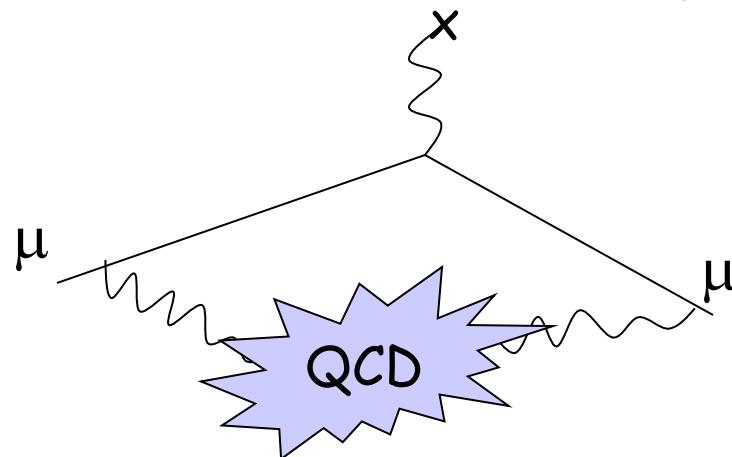
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A: Maybe (there is a big effort) but difficult due to uncertainties in QCD "theory background".

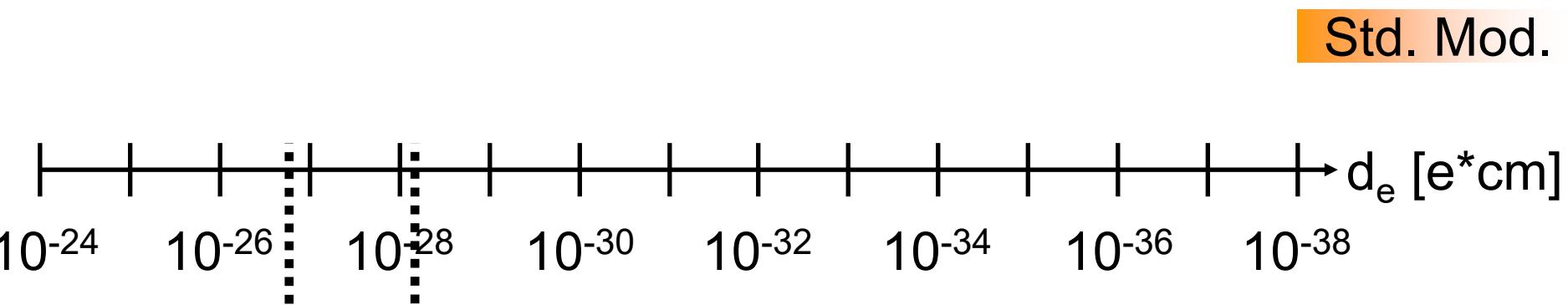


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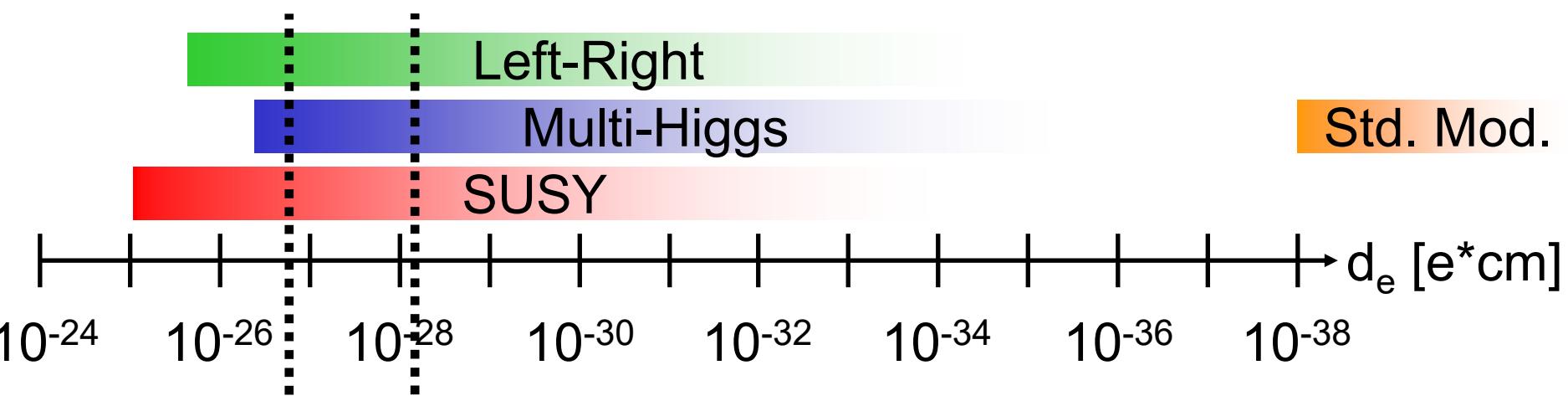
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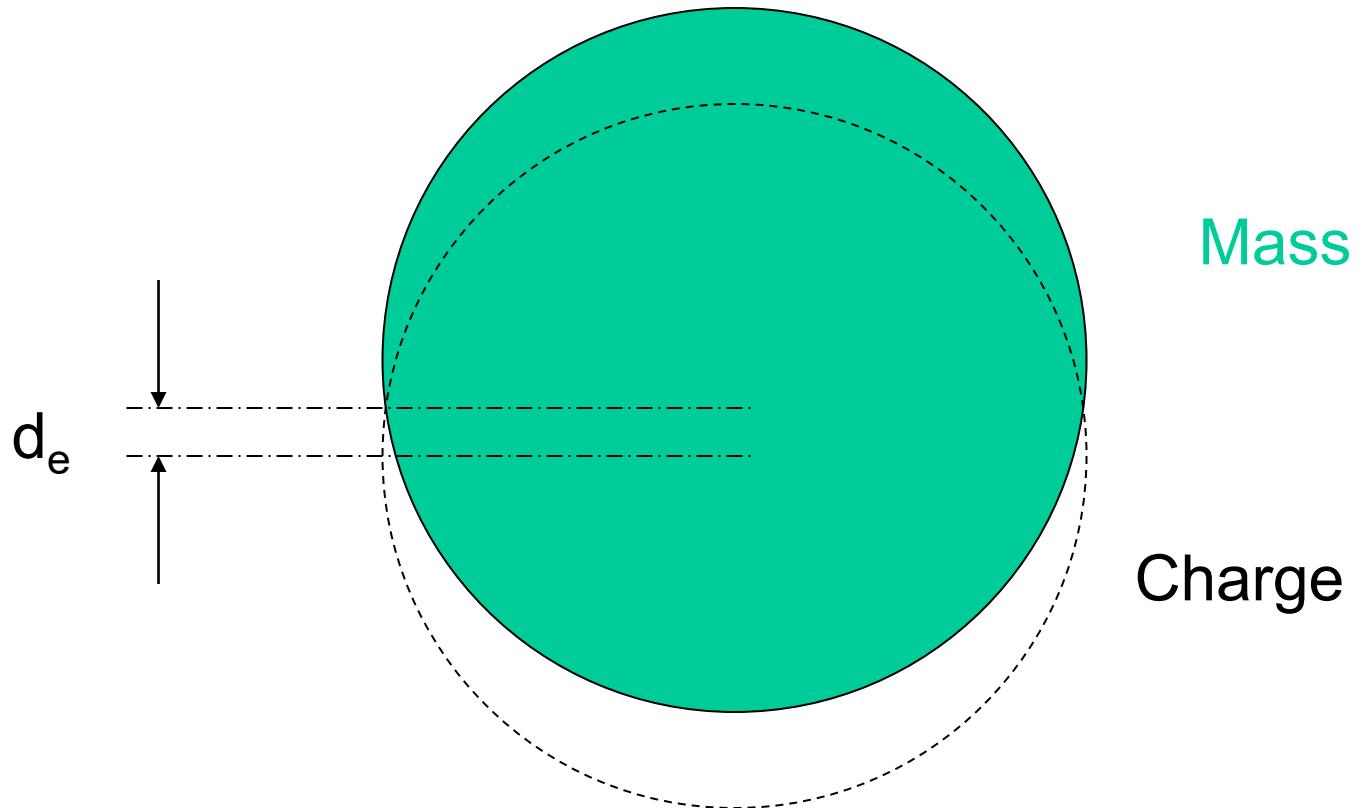
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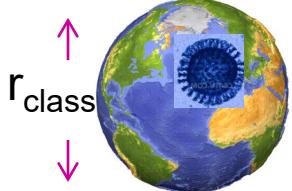


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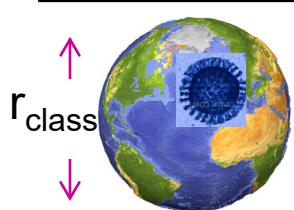
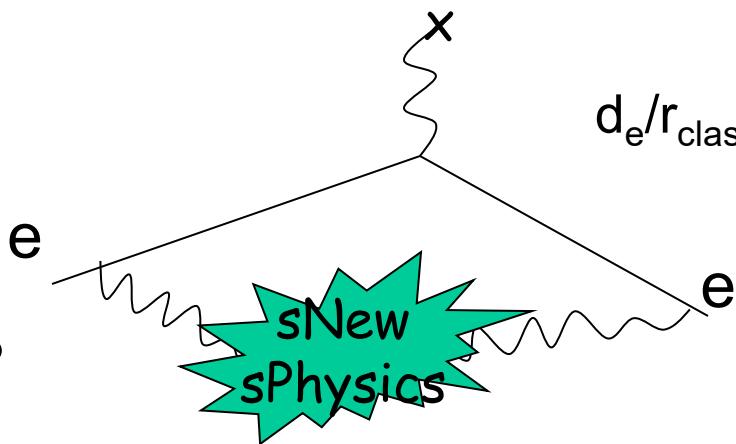
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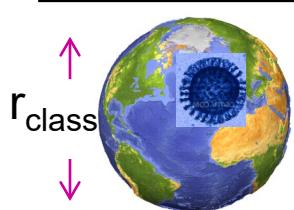
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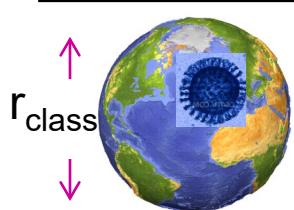
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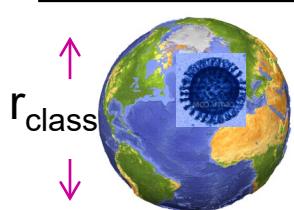
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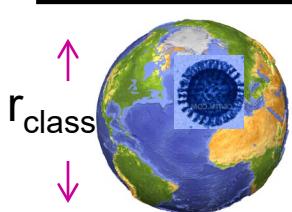
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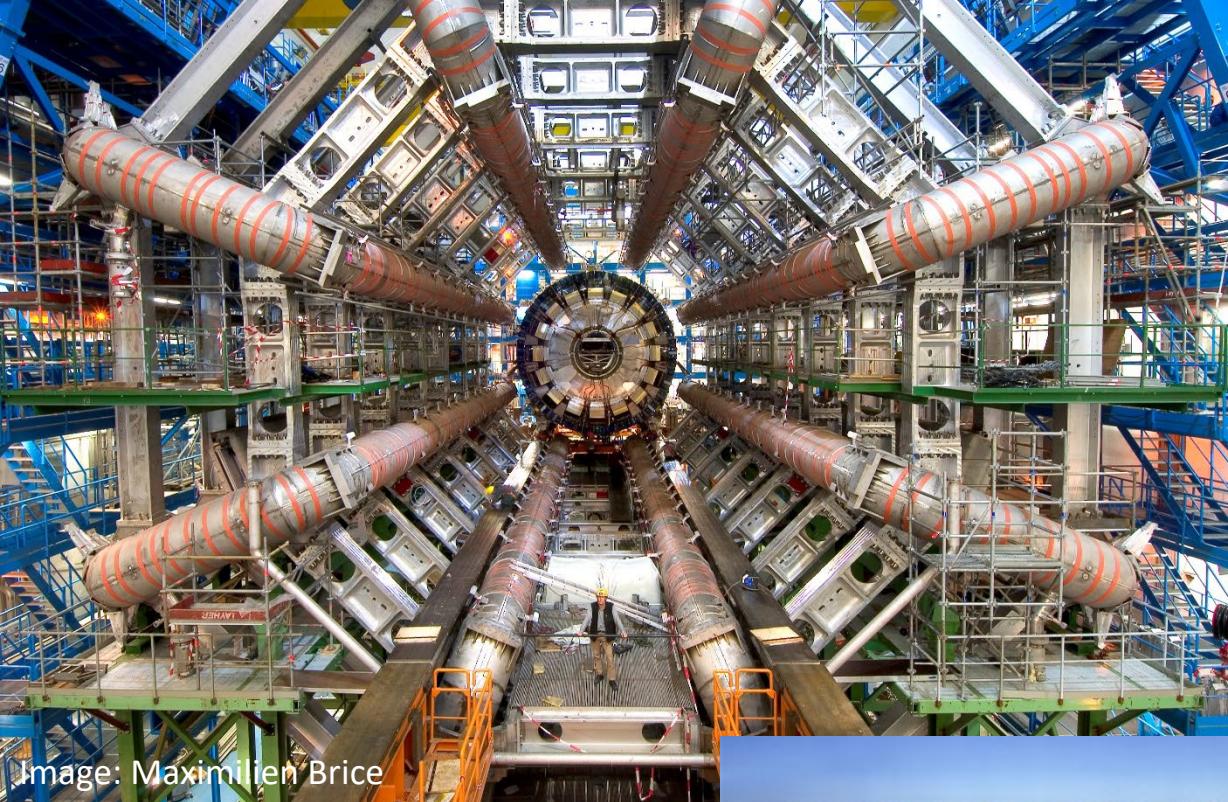


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Motivation #2 (EDM like a big telescope)

The remnant of asymmetry.

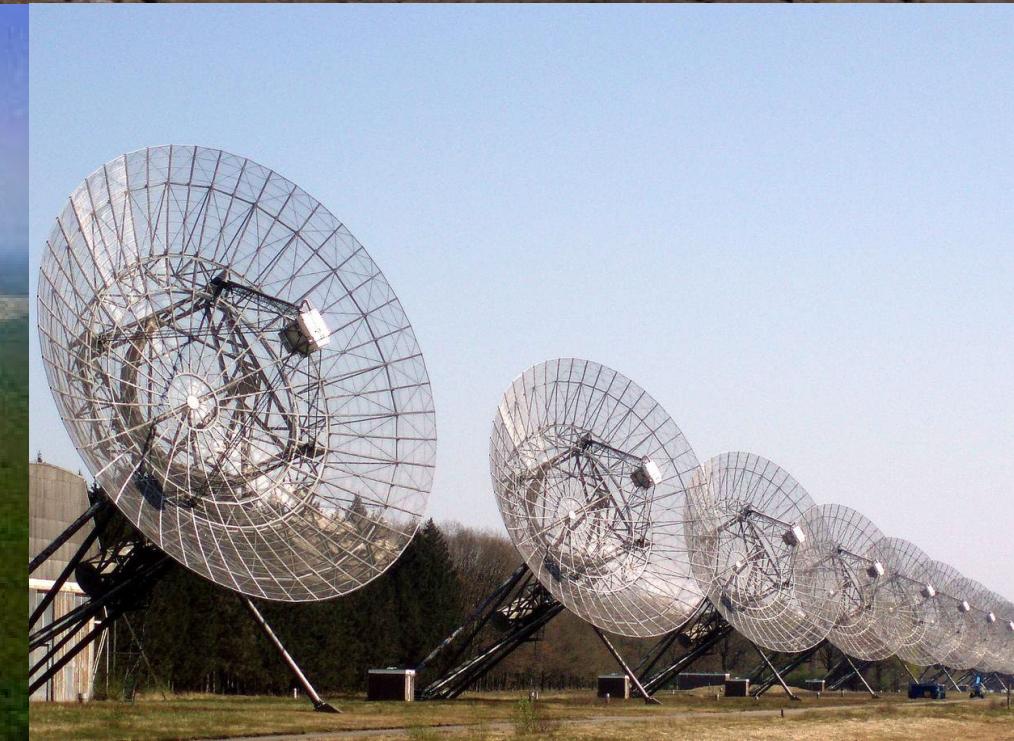
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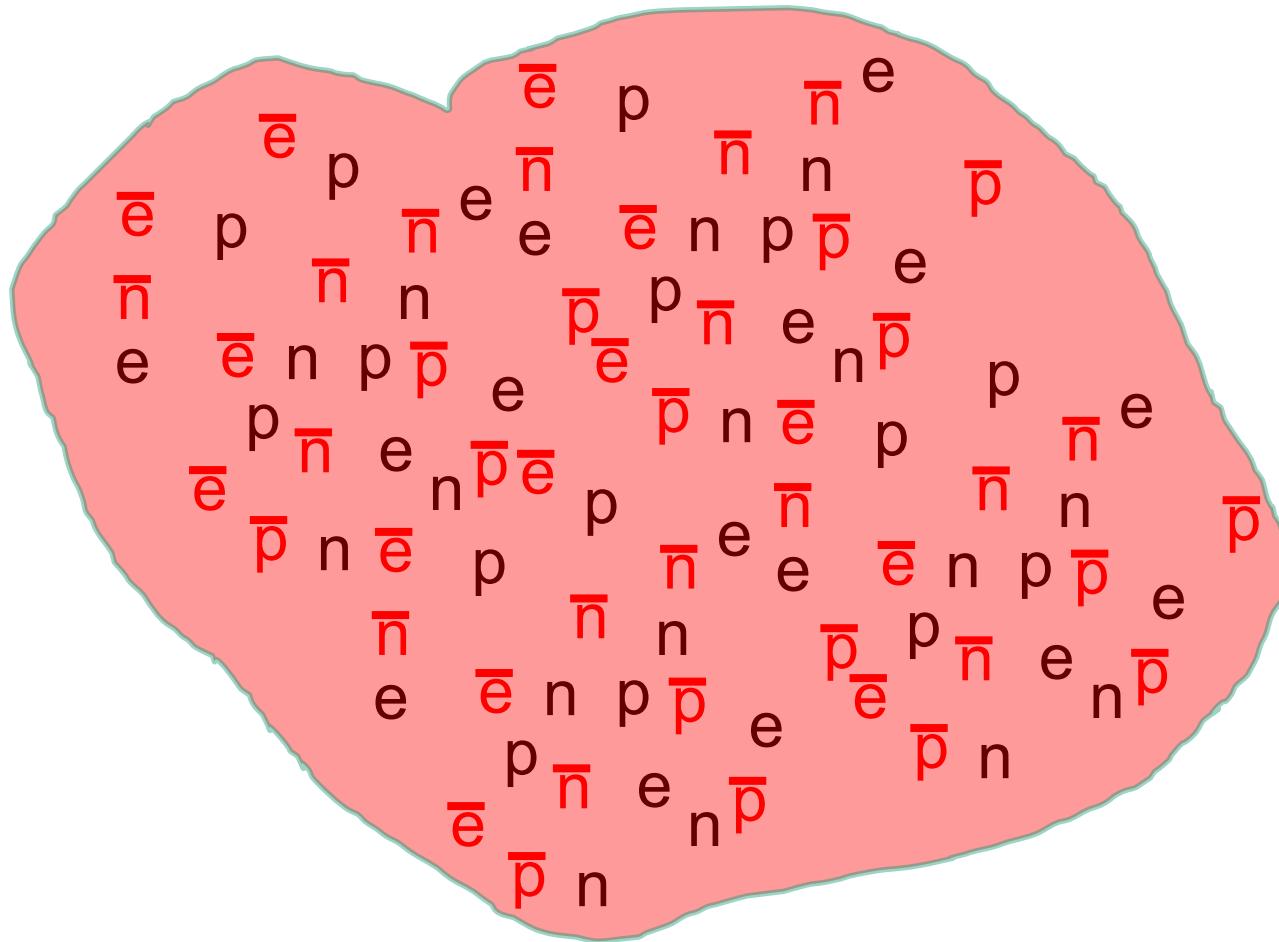


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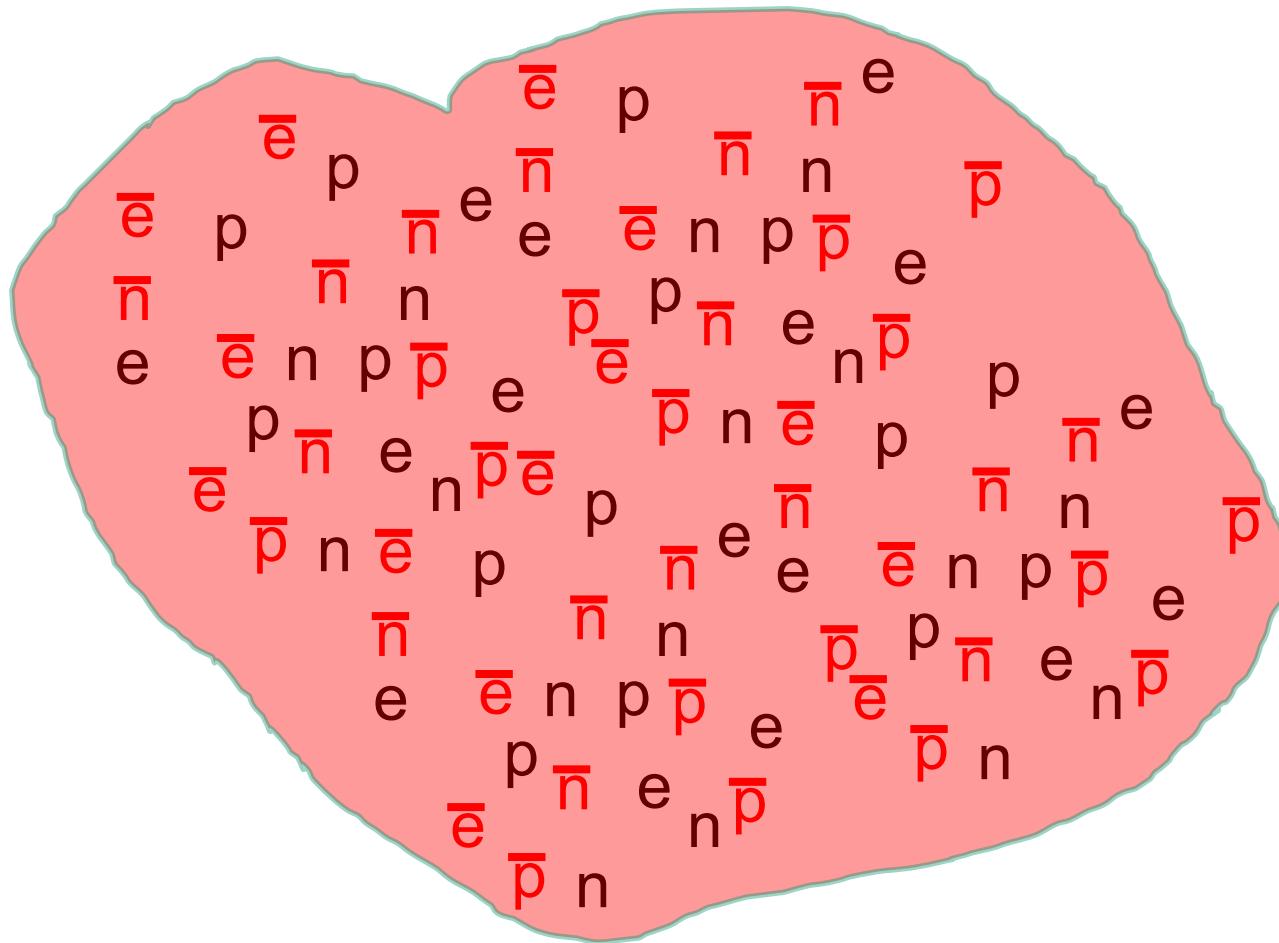


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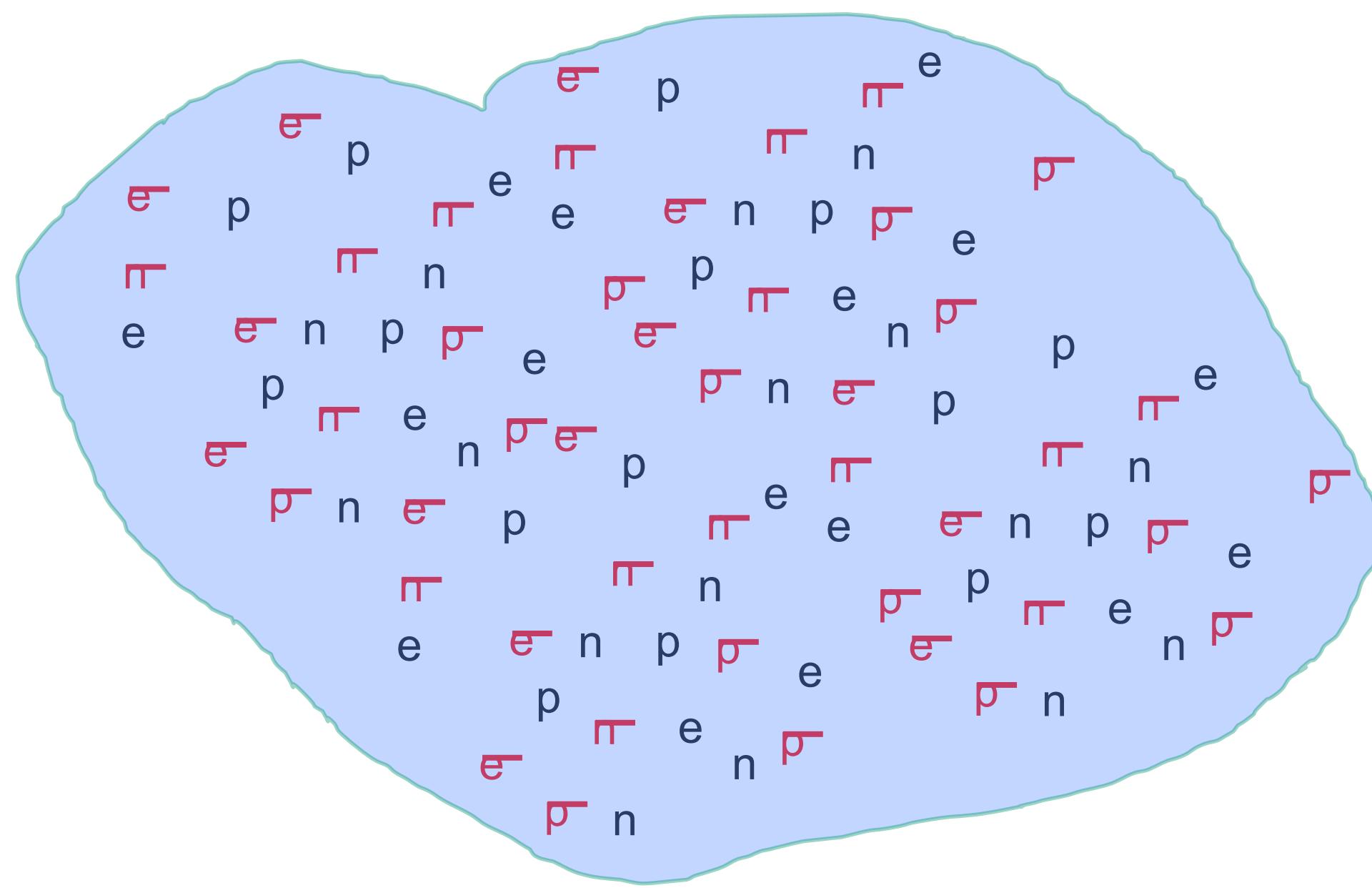
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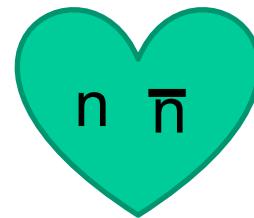
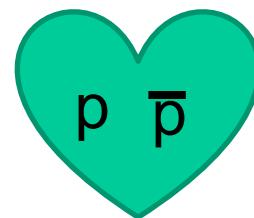
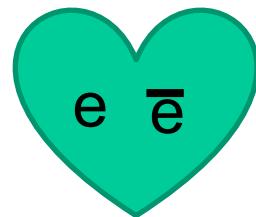
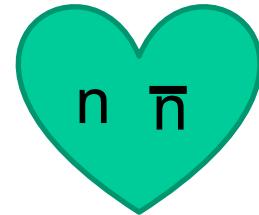
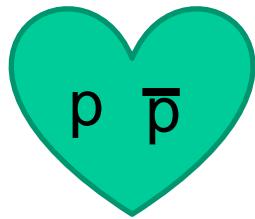
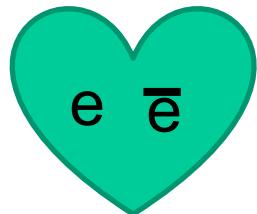
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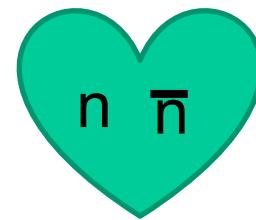
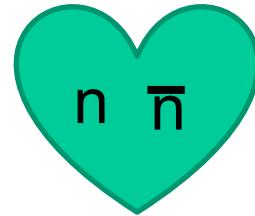
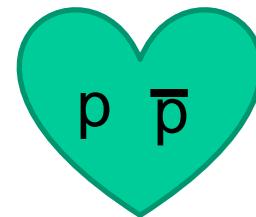
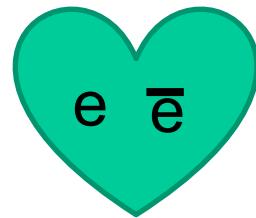
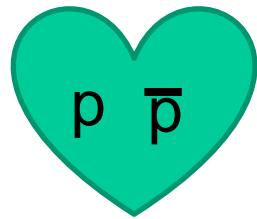


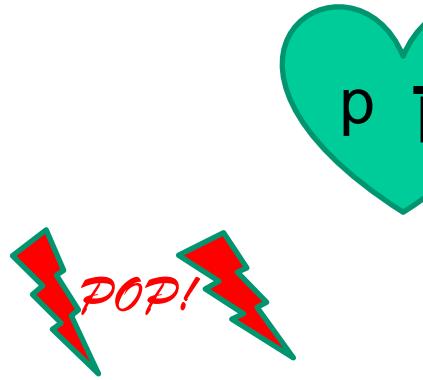
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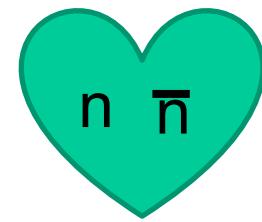
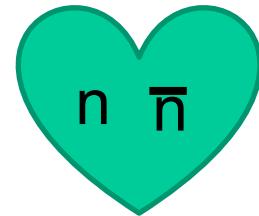


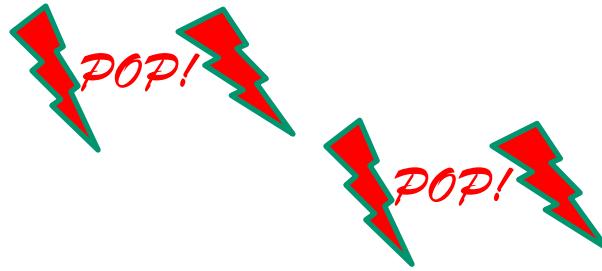
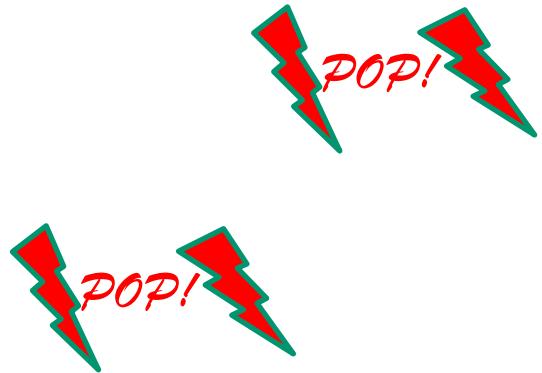
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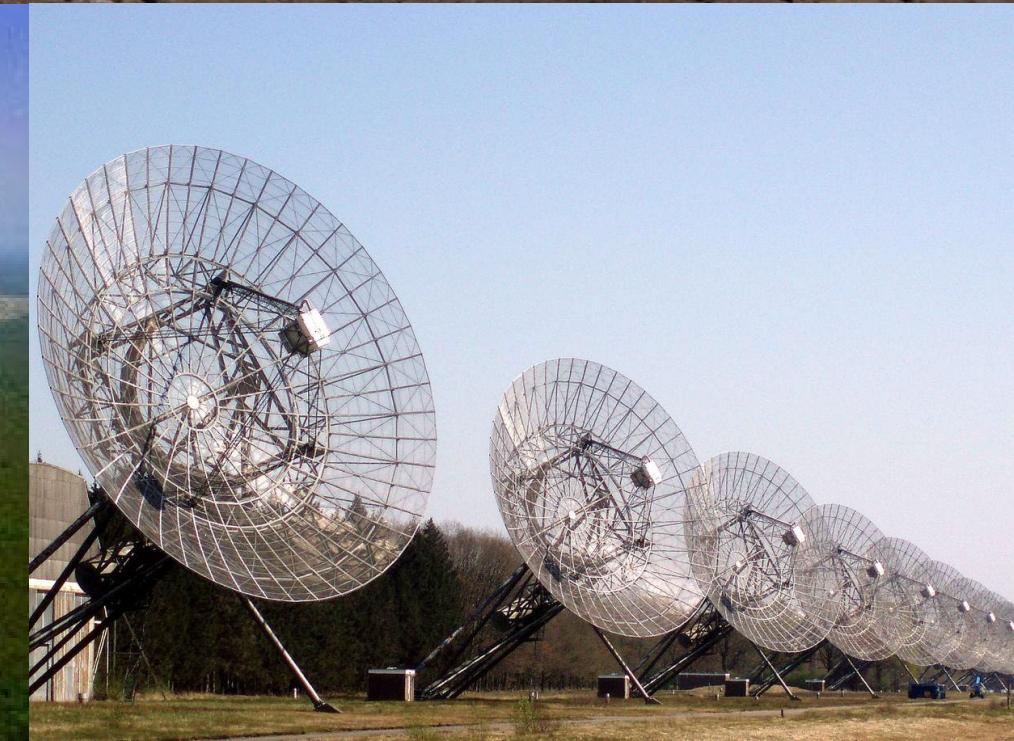
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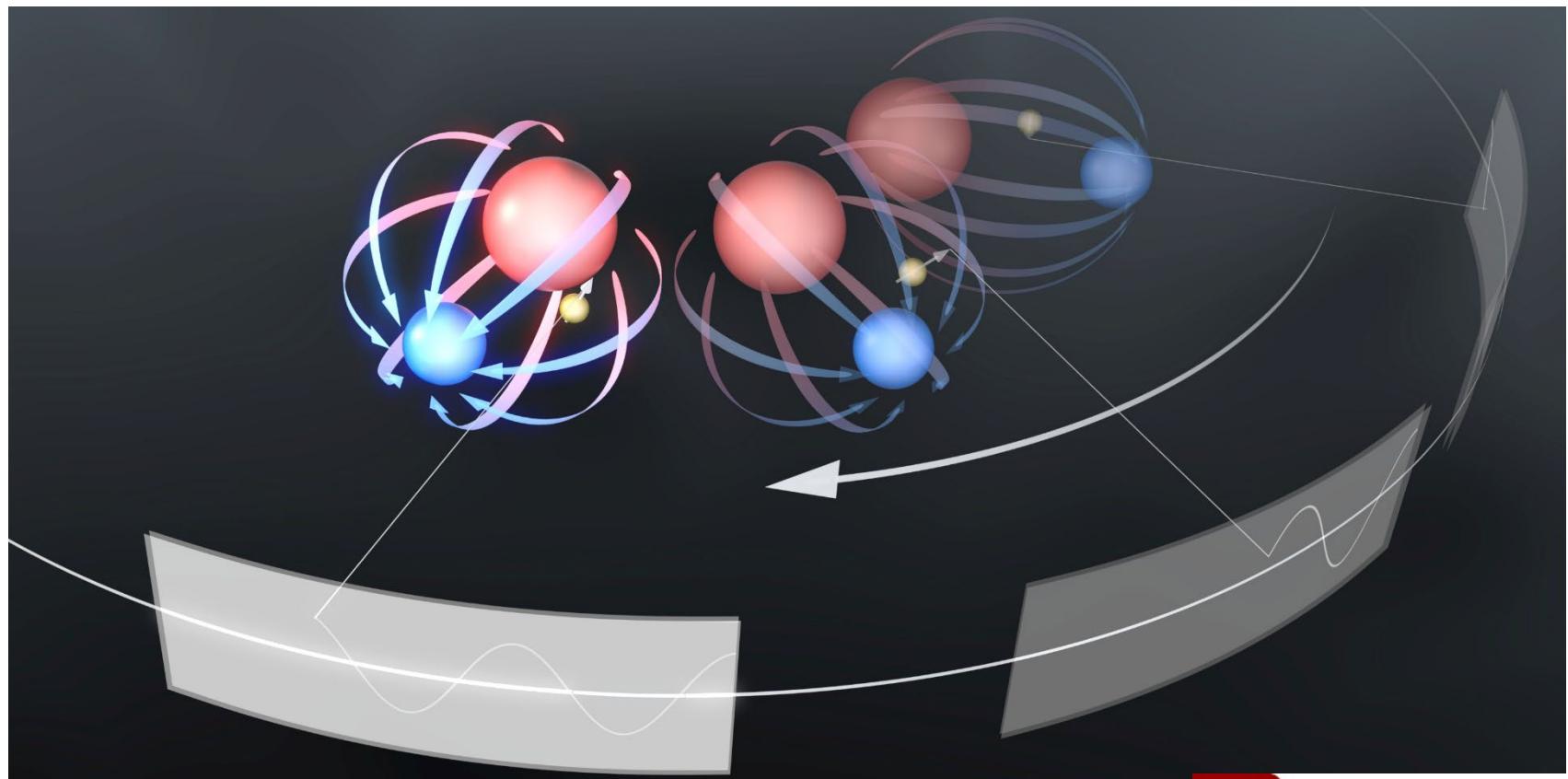




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Measuring electron EDM using molecular ions



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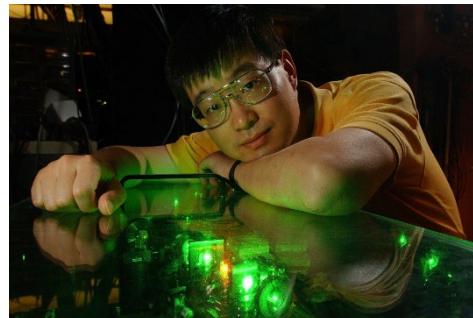
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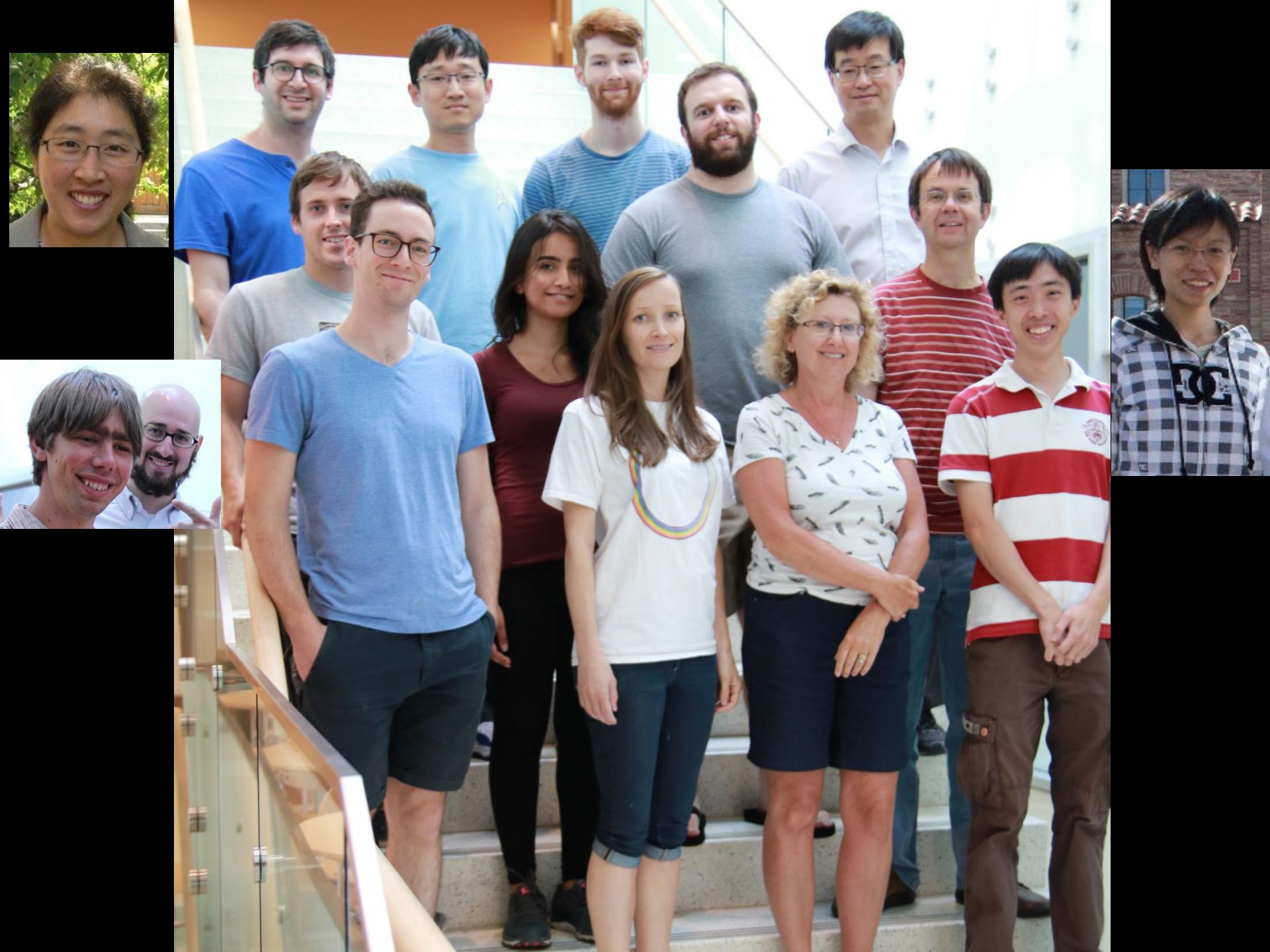
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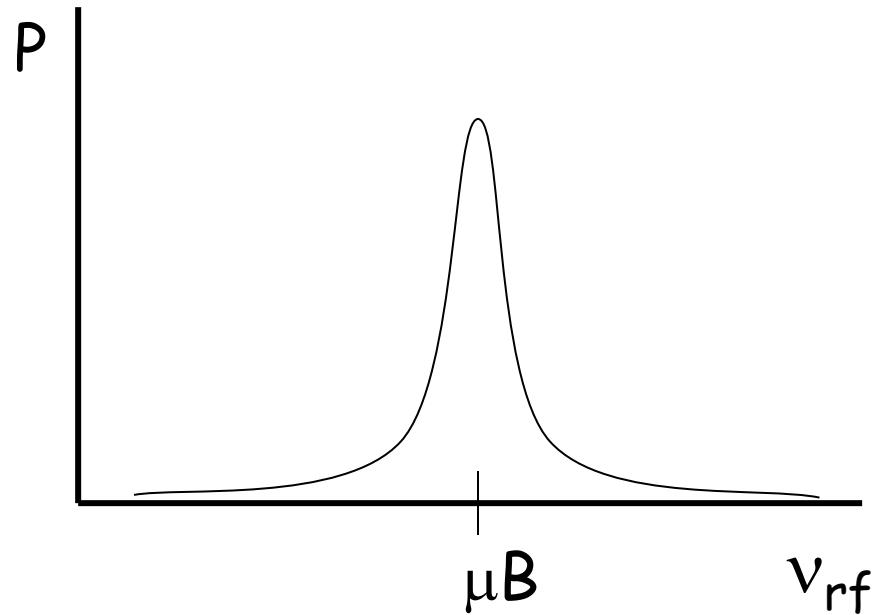
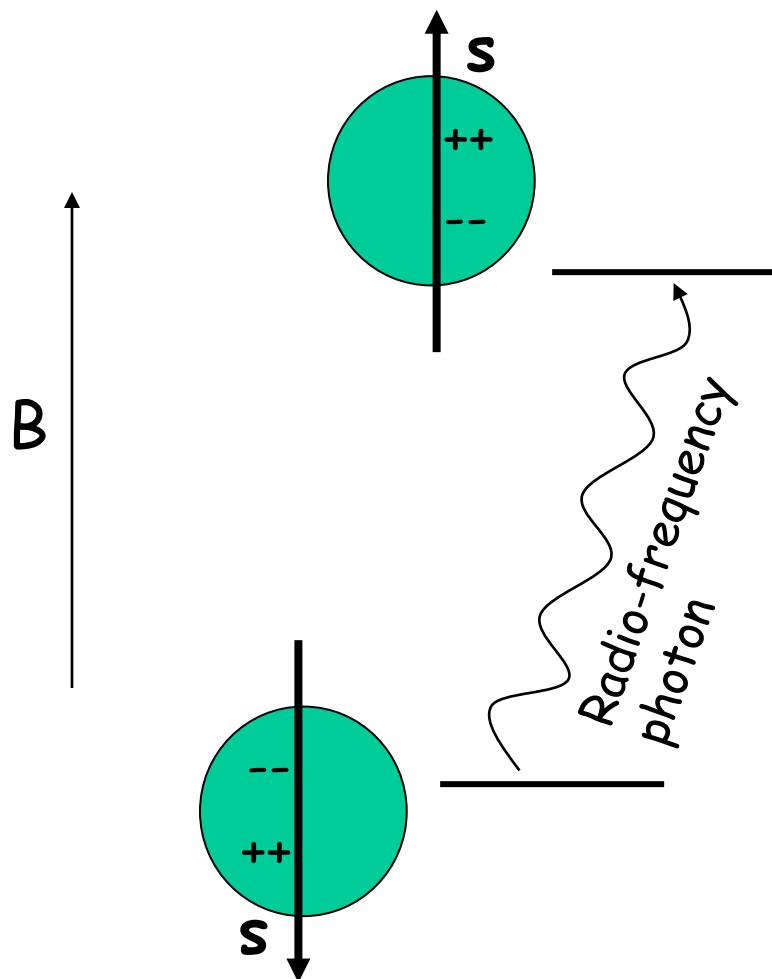
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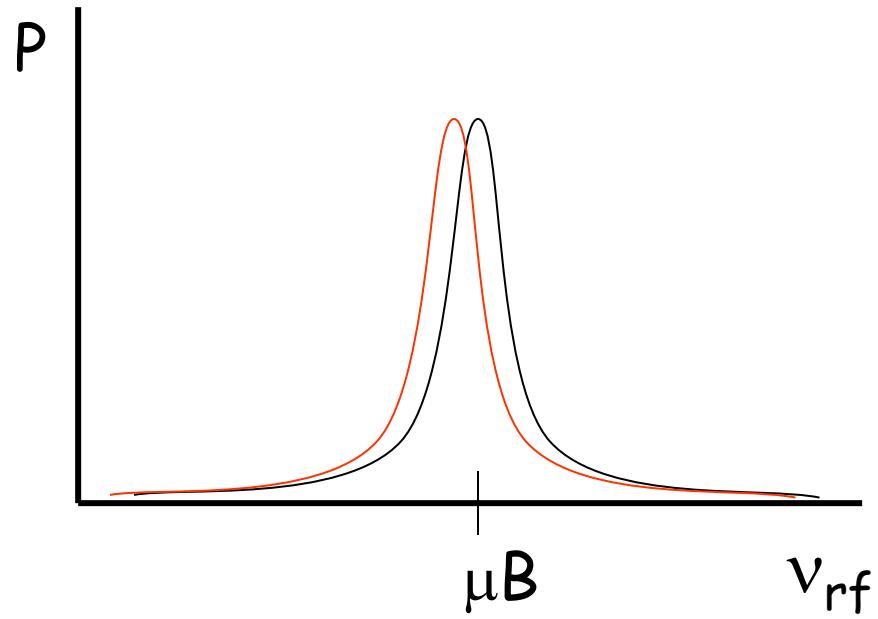
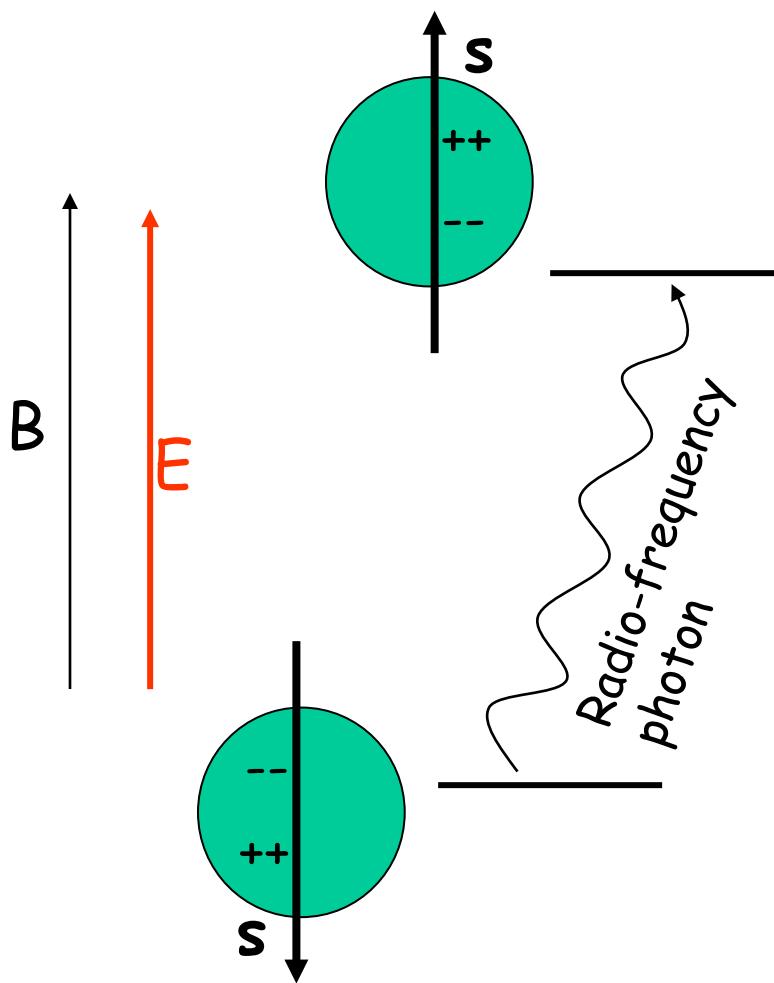


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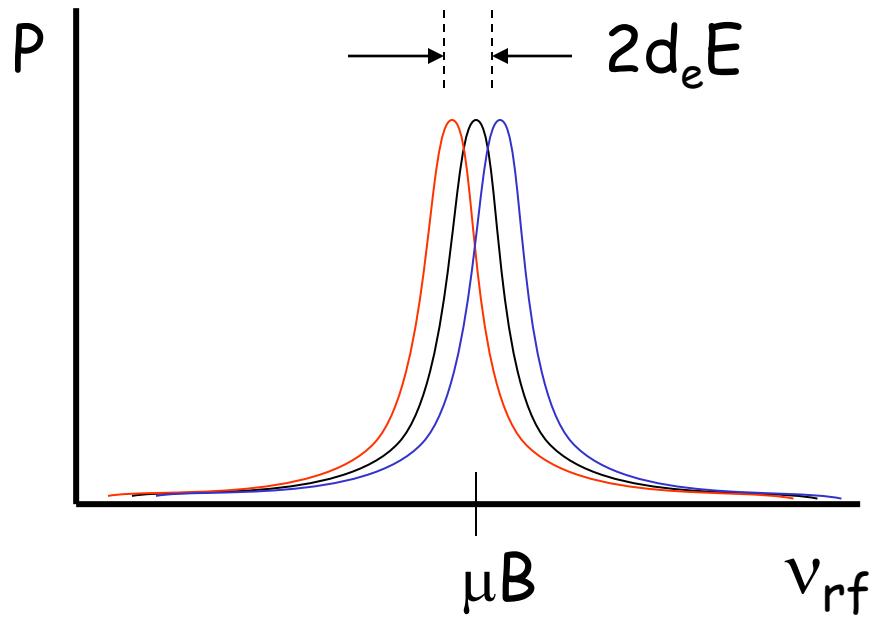
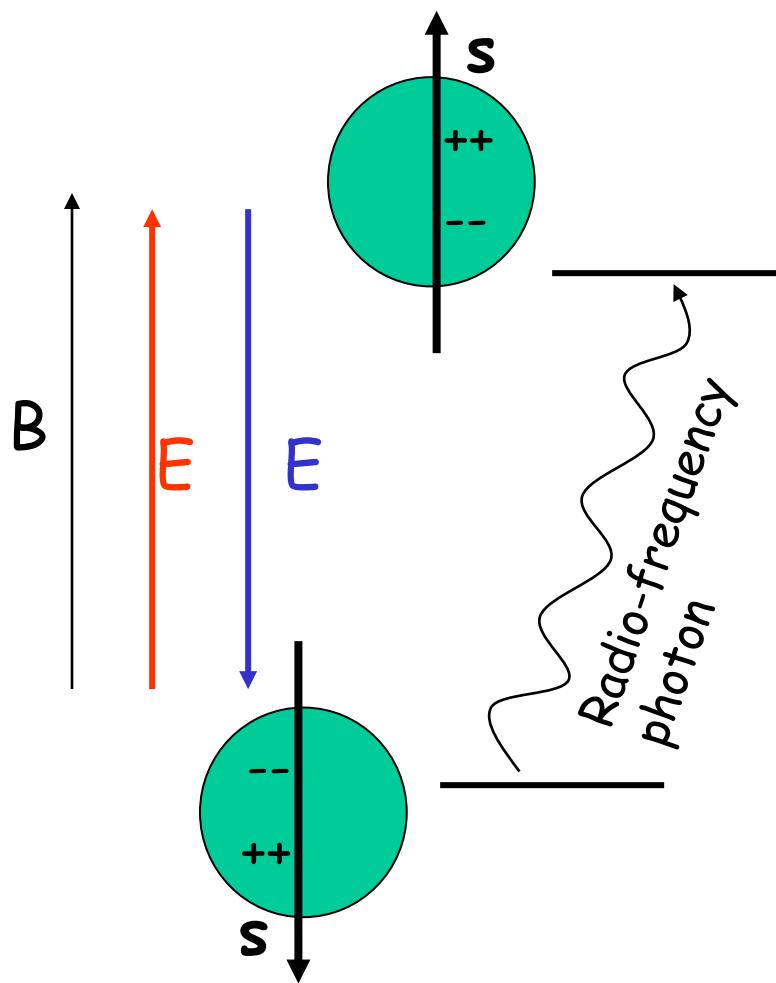
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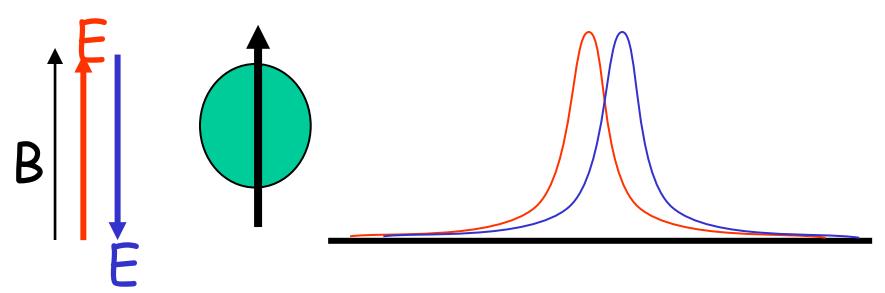


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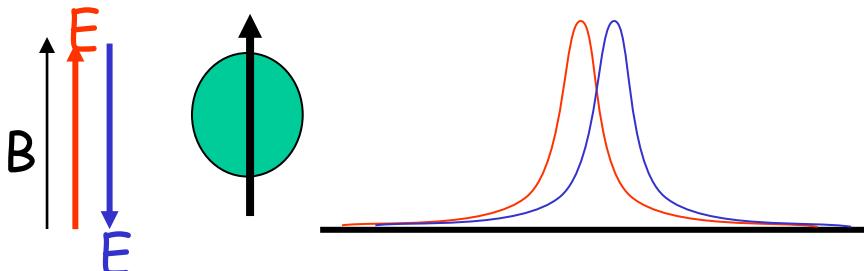
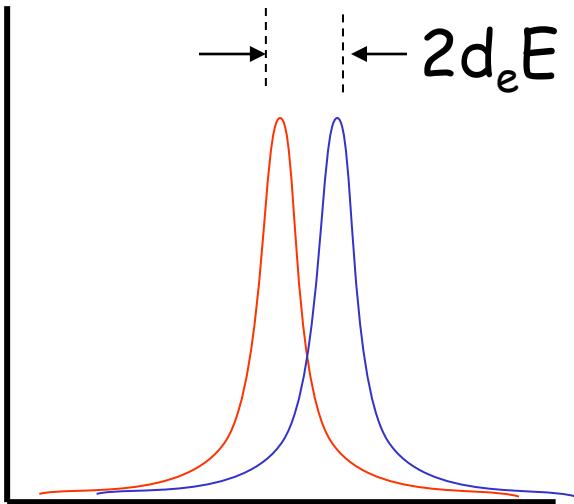
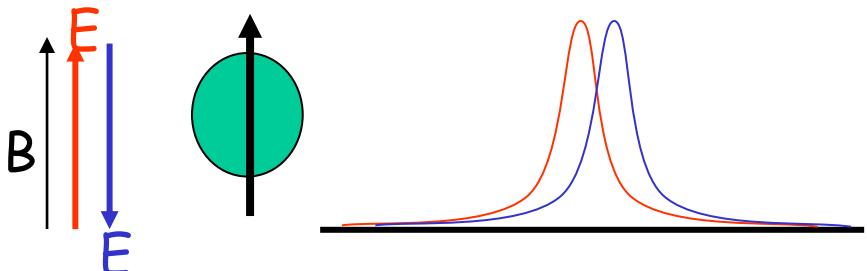
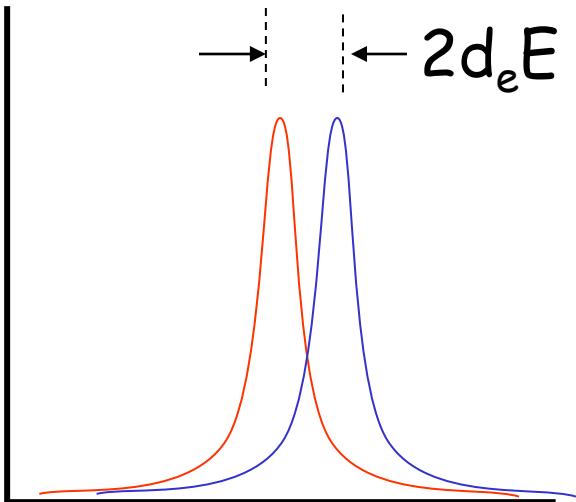
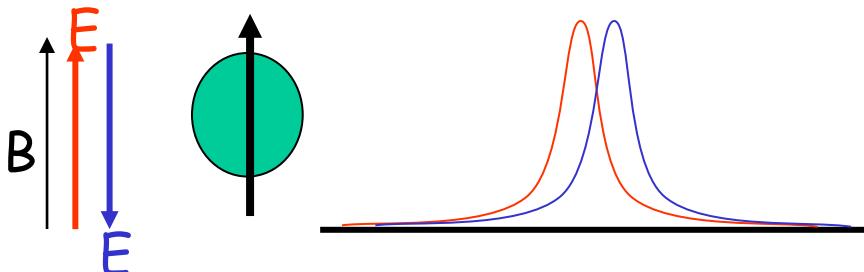


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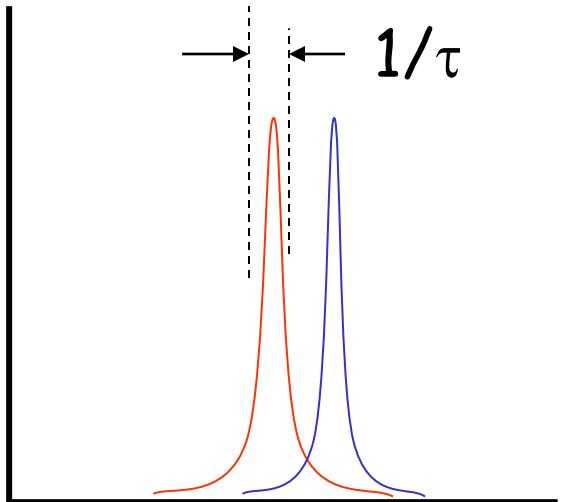


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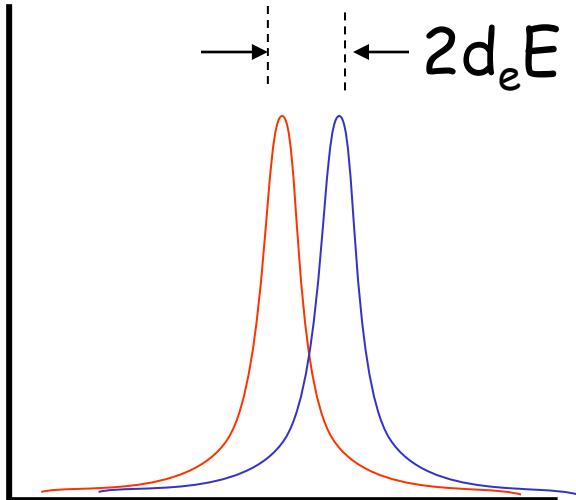
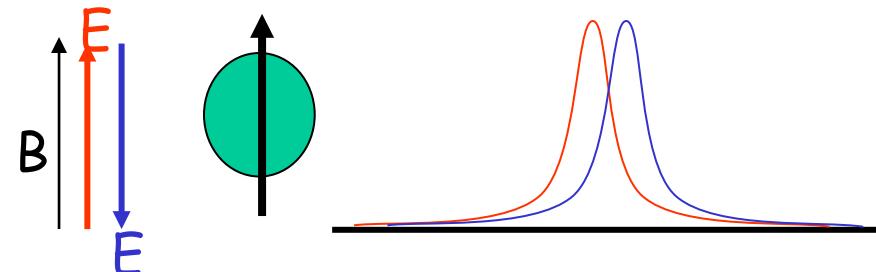


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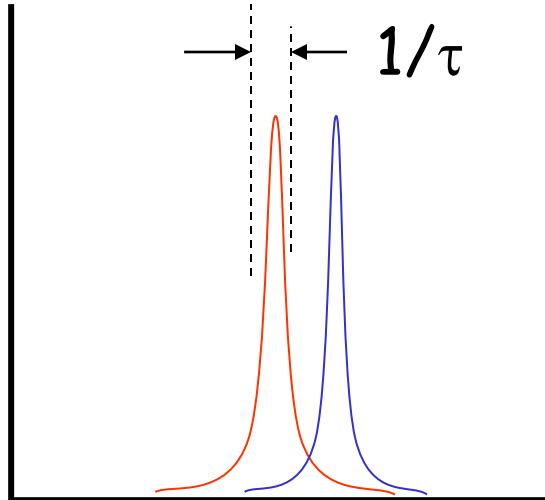


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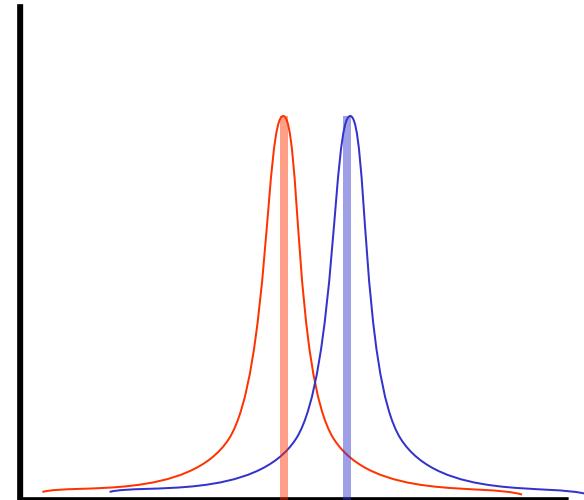
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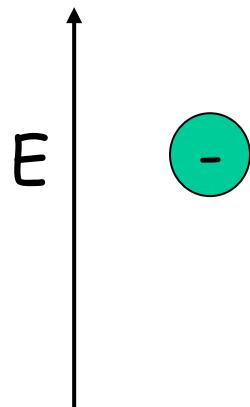


Large count rate
(split resonance
by $\sqrt{N_{eff}}$)

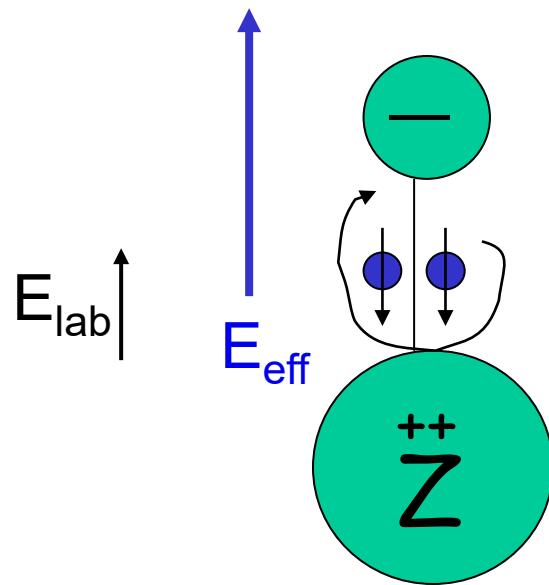
Combined
Figure-of-merit: $E_{eff} \tau \sqrt{N_{eff}}$

Problem:

Big E, long τ . Electron accelerates quickly, and is gone????

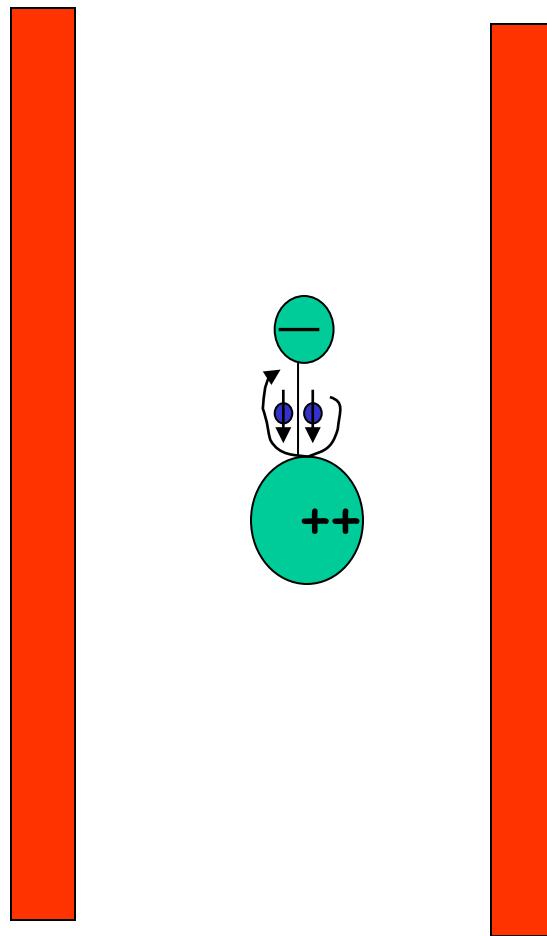


Our approach. 1. Use molecule for big E_{eff}
(we follow Hinds and Demille in this)



$$E_{\text{lab}} = 10 \text{ V/cm} \quad E_{\text{eff}} > 10^{10} \text{ V/cm}$$

Our approach. 2. Use trapped ion for long τ
(atomic spectroscopy in ion traps sees many seconds)



We will work in
an ion trap.

Comparison with previous and ongoing experiments

Figure-of-merit : $E_{eff}\tau\sqrt{N}$	$E_{eff}(\text{V/cm})$	T(sec)	$N_{eff}(\text{s}^{-1})$
Berkeley Tl beam, $d_e < 1.6 \times 10^{-27} \text{ e.cm}$ (2002)	6×10^7	2	1×10^9
Imperial YbF beam, $d_e < 1.0 \times 10^{-27} \text{ e.cm}$ (2011)	1.5×10^{10}	1	10^6
Penn State, (projected sensitivity $d_e < 10^{-28} \text{ e.cm}$)	$\sim 10^8$	$\sim 10^3$?
ACME Collaboration (ThO), $d_e < 9 \times 10^{-29} \text{ e.cm}$ (2014)	8.4×10^{10}	1.1	2.5×10^4
JILA (projected sensitivity $d_e < 10^{-28} \text{ e.cm}$)	$3-9 \times 10^{10}$	1000	10

Also other experiments in atoms, Penn State, TRIUMF, Tokyo, etc.

Molecular Ions

$$\delta d_e \sim \frac{1}{|E_{eff}| \tau \sqrt{N}}$$

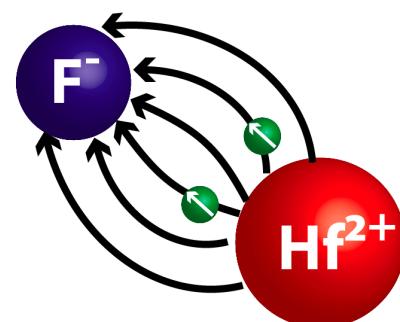
Molecules provide large effective electric fields

$$E_{lab} = 10 \text{ V/cm}$$

$$|E_{eff}| > 10^{10} \text{ V/cm}$$

Trap molecular ions to probe for long time

- Trap lifetime of many seconds
- Science state lifetime 2.1(1)s
- May trap many ions in thermal cloud 1~10 K



**Our choice:
 HfF^+**

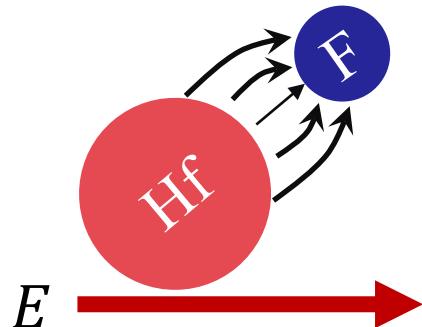
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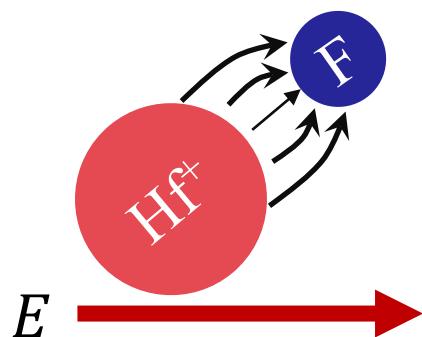
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Electric Field

- To take advantage of large E_{eff} we must polarize the molecule with an electric field

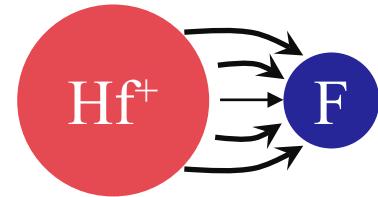


- But because the molecule is also an ion, this won't work



Rotating Electric Field

- Solution! Rotate the electric field

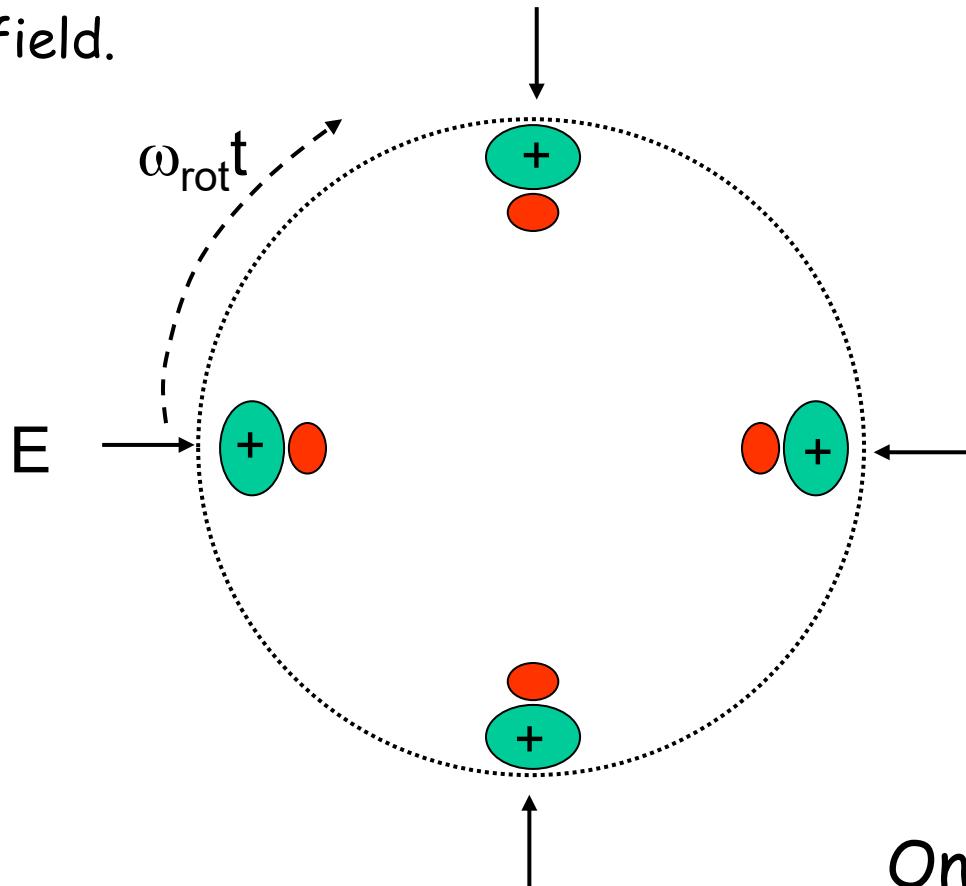


$$E \longrightarrow$$

!!!!!!Use rotating E-field bias!!!!

- E-field defines quantization axis
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B-field.

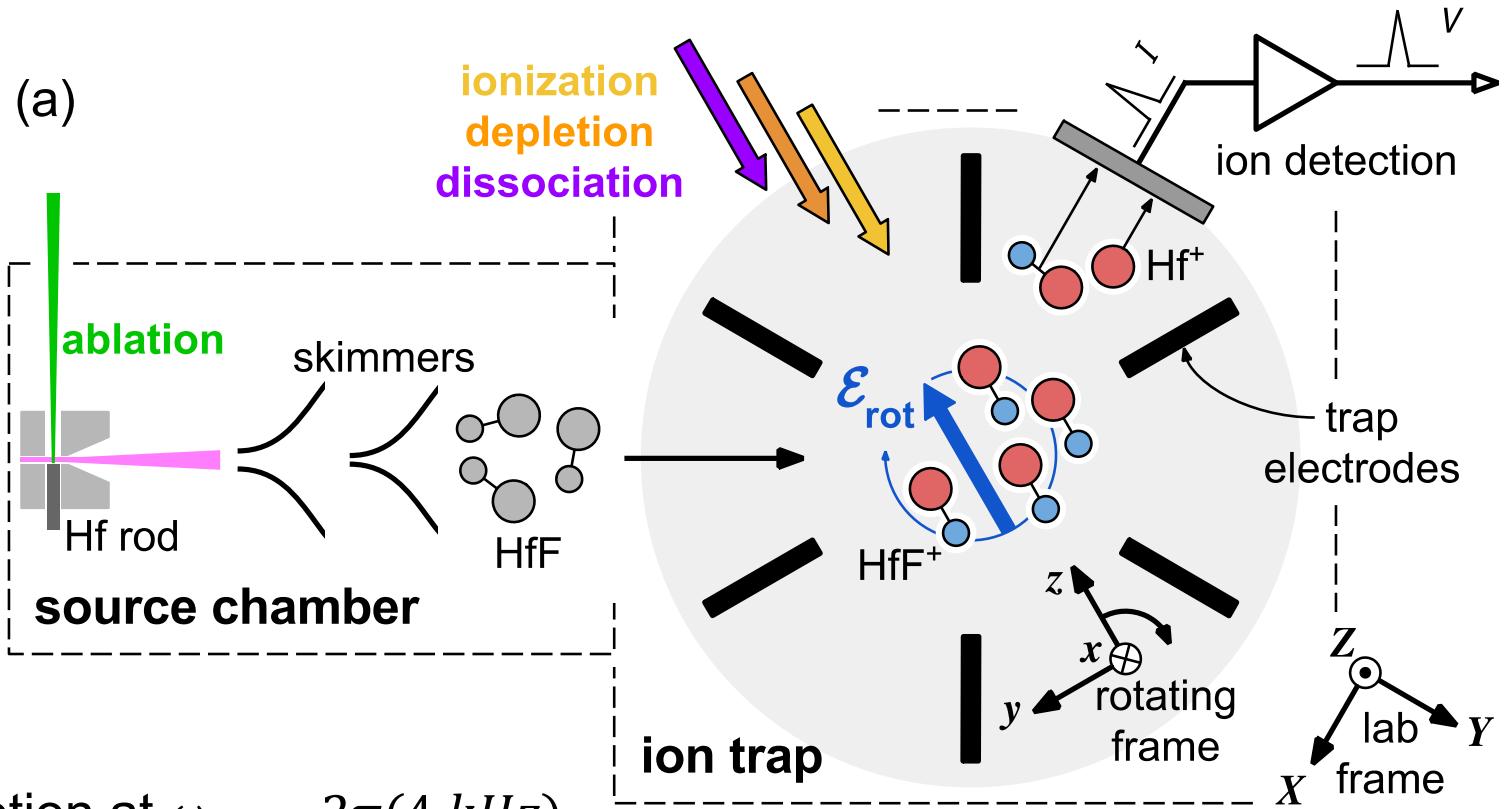


ω_{rot} is:
BIG enough that radius
of "micromotion" circle
is small compared to
trap size.

SMALL enough so that
 $d_{\text{mol}} E \gg \omega_{\text{rot}}$ and the
molecule axis stays
aligned with E.

One does Zeeman-level
spectroscopy then
in the rotating frame.

Apparatus

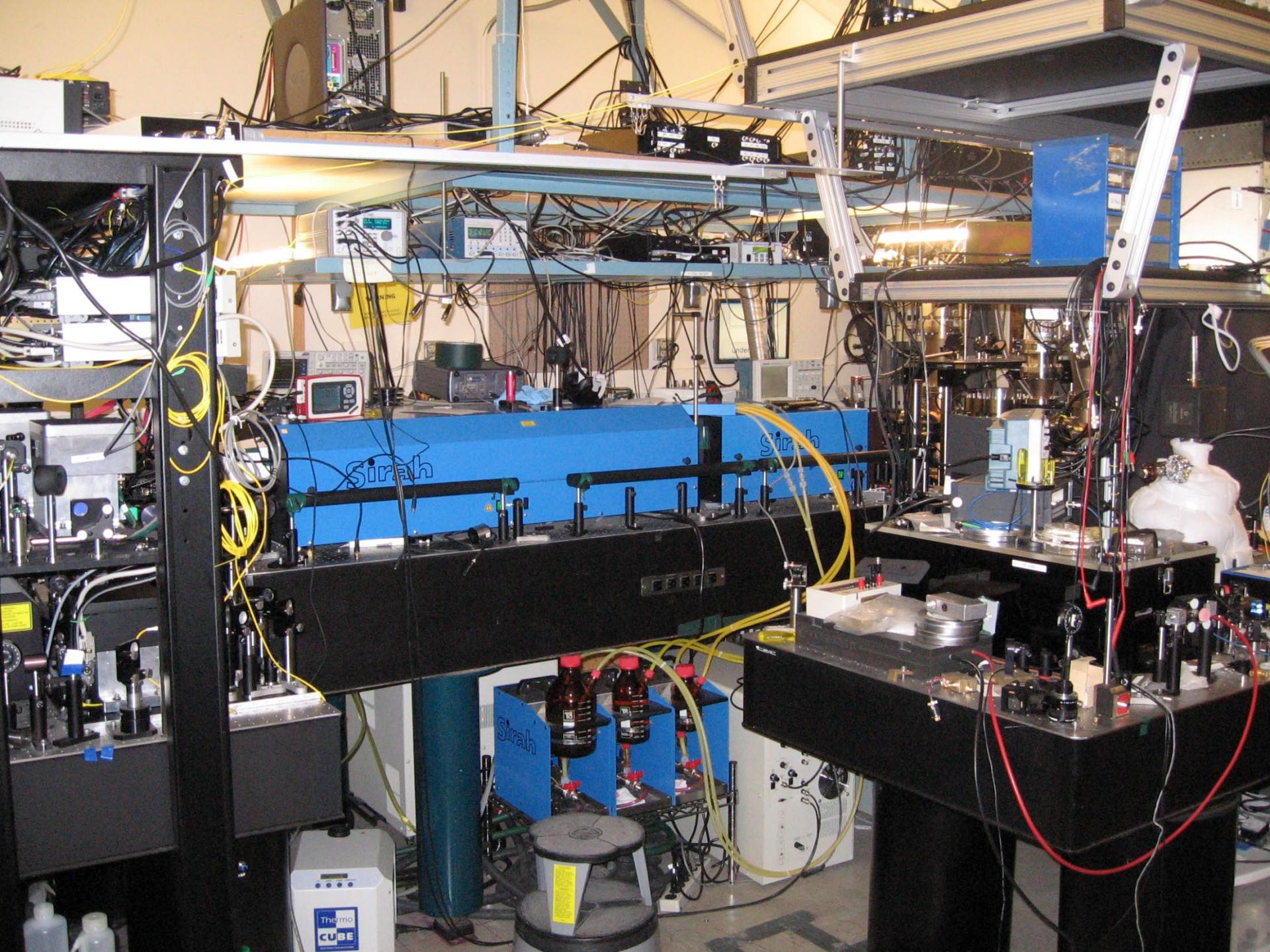


Secular trap motion at $\omega_{Sec} \sim 2\pi(4 \text{ kHz})$

"RF" micromotion at $\omega_{rf} = 2\pi(50 \text{ kHz})$

Rotational micromotion at $\omega_{rot} = 2\pi(250 \text{ kHz})$

Rotating magnetic field: not sensitive to DC fields



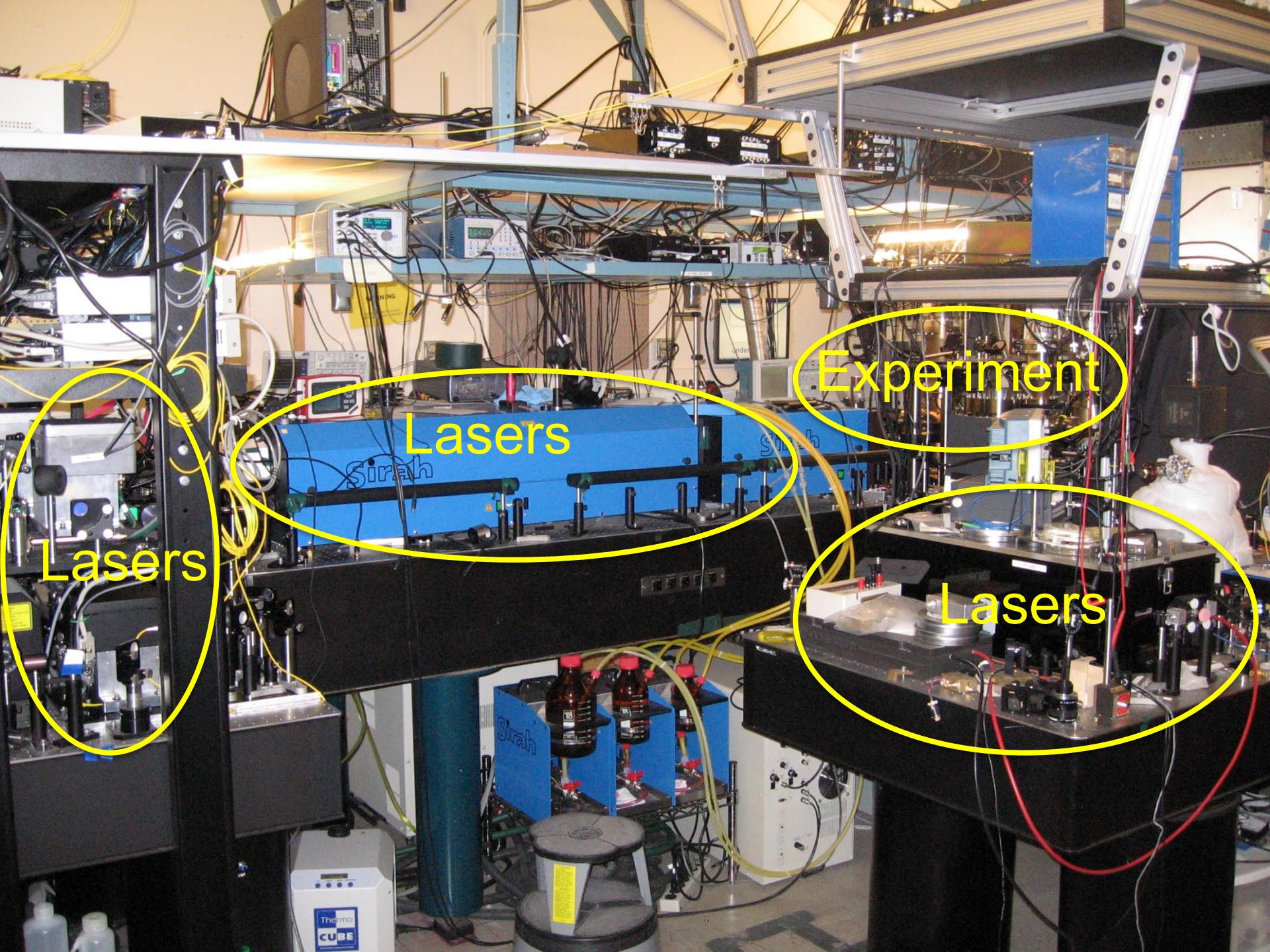
Initial state preparation:

photo-ionization, coherent transfer,
m-level depletion.

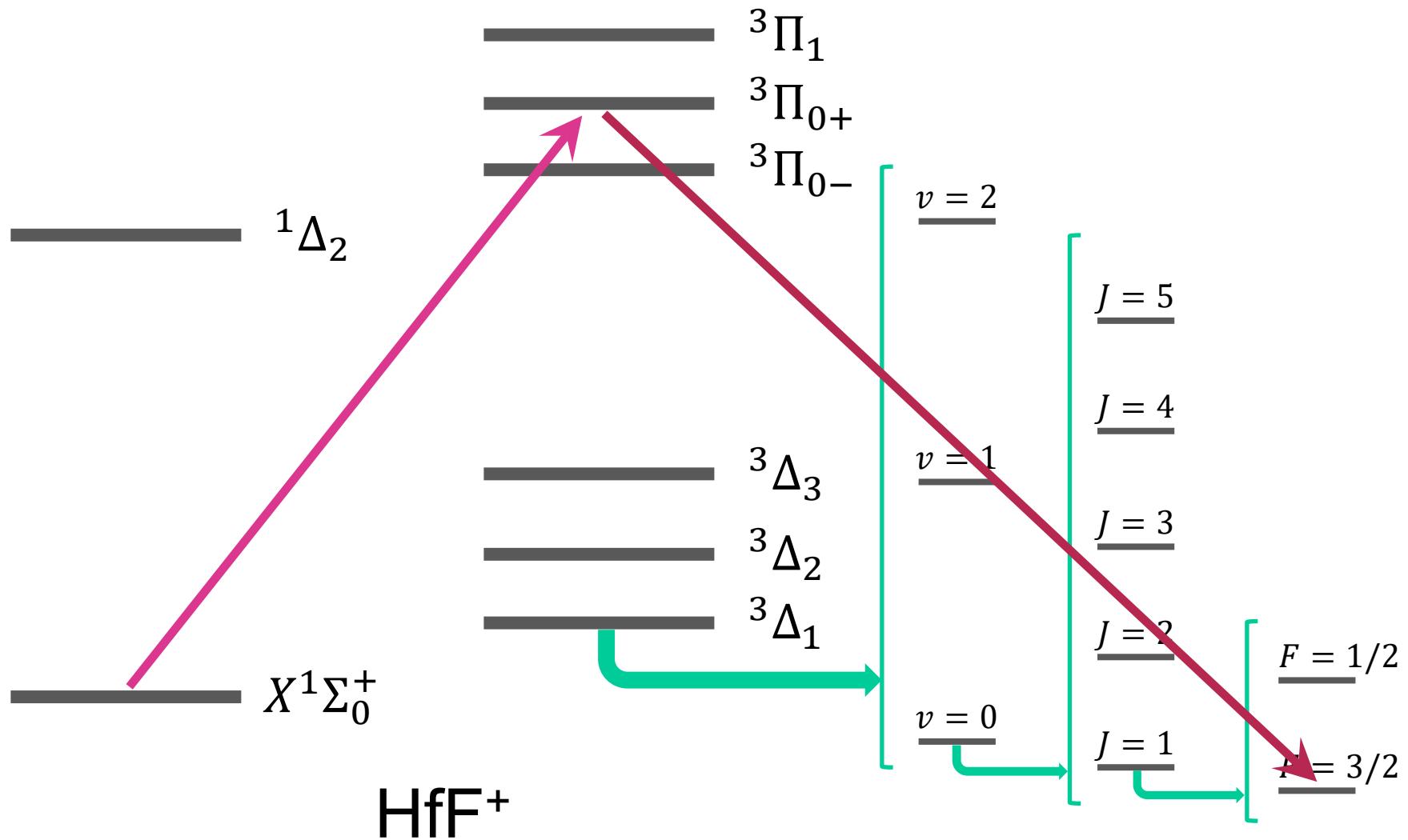
(2 tunable UV lasers, 2 tunable IR)

Final spin state read-out:

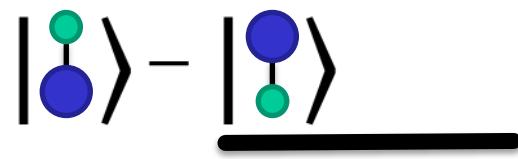
(another tunable UV laser and a fixed-freq UV laser

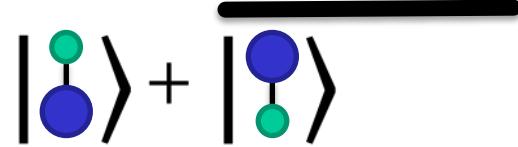


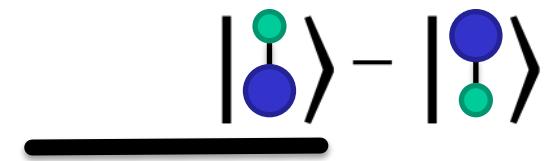
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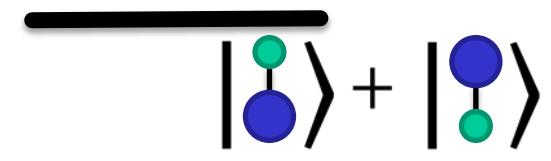


$^3\Delta_1, J=1, F=3/2$

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$$|\text{---}\rangle + |\text{---}\rangle$$


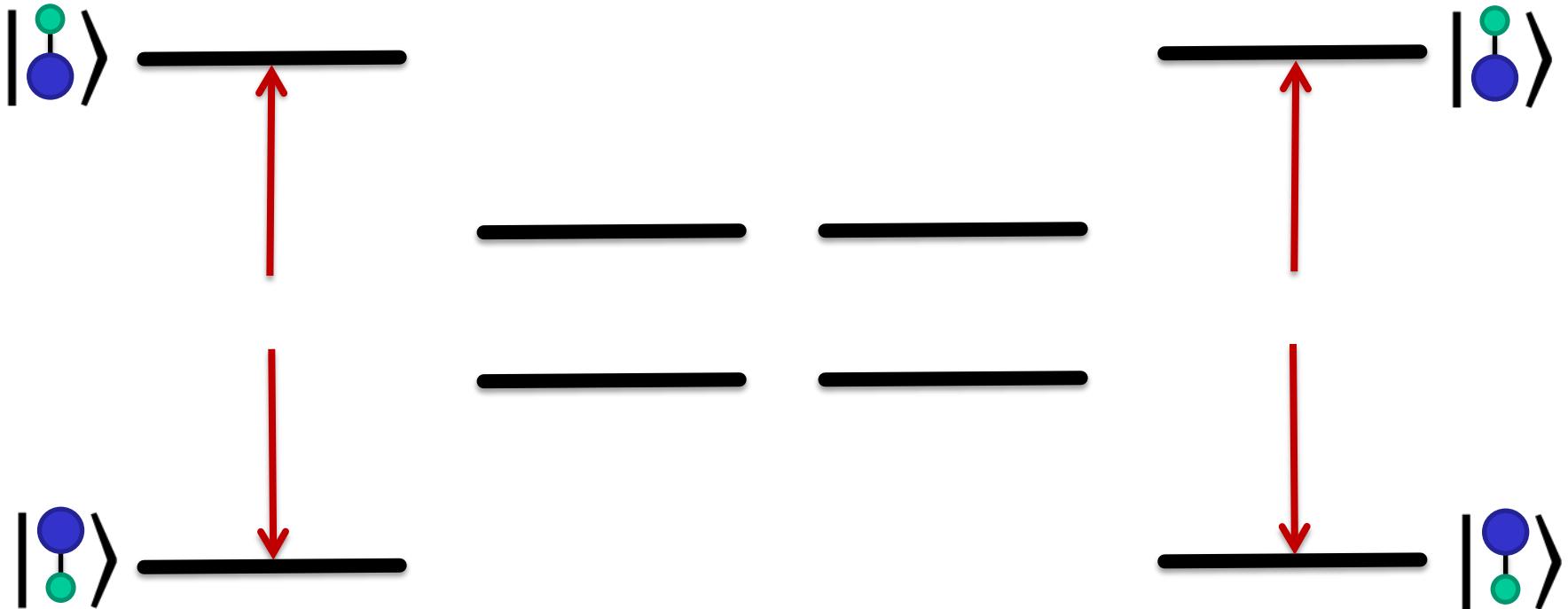
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$\uparrow E_{rot}$

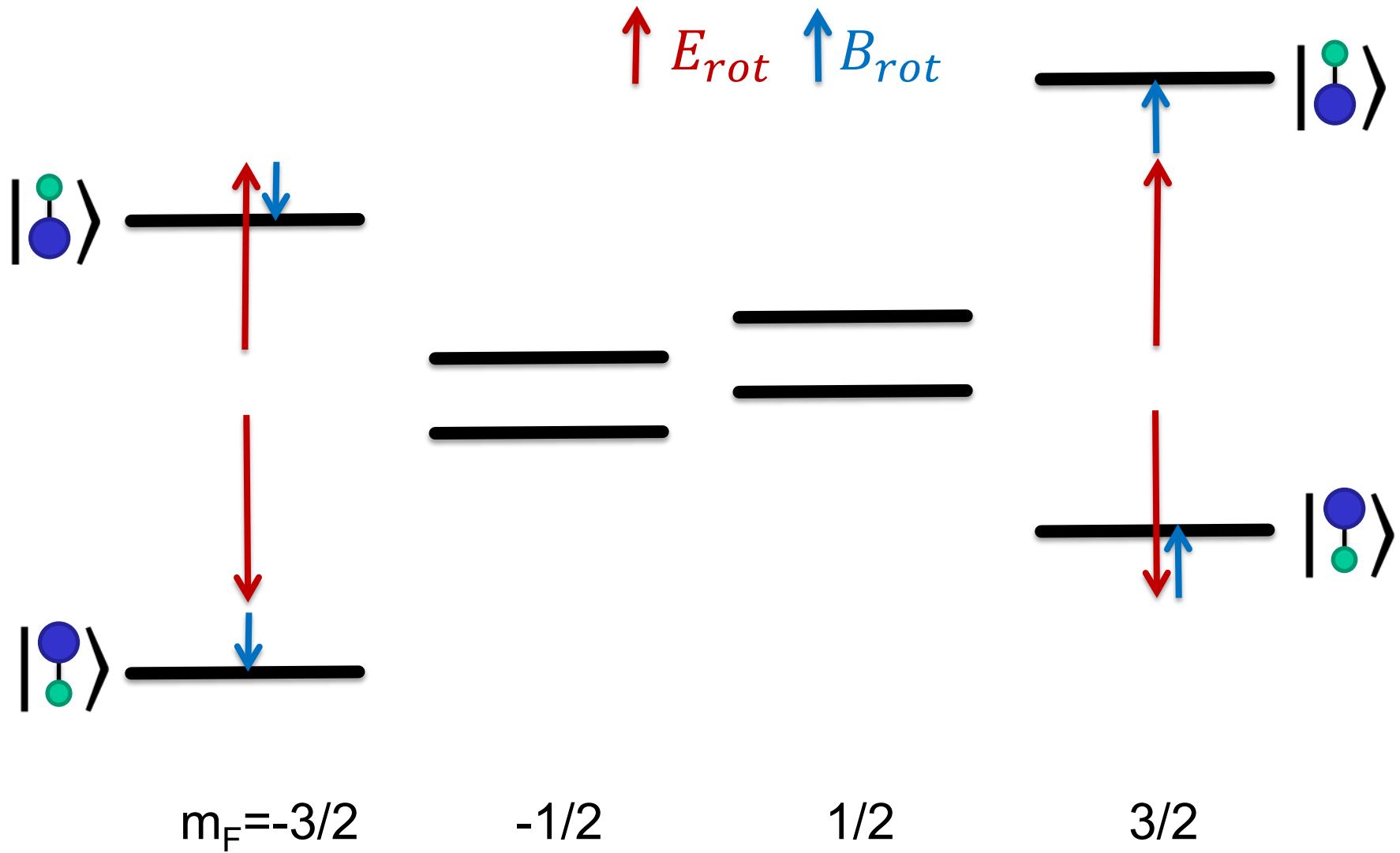


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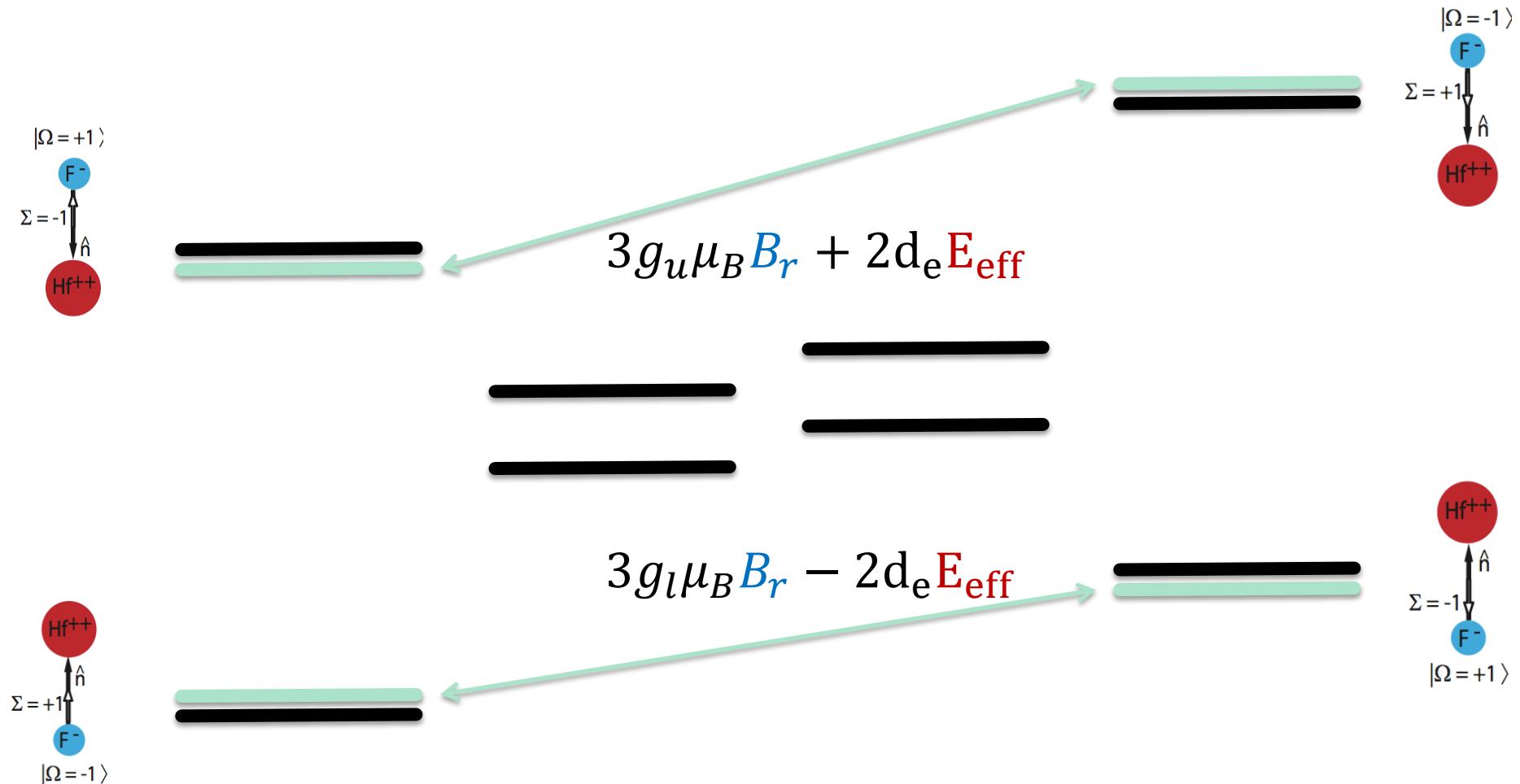
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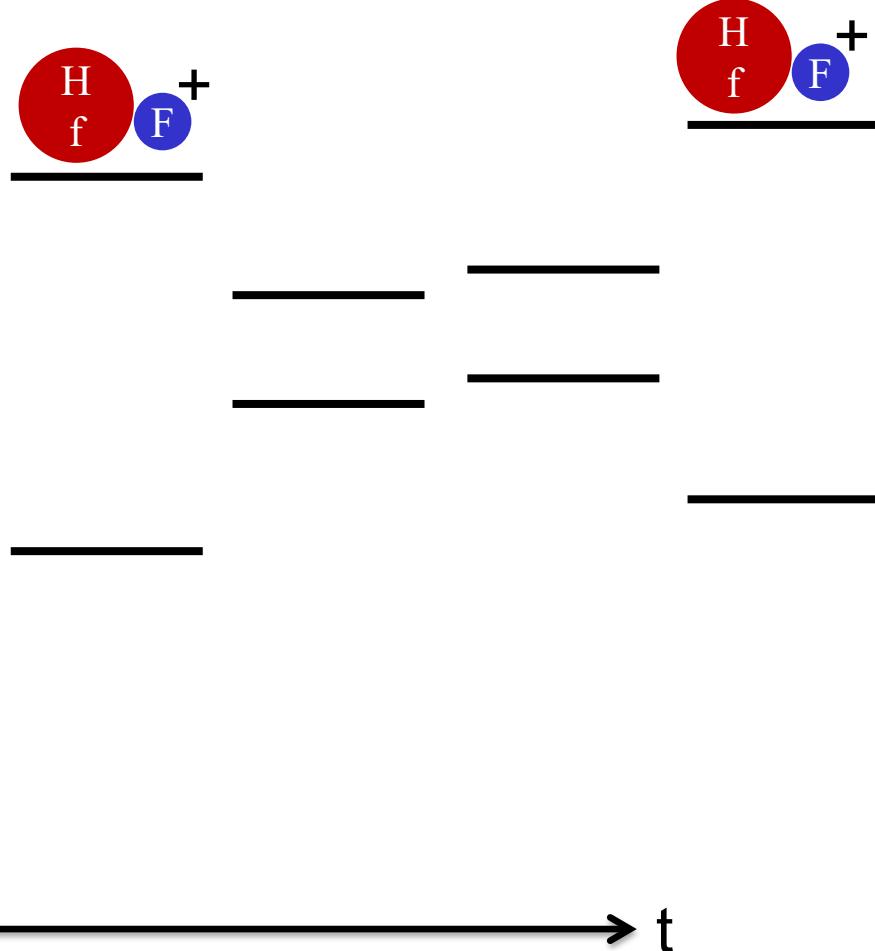
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“The Demille Idea”

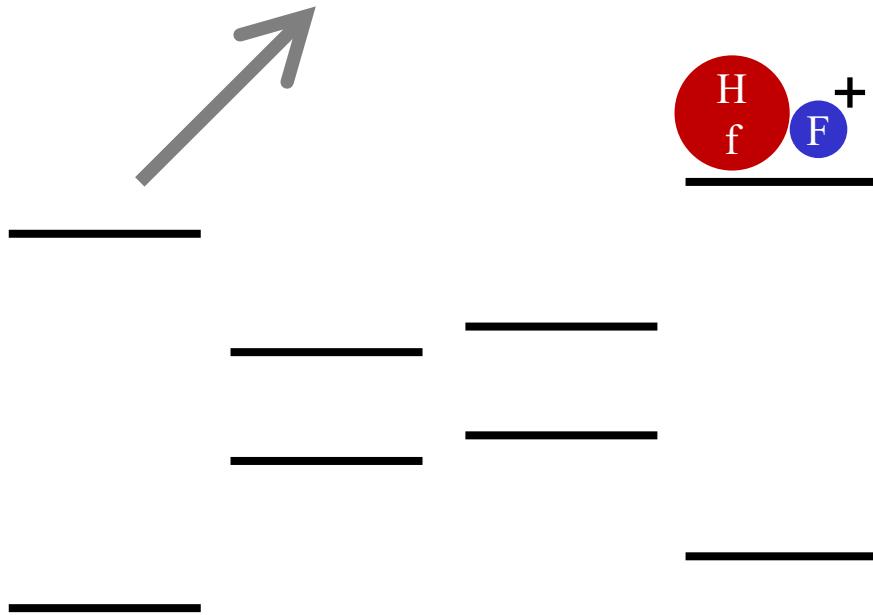
Ramsey Sequence

Transfer lasers
prepare
population in a
single pair of
Stark states



Ramsey Sequence

Optically deplete the population of one m_F level using strobbed circularly polarized light

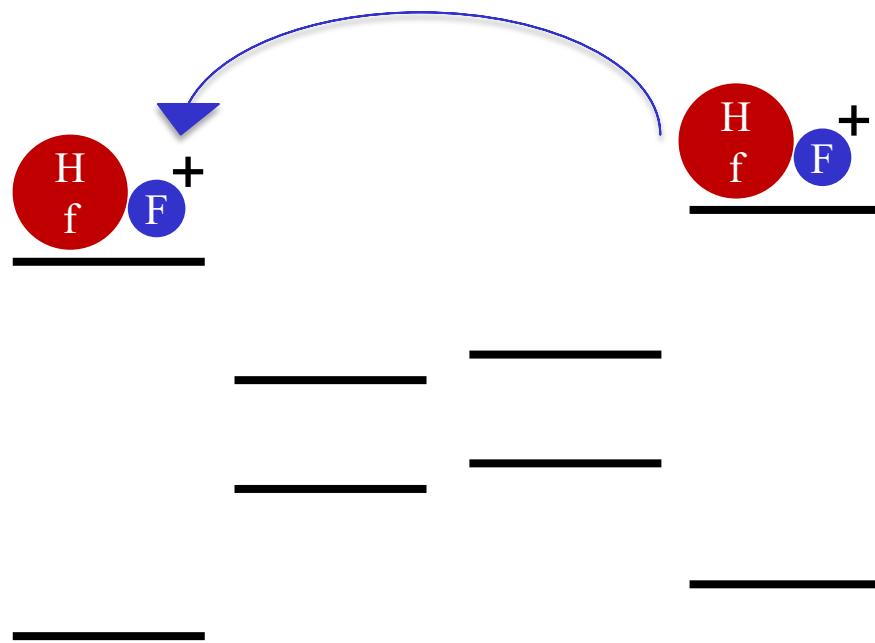
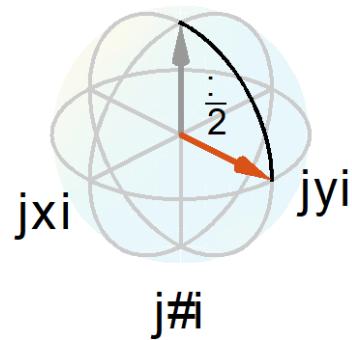


Ramsey Sequence

$\pi/2$ pulse puts system
into the superposition

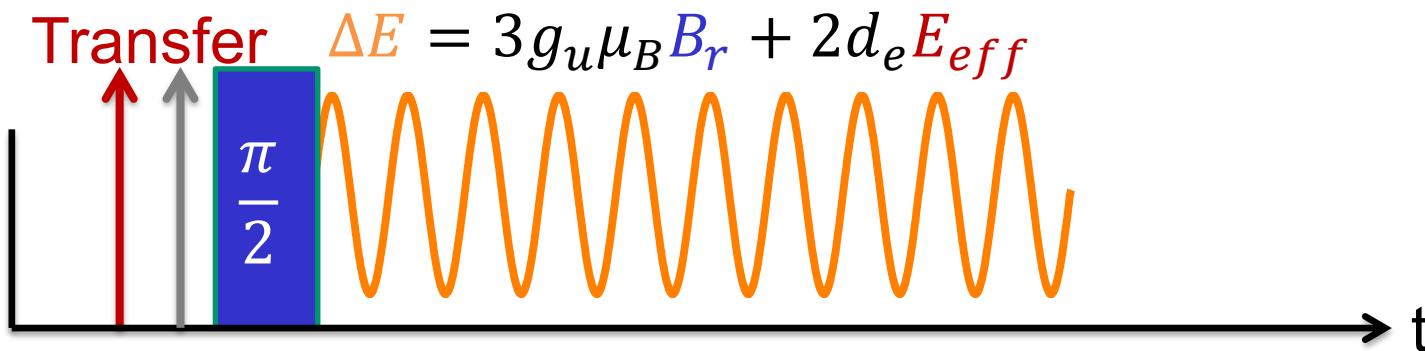
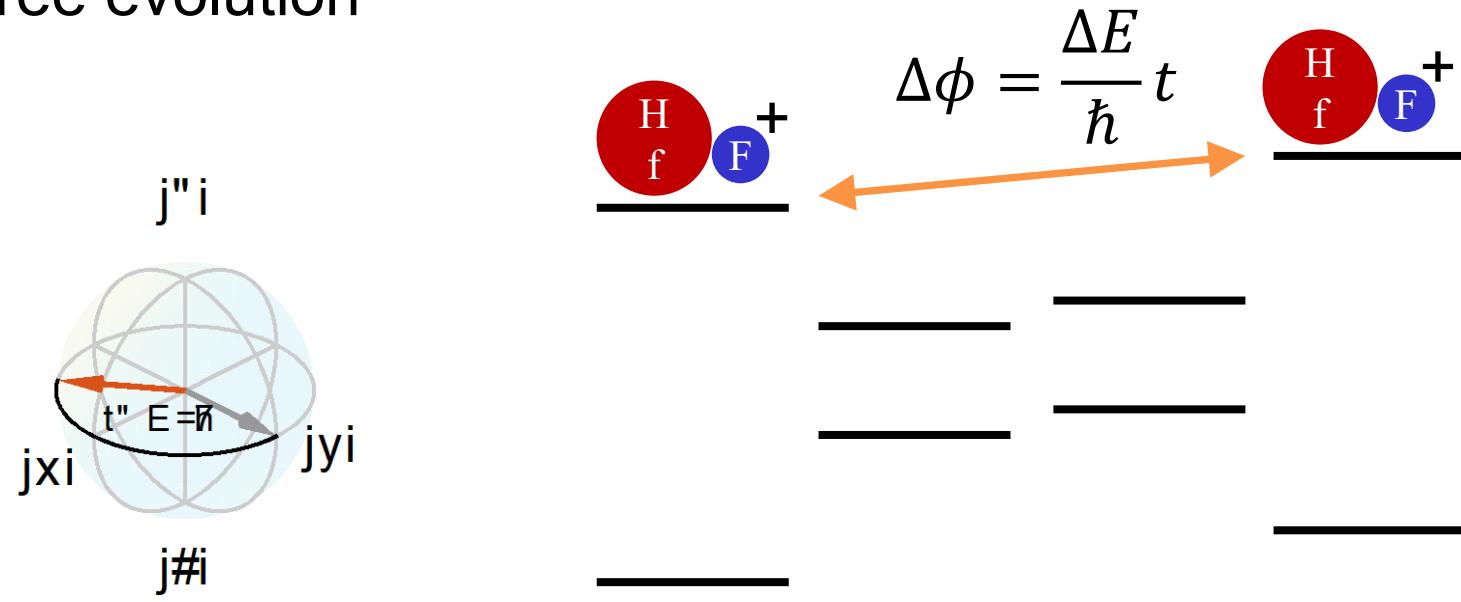
$$\left| m_F = -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle + \left| m_F = +\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle$$

$j''i$



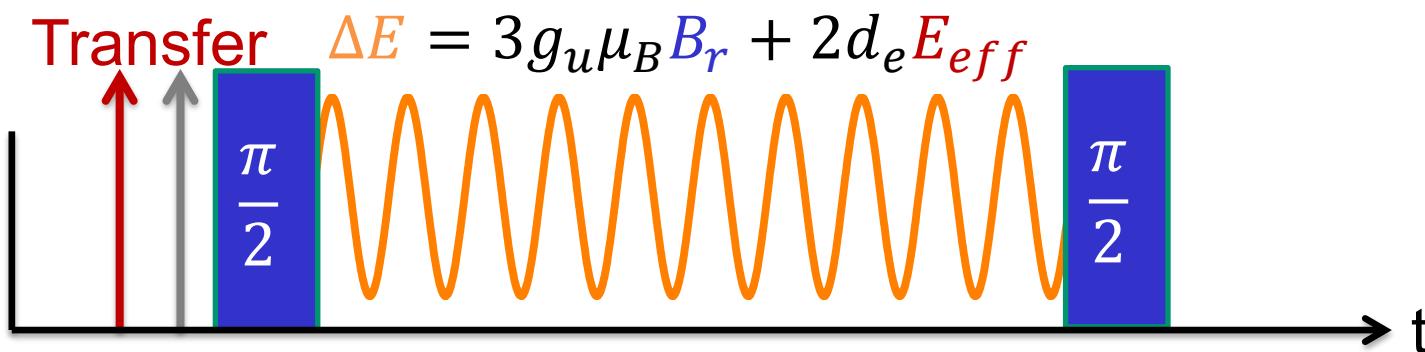
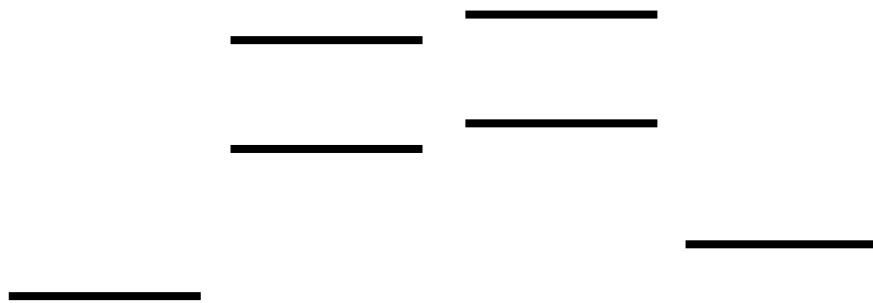
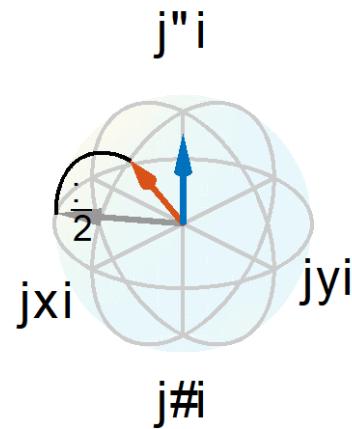
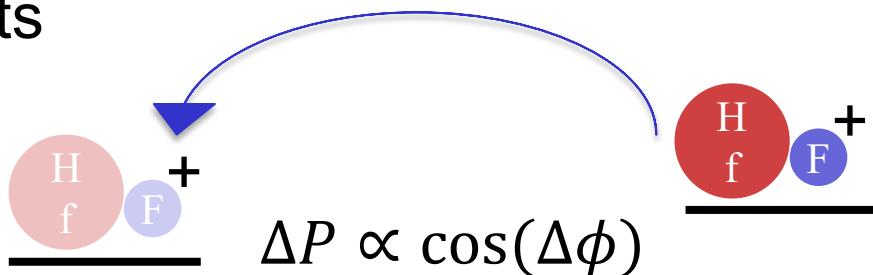
Ramsey Sequence

Free evolution



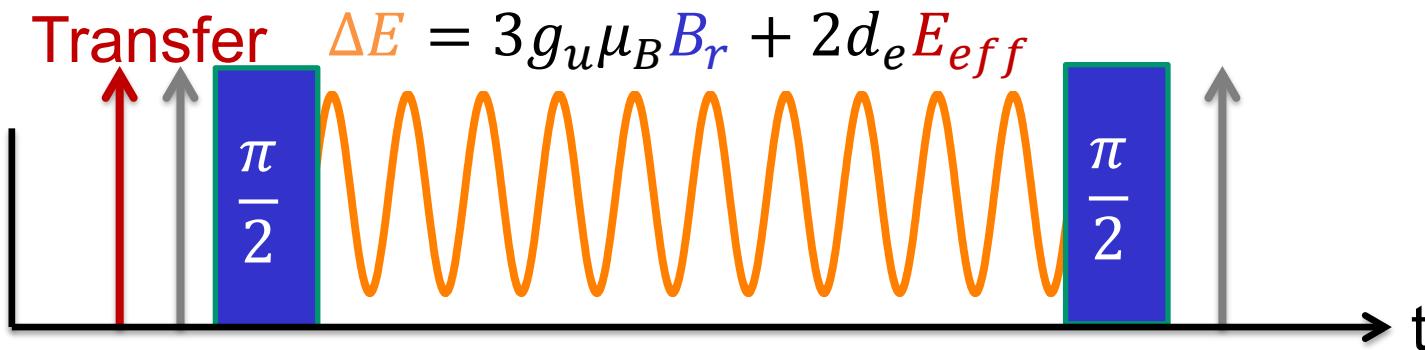
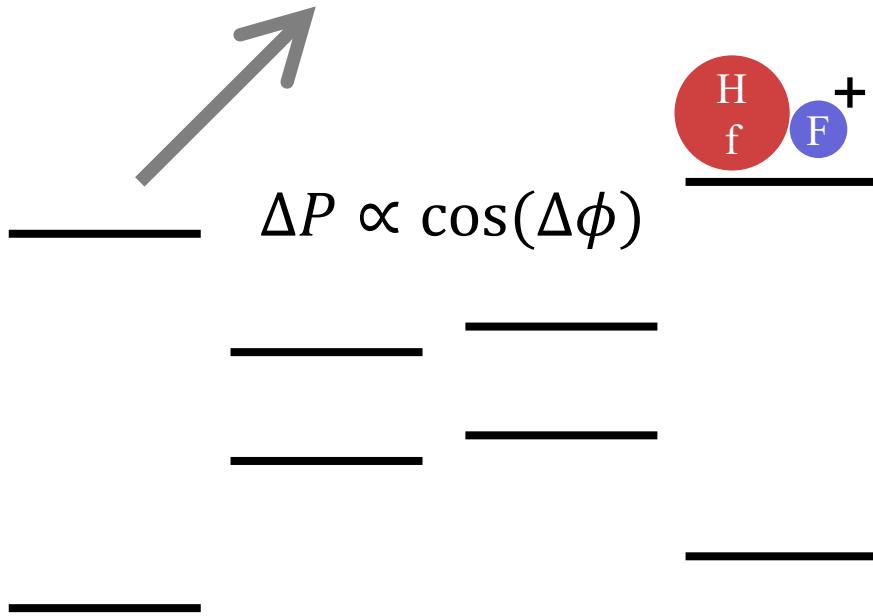
Ramsey Sequence

A second $\pi/2$ pulse projects
the phase onto population



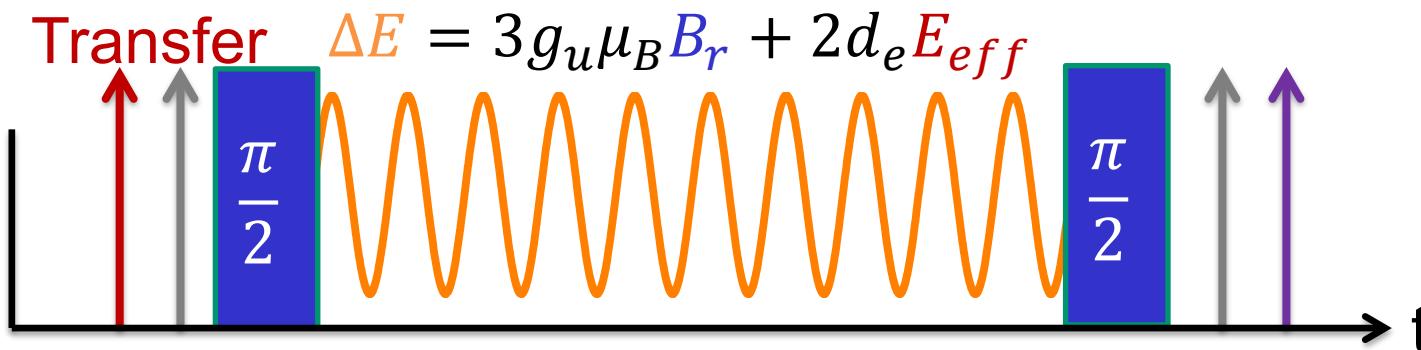
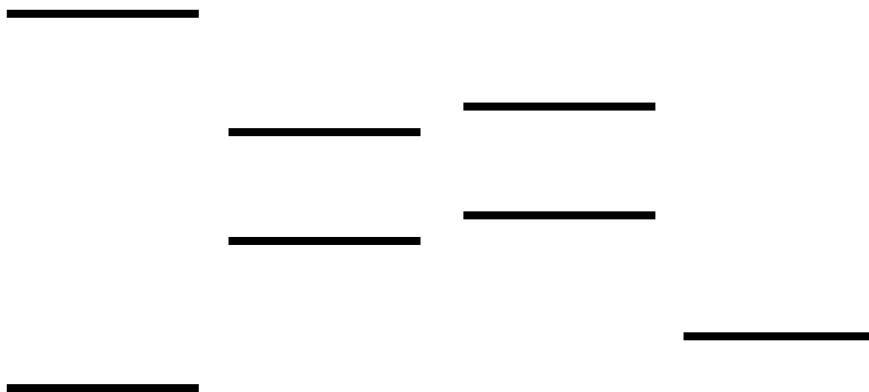
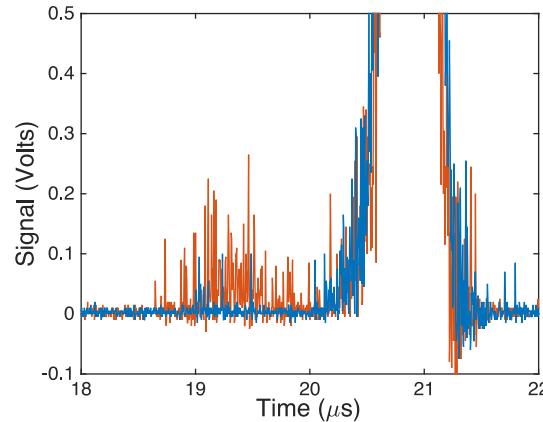
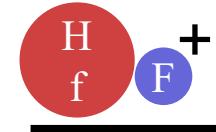
Ramsey Sequence

Optically deplete population out of one of the m_F levels

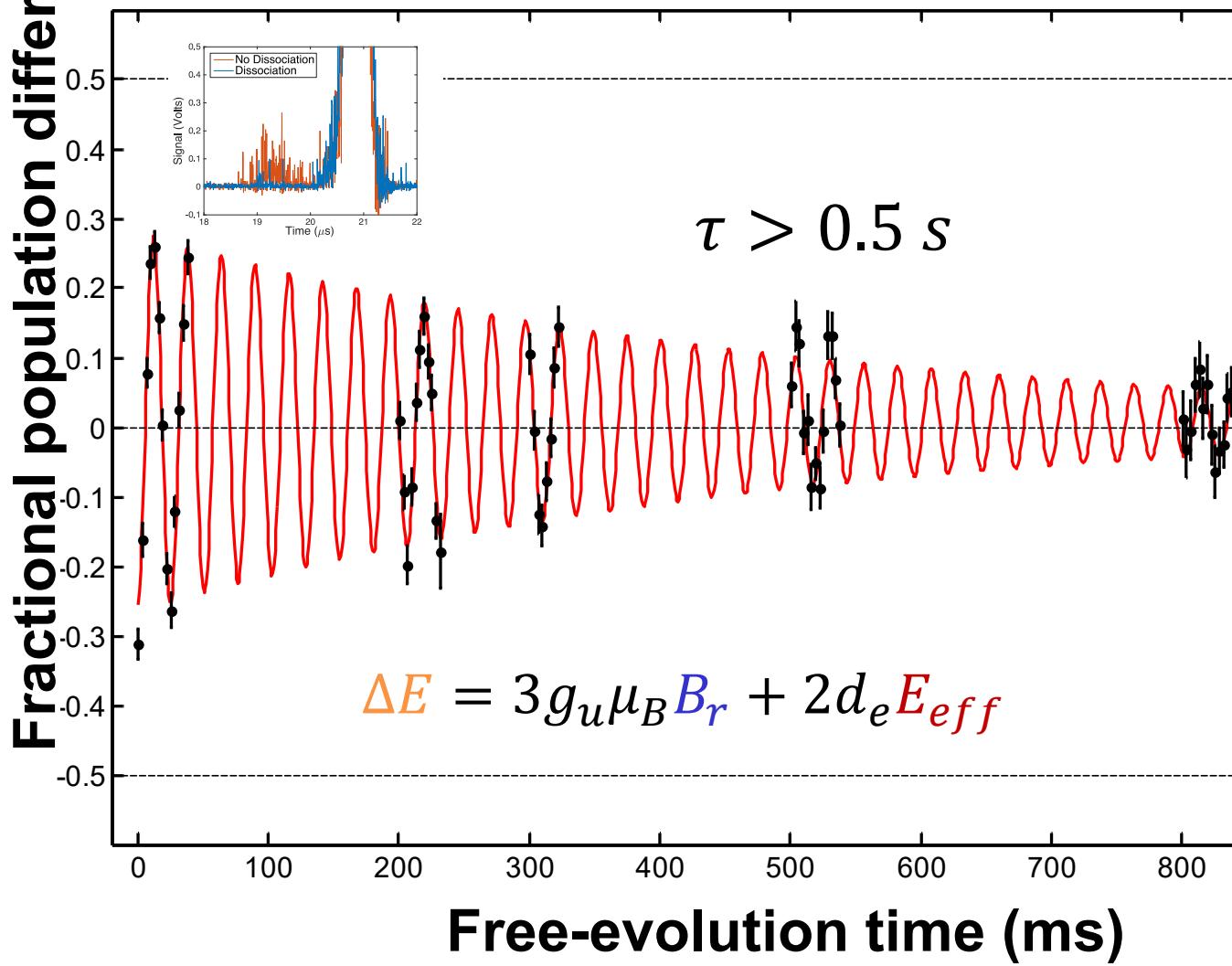


Ramsey Sequence

Dissociate all of the ions
in the $J = 1$ level, and
count Hf^+ ions in the trap

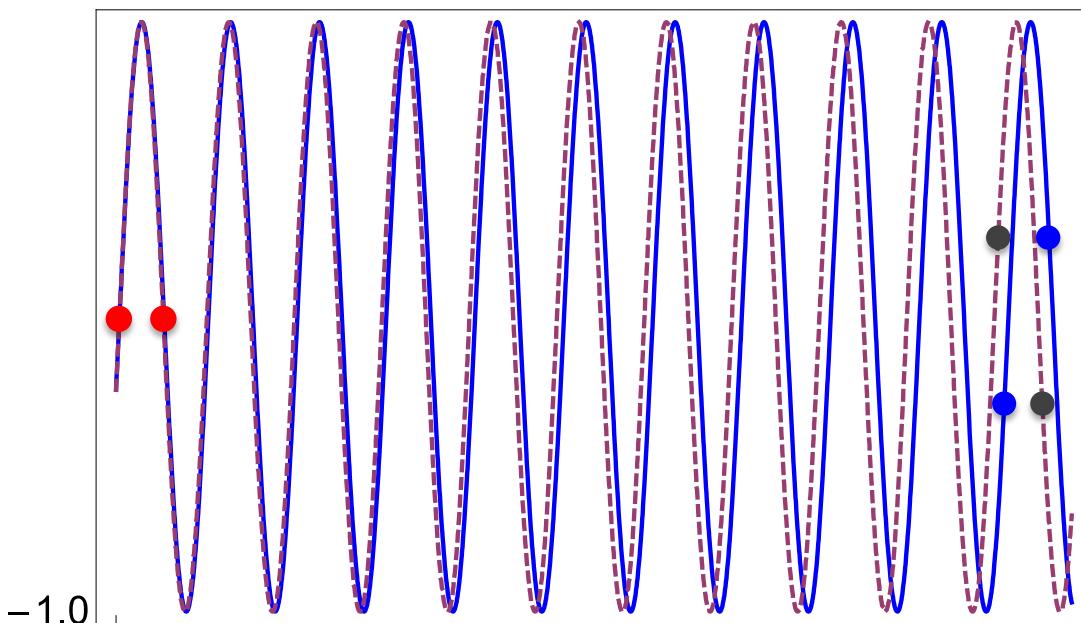


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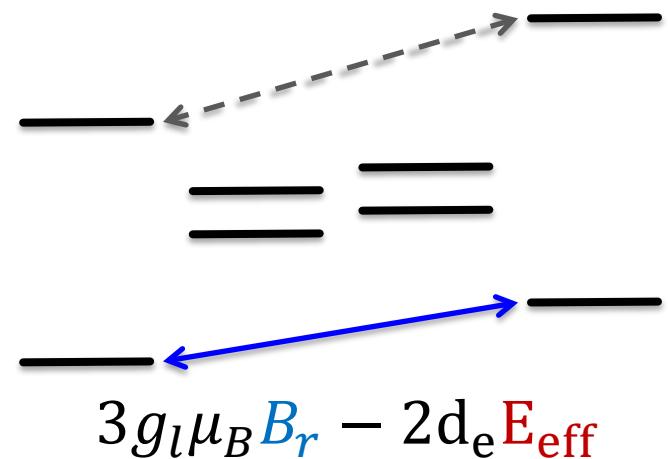


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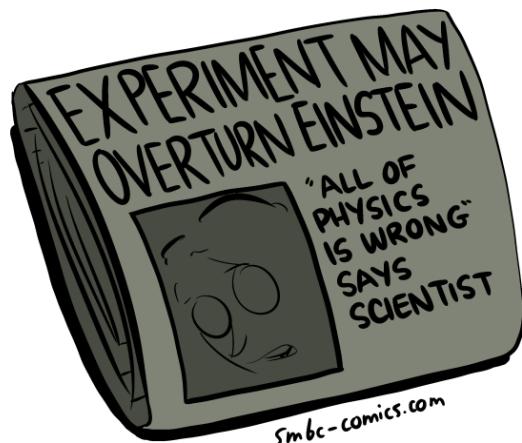
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Systematics

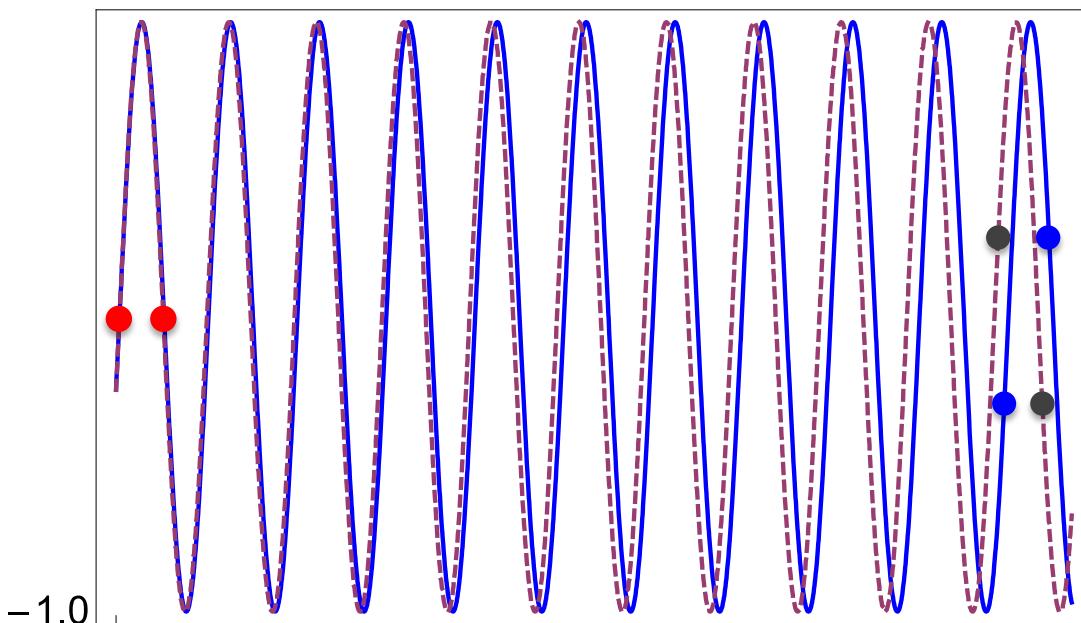


How to make sure you're
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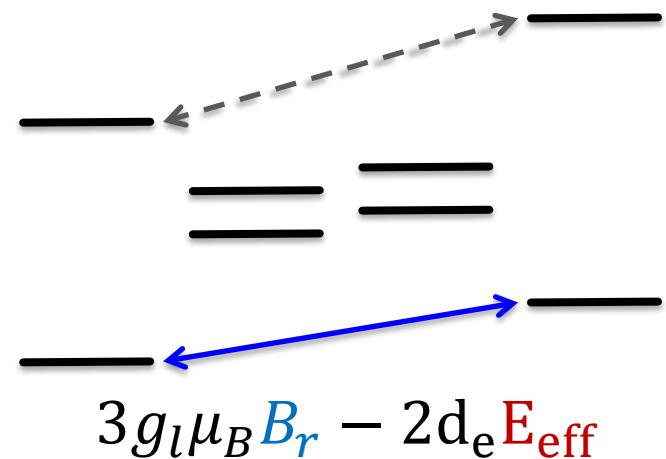


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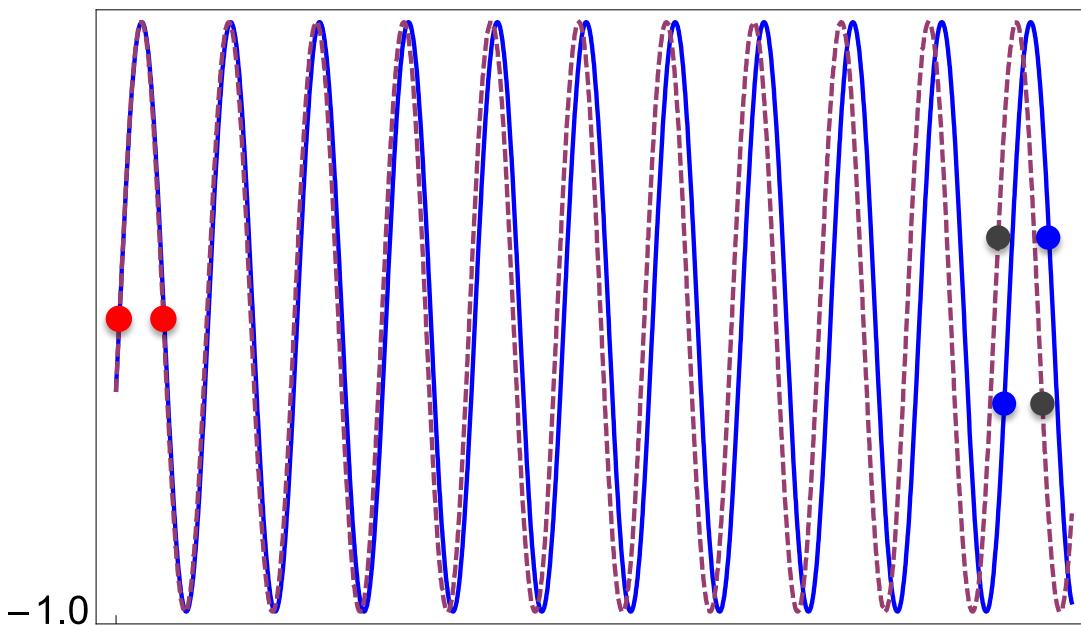


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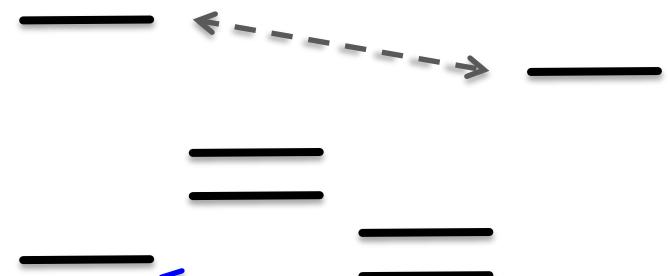


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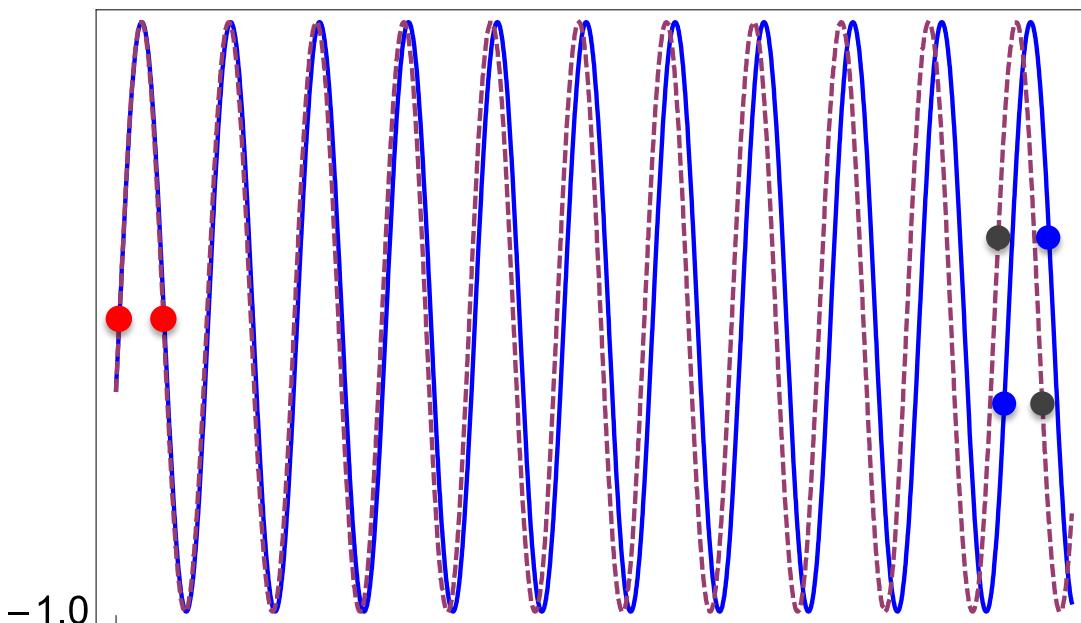
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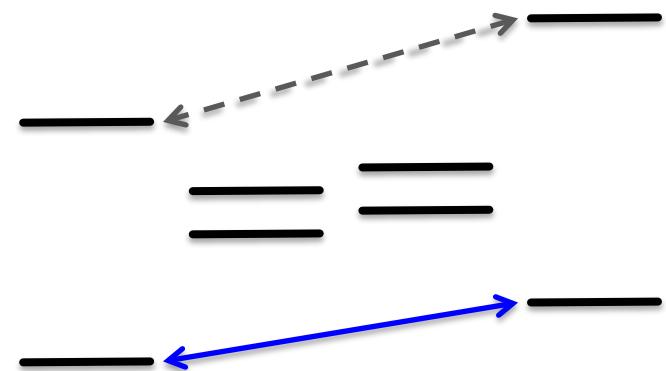
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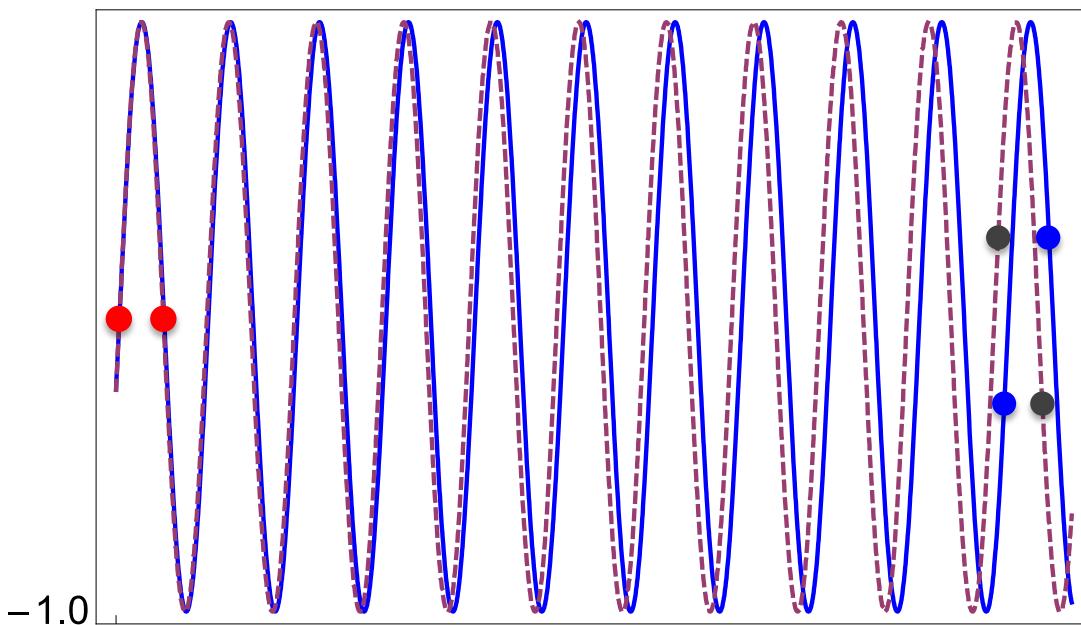
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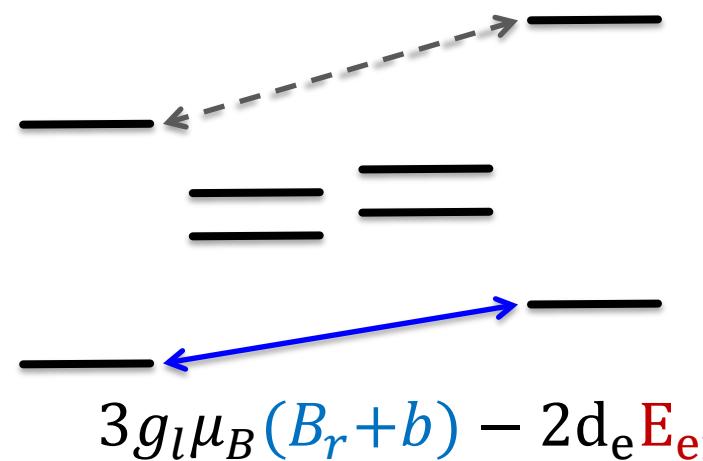
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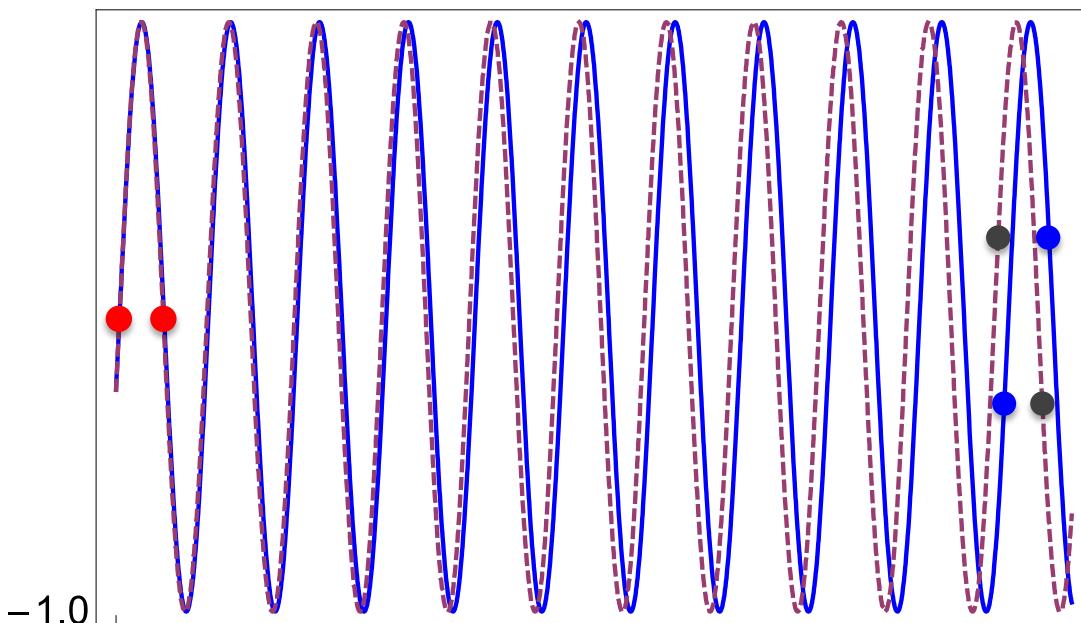


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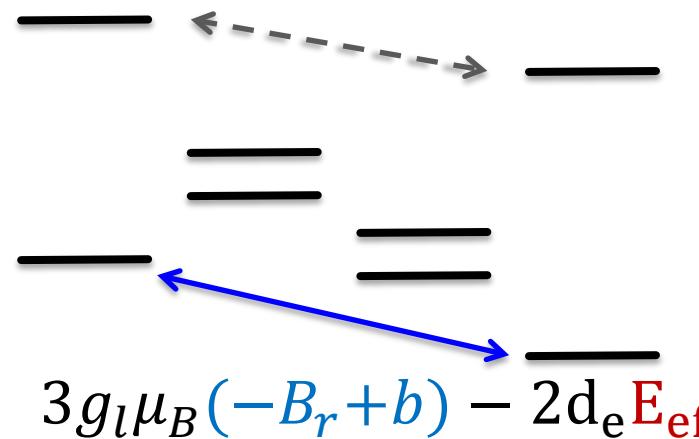


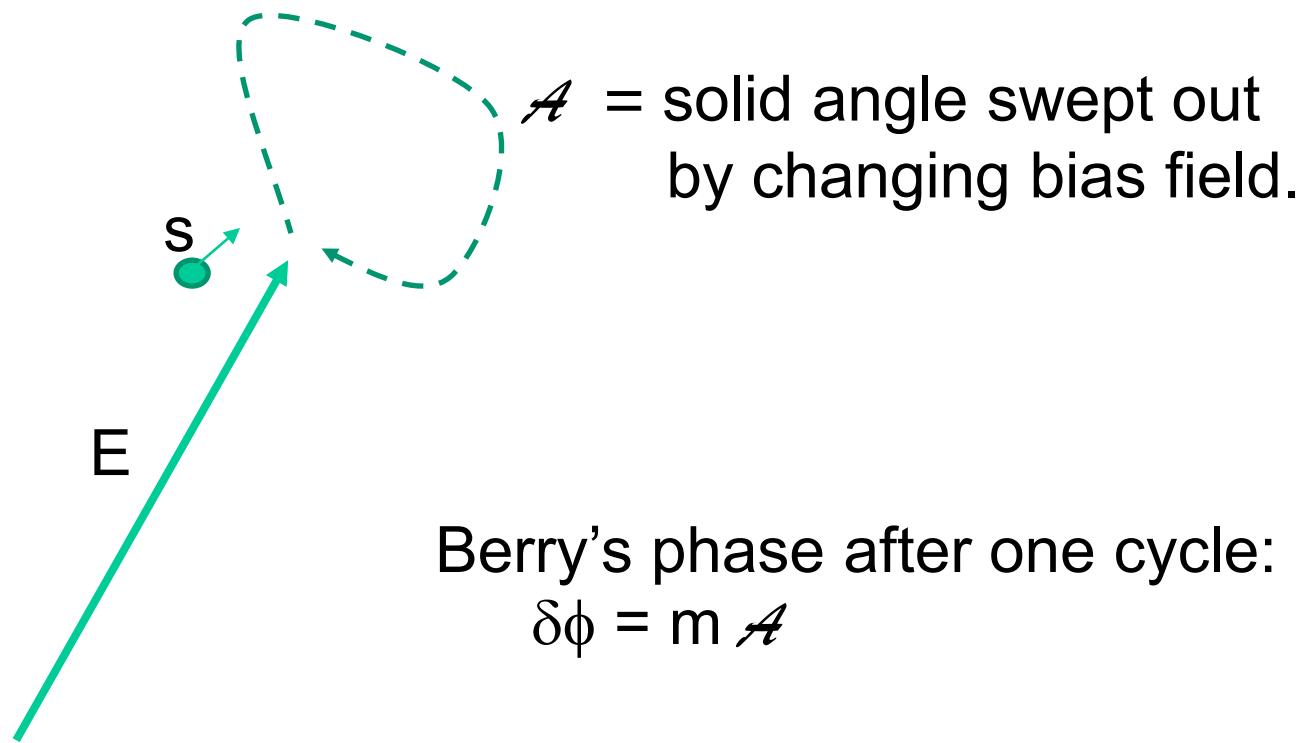
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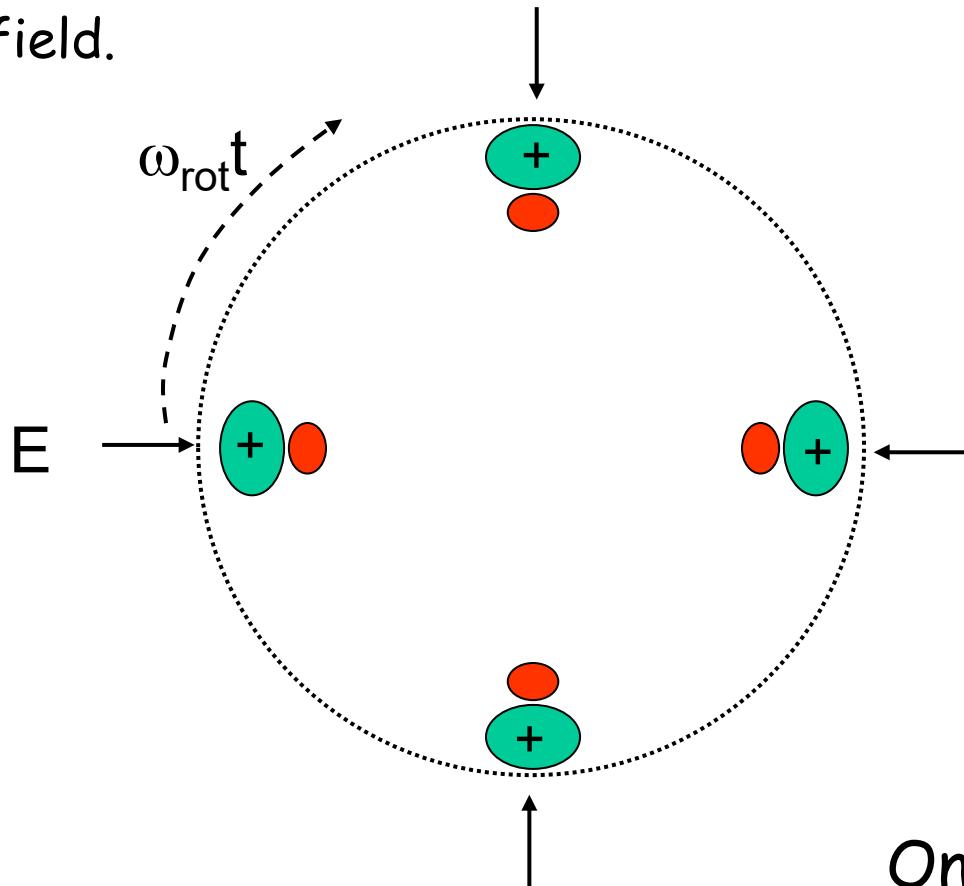




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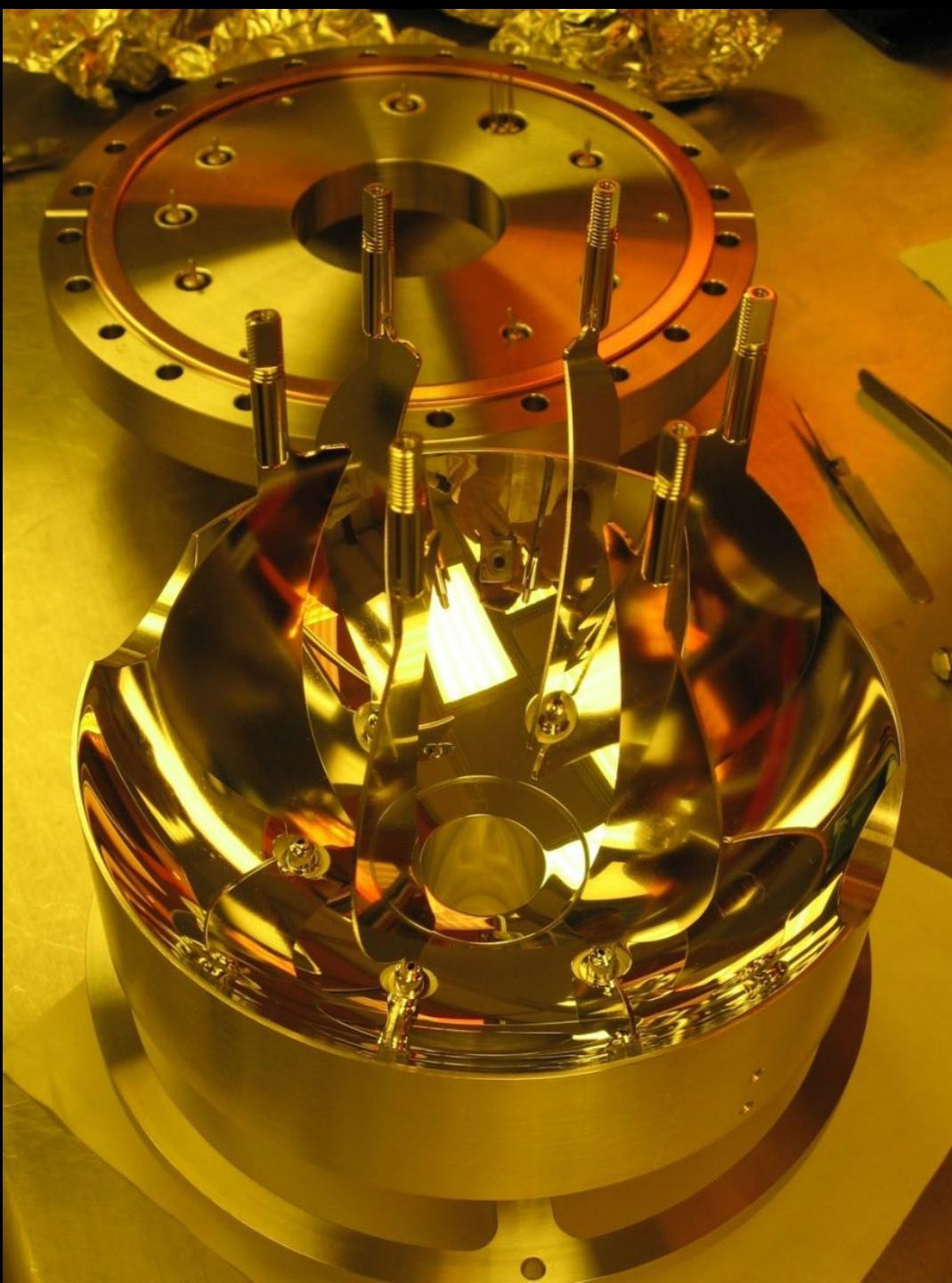
\mathcal{A} = solid angle swept out
by changing bias field.

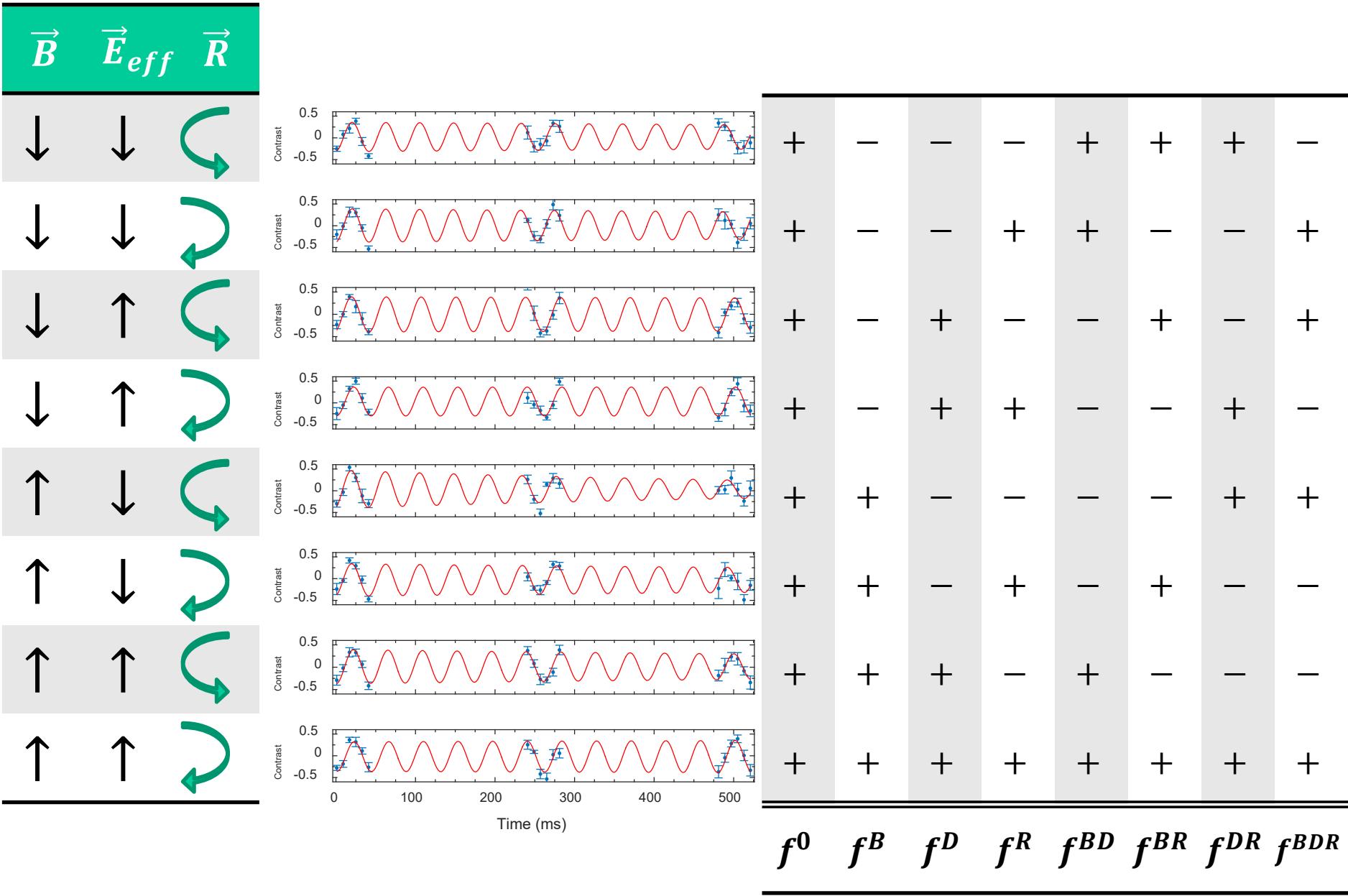
Berry's phase after one cycle:

$$\delta\phi = m \mathcal{A}$$



Basic scale of Berry's phase related freq shift
in our experient: 750 kHz. Rough place to do
1 mHz spectroscopy?

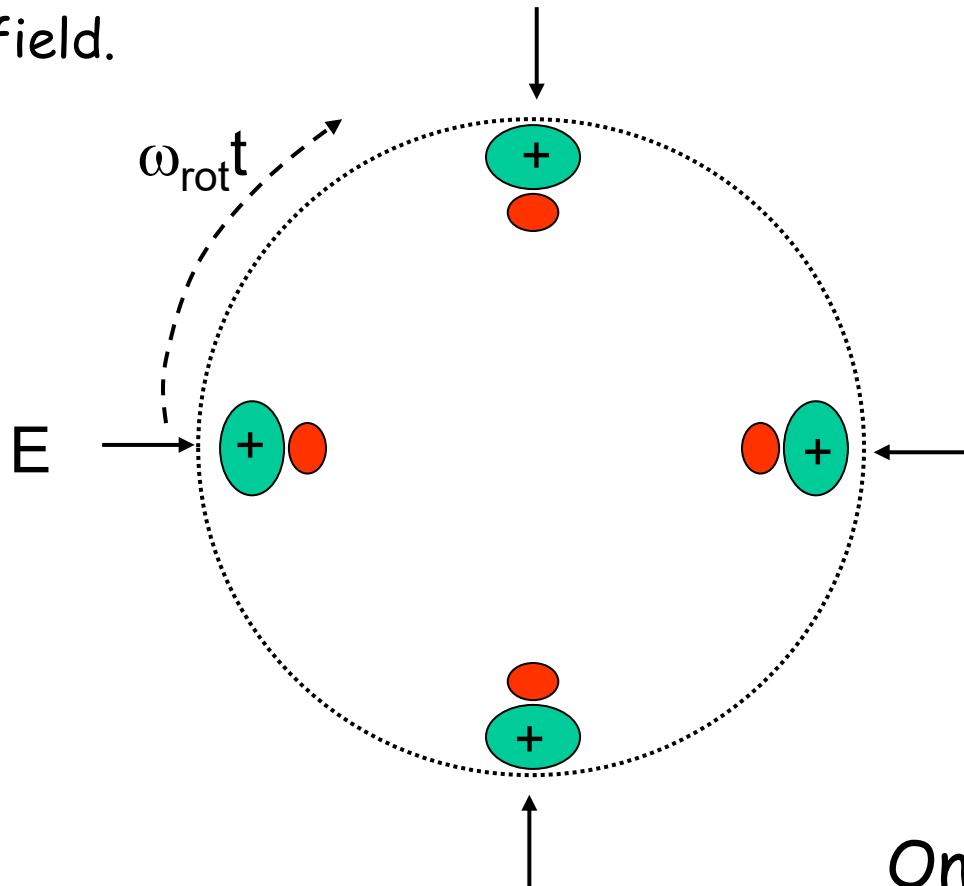




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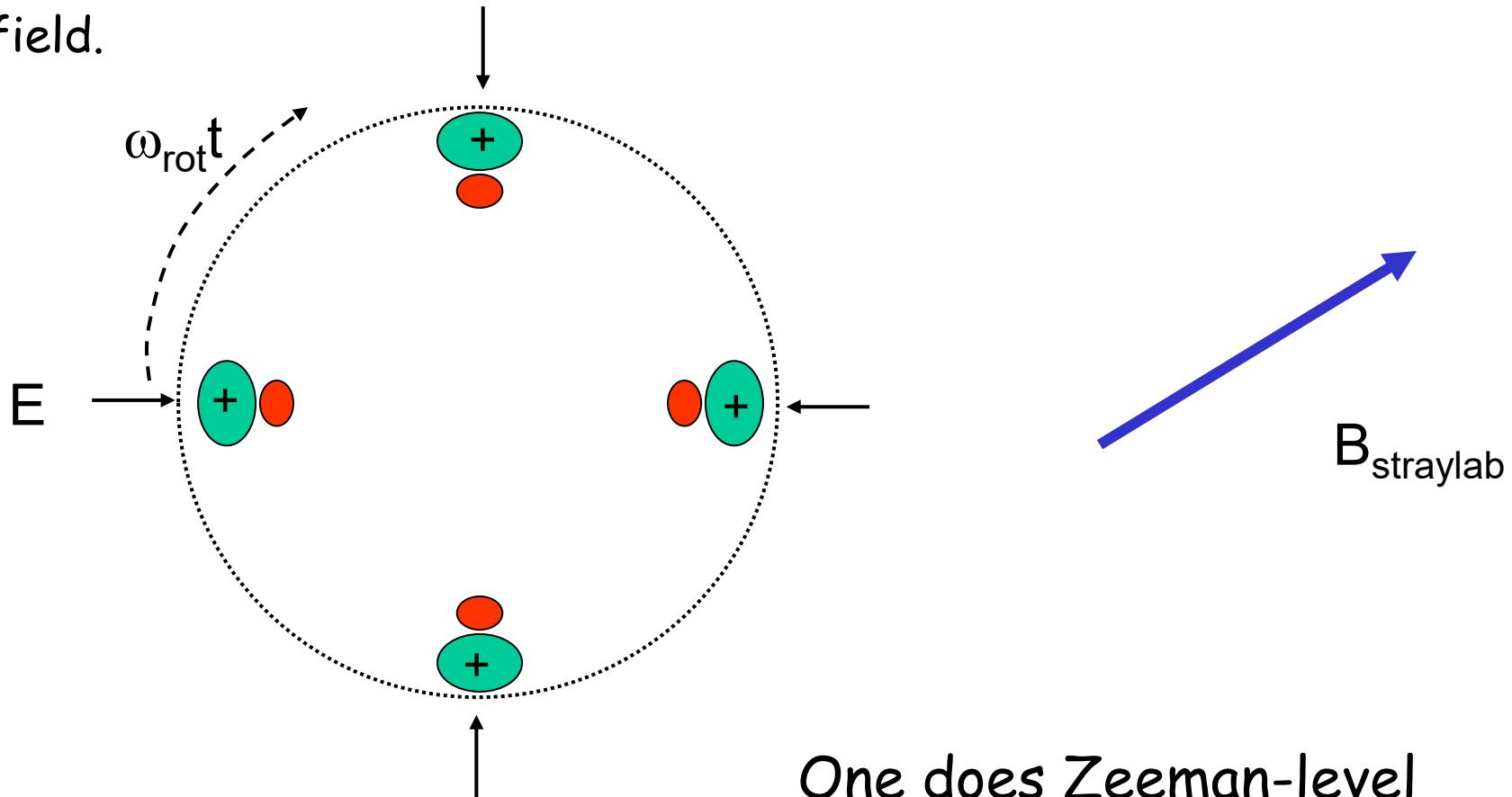


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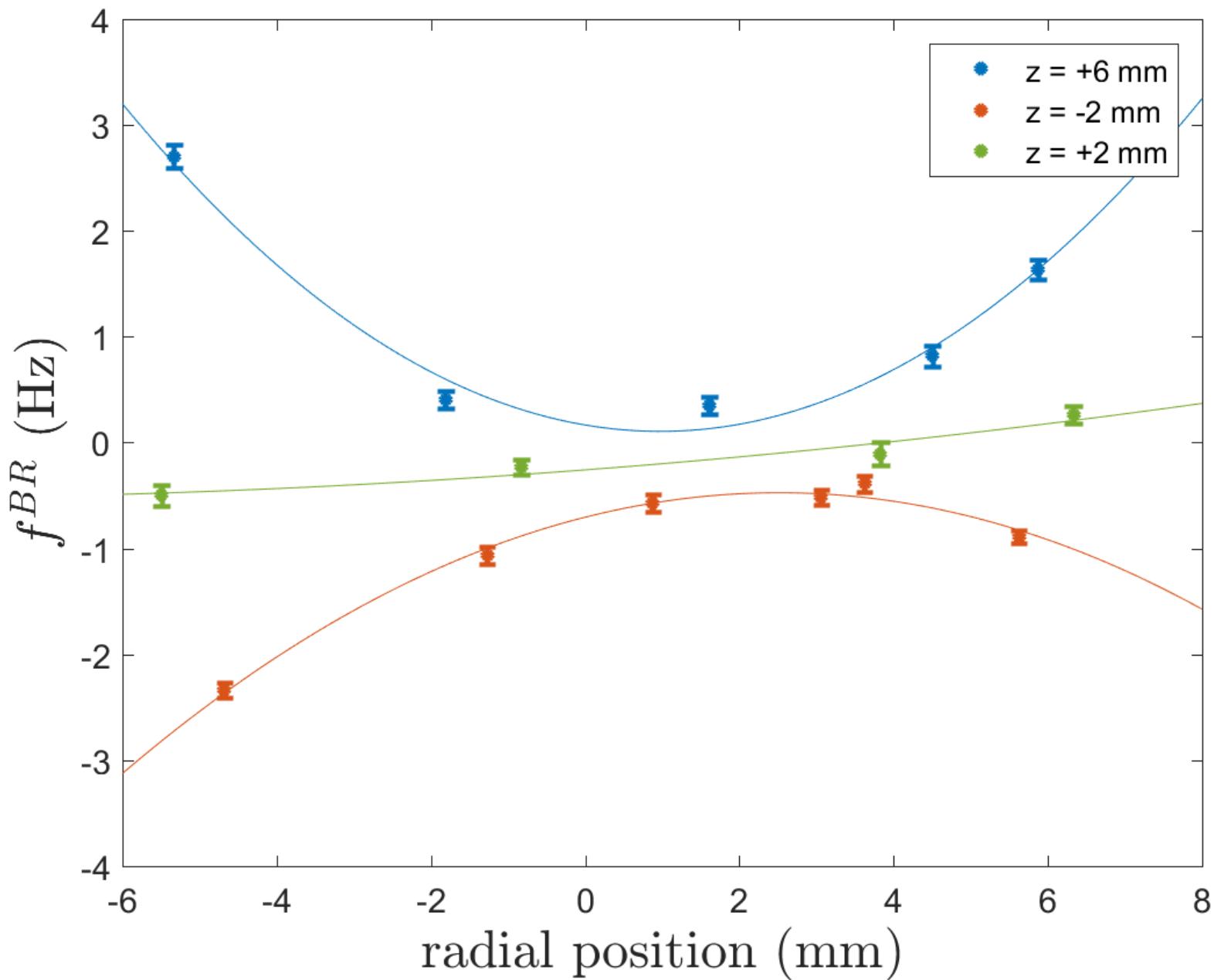
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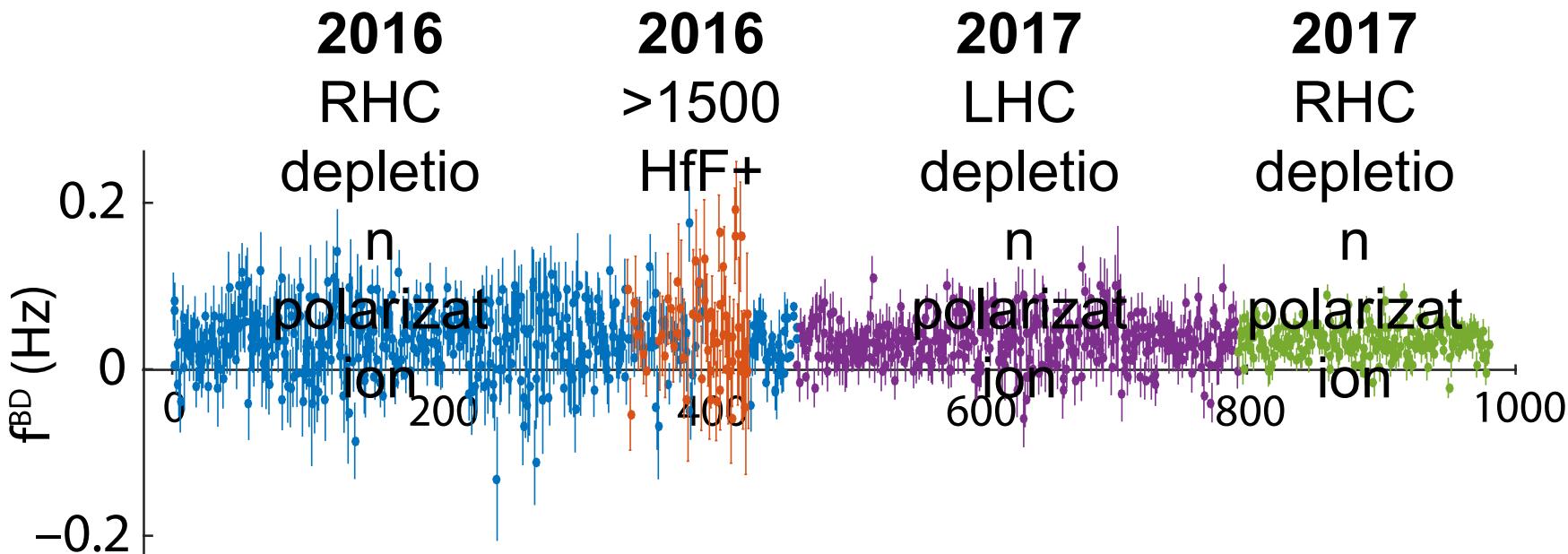
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True! (or, true, except...)





Frequency channel	All data	2017 only
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f^{DR}	$-0.6(8)$ mHz	$-1(1)$ mHz
f^{BD}	$34.5(8)$ mHz	$34.4(1.0)$ mHz
f^{BDR}	$0.4(9)$ mHz	$-0.3(1.0)$ mHz

We are taking data “blind”!

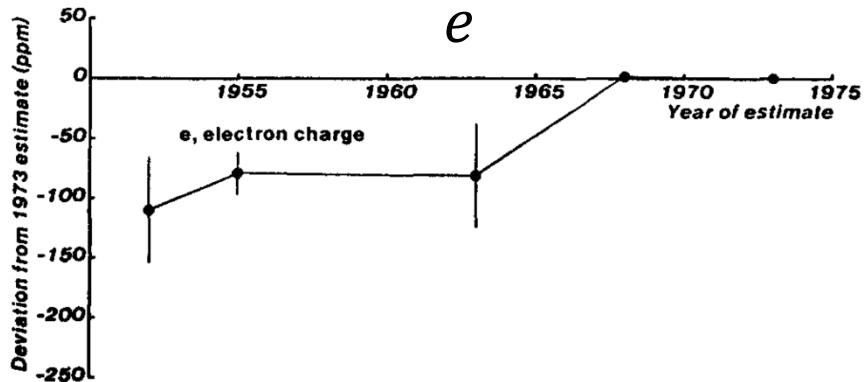
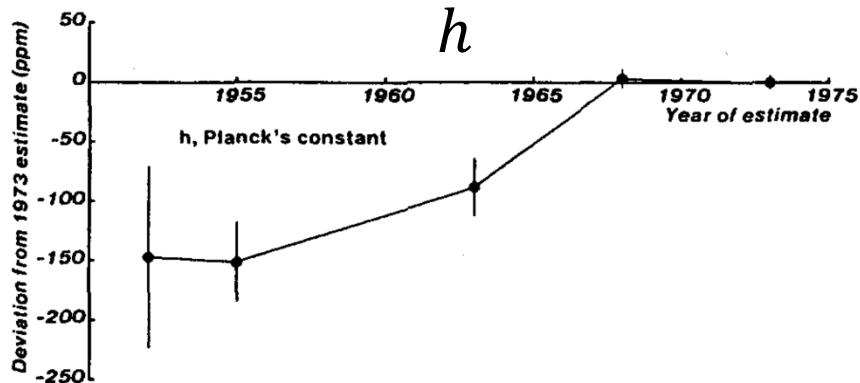
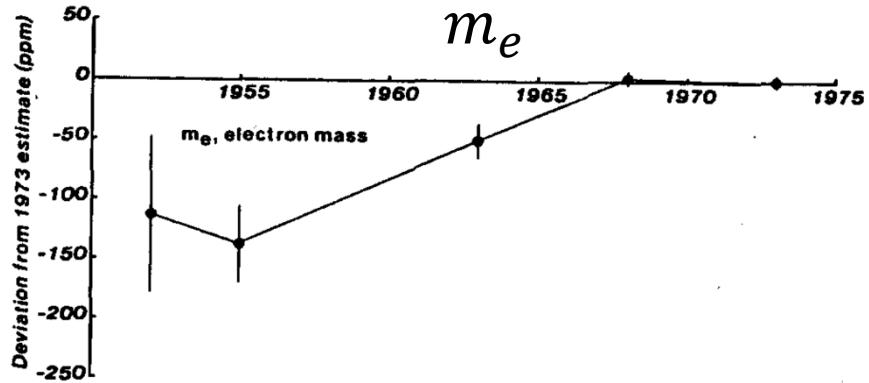
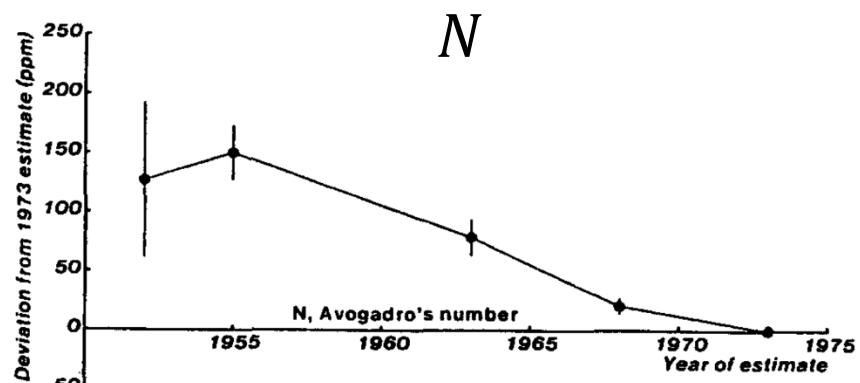
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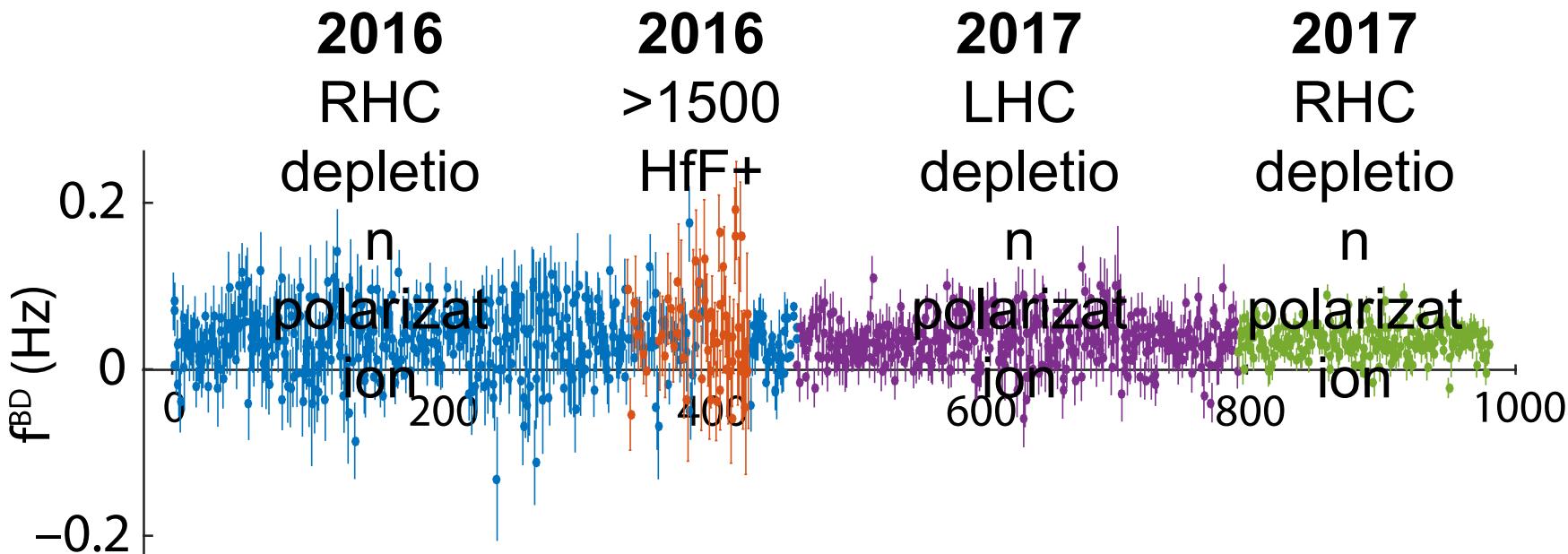
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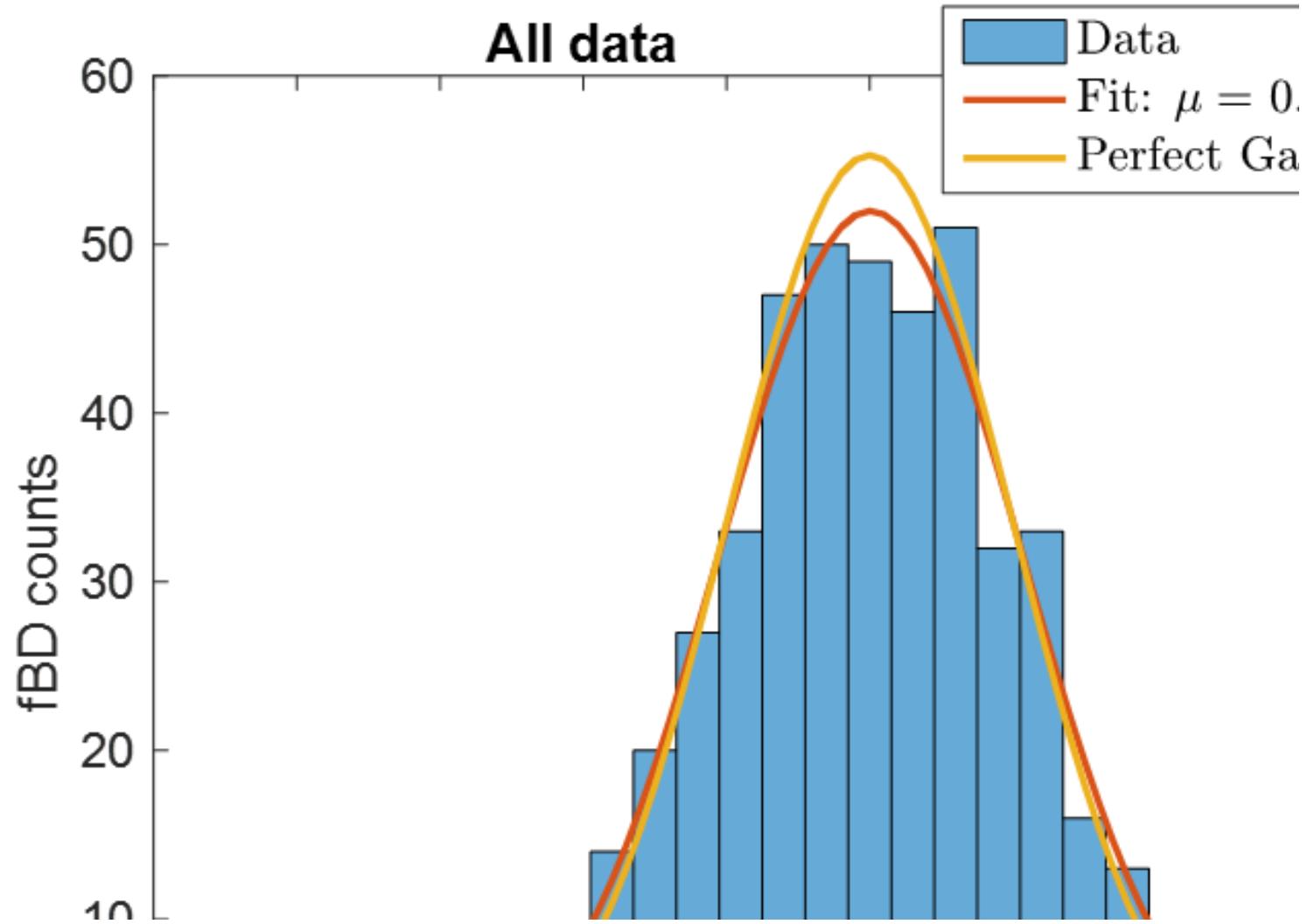
Blinding data



M. Henrion, B. Fischhoff, American Journal of Physics 54, 791
(1986)



Frequency channel	All data	2017 only
f^R	$2.6(9)$ mHz	$3(1)$ mHz
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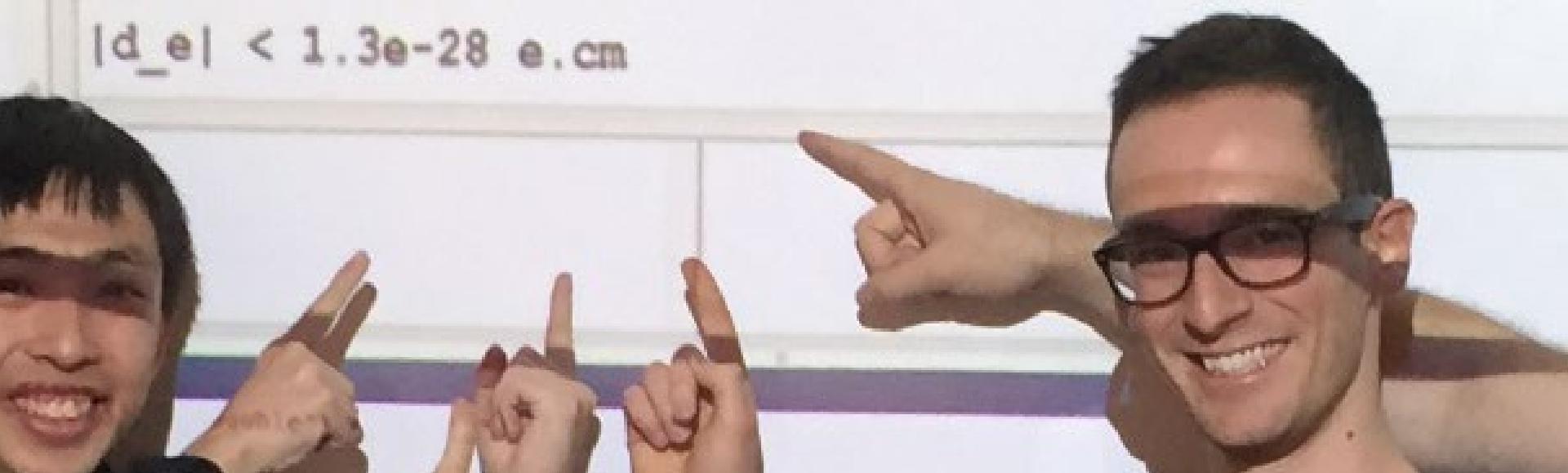


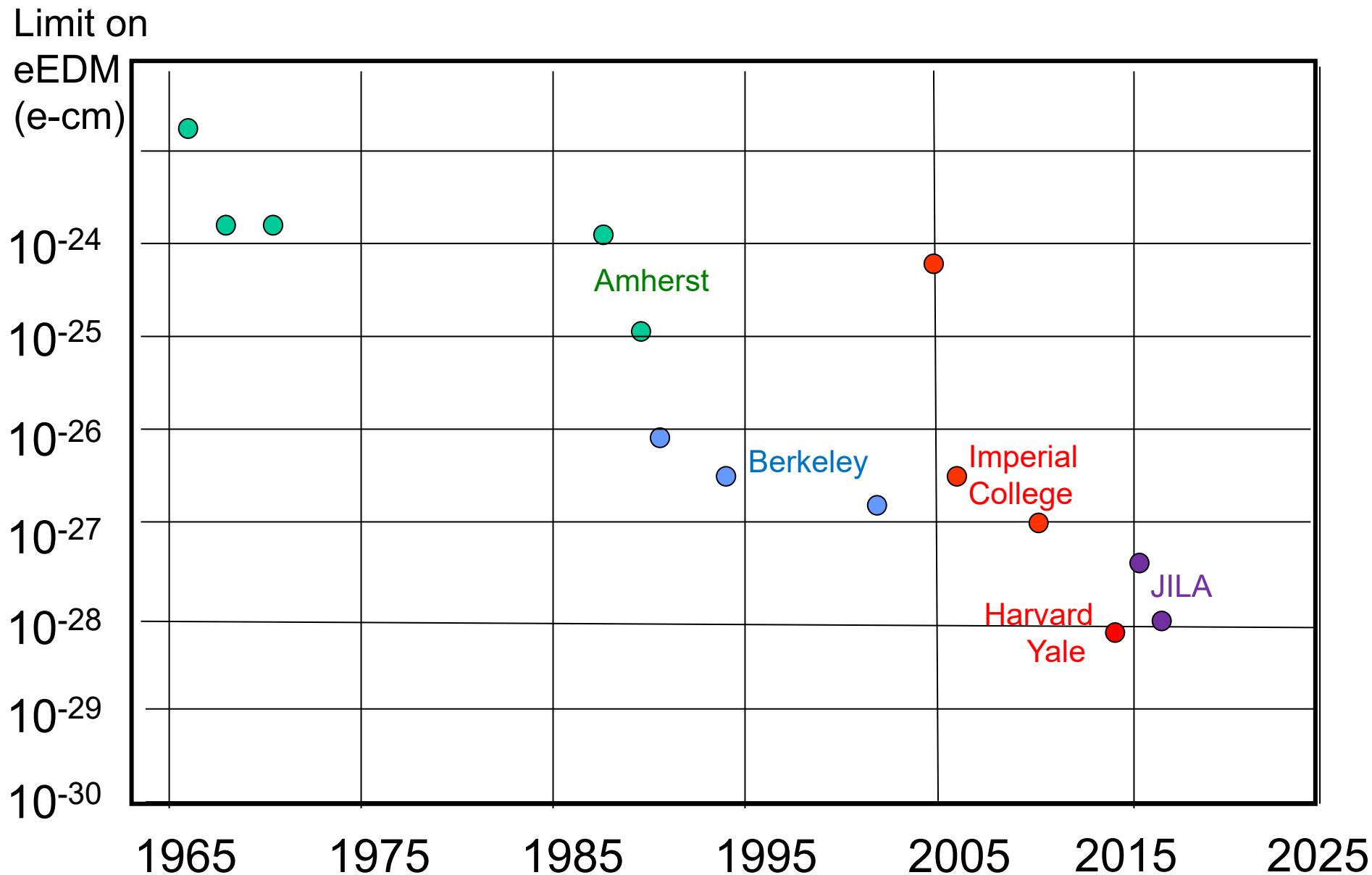
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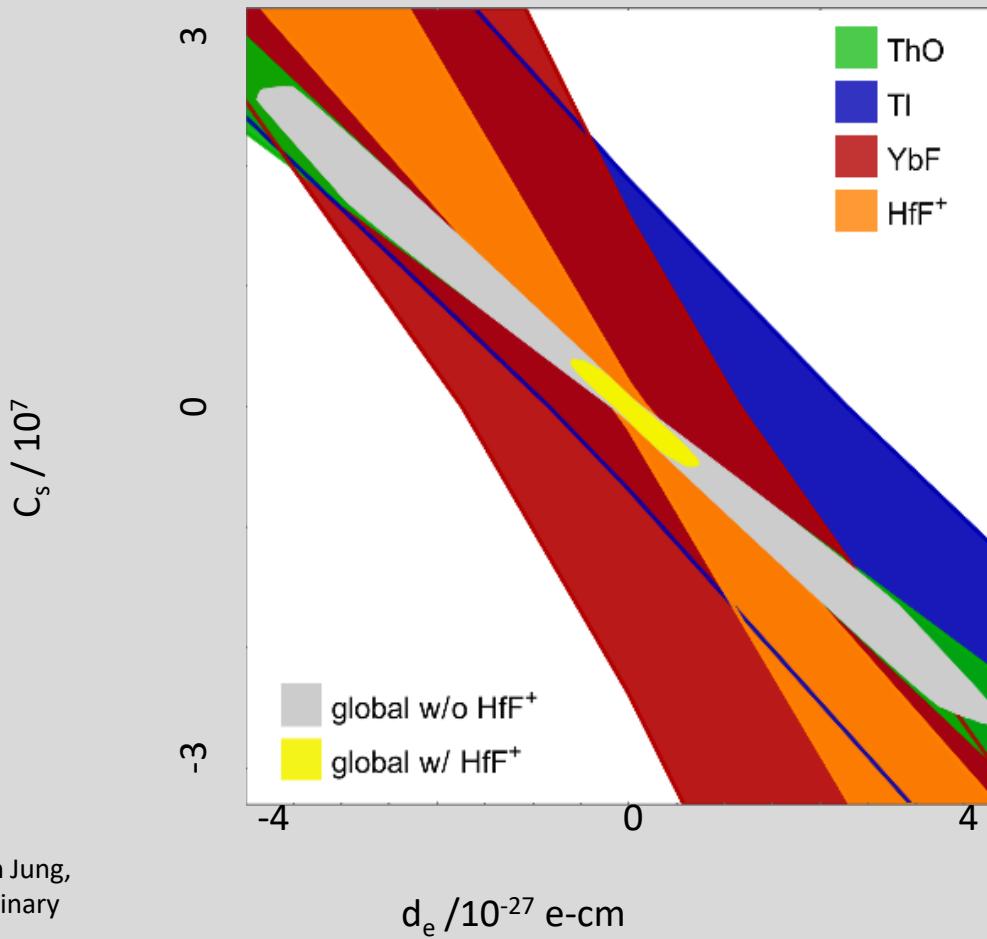
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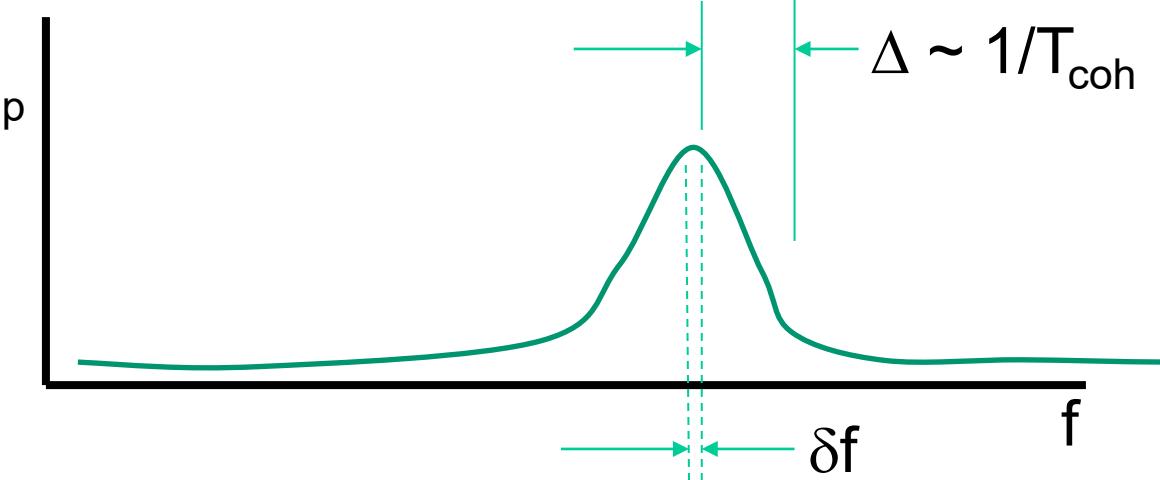
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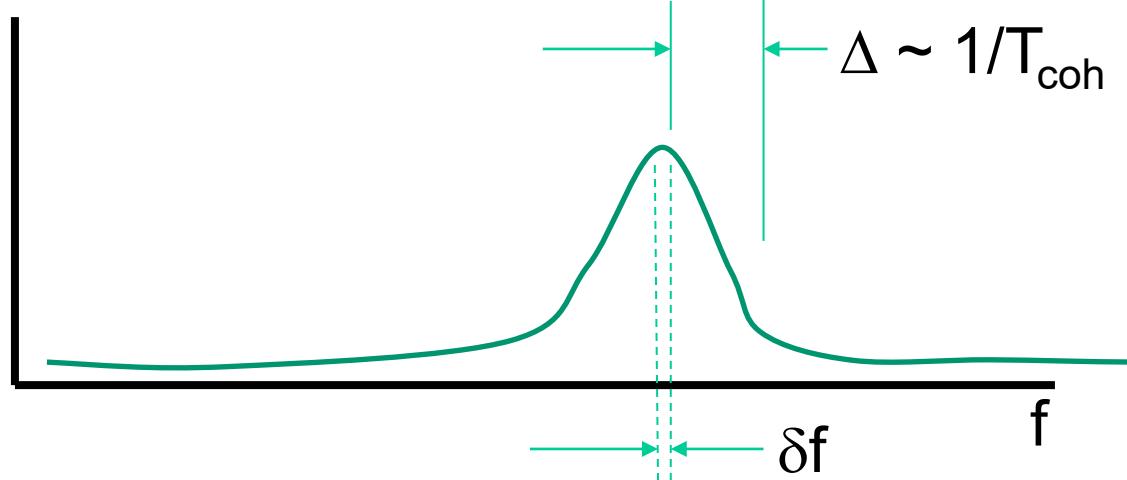




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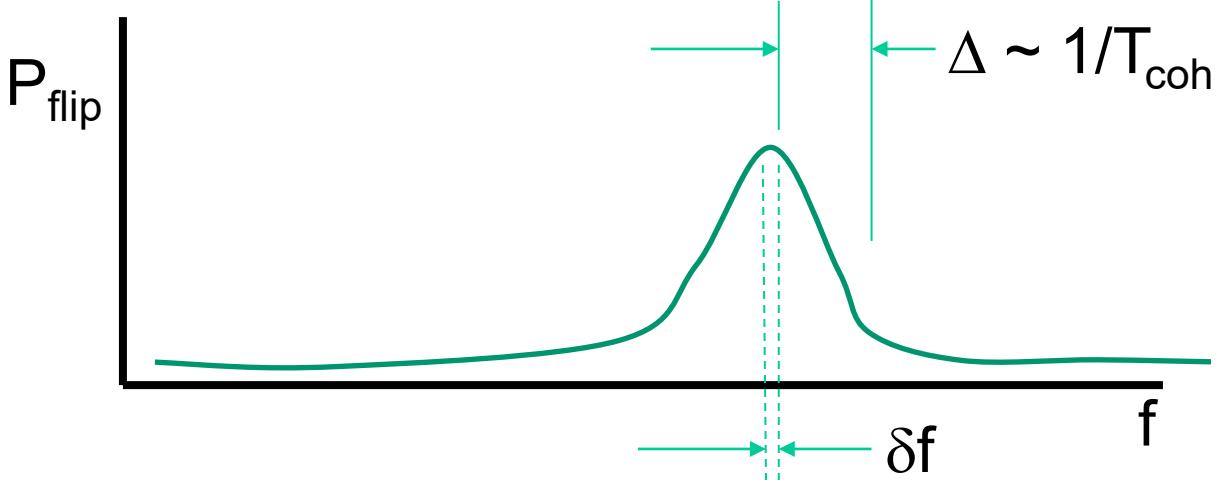


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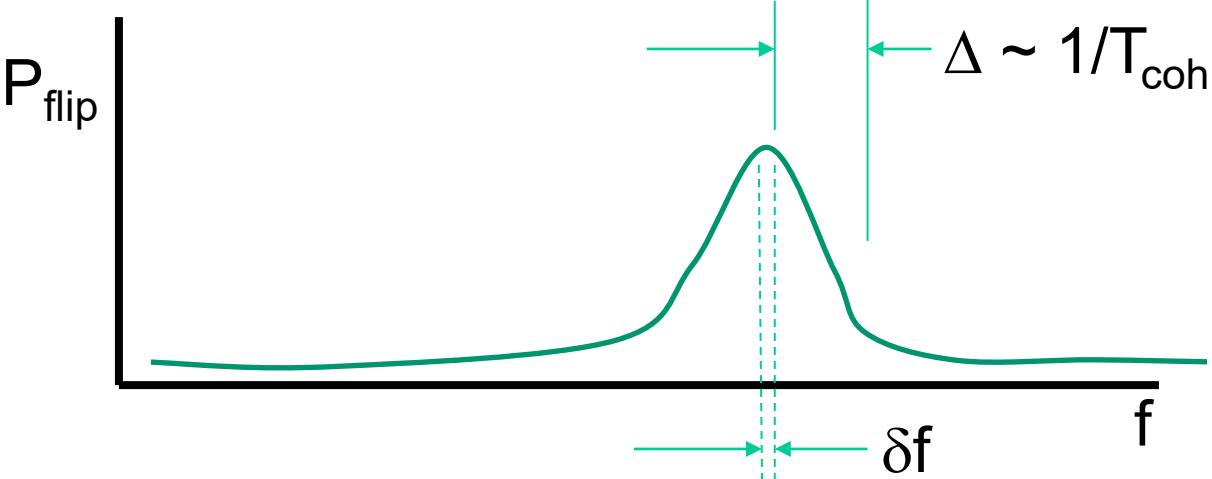


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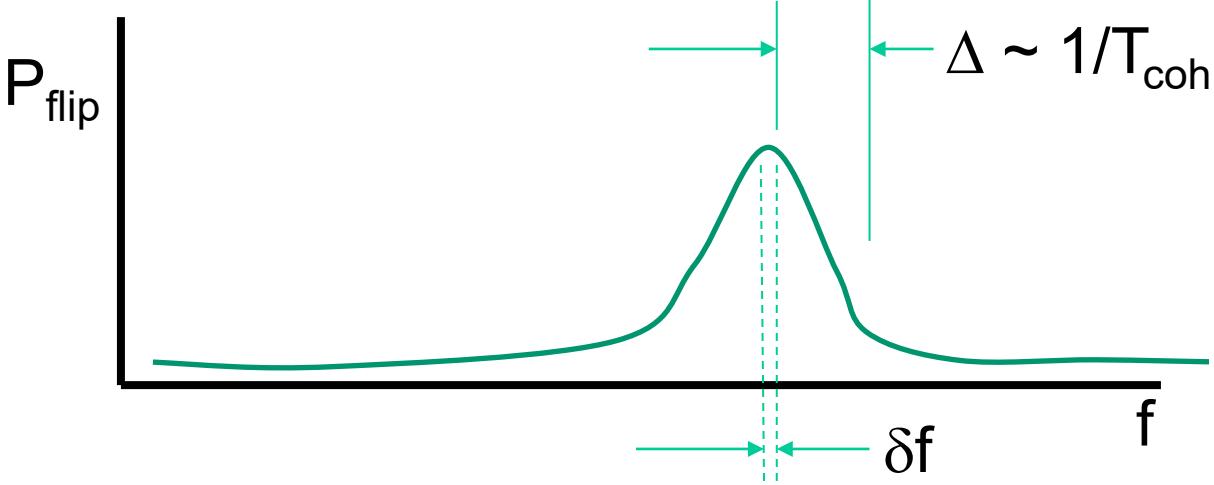


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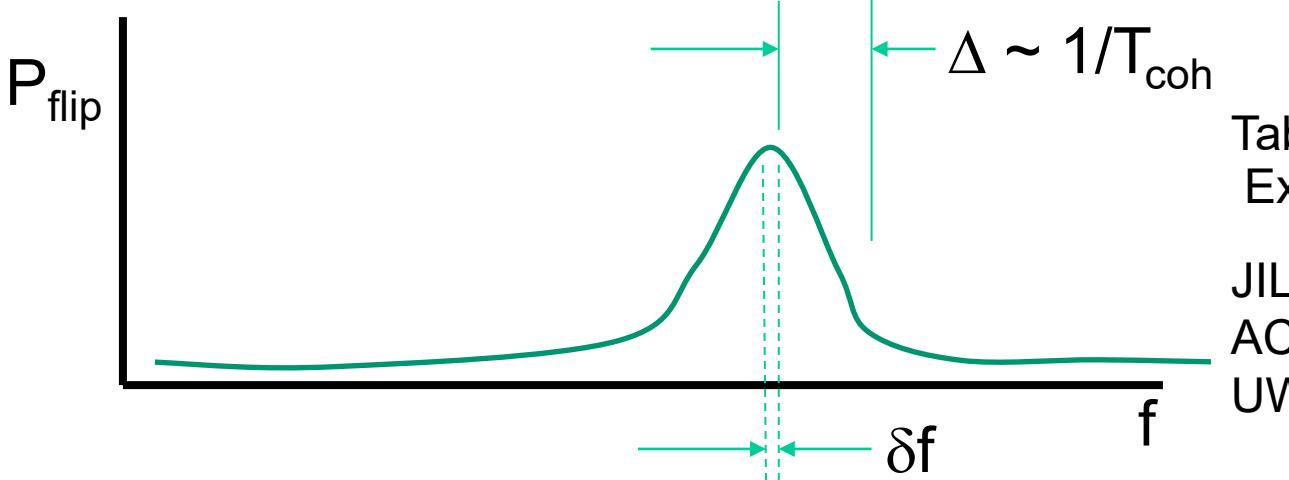


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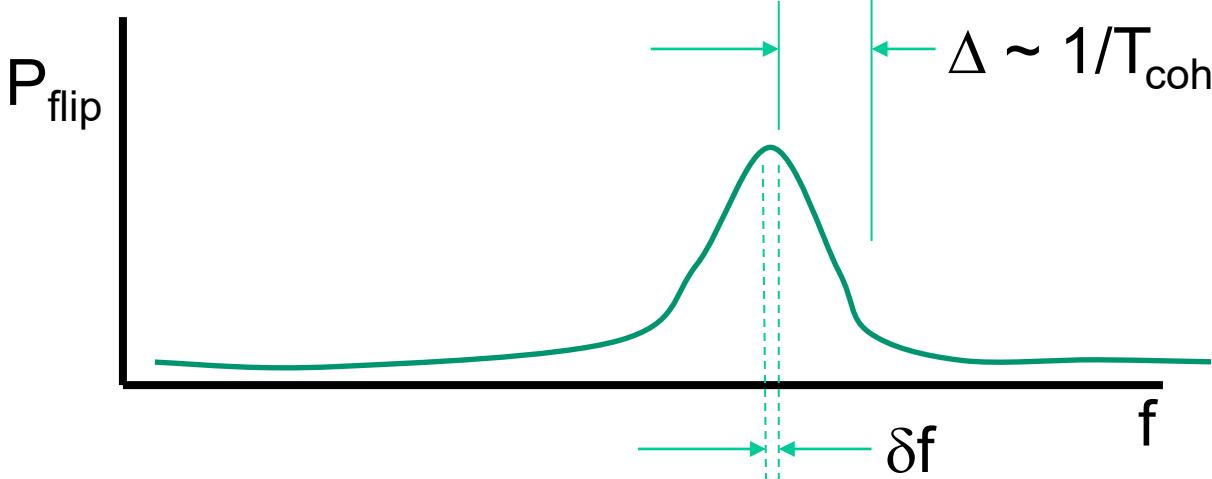


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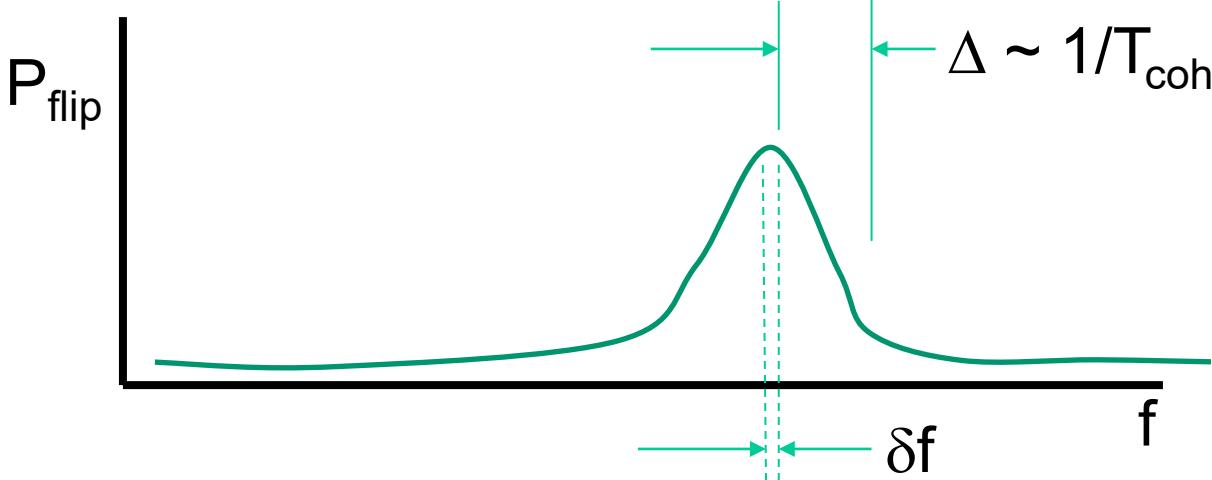


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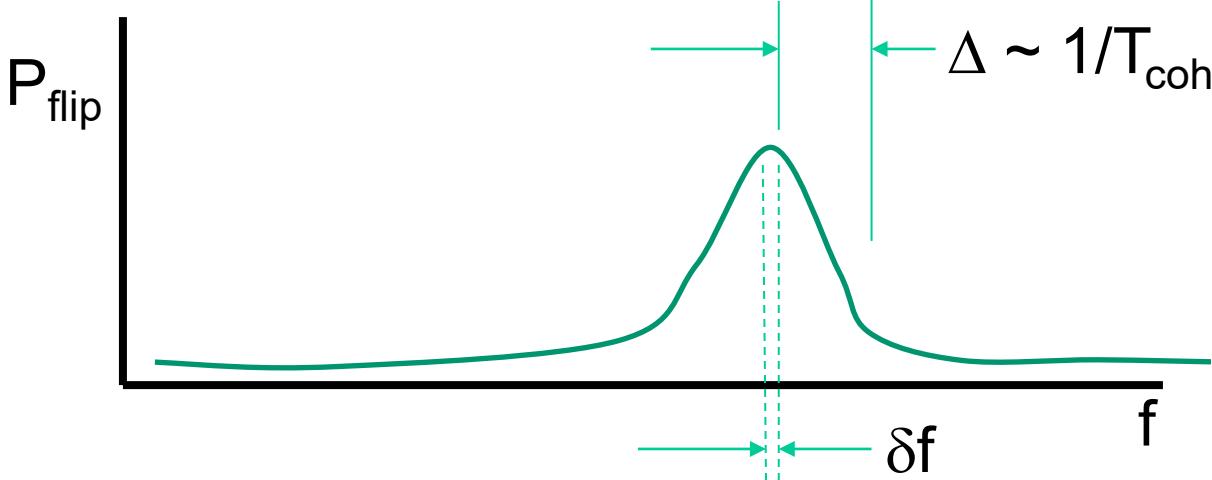


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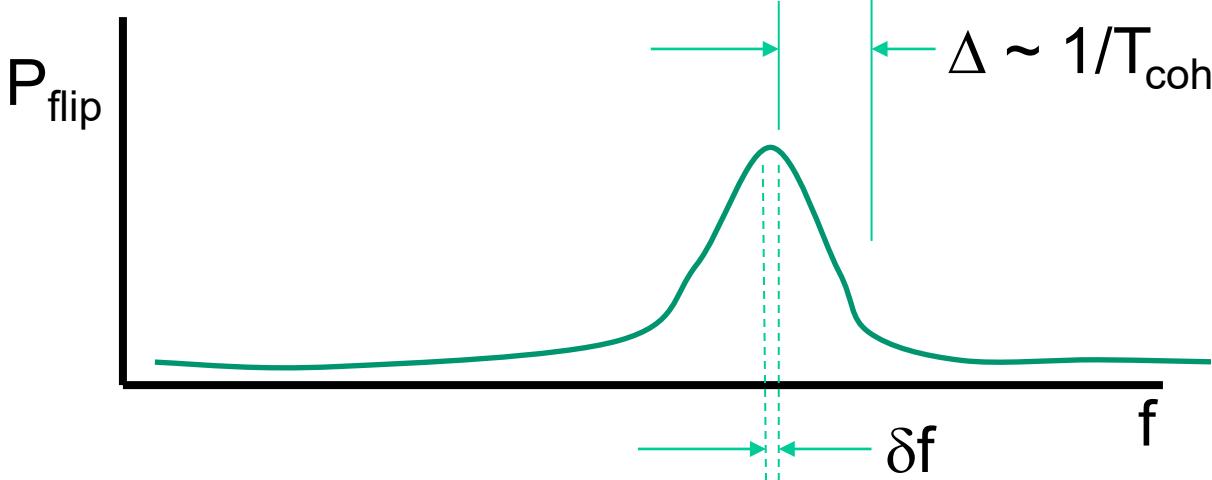


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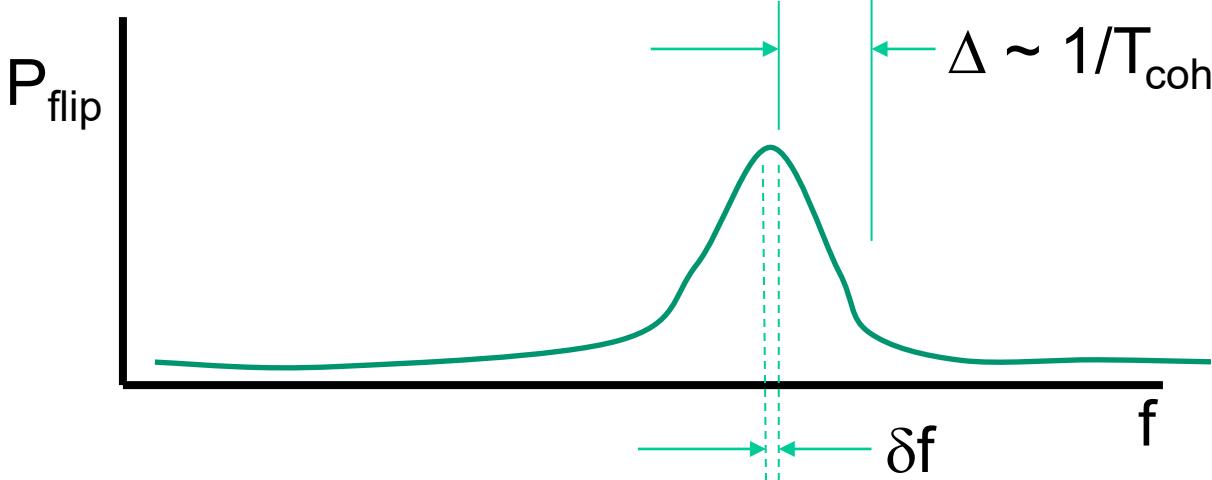


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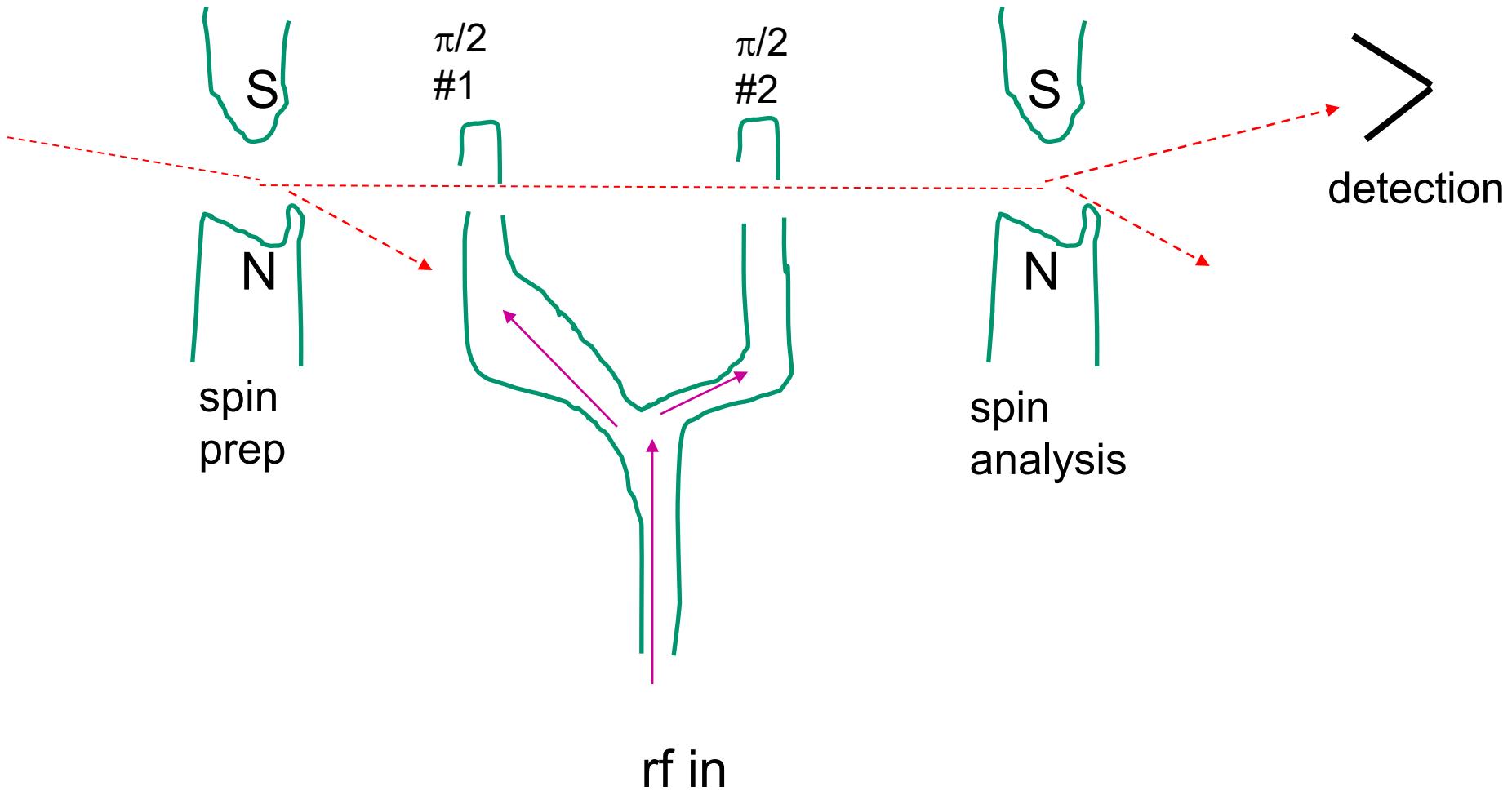
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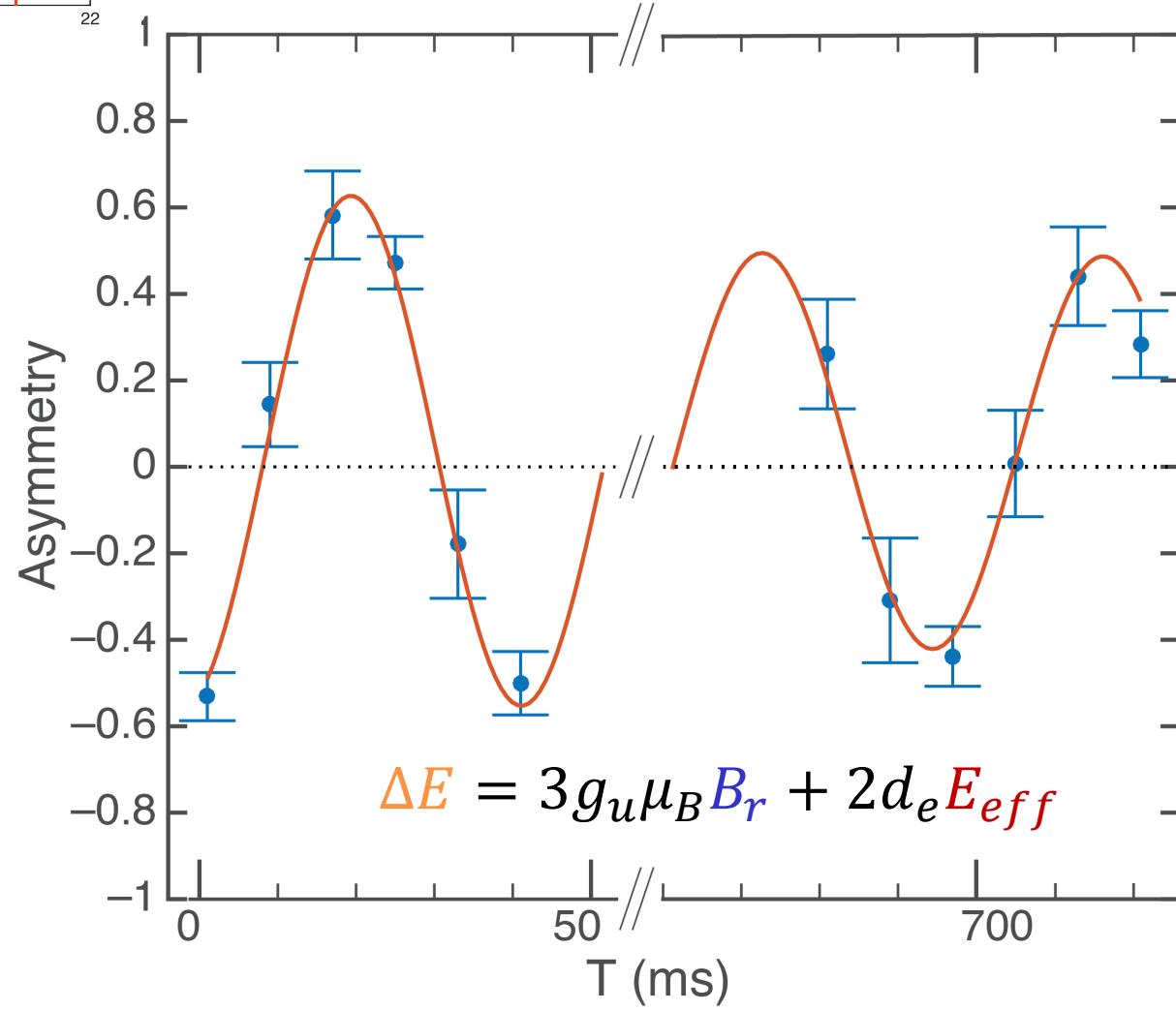
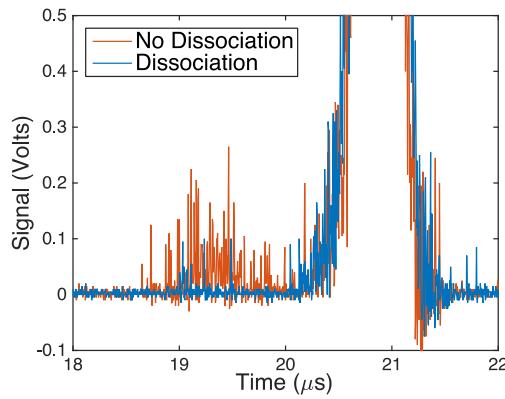
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Old-school Atomic-Beam Clock



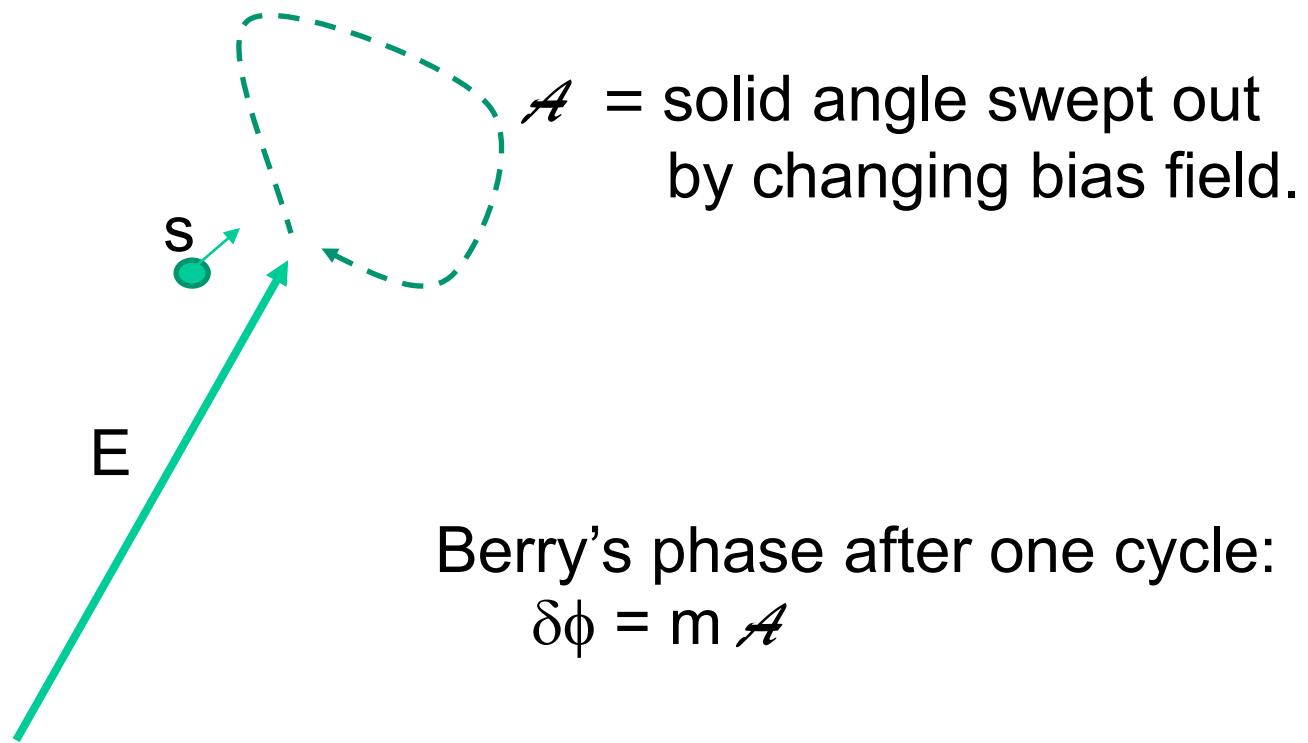
Problems if phase of rf at site #1 and #2 are different.
Time between p/2 pulses, T , is stuck at its largest value.

Ramsey Fringe

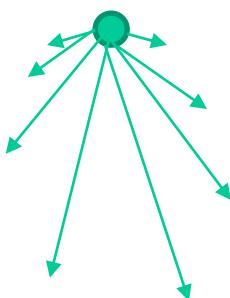


How will we do better?

1. Several incremental things, factors of root-2 here and there.
2. Improve count rate by trapping more ions. (increasing ion number is actually easy for us.)

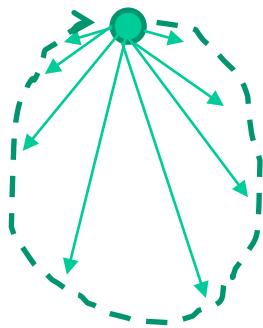
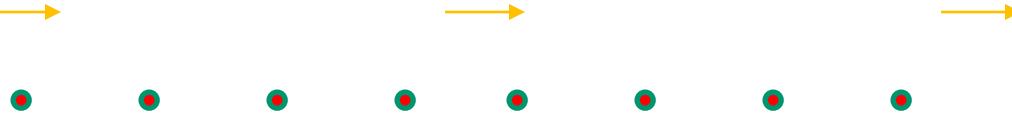


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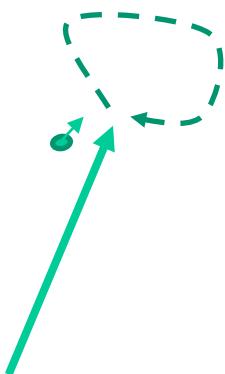
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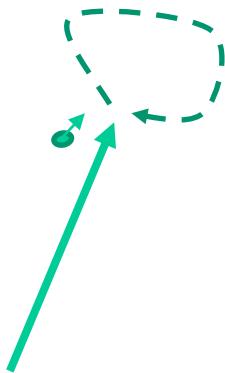
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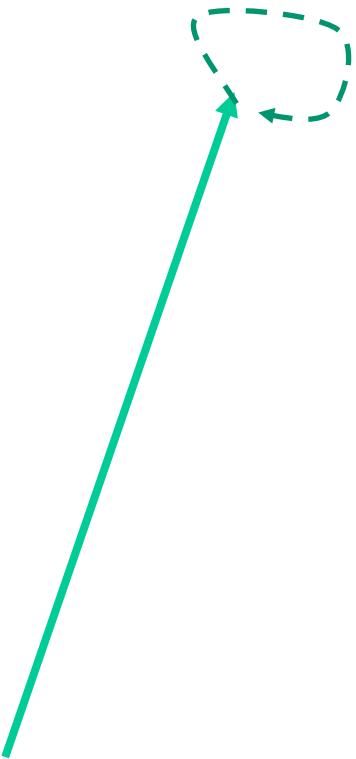


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In Mark 2 machine, we hope to have 10 times more ions even while decoherence rate lower by 1.6.