

# Measurement of **Electric Dipole Moments** of Charged Hadrons in Storage Rings

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## Electric Dipole Moments (EDMs)

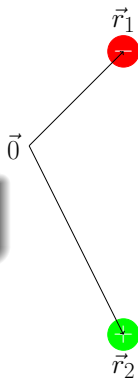
- What is it?
- Why is it interesting?
- What do we know about it?
- How to measure it?

# What is it?

# Electric Dipoles

Classical definition:

$$\vec{d} = \sum_i q_i \vec{r}_i$$



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Limit on neutron EDM  $< 3 \cdot 10^{-26}e \cdot \text{cm}$

# Order of magnitude

- Molecules do have EDM of expected order of magnitude
- Hadrons not

Why?

Hadrons have a given parity:

$$P|\text{had}\rangle = \pm 1|\text{had}\rangle$$

Operator:  $\vec{d} = q\vec{r}$

is odd under parity transformation ( $\vec{r} \rightarrow -\vec{r}$ ):

$$\mathcal{P}^{-1}\vec{d}\mathcal{P} = -\vec{d}$$

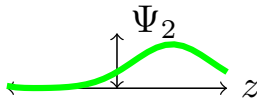
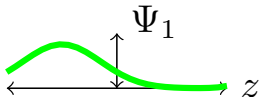
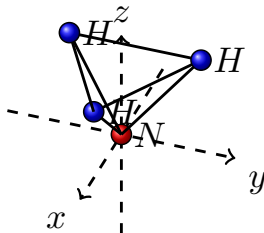
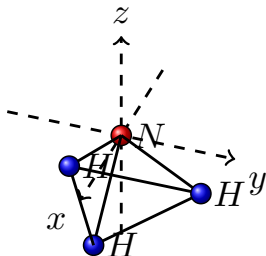
Consequences:

In a state  $|a\rangle$  of given parity the expectation value is 0:

$$\langle a|\vec{d}|a\rangle = -\langle a|\vec{d}|a\rangle$$



Situation is completely different for molecules



ground state: mixture of  $\Psi_s = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\Psi_1 + \Psi_2)$   $P = +$

$\Psi_a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\Psi_1 - \Psi_2)$   $P = -$

(Cohen-Tannoudji, B. Diu, F. Laloë, Mécanique quantique)

Ground state is mixture of (almost)\* degenerated states with different parity:

$$|a\rangle = \alpha|\psi_s\rangle + \beta|\psi_a\rangle$$

$$\langle a|\vec{d}|a\rangle \neq 0 \text{ in general}$$

\* energy difference  $E_s - E_a$  can be neglected if energy shift due to applied electric field is large compared to  $E_s - E_a$

Elementary particles (including hadrons) can only have dipole moment if parity  $\mathcal{P}$  and time reversal  $\mathcal{T}$  invariance are violated! (In this case they are not in a state of a given parity!)

# $\mathcal{T}$ and $\mathcal{P}$ violation of EDM

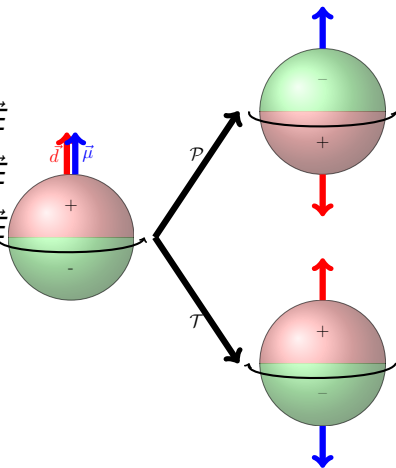
$\vec{d}$ : EDM

$\vec{\mu}$ : magnetic moment

$$H = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B} - \vec{d} \cdot \vec{E}$$

$$\mathcal{T}: H = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B} + \vec{d} \cdot \vec{E}$$

$$\mathcal{P}: H = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B} + \vec{d} \cdot \vec{E}$$



$\mathcal{T}$  violation  $\xrightarrow{CP\mathcal{T}}$   $\mathcal{CP}$  violation

# Symmetries

## Continuous Symmetries

- Translation
- Rotation

## Discrete Symmetries

- Parity ( $\mathcal{P}$ )
- Time Reversal ( $\mathcal{T}$ )
- Charge Conjugation ( $\mathcal{C}$ )

# Symmetries

	electro-mag.	strong	weak
$\mathcal{C}$	✓	✓	✗
$\mathcal{P}$	✓	✓	✗
$\mathcal{T} \xrightarrow{CPT} \mathcal{CP}$	✓	✓	(✗)

- $\mathcal{C}$  and  $\mathcal{P}$  are maximally violated in weak interactions (Lee, Young, Wu)
- $\mathcal{CP}$  violation discovered in kaon decays (Cronin, Fitch)

# Why is it interesting?

# $\mathcal{CP}$ violation

- We are surrounded by matter (and not anti-matter)

$$\eta = \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{n_\gamma} = 10^{-10}$$

- Starting from equal amount of matter and anti-matter at the Big Bang, from  $\mathcal{CP}$ -violation in Standard Model we expected only  $10^{-18}$
- In 1967 Sakharov formulated three prerequisites for baryogenesis. One of these is the combined violation of the charge and parity,  $\mathcal{CP}$ , symmetry.
- New  $\mathcal{CP}$  violating sources outside the realm of the SM are clearly needed to explain this discrepancy of eight orders of magnitude.
- They could manifest in EDMs of elementary particles



# Sources of $\mathcal{CP}$ violation

$\mathcal{CP}$  violation can have different sources

- Weak Interaction (unobservably small)
- QCD  $\theta$  term (limit set by neutron EDM measurement)  
———— Part of Standard Model ————
- sources beyond SM

⇒ It is important to measure neutron **and** proton **and** deuteron **and** ... EDMs in order to disentangle various sources of  $\mathcal{CP}$  violation.

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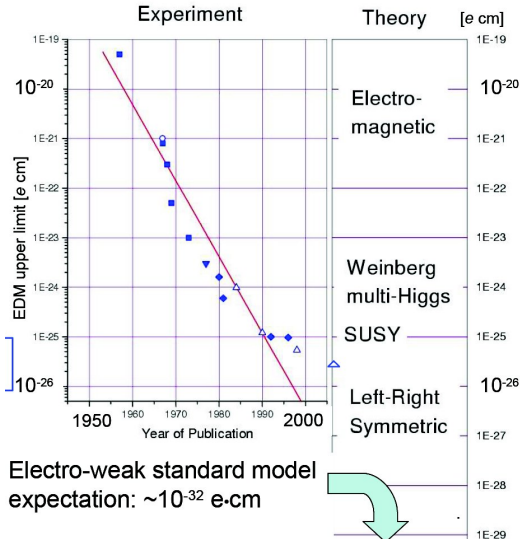
Particle/Atom	Current Limit/ $e \cdot \text{cm}$
Neutron	$< 3 \cdot 10^{-26}$
$^{199}\text{Hg}$	$< 3.1 \cdot 10^{-29}$
$\rightarrow$ Proton	$< 7.9 \cdot 10^{-25}$
Deuteron	?
$^3\text{He}$	?

- direct measurement only for neutron
- proton deduced from atomic EDM limit
- no measurement for deuteron (or other nuclei)

# Why is there no measurement of charged particle EDMs?

- EDM of neutral particles can be measured in traps
- applying an electric field on a charged particle accelerates the particles, you have to build larger “traps” called **storage rings**
- Two exceptions:  
 $\Lambda$ :  $< 1.5 \cdot 10^{-16} e \cdot \text{cm}$   
 $\mu$ :  $0.1 \pm 0.9 \cdot 10^{-19} e \cdot \text{cm}$

# History of Neutron EDM



50 years of effort

Extensions of SM allow for large EDMs

from K. Kirch

# How to measure it?

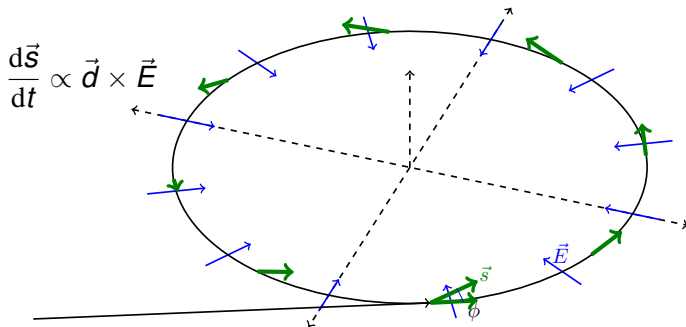
## How to measure it?

### General Idea:

For **all** edm experiments (neutron, proton, atom, ...):

Interaction of  $\vec{d}$  with electric field  $\vec{E}$

For charged particles: apply electric field in a storage ring:



Wait for build-up of vertical polarization  $s_{\perp} \propto |d|$ , then determine  $s_{\perp}$  using polarimeter

In general:  $\frac{d\vec{s}}{dt} = \vec{\Omega} \times \vec{s}$

## “Thomas-BMT” formula

$$\vec{\Omega} = \frac{e\hbar}{mc} [G\vec{B} + \left(G - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1}\right) \vec{v} \times \vec{E} + \frac{1}{2}\eta(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})]$$

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## Required field strength

	$G = \frac{g-2}{2}$	$p/\text{GeV}/c$	$E_R/\text{MV}/\text{m}$	$B_V/\text{T}$
proton	1.79	0.701	10	0
deuteron	-0.14	1.0	-4	0.16
$^3\text{He}$	-4.18	1.285	17	-0.05

Ring radius  $\approx 40\text{m}$

Smaller ring size possible if  $B_V \neq 0$  for proton

$$E = \frac{GBc\beta\gamma^2}{1 + G\beta^2\gamma^2}$$

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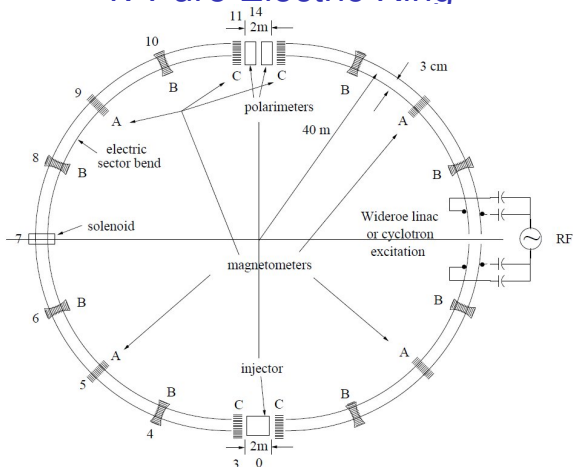


Figure 3: An all-electric storage ring lattice for measuring the electric dipole moment of the proton. Except for having longer straight sections and separated beam channels, the all-in-one lattice of Fig. 1 is patterned after this lattice. Quadrupole and sextupole families, and tunes and lattice functions of the all-in-one lattice of Fig. 1 will be quite close to those given for this lattice in reference[3]. The match will be even closer with magnetic field set to zero for proton operation.

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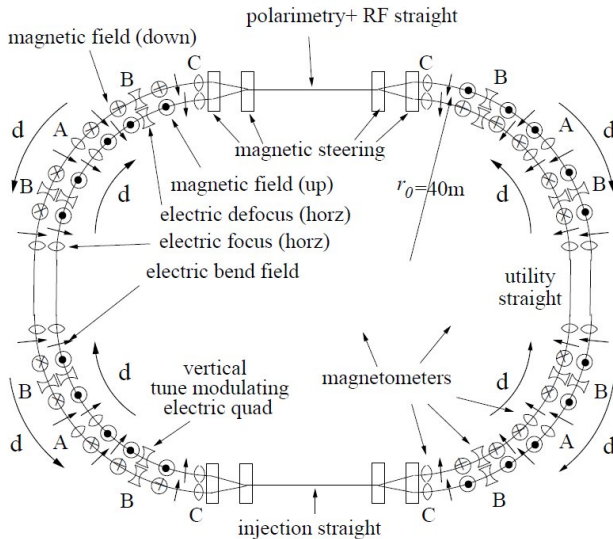


Figure 1: “All-In-One” lattice for measuring EDM’s of protons, deuterons, and helions.

### 3. Pure Magnetic Ring

Main advantage:

Experiment can be performed at the existing (upgraded) COSY (COoler SYnchrotron) in Jülich on a shorter time scale!



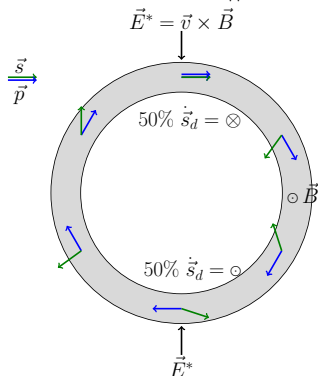
COSY provides (polarized ) protons and deuterons with  
 $p = 0.3 - 3.7 \text{ GeV}/c \Rightarrow$  **Ideal starting point**

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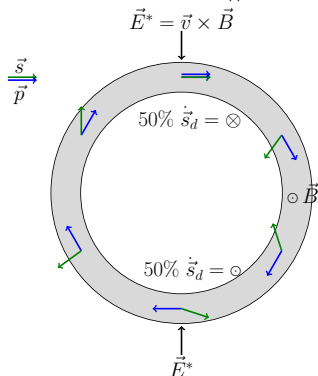


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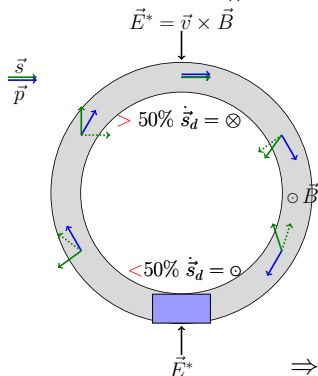
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Use resonant “magic Wien-Filter” in ring ( $\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B} = 0$ ):

$E^* = 0 \rightarrow$  part. trajectory is not affected but

$B^* \neq 0 \rightarrow$  mag. mom. is influenced

$\Rightarrow$  **net EDM effect can be observed!**

# Summary of different options

		
1.) pure electric ring (BNL)	no $\vec{B}$ field needed	works only for $p$
2.) combined ring (Jülich)	works for $p, d, {}^3\text{He}, \dots$	both $\vec{E}$ and $\vec{B}$ required
3.) pure magnetic ring (Jülich)	existing (upgraded) COSY ring can be used , shorter time scale	lower sensitivity

# Statistical Sensitivity

$$\sigma \approx \frac{\hbar}{\sqrt{NfT\tau_p}PEA}$$

$P$	beam polarization	0.8
$\tau_p$	Spin coherence time/s	1000
$E$	Electric field/MV/m	10
$A$	Analyzing Power	0.6
$N$	nb. of stored particles/cycle	$4 \times 10^7$
$f$	detection efficiency	0.005
$T$	running time per year/s	$10^7$

$\Rightarrow \sigma \approx 10^{-29} \text{ e}\cdot\text{cm/year}$  (for magnetic ring  $\approx 10^{-24} \text{ e}\cdot\text{cm/year}$ )  
Expected signal  $\approx 3 \text{ nrad/s}$  (for  $d = 10^{-29} \text{ e}\cdot\text{cm}$ )  
(BNL proposal)

# Systematics

One major source:

Radial  $B$  field mimics an EDM effect:

- Difficulty: even small radial magnetic field,  $B_r$  can mimic EDM effect if  $:\mu B_r \approx dE_r$
- Suppose  $d = 10^{-29} \text{ e}\cdot\text{cm}$  in a field of  $E = 10 \text{ MV/m}$
- This corresponds to a magnetic field:

$$B_r = \frac{dE_r}{\mu_N} = \frac{10^{-22} \text{ eV}}{3.1 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ eV/T}} \approx 3 \cdot 10^{-17} \text{ T}$$

(Earth Magnetic field  $\approx 5 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ T}$ )

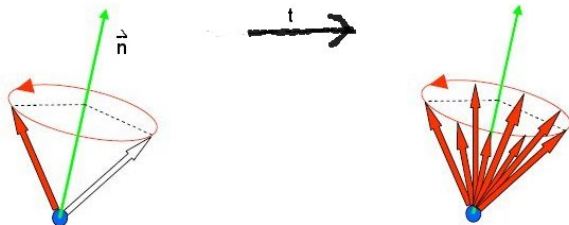
Solution: Use two beams running clockwise and counter clockwise, separation of the two beams is sensitive to  $B_r$

# Main Challenges

- Spin Coherence Time (SCT)  $\approx 1000\text{s}$
- Polarimetry on 1 ppm level (ppm = part per million)
- Beam positioning  $\approx 10\text{nm}$  (relative between CW-CCW)
- Field Gradients  $\approx 10\text{MV/m}$

# Spin Coherence Time (SCT)

Usually we don't care about decoherence of spins



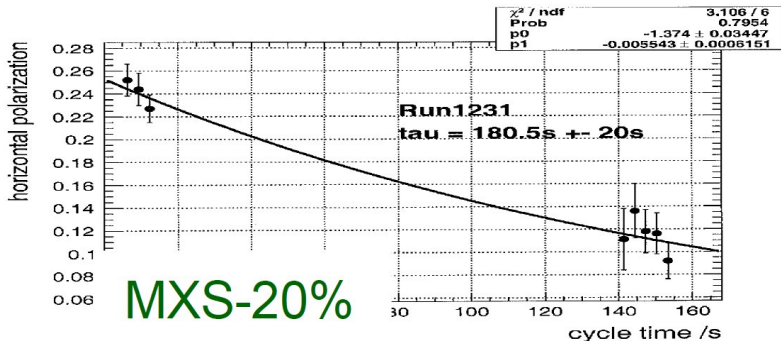
because polarisation with respect to invariant spin axis  $\vec{n}$  is the same.

Situation is different if  $\vec{S} \perp \vec{n}$



Longitudinal Polarization is lost.

# Results on Spin Coherence Time (SCT)



Spins decohere during storage time  
very preliminary results form Cosy run May 2012 using  
correction sextupole

⇒ SCT increase from a few s to  $\approx 200\text{s}$  already reached

(Ed. Stephenson)

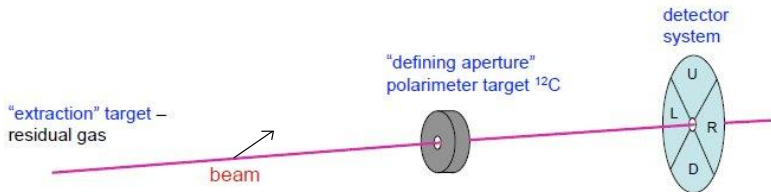


# Polarimeter

Principle: Particles hit a target:

Left/Right asymmetry gives information on EDM

Up/Down asymmetry gives information on g-2



## Polarimeter: Figure of Merit

Goal: Determine vertical polarization  $P$

Measure counting rates in left and right detector:

$$N_R \propto N^{up}\sigma_R + N^{dn}\sigma_L, \quad N_L \propto N^{up}\sigma_L + N^{dn}\sigma_R$$

Calculate asymmetry:

$$\epsilon = \frac{N_R - N_L}{N_R + N_L} = \underbrace{\frac{N^{up} - N^{dn}}{N^{up} + N^{dn}}}_P \underbrace{\frac{\sigma_R - \sigma_L}{\sigma_R + \sigma_L}}_A = P A$$

$P$  : Polarization(to be determined),  $A$  : analyzing power(known)

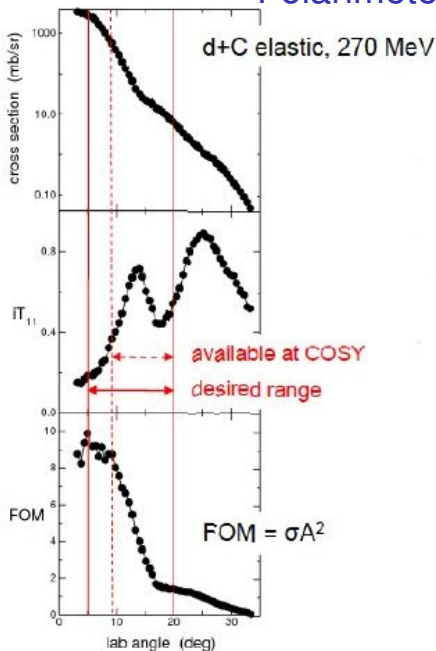
$$P = \frac{\epsilon}{A}$$

Statistical error  $\sigma_\epsilon = 1/\sqrt{N}$ ,  $N = N_R + N_L$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_P = \frac{1}{A\sqrt{N}}, \quad \text{Figure of merit (FOM)} = \frac{1}{\sigma_P^2} = A^2 N$$

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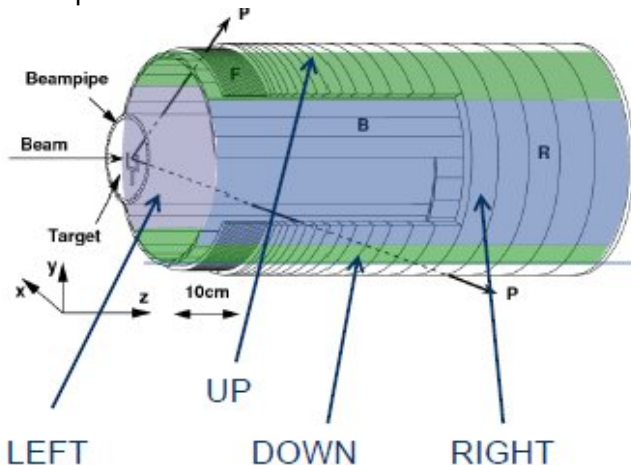
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Cross Section &  
Analyzing Power  
for deuterons

## Polarimeter

Available at COSY for tests:  
EDDA polarimeter



# Stepwise approach of JEDI project in Jülich

JEDI = **J**ülich **E**lectric **D**ipole Moment **I**vestigations

1	Spin coherence time studies Systematic Error studies	COSY
2	COSY upgrade first direct measurement at $10^{-24}$ e·cm	COSY COSY
3	Build dedicated ring for $p, d$ and $^3\text{He}$	
4	EDM measurement at $10^{-29}$ e·cm	Dedicated ring

# Storage Ring EDM Efforts

## Common R&D work

- Spin Coherence Time
- BPMs
- Spin Tracking
- Polarimetry
- ...

## BNL

- all electric ring (p)



## Jülich

- first direct measurement with upgraded COSY
- all-in-one ring (p,d, $^3\text{He}$ )



# Summary

- EDM of various hadrons species are of high interest to disentangle various sources of  $\mathcal{CP}$  violation searched for to explain matter - antimatter asymmetry in the Universe
- Up to now only direct measurement for neutron
- EDM of charged particles can be measured in storage rings
- Experimentally very challenging because effect is tiny
- Efforts at Brookhaven and Jülich to perform such measurements