

ZOMBIES: an experiment to measure nuclear anapole moments

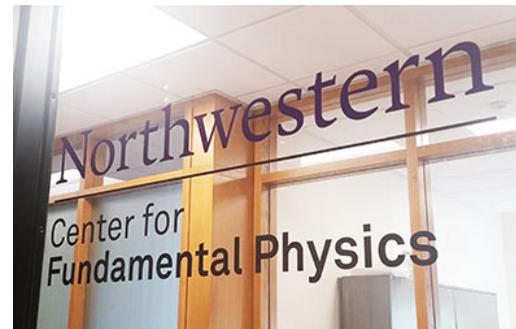
(and more)

- Nuclear anapole moment and hadronic parity violation
- Nuclear spin-dependent parity violation (NSD-PV) in atoms & molecules: nuclear anapole moment + semi-leptonic
- ZOMBIES approach using amplified NSD-PV effect in molecules
- Proof of principle with ^{19}F in BaF molecules
- Outlook

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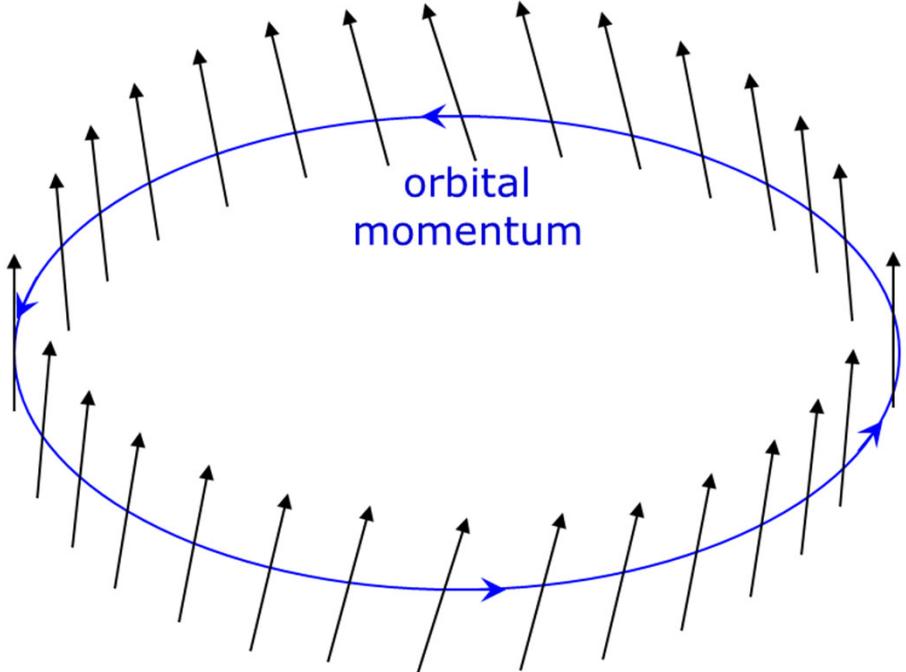
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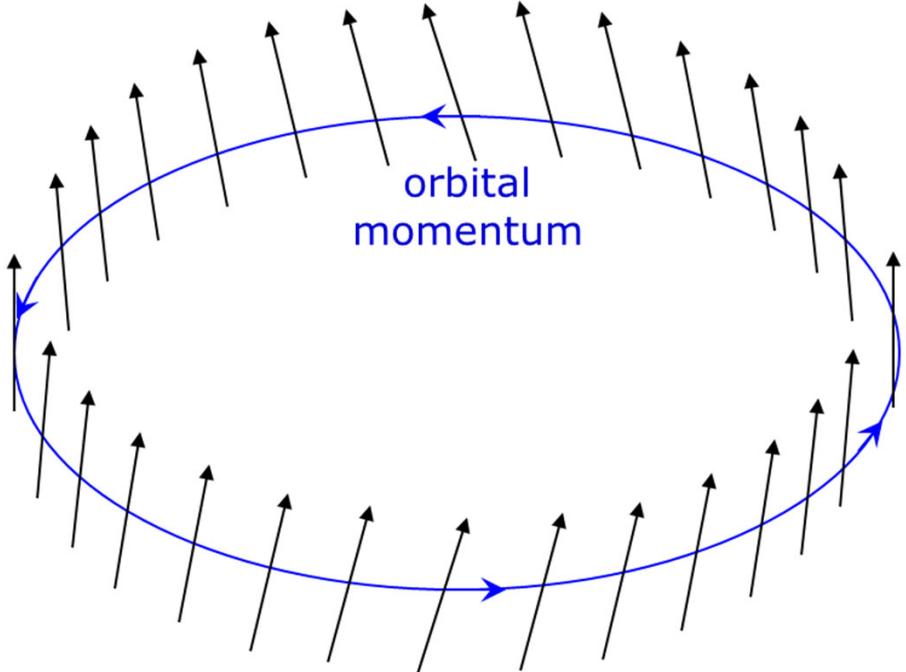
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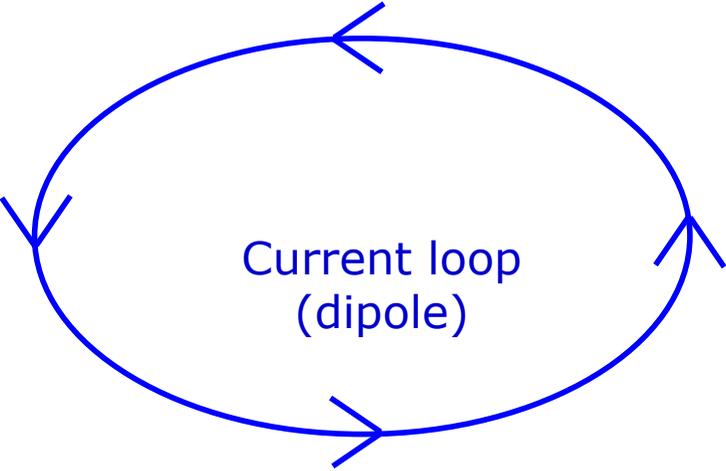


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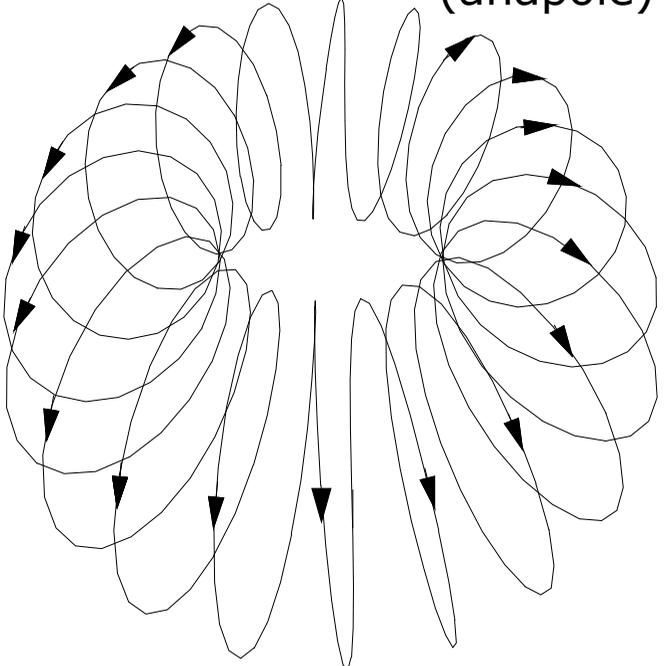
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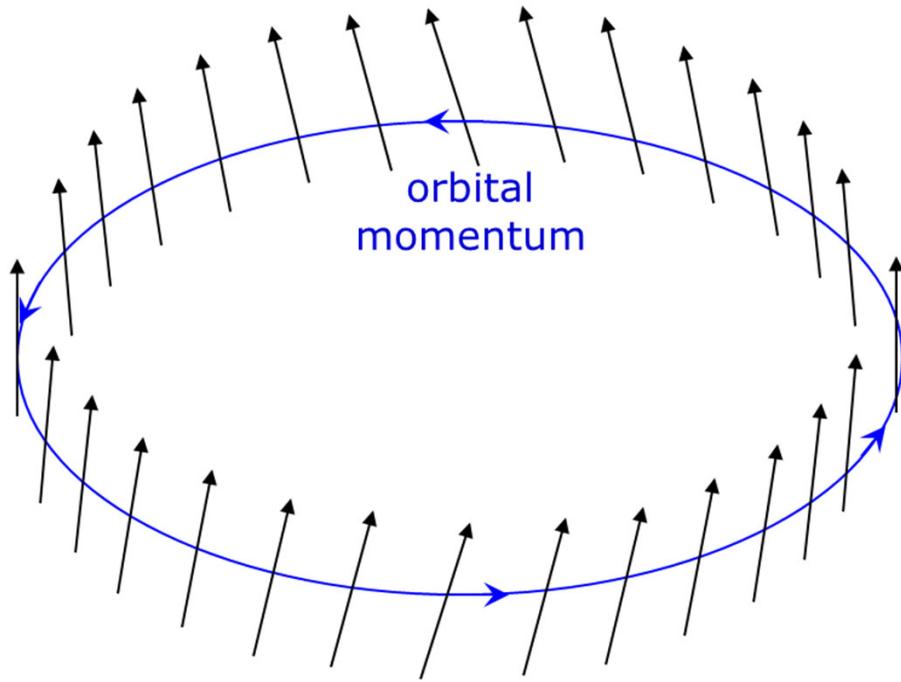


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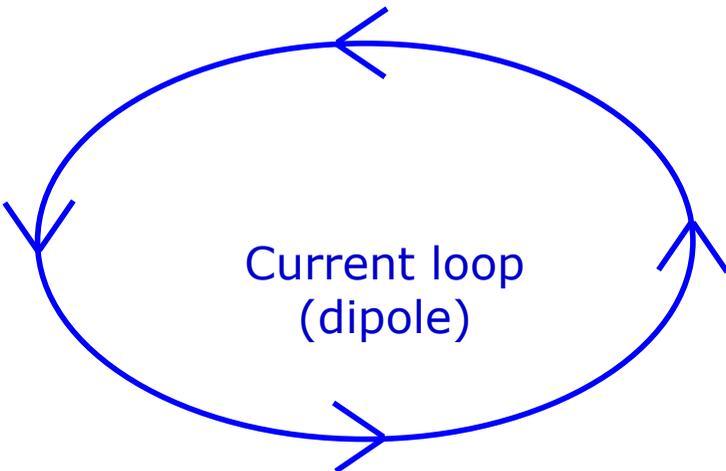


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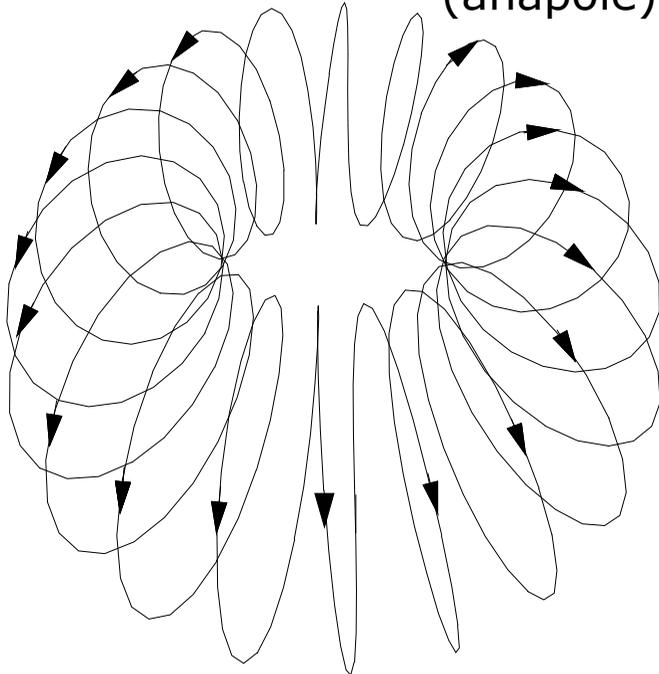
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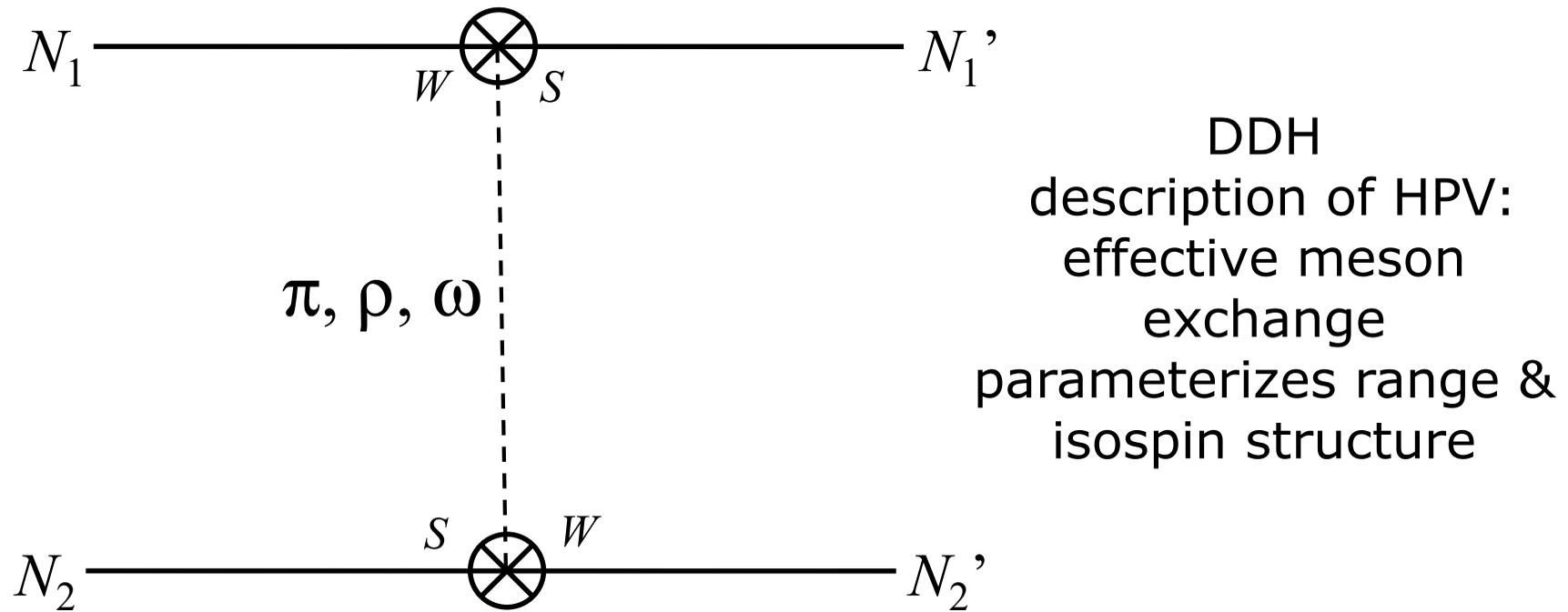


Simple model for nuclear anapole
(valence nucleon + constant-density core):

$\vec{a} \propto g_{eff} A^{2/3} \hat{I}$

Microscopic physics of nuclear anapole moment

Nucleon-nucleon hadronic parity-violating (HPV) interactions perturb nuclear structure:

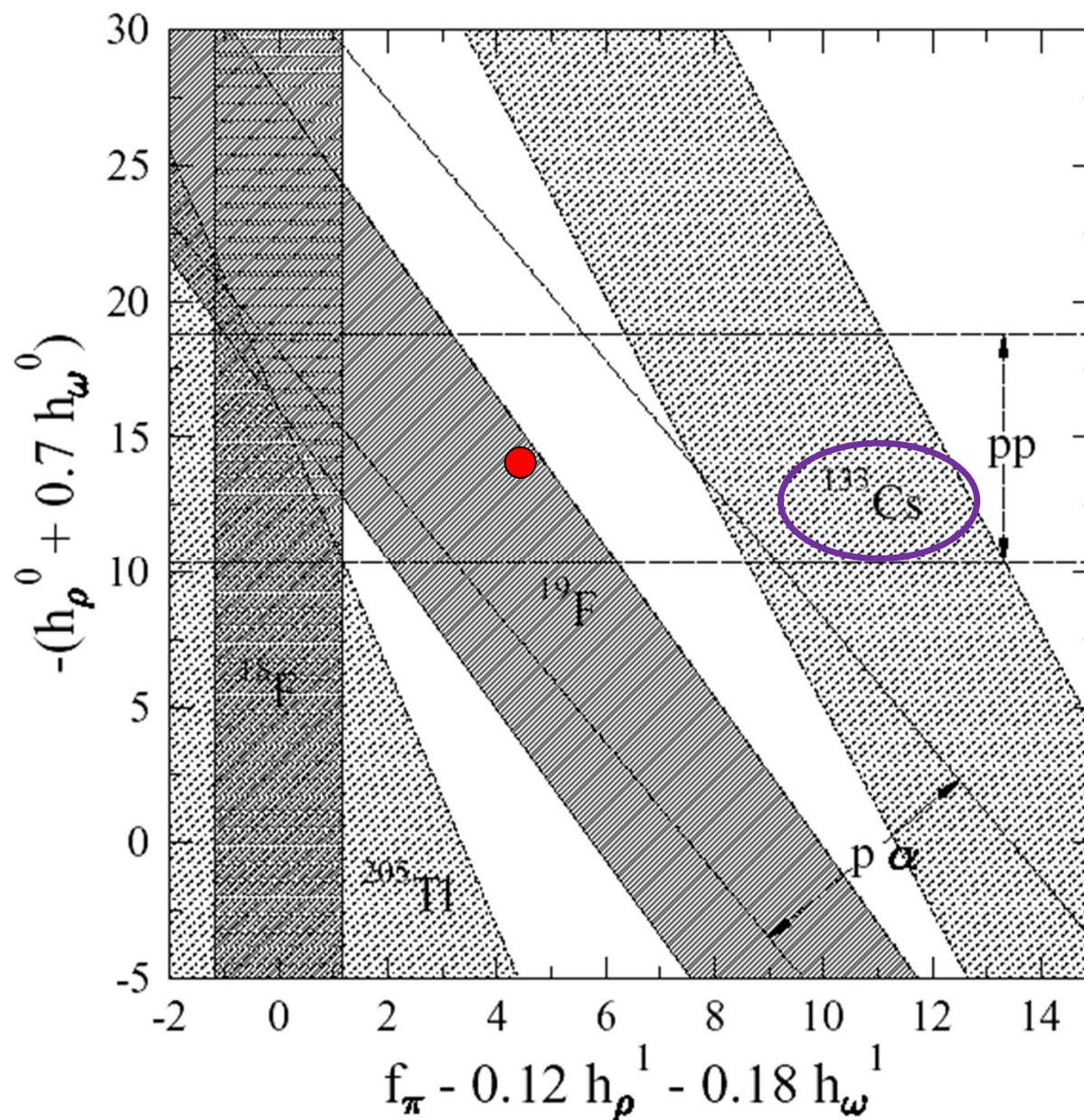


Hamiltonian for unpaired nucleon interacting with paired core gives spin-momentum correlation

$$H_{HPV} \sim G_F (\vec{\sigma}_N \cdot \vec{p}_N) \sum_i g_{\text{eff},i} F_i(\vec{r}, \vec{\tau})$$

Describe low-energy HPV with 6 dimensionless coupling constants,
 each associated with different spin/isospin structure & range

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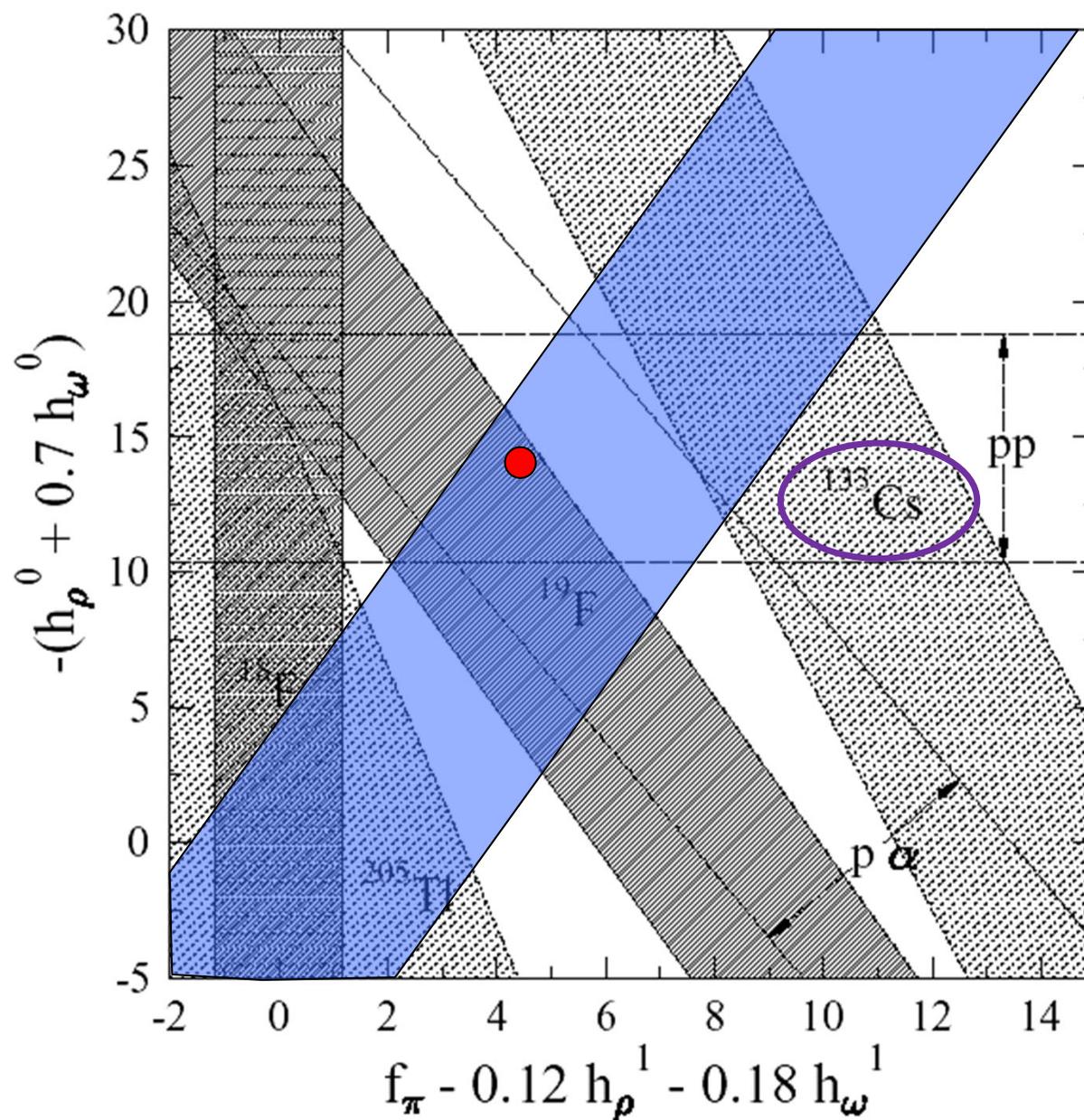


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from atomic PV
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[C. Wieman group,
JILA, 1997]

Poor agreement
with all other data
(nuclear theory
problem...?)

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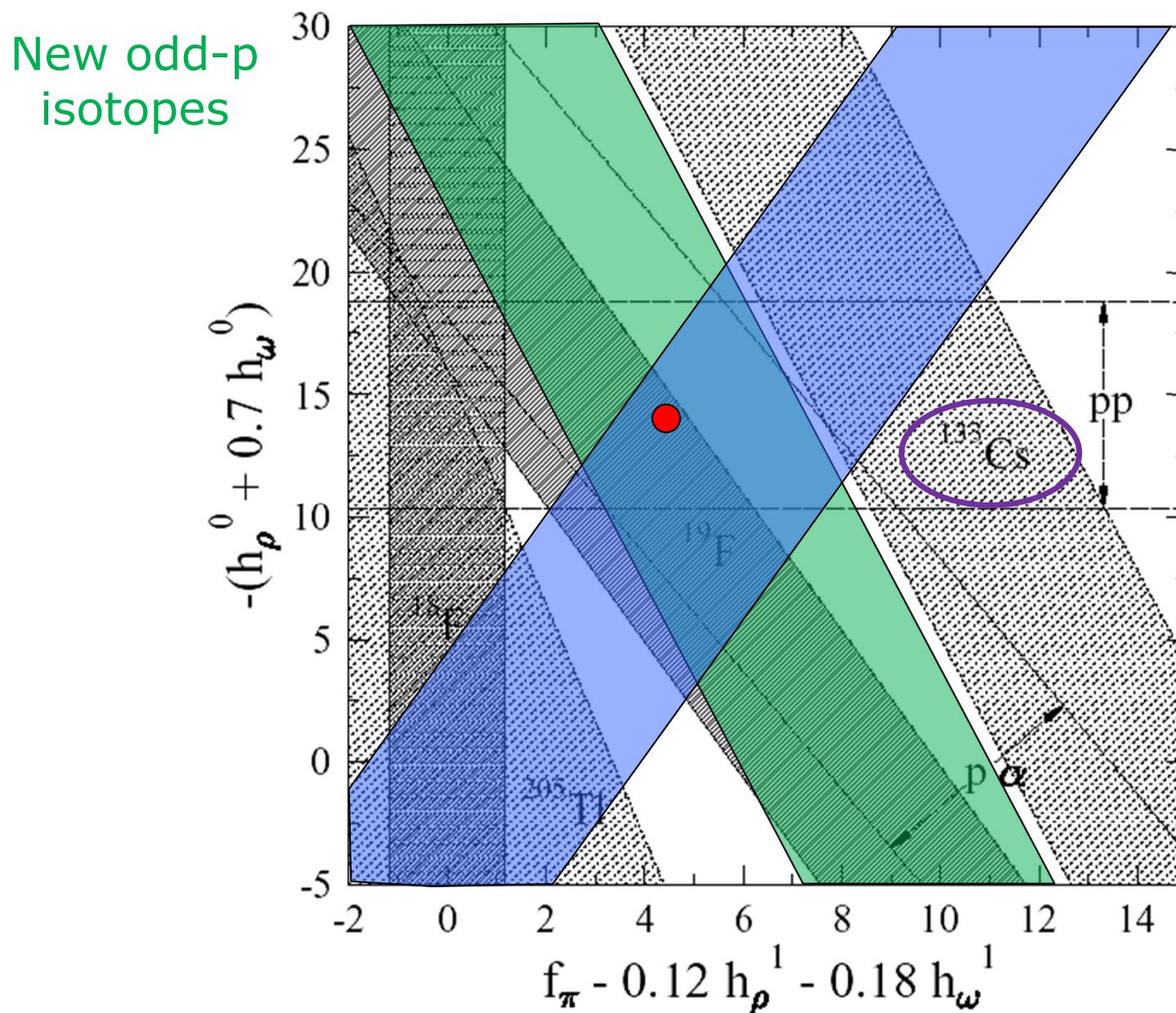


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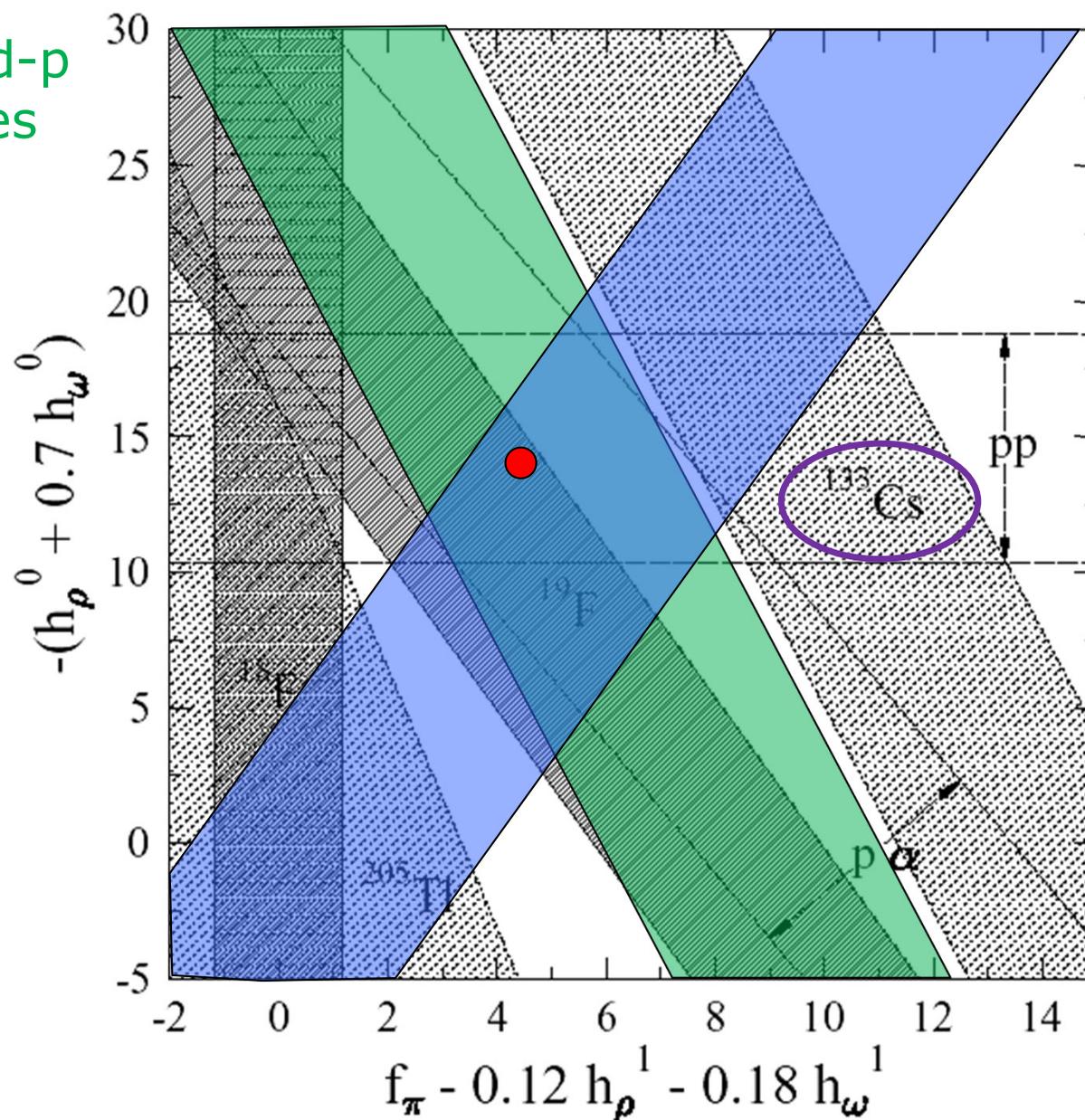


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New odd-p
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NOTE:
anapole moments not
yet evaluated in new
EFT parameterization
& large N_c analysis
of HPV

See M. Sarsour talk
this session

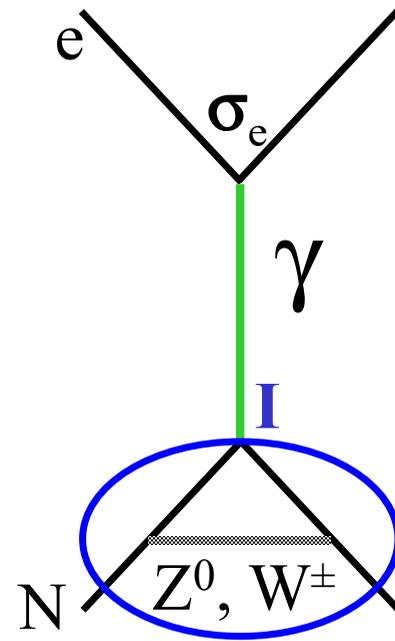


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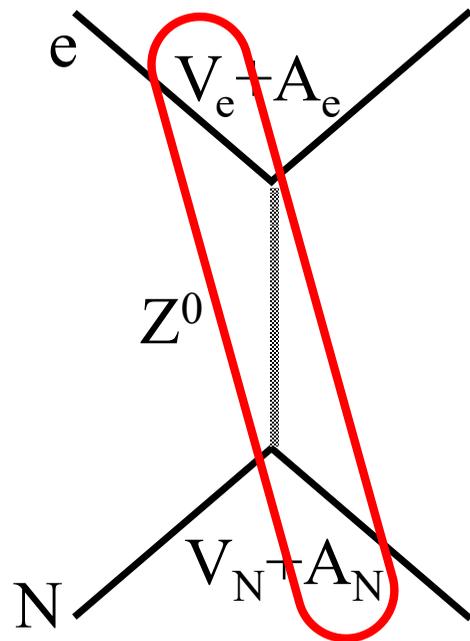
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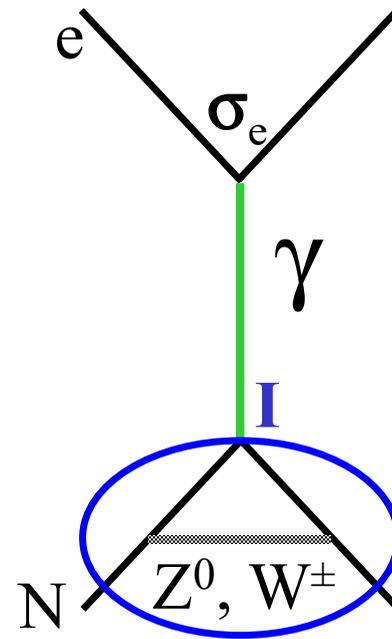
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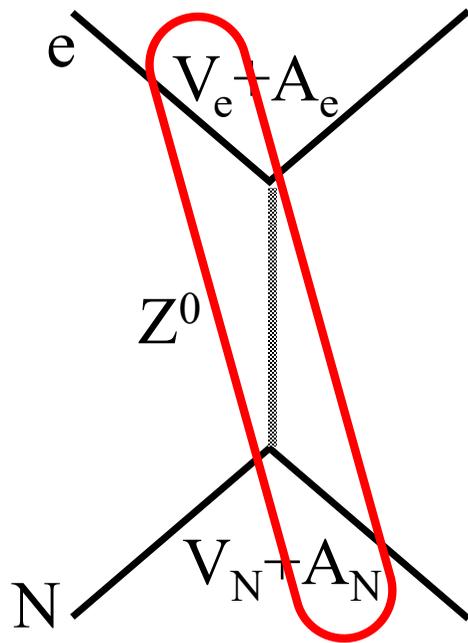
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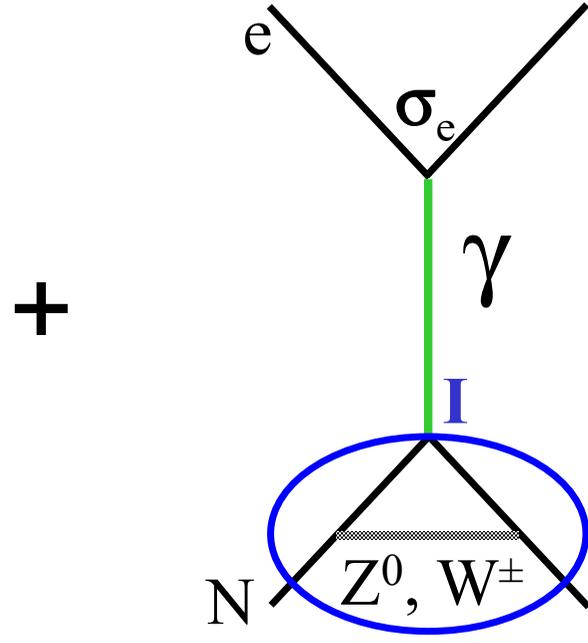


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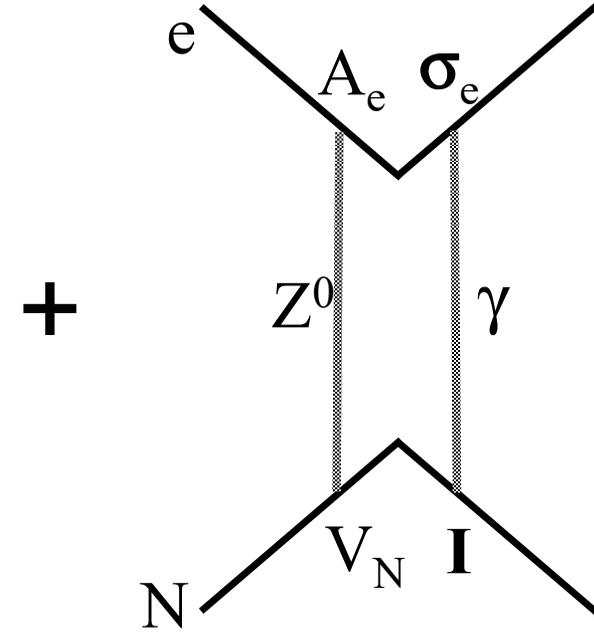
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Coherent sum:
weak charge Q_W
and
EM hyperfine interaction
(small, well-understood)

$$H_{NSD-PV} \propto (\kappa'_2 + \kappa'_a + \kappa'_Q) G_F (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{I}) (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}) \delta^3(\vec{r})$$

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Challenge for atomic/molecular approaches:

Signals by far easiest to detect with high Z & A

BUT

Best chance for reliable interpretation with lowest Z & A

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Heavy atoms/molecules \rightarrow anapole term dominates: $|\kappa'_a| > |\kappa'_2|$
 (Collective enhancement causes radiative correction $>$ tree level...!)

Light atoms/molecules \rightarrow tree-level Z exchange term dominates: $|\kappa'_a| > |\kappa'_2|$

$$|\kappa'_a| \approx |\kappa'_2| \text{ for } A \approx 10 \text{ (odd proton)}$$

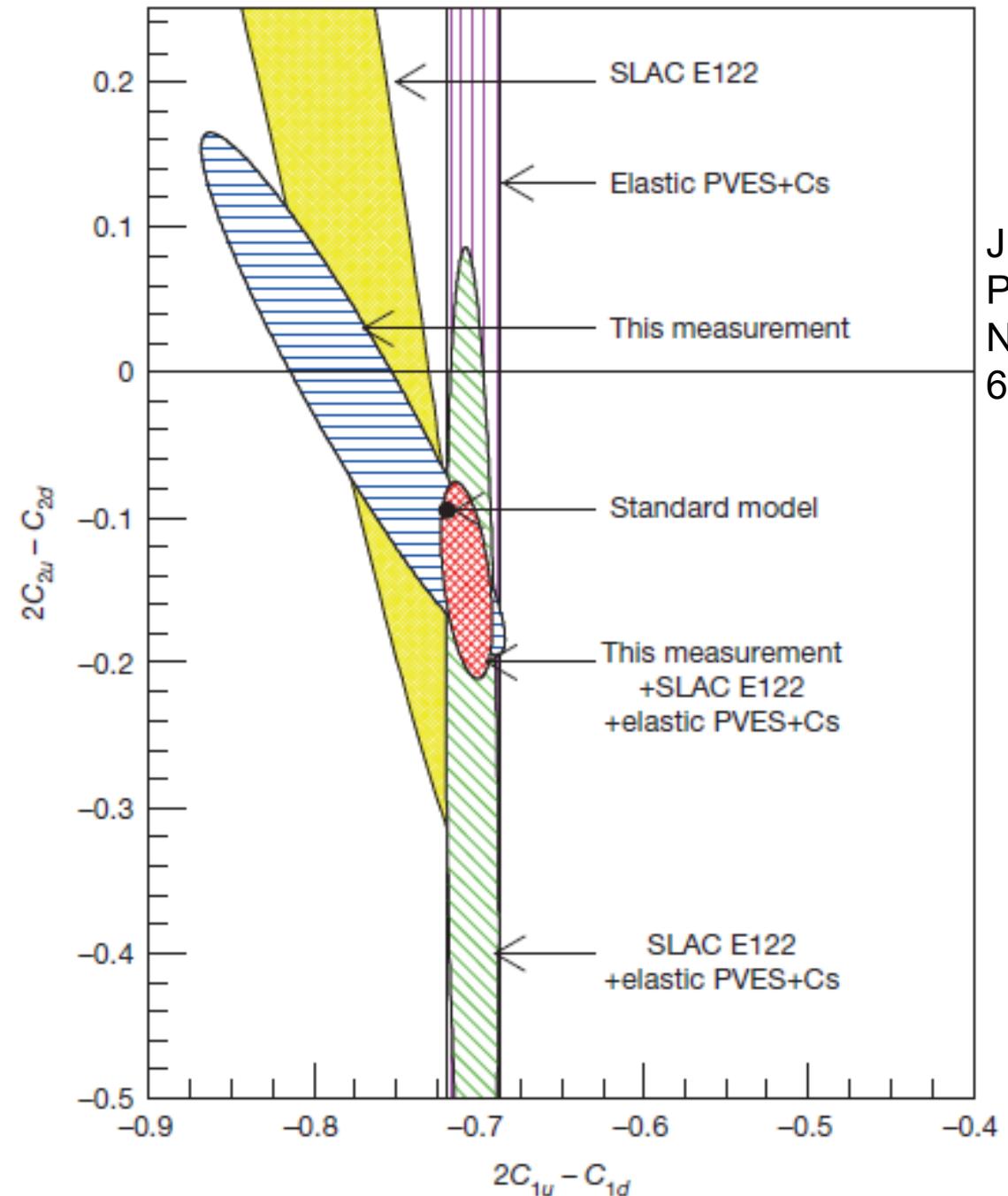
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More physics motivation for κ measurements: neutral weak currents & QCD

κ_2 : Tree-level Z^0 Exchange

- Vector electron – axial nucleon weak coupling constants (C_{2N} , C_{2P})
- Related to fundamental electron-quark couplings (C_{2u} , C_{2d}) via QCD
- Complementary to PVDIS e-p measurements at JLAB (different linear combinations of C_2 's & nucleons vs. quarks)

See D. Adhikari talk
this session



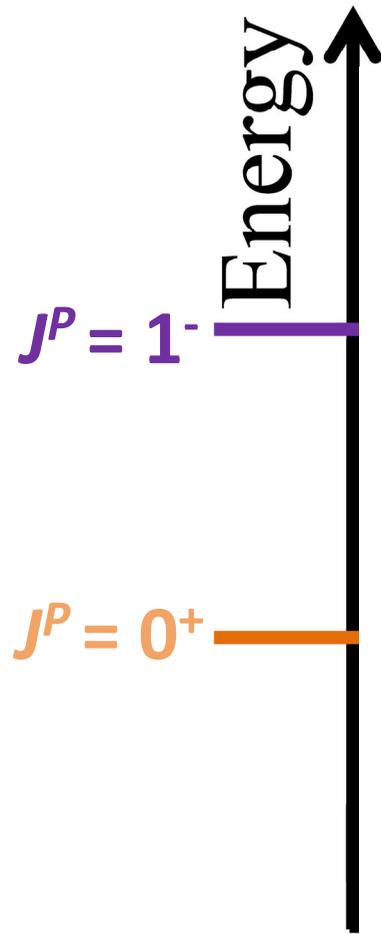
JLAB
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Nature **506**,
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ZOMBIES overarching goal:

understand electroweak interactions in strongly-interacting environment at low q^2

- **Pure hadronic (nucleon-nucleon) parity violating interactions: still poorly understood**
 - complementary to recent few-nucleon probes (NPDGamma, polarized n on ^3He , neutron spin rotation, ...)
 - sensitive to different linear combinations in multi-parameter space
 - connect to recent developments in nuclear structure calculations & HPV theory
 - rich data set for consistency checks
 - benchmark for $0\nu\beta\beta$ matrix element calculations...???
- **Nucleon-level $V_e A_h (C_{2P}, C_{2N})$ vs. Nucleus-level $V_e A_h$**
 - quenching as for g_A in charged currents...?
- **Quark-level $V_e A_h (C_{2u}, C_{2d})$ vs. nucleon-level $V_e A_h (C_{2P}, C_{2N})$ neutral current couplings ?**
 - matching as $q^2 \rightarrow 0$...?
 - potential for lattice QCD prediction & post-hoc verification?

ZOMBIES principle: amplified NSD-PV mixing in molecules w/unpaired electron

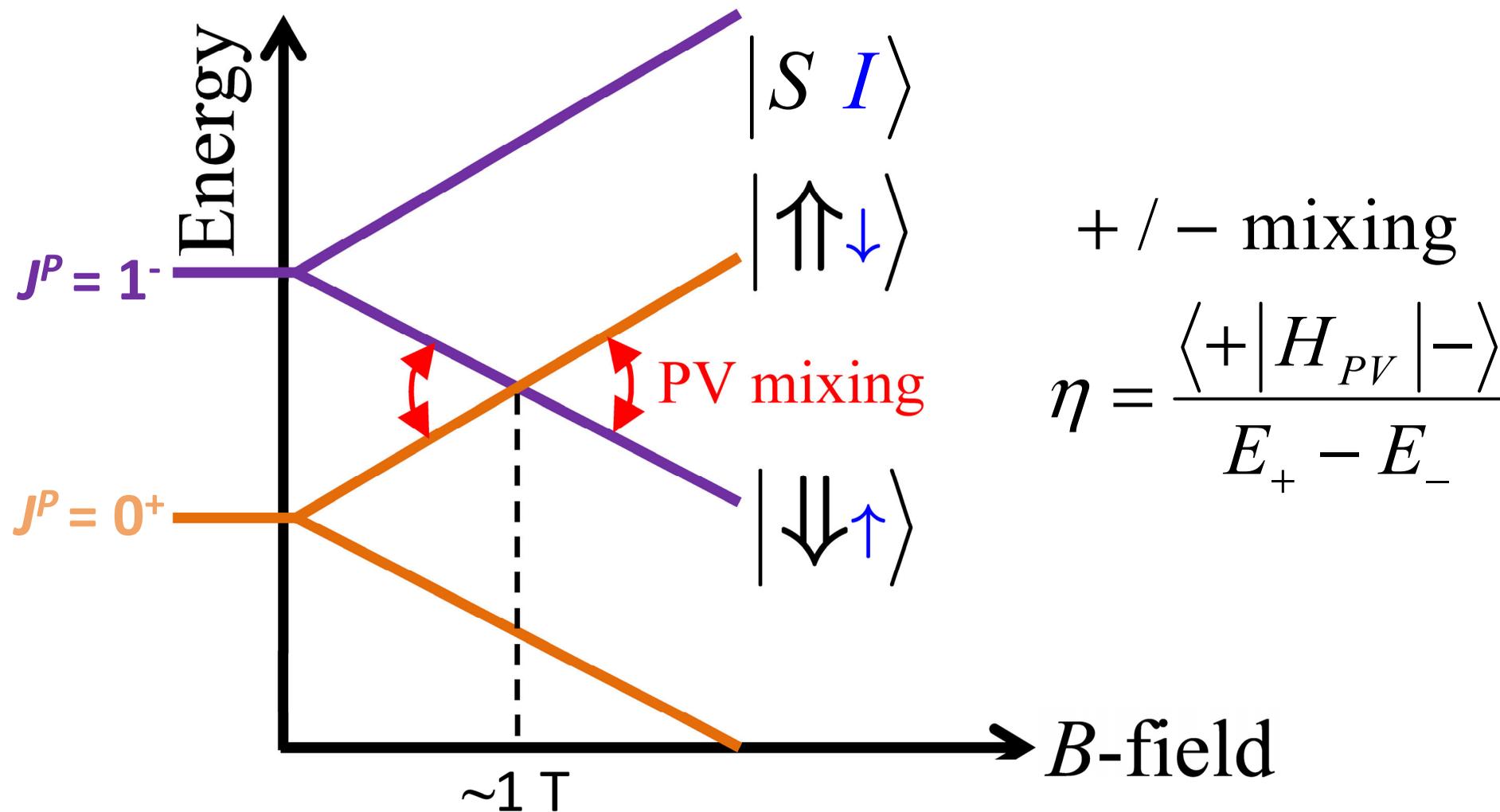


+ / - mixing

$$\eta = \frac{\langle + | H_{PV} | - \rangle}{E_+ - E_-}$$

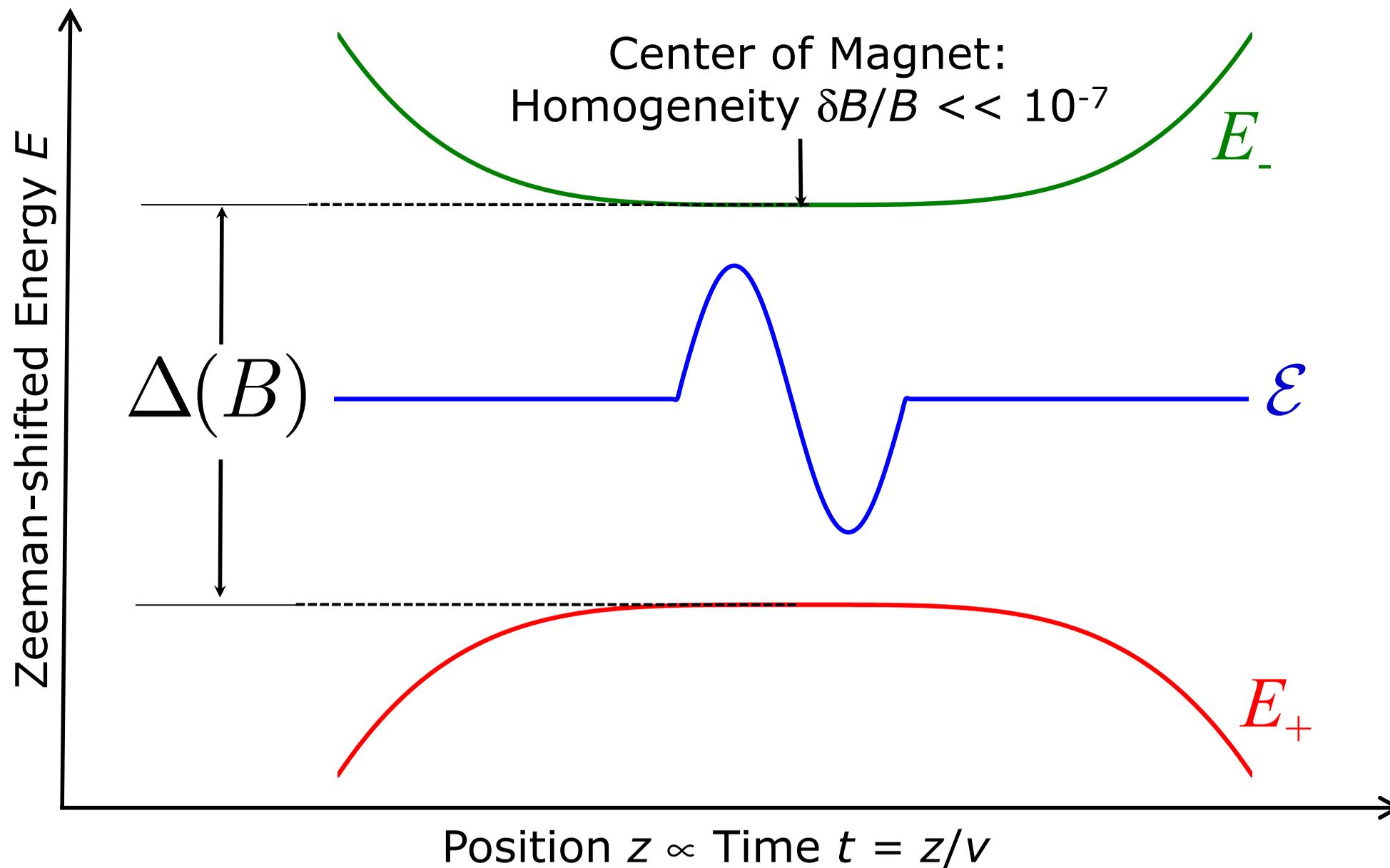
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Amplified NSD-PV mixing in molecules with one unpaired electron

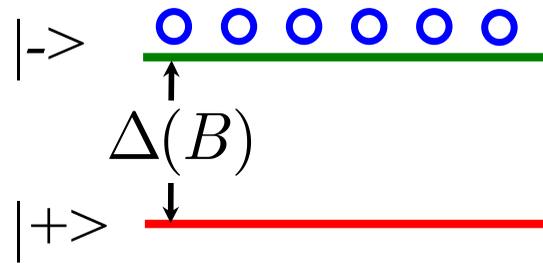


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 can be bridged w/Zeeaman shift:
 $\gtrsim 10^{11}$ enhanced PV mixing vs. classic experiments with atoms

Stark interference method:
apply oscillating \mathcal{E} -field to mix nearly-degenerate opposite-parity levels



Detecting PV in near-degenerate levels: AC Stark shift



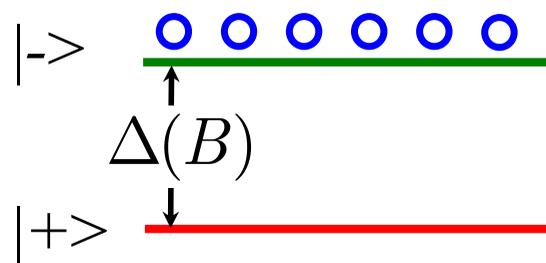
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PV mixing iW encodes physics of interest

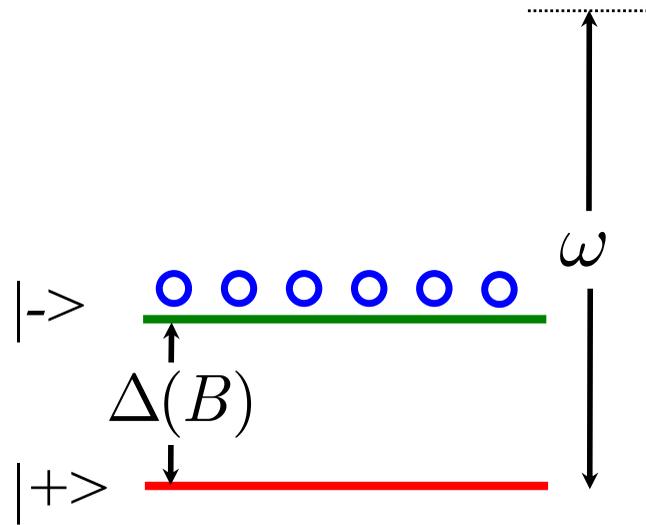


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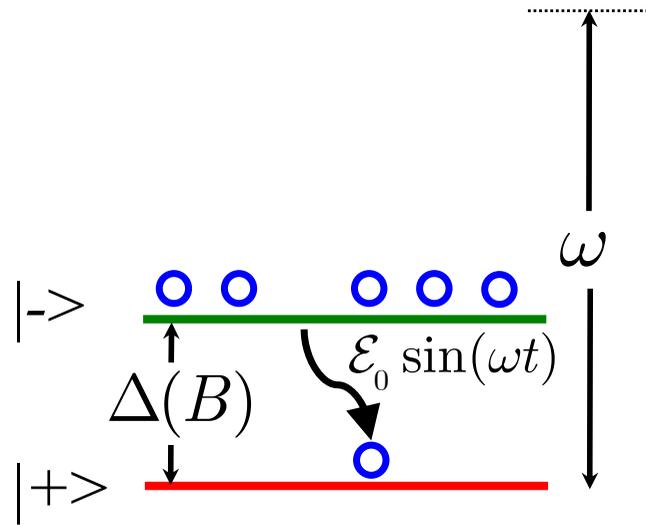
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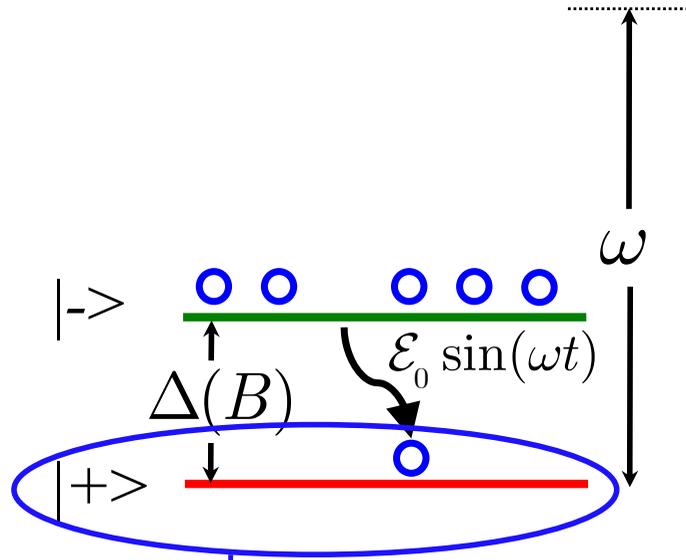
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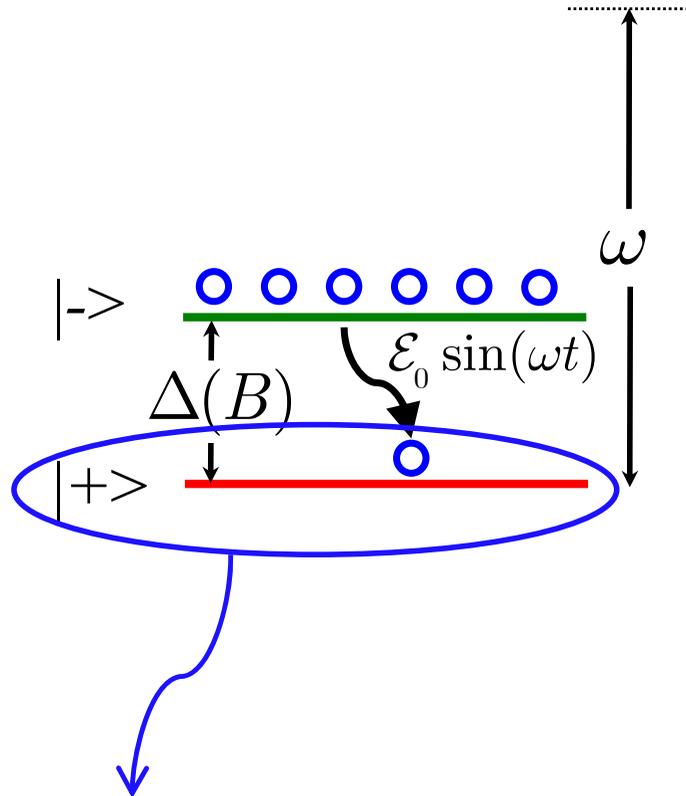
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“Large”
Stark Term
Even in \mathcal{E}_0

Small
PV Term
Odd in \mathcal{E}_0

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Statistical Uncertainty

$$\delta W = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_0}} \frac{1}{T}$$

best sensitivity from
large interaction time T



Equivalent to measuring W as generic energy shift at Standard Quantum Limit

Properties of NSD-PV asymmetry: example with ^{137}BaF

Typical numbers for ^{137}BaF :

$$\Delta_0 \sim 1/T \sim 2\pi \times 1 \text{ kHz}$$

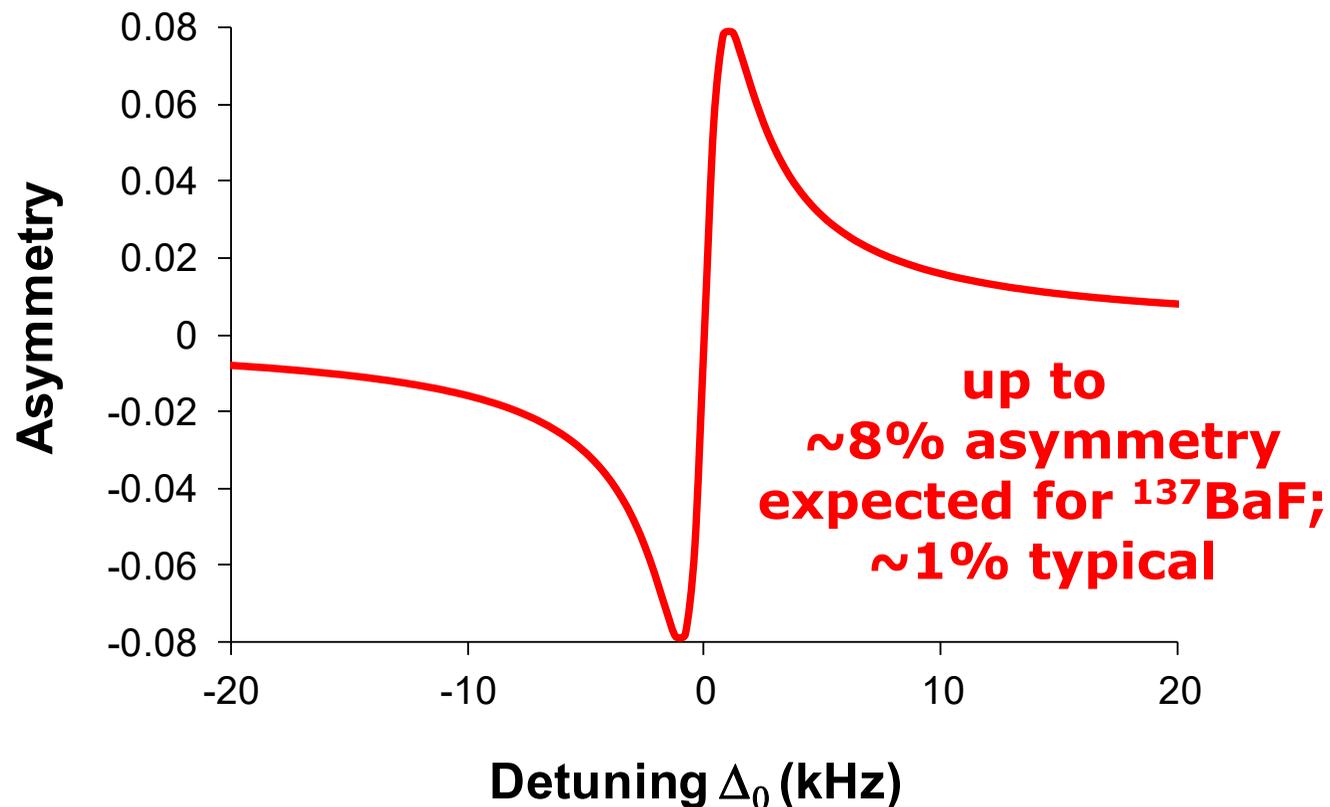
$$\omega = 2\pi \times 100 \text{ kHz}$$

$$dE_0/\omega = 0.1$$

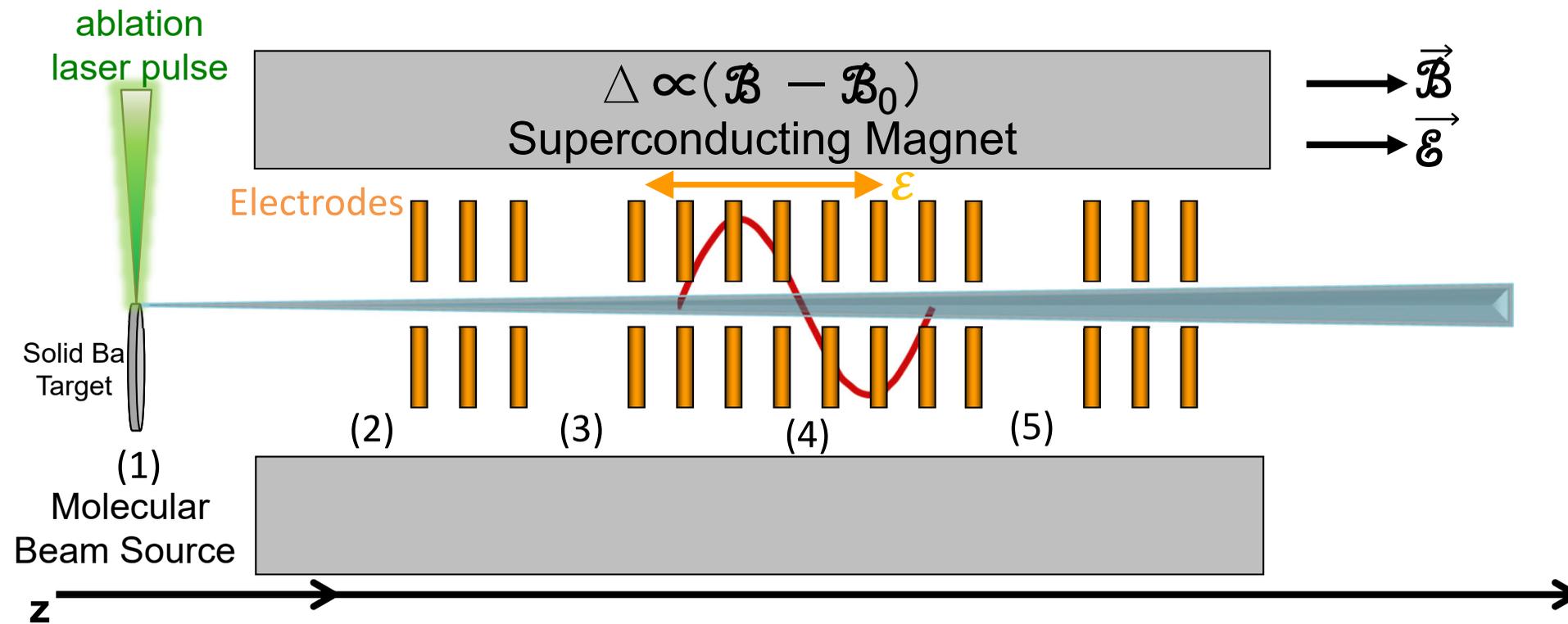
$$W = 2\pi \times 5 \text{ Hz}$$

PV Invariant

$$\left(d\vec{\mathcal{E}} / dt \right) \cdot \left(\vec{\mathcal{B}} - \vec{\mathcal{B}}_c \right)$$



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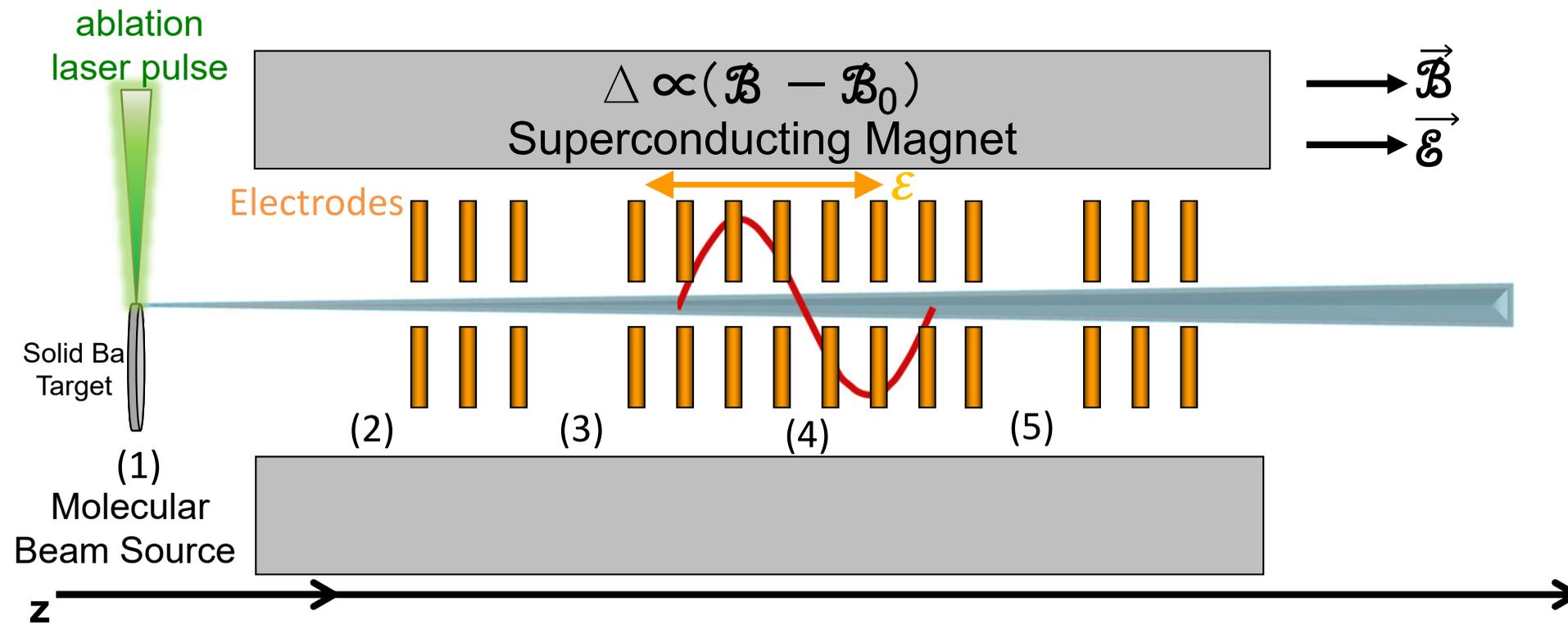


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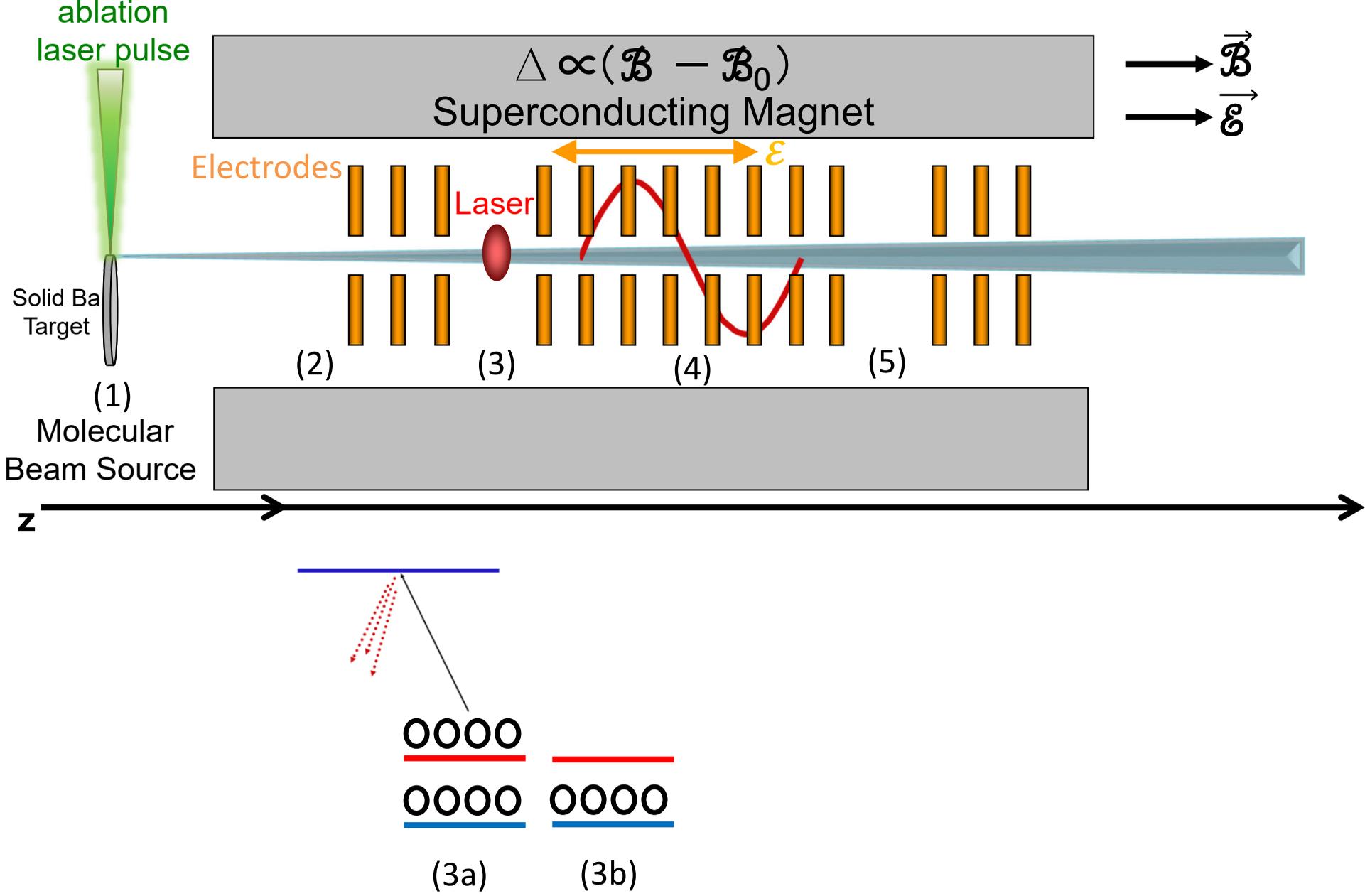


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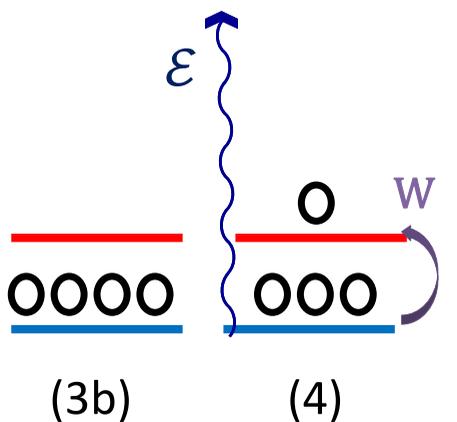
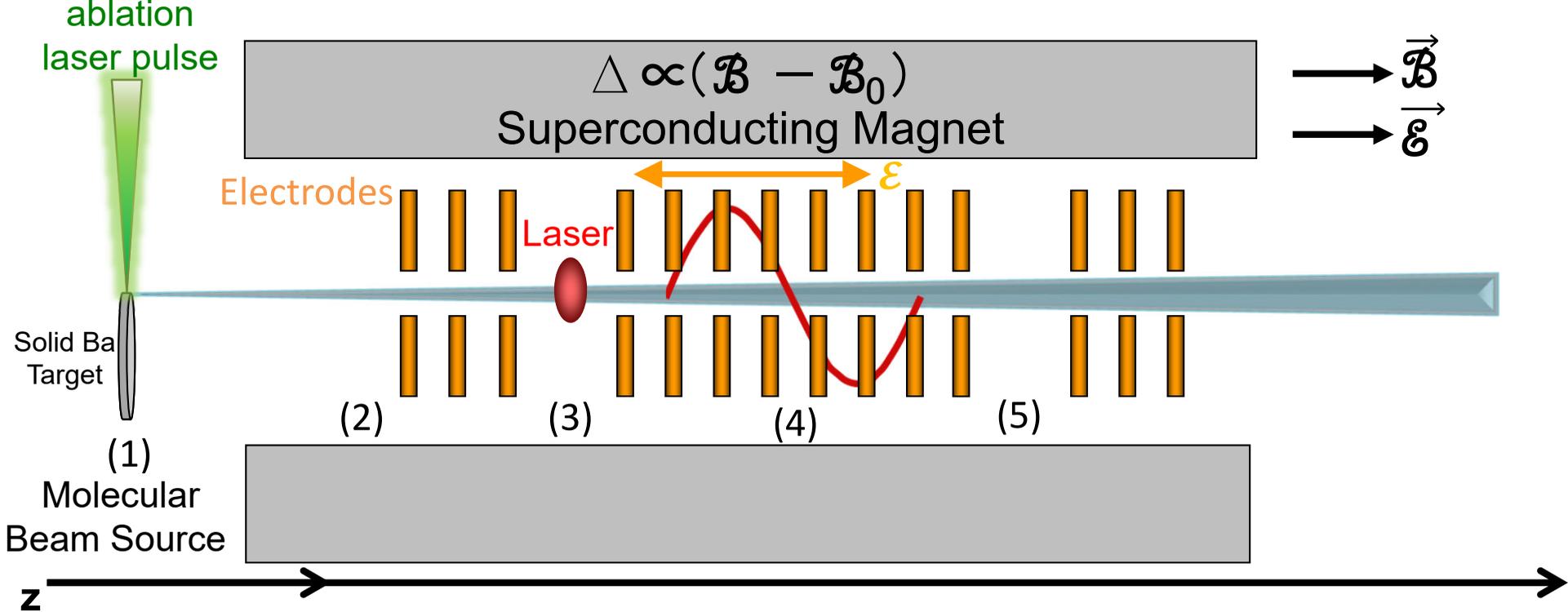
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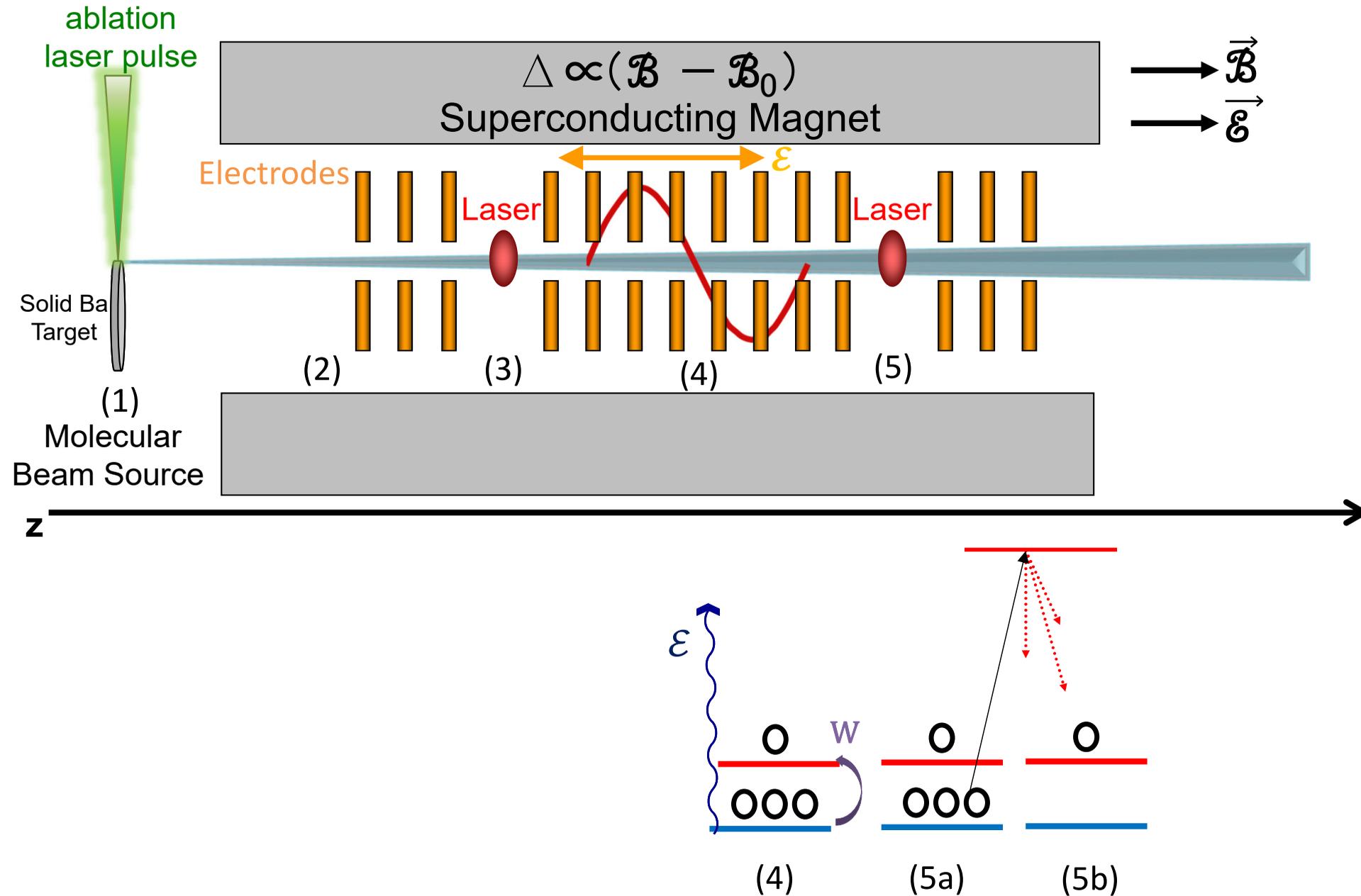
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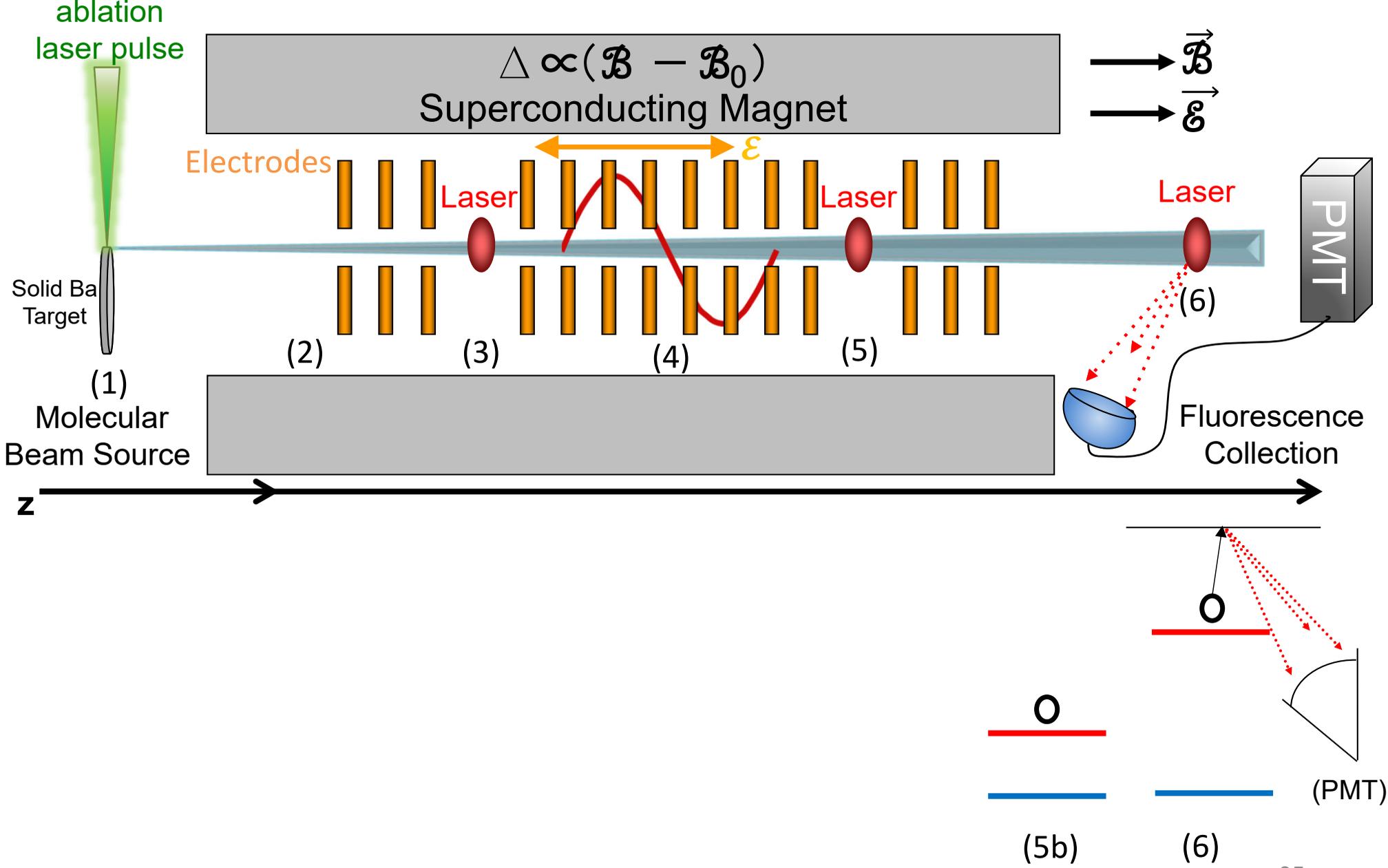
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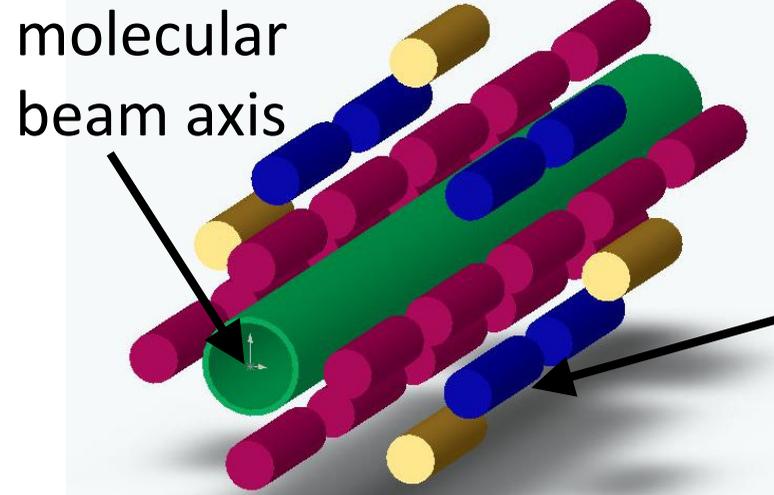
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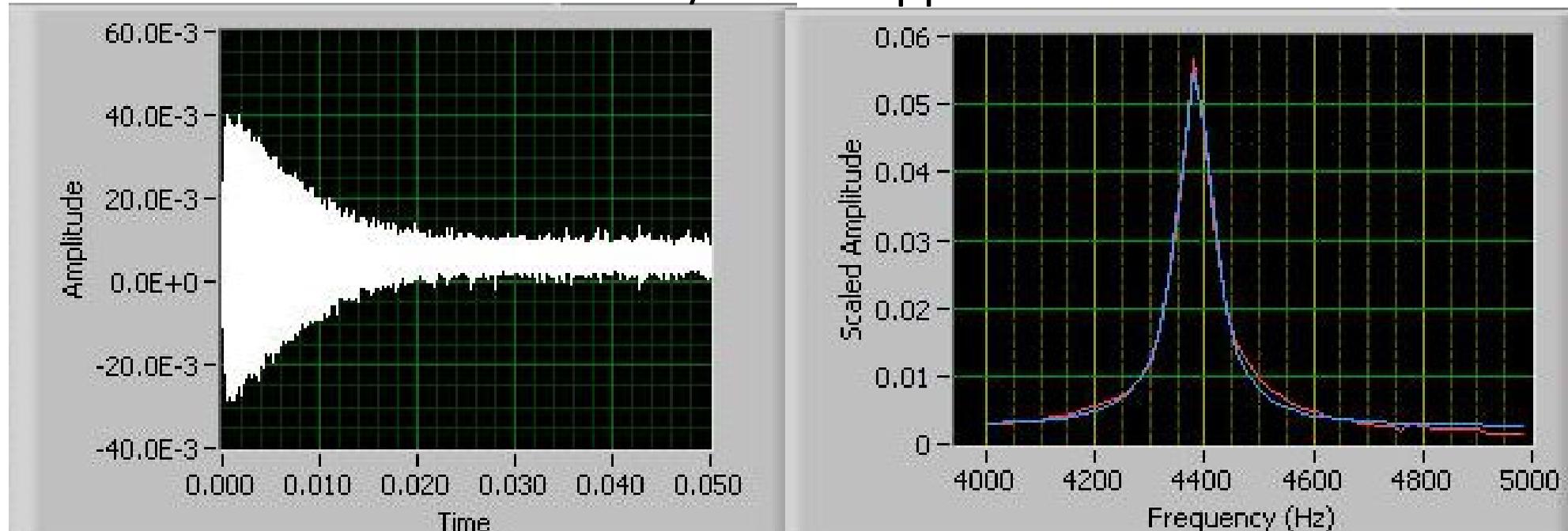
Magnetic field measurement (1st layer)



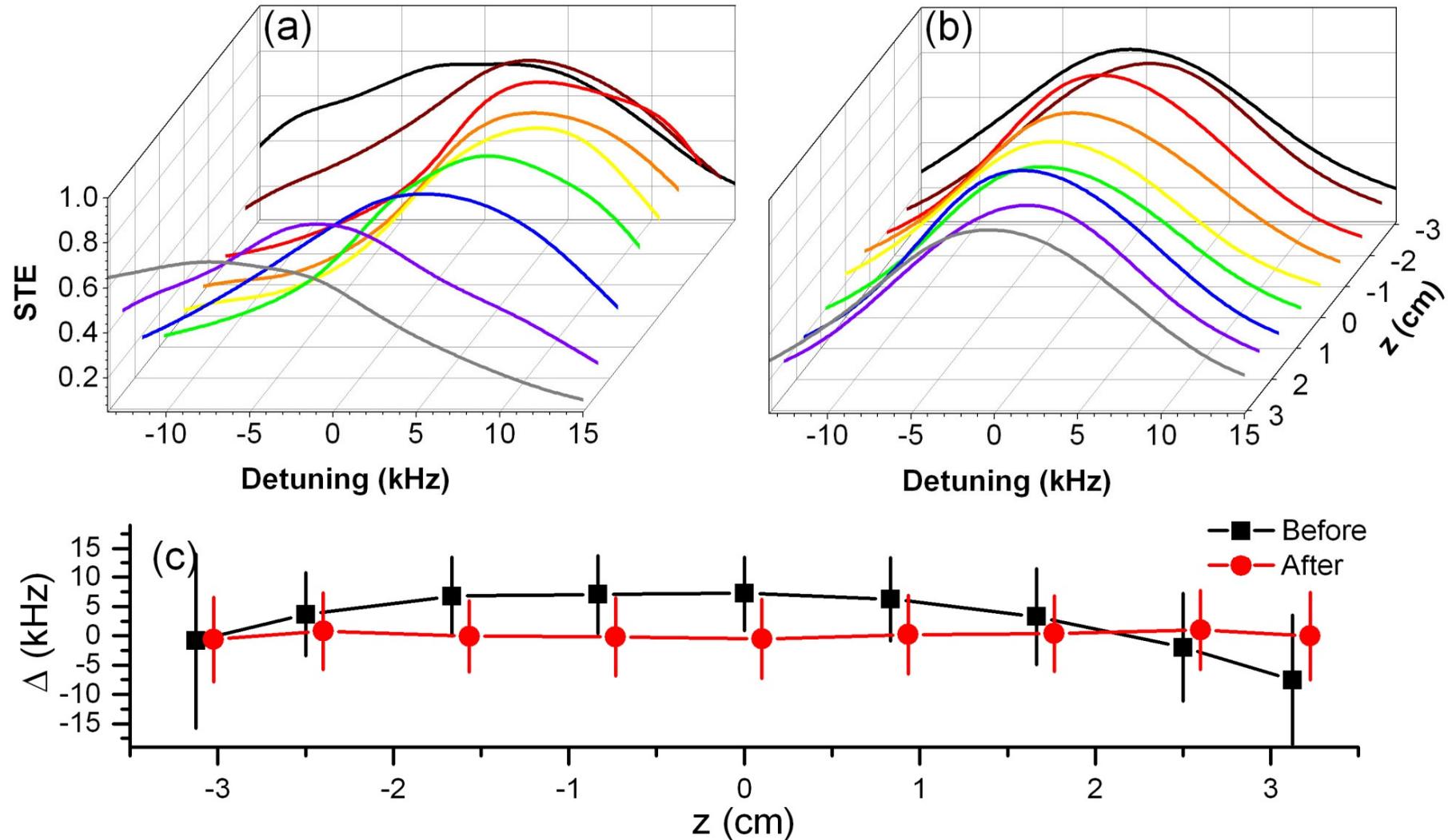
broadband probe on flex circuit



FID trace + FFT fit: $\delta B/B = 0.01$ ppm in one 60 ms shot



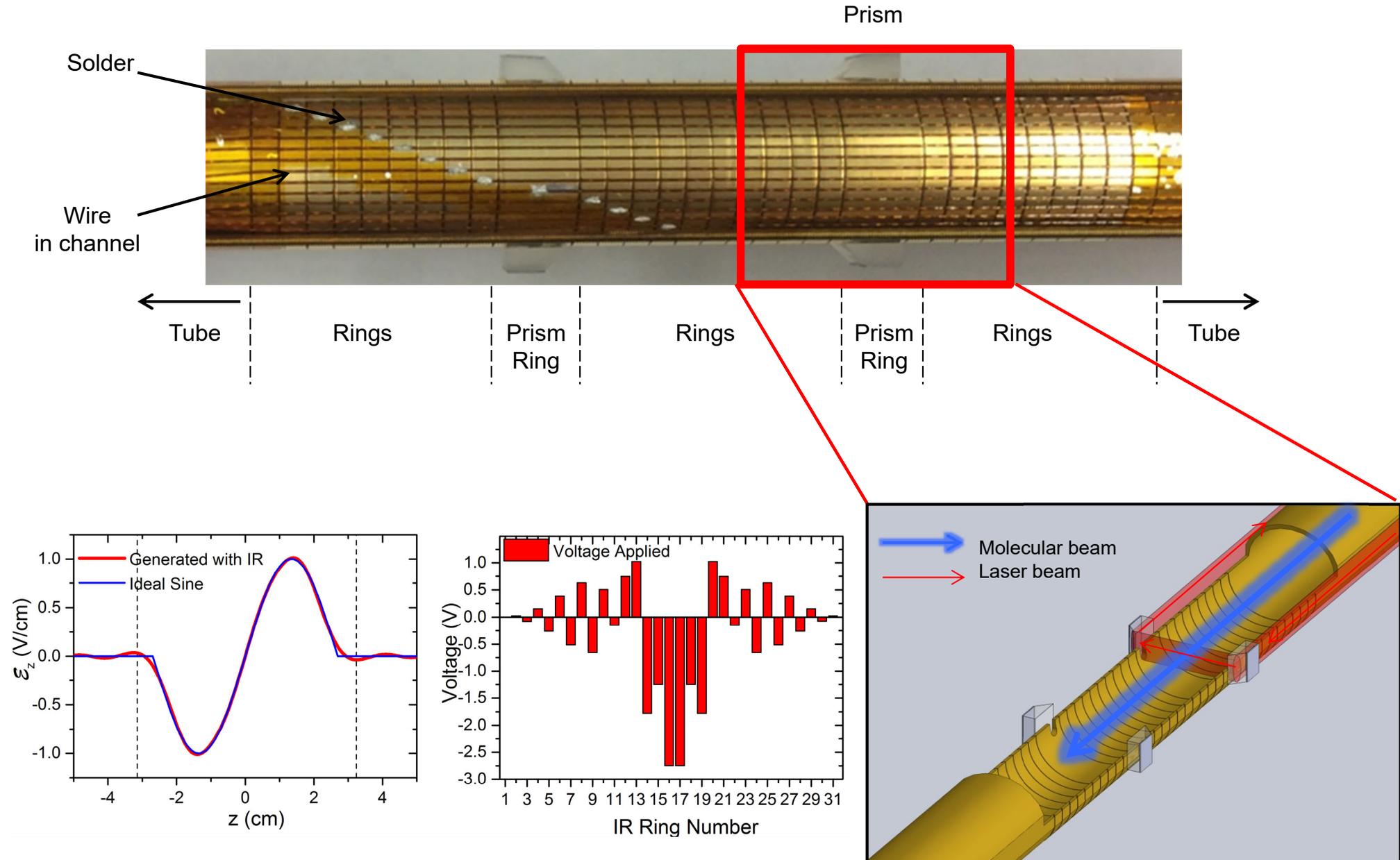
Magnetic field control (2nd layer): results with 52 shim coils



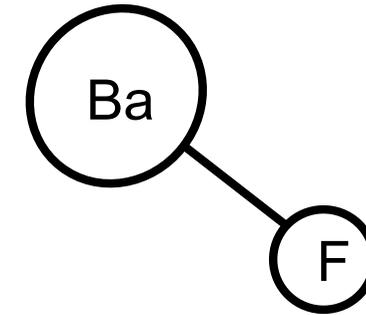
Using molecules for final measurement & shimming:
r.m.s. variation $\delta B/B < 20$ ppb [6 cm L. x 1 cm D. cylinder]

\mathcal{E} -field control

Ring electrodes create sine wave \mathcal{E} -field along \mathbf{z} -axis:



ZOMBIES I: NSD-PV with BaF



Initial physics goal: NSD-PV with ^{137}BaF

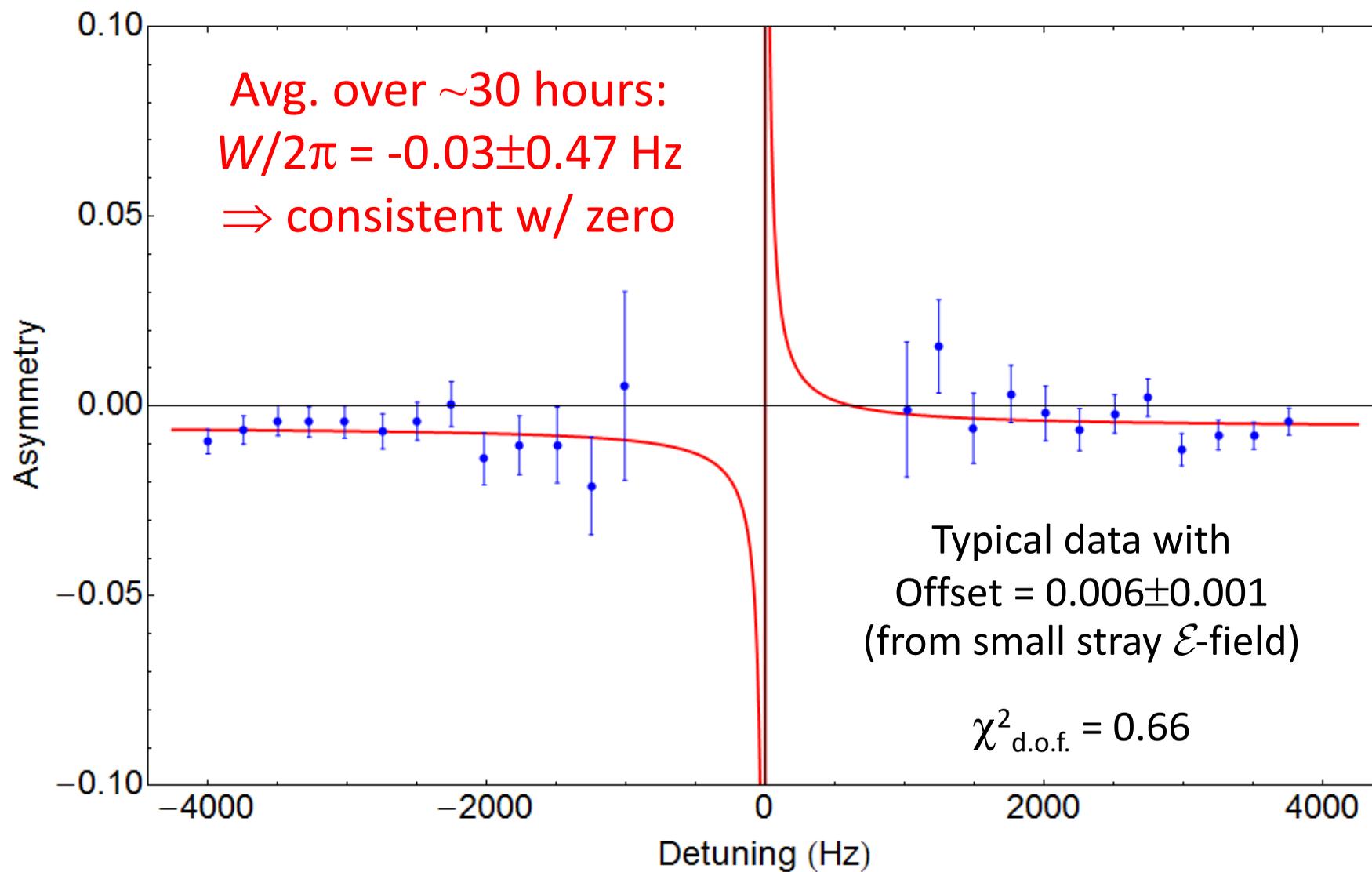
- Odd neutron (vs. ^{133}Cs w/odd proton)
- Heavy \rightarrow large effect, anapole term dominates
- Large enough natural abundance 11%
- Required lasers = simple, cheap diodes

Completed: proof of principle using $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$

- Larger natural abundance ($\sim 75\%$ vs $\sim 11\%$ for ^{137}Ba)
- Uses same beam source, lasers, magnet, etc. as ^{137}BaF
- $W(^{138}\text{Ba}) = 0$ Hz (no unpaired nucleons = no NSD-PV)
 $W(^{19}\text{F}) \approx 0.002$ Hz ≈ 0 (light, small electron spin density in BaF)
- **Test for practical sensitivity & systematics with known answer**

Typical asymmetry data from proof of principle run with $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$

Null signal expected for ^{19}F nucleus



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A	$0.28 \pm 0.49_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.38_{\text{sys}}$	-0.41	3360	$-0.68 \pm 1.20_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.93_{\text{sys}}$
F	$0.01 \pm 0.51_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.38_{\text{sys}}$	+0.39	3530	$0.03 \pm 1.30_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.97_{\text{sys}}$
Weighted Average	-	-	-	$-0.36 \pm 0.88_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.95_{\text{sys}}$

~170 h data
~ 6×10^7 molecules total

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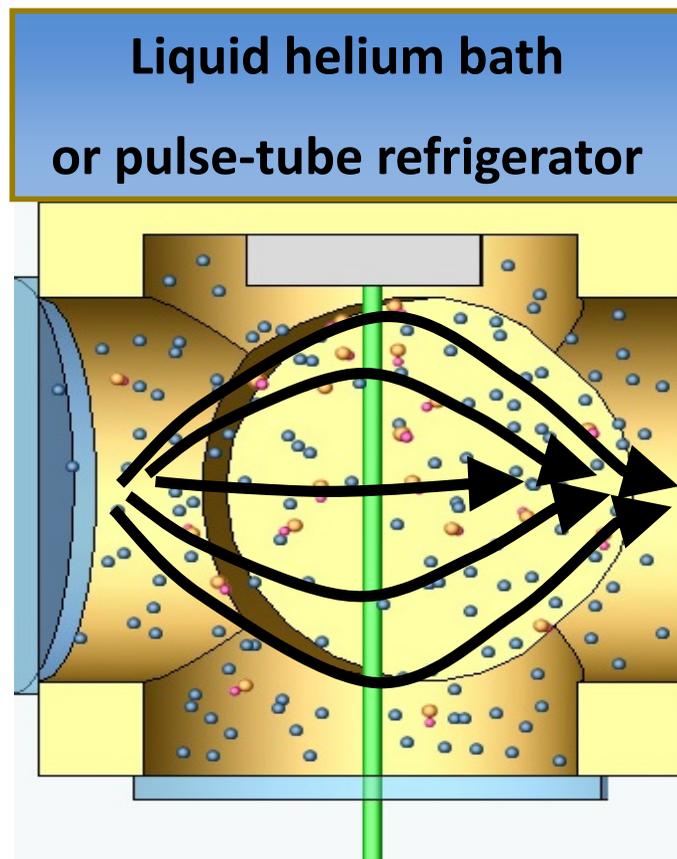
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- Unprecedented sensitivity to NSD-PV
- General technique enables measurements in broad range of nuclei

E. Altuntas, J. Ammon, S.B. Cahn, DD PRL **120**, 142501 (2018); PRA **97**, 042101 (2018)

Newly added: Cryogenic Buffer Gas-cooled Beam (CBGB)

[S. Maxwell *et al.* PRL 2005; D. Patterson & J. Doyle J Chem Phys 2007;
J. Barry, DD, *et al.* PCCP 2011; N. Hutzler, DD, J. Doyle *et al.* PCCP 2011]

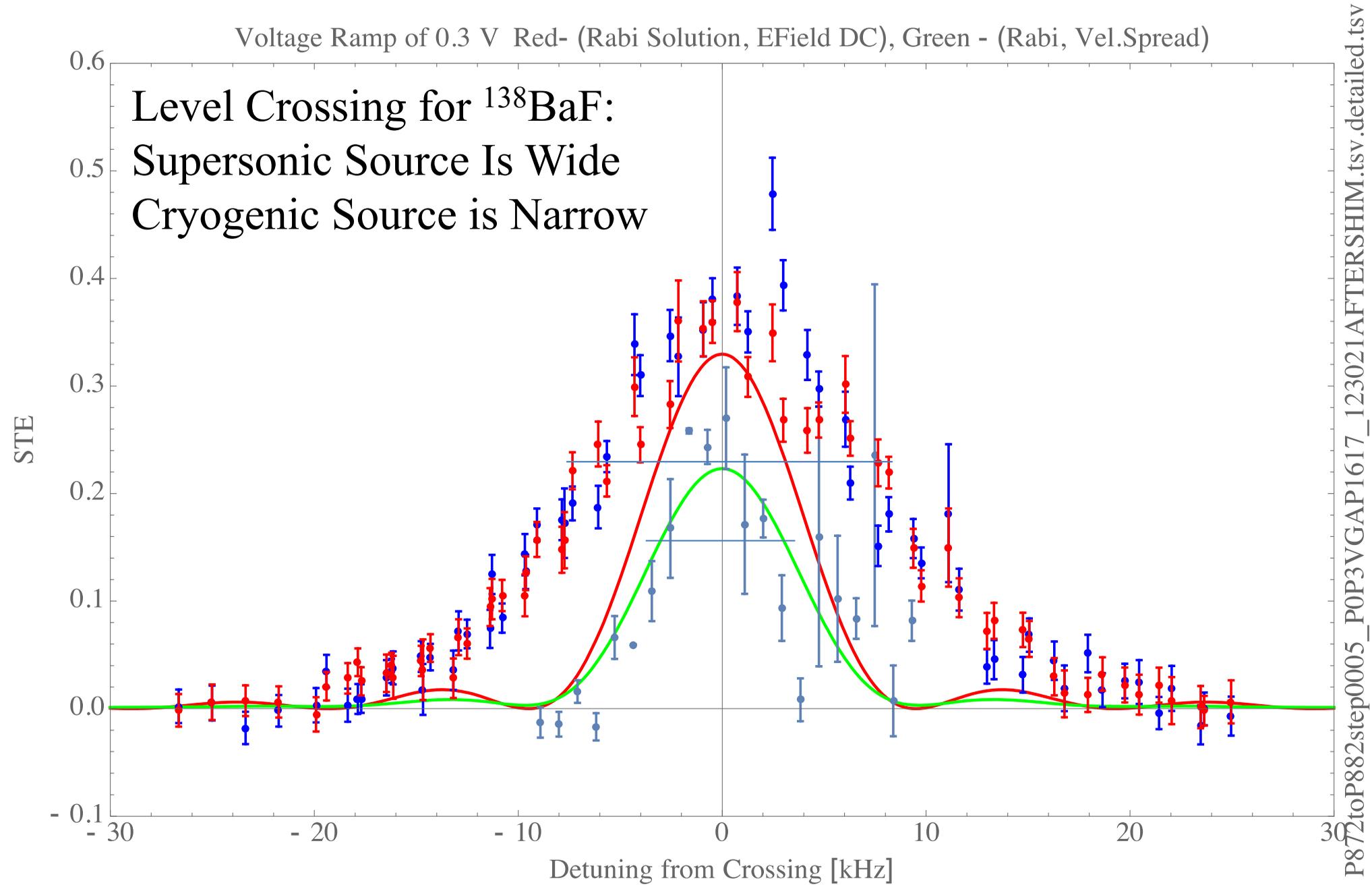


- Inject hot molecules (e.g. via laser ablation)
- Cool w/cryogenic buffer gas @ high density
- Efficient extraction to beam via “wind” in cell: $10^{-4} \rightarrow 10\%-40\%$
- “Self-collimated” by extraction dynamics
- Rotational cooling in expansion: $T \sim 1-4$ K
- Moderately slow: $v \sim 200$ m/s

Low velocity \rightarrow interaction time $\sim 3\times$ larger;
Beam brightness $\sim 2\times$ larger flux observed SO FAR (but expected 10-100x....?)
Will enable magnetic focusing $\Rightarrow \sim 10\times$ flux

Gain in NSD-PV statistical sensitivity: 5x now, >30x anticipated

Demonstrated: Better Energy Resolution with CBGB



ZOMBIES: general-purpose technique, applicable to many isotopes

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Using Molecules to Measure Nuclear Spin-Dependent Parity Violation

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Nucleus	I	ν	ℓ	n.a. (%)	$100\kappa'_a$	$100\kappa'_2$	Species	B_e (MHz)	$\mathcal{B}_0^{(m)}$ (T)	W_P (Hz)	$\tilde{C}^{(m)}$	$W^{(m)}$ (Hz)
⁸⁷ Sr ₃₈	9/2	<i>N</i>	4	7.0	-3.6	-5.0	SrF	7515	0.62	65	-0.40	2.2
⁹¹ Zr ₄₀	5/2	<i>N</i>	2	11.2	-3.5	-5.0	ZrN	14468	1.20	99	-0.40	3.4
¹³⁷ Ba ₅₆	3/2	<i>N</i>	2	11.2	+4.2	+3.0	BaF	6480	0.32	164	-0.44	-5.2
¹⁷¹ Yb ₇₀	1/2	<i>N</i>	1	14.3	+4.1	+1.7	YbF	7246	0.33	729	-0.52	-2.2
²⁷ Al ₁₃	5/2	<i>P</i>	2	100	-11.2	+5.0	AlS	8369	0.52	10	-0.42	0.3
⁶⁹ Ga ₃₁	3/2	<i>P</i>	1	60.1	-19.6	+5.0	GaO	8217	0.49	61	-0.43	3.8
⁸¹ Br ₃₅	3/2	<i>P</i>	1	49.3	-21.8	+5.0	MgBr	4944	0.34	18	-0.42	1.3
¹³⁹ La ₅₇	7/2	<i>P</i>	4	99.9	+34.7	-3.9	LaO	10578	0.25	222	-0.43	-29

Improved understanding of molecular structure since 2008
 → even more viable molecule species to study many different nuclei

Viability nuclei for anapole/NSD-PV measurement with ZOMBIES

- 10% measurement possible with demonstrated sensitivity, $\lesssim 100$ h data
- Requires systematics $\sim 2-10x$ better
- Statistics likely OK, will require systematics $\sim 100x$ better

1 H																	1 H	2 He
3 Li	4 Be											5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne	
11 Na	12 Mg											13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar	
9 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr	
37 Rb	38 Sr	39 Y	40 Zr	41 Nb	42 Mo	43 Tc	44 Ru	45 Rh	46 Pd	47 Ag	48 Cd	49 In	50 Sn	51 Sb	52 Te	53 I	54 Xe	
55 Cs	56 Ba	57 La	72 Hf	73 Ta	74 W	75 Re	76 Os	77 Ir	78 Pt	79 Au	80 Hg	81 Tl	82 Pb	83 Bi	84 Po	85 At	86 Rn	
87 Fr	88 Ra	89 Ac	104 Rf	105 Db	106 Sg	107 Bh	108 Hs	109 Mt					114		116		118	

58 Ce	59 Pr	60 Nd	61 Pm	62 Sm	63 Eu	64 Gd	65 Tb	66 Dy	67 Ho	68 Er	69 Tm	70 Yb	71 Lu
90 Th	91 Pa	92 U	93 Np	94 Pu	95 Am	96 Cm	97 Bk	98 Cf	99 Es	100 Fm	101 Md	102 No	103 Lr

Beyond ZOMBIES: next-gen NSD-PV measurements with light nuclei

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**See Ronald Garcia-Ruiz plenary talk
this morning**

F at lower ν [31]. Alternatively, it might be possible to increase T using trapped molecular ions [32]. Such improvements, plus more spectral data for similar molecular species, could widen the list of accessible nuclei. For light molecules and nuclei, *ab initio* electronic and nuclear structure calculations may be possible at accuracies better than those envisioned here. Ultimately, the method might extend to direct measurement of κ' for ^1H and ^2H . For

Towards measurements of symmetry-violating nuclear properties using single molecular ions in a Penning trap

J Karthein, D DeMille, J Dilling, **R Garcia Ruiz**, N Hutzler, P Mohapatra, Scott Moroch, Ryan Ringle, Silviu-Marian Udrescu
Bulletin of the American Physical Society 66 2021

- MUCH longer interaction time,
MUCH smaller experimental volume,
very advanced techniques w/single ions in
Penning traps



MUCH better sensitivity (sufficient for p,d...?)
AND
ability to probe short-lived radioactive isotopes

First glimmers: reliable HPV → NSD-PV calculations in nuclei?

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Editors' Suggestion

Nuclear spin-dependent parity-violating effects in light polyatomic molecules

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III. NO-CORE SHELL-MODEL NUCLEAR CALCULATIONS

	⁹ Be	¹³ C	¹⁴ N	¹⁵ N	²⁵ Mg
I^π	3/2 ⁻	1/2 ⁻	1 ⁺	1/2 ⁻	5/2 ⁺
$\mu^{\text{exp.}}$	-1.177 ^a	0.702 ^b	0.404 ^c	-0.283 ^d	-0.855 ^e
	NCSM calculations				
μ	-1.05	0.44	0.37	-0.25	-0.50
κ_A	0.016	-0.028	0.036	0.088	0.035
$\langle S_{p,z} \rangle$	0.009	-0.049	-0.183	-0.148	0.06
$\langle S_{n,z} \rangle$	0.360	-0.141	-0.1815	0.004	0.30
κ_{ax}	0.035	-0.009	0.0002	0.015	0.024
κ	0.050	-0.037	0.037	0.103	0.057

- First No-Core Shell Model calculations of anapole moments and $V_e A_N$ effects
- Significant differences from single-particle SM estimates
 - Magnetic moment as benchmark

present calculations, we can be optimistic that uncertainties of nuclear calculations for light nuclei can be reduced to $\sim 10\%$ once the above improvements are implemented. The NCSM

ZOMBIES Past & Present

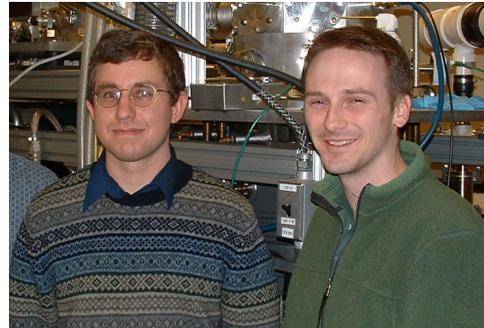
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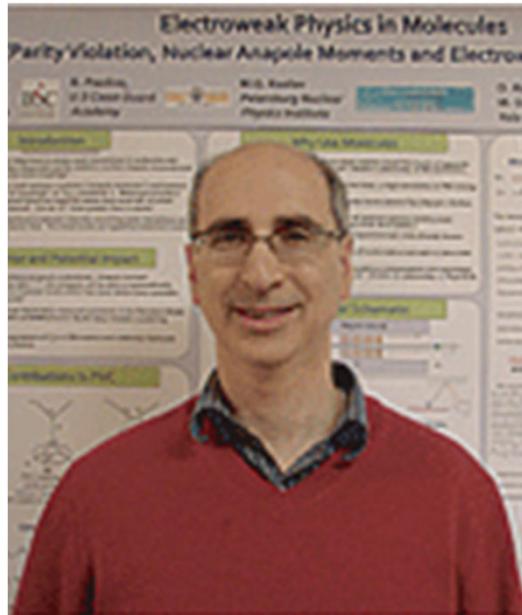
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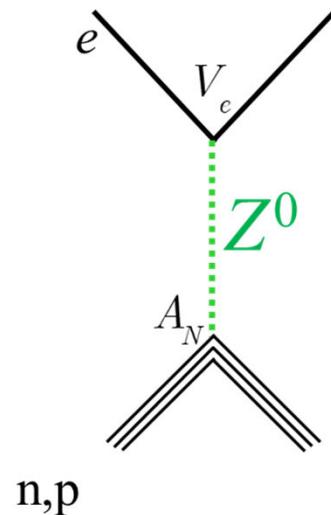
ZOMBIES: Summary & Outlook

--New era in NSD-PV: anapole + $V_e A_N$ measurements beginning

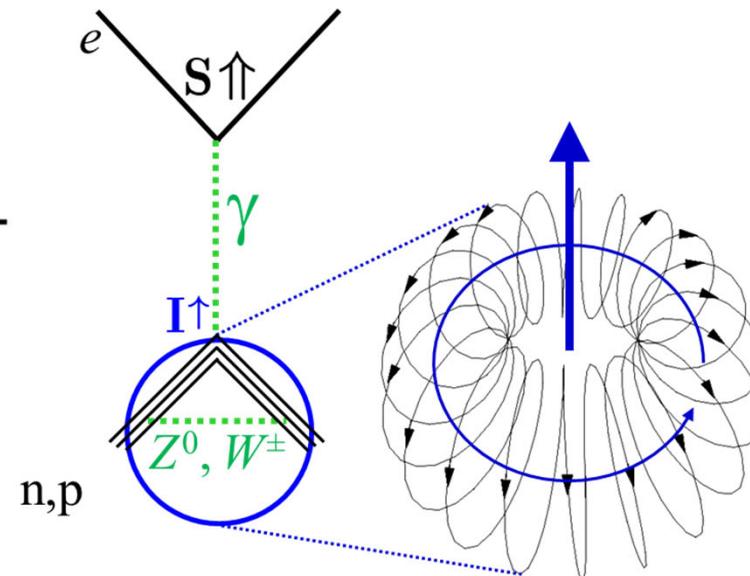
--Sensitivity & accuracy of molecular systems likely to enable measurements on many nuclei, including lighter isotopes, with <10% uncertainty

--Complementary to other hadronic PV experiments & SoLID/PVDIS @ JLab

--NSD-PV poised to open new window to unified understanding of hadronic PV & semileptonic neutral-current PV, in strongly-interacting environment, across wide range of scales



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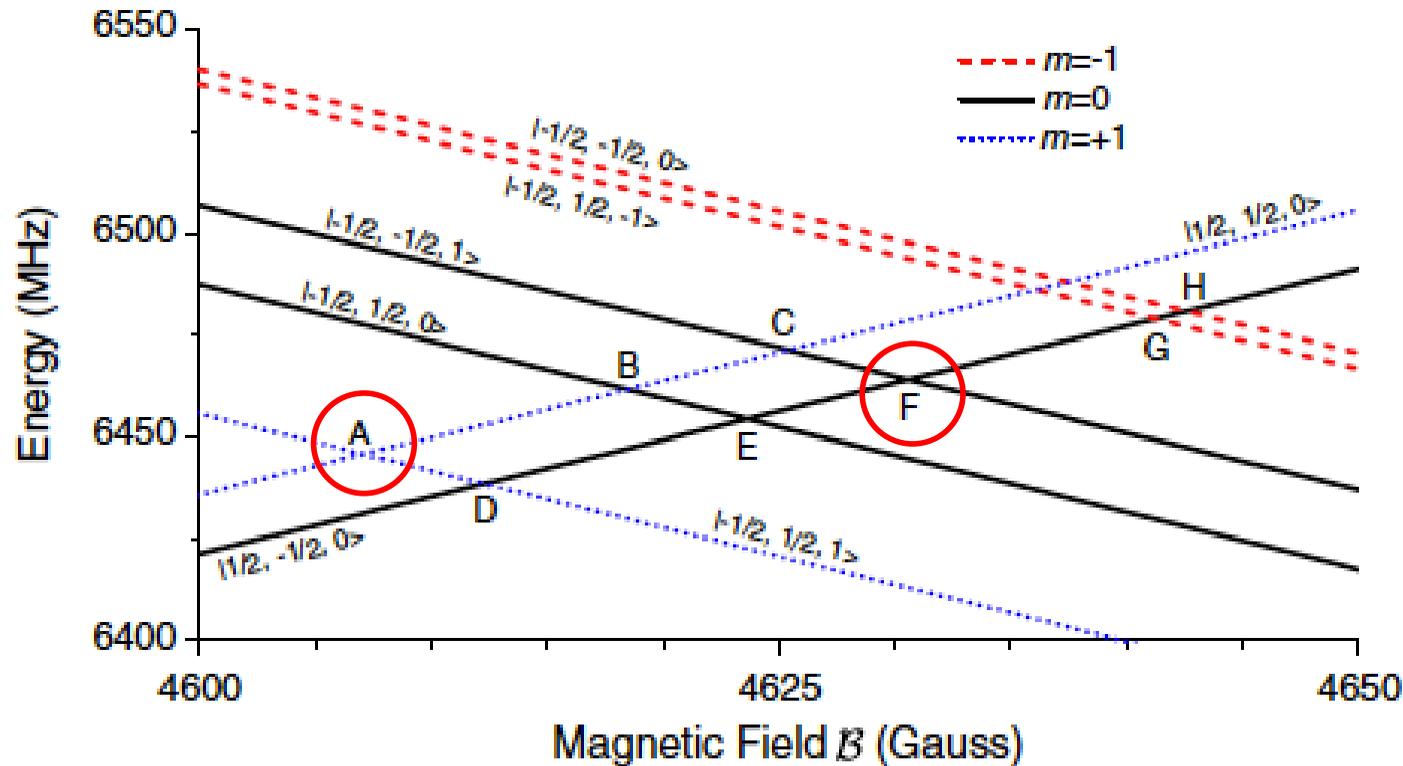


Extra Slides

ZOMBIES Re-assembly Underway at Argonne!



Different level crossings to suppress systematics



$$|m_S, m_I, m_N\rangle$$

S : electron spin

I : nuclear spin

N : rotation

n : molecular axis

$$W \equiv \langle + \uparrow | H_{PV} | - \downarrow \rangle$$

Measured quantity, different for each crossing

$$W = W_P (\kappa'_2 + \kappa'_a) \left\langle \left(\hat{n} \times \vec{S} \right) \cdot \vec{I} \right\rangle$$

Molecular wavefunctions: same at all crossings, **accurately computed**

NSD-PV parameters: same at all crossings

Angular factor:

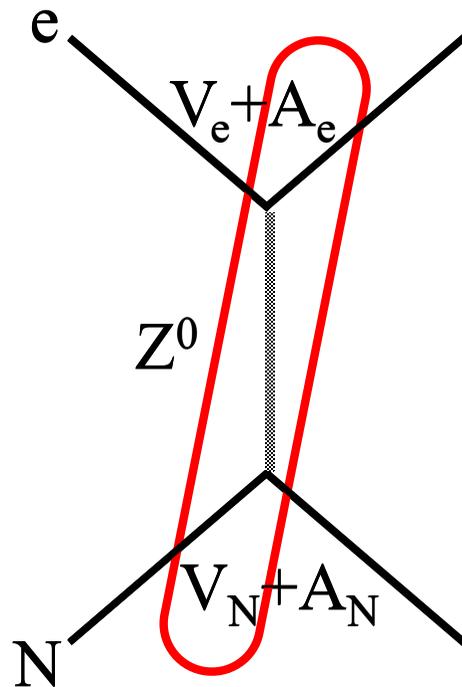
- Different for each crossing (sign & magnitude)
- Analytically calculable

Ongoing or proposed anapole-sensitive experiments with atoms

- Mainz: ^{171}Yb , ^{173}Yb atoms (similar to JILA Cs experiment)
 - FrPNC @ TRIUMF: ^{xxx}Fr atoms (laser cooled & trapped)
 - Mainz: new ideas using NMR signals for light nuclei....?
- Mainz + ANL: use CeNTREX apparatus in different mode (AC \mathcal{E} -field)...?

Mechanisms for atomic/molecular parity violation

Axial electron-vector nucleon interaction



Coherent coupling
to all nuclei =
"weak charge"
 $Q_W = -N + (1 - 4\sin^2\theta_w)Z$

$A_e V_N$ interaction \rightarrow
atomic Hamiltonian

$$H \propto Q_W G_F (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}) \delta^3(\vec{r})$$

axial vector
associated with electron

short-range
Yukawa potential

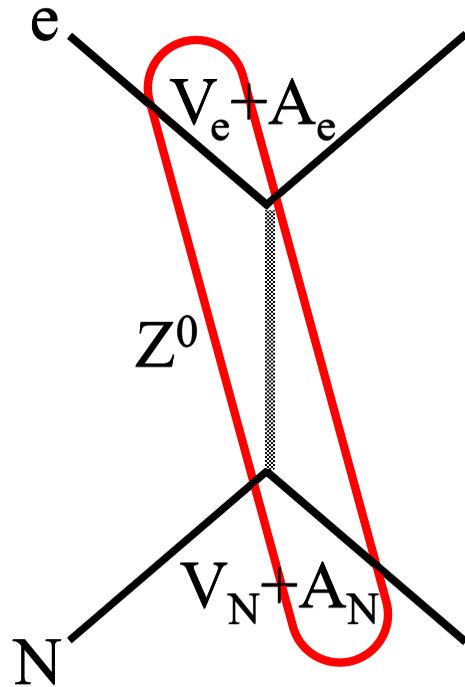
Q_W measured to 0.4%
[C. Wieman group, 1997]

& interpreted at 0.3% level
[A. Derevianko 2010,
V. Flambaum 2012, ...]

\Rightarrow Running of $\sin^2\theta_w$ &
Limits on Z' bosons

Mechanisms for atomic/molecular parity violation

Vector electron-axial nucleon interaction



Coupling ONLY
to unpaired nucleon
coupling constant C_2

$V_e A_N$ interaction \rightarrow Hamiltonian:

$$H \propto C_2 G_F (\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{I})(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}) \delta^3(\vec{r})$$

Nuclear spin I
= axial vector
associated with nucleon

C_2 numerically small:

$$V_e/A_e = (1 - 4\sin^2\theta_W) \sim .08$$

Bottom line:

$$V_e A_N / A_e V_N \sim 10^{-3}$$

(for heavy atoms)

Anapole moments in DDH parameterization

Nuclear anapole moments

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TABLE VII. PNC observables and corresponding theoretical predictions, decomposed into the designated weak-coupling combinations.

Observable	Expt. ($\times 10^7$)	$f_\pi - 0.12h_\rho^1 - 0.18h_\omega^1$	$h_\rho^0 + 0.7h_\omega^0$	h_ρ^1	h_ρ^2	h_ω^0	h_ω^1
$A_L^{pp}(13.6)$	-0.93 ± 0.21		0.043	0.043	0.017	0.009	0.039
$A_L^{pp}(45)$	-1.57 ± 0.23		0.079	0.079	0.032	0.018	0.073
$A_L^{pp}(221)$	0.84 ± 0.34		-0.030	-0.030	-0.012	0.021	
$A_L^{p\alpha}(46)$	-3.34 ± 0.93	-0.340	0.140	0.006		-0.039	-0.002
$P_\gamma(^{18}\text{F})$	1200 ± 3860	4385		34			-44
$A_\gamma(^{19}\text{F})$	-740 ± 190	-94.2	34.1	-1.1		-4.5	-0.1
$\langle A_1 \rangle / e$, Cs	800 ± 140	60.7	-15.8	3.4	0.4	1.0	6.1
$\langle A_1 \rangle / e$, Tl	370 ± 390	-18.0	3.8	-1.8	-0.3	0.1	-2.0

3 contributions to NSD-PV: scaling with Z & A

$$H_{NSD-PV} \propto \left(\kappa'_2 + \kappa'_a + \kappa'_Q \right) G_F \left(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{I} \right) \left(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p} \right) \delta^3(\vec{r})$$

Overall Z^2

$$\kappa'_{2P} = -\kappa'_{2N}$$

$$\cong -g_A (1 - 4\sin^2\theta_W)/2 \cong -.05$$

- ~independent of A
- $\mathcal{O}(20\%)$ corrections from $SU(3)_f$
- $\mathcal{O}(100\%)$ expt. uncertainty
- Quenching in larger nuclei like g_A ?

$\kappa'_Q \propto A^{2/3}$ small ($< \kappa'_a/4$)
& well understood
--ignore

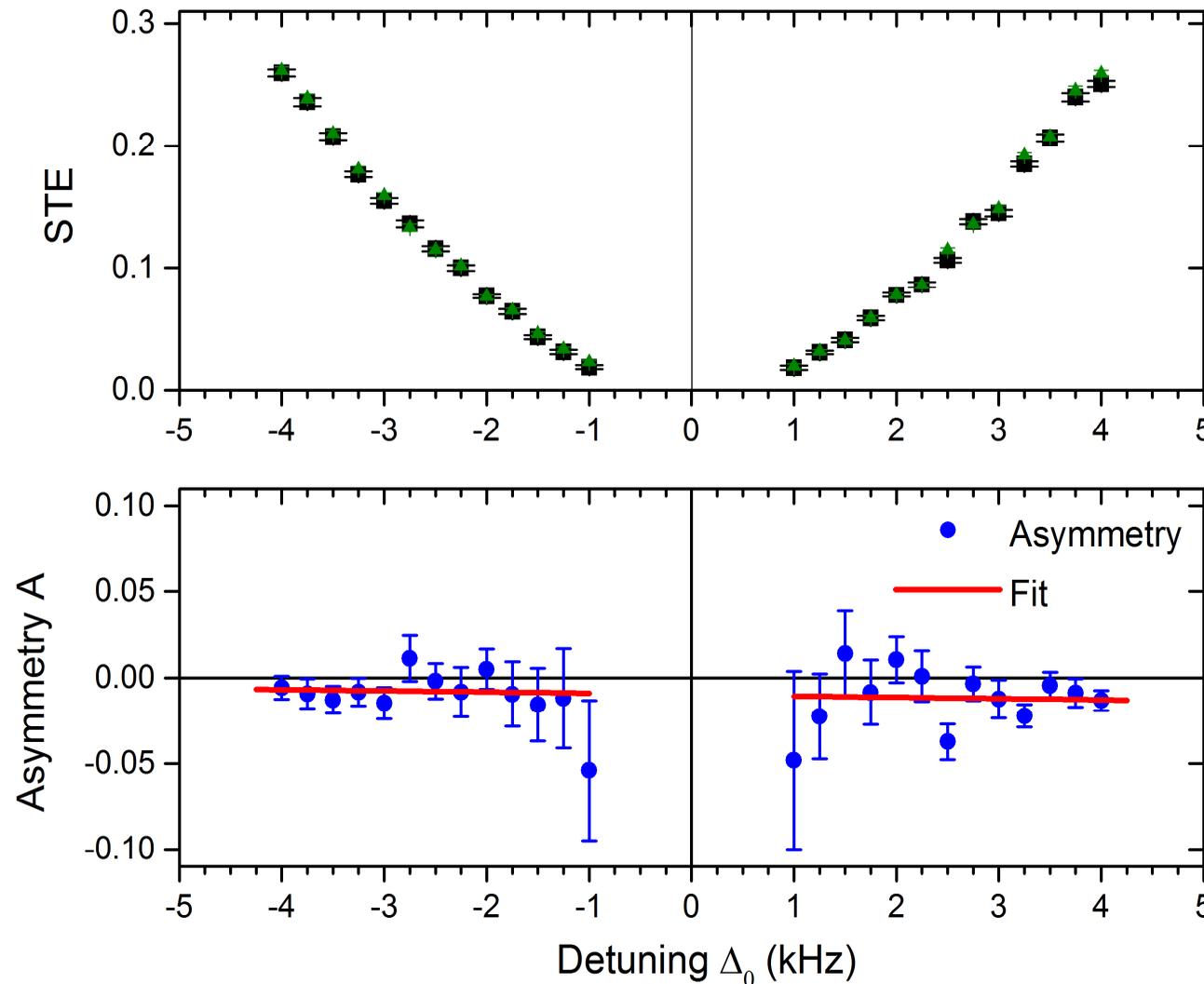
Simple shell model:
valence nucleon over closed core

$$\kappa'_a \approx \frac{9}{10} \frac{\alpha\mu}{mr_0} A^{2/3} g_{eff} \approx .05 g_{eff} \left(\frac{A}{50} \right)^{2/3}$$

$$g_{eff,p} \approx 4 - 6; g_{eff,n} \approx 0.1 - 1;$$

NSD-PV data with $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$

- Measure, cancel, & remeasure \mathcal{B} -field gradients and non-reversing \mathcal{E} -fields to suppress possible systematics
- Measure NSD-PV signal & asymmetry



$$S \propto \sin^2 \left(\Delta \frac{T}{2} \right) \left(\frac{d\mathcal{E}_0}{\omega} \right)^2$$

$$\mathcal{A} = \frac{S(+\mathcal{E}_0) - S(-\mathcal{E}_0)}{S(+\mathcal{E}_0) + S(-\mathcal{E}_0)}$$

Fit to function

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{fit}}(\Delta) = 2 \frac{W_{\text{fit}}}{\Delta} \frac{\omega}{d\mathcal{E}_0} + a_0 + a_1 \Delta$$

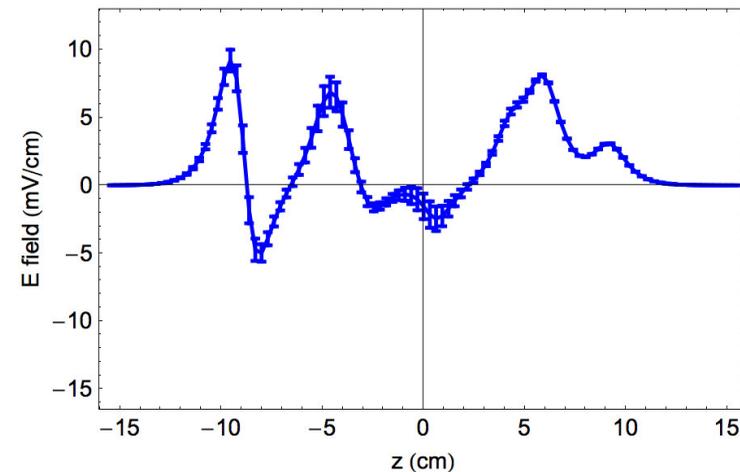
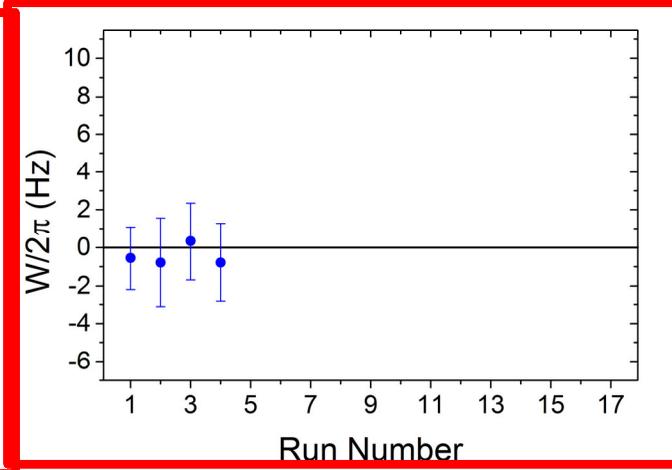
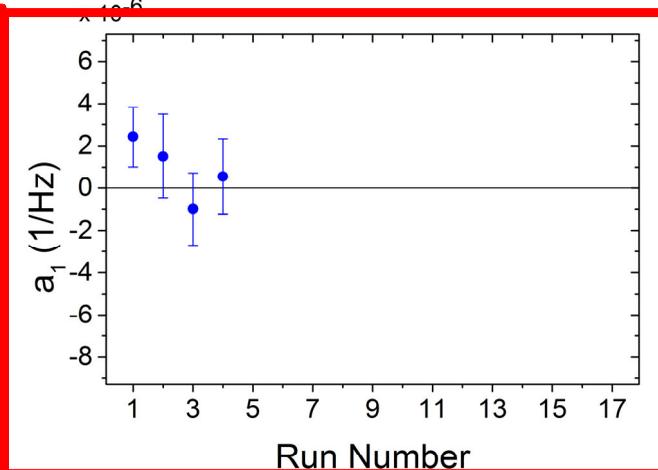
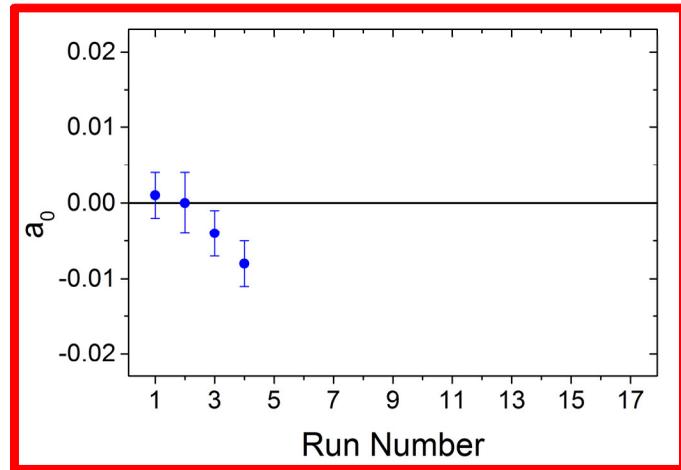
*NSD-PV data
with $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$*

Fit to $\mathcal{A}_{\text{fit}}(\Delta) = 2 \frac{W_{\text{fit}}}{\Delta} \frac{\omega}{d\mathcal{E}_0} + a_0 + a_1 \Delta$

from stray \mathcal{E} -fields alone

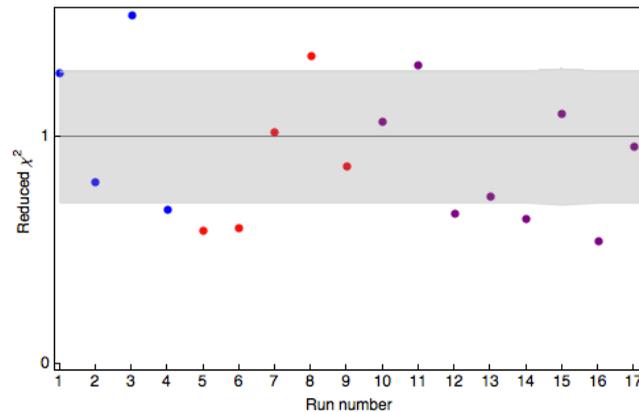
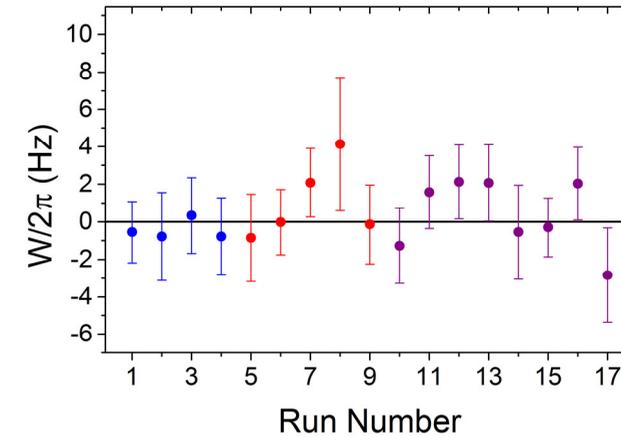
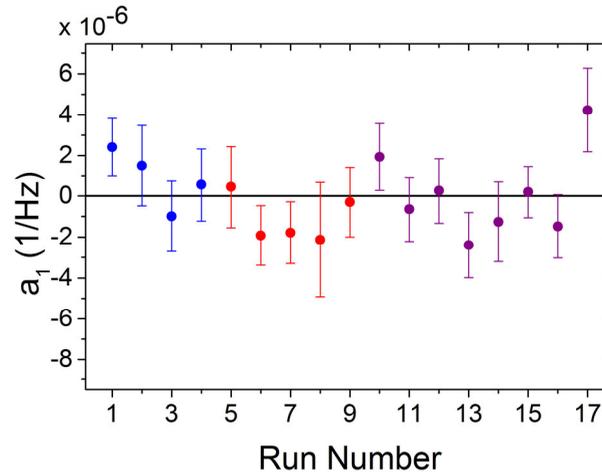
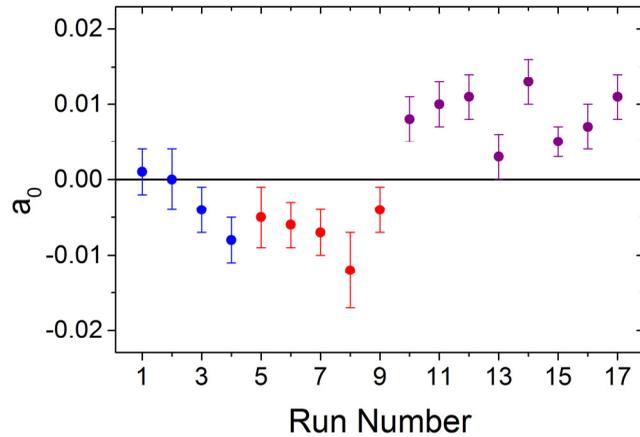
From combined
stray \mathcal{E} -fields & \mathcal{B} -field gradients

NSD-PV



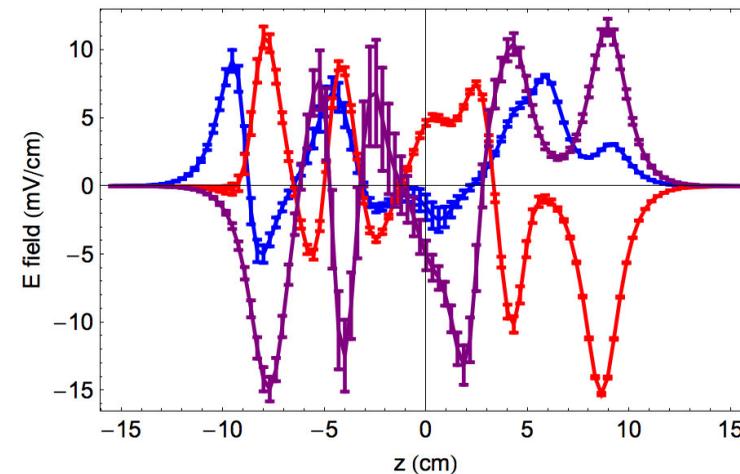
- stray \mathcal{E} -fields always below 15mV/cm

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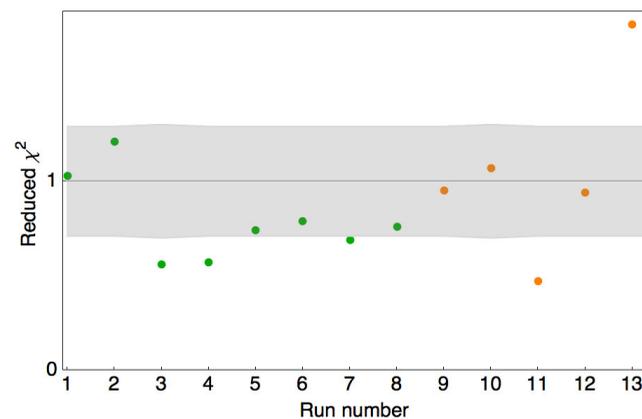
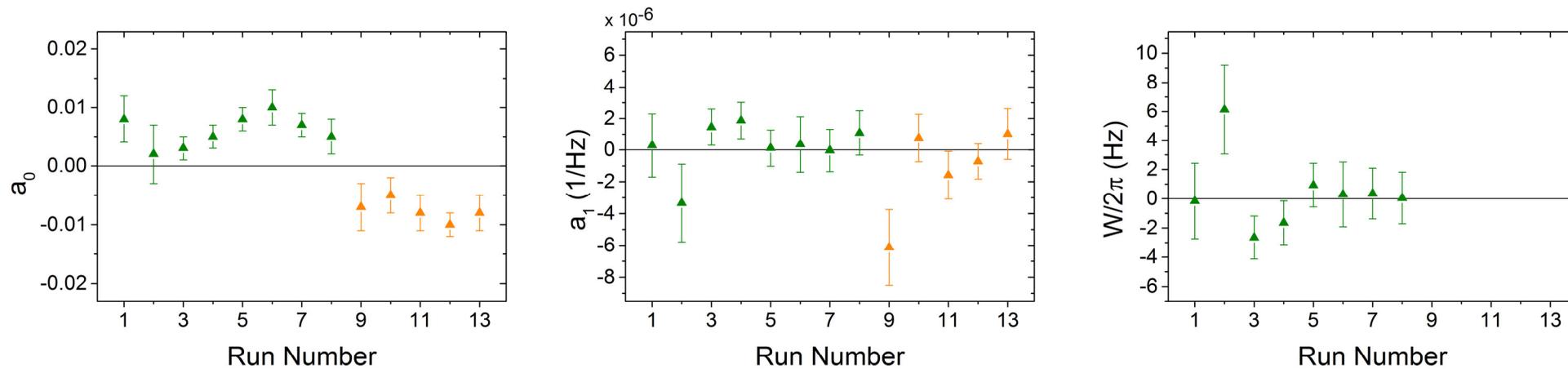


Weighted average $\rightarrow \frac{W}{2\pi} = 0.32 \pm 0.49_{\text{stat}}$ Hz
 $a_1 = \left(-1.27 \pm 4.02_{\text{stat}} \right) * 10^{-7}$ 1/Hz

- ^{138}BaF expected $W = 0$
- Measured with 3 different stray \mathcal{E} -fields (all below 15 mV/cm)
- a_1 terms consistent with zero: no systematics

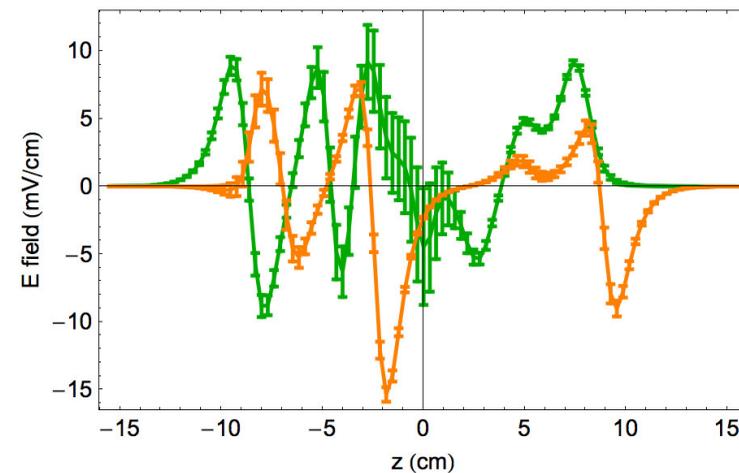


NSD-PV data with $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$: 2nd crossing $W \rightarrow -W$



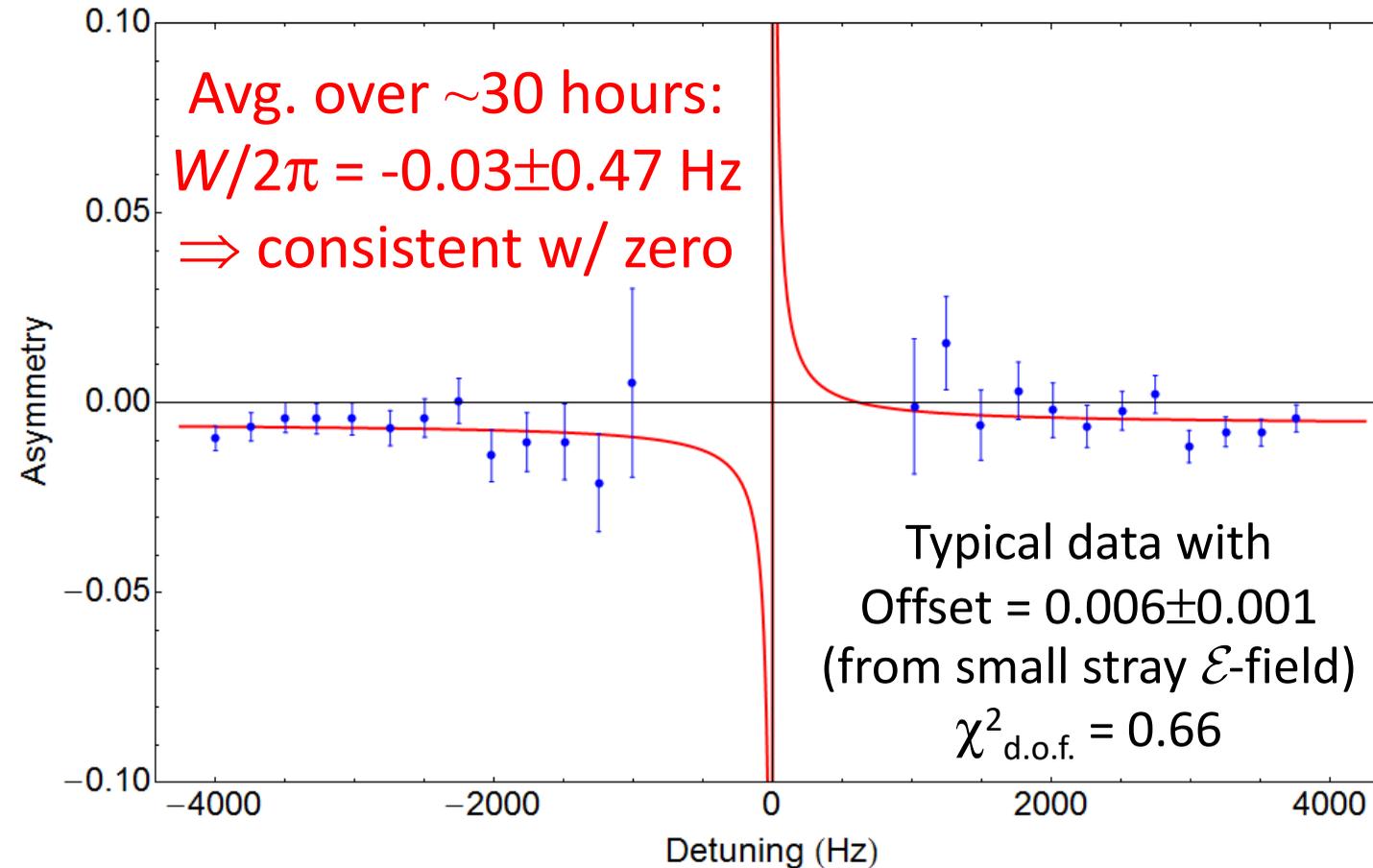
Weighted average $\rightarrow \frac{W}{2\pi} = 0.05 \pm 0.51_{\text{stat}}$ Hz
 $a_1 = \left(-1.69 \pm 3.98_{\text{stat}} \right) * 10^{-7}$ 1/Hz

- ^{138}BaF expected $W = 0$
- Measured with 2 different stray E-fields (all below 15mV/cm)
- No systematics $\rightarrow a_1$ terms consistent with zero



Recent PV data with $^{138}\text{Ba}^{19}\text{F}$

Proof of concept run (null signal expected for ^{19}F nucleus)



Statistical uncertainty $\delta W = 0.5$ Hz [~ 30 hours data]

- $\sim 60\times$ more sensitive than best atomic experiment (Wieman, ^{133}Cs)
 - Sufficient to measure effect in many heavy nuclei & several light nuclei w/anticipated technical upgrades

Questions/requests for theorists

- Calculations with new HPV parameterization
- Calculate lightest nuclei (accessible via no-core shell model...?)
 - Quantitative uncertainties on calculations!
 - Could C_2 values be extracted reliably from light nuclei with existing HPV data & understanding?
- Is consistency check between isotopes in heavier nuclei useful?
 - special cases of particular interest?
(e.g. ^{19}F ... can it be calculated accurately?)
 - Can anapole measurements (with known inputs) shed light on other related calculations e.g. Schiff moment, $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay, ...?
- Generally: modern theory perspective on anapole moments
URGENTLY needed (>10 years since last nuclear theory paper)