SELDOM: search for electric dipole moment at LHC

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EDM

Outline

- EDM as a probe for new physics
- Experimental method
- Detector simulation studies
- EDM/MDM sensitivity studies
- Summary





Electromagnetic dipole moments

- Classic systems $\delta = \mathbf{r}\rho(\mathbf{r})d^3r$ $\mu = \mathbf{r}\times \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{r})d^3r$
- Quantum systems $\delta = d\mu_N \frac{\mathbf{S}}{2}$ $\mu = g\mu_N \frac{\mathbf{S}}{2}$ $\mu \uparrow \uparrow s$ $\delta = \text{electric dipole moment (EDM)}$

 μ = magnetic dipole moment (MDM) $E B \stackrel{\mu}{\uparrow} \stackrel{\uparrow}{\uparrow} S$

• Hamiltonian $H = - \boldsymbol{\delta} \cdot \boldsymbol{E} - \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \boldsymbol{B}$

Time reversal, Parity: $d\mu_N \frac{S}{2} \cdot E \xrightarrow{T,P} - d\mu_N \frac{S}{2} \cdot E$

The EDM violates T and P and via CPT theorem, violates CP

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CP violation (CPV) is a necessary condition for baryogenesis (Sakharov, 1967)

CPV in weak interactions via CKM mechanism in the SM is too small to explain the absence of antimatter in the Universe

$$\eta = \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{\gamma} \sim 6 \times 10^{-10} \quad \text{(WMAP)}$$

CPV in strong interactions allowed in SM. Stringent experimental limit from neutron EDM \rightarrow "strong CP problem" $|\delta_n| \le 2.9 \times 10^{-26} e \text{ cm } (90\% \text{ C.L.}) \Rightarrow \theta \lesssim 10^{-10}$ Phys.Rev.Lett.97:131801,2006

New sources of CPV are expected to exist





EDM a possible solution for baryogenesis

- EDM of fundamental particles from the structure of quarks and gluons, and processes with photon and flavour-diagonal coupling
- A measurement of a heavy baryon EDM is directly sensitive to:



Charm EDM in Standard Model ~10⁻³² e cm Charm EDM with new physics ~5·10⁻¹⁷ e cm



EDM observation = clear signature of new physics



Current limits on EDM

- Intense EDM program is ongoing worldwide and new experiments are planned
- Possibility to contribute at LHCb searching for the first time Λ_{c^+} , Ξ_{c^+} charm baryon EDM

Particle	Limit/Measurement [e cm]	SM limit [factor to go]	Free Particles	Atoms
e	$< 1.05 \times 10^{-27}$	10 ¹¹		
μ	$< 1.8 \times 10^{-19}$	10 ⁸	Particle EDM	Electron EDM
τ	$(-2.2 < d_{\tau} < 4.5) \times 10^{-17}$	107	n, μ , p, deuteron, \checkmark $\Rightarrow \Lambda^+, \Xi^+$ Electric	Ra, Rn, Fr, etc.
n	$<\!\!2.9 imes 10^{-26}$	10 ⁴	Dipole	
р	$<\!\!0.54 imes 10^{-23}$	10 ⁶	Momen	nt)
Λ^0	$(-3.0\pm7.4) imes10^{-17}$	10 ¹¹	New source of CP v Baryogenesis	violation s
$\nu_{e,\mu}$	$<\!\!2 \times 10^{-21}$		Electron EDM YbF, PbO, PbF,	Electron EDM $Gd_3Ga_5O_{12'}$
ντ	$< 5.2 \times 10^{-17}$		ThO, HfF⁺,ThF⁺, WN⁻, etc.	Gd₃Fe₂Fe₃O _{12'} etc.
Hg-atom	$<3.1 \times 10^{-29}$	$\leq 10^4$		
			Molecules	Condensed Stat

Ann. Phys. (Berlin) 525, No. 8–9 (2013)





Physics motivations for MDM

- Experimental anchor points for test of low-energy QCD models, related to nonperturbative QCD dynamics
- Test of quark substructure
- Measurement of MDM of particles and antiparticles would allow a test of CPT symmetry









Experimental method

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Channeling in bent crystals

- Potential well between crystal planes
- Incident positive charge particle can be trapped if parallel to crystal plane (within few µrad)
- Well understood phenomenon (Lindhard 1965).
- Bent crystals used to:
 - steer high-energy particle beams
 - induce spin precession







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Spin precession in bent crystals

Firstly predicted by
 Baryshevsky (1979)

V.G. Baryshevsky, Pis'ma Zh. Tekh. Fiz. 5 (1979) 182.



Fig. 1. Spin rotation in a bent crystal.

Determine particle
 gyromagnetic factor
 from BMT equation

V.L. Lyuboshits, Sov. J. Nucl. Phys. 31 (1980) 509.

$$\theta_S = \frac{g-2}{2} \gamma \theta_C$$

 $\theta_{\rm S}$ = spin rotation angle

- $\theta_{\rm C}$ = crystal bending angle
- g = gyromagnetic factor
- γ = Lorentz boost



Proof of principle in E761

- E761 Fermilab experiment firstly observed spin precession in bent crystals and measured MDM of Σ⁺
- 350 GeV/c Σ+ produced from interaction of 800 GeV/c proton beam on Cu target
- Used upbent and downbent silicon crystals L=4.5cm, θ_C=1.6 mrad for opposite spin precession, reduced systematics





FIG. 3. Measured polarizations and uncertainties $(1\sigma \text{ statist-ical errors})$ after spins have been precessed by the two crystals. The dashed arrows show the expected precessions.



MDM of short-lived baryons

- Charm baryon MDM with bent crystals firstly studied in:
 - I. J. Kim, Nucl. Phys B 229 (1983) 251-268
 - V. V. Baublis et al., NIMB 90 (1994) 112-118
 - V. M. Samsonov, NIMB 119 (1996) 271-279
- Recently revisited for LHC energies:
 - V. M. Baryshevsky, PLB 757 (2016) 426–429, NIMB 402, 5 (2017)
 - L. Burmistrov et al., Tech. Rep. CERN-SPSC-2016-030 (2016)
 - O. A. Bezshyyko et al., JHEP 8, 107 (2017)



Fig. 3. Schematic diagram of the Λ_c^+ (Λ^0) polarization production.





Charm baryon polarisation

 Fixed-target production: polarisation is perpendicular to production plane due to parity conservation in strong interaction





- Λ_c+ polarisation vs transverse momentum
 measured by E791 experiment in 500
 GeV/c π⁻-N reactions
- Increases with Λ_{c^+} transverse momentum



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$$\frac{d\mathbf{S}}{dt} = \boldsymbol{\mu} \times \mathbf{B}^* + \boldsymbol{\delta} \times \mathbf{E}^*$$







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NDM and EDM precession in the infit $\gamma \gg 1$, $a \ll g$

$$\Phi \approx \frac{g-2}{2} \gamma \theta_C \approx \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$S_x \approx S_0 \frac{d}{g-2} [\cos(\Phi) - 1]$$



GEANT4 simulations of spin precession



 GEANT4 simulations of MDM/EDM spin precession in bent crystals in agreement with analytical calculations



Experimental proposal

Baryon	Requirements	EDM	MDM
Charm Λ_c +, Ξ_c + lifetime ~10 ⁻¹³ s	Polarised baryons Reconstruct TeV baryons uniquely produced at LHC Crystal channeling, effective B field ≈10 ³ T	First search sensitivity ~ 10⁻¹⁷ e cm	First measurement for QCD & baryon internal structure test <10 -3 precision

Experimental solution

- Strong production of charm baryons in fixed target
- ► Use LHCb forward detector
- Crystal with large bending angle to deflect particles in detector acceptance ≈ 15 mrad





Experimental proposal



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• EDM/MDM from spin precession of channeled baryons in **bent crystals**



p extraction



EDM/MDM from spin precession of channeled baryons in bent crystals



p extraction Λ_{c^+} polarised production



EDM/MDM from spin precession of channeled baryons in bent crystals



p extraction Λ_{c^+} polarised production channeling spin precession



EDM/MDM from spin precession of channeled baryons in bent crystals



p extraction Λ_{c^+} polarised production channeling spin precession event reconstruction



Detector simulation studies





Possible implementation at IP8

W. Scandale, Physics Beyond Colliders, 06/09/2016



S. Redaelli, Physics Beyond Colliders, 01/03/2017

- Channeling of 6.5 TeV at LHC already demonstrated by UA9 collaboration W. Scandale et al., PLB 758 (2016) 129–133
- Detailed machine **simulations** are ongoing for **optimal layout** by the LHC collimation group lead by S. Redaelli

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LHCb Upgraded detector

All sub-detectors read out at 40 MHz for a fully software trigger





Simulation studies

 Tungsten (W) 5 mm fixed target + bent crystal positioned in (0, 0.4, -116) cm, before the interaction point



- Use EPOS for fixed-target minimum bias events, PYTHIA for baryons produced in pW hard collisions
- Signal reconstruction and background rejection studied using LHCb full simulation

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Fixed-target simulation

- ▶ Radiography of the target in (0, 0.3, -116) cm
- Distribution of origin vertex of stable charged particles in simulated events
- Simulated processes include: hadronic interactions, pair production, Bremsstrahlung, Compton, δ rays



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Identification of signal events

• About $10^{-4} \Lambda_c^+$ produced in the target are channeled in the bent crystal



- Use PV to identify Λ_{c^+} produced in W target, and Λ_{c^+} vertex helps to identify decays outside of the crystal (max spin precession)
- Λ_{c} + angle determined by crystal bending angle, e.g. θ_{c} =15 mrad
- Channeled baryons have high momentum ≥1 TeV/c



Λ_{c} + momentum distribution



- At production (top)
- After channeling and p>800 GeV/c (bottom)



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Background rejection

• Rejection of unchanneled Λ_{c^+} produced in W target



- Signal region: 14.8< θ <15.2 mrad [$\sigma(\theta)$ ~25µrad], p_{Ac}> 800 GeV/c
- Background rejection 10⁻⁷ level and signal efficiency 80%
- High momentum Λ_{c^+} most sensitive for EDM measurements

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EDM/MDM sensitivity studies





Sensitivity to EDM/MDM

- Studies based on:
 - Λ_c+ from fixed-target
 (Pythia + EvtGen)
 - Reconstruction, Decay flight efficiency (LHCb simulation)
 - Channeling efficiency (parametrization)
 - Fit to spin precession (pseudo experiments)

$$\sigma_d \approx \frac{g-2}{\alpha_f s_0 \left(\cos \Phi - 1\right)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\Lambda_c^+}^{\text{reco}}}}$$

 $N_{\Lambda_c^+}^{\text{reco}} = N_{\Lambda_c^+} \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \to f) \varepsilon_{\text{CH}} \varepsilon_{\text{DF}} \varepsilon_{\text{det}}$ $\sigma(pp \to \Lambda_c^+ X) \approx 18.2 \mu b$ $|S_0| \approx 0.6$ $\epsilon_{det} \approx 20\% \quad \epsilon_{DF} \approx 10\%$ $\epsilon_{\rm ch} \approx 10^{-4}$ dN $\frac{d\Omega}{d\Omega} \propto 1 + \alpha_f \, \boldsymbol{S} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}$ $\alpha_{\Lambda^{++}K^-} \approx -0.67$ $\sigma_g \approx \frac{2}{\alpha_f s_0 \gamma \theta_C} \overline{N^{\rm reco}_{\Lambda^+}}$

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Channeling efficiency



$$w(\theta_C, R) = \left(1 - \frac{R_c}{R}\right)^2 \exp\left(-\frac{\theta_C}{\theta_D \frac{R_c}{R}(1 - \frac{R_c}{R})^2}\right)$$

Channeling efficiency for Λ_{c^+} particles within Lindhard angle

 Total channelling efficiency: Lindhard angle, dechanneling,
 Λ_c+ decay flight: 1 • 10⁻⁵ (Si),
 4 • 10⁻⁵ (Ge)

 Parametrisation from Biryukov,
 Valery M. (et al.), *Crystal Channeling* and Its Application at High-Energy Accelerators, Springer Verlag (1997)

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Crystal optimisation

Optimised sensitivity to EDM and MDM.
 Channeling and reconstruction efficiency included



Regions of minimal uncertainty of EDM (continuous line) and MDM (dotted line) defined as +20% uncertainty with respect to the minimum (point marker)



Sensitivity on EDM



- Technique applies to all short-lived positive baryons
- Possibility to test new physics models



Sensitivity on MDM

Caveat: running conditions still to be assessed



PoT = proton on target W target 5mm thick F= $5x10^8$ p/s for S1 EPJC (2017) 77:828

S1: Configuration at the LHCb
S2: Dedicated experiment at the LHC
Material of the crystal:
→ Silicon

→ Germanium

 First MDM measurements. Interesting precision, below 10⁻² for charm baryons



Summary

- Experimental proposal for unique baryon EDM/ MDM measurements in LHCb was presented
- R&D from crystal, LHC collimation, detector community is required to face remaining challenges
- Challenges / Preliminary results (available soon):
 - machine layout / detailed simulations ongoing
 - large bent crystal production / first prototype being tested on beam
- Proposal advanced within the Physics Beyond
 Collider study group. Under review by LHCb panel (FITPAN), aiming for data taking in Run3 (2021-2024)



Backup slides



Fixed target & bent crystal

- Fixed target (W, d~0.5 cm) attached to a long bent crystal (Ge, L~5 cm, θ~15 mrad, Si, L~7 cm, θ~14 mrad)
- Bending angle θ >10 mrad determined by LHCb acceptance
- Close to VELO for optimal vertex resolution: e.g. distance from VELO sensors ~100 cm (PO)







Track definitions at LHCb



Ghost track = is a fake track. For example it can be formed by matching a real track segment in the VELO (VELO seed) with a real track segment in the downstream tracker (T seed)



LHCb data sample and plans



- Collecting ≥9 fb⁻¹ in Run2 (2018). Major detector upgrade during LS2 (Upgrade I- 2020). Aim at 50 fb⁻¹ before 2030
- First detector improvements in PID, tracking, and ECAL during LS3 (Upgrade 1b - 2025)
- Major detector upgrade during LS4 (Upgrade II 2030). Aim at >300 fb⁻¹ after 2030 -



Experimental layout

- Crystal kicker deflects LHC beam halo towards a W target, outside of the LHCb detector acceptance
- Baryons produced in W target and channeled in bent crystal (signal events) enter the detector acceptance





Baryon EDM - Effective Lagrangian

- EDM coupling: $\mathcal{L}^{EDM} = -\frac{i}{2} \delta \overline{\psi} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \psi F_{\mu\nu}$
- ► CP-odd flavour diagonal effective *L* (scale 1 GeV)



- Negligibly small contribution from SM
- Background free search for new physics



Indirect limits

The dipole couplings of the **charm quark** are bounded indirectly by different observables using some model assumptions. These bounds, at the level of $< 10^{-15} - 10^{-17}e$ cm, can be challenged with this proposal.



The indirect limits on **b** quarks, $\leq 10^{-14} - 10^{-16} ecm$, are beyond the reach of this proposal. Ultimate sensitivity from a dedicated experiment



Constraints to BSM theories

Standard Model has its leading contribution at 3-loop level



Beyond SM contributions at **1,2 loops**



Enhanced for heavy flavours

- $d_c \sim 10^{-17} e \text{cm}$ S.-M. Zhao et al. $d_c \sim 10^{-17} e cm$ Z. Z. Aydin et al. $d_c \sim 10^{-19} e \text{cm}$ X.-J. Bi et al.
- EPJ C77 (2017), no.2 102 PR D67 (2003) 036006 arXiv:hep-ph/0412360



Experimental proposal

- Specifications:
 - Ge bent crystal ~15 mrad, 5 cm (Si bent crystal ~14 mrad, 7cm)
 - proton flux of $\sim 10^8 \text{ p/s}$
 - target position (0, 0.4, -116) cm,
 - target azimuthal angle 65 degrees
- Studies summarised in detail in a LHCb internal note.





Installation and operations

- Installation during EYETS after LS2:
 - crystal kicker installation in LHC ~1-2 days. Designed by CERN and produced by a company
 - W target + bent crystal in front of the LHCb detector at z=-116cm. Outside the VELO detector vacuum vessel
- Operations: dedicated running with nominal pp collisions
 - aim at 10¹⁵ PoT for the EDM, MDM measurements
 - a dedicated run at 5x10⁸ p/s would take about 10 weeks, assuming 30% efficiency in data taking
 - Runs of 2 weeks/year at 5x10⁸ p/s during Run3 would allow 6 • 10¹⁴ PoT by the end of 2023



