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# \*Status of ERM searches and perspectives.

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#### Preamble

**Purcell and Ramsey (1950)** first search for neutron EDM ( $d_n < 2 \times 10^{-18}$  e cm). **P** and **T** must be conserved to a good approximation.

Since 1956 we know **P** is not conserved in weak interactions ( $\beta$  decay), and since 1964 we know **CP** is also not conserved in weak interactions (K<sup>0</sup> decays).

If **CPT** holds, then **CP violation implies non** zero EDM  $\rightarrow$  Most of the theories suggested at the time to explain K decays ruled out by EDMs.

Within the SM, leading order qEDM interactions come in pairs for which the only phase in the SM cancels  $\rightarrow$  negligible EDMs.

$$H_{\rm T,P-odd} = -d\mathbf{E} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{S}}{S} \to \mathcal{L}_{\rm CP-odd} = -d\frac{i}{2}\overline{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}\gamma_5\psi F_{\mu\nu}, \quad \text{dim-5 operator}$$

However, strong interactions within the SM also include a phase leading to possible CP violation ( $\theta_{QCD}$ ) (dim-4 operator)  $\rightarrow$  Strong CP problem (motivation for axion searches).

## Why continue to bother with EDMs?

 $d_n^{SM} \sim (10^{-16} \text{ e cm}) \times \theta_{QCD} + (1-6) \times 10^{-32} \text{ e cm}.$   $d_n^{BSM} \sim (10^{-16} \text{ e cm}) \times (v/\Lambda)^2 \times \sin(\Phi) \times y_f F$ 

 $sin(\Phi) \rightarrow CPV$  phase must be large enough to explain baryogenesis.

 $(v/\Lambda)^2 \rightarrow BSM$  mass scale?

 $y_f F \rightarrow BSM$  dynamics: perturbative? strongly coupled? dependence on other parameters?

EDMs provide information on the three "frontiers": cosmic frontier (baryon asymmetry), high energy frontier (scale of BSM) and intensity frontier (couplings of BSM).

For example, take "minimally unnatural SUSY"  $\rightarrow$  probing scales at several 100 TeV!  $\tilde{d}_{u} \simeq \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi} M_{3} \left(\delta_{LL}^{u}\right)_{13} \left(\delta_{LR}^{u}\right)_{33} \left(\delta_{RR}^{u}\right)_{31} \times \frac{3}{M^{2}} \log\left(\frac{M_{\rm sc}^{2}}{M_{\rm c}^{2}}\right) \sin \phi_{\tilde{u}\mu}$  $\sim 3 \frac{\delta m_u}{\Lambda_{zurr}^2} \log\left(\frac{\Lambda_{SUSY}^2}{M^2}\right) \sin \phi_{\tilde{u}\mu}$ 15  $\sim 1 \times 10^{-26} \mathrm{cm} \left(\frac{3}{\mathrm{tan}\,\beta}\right) \left(\frac{\theta_u^2}{1/3}\right) \left(\frac{M_3}{1\mathrm{TeV}}\right) \left(\frac{100\mathrm{TeV}}{\Lambda_{\mathrm{SUSV}}}\right)^3$  $\beta$  10  $\times \left[ \log \left( \frac{\Lambda_{\rm SUSY}^2}{M_{\circ}^2} \right) / 10 \right] \left( \frac{\sin \phi_{\tilde{u}\mu}}{0.1} \right)$  $=6\times10^{-27}, 6\times10^{-27}$  $d_d^C = 6 \times 10^{-27}, 6 \times 10^{-28} \text{ cm}$  $d_e = 1 \times 10^{-27}, 1 \times 10^{-28} e$  cm  $m_h \sim 125 \text{ GeV}$ 3 200 300 400 100 500  $\Lambda$  (TeV)



#### **SM** predictions for nucleons **EDMs**

 $d_d \sim \operatorname{Im}(V_{tb}V_{td}^*V_{cd}V_{cb}^*)\alpha_s m_d G_F^2 m_c^2 \times \operatorname{loop suppression}$  <10-33 e cm

Direct quark EDMs vanish at one and two loop level!

Longer distance contributions dominate. Can be as large as 10<sup>-31</sup>.

# So, at what values do we need to worry about the SM uncertainty in the predictions?

Consider an outrageous overestimate for  $d_n$  that puts loop factors like  $\alpha_s/4\pi$  to be one, and chooses constituent quark masses (rather than current quark):

 $d_n \sim Im(VVVV) \; G_F^2 m_c^2 \times 100 \; MeV \; < 10^{-29} \, cm. \label{eq:generalized_matrix}$ 

Therefore, any nonzero neutron/proton EDM above 10<sup>-29</sup> e cm is guaranteed to be NP.

## **Status of neutron EDM measurements**



Since 1980 advances in UCN production (specially at ILL Grenoble) improved dramatically the statistical uncertainty due to the increase in observation time (T), requiring advances in magnetic shielding.

Currently sensitivity is still **dominated by the statistical uncertainty**. The main systematic uncertainty is due to the reproducibility of B (key role of the comagnetometer).

#### **Status of neutron EDM measurements**

Best current sensitivity from PSI (nEDM Collab.), with data collected (2015-16):

d<sub>n</sub> < 1.8x10<sup>-26</sup> e cm @90% CL. PRL 124, 081803 (2020)

To improve need more intense sources of UCN. Future efforts at **PNPI-ILL**, **PSI, LANL**, **TRIUMF** and in particular **SNS (Oak Ridge)** promise sensitivities **at (or below)** 10<sup>-27</sup> e cm.



#### Status of AMO EDM measurements: 199Hg (Diamagnetic)



 $|d_{Hg}| < 7.4 \times 10^{-30} \text{ e cm } @95\% \text{ CL.}$ 

However, interpretation not straightforward:  $d_{dia}$  dominant contribution nuclear-spin dependent e-N interaction ( $C_T$ ) and Schiff moment (long range pion and short range fournucleon interaction).

Diamagnetic atoms

$$d_{dia} = \kappa_S S(\bar{g}_{\pi}^{0,1}, d_N) + k_{C_T^{(0)}} C_T^{(0)} + \dots$$

Tabletop experiment at U.Washington
(Seattle). Laser beamed through two cells with
Hg vapor. Analysis phase, light plane polarized
→ nuclear spin precessed around B.

Two cells **opposite E (10kV/cm)**. Latest result using four cells.

TABLE III. Limits on *CP*-violating observables from the <sup>199</sup>Hg EDM limit. Each limit is based on the assumption that it is the sole contribution to the atomic EDM. In principle, the result for  $\mathbf{d}_n$  supercedes [11] as the best neutron EDM limit.

Quantity	Expression	Limit	Ref.
$\mathbf{d}_n$	$S_{Hg}/(1.9 \text{ fm}^2)$	$1.6 \times 10^{-26} \ e \ {\rm cm}$	[21]
$\mathbf{d}_p$	$1.3 \times \mathbf{S}_{Hg}/(0.2 \text{ fm}^2)$	$2.0 \times 10^{-25} e \mathrm{cm}$	[21]
$\bar{g}_0$	$S_{Hg}/(0.135 \ e \ fm^3)$	$2.3 \times 10^{-12}$	[5]
$ar{g}_1$	$S_{Hg}/(0.27 \ e  {\rm fm^3})$	$1.1 \times 10^{-12}$	[5]
$\bar{g}_2$	$S_{Hg}/(0.27 \ e  \text{fm}^3)$	$1.1 \times 10^{-12}$	[5]
$\bar{ heta}_{QCD}$	$\bar{g}_0/0.0155$	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	[22,23]
$(\tilde{d}_u - \tilde{d}_d)$	$\bar{g}_1/(2 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-1})$	$5.7 \times 10^{-27}$ cm	[25]
$C_{S}$	$\mathbf{d}_{\rm Hg}/(5.9 \times 10^{-22} \ e {\rm cm})$	$1.3 \times 10^{-8}$	[15]
$C_P$	$\mathbf{d}_{\rm Hg}/(6.0 \times 10^{-23} \ e {\rm cm})$	$1.2 \times 10^{-7}$	[15]
$C_T$	$\mathbf{d}_{\rm Hg}/(4.89 \times 10^{-20} \ e {\rm cm})$	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	see text

#### Status of AMO EDM measurements: 232Th16O (Paramagnetic)



In **paramagnetic** systems with one (or more) unpaired  $e^{-}$ , EDMs are dominated by  $d_e$  and the nuclear **spin-independent e-N interaction** (C<sub>s</sub>). Great advantage is **large internal E-field (GV/cm)**.

Paramagnetic atoms  $d_{para} = \eta_{d_e} d_e + k_{C_S} \bar{C}_S$ 

**ACME II** experiment (Harvard), uses ThO molecule metastable states. The EDM signal is a **rotation of the electron spin** that reverses with the sign of E. The EDM frequency shift  $(\Delta \omega^{\text{EDM}})$  is the rotation angle divided by the transit time ( $\tau \sim 1.1$  ms). The angle is measured from the detection of fluorescence signal (690 nm).

 $\Delta \omega^{\text{EDM}} = (5.1 \pm 3.7 \pm 3.1) \text{mrad/s} \rightarrow |d_e| < 1.1 \times 10^{-29} \text{ e cm } @90\% \text{ CL.} (C_s=0)$ 

Main syst. are due to imperfect reversal of E and other sources of B.

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### **Prospects of AMO EDM measurements**

In the near future improved **coherence time** (using advanced molecular cooling techniques), improved **sensitivity** (using frozen gas) or by applying advanced quantum techniques to stablish coherent states, will improve the limits by several orders of magnitude.



# Storage Ring: experimental method



**Proton experiment:** Inject **transverse polarized** protons at **0.7** GeV (~100 bunches of ~10<sup>8</sup> protons). Use RF solenoid to **rotate spins**, producing protons with both helicities. Measure difference between **vertical polarization** at earlier and later times, extracting part of the beam in a polarimeter.

To reach  $10^{-29}$  e cm, requires **impractical small B** (few aT). Therefore, **inject both CW and CCW rotating beams**. In the presence of a radial B field, a vertical separation will develop  $\rightarrow$  **key issue is monitoring beam trajectory!** 

$$\vec{\omega}_a = -\frac{q}{m} \biggl[ a_\mu \vec{B} + \biggl( -a_\mu + \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \biggr) \vec{\beta} \times \frac{\vec{E}}{c} \biggr]$$

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m EDM} = -\eta rac{q}{2m} \left( ec{eta} + rac{ec{E}}{c} 
ight) = -rac{\eta}{2mc} ec{F},$$

"Frozen spin" in all-electric storage ring is only possible for e, μ or p, with "magic" momentum (15, 3094 or 701) MeV. Not possible for deuteron without B-field.



Figure 11.3: Simulation results for counter-rotating particles. The vertical beam position in meters [m] is shown here vs. time [s] for a constant radial B-field of 0.3 pG, and using eq. (11.7) to modulate the vertical tune (using f=1KHz). The two colors correspond to clockwise (red) and counter-clockwise (green) rotations for an average radial B-field directed outwards in the radial direction.

# **Storage Ring: Experimental method**

**Expected proton sensitivity:** with **P=0.8**, **A=0.6**, **E**<sub>0</sub>=8 **MV**/m over 65% of the ring,  $N_{tot,c} = 5 \times 10^{10}$  particles/cycle, **f=0.011**,  $T_{tot}=10^7$  sec and **SCT=10**<sup>3</sup>sec  $\rightarrow$ 

 $\sigma_d$ =2.5x10<sup>-29</sup> e cm (1 year data taking)

 $\sigma_d = \frac{2\hbar}{PAE_0\sqrt{N_{\rm tot,c}T_{\rm tot}f\tau_{\rm SCT}}}.$ 

Current limit for **EDM of muons** ( $d_{\mu} < 1.8 \times 10^{-19}$  e cm @95% C.L.) as a byproduct of the g-2 measurement. New proposals for compact storage rings at JPARC and PSI could reach sensitivities of O(10<sup>-23</sup>-10<sup>-21</sup>) e cm. In these proposals E and  $\gamma$  must be chosen such that  $\omega_a=0$ . Spin coherence time is limited by the muon lifetime in the lab frame.

#### JPARC g-2/EDM storage magnet at Hline, expected sensitivity O(10<sup>-21</sup>) e cm



 $\mu$ -EDM at PSI proposal, expected sensitivity O(10<sup>-23</sup>) e cm





\* Often a single source of CPV is assumed, e.g. eEDM for molecular EDM or θ<sub>QCD</sub> for n, 199Hg;
 \*\* see Ghosh&Sato, PLB777(2018)335 for leptons
 \*\*\* see Pospelov&Ritz, PRD89(2014)056006; eEDM 1E-38 → 1E-44 ecm

#### Particles



#### Atoms and molecules



# Messages to take home

**EDMs** are very sensitive probes for **new CP-violating mechanisms**...(for instance, current limits constrain to O(10<sup>-4</sup>) CP-odd H $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  operator, ...) these searches are considered to be one of the **most promising paths towards NP**.

The search in **different systems** (leptons, nucleons, atoms, molecules, etc...) are **complementary** and needed to **discriminate between EDM sources** ( $\theta_{QCD}$ ,  $C_{ggg}$ ,  $C_{qqqq}$ ,  $C_{qH}$ ,  $d_n$ ,  $C_T$ ,  $C_S$ ,...). In this sense, proposals like the ones discussed in this workshop to measure **EDMs for charm, strange baryons and tau leptons are very welcome.** 

Current (and future) efforts in **neutron EDMs** are **limited** by the available **sources** of UCN. Statistics is not a problem for a proton (deuteron) storage ring. Moreover, the possibility to have CW (CCW) beams in an all-electrical storage ring is a key aspect to be able to control systematic uncertainties at the 10<sup>-30</sup>-10<sup>-29</sup> level. The other key aspect is the BPMs to control the beam trajectories.

# \*BACKYP SLIRES

## **Status of EDM measurements**

