

Quantum science with **molecules**

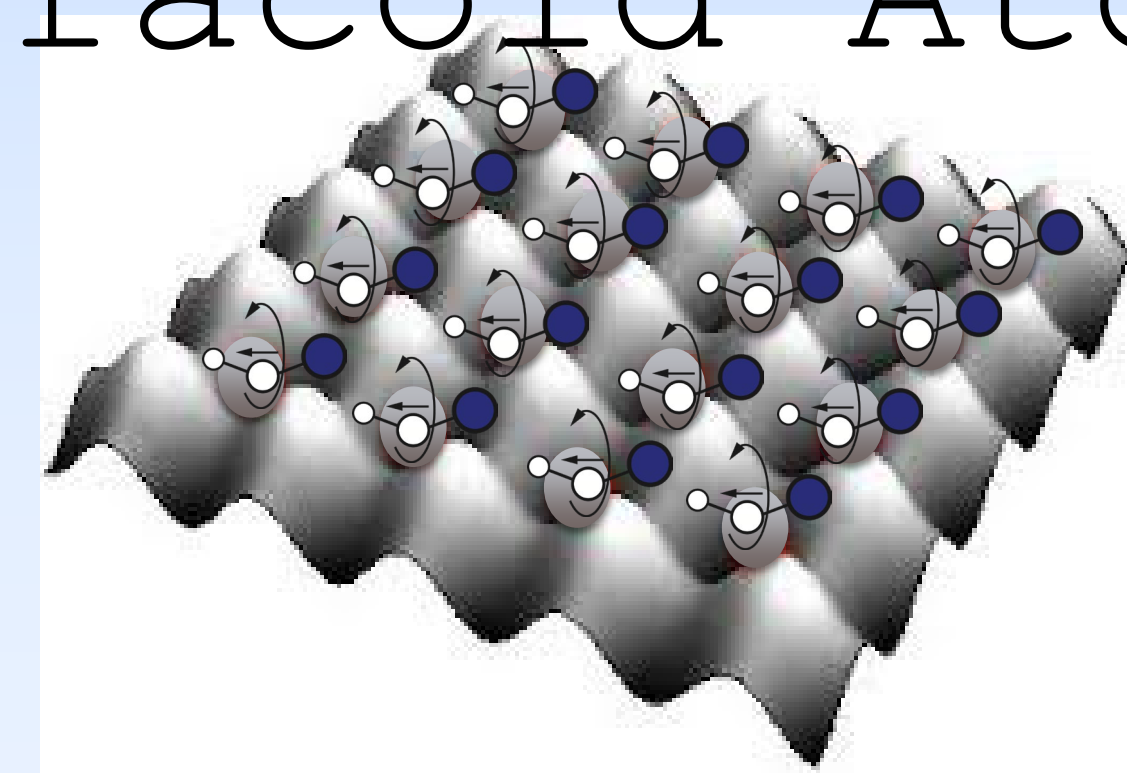
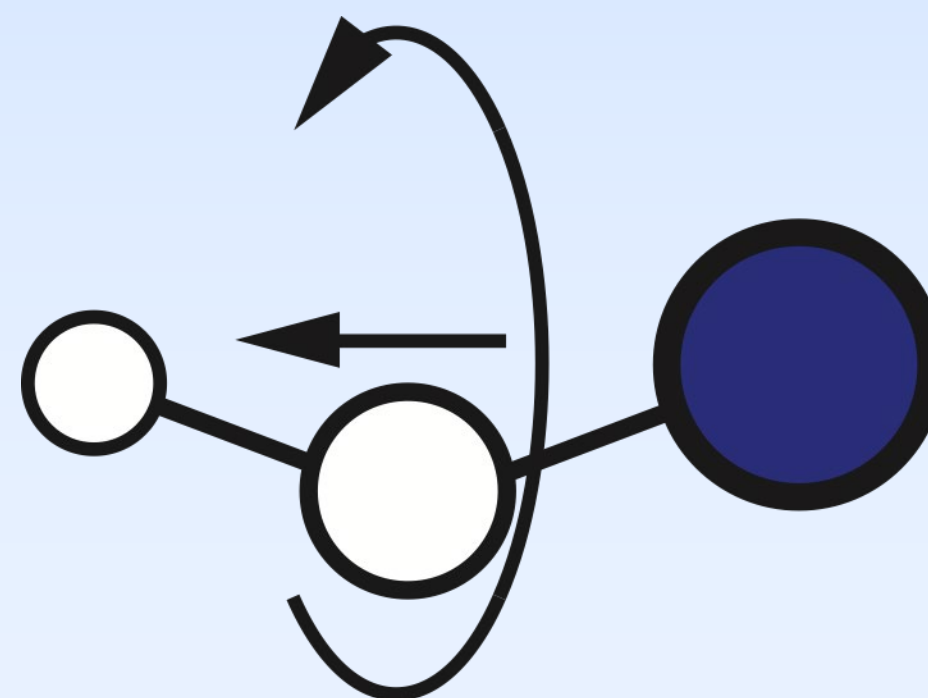
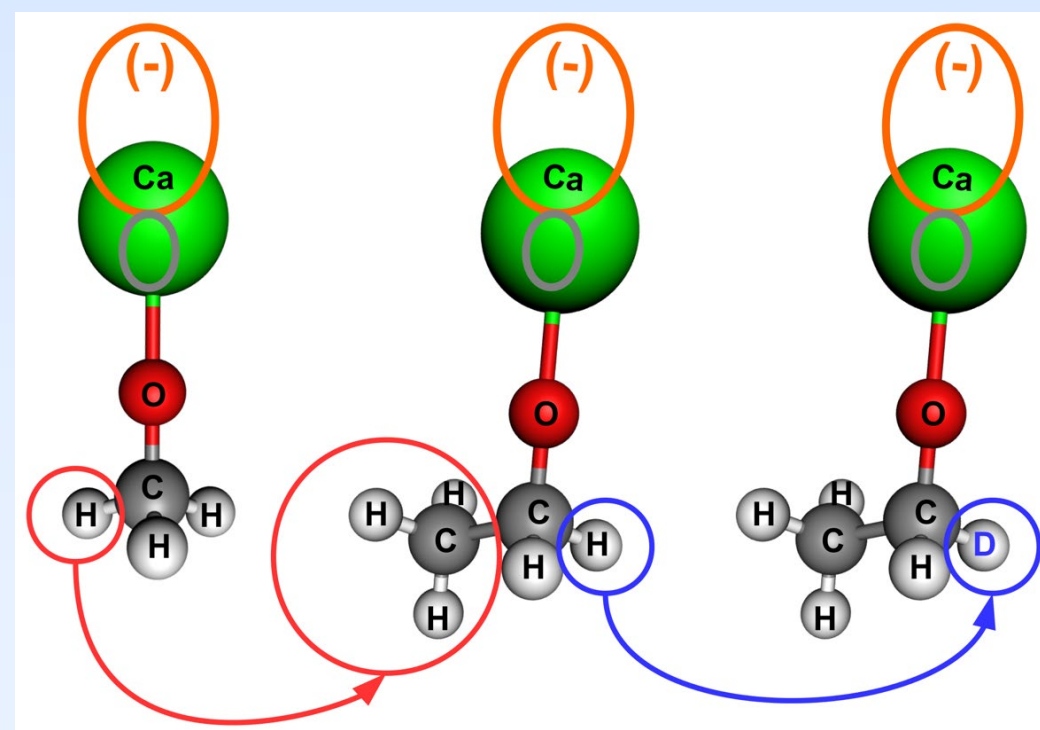
Doyle Group latest results

2023

John Doyle

Harvard University Department of Physics

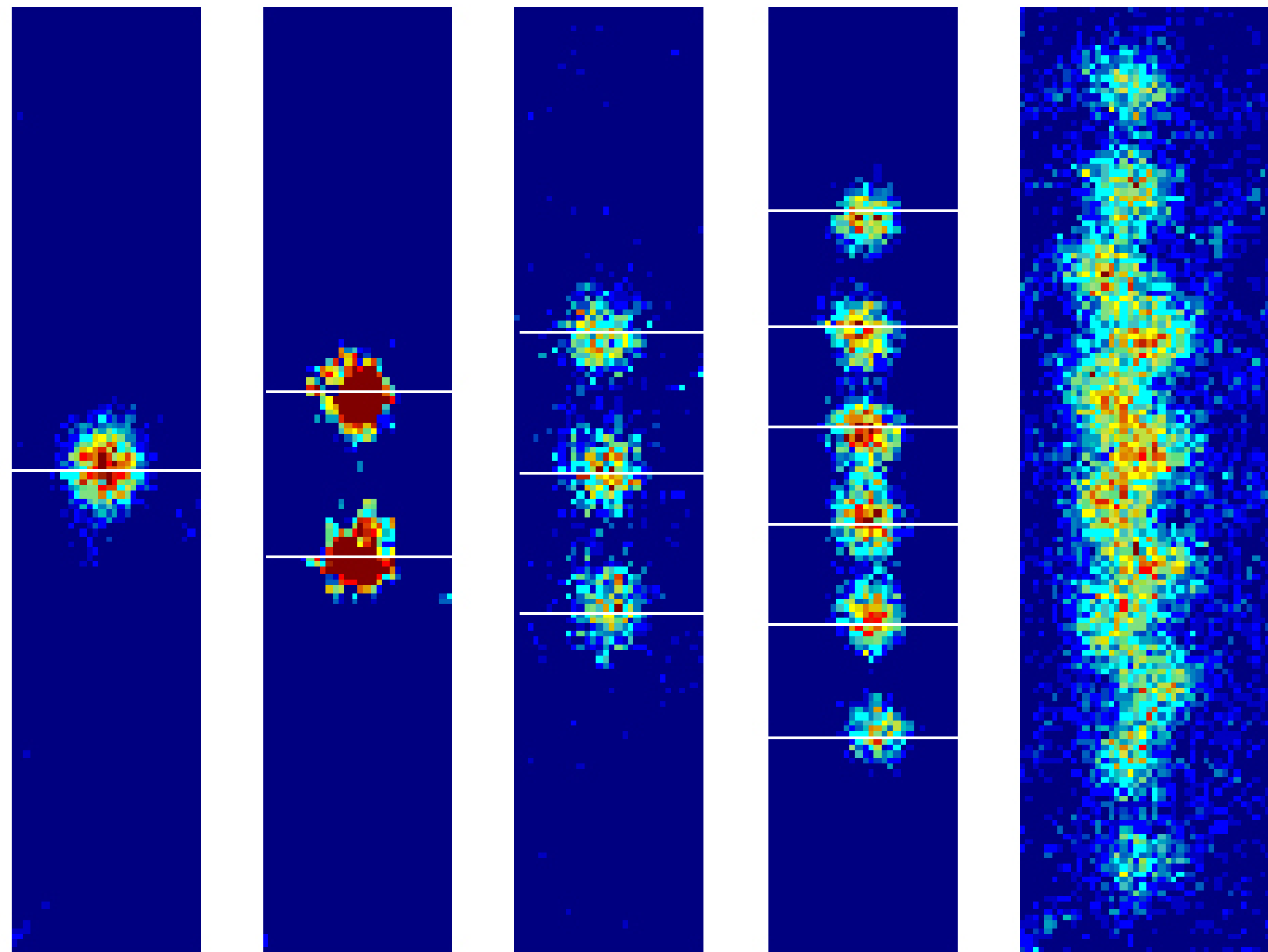
Harvard/MIT Center for Ultracold Atoms



Why do Quantum Science with Molecules ??

spectroscopy ↔ Control ↔ Complexity

Magnesium Ions in Ion Traps



Atoms make better quantum computers.

At its core, a quantum computer is a machine that uses a quantum system, like the spin of an electron, to do a very specific type of math.

This math takes advantage of the uniquely complex behavior of quantum systems, namely *entanglement* and *superposition*, to perform calculations that are fundamentally unlike the calculations ordinary computers based on classical physics can perform. Once quantum computers are powerful and stable enough, their unique computational power will solve world-changing problems

that are beyond the capabilities of even the largest supercomputers.

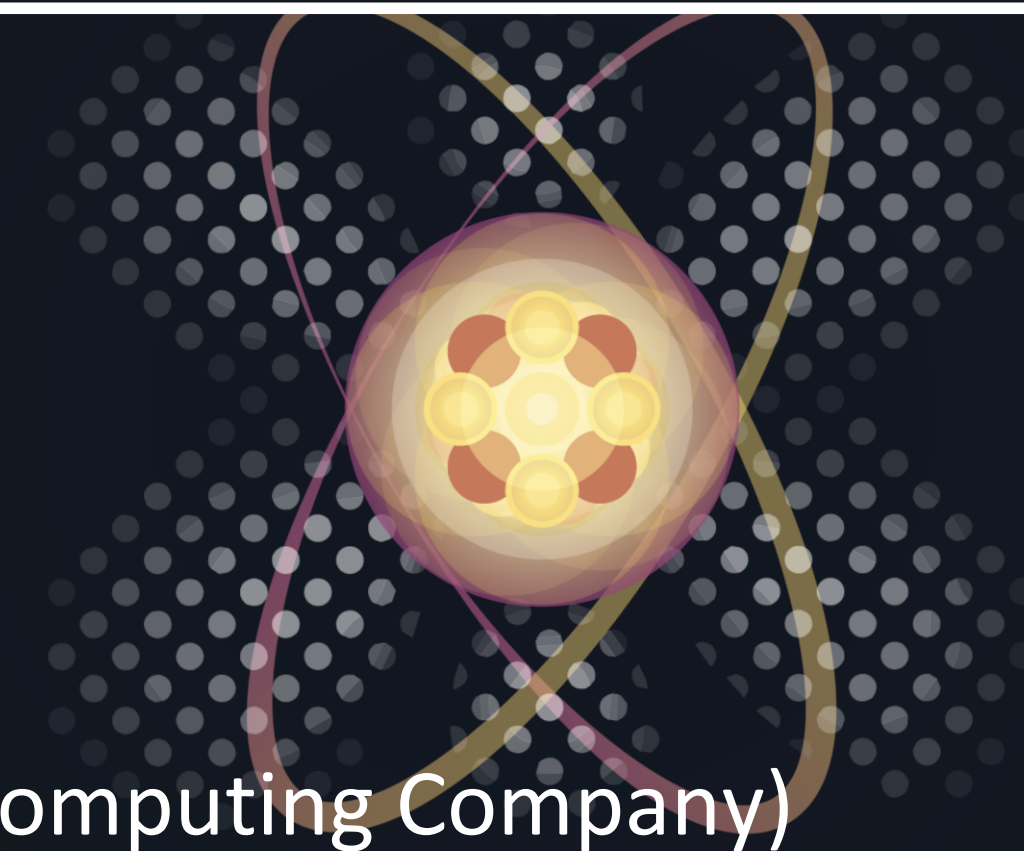
Many quantum hardware developers use "synthetic" quantum systems for their quantum bits (*qubits* for short), like loops of supercooled superconducting wire, intentional imperfections in crystalline silicon, or other designs carefully coaxed to behave as quantum systems. At IonQ, we take a different approach. We use a naturally occurring quantum system: individual atoms.

These atoms are the heart of our quantum

processing units. We trap them in 3D space, and then use lasers to do everything from initial preparation to final readout. It requires counterintuitive physics, precision optical and mechanical engineering, and fine-grained firmware control over a variety of components, but the superior results speak for themselves.

Read on to understand exactly how our trapped ion quantum cores work, and why they're the most promising platform for quantum computing in development today.

IonQ
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Doyle Group Research “Strategy”

Molecular Complexity might be Harnessed to Advance Areas of
AMO

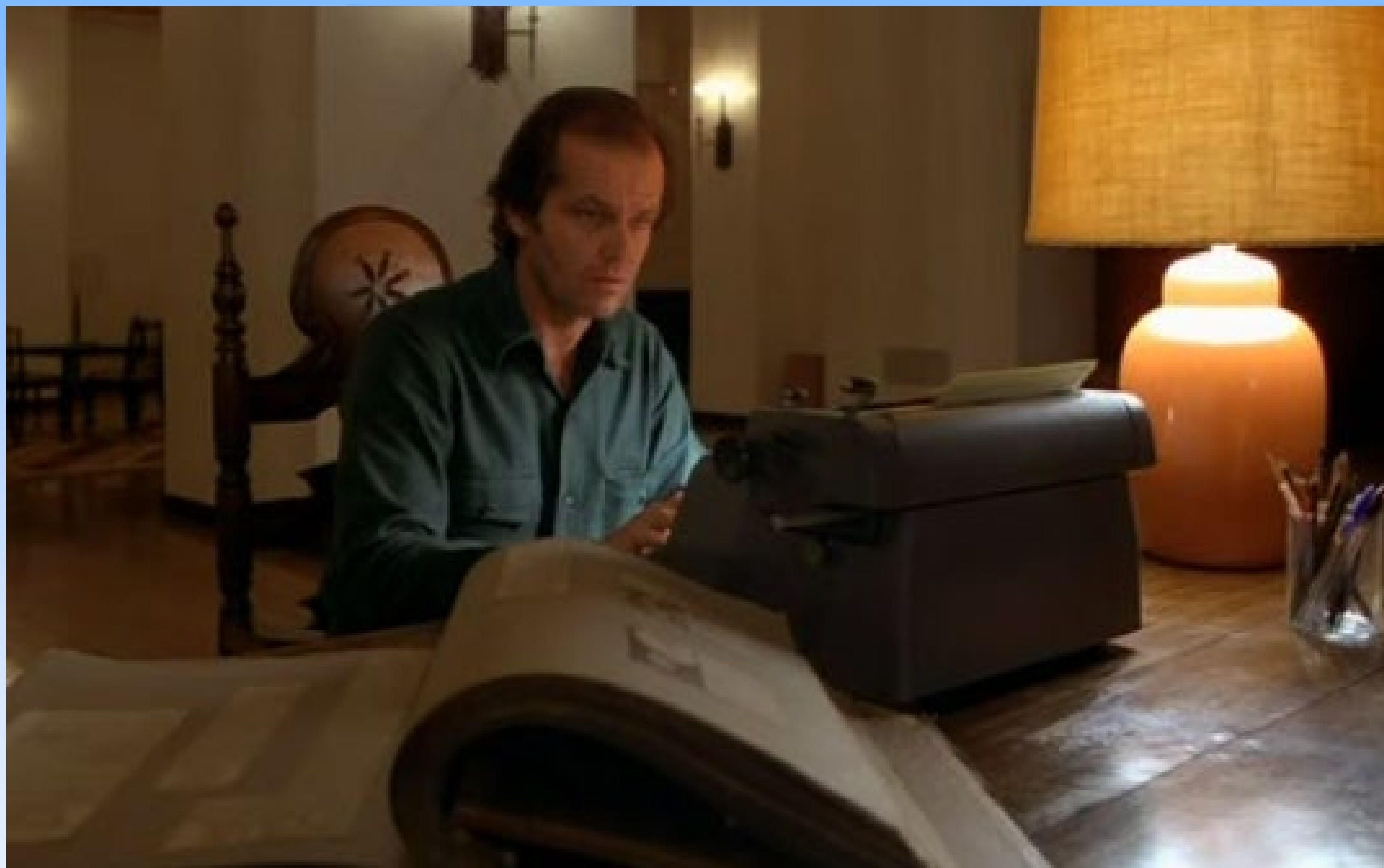
- 1) Beyond the Standard Model physics
- 2) Collisions
- 3) Quantum Information

Are Molecules Scary John ??



“Well, I am glad you asked that!”

Are Molecules Scary John ??



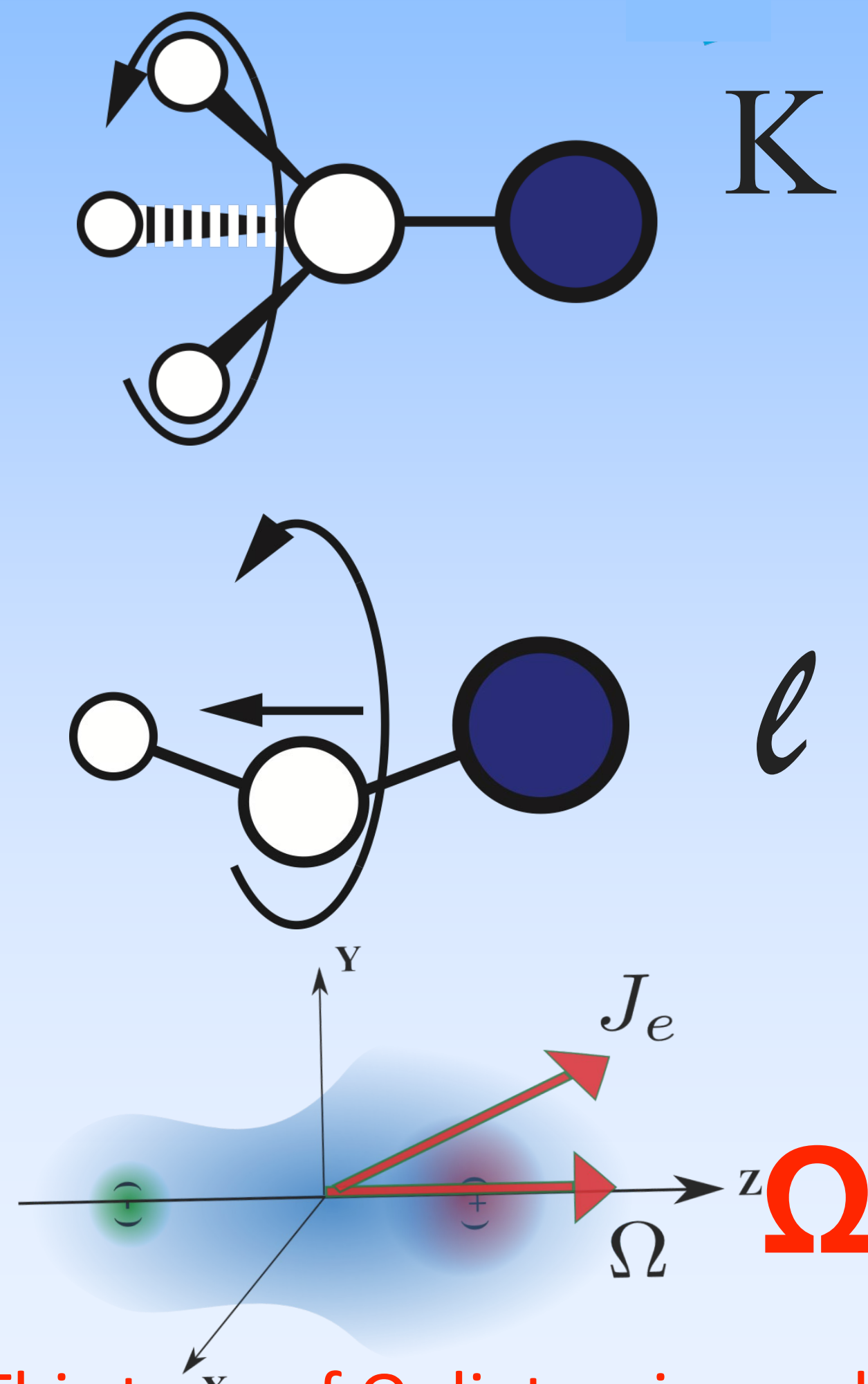
“Maybe ask me at the end of my talk. I’m very busy now. Giving a talk.
To the fine guests of this hotel.”

What's So Great About Molecules?

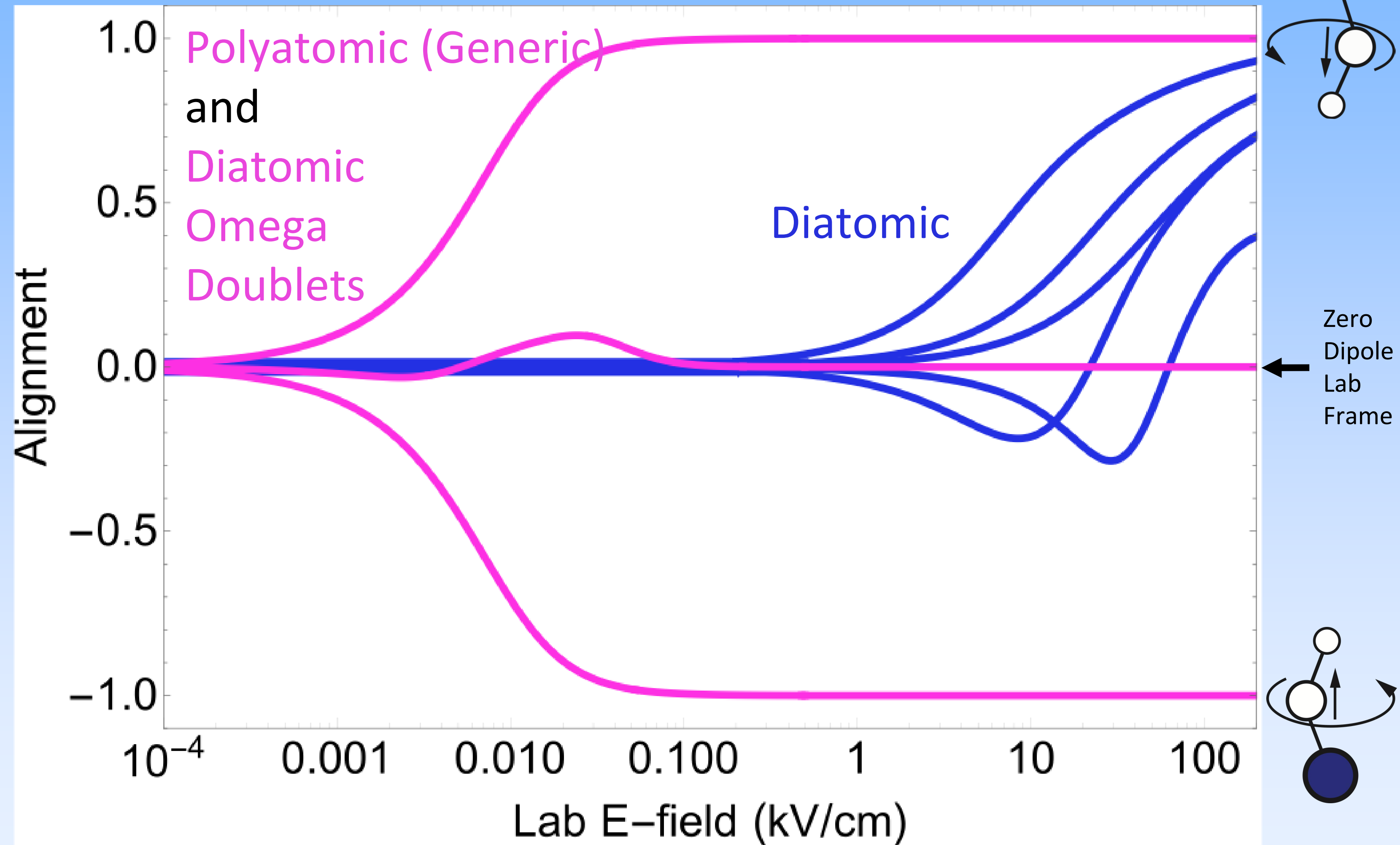
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Orbital Angular Momentum Along the Internuclear Axis

Molecular Frame
Quantum Numbers



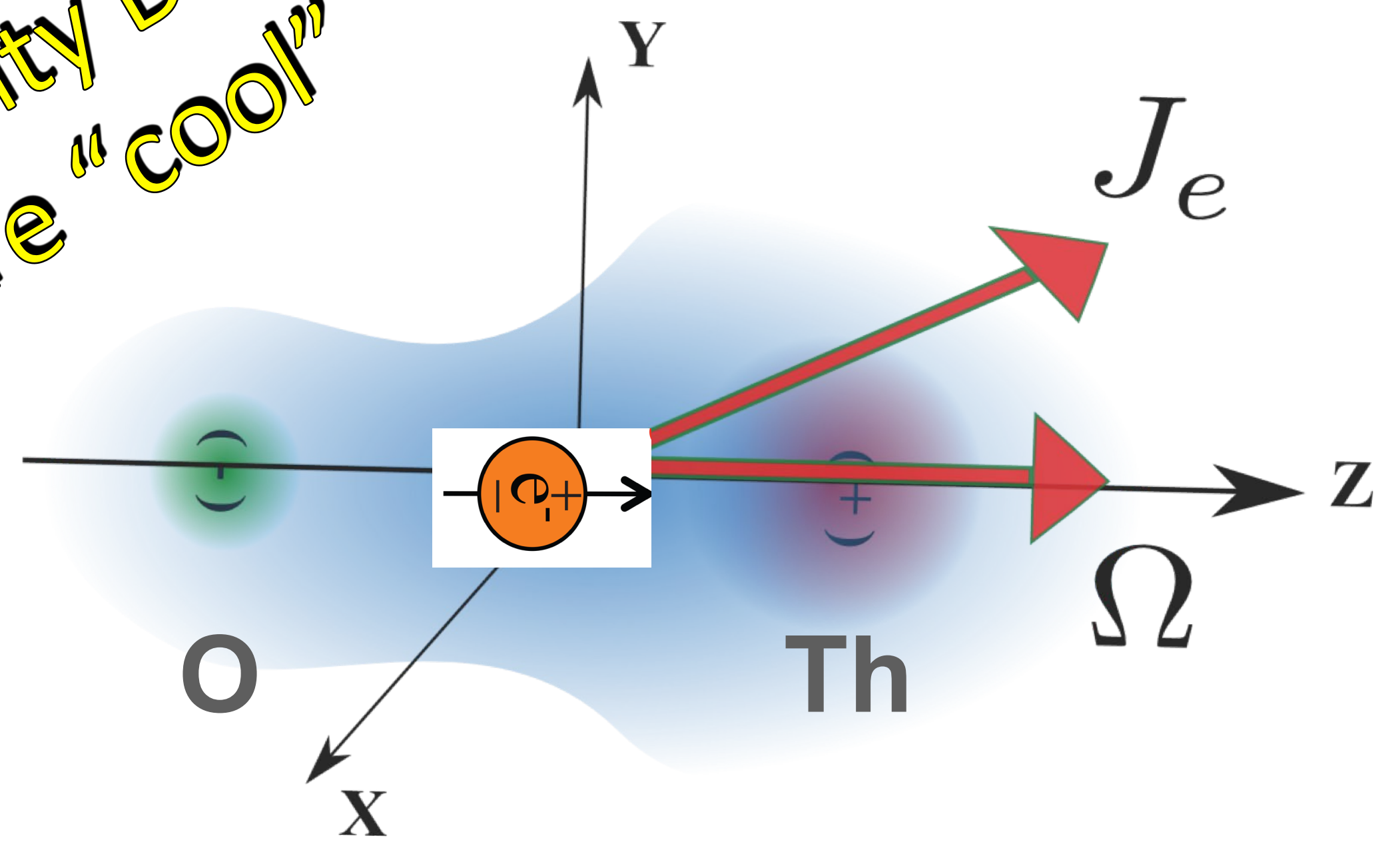
“Our Sponsor, the Parity Doublet”



This type of Ω diatomic used in current best electron EDM searches

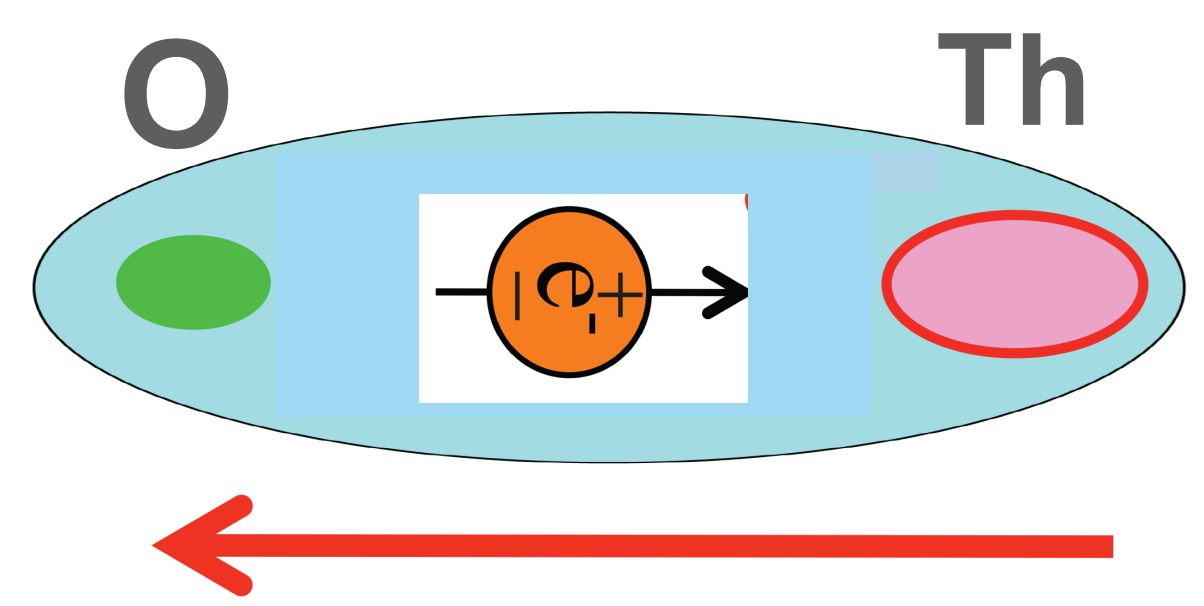
How to do an EDM experiment - example

Parity Doublets
are "cool"



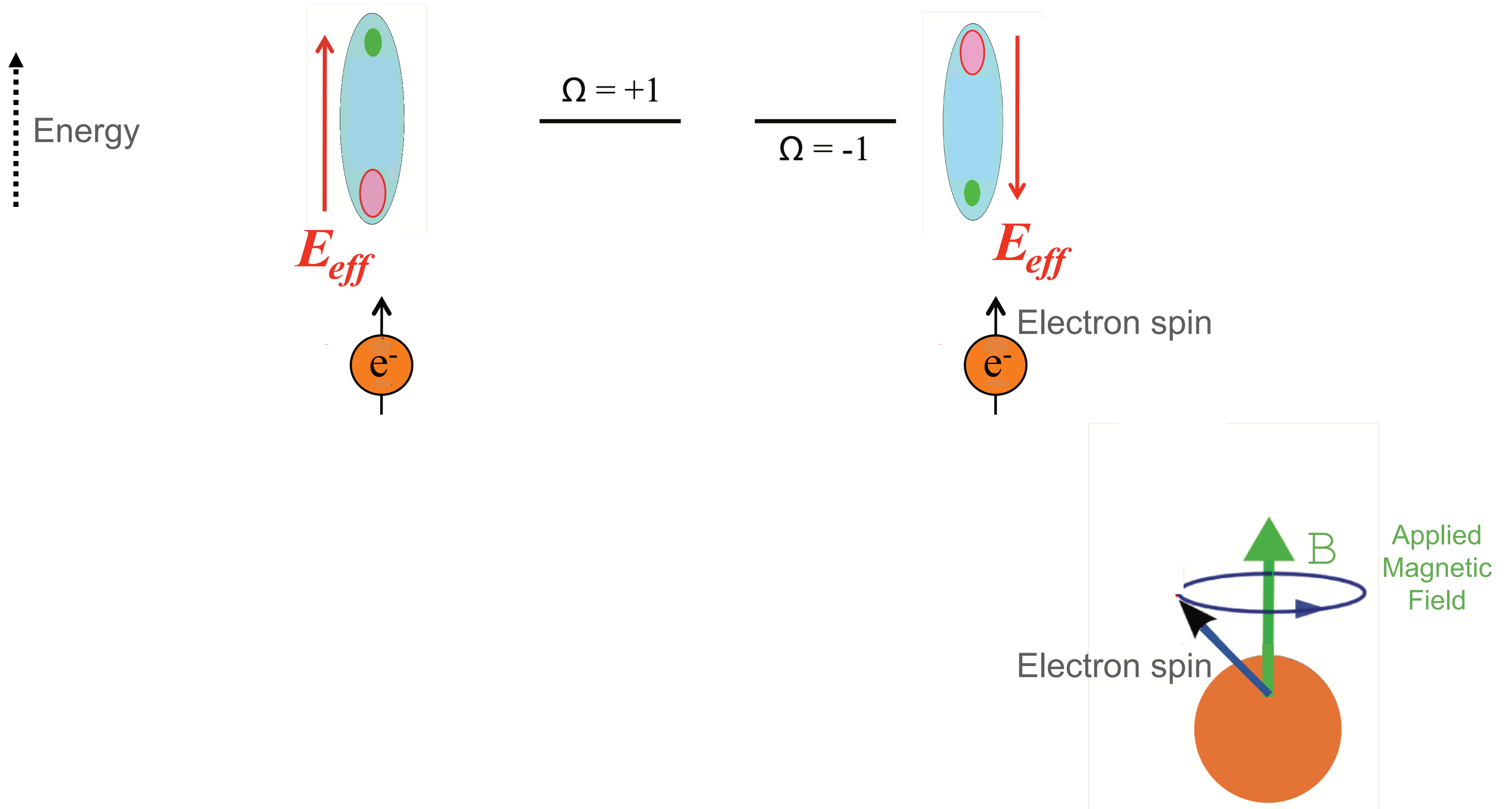
Large electric field
Interacts with
Purported electron EDM

Energy Shift



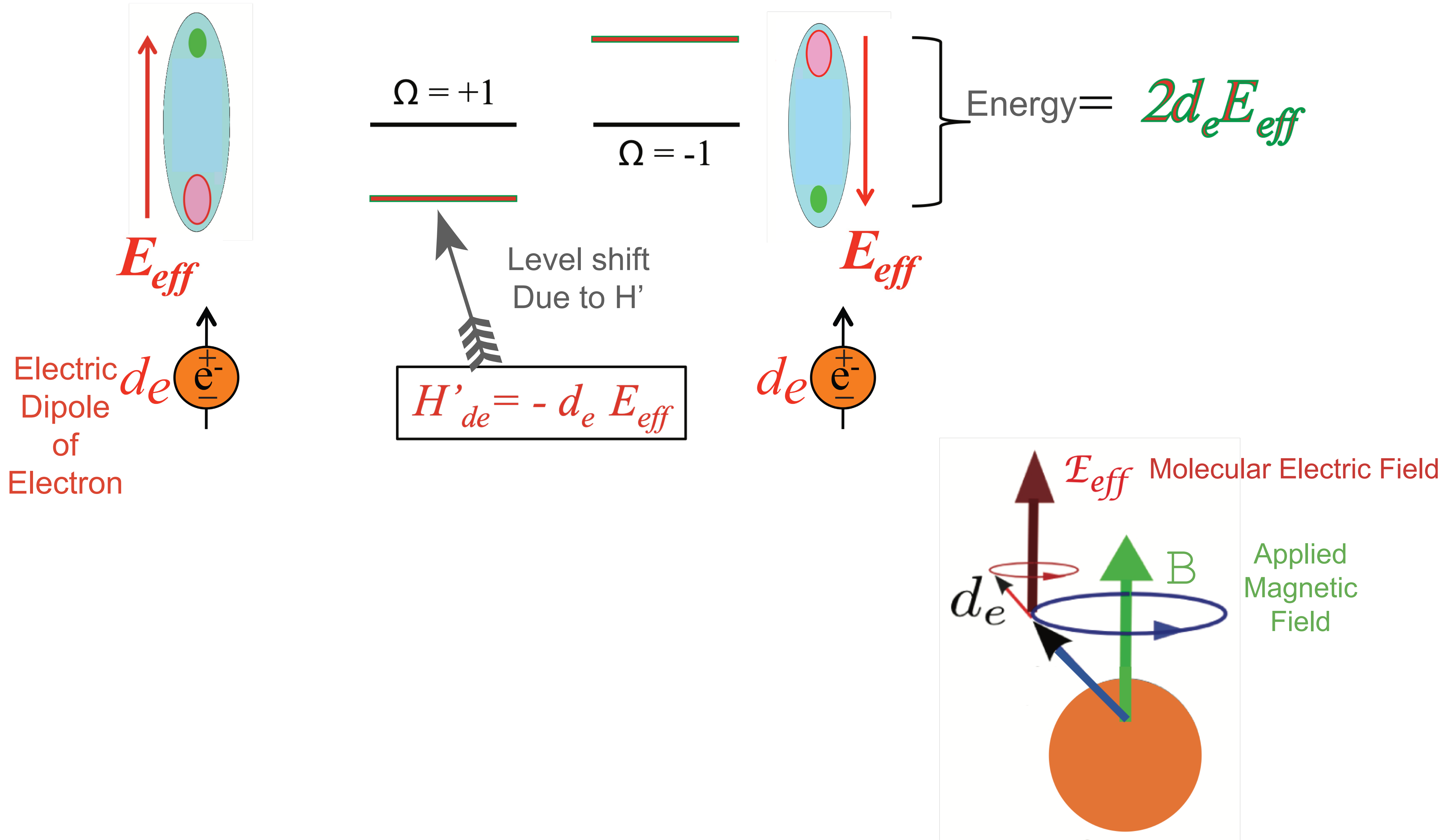
E_{eff} Molecular "Effective" Electric Field

Electron (with its spin) Inside an Omega Doublet Molecule

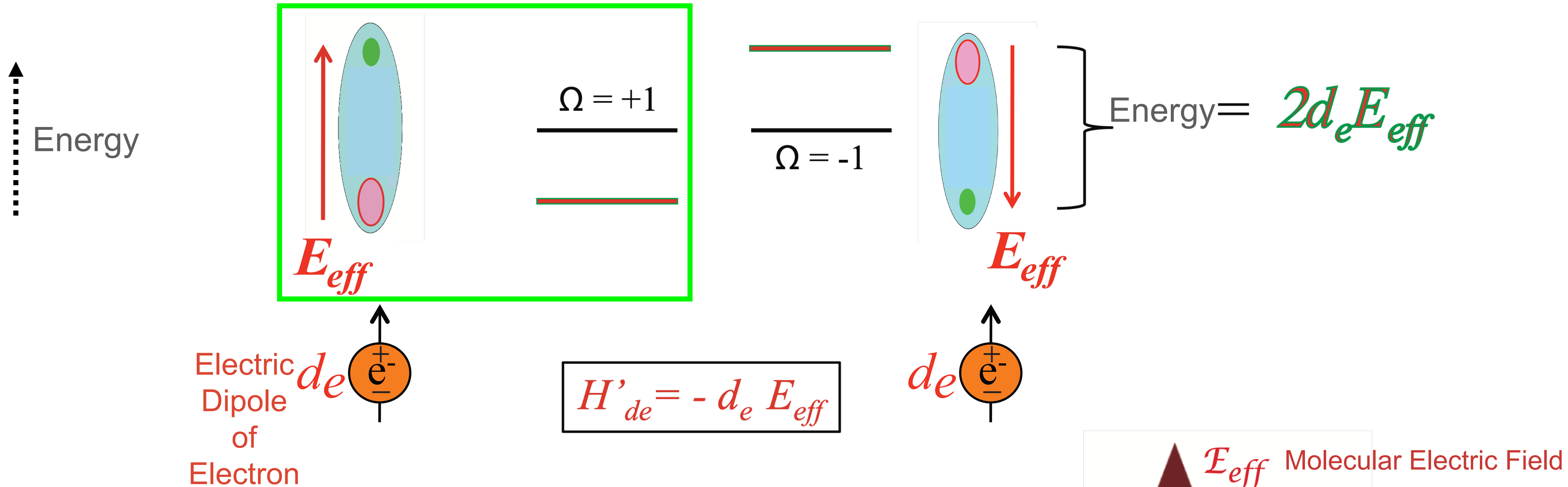


What if Electron has EDM d_e ?

Energy ↑



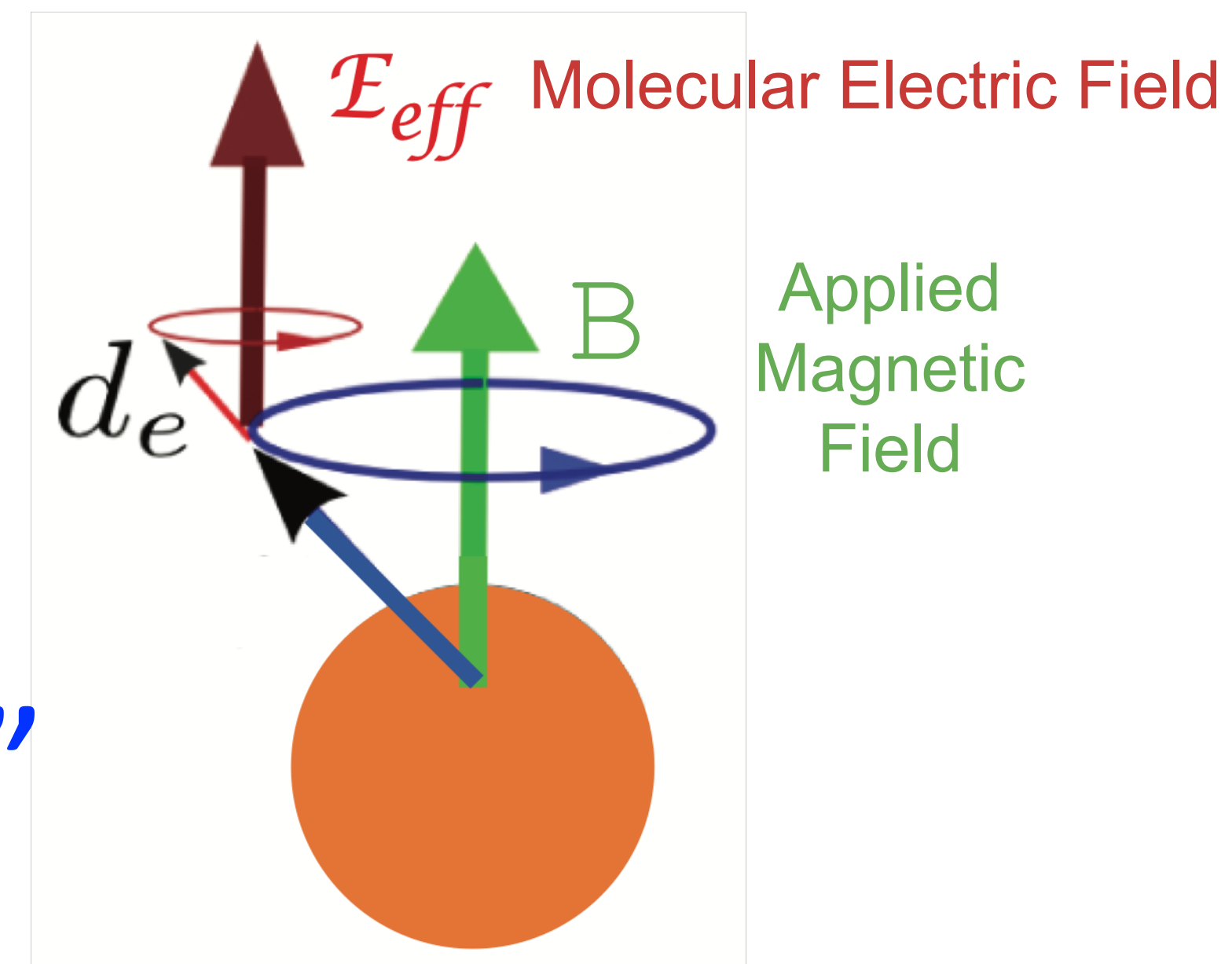
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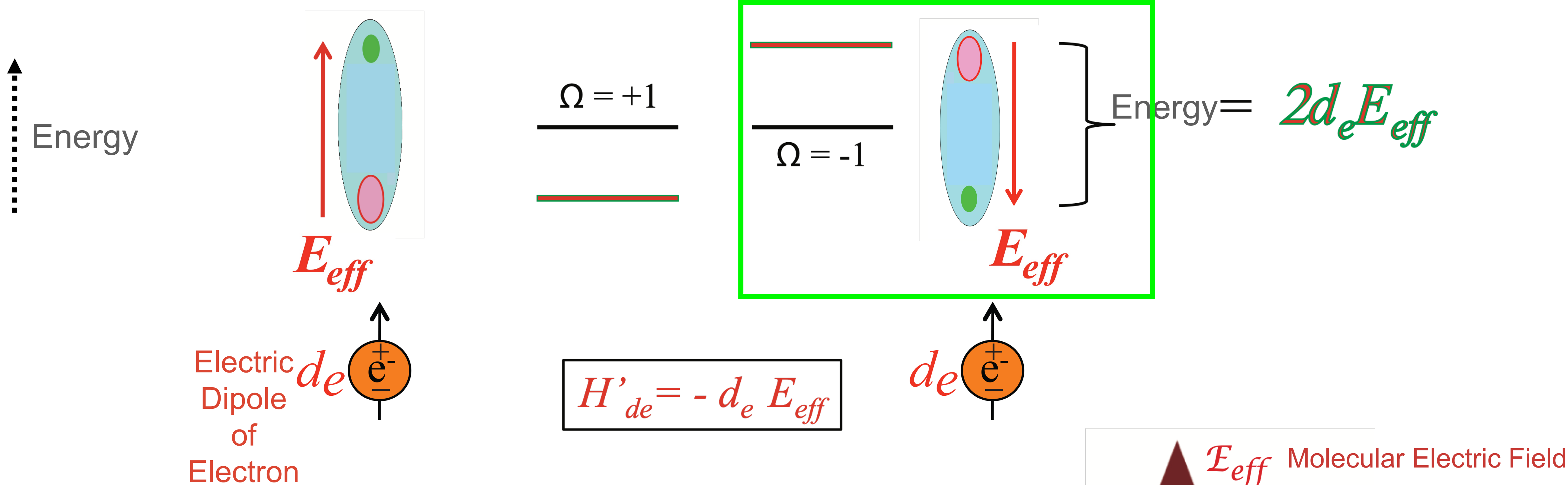
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Ramsey Spin Precession

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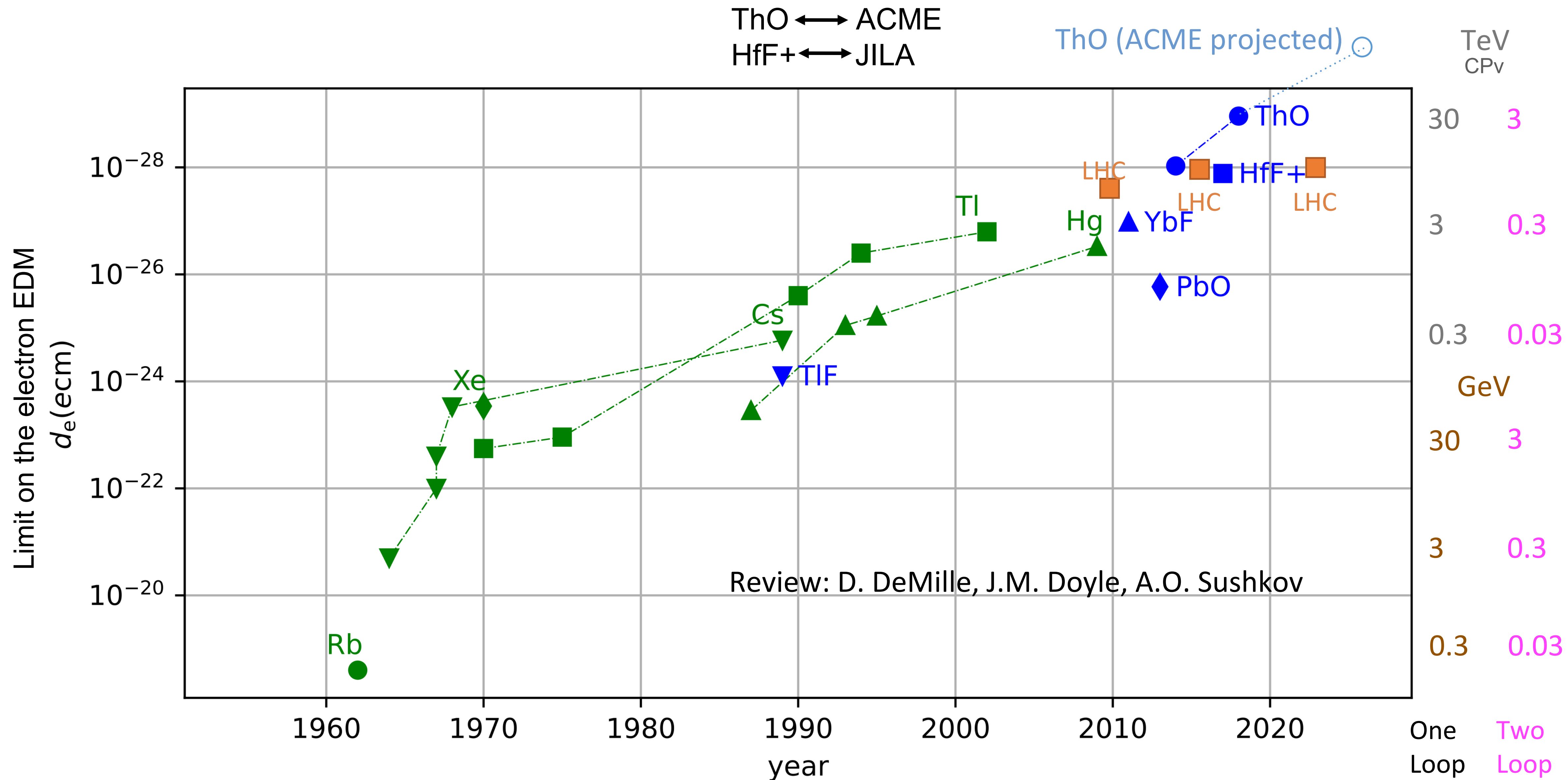


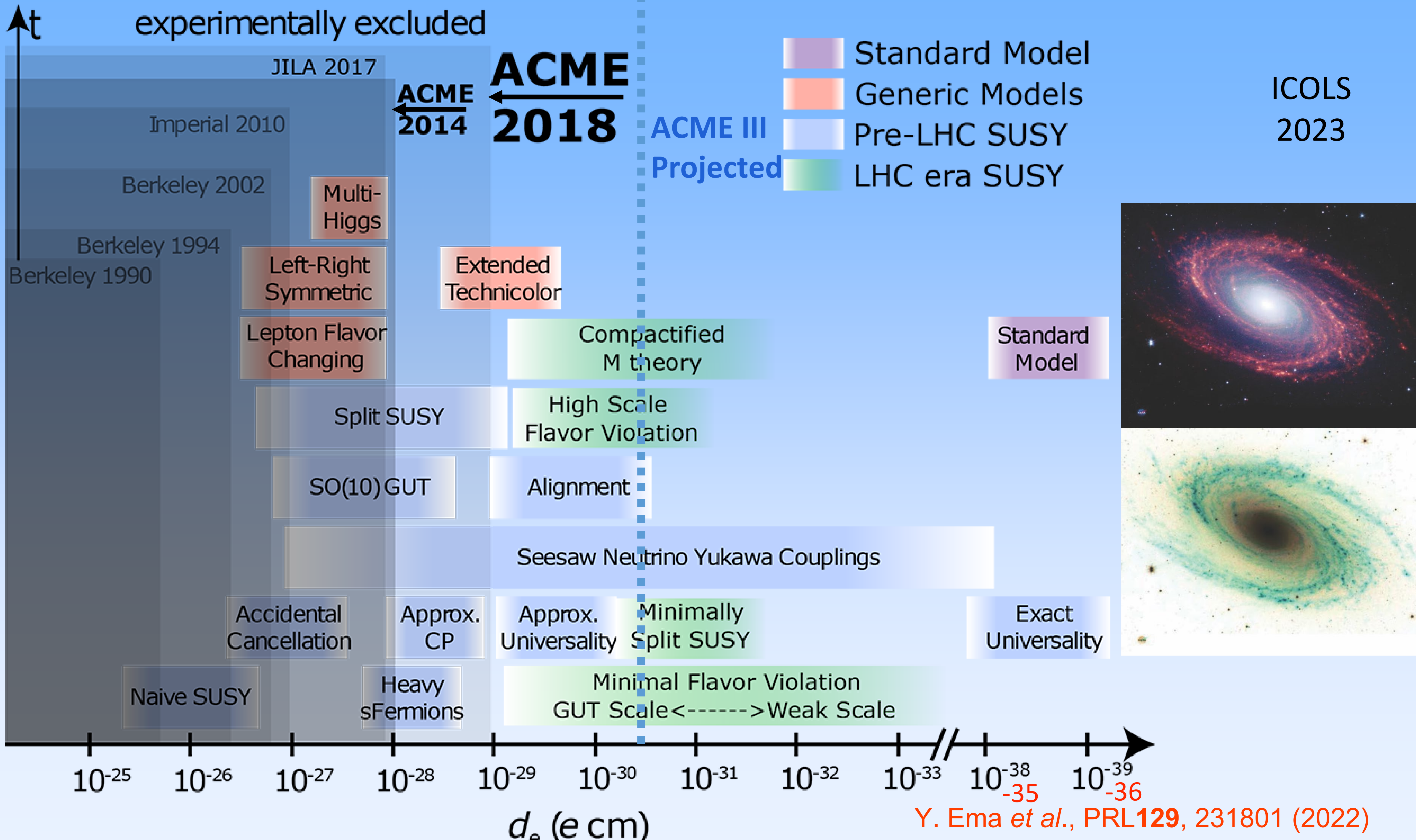
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Electron EDM Searches as of 2018





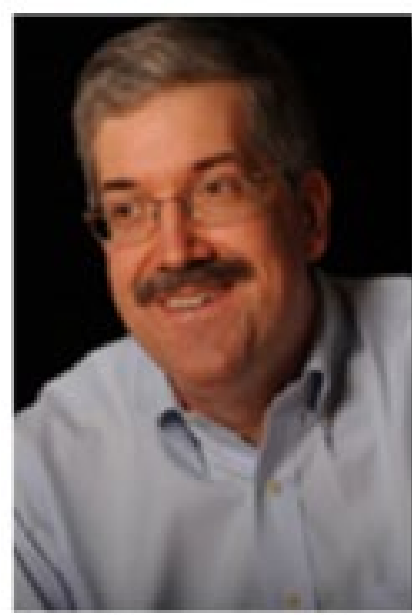
ThO - ACME



David DeMille



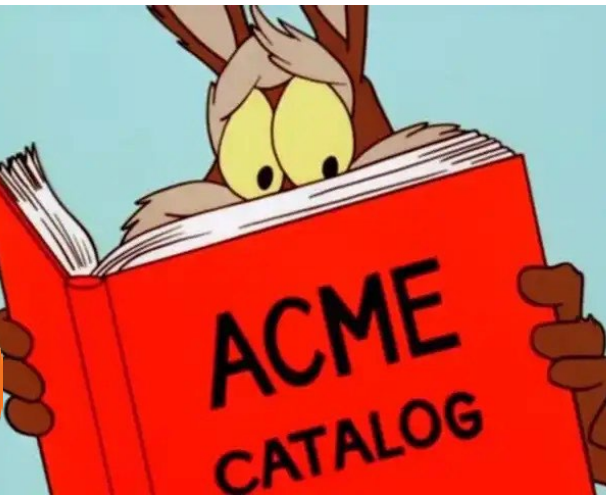
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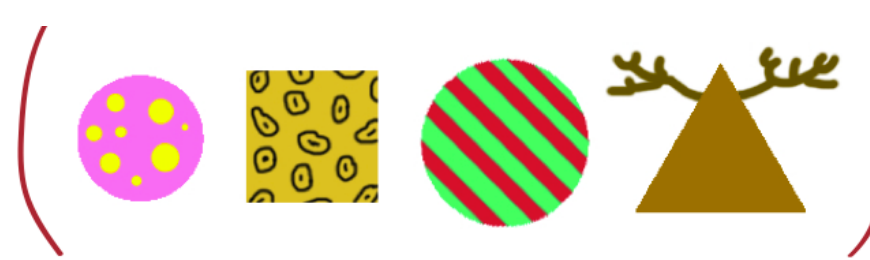
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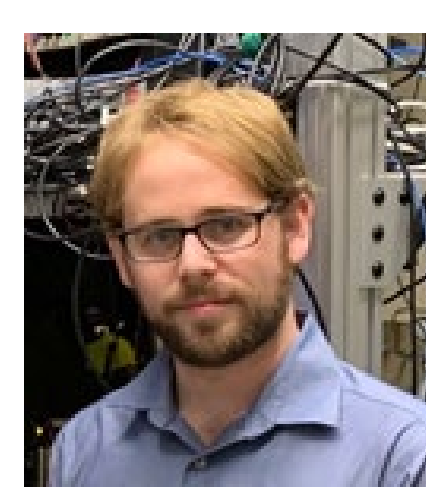
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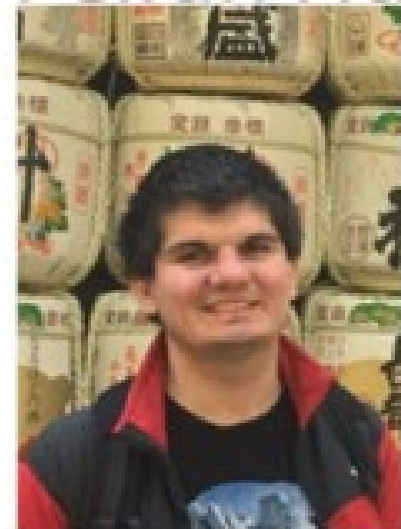
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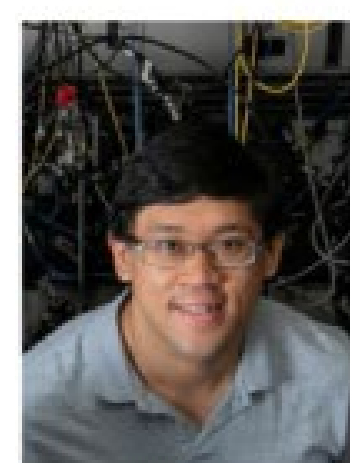
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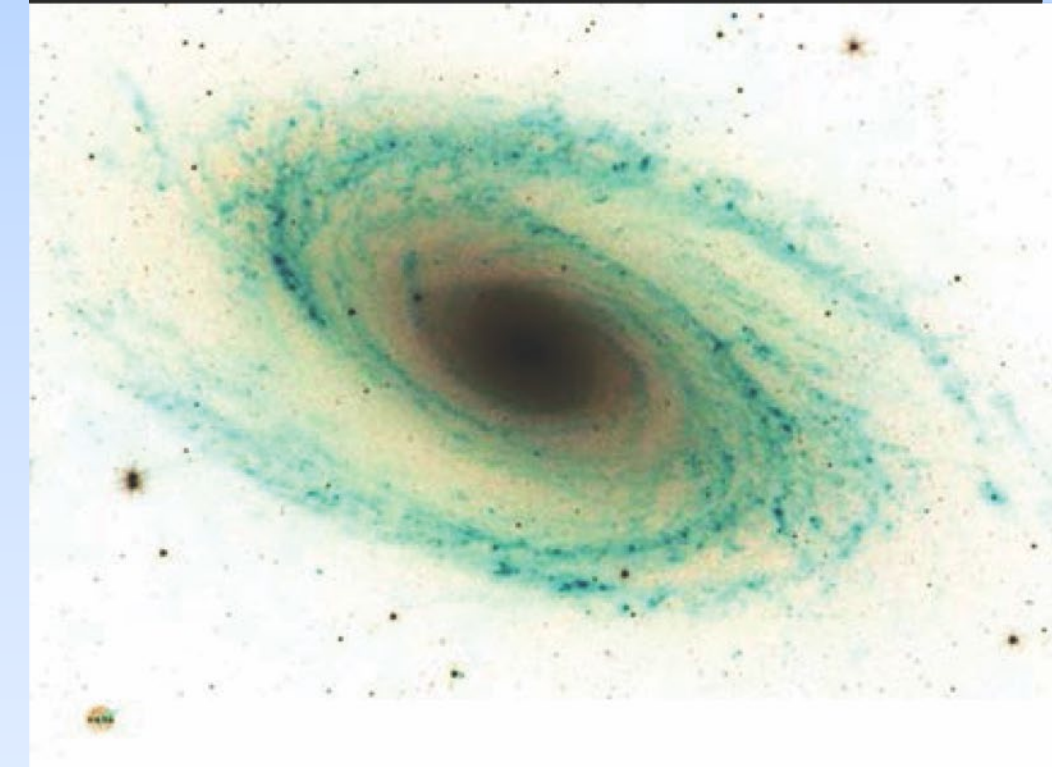


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Latest eEDM News!

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Standard
Model

Exact
Universality

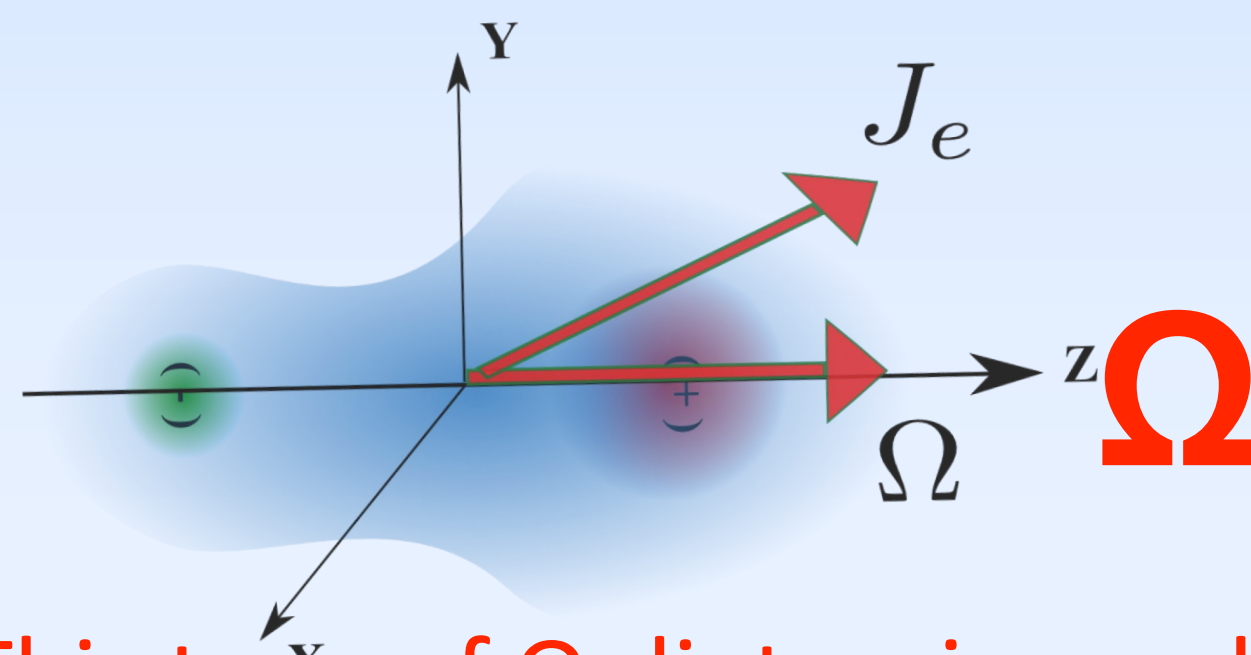
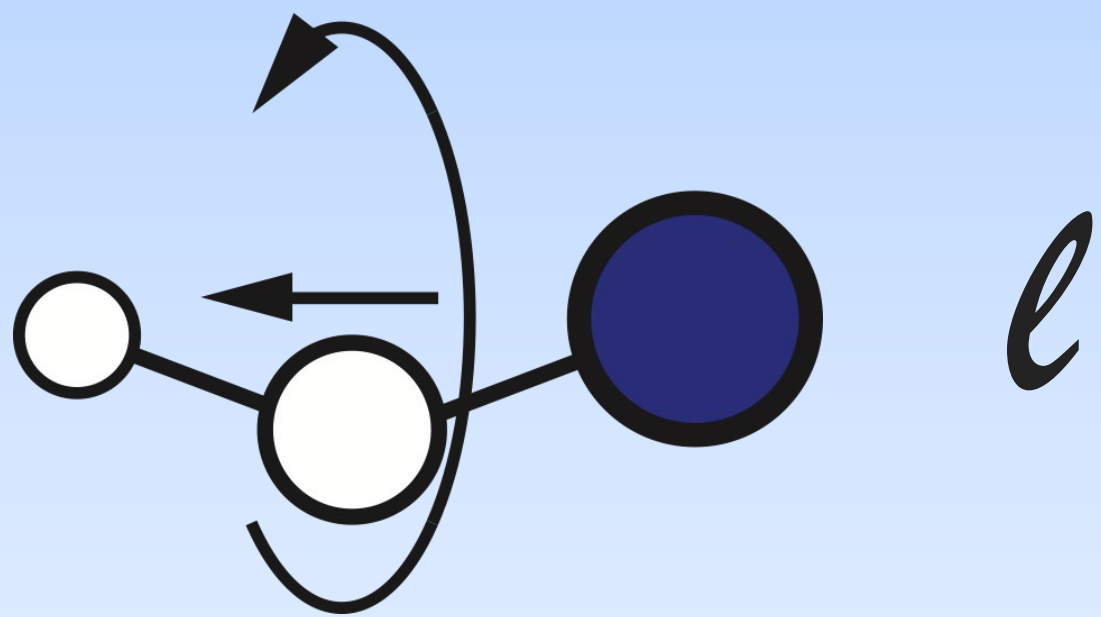
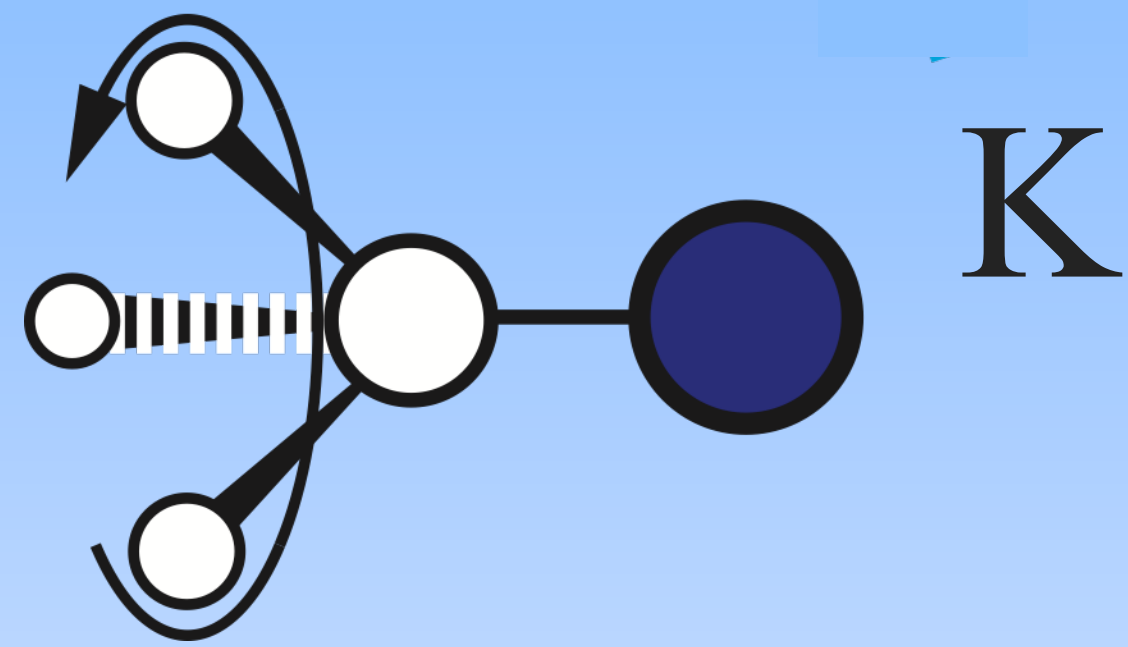
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d_e (e cm)

Y. Ema *et al.*, PRL129, 231801 (2022)

Orbital Angular Momentum Along the Internuclear Axis

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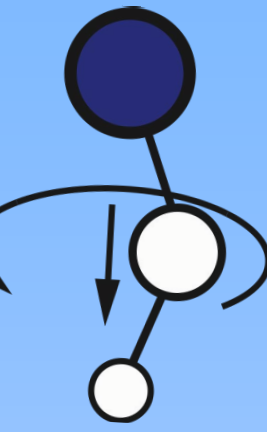
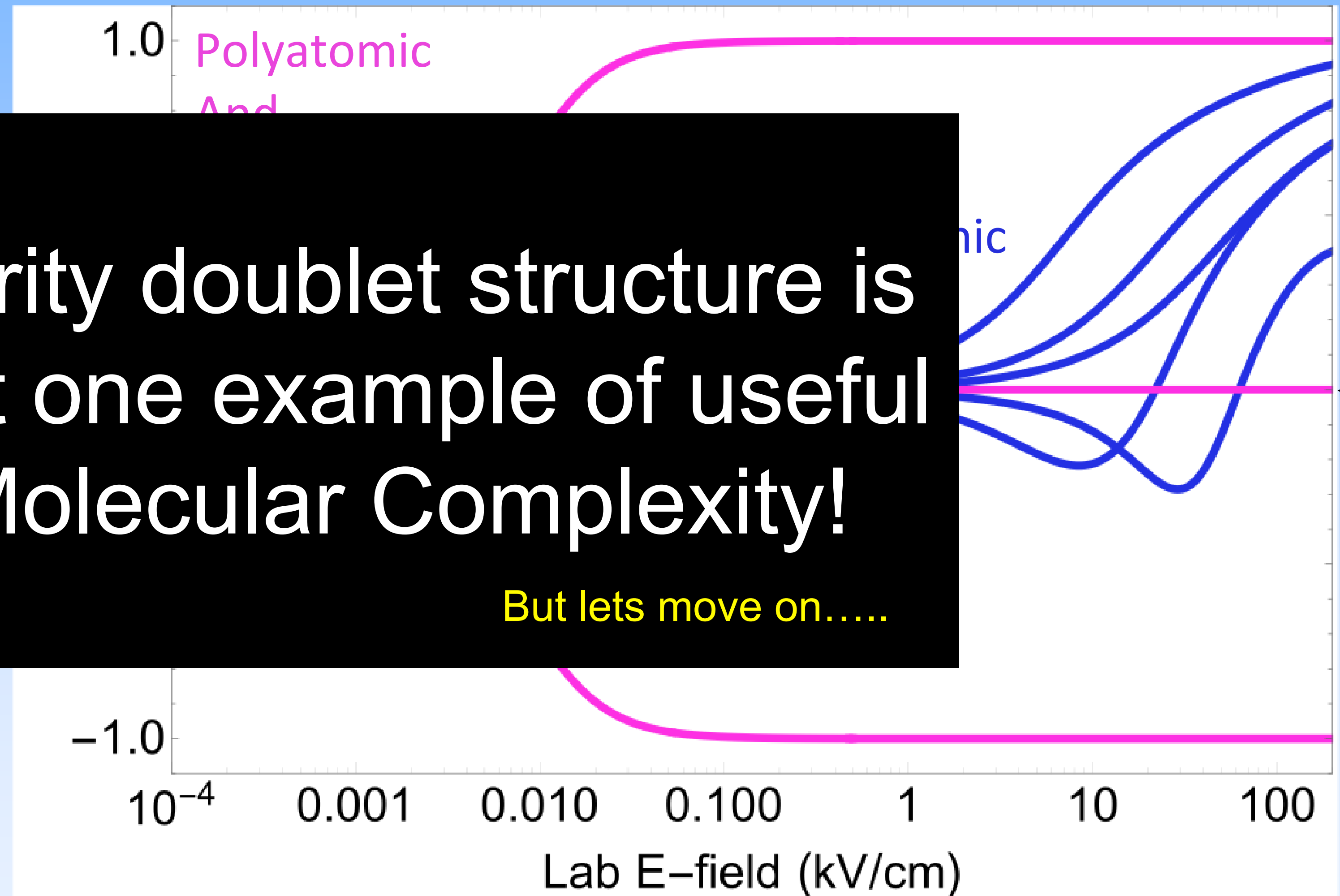


This type of Ω diatomic used in current best electron EDM searches

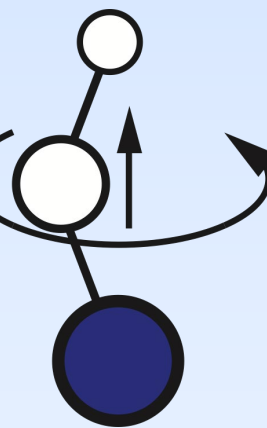
“Our Sponsor, the Parity Doublet”

Parity doublet structure is just one example of useful Molecular Complexity!

But lets move on.....

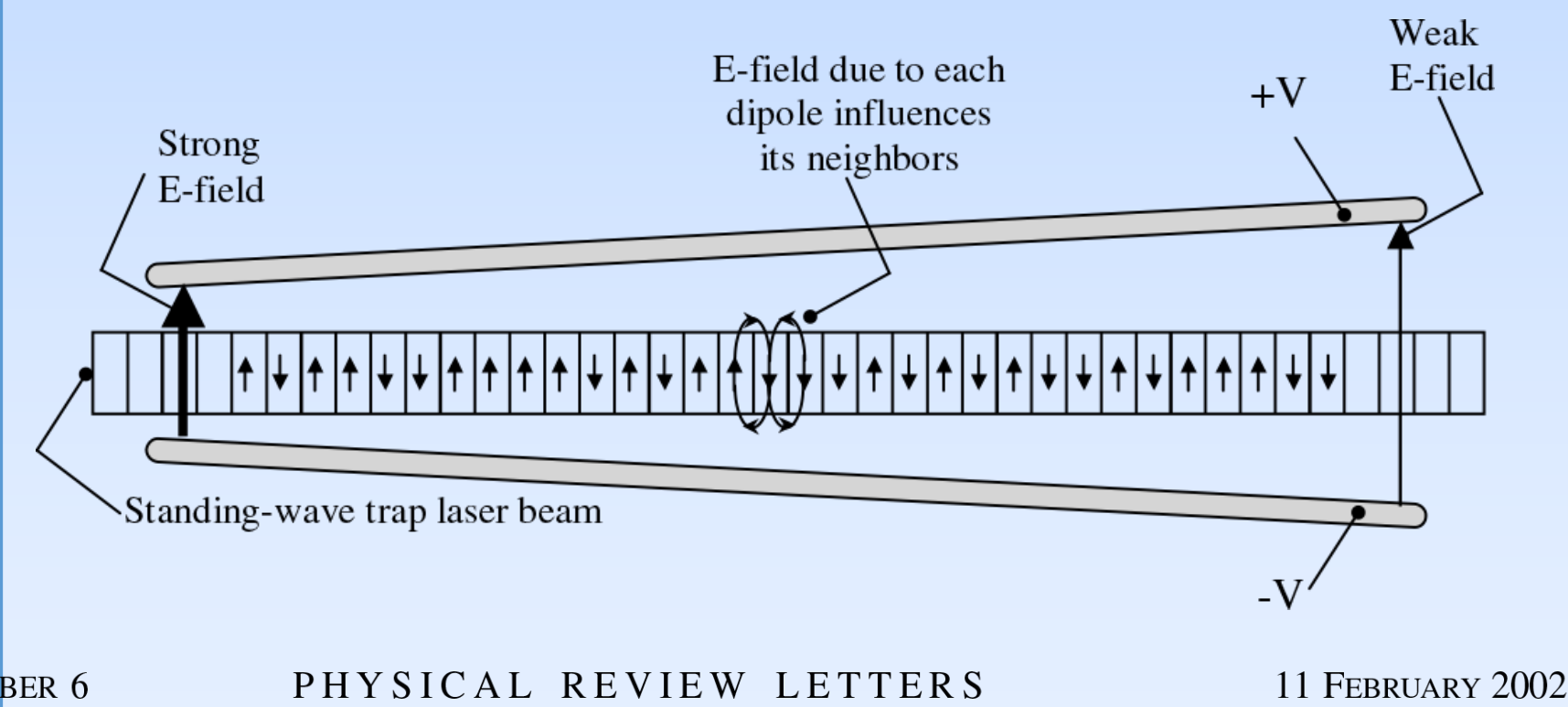


Zero Dipole Lab Frame



What's So Great About Molecules?

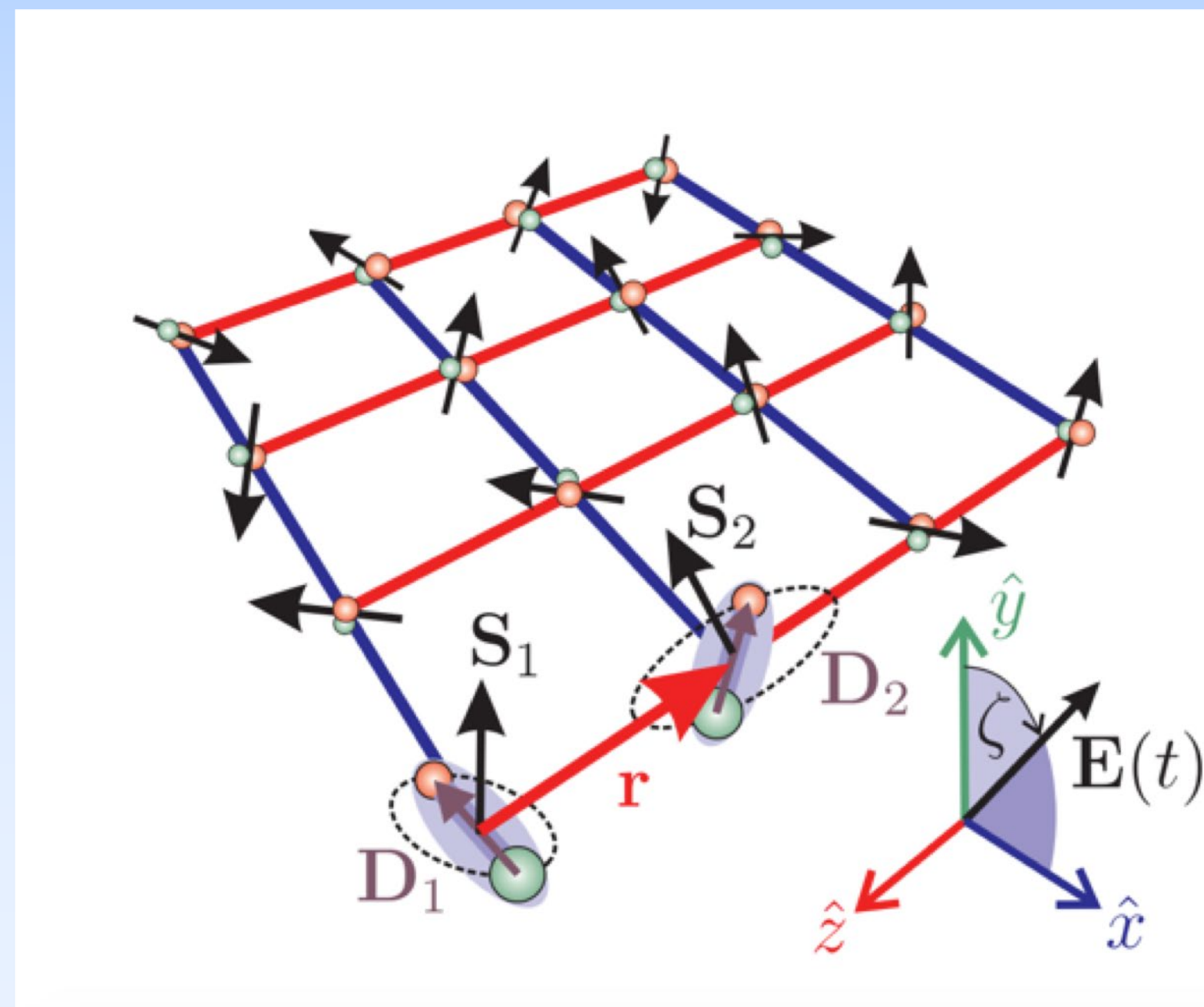
- 1) Complex Internal Structure - useful?
- 2) External Electric Dipole Moment brought to you by the magic of chemical bonding (i.e. quantum mechanics)



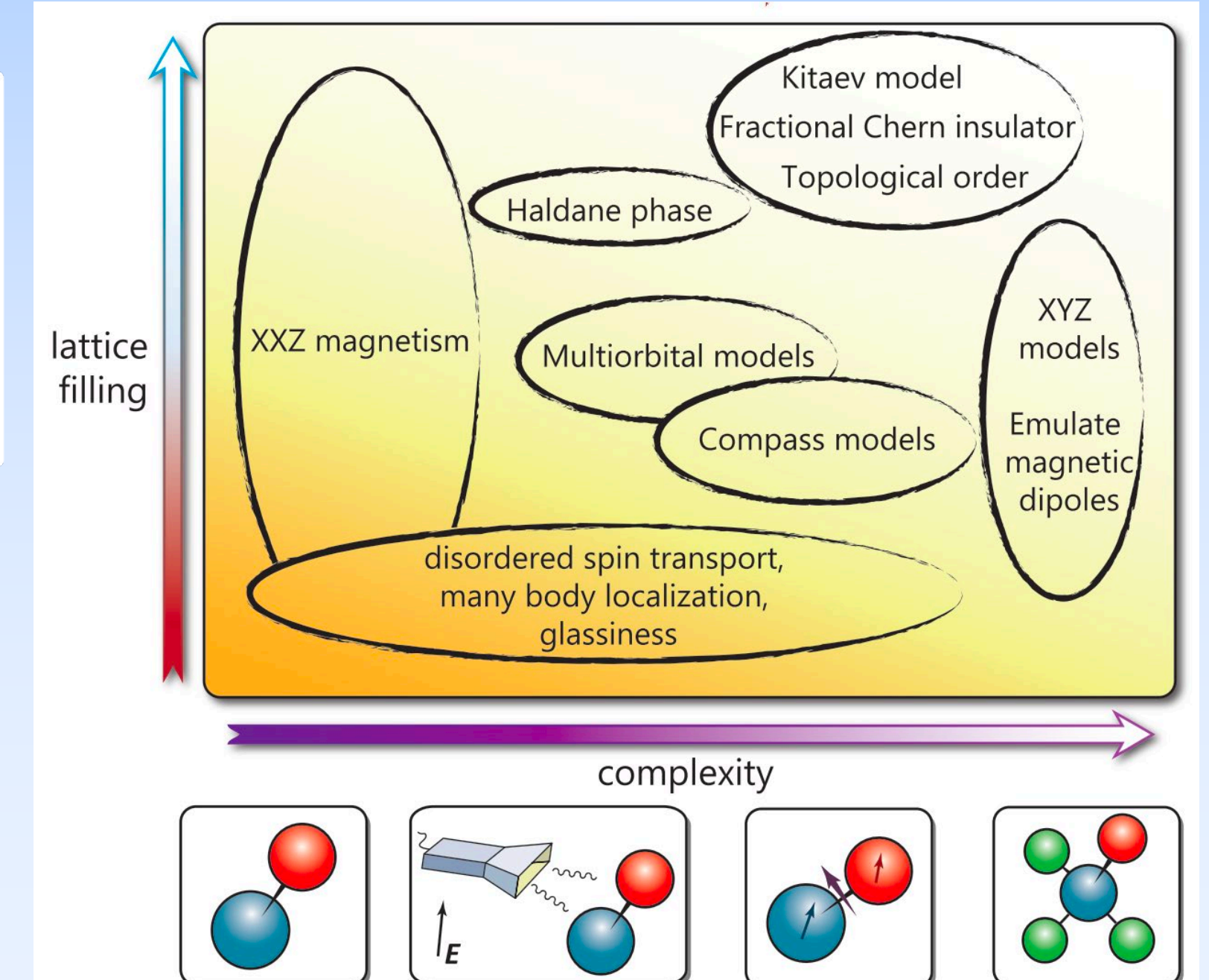
PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS 11 FEBRUARY 2002

Quantum Computation with Trapped Polar Molecules

D. DeMille



Micheli, Brennan, Zoller, Nature Physics 2006



Wall, Hazzard, Rey, Atomic to Mesoscale book (2015)

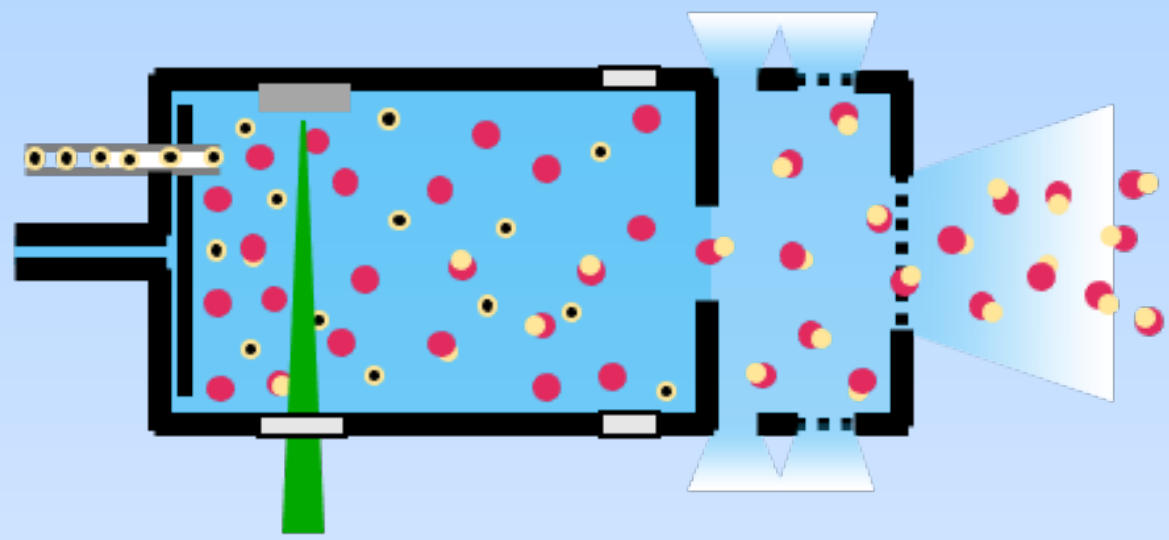
Doyle Group Research “Strategy”

Molecular Complexity might be Harnessed but....

Bringing molecules into the Cold or Ultracold Regime
is
Necessary
or
Advantageous

Our Laser Cooling Path to Ultracold Molecules

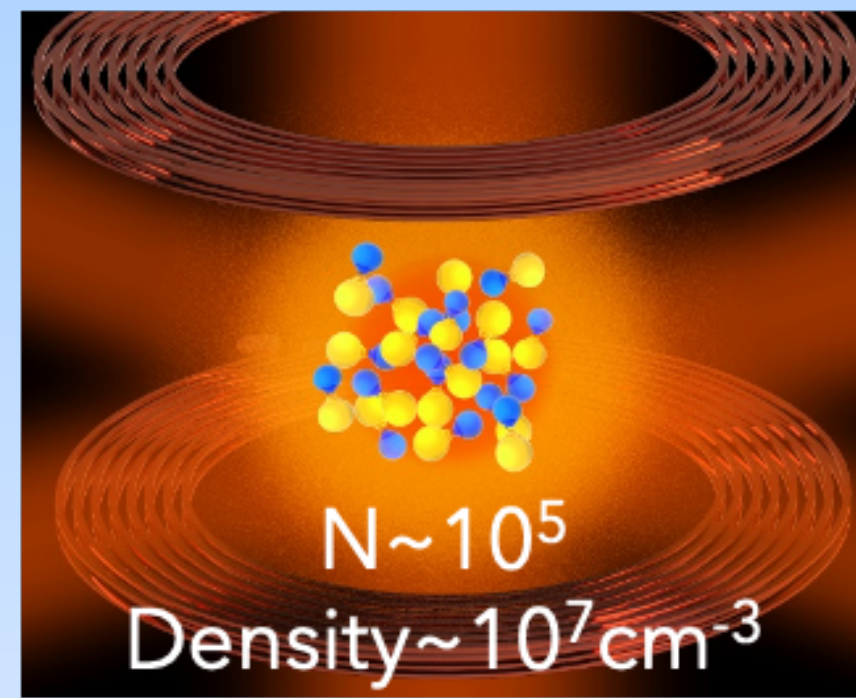
Molecular Source
(Buffer gas cooling)



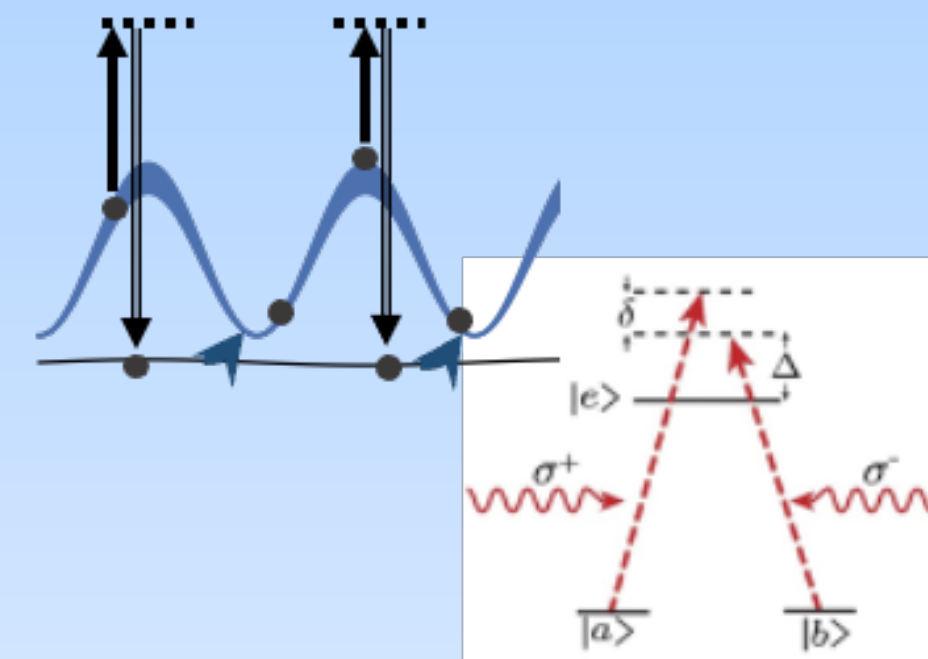
Laser Slowing



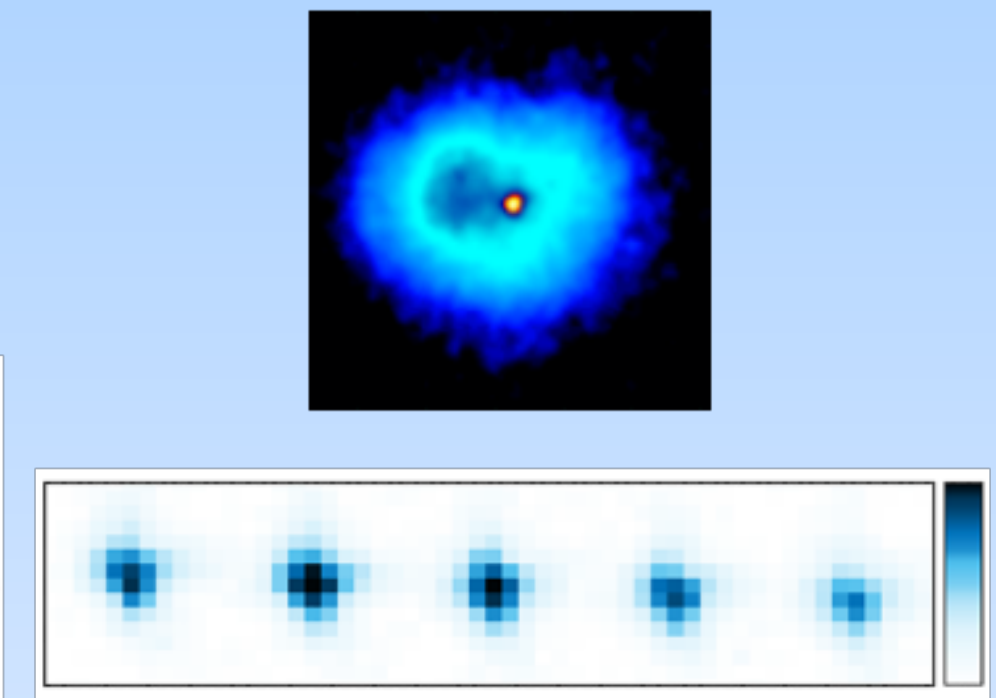
DC/RF MOT



Sub-Doppler Cooling



Optical Trapping



Temperature

$>1000 \text{ K}$

2 K

$300 \mu\text{K}$

$5 \mu\text{K}$

Phase Space Density

10^{-14}

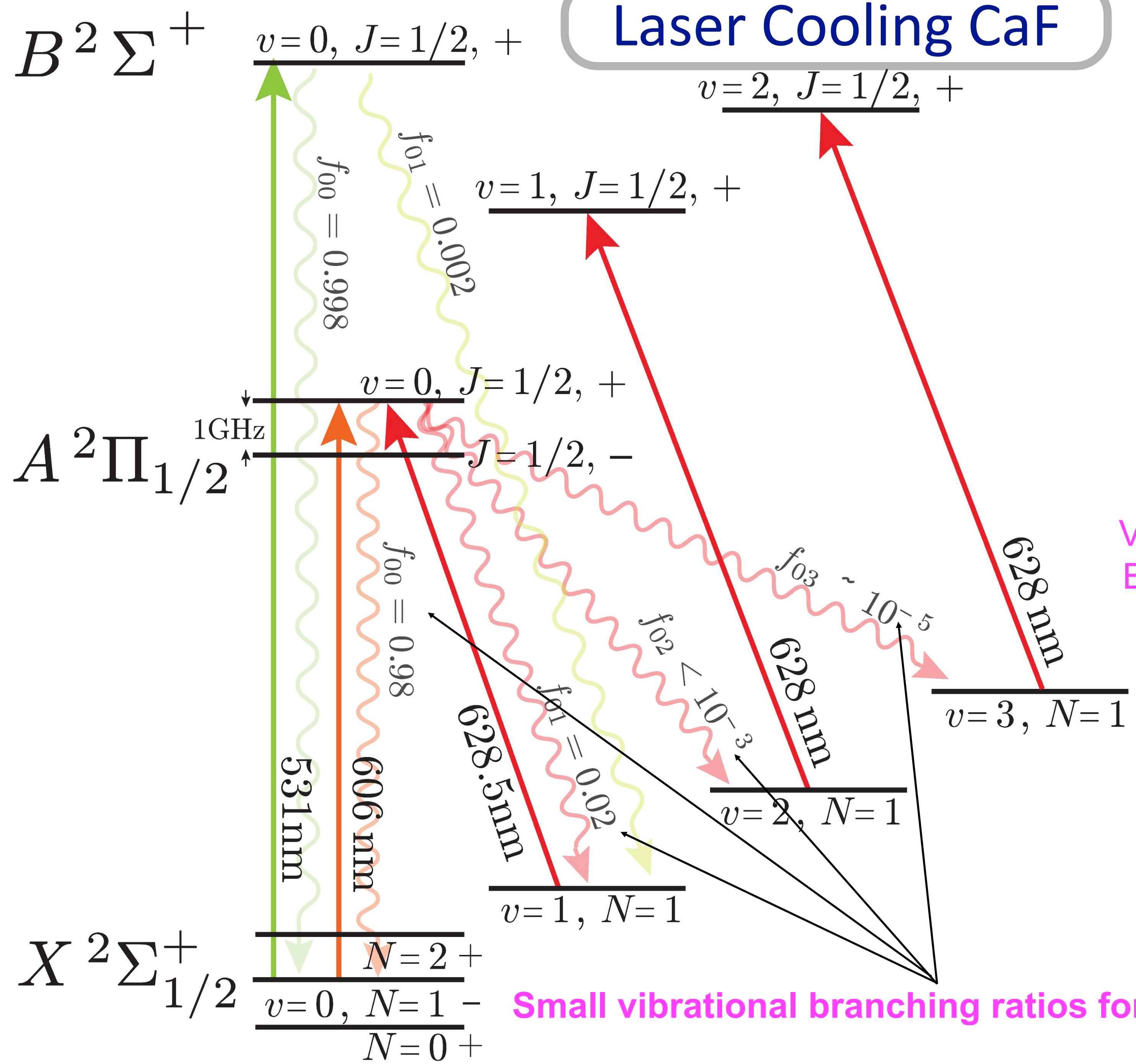
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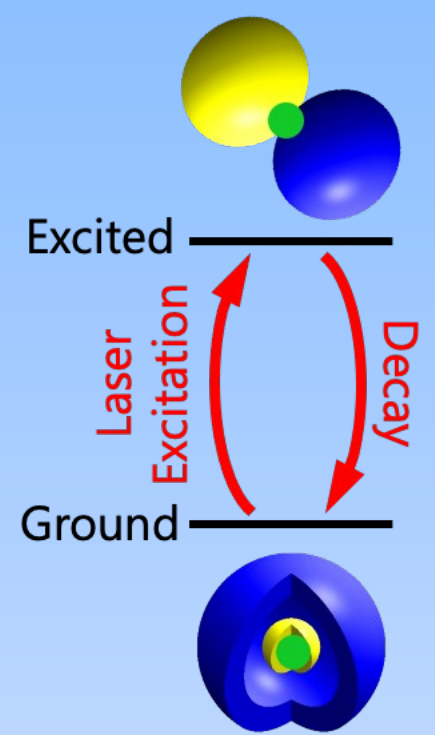
Laser Cooling CaF



Small vibrational branching ratios for CaF

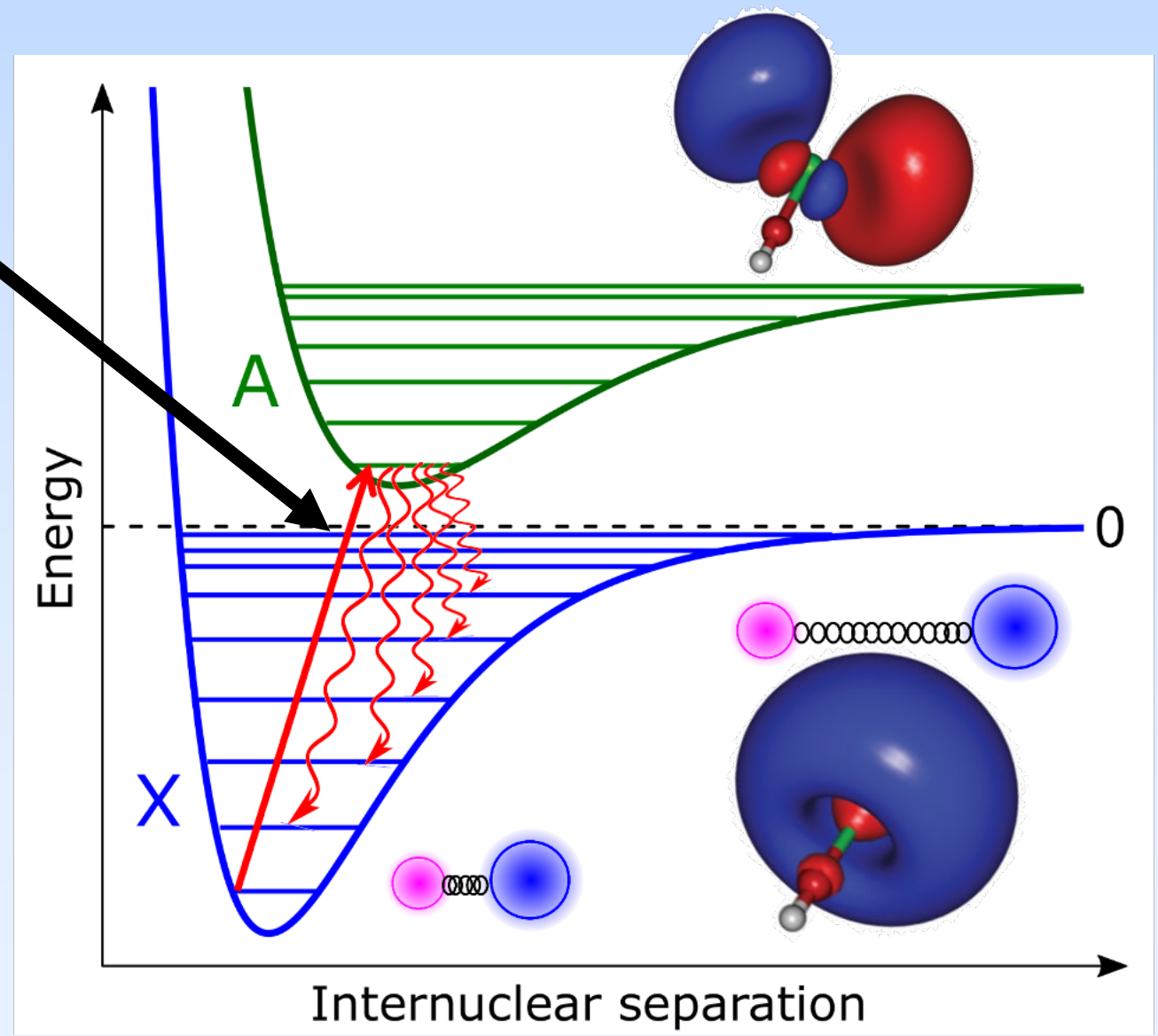
Photon Cycling - Laser Cooling

- Photons carry both linear and angular momentum
 - Cooling
 - Quantum state prep/readout



~3,000-7,000 Photon Cycles Needed for Full Laser Cooling

Vibrational Branching Ratios

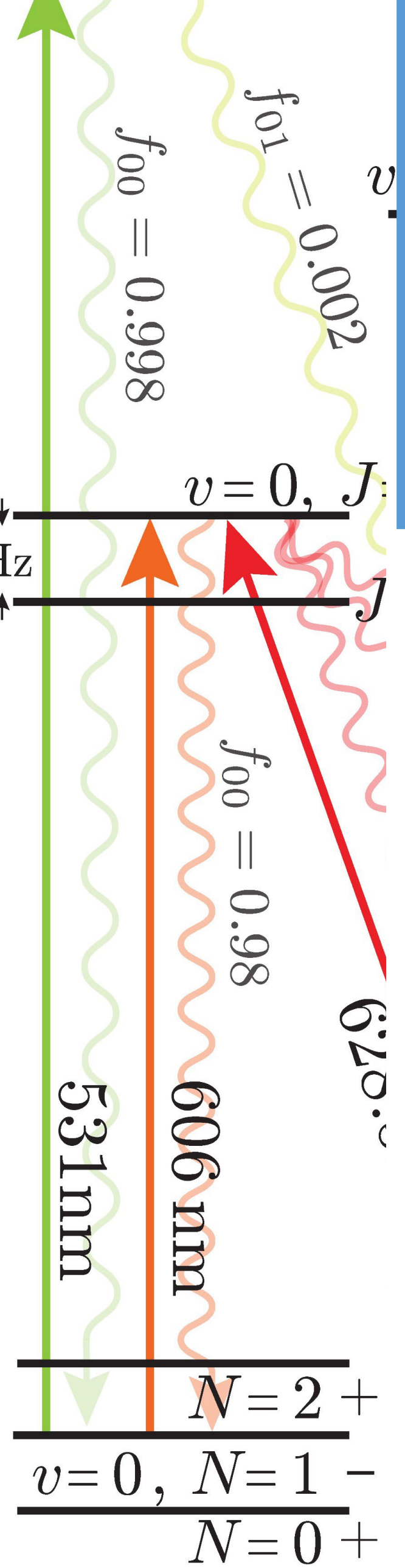


Prettiest AMO Experiment Ever?

$B^2 \Sigma^+$ $v=0, J=1/2, +$

$A^2 \Pi_{1/2}$ $v=0, J=1/2, +$

$X^2 \Sigma_{1/2}^+$ $v=0, N=1, -$
 $N=0, +$



50 cm

We developed methods of laser cooling of molecules and with **CaF** applied to collisions and qubit behavior in optical tweezers

[Dipolar spin-exchange and entanglement between molecules in an optical tweezer array](#), Y. Bao, S. S. Yu, L. Anderegg, E. Chae, W. Ketterle, K. Ni, JMD (2022). [arXiv:2211.09780](#)

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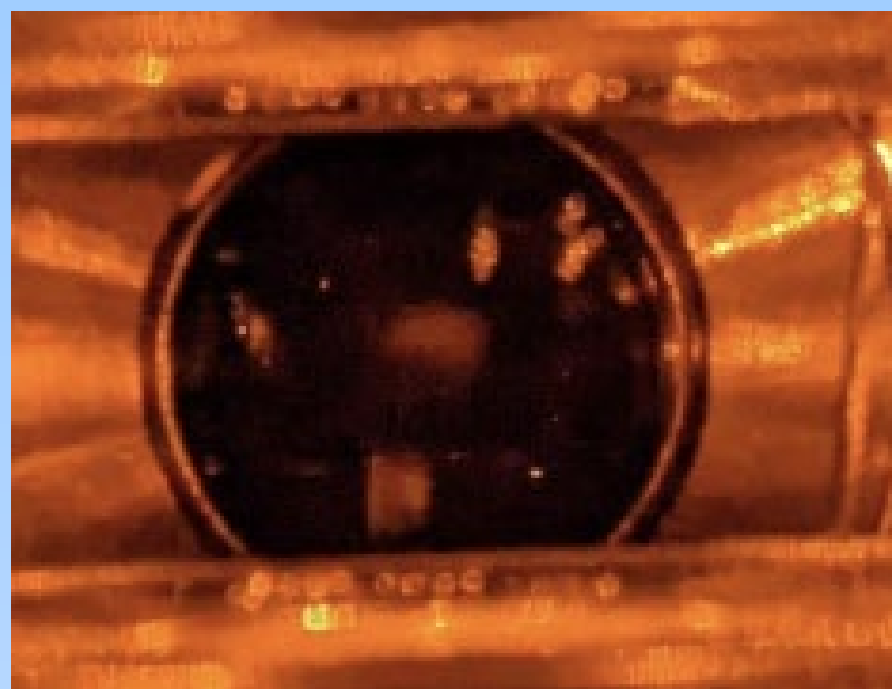
Molecule
Tweezer

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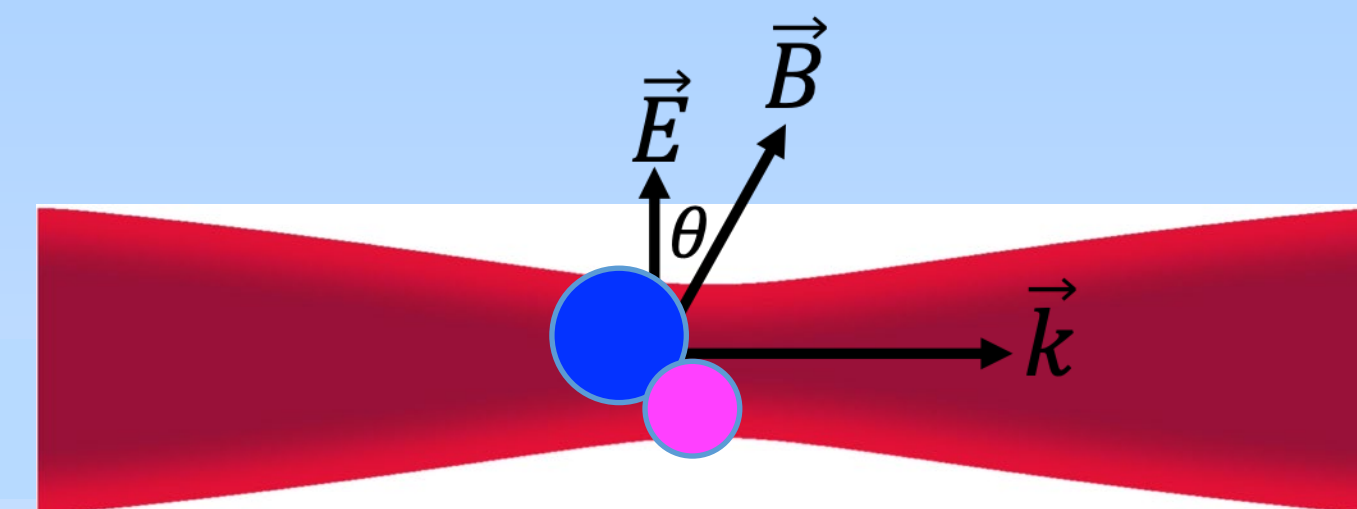
CaF - Doyle Group Results Summary through 2021

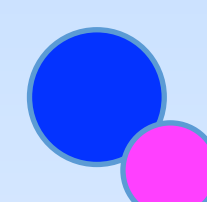
Generation 1 Apparatus....

Robust MOT (mK)
and ODT (μ K)

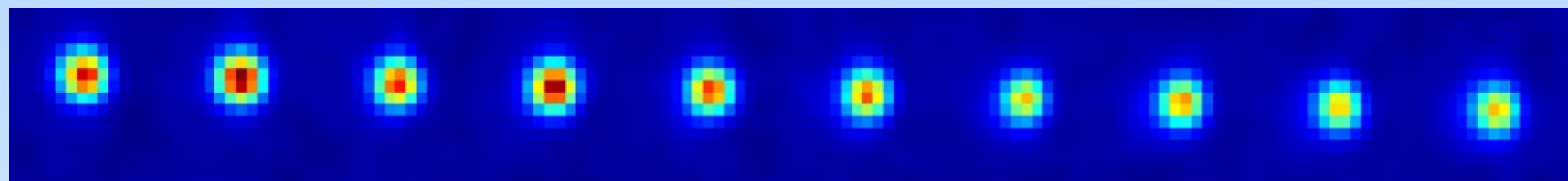


100 ms Ramsey
Coherence times
Of Rotational Qubits

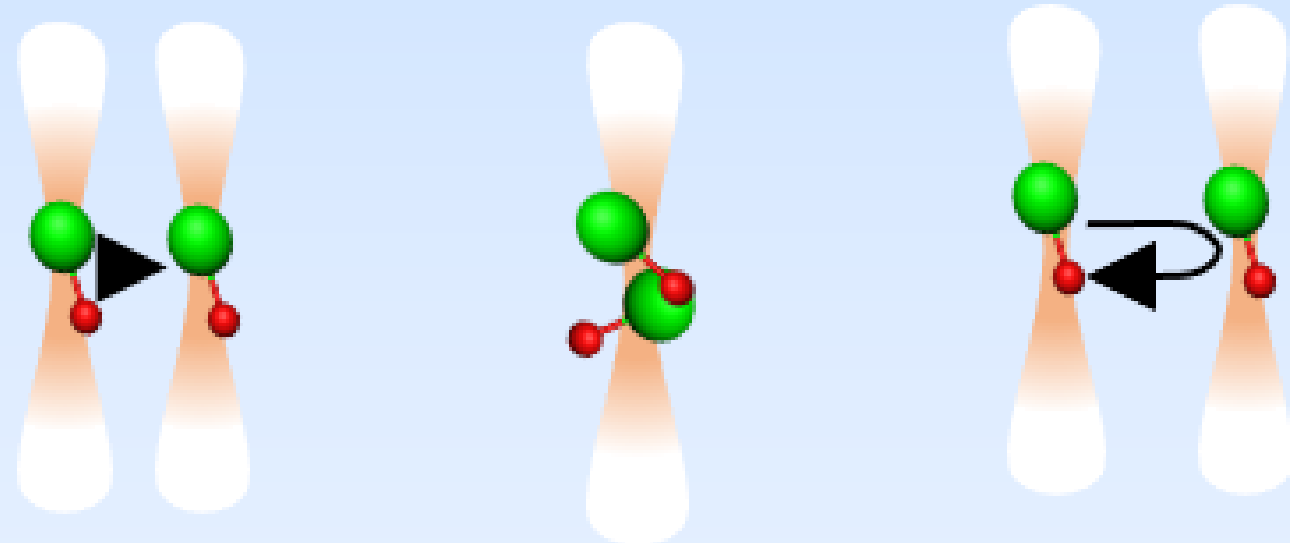


Optical Tweezer
with a  inside

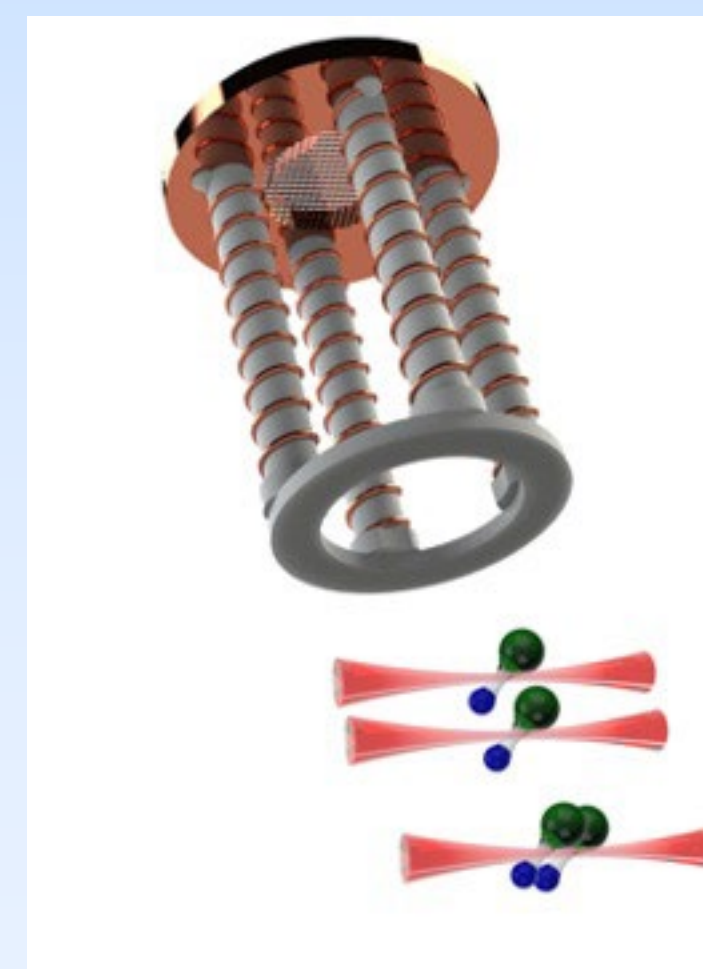
Single
Molecules in Optical
Tweezer Array



Two Molecule
Collisions,
Merged Tweezers



Suppression
of inelastic collisions using Microwaves





Microwave Shielding is Useful... 100 ms Ramsey

Next Talk!

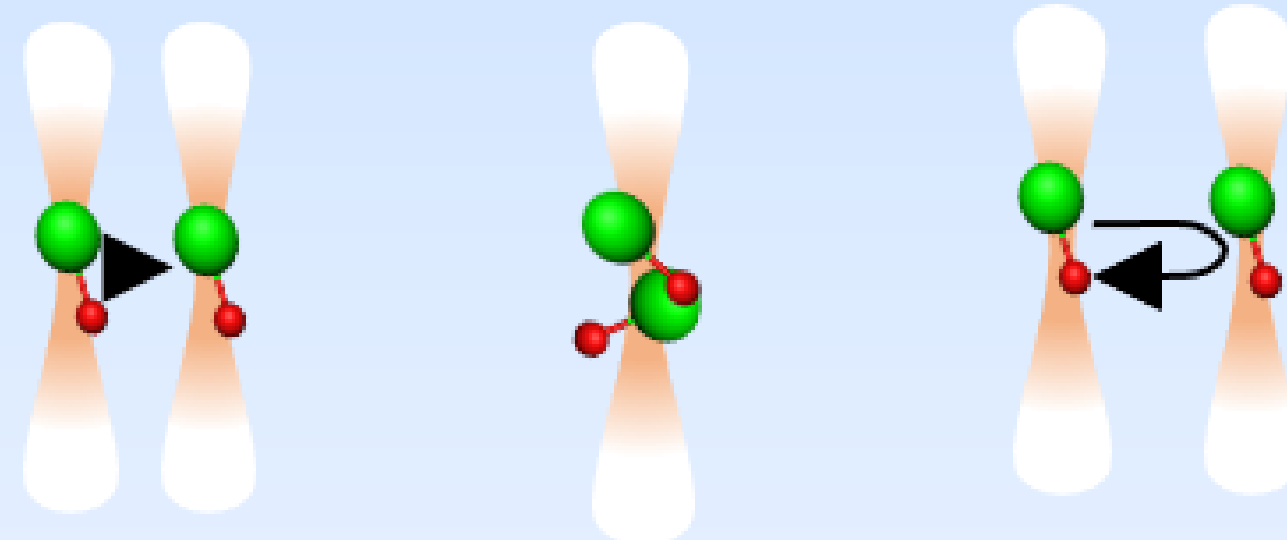
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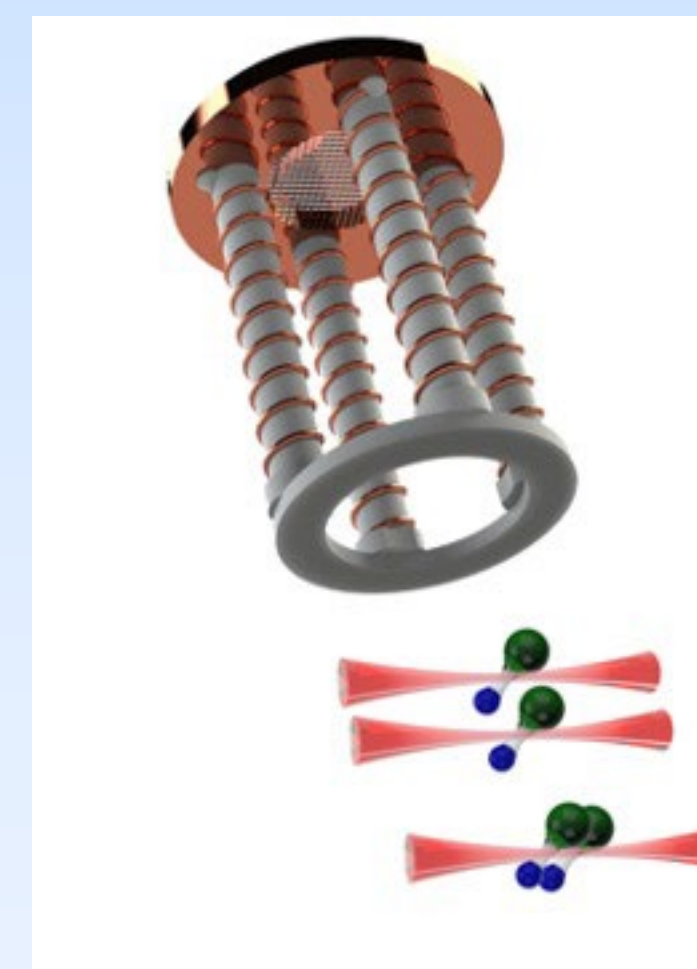
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Two Molecule
Collisions,
Merged Tweezers

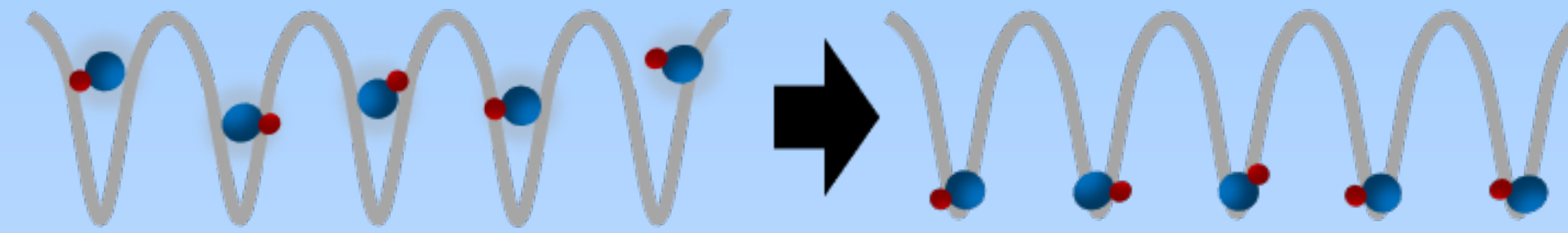


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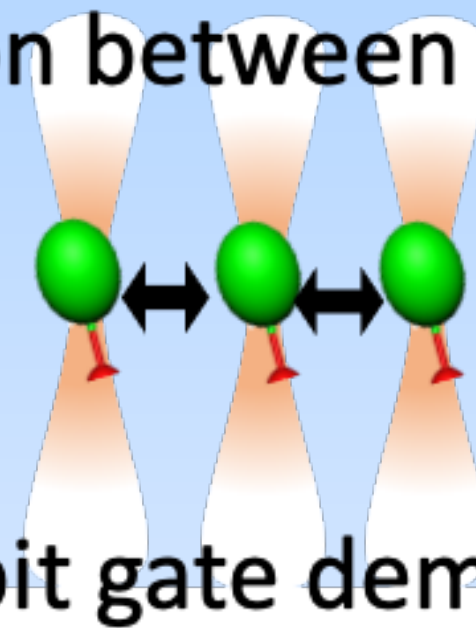


CaF - Near Term Goals from ~1 year ago

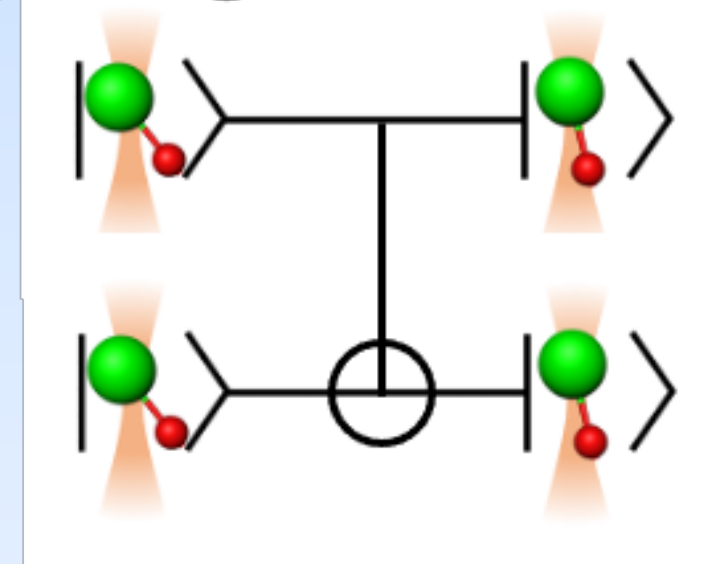
Raman sideband cooling of CaF molecules in optical tweezers



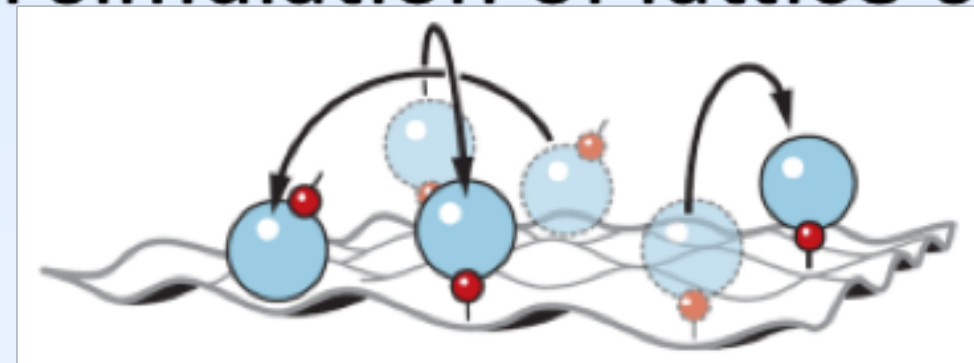
Dipolar interaction between CaF in tweezer sites



Two qubit gate demonstration

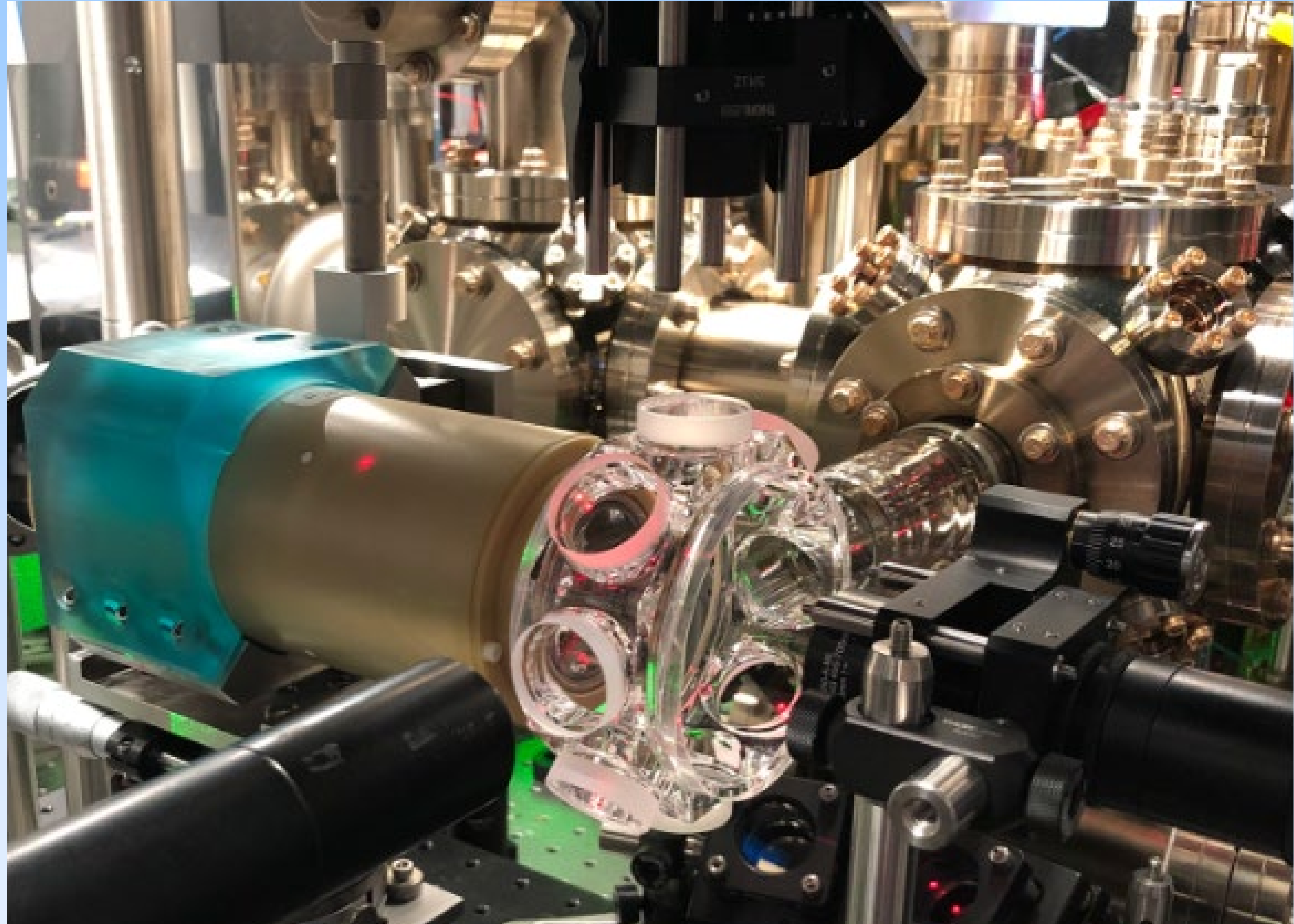


Quantum simulation of lattice-spin models



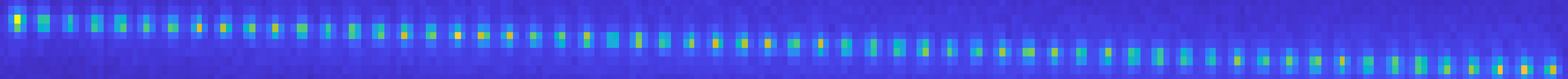
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CaF - Generation II Apparatus

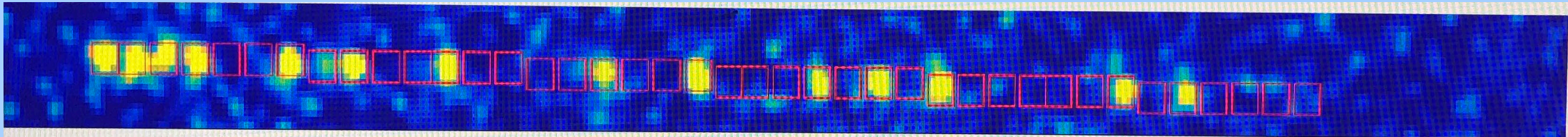


High NA CaF Optical Tweezer Array

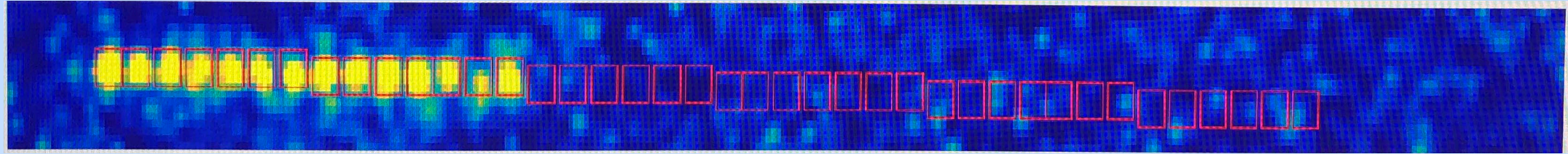
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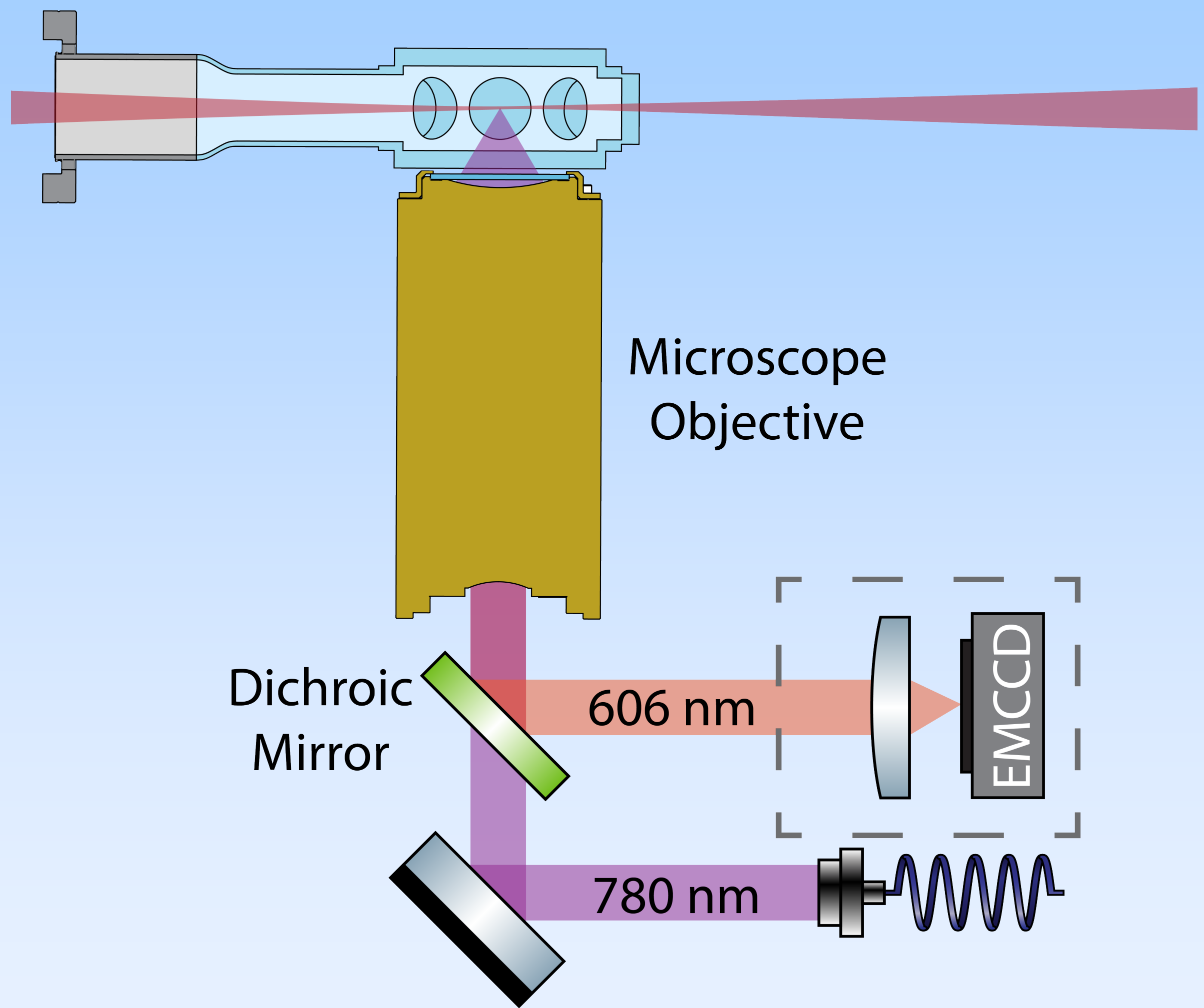
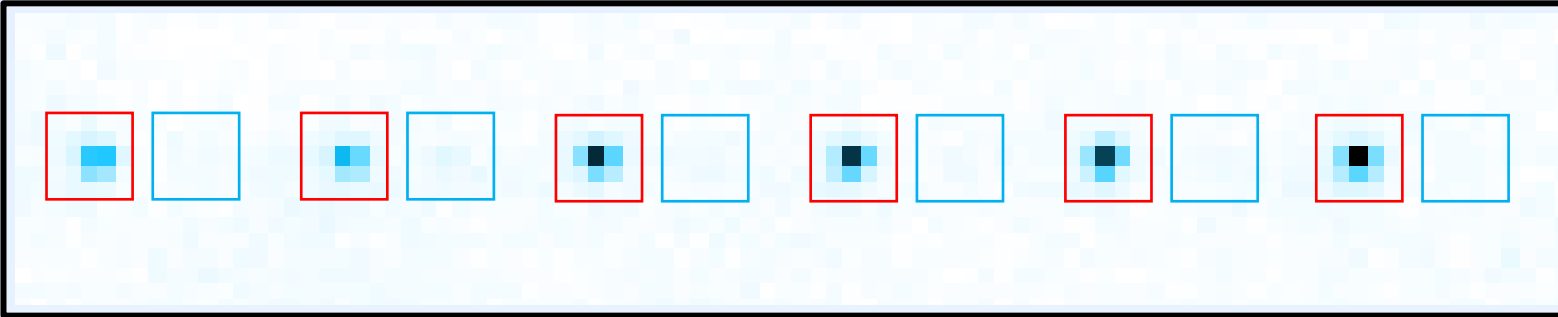
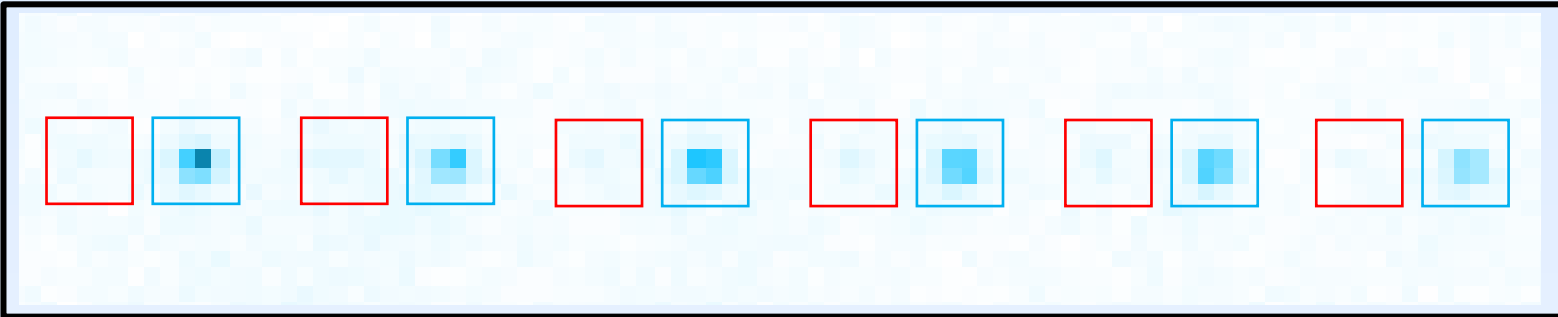
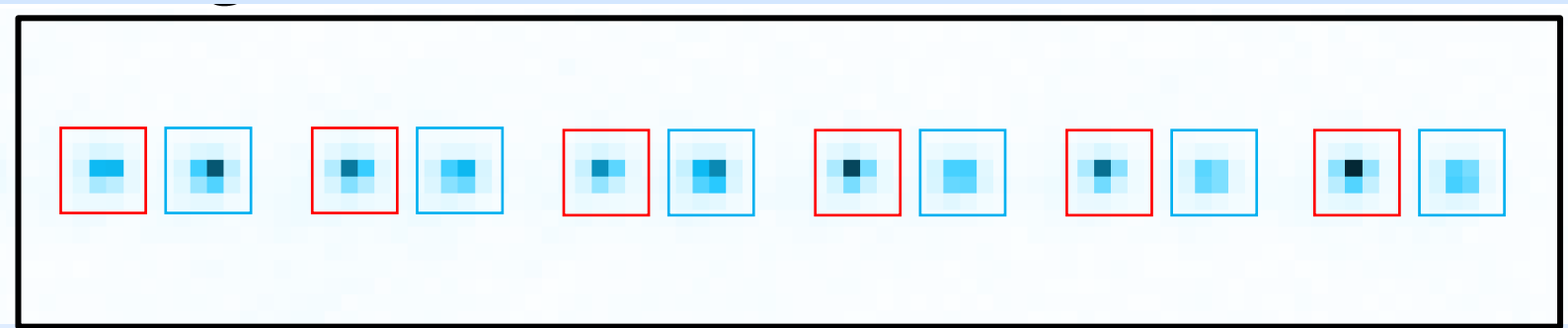
CaF - Rearrangement in Science Cell



Rearrange



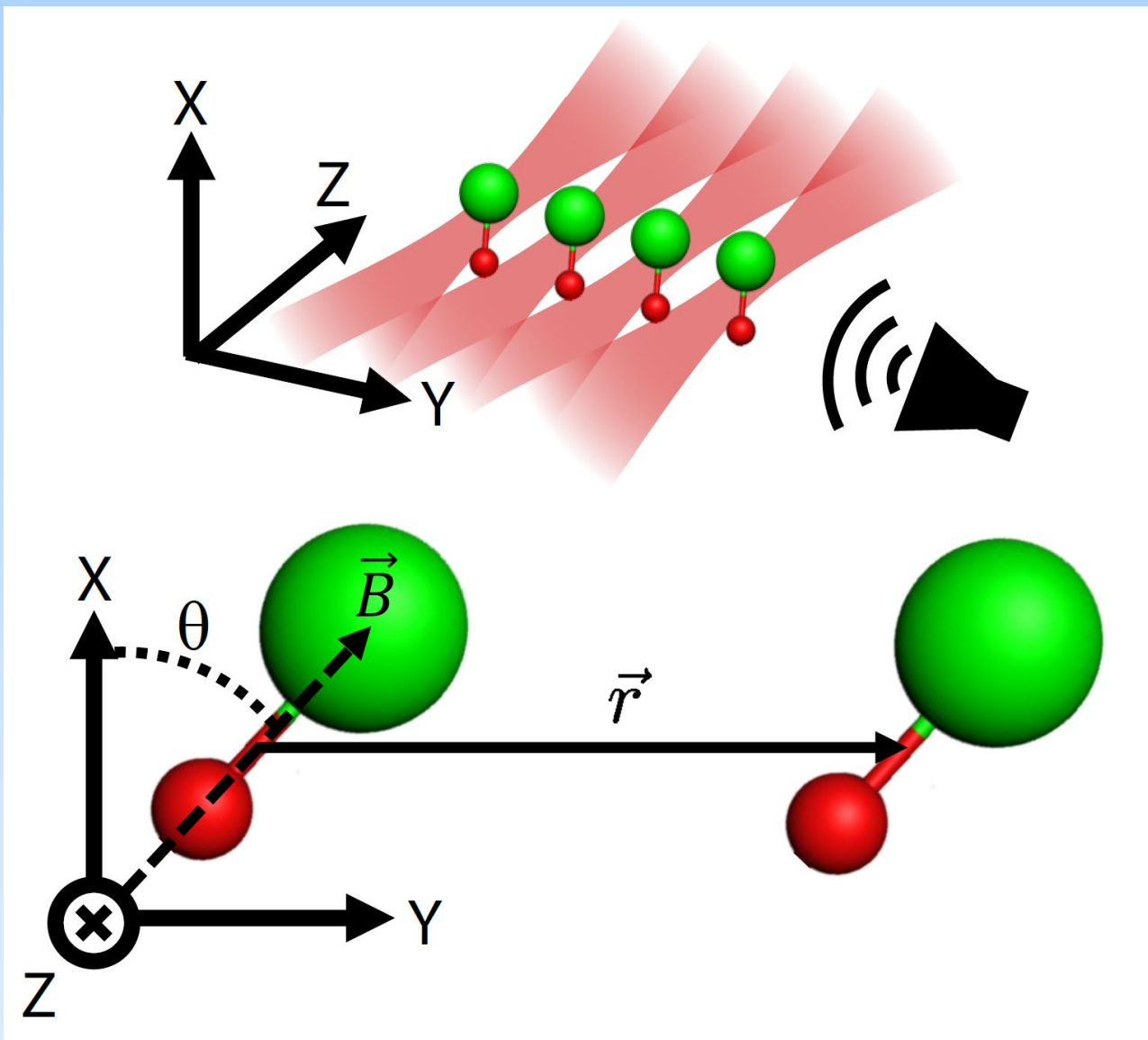
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CaF - Dipolar Interactions in Tweezer Arrays

Dipolar Interaction
Two Molecules
in Nearby Tweezers

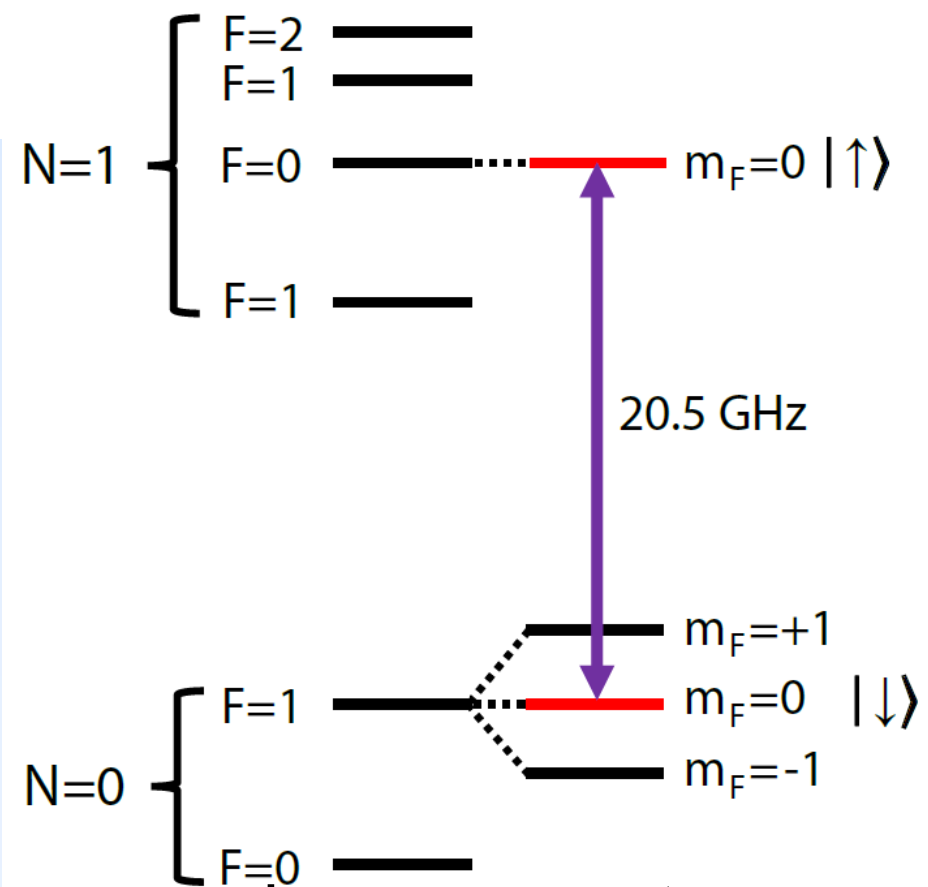
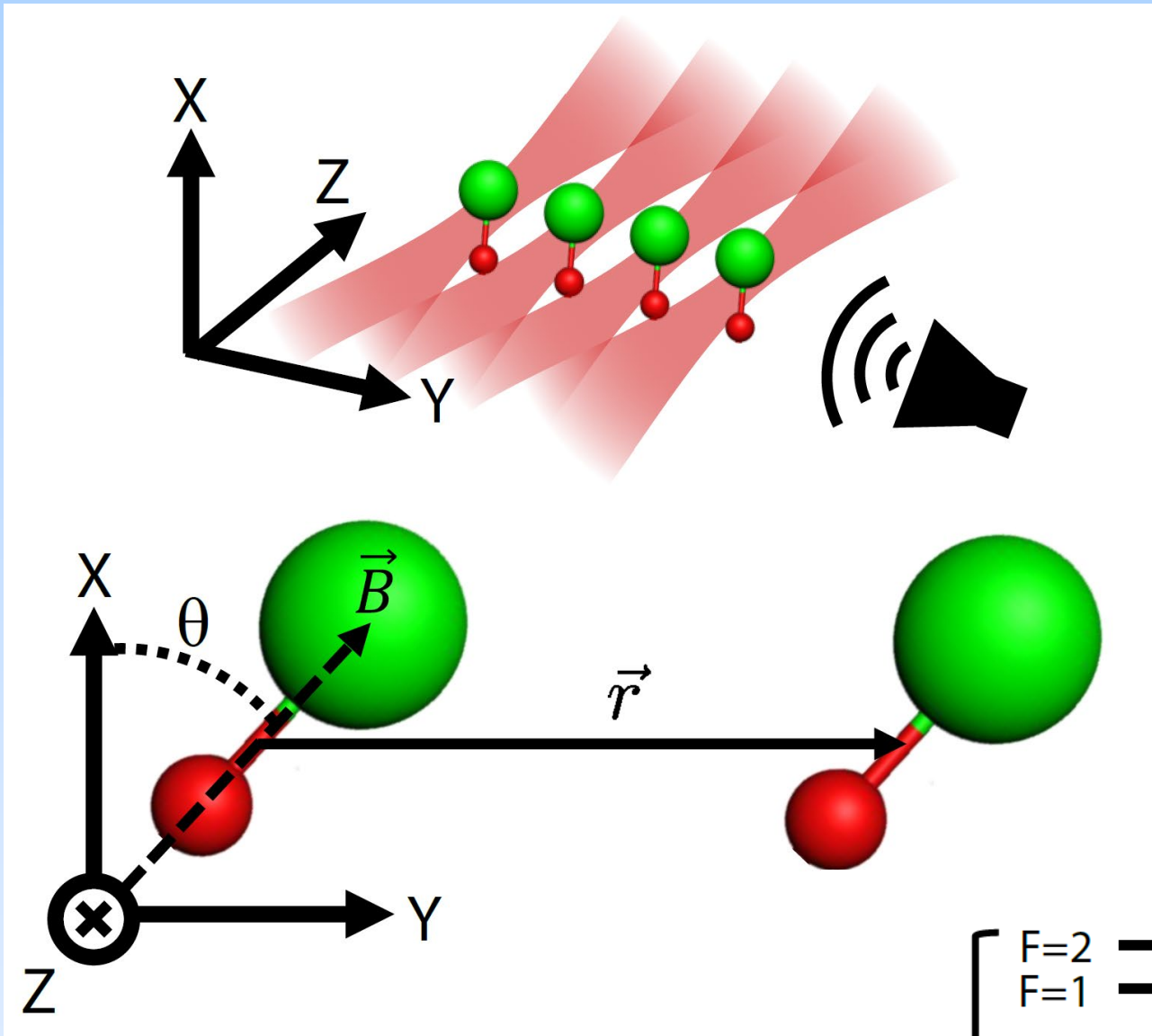
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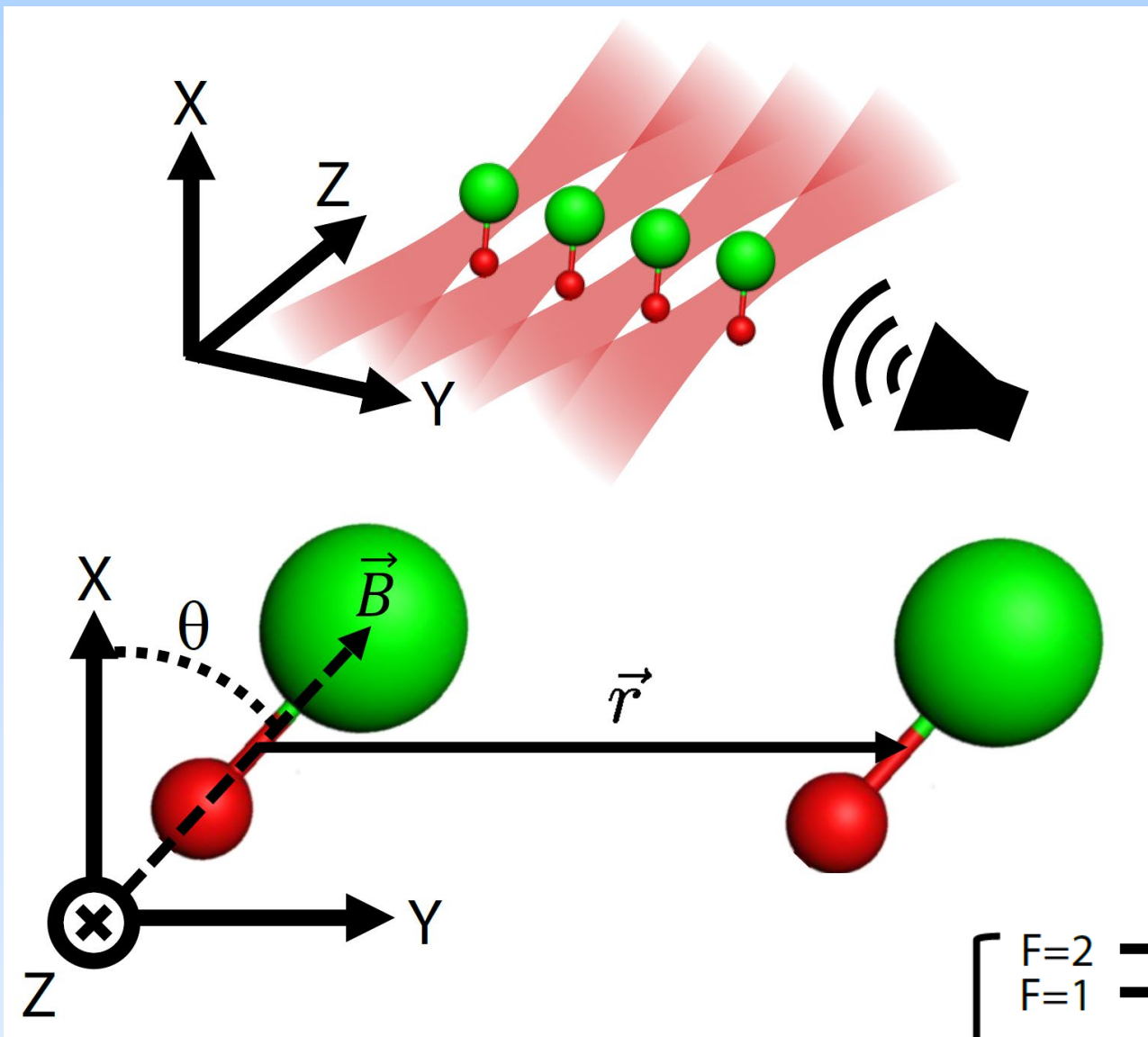


Rotational
Qubit

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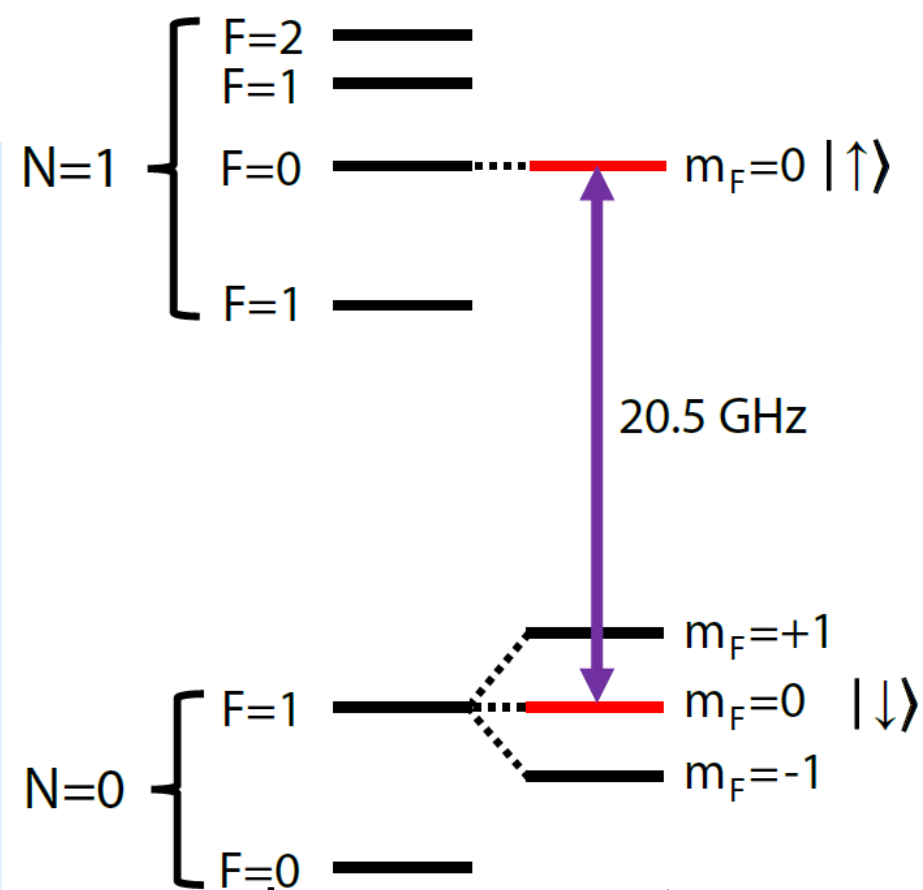
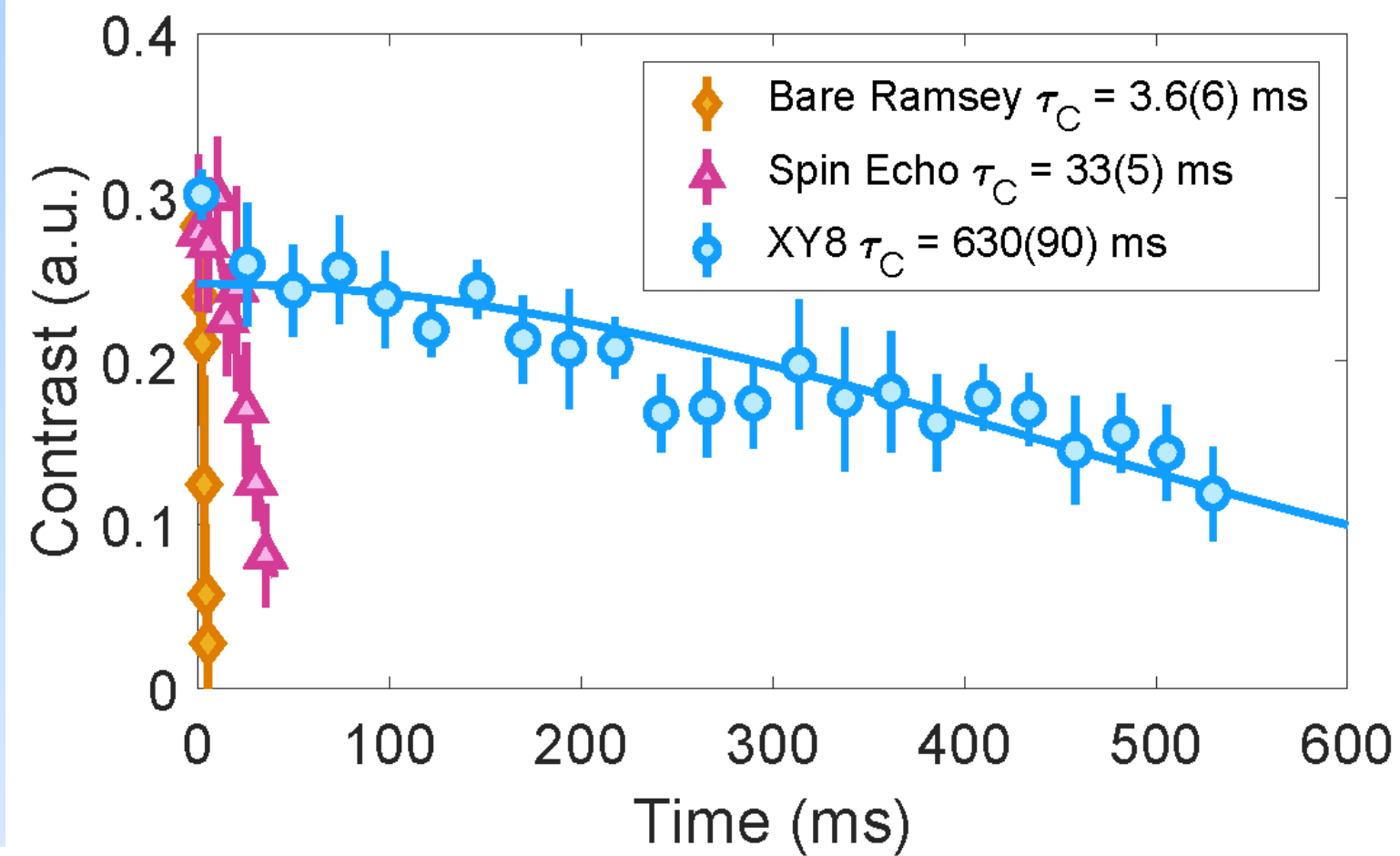
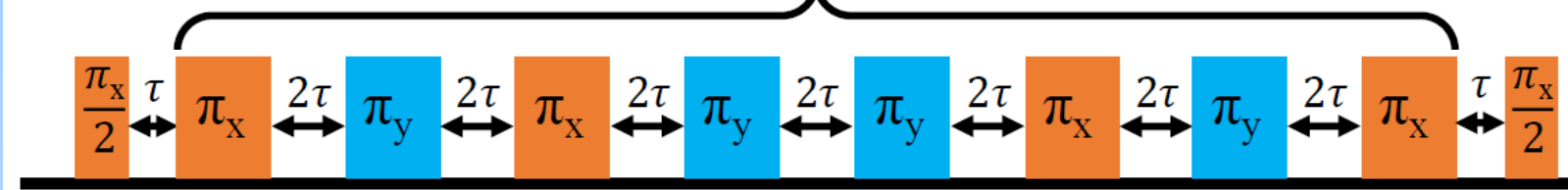
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Single Molecule Rotational Qubit Coherence Time

XY8 Dynamical Decoupling $\times N$

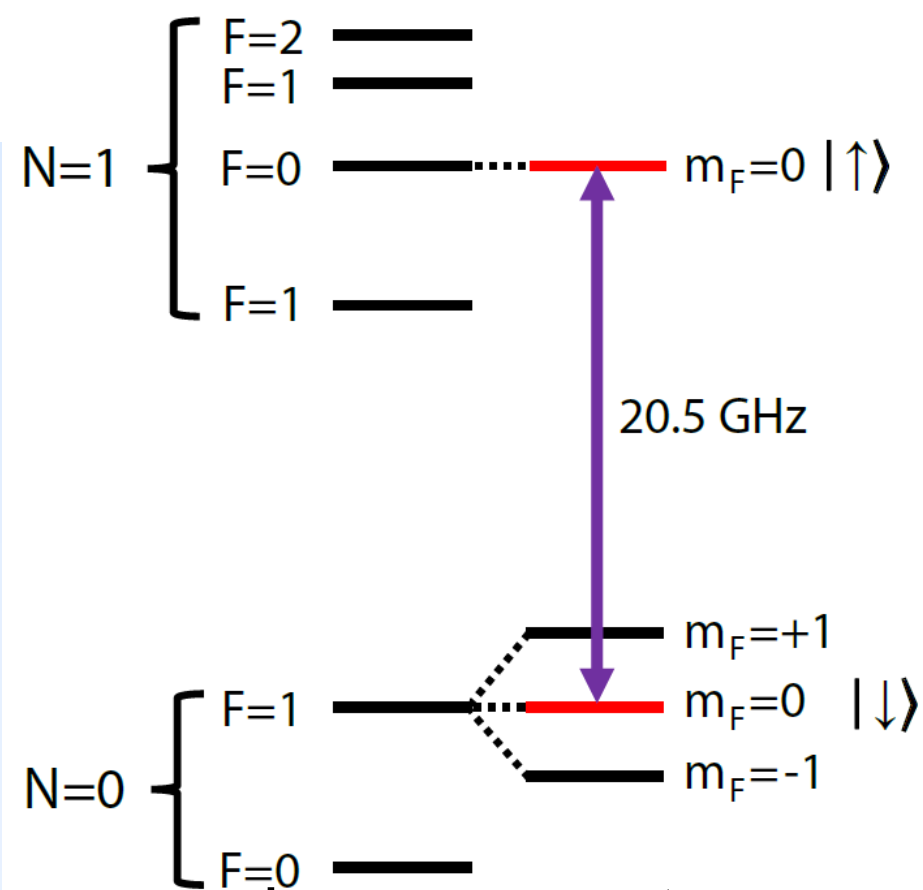
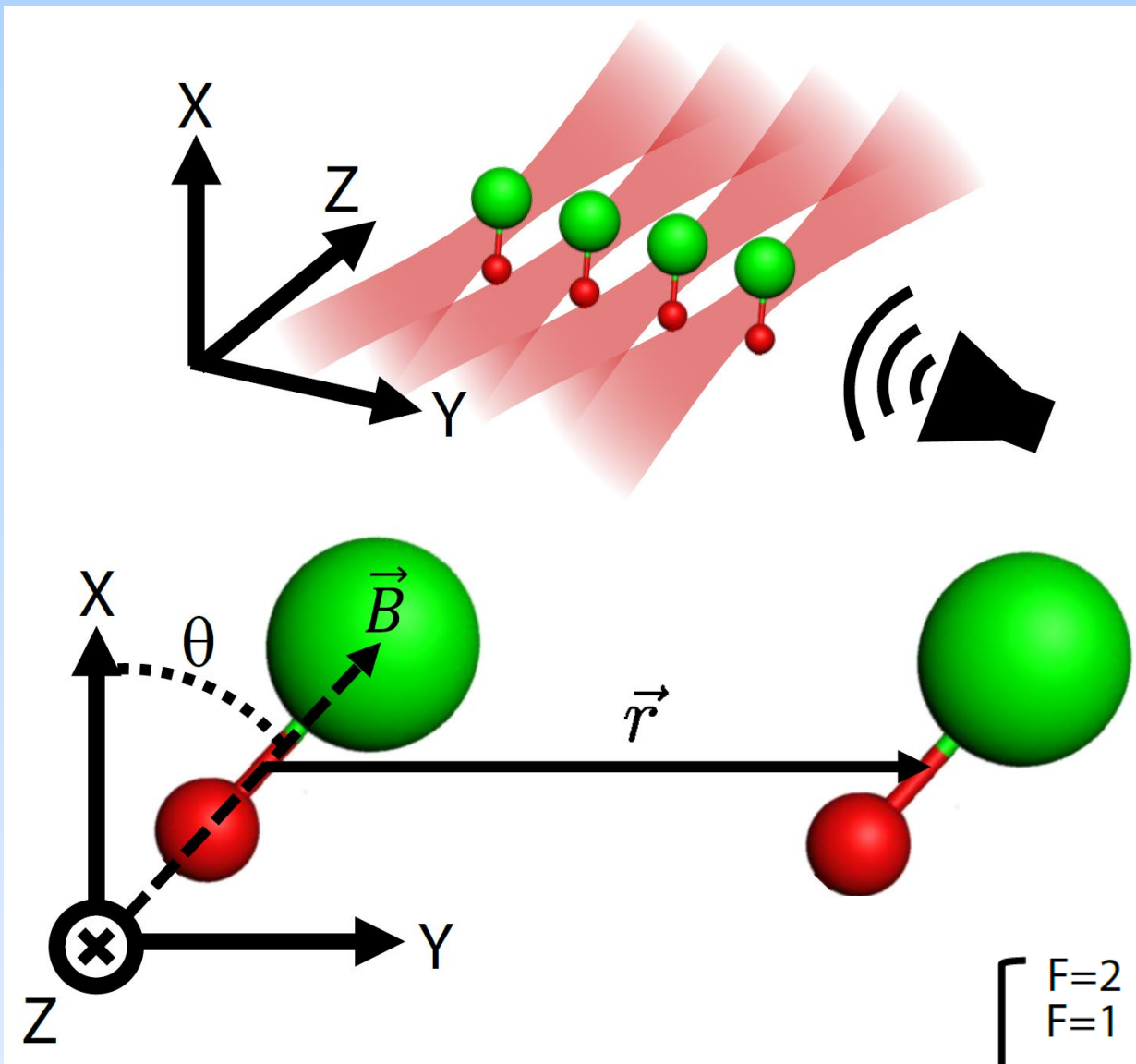


Rotational Qubit

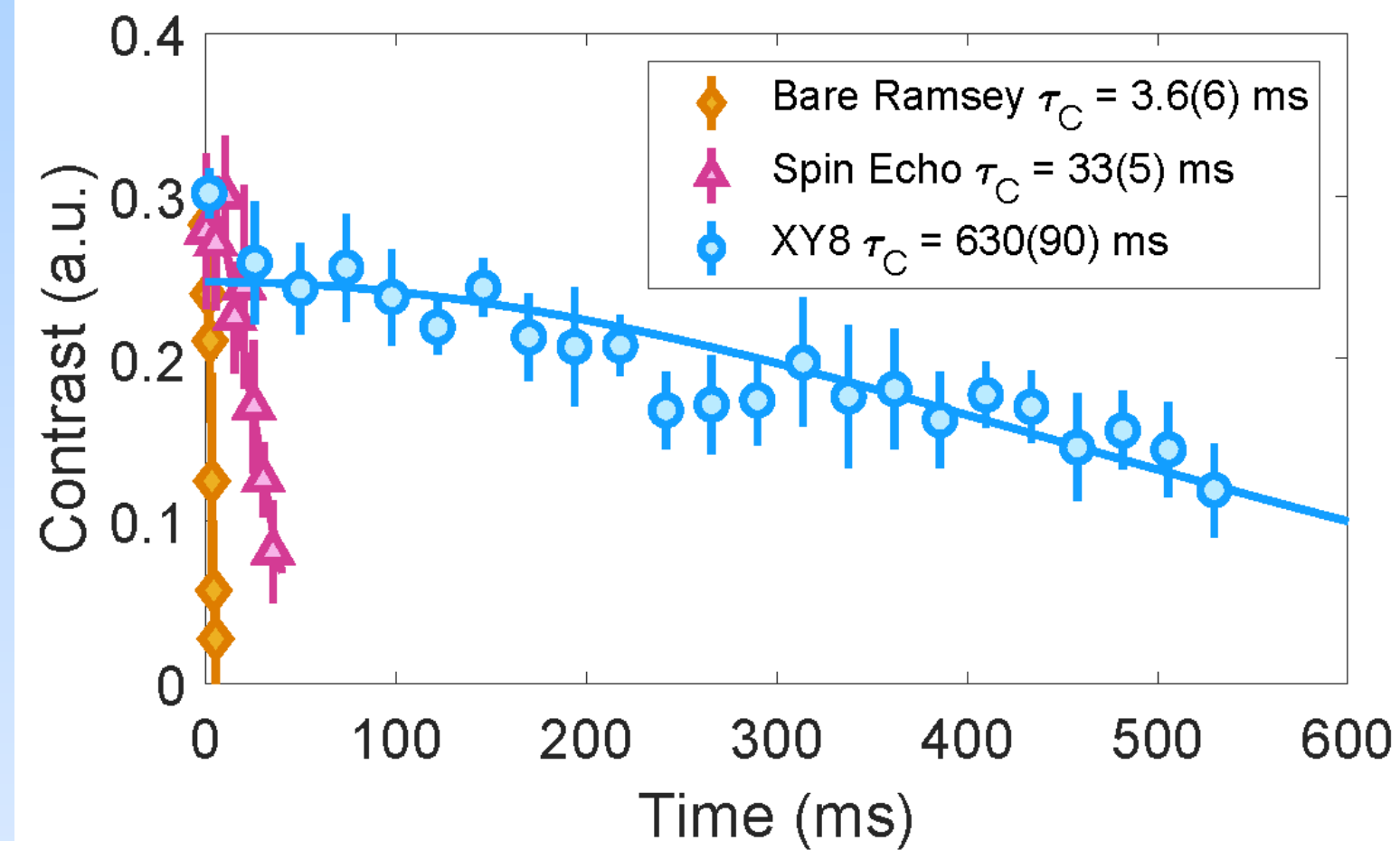
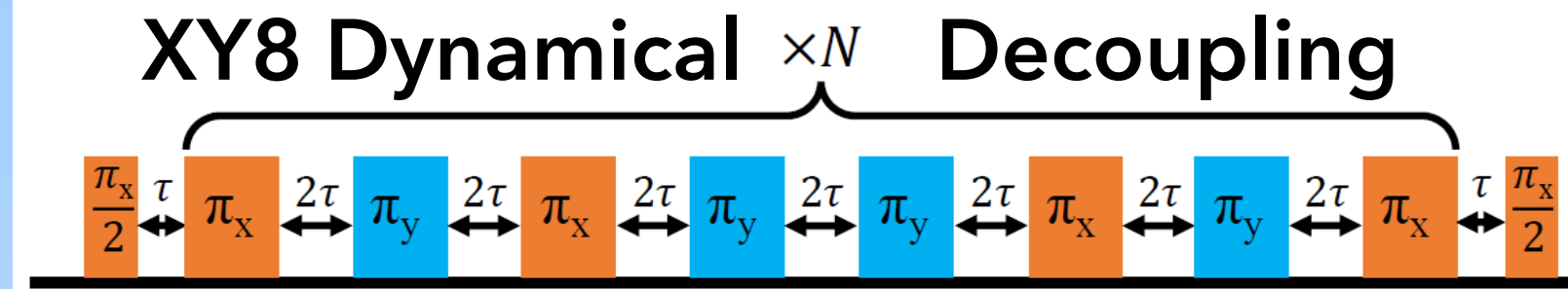
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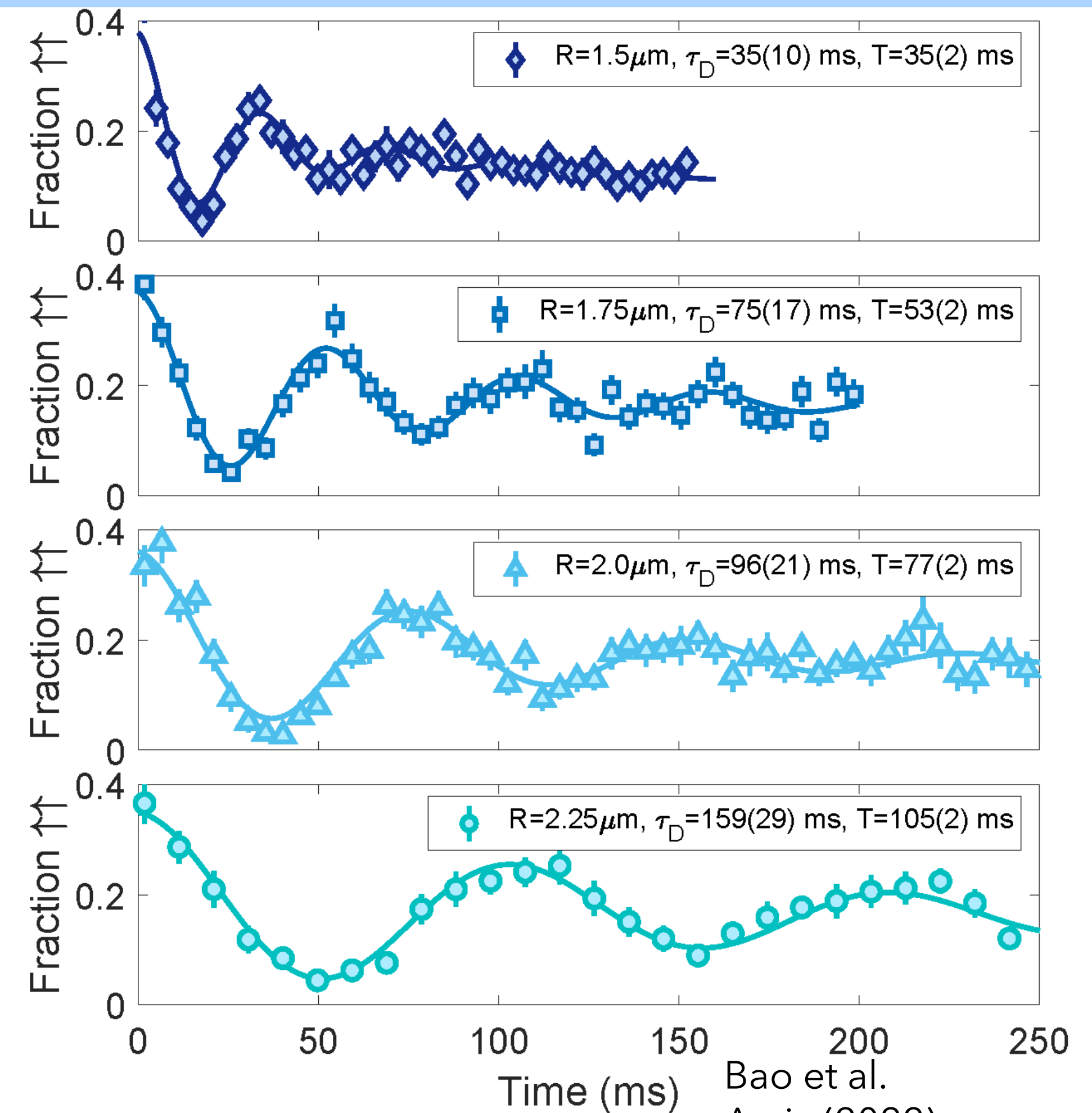
Single Molecule Rotational Qbit Coherence Time



Rotational Qubit

Spin Exchange Between Two Molecules

$$H_{dip} = \frac{J}{2} (\hat{S}_1^+ \hat{S}_2^- + \hat{S}_1^- \hat{S}_2^+) = J (\hat{S}_1^x \hat{S}_2^x + \hat{S}_1^y \hat{S}_2^y)$$



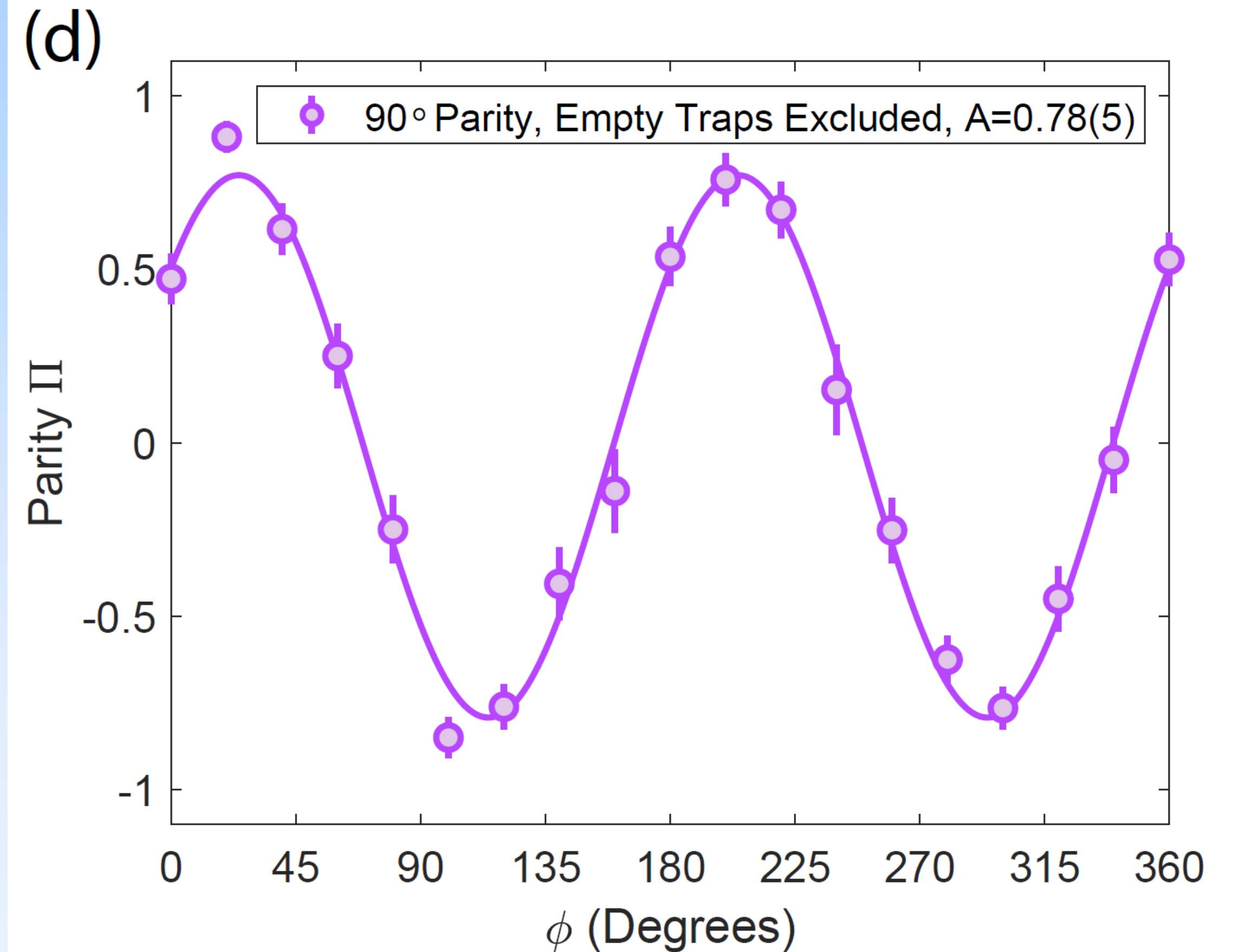
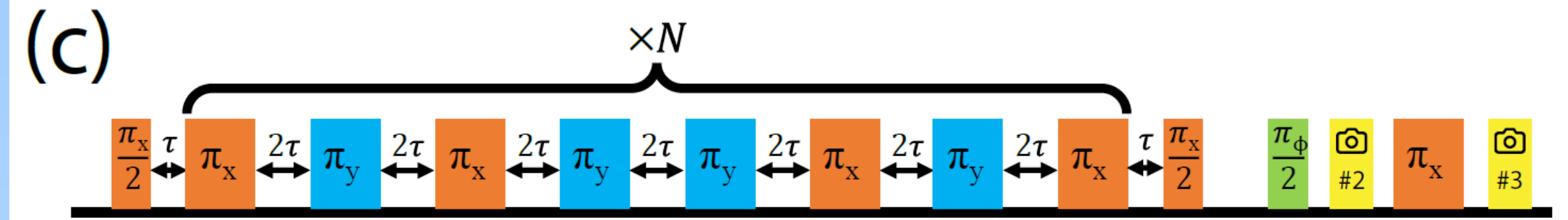
Bao et al. Arxiv (2022)

Bell State Fidelity

- Low state preparation (optical pumping) efficiency results in empty tweezer traps
- Cannot distinguish between empty trap or zero qubit state
- Excluding empty traps using an additional π -pulse and imaging pulse
- Bell state fidelity after exclusion of empty traps reaches 0.87(6)
- Agrees well with SPAM corrected fidelity

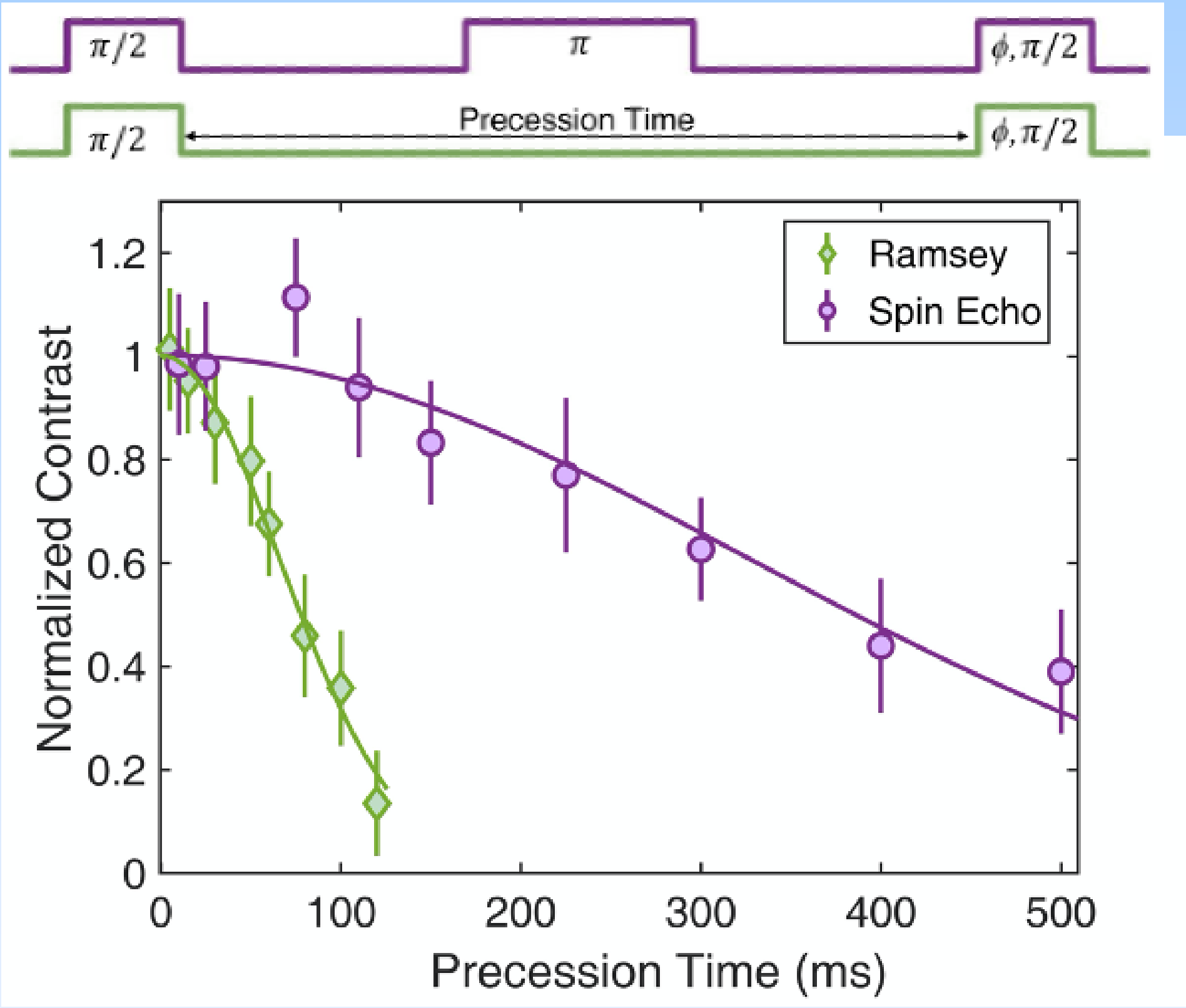
$$\Pi = \langle \hat{\Pi} \rangle = \langle \hat{S}_1^z \hat{S}_2^z \rangle = P_{\uparrow\uparrow} + P_{\downarrow\downarrow} - P_{\uparrow\downarrow} - P_{\downarrow\uparrow}$$

Y. Bao, et al Arxiv (November 2022)

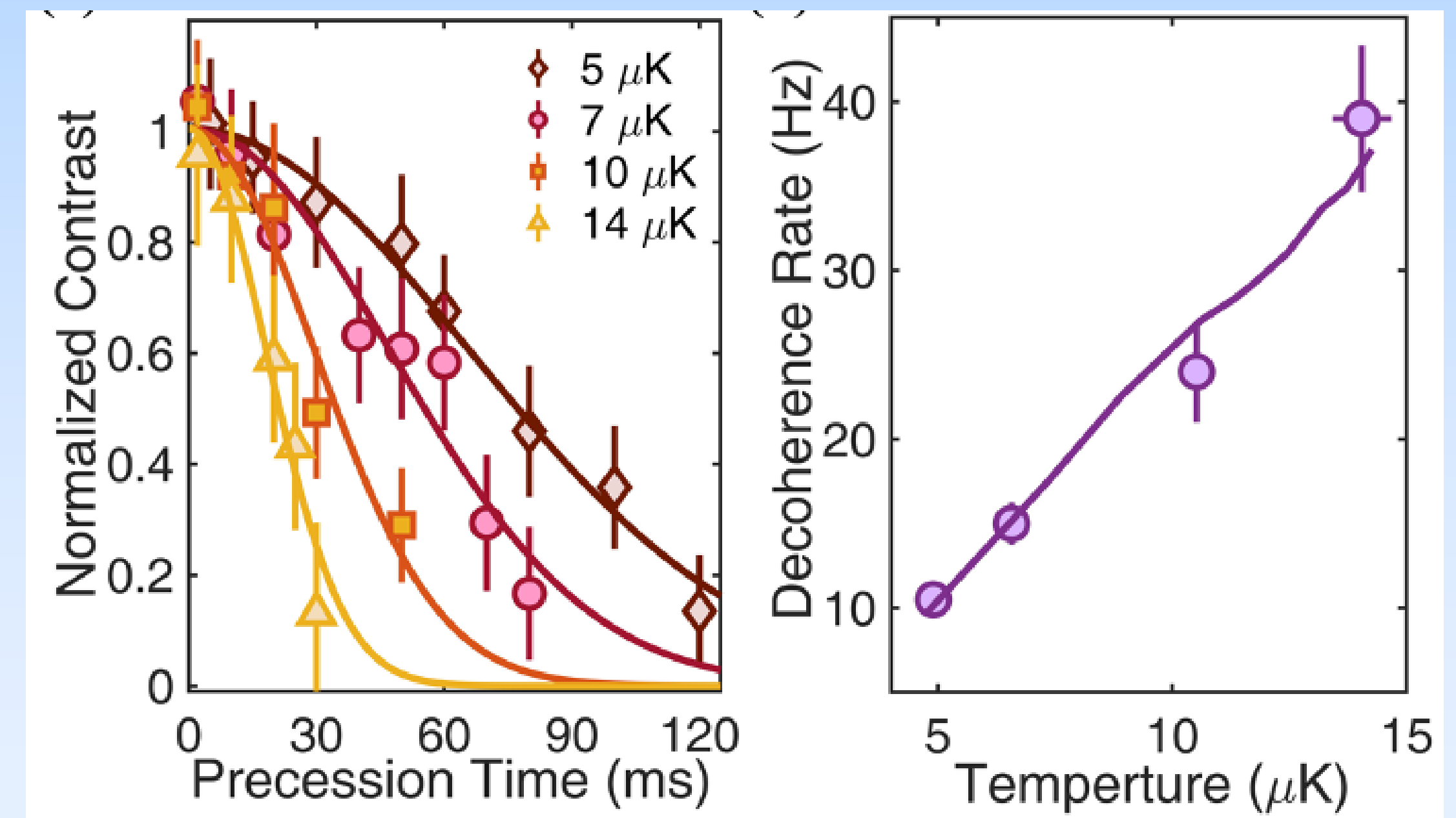


CaF - Qbit Coherence Times from Generation 1 Apparatus

S.Burchesky, et al. PRL (2021)



Further improvements in cooling (ex. Raman sideband) expected to increase coherence times

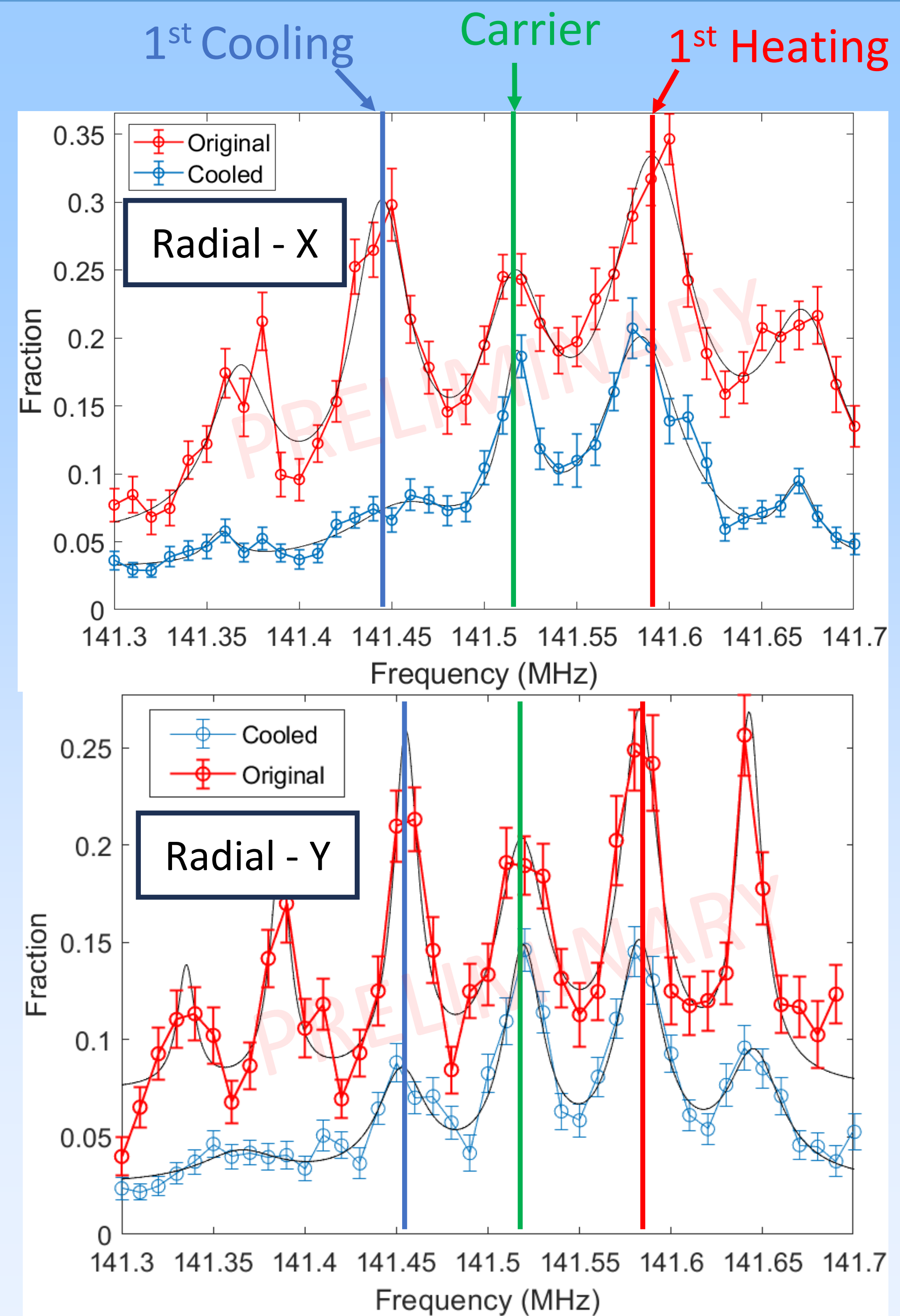
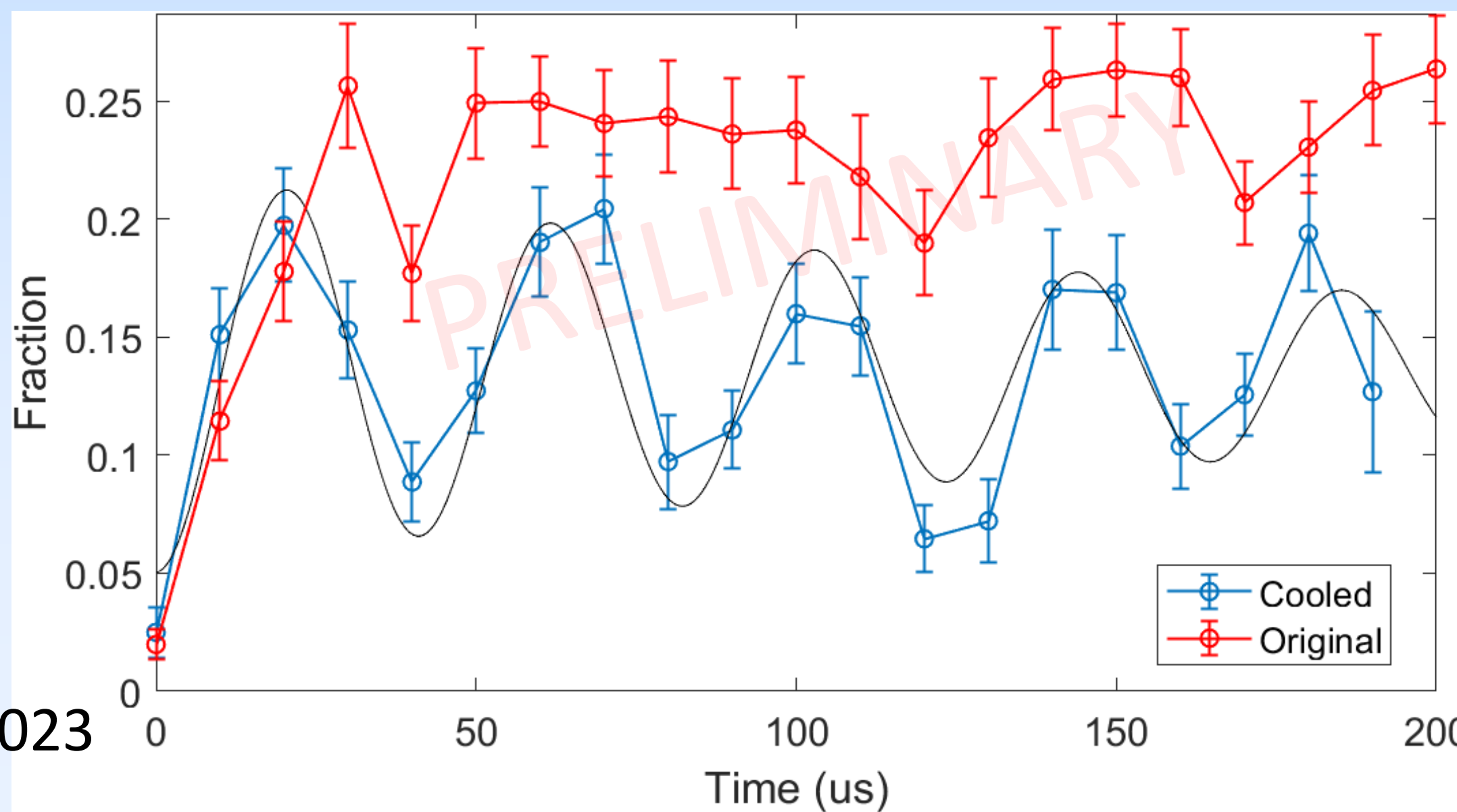


- **100 ms Ramsey coherence time**
- **500 ms Spin Echo coherence time**

Raman Sideband Cooling for Higher Fidelity

Proposal: Caldwell and Tarbutt, *Phys. Rev. Res.* 2, 013251 (2020)

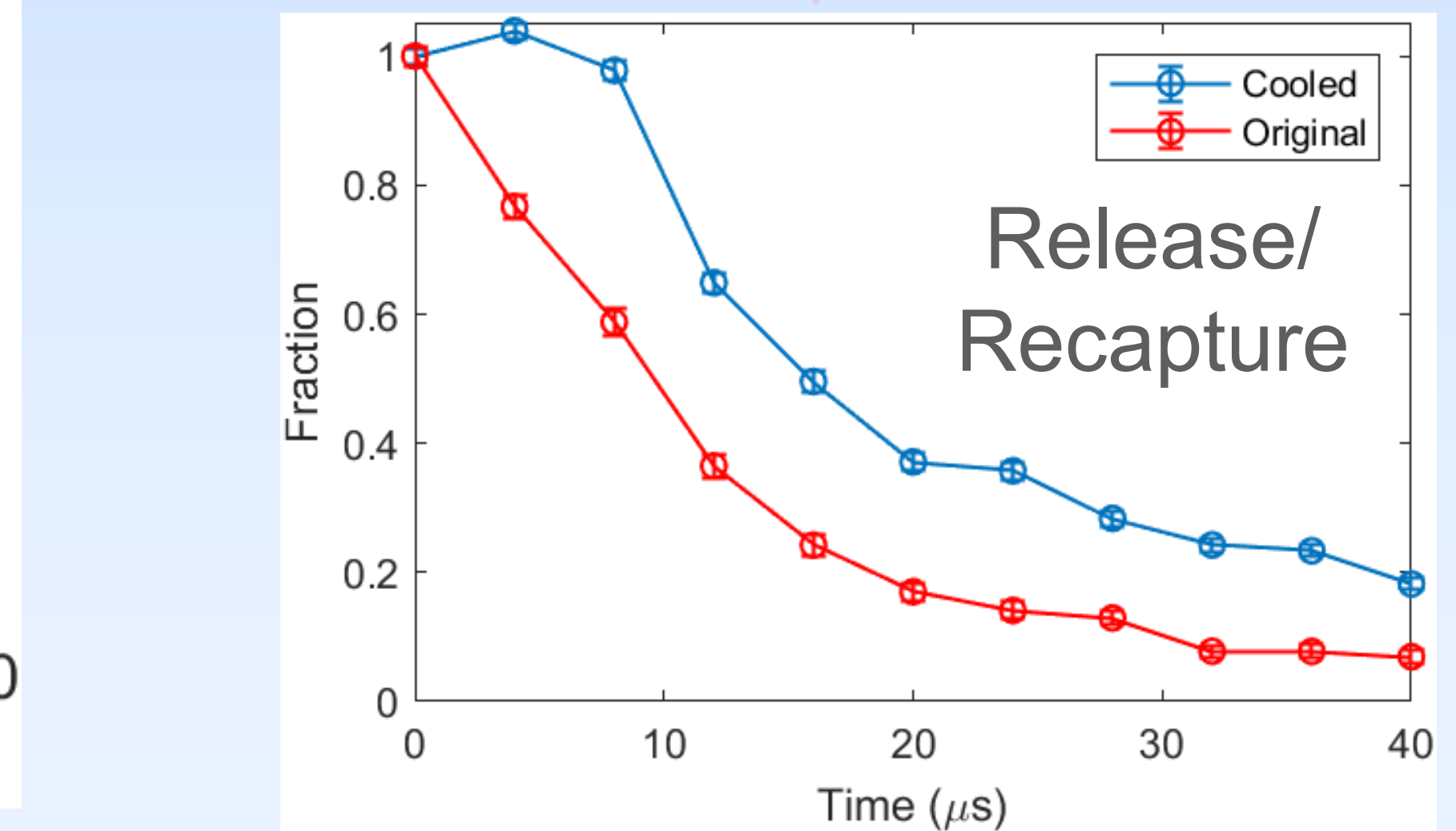
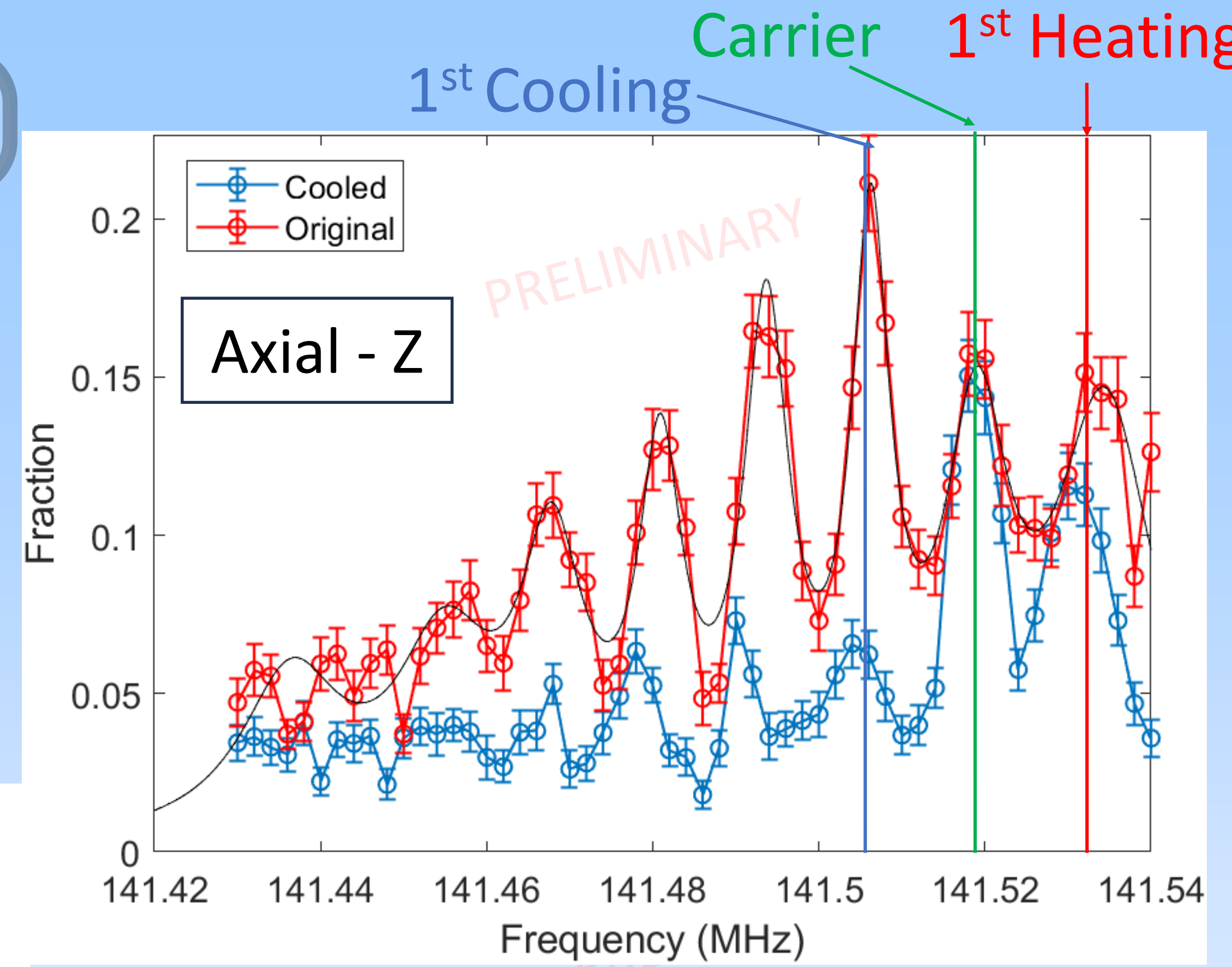
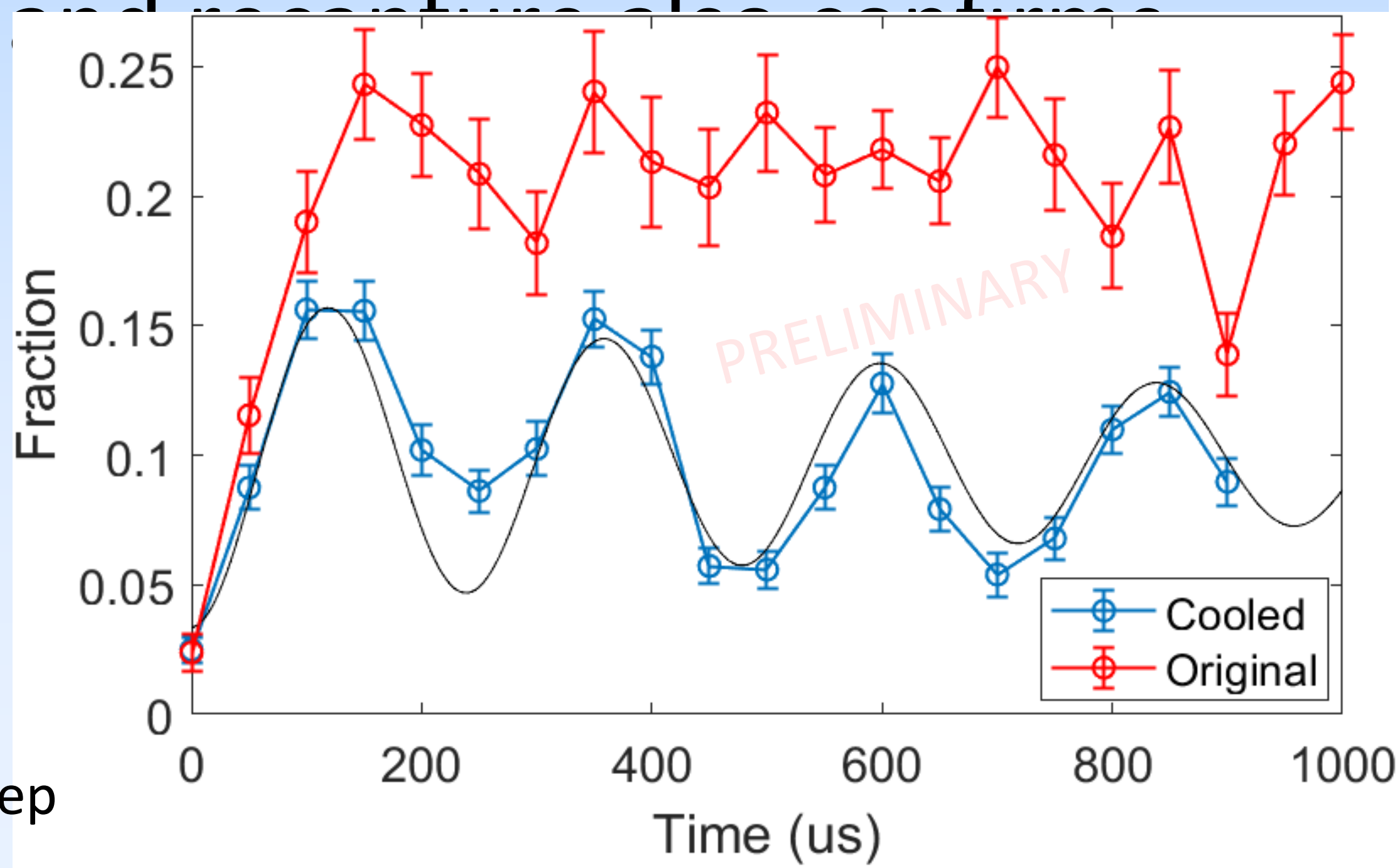
- Drive high-order sidebands for initial cooling
- Use shaped Raman pulse (Blackman)
- Cooling to $n_{rad} \approx 0.3$ on both radial axes
- Coherence of the Rabi oscillation on carrier is greatly improved



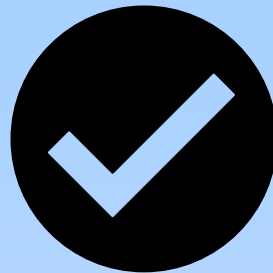
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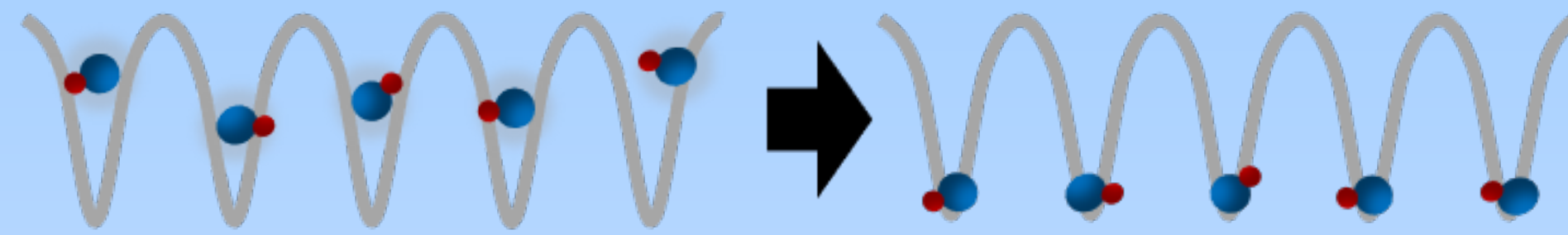
- Cooling to $n_{ax} < 1$ on axial direction
- Coherence of the Rabi oscillation on carrier is greatly improved
- Release cooling



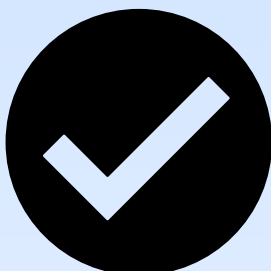
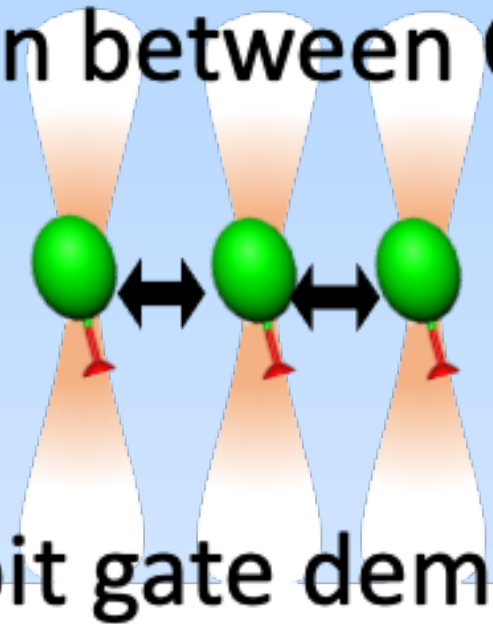
CaF - Near Term Goals



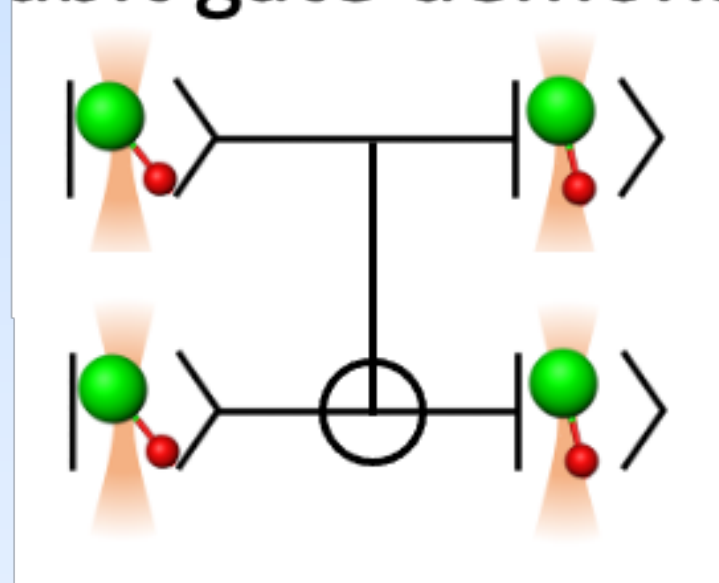
Raman sideband cooling of CaF molecules in optical tweezers



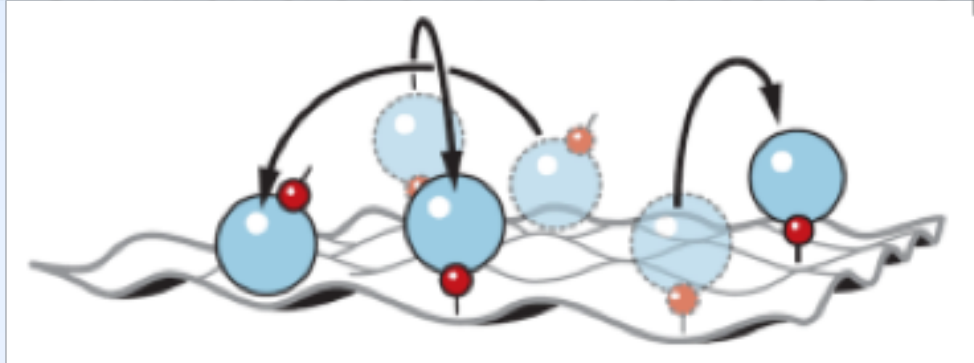
Dipolar interaction between CaF in tweezer sites



Two qubit gate demonstration

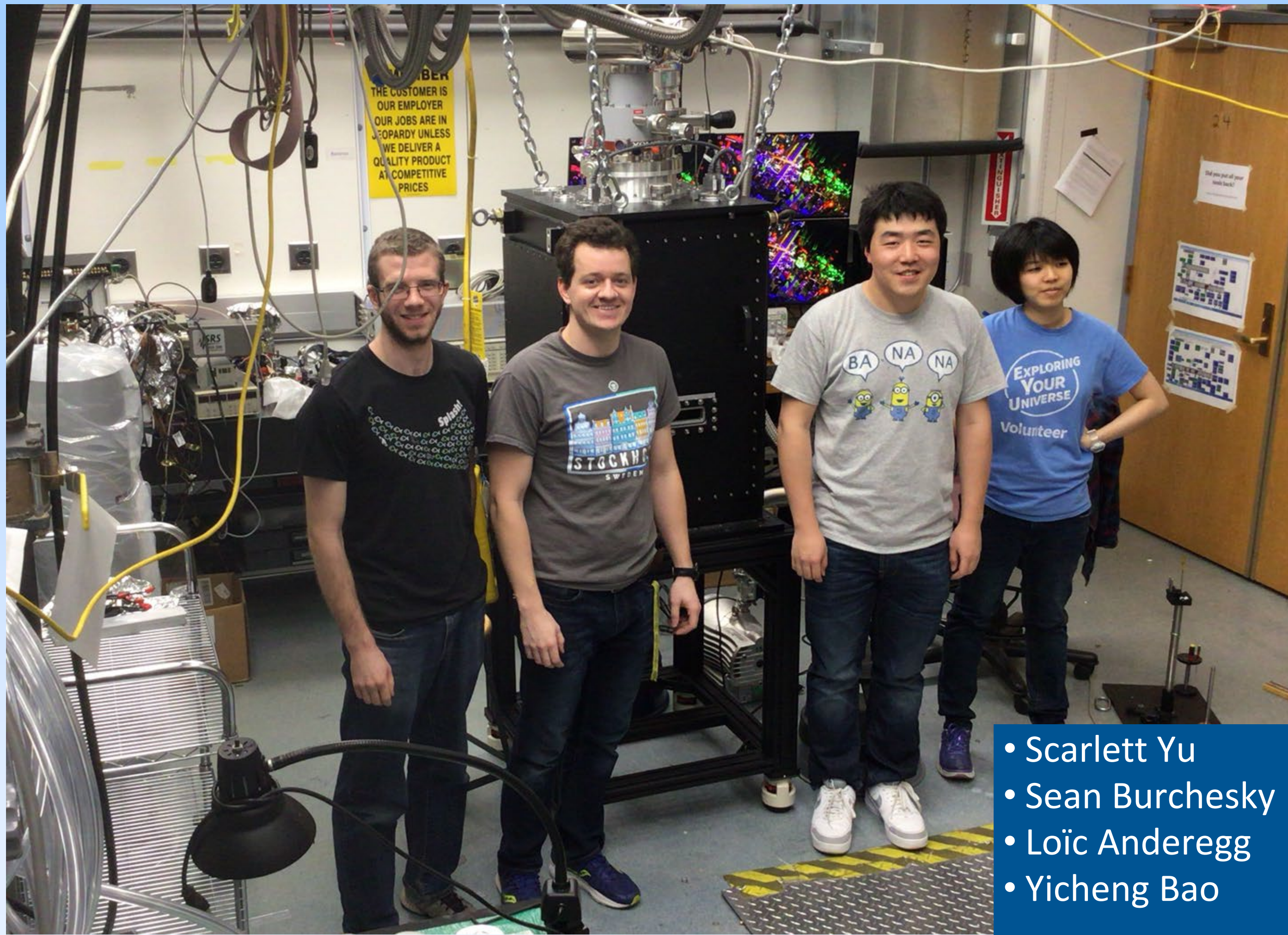


Quantum simulation of lattice-spin models



J. Bohn, et. al. Science, 2017

CaF Team and Funding



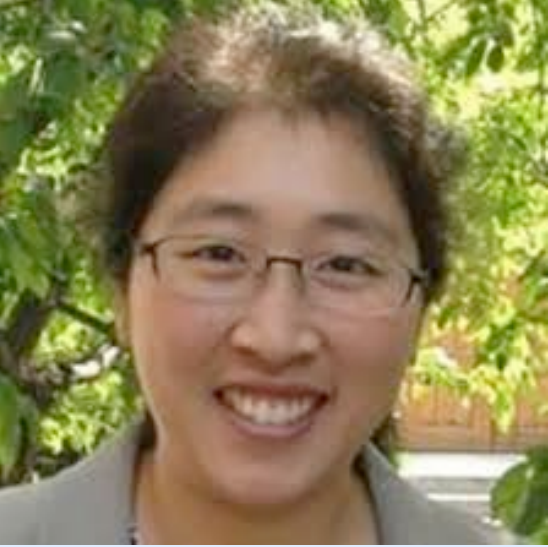
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- Sean Burchesky
- Loïc Anderegg
- Yicheng Bao



Eunmi Chae
Korea University



Wolfgang Ketterle
MIT



Kang-Kuen Ni
Harvard Chemistry



Cheuk Group, Similar Results

Dipolar Entanglement and RSB of CaF

- Similar work is done in the
lab @ Princeton
- Rearrange impurities
- Better state preparation
- Studies on the
the Bell state

Holland, et al. *arXiv:2210.06309* (October 2022)

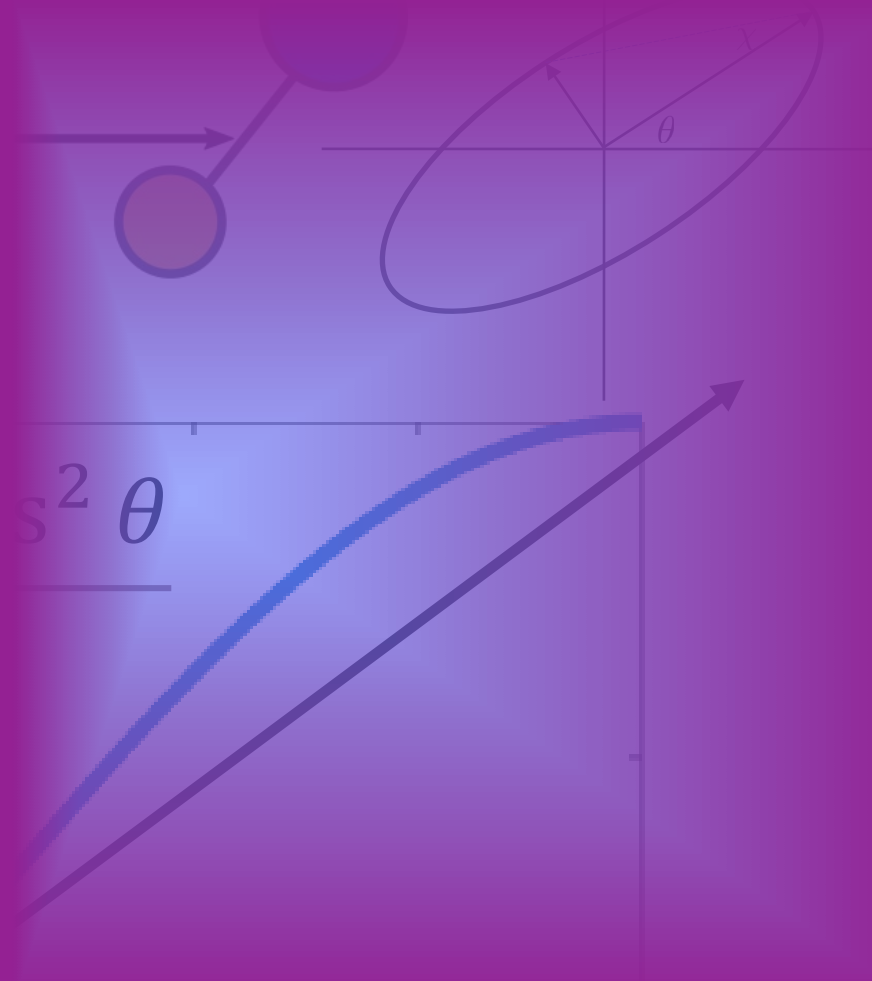
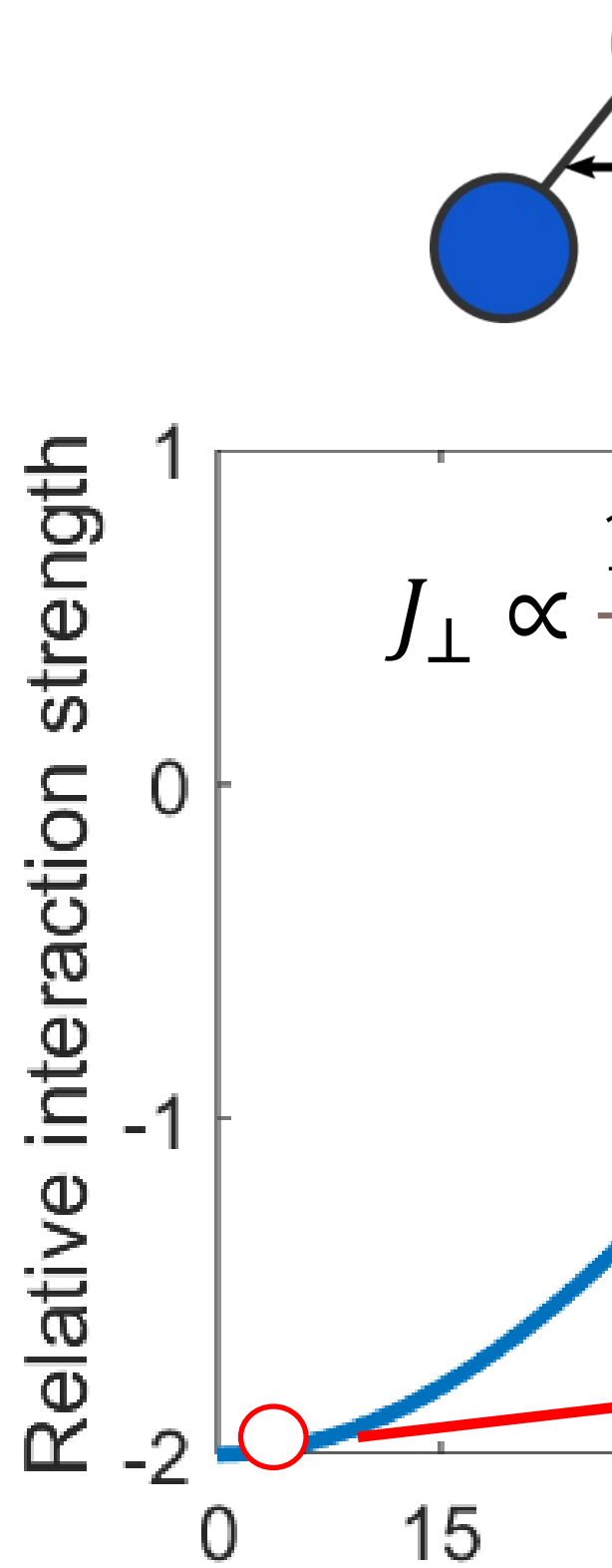
Lu, Li, Holland, Cheuk,
arXiv:2306.02455 (June 2023)
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See Yesterday's Talk
for
Latest Princeton CaF News!



Ni Group, Similar Results

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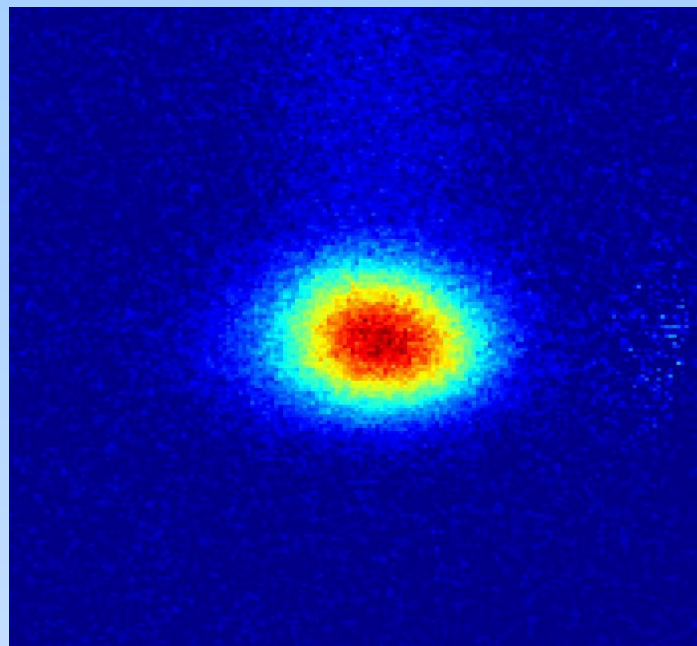
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Diatomics: Expanding Field, Driven By Quantum Science

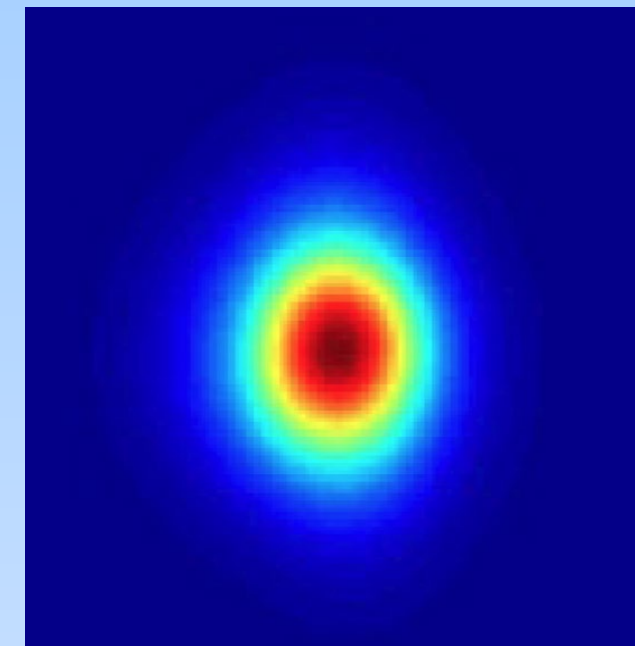
And even more species are being considered!

CaF



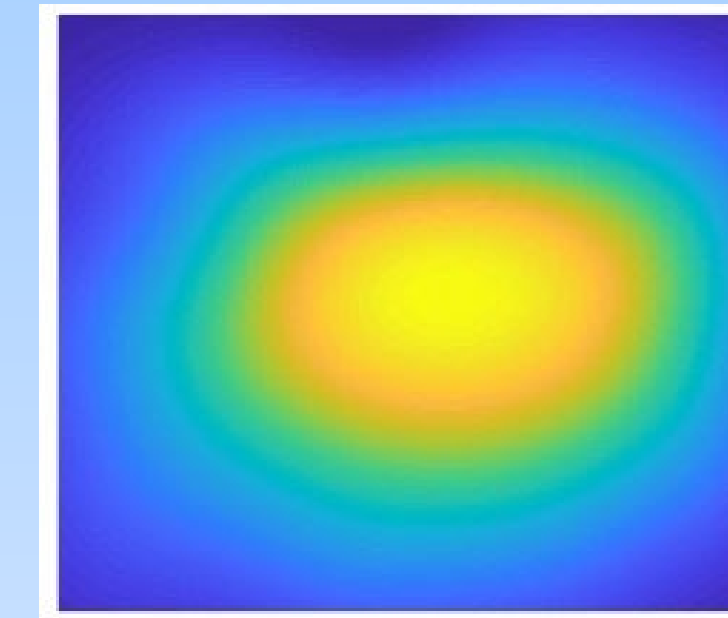
*Tarbutt, Doyle
Cheuk, Langen, Ospelkaus, ...*

SrF



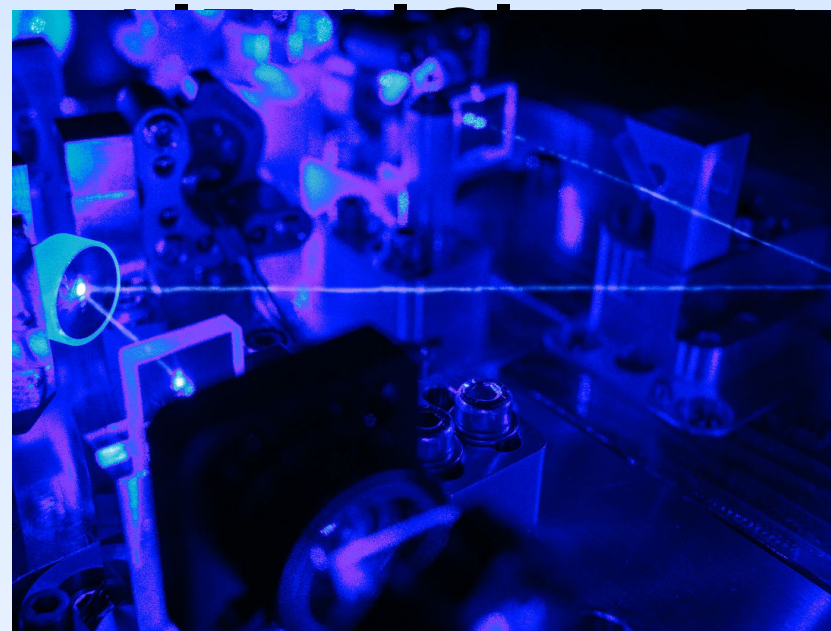
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**Narrow Line Transitions
YO**



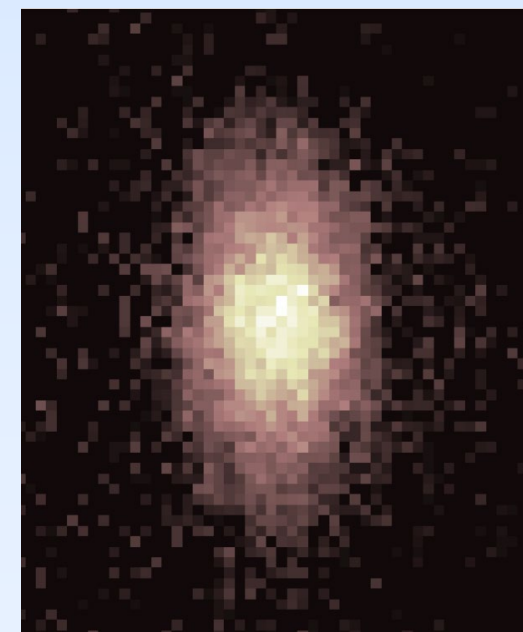
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**Low Mass with UV
Transitions**



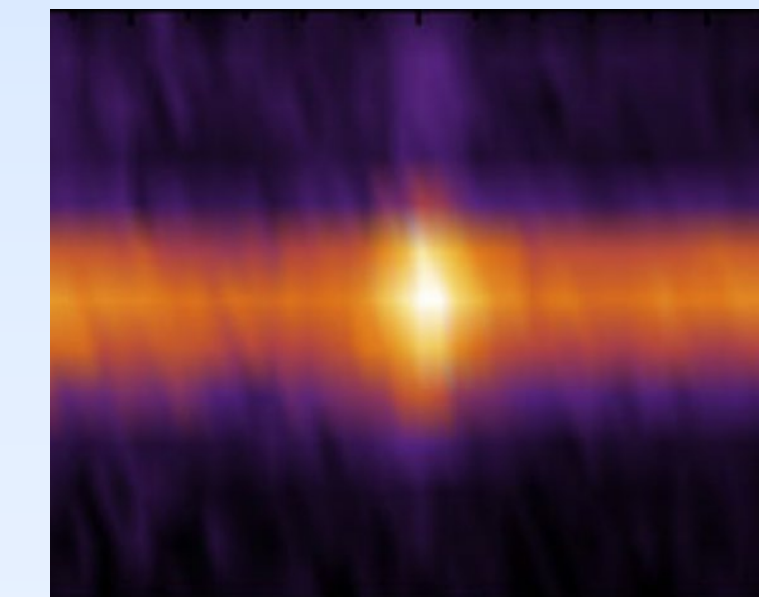
*Truppe, Hemmerling, McCarron,
Chae, Yin, Norrgard*

**Chemistry and Precision
Measurement Relevant
CH, CaH, BaH**



Zelevinsky, McCarron

**EDM Sensitive Molecules
YbF, BaF**



*Tarbutt, Langen
Italics Name means MOT achieved*

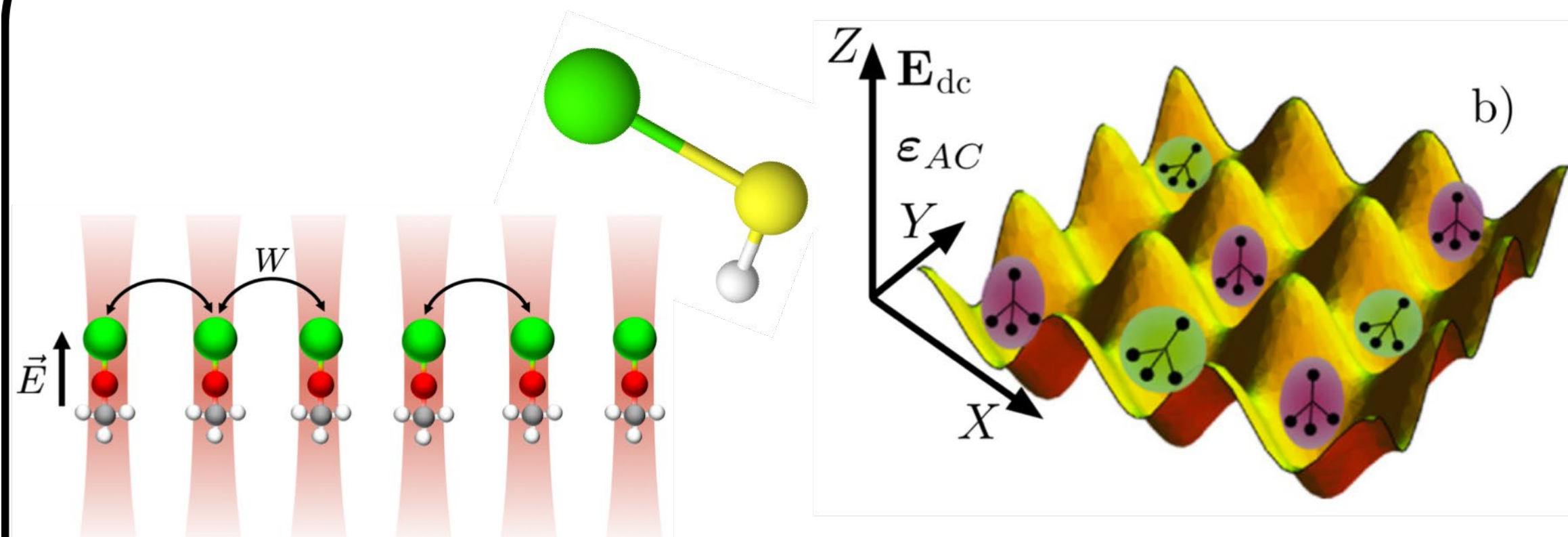
Now to Polyatomic Molecules



2018 Porsche 718 Cayman GTS

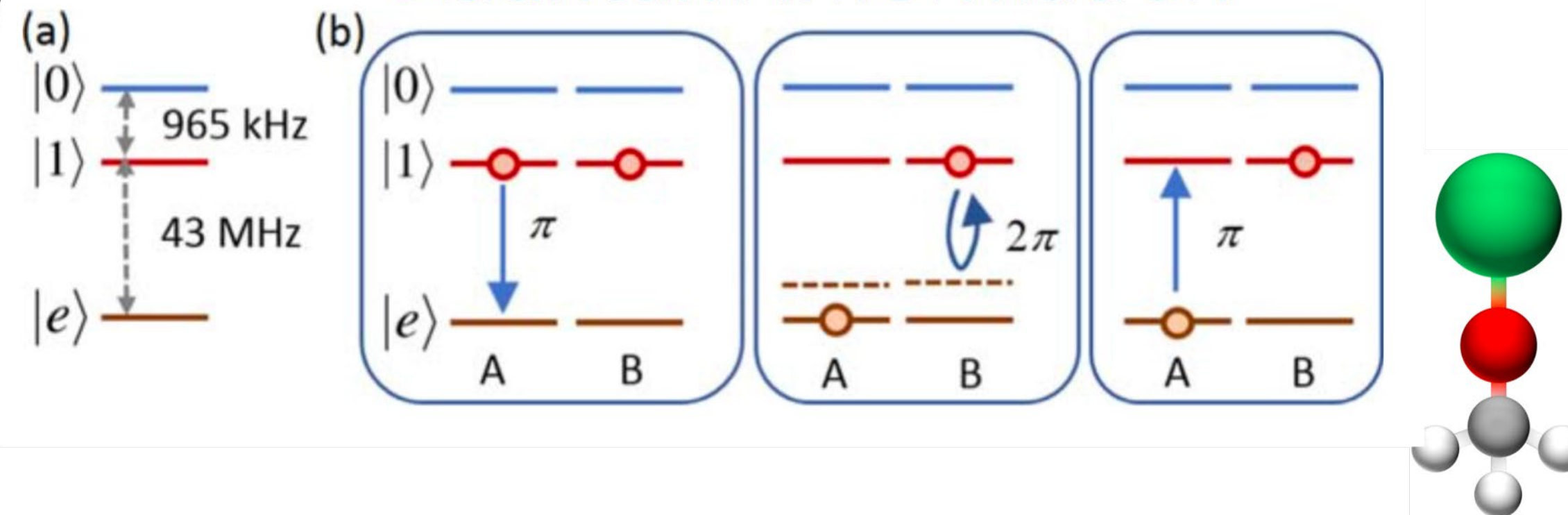
Motivations for Polyatomic Molecules

Quantum Simulation



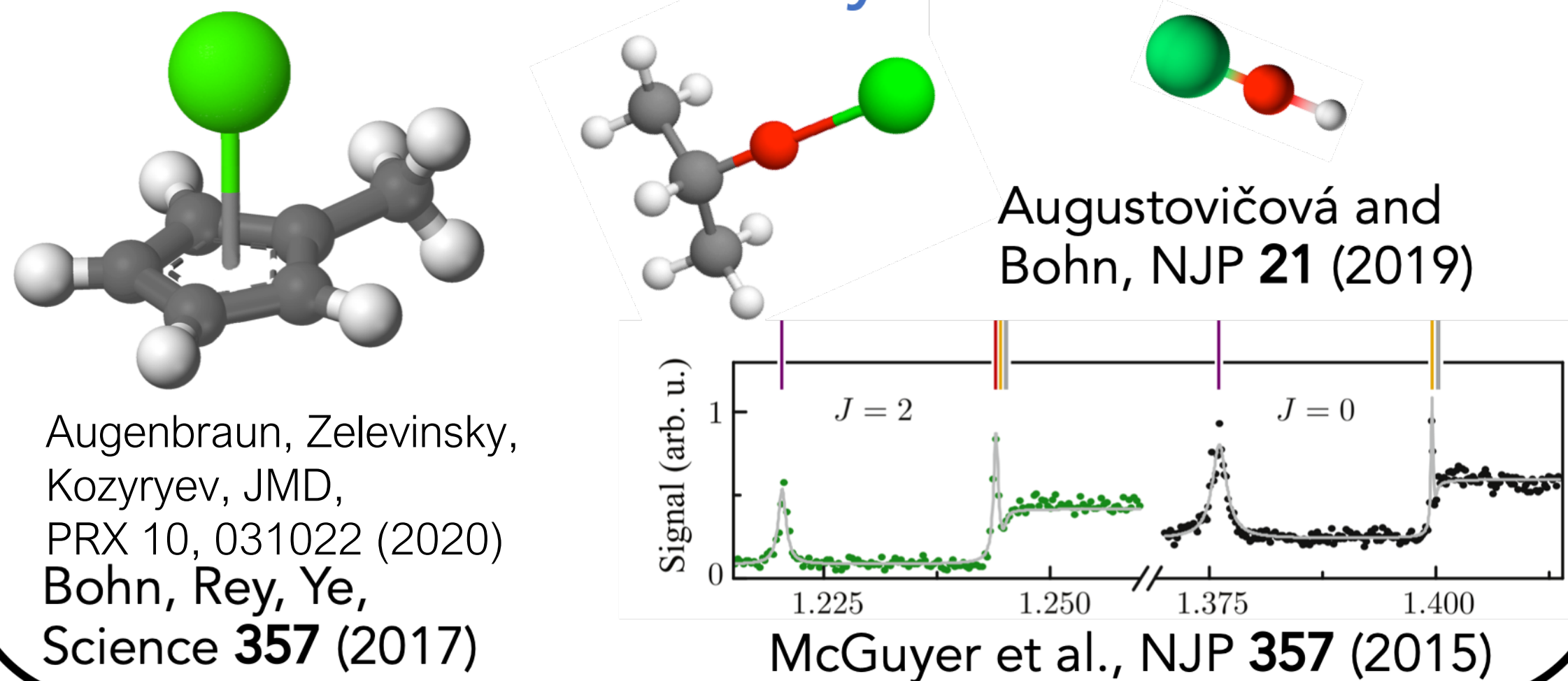
Wall, Maeda, and Carr, Ann. Phys. **525**, 845 (2013)
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Quantum Information



Yu,....JMD, NJP 21, 093049 (2019)
 Albert et al., arXiv:1911.00099

Ultracold Chemistry and Collisions

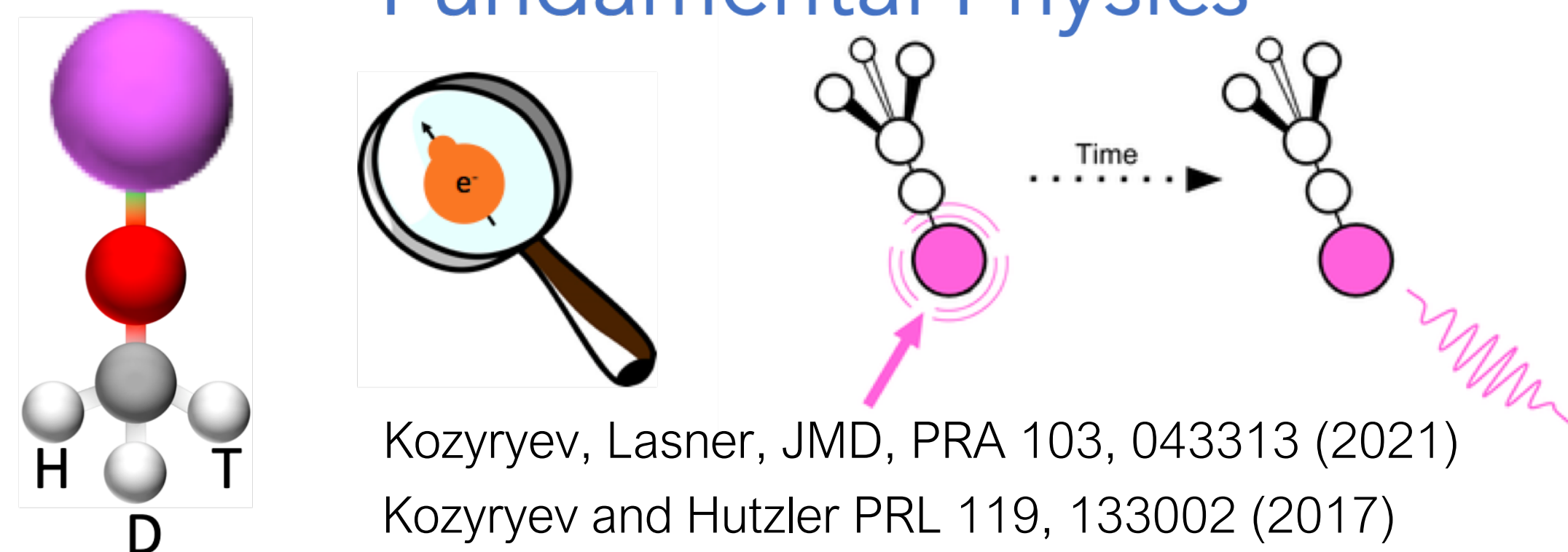


Augenbraun, Zelevinsky,
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 PRX 10, 031022 (2020)
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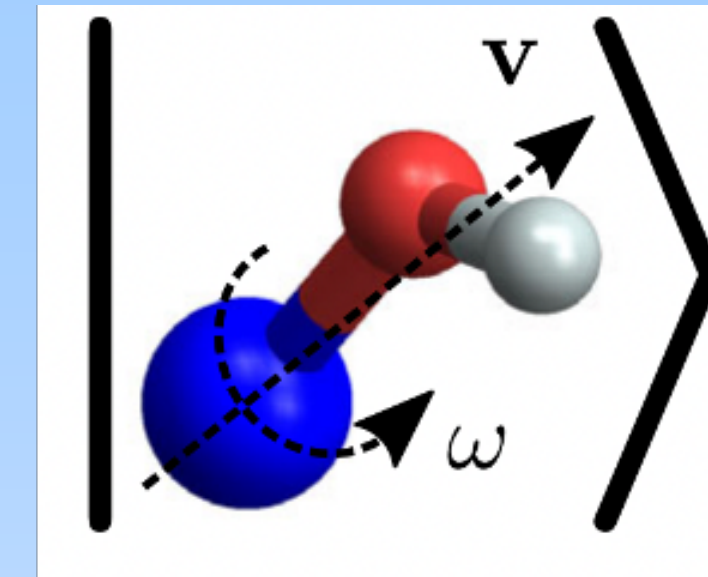
Precision Measurement/ Fundamental Physics



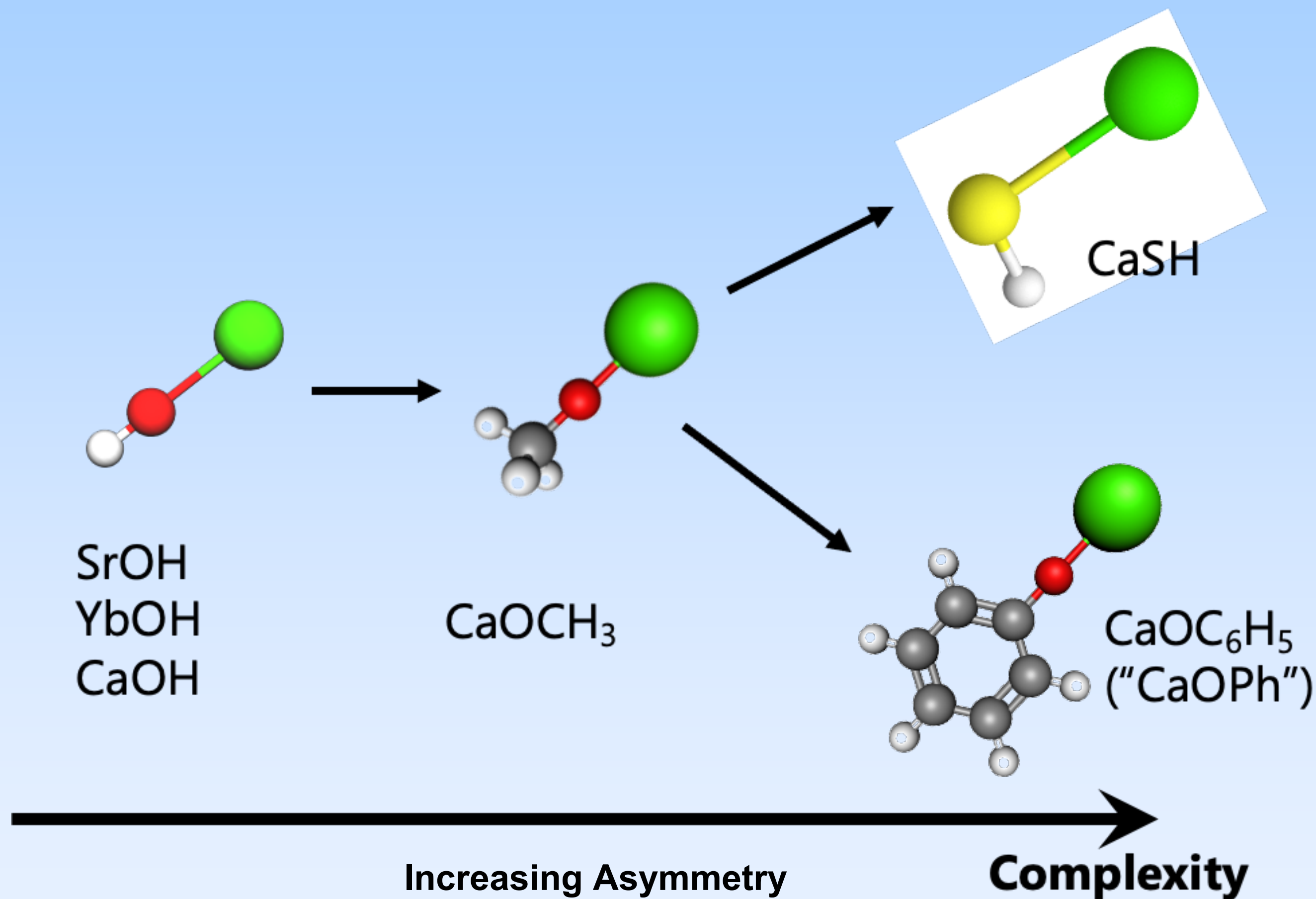
Kozyrev, Lasner, JMD, PRA 103, 043313 (2021)
 Kozyrev and Hutzler PRL 119, 133002 (2017)

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Large and Asymmetric Top Molecules? (And Organic Molecules)

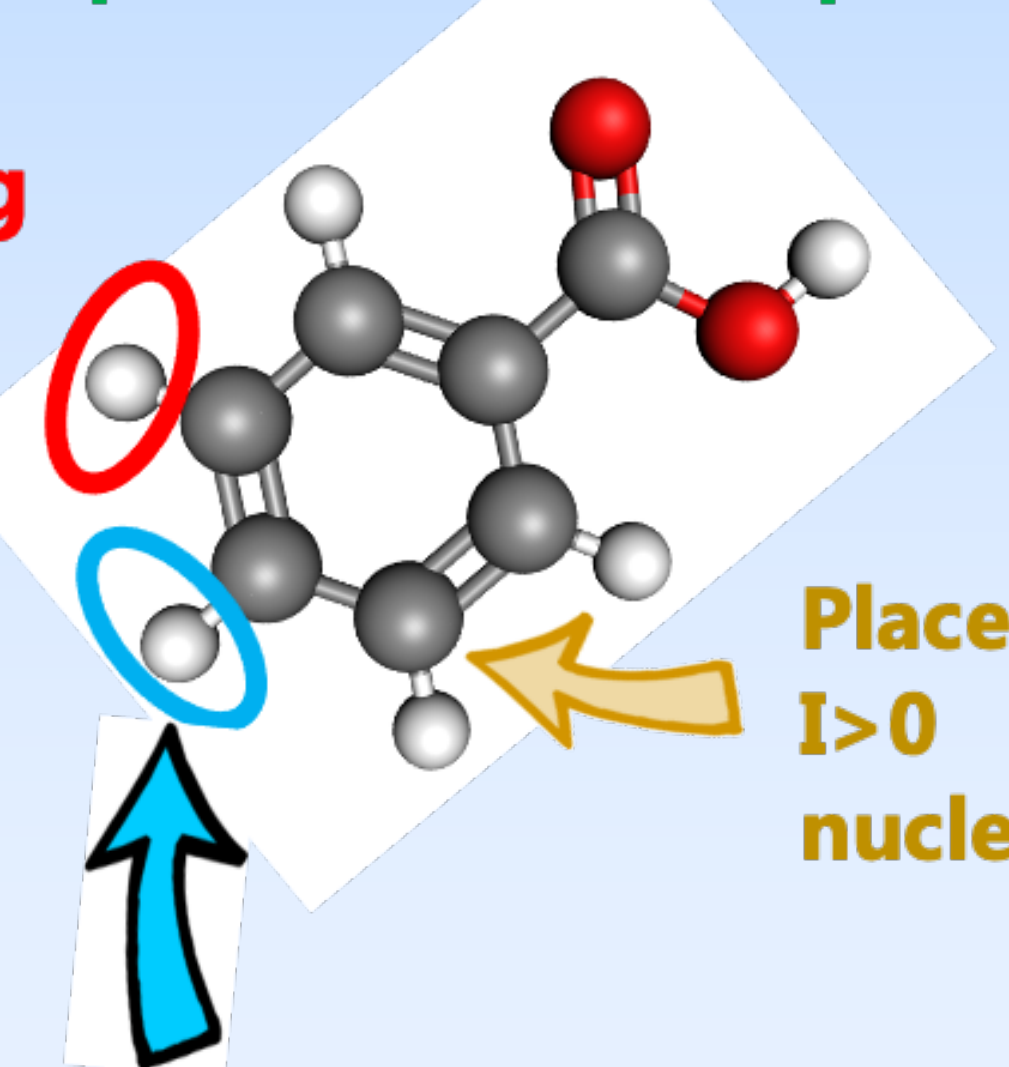


See Preskill group paper:
PRX **10**, 31050 (2020)
Quantum Error Correction



Append an
optical cycling
center for
cooling and
control

"Ultracold orgo"



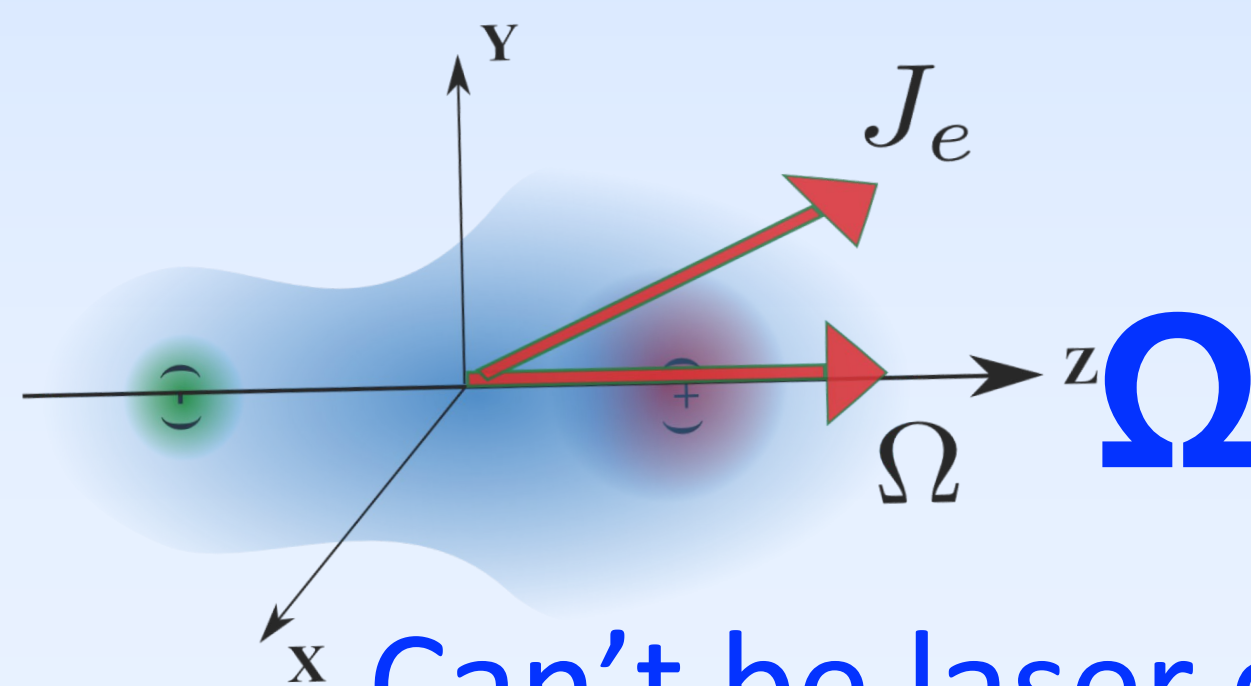
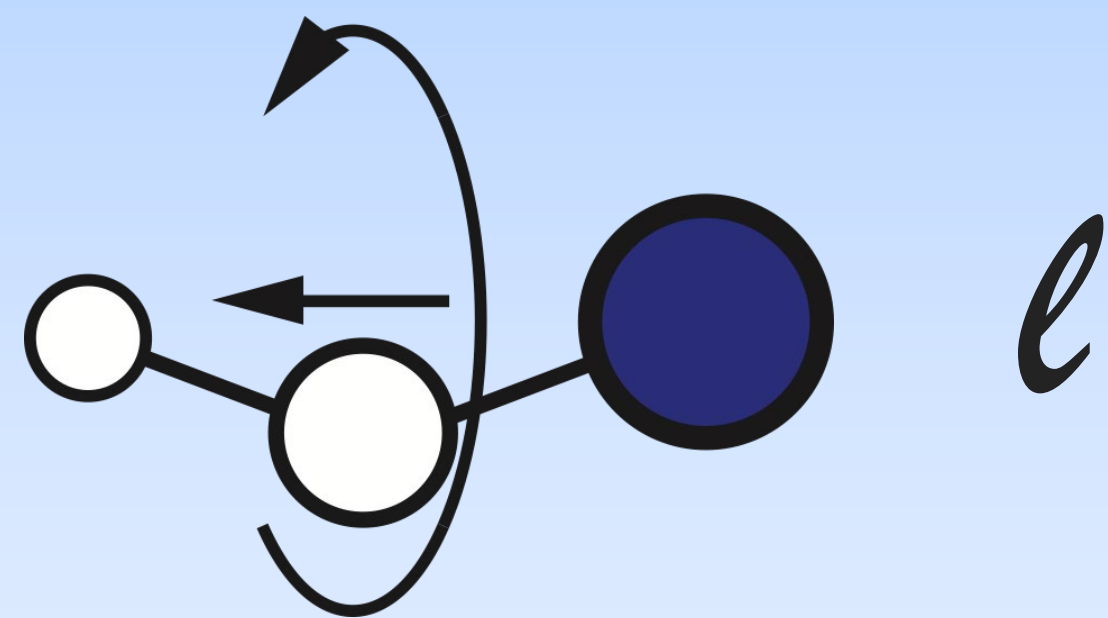
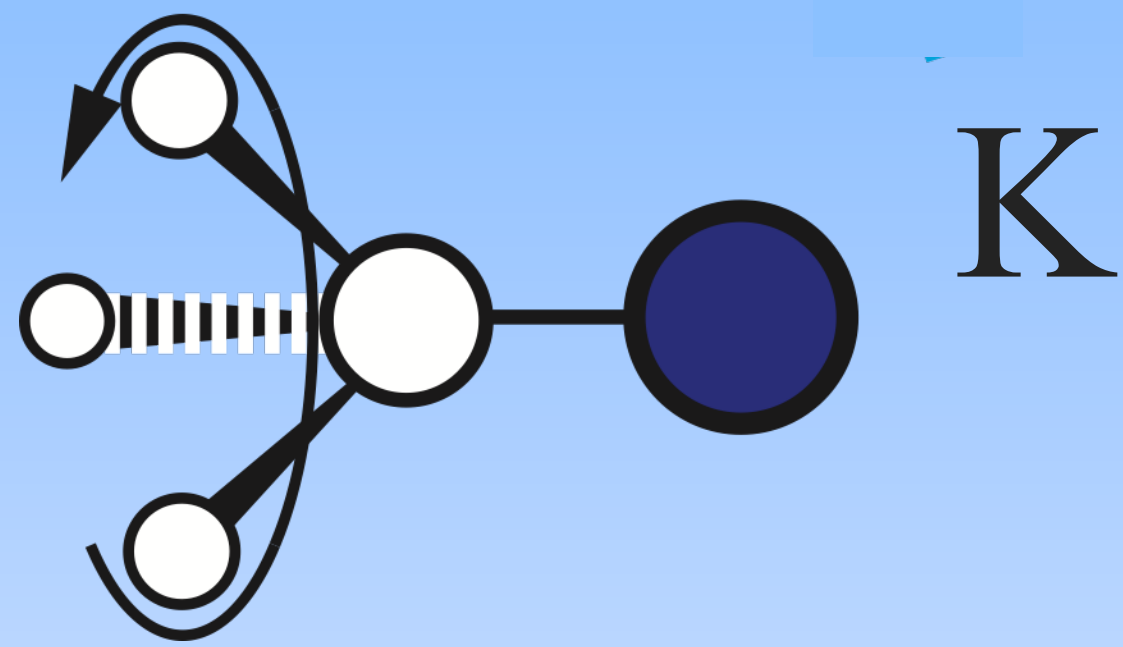
Place an
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nucleus

Substitute exotic, heavy nucleus

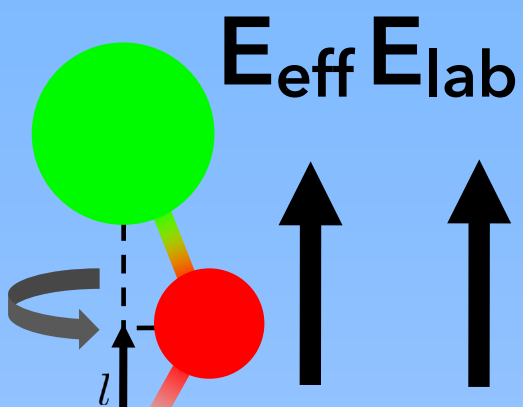
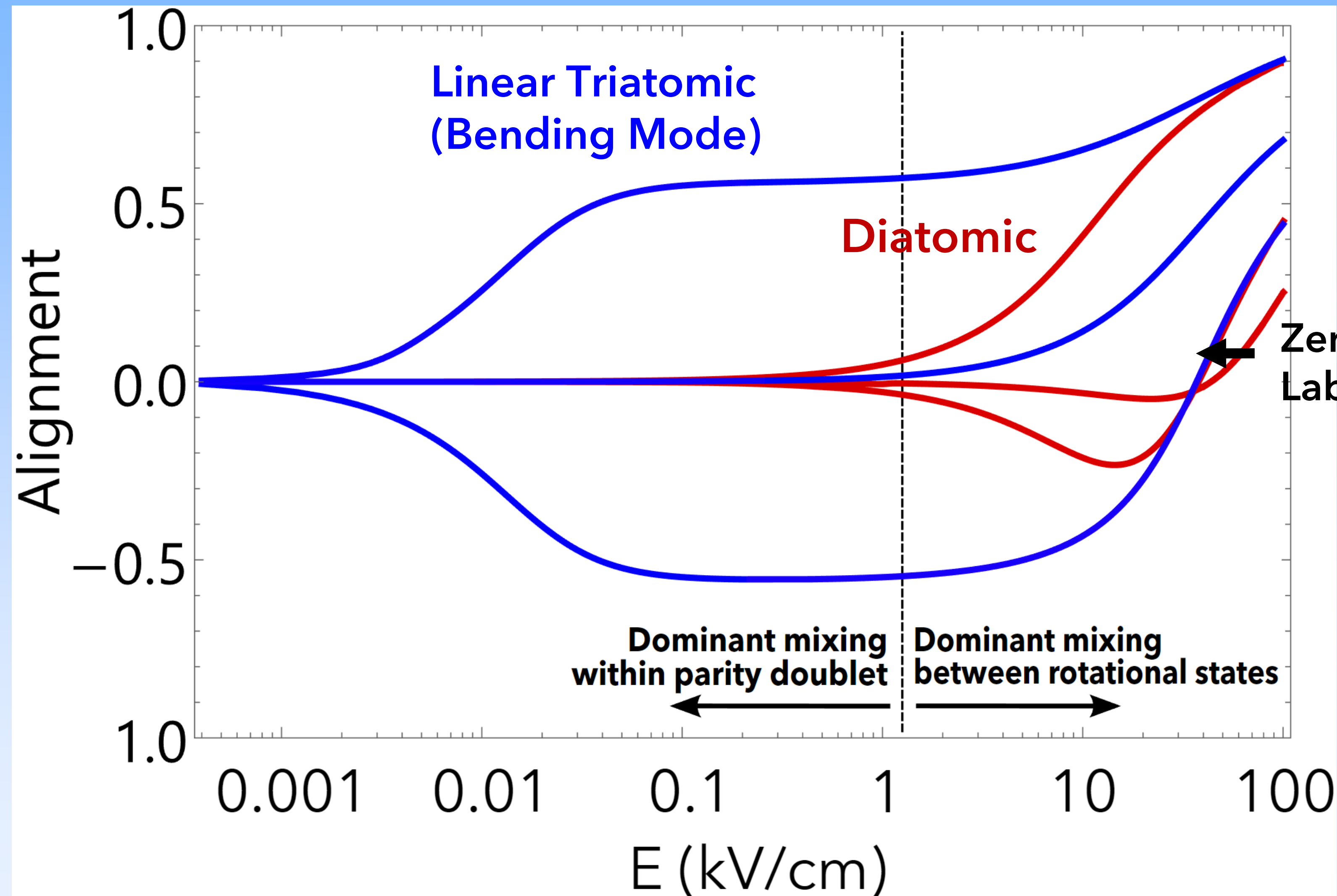
Orbital Angular Momentum Along the Internuclear Axis

Why polyatomic molecules?

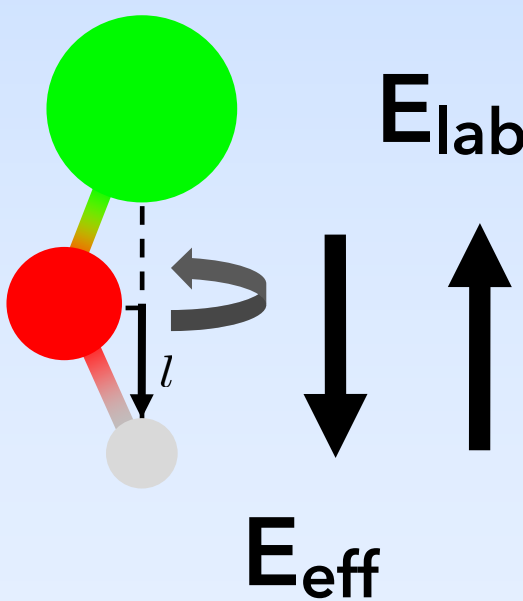
Molecular Frame
Quantum Numbers



Can't be laser cooled !



Zero Dipole
Lab Frame



Laser Cooling Polyatomic Molecules

October 2016 ChemPhysChem Paper. See also Isaev and Berger 2016



Proposal for Laser Cooling of Complex Polyatomic Molecules

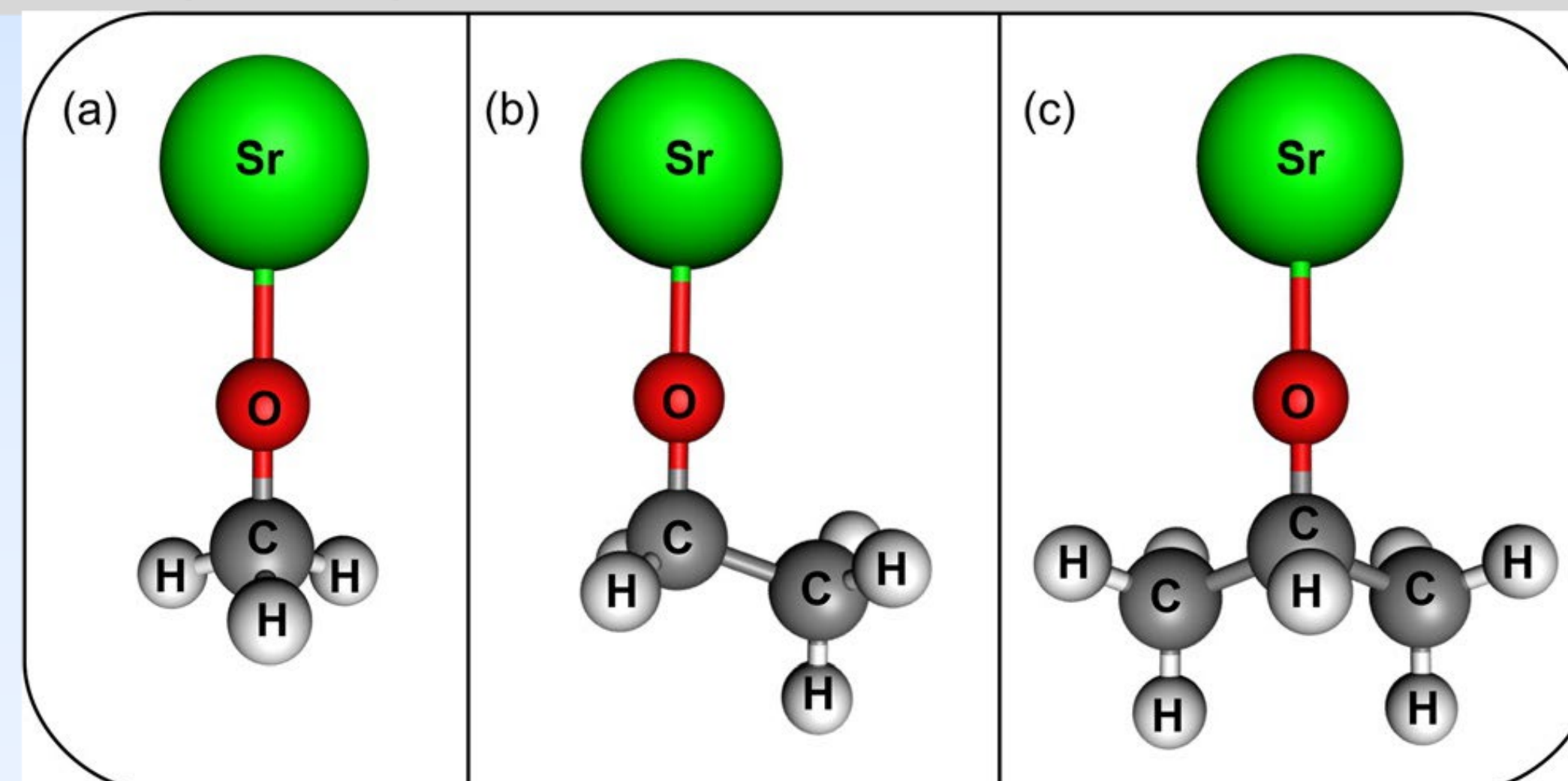
Ivan Kozyryev,^{*,[a, b]} Louis Baum,^[a, b] Kyle Matsuda,^[a, b] and John M. Doyle^[a, b]

An experimentally feasible strategy for direct laser cooling of polyatomic molecules with six or more atoms is presented. Our approach relies on the attachment of a metal atom to a complex molecule, where it acts as an active photon cycling site. We describe a laser cooling scheme for alkaline earth

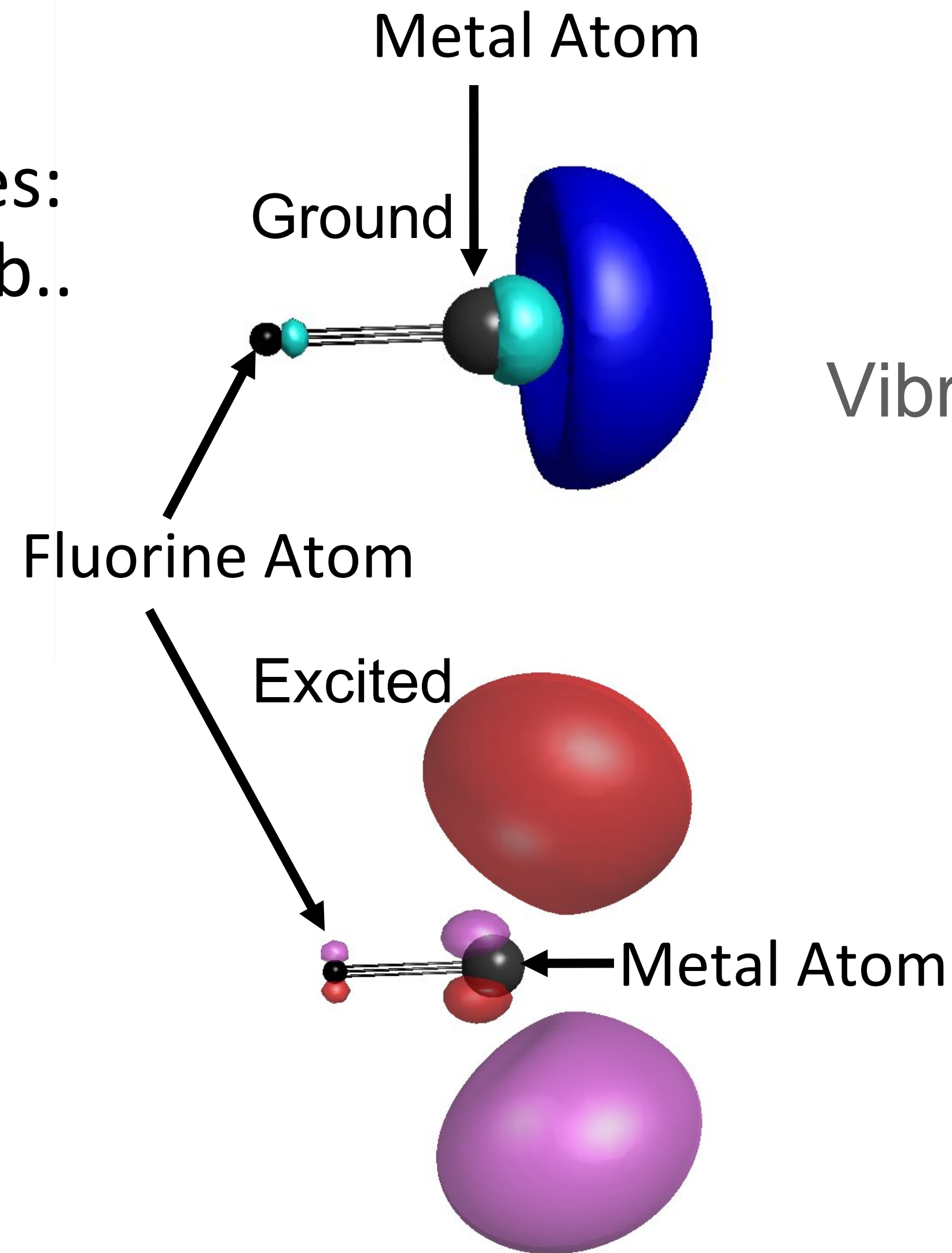
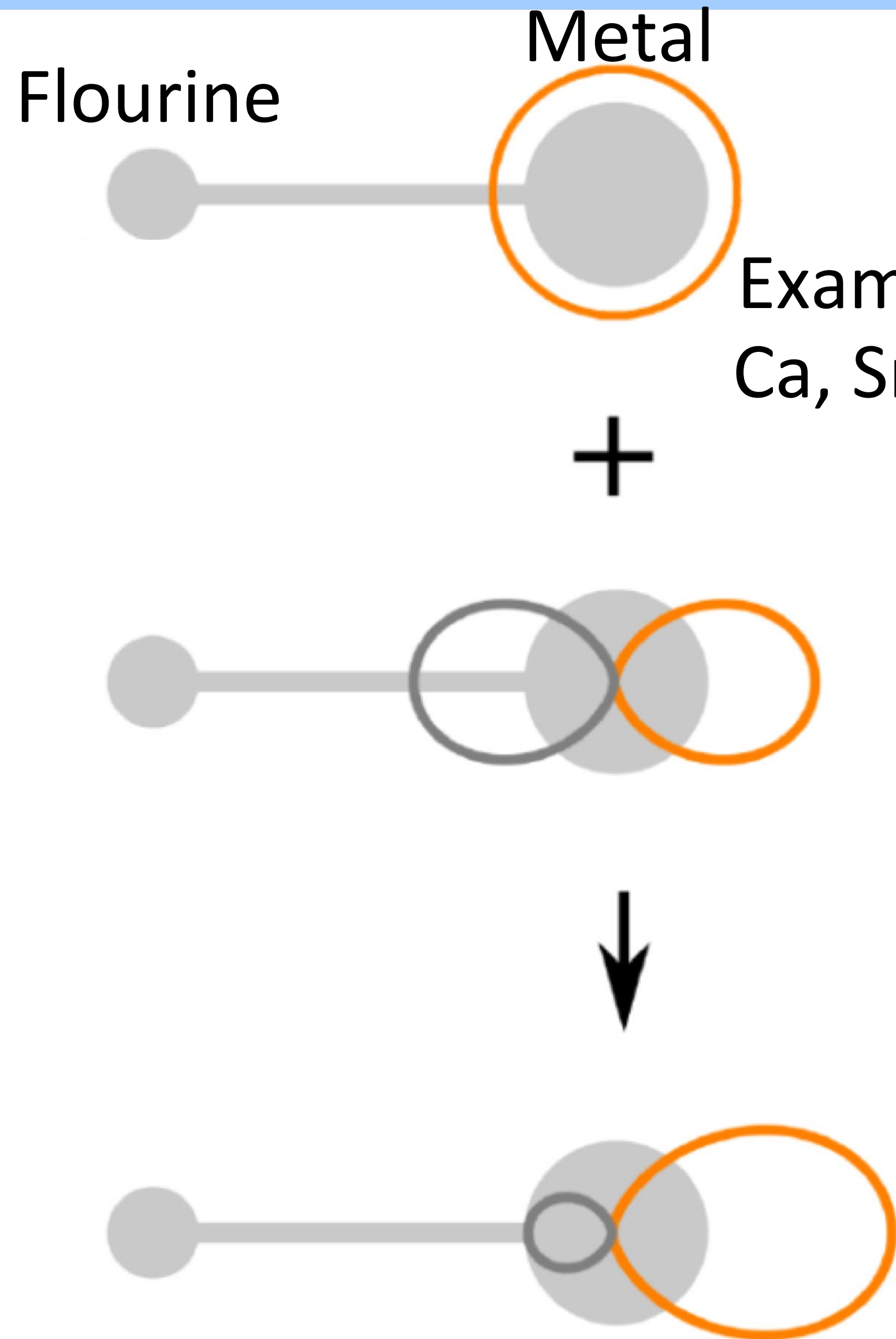
monoalkoxide free radicals taking advantage of the phase space compression of a cryogenic buffer-gas beam. Possible applications are presented including laser cooling of chiral molecules and slowing of molecular beams using coherent photon processes.

Metal-Oxide-Radical “MOR” Molecules

a.k.a Alkaline Earth Atom
Pseudofluoride Molecules

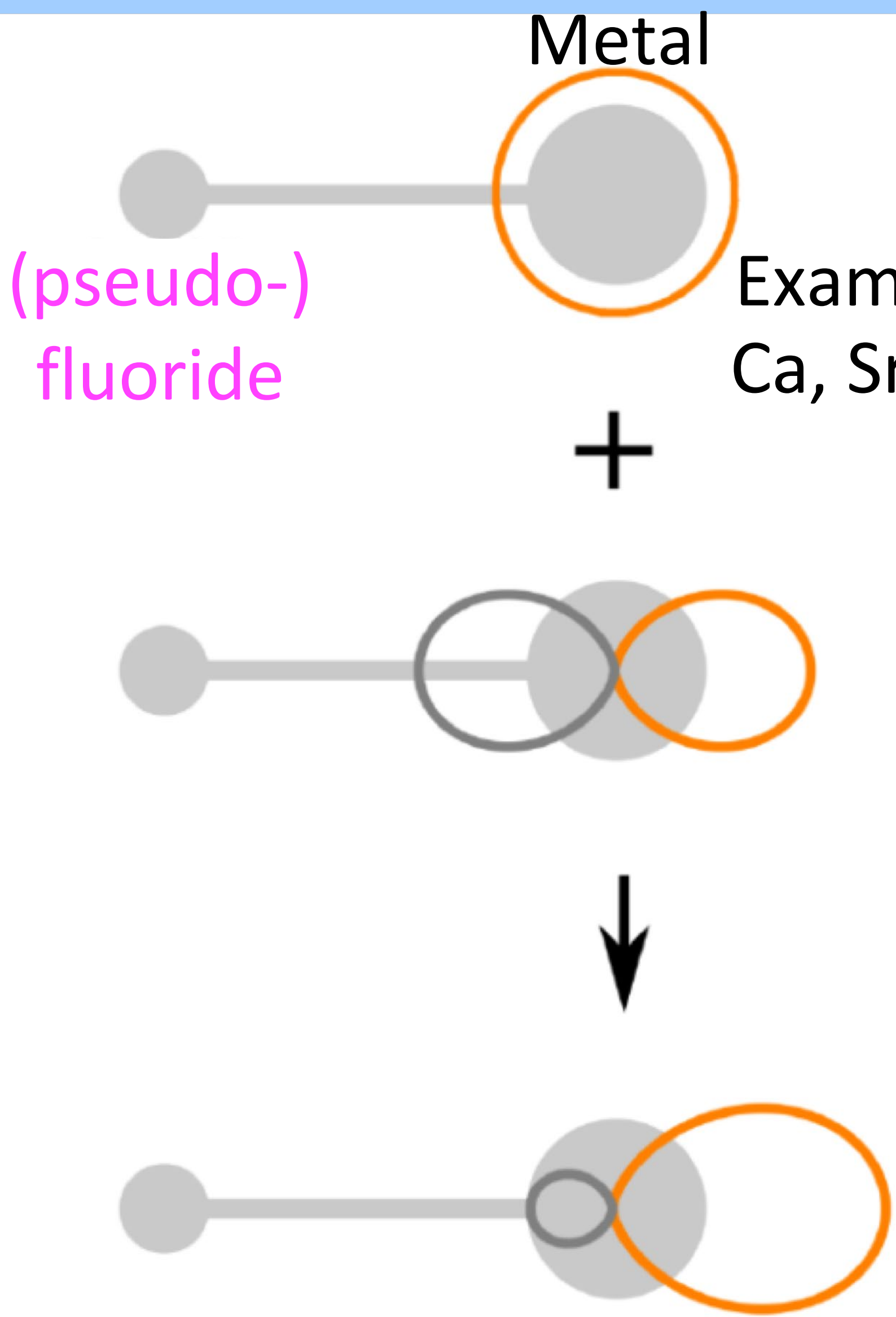


Diatomc Molecules that can be Laser Cooled

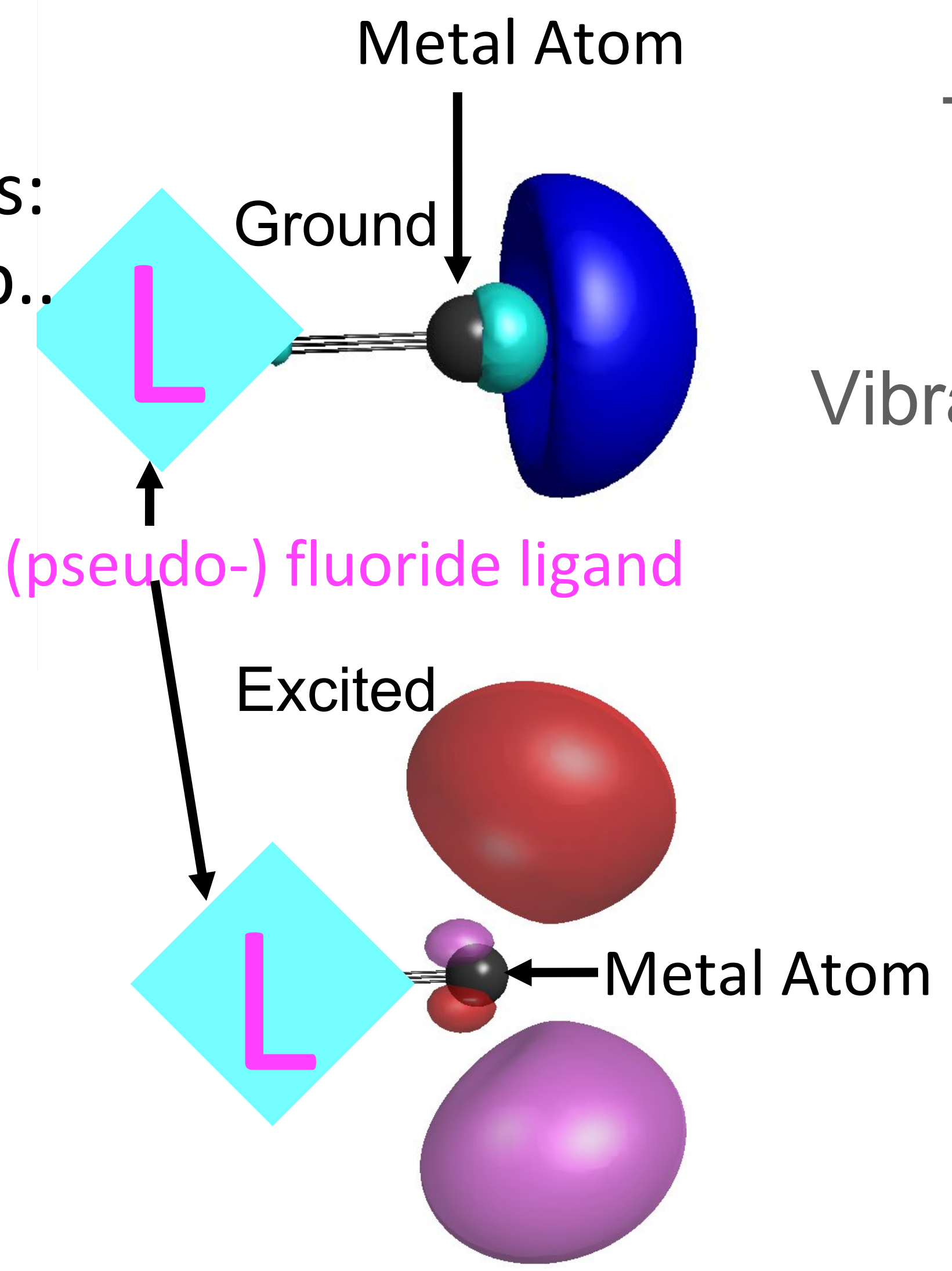


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Vibrational Branching Ratios

Class of Molecules that can be Laser Cooled



Examples:
Ca, Sr, Yb..



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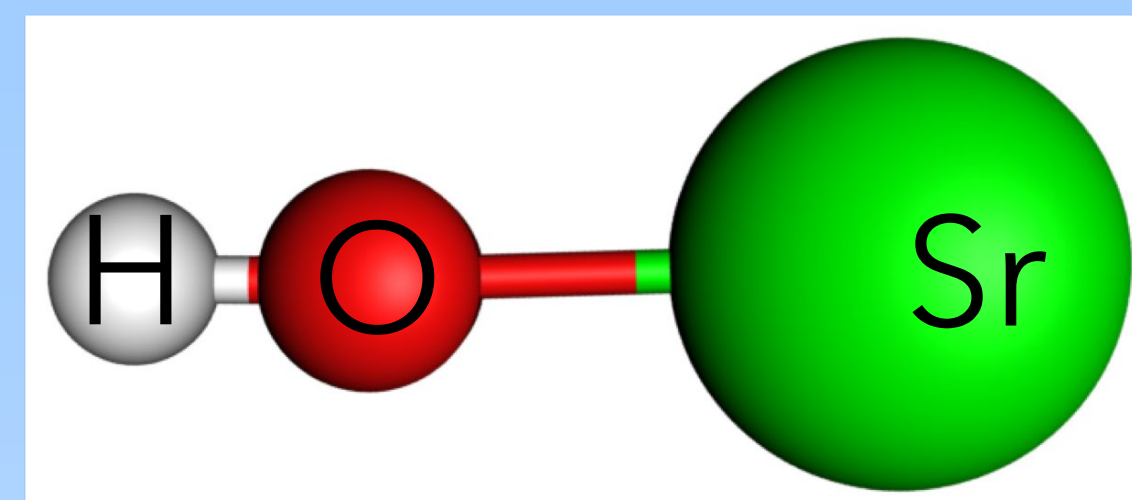
If this motif
is kept,
then...
small VBRs
should remain

What to do with them? We have a plan!... ultracold polyatomic EDM search

EDM
Experiment



PolyEDM



SrOH in an ODT

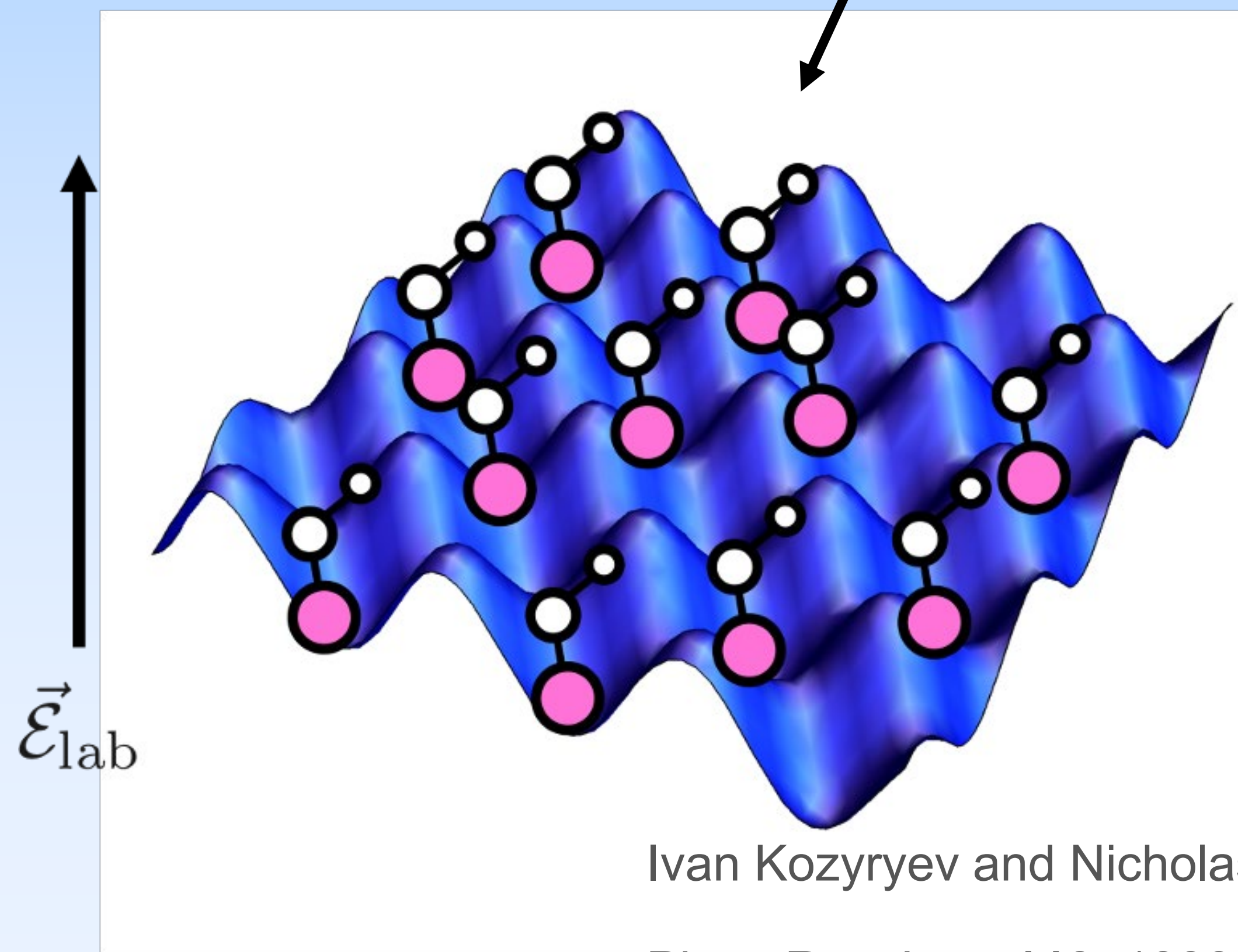
Then

YbOH, RaOH, etc..

Heavy, polar molecule
sensitive to new physics

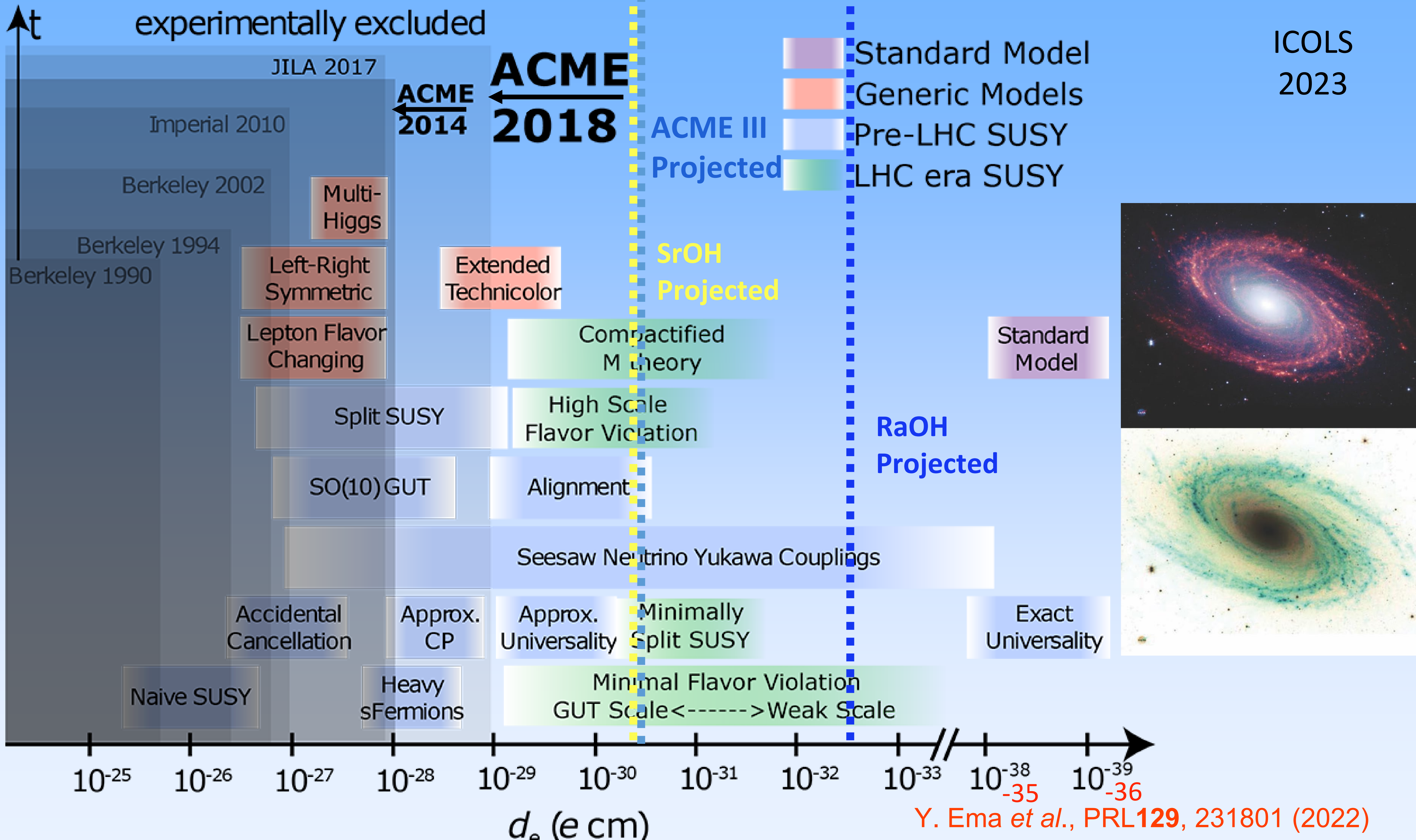
- 10^6 molecules
- 10 s coherence
- Large enhancement(s)
- 1 day averaging

Mass reach for New Physics $\sim 1,000$ TeV
Optical Lattice "Clock"
Ultracold Heavy Polyatomic Molecules



Ivan Kozyryev and Nicholas R. Hutzler

Phys. Rev. Lett. 119, 133002 (2017)



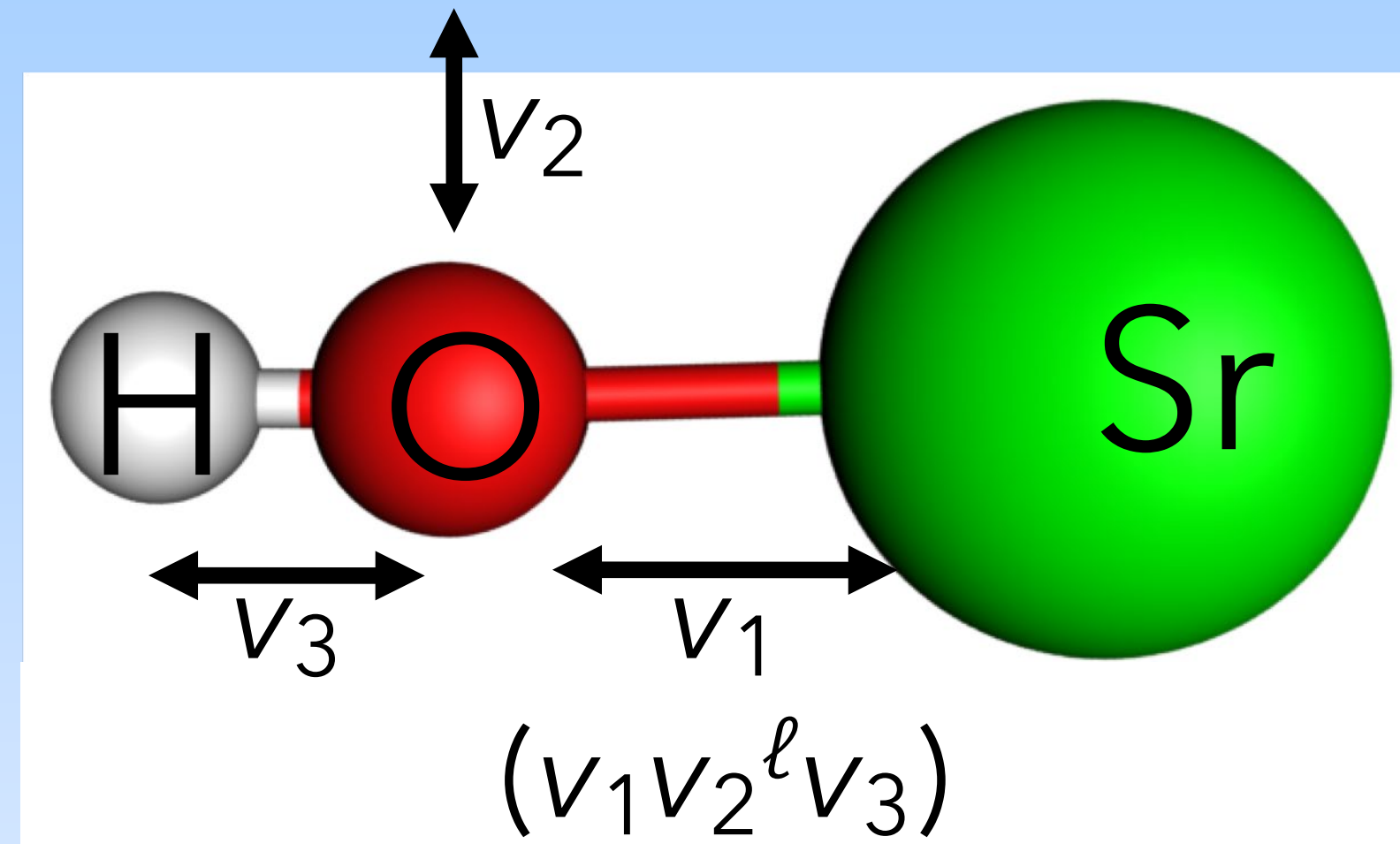
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Dark Matter Experiment

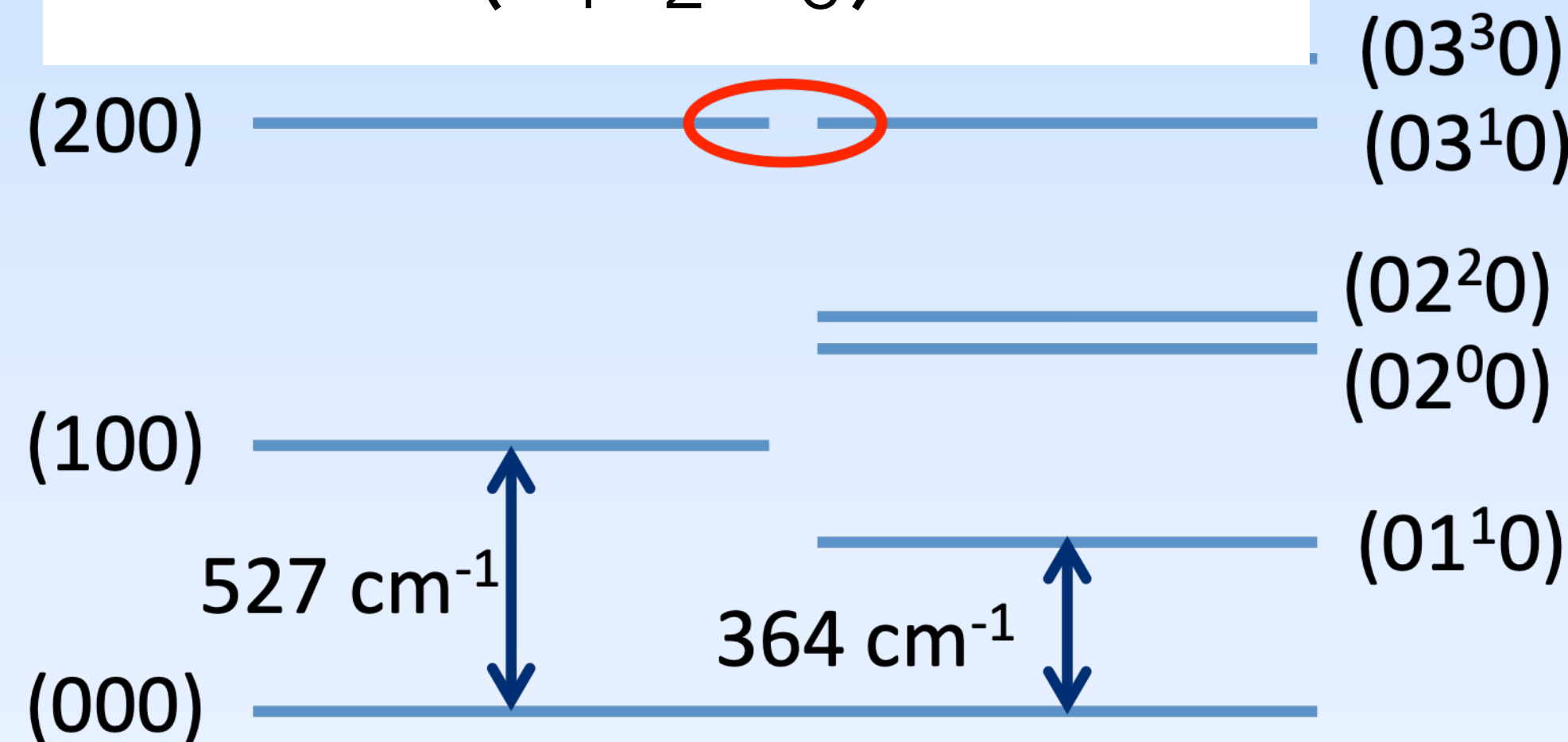
New Dark Matter experiment, Oscillating Physical Constants



Level spacing will change if fundamental constants change



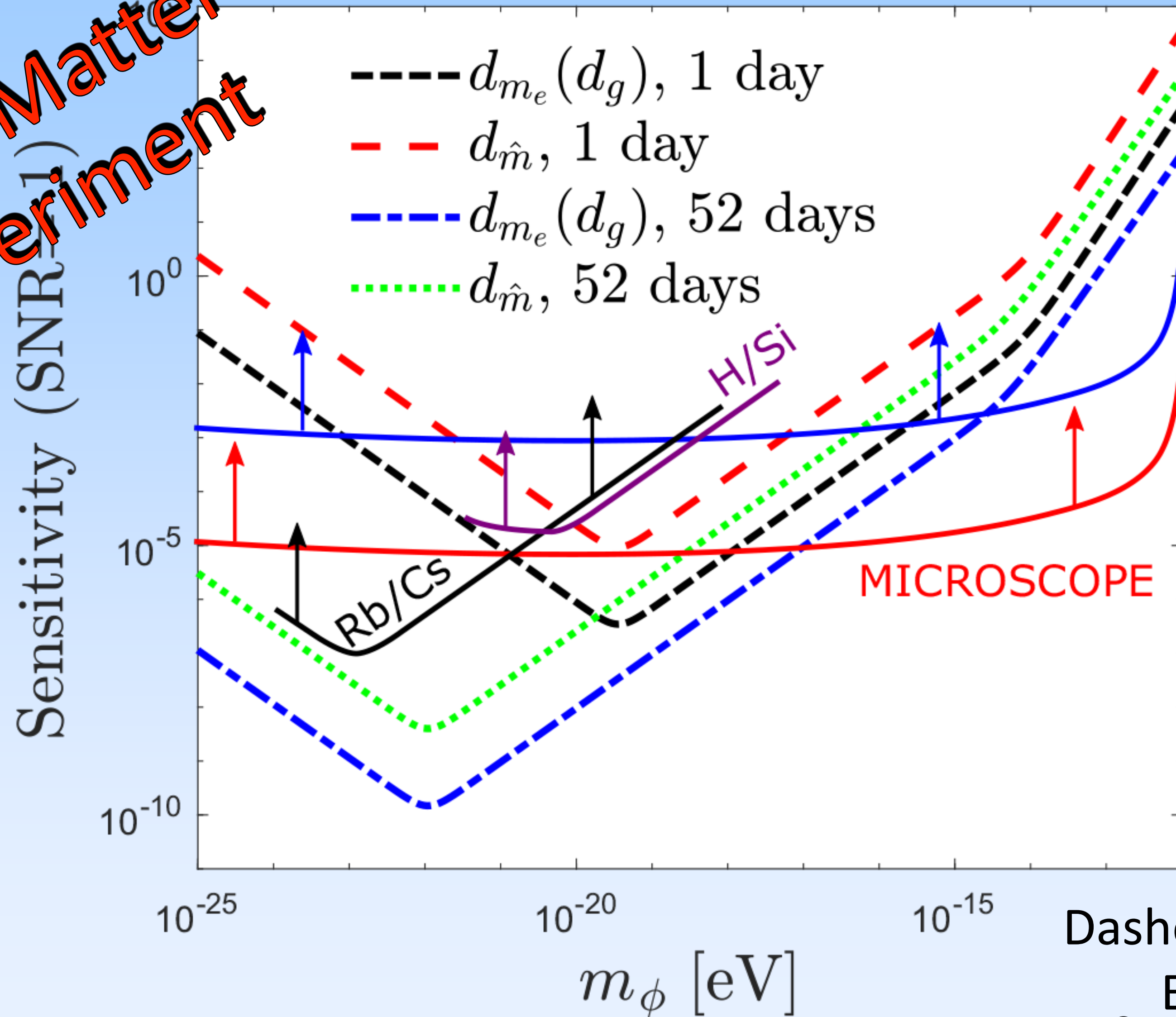
SrOH in an Optical Dipole Trap



“accidental” degeneracy

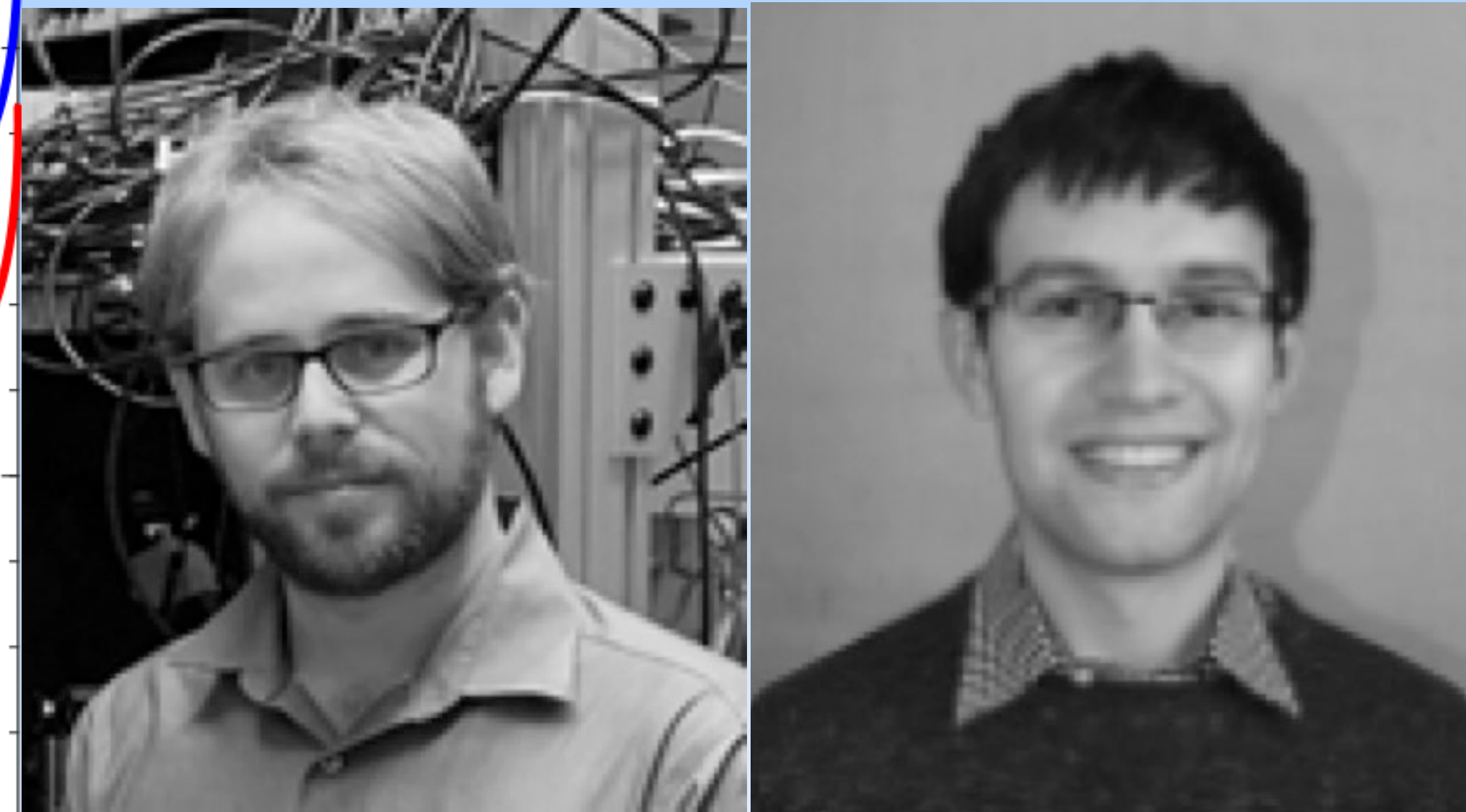
Example 2: SrOH Dark Matter Experiment Sensitivity

Dark Matter Experiment



*New experiment,
Ultracold SrOH in Optical Lattice*

Kozyryev, Lasner, JMD PRA 103, 043313 (2021)



Dashed Lines are For **SrOH** Dark Matter Experiment

10^6 Molecules, ~ 100 ms coherence time.

Scheme for Full 3-D Laser Cooling of SrOH

1-D laser cooling. ~200 photons

3-D laser cooling. ~20000 photons

Number
Of
Photons

γ

20

200

2000

20000

Gnd	Exc	λ
$X(000)$	$A(000)$	688 nm
$X(100)$	$B(000)$	631 nm
$X(02^20)$	$A(100)$	697 nm
$X(010), N = 2$	$B(100)$	625 nm
$X(010), N = 1$	$B(000)$	624 nm
$X(02^00)$	$B(000)$	638 nm
$X(200)$	$B(100)$	630 nm
$X(300)$	$B(200)$	630 nm
$X(110), N = 1$	$B(010)$	630 nm
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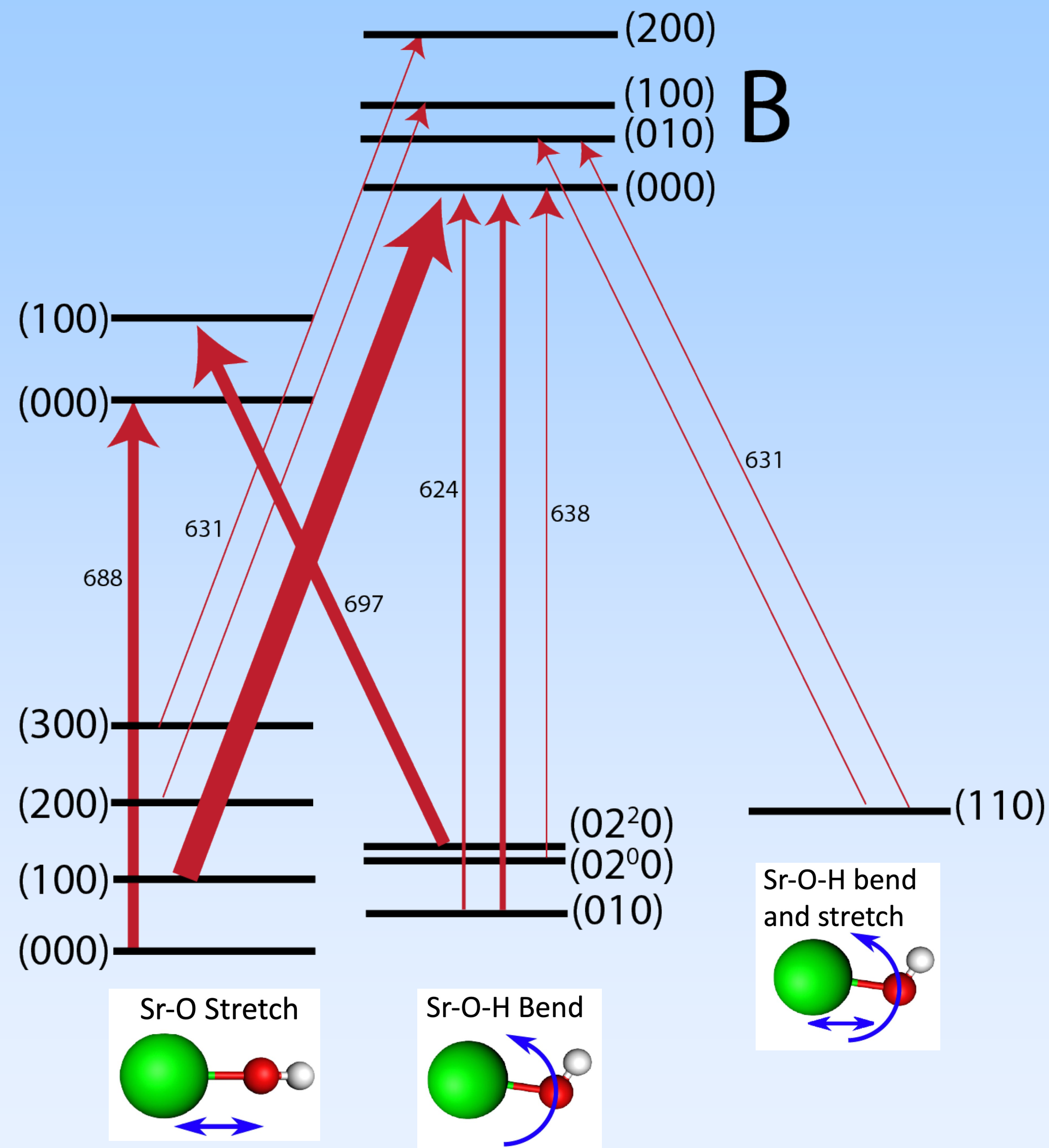
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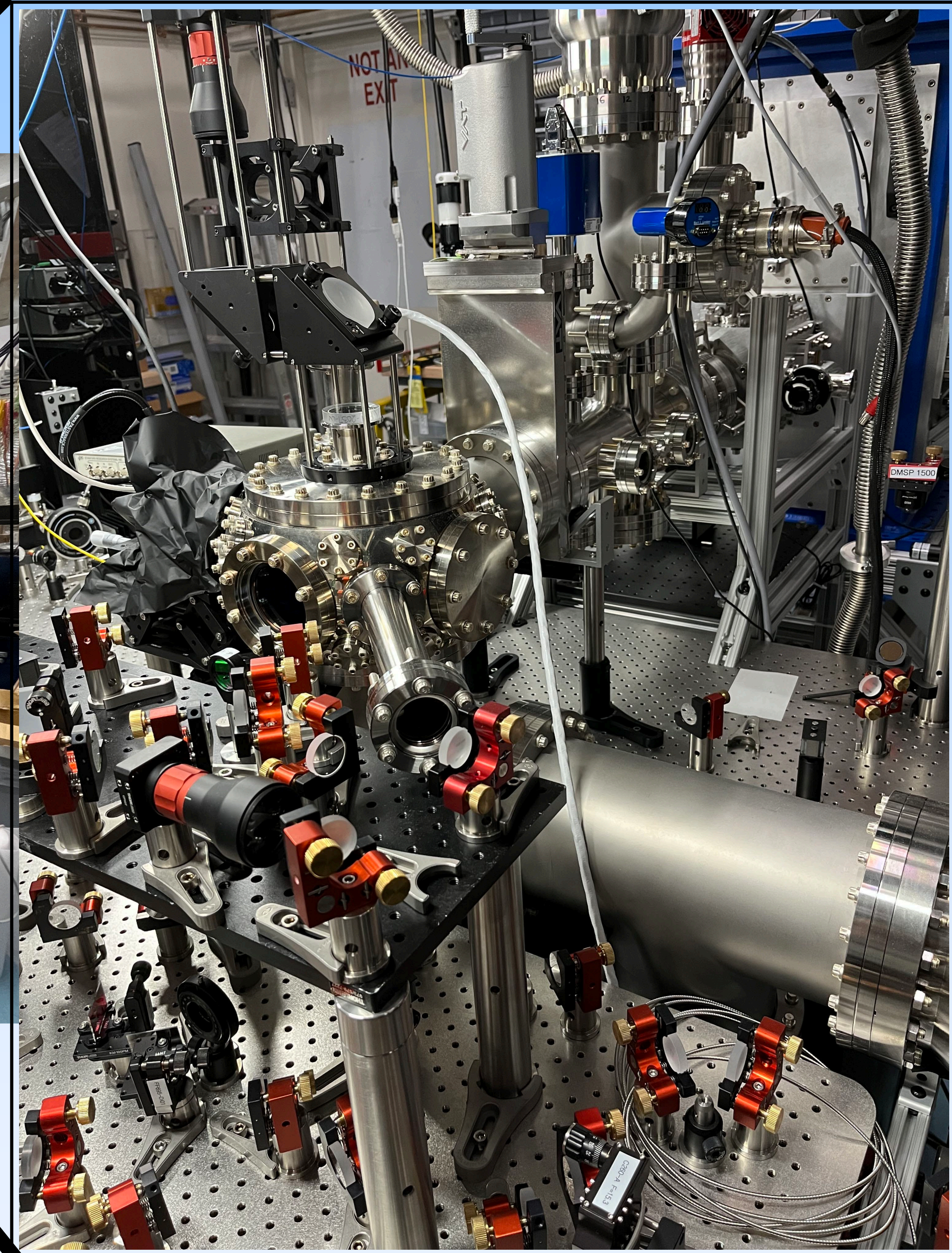
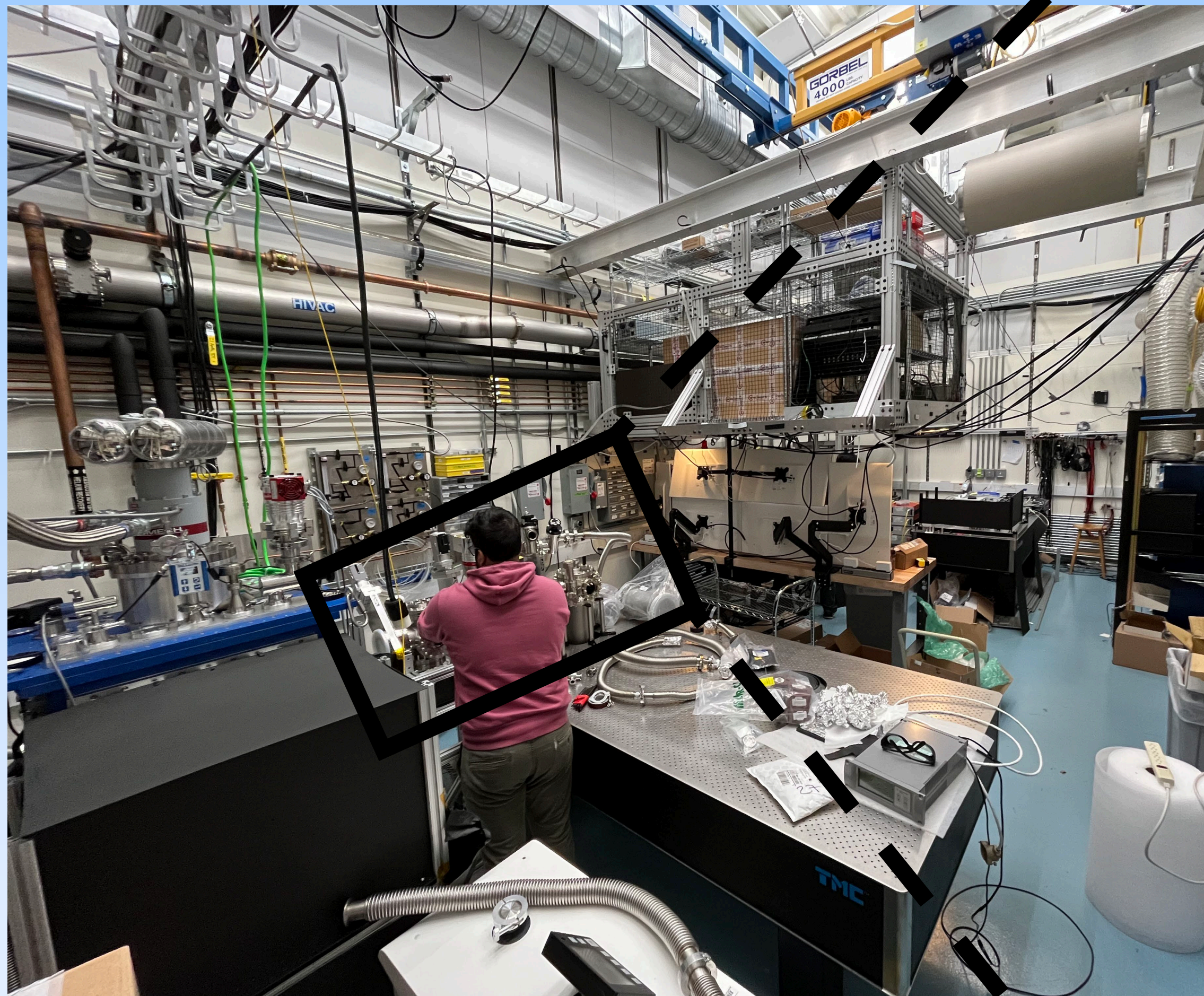
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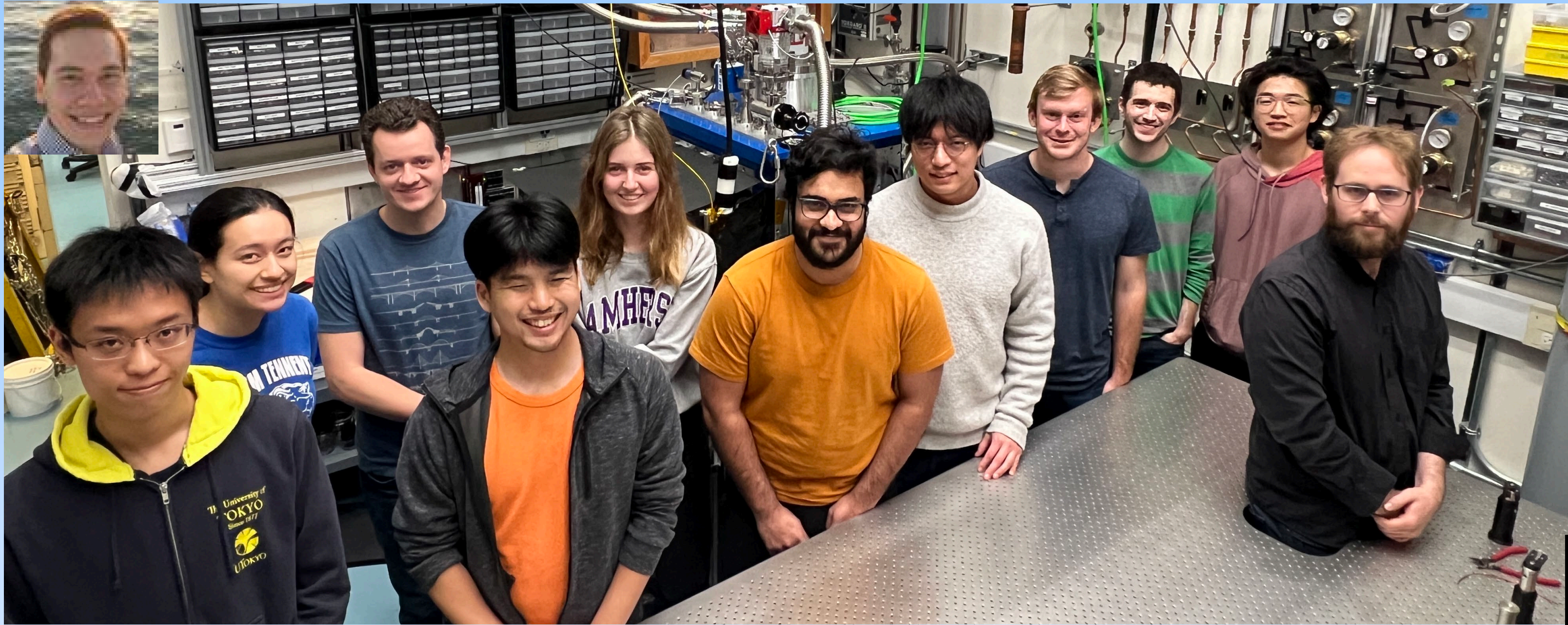
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Our SrOH lab
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SrOH EDM and Dark Matter Team

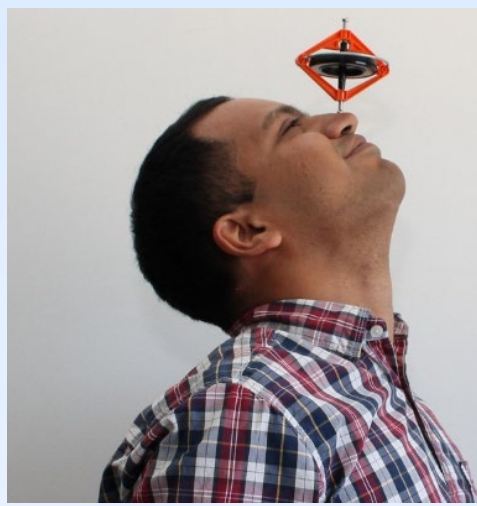


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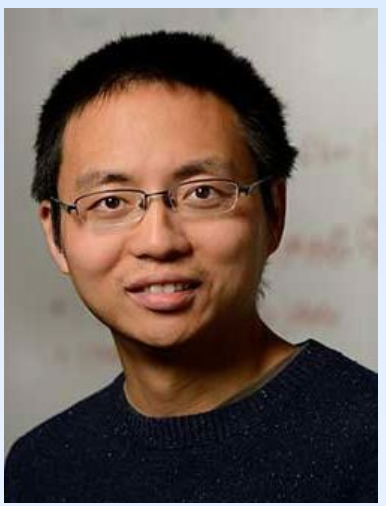
See Poster Today!



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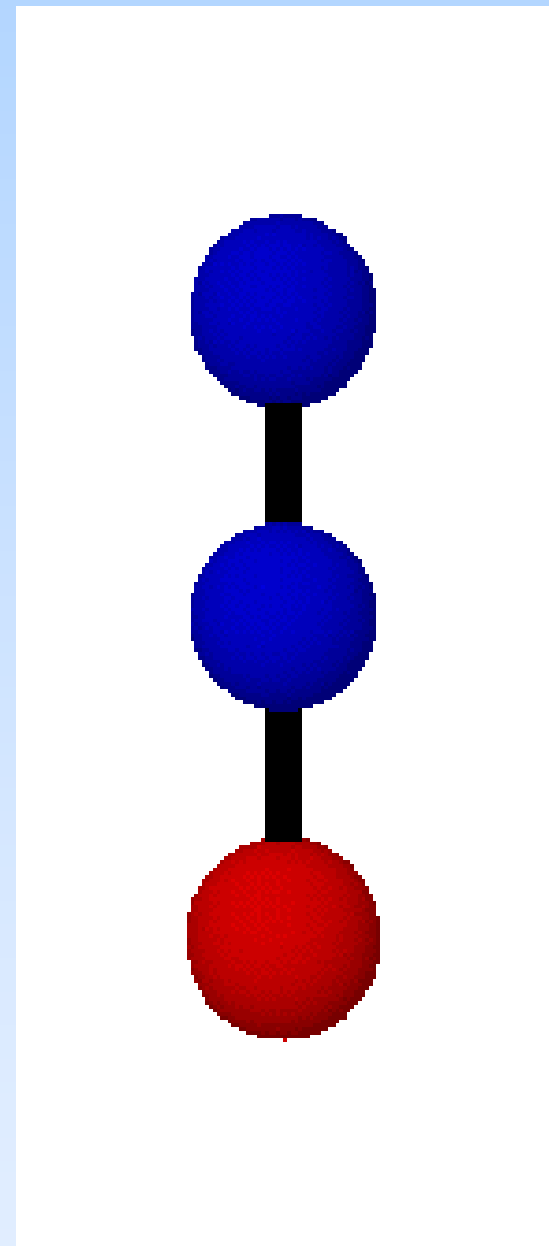


VBR theory
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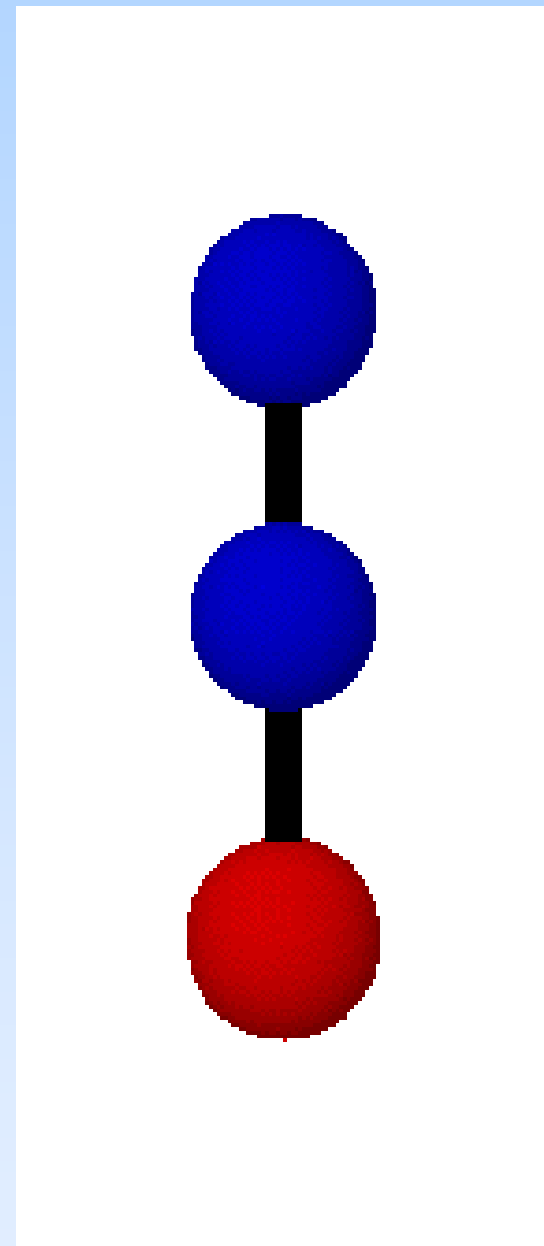
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3-D *Laser Cooling of Triatomic Molecules*



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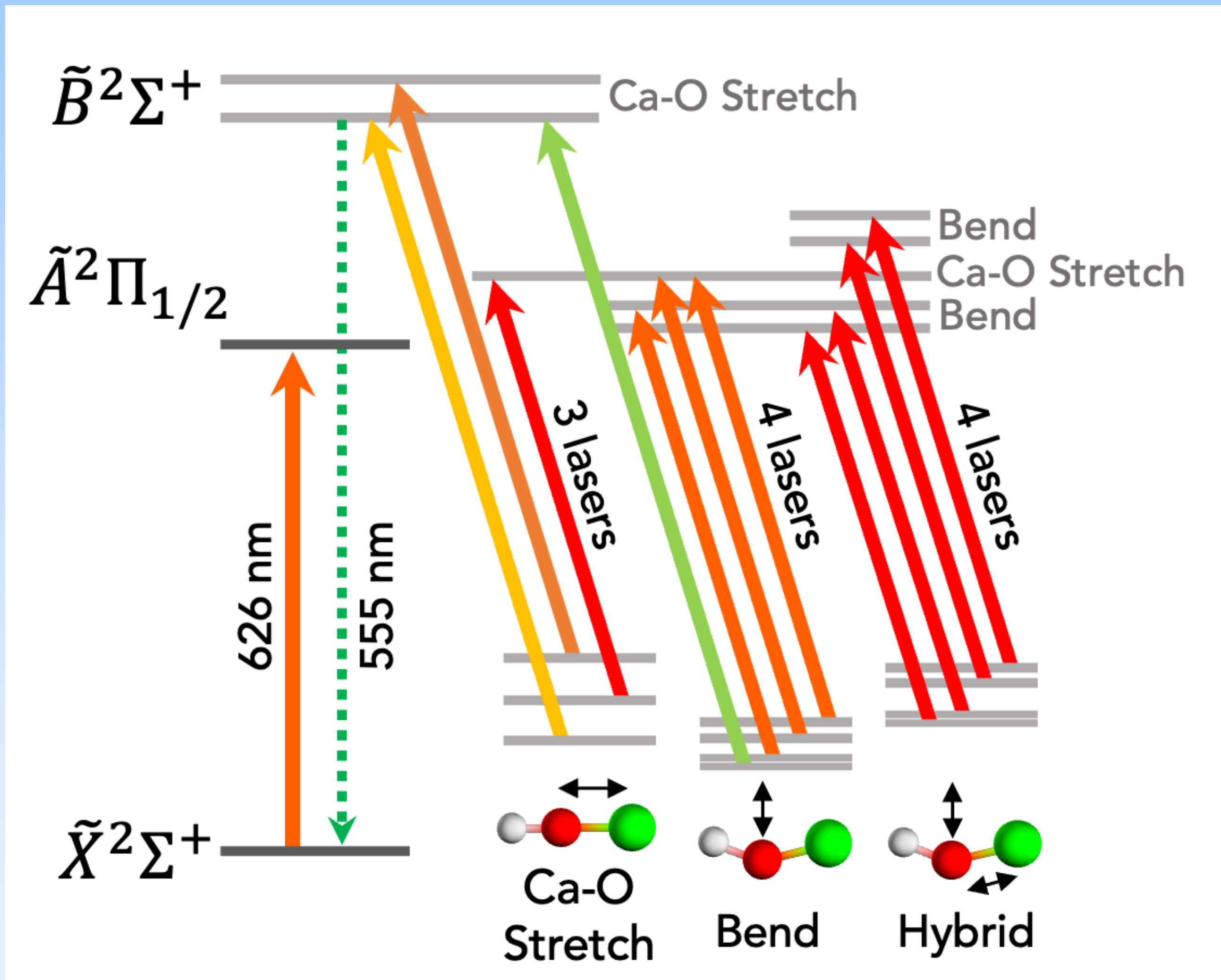
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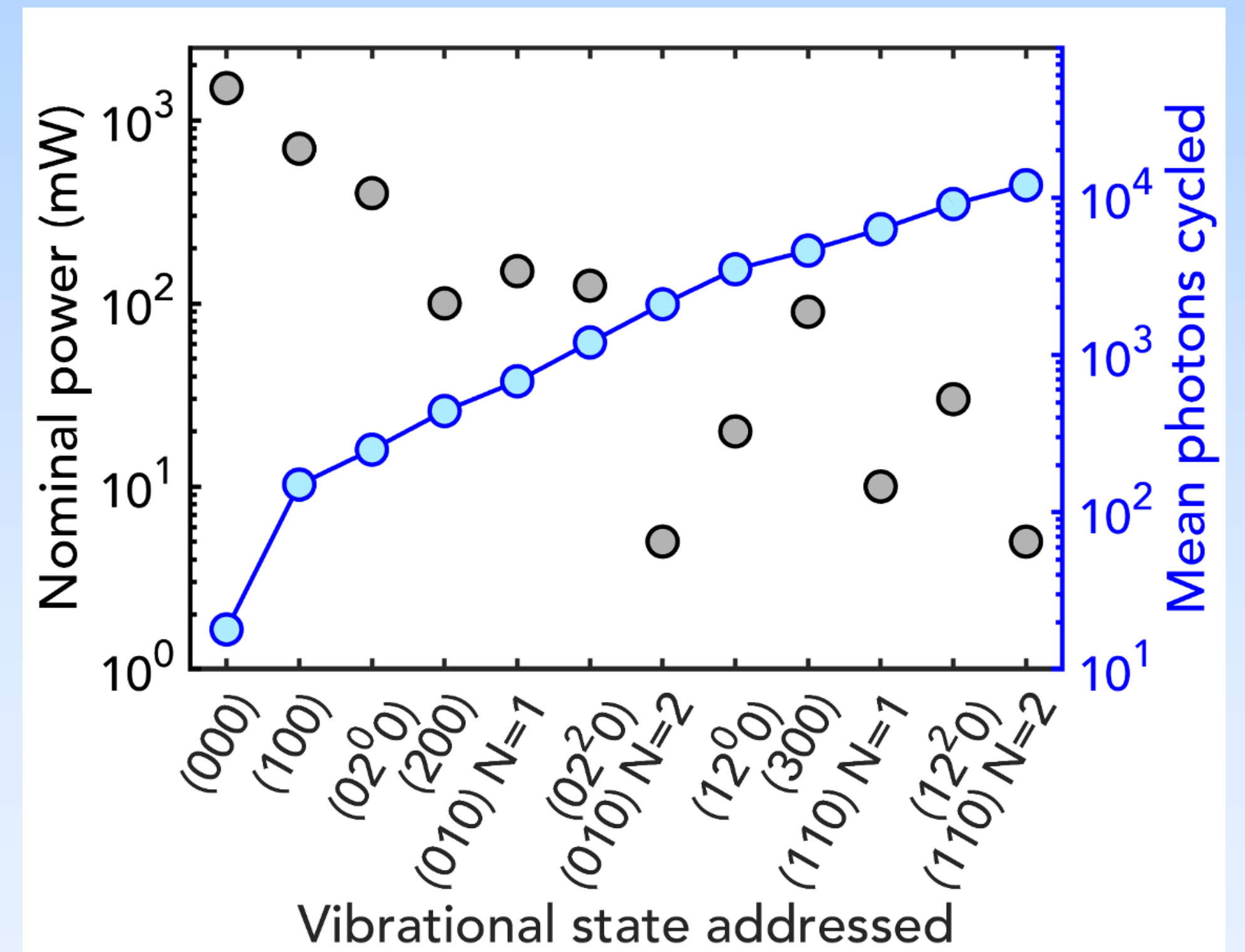
Why are we so confident that it will all work for SrOH?

We have done it for CaOH.

3-D Laser Cooling of Triatomic Molecules **CaOH**



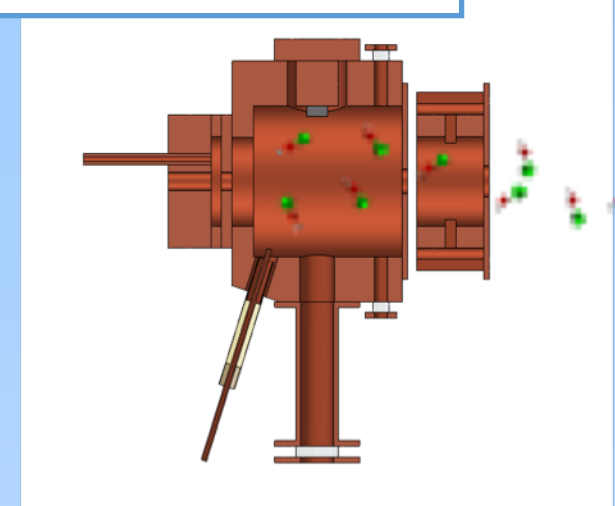
We Cycle >10,000 photons per molecule!



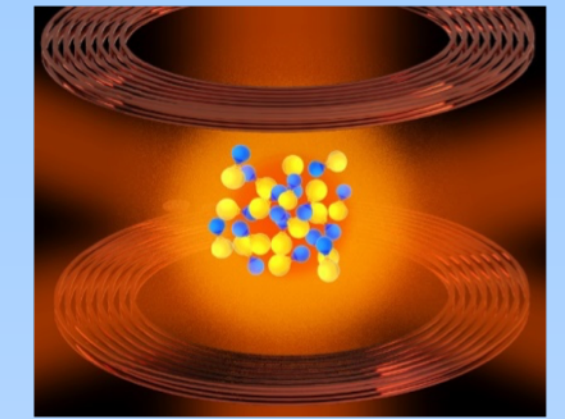
3-D Laser Cooling and Optical Trapping CaOH

2021 -2022

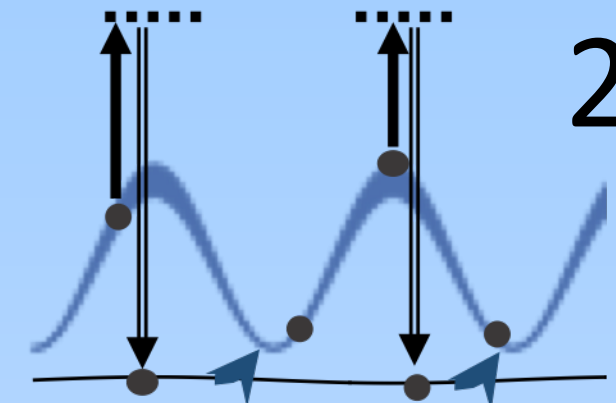
Experimental sequence for optical trapping of CaOH molecules...



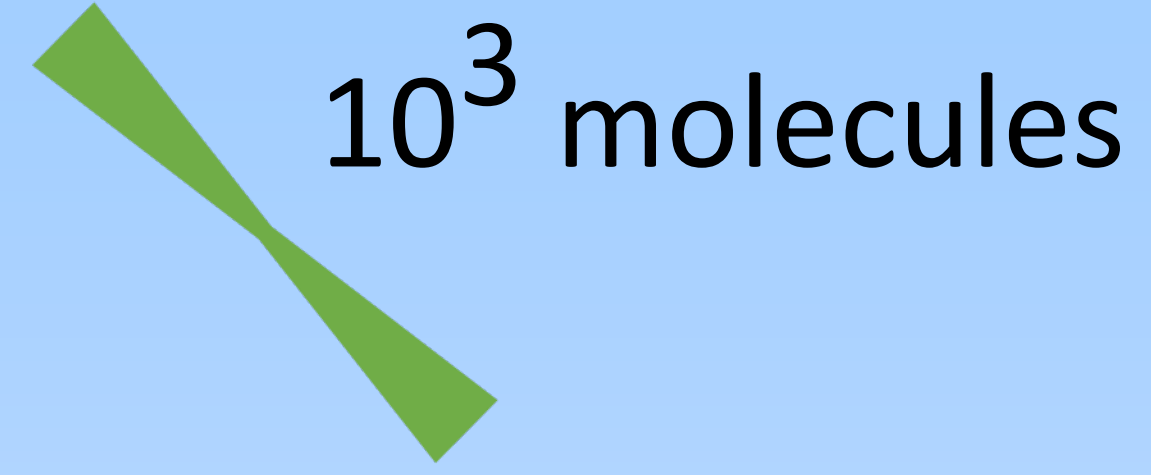
Ablation
Produce CaOH



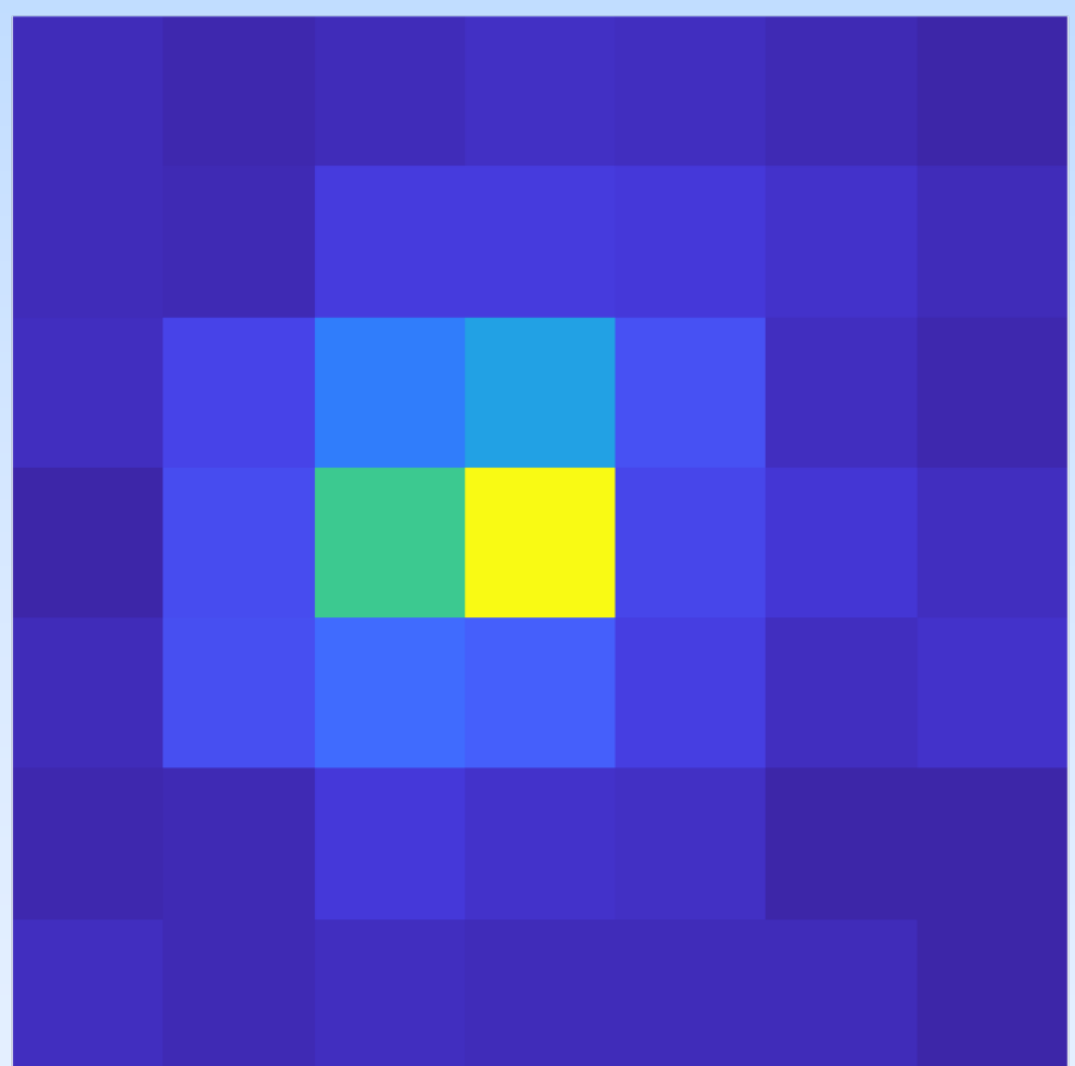
Slowing and MOT



Sub-Doppler cooling



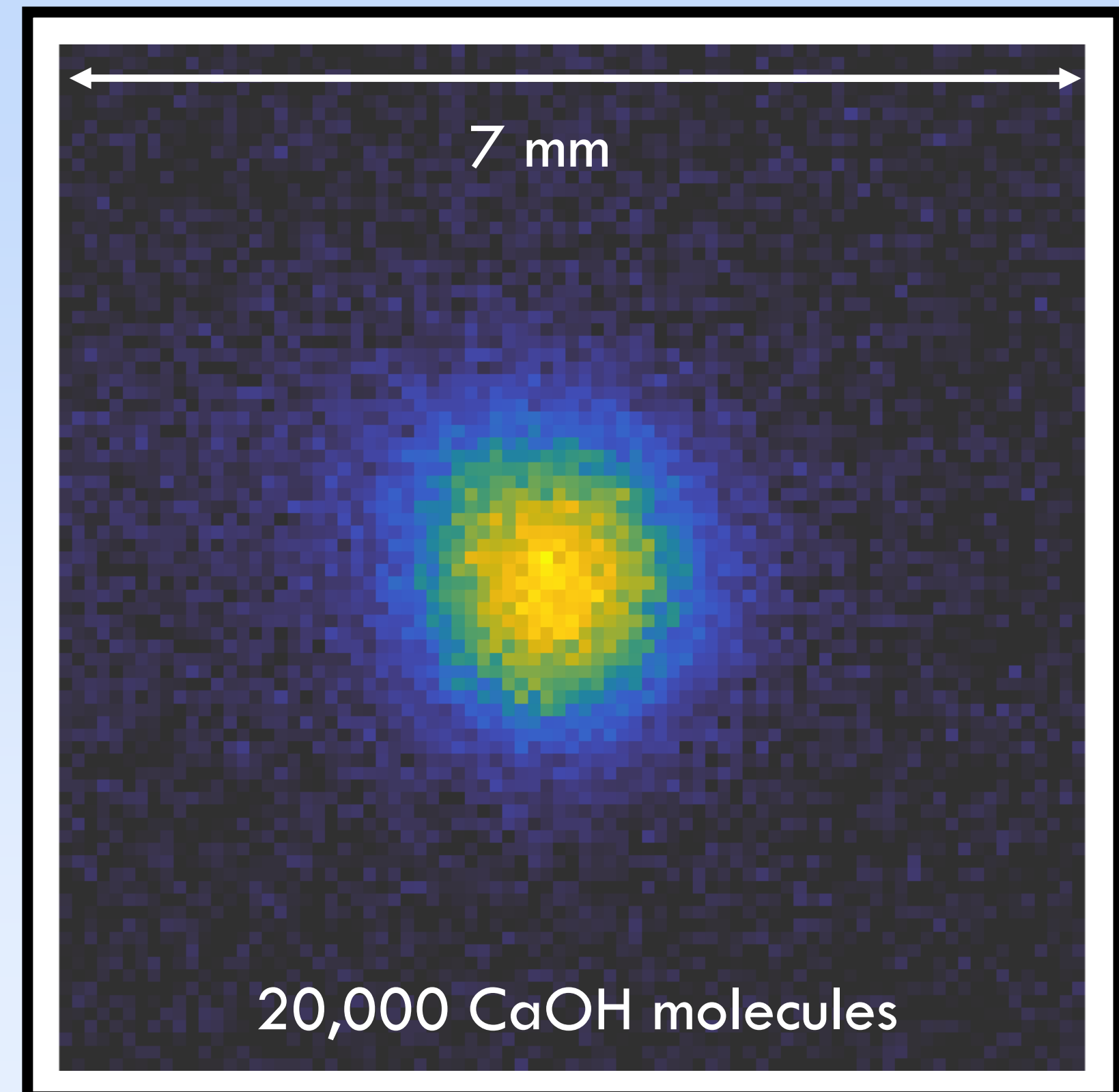
Optical trapping



EMCCD image of optically trapped CaOH molecules

“Single Shot” image

$T \sim 40 \text{ uK}$
In an
ODT
(Optical
Dipole
Trap)



20,000 CaOH molecules

$T \sim 1 \text{ mK}$
In a
MOT
(Magneto-
Optical
Trap)

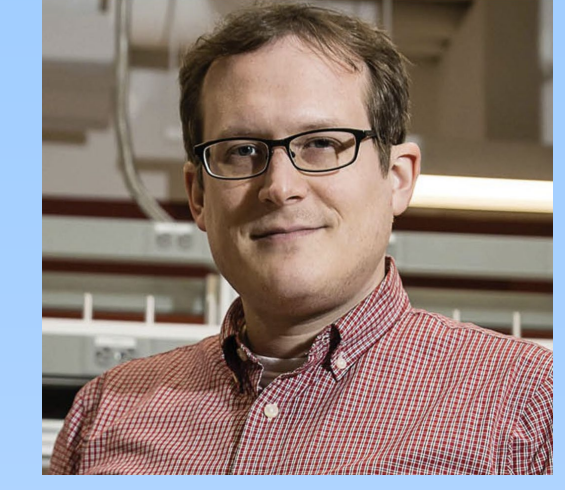
Pathfinder Experiment to EDM CaOH

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Caltech Collaborators



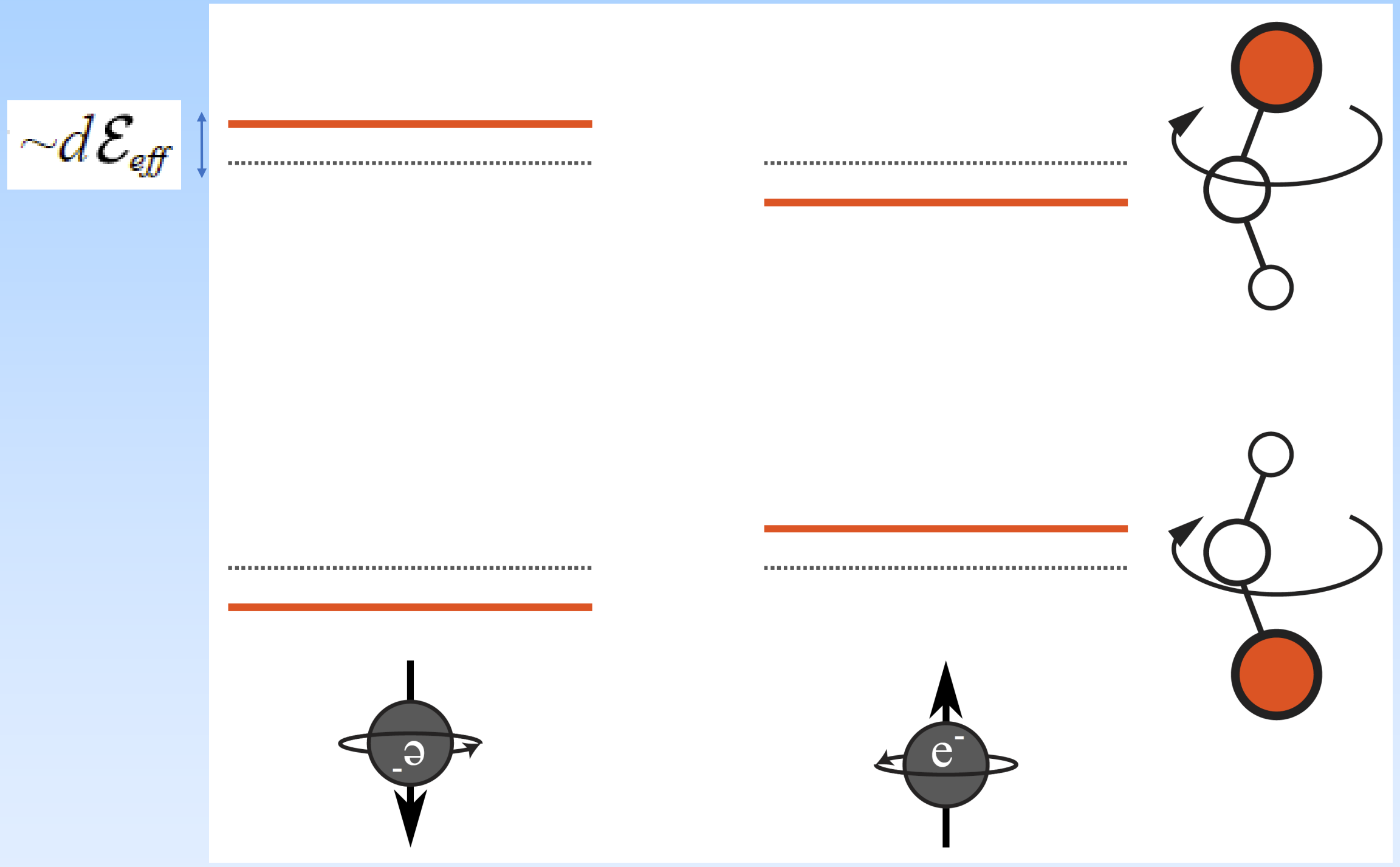
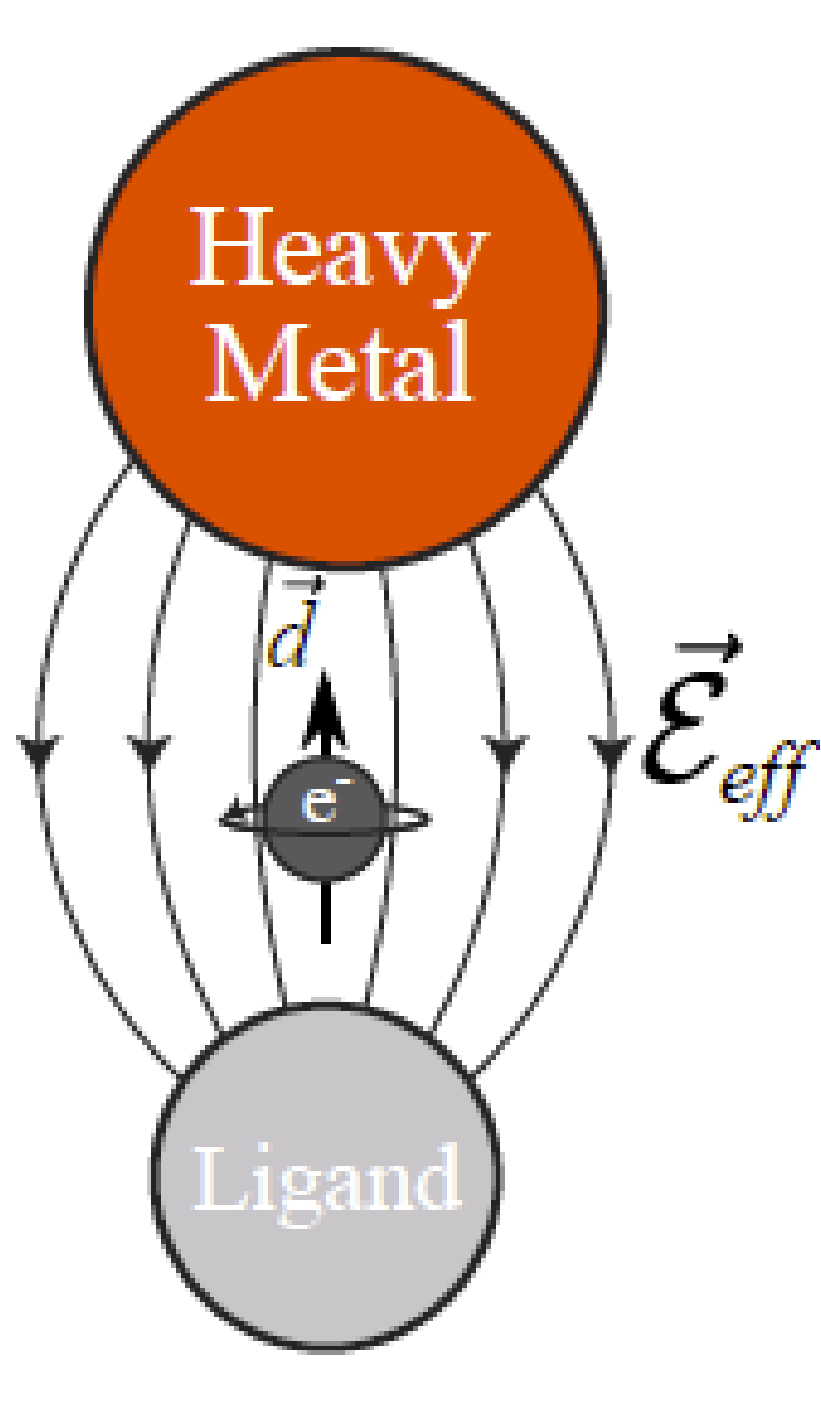
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Nick Hutzler

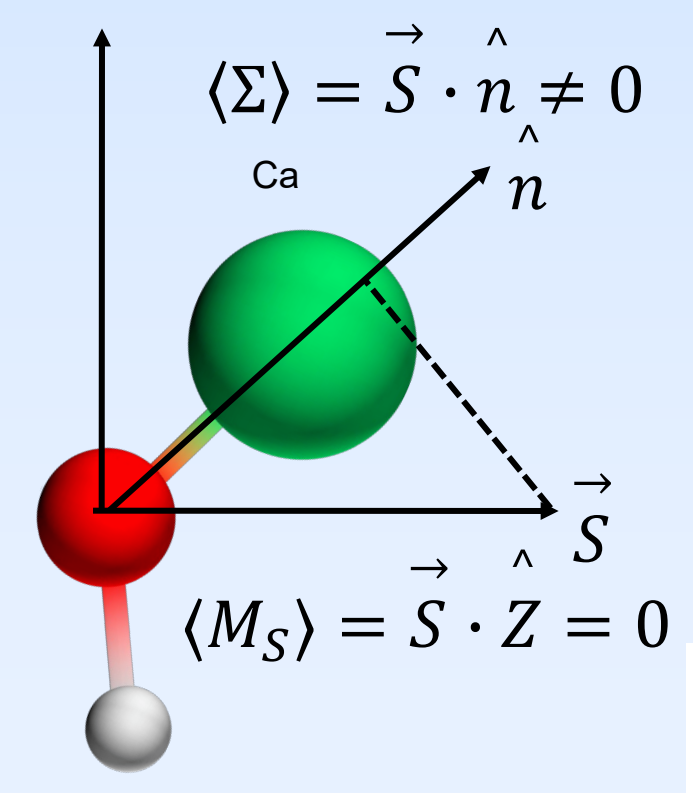


PolyEDM



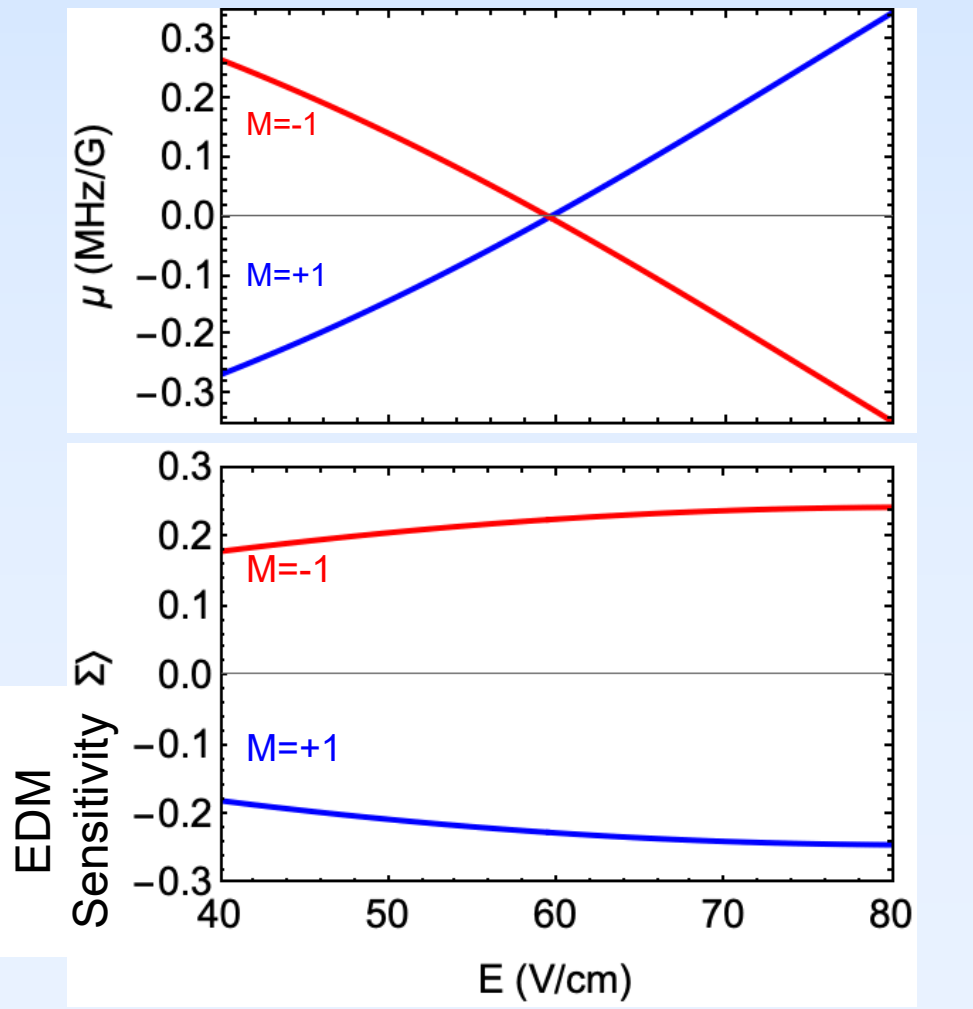
Opposite EDM Shift

\vec{Z}
 $\vec{E}, \vec{B}, \vec{\epsilon}_{ODT}$



- Application of a lab E_Z results in states with "zero" electron g-factor
 - Still sensitive to EDM interaction!
- Useful for rejecting systematic errors from stray B_Z fields

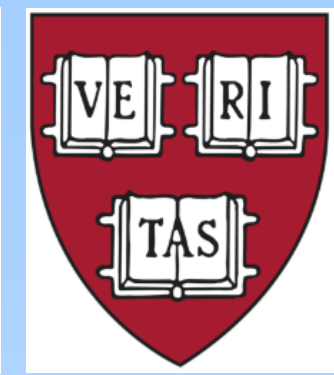
Zero g-factor EDM states



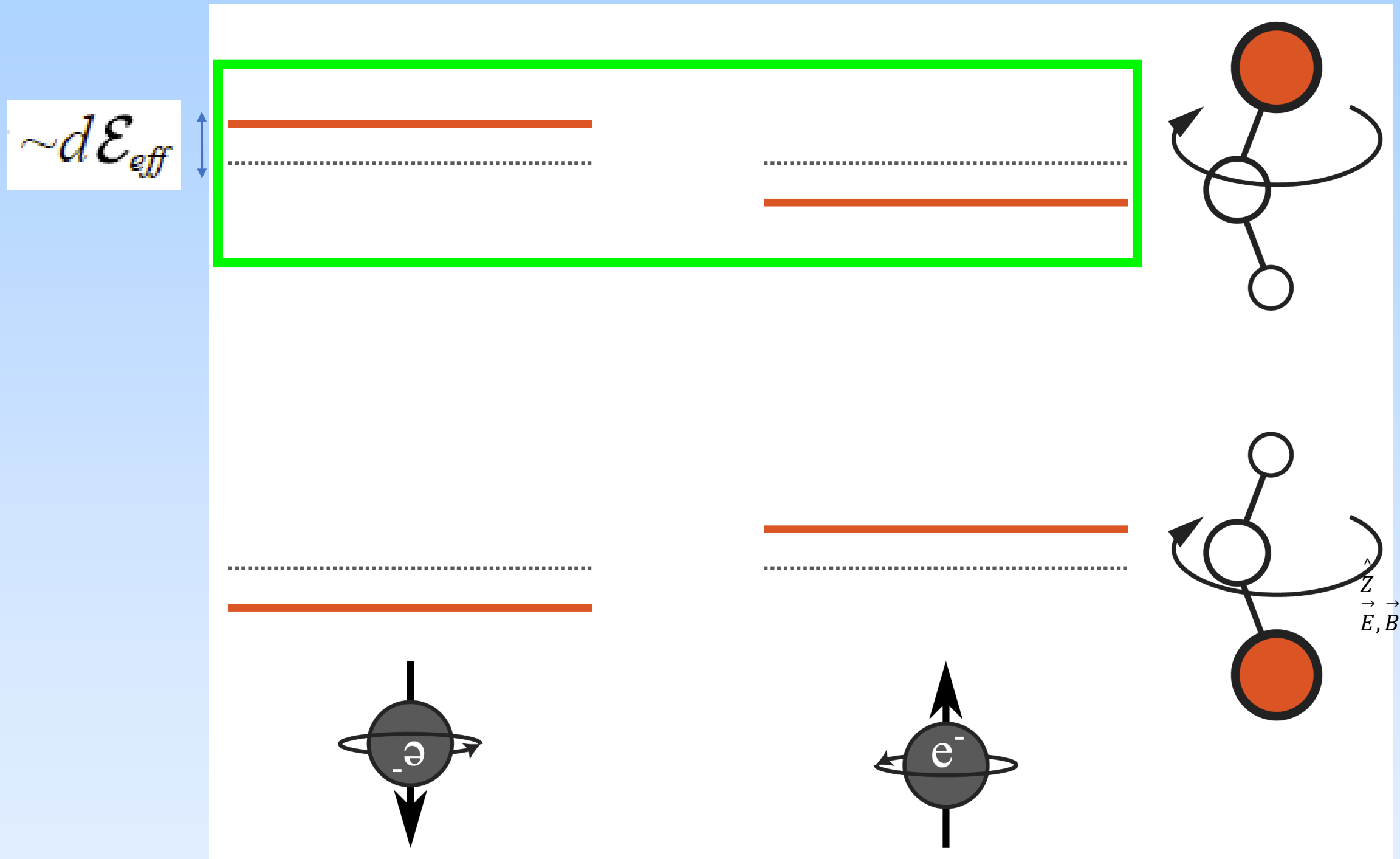
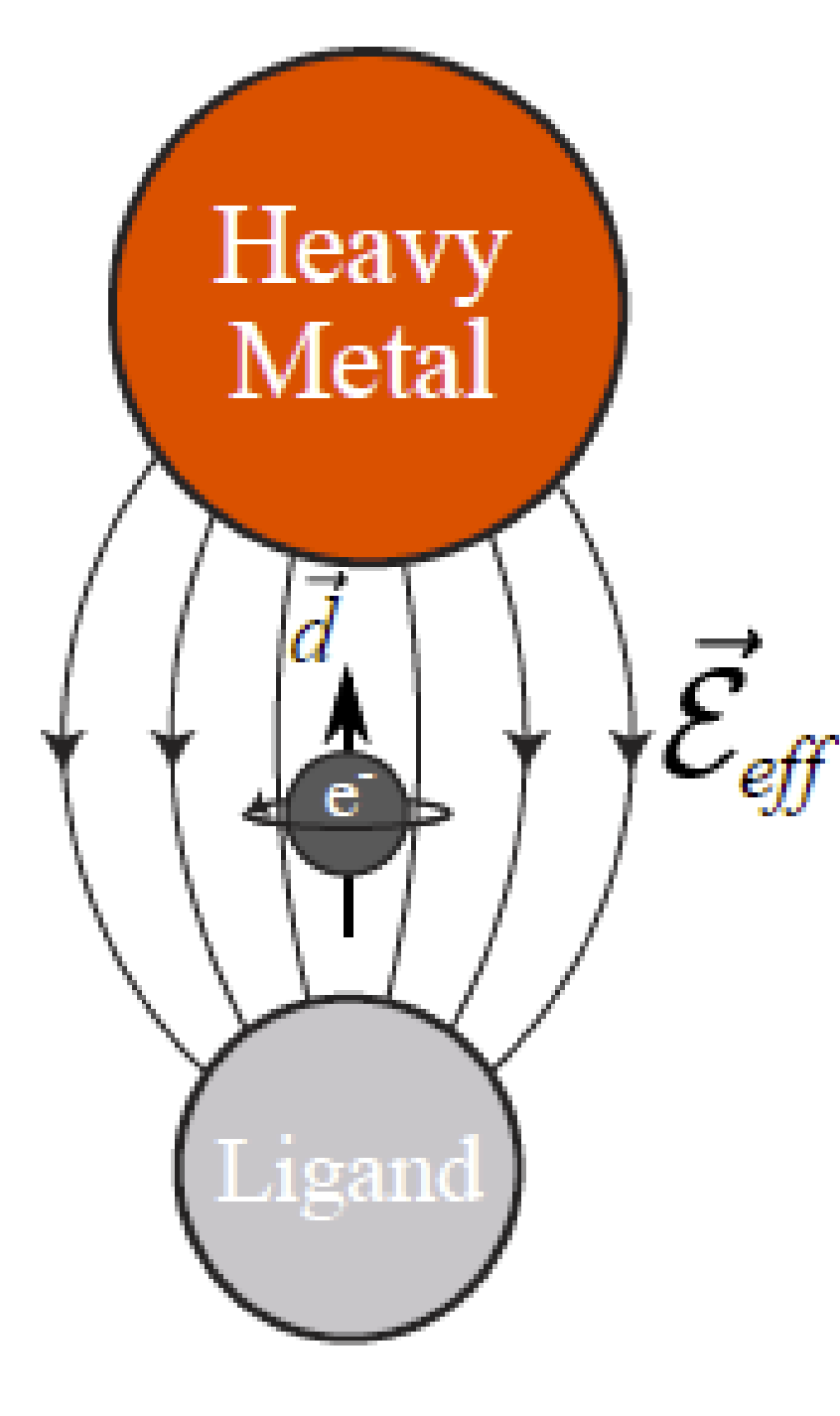
Aligned "comagnetometer" states have opposite EDM shifts, aiding systematic error rejection

Pathfinder Experiment to EDM CaOH

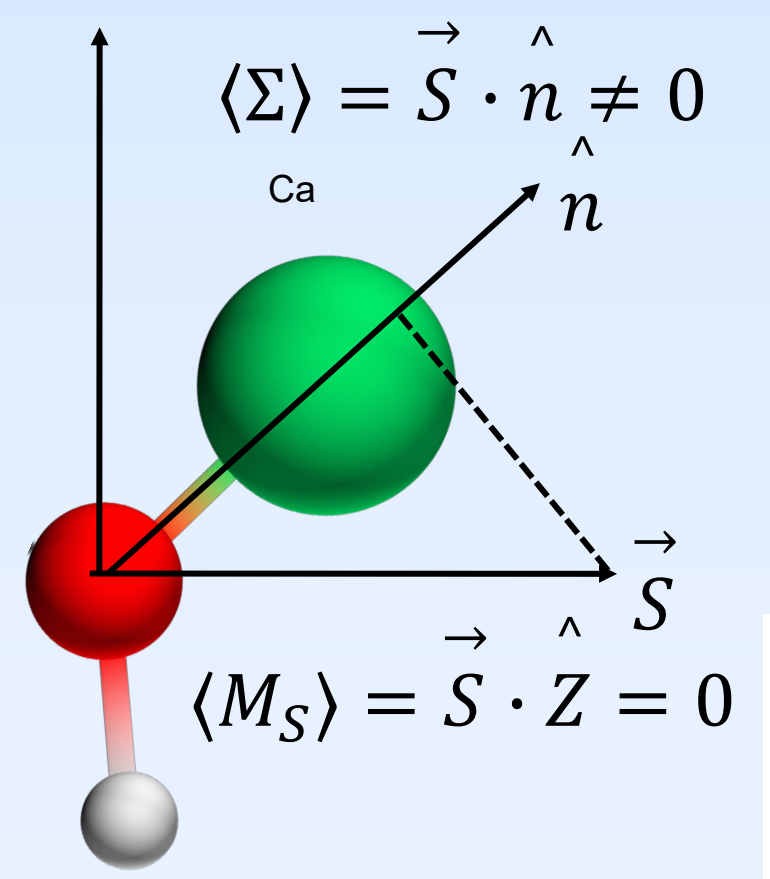
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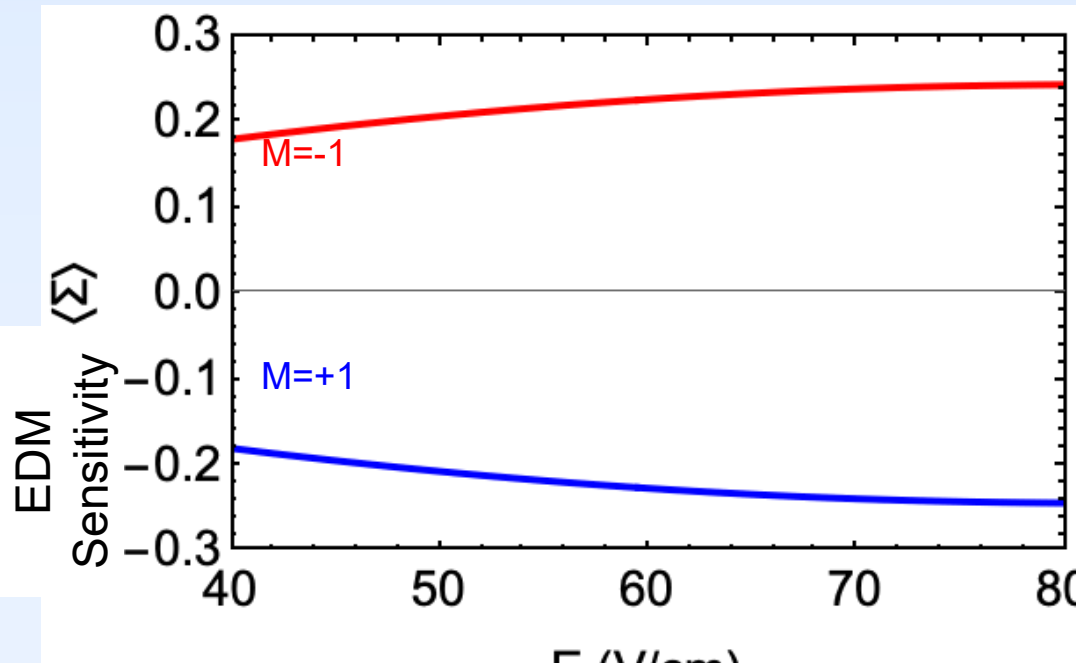
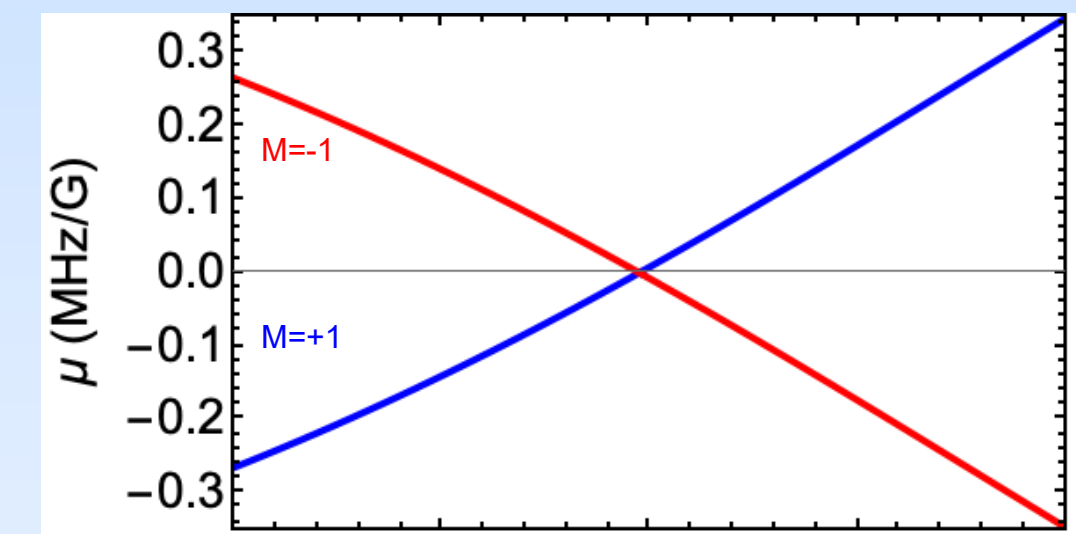
PolyEDM



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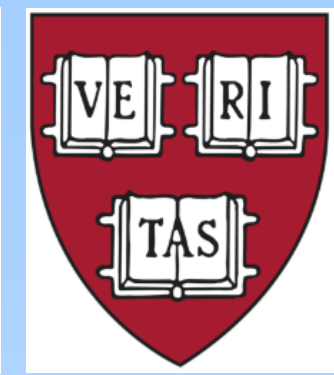
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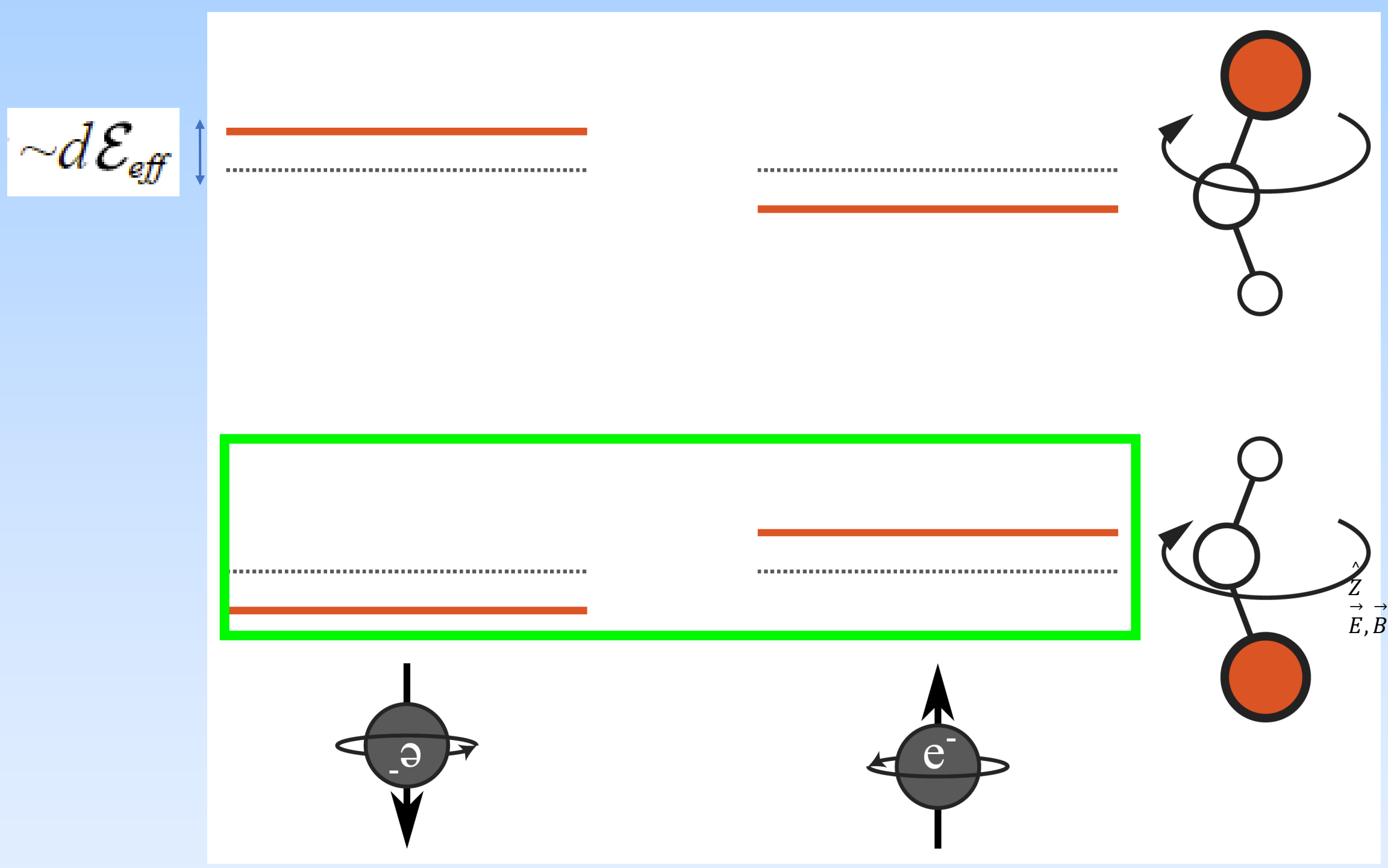
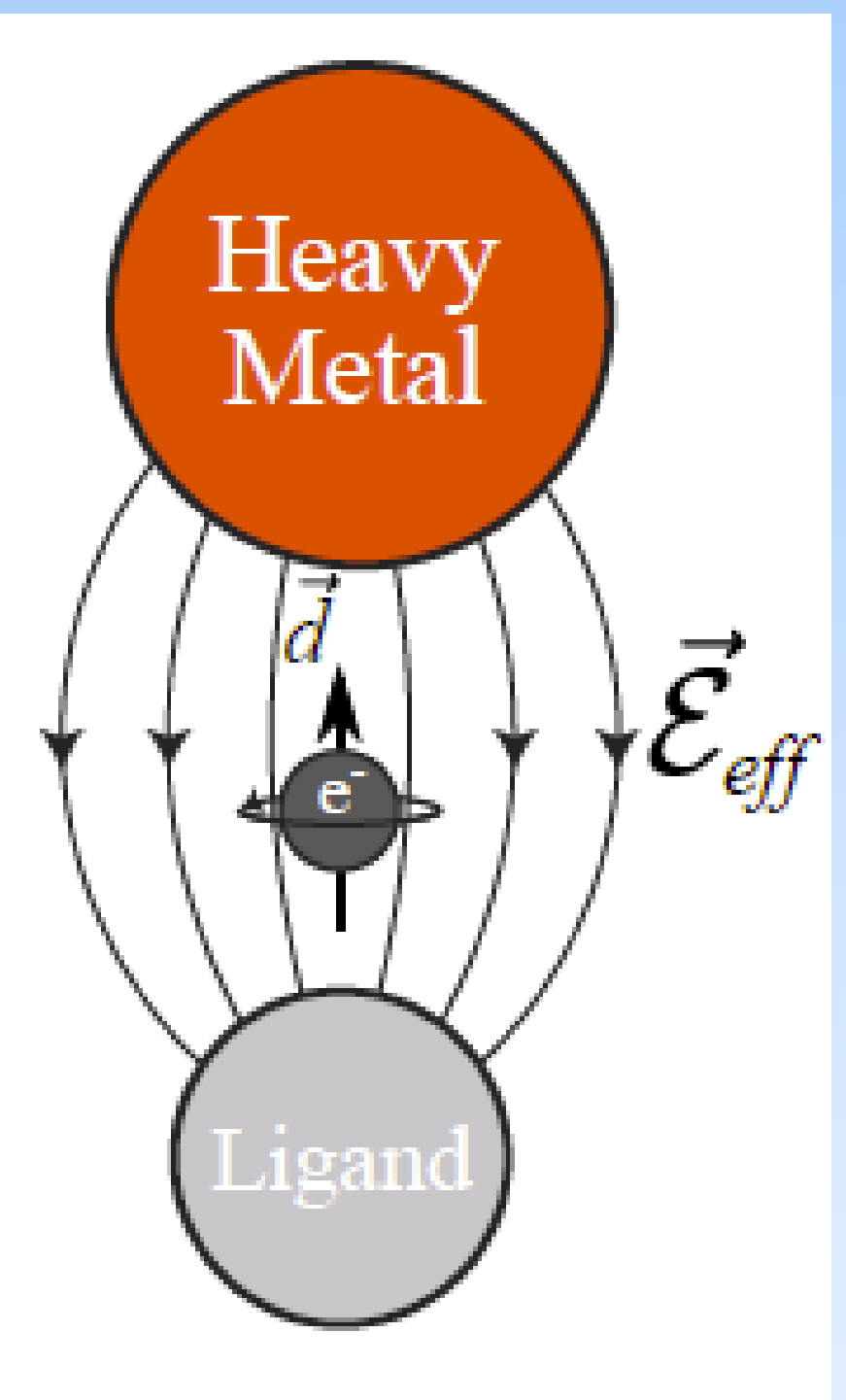
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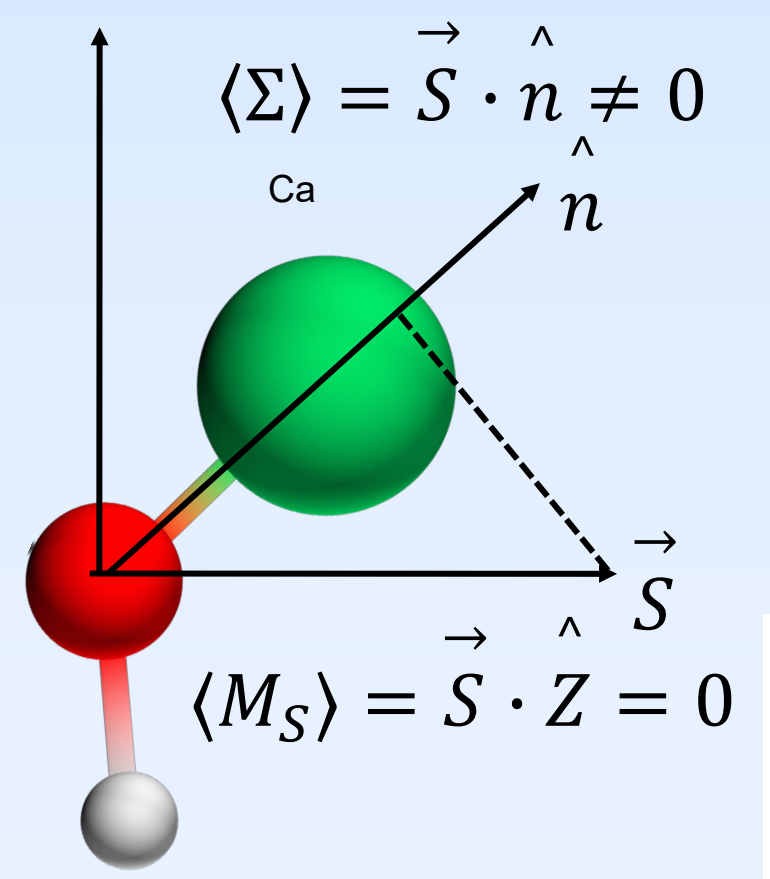
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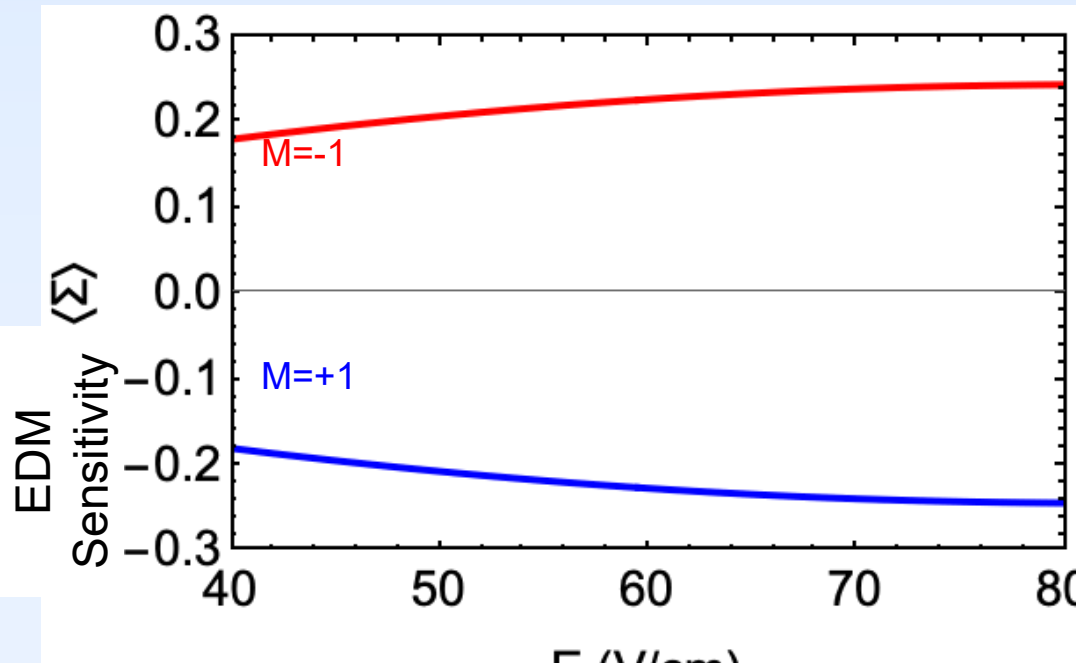
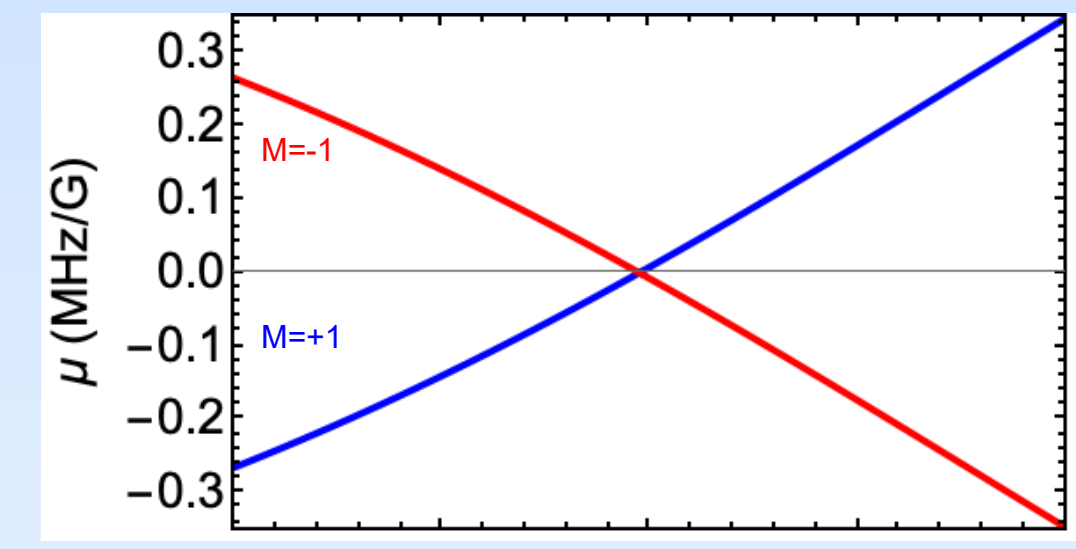
PolyEDM



Opposite EDM Shift



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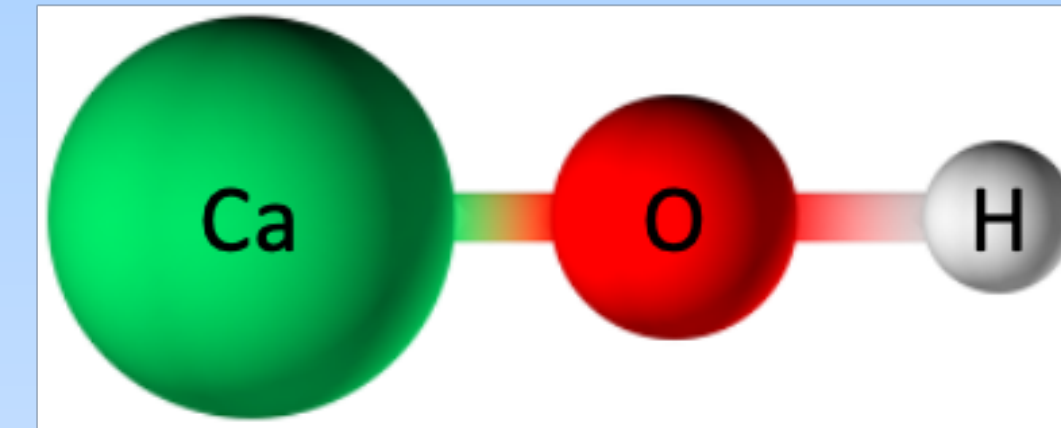
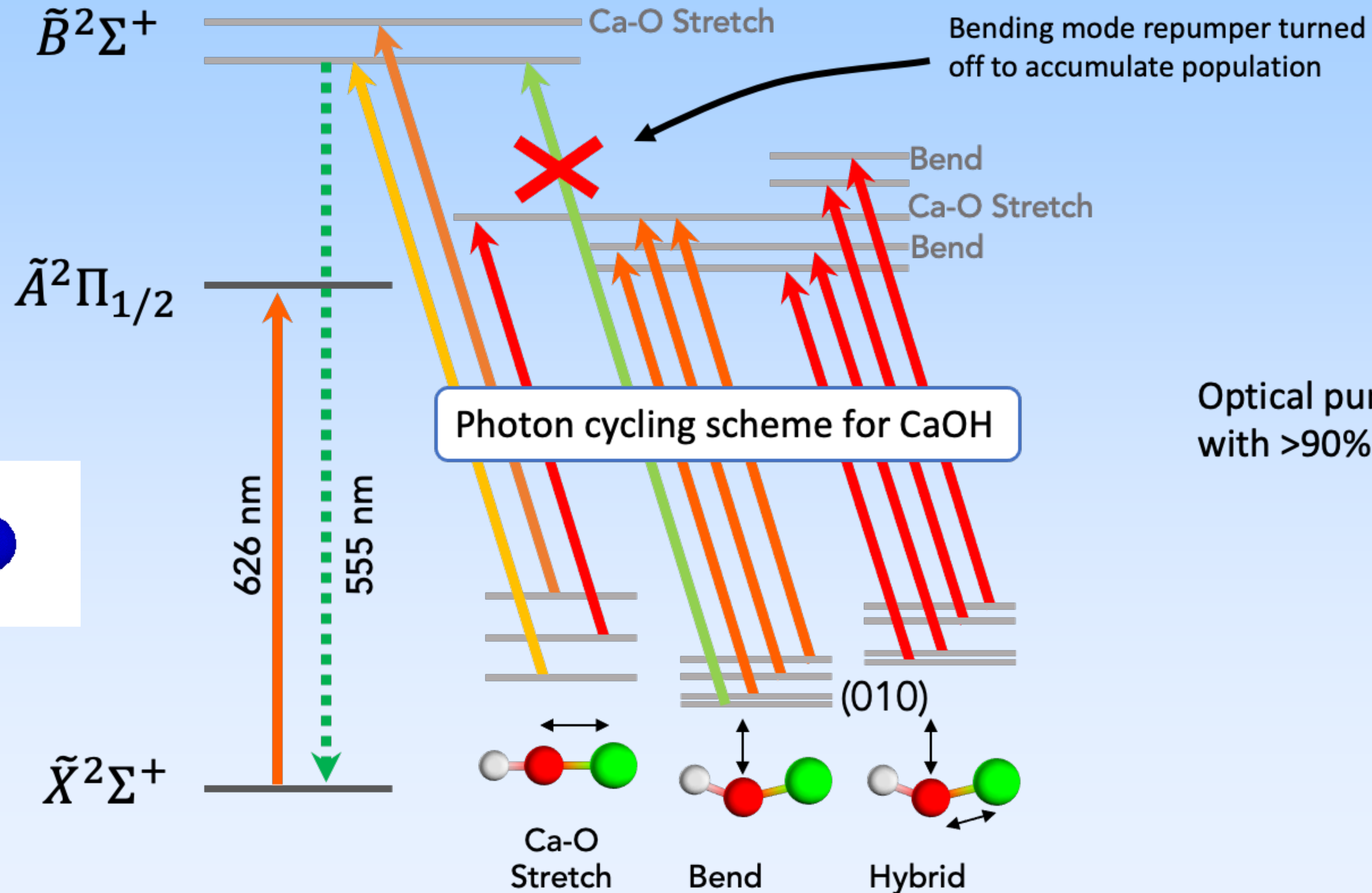


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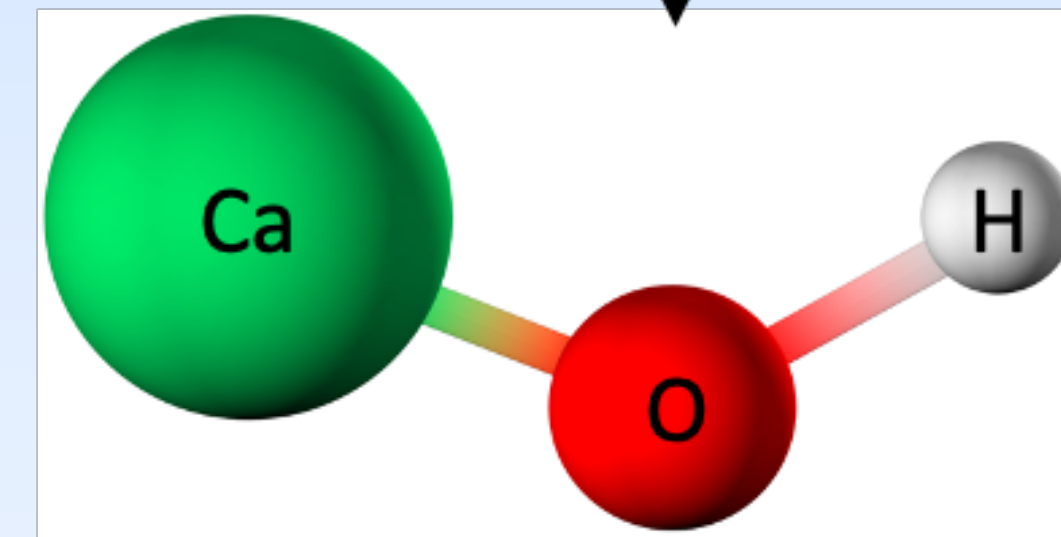
Optically Pump into the Bending Mode (010) CaOH

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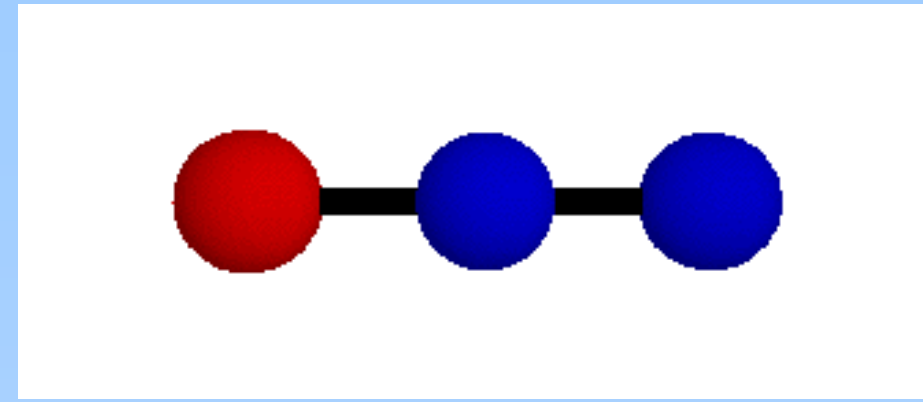
CaOH molecules trapped in ODT, then transferred to bending mode via optical pumping



Optical pumping transfer with >90% efficiency



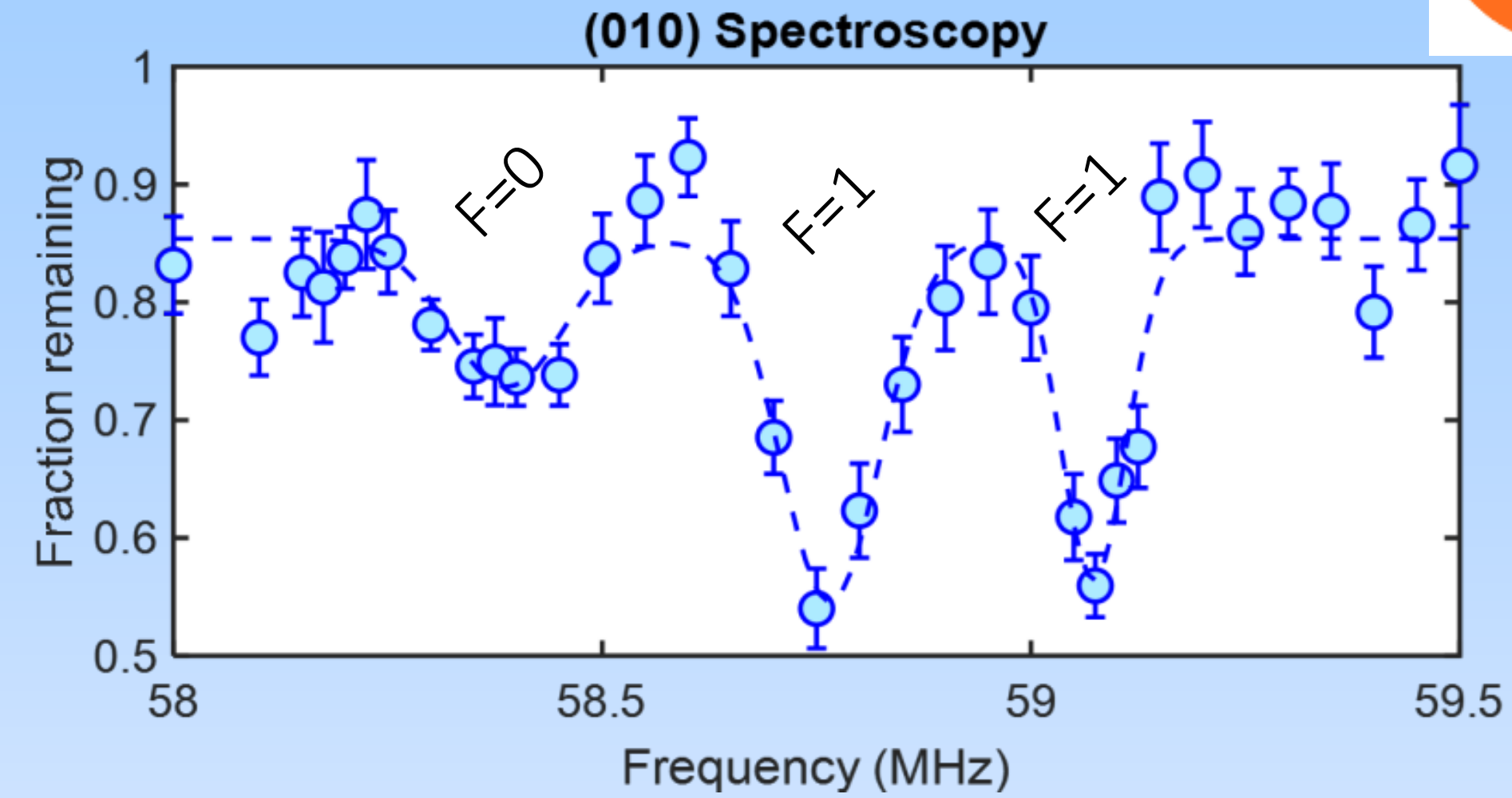
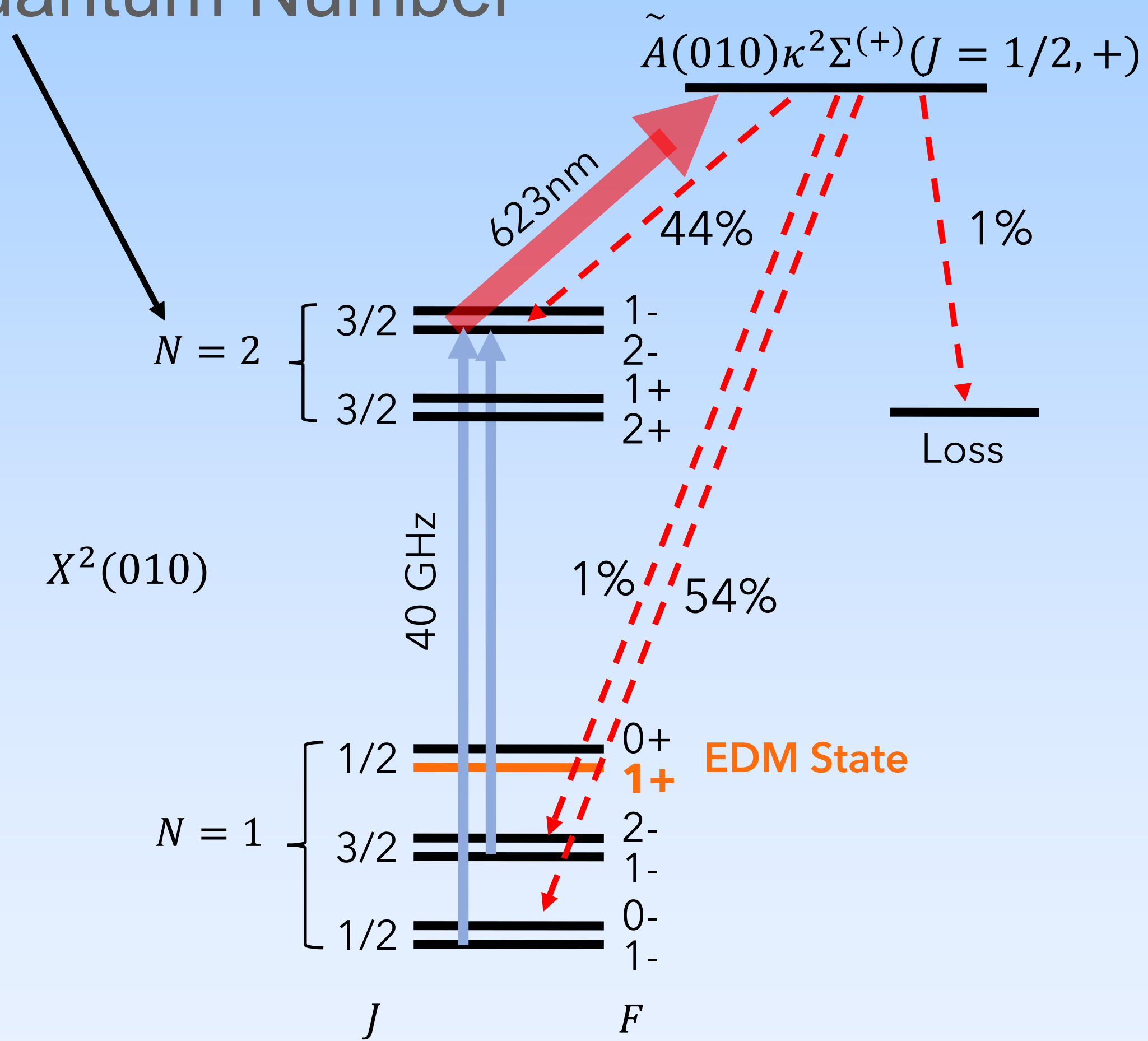
Single Quantum State Control Bending Mode (010)



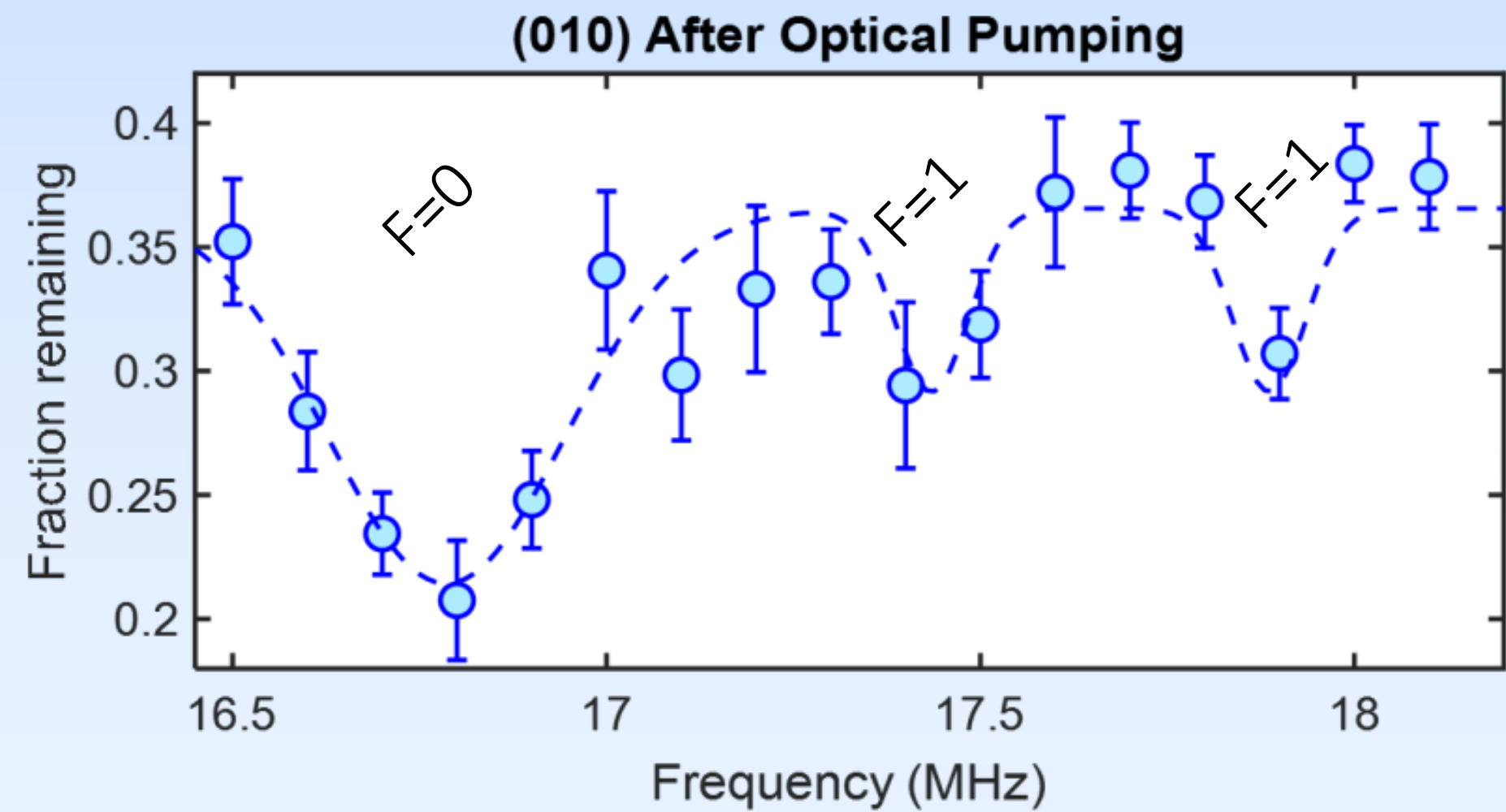
CaOH

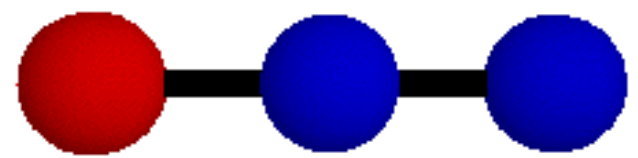


N is Rotational Quantum Number



PolyEDM



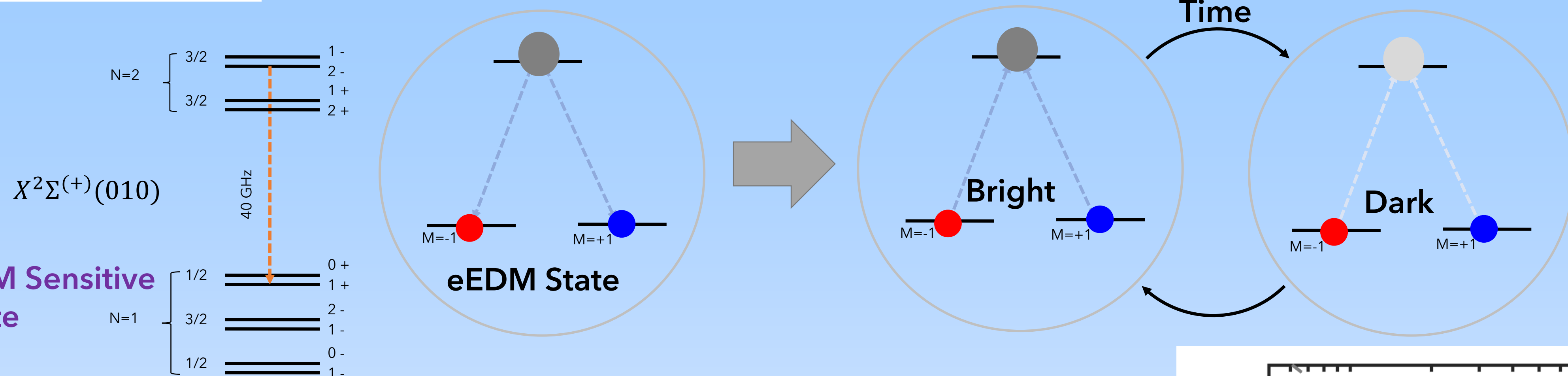


Bending Mode EDM State

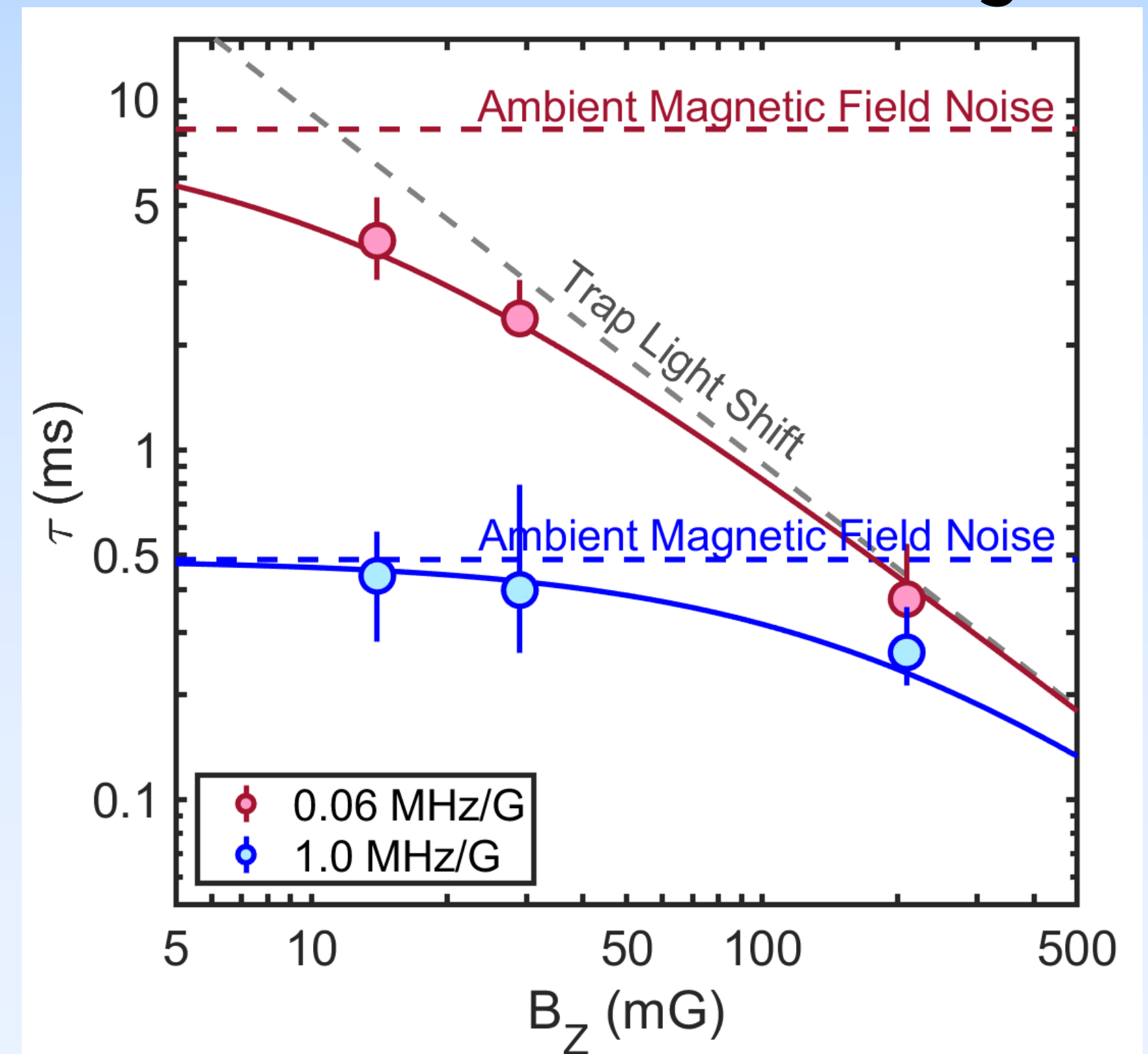
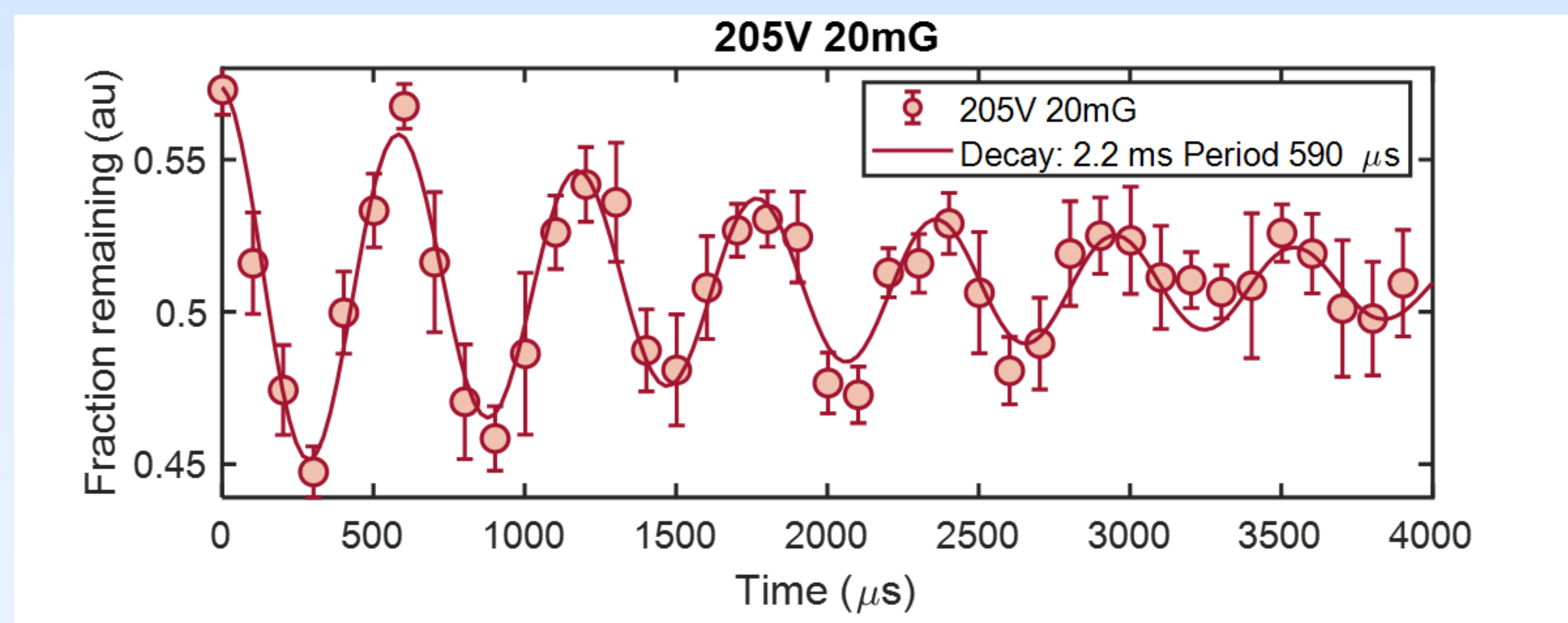
Electron Spin Precession in the EDM State



PolyEDM
Increased Coherence Near Zero g-factor



eEDM Sensitive Spin Precession



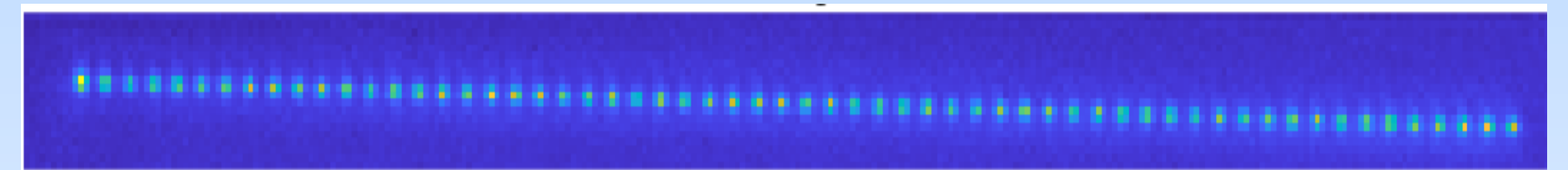
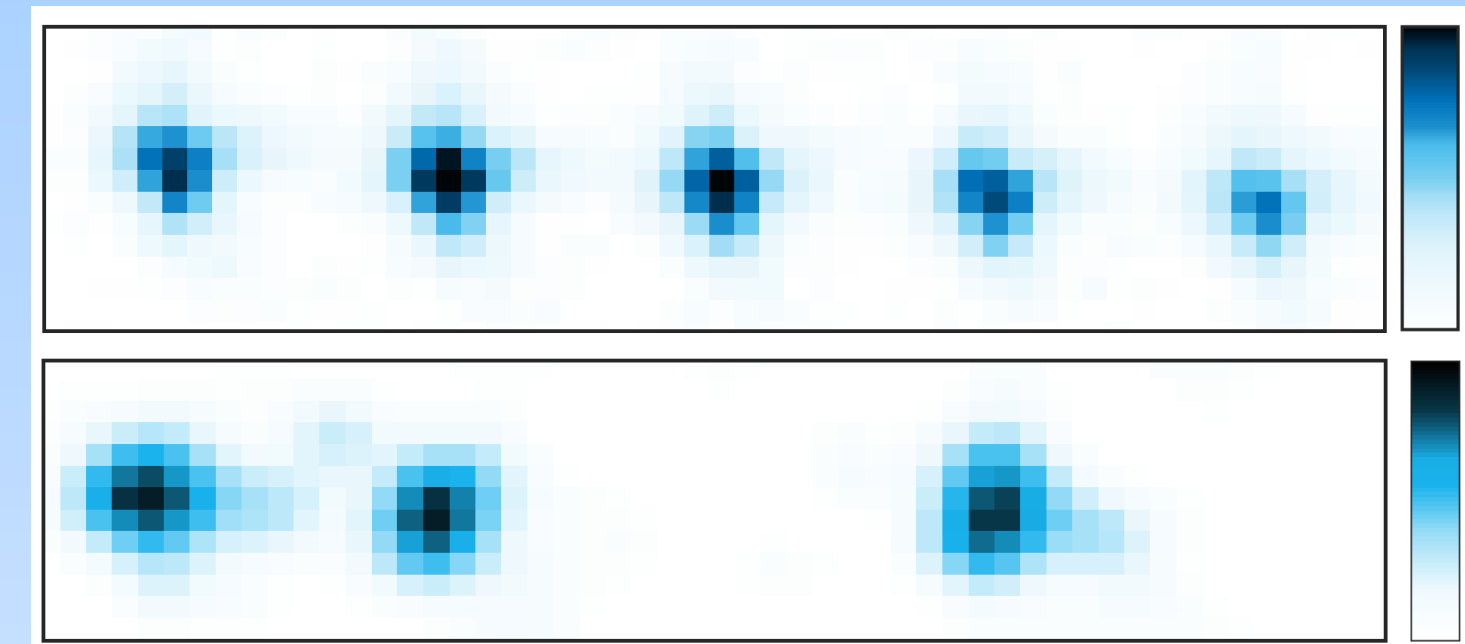
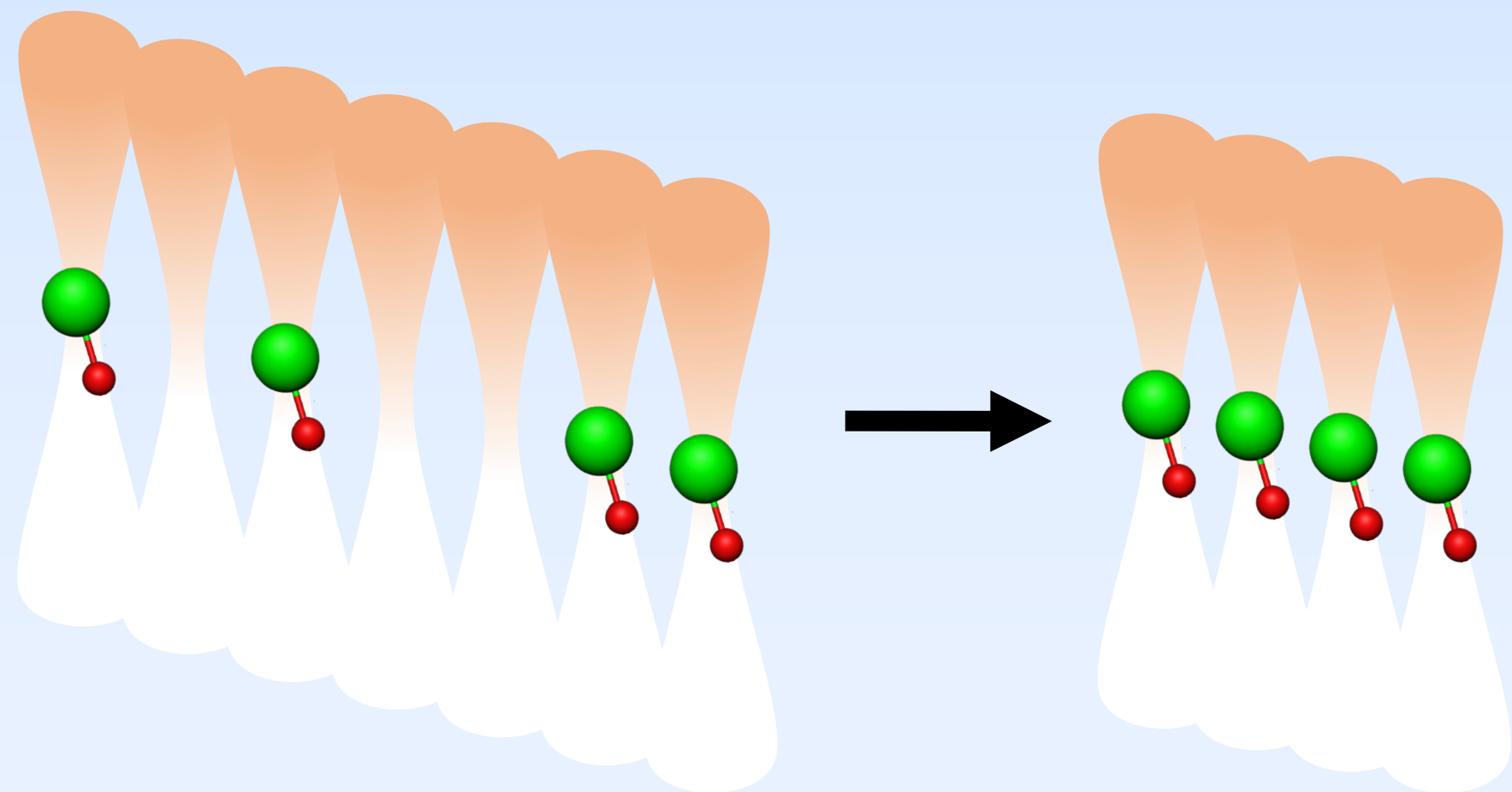
Optical Tweezer Arrays

Molecules in Tweezers

But wait, there's more
with CaOH!



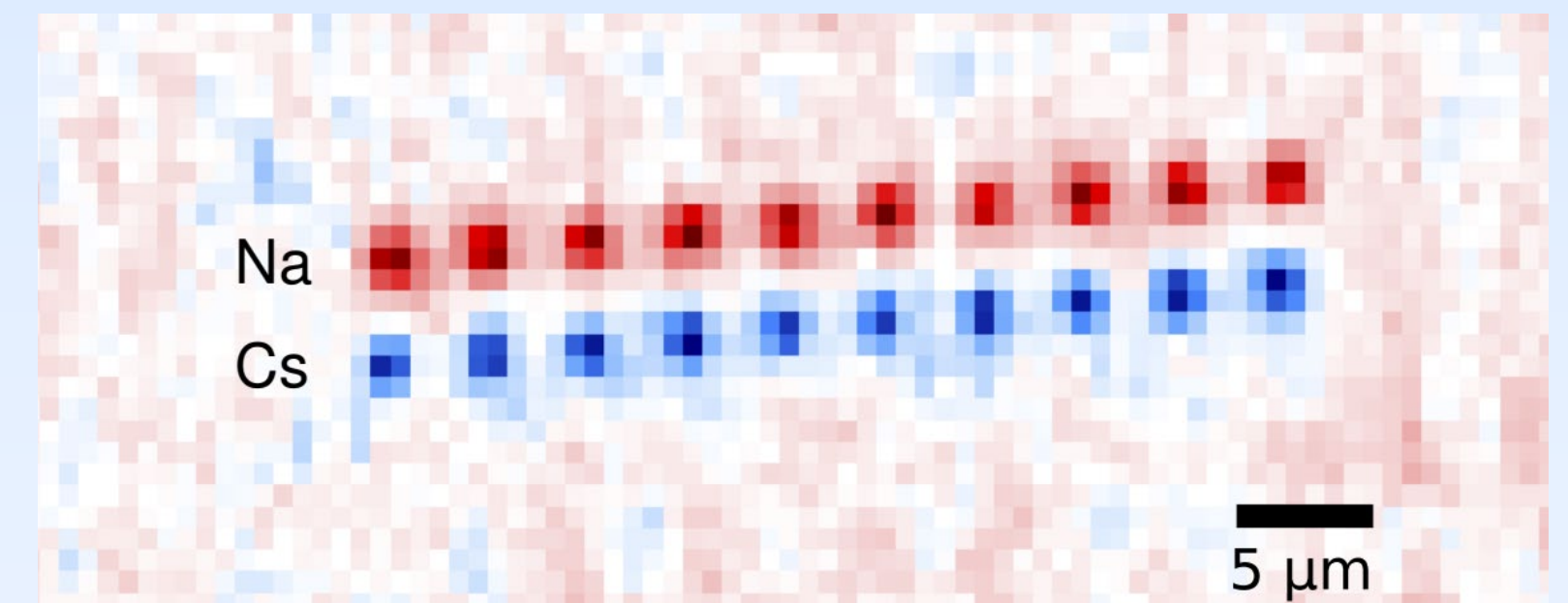
Rearrangeable Optical Tweezer Arrays



CaF - Harvard - Doyle Group

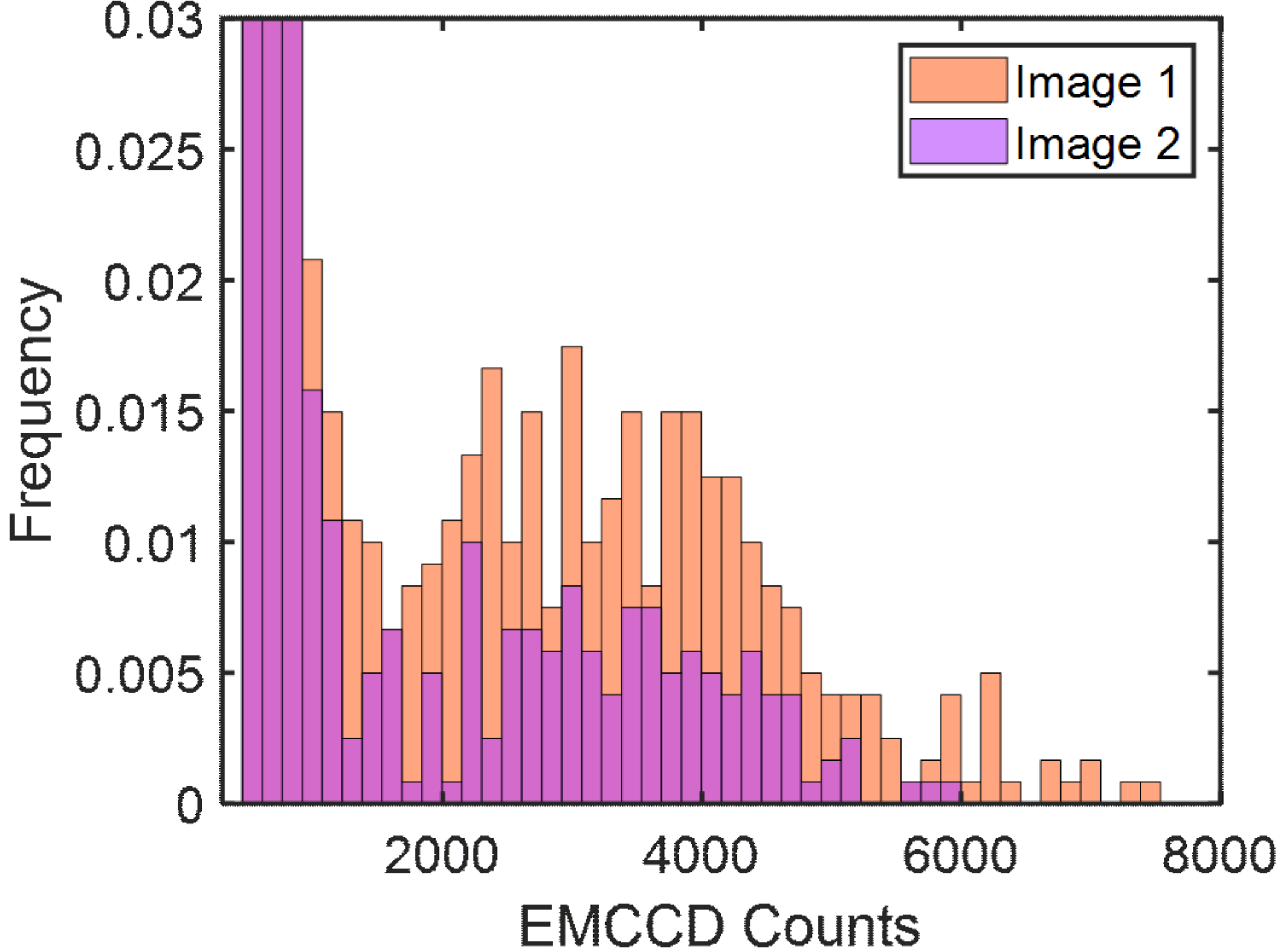
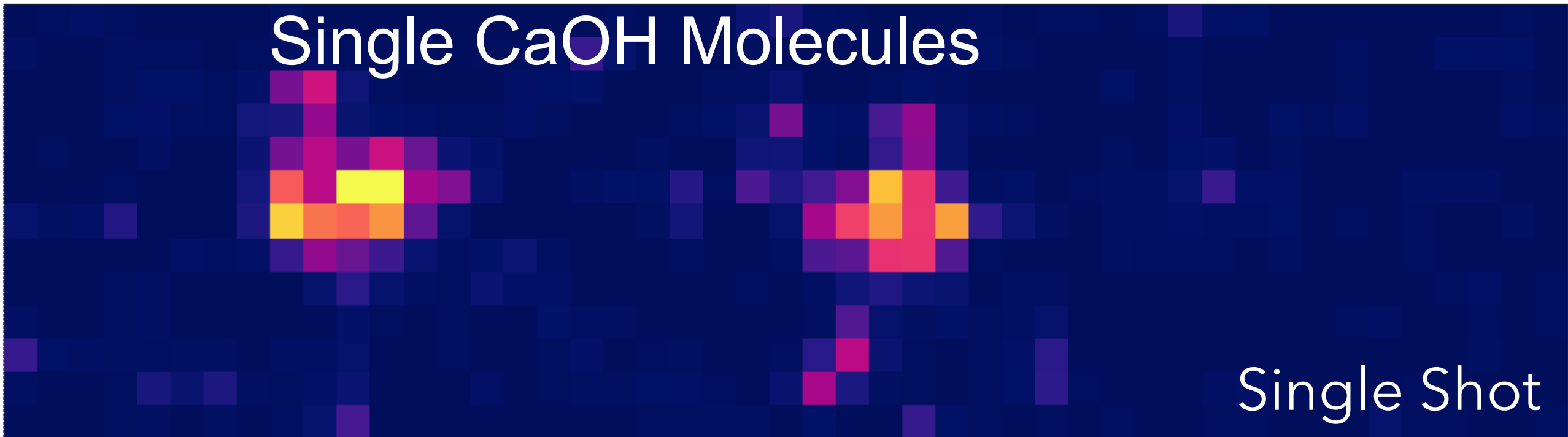
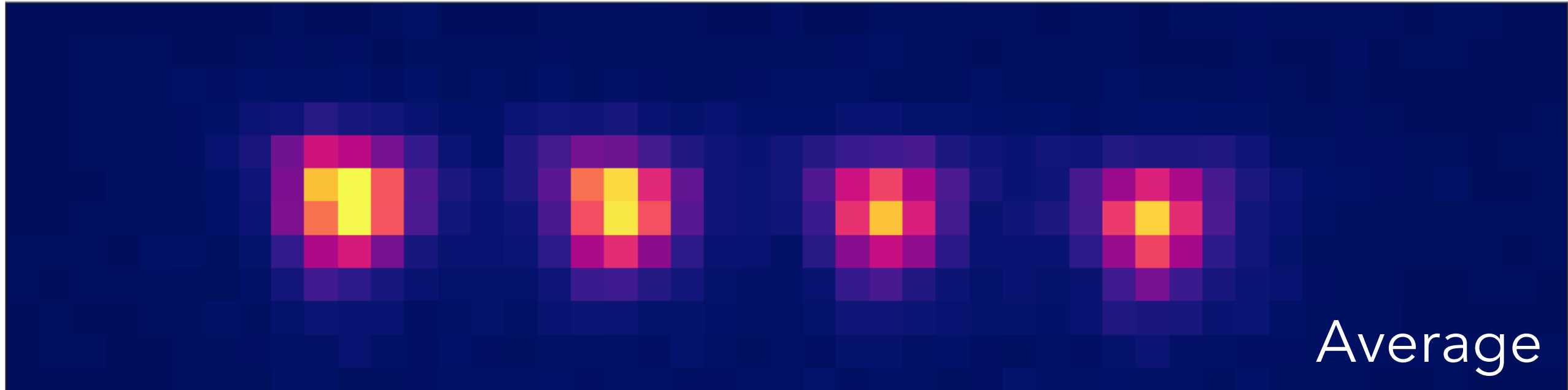


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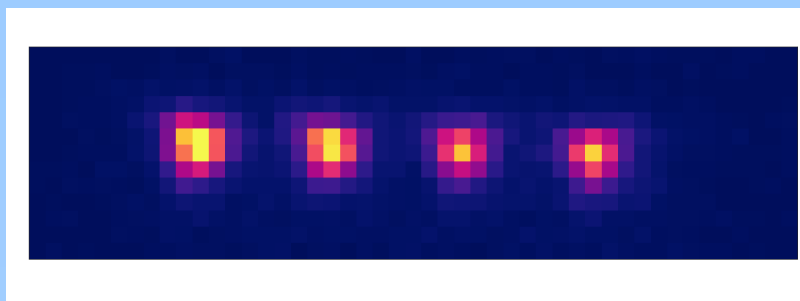


NaCs - Harvard - Ni Group

Optical Tweezer Array of CaOH Molecules



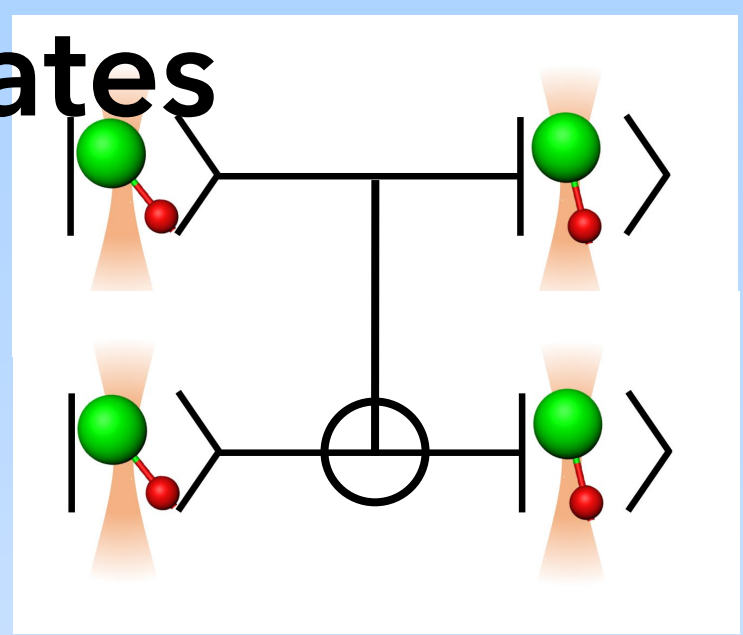
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CaOH (and other Triatomic Molecules) Outlook

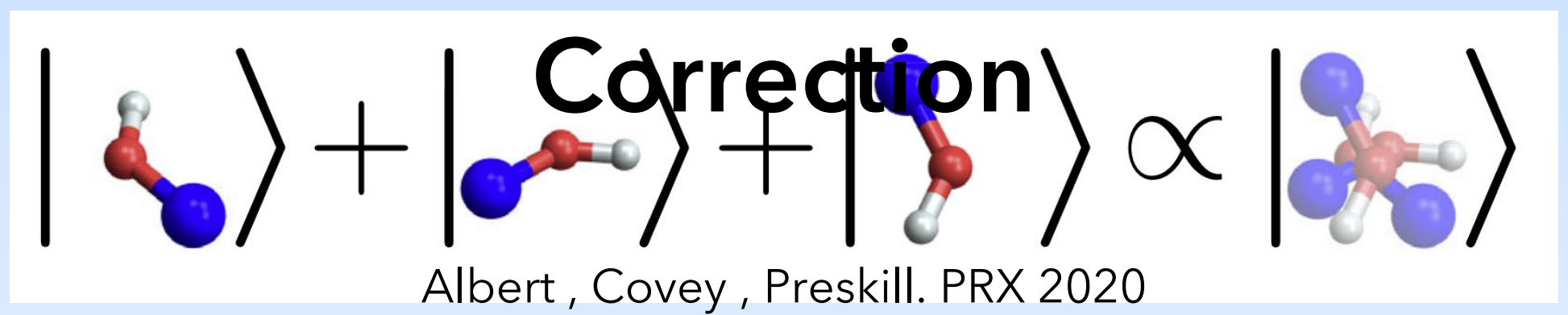
Single CaOH molecules
in an Optical Tweezer Array

Two Qubit Gates

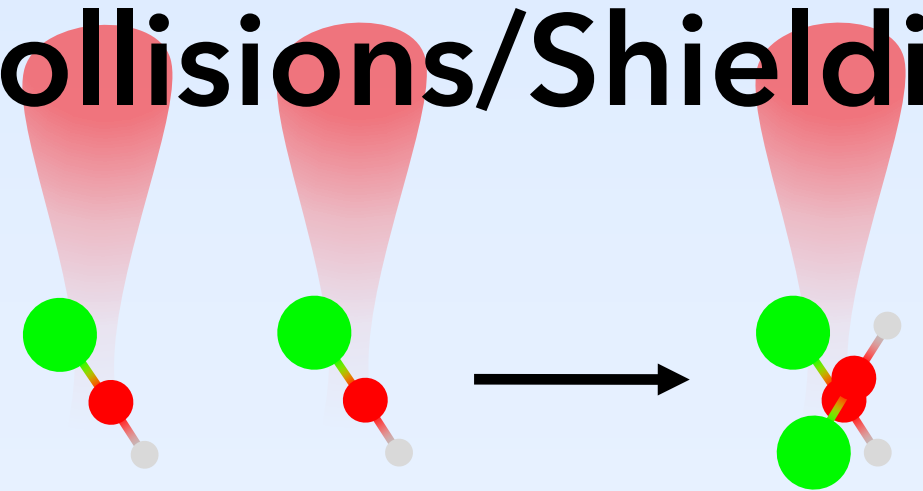


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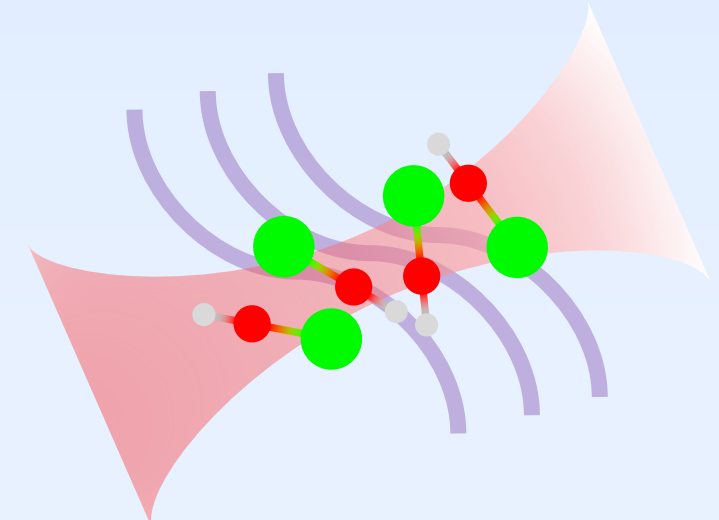
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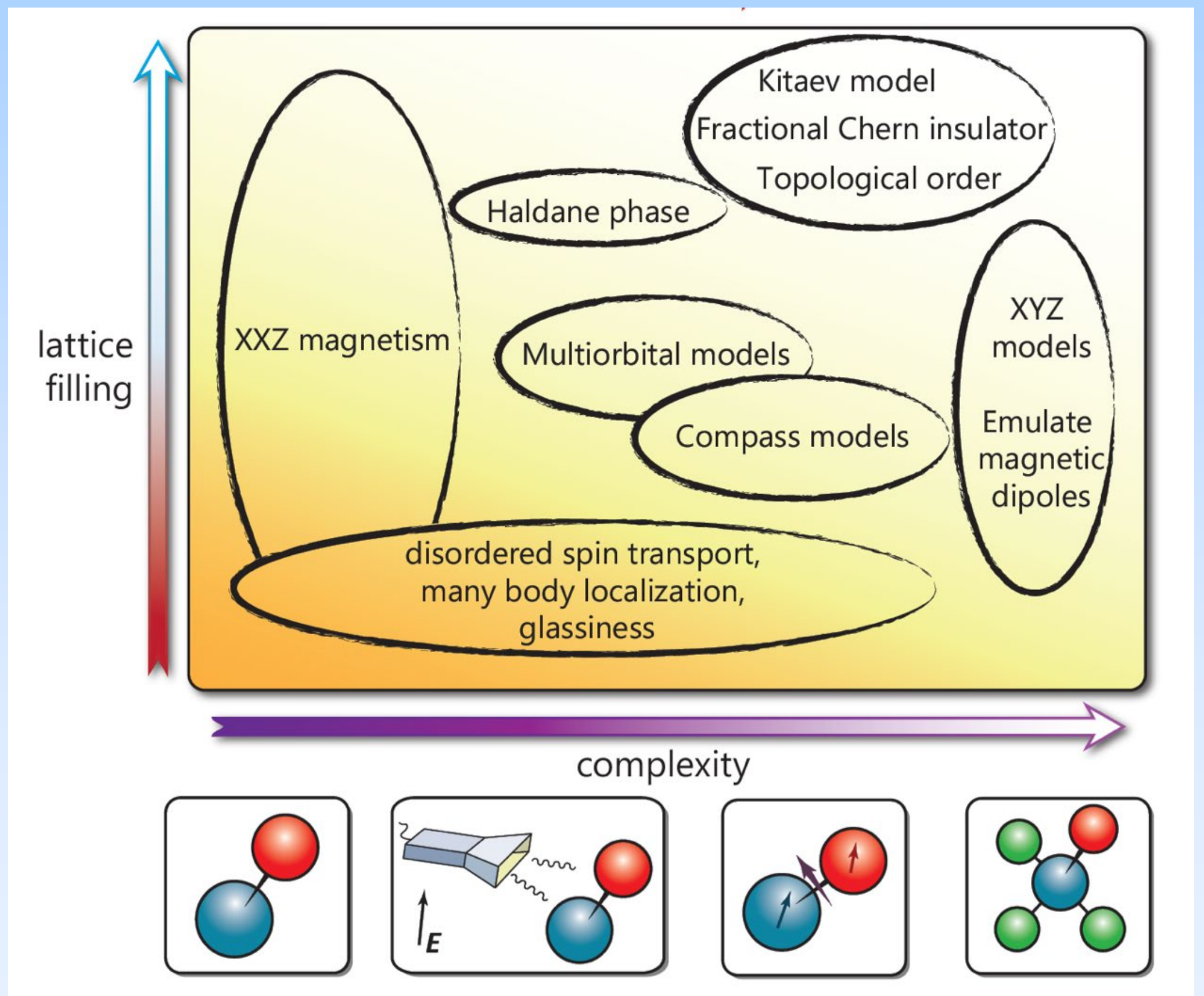
Collisions/Shielding



BSM Physics Searches



Complexity Adds Possibilities

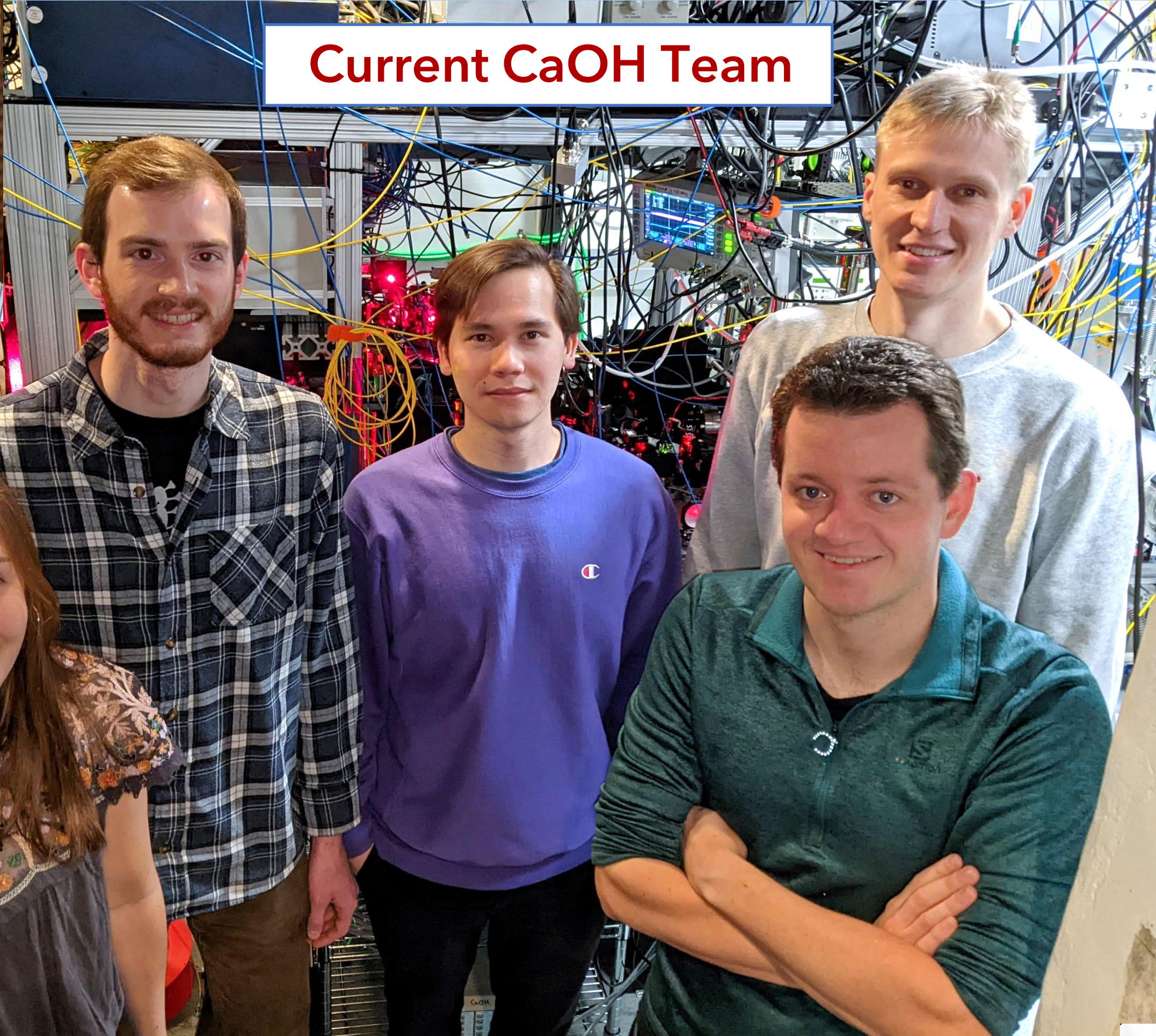


Wall et al 2014

CaOH Acknowledgments



Current CaOH Team



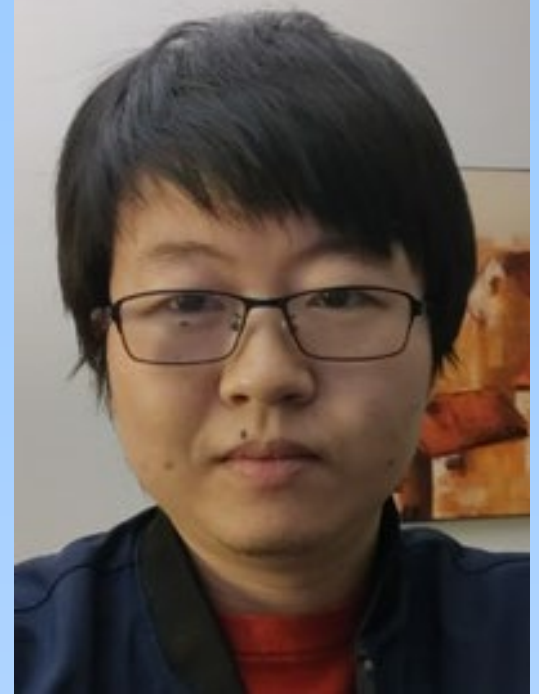
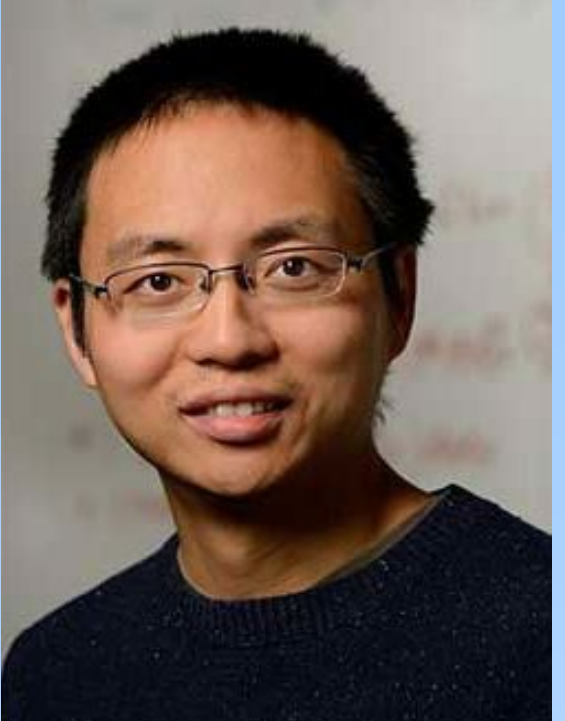
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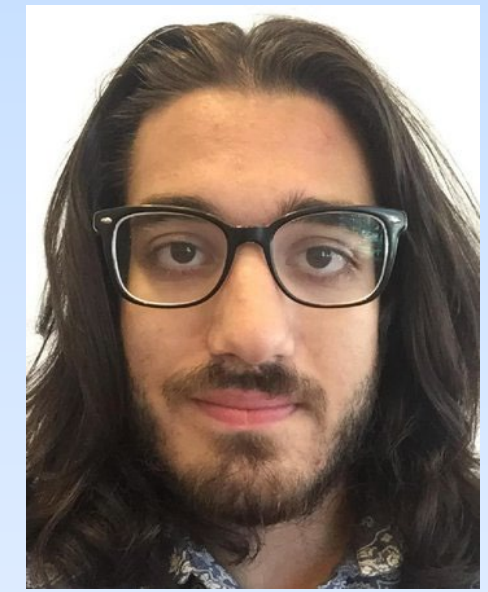


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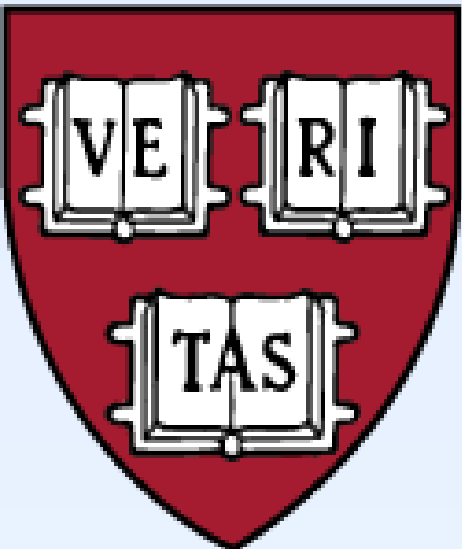


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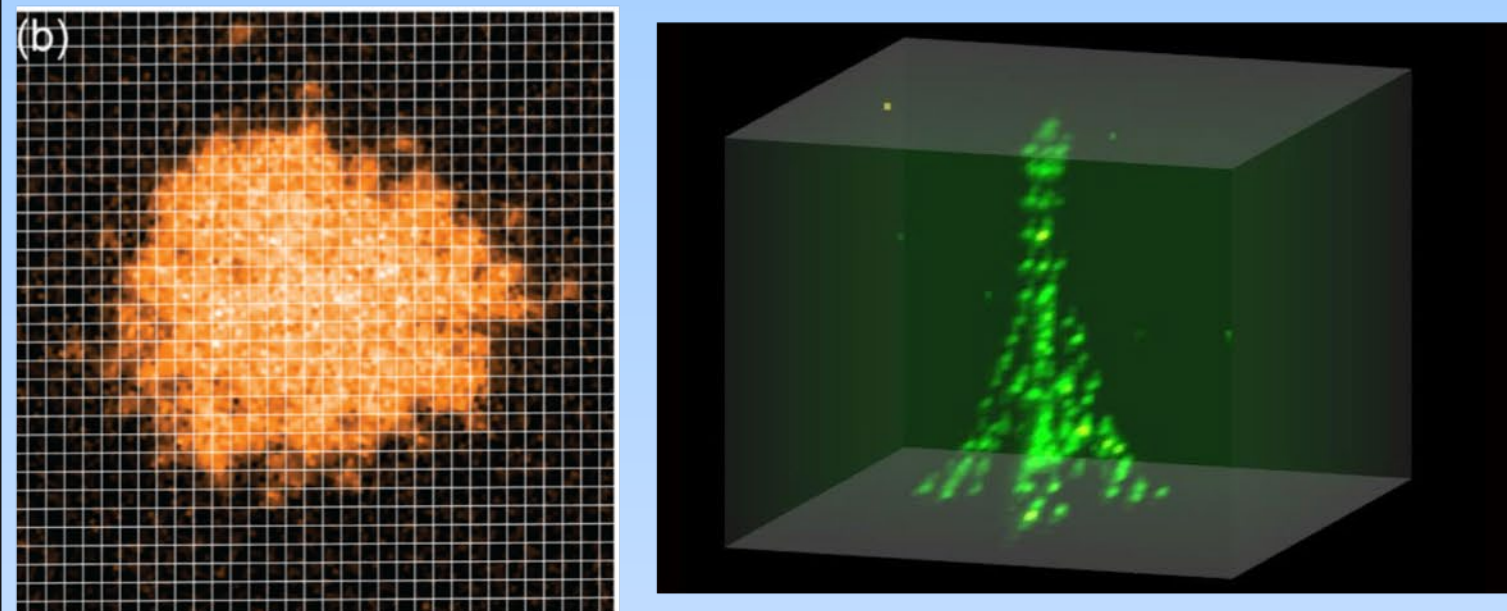
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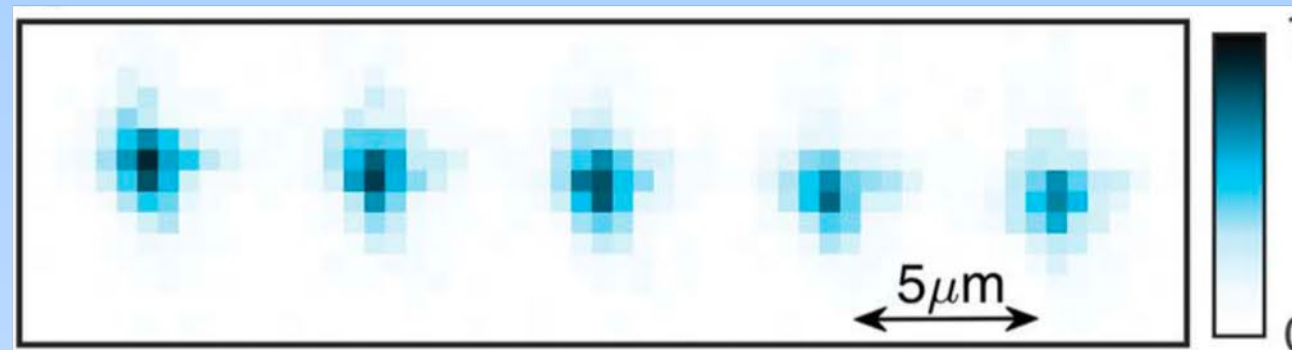
The Complexity Theme

Atoms (N=1)



Cheuk, ..., Zwierlein PRL **116** (2016)
Barredo, ..., Browaeys Nature **561** (2018)

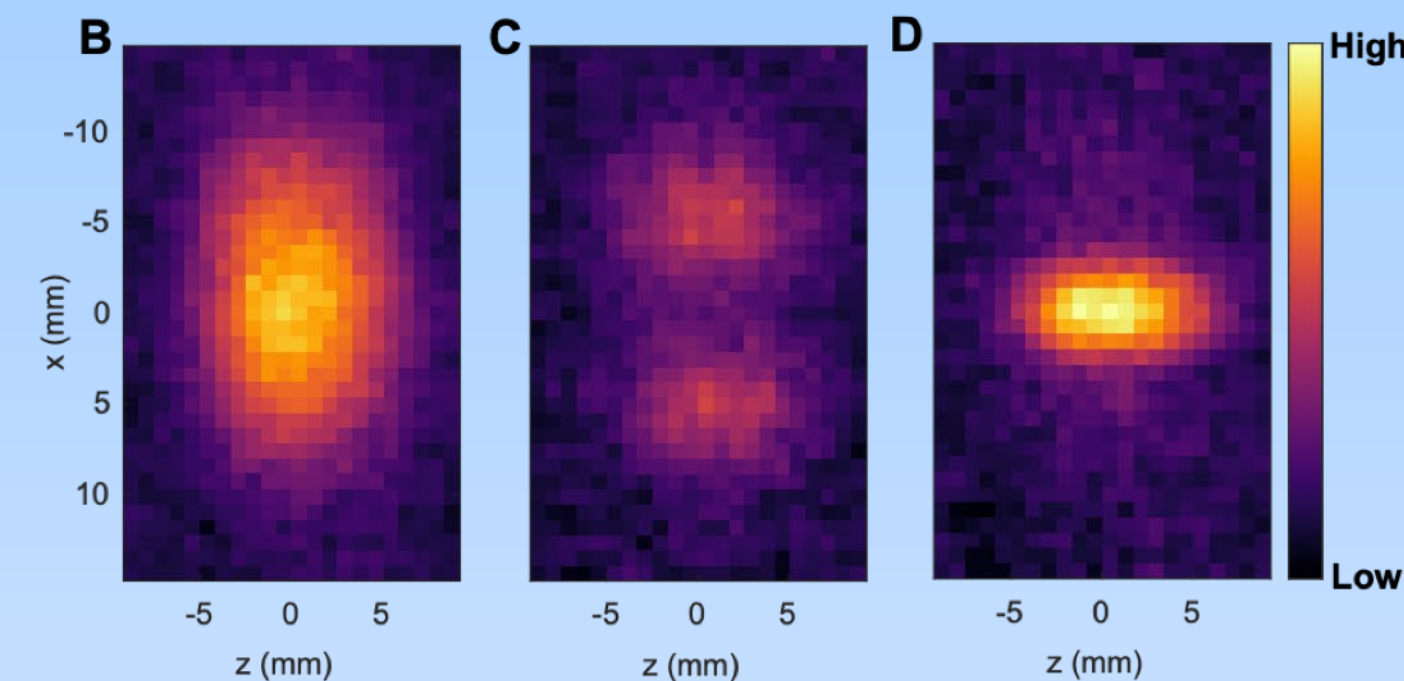
Diatomic Molecules (N=2)



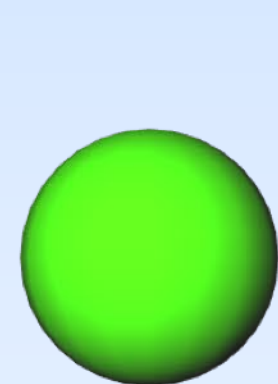
Anderegg, Cheuk, ..., Doyle Science **365** (2019)

Harvard, Yale, Imperial, Boulder,
Columbia, UConn, UC Riverside, ...

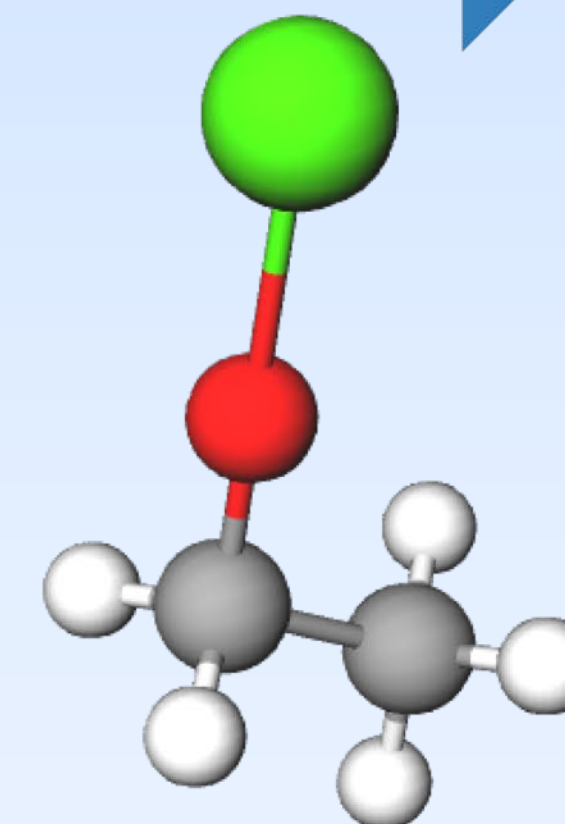
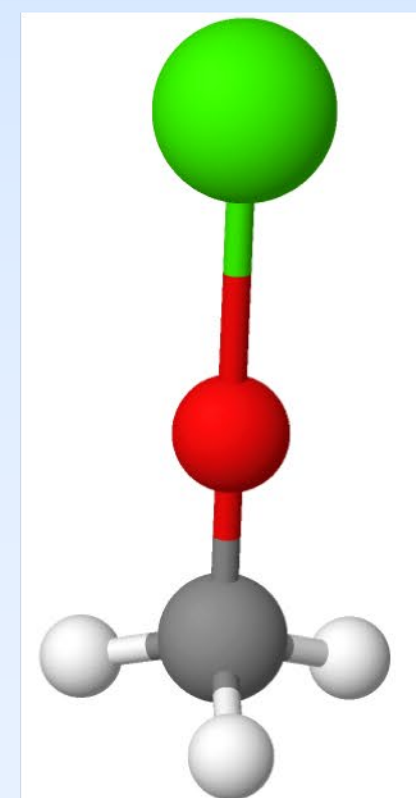
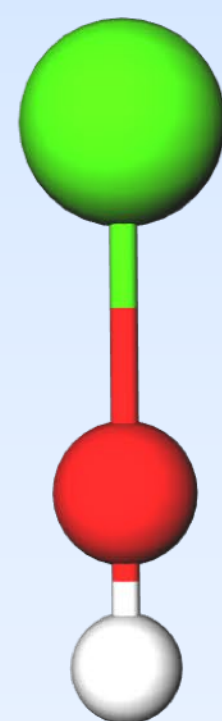
Polyatomic Molecules (N=3,4,5...)



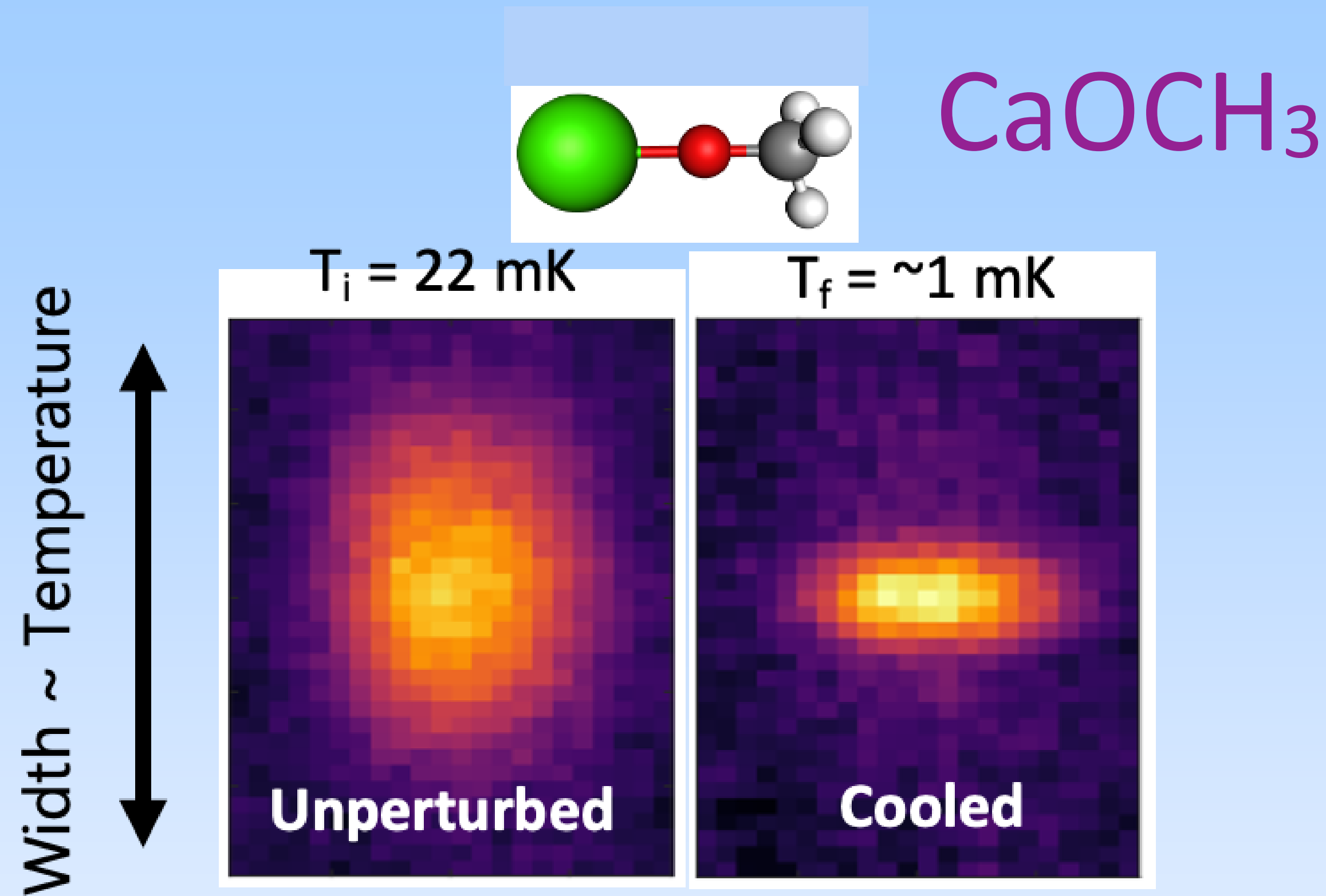
Complexity [reduced molecular symmetry]



Eliminate
spherical symmetry
[1 moment of inertia]



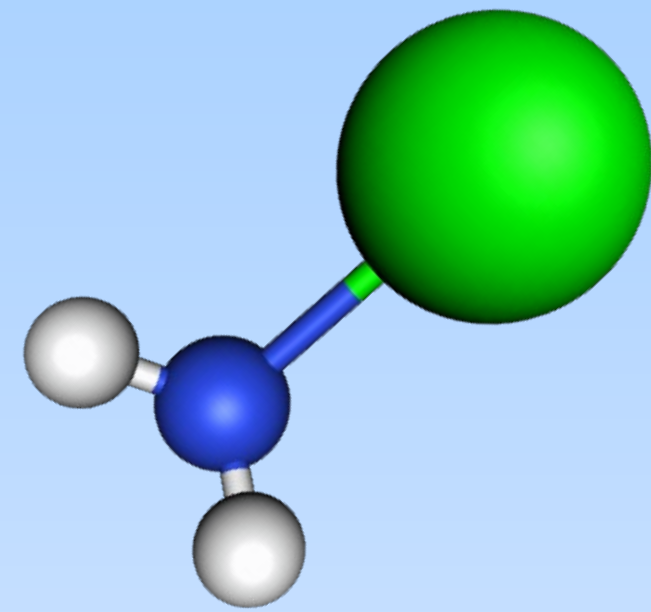
1-D Laser Cooling of a Symmetric Top Molecule



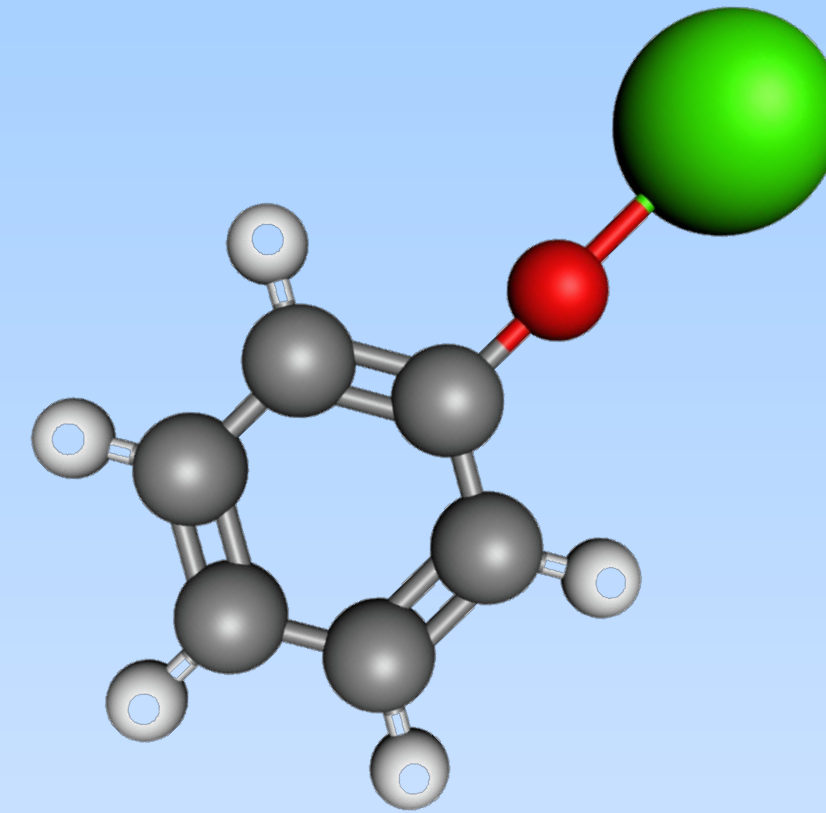
Cooling performance essentially identical to that of simpler linear molecules, despite greatly increased molecular complexity.

[Direct Laser Cooling of a Symmetric Top Molecule](#) D. Mitra, N. B. Vilas, C. Hallas, L. Anderegg, B. L. Augenbraun, L. Baum, C. Miller, S. Raval, and JMD. *Science* 369, 1366 (2020).

Can we cool an **A**Symmetric Top Molecule?



CaNH₂



CaOPh

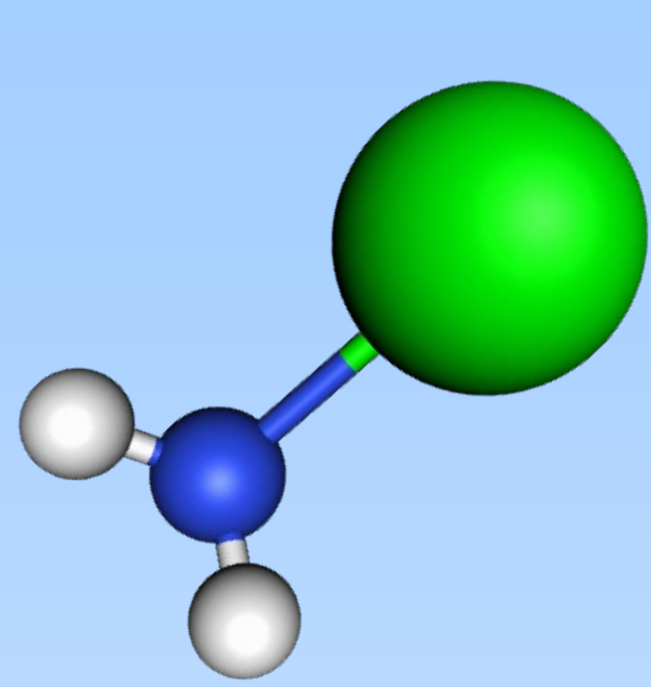
Calcium Phenoxide

Our Theory says Yes!

[Molecular Asymmetry and Optical Cycling: Laser Cooling Asymmetric Top Molecules](#)

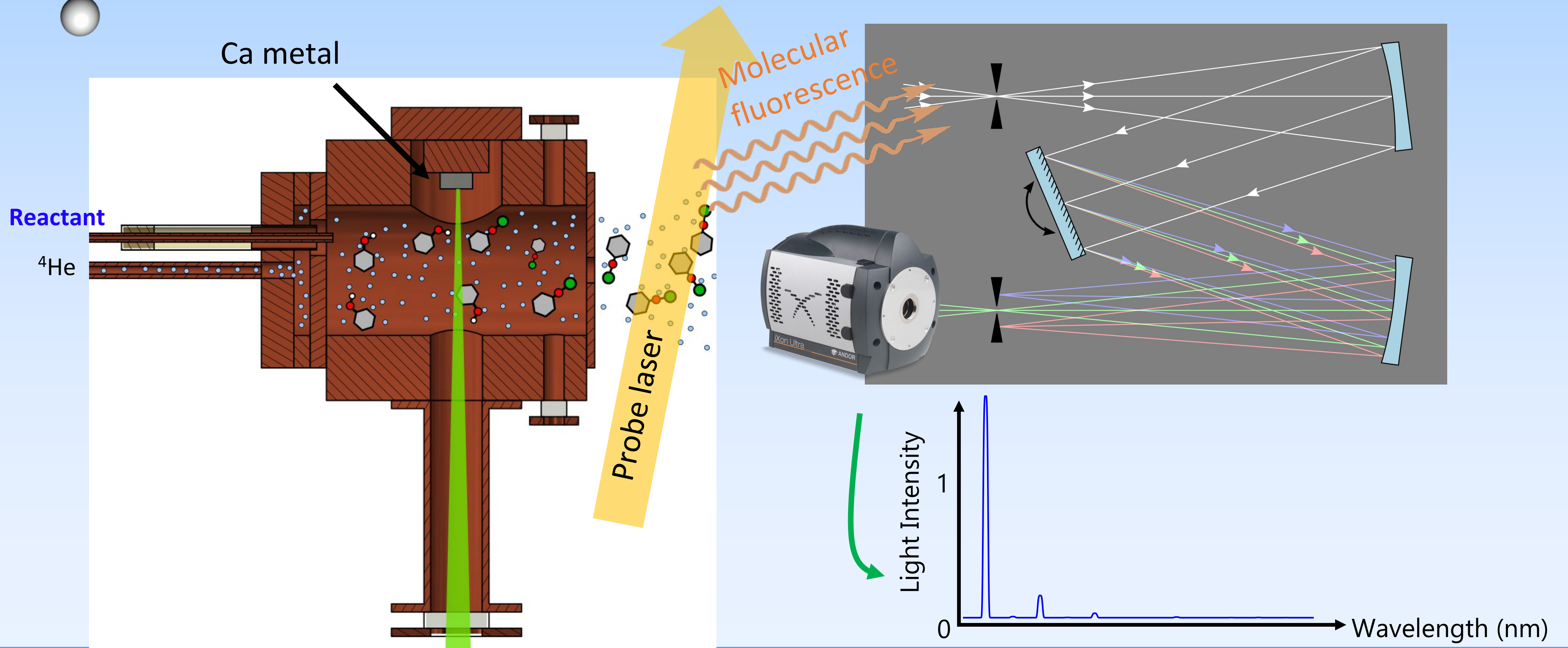
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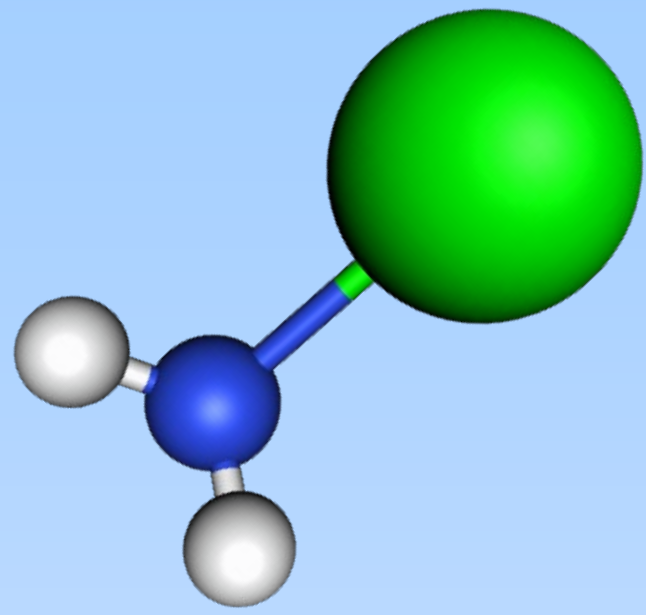


CaNH₂

Vibrational Branching Ratio Measurements

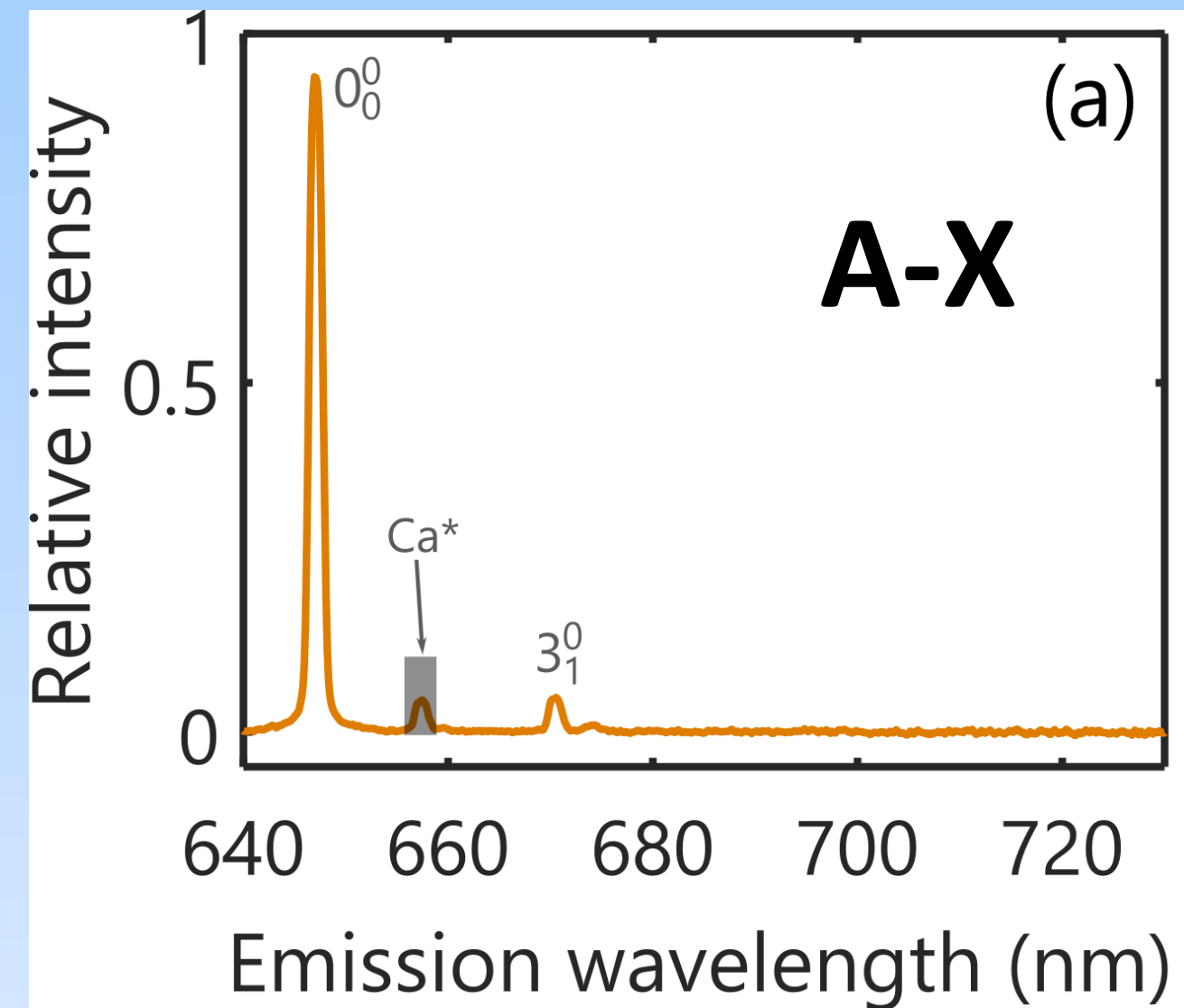


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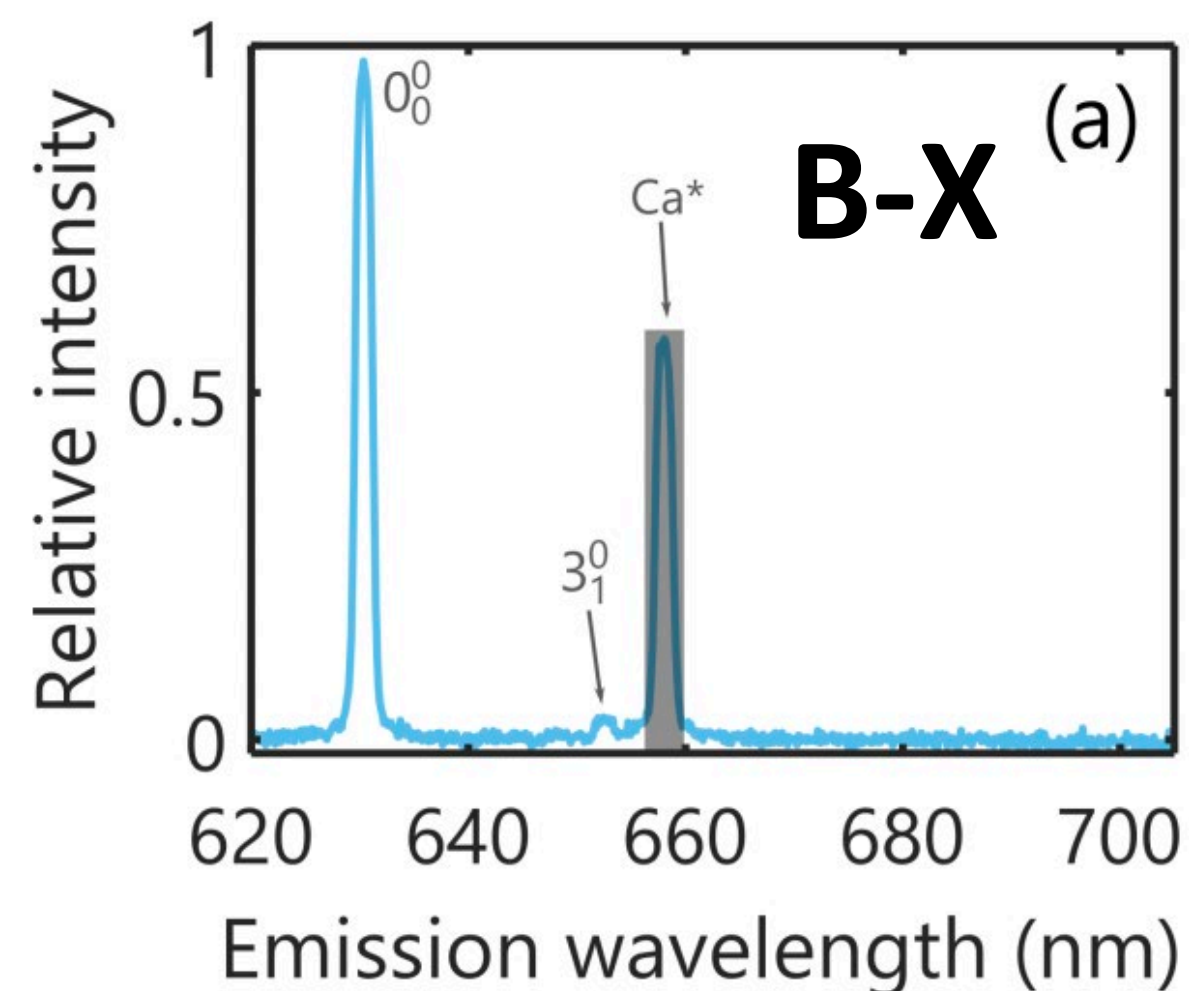


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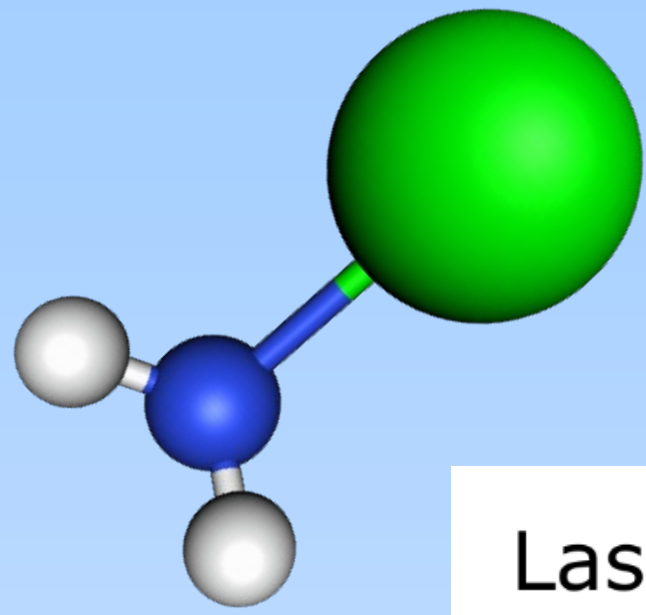


Branch	Measured	Calculated
	95.8%	96.3%
(Ca-N stretch)	4.1%	3.5%
(2x Ca-N stretch)	< 0.5%	0.1%



Branch	Measured	Calculated
	97.5%	98.1%
(Ca-N stretch)	2.48%	1.9%
(2x Ca-N stretch)	< 0.1%	0.01%

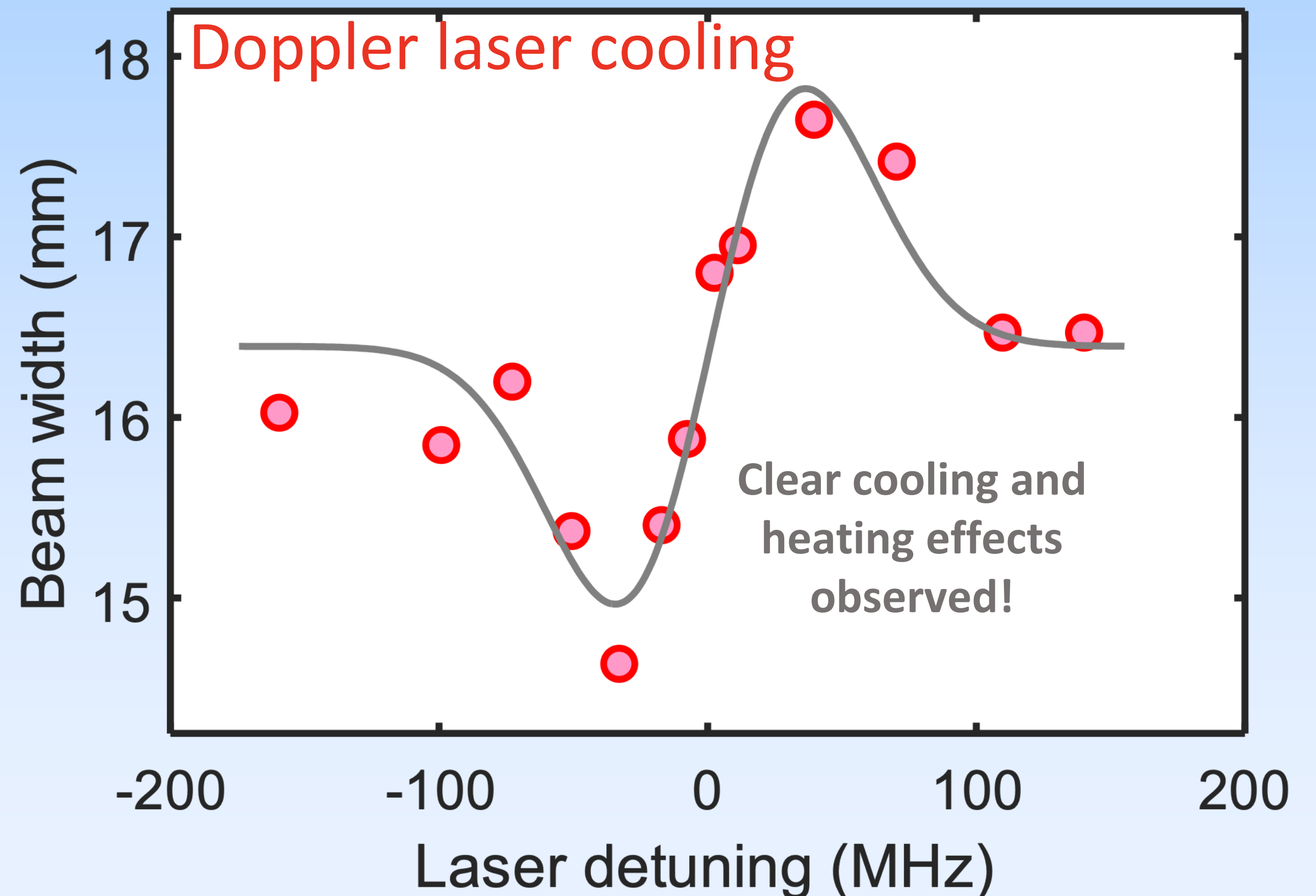
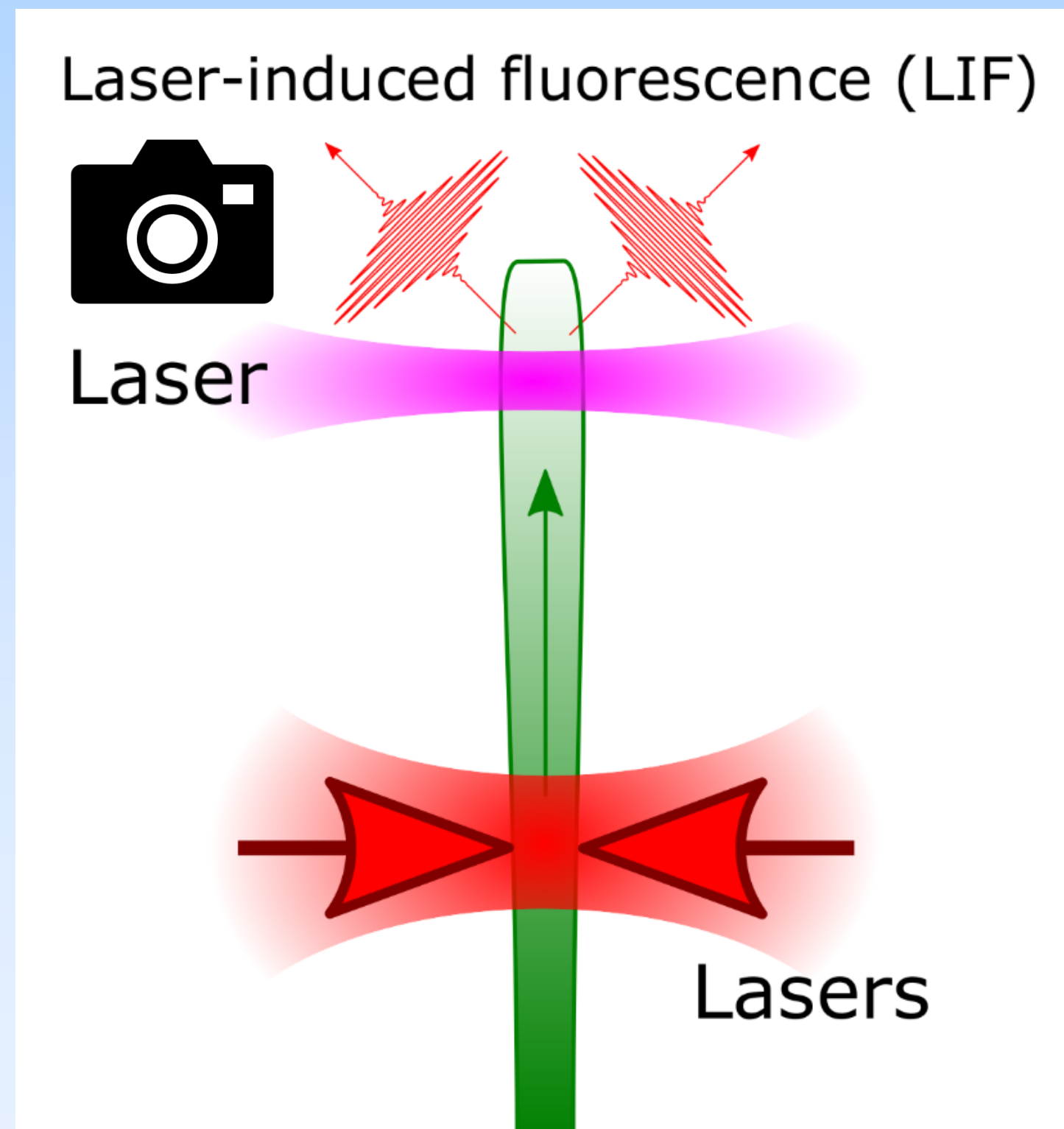
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CaNH₂

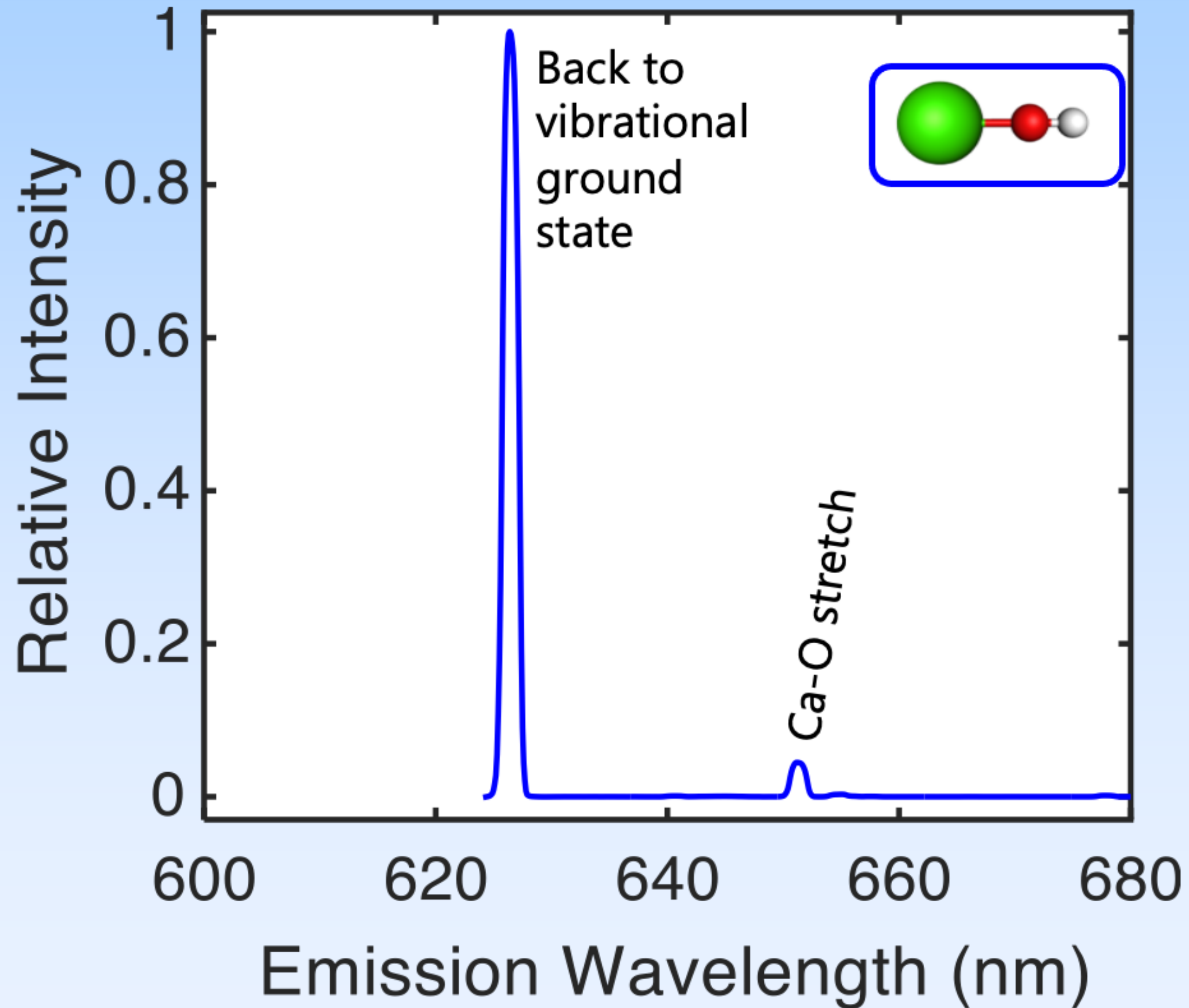
Following the pioneering lead of SrF, CaF, CaOH, CaOCH₃ etc. we have demonstrated...

... radiative force deflection and...



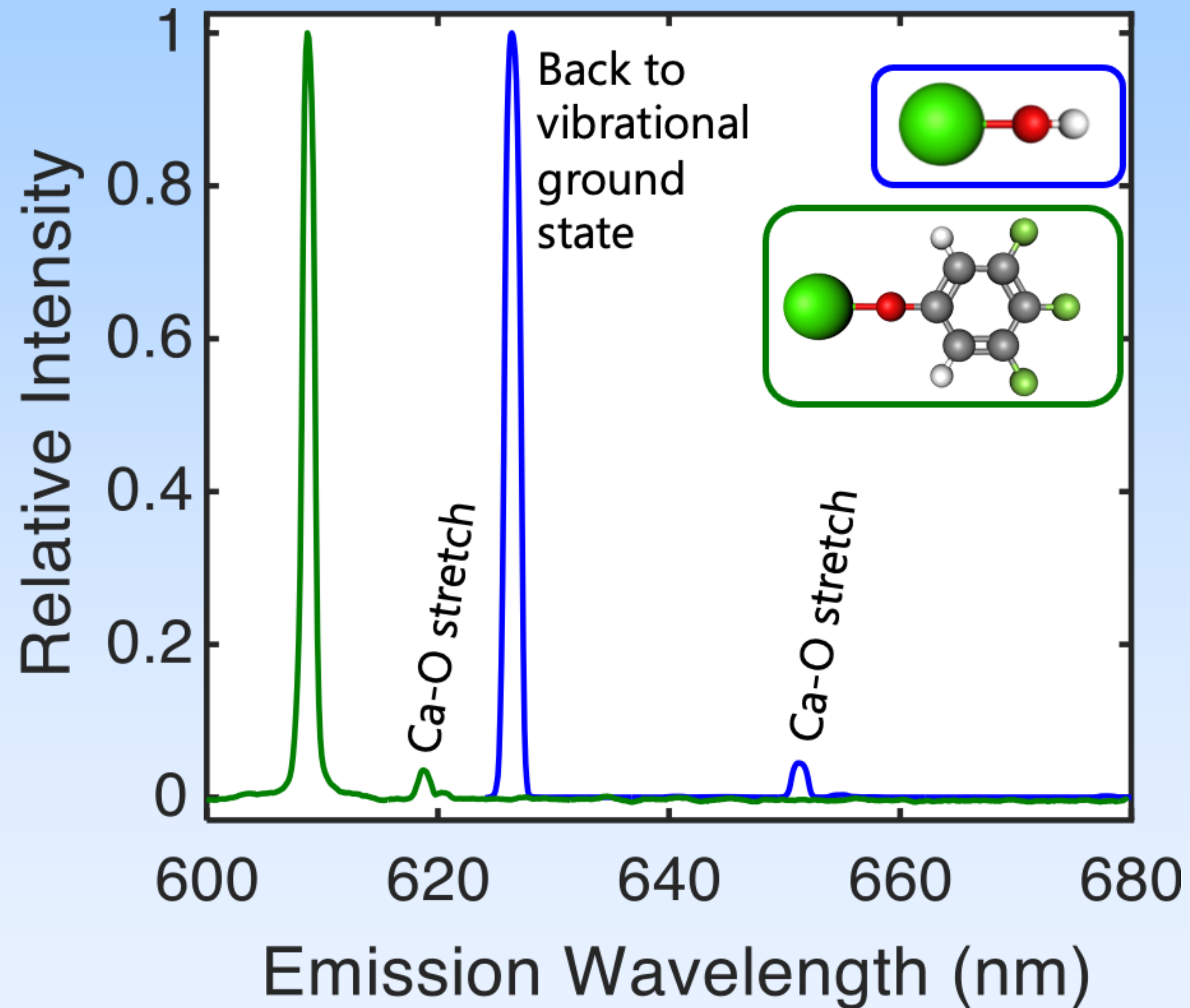
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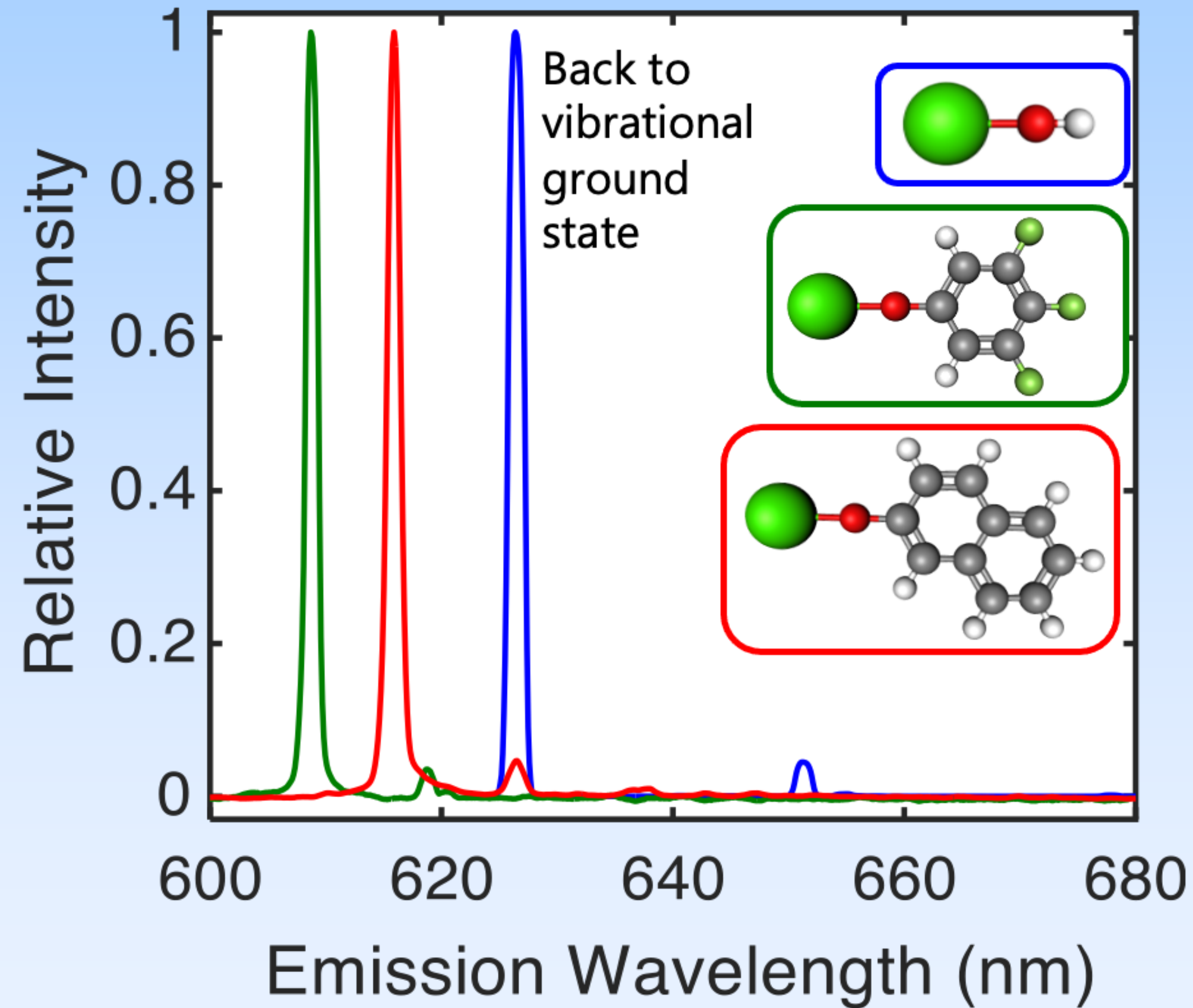
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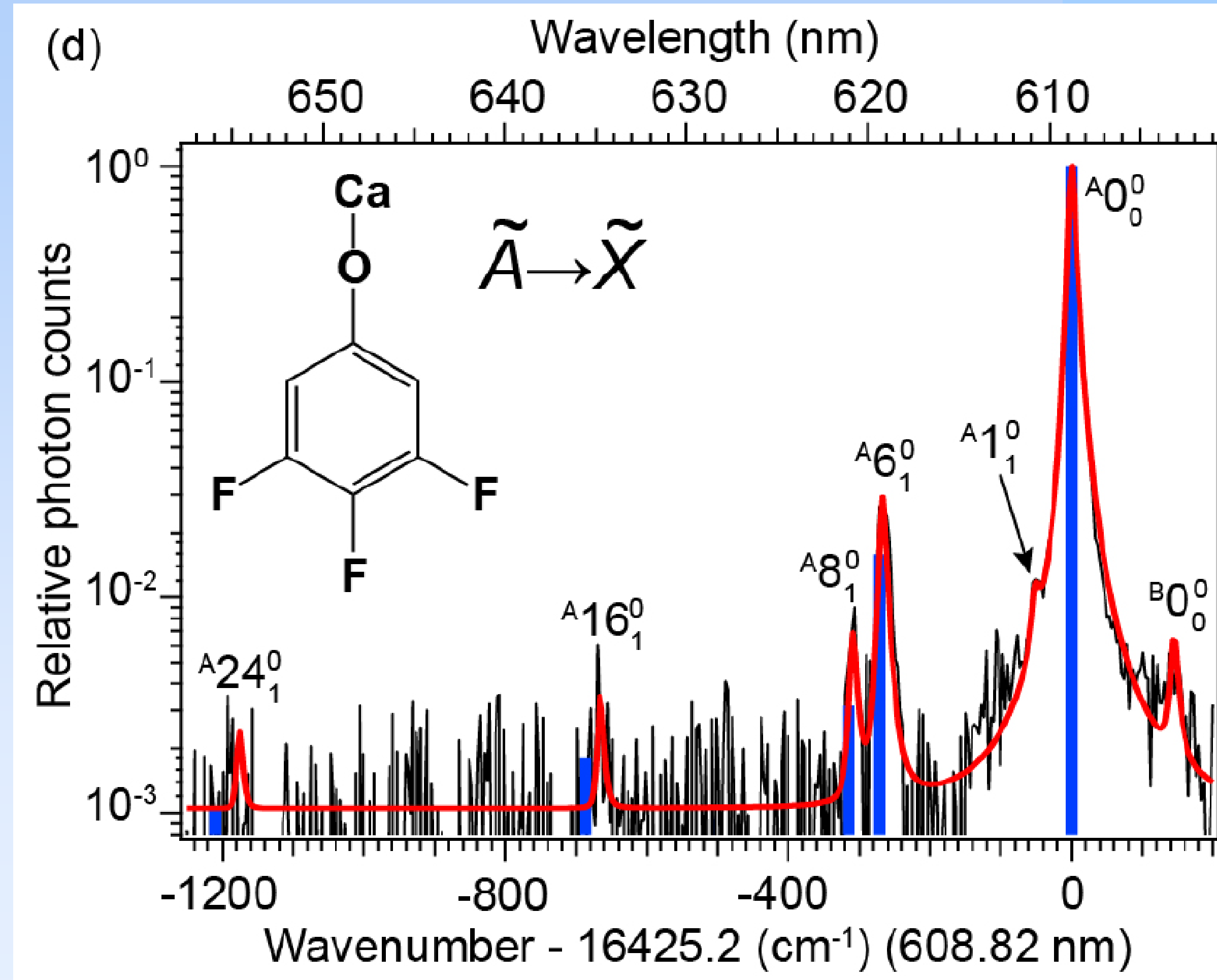
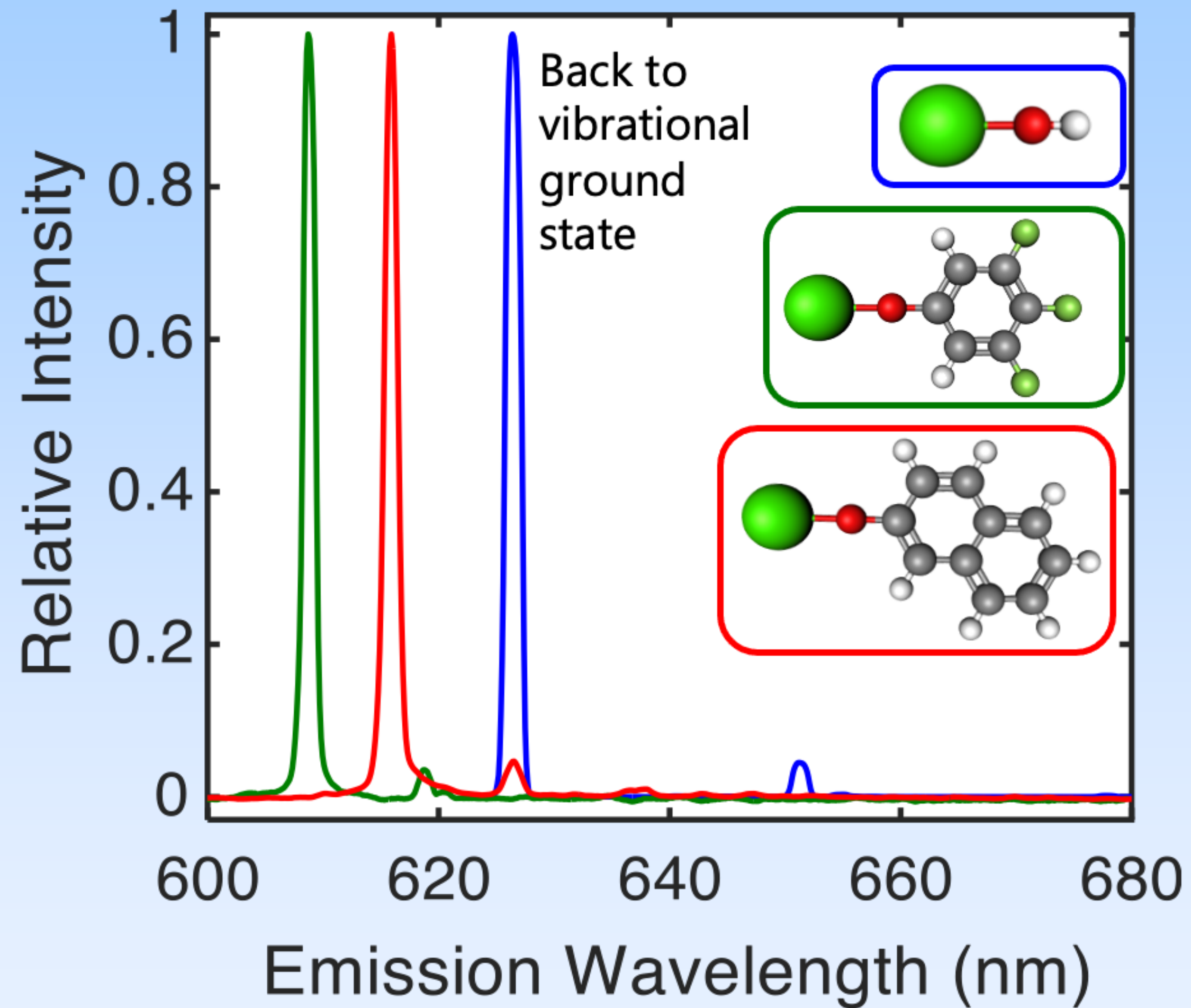
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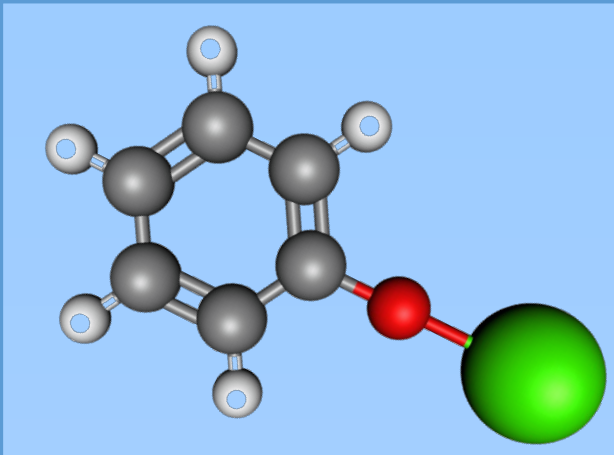
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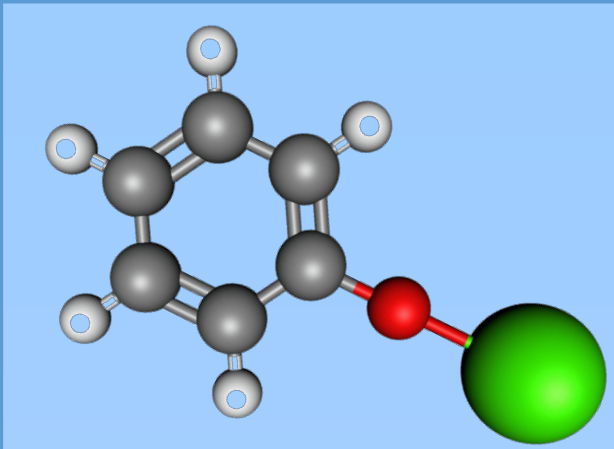
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What to do next if we want to laser cool
CaOPh?

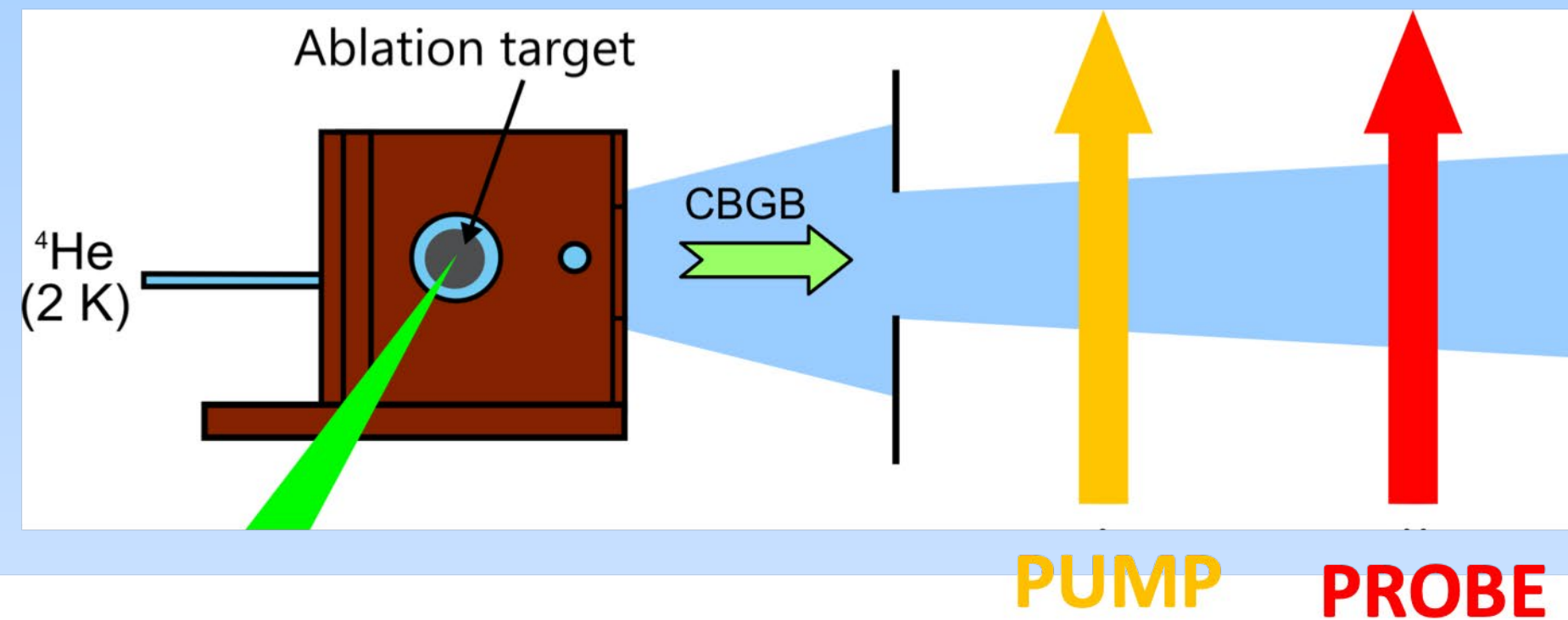
Need rotationally resolved spectroscopy
to assign individual lines
(like the laser cooling transition(s)!)



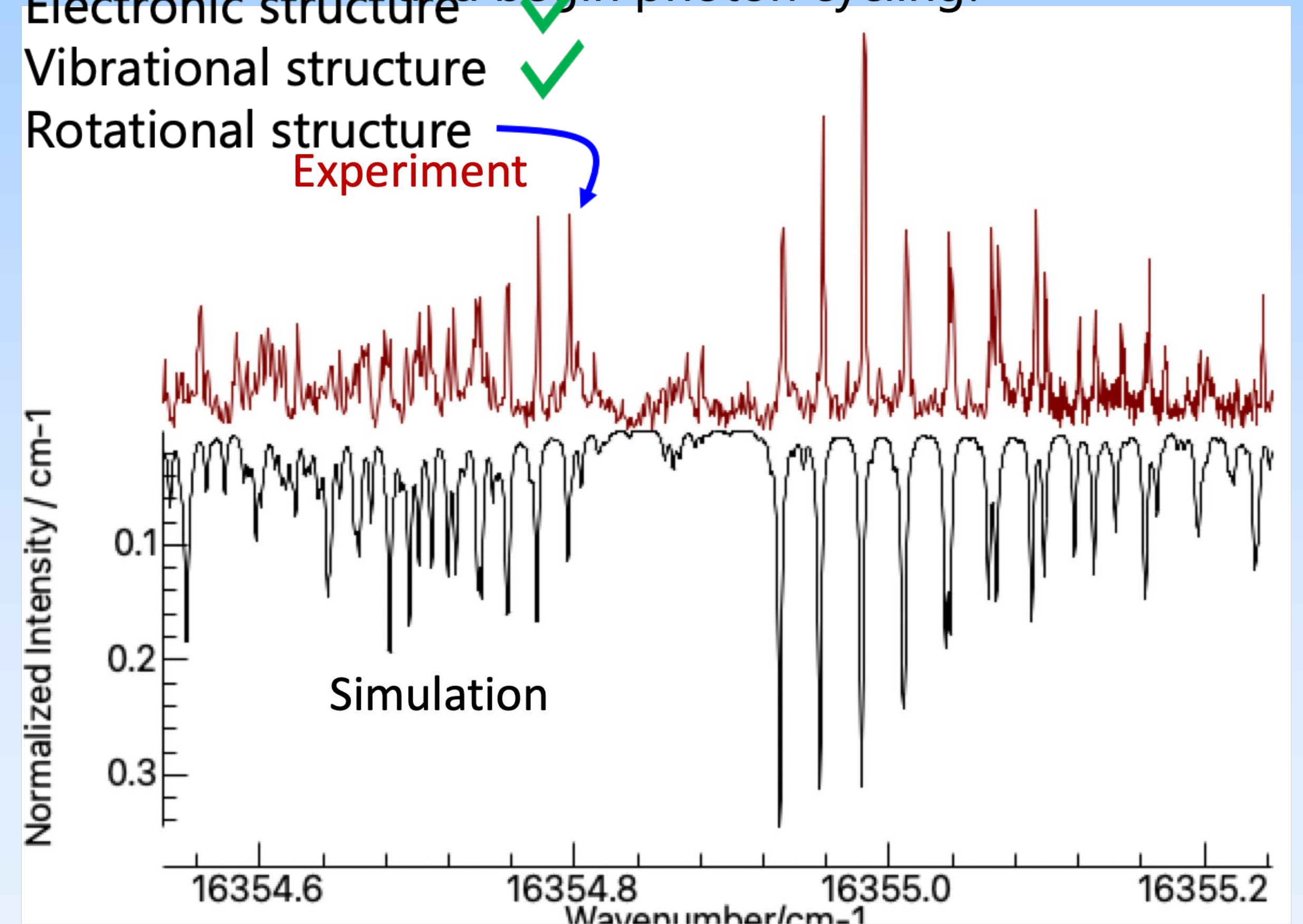
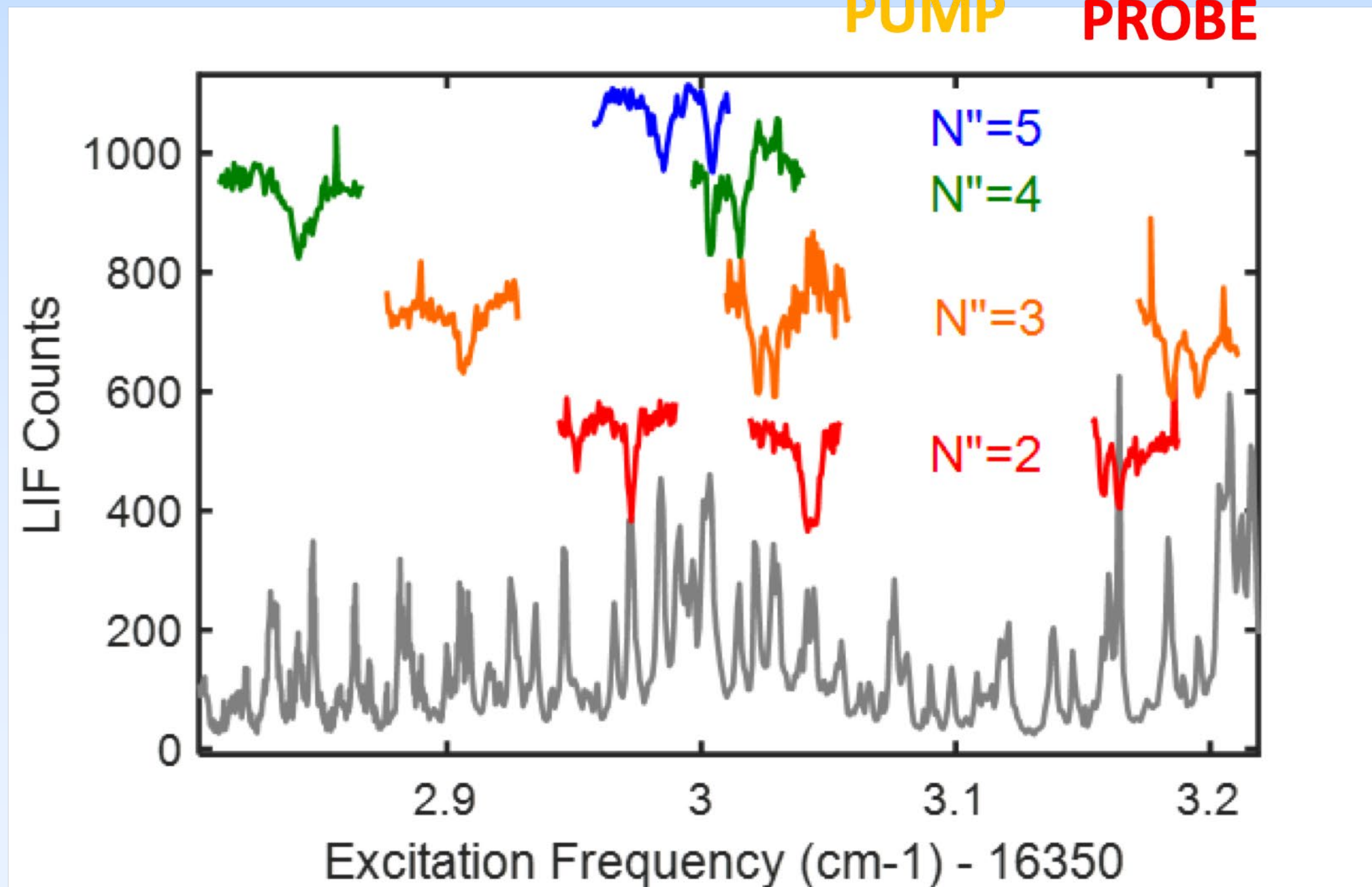
High Resolution (Rotational) Spectroscopy of CaOPh

Using double resonance depletion spectroscopy (pump-probe) to assign rotational quantum numbers

Simulation beginning to converge with experiment: soon we can pick out the "laser cooling" transitions and begin photon cycling!



Electronic structure ✓
Vibrational structure ✓
Rotational structure Experiment

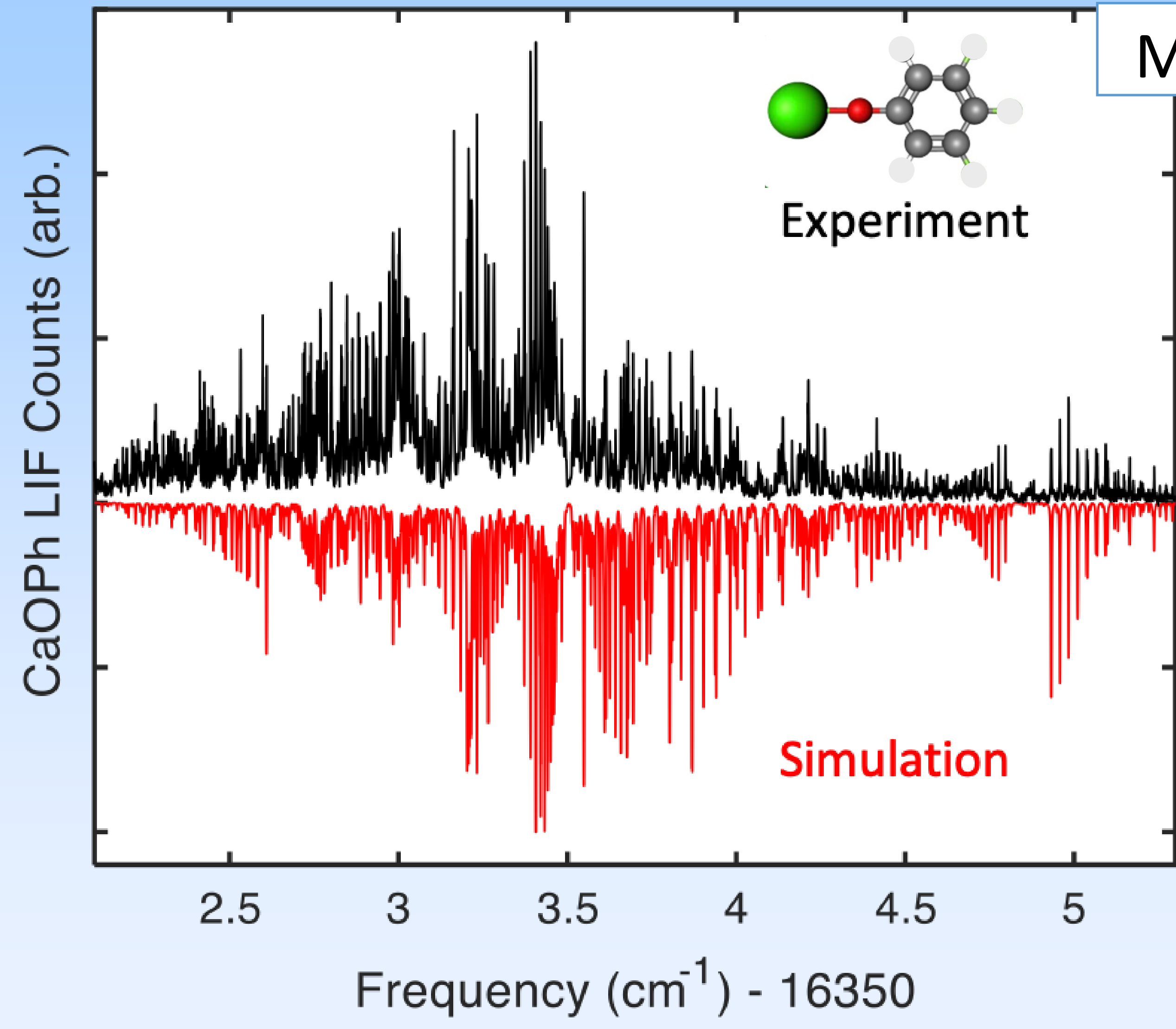


[High-Resolution Laser Spectroscopy of a Functionalized Aromatic Molecule](#),
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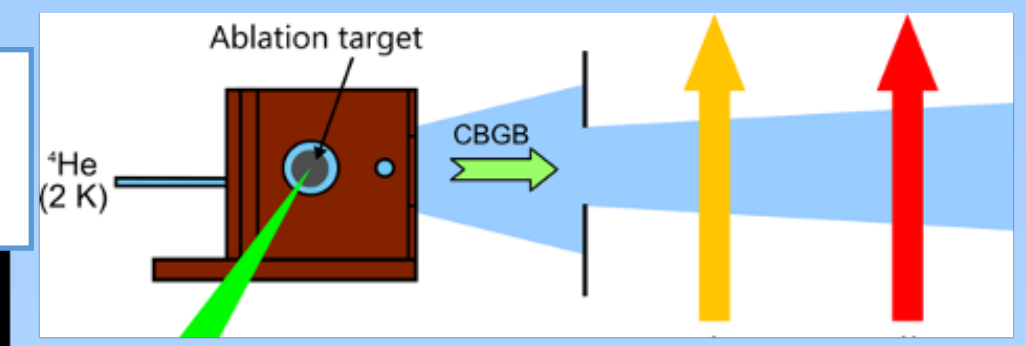
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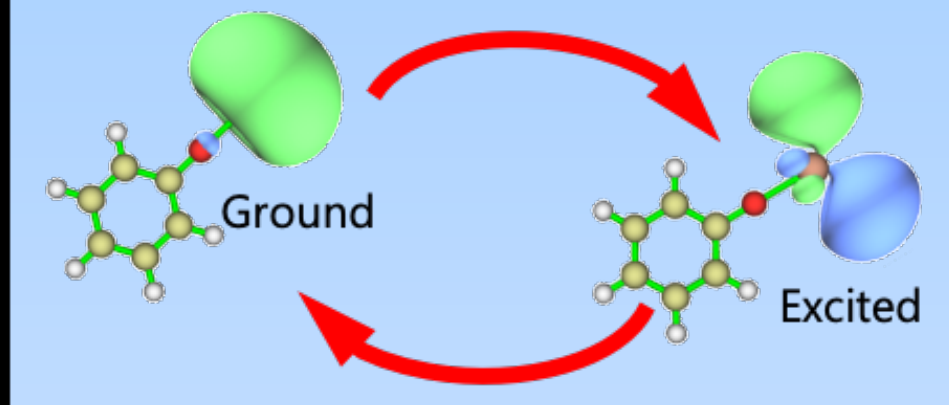


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Optimize source,
Do spectroscopy

Months-year

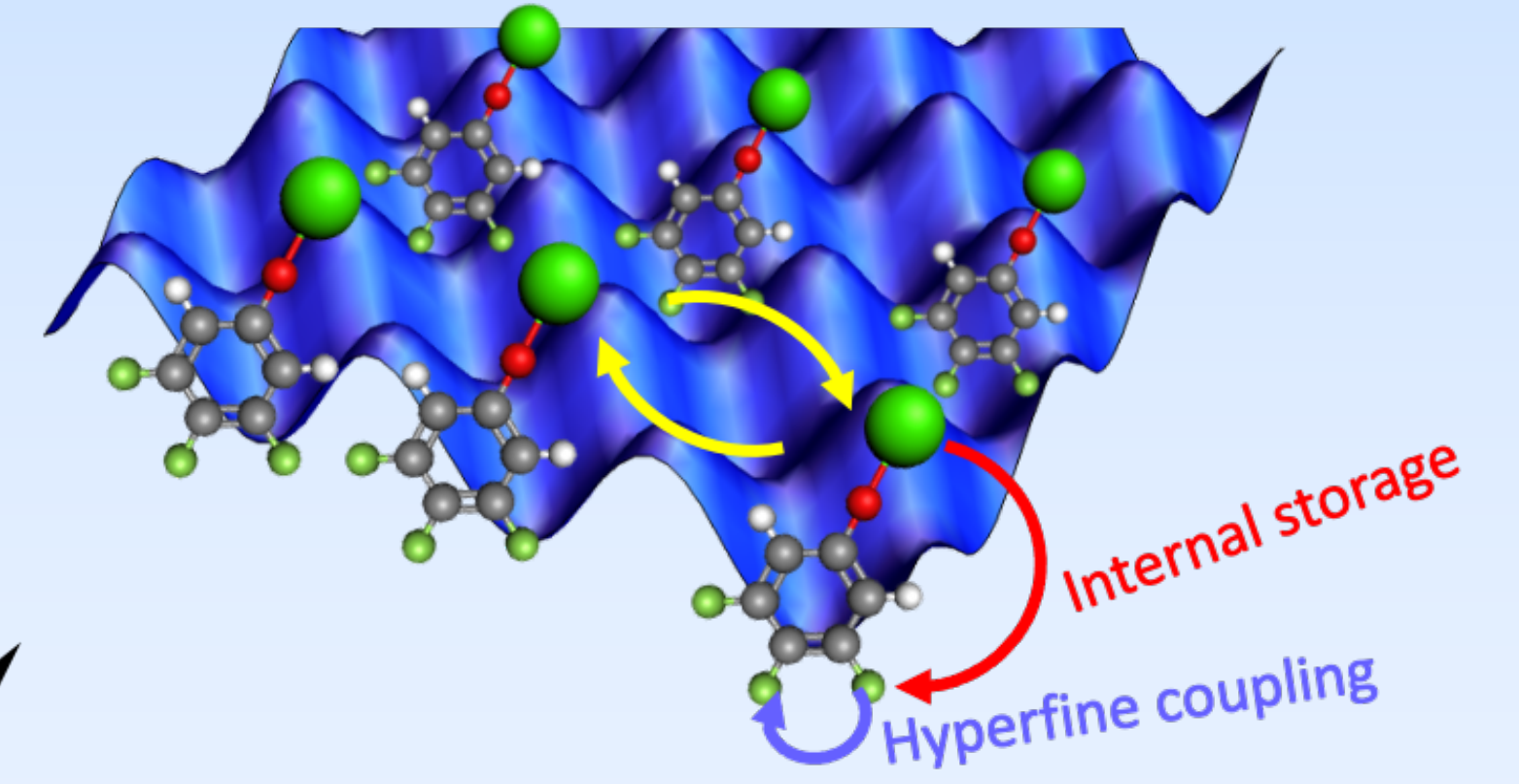


Photon cycling,
1D laser cooling

~Few years

"High order" spectroscopy, slowing, trap loading

Future?



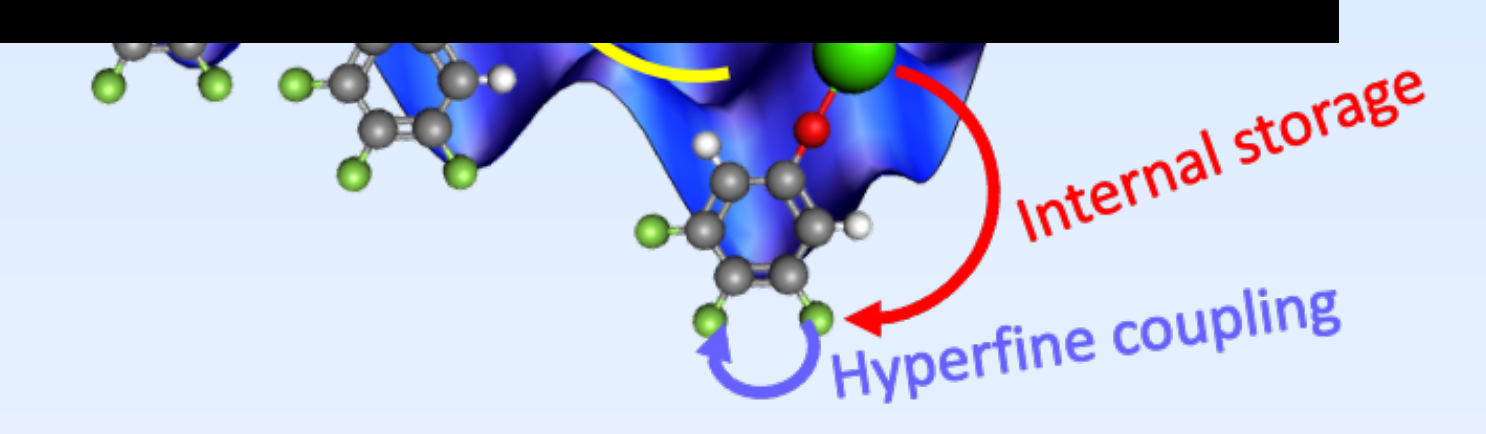
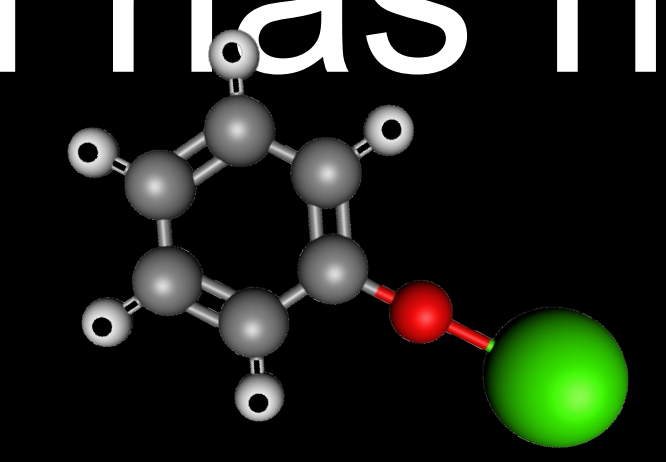
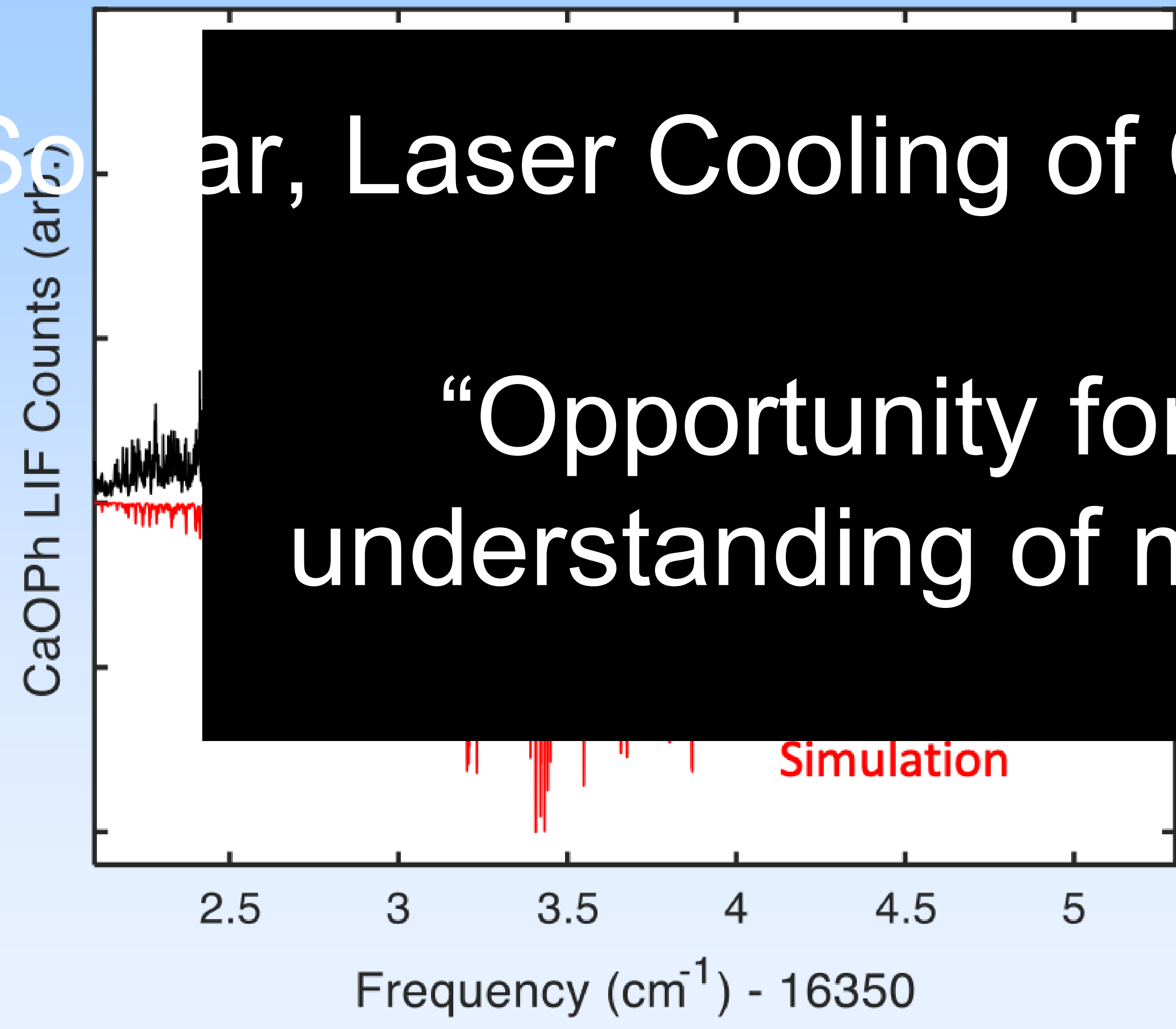
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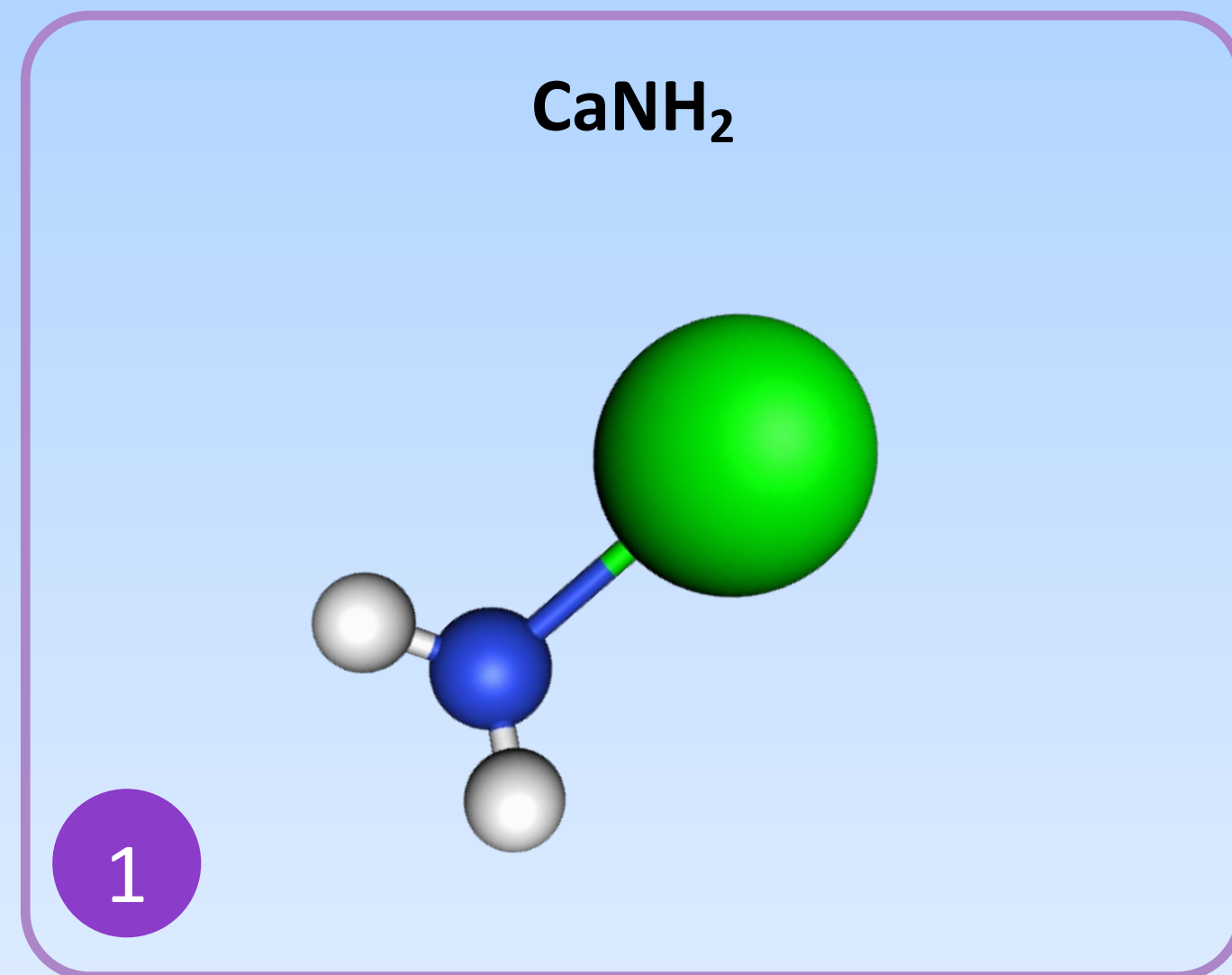
So far, Laser Cooling of CaOPh has not worked.

“Opportunity for improving our understanding of molecular systems”

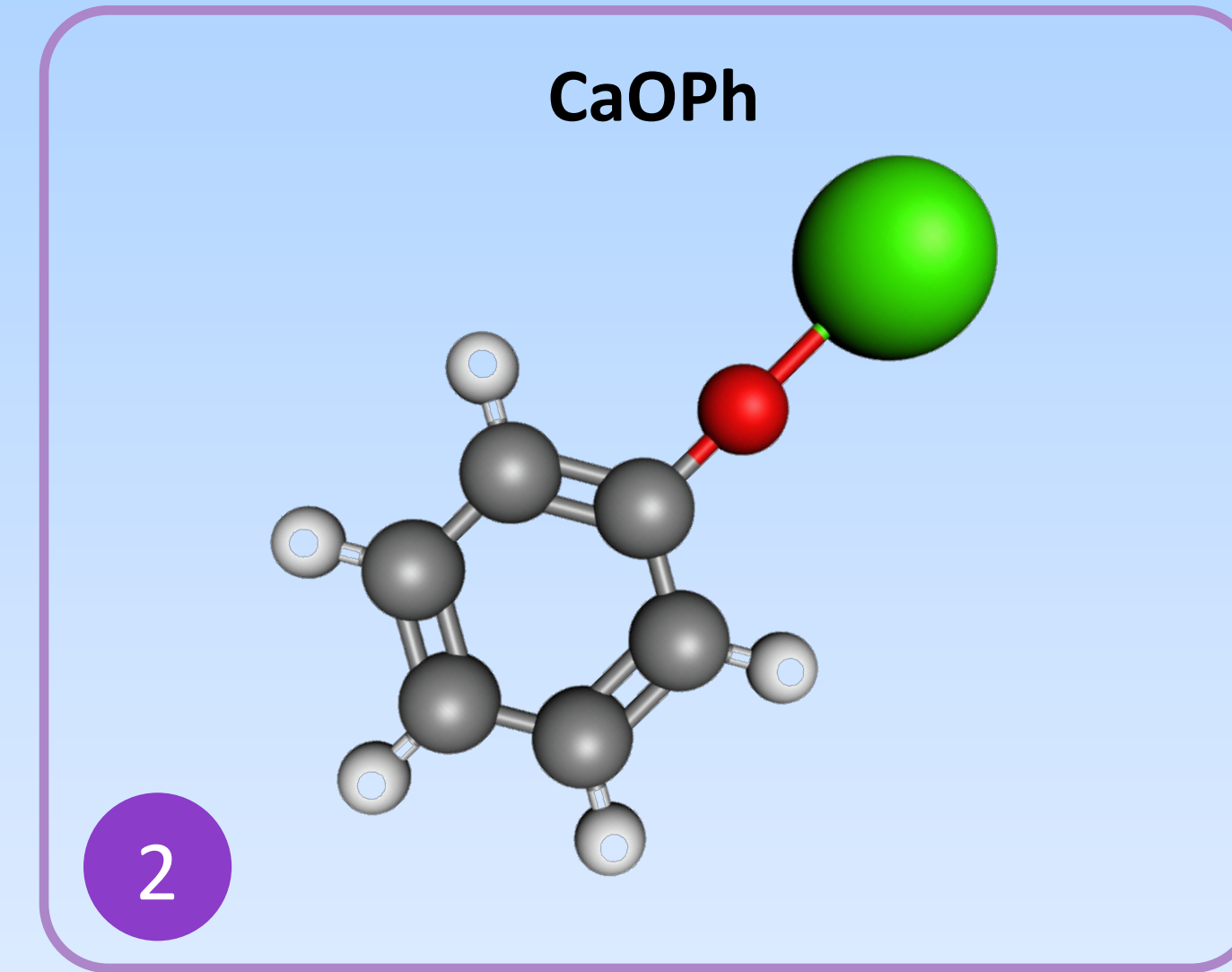


Progress Cooling of Asymmetric Top Molecules

We have accomplished 1-D
Doppler cooling of an Asymmetric Top Molecule



We tried to laser cool this.
No success so far....



Augenbraun,....et al. unpublished 2023

Burchesky, Ph.D. thesis 2023

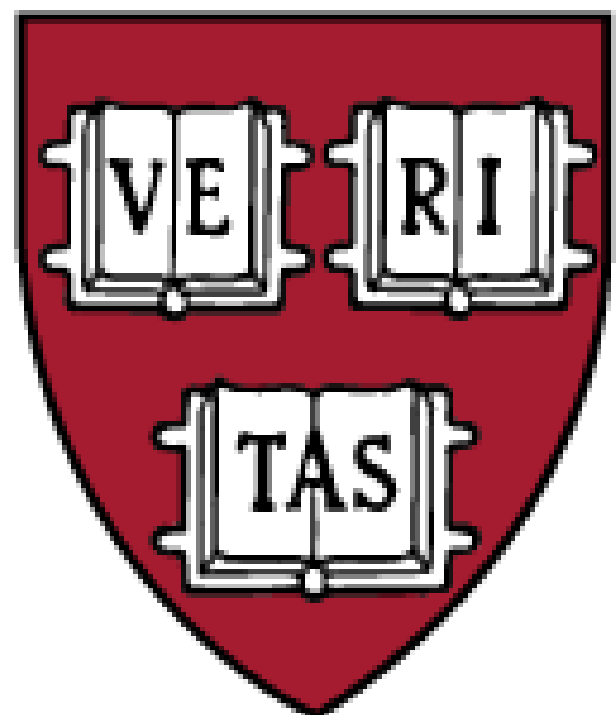
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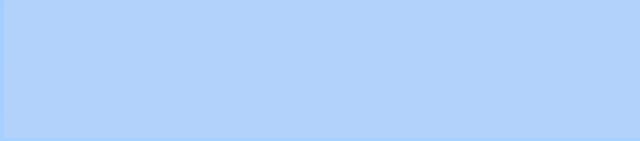
CaOPh High Resolution and CaNH₂ Team



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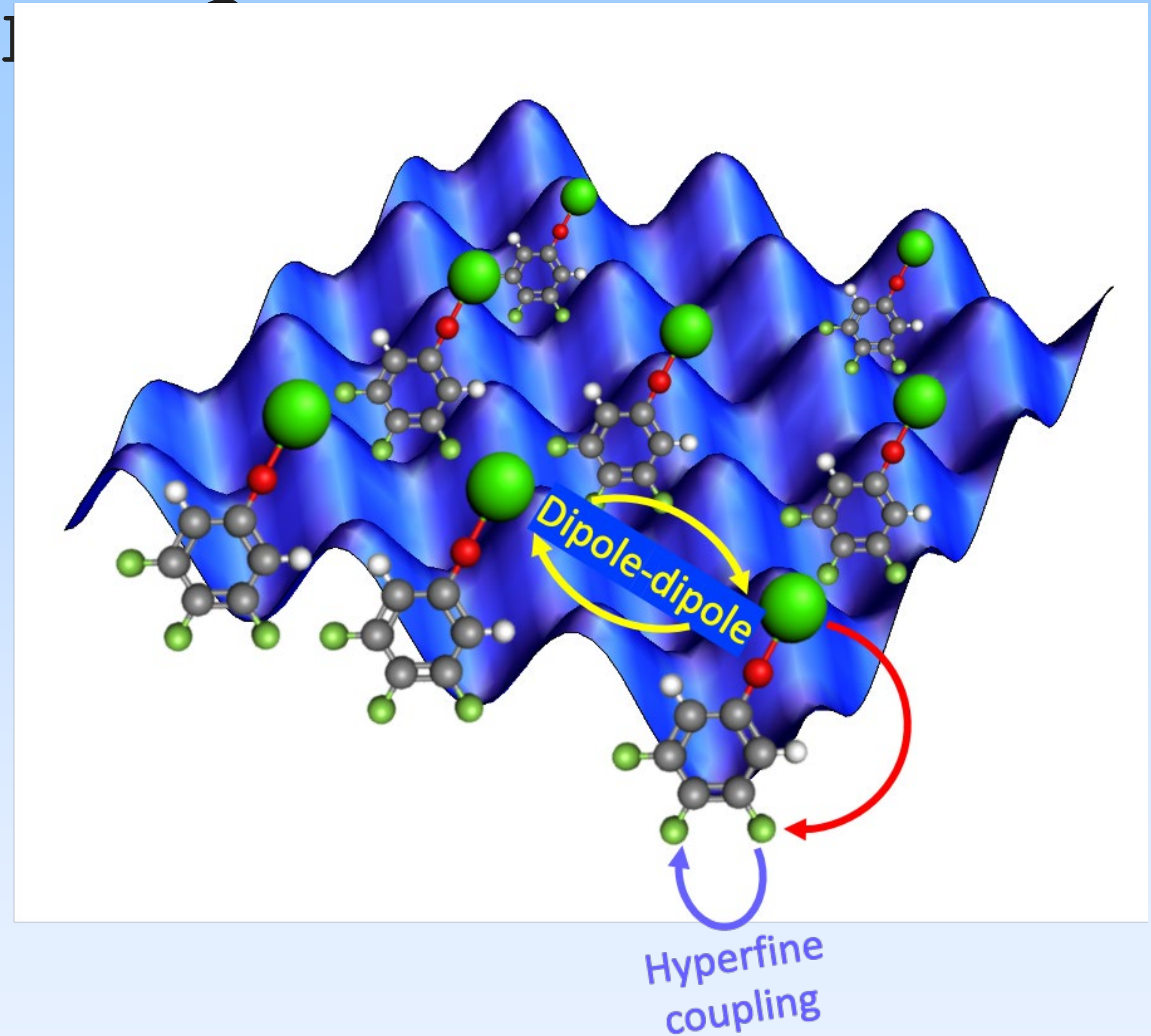
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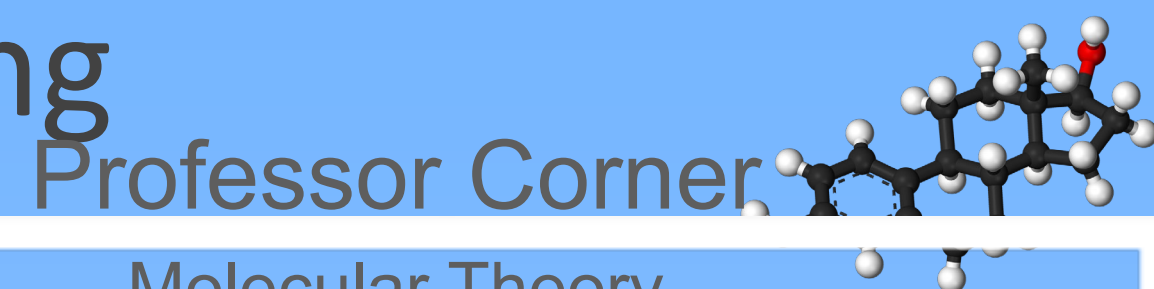
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Slide 101

A Future of Ultracold Quantum Science



If you will it dude...it is no dream..

Current Collaborators, Group Members, Funding



Quantum Simulation (diatomic, CaF)
ARO and Quantum Systems Accelerator



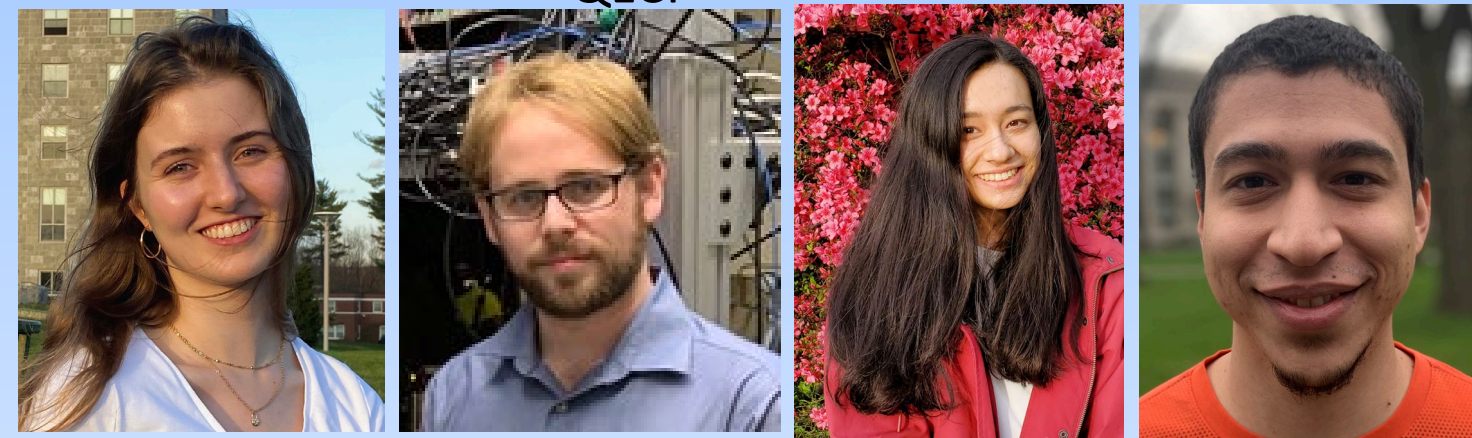
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Quantum Simulation (triatomic, CaOH, and bending mode)
AFOSR and NSF



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PolyDarkMatter (SrOH)
QLCI



Annika Lundstad Zack Lasner Hana Lampson (U) Derick Gonzalez-Acevedo

PolyEDM (SrOH, YbOH. Harvard-based Researchers)
Moore and Sloan (Heising-Simons early work)



Alex Frenett Hiromitsu Sawaoka Abdullah Nasir Ben Augenbraun Tasuku Ono (U)

High Resolution Spectroscopy
and Laser Cooling of Phenols
Heising-Simons

Low Resolution Spectroscopy
and VBR Theory of Aromatics
DOE



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ACME, see other slide

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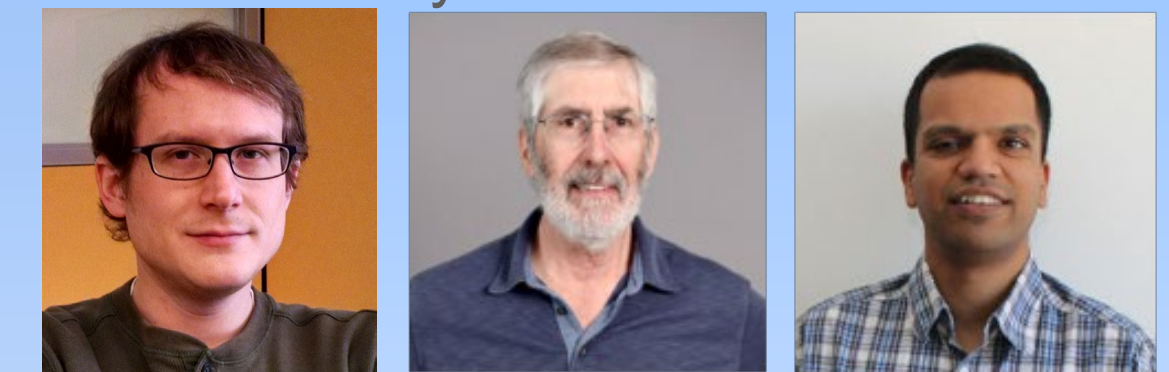
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Molecular Theory



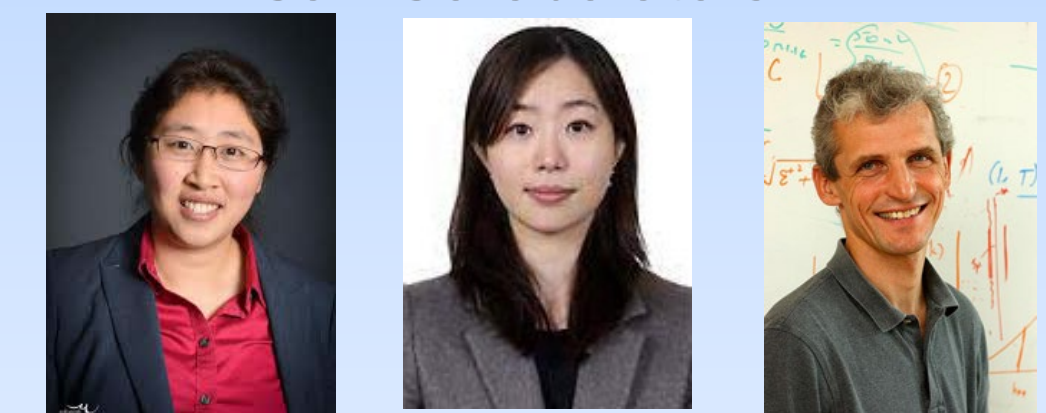
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CaF Collaborators



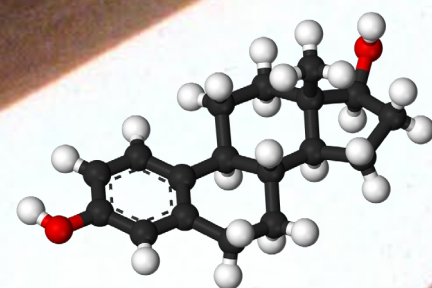
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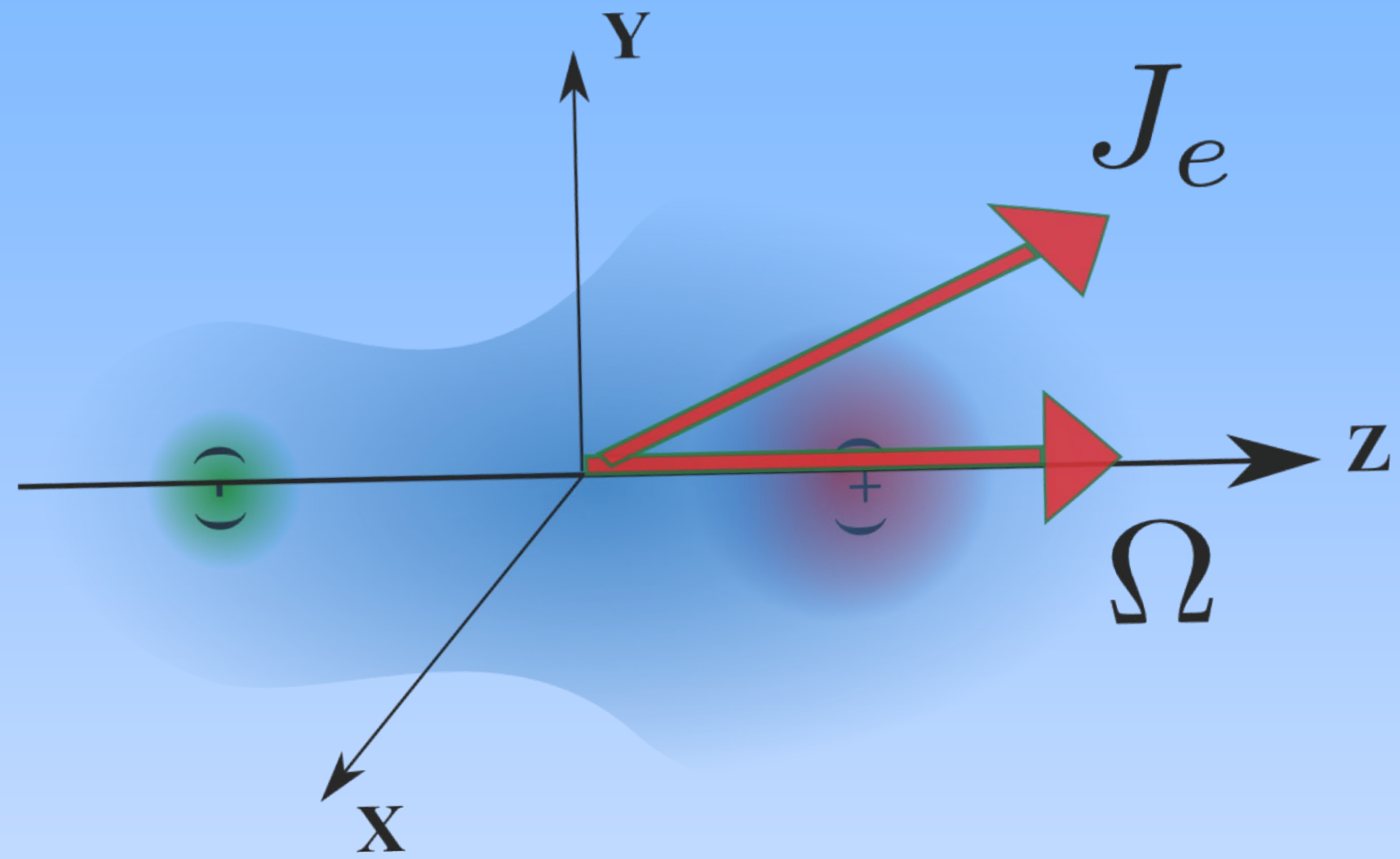


Anastassia Alexandrova (UCLA) Wes Campbell (UCLA) Justin Caram (UCLA) Eric Hudson (UCLA)

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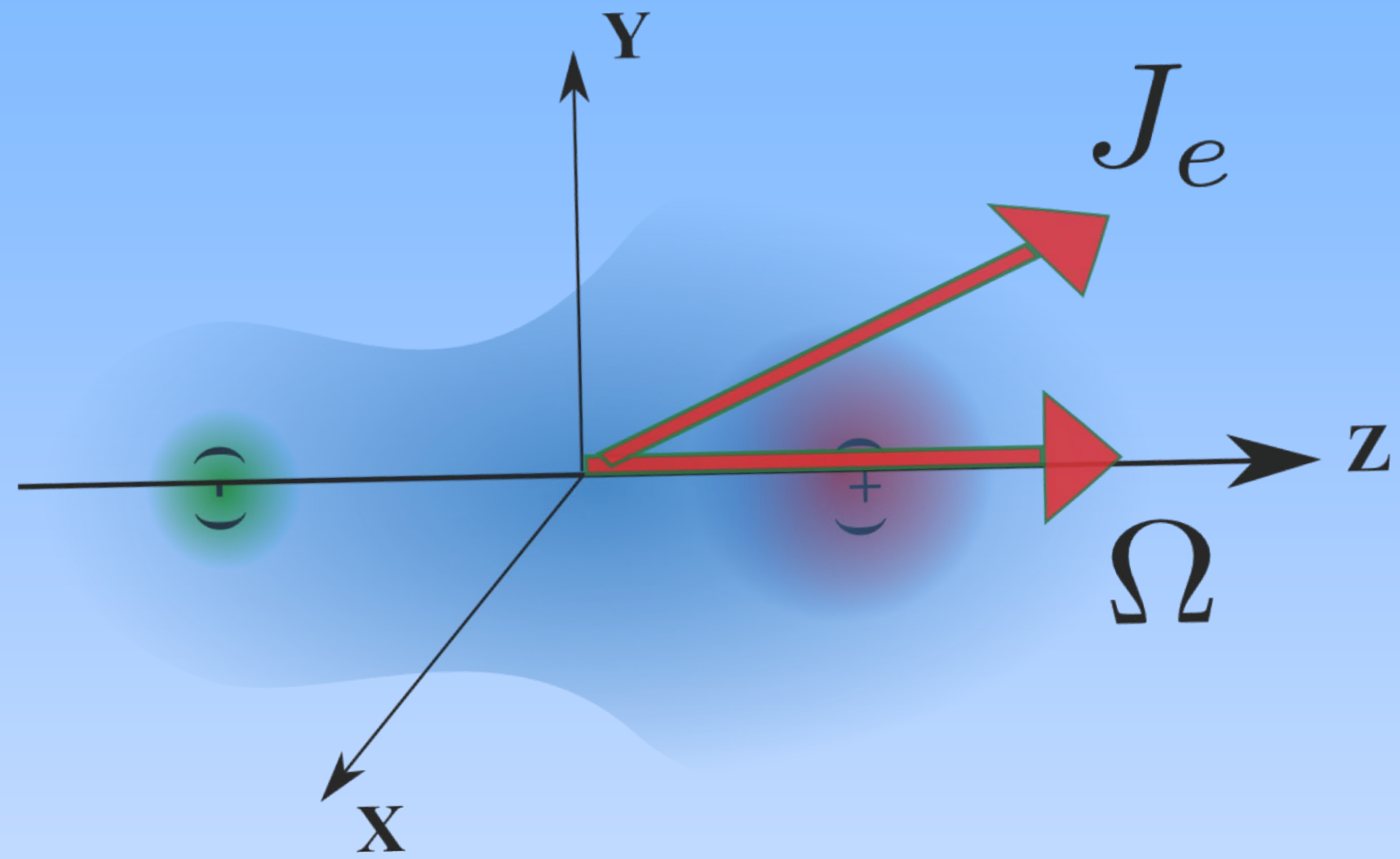


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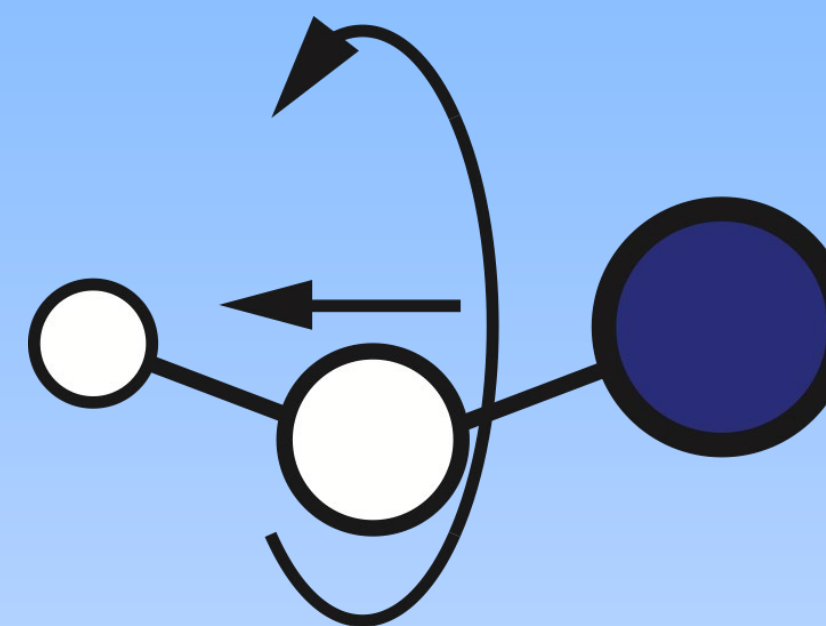
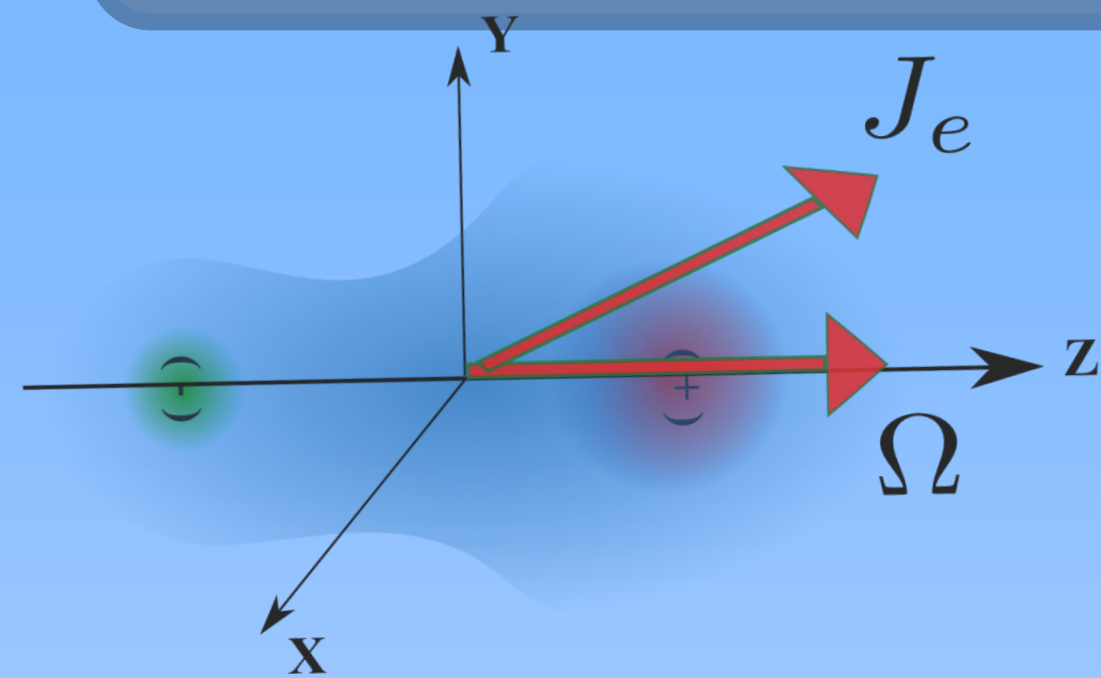
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What's the big deal?

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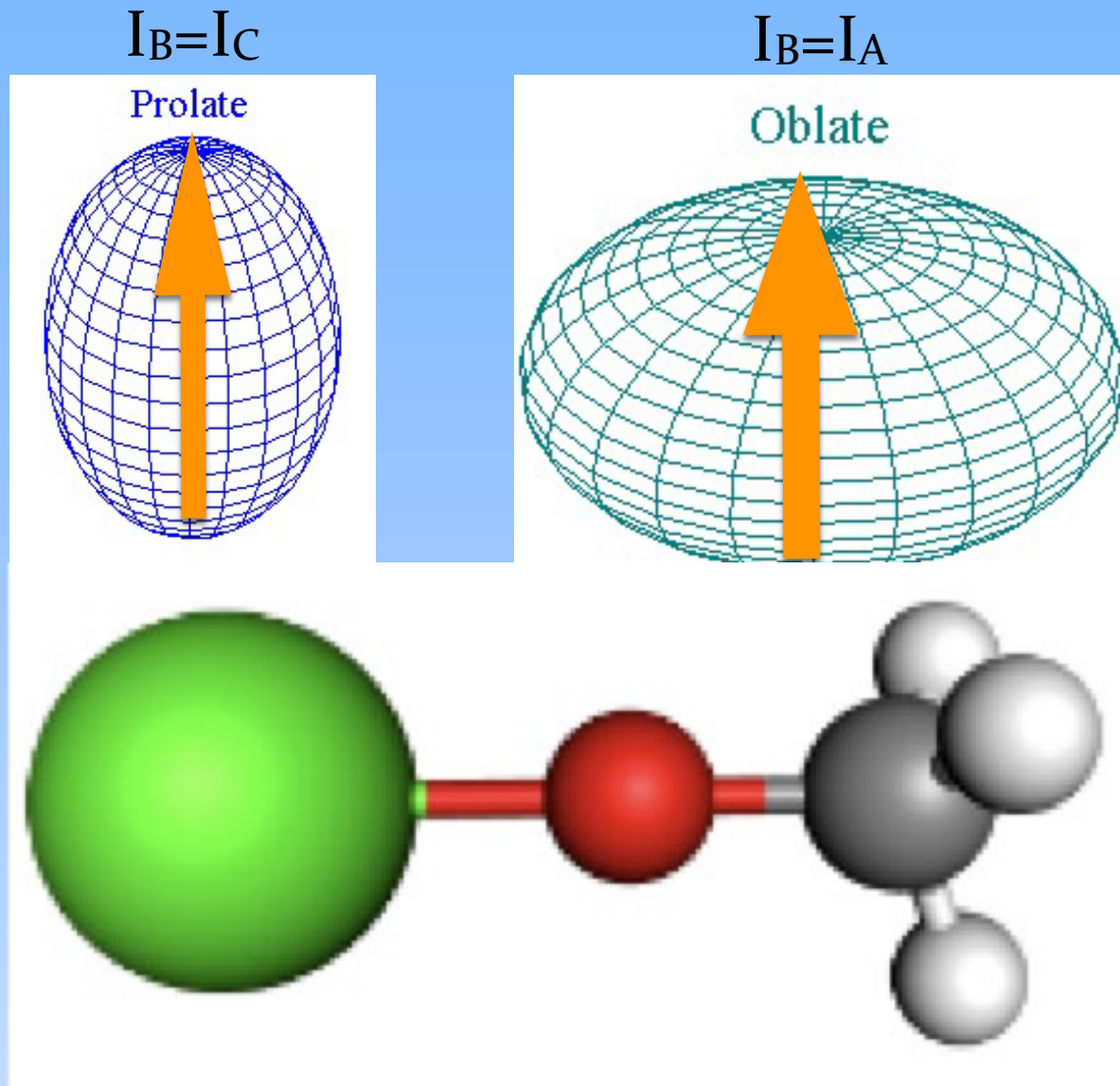
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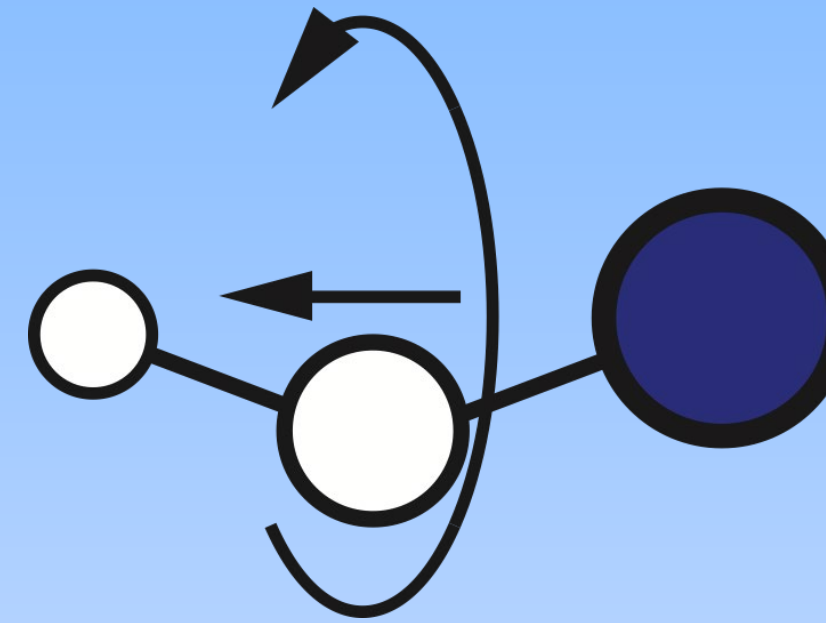
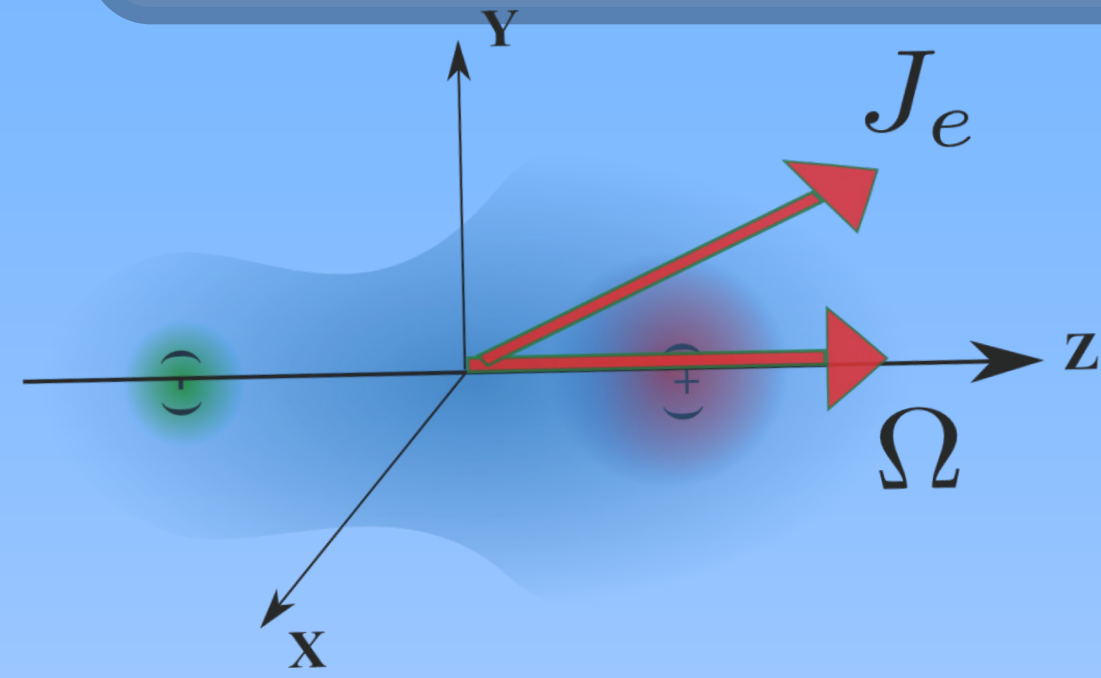
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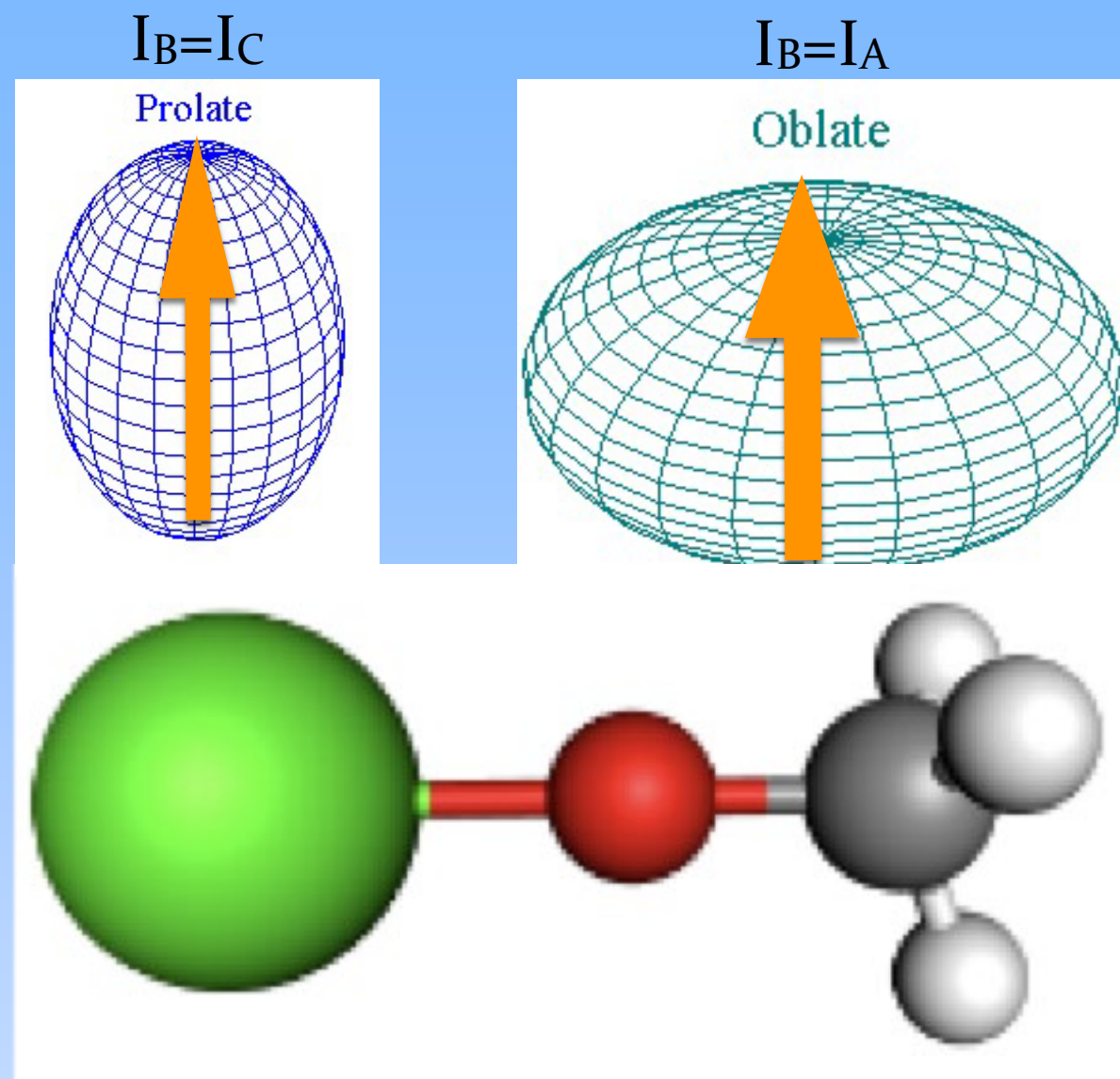
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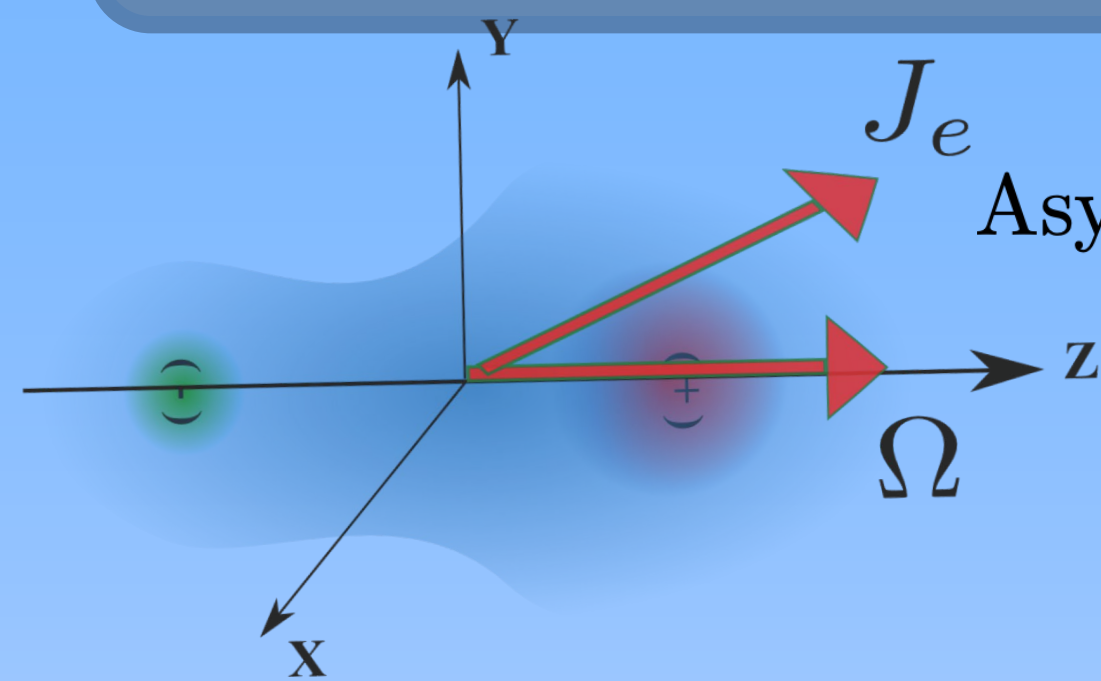
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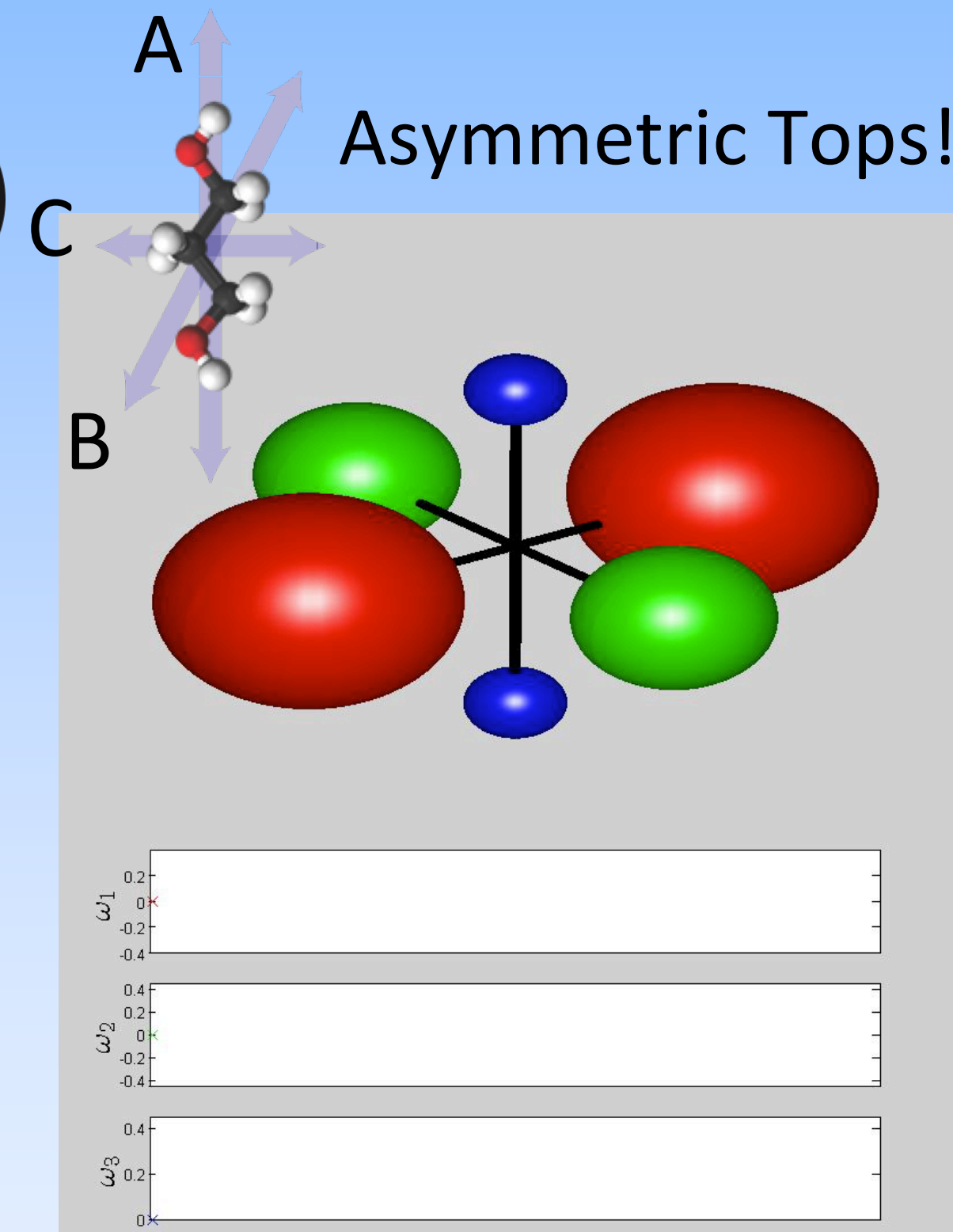
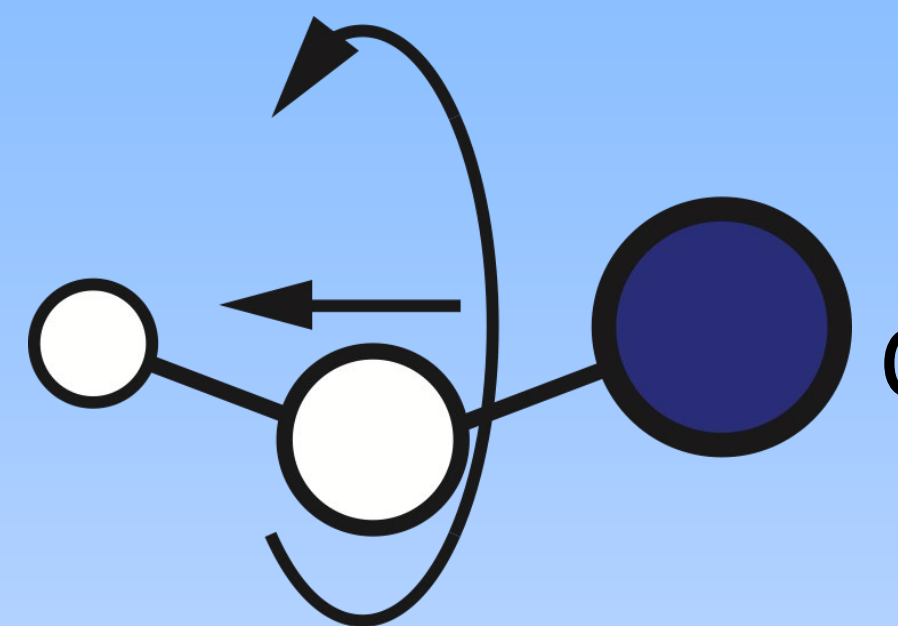


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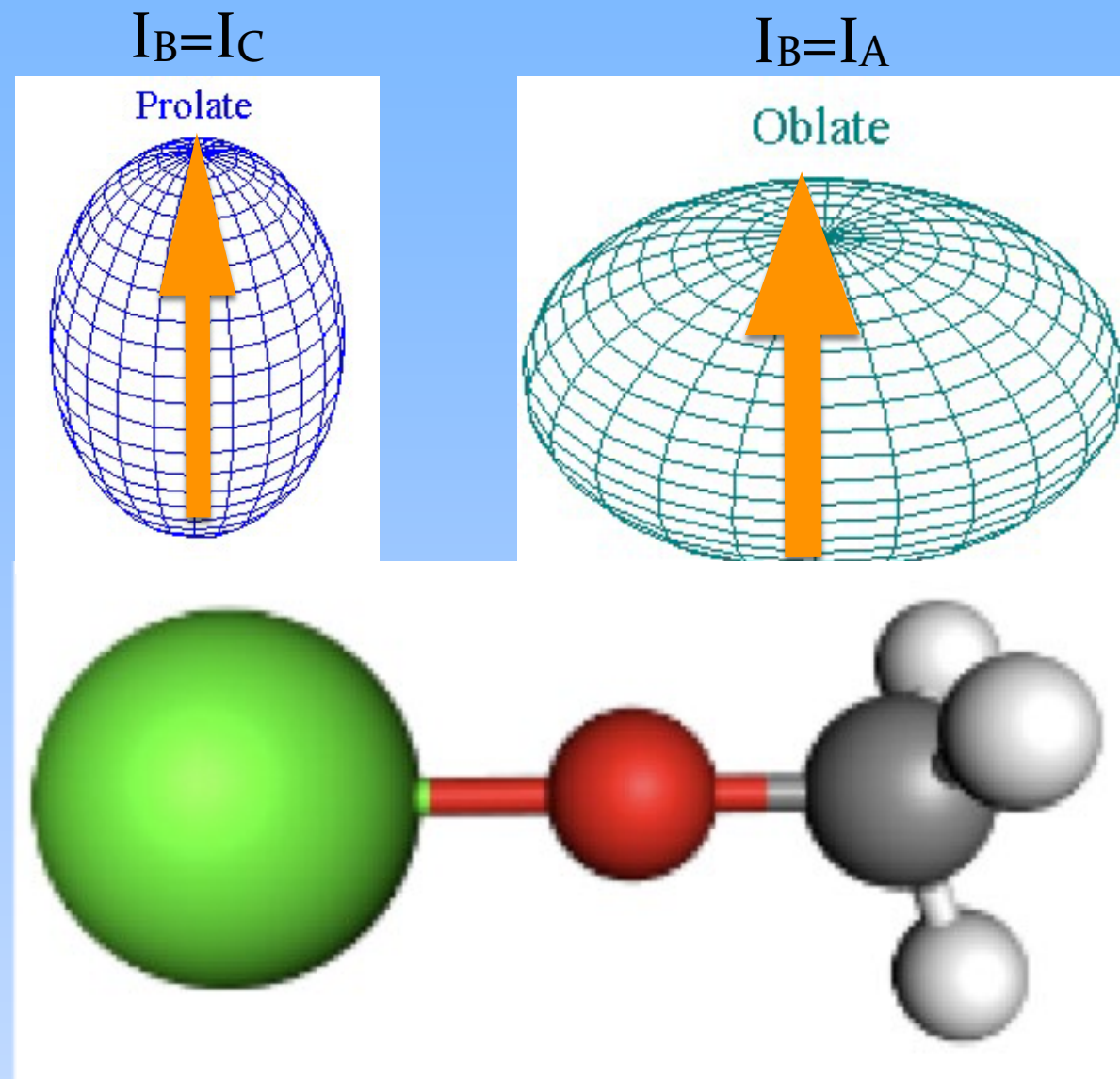
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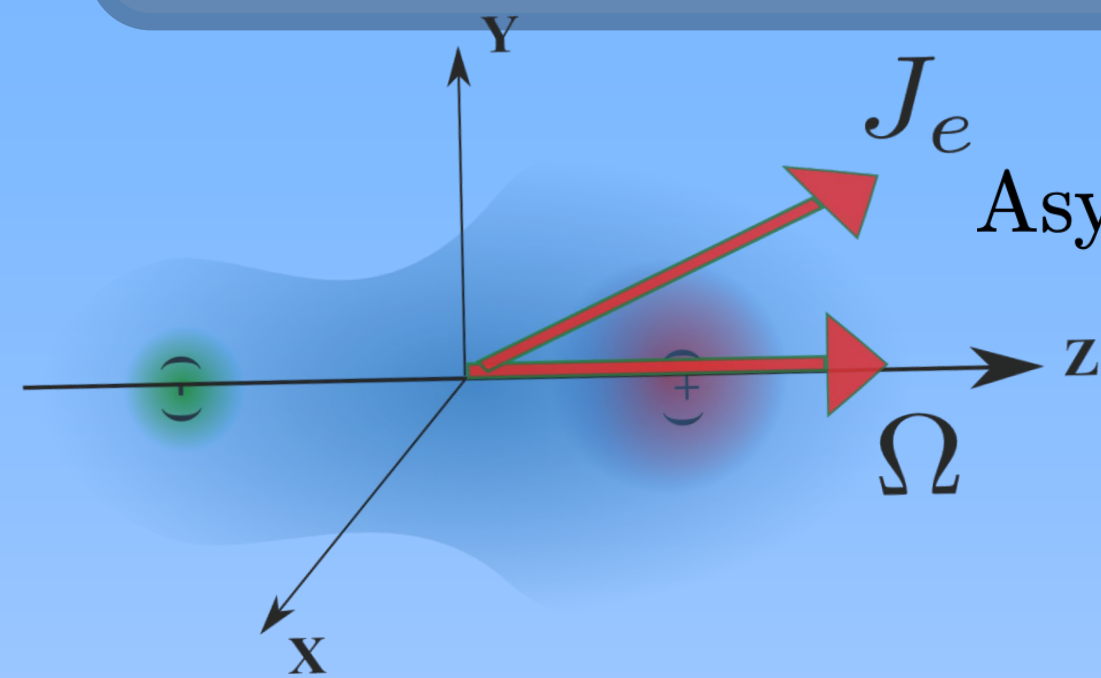


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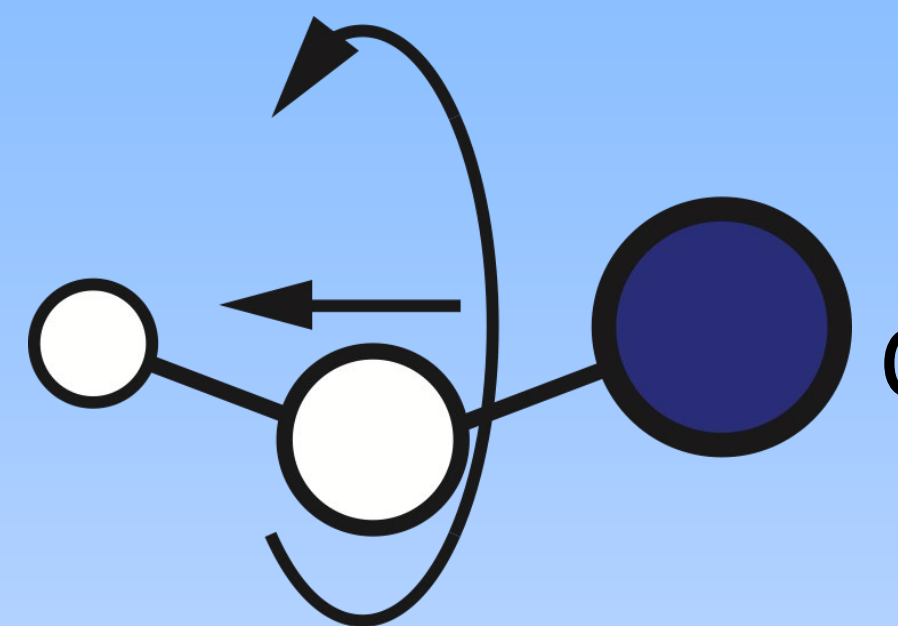


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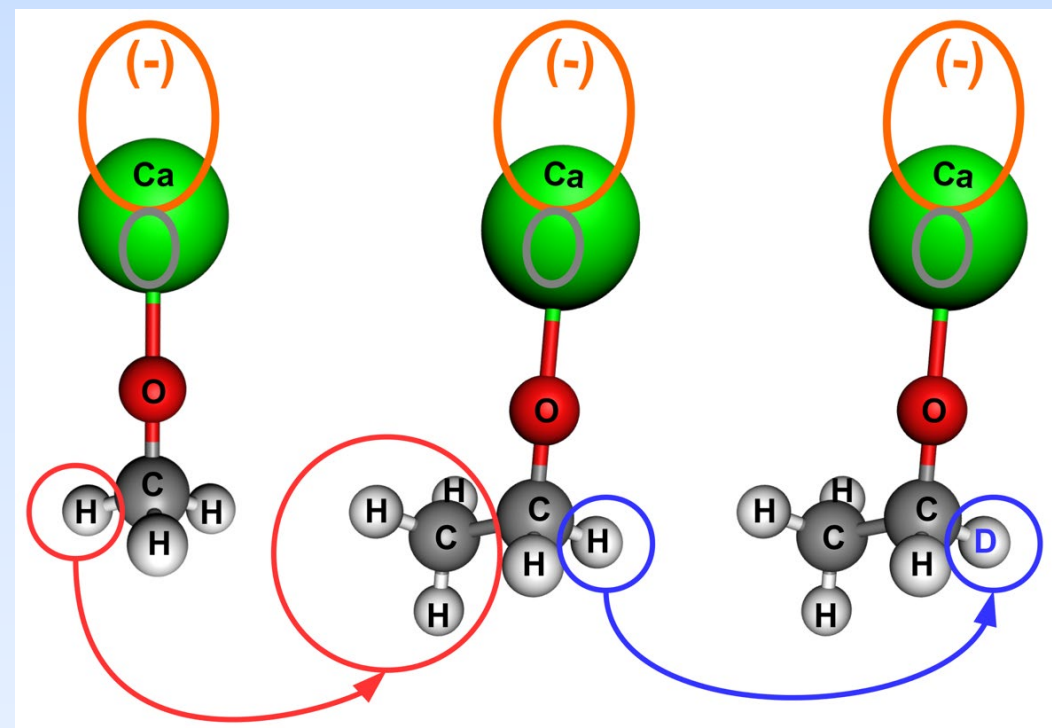
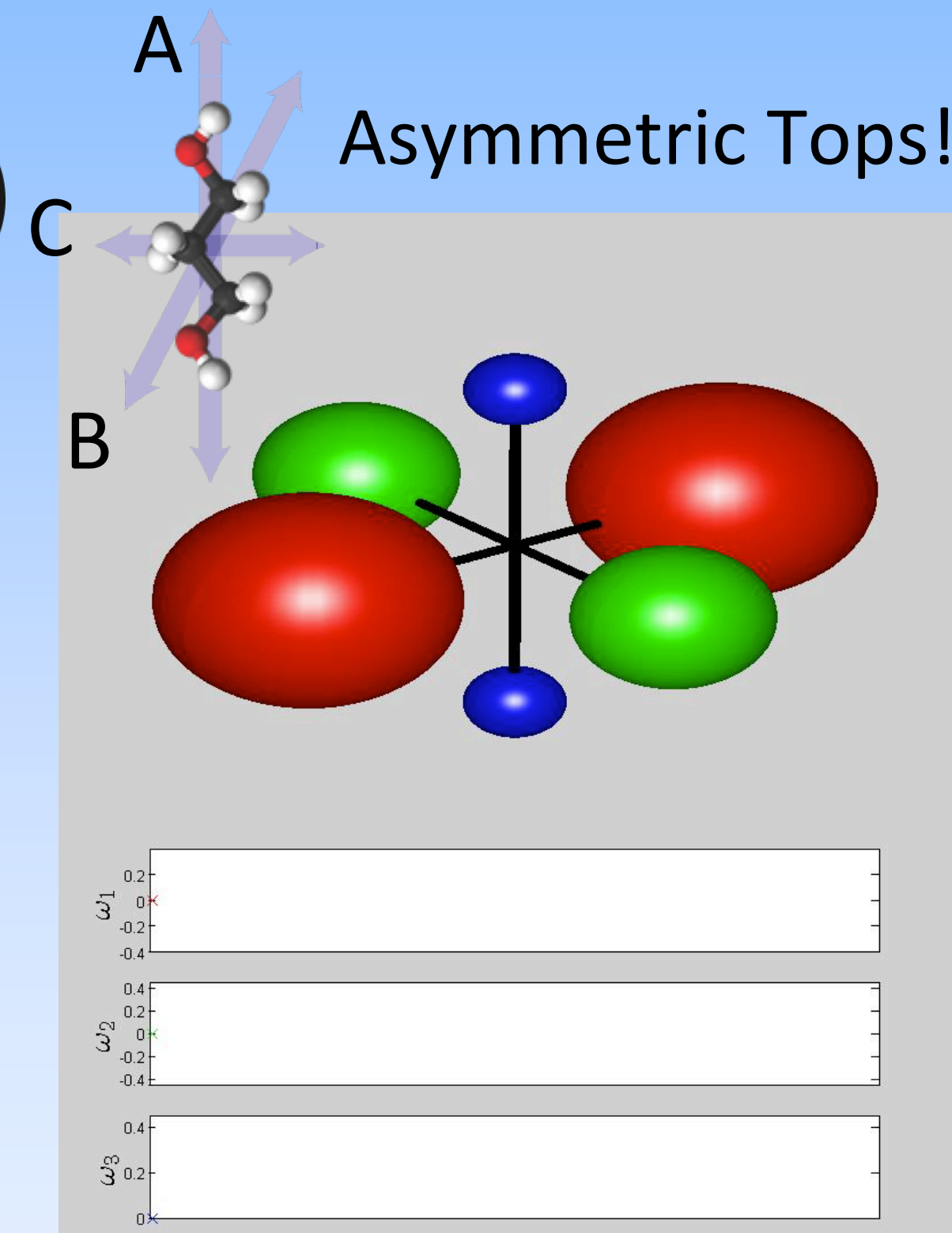


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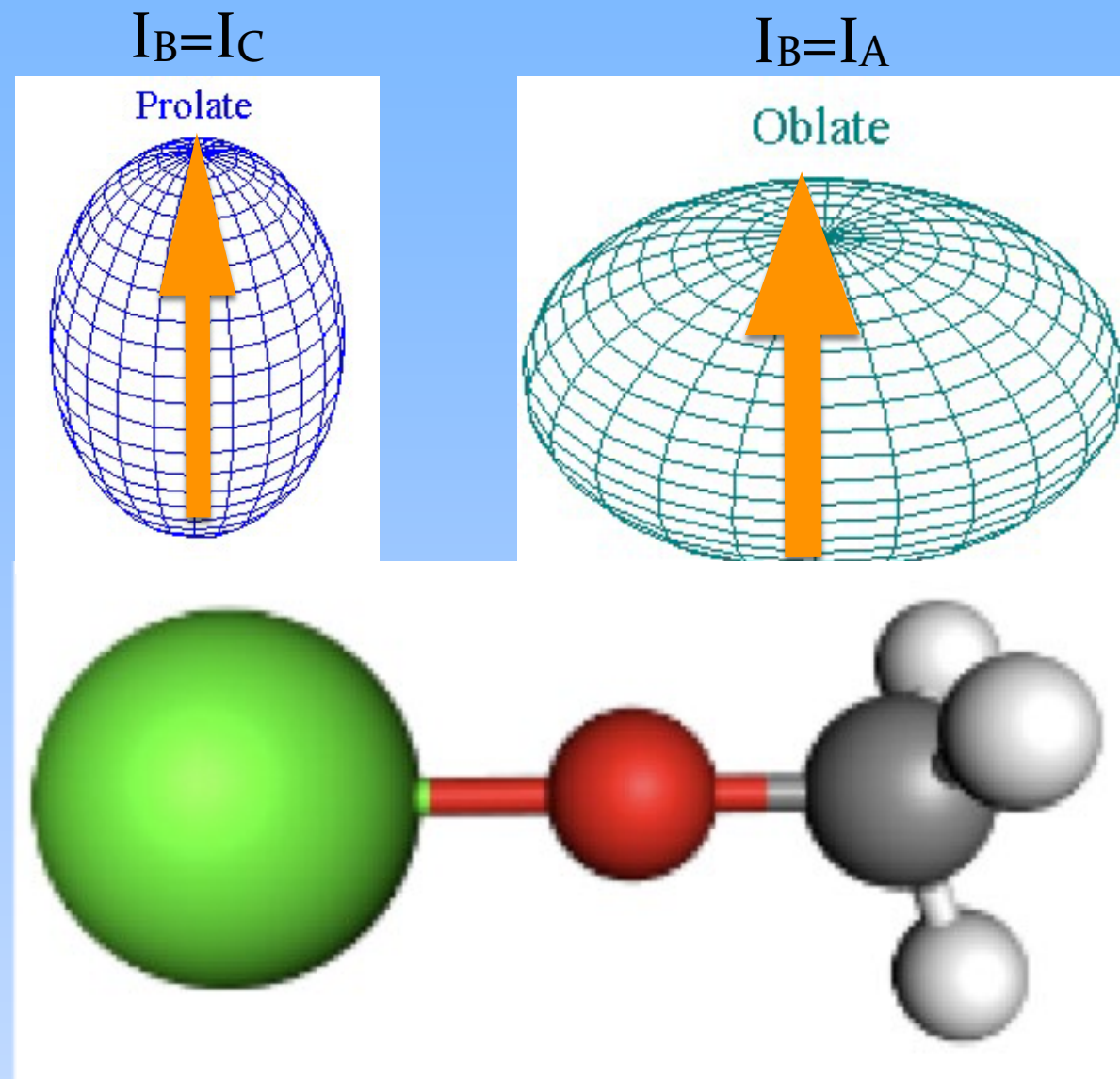
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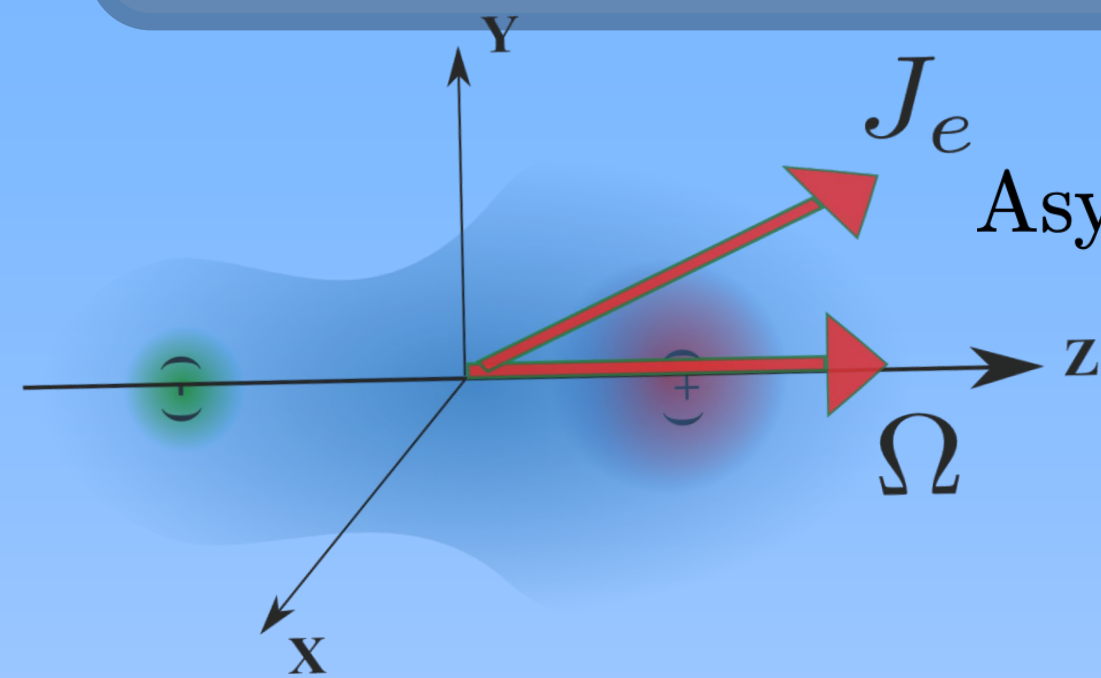
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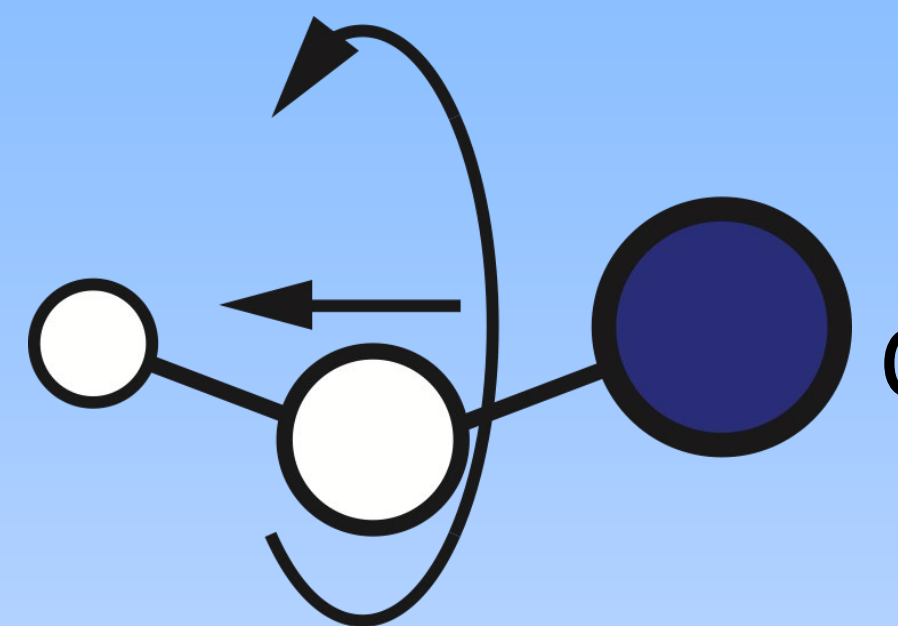


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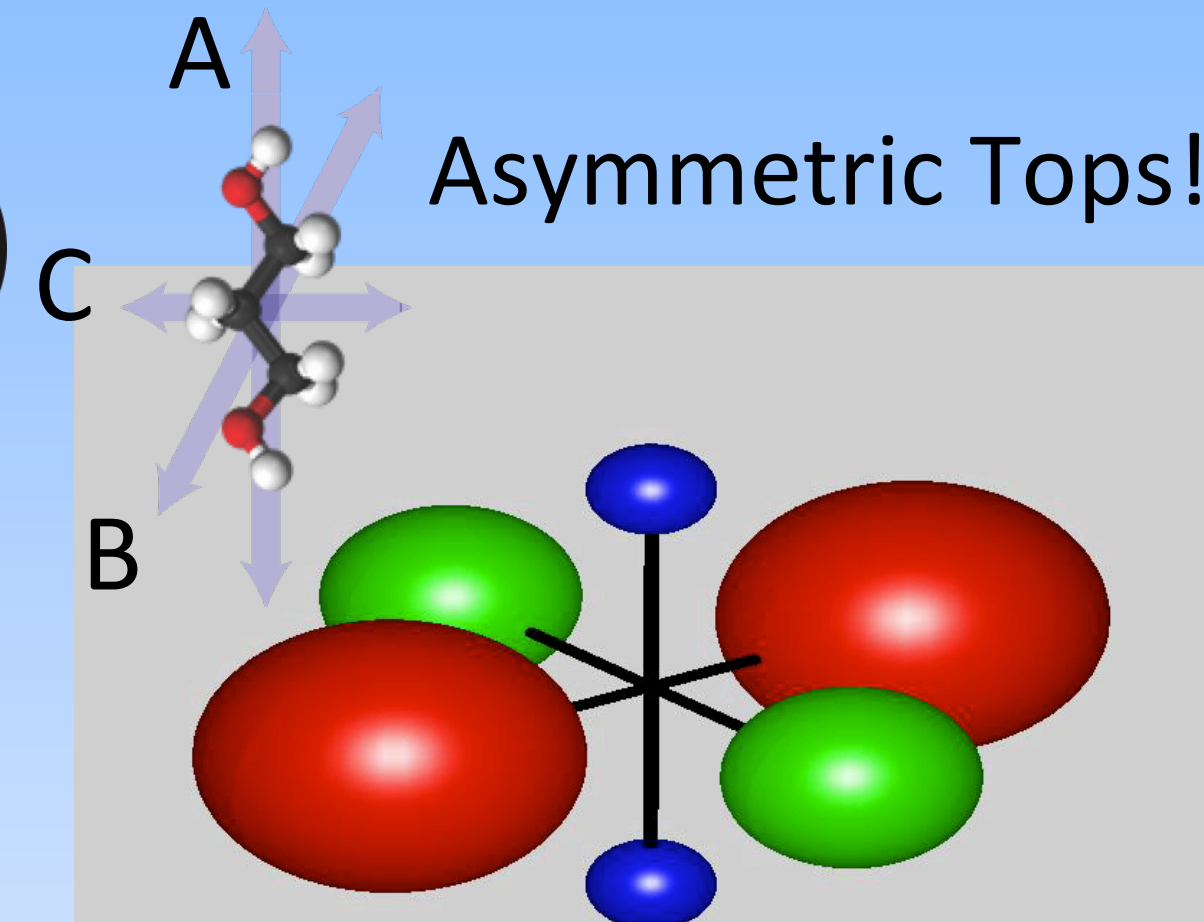


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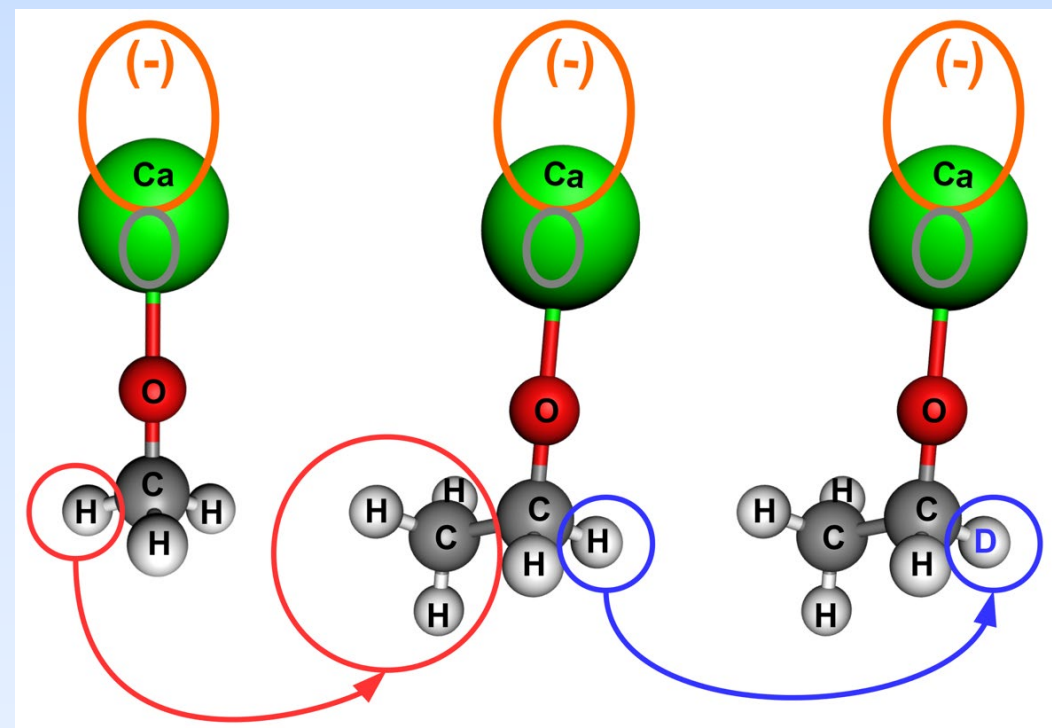
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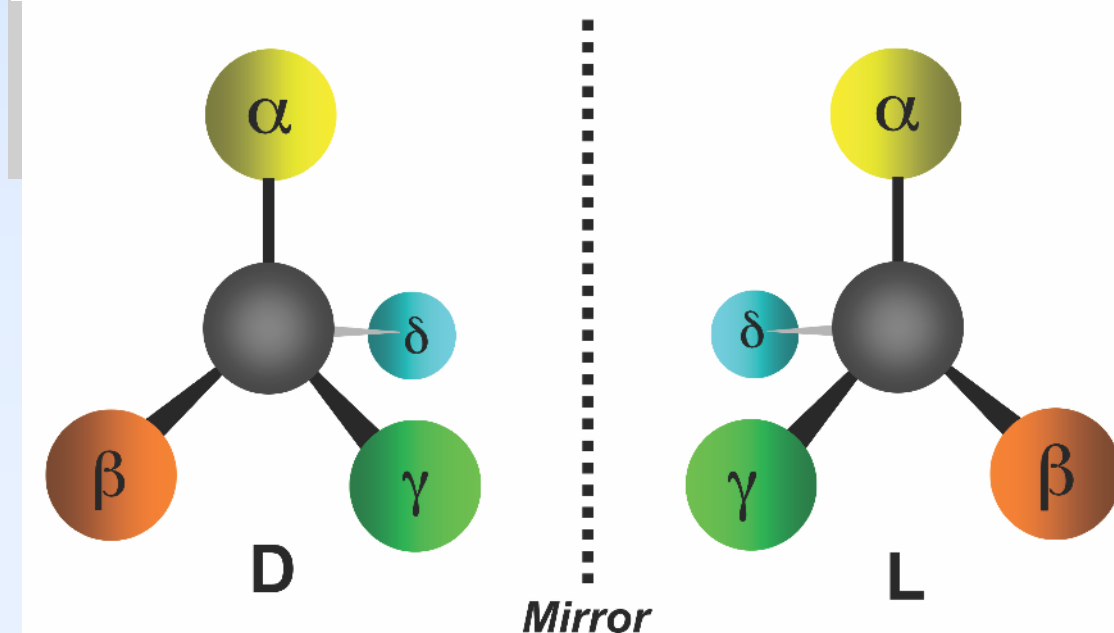


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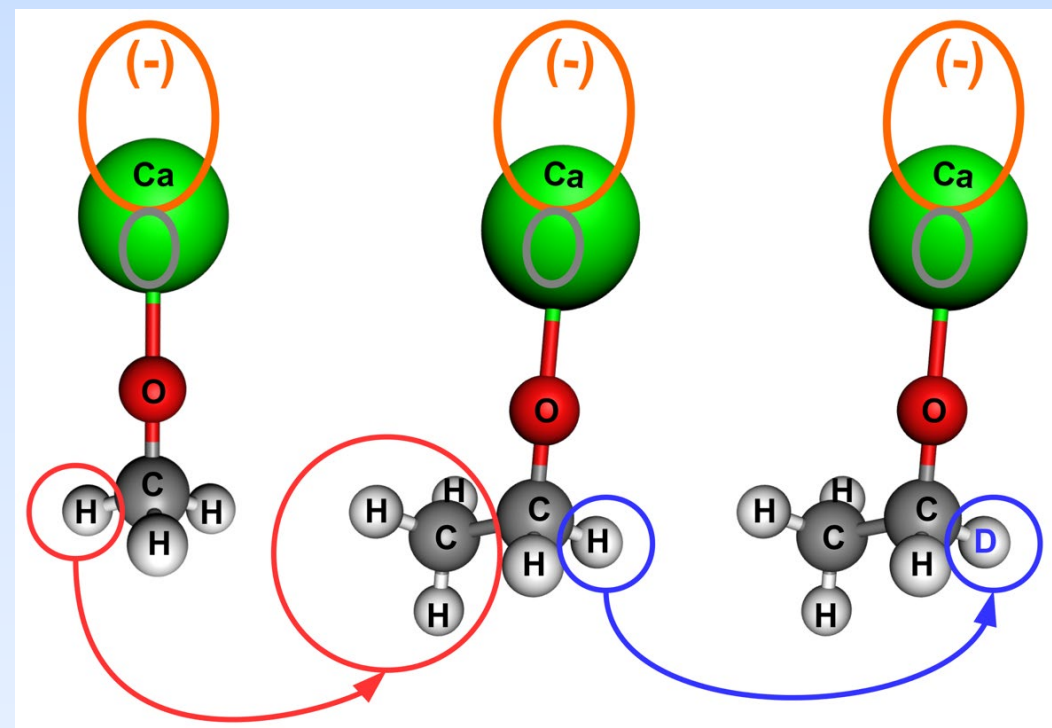
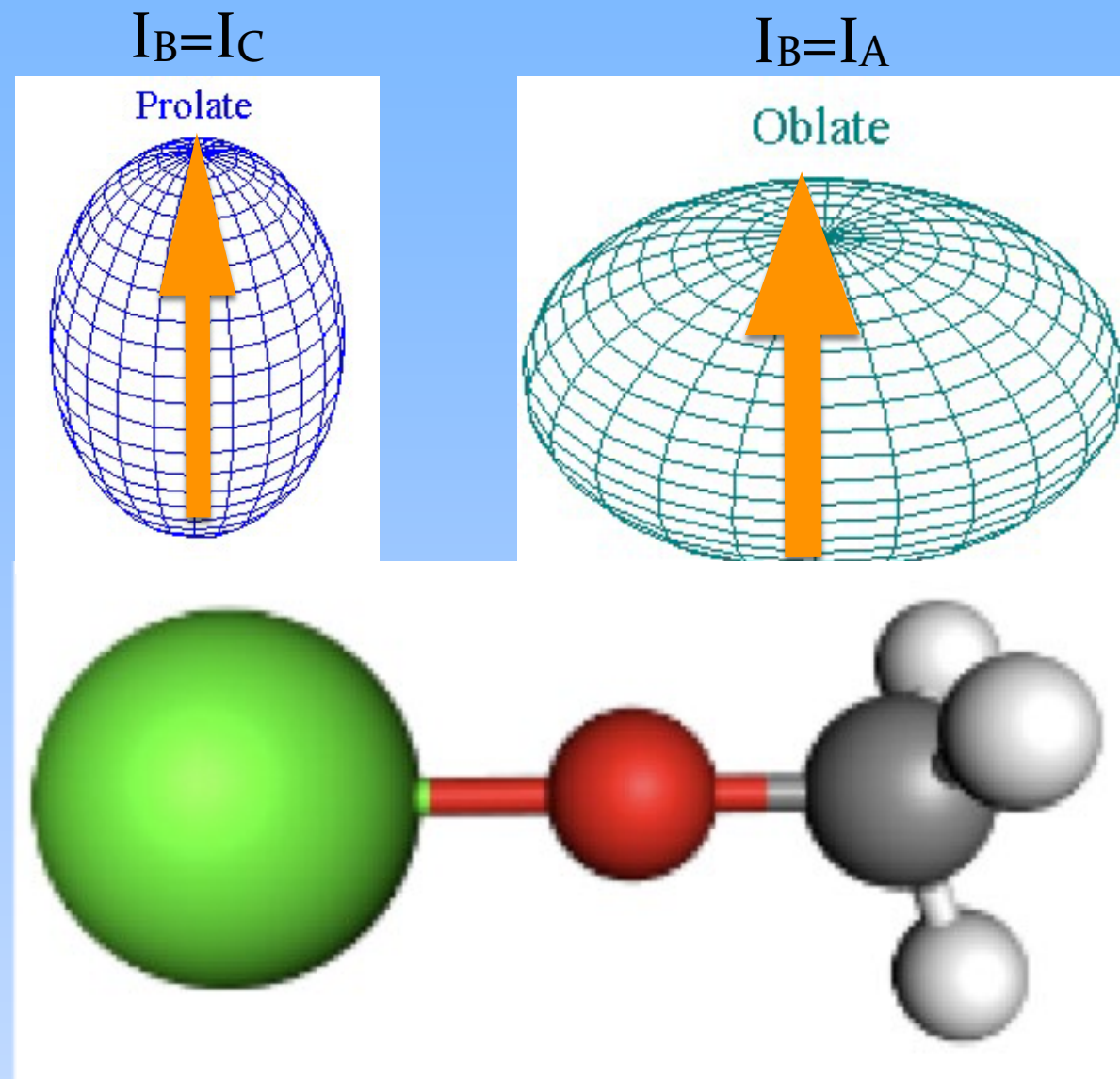
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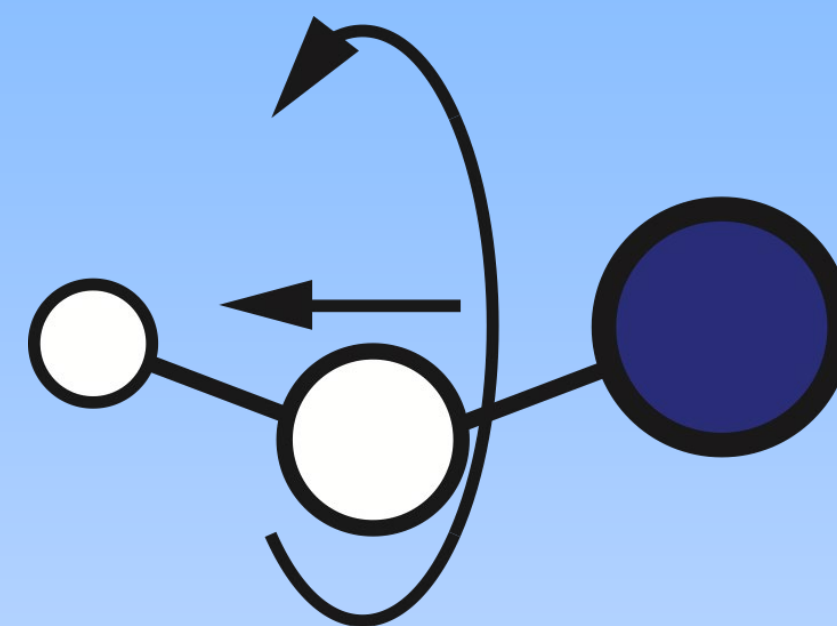
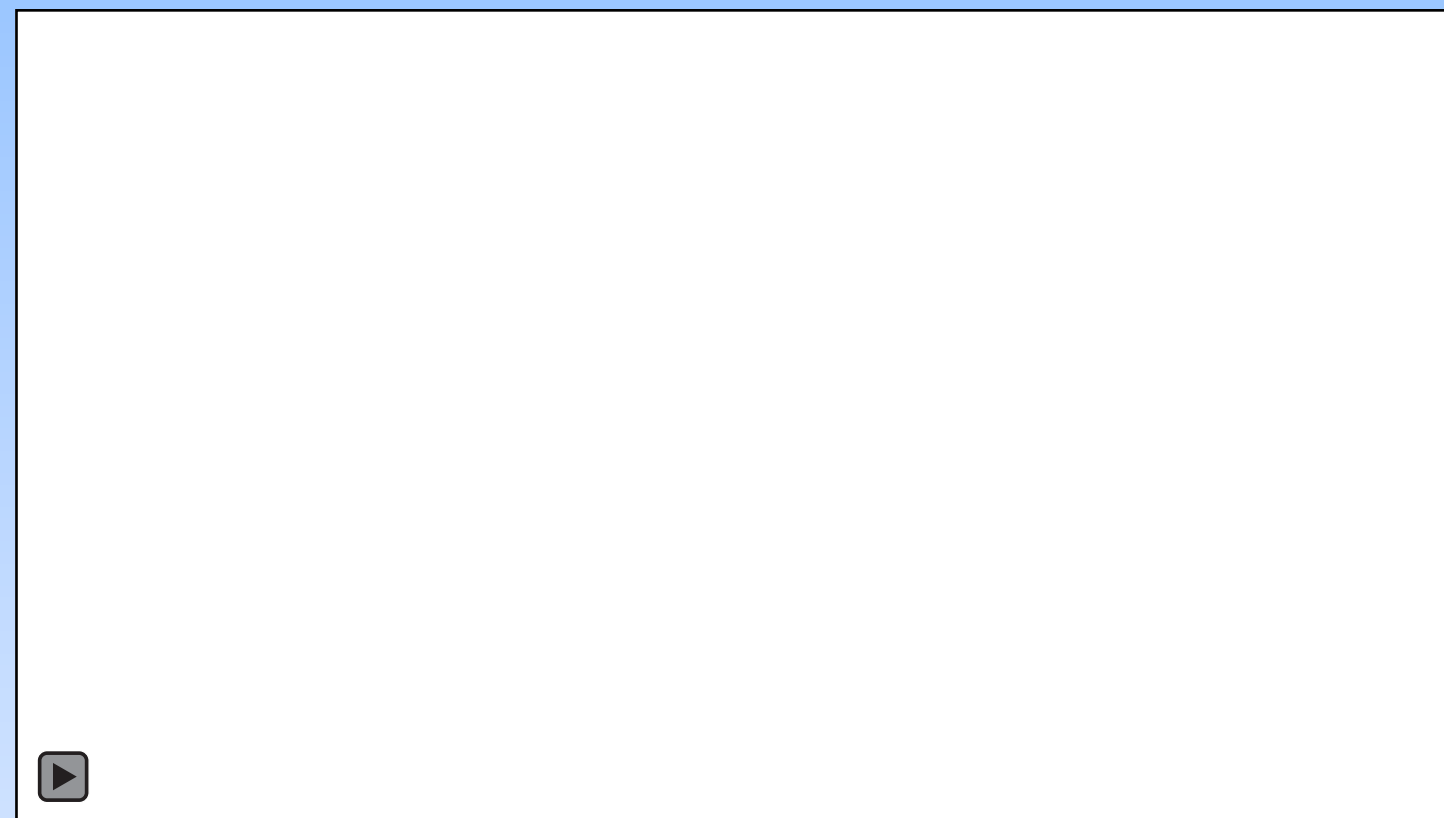
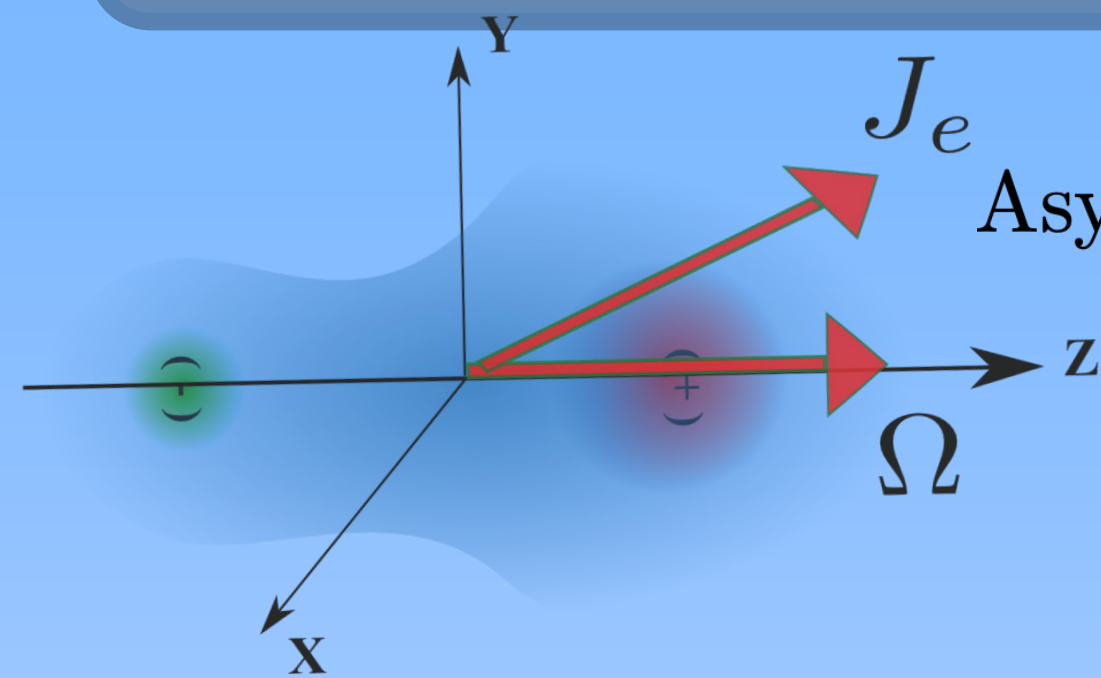
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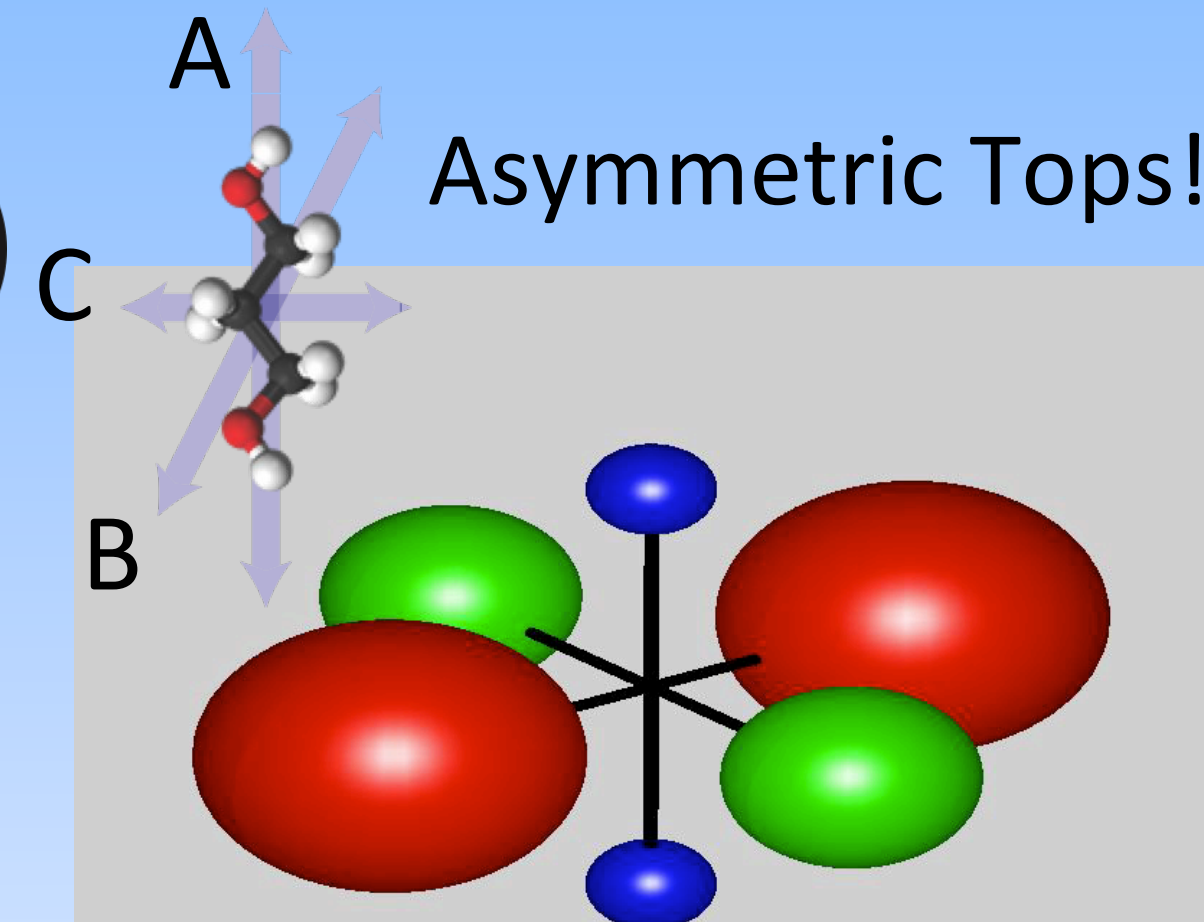


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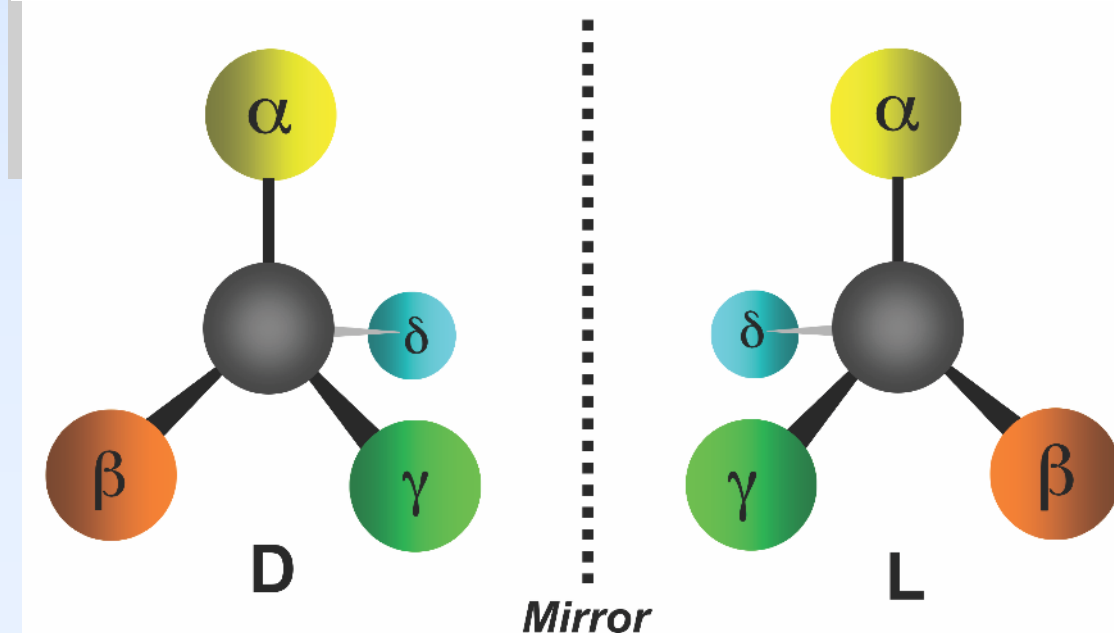
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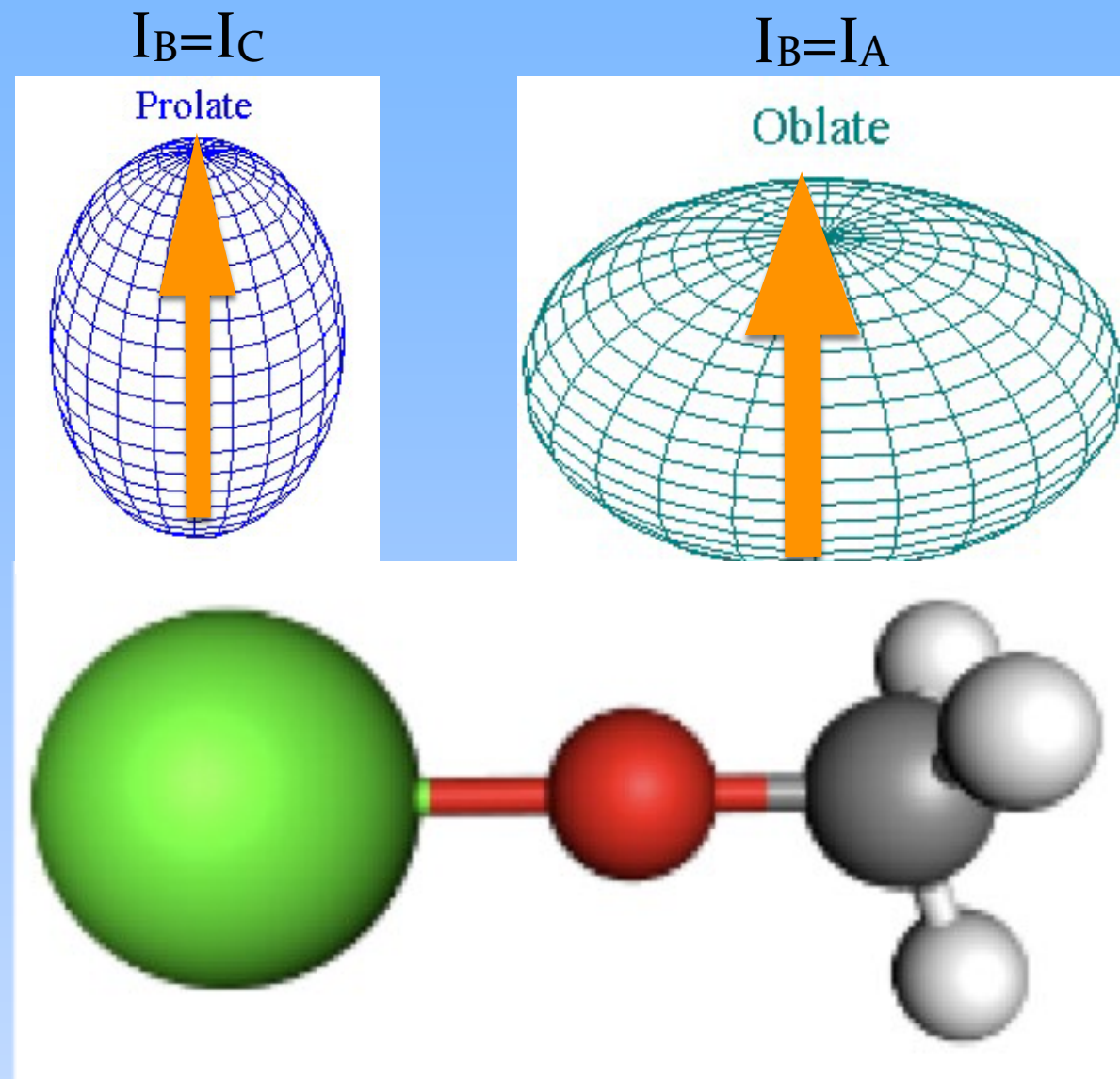
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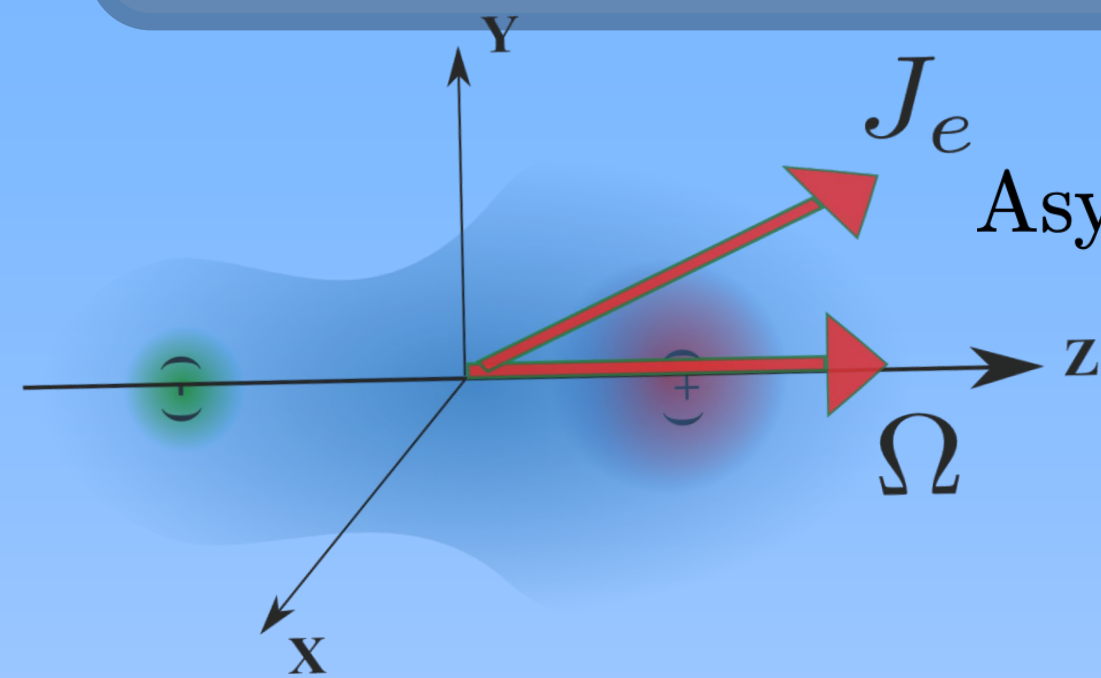


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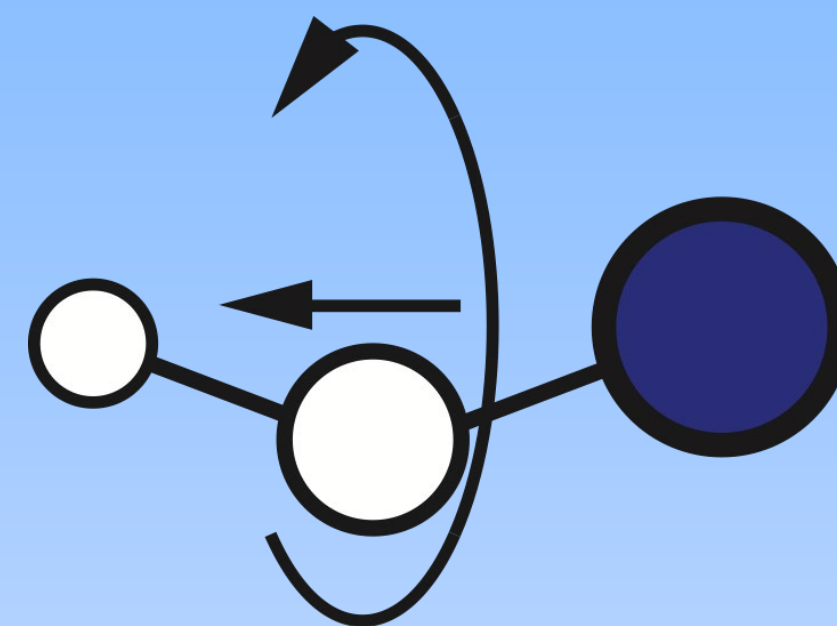


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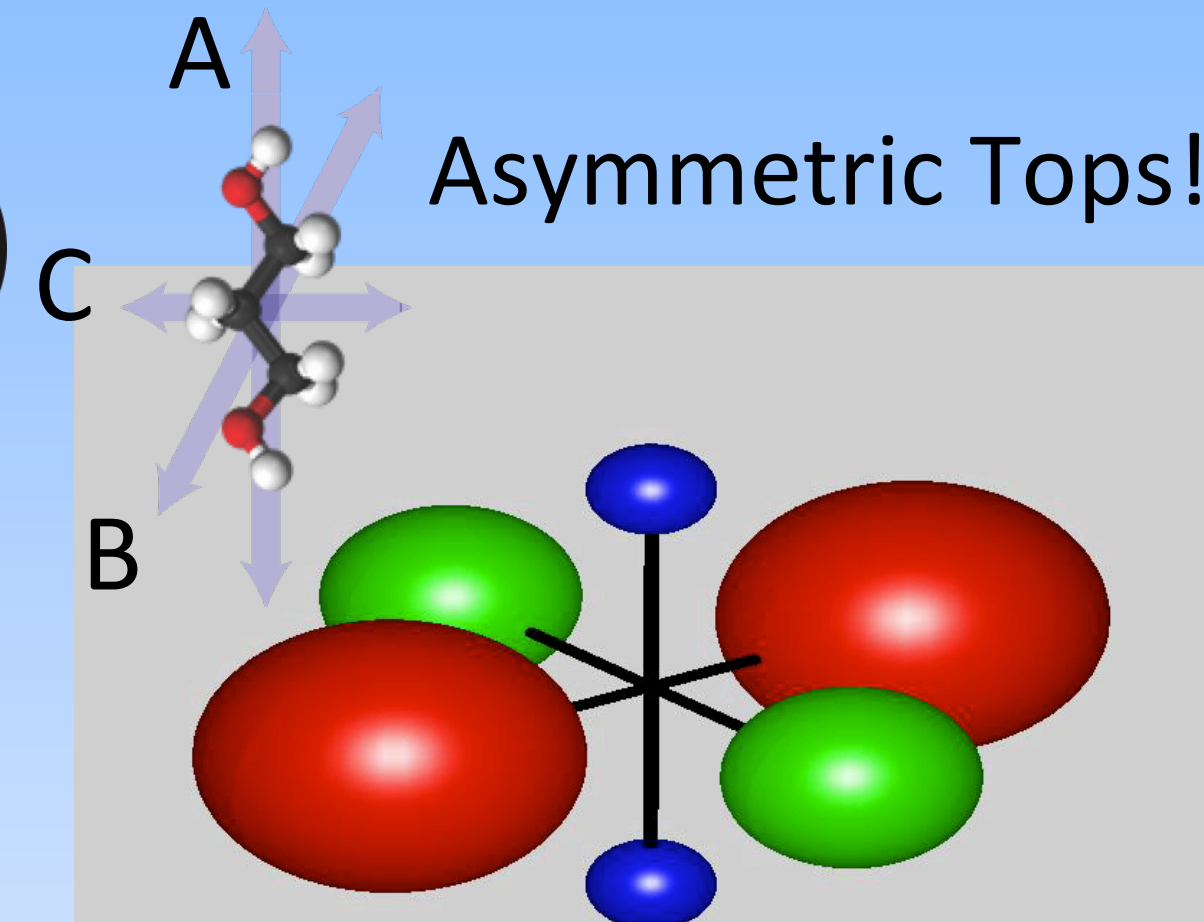


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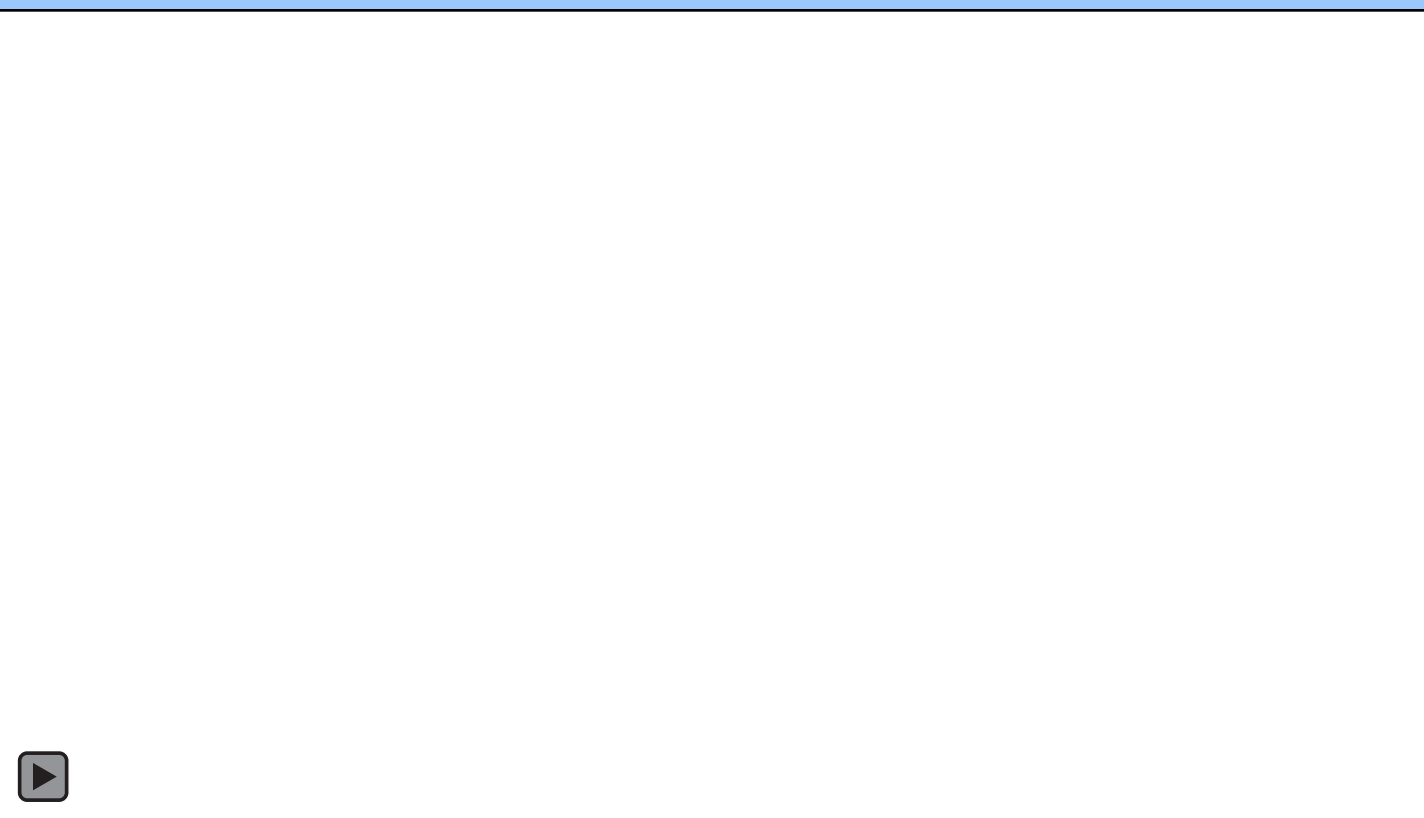
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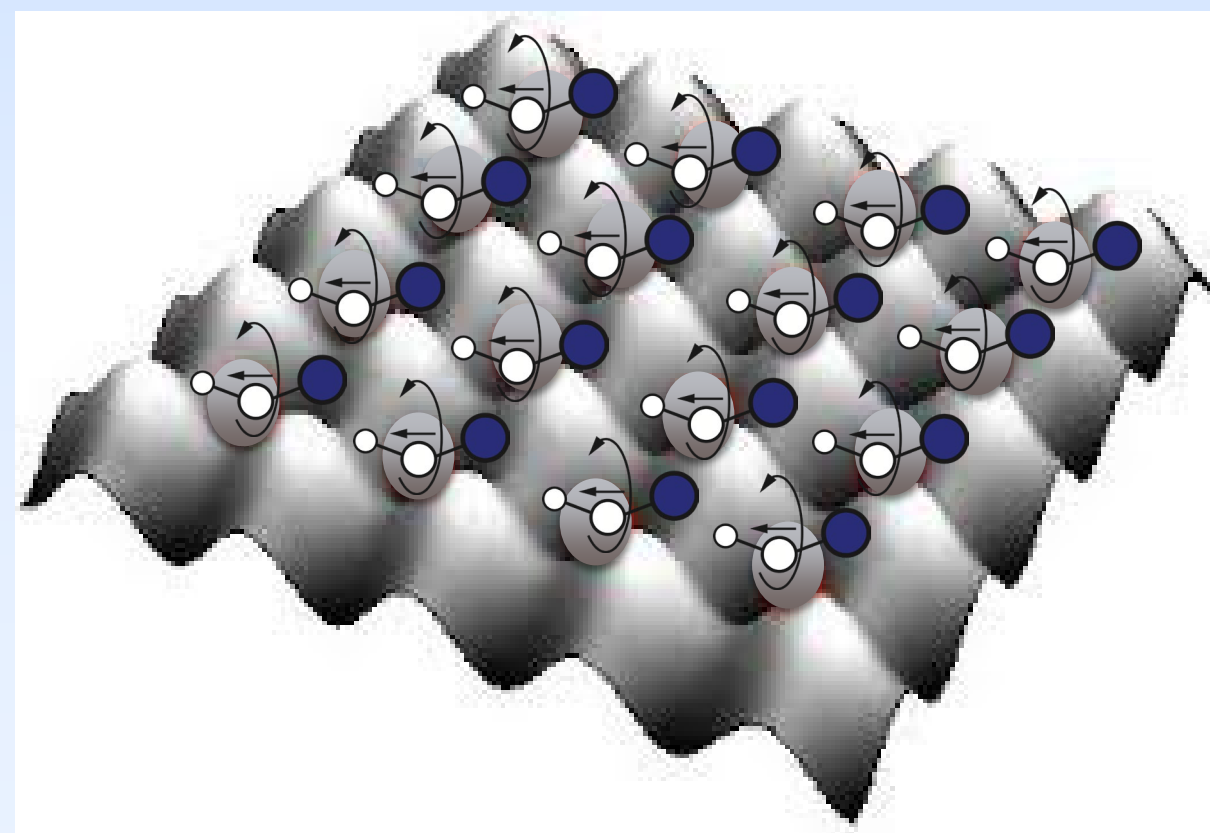
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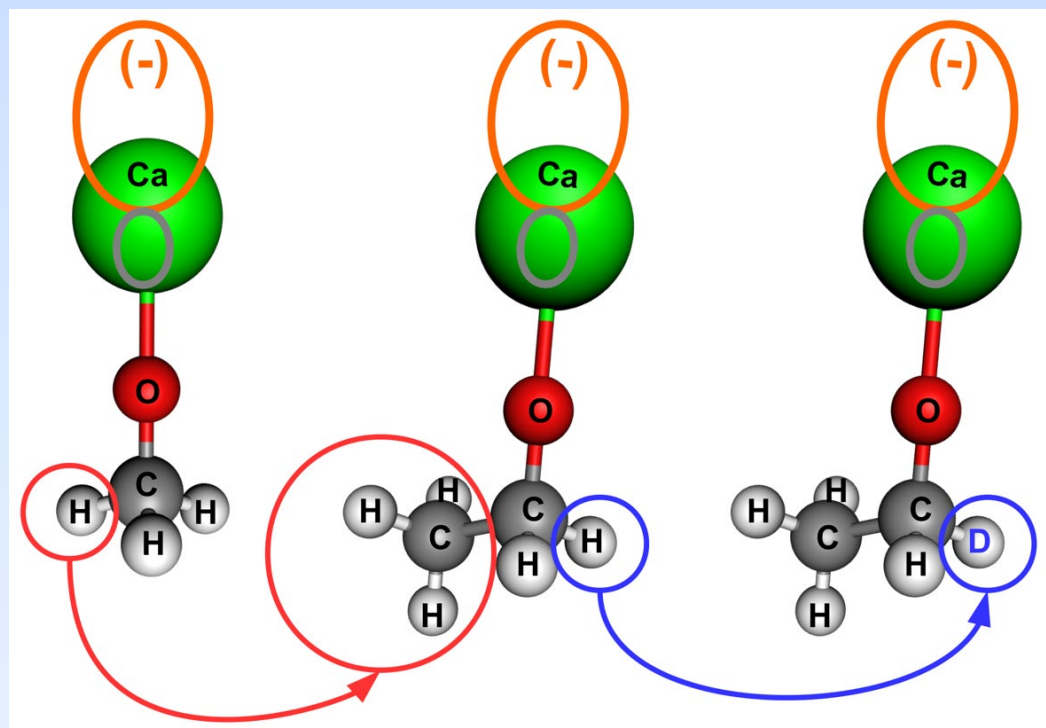
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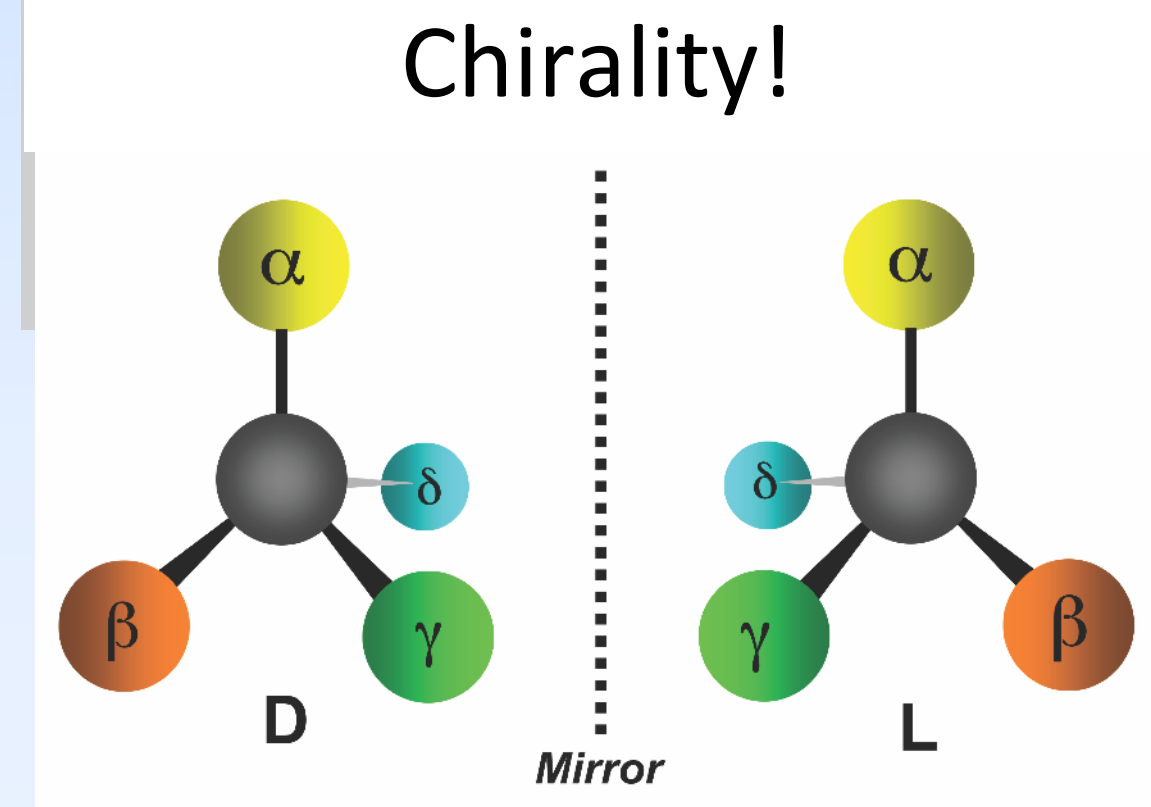
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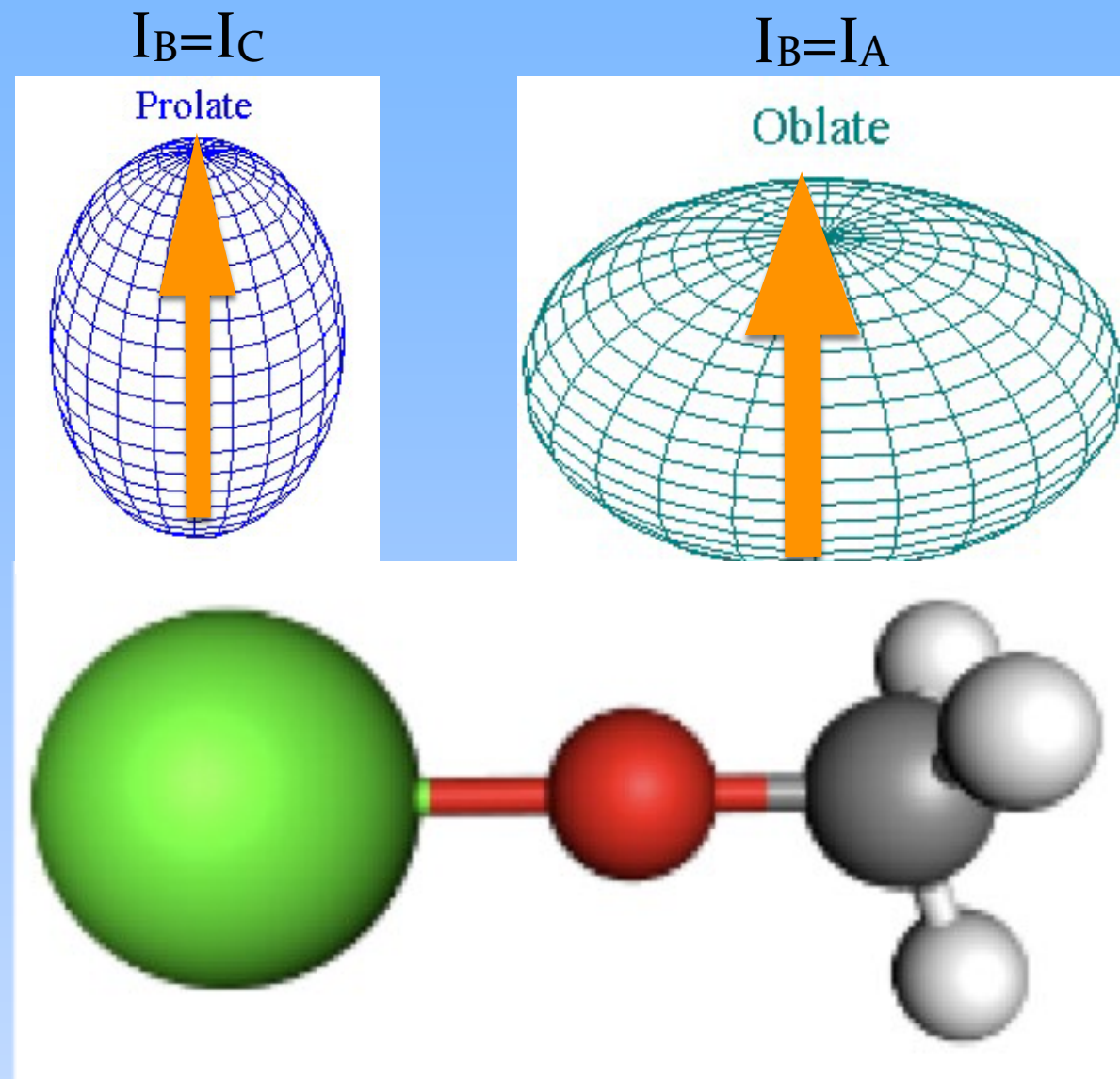
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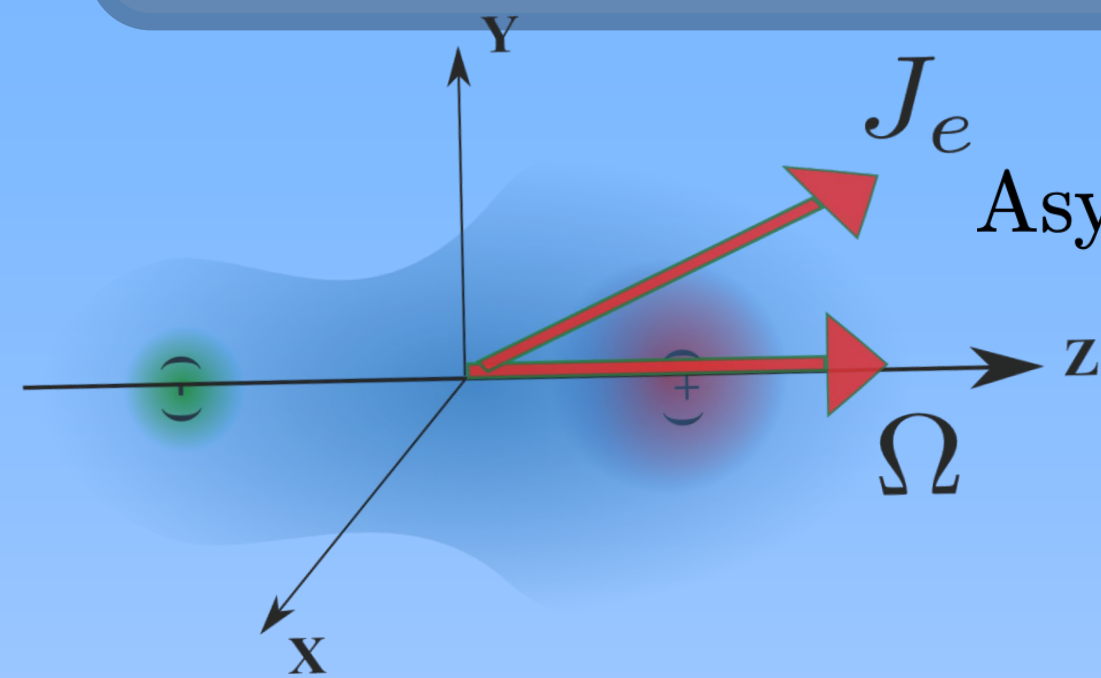
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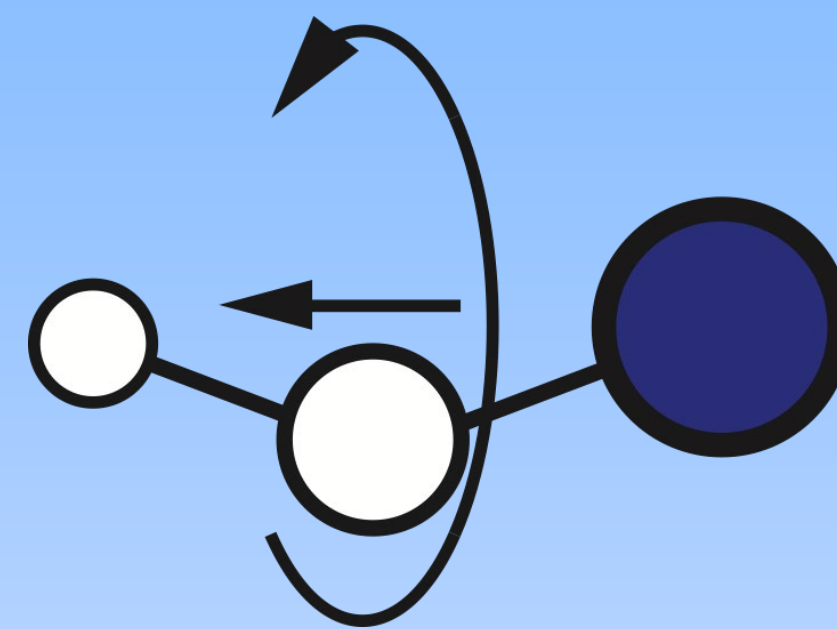


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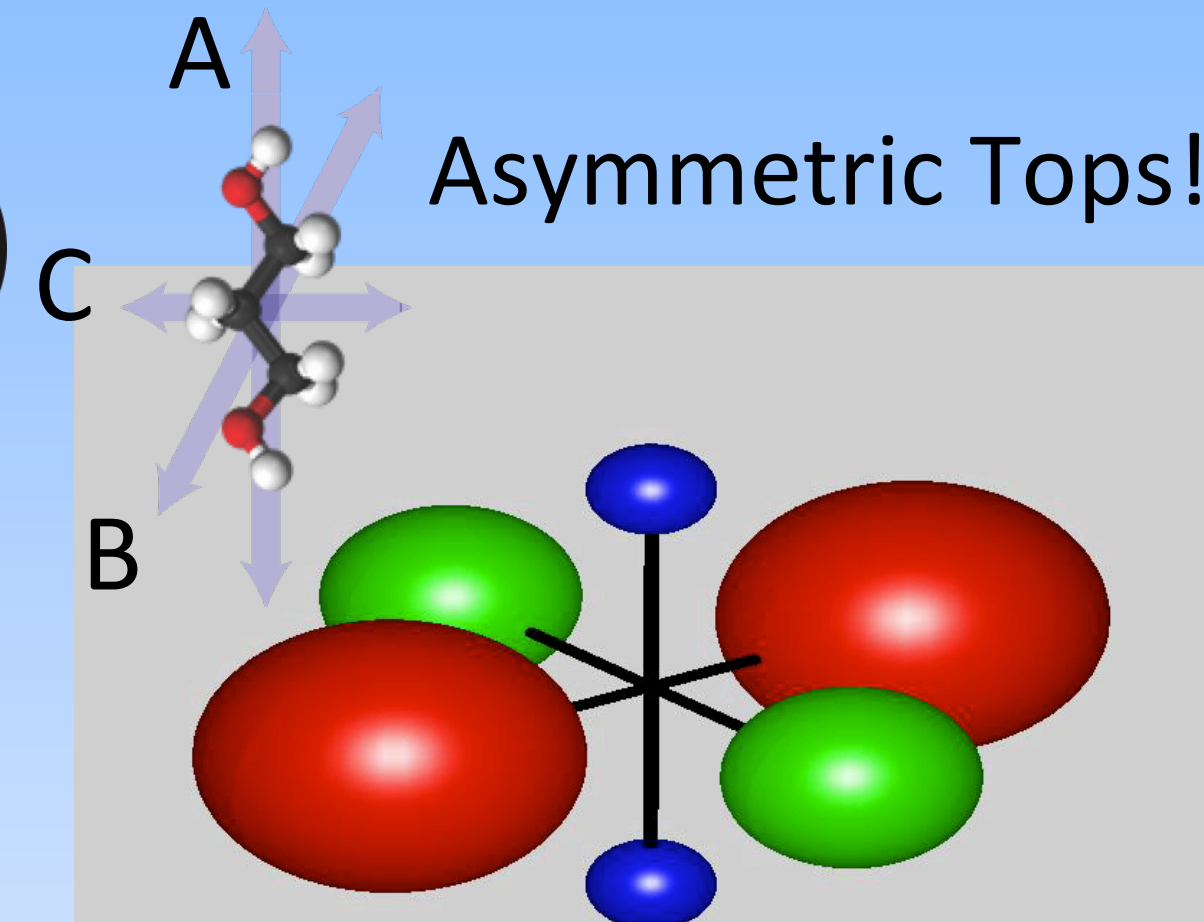


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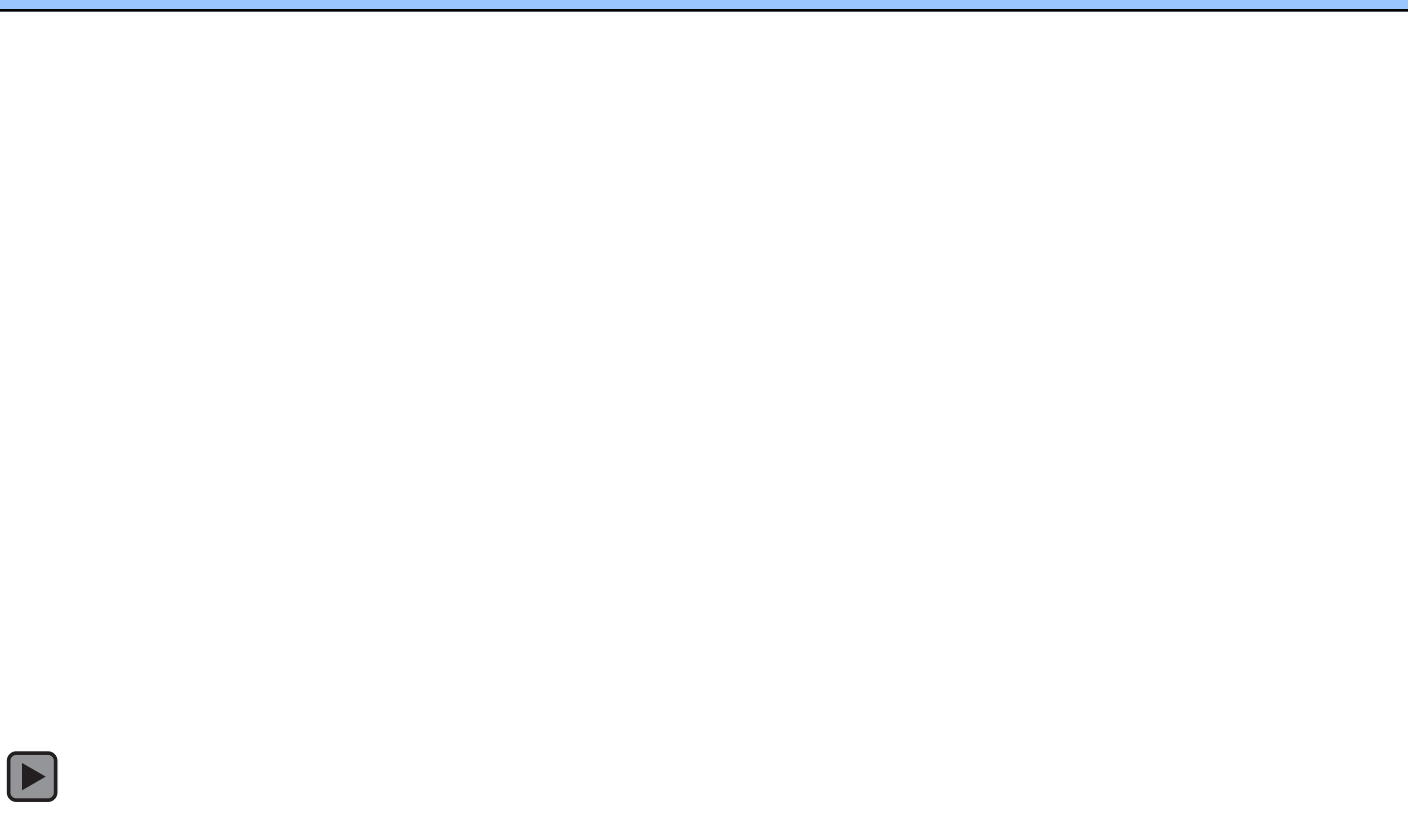
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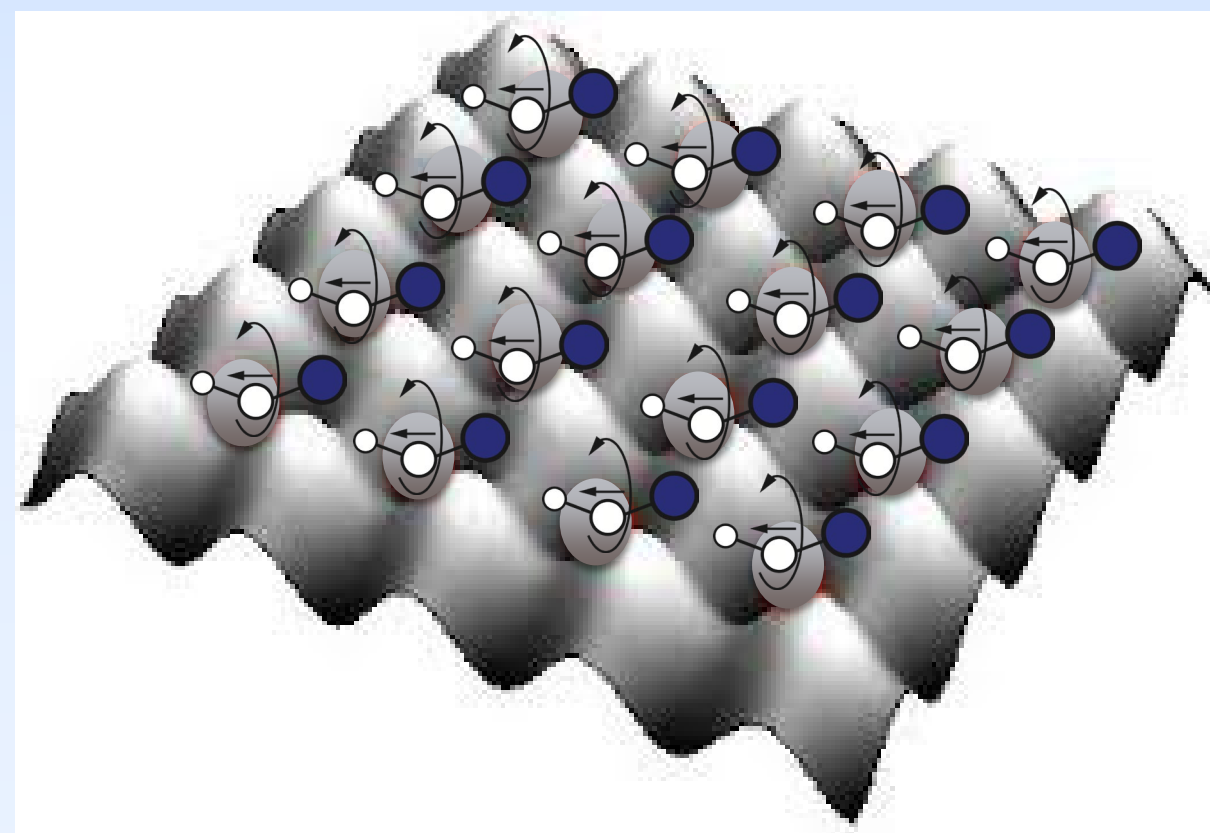
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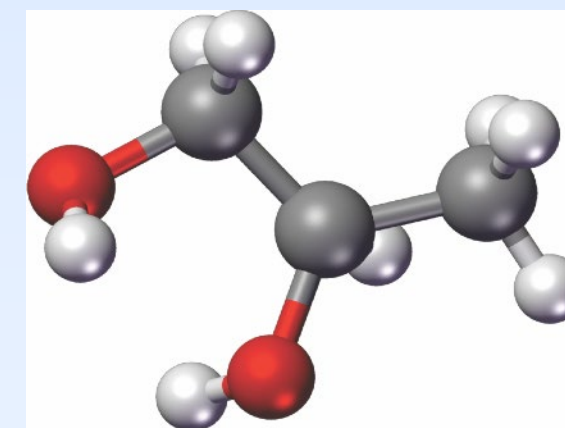


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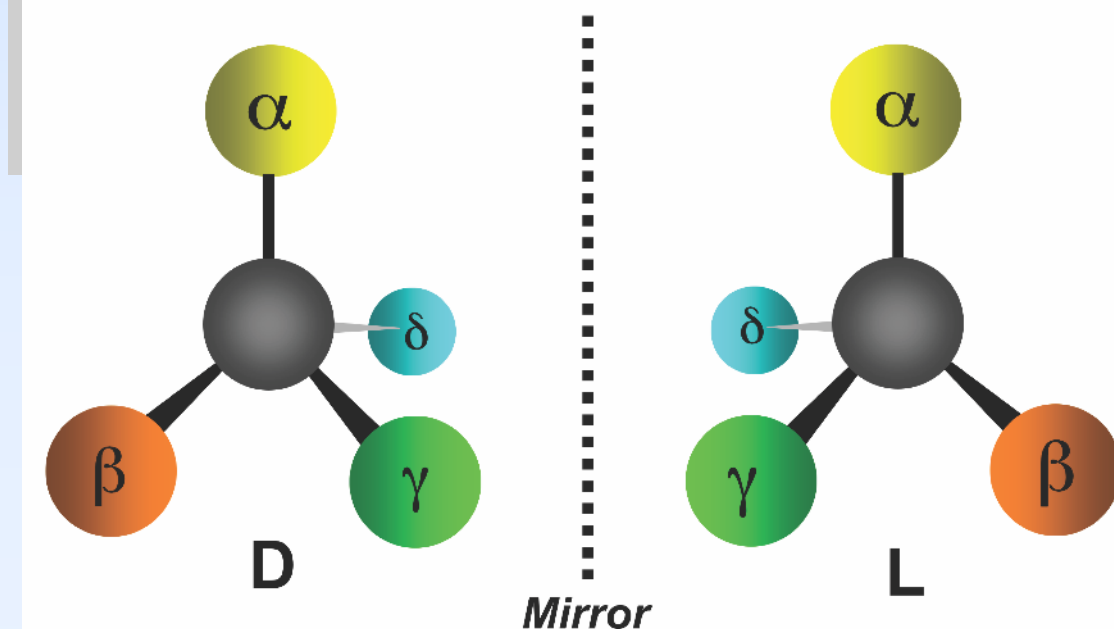


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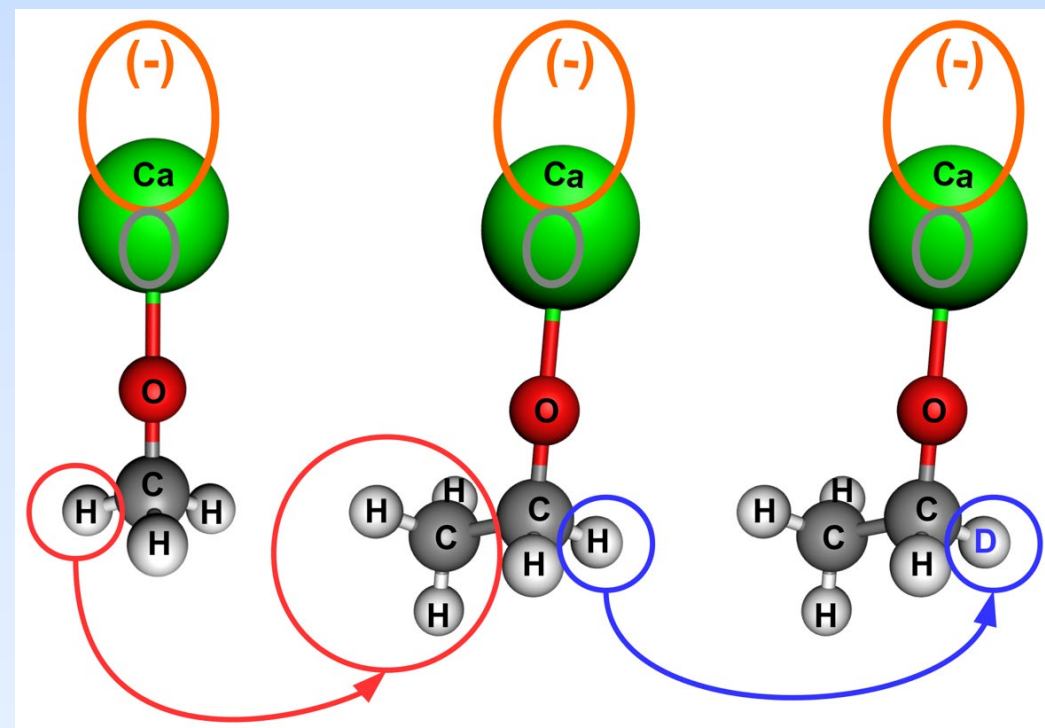
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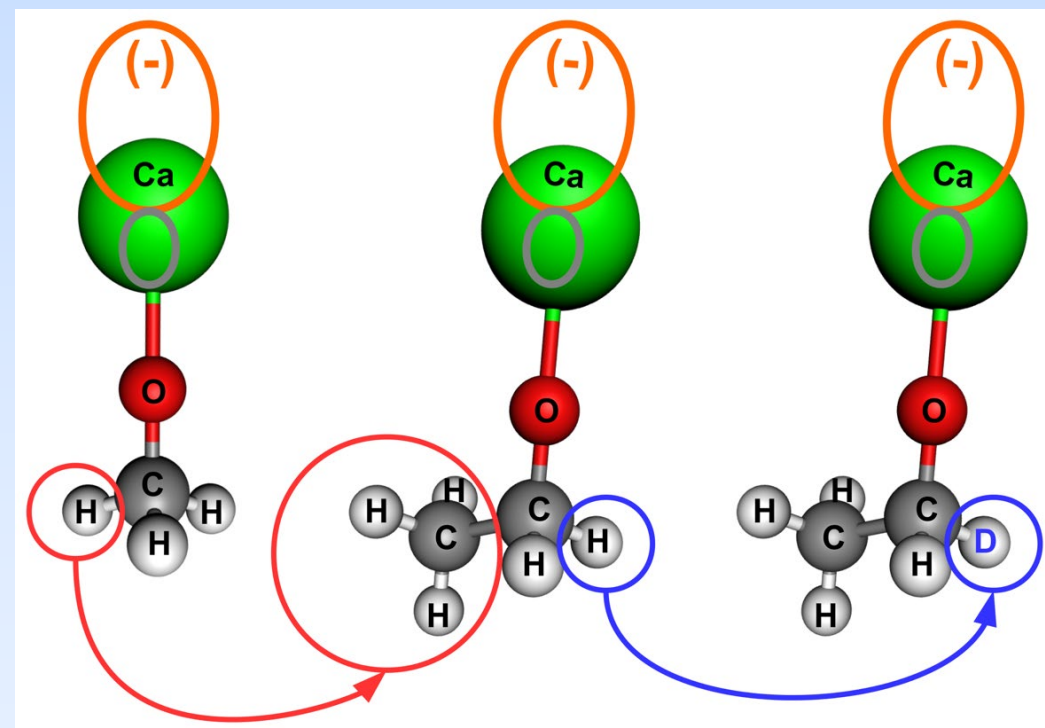
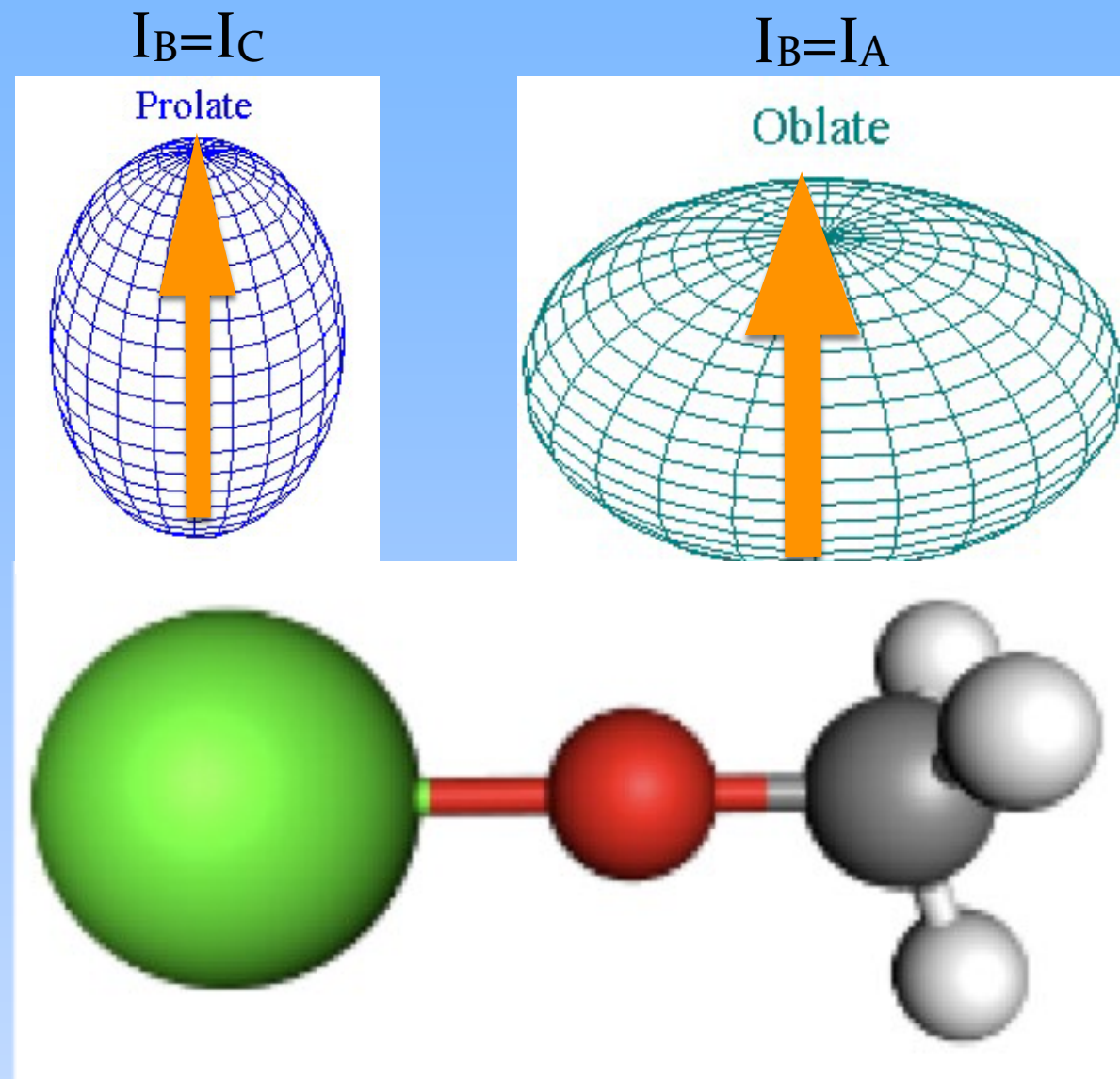


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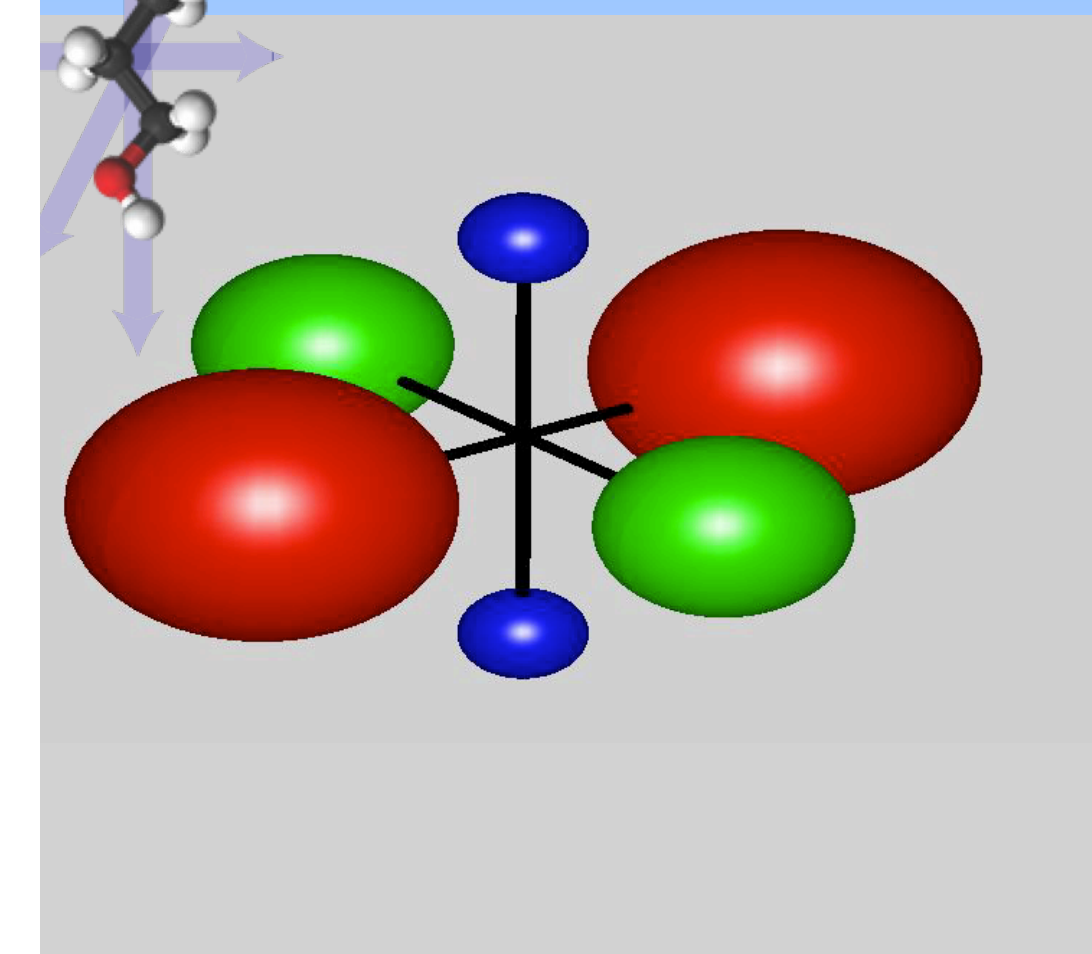
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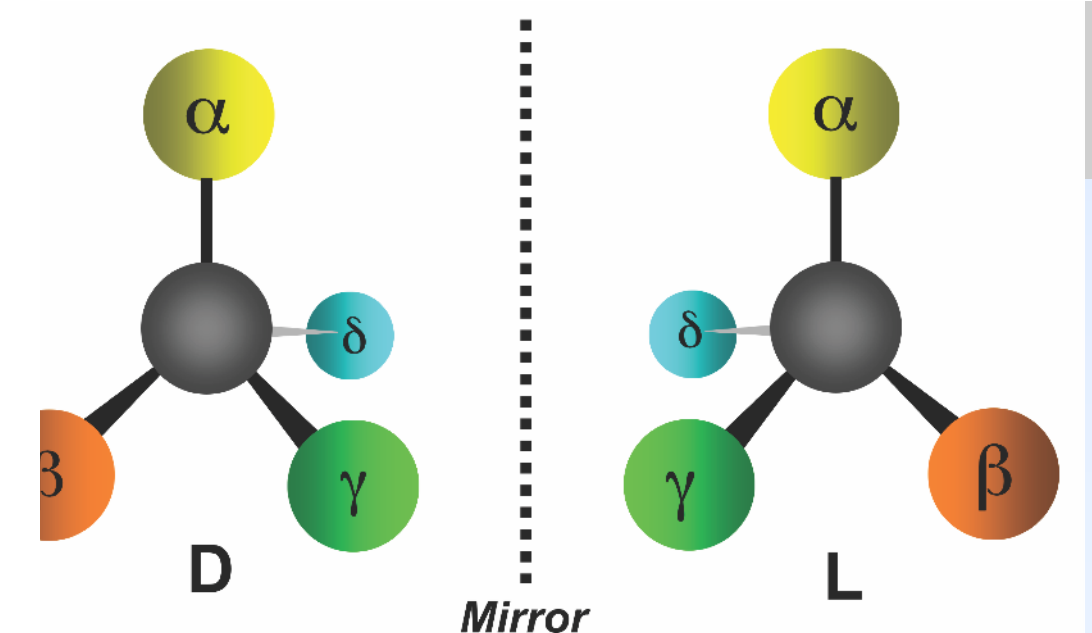
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Asymmetric Tops!



Chirality!



YbOH [\tilde{A}]

(010) – Spin-orbit/Renner-Teller
(120) – Fermi resonance

Typical scale $\sim 2 \times 10^{-4}$

CaOH [\tilde{A}]

(0) – Fermi resonance
Renner-Teller
/Renner-Teller
 $\sim 2 \times 10^{-4}$

CaOCH₃ [\tilde{B}]

Pseudo-Jahn-Teller
scale $\sim 1 \times 10^{-2}$

CaSH [\tilde{C}]

(020) – Pseudo-Jahn-Teller
Typical scale $\sim 10^{-1}$

YbOCH₃ [\tilde{A}]

(010) – Pseudo-Jahn-Teller
Typical scale $\sim 10^{-1}$

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Molecules - Scary??

