Search for Electric Dipole Moments and Axions/ALPs of charged particles using storage rings

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Baryon asymmetry in the Universe



Carina Nebula: Largest-seen star-birth regions in the galaxy

Observation and expectation from Standard Cosmological Model (SCM):

	$\eta = (n_b - n_{ar{b}})/n_\gamma$	
Observation	$\left(6.11^{+0.3}_{-0.2} ight) imes10^{-10}$	Best Fit Cosmological Model [1]
	$(5.53-6.76) imes 10^{-10}$	WMAP [2]
Expectation from SCM	$\sim 10^{-18}$	Bernreuther (2002) [3]

• SCM gets it wrong by more than 8 orders of magnitude.

Electric dipole moments (EDMs)

For particles with EDM \vec{d} and MDM $\vec{\mu}$ ($\propto \vec{s}$),

• non-relativistic Hamiltonian:

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

• Energy of magnetic dipole invariant under P and T:

$$-\vec{\mu}\cdot\vec{B}\xrightarrow{P \text{ or } T} -\vec{\mu}\cdot\vec{B}$$

No other direction than spin $\Rightarrow \vec{d}$ parallel to $\vec{\mu}$ (\vec{s}).

• Energy of electric dipole $H = -\vec{d} \cdot \vec{E}$, includes term $\vec{s} \cdot \vec{E} \xrightarrow{P \text{ or } T} -\vec{s} \cdot \vec{E}$, (1)



EDMs violate both *P* and *T* symmetry

- EDMs possibly constitute the missing cornerstone to explain surplus of matter over antimatter in the Universe.
 - Non-vanishing EDMs would add 4^{th} quantum number to fundamental particles (besides *m*, *q*, and *s*).

Naive estimate of scale of nucleon EDM

From Khriplovich & Lamoreux [4] and Nikolaev [5]:

• CP and P conserving magnetic moment \approx nuclear magneton μ_N .

$$\mu_N = \frac{e}{2m_p} \sim 10^{-14} \,\mathrm{e\,cm}.$$

- A non-zero EDM requires:
 - P violation: price to pay is $pprox 10^{-7}$, and
 - CP violation (from K decays): price to pay is $\sim 10^{-3}$.
- In summary:

$$|d_{\it N}|\sim 10^{-7} imes 10^{-3} imes \mu_{\it N} \sim 10^{-24}\,{
m e\,cm}$$

• In Standard model (without θ_{QCD} term):

 $|d_{\sf N}| \sim 10^{-7} imes 10^{-24}\,{
m e\,cm} \sim 10^{-31}\,{
m e\,cm}$

Region to search for Beyond Standard Model (BSM) physics

• from nucleon EDMs with $\theta_{QCD} = 0$:

$$10^{-24} \,\mathrm{e\,cm} > |d_N| > 10^{-31} \,\mathrm{e\,cm}$$

Search for EDMs and Axions/ALPs using storage rings

Motivation

Issues we are addressing

- Matter over antimatter dominance / Baryon asymmetry in the Universe
- Nature of Dark Matter (DM)

Experimental approach

- Measure of static Electric Dipole Moments (EDM) of fundamental particles
- Search for axion-like particles as DM candidates through oscillating EDMs



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Status of static EDM searches [7, CYR '21]



Missing are *direct* EDM measurements:

- No direct measurements of electron: limit obtained from (ThO molecule).
- No direct measurements of proton: limit obtained from ¹⁹⁹₈₀Hg.
- No measurement yet of deuteron EDM.

Theory stresses that

EDM of single particle not sufficient to identify CP violating source [6]

Axion Dark Matter search with Storage Ring EDM method



Experimental limits for axion-gluon coupled oscillating EDM measurements (from [8]).

Measurement of EDM in storage ring

Protons at magic momentum in pure electric ring

How to measure EDM of proton:

- 1. Place polarized particles in a storage ring.
- 2. Align spin along direction of flight at magic momentum.
 - \Rightarrow freeze horizontal spin precession.
- 3. Search for time development of vertical polarization.



Storage ring method to measure EDMs of charged particles:

- Magic rings with spin frozen along momentum of particle.
- Polarization buildup $p_y(t) \propto d$.

Spin precession of particles with MDM and EDM

In rest frame of particle

• Equation of motion for spin vector \vec{S} :

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\vec{S}}{\mathrm{d}t} = \vec{\Omega} \times \vec{S} = \vec{\mu} \times \vec{B} + \vec{d} \times \vec{E}.$$



Frozen-spin

Spin-precession of particle MDM relative to direction of flight:

$$\vec{\Omega} = \vec{\Omega}_{\text{MDM}} - \vec{\Omega}_{\text{cyc}} = -\frac{q}{\gamma m} \left[G\gamma \vec{B}_{\perp} + (1+G)\vec{B}_{\parallel} - \left(G\gamma - \frac{\gamma}{\gamma^2 - 1}\right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right].$$
(3)

 $\Rightarrow~\vec{\Omega}=0$ called frozen spin, because momentum and spin stay aligned.

• In the absence of magnetic fields $(B_{\perp}=ec{B}_{\parallel}=0)$,

$$\vec{\Omega} = 0, \text{ if } \left(G\gamma - \frac{\gamma}{\gamma^2 - 1}\right) = 0.$$
 (4)

- Possible for particles with G > 0: proton (G = 1.793) or electron (G = 0.001).

For protons: (4)
$$\Rightarrow$$
 magic momentum:
 $G - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} = 0 \Leftrightarrow G = \frac{m^2}{p^2} \Rightarrow p = \frac{m}{\sqrt{G}} = 700.740 \,\mathrm{MeV \, c^{-1}}$ (5)

Search for EDMs and Axions/ALPs using storage rings

Measurement of EDM in a magnetic ring

First-ever direct EDM measurement using this method

In magnetic ring

• When external electric fields in ring vanish, $\vec{E} = 0$, spin motion governed by radial field $\vec{E} = c\vec{\beta} \times \vec{B}$, induced by relativistic motion in vertical \vec{B} field:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}S}{\mathrm{d}t} \propto \vec{d} \times \vec{E} \quad (\text{see [10]}) \tag{6}$$

 \rightarrow only small oscillation of vertical component p_y due to EDM.

- Use RF Wien filter to accumulate EDM signal [11, 10]:
 - + Long spin-coherence time $> 1000 \, s \, [12]$
 - $+\,$ Spin tune determination $\Delta \nu_s/\nu_s \approx 10^{-10}\,[13] \rightarrow$ tune RF Wien filter frequency
 - + Phase-lock of spin phase relative to Wien filter RF [14].
 - + Two-bunch method: pilot and signal bunch [15, 16]
 - pilot bunch shielded from Wien filter RF by fast RF switches
 - pilot bunch \rightarrow unperturbed spin precession \rightarrow RF Wien filter on resonance
 - observe py oscillations over many periods
 - pilot bunch \rightarrow co-magnetometry

Accumulated knowledge compiled in

2021 CERN Yellow Report [7]

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Principle of spin-coherence time measurement



Measurement procedure:

- 1. Vertically polarized deuterons stored at $p \simeq 1 \,\text{GeV}\,\text{c}^{-1}$.
- 2. Polarization flipped into horizontal plane with RF solenoid (\approx 200 ms).
- 3. Beam extracted on Carbon target with ramped bump or by heating.
- 4. Horizontal (in-plane) polarization determined from U D asymmetry.

Detector system: EDDA [17]





EDDA used to determine $\vec{p}\vec{p}$ elastic polarization observables:

- Deuterons at $p=1\,{
 m GeV\,c^{-1}}$, $\gamma=1.13$, and $u_s=\gamma G\simeq -0.161$
- Spin-dependent differential cross section on unpolarized target:

$$N_{\rm U,D} \propto 1 \pm \frac{3}{2} p_x A_y \sin(\underbrace{\nu_s \cdot f_{\rm rev}}_{f_s = -120.7 \, \rm kHz} \cdot t), \text{ where } f_{\rm rev} = 750.0 \, \rm kHz.$$
 (7)

JEPO polarimeter

Lateron, EDDA replaced by dedicated new polarimeter, based on LYSO crystals.

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Spin coherence time

Most polarization experiments unaffected by coherence of spins along \vec{n}_{co}



Optimization of spin-coherence time [12]

Precise adjustments of three sextupole families in the ring



Spring 2015: Way beyond anybody's expectation:

- With about 10⁹ stored deuterons.
- Long spin coherence time was one of main obstacles of srEDM experiments.
- Large value of $au_{\sf SCT}$ of crucial importance (11), since $\sigma_{\sf stat} \propto { au_{\sf SCT}}^{-1}$.

Precision determination of spin tune [13] I

Time-stamping events in each detector quadrant accurately:

- 1. Based on turn number n, 100 s measurement interval split into turn intervals of $\Delta n = 10^6$ turns, each interval lasting ≈ 1.3 s.
- 2. For all events, spin phase advance $\varphi_s = 2\pi |\nu_s^{\text{fix}}|n$ calculated assuming certain fixed spin tune ν_s^{fix} .
- 3. Either map events into one full polarization oscillation in range $\varphi_s \in [0, 2\pi)$, or perform Fourier analysis of rates in detector \Rightarrow determine $\tilde{\varepsilon}$ and $\tilde{\phi}$ in

$$\varepsilon(\varphi_s) = \tilde{\varepsilon}\sin(\varphi_s + \tilde{\varphi}). \tag{8}$$



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Precision determination of the spin tune [13] II



Experimental technique allows for:

- Spin tune $\nu_{\rm s}$ determined to $\approx 10^{-8}$ in 2s time interval.
- In a 100s cycle at $t \approx 38 \text{ s}$, interpolated spin tune amounts to $|\nu_{\rm s}| = (16097540628.3 \pm 9.7) \times 10^{-11}$, *i.e.*, $\Delta \nu_{\rm s} / \nu_{\rm s} \approx 10^{-10}$.
- ullet \Rightarrow new precision tool to study systematic effects in a storage ring.

Precision determination of the spin tune III



Applications of new technique:

- Study long term stability of an accelerator.
- Feedback system to stabilize phase of spin precession relative to phase of RF devices (→ phase-lock).
- Studies of machine imperfections.

Phase locking spin precession in machine to device RF

At COSY, one cannot freeze the spin precession

 $\Rightarrow\,$ To achieve precision for EDM, phase-locking is next best thing to do.



Major achievement : Error of phase-lock $\sigma_{\phi} = 0.21$ rad [14].

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Effect of EDM on stable spin axis of the ring [10] Without accumulation (RF WF off)



Beam particles move along z direction

- Presence of an EDM $\Rightarrow \xi_{\text{EDM}} > 0$.
- \Rightarrow Spins precess around the \vec{c} axis.
- $\Rightarrow \text{ Oscillating vertical polarization} \\ \text{component } p_y(t) \text{ is generated.}$



Evolution for 10 turns $[\vec{p}_0 = (0, 0, 1)]$

- $p_x(t)$, $p_z(t)$ and $p_y(t)$.
- Bunch revolution indicated as well.
- p_y oscillation amplitude corresponds to tilt angle ξ_{EDM} .

Model calculation of polarization buildup due to EDM [10] With RF Wien filter

Ideal COSY ring with deuterons at $p_d = 970 \text{ MeV/c}$:

- G = -0.143, $\gamma = 1.126$, $\left| f_s = f_{\mathsf{rev}}(\gamma G + K_{(=0)}) \right| \approx 120.765 \, \mathsf{kHz}$
- Enhanced RF field integral $f_{ampl} \times \int E_{WF} \cdot d\ell \approx 2200 \,\text{kV}$ (w/o ferrites) [11].



Features of EDM induced vertical polarization buildup

- EDM accumulates in vertical polarization $p_y(t) \propto d$ [19, 5, 20].
- \rightarrow Full oscillation of $p_y(t)$ with proper feedback via pilot bunch.

Design of waveguide RF Wien filter

Joint Jülich – RWTH Aachen development:

- Institute of High Frequency Technology, RWTH Aachen University:
- Waveguide provides $\vec{E} \times \vec{B}$ by design.
- Minimal \vec{F}_L by careful electromagnetic design of all components [11].





View along the beam axis in the RF Wien filter



Bunch-selective spin manipulation \rightarrow co-magnetometry I

World-first (September 2020 JEDI, with d at 970 MeV/c) [15, 16]



- signal 1 and pilot bunches 2:
 - ► spin-coherent ensembles in ring plane orbit at $f_{\rm rev} \approx 750 \, \rm kHz$
 - precessing at $f_s \approx 120 \, \mathrm{kHz}$
- waveguide RF WF [11] (*radial* field $\vec{B_r}$), kept on resonance¹ in 1 by spin tune measured in 2

Selective gating of one of the two stored bunches at RF Wien filter:

- **1** RF WF enhancement of $p_y(t)$ of signal bunch
- 2 pilot bunch, unperturbed by RF WF, acts as co-magnetometer



Implementation of fast switches² at RF Wien filter

Modification of driving circuit



GaN HEM FET-based solution:

- Short switch on/off times (\approx few ns).
- High power capabilities (\approx few kV).
- On board power damping (-30 dB).
- Symmetric switch on/off times (\approx few ns).



Switches

- capable to handle up to 200 W each
- permits system to run near a total power of 0.8 kW in pulsed mode

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Strength of EDM resonance

EDM induced polarization oscillation,

can generally be described by

 $p_y(t) = a \sin(\Omega^{p_y} t + \phi_{\mathsf{RF}}),$

y perpendicular to ring plane.

• EDM resonance strength defined as ratio of angular frequency Ω^{p_y} to orbital angular frequency Ω^{rev} [10],

$$\varepsilon^{\mathsf{EDM}} = \frac{\Omega^{p_y}}{\Omega^{\mathsf{rev}}}$$



How is the EDM effect actually measured?

Two simultaneously applied spin rotations, one in each opposite straight section:

- 1. **RF Wien filter** magnetic axis (\vec{e}_z^{\perp}) rotated by small angle \rightarrow generates radial magnetic RF field about which spins precess.
- 2. Longitudinal magnetic field of **Siberian snake** opposite to Wien filter \rightarrow rotates spins about $\vec{e_z}$.

Measurement of EDM resonance strength using pilot bunch

Observation of $p_y(t)$ with two stored bunches: Signal and pilot bunch (PB)

• Signal bunch



Pilot bunch



- Decoherence clearly visible in signal bunch.
- No oscillations in pilot bunch.
- Determine oscillation frequencies $\Omega^{p_y} \rightarrow \text{Wien filter map via } \varepsilon^{\text{EDM}} = \frac{\Omega^{p_y}}{\Omega^{\text{rev}}}$ Search for EDMs and Axions/ALPs using storage rings

Measurement of EDM resonance strength using pilot bunch

Polarization evolution of signal bunch during measurement cycle

Combined fit (p_y , p_{xz} , **phasewalk**) by Vera Shmakova (see her talk from Mo)



Extensive analysis of 3D polarization evolution in recent preprint, N.N. Nikolaev et al. [16]

• vertical and in-plane polarization evolution, phase walk, off-resonance behavior, finite-spin coherence and synchrotron-oscillation effects

Search for EDMs and Axions/ALPs using storage rings

Results from dEDM precursor experiment

Precursor I: 3 maps with initial-slope method (IS). Precursor II: 2 maps IS + 5 maps with PB

EDM resonance strength map for ε^{EDM} , includes tilts of invariant spin axis due to EDM and magnetic ring imperfections.



Determination of minimum via fit with theoretical surface function yields:

•
$$\phi_0^{WF}/mrad = 2.51 \pm 0.04$$

•
$$\xi_0^{Sol}/mrad = -3.93 \pm 0.06$$

Analysis by Vera Shmakova and Achim Andres

Extraction of deuteron EDM:

- 1. Minimum determines spin rotation axis (3-vector) at RF WF, including EDM.
- 2. Spin tracking in COSY lattice \rightarrow orientation of stable spin axis w/o EDM.
- 3. EDM is obtained from the difference of 1. and 2.

EDM analysis now focuses more on systematics

- Data analysis close to final & EDM results in preparation.
- Goal: Describe observed tilts of stable spin axis by spin tracking.

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Measurement of axion-like particle in storage ring

First-ever search for axion-like particles using this method

Basic idea

- Axion field $a(t) = a_0 \cos(\omega_a(t t_0) + \phi_a(t_0))$ induces an oscillating EDM [21] $d(t) = d_{DC} + d_{AC} \cos(\omega_a(t - t_0) + \phi_a(t_0))$ with frequency related to axion mass via $\hbar \omega_a = m_a c^2$, f_a is decay constant.
- This affects the spin rotations in the ring,

$$rac{\mathrm{d}S}{\mathrm{d}t} = \left(ec{\Omega}_{\mathsf{MDM}} - ec{\Omega}_{\mathsf{rev}} + ec{\Omega}_{\mathsf{EDM}} + ec{\Omega}_{\mathsf{wind}}
ight) imes ec{S} \, ,$$

because two axion-related terms enter: (EDM: [21], wind: [22])

$$\vec{\Omega}_{\text{EDM}} = -\frac{1}{S\hbar} d(t) c \vec{\beta} \times \vec{B} , \quad \text{and} \\ \vec{\Omega}_{\text{wind}} = -\frac{1}{S\hbar} \frac{C_N}{2f_a} \left(\hbar \partial_0 a(t) \right) \vec{\beta} \quad \begin{cases} \text{coupling constant } C_N \\ \text{time derivative } \partial_0 \end{cases}$$
(10)

\Rightarrow Resonant build-up of vertical polarization, when $\omega_a = \omega_s$

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Details about axion/ALP experiment ([23, PRX] I



Details about axion/ALP experiment ([23, PRX] II



Bound on oscillating EDM of deuteron [23]



Observed oscillation amplitudes from 4 bunches

- 90% CL upper limit on the ALPs induced oscillating EDM
- Average of individual measured points $d_{\rm AC} < 6.4 imes 10^{-23}\,{\rm e\,cm}$

Bound on ALP-EDM coupling



Coupling of ALP to deuteron EDM

- Obtained limit of $g_{ad\gamma} < 1.7 imes 10^{-7} \, {\rm GeV^2}$ during few days of data taking.
- For further details and various ALP couplings, see [23].

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ALP-gluon and ALP-nucleon coupling³



ALP-gluon coupling, assuming 100% oscillating EDM.

ALP-nucleon coupling, only axion wind effect, ignoring oscillating EDM term.

³Figures courtesy of C. O'Hare, "cajohare/axionlimits: Axionlimits," (2020), https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.3932430

Search for EDMs and Axions/ALPs using storage rings

Strategy toward dedicated EDM ring

Project stages and time frame [7, CYR '21]

Stage 1

• Precursor experiment



- magnetic ring
- proof-of-capability
- 1st dEDM & 1st axion measurement using ring
- orbit/polarization control

on a now





- Key technologies
- electric/magnetic bends
- simultaneous \circlearrowleft and \circlearrowright
- first pEDM measurement
- 5 years

Stage 3

• Dedicated storage ring



• 10 years



Summary I

Status of JEDI experiments on EDMs and axions/ALPs

- Results & achievements CPEDM summarized in CERN Yellow Report [7].
- Determination of coupling limit ALPs to deuteron EDM at COSY [23]:

$$g_{ad\gamma} < 1.7 imes 10^{-7} \, {
m GeV^2}$$

- Frequency range: 119 997 Hz to 121 457 Hz, total width pprox 1500 Hz.
- ALP mass range: 0.496 neV to 0.502 neV.
- Potential to enlarge scanned frequency range at expense of lower sensitivity.
- High sensitivity for *dedicated* frequency (mass) scans.
- Technique can also exploit sidebands $\omega_a = \omega_s + k \cdot \omega_{\text{rev}}, \ k \in \mathbb{Z}.$
- Deuteron EDM measurements at COSY:
 - Good data from both Precursor I (3 maps with IS method) Precursor II (2 maps IS + 5 maps with pilot bunch)
 - Data analysis in final stages, EDM results in preparation
 - Focus on systematic studies \rightarrow understand observed tilts of stable spin axis.

Summary II

Search for charged hadron particle EDMs (p, d, light ions) in rings:

- New window to disentangle sources of *CP* violation, and to possibly explain matter-antimatter asymmetry of the Universe
 - Potential sensitivity to gravitational effects [7, 24].
- Search for static charged particle EDMs (p, d, ³He)
 - EDMs \rightarrow probes of CP-violating interactions \rightarrow Matter-antimatter asymmetry
- Search for oscillating EDMs:
 - Axion coupling to gluons and nucleons
 - Dark matter search
- New class of (primarily) electrostatic rings required
 - Dedicated (final) ring with anticipated sensitivity of $\leq 10^{-29}\,e\,cm$
- Next step: Prototype EDM ring development
 - Intermediate step between precursor (stage 1) and dedicated ring (stage 3)
 - Goal: Study open issues & perform first direct pEDM measurement
 - Pending **ERC Advanced Research Grant** application to EU, **Partners:** INFN, CERN, and Aachen, decision in March/April 2024

Thank you for your attention!

Spare slides

Experimental requirements for storage ring EDM searches

High precision, primarily electric storage ring

- Crucial role of alignment, stability, field homogeneity, and shielding from perturbing magnetic fields.
- High beam intensity: $N = 4 \times 10^{10}$ particles per fill.
- High polarization of stored polarized hadrons: P = 0.8.
- Large electric fields: E = 10 MV/m.
- Long spin coherence time: $\tau_{SCT} = 1000 \, s.$
- Efficient polarimetry with
 - large analyzing power: $A_y \simeq 0.6$,
 - and high efficiency detection $f \simeq 0.005$.

In terms of numbers given above:

• This implies: $\sigma_{\text{stat}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{Nf} \tau_{\text{SCT}} P A_{\text{c}} F}$

$$\sigma_{
m stat}(1\,{
m yr}) = 10^{-29}\,{
m e\,cm}$$
 .

• Experimentalist's goal is to provide $\sigma_{\rm syst}$ to the same level.

High-precision beam polarimeter with internal C target

Development led by I. Keshelashivili [25]

Based on LYSO Scintillation Material

- Saint-Gobain Ceramics & Plastics: Lu_{1.8}Y_{.2}SiO₅:Ce
- Compared to Nal, LYSO provides
 - high density (7.1 vs $3.67 \,\mathrm{g/cm^3}$),
 - very fast decay time (45 vs 250 ns).

After several runs with external beam:

- System installed at COSY in 2019.
- Not yet ready: Ballistic diamond pellet target for homogeneous beam sampling.



dC polarimetry data base

Results of JEDI elastic *dC* analyzing powers measurement [26]



- Analysis of differential dC cross sections in progress.
- Similar data base measurements carried out to provide pC data base.

Stage 2: Prototype EDM storage ring (PTR)

Build demonstrator for charged-particle EDM

- Project prepared by **CPEDM** collaboration (CERN + JEDI + srEDM).
- Physics Beyond Collider process (CERN) & ESPP Update.

100 m circumference

- p at 30 MeV all-electric CW-CCW beams operation
- p at 45 MeV frozen spin including additional vertical magnetic fields



Challenges – open issues

- All electric & E/B combined bends
- Storage time
- CW-CCW operation with orbit difference to pm

- Spin-coherence time
- Polarimetry
- Magnetic moment effects (shielding)
- Stochastic cooling

Primary purpose of PTR

• Study open issues and perform first direct proton EDM measurement.

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