

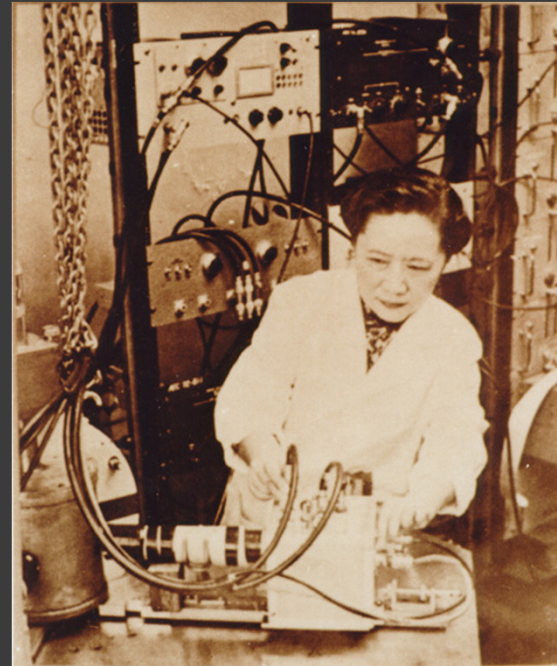
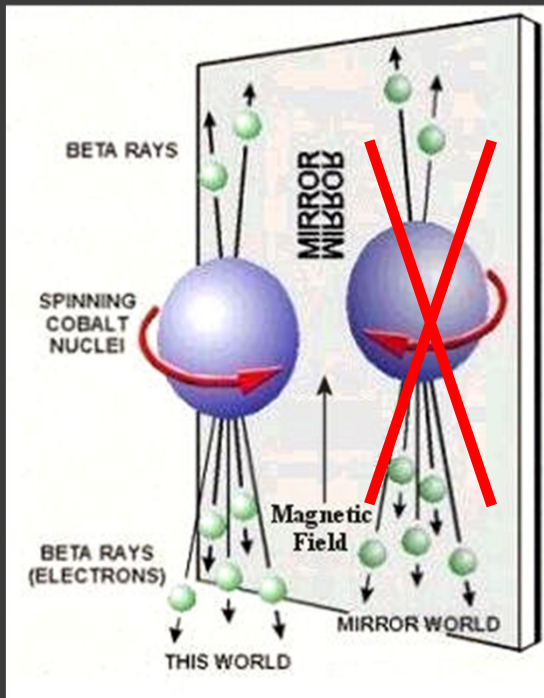
IN TRAP POLARISATION OF RADIOACTIVE ION BEAMS

P. Delahaye for WINNINGMOTIONS

β -decay as a laboratory for weak interaction

● Probing intrinsic symmetries

C. S. Wu et al., Phys Rev 105(1957)1413



Parity violation in ^{60}Co decay

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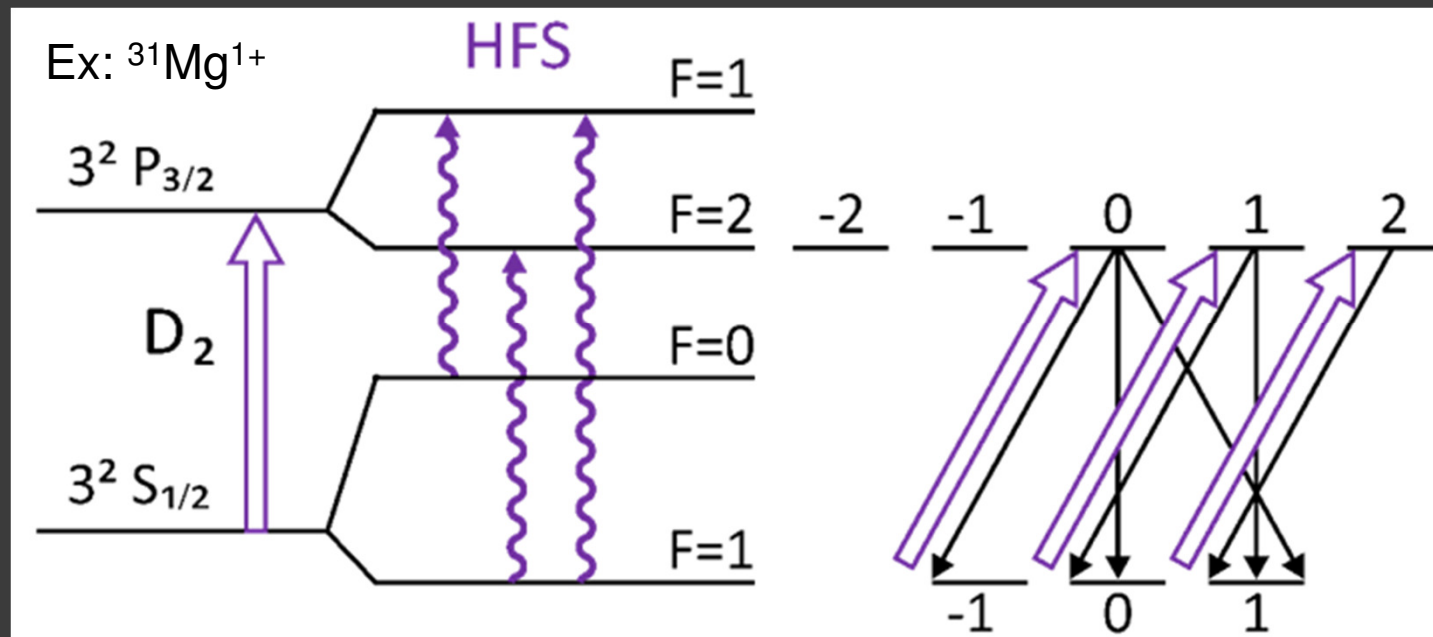
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Polarization by optical pumping @ COLLAPS

- The nuclear spin I interacts with the atomic one $J \rightarrow F=I+J$
- $\sigma+$ or $\sigma-$ light to scan the hyperfine structure forces ions in the $m_F=\pm F$ state



Polarization of Mg isotopes:

^{31}Mg : G. Neyens et al, PRL 94, 022501 (2005)

^{33}Mg : D. T. Yordanov et al, PRL

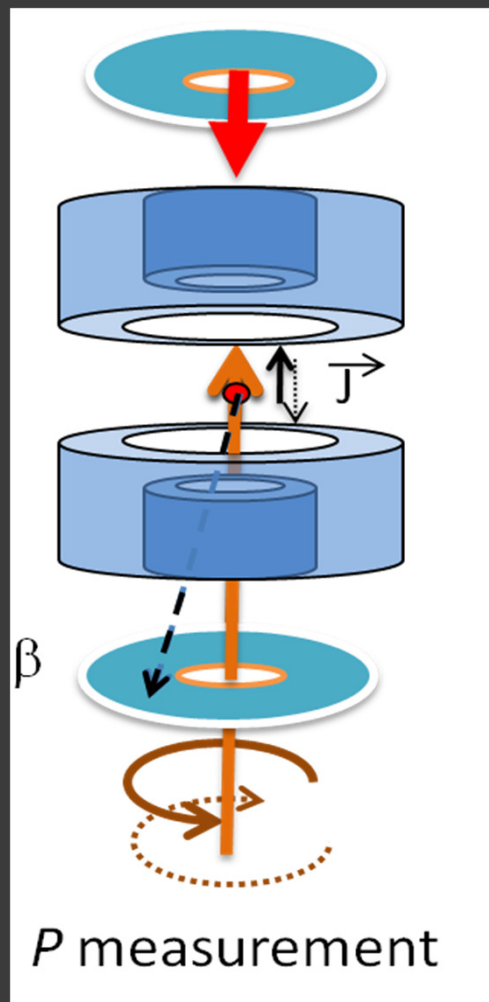
$^{21-32}\text{Mg}$: D. T. Yordanov et al, PRL 108, 042504 (2012)

Similar possibilities using LUMIERE at DESIR

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Measurement of polarization



A_β measurement

$$A_\beta \frac{\langle \vec{J} \rangle}{J} \cdot \frac{\vec{p}_e}{E_e}$$

Remember: C. S. Wu et al.,
Phys Rev 105(1957)1413

Extended interaction time with
laser light

>95 % polarization could be
hoped for

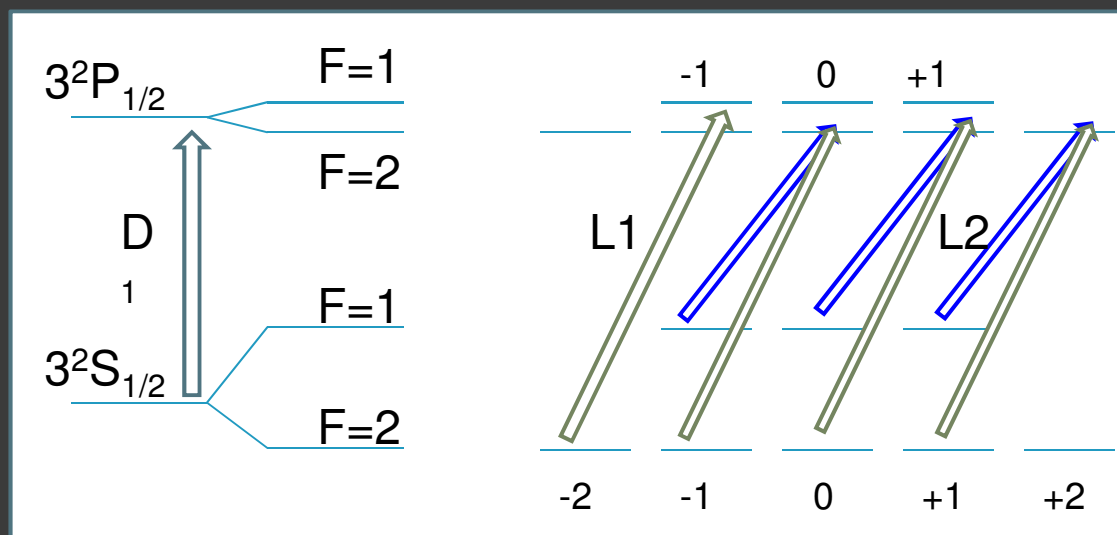
Using:

- ISCOOL for beam cooling and bunching
- the COLLAPS laser setup for polarization
- A LPCTrap – like transparent trap

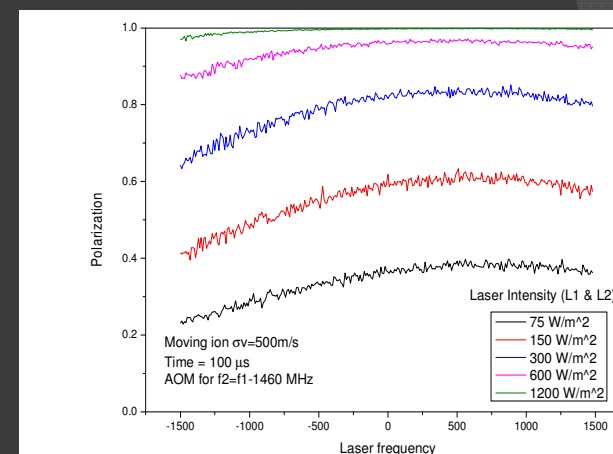
Optical pumping simulations

Transition probabilities: numerical simulations W. Gins and X. Fléhard

Taking into account the velocity of the trapped ions



L1+L2 lasers using an optical modulator



Collisions with He atoms (no spin) do not depolarize

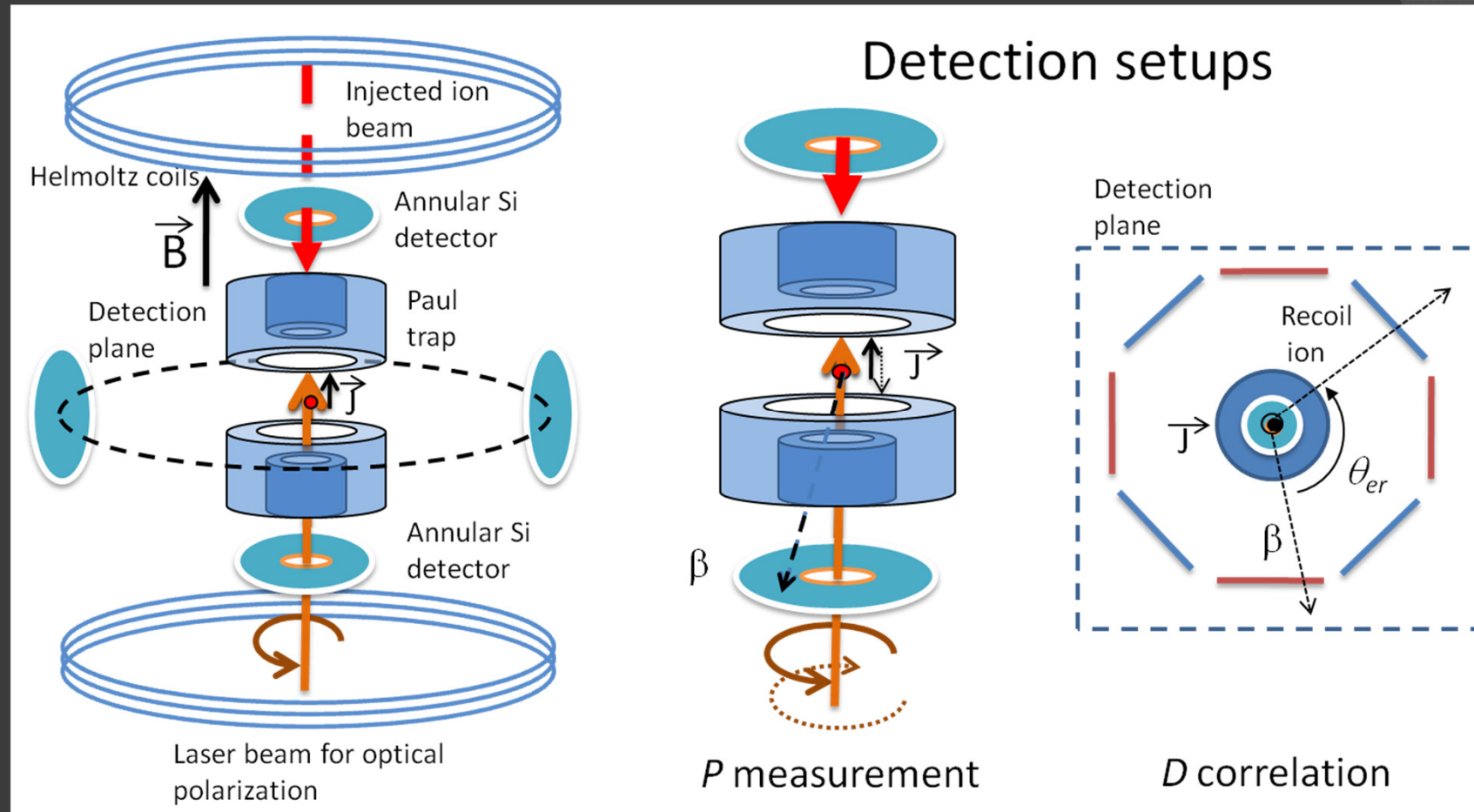
With the power available at COLLAPS:
More than 99% achievable in 0.2ms

Probable limitation: laser light polarization

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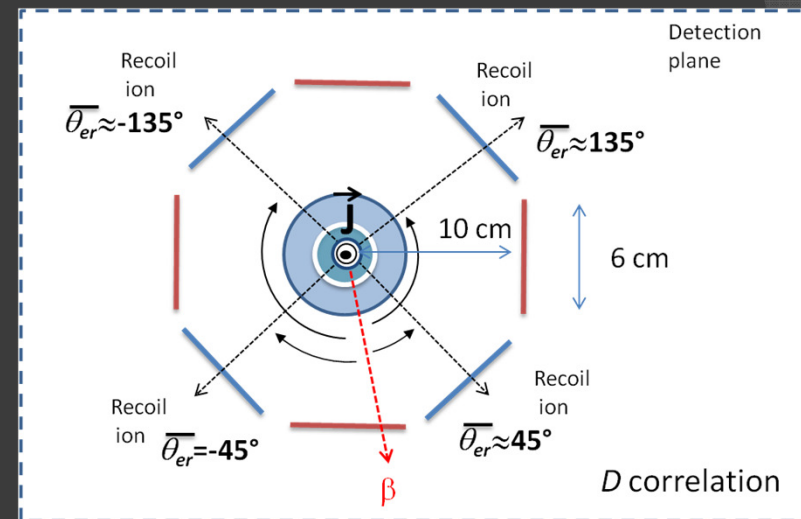
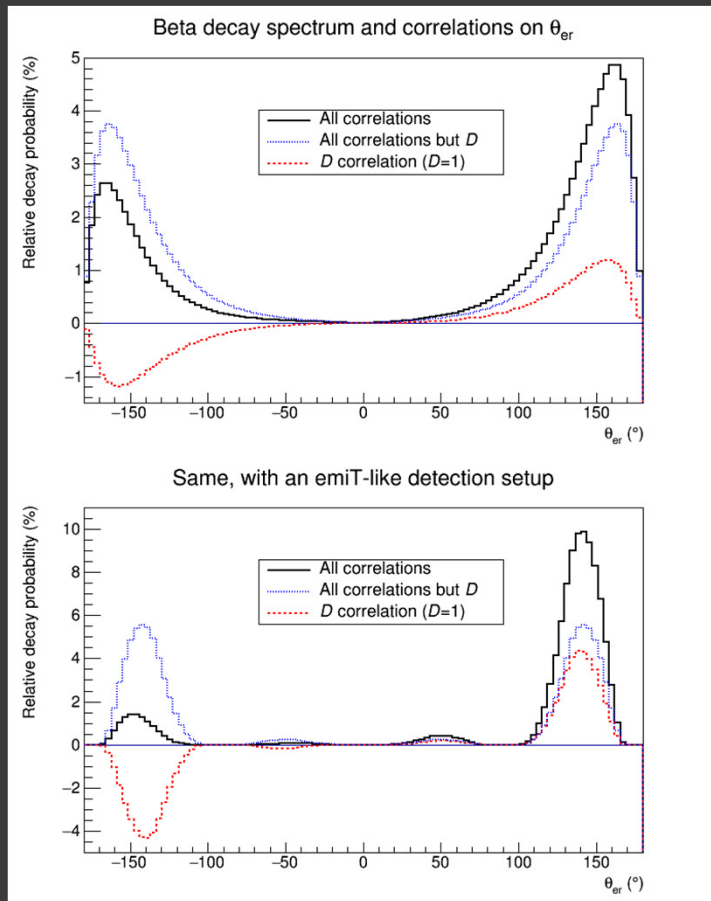
D correlation measurement



In trap optical polarization of $^{23}\text{Mg}^+$ and $^{39}\text{Ca}^+$

P. Delahaye et al, IKS-LPC meeting- 2015

D correlation measurement

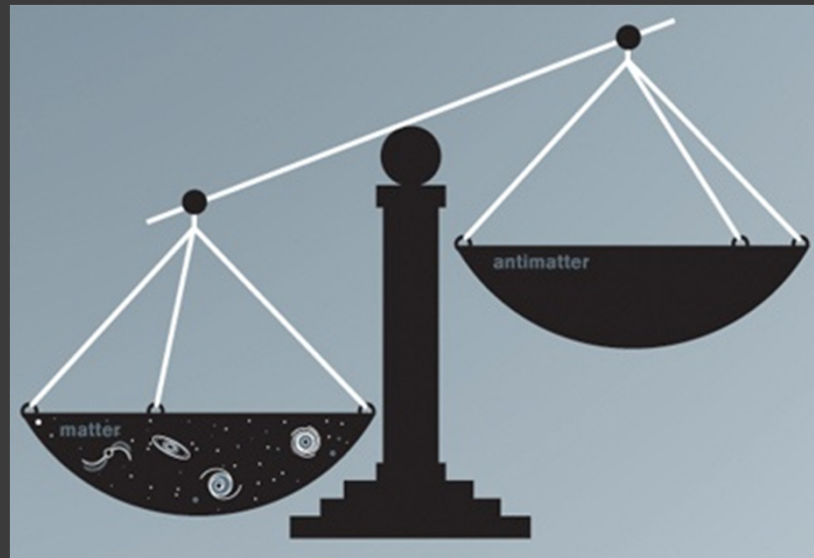


Correlation max around 135°

Precision measurements of the triple correlation D

⦿ A non-zero D can arise from CP violation

- CP violation observed in the K and B - meson decays is not enough to account for the large matter – antimatter asymmetry
- T-odd correlations in beta decay (D and R) and n-EDM searches are sensitives to larger CP violations by 5 to 10 orders of magnitude



Possible candidates

Isotope	Yield SPIRAL (pps)	D_{FSI}
^{21}Na	$>1\text{e}8\text{pps}$	$6.7 \cdot 10^{-5}$
^{23}Mg	$>1\text{e}8 \text{ pps}$	$-1.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$
^{37}K	$>1\text{e}8 \text{ pps}$	$-1.9 \cdot 10^{-4}$
^{39}Ca	$5.7\text{e}5\text{pps}$ (estimated!)	$4.7 \cdot 10^{-5}$

Can be laser polarized as ions!

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⊙ D correlation measurements

- Best values
 - neutron decay, $D_n = (-0.94 \pm 1.89 \pm 0.97) \cdot 10^{-4}$, emiT collaboration, PRL 107, 102301 (2011), Phys. Rev. C 86 (2012) 035505
 - ^{19}Ne decay, $D = 0.0001 \pm 0.0006$ Calaprice et al, Hyp. Int. 22 (1985) 83, **limited by statistics**

⊙ Aim of the experiments: $\sigma_D \leq 10^{-4}$

Making use of intense RIBs at SPIRAL, polarized by LUMIERE ,
and of a specific arrangement of LPCtrap

Proof of principle in ISOLDE → COLLAPS + adapted trapping setup!

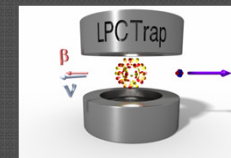
Conclusions

- ⊙ New perspectives with polarized beams using LPCTrap
 - Proof of principle could be done at ISOLDE
 - COLLAPS Laser setup
 - LA1/2 beam line
 - Using ISCOOL
 - Adapted trapping setup
- ⊙ D correlation measurement with unprecedented accuracy is within reach
 - 2 weeks of beam time: at least same order of magnitude as for the neutron with existing techniques
 - Can go down to the 10^{-4} level with some beam, laser and trapping R&D
 - First attempt at ISOLDE (Contamination of ^{23}Na ?)
 - Final experiment at DESIR
 - First approach /probe of D_{FSI} for ^{23}Mg
 - Great physics with great challenges!
- ⊙ Ongoing application to the french ANR

Questions

- ⦿ D_{FSI} calculation
- ⦿ How can we control the polarization degree
 - A_β and B_v measurements
- ⦿ ...

Thanks a lot for your attention



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