

奈米物理特論

半導體奈米結構之成長與光電特性

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Part I: 半導體奈米結構成長-----

分子束磊晶(MBE, molecular beam epitaxy)

半導體奈米結構形貌研究---AFM

Part II: 半導體奈米結構光電特性---Photoluminescence

Part III: 半磁性半導體奈米結構之自旋磁光特性

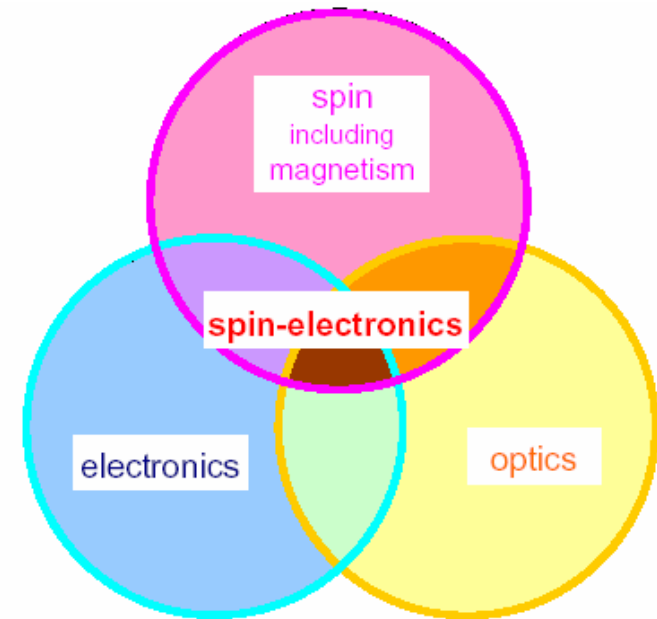
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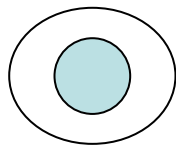
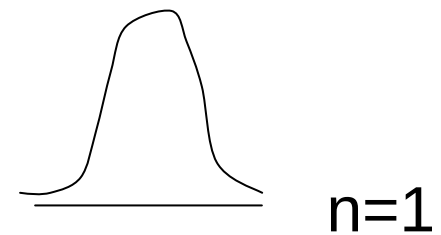
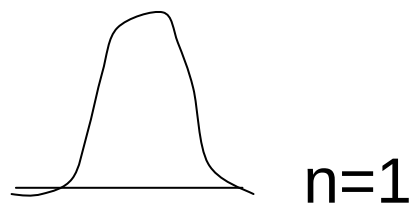
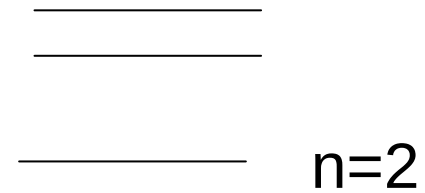
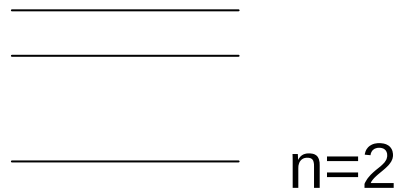
How to manipulate spin?

How can we use “spin” to fabricate useful devices?

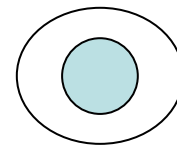
Outline

1. Introduction to II-VI diluted magnetic semiconductor (DMS) quantum dots (QDs).
(比較III-V magnetic semiconductors)
2. Growth, structure and band alignment of ZnMnTe QDs.
3. Circular polarization measurement and spin dynamics.
4. Devices for spintronics
5. Conclusion.

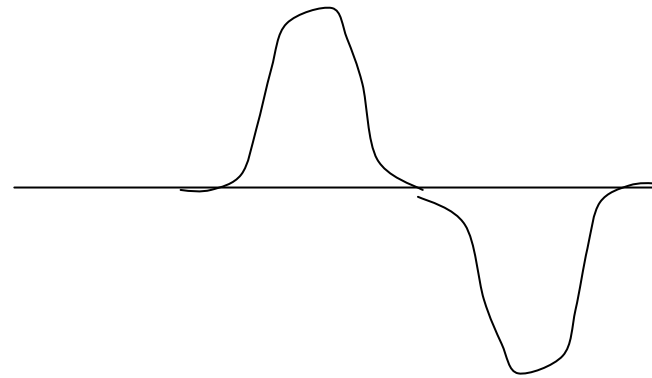




Isolated hydrogen atom



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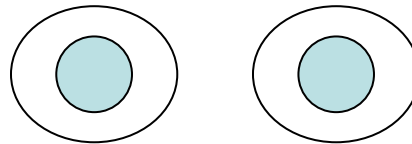
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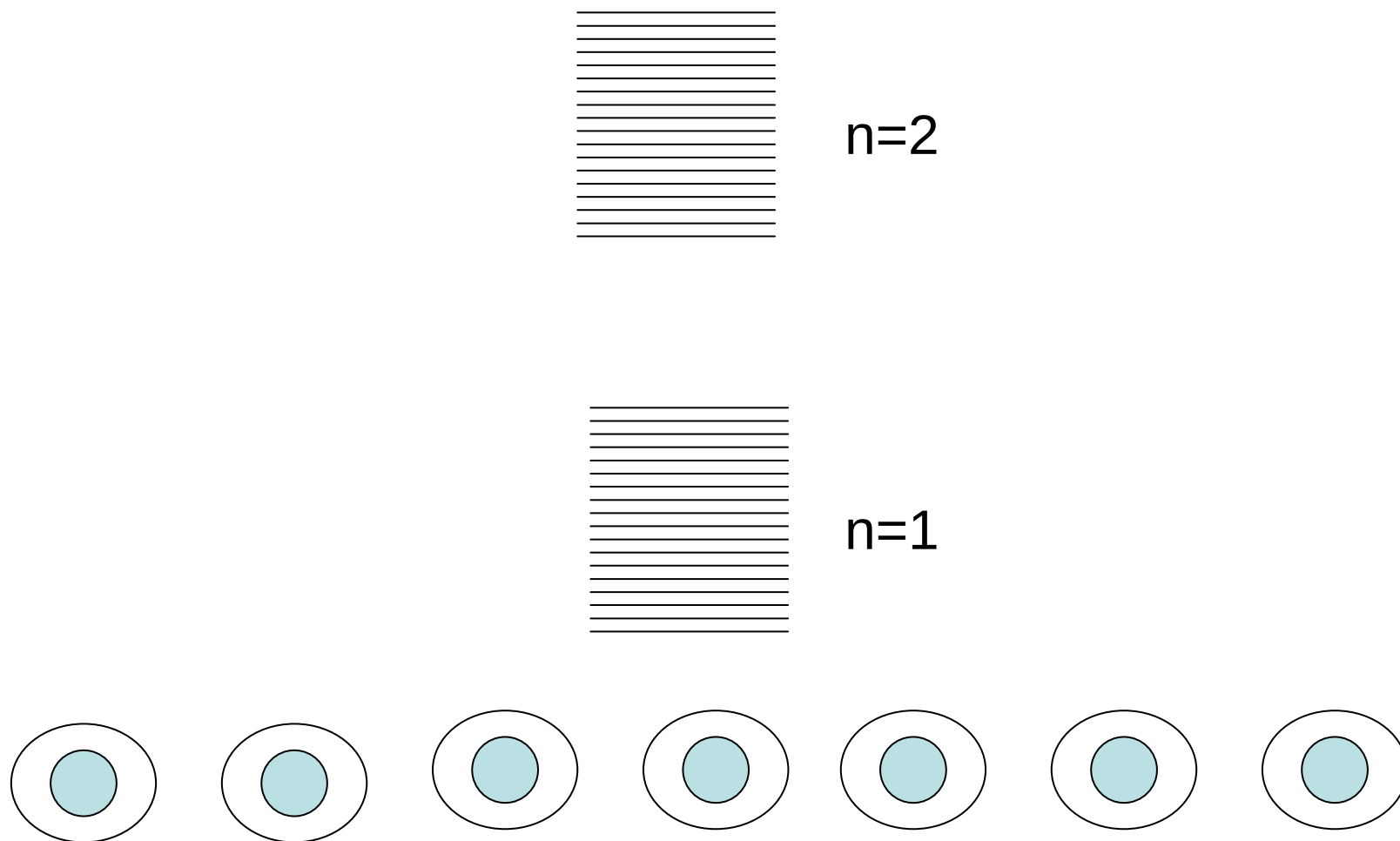
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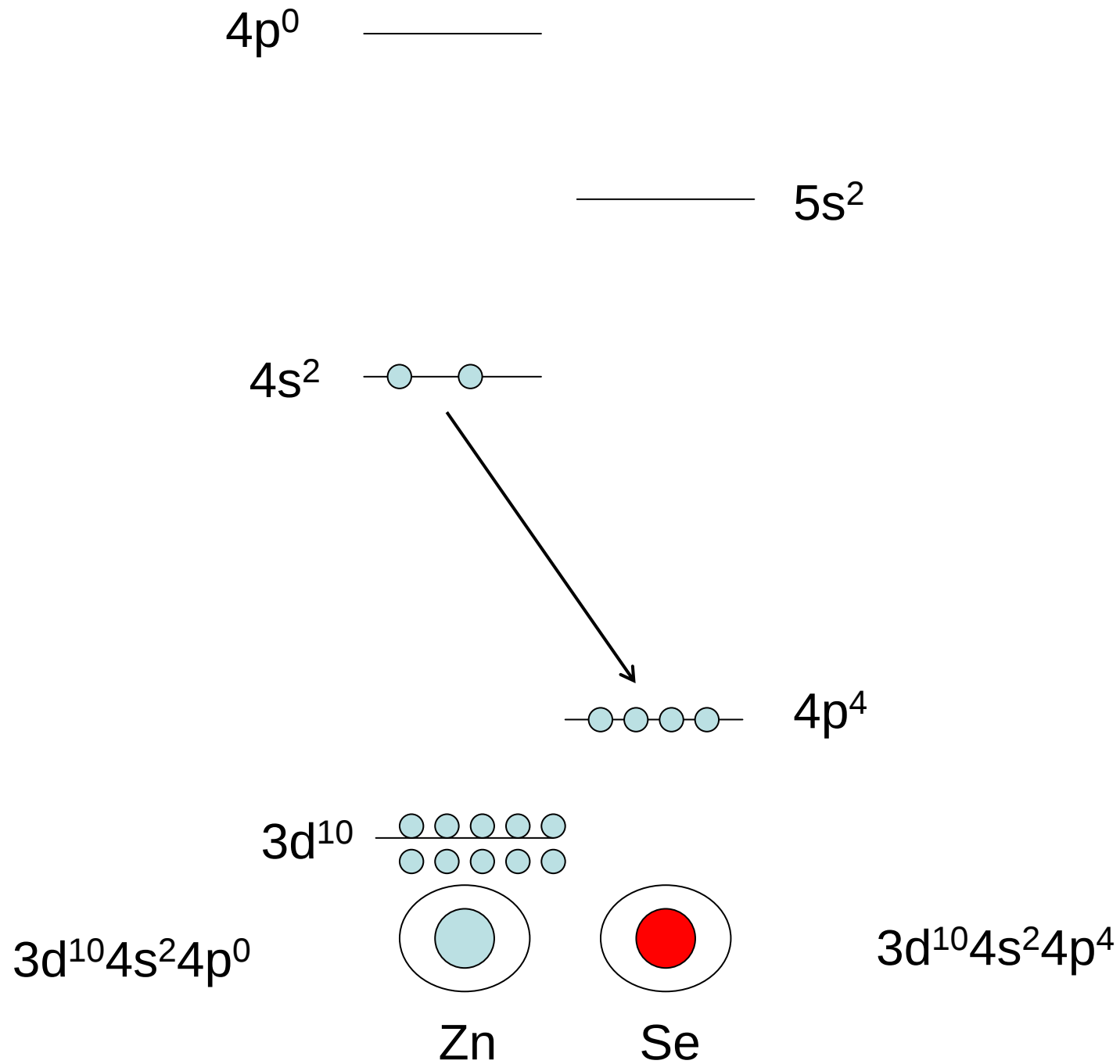


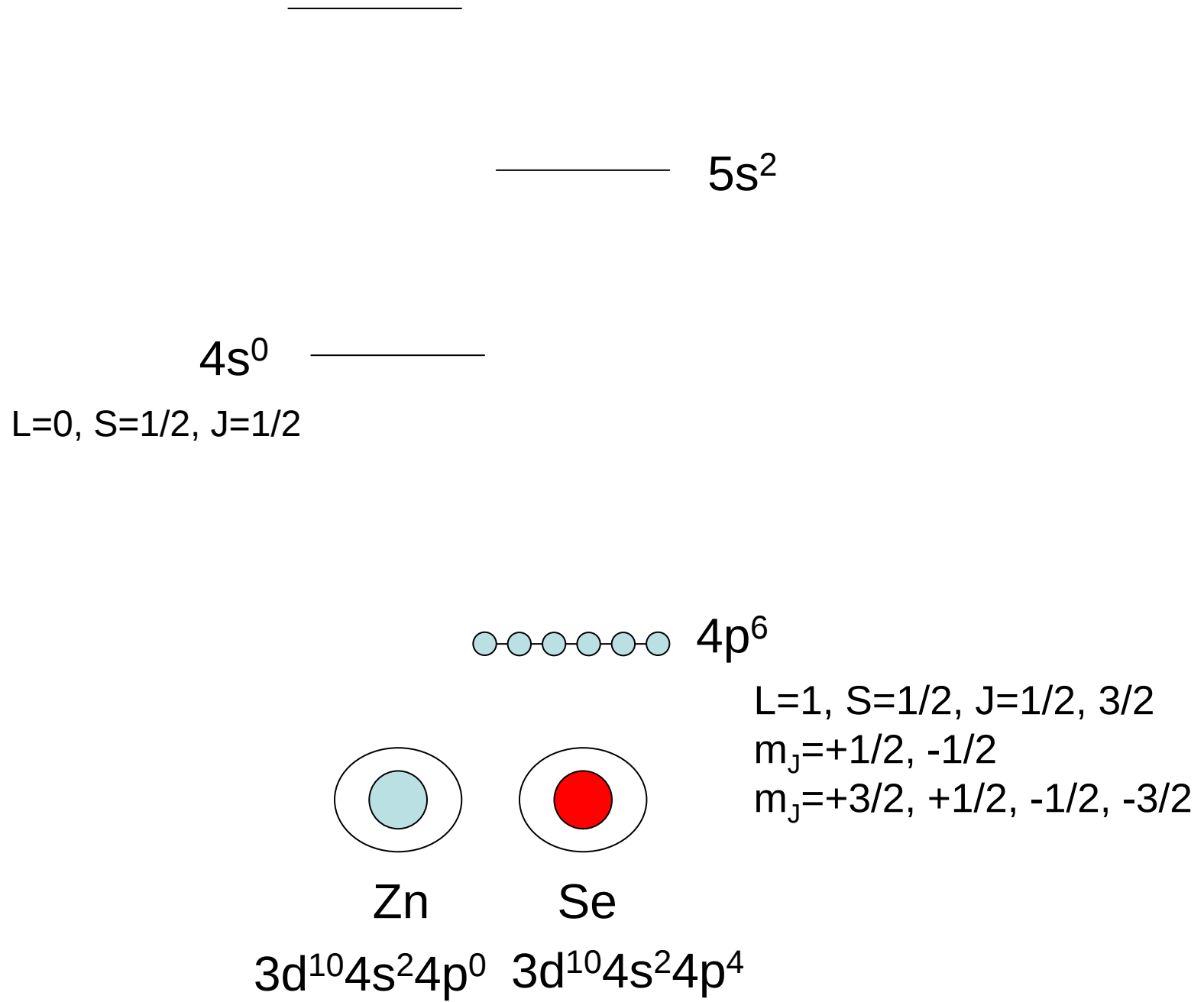
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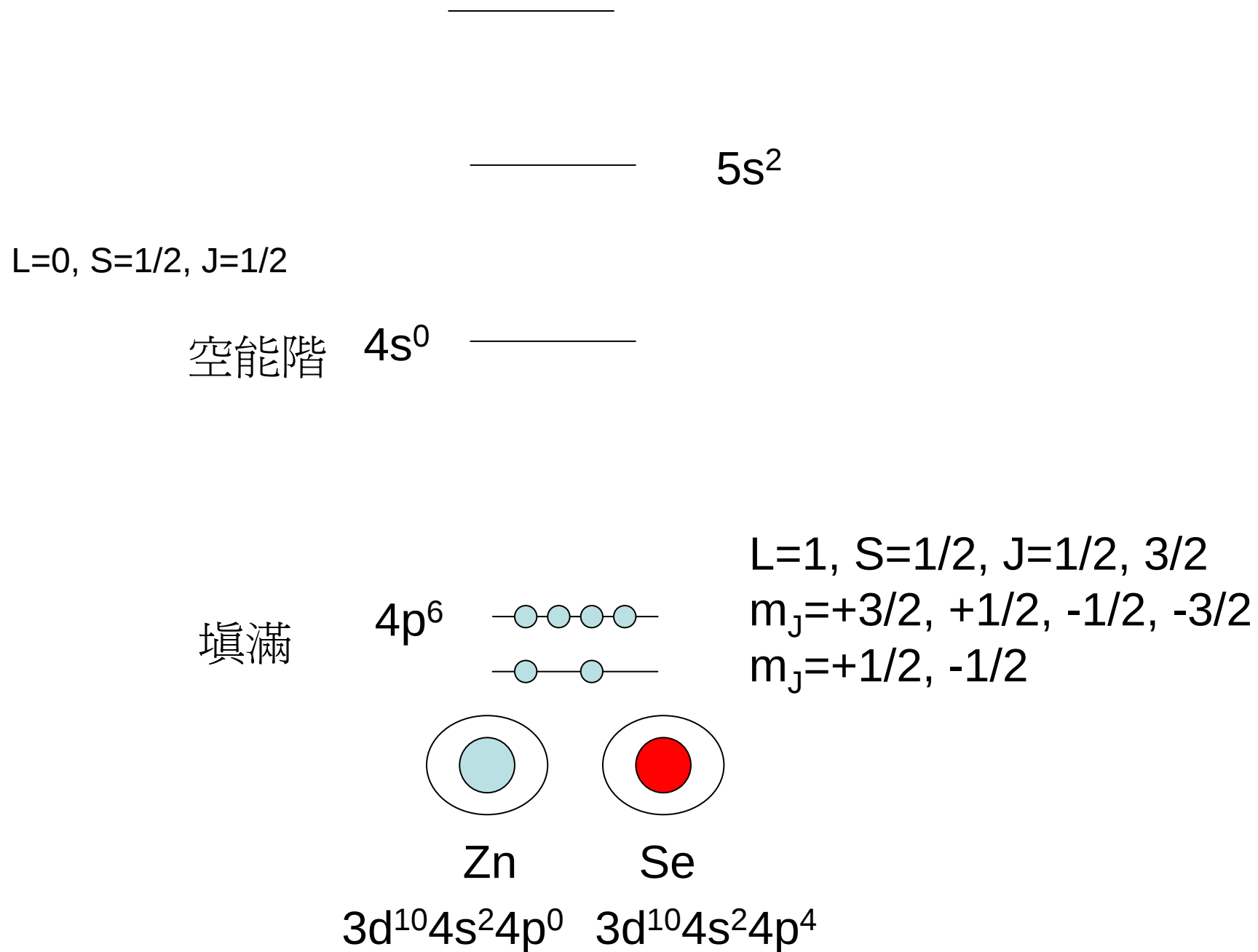
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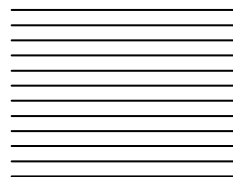




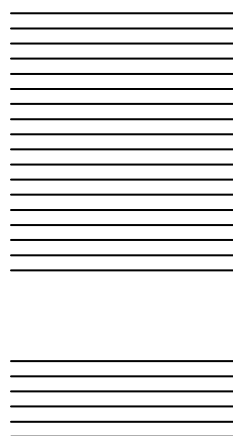




Conduction band (CB) 4s

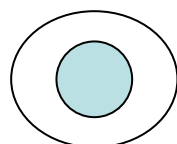


Valence band (VB) 4p

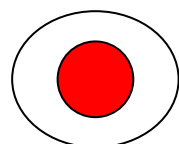


$m_j = +3/2, +1/2, -1/2, -3/2$
Heavy and light hole band

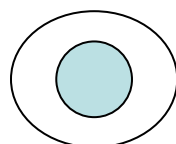
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Spin orbital interaction band



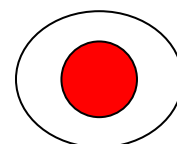
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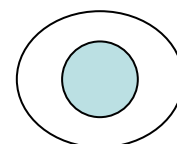
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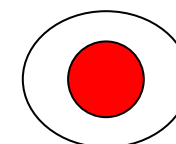
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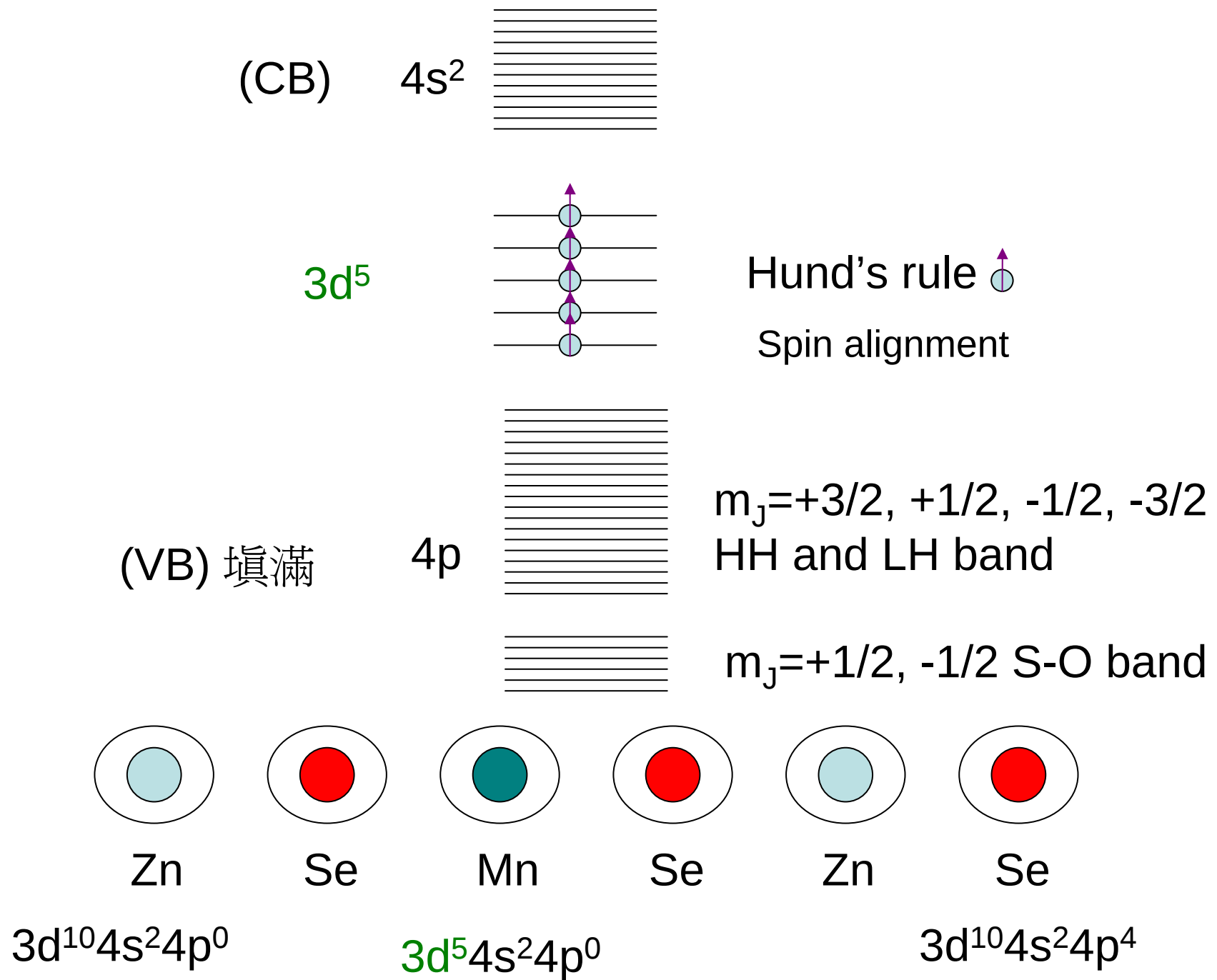
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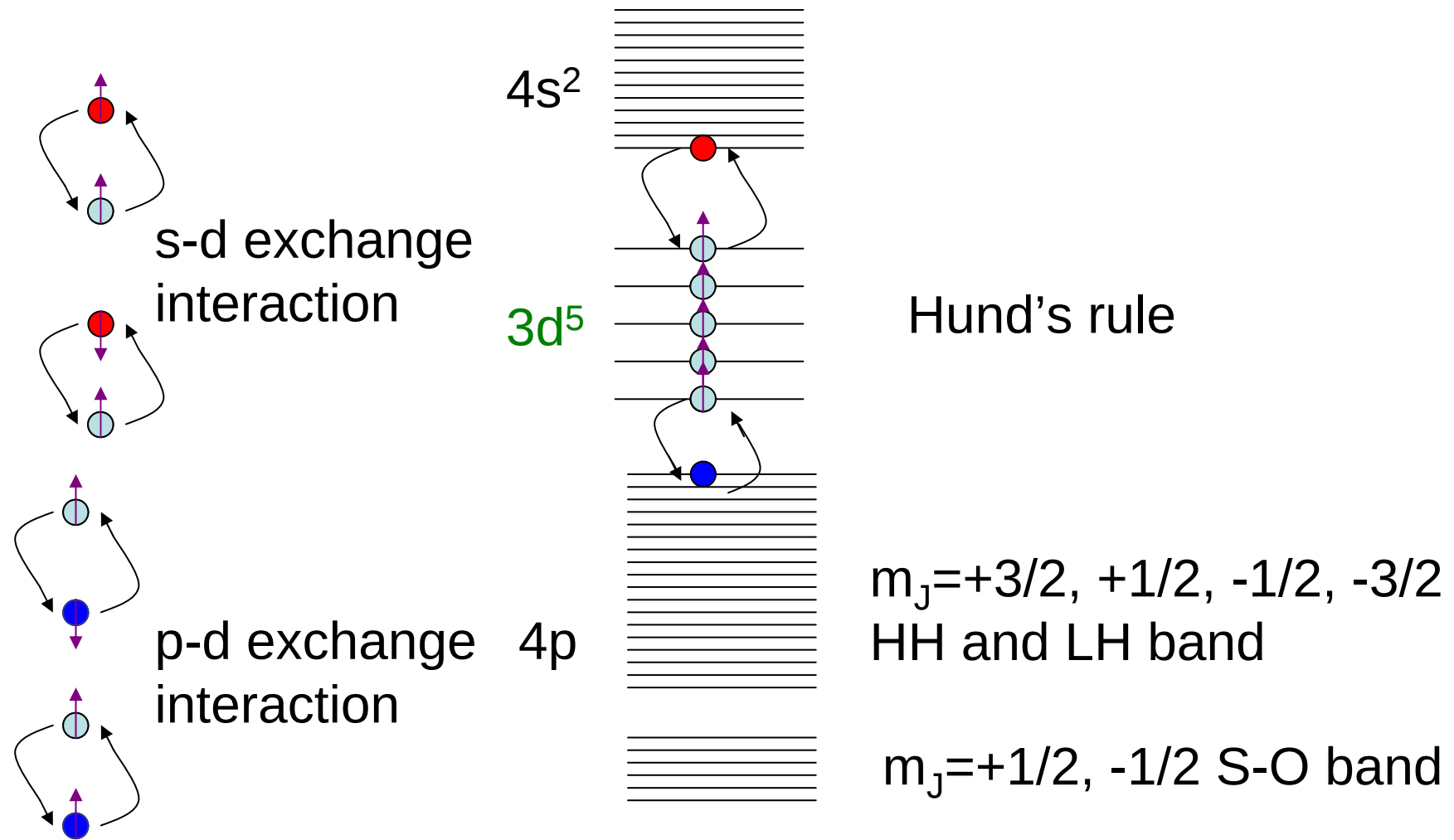


Se

$3d^{10}4s^24p^0$ $3d^{10}4s^24p^4$

加入錳Mn後能帶的變化
有甚麼特殊的光電特性？





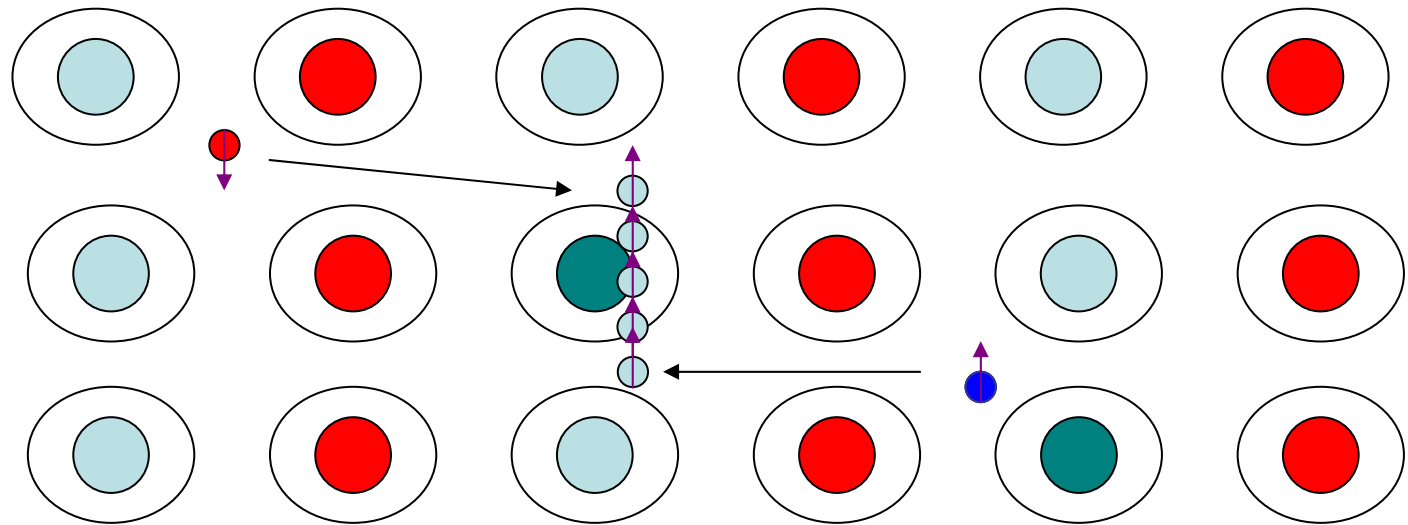
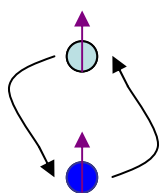
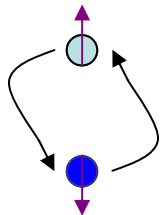
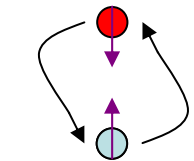
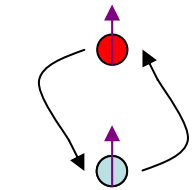
sp-d exchange interaction的結果?

sp-d exchange interaction

$$H_T = H_0 + H_{\text{ex}}$$

$$= H_0 + \sum_{\mathbf{R}_i} J^{sp-d}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_i) \mathbf{S}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma},$$

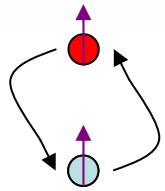
$$H_{\text{ex}} = \sigma_z \langle S_z \rangle_x \sum_{\mathbf{R}} J^{sp-d}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}),$$



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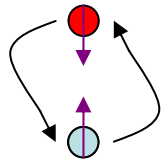
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CB Γ_6

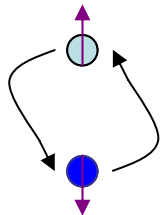
$$u_{10} = |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle_{\Gamma_6} = S \uparrow,$$

$$u_{20} = |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle_{\Gamma_6} = S \downarrow;$$



$$u_{30} = |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\rangle = (1/\sqrt{2})(X + iY) \uparrow,$$

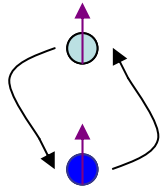
$$u_{40} = |\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\rangle = i(1/\sqrt{2})(X - iY) \downarrow,$$



VB Γ_8

$$u_{50} = |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = (1/\sqrt{6})[(X - iY) \uparrow + 2Z \downarrow],$$

$$u_{60} = |\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle = i(1/\sqrt{6})[(X + iY) \downarrow - 2Z \uparrow];$$



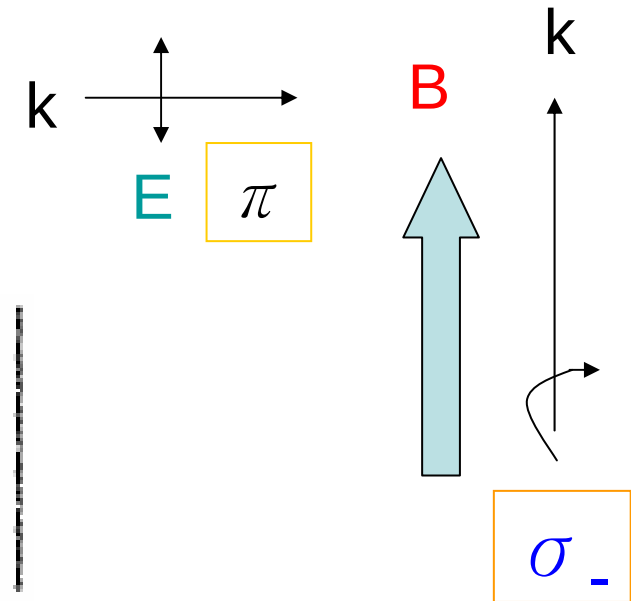
Spin-orbital band Γ_7

$$u_{70} = |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = -i(1/\sqrt{3})[(X - iY) \uparrow - Z \downarrow],$$

$$u_{80} = |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle = (1/\sqrt{3})[(X + iY) \downarrow + Z \uparrow].$$

$$\langle \Psi_{\Gamma_6} | H_{ex} | \Psi_{\Gamma_6} \rangle = \begin{vmatrix} 3A & 0 \\ 0 & -3A \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\langle \Psi_{\Gamma_8} | H_{ex} | \Psi_{\Gamma_8} \rangle = \begin{vmatrix} 3B & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & B & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -B & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3B \end{vmatrix}$$

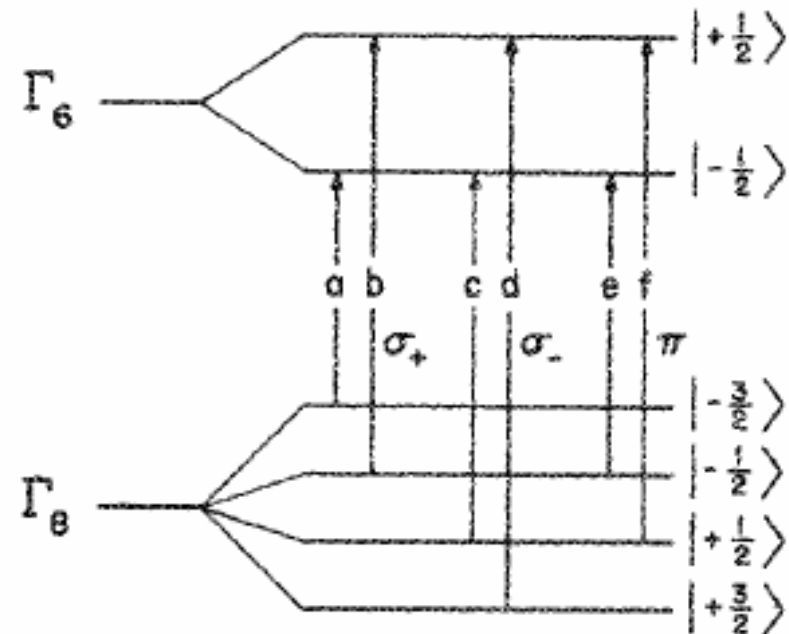


$$A = \frac{1}{6} N_0 \alpha x \langle S_z \rangle = -\frac{1}{6} \frac{\alpha M}{g_{Mn} \mu_B},$$

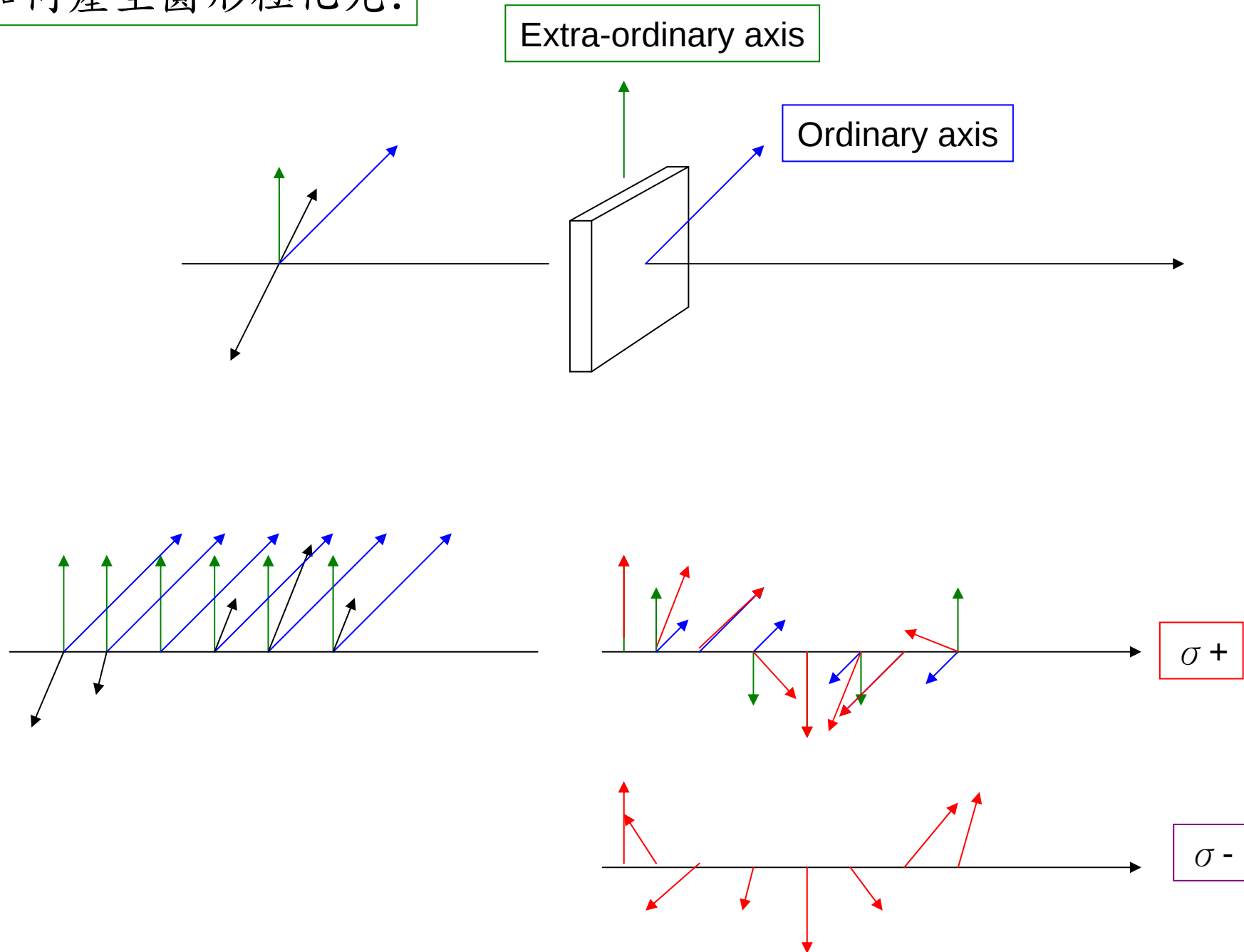
$$B = \frac{1}{6} N_0 \beta x \langle S_z \rangle = -\frac{1}{6} \frac{\beta M}{g_{Mn} \mu_B}$$

$$\alpha = \langle S | J^{sp-d} | S \rangle / \Omega_0,$$

$$\beta = \langle X | J^{sp-d} | X \rangle / \Omega_0.$$

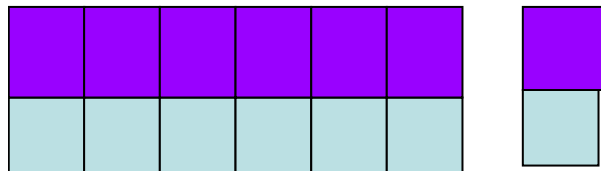


如何產生圓形極化光？



圓形極化光的應用：
研究 heavy hole (HH)
Light hole (LH)
splitting

ZnSe



GaAs

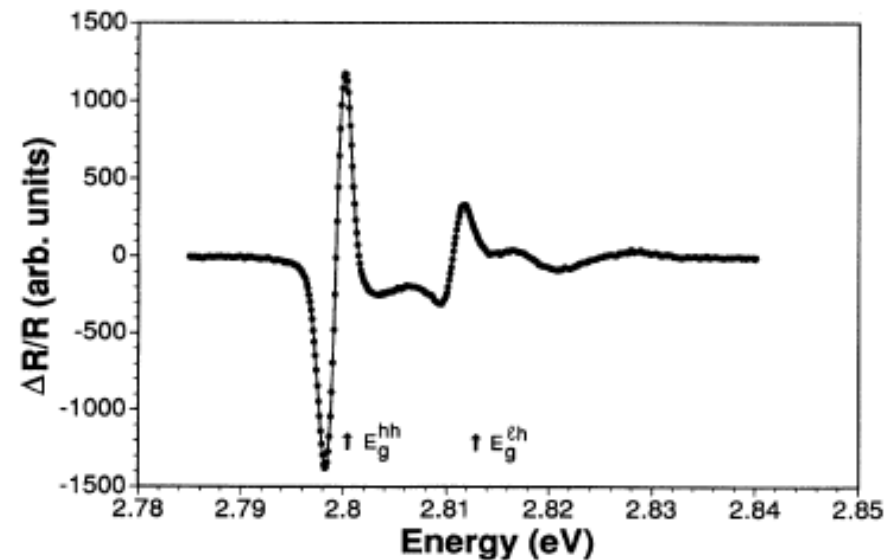
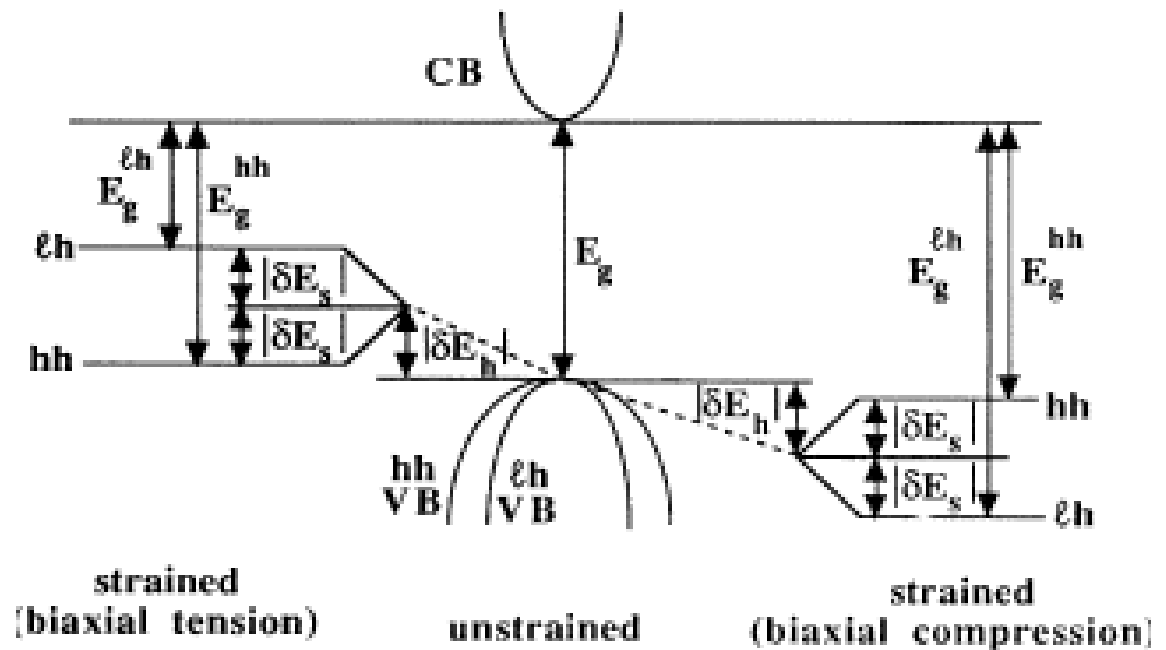
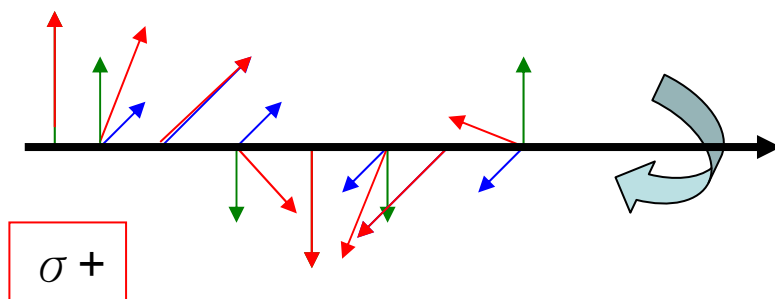


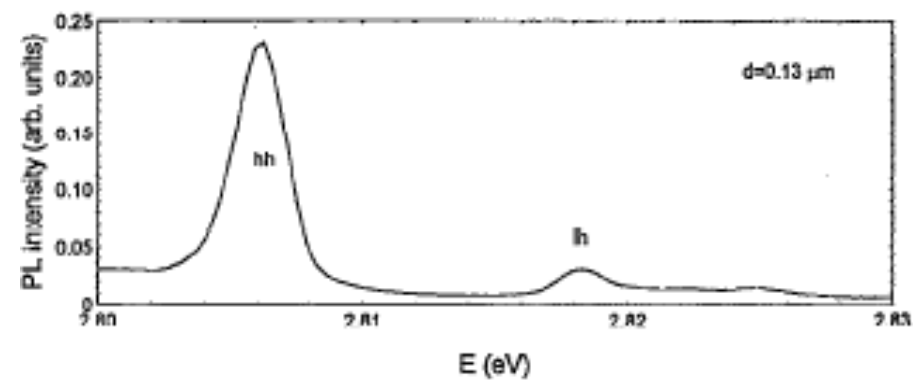
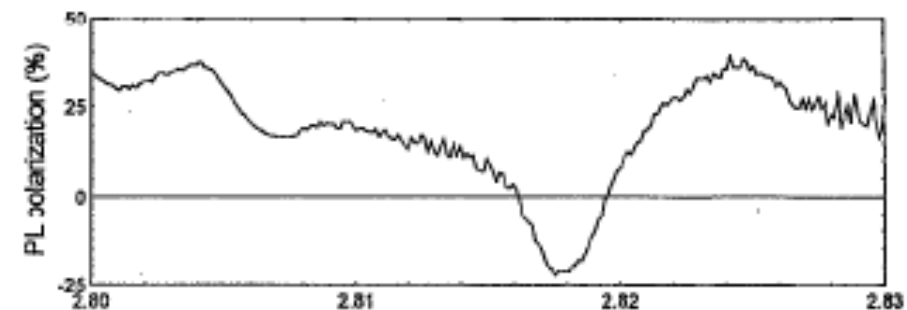
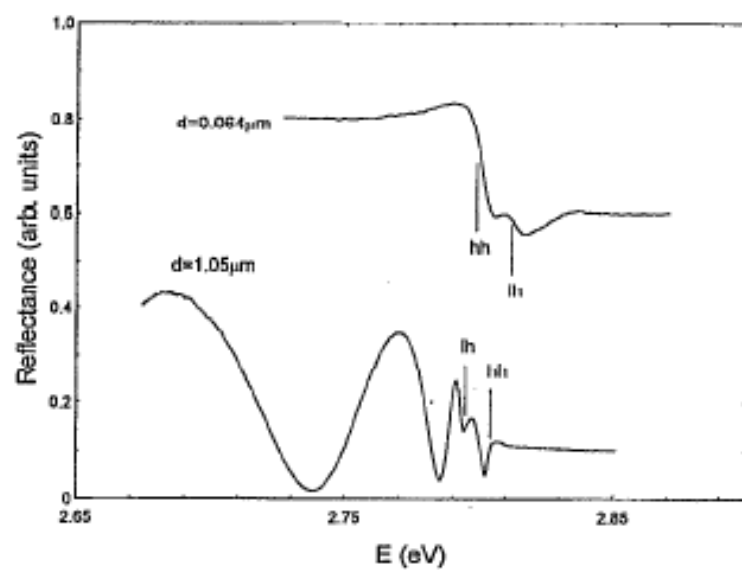
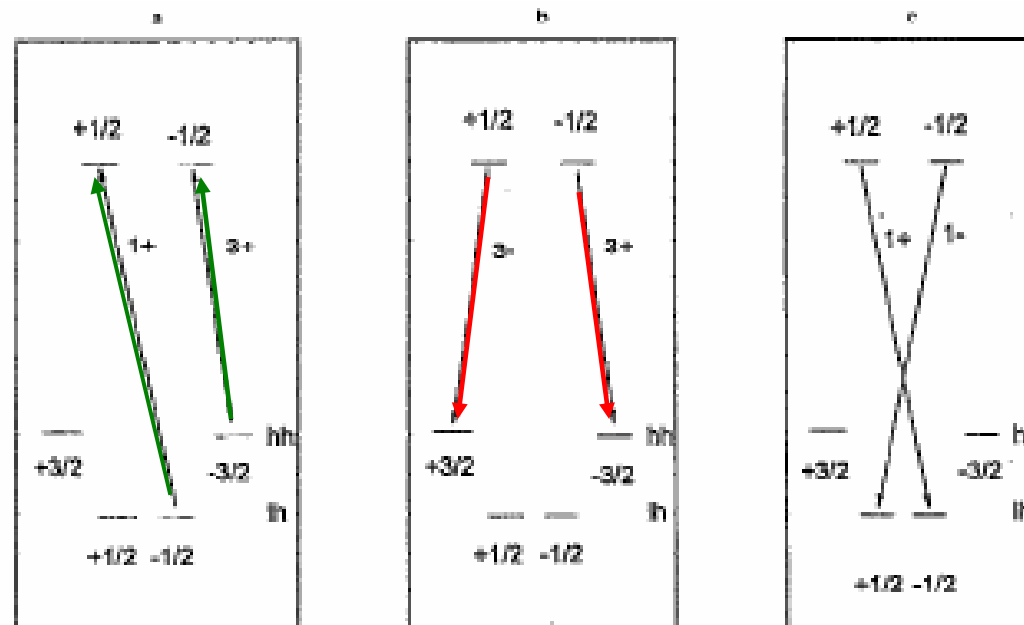
FIG. 2. The photomodulated reflectivity spectrum for the ZnSe/GaAs epilayer at 1 bar, 80 K.

B. Rockwell et al.
PRB 44, 11307 (1991)

圓形極化光的應用



$$P = (I_+ - I_-) / (I_+ + I_-)$$

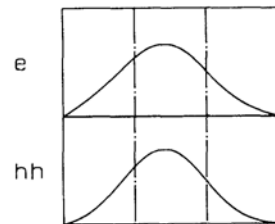
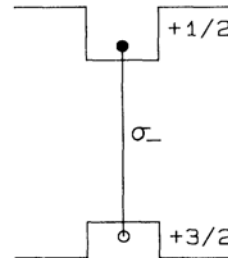
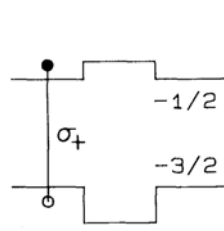
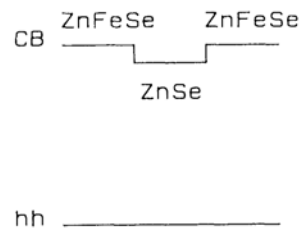
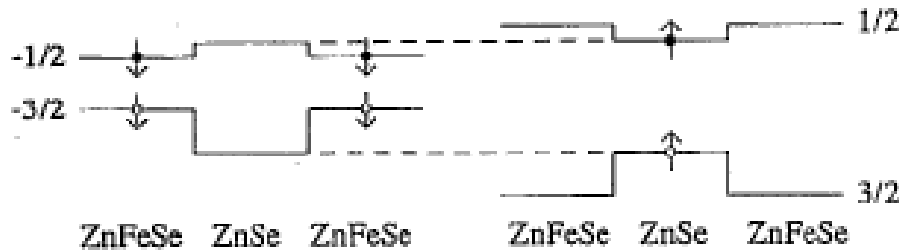


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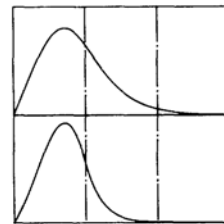


Spin super-lattice

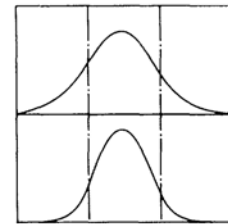
(b) $B = 8 \text{ T}$ $P = \sigma_+$ (c) $B = 8 \text{ T}$ $P = \sigma_-$



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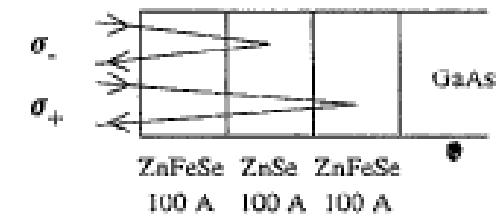


(b) $B = 8 \text{ T}$

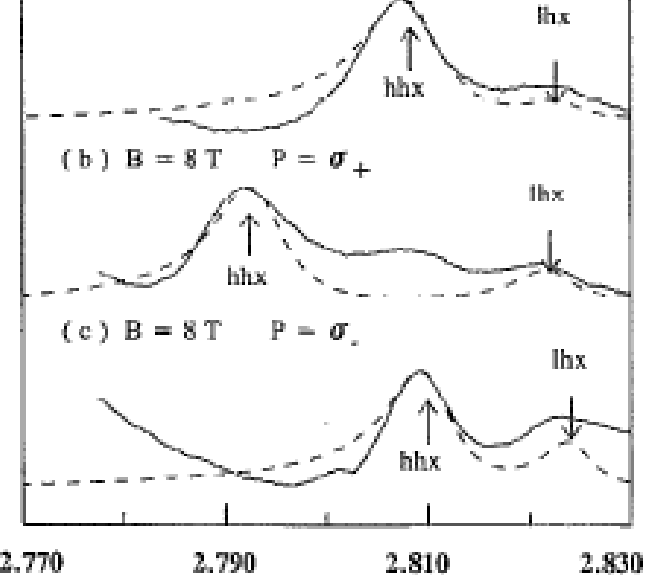


(c) $B = 8 \text{ T}$

Sample 1



(a) $B = 0$



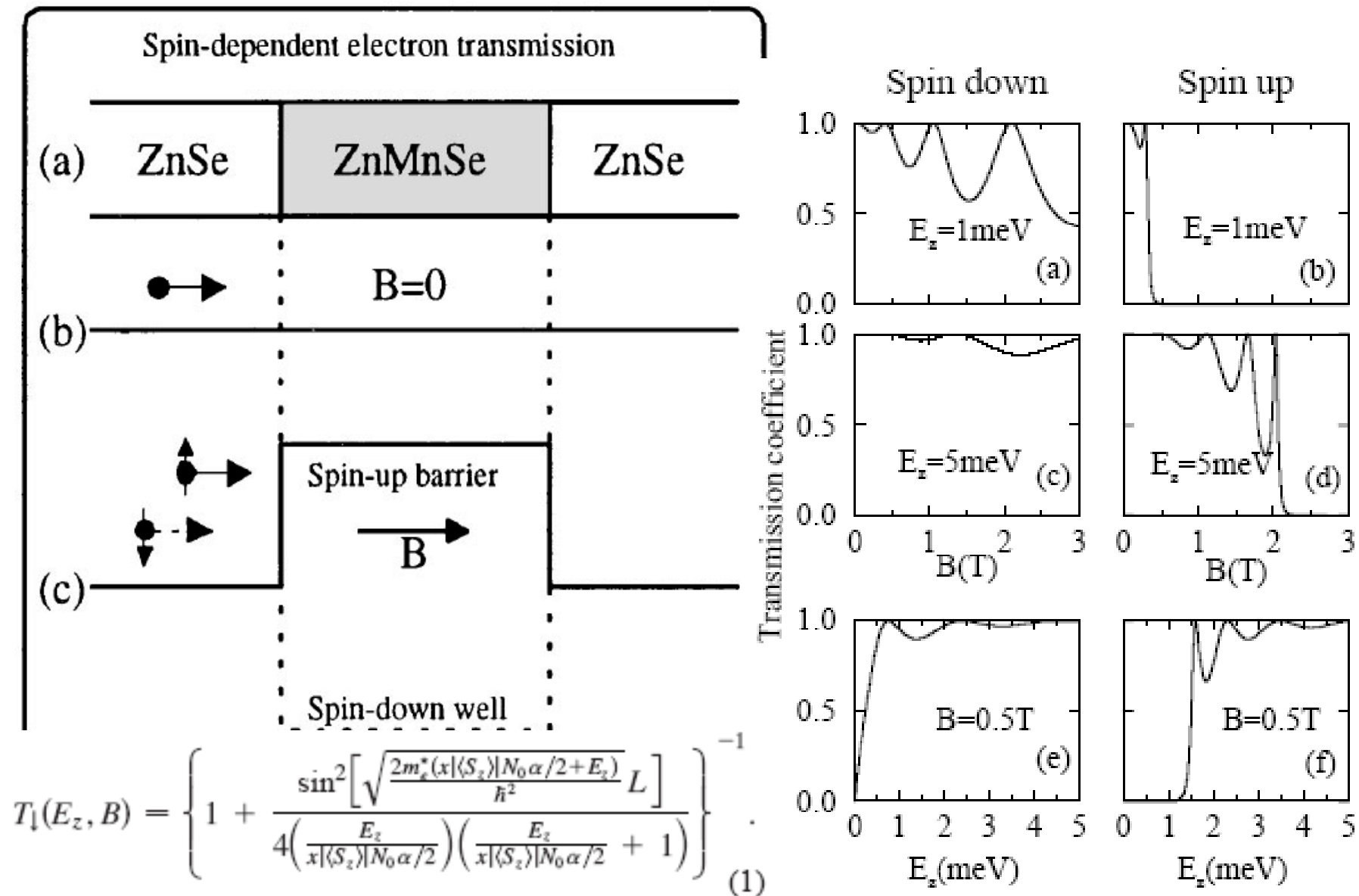
PHOTON ENERGY (eV)

$$R = \left| \frac{E'_0}{E_0} \right| \quad \epsilon = \epsilon_\infty + \sum_\alpha \frac{A_\alpha}{(E_\alpha^2 - E^2) - i\Gamma_\alpha E}$$

PRL 67, 3820 (1991),
JAP 75, 2988 (1994)

Spin-Dependent Perpendicular Magnetotransport through a Tunable ZnSe/Zn_{1-x}Mn_xSe Heterostructure: A Possible Spin Filter?

J. Carlos Egues, PRL80, 4578 (1998)

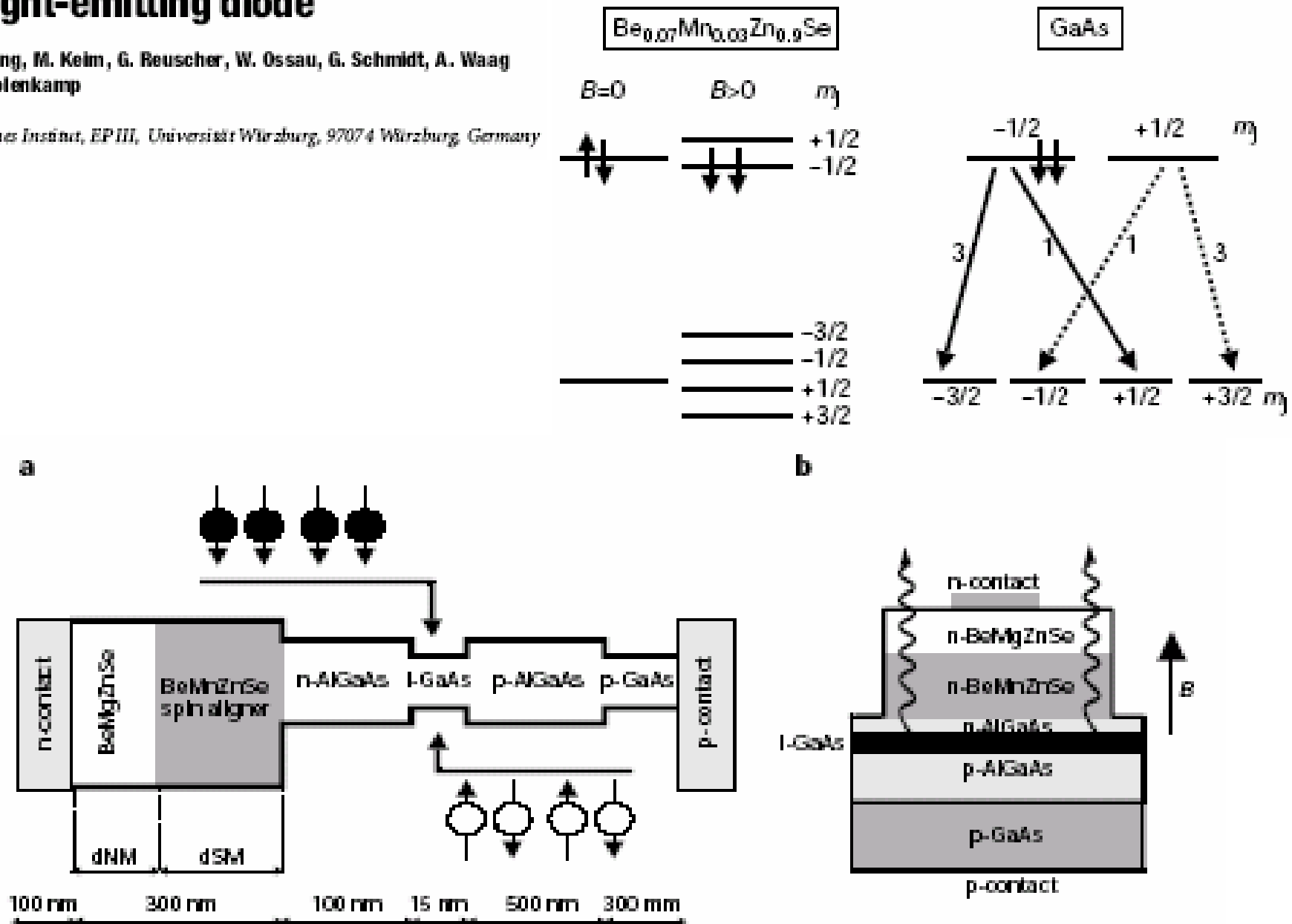


Injection and detection of a spin-polarized current in a light-emitting diode

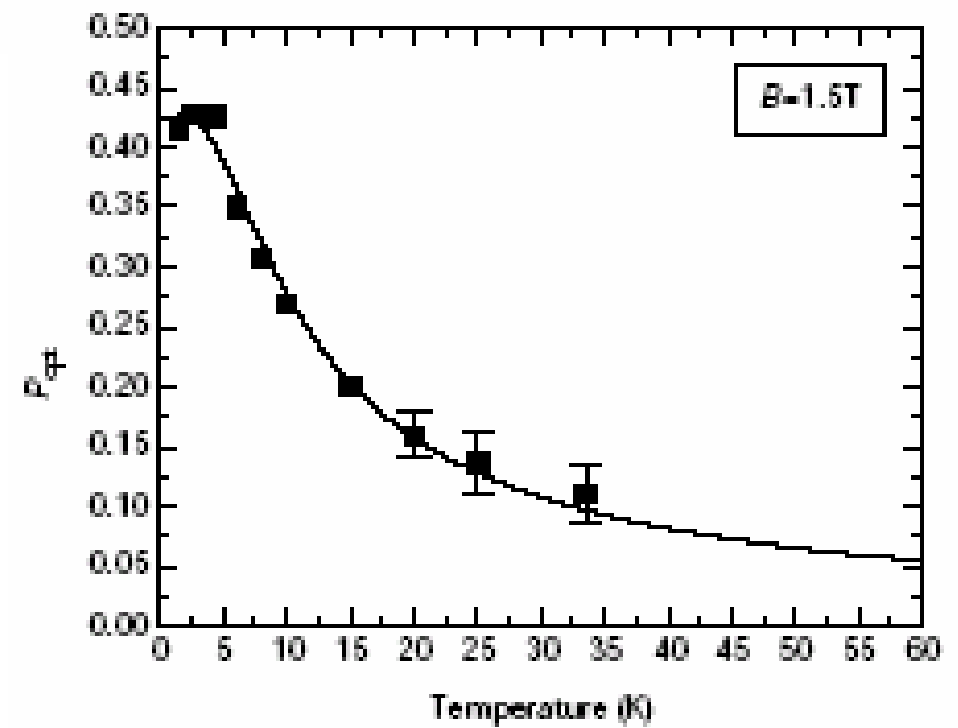
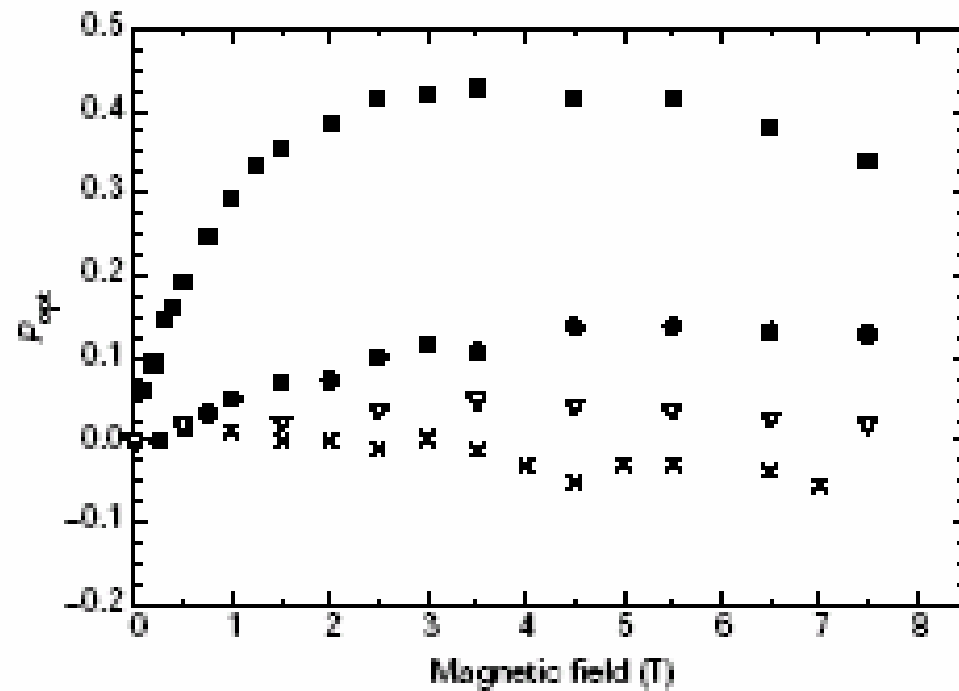
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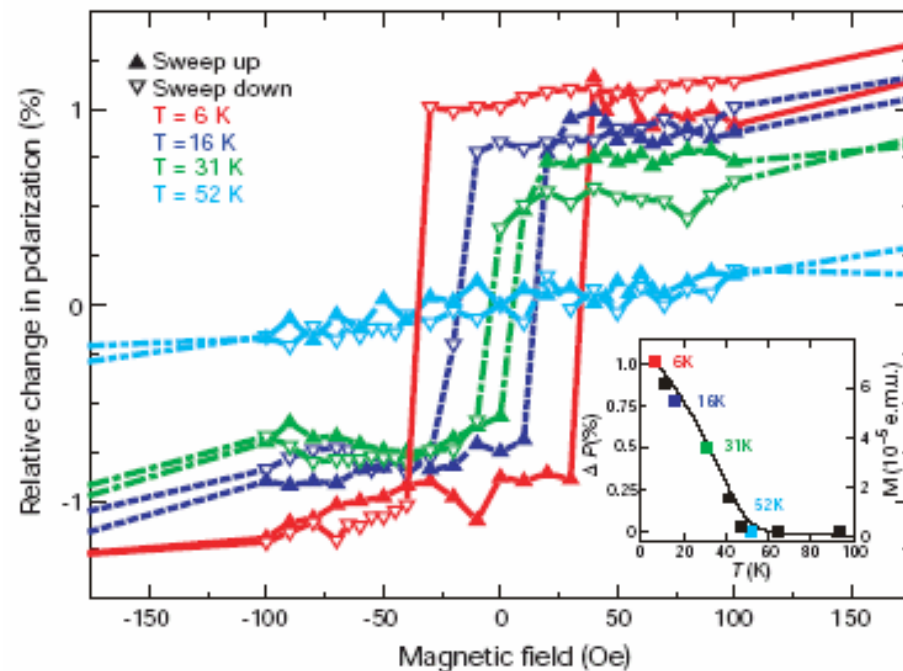


Electrical spin injection in a ferromagnetic semiconductor heterostructure

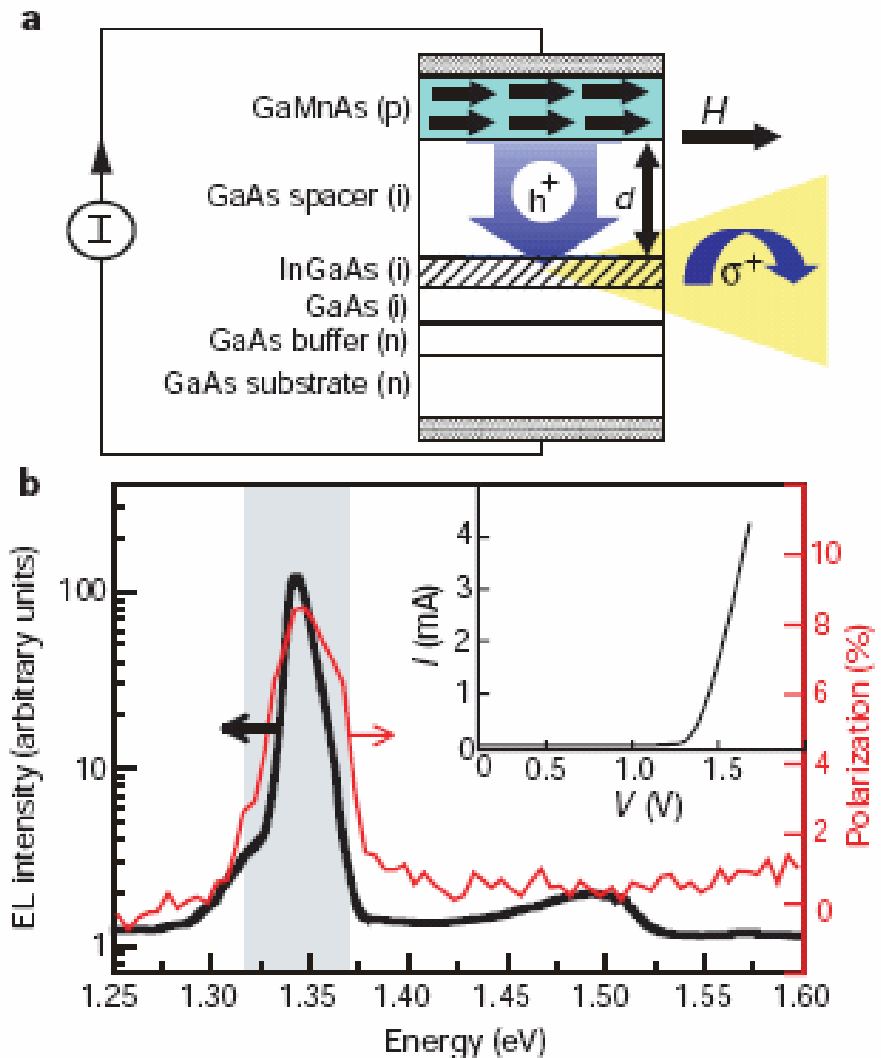
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A magnetic-field-effect transistor and spin transport

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A magnetic-field-effect transistor is proposed that generates a spin-polarized current and exhibits a giant negative magnetoresistance. The device consists of a nonmagnetic conducting channel (wire or strip) wrapped, or sandwiched, by a grounded magnetic shell. The process underlying the operation of the device is the withdrawal of one of the spin components from the channel, and its dissipation through the grounded boundaries of the magnetic shell, resulting in a spin-polarized current in the nonmagnetic channel. The device may generate an almost fully spin-polarized current, and a giant negative magnetoresistance effect is predicted. © 2003 American Institute of Physics. [DOI: 10.1063/1.1630839]

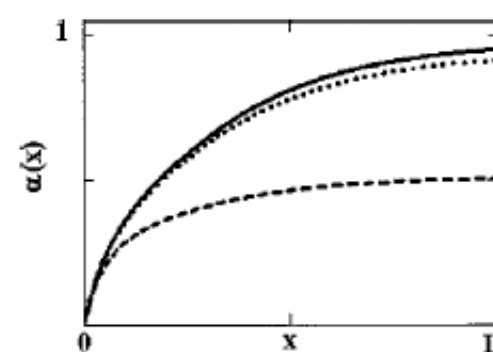
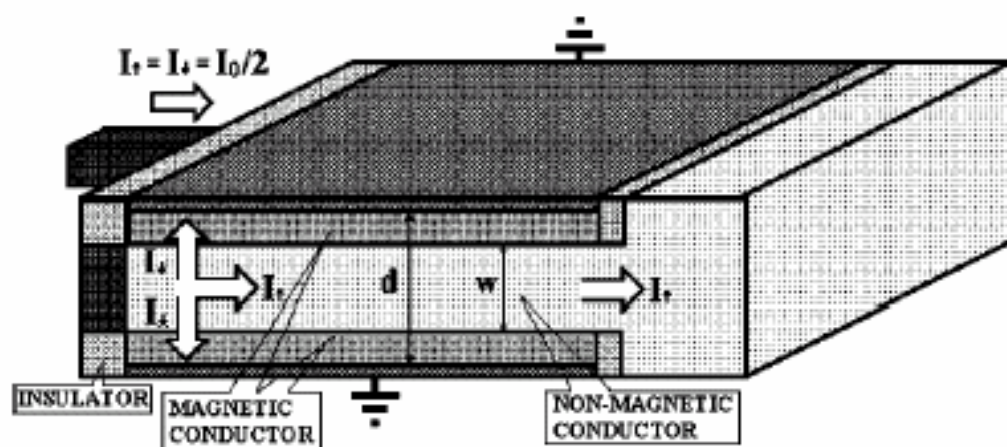
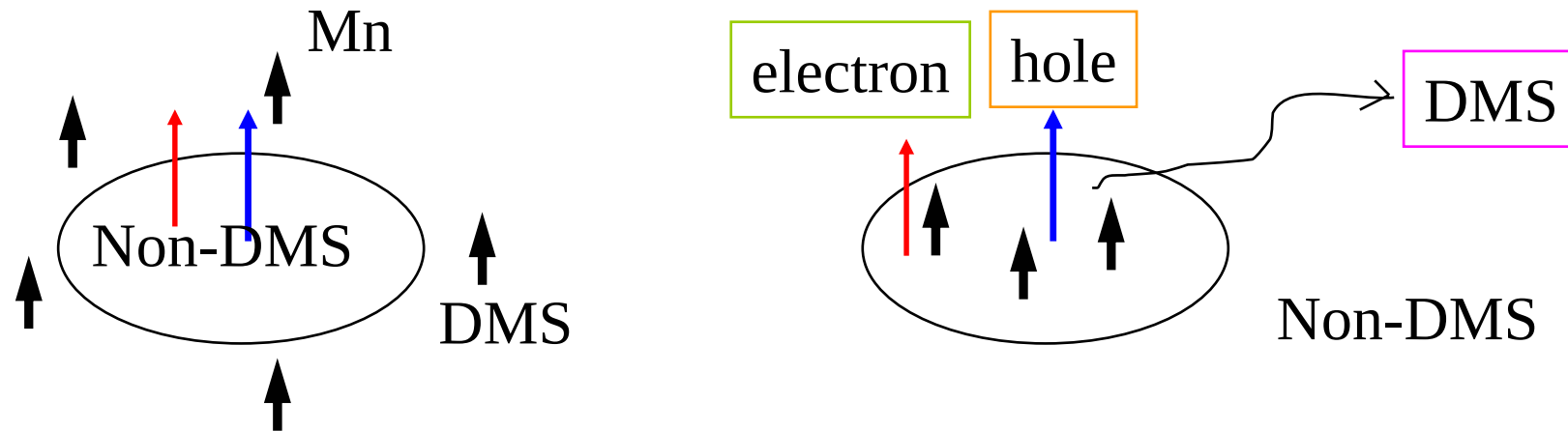


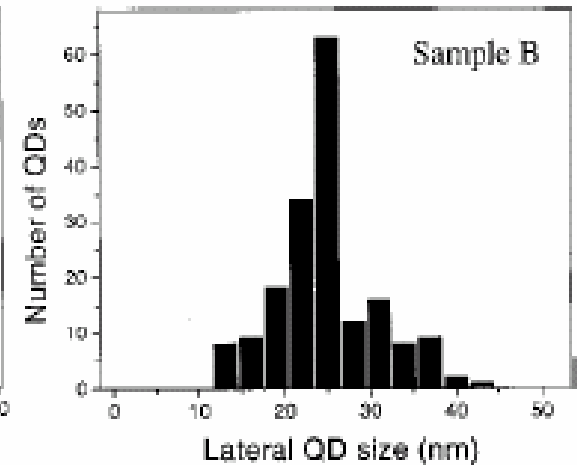
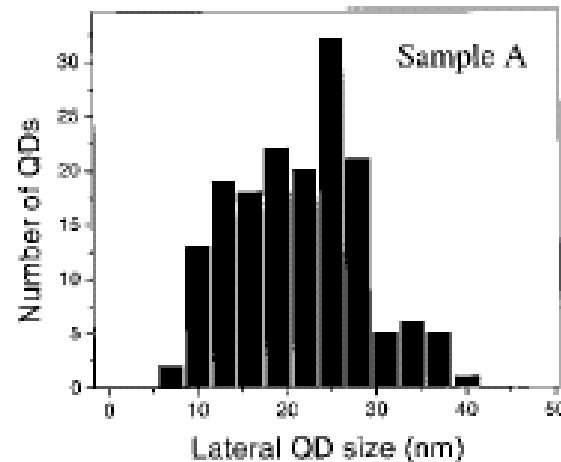
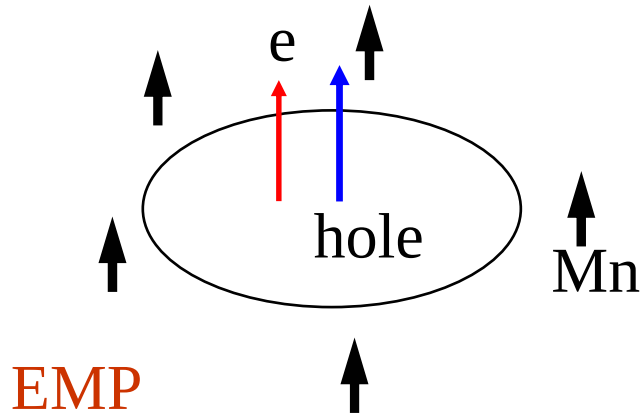
FIG. 2. The degree of SP (α) of the current plotted vs the longitudinal (x) coordinate along the spin guide; the curves were calculated from Eq. (7) with $\sigma_{M1}/\sigma_{M2}=0.3$, $\sigma_{M1}/\sigma_N=1$, $w/d=0.28$, $L=4d$, $w_M/\lambda_M=0.225$, and $w/\lambda_N=0.1$ (solid), $w/\lambda_N=0.5$ (dotted), $w/\lambda_N=0.7$ (dashed).

Diluted magnetic semiconductor (DMS) QDs

- ★ Give us extra dimensions for the growth of self-assembled QDs
passivation, bandgap, lattice constant (strain)
- ★ Offer a QD system for the control and manipulation of spin
for the potential application of quantum computing and spintronics



Diluted magnetic semiconductor QDs



CdSe/ZnSe

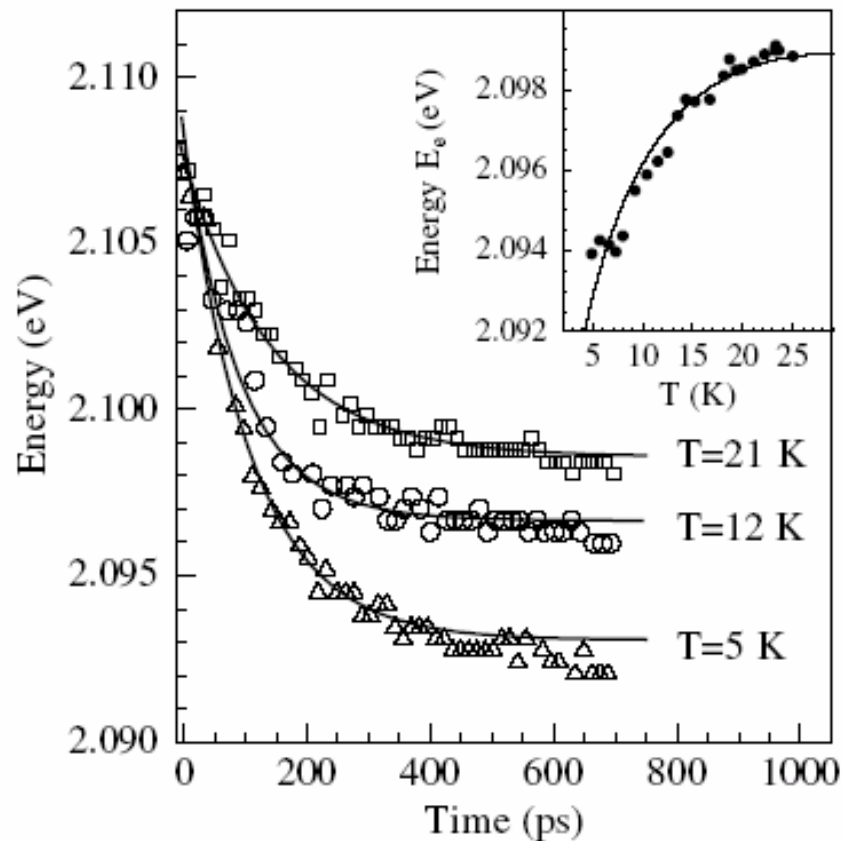
CdMnSe/ZnSe,
Mn passivation

L.V. Titova et al., APL 80, 1237 (2002)

Dynamical spin response in
CdSe (QDs)/ZnMnSe (matrix)

J. Seufert et al.

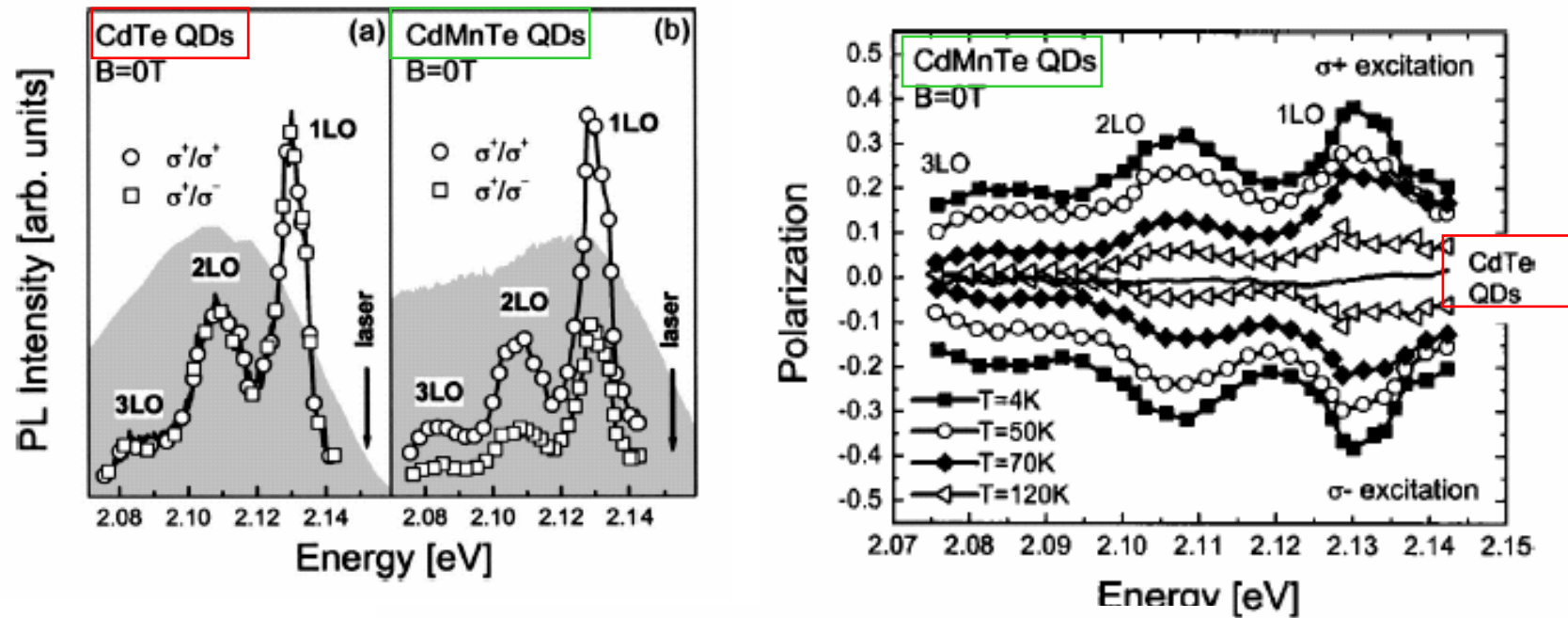
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EMP: Exciton magnetic polaron

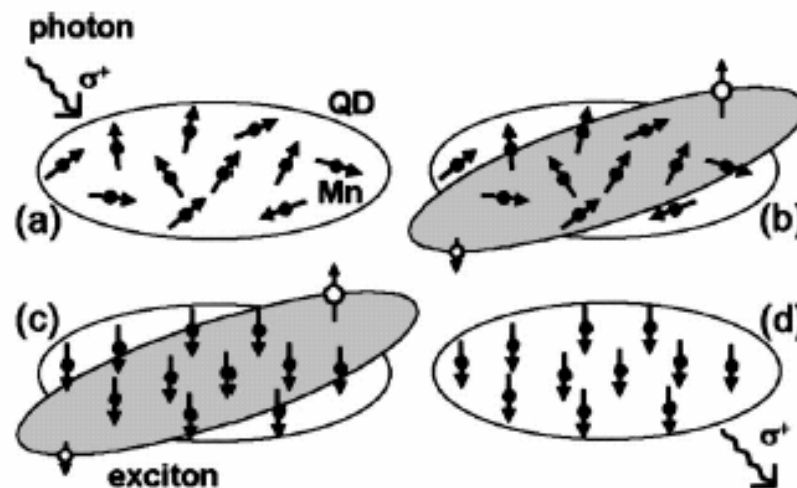
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S. Mackowski et al., APL 84, 3337 (2004).

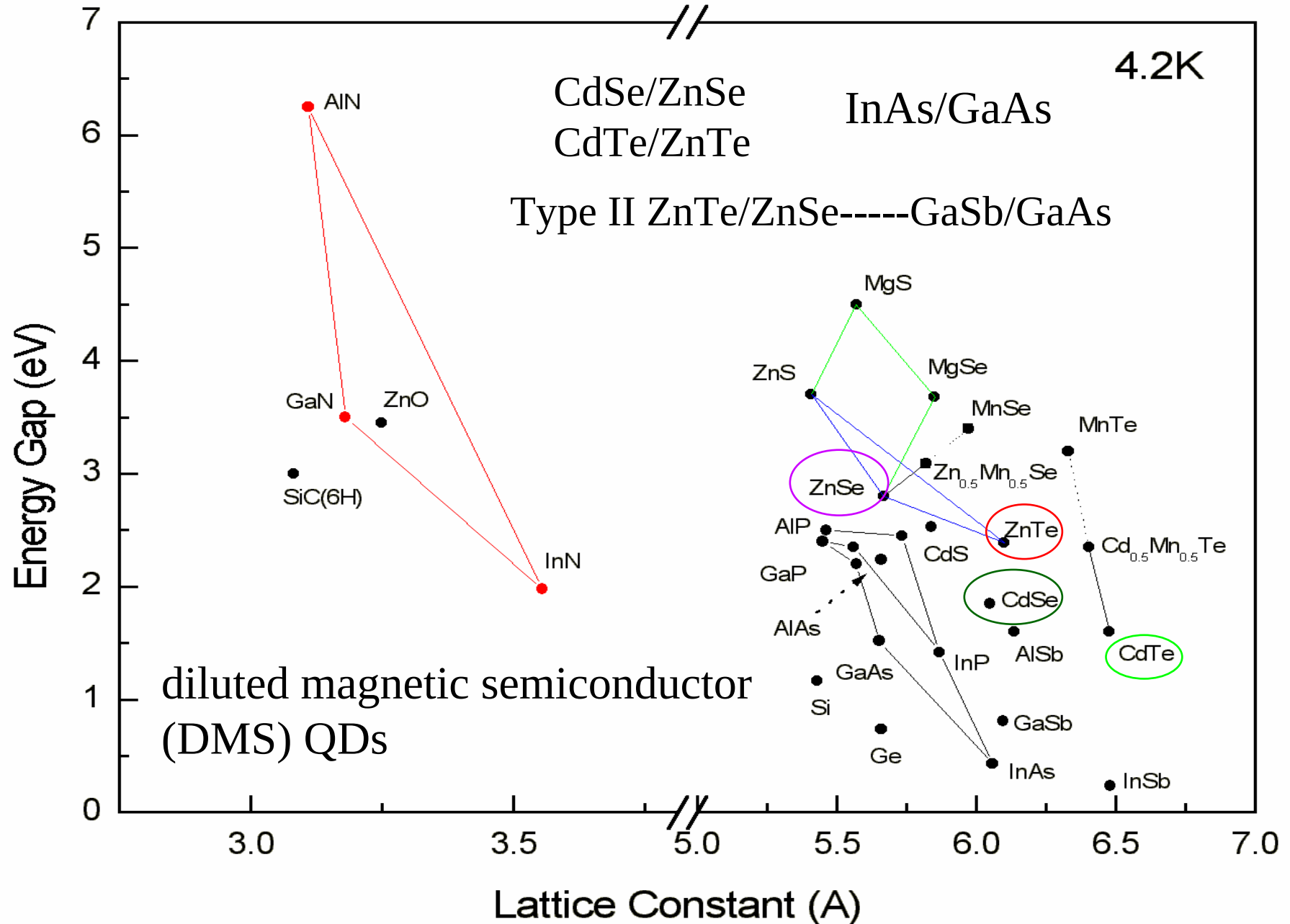


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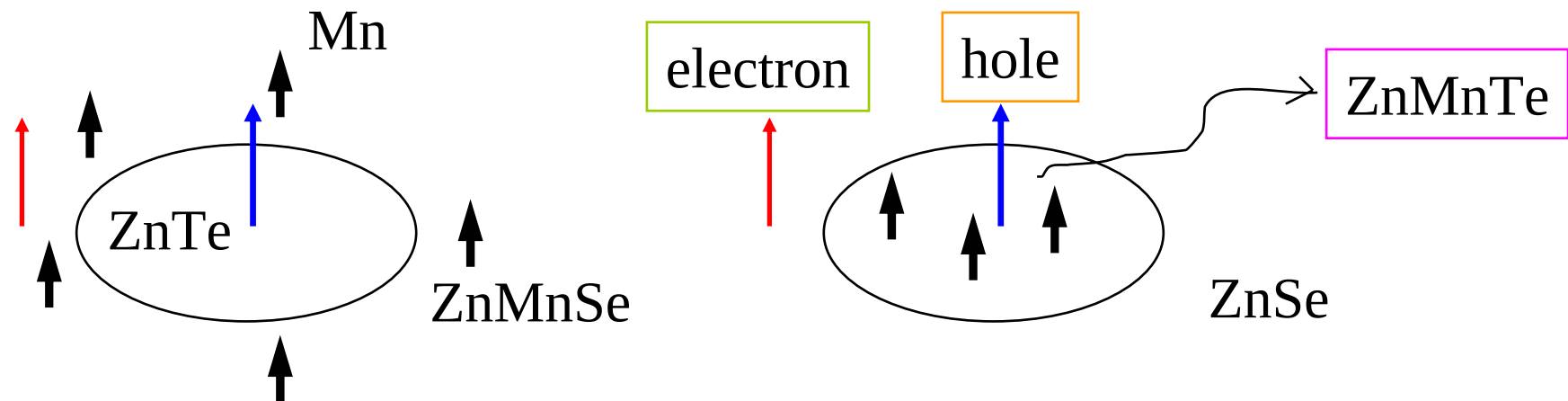
Energy Gap vs Lattice Constant



Diluted magnetic semiconductor QDs

Why ZnMnTe/ZnMnSe QD system? type II band alignment

Electron and hole spatially separated. Novel spin dynamics?



We have studied ZnTe/ZnSe QD system.

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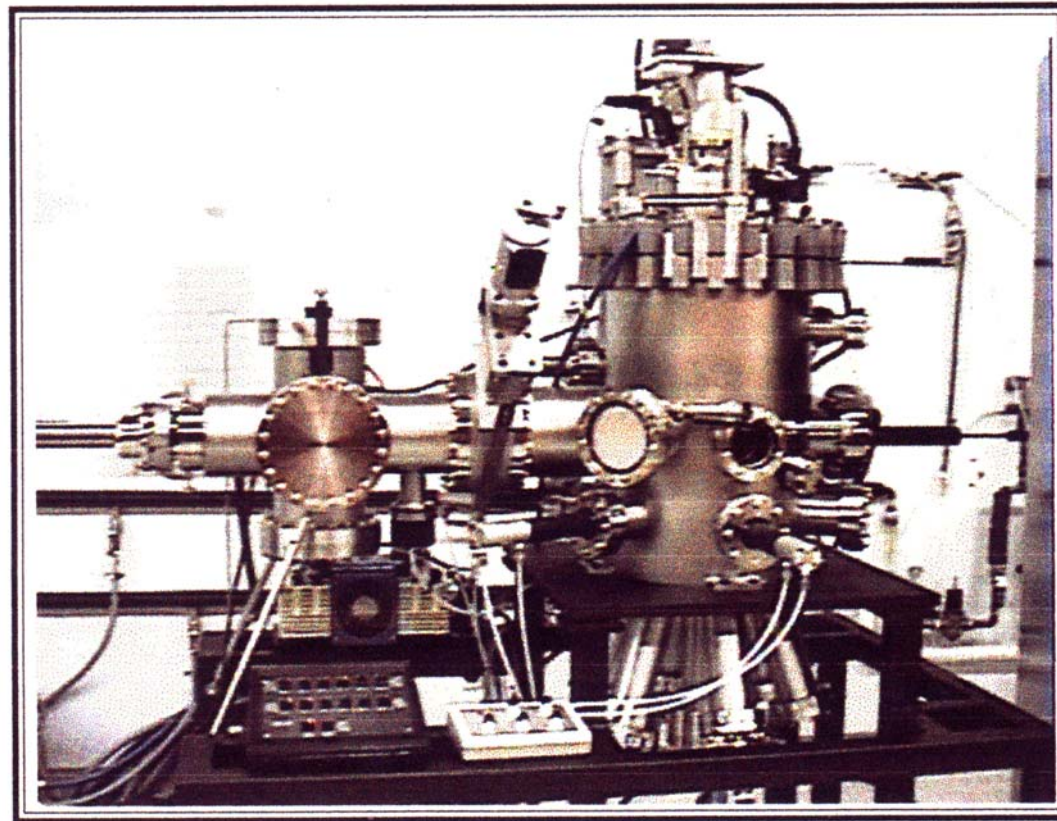
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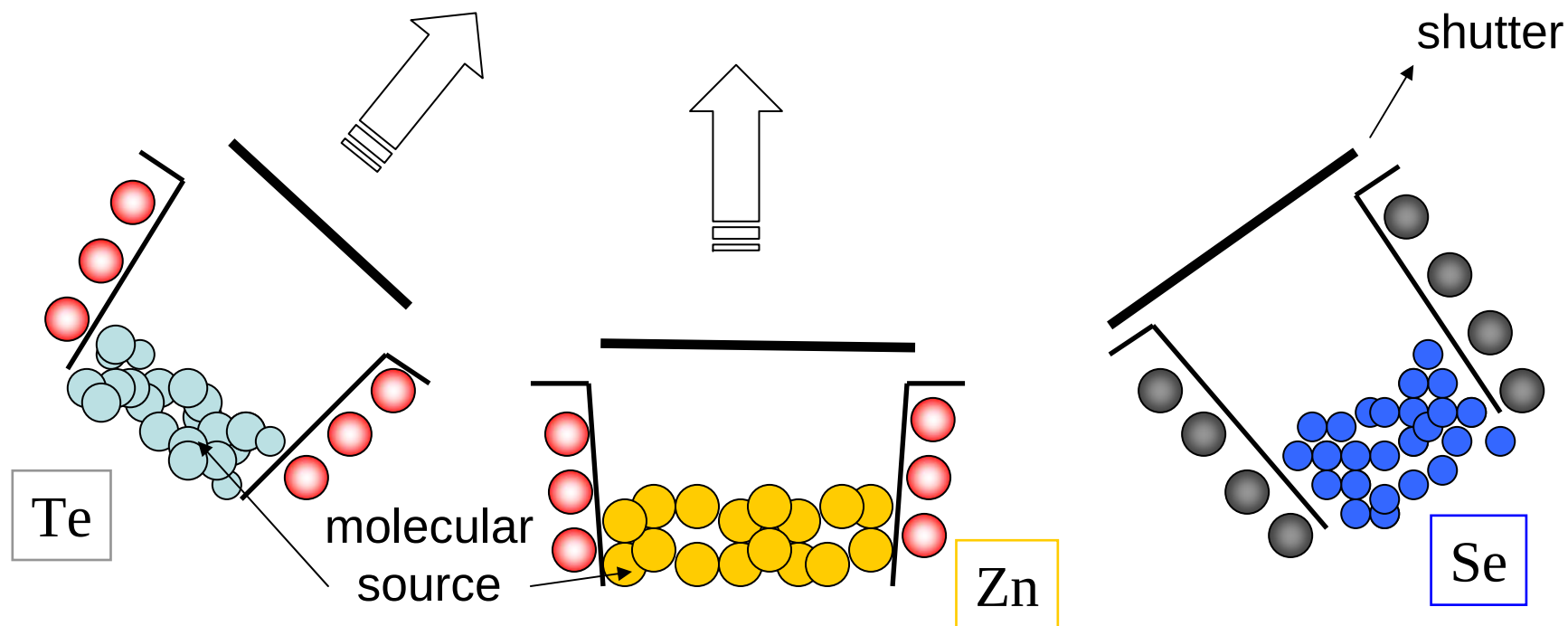
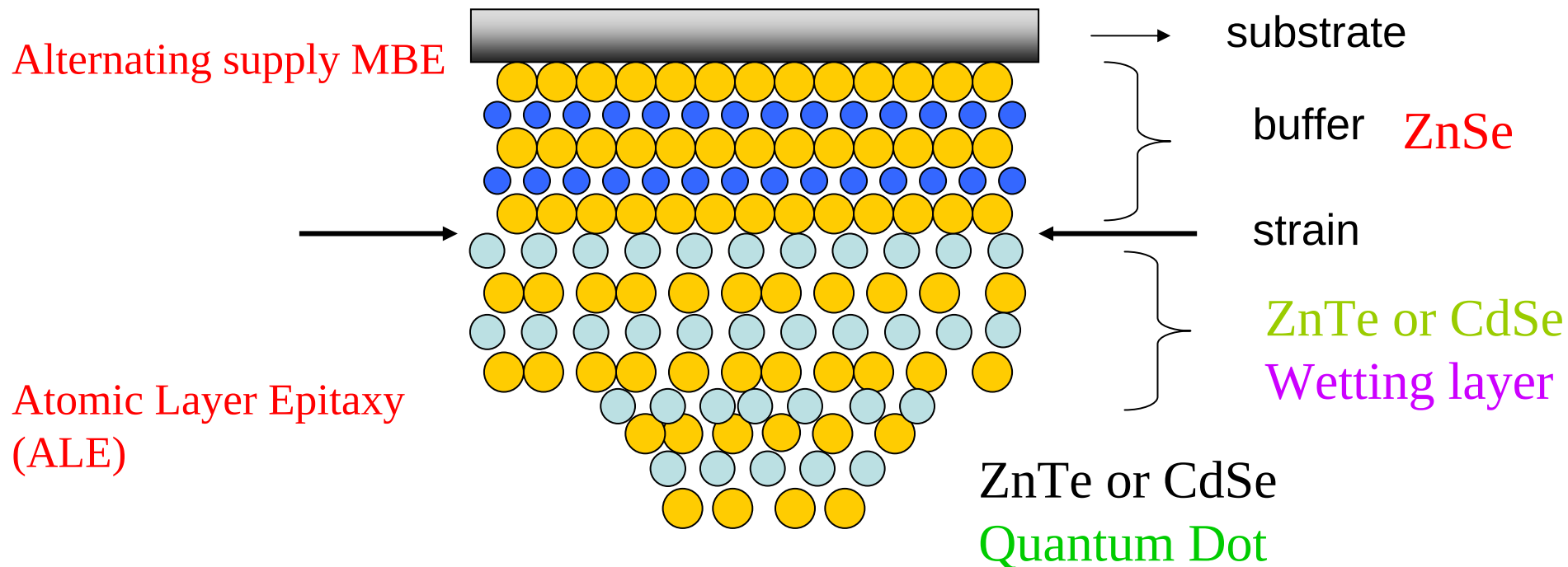
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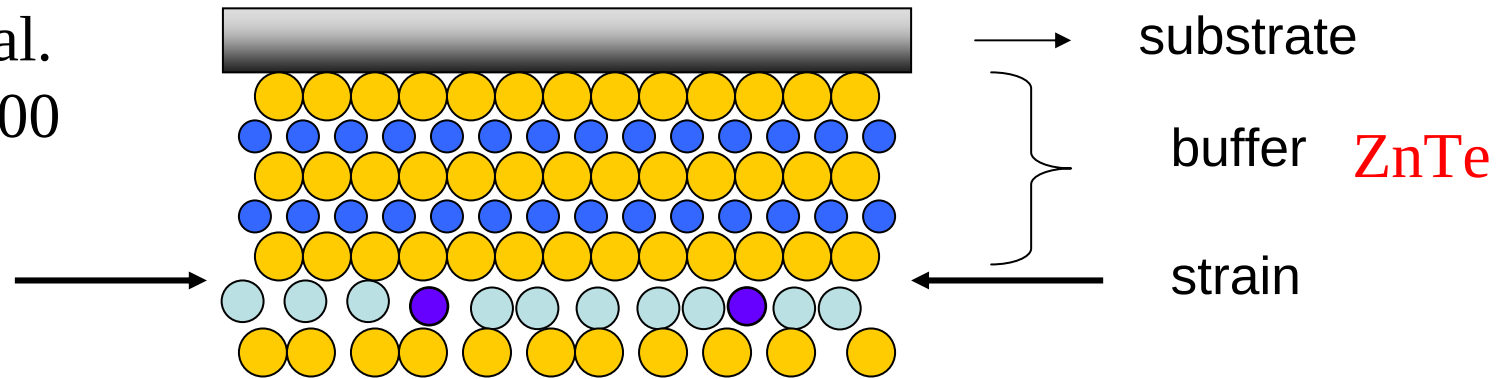
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Type II ZnMnTe/ZnMnSe QDs as well as the
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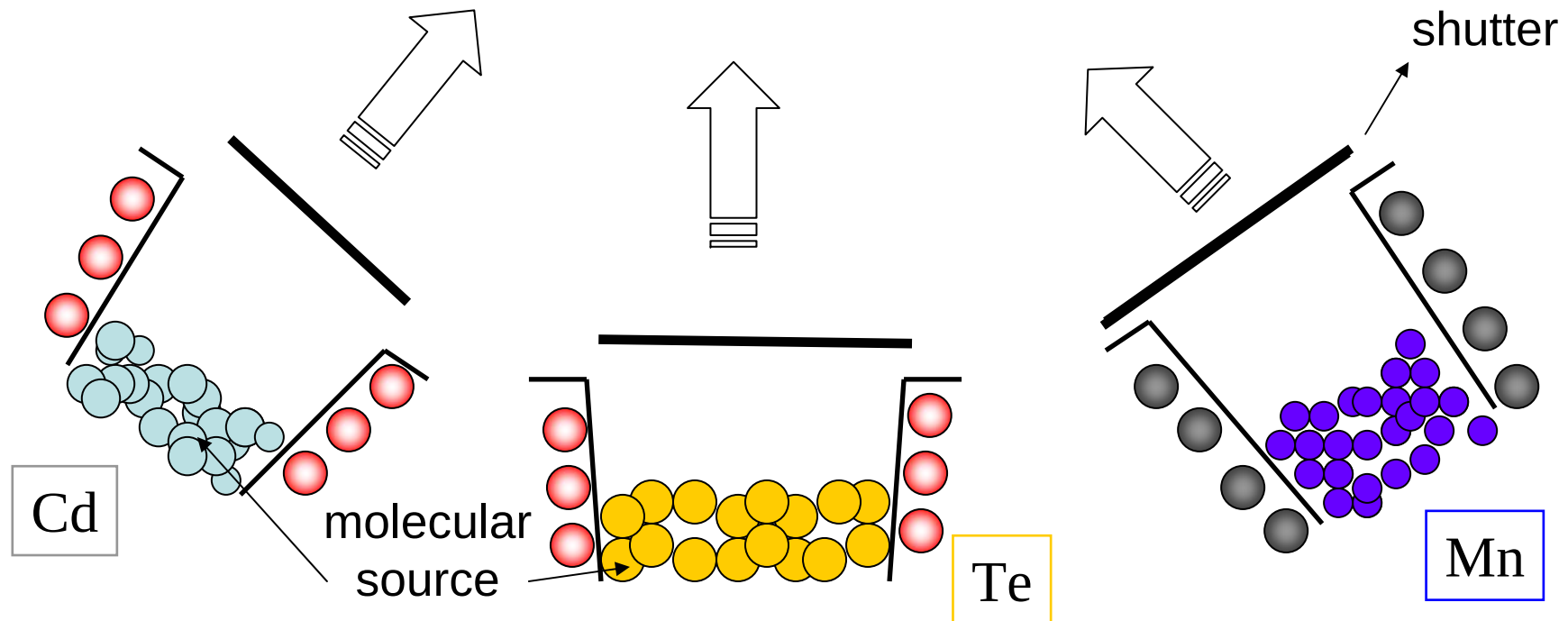


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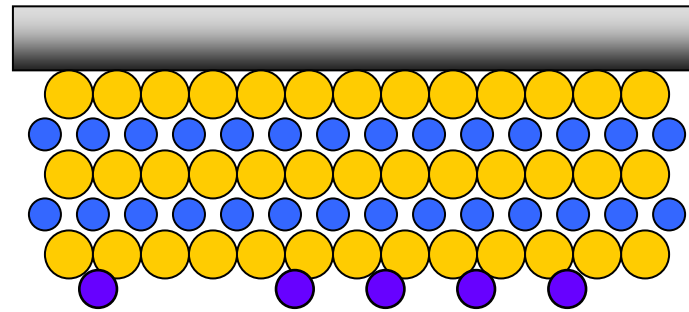


conventional

Alternating supply MBE
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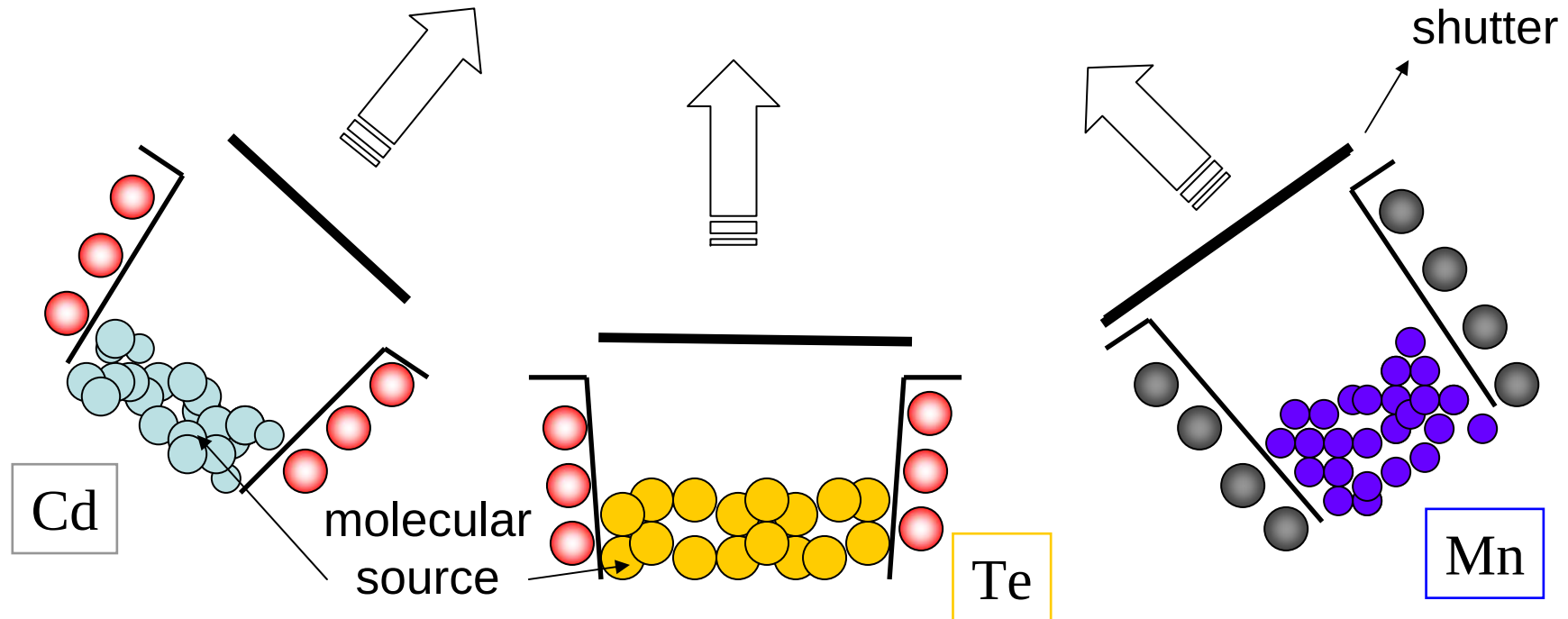


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ZnTe surface
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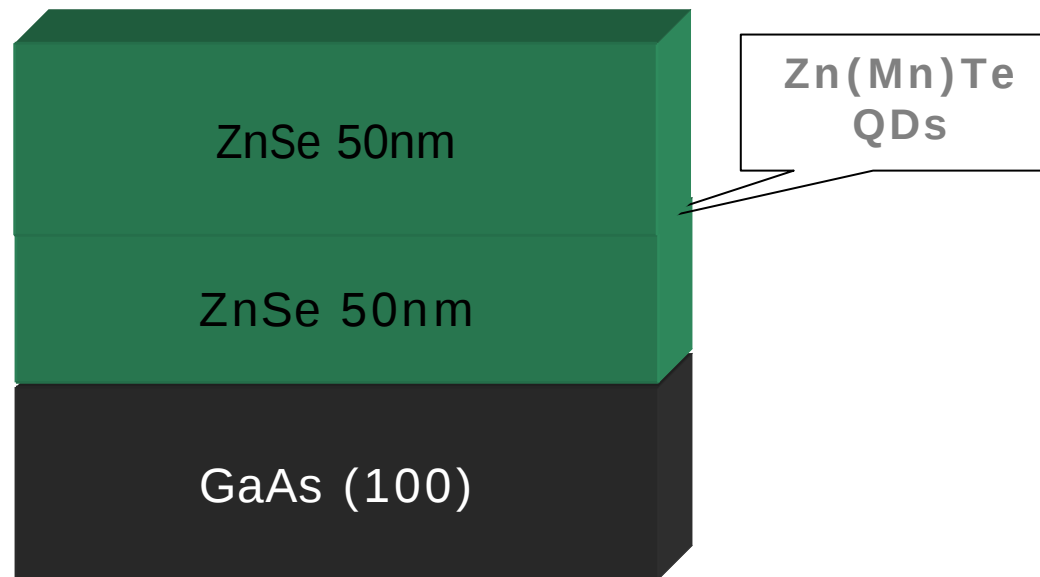


→ substrate
buffer **ZnTe**

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ZnSe surface
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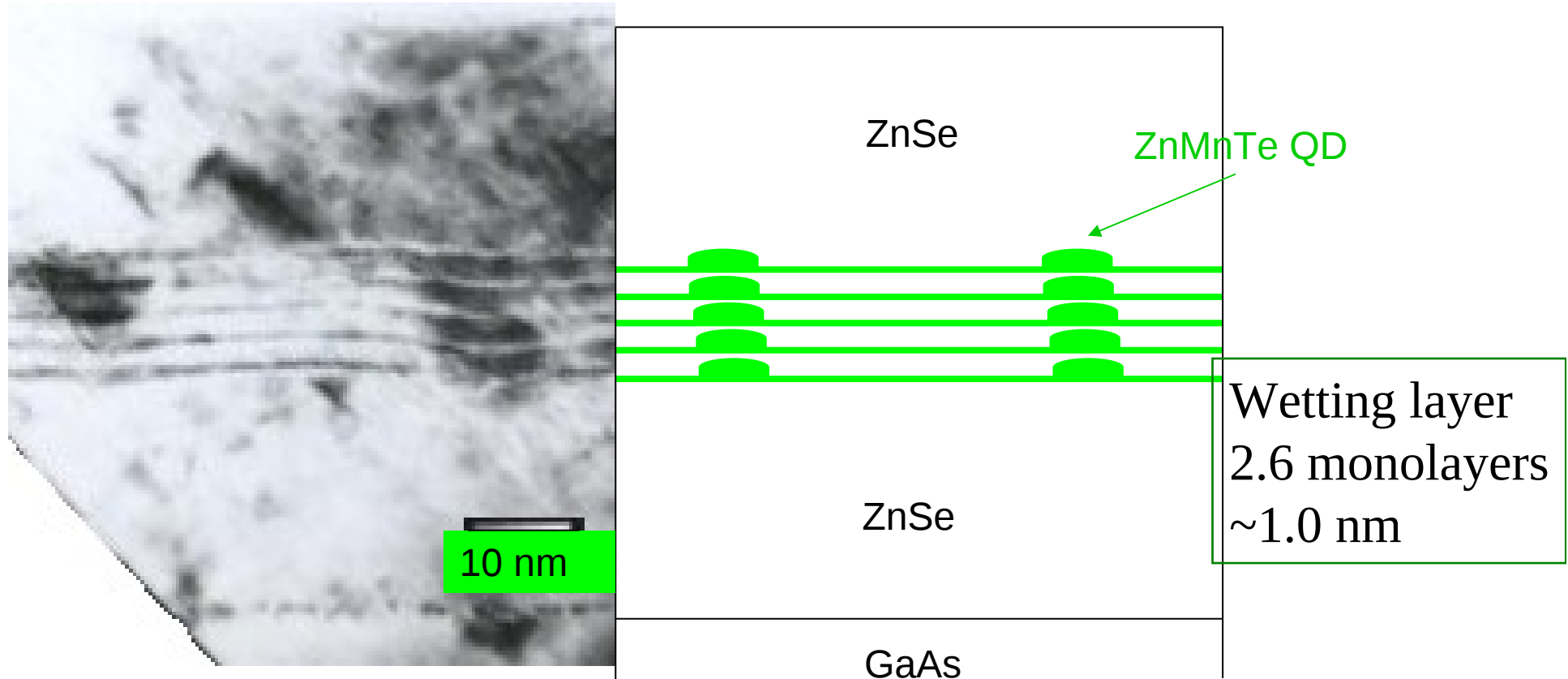


Sample list



ZnMnTe QDs coverage = 1.8, 2.0, 2.2, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.8, and 3.0 MLs

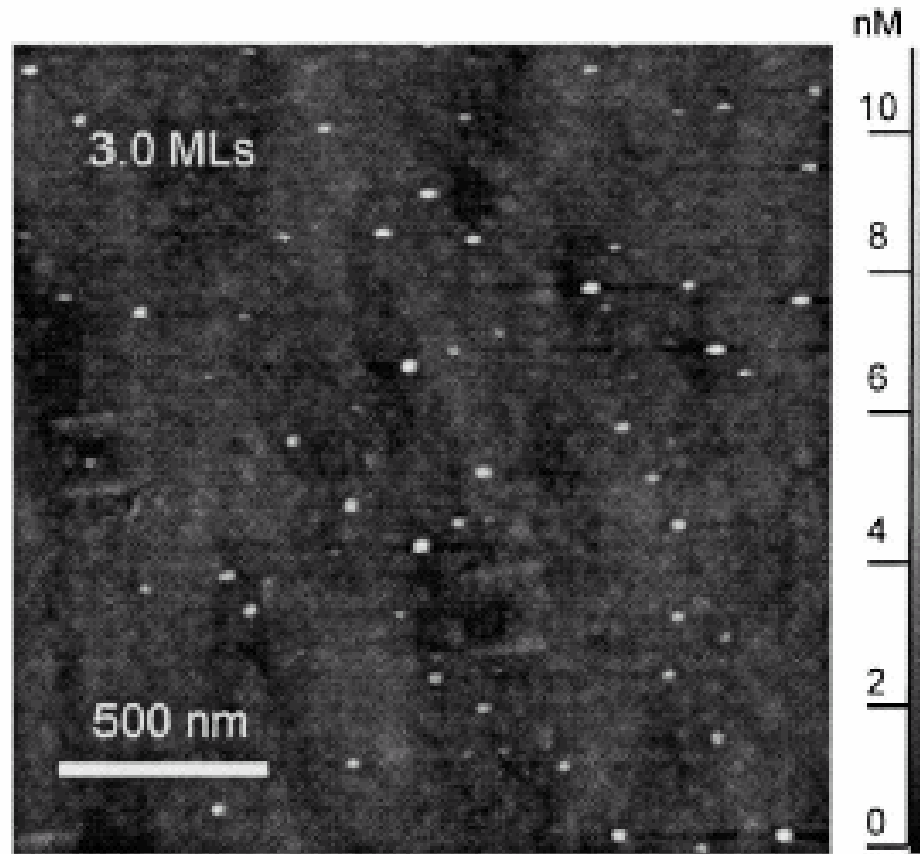
Cross-section TEM of 2.6 ML ZnMnTe MQDs



Stranski-Krastanow (SK), 2-D to 3D growth mode

Vertical correlation.

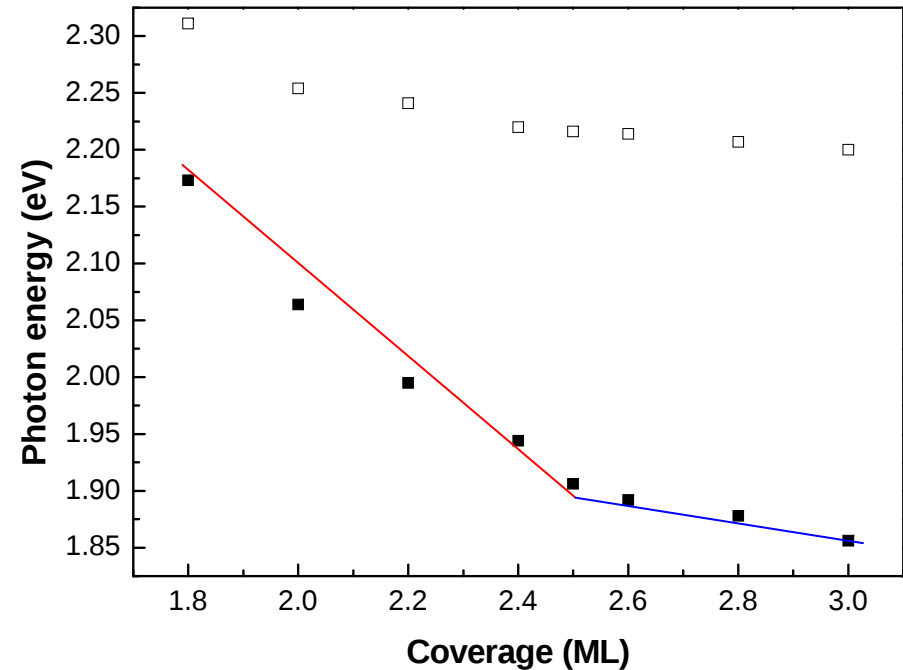
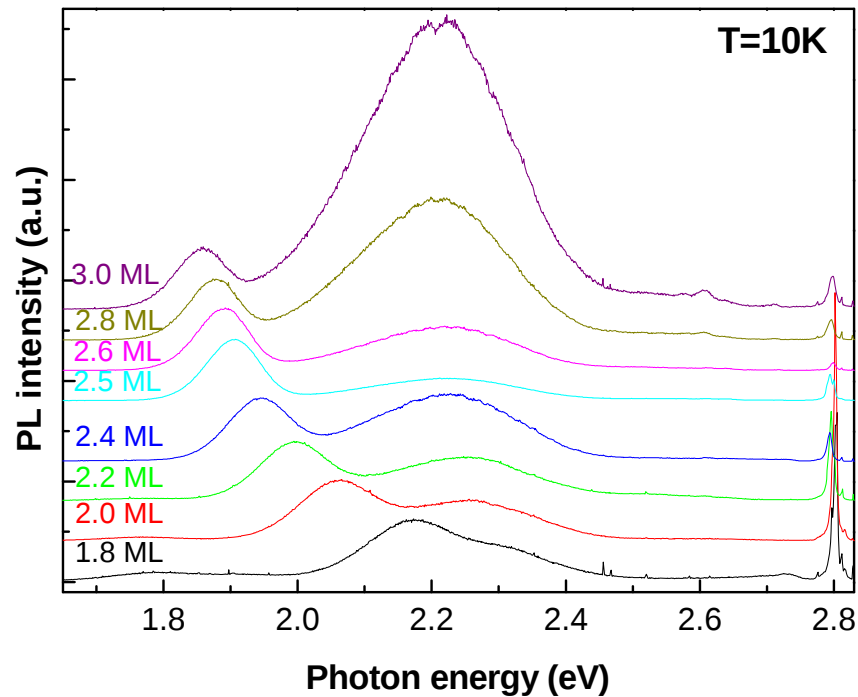
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AFM plain view image of ZnTe QDs with 3.0 MLs.

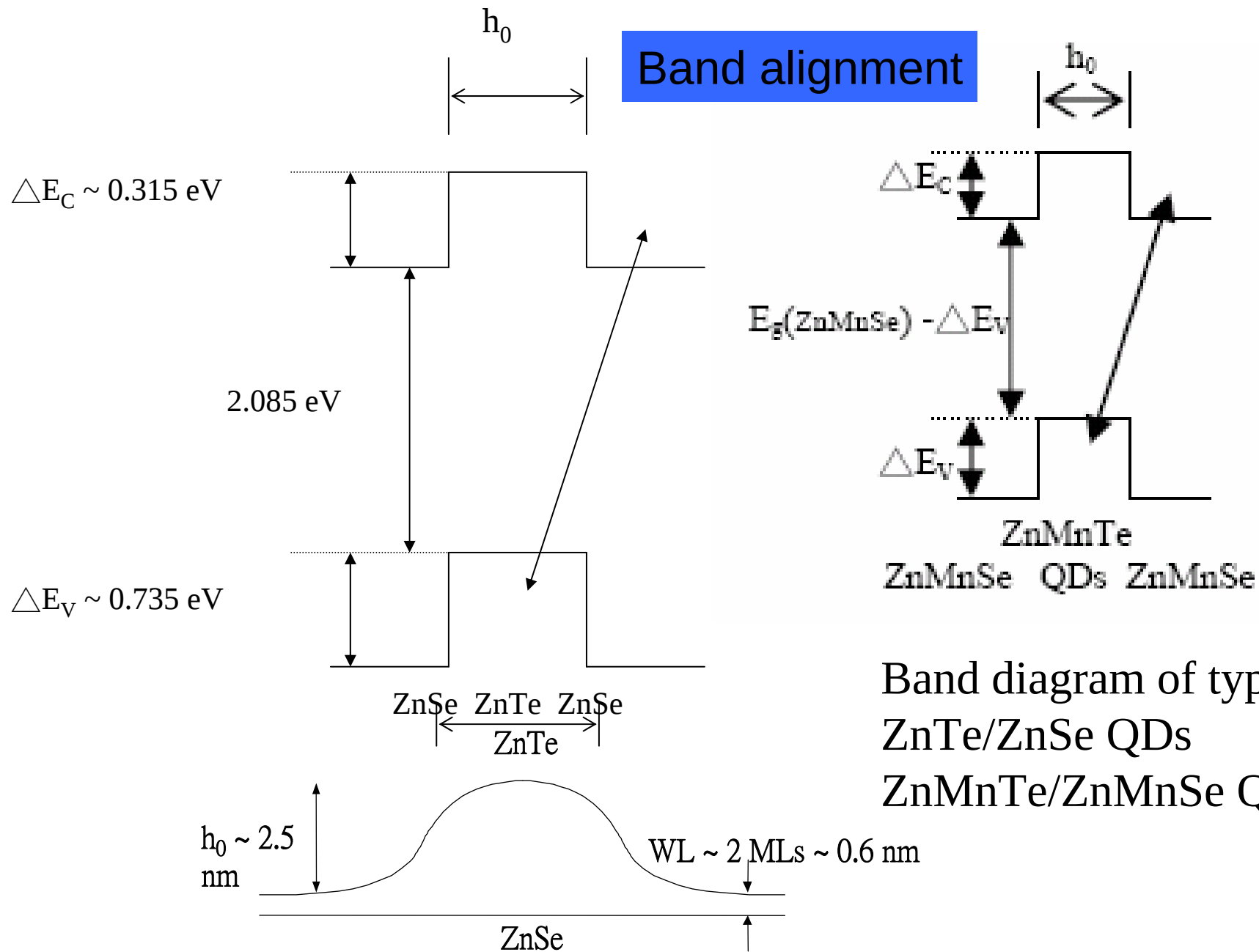
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PL spectra of ZnMnTe QDs at 10K



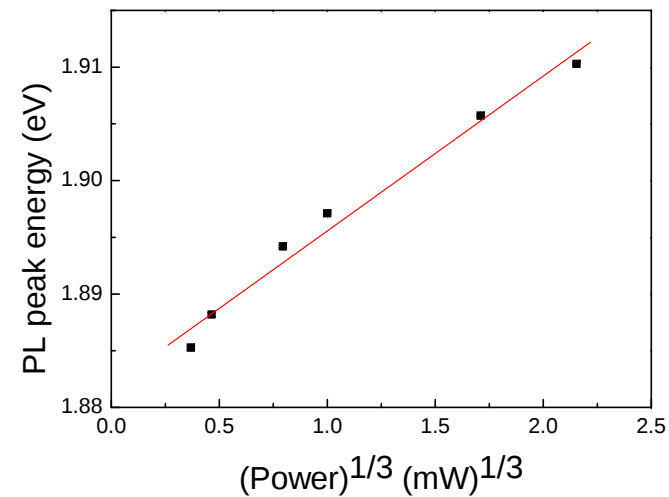
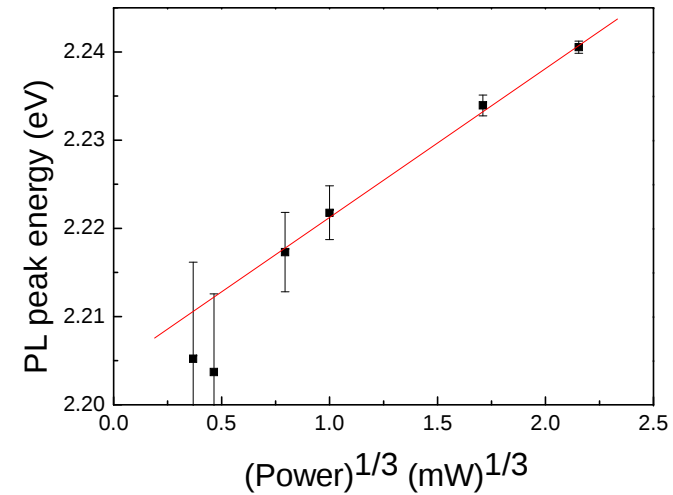
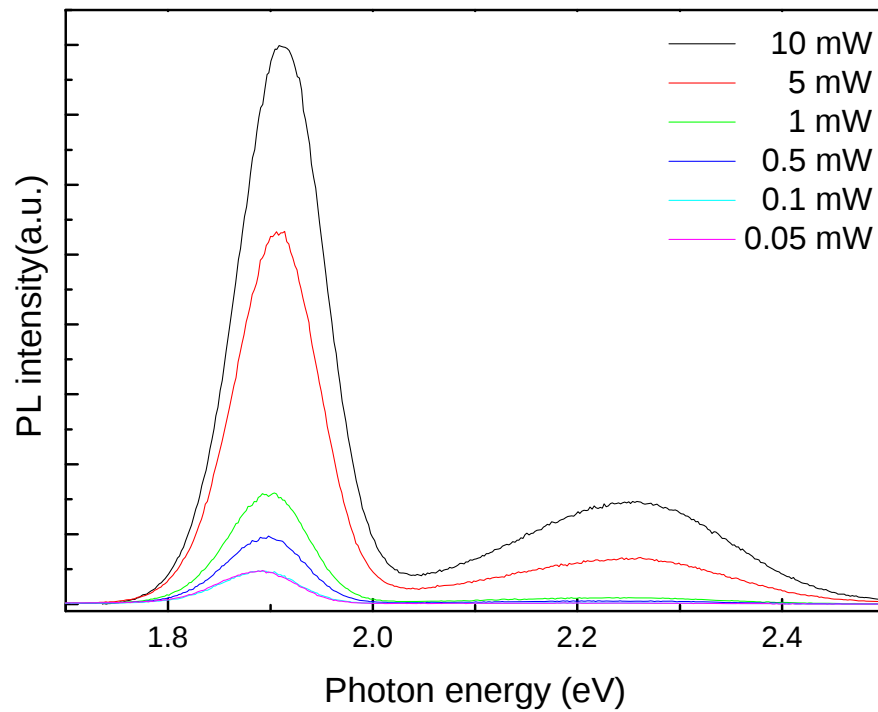
Band diagram of type II: ZnMnTe/ZnSe QDs

Band gaps of ZnTe or ZnMnTe are larger than 2.4 eV.

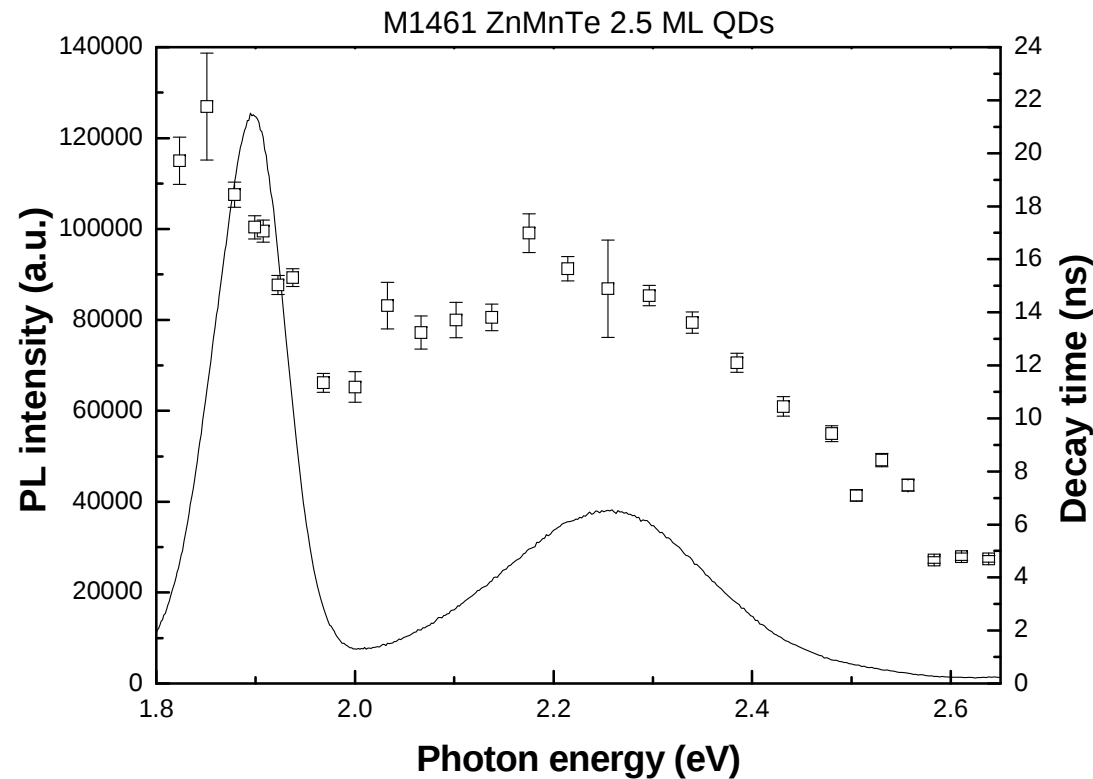


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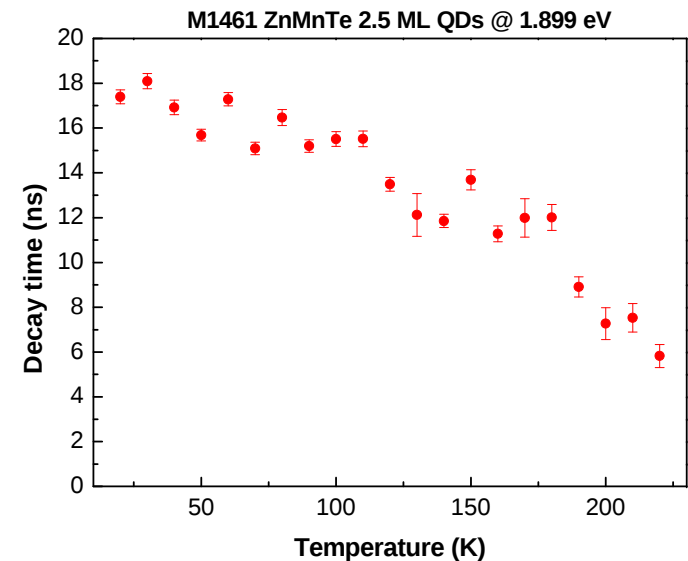
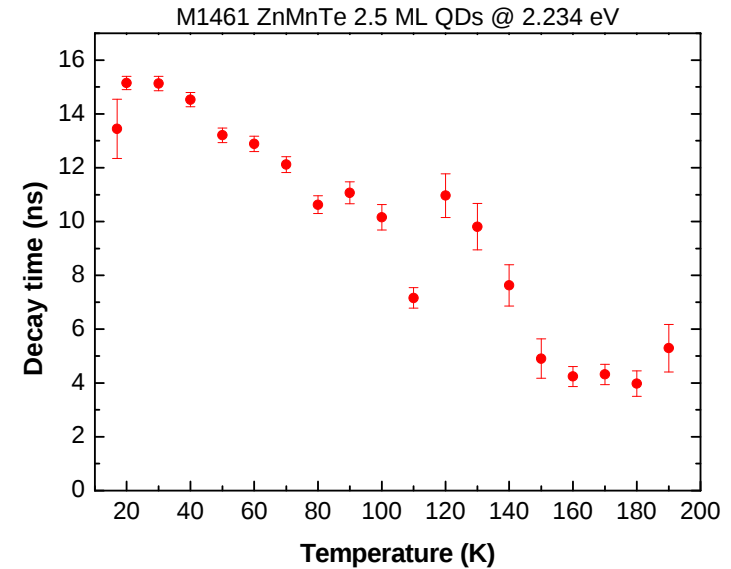
Power dependent PL of ZnMnTe QDs

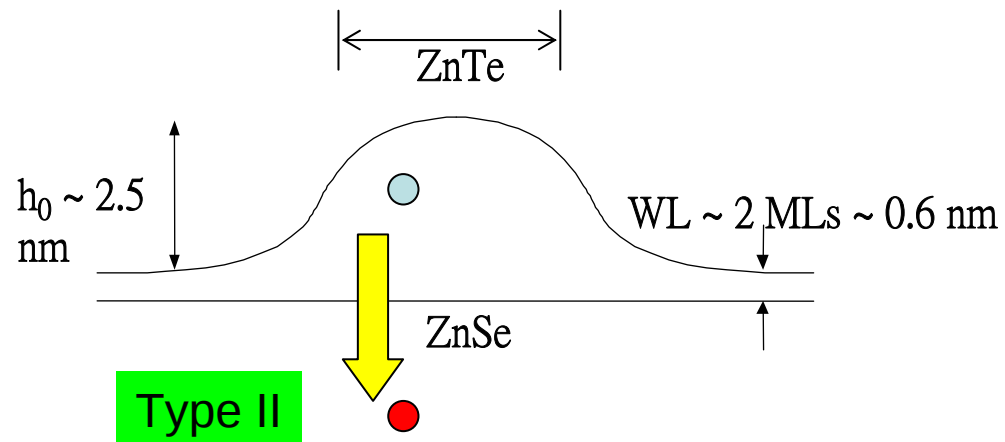


Time resolved photoluminescence of 2.5 ML ZnMnTe QDs

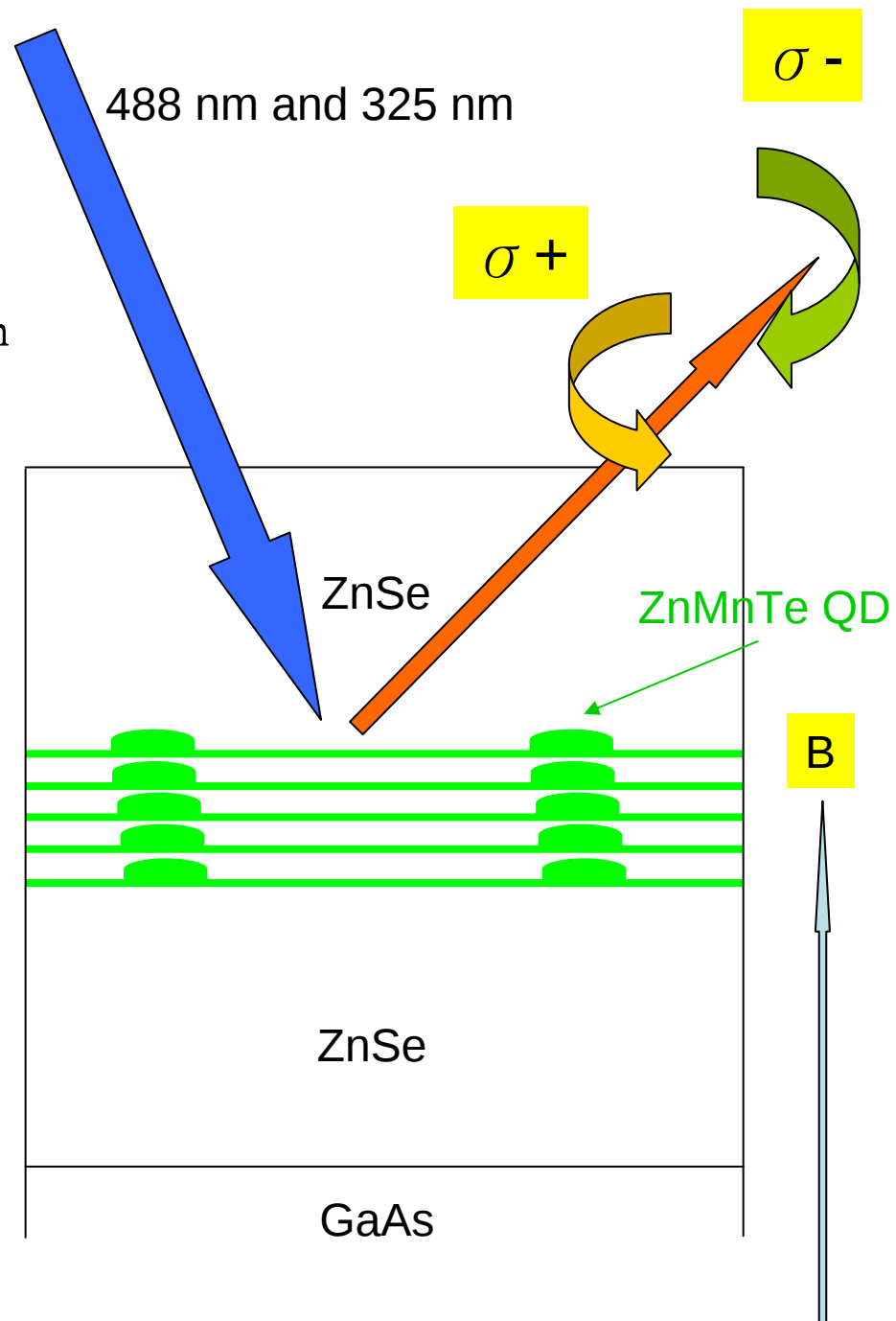
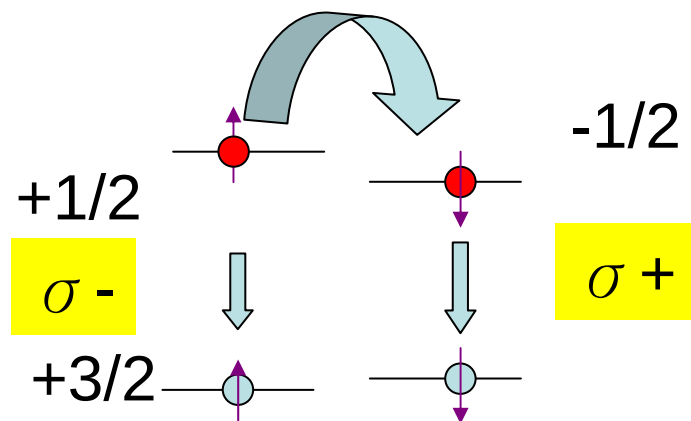


Type II band alignment:
long recombination time

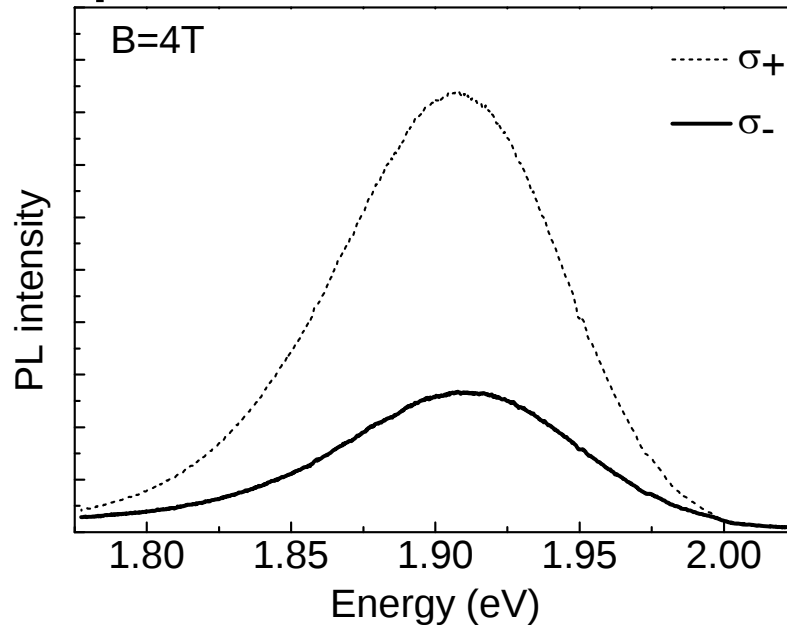




Spin relaxation



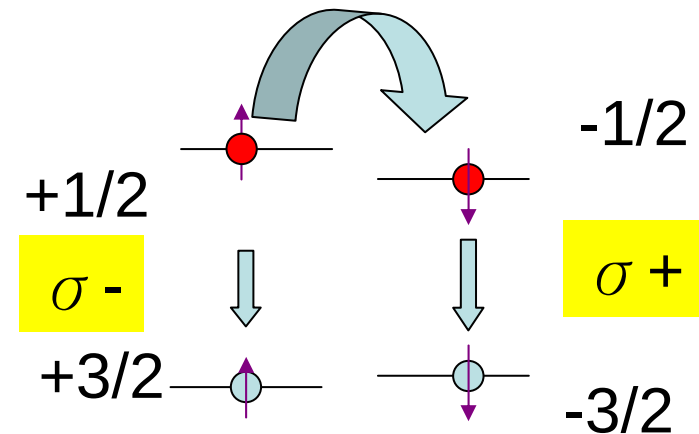
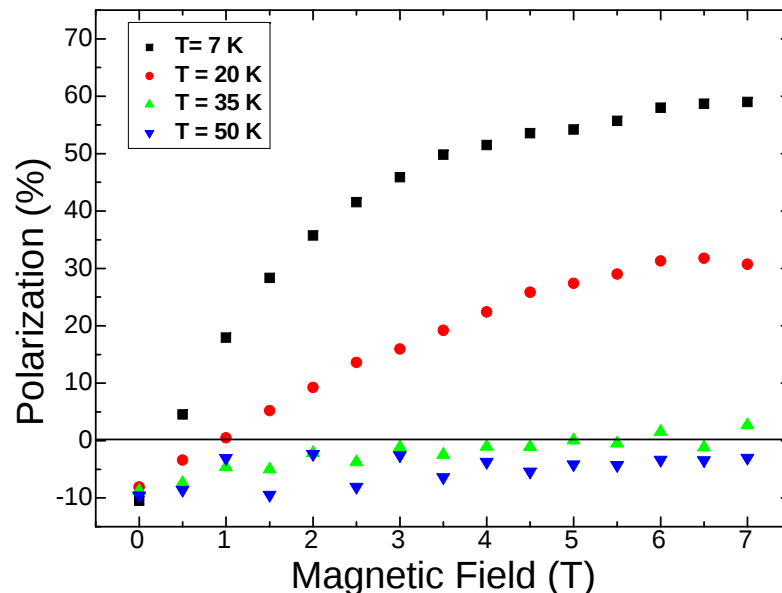
polarization as a function of magnetic field B



$$\frac{dn_-}{dt} = g_- - \frac{n_-}{\tau_r} - \frac{n_-}{\tau_s} + n_+ e^{(-\Delta E/kT)} / \tau_s$$

$$\frac{dn_+}{dt} = g_+ - \frac{n_+}{\tau_r} - \frac{n_+ e^{(-\Delta E/kT)}}{\tau_s} + \frac{n_-}{\tau_s}$$

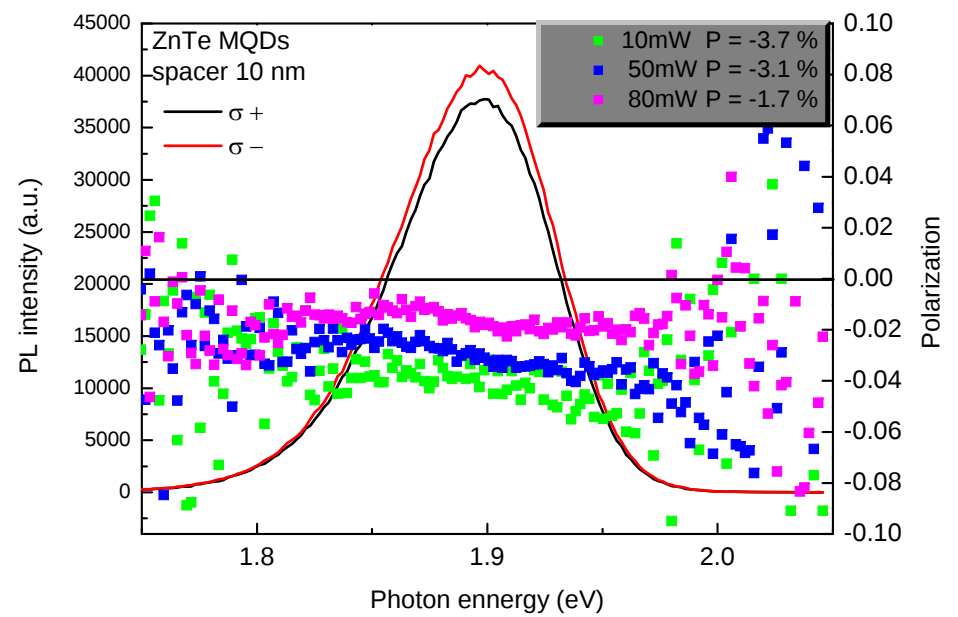
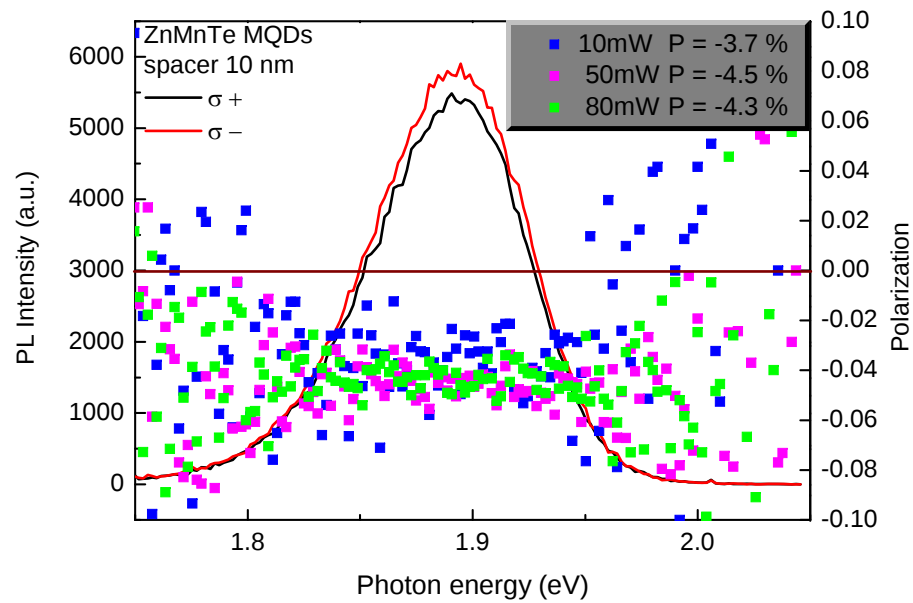
At B=8T,
 $P = (I_+ - I_-) / (I_+ + I_-) = 60\%$
 $\tau_s \sim \tau_r \sim \text{ns}$

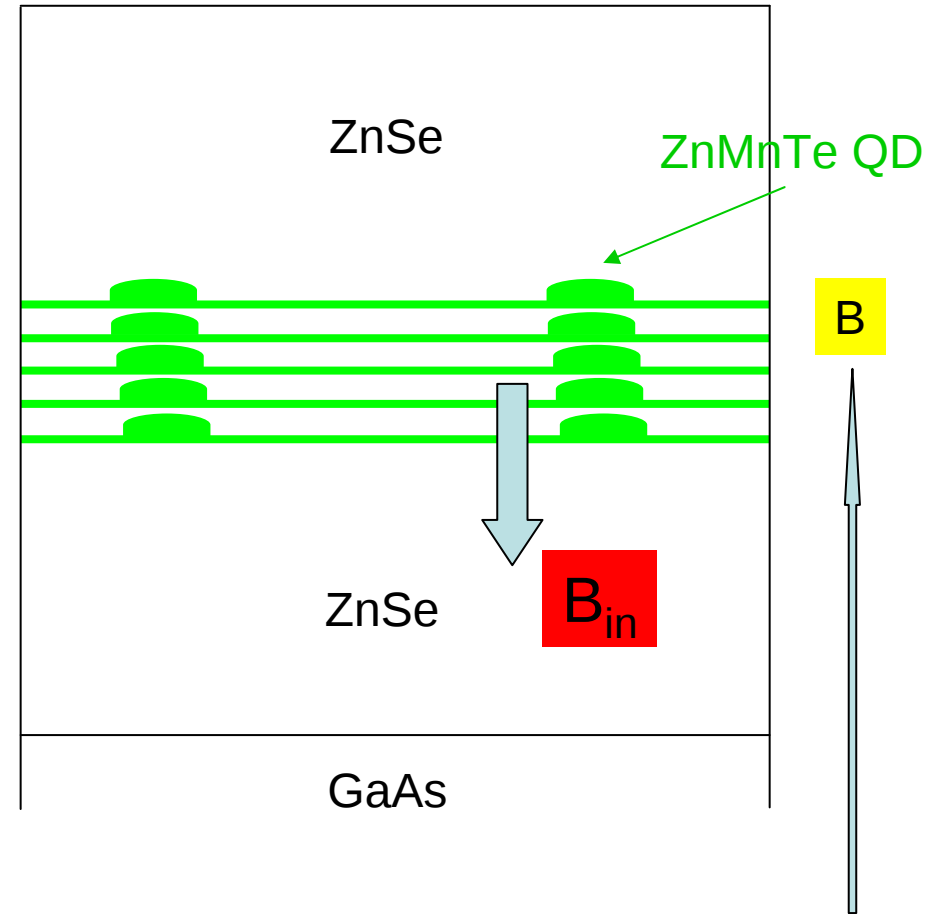
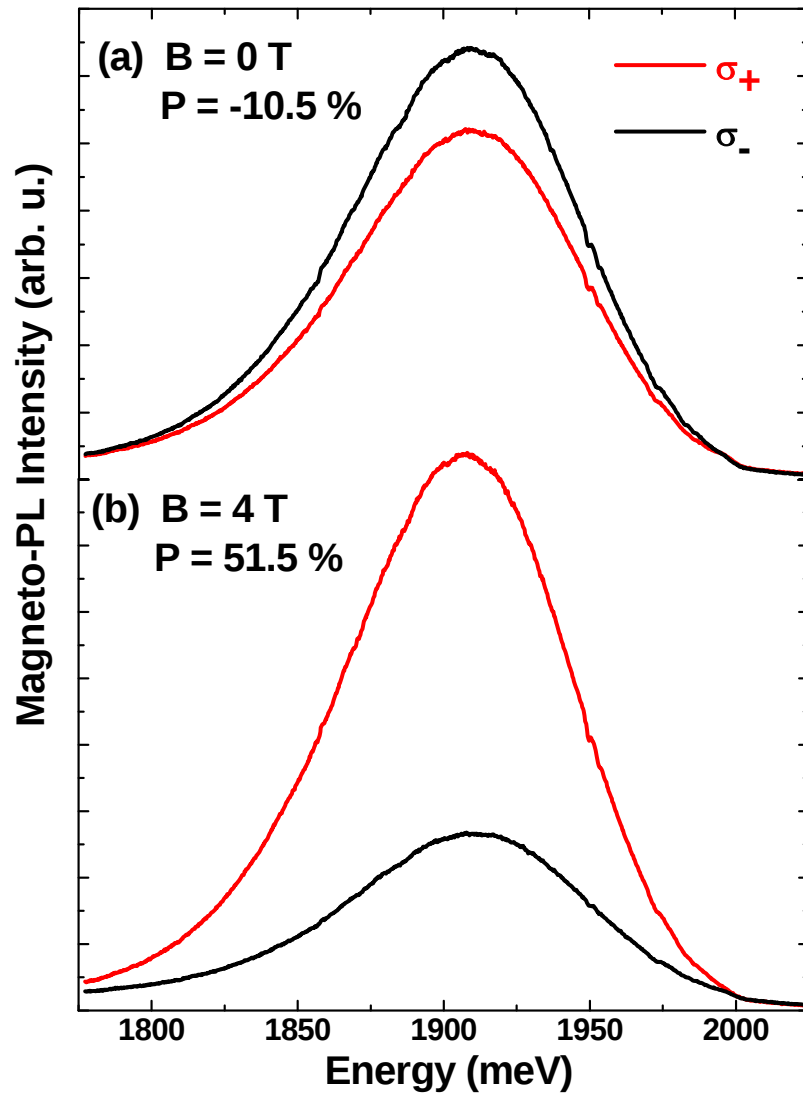


Small thermal energy to
randomize spin orientation

non-zero polarisation at B=0

Polarization at B = 0





Non-zero polarization was also observed in ZnTe/ZnSe QDs