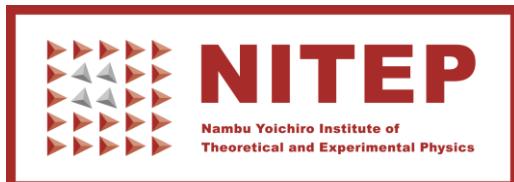


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Ultracold AMO experiment for quantum few-body and many-body Atomic, Molecular, and Optical

Osaka City University, NITEP

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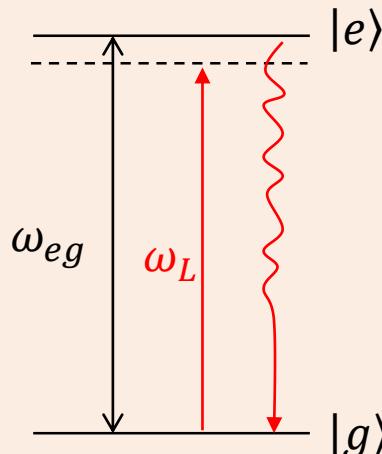
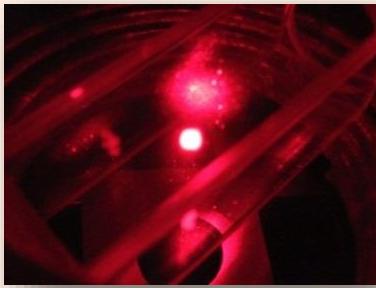
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Ultracold AMO Physics has developed quantum physics

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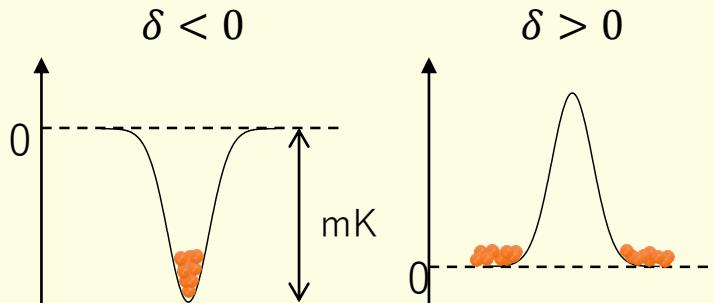
Laser cooling of atoms



Absorption and Emission

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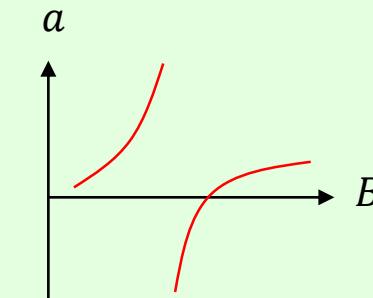
Optical potential



Energy shift in the light

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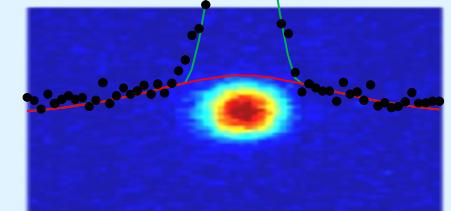
Feshbach resonance



Coupling between molecular potentials

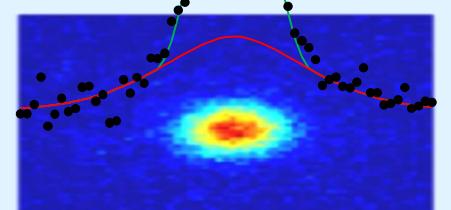
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Fermi Superfluid

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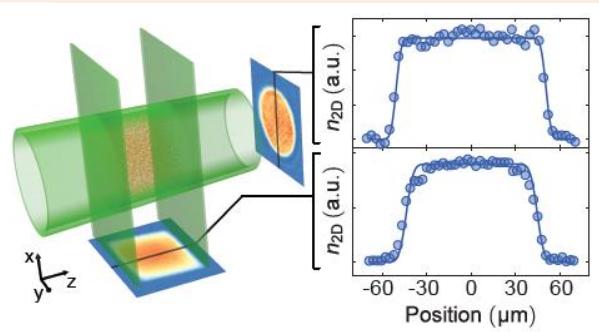
Molecular Bose-Einstein Condensate

Recent Ultracold AMO Physics

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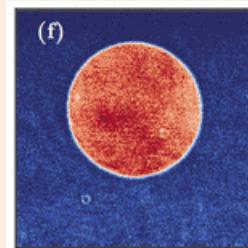
Various trap configurations

3D box potential



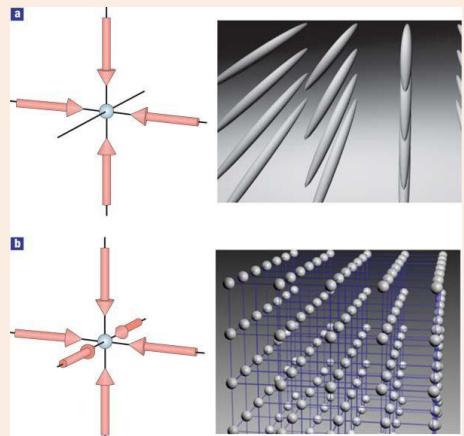
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2 D sheet potential



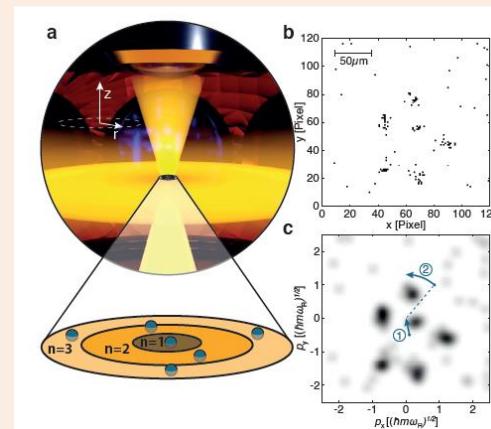
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Periodic potential



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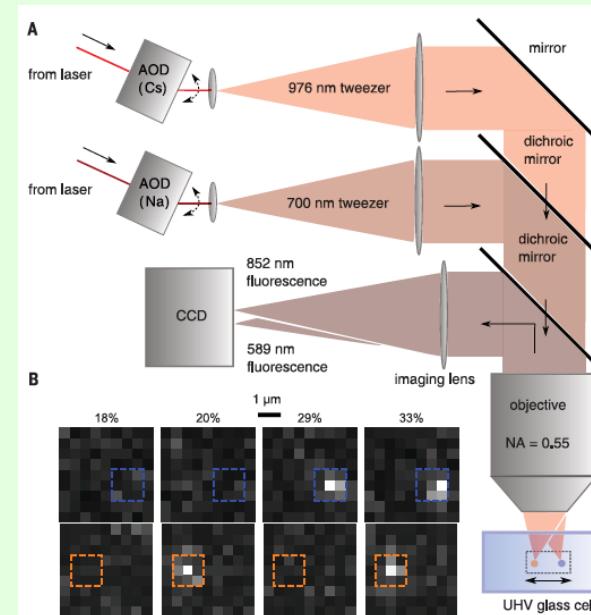
2D shell structure



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Optical tweezer

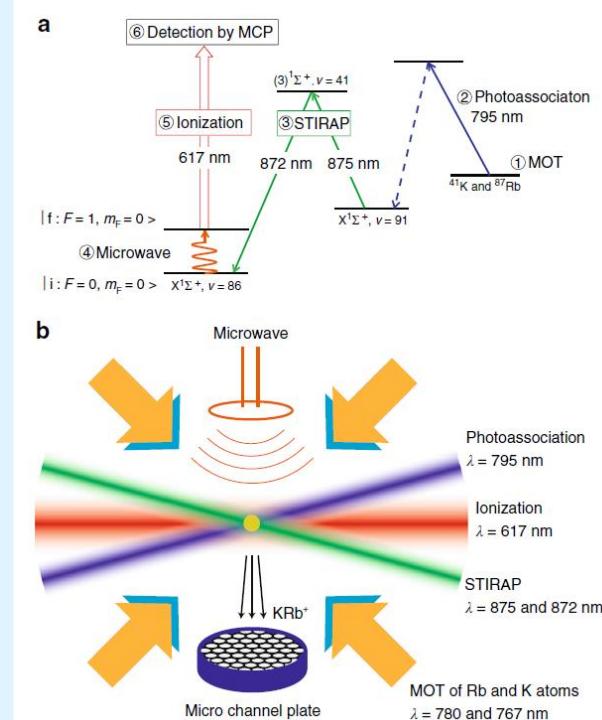


Chemical reaction

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Coherent transfer and precision measurement



Electron-to-proton mass ratio

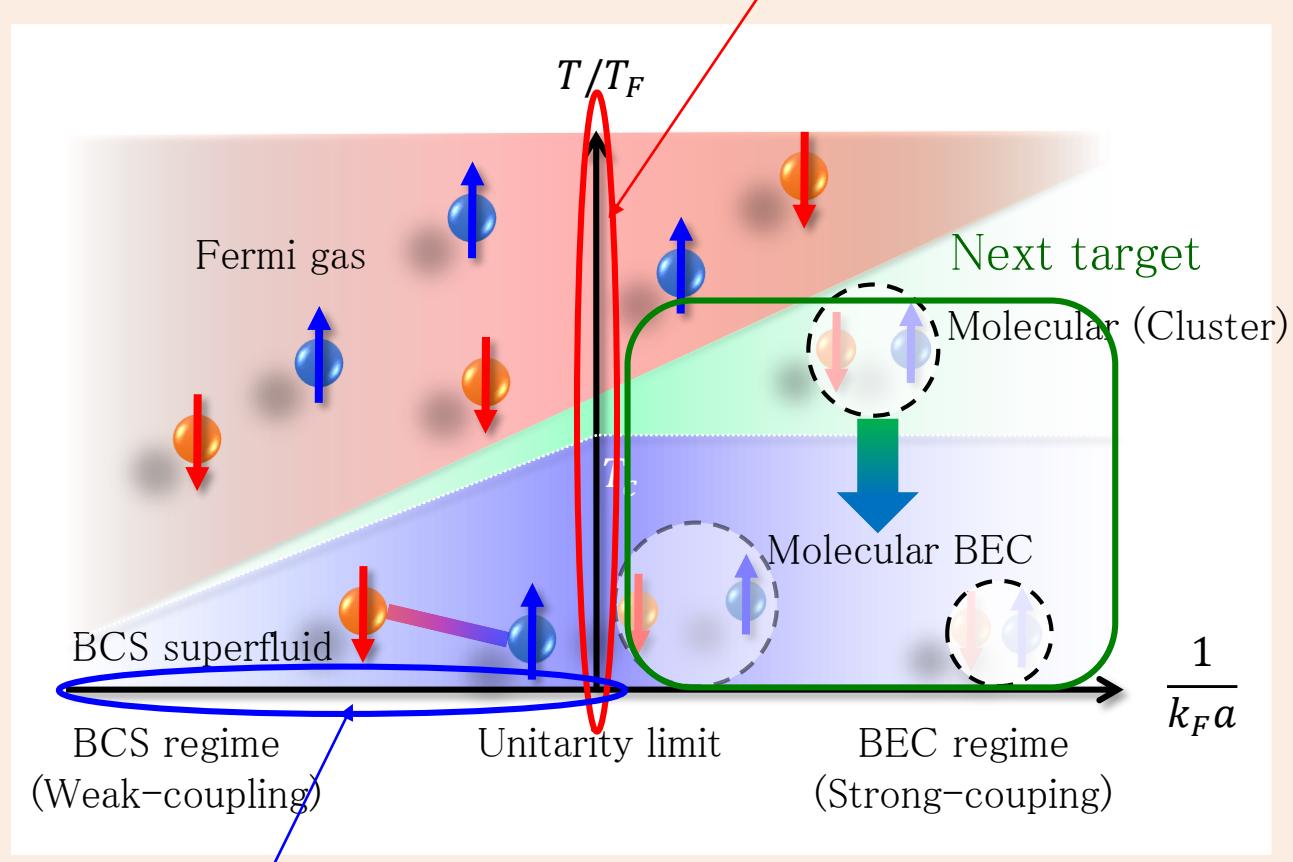
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Our interest in Ultracold AMO Physics

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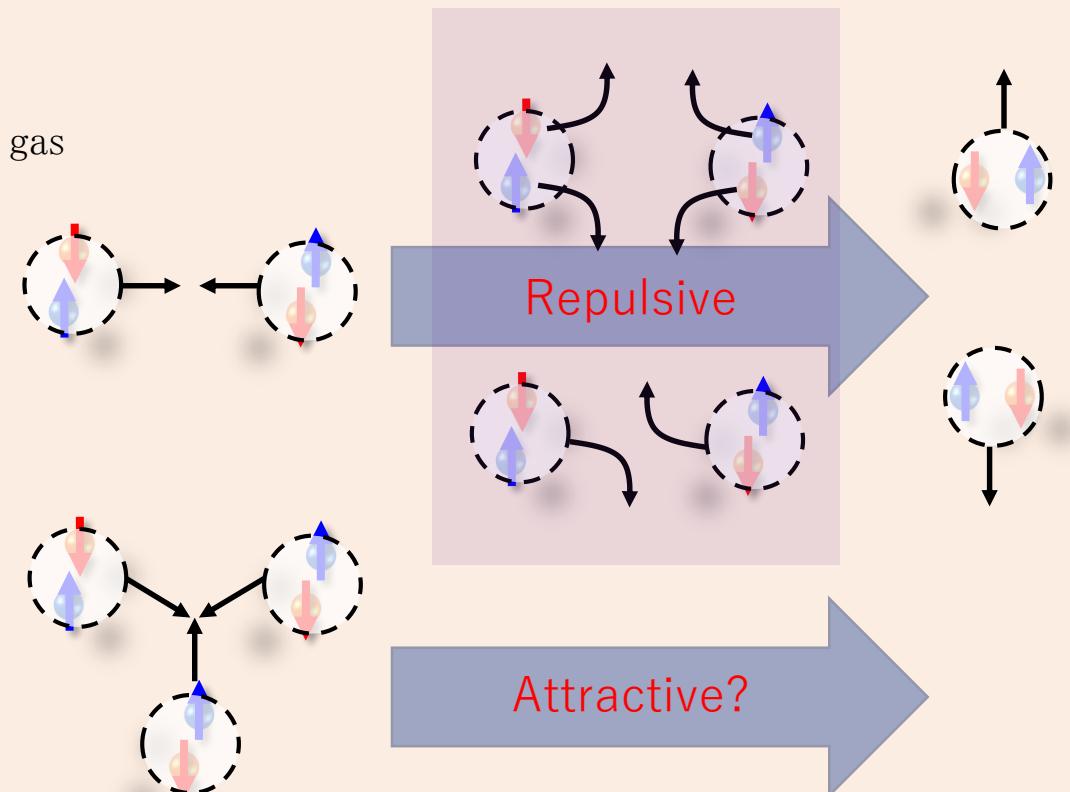
Phase diagram of spin-1/2 fermions

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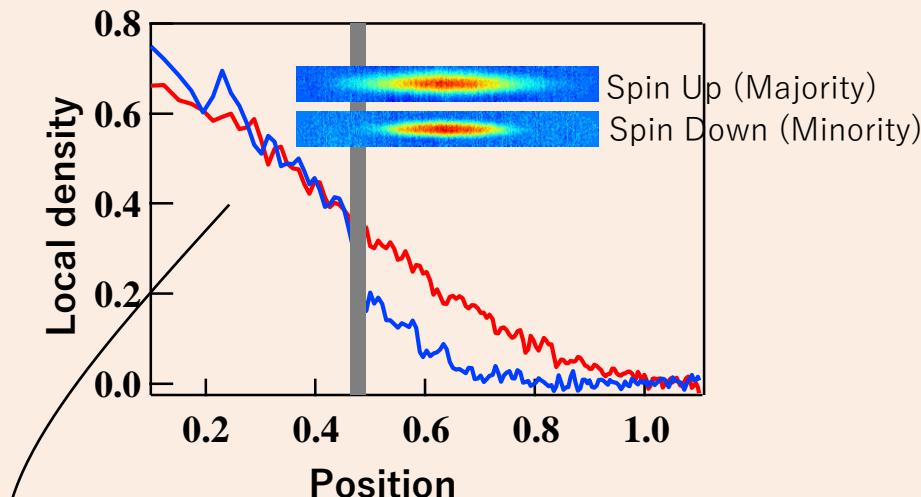
- How physical properties of the many-body system change depending on the size of molecule?
- What is the interactions between clusters?



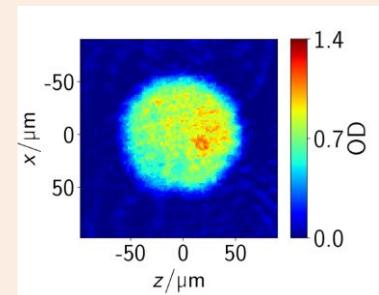
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Spin-imbalanced fermions in a **harmonic** potential



Rb BEC in a 2D box potential @ OCU



Spin-imbalanced fermions
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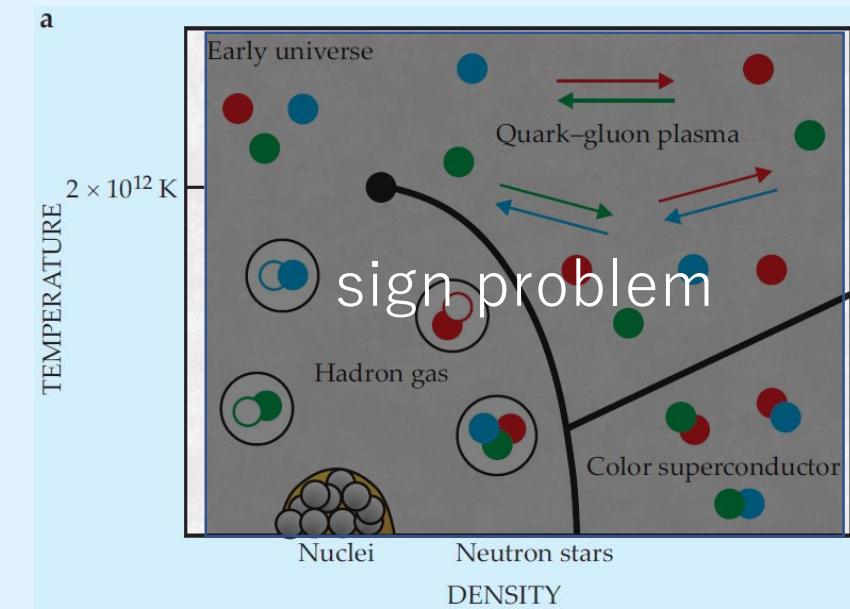
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Quantum simulation

Fermi system with a negative sign problem
for Quantum Monte Carlo Calculation



Development of improved algorithm
(complex Langevin method)



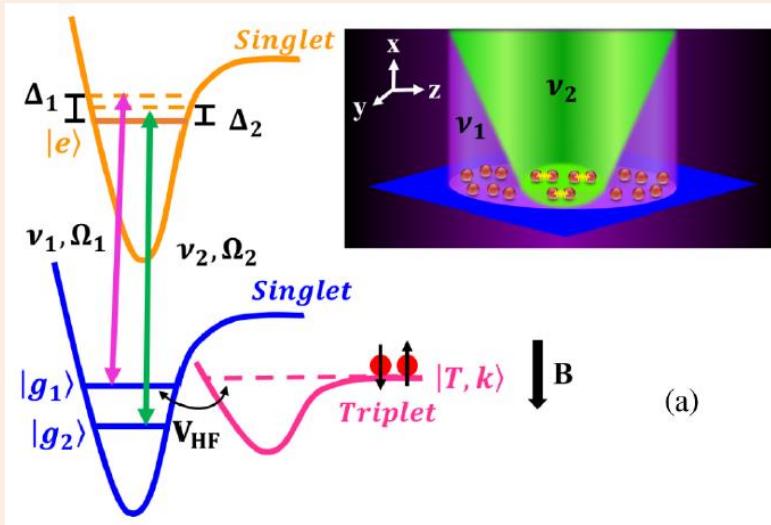
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Optical upgrade of magnetic Feshbach resonance

Independent tuning of scattering length and effective range

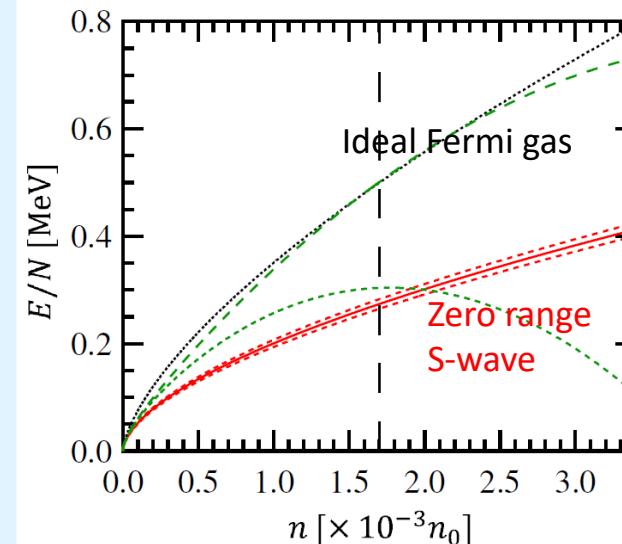


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Quantum simulation

Neutron matter EOS

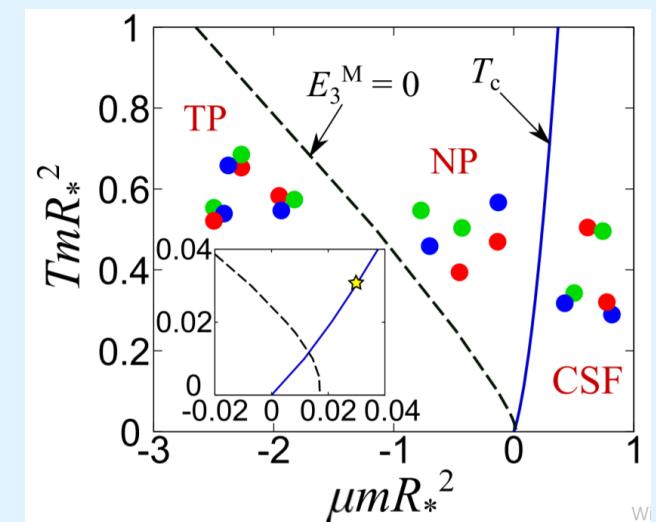
Internal energy per neutron



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Three-component fermi system

Phase diagram under $1/a = 0$



Hiroyuki Tajima and Pascal Naidon,
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Thermal bath

Quantum circuit

Superfluid

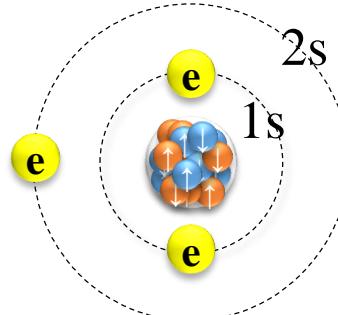


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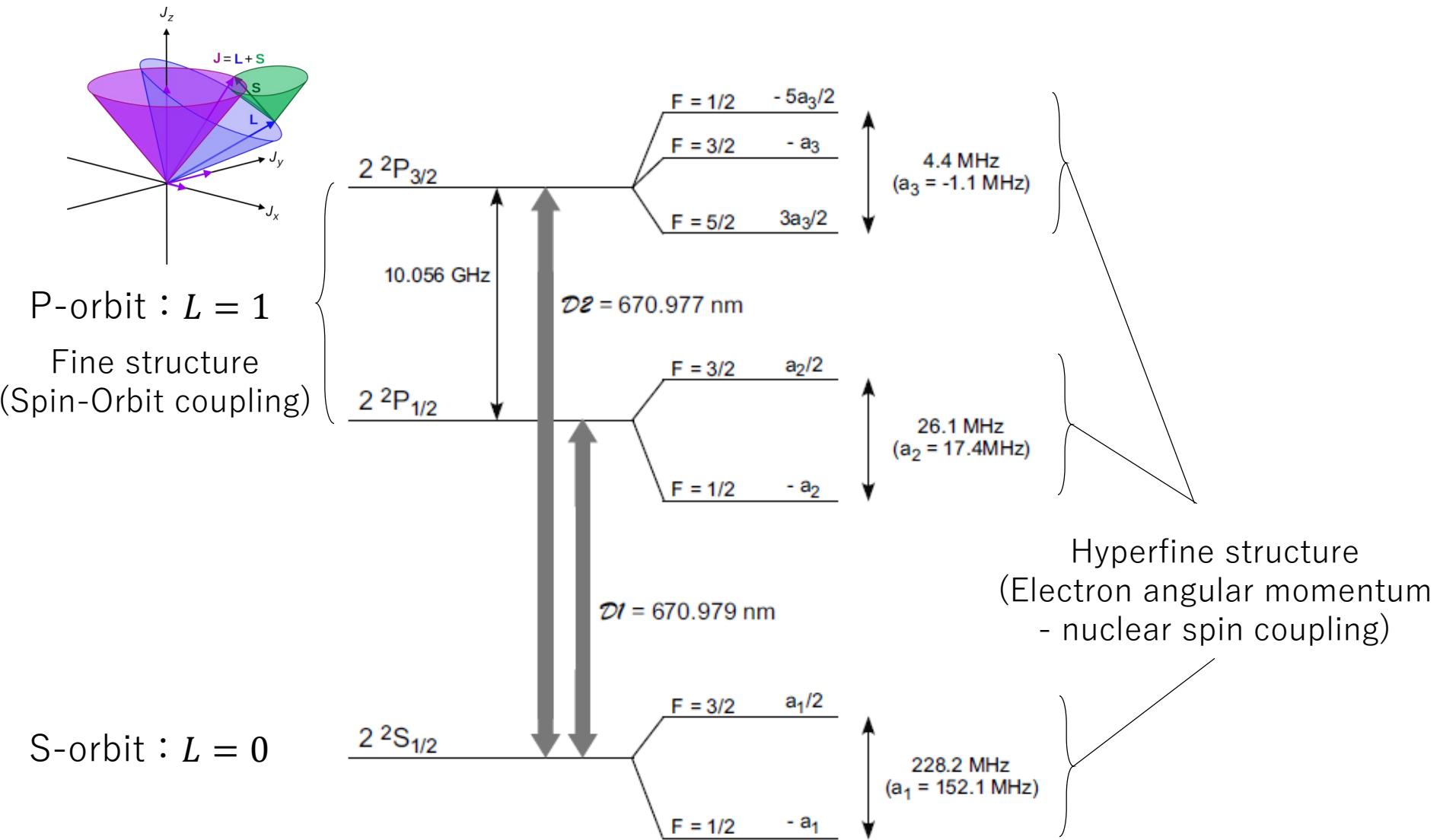
^6Li atoms



Electron spin : $S = 1/2$

Nuclear spin : $I = 1$

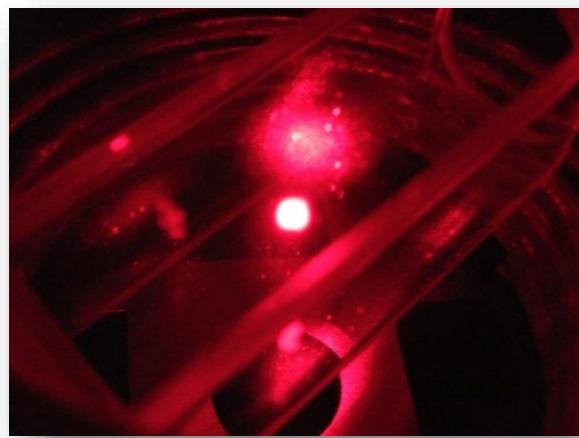
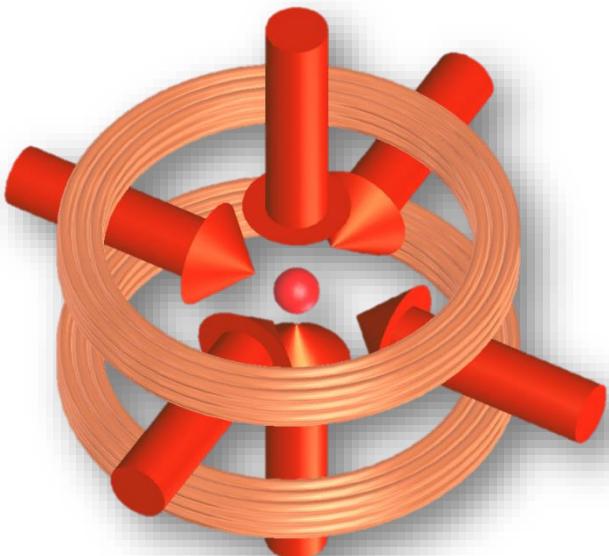
Fermion



Laser cooling of ${}^6\text{Li}$ atom

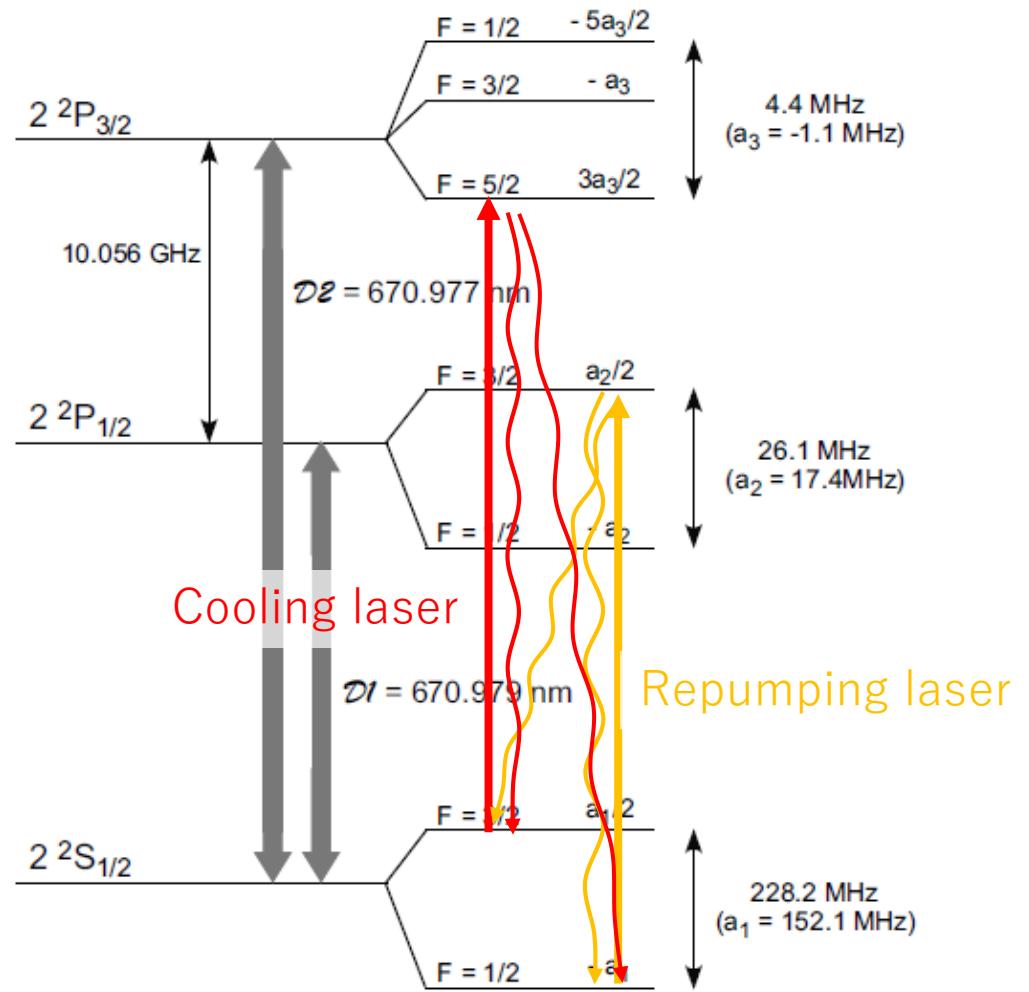
Magneto-optical trapping

Velocity and position dependent force given by momentum of photons
Doppler effect + Zeeman effect

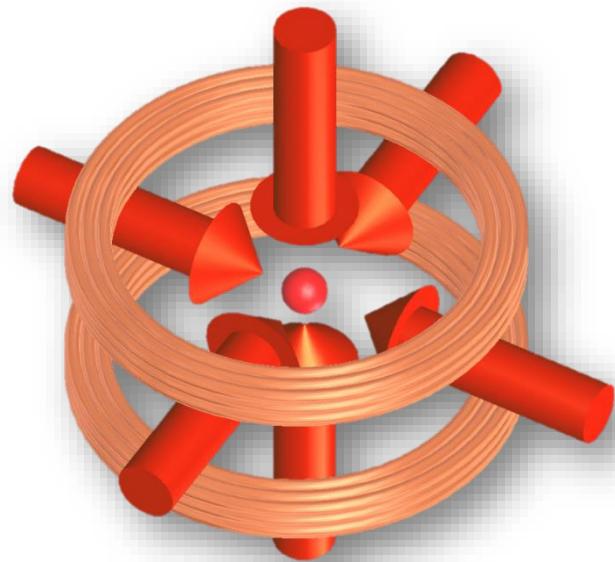


$N \sim 10^8, T \sim 1\text{mK}$

Cooling transition lines



Realization of ultracold atomic gas

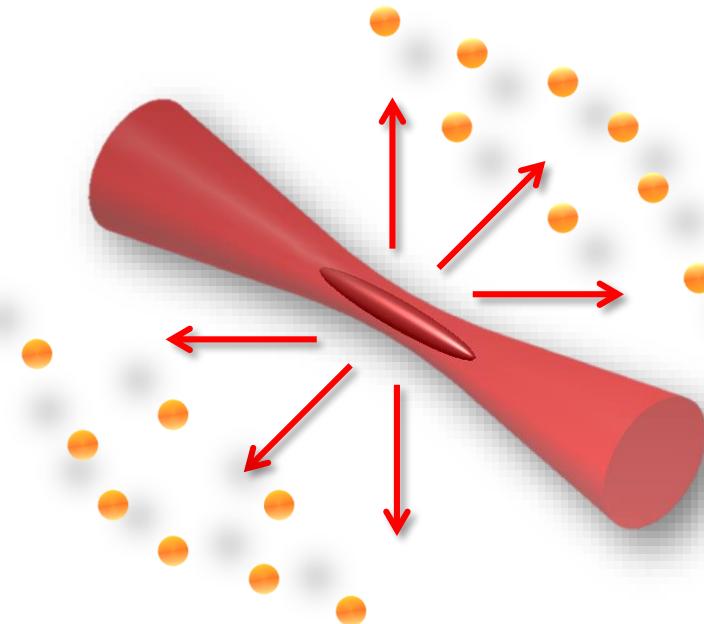


Trap cold atoms in an optical trap



Evaporative cooling

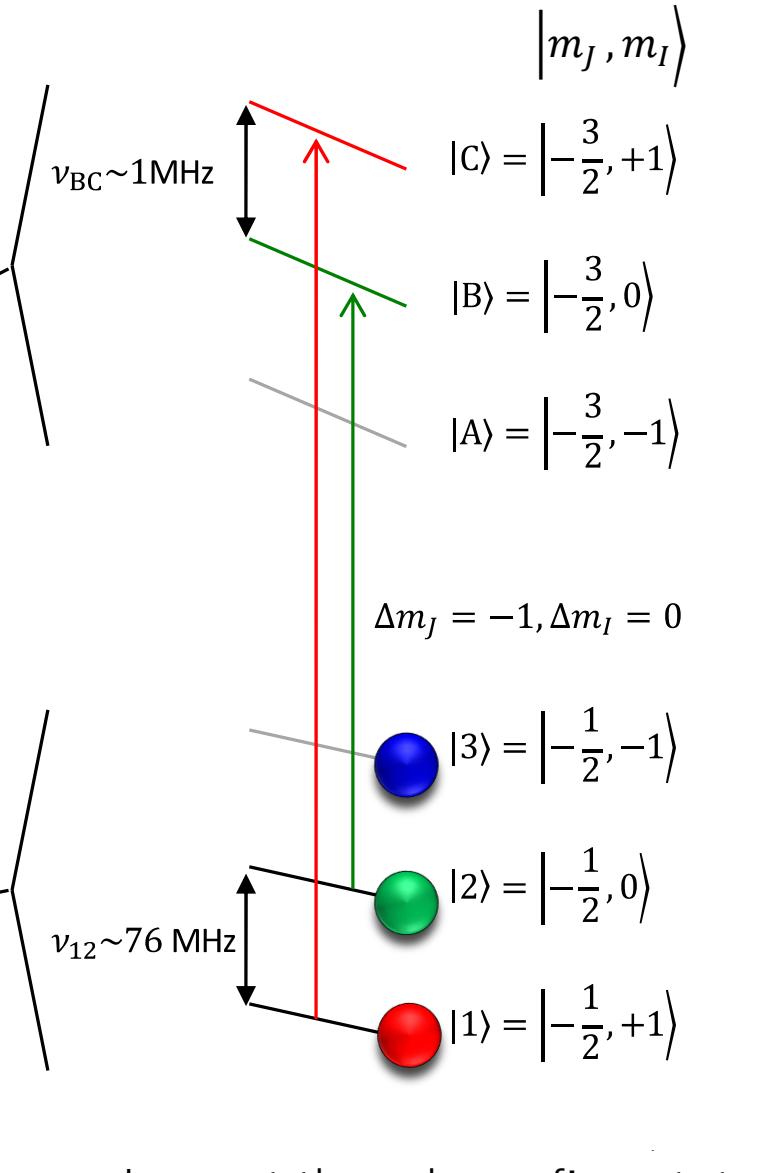
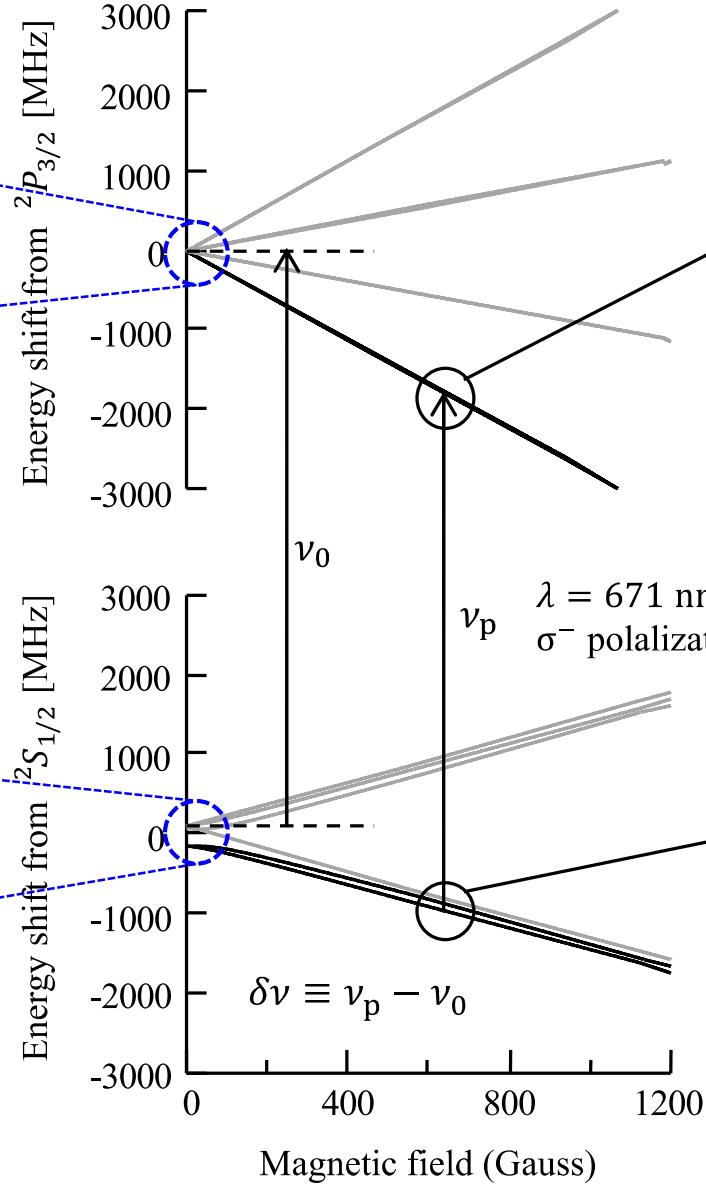
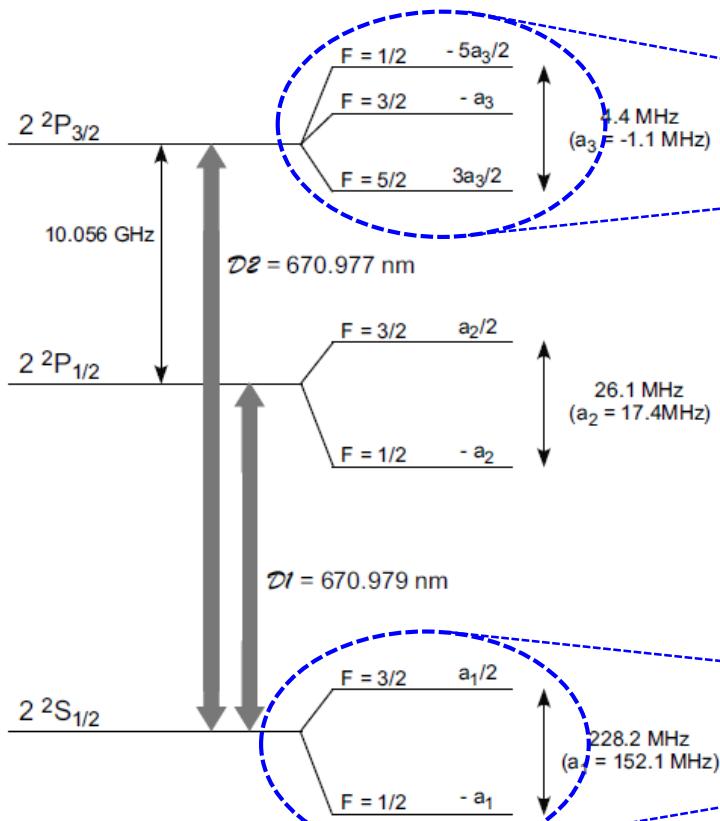
Remove energetic atoms selectivity



$T \sim 100\text{nK}$

Atomic species we have used

^6Li atoms in magnetic field

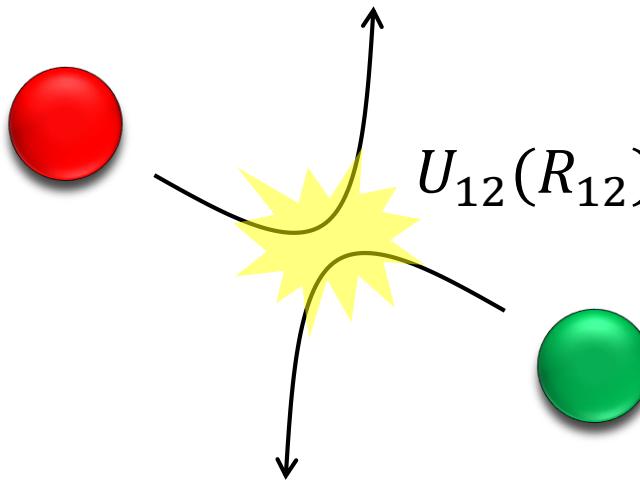


Lowest three hyperfine states

Interacting Fermi system under Ultracold temperature

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$U_{12}(R_{12})$: detail of particles

How can we enjoy universal physics using such atomic interaction !?

Interaction between two Li atoms : molecular potential

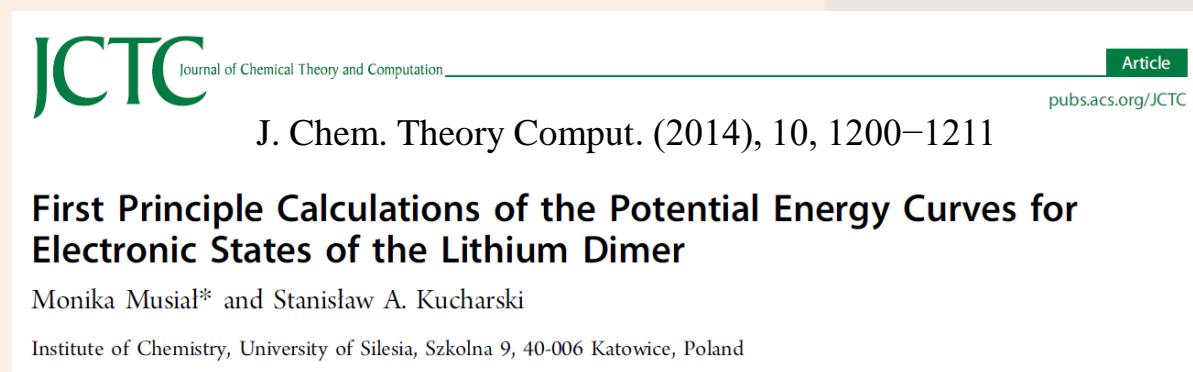
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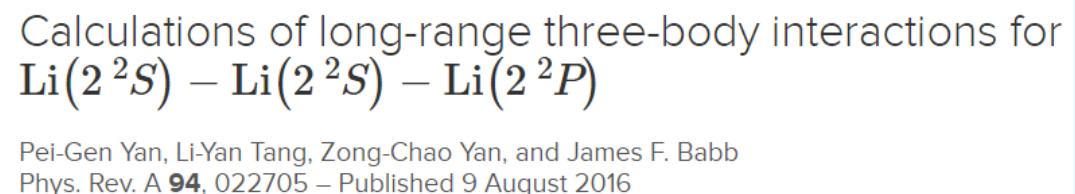
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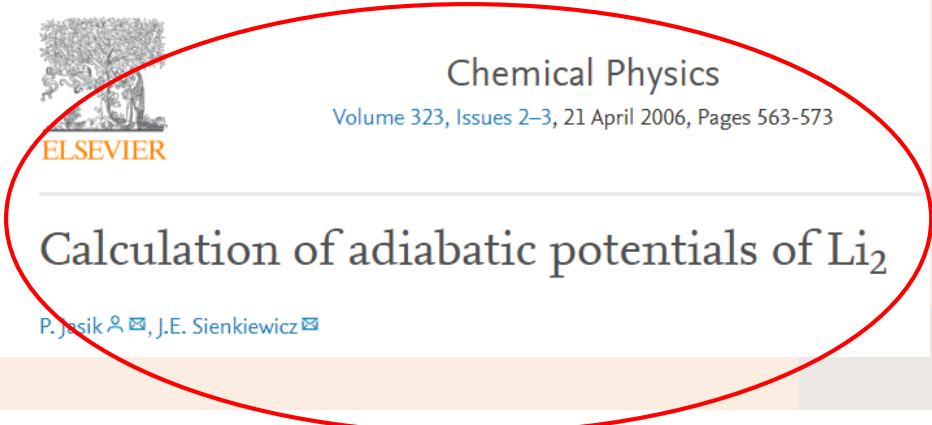
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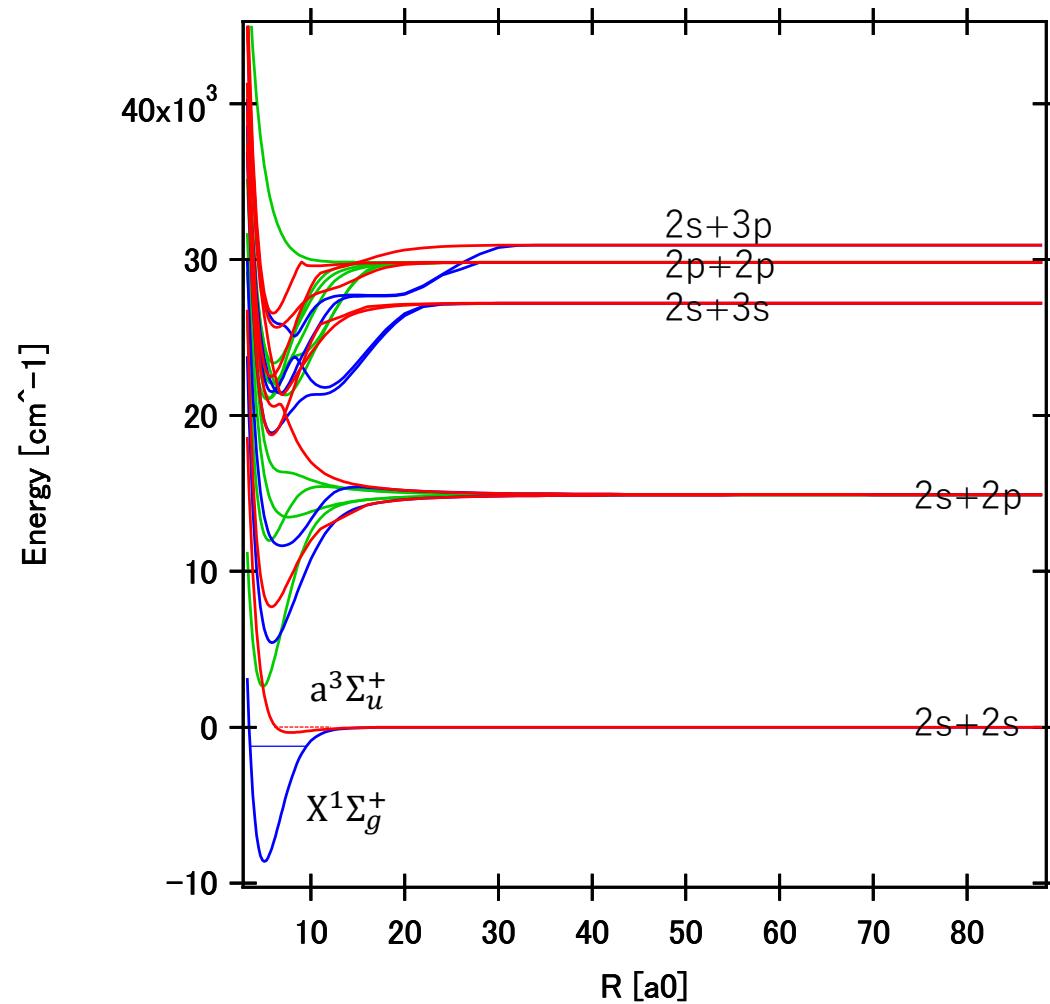
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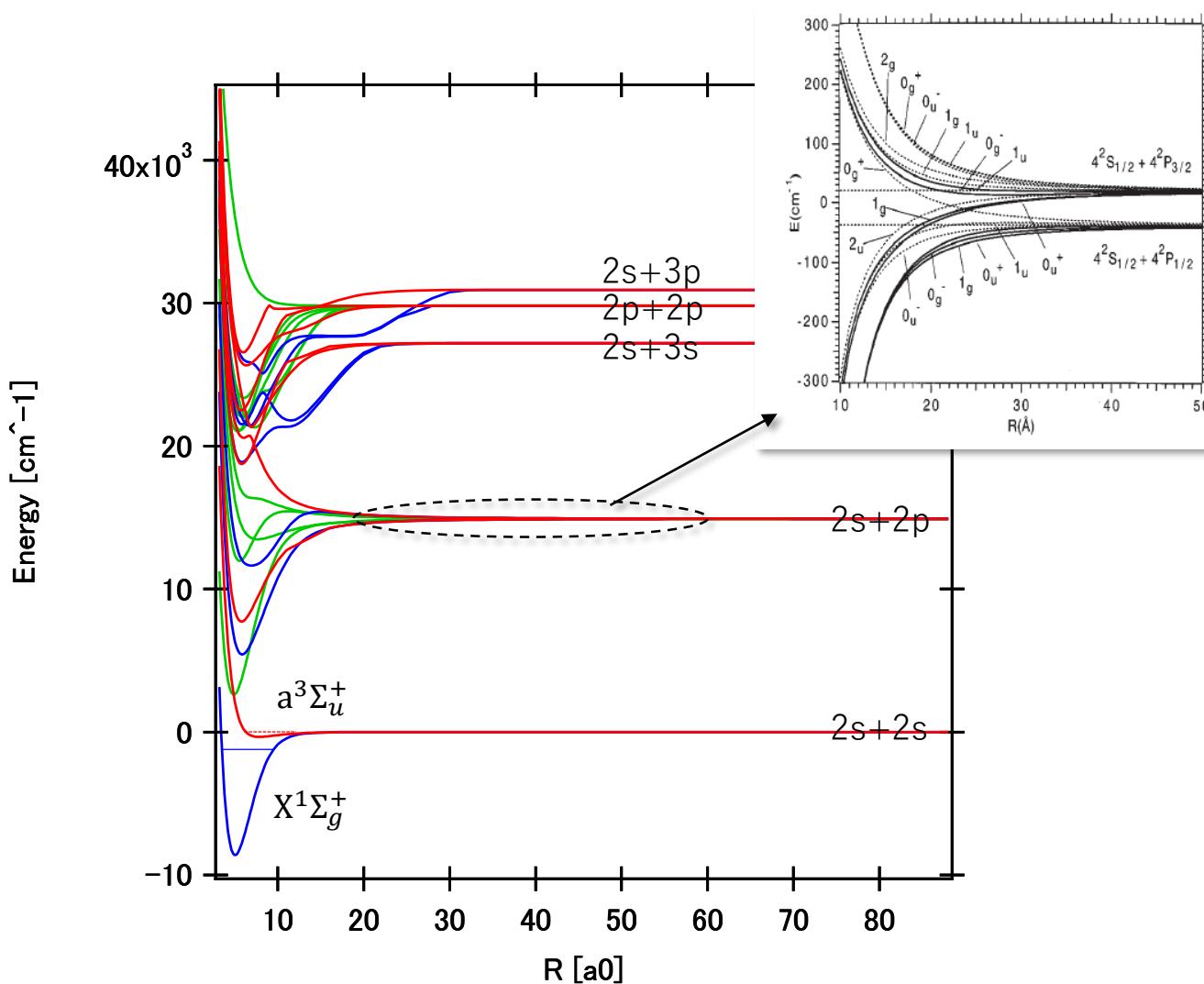
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Li_2 molecular potential without considering atomic fine structure



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Fine structure (It is for K2, not Li_2)

When we include interactions up to **hyperfine interactions**, the interaction potentials become quite complex

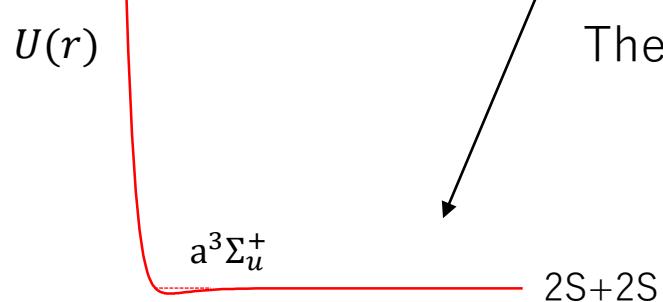
Don't worry !

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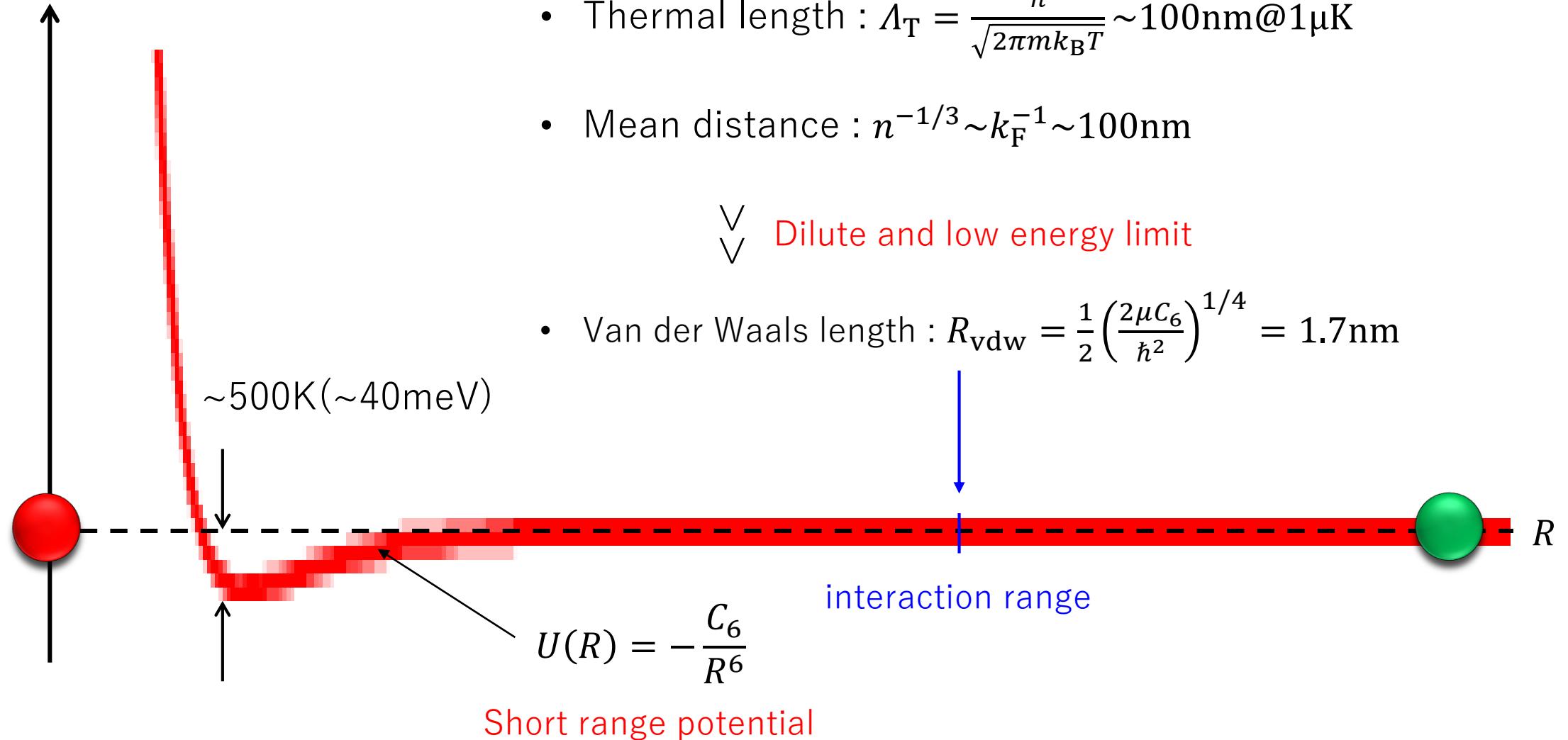
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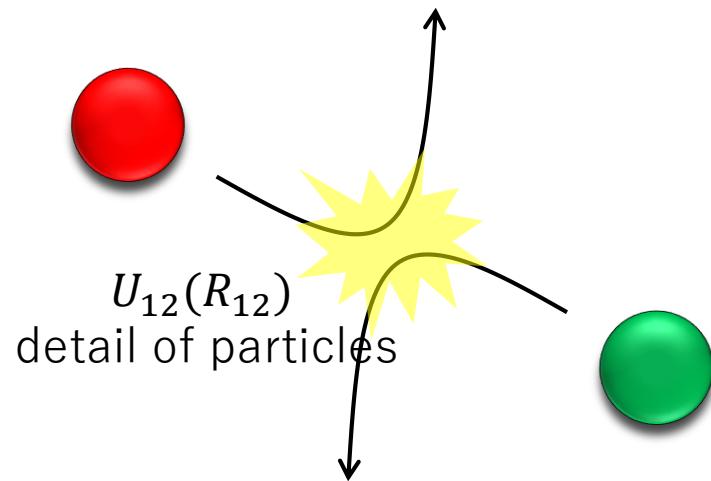
They interact with this triplet potential

Length scales

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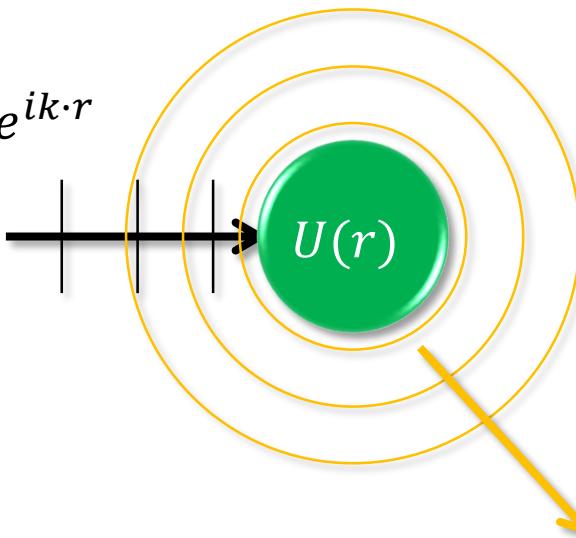


Principle of universal physics



Incident wave : $e^{ik \cdot r}$

- Short-range potential
- Dilute
- Low energy



Origin of universality:

Quantum systems show the exactly same physics when particles have same a, r_e even if they have different $U(r)$

$$\text{Phase shift: } \cot \delta_0 = -\frac{1}{ak} + \frac{1}{2} r_e k$$

Grand-canonical many-body Hamiltonian :

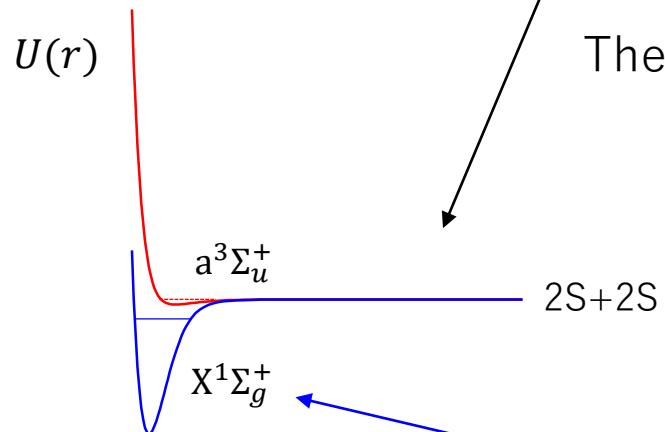
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Feshbach resonance

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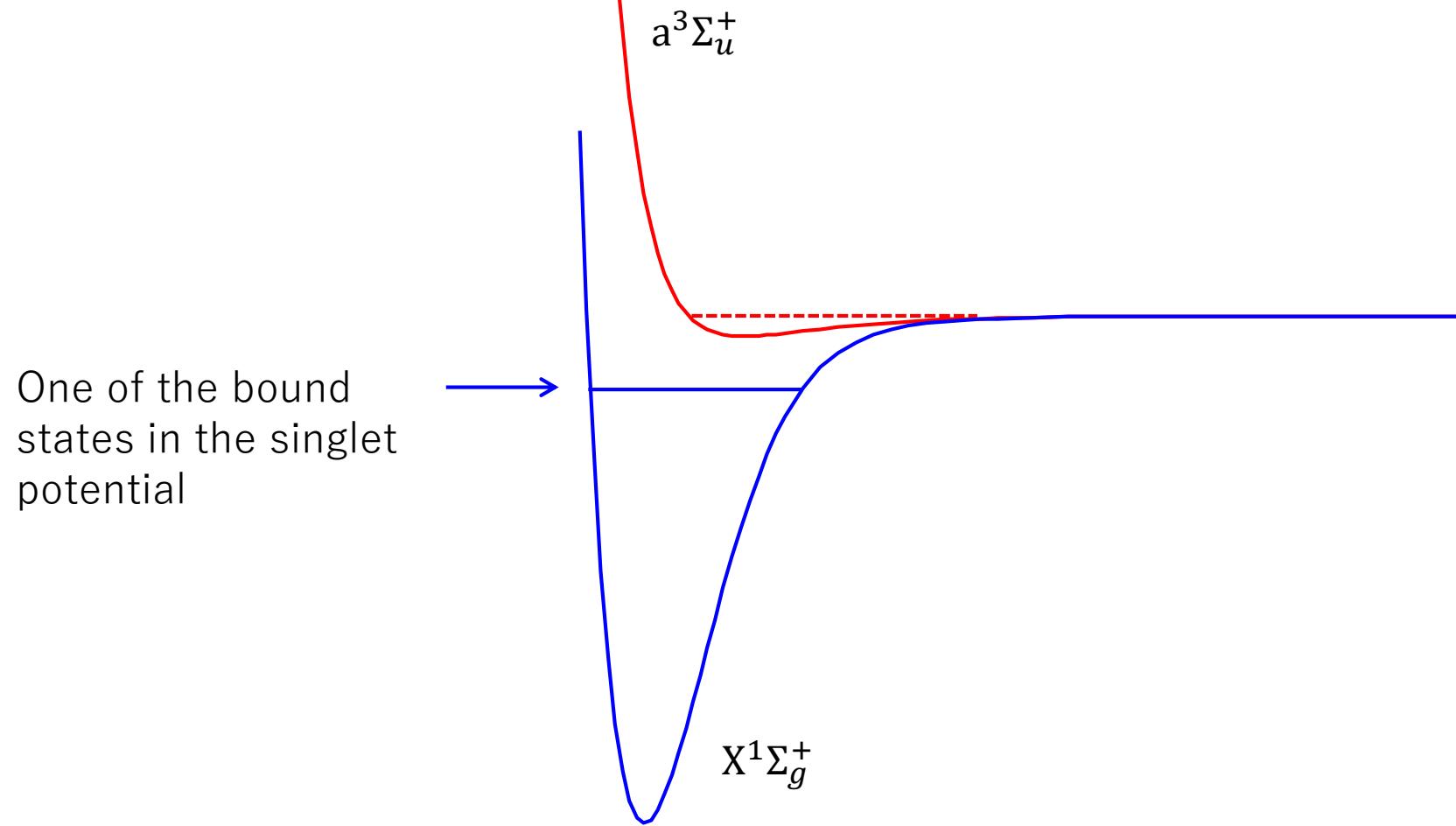
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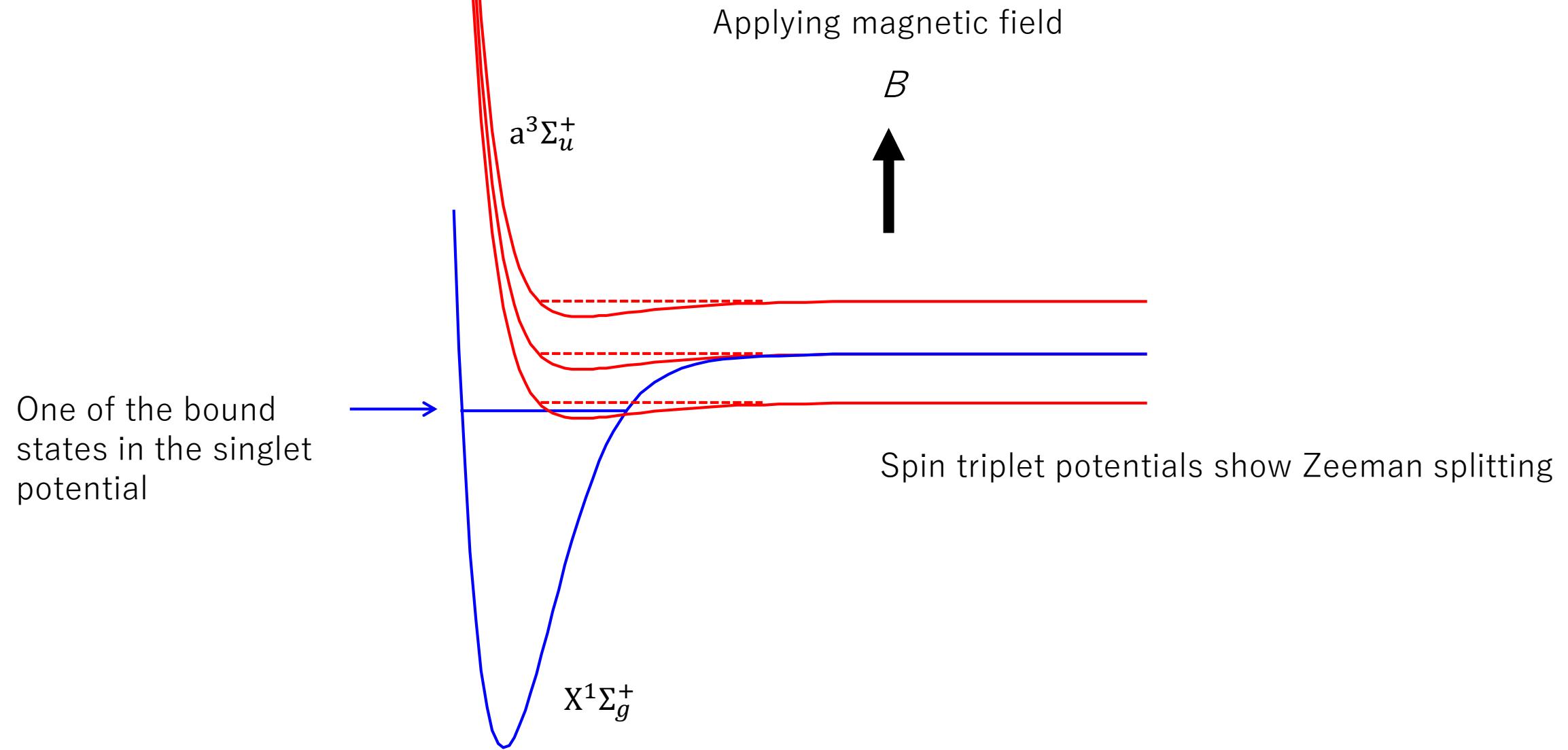
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This spin singlet potential gives dramatic effect

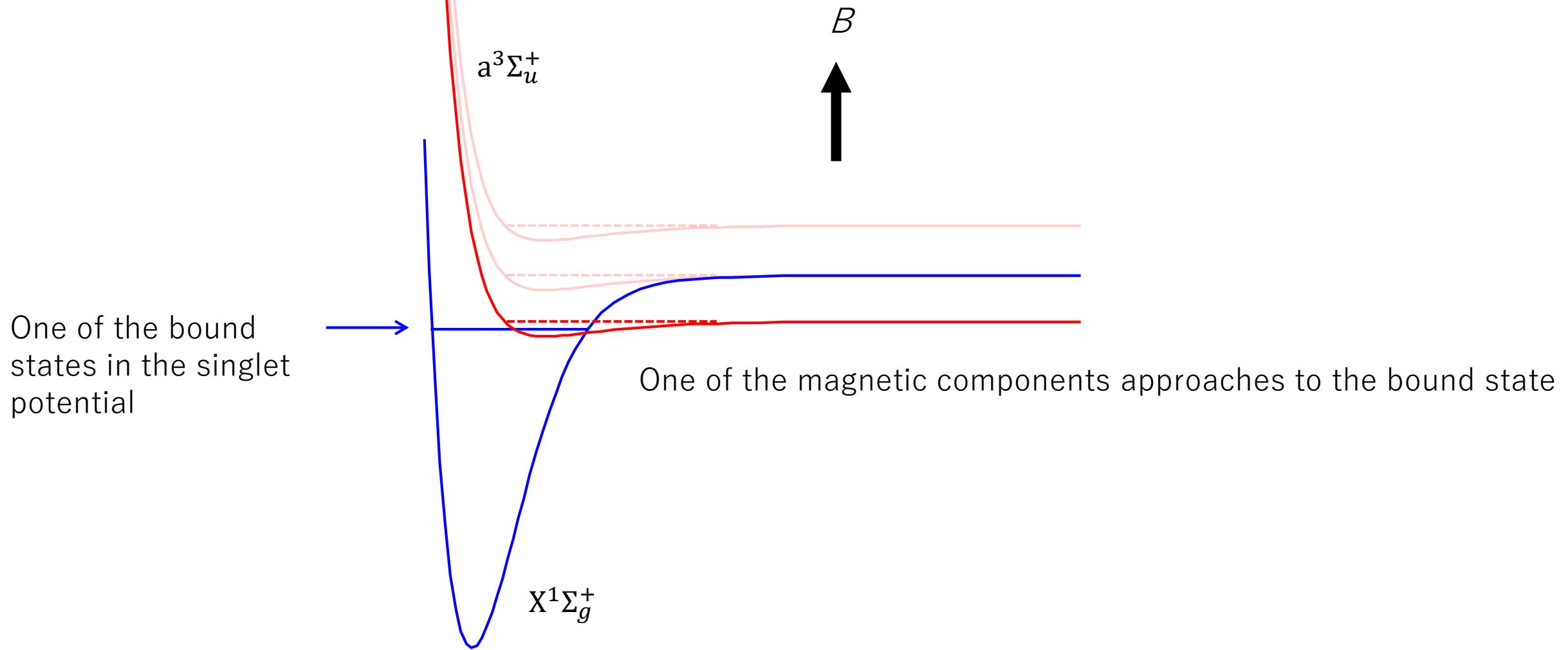
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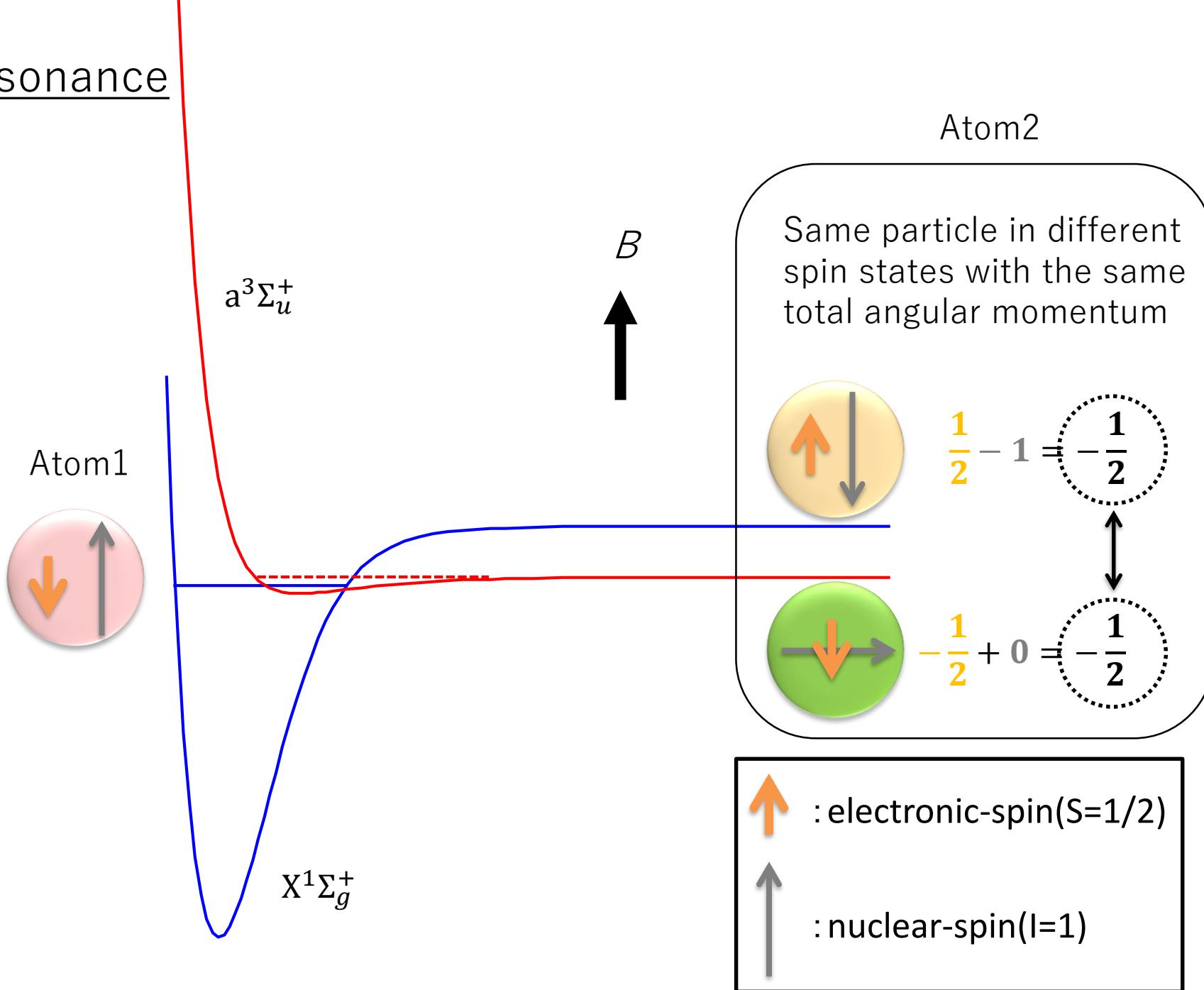
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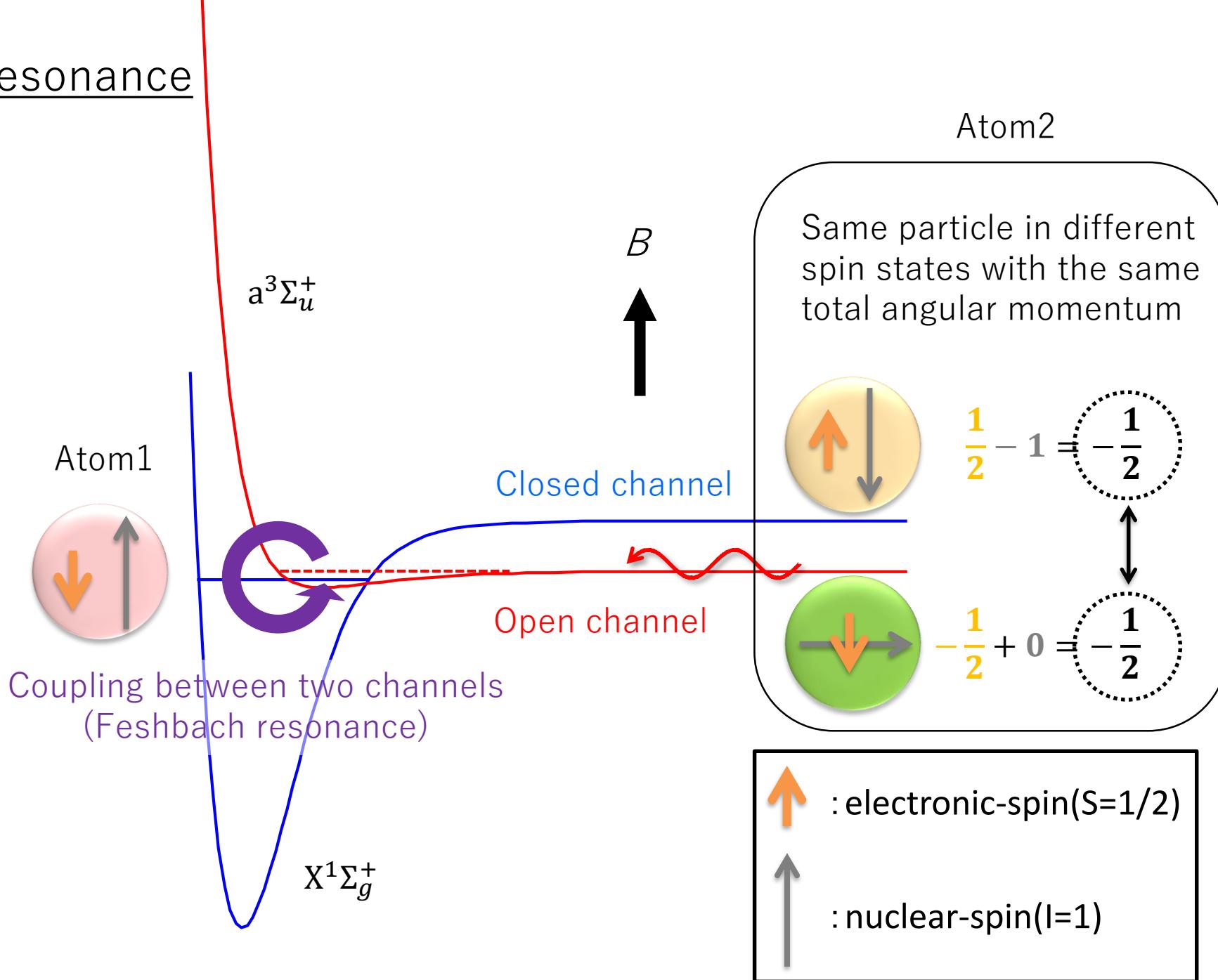
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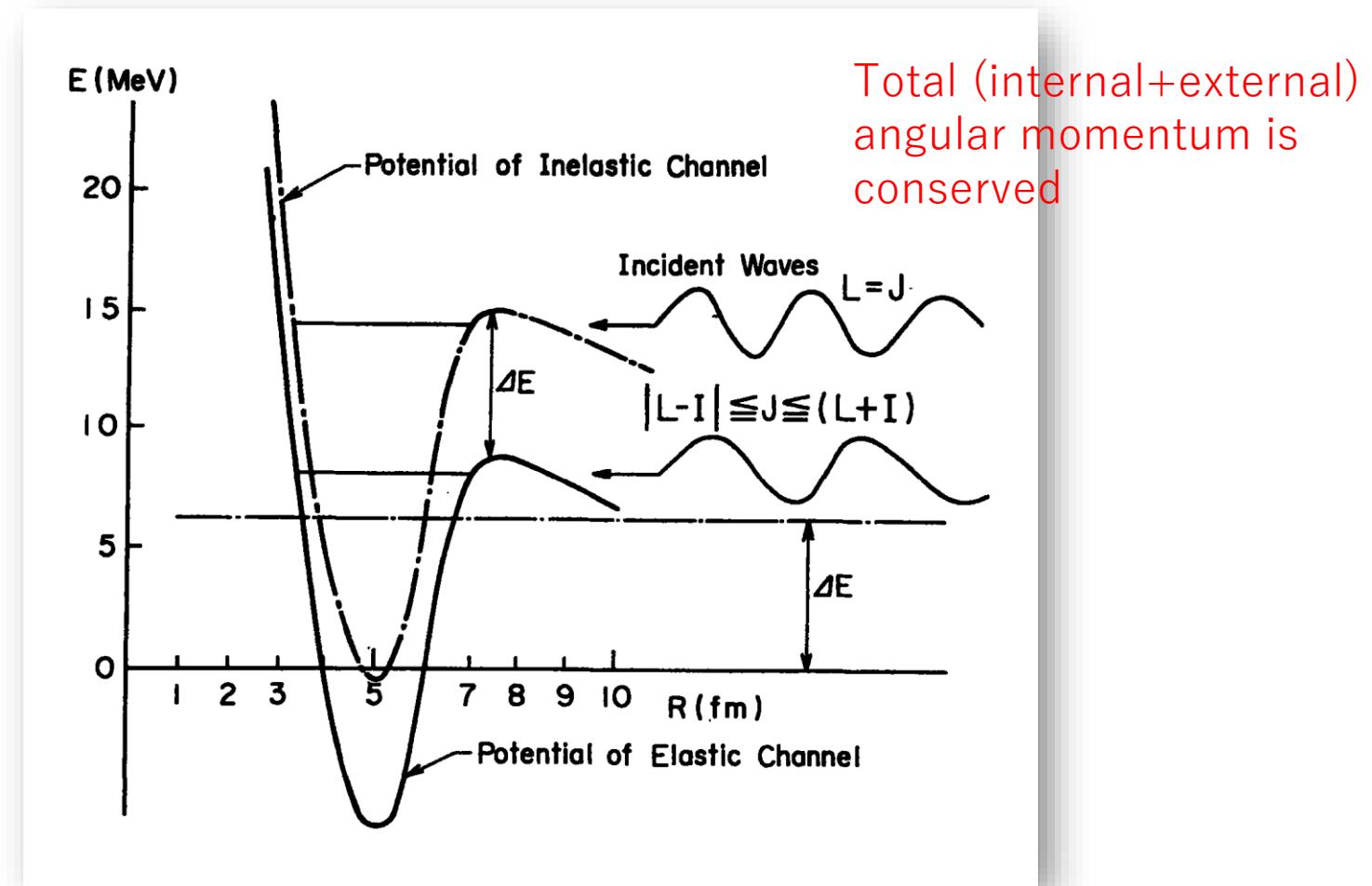
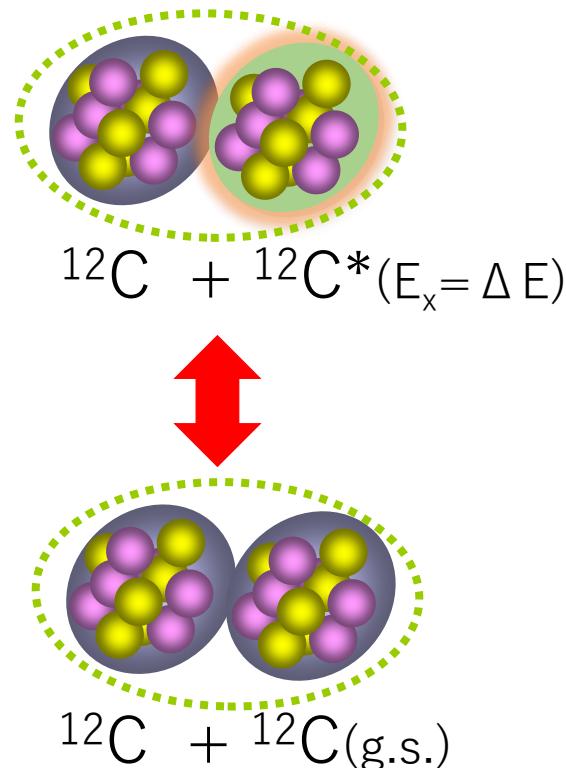


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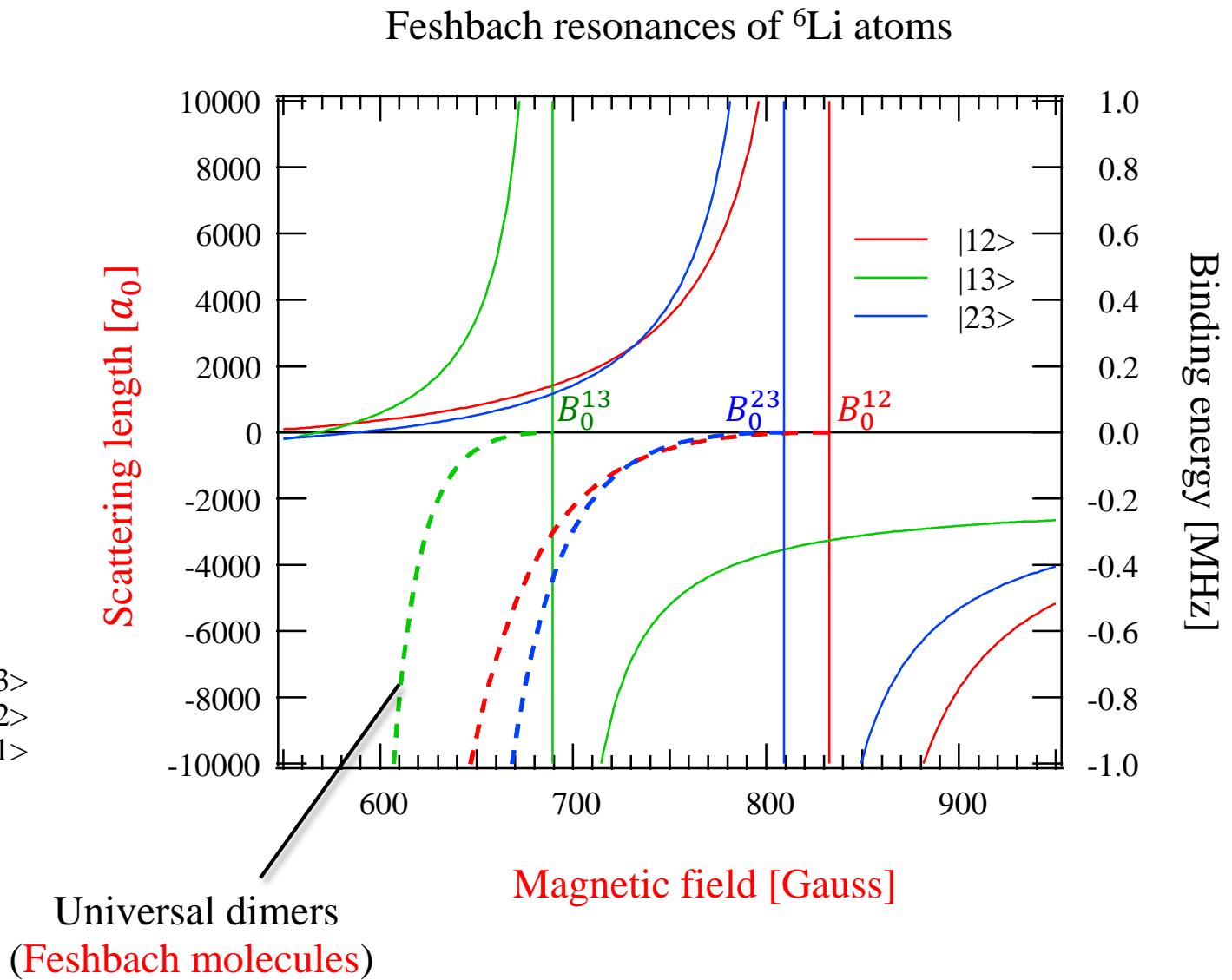
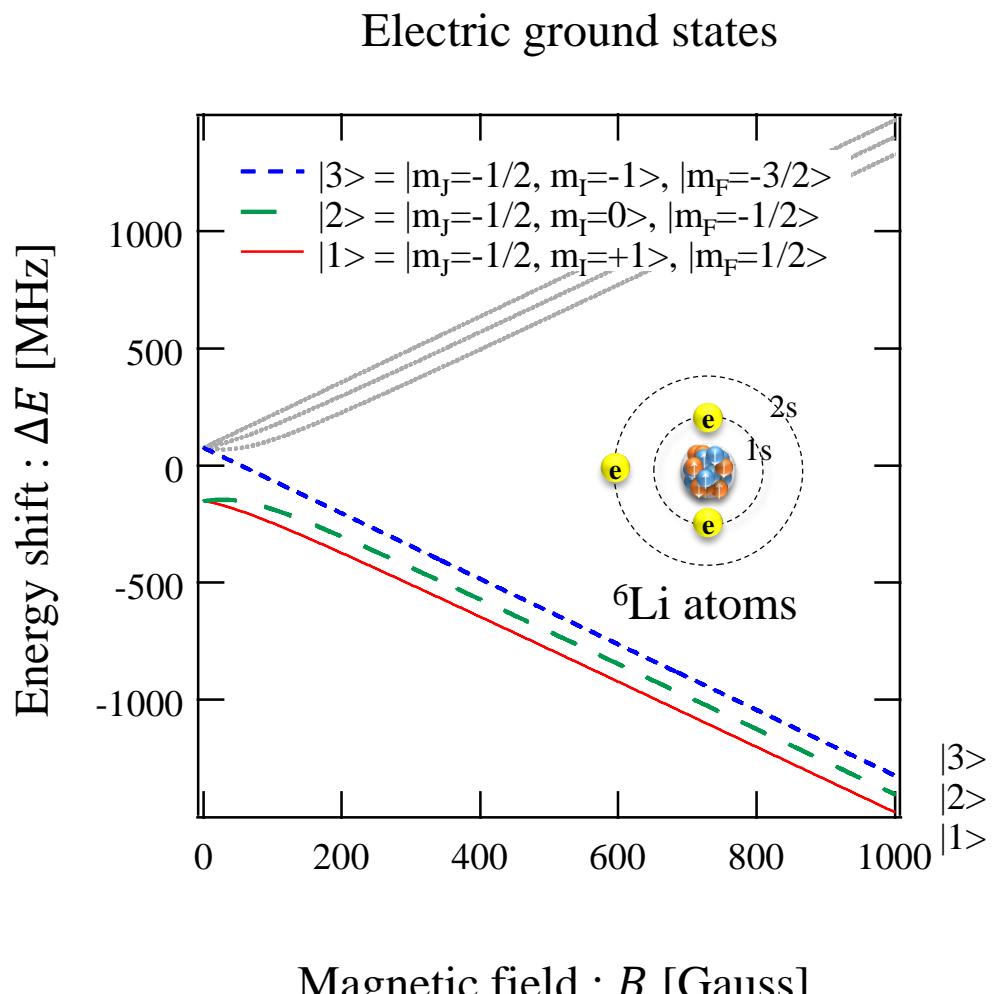
“Feshbach resonance”

Coupling between Internal
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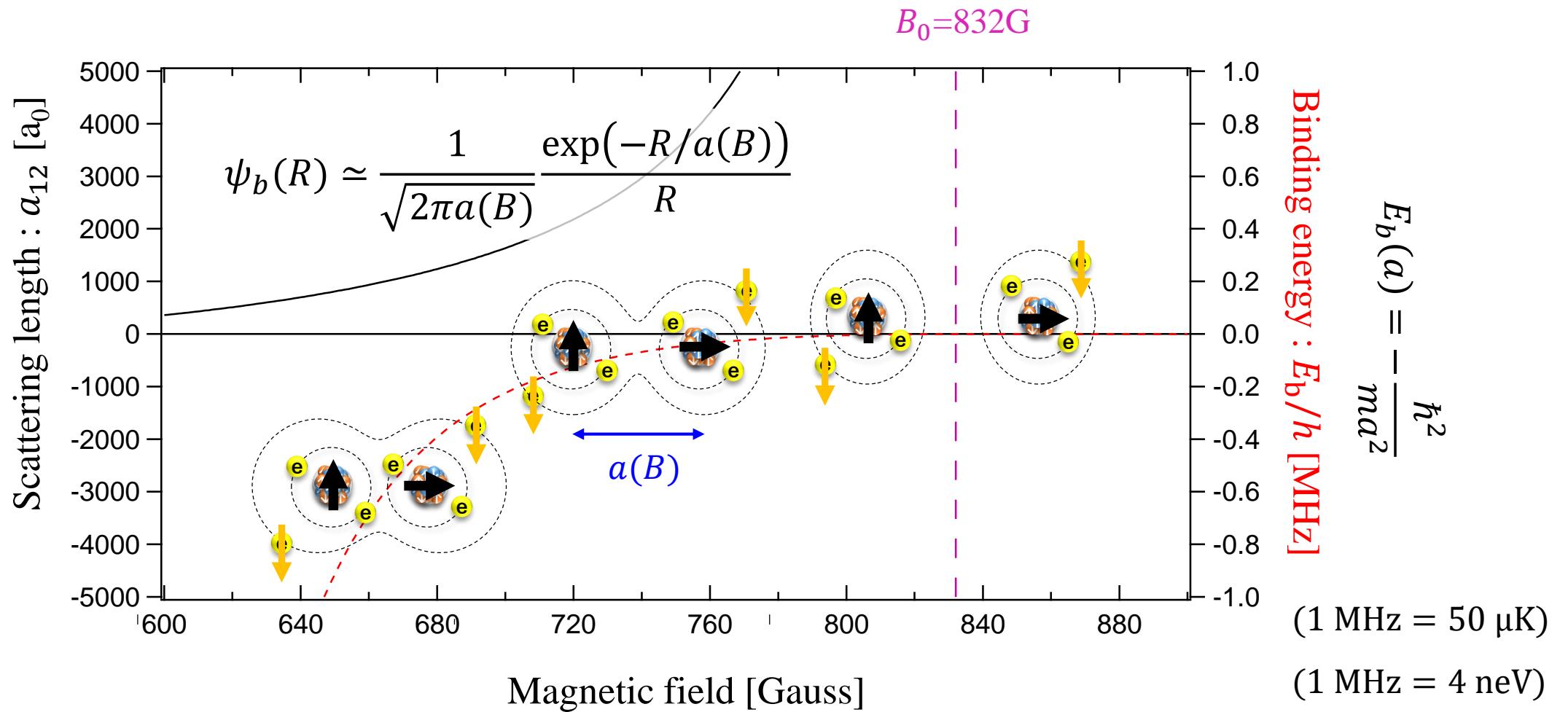


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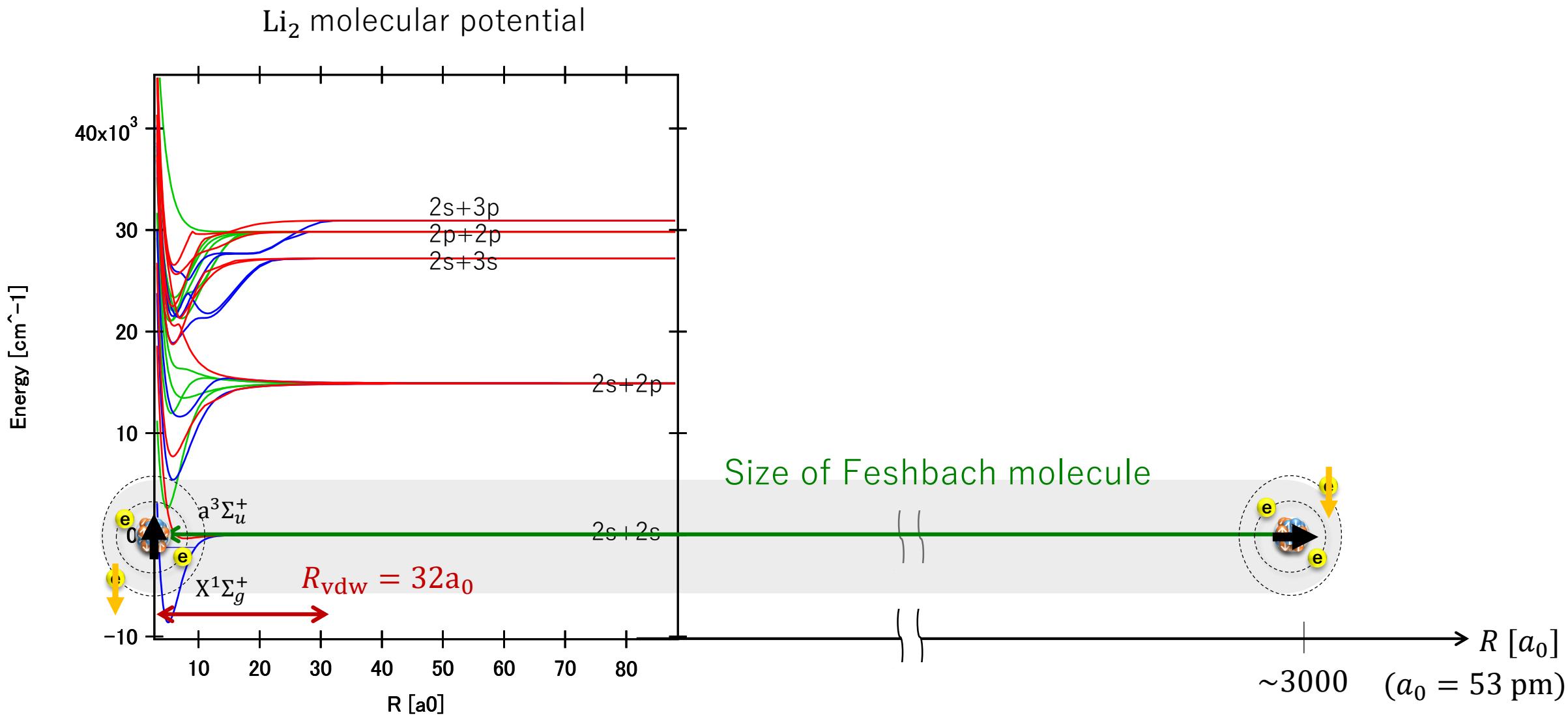
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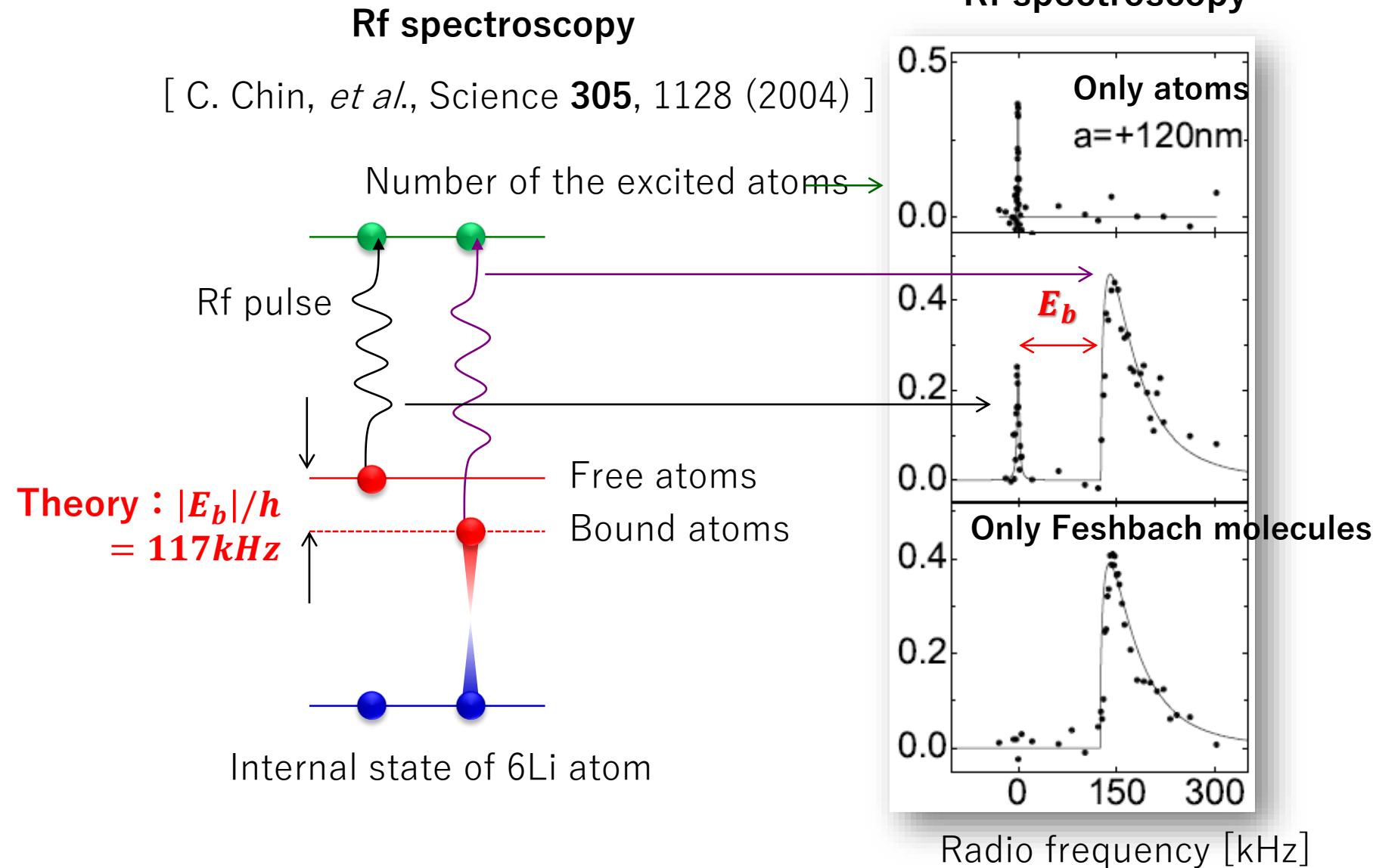
Feshbach resonance between $|1\rangle$ and $|2\rangle$ of ${}^6\text{Li}$ atom



Size of Feshbach molecules are huge

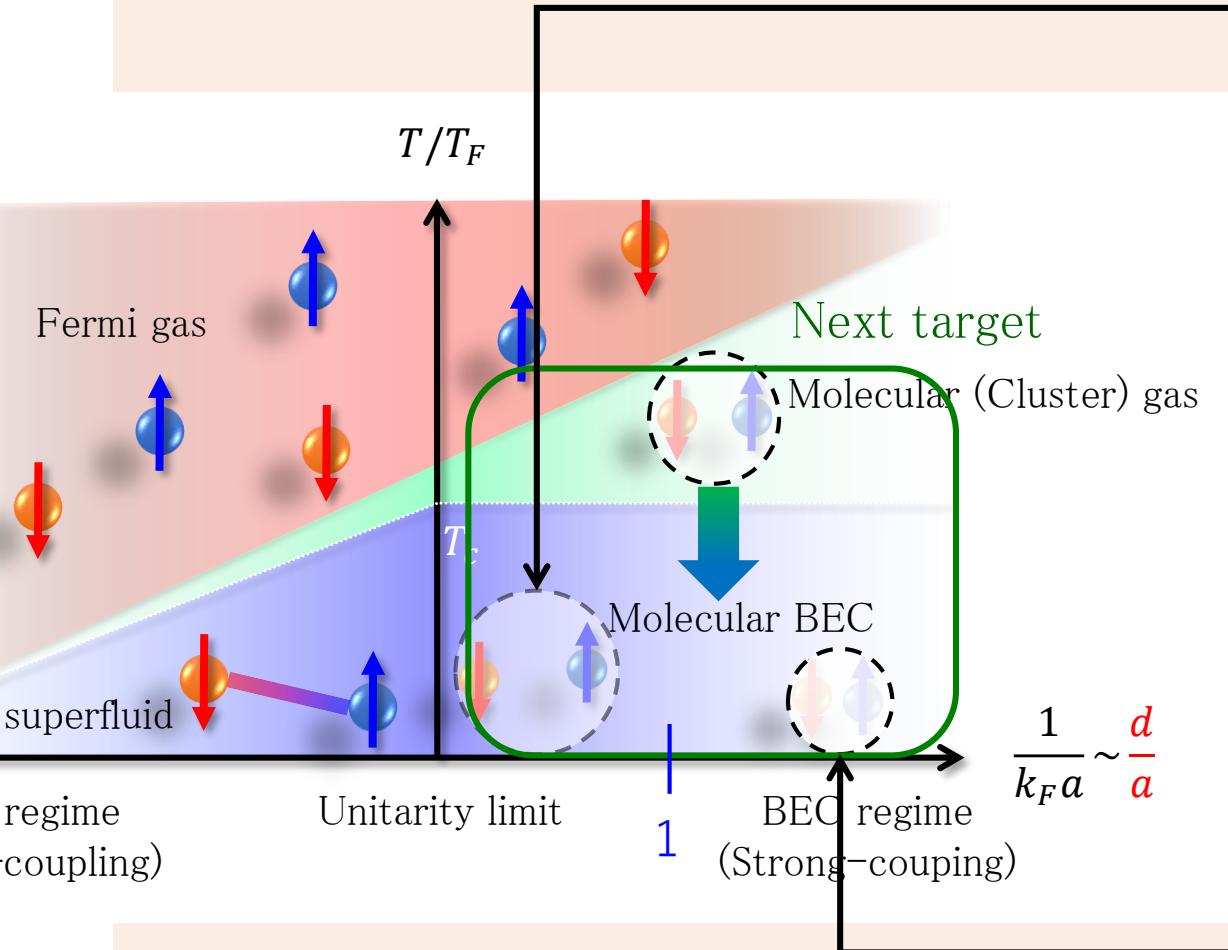


Previous experiment to confirm the Feshbach molecules



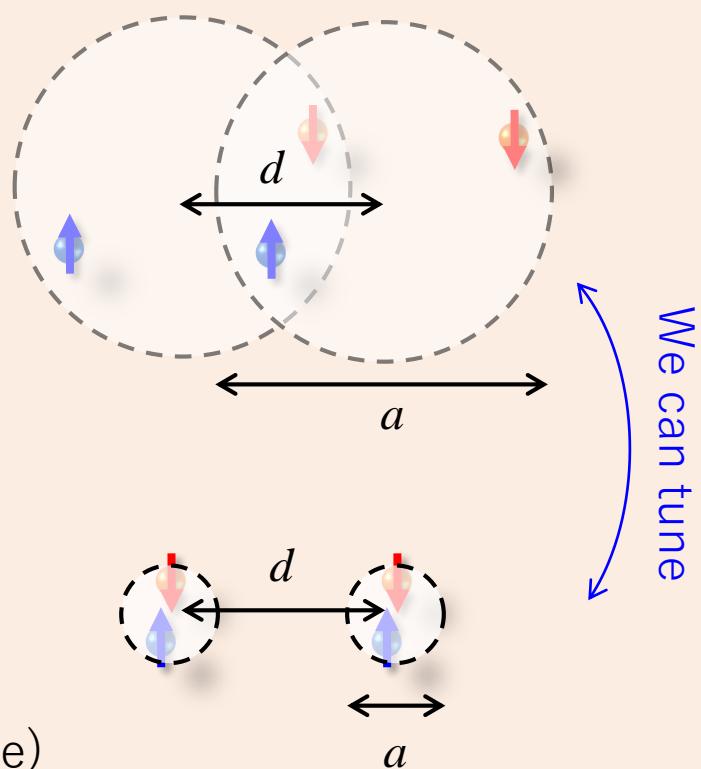
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Ideal condition to study a many-body system of quantum clusters



$\frac{1}{k_F a} < 1 :$
Unitary regime
(fermion like)

$\frac{1}{k_F a} > 1 :$
BEC regime
(Composite boson like)



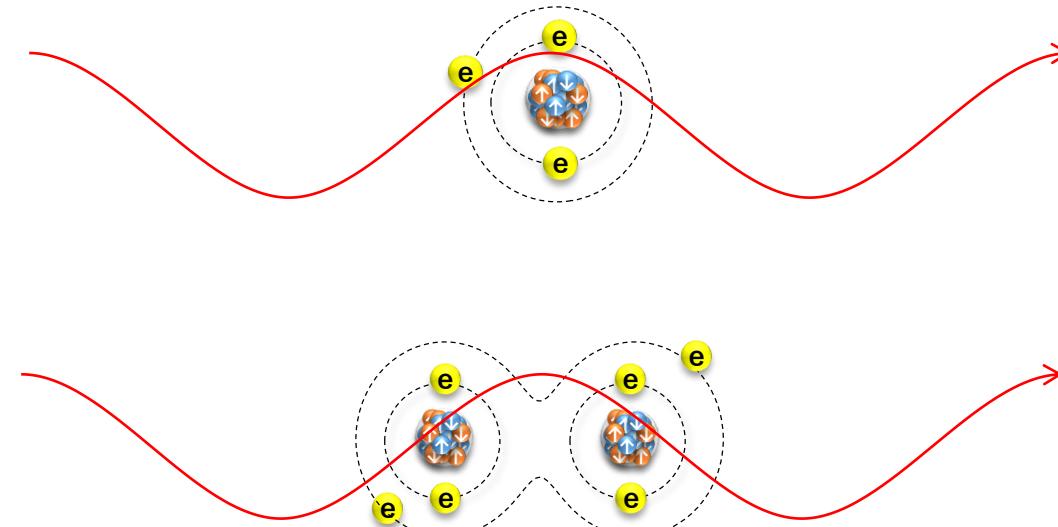
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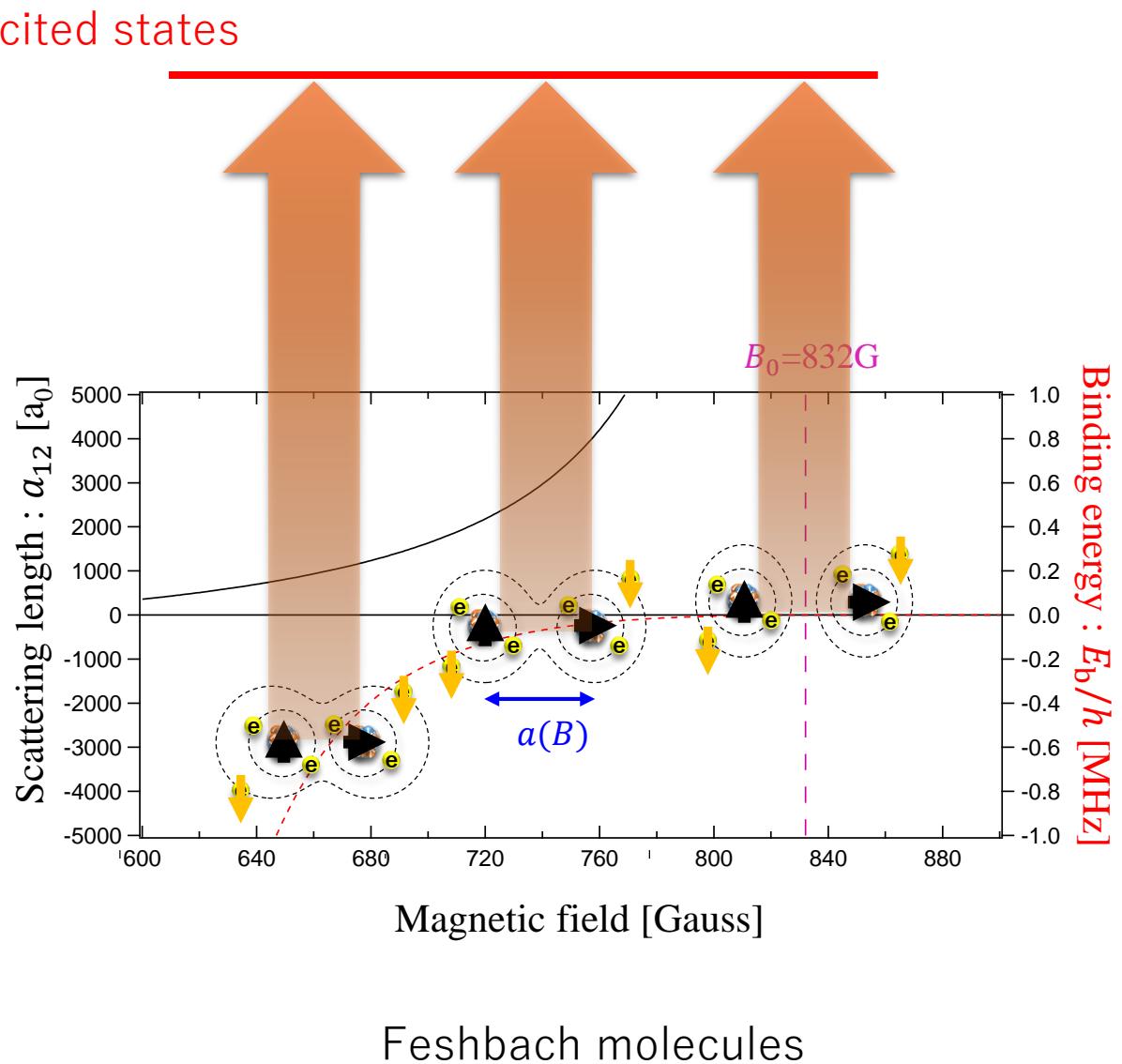
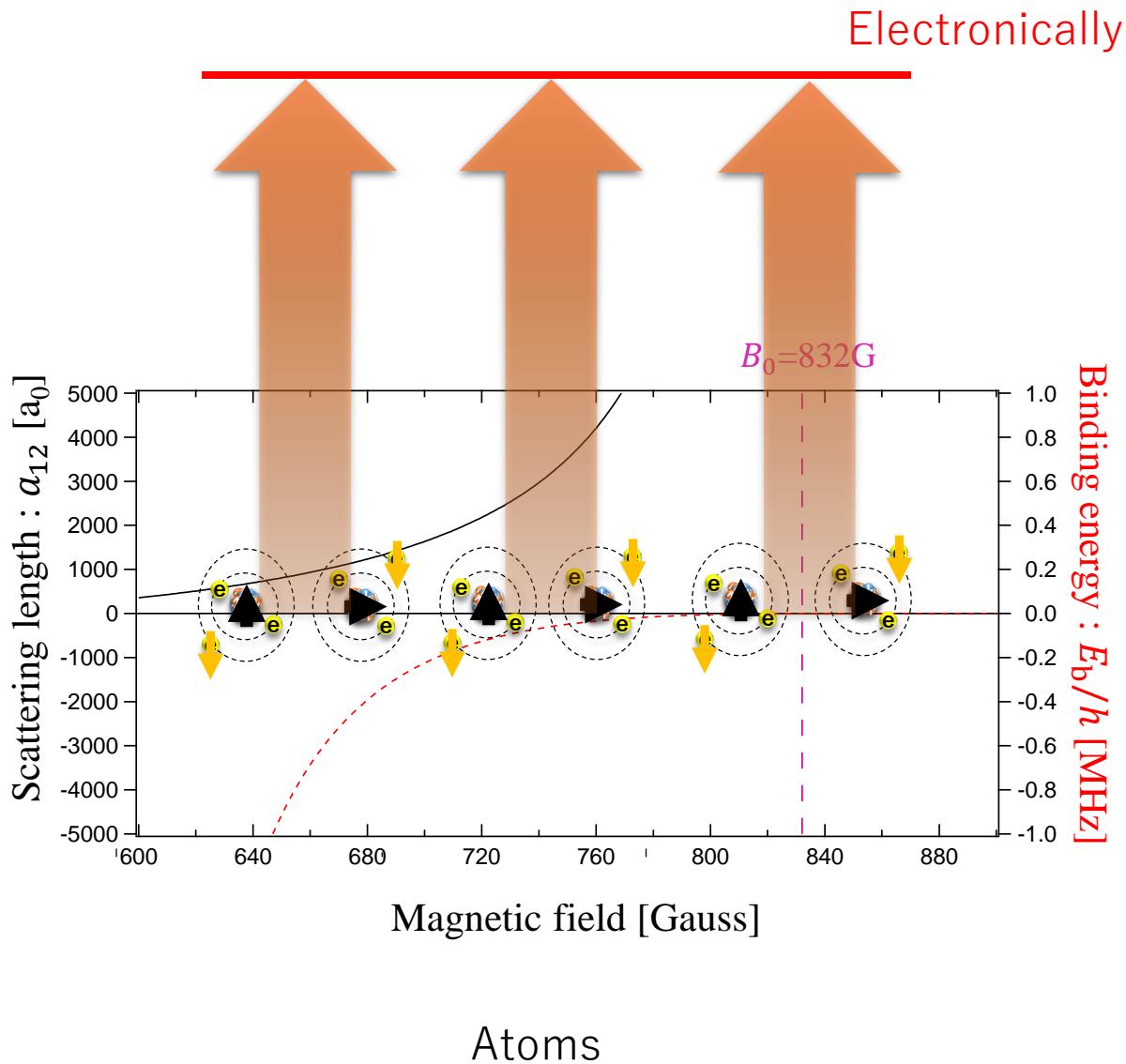
Absorption spectroscopy of Feshbach molecules

Motivation

1. How does optical dipole transition change when particles associate clusters? Are there some universal rule?
2. Optical response is important for precision measurement of cold atoms.

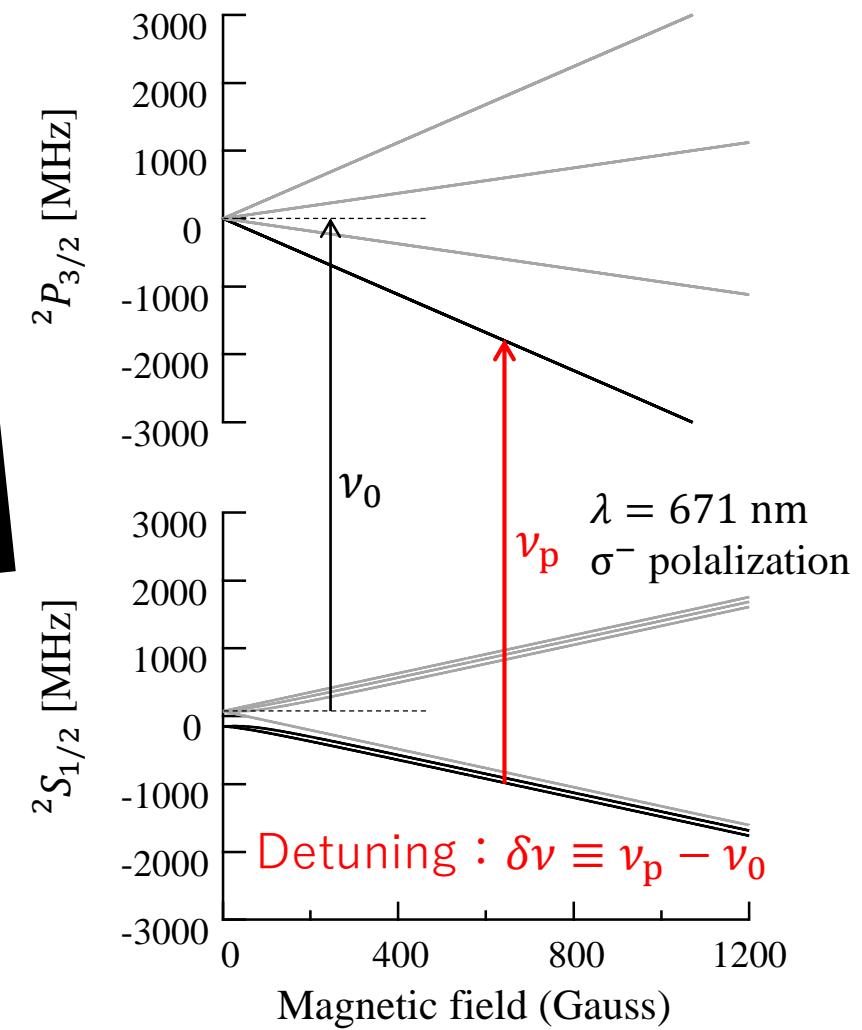
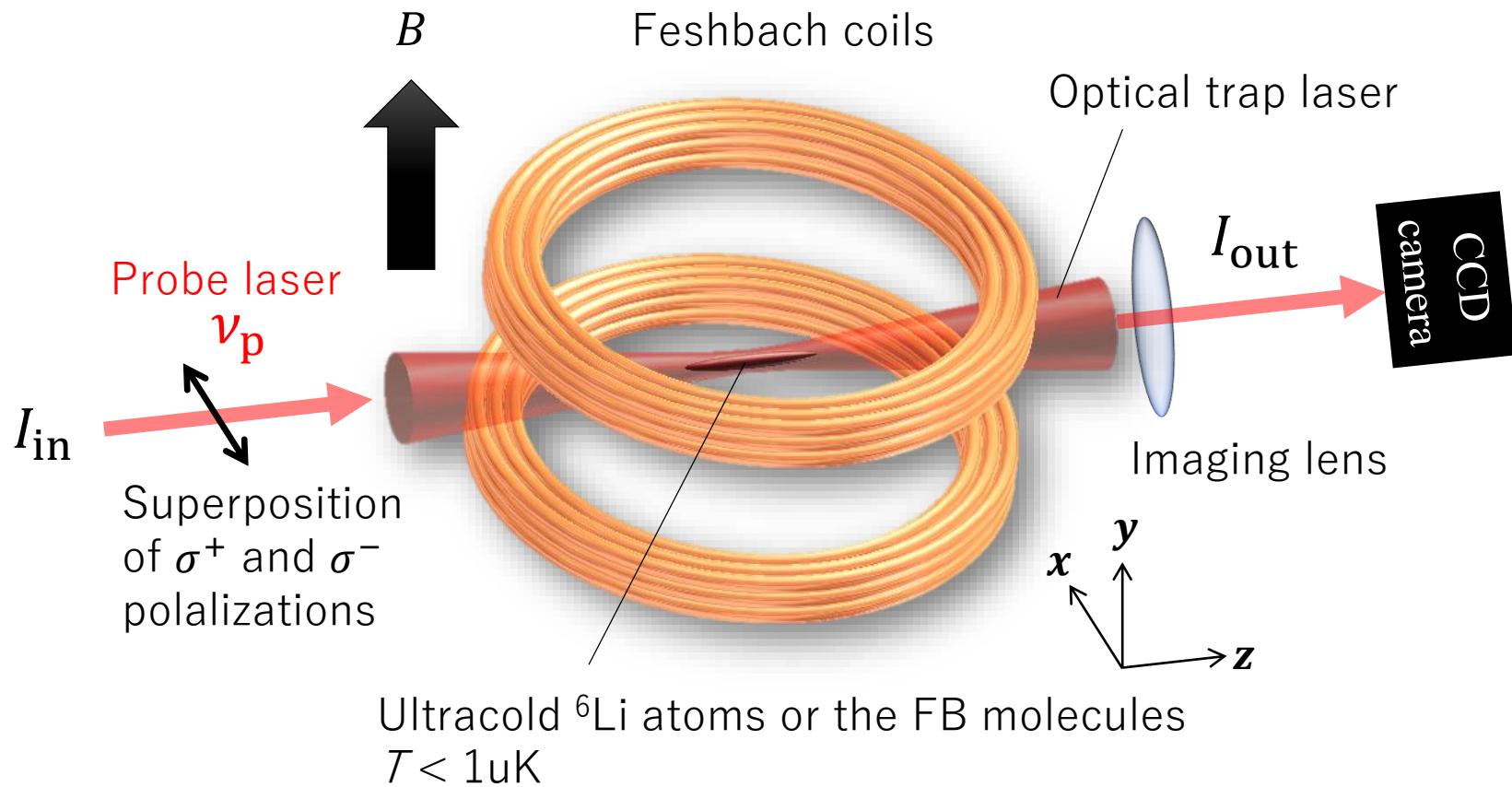


Method



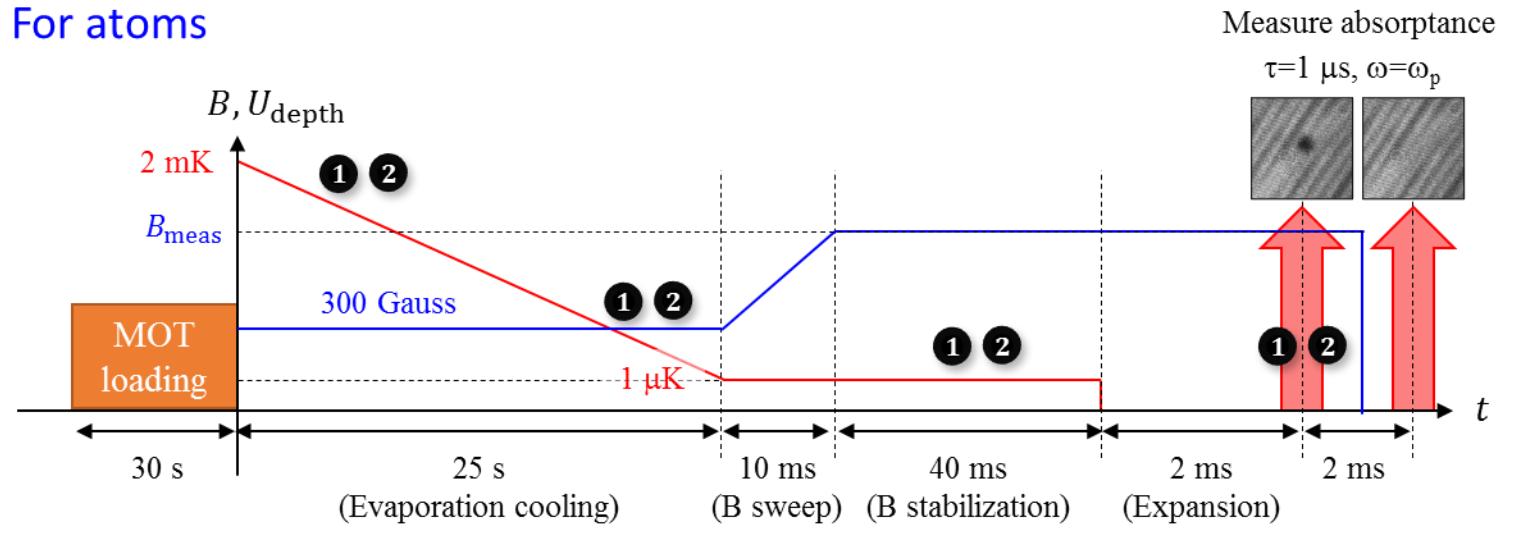
Experimental setup

The optical density ($OD = -\log(I_{\text{out}}/I_{\text{in}})$) is measured as a function of the laser frequency ν_p at various magnetic field

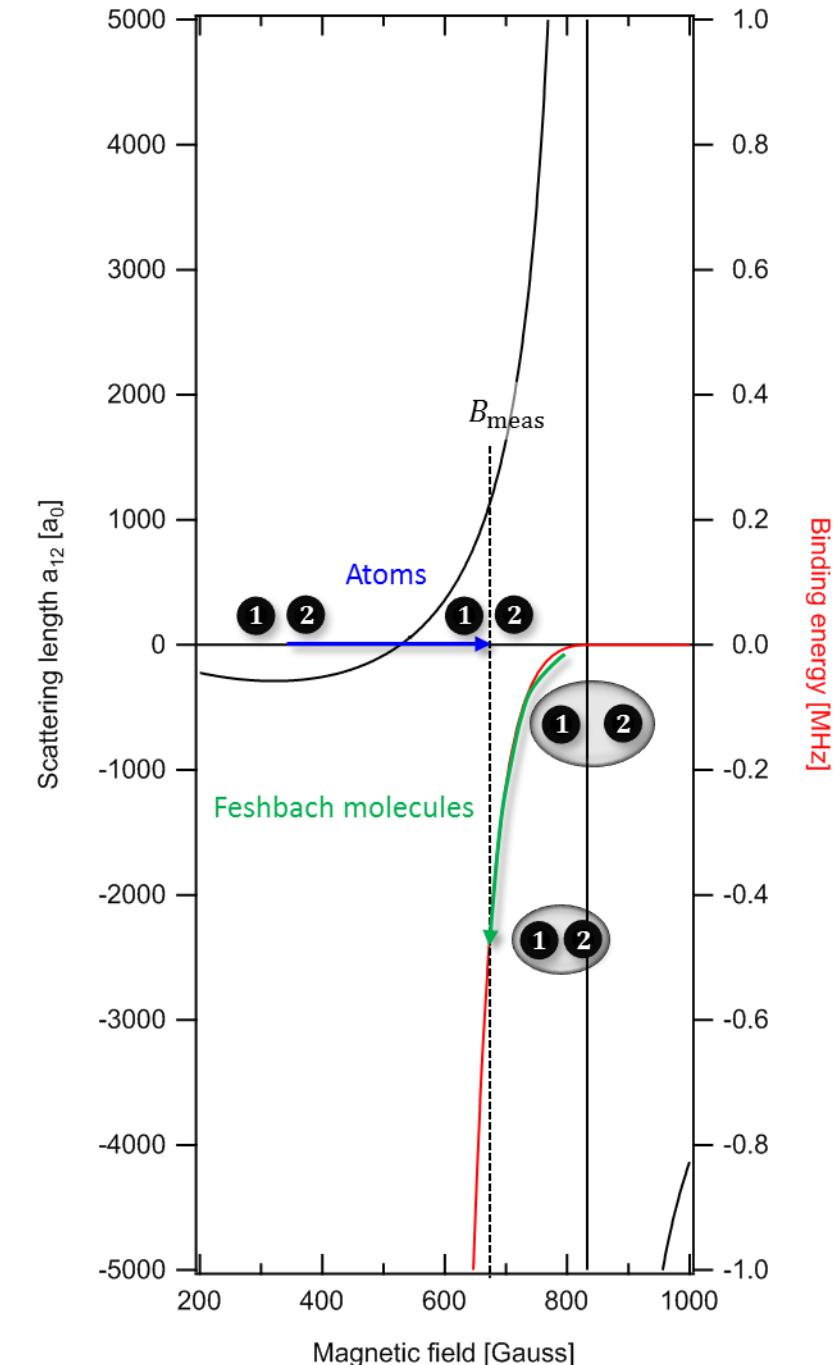
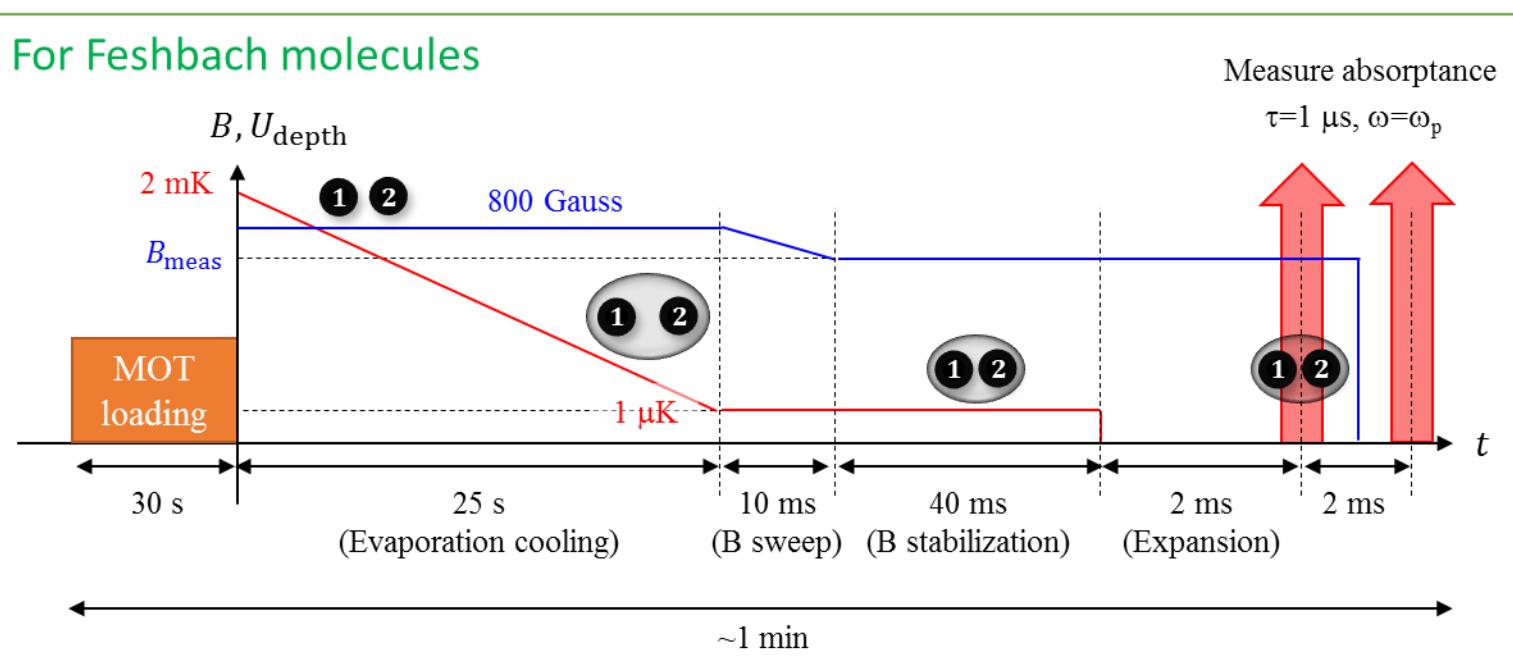


Experimental procedure

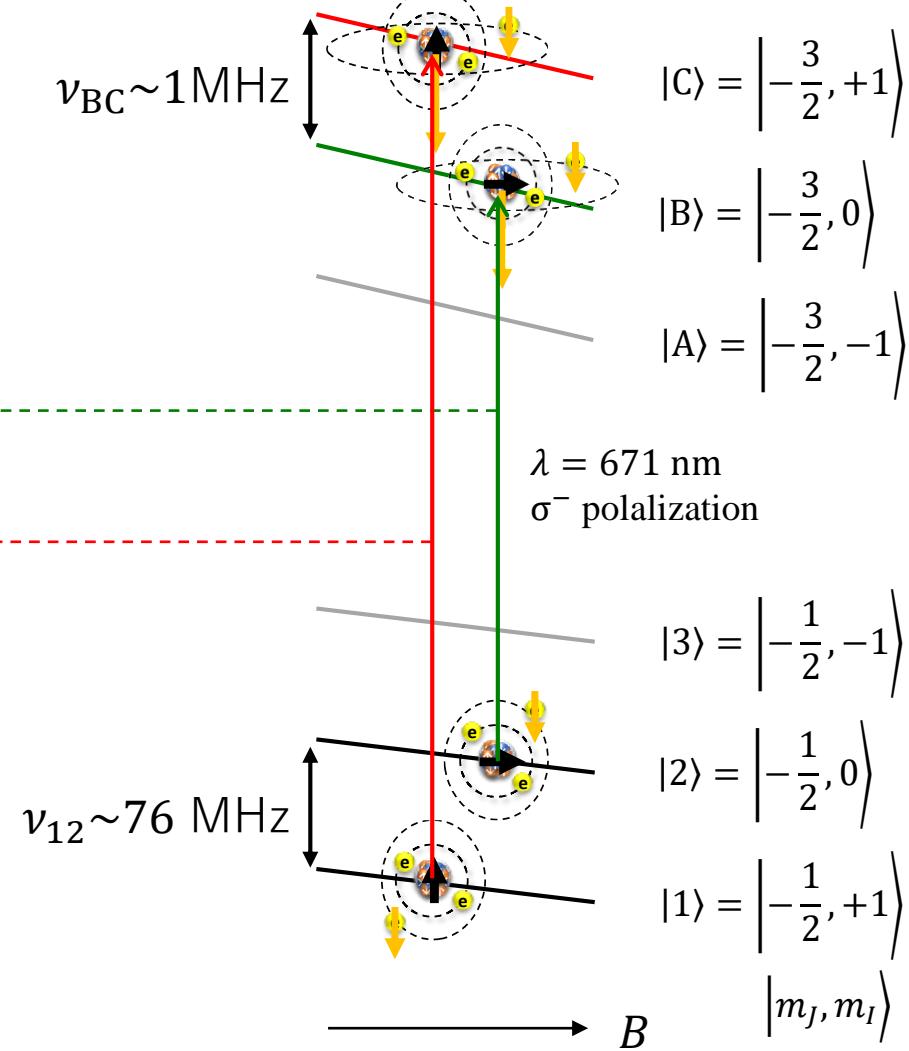
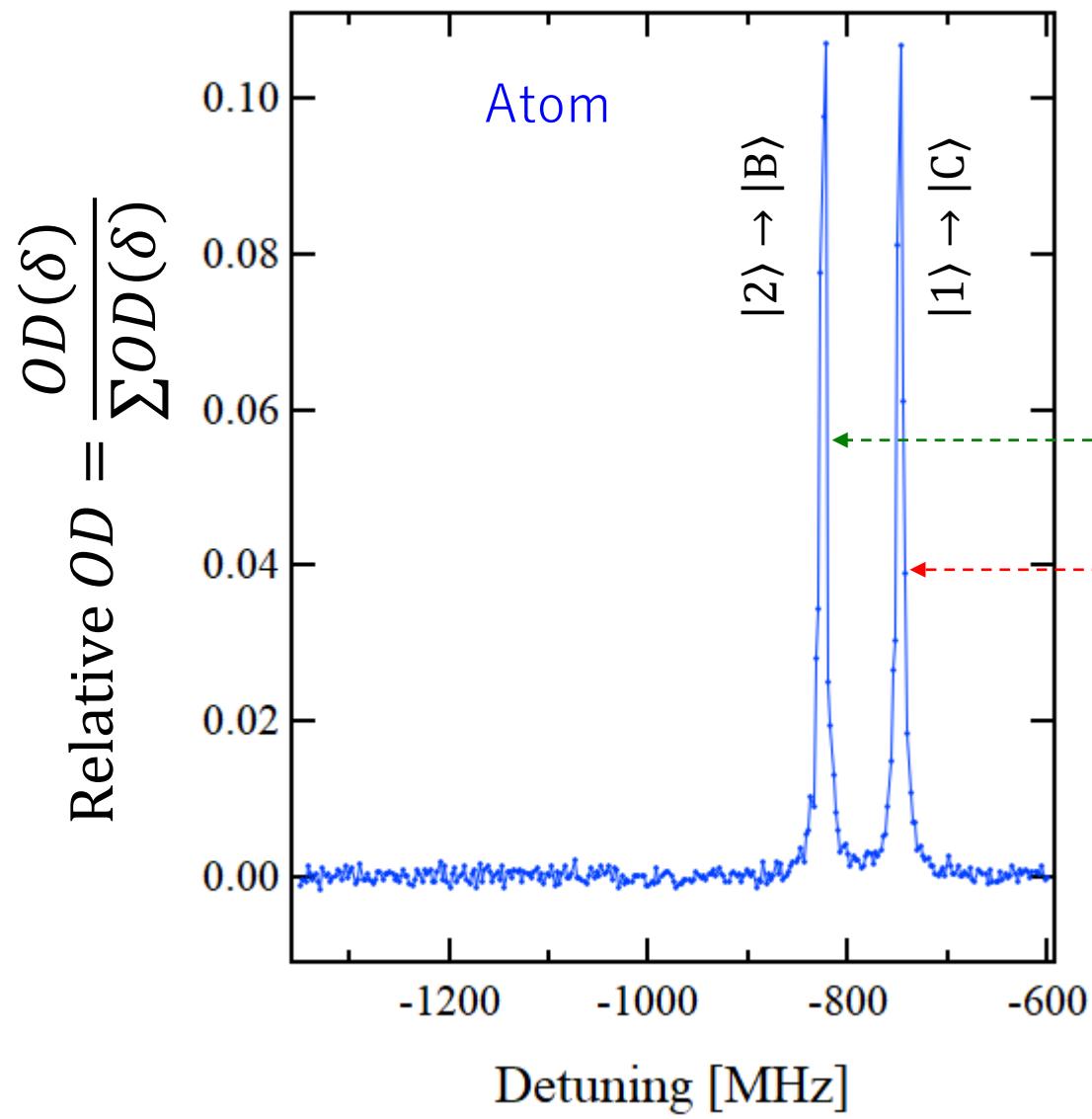
For atoms



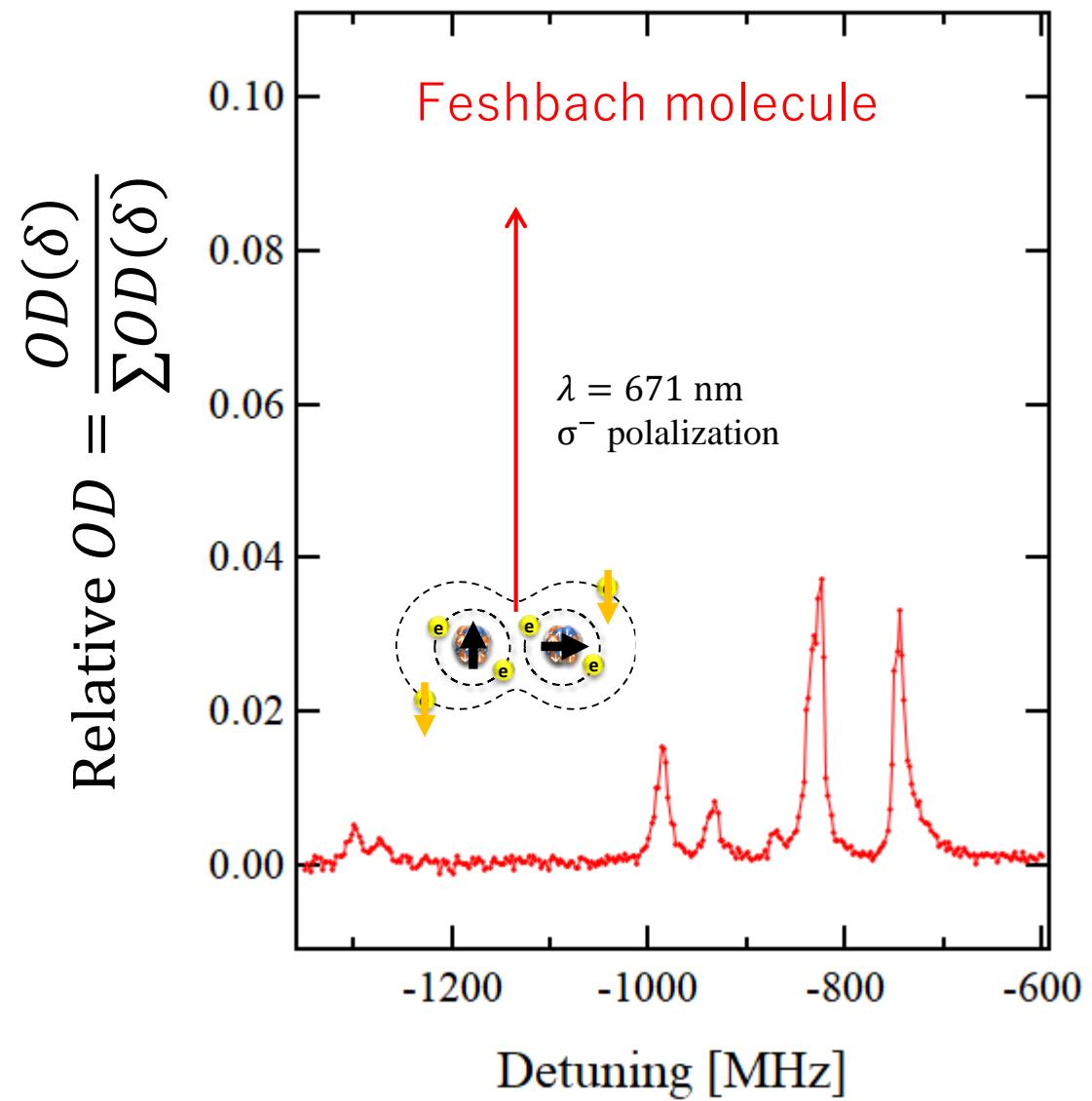
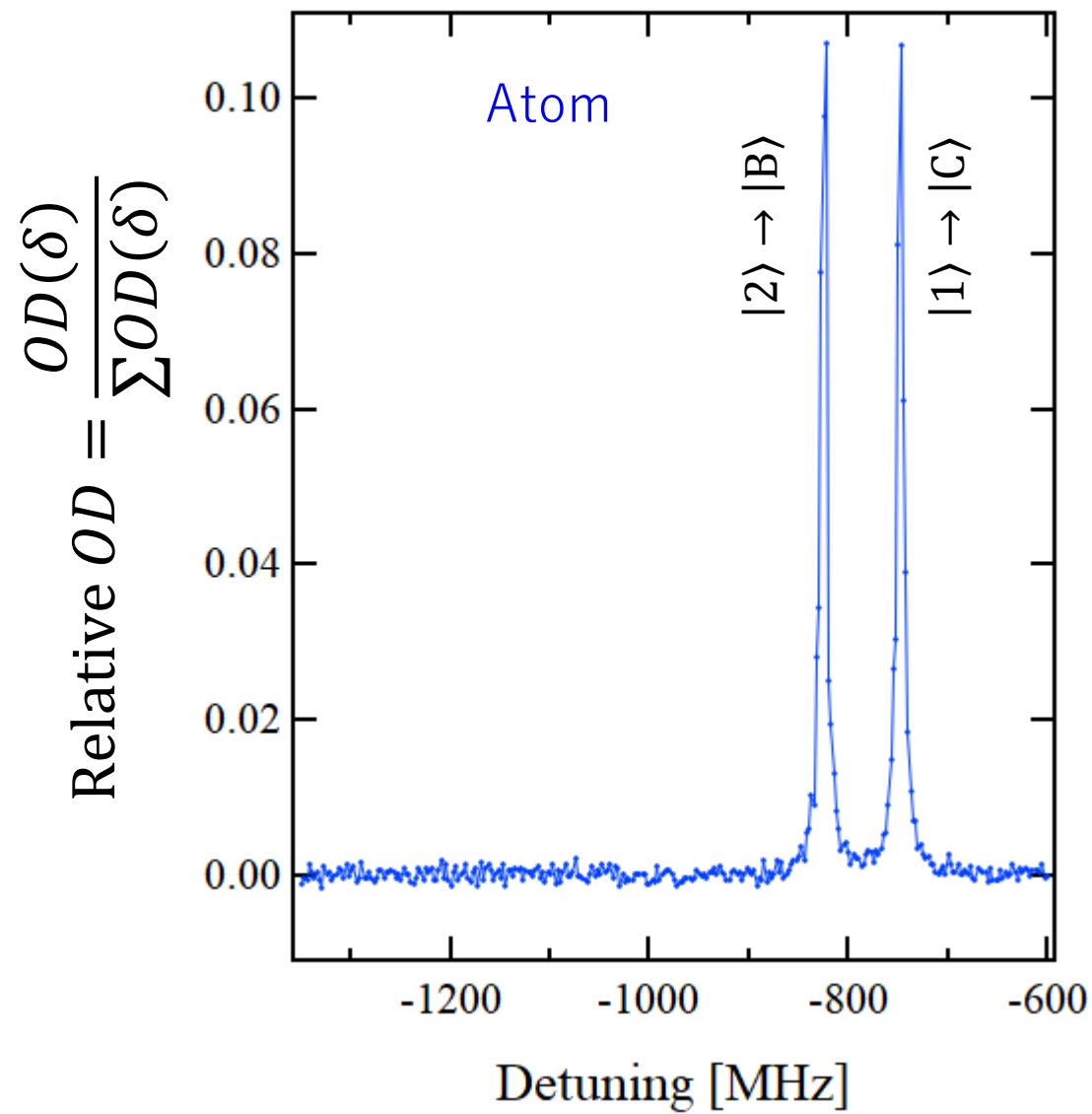
For Feshbach molecules



Spectral data @ 650Gauss

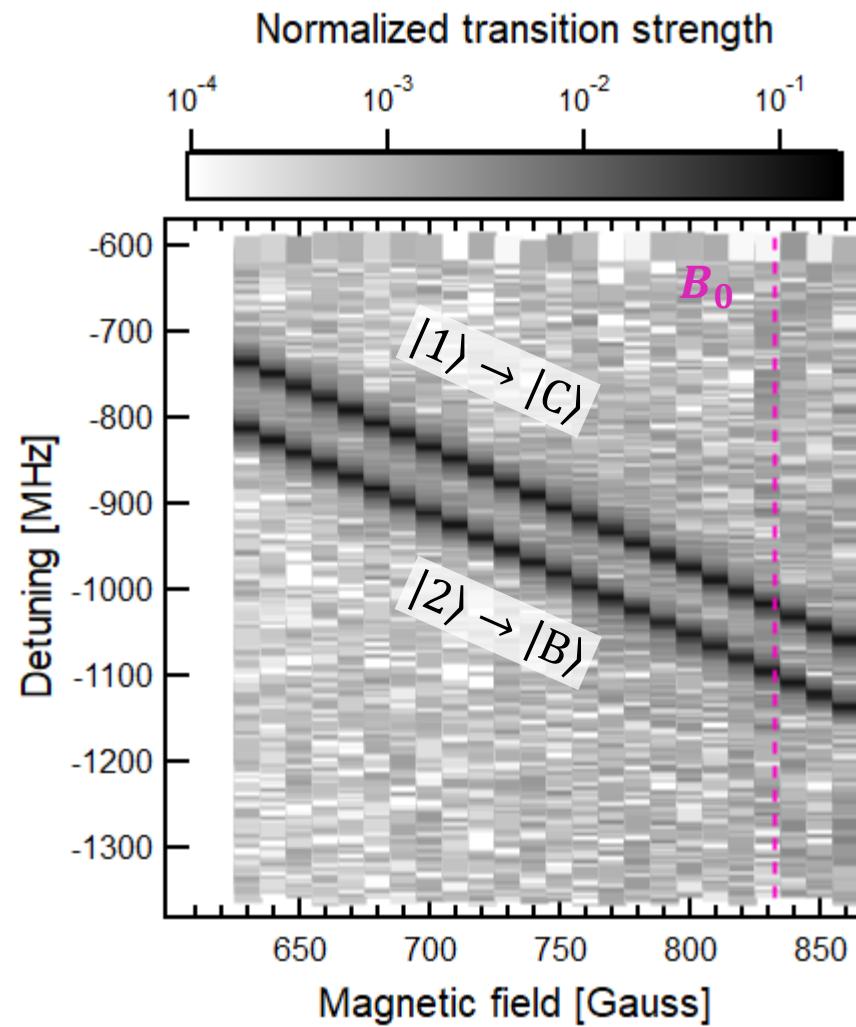


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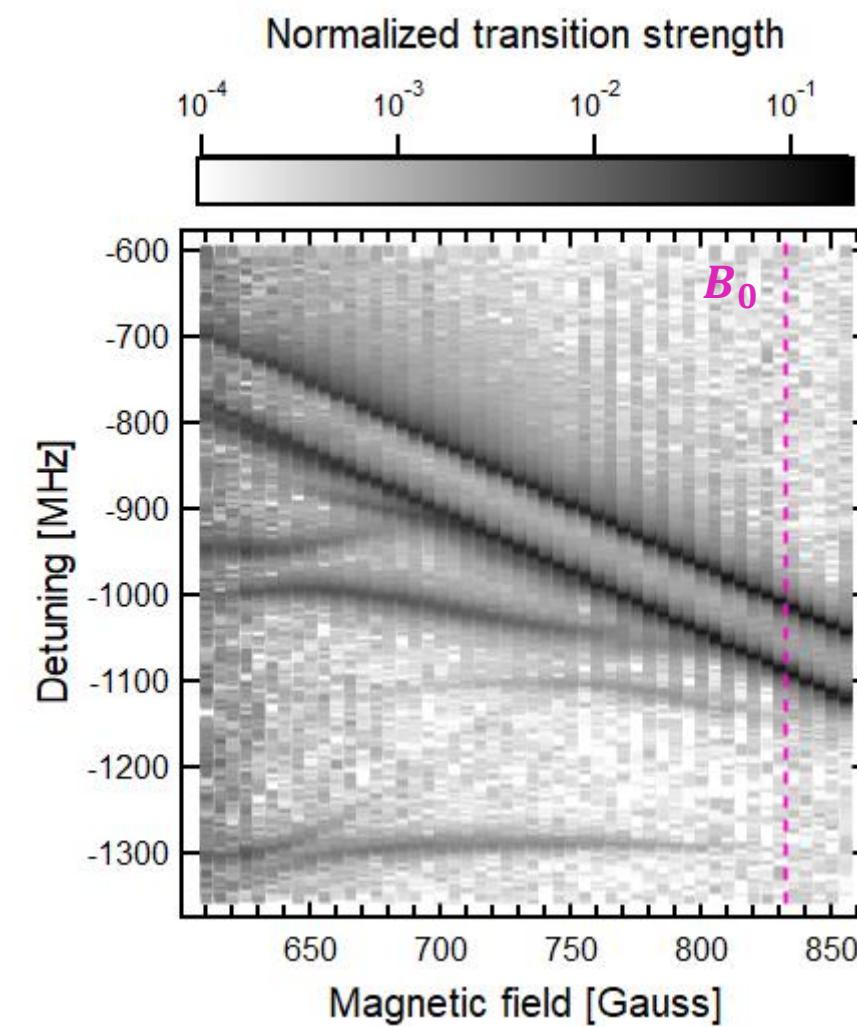


Two-dimensional spectral data

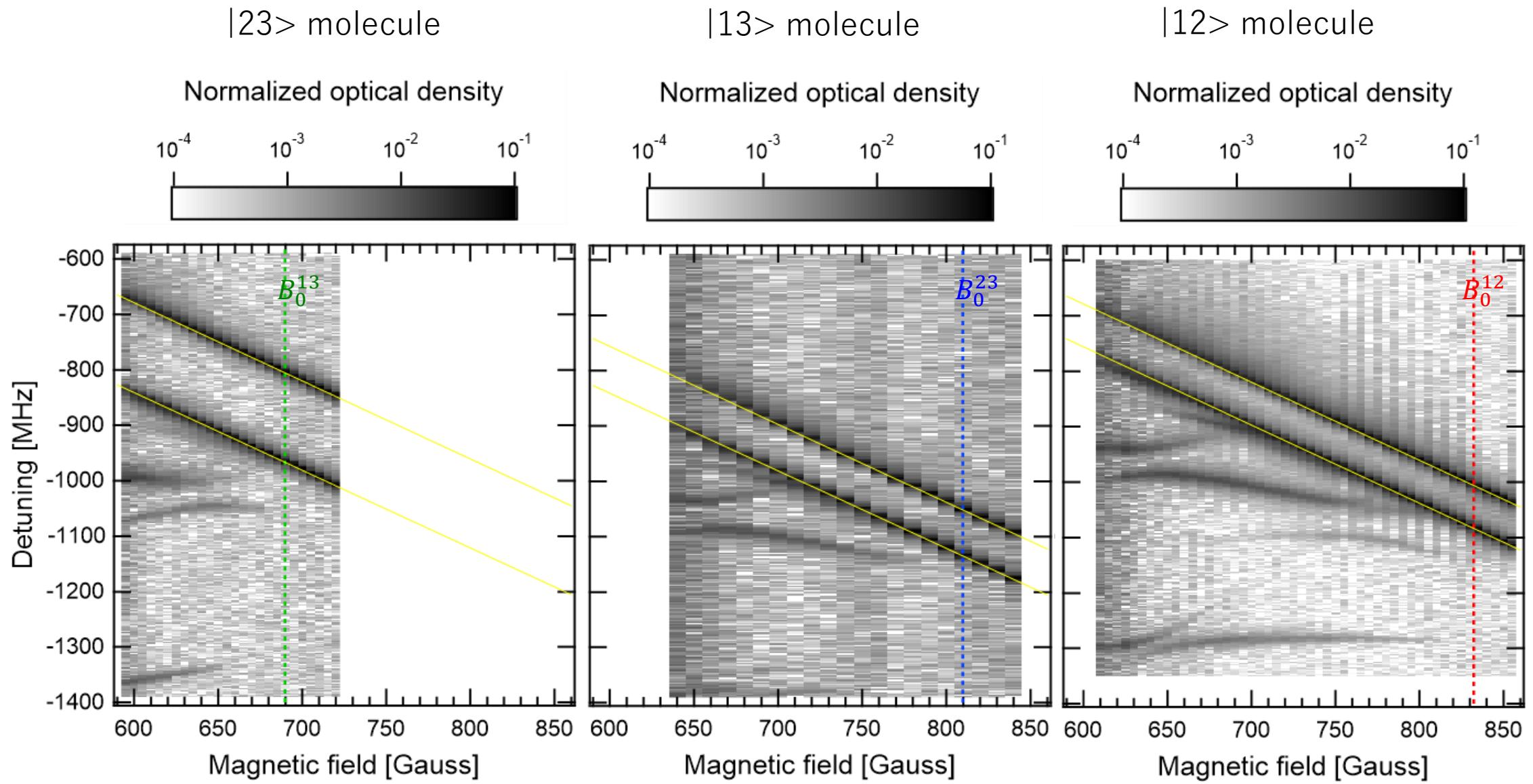
Atom (630~860G, 10G interval)



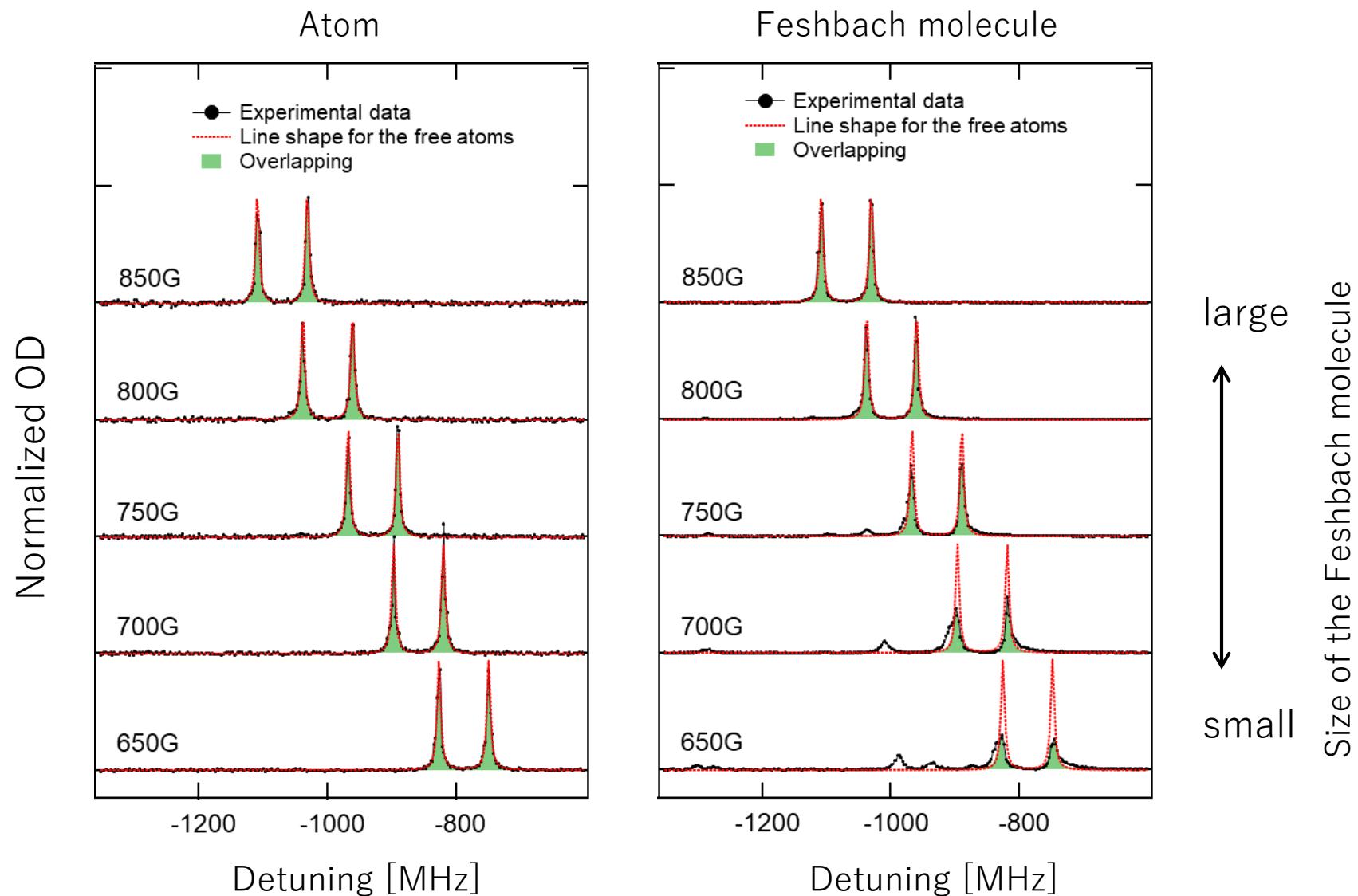
Feshbach molecule (610~855G, 5G interval)



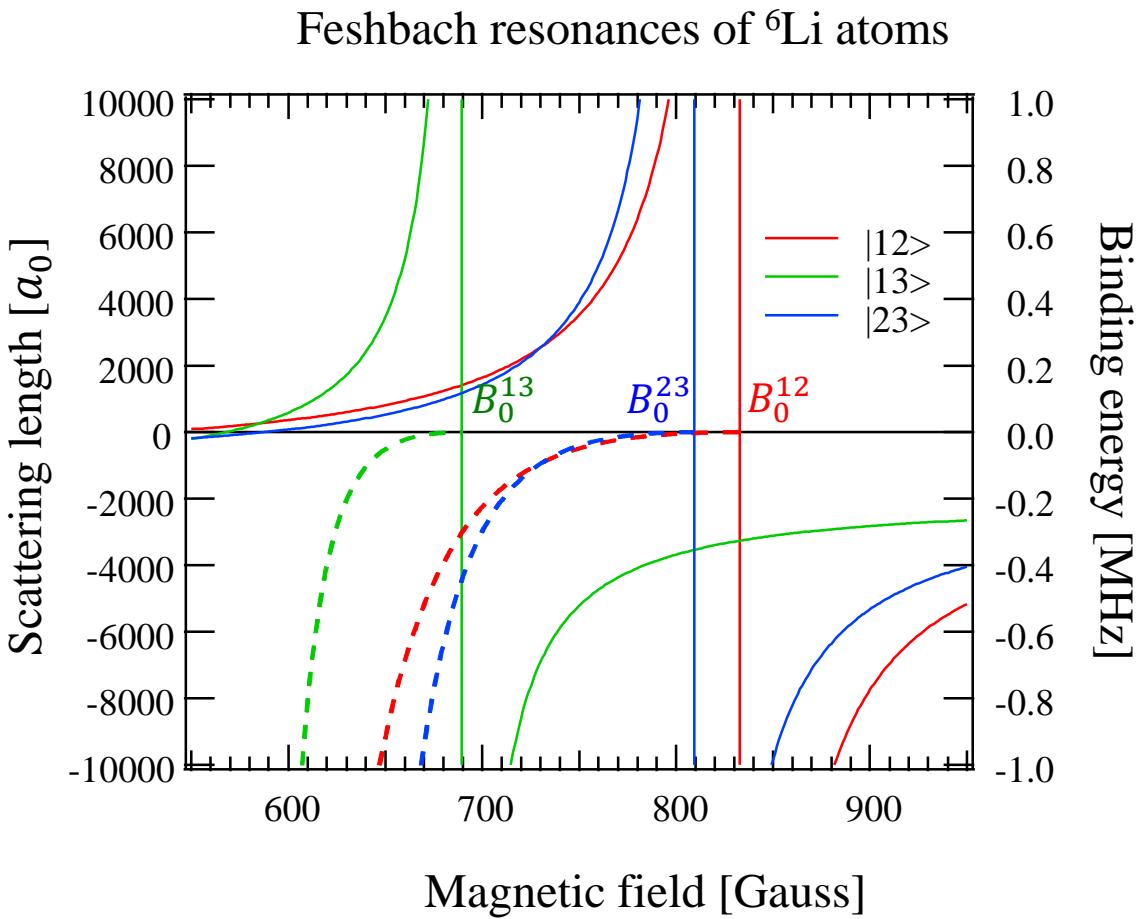
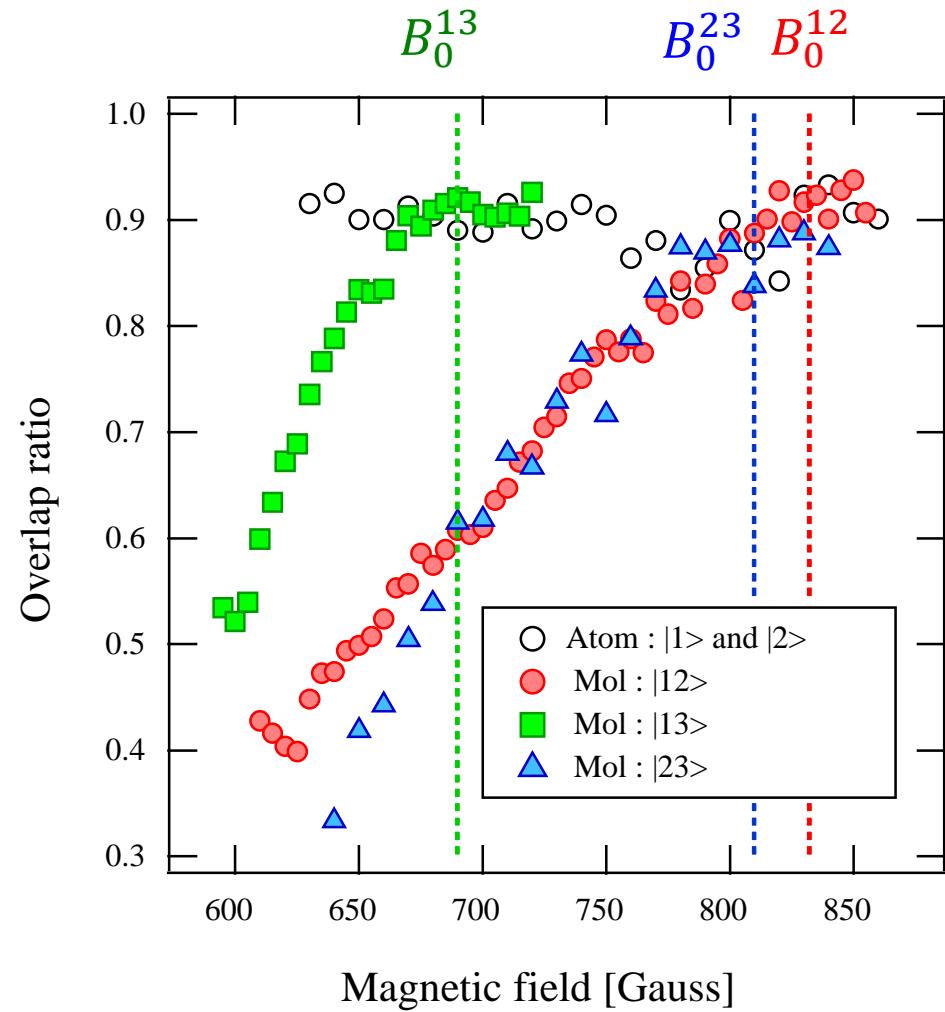
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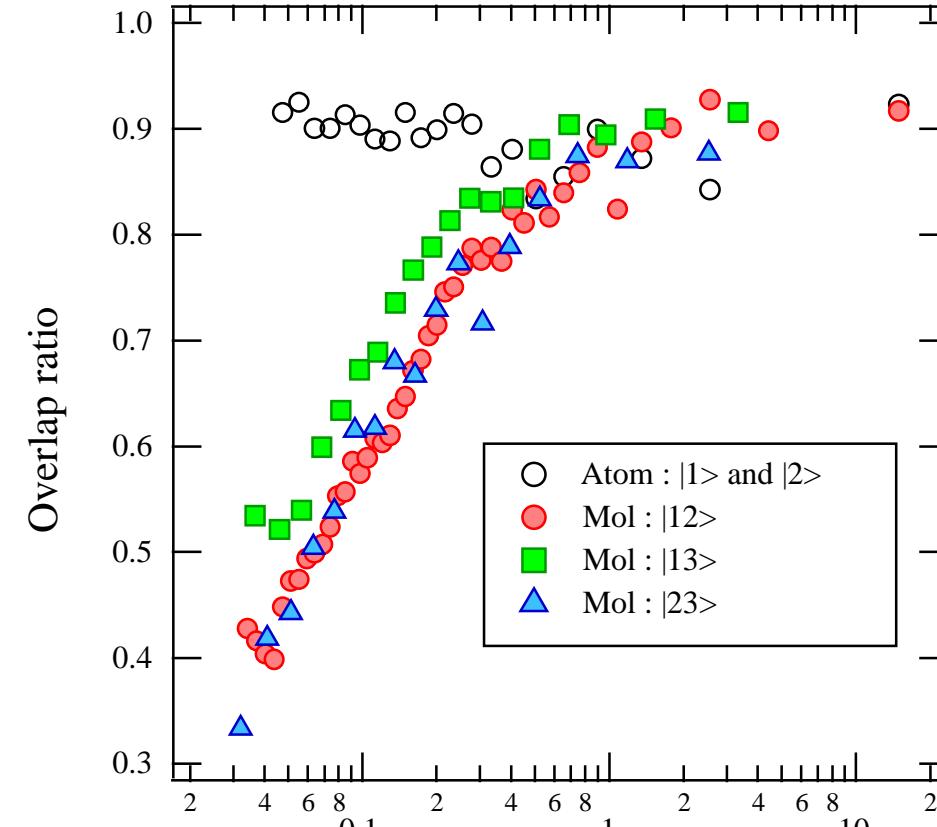
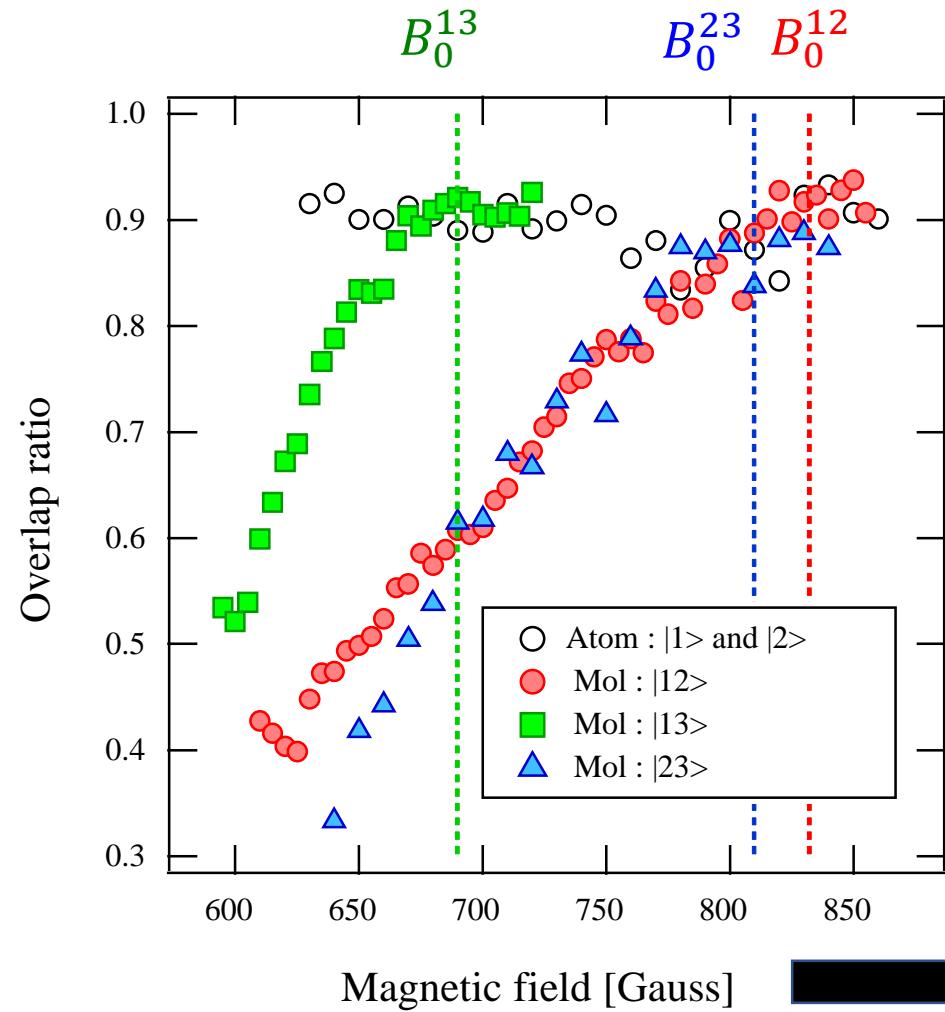
Line shapes at different Feshbach magnetic fields



Overlapping ratio between experimental data and the line shape of the free atom



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$$\frac{a}{\lambda} = \frac{\text{Size of the Feshbach molecule}}{\text{Optical wavelength}}$$

Overlapping ratio between experimental data and the line shape of the free atom

Simple model

Feshbach molecule has a spherical density distribution :

$$\psi_b(R) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi a}} \frac{\exp(-R/a)}{R}$$

We assume that existence probability **outside** of $R_c = \lambda/C_\lambda$ contribute to the optical transition as **free atoms**

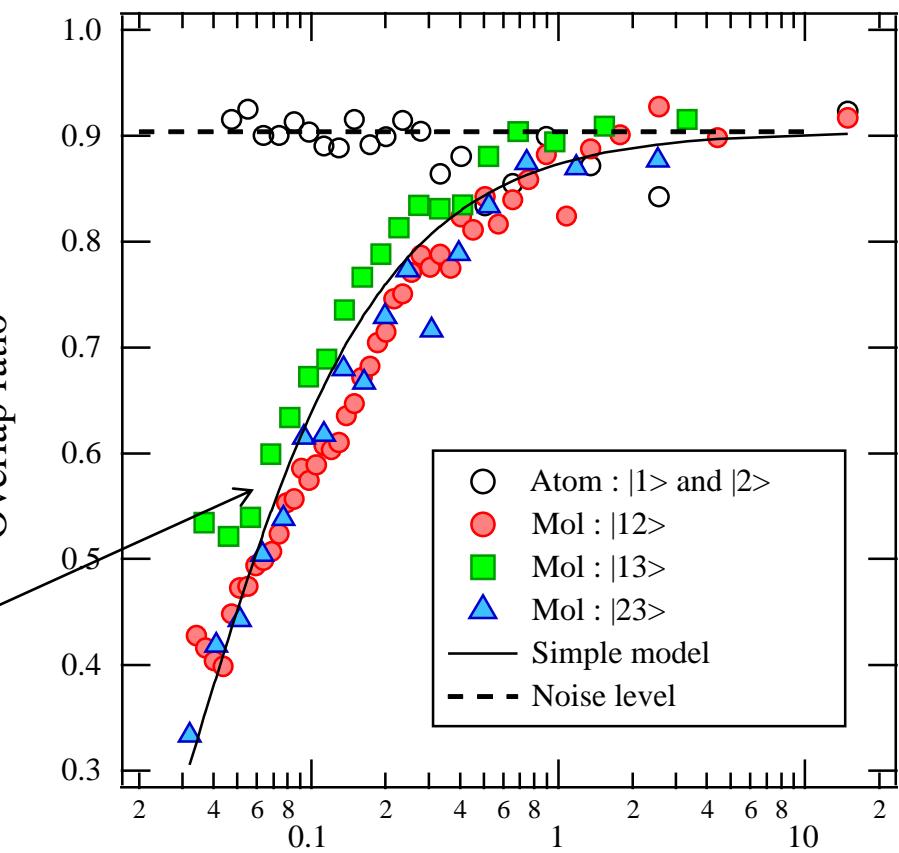
$$\int_{R_c}^{+\infty} 4\pi R^2 |\psi_b(R)|^2 dR = \exp\left(-2\frac{R_c}{a}\right) = \exp\left(-2\frac{1}{C_\lambda \cdot (\frac{a}{\lambda})}\right)$$

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Fitting function : $f\left(\frac{a}{\lambda}\right) = A \exp\left(-2\frac{1}{C_\lambda \cdot (\frac{a}{\lambda})}\right)$

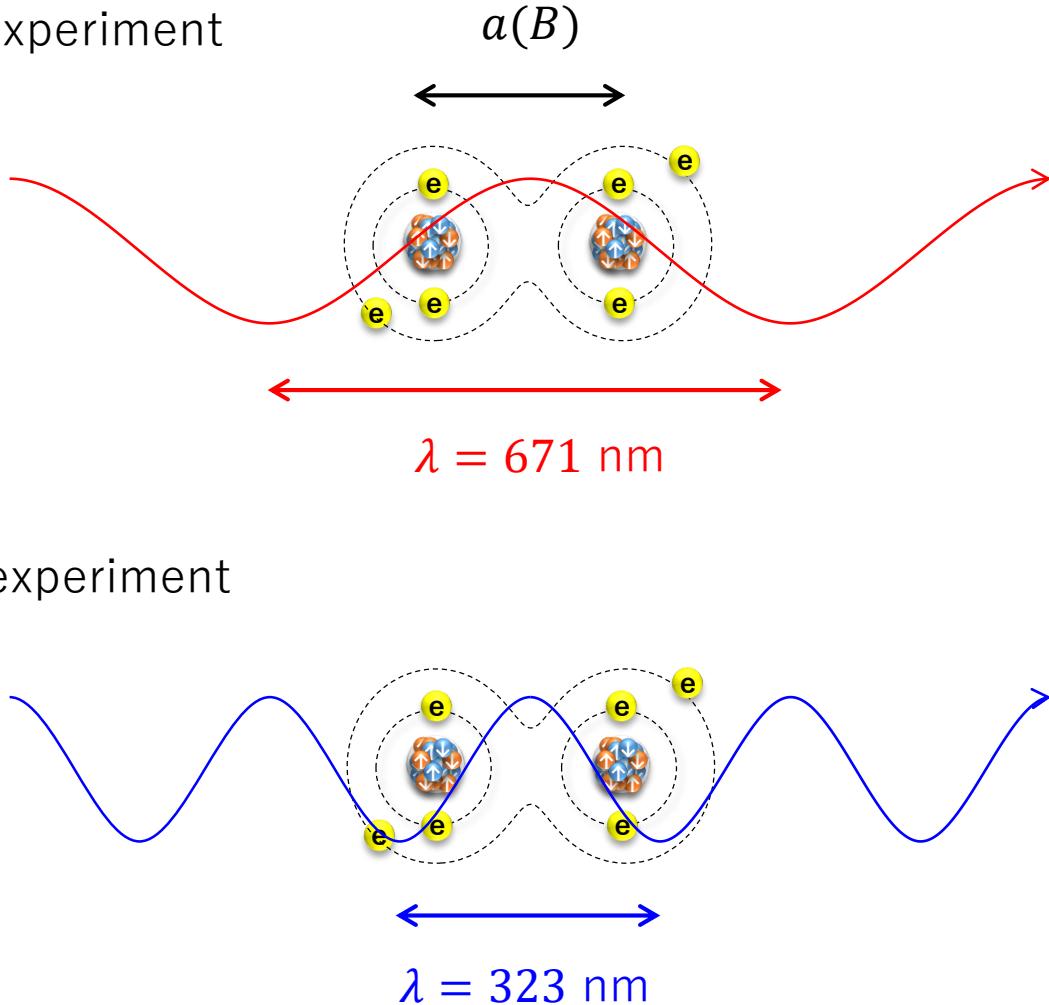
Experimental noise

Fitting result : $A = 0.904(4)$
 $C_\lambda = 58(4)$, or $R_c = 11.6(8)\text{nm}$

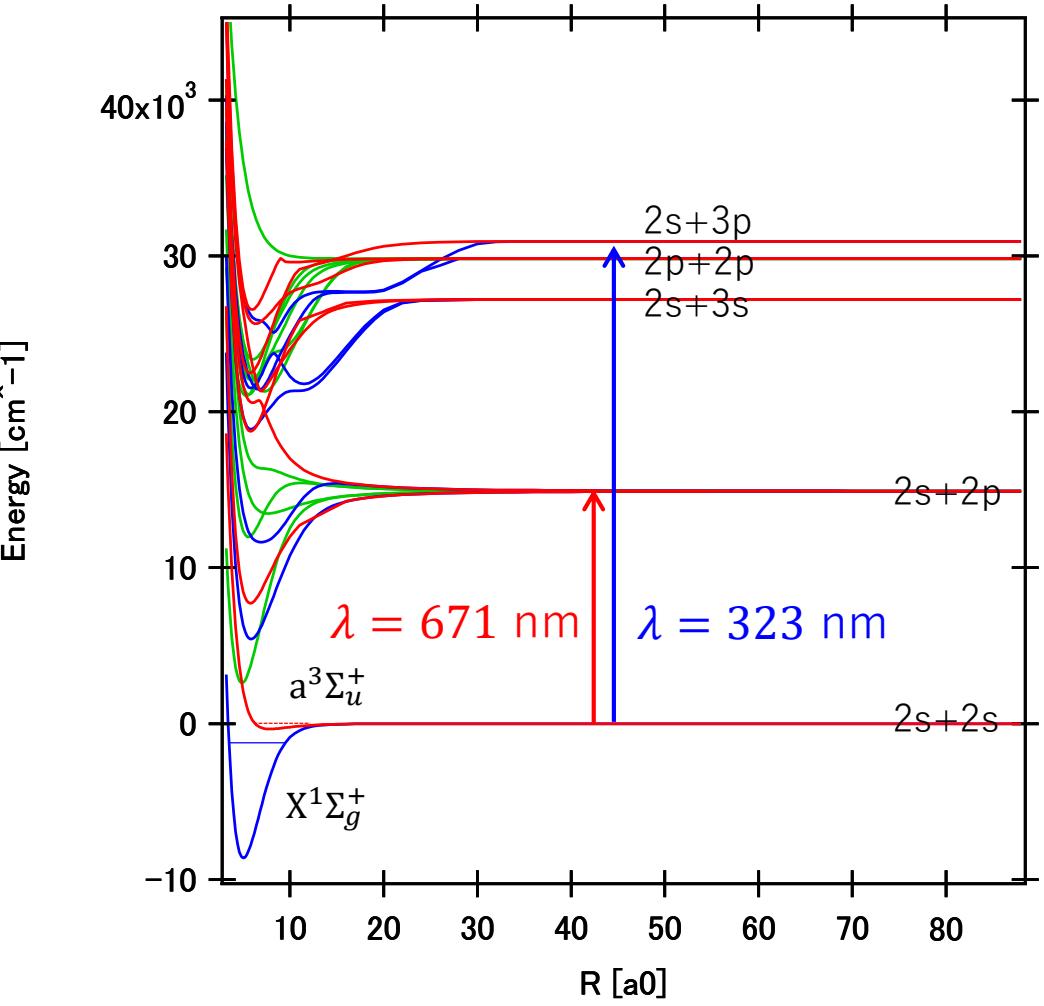
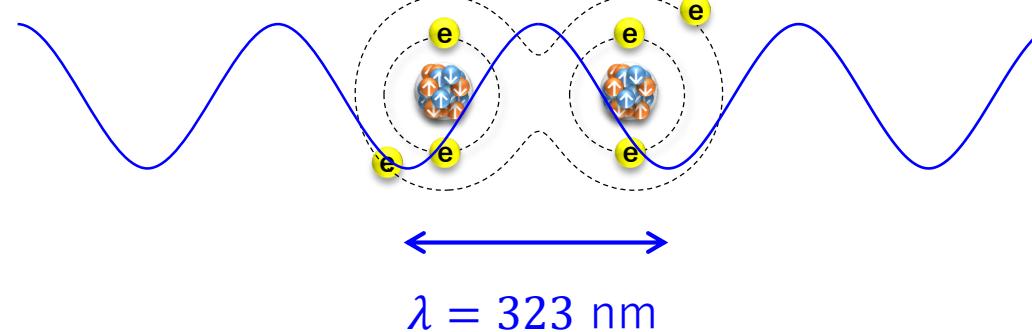


Planning experiment to confirm the universal behavior

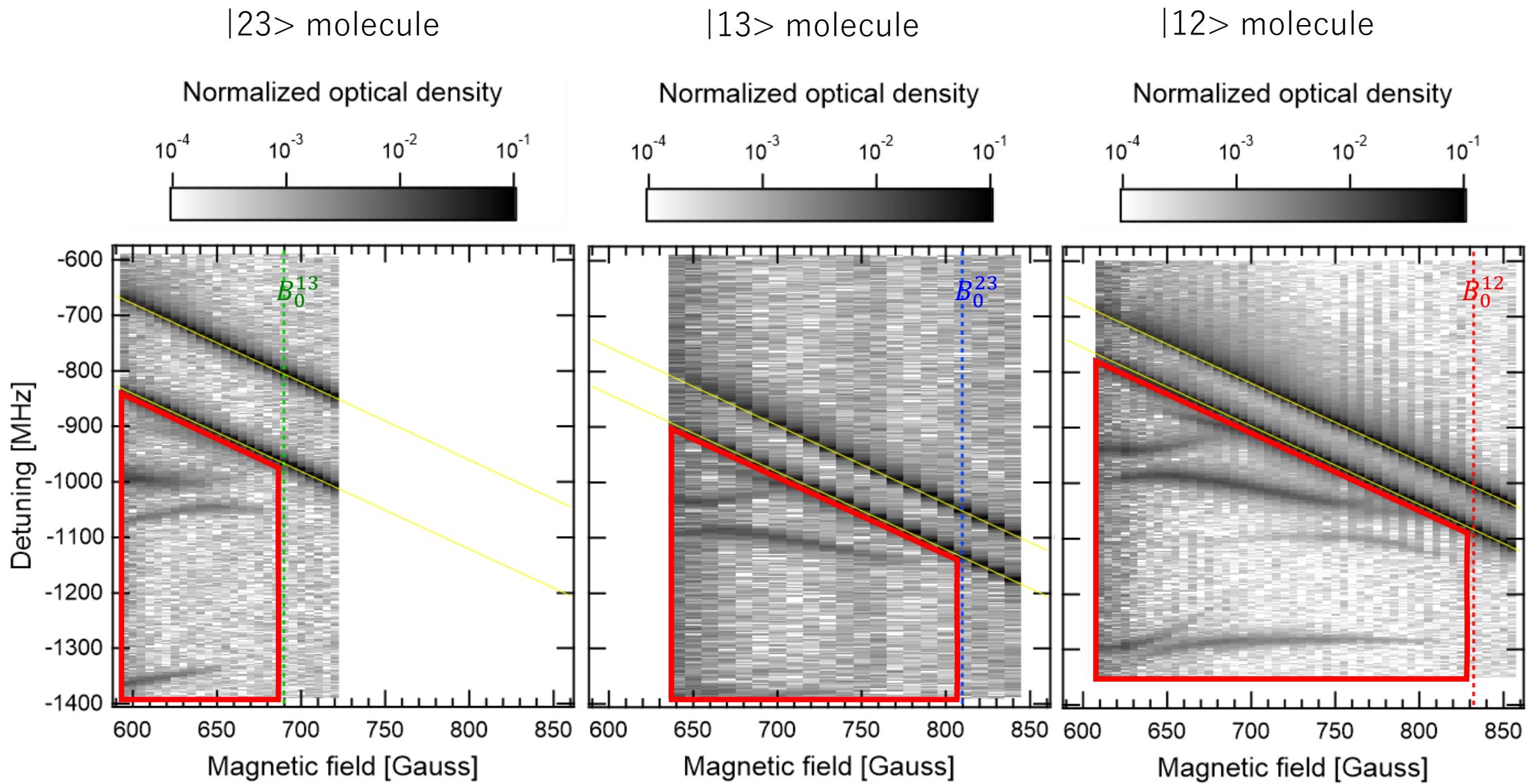
This experiment



Next experiment

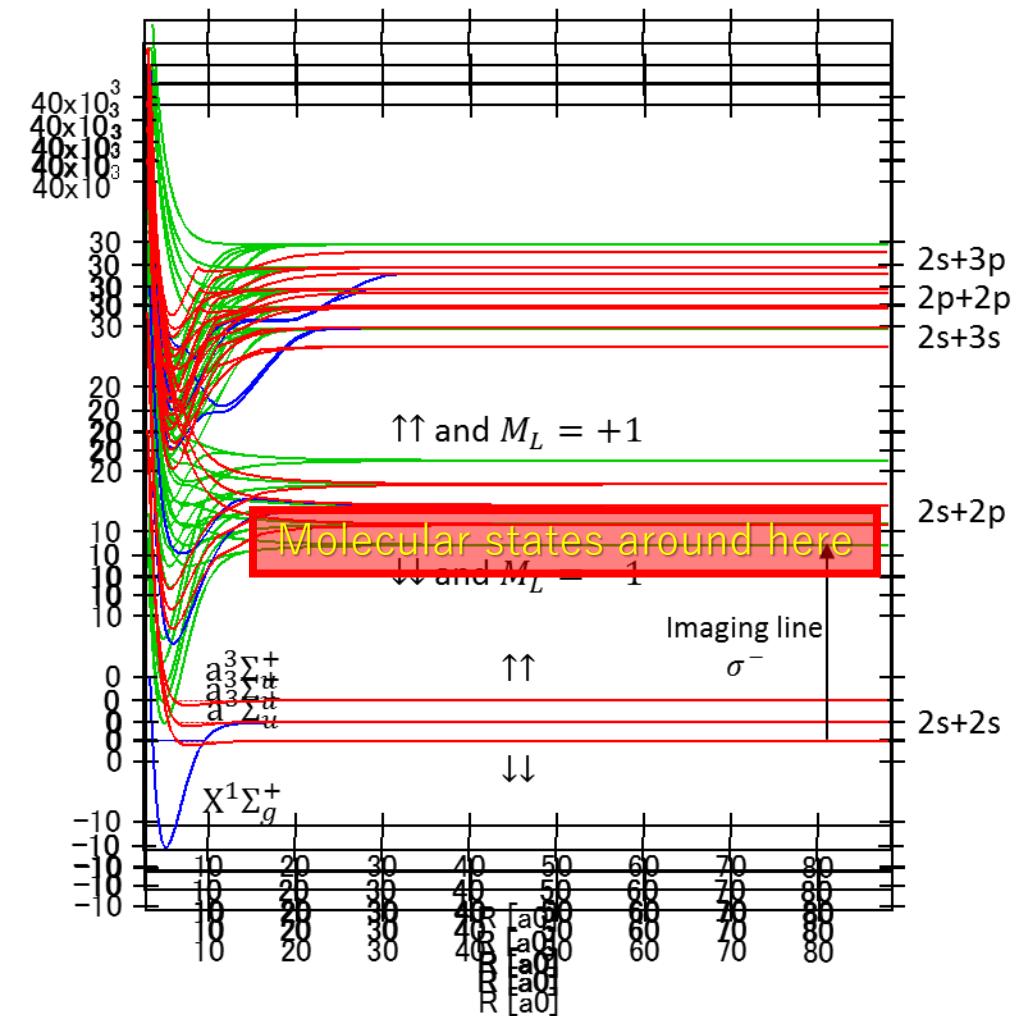
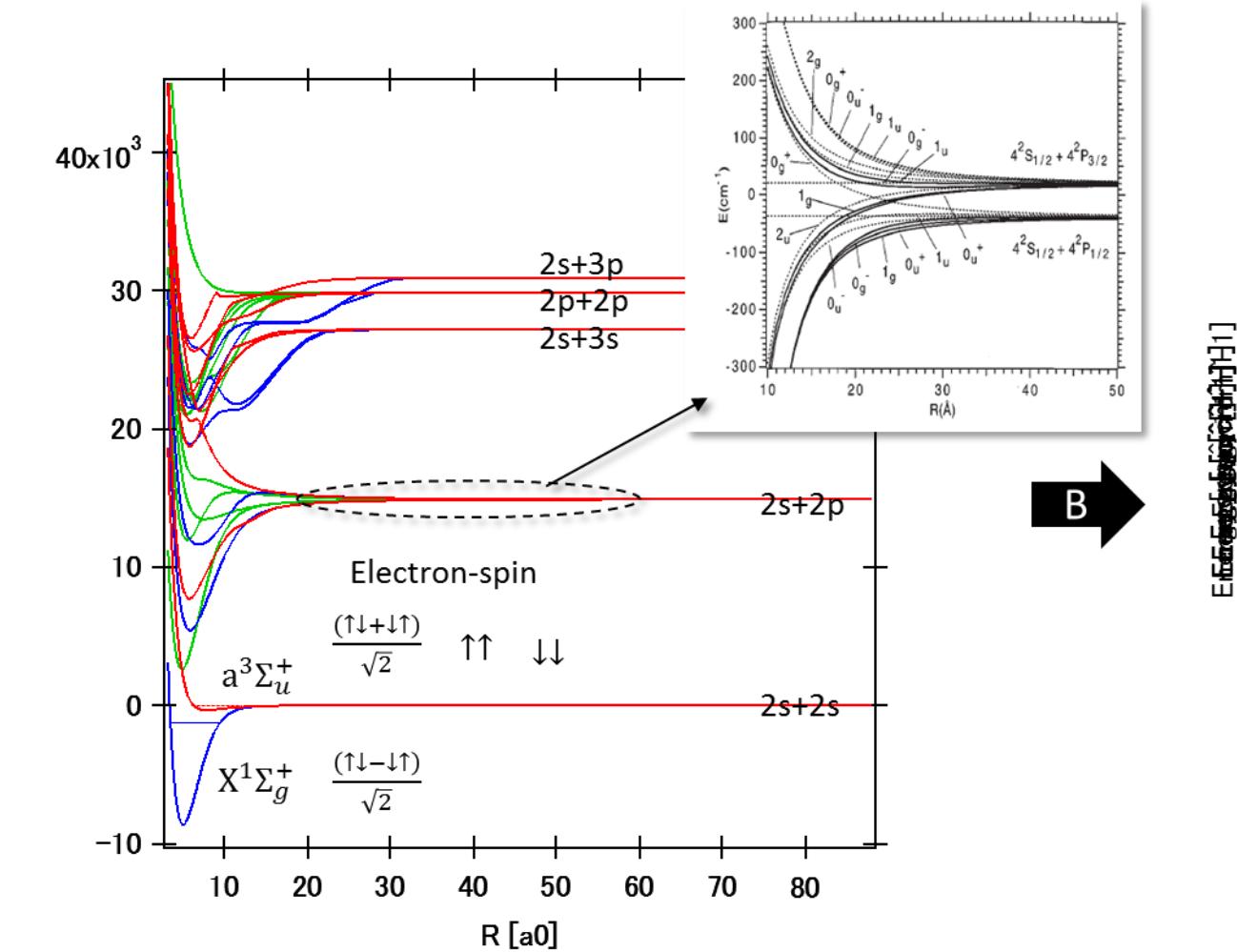


Assignment of the excited molecular states



Lithium molecule and Zeeman shift

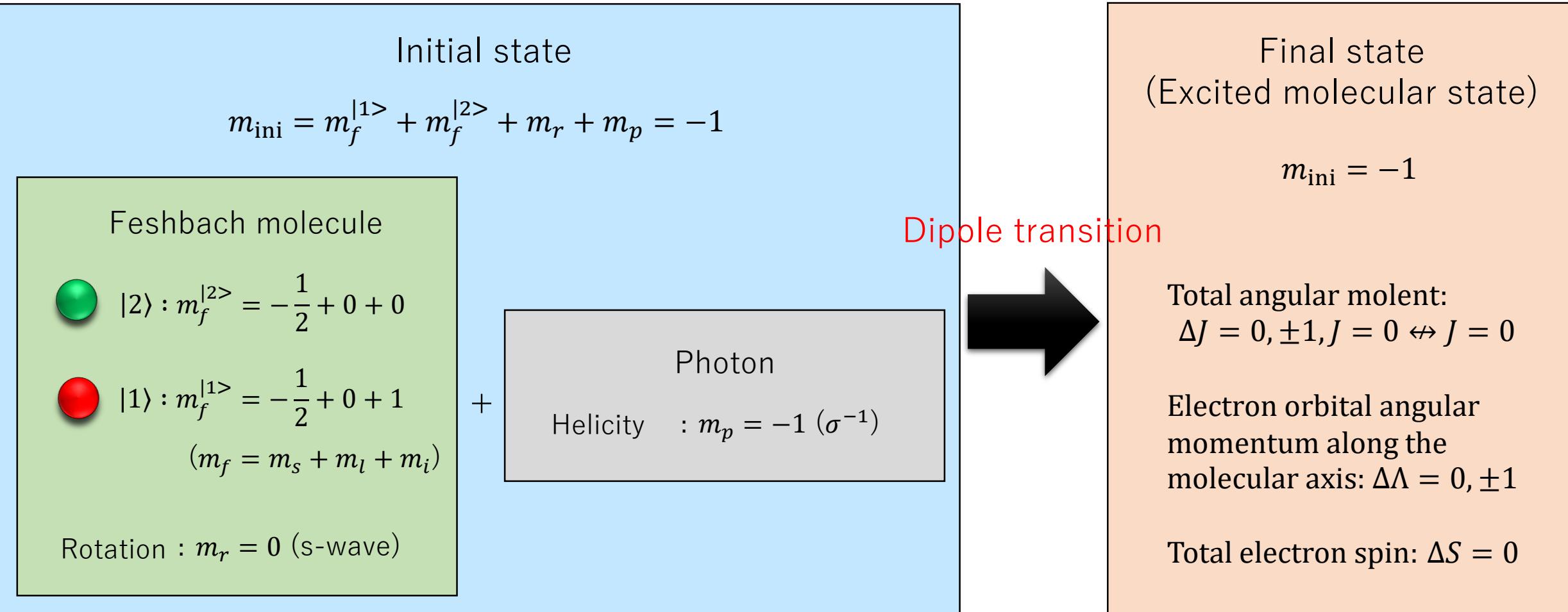
Li_2 molecular potential



How can we assign the excited molecular states

We have not achieved yet, but we have clues

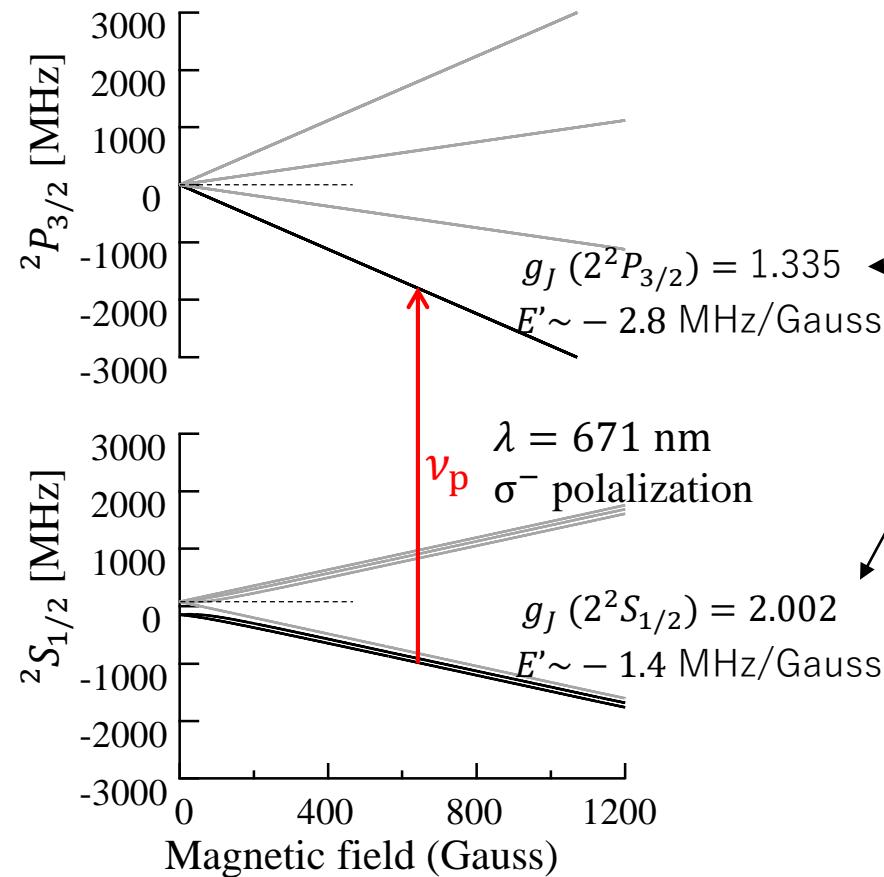
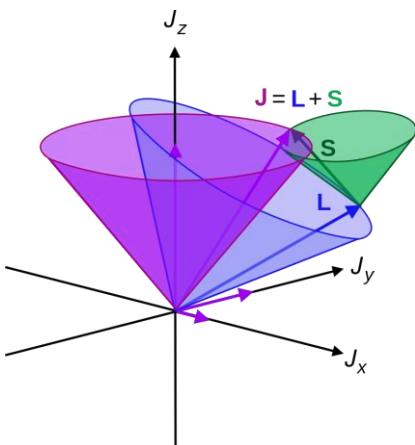
1. Conservation of total angular momentum and the selection rules



2. Landé g-factor

For atom : $H_B = -\mu_S \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_L \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_I \cdot \mathbf{B}$
 $\sim -\mu_S \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_L \cdot \mathbf{B}$

LS-coupling
 $(J = L + S)$



(Without nuclear magnetic moment)

$$H_B \sim -\mu_S \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_L \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

$$= \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_s \frac{(\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J^2} + \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_L \frac{(\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J^2}$$

$$= \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} \left(\frac{\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{J}}{J^2} + \frac{\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{J}}{J^2} \right) m_J \mathbf{B}$$

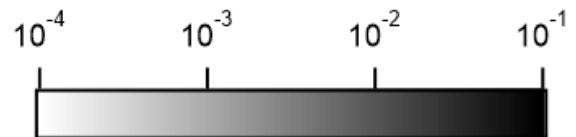
$$= \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_J m_J \mathbf{B}$$

$$g_J = g_s \frac{J(J+1) + S(S+1) - L(L+1)}{2J(J+1)} + g_L \frac{J(J+1) - S(S+1) + L(L+1)}{2J(J+1)}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} g_s = 2.0023193043737 \\ g_L = 0.99999587 \\ g_I = -0.0004476540 \\ \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} = 1.3996 \text{ MHz/Gauss} \end{array} \right\}$$

$|23\rangle$ molecule

Normalized optical density



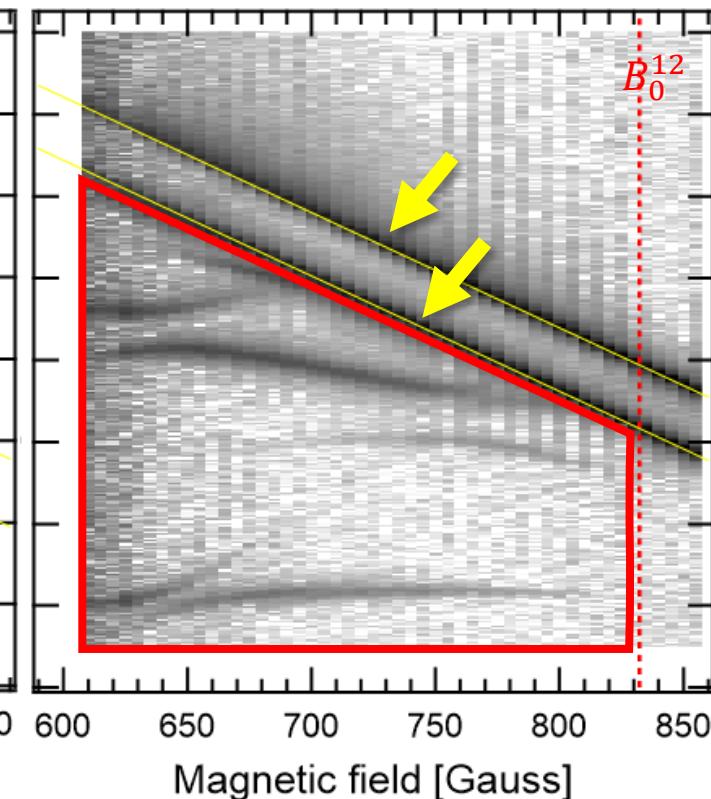
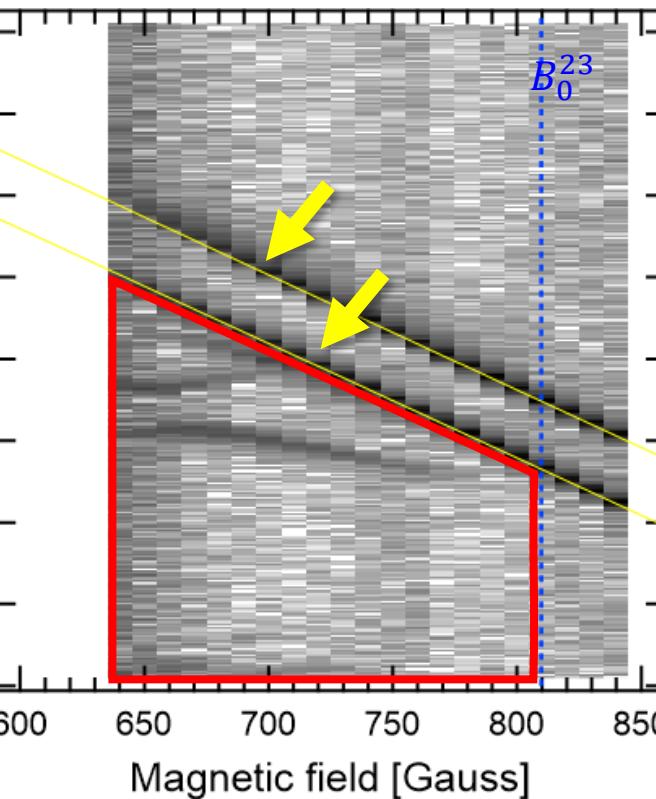
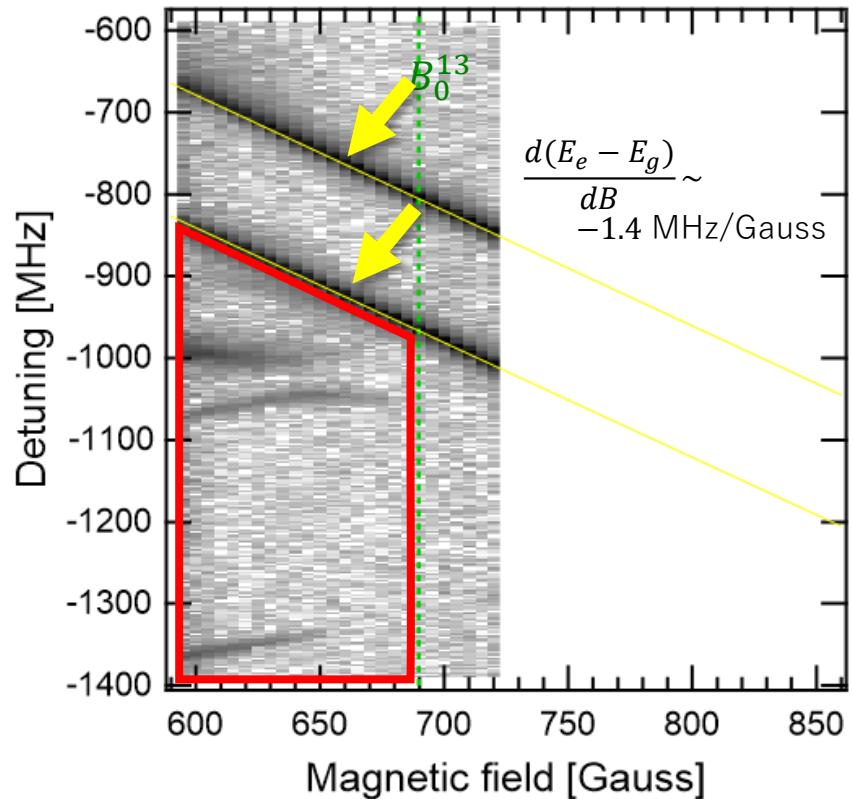
$|13\rangle$ molecule

Normalized optical density



$|12\rangle$ molecule

Normalized optical density



2. Landé g-factor

For diatomic molecule :

$$H_B = -\mu_S \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_L \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_I \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_R \cdot \mathbf{B}$$
$$\sim -\mu_S \cdot \mathbf{B} - \mu_L \cdot \mathbf{B}$$

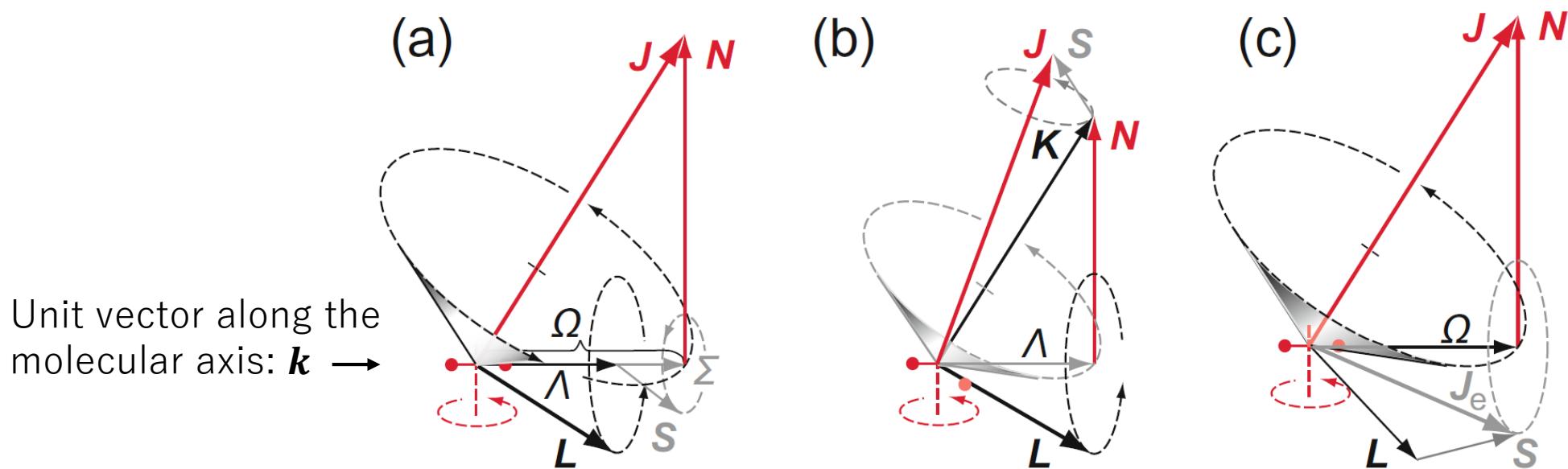
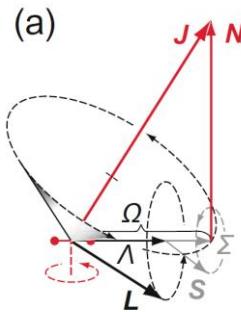


Fig. 3.40 HUND's cases (a), (b), (c)

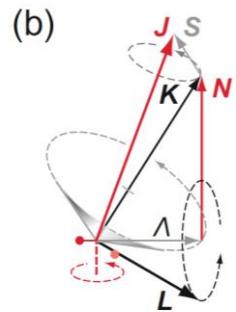
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2. Landé g-factor



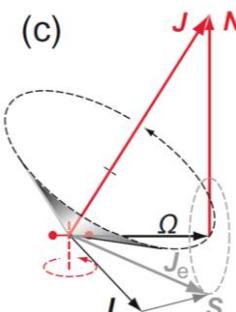
$$H_B \sim \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_s \frac{(\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{k})(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J^2} + \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_L \frac{(\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{k})(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J^2}$$

Strong coupling of L along the molecular axis, and strong LS coupling



$$H_B \sim \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_s \frac{(\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J^2} + \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_L \frac{(\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{k})(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{K})(\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{K^2 J^2}$$

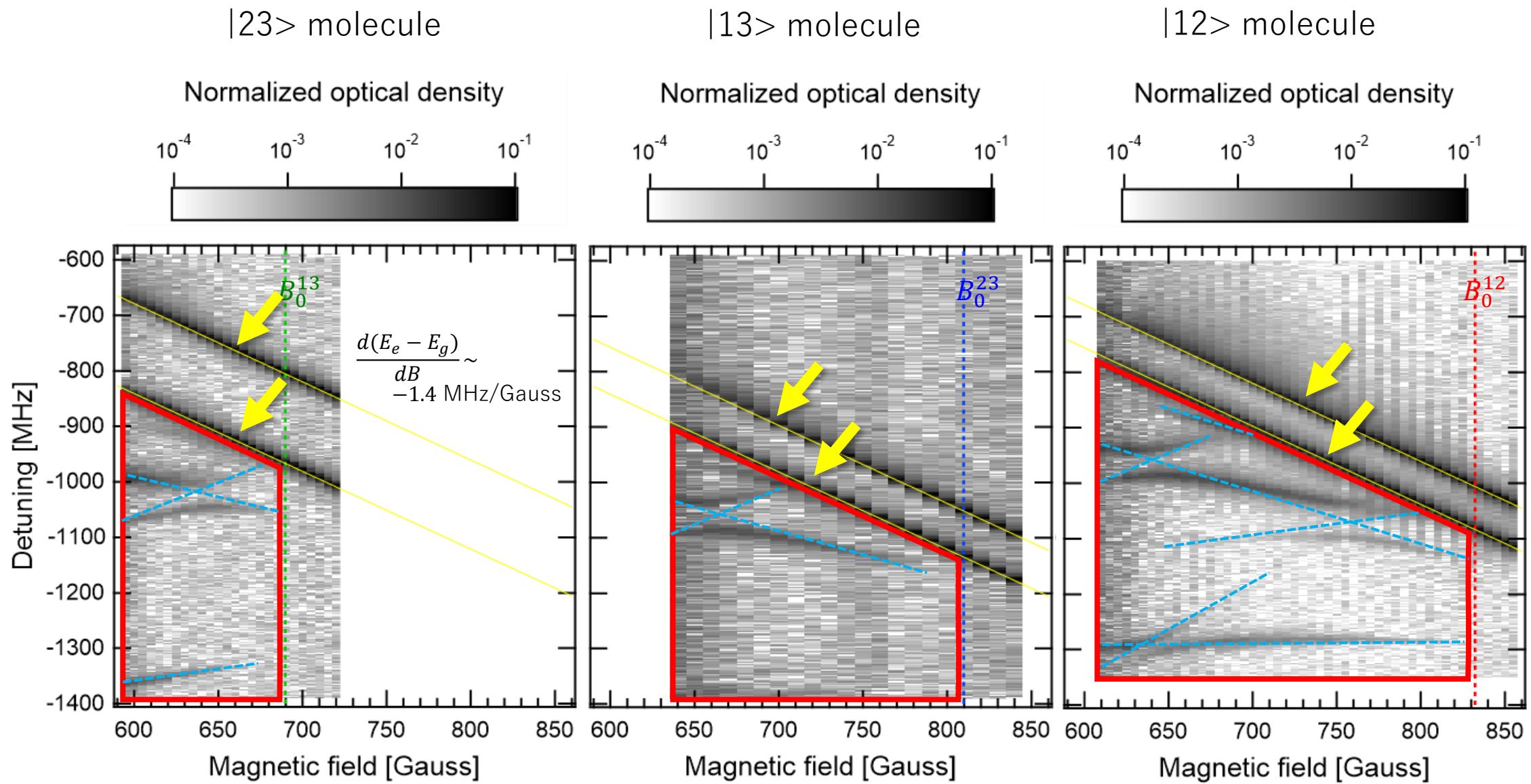
$\Lambda = 0$, or high rotational molecule



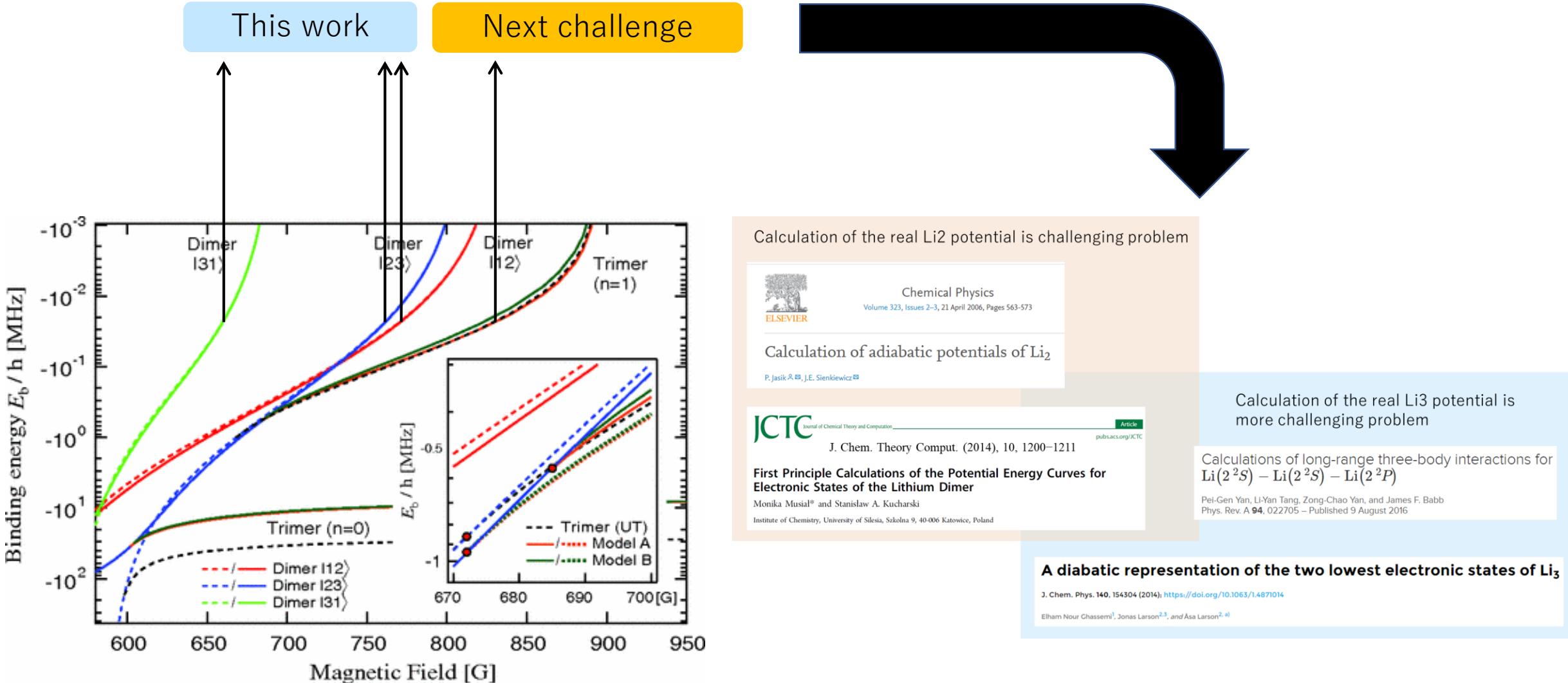
$$H_B \sim \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_s \frac{(\mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{J}_e)(\mathbf{J}_e \cdot \mathbf{k})(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J_e^2 J^2} + \frac{\mu_B}{\hbar} g_L \frac{(\mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{k})(\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{K})(\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{J})(\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{B})}{J_e^2 J^2}$$

Dissociation limit

I will evaluate later, and assign them.

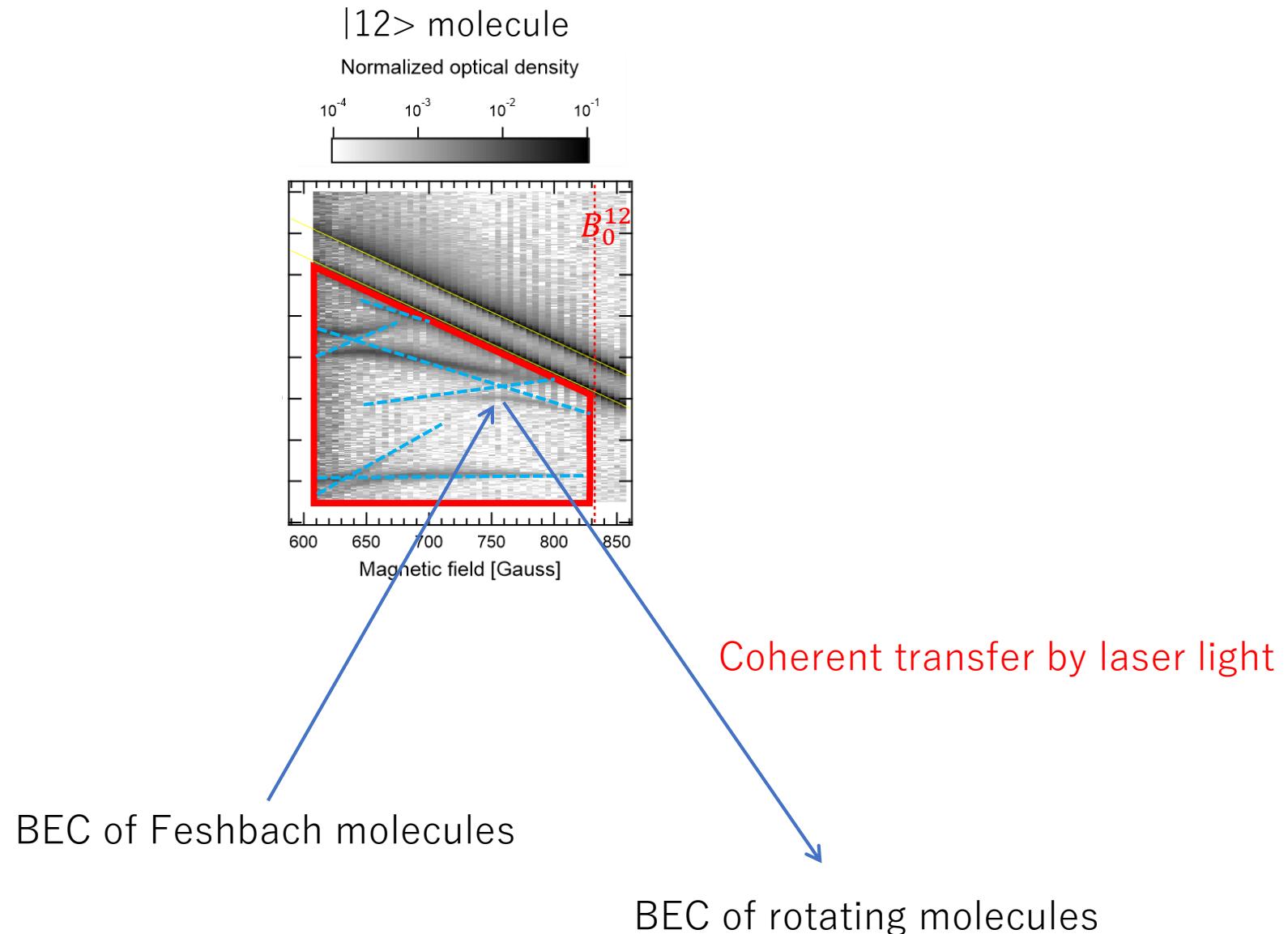


Planning experiment to access triatomic molecules



Feshbach molecule and Efimov trimer by 6Li atoms

Planning experiment to access triatomic molecules



Summary

Ultracold AMO experiment for quantum few-body and many-body

- Road from complex molecular potentials to Universal Feshbach molecules
 - ✓ Low energy scattering with a short range potential is origin of the universal physics
 - ✓ Two-channel coupling realize Feshbach resonance
- Absorption spectroscopy of Feshbach molecules
 - ✓ We experimentally studied optical response on Feshbach molecules for the precision measurement
 - ✓ The change of the line shapes looks universal behavior as a function of a/λ
 - ✓ Various excited molecular states were found, they will improve molecular calculation
- Next challenge
 - ✓ Taking spectroscopy with shorter wave length
 - ✓ Dipole transition of Efimov trimer to the excited triatomic molecules
 - ✓ Coherent transfer from BEC of the Feshbach molecule to the rotating molecules