

EXCITON g-FACTOR IN QUANTUM WELLS

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G-factor is a coefficient of proportionality between classical giromagnetic ratio and real one

$$\mu = g\mu_0 = g \frac{e}{2mc}$$

Giromagnetic ratio is a ratio of magnetic and mechanical momenta

$$\vec{\Omega} = \mu \vec{H}$$

Electron g-factor

Consider effective mass Hamiltonian for electron

$$H_{ij} = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m_0} \delta_{ij} + \frac{\hbar^2}{m^2} \sum_i \frac{(\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{ji})(\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{ij})}{\varepsilon_0(0) - \varepsilon_i(0)} + \mu g_0 (\hat{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}_{ij} \cdot \mathbf{B})$$

Will take into account magnetic field by substitution

$$\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{k} + \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) \quad \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{2} [\mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{r}]$$

Split $\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{p}$ Term on symmetric and anti-symmetric parts

$$\frac{\hbar^2}{m_0^2} \sum_i \frac{\mathbf{K} \cdot \{\mathbf{p}_{ji} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{ij}\} \cdot \mathbf{K}}{\varepsilon_0(0) - \varepsilon_i(0)} - i \frac{1}{m_0^2} \frac{e\hbar}{2c} \mathbf{B} \cdot \sum_i \frac{[\mathbf{p}_{ji} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{ij}]}{\varepsilon_0(0) - \varepsilon_i(0)}$$

We obtain for effective mass and g-factor

$$\frac{1}{m_c^*} = \frac{1}{m_0} \sum_i \frac{|P_{ci}^x|^2}{\varepsilon_c(0) - \varepsilon_i(0)} \quad g = \frac{e}{2m_0^2 c} \sum_i \frac{P_{ci}^x P_{ic}^y - P_{ci}^y P_{ic}^x}{\varepsilon_c(0) - \varepsilon_i(0)}$$

Exciton g-factor

$$g_{exc} = g_e + g_h + g_{orbital}$$

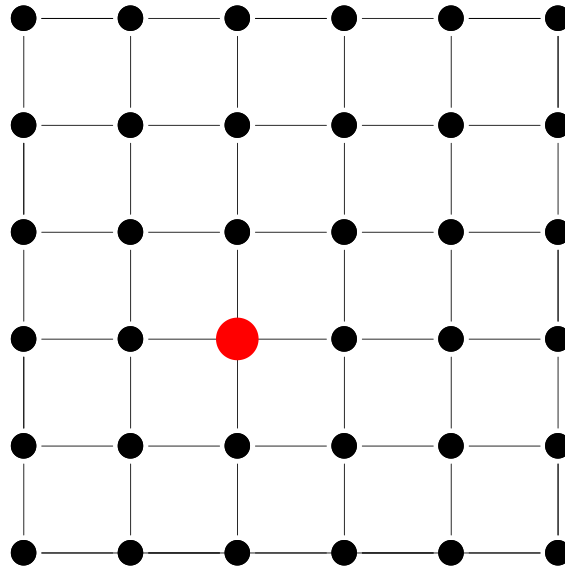
One should have in mind that for orbital motion contrary to the g factor of electron (hole) we have effective mass in the denominator!

$$\frac{e}{2m^*c}$$

For exciton Zeeman splitting one can obtain

$$\frac{e}{2c} \left(\frac{1}{m_e} - \frac{1}{m_h} \right) (\vec{H} \cdot \vec{L})$$

Exciton can travel in crystal completely free



If we will create exciton with definite moment it will move with this K vector

The main property of exciton is its mobility

Let consider all possible corrections to the exciton g-factor that depend on exciton wave vector K or K^2

Will use theory of irreducible tensors

The idea of this method is that:

An arbitrary tensor can be split on irreducible tensors which are transforming by the same way.

For example: second rank tensor splits on scalar + vector + symmetric tensor of the second rank

Third rank tensor can be split on 1) scalar, 2) three vectors, 3) two tensors of the second rank and one symmetric tensor of the third rank

Because magnetic field transforms as a pseudo-vector

We have to construct all possible pseudo-vectors from the products

$$K_i H_j \quad \text{and/or} \quad K_i K_j H_l$$

$K_i H_j$ can not give any pseudo-vector

Home task:

Construct symmetric tensor from the product

$$K_i H_j$$

*(This term will be the considered of my presentation
in OECS13)*

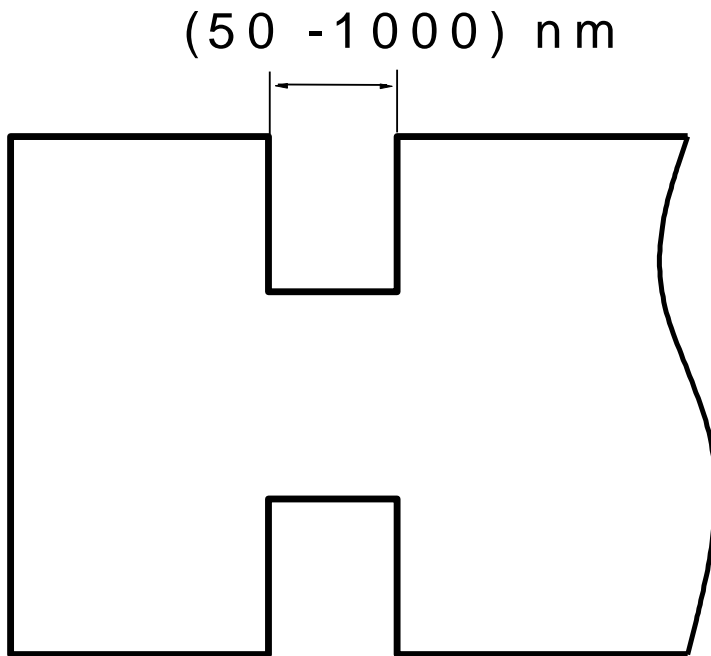
The terms proportional to $K_i K_j$ are:

Γ_4	$K^2 H_x$ $K^2 H_y$ $K^2 H_z$
Γ_4	$2(2K_x^2 - K_y^2 - K_z^2)H_x$ $2(2K_y^2 - K_x^2 - K_z^2)H_y$ $2(2K_z^2 - K_x^2 - K_y^2)H_z$
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We can expect the $\sim K^2$ corrections to the g-factor
both in Faraday and Voigt geometry

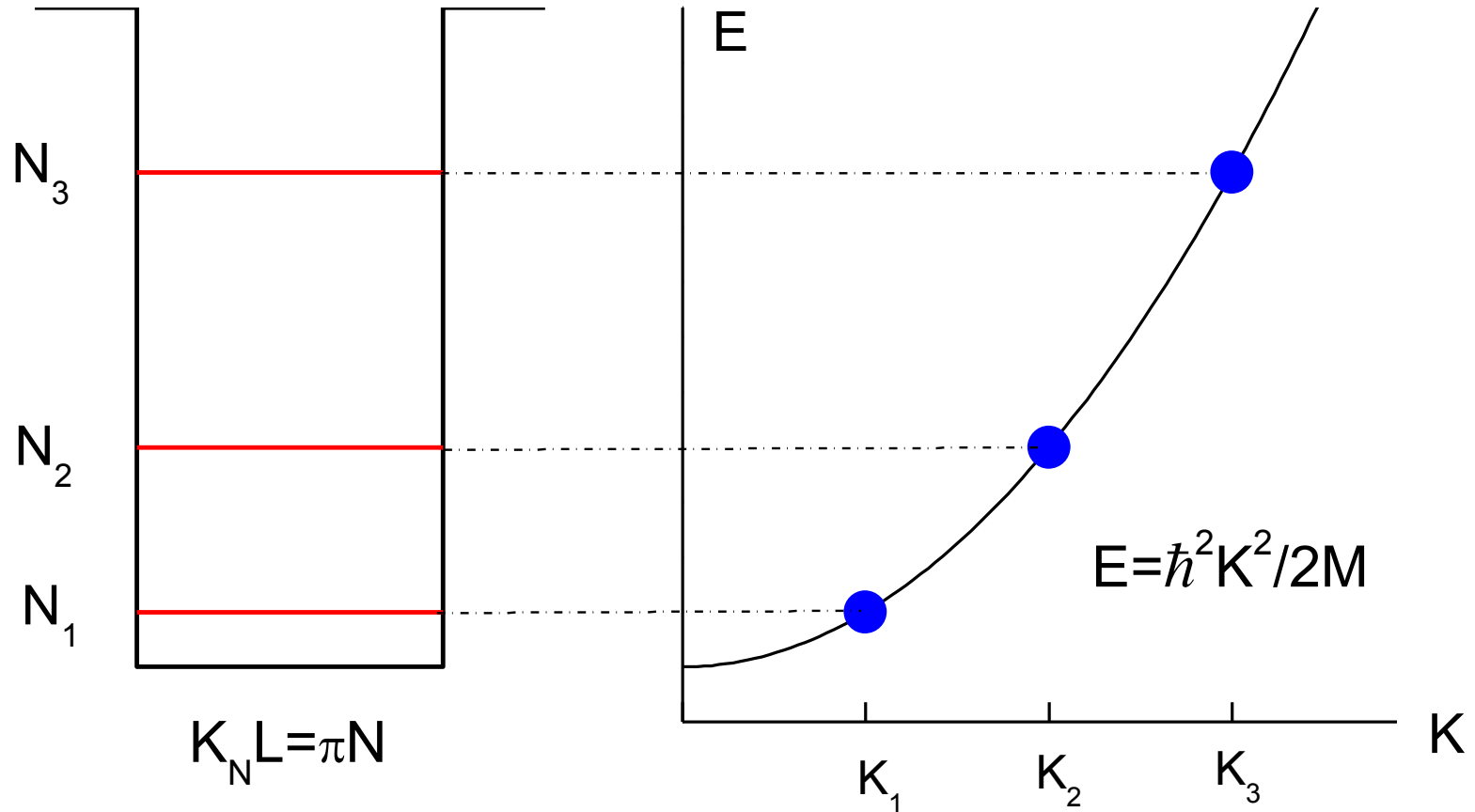
Experimental observations

GaAs, CdTe, ZnTe and ZnSe QW. QW width 50 – 1000 nm; exciton Bohr radius from 3nm to 12 nm,



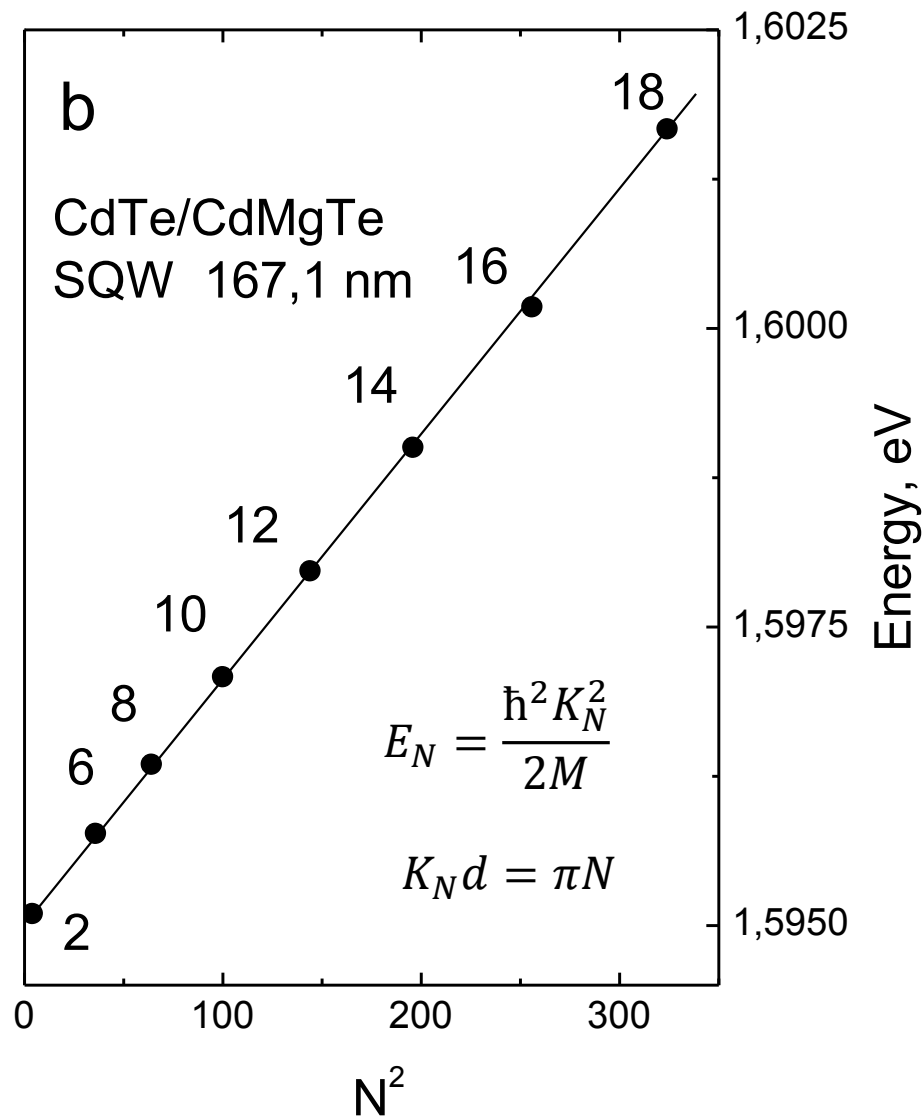
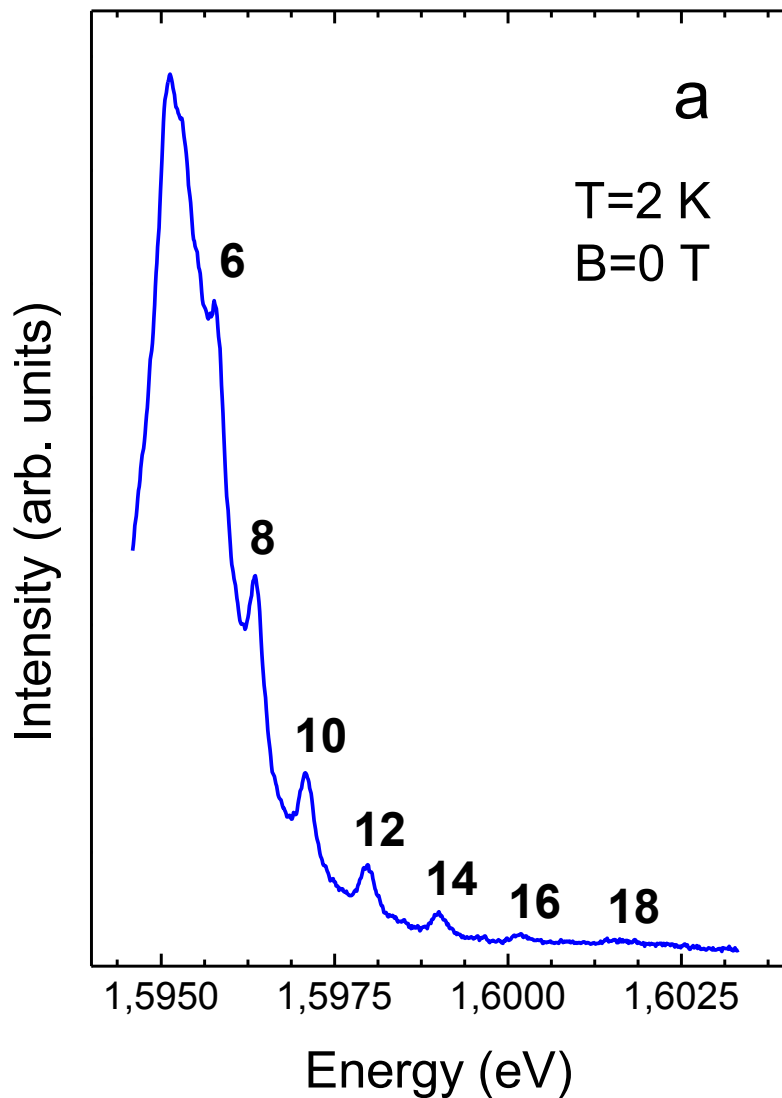
Samples with wide QW

Exciton center of mass quantization



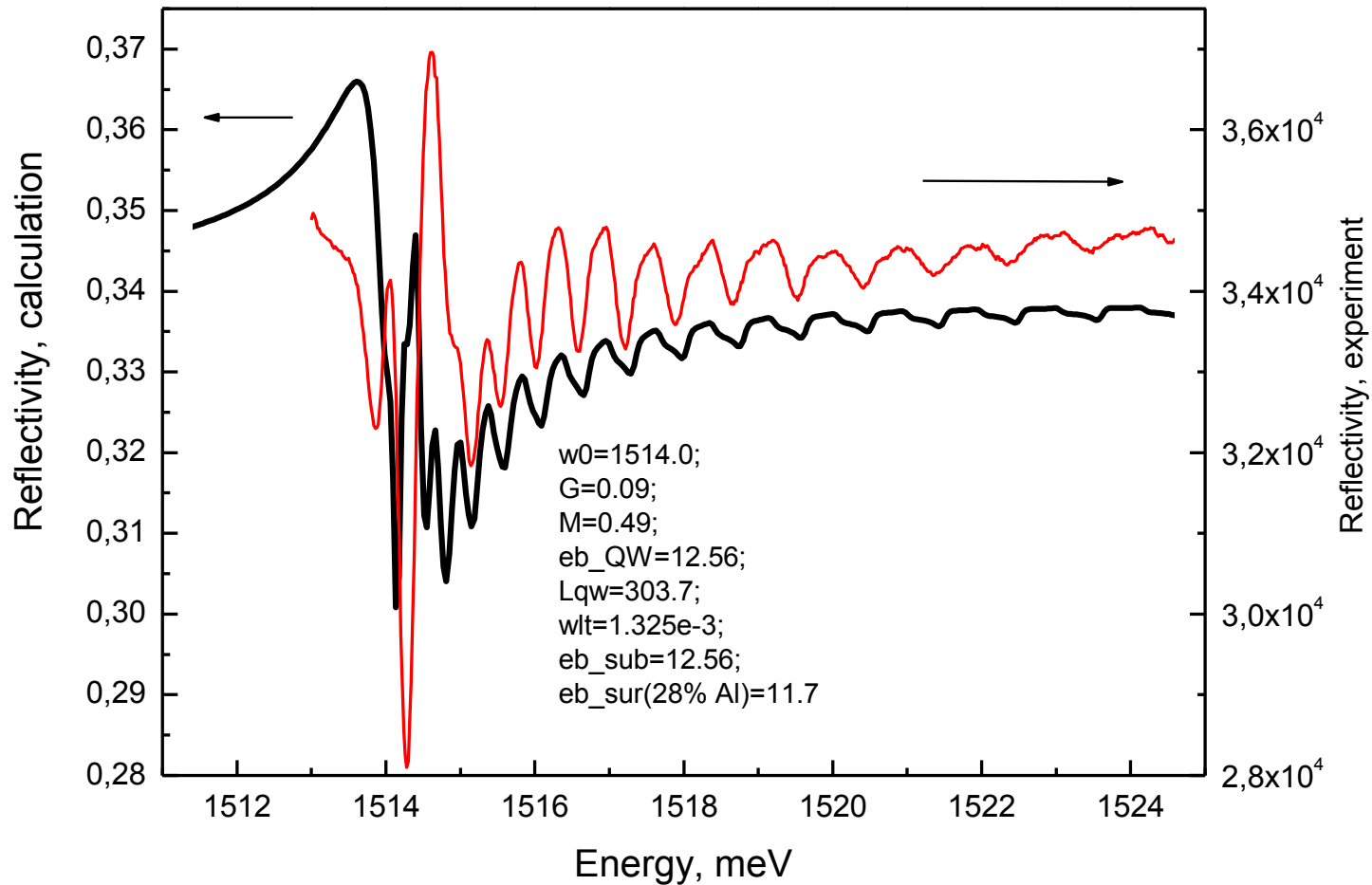
The exciton has its bulk properties but in the spectrum we have discrete points

Center of mass quantization in PL spectra

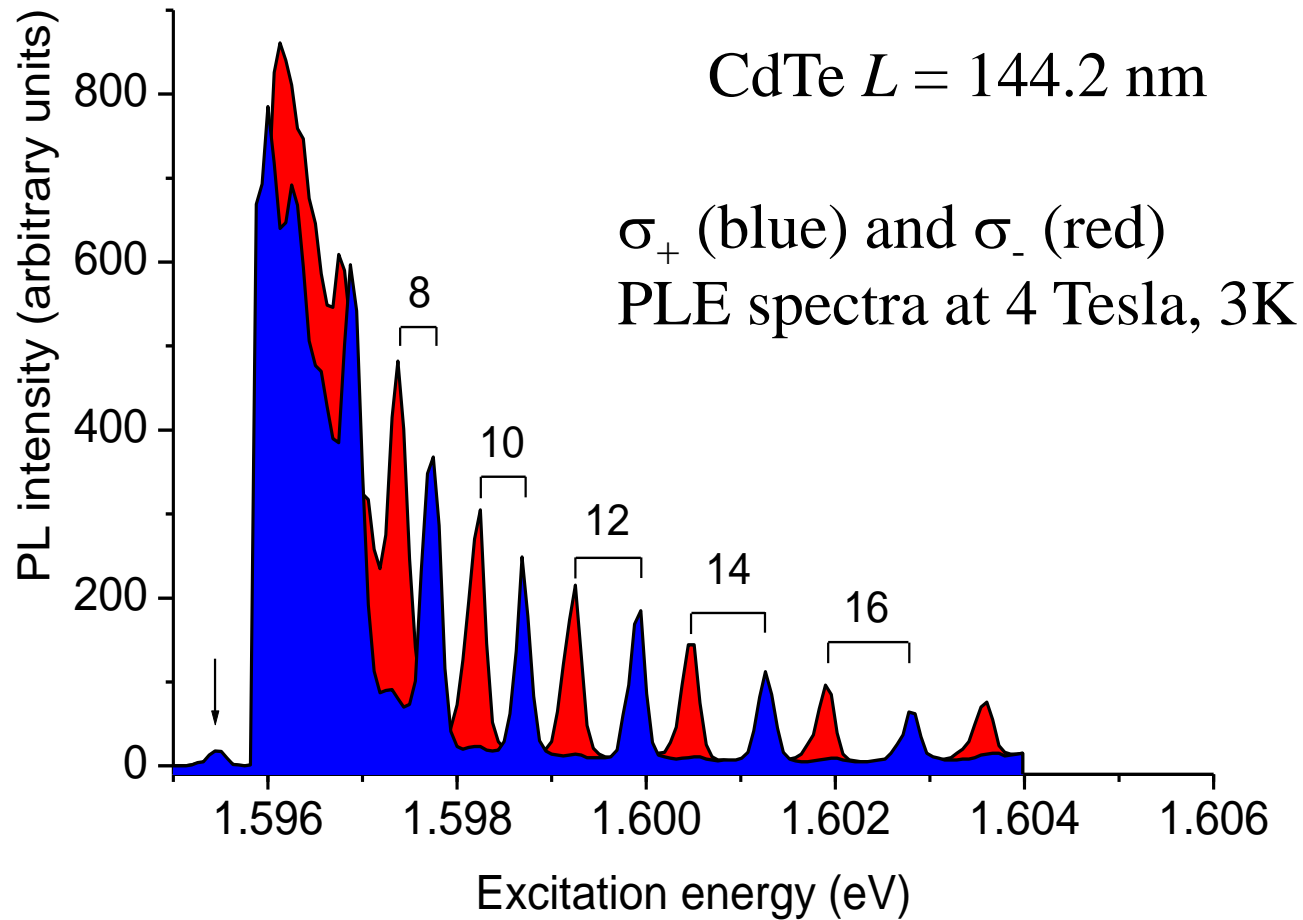


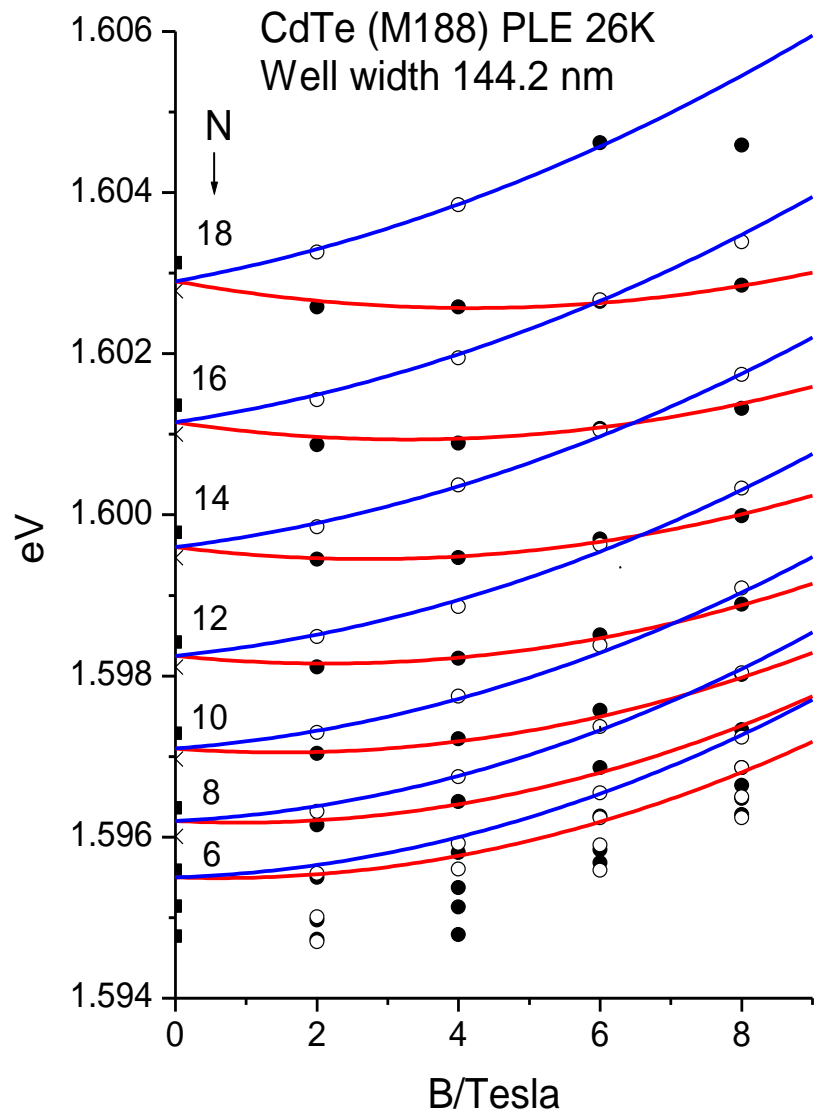
Center of mass quantization in reflectivity

Sample e292



PLE in magnetic field of 4T

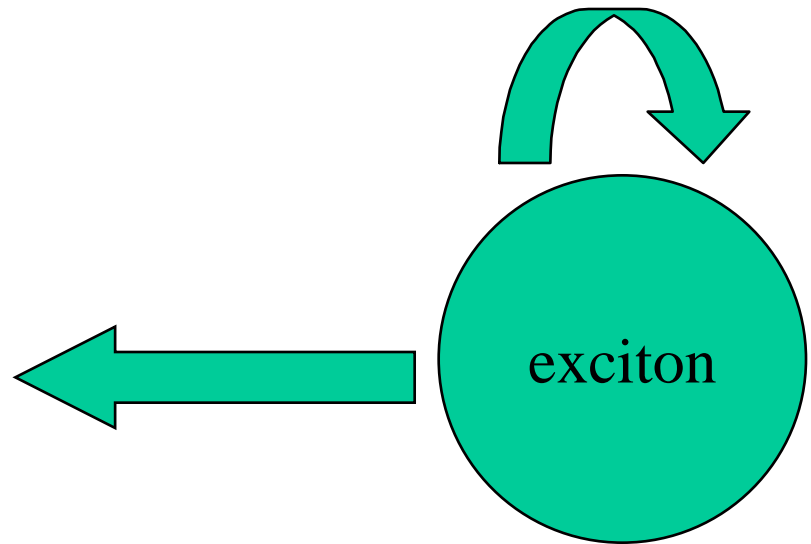




Zeeman
splitting of
the exciton
states

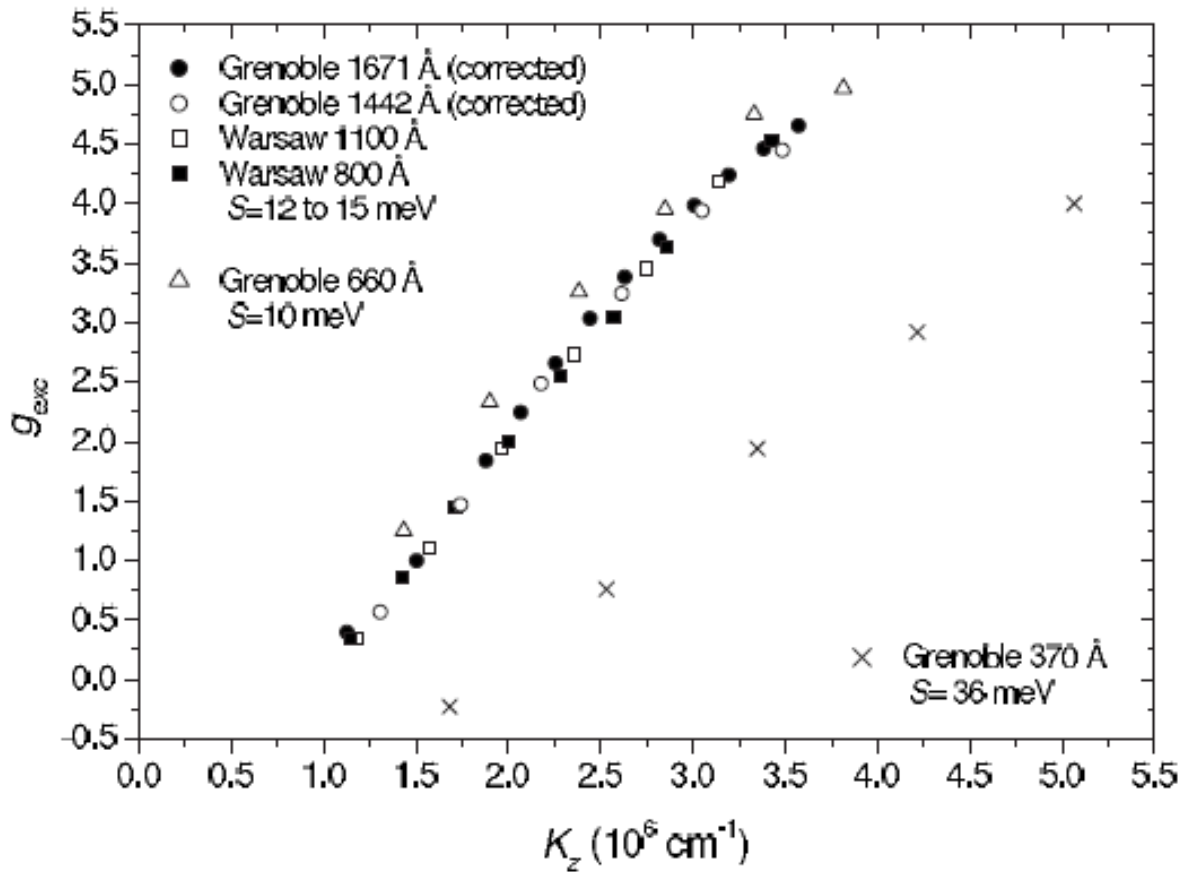
Increase of magnetic momentum at exciton motion

Exciton magnetic momentum $\mu_B \mathbf{g}$ increases proportional to its kinetic energy

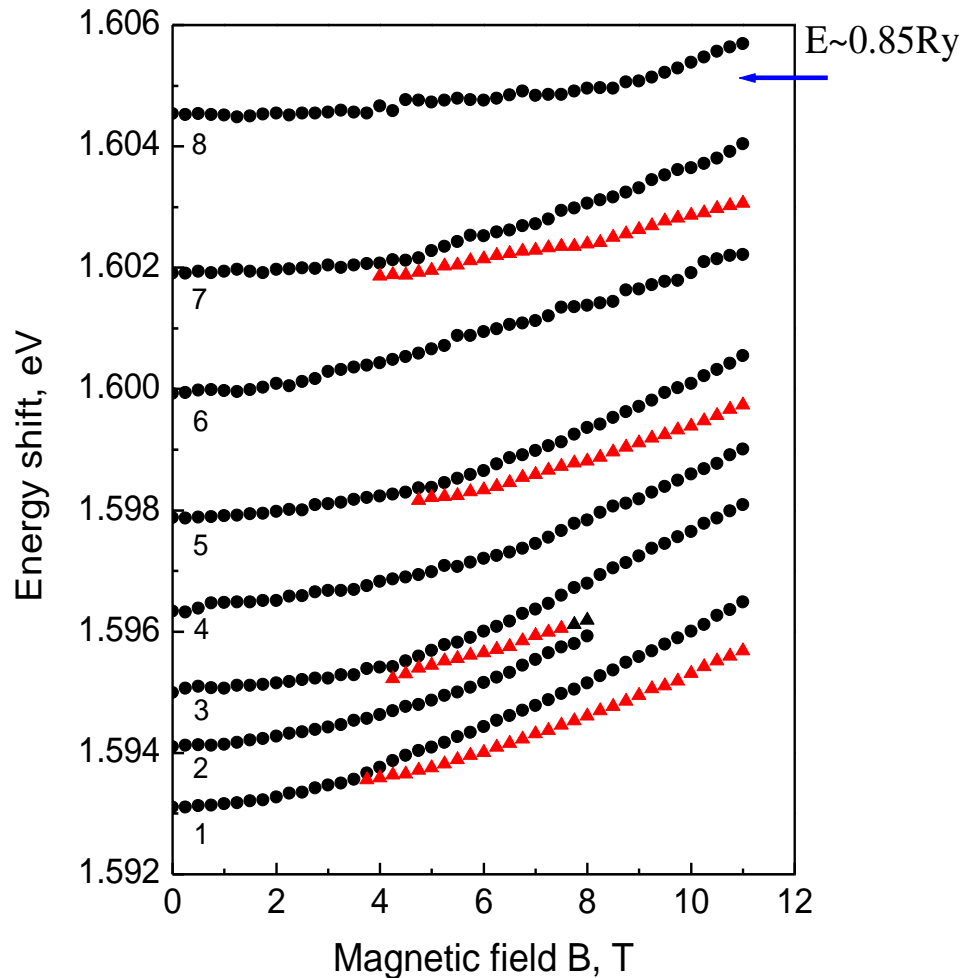


This is a result of mixing of $1S$ exciton ground state and excited nP states of internal motion. Orbital momentum from P states “transfer” to S state.

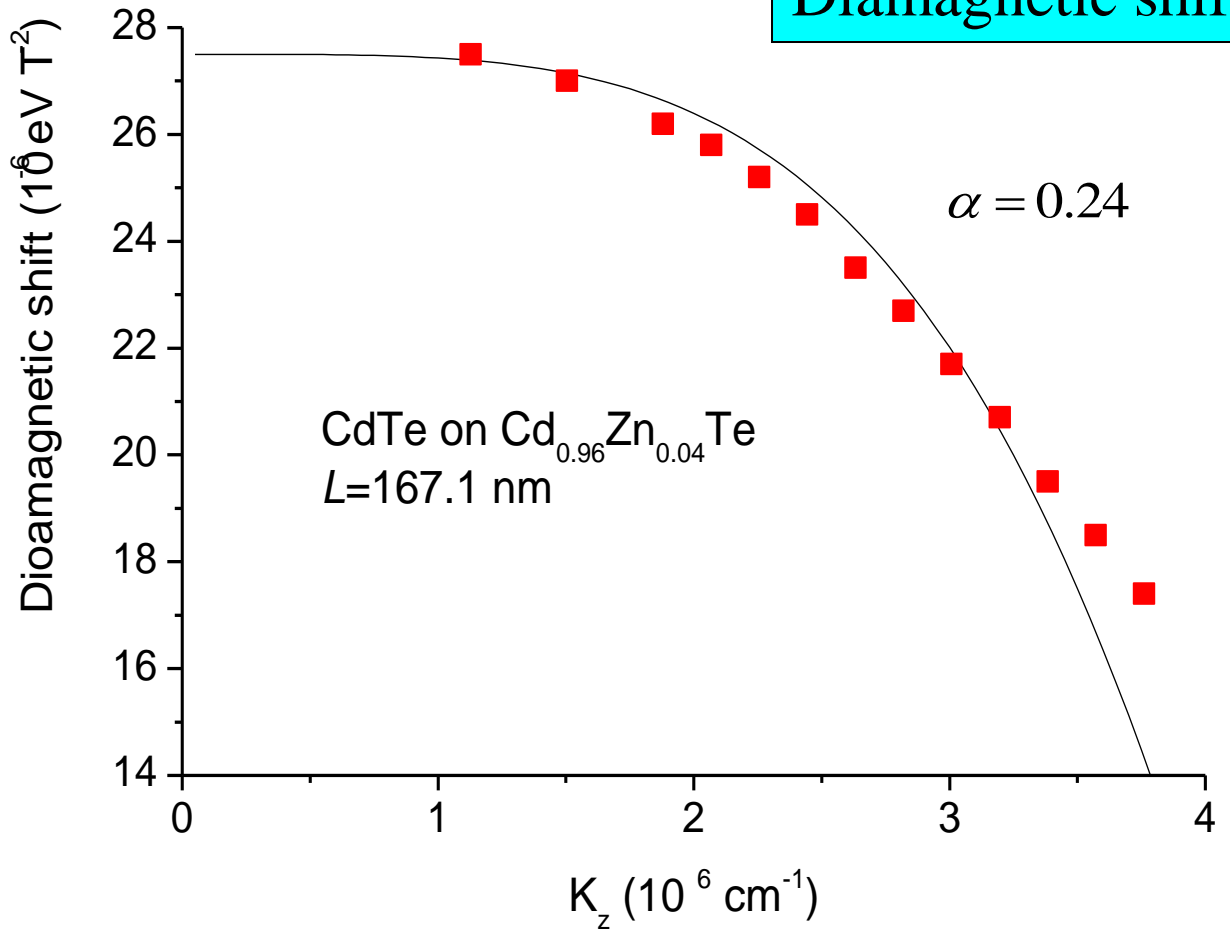
The value of the K^2H corrections to the Zeeman splitting depends on the heavy – light hole splitting



Exciton diamagnetic shift decreases with increasing of quantized level



Diamagnetic shift



Exciton Hamiltonian:

$$H = -\frac{\hbar^2 \vec{\nabla}_e^2}{2m_e} - \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_0} \left[(\gamma_1 + \frac{5}{2}\gamma) \vec{\nabla}_h^2 \mathbf{I} - 2\gamma (\vec{J} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_h)^2 \right] - \frac{e^2}{\kappa |\vec{r}_e - \vec{r}_h|}$$

In cubic crystal it is impossible to separate exciton internal motion and center of mass motion.

In Faraday geometry:

$$\frac{\hat{\beta} \hbar \gamma}{m_0} \left[(\mathbf{p}_x + \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}_x) J_x + (\mathbf{p}_y + \frac{e}{c} \mathbf{A}_y) J_y \right] (Q_z J_z)$$

Оба явления вызваны смешиванием основного $1S$ состояния и возбужденных nP состояний внутреннего движения в экситоне

Зеемановское расщепление

$$\Delta E = 2AH(7J_z - 4J_z^3)$$

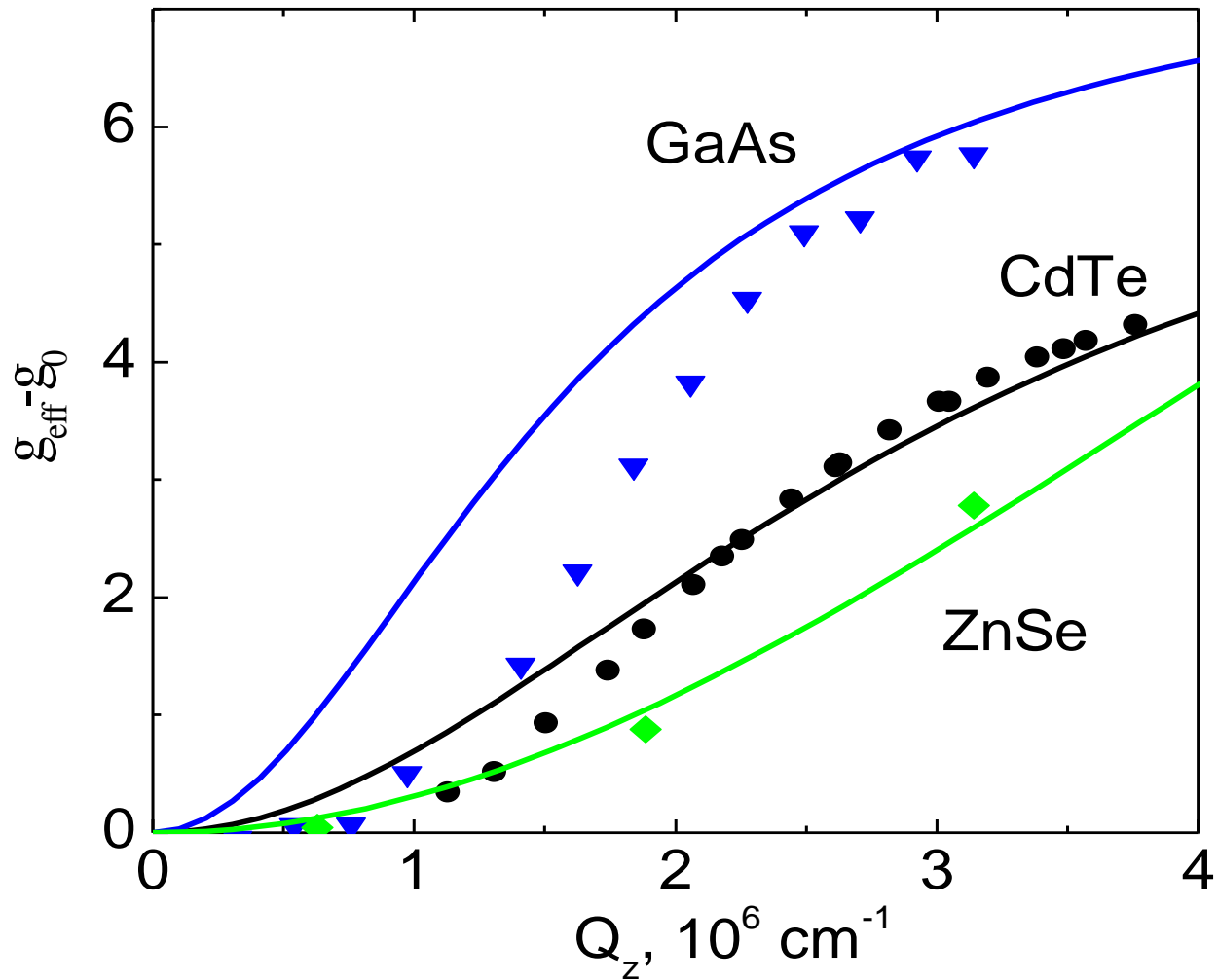
$$A = \left(\frac{\gamma}{m_0}\right)^2 \left(\frac{m_{hh}}{m_e + m_{hh}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{e\hbar}{c}\right) \left(\frac{\hbar^2}{2} \frac{Q^2}{Ry^*}\right) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\langle 1S | r / a_B | nP \rangle \langle 1S | a_B \nabla | nP \rangle}{1 - 1/n^2 + \Delta(Q) / Ry^*}$$

Диаманитный сдвиг

$$\Delta E = B_0 H^2 - B_1 Q^2 H^2$$

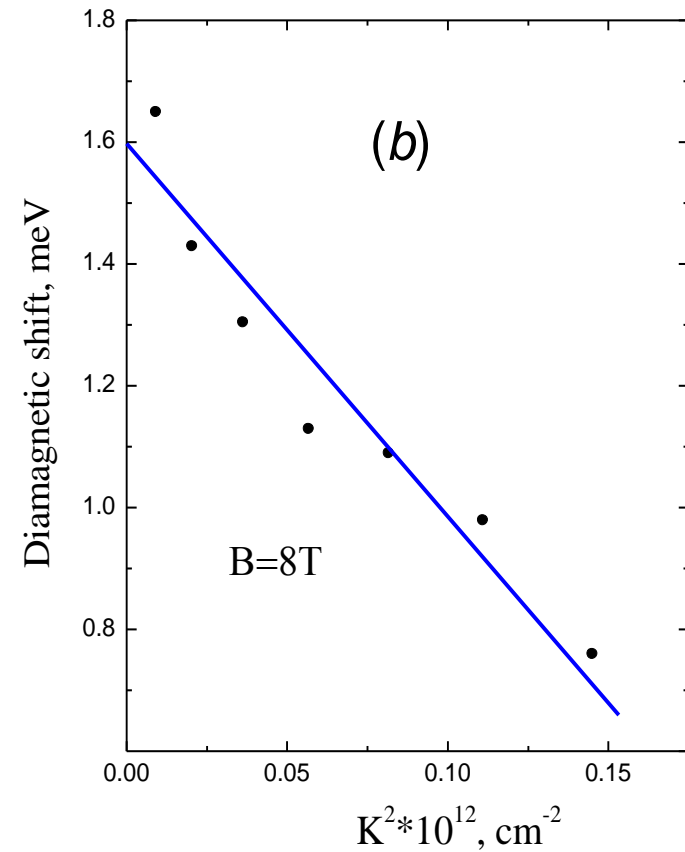
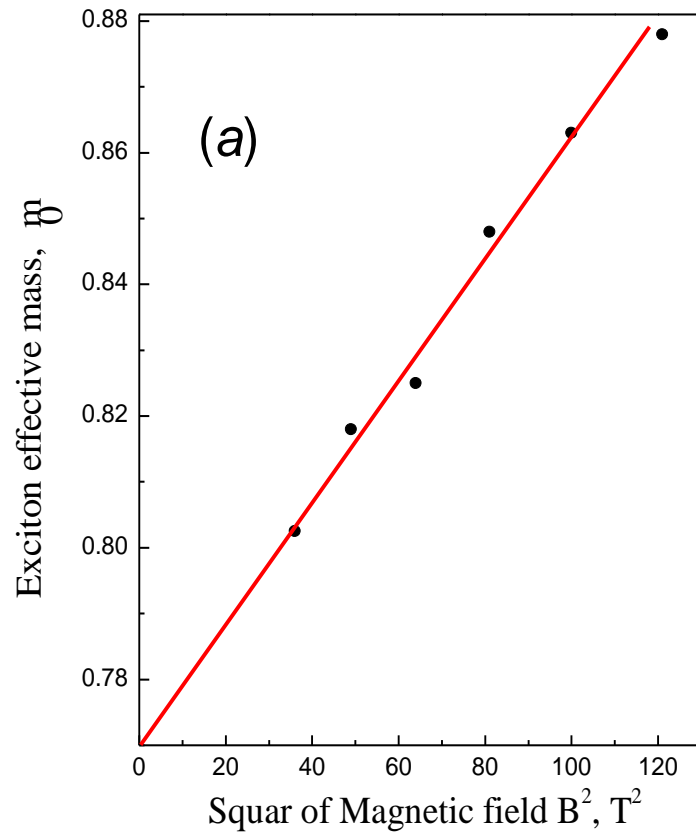
$$B_1 = \frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{\gamma}{m_0}\right)^2 \hat{\beta}^2 \left(\frac{e\hbar}{c}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{Ry^*}\right) a_B^2 \sum_n \frac{|\langle 1S | r / a_B | nP_y \rangle|^2}{1 - 1/n^2 + \Delta(Q) / Ry^*}$$

Exciton g-factor as a function of center of mass wave vector

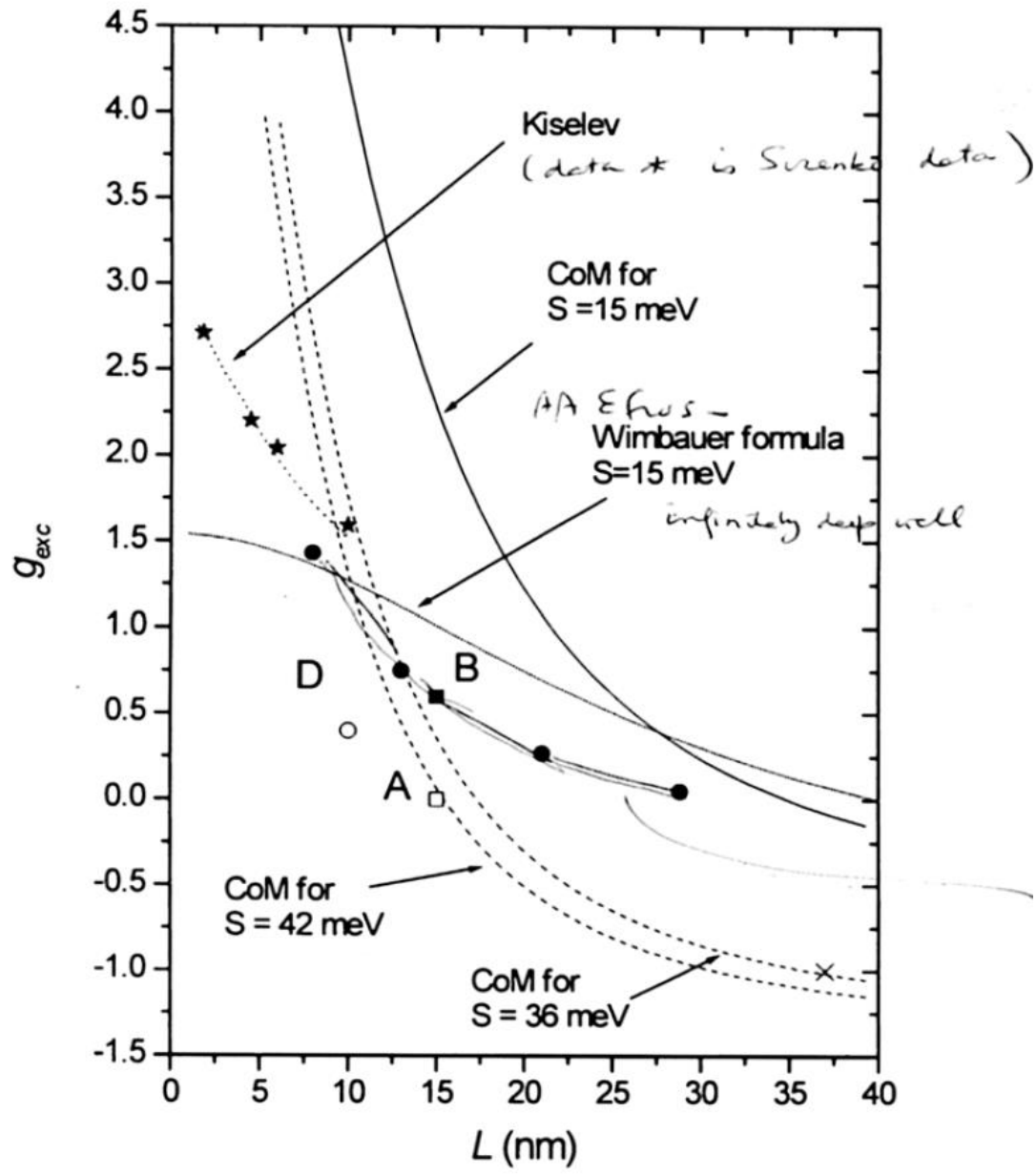


Suppression of diamagnetic shift

$$\frac{\hbar^2 Q^2}{2M} + D_0 H^2 - D_1 Q^2 H^2$$

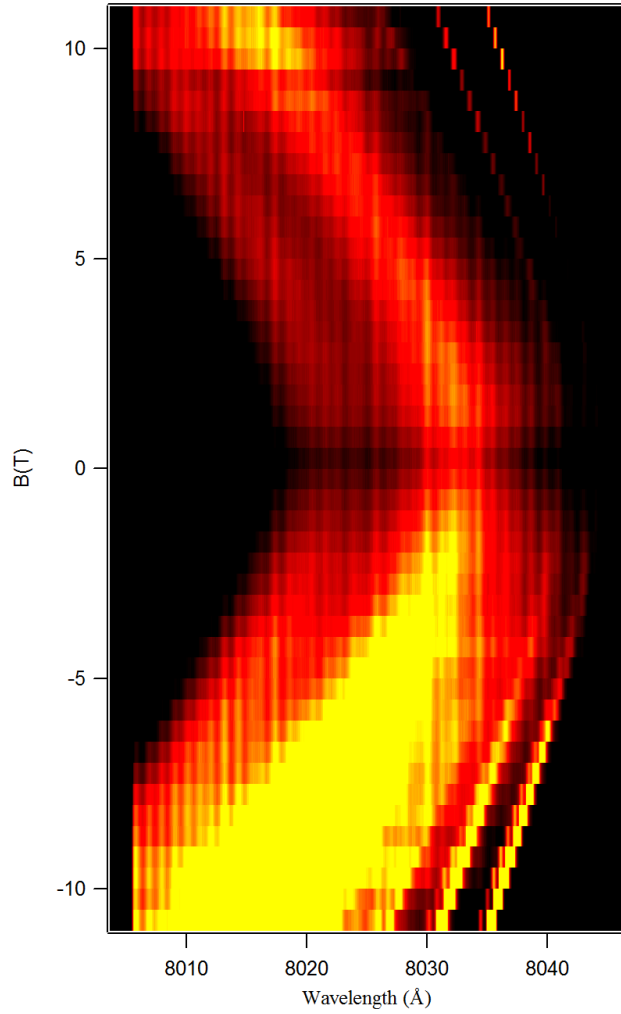


The effect of g -factor increasing can be observed not only for exciton center of mass motion but also for excitons in quantum wells and even for free hole.

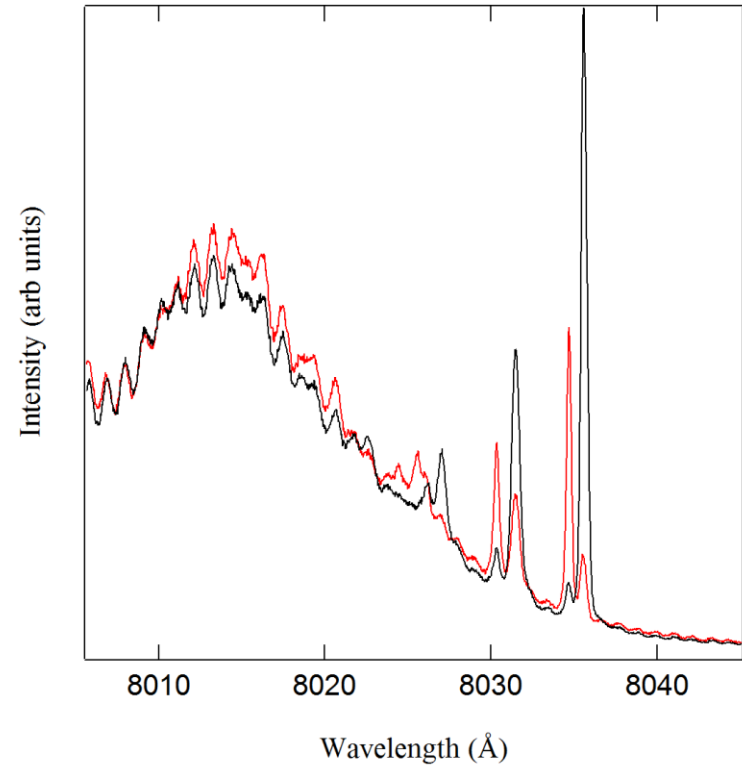


For the lateral polariton quantization one can find similar effect

Γ_4	$\begin{aligned} & \{K_x K_y\} H_y + \{K_x K_z\} H_z \\ & \{K_y K_z\} H_z + \{K_x K_y\} H_x \\ & \{K_z K_x\} H_x + \{K_z K_y\} H_y \end{aligned}$
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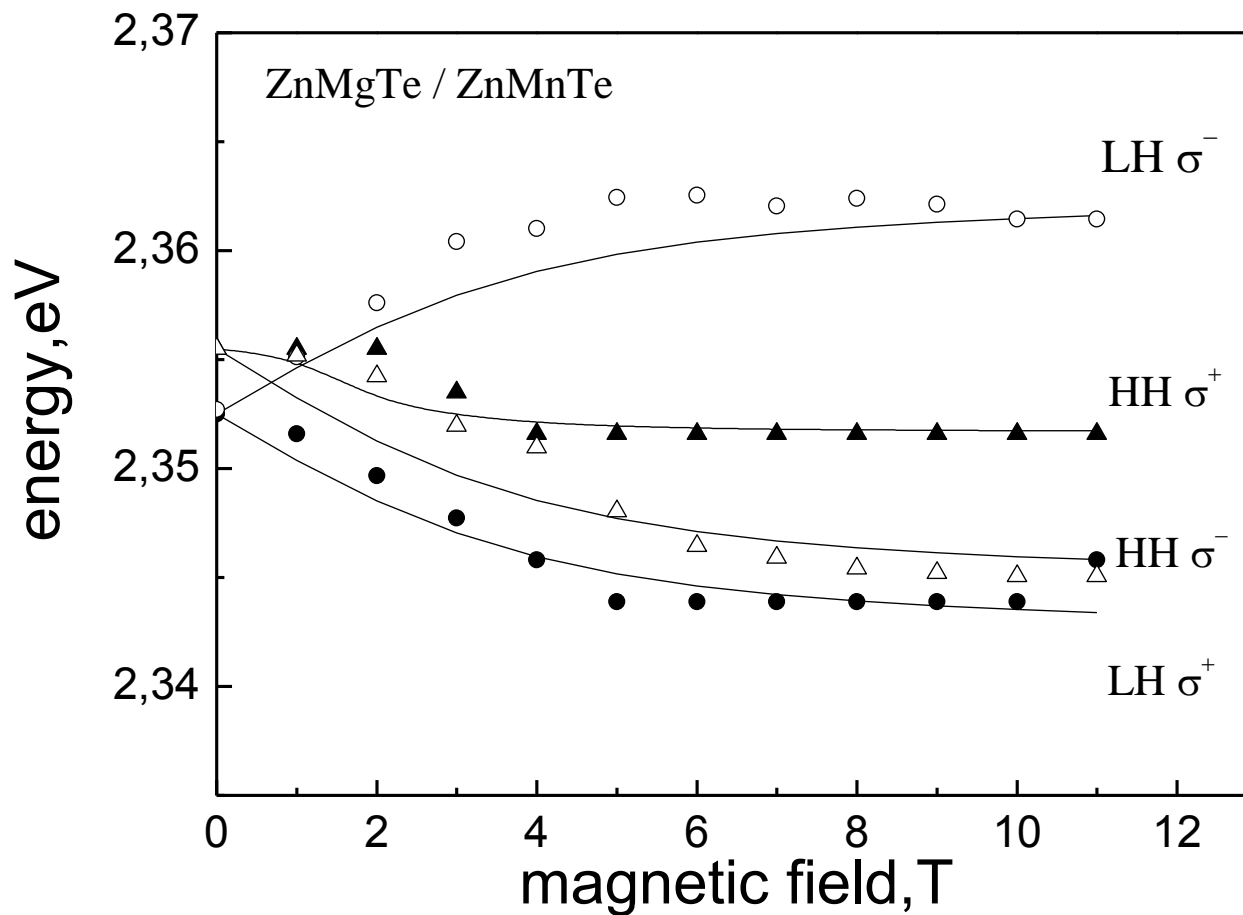


Zeeman split polariton modes

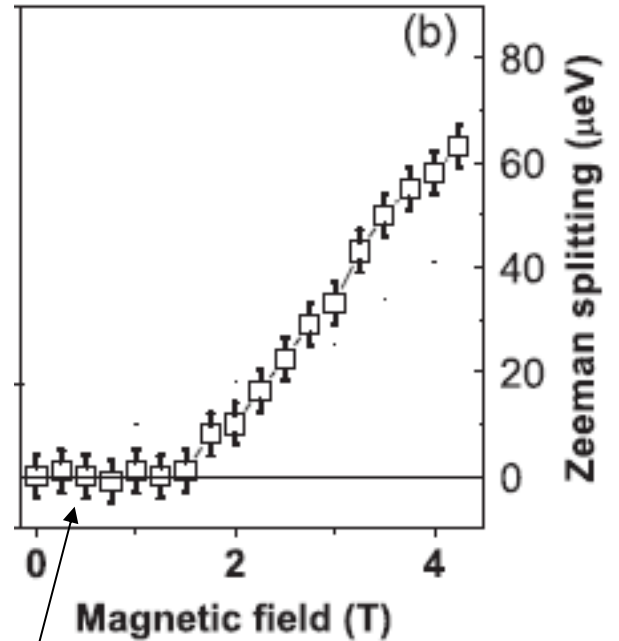
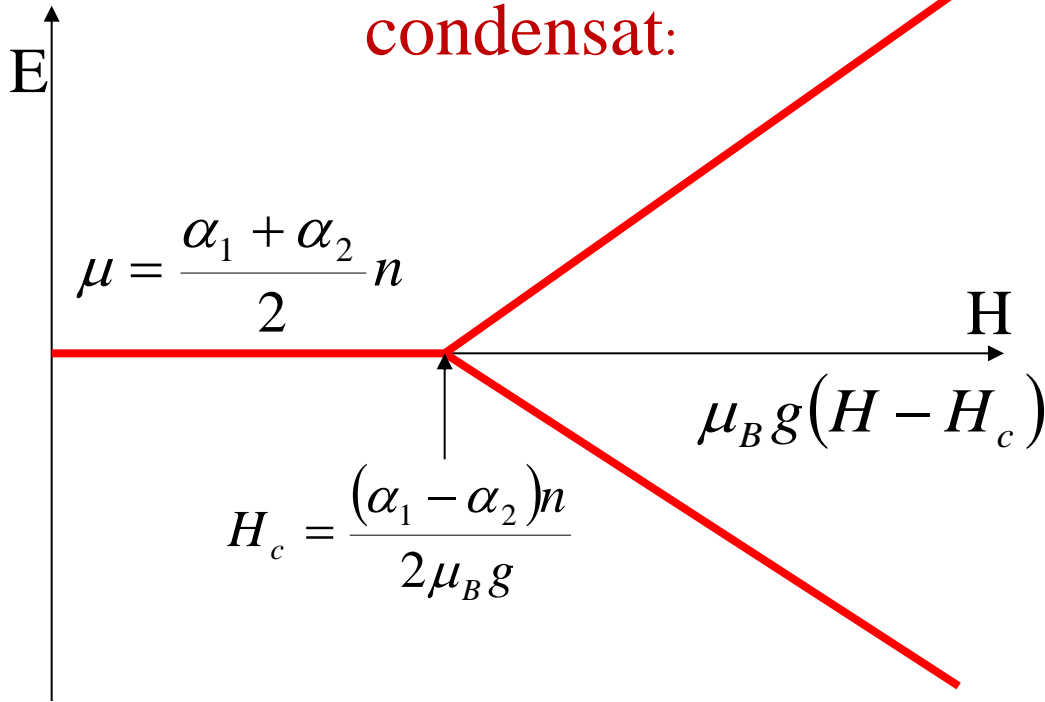
Exciton g-factor can depends also on the environment

1. Giant Zeeman splitting for Excitons in semimagnetic
2. Zero Zeeman splitting in Bose condensate

Giant g-factor in semimagnetic semiconductor



Zero g-factor in polariton condensate:



Spin Meysner effect

$$F = -\mu n - \mu_B g B S_z + \frac{1}{2}(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)n^2 + (\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)S_z^2$$

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Conclusion

Thank you for the attention

