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IONIC TRANSPORT COEFFICIENTS IN RARE-EARTH AND ACTINIDE LIQUID METALS

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1. Introduction. Up to the present day the measurement of the viscosity and the diffusion of liquid metals has interested metallurgists. In recent years the liquid metals have been used as heat transfer fluids in several systems. So there are „the heat pipes” and the nuclear power reactors, where the viscosity is an important engineering property. For many other reasons the knowledge of the viscosity coefficients of a rare-earth or actinide liquid metal is essentially needed.

Empirically derived viscosity values for liquid metals have been somewhat successful, but because of inadequate understanding of the liquid state, these values are questionable. These data must be compared with several proposed models for the ionic transport coefficients in liquid metals.

On the other hand the relationship between viscosity and selfdiffusion of these fluids is of a great theoretical interest.

In this respect we shall propose a useful approach which permits to estimate the viscosity and self-diffusion coefficients of the rare-earth actinide liquid metals. For this purpose we shall take into account the previously analysed empirical relationships with some other physical properties of the liquid metals, as Debye's temperature, the activation energy, the temperature -dependent diameter and entropy [1]. The so calculated values were shown to be in good agreement with the available experimental data for the viscosity of most liquid metals, but far less so for diffusion results [1]

2. Viscosity of rare-earth and actinide metals. The viscosities of all fluids are strongly dependent upon the temperature. The data for most liquid metals — over a temperature range of several hundred degrees — are adequately represented by the Arrhenius equation [2]:

$$\mu = A \cdot \exp (E/RT) \quad (1)$$

where A is a constant, E is the activation energy for viscous flow, R is the gas constant and T — the temperature

But this empirical equation does not account for any variation in the density of the liquid which is also dependent upon temperature. In order to account for these density variations this equation was modified by Andrade in the following manner [3]:

$$\mu_m \cong 5,7 \cdot 10^{-4} (A \cdot T_m)^{1/2} / V^{2/3} \quad (2)$$

which relates the viscosity at the melting point μ_m to the atomic weight A , the melting temperature T_m and to the molar volume V .

On the other hand one obtains, in the case of self-diffusion, from a simple kinetic approach for ionic transport coefficients of liquid metals [1]:

$$D = D_0 \exp \gamma \cdot \exp (-E/RT) \quad (3)$$

where

$$D_0 = 4,8686 \cdot 10^{-7} \vartheta_D \cdot (V_{at}^m)^{3/2} \quad (4)$$

V_{at}^m is the atomic volume at the melting point, ϑ_D being the Debye's temperature which can be expressed by the Lindemann's relation as [4]:

$$\vartheta_D \cong C \cdot \sqrt{T/A} \cdot (V_{at}^m)^{1/6} \quad (5)$$

The activation energy at the temperature T can be written as .

$$E_{act}^T = E - \gamma RT \quad (6)$$

where E is the contribution to activation energy which does not depend on temperature, whereas the latter term depends upon the temperature and entropy [1].

Using the Stokes-Einstein relation [5]—[6] .

$$\mu = kT/6D \cdot \sigma \quad (7)$$

one obtains the shear viscosity of a liquid metal as [1].

$$\mu \cong B \cdot T \cdot \exp (-\gamma) \cdot \exp (E/RT) \quad (8)$$

where

$$B = 3,9915 \cdot 10^{-3} / (V_{at}^m)^{3/2} \cdot \theta_D \quad (9)$$

and

$$\exp (-\gamma) = B_{exp}/B_{teor.} \quad (10)$$

Inserting now the experimental values of B , V_{at}^m , E and the calculated values of B and γ , we can easily estimate the theoretical data of the viscosities by means of the relations (8)—(10) These data are presented in table 1 and are compared with the values of the viscosity of lanthanum, cerium and praseodymium, which are calculated by the VADOVIC-COLVER modified hard-sphere theory [7] and with the ones obtained by the PASTERNAK'S corresponding states theory [2] of the ionic transport coefficients The expressions for the shear viscosity of liquid metals in these theories are [7].

$$\mu \cong 0,23 \frac{\eta}{\eta_m} \cdot \frac{1}{r N_A} (RTM/\pi)^{1/2} \left[9,385 \left(\frac{T_m \cdot \rho}{T \cdot \rho_m} \right) - 1 \right] \quad (11)$$

where η and η_m are the packing fractions at the temperature T and at the melting point T_m , r is the hard-sphere radius, ρ being the density and N_A — the Avogadro's number, and respectively [2]

$$\mu = [(V^*)^{2/3} u^*] / (MR \in /k)^{1/2} \cdot (NV^2)^{-1/3} \quad (12)$$

with μ^* — the reduced viscosity, V^* — the reduced atomic volume and M — the atomic mass.

The above-obtained results for viscosity of La, Ce and Pr are given in table 1, together with the ones of the computation of η on the base of Andrade's formula (2) and with the experimental data. The hard-sphere calculations are in good agreement ($\pm 7\%$) with the experimental viscosity-values (at T_m) for La, Pr and Yb (table 1). However, the calculated values are too small for Ce, U and Pu (by 17,22 and 31% respectively; table 2).

The viscosities which have been calculated by means of the relation (12) were too large for La, Pr and Yb (by 16, 13 and 18% respectively) and too small for Ce, U and Pu (by 4%,7% and 20% respectively, table 1 and 2).

Table 1

Viscosity values of the rare-earth metals calculated by several theoretical methods and the experimental data

Liquid metal	$T_m(^{\circ}\text{K})$	[11] μ_{exp} (cP)	$\mu_{calc. exp}$ (cP)	[3] $\mu_{Andrade}$ (cP)	[7], [12] μ_{HS} (cP)	[2] μ_{CS} (cP)	[8]—[9] μ_{KT} (cP)
La	1203	2,65 2,45	2,452	2,86	2,61	3,01	2,7
Ce	1077	3,20 2,89	2,882	2,91	2,66	3,07	2,707
Pr	1208	2,85 2,80	2,796	3,04	2,79	3,22	—

Table 2

Viscosity values of actinide liquid metals calculated by several theoretical methods and the experimental data

Liquid metal	$T_m(^{\circ}\text{K})$	[11] μ_{exp} (cP)	[7], [12] μ_{HT} (cP)	[2] μ_{CS} (cP)	[8]—[9] μ_{KT} (cP)	[3] $\mu_{Andrade}$ (cP)
U	1406	6,53	5,12	6,05	5,88	5,8744
Pu	913	5,93 6,0	4,11	4,75	5,04	5,89

Using the relations (8)–(9) one obtains the viscosity of liquid uranium as

$$\mu_U \cong 1,91 \cdot 10^{-6} T \cdot \exp(-\gamma) \exp(10\,245/RT) \quad (13)$$

or, with $\exp(-\gamma) = 0,56$, $T_m = 1406^\circ\text{K}$, $\vartheta_D = 157^\circ\text{K}$ then also obtaining the final expression:

$$\mu_U \cong 1,07 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot T \cdot \exp(10 \cdot 245/RT) \quad (13')$$

and similarly, for the viscosity of plutonium one obtains

$$\mu_{Pu} \cong 6,12 \cdot 10^{-3} \exp(4120/RT) \quad (13'')$$

Consequently there is $\mu_U^{T_m} = 5,8$ cP ($T_m = 1406^\circ\text{K}$) and $\mu_U^T = 2,8$ cP (at $T = 2000^\circ\text{K}$), whereas for liquid plutonium we obtain: $\mu_{Pu}^{T_m} = 5,04$ cP ($T_m = 913^\circ\text{K}$).

The above viscosities are in agreement with the results which have been obtained by using the hard-sphere theory [7], the Andrade's formula [3] and the corresponding states theory [2] (table 2). However, our values are too small when compared to the experimental data: $\mu_U^{T_m} = 6,53$ cP and $\mu_{Pu}^{T_m} = 5,93$ cP or 6,0 cP.

Taking the melting point of Thorium as $T_m = 2020^\circ\text{K}$, the formula (8) shows that $\mu_{Th}^{T_m} = 5,04$ cP, as well as $\mu_{Pu}^{T_m}$.

We have to mention that the shear viscosity of this actinide metal was not measured yet.

In spite of his relatively not too large activation energy ($E = 3100$ cal/atg) there is the experimental value of the viscosity of uranium which takes the largest value among the viscosity coefficients which are given in the present day literature. In this respect it seems that the only liquid metal whose viscosity approaches that of plutonium and uranium, are iron, cobalt and nickel $\mu_{Fe} = 5,8$ cP, $\mu_{Co} = 5,2$ cP and $\mu_{Ni} = 5,6$ cP

3. Self-diffusion of rare-earth and actinide metals. Using the well-known Stokes-Einstein relation (7) and the result for shear viscosity (8) we can write the self-diffusion of liquid metals as [6]

$$D = kT/\mu \cdot \sigma \quad (14)$$

where $k = 2,8 \cdot 10^{-17}$ erg/grd and σ is the Pauling's ionic diameter

Similarly, using the Sutherland modification of the above equation [5], there is:

$$D = 0,84 \cdot kT/\mu \cdot \sigma \quad (15)$$

where σ is a function of temperature T , which has the form [1]

$$\mu \cong 0,644 (M/\rho_m)^{1/3} [1 - 0,112 (T/T_m)^{1/2}] \cdot (10^{-8} \text{ cm}) \quad (16)$$

We have to notice that whereas the viscosity has been measured in 32 liquid metals, self-diffusion has been measured for only 9 of these metals. In this respect the use of the above relations (14)–(16) permits the estimation of self-diffusion for the metals for which this coefficient has not been measured.

Taking into account the relations (3)–(4) for self-diffusion of liquid metals it is possible to calculate this coefficient, if the values of θ_{Debye} , V_{at}^m , E and γ are known for the considered metals. The so obtained results are given in tables 3 and 4, for rare-earth and actinide liquid metals respectively.

Analysing the tables 3 and 4 we can remark that the values of self-diffusion of molten lanthanum and cerium are in good agreement with both the experimental data and the values of this quantity, obtained from the relation (14) and from another theoretical method [10]. But the value of D for uranium (at the melting point) is too small in comparison with the value estimated from the relation (14). Unfortunately, the relations (3)–(4) cannot be used to estimate the self diffusion of molten plutonium, because the data for θ_D , V_{at}^m and γ are not yet available.

As a conclusion, it is quite evident that the relation (15) for the self-diffusion is unuseful because it gives too small values in the case of lanthanum, cerium and praseodymium.

But, in any case, the self-diffusion coefficient of rare-earth and actinide liquid metals changes with temperature according to the well-known relation [5] :

$$D_1 = D_0 \cdot \exp (-Q/RT) \tag{17}$$

where D_0 is a constant and Q is the corresponding activation energy.

4. Conclusions. Making a comparison between several approaches to estimate the viscosity values of the lanthanide liquid metals (cerium, lanthanum and praseodymium), it can be observed a good agreement of the values calculated from hard-sphere theory [7], from the Andrade's relation [3] and from the simple kinetic theory [1], with the experimental data. The corresponding states theory values [7] for the lanthanide liquid metals viscosities are greater than the other results of table 3.

Table 3

Self-diffusion values of the lanthanide metals, calculated by several theoretical methods and the experimental data

Liquid metal	$D^T m_{\text{calc. rel. (14)}} \cdot (10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})$	$D^T m_{\text{calc. rel. (15)-(16)}} \cdot (10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})$	$D^T m_{\text{calc. rel. (3)-(4)}} \cdot (10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})$	$D^T m_{\text{[10] teor.}} \cdot (10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})$	$D^T m_{\text{[12] exp.}} \cdot (10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})$
La	3,45 3,53	0,2965	3,53	3,614	3,45
Ce	2,89 2,842	0,243	2,97	2,627	2,942
Pr	2,80 3,79	0,235	3,66	3,06	2,936

Guetering the value of μ^{T_m} (at the melting point) predicted by Andrade [3] with the value of activation energy E anticipated by Grosse [8], there results the possibility to define suitable equations expressing the change of viscosity with temperature. So, the comparison of the sets of theoretical equations [8]:

$$\mu_{La} = 5,714 \cdot 10^{-3} \exp (3850/RT) \quad (18)$$

$$\mu_{Ce} = 5,56 \cdot 10^{-3} \exp (3550/RT) \quad (19)$$

$$\mu_{Pr} = 6,243 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot \exp (3800/RT) \quad (20)$$

and of experimental equations [9]

$$\mu_{La} = 1,464 \cdot 10^{-2} \cdot \exp (1231/RT) \quad (21)$$

$$\mu_{Ce} = 1,310 \cdot 10^{-2} \exp (1679/RT) \quad (22)$$

$$\mu_{Pr} = 1,758 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot \exp (1118/RT) \quad (23)$$

indicates that the predicted values for the activation energy E is about two to three times larger than the corresponding experimental values for E of lanthanum, cerium and praseodymium.

Similarly, we can write some theoretical [9] and experimental expressions (from viscosities data) [5] for the lanthanide liquid metals diffusion. As theoretical predictions:

$$D_{La} = 5,94 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-7171/RT) \quad (24)$$

$$D_{Ce} = 5,91 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-6420/RT) \quad (25)$$

$$D_{Pr} = 5,91 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-7201/RT) \quad (26)$$

and experimental equations

$$D_{La} = 1,789 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-3880/RT) \quad (27)$$

$$D_{Ce} = 1,945 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-4044/RT) \quad (28)$$

$$D_{Pr} = 1,673 \cdot 10^{-4} \exp (-3648/RT) \quad (29)$$

The theories of Grosse [8] and of Sutherland for the self-diffusion [5] predict much higher activation energies (E and Q) for lanthanum, cerium and praseodymium, than experimentally observed

Table 4

Self-diffusion values of the actinide metals, calculated by the relations (3)–(4) and by the relations (15)–(16)

Liquid metal	T(°K)	$\tau_T(10^6 \text{ cm})$	D _{calc} rel (15) ($10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$)	D _{calc} rel (3)–(4) ($10^5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$)
Pu	$T_m = 913$	1,355	2,28	—
	$= 921$	1,3898	2,2857	
	$= 972$	1,387	2,5285	
	1190	1,3765	4,2857	
U	$T_m = 1406$	1,354	3,178	1,95
	2000	1,3375	10,68	

However, the temperature ranges of the present experimental investigations are too small. Since the viscosities of these molten metals (at the melting point) are low (~ 3 cP) and all three have long liquid ranges and moderate densities, these liquid metals must be studied at very high temperatures.

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COEFICIENȚI DE TRANSPORT IONIC ÎN METALE LICHIDE, LANTANIDE ȘI ACTINIDE

(Rezumat)

Pentru a calcula coeficienții de transport ionic ca viscozitatea laminară și autodifuzia în metale lichide, în prezenta lucrare se aplică o teorie cinetică simplă a lichidelor.

În prima parte a lucrării este prezentată metoda de calcul a coeficientului de viscozitate în metale lantanide și actinide în stare lichidă. În partea a doua a lucrării se calculează autodifuzia în aceste metale lichide simple, pe baza aceleiași teorii cinetice a fenomenelor de transport în lichide. Se face o comparație a valorilor obținute pentru viscozitatea și autodifuzia lantanidelor și actinidelor lichide cu valorile experimentale cunoscute și cu valori ale acestor coeficienți de transport, obținute prin alte metode. Se găsește o bună concordanță a diferitelor valori ale viscozității în cazul actinidelor lichide (uranu și plutoniu) și valori mai mari decât cele experimentale în cazul lantanidelor considerate.

Valorile autodifuziei, calculate pentru lanthanum și cerium, sînt în bună concordanță atît cu datele experimentale, cît și cu cele obținute prin alte metode. Coeficientul de autodifuzie a uraniului este mic în comparație cu valoarea sa calculată din relația Stokes-Einstein, mărimea sa experimentală nefiind cunoscută.

AN IMPROVED SCALE-INVARIANCE IN QUANTUM FIELD THEORY

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The aim of the present paper is to propose and demonstrate an improved form of scale invariance in Quantum Field Theory (QFT).

As it is well-known the scale invariance arguments have been proved to be of great interest in QFT in conjunction with the renormalization group (RG) problem and the asymptotic behaviour at large momenta. The standard form of scale invariance in QFT is.

$$\Phi(\lambda x) = \lambda^{-\Delta_\Phi} \Phi(x) \quad (1)$$

where $\Phi(x)$ is the field operator, Δ_Φ the canonic dimension of the field operator and λ is a real, arbitrary parameter. For a free-field theory in d - space-time dimension:

$$\Delta_\Phi = (d-2)/2 \quad (2)$$

Consider now a self-interacting theory described by the following Lagrangian density:

$$L(x) = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \Phi)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_0^2 \Phi^2 + \frac{U_0}{4!} \Phi^4 \quad (3)$$

As it is now a well-established fact [1-3] the dimension of the field Φ and of other composite field operators like $\Phi^{(n)}(x)$ (n - arbitrary integer number) is changed when the interaction term is switched on from its canonically free-field value (2). Using the RG method this deviation from canonical scaling can be determined as a power series expansion in the parameter $\varepsilon = 4 - d$ and a specified value of the fixed-point of RG - equations

We propose now an improved scaling relation which leads directly to the idea of RG and fixed point behaviour. We postulate that in the presence of the interaction term in the lagrangian density, the field operator $\Phi(x)$ and the composite field operators $\Phi^{(n)}(x)$ become functions of the renormalized coupling constant U_R . The improved scaling relation which we propose is:

$$\Phi^{(n)}(\lambda x, u_K) = \lambda^{-n\Delta_\Phi} \Phi^{(n)}(x; \bar{U}_K(\lambda) F_n(\lambda, U_R)) \quad (4)$$

The boundary conditions $\lambda = 1$ and $U_R = 0$ impose:

$$\bar{U}_R(1; U_R) = U_R \quad (5 \text{ a})$$

$$F_n(1; U_R) = 1 \quad (5 \text{ b})$$

$$\bar{U}_R(\lambda; U_R = 0) = 0 \quad (6 \text{ a})$$

$$F_n(\lambda; U_R = 0) = 1 \quad (6 \text{ b})$$

Taking the derivate with respect to λ and then put $\lambda = 1$, the result is :

$$\begin{aligned} x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Phi^{(n)}(x, U_R) &= -n \Delta \Phi^{(n)}(x, U_R) + \\ &+ \frac{\partial \Phi^{(n)}(x; U_R)}{\partial u_R} \cdot \frac{\partial \bar{U}(\lambda, U_R)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} + \\ &+ \frac{\partial F_n(\lambda, U_R)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} \Phi^{(n)}(x, U_R) \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

or :

$$\begin{aligned} \left[x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + n \Delta_{\Phi} - \frac{\partial F_n(\lambda; U_R)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} \right] \Phi^{(n)}(x; U_R) = \\ \frac{\partial \Phi^{(n)}(x, U_R)}{\partial U_R} \frac{\partial \bar{U}_R(\lambda; U_R)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Eq (8) is a first-order, inhomogeneous differential equations .

Suppose now that there is a particular value of $U_R : U_R = U_R^*$ such that .

$$\frac{\partial \Phi^{(n)}(x; u_R^*)}{\partial u_R} \Big|_{U_R = U_R^*} = 0 \quad (9 a)$$

or :

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}_R(\lambda; u_R^*)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} = 0 \quad (9 b)$$

Then from eq.(8) we get :

$$\left[x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + n \Delta_{\Phi} - \frac{\partial F_n(\lambda, u_R^*)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} \right] \Phi^{(n)}(x; u_R^*) = 0 \quad (10)$$

which is an homogeneous first-order differential equation. Upon integrating it we arrive at:

$$\Phi^{(n)}(\lambda x, u_R^*) = \lambda^{-(\Delta_{\Phi} + \delta_{\Phi})} \Phi^{(n)}(x, u_R^*) \quad (11)$$

where :

$$\delta_{\Phi} = - \frac{1}{n} \frac{\partial F(\lambda; u_R^*)}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda=1} \quad (12)$$

It is clear now that starting from the assumption of improved scaled invariance (4) we get anomalous dimension $\Delta_{\Phi} + \delta_{\Phi}$ of field operators for a specific value of the coupling constant $U_R = U_R^*$. This is indeed a fixed-point-like behaviour.

Our aim is now to determine the functions $\bar{U}_R(\lambda, U_R)$ and $F_n(\lambda; \bar{U}_R)$, perturbatively. To this end we consider the renormalized N - point vertex functions $\Gamma_N(\{p_i\}; U_R)$ with all external momenta $\{p_i\}$ of the same order of magnitude p . It is obvious that these functions will also satisfy the improved scaling relation in momentum space .

$$\Gamma_N(\lambda p; U_R) = \lambda^{d - N \Delta_{\Phi}} \Gamma_N(p; \bar{U}_R(\lambda)) F_n(\lambda, U_R) \quad (13)$$

Calculating perturbatively the N-point vertex function Γ , we get the following general result:

$$\Gamma_N(\phi, U_R) = \Gamma_N^0(\phi) + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} U_R^i \gamma_i(\phi) \quad (14)$$

Developing $\Gamma_N(\phi; \bar{U}_R(\lambda))$ in power series in U_R

$$\Gamma_N(\lambda; \bar{U}_R(\lambda)) = \Gamma_N^0(\phi) + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} U_R^i \gamma_i(\phi) \left. \frac{\partial^i \bar{U}_R(\lambda, U_R)}{\partial U_R^i} \right|_{U_R=0} \quad (15)$$

and similarly

$$F_N(\lambda, U_R) = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} U_R^i f_i(\lambda) \quad (16)$$

and matching eqs (13), (14), (15) and (16) we get

$$\Gamma_N^0(\lambda\phi) + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} u_R^i \gamma_i(\lambda\phi) = \lambda^{d - N\Delta_\Phi} \left\{ \Gamma_N^0(\phi) + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} U_R^i \gamma_i(\phi) \Psi_i(\lambda) \right\} \cdot \left[1 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} U_R^i f_i(\lambda) \right] \quad (17)$$

which is the most general result one can obtain in the perturbation theory. From eq (17) the coefficients $f_m(x)$ and

$$\Psi_i(\lambda) = \left. \frac{\partial^i \bar{U}_R(\lambda, U_R)}{\partial U_R^i} \right|_{U_R=0} \quad (18)$$

can be determined, and thus the functions $\bar{u}_R = u_R(\lambda, u_R)$ and $F_N = F_N(\lambda; u_R)$ are obtained for different models of interacting fields. Finally, we can summarise the result as follows, the scale invariance in QFT can be improved in order to include implicitly the fixed point behaviour. This generalised scale invariance relation, which was hypothetical assumed can be proved in RNG — framework. This result will be used in order to determine the anomalous dimension for different models in QFT

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ÎMBUNĂȚĂȚIREA INVARIANTEI DE SCALĂ ÎN TEORIA CUANTICĂ A CÎMPULUI

(Rezumat)

În lucrare se propune o variantă îmbunătățită a invarianței de scală în teoria cuantică a cîmpurilor, care stabilește o legătură directă cu comportarea de punct fix.

ELECTRICAL SWITCHING PHENOMENA IN $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ GLASS SYSTEM

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1. Introduction. The electrical switching phenomenon in some chalcogenide glasses was first reported by Ovshinsky [1]. This effect comprises a sudden increase of magnitude of conductivity when a sufficiently high electric field is applied to the material. This low-resistance state (on state) is stable even after the external potential was removed.

Drake et al [2] have observed memory phenomena in oxide glasses ($\text{CuO}:\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$) containing a large proportion of oxide of certain variable valence transition metal ions (Cu^+ and Cu^{2+}). The switching phenomenon in silicate glasses in the presence of Fe_2O_3 clusters was evidenced by Ersov et al [3]. Chakravorty [4, 5] has observed such memory switching effects induced in some phase-separated oxide glasses by ion-exchange treatments.

The study of switching phenomenon is important both for his eventual applications and for clearing, and understanding the conduction mechanism in glasses.

In this paper we present some results regarding the switching phenomenon evidenced in $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ glass system.

2 Experimental. 2.1 *Glass preparation.* The $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ glasses preparation was described previously [6]. The structure has been studied by X-rays [7], IR absorption spectra [6], the Mossbauer effect and electron microscope [8] and by magnetic measurements [9]. These measurements evidenced that the iron ions in $3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}$ glass do not form clusters. The iron cations seem to be randomly distributed in the matrix. The measurements based on the Mossbauer effect demonstrated the presence of both the Fe^{3+} and Fe^{2+} ions.

Electrical conductivity measurements indicated a semiconductor behaviour of $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ glasses [10].

In order to study the switching phenomenon, samples of thickness of about $20 \mu\text{m}$ and of dimensions of about $5 \times 5 \text{ mm}$ were prepared. The measurements were carried out at room temperature.

2.2 *Switching circuit.* The block-circuit that we used in order to evidence the switching phenomenon is given in Fig. 1. In this circuit we used a dc power supply BM 208, pulse generator PGP-2 and electronic multimeter E 0403. The impulses are rectangular with an amplitude up to 10 V and a width up to maximum 10 ns.

The sample-holder consists of an insulator plated with copper. The contact between the sample and the copper plate was obtained by using silver paste. The other electrode was a silver wire contacting the sample through silver paste. The sample-holder construction is so that the attachment of an upper electrode

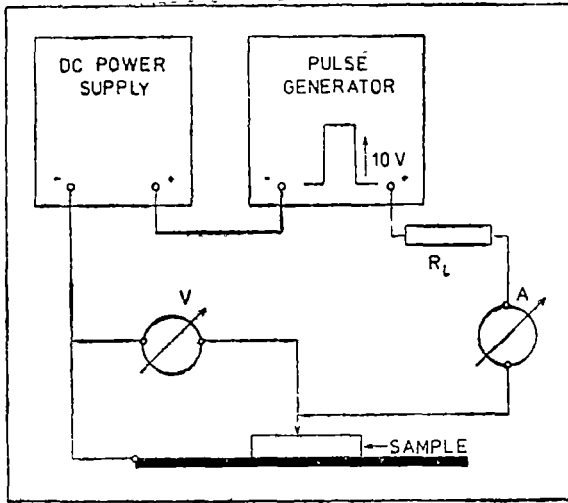


Fig. 1.

various samples this jump varied between 10^3 and $10^8 \Omega$ (3—8 order of magnitude). We noticed that after the transition into the high conductivity state (on state) the sample keeps up this state until the return at zero voltage when it passes again into the low conductivity state (off state).

Both the application of voltage pulses with amplitudes up to 10 V and a width up to 10 ms and of an electrical field of 10^3V/cm determined the switching phenomenon previously described, but the switching voltage was changed depending on these parameters.

We specify that by repeating the jump from on state into off state, the switching voltage does not reproduce exactly, fact evidenced also by other

allows the application of an electrical field. An electric field of 10^3V/cm was used

3. Results and discussions. Measurements on samples in $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ glass system lead to voltage-current characteristic specific to the behaviour of glasses which contain transition metal ions in different valency states [2]. Figure 2 shows a typical voltage-current characteristic of samples with 50 mol% Fe_2O_3 upon application a dc field and voltage pulses. The initial resistance of samples was of $1,5 \times 10^8 \Omega$ (off state) and at 23 V it switched in a state having resistance of $1,1 \times 10^8 \Omega$ (on state). In the main for

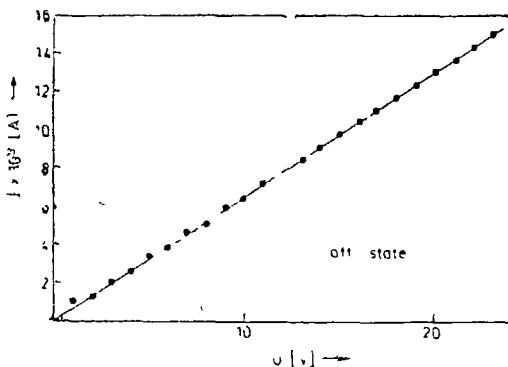


Fig. 2a.

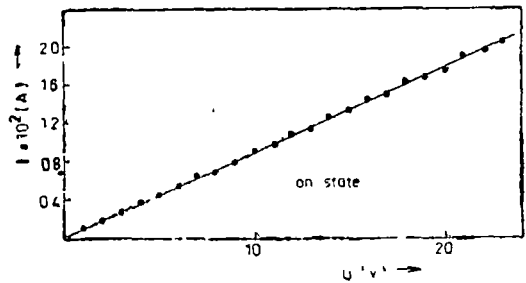


Fig. 2b.

authors [2, 4, 5]. In our samples switching voltage changed between 15 V and 30 V.

4. Conclusions. We may conclude that the $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ semiconducting glasses show marked deviations from normal semiconductor behaviour. These glasses can be reversibly switched electrically, between two states which differ in resistance by 3–8 orders of magnitude. Switching phenomenon can appear with or without applied electrical fields or voltage pulses.

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FENOMENE DE COMUTARE ELECTRICALĂ ÎN SISTEMUL DE STICLĂ $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$

(Rezumat)

Sticlele din sistemul $x\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot (1-x)[3\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{PbO}]$ prezintă fenomenul de comutare reversibil între două stări de conductibilitate a căror rezistență electrică diferă prin 3–8 ordine de mărime. Fenomenul de comutare apare atât în lipsa cât și în prezența câmpului electric. Prezența câmpului electric și aplicarea unor pulsuri de tensiune nu schimbă forma caracteristicilor volt-amperice dar modifică tensiunea de comutare.

SPIN WAVES IN INTERMETALLIC COMPOUNDS $\text{Ho}_2\text{Fe}_x\text{Al}_{17-x}$

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1. Introduction. The intermetallic compounds $\text{Ho}_2\text{Fe}_x\text{Al}_{17-x}$ showing an ferrimagnetic behaviour [1] have an $\text{Ni}_2\text{Th}_{17}$ type of structure. In each unit cell there are 2 formulae eq. 4 atoms of Ho, $2x$ atoms of Fe, and $2(17-x)$ atoms of Al. In the present calculations $x = 2$. The model used, for spin waves calculation, is shown in fig. 1. The Ho atoms are in 2(b) and 2(d) positions [2], the atoms of Fe in 2(a) and 2(c) positions and the positions of Al atoms, which are not shown in the picture, in 12(k) 12(j) and 6(g) [3].

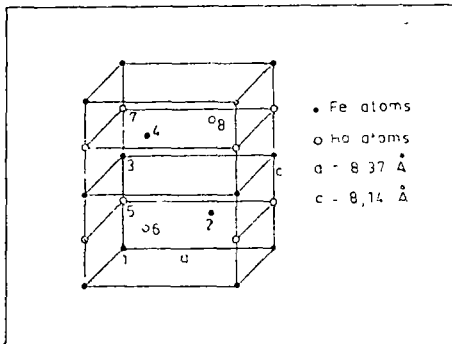


Fig 1

It is convenient to introduce „local coordinate frames” associated with the various spin states. The structure in question contains 4 spins per primitive magnetic unit cell pointing along and 4 spins pointing against the z directions. These spins form 2 sublattices and we use the indices λ and $\lambda' (= 1, 2)$ as labels for them. The components of the spin operator for the k th spin in the l th cell and λ th sublattice are denoted by:

$$(S_{lk,\lambda}^x, S_{lk,\lambda}^y, S_{lk,\lambda}^z)$$

k runs over $1, 2, \dots, 4$ for $\lambda = 1$ or 2 ,

2. The equations of motion. We used a Heisenberg Hamiltonian with isotropic exchange and an effective anisotropic field [4]

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H} = & \frac{1}{2} \left[\sum_{ll'} \sum_{kk'} J_{lkl'}^{v'k1} \vec{S}_{lk}^1 \vec{S}_{l'k'}^1 + \sum_{ll'} \sum_{k=1}^u \sum_{\mathcal{X}=1}^v J_{lkl}^{v'k2} (S_{lk,\mathcal{X}}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},v}^2 - S_{lk,y}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},y}^2 - \right. \\ & - S_{lk,z}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},z}^2) + \sum_{ll'} \sum_{\mathcal{X}=1}^v \sum_{k=1}^u J_{lkl}^{v'k1} (S_{l'\mathcal{X},x}^2 S_{lk,x}^1 - S_{l'\mathcal{X},y}^2 S_{lk,y}^1 - S_{l'\mathcal{X},z}^2 S_{lk,z}^1) + \\ & \left. + \sum_{ll'} \sum_{\substack{\mathcal{X},\mathcal{X}'=1 \\ lk \neq l'k'}} J_{lkl}^{v'k2} \vec{S}_{l\mathcal{X}}^2 \vec{S}_{l'\mathcal{X}'}^2 \right] + \sum_l \left[\sum_{k=1}^u \mu_B g_k^1 H_{Ak}^1 S_{lk,z}^1 + \sum_{\mathcal{X}=1}^u \mu_B g_{\mathcal{X}}^2 H_{Ak}^2 S_{l\mathcal{X},z}^2 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

The quantity H_{Ak}^λ denotes the effective anisotropic field associated with the sublattice λ and with the k th atom of the cell, and is directed along the z axis. μ_B is the Bohr magneton and g_k^μ the g - factor $J_{lkl}^{v'k\lambda}$ are the exchange

integral associated with the pair of sites ($lk\lambda$, $l'k'\lambda'$) μ and ν are the number of atoms in the unit cells of the two sublattices. The exchange integrals have translational periodicity and also have permutation symmetry. The negative signs before the y and z component terms in the second and the third summations arise from the relative orientations of the local frames for the two sublattices 1 and 2. The spin operators will be regarded as expressed in the Heisenberg representation. We suppose that the structure in question contains μ spins per primitive magnetic unit cell pointing along and ν spins pointing against the z direction.

Using the raising and lowering operators $S_{\pm} = S_x \pm iS_y$, the Hamiltonian becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H} = & \frac{1}{2} \left[\sum_{l'l'} \sum_{kk'} \mathcal{J}_{lk1}^{l'k'1} \{ S_{lk,z}^1 S_{l'k',z}^1 + \frac{1}{2} (S_{lk,+}^1 S_{l'k',-}^1 + S_{l'k',+}^1 S_{lk,-}^1) \} + \right. \\ & + \sum_{l'l'} \sum_k \sum_{\mathcal{X}} \mathcal{J}_{lk1}^{l'k'2} \left\{ -S_{lk,z}^1 S_{l'k',z}^2 + \frac{1}{2} (S_{lk,+}^1 S_{l'k',+}^2 + S_{lk,-}^1 S_{l'k',-}^2) \right\} + \\ & \sum_{l'l'} \sum_{\mathcal{X}} \sum_k \mathcal{J}_{lk2}^{l'k'1} \left\{ -S_{l'k',z}^2 S_{lk,z}^1 + \frac{1}{2} (S_{l'k',+}^2 S_{lk,+}^1 + S_{l'k',-}^2 S_{lk,-}^1) \right\} + \\ & + \sum_{l'l'} \sum_{\substack{\mathcal{X}\mathcal{X}' \\ (l'\mathcal{X}' \neq l'\mathcal{X}')}} \mathcal{J}_{lk2}^{l'k'2} \left\{ S_{l'k',z}^2 S_{lk,z}^2 + \frac{1}{2} (S_{l'k',+}^2 S_{l'\mathcal{X}',-}^2 + S_{l'k',-}^2 S_{l'\mathcal{X}',+}^2) \right\} \Big] \\ & + \sum_l \left[\sum_k \mu_B g_k^1 H_{Ak}^1 S_{lk,z}^1 + \sum_{\mathcal{X}} \mu_B g_{\mathcal{X}}^2 H_{A\mathcal{X}}^1 S_{l\mathcal{X},z}^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

Using the following commutation rules:

$$\begin{aligned} [S_{lk,\alpha}^\lambda, S_{l'k',\beta}^\lambda] &= i \hbar S_{lk,\gamma}^\lambda \delta_{ll'} \delta_{kk'} \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \\ & \quad ((\alpha, \beta, \gamma) \rightarrow \text{cyclic } (x, y, z)) \\ [S_{lk,+}^\lambda, S_{l'k',-}^\lambda] &= 0 \\ [S_{lk,-}^\lambda, S_{l'k',+}^\lambda] &= 0 \\ [S_{lk,+}^\lambda, S_{l'k',-}^\lambda] &= 2 \hbar S_{lk,z}^\lambda \delta_{ll'} \delta_{kk'} \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \\ [S_{lk,z}^\lambda, S_{l'k',\pm}^\lambda] &= \pm \hbar S_{lk,\pm}^\lambda \delta_{ll'} \delta_{kk'} \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \end{aligned}$$

the Heisenberg equations are:

$$\begin{aligned} \pm i S_{lk,\pm}^1 &= - \sum_{\substack{l'k'=1 \\ l'k' \neq lk}} \mathcal{J}_{lk1}^{l'k'1} \{ S_{lk,\pm}^1 S_{l'k',z}^1 - S_{l'k',\pm}^1 S_{lk,z}^1 \} + \sum_{l'} \sum_{\mathcal{X}=1}^{\nu} \mathcal{J}_{lk1}^{l'k'2} \{ S_{lk,\pm}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},z}^2 + \\ & + S_{l'\mathcal{X},\mp}^2 S_{lk,z}^1 - \mu_B g_k^1 H_{Ak}^1 S_{lk,\pm}^1 \}; \quad \pm i S_{l'\mathcal{X},\pm}^2 = - \sum_{l'} \sum_{\substack{\mathcal{X}'=1 \\ (l'\mathcal{X}' \neq l'\mathcal{X})}}^{\nu} \mathcal{J}_{lk2}^{l'k'2} \{ S_{l'\mathcal{X},\pm}^2 S_{l'\mathcal{X}',z}^2 - \\ & - S_{l'\mathcal{X}',\pm}^2 S_{l'\mathcal{X},z}^2 \} + \sum_{l'} \sum_{k'} \mathcal{J}_{lk2}^{l'k'1} \{ S_{l'\mathcal{X},\pm}^2 S_{l'k',z}^1 + S_{l'k',\mp}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},z}^2 \} - \mu_B g_{\mathcal{X}}^2 H_{A\mathcal{X}}^1 S_{l'\mathcal{X},\pm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

We now make the linearisation of the above equations. That is whenever a product involving $S_{ik,z}^\lambda$ and a raising or lowering operator occurs in the above equations, then we replace, $S_{ik,z}^\lambda$ by the c-number $S_{k,0}^\lambda$ where the latter denotes the equilibrium, spin value for the sublattice ($k\lambda$). The resulting linearized equations are

$$\begin{aligned} \pm i S_{ik,\pm}^\lambda = & - \sum_{\nu'} \sum_{\substack{k' \in \lambda \\ (\nu' \neq ik)}} \mathcal{J}_{ik\lambda}^{\nu'k'\lambda} \{ S_{ik,\pm}^\lambda S_{k',0}^\lambda - S_{\nu',\pm}^\lambda S_{k',0}^\lambda \} + \sum_{\nu'} \sum_{\substack{k' \in \lambda' \\ (\lambda' \neq \lambda)}} \mathcal{J}_{ik\lambda}^{\nu'k'\lambda'} \{ S_{ik,\pm}^\lambda S_{k',0}^{\lambda'} + \\ & + S_{\nu',\mp}^{\lambda'} S_{k',0}^\lambda \} - \mu_B g_k^\lambda H_{Ak}^\lambda S_{ik}^\lambda \end{aligned}$$

$\begin{matrix} k=1, 2, & \mu \text{ if } \lambda=1 \\ k=1, 2, & \nu \text{ if } \lambda=2 \end{matrix}$

The notation $k' \in \lambda$ implies that k' runs over 1, 2, ... μ if $\lambda = 1$ and over 1, 2, ... ν if $\lambda = 2$.

We now introduce the spectral representations of $S_{k\lambda}(t)$ as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} S_{ik,+}^\lambda &= \left[\frac{S_{k,0}^\lambda}{N} \right]^{1/2} \sum_q S_{k,+}^\lambda(q) \exp[i\vec{q}\vec{R}(l)] = \left[\frac{S_{k,0}^\lambda}{N} \right]^{1/2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\omega \sum_q S_{k,+}^\lambda(q, \omega) \\ &\quad \exp(i[\vec{q}\vec{R}(l) - \omega t]) \\ S_{ik,-}^\lambda &= \left[\frac{S_{k,0}^\lambda}{N} \right]^{1/2} \sum_q S_{k,-}^\lambda(-q) \exp[i\vec{q}\vec{R}(l)] = \\ &= \left[\frac{S_{k,0}^\lambda}{N} \right]^{1/2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\omega \sum_q S_{k,-}^\lambda(-q, -\omega) \exp(i[\vec{q}\vec{R}(l) - \omega t]) \end{aligned}$$

Here $\vec{R}(l)$ denotes a vector of the primitive magnetic lattice and N is the number of magnetic unit cells in the crystal which, as usually, is presumed to be subject to cyclic boundary conditions. The wavevector \vec{q} ranges over the first Brillouin zone of the magnetic lattice. The factor $\left[\frac{S_{k,0}^\lambda}{N} \right]^{1/2}$ has been introduced for normalization convenience.

The equation of motion will be:

$$\omega S_{k,\pm}^\lambda(\pm q, \pm \omega) = \pm \left[\sum_{k' \in \lambda} D(q, kk'\lambda\lambda') S_{k',\pm}^\lambda(\pm q, \pm \omega) + \sum_{\substack{k' \in \lambda' \\ (\lambda' \neq \lambda)}} D(q, kk'\lambda\lambda') S_{k',\mp}^{\lambda'}(\mp q, \mp \omega) \right]$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} D(\vec{q}, kk'\lambda\lambda') &= [S_{k,0}^\lambda S_{k',0}^{\lambda'}]^{1/2} \mathcal{J}_{k\lambda}^{k'\lambda'}(q) - \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \delta_{kk'} \times \{ g_k^\lambda \mu_B H_{Ak}^\lambda + \sum_{k'' \in \lambda} \mathcal{J}_{k\lambda}^{k''\lambda}(0) S_{k'',0}^\lambda - \\ &- \sum_{\substack{k'' \in \lambda'' \\ (\lambda'' \neq \lambda)}} \mathcal{J}_{k\lambda}^{k''\lambda''}(0) S_{k'',0}^{\lambda''} \}, \quad \mathcal{J}_{k\lambda}^{k'\lambda'}(q) = \sum_l \mathcal{J}_{ik\lambda}^{\nu'k'\lambda'} \exp(i\vec{q}[\vec{R}(l') - \vec{R}(l)]) \end{aligned}$$

$D(q, kk'\lambda\lambda')$ is a $2(\mu + \nu)$ dimensional matrix for which we have to solve the eigenvalue problem

3. Numerical results. The numerical calculation was performed in the vicinity of Γ using the following approximations: $J_{ik\lambda}^{\nu k'\lambda'} = J_{HH}$ = exchange integrals between Ho atoms are constant for any $kk'\lambda'$ ($\lambda = \lambda' = 2$). For $\lambda = \lambda' = 1$ the exchange integrals between Fe atoms J_{FF} are constants for any $kk'\lambda'$. The same approximation is valid for the intersublattice interactions J_{FH} .

In fig. 2 is shown the spin waves spectrum for different values of exchange parameters.

fig. 2a: $J_{HH}/J_{FF} = 0.18,$
 $J_{FH}/J_{FF} = -0.25$

fig. 2b $J_{HH}/J_{FF} = 0.18,$
 $J_{FH}/J_{FF} = -0.50$

fig. 2c. $J_{HH}/J_{FF} = 0.18,$
 $J_{FH}/J_{FF} = -0.75$

fig. 2d: $J_{HH}/J_{FF} = 0.20,$
 $J_{FH}/J_{FF} = -0.75$

and

$$\frac{g_k^\lambda \mu_B H_{A_h}^\beta}{J_{FF}} = 7.45 \text{ for all } k \text{ and } \lambda.$$

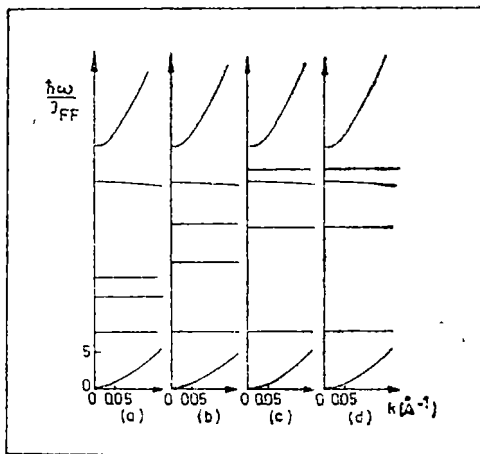


Fig 2

The branches from 14 in fig 2a, 2l in fig. 2b, 28 in fig 2c and fig. 2d are degenerates. The branch number 8 has the values between 10^8 and 10^{10} and was not drawn in the pictures.

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UNDE DE SPIN ÎN COMPUSII INTERMETALICI $\text{Ho}_2\text{Fe}_x\text{Al}_{17-x}$

(Rezumat)

Folosind metoda ecuațiilor de mișcare, se calculează spectrul undelor de spin în compusul intermetalic $\text{Ho}_2\text{Fe}_x\text{Al}_{17-x}$. S-au obținut opt ramuri - una acustică și șapte optice. Calculele numerice au fost făcute pentru lungimi de undă mari ($k \rightarrow 0$).

INSTABILITY OF CIRCULARLY POLARIZED ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES IN THE RELATIVISTIC ELECTRON BEAM-PLASMA SYSTEM

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The study of the wave instability in the electron beam-plasma system is the subject of many investigations. However, most of these works are restricted only to the treatment of the electrostatic instability. Our aim is to examine the stability of the electromagnetic waves propagating parallel to the beam direction into a relativistic electron beam-plasma system immersed in a magnetic field.

In most experimental situations, the relativistic electron beam propagates parallel to the external magnetic field, therefore it is important to consider this case for a theoretical study. Unlike the other papers concerned with the study of electron beam-plasma interaction and which neglect the self-magnetic field of the beam, in our paper, to avoid any contradiction with Maxwell's equations, arising from the omission of this self-magnetic field, we will assume that in the plasma there is a homogeneous return current. It is well-known that an intense relativistic electron beam can propagate in the presence of a dense plasma by inducing a plasma return current which is approximately equal and opposite to the beam current [1-4]. In this way the self-magnetic field of the system is nearly zero, but on the other hand in the unperturbed state the plasma electrons are no more at rest, so the plasma contains a current flow.

In our model, we will consider a relativistic electron beam having the number density of electrons n_{b0} and the average velocity of electrons \vec{v}_0 oriented parallel to the external magnetic field \vec{B}_0 . This magnetic field is assumed to be oriented along the positive Oz axis, $\vec{B}_0 = B_0 \vec{e}_z$ (\vec{e}_z is the basic vector of Oz-axis.) The unperturbed plasma electron mean velocity \vec{v}_1 , producing the return current, is oriented in opposite direction to the beam electron velocity and it is equal with $-(n_{b0}/n_0)\vec{v}_0$. (n_0 is the plasma electron density and it satisfies the condition $n_0 \gg n_{b0}$.) The last expression for plasma electron mean velocity results from the current neutralization condition

$$\vec{j}_{b0} + \vec{j}_{p0} = 0 \quad (1)$$

where \vec{j}_{b0} and \vec{j}_{p0} denote the unperturbed beam current density and plasma current density, respectively. Since we are concerned with high frequency oscillations we will assume the positive ion at rest, they only forming a stationary background of charge which neutralizes the unperturbed electron gas at each point.

The stability of the oscillations can be investigated by solving the dispersion relation that we will obtain in the following way.

The linearized equation of motion is

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{v}_0 \cdot \nabla\right) \left[\frac{\vec{v}'}{\sqrt{1 - v_0^2/c^2}} + \frac{\vec{v}_0(\vec{v}_0 \cdot \vec{v}')}{c^2(1 - v_0^2/c^2)^{3/2}} \right] = -\frac{e}{m} \left[\vec{E} + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{v} \times \vec{B}_0) + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{v}_0 \times \vec{B}') \right] \quad (2)$$

for the beam electrons, and

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{v}_1 \cdot \nabla\right) \vec{v}'_1 = -\frac{e}{m} \left[\vec{E}' + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{v}'_1 \times \vec{B}_0) + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{v}_1 \times \vec{B}') \right] \quad (3)$$

for the plasma electrons. In these equations the perturbed electric field, magnetic field and velocities are denoted by \vec{E}' , \vec{B}' , \vec{v}' and \vec{v}'_1 , respectively. For plane waves of the form $\exp [i(\omega t - kz)]$ the perturbed velocities for the beam and plasma are:

$$v'_x = \frac{ie\gamma_0(\omega - kv_0)}{m\omega[(\omega - kv_0)^2 - \omega_c^2\gamma_0^2]} [(\omega - kv_0)E'_x + i\omega_c\gamma_0E'_y] \quad (4)$$

$$v'_y = \frac{ie\gamma_0(\omega - kv_0)}{m\omega[(\omega - kv_0)^2 - \omega_c^2\gamma_0^2]} [-i\omega_c\gamma_0E'_x + (\omega - kv_0)E'_y] \quad (5)$$

$$v'_z = \frac{ie\gamma_0^3}{m(\omega - kv_0)} E'_z \quad (6)$$

$$v'_{1x} = \frac{ie(\omega + kv_1)}{m\omega[(\omega + kv_1)^2 - \omega_c^2]} [(\omega + kv_1)E'_x + i\omega_cE'_y] \quad (7)$$

$$v'_{1y} = \frac{ie(\omega + kv_1)}{m\omega[(\omega + kv_1)^2 - \omega_c^2]} [-i\omega_cE'_x + (\omega + kv_1)E'_y] \quad (8)$$

$$v'_{1z} = \frac{ie}{m(\omega + kv_1)} E'_z \quad (9)$$

In the above expressions $\omega_c = eB_0/mc$ is the cyclotron frequency and

$$\gamma_0 = \sqrt{1 - v_0^2/c^2}$$

From Maxwell's equations we obtain the wave equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}'}{\partial t^2} + c^2 \nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{E}') = -4\pi \frac{\partial(\vec{j}'_b + \vec{j}'_p)}{\partial t} \quad (10)$$

which becomes

$$(k^2c^2 - \omega^2)\vec{E}' - \vec{k}c^2(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{E}') = -4\pi i\omega(\vec{j}'_b + \vec{j}'_p) \quad (11)$$

for plane waves. The perturbed currents \vec{j}'_b and \vec{j}'_p are of the form

$$\vec{j}'_b = -e(n_{b0}\vec{v}' + n'_b\vec{v}_0) \quad (12)$$

$$\vec{j}'_p = -e(n_0\vec{v}'_1 + n'_p\vec{v}_1) \quad (13)$$

From the continuity equations, the perturbed beam density n'_b and the perturbed plasma density n' are:

$$n'_b = \frac{n_{b0} k v_x'}{\omega - k v_0} \quad (14)$$

and

$$n' = \frac{n_0 k v_{1x}'}{\omega + k v_1} \quad (15)$$

respectively.

Combining equations (4)–(15), we then obtain

$$\begin{pmatrix} D_{11} & D_{12} & 0 \\ D_{12}^* & D_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & D_{33} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} E_x \\ E_y \\ E_z \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad (16)$$

where

$$D_{11} = D_{22} = c^2 k^2 - \omega^2 + \frac{\omega_{b\perp}^2 (\omega - k v_0)^2}{(\omega - k v_0)^2 - \omega_c^2 \gamma_0^2} + \frac{\omega_p^2 (\omega + k v_1)^2}{(\omega + k v_1)^2 - \omega_c^2} \quad (17)$$

$$D_{12} = i \frac{\omega_c \gamma_0 \omega_{b\perp}^2 (\omega - k v_0)}{(\omega - k v_0)^2 - \omega_c^2 \gamma_0^2} + i \frac{\omega_c \omega_p^2 (\omega + k v_1)}{(\omega + k v_1)^2 - \omega_c^2} \quad (18)$$

$$D_{33} = -\omega^2 + \frac{\omega_{b\parallel}^2 \omega^2}{(\omega - k v_0)^2} + \frac{\omega_p^2 \omega^2}{(\omega + k v_1)^2} \quad (19)$$

The D_{12}^* term in expression (16) is the complex conjugate of D_{12} . The electron plasma frequency, transverse beam frequency, and longitudinal beam frequency are $\omega_p^2 = 4\pi n_0 e^2/m$, $\omega_{b\perp}^2 = 4\pi n_{b0} c^2 \gamma_0/m$ and $\omega_{b\parallel}^2 = 4\pi n_{b0} e^2 \gamma_0^3/m$, respectively

Since $D_{13} = D_{23} = 0$ the expression (16) yields

$$\omega^2 - \frac{\omega_{b\parallel}^2 \omega^2}{(\omega - k v_0)^2} - \frac{\omega_p^2 \omega^2}{(\omega + k v_1)^2} = 0 \quad (20)$$

from $D_{33} = 0$ and

$$c^2 k^2 - \omega^2 + \frac{\omega_{b\perp}^2 (\omega - k v_0)^2}{(\omega - k v_0)^2 - \omega_c^2 \gamma_0^2} + \frac{\omega_p^2 (\omega + k v_1)^2}{(\omega + k v_1)^2 - \omega_c^2} = \mp \quad (21)$$

$$\mp \left[\frac{\omega_c \gamma_0 \omega_{b\perp}^2 (\omega - k v_0)}{(\omega - k v_0)^2 - \omega_c^2 \gamma_0^2} + \frac{\omega_c \omega_p^2 (\omega + k v_1)}{(\omega + k v_1)^2 - \omega_c^2} \right]$$

from $(D_{11} D_{22} - D_{12} D_{12}^*) = 0$,

The equation (20) is the electrostatic dispersion relation and from (21) we obtain the dispersion relations for right-handed and respectively left-handed polarized waves, under the following forms

$$\omega^2 - k^2 c^2 - \frac{\omega_p^2(\omega + kv_1)}{\omega + kv_1 - \omega_c} - \frac{\omega_{b\perp}^2(\omega - kv_0)}{\omega - kv_0 - \omega_c \gamma_0} = 0 \quad (22)$$

$$\omega^2 - k^2 c^2 - \frac{\omega_p^2(\omega + kv_1)}{\omega + kv_1 + \omega_c} - \frac{\omega_{b\perp}^2(\omega - kv_0)}{\omega - kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0} = 0 \quad (23)$$

Both the equations (22) and (23) can be represented as

$$F_p + \varepsilon F_b = 0 \quad (24)$$

where

$$F_p = \omega^2 - k^2 c^2 - \frac{\omega_p^2(\omega + kv_1)}{\omega - kv_1 \mp \omega_c} \quad (25)$$

$$F_b = - \frac{\gamma_0 \omega_{b\perp}^2 (\omega - kv_0)}{\omega - kv_0 \mp \omega_c \gamma_0} \quad (26)$$

and the upper or lower sign corresponds to the right or left-handed circularly polarized waves, respectively.

The expression F_p does not depend on the parameters of the beam and hence the equality

$$F_p = 0 \quad (27)$$

represents the dispersion equation for the plasma waves which can be transmitted through the plasma in the absence of the beam. The expression εF_b represents the perturbation produced by the beam. Since it has been assumed that $n_{b0} \ll n_0$ which is equivalent to $\varepsilon \ll 1$, and if the expression F_b is bounded, then for sufficiently small values of ε , the contribution of the εF_b term to the dispersion equation (24) is negligible. Thus the effect of the beam is significant only in the neighbourhood of singularities of the expression F_b . Motivated by this consideration, those waves will be analyzed according to the fact whether they satisfy the condition.

$$\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0 + \eta \quad (28)$$

where

$$|\eta| \ll |kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0| \quad (29)$$

An instability occurs when $\text{Im}\eta < 0$ and $|\text{Im}\eta|$ denotes the rate of growth of the excited wave.

Approximating F_p in the neighbourhood of $\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0$ by Taylor series and retaining the first two terms in the series, we obtain:

$$(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0 + \eta} = (F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} + \eta (\partial F_p / \partial \omega)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} \quad (30)$$

Inserting this expression together with (28) into the dispersion equation (24), it results:

$$\eta^2(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} + \eta(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} \mp \varepsilon \gamma_0^2 \omega_p^2 \omega_c = 0 \quad (31)$$

The discriminant of (31) is

$$\Delta = [(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0}]^2 \pm 4\varepsilon \gamma_0^2 \omega_p^2 \omega_c (\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} \quad (32)$$

In order to exist an instability this discriminant must be negative. The expression (32) is negative if we have the following inequalities:

$$(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0} < 0 \quad (33)$$

and

$$\frac{[(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0}]^2}{|(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0}|} < 4\varepsilon \gamma_0^2 \omega_p^2 \omega_c \quad (34)$$

for right-handed polarized waves, and

$$(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 - \omega_c \gamma_0} > 0 \quad (35)$$

and

$$\frac{[(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 - \omega_c \gamma_0}]^2}{|(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 - \omega_c \gamma_0}|} < 4\varepsilon \gamma_0^2 \omega_p^2 \omega_c \quad (36)$$

for left-handed polarized waves

Since ε is very small the inequalities (34) and (35) are satisfied only when

$$(F_p)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0} \approx 0 \quad (37)$$

The expression (37) shows that the beam electron cyclotron frequency as seen by a stationary observer, $kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0$, must be in the immediate neighbourhood of the roots of the equation $F_p(\omega, \vec{k}) = 0$. This condition signifies a resonance between the cyclotron frequency of the electrons in the beam and the frequency of plasma waves.

Inserting (37) in the equation (31), we obtain for the rate of growth the following expression

$$Im\eta = \left| \frac{\varepsilon \gamma_0^2 \omega_p^2 \omega_c}{(\partial F_p/\partial\omega)_{\omega = kv_0 \pm \omega_c \gamma_0}} \right|^{1/2} \quad (38)$$

the plus and minus sign corresponding to the right or left-handed circularly polarized waves, respectively.

We will now discuss the implications of the relation (33). Taking into account the expression (25), we obtain:

$$\left[2\omega + \frac{\omega_p^2 \omega_c}{(\omega + kv_1 - \omega_c)^2} \right]_{\omega = kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0} < 0 \quad (39)$$

The above inequality can be satisfied only if ω takes negative values, therefore $kv_0 + \omega_c \gamma_0$ must be negative. This expression becomes negative if $v_0 < -c\omega_c / \sqrt{k^2 c^2 + \omega_c^2}$, that is for the beam propagating in the direction opposite to that of \vec{B}_0 . Because the phase velocity ω/k of correspondent waves has a negative sign, it follows that these waves will propagate in the same direction as the beam.

Consequently, an electron beam may excite a right-handed circularly polarized electromagnetic wave in the relativistic electron beam-plasma system if the beam moves in the same direction as the wave and both propagate in the opposite direction to that of the external magnetic field. Since the phase velocity of the excited waves is lower than that of the beam, the physical mechanism responsible for their excitation is the anomalous Doppler effect.

A similar discussion applied to the relation (35) shows that a relativistic electron beam can excite a left-handed circularly polarized wave in the plasma if the beam moves in the same direction as the wave, and both propagate in the direction of the external magnetic field. The physical mechanism responsible for the instability is also the anomalous Doppler effect.

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INSTABILITATEA UNDELOR ELECTROMAGNETICE CIRCULAR POLARIZATE ÎN SISTEMUL FASCICUL RELATIVIST DE ELECTRONI-PLASMĂ

(Rezumat)

Se studiază undele electromagnetice circular polarizate în sistemul fascicul relativist de electroni-plasmă, aflat într-un câmp magnetic omogen. Ținând cont de existența curentului invers indus în plasmă, se determină condițiile în care pot fi excitate undele polarizate la dreapta și cele polarizate la stînga.

PROPRIETĂȚILE STRUCTURALE ȘI CATALITICE ALE OXIZILOR DE ALUMINIU PROMOTAȚI CU CeO_2 (II)

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1. **Introducere.** Modificările structurale și proprietățile catalitice ale oxidului de aluminiu promotat cu CeO_2 , obținut prin descompunerea termică a hidroxidului de aluminiu, depind esențial de condițiile în care s-a obținut și s-a tratat termic hidroxidul de aluminiu

Folosind tehnica difracției de rază X , în oxizii de aluminiu promotați cu CeO_2 s-au identificat o serie de modificări structurale. Alături de rezultatele structurale, în lucrare se mai prezintă date referitoare la suprafața specifică și distribuția de pori în catalizatorul solid.

2. **Prepararea probelor.** Probele studiate de oxizi de aluminiu promotați cu CeO_2 , au fost obținute prin calcinarea hidroxizilor de aluminiu la temperatura de 823 K. Hidroxizii de aluminiu au fost obținuți în prezența a 200 cm³ de glicol la temperatura de 295 K (denumite probe cu glicol la rece) o serie, și altă serie la temperatura de 328 K (denumite probe cu glicol la cald), substanțele de pornire fiind azotatul de aluminiu și azotatul de ceriu [1]. În funcție de cantitatea de azotat de ceriu utilizată, în oxizii de aluminiu rezultați apar diferite cantități de CeO_2 . Astfel, în cele două serii de probe, cu glicol la rece și la cald, pentru simplitate s-au introdus notațiile la, 1b și 1c; corespunzător conținutului de CeO_2 de 10, 20, 30% și analog 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d pentru concentrația de 0; 10, 20, 30% CeO_2 .

3. **Tehnica experimentală.** Spectrele de raze X au fost obținute cu un spectrometru tip TUR-M62, folosind radiația $K\alpha$ a unui anod de Cu cu lungimea de undă $\lambda = 1,5418 \text{ \AA}$ prin filtru de Ni în camera Debye-Scheerer. Indexarea liniilor de pe rontgenogramă s-a făcut prin metoda analitică. Suprafața specifică și microporozitatea (5–300 \AA) s-au determinat cu ajutorul instalației BET. Porii cu dimensiunile cuprinse între 150 și 75 000 \AA au fost măsurați cu ajutorul unui porozimetru cu mercur de tip Carlo-Erba (1–1 000 at) [2].

4. **Rezultate și concluzii.** Proba la cuprinde un amestec de două faze cu simetrie cubică caracterizate prin parametrii de rețea $a = 5,41 \text{ \AA}$, respectiv 7,69 \AA . Faza cu $a = 5,41 \text{ \AA}$ corespunde modificării αCeO_2 , iar faza cu $a = 7,69 \text{ \AA}$ modificării η -aluminei. Liniile intense cu indicii Miller 400 și 440, caracteristice η -aluminei [2] apar la 1,92 \AA și 1,24 \AA (vezi tabelul 1).

Proba 1b constă tot din amestecul a două faze cu simetrie cubică, caracterizate prin parametrii de rețea $a = 4,67 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzător modifiției αCeO_2 și $a = 8,16 \text{ \AA}$ corespunzător modifiției $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (vezi tabelul 2).

Tabel 1

Tabel 2

10% CeO₂

Nr.	Int	d[A°]	hkl CeO ₂	hkl Al ₂ O ₃
1	s	2.8770	1 0 0	
2	s	2.5359		3 0 0
3	ffi	2.1913	2 1 1	
4	fi	2.1320		3 2 0
5	fi	1.9258	2 2 0	4 0 0
6	s	1.8175	3 0 0	4 1 1
7	m	1.5466		4 3 0
8	i	1.3612	4 0 0	4 4 0
9	m	1.2636		6 1 0
10	i	1.1590	3 3 4	
11	s	1.1263		6 3 1
12	m	1.1001		7 0 0
		a[Å]	5.41	7.69

20% CeO₂

Nr	Int	d[A°]	hkl CeO ₂	hkl Al ₂ O ₃
1	s	3.0793	1 1 0	
2	fi	2.0798	2 1 0	
3	i	2.0405		4 0 0
4	s	1.8736	2 1 1	3 3 1
5	s	1.6210	2 2 0	
6	i	1.4271	3 1 1	4 3 3
7	s	1.3117	3 2 0	
8	i	1.2070		6 3 1
9	s	1.1391	4 1 0	7 1 1
		a[Å]	4.67	8.16

În mod analog, proba 1c cuprinde amestecul a două faze cu simetrie cubică cu parametrii $a = 5,38 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzător modifiației αCeO_2 și $a = 7,68 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzător modifiației $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (tabelul 3).

Tabloul structural al probelor din seria cu glicol la cald apare modificat și mai complex față de cele cu glicol la rece. Proba fără bioxid de ceriu, 2a, constă dintr-un amestec de două faze, una cubică cu parametrul de rețea $a = 7,894 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzătoare modifiației $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și alta tetragonală cu parametrii $a = 3,2 \text{ \AA}$ și $c = 2,9 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzătoare modifiației $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (vezi tabelul 4).

Tabel 3

Tabel 4

30% CeO₂

Nr	Int	d[A°]	CeO ₂ hkl	Al ₂ O ₃ hkl
1	s	3.1759		2 1 1
2	m	2.7227		2 2 0
3	fi	2.4362		3 0 1
4	i	2.3742	2 1 1	
5	i	2.1130	2 2 0	3 0 2
6	fs	2.0021	2 2 1	3 2 1
7	fs	1.9297		4 0 0
8	fs	1.8416	3' 0 1	
9	fs	1.6184	3 0 2	
10	fs	1.5350		5 0 0
11	i	1.4570	4 0 0	
12	s	1.4062		5 2 1
13	s	1.3326		5 0 3
14	m	1.2198		6 2 0
15	s	1.1601		6 2 2
		a[Å]	5.38	7.68

0% CeO₂

Nr	Int.	d[A°]	$\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl	$\gamma\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$
1	ffs	3.4800	2 1 0	
2	ffs	3.2094	2 1 1	
3	ffs	2.8839		1 0 0
4	fi	2.4170		1 1 0
5	i	2.1280	3 2 1	
6	fi	1.8200	3 3 1	1 1 1
7	s	1.6750	3 3 2	
8	s	1.5850	4 3 0	2 0 0
9	i	1.4590		2 1 0
10	fs	1.4010	4 4 0	2 1 0
11	s	1.3380	5 3 1	
12	i	1.2251		2 1 1
13	i	1.1656		2 2 0
		a[Å]	7.894	3.2

Proba 2b cuprinde un amestec de trei faze: două faze cu structura de simetrie cubică, avînd parametrii $a = 8,132 \text{ \AA}$ și $a = 4,20 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzător modificaliiei $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$, și respectiv αCeO_2 , iar faza a treia cu structura tetragonală, caracterizată prin valorile parametrilor $a = 3,03 \text{ \AA}$ și $c = 3,62 \text{ \AA}$, corespunzător modificaliiei $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (vezi tabelul 5).

Tabel 5

10%CeO ₂					
Nr	Int.	d[A°]	$\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl	CeO ₂ hkl	$\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl
1	fs	4 008	2 0 0		
2	fs	3 0354		2 0 0	1 0 0
3	fs	2 6961	3 0 0	2 1 0	
4	s	2 4727	3 1 1	2 1 1	
5	s	2 1110			1 1 0
6	m	2.0429	4 0 0	3 0 0	
7	i	1.8468			1 1 1
8	m	1 8294	4 2 0	3 1 1	
9	i	1 6300	4 3 0	3 2 1	
10	ffs	1.5267		4 0 0	2 0 0
11	ffs	1 4999	4 3 2		
12	ffs	1.4375	4 4 0	4 1 1	
13	m	1 3104			2 1 0
14	m	1.1694	7 0 0	5 1 1	2 2 0
15	fs	0 1084	7 2 1	5 2 1	2 2 0
a[Å] c[Å]			8 132	4 20	3.03 3 62

Pentru probele 2c și 2d compoziția structurală este analogă probei 2b, însă din cauza conținutului mărit de CeO₂ valorile parametrilor reticulari pentru fazele cubice și tetragonală sînt diferite. Astfel, proba 2c are parametrii $a = 7,887 \text{ \AA}$ corespunzător modificaliiei $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$, și $a = 5,495 \text{ \AA}$ corespunzător modificaliiei αCeO_2 , iar $a = 4,14 \text{ \AA}$ și $c = 3,266 \text{ \AA}$ corespunzător modificaliiei $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (vezi tabelul 6).

Tabel 6

20%CeO ₂					
Nr	Int	d[A°]	$\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl	CeO ₂ hkl	$\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl
1	m	3.1399		1 1 1	1 0 0
2	fs	2.7281		2 0 0	
3	fi	1.8974	4 1 0		
4	s	1.8364			1 1 1
5	fi	1 6380			2 0 0
6	ffs	1.3974	4 4 0	4 0 0	2 1 0
7	s	1.3042	6 1 0		2 1 1
8	m	1.1717	6 3 0		
a[Å] c[Å]			7.887	5.495	3 14 3 266

În cazul probei 2d valorile parametrilor pentru modificările similare sînt $a = 8,058 \text{ \AA}$ pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$; $a = 5,36 \text{ \AA}$ pentru αCeO_2 și $a = 2,721 \text{ \AA}$; $c = 3,329 \text{ \AA}$ pentru modificarea $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ (vezi tabelul 7).

Tabel 7

(30 % CeO_2)

Nr	Int	$d[\text{Å}^\circ]$	$\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl	CeO_2 hkl	$\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ hkl
1	ss	3.1322		1 1 1	
2	s	2.7146	3 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0
3	fs	2.3562		2 1 0	
4	fs	2.1031			1 1 0
5	fs	2.0147	4 0 0		
6	fs	1.8956	4 1 1	2 2 0	
7	fi	1.8451			
8	i	1.7975	4 2 0	3 0 0	
9	fs	1.6106	4 3 0	3 1 1	
10	fs	1.5191			
11	fs	1.4756	5 2 1	3 2 0	
12	fs	1.4428		3 2 1	1 0 2
13	fs	1.3896	5 3 0		2 0 0
14	s	1.3054	5 3 2	4 1 0	
15	fs	1.2811			7 1 2
16	fs	1.2198	6 2 2		2 1 0
17	i	1.1682		4 2 1	
18	s	1.0923		4 2 2	
	$a[\text{Å}]$ $c[\text{Å}]$		8.058	5.36	2.721 3.392

Dependența sistematică a parametrilor reticulari pentru modificările structurale observate în funcție de concentrația adaosului de CeO_2 în oxizii de aluminiu, este reprezentată în figura 1, pentru setul de probe cu glicol la rece, și în figura 2, pentru setul de probe cu glicol la cald.

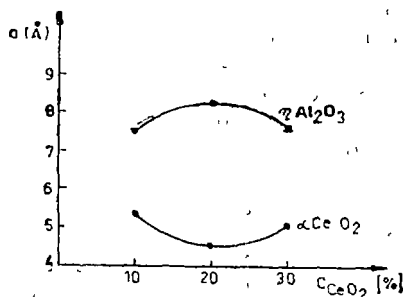


Fig. 1.

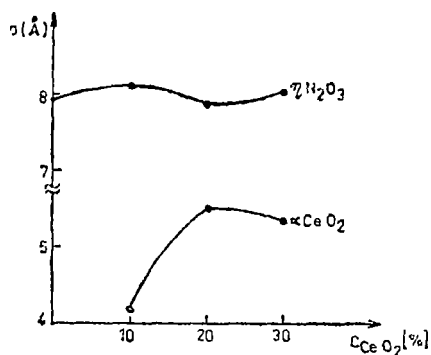


Fig. 2.

În figura 3 este redată dependența volumului celulei tetragonale de concentrație în CeO_2 pentru setul de probe cu glicol la cald

Dependența suprafeței specifice de concentrația de CeO_2 pentru ambele seturi de probe este ilustrată în figura 4, pentru probele cu glicol la rece, iar în figura 5 pentru cele cu glicol la cald

Variația volumului total al porilor în funcție de concentrația în CeO_2 pentru ambele seturi de probe este prezentată în figurile 6 și 7

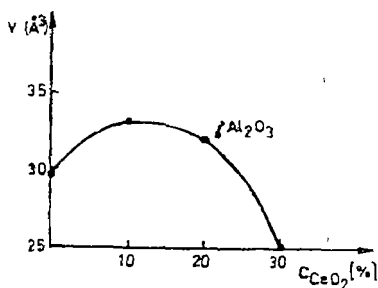


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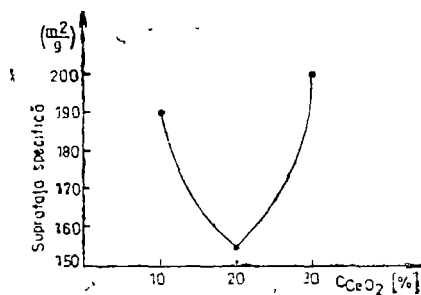


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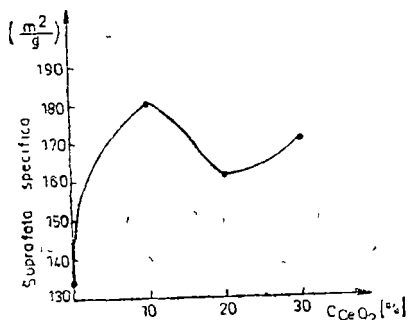


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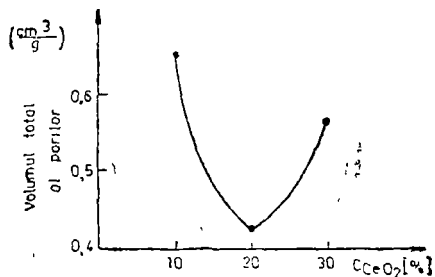


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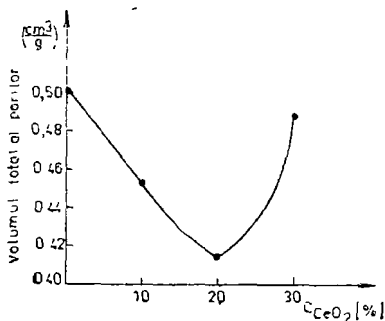


Fig. 7

Corelind datele structurale cu cele catalitice rezultă un model de interpretare al rezultatelor prezentate mai sus. Dilatația celulei cristaline sau creșterea parametrilor de rețea duce la micșorarea corespunzătoare a volumului porilor catalizatorilor și implicit a parametrilor caracteristici, adică a suprafeței specifice. Această concluzie este valabilă în condițiile în care prevalează microporii (5–300 Å) pe lângă numărul total constant al porilor din probă (cazul când nu apar pori suplimentari).

În cazul macroporilor (300—75 000 Å) o dilatație a celulei cristaline poate duce la o transformare a macroporilor în micropori și deci la scăderea volumului total al porilor și concomitent la o creștere a suprafeței specifice

Suprafața specifică a modificaliilor $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ este mult mai mare decât pentru αCeO_2 .

În felul acesta, rezultatele obținute de noi pun în evidență o transformare a macroporilor în micropori pentru setul de probe cu glicol la cald în intervalul de concentrație de CeO_2 cuprins între 0 și 10% αCeO_2

Pentru setul de probe cu glicol la rece, cu concentrațiile între 10 și 20% αCeO_2 , apare o creștere a parametrului de rețea pentru modifiția $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de la 7,69 Å la 8,16 Å și o scădere a parametrului pentru αCeO_2 de la 5,41 Å la 4,67 Å. Luând în considerare valorile suprafeței specifice de aproximativ 170 m²/g pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și 50 m²/g pentru CeO_2 , în ansamblu rezultă o creștere a parametrului de rețea însoțită de o micșorare a volumului porilor și a suprafeței specifice. Între concentrațiile de 20% și 30% se obține o scădere a parametrului reticular pentru modifiția $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de la 8,16 Å la 7,68 Å și o creștere de parametru pentru αCeO_2 de la 4,67 Å la 5,38 Å. Rămîne însă preponderentă variația rețelei pentru Al_2O_3 . Astfel, prin contracția rețelei se obține o creștere a volumului porilor și implicit a suprafeței specifice

Pentru setul de probe cu glicol la cald, cu concentrațiile dintre 10 și 20% CeO_2 , se obține o scădere a parametrului reticular pentru modifiția $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de la 8,132 Å la 7,887 Å și a volumului celulei tetragonale a modifiției $\gamma\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de la 33,2 Å³ la 32,2 Å³, urmată de o creștere accentuată a parametrului pentru αCeO_2 de la 4,20 Å la 5,495 Å. Cu toate că valoarea suprafeței specifice pentru αCeO_2 este mai mică decât pentru modifițiile η și γ' ale aluminei, în variația rezultantă a suprafeței specifice contribuția cea mai mare o aduce αCeO_2 . Prin urmare, se obține o scădere a suprafeței specifice și a volumului porilor

La concentrațiile cuprinse între 20 și 30% de CeO_2 , parametrul reticular pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ crește de la valoarea 7,887 Å la 8,058 Å iar pentru αCeO_2 scade de la valoarea 5,49 la 5,36 Å, iar volumul celulei modifiției $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de la 32,2 Å³ la 24,6 Å³. Scăderea valorilor pentru αCeO_2 și $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ compensează creșterea parametrului pentru Al_2O_3 și, deci, suprafața specifică și volumul porilor cresc. Astfel se poate afirma că probele studiate constau dintr-un amestec mecanic de faze din modificări cristaline de $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$; $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și αCeO_2 . În plus, parametrii reticulari ai modificărilor η și γ' alumina se schimbă foarte mult în funcție de concentrația de αCeO_2 , obținîndu-se anomalii în dependență de concentrație. De asemenea tratamentul termic cu glicol are o mare influență, după cum se poate constata din compararea datelor pentru cele două serii de probe studiate

Corelarea datelor structurale cu cele catalitice a permis interpretarea în mod unitar a datelor de suprafață specifică și a distribuției porilor în catalizatorii studiați

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ON THE STRUCTURAL AND CATALYTIC PROPERTIES OF ALUMINIUM OXIDES PROMOTED WITH CeO_2 (II)

(Summary)

The relationship between structural and catalytic properties of aluminium oxides promoted with CeO_2 are discussed. The model which we have done, permitted us to explain in a unitary way the textural measurements.

STUDIUL STRUCTURAL AL UNOR CATALIZATORI DE CeO_2 PE SUPORT DE ALUMINĂ

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1. **Introducere.** Aluminele promovate cu bioxid de ceriu, sau cu oxizi ai altor elemente de tranziție, prezintă o serie de proprietăți catalitice, ceea ce le conferă posibilitatea de aplicare în diverse procese tehnologice din industria chimică și petrochimică.

Unele schimbări în structura și însușirile catalitice ale aluminelor obținute prin calcinarea hidroxidului de aluminiu și promovate cu bioxid de ceriu depind esențial de condițiile în care s-a obținut și tratat termic hidroxidul de aluminiu. Astfel aluminele sînt parțial sau total deshidratate, așa cum s-a mai arătat anterior [1, 2]

Prin difracție de raze X s-au identificat toate modificările structurale survenite în oxizii de aluminiu promotați cu CeO_2

Datele structurale obținute au fost corelate cu parametrul catalitic determinat, respectiv cu valorile suprafeței specifice

2. **Prepararea probelor.** Aluminele s-au obținut prin calcinarea hidroxizilor de aluminiu la diverse temperaturi. Pentru obținerea probelor, supuse studiului, s-a dizolvat azotat de aluminiu și azotat de ceriu în apă încălzită la 328–333 K. Hidroxidul de aluminiu și hidroxidul de ceriu s-au precipitat în prezența carbonatului de amoniu. S-au preparat două seturi de probe, notate cu A și respectiv cu B.

Setul A de probe s-a obținut prin uscarea la 373 K și calcinare în curent de aer cald. Setul B de probe a fost îmbătrînit lăsîndu-se timp de 20 ore în soluția în care s-au precipitat hidroxizii de aluminiu și de ceriu. După îmbătrînire, probele au fost supuse unui tratament similar ca și setul de probe A, rezultînd în felul acesta probe cu concentrații diferite de CeO_2 , în funcție de cantitatea de azotat de ceriu utilizată. Din ambele seturi s-au preparat cîte patru probe avînd concentrațiile 2, 4, 6, 8% CeO_2 .

3. **Tehnica experimentală.** Studiul structural al probelor catalitice investigate s-a făcut prin metoda Debye-Scherrer, folosind o instalație tip TUR-M62 cu radiația $K\alpha$ a unui anod de cupru, avînd lungimea de undă $\lambda = 1,5418$ Å, trecută prin filtru de nichel. Indexarea roentgenogramelor s-a făcut prin metoda analitică, reușindu-se identificarea tuturor liniilor detectate.

Suprafața specifică a catalizatorului s-a determinat cu ajutorul unei instalații BET.

4 **Rezultate experimentale și discuții.** Din tabloul de difracție al razelor X se desprinde un fapt esențial și anume, că modul de preparare al probelor influențează asupra spectrului de raze X și implicit asupra structurii probelor. Astfel, spectrul de difracție pentru setul A de probe prezintă un număr mai redus de linii față de setul B de probe. Prin urmare, tratamentul de îmbătrînire la

care a fost supus setul B de probe a determinat o scădere a vitezei de cristalizare și prin aceasta un grad mai ridicat de cristalizare. Așa se poate explica prezența numărului mai mare de linii apărute pe roentgenogramele setului B de probe. Pentru comparație, la proba cu concentrația de 2% CeO₂ în setul A de probe au putut fi citite pe roentgenogramă 9 linii, în timp ce în setul B de probe 21 linii.

Datele roentgenografice pentru setul A de probe sînt sintetizate în tabelele 1—4, în care sînt prezentate intensitățile absolute ale liniilor de difracție,

Tabel 1

2% CeO ₂				
Nr	Int	d[A°]	(hkl) Al ₂ O ₃	(hkl) (CeO ₂)
1	i	2 4964	2 2 1	
2	i	2 4187	3 1 0	
3	s	2.1434	2 2 2	
4	m	1 8864	4 0 0	
5	m	1 8265	4 1 0	
6	s	1 6285		3 1 1
7	m	1 4780	5 1 0	
8	s	1 3238	4 4 0	
9	s	1 2251		4 2 0
a(Å)			7 52	5 44

Tabel 2

4% CeO ₂				
Nr	Int	96% Al ₂ O ₃ d[A°]	(hkl) Al ₂ O ₃	(hkl) (CeO ₂)
1	s	2 4589	3 0 0	
2	s	2.0213		2 2 0
3	i	1.8613	4 0 0	
4	i	1 8264		3 1 0
5	m	1 6285	4 2 0	
6	s	1 4780	4 3 0	
7	s	1 3400		4 1 1
8	s	1 1732	6 2 0	
a(Å)			7401	5 702

Tabel 3

6% CeO ₂				
Nr.	Int	d ₀ [A°]	(hkl) Al ₂ O ₃	(hkl) CeO ₂
1	s	2 4619	3 0 0	
2	s	2 1484	2 2 2	
3	m	2 0600	3 2 0	
4	m	1 8471		3 0 0
5	i	1 8264	4 0 0	
6	i	1 8280		3 1 1
7	m	1 6180	4 2 1	
8	fs	1 5212		4 1 0
9	fs	1 4822	4 3 0	
10	fs	1 4662	4 3 1	
11	s	1 3111	4 4 4	
12	s	1 2749		4 2 2
13	m	1 1685	5 2 0	
14	s	1 1066		5 2 1
a(Å)			7 4028	6 0823

Tabel 4

8% CeO ₂				
Nr	Int.	d ₀ [A°]	(hkl) Al ₂ O ₃	[hkl] CeO ₂
1	fs	2 9228		2 0 0
2	fs	2 594		2 1 0
3	i	2 2777	2 2 2	
4	i	2 2240	3 2 1	
5	m	1.9914	4 0 0	
6	fs	1 8824	4 1 1	
7	fs	1.7996		3 1 0
8	m	1 3975	4 4 0	
9	m	1 2940		3 3 1
10	m	1 2186		4 2 2
11	s	1.0353	6 3 2	
a(Å)			7 943	5 74

marcate prin simbolurile de prescurtare i s foarte slab, s — slab, m — mediu, i — intens În tabele mai sînt date distanțele interplanare, indicii Miller și valorile parametrului reticular În aceeași manieră sînt redade și datele pentru setul B de probe în tabelele 5—8.

Tabel 5

2% CeO_2

Nr	Int.	$d_0[\text{Å}^{-1}]$	hkl Al_2O_3	hkl CeO_2
1	s	3 5060	2 1 0	
2	s	3.1550	2 1 1	
3	s	2 8600		2 0 0
4	i	2 5684	3 0 0	2 1 0
5	s	2 4164	3 1 0	
6	m	2 1294	3 2 0	
7	m	1 9496	4 0 0	
8	m	1 7936		3 1 0
9	m	1 6500	3 3 2	3 1 1
10	m	1 6129		2 2 2
11	fs	1 4209	4 3 2	
12	m	1 3827	4 0 0	3 3 0
13	m	1 3351	4 4 1	
14	fs	1 2941	5 3 1	3 3 1
15	s	1.2700	6 1 0	
16	fs	1 2559	6 1 1	
17	fs	1 2027	6 2 1	3 3 2
18	fs	1.1454	6 3 0	4 2 2
19	s	1 1371	6 3 1	
20	s	1 0703	7 1 1	
21	s	1 0310	7 2 1	
a(Å)			7 76	5 69

Tabel 6

4% CeO_2

Nr	Int.	$d_0[\text{Å}^{-1}]$	hkl Al_2O_3	hkl CeO_2
1	s	3 4502	2 1 0	
2	i	2.5862	3 0 0	2 1 0
3	i	2 4183	3 1 0	
4	m	2.1926	2 2 2	
5	m	2.1430	3 2 0	
6	fs	1.9087		2 2 0
7	fs	1.7083	4 0 0	
8	sd	1 4823	4 2 0	3 1 1
9	sd	1 4139	5 1 1	
10	ts	1 3916	5 2 0	
11	ts	1 3528	5 2 1	
12	sd	1 3528	4 4 0	
13	m	1 2353		4 2 1
a(Å)			7 64	5 68

Tabel 7

6% CeO_2

Nr	Int.	$d_0[\text{Å}^{-1}]$	hkl Al_2O_3	hkl CeO_2
1	s	3.5262		1 1 1
2	fs	2 9297		2 0 0
3	fs	2 8387	2 2 0	
4	i	2 7007	3 0 0	
5	i	2 6295		2 1 0
6	m	2 5623	3 1 0	
7	m	2 3064	2 2 2	
8	s	2 160	3 2 1	
9	s	2 0910		2 2 0
10	s	2 0660	4 0 0	
11	s	1 8050	4 2 0	3 1 1
12	s	1 7522	4 2 1	
13	m	1 5768	4 3 1	
14	s	1 4900	5 2 1	
15	s	1 4848	4 4 0	4 1 1
16	m	1 3238		4 2 0
a(Å)			8 03	5 89

Tabel 8

8% CeO_2

Nr	Int.	$d_0[\text{Å}^{-1}]$	hkl Al_2O_3	hkl CeO_2
1	s	2 7158	3 0 0	
2	ts	2 6534		2 0 0
3	i	2 4569	3 1 1	
4	i	2 4262		2 1 0
5	i	2 2452	3 2 0	2 1 1
6	fs	2 0870	3 2 1	
7	s	2 0423	4 0 0	
8	fs	1 9914	4 1 0	
9	s	1 7494	3 3 2	
10	s	1 7004		3 1 0
11	m	1 5124	4 3 2	3 2 0
12	ts	1 4992	4 4 0	3 2 1
13	fs	1 4143	4 3 3	
14	m	1 3711	5 3 1	
a(Å)			8 178	5 43

Din tabele se poate constata că în ambele seturi de probe s-a identificat existența unui amestec mecanic de două faze: faza $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și αCeO_2 , ceea ce justifică denumirea catalizatorului de bioxid de ceriu pe suport de alumină. Se vede de asemenea că valorile parametrilor reticulari pentru cele două faze se modifică în funcție de conținutul de CeO_2 . La concentrații mici influența adaosului de CeO_2 se reduce numai la variații ale parametrilor reticulari, în timp ce la concentrații mari, pe lângă acest efect, mai apare alături de modificarea $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și modificarea $\gamma'\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ sub influența unor tratamente diferite, cum este cel cu glicol la cald.

Apariția fazelor $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ și αCeO_2 se explică prin diferențe foarte mari între razele ionice, aluminiul avînd raza ionică de 0,57 Å iar ceriul de 1,08 Å. Avînd raza mai mare, ionul de ceriu nu poate ocupa pozițiile tetraedrice vacante din rețeaua spinelului $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$, și nici nu poate substitui ionul de aluminiu din rețea pentru formarea unui compus sau a unei soluții solide.

Variațiile observate în valorile parametrilor reticulari pentru cele două faze, în funcție de conținutul de CeO_2 , pot fi totuși corelate într-un anumit mod.

Reprezentînd grafic dependența parametrului reticular pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ de concentrația CeO_2 , așa cum este redat în figurile 1 și 2, se vede că alături de curbele pentru cele două seturi de probe A și B este asemănătoare.

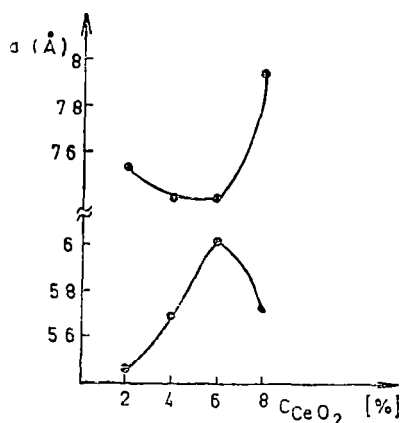


Fig. 1.

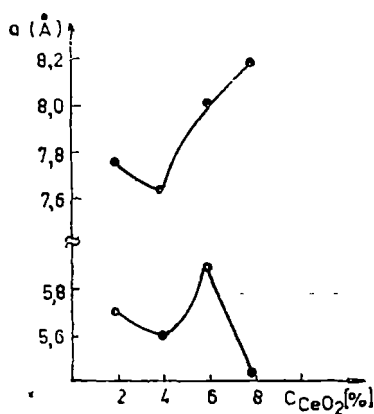


Fig. 2.

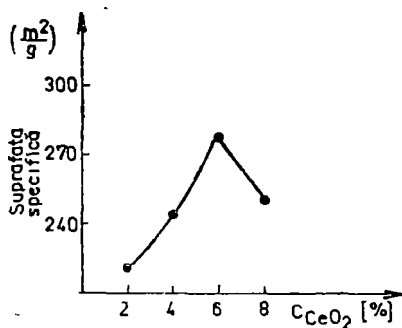


Fig. 3.

Dependența parametrului reticular pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ prezintă un minim la concentrația de 4% CeO_2 , în timp ce pentru αCeO_2 are un maxim la concentrația de 6% CeO_2 .

Dependența valorilor suprafeței specifice pentru setul A de probe, redată în figura 3, în funcție de concentrația de CeO_2 , este în bună concordanță cu dependența parametrului reticular de concentrația de CeO_2 prezentată mai sus. Această concordanță duce la concluzia că suprafața specifică și parametrul reticular al modifiției $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ se pot corela prin con-

centrația oxidului elementului de tranziție. Contractia rețelei cristaline în domeniul concentrațiilor 2–6% CeO_2 concordă cu creșterea suprafeței specifice a catalizatorului. La 6% CeO_2 parametrul reticular al $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ prezintă un minim, în timp ce suprafața specifică prezintă un maxim. Dilatarea rețelei cristaline pentru $\eta\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ implică o micșorare a suprafeței specifice a catalizatorului.

Prin urmare, introducerea bioxidului de ceriu în alumină îi imprimă acesteia proprietăți catalitice remarcabile, fără a produce modificări structurale radicale, efectul concentrației repercutându-se asupra valorii suprafeței specifice a catalizatorului.

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STRUCTURAL PROPERTIES OF ALUMINA PROMOTED WITH CeO_2

(Summary)

The structure properties of aluminum oxides promoted with CeO_2 in low concentration, are sensitive to the preparation method and CeO_2 concentration

CONTRIBUȚII LA STUDIUL PROPRIETĂȚILOR MAGNETICE ȘI TERMICE ALE SISTEMULUI 50% Cr₂O₃—50% SnO₂ (ECHIMOLAR)

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Introducere. Proprietățile magnetice, electrice și termice ale sistemului Cr₂O₃—SnO₂ au fost studiate detaliat în lucrările [1, 2, 3, 4]. Din punct de vedere magnetic s-a precizat că, în cazul compusului Cr₂O₃, în afară de anomalia corespunzătoare temperaturii de tranziție ordine-dezordine, situată în apropierea temperaturii de 314 K, susceptibilitatea magnetică mai depinde anomal de temperatură pînă la aproximativ 600 K. La temperaturi mai înalte comportarea magnetică corespunde unei stări paramagnetice normale. Măsurătorile privind dependența de temperatură a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică, în cazul fiecărui compus al sistemului $x(\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3) + (1-x)(\text{SnO}_2)$ (pentru $x \neq 0$) au pus în evidență o comportare anomală în jurul temperaturii de tranziție semnalate mai sus. La temperatura amintită panta curbei de variație a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică în funcție de temperatură suferă o schimbare pronunțată [3, 4]. În cazul probei de Cr₂O₃, care este antiferomagnetic, peste temperatura Néel (314 K), dependența coeficientului de difuzivitate termică de temperatură este anomală, prezentînd minime și maxime, fapt ce arată că nu s-a stabilit încă o fază paramagnetică normală. Corelînd această constatare cu cea referitoare la dependența anomală a susceptibilității magnetice, s-a tras concluzia că ordinea la distanță a fost distrusă la temperatura Néel, dar ordinea apropiată se mai menține încă pînă la 600 K. Acest rezultat este în bun acord cu datele relative la dependența de cîmp a susceptibilității magnetice [5].

Studiînd proprietățile termice (coeficient de difuzivitate termică și căldură specifică) ale sistemului $x(\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3) + (1-x) \text{SnO}_2$ ($0 \leq x \leq 1$), pentru $x = 0,5$ s-a obținut o dependență singulară în funcție de temperatură.

Coeficientul de difuzivitate termică a fost determinat prin metoda impulsului de căldură [6], iar căldura specifică cu un calorimetru adiabetic [7].

Rezultate experimentale și discuții. Pentru proba 50% Cr₂O₃ + 50% SnO₂ variația coeficientului de difuzivitate termică (curba a) și a căldurii specifice (curba b) cu temperatura este prezentată în figura 1. Urmărind variația în funcție de temperatură a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică, se poate constata că în intervalul de temperatură 180—205 K apare un minim și un maxim local. Peste temperatura de 210 K variația coeficientului de difuzivitate termică este asemănătoare cu cea a oxidului Cr₂O₃ [4]. Aproximativ pînă la 310 K, temperatură foarte apropiată de temperatura critică Néel, coeficientul de difuzivitate termică scade monoton, iar peste această temperatură prezintă o dependență anomală cu minime și maxime.

În lucrările [3, 4] s-a demonstrat că în sistemul Cr₂O₃—SnO₂ conducția termică este pur fononică, iar schimbarea pantei de variație a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică este cauzată de modul diferit de împrăștiere al purtătorilor energiei termice pe magnoni, în starea magnetic ordonată față de cea

dezordonată. În felul acesta se poate trage concluzia că anomalia semnalată la temperatura de 310 K, apare datorită tranziției de fază magnetică

Comparând variația cu temperatura a căldurii specifice și a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică, se constată că temperatura la care apare saltul (picul) în căldura specifică coincide cu temperatura (cca 180 K) la care apare minimumul

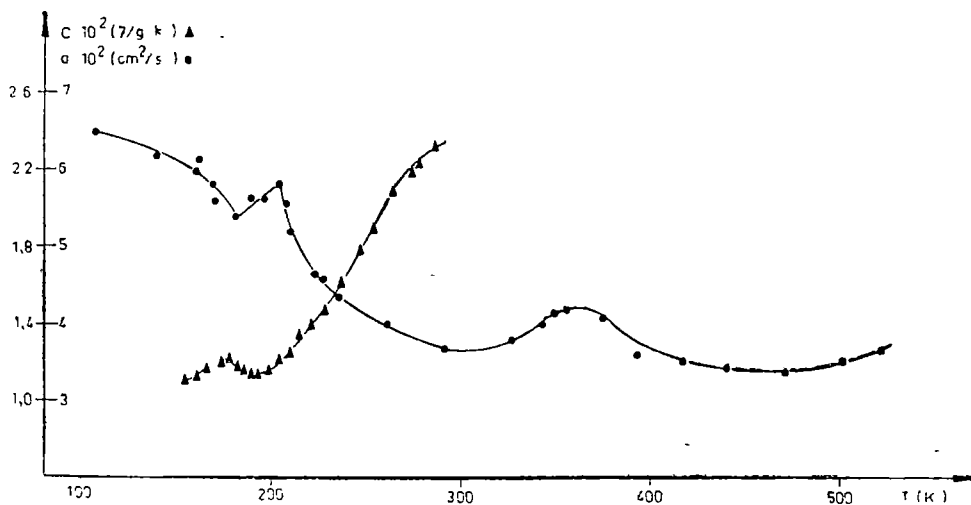


Fig 1

semnalat al coeficientului de difuzivitate termică. Aceste comportări denotă o tranziție de fază la această temperatură, saltul căldurii specifice fiind caracteristic unei tranziții de fază de speța a II-a

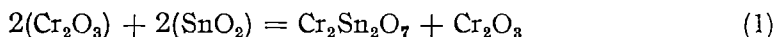
În condițiile noastre de preparare a probelor și la raportul echimolar de amestecare există posibilitatea apariției combinației chimice $Cr_2Sn_2O_7$ [8]. Dacă randamentul reacției ar fi ideal, proba ar conține un amestec mecanic de 50% mol. Cr_2O_3 și 50% mol. $Cr_2Sn_2O_7$. Într-adevăr, din măsurători electrice și termice [2, 3] rezultă că domeniul soluțiilor solide este foarte îngust, astfel soluția solidă pe bază de Cr_2O_3 se limitează la cca 1% molar de SnO_2 , iar cea pe bază de SnO_2 la aproximativ 2% molar Cr_2O_3 . În restul domeniului de concentrație există numai amestec mecanic de două faze.

Oxidul Cr_2O_3 este antiferomagnetic, avînd momentele magnetice compensate. Valoarea momentului magnetic pentru Cr^{3+} , determinat prin măsurători de susceptibilitate magnetică, este de $3,84 \mu_B$ foarte apropiată de valoarea teoretică ($3,872 \mu_B$).

În lucrarea [2] se afirmă că odată cu introducerea SnO_2 în Cr_2O_3 pe lângă ionii de Cr^{3+} apar și ionii Cr^{4+} . Astfel, este posibil ca în compusul $Cr_2Sn_2O_7$ momentele magnetice să fie necompensate. În favoarea acestei afirmații se poate cita lucrarea [9], în care se arată că în proba avînd concentrația de 50% mol. valoarea momentului magnetic este intermediară, ($3,66 \mu_B$), între valorile teoretice

obținute pentru Cr^{3+} ($3,8 \mu_B$) și Cr^{4+} ($2,88 \mu_B$). Această constatare atestă prezența ionilor Cr^{4+} .

Presupunând că în timpul preparării probei are loc reacția



și luînd în considerare că pentru momentul magnetic al probei s-a obținut valoarea de $3,66 \mu_B$ [9], se poate calcula valoarea momentului magnetic pentru $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$, cu relația

$$m_{\text{exp}} = \sqrt{f_1 \cdot m_1^2 + f_2 \cdot m_2^2} \quad (2)$$

în care: f_1 și f_2 reprezintă fracțiile molare pentru Cr_2O_3 și $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$ ($f_1 = f_2 = 0,5$), în amestecul rezultat, m_1 și m_2 valorile medii ale momentelor magnetice pentru un ion de Cr în Cr_2O_3 , respectiv $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$. Utilizînd această formulă, se obține $m_2 = 3,15 \mu_B$. Pe baza acestei valori s-au determinat fracțiile molare ale ionilor Cr^{3+} (f'_1) și Cr^{4+} (f'_2) în amestecul de concentrație 50% folosind relația

$$m_2 = \sqrt{f'_1 m_{\text{Cr}^{3+}}^2 + f'_2 m_{\text{Cr}^{4+}}^2} \quad (3)$$

unde: $m_{\text{Cr}^{3+}}$ și $m_{\text{Cr}^{4+}}$ reprezintă momentul magnetic pentru un ion Cr^{3+} ($3,8 \mu_B$), respectiv Cr^{4+} ($2,88 \mu_B$). Calculate astfel, pentru fracțiile molare se obțin valorile $f'_1 = 65,8\%$, respectiv $34,2\%$.

În această idee considerăm că tranziția de fază semnalată în jurul temperaturii de 180 K este o tranziție de fază din starea ferimagnetică în cea paramagnetică pentru $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$. Utilizînd datele experimentale referitoare la coeficientul de difuzivitate termică și căldură specifică, respectiv densitate, s-a determinat valoarea coeficientului de conductibilitate termică cu relația

$$\lambda = C \cdot a \cdot \rho, \quad (4)$$

unde C — reprezintă căldura specifică, a — coeficientul de difuzivitate termică, iar ρ — densitatea. Variația coeficientului de conductibilitate termică în funcție de temperatură este dată în figura 2. Se constată că această mărime în vecinătatea temperaturii de 184 K are o valoare minimă. Comportări asemănătoare au mai fost

observate în cazul oxizilor ferimagnetici, la temperatura ordonării magnetice, de către autorii lucrărilor [10, 11]. Această constatare vine în sprijinul ipotezei noastre.

Urmărind figura 1 se poate constata că, peste temperatura de 200 K, variația coeficientului de difuzivitate termică este asemănătoare cu cea obținută pentru Cr_2O_3 [4]. În felul acesta, presupunem că în cazul probei cu concentrația 50% avem un amestec mecanic de compoziție stabilă cu relația (1) și deci apar două tranziții magnetice. La temperatura de 180 K apare tranziția

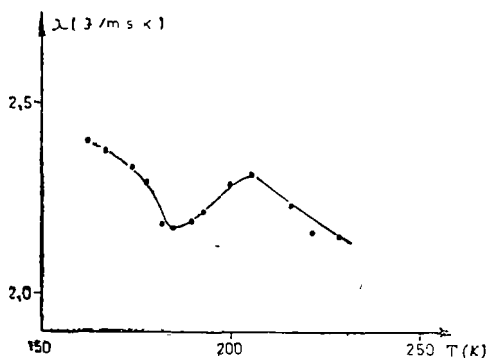


Fig. 2.

de fază din starea ferimagnetică în cea paramagnetică pentru compusul $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$, iar în apropierea temperaturii de 314 K, din starea antiferomagnetică în cea paramagnetică pentru Cr_2O_3 .

Concluzii. Din studiul dependenței de temperatură a coeficientului de difuzivitate termică, a căldurii specifice și a coeficientului de conductibilitate termică pentru proba avînd concentrația $0,5 \text{ Cr}_2\text{O}_3 + 0,5 \text{ SnO}_2$, rezultă două temperaturi de transformare magnetică (180 K, respectiv 310 K). Considerînd că acest compus este un amestec mecanic format din $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$ și Cr_2O_3 , s-a arătat că temperatura de 180 K corespunde tranziției din starea ferimagnetică în cea paramagnetică pentru $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$, iar temperatura de 310 K tranziției din starea antiferomagnetică în cea paramagnetică pentru Cr_2O_3 .

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ON MAGNETIC AND THERMAL PROPERTIES OF 50% Cr_2O_3 -50% SnO_2 COMPOUNDS

(Summary)

The temperature dependence of thermal diffusivity, thermal conductivity, and specific heat for sample 50% $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3 + 50\% \text{ SnO}_2$ were investigated. Two critical temperatures were obtained (180 K and 310 K). Supposing that the investigated compound represents a two-phasic mixture formed from $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$ and Cr_2O_3 , it is pointed out that 180 K corresponds to ferrimagnetic-paramagnetic transition, for $\text{Cr}_2\text{Sn}_2\text{O}_7$, 310 K being the Néel temperature of Cr_2O_3 .

THE DOPING OF NaCl-TYPE SINGLE CRYSTALS WITH PARAMAGNETIC IONS

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Introduction. The growth of NaCl-type single crystals with iron group paramagnetic ions presents a special interest in the studies of the paramagnetic ion-vacancy associations by the magnetic resonance absorption method, and in the problem of the elucidation of the mechanism and the parameters of the intrinsic conductivity.

There are many papers about the iron group paramagnetic ions doped in alkali halide single crystals. Some of them are still intended to elucidate the growth mechanism of these crystals with paramagnetic ions.

The present work deals with the growth of the NaCl single crystals with Mn^{2+} —, Fe^{3+} —, Cu^{2+} — and Ni^{2+} — ions, as paramagnetic impurities, using the following methods: crystal growth from solution by evaporation procedure, from melt by the Czochralski-Kyropoulos technique, zone melting technique and impurification by diffusion. These methods used by us are described in the special reference materials and to enumerate all of them would not be practically possible here. We are guided by the works [1,2,3,4,5,]. The existence and the valency of the paramagnetic ions in the samples were controlled by the EPR — method and chemical analysis. The EPR measurements were carried out by means of an ESR — spectrometer of JES — 3B type in X — band.

Experimental results. 1. *NaCl · Mn²⁺ system.* To obtain this system we have used the same growth procedures which were described in the papers [6,7,8,9] and we have also observed that the EPR — spectrum of the Mn^{2+} ion was not resolved completely when the crystal was not annealed, a fact we have met in the papers [8,10,11,12]. Mn^{2+} ions agglomerate at the crystal defects and for this reason the spectrum remains unresolved. The elimination of the agglomerates and the resolution of the resonance spectrum can be done by annealing the crystals, that is a heating up to 400 — 500 °C and a subsequently cooling to the room or liquid nitrogen temperature. But the resolution of the spectrum disappears in time because of the reformed Mn^{2+} ion agglomerations at the lattice defects. This reformation process takes place — at room temperature — in a couple of days.

To increase the stability of the Mn^{2+} ions diffused in the lattice we have introduced these ions simultaneously with the Fe^{3+} ions. The paramagnetic resonance spectrum of the Mn^{2+} and Fe^{3+} ions doped simultaneously in NaCl single crystal shows a broad line with a factor $g = 2,009 \pm 0,007$ due to the agglomeration which contains Fe^{3+} and the resolved spectrum of the Mn^{2+} ion superimposed on it [13], these ions are in substitutional positions of the cubic symmetry [13]. The Mn^{2+} and Fe^{3+} ions were doped in NaCl single crystals by diffusion at 360 — 400 °C.

2. *NaCl · Fe³⁺ system.* In connection with the growth of the alkali halide single crystals with iron impurities there are indications in [6,9, 21]. In these

papers it is also analysed the EPR absorption Andrews and Kim [14] give a resonance spectrum for Fe^{3+} in NaF obtained by X-ray irradiation of the crystal. They do not indicate the crystal growth and doping procedures

We have proposed to study the impurification procedure of NaCl with Fe^{3+} and then to identify by the paramagnetic resonance method The tests used to obtain single crystals of NaCl with Fe^{3+} by crystal growth from solution by evaporation procedure or from melt by the Czochralski-Kyropoulos technique in argon atmosphere were not successful We consider that in the first case the iron ion is absent from the samples but in the second case, if it is present, it is in the Fe^{2+} state due to the decomposition of the FeCl_3 (440°C) To avoid the decomposition of the FeCl_3 we have resorted to the impurification by low temperature diffusion method (301–360°C) for 3–4 months For this we have used little pure NaCl single crystals and FeCl_3 purified by repeated sublimations which were closed together in a quartz tube at a vacuum about 10^{-5} mmHg Besides the diffusion method we have tried the growth of the crystals in chlorine atmosphere by zone melting technique From these crystals we kept homogeneous crystals about $5 \times 5 \times 8$ mm³ The crystals obtained by both methods had a light yellow-brown colour These crystals give a paramagnetic resonance spectrum at room temperature and at the liquid nitrogen temperature too, which consists of a broad line without the fine structure with factor $g = 2.007 \pm \pm 0.006$ and 114 ± 6 G linewidth due to the Fe^{3+} agglomeration at the lattice defects. The chemically determined iron concentration is about 0.017% in weight for crystals impurified by diffusion.

NaCl · Cu²⁺ system To obtain this system we tried the Czochralski – Kyropoulos technique in argon atmosphere adding anhydrous CuCl_2 to the melt The crystals obtained in this way have not presented paramagnetic resonance spectrum we consider that the copper is present in the sample in Cu^+ state as CuCl_2 decomposes to CuCl and Cl_2 In order to avoid this we have resorted again to the zone melting growth in chlorine atmosphere The crystals obtained in this way present a light yellow colour The average copper concentration indicated by the chemical analysis was about 0.05% in weight These crystals give paramagnetic resonance spectrum at room temperature as well as at the liquid nitrogen temperature only after their annealing The annealed samples present a paramagnetic centre with tetragonal symmetry having its symmetry axis parallel to the cube edge ([100] direction) The g – values determined from the line positions are $g_{\parallel} = 2.298 \pm 0.004$ (for the centres with symmetry axes parallel to the applied magnetic field) and $g_{\perp} = 2.058 \pm 0.004$ (for the centres with symmetry axes perpendicular to the applied magnetic field) The complete paramagnetic resonance study of this system constitutes the subject of papers [15,16] The isolated Cu^{2+} ions produced by X – rays or Co – γ -rays were studied in single crystals of NaCl by Borcherts et al [17], in single crystal of LiCl by Pilarow and Stevenson [18]. A b c et al [6] studied the EPR spectrum of copper in polycrystalline NaCl

NaCl · Ni²⁺ system For this system we have used the same technique as for the NaCl · Cu²⁺ system The Czochralski-Kyropoulos technique was unsuccessful as the NiCl_2 has been separated from the crystal during the growth or the nickel was present in a monovalent state in the NaCl Positive results were obtained in this case also by the zone melting technique in chlorine atmosphere

working with NaCl and anhydrous NiCl₂ mixture. The crystals obtained in this way were coloured in yellow-violet. The violet colour was accentuated by the annealing of the crystals at 550°C. The chemical analysis indicates an average concentration in nickel about 0.08 % in weight. The paramagnetic resonance spectrum we have got at 77°K for this system gave a single line with 120 ± 6 G width and has a factor $g = 2.245 \pm 0.006$. The crystals did not present a paramagnetic resonance spectrum at room temperature even if they were annealed. All our measurements were carried out in 500–10 500 G range. In this range we have not observed other lines for Ni²⁺, as it was indicated in [19] which studied the EPR of Ni²⁺ ions in AgBr. Other EPR studies are found for Ni²⁺ ion doped in alkali halides in papers [6,9,20].

Conclusions.

1. All the methods used by us in order to obtain impurified NaCl single crystals: crystal growth from the solution, from the melt, zone melting, impurification by diffusion give positive results for Mn²⁺ ions.

2. In the case of the Fe³⁺ only the slow diffusion for 3–4 months and the zone melting technique in chlorine atmosphere give positive results.

3. For the Cu²⁺ and Ni²⁺ only the zone melting technique in chlorine atmosphere was successful. The diffusion method was not tried for Cu²⁺ and Ni²⁺ cases.

Our second and third observation confirm that Fe³⁺, Cu²⁺, Ni²⁺ states of the added impurity ions are promoted by the presence of the chlorine atmosphere. The fact that the valency of the impurity ions depend critically on the chlorine pressure surrounding the crystal it is easy to understand if we apply the mass action principles for the chemical equation:



where M stands for the metal in question. It follows that a high external chlorine pressure will favour the oxidation of the metal to the oxidized state from the reduced state. This fact has been also observed in the case of silver halides and other metal oxides [3].

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DOPAREA MONOCRISTALELOR DE TIPUL NaCl CU IONI PARAMAGNETICI

(R e z u m a t)

Această lucrare prezintă condițiile de dopare ale monocristalelor de tipul NaCl cu ioni paramagnetici ca Mn^{2+} , Fe^{3+} , Cu^{2+} și Ni^{2+} . A fost utilizată metoda RES pentru controlul prezenței acestora în cristalul gazdă

SUPERHYPERFINE INTERACTIONS IN KDP: Cu^{2+} SINGLE CRYSTALS

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1. Introduction. As it is known, KH_2PO_4 (KDP) belongs to the hydrogen-bonded ferroelectrics. The structural studies performed on KDP single crystals and its isomorphs reveal a tetragonal lattice structure at room temperature (paraelectric phase), which changes in an orthorhombic one below the Curie temperature (123°K). The basic units in this structure are the PO_4 tetrahedra disposed in a diamond type lattice, connected by hydrogen bonds of about 2.48 \AA .

Structural analyses by means of X rays (West [1], Frazer and Pepinsky [2]) or neutron diffraction (Bacon and Pease [3]) gave the KDP lattice unit cell constants in paraelectric phase, as being $a=b=7.43 \text{ \AA}$ and $c=6.94 \text{ \AA}$. The four molecules composing the unit cell are spatially disposed in such a manner that each potassium ion is surrounded by eight oxygen atoms, distributed in two almost regular tetrahedra (S_4 symmetry) having a common weight center, occupied by the potassium ion. The dimensions of these two tetrahedra being different (K—O distances are 2.82 \AA and 2.89 \AA respectively) it results, from a crystallographic point of view, two nonequivalent sites for the potassium atoms [4].

KDP crystals do not exhibit electronic paramagnetism. Therefore, paramagnetic centers must be artificially induced by doping these crystals with transition elements ions, or by irradiating them with X or gamma rays. Consequently we used the ionic impurifying method, by controlled doping of Cu^{2+} paramagnetic ions into the KDP host crystals.

2. ESR spectra of Cu^{2+} impurities in KDP. In order to study the peculiarities of the ESR spectra due to Cu^{2+} ions in the KDP crystal lattice chosen for magnetic dilution, we have grown single crystals from an aqueous KDP solution containing 5 mol % cupric nitrate, $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$. The growth was stimulated by using phosphoric acid, H_3PO_4 of 20 mol % against KDP. The temperature of the solution was kept constant to be 25°C for prevent the crystals stressing and to assure a uniform growth of them. As result, we obtained platelike, colorless and transparent single crystals of about $2 \times 1 \times 5 \text{ mm}$.

The ESR spectra recorded in paraelectric phase, at room temperature, for $H//c$ show the existence of two nonequivalent positions of the Cu^{2+} ions in the host lattice, for each one corresponding a four-lines-group in the spectrum. This is due to the hyperfine interaction between the 3d electrons and the copper nuclear spin, $I = 3/2$. The spectra corresponding to these two positions are A and B in figure 1. Further, the A spectrum lines are splitted into equidistant components.

By rotating the crystal in the ac (or bc) plane, we noticed that more we depart from the c axis the spectrum A becomes more complicated, each line being splitted in four groups of signals, these indicating the nonequivalence of the A type positions too. This situation is clearly plotted in the angular dependence of figure 2. One can also observe a deviation of the z axis of the paramagnetic center



Fig 1 ESR spectrum of KDP Cu²⁺ crystals recorded for a H || c direction

from the c axis of the single crystal, the resonance spectra having maximum of their extension in the angular dependence at a position at about 23° against the c axis. Taking into account the lattice symmetry (tetragonal in paraelectric phase) one can explain the unequivalency of the A type sites by four possible directions of their bonds in the crystal lattice [5]. The presence of groups of resonance signals, therefore an additional structure of the spectra, proves the existence of some interactions which must be taken into account for a complete understanding of the spectra. Otani and Makishima [5] explained this additional splitting by means of the isotopic effect, both Cu⁶³ and Cu⁶⁵ having $I = 3/2$, and of slight misorientation of the crystal.

The isotopic effect appears clearly in our spectra too, but as presented in fig. 3 for the H//a (or b) direction, it is visible especially at the bordering lines of hyperfine structure, the hyperfine coupling constant values characteristic for the two isotopes not differing very much. In fact, for the above-mentioned spectrum, we estimated for the B type centers the values $A^{63} = 135.09 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ and $A^{65} = 147.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in good agreement with the magnetic moment values (in multiples of the nuclear magneton) $\mu^{63} = 2.2206$ and $\mu^{65} = 2.3790$. We have chosen the B centers spectrum for estimating the hyperfine coupling constants of the two isotopes because of their simplicity compared to the A type spectra. Of course, the isotopic effect is identical in the case of the A centers, but cannot explain the additional splitting of the central lines in the hyperfine transitions group.

Having in view the additional splitting typical for all the hyperfine transitions of the four superposed spectra due to the four unequivalent A type sites (fig. 1) and the fact that these lines are split in groups of signals almost equidistant we are able to explain this structure by means of the superhyperfine interactions between the paramagnetic ion and the phosphorous nuclei ($I = 1/2$) from the neighbouring tetrahedra. For a H//c position of the crystal, when the four directions of the possible partial directions for the A type centers bonds are equivalent, that is their spectra coincide, remain visible only the hyperfine structure, isotopic effect and the superhyperfine interaction in the spectrum. The bordering groups of transitions have more peaks than the central ones because of the isotopic effect.

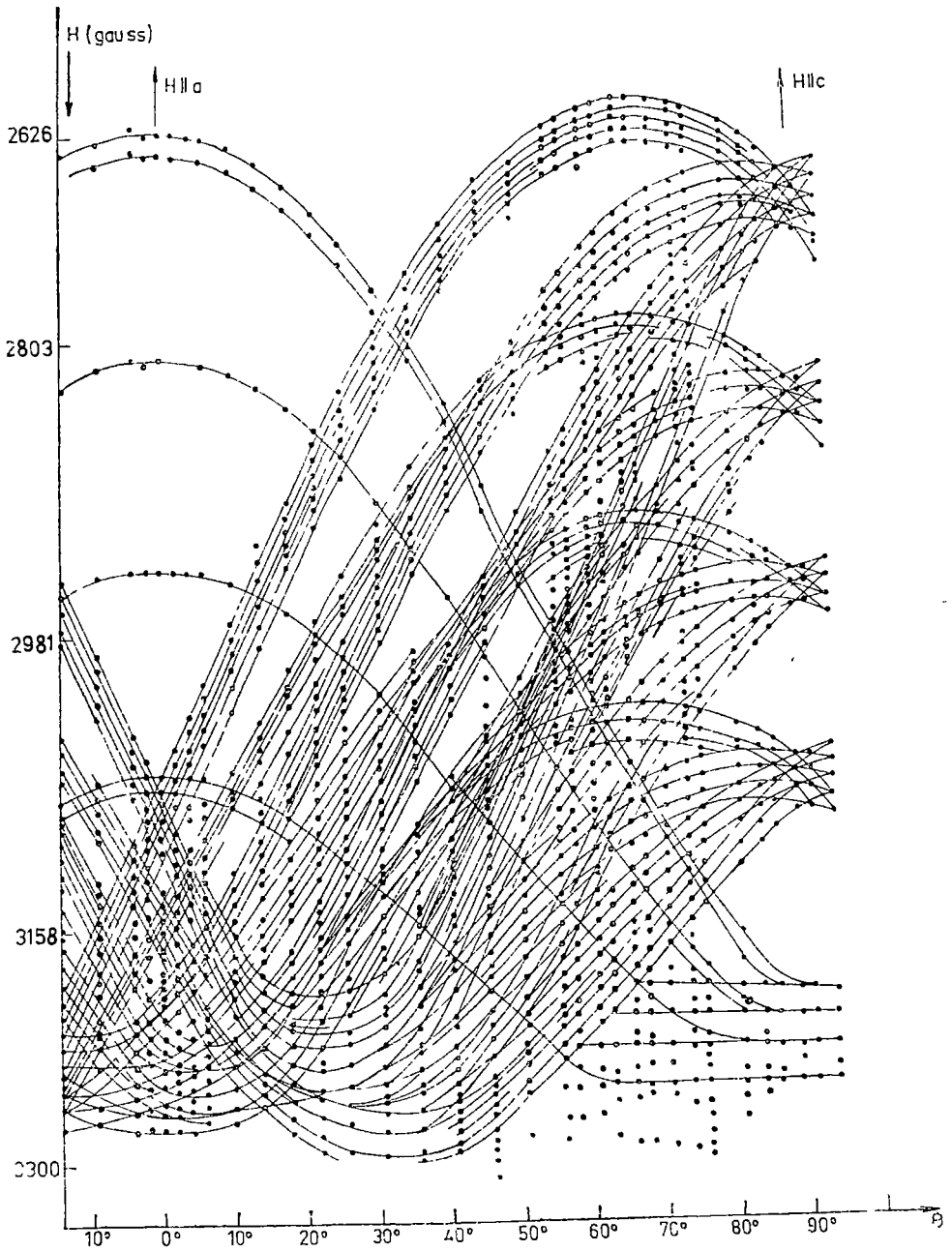


Fig. 2 Angular dependence of the ESR signals by rotating the KDP crystal in the resonant cavity, the magnetic static field lies in the (ab) plane.

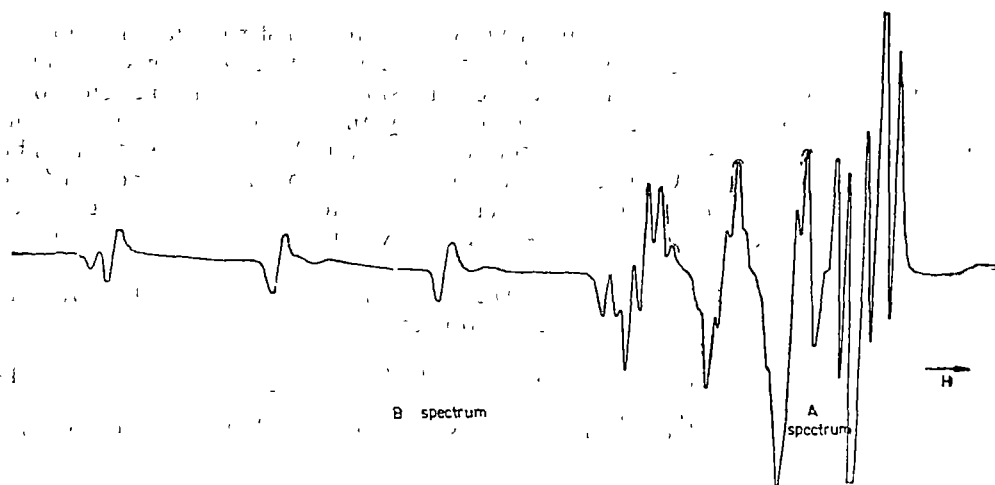


Fig. 3 ESR spectrum of KDP . Cu²⁺ recorded for a H || a direction.

The B sites spectra, whose angular dependence is also indicated in fig 2, show the occupation of almost uniaxial field sites, the z axis of the paramagnetic center being nearly parallel to the a (or b) axis.

The resonance spectra gave us the possibility of evaluating the experimental values for the g factors and hyperfine coupling constants. These values are tabulated in Table 1, compared with other experimental values of already published papers.

Table 1

Substance		$g_{ }$	g_{\perp}	$A_{ }$ ($\times 10^{-4} \text{cm}^{-1}$)	A_{\perp} ($\times 10^{-4} \text{cm}^{-1}$)	A_{\perp} ($\times 10^{-4} \text{cm}^{-1}$)	Ref.
KDP : Cu	A	2 364	2 030	142	19	—	[5]
	B	2 340	2 072	145	20	—	
KDP : Cu		2 388	2 060	148.5	19.1	—	[6]
Cu[S ₂ P(OC ₂ H ₅) ₂] ₂		2 085	2 025	149 G (⁶³ Cu) 160.8 (⁶⁵ Cu)	32.5	9.6	[7]
Cu[S ₂ P(OC ₂ H ₅) ₂] ₂		2 081	2 024	146.7	26.5	8.5	[8]
KDP Cu	A	2 3326	2 0655	129.36	23.04	8.8	our paper [9]
	B	2 3151	2 0648	135.09 (⁶³ Cu) 147.5 (⁶⁵ Cu)	18.11	—	

3. Theory. Taking into account that Cu^{2+} ions substitute for K^+ in the host lattice, we must consider its effect in rearranging the PO_4^{3-} ions in such a manner that every Cu^{2+} ion to be octahedrally surrounded by six oxygen atoms [6]: four of them almost tetragonally in the (ab) plane, and other two above and below the (ab) plane respectively, at the same distance from the K^+ ion. The ionic radius of Cu^{2+} being 0.54 times smaller than that of K^+ , it tends to take an octahedral coordination with six oxygen atoms. This would explain the fact that ESR spectra show the effects of an axial crystal field of symmetry higher than C_2 .

The features of the resonance spectra which have a strong axial character, may be described by using the spin hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H} = g_{\parallel}\beta HS_z + g_{\perp}\beta(S_x H_x + S_y H_y) + A_{\parallel}I_z S_z + A_{\perp}(I_x S_x + I_y S_y) \quad (1)$$

The angular dependence for the ESR transitions characteristic for the Cu^{2+} ions, may be described by

$$\begin{aligned} h\nu = & g\beta H + Km + \frac{A_{\perp}^2}{4g\beta H_0} \left(\frac{A_{\parallel}^2 + K^2}{K^2} \right) [I(I+1) - m^2] + \frac{1}{2g\beta H_0} \left(\frac{A_{\parallel}^2 - A_{\perp}^2}{K^2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{g_{\parallel}^2 g_{\perp}^2}{g^2} \right) \cdot \\ & \cdot m^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + \frac{2}{K} Q^2 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \left(\frac{A_{\parallel} A_{\perp} g_{\parallel} g_{\perp}}{K^2 g^2} \right)^2 m [8m^2 + 1 - 4I(I+1)] + \\ & + \frac{Q^2}{2K} \sin^4 \theta \left(\frac{A_{\perp} g_{\perp}}{Kg} \right)^4 m [2I(I+1) - 2m^2 - 1] \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g^2 &= g_{\parallel}^2 \cos^2 \theta + g_{\perp}^2 \sin^2 \theta \\ K^2 g^2 &= A_{\parallel}^2 g_{\parallel}^2 \cos^2 \theta + A_{\perp}^2 g_{\perp}^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

Using the ESR spectra recorded for $\text{H} // a$ and $\text{H} // c$, that is the transition field values into equation (2) written for $\theta = 0^\circ$ and $\theta = 90^\circ$ respectively, we obtained theoretically the spin hamiltonian constants. These values are:

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= 1.735 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-1} \\ A // &= 101.56 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-1} \\ A_{\perp} &= 17.54 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-1} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

The discrepancy between them and those already given in Table 1 is caused by the fact that the experimental values are the field separations between the ESR central lines of the hyperfine group and would correspond in first approximation to the hyperfine coupling constant only if the transitions equidistance would be rigorously respected. Because the line separations are gradually increasing we had to use theoretically a higher order of approximation.

The additional splitting observed in the A type spectra we attribute to the superhyperfine interactions of the electron spin with the neighbouring ions

nuclei. The equidistancy between the signals of such a group (fig. 4) supports this statement. Consequently the spin hamiltonian will contain the term

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{shf}} = \sum_n SA_p^n I_p^n \quad (4)$$

corresponding to these interactions. In (4) S is the electronic spin $1/2$ of Cu^{2+} ions, A_p^n is the superhyperfine interaction tensor with the n -th phosphorous nucleus, and $I = 1/2$ the nuclear spin of this.

It is easy to observe from the angular dependence (fig. 2) that the superhyperfine interaction is isotropic, having the coupling constant $A = 8.8 \times 10^{-4} \text{cm}^{-1}$.

Our statement regarding these interactions is supported by the similarity of our spectra recorded for H//c, when site unequivalents are eliminated, and that characteristic for copper diethyldithiophosphate [7], [8], where Cu-P interactions are not doubted. The spin hamiltonian parameters reported in [7] and [8] are in good agreement with those obtained by us (Table 1). These arguments seem sufficient to us to consider superhyperfine interaction as explaining quite well the structure of our spectra.

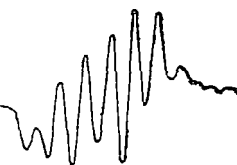


Fig. 4 Superhyperfine group of lines, showing typical characteristics for shf interactions.

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INTERACȚIUNI SUPERHIPERFINE ÎN MONOCRISTALE KDP . Cu²⁺

(Rezumat)

Lucrarea prezintă concluziile obținute prin RES în identificarea diverselor tipuri de poziții neechivalente ocupate de ioni Cu^{2+} în rețeaua monocristalelor de KH_2PO_4 . Se explică structura spectrelor de rezonanță pe baza interacțiunilor de tip hiperfin, a efectului izotopic și a interacțiunilor superhiperfine cu nucleele ^{31}P .

THE FERROELECTRIC PHASE TRANSITION IN THE $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ -MODEL (I)

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I. **Introduction.** The theory of the second order phase transitions was recently developed by Wilson using the φ^4 -model. The presence of the φ^3 -term plays a crucial role in the Landau theory of phase transitions and up to now it is not clear what the role of the cubic term is.

Alexander [1] pointed out that the second order phase transition is possible in the $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ model, using the Ginsburg-Landau theory. A more sophisticated theory was developed by Alexander and Amit [2] for this model the main result of this paper being the existence of the critical point in the first order phase transition. This critical point „seems to be” the isolated Landau point which may exist in the first order phase transition. Such a problem was treated by Lubensky and Priest [3] in connection with the phase transitions in the liquid crystals, but the model is also a good one for ferroelectrics as SrTiO_3 [4]. In these papers as well as in [5] the RNG method which was used, pointed out the possibility of the phase transition in $4 - \epsilon$ -dimensions. However there is a point in which all the calculations performed in [3-4] fail, namely if the bare interactions V_3 respectively U_4 are taken zero the recursion relation and the dimensions are not identical with those of the φ^3 or φ^4 pure models.

We believe, that in $4 - \epsilon$ dimensions which are considered by Alexander and Amit [3] the model is correct for a small value of U_3 . In the language of the perturbation theory Crişan and Anghel [5] used only a class of diagrams (divergent in $4 - \epsilon$) to analyse the $V_3\varphi^3 + U_4\varphi^4$ model.

The purpose of this paper is to use the Wilson [7] recursion relation method in order to analyse the $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ -model.

Alexander and Amit [3] started this problem using the field theoretical method given by Biezin et al. [6] However it is our intention to get correct recurrence relation. More exactly, we look for such recursion relations that if we consider $U_4=0$ we get the recursion relations for φ^3 -model and if $U_3 = 0$ we should obtain the recursion relations for φ^4 -model

Before we apply the Wilson recursion relation we are going to analyse the model in the Ginsburg-Landau theory in section II.

II. **The Ginsburg-Landau Theory.** The free energy of the $V_3\varphi^3 + U_4\varphi^4$ model is

$$F(\varphi) = r\varphi^2 + V_3\varphi^3 + U_4\varphi^4 \quad (1)$$

and in this relation we write down φ as

$$\varphi = \Phi + \psi \quad (2)$$

Using (1) and (2) we get for ψ the value

$$\psi = -\frac{V_3}{4U_4} \quad (3)$$

if the cubic term is eliminated from the free energy. The free energy (1) becomes

$$F(\Phi) = C(V_3, U_4) - \frac{V_3}{4U_4} \left(2r - \frac{V_3^2}{2U_4} \right) \Phi + \left(r - \frac{V_3^2}{2U_4} \right) \Phi^2 + U_4 \Phi^4 \quad (4)$$

and the phase transition appears if the "effective external field"

$$H_{eff} = \frac{V_3}{4U_4} \left(2r - \frac{V_3^2}{2U_4} \right) \quad (5)$$

is zero, then

$$V_3 = 0 \quad (6.a)$$

$$r = \frac{V_3^2}{4U_4} \quad (6.b)$$

The relation (6.a) will give the usual Φ^4 -theory and (6 b) describes an ordered phase

if

$$r = r_c < 0 \quad (7)$$

The next case is much more interesting; indeed if (6 b) is used in (4) we get

$$F(\Phi) = C(V_3, V_4) - \frac{V_3^2}{4U_4} \Phi^2 + U_4 \Phi^4 \quad (8)$$

and this Hamiltonian describes a Φ^4 -model with the ordered phase if

$$\frac{V_3^2}{4U_4} < |r_c| \quad (9)$$

In this case there is a new critical point defined as

$$\frac{V_3^2}{4U_4} = |r_c| \quad (10)$$

for $V_3 \neq 0$ and $V_4 \neq 0$.

These results present a real interest because in the next chapter we have to analyse, by RNG method, the real gaussian point obtained for $U_3 = 0$, $U_4 = 0$ and the other critical points obtained for $U_3 \neq 0$ and $U_4 \neq 0$.

III. The Recursion Relations. The Hamiltonian associated with the free energy (1) is

$$H = \int \left[\frac{1}{2} |\nabla \varphi_i(x)|^2 + Q_i(\varphi_i) \right] \quad (11)$$

where

$$Q_i(\varphi) = r_i \varphi^2 + v_i \varphi^3 + u_i \varphi^4 \quad (12)$$

The general form of the Wilson [7] recursion relation is

$$Q_{l+1}(y) = -2^D \ln \left[\frac{I_l(2 \cdot 2^{-D/2} y)}{I_l(0)} \right] \quad (13)$$

where the integral I_l is expressed as

$$I_l(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \exp \left[-y^2 - \frac{1}{2} Q_l(z+y) - \frac{1}{2} Q_l(z-y) \right]$$

Using (11–13) we get the following recursion relations

$$r_{l+1} = 4r_l + 12q_l u_l - 36q_l^3 u_l^3 - 9q_l^3 v_l^3 - \frac{351}{8} q_l^4 u_l v_l^3 - \frac{585}{8} q_l^5 u_l^3 \quad (14)$$

$$u_{l+1} = 2^{4-D} \left(u_l - 9q_l u_l^3 - \frac{243}{8} q_l^3 u_l v_l^3 - \frac{351}{8} q_l^4 u_l^3 + \dots \right) \quad (15)$$

$$v_{l+1} = 2^{3-\frac{D}{2}} \left(v_l - 9q_l^2 u_l v_l - \frac{135}{4} q_l^4 u_l^2 v_l - \frac{81}{16} q_l^5 v_l^3 \right) \quad (16)$$

where $q_l = \frac{1}{1+r}$.

These relations are quite general and selfconsistent. Indeed if $V_l = 0$ we get the usual recursion relations for the φ^4 -theory, and if $U_l = 0$ we get the recursion relations

$$r_{l+1} = 4r_l - 9q_l v_l^3 \quad (17)$$

$$v_{l+1} = 2^{\frac{6-D}{2}} \left(v_l - \frac{81}{16} q_l^3 v_l^3 \right) \quad (18)$$

which are in fact the recursion relations for φ_3 -theory. The fixed point obtained from (18) is

$$v^* = \frac{4}{9} \sqrt{\frac{\ln 2}{2}} \varepsilon^{1/2} \quad (19)$$

in $D = 6 - \varepsilon$.

IV. The Phase Transition. Now we analyse the problem of the existence of phase transition in the model described by the Hamiltonian (1). From (14) results that in this phase transition we have the condition

$$\frac{3v_l^3}{4u} = 1 \quad (20)$$

in order to have $r_l = r_{l+1} = 0$

The fixed points of the recurrence relations (15–16) are:

$$\begin{cases} u^* = 0 \\ v^* = 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{the gaussian fixed point} \quad (21)$$

$$\begin{cases} u^* = 0 \\ v^* = 0,314 + 0,078 \in \ln 2 \end{cases} \quad (22)$$

$$\begin{cases} u^* = 0 \\ v^* = -0,314 - 0,078 \in \ln 2 \end{cases} \quad (23)$$

$$\begin{cases} u^* = -0,276 - 0,007 \in \ln 2 \\ v^* = 0,286 + 0,061 \in \ln 2 \end{cases} \quad (24)$$

$$\begin{cases} u^* = -0,276 - 0,007 \in \ln 2 \\ v^* = -0,286 - 0,061 \in \ln 2 \end{cases} \quad (25)$$

These fixed points show the existence of the second order phase transition in $4 - \epsilon$ dimensions for the $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ -model.

In the next paper we are going to point out the eigenvalues of RNG and the critical exponents. However, we can conclude that for some ferroelectrics with a special symmetry where the φ_3 -term is present, the phase transition can be strongly affected by this interaction. Our self-consistent treatment is a good starting point in the problem of the phase transitions in ferroelectrics with $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ interaction

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TRANZIȚIA DE FAZĂ FERROELECTRICĂ ÎN MODELUL $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ (I)

(Rezumat)

Se studiază existența tranziției de fază în modelul $\varphi^3 + \varphi^4$ folosind metoda grupului de renormare. Termenul de interacțiune $\varphi_3 + \varphi^4$ este folosit în descrierea tranzițiilor de fază în feroelectrics

EINE NICHTSTATIONÄRE METHODE FÜR MESSUNG DER WÄRMELEITFÄHIGKEIT DER KLEINEN PROBEKÖRPER

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Einleitung. Die Autoren [1] beschreiben eine nichtstationäre Methode, deren Vorteil es ist, die Möglichkeit direkter Bestimmung der Wärmeleitfähigkeit bei Probekörpern mit kleiner Dimension und mit Wärmeleitfähigkeit der Grössenordnung von 10^{-1} bis 10^{-3} Watt/cm \cdot grad zu bieten. Die Funktion, die die zeitliche Änderung der Temperatur und die systematischen Fehler dieser Methode beschreibt, wurde theoretisch von [2] geprüft

Die vorerwähnte Methode wird in der physikalischen Literatur oft zitiert [3, 4]. Aber sie wurde experimentell nur durch Messungen bei Zimmertemperatur geprüft. Im allgemein aber ist die Messung der Wärmeleitfähigkeit in einem grosseren Temperaturintervall nötig. Unsere Studien über Verwendungsmöglichkeiten der vorerwähnten Methode zwischen 100 und 450 K führten zum Ergebnis, dass das experimentelle Verfahren praktischer wird, wenn die Variationsgeschwindigkeit der Temperatur ungefähr linear proportional mit der Zeit ist, und nicht so schnell wie bei der [1] bezeichneten Methode. In diesem Fall ist die Registrierung der Temperaturvariationen genauer. Unser experimentelles Verfahren ist neu, und deshalb beschreiben wir dessen Prinzip.

Prinzip der Methode. Der Probekörper wird zwischen zwei Kupferblöcke gefasst (Abb. 1.a.), und der untere Block B_2 wird langsam mit einer konstanten Geschwindigkeit gekühlt, z.B. mit Stickstoffdampf. Kurze Zeit nach dem Beginn der Kühlung, bildet sich im Probekörper P ein Temperaturgefälle dT/dx , das sich in der Zeit langsam verändert, und die Temperaturveränderung des Blockes B_1 wird gerade proportional mit dem Temperaturabfall des Blockes B_2 . Indem man den Warmewiderstand der Kontakte zwischen der Probe P und den Blocken B_1 und B_2 vernachlässigt, kann man $\frac{dT}{dx} = \frac{T_1 - T_2}{L}$ beschreiben,

wo T_1 und T_2 die Temperaturen an den Enden der Blocke B_1 und B_2 darstellen, und L die Länge der Probe P bedeutet.

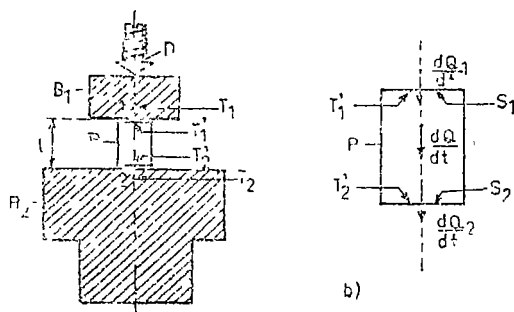


Abb. 1.a. und 1.b. Zur Erläuterung des Prinzips der Methode.

Wenn man vom Wärmeübergang zwischen B_1 und der Umgebung absieht und die Wärmekapazität C der Probe P gegenüber C_1 des Blockes B_1 nicht in Betracht gezogen wird, (also $C \ll C_1$), so kann der Wärmestrom, der durch den Querschnitt S der Probe P geht, als gleich mit der von B_1 in der Zeiteinheit

verlorenen Wärmemenge betrachtet werden. In diesem Fall kann man beschreiben:

$$C_1 \cdot \frac{dT_1}{dt} = \frac{T_1 - T_2}{W_m}, \quad (1)$$

wo

$$W_m = \frac{L}{K_m \cdot S} \quad (2)$$

und repräsentiert den Wärmewiderstand zwischen den Punkten 1 und 2, aufgenommen in B_1 und B_2 (Abb. 1 a), K_m ist der Koeffizient für die erwähnten Verhältnisse bestimmten Wärmeleitfähigkeit der Probe P.

In allgemeinen aber wächst die Wärmeleitfähigkeit der Kristalle schnell mit der Temperaturabfall. Im Falle der Proben mit 1–2 cm Länge kann man den Wärmewiderstand der Kontakte nicht unbeachtet lassen im Vergleich zum Wärmewiderstand der Probe, das bedeutet, dass die Temperaturen T_1 und T_2 von den Temperaturen T'_1 und T'_2 der Enden des Probekörpers verschieden sind (Abb. 1. a, b). Wenn durch die Kontaktoberflächen S_1 und S_2 und durch den Querschnitt S der Probe derselbe Wärmestrom übergeht (Abb. 1. b), kann man schreiben

$$C_1 \frac{dT_1}{dt} = \frac{T_1 - T_2}{W_{c,2} + W + W_{c,1}}, \quad (3)$$

wo

$$W_{c,1} = \frac{L_{c,1}}{K_{c,2} \cdot S_1}, \quad W_{c,2} = \frac{L_{c,2}}{K_{c,1} \cdot S_2}, \quad W = \frac{L}{K \cdot S}. \quad (4 \text{ a, b, c})$$

Die letzteren drei Formeln repräsentieren die Wärmewiderstände der Kontakte und der Probe. Aus den Gleichungen (1) und (3) folgt

$$W_m = 2W_c + W, \quad (5)$$

wenn man voraussetzt, dass $W_{c,1} + W_{c,2} = 2W_c$. Weil die Blöcke B_1 und B_2 aus demselben Metall (Kupfer) bereitet sind, kann man schreiben $W_{c,1} = W_{c,2} = W_c$, wenn die Temperatur T_1 sich nicht sehr von T_2 unterscheidet.

Aus den Gleichungen (2), (4c) und (5) folgt:

$$K = K_m \left(1 + \frac{2W_c}{W} \right). \quad (6)$$

Von hier ist ersichtlich, dass der systematische Fehler, der aus dem Wärmewiderstand W_c der Kontakten stammt, nicht unbeachtet bleiben kann, ausser Falle, wenn $2W_c$ nicht höher ist als ungefähr 3% der W_c .

Den Wärmewiderstand W_c bei einer gegebenen Temperatur kann man mit einem Probekörper bestimmen, dessen Wärmeleitfähigkeit bekannt ist. Nach [1] kann man eine aus Blei verfertigte Probe benutzen. Aber der Wert von W_c , bezogen auf die Oberflächeneinheit, hängt von der Qualität (Glattheit) der Kontaktoberfläche ab, und, eventuell, auch von der Eigenschaft der Körper, die in Kontakt sind. Den Wärmewiderstand W_c kann man auch so bestimmen,

dass man die Messungen an zwei Probekörpern aus demselben Stoffe aber verschiedener Länge macht. Wenn die Querschnitte der Proben sich nicht auch in der Länge verändern, dann kann man nach den Gleichungen (4 a, b, c) und (5) für alle Proben schreiben:

$$\frac{L}{K} = \frac{L}{K_m} - \frac{2L_c}{K_c} \quad (7)$$

Wenn die Messungen an zwei Proben, mit Längen L_1 und L_2 (eventuell mit gleichen Querschnitten, $S_1 = S_2$) vorgenommen werden, ist die Wärmeleitfähigkeit

$$K = \frac{L_2 - L_1}{\frac{L_2}{K_{m,2}} - \frac{L_1}{K_{m,1}}}, \quad (8)$$

wo $K_{m,1}$ und $K_{m,2}$ die Werte der Wärmeleitfähigkeit an den zwei Proben nach der Gleichung (1) erhalten sind. Ebenfalls aus den Gleichungen (4 a, b, c) und (5) folgt, dass der Warmewiderstand der Kontakte von der Gleichung gegeben ist:

$$2W_c = \frac{L_1}{S_1} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{K_{m,1}} - \frac{1}{K} \right), \text{ oder } 2W_c = \frac{L_2}{S_2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{K_{m,2}} - \frac{1}{K} \right) \quad (9a, b)$$

Wenn die Bedingung $C \ll C_1$ nicht erfüllt ist, so ist der Temperaturunterschied ($T_1 - T_2$) messbar beeinflusst auch von der bei der Probe verlorenen Wärmemenge. Der Wärmestrom, der von der Kühlung der Probe stammt, ist $\frac{dQ_p}{dt} = \frac{C}{2} \cdot \frac{d(T_1 + T_2)}{dt}$. Dieses Glied muss man zu der linken Seite der Gleichung (1) oder (3) hinzufügen, damit man den realen Wert des K_m erhält, also

$$K_m = \frac{LC_1}{S(T_1 - T_2)} \cdot \frac{dT_1}{dt} \left(1 + \frac{C}{2C_1} \cdot \frac{dT_1 + dT_2}{dT_1} \right). \quad (10)$$

Wenn die Messungen durch Erwärmung des Blockes B_2 gemacht wurden, ist das zweite Glied in der Klammer der Gleichung (10) negativ, weil man den Wärmestrom dQ_p/dt zur Erwärmung der Probe benutzt.

Wenn die Messungen sowohl durch Kühlung als auch durch Erwärmung gemacht werden, kann man den Quotienten C/C_1 annäherend bestimmen aus der Gleichung

$$\frac{C}{2C_1} = \left(\frac{K_{m,w}}{K_{m,k}} - 1 \right) \cdot \left[1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{dT_{2,k}}{dT_{1,k}} + \frac{dT_{2,w}}{dT_{1,w}} \right) \right], \quad (11)$$

wo $K_{m,w}$, resp $K_{m,k}$ der Wert von K_m ist, bestimmt aus Gleichung (1), aus den Messungen durch Erwärmung, resp Kühlung, und $dT_{1,w}$ und $dT_{2,w}$ resp. $dT_{1,k}$ und $dT_{2,k}$ sind die Variationen der Temperaturen T_1 und T_2 in Zeit dt bei Erwärmung, resp Kühlung.

Beschreibung der Versuchsanordnung. Der vertikale Schnitt dessen Teiles der Versuchsanordnung, in welche die Probe montiert ist, wird in Abb. 2. dargestellt. Um das System Block B_1 -Probe P -Block B_2 wird ein parallelepipedförmiger

Messigschutzmantel A verwendet. Der niedrigere Teil dieses Mantels ist an der Block B_2 befestigt, und seine vordere Seite ist abmontierbar. Das System Mantel A-Block B_2 wird im Block B_3 in einem zylinderförmigen Hohlraum montiert. Durch den Hohlraum C, der sich im niedrigen Teil des Blockes B_3 befindet, strömen Stickstoffdämpfe, die denselben abkühlen. Ausserdem kann den Block B_3 mit Hilfe eines Heizdrahtes, der auf seine seitliche Oberfläche gewickelt wurde, erwärmt werden. Auf diese Art kann die Temperatur des B_3 sowohl durch Kühlung als auch durch Erwärmung geändert werden. Das gesamte beschriebene System ist in einem Vakuumgefäss montiert.

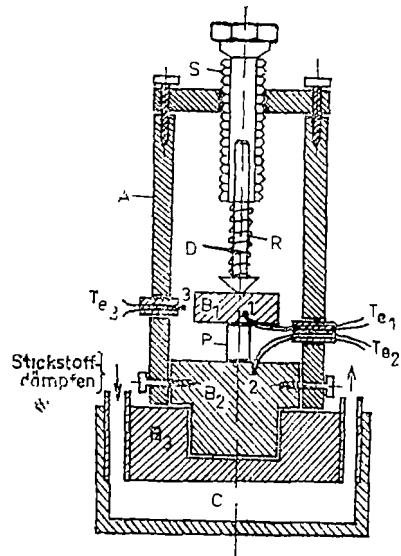
Bei der Kühlung, resp. bei Erwärmung des Blockes B_2 bildet sich in den Wänden des Gefässes A, sowie in seinem inneren Teil ein Temperaturgefälle in dieselbe Richtung wie in dem System Probe P — Block B_1 -Stab D. Durch die Benutzung des Mantels A sinkt gleichzeitig die Warmeströmung, die dem Betrieb der Vakuumpumpe entstammt. In dieser Art fällt der Wärmeübergang zwischen dem System Probe P — Block B_1 und der Umgebung wesentlich ab.

Block B_1 wird an die Probe P mit Hilfe eines zugespitzene Glasstabes D gepresst, um die Kontaktfläche zwischen ihnen zu verkleinern. Der Glasstab D wird durch die Springfeder R gedrückt. Dieses Befestigungssystem bietet eine genügende Elastizität für die Warmausdehnung des Probekörpers.

Die Eisen-Konstantan Thermoelemente Te_1 , Te_2 und Te_3 sind aus Drahten von 0,2 mm Durchmesser hergestellt. Te_1 misst die Temperatur des Körpers B_1 , Te_2 die des Blockes B_2 und Te_3 die Temperatur in dem Gefäss A an der Höhe des Blockes B_1 . Die thermoelektrische Spannung wurde mit Hilfe einer Kompensationsbrücke, von Präzision 10^{-7} V, gemessen. Der zu dieser Brücke benutzte Galvanometer hat eine Empfindlichkeit von 10^{-6} V/div. Auf diese Art haben die Temperaturmessungen eine Präzision von ungefähr 0,02 K. Das bedeutet einen experimentellen Fehler von 0,2 bis 0,4% bei Messungen der Temperaturunterschiedes ($T_1 - T_2$), und von 0,3 bis 0,6% bei Messung der Temperaturänderung ΔT_1 . Um die Präzision zu vergrössern, wurden die Temperaturen T_1 , T_2 und T_3 nacheinander gemessen.

Mit kleinen Ergänzungen kann man die Versuchsapparatur auch für stationäre Messungen gebrauchen.

Versuchsergebnisse. Um die vorliegende Methode und die Versuchsapparatur experimentell zu prüfen, wurden Messungen mit NaCl-Proben durchgeführt. Es wurde NaCl gewählt, weil die experimentellen Ergebnisse der verschiedenen Autoren für die Wärmeleitfähigkeit dieser Substanz übereinstimmen. Deshalb können die NaCl- (oder KCl-) Proben als Wärmeleitfähigkeitsetalon verwendet werden [5]. Die NaCl Monokristalle wurden mit der Kiropoulos-Methode aus



A b b 2 Versuchsapparatur

chemisch reinen Stoffen verfertigt. (Auch bei dieser Gelegenheit danke ich dem Kollegen A. Darabont für die NaCl Monokristalle, die er mir zur Verfügung gestellt hat.)

Die ersten Messungen wurden mit drei Proben verschiedener Länge $L_1 = 0,385$ cm, $L_2 = 0,692$ cm, $L_3 = 1,478$ cm), ohne Verbesserung der Kontakte zwischen den Blöcken B_1 , B_2 und den Proben P, durchgeführt. Sie haben bewiesen, dass die Wärmewiderstände der Luftkontakte beachtlich grosse sind. Um die Wärmewiderstände der Kontakte zu vermindern, sind bestimmte Flüssigkeiten, Vacuumsöle, oder Amalgame (z B. In-Ga) benutzt. Ich habe für diesen Zweck Zapfenschmiere benützt. Vor den Messungen wurde der Probekörper in der Versuchsanordnung bis zu ungefähr 500 K erwärmt, und nach der Temperaturstabilisierung wurden die Messungen durch Kühlung durchgeführt. Ohne vorhergegangene Erwärmung der Probe war der Wärmewiderstand der Kontakte, bei der Benützung der Zapfenschmiere, grosser.

Abb. 3. zeigt die Änderung der Werte des Koeffizienten K , nach der Gleichung (10) berechnet, als Funktion der Temperatur T . Die Werte der Kurve $K_{m,1}$ beziehen sich auf die Probe mit Länge $L_1 = 0,7237$ cm, die Kurve $K_{m,2}$ zu $L_2 = 1,1555$ cm, und $K_{m,3}$ zu $L_3 = 1,7282$ cm. Die ununterbrochene Kurve K stellt die Wärmeleitfähigkeit des NaCl nach den Messungen [5] dar. Die mit kleinen Kreisen dargestellten Werten wurden aus der Gleichung (8).

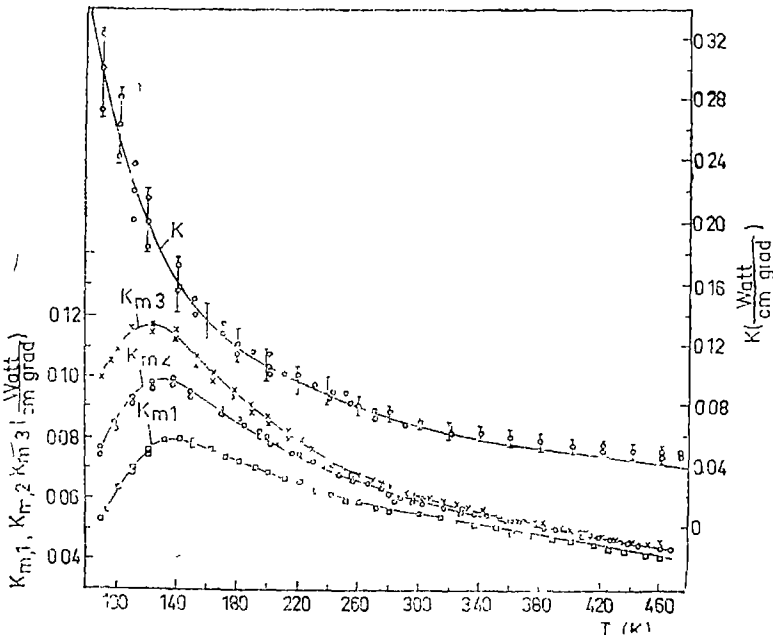


Abb 3 Die Änderung der Koeffizienten $K_{m,1}$, $K_{m,2}$, $K_{m,3}$ und K als Funktion der Temperatur T . $K_{m,1}$, $K_{m,2}$, $K_{m,3}$ sind bei Proben mit Länge $L_1 = 0,7237$ cm, $L_2 = 1,15555$ cm und $L_3 = 1,7282$ cm gemessen.

auf Grund der Kurven $K_{m,1}$, $K_{m,2}$ und $K_{m,3}$ berechnet. Die Übereinstimmung zwischen unseren und den von [5] erhaltenen Werten ist entsprechend.

Abb. 4. stellt den Widerstand $W_{e,0} = W_d \cdot S$ dar. Die Kurve 1 bezieht sich auf Kontakte mit Zapfenschmiere, und die Kurve 2 auf jene mit Luftschichten. Aus den Werten der Kurve 2 ergibt sich, dass die Dicke der Luftschicht zwischen der Probe und den Blöcken B_1 und B_2 ungefähr $1,3 \cdot 10^{-3}$ cm ist und sich mit der Temperatur erhöht. Deshalb kann die vorliegende Methode auch für die Bestimmung der Wärmeleitfähigkeit der Gase und Flüssigkeiten angewendet werden.

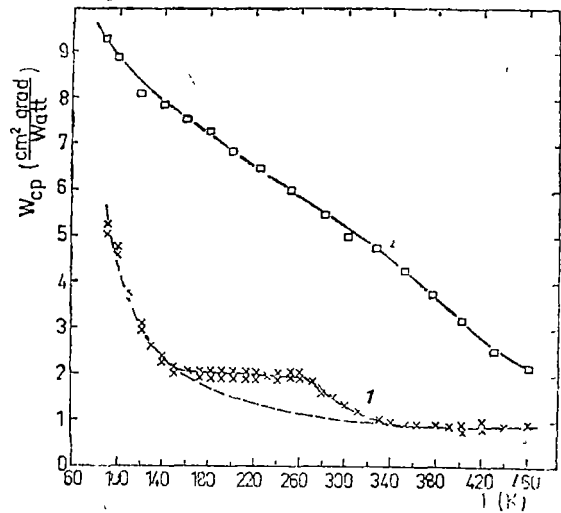


Abb. 4 Die Änderung des Widerstandes $W_{e,0}$ als Funktion der Temperatur. Die Kurve 1 bezieht sich auf Kontakte mit Zapfenschmiere und die Kurve 2 auf Kontakte mit Luftschichten.

Messfehler und Fehlerquellen. Die Präzision, mit der man den Koeffizienten K_m bestimmen kann, hängt von den Messfehlern der Temperaturen T_1 und T_2 ab. Wie sich erwähnt habe, bleiben diese Fehler unter 1%, wenn die Messungen sorgfältig durchgeführt waren. Deshalb kann man die Bestimmung des K_m , entsprechend der Gleichung (1) oder (10), mit einer Präzision von 2–3% erzielen.

Der relative Fehler bei der Bestimmung der Koeffizienten K nach der Gleichung (8) ist ungefähr:

$$\frac{\Delta K}{K} = \pm \left[\frac{\Delta K_{m,1}}{K_{m,1}} + \frac{\Delta K_{m,2}}{K_{m,2}} + \frac{\Delta K_{m,1} + \Delta K_{m,2}}{K_{m,2} - K_{m,1}} \right], \quad (12)$$

dementsprechend kann man den Wert des K mit einer Präzision von ungefähr 10% bestimmen. Die Fehler, die aus den experimentellen Daten bei verschiedenen Temperaturen stammen, sind auf der Kurve K in Abb. 3 angezeigt. Die Präzision ist größer, wenn die Messungen mit zwei Proben sehr verschiedener Länge L_1 und L_2 durchgeführt wurden.

Wenn der Widerstand W_e der Kontakte bekannt ist oder unbeachtet bleiben kann ($W_e \ll W$), unterscheidet sich ΔK nicht von ΔK_m .

Es gibt Fehlerquellen auch aus folgenden Gründen: (a) Wärmeleitung der Luft in der Umgebung der Probe; (b) Wärmeübergang zwischen B_1 und seiner Umgebung; (c) Wärmeleitung durch die Kontaktfläche zwischen B_1 und D. Die ersten zwei erwähnten Fehlerquellen sind nicht beachtbar, wenn das in der Versuchsanordnung erzeugte Vakuum besser als 10^{-3} Torr ist. Weil die Temperatur der Stäbe D sich von der T_1 unterscheidet, kann der Wärmes-

trom durch die Kontaktfläche der B_1 und D nur in dem Falle vernachlässigt werden, wenn der Wärmewiderstand des Kontaktes viel grösser ist als der der Probe P.

Die erwähnten Fehlerquellen erklären es, dass bei Temperaturen über 350 K die aus der Gleichung (8) berechneten Werte des K grösser werden als die aus der Arbeit [5] entnommenen Werte

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O METODĂ NEȘTAȚIONARĂ PENTRU MĂSURAREA CONDUCTIBILITĂȚII TERMICE A PROBELOR MICI

(R e z u m a t)

Se descrie o metodă nestăționară pentru măsurarea conductibilității termice a probelor mici. Ea se bazează pe măsurarea rezistenței termice între cele două capete ale probei. Proba este montată între două blocuri de cupru și blocul inferior este răcit sau încălzit în mod continuu. Pentru determinarea precisă a coeficientului de conductibilitate termică a probei este necesar să se cunoască, sau să se determine, și rezistența termică a contactelor între probă și blocurile de cupru. Măsurătorile de verificare s-au făcut cu proba de NaCl de lungimi diferite.

MOLECULAR g VALUE CALCULATIONS FOR AXIALLY DISTORTED d^7 LOW SPIN CONFIGURATION IN STRONG CRYSTAL FIELD

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I. Introduction. Metal complexes, based on platinum atoms, which possess a columnar structure and contain an infinite number of directly interacting metal atoms arranged in a linear chain throughout the crystal, have attracted considerable attention [1] as a result of the highly anisotropic character of their electrical properties. The ESR measurements were reported for some of these complexes [2, 3, 4, 5] showing that the observed magnetic centers are holes in d_{z^2} like states. In the case of $\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)\text{PtCl}_4$, such states are formally equivalent to the localized Pt^{3+} like states [2]. As ESR provides a tool for determining the relative ordering of the d-orbital energy levels, one has to compare the experimental g values with the calculated ones, in order to determine the character of the ground state. Being involved in a systematic study of one-dimensional complexes containing platinum species, we undertook a theoretical calculation for the case of a Pt^{3+} complex, with axially symmetric g value, in a $5d^7$ low spin configuration, $S = 1/2$.

II. The first-order g tensor calculation in strong crystal field. The d-orbital energy level schemes in tetragonally distorted octahedral complexes and in planar complexes, can be predicted by considering symmetry arguments [6]. For Pt species in a $5d^7$ configuration, $S = 1/2$, with an axially tetragonal distortion, the d_{z^2} , d_{xy} or $d_{x^2-y^2}$ orbitals are the possible ground states.

The metal ground state is subject to admixture of various excited states by spin-orbit coupling. It is possible to calculate the g tensor elements directly from a well-known general formula [6]. In the case of strong crystal field problem, it is better to perform the sequential perturbations of spin-orbit coupling over the ground state wave function $|\alpha\rangle$, followed by the Zeeman interaction [7]. The principal g tensor elements are:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{xx} &= 2 \sum_i \langle \alpha | l_{ix} + 2s_{ix} | \beta \rangle \\ g_{yy} &= 2i \sum_i \langle \alpha | l_{iy} + 2s_{iy} | \beta \rangle \\ g_{zz} &= 2 \sum_i \langle \alpha | l_{iz} + 2s_{iz} | \beta \rangle \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

where $|\alpha\rangle$ and $|\beta\rangle$ are the doublet ground state improved wave functions.

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As an example, the case of a complex with an axially symmetric g value ($g_{xx} = g_{yy} = g_{zz} = g_{\perp}$) and the unpaired electron in d_{z^2} and d_{xy} orbitals will be examined. In the hole formalism, the zero order Kramer's doublet, for a d_{z^2} ground state is:

$$\begin{aligned} |0^+\rangle &= |(x^2 - y^2)^2(z^2)^+\rangle \\ |0^-\rangle &= |(x^2 - y^2)^2(z^2)^-\rangle \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

and for a d_{xy} ground state.

$$\begin{aligned} |0^+\rangle &= |(x^2 - y^2)^2(xy)^+\rangle \\ |0^-\rangle &= |(x^2 - y^2)^2(xy)^-\rangle \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where $|0\rangle$ refers to the ground state wave function. The calculation is facilitated by the use of two tables: the first, the effect of the operator $\bar{l} \cdot \bar{s}$ on the d-orbital set is represented in Ballhausen's book [8], the second, giving the matrix elements of the orbital angular momentum within the d-orbital set, is compiled in Mc. Garvey's review [9]. The first-order improved configurational wave function $|\alpha\rangle$ for d_{z^2} ground state, is obtained by applying the spin-orbit interaction Hamiltonian, as a perturbation, and using standard first-order perturbation theory:

$$\begin{aligned} |\alpha\rangle &= N\{ |(x^2 - y^2)^2(z^2)^+\rangle + ia_1 |(x^2 - y^2)^-(xy)^+(z^2)^+\rangle - \\ &- ia_1 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(xy)^-(z^2)^+\rangle - ia_2/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^-(yz)^-(z^2)^+\rangle - \\ &- ia_4/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(yz)^+(z^2)^+\rangle + a_2/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^-(xz)^-(z^2)^+\rangle - \\ &- a_4/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(xz)^-(z^2)^+\rangle - a_3\sqrt{3}/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^2(xz)^-\rangle - \\ &- ia_3\sqrt{3}/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^2(yz)^-\rangle \} \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

where N is a normalization constant and a_i are the mixing parameters, $a_i = \zeta/\Delta E_i$, ζ being one-electron metal spin-orbit coupling constant (ζ is always positive), and ΔE_i a configurational excitation energy. The first order $|\beta\rangle$ function is found from $(x^2 - y^2)^2(z^2)^-\rangle$ in a similar manner.

For d_{xy} ground state, the wave function $|\alpha\rangle$ is:

$$\begin{aligned} |\alpha\rangle &= N\{ |(x^2 - y^2)^2(xy)^+\rangle - ia_1 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(xy)^-(xy)^+\rangle - \\ &- ia_2/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^-(yz)^-(xy)^+\rangle - ia_4/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(yz)^+(xy)^+\rangle + \\ &+ a_2/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^-(xz)^-(xy)^+\rangle - a_4/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^+(xz)^+(xy)^+\rangle + \\ &+ a_3/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^2(yz)^-\rangle + ia_3/2 |(x^2 - y^2)^2(xz)^-\rangle \} \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

and similarly we can obtain the first order $|\beta\rangle$ function.

With doublet ground state wave functions $|\alpha\rangle$ and $|\beta\rangle$, by using the Zeeman spin-Hamiltonian expressions of Equation (1), the following principal g tensor elements were found:

— for d_{z^2} ground state:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{\parallel} &= 2N^2 + N^2(4a_1^2 + 2a_2^2 + 4a_4^2) \\ g_{\perp} &= 2N^2 + 6Na_3 + N^2(4a_1^2 + a_2^2 + a_4^2) \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

— for d_{xy} ground state:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{\parallel} &= 2N^2 - 8Na_1 + N^2(2a_1^2 - 2a_2^2 - 2a_3a_2 - a_3^2 - 3a_4^2 - 2a_3a_4) \\ g_{\perp} &= 2N^2 + 2Na_3 + N^2(a_2^2 + a_4^2 - 2a_1^2 - a_1a_4) \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

The perturbation coefficients, a_i , being usually small enough, any product of two coefficients can be ignored, and equations (6) and (7) become:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{\parallel} &= 2N^2 \\ g_{\perp} &= 2N^2 + 6N\zeta/\Delta E_3 \end{aligned} \quad (6')$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} g_{\parallel} &= 2N^2 - 8N\zeta/\Delta E_1 \\ g_{\perp} &= 2N^2 + 2N\zeta/\Delta E_2 \end{aligned} \quad (7')$$

where $\Delta E_1 = |E(x^2 - y^2) - E(xy)|$; $\Delta E_2 = |E(xz, yz) - E(xy)|$; $\Delta E_3 = |E(xz, yz) - E(z^2)|$

In the case of a complex with $d_{x^2-y^2}$ ground state, by using the same method, the principal g tensor elements are:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{\parallel} &= 2N^2 + 8N\zeta/\Delta E_1 \\ g_{\perp} &= 2N^2 + 2N\zeta/\Delta E_4 \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

where $\Delta E_4 = |E(xz, yz) - E(x^2 - y^2)|$

III. The second-order g tensor calculation in strong crystal field.

Due to the large spin-orbit coupling constant of Pt^{3+} ion, an improved set of crystal field g values was calculated by carrying the treatment to second order. The second-order correction terms can be computed by the method of Toppins [10], or one has to derive a ground state wave function correct to second order in ζ and then apply the magnetic perturbation. By calculating

the third-order correction to the energy of the ground state, Tippins obtained the following general formulae for the second-order g shifts ($\Delta g_{i,k} = g_{i,k} - 2$):

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta g_{||}^{(2)} &= \zeta^2 \left[\sum_{j,h} (i/\Delta E_j \Delta E_h) (z_{0j} x_{jh} y_{h0} + x_{0j} y_{jh} z_{h0} + x_{0j} z_{jh} y_{h0}) - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_j (1/\Delta E_j^2) (|x_{0j}|^2 + |y_{0j}|^2) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta g_{\perp}^{(2)} &= \zeta^2 \left[\sum_{j,h} (i/\Delta E_j \Delta E_h) (y_{0j} x_{jh} z_{h0} + x_{0j} y_{jh} z_{h0} + y_{0j} z_{jh} x_{h0}) - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \sum_j (1/\Delta E_j^2) (|y_{0j}|^2 + |z_{0j}|^2) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

where $x_{jk} = \langle j | l_x | k \rangle$ and similarly for the other components of the angular momentum \vec{l} , ΔE_i being as before.

For the d_{z^2} ground state, the nonzero matrix elements of the angular momentum are:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle d_{z^2} | l_x | d_{yz} \rangle &= i\sqrt{3} \\ \langle d_{z^2} | l_y | d_{zx} \rangle &= -i\sqrt{3} \\ \langle d_{z^2} | l_z | d_{yz} \rangle &= -i \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

and from the expressions (9) (10), also considering the normalization constant N of the zero-order configuration in the wave function that arises from the spin-orbit interaction, we obtained:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta g_{||}^{(2)} &= -3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2 \\ \Delta g_{\perp}^{(2)} &= -6N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2 \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

For the d_{xy} ground state, similarly were found:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta g_{||}^{(2)} &= -4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1 \Delta E_2 - 3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2 \\ \Delta g_{\perp}^{(2)} &= -4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1^2 \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

For the $d_{x^2-y^2}$ ground state the results are:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta g_{||}^{(2)} &= -4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1 \Delta E_4 - 3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2 \\ \Delta g_{\perp}^{(2)} &= -4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1^2 \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

The calculated g values for d^7 low spin state are summarized in table 1.

Table 1

5d orbital	$g_{ }$	g_{\perp}	order
d_{z^2}	$2N^2 - 3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2$	$2N^2 + 6N\zeta/\Delta E_3 - 6N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_3^2$	$g_{\perp} > g_{ } \approx 2$
d_{xy}	$2N^2 - 8N\zeta/\Delta E_1 - 4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1\Delta E_2 - 3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_2^2$	$2N^2 + 2N\zeta/\Delta E_2 - 4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1^2$	$g_{\perp} > 2 > g_{ }$
$d_{x^2 - y^2}$	$2N^2 + 8N\zeta/\Delta E_1 - 4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1\Delta E_4 - 3N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_4^2$	$2N^2 + 2N\zeta/\Delta E_4 - 4N^2\zeta^2/\Delta E_1^2$	$g_{ } > g_{\perp} > 2$

$$\Delta E_1 = |E(x^2 - y^2) - E(xy)|, \quad \Delta E_2 = |E(xz, yz) - E(xy)|, \quad \Delta E_3 = |E(xz, yz) - E(z^2)|; \quad \Delta E_4 = |E(xz, yz) - E(x^2 - y^2)|, \dots$$

IV. Conclusions. The comparison between the magnitudes of the experimental g values with the calculated ones (table 1), allows a correct determination of the ground state for d⁷ low spin complexes [2].

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CALCULAREA VALORILOR g MOLECULARE PENTRU CONFIGURAȚIA DE SPIN MIC d⁷, DISTORSIONATĂ AXIAL ÎN CÂMP CRISTALIN PUTERNIC

(Rezumat)

Pentru configurația electronică d⁷, de spin mic S = 1/2, au fost calculate expresiile teoretice ale tensorului g axial în aproximația câmpului cristalin puternic. Funcțiile de undă caracteristice stărilor fundamentale de tipul d_{z^2} , d_{xy} și $d_{x^2 - y^2}$ s-au obținut în urma aplicării interacțiunii de cuplaj spin orbită asupra funcțiilor de undă ale dubletelor Kramers respectiv. S-au determinat corecțiile de ordinul doi ale tensorilor g axiali pentru fiecare stare fundamentală.

SUR UN MODÈLE DE PLASMA COSMIQUE AVEC UNE DENSITÉ VARIABLE

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1. **Introduction.** Dans le présent mémoire nous voulons déduire l'équation de dispersion d'un modèle de plasma infini, compressible, visqueux, doué d'une pression anisotrope et d'une conductivité électrique finie, avec une densité variable, en mouvement de rotation, en présence du courant Hall, sous l'action de son propre champ gravifique et aussi sous l'action d'un champ magnétique uniforme-axial.

Nous utilisons les résultats obtenus par Sharma, Prakash [1] et par Bhatia, Gupta [2]. À la différence des travaux cités, nous prenons en considération, simultanément, l'action des grandeurs physiques qui définissent le modèle de plasma analysé: la *compressibilité*, la viscosité, l'*anisotropie de la pression*, la conductivité électrique finie, la *densité variable*, le mouvement de rotation, la présence du courant Hall, l'action de son propre champ gravifique et d'un champ magnétique uniforme-axial.

Nous choisissons comme système de référence le système de coordonnées cartésiennes Oxyz. On suppose que, dans l'état d'équilibre, le plasma possède une vitesse nulle ($\vec{v}_0 = 0$), une composante Ω du vecteur vitesse angulaire $\vec{\Omega}$, dirigée d'après l'axe Oz ($\vec{\Omega}(0, 0, \Omega)$) et aussi une composante \vec{H}_0 du vecteur champ magnétique \vec{H}_0 , dirigée d'après l'axe Oz ($\vec{H}_0(0, 0, H_0)$). La densité ρ_0 et aussi le potentiel gravifique V_0 sont fonctions de variable z [2]:

$$\rho_0(z) = \rho_1 \exp(\beta z) \quad (1)$$

et

$$V_0(z) = \frac{4\pi G \rho_1}{\beta^2} [-\exp(\beta z) + \beta z + 1] \quad (2)$$

où ρ_1 est la densité ρ_0 pour $z = 0$, β est une constante et G est la constante gravitationnelle.

Nous admettons des variations de type adiabatique pour la pression du plasma

2. **L'état perturbé du plasma.** Admettons maintenant que de petites perturbations de la densité, de la vitesse, de la pression, du potentiel gravifique et du champ magnétique se superposent à l'état d'équilibre du plasma, de manière qu'on peut écrire

$$\begin{aligned} v &= v_0 + v'(x, y, z, t) = v'(x, y, z, t), \\ \rho &= \rho_0(z) + \rho'(x, y, z, t), \quad p = p_0 + p'(x, y, z, t) \\ V &= V_0(z) + V'(x, y, z, t), \quad \vec{H} = \vec{H}_0 + \vec{H}'(x, y, z, t) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Les perturbations peuvent être considérées comme petites, de sorte que leurs carrés et leurs produits peuvent être négligés. En remplaçant les perturbations (3) dans les équations magnétohydrodynamiques pour le modèle de plasma étudié, on obtient le système d'équations

$$\rho_0 \frac{\partial \vec{v}'}{\partial t} = -\nabla(p' + \vec{p}') + \frac{1}{4\pi} (\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H} + \rho_0 \nabla V' + \rho' \nabla V_0 +$$

$$+ 2\rho_0 (\vec{v}' \times \vec{\Omega}) + \tilde{\mu} \Delta \vec{v}' + \frac{\mu}{3} \nabla (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}') \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial t} + \rho_0 \nabla \cdot \vec{v}' = -(\vec{v}' \cdot \nabla) \rho_0 \quad (5)$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{H}'}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\vec{v}' \times \vec{H}_0) + \nu_m \Delta \vec{H}' - K \nabla \times [(\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H}_0] \quad (6)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{H}' = 0 \quad (7)$$

$$\Delta V' = -4\pi G \rho' \quad (8)$$

où ∇ est l'opérateur *nabla*, Δ est l'opérateur de Laplace, \vec{p}' est la perturbation du tenseur de la pression, p' est la perturbation de la pression du plasma, ρ' est la perturbation de la densité, V' est la perturbation du potentiel gravifique, \vec{v}' est la perturbation de la vitesse du plasma, \vec{H}' est la perturbation du champ magnétique appliqué, $\tilde{\mu}$ est le coefficient de viscosité du plasma, ν_m est le coefficient de viscosité magnétique du plasma, $K = \frac{c}{4\pi N e}$, où c est la vitesse de la lumière en espace libre, N est le nombre de densité des particules chargées du plasma, e est la charge électrique. On suppose que les perturbations se propagent dans le plasma sous la forme

$$\varphi = \varphi_0 \exp i(k_x x + k_z z + \omega t) \quad (9)$$

où φ' est la perturbation considérée, k_x, k_z sont les composantes du vecteur d'onde \vec{k} , ω est la pulsation d'onde.

Les composantes p'_{jk} ($j, k = 1, 2, 3$) du tenseur p' s'écrivent sous la forme [1]

$$p'_{xx} = -\rho_0 \nu \left(\frac{\partial v'_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v'_y}{\partial x} \right); p'_{yy} = \rho_0 \nu \left(\frac{\partial v'_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v'_y}{\partial x} \right); p'_{zz} = 0$$

$$p'_{xy} = p'_{yx} = \rho_0 \nu \left(\frac{\partial v'_x}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v'_y}{\partial y} \right), p'_{xz} = p'_{zx} = -2\rho_0 \nu \left(\frac{\partial v'_y}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial v'_z}{\partial y} \right) \quad (10)$$

$$p'_{yz} = p'_{zy} = 2\rho_0 \nu \left(\frac{\partial v'_z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v'_x}{\partial z} \right)$$

où $\rho_0 \nu = \frac{NT}{4\omega_L}$ (T est la température du plasma, $\omega_L = \frac{eH_0}{M}$ est la pulsation cyclotronique pour le plasma, M est la masse des particules (ions) du plasma).

On peut écrire les vecteurs $(\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H}_0$, $\nabla \times [(\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H}_0]$, $\nabla \times (\vec{v}' \times \vec{H}_0)$, $\vec{v}' \times \vec{\Omega}$ sous la forme

$$(\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H}_0 = \vec{\varepsilon}_x H_0 \left(\frac{\partial H'_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial H'_z}{\partial x} \right) - \vec{\varepsilon}_y H_0 \left(\frac{\partial H'_x}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial H'_y}{\partial x} \right) \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times [(\nabla \times \vec{H}') \times \vec{H}_0] &= \vec{\varepsilon}_x H_0 \left(\frac{\partial^2 H'_x}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 H'_y}{\partial z^2} \right) + \vec{\varepsilon}_y H_0 \left(\frac{\partial^2 H'_x}{\partial z^2} - \frac{\partial^2 H'_z}{\partial x \partial z} \right) - \\ &- \vec{\varepsilon}_z H_0 \left[\left(\frac{\partial^2 H'_z}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 H'_y}{\partial x \partial z} \right) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 H'_x}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 H'_z}{\partial x \partial y} \right) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

$$\nabla \times (\vec{v}' \times \vec{H}_0) = H_0 \frac{\partial \vec{v}'}{\partial z} - \vec{\varepsilon}_x H_0 \nabla \cdot \vec{v}' \quad (13)$$

$$\vec{v}' \times \vec{\Omega} = \vec{\varepsilon}_x v'_y \Omega - \vec{\varepsilon}_y v'_x \Omega \quad (14)$$

où $\vec{\varepsilon}_x$, $\vec{\varepsilon}_y$, $\vec{\varepsilon}_z$ sont les verseurs du système de référence $Oxyz$.

La substitution des perturbations (9) dans les équations (4)–(8) nous conduit, en négligeant les carrés et les produits des perturbations et tenant compte de (11)–(14), au système d'équations, qui, en projections sur les axes Ox , Oy , Oz , prend la forme

$$\begin{aligned} \left[\omega - \frac{i\tilde{\mu}}{3} (3k^2 + k_z^2) \right] v'_x &= - \left(\frac{k_x}{k^2} \Omega_y^2 \right) \frac{\rho'}{\rho_0} - [2i\Omega - \nu(k^2 + k_z^2)] v'_y + \\ &+ \frac{i\tilde{\mu}}{3} k_x k_z v'_z + \frac{H_0}{4\pi\rho_0} (k_x H'_x - k_x H'_z) \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

$$(\omega - i\tilde{\mu}k^2) v'_y = [-\nu(k^2 + k_z^2) + 2i\Omega] v'_x - 2i\nu k_x k_z v'_z + \frac{H_0}{4\pi\rho_0} k_x H'_y \quad (16)$$

$$\left[\omega - i\tilde{\mu} \left(k^2 + \frac{k_z^2}{3} \right) \right] v'_z = 2i\nu k_x k_z v'_y + \frac{i\tilde{\mu}}{3} k_x k_z v'_x - \left[\frac{k_x}{k^2} \Omega_z^2 + iDV_0 \right] \frac{\rho'}{\rho_0} \quad (17)$$

$$\rho' = - \frac{(\rho_0 k_x - \nu D\rho_0) v'_x - \rho_0 k_z v'_z}{\omega} \quad (18)$$

$$(i\omega + \nu_m k^2) H'_x = ik_x H_0 v'_x - KH_0 k_x H'_y \quad (19)$$

$$(i\omega + \nu_m k^2) H'_y = ik_x H_0 v'_y - KH_0 (k_x k_z H'_z - k_z^2 H'_x) \quad (20)$$

$$(i\omega + \nu_m k^2) H'_z = -i k_x H_0 v'_x + K H_0 k_x k_x H'_y \quad (21)$$

$$i k_x H'_x + i k_x H'_z = 0 \quad (22)$$

$$k^2 V' = 4\pi G \rho' \quad (23)$$

où $k^2 = k_x^2 + k_z^2$, $\rho' = V_s^2 \rho'_0$, V_s est la vitesse du son dans le plasma et $D = \frac{d}{dz}$.

Si l'on applique l'opérateur *divergence* ($\nabla \cdot$) dans l'équation (4) et tenant compte des égalités suivantes

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\nabla \cdot v') &= \rho_0 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left\{ -\frac{1}{\rho_0} \left[\frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial t} + (D\rho_0) v'_z \right] \right\} = -\frac{\partial^2 \rho'}{\partial t^2} - \\ &\quad - (D\rho_0) \frac{\partial v'_z}{\partial t} = \omega^2 \rho' - i\omega (D\rho_0) v'_z, \\ \nabla \cdot (\nabla p') &= \Delta p' = -k^2 p' = -k^2 V_s^2 \rho', \\ \nabla \cdot (\nabla \vec{p}') &= \nabla \cdot \left[\vec{\varepsilon} \left(\frac{\partial p'_{xx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial p'_{zz}}{\partial z} \right) + \vec{\varepsilon}_y \left(\frac{\partial p'_{yx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial p'_{yz}}{\partial z} \right) + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \vec{\varepsilon}_z \left(\frac{\partial p'_{zx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial p'_{zz}}{\partial z} \right) \right] = i k_x \rho_0 \nu (k_x^2 + 4k_z^2) v'_y, \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

$$\nabla \cdot [\nabla \times \vec{H}'] \times \vec{H}_0 = -k_x k_x H_0 H'_x + k_x^2 H_0 H'_z,$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\Delta \vec{v}') = \nabla^2 \cdot [\nabla \cdot \vec{v}'] = -i k^2 (k_x v'_x + k_x v'_z)$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\rho_0 \nabla V') = \nabla \rho_0 \cdot \nabla V' + \rho_0 \Delta V' = i k_x (D\rho_0) V' - 4\pi G \rho_0 \rho',$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\rho' \nabla V_0) = \nabla \rho' \cdot \nabla V_0 + \rho' \Delta V_0 = i k_x (D V_0) \rho' - 4\pi G \rho_0 \rho'$$

où $\nabla = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \vec{\varepsilon}_x + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \vec{\varepsilon}_z$; $\Delta = \nabla^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2}$; $D^2 = \frac{d^2}{dz^2}$, on obtient l'égalité

$$\begin{aligned} &i \left(\frac{k_x^2 V_s^2 A}{\Omega_m} + \frac{4k_x k_x^2 \tilde{\mu}}{3} \right) V'_z + i [\nu (k_x^2 + 4k_z^2) - 2k_x \Omega] v'_y - \\ &- i \left[\omega (D\rho_0) - \frac{4k_x k_x^2 \tilde{\mu}}{3} \right] v'_x + \frac{k_x k_x H_0}{4\pi \rho_0} H'_x - \frac{K k_x^2 k_x V_s^2 A}{\Omega_m} H'_y + \\ &+ [\omega^2 - \Omega_{J(z)(S)}^2 - D^2(V_0)] \zeta' = 0, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

où $\Omega_m = i\omega + \nu_m k^2$, $\Omega_{J(z)(S)}^2 = V_s^2 k^2 + \frac{4\pi G}{k^2} [i k_x (D\rho_0) - k^2 \rho_0] + i k_x (D V_0)$

Remplaçons maintenant dans l'équation (15) et aussi dans l'équation (20) la composante H'_x donnée par l'équation (21). On obtient

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\omega - \frac{i\tilde{\mu}(3k^2 + k_x^2)}{3} - \frac{i\tilde{k}_x^2 V_A^2}{\Omega_m} \right) v'_x + i[2\Omega - \nu(k^2 + k_x^2)]v'_y - \\ & - \frac{i\tilde{\mu}\tilde{k}_x k_x}{3} v'_z - \frac{H_0 k_x}{4\pi\rho_0} H'_x + \frac{K\tilde{k}_x^2 k_x V_A^2}{\Omega_m} H'_y + \left(\frac{k_x}{\tilde{k}^2} \Omega_J^2 \right) \zeta' = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

et

$$[\Omega_m^2 + (KH_0)^2 k_x^2 k_x^2] H'_y = \Omega_m (i\tilde{k}_x H_0 v'_y) + KH_0 k_x^2 H'_x + iK H_0^2 k_x^2 k_x v'_x. \quad (27)$$

Introduisons les notations suivantes

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} &= i\tilde{\mu}\tilde{k}^2, \quad \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} = \frac{i\tilde{\mu}}{3} (3k^2 + k_x^2), \quad \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} = \frac{i\tilde{\mu}}{3} (3k^2 + k_x^2) \\ \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} &= \frac{4i\tilde{\mu}\tilde{k}_x k_x}{3}; \quad \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} = \frac{i\tilde{\mu}\tilde{k}_x k_x}{3}, \quad \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} = \frac{i\tilde{k}_x^2 V_A^2}{\Omega_m} + \\ &+ \frac{4i\tilde{\mu}\tilde{k}_x k_x}{3}; \quad \Omega_{\nu(x)} = 2i\Omega - \nu(k^2 + k_x^2), \quad \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)} = 2i\nu\tilde{k}_x k_x \\ \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)}^{(1)} &= ik_x [\nu(k^2 + 3k_x^2) - 2\Omega], \quad \Omega_{A(x)} = \frac{i\tilde{k}_x^2 V_A^2}{\Omega_m} \\ \Omega_{A(x)(x)} &= \frac{K\tilde{k}_x^2 k_x V_A^2}{\Omega_m}; \quad \Omega_{A(x)(x)}^{(1)} = \frac{K\tilde{k}_x^2 k_x V_A^2}{\Omega_m}, \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega_{0J(x)}^2 &= \Omega_{J(x)(x)}^2 + D^2(V_0); \quad \Omega_{J(x)} = \frac{k_x}{\tilde{k}^2} \Omega_J^2, \quad \Omega_{J(x)} = \frac{k_x}{\tilde{k}^2} \Omega_J^2; \quad \Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} = iD(V_0) + \\ &+ \frac{k_x}{\tilde{k}^2} \Omega_J^2; \quad A_{(x)} = \frac{k_x H_0}{4\pi\rho_0}, \quad A_{(x)(x)} = \frac{k_x k_x H_0}{4\pi\rho_0}; \quad C = iD\rho_0, \end{aligned}$$

$$D_{(x)} = ik_x H_0, \quad D_{(x)}^{(1)} = KH_0 k_x^2; \quad D_{(x)(x)} = iKH_0^2 k_x^2 k_x; \quad D_{m(x)} = i\Omega_m k_x H_0$$

$$D_{m(x)}^{(1)} = KH_0 \Omega_m k_x^2; \quad D_{m(x)(x)}^{(2)} = \Omega_m^2 + (KH_0)^2 k_x^2 k_x^2.$$

Le système d'équations (16), (17), (19), (25), (26) et (27), tenant compte de notations (28), prend la forme

$$\Omega_{\nu(x)}v'_x + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)v'_y - \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)}v'_x + A_{(x)}H'_y = 0, \quad (29)$$

$$\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}v'_x + \Omega_{\nu(x)(y)}v'_y - (\omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)})v'_x - \Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}\zeta' = 0. \quad (30)$$

$$D_{(x)}v'_x - \Omega_m H'_x - D_{(x)}^{(1)}H'_y = 0 \quad (31)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}v'_x + \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)}^{(1)}v'_x - (C\omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)})v'_x + \\ &+ A_{(x)(x)}H'_x - \Omega_{A(x)}H'_y + (\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)\zeta' = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &(\omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \Omega_{A(x)})v'_x + \Omega_{\nu(x)}v'_y - \\ &- \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}v'_x - A_{(x)}H'_x + \Omega_{A(x)(x)}H'_y + \Omega_{J(x)}\zeta' = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

$$D_{(x)(x)}v'_x + D_{m(x)}v'_y + D_{m(x)}^{(1)}H'_x + D_{m(x)(x)}^2H'_y = 0. \quad (34)$$

3. L'équation de dispersion. L'équation de dispersion pour le modèle de plasma étudié s'obtient par l'annulation du déterminant D formé par les coefficients des grandeurs v'_x , v'_y , v'_x , H'_x , H'_y et ζ' .

$$\begin{vmatrix} \Omega_{\nu(x)} & \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega & -\Omega_{\nu(x)(x)} & 0 & A_{(x)} & 0 \\ \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} & \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)} & \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega & 0 & 0 & -\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} \\ D_{(x)} & 0 & 0 & -\Omega_m & -D_{(x)}^{(1)} & 0 \\ \Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)} & \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)}^{(1)} & \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega & A_{(x)(x)} & -\Omega_{A(x)} & \omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2 \\ \omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - & & & & & \\ -\Omega_{A(x)} & \Omega_{\nu(x)} & -\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} & -A_{(x)} & \Omega_{A(x)(x)} & \Omega_{J(x)} \\ D_{(x)(x)} & D_{m(x)} & 0 & D_{m(x)}^{(1)} & -D_{m(x)(x)}^2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad (35)$$

On obtient alors l'égalité

$$\begin{aligned} &[\Omega_m D_{m(x)(x)}^2 + D_{(x)}^{(1)} D_{m(x)}^{(1)}] \{ (\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2) [(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega) \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}^2 + \\ &- \Omega_{\nu(x)} \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)} \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} - \Omega_{\nu(x)}^{(1)} (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega) + \\ &+ (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega) (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega) (\omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \Omega_{A(x)}) - \\ &- \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)} \Omega_{\nu(x)} + (\omega - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \Omega_{A(x)}) \Omega_{\nu(x)(x)}^2] + \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega) [(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)\Omega_{J(x)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)} + (\omega - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \Omega_{A(x)})(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} - \Omega_{v(x)}(\Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)} + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)})] + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega) [\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} - \\
& - (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}] + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}^{(1)}(\Omega_{v(x)(x)}[(\omega - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \Omega_{A(x)})\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} + \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}] + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)}[\Omega_{J(x)}(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega) - \Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}]) - \\
& - \Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}(\Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}^2\Omega_{J(x)})\} - \\
& - [\Omega_m\Omega_{A(x)(x)} + A_{(x)}D_{(x)}^{(1)}]\{[(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{v(x)} + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}][(\omega^2 - \\
& - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)D_{m(x)}] + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega)\Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}D_{m(x)} - \\
& - (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)(\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)D_{(x)(x)}\} - \\
& - [\Omega_m\Omega_{A(x)} + A_{(x)}D_{(x)}^{(1)}]\{[(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{v(x)} + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}]\Omega_{J(x)}D_{m(x)}(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \\
& - \omega)D_{(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)} - \Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}D_{m(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}\} + \\
& + [\Omega_mD_{(x)(x)} + D_{(x)}D_{m(x)}^{(1)}]\{[(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega)\Omega_{A(x)(x)} - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}\Omega_{A(x)}](\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)\Omega_{J(x)} + (\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)(\Omega_{A(x)(x)}\Omega_{v(x)(x)} - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}A_{(x)}) - (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{v(x)}A_{(x)}] + [(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{v(x)(x)} - \\
& - (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega)\Omega_{v(x)(x)}]\Omega_{J(x)}A_{(x)} + [(\Omega_{v(x)(x)}^{(1)}\Omega_{A(v)(x)} + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{A(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} + \Omega_{A(x)}\Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)})]\Omega_{v(x)(x)}\} + \\
& + [D_{(x)}^{(1)}D_{(x)(x)} - D_{(x)}D_{m(x)}^2]\{(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)[(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega)\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}A_{(x)} - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}A_{(x)(x)}] + [(\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)\Omega_{v(x)(x)}A_{(x)} + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}A_{(x)(x)} + \Omega_{v(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}A_{(x)(x)} + \\
& + \Omega_{v(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}A_{(x)}]\Omega_{v(x)(x)}\} + \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(x)}\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}A_{(x)}[\Omega_m(\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}D_{m(x)} - \\
& - \Omega_{v(x)(x)}D_{(x)(x)})] + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)(\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2)[A_{(x)}\Omega_mD_{m(x)}(\omega - \\
& - \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \Omega_{A(x)} - A_{(x)}^2D_{(x)}D_{m(x)} - D_{(x)}(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)(A_{(x)}D_{m(x)}^2 - \\
& - \Omega_{A(x)(x)}D_{m(x)}^{(1)})] + (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} - \omega)\Omega_{J(x)}[(\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} - \omega)D_{(x)}(\Omega_{A(x)}D_{m(x)}^{(1)} -
\end{aligned} \tag{36}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& - A_{(x)(z)} D_{m(x)(z)}^2 - A_{(z)} D_{m(x)} (A_{(x)(z)} D_{(z)} + \Omega_m \Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)})] - \\
& - A_{(x)} \Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} (\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - C\omega) \{ D_{(z)} (A_{(z)} D_{m(x)} + D_{m(x)}^{(1)} \Omega_{v(x)}) + \\
& + \Omega_m [D_{m(x)} (\Omega_{A(x)} + \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} - \omega) + D_{(z)} \Omega_{v(x)} - D_{m(x)} \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(z)}] \} + \\
& + A_{(x)} \Omega_m D_{m(x)} (\omega^2 - \Omega_{0J(x)}^2) \Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(z)}^2 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Cas particulier. Pour le cas d'un modèle de plasma infini, non visqueux, compressible, en mouvement de rotation, doué d'une conductivité électrique finie et d'une densité constante, avec une pression anisotrope, en présence du courant Hall, sous l'action de son propre champ gravifique et aussi sous l'action d'un champ magnétique uniforme-axial, nous avons satisfait aux conditions suivantes. $\tilde{\mu} = 0$, $\rho_0 = \text{const.}$, $V_0 = \text{const.}$, $D(\rho_0) = 0$, $D^2(\rho_0) = 0$, $D(V_0) = 0$, $D^2(V_0) = 0$ et les grandeurs $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}}$, $\Omega_{\tilde{v}(x)}$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(z)}$, $\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)}$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(z)}$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)}$, $\Omega_{0J(x)}^2$, $\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)}$, C deviennent $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}} = 0$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)} = 0$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)(z)} = 0$, $\Omega_{A\tilde{\mu}(x)} = \frac{i k_x V_0^2 A}{\Omega_m}$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(z)} = 0$, $\Omega_{\tilde{\mu}(x)}^{(1)} = 0$, $\Omega_{0J(x)}^2 = \Omega_J^2$, $\Omega_{J(x)}^{(1)} = \Omega_{J(x)} = \frac{k}{k^2} \Omega_J^2$, $C = 0$.

Dans ce cas particulier, l'équation de dispersion (36) se réduit à l'équation de dispersion obtenue par Sharma et Prakash [1]

L'équation de dispersion (36) a une grande importance pour l'établissement du critère de l'instabilité magnétohydrodynamique du modèle de plasma étudié, problème qui sera analysé dans un autre mémoire

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ASUPRA UNUI MODEL DE PLASMĂ COSMICĂ CU DENSITATE VARIABILĂ

(Rezumat)

În lucrare se stabilește ecuația de dispersie pentru un model de plasmă cosmică. Autorul ia în considerare acțiunea simultană a compresibilității, a viscozității plasmei, anizotropia presiunii, conductivitatea electrică finită, prezența curentului Hall, mișcarea de rotație, densitatea variabilă a plasmei și acțiunea propriului său câmp gravitațional și a unui câmp magnetic uniform-axial.

Ecuația de dispersie obținută generalizează ecuațiile de dispersie stabilite de autorii citați în lucrare.

LE SPECTRE D'AMPLITUDE DU CHAMP ÉLECTRIQUE PRODUIT PAR LES ÉCLAIRS

STELA GIJU

1. **Introduction.** Pour déterminer le nombre des décharges électriques atmosphériques dans une région quelconque, on avait créé de nombreux types d'appareils. Parmi ceux-ci, les compteurs d'éclairs jouent un rôle important, grâce à leur multiples possibilités d'utilisation [1, 2, 3]. Les compteurs d'éclairs sont des appareils à l'aide desquels on peut compter les impulsions à basse fréquence, provenues des éclairs dont le champ électrique induit dans l'antenne dépasse un certain niveau indiqué le seuil de sensibilité de l'appareil.

2. **La description de l'appareil.** En partant du schéma du compteur de type Pierce à tubes de décharge [4], nous avons construit un compteur d'éclairs formé par trois étages, mais ayant en commun l'antenne, le circuit d'alimentation et le circuit d'étalonnage (fig. 1). Les trois étages ont les seuils de sensibilité $1,25 \frac{V}{m}$; $2,5 \frac{V}{m}$ et $3,75 \frac{V}{m}$ à correspondre aux tensions 5 V; 10 V, respectivement 15 V. Le comptage des éclairs est accompli par voie électromagnétique. A l'approche d'un orage, celui-ci est signalé d'abord par les compteurs à sensibilité majeure, puis en ordre de succession par les autres, selon la sensibilité décroissante.

L'appareil permet l'étude du spectre d'amplitude du champ électrique produit par les éclairs à l'endroit du récepteur, en enregistrant le nombre d'éclairs qui produisent au récepteur un champ électrique au-dessus de la valeur de seuil E_0 bien définie.

3. **Les résultats expérimentaux.** L'amplitude du champ électrique E , causé par une décharge électrique atmosphérique, est soumise à l'endroit de la source à une loi logarithmique normale de distribution. D'après Horn er [5], la probabilité de la formation d'une décharge électrique à l'amplitude du champ électrique E , est définie par la relation :

$$P(\mu) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{\mu^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad (1)$$

où $\mu = \ln E$, et π représente l'écart normal de la distribution.

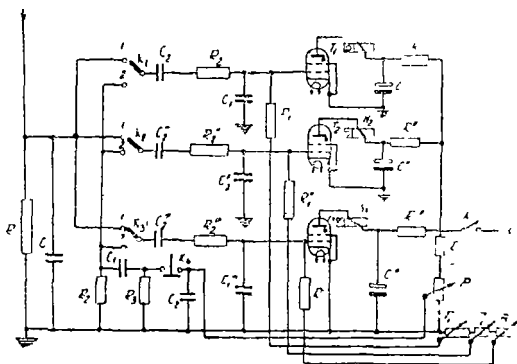


Fig 1 Le compteur d'éclairs à 3 étages

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Pour distances suffisamment importantes et pour de plus longues périodes d'observation, on peut admettre, à bonne approximation, que les éclairs sont uniformément distribués, c'est-à-dire le nombre moyen des décharges électriques dans l'unité de surface ne dépend pas de la distance. En ce cas, le nombre des décharges électriques, qui produisent dans l'endroit du récepteur un champ électrique à l'amplitude $\mu \geq \mu_0$, c'est-à-dire comptable par un appareil à sensibilité de seuil $\mu_0 = \ln E_0$, résulte [5] de la relation

$$g(E_0) = \frac{e^{2\sigma^2} \pi G}{E_0^2} \quad (2)$$

où G représente le nombre moyen des décharges électriques produites dans une unité de surface. La relation (2) peut être vérifiée expérimentalement

L'appareil construit fonctionne à partir de l'été de l'année 1974, chaque jour, entre 8 heures du matin jusqu'à 20 heures du soir, sauf l'hiver, la lecture ayant lieu de trois en trois heures

Le spectre d'amplitude du champ électrique produit par les éclairs à l'endroit du récepteur (fig. 2), en considérant le nombre des éclairs enregistrés pendant les mois de juin, juillet et août des années 1974, 1975 et 1976, montre que le nombre des éclairs, qui produisent au récepteur un champ électrique à amplitude mineure est beaucoup plus grand par rapport aux autres, parce qu'à cette valeur de la sensibilité de l'appareil, son rayon de réception est plus grand et peut détecter plus d'éclairs. En comparant les enregistrements de 1974, 1975 et 1976, on peut constater qu'indifféremment de la période de temps considérée, le nombre des éclairs enregistré en 1975 est plus grand. Ce fait pourrait être en corrélation avec les

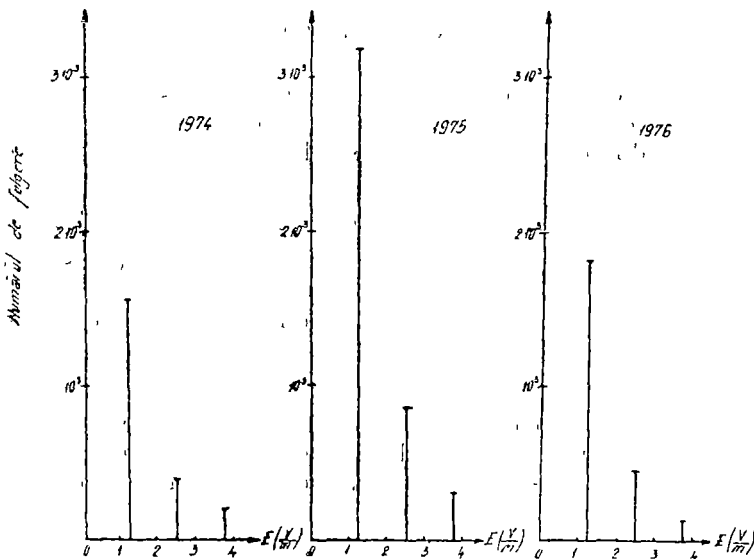


Fig 2 Le spectre d'amplitude du champ électrique produit par les éclairs au récepteur.

phénomènes météorologiques déterminant les inondations de juillet 1975 dans notre pays.

En vérifiant la relation (2), on avait obtenu les résultats suivants :

Tableau 1

$E_0 \left(\frac{V}{m} \right)$	Nombre d'éclairs			$g(E_0) \cdot E_0^2$			R(km)
	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976	
1,25	1551	3217	1906	2423,43	5026,56	2978,12	60
2,5	391	859	418	2443,75	5368,75	2612,50	30
3,75	197	319	145	2770,31	4485,93	2039,06	10

Il est à remarquer que $g(E_0) E_0^2 = e^{2\sigma} \pi G$, représente en bonne approximation une constante pour les premiers deux étages, qui ont le rayon majeur de réception. Pour le troisième étage on peut constater des écarts plus importants, parce que le rayon de réception est trop réduit et le nombre d'éclairs, ne peut pas être considéré uniformément distribué, selon l'hypothèse admise.

L'appareil peut fournir des données évaluables en ce qui concerne la distance jusqu'à l'endroit de production des éclairs.

Chaque étage à seuil de sensibilité E_0 a un rayon moyen de réception R . Pour les distances suffisamment importantes, on peut admettre que l'amplitude du champ électrique, produit par les éclairs à l'endroit de réception, soit soumise à une loi de proportionnalité inverse à la distance R . En ce cas :

$$E_0 \cdot R = \text{constante} \quad (3)$$

Cette constante doit être la même pour tous les étages inclus dans l'appareil respectif [5, 6]. Si l'on peut déterminer le rayon de réception à l'un des étages conformément aux données expérimentales, alors le rayon de réception des autres étages sera donné par la relation (3).

En nos cas, selon la pratique, le rayon de réception de l'étage à seuil de sensibilité $E_0 = 2,5 \frac{V}{m}$ monte à $R = 30$ km. Alors, pour l'étage à seuil de sensibilité $E_0 = 1,25 \frac{V}{m}$, on obtient un rayon de réception de 60 km. Le rayon de réception de l'étage à $E_0 = 3,75 \frac{V}{m}$ ne peut plus être déterminé de cette manière, parce qu'il ne s'encadre pas dans l'hypothèse admise. Le rayon de réception de cet étage s'étend à 10 km, et cela grâce à la sensibilité réglée de la sorte qu'il ne détecte que les éclairs produits par un centre rapproché d'orage, dont les tonnerres sont même audibles.

4. Conclusions. L'appareil peut être utilisé pour la détection des éclairs produits à distances jusqu'à environ 60 km. Le compteur d'éclairs à trois étages peut fournir des données évaluables en ce qui concerne la distance jusqu'à l'en-

droit de production des éclairs. On pourrait obtenir des résultats plus complets à l'aide des appareils avec un nombre plus important d'étages et à une sensibilité plus élevée. Mais, en augmentant la sensibilité, ces types de compteurs risquent d'être autoexcités ou bien de réceptionner de faux éclairs.

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SPECTRUL DE AMPLITUDE AL CÎMPULUI ELECTRIC PRODUS DE FULGERE

(Rezumat)

Lucrarea prezintă un contor de fulgere de tip Pierce cu tuburi de descărcare, cu trei etaje (fig 1), avînd în comun antena, circuitul de alimentare și circuitul de etalonare. Cele trei etaje ale contorului au pragurile de sensibilitate $1,25 \frac{V}{m}$, $2,5 \frac{V}{m}$ și $3,75 \frac{V}{m}$

Aparatul permite studiul spectrului de amplitudine al cîmpului electric produs de fulgere la locul receptorului, prin înregistrarea numărului de fulgere care produc la receptor un cîmp electric mai mare decît o valoare de prag E_0 bine definită (fig 2). Contorul triplu de tip Pierce poate furniza date estimative cu privire la distanța pînă la locul de producere a fulgerelor

RECENZII

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M Crișan, **Teoria cuantică a magnetismului** (Quantum Theory of Magnetism), Ed Dacia Cluj-Napoca, 1977.

The book starts with a chapter treating the exchange interaction in the insulators, metals and alloys. The second chapter contains a short review of the Green function method, with the perturbative diagrammatic expansion, the motion equation method, and the Bethe-Salpeter equation for the vertex function. The third chapter deals with the Heisenberg ferromagnet treated by the motion equation method of the Green function in the Tyablikov and Callias approximations. The antiferromagnetic ordered phase as well as the spin waves approximation are also discussed in this chapter. The fourth chapter contains the theory of the itinerant electron ferromagnetism. The fifth surveys the extensive theoretical results (Soviet school, Swiss School) on the coexistence between superconductivity and magnetic order of impurities in the superconducting alloys.

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