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- Don't get into strangers' cars;
- Don't meet people from the internet.

2017

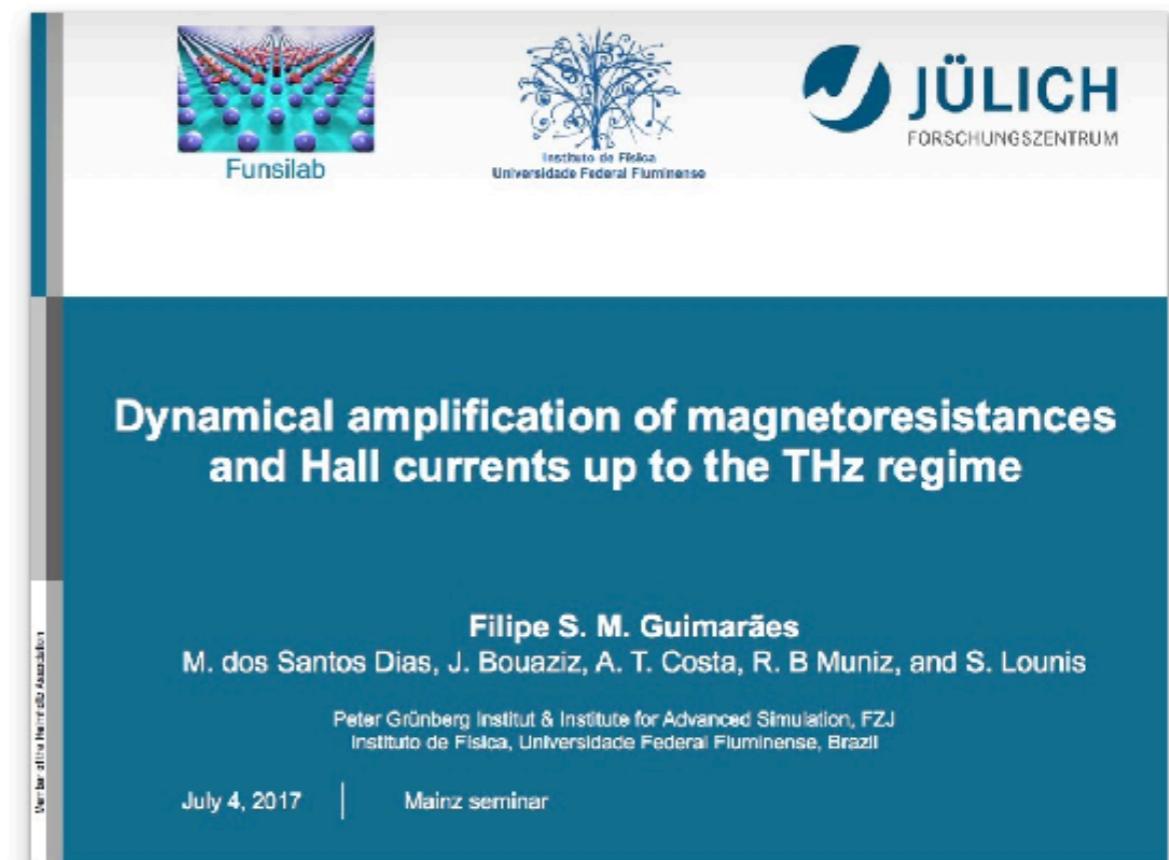
- Literally summon strangers from the internet to get into their car.



1956



2017



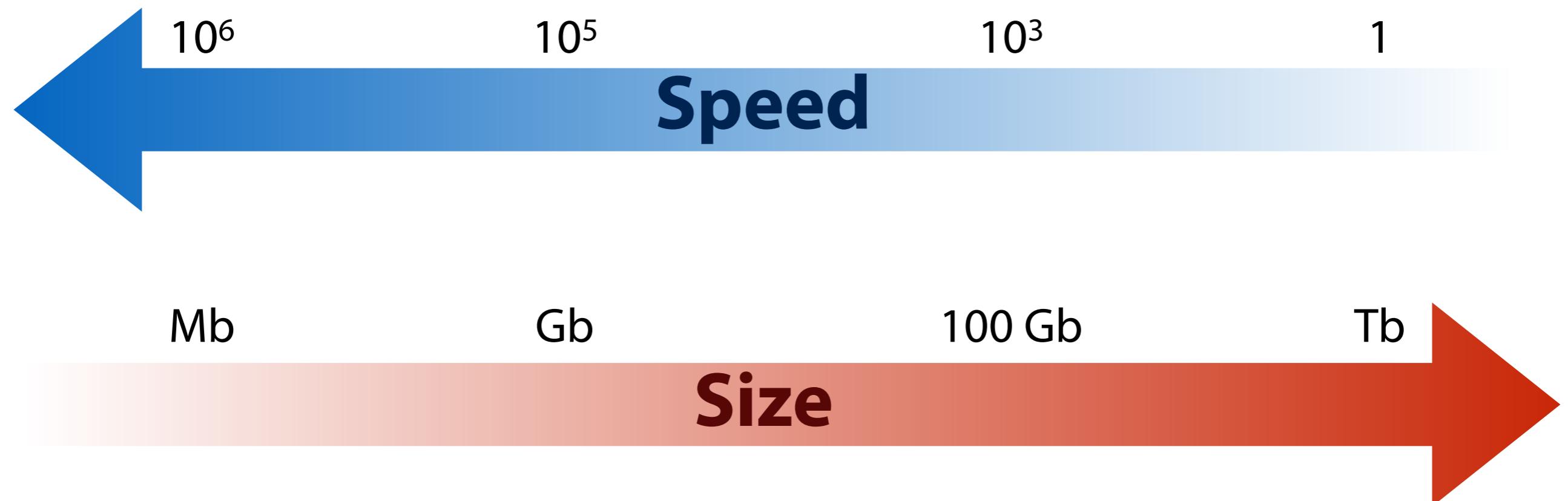
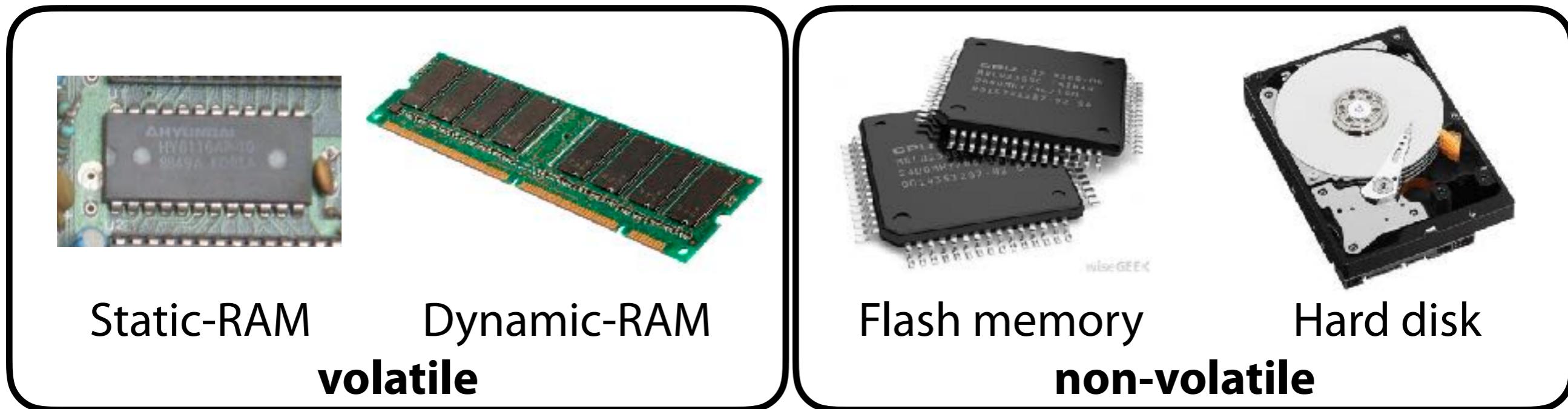
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Static-RAM



Dynamic-RAM



Flash memory



Hard disk

Universal Memory

Speed

Power consumption

Price

Size

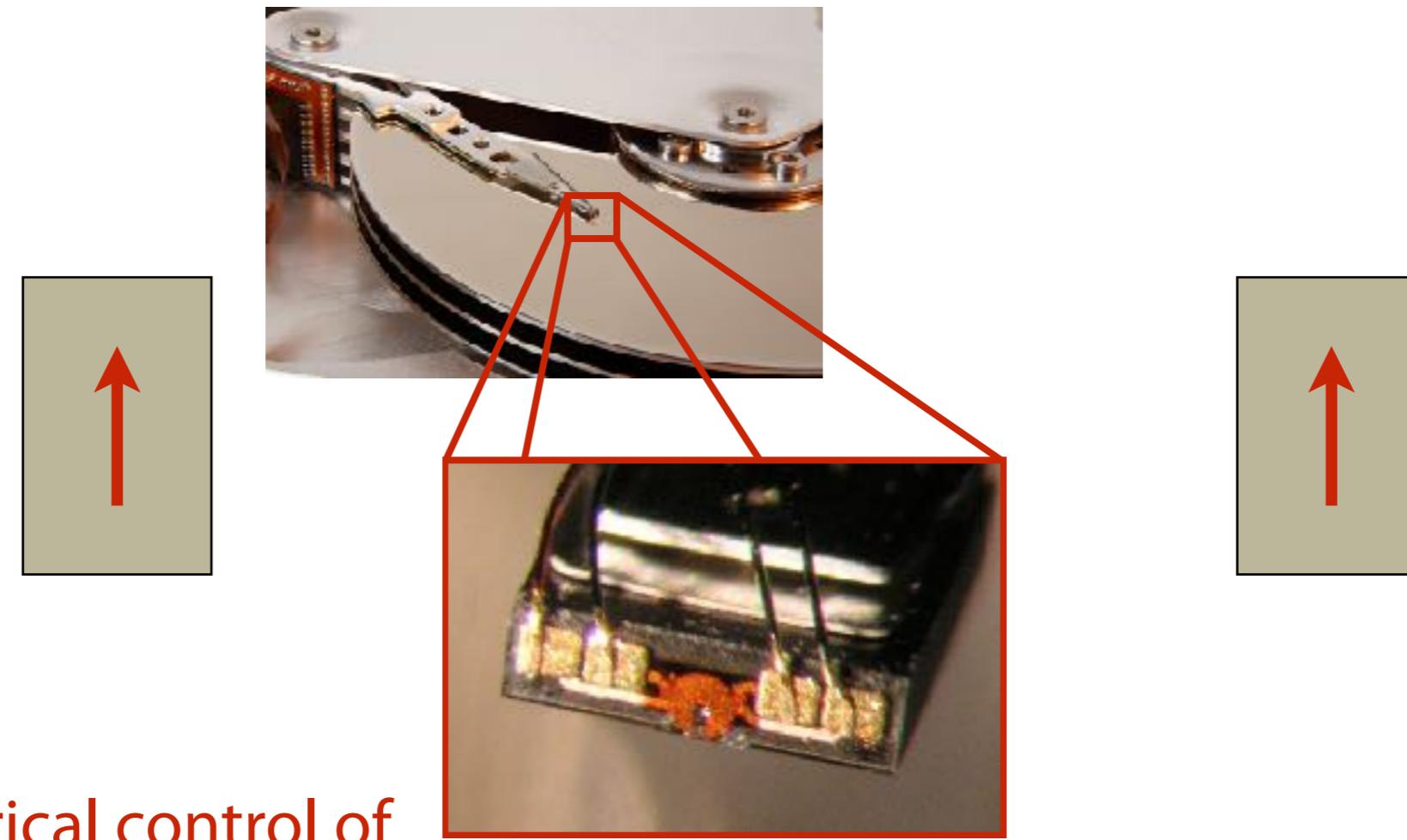
Non-volatility

Durability



pintronics

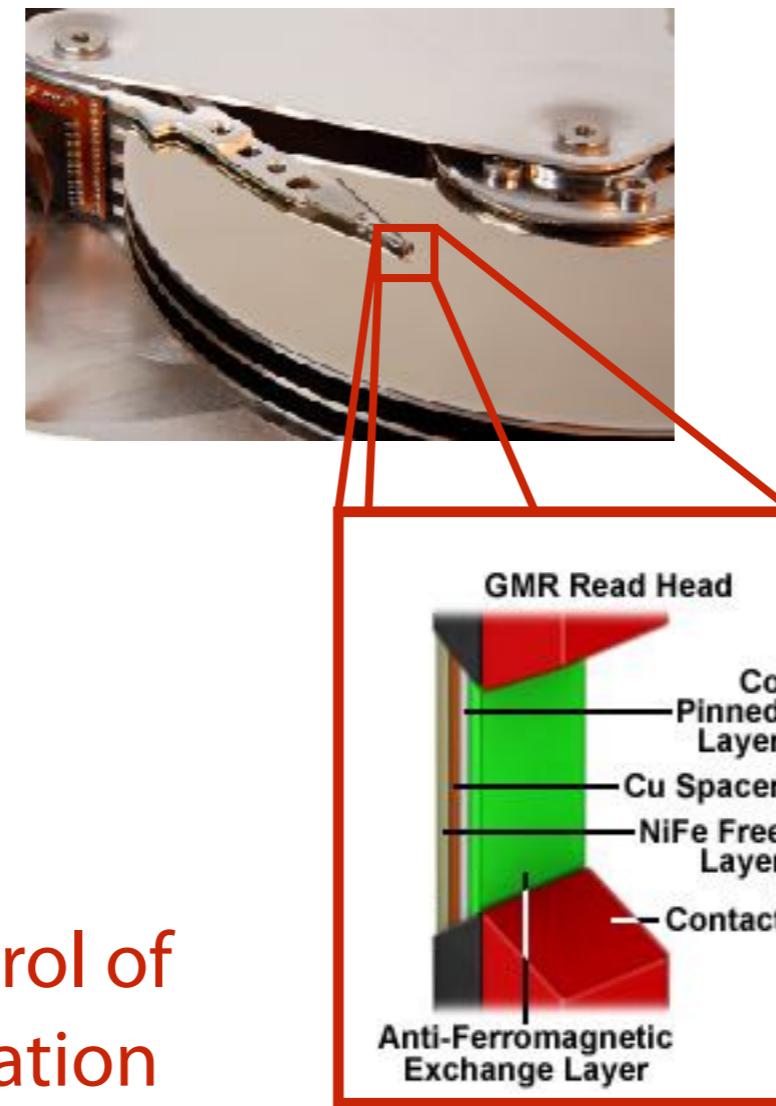
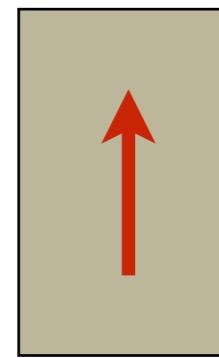
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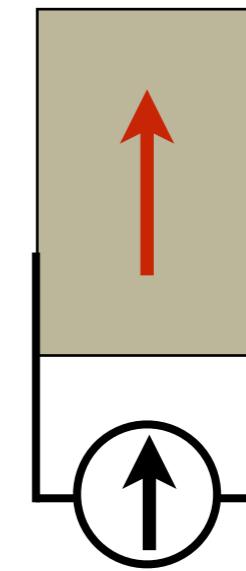
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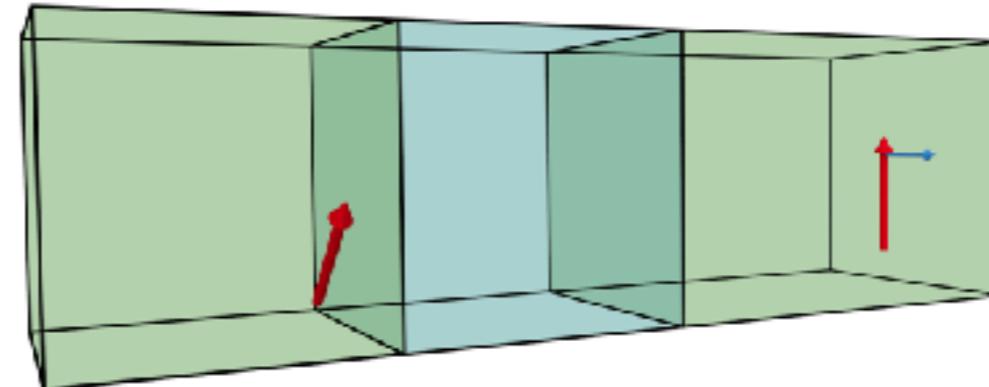
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Electrical detection of
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(reading)



Spin-transfer-torque is a possible candidate



proposed by Slonczewski, Berger 1996



<http://www.mram-info.com/>

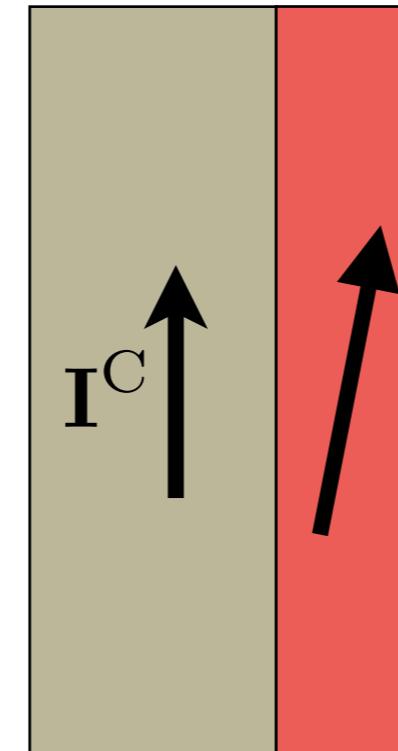
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Researchers celebrate 20th anniversary of IBM's invention of Spin Torque MRAM by demonstrating scalability for the next decade

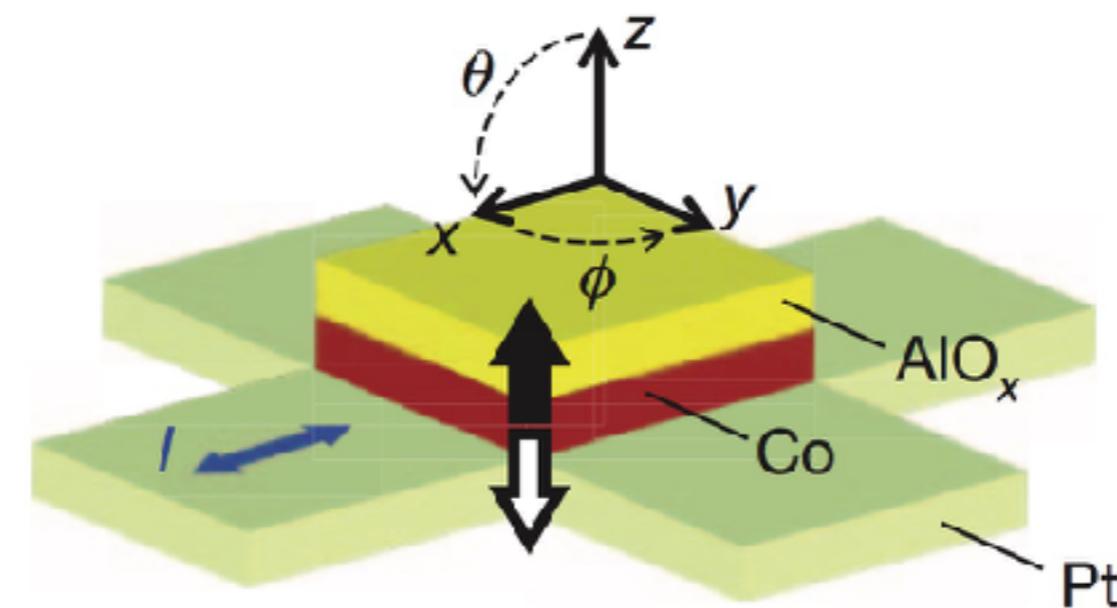
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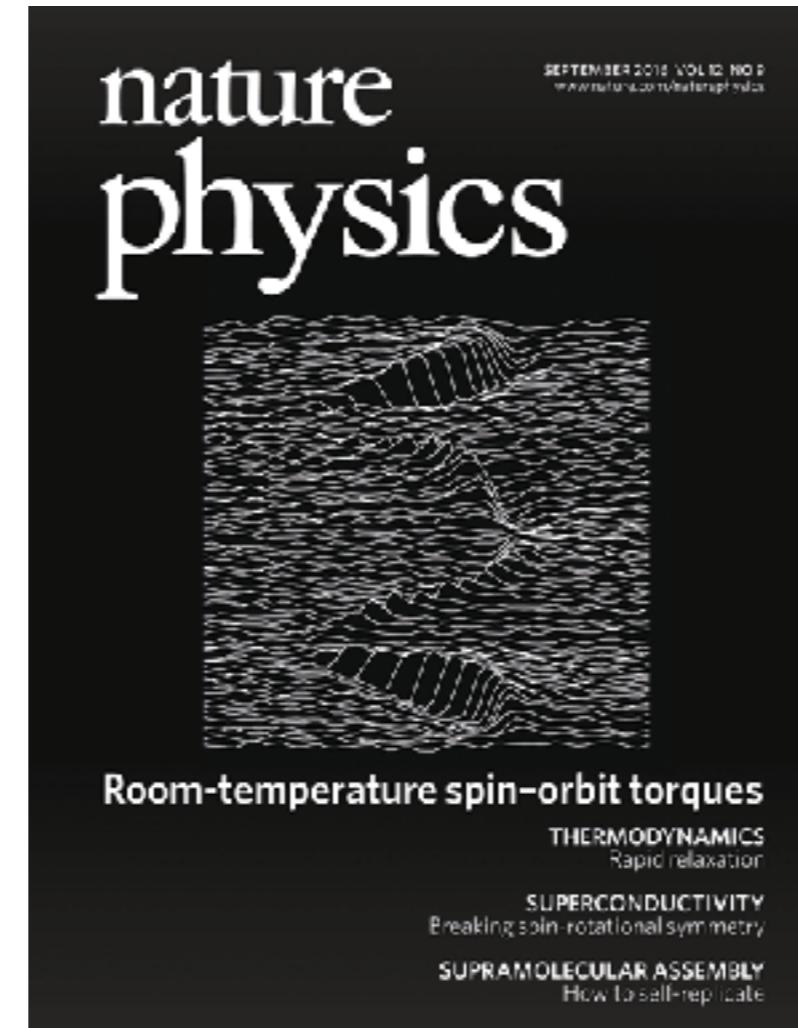
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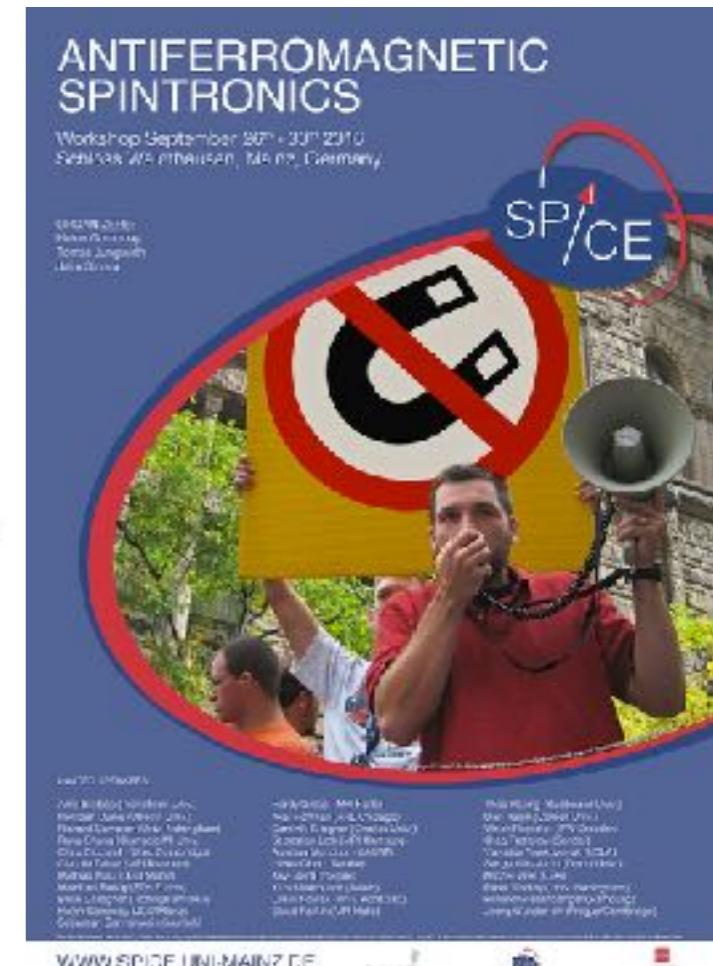
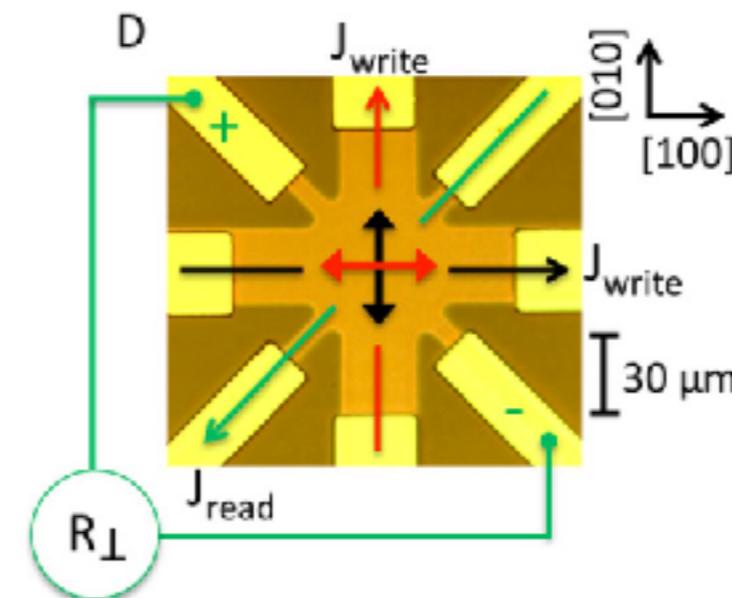
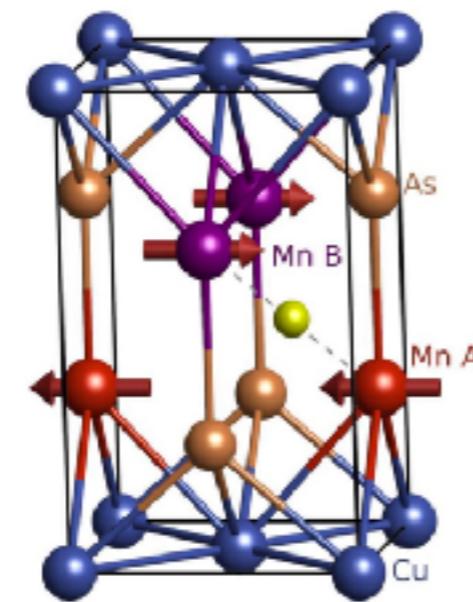
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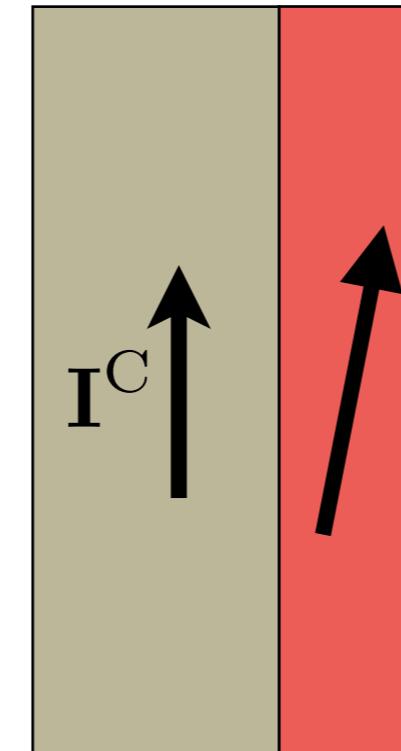
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Outlook

Introduction

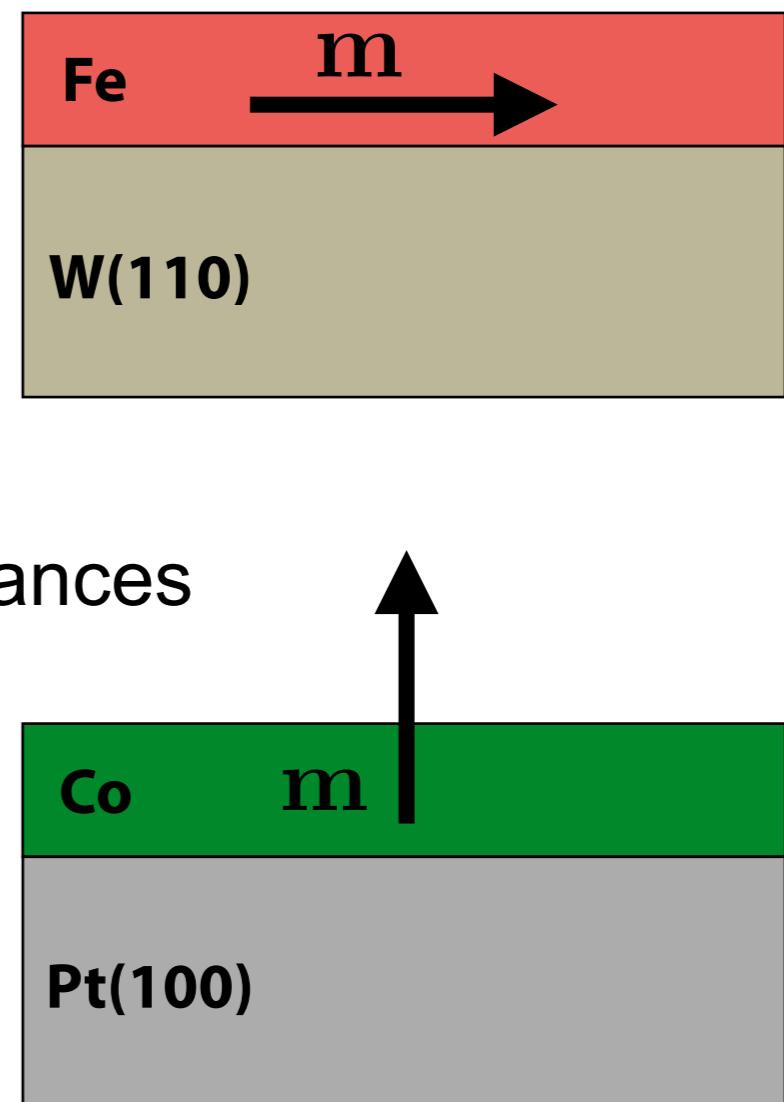
Theoretical framework

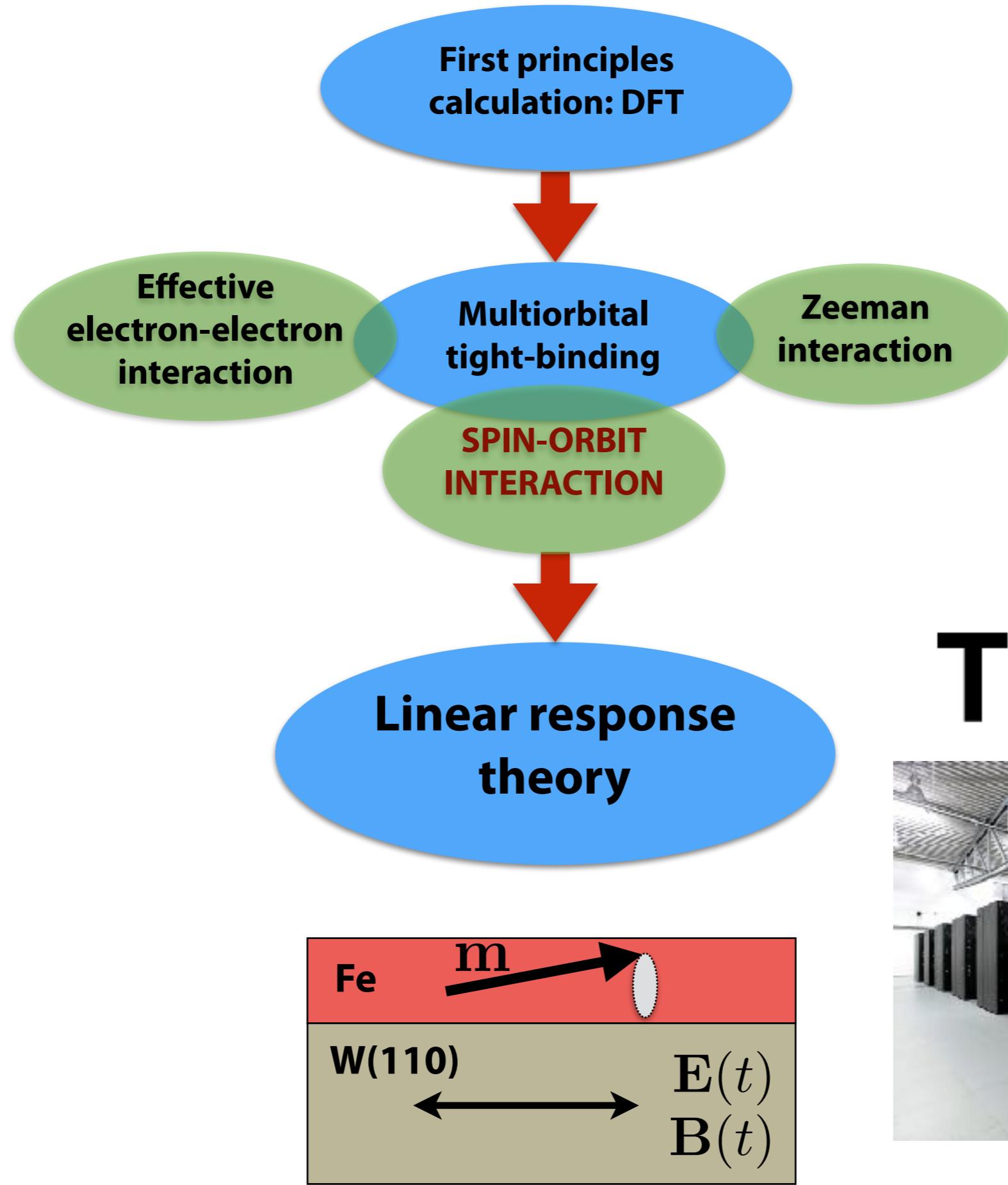
Results

- Spin-spin response functions
- Current-driven resonances
- *Dynamical* Hall effects and magnetoresistances

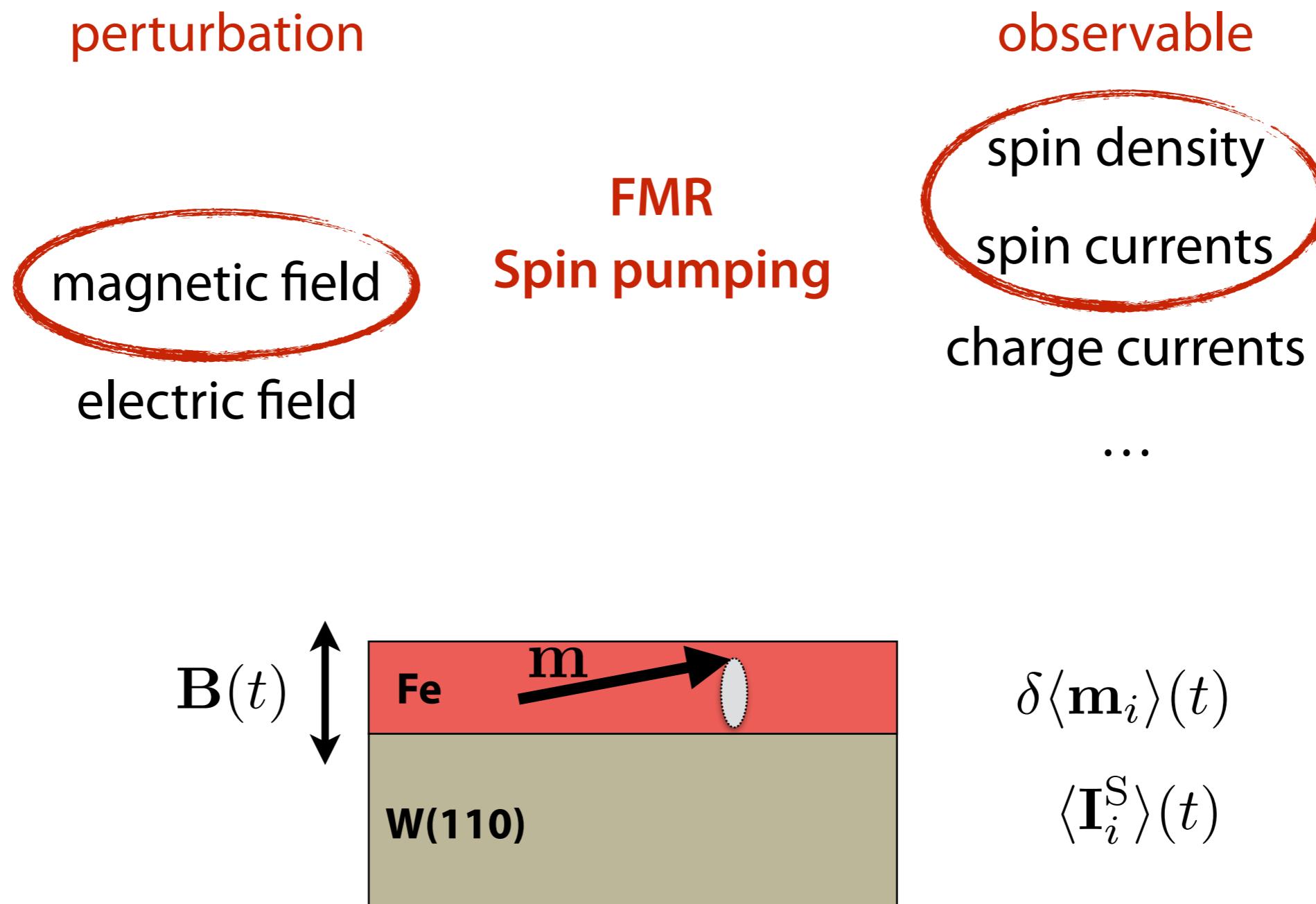
Perspectives

Conclusions

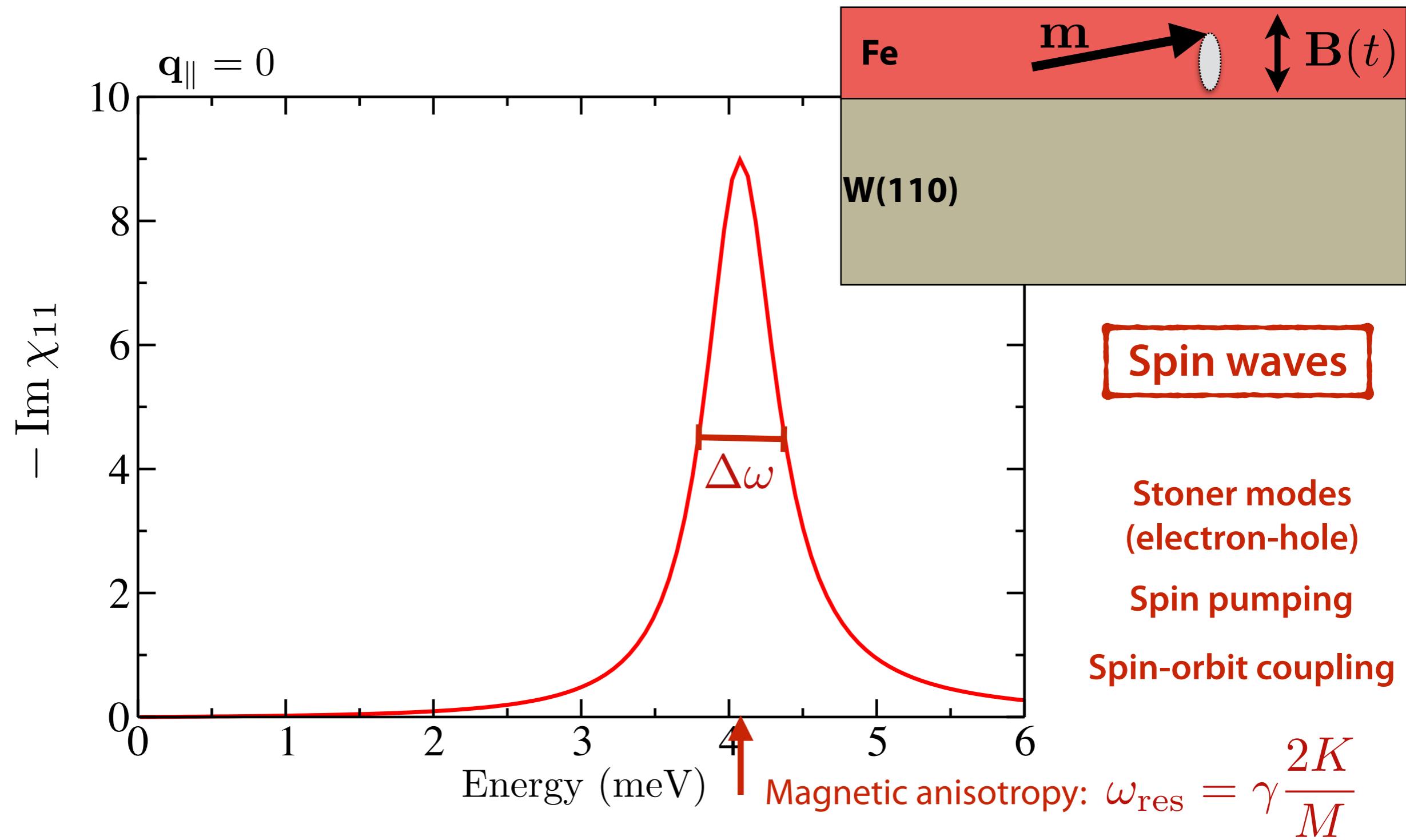




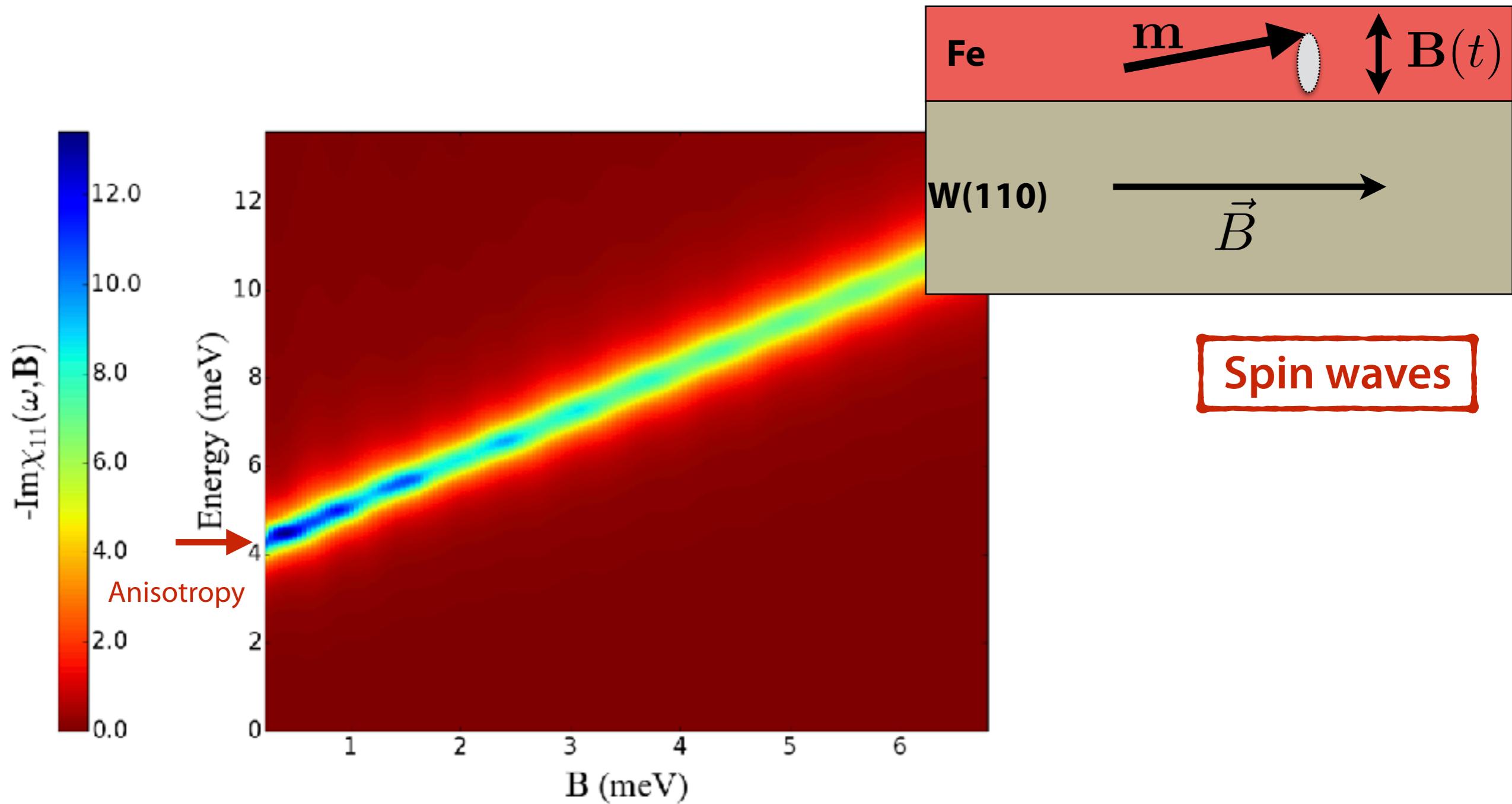
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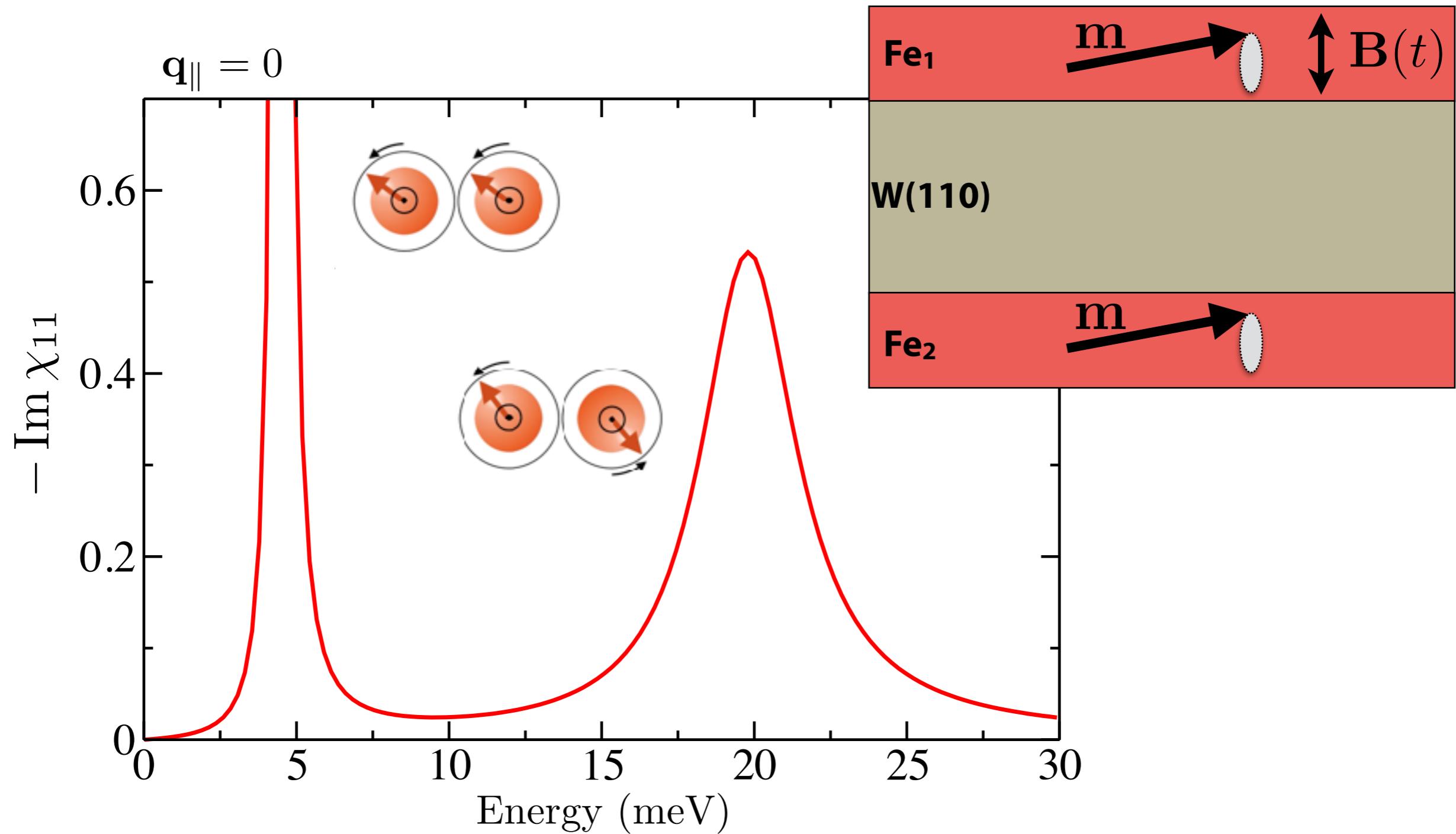
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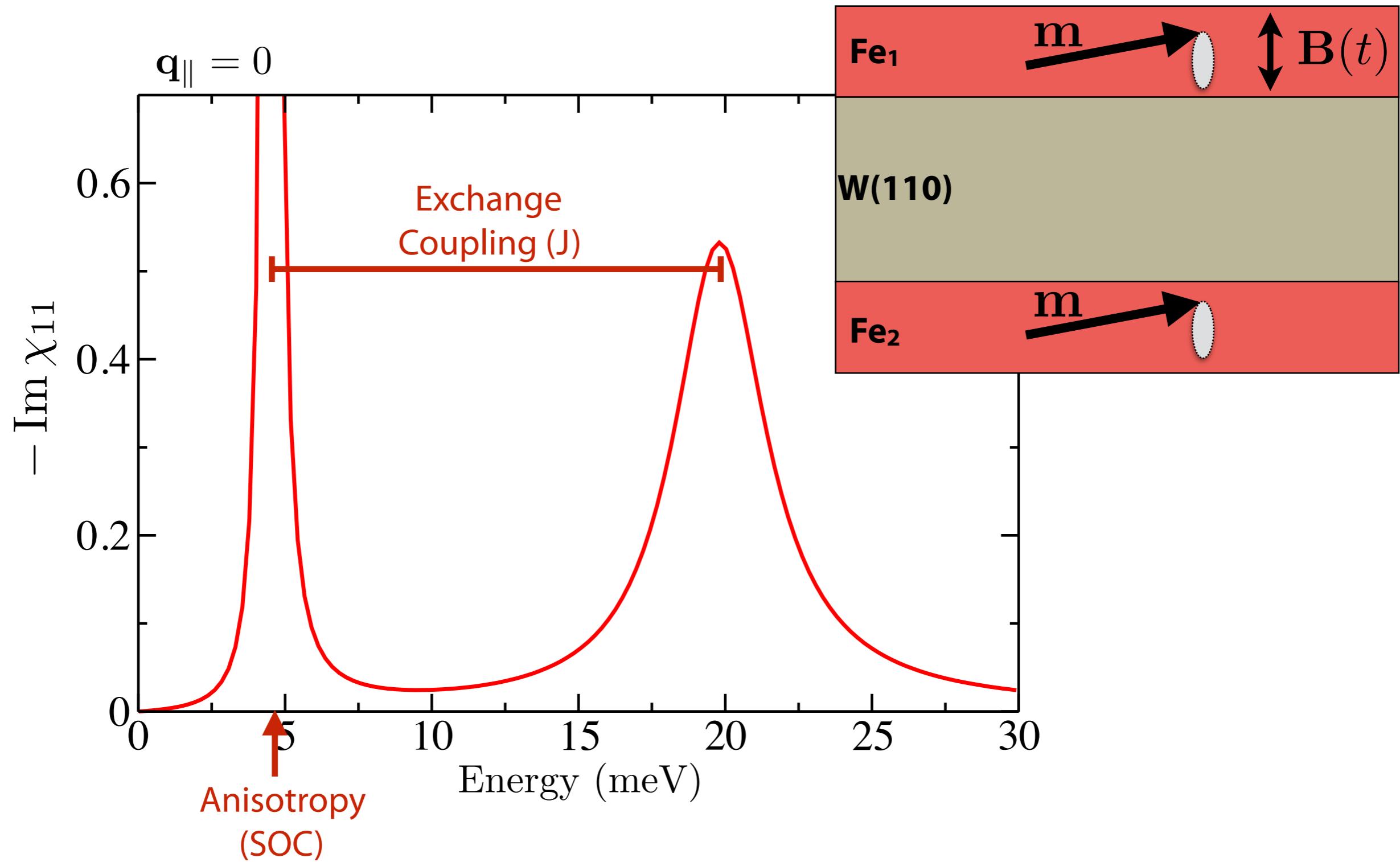
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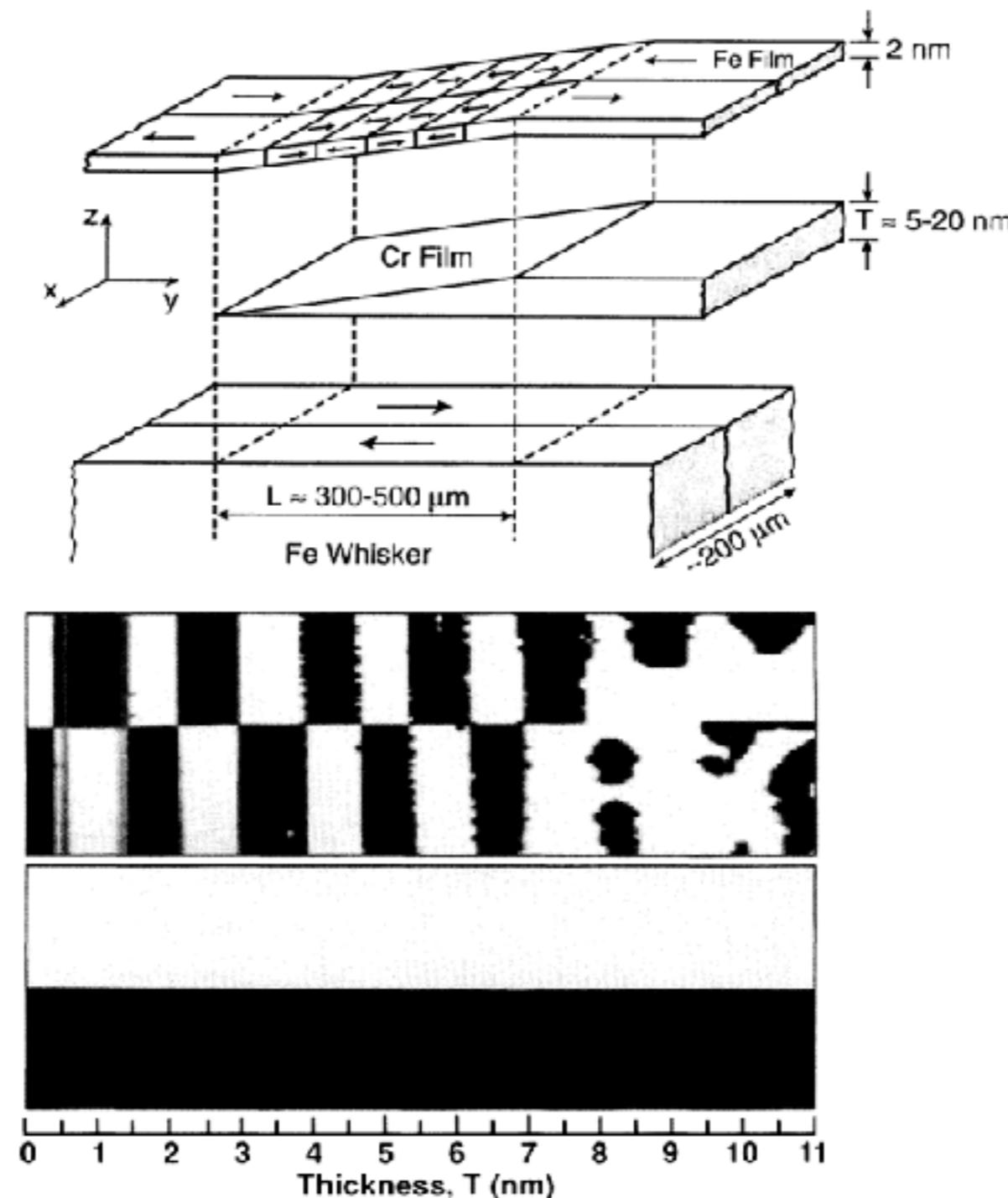
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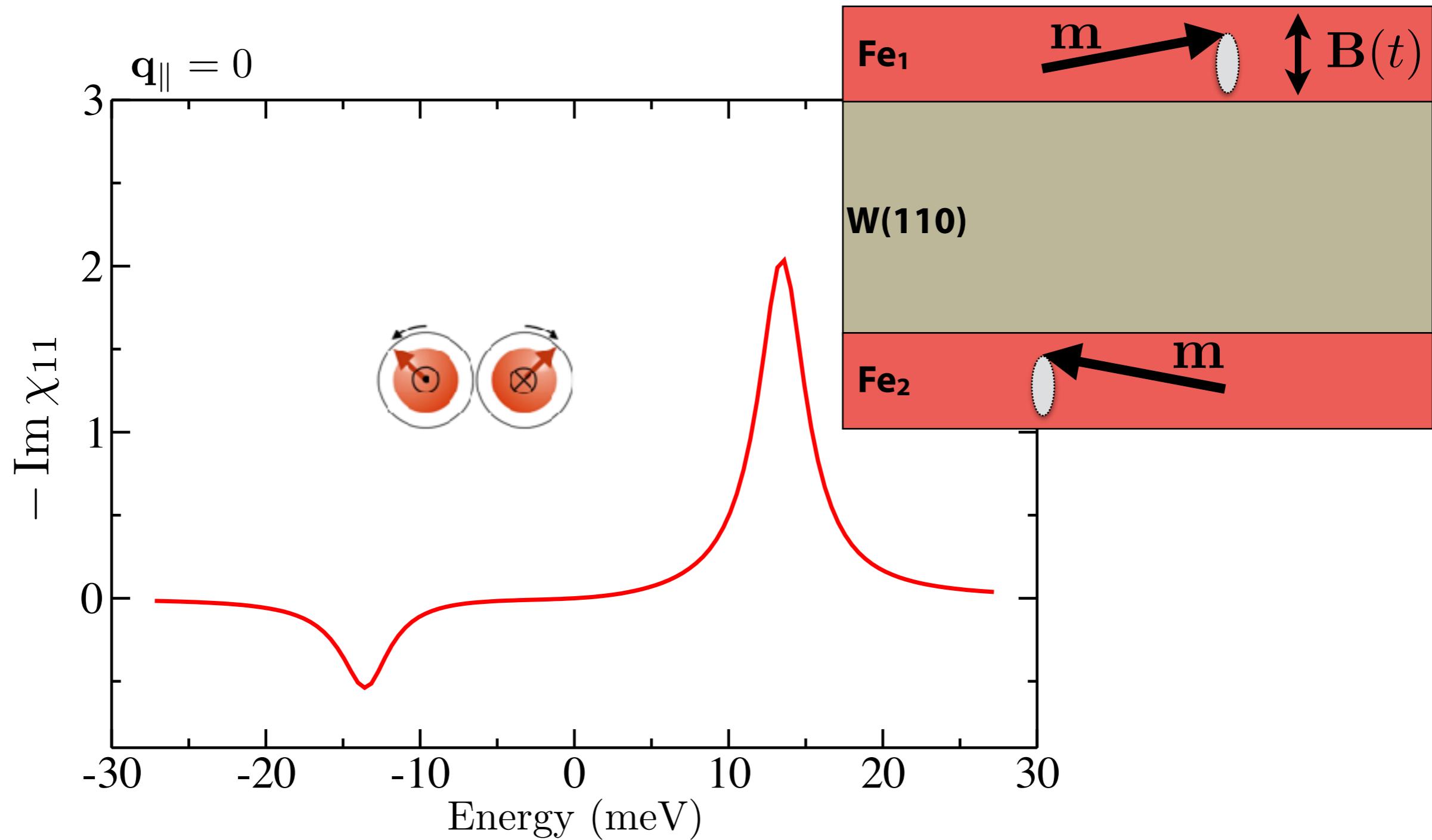


Oscillatory interlayer coupling may be used to design synthetic antiferromagnets

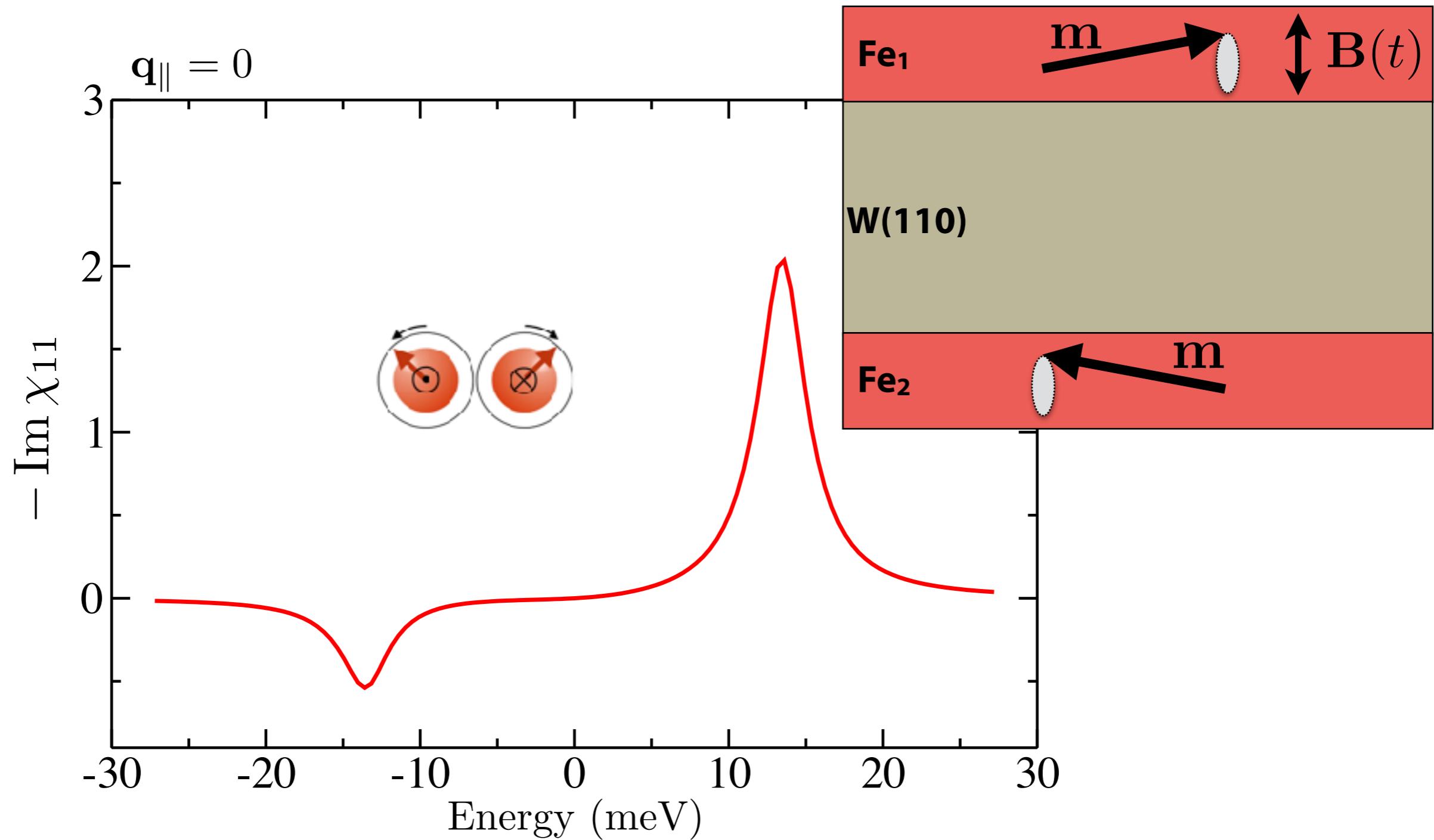


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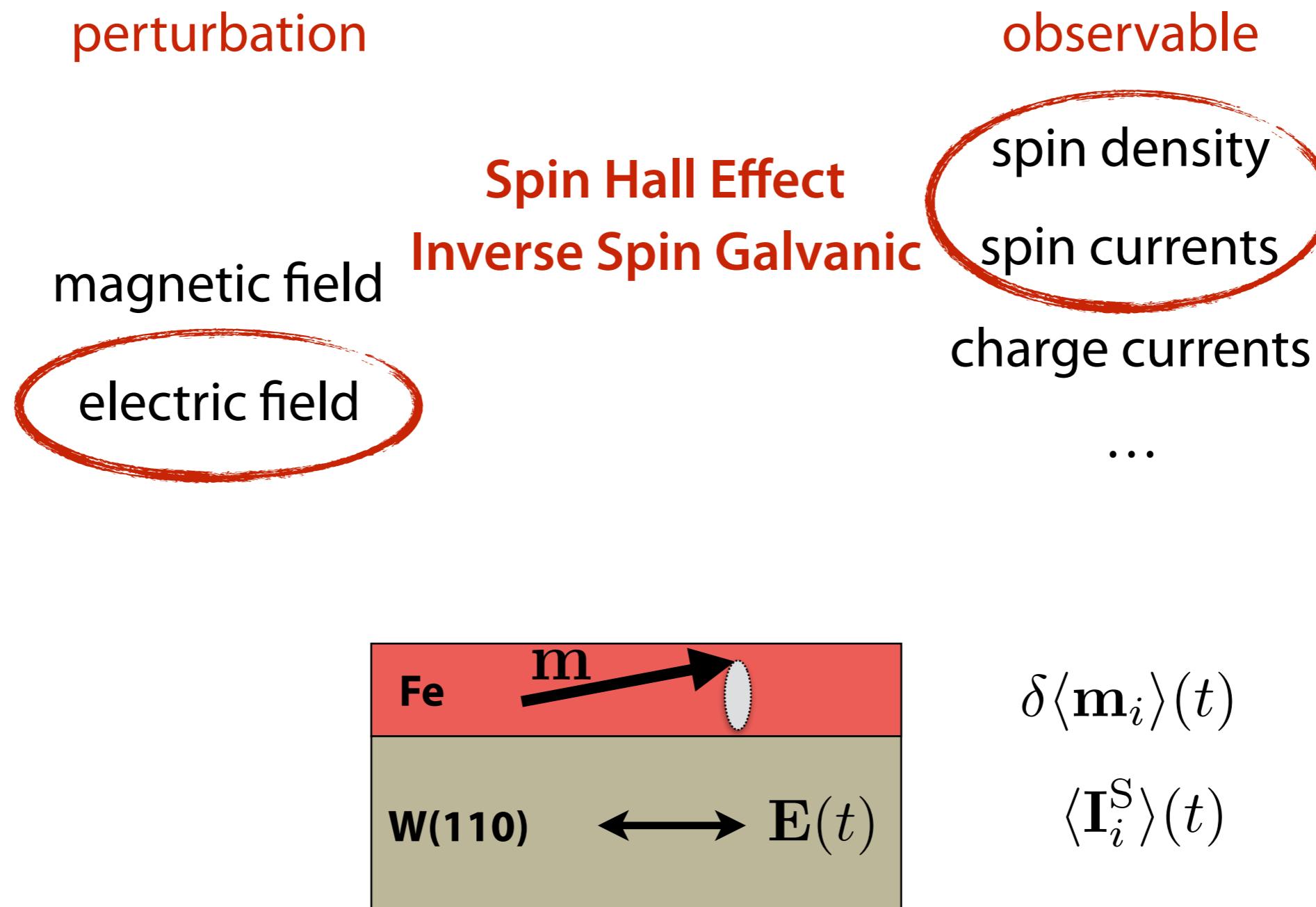
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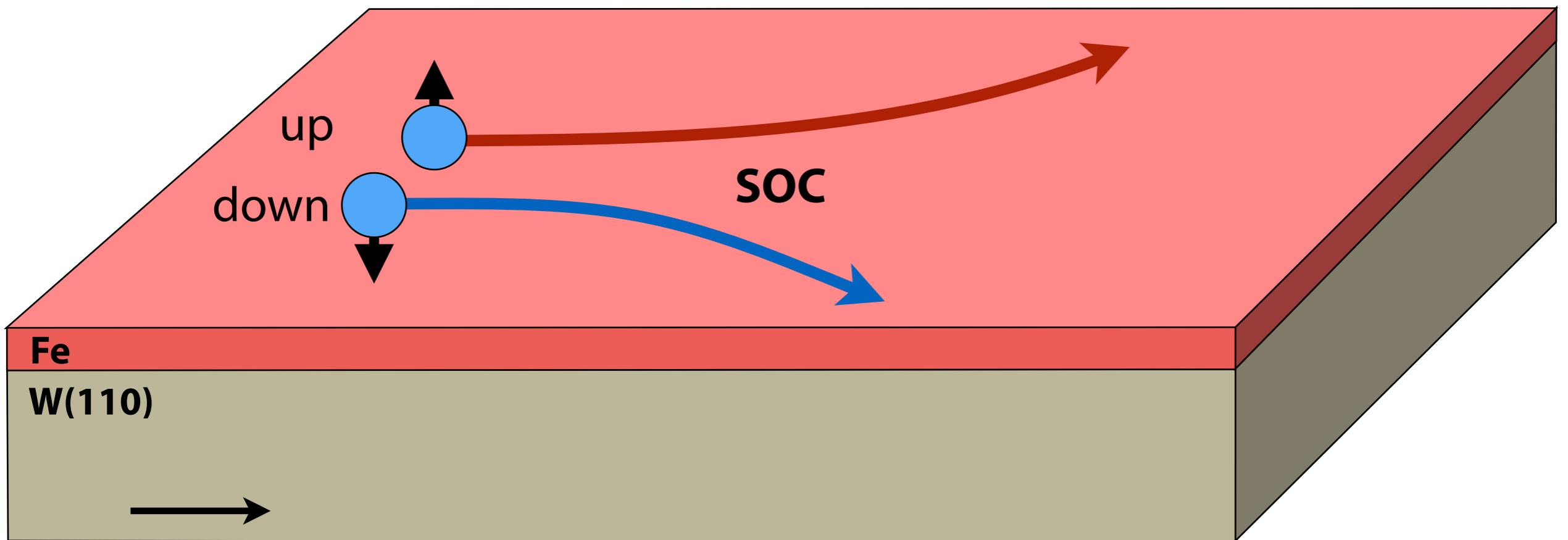
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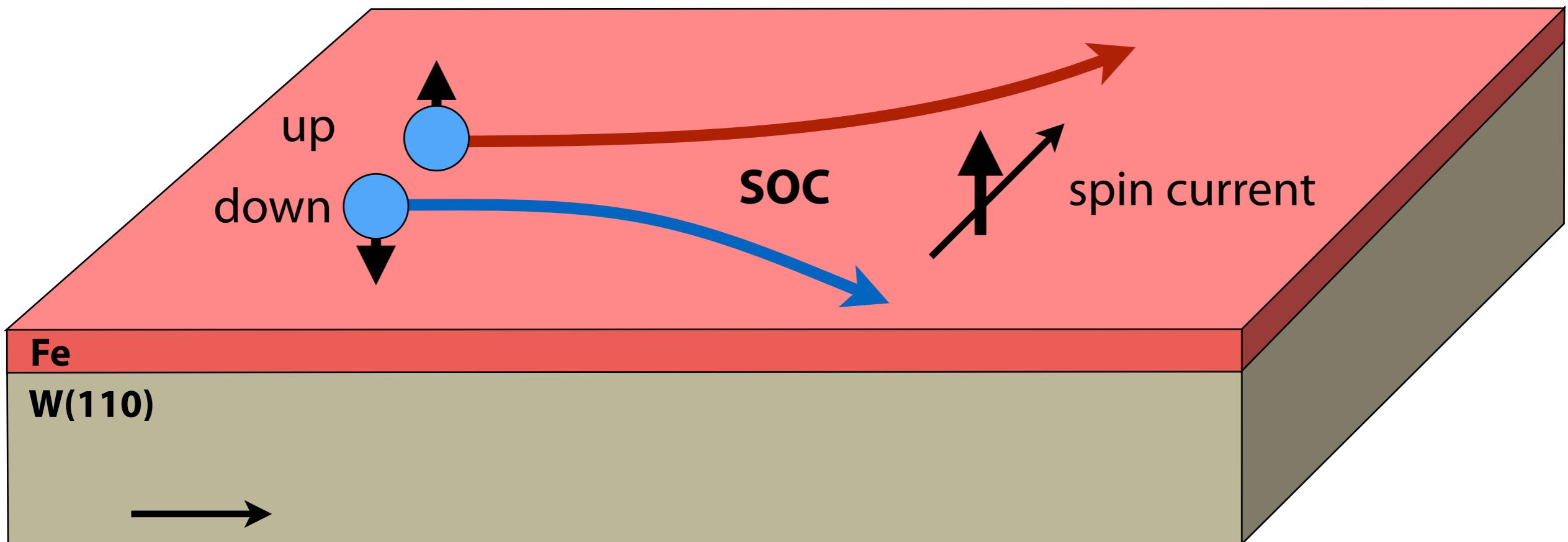


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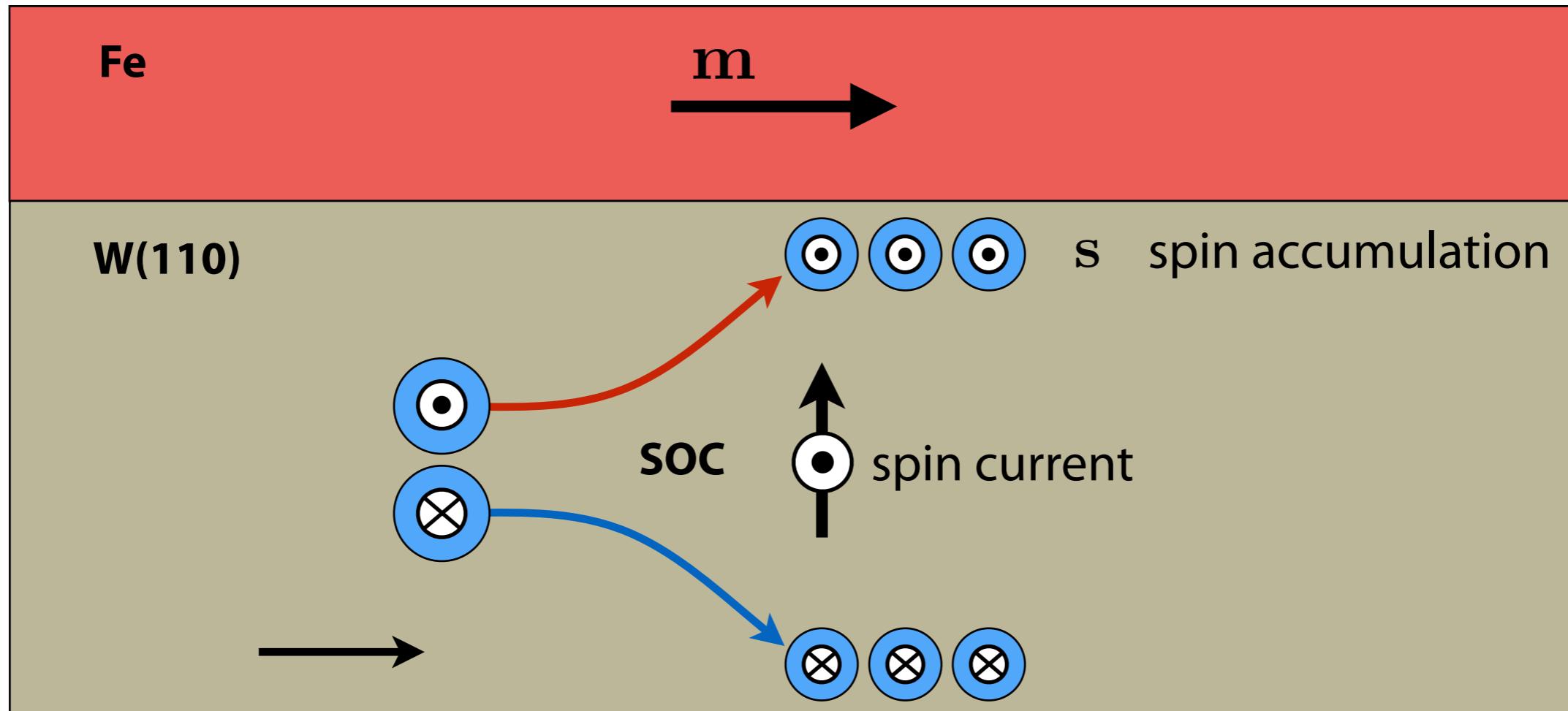
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Spin Hall Effect

$$\text{Spin Hall angle: } \theta_{\text{SH}} \propto \frac{I_{\perp}^S}{I_{\parallel}^C}$$

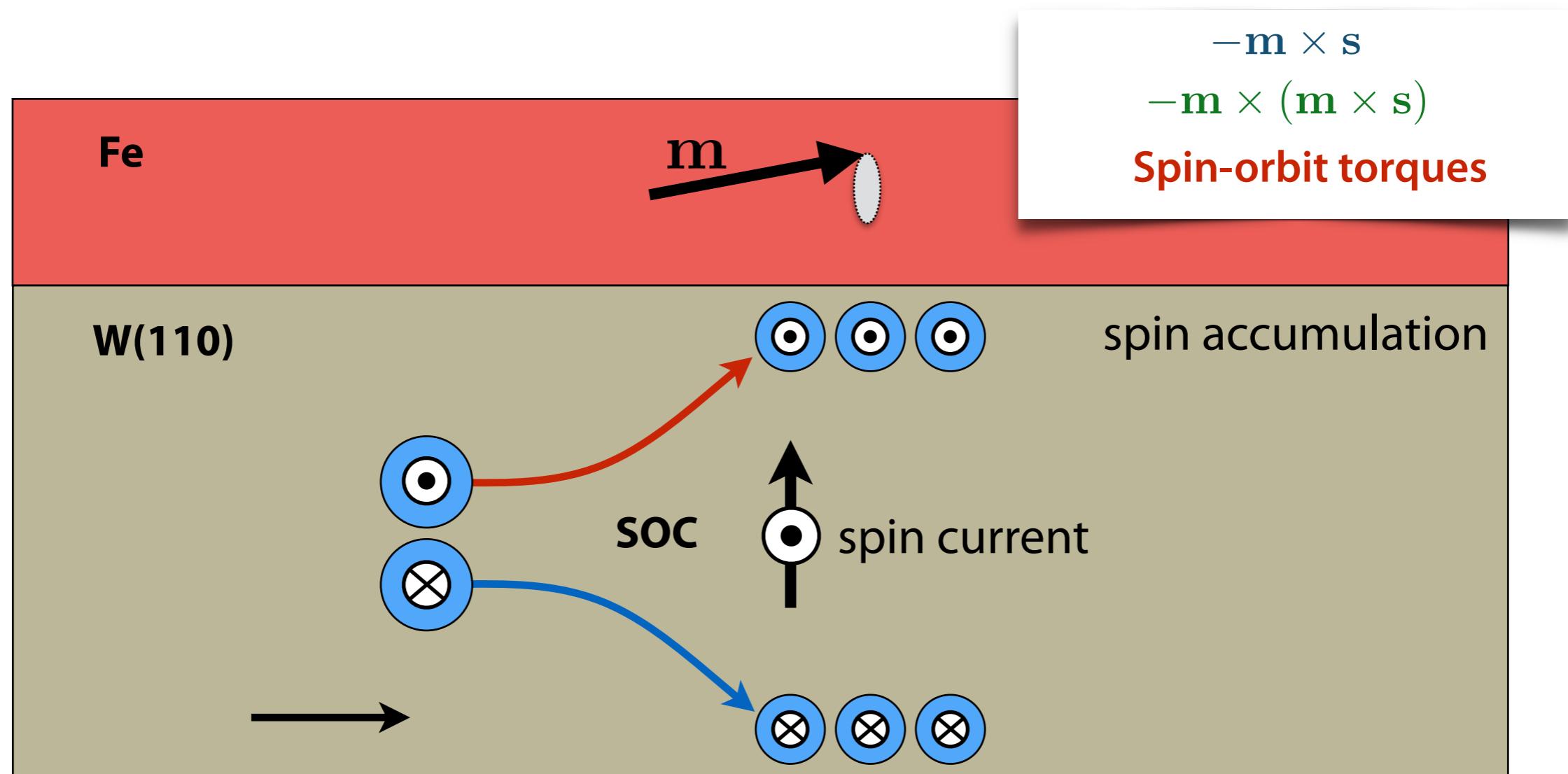


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Spin Hall Effect

Inverse Spin Galvanic Effect

Spin dependent scattering



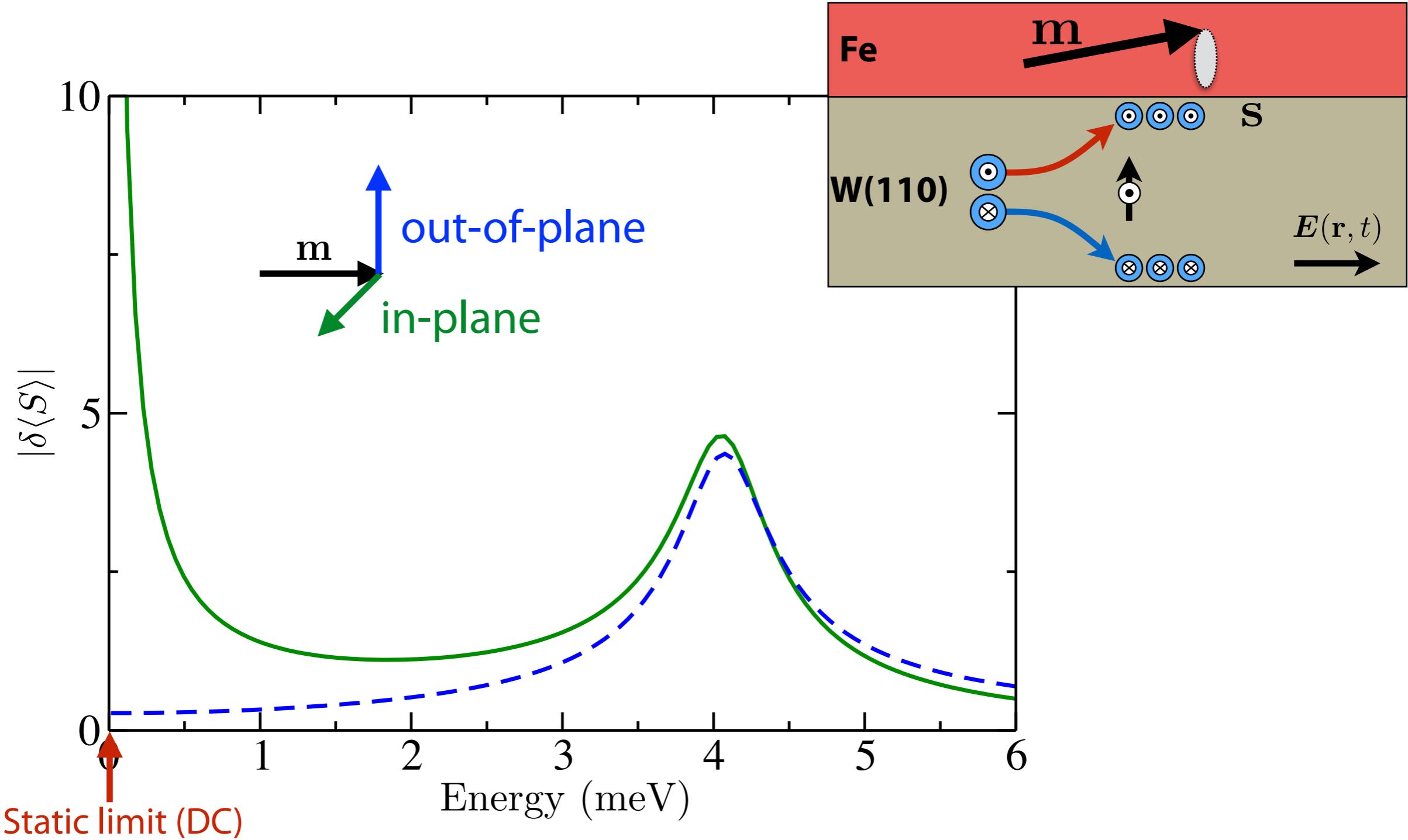
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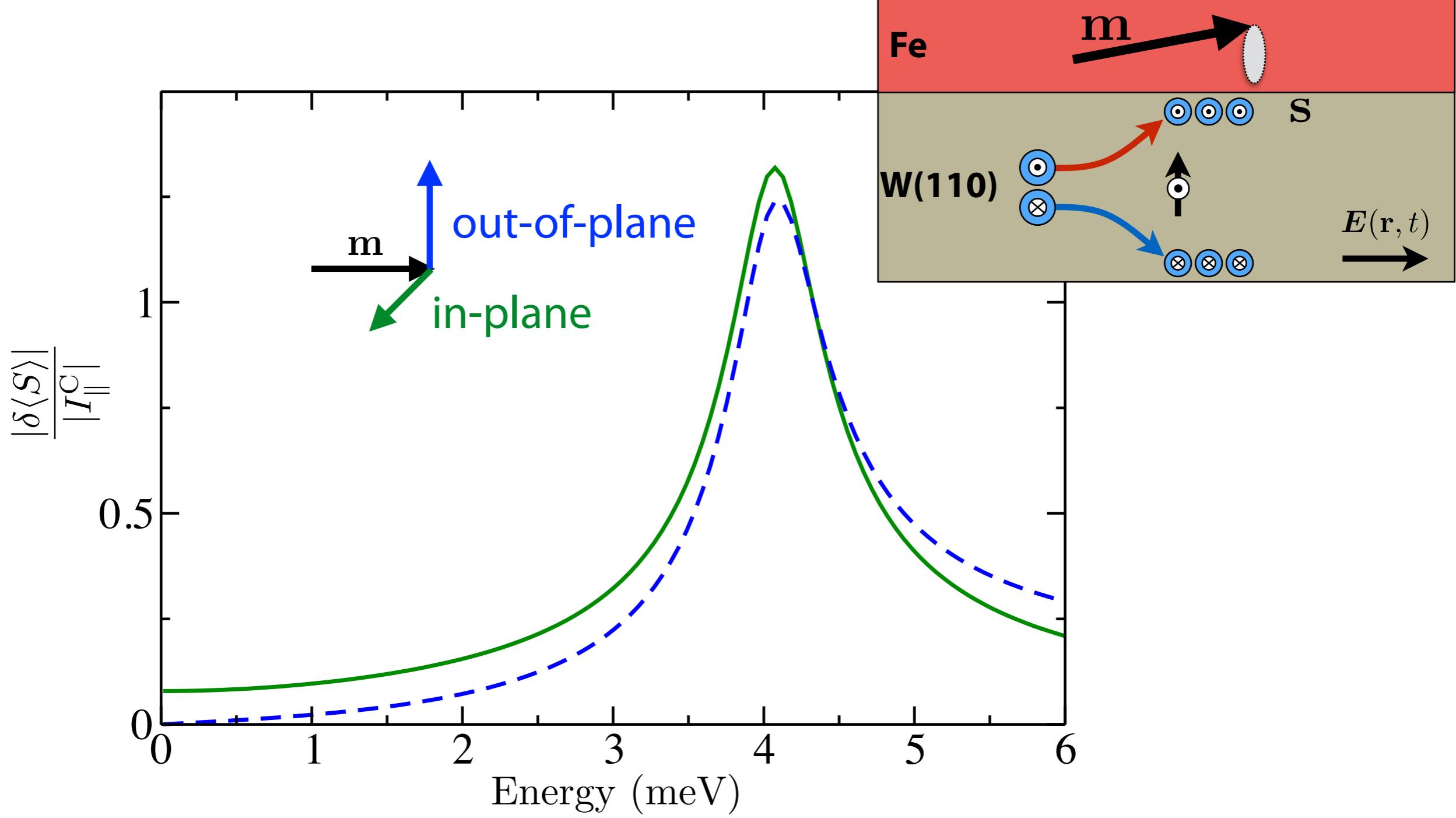
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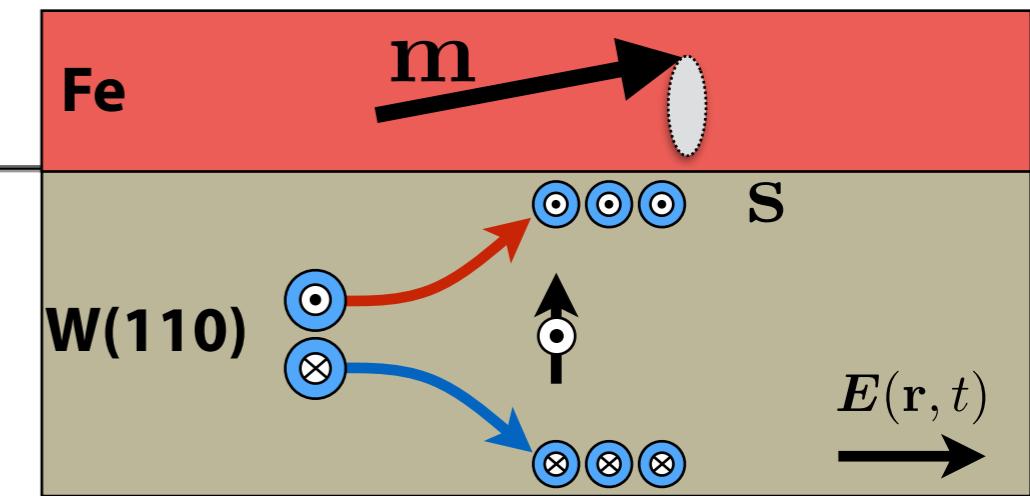
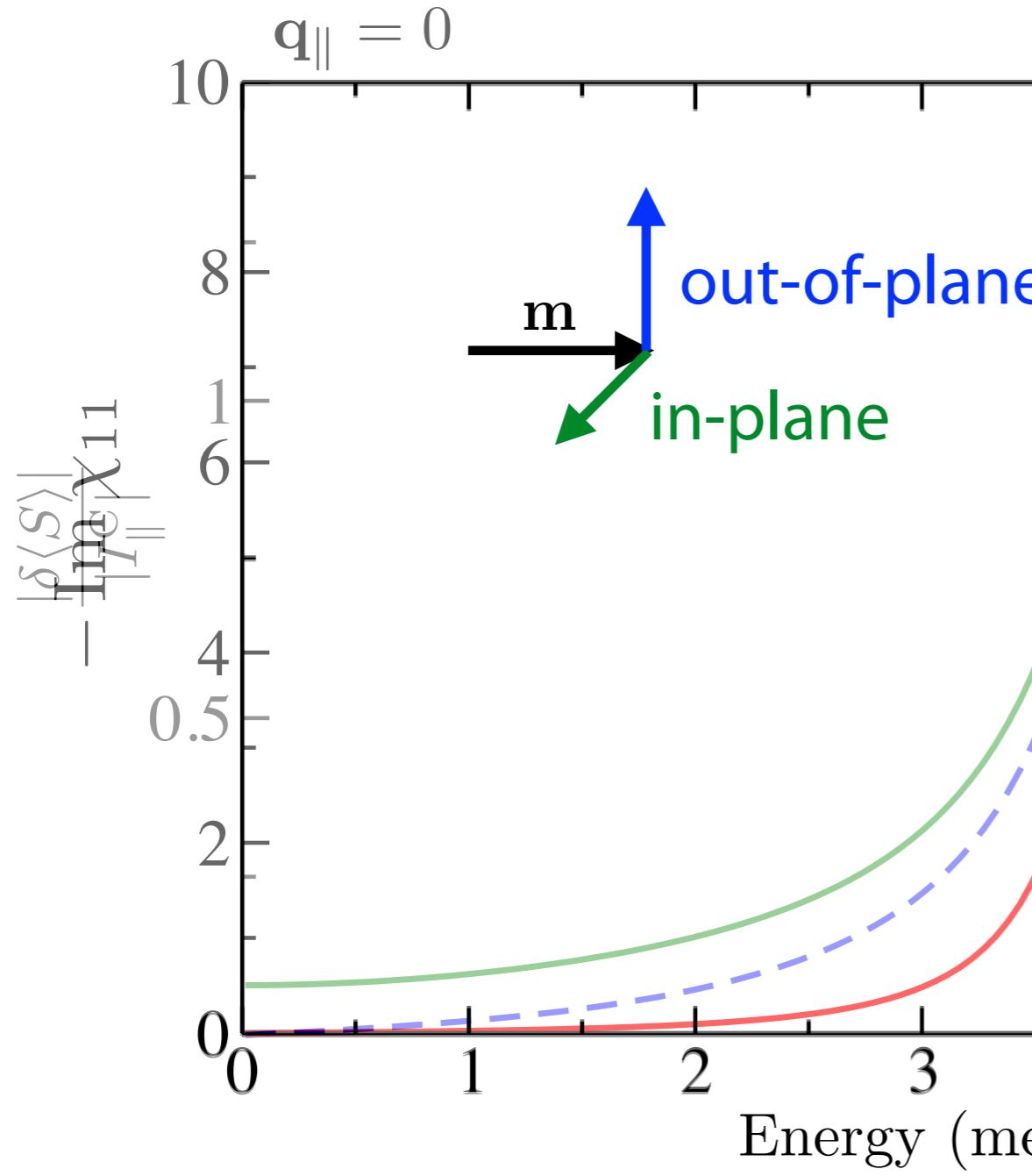
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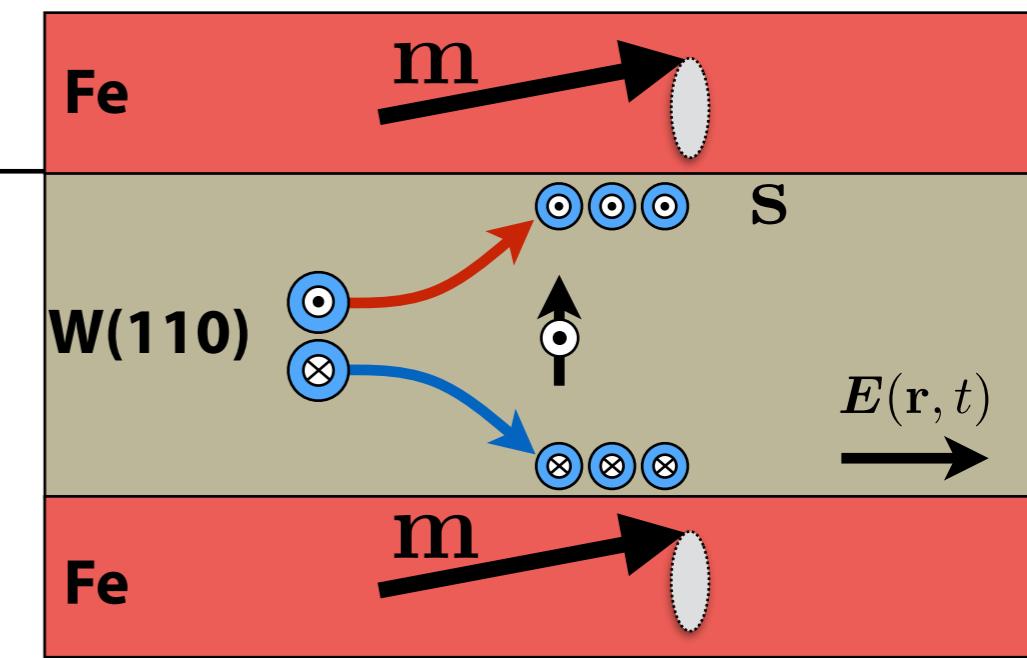
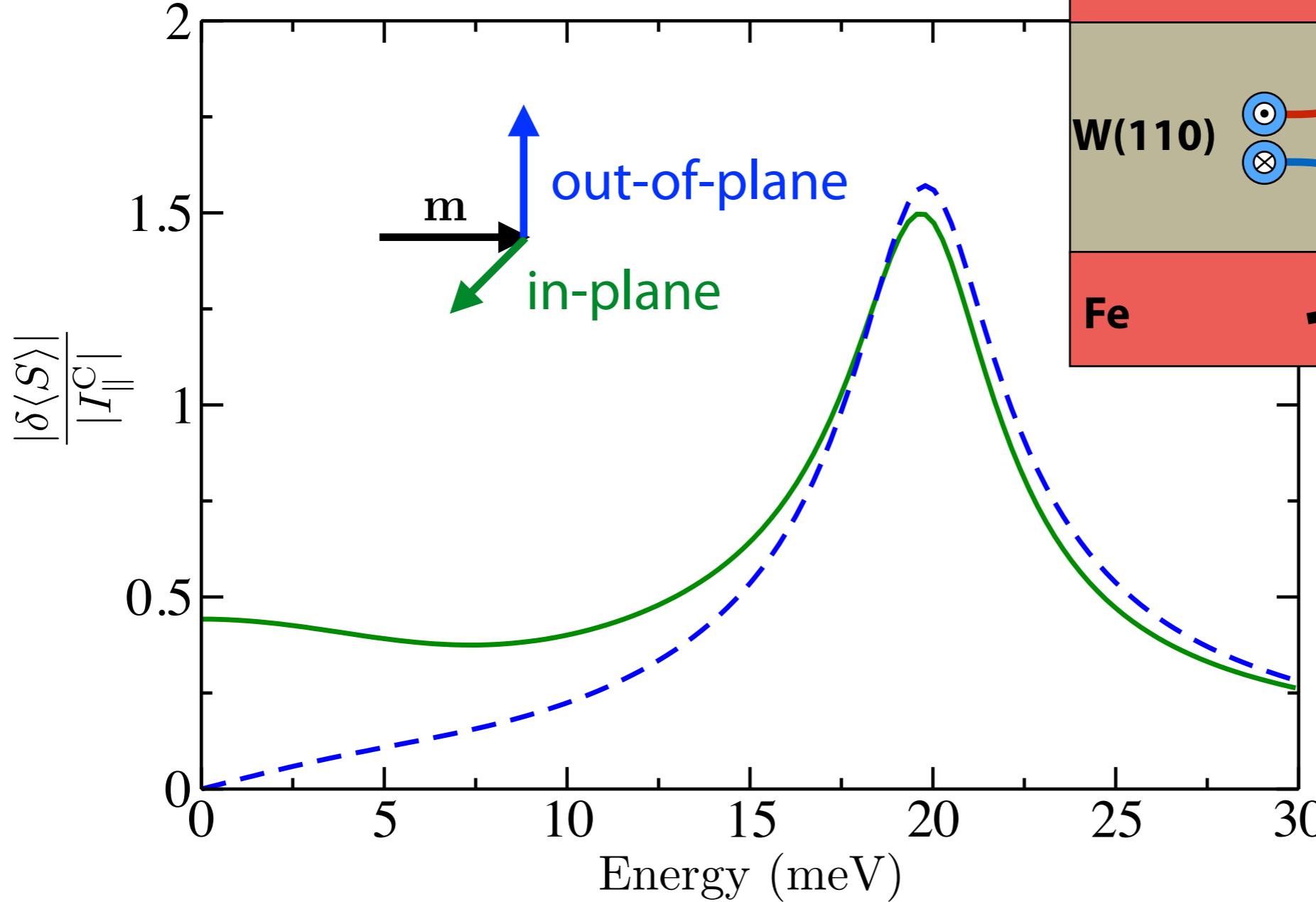
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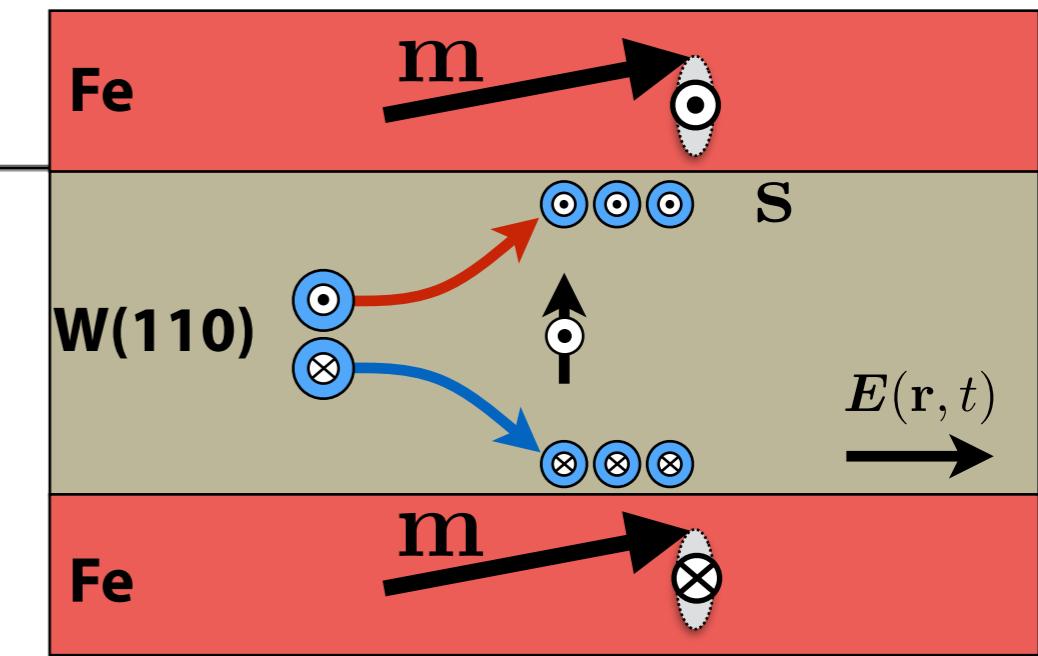
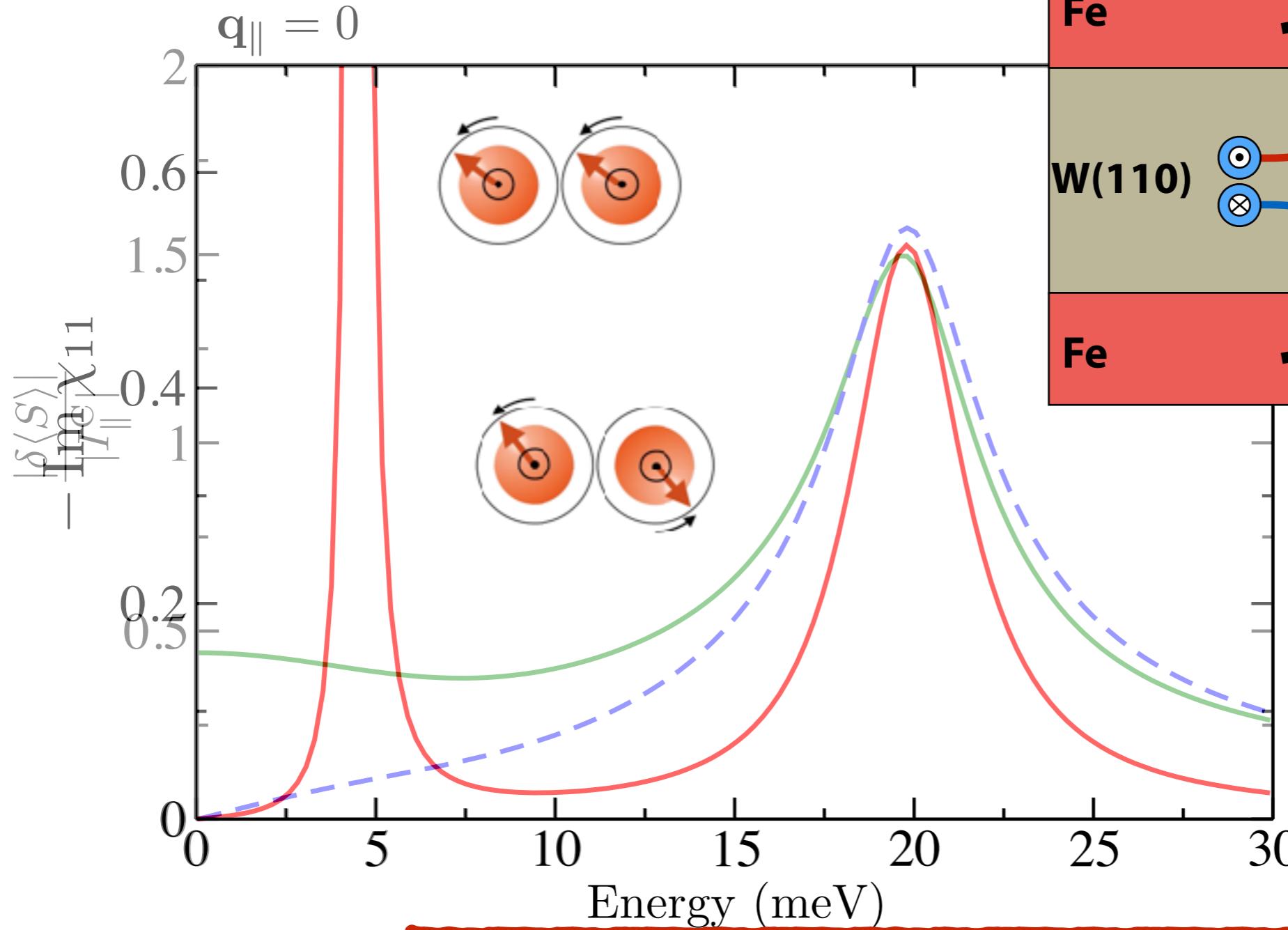
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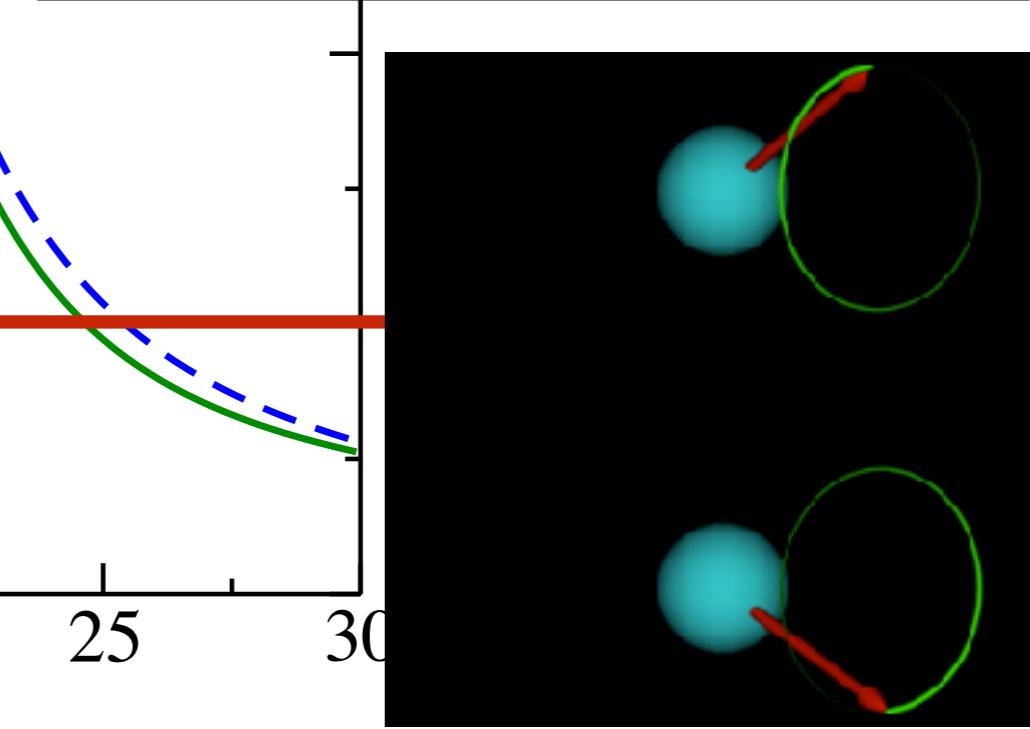
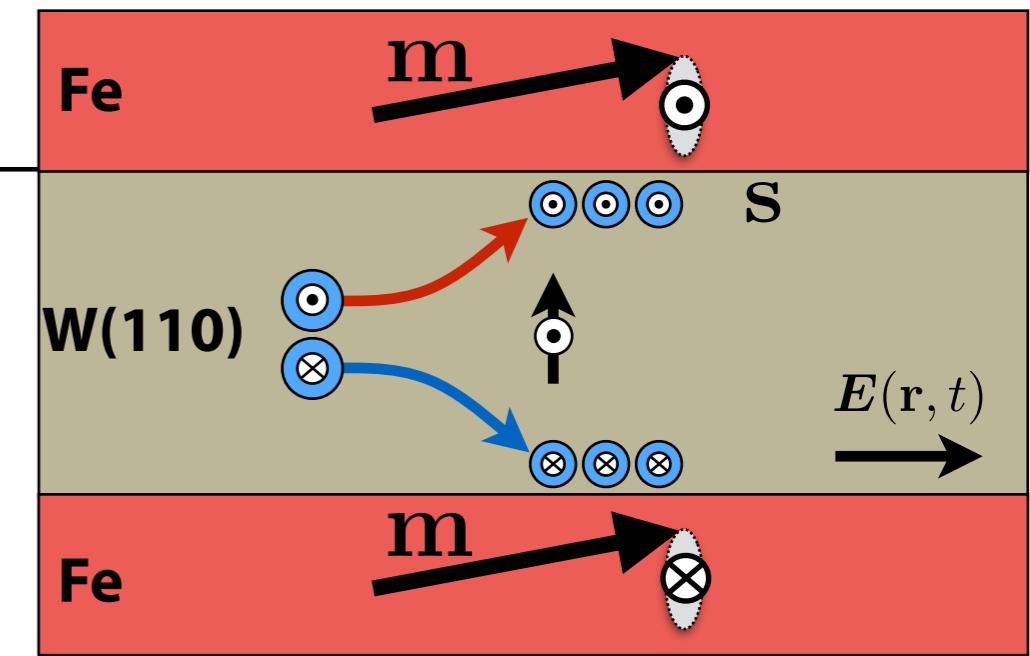
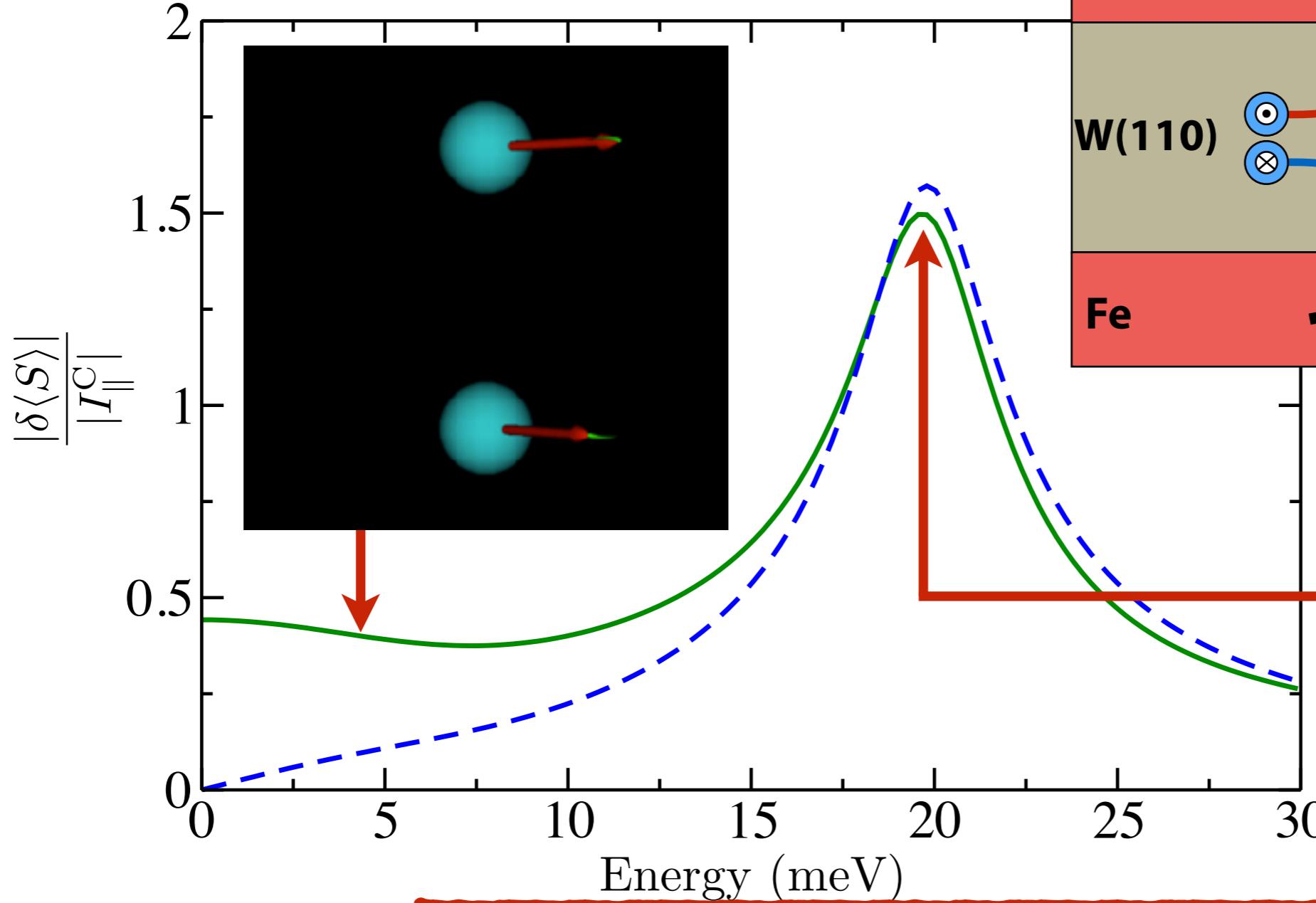


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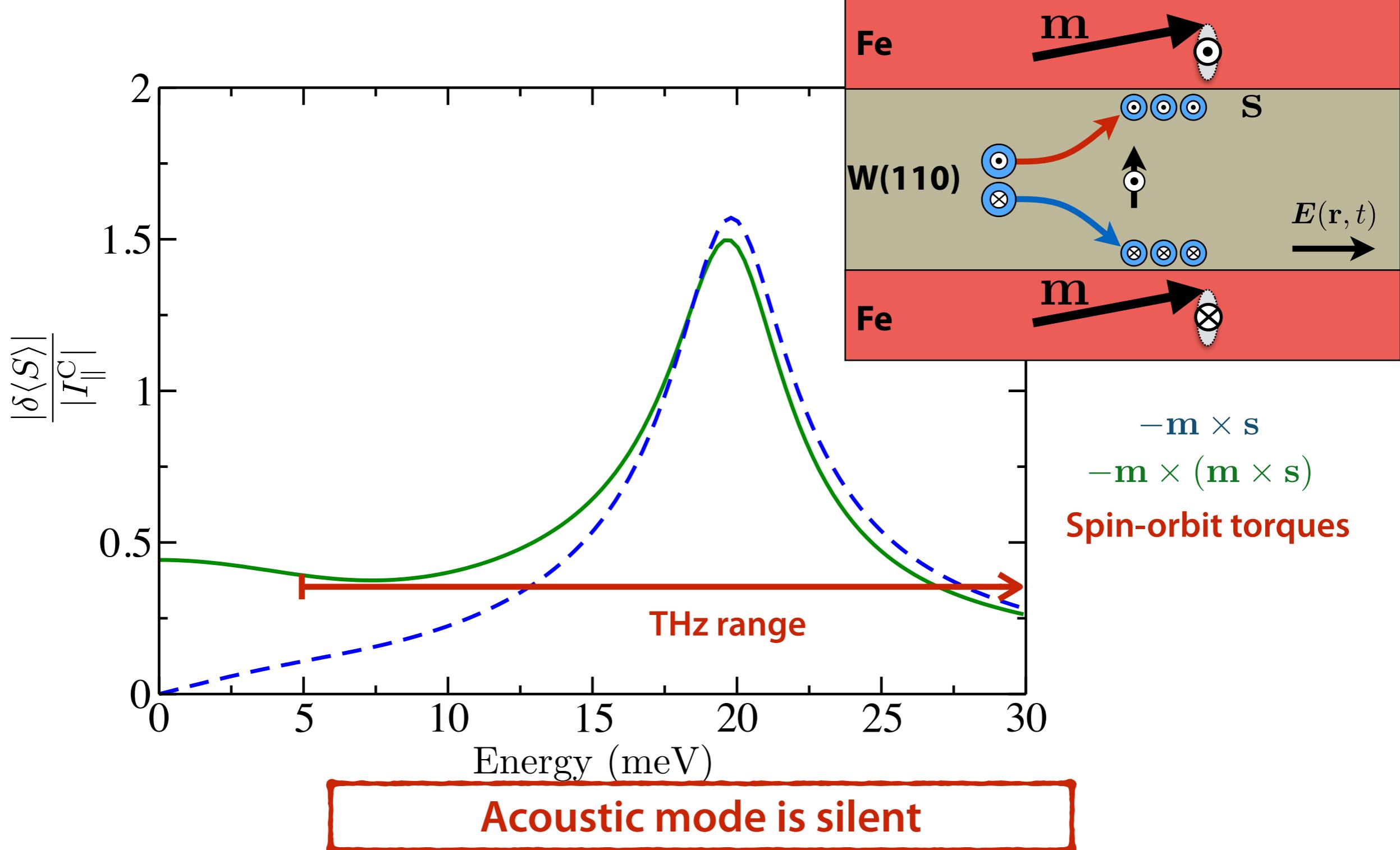
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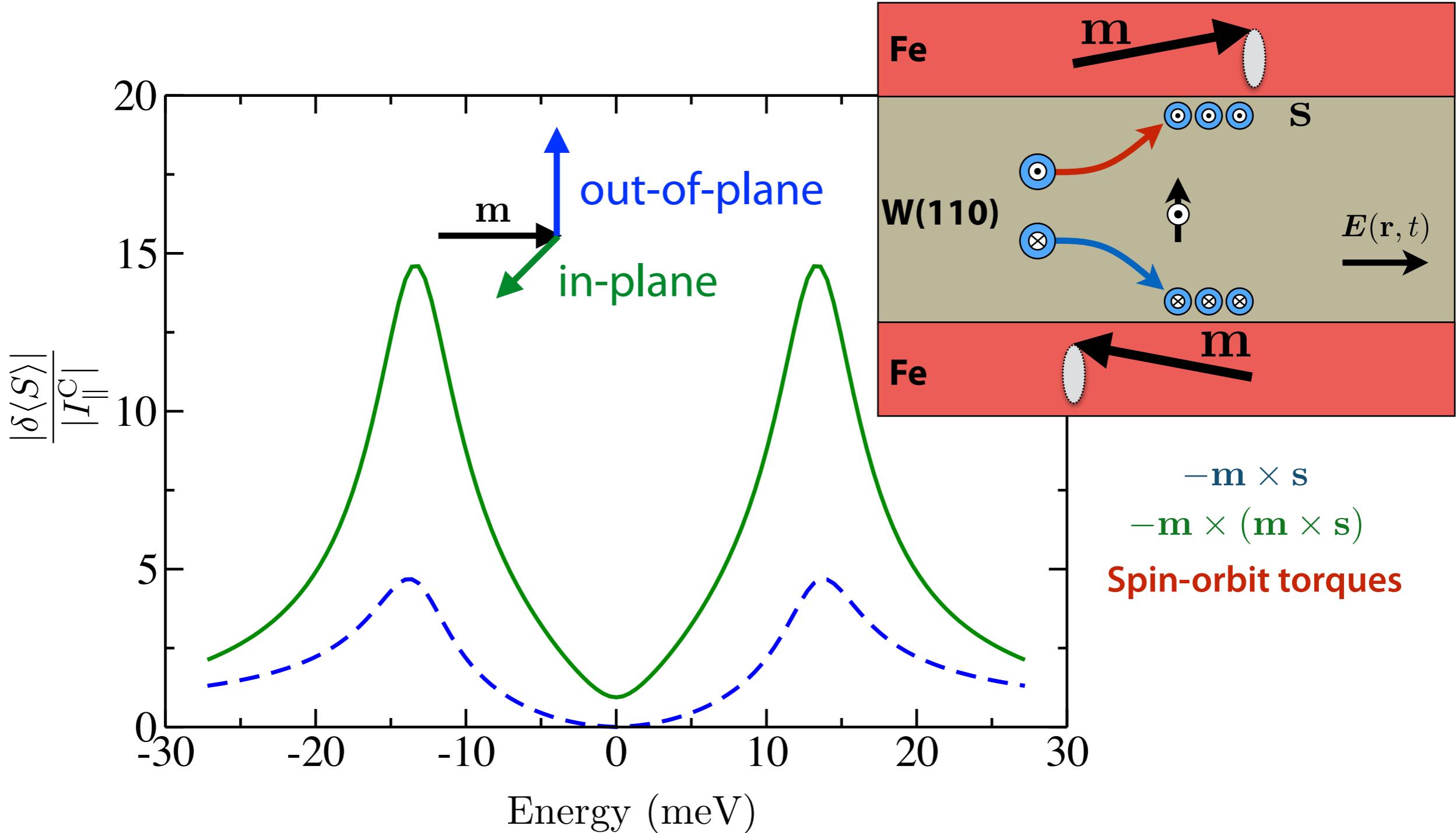


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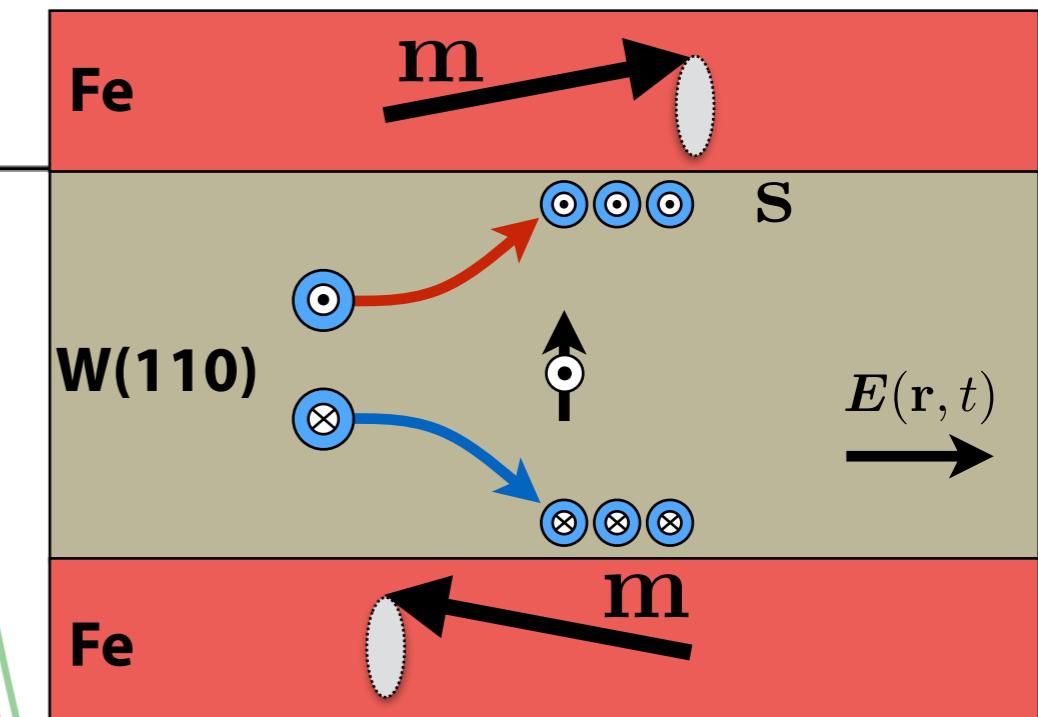
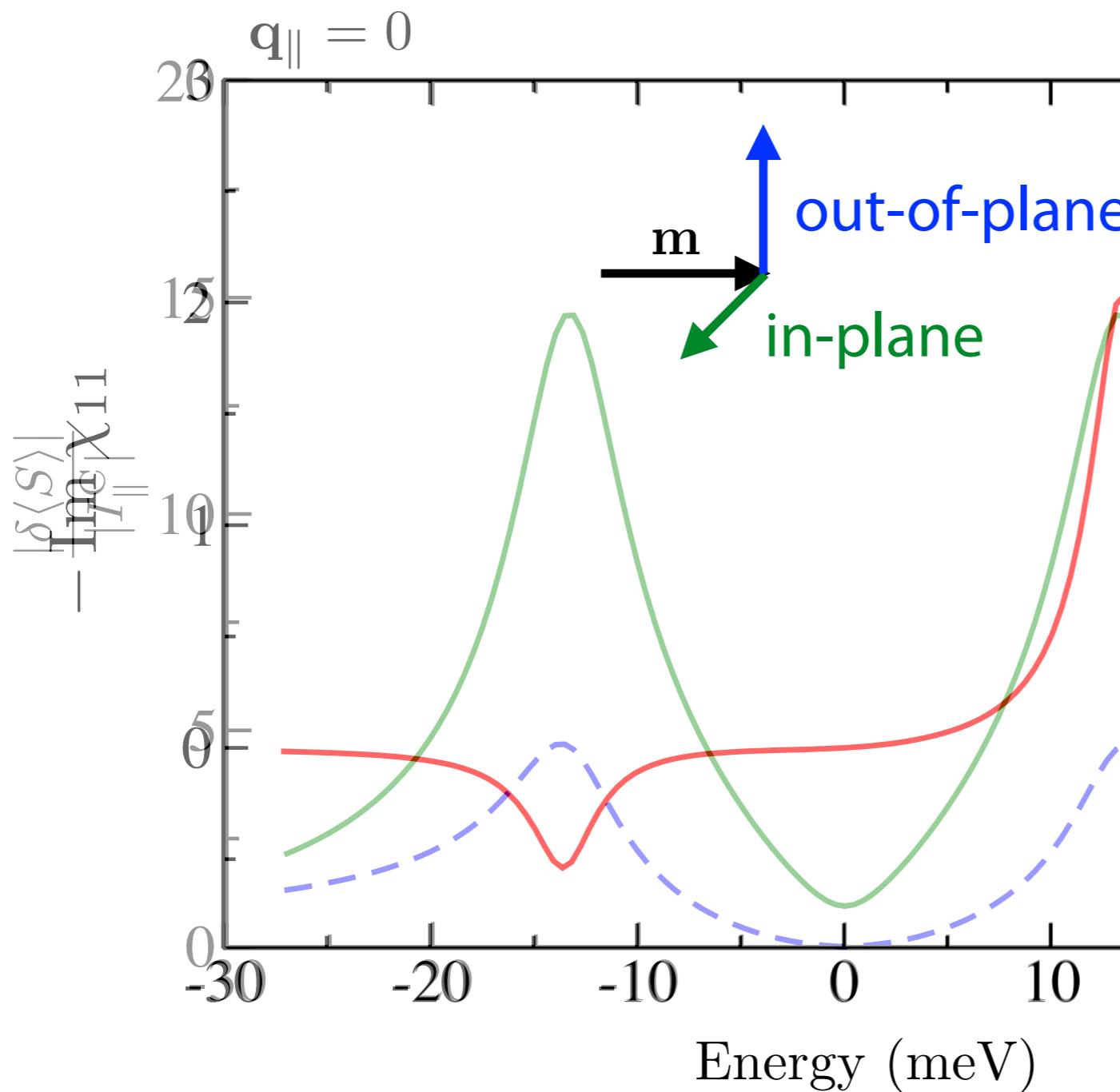
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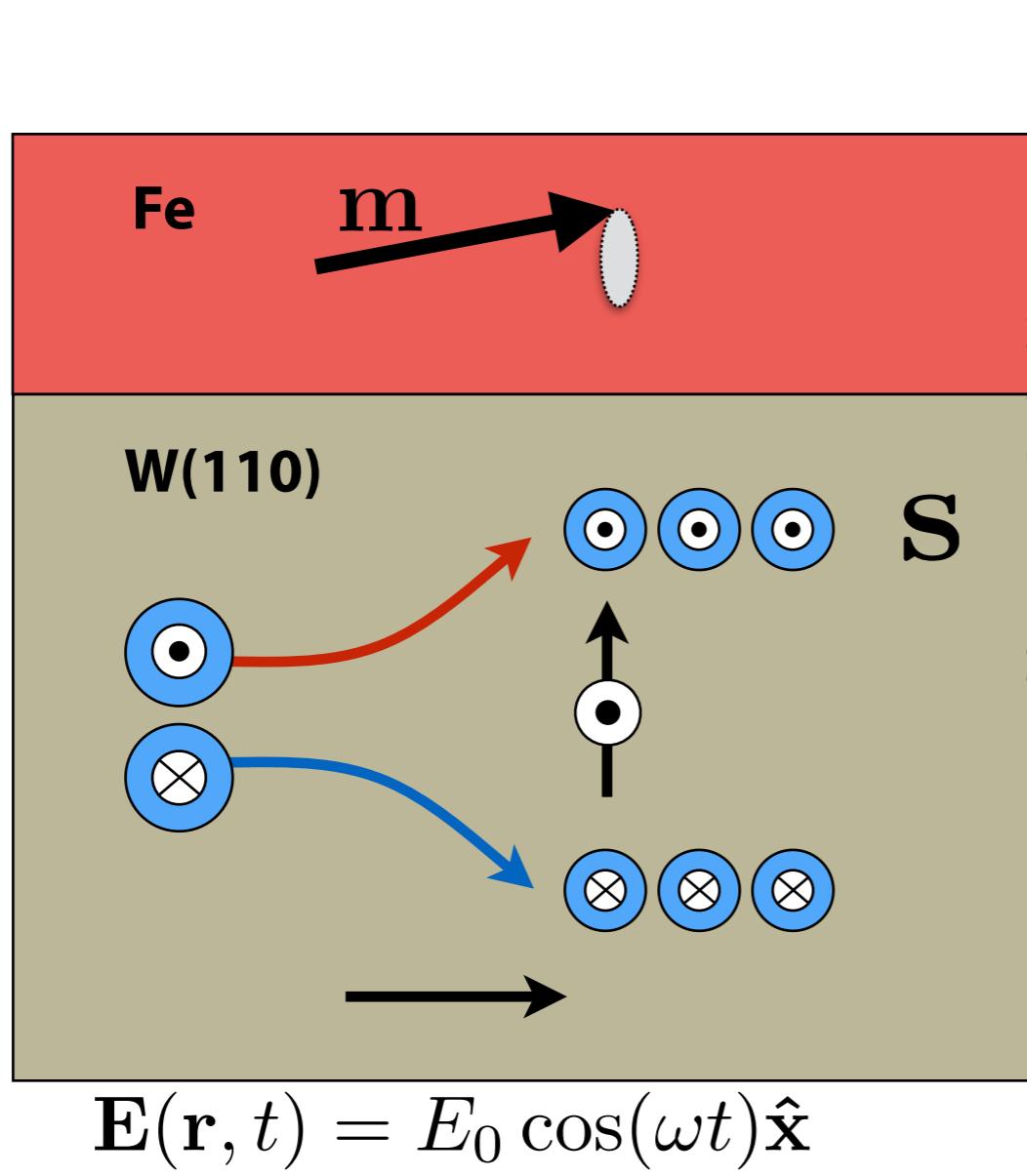
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Spin-orbit torques

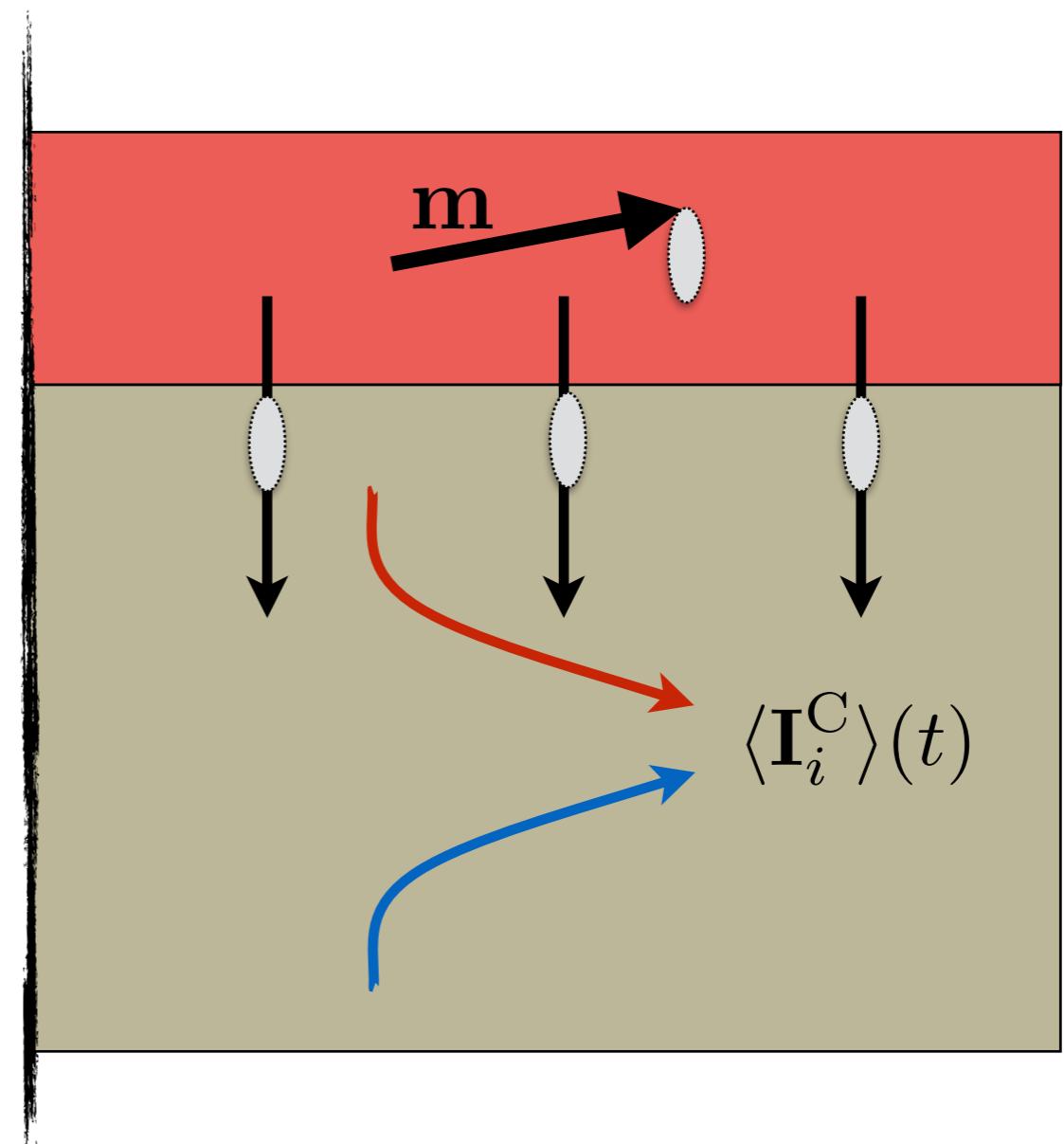


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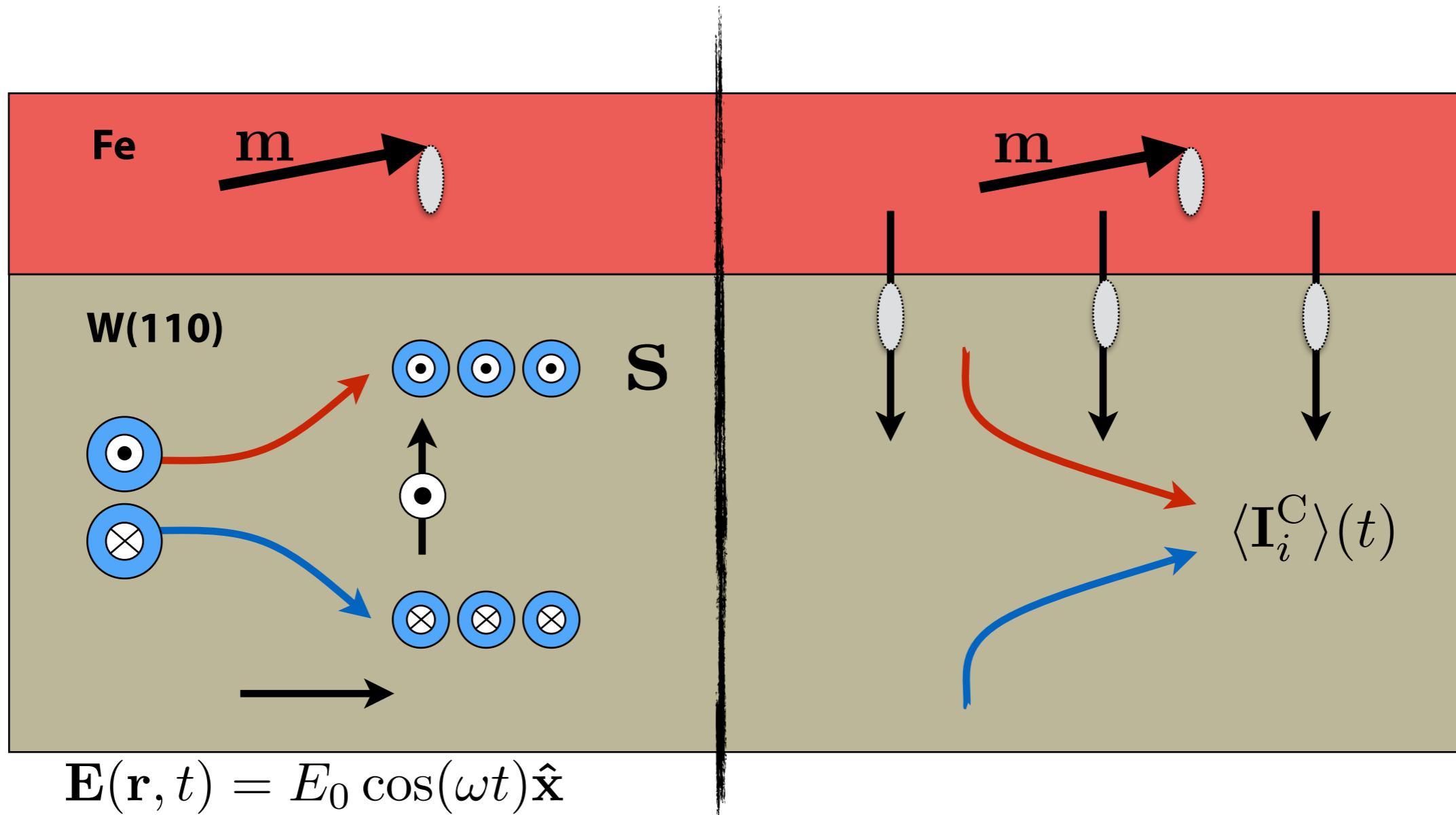
Spin dependent scattering



Spin pumping

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perturbation

magnetic field

electric field

Spin Hall angle
Magnetoresistances
Hall effects

observable

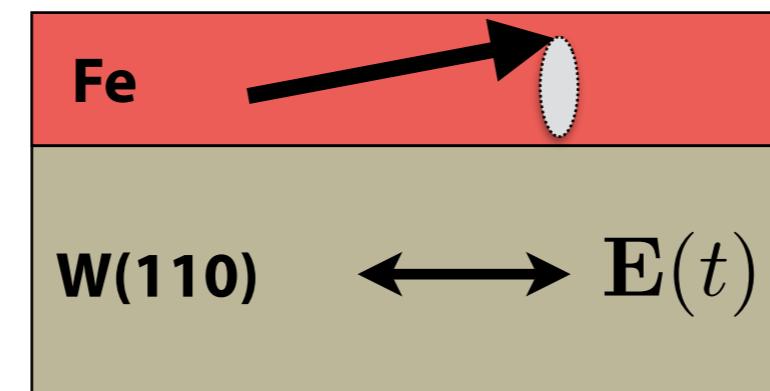
spin density

spin currents

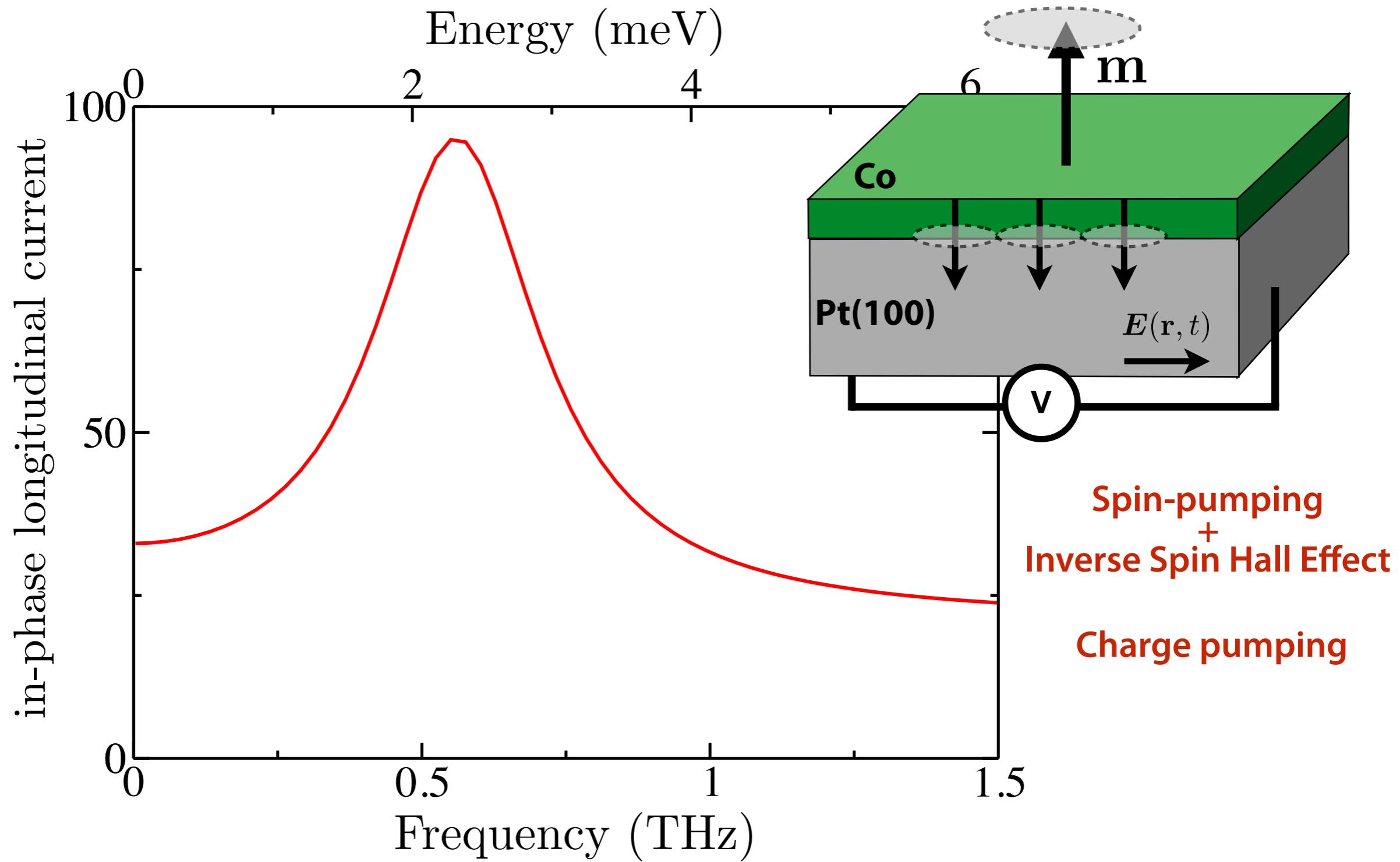
charge currents

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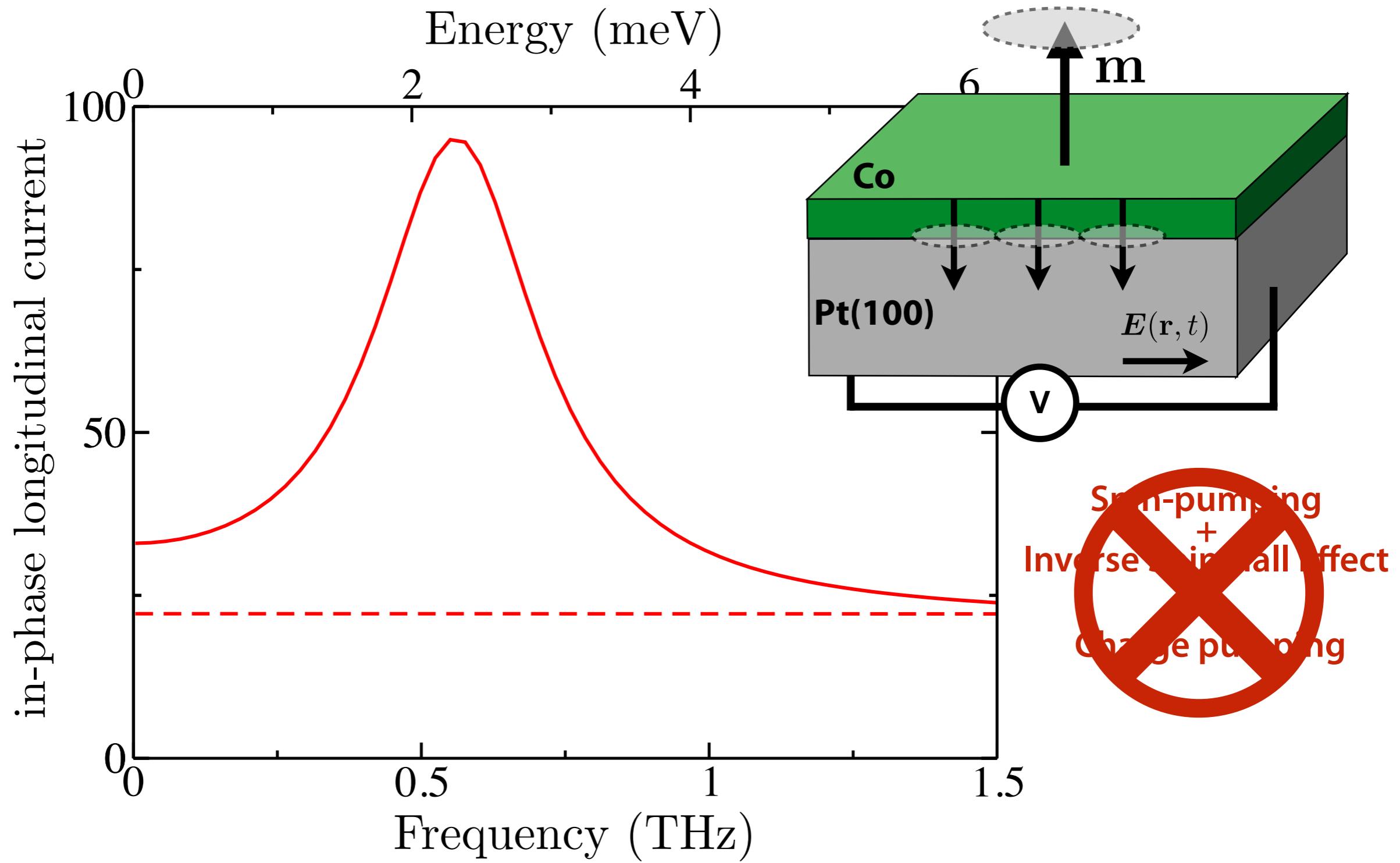
$$\langle \mathbf{I}_i^C \rangle(t)$$



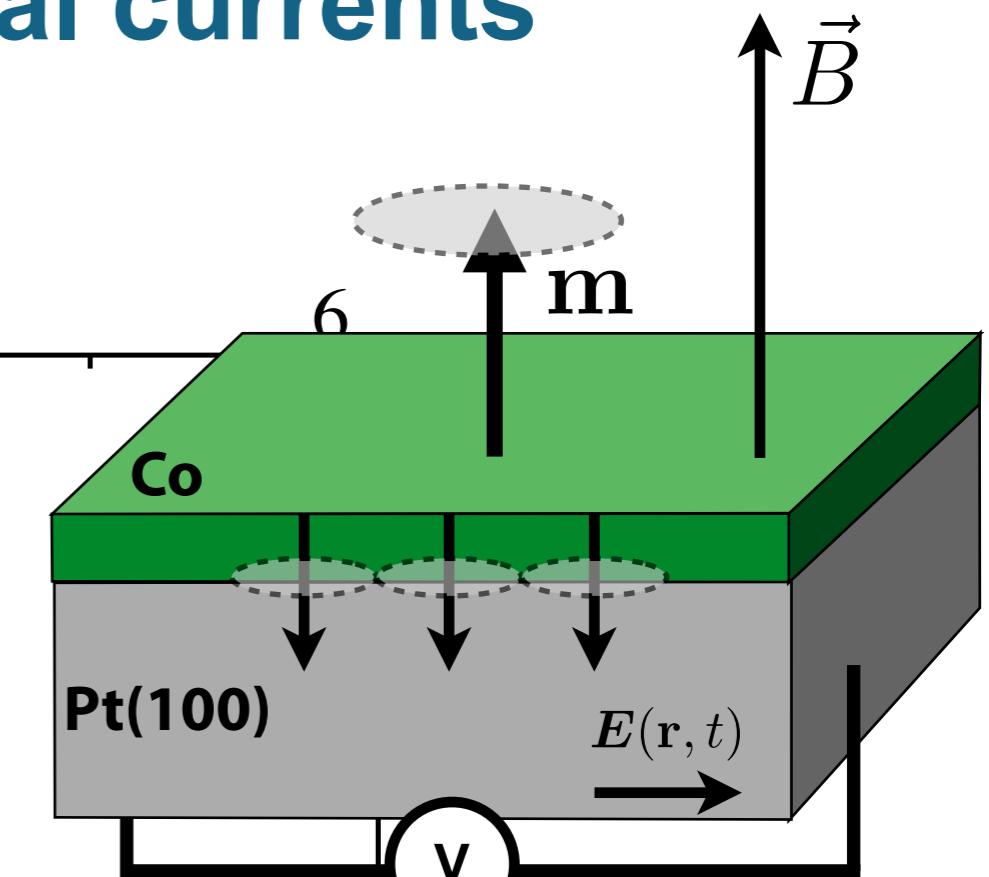
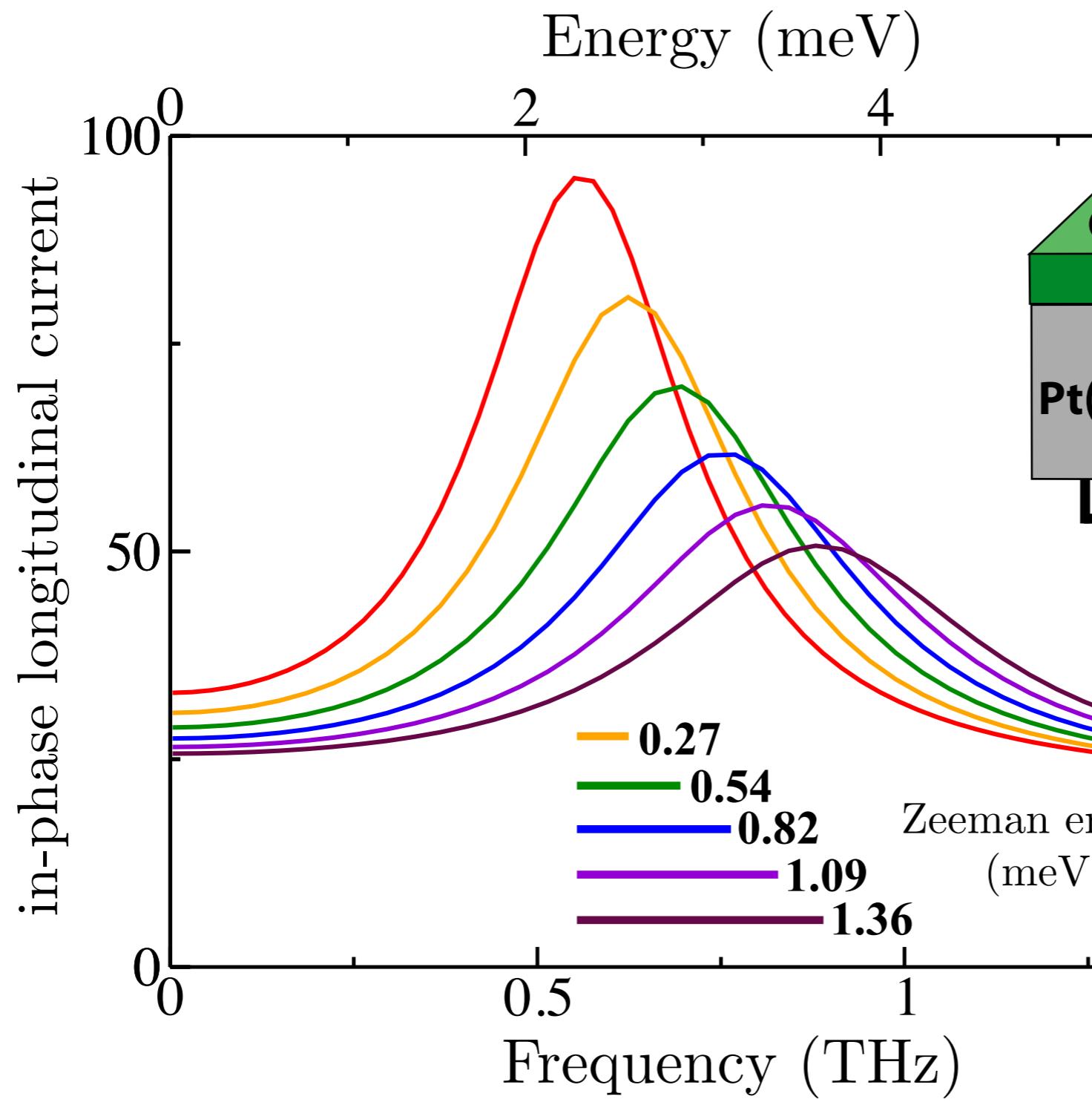
Dynamical longitudinal currents



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Spin-pumping
+
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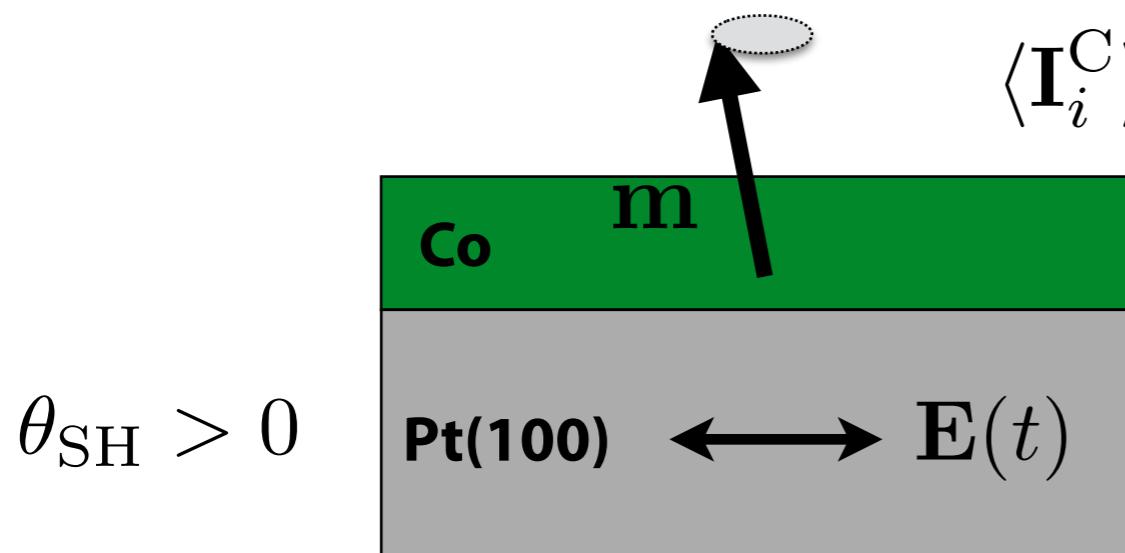
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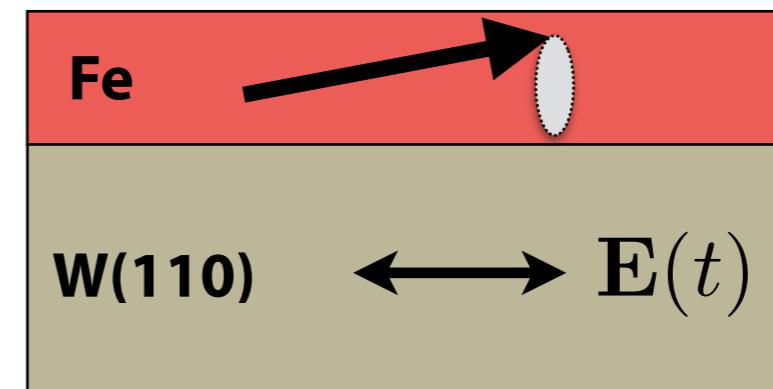
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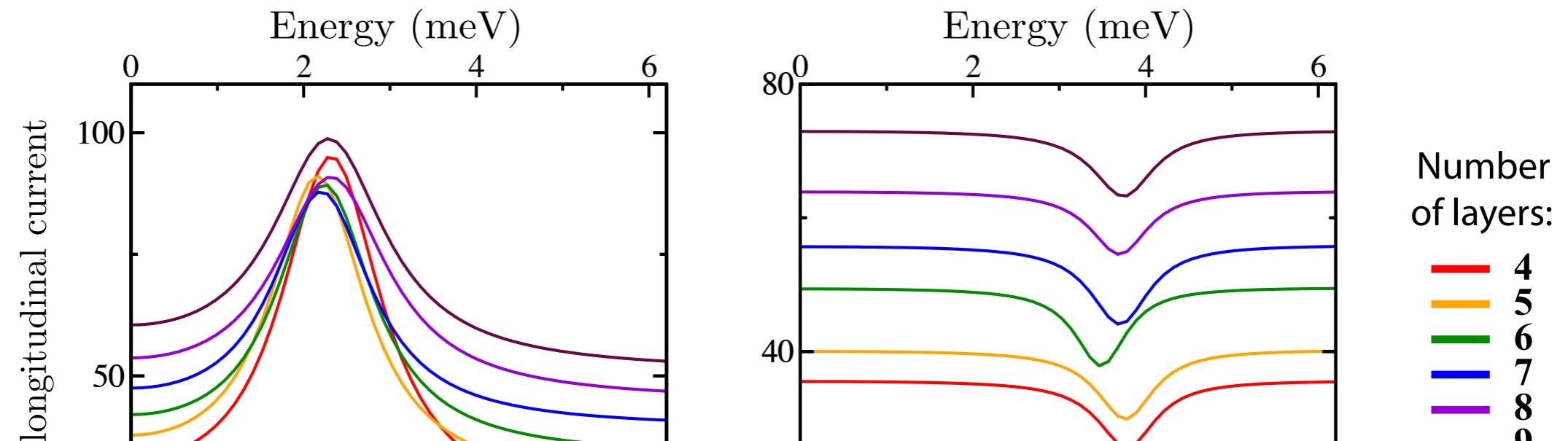


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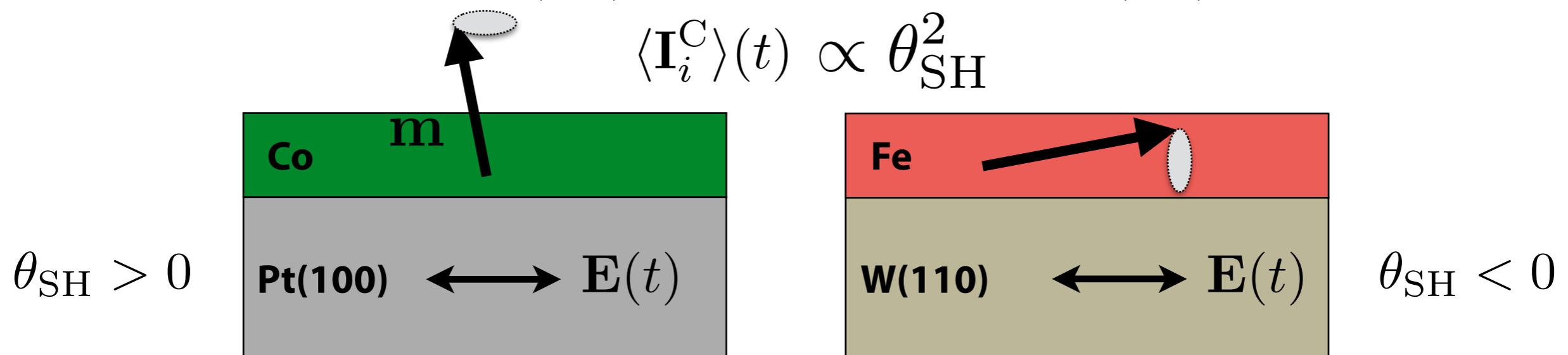
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Spin and charge pumping contribute to the currents

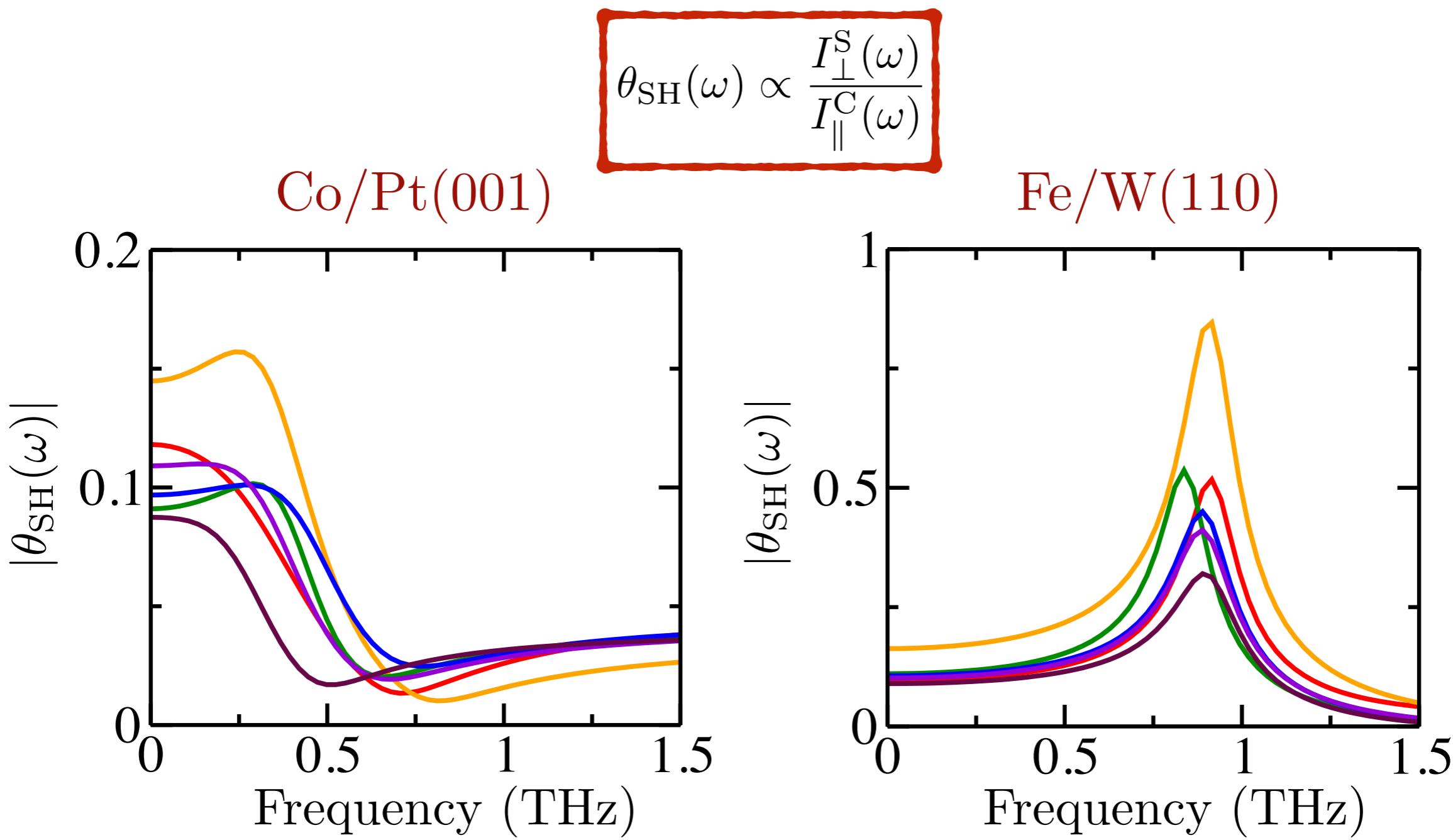


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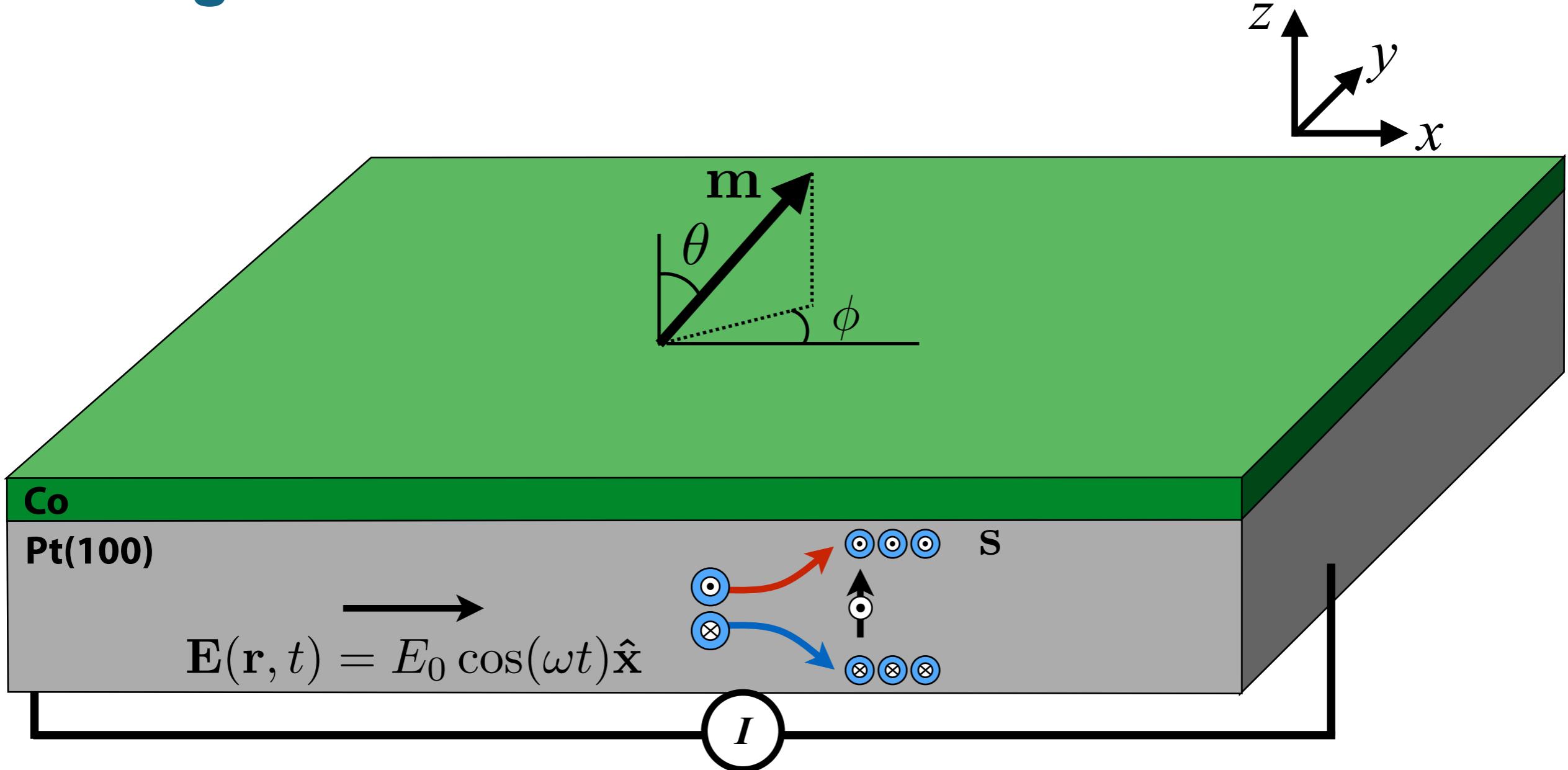
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Spin Hall angle is a complex quantity



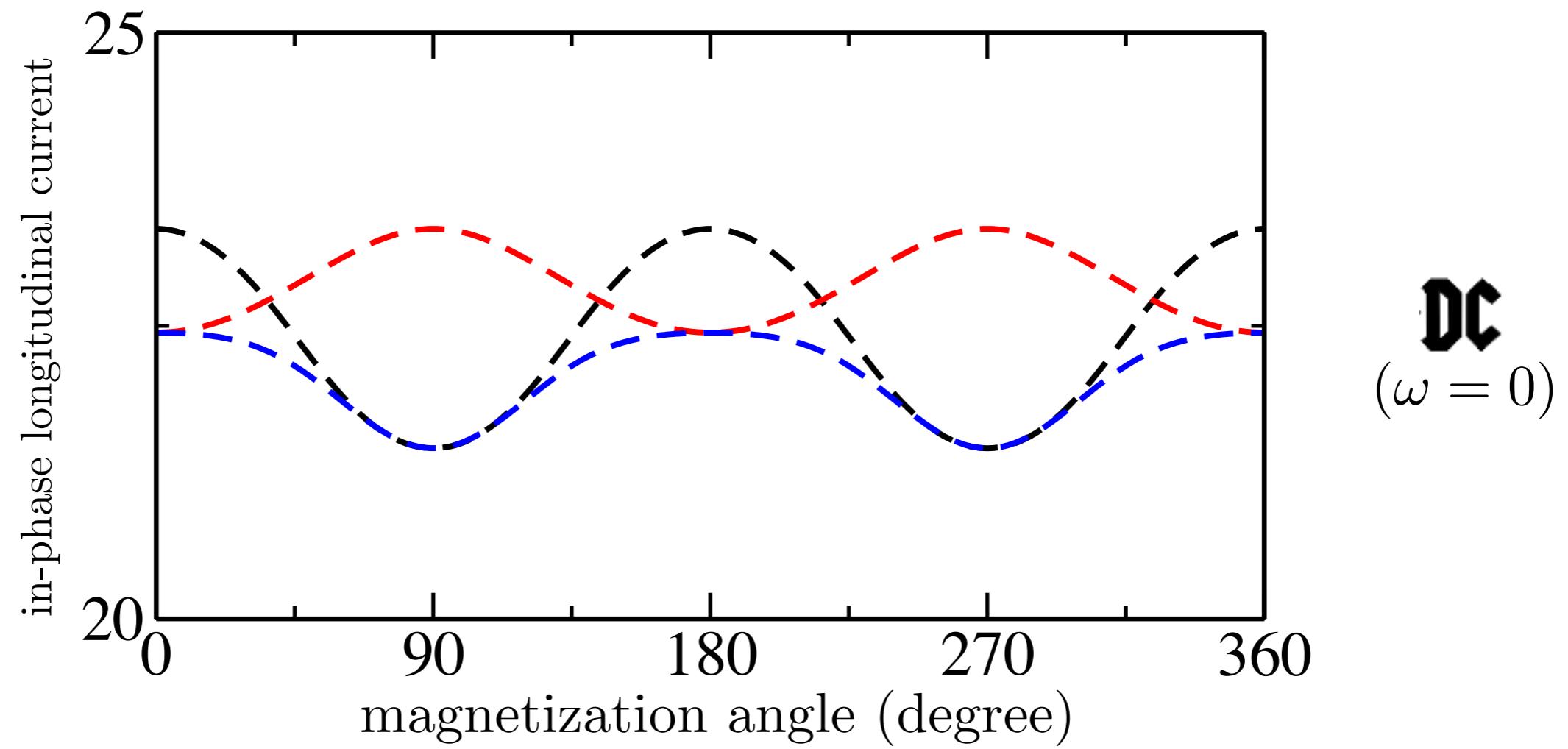
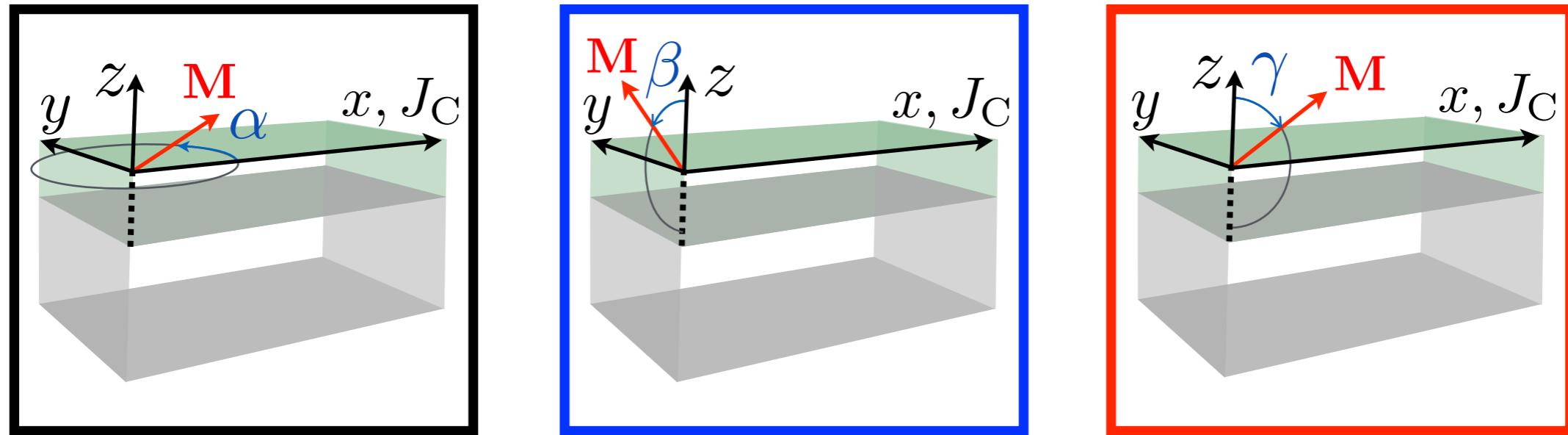
Magnetization direction affects the currents



Anisotropic + Spin Hall Magnetoresistance

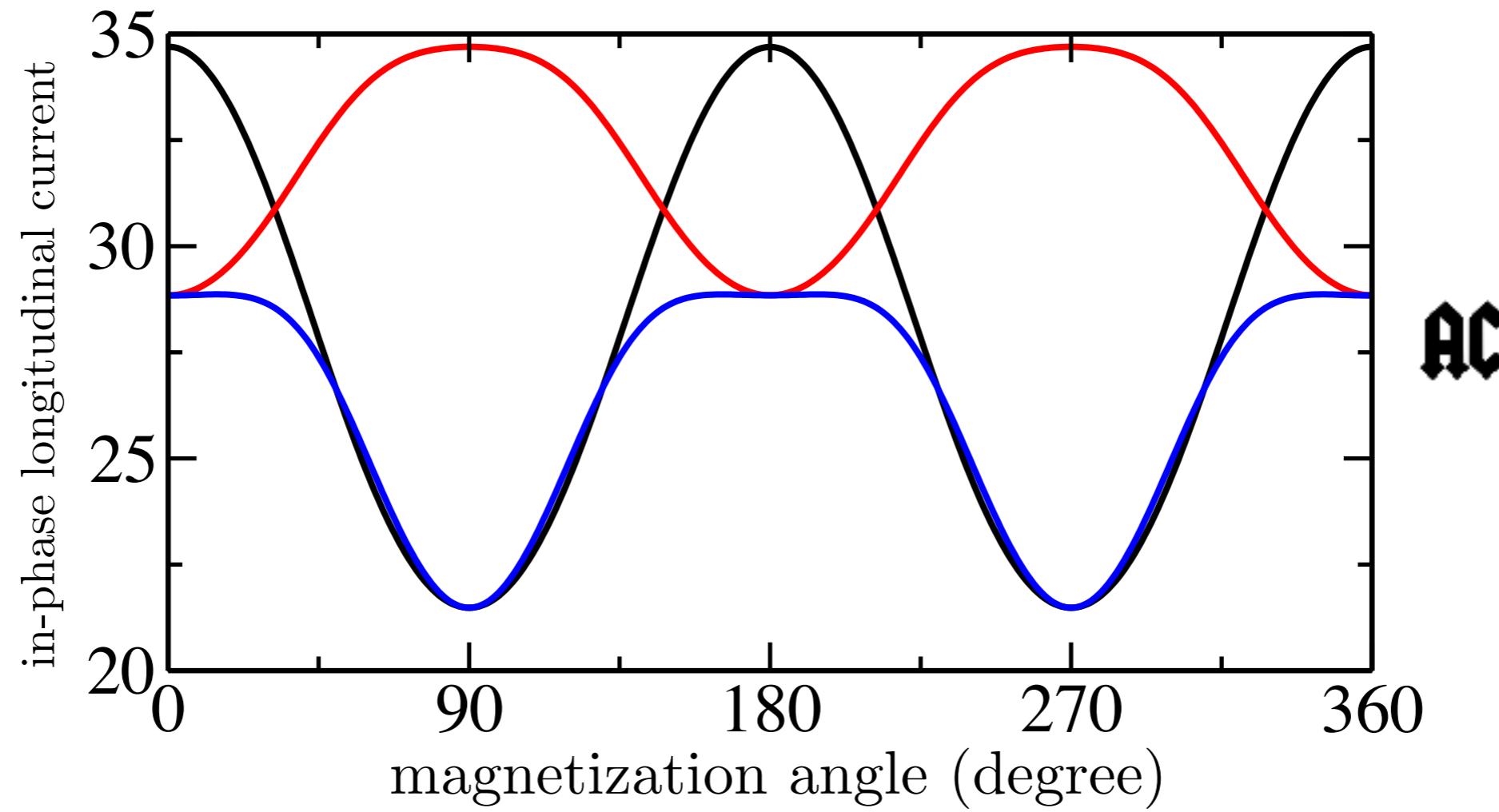
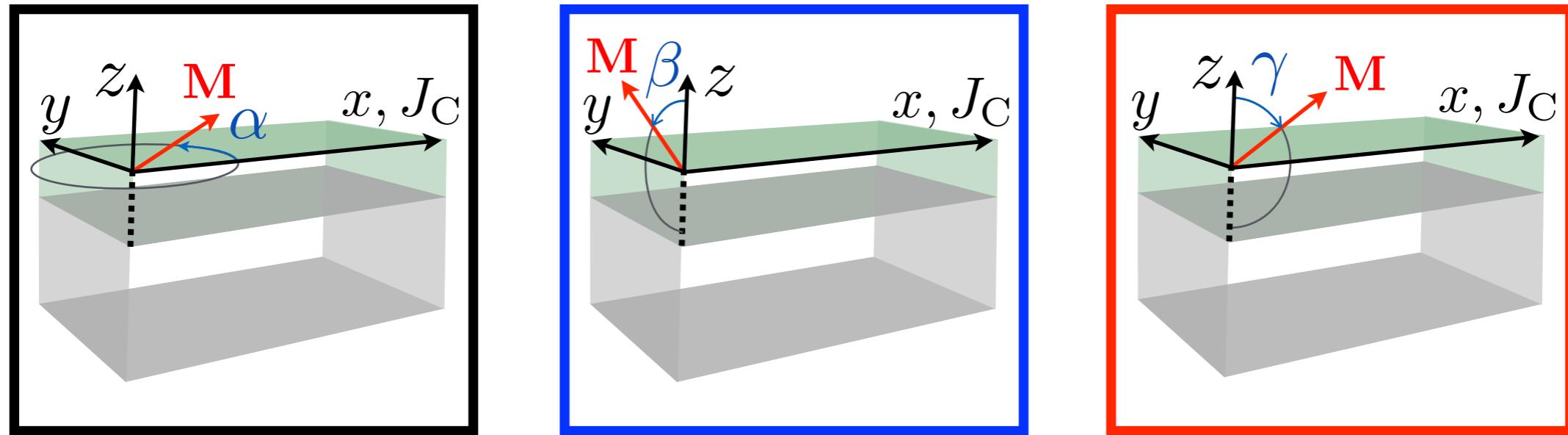
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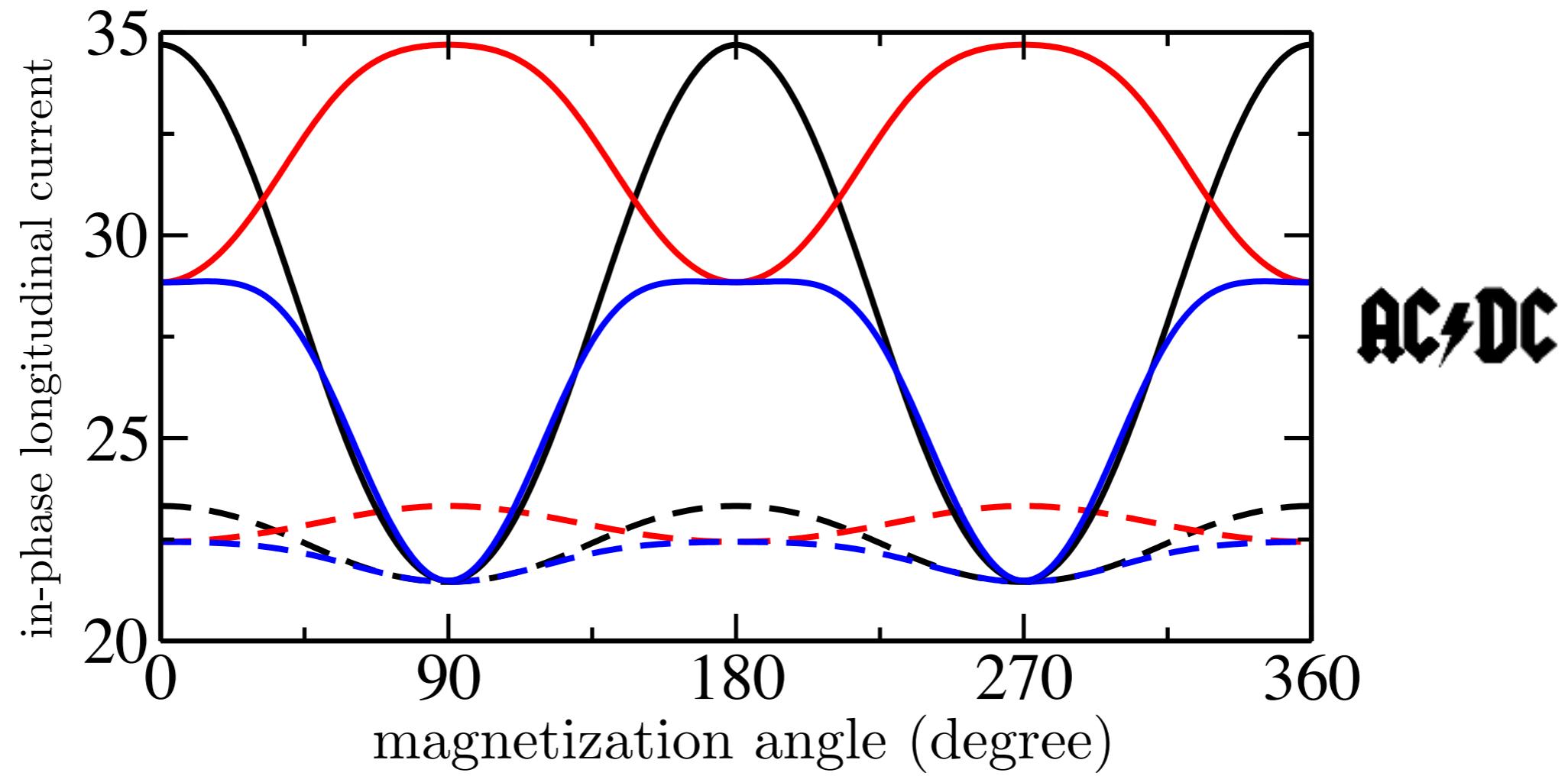
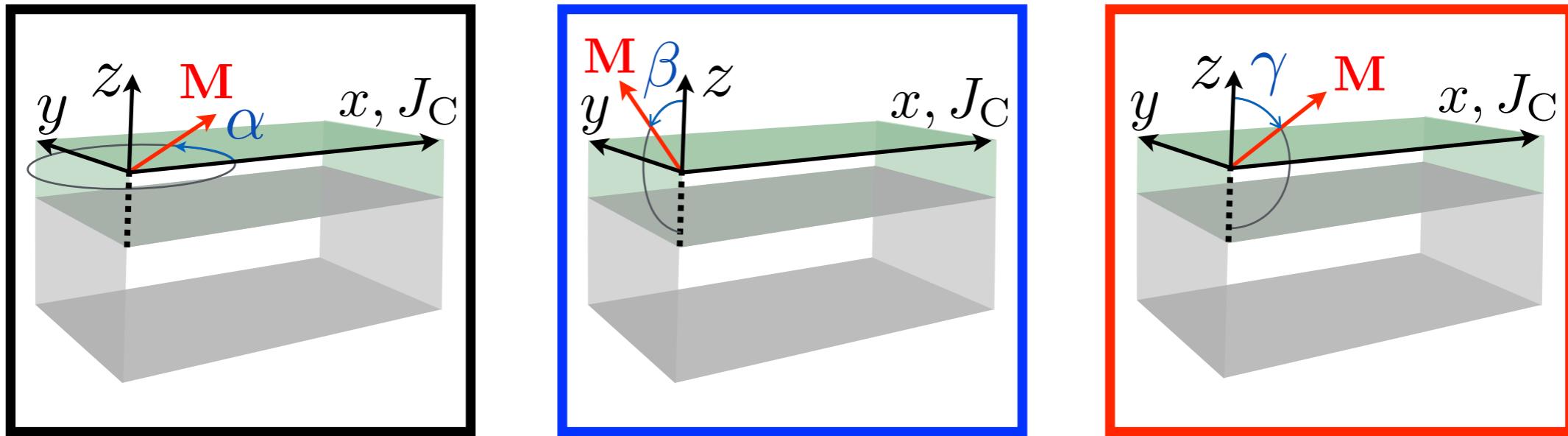
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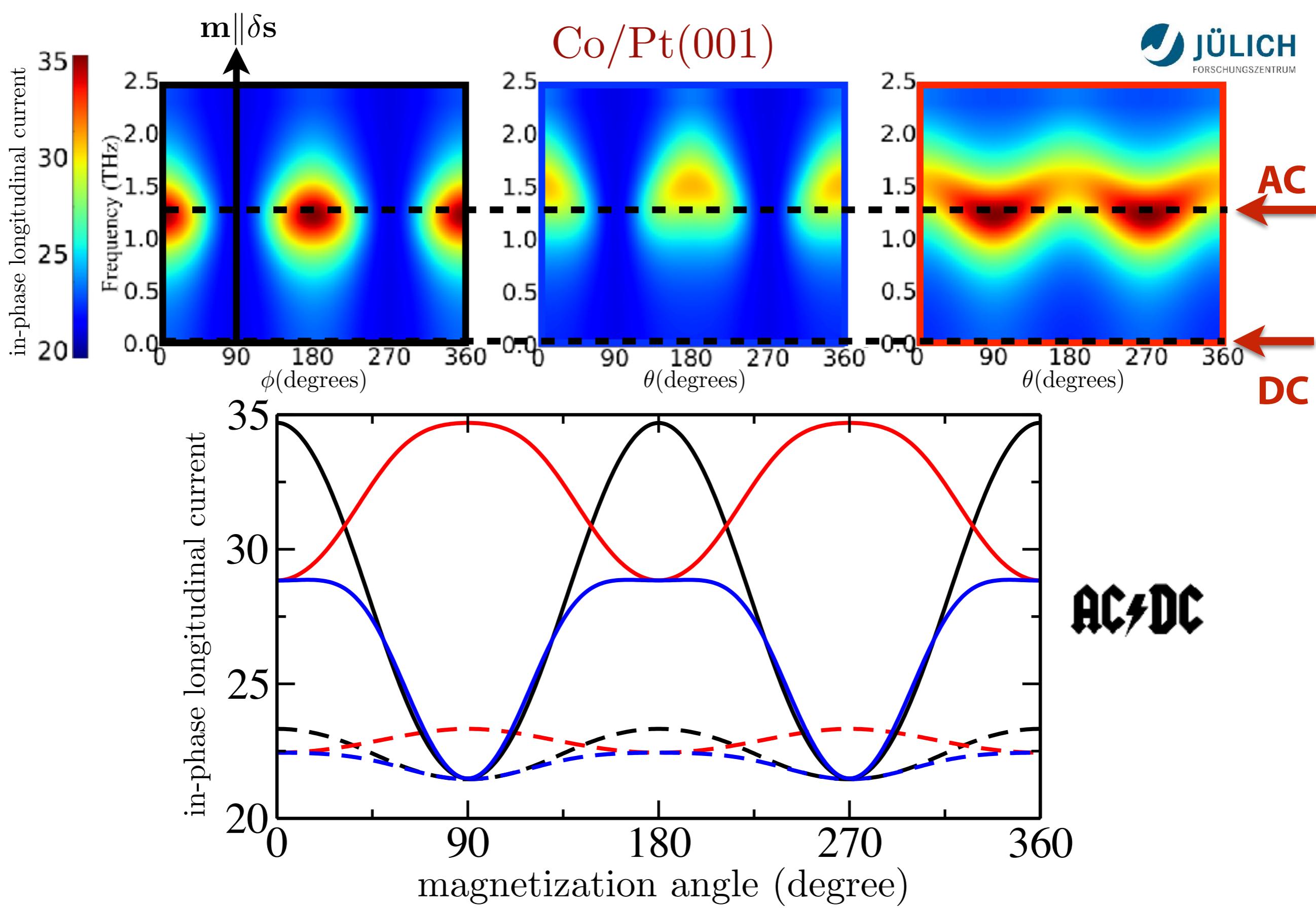


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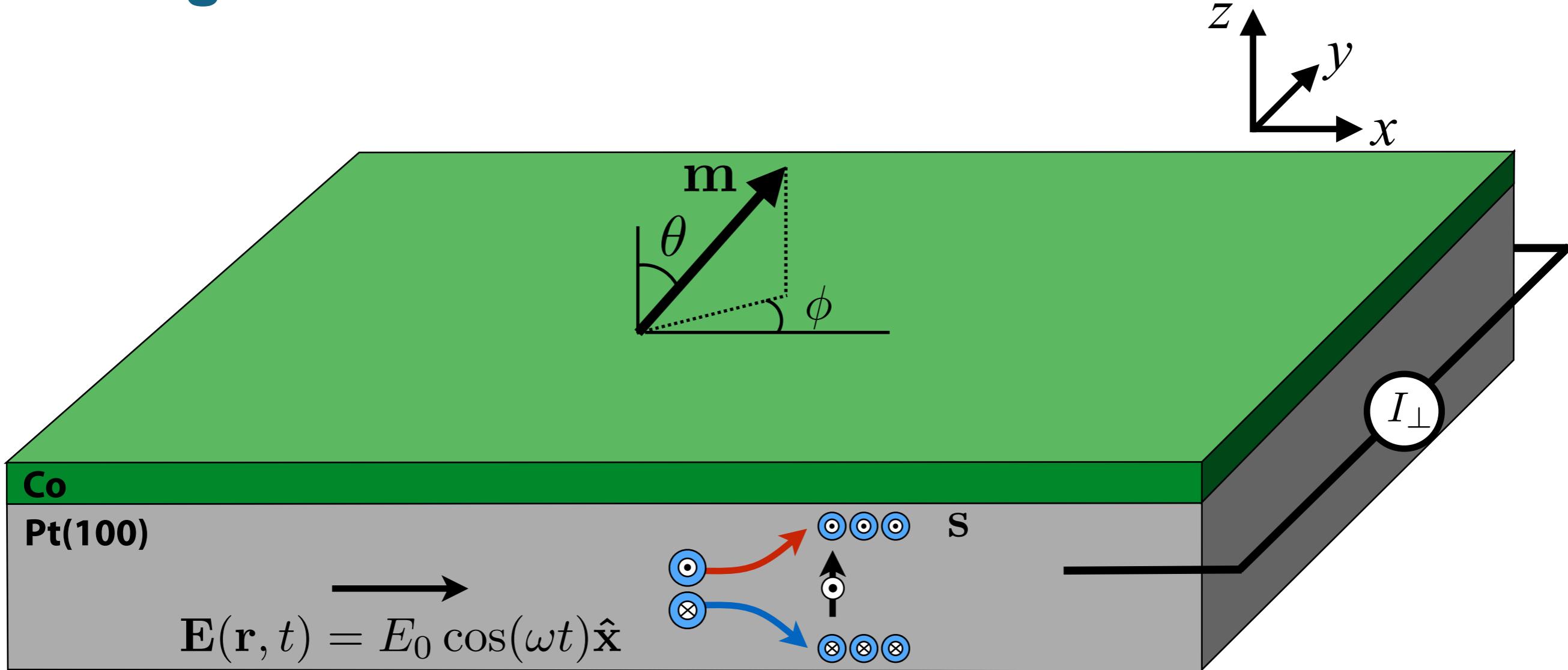


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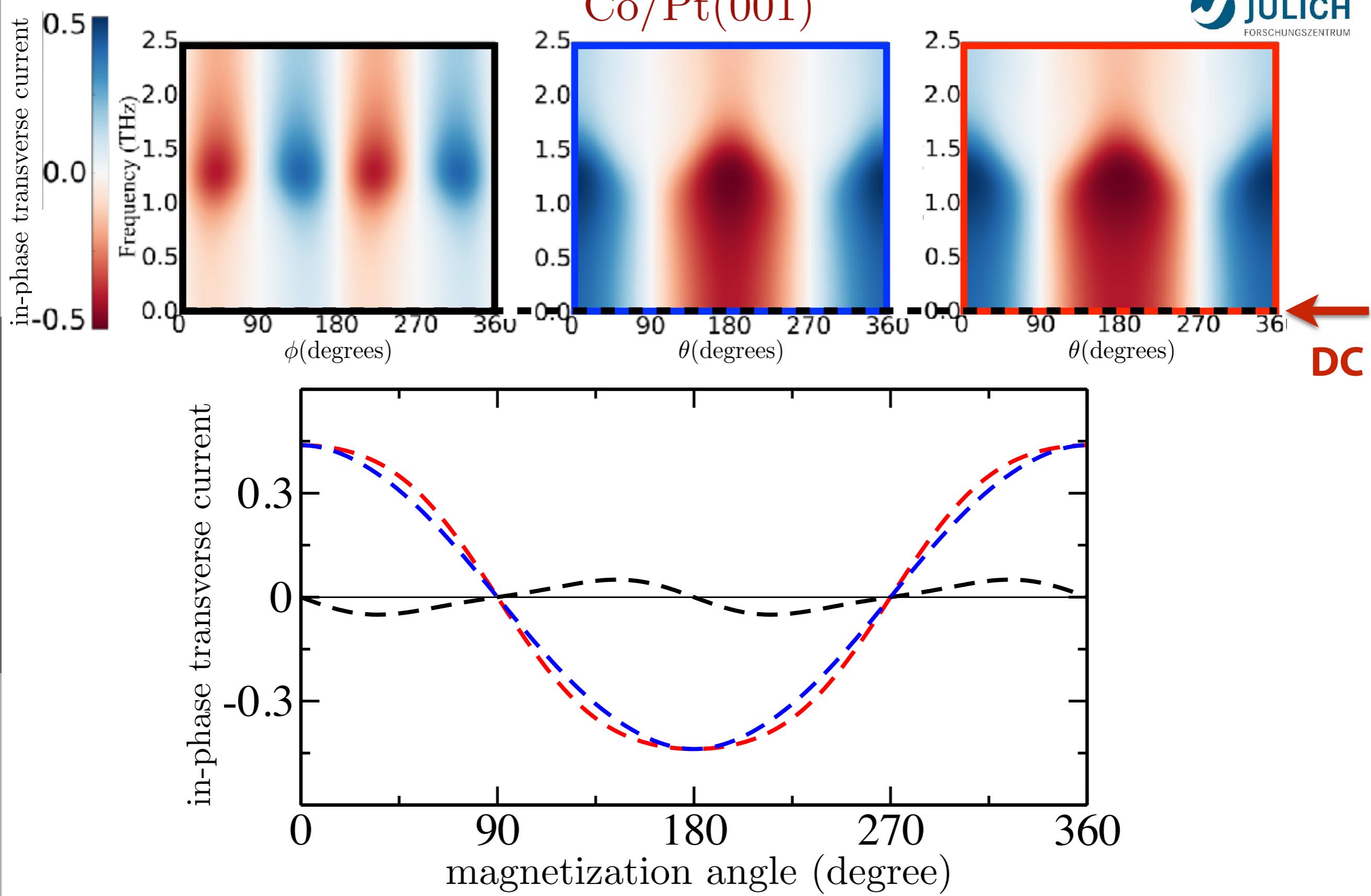
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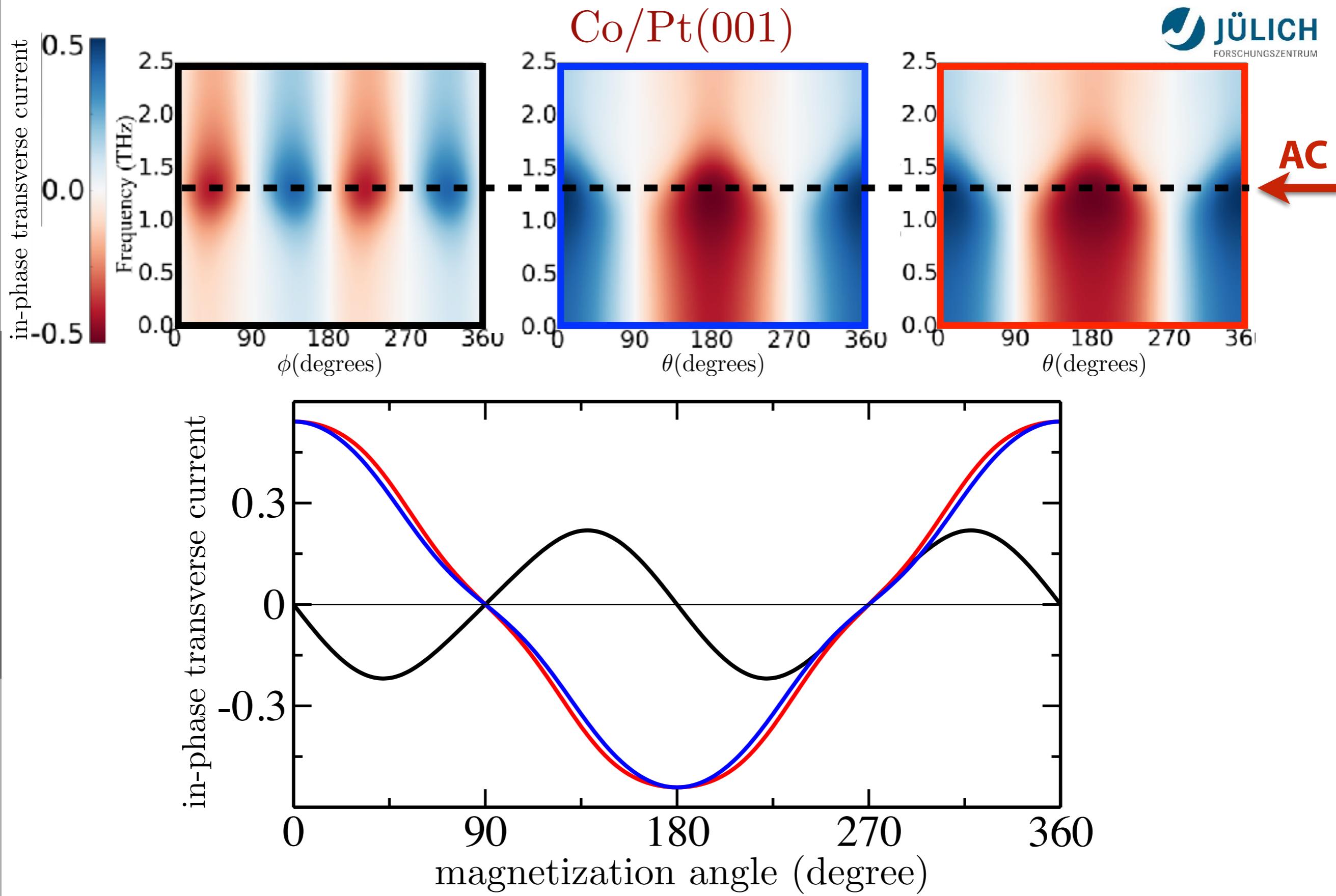


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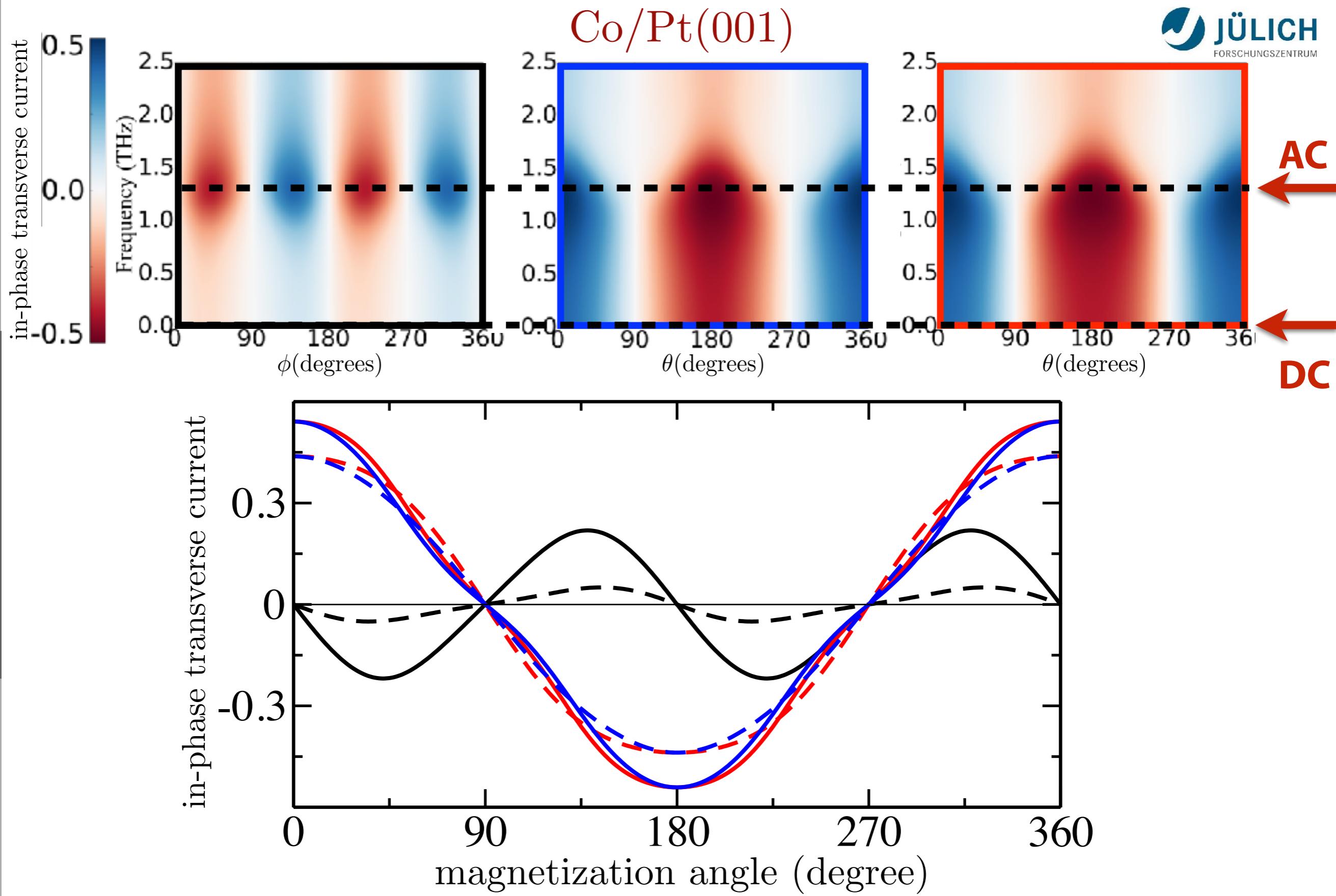
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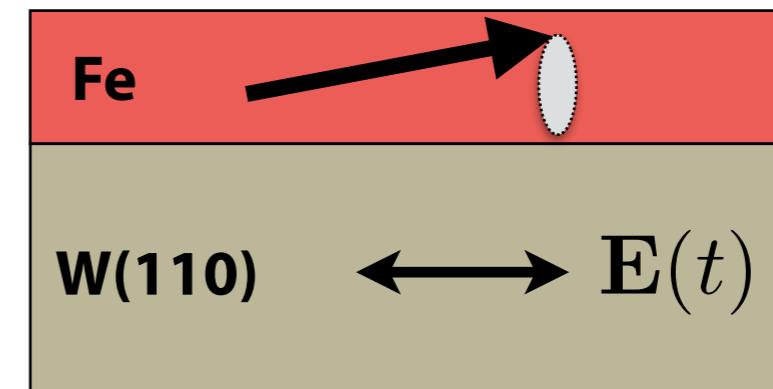
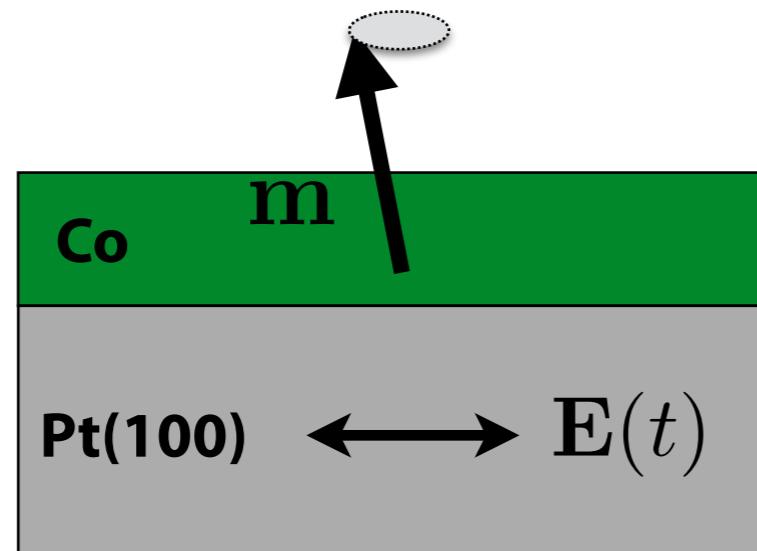
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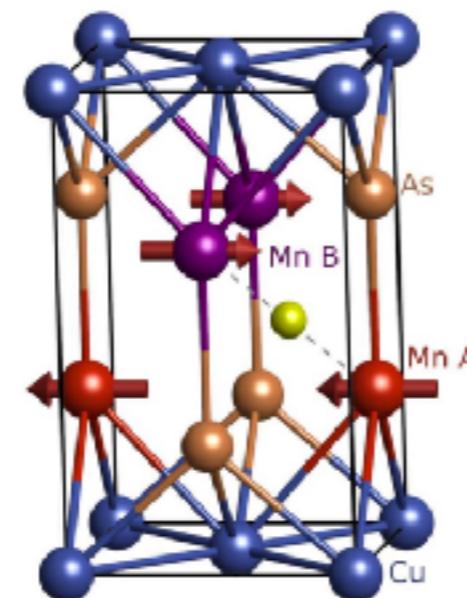
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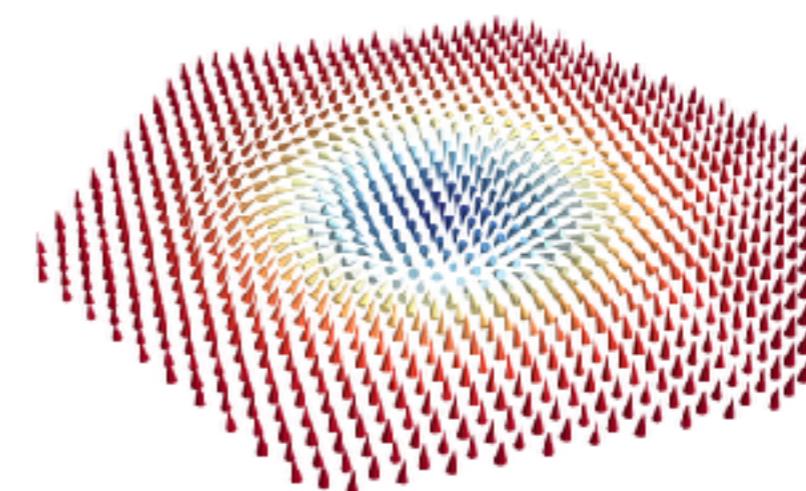
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- **Dynamical effects provide very rich phenomena**
- ac currents can excite spin wave resonances in a controllable fashion
- Spin and charge pumping contribute to the currents flowing on the system
- Spin Hall angle is a complex quantity
- Magnetoresistances and Hall currents in heterostructures have a dramatic variation due to the excitation of magnetic resonances
- AC currents can be manipulated by varying the frequency of electric field or using static magnetic fields



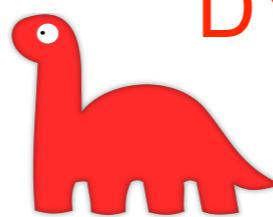
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