

IR Spectroscopy @ NSLS-2 and Physics of Strong Correlations

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Doped Mott-Hubbard Insulators

spectral weight transfer
spin/charge inhomogeneities

High-Tc superconductors

inhomogeneous condensate
pairing “glue”
energetics

Magnetism

inter-metallic ferromagnets
ferromagnetic semiconductors
optical control of magnetic state

FET structures

magnetic
organic fet

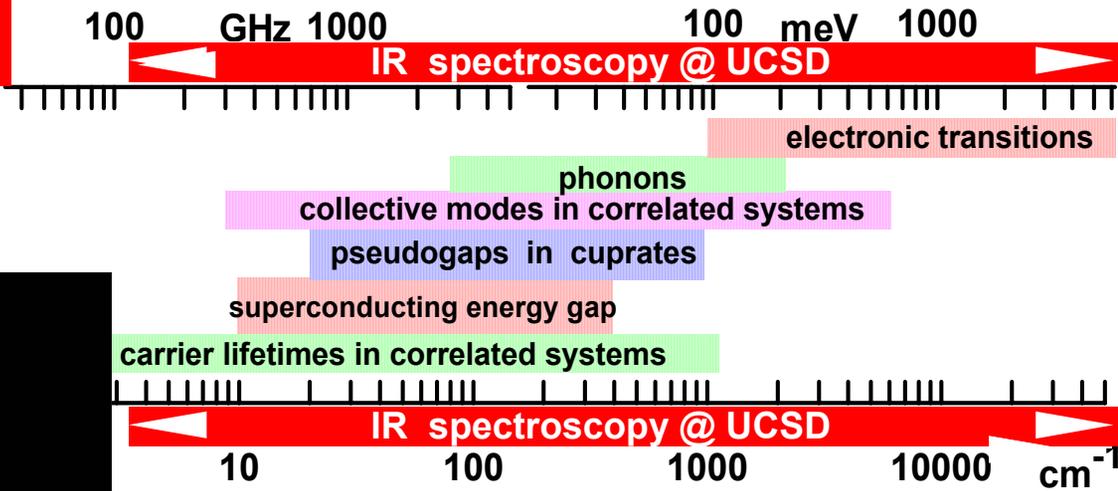
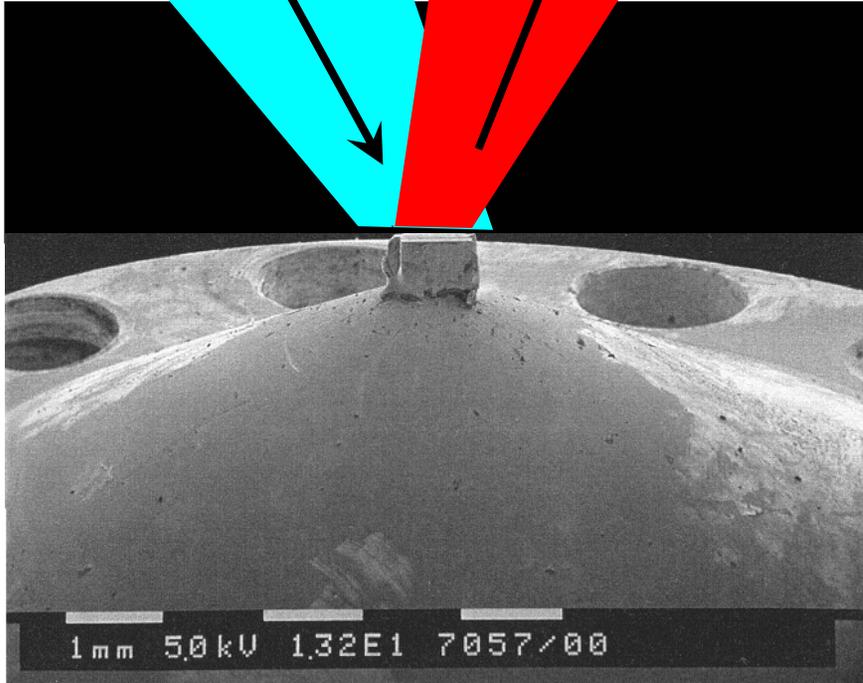
Experimental issues



New opportunities

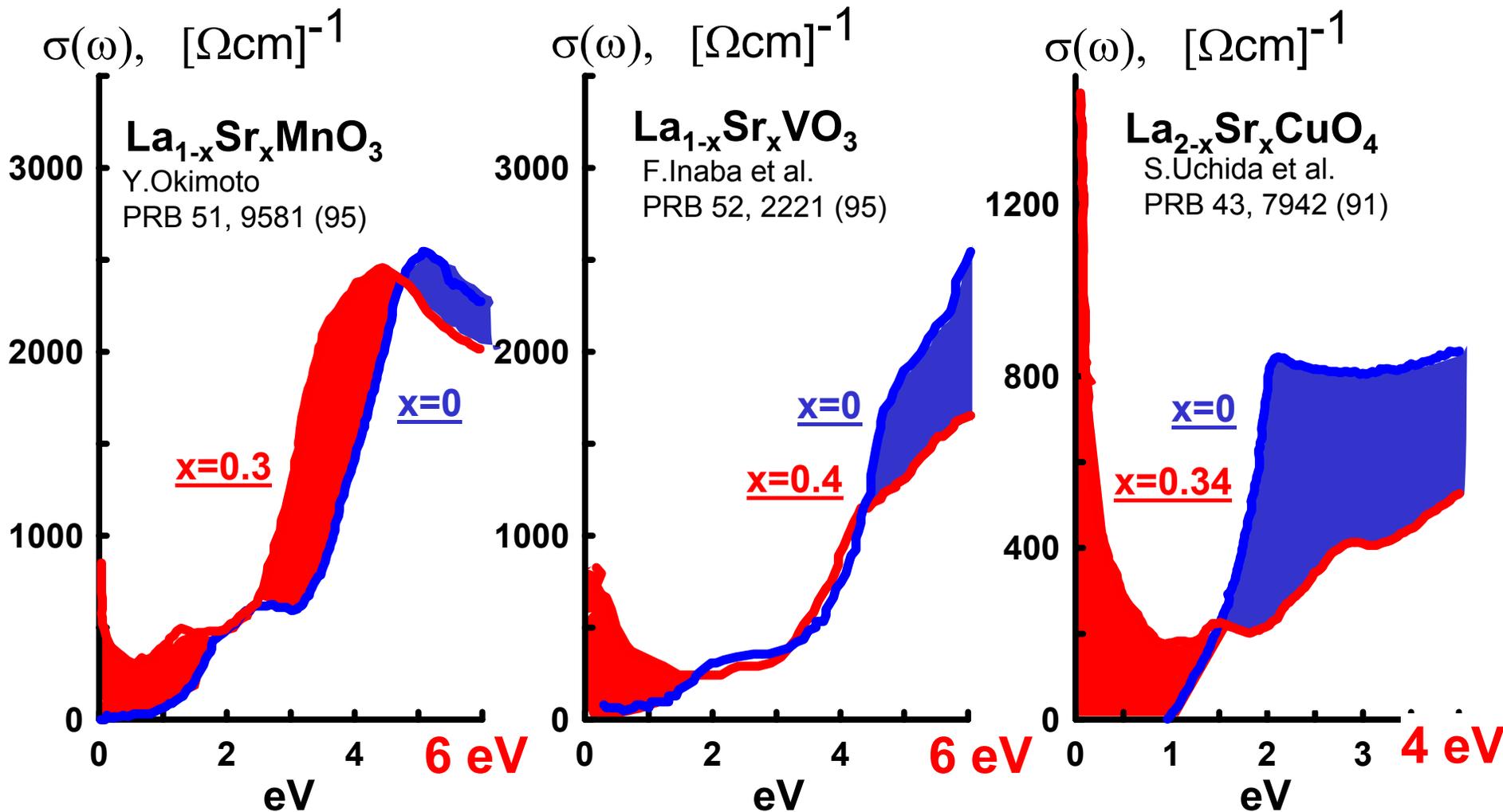
interferometer

detector



1. Broad spectral coverage
2. Optical constants: $\sigma_1(\omega) + i\sigma_2(\omega)$ and sum rules
3. Anisotropy
4. Large probing thickness
5. Micro-crystals

1. Doped Mott-Hubbard Insulators



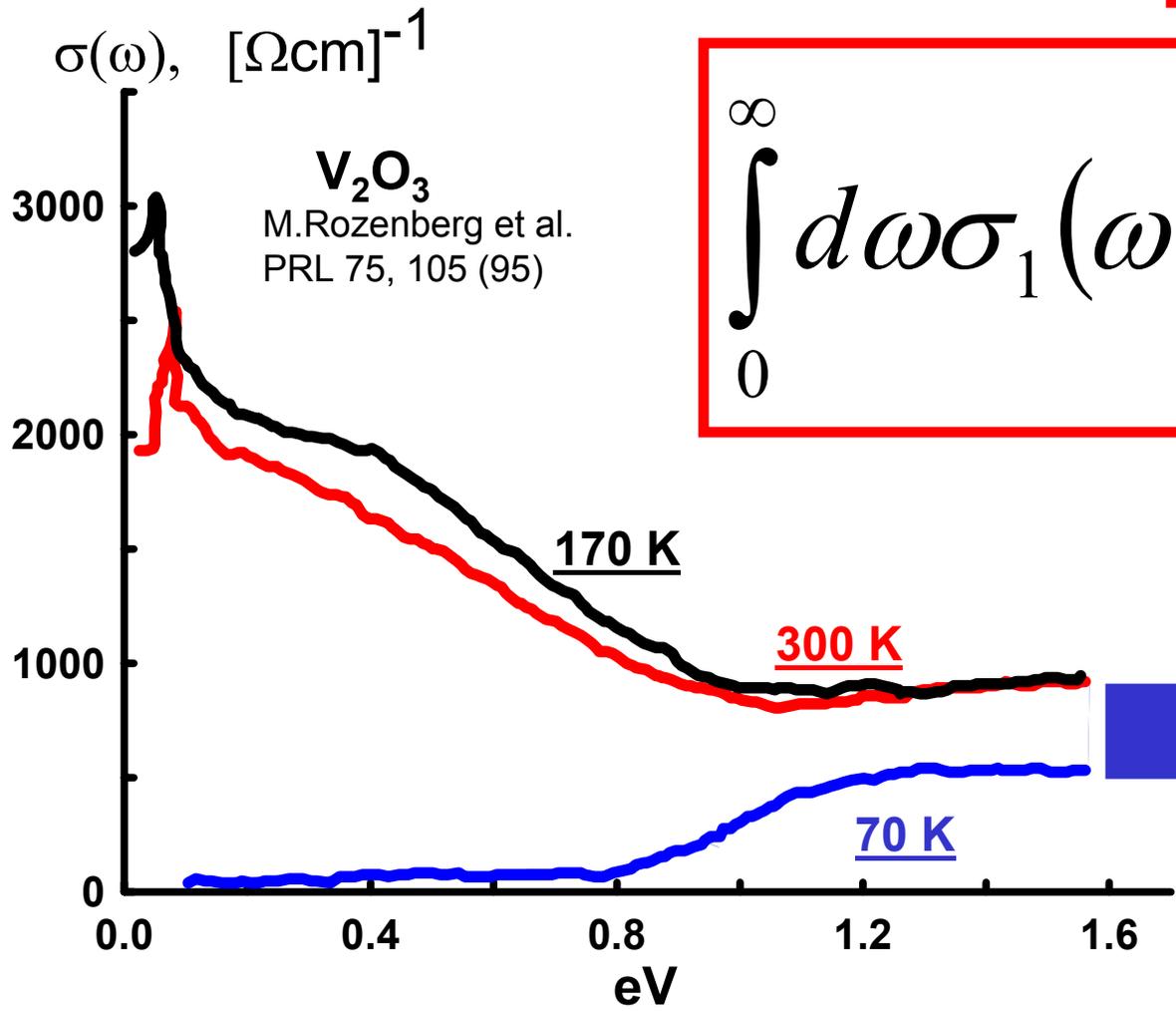
Experimental issues:
High- ω data is needed
for KK analysis



→ $R(\omega)$ data at $\omega < 36$ eV

Beam-line based
ellipsometry

2. Doped Mott-Hubbard Insulators: T dependence



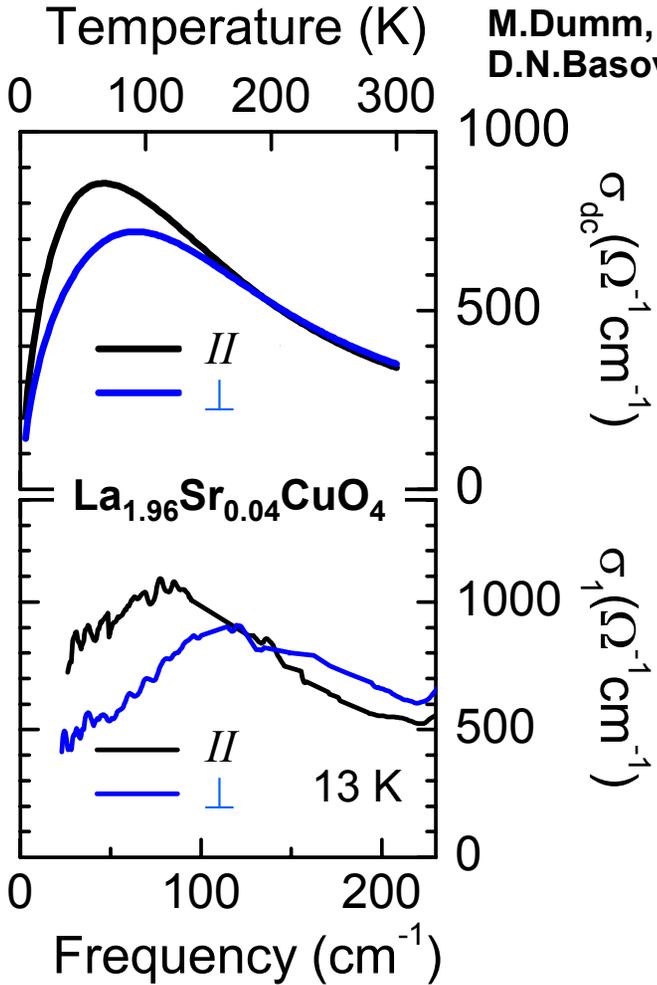
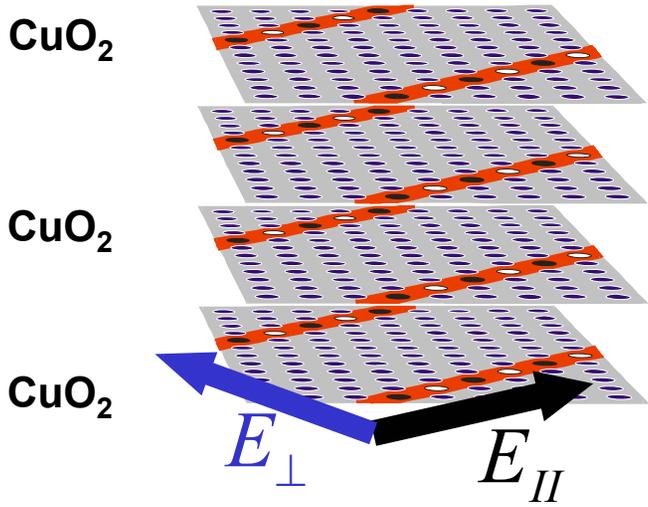
Experimental issues:
T, H dependence of $\sigma(\omega)$
over anomalously
broad ω range



Accurate data over
broad ω intervals
Beam-line based
ellipsometry

3. Doped M-H Insulators: charge inhomogeneities

M.Dumm, S.Komiya, Y.Ando, D.N.Basov, PRL 91, 077004 (03).

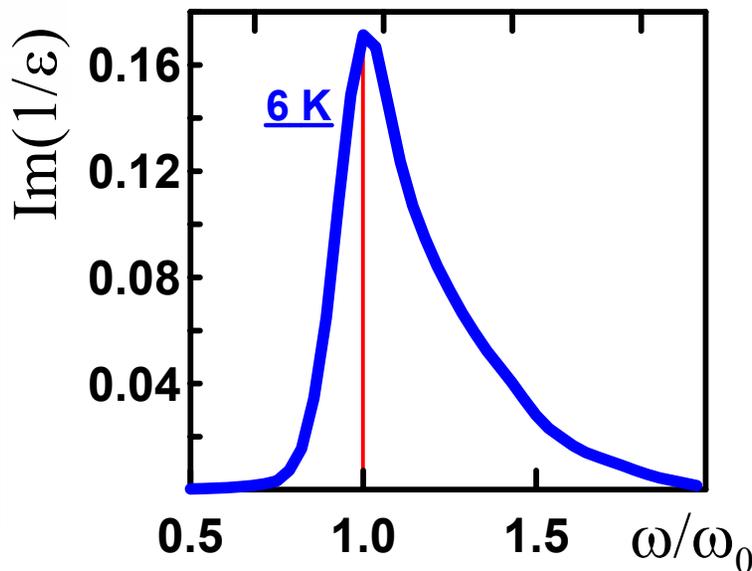
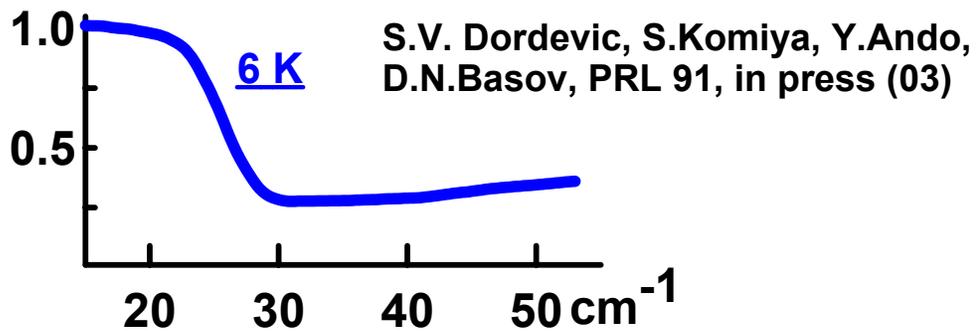
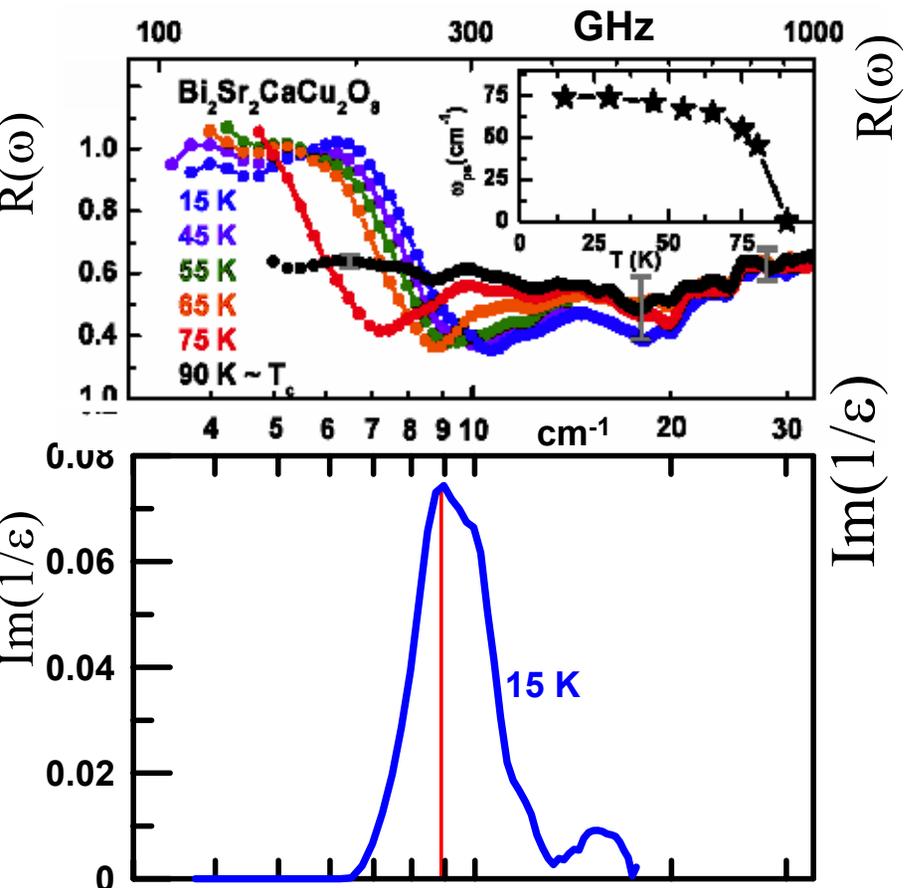


Experimental issues:
Micro-crystals



High intensity,
Beam-line based
IR microscopy

4. Doped MH Insulators: inhomogeneous superconductivity



“Josephson plasmon microscopy”

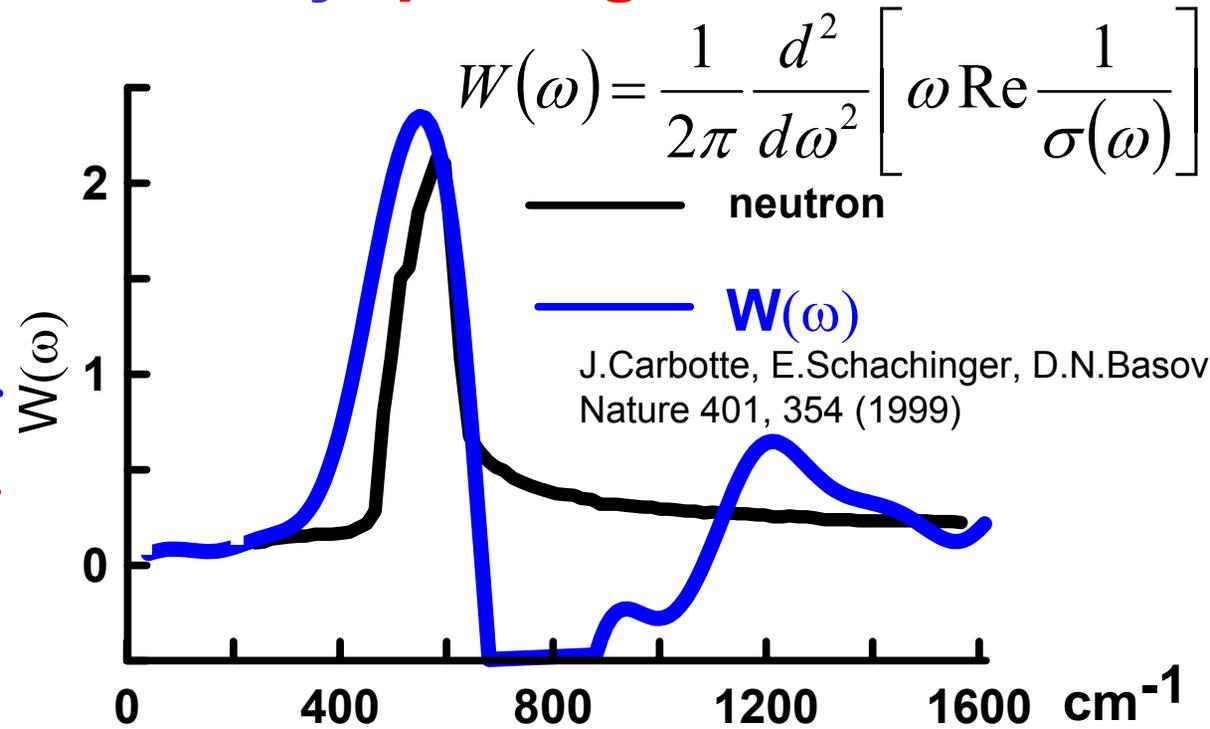
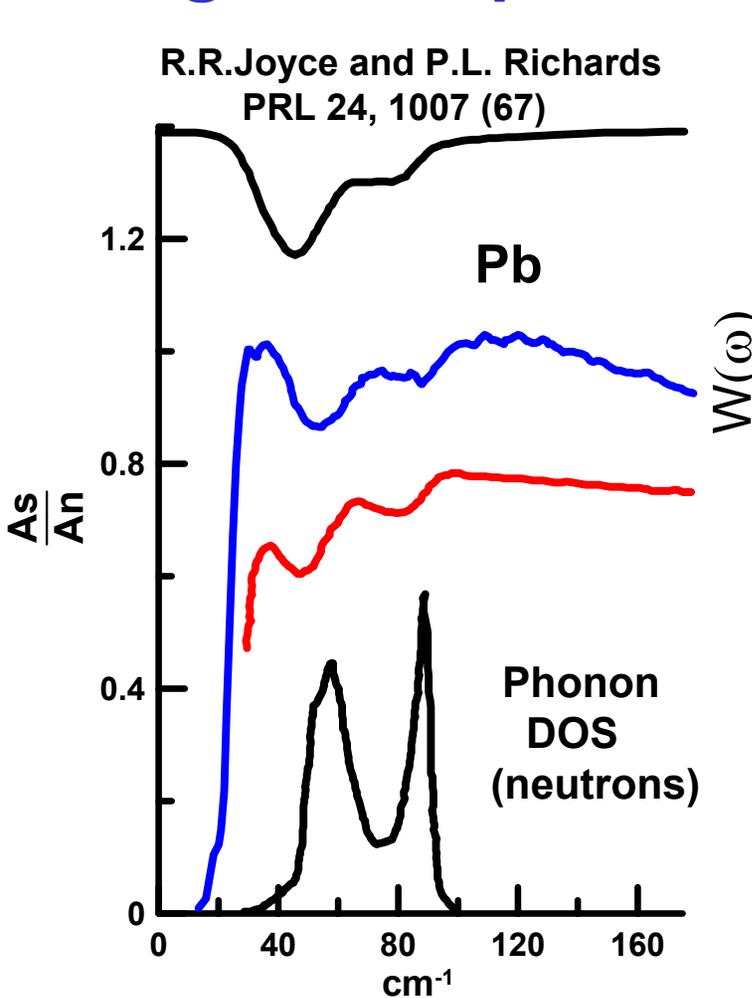
E.J.Singley et al.
ALS-BESSY collaboration

Experimental issues:
Sub-THz ω region



→ “coherent”
radiation

5. High-Tc superconductivity: pairing interaction



Magnetic?

consistent with ARPES, tunneling,

Phonons? /A.Lanzara et al. Nature 412, 510 (2001)/

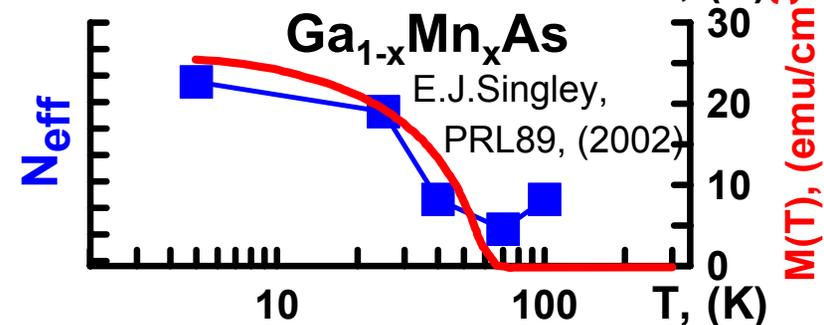
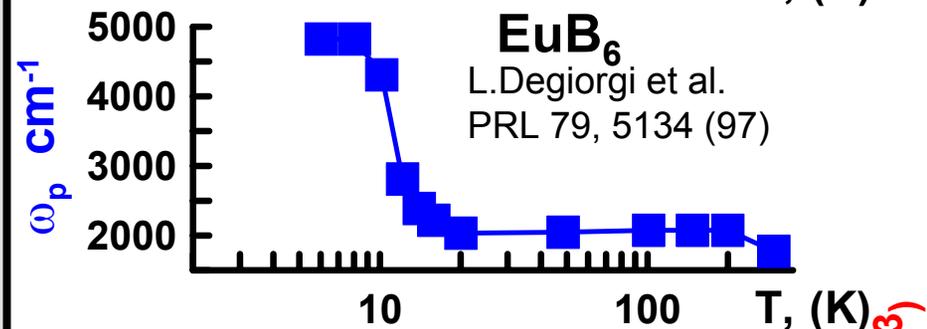
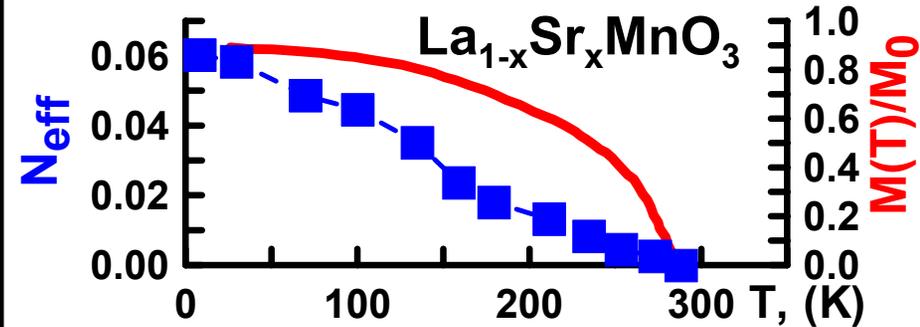
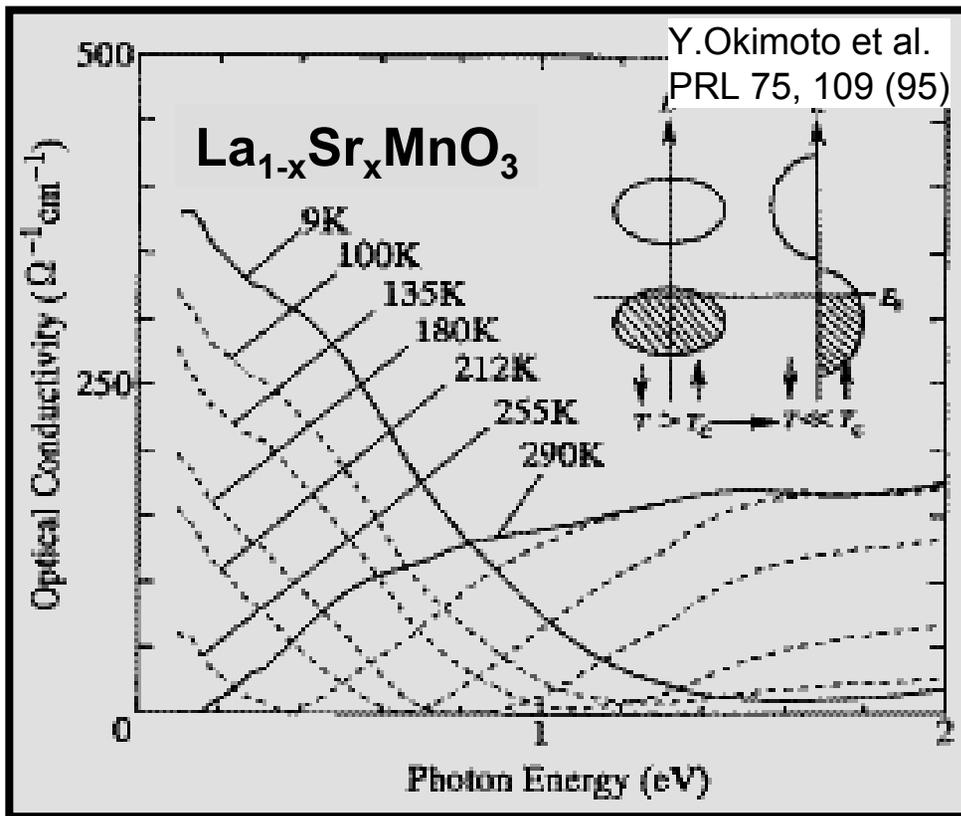
... **but no isotope effect** /N.Wang et al. PRL 89, 87003 (03)

Experimental issues:
Second derivative of $1/\tau(\omega)$



Beamlines-based ellipsometry

7. Magnetism: itinerant intermetallic ferromagnets



Experimental issues:

Bandwidth?

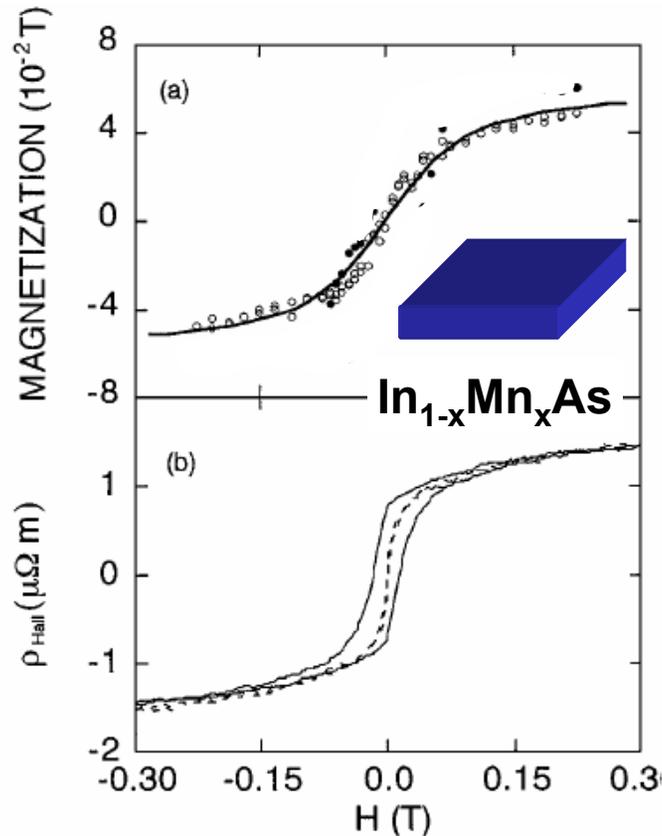
“Undressing” effect?

Sum rule violations



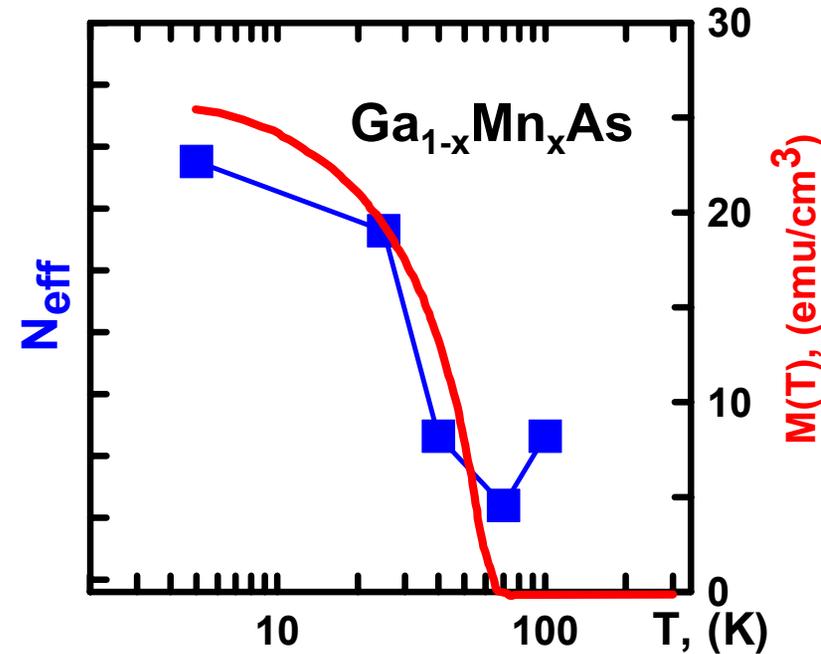
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8. Magnetism: ferromagnetic III-V semiconductors

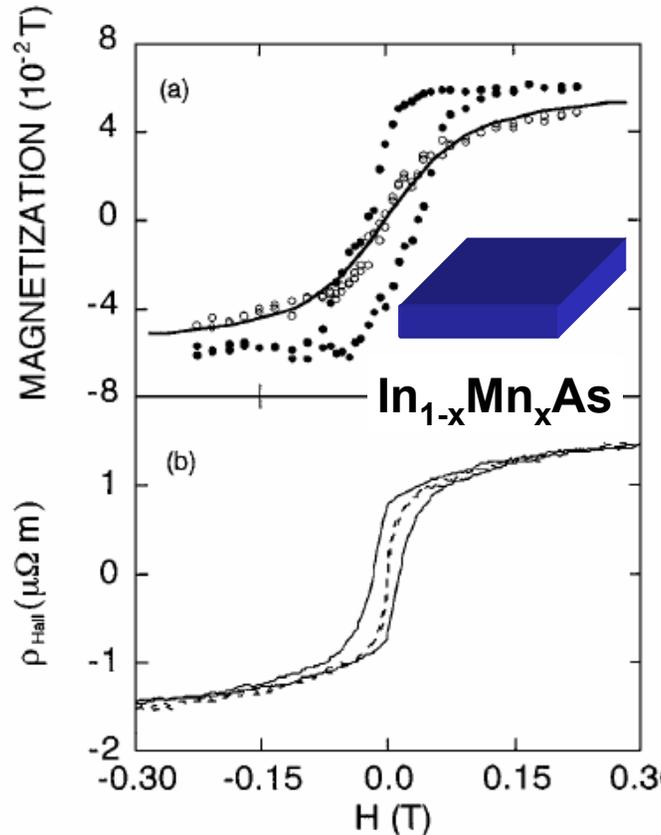


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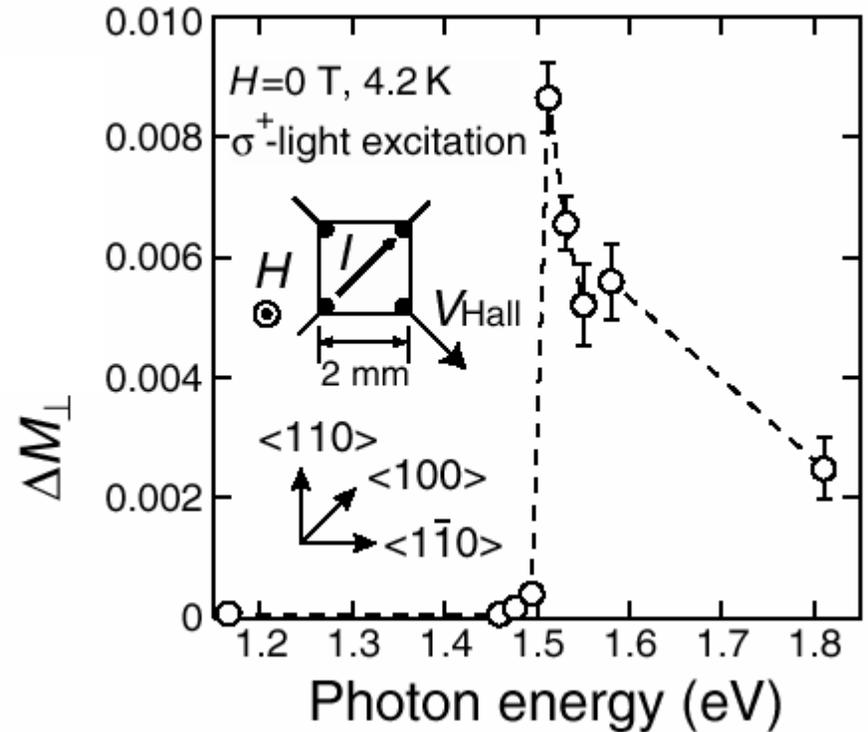
E.J. Singley, R. Kawakami, D.D. Awschalom, D.N. Basov, PRL89, 97203 (2002)



8. Magnetism: optical control of magnetic state



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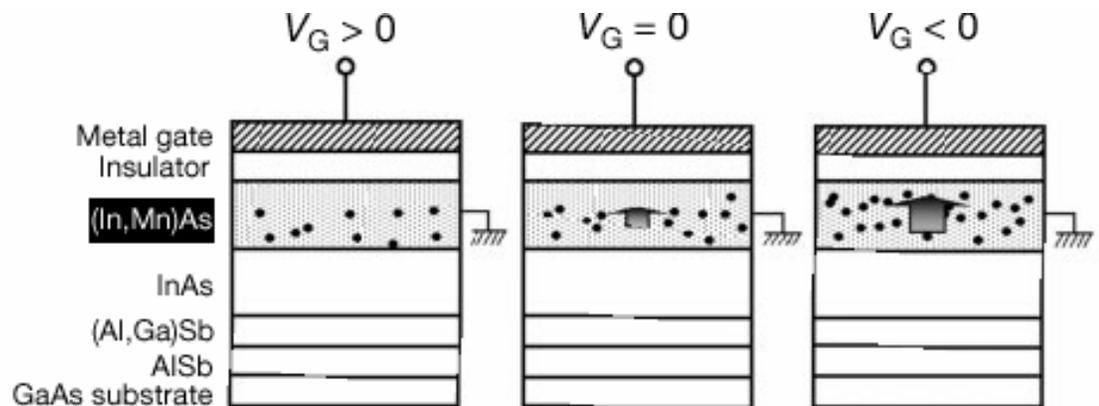
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Pump-probe experiments

9. FET structures:

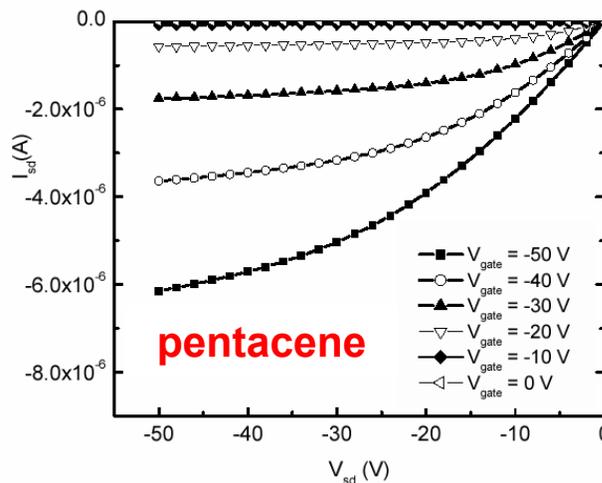
FM semiconductors



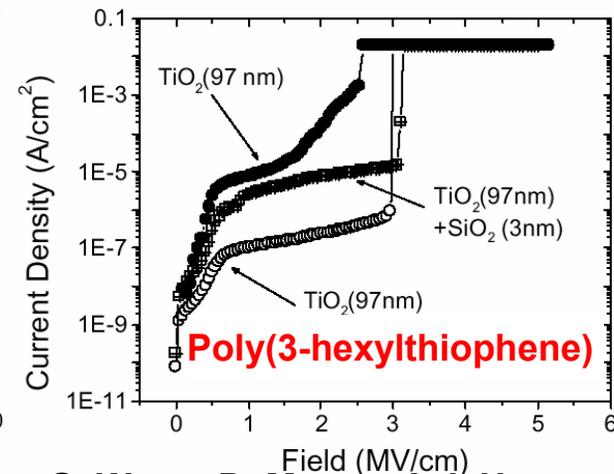
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Organic molecular crystals

Polymers



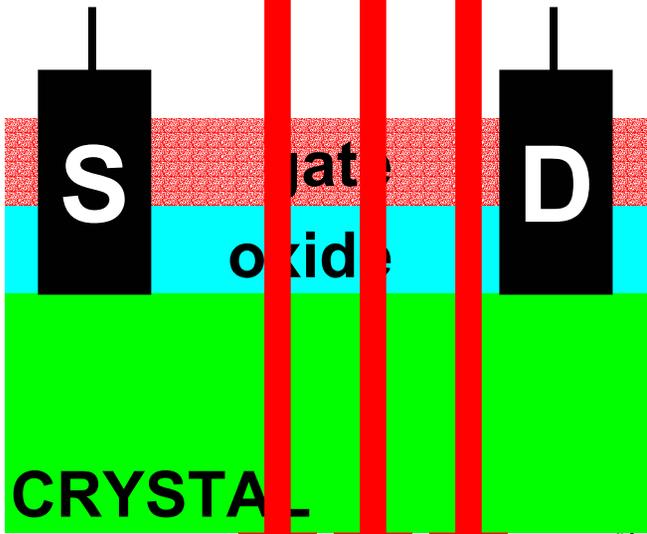
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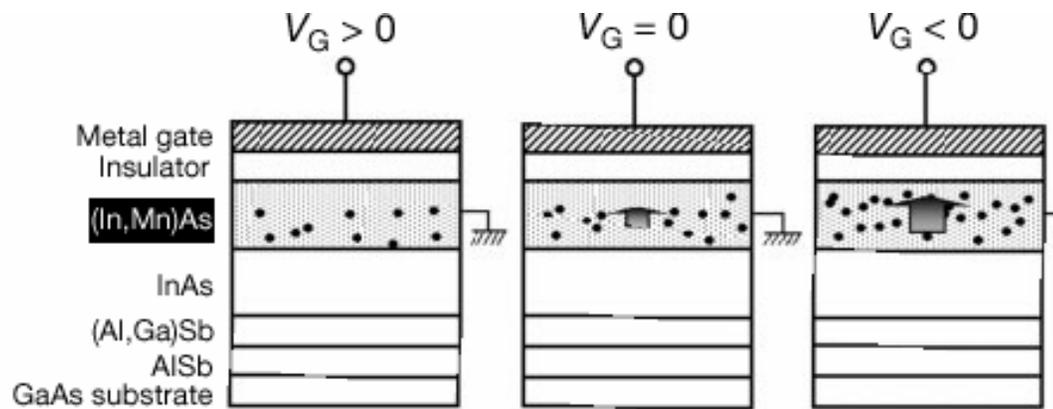
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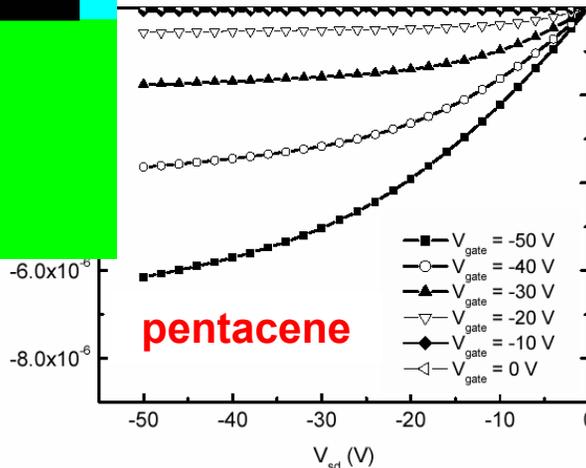
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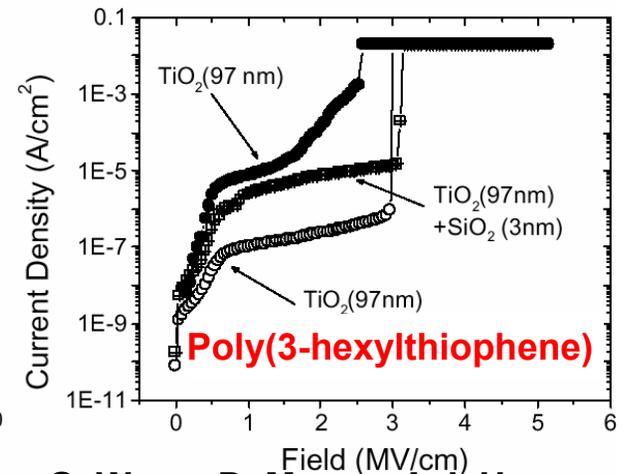
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Experimental issues:

“transparent” gates



Signal intensity!!!!

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- Instruments for broad range spectroscopy:
(80 GHz - 30 eV)
- “Coherent” radiation for sub-THz region
- Spectroscopic ellipsometry
- Pump-probe experiments
- Micro-sample capabilities
- High magnetic field