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“The World of Diverse Matter”

Lecture 7

“The Diversity of Matter Born from the Actions of Atoms, Electrons, and Molecules”

Advanced Functionality Produced by Molecular Assembly

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My Research

Research area: Chemistry (Physical Chemistry of Molecular Assembly)

Physical chemistry deals with physical and chemical properties of elements, and its aim is to manipulate them to invent various kinds of molecular assemblies, developing new functionalities and new physical-chemical phenomena. It is the core of material sciences.

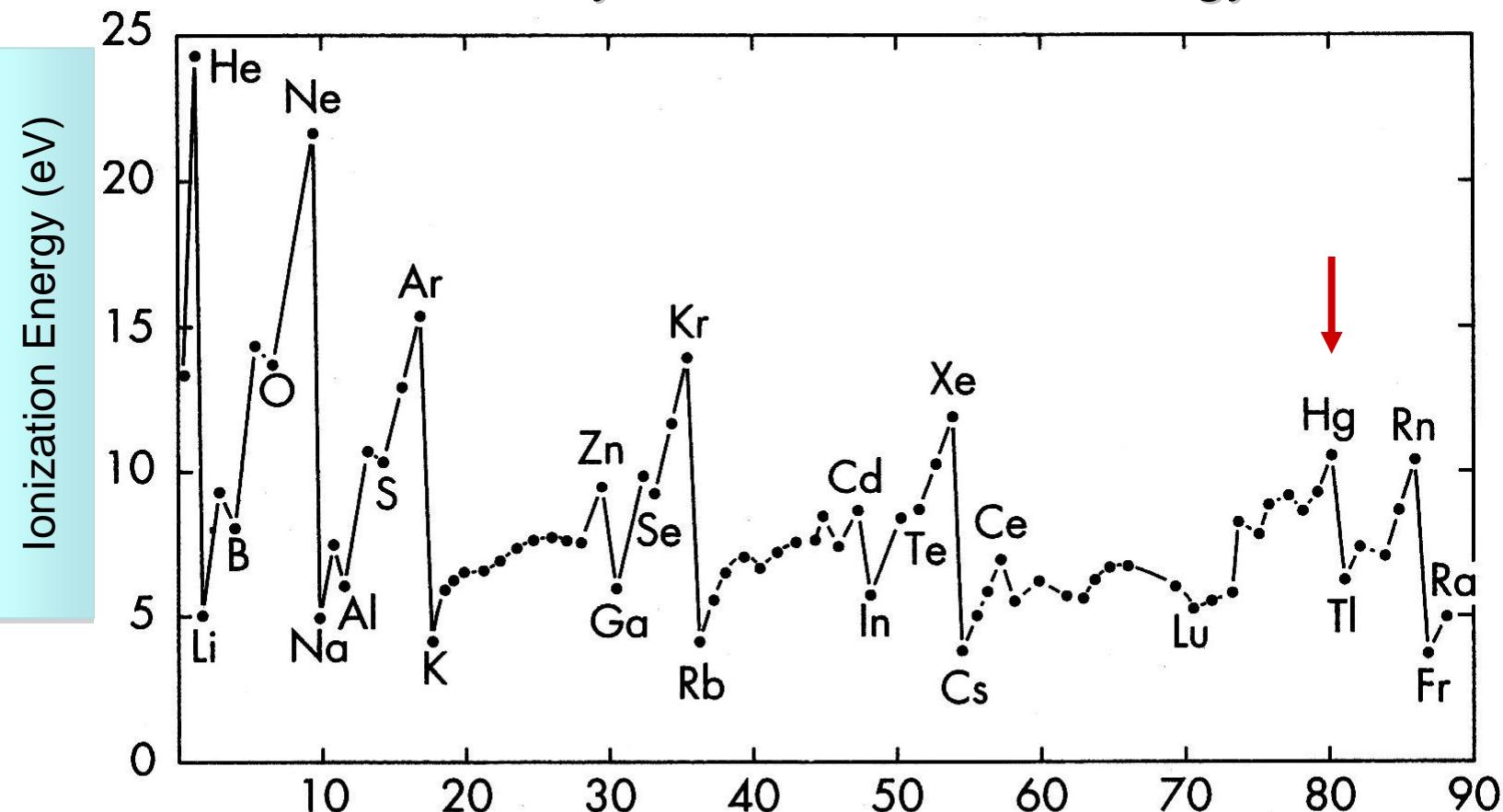
Main research subject

- Transformation from insulators to metals (valence transition for metal complex)
- Manipulating properties of magnets with light (photo-magnetism), investigating magnets with light (magneto-optics)
- Realization of higher order functionalities based on the photo-induced transformation of molecules (design of photo-responsive organic-inorganic hybrid complexes)

In the distant future: transformation from insulators to metals and superconductors with light.

Survey on Physical and Chemical Properties of Elements

Periodicity of the Ionization Energy



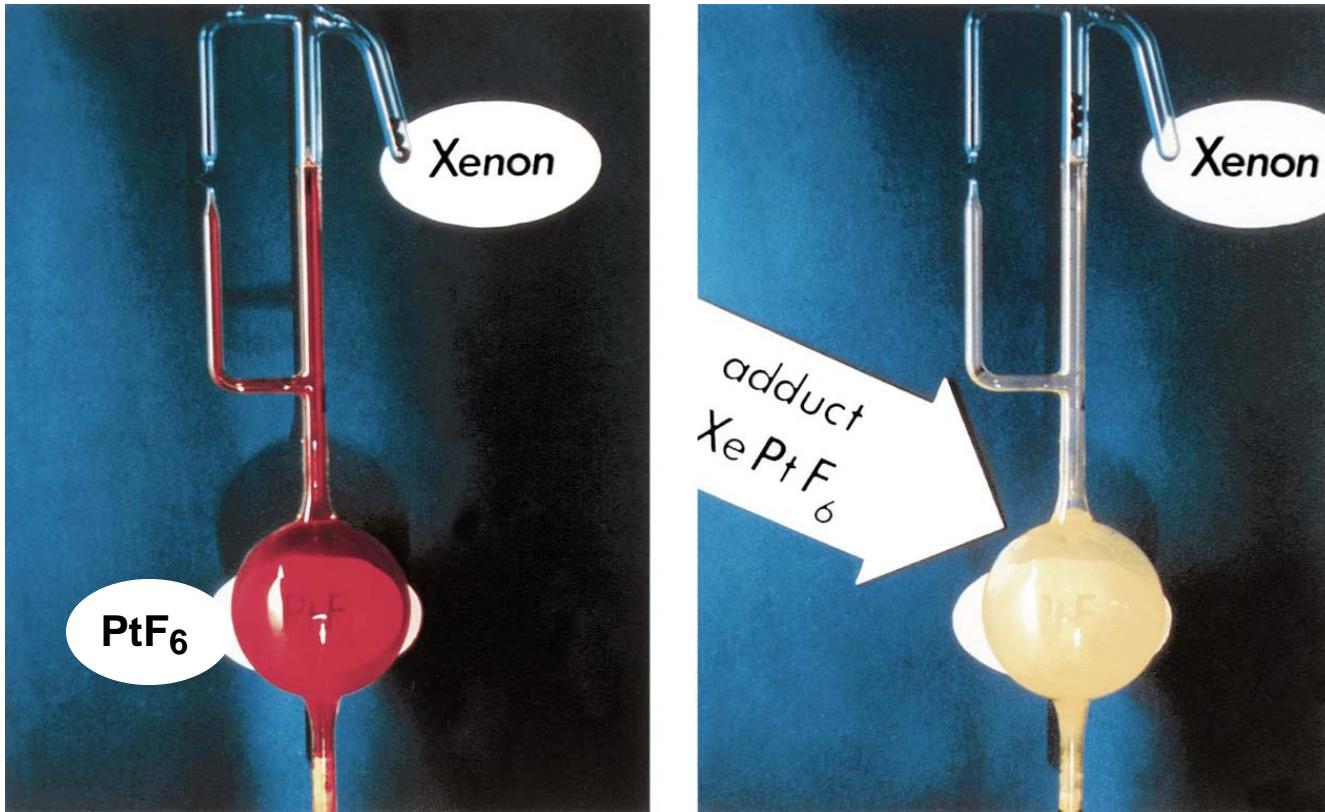
O₂: 12.2 eV, Xe: 12.13 eV, Hg: 10.44 eV

Atomic Number

Why the ionization energy of mercury is so high?

The First Synthesis of Rare Gas Compound, $\text{Xe}^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$

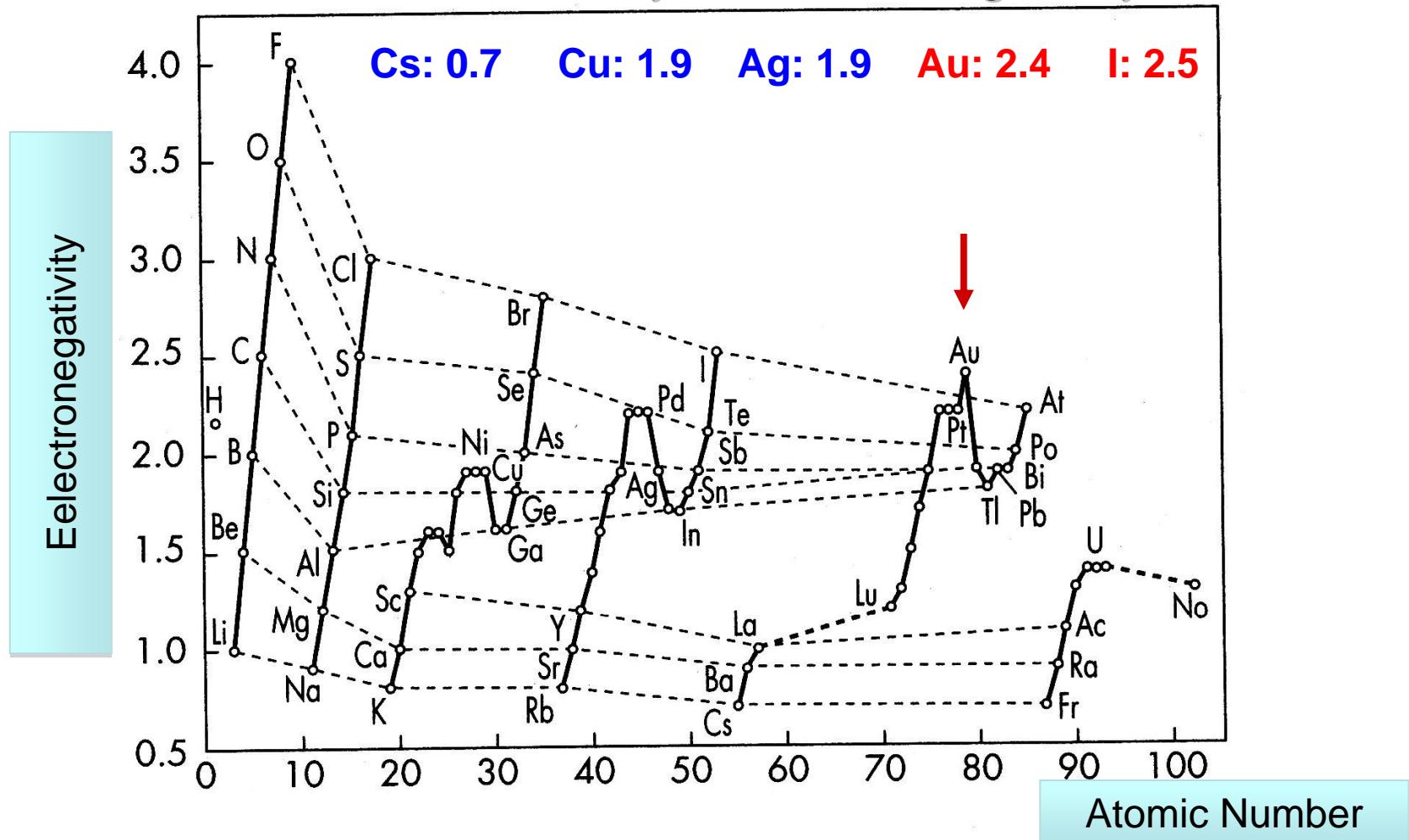
L. Graham, O. Graudejus, N.K. Jha and N. Bartlett, *Coord. Chem. Rev.*, **197**, 321 (2000).



- N. Bartlett removed one electron from O_2 molecule with a strong oxidant PtF_6 and obtained $\text{O}_2^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$.
- He noticed the ionization energy of Xe is almost equal to that of O_2 molecule and removed one electron from Xe with PtF_6 , obtaining $\text{Xe}^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$ (1962).

Survey on Physical and Chemical Properties of Elements

The Periodicity of Electronegativity



The Origin of Extraordinary Physical/Chemical Characteristics of Heavy Elements

~Relativistic Effects on Heavy Elements~

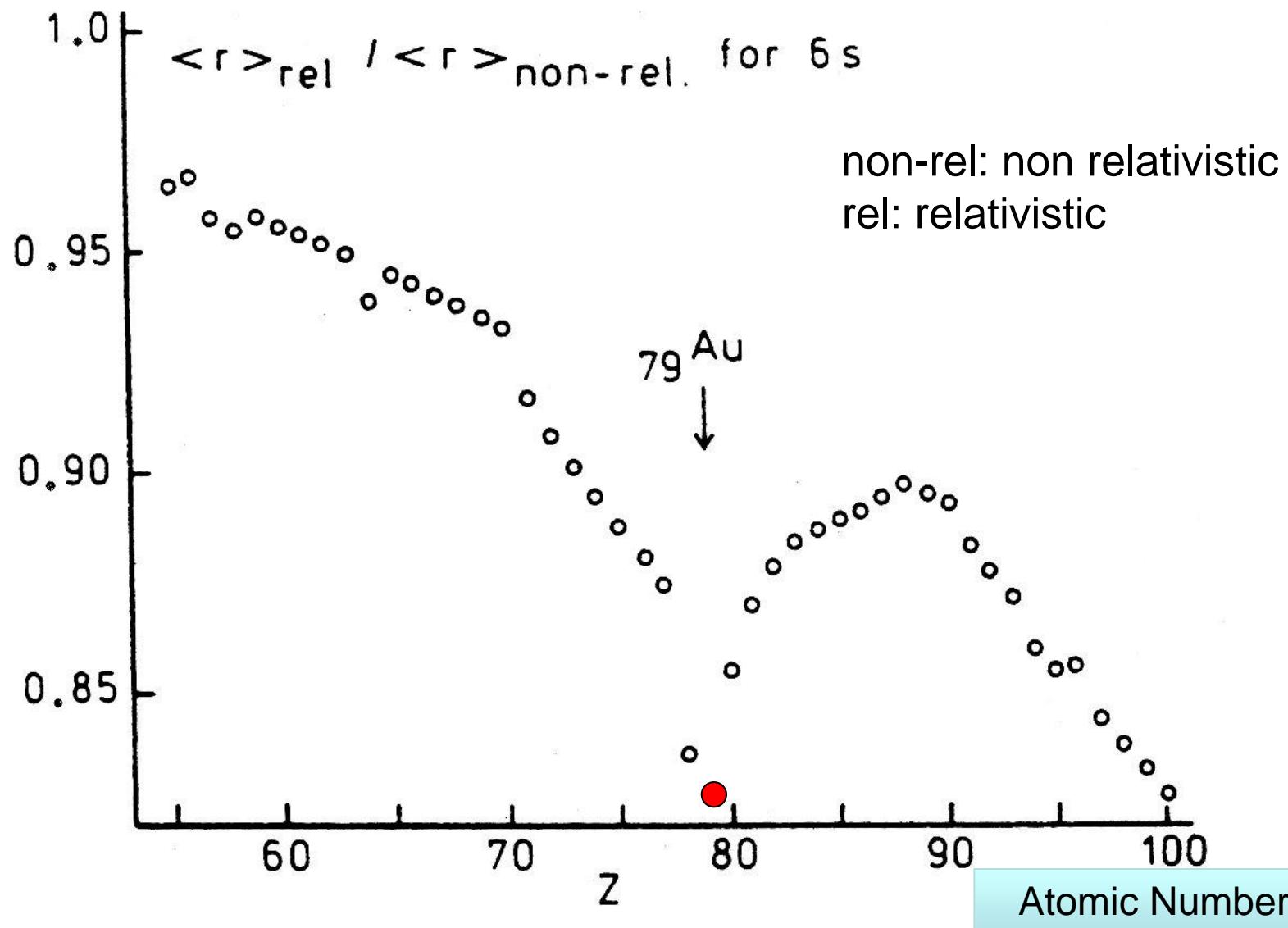
$$m = m_0 / \{1 - (v/c)^2\}^{1/2} \quad (\text{mass of moving electron})$$

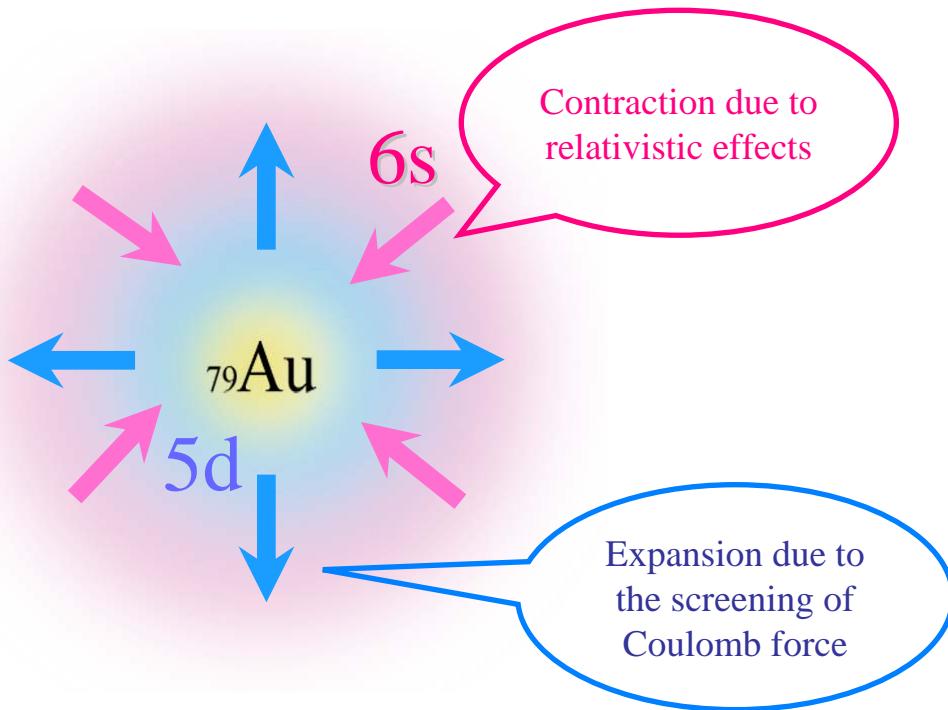
$$r_n = n^2 h^2 \epsilon_0 / \pi m Z e^2 \quad (\text{radius of ns orbital})$$

$$E_n = - \frac{m Z^2 e^2}{8 \epsilon_0^2 h^2 n^2} \quad (\text{energy of ns orbital})$$

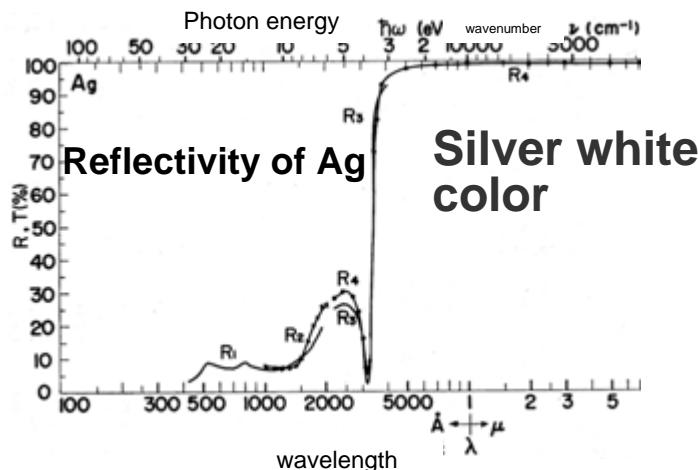
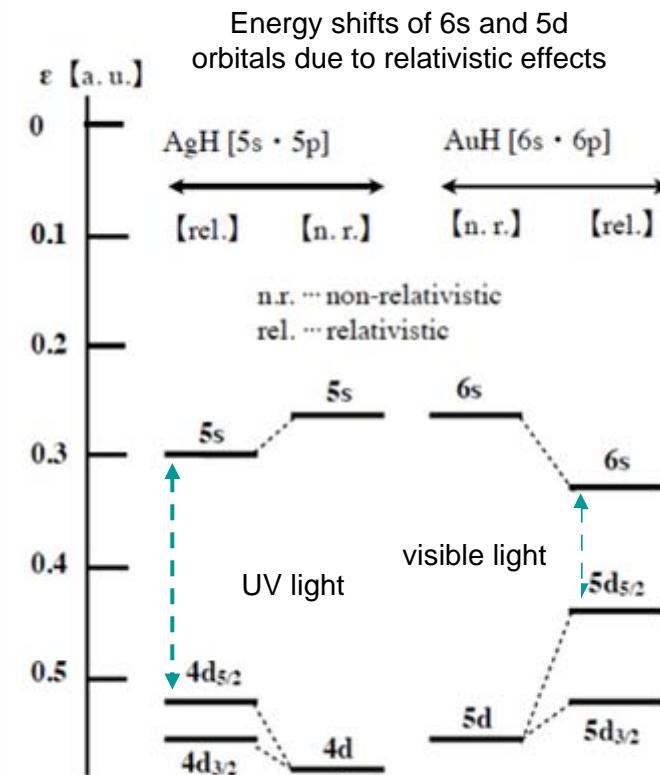
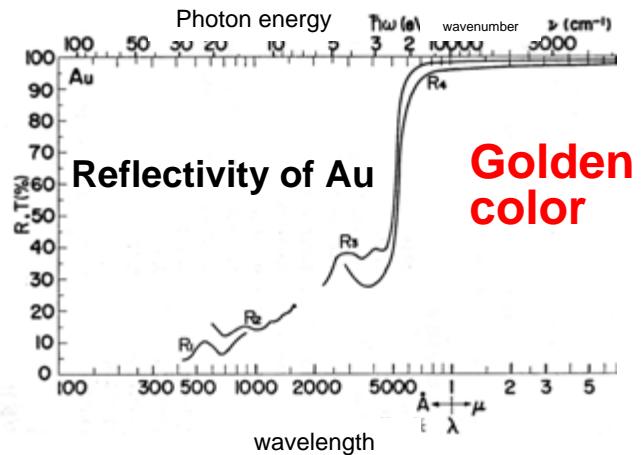
Mean velocity of 1s electron of Hg is as high as 60 % of light speed.

Relativistic Contraction of the Radius $\langle r \rangle$ of 6s Orbital





If the relativistic effects on $6s$ electron were negligible, the color of Au would be silver white.



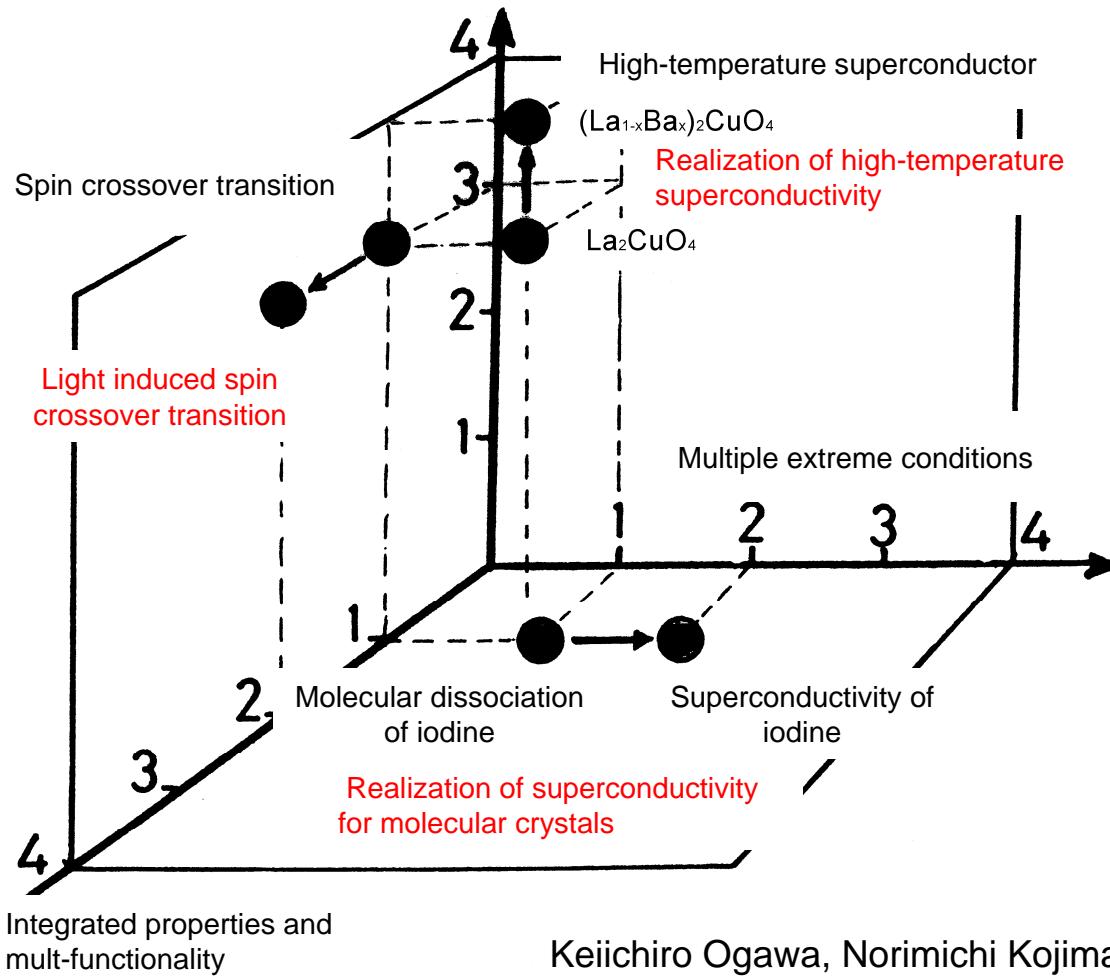
Mystery of Relativistic Effects on Heavy Elements

- Mercury (Hg) is liquid at room temperature due to relativistic effect
 - * 6s orbital is closed shell, and its characteristics is similar to those of rare gases.
- Gold (Au) exhibits golden color due to relativistic effect
 - * If the relativistic effect on 6s electron was negligible, the color of Au would be silver white.
- Anomalous electronegativity of Au
- Anomalous ionization energy of Hg

Viewpoint for Materials

Our viewpoint at room temperature and ambient pressure is only one point in the multiple coordinates for materials.

Dimensionality in material component

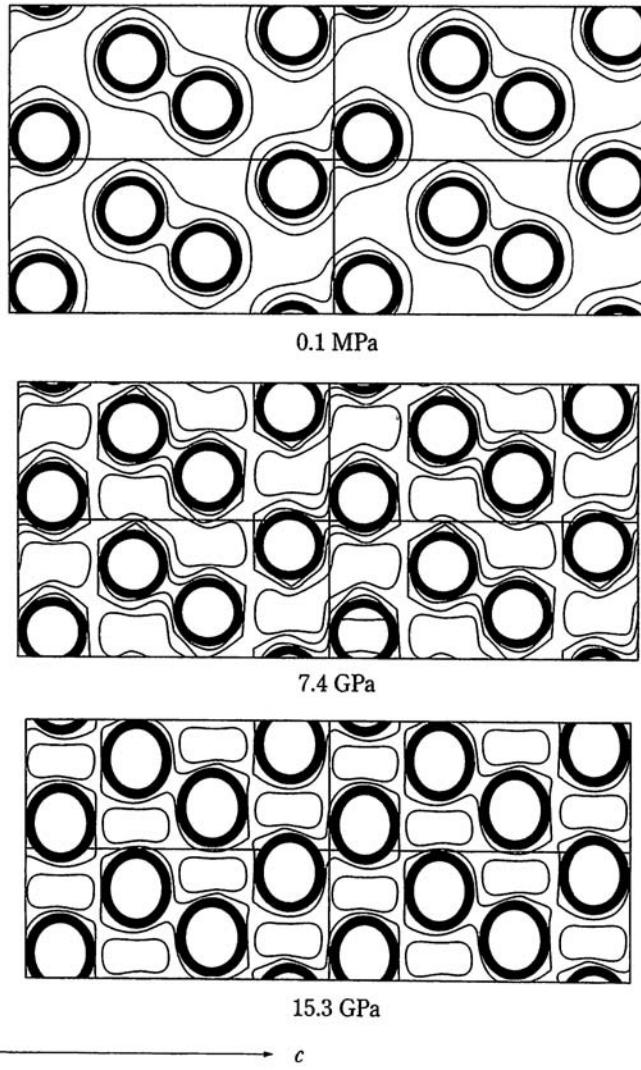


Distribution of Electron Density in Solid Iodine at 0.1 MPa, 7.4 GPa, and 15.3 GPa

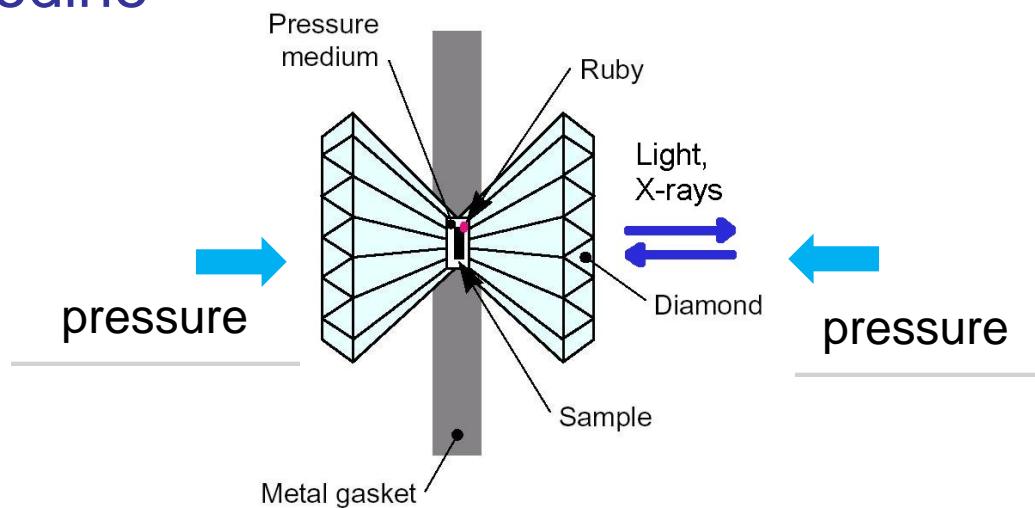
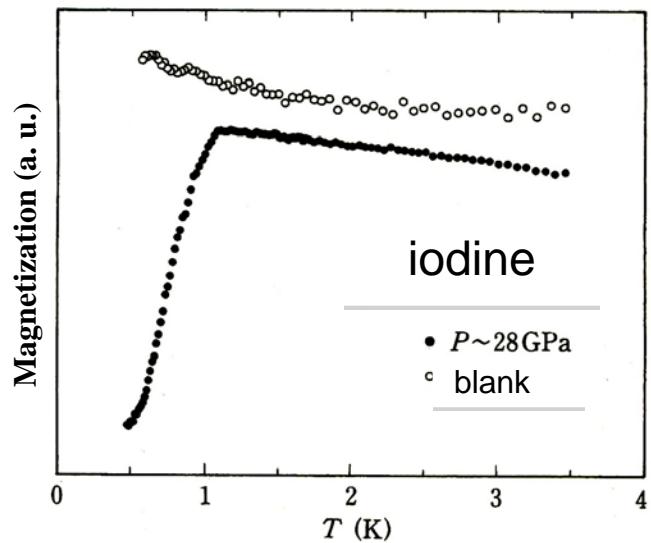
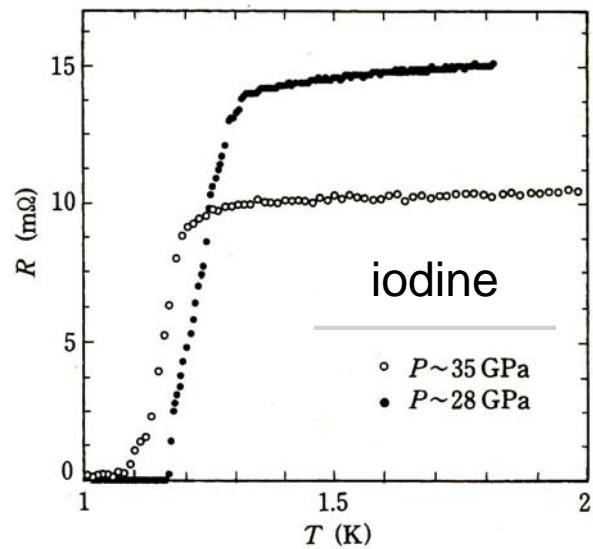
Pressure dependence of the distribution of electron density in solid iodine was measured by means of X-ray structural analysis under high pressures.

Ambient pressure ≈ 0.1 MPa

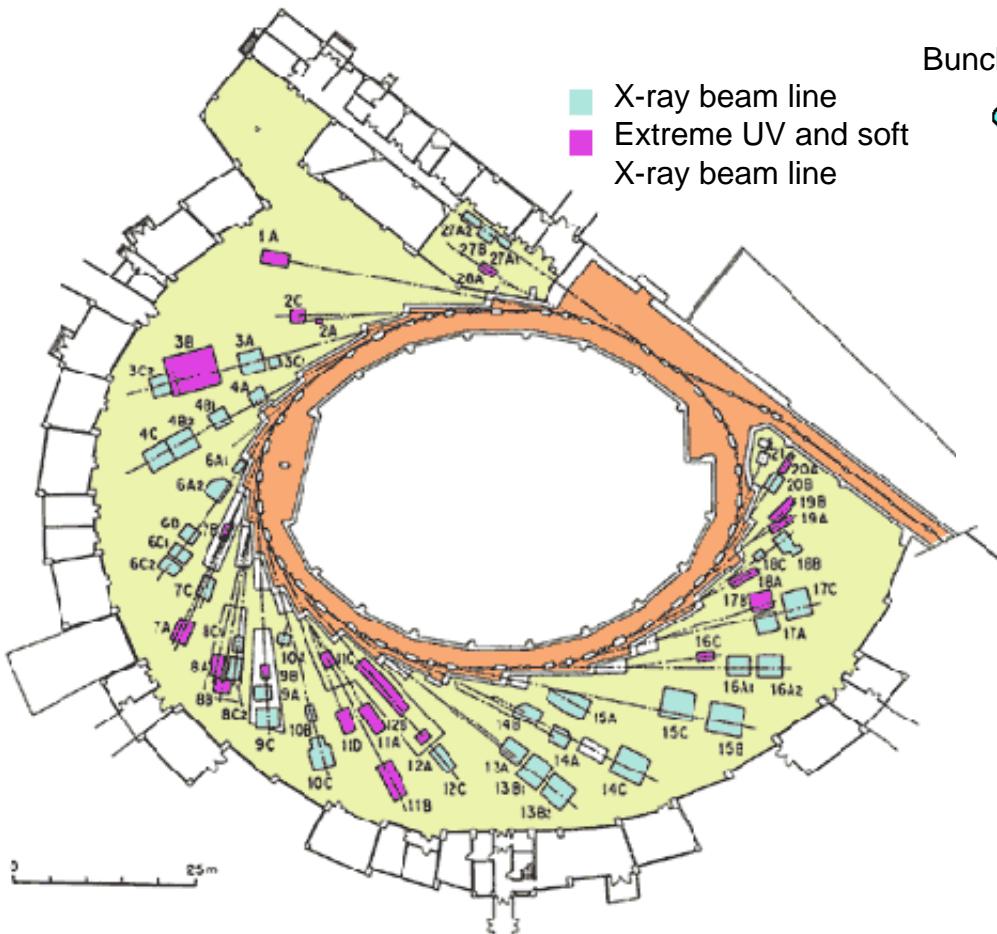
$1 \text{ GPa} = 10^3 \text{ MPa}$



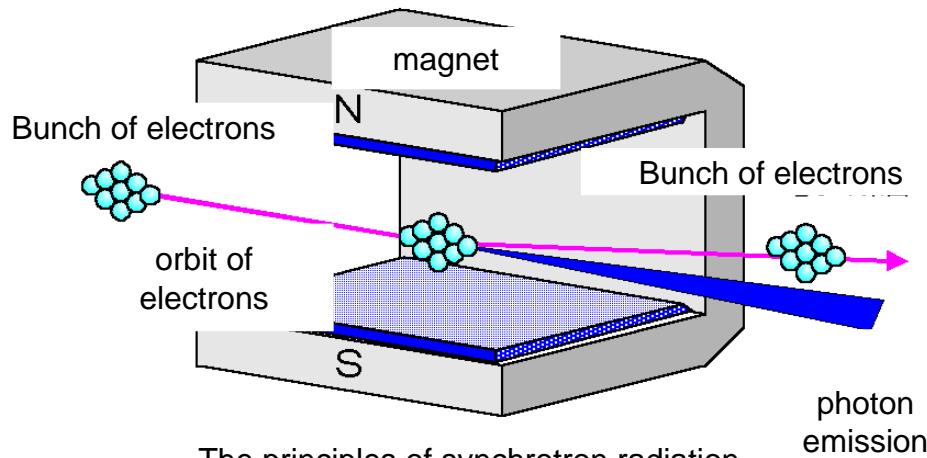
Superconductivity of Solid Iodine



Photon Factory and the Principles of Synchrotron Radiation

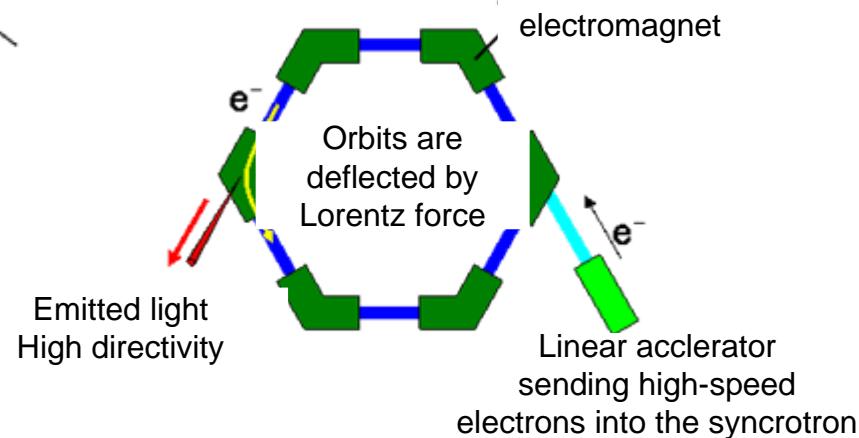


When the orbit of electrons with high speed comparable to light speed is suddenly deflected, photons are emitted into the tangent direction, which is called synchrotron radiation.

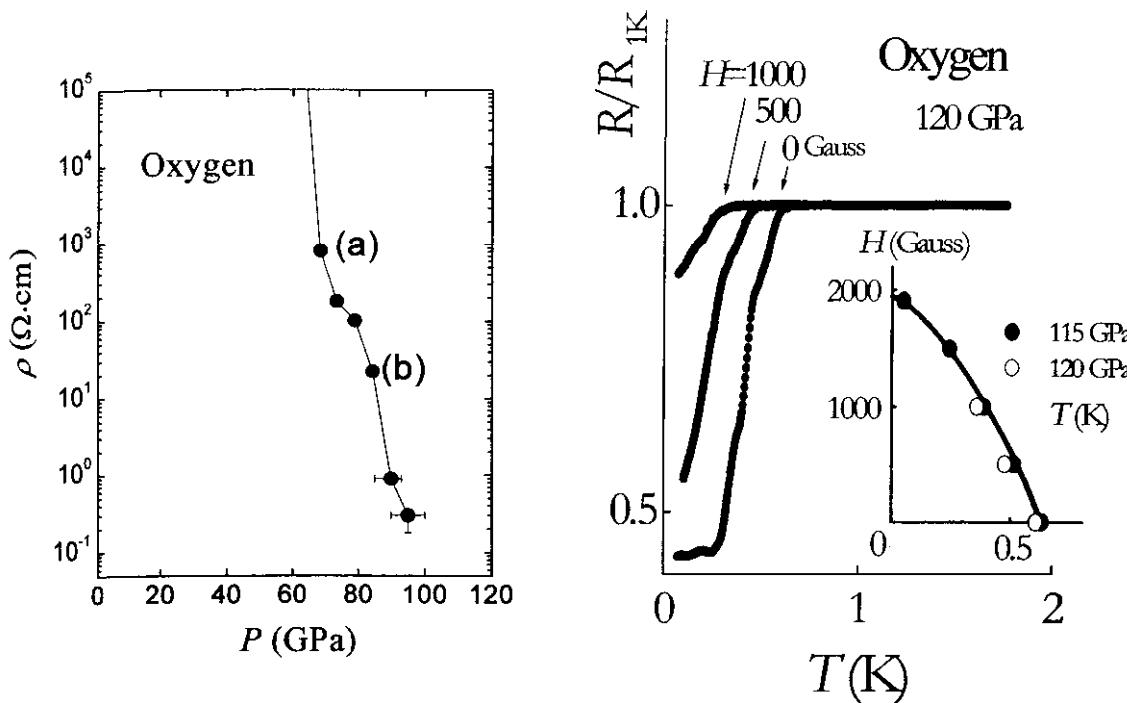


The principles of synchrotron radiation

From Spring-8 brochure (October 1997), page 11



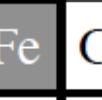
Superconductivity appears in solid oxygen at high pressures.

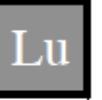
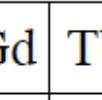


Solid oxygen exhibits the superconductivity at 115 GPa and 0.6 K.

Katsuya Shimizu, “The Review of High Pressure Science and Technology (in Japanese)”, **10**, 194 (2000).

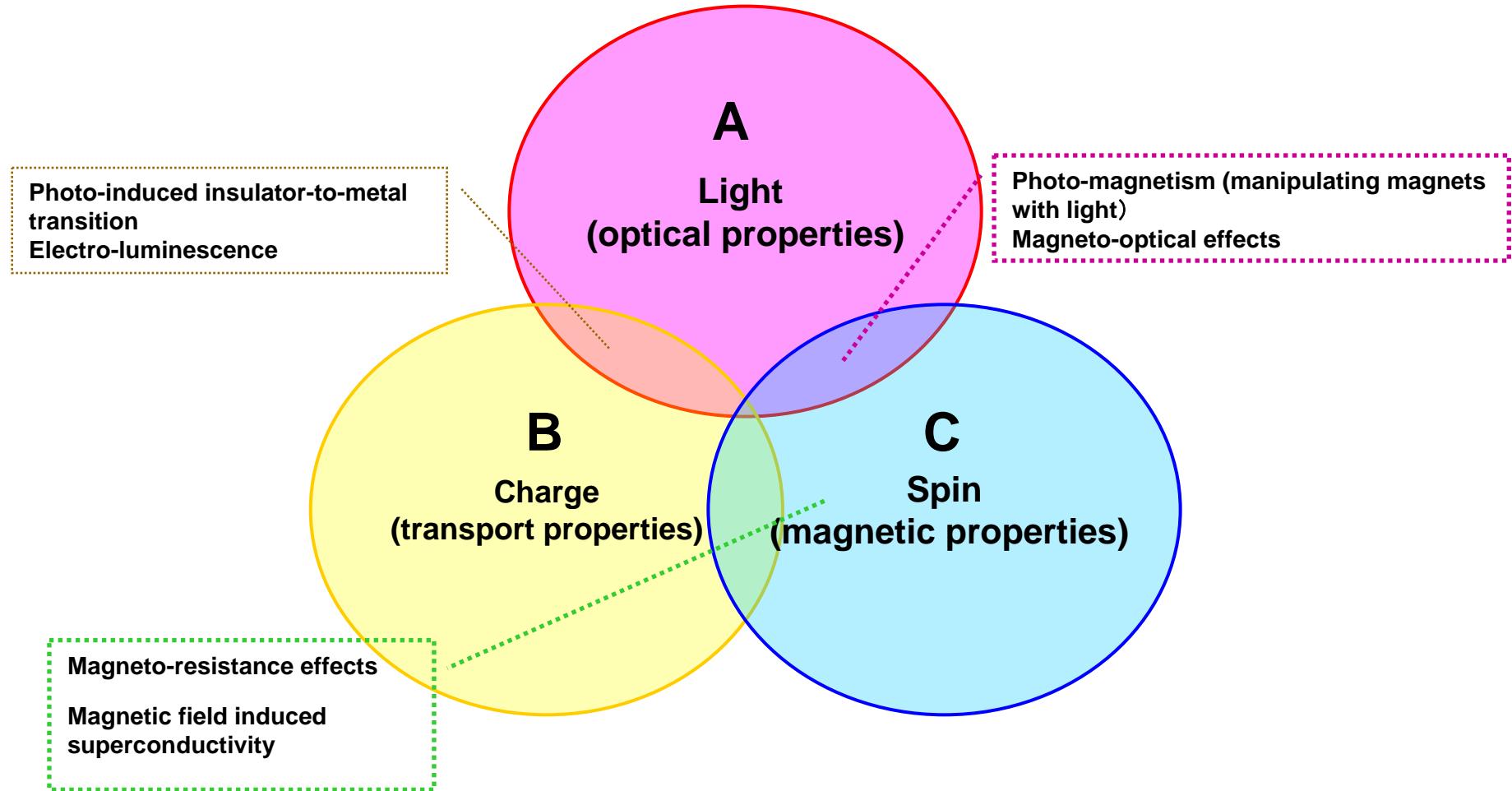
Elements exhibiting superconductivity (simple substance)

H			= superconductivity at high pressure												He	
Li	Be		= superconductivity at ambient pressure												F Ne	
Na	Mg														Cl Ar	
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn		Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se Br Kr	
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb Te I	Xe	
Cs	Ba	ランタ ノイド	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi Po At	Rn	
Fr	Ra	アクチ ノイド	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt	Ds	Rg	Cn	Uut	Uuq	Uup	Uuh	Uuo

ランタ ノイド	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm		Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb		
アクチ ノイド	Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu		Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr

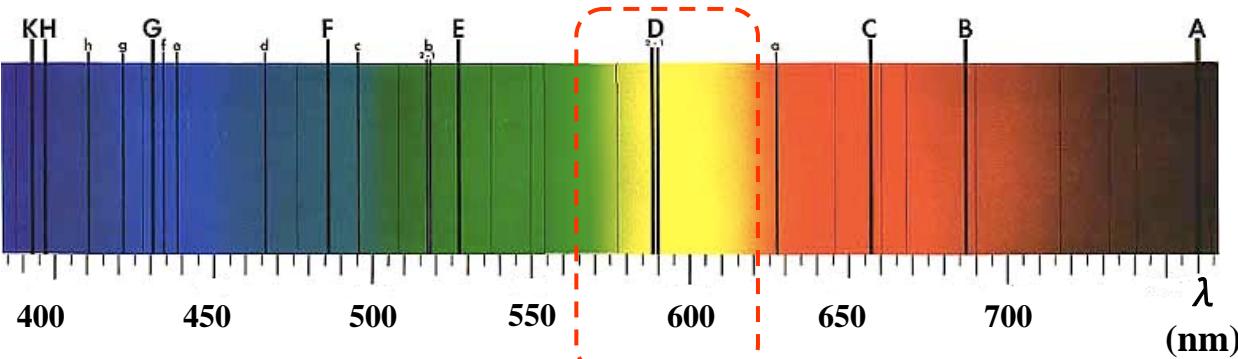
Concept of Multifunctionality

~Advanced functionality based on molecular assembly~



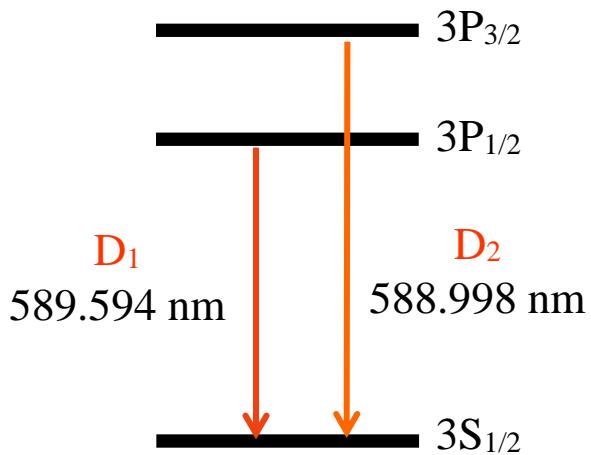
Multifunctionality ($A + B$, $B + C$, $A + C$, $A + B + C$)

(C) Spin (magnetic properties)



Fraunhofer lines

D line of Na

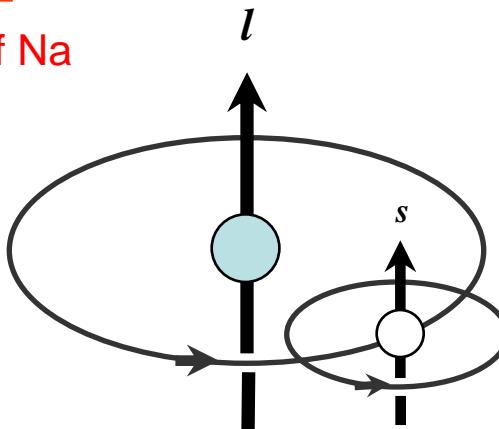


$3p \rightarrow 3s$ transition of Na atom

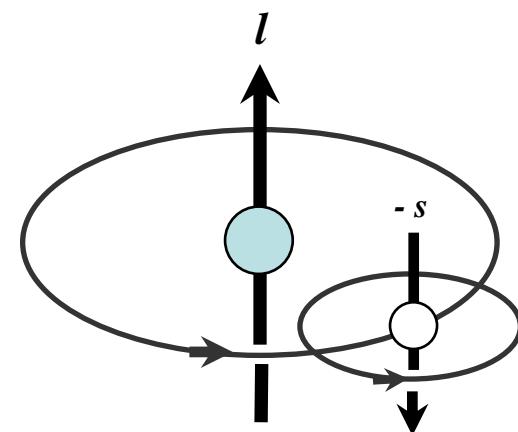
Splitting of D line of Na



Discovery of electron spin ($S = \frac{1}{2}$)
Uhlenbeck & Goudsmit (1925)



An electron with clockwise orbital rotation and clockwise spin rotation
(total angular momentum = $l + s$)



An electron with clockwise orbital rotation and anticlockwise spin rotation
(total angular momentum = $l - s$)

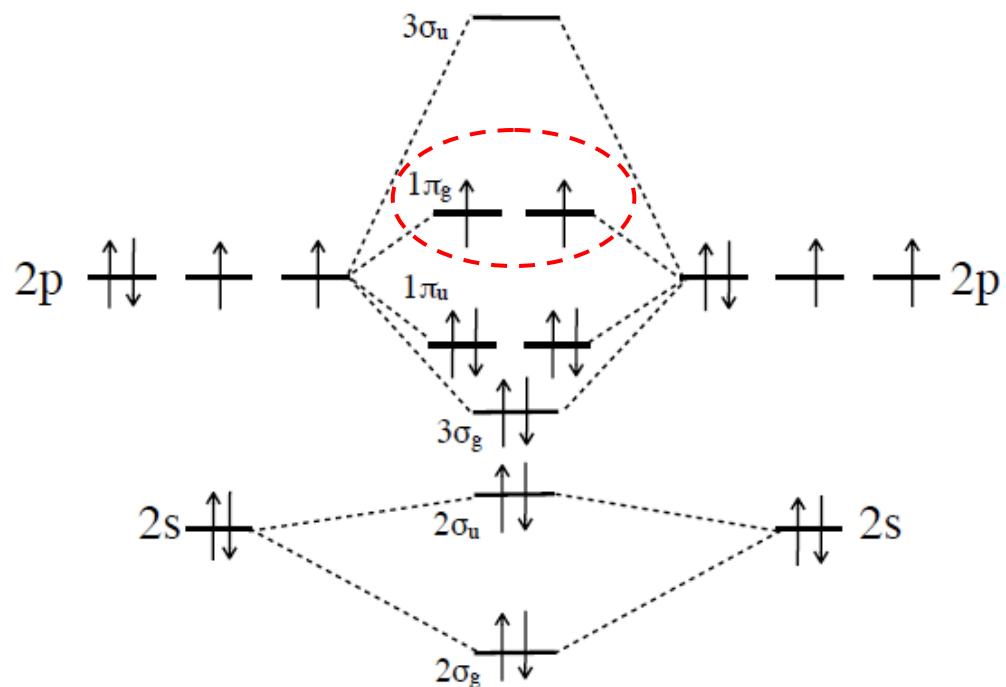
An electron feels the following magnetic field when it is rotating around an atomic nucleus

$$H = \frac{1}{2} Z e \frac{[r \times v]}{r^3} = \frac{e \hbar}{2m r^3} Z l$$

$(\hbar l = [r \times P])$

(C) Spin (magnetic properties)

Paramagnetism of O₂ molecules



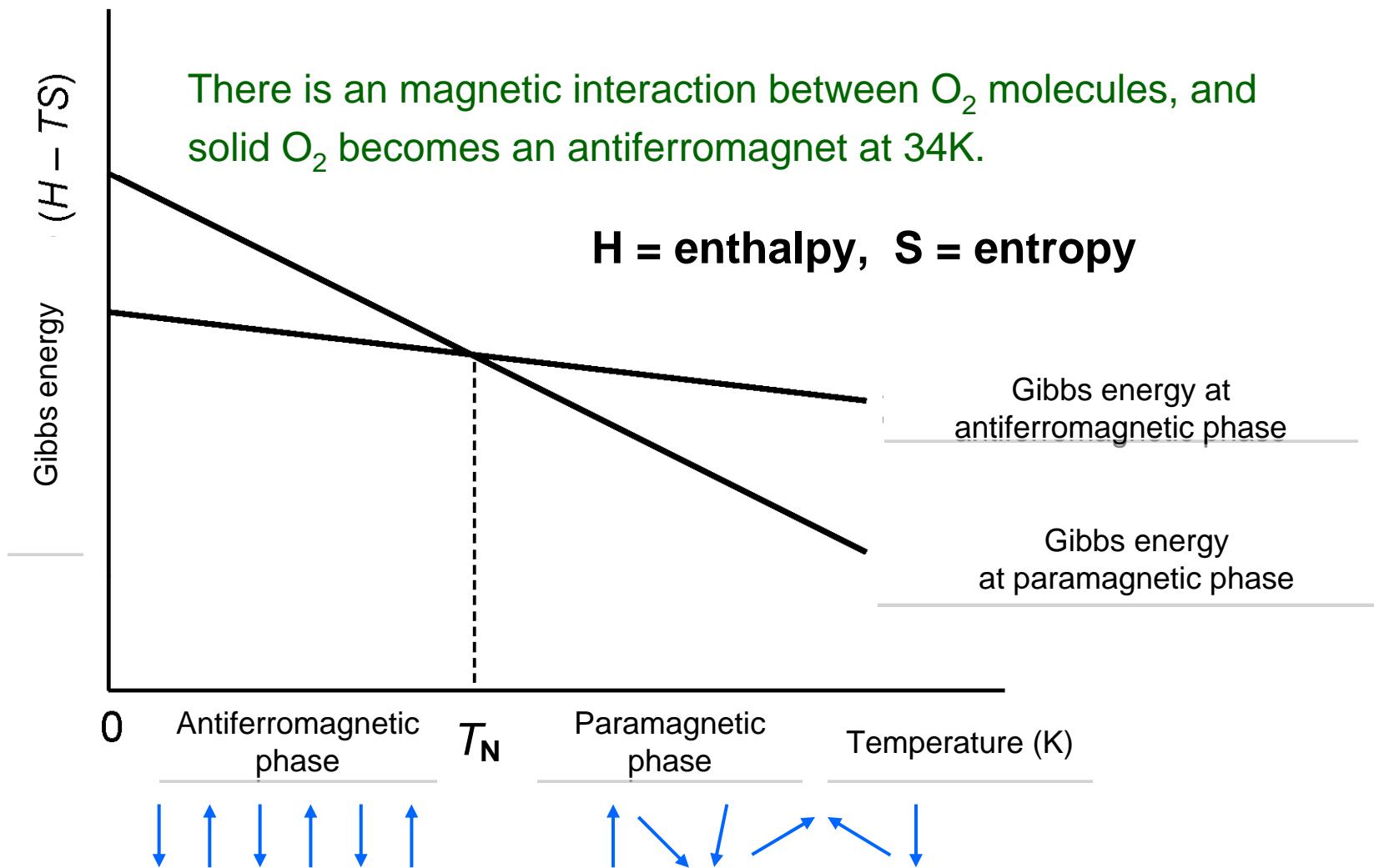
Molecular
orbitals of O₂



Liquid oxygen is pale blue and its boiling point is 90K. Liquid oxygen is attracted to a magnet.

(C) Spin (magnetic properties)

Paramagnetic phase and magnetically ordered phase



(A) Light (optical properties) The origin of 15 types for colors of matter

[Vibrations and Simple Excitations]

1. **Black-body radiation:** filament lamps, sunlight (blackbody radiation at 5700 °C)
2. **Excitations of gas:** sodium lamp, neon light, aurora
3. **Excitations of vibrations and rotations:** blue color of water (optical absorption by higher harmonic oscillations)

[Transitions Involving Ligand Field Effects]

4. **Color of transition metal compounds (transitions in d orbitals):** blue color of copper sulfate
5. **Color of transition metal as impurities:** red color of ruby

[Transitions Between Molecular Orbitals]

6. **Organic compound:** color of organic pigments, color of organic charge-transfer complexes
7. **Color due to charge transfer:** blue sapphire, Prussian blue

[Transition Involving Energy Bands]

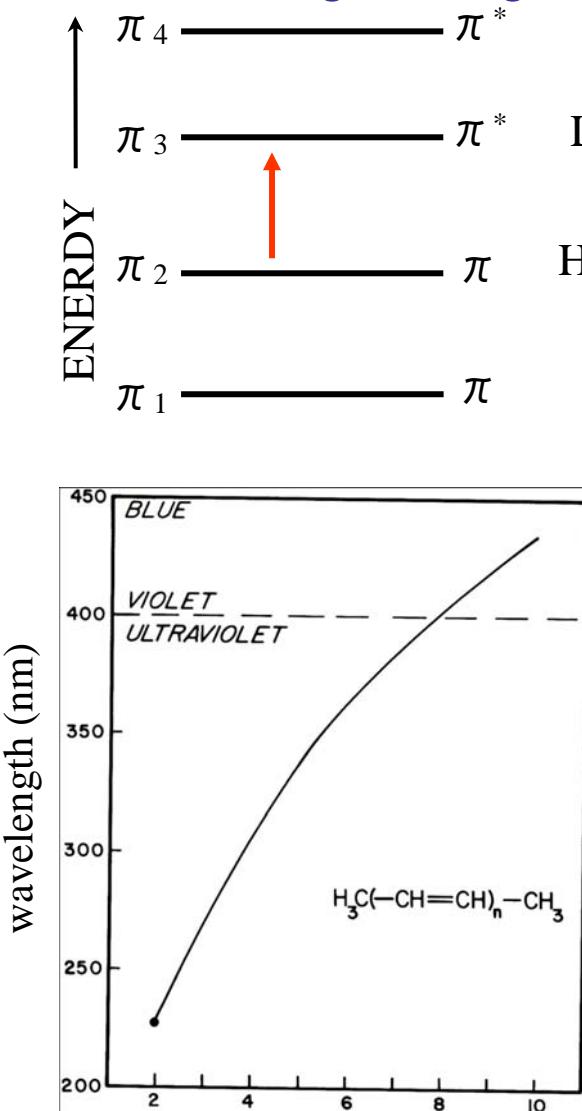
8. **Metallic luster:** color of gold, golden color of brass, color of silver
9. **Color of pure semiconductors:** silver white of silicon, red color of cinnabar
10. **Color of n(p) semiconductors:** colored diamonds, semiconductor laser
11. **Color center:** amethyst, smoky quartz

[Geometrical and Physical Optics]

12. **Dispersive refraction:** rainbow, halos
13. **Scattering of light:** Rayleigh scattering, Raman scattering
14. **Interference of light:** color of soap bubbles,
15. **Diffraction of light:** color of liquid crystals, opal

(A) Light (optical properties)

Color change of organic molecules due to external fields

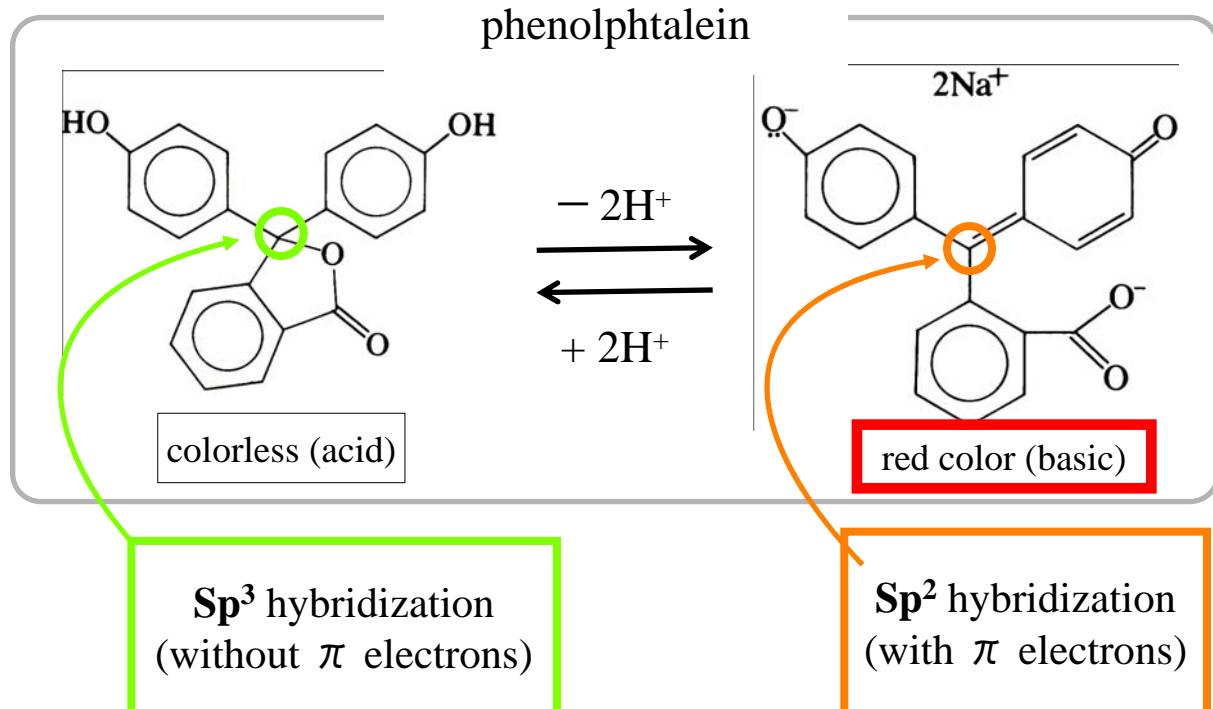


The HOMO – LUMO gap as a function of the number of double bonds in conjugated polyene.

LUMO (lowest unoccupied molecular orbital)

HOMO (highest occupied molecular orbital)

phenolphthalein



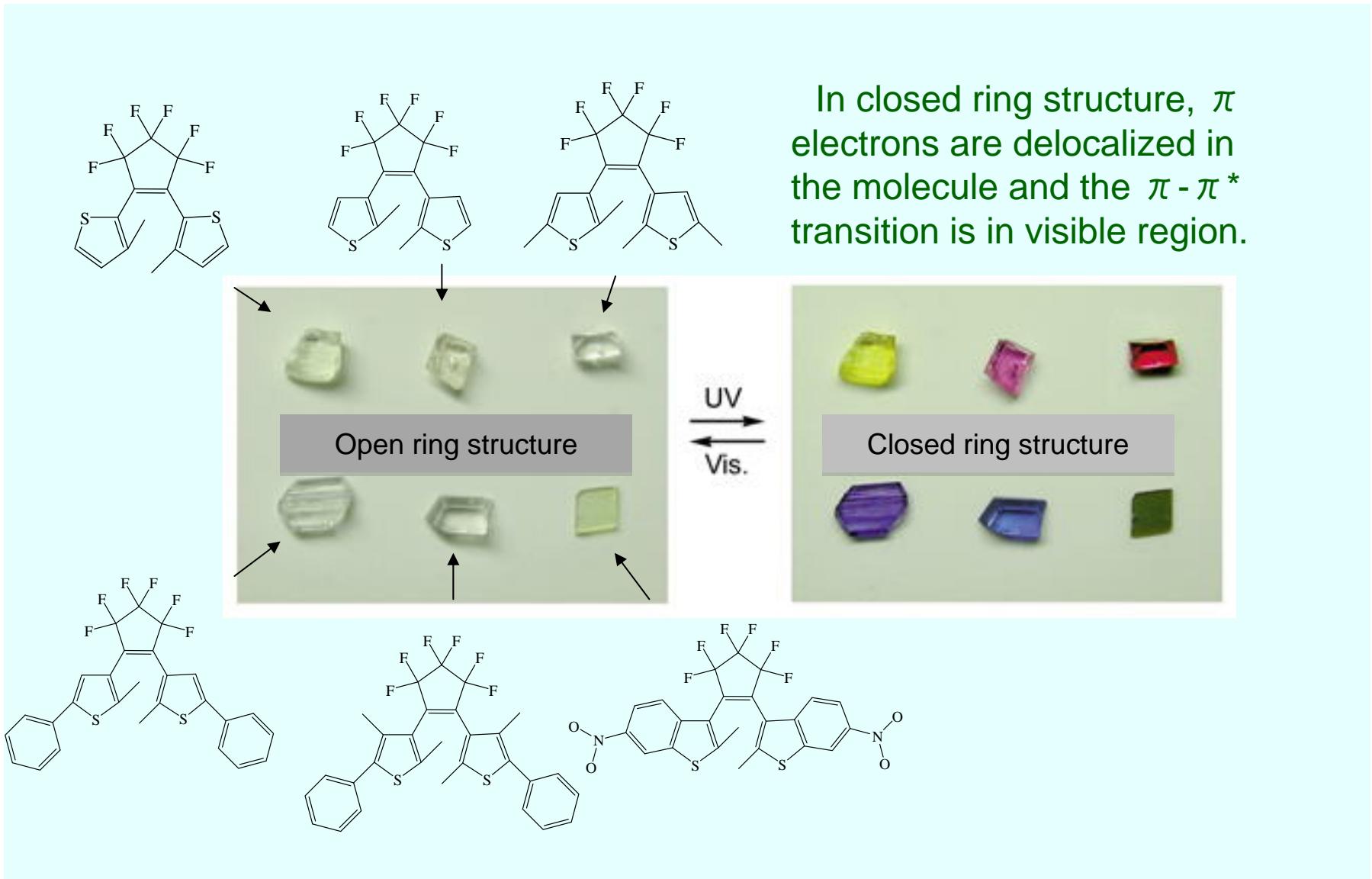
Sp^3 hybridization
(without π electrons)

Sp^2 hybridization
(with π electrons)

In alkaline solution of phenolphthalein, π electrons are delocalized in the molecule and the $\pi - \pi^*$ transition is in visible region.

Color change and photoisomerization of Diarylethene

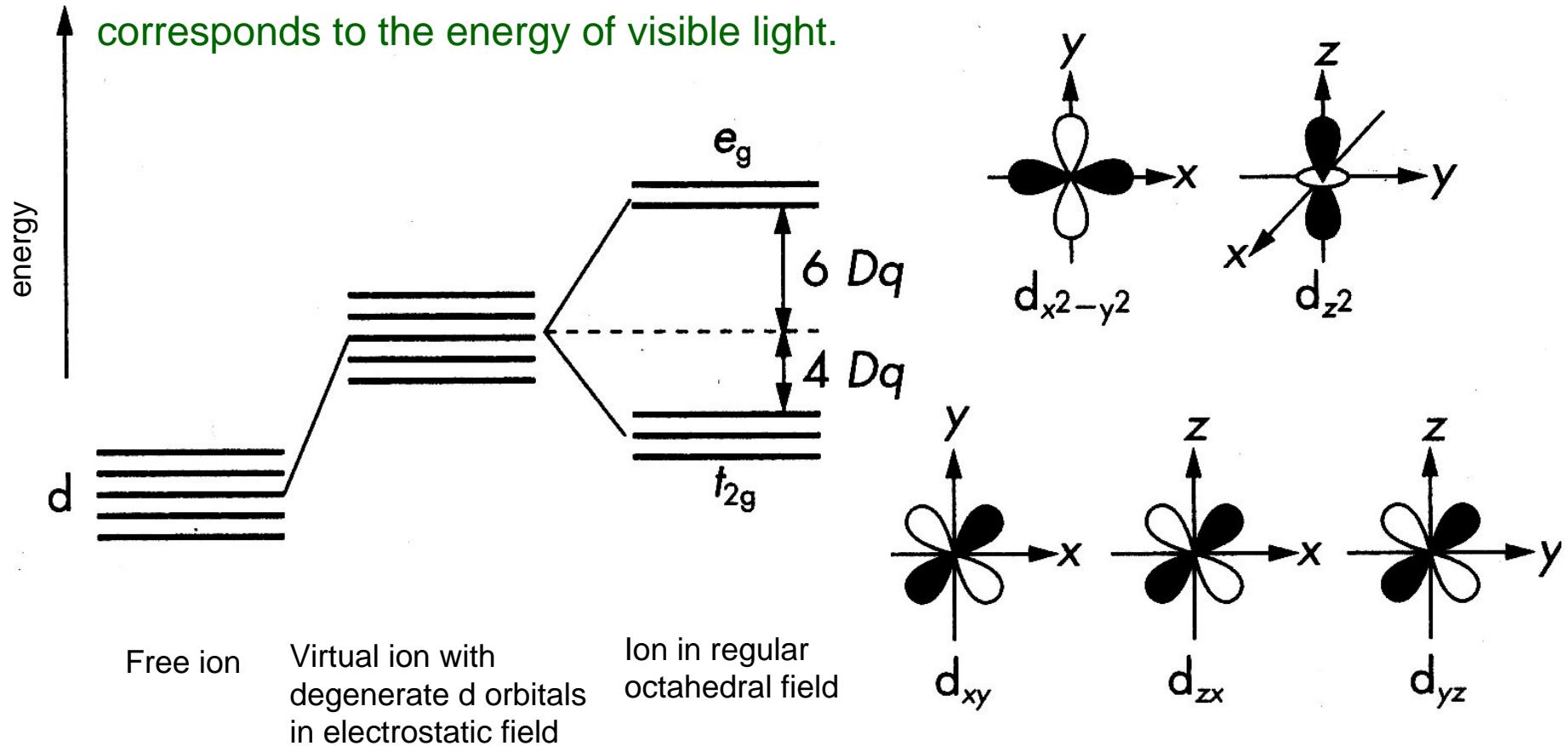
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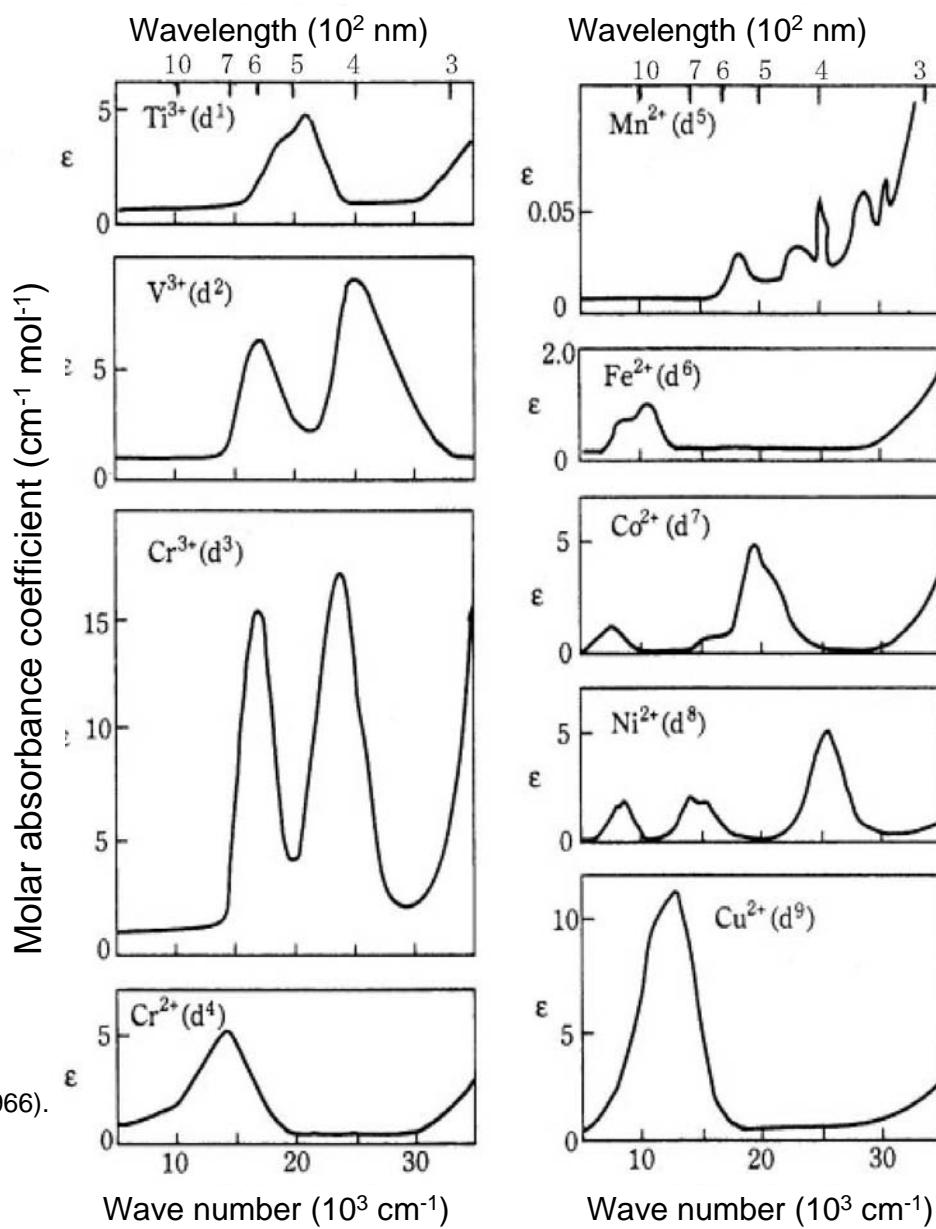
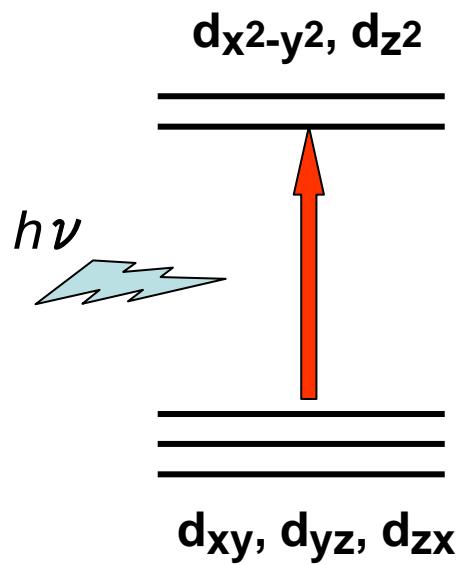
(A) Light (optical properties)

Splitting of d orbitals by the formation of metal complex

Origin of colors of transition metal complexes: The splitting ($10Dq$) of d orbitals corresponds to the energy of visible light.



Optical Absorption Spectra of $[M(H_2O)_6]^{n+}$ due to d-d Transition



B. Figgis, *Introduction to Ligand Fields*, Wiley-Interscience (1966).

(A) Light (optical properties)

The origin of colors of transitional metal complex

(1) Transition between d orbitals (d-d transition)

(2) Charge transfer transition

① Charge transfer from ligand to d orbitals of transition metal ions:

LMCT (Ligand-to-Metal Charge Transfer)

ex. Magenta color of Permanganate, $[\text{MnO}_4]^-$

② Charge transfer from d orbitals of transition metal ion to ligands:

MLCT (Metal-to-Ligand Charge Transfer)

ex. Red color of $[\text{Fe}(\text{phen})_3]^{2+}$ (phen = phenanthroline)

③ Charge transfer between transition metal ions:

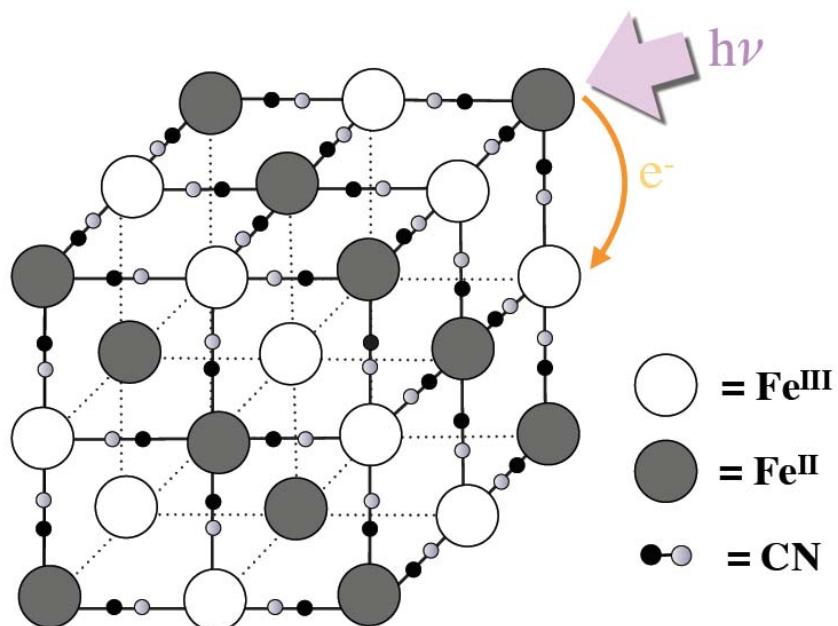
IVCT (Inter-Valence Charge Transfer)

ex. Ultramarine color of Prussian blue, $\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}_4[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}(\text{CN})_6]_3 \cdot 15\text{H}_2\text{O}$

(A) Light (optical properties)

IVCT (Inter-Valence Charge Transfer)

Ultramarine color of Prussian blue



Crystal structure of Prussian blue,
 $(\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}_4[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}(\text{CN})_6]_3 \cdot 15\text{H}_2\text{O})$

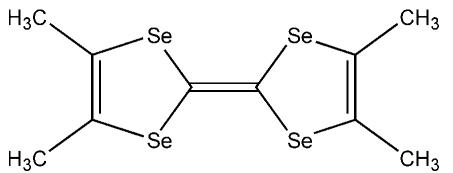
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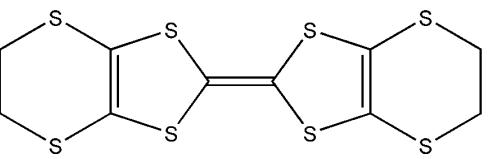
『Kanagawa-oki namiura』

Hokusai Katsushika in the Edo era used imported Prussian blue as a ultramarine colored pigment to draw his Fugaku Sanjūrokkei series.

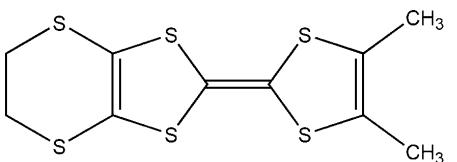
(B) Charge (transport properties)



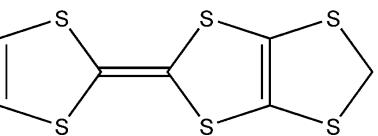
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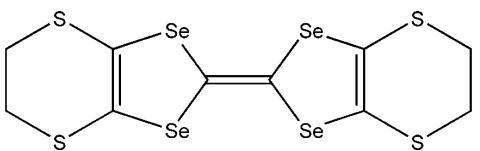
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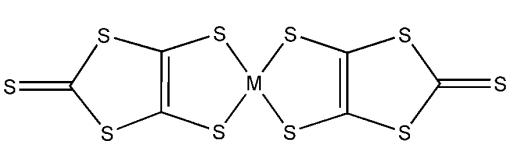
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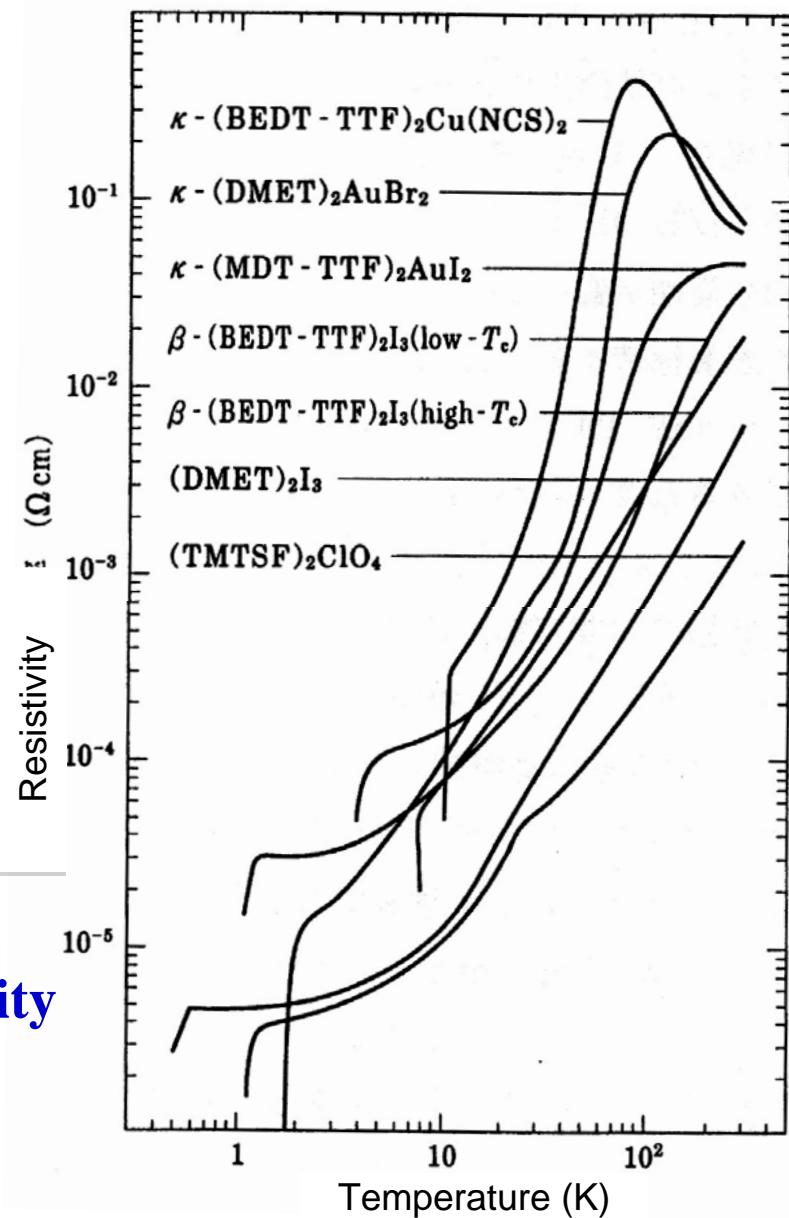
MDT-TTF



BEDT-TSF (BETS)



M(dmit)₂ (M = Ni, Pd)



Organic molecules producing superconductivity

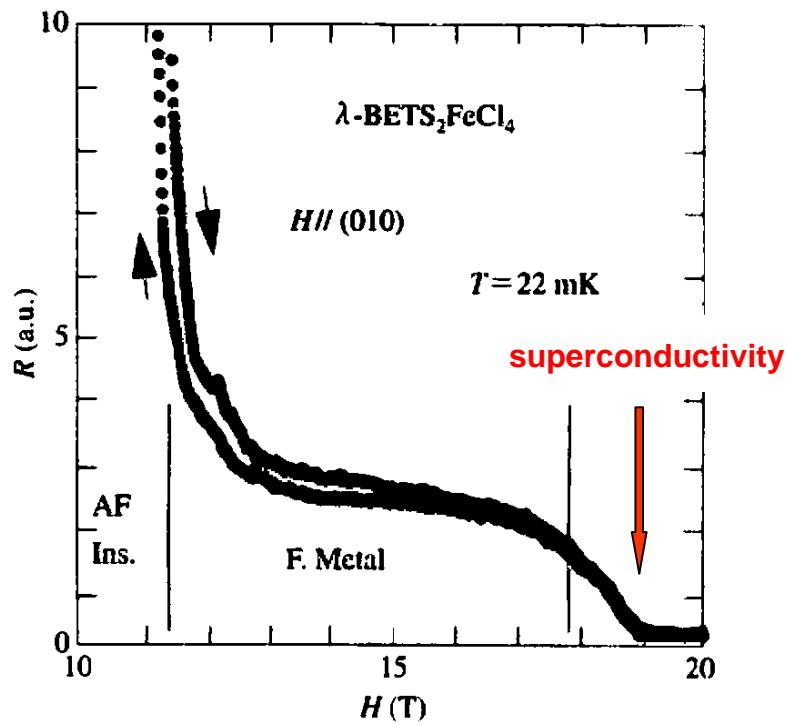
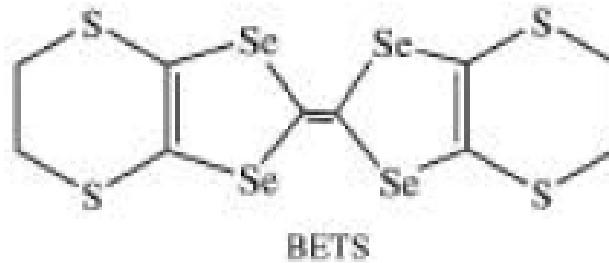
1979 The discovery of organic superconductivity
 $(\text{TMTSF})_2\text{PF}_6$ ($T_c = 0.9$ K at 1.2 GPa)

1988 Organic superconductor at $T_c > 10$ K
 $(\text{BEDT-TTF})_2\text{Cu}(\text{NCS})_2$ ($T_c = 10.4$ K)

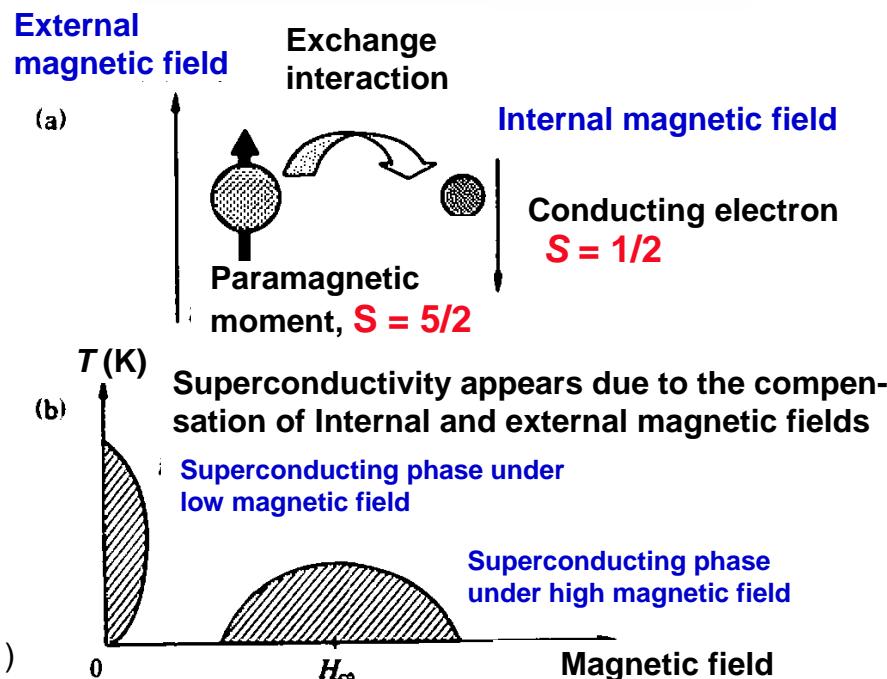
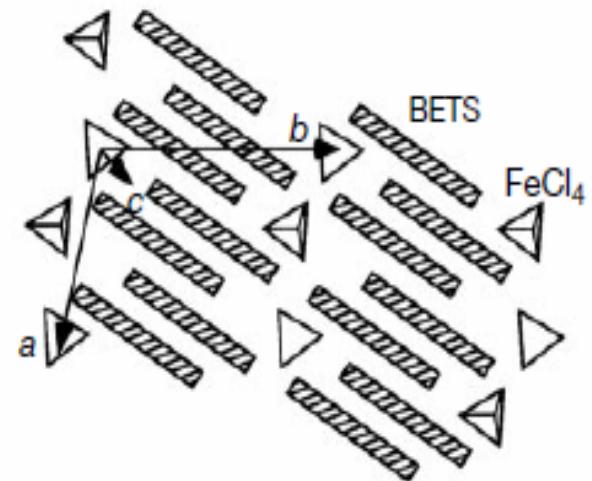
Temperature dependence of the electrical resistivity of typical organic superconductors

From “Low-dimensional conductors” Seiichi Kagoshima (Shoka-bou, 2000)

(B + C) Cooperative phenomenon coupled with charge and spin: Magnetic field induced superconductivity of λ -(BETS)₂FeCl₄

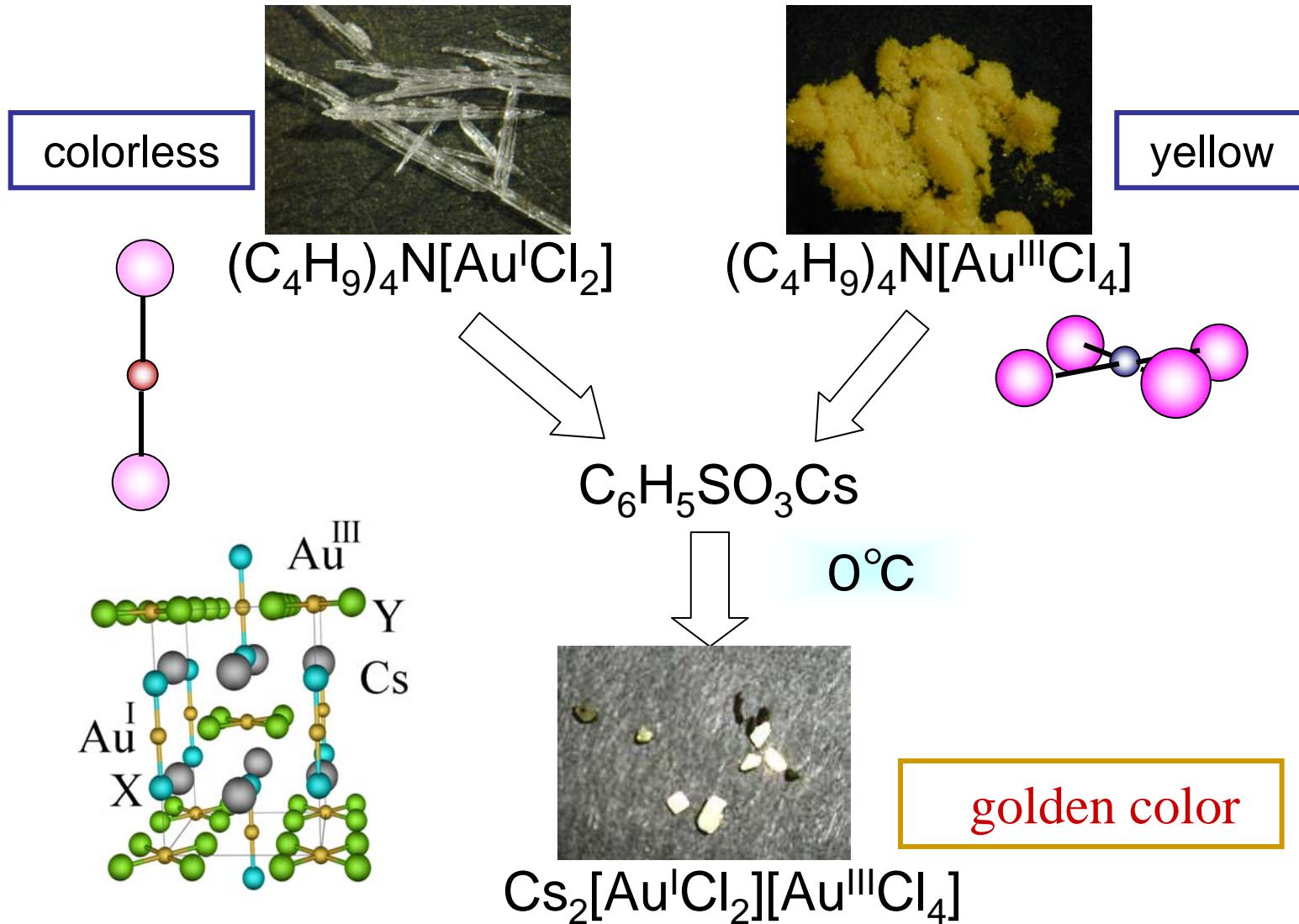


Magnetic field dependence of the resistivity of λ -(BETS)₂FeCl₄.



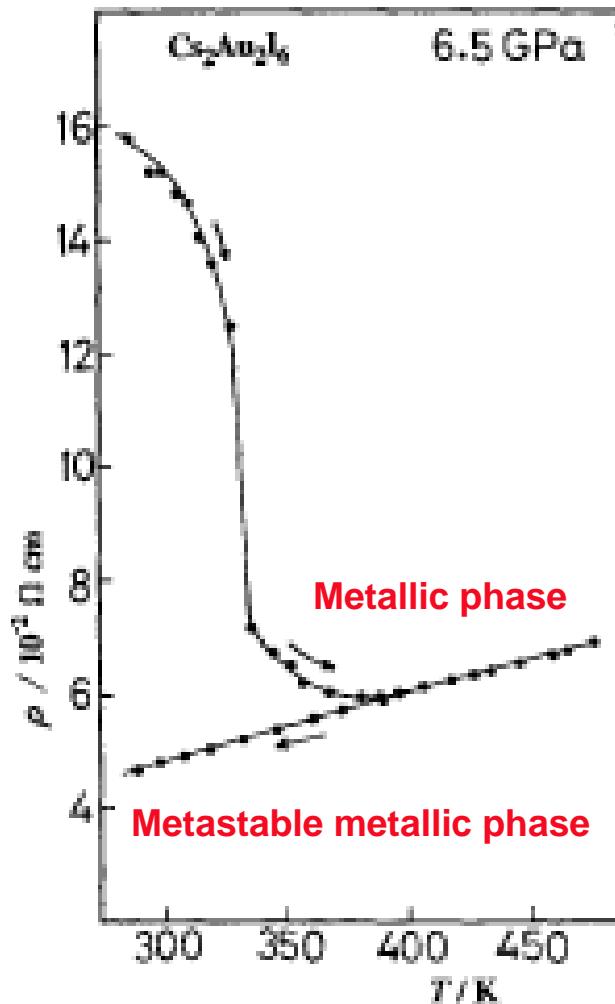
(A) Light (optical properties): Color of $\text{Cs}_2[\text{Au}^{\text{I}}\text{Cl}_2][\text{Au}^{\text{III}}\text{Cl}_4]$

The origin of golden color: Charge transfer from Au(I) to Au(III) (IVCT)

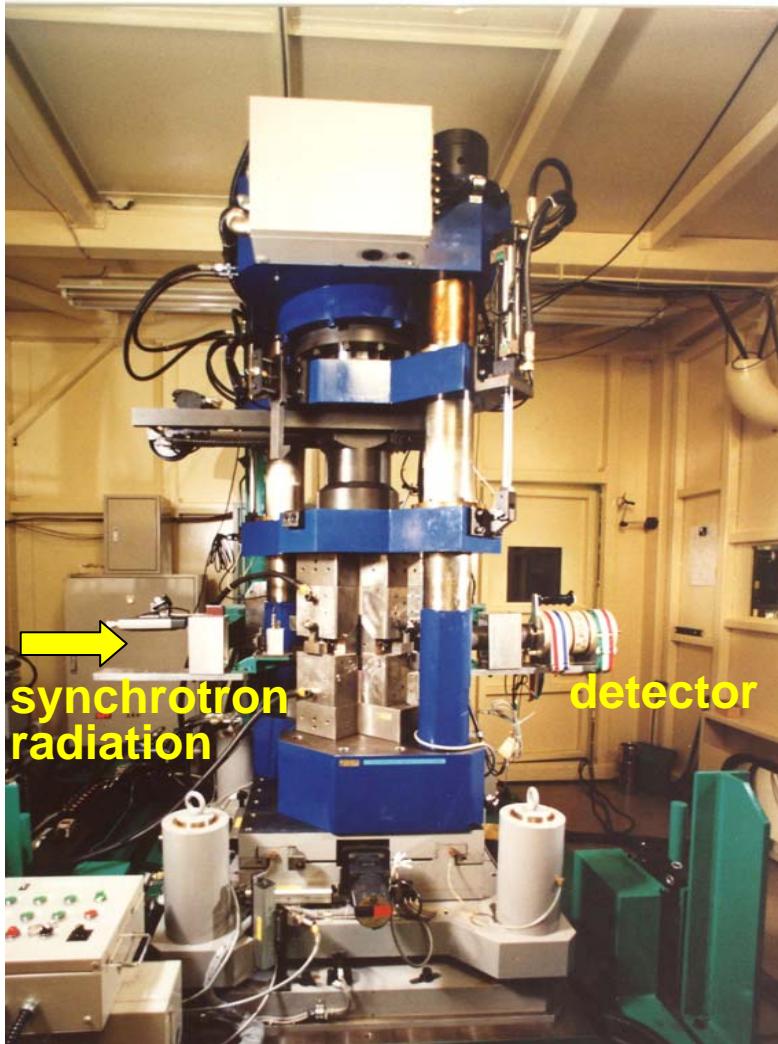


(B) Charge (transport properties)

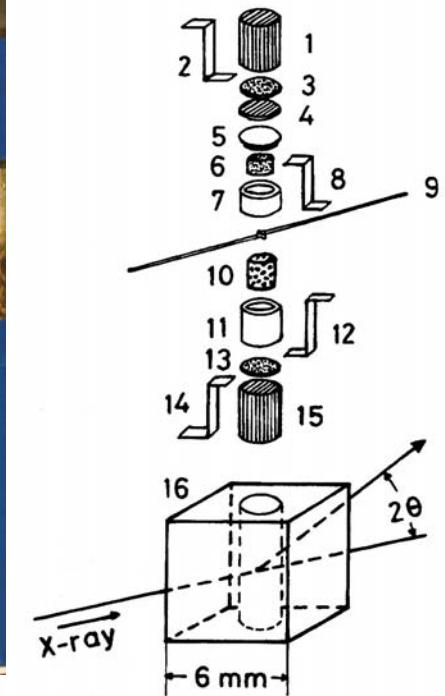
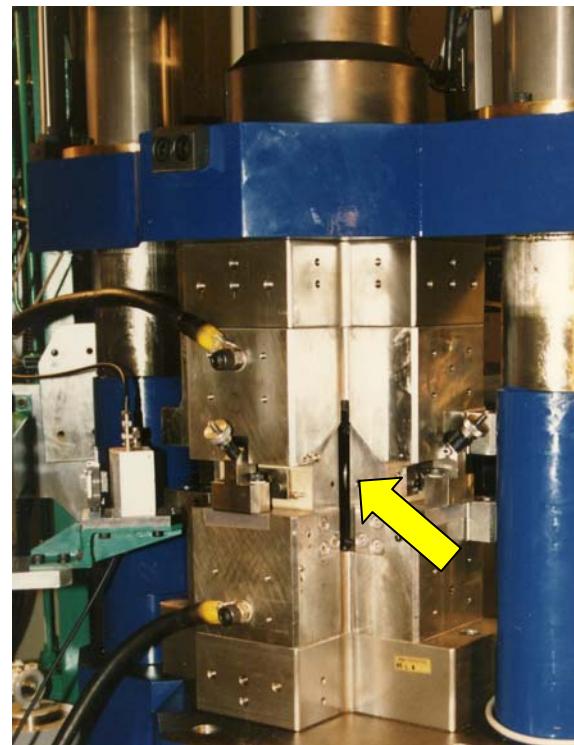
Appearance of Metallic Phase in $\text{Cs}_2\text{AuI}_2\text{[Au}^{\text{II}}\text{I}_2\text{][Au}^{\text{III}}\text{I}_4\text{]}$ under High Pressures and High Temperatures



X-ray structural analysis with synchrotron radiation under high pressure

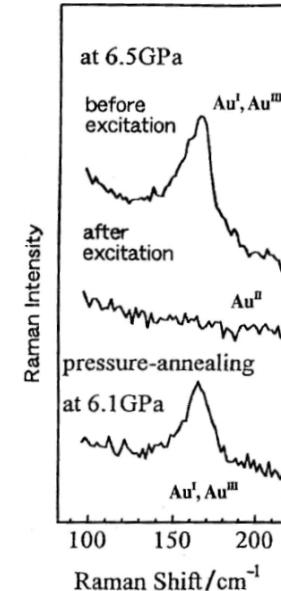
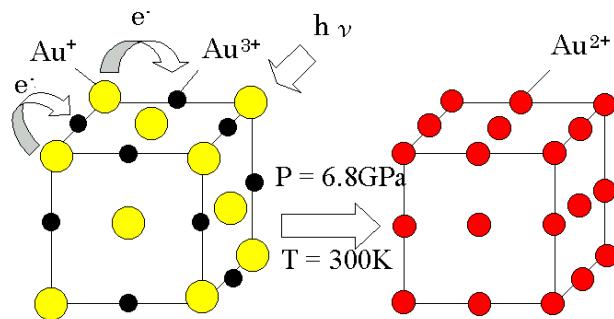


$P = 0 \sim 14 \text{ GPa}$
 $T = \text{r.t.} \sim 1000 \text{ K}$

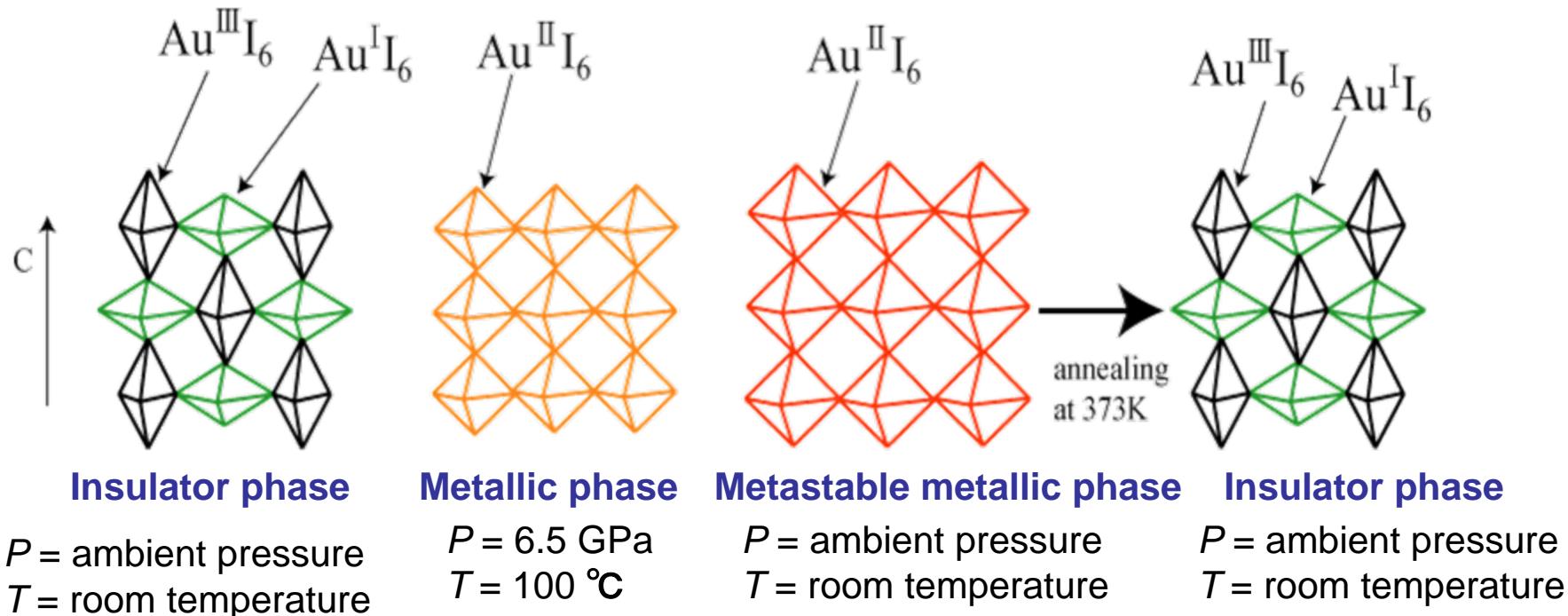


Cubic anvil type high-pressure apparatus (MAX90)
in the National Laboratory for High Energy Physics, Tsukuba, Japan

Pressure-induced and photo-induced gold valence transition for $\text{Cs}_2[\text{Au}^{\text{I}}\text{Br}_2]\text{[Au}^{\text{III}}\text{Br}_4]$



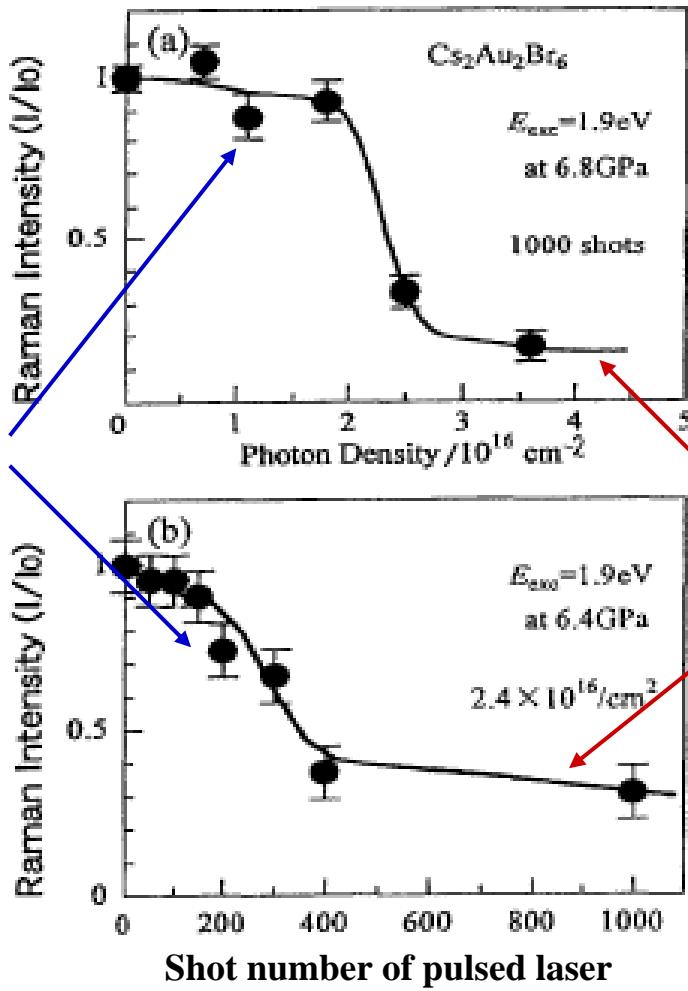
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The Photo-induced Gold Valence Transition of $\text{Cs}_2[\text{Au}^{\text{I}}\text{Br}_2]\text{[Au}^{\text{III}}\text{Br}_4]$

The Extinction of Insulator Phase by Laser and the Appearance of Metallic Phase

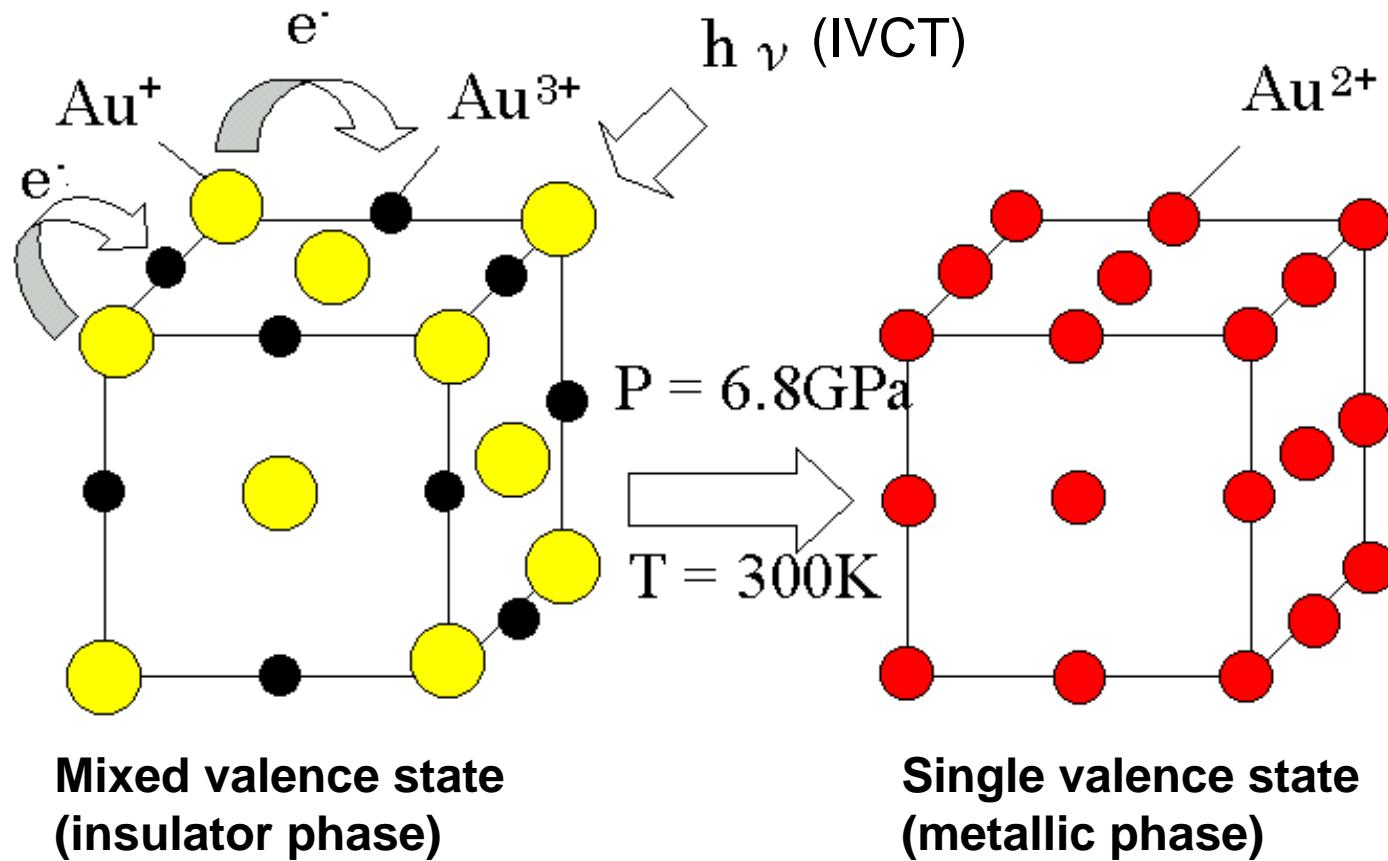


Mixed valence state
of Au^{I} & Au^{III}
(insulator phase)

Single valence state of
 Au^{II} (metallic phase)

A(light) + B(charge)

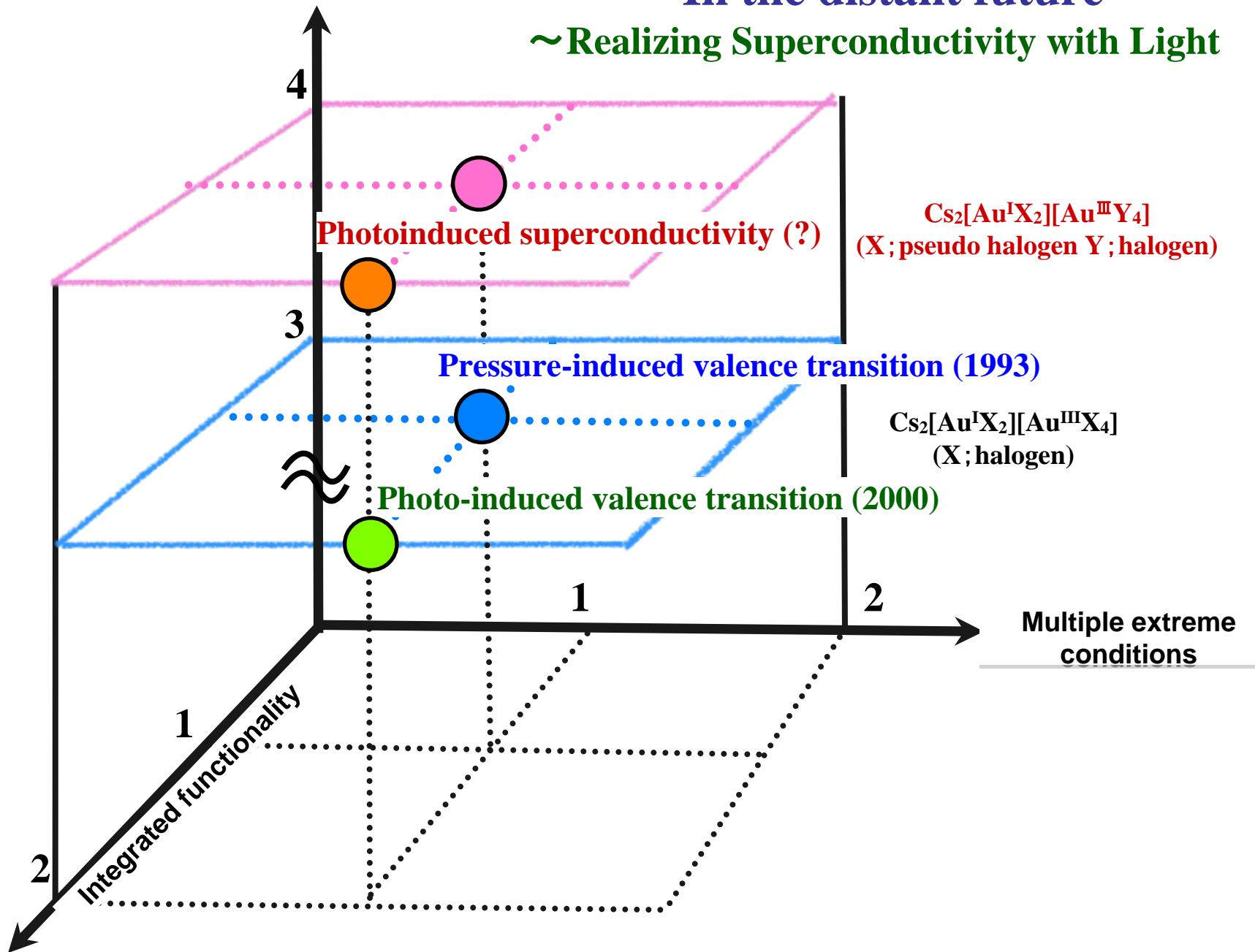
Transforming $\text{Cs}_2[\text{Au}^{\text{I}}\text{Br}_2]\text{[Au}^{\text{III}}\text{Br}_4]$ from Insulator to Metal with Light



Dimensionality of elements

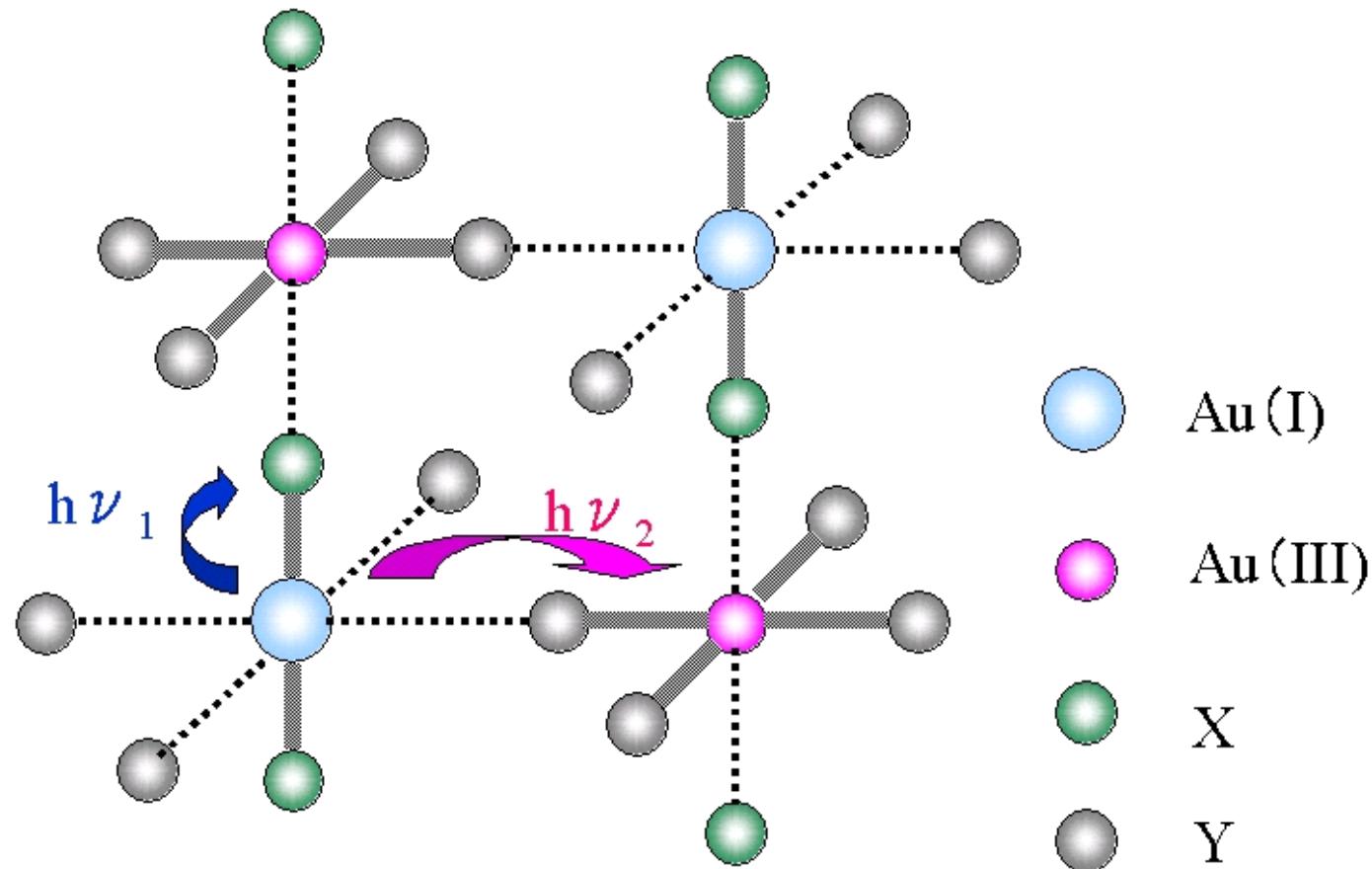
In the distant future

~Realizing Superconductivity with Light



A(light) + B(charge)

Search for the photo-induced superconductivity with simultaneous irradiation of two kinds of light

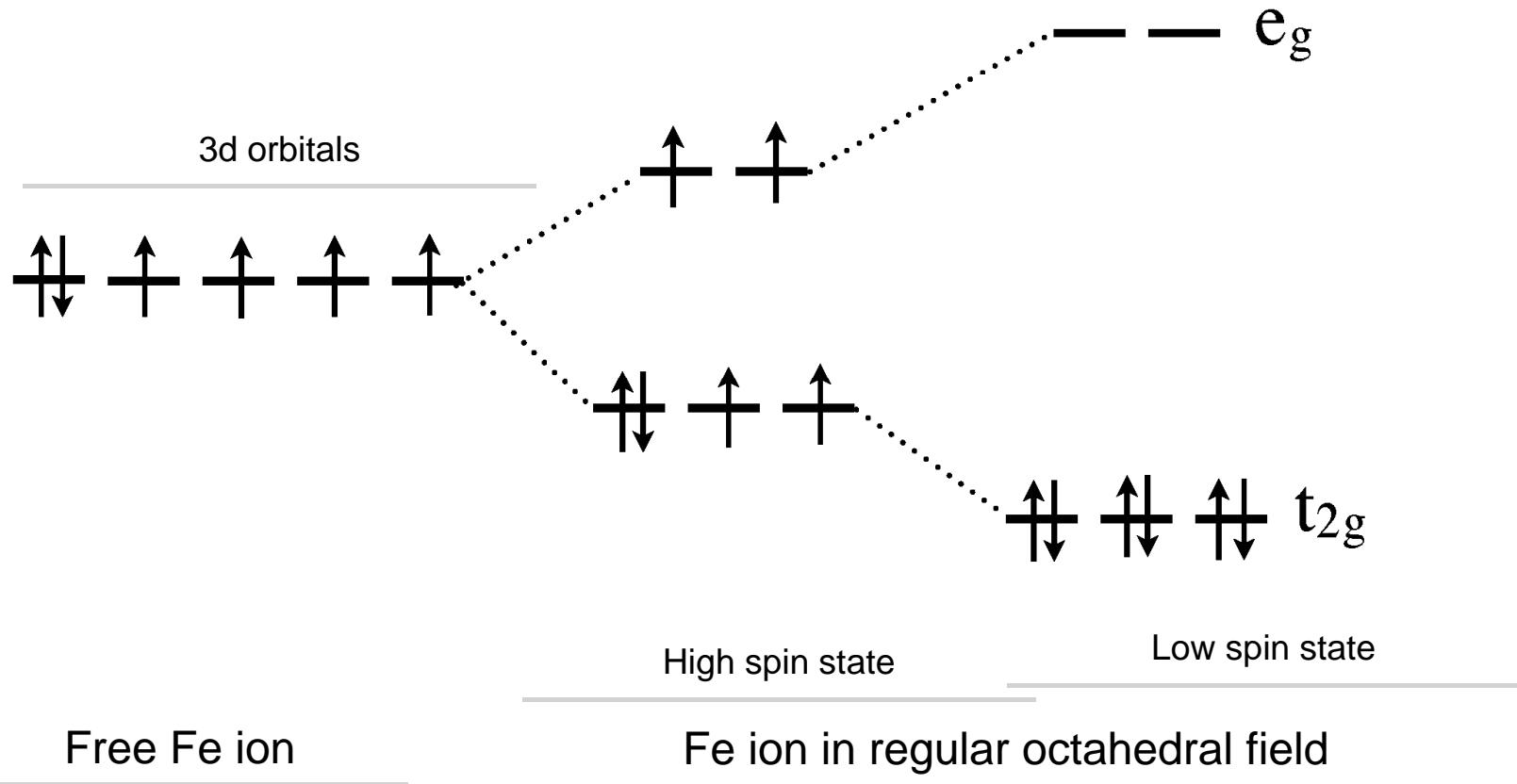


$h\nu_1$: Light for carrier control

$h\nu_2$: Light for Au valence transition

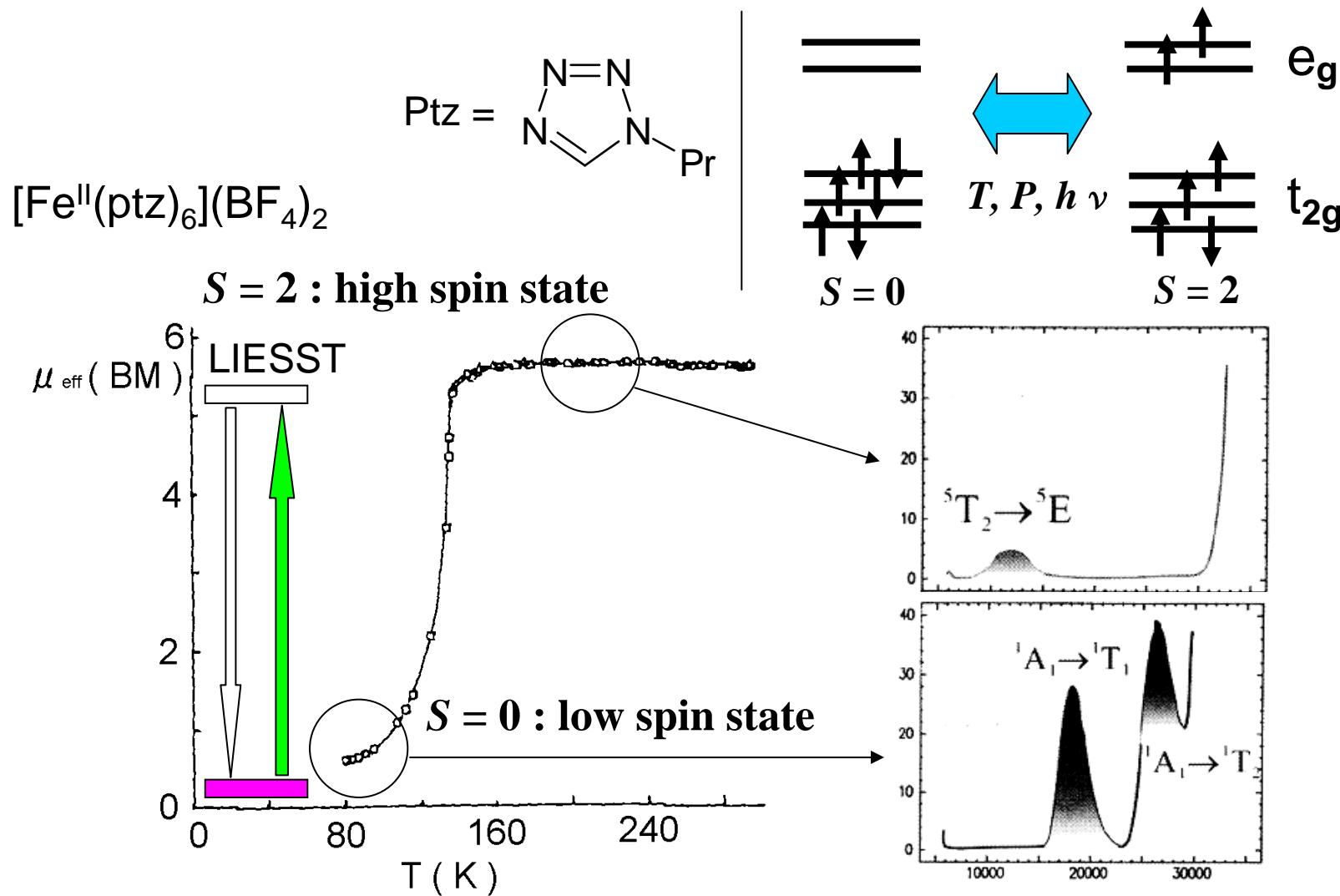
X: pseudohalogen having π^* orbital

Electron Configuration in 3d orbitals of Fe(II) Complex



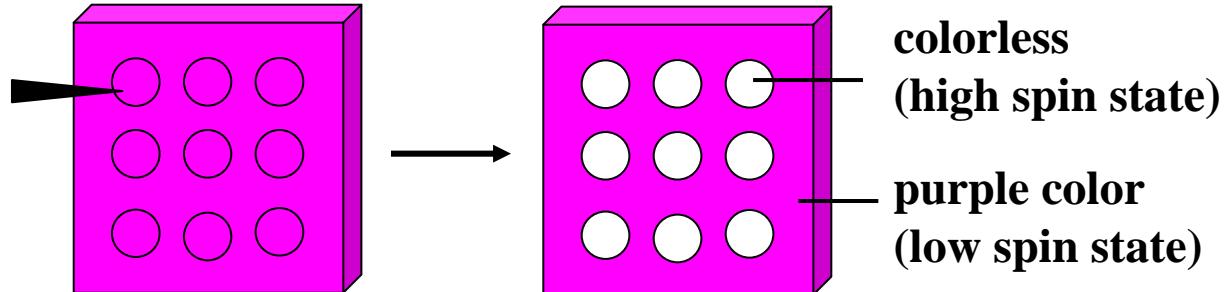
A(light) + C(spin): Transforming Spin State with Light

Light Induced Excited Spin State Trapping (LIESST)



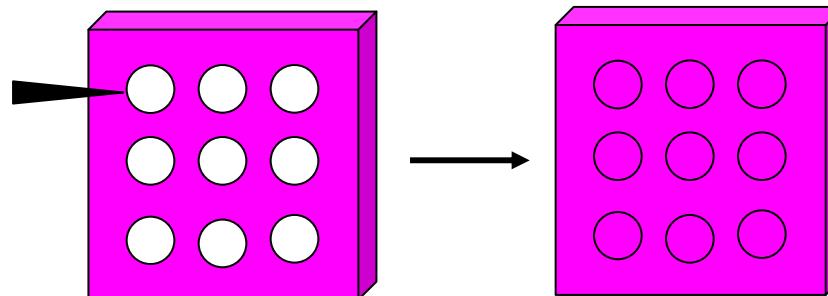
Molecular Memory with Photo-induced Spin Crossover Transition

Writing with laser
($\lambda = 514.5 \text{ nm}$)

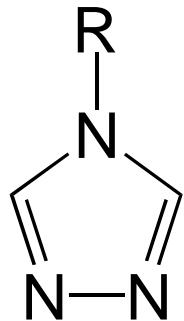


colorless
(high spin state)
purple color
(low spin state)

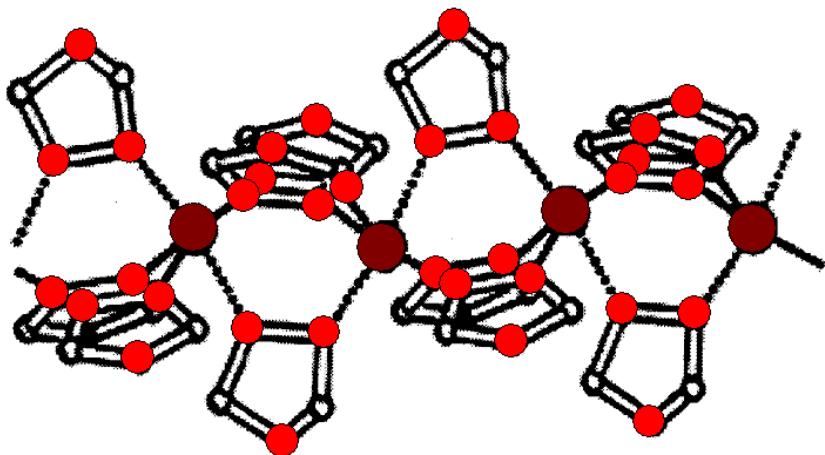
Erasing with laser
($\lambda = 752.7 \text{ nm}$)



Spin Crossover Transition of $[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}(\text{R-trz})_3]\text{A}_2 \cdot n\text{H}_2\text{O}$

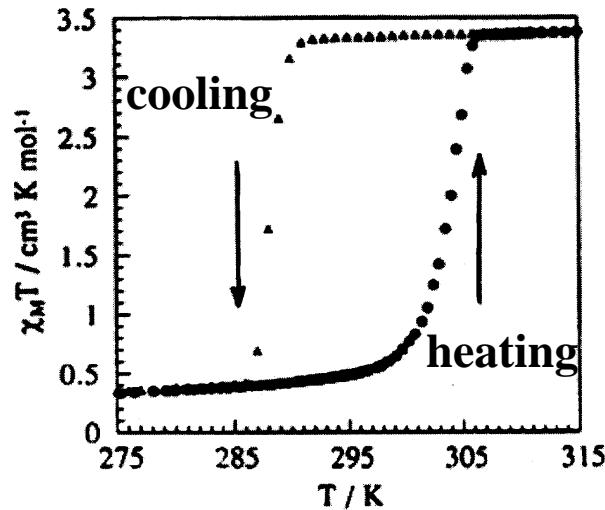


1,2,4-R-triazole
 $\text{R} = \text{H}, \text{NH}_2, \text{C}_n\text{H}_{2n+1}, \text{etc}$



Fe^{2+} ● N ● C ○

$\chi_{\text{M}}T$ vs. T for $[\text{Fe}(\text{H-trz})_{2.85}(\text{NH}_2\text{-trz})_{0.15}](\text{ClO}_4)_2$



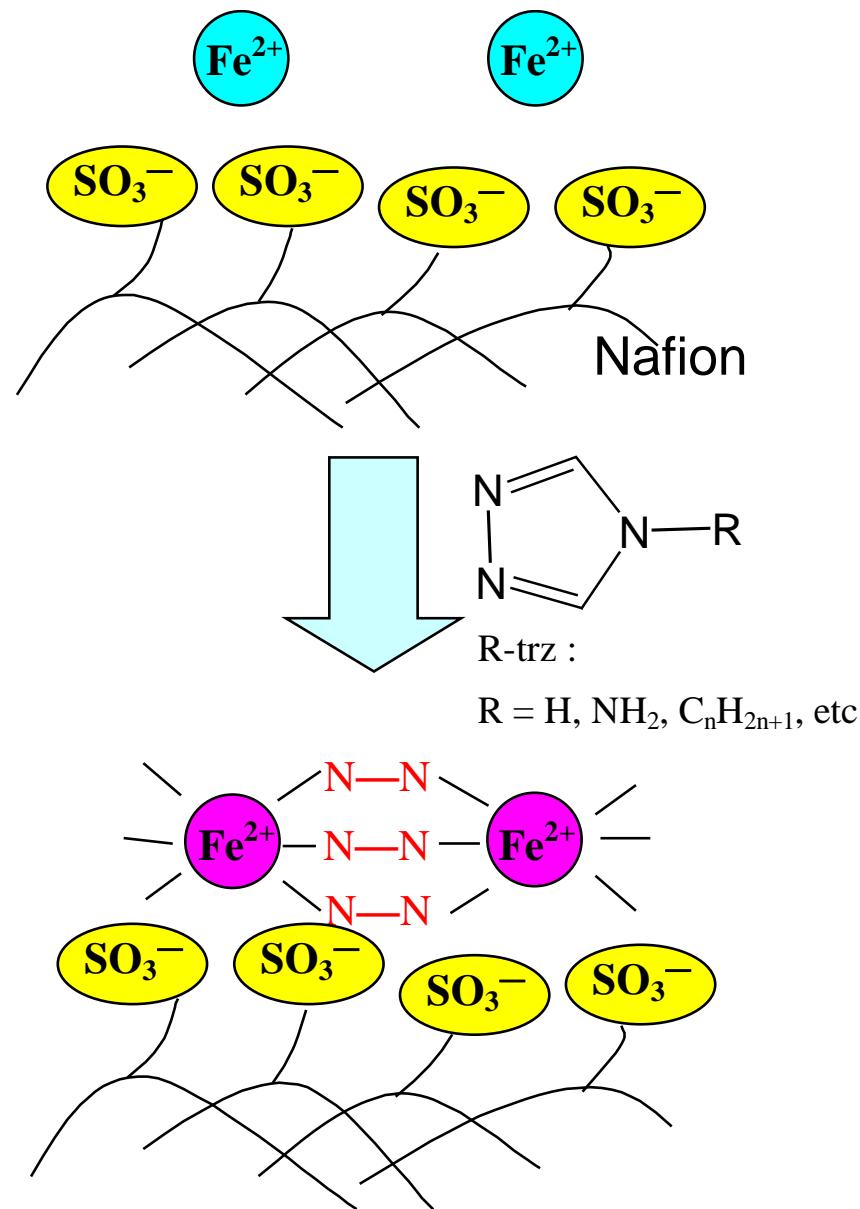
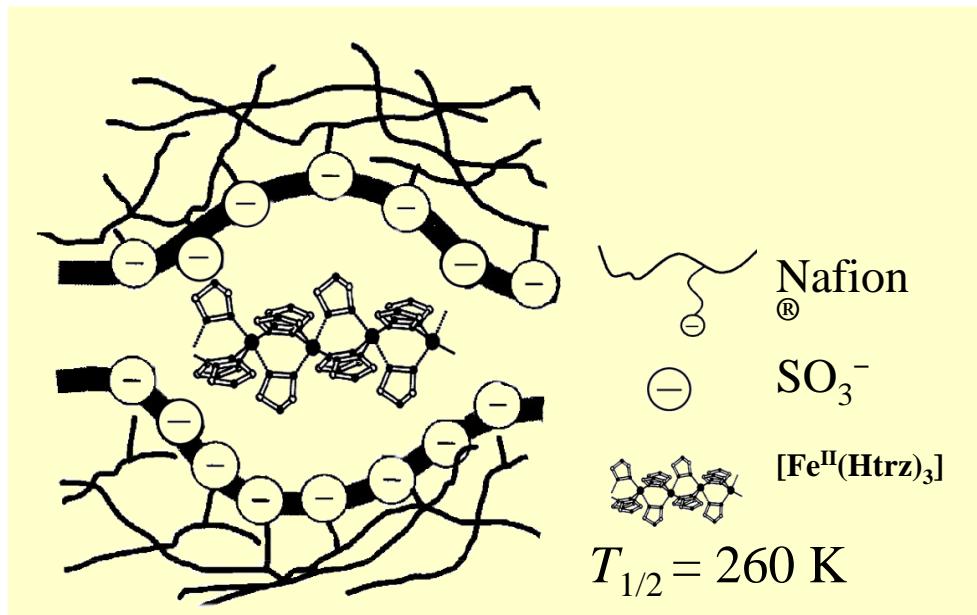
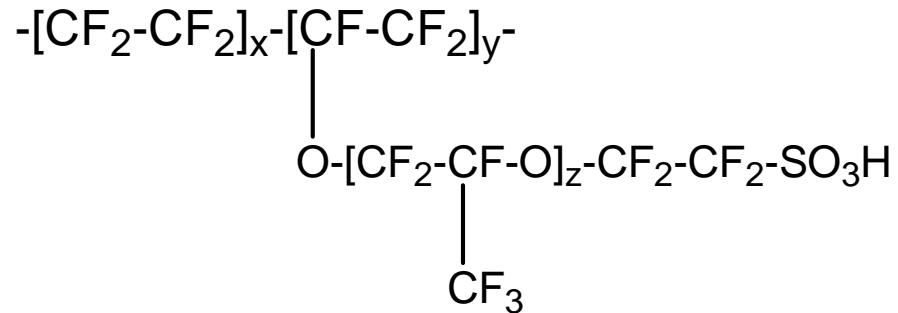
J. Kröber et al, J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1993)



memory, display device

Producing Transparent Spin Crossover Complex Film

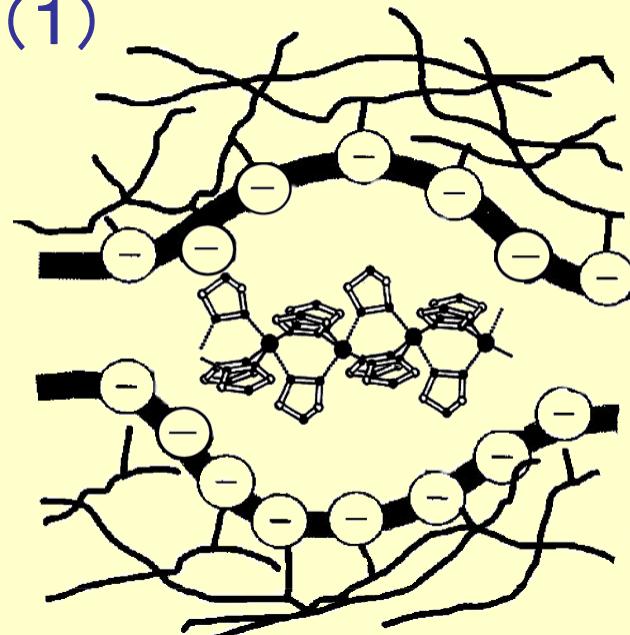
Nafion: ion exchange resin



(1) Development of Transparent Spin Crossover Complex Film

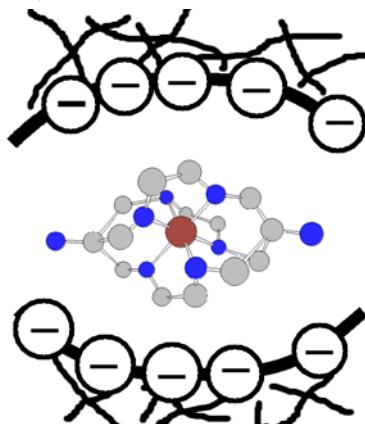
(2) Visualization of Proton Flow Using Transparent Spin Crossover Complex Film

(1)



$$T_{1/2} = 260 \text{ K}$$

(2)



pH 8.5 : $T_{1/2} = 390 \text{ K}$

$[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}(\text{Htrz})_3]\text{-Nafion}^\circledR$



(b)

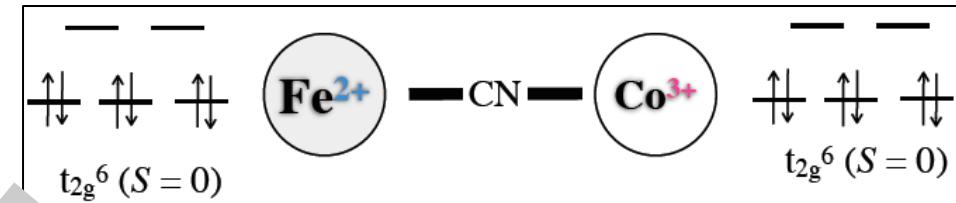
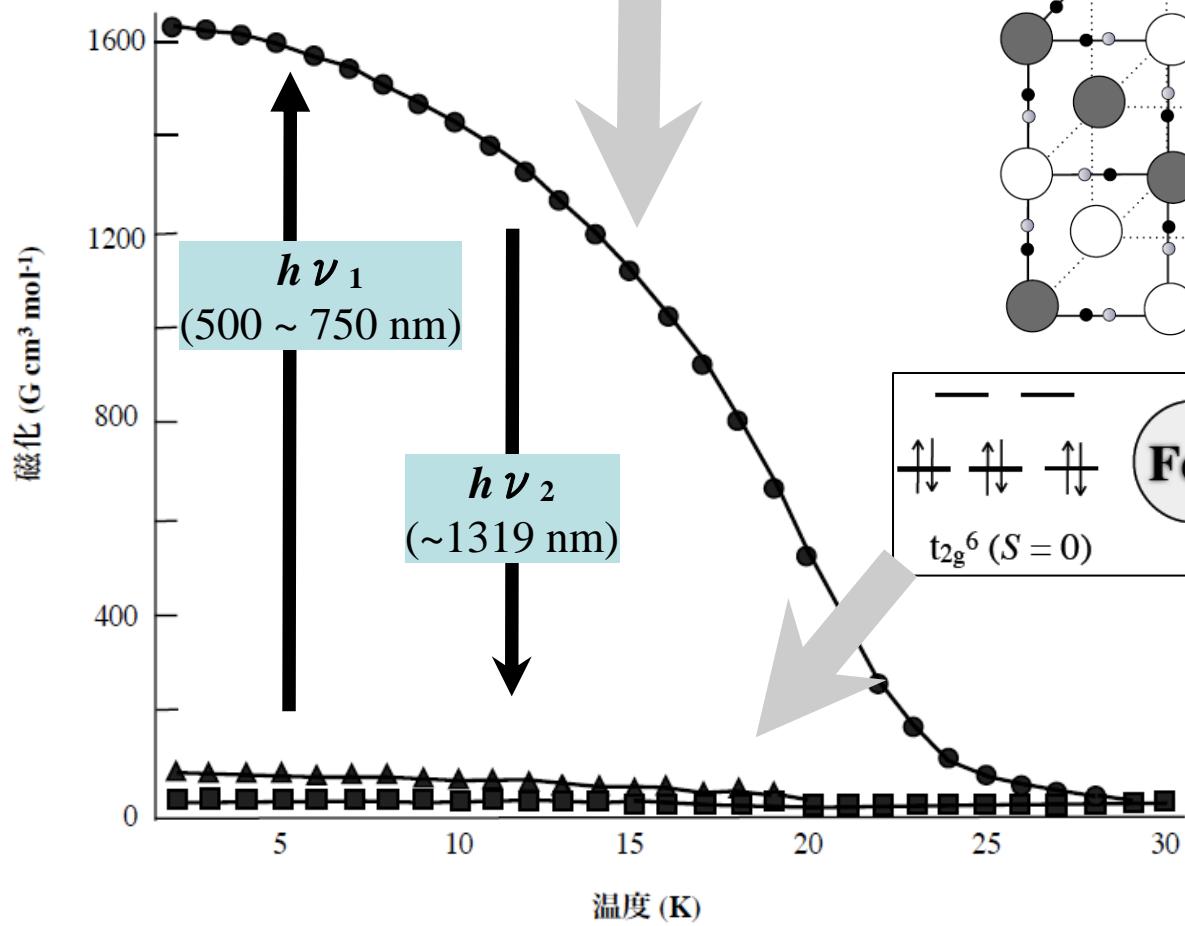
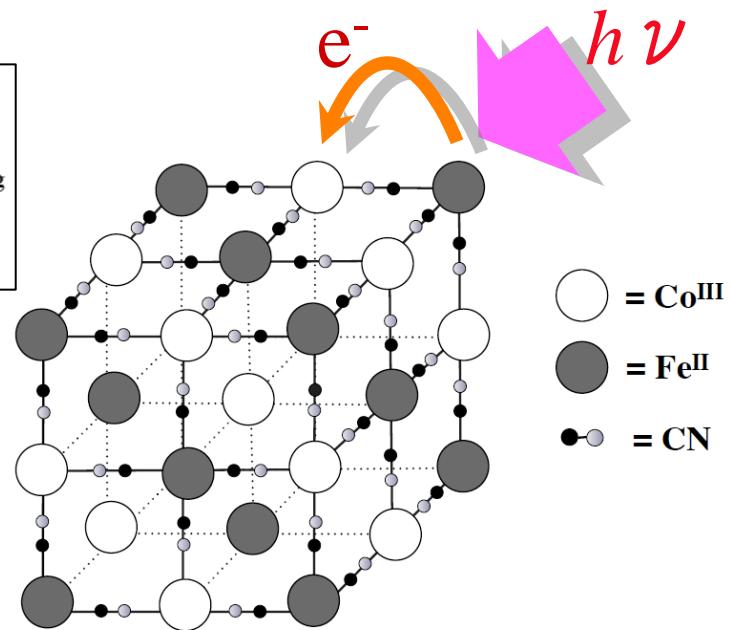
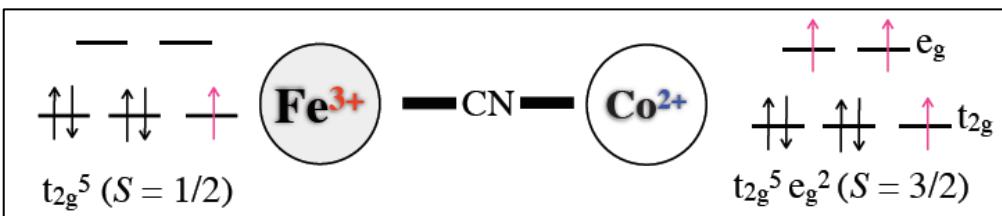


(a)

$T = 300 \text{ K}$
High spin state

$T = 77 \text{ K}$
Low spin state

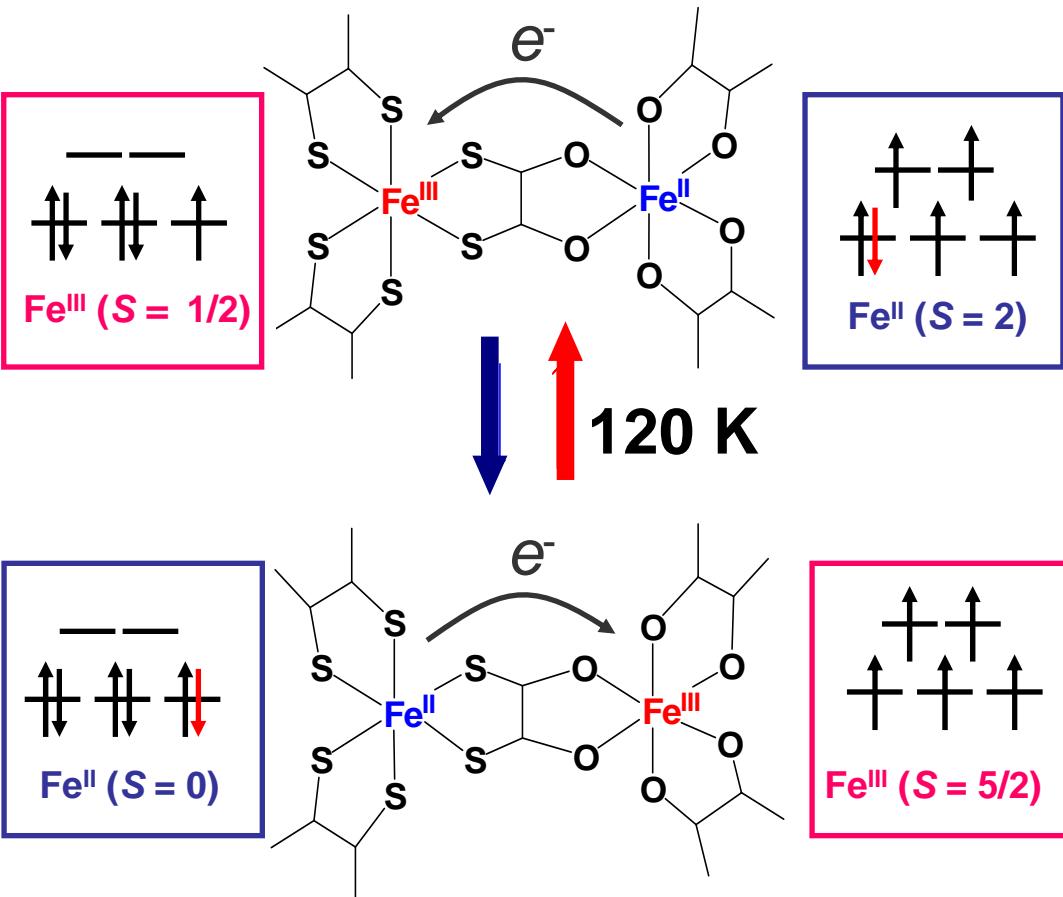
A(light) + C(spin): Producing Magnets with Light



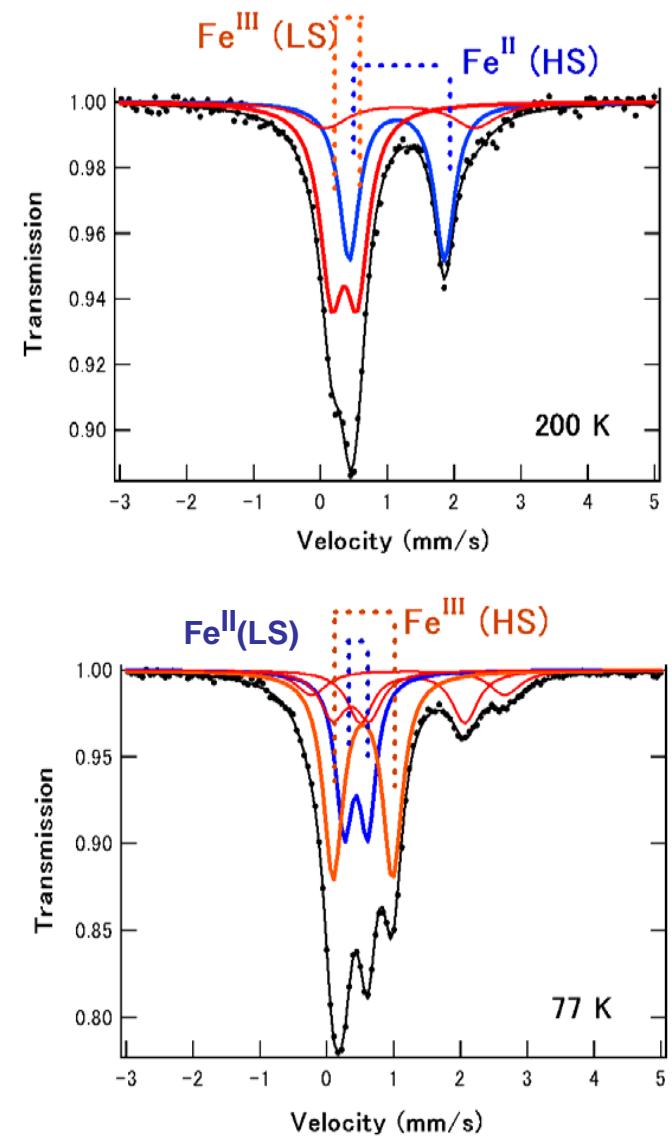
B(charge) + C(spin):

Charge Transfer Phase Transition of $(n\text{-C}_3\text{H}_7)_4\text{N}[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}(\text{dto})_3](\text{dto} = \text{C}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}_2)$

Although this complex is an insulator, the electrons transfer at around 120K and the recombination between the Fe^{II} and Fe^{III} sites occurs.



N. Kojima, et al., *Solid State Commun.* **120**, 165 (2001)

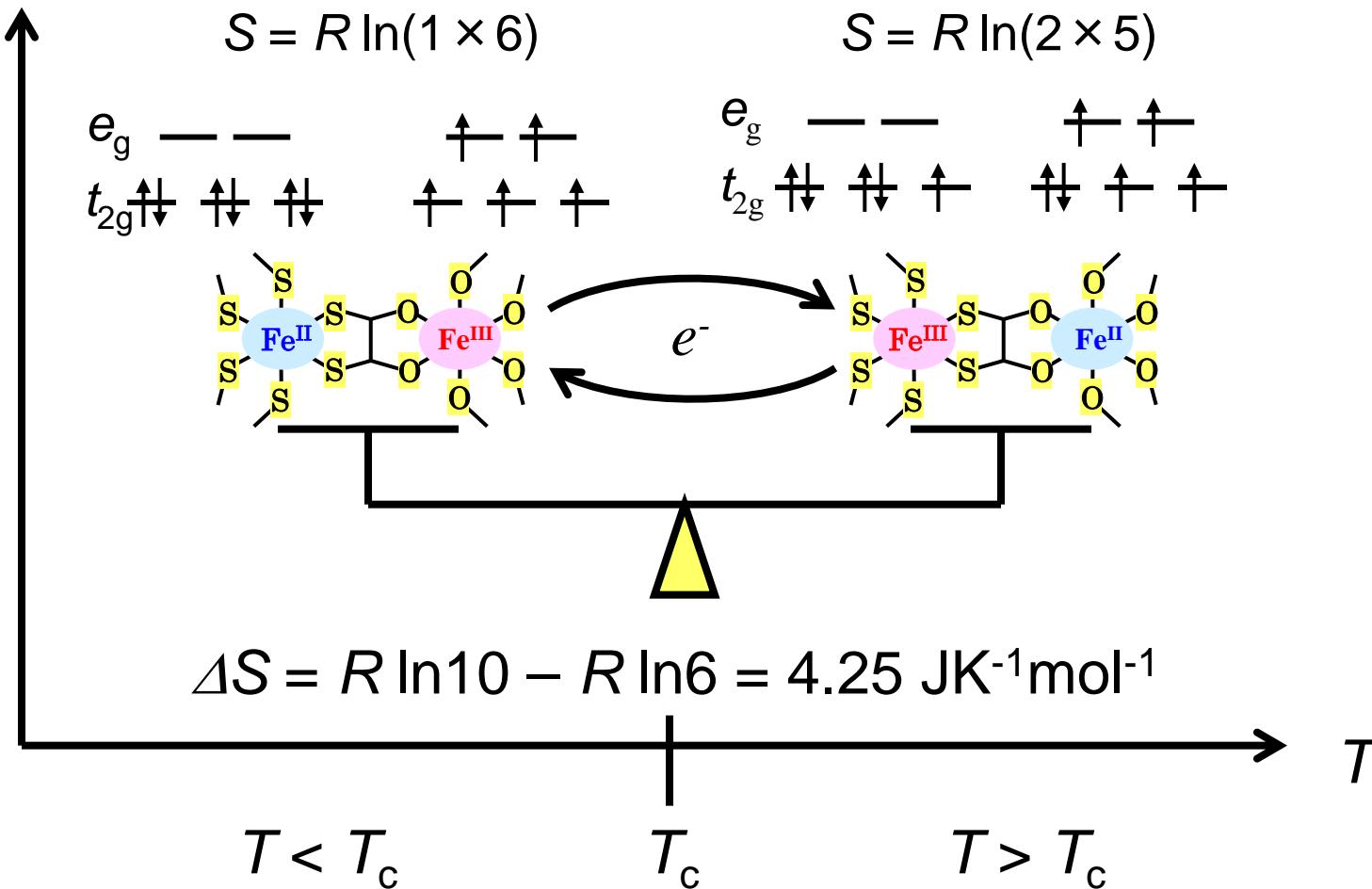


Nuclear absorption spectrum of ^{57}Fe

Charge Transfer Phase Transition of $(n\text{-C}_3\text{H}_7)_4\text{N}[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}(\text{dto})_3]$

The difference of spin entropy is the driving force for the charge transfer.

$$G = H - TS$$



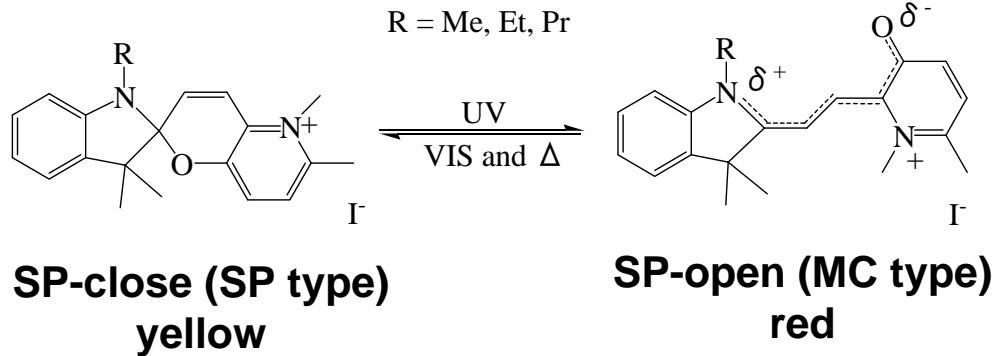
Molecular Design: The Photoisomerization of Intercalated Molecule is the Driving Force for the Charge Transfer from Fe(II) to Fe(III)



cation

Photochromic molecule
Spiropyran(SP)

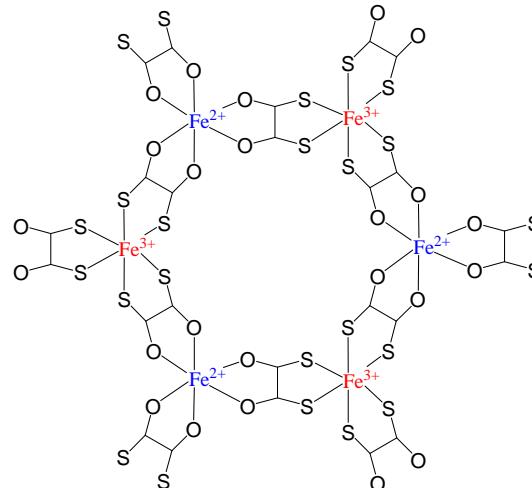
Photo-isomerization
in solid state



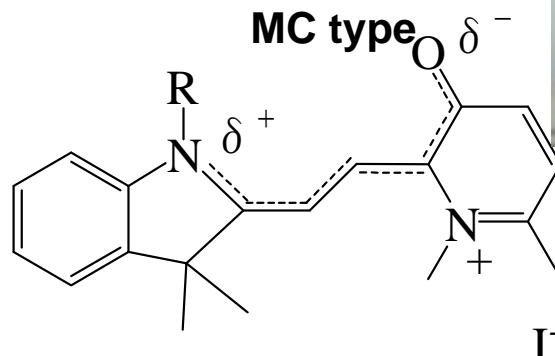
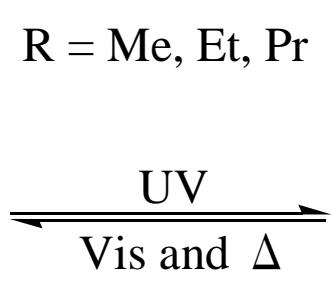
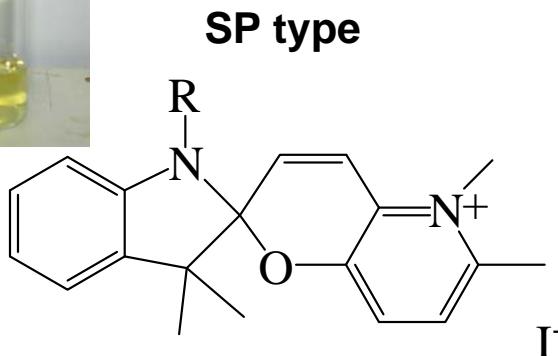
anion

2D iron mixed-valence complex
 $[\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}(\text{dto})_3]^{n-}$

Charge transfer phase transition
Ferromagnetism

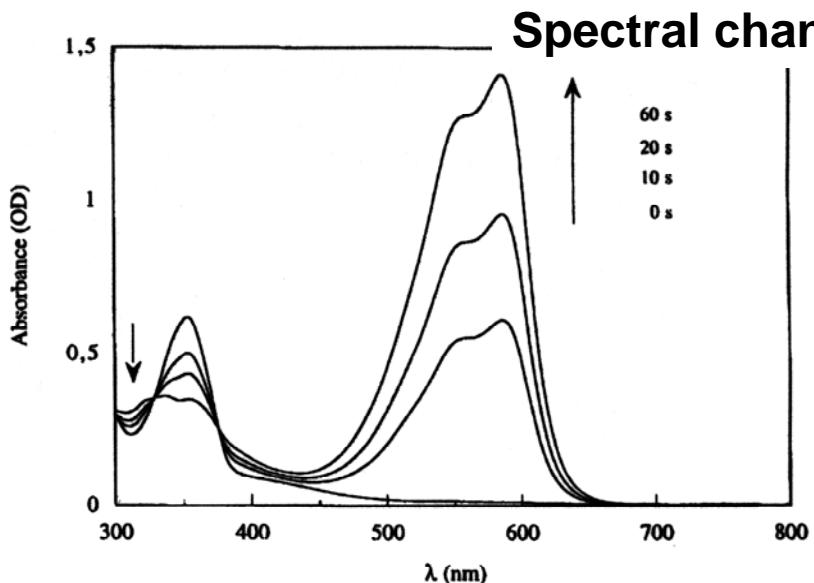


Photoisomerization and Color Change of Spiropyran (SP)

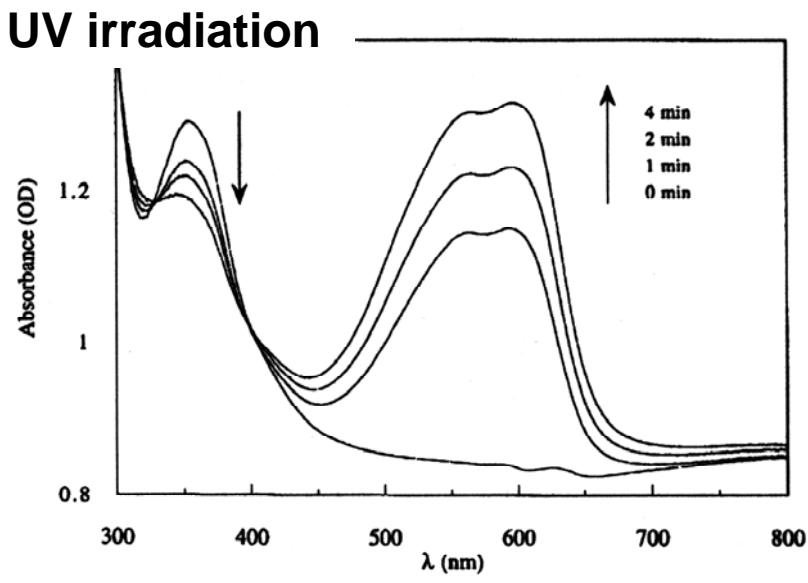


yellow close form (CF)

red open form (OF)



chloroform solution*



Solid state (KBr pellet)*

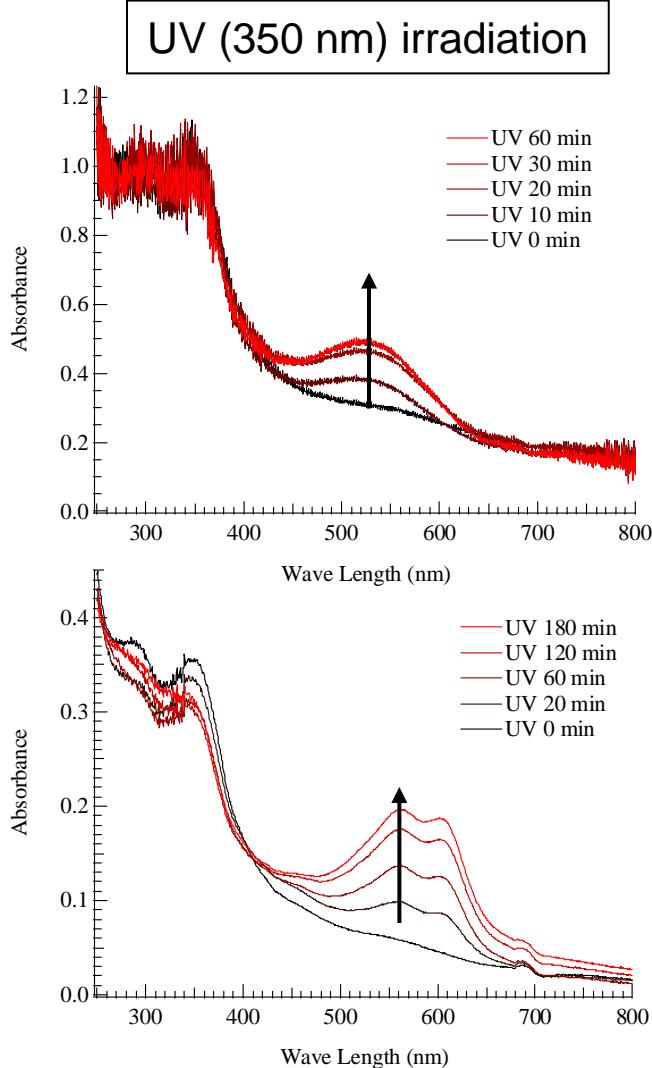
* S. Bernard, P. Yu, *Adv. Mater.*, **12**, 48 (2000).



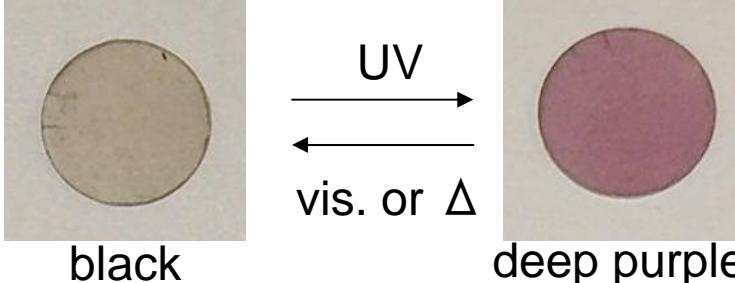
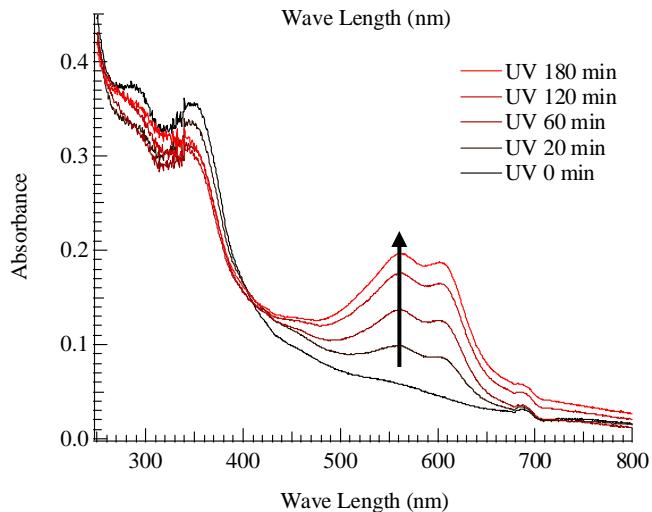
UV-vis Absorption Spectrum (KBr Pellet)

N. Kida, M. Enomoto, N. Kojima, et al.,
J. Am. Chem. Soc. **131**, 212 (2009)

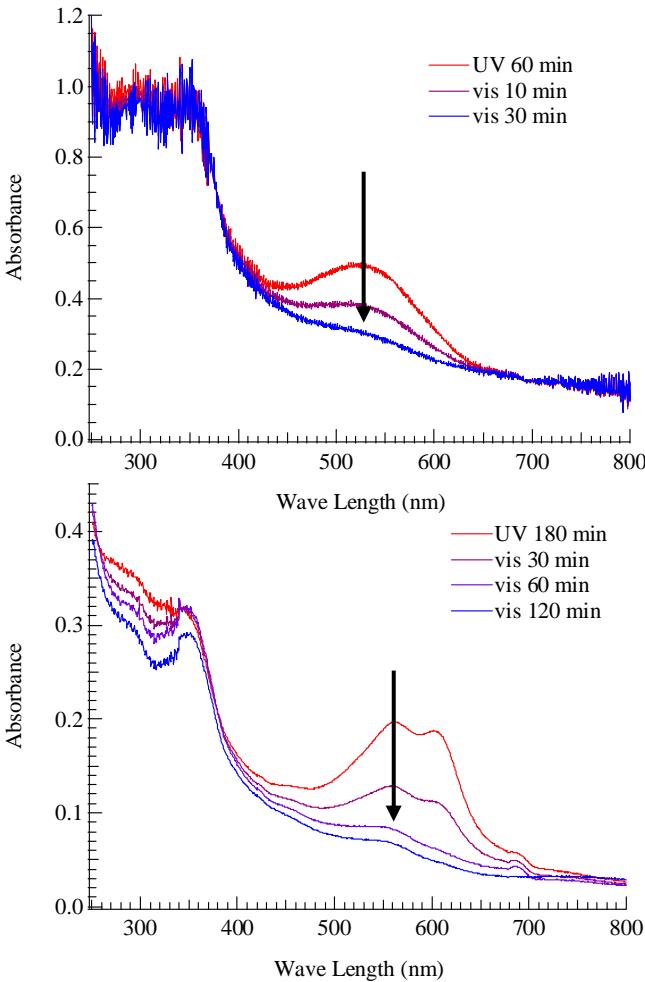
300 K



70 K



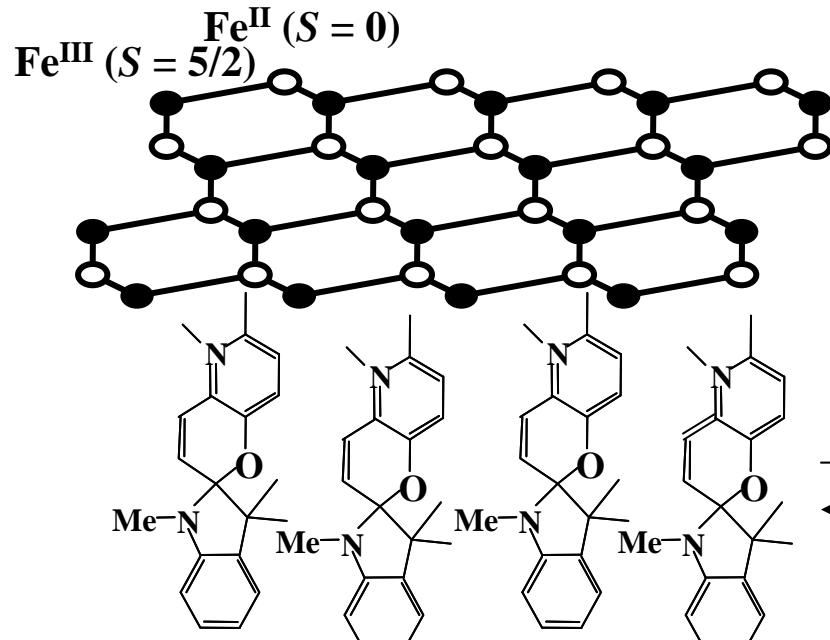
After the saturation of spectrum at 550 nm, visible light (550 nm) was irradiated.



A(light) + B(charge) + C(spin): Fe(II)-Fe(III) Charge Transfer Driven by Photoisomerization of Spiropyran

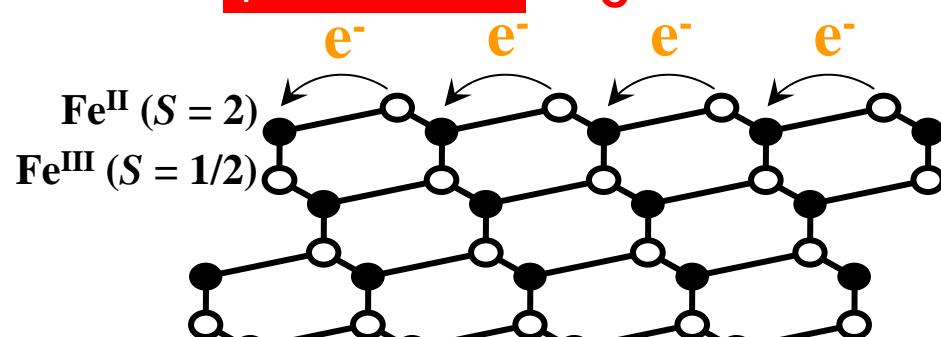
Low temperature phase

$T_C = 5 \text{ K}$



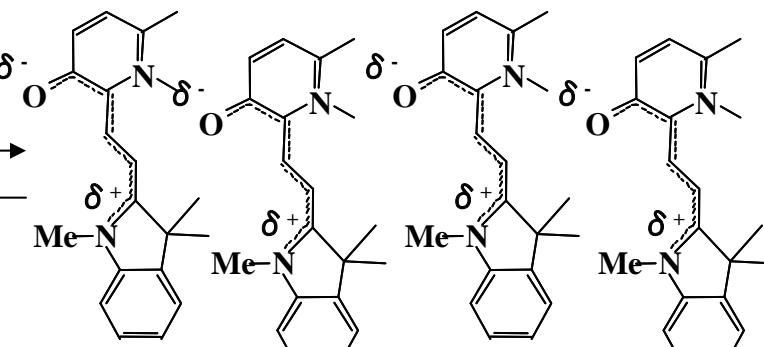
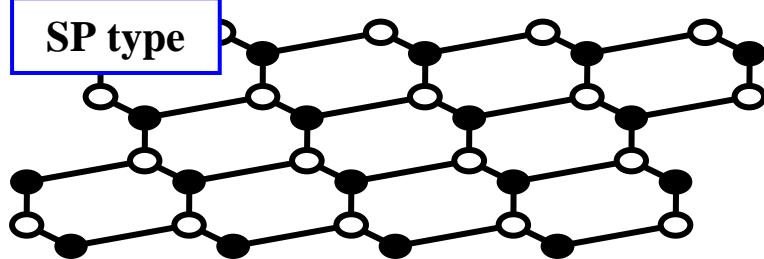
High temperature phase

$T_C = 22 \text{ K}$

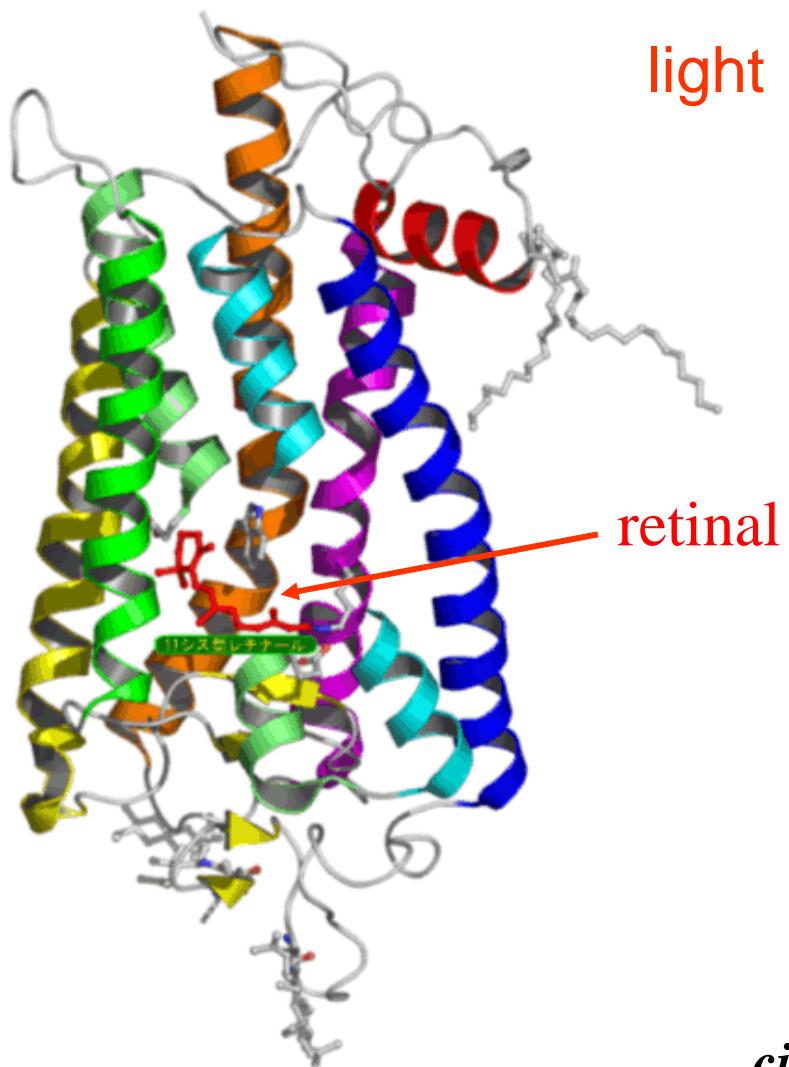


$\hbar\nu_1$

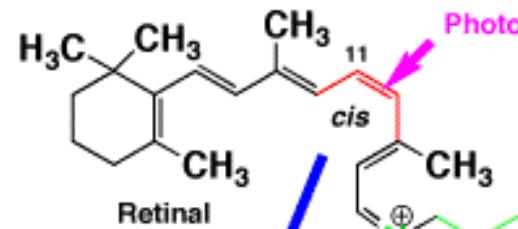
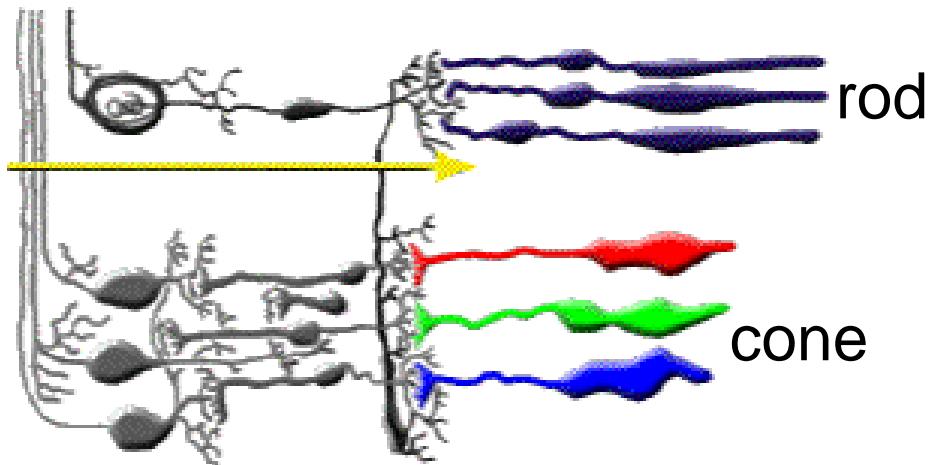
$\hbar\nu_2$



Mechanism of Photoreceptor

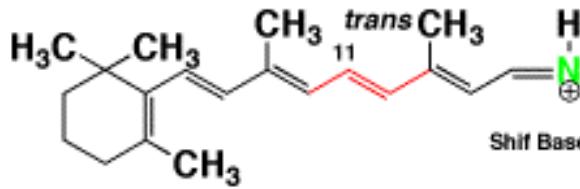


light



Retinal

Opsin



Shift Base

cis-trans photoisomerization of retinal

Structure of rhodopsin

Viewpoint for Materials

Our viewpoint at room temperature and ambient pressure is only one point in the multiple coordinates for materials.

Dimensionality in material component

