

# Nuclear Parity

- $\psi(r) \rightarrow \psi(-r)$  Even.
- $\psi(r) \rightarrow -\psi(-r)$  odd.
- For a nucleon  $\psi$  is either of even ( $\pi = +$ ) or odd ( $\pi = -$ ) parity.
- For the nucleus  $\pi = \pi_1 \pi_2 \pi_3 \dots \pi_A$ .
- Individually not possible.
- Overall  $\pi$  can be determined experimentally.
- Overall  $I^\pi$  for a nucleus (nuclear state).
- Transitions and **multipolarity** of transitions ( $\gamma$ -emission).

# Electromagnetic moments

- Electromagnetic interaction ► information about nuclear structure.
- Charge ► electric; current ► magnetic.
- Electromagnetic multipole moments.  
Field  $\propto 1/r^2$  (zeroth, L=0) electric monopole moment.  
 $1/r^3$  (first, L=1) electric dipole moment.  
 $1/r^4$  (second, L=2) quadrupole moment.  
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 $1/r^2$  magnetic monopole (**questionable....!**).  
Magnetic Dipole (familiar).  
Higher order magnetic moments.

# Electromagnetic moments

- Expectation value of the moment.  
$$\int \psi^* \mathcal{J} \psi d\tau$$
- Each multipole moment has a parity, determined by the behavior of the multipole operator when  $\mathbf{r} \rightarrow -\mathbf{r}$ .
  - Parity of  $\psi$  does not change the integrand.
  - Electric moments:                    parity  $(-1)^L$ .
  - Magnetic moments:                    parity  $(-1)^{L+1}$ .
  - Odd parity  vanish.

**Vanishing moments**

electric dipole.  
magnetic quadrupole.  
electric octupole.  
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# Electromagnetic moments

- Electric monopole: net charge  $Ze$ .
- Magnetic dipole:

$$\mu = iA$$

$$\mu = \frac{e}{T} A ; \quad \mu = \frac{e}{2\pi r/v} \pi r^2 ; \quad \mu = \frac{evr}{2}$$

$$\mu = \frac{emvr}{2m} ; \quad \mu = \frac{epr}{2m} ; \quad \mu = \frac{e}{2m} L$$

- g-factors.

# Nuclear Magnetic Moment

Remember, for electrons

Revise: Torque on a current loop.

$$\mu_B = \frac{e\hbar}{2m_e} = 9.2740154 \times 10^{-24} J/T = 5.7883826 \times 10^{-5} eV/T$$

*Bohr magneton*

Orbital       $\mu_L = -g_L \frac{e}{2m_e} L$        $\mu_{Lz} = -g_L \frac{e\hbar}{2m_e} m_\ell = -m_\ell \mu_B$

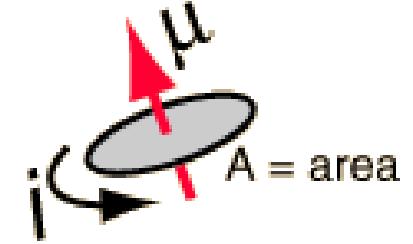
Gyromagnetic ratio (g-factor)       $g_L = 1$

Spin       $\mu_S = -g_S \frac{e}{2m_e} S$        $\mu_{Sz} = -g_S \frac{e\hbar}{2m_e} m_s = -2m_s \mu_B = \pm \mu_B$

$g_S = 2.0023 \approx 2$

Z component ?? Experiment, applied magnetic field.

# Nuclear Magnetic Moment



## For Nuclei

$$\mu = g \frac{e}{2m_p} I \quad \mu_z = g \frac{e\hbar}{2m_p} m_I = g\mu_N m_I$$

Nuclear magneton  $\mu_N = 5.05084 \times 10^{-27} J/T = 3.15245 \times 10^{-8} eV/T$

## For free protons and neutrons

$$\mu_z = \frac{1}{2} g\mu_N$$

Proton:  $g = 5.5856912 \pm 0.0000022$

$\sim 3.6$  ↑

Neutron:  $g = -3.8260837 \pm 0.0000018$

$\sim 3.8$  ↓

The proton g-factor is far from the  $g_s = 2$  for the electron, and even the uncharged neutron has a sizable magnetic moment!!!

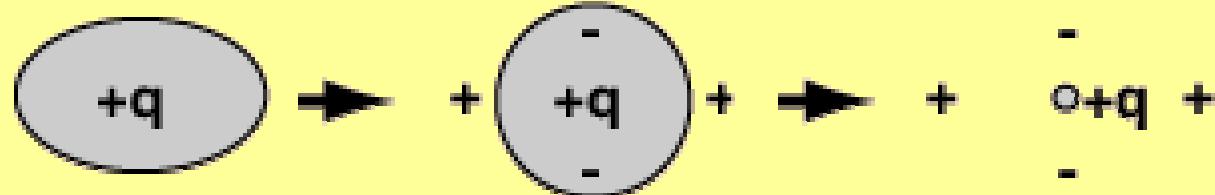
► Internal structure (quarks).

# Nuclear Magnetic Moment

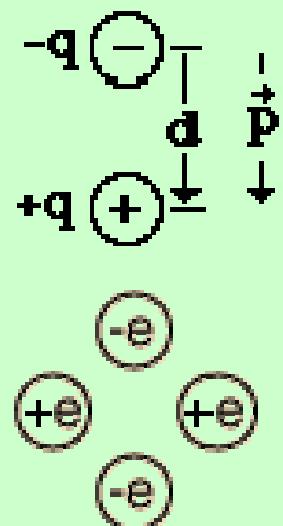
Nuclide	Nuclear spin	Magnetic moment $\mu$ (in $\mu_N$ )
n	1/2	-1.9130418
p	1/2	+2.7928456
$^2\text{H}$ (D)	1	+0.8574376
$^{17}\text{O}$	5/2	-1.89279
$^{57}\text{Fe}$	1/2	+0.09062293
$^{57}\text{Co}$	7/2	+4.733
$^{93}\text{Nb}$	9/2	+6.1705

# Electromagnetic moments

- The nucleus has charge (monopole moment).
- No dipole moment since it is all positive.
- But if the nucleus is not spherically symmetric, it will have a quadrupole moment.



Classical moments

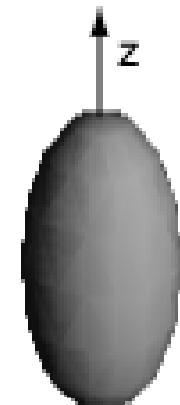


# Electric Quadrupole Moment

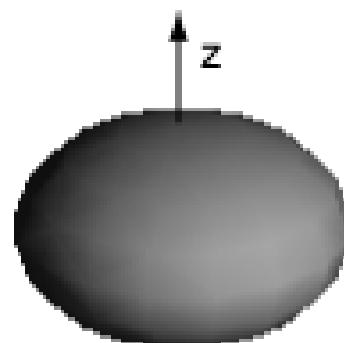
- For a point charge  $e$ :  $eQ = e(3z^2 - r^2)$ .
- Spherical symmetry  $\rightarrow x^2 = y^2 = z^2 = r^2/3 \rightarrow Q = 0$ .
- For a proton:

$$eQ = e \int \psi^*(3z^2 - r^2)\psi dV$$

- In the xy-plane:  $Q \sim -\langle r^2 \rangle$ .
- $\langle r^2 \rangle$  is the mean square radius of the orbit.
- Along z:  $Q \sim +2 \langle r^2 \rangle$ .
- Expected maximum  $\sim e r_0^2 A^{2/3}$ .
- Up to  $50 \times 10^{-30} \text{ em}^2$ .
- Up to 0.5 eb.



$Q > 0$   
Prolate



$Q < 0$   
Oblate

# Electric Quadrupole Moment

Nuclide	Q (b)
$^2\text{H}$ (D)	+0.00288
$^{17}\text{O}$	-0.02578
$^{59}\text{Co}$	+0.40
$^{63}\text{Cu}$	-0.209
$^{133}\text{Cs}$	-0.003
$^{161}\text{Dy}$	+2.4
$^{176}\text{Lu}$	+8.0
$^{209}\text{Bi}$	-0.37

- Closed shell ► Spherically symmetric core.
- Test for shell model
- Strongly deformed nuclei.....!