# Electric Dipole moments signature of time reversal violation

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## Science at different scales



Length scales in meter

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## Symmetries in Nature continuous and discrete

#### **Continuous symmetries**

Infinitesimal transformations are possible. Finite transformations are repeated operations.

Examples: rotation, translation in space and time, etc

#### **Discrete symmetries**

Infinitesimal transformations are not defined. Transformations are discrete operations.

Examples: crystal symmetries, reflection, charge conjugation, time reversal, etc

#### **Conservation laws**

Dynamical variables which do not change under a symmetry transformation are conserved quantities.

Examples: rotation—angular momentum, translation—linear momentum, etc





### **CPT symmetries** charge conjugation, parity and time reversal

#### **Charge conjugation**

Transforms particle to antiparticle and leaves dynamical variables unchanged. Negates charge, baryon number, lepton number and strangeness.

#### **Parity/reflection**

Mirror reflection about all the coordinates. Defines handedness of a system.

#### **Time reversal**

Change in direction of time or motion reversal.



Motion reversal without any dissipative forces.

Q, B, L, S, p,	Charge conjugation	-Q, -B, -L, -S,
<i>J,</i> etc		<i>p</i> , <i>J</i> , etc

Charge Q, baryon number B, lepton number L, strangeness S, linear momentum p, angular momentum J, etc.



Coordinates undergo a change in sign and handedness changes.



Time changes sign.

#### Motion under potential

$$m\frac{d^2x}{dt} = -\nabla U \xrightarrow{\text{CPT}} m\frac{d^2x}{dt} = -\nabla U$$

Newton's equation of motion remain unchanged under parity and time reversal transformations.

### Parity violation in beta decay equivalent to time reversal violation

#### Parity violation in weak interaction

Weak interaction violates parity. First suggested to explain tau-theta puzzle and observed in beta decay of <sup>60</sup>Co

 $n \rightarrow p + e^{-} + \sqrt{-}$ 

Arises from charged weak current interaction. Electroweak unification predicts a neutral weak current. Atoms are ideal candidate to observe neutral weak current.









Neutral weak currents induced parity nonconservation in atoms

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### Time reversal violations genesis

#### **Time reversal transformation**

One dimensional time-dependent Schrodinger equation with real potential. Under time reversal transformation.



#### Invariance

To preserve invariance of equation of motion (Schrodinger equation), time reversal transformation implies complex conjugation

#### Time reversal violation

Complex potential, under time reversal transformation Schrodinger equation is modified. Classical analogue is dissipation.

$$\int_{e}^{e} -\frac{\partial}{\partial x^{2}}^{2} + V(\vec{r}) = i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \psi(\vec{r})$$

$$e^{i\varphi}v(r,\theta) \xrightarrow{\text{time-reversal}} e^{-i\varphi}v(r,\theta)$$

#### Time reversal violation is associated with phase of interaction

### CP violation in kaon decay equivalent to time reversal violation

#### κ<sup>0</sup> - meson

Bound state of down (d) and anti-strange  $\overline{\$}$  ) quarks. Strangeness and parity eigenvalues are 1 and -1. K-mesons are isospin doublets.

 $[\overline{\kappa}^{0}(s\overline{d}), \kappa^{-}(s\overline{u})], [\kappa^{0}(d\overline{s}), \kappa^{+}(u\overline{s})]$ 

Dominant decay channels, which conserve CP symmetry are:

$$\begin{vmatrix} \kappa_1^0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \pi^0 + \pi^0; \left| \kappa_1^0 \right\rangle \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^-$$
$$\begin{vmatrix} \kappa_2^0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \pi^0 + \pi^+ + \pi^-$$

#### **CP** violation

Decay products which changes CP eigenvalue.

$$\left|\kappa_{2}^{0}\right\rangle \rightarrow \pi^{+} + \pi^{-}$$

From CPT invariance, *CP violation implies time reversal violation*.





J. H. Christenson, J. W. Cronin, V. L. Fitch, and R. Turlay, Phys. Rev. Lett. 13, 138 (1964)

## Importance of CP violation time reversal violation

#### Important questions

•If Universe originates from big-bang, equal amounts of matter and antimatter are created. However, no signature of sizable antimatter presence is observed in the current epoch.

#### How and where antimatter vanished ?

•If the standard model of particle physics can be fine tuned with extensions or opt for alternatives. So that deficiencies or short comings of standard model can be fixed.

#### How to validate/check other models ?



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#### Key to finding a solution

Phenomenon providing clues to answering these questions is time reversal violation.

#### **Observable signature**

Observable signature of time reversal violation is intrinsic electric dipole moment.

#### 2006: John C. Mather and George F. Smoot awarded Nobel prize for CMBR studies 8

## Observing time reversal violation Electric dipole moments

#### P and T reversal transformations

Finite electric dipole moment of nondegenerate quantum system is signature of parity and time reversal violations.

Permanent EDM of molecules arise from degenerate opposite parity states.



#### **Detecting electric dipole moments**

EDM and magnetic moment couples to external static electric field and magnetic fields.

Observable signature, energy difference under reversal of electric field.

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$$H_{\rm int} = -d_a \cdot E - \mu \cdot B$$

$$\Delta E = 2d_a \cdot E = \omega$$

$$d_{\rm a} = \frac{\omega}{2E}$$
 Electric dipole moment

## Measuring electric dipole moments not any particles

#### **Particles with EDM**

Intrinsic EDM of electron and quarks are signature of fundamental physics. It probes phenomena at the high energy scales. For charge particles

$$F = q \tilde{E}_{\text{ext}}$$

Particle accelerates away. Neutron is an exception.

#### **Neutrom EDM**

Current limit on neutron EDM.

$$|d_n| < 2.9 \times 10^{-26} e \,\mathrm{cm}$$

#### **EDM of charged particles**

To measure EDM of electron, composite charge neutral systems like atoms and molecules are ideal. These do not experience Coulomb force. Charge particles with EDM in external fields



C. A. Baker, et al., Phys. Rev. Lett 97, 131801 (2006),

S. K. Lamoreaux and R. Golub, . Phys. G: Nucl. Part. Phys. 36 , 104002 (2009).

## Atomic electric dipole moments Can we measure it ?

#### **Schiff theorem**

Non-relativistically, collection of point particles with electric dipole moments (EDMs) realigns to shield applied external electric field. This renders observable EDM to zero.

Interaction of EDMs with external/internal electric field.

$$H_{\rm EDM} = \sum_{i} - d_i \sigma_i \cdot E_i$$

Exceptions EDM is observable due to

•Relativistic effects,

- •Finite size of particles,
- •Non-electrostatic interactions.



External/internal electric field

$$E_{ii} = V_{ii,e} \sum_{ij} \frac{q_{ij}}{2r_{ij}} + V(\mathbf{r}_{i})$$

$$H_{EDM} = \sum_{e}^{e} \sum_{i} \frac{d_{i}}{q_{i}} \cdot \nabla_{i}, H_{0,e}$$

EDM of the system

$$W_{\rm EDM} = \left\langle \psi \right|_{e}^{e} \sum_{i} \frac{d_{i}}{q_{i}} \vec{\sigma} \cdot \nabla_{i}, H_{\bigcup_{e}}^{e} \psi \right\rangle = 0$$

L. I. Schiff, Phys. Rev. 132, 2194 (1963),

P. G. H. Sandars, Contemporary Physics 42, 97 (2001).

## Defying Schiff theorm I relativistic effects

#### **Relativistic description**

Relativistic Hamiltonian of an electron in central potential

$$H_D = \beta mc^2 + c\alpha \cdot p - eV(r).$$

Covariant form of electron EDM and external field interaction

$$H_{\rm EDM} = -d_e\beta\sigma \cdot E.$$

In terms of total Hamiltonian

$$H_{\rm EDM} = \left[ -d_e \beta \sigma \cdot \nabla, H_D \right] + 2i \frac{d_e}{e} c \beta \gamma_5 p^2.$$

Expectation of second term is non zero

$$\langle \psi \mid_{e}^{e} \frac{d_{e}}{e} \beta \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{\nabla}, H_{D_{e}} \psi \rangle = 0,$$

$$\langle \psi \mid 2i \frac{d_{e}}{e} c \beta \gamma_{5} p^{2} \mid \psi \rangle > d_{e}$$

P. G. H. Sandars, Phys. Lett. 14, 194 (1965)



#### Enhancement

Derivation can be extended to atoms higher Z and there is an enhancement of atomic EDM.

$$D_A \propto Z^3 \alpha^2$$
,

Incomplete cancellation arises from the spin-orbit coupling (magnetic interaction)

$$2i\frac{d_e}{e}c\beta\gamma_5p^2.$$

## Defying Schiff theorm II finite size effects

#### **Schiff moment**

Emerges when charge and electric dipole moment distributions are different within the nucleus. Then

$$W_{\rm EDM} = -D_N \sigma_N \cdot \int d^3 x (\rho_d - \rho_c) \langle \psi | E(x) | \psi \rangle$$

The above dipole interaction energy is zero if nuclear charge and dipole distributions are the same. Unequal distributions can arise from

•Electric dipole moment of quarks, •CP violating quark-quark interactions.

It is also referred to as the local dipole moment of the nucleus.

$$W_{\rm EDM} = -eS \left[ \nabla, \delta(r_e) \right]$$

This is point nucleus limit. More precise treatment is to consider finite nucleus.

Charge distribution gradient within nucleus



C.-P. Liu, M. J. Ramsey-Musolf, W. C. Haxton, R. G. E. Timmermans, and A. E. L. Dieperink, Phys. Rev. C 76, 035503 (2007).

## Atomic electric dipole moments choosing one

#### **Elementary particles to atoms**

Atomic EDM arise from parity and time reversal phenomena at elementary particle physics level. These could be

•Quark or electron electric dipole moments,

•Quark-quark, quark-electron, electron-electron P and T odd interactions,

#### **Choice of atoms**

Different atoms are sensitive to parity and time reversal violations in various sectors

•Paramagnetic atoms—leptonic sector,

•Diamagnetic atoms—leptonic and hadronic sectors,

#### **Electron electric dipole moment**

Standard model predictions

$$d_e < 10^{-38} \,\mathrm{cm}$$

C. Jarlskog, Phys. Rev. Lett. 55, 1039 (1985),

W. Bernreuther and M. Suzuki, Rev. Mod. Phys. 63, 313 (1991).



M. Pospelov , A. Ritz , Ann. Phys. 318 , 119 (2005).

## **Electron electric dipole moment** limits

#### **Current limit**

Thallium experimental results provide the best limit on electron EDM.

Atomic beam experiment,

•Enhancement factor is -585,

 Main systematic error is motional magnetic field.

 $d_e = (6.9 \pm 7.4) \times 10^{-28} e \,\mathrm{cm}$ 

Equivalent to the upper limit

 $|d_e| < 1.6 \times 10^{-27} e \,\mathrm{cm}$ 

B. C. Regan, E. D. Commins, C. J. Schmidt, D. DeMille, PRL 88, 071805 (2002).

#### Other atoms





## **CP violation parameters** Hadronic sector

#### **CPT theorem**

Combined discrete symmetries CPT is a good symmetry. Result obtained from local field theory.

T reversal violation, then imply CP violation.

#### **Current experiments**

Diamagnetic or closed-shell atoms like Yb, Hg, Xe, Ra and Rn are candidate atoms to probe CP violation in hadronic sector.

#### **Estimating CP violation parameter**

CP violation parameters are obtained after combining the experimental results with the theoretical results.

Experiment result 
$$d_{a} = \frac{\omega}{2E}$$
  
Theoretical result  $d_{a} = \lambda \eta$   $\lambda = \frac{\omega}{2E\eta}$ 



CP violation parameter

## Mercury EDM experiment recent results

#### Most precise EDM experiment

Hg EDM experiment results is the best result so far. Result from the current generation is

$$d^{(199}\text{Hg}) = (0.49 \pm 1.29_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.76_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-29} \text{ cm}$$

Limit from this experimental result is

$$|d^{(199}\text{Hg})| < 3.1 \times 10^{-29} \text{ cm}$$

#### **CP** violation parameter bounds

Bounds on CP violation parameters obtained after combining the experimental data with earlier theoretical results.

#### Our recent calculations provide new bounds



Parameter	$^{199}\mathrm{Hg}$ bound	Hg theory	Best	alternate li	mit
$\tilde{d}_q(\text{cm})^{\ a}$	$6 \times 10^{-27}$	[15]	n:	$3 \times 10^{-26}$	[3]
$d_p(e \text{ cm})$	$7.9 \times 10^{-25}$	[16]	TlF:	$6 \times 10^{-23}$	[17]
$C_S$	$5.2 \times 10^{-8}$	[18]	Tl:	$2.4 \times 10^{-7}$	[19]
$C_P$	$5.1 \times 10^{-7}$	[18]	TlF:	$3 \times 10^{-4}$	[1]
$C_T$	$1.5 \times 10^{-9}$	[18]	TlF:	$4.5 \times 10^{-7}$	[1]
$\bar{\theta}_{QCD}$	$3 \times 10^{-10}$	[20]	n:	$1 \times 10^{-10}$	[3]
$d_n(e \text{ cm})$	$5.8 \times 10^{-26}$	[16]	n:	$2.9 \times 10^{-26}$	[3]
$d_e(e \text{ cm})$	$3 \times 10^{-27}$	[21, 22]	Tl:	$1.6 \times 10^{-27}$	[18]
<sup>a</sup> For <sup>199</sup> Hg:	$\tilde{d}_q = (\tilde{d}_u - \tilde{d}_d)$	, while for n	$\tilde{d}_q =$	$(0.5\tilde{d}_u + \tilde{d}_d)$	).

W. C. Griffith, M. D. Swallows, T. H. Loftus, M. V. Romalis, B. R. Heckel, and E. N. Fortson, Phys. Rev. Lett. 102, 101601 (2009)

## Ultracold atomic gases next generation experiments



#### **Ultracold atoms**

Low atomic velocities reduce the systematic error from motional magnetic field

$$B_{\rm mot} = \frac{v \times E}{c^2}$$

It couples to the magnetic moment of atom and mimics EDM signal. Recall

$$H_{\rm int} = -d_a \cdot E - \mu \cdot B.$$

Interaction of motional magnetic field with atom

$$-\vec{\mu}\cdot\frac{v\times E}{c^2}$$

Changes sign when electric field E is reversed like the EDM interaction term.

#### **Measurement scheme**

There are various propsed schemes

•Quantum non-demolition measurement of cold atoms (Yb),

•Measurement using a cold atom fountain (Cs),

•Optical lattices (Cs, Rb).

## Candidate atoms and where

#### **Proposed experiments**

Atom	Proposed Lab
Rb	Penn State University
	F.Fang and D.S. Weiss, OL <b>34,</b> 169 (2009).
Cs	LBNL
	J. M. Amini, et al , PRA 75, 063416 (2007).
Yb	Kyoto University
	M. Takeuchi M, et. al, PRA 75, 063827 (2008)
	llSc
	V. Natarajan, EPJD <b>32</b> , 33 (2005).
Fr	RCNP, Osaka Univesity
	Sakemi et. al.
	JILA
	Z-T. Lu, et. al, PRL 79, 994 (1997).

#### What to expect

For Cs and Rb atoms trapped in a one dimensional, 1.064 \mum, optical lattice.

- •No of atoms—Cs  $5x10^8$  and Rb  $10^{10}$ ,
- •External field—exceeding 10<sup>5</sup> V/cm,
- •Integration time—approx 100 hours,
- •Precision—less than 5x10<sup>-30</sup> e-cm.

200-fold improvement over the current experimental limit.

D. S. Weiss, F. Fang, J. Chen, BAPS J.008 (2003).



Attention Y. Takahashi Quantum simulator Using ytterbium 18 Jan, 11:50 PM

## Atomic theory calculations enhancement factor

#### **Atomic EDM from Schiff moment**

Electrons within atoms interact with the nuclear Schiff moment and induces finite atomic EDM.

Atomic EDM arising from the nuclear Schiff moment

$$d_{\rm a} = 2\sum_{I} \frac{\langle \Psi_0 | D | \Psi_I \rangle \langle \Psi_I | H_{\rm PTV} | \Psi_0 \rangle}{E_0 - E_I} = S\eta$$

$$H_{\rm PTV} = -\phi(R) = \frac{3S \cdot R}{B} \rho_N(R)$$

#### **Atomic theory**

Considerations for accurate calculations

- •Dipole—dominant contribution from large r,
- •Schiff moment—significant at small r,
- •Energy—contribution all radial ranges.

#### Accurate wavefunction at all *r* ranges



*Though this be madness, yet there is method in it.* (Hamlet)

#### **Key points**

- •Complexity—multiple perturbations,
- •Route to bounds—atomic-nuclear-particle,
- •Many-body physics—heavy atoms,

## Atomic wavefunctions mean field

#### **Atomic orbitals**

For atoms with high nuclear charge relativistic effects are important. Dirac-Hamiltonian is an appropriate choice,

$$H_{\rm DC} = \sum_{i} \left[ \alpha_i \cdot p_i + \beta c^2 - V_n(r_i) \right] + \sum_{i < j} \frac{1}{\left| r_i - r_j \right|}$$

#### Challenge

Accurate description of the electron-electron correlations

$$\sum_{i < j} \frac{1}{\left| r_i - r_j \right|}$$

Starting point is the mean field calculations, Dirac-Fock for the present calculations. Then obtain many electron wavefunctions as direct product.





Single electron radial wave functions (1-6s) of atomic Ytterbium.

## Many body perturbation theory diagrammatics

#### **Residual Coulomb interaction**

Consider Helium atom, which has two electrons.

$$H_{I} = \sum_{i \neq \pm 1}^{22} \frac{\mu_{i}^{22}}{2m} + \frac{2}{m_{\ell^{\pm}}^{2}} + \frac{1}{r_{12}}$$

Where, linear momentum states are eigenstates for free particles; angular momentum are eigen states with the nuclear potential.

In actual many-body calculations, residual Coulomb interaction

$$\sum_{i < j} \frac{1}{\left| r_i - r_j \right|} - \sum_i U_{\text{DF}}(r_i)$$

Is the perturbative interaction.

#### **Complications in EDM calculations**

Two more perturbative Hamiltonians: CP violating interaction Hamitonian and electric dipole moment coupling to external field







## Correlations effects many-body effects

#### **Electron-electron correlation effects**

To define Hilbert space, single particle states are separated into core and virtual.

•Core: states occupied in reference/unperturbed state,

•Virtual: states not occupied in reference/unperturbed state.

Hilbert space consist of reference and occupied replaced with virtual states.

#### **Size extensivity**

A key point in many-body theory is: total energy of the system depend linearly dependent on number of constituent particles.

$$E(n) \propto n$$

Which implies

$$E(N) = \sum_{i} E(n_i): \sum_{i} n_i = N$$

Coupled-cluster theory satisfies this condition.









 $E(2N) \qquad E(N) + E(N)$ 

## **Coupled-cluster theory** accurate many-body theory

#### Many-body perturbation to Coupled-cluster

Order by order calculation with many-body theory, even with diagrams, is tedious beyond third order. Number of diagrams runs into thousands.

Coupled-cluster theory is equivalent to selected summation or grouping of diagrams to all orders.

Wave operator is an exponential.

Further, it couples excitations of various orders.

Working equations are coupled Nonlinear equations

$$|\Psi\rangle = e^{T} |\Phi_{0}\rangle$$

#### **Coupled-cluster equations**

$$\left\langle \Phi_{a}^{p} \left| H_{N} + \left[ H_{N}, T \right] + \left[ H_{N}, \left[ H_{N}, T \right] \right] + \cdots \left| \Phi_{0} \right\rangle = 0 \right.$$
$$\left\langle \Phi_{ab}^{pq} \left| H_{N} + \left[ H_{N}, T \right] + \left[ H_{N}, \left[ H_{N}, T \right] \right] + \cdots \left| \Phi_{0} \right\rangle = 0 \right.$$

T. J. Bartlett and M. Musial, Rev. Mod. Phys. 79, 291 (2007).



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## Perturbed Coupled-cluster theory accurate many-body theory

#### Perturbing coupled-cluster wave function

Electric dipole moment expression consist of summing over a set of intermediate atomic states

$$d_{\rm a} = 2\sum_{I} \frac{\langle \Psi_0 | D | \Psi_I \rangle \langle \Psi_I | H_{\rm PTV}^{\rm Schiff} | \Psi_0 \rangle}{E_0 - E_I} = S\eta$$

Reframe or modify the expression in terms of perturbed atomic state

$$d_{a} = 2 \langle \widetilde{\Psi}_{0} | D | \widetilde{\Psi}_{0} \rangle$$
$$\left| \widetilde{\Psi}_{0} \right\rangle = \sum_{I} \frac{|\Psi_{I}\rangle \langle \Psi_{I} | H_{\text{PTV}}^{\text{Schiff}} | \Psi_{0} \rangle}{E_{0} - E_{I}}$$

Perturbed coupled-cluster expression

$$|\widetilde{\Psi}_{0}
angle=e^{T^{(0)}+\lambda T^{(1)}}|\Phi_{0}
angle$$







## Particle physics implications parameter bounds

#### **Route via nuclear physics**

Connecting atomic physics results to nuclear physics parameters

•Method—Skyrme potential, pion dominated interaction, •Many-body effects—core-polarization,

#### **Key points**

- •Least contribution—iso-vector component,
- •Dominant contribution—iso-tensor component,
- •Perturbation—P and T violating.

$$S^{(199} \text{Hg}) = g_{\pi NN} \left[ 0.01 \overline{g}_{\pi NN}^{(0)} + 0.007 \overline{g}_{\pi NN}^{(1)} + 0.02 \overline{g}_{\pi NN}^{(2)} \right] \text{e fm}^{3}$$

J. H. de Jesus and J. Engel, Phys. Rev. C 72, 045503 (2005)

#### $\boldsymbol{\theta}_{QCD}$ bound

Consider iso-scalar contributes maximally then [R. J. Crewther, P. Di Vecchiaa, G.Venezianoa and E. Witten, Phys. Lett. B 88, 123 (1979)]

$$\bar{g}_{\pi NN}^{(0)} = 0.027 \theta_{\rm QCD}$$
  
 $\theta_{\rm QCD} < 1.7 \times 10^{-10}$ 

$$\left(\widetilde{d}_u^{}$$
 -  $\widetilde{d}_d^{}
ight)$  bound

Consider iso-vector contributes maximally then [M. Pospelov, Phys. Lett. B 530, 123 (2002)]

$$g_{\pi NN}^{(1)} = \frac{2(\widetilde{d}_{u} - \widetilde{d}_{d})}{10^{-14}}$$

$$(\widetilde{d}_u - \widetilde{d}_d) < 3.2 \times 10^{-27} \,\mathrm{e} \,\mathrm{cm}$$

## Experiments with polar molecules larger polarization

#### **Diatomic polar molecules**

Electronic clouds of heavy atoms like Pb, Tl, Yb and Hg are strongly polarized/distorted when it form molecules with Flourine or Oxygen.

$$\frac{\left\langle W_{\rm EDM} \right\rangle_{\rm molecule}}{\left\langle W_{\rm EDM} \right\rangle_{\rm atom}} \approx \frac{5 \times 10^8}{E_{\rm ext}}$$

For moderate field of 5000 kV/cm, molecular interaction energy is 100,000 time larger. A huge gain.

#### **Candidate molecules**

Molecule/ion	Results or ongoing experiments
PbO	Yale
	D. DeMille, et al, Phys. Rev. A 61, 052507 (2000).
YbF	University of Sussex
	J. J. Hudson, et al, PRL 89, 023003 (2002).
HfF⁺, HfH⁺,	JILA
PtH <sup>+</sup>	Russell Stutz, Eric Cornell , BAPS J1.047 (2004)

#### Attention E. A. Cornell

How round is the electron? Looking for an asymmetry of 10^{-15} femtometers 20 Jan, 9:30 AM



70 <sup>1</sup> S <sub>0</sub>	80 <sup>1</sup> S <sub>0</sub>	81 <sup>2</sup> P <sub>1/2</sub>	82 <sup>3</sup> Po
Yb	Hg	<b>TI</b>	Pb
Ytterbium	Mercury	Thallium	Lead
173.04	200.59	204.3833	207.2
[Xe]4f <sup>14</sup> 6s <sup>2</sup>	[Xe]4f <sup>14</sup> 5d <sup>10</sup> 6s <sup>2</sup>	[Hg]6p	[Hg]6p <sup>2</sup>
6.2542	10.4375	6.1082	7.4167



## Atomic/molecular physics probing cosmos

#### The Universe

- •~13,700,000,000 yrs young,
- •~80,000,000,000 galaxies,
- •Stable protons ~3 minutes after Big-bang,
- •Molecular clouds and stars (galaxies) observable components.



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#### Implications: Helium discovery

•Pierre Janssen—16 August1868,

•Solar spectra during eclipse—He absorption line,

•Observation location—Guntur, India,

•Name—derived from Helios, Greek sun god.

Unique signature of elements and molecules

Birth place of Stars: (Not bollywood ) Spectacular molecular clouds

## A revolution what one PC can do



#### Quantum many-body calculations

#### **Cluster computing**

#### Solution

Harness the power of several processors and parallelize applications. Possible options are shared memory, distributed memory and hybrid of these two.



## **Conclusions** implications of atomic EDMs

•Energy range—higher than achievable with LHC,

- •Physics—sensitive to a wide variety of CP violation phenomena,
- •Neutral systems—atoms and molecules are the only systems,
- •Complimentarity—atomic EDMs explore slightly different parameter space

