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"Angular dependence of high-field low-temperature

(HFLT) superconducting phase"

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Abstract:

The heavy-fermion superconductor $CeCoIn_5$ has attracted much attention due to its HFLT phase, where the spatially modulated

Fulde-Ferrell-Larkin-Ovchinnikov (FFLO) vortex lattice state is thought to be realized [1]. Intriguingly, in a magnetic field parallel to the *a-b* plane, neutron scattering measurements have revealed the existence of the incommensurate AFM order in almost the same region as the HFLT phase [2]. To try to understand the origin of this AFM order, several mechanisms have been proposed. We have proposed that AFM order is induced by the strong Pauli-paramagnetic pair-breaking (PPB) effect in d_{x2-y2} -wave superconductor and stabilized by a FFLO modulation [3].

Recent a NMR measurement has clarified that with tilting the field from the *a-b* plane, the AFM ordered region is pushed down to lower fields and pure (nonmagnetic) FFLO phase appears just below Hc2. In addition, the NMR data in tilted fields has clarified the sharp rise of Hc2 line in low-temperature region [4].

In this talk, we will present a theoretical discussion on the angular dependence of the HFLT phase. We will demonstrate that the appearance of pure FFLO state observed in the NMR measurement is due to the incomplete nesting condition [5]. We will also discuss on the rise of Hc2 observed in the NMR measurement.

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