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1. relationship between configurations with $N e^-$ vs. N "holes"

subshell	$(n\ell)^N$			
1/2 full subshell	s	p	d	f
# e^-	1	3	5	7

for p^5 is it necessary to consider all 5 e^- ?

e.g. $\|1\alpha 1\beta 0\alpha 0\beta - 1\alpha\| = \|np^5 \ ^2P \ M_L = 1, M_S = 1/2\|$
 ($\pm 1\beta$ is the unoccupied spin-orbital. It is the "hole")

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}^{\text{SO}} \|np^5 \ ^2P \ M_L = 1, M_S = 1/2\| &= \zeta_{np} \sum_i \ell_{iz-iz} \|1\alpha 1\beta 0\alpha 0\beta - 1\alpha\| \\ &= \hbar^2 \zeta_{np} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right) + (0 - 0) - \frac{1}{2} \right] \|5e^-\| \end{aligned}$$

so expectation value of \mathbf{H}^{SO} : $\langle\langle 5e^- \rangle\rangle = -\frac{1}{2} \zeta_{np} \hbar^2$

but for single e^- (with the same M_L, M_S as the five e^-)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}^{\text{SO}} \|np^1 \ ^2P \ M_L = 1, M_S = 1/2\| &= \zeta_{np} \ell_{z-z} \|1\alpha\| \\ \langle\langle 1e^- \rangle\rangle &= +\frac{1}{2} \zeta_{np} \hbar^2 \end{aligned}$$

is the sign flip just a coincidence? **NO!**

TRICK: Hole is exactly equivalent to e^- (for identical $LM_L SM_S$ or $JLSM_J$) except that the sign of its charge is reversed.

- * no effect on e^2/r_{ij} because 2 interacting particles have charge of the same sign (either both e^- or both hole), so e^2/r_{ij} is always a repulsive interaction. [What happens for $f^{13}p^2$? Certainly different from fp !]
- * reverse sign for \mathbf{H}^{SO} because \mathbf{H}^{SO} is a relativistic electrostatic interaction between e^- and nucleus (+ charge). Replacing e^- by h^+ and leaving the sign on the nucleus the same reverses the sign of \mathbf{H}^{SO} !

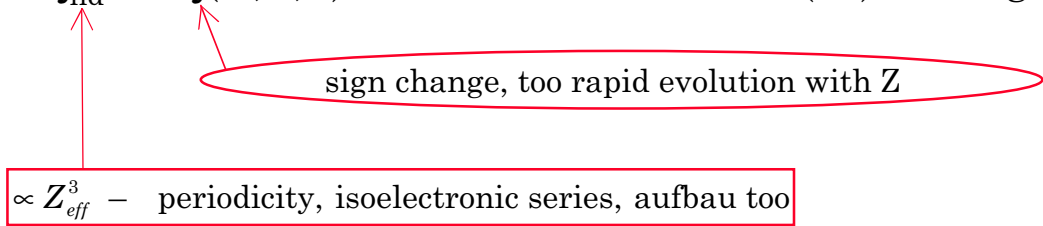
$$\begin{aligned}
 p^1 &\leftrightarrow p^5 & d^1 &\leftrightarrow d^9 & \text{etc.} \\
 p^2 &\leftrightarrow p^4 & d^2 &\leftrightarrow d^8 \\
 & & d^3 &\leftrightarrow d^7 \\
 & & d^4 &\leftrightarrow d^6
 \end{aligned}$$

pretend that holes are e^- , Slater determinants describe spin-orbitals occupied by holes.

- * all F_k, G_k, ζ_{nl} remain positive (repulsions)
- * all e^2/r_{ij} energy level patterns are unaffected
- * all $\zeta(N,L,S)$ reverse sign

Look at Tinkham 6-2, page 187 figure.

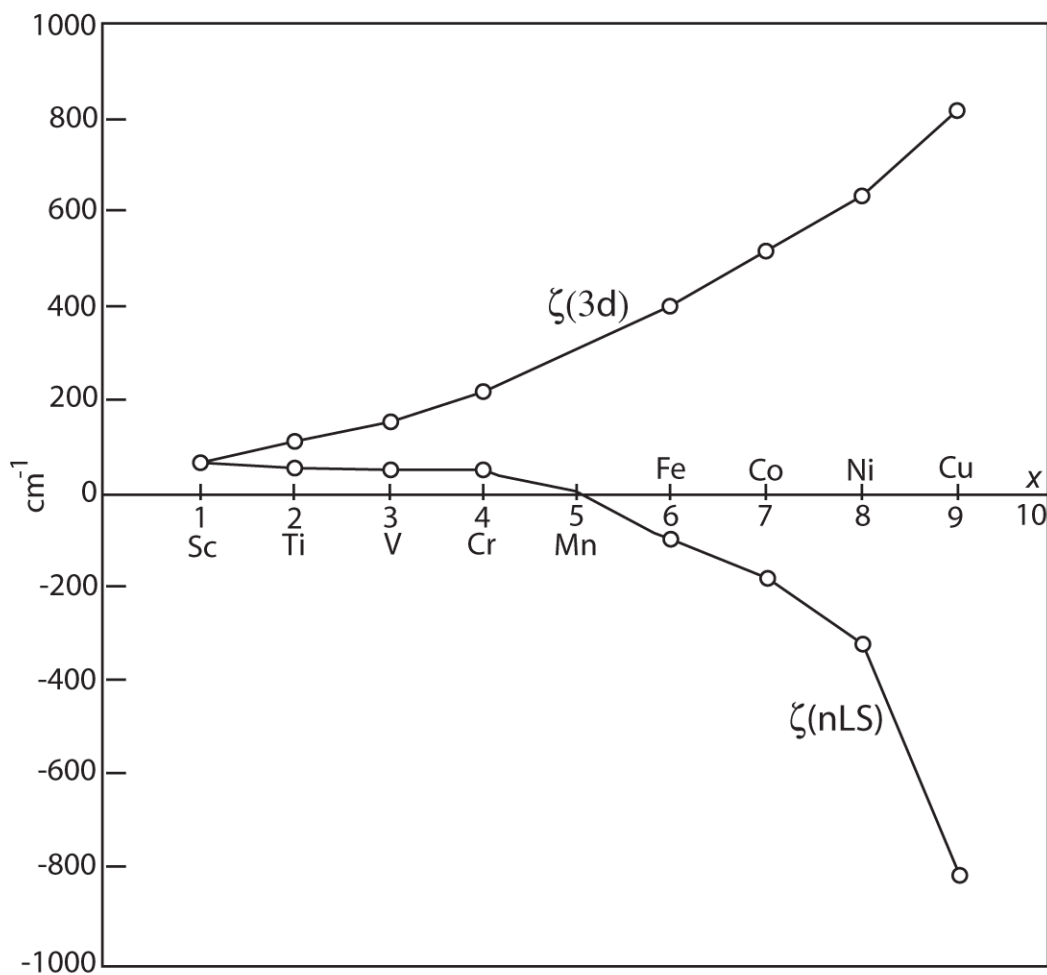
ζ_{nd} vs. $\zeta(N,L,S)$ for lowest L-S term of $(3d)^N$ configuration



INSIGHT — regularization of trends
 EXTRAPOLATION
 ASSIGNMENT
 LABOR SAVING!

Shielding systematics: $Z \not\propto Z + 1$
 $Z_{\text{eff}} \not\propto Z_{\text{eff}} + 1 - 0.5$
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 shielding

Burns' Rules. G. Burns, J. C. P. **41**, 1561 (1964).



Spin-orbit parameters in $3d^x$ transition elements. The splitting parameters $\zeta(LS)$ are averaged over the various splittings. The data used are for the $3d^x 4s^2$ configurations of the neutral atoms. (Adapted from Charlotte E. Moore, "Atomic Energy Levels," Natl. Bur. Standards, Circ. 467, vols. I and II, 1949 and 1952. A very similar figure appears in Condon and Shortley.)

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2. Hund's Third Rule

Consider only MAX-S, MAX-L L-S term, which Hund's 1st and 2nd rules identify as the lowest lying within the $(n\ell)^N$ configuration

This L-S term will always be a single Slater determinant for the $M_L = L_{MAX}$, $M_S = S_{MAX}$ component

$$\left| L_{MAX}, M_L = L_{MAX}, S_{MAX}, M_S = S_{MAX} \right\rangle = \left\| \ell \alpha (\ell - 1) \alpha \dots \right\|$$

(as many α spins as possible)

diagonal element of H^{SO}

$$\zeta \left((n\ell)^N, L_{MAX}, S_{MAX} \right) \overset{\boxed{M_L}}{\downarrow} \overset{\boxed{M_S}}{\downarrow} L_{MAX} S_{MAX} = \zeta_{nl} \sum_i m_{\ell_i} m_{s_i}$$

$$\zeta \left((n\ell)^N, L_{MAX}, S_{MAX} \right) = \zeta_{nl} \frac{\sum m_{\ell_i} m_{s_i}}{L_{MAX} S_{MAX}}$$

S_{MAX} ? shell less than 1/2 full, $N < 2\ell + 1$, all spins are α
 $\therefore S = N/2$

L_{MAX} ? if all spins are α , maximize M_L by putting $1e^-$ into each m_ℓ starting at $m_\ell = \ell$ and working downward.

$$M_{L_{MAX}} = \underbrace{\ell + (\ell - 1) + \dots + (\ell - N + 1)}_{\substack{N \text{ terms in sum} \\ \text{get } \ell \text{ from each term in sum}}} = N \left[\ell - (N - 1)/2 \right]$$

$$\zeta \left(n\ell^N, L_{MAX}, S_{MAX} \right) = \zeta_{nl} \frac{\overset{\boxed{\text{all spins } \alpha}}{\frac{1}{2} \sum m_{\ell_i}}}{\underset{\boxed{S_{MAX}}}{L_{MAX} (N/2)}} = \zeta_{nl} \frac{\overset{\boxed{L_{MAX}}}{\frac{1}{2} M_L}}{L_{MAX} (N/2)}$$

$$= \zeta_{nl} / N \quad \text{WHICH IMPLIES } \zeta_{nl} / 2S_{MAX} \quad !$$

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Shell 1/2 full

$$N = 2\ell + 1, \text{ all spins } \alpha, \sum_i m_{\ell_i} = 0$$

$$S = N/2, L = 0$$

$$\text{lowest L-S term is } {}^{2S+1}L_J = {}^{N+1}S_{N/2}$$

(single J for all L = 0 terms) - no fine structure

Shell more than 1/2 full

$S_{\text{MAX}}?$

$2\ell + 1$ α spins

$N - (2\ell + 1)$ β spins

$$M_S = \frac{1}{2}[(2\ell + 1) - [N - (2\ell + 1)]] = 2\ell + 1 - N/2$$

$$S_{\text{MAX}} = 2\ell + 1 - N/2$$

$L_{\text{MAX}}?$

for the $2\ell + 1$ α spins $\sum m_{\ell_i} = 0$

for the $N - (2\ell + 1)$ β spins,

$$\sum m_{\ell_i} = \ell + (\ell - 1) + \dots = M_L = L_{\text{MAX}}$$

$$\zeta(n\ell^N L_{\text{MAX}}, S_{\text{MAX}}) = \frac{\zeta_{n\ell} \left[\frac{1}{2} \binom{0}{(\alpha)} - \frac{1}{2} \binom{L_{\text{MAX}}}{(\beta)} \right]}{L_{\text{MAX}} S_{\text{MAX}}}$$

$\leftarrow \alpha \text{ spins}$ $\leftarrow \beta \text{ spins}$

$$= \frac{\zeta_{n\ell}(-1/2) L_{\text{MAX}}}{L_{\text{MAX}} [(2\ell + 1) - N/2]} = \frac{-\zeta_{n\ell}}{2(2\ell + 1) - N}$$

of holes

$$= \boxed{\frac{\zeta_{n\ell}}{2 S_{\text{MAX}}}} \quad !$$

Summary for lowest energy L - S term:

** $\zeta(n\ell^N, L_{\text{MAX}}, S_{\text{MAX}}) > 0$ for less than 1/2 full, = 0 for 1/2 full, < 0 for more than 1/2 full

** $\zeta(n\ell^N, L_{\text{MAX}}, S_{\text{MAX}}) = \pm \frac{\zeta_{n\ell}}{\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \# \text{ of } e^- \\ \# \text{ of } h^+ \end{array} \right\}}$

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Hund's third rule: ONLY FOR LOWEST ENERGY L-S term, lowest J component is

$$\begin{array}{ll} J = |L - S| & \text{for } N < 2\ell + 1 \text{ "regular"} \\ J = S & N = 2\ell + 1 \text{ no fine structure} \\ J = L + S & N > 2\ell + 1 \text{ "inverted"} \end{array}$$

Assignments:

- sign of $\zeta(\text{NLS})$
- # of J components
- extreme J values (recognize via interval rule)
- magnitude of $\zeta_{n\ell}$
- # of M_J components
- Zeeman tuning rates

3. Zeeman effect in many- e^- atoms

$$\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} = -\left(\mu_0 / \hbar\right) \left(\mathbf{L}_z + 2\mathbf{S}_z\right) B_z$$

↑
 1.399613 MHz/Gauss
 Bohr magneton
 (Used γ previously)

remember that $\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}}$ is awkward in $|JM_JLS\rangle$ basis set

W-E Theorem trick to simplify $\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}}$:

consider only matrix elements diagonal in J [There are also nonzero matrix elements of $\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}}$ off-diagonal in J .]

[\mathbf{H}^{SO} and e^2/r_{ij} are strictly diagonal in J . Since $\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}}$ has sum of 2 vectors with respect to \mathbf{J} , W - E Theorem says it can have $\Delta J = 0, \pm 1$ matrix elements. When we evaluated matrix elements of \mathbf{L}_z and \mathbf{S}_z in $|JM_JLS\rangle$ the hard way, we saw that there were nonzero $\Delta J = \pm 1$ matrix elements.]

Our special case $\Delta J = 0$ is useful as long as

$$\left\langle \mathbf{J}' \left| \mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} \right| \mathbf{J} \right\rangle \ll \left| E_{J'}^{(0)} - E_J^{(0)} \right|$$

$\propto B_z$

(This fails at high B_z when $\zeta(\text{nLS})$ is small.)

for $\Delta J = 0$ matrix elements, replace both \mathbf{L}_z and \mathbf{S}_z by \mathbf{J}_z

$$\langle JM'LS|\mathbf{L}|JMLS\rangle = \langle JLS||\mathbf{L}||JLS\rangle \langle JM'LS|\mathbf{J}|JMLS\rangle$$

$$\langle JM'LS|\mathbf{S}|JMLS\rangle = \langle JLS||\mathbf{S}||JLS\rangle \langle JM'LS|\mathbf{J}|JMLS\rangle$$

but $\mathbf{J} = \mathbf{L} + \mathbf{S}$. Add the 2 equations

$$\langle |\mathbf{J}| \rangle = \underbrace{\left(\langle |\mathbf{L}| \rangle + \langle |\mathbf{S}| \rangle \right)}_{(1-\alpha) \quad =1 \quad (\alpha)} \langle |\mathbf{J}| \rangle \quad \text{[This trick is equivalent to, but not as elegant as, the projection Theorem.]}$$

$$\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} = \frac{-\mu_0}{\hbar} \left[\underbrace{(1-\alpha)\mathbf{J}_z}_{L_z \text{ part}} + \underbrace{2\alpha\mathbf{J}_z}_{2S_z \text{ part}} \right] B_z = \frac{-\mu_0}{\hbar} B_z (1+\alpha)\mathbf{J}_z!$$

Trick to evaluate α :

$$\mathbf{L}^2 = (\mathbf{J} - \mathbf{S})^2 = \mathbf{J}^2 + \mathbf{S}^2 - 2\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{S}$$

diagonal $|JM_JLS\rangle$ matrix element of both sides

$$\hbar^2 L(L+1) = \hbar^2 J(J+1) + \hbar^2 S(S+1) - 2\langle JMLS|\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{S}|JMLS\rangle **$$

\Downarrow
 completeness: \mathbf{J} has $\Delta J = 0$
 selection rule, \mathbf{L} has $\Delta L = 0$,
 \mathbf{S} has $\Delta S = 0$, $\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{S}$ is scalar with
 respect to \mathbf{J} , $\Delta M = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle JMLS|\mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{S}|JMLS\rangle &= \sum_{J'M'L'S'} \langle JMLS|\mathbf{J}|J'M'L'S'\rangle \langle J'M'L'S'|\mathbf{S}|JMLS\rangle \\ &= \langle JMLS|\mathbf{J}|JMLS\rangle \langle JMLS|\mathbf{S}|JMLS\rangle \\ &= \alpha \langle JMLS|\mathbf{J}^2|JMLS\rangle = \alpha J(J+1)\hbar^2 \end{aligned}$$

Plug this into the ** equation above and rearrange:

$$\alpha = \frac{J(J+1) + S(S+1) - L(L+1)}{2J(J+1)}$$

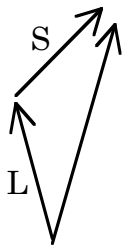
$$\langle \mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} \rangle = -\mu_0 B_z M_J \left[\overbrace{(1-\alpha)}^{\text{from } L_z} + \overbrace{2\alpha}^{\text{from } 2S_z} \right]$$

$$= -\mu_0 B_z M_J \underbrace{[1+\alpha]}_{g_J}$$

Landé g-value

$$g_J \equiv 1 + \alpha = 1 + \frac{J(J+1) + S(S+1) - L(L+1)}{2J(J+1)}$$

- * g_J is Zeeman tuning coefficient $= -\frac{1}{\mu_0} \frac{dE}{dB_z} \frac{1}{M_J} = g_J$
- * equally spaced M_J components
- * excellent diagnostic for different L,S of same J



g_J is large when \vec{L} and \vec{S} are parallel (i.e. since $J = L + S$, parallel \vec{L}, \vec{S} at constant J means smallest possible L in order to have largest possible S)

g_J small when \vec{L}, \vec{S} are antiparallel

e.g.	$J = 3$	$L = 0, S = 3$	$L = 1, S = 2$	$L = 2, S = 1$	$L = 3, S = 0$
	g_J	2.000	1.667	1.333	1.000
	$L = 3, S = 1$	$J = 4$ (parallel)	$J = 3$	$J = 2$ (antiparallel)	
		1.250	1.1667	0.667	

- * g_J decreases at constant J when S is replaced by L.
- * g_J decreases at constant L and S as J decreases from L+S to $|L-S|$.

How to determine J:

- * apply B-field and count M_J components (constant splittings in upper and in lower L-S term)
- * measure g_J (Quantum Beats)
- * polarization dependent Zeeman splitting pattern: $\Delta M_J = 0$ for z polarized, $\Delta M_J = \pm 1$ for x or y polarized, $\Delta M_J = +1$ or -1 for circularly polarized

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Compare direct evaluation of Zeeman matrix element to g_J determined independently.

Matrix Elements of $\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}}$ in Slater determinantal basis set?

$$\text{e.g. } \left| f^2 \ ^3H_6 \ M_J = 6 \right\rangle = \|3\alpha 2\alpha\|$$

$$\mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} = -(\mu_0/\hbar)B_z \sum_i (\ell_{iz} + 2s_{iz})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \|3\alpha 2\alpha\| \mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} \|3\alpha 2\alpha\| \rangle &= -(\mu_0 B_z)[(3+1) + (2+1)] \\ &= -7\mu_0 B_z \end{aligned}$$

Now compare with g_J equation:

$$\langle \ ^3H_6 \ 6 | \mathbf{H}^{\text{Zeeman}} | \ ^3H_6 \ 6 \rangle = -(\mu_0 B_z) g_J M_J$$

$$g_J = 1 + \frac{6 \cdot 7 + 1 \cdot 2 - 5 \cdot 6}{2 \cdot 6 \cdot 7} = 1 + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{7}{6}$$

$$\langle \rangle = -(\mu_0 B_z) \frac{7}{6} 6 = -7\mu_0 B_0 \quad \text{agrees!}$$

Hole vs. e^- for Zeeman effect.

What about a single hole state? Does Zeeman effect reverse sign?

$$\left. \begin{aligned} |f^{13} \ ^2F_{7/2} \ 7/2\rangle &= \|3\alpha\dots - 3\alpha 3\beta\dots - 2\beta\| \\ |f^1 \ ^2F_{7/2} \ 7/2\rangle &= \|3\alpha\| \end{aligned} \right\} \text{same } M_L, M_S$$

$$\begin{aligned} E^{\text{Zeeman}}(f^{13} \ ^2F_{7/2} \ 7/2) &= -(\mu_0 B_z) \left[\underset{\alpha\text{-spins}}{(0+7)} + \underset{\beta\text{-spins}}{(3-6)} \right] \\ &= -4\mu_0 B_z \quad \begin{matrix} 7e^- & 6e^- \end{matrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E^{\text{Zeeman}}(f^1 \ ^2F_{7/2} \ 7/2) &= -(\mu_0 B_z) [3+1] = -4\mu_0 B_z \\ &\text{same as } f^{13} \end{aligned}$$

no sign change for Zeeman for e^- vs. h^+ . WHY?