Ferromagnetic ground-state of a monolayer *MoS*₂

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My purpose I: Phase diagram



My purpose II: Two band Hamiltonian

$$\begin{aligned} H_{\tau s} &= \frac{\Delta}{2} \sigma_z + \lambda \tau s \frac{1 - \sigma_z}{2} + t_0 a_0 \mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_\tau \\ &+ \frac{\hbar^2 |\mathbf{q}|^2}{4m_0} (\alpha + \beta \sigma_z) \\ &+ t_1 a_0^2 \mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_\tau^* \sigma_x \mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_\tau^*, \end{aligned}$$

Rostami, Moghaddam, Asgari arXiv:1302.5901

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Phase-diagram as function inter-interaction, charge density and dielectric constant

Why 2D Systems?

New and exciting physics Correlated charge and spin technologically useful properties

Phases of matter

-In classical world we have solid, liquid and gas phases

-In quantum world we have metals, insulators, magnetisms , superconductors, *etc* : spontaneous symmetry breaking



Broken rotational symmetry Qi and Zhang PRB 2008



Broken gauge symmetry

New phases of matter in 2D quantum electron systems

-Quantum Hall effect

QHE without magnetic field? Majorana fermions?

- Super fluidity and superconductors

Sc without BCS-like paradigm? New routes to HTCS?

-Localization, disorder and quantum magnetism

Spin-liquid, fractionalization -Quantum phase transition, condensation Q- phase transition, New universality classes

Classification of 2D systems

- Layered van der Waals solids
- Layered ionic solids
- Surface growth of nanolayer materials
- 2D artificial systems
- 2D topological insulator solids

TMDCs: MoS2 crystal











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Bulk, quadri-, bi- and monolayer



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Scattering mechanisms

- Charged impurities(Coulomb scattering)
- Neutral defects (short range scattering)
- Surface interface phonon scattering
- Ripples and roughness scattering
- Acoustic and optical phonons scattering

2D

Semiconductor

$$\mu_{charged} \approx (m_e^*)^{-1/2} T^{3/2}$$

$$\mu_{optical} \approx (m_e^*)^{-5/2} T^{-1} \left[e^{\frac{\omega_{op}}{T}} - 1 \right]$$

$$\mu_{acoustic} \approx (m_e^*)^{-5/2} T^{-3/2}$$

 $\mu(T) \approx \begin{bmatrix} T \prec 1 & 10^4 & (1978) \\ T \prec 1 & 3 \times 10^6 & (2000) \\ T = 300 & 1000 & (2000) \end{bmatrix}$

Typical electron mobility for <u>Si</u> at room temperature (300 K) is 1400 cm²/ (V·s) and the hole mobility is around 450 cm²/ (V·s).

Phonons, Raman Spectroscopy





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Mobility: evidence



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MoS₂ Transistor



Superconductivity





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Low energy Field theory



Don't miss a talk given by Rostami today at 17:20

Low-energy Hamiltonian

$$H_{\tau s} = \frac{\Delta}{2}\sigma_{z} + \lambda\tau s \frac{1-\sigma_{z}}{2} + t_{0}a_{0}\mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_{\tau}$$

$$+ \frac{\hbar^{2}|\mathbf{q}|^{2}}{4m_{0}} (\alpha + \beta\sigma_{z})$$

$$+ t_{1}a_{0}^{2}\mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_{\tau}^{*}\sigma_{x}\mathbf{q} \cdot \sigma_{\tau}^{*},$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} t_{0} = 1.68eV \\ t_{1} = 0.1eV \\ \alpha = 0.43 \\ \beta = 2.21 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{m_{0}}{m_{+}} \quad \beta = \frac{m_{0}}{m_{-}} - \frac{4 m_{0}a_{0}^{2}t_{0}^{2}}{(-\lambda)\hbar^{2}} \quad m_{\pm} = \frac{m_{e}m_{h}}{m_{h} - m_{e}}$$
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Trigonal Warping (beyond Low energy)



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....Ground-state properties...

The quasi-2D electron liquid (jellium)



Coulomb interaction

 e^2

 $\overline{\epsilon_0 r}$

4 parameters @ zero magnetic field and spin-orbit coupling

 $n_{2d}, \epsilon_0, U_{4d}, \xi$

Low energy model Hamiltonian: MoS₂

Mean-field theory

$$\mathcal{H}_{MF} = \mathcal{H}_{0} - \frac{1}{S} \sum_{k,k',\tau,s,\alpha,\beta} \psi^{\mathsf{T}}_{k,\tau,s,\alpha} v_{k-k'} \rho_{\alpha\beta} (k',\tau s) \psi_{k,\tau,s,\beta} + \frac{U}{S} \sum_{k,k',\tau,s,\alpha} trace[\rho(k',\tau's)] \psi^{\mathsf{T}}_{k,\tau,s,\alpha} \psi_{k,\tau,s,\alpha}$$

$$\rho_{\alpha\beta} = \langle \psi_0 | \psi_{k,\tau,s,\alpha}^{\mathsf{T}} \psi_{k,\tau,s,\beta} | \psi_0 \rangle$$

H. Rostami and R. Asgari to be submitted (2013)

Mean-field theory

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{H}_{HF} &= B_0^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k})\sigma_0 + \mathbf{B}^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k}) \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\tau} \\ B_0^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k}) &= \frac{1}{2}\lambda\tau s + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{4m_0}\alpha - \frac{1}{2}\int \frac{d^2 k'}{(2\pi)^2} v_{k-k'} \{n_{k',\tau s}^{\varepsilon} + n_{k',\tau s}^{\psi}\} + U\int \frac{d^2 k'}{(2\pi)^2} \{n_{k'\bar{\tau}\bar{s}}^{\varepsilon} + n_{k'\bar{\tau}\bar{s}}^{\psi}\} \\ B_z^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k}) &= \frac{\Delta - \lambda\tau s}{2} + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{4m_0}\beta - \frac{1}{2}\int \frac{d^2 k'}{(2\pi)^2} v_{k-k'} \{\frac{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 - D_+^2}{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 + D_+^2} n_{k',\tau s}^{\varepsilon} + \frac{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 - D_-^2}{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 + D_-^2} n_{k',\tau s}^{\psi}\} \\ B_z^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k}) &= iB_y^{\tau s}(\mathbf{k}) = (t_0 a_0)k(\cos \phi - i\sin \phi) \\ &+ \int \frac{d^2 k'}{(2\pi)^2} v_{k-k'} \{\frac{(t_0 a_0)k'D_+}{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 + D_+^2} n_{k',\tau s}^{\varepsilon} + \frac{(t_0 a_0)k'D_-}{(t_0 a_0)^2 k'^2 + D_-^2} n_{k',\tau s}^{\psi}\}(\cos \phi' - i\sin \phi') \end{split}$$

$$D_{\pm} = \frac{\Delta}{2} + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{4m_0} (\alpha + \beta) - E_{\pm}$$
$$E_{\pm} = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\Delta - \lambda \tau s}{2} + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{4m_0}\beta\right)^2 + (t_0 a_0)^2 k^2} + \frac{1}{2}\lambda \tau s + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{4m_0}\alpha$$

$$k_{F\sigma} = k_F (1 + \sigma)^{1/2}$$

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Band-gap renormalization





Charge compressibility: MoS₂



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Critical magnetic field: Graphene

$$\frac{B_c}{B_{c0}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2\varepsilon_F} \left\{ \left[(2\varepsilon_F^2 + \Delta^2)^{1/2} - \Delta \right] + 2\frac{\partial \delta \varepsilon_{xc}}{\partial \zeta} |_{\zeta=1} \right\}$$

 $B_{c0} = \varepsilon_{\rm F} / \sqrt{2 \mu_B}$





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FIG. 3: (color online). Total energy as a function of spin polarization for various magnetic fields for (a): $\Delta = 0$ and (b): $\Delta = 100$ meV at $\Lambda = 100$.

Magnetic phase diagram: MoS₂



Magnetic phase diagram: MoS₂



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Conclusion

- 1. Propose an mean-field Hamiltonian.
- 2. Band gap renormalization due to e-e interactions.
- 3. Magnetic phase diagram as function of electron density, dielectric constant and the inter-interaction
- 4. Magnetic phase diagram for a hole-doped system?
- 5. Phase diagram as a function of gated voltage?

Thanks for your attention

