

Noise- and microwave experiments in moving CD , igner crystals and vortex lattice

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Outline

- 1) Dynamic Phase diagram of driven vortices
In high- T_c superconductors
- 2) Comparison between vortices and CD
• spectrum
• dynamical coherence volume
- 3) Collective charge excitation in spin ladder
(Sr,Ca)_{1-x}Cu₂₄O₄₁: CD or igner crystal?

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Dynamic Phase diagram of driven vortices

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Experiments in the spin ladder

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Ne concepts proposed in driven vorte system

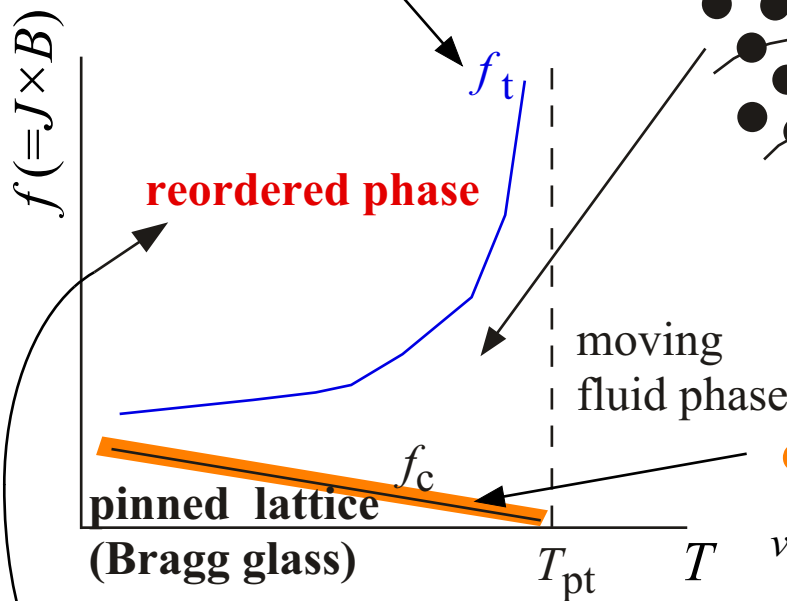
- (plasticity
- dynamic reordering
- static channels etc.

KV transition

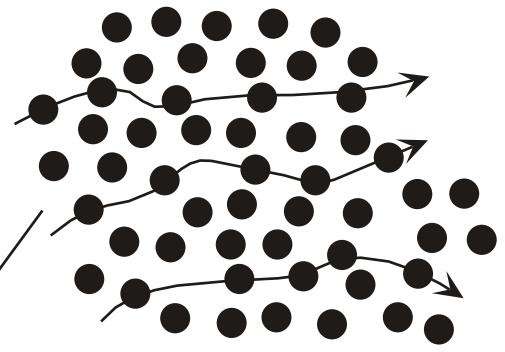
A.E.Koshelev & V.M.Vinokur,
PRL **3**, 3580 (1994).

phase transition
or crossover

$$f_t \propto \frac{1}{T_{pt} - T}$$



plastic flo ()



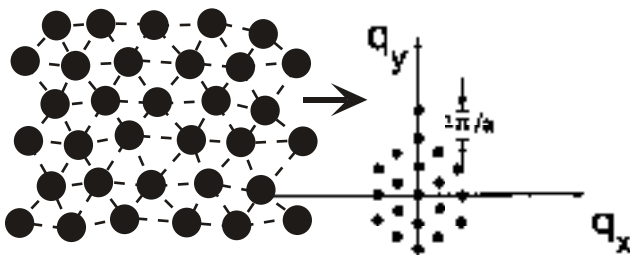
H.J.Jensen *et al.*,
PRL **61**, 1676 (1988).

creep regime

$$v \propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{k_B T} \left(\frac{F_0}{F}\right)^\mu\right)$$

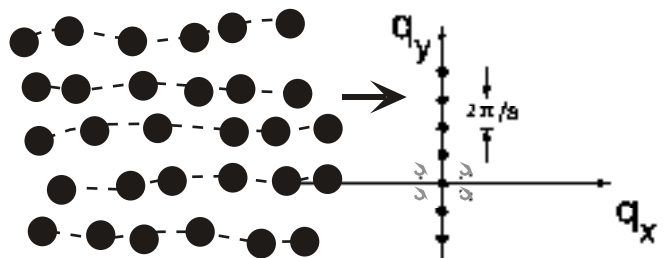
T.Nattermann & S.Scheidl,
Adv. Phys. **41**, 607 (2000).

moving-Bragg-
glass phase



P.Le Doussal & T.Giamarchi,
PRB **58**, 11356 (1998).

smectic phase



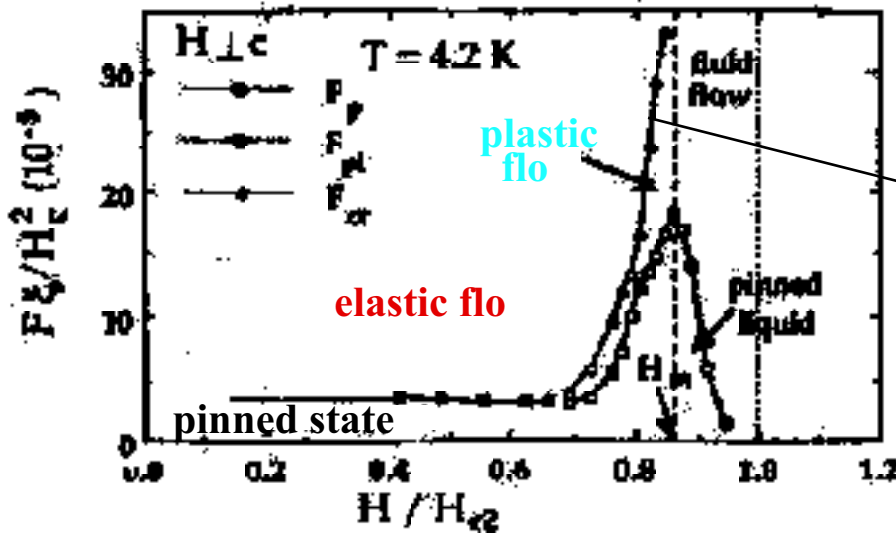
L. Balents *et al.*,
PRB **58**, 7705 (1998).
K. Moon *et al.*,
PRL **77**, 2778 (1996).

KV transition in NbSe₂

dynamic phase diagram of conventional type- S (NbSe₂)

S. Bhattacharya *et al.*, PRL , 2617 (1993).

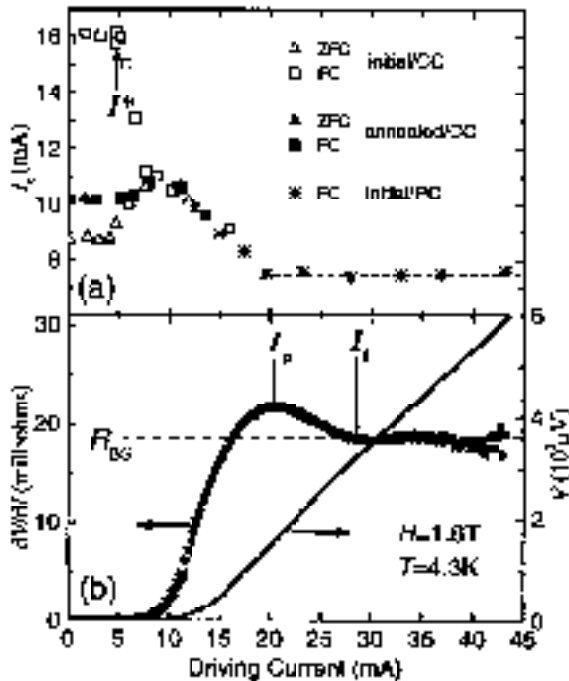
$I - V$, dV/dI , noise, pulse response *etc.*



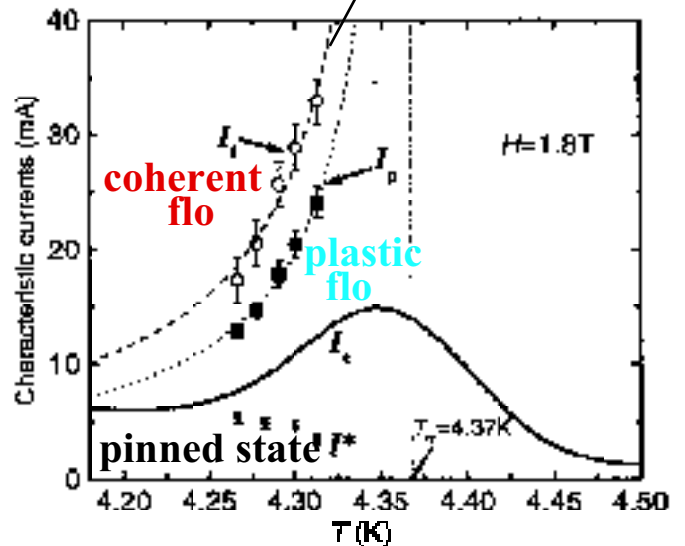
KV transition

$$f_t \propto \frac{1}{T_{pt} - T}$$

Z. Xiao *et al.*, PRL , 3265 (2000).



KV transition



S (Bi2212 $H \parallel c$)

plastic flo

(local density noise (spatial correlation)
T. Tsuboi *et al.*, PRL , 4550 (1998).

(Lorentz microscopy

A. Tonomura *et al.*, Nature 3 , 308(1999).

coherent flo

conduction noise (**ashboard noise**)

Y. Togawa *et al.*, PRL , 3716 (2000).

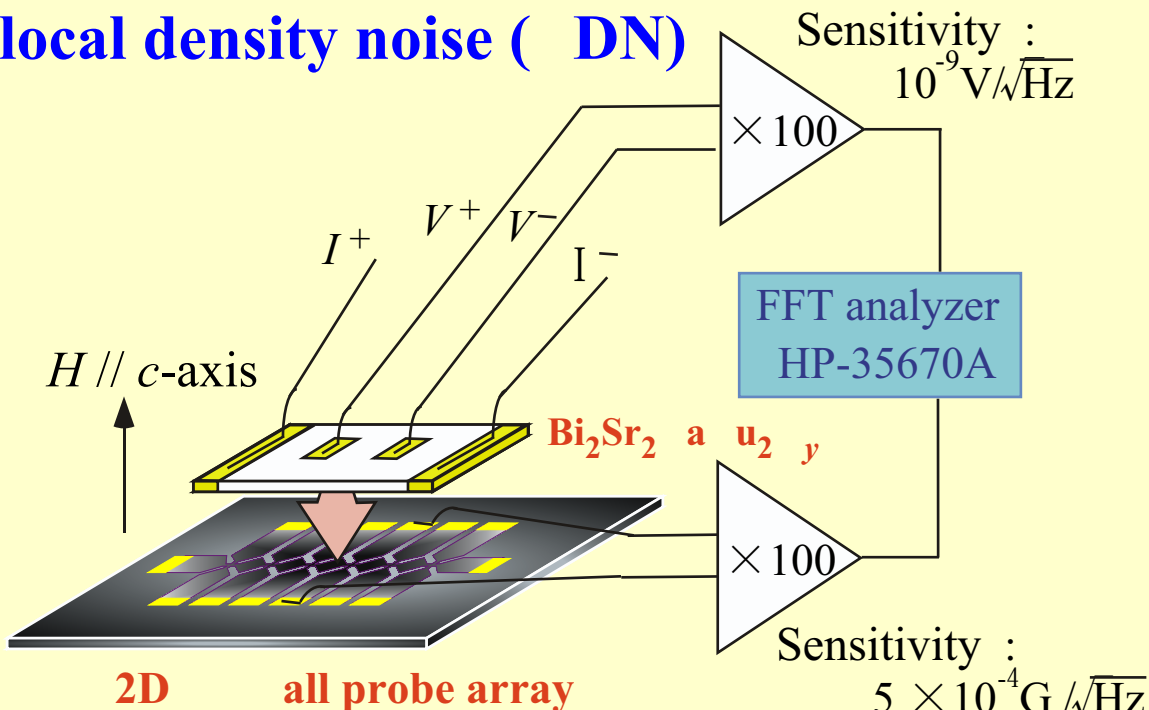
experimental approach

monitoring temporal order of driven vortices

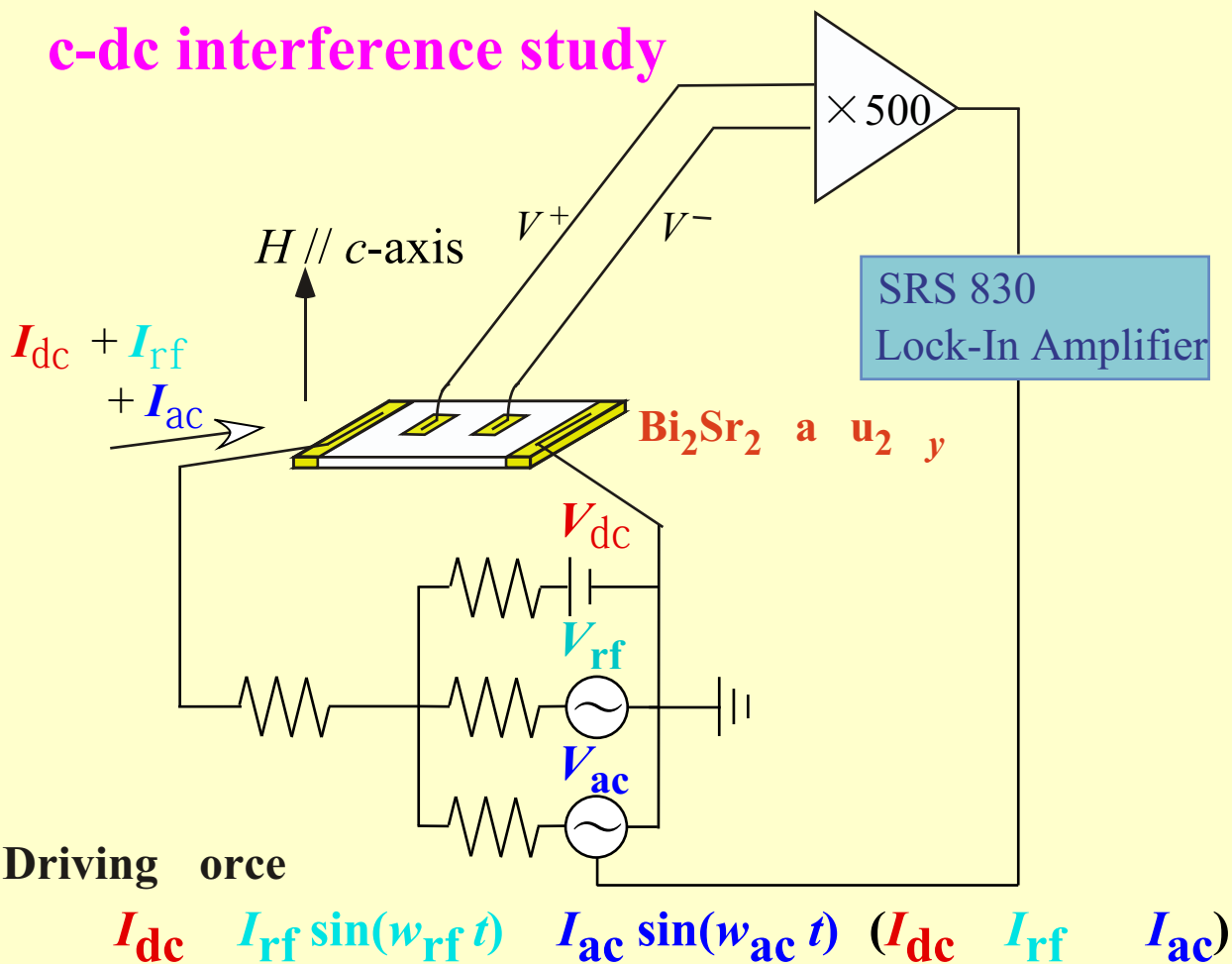
1 Noise measurement

() conduction noise (N)

() local density noise (DN)



2 c-dc interference study



<< Significance of simultaneous noise measurements >>

Local density noise : $\delta B = \phi_0 \delta n$

J.Yeh and Y.H. Kao,
PRB **44**, 360(1991).
T.Tsuboi *et al.*,
PRL **80**, 4550(1998).

[Driven vortex system]

density fluctuations (δn)

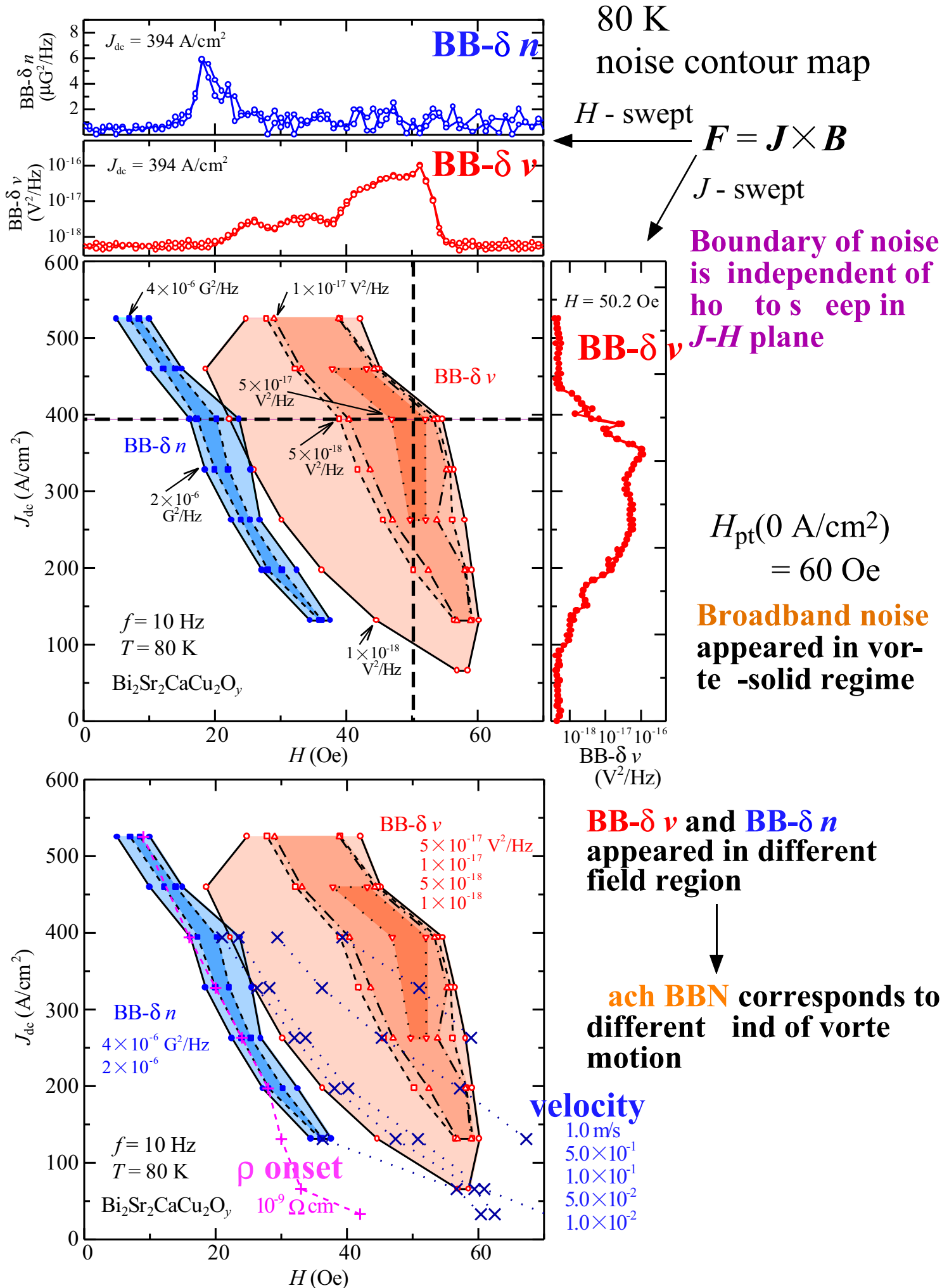
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velocity fluctuations (δv)

$$\delta V = \int \delta E \, dl = \int (\delta B \times v + B \times \delta v) \, dl$$

Conduction noise :

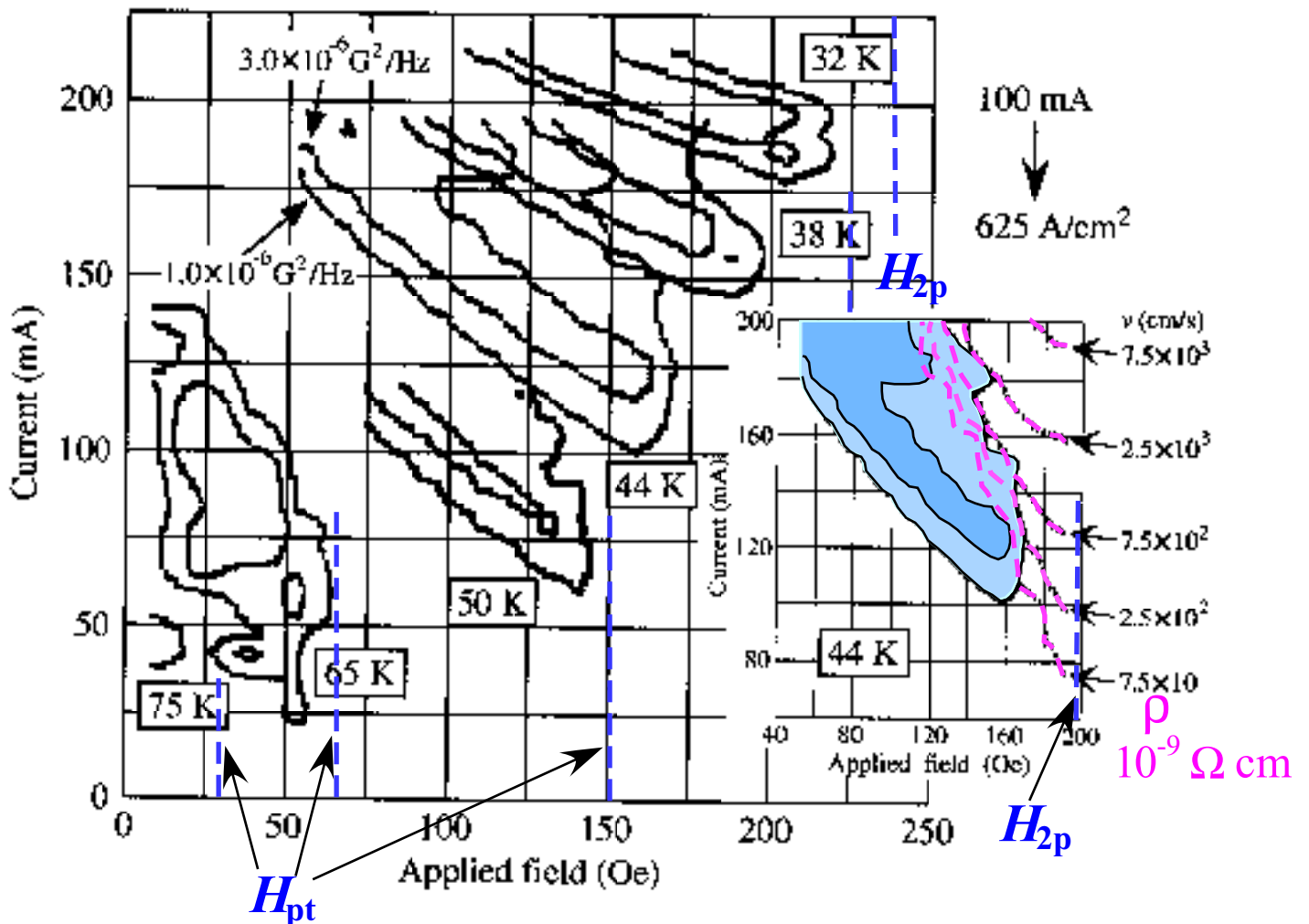
J.R.Clem, Phys. Rep. **75**, 1(1981).
S.Bhattacharya & M.J.Higgins, PRL **70**, 2617(1993).
A.C.Marley *et al.*, PRL **74**, 3029(1995).
G.D Anna *et al.*, PRL **75**, 3521(1995).
H.Safar *et al.*, PRB **52**, 6211(1995).



BB- δn noise power spectral density contour map

T.Tsuboi *et al.*, PRL **81**, 4550 (1998).

A.Maeda *et al.*, PRB **66**, 054506 (2002).



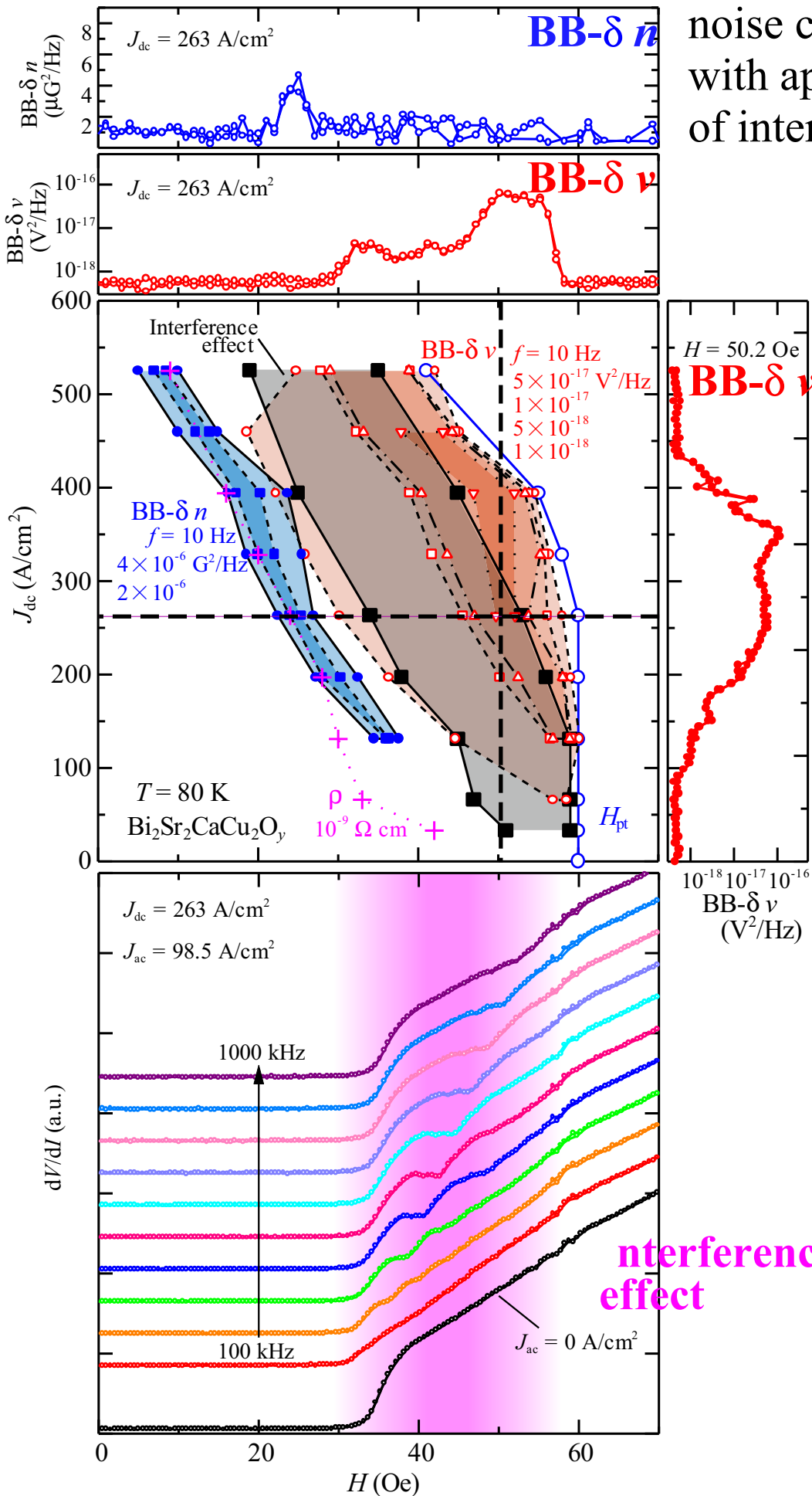
- BB- δn appeared near resistivity onset
- BB- δn appears even in low- T regime here 2nd peak effect occurs

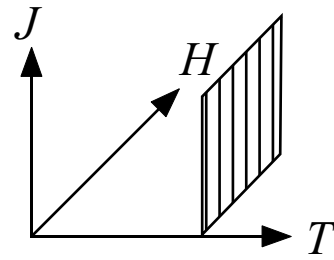
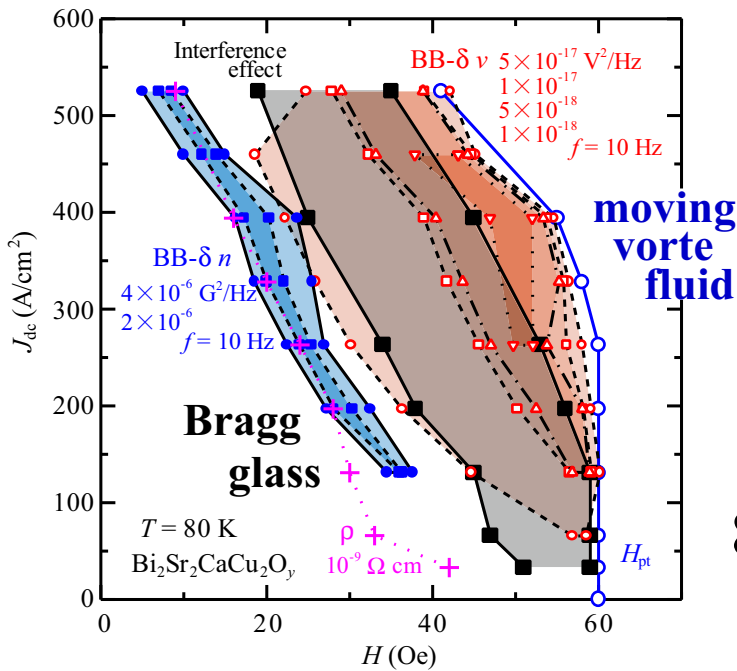
BB- δn spatial correlation method

➔ channel-like plastic flow

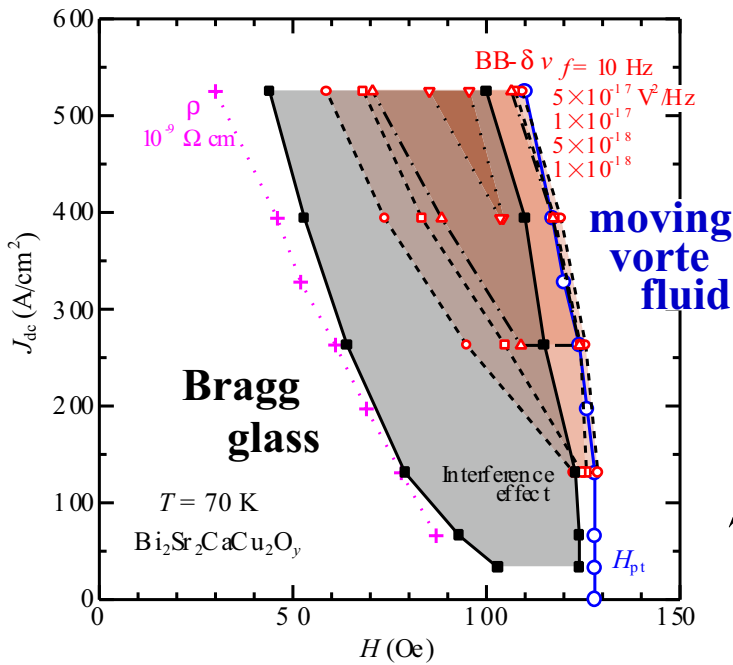
80 K

noise contour map
with appearance region
of interference effect

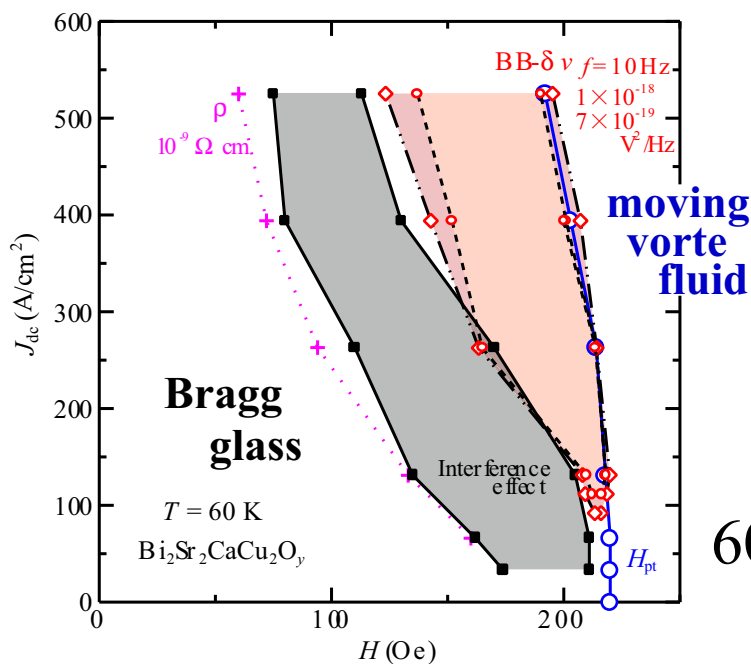




$J - H$ plane
 including results of
 80 K **noise contour**
interference effect
resistivity
 H_{pt} (vorte -lattice phase transition field)



70 K

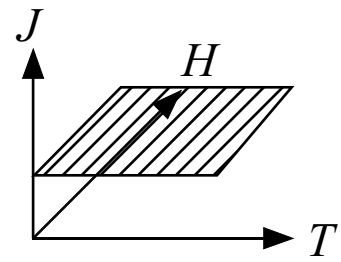
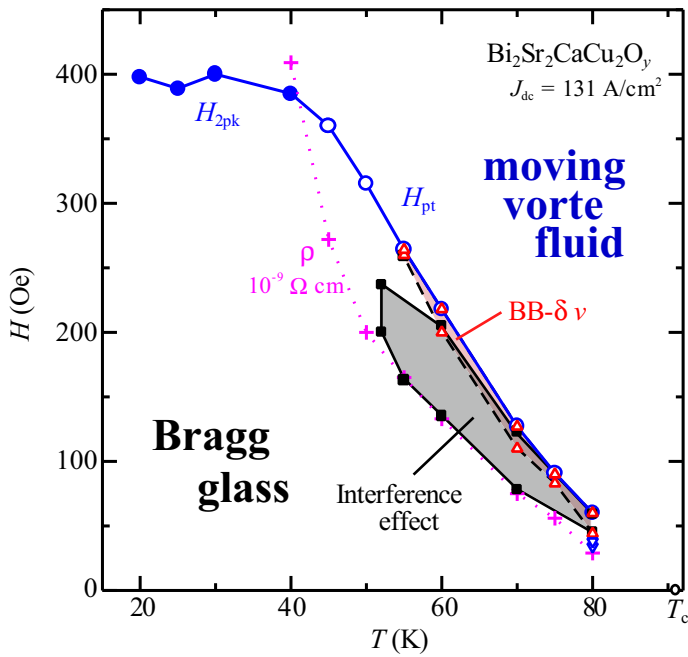


60 K

with decreasing T
 $BB-\delta v$ becomes to appear
 after disappearance of
 interference effects

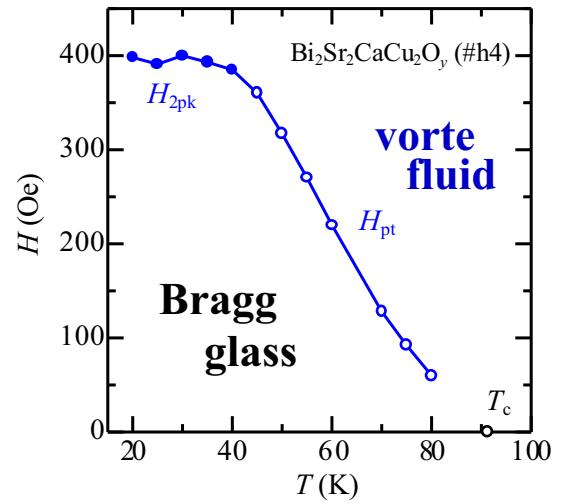
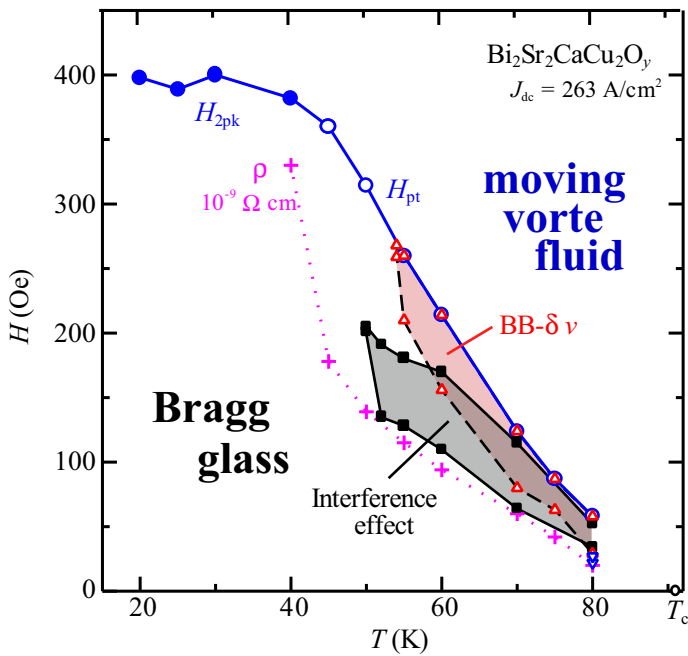


$BB-\delta v$ seems to appear
 when temporal order of
 coherent flow decreases

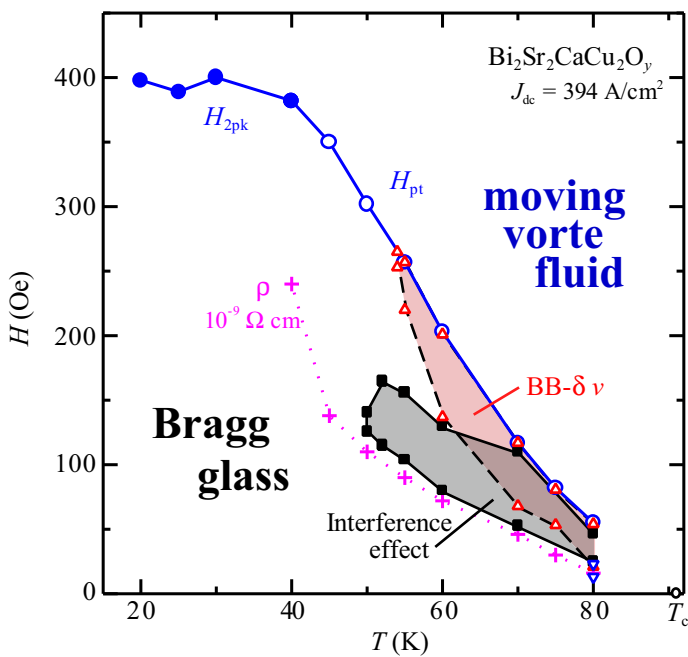


131 A/cm²

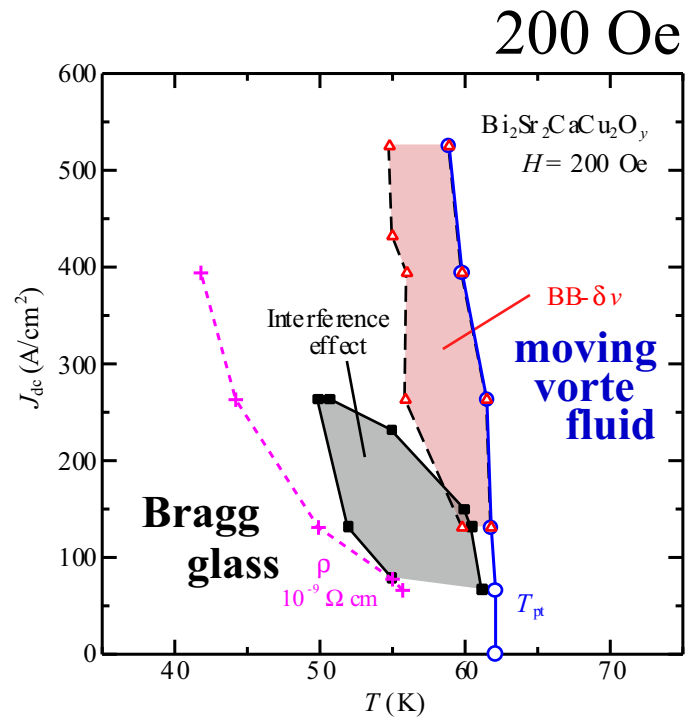
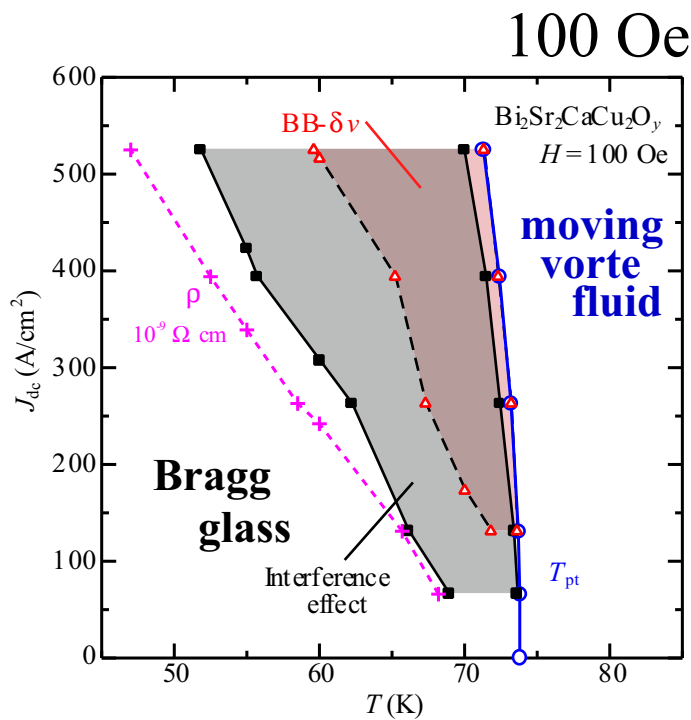
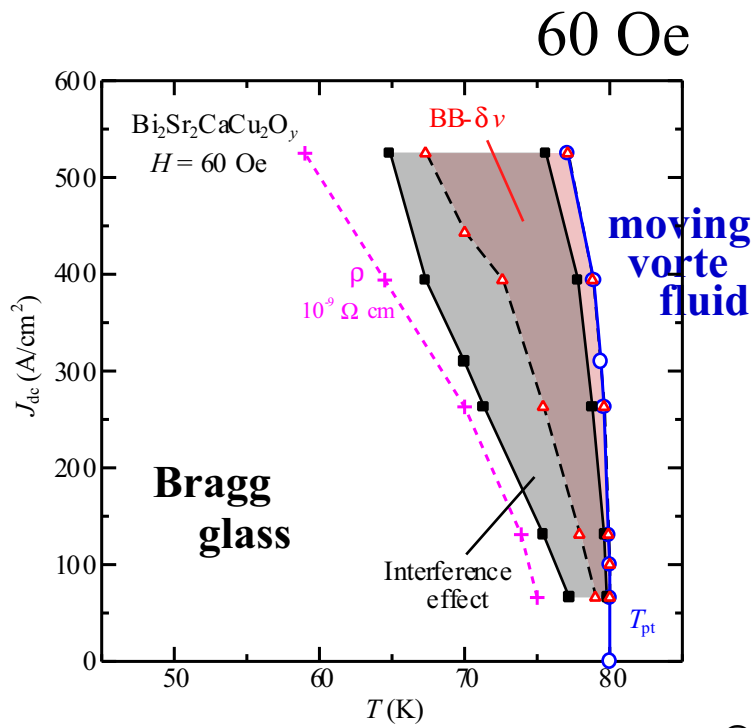
static phase diagram



263 A/cm²



394 A/cm²



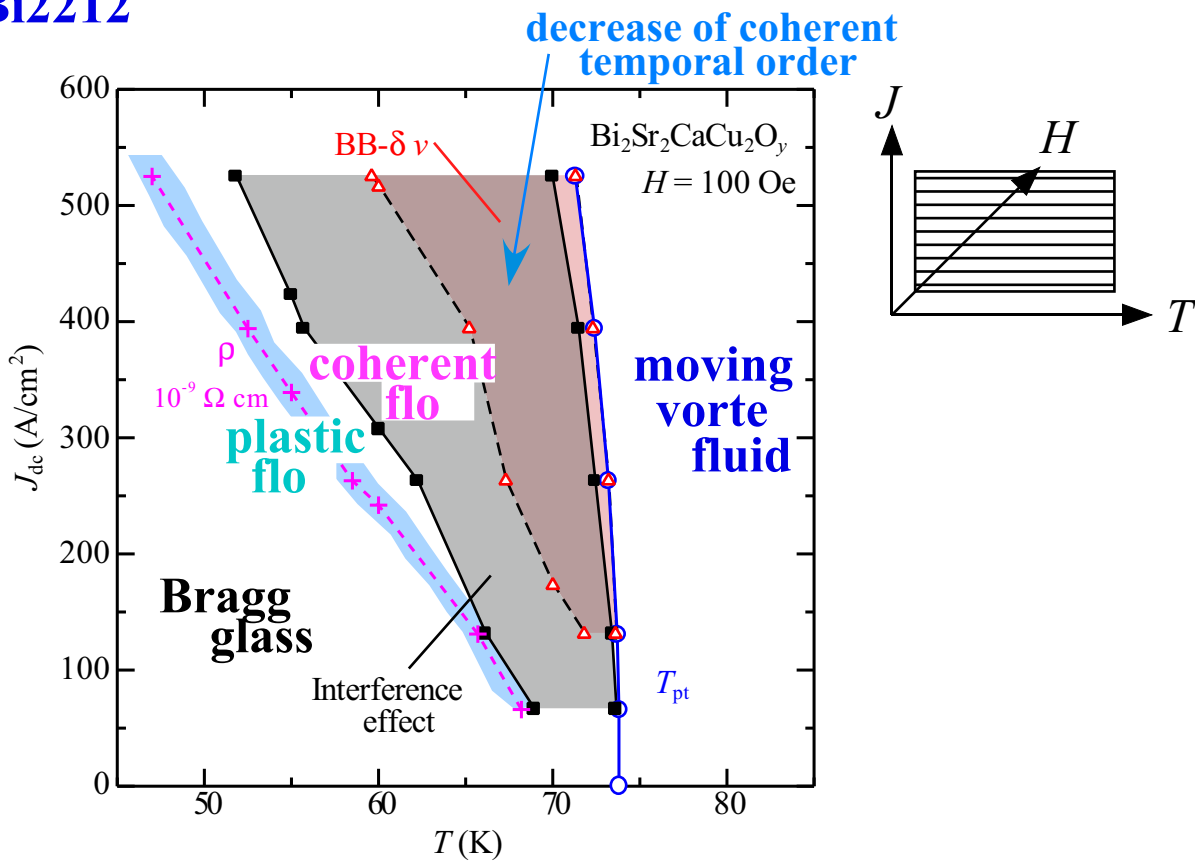
small driving force large

BB- δn (ρ onset) \rightarrow Interference effect \rightarrow Interference BB- δv \rightarrow BB- δv (ust belo T_{pt})

Bragg glass \rightarrow plastic flo \rightarrow coherent flo \rightarrow flo ith less coherence \rightarrow flo ith almost no coherence \rightarrow moving vorte fluid

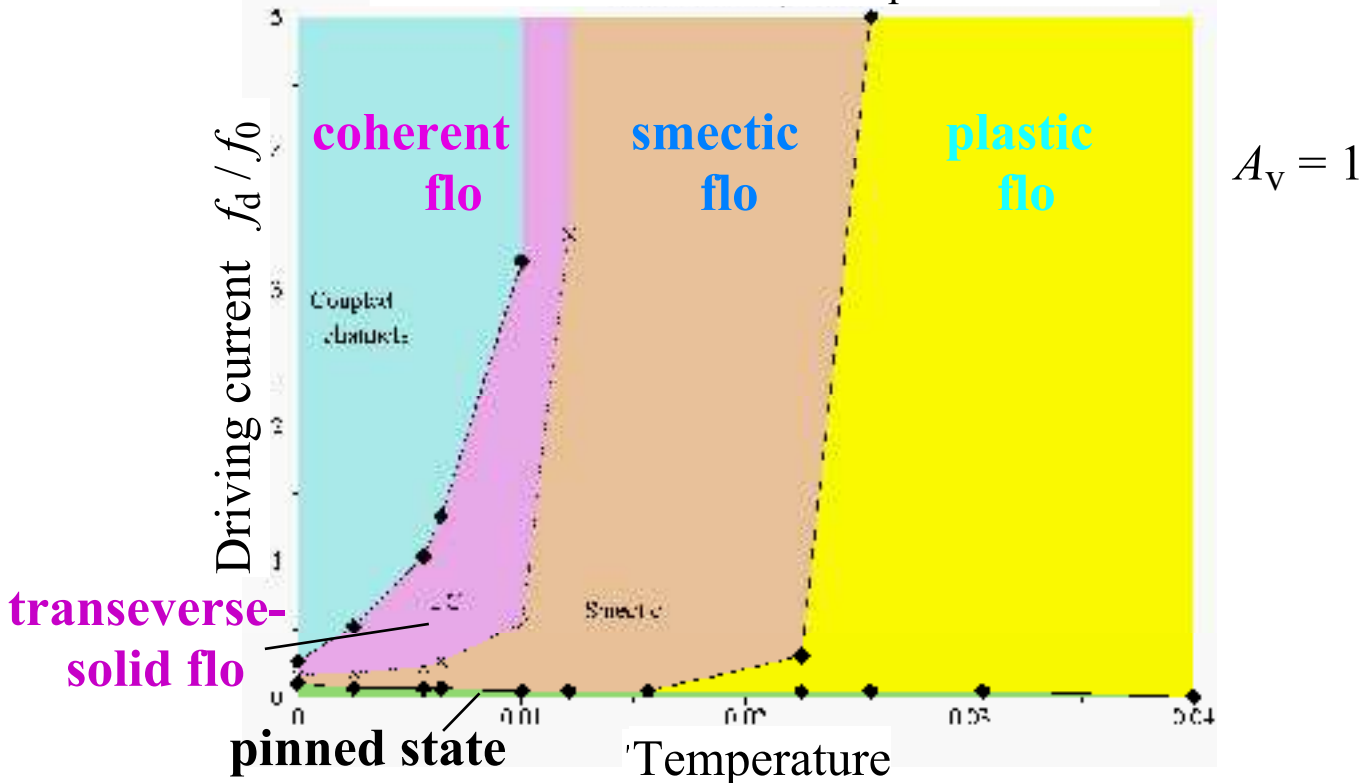
Dynamic phase diagram of driven vortices

Bi2212



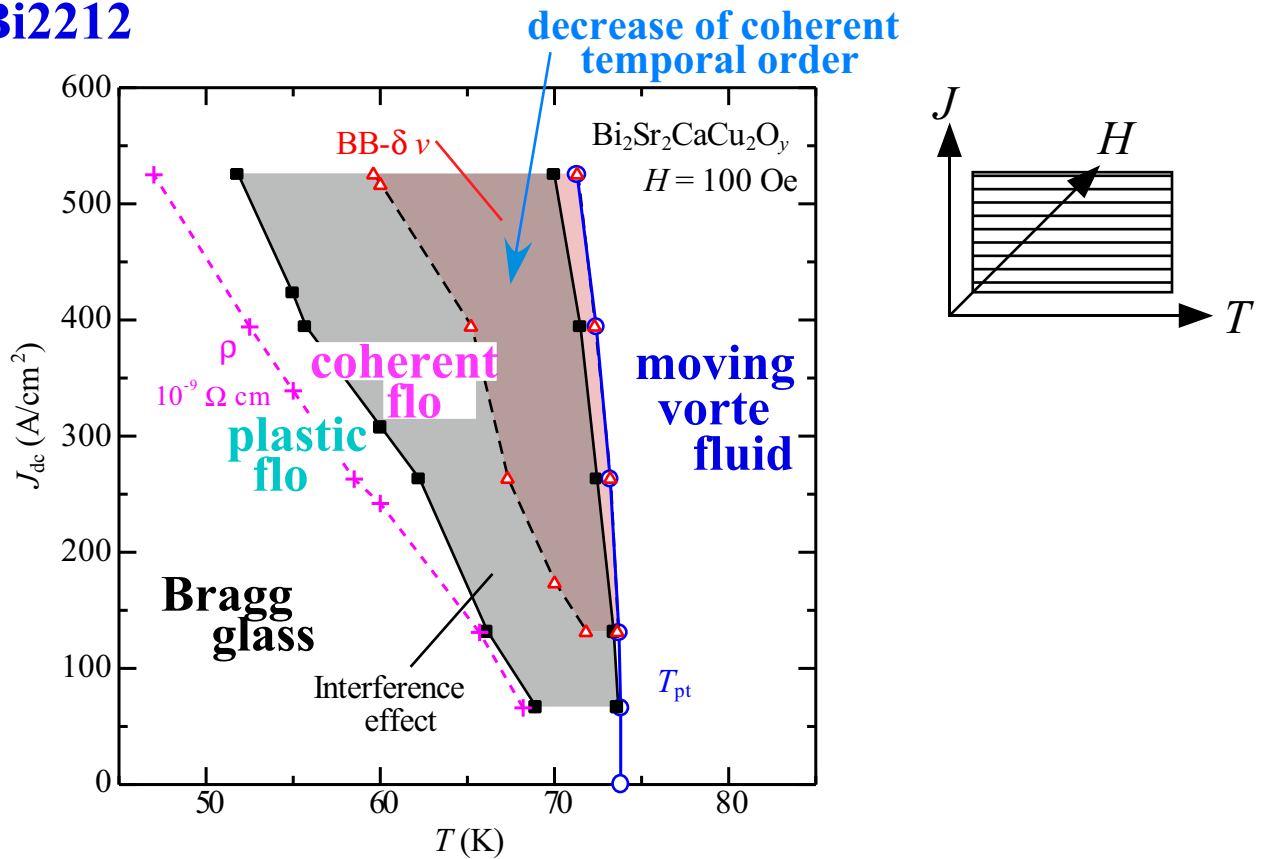
Simulation

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private communication



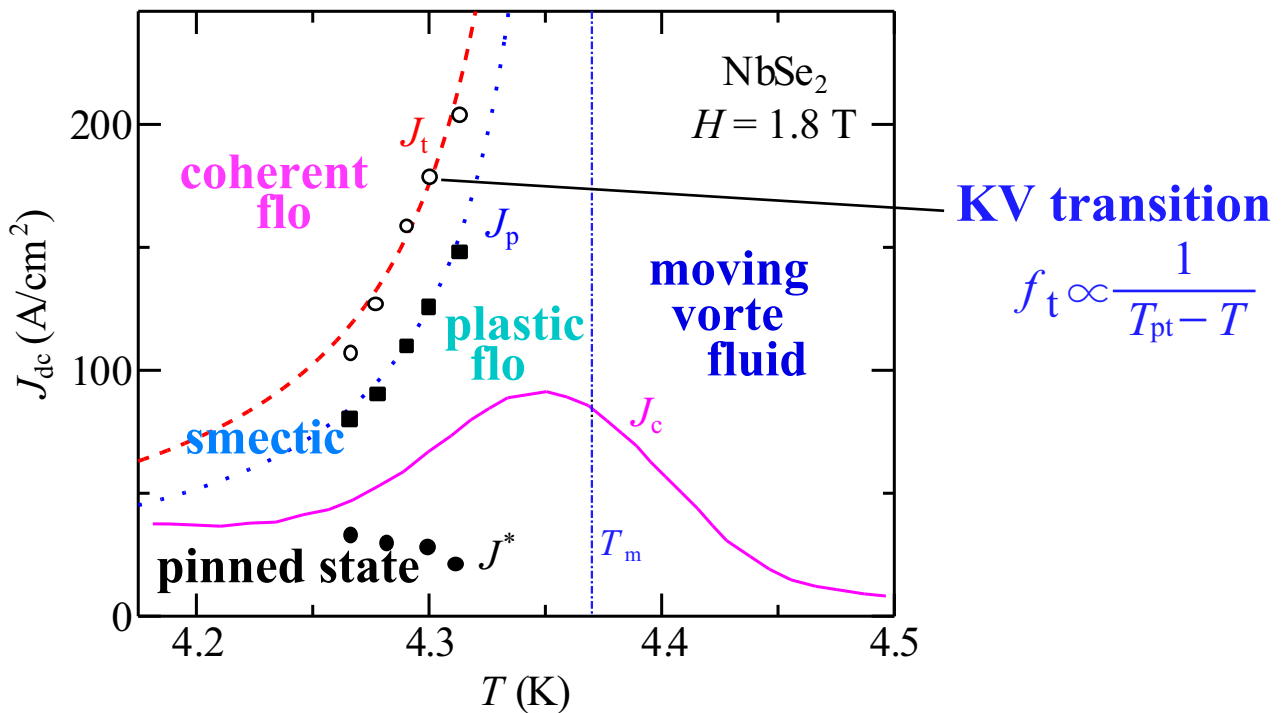
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NbSe₂

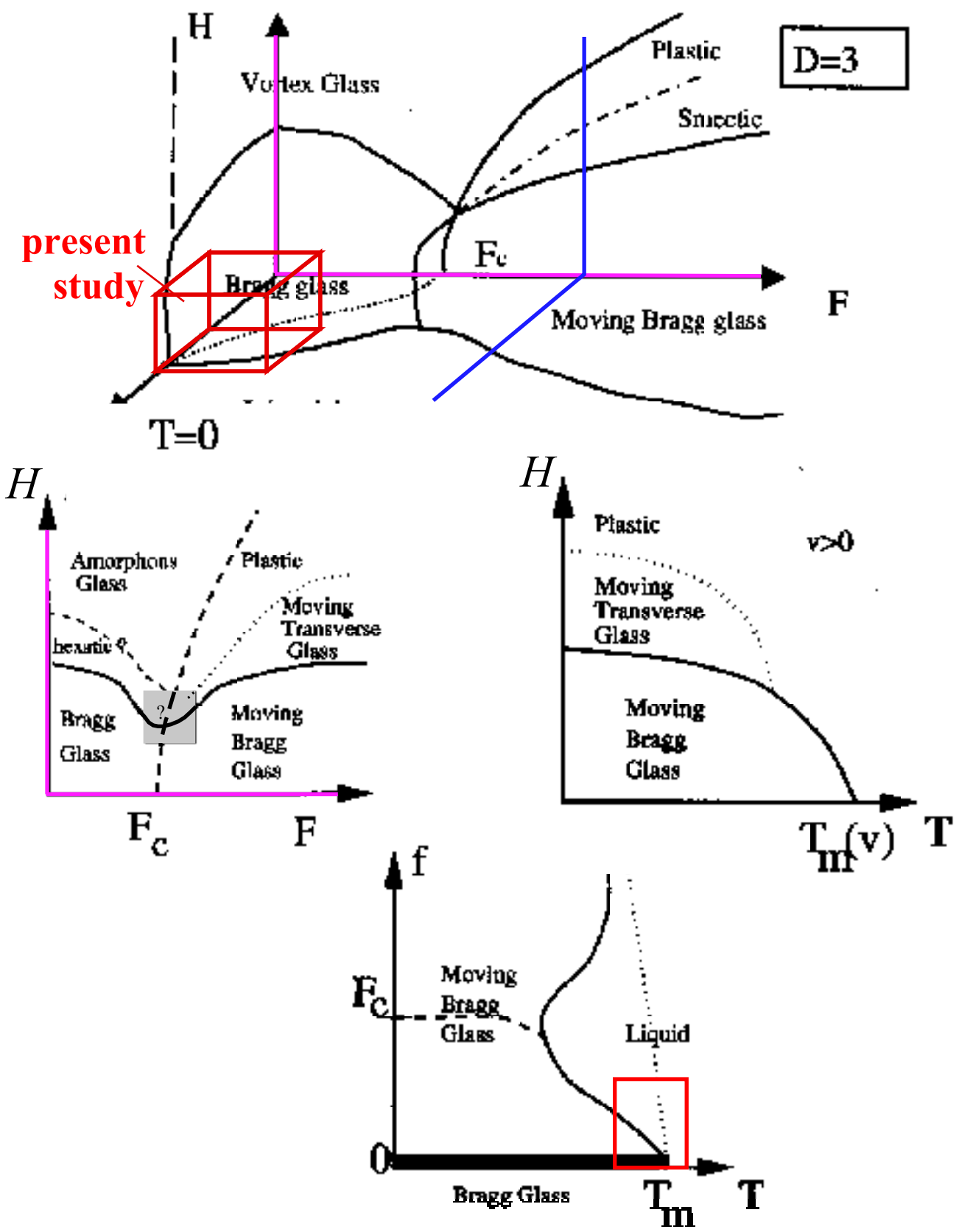
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hase boundary corresponding to KV transition is not found in the dynamic phase diagram of Bi2212

Dynamic phase diagram of driven vortices

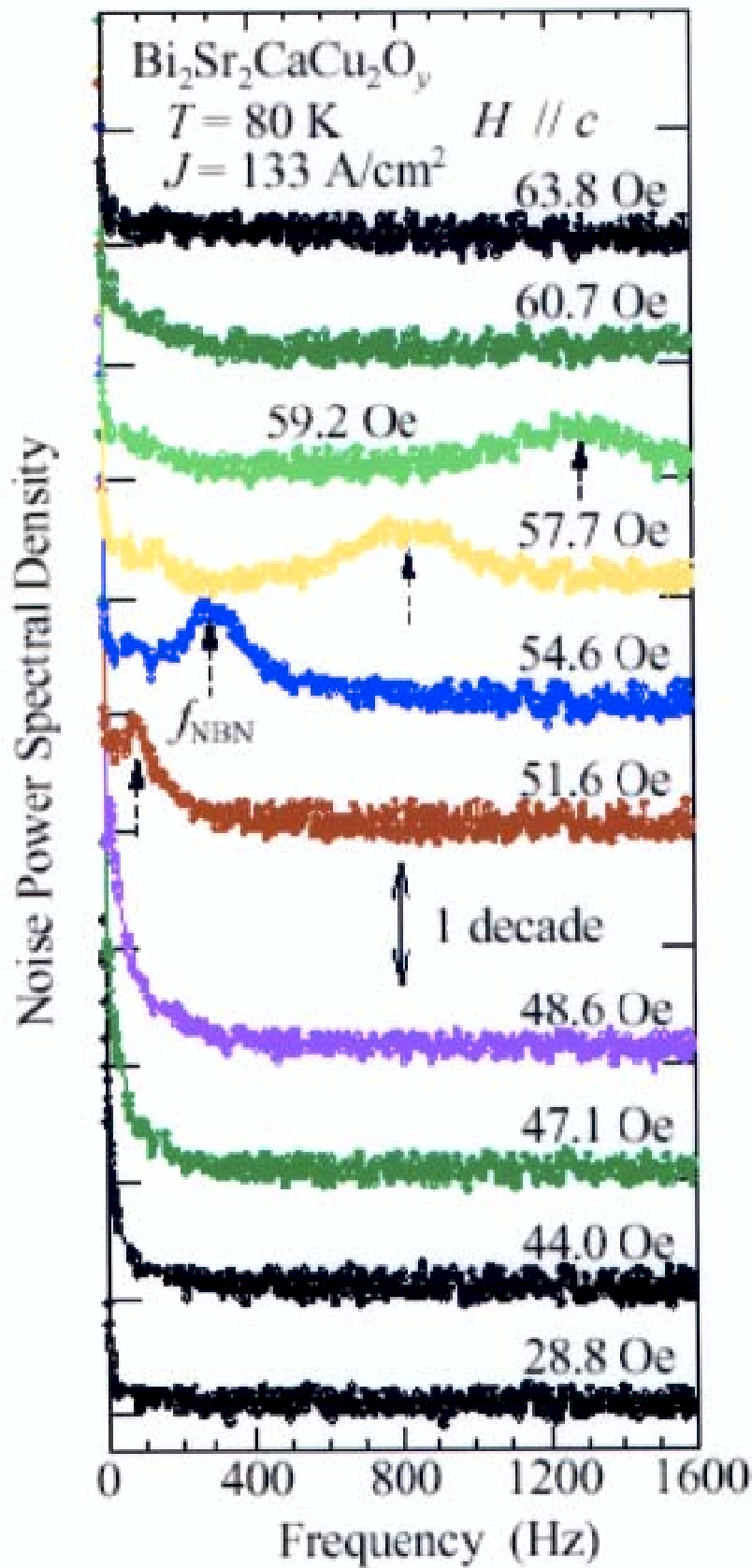
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Vortices in SC (2D) vs CD (1D)

Similarity ν difference

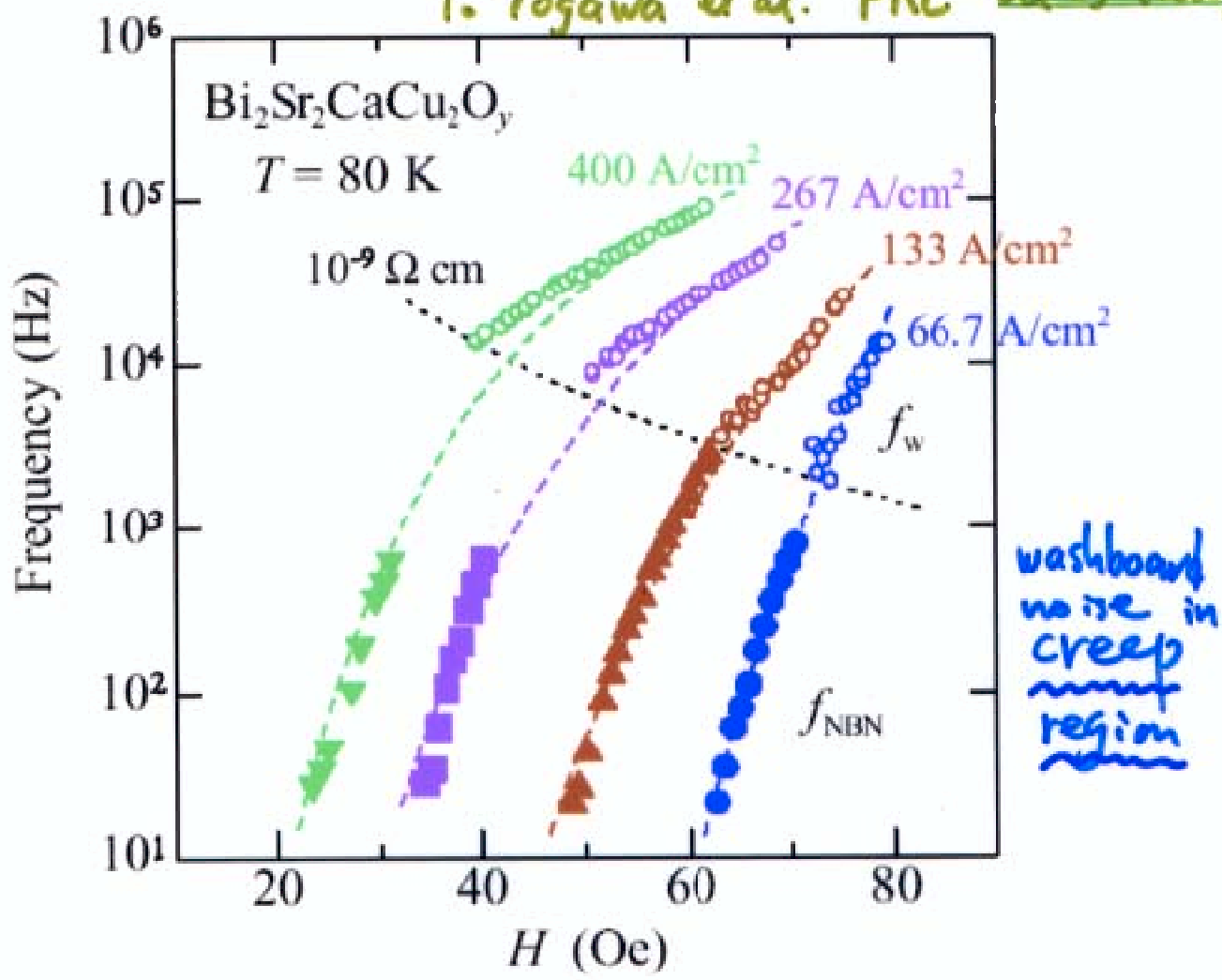
- 1) Coherent motion (washboard motion)
in the so-called creep regime
--elementary process of sliding motion--
- 2) Deterioration of coherence
with increasing driving force



$$\mathcal{F} = \mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}$$

85 (2000) 3716.
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Y. Togawa et al. PRL



• evidence of the washboard motion



$$f_{wb} = \langle v \rangle / a$$

$$f_{wb} = \frac{j}{qB} \rho$$

$$\therefore f_{wb} \propto \rho$$

• "resistivity" measurement below usual sensitivity

(empirical)

$$\rho \sim \rho_0 \exp\left(-\left(\frac{H_0}{H}\right)^\alpha\right) \quad \alpha \approx 1.0$$

(cf.) T. Nattermann and S. Scheidl : Adv. Phys. 49 (2000) 607.

Temporally Ordered Collective Creep and Dynamic Transition in the Charge-Density-Wave Conductor NbSe₃

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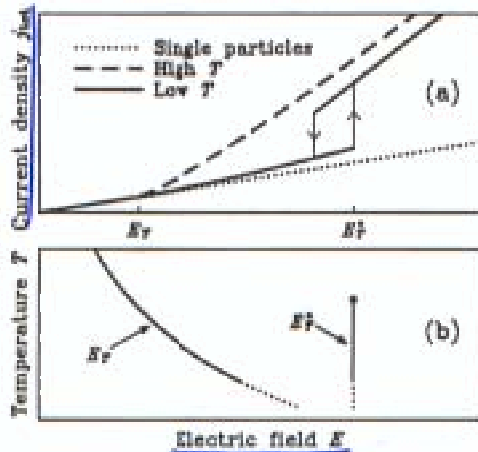


FIG. 1. (a) Form of $j_{tot}(E)$ in the CDW conductor NbSe₃. Dotted line: single-particle current density $j_s \propto E$. Dashed line: total current density $j_{tot} = j_s + j_c$ at high temperatures ($T > 2T_F/3$). Solid line: j_{tot} at low T . The difference between the solid or dashed lines and the dotted line gives the CDW current density j_c . (b) Temperature dependence of E_T and E_T^* in NbSe₃.

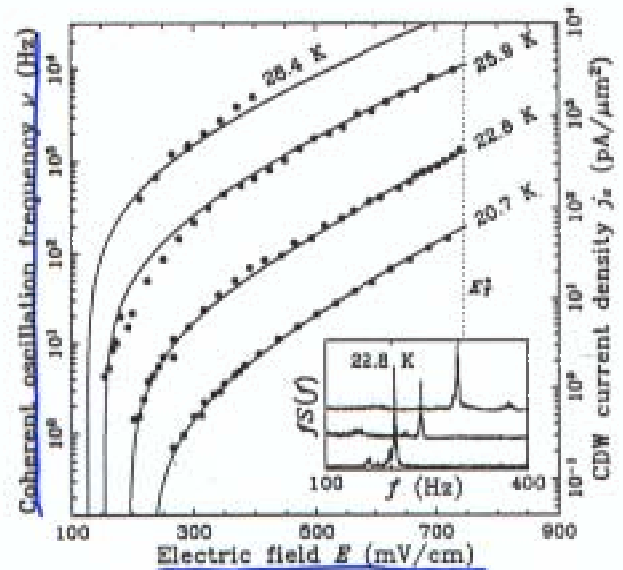


FIG. 2. Coherent oscillation frequency ν and current density j_c versus electric field E . The solid lines are a fit to Eq. (1). The intersection of the lines with the horizontal axis corresponds roughly to the measured E_T at each temperature. The dotted vertical line indicates E_T^* . Inset: Spectral density $S(f)$ at 22.8 K for $E/E_T = 2.63, 2.77,$ and 2.88 ; the curves are offset vertically for clarity.

Fig. 14

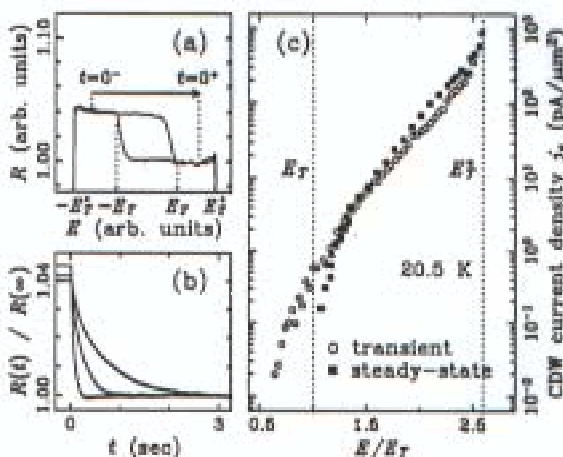


FIG. 3. (a) Single-particle resistance R of a 70 μm segment adjacent to a current contact versus electric field E . (b) $R(t)/R(\infty)$ for the same segment following a reversal of the polarity of E , as indicated by the arrow in (a), for $E/E_T = 1.40, 1.69,$ and 1.93 . (c) Comparison of j_c calculated from $R(t)$ [12] with j_c obtained from measurements of the coherent oscillation frequency. The current contacts were 630 μm apart, and $E_T(20.5 \text{ K}) = 49 \text{ mV/cm}$.

Fig. 16

Fig. 15

$$j_{CDW}(E, T) = \sigma_0 (E - E_T) \exp(-\frac{T_0}{T}) \exp(\alpha \frac{E}{T})$$

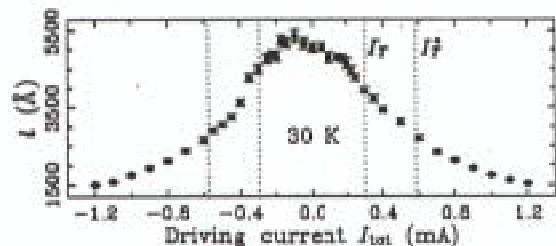
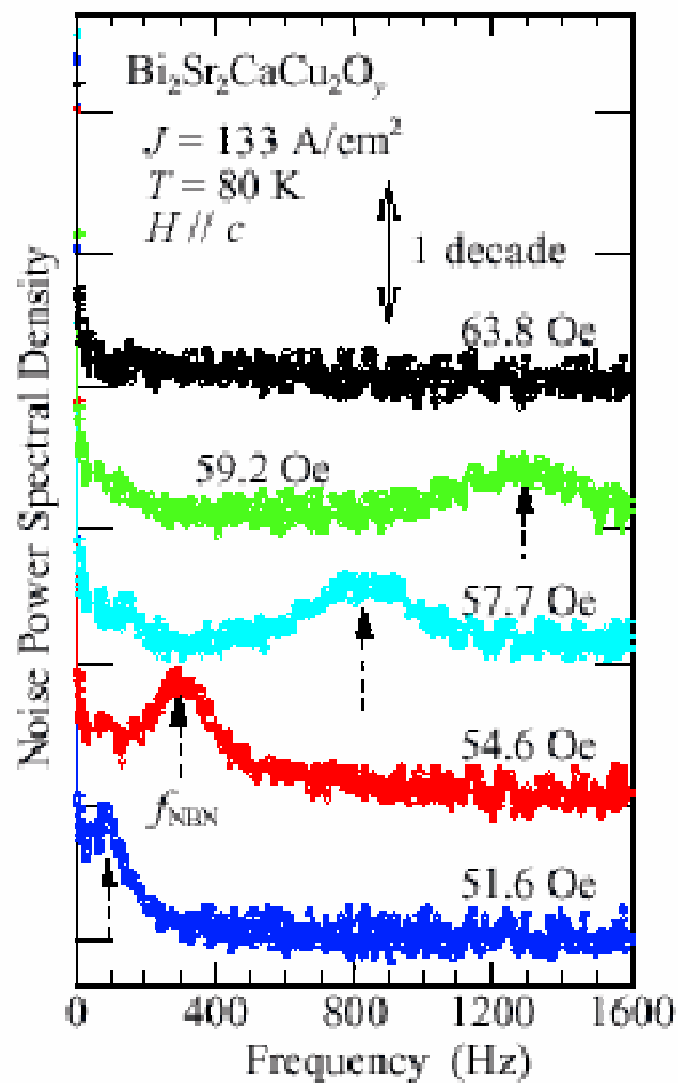


FIG. 4. Inverse CDW peak half-width (corrected for instrumental resolution) in the [1 0 0] direction versus j_{tot} . j_T^* and an upper bound for j_T were determined from measurements of dV/dI_{tot} and of the sharp increase in $1/f$ -like noise, respectively.

Fig. 17

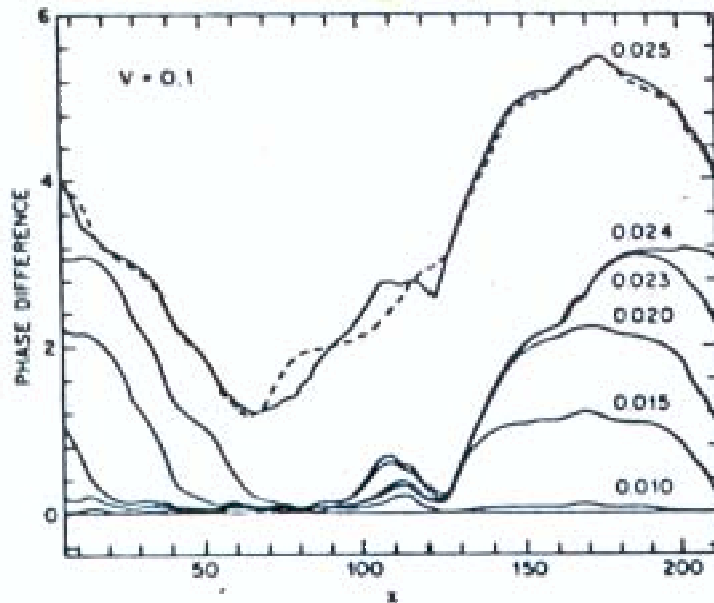


- Rapid shift of NBN to higher frequencies with increasing field
- Broadening of NBN

CDW (1D)

P. Littlewood PRB32 (1986) 6694.

(also Matsubara - Takayama SSC 53 (1984) 48.)

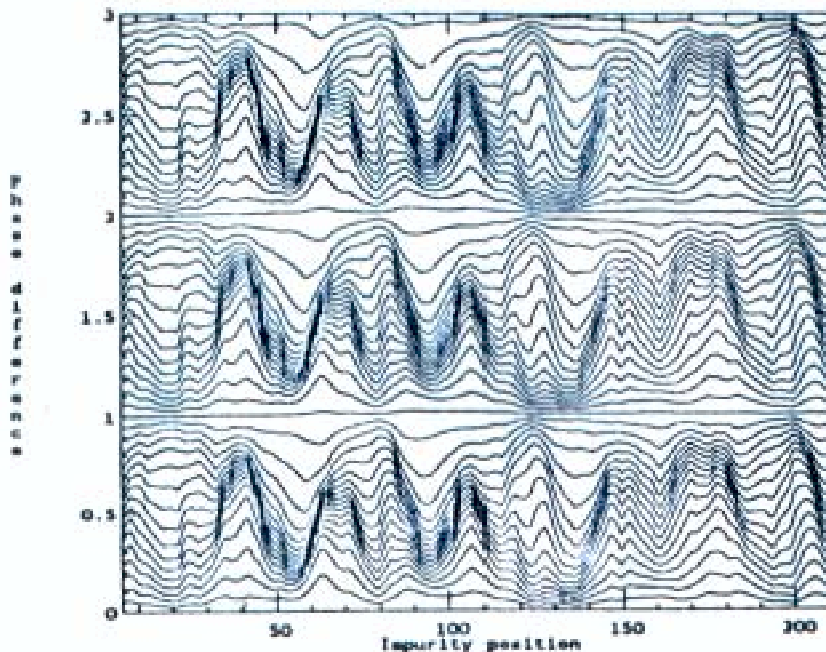


$$\rho(x) = \rho_0 + \rho_1 \cos(\theta x + \phi)$$

$$n(x) \propto \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}$$

$$j(x) \propto \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}$$

The results of numerical calculations³⁶ showing the phase of the pinned CDW as a function of a dimension perpendicular to the non-linear current flow for varying electric fields. The top curve is a snapshot of a moving CDW showing the pinned configuration (dashed line) obtained by removing the field.



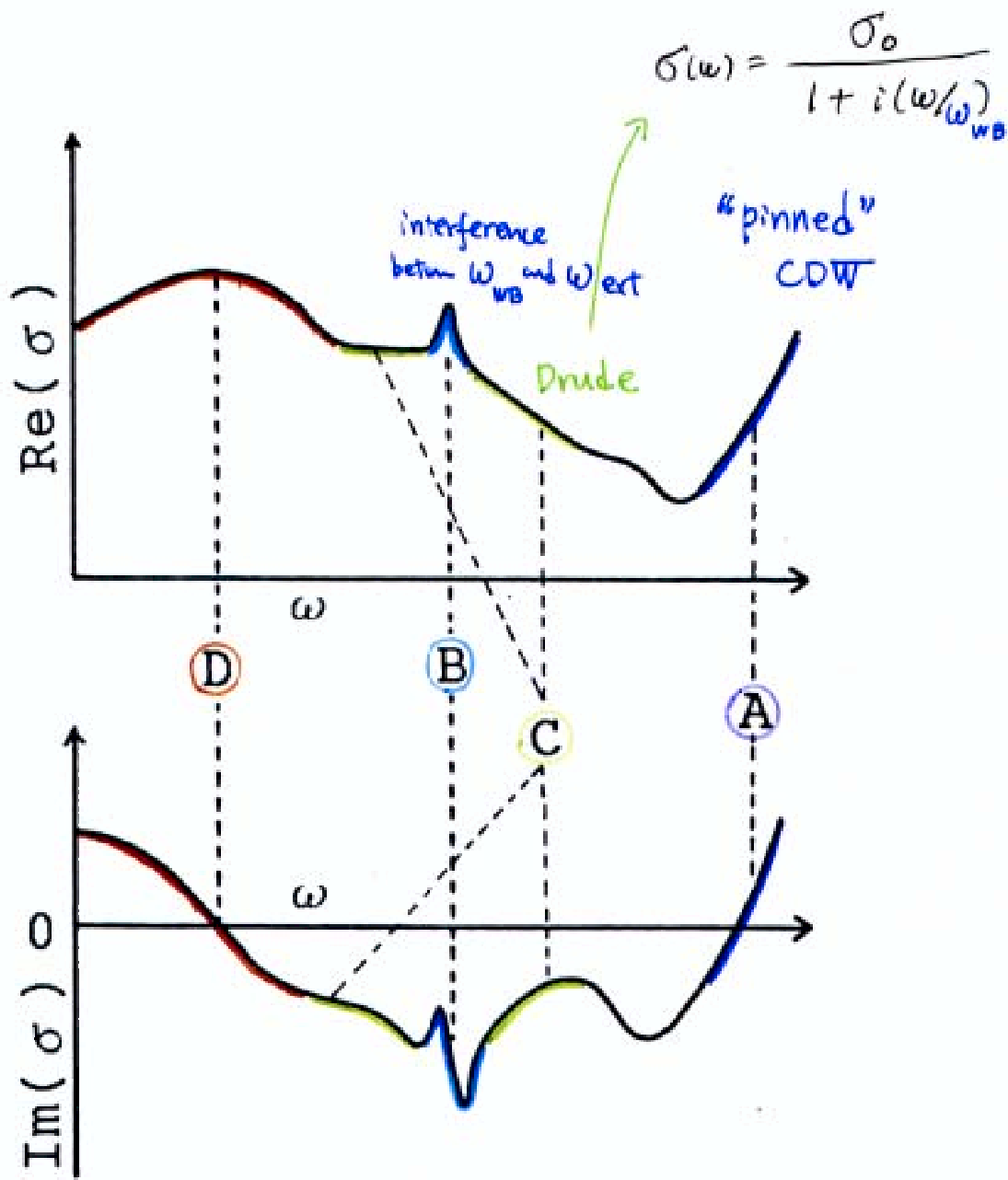
elementary process

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kink formation
and

its propagation
during
the short time

The results of numerical calculations³⁶ showing the phase of the moving CDW as a function of a dimension perpendicular to the non-linear current flow. Each curve is a snapshot of the moving CDW taken at equal time intervals. The temporal periodicity comes from the finite size of the numerical calculation. Note that the motion of the CDW is accompanied by large fluctuations.



Notomi: *et al.* PRB 42 (1990) 3303.

- $\omega \ll \omega_{WB}$: freely moving \approx sliding
- $\omega \gg \omega_{WB}$: "pinned" even for $E_{dc} > E_T$

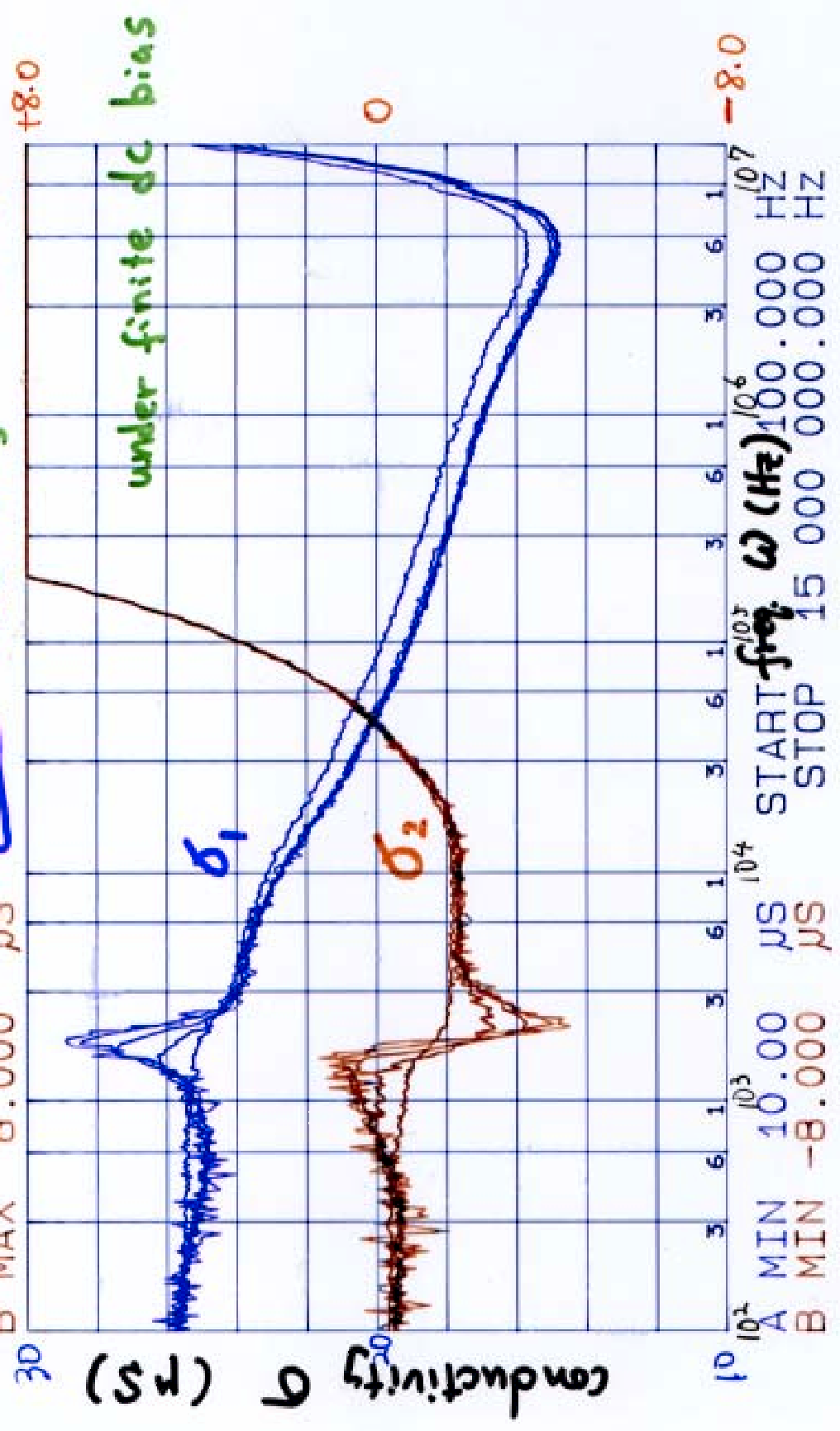
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A: G B: B

A MAX 30.00 μ S
B MAX 8.000 μ S

CDW

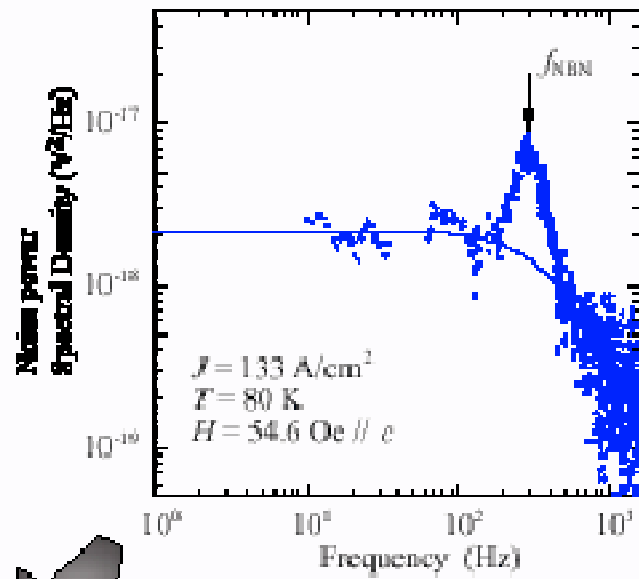
K_2MoO_3 7.2K



< spectrum analysis >

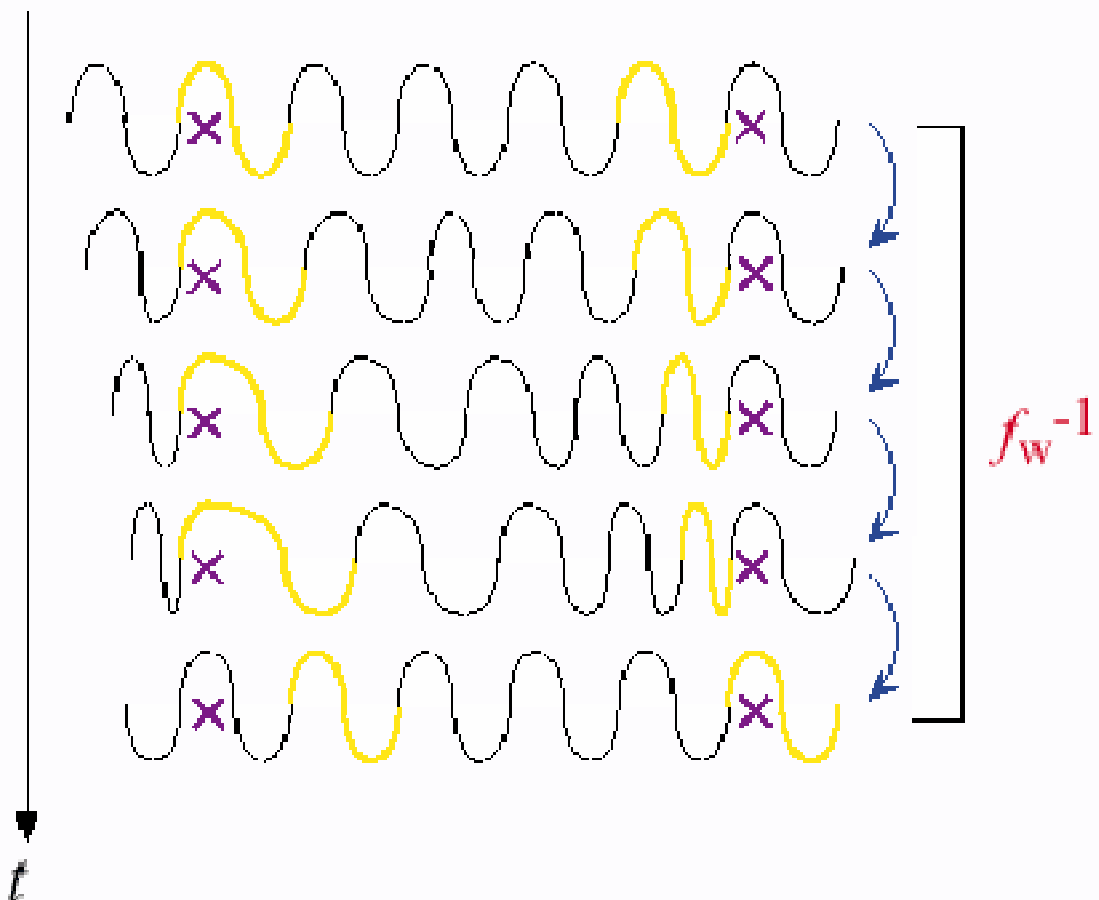
$$P \ll 1$$

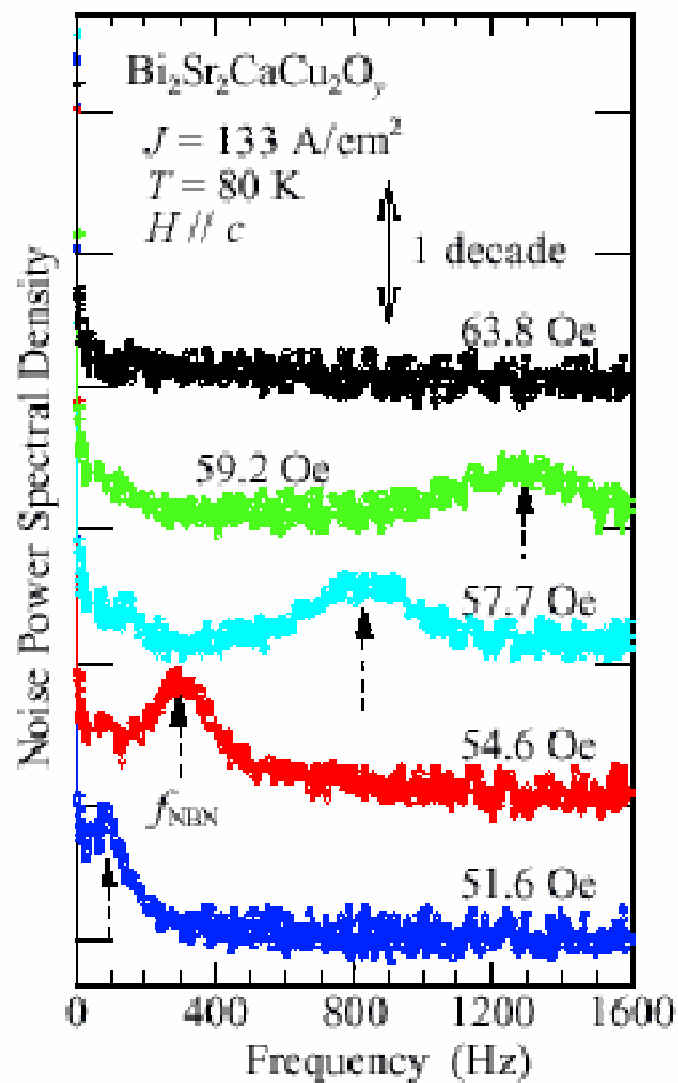
$$V_0 \approx V_{ff}$$



Lorentzian spectrum
Washboard noise

[Vortex Motion]

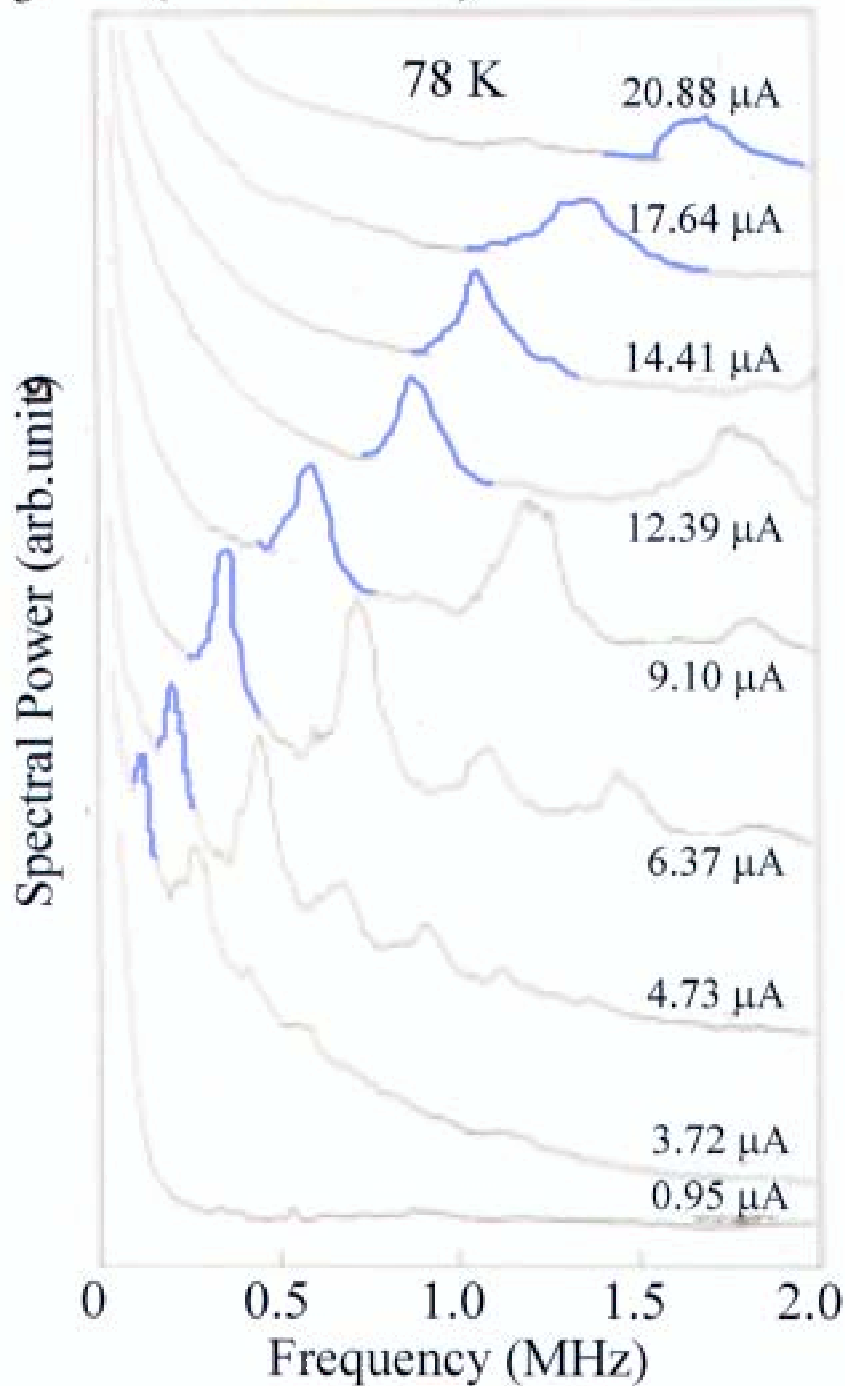




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Dashboard Modulation in Charge-Density Wave

TaS₃ 930(monoclinic)



A. Maeda *et al.*,
J. Phys. Soc. Jpn. 54, 1912 (1985).

Deterioration of the coherence of dc driven vortices

Contrary to theoretical predictions

Similar phenomena in a CD system, $m\text{-TaS}_3$
(semiconducting)

(Maeda et al. J. Phys. Soc. Jpn (1985))

Also contrary to

(a) Experiment in another CD system NbSe_3
(metallic)

(Thorne et al.)

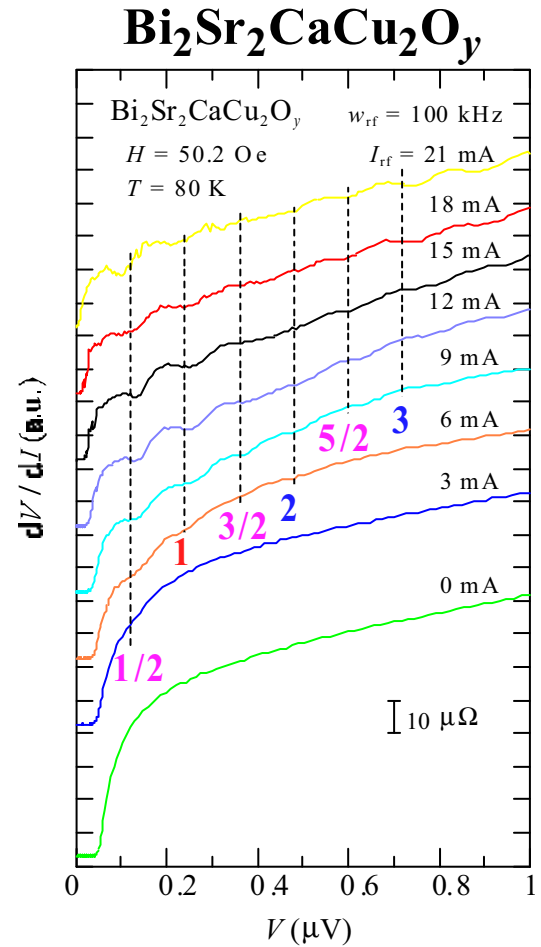
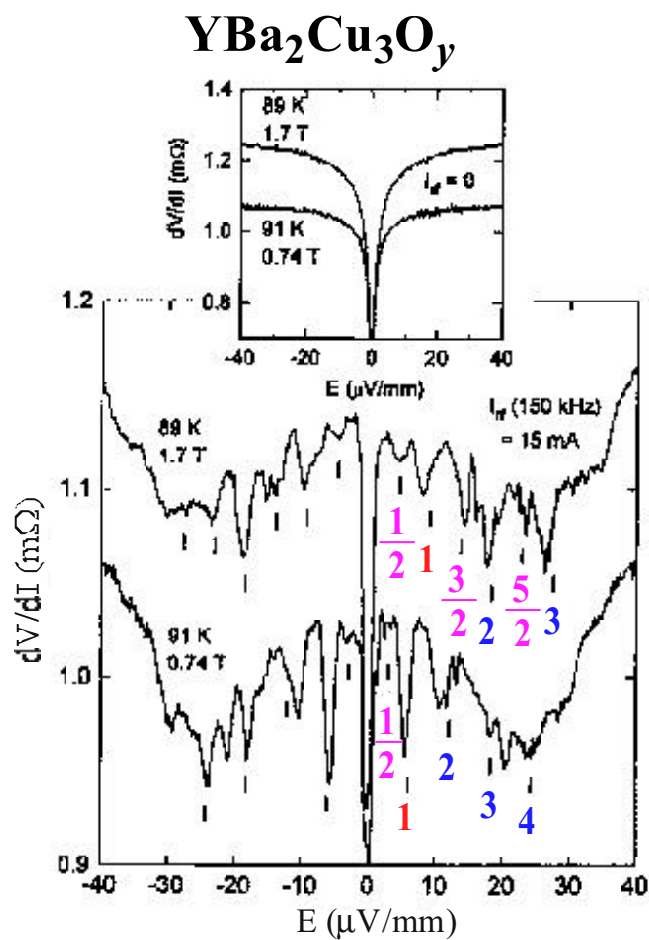
(b) Numerical simulation for 1dim CD

(Matsukawa et al.)

--did not take account of plastic deformation

**importance of plastic deformation
for realistic description of the phenomena**

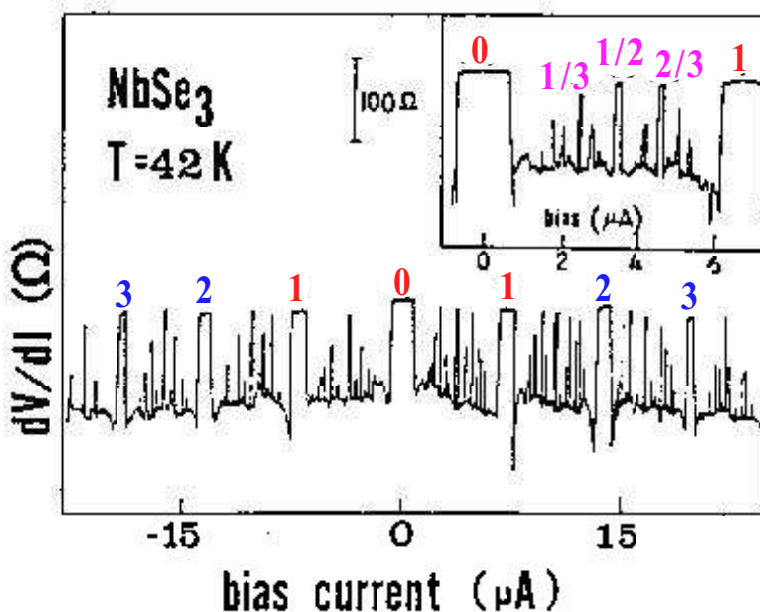
[Driven Vortices] 2D driven system



J.M.Harris *et al.*, PRL 74, 3684 (1995).

main peak & harmonics
sub-harmonics (1/2 series)

[Sliding CDW] 1D driven system



NbSe₃

main peak & harmonics
(perfect mode-locking)
sub-harmonics
(many series)

R.P.Hall and A.Zettl, PRB 30, 2279 (1984).

Vortices in SC (2D) vs CD (1D)

Similarity v difference

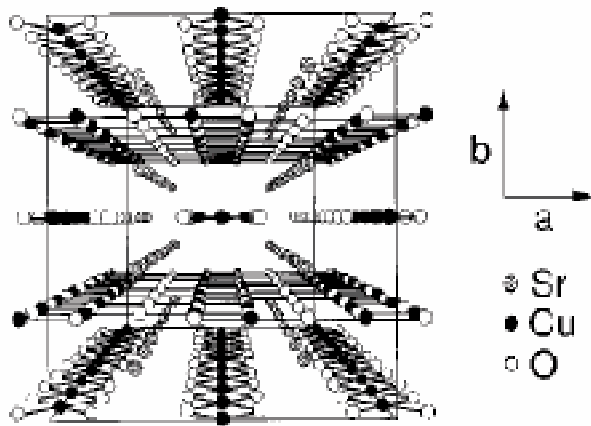
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in the so-called creep regime
common to vortex and CD

--elementary process of sliding motion
stick-slip like motion of phase kinks

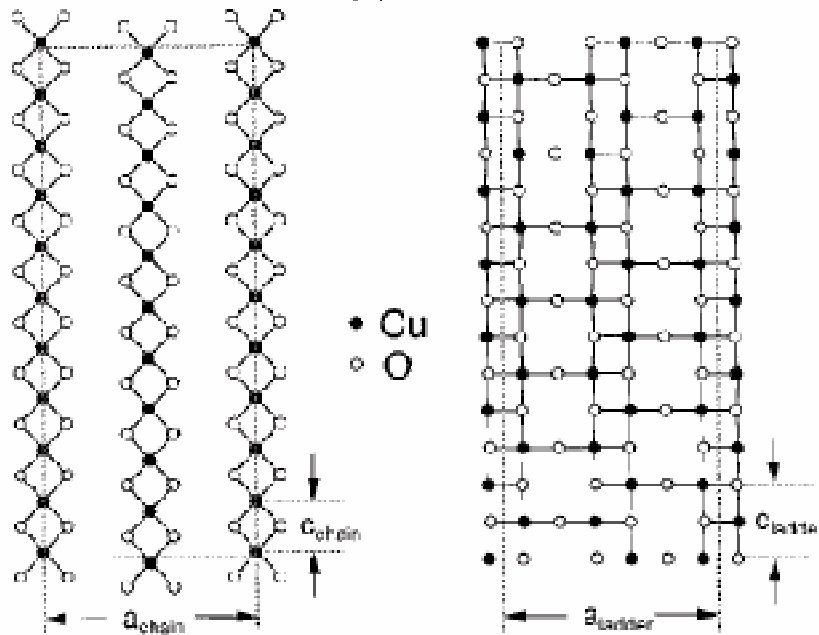
2) Deterioration of coherence
with increasing driving force

Vortices in SC is less coherent than CD
difference in dimensionality?

Spin Ladder $\text{Sr}_{14-x}\text{Ca}_x\text{Cu}_{24}\text{O}_{41}$



(a)



(b)

(c)

chains

ladders

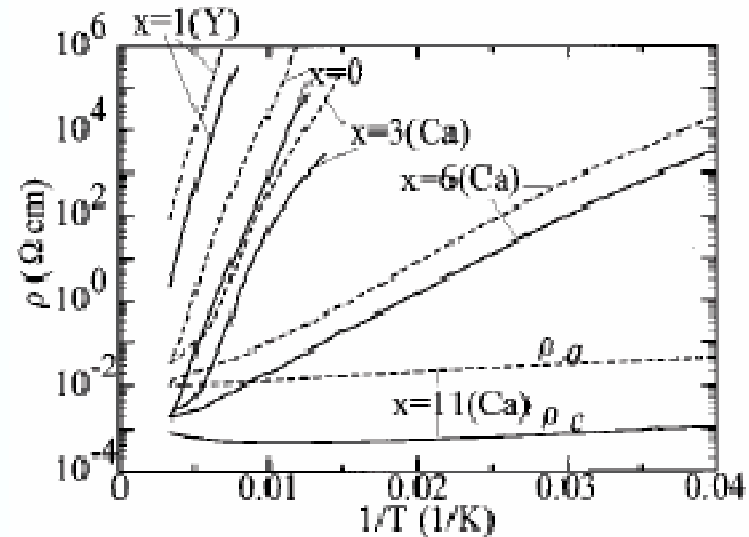
Carrier doping in spin ladder structure
expect superconductivity

(E. Dagotto and T. M. Rice: PRB45 (1992) 5744)

Sr substitution by isovalent Ca

Insulator \rightarrow metallic

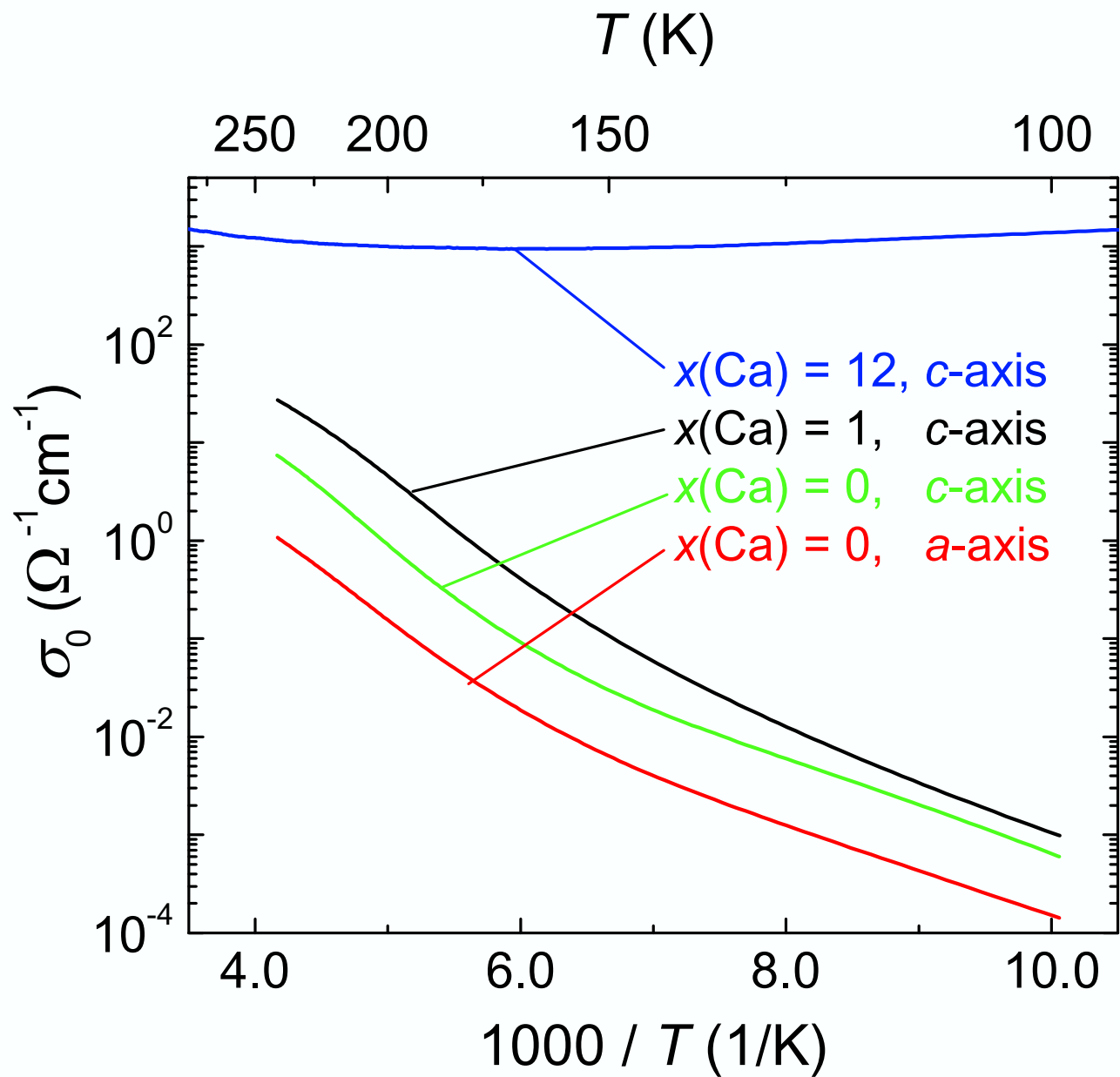
(N. Motoyama *et al.*: PRB 55, R3386 (1997))



superconductivity in heavily doped crystal
(M. Uehara *et al.*: JPSJ 65 (1996) 2764.)

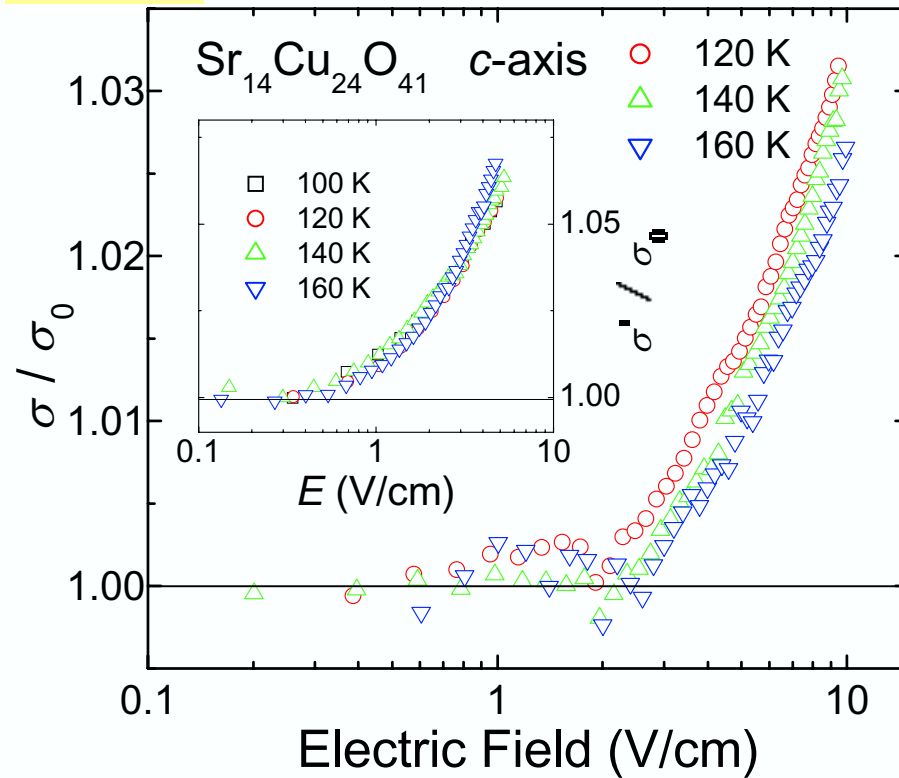
Role Ca : charge transfer from chain to ladder
(T. Osafune *et al.*: PRL 78, 1980 (1997))

Ohmic conductivity



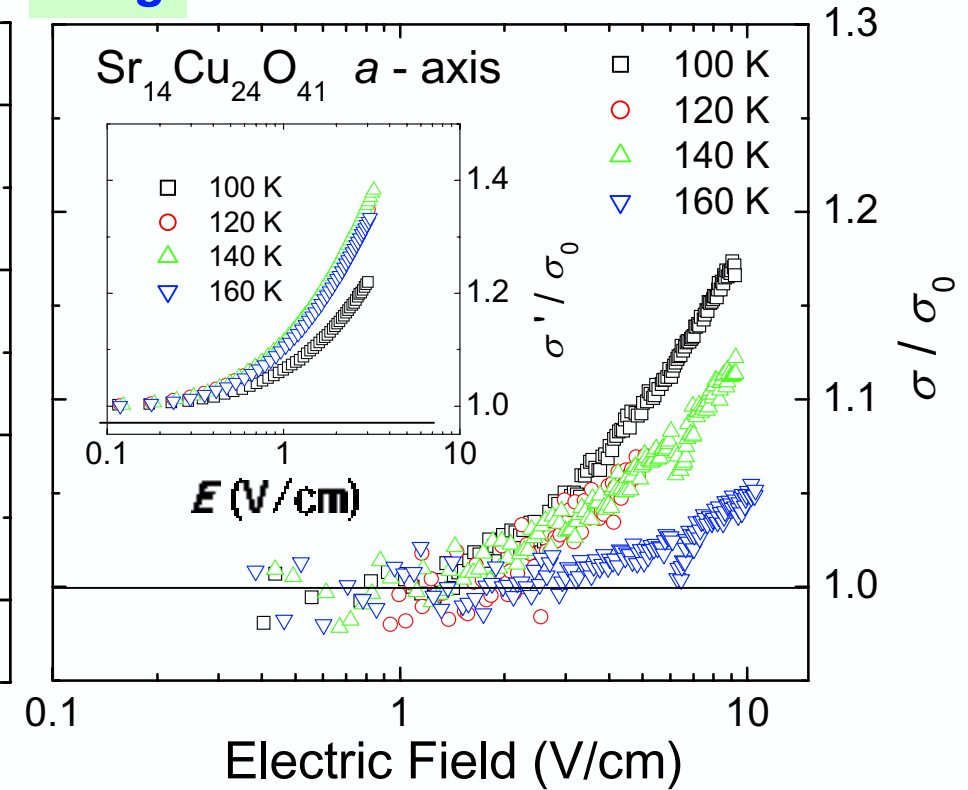
NLC in the ladder- and rung directions of $Sr_{14}Cu_{24}O_{41}$

ladder



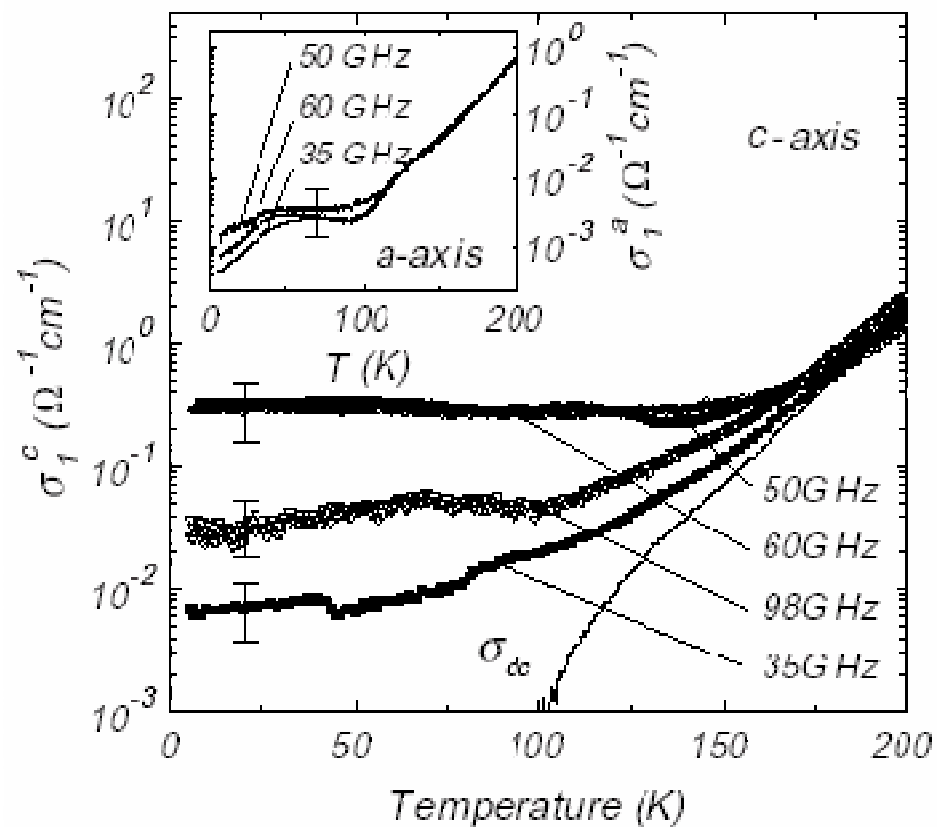
- *Small increase* ($\Delta\sigma \sim 3\%$ at 10 V/cm)
- NLC starts between 0.1-2.0 V/cm
- $\sigma(E)/\sigma_0$ was almost *independent of T*

rung

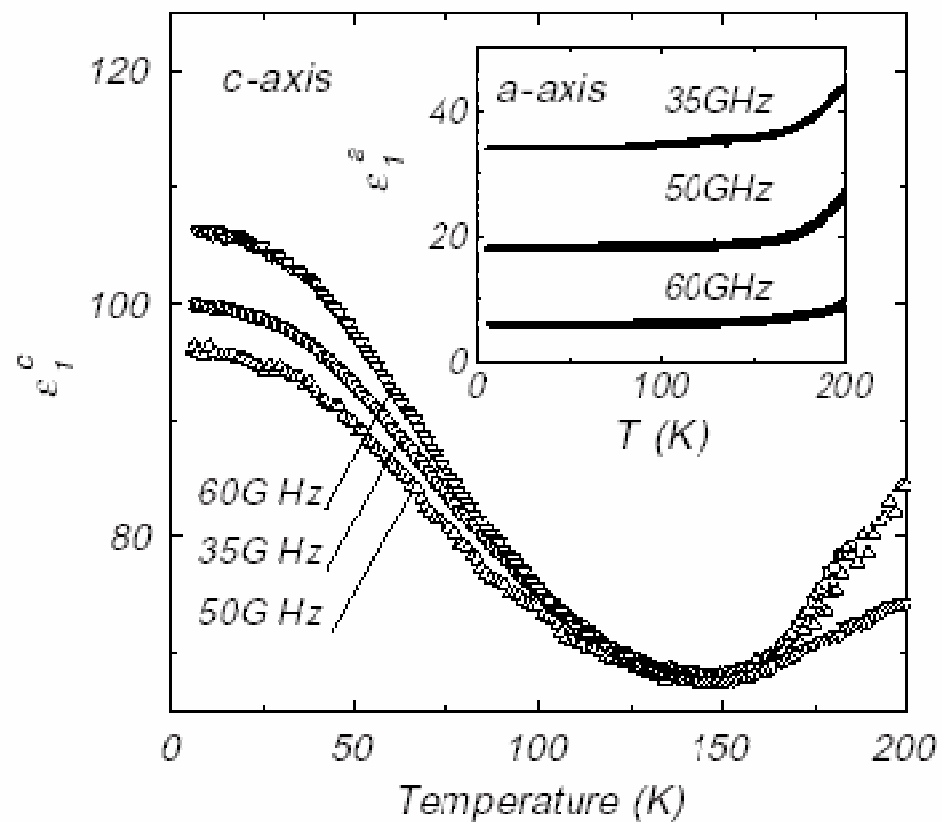


- *Large increase* ($\Delta\sigma \sim 20\%$ at 5 V/cm)
- The existence of characteristic field is *less clear*
- $\sigma(E)/\sigma_0$ *strongly depends on T*

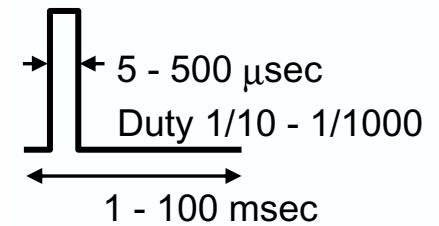
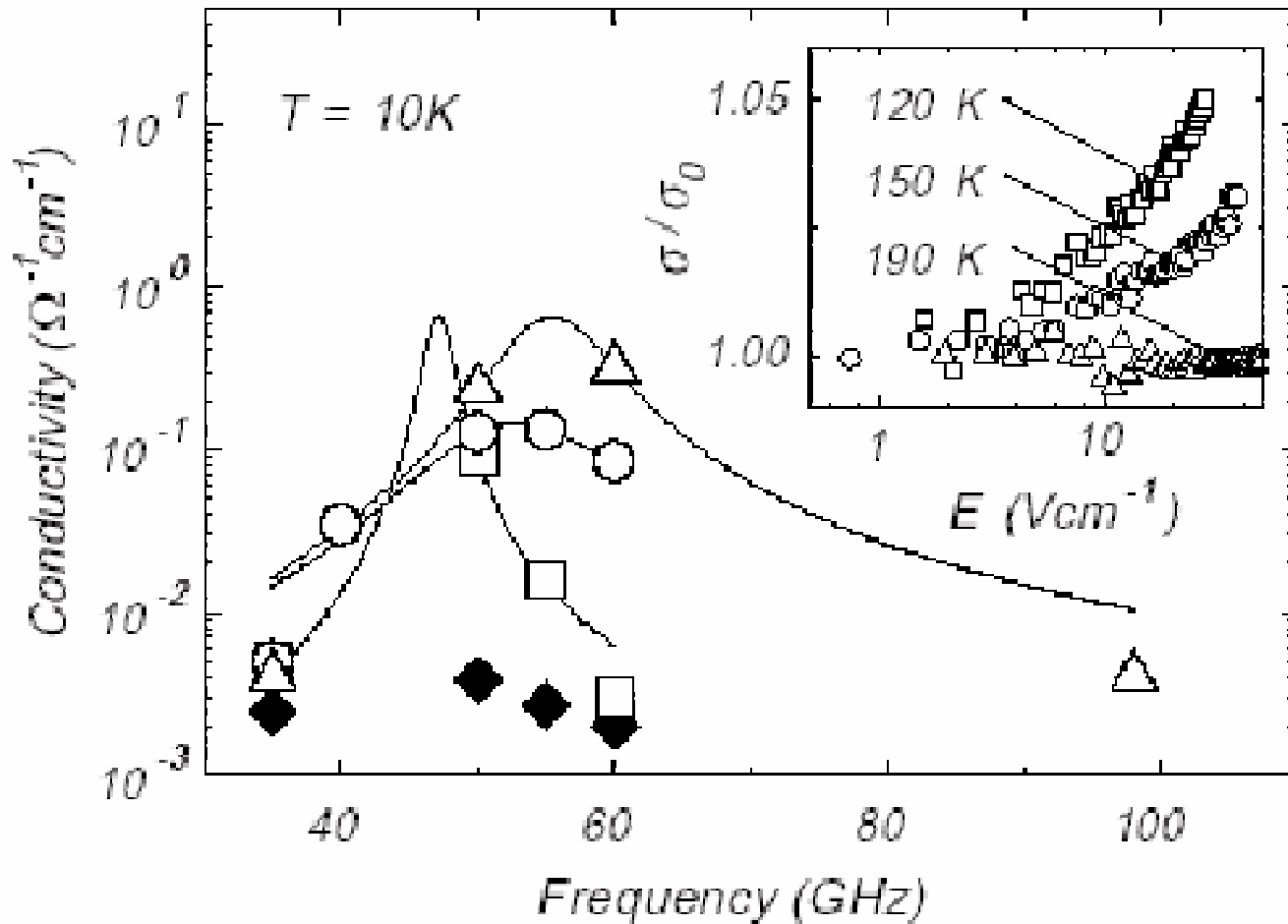
The NLC was quite different between the two directions



Extra conductivity at microwaves



Large dielectric constants at microwaves



a boxcar averager (SRS-SR250) and
a digital oscilloscope (TDS420A)

Local maximum around at 50 GHz (10 K) observed up to 150 K

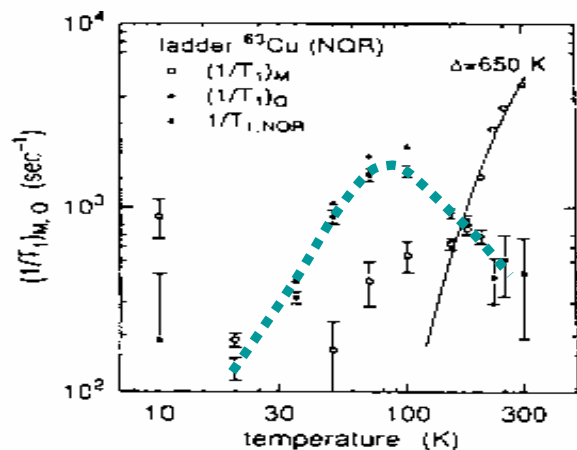
single-particle resonance :unli ely

$(\omega_0 \ll T)$

collective

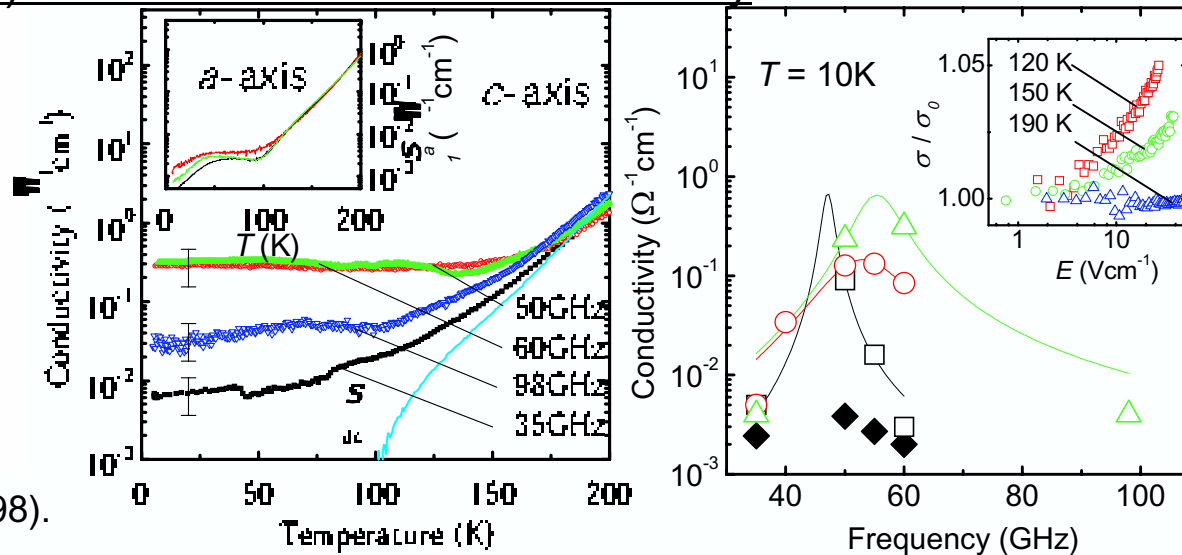
The collective charge excitation in the ladder planes of $Sr_{14}Cu_{24}O_{41}$

(1) NQR



M. Takigawa *et al.* PRB 57, 1124 (1998).

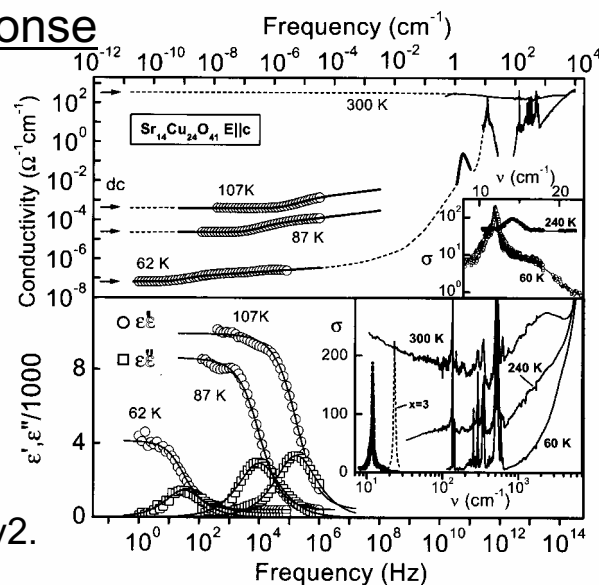
(2) MW and nonlinear dc conductivity



H. Kitano *et al.* EPL 56, 434 (2001).

(3) Optical Response

also
nonlinear $\sigma(E)$

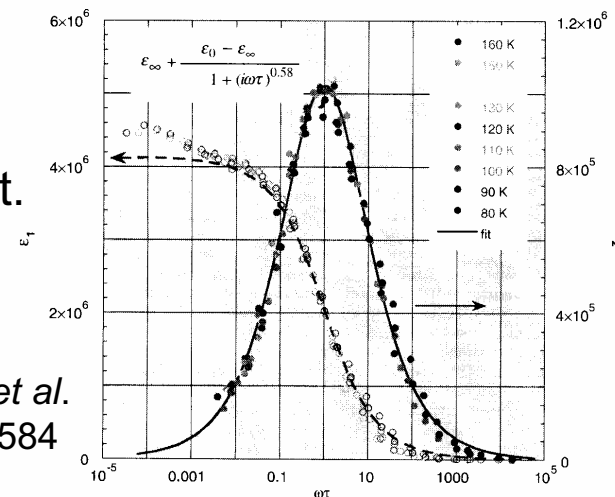


B. Gorshunov *et al.*
cond-mat/0201413v2.

(4) Low- ω Dielectric Response

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switching,
Raman sct.

G. Blumberg *et al.*
Science 297, 584
(2002).



(1) A peak in $\sigma_1(\omega)$ at ω_0

$\omega_0 \ll T$: collective origin

(2) Nonlinear conduction ($> E_0$)

$$e_0 \approx \omega_0^2 \lambda$$

$$\omega_0 \approx 0.1 - 1V/c$$

$$\omega_0 / 2\pi \approx 50 \text{ H}$$

$$\lambda \approx -$$

$$\omega_0^*$$

charge ordered state without lattice distortion

(3) $\sigma(E)$, $\sigma(\omega)$ only in the ladder direction

(4) $\sigma(E)$: characteristic of low doped materials

a collective mode

characteristic of low dimensional correlated systems

$4k_F$ -CDW

Wigner crystal

conclusion

() **experimental determination of dynamic phase diagram of driven vortices in a high- T_c BS by a coupled study of density- and conduction noise and ac-dc interference effect**

- 1) **Bragg glass \rightarrow plastic flow \rightarrow coherent flow \rightarrow less coherent flow \rightarrow incoherent flow \rightarrow moving vortex liquid**
- 2) **Different dynamic phase diagram from that of conventional NbSe₂**
- 3) **Different from expectation of numerical simulation**
 -) **No phase boundary corresponding to the K-V transition**
 -) **characteristic decrease of coherent temporal order in the high driving force region**

(B) Vortices and D 2D vs 1D

- 1) **dynamical coherence better developed in the D**
- 2) **Similar elementary process (similarity in the spectra)**

() **collective charge dynamics in the spin ladder**

- 1) **Scaling in the nonlinear conduction**
- 2) **Very small oscillator strength similar to the SD suggesting moving igniter crystal in 1D**