

# Development of Polarization proton target that used copolymerization polymer

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# Selection of target

## Polymer target

Advantage  
temperature)

Solid (at normal

Easy Processing

very thin(fine)target can be made

large surface area Coating is easy

The target of the aimed thickness can be made.

Dilution  
factor

polyethylene

Number expressed in: Polarization Possible nucleons number /  
crystallized nucleons to number ratio in material.

Free Radicals

Higher Value is advantageous

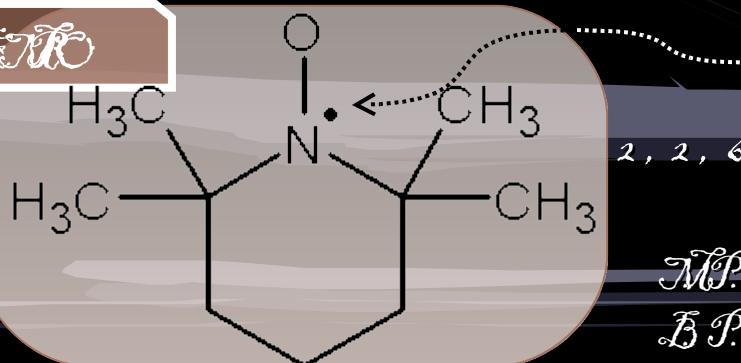
polystyrene

Materiasfaction using unpaired electron.

Non crystallized → It is easy to mix free radical (TMAO)

Indispensable to DIP

TMAO



unpaired  
electron

2, 2, 6, 6- tetra methyl - piperidine - 1 - oxy

TMAO

M<sup>•</sup>  
B<sup>•</sup>

] solid (at room temperature)

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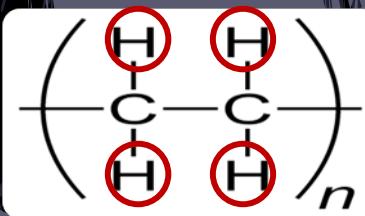
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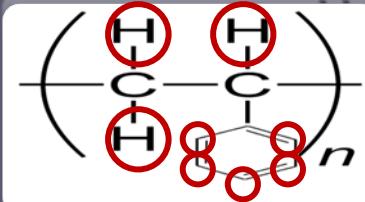
crystallized → It is hard to mix free radical(TEMPO)



### polystyrene

Dilution factor: 1 / 13

Non crystallized → It is easy to mix free radical(TEMPO)



High Dilution factor

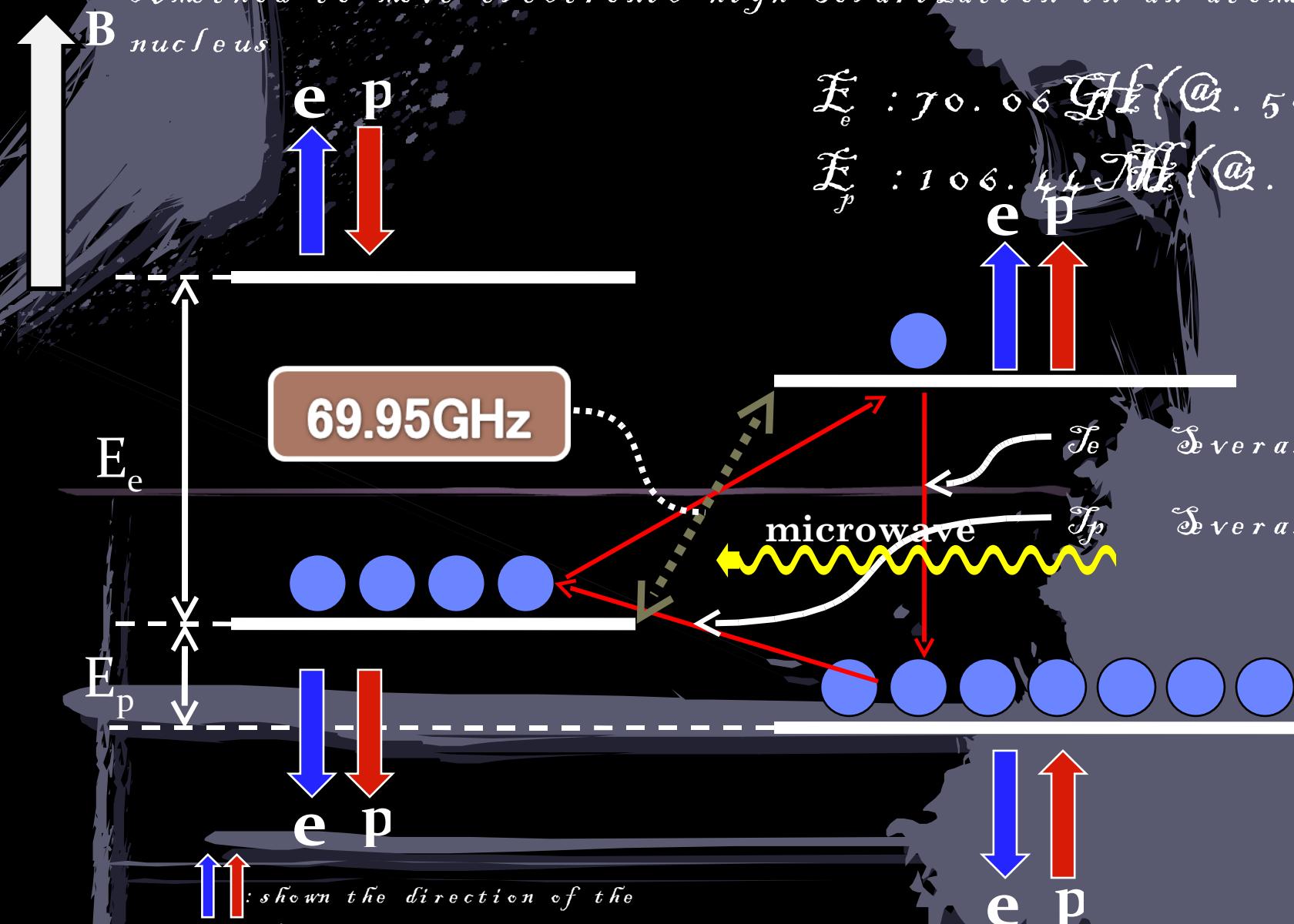
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radical

Polymer

O : Polarization  
object

# Dynamic Nuclear Polarization(DNP)

A method to move electronic high Polarization in an atomic nucleus

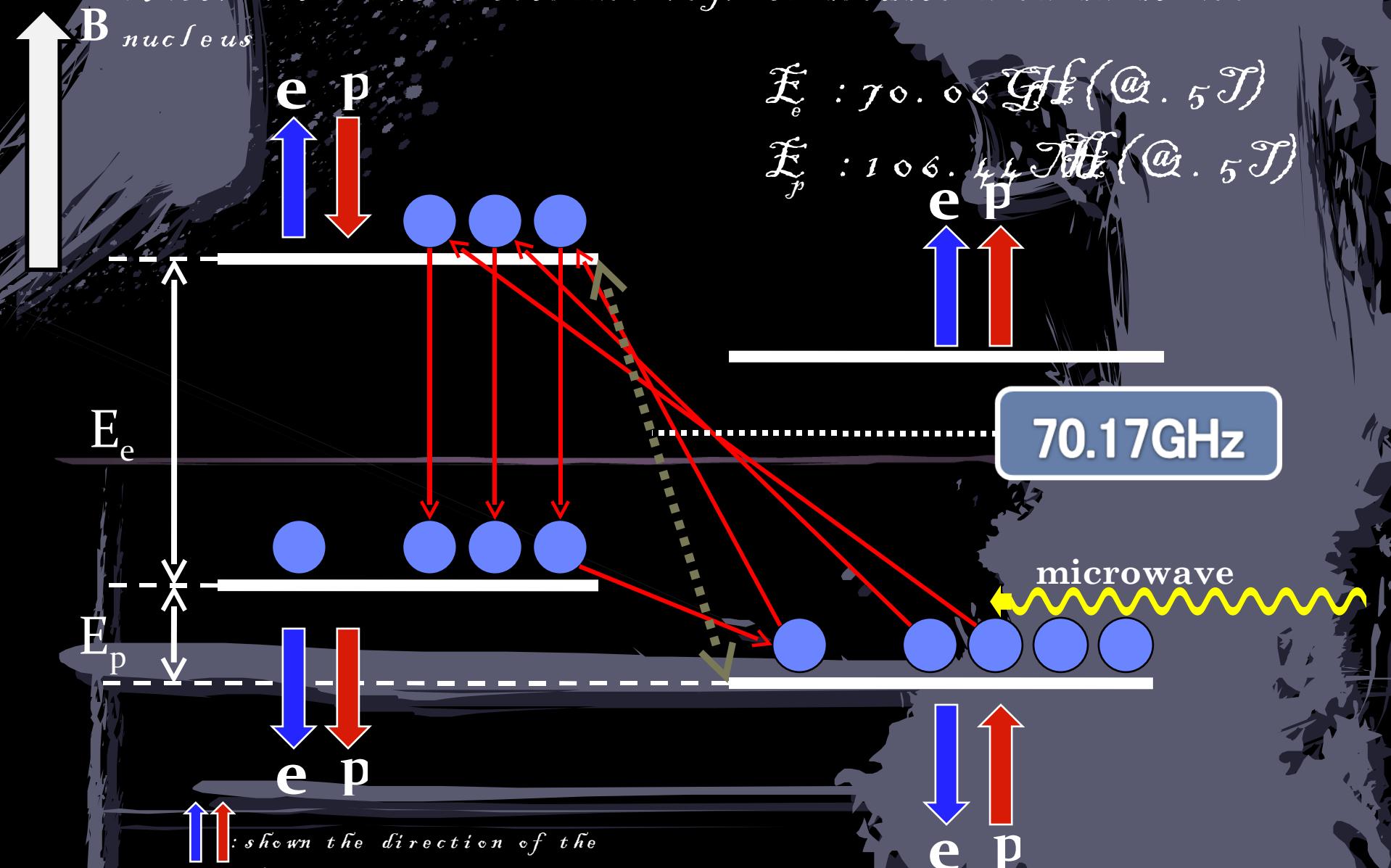


$$\mathcal{E}_e : 70.06 \text{ GHz} (@. 5 T)$$

$$\mathcal{E}_p : 106.44 \text{ MHz} (@. 5 T)$$

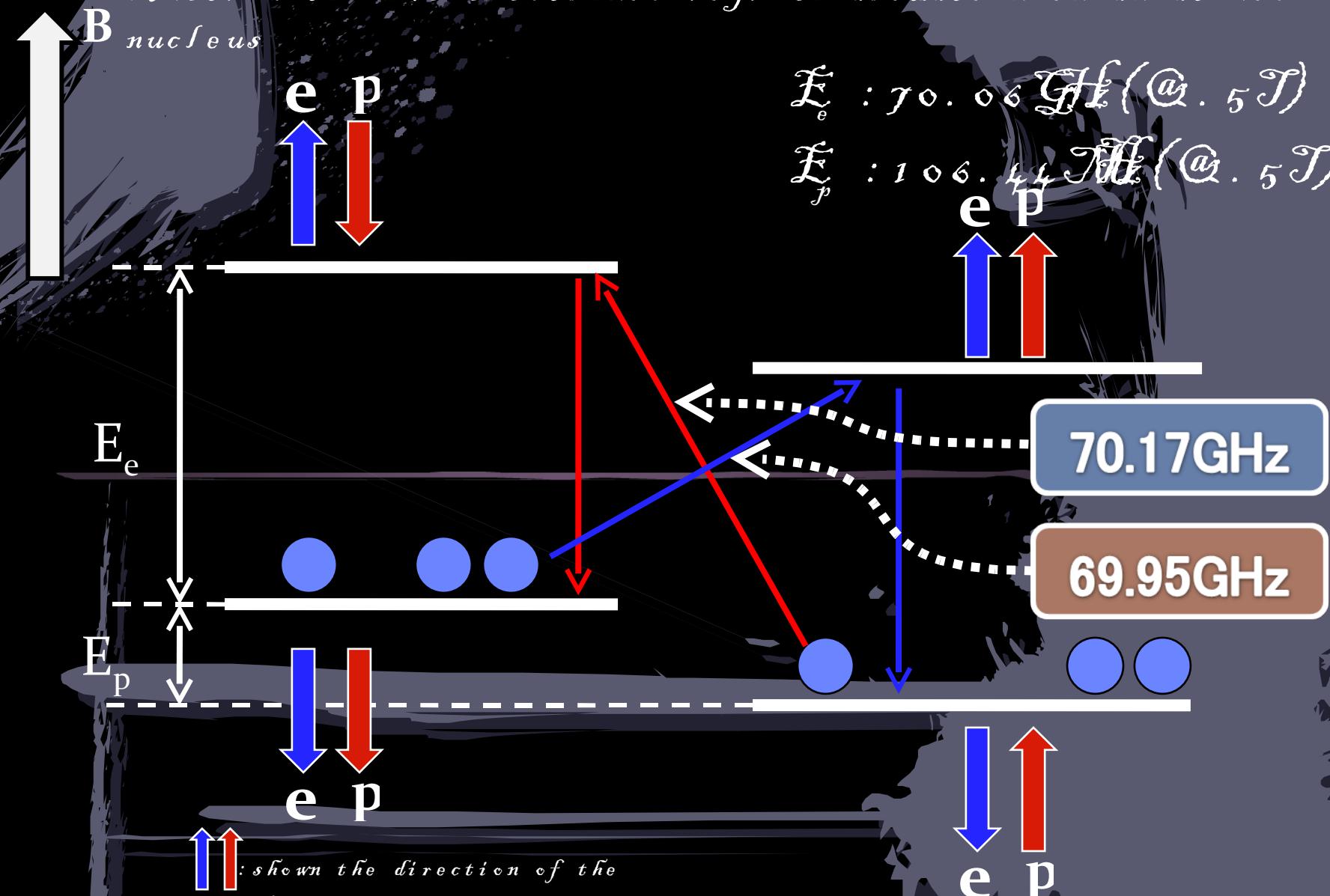
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# Target selection EPM

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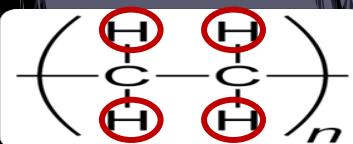
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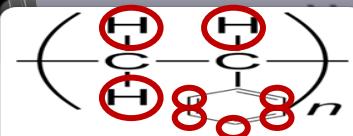
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# What is EPM?

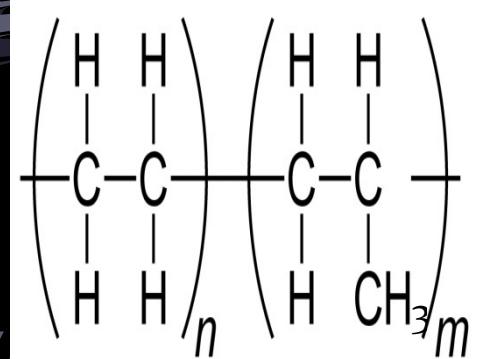
## Ethylen-Propylene-copolymer

*Ac copolymer of Ethylene and Propylene (49:51)*

wt %

*Dilution factor : 1 /  $\gamma$  (equal with  $\beta$ )*

*easy to mix free radicals ( $\delta G = 0.86 - 0.87$  Non crystallized)*



*technologic In the shape of a film easily by a gummy property*

PE

Heating

compress by jig

PS

dissolve it in a solvent

vaporize a solvent

compress by jig

EPM

compress by jig

*general processing method*

# Mixture of Free radical to EPM

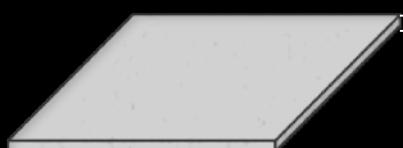
Diffusion

mixture method

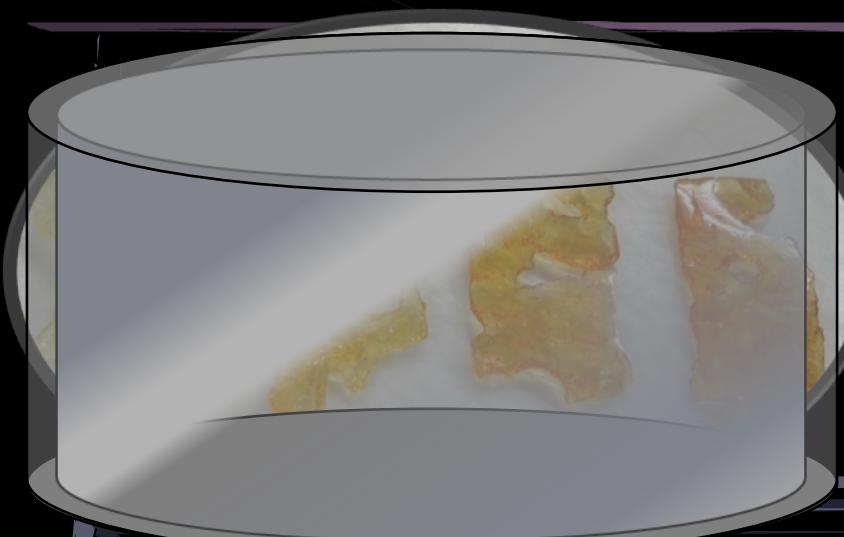
TEMPO  
(Free radicals)



EPM



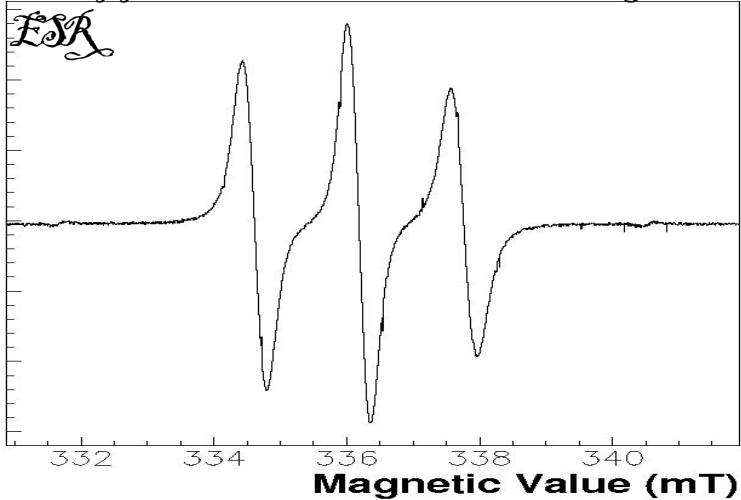
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200 m  
↑



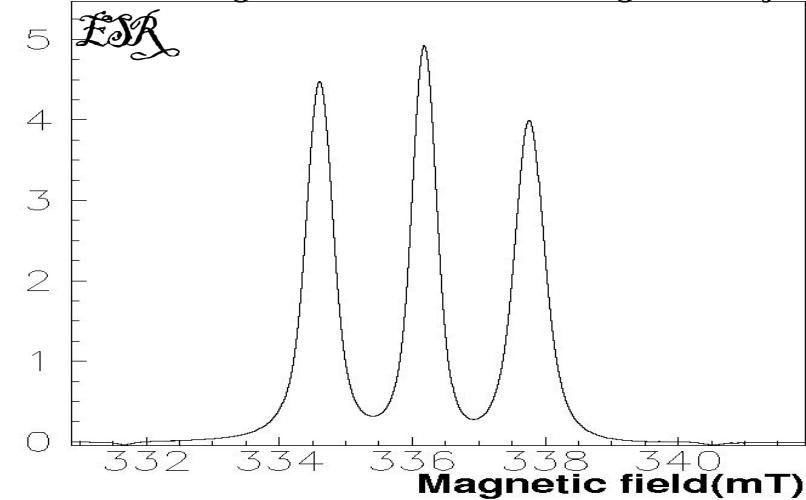
- Put TEMPO and EPM in a glass container
- heat with constant temperature tank of 80°C
- 18 hours later, I take it out

# A state of TEMPO in EPM

A differentials calculus signals of



An integrals calculus signals of



Spin

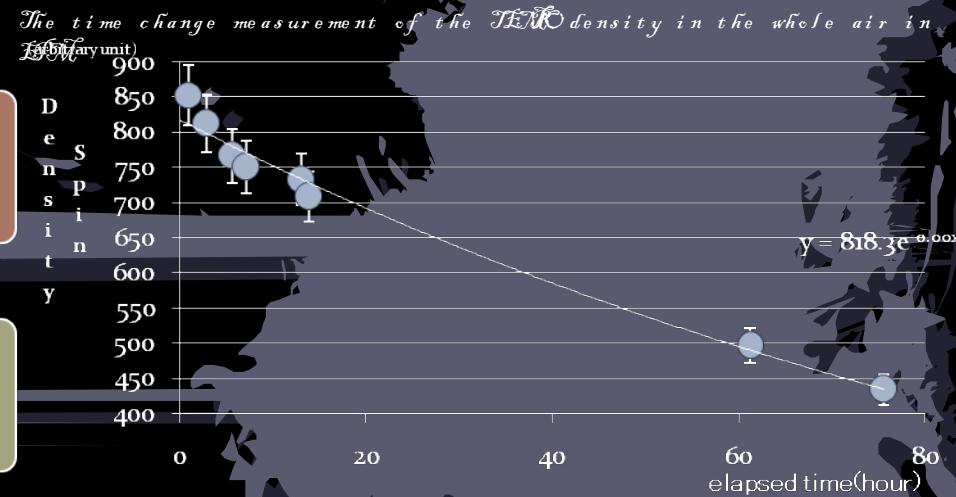
f:  $64 \times 10^{20}$  spin/c

C

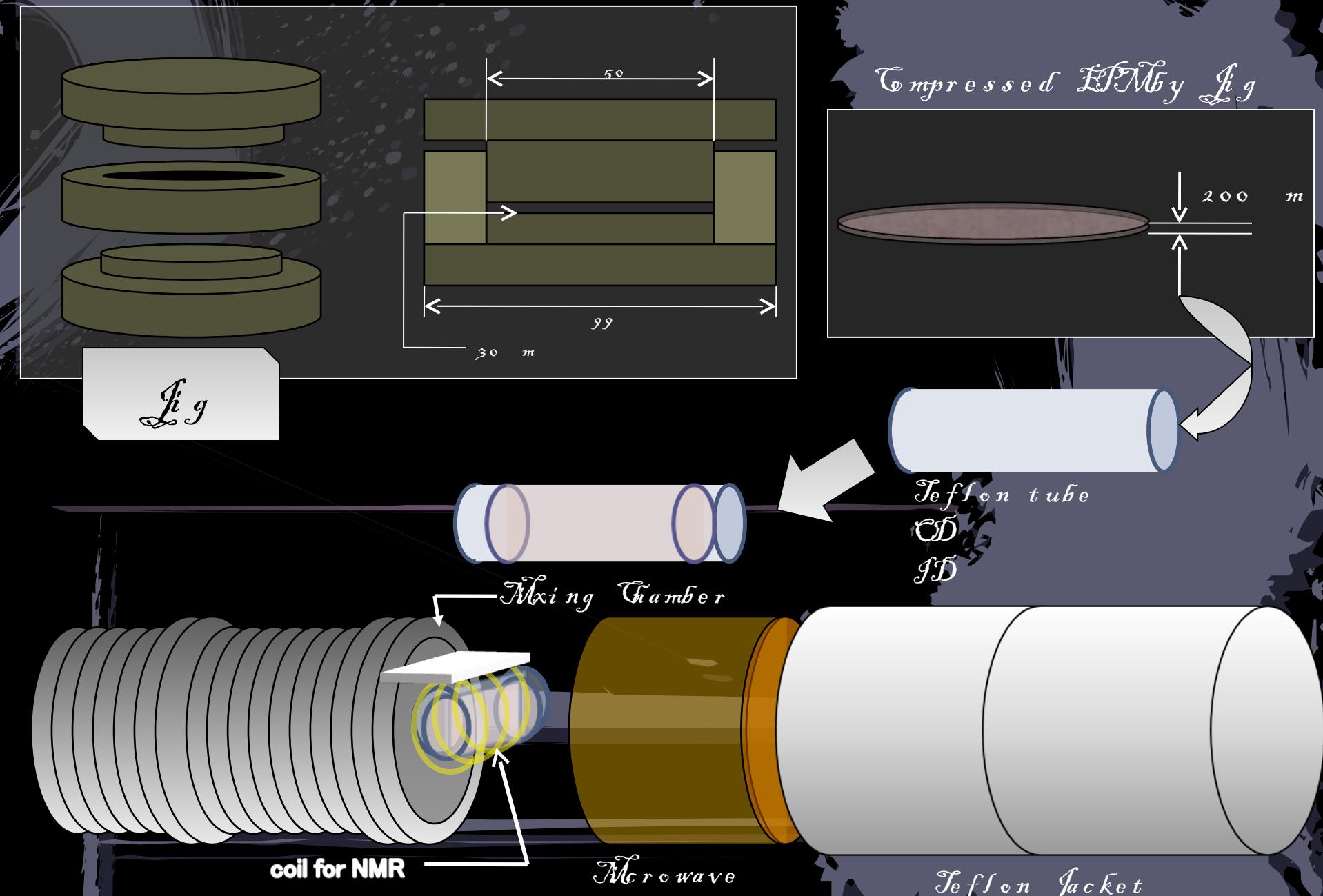
TEMPO is distributed uniformly

TEMPO content decrease with progress  
in time

take it out just before Target  
wearing

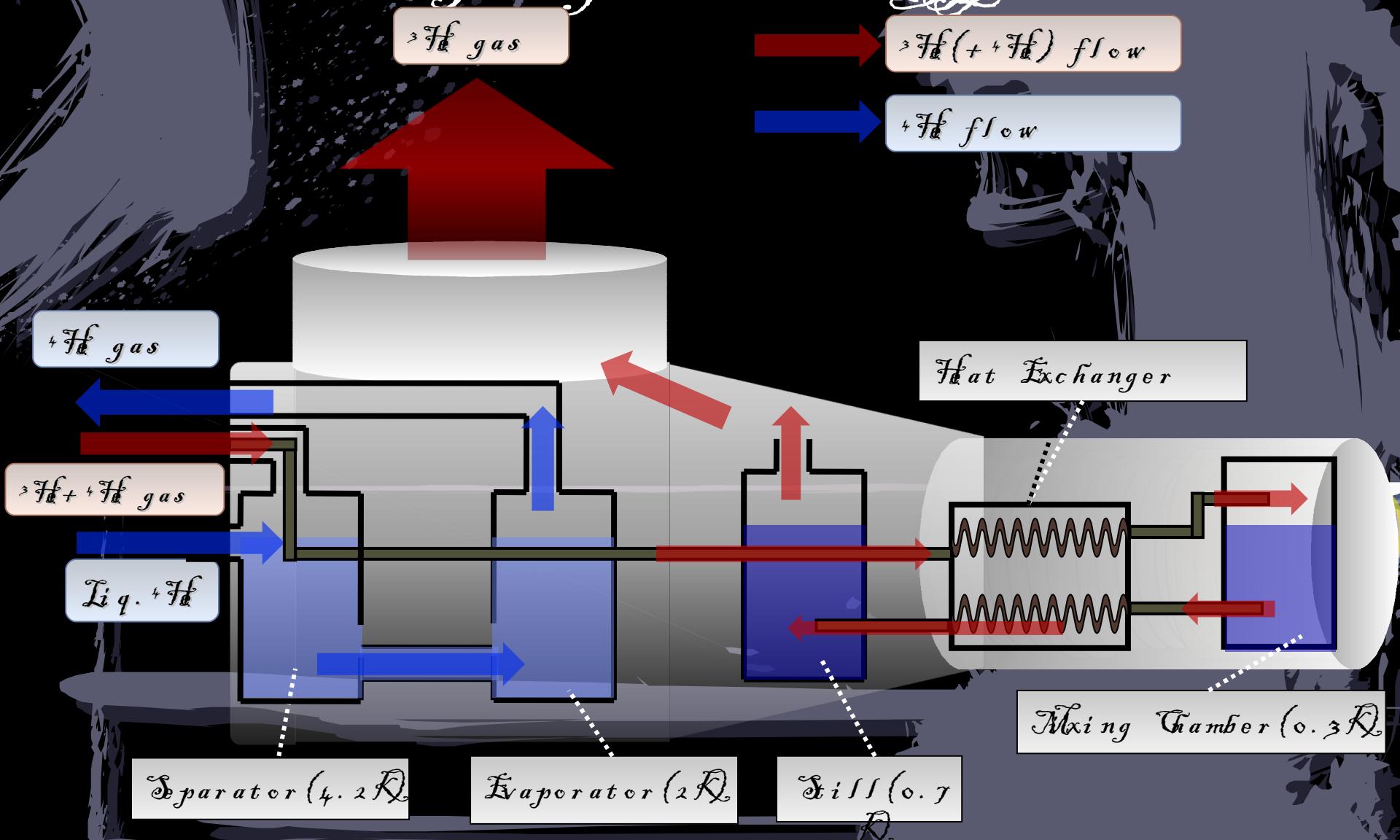


# Wearing of Polarization Target EPM



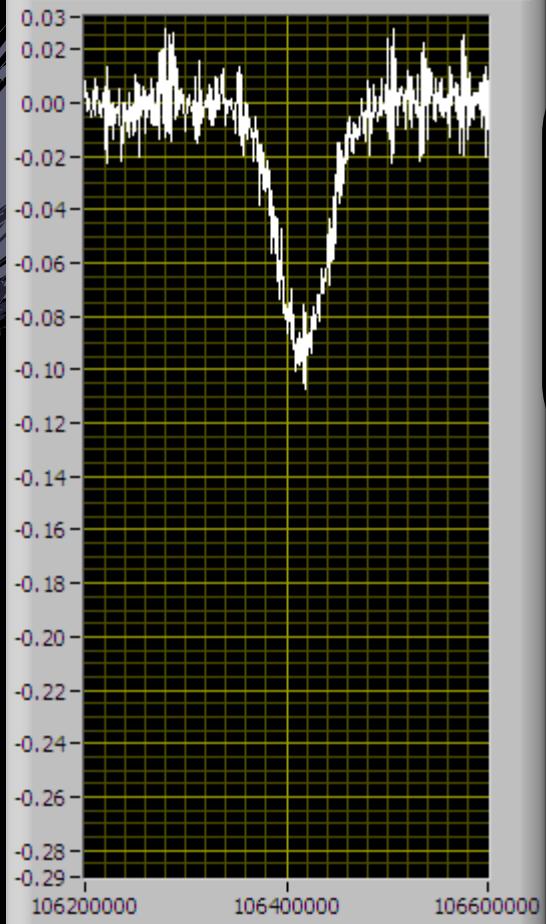


# Cooling System (CRYSFAS)

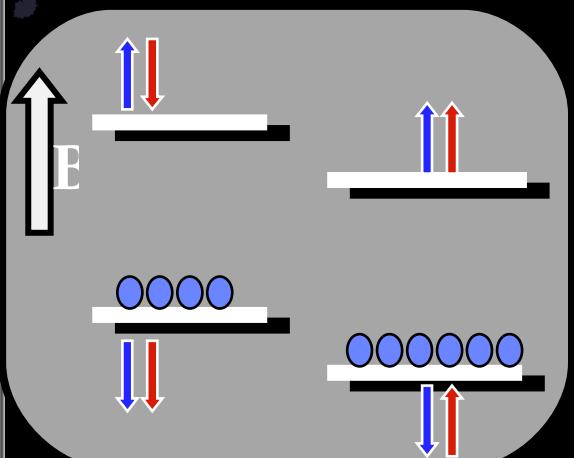


# The TE signal measurement of EPM

8.88 K



0.028%



engaged in Blochmann  
distribution depend on  
temperature

$\mathcal{M}$

$$f = 106.44 \text{ MHz}, \quad \mathcal{E}_2 = 5 \text{ J}$$

Polarization of  
 $\mathcal{E}(\text{spin } = 1/2)$

$$P_{TE} = \frac{e^{-\frac{(-\mu B)}{kT}} - e^{-\frac{\mu B}{kT}}}{e^{-\frac{(-\mu B)}{kT}} + e^{-\frac{\mu B}{kT}}} = \frac{2 \sinh\left(\frac{\mu B}{kT}\right)}{2 \cosh\left(\frac{\mu B}{kT}\right)}$$

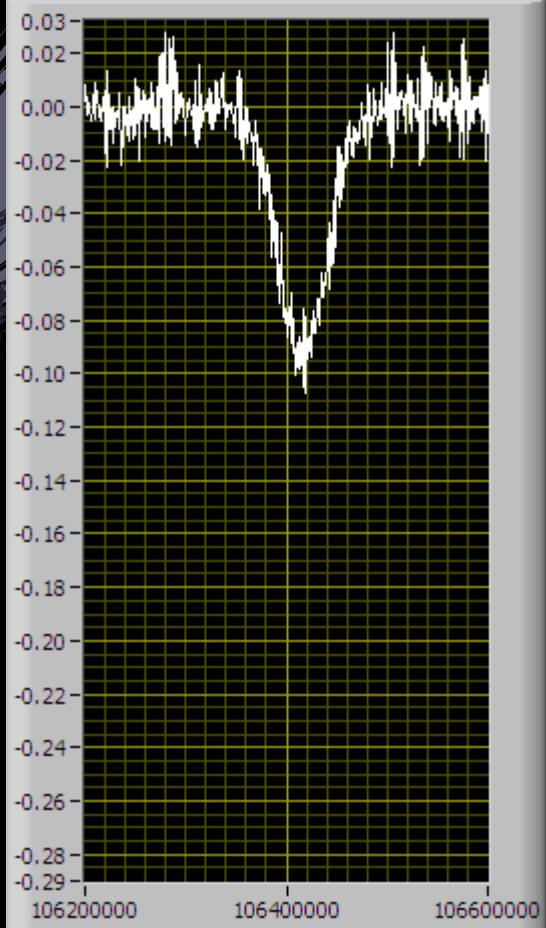
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If an  $\mathcal{M}$  signal grows  
big, Polarization grows  
big

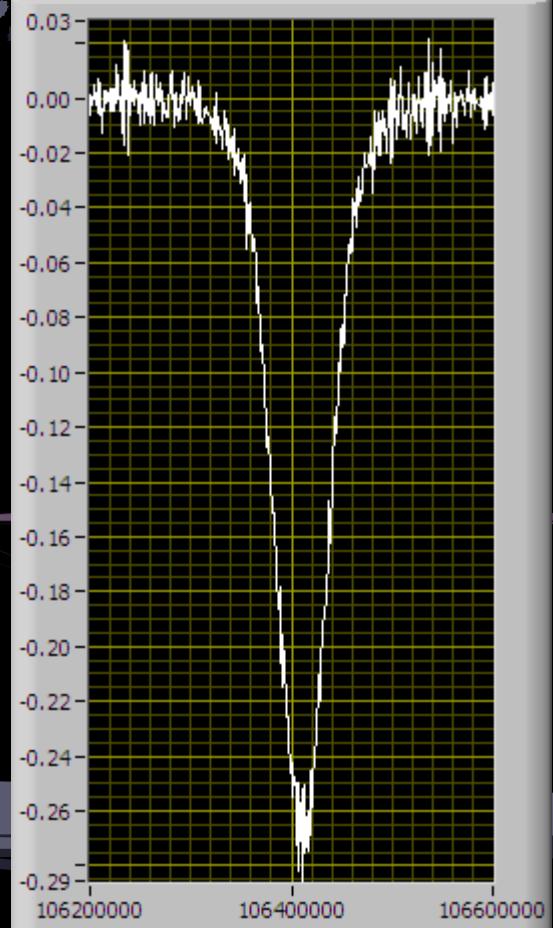
# The TE signal measurement of EPM

$8.88\text{K}$

$1.45\text{K}$



Polarization  
0.029%



Polarization  
0.176%

$\mathcal{M}$

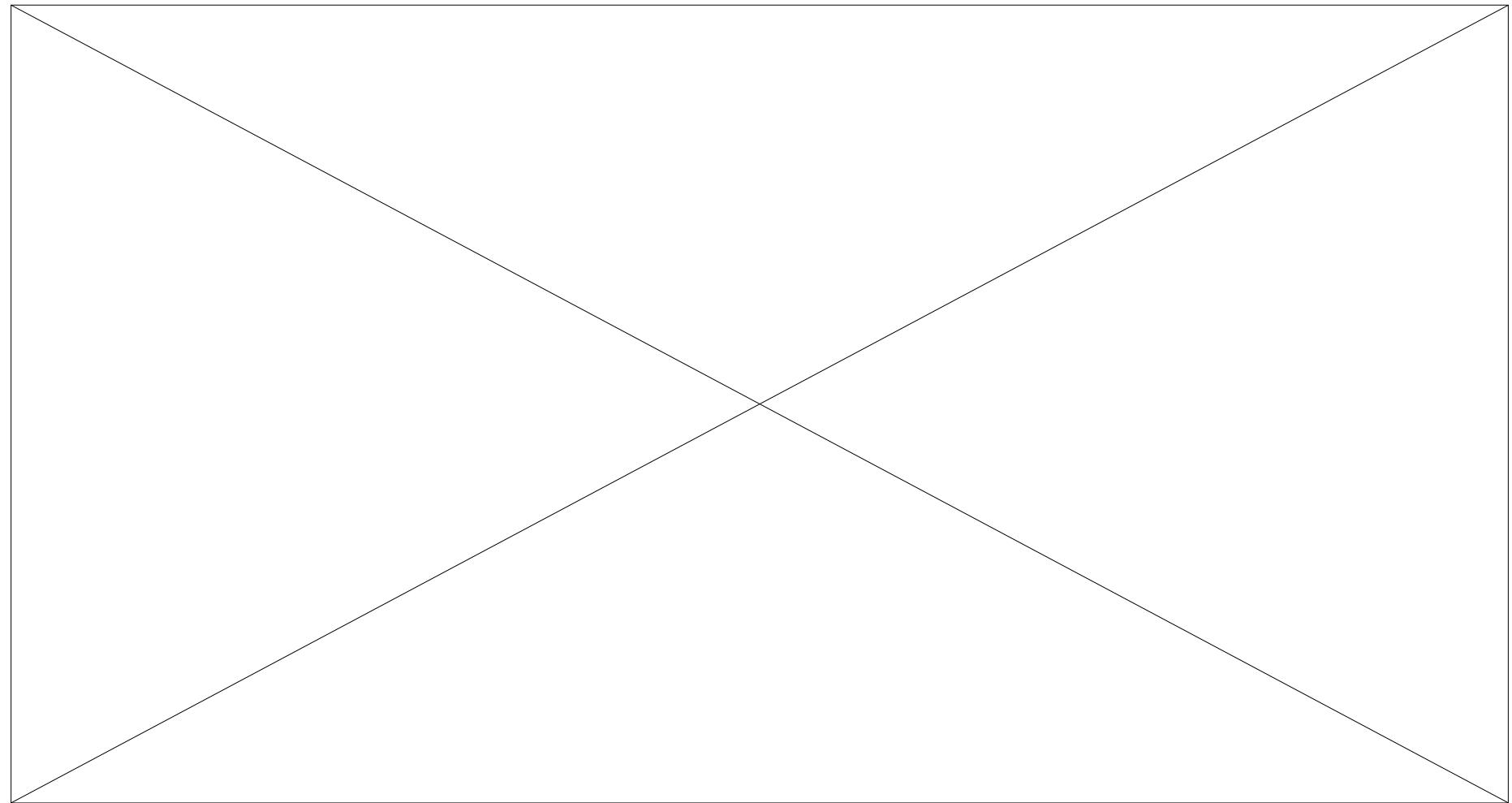
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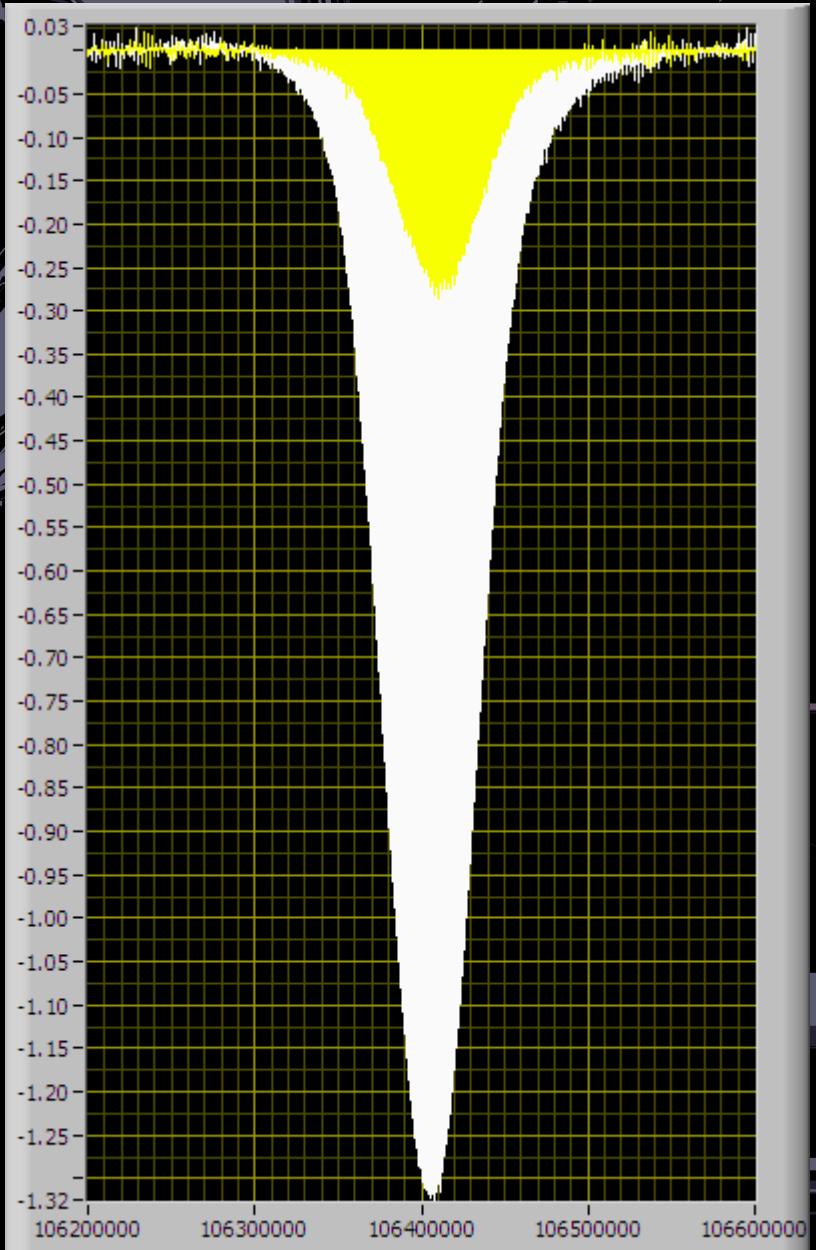
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- If an  $\mathcal{M}$  signal grows big, Polarization grows big
- TE Signal changes in correspondence with temperature



# Polarization of EPM by DNP(1)



TE (1.47K)



DNP [positive polarize] (1.52K)

Microwave Power : 10 mW

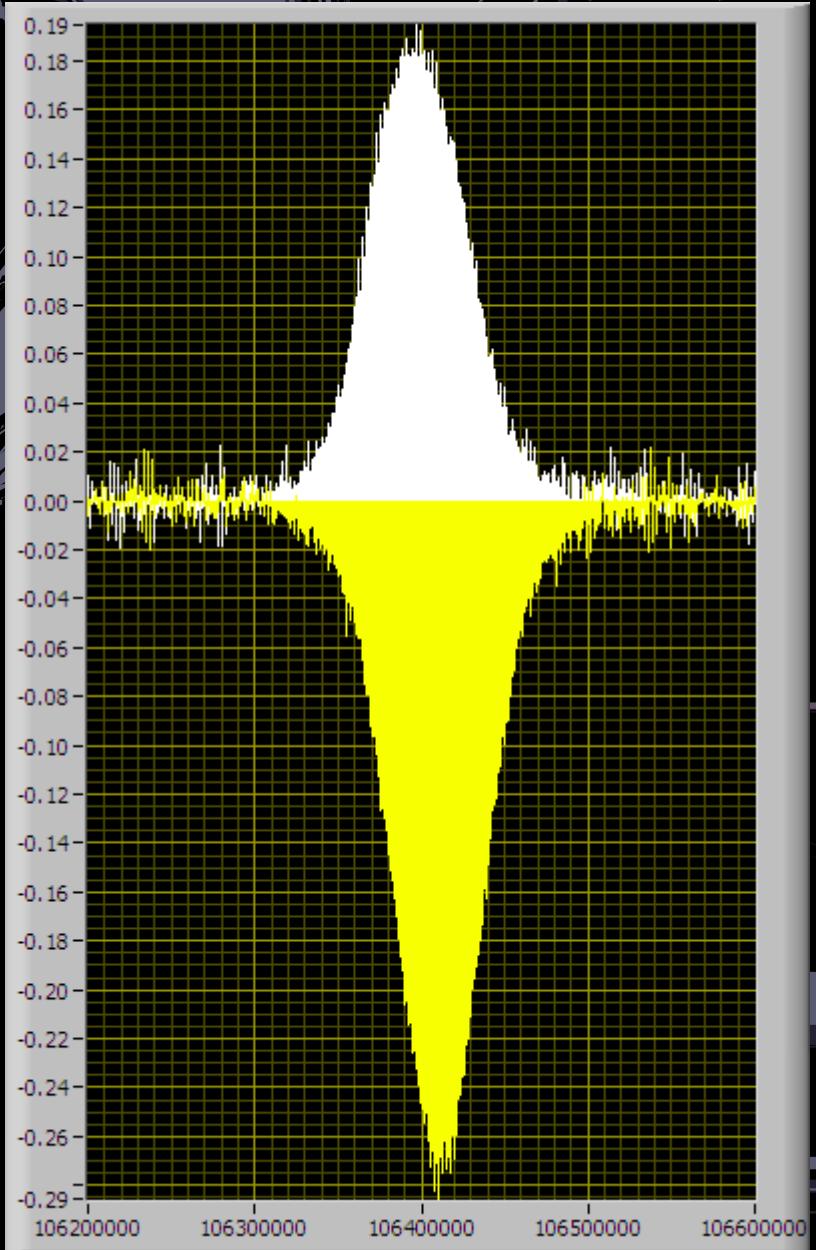
Microwave Frequency: 69.918 GHz

Enhance

5.1 times of  
TE

Polarization 0.90%

# Polarization of EPM by DNP(2)



TE (1.47K)



DNP[ negative polarize] (1.50K)

Microwave Power : 10 mW

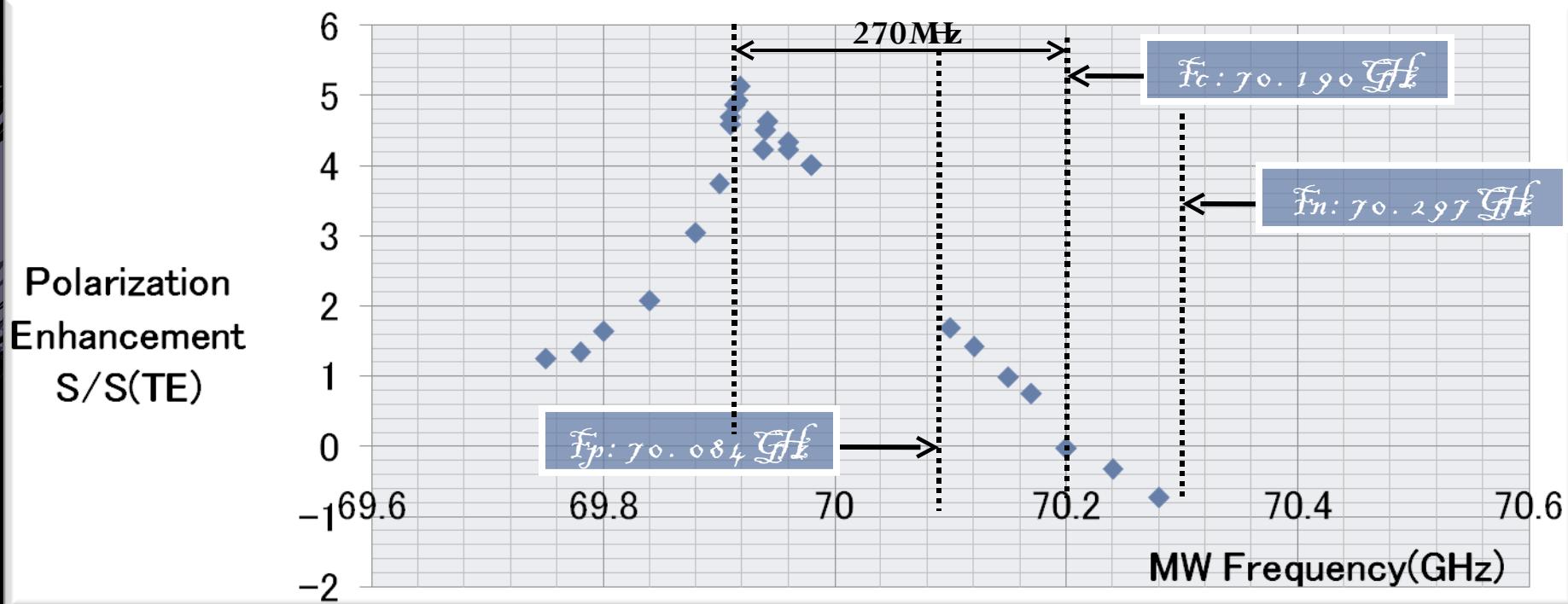
Microwave Frequency: 70.280 GHz

Enhance

- 0.72 times of  
TE

Polarization - 0.12%

# depend on MW frequency in DNP



$F_c$ : Electronic (TEM) center frequency (@. 5 T)

$F_p$ : Frequency of Max Positive polarization (cascuation value)

Max positive polarization value  
69.92 GHz

Max Negative polarization (cascuation

Enhancement in  $F_c$

0

# A summary and a challenges for the future

## Summary

- The establishment of the  $\text{TECO}$  mixture method to  $\text{EP}$  For spin density of radicals adjustment possibility
- confirm Polarization excitation of proton in  $\text{EP}$  for the first time

Positive Polarization 0.90%

## challenges

- Optimization of the spin density
- optimize the ratio of  $^{3}\text{He}$  and  $^{4}\text{He}$  Dsution freezing
  - test it at low temperature more give ability for cooling
  - incident by a more extreme sound microwave



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