# Polarization of Post-Accelerated Beams at ISOLDE and TDRIV Experiments at Tandem-ALTO

# **TDRIV Experiments at Tandem-ALTO**

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 Beam:
 <sup>24</sup>Mg @ 120 MeV, 0.3 pnA

 Target:
 2.4 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> <sup>93</sup>Nb

 Reset Foils:
 1.7 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> <sup>197</sup>Au, 1.8 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> <sup>9</sup>Be

13 HPGe 8-fold segmented annular detector



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## **Electron Polarization**



- The polarization is identified as a result of the ionsurface interactions (no bulk-effects influences)
- Smooth behaviour of the polarization, independently on the geometry (transmission or reflection)



T. Tolk et al., PRL 47, 487 (1981)

## **Transfer to Nuclear Polarization**



- coupling of the electron (J) and the nuclear (I) spins
- "rotation regime" ( ω t << 1 ), PRL 38, 218 (1977)</li>
- "polarization transfer regime" ( ω t >> 1 )

- strong dependence on J and the number of foils
- faster saturation at higher J (fewer foils needed)
- higher polarization at lower J

## Tilted-Foils @ TRIAC / JAEA-ISOL

# Former polarization measurements with <sup>8</sup>Li @ TRIAC



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## **TRIAC** results





- from the observed nuclear polarization  $\rightarrow$  J=1/2
- <sup>8</sup>Li<sup>0</sup> and <sup>8</sup>Li<sup>2+</sup> are expected to contribute to the nuclear polarization
- <sup>8</sup>Li<sup>1+</sup> configurations with J=1, 2 ... could contribute
- ${}^{2}P_{1/2}$  state expected to be dominant ( ${}^{8}Li^{0}: 2p ({}^{2}P_{1/2}) \rightarrow 2s ({}^{2}S_{1/2}) t = 27 ns; {}^{8}Li^{2+}: 2p ({}^{2}P_{1/2}) \rightarrow 1s ({}^{2}S_{1/2}) t = 0.02 ns)$
- P<sub>j</sub> = 2.92(8); 2.08(6); 1.40(7)% for 141.5; 176.4 and 241.3 keV beam energy
- difficulties to disentangle between energy and charge-state dependence

Hirayama et al., Eur. Phys. J. A 48, 54 (2012)

# The newly-built TF setup @ ISOLDE - CERN





- post-accelerated beams from REX-ISOLDE
- beam energies between 0.3-3.0 Mev/u
- beta-NMR determination of polarization



July 2012: First successful TF test at REX-ISOLDE



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**Polarized beams - Why?** 

• Transfer reactions (analyzing power), j = I +/- 1/2



• Coulomb excitations - spin/parity; multipolarity assignments etc.

# Summary

- TDRIV method commissioned in radioactive-beam geometry
- TF method commissioned for REX energies at ISOLDE-CERN

# Tilted foils measurements with stable beams



# Coulomb excitation of polarized nuclei

- <sup>51</sup>V@50 MeV
- $\rightarrow$  TF
- $\rightarrow$  <sup>51</sup>V (I<sup>p</sup> = 7/2<sup>-</sup>), 13<sup>+</sup> charge state
- → 195 MeV
- $\rightarrow$  Coulex on Pb
- <sup>51</sup>V beam intensity ~ 1 pnA
- left-right asymmetry
- polarization observed:
  - P<sub>1</sub> = 1.2(2)% at b = 6.5% (2 MeV/u)
  - P<sub>1</sub> > 1.0(1) % at b = 4.6% (1 MeV/u)
     for 13<sup>+</sup>
  - P<sub>1</sub> ~ 0 % at b = 4.6% (1 MeV/u)
    - *for 14*<sup>+</sup>
  - A factor of >2 assumed for the depolarization due to the postacceleration