

Frustrated Nuclear Magnetism of 2D Helium Three

Hiroshi Fukuyama, D. Sato, K. Naruse, and T. Matsui

Department of Physics, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan

We will discuss recent experimental studies of frustrated two-dimensional (2D) magnetism of helium three (^3He) monolayer adsorbed on a graphite surface preplated with monolayer ^4He . The gapless spin-liquid nature of the magnetic ground state in the $4/7$ phase (the low-density commensurate solid) has been further supported by two experiments, i.e., the magnetization curve measurement up to 11 T showing a $1/2$ magnetization plateau and the spin-spin relaxation time (T_2) measurement showing a gradual decrease and saturation of T_2 with decreasing temperature. This exotic ground state could be ubiquitous in 2D frustrated magnetism near Mott localization. Comprehensive heat-capacity measurements revealed that, in the higher density incommensurate solid, we can introduce frustration into the pure Heisenberg ferromagnet on a triangular lattice and tune it by varying density. This becomes possible due to large and different Grüneisen constants of competing multiple-spin exchanges up to six-spin exchange.