

Lande's g factor in case of jj-coupling

In jj-coupling the s^* and l^* of each electrons are coupled together and quantized to form their own resultant j^* . With two electrons

$$\text{we may write } l_1^* + s_1^* = j_1^* \text{ and } l_2^* + s_2^* = j_2^*$$

The resultant vectors j_1^* and j_2^* are quantized separately with the magnetic moments

$$\mu_1 = g_1 j_1^* \frac{eh}{4\pi m_0} \text{ and } \mu_2 = g_2 j_2^* \frac{eh}{4\pi m_0}$$

The j_1^* and j_2^* in turn coupled together and quantized to form a resultant J^* , these moments are projected on J^* and added to give the total magnetic moment of the atom,

$$\mu_J = g_1 j_1^* \frac{he}{4\pi m_0} \cos(j_1^* J^*) + g_2 j_2^* \frac{he}{4\pi m_0} \cos(j_2^* J^*)$$

$$= \left[g_1 j_1^* \cos(j_1^* J^*) + g_2 j_2^* \cos(j_2^* J^*) \right] \frac{eh}{4\pi m_0}$$

Replacing the terms in the bracket by g times J^* , we get

$$g \cdot J^* = g_1 j_1^* \cos(j_1^* J^*) + g_2 j_2^* \cos(j_2^* J^*)$$

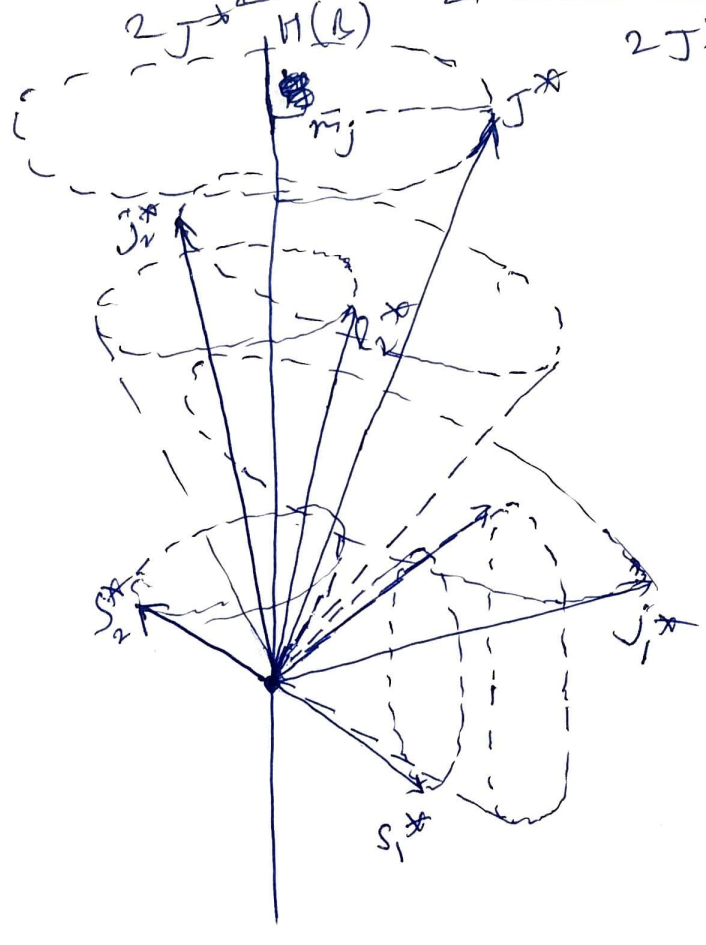
Since the angles between j_1^* , j_2^* and J^* are constant, the cosine formula gives,

$$j_1^* \cos(j_1^* j^*) = \frac{J^{*2} + j_1^{*2} - j_2^{*2}}{2J^*} \quad (5)$$

$$j_2^* \cos(j_2^* j^*) = \frac{J^{*2} + j_2^{*2} - j_1^{*2}}{2J^*}$$

⇒ the g-factor for $j\bar{j}$ -coupling now becomes

$$g = g_1 \frac{J^{*2} + j_1^{*2} - j_2^{*2}}{2J^{*2}} + g_2 \frac{J^{*2} + j_2^{*2} - j_1^{*2}}{2J^{*2}} \quad (6)$$



j-j-coupling

The Zeeman Effect - Two electron system

In a weak magnetic field the atom as a whole is quantized with B in such a fashion that the projection of the angular momentum $J^* h/2\pi$ on B is equal to $M_J h/2\pi$,

Where M_J takes values differing from each other by unity, from $M_J = +J$ to $M_J = -J$.

In terms of the vector model these quantum conditions are expressed as

$$J^* \cos(J^* B) = M_J \quad \text{where } M_J = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm J \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

On the classical model of a precessing atom, J^* carries out a Larmor precession around B with an angular velocity given by

$$\omega_L = B \cdot g \cdot \frac{e}{2m_0} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Multiplying by the projection of the mechanical moment on B , the energy of this precession

$$\Delta E = B \cdot g \cdot \frac{e}{2m_0} J^* \cdot \frac{h}{2\pi} \cos(J^* B) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

In terms of the magnetic quantum number

$$\Delta E_{M_J} = M_J \cdot g \cdot B \frac{eh}{4\pi m_0} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

The energy in wave number is given by

$$\Delta \nu = g \frac{eB}{4\pi m_0 c} \cdot \Delta M_J \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$\Delta \nu = g \Delta M_J \cdot L \quad \text{const --- (6)}$$

$$L = \text{Lorentz unit} = \frac{eB}{4\pi m_0 c}$$

If $T \rightarrow$ the term value of a field-free energy level, then in a weak magnetic field the term value of each magnetic level will be $T_M = T - M_J \cdot g \frac{eB}{4\pi m_0 c} \quad \text{const --- (7)}$

On the classical model for LS-coupling it was assumed (1) that s_1^* and s_2^* precess rapidly around S^* , (2) that l_1^* and l_2^* precess rapidly around L^* , (3) that L^* and S^* precess more slowly around J^* and (4) that J^* is tum precesses still more slowly around B.

As an example do the splitting up of an energy level in a magnetic field, Consider the case of 3D_3 level.

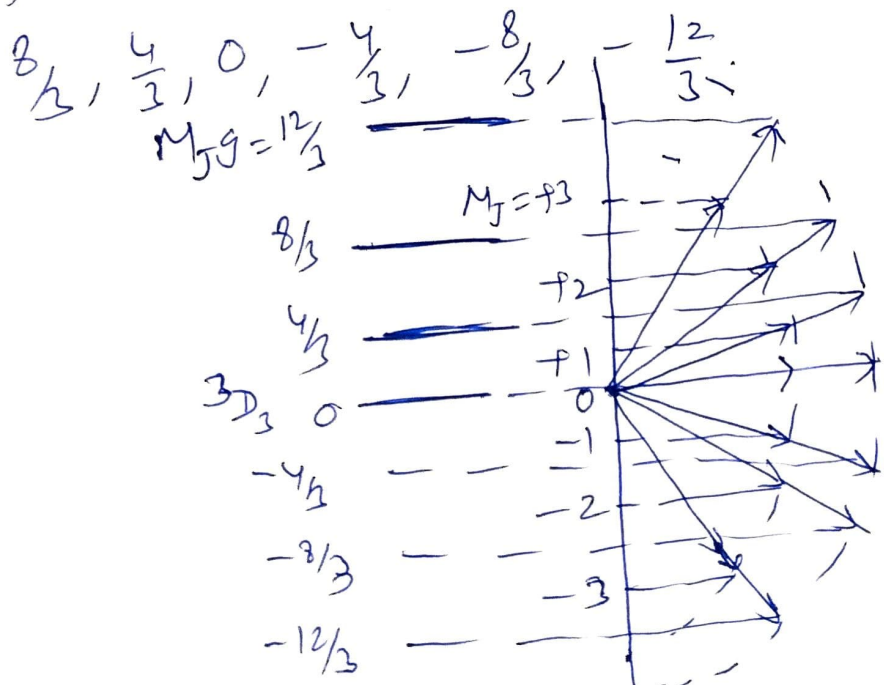
The value of Lande's g factor is

$$g = 1 + \frac{J^{*2} + S^{*2} - L^{*2}}{2J^{*2}}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{3 \cdot 4 + 1 \cdot 2 - 2 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 4}$$

$$g = 1 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

with $g = \frac{4}{3}$ and $J=3$, there are seven equally spaced magnetic levels $M_J = 3, 2, 1, 0, -1, -2, -3$, shifted from the field-free level by $M_J \cdot g = \frac{12}{3}$,

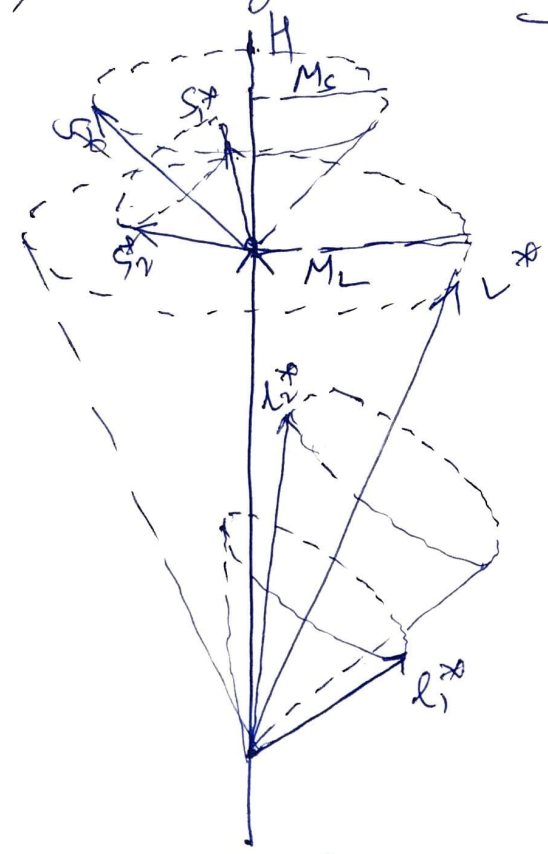


Splitting of 3D_3 level is a weak magnetic field

Paschen-Back Effect :- If the magnetic field is continually

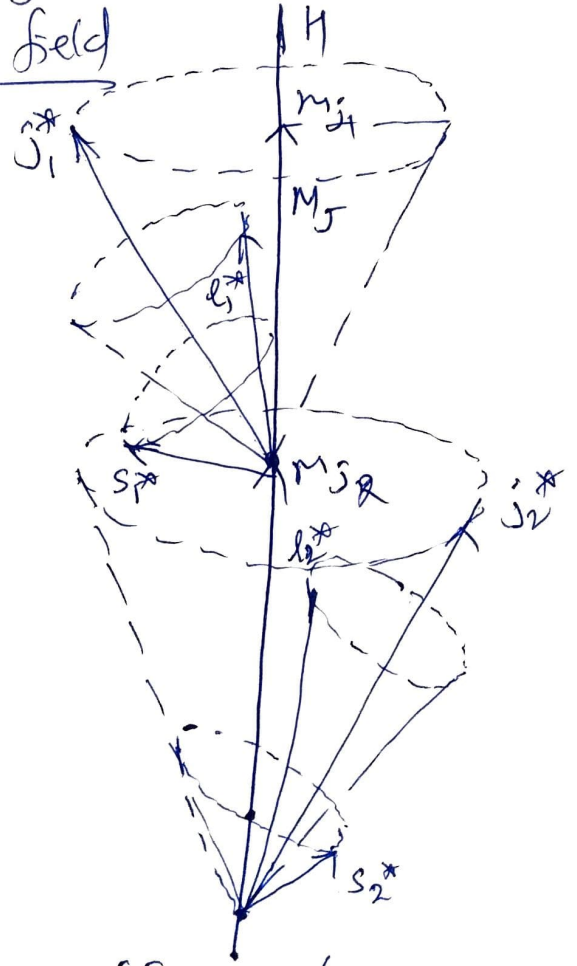
increased \rightarrow the interaction energy between J^* and B becomes so great that the coupling between S^* and L^* in the case of LS-coupling, or between j_1^* and j_2^* in the case of JJ-coupling is broken. As the field is still further increased, S^* and L^* , or j_1^* and j_2^* will independently be quantized with the field B . \rightarrow Paschen-Back effect.

J^* and S^* precessing independently around the field direction, J^* is no longer constant in magnitude and ceases to be a quantum number. Similarly with j_1^* and j_2^* precessing independently around B , their resultant J^* ceases to have any meaning.



LS-Coupling

Strong field



JJ-coupling