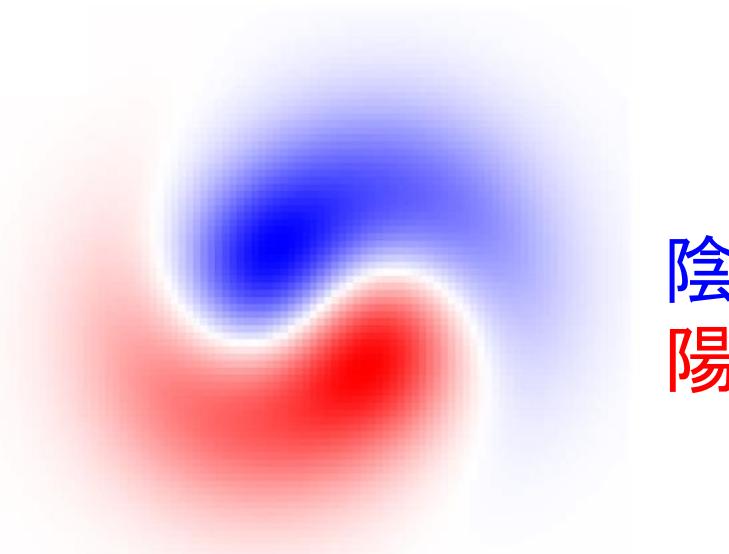


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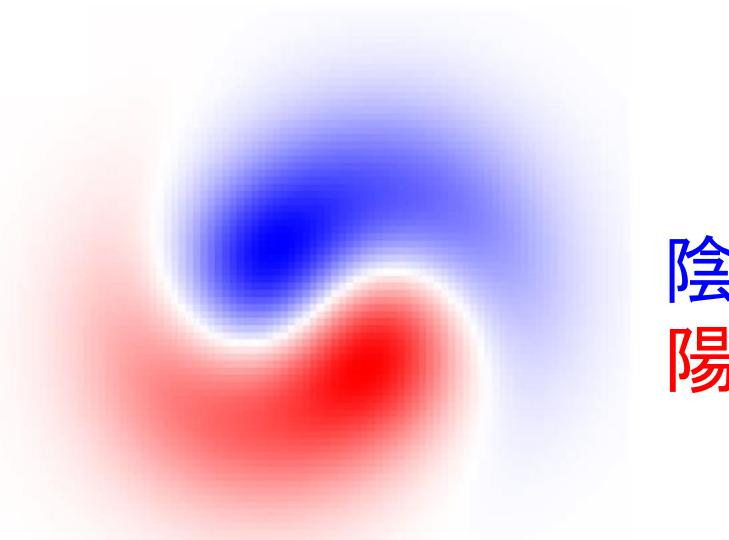
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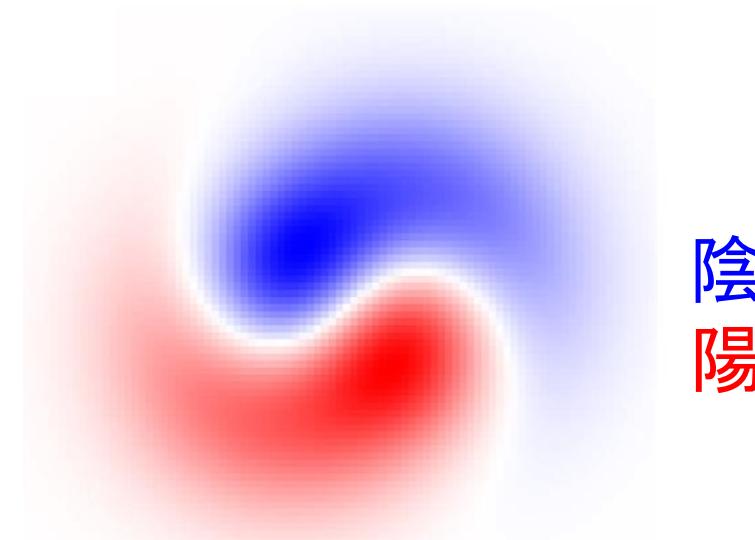
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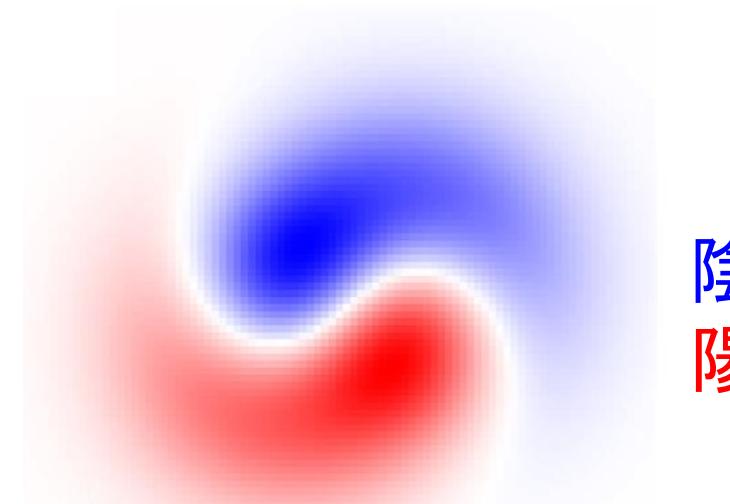
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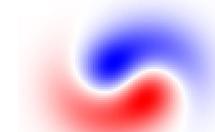
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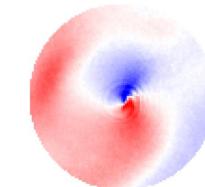
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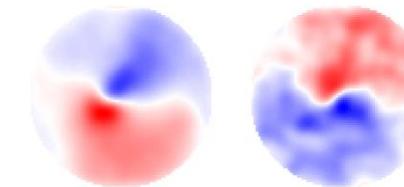


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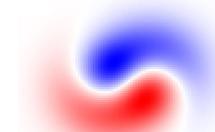


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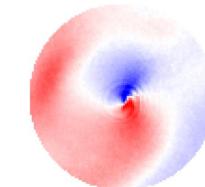
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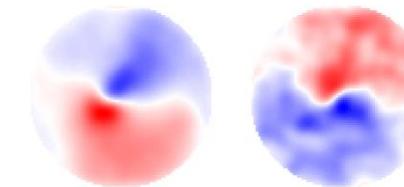
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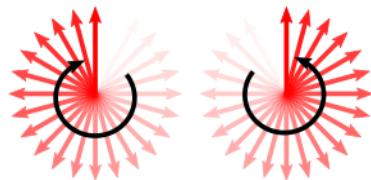
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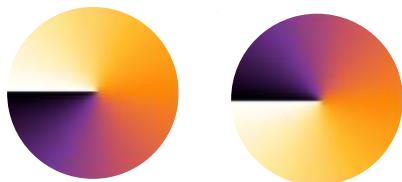
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➤ Case of light scattering from a magnetic target

# Analytical description of MHD



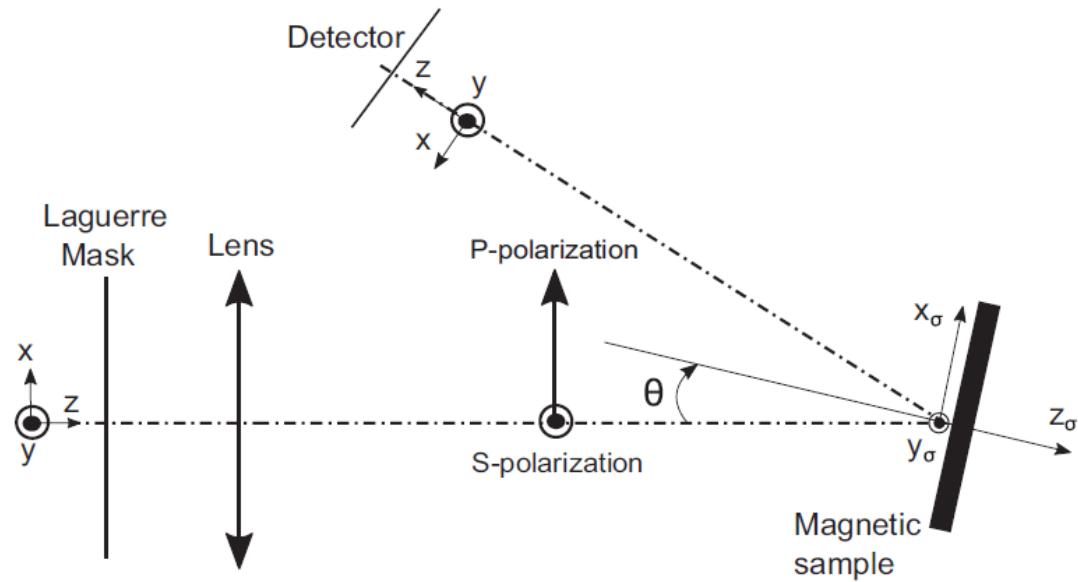
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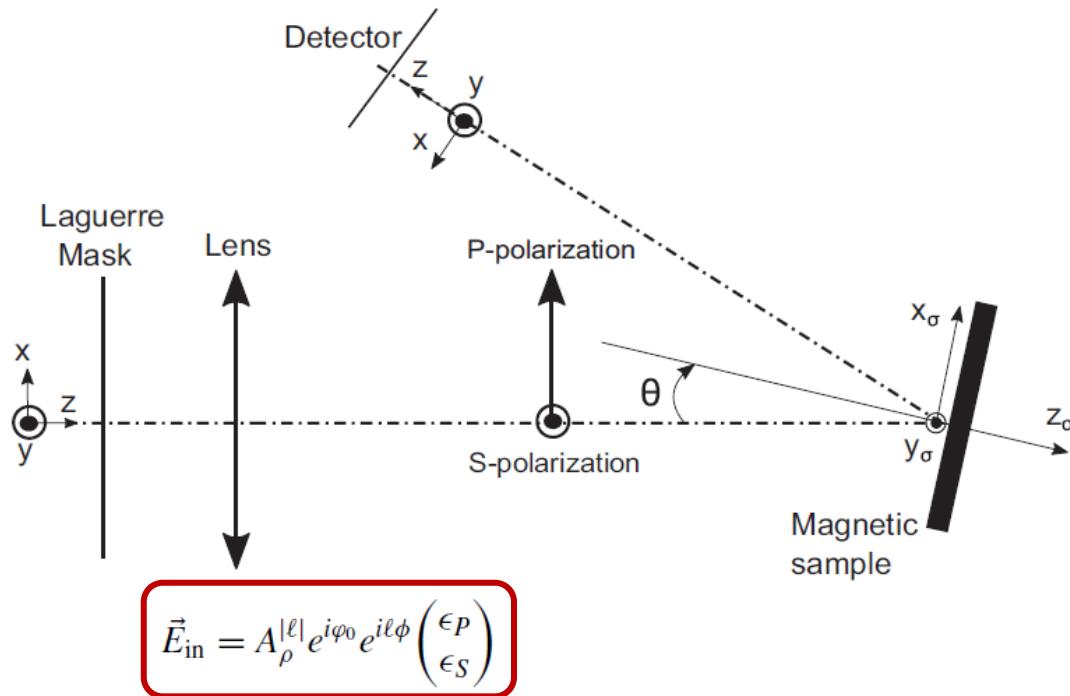


## MOKE formalism

### Magneto-Optic Kerr Effect

Change of light polarization and intensity  
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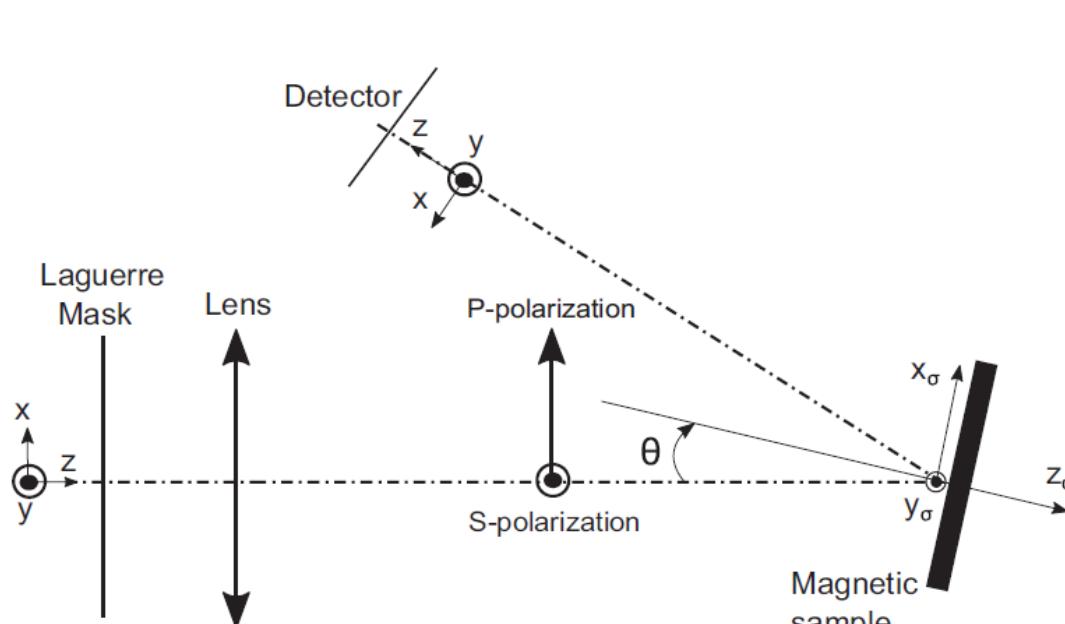




Light with OAM

$$\vec{E}_{\text{in}} = C_{\rho}^{|\ell|} \frac{1}{w(z)} \left( \frac{r\sqrt{2}}{w(z)} \right)^{|\ell|} L_{\rho}^{|\ell|} \left( \frac{2r^2}{w^2(z)} \right) e^{-\frac{r^2}{w^2(z)}} e^{-ik\frac{r^2}{2R(z)}} e^{i\ell\phi} e^{i(\omega t - kz)} e^{i(2\rho + |\ell| + 1)\gamma(z)} \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_P \\ \epsilon_S \end{pmatrix}$$

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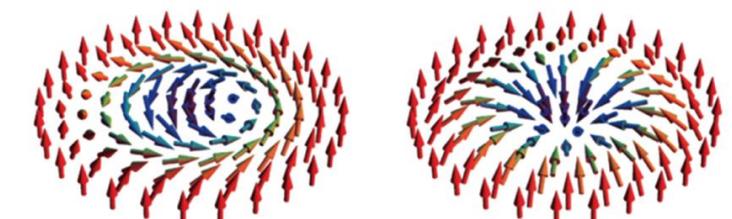
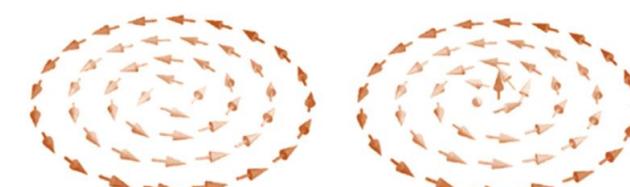
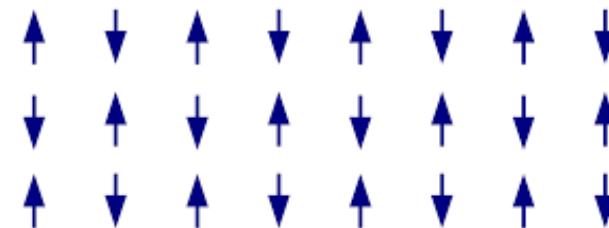
Magnetic structure symmetry:  
Fourier decomposition

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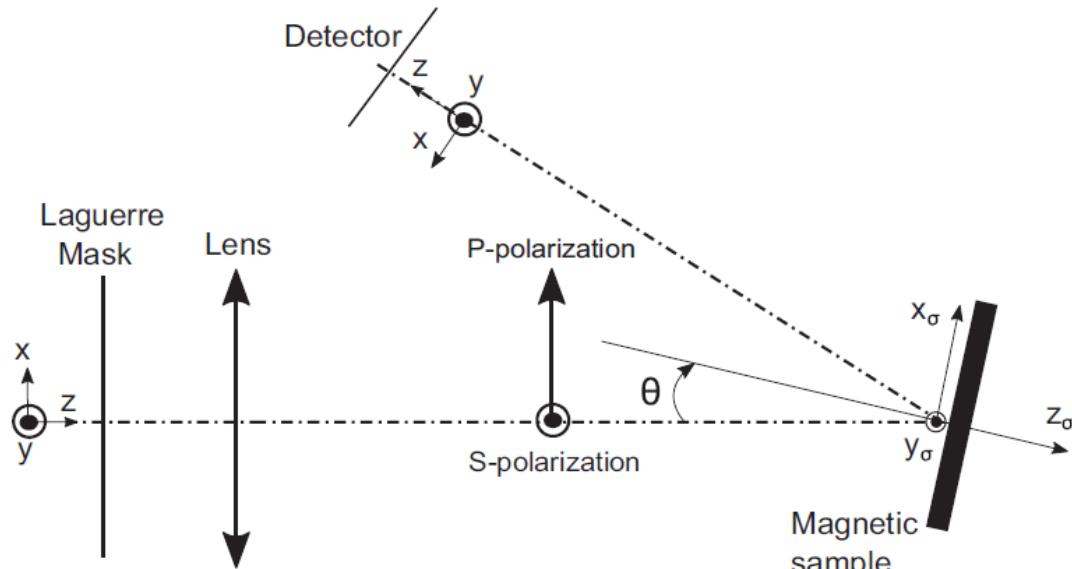
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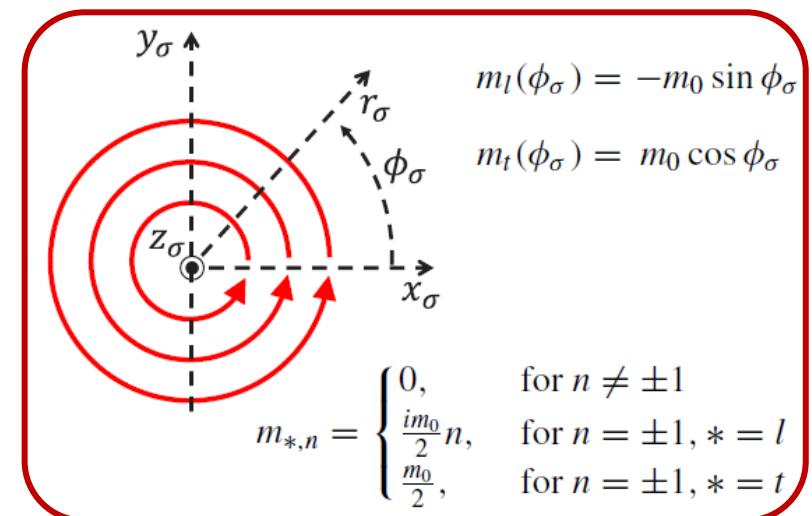
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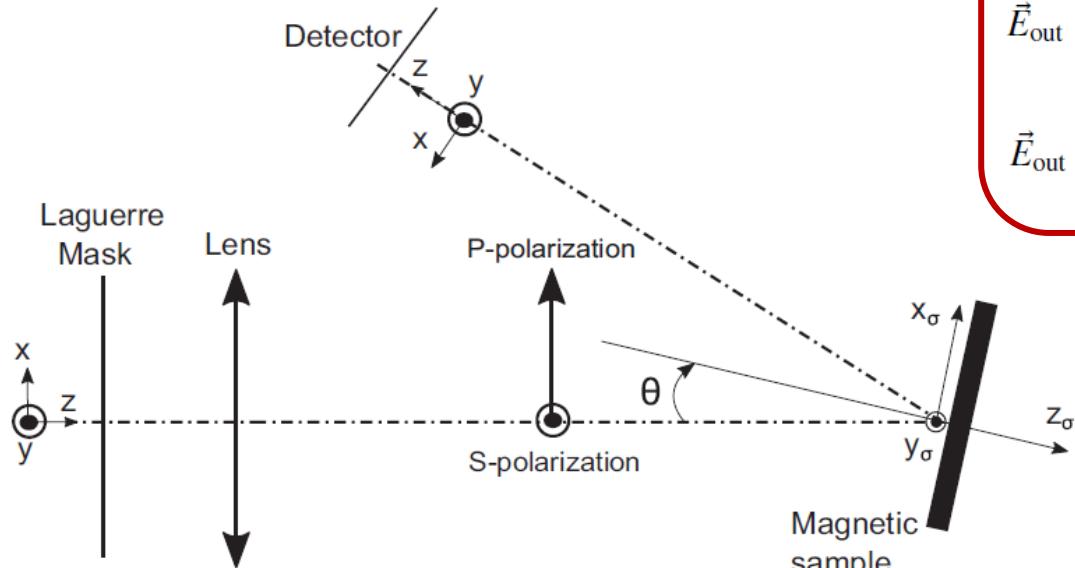
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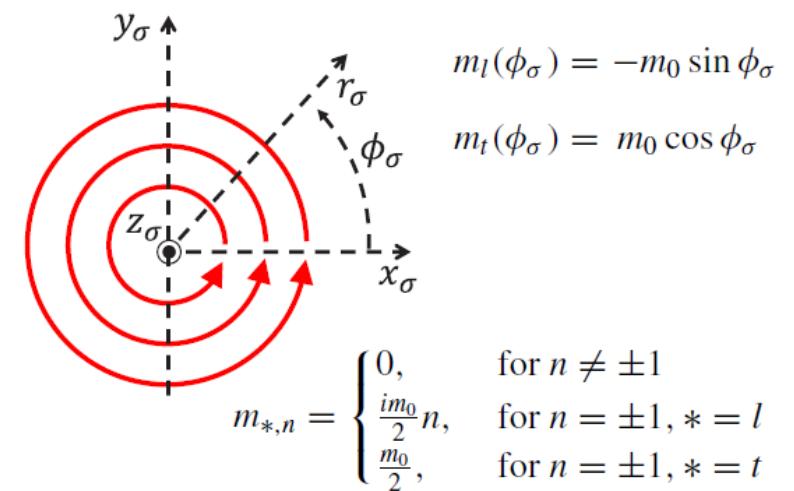
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**MOKE**

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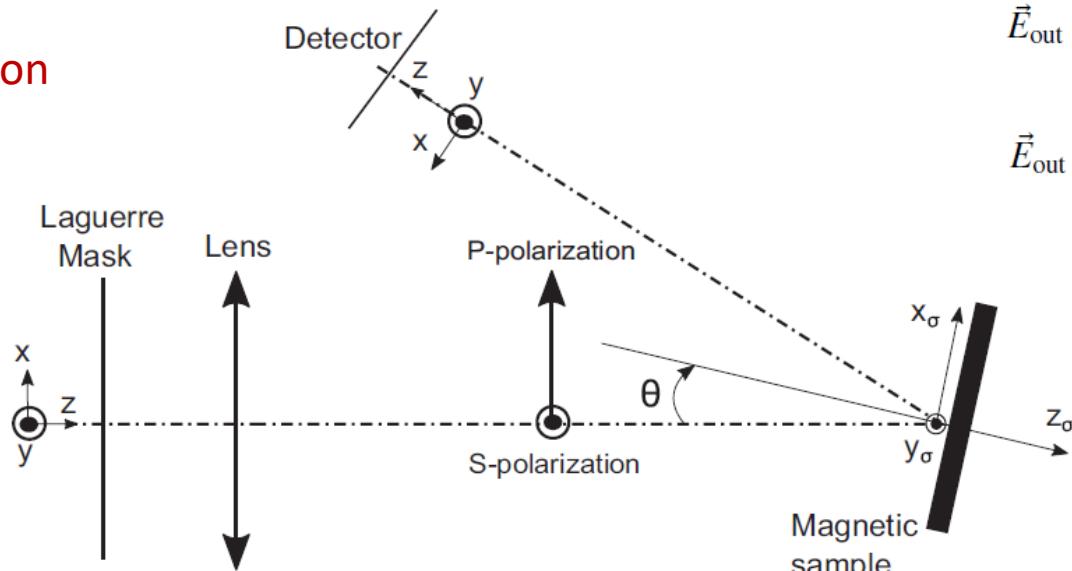


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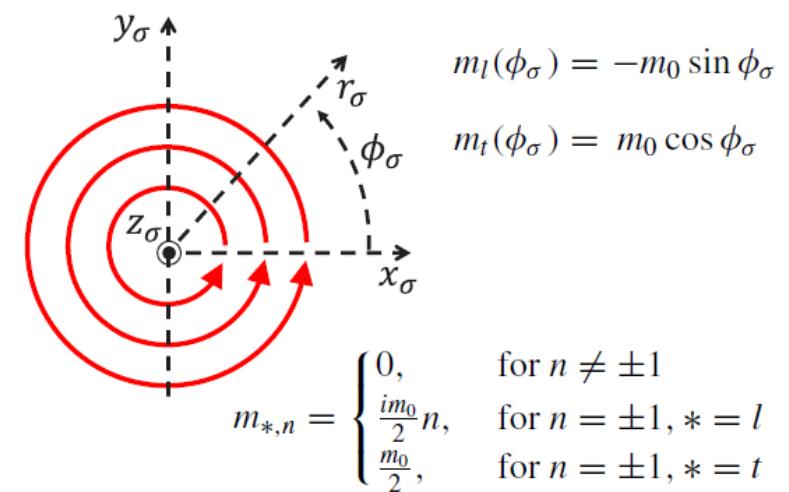
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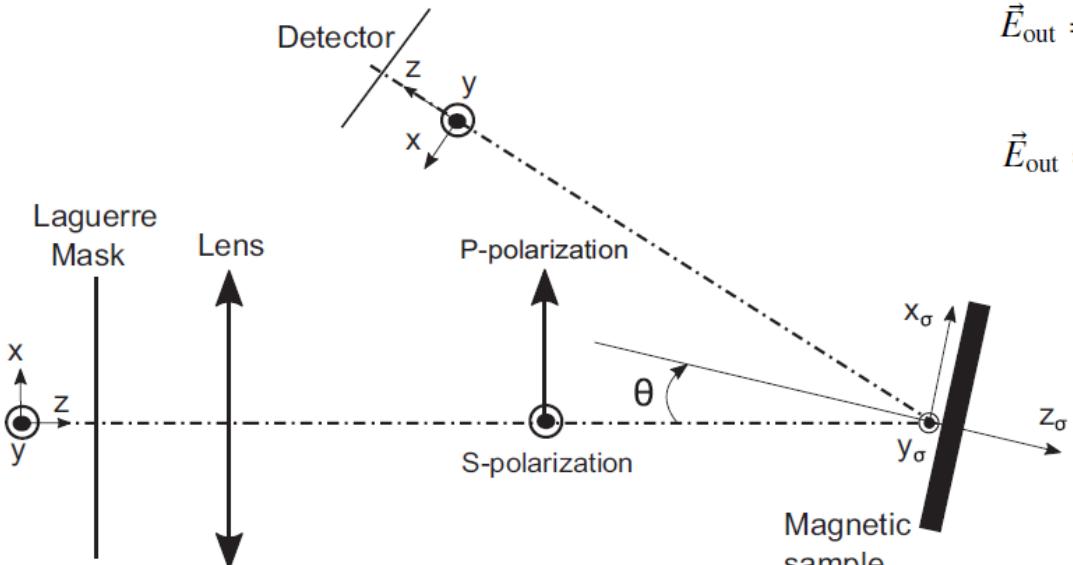
$$m_{*,n} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{for } n \neq \pm 1 \\ \frac{im_0}{2}n, & \text{for } n = \pm 1, * = l \\ \frac{m_0}{2}, & \text{for } n = \pm 1, * = t \end{cases}$$

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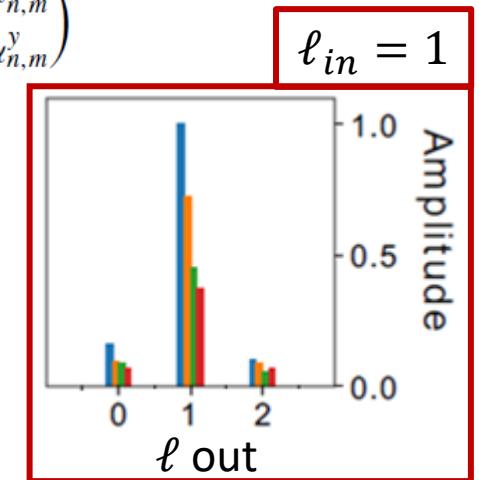
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Also for  $\ell = 0$  !

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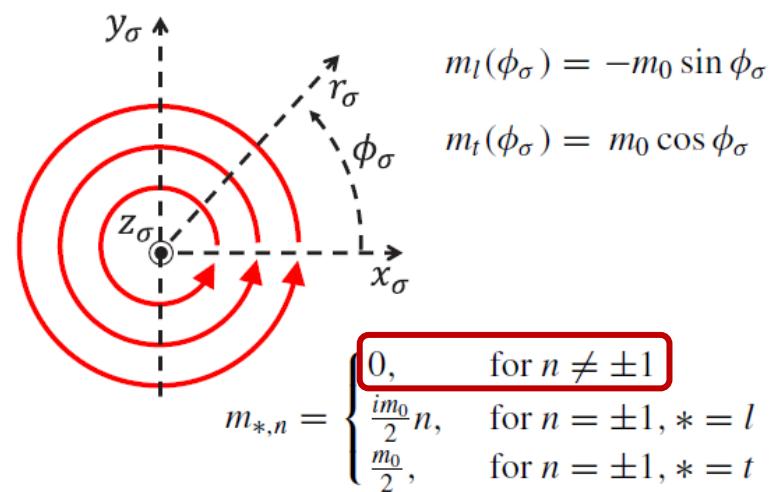


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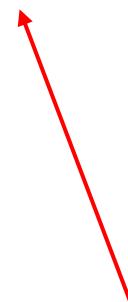
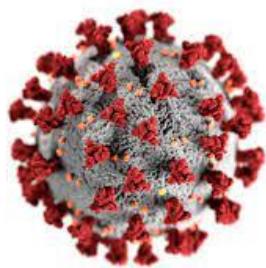
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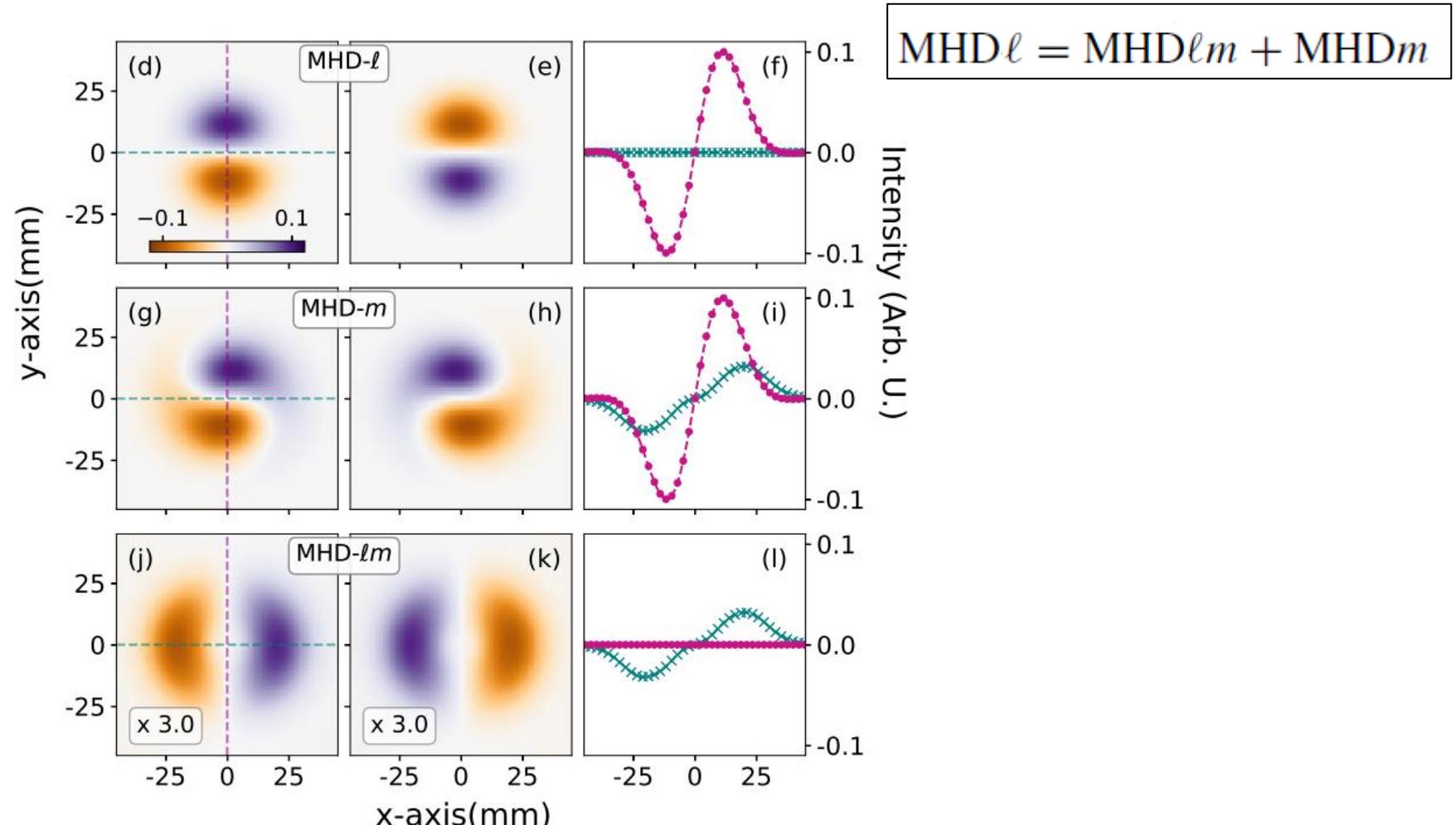
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Magnetic Vortex Vortex Differential Scattering (MVVDS)

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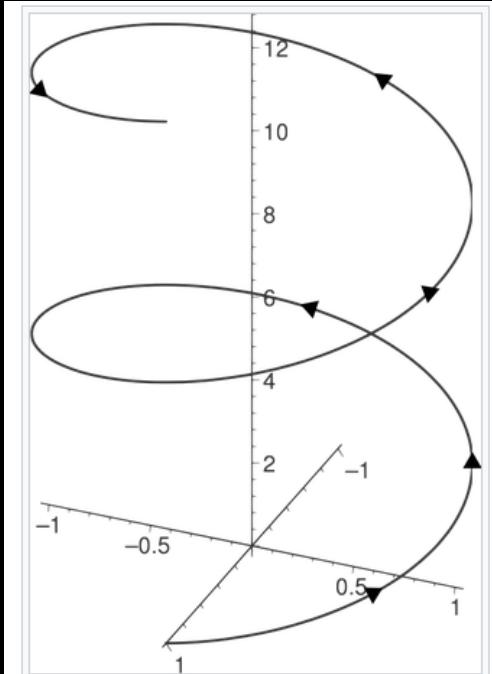
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- *Helical  $\neq$  Helicoidal !!!*



**Helicoid**

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

(Redirected from [Helicoidal](#))

The **helicoid**, also known as **helical surface**, is a smooth **surface** embedded in [three-dimensional space](#). It is the surface traced by an infinite line that is simultaneously being rotated and lifted along its [fixed](#) axis of rotation. It is the third [minimal surface](#) to be known, after the [plane](#) and the [catenoid](#).

**Description** [edit]

It was described by [Euler](#) in 1774 and by [Jean Baptiste Meusnier](#) in 1776. Its name derives from its similarity to the [helix](#): for every point on the helicoid, there is a helix contained in the helicoid which passes through that point.

The helicoid is also a [ruled surface](#) (and a [right conoid](#)), meaning that it is a trace of a line. Alternatively, for any point on the surface, there is a line on the surface passing through it. Indeed, [Catalan](#) proved in 1842 that the helicoid and the plane were the only ruled [minimal surfaces](#).<sup>[1][2]</sup>

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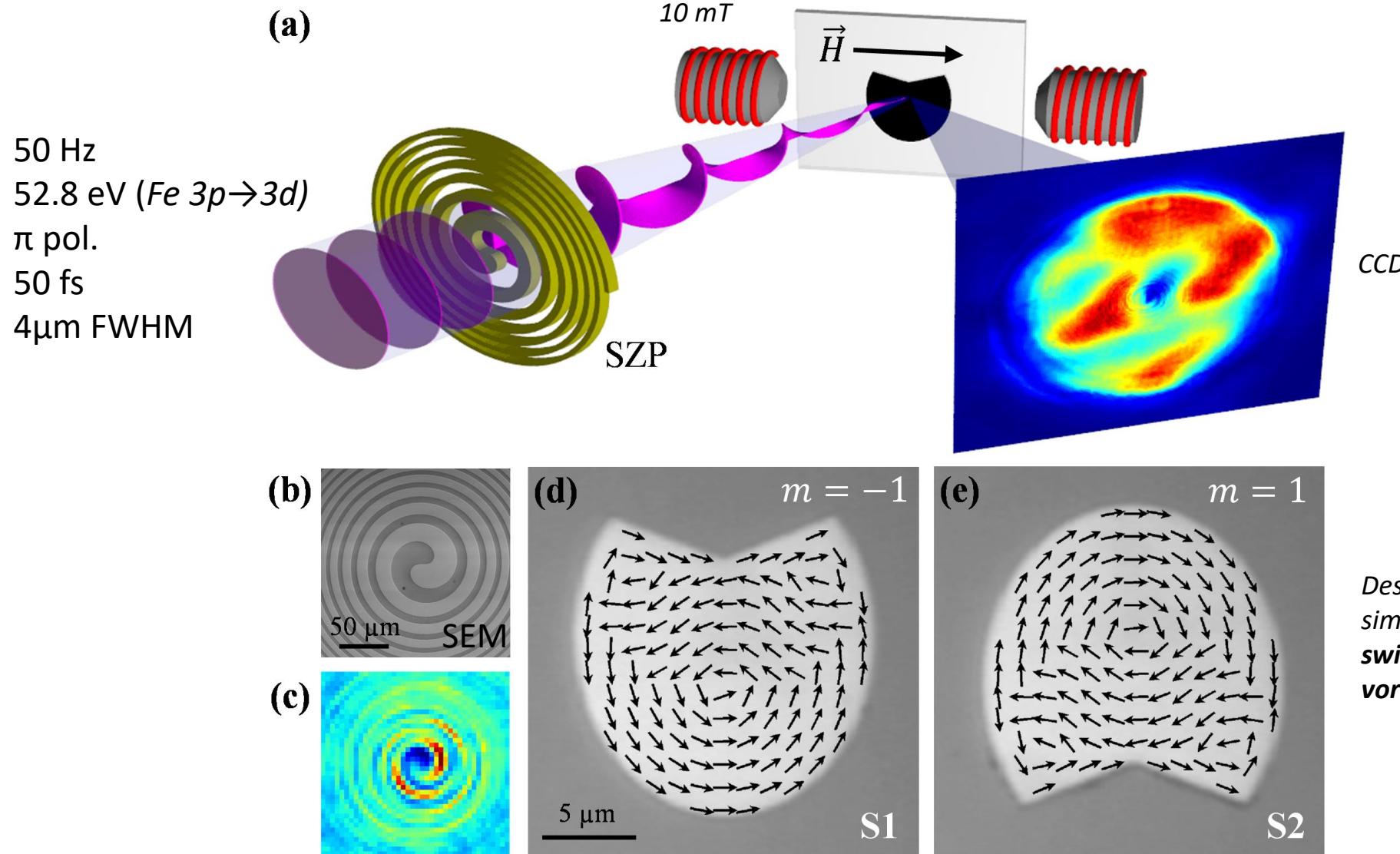


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# Experimental setup

*DiProI beamline*  
**FERMI FEL** light source  
Trieste, Italy



MHD $m$

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{red circular arrow} \\ m=1 \end{array} \right) - \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{red circular arrow} \\ m=-1 \end{array} \right)$$

MHD" $m$ "

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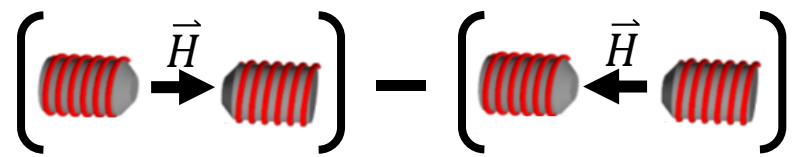
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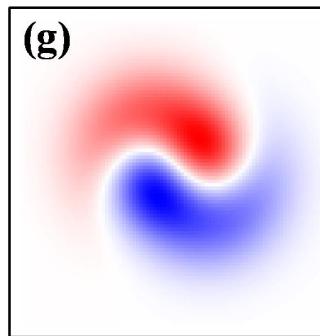


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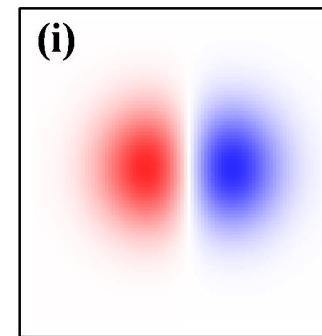


Theory

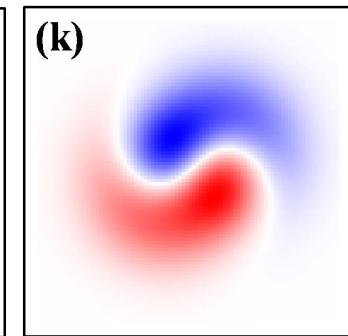
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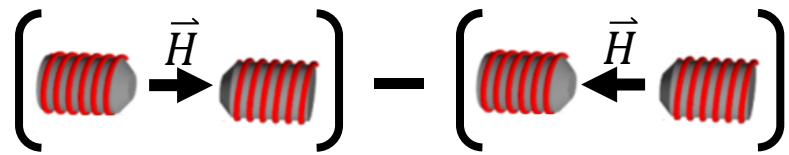


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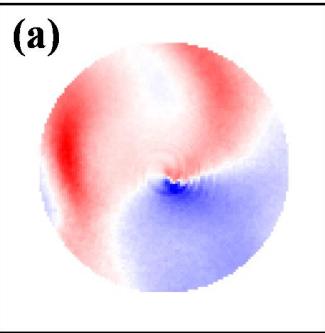
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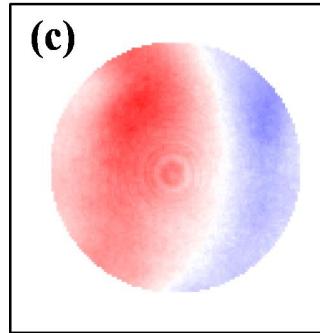


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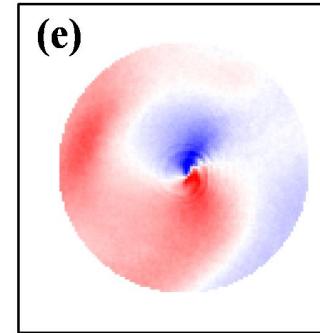
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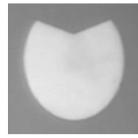
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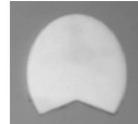
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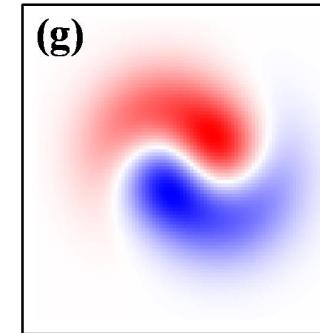


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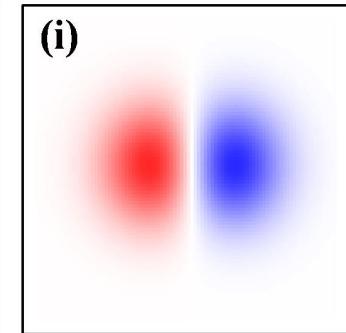


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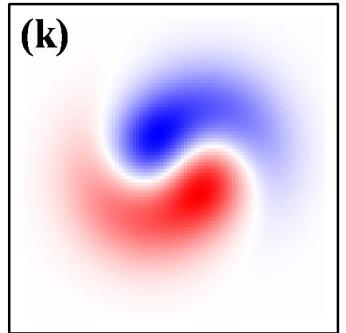
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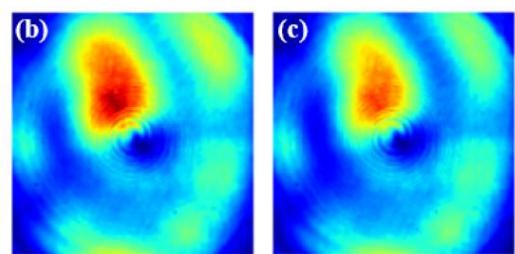


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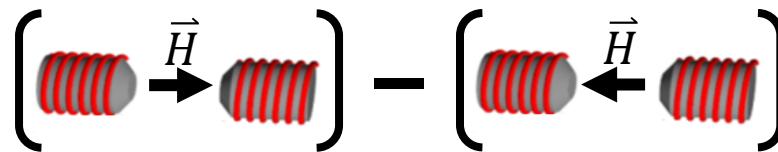


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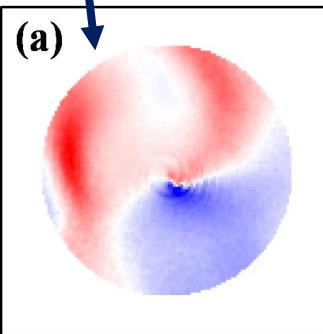


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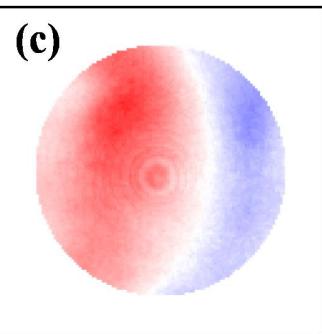


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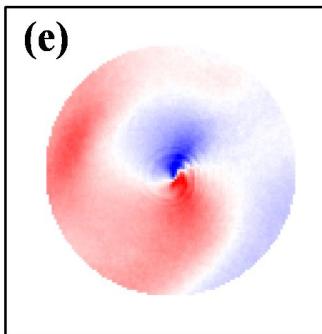
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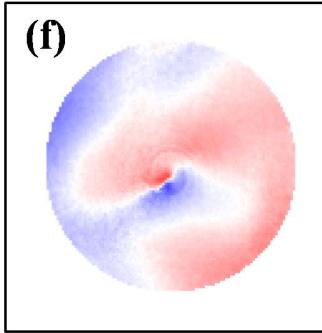
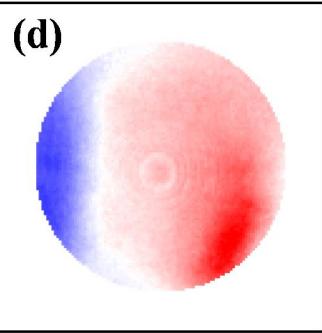
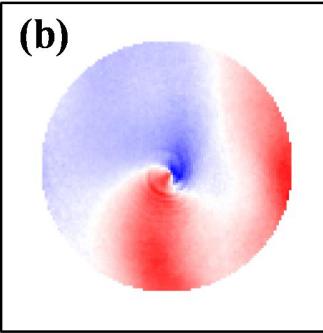
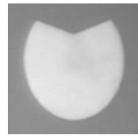
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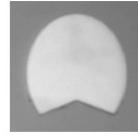
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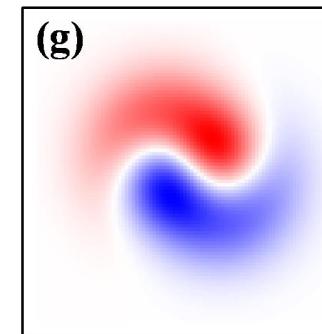


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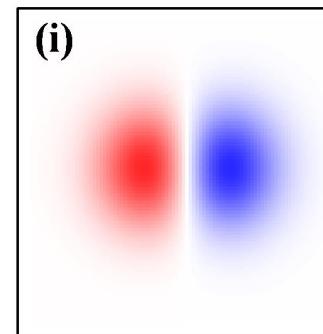


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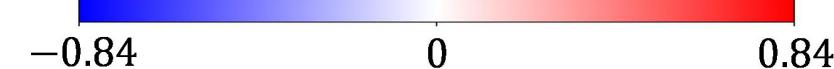
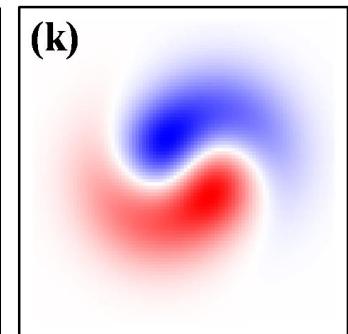
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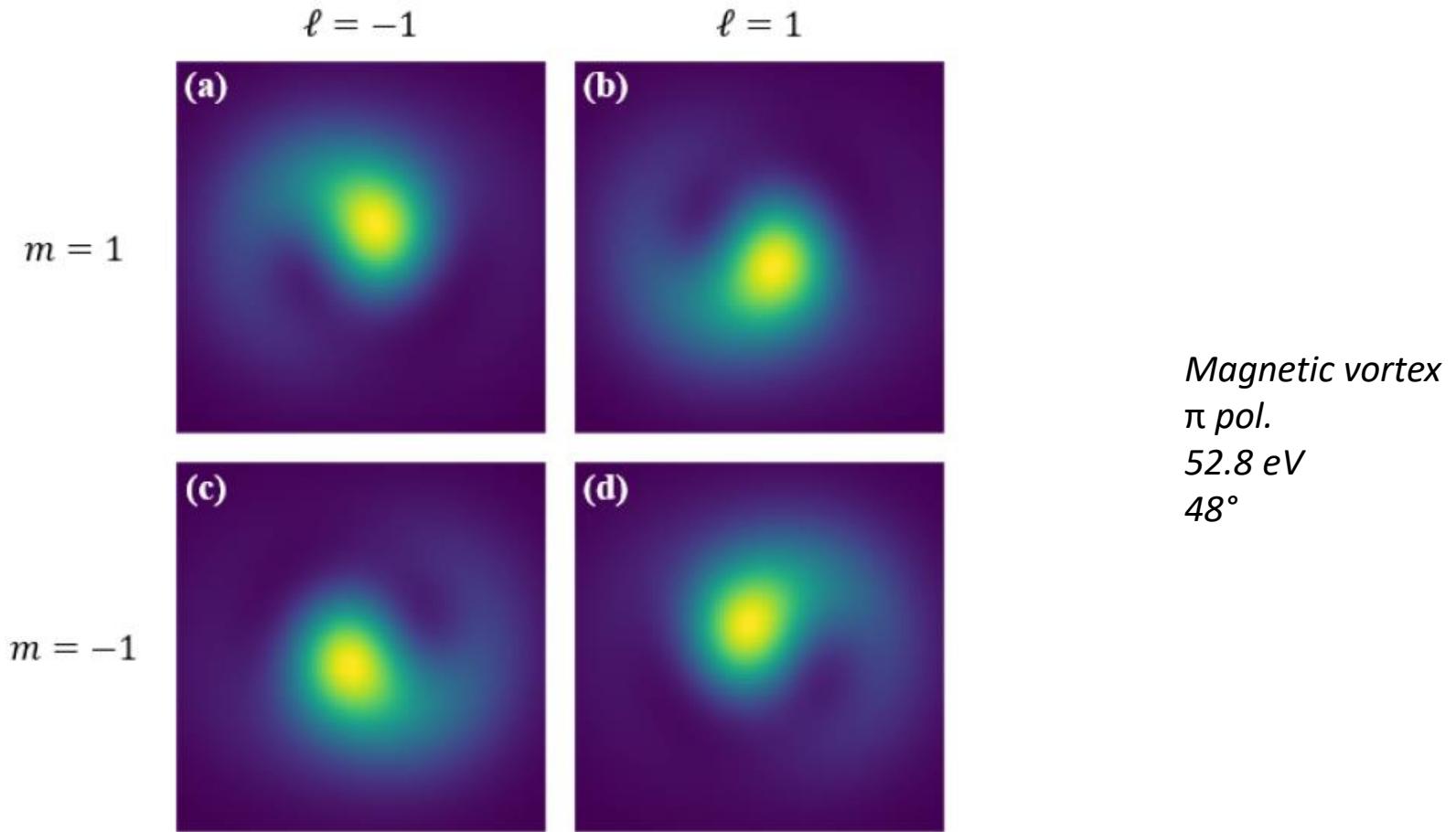
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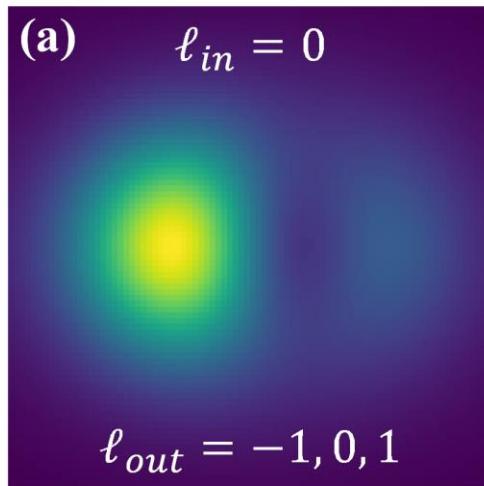


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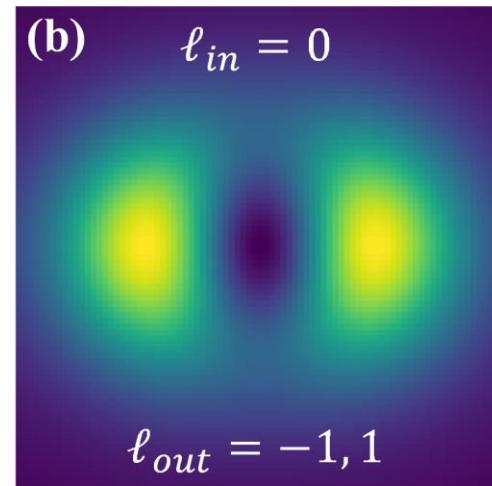


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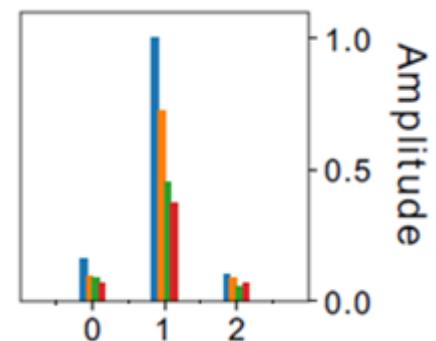
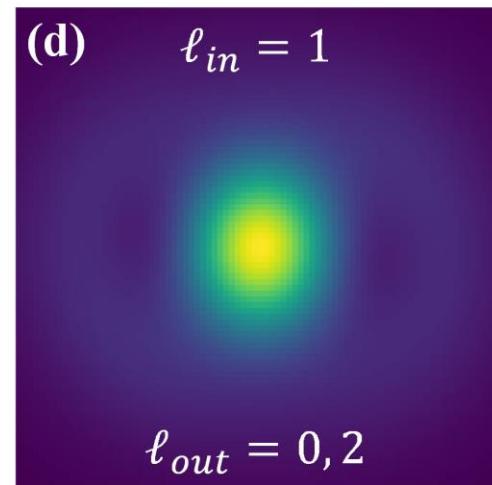
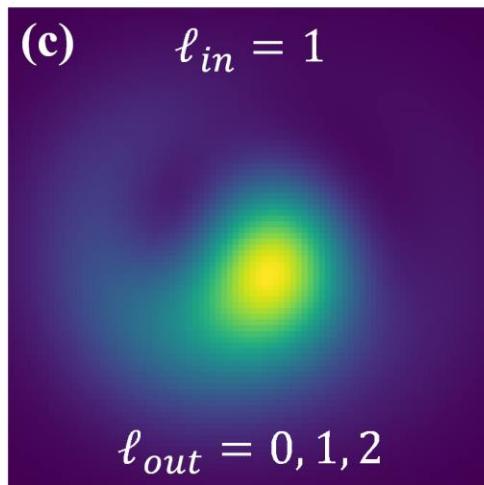
Simulated far-field  
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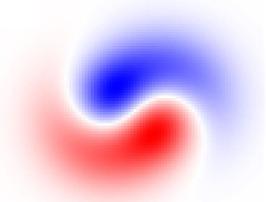


Numerical suppression of the  
outgoing mode  $\ell_{out} = \ell_{in}$



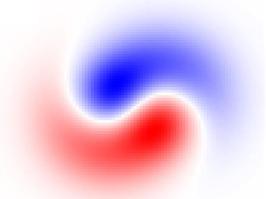
$\forall \ell_{in} : \text{also for } \ell_{in} = 0 (!!!)$





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Next:

- Exploit the time structure of light sources to extend to the ultrafast time domain in **pump-probe** experiments to study **femtosecond magnetic dynamics**
- Exploration of **other physical processes and techniques**

# Pump-probe MHD on a magnetic vortex

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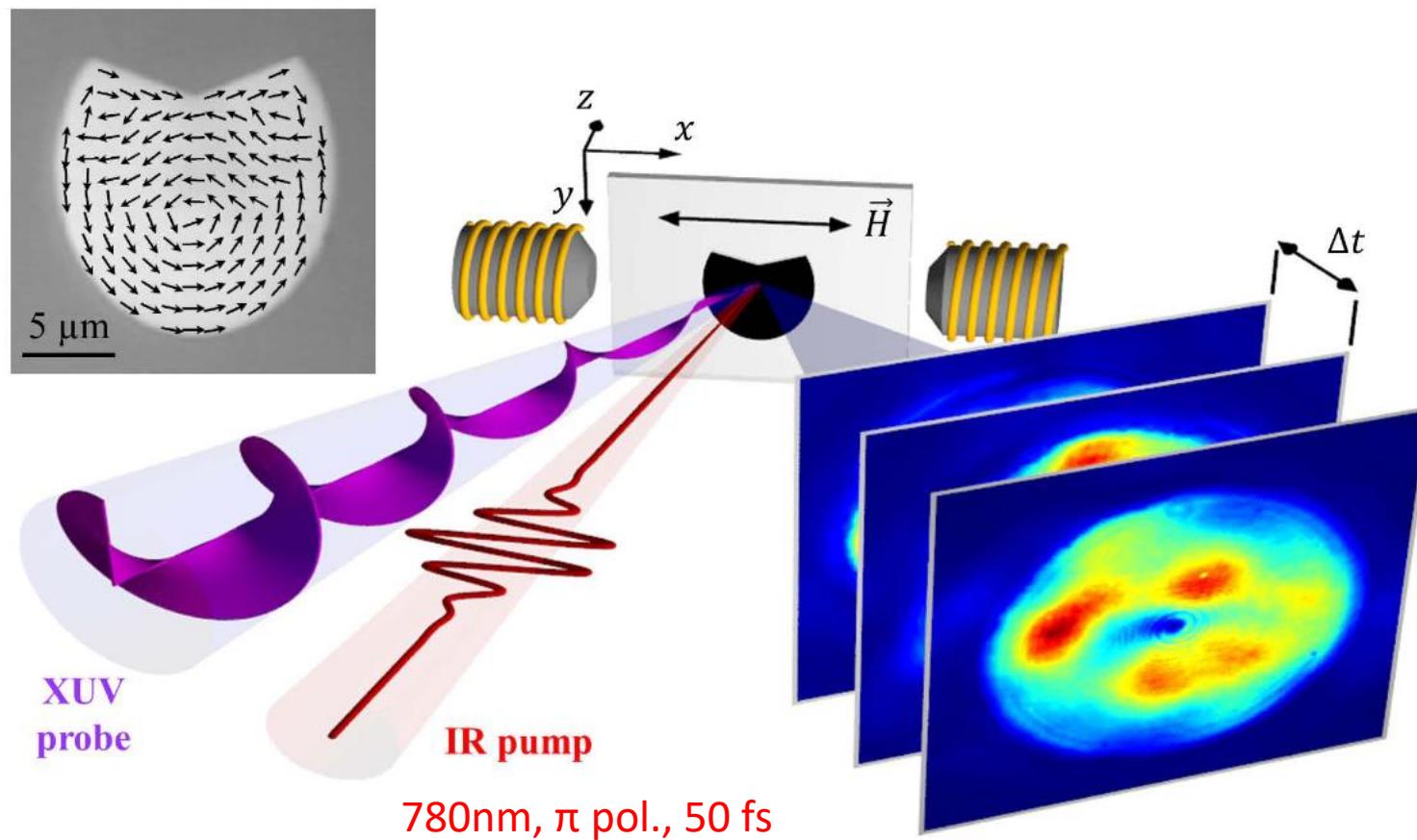
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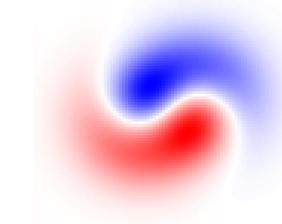
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# tMHD



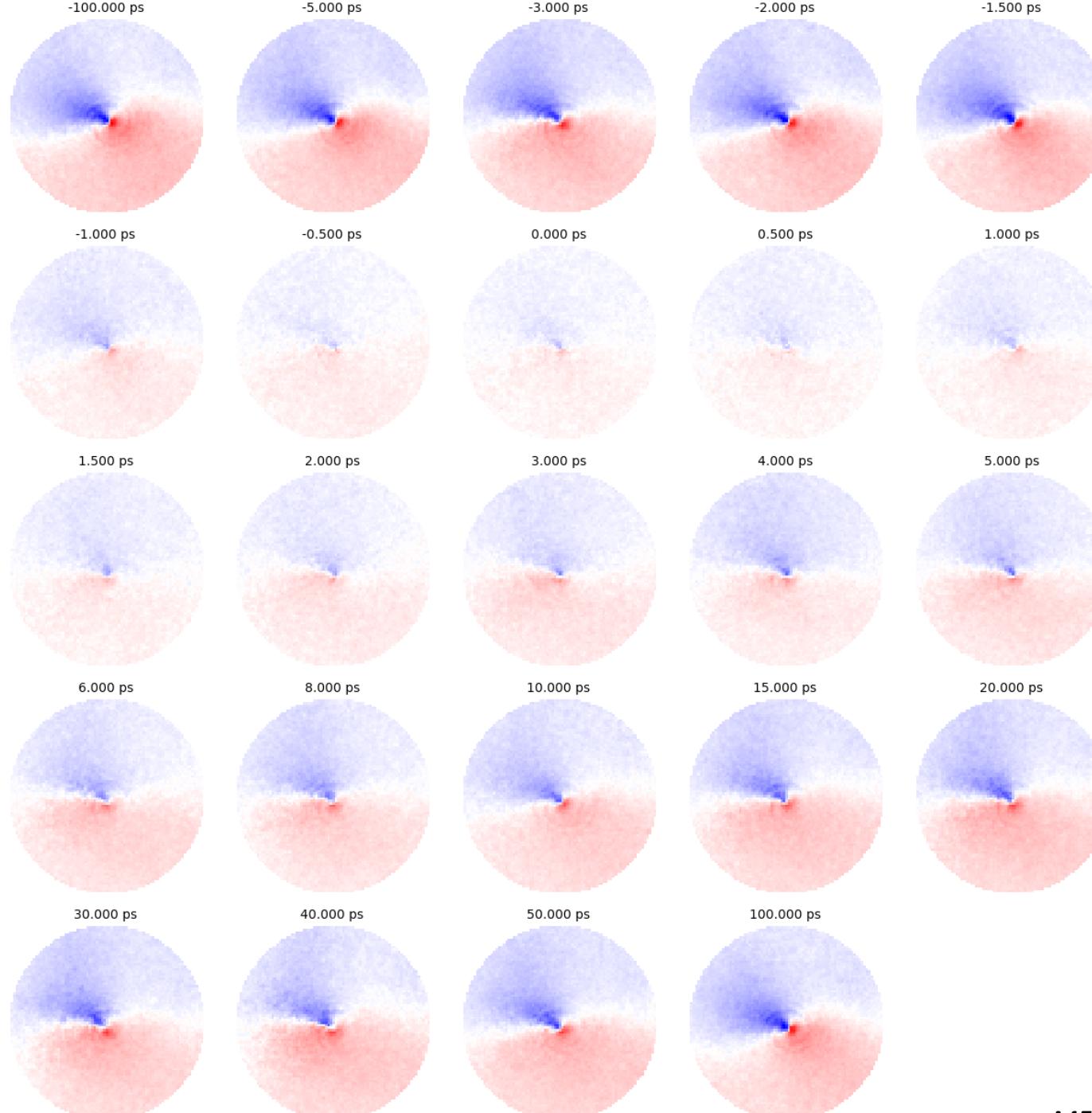
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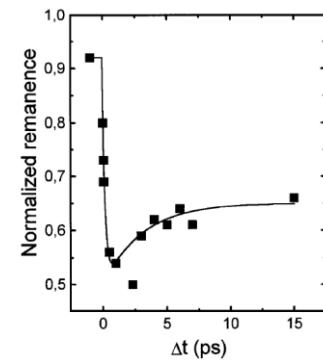
MHD "m"

$$\left( \text{red spiral } \vec{H} \rightarrow \text{red spiral} \right) - \left( \text{red spiral } \vec{H} \leftarrow \text{red spiral} \right)$$

**time-resolved**

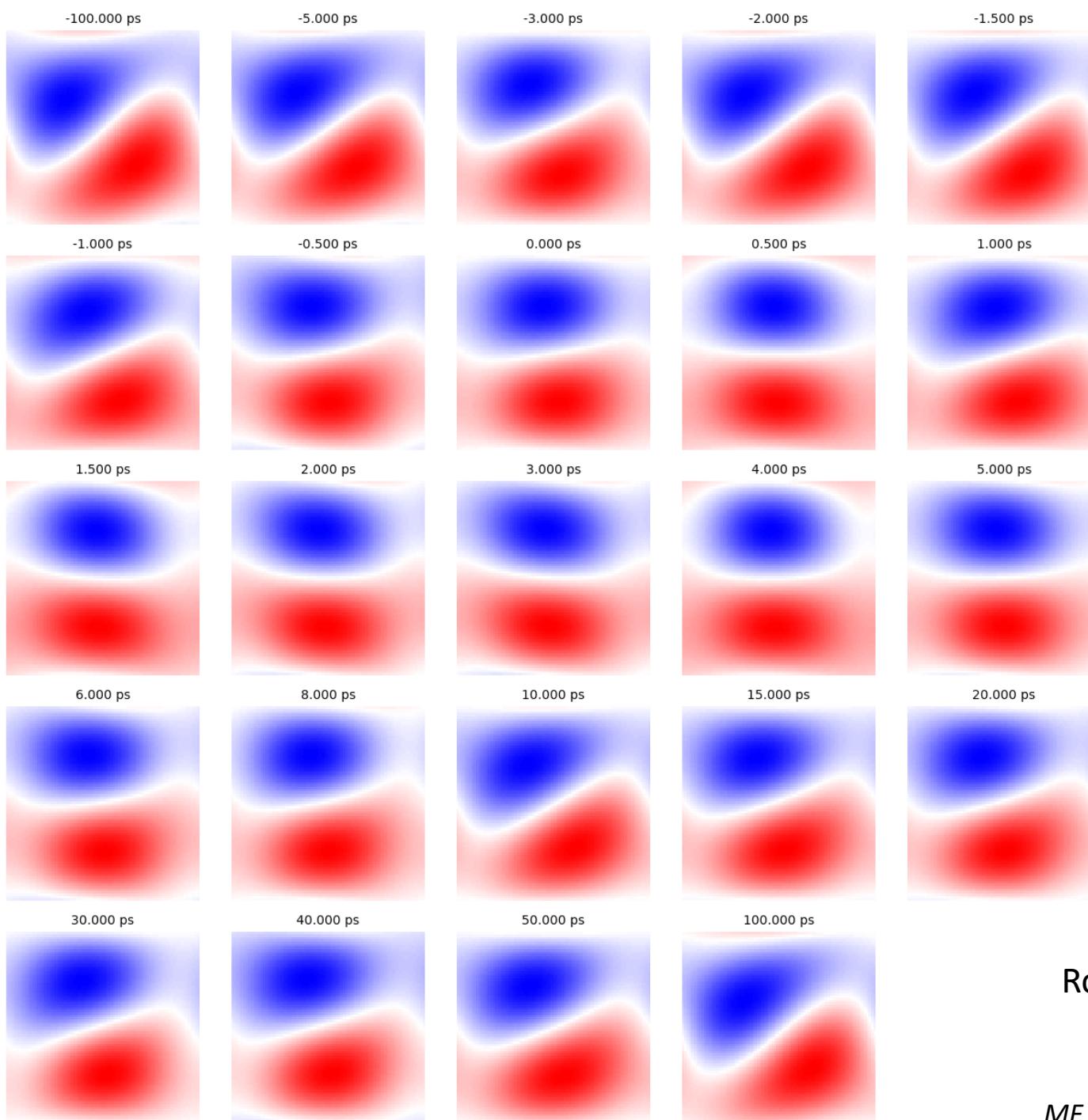


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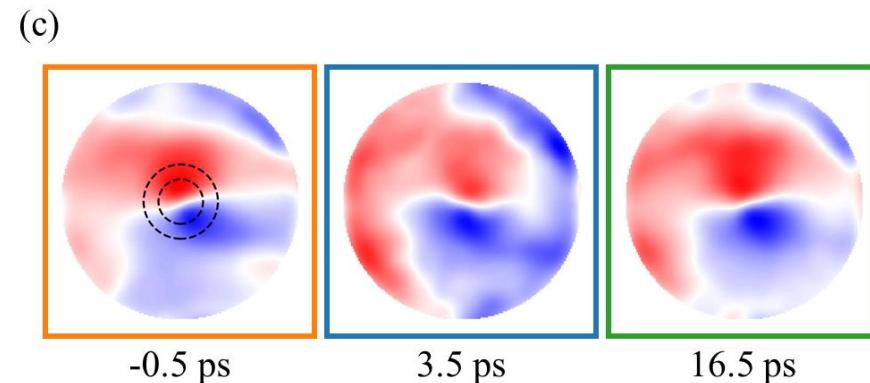
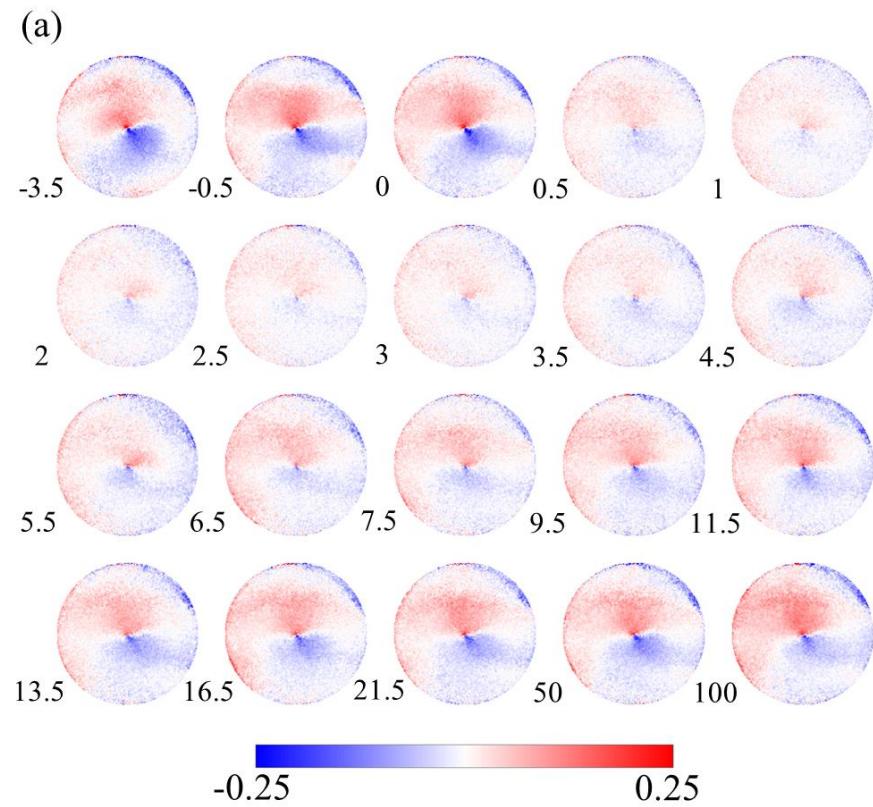


Typical ultrafast  
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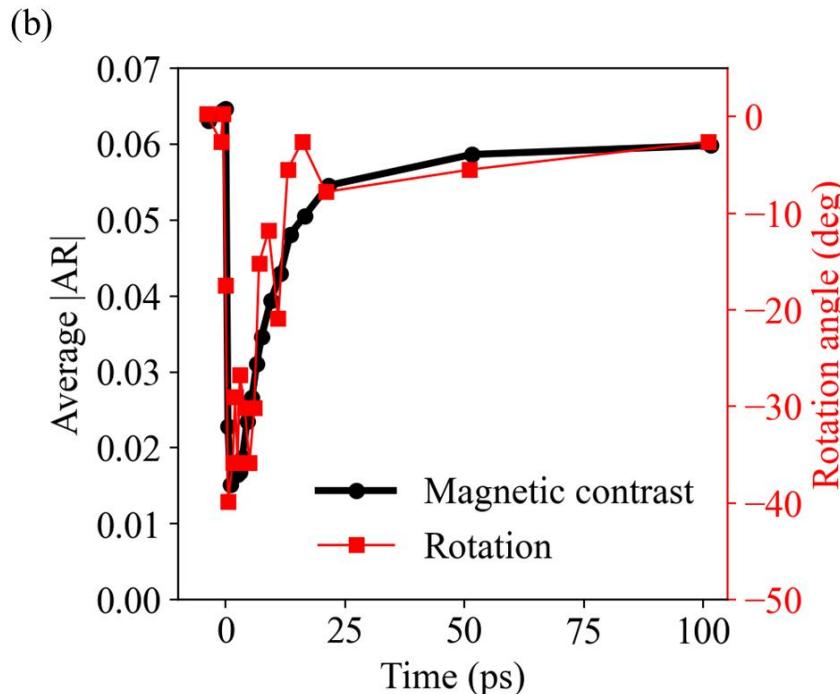


Rotation of MHD signal!



$$\ell = -1$$

(Fluence  $F_1$ )

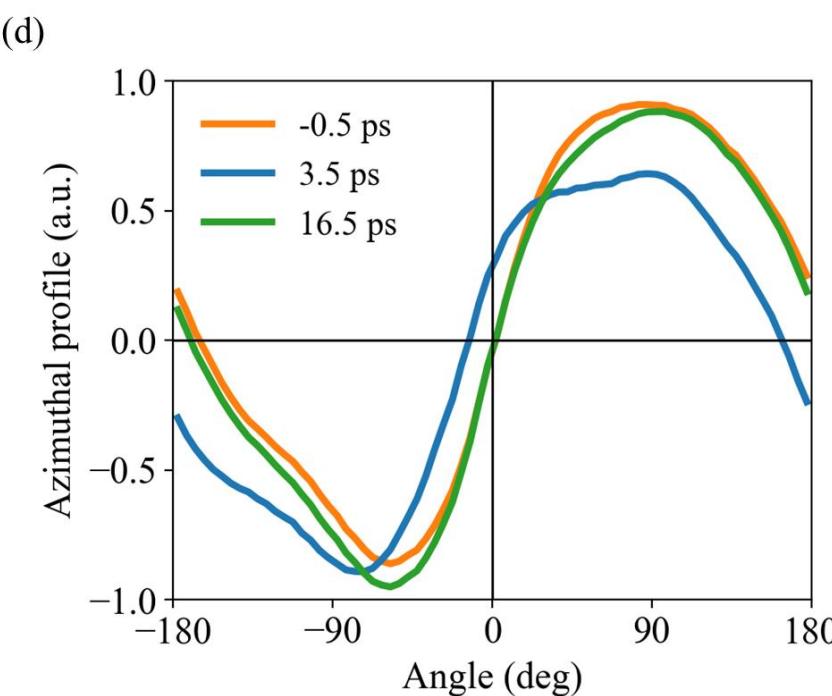


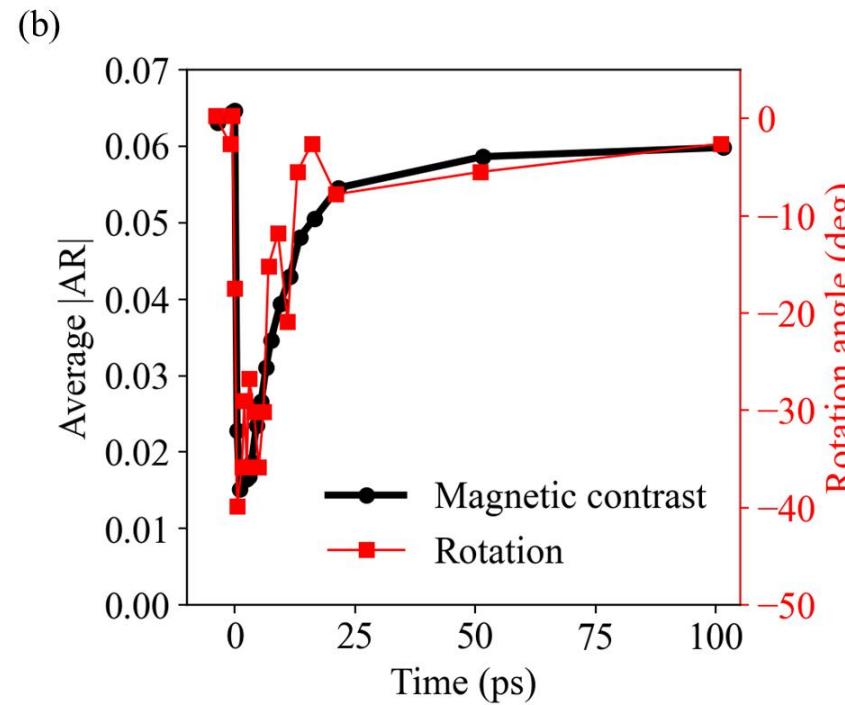
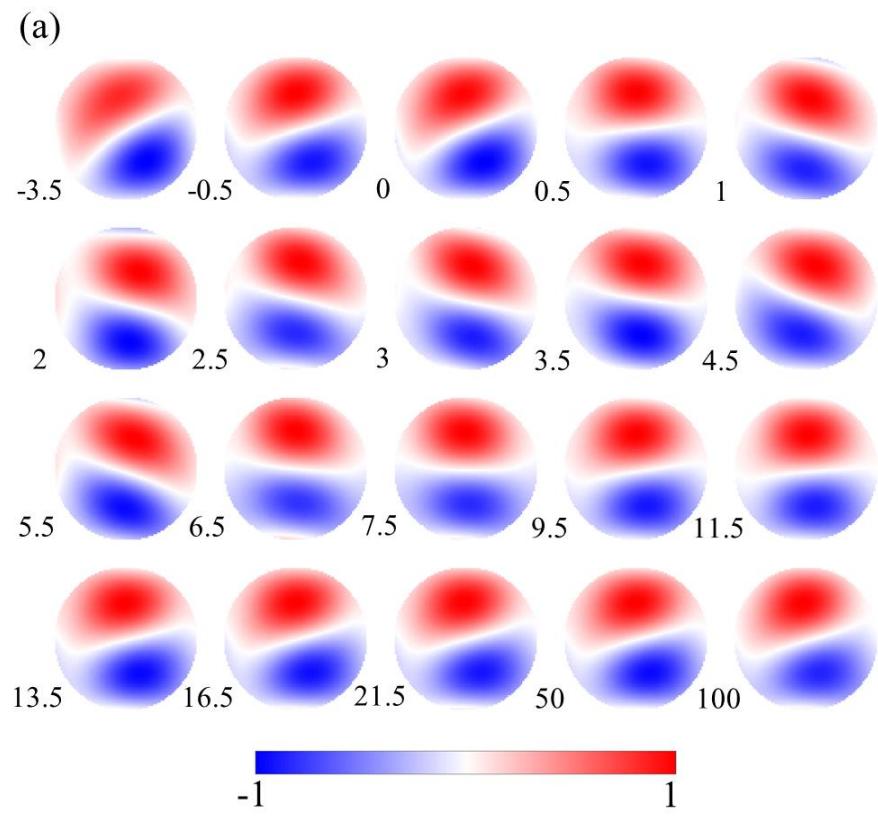
tMHD

Same time scale!



Qualitative change in magnetic topology



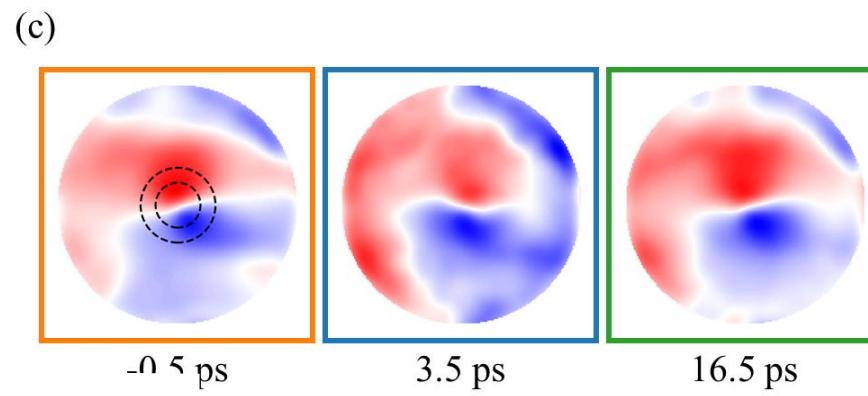


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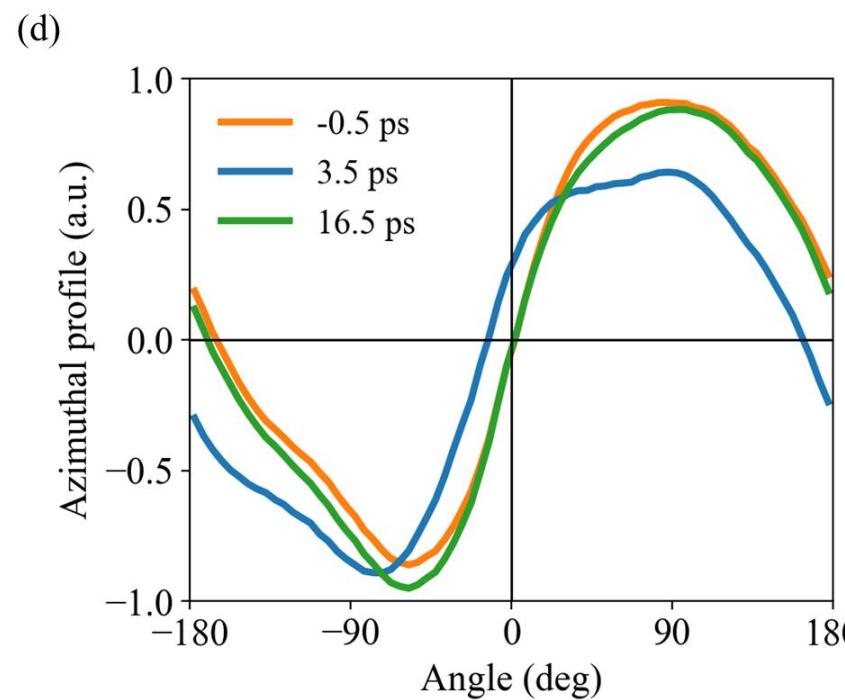


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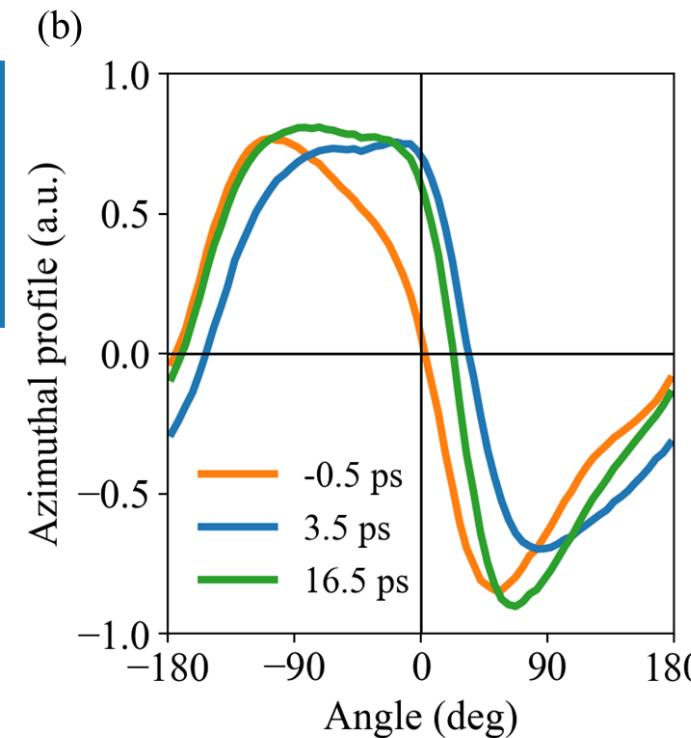
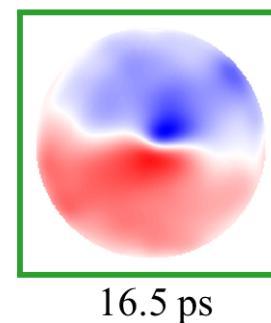
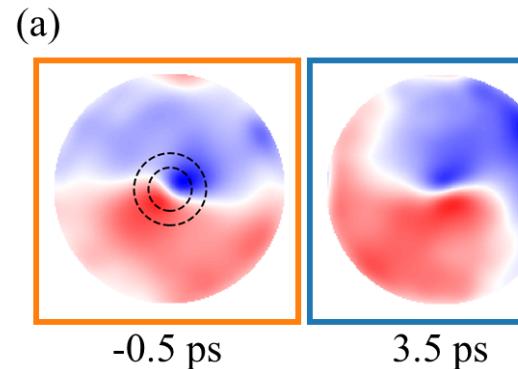


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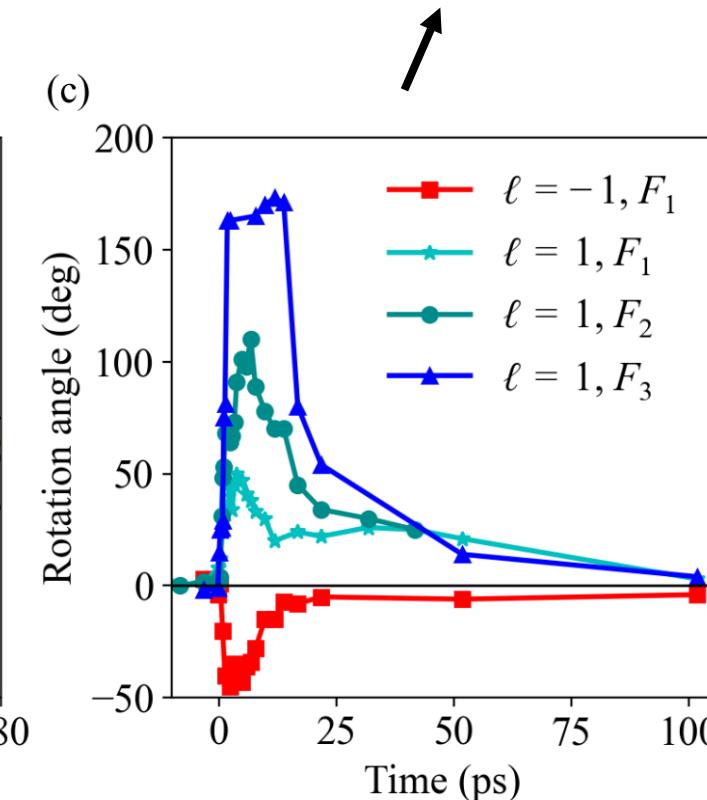
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# Dependence on OAM and fluence



Max rotation increases with fluence



$\ell = +1$

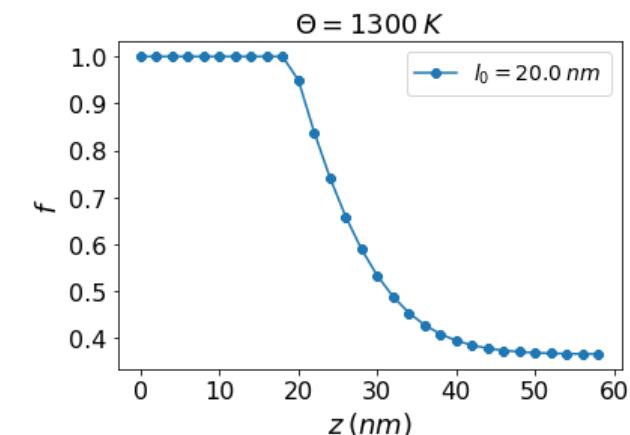
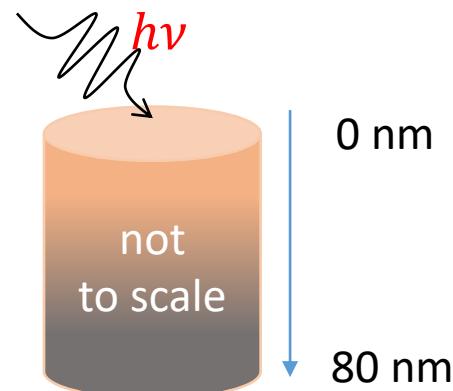
$I_1, F_1 : 1.0 \mu\text{J}/\text{pulse}, 4.5 \text{ mJ/cm}^2$   
 $I_2, F_2 : 1.4 \mu\text{J}/\text{pulse}, 6.3 \text{ mJ/cm}^2$   
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# Micromagnetic model

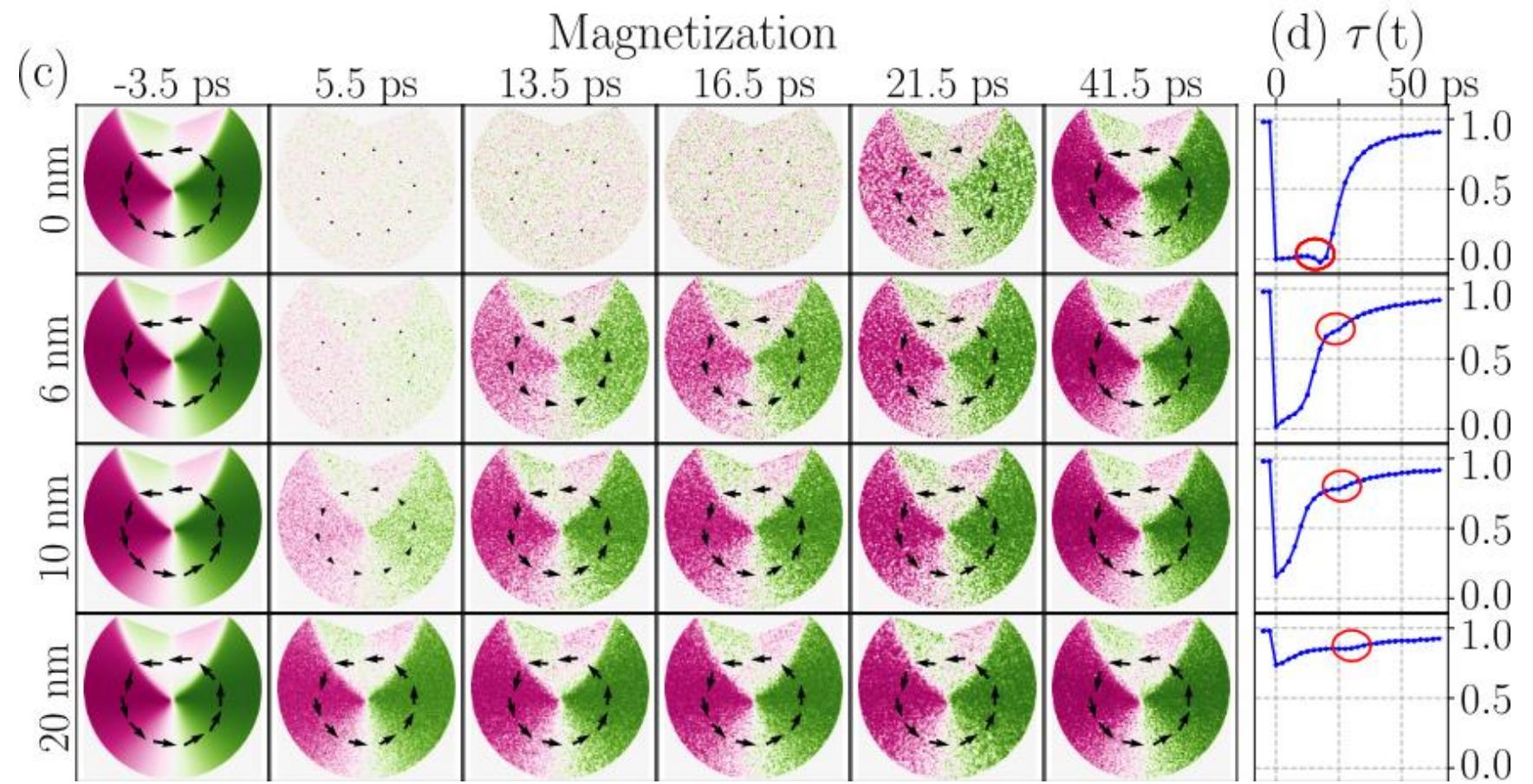
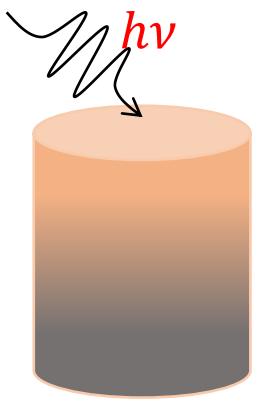
- IR deposits thermal energy → depth and temperature dependent demagnetization (fully demagnetized when  $T > T_c$ ) at  $t_0$

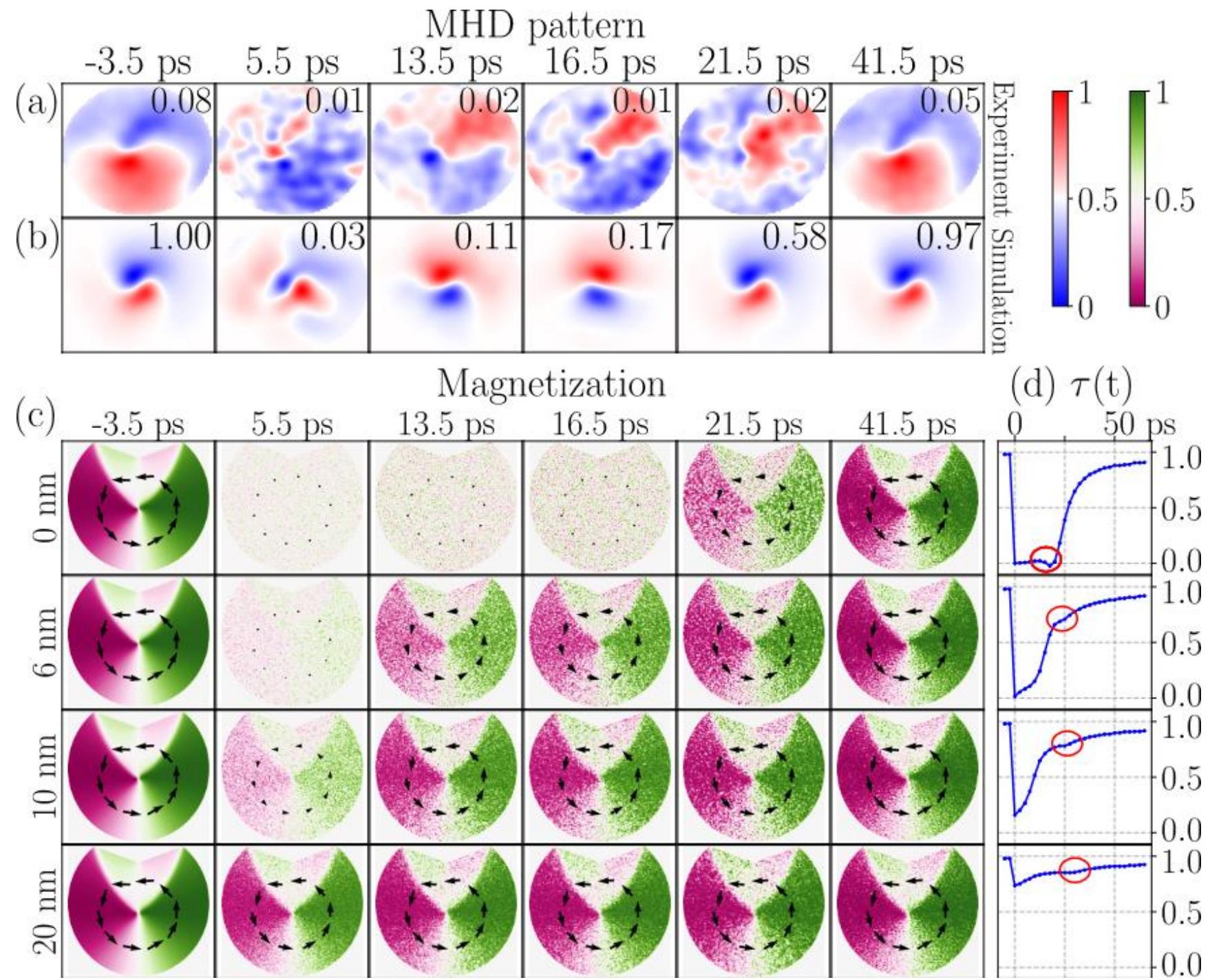
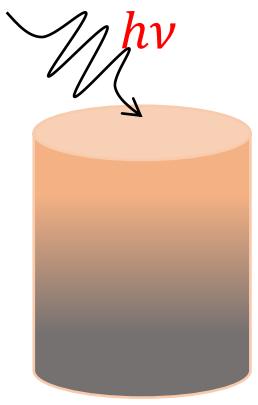
$$f(z) = \begin{cases} 1 & , T_0 + \Delta T_{max} e^{-z^2/\xi^2} > T_c \\ \frac{T_0 + \Delta T_{max} e^{-z^2/\xi^2}}{T_c} & , T_0 + \Delta T_{max} e^{-z^2/\xi^2} \leq T_c \end{cases}$$

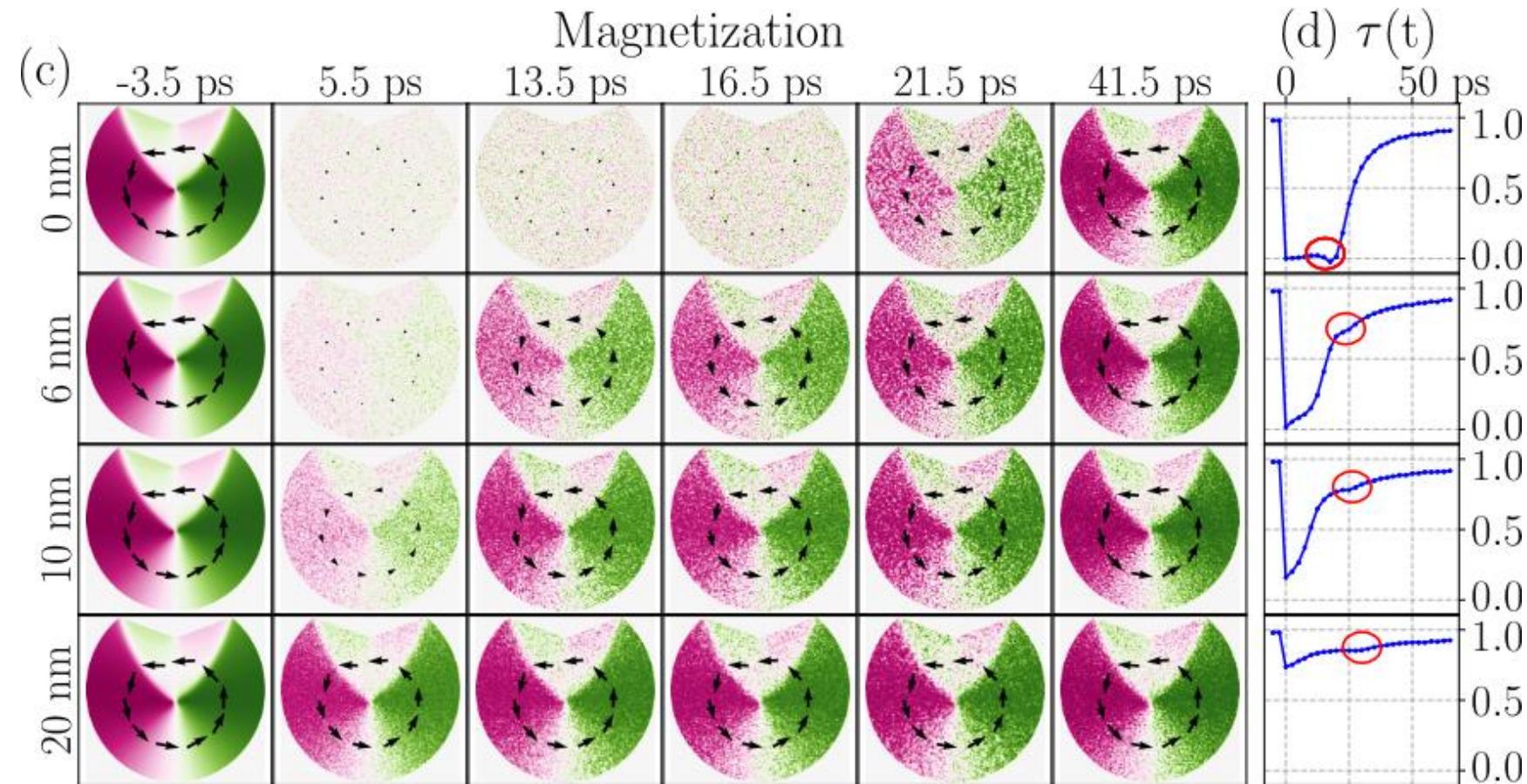
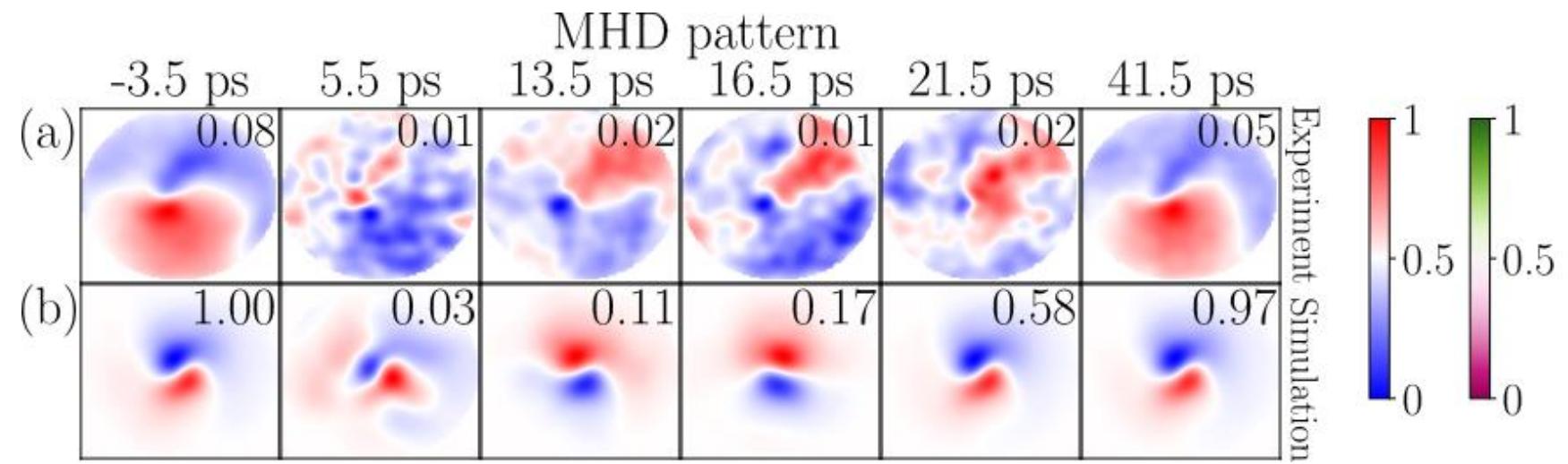
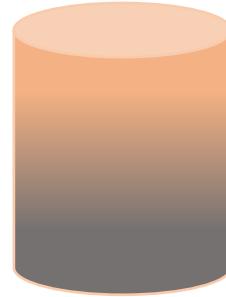
$$\mathbf{m}(z) = (1 - f(z))\mathbf{m}_{eq}(z) + f(z)\mathbf{m}_{rand}$$



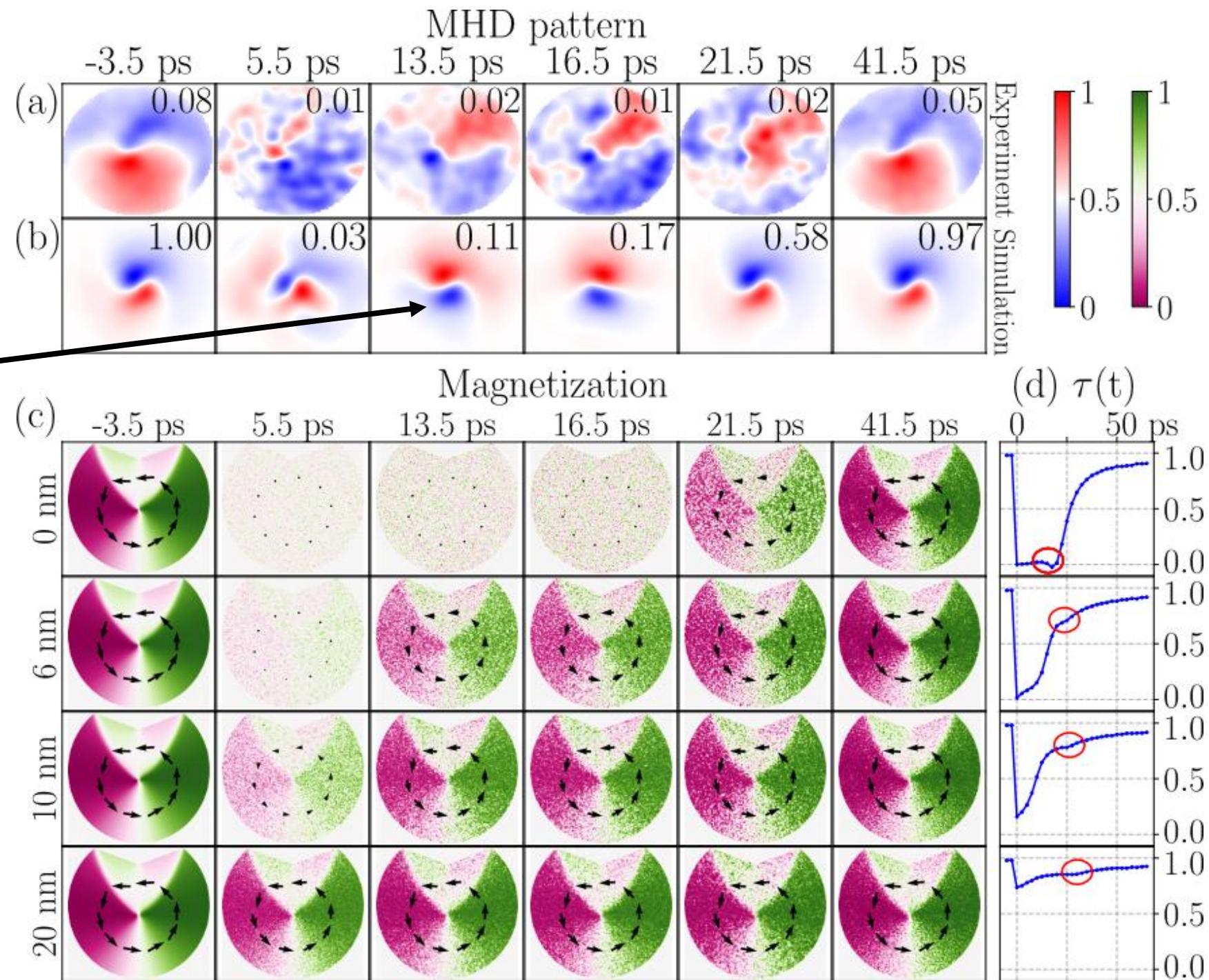
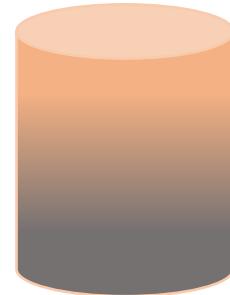
- Let evolve with time → layer dependent magnetization as a function of time
- Input the results into MHD simulations, weighting the near field with the penetration depth

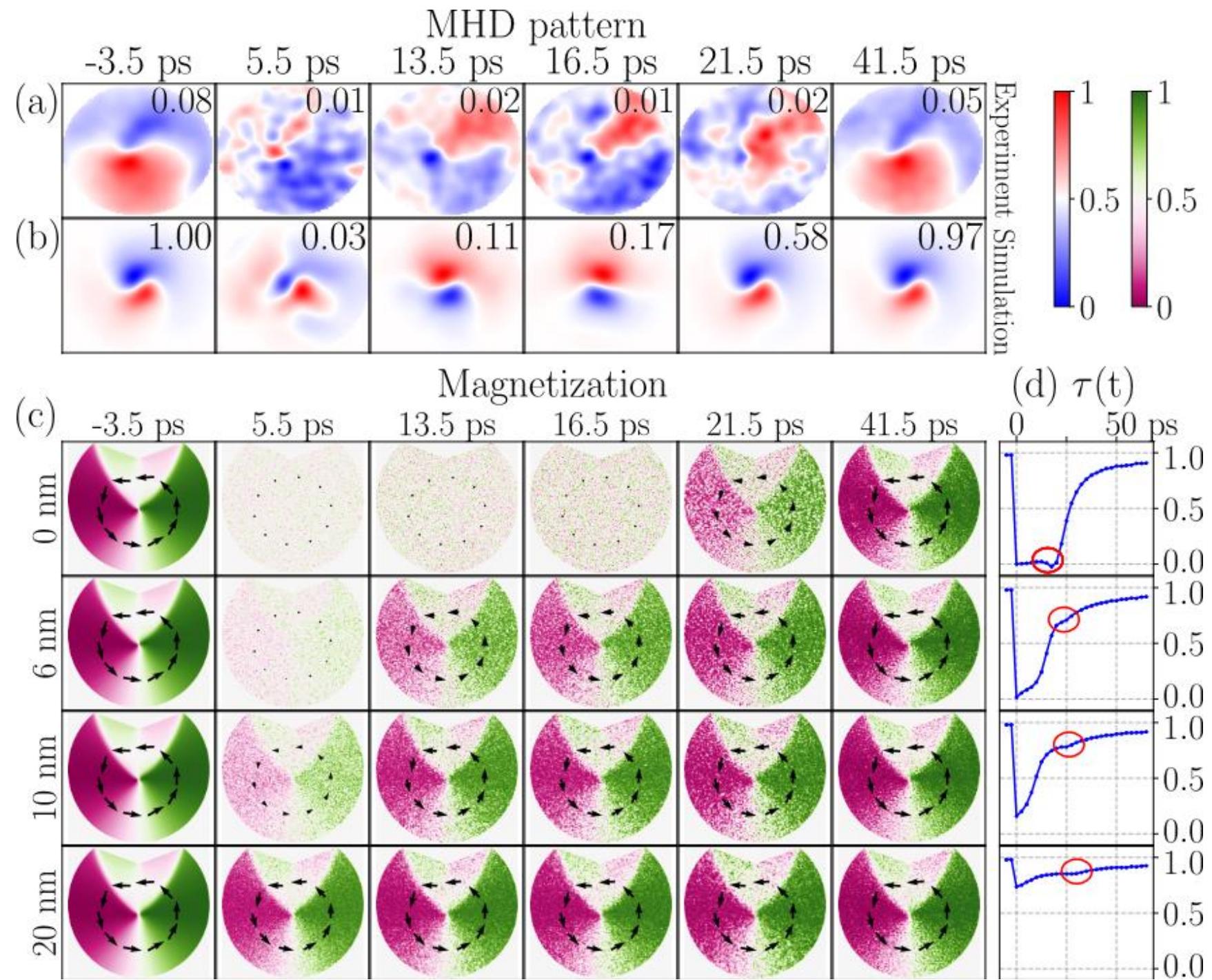
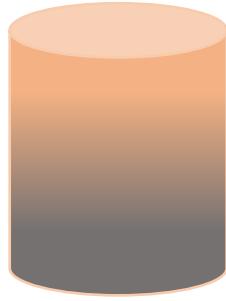




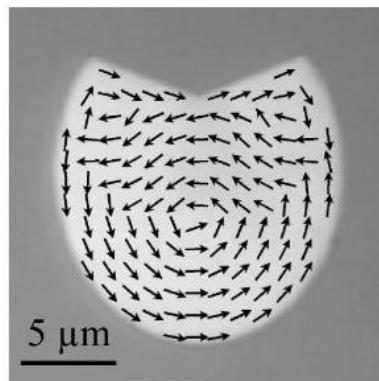
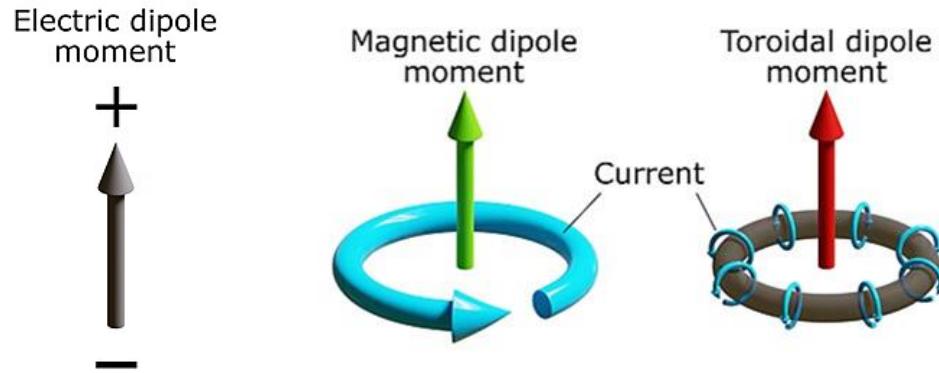


# Transient reversal of vortex curling!

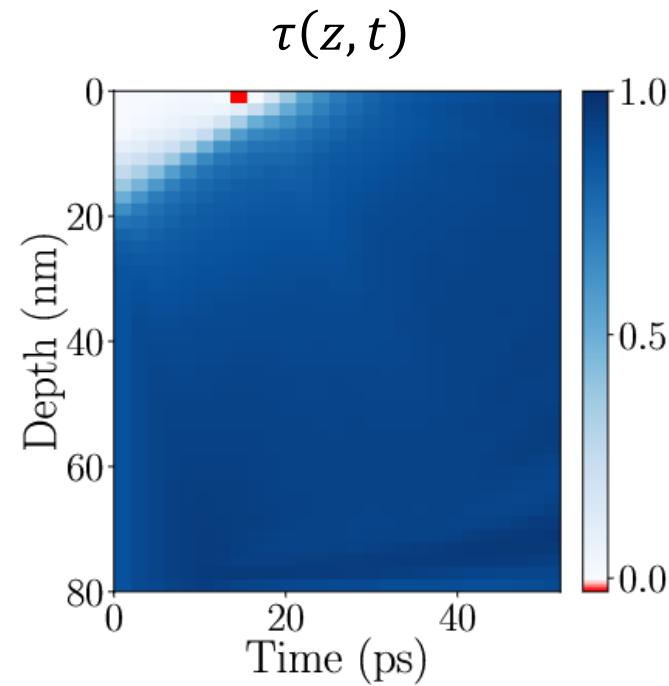
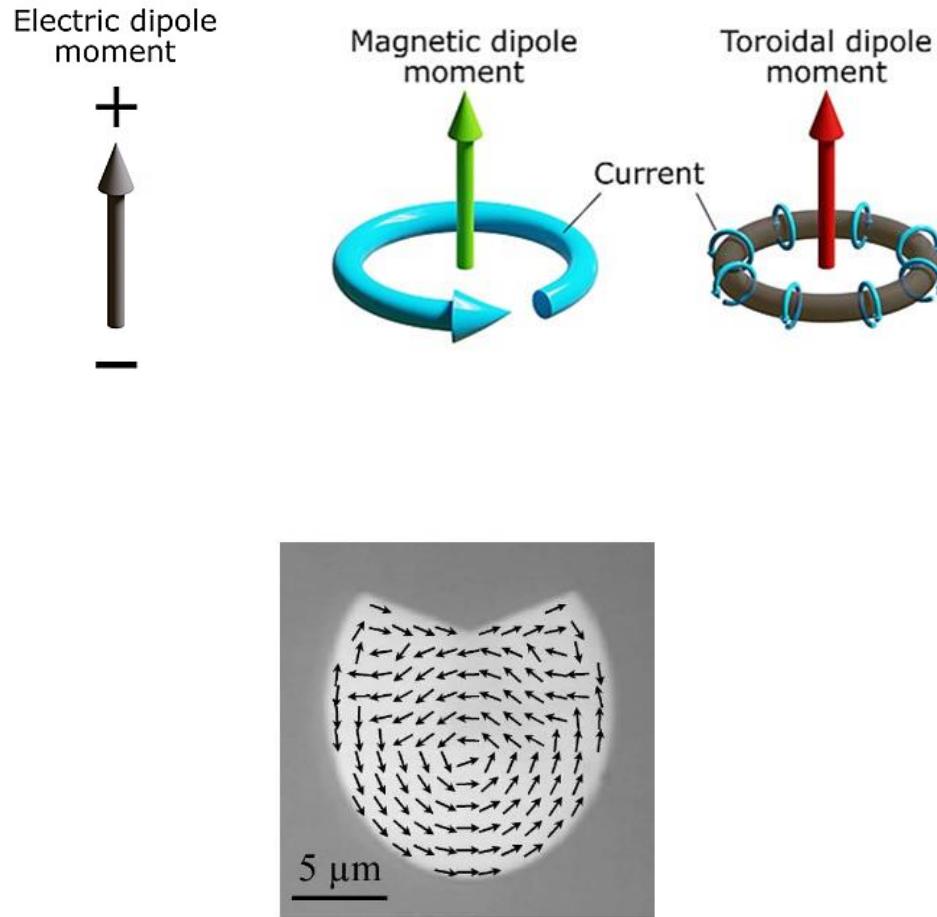




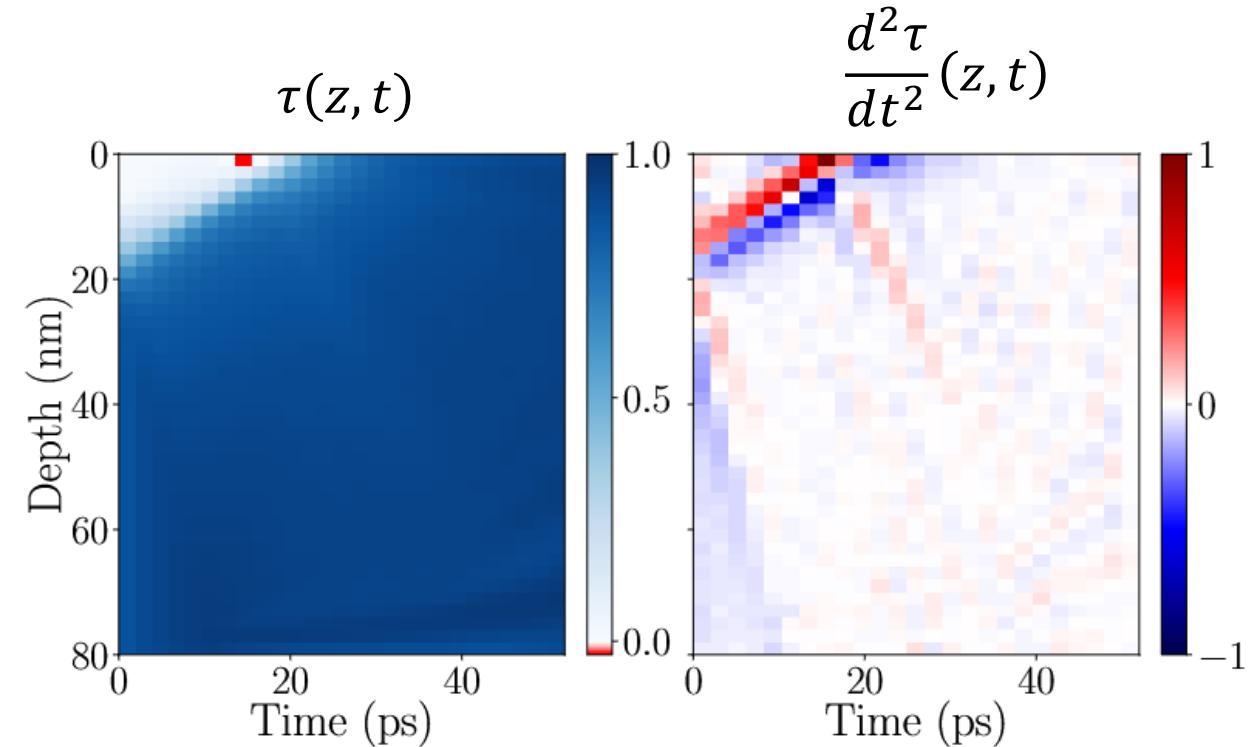
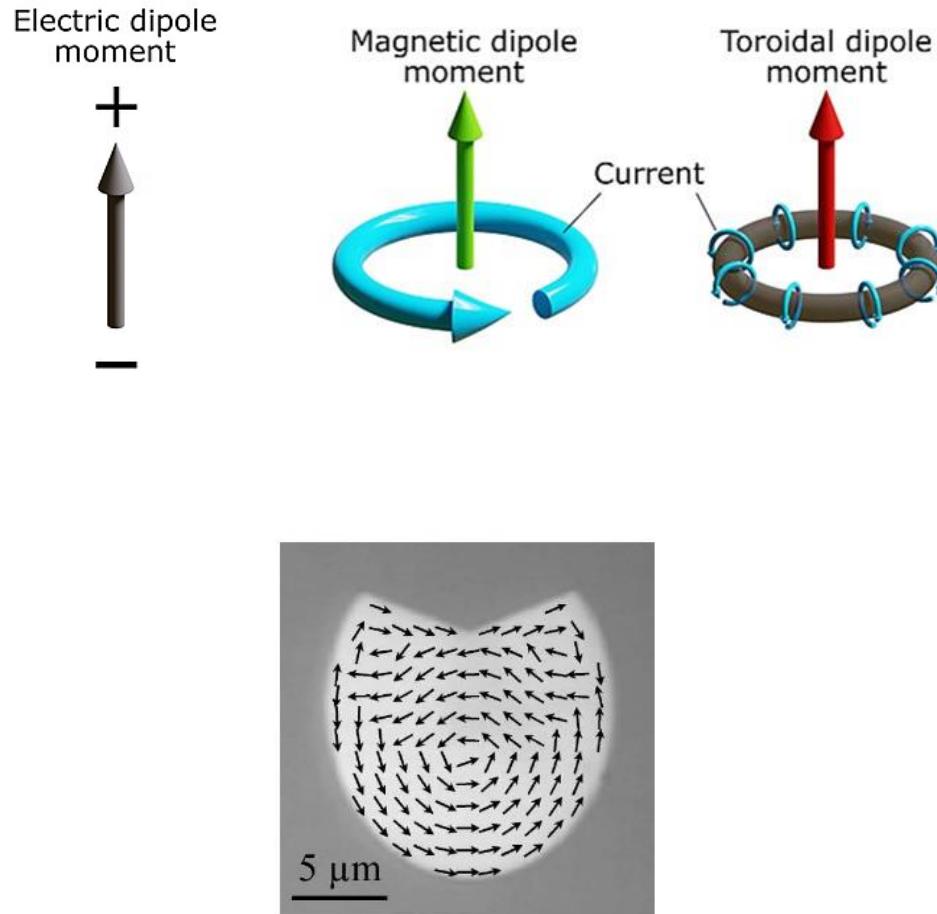
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Phonon velocity:  $\sim 3 \cdot 10^3 m/s$

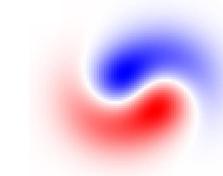
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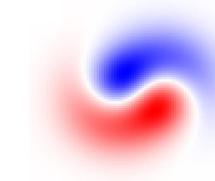


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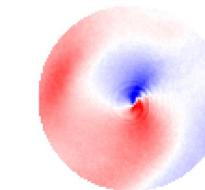
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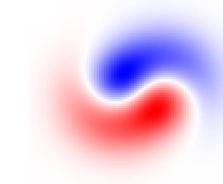


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# Conclusions

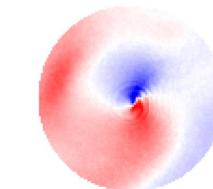
- Similar to **magnetic circular dichroism** (MCD), obtained when switching the **spin** angular momentum of the photon, **magnetic helicoidal dichroism** (MHD) is obtained when switching its **orbital** angular momentum

- ✓ Development of classical electromagnetic **theory** for **MHD** in **resonant magnetic scattering**



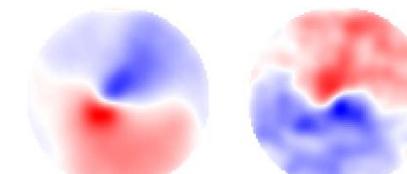
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- ✓ Observed **transient reversal of magnetic vortex curling** on a 20 ps time scale upon **ultrafast optical pumping**



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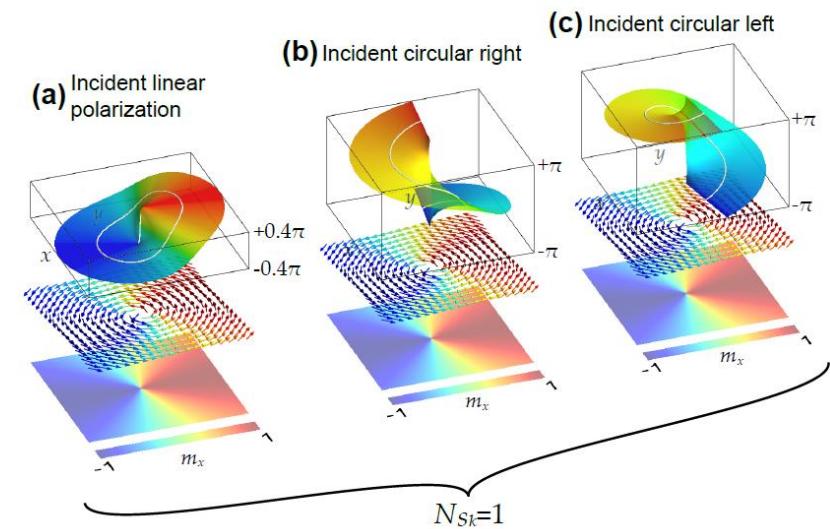
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Talk by M. Luttmann

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Change in OAM upon magnetic reflection  
is governed by the SAM of the incident field



*M. Luttmann et al., submitted*

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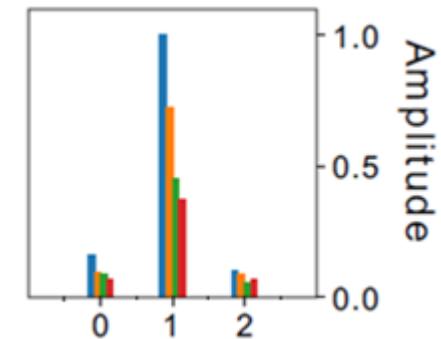
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*Redistribution of OAM modes upon magnetic scattering*

$\forall \ell_{in} : \text{also for } \ell_{in} = 0 (!!!)$

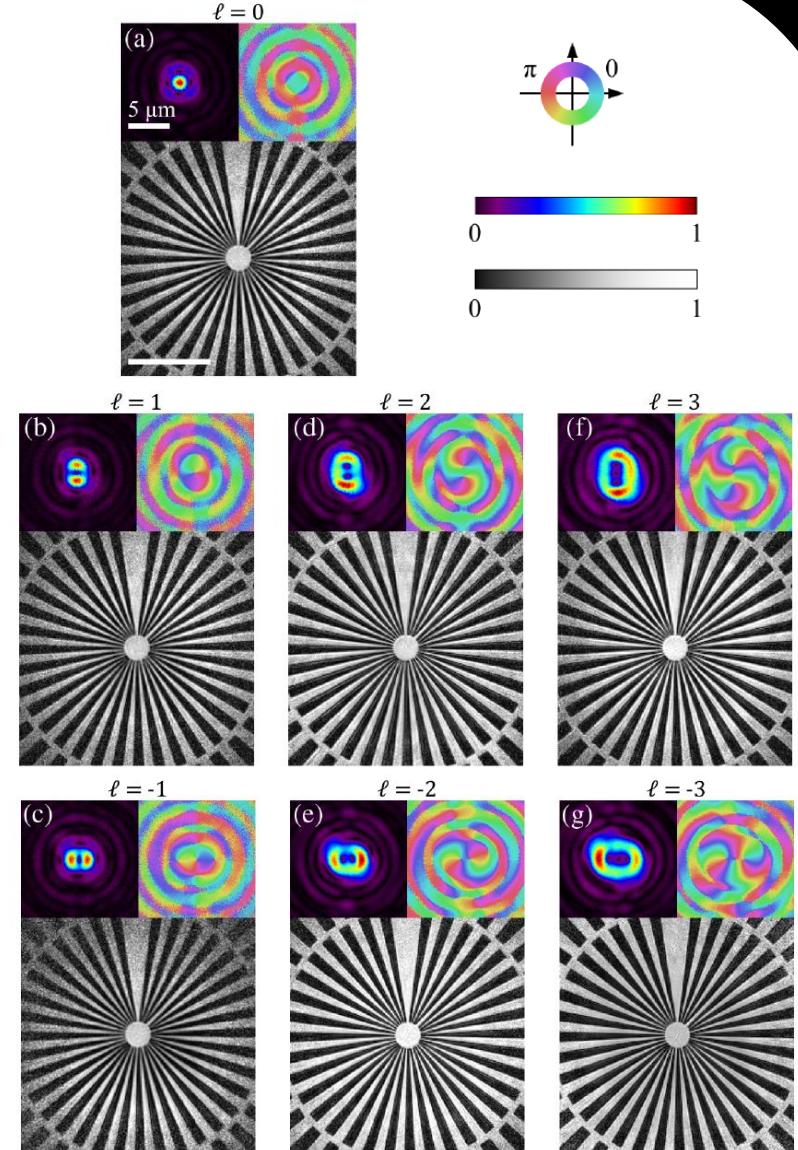
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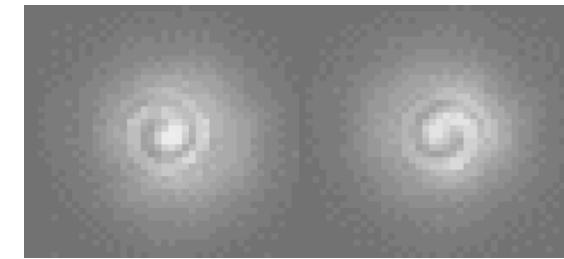


*M. Pancaldi et al., Optica 11, 3, 403 (2024)*

- Spatial resolution increases with OAM
- Very sensitive to optical aberrations
- T-resolved imaging of plasmons and phonons

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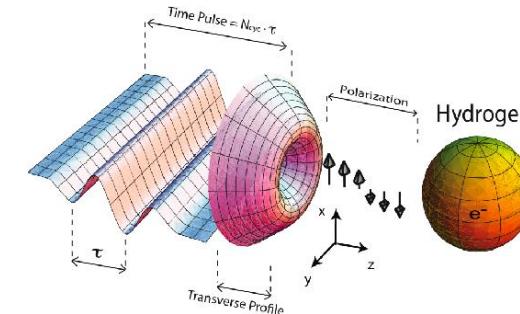
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Talk by M. Sacchi

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A. Picón et al., *Opt. Express* 18, 3660 (2010)  
G. De Ninno et al., *Nat. Phot.* 14, 554 (2020)

- Selection rules:  $|\Delta L| = 1 \rightarrow |\Delta L| \leq |l| + 1$
- Dipole/quadrupole
- Interplay SAM and OAM of photons and electrons
- OAM in pump/probe
- Transfer to low energy excitations

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Thank you

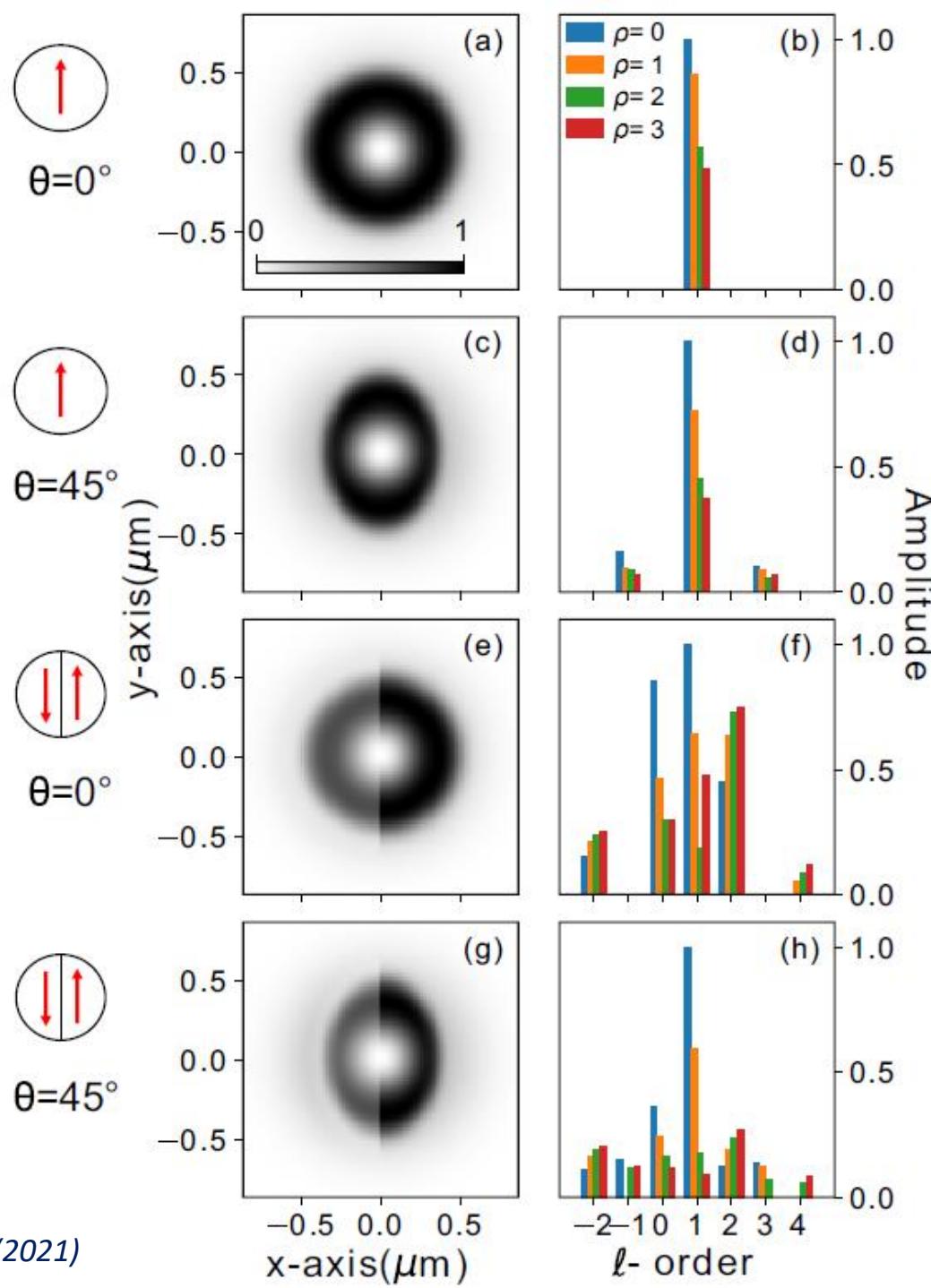




# SUPPLEMENTARY MHD theory

$$\ell_{out} = \ell_{in} + n$$

Homogeneous structure:  
 $n = 0$



$$\ell_{in} = 1 = \ell_{out}$$

$\Delta\ell$  even

Magnetic domain:  
 $n \in N_{odd}$

Real experiment on  
inhomogeneous  
structure

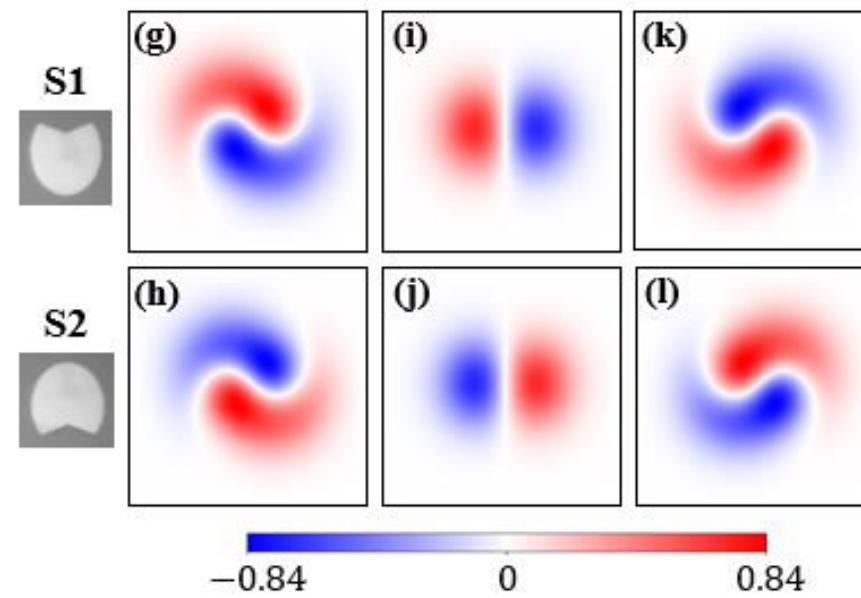
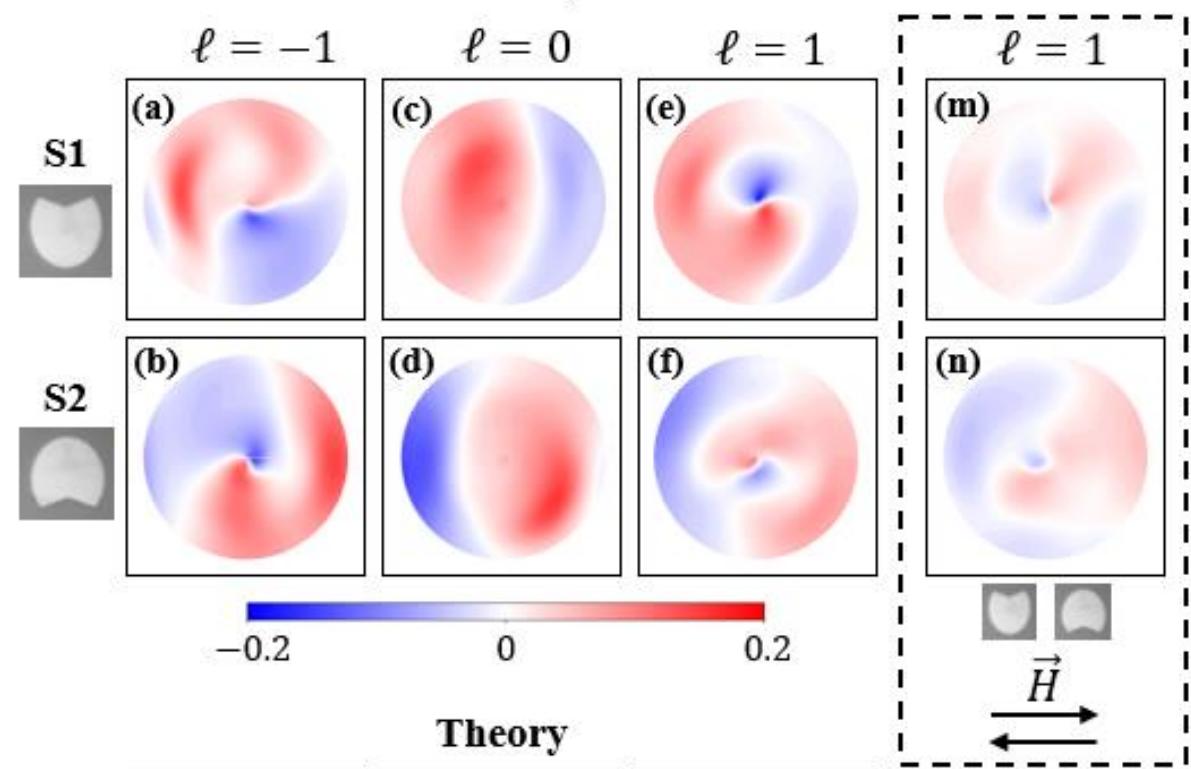
$$\begin{aligned}\ell_{in} &= 1 \\ \ell_{out} &= \ell_{in} + n\end{aligned}$$

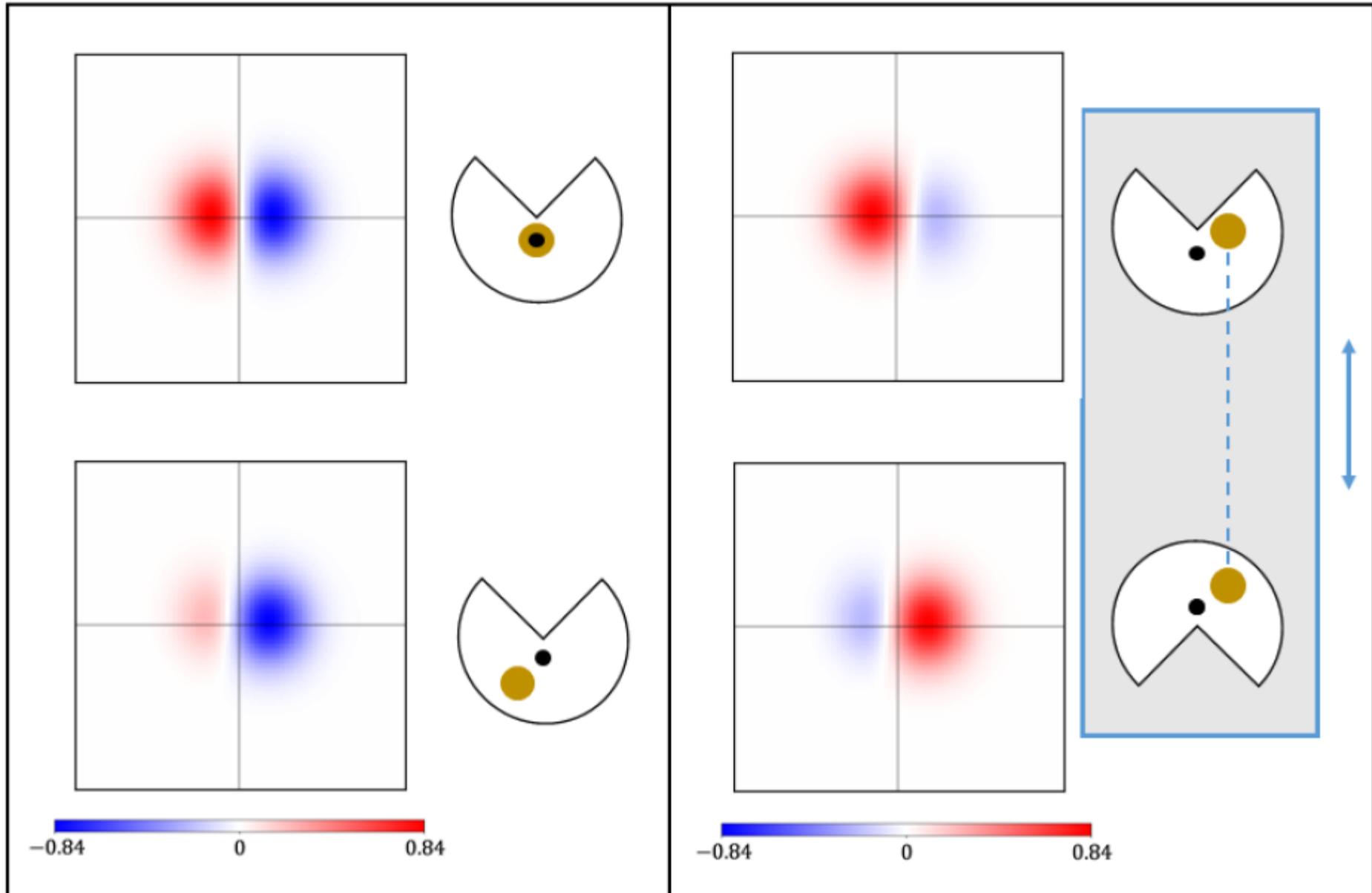
Complicated mode  
redistribution

A vortex is easier  
since  $n = \pm 1$

# SUPPLEMENTARY MHD static

# Experiment





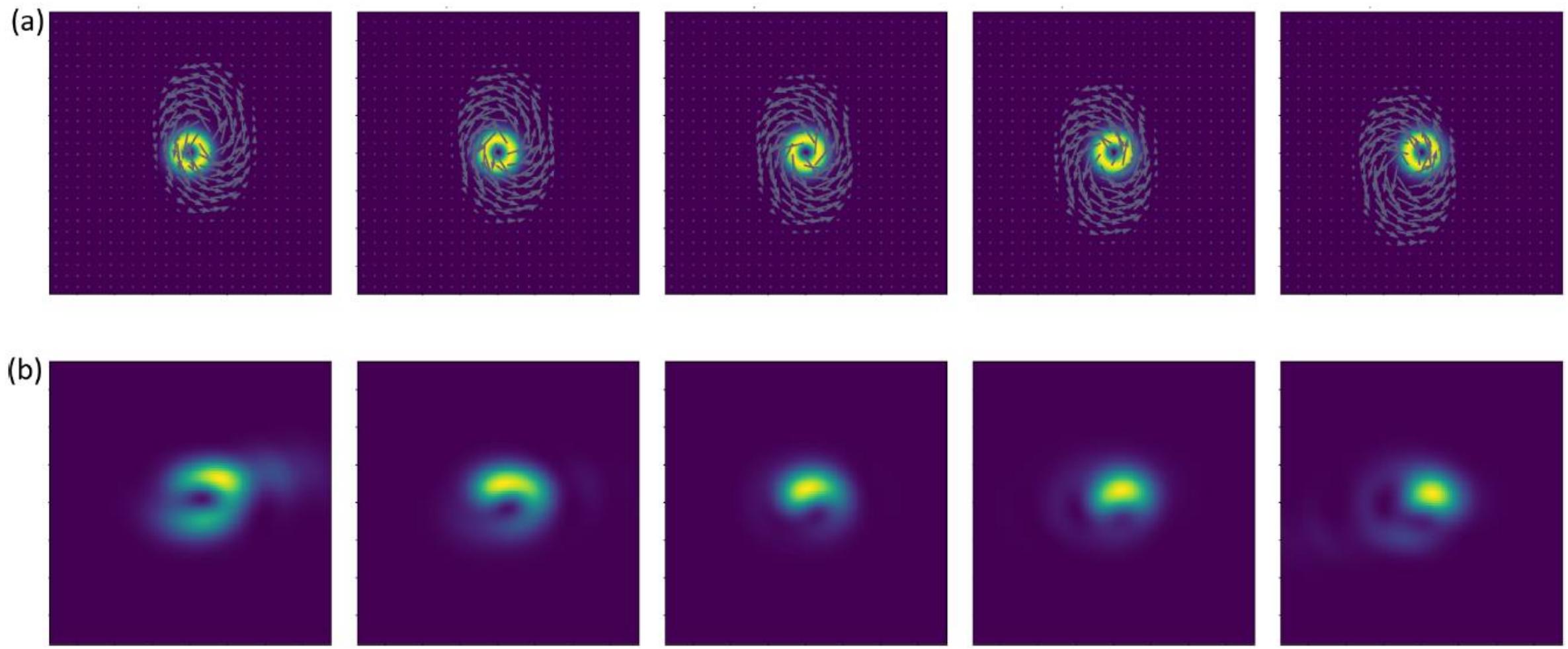
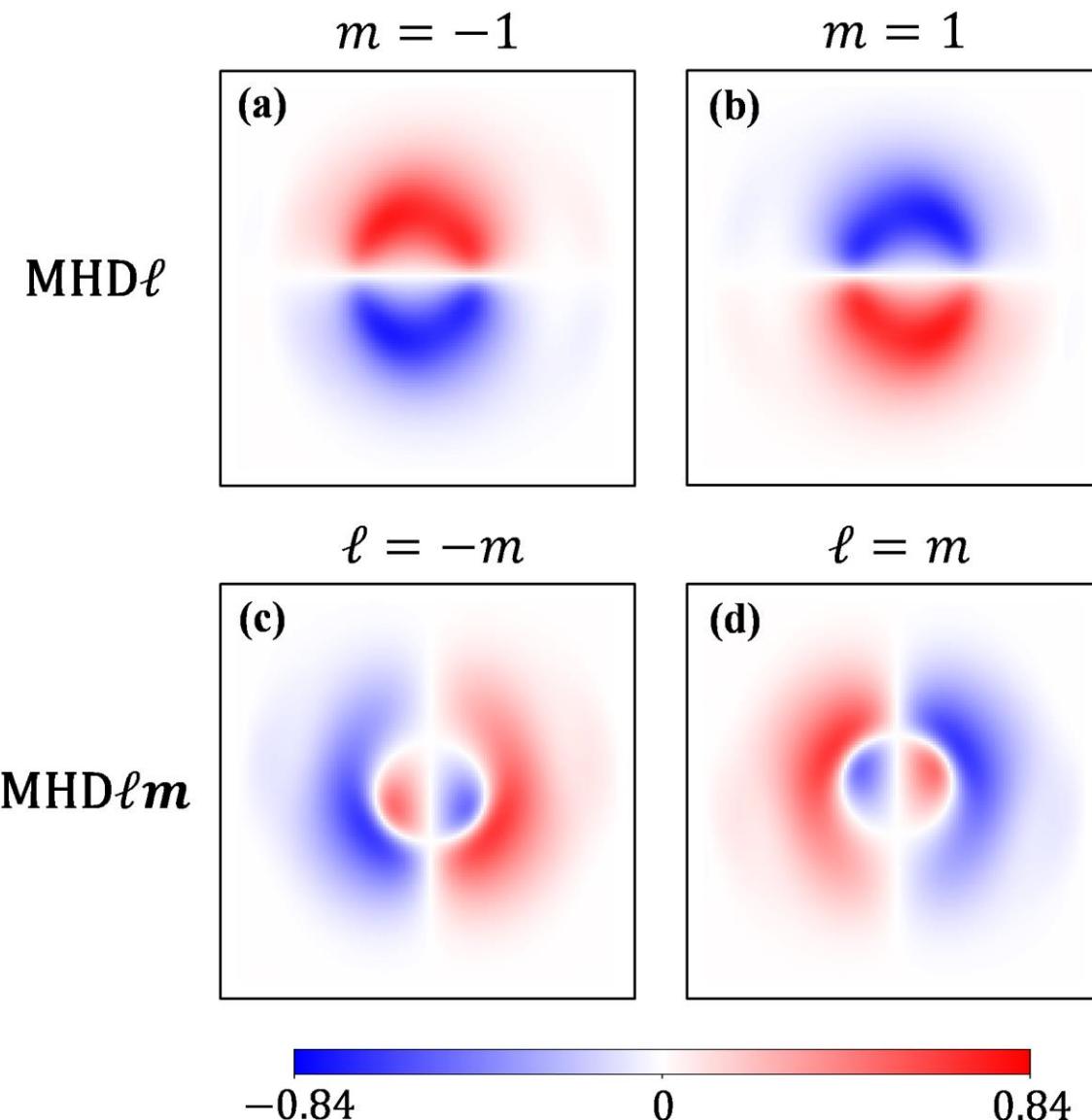


FIG. 7. (a) Numerical simulation of the relative position of an incident beam and a magnetic vortex (diameter of  $10 \mu\text{m}$  and placed at  $\theta = 48^\circ$  for this simulation on a square of  $17.2 \mu\text{m}$ ) and (b) the resulting reflected intensity in the far field (at  $10 \text{ cm}$  from the sample here, square of  $15 \text{ cm}$ ).



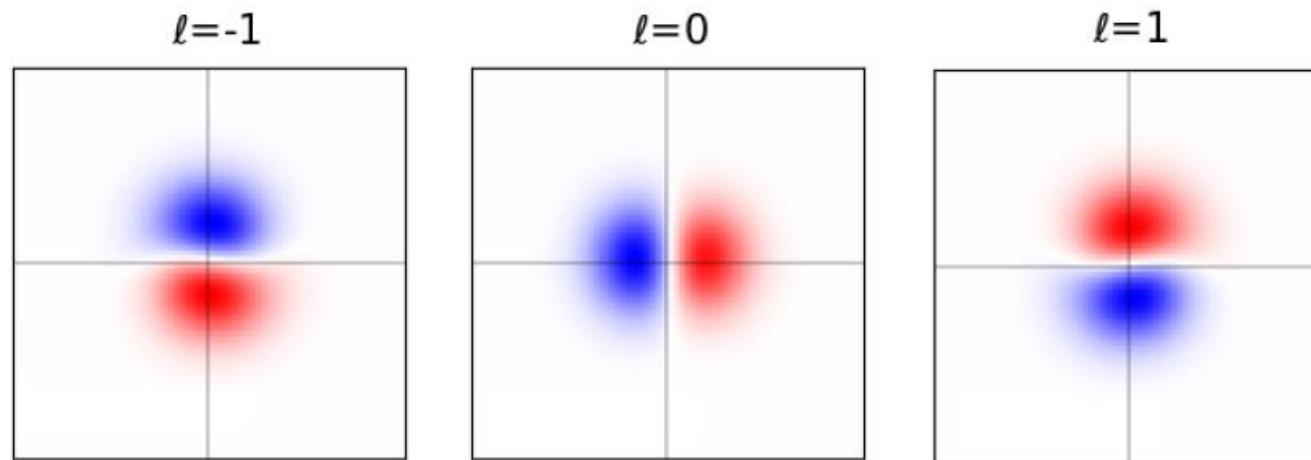
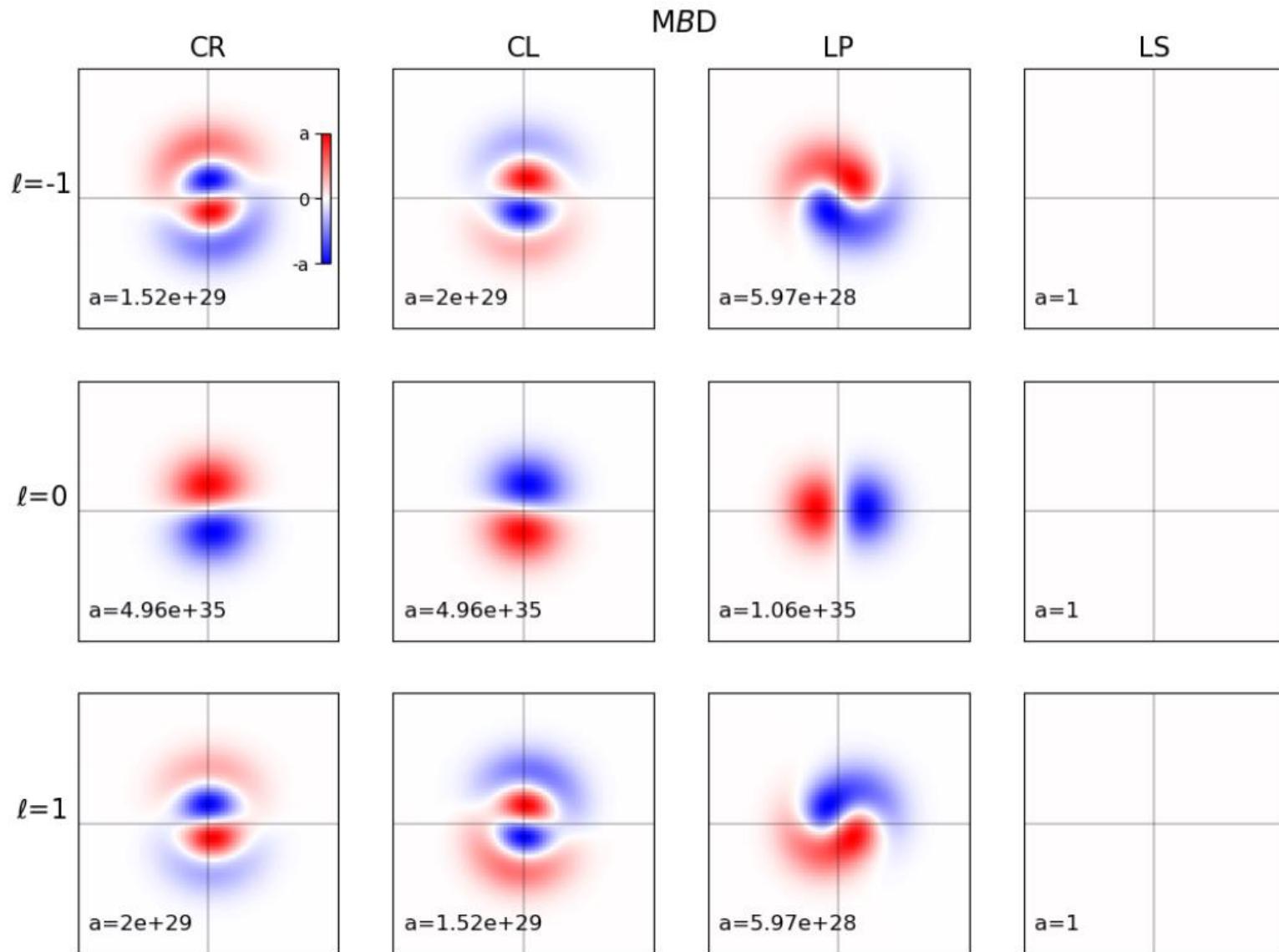
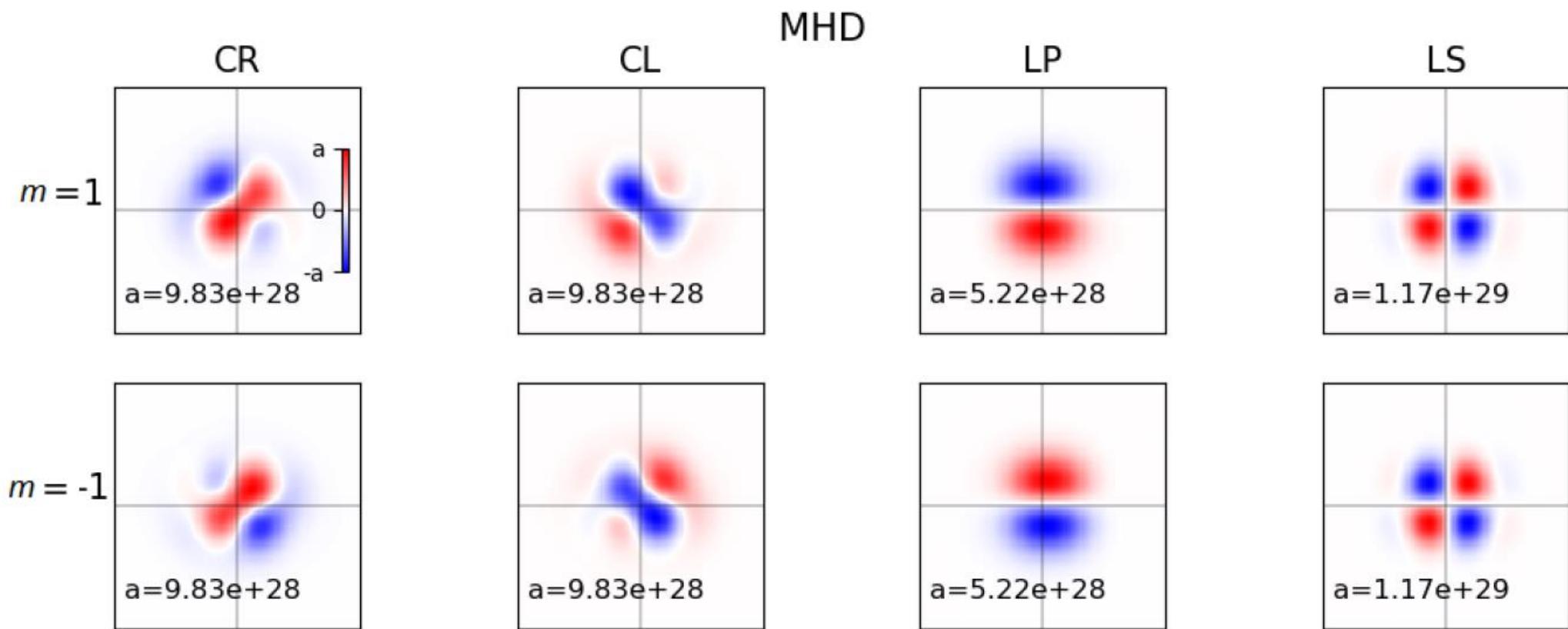
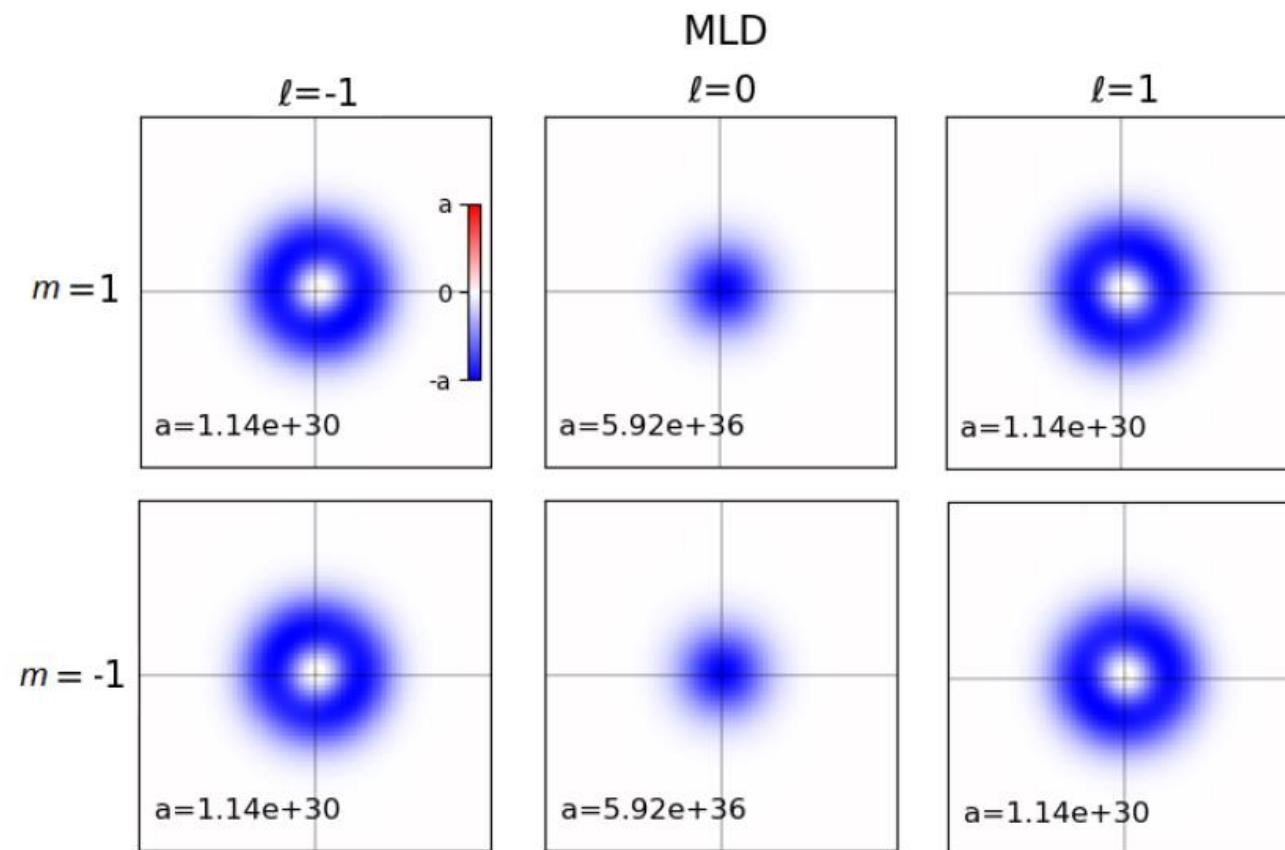
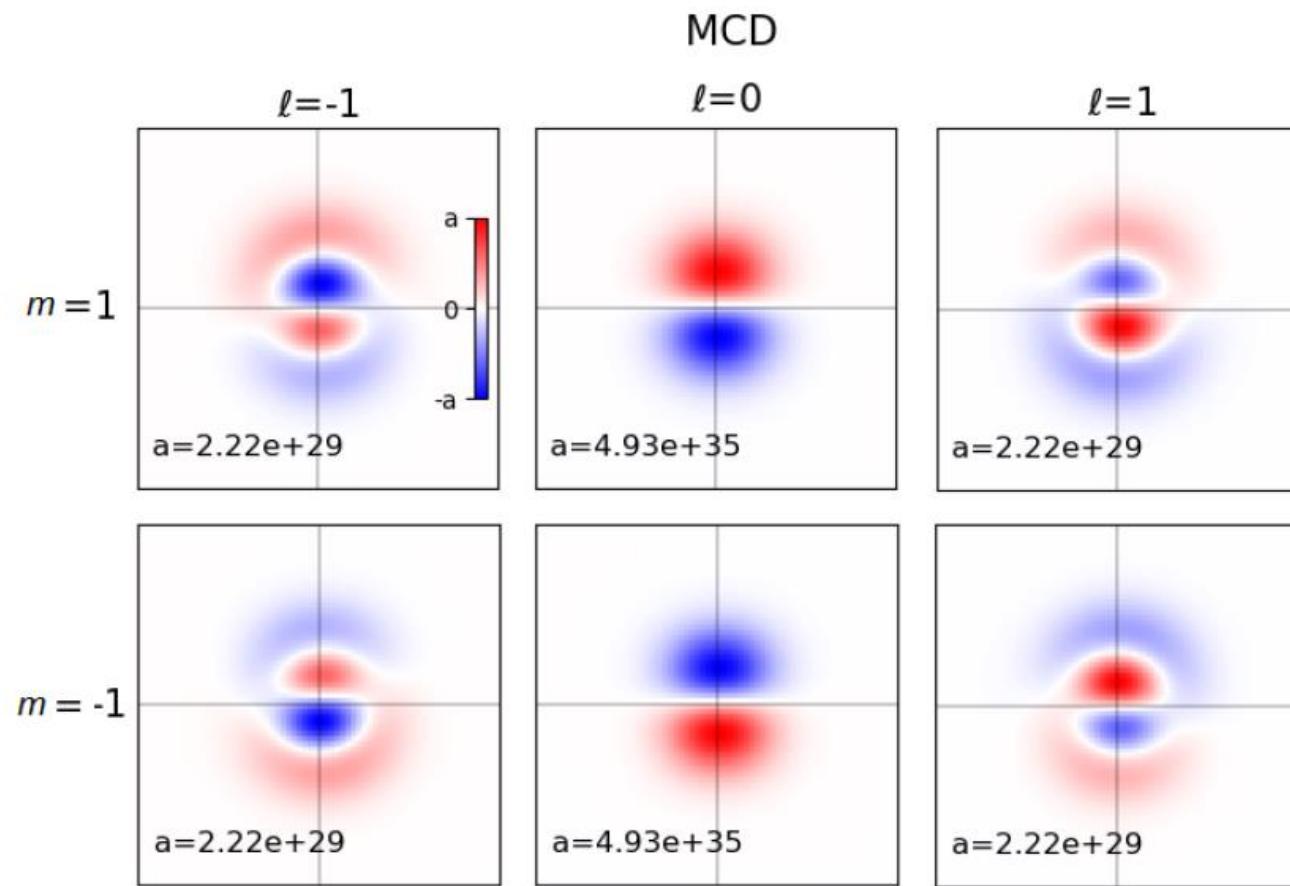


FIG. S5:  $MHDm$  calculated for similar conditions as in Fig. 2(g)-(l) of the main text, but for an incidence angle of  $5^\circ$  from the normal. The color scale maximum is 0.65 for  $\ell = \pm 1$  and 0.1 for  $\ell = 0$ .





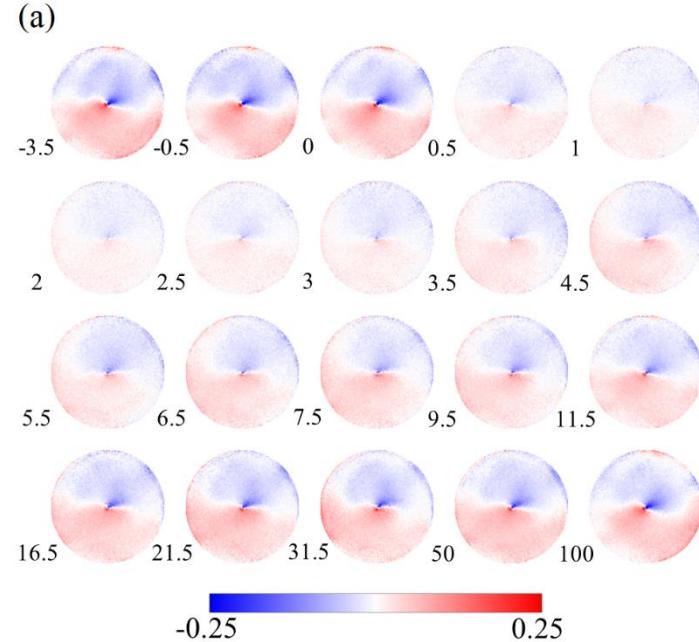




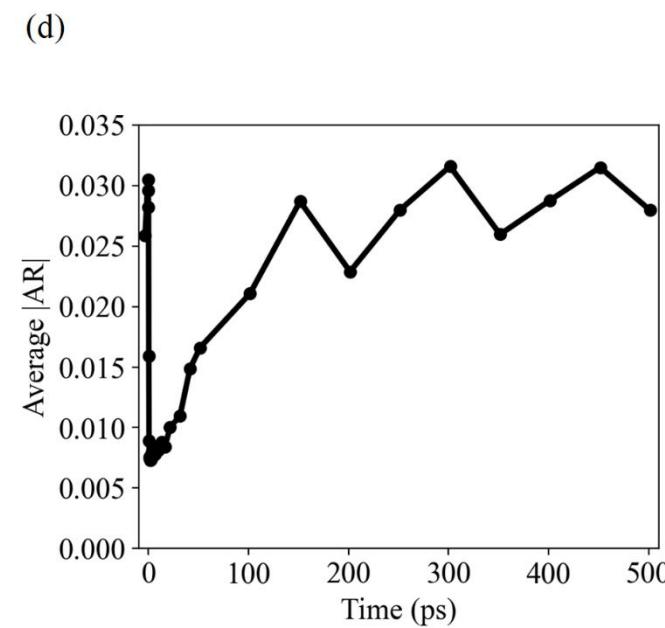
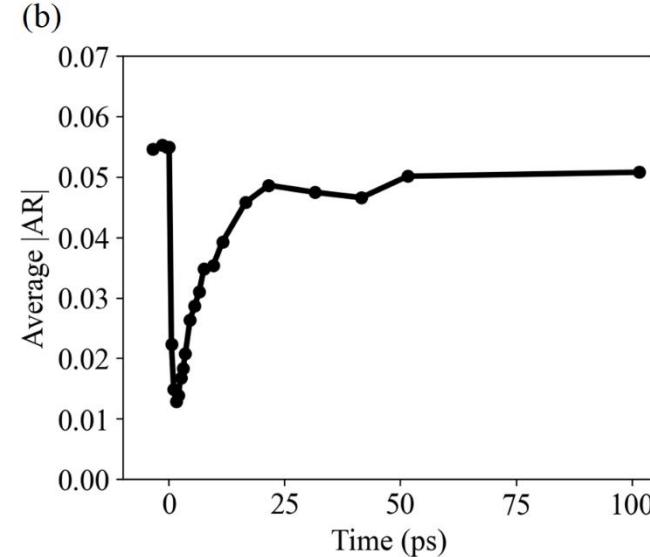
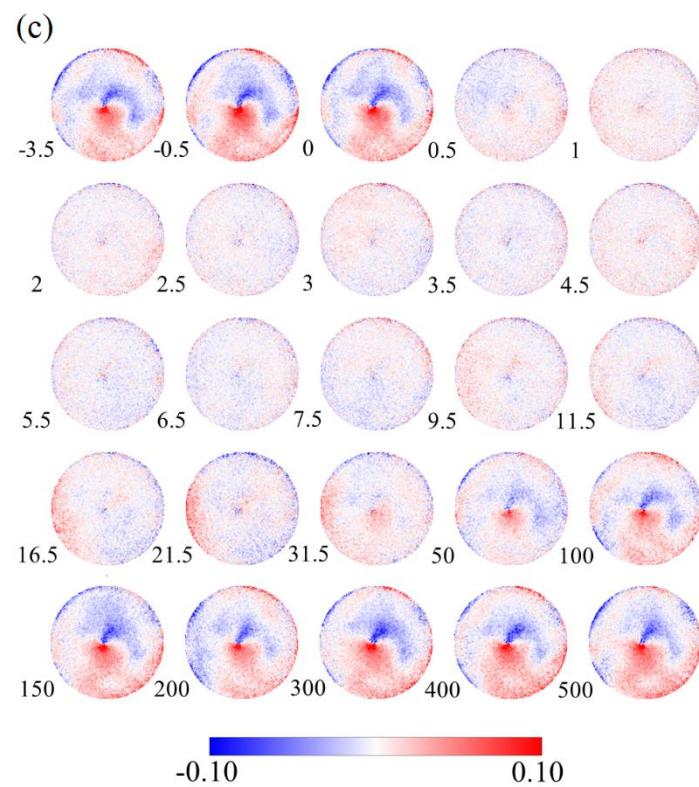
# SUPPLEMENTARY tMHD

$I_1, F_1 : 1.0 \mu\text{J}/\text{pulse}, 4.5 \text{ mJ}/\text{cm}^2$

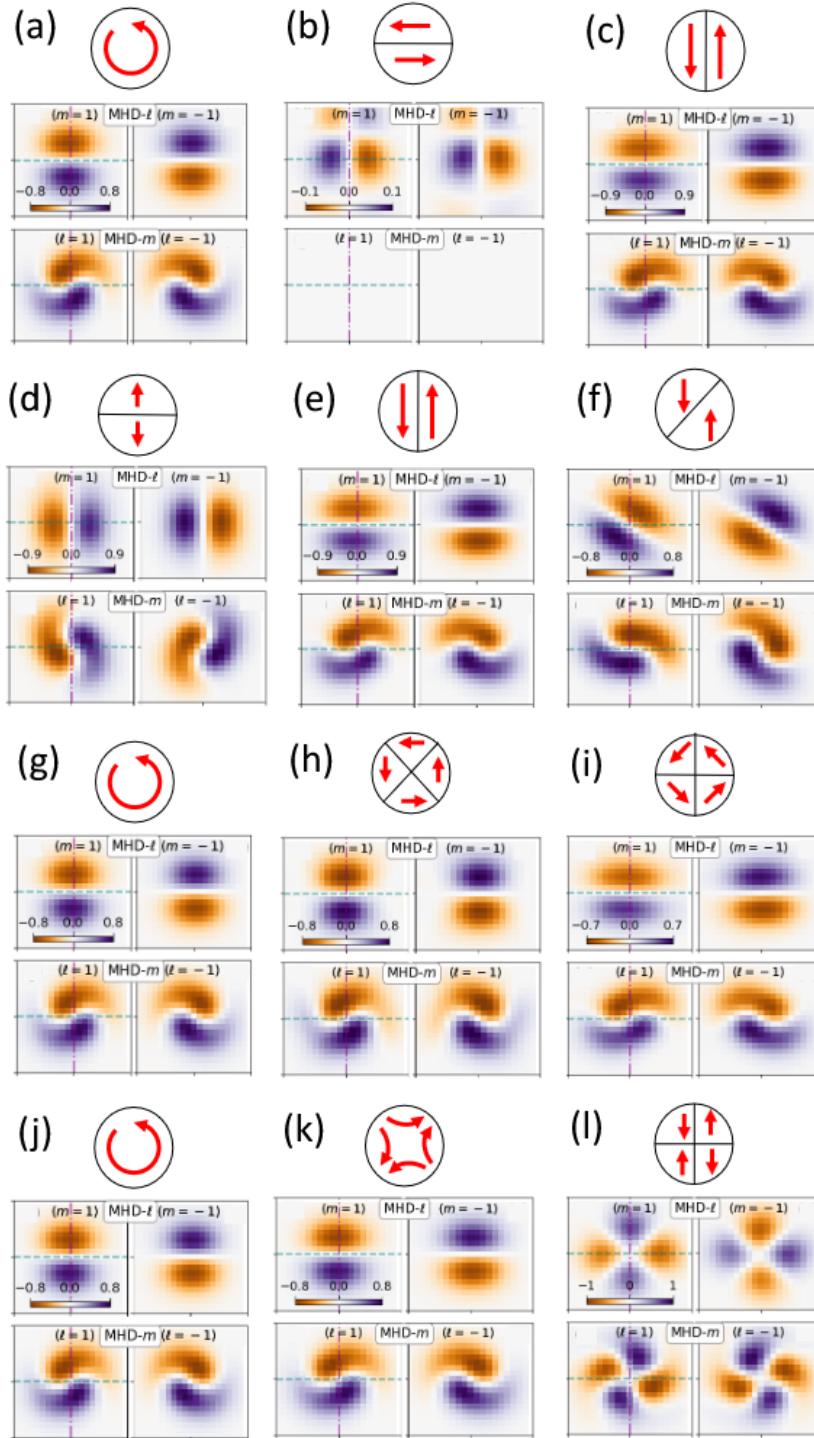
$$\ell = +1$$



$I_3, F_3 : 1.8 \mu\text{J}/\text{pulse}, 8.1 \text{ mJ}/\text{cm}^2$



## MHD $\ell$ and MHD $m$ for different symmetries



- In our geometry we are sensitive mainly to the my component
- Rotating the domain wall between opposite my components rotates the MHD
- Only small changes in the MHD if we keep the same vorticity
- Vortex and antiortex have same Fourier indices, while other configurations with higher indices give completely different MHD