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## Advantages of space-based obs.

- UV range
  - Impossible to access from the ground
- Blue side of the spectrum
  - Adaptive optics system does not work
  - Higher diffraction limit than that in red & IR
- Capable of long exposure (high polarization sensitivity) keeping the high spatial resolution

Lessons learned from Hinode/SP

## Requirements to spectral lines

- Emitted from  $low \beta$  region
- Enable to observe the **vector** magnetic field
  - Magnetic fields are inclined in the chromosphere
- Sensitive to **less than 10 G** for vector field
  - Transient granular-size horizontal fields: B<sub>phot</sub>=400G
    @ photosphere (Ishikawa et al. 2008)
  - @ upper chromosphere [h=2000km ~ 8 H<sub>p</sub>]

$$P_{chro} \sim exp(-8)P_{phot} \Rightarrow B_{chro} \sim exp(-4)B_{phot} \sim \overline{7G}$$



#### Limitation of Zeeman effect

• Hard to achieve high sensitivity to transverse magnetic field

magnetic field  $B_{\text{long}} = 4348 \left(\frac{V}{I}\right)_{1}$  Polarization sensitivity of 10<sup>-3</sup>  $B_{\text{tran}} = 3371 \left(\frac{Q}{I}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$  •  $B_{\text{long}} = 4G \& B_{\text{tran}} = 100G$ Landi Degl'Innocenti & Landolfi (2004)

• Very weak signals because of large Doppler broadening in the chromosphere and above



## Atomic polarization

- *Population imbalance* between magnetic sublevels induced by *anisotropic radiation*
- *Quantum coherency* by rotation of quantization axes



#### Hanle effect

• Magnetic fields *dephase* & *decrease coherence*  $\omega_B = \frac{e}{2m}gB$ : Larmor frequency Operates at  $\omega_{\rm B} \sim A$ A : Einstein coefficient Large A (Lya, MgII k, ....)  $\rightarrow$  Large B<sub>H</sub> Small A (e.g., forbidden line)  $\rightarrow$  Small B<sub>H</sub> Q/I @ Lya U/I @ Lya local normal 0,10  $\mu = 0.3$ -0,1 0,05  $\theta_{\rm R}=90^{\circ}$ -0.2 0.00 2 -0,3 <sup>™</sup> -0,05  $\chi_{\rm B} = 120$ -0,4 -0,10 -0.5 -0.15 B = 0 GB = 0 G121.52 121.54 121.65 121,58 121,60 121,62 121.52 121,64 121.65 121,58 121,60 121,62 Wavelength [nm] Wavelength [nm]

#### **Inversion of Hanle effect**



- Hanle effect only does not allow to uniquely determine the three components of magnetic field.
- Additional information (Stokes V from Zeeman, simultaneous Hanle measurement with other line,....) is required.

Ishikawa et al. (2014)

## Formation Height



 Hel is observed everywhere in QS???? Other candidates are MgII k and CaII k.
 Pressure scale height : 500km @ 10<sup>4</sup> K

# Mg II k

Adopted from presentation by Belluzzi in SOLAR-C science meeting 2012



 Up to now, there is no observation of atomic polarization in this line. However, the atomic system and the line formation height are similar to hydrogen Lyα, and CLASP observation in 2015 will greatly help us to understand this line!

## Ca II k



#### Candidates of spectral lines for SUVIT+ sensitive to **Hanle**

Spectral line	1.22/D [arcsec]	Response height[km]		Zeeman effect		Hanle effect	
(A)		T <sub>e</sub>	V	B <sub>long</sub> [G]	B <sub>tran</sub> [G]	Range[G]	P [%]
HeII 304	-	Transition region		-	_	85 - 850	1.5
Lya 1216	_	Transition region		_	_	0.5 - 50	0.5
MgII k 2796	0.046	1300	1400	130	2100	0.3 - 25	1.5
CaII k 3933	0.065	1000	1200	81	1700	0.2 - 15	1.5
ΗΙ β 4861	0.080	1500	1000	19	1300	Collisic	onal
ΗΙ α 4861	0.108	1500	1300	9.9	910	depolariza	tion??
CaII 8498	0.140	700	1000	5.6	280	10 <sup>-3</sup> - 10	0.01
CaII 8542	0.141	800	1200	6.1	330	10-3 10-2	0.4
CaII 8662	0.143	700	1000	7.6	410	10 ° – 10 ²	0.4
HeI 10830 (QS)	0.179	1800	1800	20	400	Blue:	Blue:0.03 Red:0.15
HeI 10830 (AR)	0.179	1800	1800	10	280	10 <sup>-2</sup> -10 <sup>-1</sup> Red: 10 <sup>-1</sup> -1	

#### **UPPER CHROMOSPHERIC LINES ONLY!**

Information of the Hanle effect is added to the updated table in MPD.

## Trade-Off

		Zeeman sensitivity		Hanle effect				
Spectral line	Formation	B <sub>long</sub>	B <sub>tran</sub>	Sensitive B range	Atomic pol.	Interpretation		
opeetrarinite	height					Atmos. model	3D effect	
Lyα 1216	$\bigcirc$	×	×	$\bigcirc$	Δ	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
MgII k 2796A	0	$\Delta$	×	0	0	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
CaII k 3933A	$\bigcirc$	$\Delta$	×	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
CaII 8498A	×	$\bigcirc$	×	$\triangle$	×	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
CaII 8542A	×	0	×		Δ	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
CaII 8662A	×	0	×	×	Δ	$\Delta$ ?	$\Delta$ ?	
HeI 10830A (QS)	$\bigcirc$	×?	×		•	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
HeI 10830A (AR)	0	$\bigcirc$	×	×		Ú!	<b>\</b>	

## Summary

- It may be risky to rely on the HeI 10830 since it is not visible everywhere in the quiet Sun (especially in the internetwork region).
- Alternative plan is the spectro-polarimetric observations in CaII k and MgII k. These are new generation of space-based observations (CLASP, CLASP+, small satellite mission....)!
- For the SUVIT line selection, the trade off is necessary.
  - Organize an international task force.