

WSe monolayers as a new darkish material

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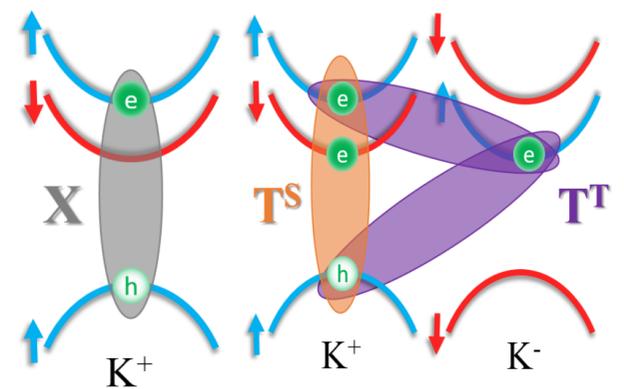
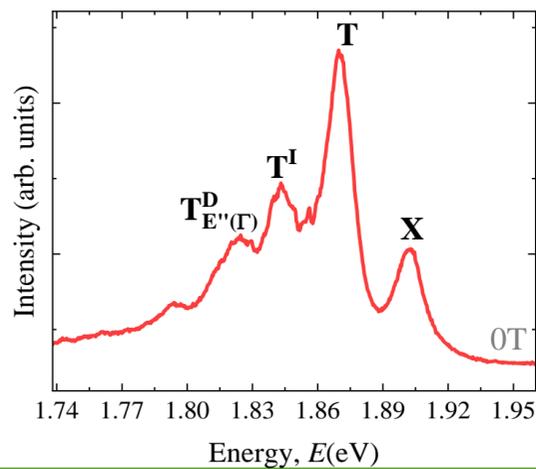
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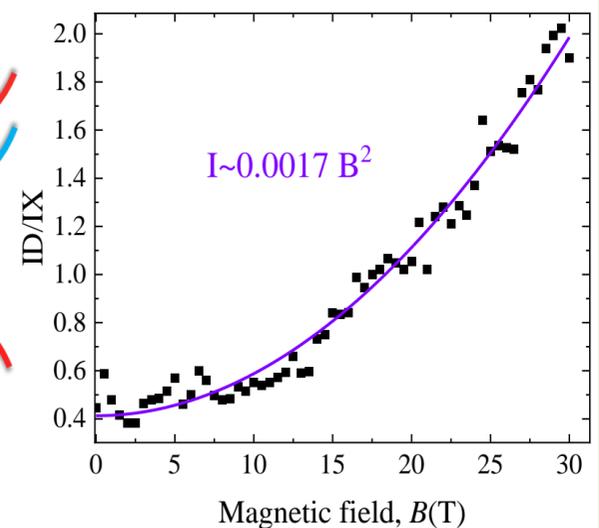
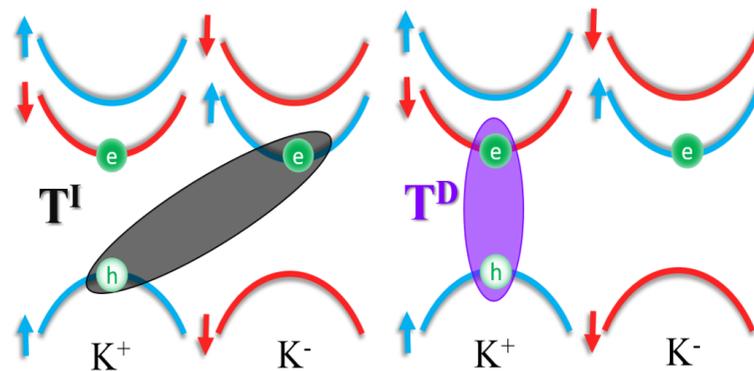
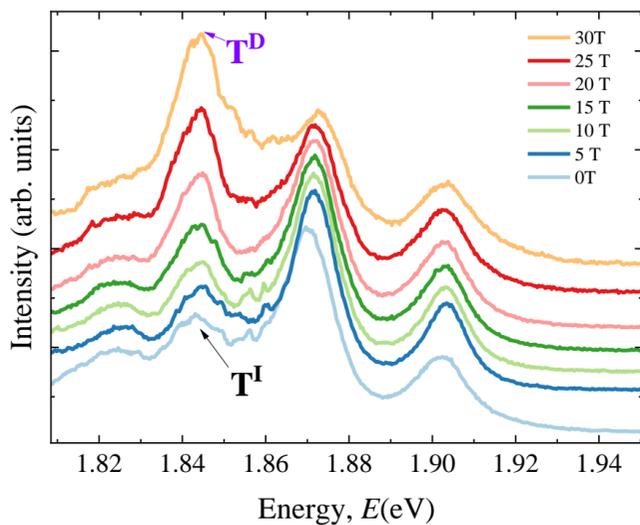
Motivation.

Monolayers (MLs) of semiconducting transition metal dichalcogenides (S-TMDs), e.g. WSe₂ and WS₂, are direct bandgap semiconductors characterized by very interesting optical and electronic properties. Alloys of S-TMDs have emerged as materials with tunable electronic structures and valley polarizations. It is therefore crucial to uncover their basic optical properties. The **WSe** ML should be similar to his "parents"- **WS₂** and **WSe₂**, which are members of the "darkish" ML family in which the excitonic ground state is optically inactive.

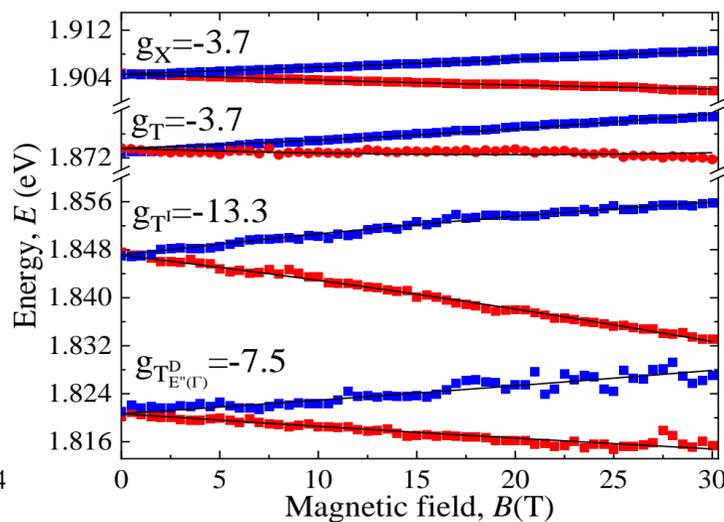
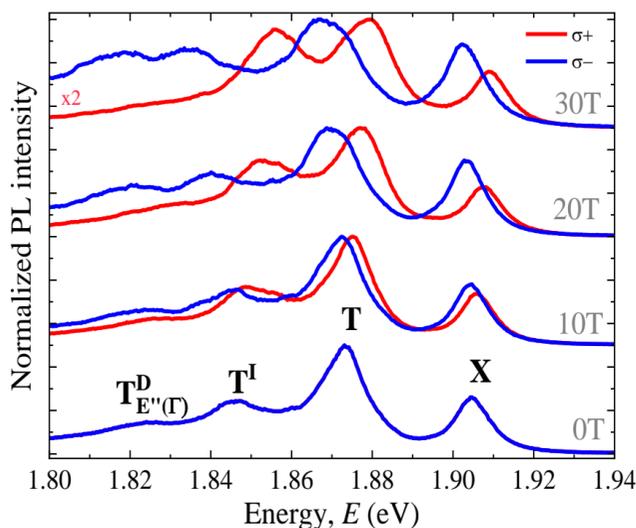
Photoluminescence spectra.



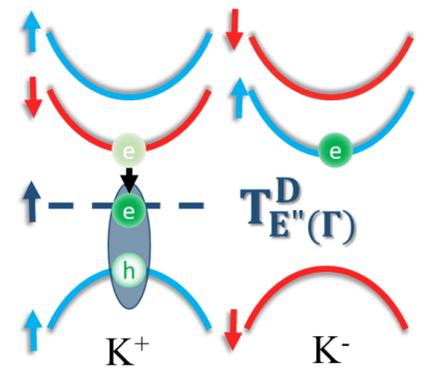
Photoluminescence spectra in in-plane magnetic field.



Helicity-resolved PL spectra measured as the function of out-of-plane magnetic field.



$$E_{\sigma\pm}(B) = E_0 \pm 1/2 g \mu_B B_{\perp}$$



Conclusions.

- In low-temperature PL spectra four resonances were identified X, T, T^I, T^D_{E''(Γ)}.
- In PL measured in in-plane magnetic field additional resonance appears (T^D) (in the same energy as T^I) which intensity raise quadratically with increasing magnetic field. It is an evidence that WSe is a **darkish material**.
- Extracted Lande g-factors are the same for X and T equal to **g=-3.7**, while for T^I **g=-13.3** (similar value for WS₂), T^D_{E''(Γ)} **g=-7.5** (in WS₂ g=-8.9 for this complex).
- All complexes exhibit linear dependence as the function of laser power.

PL as the function of laser power.

