Antiferromagnetic ordering induced by paramagnetic depairing in unconventional superconductors

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Antiferromagnetic (AFM) (or spin-density wave) quantum critical fluctuation enhanced just below $H_{c2}(0)$ have been often observed in *d*-wave superconductors with a strong Pauli paramagnetic depairing (PD) including CeCoIn₅. It is shown here that such a tendency of field-induced AFM ordering is a consequence of strong PD and should appear particularly in superconductors with a gap node along the AFM modulation. Two phenomena seen in CeCoIn₅, the AFM order in the Fulde-Ferrell-Larkin-Ovchinnikov (FFLO) state and the anomalous vortex lattice form factor in the high-field range below the FFLO state, are explained based on this peculiar PD effect.

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Recently, the heavy-fermion d-wave paired superconductor CeCoIn₅ with strong paramagnetic depairing (PD) has been thoroughly studied from the viewpoint of identifying its high-field and low-temperature (HFLT) phase near the zerotemperature depairing field $H_{c2}(0)$ with a possible Fulde-Ferrell-Larkin-Ovchinnikov (FFLO) state.^{1,2} On the other hand, this material also shows an antiferromagnetic (AFM) or equivalently, a spin-density wave ordering³ in the HFLT phase and transport phenomena suggestive of an AFM quantum critical point (QCP) lying near $H_{c2}(0)$.^{4,5} A similar AFM fluctuation enhanced near $H_{c2}(0)$ has also been detected in other heavy-fermion superconductors^{6,7} and cuprates,⁸ all of which seem to have strong PD and a d-wave pairing. A conventional wisdom on this issue will be that, in zero field, the nonvanishing superconducting (SC) energy gap suppresses AFM ordering and thus that the field-induced reduction in the gap leads to a recovery of AFM fluctuation. However, it is difficult to explain, based on this picture, why an apparent QCP is realized not above but only just below $H_{c2}(0)$ (Refs. 4 and 5) in those materials. Rather, the fact that the fieldinduced AFM ordering or QCP close to $H_{c2}(0)$ is commonly seen in superconductors with a *d*-wave pairing and strong PD suggests a common mechanism peculiar to superconductivity in finite fields and independent of electronic details of those materials such as the band structure.

In this Rapid Communication, we point out that, in nodal d-wave superconductors, a field-induced enhancement of PD tends to induce an AFM ordering just below $H_{c2}(0)$. Although relatively weak PD tends to be suppressed by the quasiparticle damping effect brought by the AFM fluctuation, strong PD rather favor coexistence of a d-wave superconductivity and an AFM order. Detailed mechanism of this fieldinduced enhancement of AFM fluctuation or ordering below H_{c2} depends upon the relative orientation between the moment **m** of the expected AFM order and the applied field **H**: in **m**||**H** case, strong PD change the sign of the O($m^2|\Delta|^2$) term in the free energy for any pairing symmetry, just like that of its $O(|\Delta|^4)$ term leading to the first-order H_{c2} transition,² where $m \equiv |\mathbf{m}|$ and Δ are order parameters of an expected AFM phase and a spin-singlet SC one. In contrast, the field-induced AFM ordering in $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$, which is possibly satisfied in CeCoIn₅ in $\mathbf{H} \perp c$ ³ is a peculiar event to the

d-wave paired case with the momentum (**k**)-dependent gap function $w_{\mathbf{k}}$ satisfying $w_{\mathbf{k}} = -w_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{Q}}$ and tends to occur irrespective of the presence of the first-order H_{c2} transition, where **Q** is the wave vector of the commensurate AFM modulation and is (π, π) for the $d_{x^2-y^2}$ -wave pairing.⁹ As a consequences of this PD-induced magnetism, two striking phenomena observed in CeCoIn₅, an AFM order³ stabilized by a FFLO spatial modulation and an anomalous flux density distribution in the vortex lattice,¹⁰ will be discussed.

First, we start from a BCS-type electronic Hamiltonian¹¹ for a quasi-two-dimensional (2D) material with Δ and **m** introduced as functionals. By treating Δ at the mean-field level, the free energy expressing the two possible orderings is written in zero-field case as

$$\mathcal{F}(\mathbf{H}=0) = \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{1}{g} |\Delta(\mathbf{r})|^2 - T \ln \operatorname{Tr}_{c,c^{\dagger},m} \exp[-H_{\Delta m}/T],$$
$$H_{\Delta m} = \sum_{\alpha,\beta=\uparrow,\downarrow} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \hat{c}^{\dagger}_{\mathbf{k},\alpha} e_{\mathbf{k}} \delta_{\alpha,\beta} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k},\beta} + \sum_{\mathbf{q}} \frac{1}{U} |\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{q})|^2$$
$$-\sum_{\mathbf{q}} [\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{q}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{S}}^{\dagger}(\mathbf{q}) - \Delta(\mathbf{q}) \hat{\Psi}^{\dagger}(\mathbf{q}) + \text{H.c.}], \quad (1)$$

where $\hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{q}) = -\sum_{\mathbf{k}} w_{\mathbf{k}} \hat{c}_{-\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q}/2,\uparrow} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q}/2,\downarrow}$, $\hat{S}_{\nu}(\mathbf{q}) = \sum_{\alpha,\beta} (\sigma_{\nu})_{\alpha,\beta}$ $\times \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{q},\alpha}^{\dagger} \hat{c}_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{Q},\beta}/2$, $\hat{c}_{\mathbf{k},\alpha}^{\dagger}$ creates a quasiparticle with spin index α and momentum \mathbf{k} , σ_{ν} are the Pauli matrices, and the positive parameters g and U are the attractive and repulsive interaction strengths leading to the SC and AFM orderings, respectively. The dispersion $e_{\mathbf{k}}$, measured from the chemical potential, satisfies $e_{\mathbf{k}} = -e_{\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{Q}} + T_c \delta_{\mathbf{l}}$.¹² The dimensionless parameter $\delta_{\mathbf{l}}$ is related to a small incommensurate part $\partial \mathbf{Q}$ of the AFM wave vector through the relation $|\partial \mathbf{Q}| \sim |\delta_{\mathbf{l}}|T_c/(2E_F)(\ll|\mathbf{Q}|)$, where E_F is the Fermi energy. In the case with a nonzero \mathbf{H} , the Zeeman energy $\mu_{\mathbf{B}}\mathbf{H} \cdot (\sigma)_{\alpha,\beta}$ needs to be added to $e_{\mathbf{k}} \delta_{\alpha,\beta}$. Below, we focus on either the case, $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$ or $\mathbf{m} \parallel \mathbf{H}$ by choosing the spin-quantization axis along \mathbf{H} . The orbital field effect will be included later.

To examine an interplay between the AFM and SC orderings below, let us consider the Gaussian AFM fluctuation term \mathcal{F}_m in the free energy \mathcal{F} , $\mathcal{F}_m = T\Sigma_{\Omega} \ln \det[U^{-1}\delta_{\mathbf{q},\mathbf{q}'} - \chi_{\mathbf{q},\mathbf{q}'}(\Omega)]$, where



FIG. 1. Diagrams describing (a) $\chi^{(n)}$ and (b) $\chi^{(an)}$, where a cross denotes a particle-hole vertex on the AFM fluctuation, and double solid lines in (a) and (b) denote normal and anomalous Green's functions, respectively.

$$\chi_{\mathbf{q},\mathbf{q}'}(\Omega) = \int_0^{T^{-1}} d\tau \langle T_\tau \hat{S}_\nu^\dagger(\mathbf{q};\tau) \hat{S}_\nu(\mathbf{q}';0) \rangle e^{i\Omega\tau}$$
(2)

with a fixed ν and $\hat{S}_{\nu}(\mathbf{q}; \tau)$ denotes $\hat{S}_{\nu}(\mathbf{q})$ at imaginary time τ . For the moment, we focus on the Pauli limit with no orbital field effect and with uniform Δ in which $\chi_{\mathbf{q},\mathbf{q}'}(\Omega) = [\chi^{(n)}(\mathbf{q},\Omega) + \chi^{(an)}(\mathbf{q},\Omega)] \delta_{\mathbf{q},\mathbf{q}'}$, and $\mathcal{F}_m = -T \Sigma_{\mathbf{q},\Omega} \ln X(\mathbf{q},\Omega)$, where $X^{-1}(\mathbf{q},\Omega) = U^{-1} - \chi^{(n)}(\mathbf{q},\Omega) - \chi^{(an)}(\mathbf{q},\Omega)$, and $\chi^{(n)}$ and $\chi^{(an)}$ are expressed by Figs. 1(a) and 1(b), respectively. The Δ -dependent part of $\chi^{(n)} + \chi^{(an)}$, $\chi_s = \chi^{(n)} - \chi^{(n)}|_{\Delta=0} + \chi^{(an)}$, has been studied previously¹¹ in H=0 case. In the Pauli limit, expressions of Fig. 1 in nonzero H take the form

$$\chi^{(n)}(0,\Omega) = -T\sum_{\mathbf{p}} \sum_{\varepsilon,\sigma=\pm 1} \frac{d_{\varepsilon+\Omega,\bar{\sigma}}(e_{\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q}})d_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(e_{\mathbf{p}})}{D_{\varepsilon+\Omega,\bar{\sigma}}(\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q})D_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{p})},$$

$$\chi^{(an)}(0,\Omega) = T\sum_{\mathbf{p}} \sum_{\varepsilon,\sigma=\pm 1} \frac{(-w_{\mathbf{p}}w_{\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q}})|\Delta|^{2}}{D_{\varepsilon+\Omega,\bar{\sigma}}(\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q})D_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{p})}, \quad (3)$$

where ε (Ω) is a fermion's (boson's) Matsubara frequency, $d_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(e_{\mathbf{p}}) = i\varepsilon + \sigma\mu_{\mathrm{B}}H + e_{\mathbf{p}}$, and $D_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{p}) = -d_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(e_{\mathbf{p}})d_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(-e_{\mathbf{p}})$ $+ |\Delta w_{\mathbf{p}}|^2$. Main features of $\chi^{(n)}$ and $\chi^{(an)}$ are seen in their $O(|\Delta|^2)$ terms. In zero field, $\chi_s(\Delta) \equiv \chi_s(0,0)$ behaves like T^{-2} in $T \rightarrow 0$ limit and is negative so that the AFM ordering is suppressed by superconductivity.¹¹

To explain results in the case of strong PD, let us first focus on $\mathbf{m} || \mathbf{H}$ case in which $\bar{\sigma} = \sigma$. For a near-perfect nesting, the $O(|\Delta|^2)$ terms of $\chi^{(n)} - \chi^{(n)} |_{\Delta=0}$ and $\chi^{(an)}$, at $|\mathbf{q}| = \Omega$ =0, take the same form as the coefficient of the quartic $[O(|\Delta|^4)]$ term of the SC Ginzburg-Landau (GL) free energy and thus, change their sign upon cooling.¹³ Thus, $\chi_s(\Delta)$ becomes positive for stronger PD, leading to a lower \mathcal{F}_m , i.e., an *enhancement* of the AFM ordering in the SC phase. As well as the corresponding PD-induced sign change in the $O(|\Delta|^4)$ term which leads to the first-order H_{c2} transition,² the PD-induced positive χ_s is also unaffected by inclusion of the orbital depairing.

In $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$, where $\bar{\sigma} = -\sigma$, a different type of PD-induced AFM ordering occurs in a *d*-wave pairing case with a gap node along \mathbf{Q} , where $w_{\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q}}w_{\mathbf{p}} < 0$: in this case, the $O(|\Delta|^2)$ term of $\chi^{(n)}(0,0)$ remains negative and becomes $-N(0)|\Delta|^2/[2(\mu_B H)^2]$ in $T \rightarrow 0$ limit with no PD-induced sign change, where N(0) is the density of states in the normal state. Instead, the corresponding $\chi^{(an)}(0,0)$ and thus, χ_s are divergent like $N(0)[|\Delta|/(\mu_B H)]^2|\ln[Max(t,|\delta_l|)]|$ in $T \rightarrow 0$ limit while keeping their positive signs, where $t=T/T_c$. This divergence is *unaffected* by including the orbital depairing.

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FIG. 2. (Color online) Possible $\chi_s = 0$ lines (dashed curves) in t vs $h \equiv H/H_{c2}(0)$ diagram in $\mathbf{H} \perp c \parallel \mathbf{m}$ following (a) from the $O(|\Delta|^2)$ term of $\chi_s(\Delta)$ for $\delta_1=0$ and (b) from the full $\chi_s(\Delta)$ in the Pauli limit for $\delta_1 = 0.44$ [lower dashed (green) curve] and 0.63 [higher dashed (blue) one], respectively. With no AFM phase in $H > H_{c2}(T)$ (nearly vertical dotted curve), a dashed curve is the upper bound of a possible uniform AFM phase for a fixed δ_{I} . In (a), the solid (blue) curve is the phase boundary of a uniform AFM order which follows from the dashed curve and an assumed form of $X_0|_{\Delta=0}$. The lower panel of (a) is the corresponding $X_0^{-1}(h)$ at t =0.0075. In the FFLO state with a modulated $|\Delta(\zeta)|$, however, the uniform AFM order parameter m in the uniform Δ case is transformed to a modulated one $m(\zeta)$, and, due to this modulation, the higher dashed (blue) curve in (b) is pushed up to the lower solid (blue) one lying close to the second-order FFLO transition (Ref. 14) [higher solid (red)] line. The lower panel of (b) is the normalized $\delta \mathcal{F}_m^{(\mathrm{MF})}(h)$ at t = 0.075.

Therefore, even in $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$, the AFM order tends to occur upon cooling in the $d_{x^2-y^2}$ -wave paired case. In contrast, $\chi^{(an)}(0,0)$ is also negative in the d_{xy} -wave case satisfying $w_{\mathbf{p}}w_{\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{Q}} > 0$ so that the AFM ordering is rather suppressed with increasing *H*.

A possible AFM phase boundary in $\mathbf{m} \| c \perp \mathbf{H}$ case defined as the temperature at which $X_0^{-1} \equiv [X(0,0)]^{-1}$ vanishes up to $O(|\Delta|^2)$ is shown in Fig. 2(a) together with the corresponding $\chi_s = 0$ curve, which is the upper bound of a PD-induced AFM phase and shifts to *higher* temperature for larger $|\delta_{\mathbf{l}}|$. Here, the orbital depairing brought by the gauge field **A** has been incorporated through the quasiparticle Green's function $\mathcal{G}_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{r}_1,\mathbf{r}_2)$ in real space with replacement^{2,15} $\mathcal{G}_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{r}_1,\mathbf{r}_2)$ $\equiv \mathcal{G}_{\varepsilon,\sigma}(\mathbf{r}_1-\mathbf{r}_2)\exp[ie(\hbar c)^{-1}\int_{\mathbf{r}_2}^{\mathbf{r}_1}\mathbf{A} \cdot d\mathbf{l}]$. In Fig. 2(a), we have used $\alpha_{k}^{(ab)}$ (Maki parameter in $\mathbf{H} \perp c$) $\equiv 7.1 \mu_{\mathrm{B}} H_{c2,\perp}^{(\mathrm{GL})}(0)/(2\pi T_c) = 7.8$ and the anisotropy γ (defined¹⁴ from $e_{\mathbf{k}}$) =4.5, where $H_{c2,\perp}^{(\mathrm{GL})}(0) = \gamma H_{c2,\parallel}^{(\mathrm{GL})}(0)$ $= \gamma \hbar c/(2e\xi_0^2)$ is the $H_{c2}(0)$ value in $\mathbf{H} \perp c$ defined near T_c with the coherence length ξ_0 . The AFM phase is lost in H $> H_{c2}$ due to the discontinuous H_{c2} transition² in t < 0.215. With a larger X_0^{-1} in the normal state, the uniform AFM phase boundary in Fig. 2(a) is pushed down to t=0 to reduce to an AFM-QCP.

The limitation to the O($|\Delta|^2$) term of χ_s overestimates the AFM ordering. In fact, using the *full* expression of χ_s , the AFM region for $\delta_I = 0$ is limited to an invisibly narrow region in the vicinity of $H_{c2}(0)$. Nevertheless, the PD-induced AF order for nonzero $|\delta_I|$ also follows from the *full* $\chi_s(\Delta)$: by substituting $|\Delta|$ obtained from the gap equation into Eq. (3), the lines on which the full $\chi_s(\Delta)$ vanishes are obtained, in the

Pauli limit with uniform Δ , as the dashed curves in Fig. 2(b). The $\chi_s > 0$ region becoming wider with *increasing* $|\delta_1|$ suggests that, as in CeCoIn₅, the PD-induced AFM order near $H_{c2}(0)$ should be incommensurate.³ Similar results also follow from the direct use of the tight-binding model.¹⁶

Interestingly, the AFM ordered region is expanded further by the presence of the FFLO modulation $\Delta(\zeta) \equiv \sqrt{2}\cos(q_{\rm LO}\zeta)$, where ζ is the component parallel to **H** of the coordinate. To demonstrate this, the gradient expansion¹⁵ will be applied to the $O(m^2)$ term of the *mean-field* expression of \mathcal{F}_m . Up to the lowest order in the gradient, its $\Delta(\zeta)$ -dependent part simply becomes

$$\delta \mathcal{F}_m^{(\mathrm{MF})} = \int d\zeta m(\zeta) \left\{ - (X_0^{-1})^{(2)} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \zeta^2} - \chi_s[\Delta(\zeta)] \right\} m(\zeta), \quad (4)$$

where $(X_0^{-1})^{(2)} = \partial X^{-1}(\mathbf{k}, 0) / \partial k^2|_{\mathbf{k}=0}$, and we only have to examine its sign which, for uniform Δ , corresponds to that of $-\chi_s$. For simplicity, by using the q_{LO} data in Ref. 14, we find that $\delta \mathcal{F}_m^{(\text{MF})} < 0$ below the lower (blue) solid curve in Fig. 2(b), indicating that the FFLO order can coexist with the AFM order in most temperature range. Close to the FFLO transition (red solid) curve on which $q_{\text{LO}}=0, m(\zeta)$ is found to have the modulation $\sim \sin(q_{\text{LO}}\zeta)$ so that this AFM order is *continuously* lost as the FFLO nodal planes goes away from the system.¹⁷ Oppositely, the form of $m(\zeta)$ *deep* in the FFLO state may not be examined properly in terms of the present gradient expansion and will be reconsidered elsewhere.

Next, we examine the anomalous flux density distribution in the vortex lattice of CeCoIn₅ in $\mathbf{H} \parallel c$ (Ref. 10) as another phenomenon suggestive of an AFM fluctuation enhanced just below H_{c2} . The flux distribution is measured by the form factor |F|, which is the Fourier component of the longitudinal magnetization $M_c(\mathbf{r}) \equiv [B_c(\mathbf{r}) - H]/(4\pi)$ at the shortest reciprocal-lattice vector **K** and implies the slope of the flux density B_c in real space. Here, $M_c(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\mathbf{K}\neq 0} M_c(\mathbf{K}) e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{r}}$ is given by

$$M_{c}(\mathbf{K}) = ic^{-1}K^{-2}[\mathbf{K} \times \mathbf{j}(\mathbf{K})]_{c} - \left. \frac{\delta \mathcal{F}}{\delta B_{\rm PD}(-\mathbf{K})} \right|_{B_{\rm PD}=0}, \quad (5)$$

where $\mathbf{j}(\mathbf{K})$ and $B_{\rm PD}(\mathbf{K})$ are Fourier components of the orbital supercurrent density and a Zeeman field $B_{\rm PD}$ imposed to define M_c , respectively. It is straightforward to, according to Ref. 2, obtain M_c in the weak-coupling model with no AFM fluctuation by fully taking account of the PD and the orbital depairing. In our numerical calculations, the $O(|\Delta|^4)$ contributions to M_c are also incorporated. Nevertheless, it is instructive to first focus on its $O(|\Delta|^2)$ terms. In $H \ll H_{c2,\parallel}^{(GL)}(0)$, the contribution to M_c from the spin part (last term) of Eq. (5) is given by

$$M_{c}(\mathbf{K})^{(\text{PD})} = \frac{\mu_{\text{B}} N(0)}{2\pi T} |\Delta|^{2}(\mathbf{K}) \text{Im } \psi^{(1)} \left(\frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\mu_{\text{B}} H}{2\pi T}\right), \quad (6)$$

which is negative, where $\psi^{(1)}(z)$ is the first derivative of the digamma function. Thus, the PD tends to enhance the magnetic screening far from the vortex core. This is one of origins of the field-induced increase in |F|. However, such an enhancement of |F| in the weak-coupling model is much weaker in the *d*-wave case than in the *s*-wave one,¹⁸ although

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FIG. 3. (Color online) Normalized form factor $|F(h)|^2$ curves in $\mathbf{H} \| c$ obtained in the weak-coupling BCS model with no AFM fluctuation (dotted curves), in the case with AFM fluctuations with $\mathbf{m} \| \mathbf{H}$ (dashed ones), and in the corresponding $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$ case (solid ones) at t=0.02 [highest (red) curves], 0.04 [middle (blue)], and 0.08 [lowest (green)]. Here, $h_{\rm QCP}=0.942$, $\alpha_{\rm M}^{(c)}=\alpha_{\rm M}^{(ab)}/\gamma=6.5$, and the typical quasiparticle damping rate $\pi^2 T/\{4k_F\xi_0^{(N)}[m_N(t,h)]^{1/2}\}$ due to 2D AFM fluctuation was used.

it is the *d*-wave material CeCoIn₅, which has clearly shown such an enhanced $|F|^{10}$ This has motivated us to see how the PD-induced AFM fluctuation is reflected in |F|. For this purpose, let us first consider the $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$ case and start with the Pauli limit again in which M_c is determined by the last term of Eq. (5). By noting that this term can be obtained as the first derivative of the free energy density with respect to $\mu_{\rm B}H$, it is found that the contribution to M_c from the Gaussian AFM fluctuation is positive and proportional to $\sim O(|\Delta(\mathbf{r})|^2) \mu_B^2 H \Sigma_q X(\mathbf{q}, 0) / \hat{T^3}$, implying a suppressed screening due to the AFM fluctuation, for weak PD ($\mu_{\rm B}H$ while it is negative and $\ll T$), given by $-2\mu_{\rm B}T|\Delta(\mathbf{r})|^2(\mu_{\rm B}H)^{-3}|\ln[\operatorname{Max}(|\delta_{\rm I}|,t)]|\Sigma_{\Omega}\Sigma_{\mathbf{q}}X(\mathbf{q},\Omega),$ suggesting an enhancement due to the AFM fluctuation of the screening and thus, of |F|, for strong PD ($\mu_{\rm B}H \gg T$), respectively.

In Fig. 3, we show h vs $|F|^2$ curves obtained by incorporating the orbital depairing for both cases with and with no contributions to Eq. (5) from the AFM fluctuation through \mathcal{F}_m , where |F| was normalized by that in the GL region near T_c . Based on the result in Fig. 2(a), the familiar phenomenological form of $X(\mathbf{q}, \Omega)$, $N(0)X(\mathbf{q}, \Omega) = 1/[m_N + (|\mathbf{q} \times \hat{z}|\xi_0^{(N)})^2 + \xi_0^{(N)}|\Omega|/|v|]$ was assumed in calculating the \mathcal{F}_m contribution to Eq. (5), where $m_N = t + 1 - h/h_{QCP}$ and $\xi_0^{(N)} = 0.6\xi_0$, and v^2 is the squared Fermi velocity averaged over the Fermi surface. The remarkable peak just below H_{c2} of the red solid curve is a reflection of the aforementioned growth of $\chi^{(an)}$ in $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$. A similar |F| enhancement also occurs in $\mathbf{m} \parallel \mathbf{H}$ (dashed) curves with increasing H, reflecting the aforementioned sign change in χ_s due to large PD. The favorable direction of the moment **m** in CeCoIn₅ in $\mathbf{H} \parallel c$ is unclear at present. If, in CeCoIn₅, the $\mathbf{m} \perp \mathbf{H}$ components are dominant in the AFM fluctuation even in $\mathbf{H} \| c$, the |F(t,h)| data¹⁰ growing with increasing field and on further cooling is a reflection of the $d_{x^2-y^2}$ -wave pairing¹⁹ accompanied by a strong AFM fluctuation with $\mathbf{Q} \parallel (\pi, \pi)$. With the same \mathbf{Q} , the corresponding |F(t,h)| in the s-wave case would become much lower than the dotted ones, contrary to the trend in the weak-coupling

results.¹⁸ The curves in Fig. 3 have been obtained by neglecting the narrow FFLO region in CeCoIn₅ in $\mathbf{H} \parallel c$. Effects of the FFLO modulation on M_c will be reported elsewhere.

It has been argued in previous studies^{1,2,19} that the anomalous SC properties in CeCoIn5 in high fields are consequences of strong PD. The present results indicate that the AFM fluctuation and order indicated in more recent measurements^{3,10} on this material just below $H_{c2}(0)$ also stem from PD, and thus that its HFLT phase and the behaviors suggestive of an AFM-QCP near $H_{c2}(0)$ commonly seen in *d*-wave superconductors with strong PD,⁴⁻⁸ including CeCoIn₅, should be understood on the same footing. For instance, the result in Fig. 2 that the field-induced AFM ordering is *discontinuously* bounded by the first-order H_{c2} transition naturally explains why, in spite of the AFM ordering just below $H_{c2}(0)$,³ the transport properties in CeCoIn₅ in H $> H_{c2}$ have suggested a QCP notably below $H_{c2}(0)$.⁴ We have also shown that, in $d_{x^2-y^2}$ -wave superconductors, the AFM order is significantly enhanced by the FFLO periodic modulation of the SC order parameter. In contrast, other works have assumed the presence of an attractive π -triplet pairing channel as the only origin of the AFM ordering below H_{c2} ^{3,20} However, the field-induced AFM transition in Ref. 20 is of first order in contrast to the observation¹ in

CeCoIn₅. The present work has shown that an incommensurate AFM ordering just below $H_{c2}(0)$ develops without assuming such an occurrence of other pairing state and due only to strong PD effect. In fact, the strange impurity effects,²¹ arising even from a nonmagnetic doping, on the HFLT phase of CeCoIn₅ cannot be explained unless the HFLT phase has an additional modulation of the SC order parameter.²²

In conclusion, an AFM ordering or fluctuation enhanced close to $H_{c2}(0)$, often seen in unconventional superconductors, is a direct consequence of strong paramagnetic depairing and also of their *d*-wave pairing symmetry with a gap node parallel to the AFM modulation. The AFM ordering enhanced due to the FFLO modulation suggests that the HFLT phase in CeCoIn₅ is a coexistent state of the AFM and FFLO orders. Discussing the AFM-QCP issues in systems^{6,8} with a *continuous* behavior around H_{c2} based on the present theory is straightforward and will be performed elsewhere together with studies of a precise $\partial \mathbf{Q}$ orientation in CeCoIn₅ based on a more realistic electronic Hamiltonian.

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