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Quantum phase transitions of polar molecules in bilayer systems¹ DAW-WEI WANG, National Tsing-Hua University — We investigate the quantum phase transitions of bosonic polar molecules in a two-dimensional double layer system. We show that an interlayer bound state of dipoles (dimers) can be formed when the dipole strength is above a critical value, leading to a zero energy resonance in the interlayer *s*-wave scattering channel. In the positive detuning side of the resonance, the strong *repulsive* interlayer pseudo-potential can drive the system into a maximally entangled state, where the wavefunction is a superposition of two states that have all molecules in one of the two layers and none in the other. We critically discuss how the zero-energy resonance, dimer states and the maximally entangled state can be measured in time-of-flight experiments.

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