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Anomalous Beating Pattern in Wurtzite $Al_xGa_{1-x}N/GaN$ Heterostructures¹ WAN-TSANG WANG, Dept. of Physics, NSYSU, Kaohsiung, Taiwan and Research Center for Applied Sciences Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, IKAI LO, MING-HONG GAU, YEN-LIANG CHEN, JIH-CHEN CHIANG, Department of Physisc, Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, National Sun Yat-Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Republic of China — We have confirmed the kdependent spin splitting in wurtzite $Al_xGa_{1-x}N/GaN$ heterostructures. Anomalous beating pattern in Shubnikov-de Haas measurements arises from the interference of Rashba and Dresselhaus spin-orbit interactions. The dominant mechanism for the k-dependent spin splitting at high value k is attributed to Dresselhaus term which is enhanced by the $\Delta_{C1} - \Delta_{C3}$ coupling of wurtzite band folding effect.

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