

Determination of Rashba and Dresselhaus coefficient in InGaAs quantum wells¹ SÉBASTIEN FANIEL, Université catholique de Louvain, TORU MATSUURA, Hokkaido University, SHUNSUKE MINESHIGE, GSIST, Hokkaido University, YOSHIAKI SEKINE, NTT BRL, NTT Corp, TAKAAKI KOGA, GSIST, Hokkaido University — We report the determination of the intrinsic spin-orbit interaction (SOI) parameters for $\text{In}_{0.53}\text{Ga}_{0.47}\text{As}/\text{In}_{0.52}\text{Al}_{0.48}\text{As}$ quantum wells (QWs) from the analysis of the weak antilocalization effect measured at dilution temperature [1]. We found that the Dresselhaus SOI is mostly negligible relative to the Rashba SOI in this system. The intrinsic parameter for the Rashba effect, $a_{\text{SO}} \equiv \alpha/\langle E_z \rangle$, is determined to be $a_{\text{SO}}m^*/m_e = (1.46 - 1.51 \times 10^{-17} N_{\text{S}} [\text{m}^{-2}]) e\text{\AA}^2$, where α is the Rashba SOI coefficient, $\langle E_z \rangle$ is the expected electric field within the QW, m^*/m_e is the electron effective mass ratio, and N_{S} is the sheet carrier density. The N_{S} dependence of a_{SO} corresponds to the non-parabolic correction in the effective mass or electron g-factor. These values for $a_{\text{SO}}m^*$, which are in good agreement with the theoretical prediction by Kane's $\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{p}$ theory, were also confirmed by the observation of beatings in the Shubnikov-de Haas oscillations in our most asymmetric QW sample.

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