Abstract Submitted for the MAR13 Meeting of The American Physical Society

NMR study of spin fluctuations and superconductivity in $LaFeAsO_{1-x}H_x^{-1}$ NAOKI FUJIWARA, RYOSUKE SAKURAI, Graduate School of Human & Environmental Studies, Kyoto University, SOUSHI IIMURA, SATORU MATSUISHI, HIDEO HOSONO, Material and structures laboratory (MSL), Tokyo Institute of Technology, YOICHI YAMAKAWA, HIROSHI KONTANI, Department of Physics, Nagoya University and JST, TRIP — We have performed NMR measurements in LaFeAsO_{1-x} H_x , an isomorphic compound of LaFeAsO_{1-x} F_x . $LaFeAsO_{1-x}H_x$ is most recently known for having double superconducting (SC) domes on H doping. LaFeAsO $_{1-x}H_x$ is an electron- doped system, and protons act as H^{-1} as well as F^{-1} . The first SC dome is very similar between F and H doping, suggesting that H doping supplies the same amount of electrons as F doping. Interestingly, an excess amount of H up to x=0.5 can be replaced with O^{2-} . In the H-overdoped regime (x > 0.2), LaFeAsO_{1-x}H_x undergoes the second superconducting state [1]. We measured the relaxation rate of LaFeAsO_{1-x} H_x for x=0.2 and 0.4, and fond an anomalous electronic state; spin fluctuations measured from $1/T_1T$ is enhanced with increasing the doping level from x = 0.2 to 0.4. The enhancement of spin fluctuations with increasing carrier doping is a new phenomenon that has not observed in LaFeAsO_{1-x} F_x in which the upper limit of the doping level is at most x = 0.2. We will discuss the phenomenon in relation to superconductivity.

[1] S. Iimura, et.al., Nature Communications (2012)

¹Grant (KAKENHI 23340101) from the Ministry of Education, Sports and Science, Japan

Naoki Fujiwara Graduate School of Human & Environmental Studies, Kyoto University

Date submitted: 15 Nov 2012

Electronic form version 1.4