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Single-electron regime and Pauli spin blockade in a silicon metaloxide-semiconductor double quantum dot¹ SOPHIE ROCHETTE, Université de Sherbrooke, GREGORY A. TEN EYCK, TAMMY PLUYM, MICHAEL P. LILLY, MALCOLM S. CARROLL, Sandia National Laboratories, MICHEL PIORO-LADRIÈRE, Université de Sherbrooke — Silicon quantum dots are promising candidates for quantum information processing as spin qubits with long coherence time. We present electrical transport measurements on a silicon metaloxide-semiconductor (MOS) double quantum dot (DQD). First, Coulomb diamonds measurements demonstrate the one-electron regime at a relatively high temperature of 1.5 K. Then, the 8 mK stability diagram shows Pauli spin blockade with a large singlet-triplet separation of approximatively 0.40 meV, pointing towards a strong lifting of the valley degeneracy. Finally, numerical simulations indicate that by integrating a micro-magnet to those devices, we could achieve fast spin rotations of the order of 30 ns. Those results are part of the recent body of work demonstrating the potential of Si MOS DQD as reliable and long-lived spin qubits that could be ultimately integrated into modern electronic facilities.

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