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The pressure effects on the antiferromagentic orders in iron-based ladder compounds $BaFe_2S_3$ SONGXUE CHI, Quantum Condensed Matter Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, YOSHIYA UWATOKO, None, YASUYUKI HIRATA, KENYA OHGUSHI, Institute for Solid State Physics (ISSP), University of Tokyo — The ladder compounds have recently become a new test ground for the studies on Fe-based superconductors. The building block for such materials, the two-leg Fe ladder surrounded by edge-sharing chalcogen tetrahedra, has provided a quasi-one-dimensional channel for the remaining critical issues in this field. Recently, superconductivity was successfully induced by pressure in one of such compounds, $BaFe_2S_3$. The knowledge of the pressure effect on its antiferromagnetic order is crucial in understanding the superconductivity in the low-dimensional system. I will present the results of our neutron diffraction studies on the evolution of the magnetic phase under hydraulic pressure in single crystalline $BaFe_2S_3$.

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