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## **[129] Evidence for even parity unconventional superconductivity in Sr<sub>2</sub>RuO<sub>4</sub>**

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The idea that unconventional superconductivity (SC) in Sr<sub>2</sub>RuO<sub>4</sub> is a solid-state analogue to superfluid <sup>3</sup>He-A has been recently overturned. Here we use <sup>17</sup>O NMR spectroscopy to probe the SC state in Sr<sub>2</sub>RuO<sub>4</sub> in the limit  $T \rightarrow 0$  down to  $B/B_c \approx 0.2$ . While the NMR Knight shift  $K$  includes contributions of both field-induced quasiparticles (QP) and a possible spin polarization of the condensate, the specific heat  $C/T$  includes only the QP term. By comparing the field dependences of  $K$  and  $C/T$ , we establish an upper bound for the condensate response of  $< 10\%$  of the normal-state susceptibility, which is sufficient to exclude odd-parity candidates [1].

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