



Spin Transport in Spintronics

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We study spin current generation and manipulation, and spin Hall effects in a variety of materials and hybrid systems[1]. We present the linear response theory of the spin current generation [2] and apply the theory to a variety of systems. Particular emphasis is placed on i) spin transport in half-metallic ferromagnets[3], ii) spin Seebeck effect in ferrimagnets[4], and iii) effect of spin fluctuations on spin pumping[5].

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