

Quantum Imaging of Magnetic Phase Transitions and Spin Fluctuations in Intrinsic Magnetic Topological Nanoflakes

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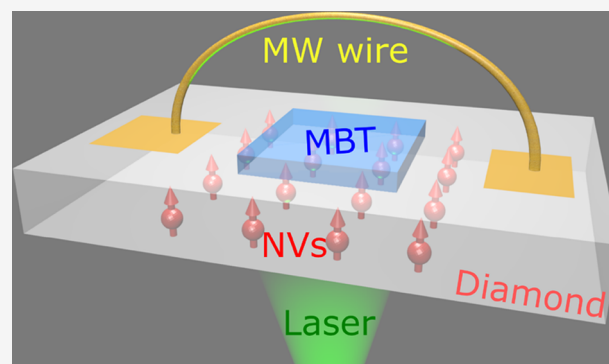
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ABSTRACT: Topological materials featuring exotic band structures, unconventional current flow patterns, and emergent organizing principles offer attractive platforms for the development of next-generation transformative quantum electronic technologies. The family of MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n materials is naturally relevant in this context due to their nontrivial band topology, tunable magnetism, and recently discovered extraordinary quantum transport behaviors. Despite numerous pioneering studies to date, the local magnetic properties of MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n remain an open question, hindering a comprehensive understanding of their fundamental material properties. Exploiting nitrogen-vacancy (NV) centers in diamond, we report nanoscale quantum imaging of the magnetic phase transitions and spin fluctuations in exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flakes, revealing the underlying spin transport physics and magnetic domains at the nanoscale. Our results highlight the unique advantage of NV centers in exploring the magnetic properties of emergent quantum materials, opening new opportunities for investigating the interplay between topology and magnetism.

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The interplay between magnetism and band topology promises to bring a plethora of exotic behaviors in emergent quantum materials, such as the quantum anomalous Hall effect,^{1–6} surface ferromagnetism,^{7–11} topological magnetoelectric effect,^{12,13} and many others.^{14–16} Over the past few years, the family of MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n materials has emerged as an attractive platform for exploring topologically dictated quantum spin and charge transport behaviors at relatively high temperatures.^{4,17–26} The discovery and understanding of these emergent material properties of two-dimensional (2D) MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n materials relies on concurrent developments in theory, material synthesis, and sensitive metrology tools capable of characterizing local magnetic properties at the nanoscale, which remains a formidable challenge given the current state of the art. The major difficulty results from the significantly reduced magnetic flux generated by the weak or nearly compensated magnetic moment of 2D MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n samples, which is beyond the detection limit of most conventional magnetometry techniques. While some methods such as magneto-optic-Kerr-effect microscopy,²⁷ reflective magnetic circular dichroism,¹⁷ and Raman spectroscopy^{28,29} could be employed to qualitatively diagnose the magnetic states of 2D MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n flakes, these techniques provide limited quantitative information about local magnetization, and the field sensitivity of these tools is

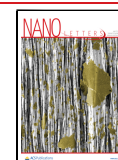
often compromised by interference effects and constrained by the optical diffraction limit.

To address this challenge we introduce nitrogen-vacancy (NV) centers, optically active atomic defects in diamond that act as single-spin sensors,^{30–32} to perform nanoscale quantum imaging of MnBi_4Te_7 nanoflakes. By performing spatially resolved NV wide-field magnetometry measurements,^{33–36} we directly image the local magnetization of MnBi_4Te_7 nanoflakes and the characteristic multidomain evolution behavior in a first-order magnetic transition process. Using NV relaxometry methods,^{37–41} we have observed spatially varied dynamic magnetic fluctuations in MnBi_4Te_7 , revealing the underlying spin transport physics and the low-frequency spin dynamics hosted by domain walls in these magnetic materials. We expect that the presented NV quantum sensing platform can be readily extended to a large family of layered van der Waals crystals,^{31,42,43} providing ample opportunities for investigating

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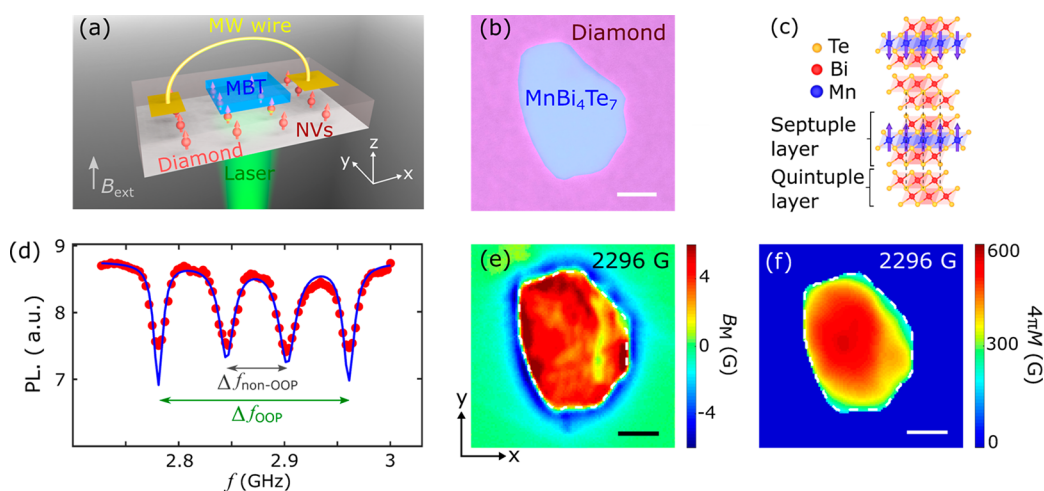


Figure 1. (a) Schematic of an exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake transferred onto a [111] oriented diamond membrane for nitrogen-vacancy (NV) wide-field magnetometry measurements. (b) Optical image of a prepared diamond- MnBi_4Te_7 device. (c) Schematic of the crystal and magnetic structures of MnBi_4Te_7 . (d) Optically detected magnetic resonance spectrum of NV centers contained in [111] oriented diamond with an external field B_{ext} applied along the out-of-plane (OOP) direction. The experimental spectrum is comprised of two pairs of resonance peaks corresponding to the Zeeman splitting of NV spins with OOP orientation and NV spins aligned along other directions (non-OOP). (e,f) Two-dimensional images of static stray field B_M (e) and reconstructed magnetization $4\pi M$ (f) of the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake measured at 4.5 K with $B_{\text{ext}} = 2296$ G. The white dashed lines mark the boundary of the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake, and the scale bar is 4 μm in panels b, e, and f.

the local spin dynamics and transport behaviors in a broad range of quantum materials.^{41,44–46}

Figure 1a shows a schematic of our measurement platform, in which a [111] oriented diamond sample⁴⁷ containing shallowly implanted NV ensembles is used for the quantum sensing measurements. Note that one of the four possible NV orientations is along the out-of-plane direction (z axis), serving as an ideal local sensor to investigate the magnetic dynamics and phase transition of MnBi_4Te_7 with spontaneous perpendicular anisotropy. An 83 nm thick exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake with lateral dimensions of approximately $\sim 10 \times 14 \mu\text{m}^2$ is transferred onto the diamond surface, as shown in Figure 1b (see Supporting Information Section 1). Figure 1c illustrates the crystal and magnetic structure of MnBi_4Te_7 , where the magnetic septuple layer (MnBi_2Te_4) and the nonmagnetic quintuple layer (Bi_2Te_3) stack alternately.⁴⁸ In the magnetic ground state, moments carried by the Mn^{2+} ions in individual septuple layers align parallel with each other along the out-of-plane direction due to the dominant intralayer ferromagnetic exchange interaction. Neighboring septuple layers are antiferromagnetically coupled, but can be driven into a ferromagnetic configuration by applying a sufficiently strong external perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} .

We first utilize NV spin sensors to image the field-driven antiferromagnetic-to-ferromagnetic phase transition of the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake. The dc NV wide-field magnetometry measurements exploit the Zeeman splitting effect of the NV $S = 1$ electron spins to measure the local magnetic field along the NV-axis.^{30,31} Figure 1d shows an example of the measured NV ESR spectrum, which exhibits two pairs of Zeeman split NV spin energy levels. The outer pair corresponds to NV centers with the out-of-plane (OOP) orientation, whereas the inner pair is degenerate and corresponds to NV centers with axes along the other three possible directions.⁴⁷ The magnitude of the local static magnetic field B_{tot} can be extracted as $B_{\text{tot}} = \pi \Delta f_{\text{OOP}} / \tilde{\gamma}$, where Δf_{OOP} characterizes the Zeeman splitting of the OOP-oriented NVs, and $\tilde{\gamma}$ is the gyromagnetic ratio of the NV

centers. Subtracting the contribution from the external magnetic field B_{ext} , the magnetic stray field B_M generated from the MnBi_4Te_7 flake can be quantitatively measured. By performing spatially dependent optically detected magnetic resonance (ODMR) measurements over the NV ensembles, we can obtain a 2D stray field map as illustrated in Figure 1e, which is measured at a temperature $T = 4.5$ K and $B_{\text{ext}} = 2296$ G. Through established reverse-propagation protocols^{31,34} (see Supporting Information Section 2), the corresponding magnetization ($4\pi M$) map of the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake can be quantitatively extracted, as shown in Figure 1f.

To directly image the first-order magnetic phase transition, Figure 2a–f presents the obtained 2D magnetization maps of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake measured with an increasing perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} . In the low-field regime ($B_{\text{ext}} < 1000$ G), the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake exhibits a vanishingly small net magnetic moment, as shown in Figure 2a,b, due to the antiferromagnetic coupling between the neighboring magnetic septuple layers. A finite magnetic moment shown in the top left region of the flake results from field induced polarization. When B_{ext} increases to 1220 G, the characteristic spin flip transition propagates from the top left area of the flake, leading to a “partial” ferromagnetic state with enhanced local magnetization. Such a “partial” ferromagnetic phase features a coexistence of ferromagnetic and antiferromagnetic ordering of septuple layers along the out-of-plane direction due to the weak interlayer exchange coupling. Note that the remaining area of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake stays in the antiferromagnetic ground state with the formation of incipient magnetic domain walls at locations with the lowest energy barrier, as shown in Figure 2c. The observed spin flip transition expands to the entire MnBi_4Te_7 flake through domain wall propagation with increasing perpendicular field [Figure 2d,e] and the local magnetization further increases as the individual magnetic septuple layers become fully aligned. When $B_{\text{ext}} > 2000$ G, this magnetic phase transition concludes with a saturated local magnetization, as shown in Figure 2f. The variation of the local magnetization of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake may result from

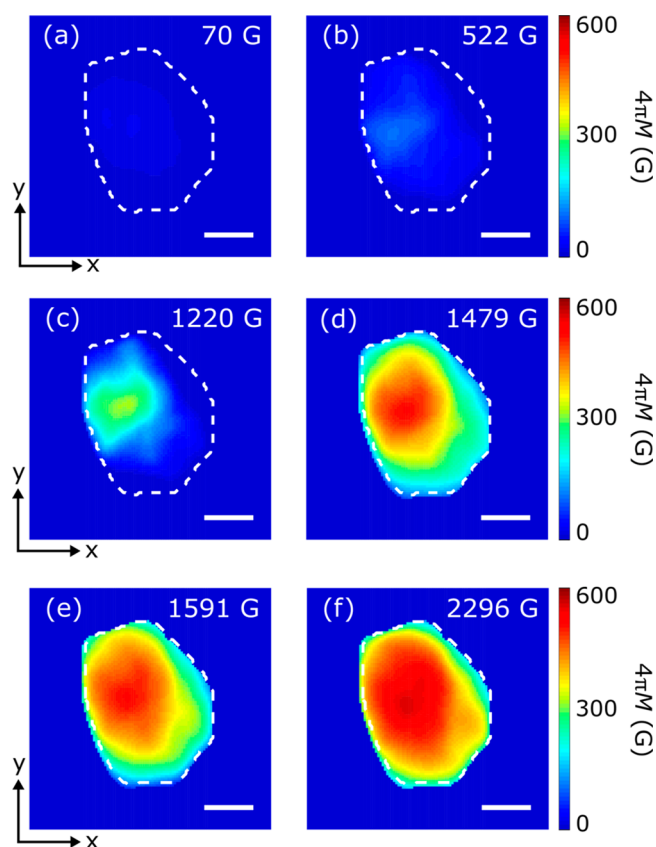


Figure 2. (a–f) Reconstructed magnetization ($4\pi M$) maps of an MnBi₄Te₇ flake measured at 4.5 K and $B_{\text{ext}} = 70$ G (a), 522 G (b), 1220 G (c), 1479 G (d), 1591 G (e), and 2296 G (f), respectively. The white dashed lines mark the boundary of the exfoliated flake, and the scale bar is 4 μm.

inhomogeneities,⁴⁹ magnetic domains,^{27,50} and localized defects.⁵¹ The presented results highlight a spatially nonuniform spin flip transition process of the 2D MnBi₄Te₇ flake at the nanoscale, exhibiting magnetic domain nucleation and domain wall propagation behaviors.

As qubit-based magnetometers, NV centers possess excellent quantum coherence,³⁰ providing opportunities for probing fluctuating magnetic fields that are challenging to access by conventional magnetometry methods.^{37,38,40,41} Next, we apply NV wide-field magnetometry to directly measure dynamic magnetic fluctuations in an exfoliated MnBi₄Te₇ flake, from which the underlying spin transport physics and the low-frequency spin dynamics hosted by magnetic domain walls in this magnetic topological material can be revealed. Figure 3a shows the dispersion of bulk MnBi₄Te₇ with an energy gap of ~51 GHz (see Supporting Information Section 3). At thermal equilibrium, fluctuations of the transverse and longitudinal spin density of MnBi₄Te₇ generate fluctuating stray fields, as illustrated in Figure 3b. Microscopically, the transverse spin fluctuations vanish below the magnon band minimum and are related to single magnon processes.^{41,52} The longitudinal spin fluctuations are related to two-magnon processes,^{39,45,46} where a magnon with frequency f is scattered to another one with frequency $f \pm f_{2m}$, emitting (absorbing) magnetic noise at frequency f_{2m} .

Experimentally, we used NV relaxometry techniques to detect the fluctuating magnetic fields generated by spin fluctuations in the MnBi₄Te₇ flake. The top panel of Figure 3c shows the optical and microwave measurement sequence. A green laser pulse first initializes the NV spin to the $m_s = 0$ state. Spin fluctuations in the MnBi₄Te₇ sample couple to proximate NV centers through the dipole–dipole interaction. Fluctuating magnetic fields at the NV ESR frequencies induce NV spin transitions from the $m_s = 0$ to the $m_s = \pm 1$ states, leading to an enhancement of the NV relaxation rate Γ .^{37–41} After a delay time t , we measure the occupation probabilities of the NV spin

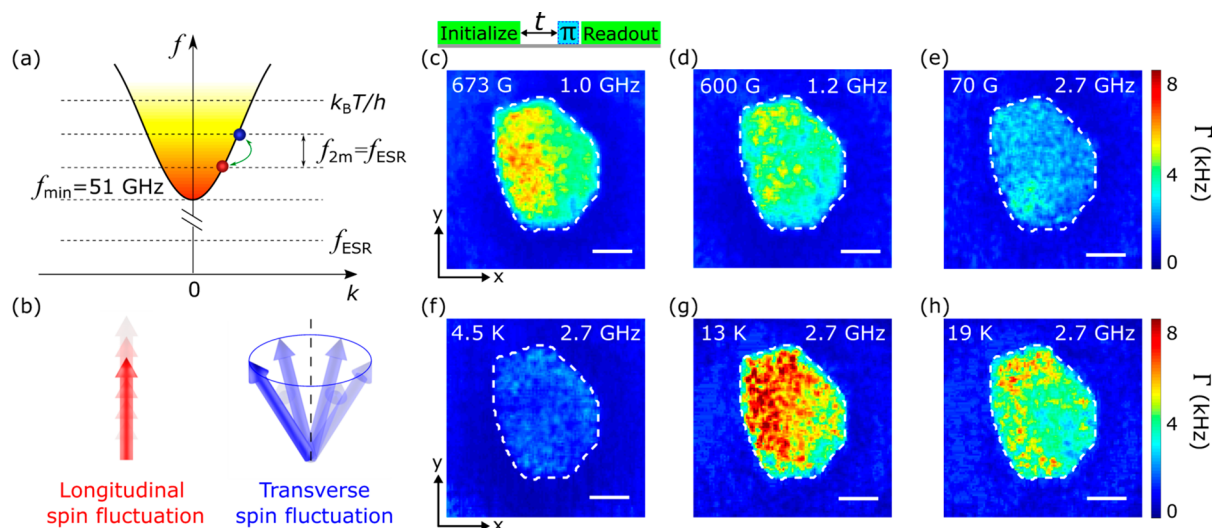


Figure 3. (a) Sketch of the magnon dispersion of bulk MnBi₄Te₇. The magnon occupation follows the Bose–Einstein distribution as indicated by the fading colors. The minimal magnon frequency f_{min} is ~51 GHz, which is much larger than the NV electron spin resonance frequencies f_{ESR} in our measured field range. The longitudinal spin fluctuations with a characteristic frequency of f_{2m} are associated with two-magnon scattering processes and couple with a NV center through dipolar interactions. (b) Schematic of the dynamic fluctuations of the longitudinal and transverse spin density. (c–e) NV spin relaxation maps measured at f_{ESR} of 1.0 GHz (c), 1.2 GHz (d), and 2.7 GHz (e) at 8.5 K. Top panel of (c): optical and microwave sequence of NV relaxometry measurements. (f–h) NV spin relaxation maps measured at 4.5 K (f), 13 K (g), and 19 K (h) with $f_{\text{ESR}} = 2.7$ GHz. The white dashed lines mark the boundary of the exfoliated flake, and scale bar is 4 μm in panels c–h.

in the $m_s = 0$ and the $m_s = \pm 1$ states by applying a microwave π -pulse at the corresponding ESR frequencies and measuring the spin-dependent photoluminescence via a green-laser readout pulse.⁵³ By measuring the integrated photoluminescence intensity as a function of the delay time t and fitting the data with a three-level model,^{41,52} the NV relaxation rates can be quantitatively obtained (see Supporting Information Section 4). We highlight that in the low-field regime with a quasi-uniform magnetic domain structure, the NV ESR frequencies in our measurements are much lower than the minimum magnon energy of MnBi_4Te_7 . Thus, the measured NV relaxation is driven primarily by longitudinal spin fluctuations. In contrast, in the high-field regime where multidomains form during the spin flip transition of MnBi_4Te_7 , the magnetic noise generated by the low-frequency spin dynamics hosted by magnetic domain walls^{40,54} also plays a role.

We focus our NV relaxometry measurements in the low-field regime to detect the longitudinal spin fluctuations of the MnBi_4Te_7 nanoflake. Figure 3c–e shows the 2D maps of the measured NV relaxation rate at 8.5 K at ESR frequencies of 1.0, 1.2, and 2.7 GHz, respectively. The applied perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} is below 800 G to ensure a quasi-single magnetic domain feature of the sample. Notably, the measured NV spin relaxation rate Γ is significantly enhanced in the diamond area covered by the MnBi_4Te_7 flake. The magnitude of Γ decreases with increasing NV ESR frequency, suggesting that a larger energy difference invoked in the two-magnon process discussed above suppresses longitudinal spin fluctuations, in qualitative agreement with our theoretical model (see Supporting Information Section 5).^{45,46} Figure 3f–h shows the 2D NV relaxation maps measured at an ESR frequency of 2.7 GHz at 4.5, 13, and 19 K, respectively. When $T = 4.5$ K, the magnetic fluctuations are suppressed due to the reduced thermal magnon energy, leading to negligible NV spin relaxation. Notably, we observed significantly enhanced longitudinal spin fluctuations at a temperature of 13 K, which is expected due to the increase in the magnetic susceptibility of MnBi_4Te_7 around the Néel temperature T_N .⁴⁸ When $T = 19$ K, longitudinal spin fluctuations remain, which is attributed to the finite spin–spin correlation in the paramagnetic state.⁵⁵ The observed spatially varying magnetic fluctuations over the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake could be induced by inhomogeneities in magnetic susceptibility, spin diffusion constant, and exchange coupling strength.

The measured NV relaxation rate driven by longitudinal spin fluctuations at the NV ESR frequency f_{ESR} is related by the fluctuation–dissipation theorem to the dynamic spin susceptibility χ'' of the MnBi_4Te_7 sample and the NV transfer function in the high temperature limit as follows^{45,46}

$$\Gamma(f_{\text{ESR}}) = \frac{(\gamma\tilde{\gamma})^2 k_B T}{2\pi f_{\text{ESR}}} \int \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{k}, d) \chi''(\mathbf{k}, D) d\mathbf{k} + \Gamma^0 \quad (1)$$

where the first term on the right represents the NV relaxation rate Γ^M induced by spin dynamics of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake and Γ^0 is the intrinsic NV relaxation rate that is independent of the spin dynamics of MnBi_4Te_7 . γ and $\tilde{\gamma}$ are the gyromagnetic ratio of the magnetic sample and NV centers, k_B is the Boltzmann constant, T is temperature, $\mathbf{k}$ is the magnon wavevector, $\mathcal{F}(\mathbf{k}, d)$ is the transfer function⁵² describing the magnetic fields generated at the NV site, and d is the NV-to-sample distance. The dynamic spin susceptibility χ'' reflects underlying spin

transport properties of a magnetic sample, which can be expressed as a function of the intrinsic spin diffusion constant D and the static longitudinal magnetic susceptibility per layer χ_0 via the conventional diffusion equation^{46,56} (see Supporting Information Section 5). By measuring the NV relaxation rate as a function of ESR frequency, we can extract the key material parameters D and χ_0 of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake. Figure 4a plots a

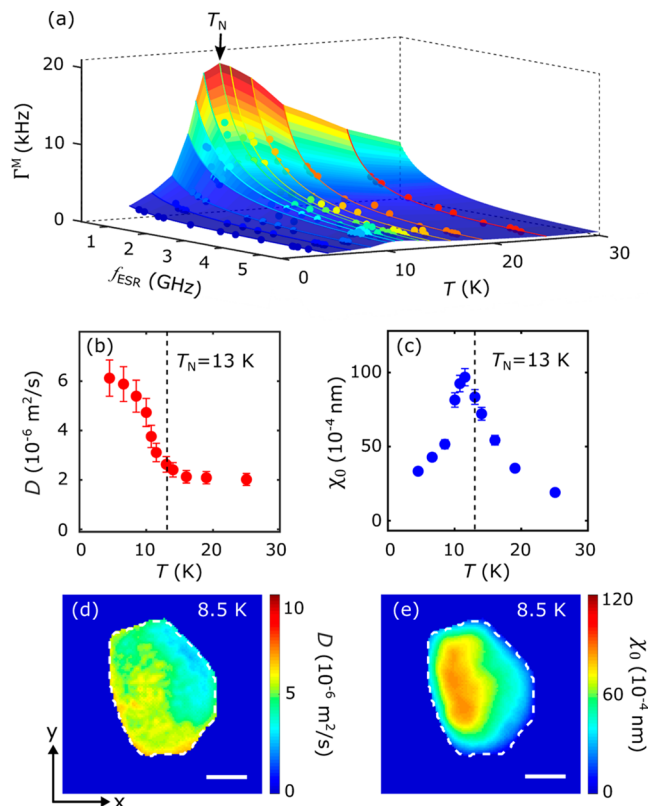


Figure 4. (a) NV relaxation rates Γ^M measured as a function of temperature and the NV electron spin resonance frequency f_{ESR} , from which the spin diffusion constant and magnetic susceptibility per layer can be extracted. The solid lines are fitting curves to the theoretical calculation. (b) Intrinsic spin diffusion constant D measured as a function of temperature. (c) Temperature dependence of the obtained longitudinal static magnetic susceptibility χ_0 . (d,e) Two-dimensional images of D and χ_0 of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake at 8.5 K. The white dashed lines mark the boundary of the exfoliated flake, and the scale bar is 4 μm .

three-dimensional map of the spatially averaged NV relaxation rates Γ^M of the flake as a function of ESR frequency and temperature. The variation of the NV relaxation rate agrees well with the theoretical model of eq 1 from which the intrinsic spin diffusion constant D and the static longitudinal magnetic susceptibility χ_0 of MnBi_4Te_7 at individual temperatures can be extracted, as presented in Figure 4b–c. D is obtained to be $(6.1 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$ at 4.5 K, in qualitative agreement with the theoretical estimation of $D = v^2\tau/2$ ⁵⁷ when taking the magnon velocity to be $v \sim 1 \text{ km/s}$ ⁴⁸ and the momentum scattering time $\tau \sim 10 \text{ ps}$. Below the Néel temperature ($\sim 13 \text{ K}$) of MnBi_4Te_7 , D monotonically decreases as the temperature increases due to a reduction of τ caused by enhanced Umklapp scattering.⁵⁸ When $T > 14 \text{ K}$, D decays to an approximately constant value and the residual spin transport capability results from atomic scale thermal spin fluctuations. The obtained static magnetic susceptibility χ_0 generally agrees with previous measurements

of bulk MnBi_4Te_7 samples.⁴⁸ As shown in Figure 4c, χ_0 reaches a peak value of $(9.9 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-3}$ nm around the Néel temperature of MnBi_4Te_7 , which is consistent with the antiferromagnetic phase transition.⁴⁸ Figure 4d,e shows the obtained 2D maps of spin diffusion constant D and static magnetic susceptibility χ_0 of the exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake, respectively, measured at 8.5 K. Note that the enhanced χ_0 in the top left region of the flake is consistent with the observed larger field-induced magnetic moment, as shown in Figure 2a,b.

Next, we move to the high-field regime to image spin fluctuations generated by magnetic domain walls in an MnBi_4Te_7 flake during the spin flip transition. In magnetic topological materials, domain walls serve as intrinsic boundaries between two topological states with opposite chiralities.^{15,59} Because the Chern number must change discontinuously across neighboring magnetic domains, chiral edge states are expected to reside along domain walls, offering an attractive platform to realize and engineer exotic quantum spin and charge transport behaviors.^{15,59} Figure 5a illustrates the evolution of magnetic phases of MnBi_4Te_7 as a function of increasing perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} . In the anti-

ferromagnetic and ferromagnetic states, the magnetization of each septuple layer is uniformly aligned and the bulk spin excitation energy of MnBi_4Te_7 is larger than the NV ESR frequencies in the accessible magnetic field range due to the large magnetic anisotropy. In this case, the NV-magnon coupling is mediated by longitudinal spin fluctuations as discussed above. During the spin flip transition, spins in individual septuple layers may flip mostly independently due to weak interlayer coupling. Nucleation of domain walls occurs at locations within of an exfoliated MnBi_4Te_7 flake where the energy barrier is the lowest and form partially magnetically flipped septuple layers, as illustrated in the middle panel of Figure 5a. The low-frequency spin dynamics hosted by magnetic domain walls will generate fluctuating magnetic stray fields,^{40,54} driving NV relaxation at the corresponding ESR energy.

Figure 5b–d shows NV wide-field static magnetization images of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake measured at 1311, 1442, and 2340 G, respectively. An applied perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} induces the formation of magnetic domains during the spin flip transition [Figure 5b,c]. Figure 5e–g shows 2D maps of the NV relaxation rate measured at the corresponding magnetic fields. Note that the background of the NV relaxation rate induced by longitudinal spin noise generated from bulk spin excitations has been subtracted to highlight the contribution Γ^D from the spin fluctuations in magnetic domain walls. (See Supporting Information Section 6 for details.) When $B_{\text{ext}} = 1311$ G, the top-left corner of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake becomes polarized while the rest of the sample remains partially magnetically flipped. This is accompanied by the formation of lateral magnetic domain walls that generate significantly enhanced magnetic noise. Note that the flipped area of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake expands when increasing B_{ext} to 1422 G and suppresses the NV relaxation rate, as shown in Figure 5f. When $B_{\text{ext}} = 2340$ G, MnBi_4Te_7 enters the fully saturated ferromagnetic state shown in Figure 5d, and generates a vanishingly small spin noise Γ^D due to the absence of magnetic domain walls. Qualitatively, the measured NV relaxation rate increases with the domain wall density, which is further related to the gradient of the magnetization (see Supporting Information Section 7 for details).

Direct imaging of magnetic domain walls in intrinsic magnetic topological materials could provide an opportunity to investigate the interplay between local magnetization and macroscopic quantum transport behaviors, for example, the high-temperature quantum anomalous Hall effect^{4–6,16} and layer Hall effect¹⁸ recently discovered in MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n. The spatial resolution of the presented NV wide-field imaging technique lies at the optical diffraction limit of ~ 500 nm. By employing scanning NV microscopy methods,^{31,32,40,42} we expect the spatial resolution to ultimately reach the tens of nanometers regime, offering new opportunities to uncover detailed microscopic features of magnetic patterns in quantum materials.

In summary, we have used NV centers as a nanoscale local probe to investigate magnetic phase transitions and spin fluctuations in magnetic topological materials. The spatially resolved NV magnetometry measurements reveal characteristic domain wall nucleation and propagation features during the spin flip transition of MnBi_4Te_7 flakes. By employing NV relaxometry techniques, we access the longitudinal spin fluctuations in MnBi_4Te_7 , from which the intrinsic spin diffusion constant and static magnetic susceptibility are

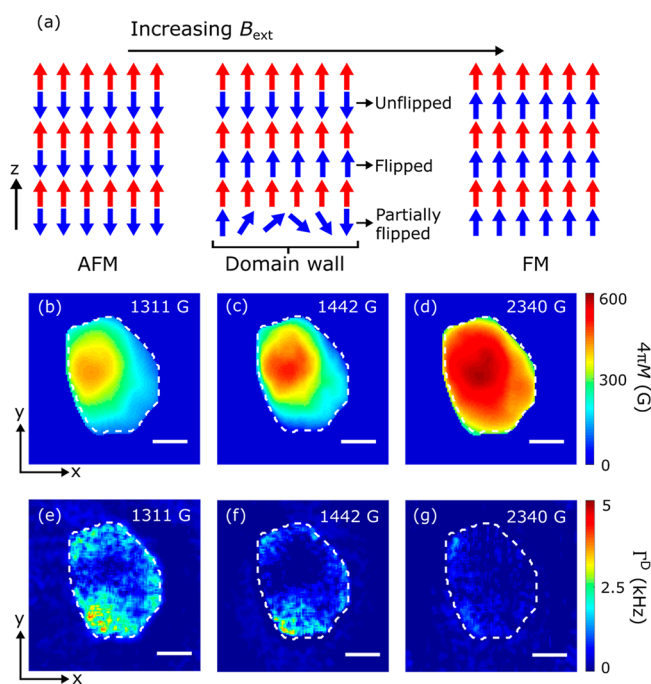


Figure 5. (a) Schematic of the evolution of the magnetic states of MnBi_4Te_7 as a function of increasing perpendicular magnetic field B_{ext} . In the ferromagnetic and antiferromagnetic phases, the magnetic moments of individual magnetic septuple layers are fully aligned parallel or antiparallel without the formation of magnetic domains. During the spin flip transition process, spins in individual septuple layers could flip mostly independently. Magnetic domain walls nucleate at locations where the energy barrier is lowest, leading to a magnetic gradient in the lateral direction of a partially flipped septuple layer. (b–d) Reconstructed magnetization maps of the MnBi_4Te_7 flake measured at B_{ext} of 1311 G (b), 1442 G (c), and 2340 G (d). (e–g) Magnetic domain wall-induced NV spin relaxation maps measured at the corresponding magnetic fields. The longitudinal spin noise generated from the bulk spin excitations has been subtracted to highlight the contribution Γ^D from the magnetic domain walls. The white dashed lines mark the boundary of the exfoliated flake, and the scale bar is 4 μm in panels b–g.

obtained. We also observe a dramatic increase of magnetic noise arising from magnetic domain walls in an MnBi_2Te_4 flake, which is attributed to low-frequency spin fluctuations hosted by spatially evolving magnetic textures. Because magnetic domain walls and spin fluctuations are fundamentally related to mesoscopic spin and charge transport in topological materials, nanoscale imaging of relevant material parameters will contribute to a comprehensive understanding of the exotic properties of the family of MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n materials (See Supporting Information Section 8 for details). Our results further illustrate the capabilities of NV centers in probing the nanoscale spin transport and dynamics in emergent condensed matter systems, opening new possibilities for investigating the interplay between magnetism and topology in a broad range of low-dimensional materials. The dynamic coupling between topological materials and NV spin qubits may also point to the possibility of developing NV-based hybrid architectures for next-generation quantum information sciences and technologies.⁵⁴

■ ASSOCIATED CONTENT

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Details on materials and methods; spinwave dispersion calculation; numerical analysis of NV results to extract magnetization, magnetic constants, relaxation rates, and domain wall density; additional measurements on other members of family of MnBi_2Te_4 (Bi_2Te_3)_n materials (PDF)

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