^{03,05} Negative Magnetoresistance Phenomenon in Diluted Granular Multilayers $Co_{80}Fe_{20}(t)|Al_2O_3$

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Several complex theories explaining the phenomenon of negative magnetoresistance (NMR) are discussed, observed in insulating diluted granular multilayers $Co_{80}Fe_{20}(t)|Al_2O_3$. In fact, this investigation is re-analyzing the experimental measurements of Co80Fe20 with low nominal thickness t = 0.7 mm of granular layers obtained by H.G. Silva et al. [18]. Two theories such as quantum interference model and localized magnetic moments model are confronted with experimental measurements in order to provide physical explanations to NMR phenomenon.

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