

Q16a A New Radio Continuum Study of the Large Magellanic Cloud Supernova Remnant MC SNR J0519–6902

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Supernova remnants (SNRs) play an essential role in the structure of galaxies, enriching the Interstellar Medium (ISM) as well as having a significant impact on the structure and physical properties of the ISM. MC SNR J0519–6902 (also known as LHG 26) is a young SNR, approximately 2700 years old, situated in the Large Magellanic Cloud. Previous radio continuum studies revealed an average linear polarisation across the remnant of $1.5 \pm 0.6\%$ and $4.1 \pm 0.6\%$ at 1472 and 2368 MHz. More recent measurements indicated average linear polarisation values of $\sim 2.2\%$ and $\sim 3.2\%$ at 5500 and 9000 MHz. Additionally, the overall rotation measure across the remnant was estimated to be around $\sim 10 \text{ rad m}^{-2}$. In this work, we present a new radio continuum study of MC SNR J0519–6902 (Alsaberi et al., 2025). With a diameter of $\sim 8 \text{ pc}$, this SNR shows a radio ring-like morphology with three bright regions toward the north, east, and south. Its linear polarisation is prominent with average values of $5 \pm 1\%$ and $6 \pm 1\%$ at 5500 and 9000 MHz, and we find a spectral index of -0.62 ± 0.02 , typical of a young SNR. The average rotation measure is estimated at $-124 \pm 83 \text{ rad m}^{-2}$ and the magnetic field strength at $\sim 11 \mu\text{G}$. We also estimate an equipartition magnetic field of $72 \pm 5 \mu\text{G}$ and minimum explosion energy of $E_{\text{min}} = 2.6 \times 10^{48} \text{ erg}$. Finally, we identified an H I cloud that may be associated with this remnant, located in the southeastern part of the remnant, along with a potential wind-bubble cavity.