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***Gamma spectroscopy as a tool to search for
particle-phonon coupled states:
status and perspectives***

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OUTLINE:

□ INTRODUCTION

- 1.** Importance of Particle-Phonon correlations in nuclear structure studies
- 2.** Experimental and Theoretical Approach
- 3.** The case of $^{49,47}\text{Ca}$:
Heavy-Ion Transfer reactions as a tool for complete in-beam γ -spectroscopy

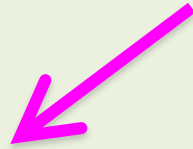
□ WORK in PROGRESS and PERSPECTIVES:

- 1.** Particle-Phonon Coupling around Ni Isotopes
- 2.** Future studies with RIB around ^{132}Sn

HOT topic in Nuclear Structure

Evolution of Shell Structure with N/Z

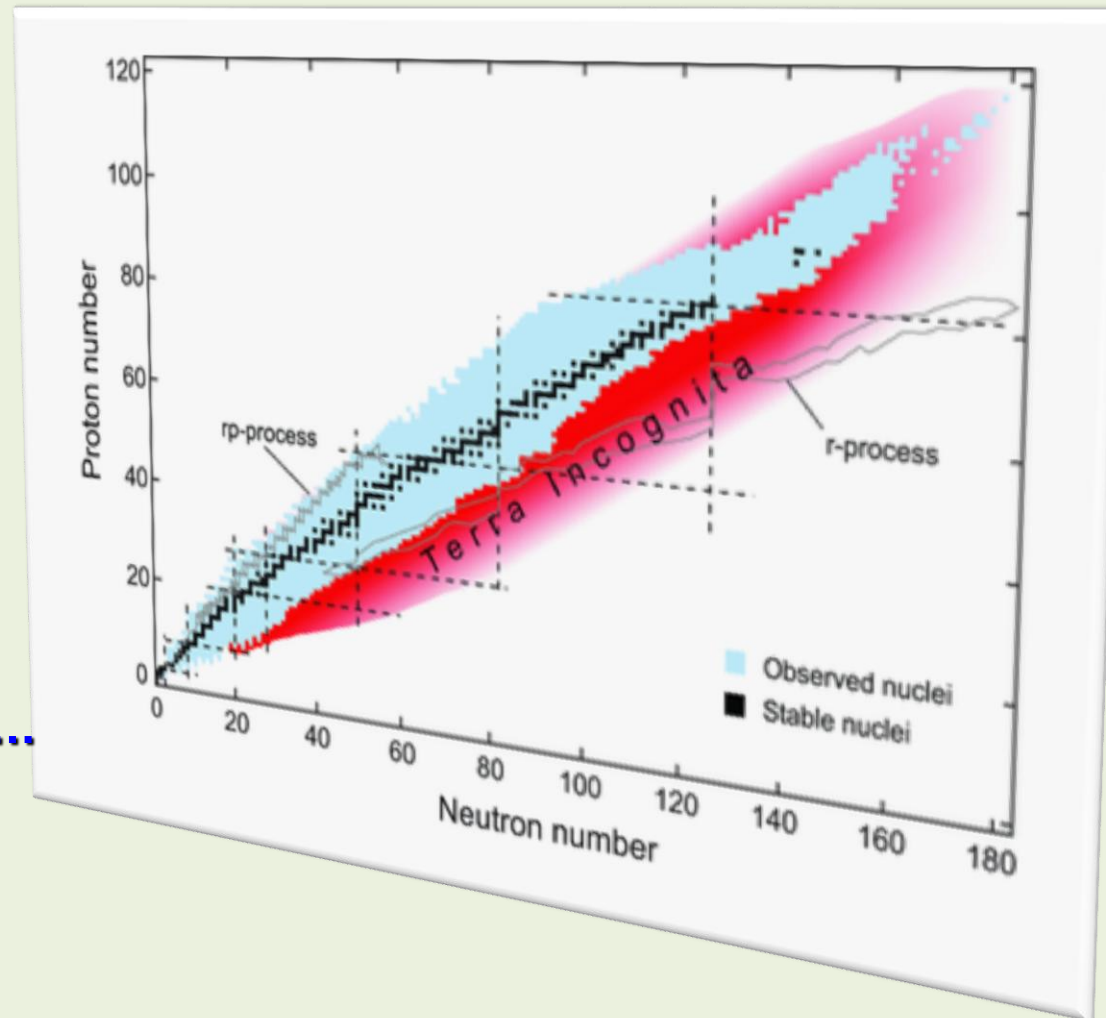
Study of Shell closures, Magic Numbers, Effective Nuclear Force, ...



- **Doubly Magic Nuclei**
- **Near to Magic Nuclei**
(1 and 2 nucleons away)

Experimental Tools

- **Coulex**
→ Collectivity $B(E2)$, $B(E3)$, ...
- **Knock-out, transfer reactions, ...**
→ **Spectroscopic Factors**
Purity of nuclear states
Single particle ($SF \sim 1$)
Correlations ($SF < 1$)



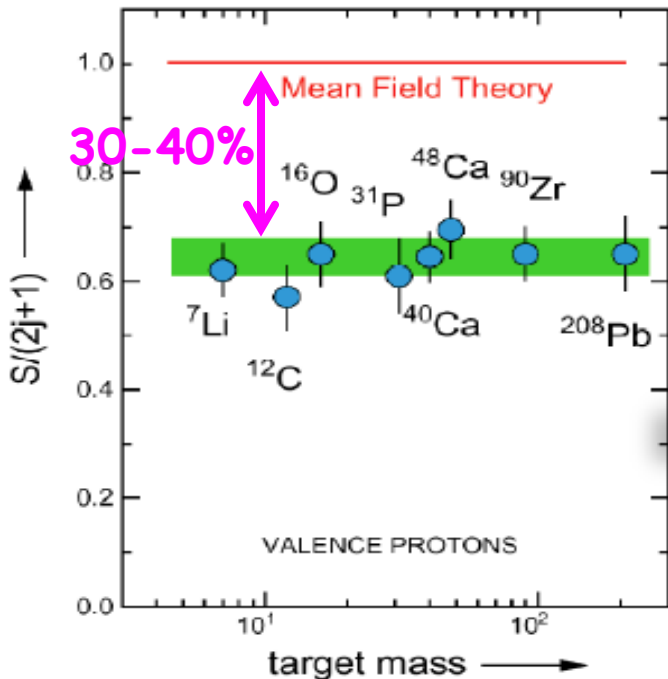
Spectroscopic Factors

Nature and Occupancy of single-particle orbits
 → Interplay Single-Particle and Collectivity

$$S_{l,j} = \frac{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{EX}}{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{DWBA}}$$

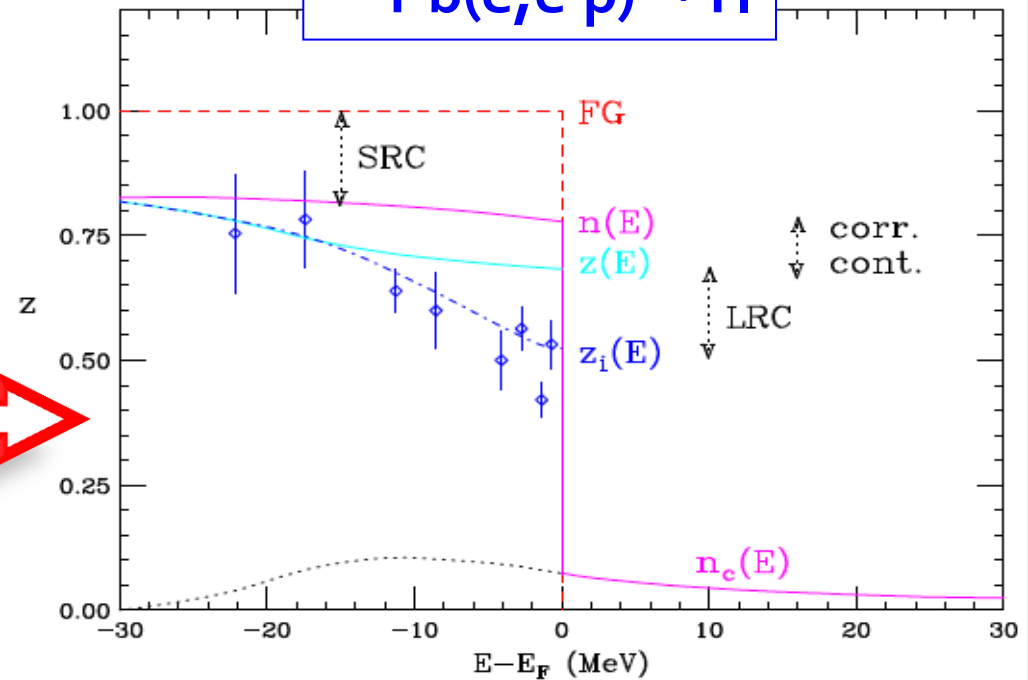
Crucial test of Shell Model and Interactions

L. Lapikas, Nucl. Phys. A553, 297c (1993)



30-40 % reduction of SF
 compared to
Independent Particle Model

$^{208}\text{Pb}(e, e'p)^{207}\text{Tl}$

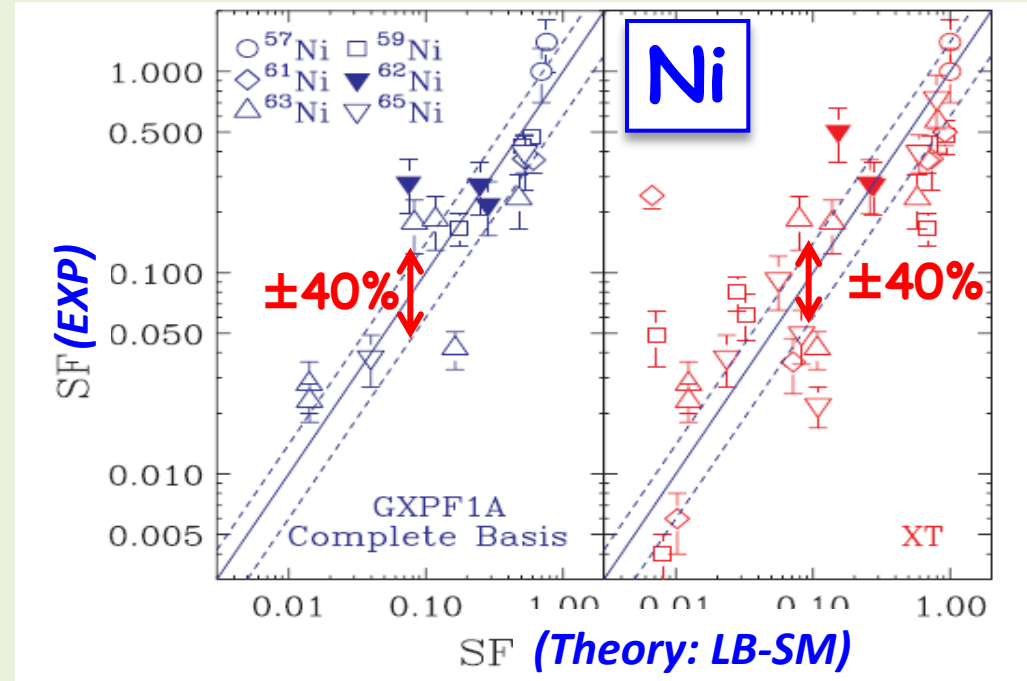
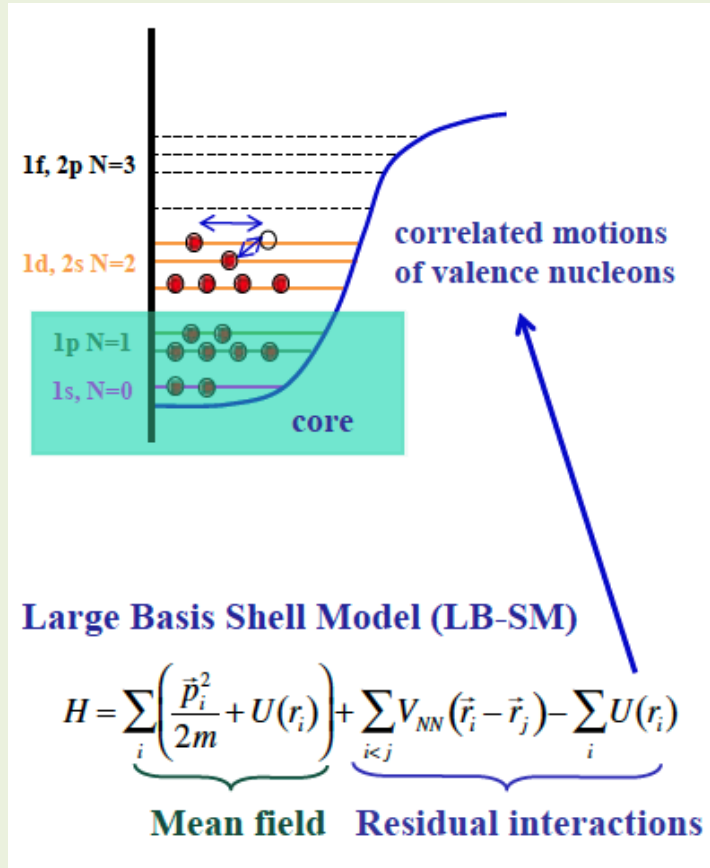


Quenching of SF due to correlations:
SHORT Range: Deeply Bound States
LONG Range (coupling to vibrations): Surface States

Large Basis Shell Model (LB-SM)

Correlations among valence nucleons

M.B. Tsang et al. PRL102(2009)062501



Source of discrepancies

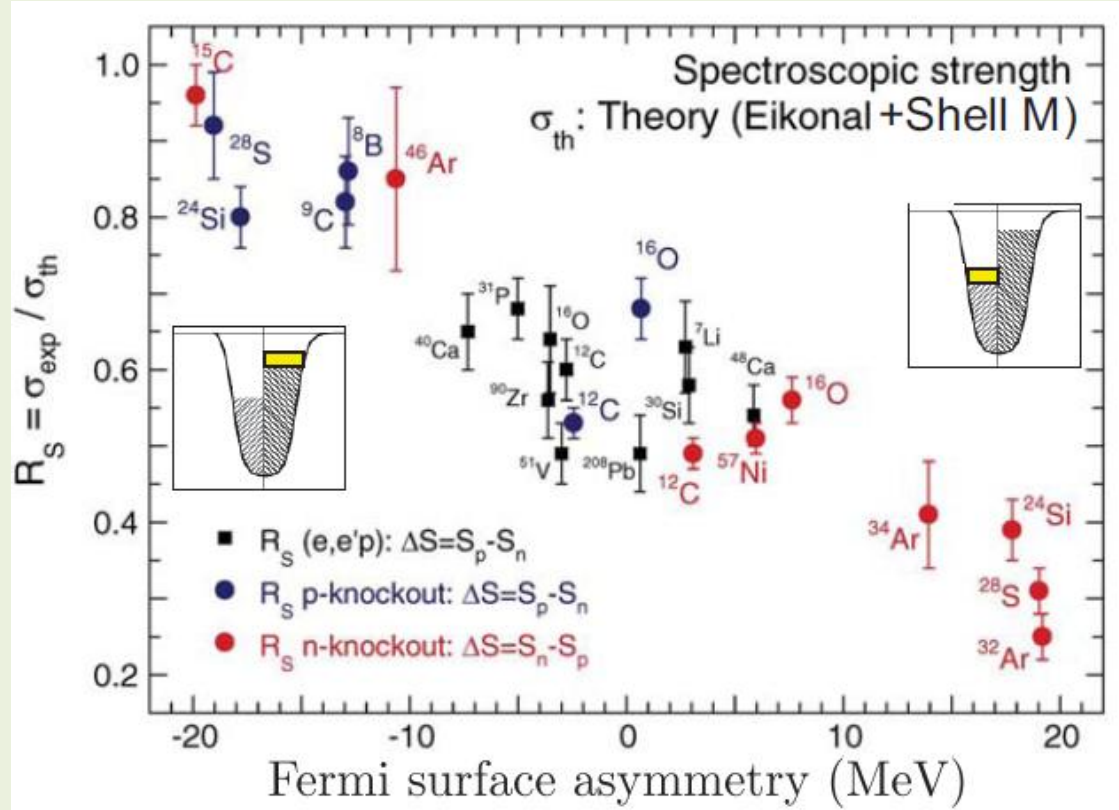
- Core excitations
- State fragmentation ...

**→ Coupling between Particle and Vibrations is not included ...
(LONG RANGE CORRELATION)**

Spectroscopic Factors Information from Exotic Nuclei

$$S_{l,j} = \frac{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{EX}}{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{DWBA}}$$

A. Gade et al. PRC77(2008)044306



Dependence on Fermi Surface

Enhanced *CORRELATIONS* in Strongly bound valence nucleons

Need for a more profound investigation of correlations
 → *Long Range Correlations*

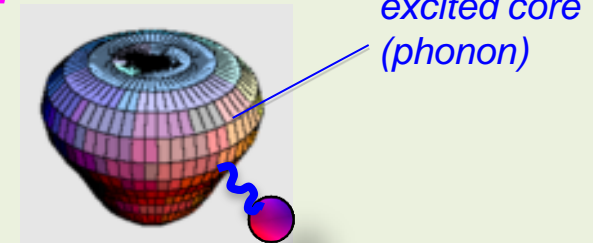
Focus on Long Range Correlations

→ *only partially included in Shell Model*

Coupling between Particle and Phonon

Key Ingredient for:

- ❑ Quenching of Spectroscopic Factors
- ❑ Anharmonicity of vibrational spectra
- ❑ Damping of Giant Resonances, ...
- ❑ Effective Masses, ...



Research Program in Milano
FOCUS on Particle-Phonon Coupled States
Systematic Study around magic nuclei: Ca, Ni, Sn, ...

Experiments:

Transfer with Heavy-Ions @ LNL
(n, γ) and (n,Fission) @ ILL
 ^7Li reactions @ Bucarest

→ *Preparatory work for
SPES, SPIRAL₂, HE-ISOLDE, ...*

Theory (Colò, Bortignon):

Coupling with 1 particle

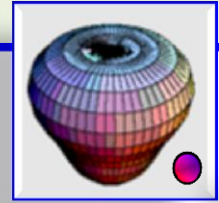
- *effective single particle levels*
- *coupling strength*

Coupling with 2 particles

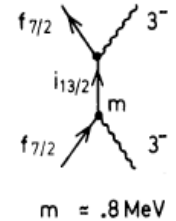
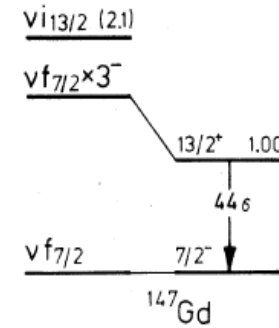
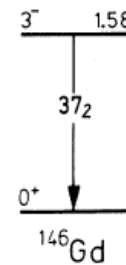
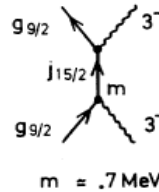
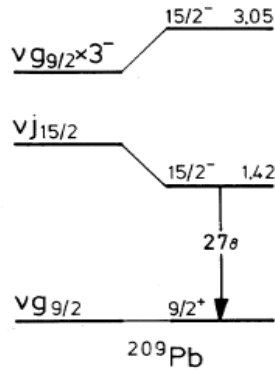
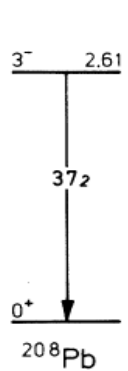
- *core + 2 particles model*
- *physics of pairing*

Dependence on Fermi Surface

Experimental STATUS



Up to now: **Scarce Information Mostly in Heavy-Masses**



A ~ 200

A ~ 150

- ^{209}Bi : Bohr & Mottelson, Vol. II.
- ^{209}Pb : P. Kleinheinz et al., PRL48(1982)1457
- ^{207}Pb : N. Pietralla et al., PLB681(2009)134

- $^{147}\text{Gd}, ^{147}\text{Tb}$: P. Kleinheinz et al., PRL48(1982)1457; P. Kleinheinz, Physica Scripta 24(1981)236.



Evidence for **Particle-phonon couplings** in **A~50 Nuclei**

$$^{49}\text{Ca}: 9/2^+ @ 4017 \text{ keV} = 3^- \otimes p_{3/2}$$

$$^{47}\text{Ca}: 11/2^+ @ 3999 \text{ keV} = 3^- \otimes f_{7/2}^{-1}$$

indication also in $^{41,43}\text{Ar}$: S. Szilner et al., PRC84(2011)014325

^{65}Co : F. Recchia et al., PRC85(2012)064305 *lifetime analysis ??*

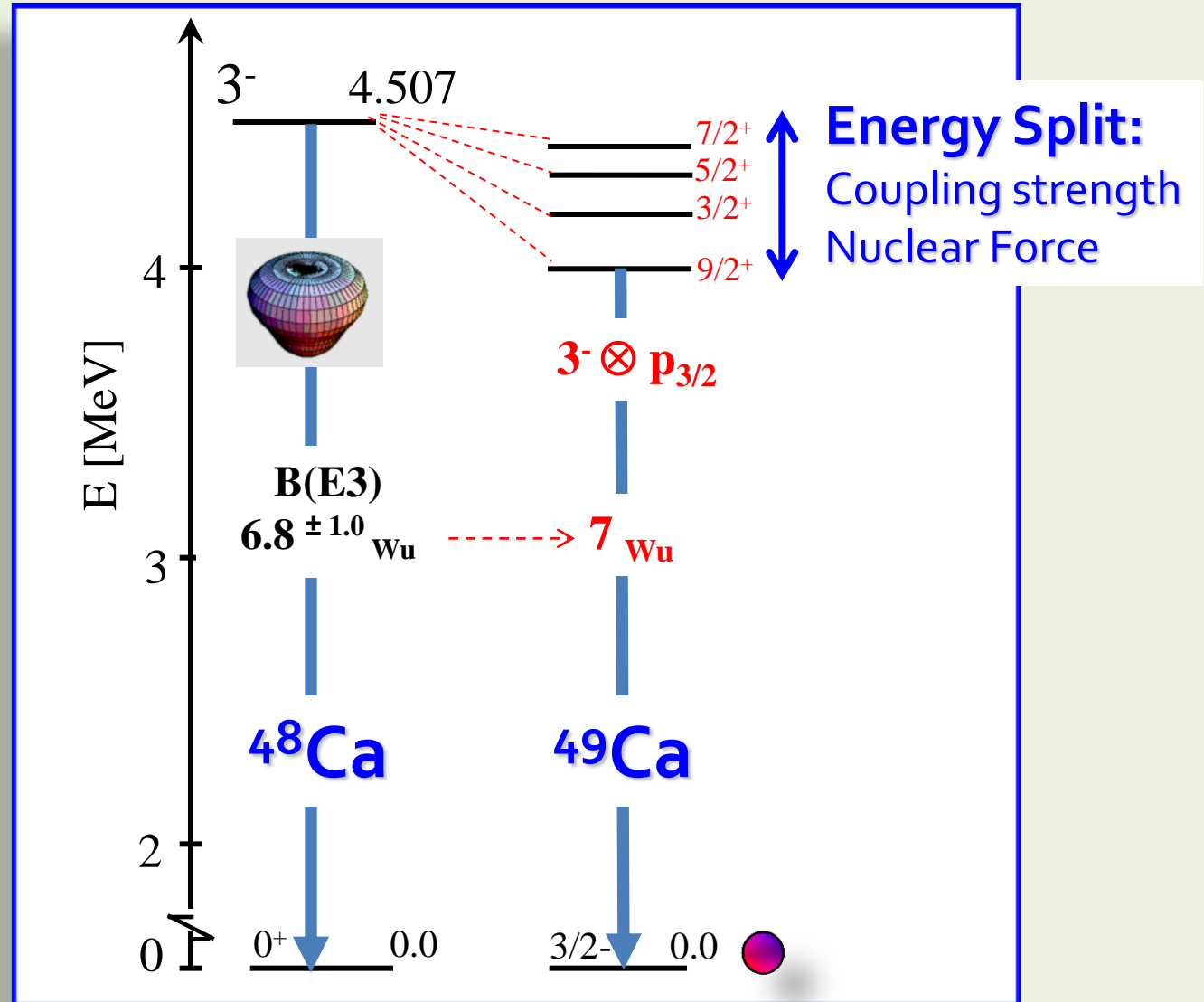
→ Robustness of Collectivity in rather Light systems

Experimental Signature

- Multiplet of States: $||-j| \leq l \leq |l+j|$
- $B(E\lambda)$ of phonon

46Sc	47Sc	48Sc	49Sc	50Sc	51Sc
45Ca	46Ca	47Ca	48Ca	49Ca	50Ca
44K	45K	46K	47K	48K	49K
43Ar	44Ar	45Ar	46Ar	47Ar	48Ar

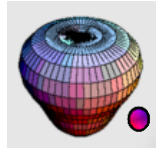
4^8Ca
($Z=20, N=28$)



Theoretical Description

PHENOMENOLOGICAL
Particle-phonon
WEAK coupling calculations
(Bohr & Mottelson)

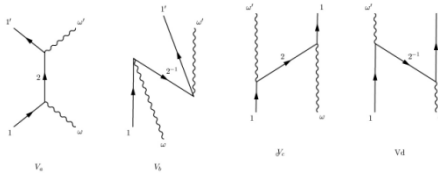
^{49}Ca $3^- \otimes p_{3/2}$
 $[\lambda \otimes j_1]_1$



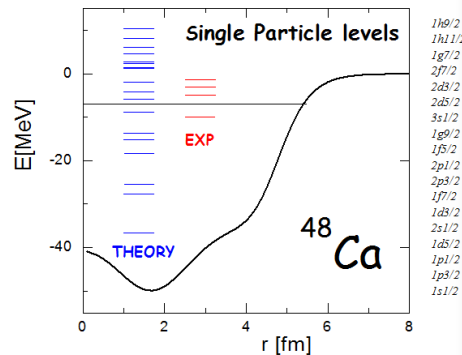
Multiplet of States $9/2^+, 7/2^+, 5/2^+, 3/2^+$

Energy Shift $\delta E(I)_{a,b,c,d} = \pm \sum_{i_1} \frac{\hbar^2(j_2, j_1, \lambda)}{\varepsilon(j_1) - \varepsilon(j_2) \pm \hbar\omega_\lambda} \times C_{\text{recoupling}}$

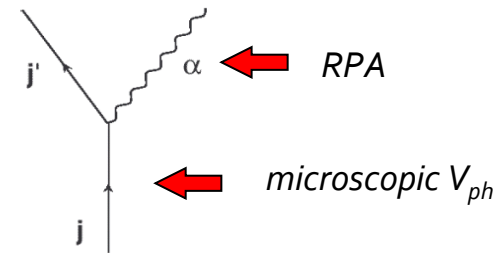
Lowest order
Perturbative
Contributions



- $\hbar\omega_\lambda, B(E\lambda)$
→ Exp. Values
- s.p. Energies
 $\varepsilon(j_1), \varepsilon(j_2)$
→ HF – SkX
- matrix element
 $h(j_2, j_1, \lambda)$
→ Bohr & Mott.



MICROSCOPIC
Calculations based on
SELF-CONSISTENT Scheme
(Colò, Bortignon, Sagawa, ...)



- **Hartee-Fock with V_{eff}**
→ short-range correlations included
- **Particle-Vibration coupling on top**
→ same Hamiltonian or EDF

- **NO approximation in the vertex**

EXACT treatment of COUPLING

use of WHOLE phonon wave function

Need for More Experimental Input

Best Reaction Mechanism ... ?

It has to enhance collective (core)-excitations

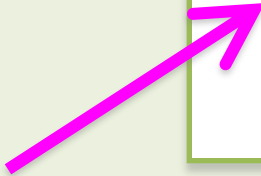
- ***Fusion Reactions***

- ***Incomplete Fusion Reactions***

... need for RIB to reach n-rich systems

- ***Heavy-Ion Transfer Reactions***

*... population of moderately n-rich nuclei
even with stable beams*



Multi-Nucleon Transfer Reactions as a TOOL to study n-rich nuclei

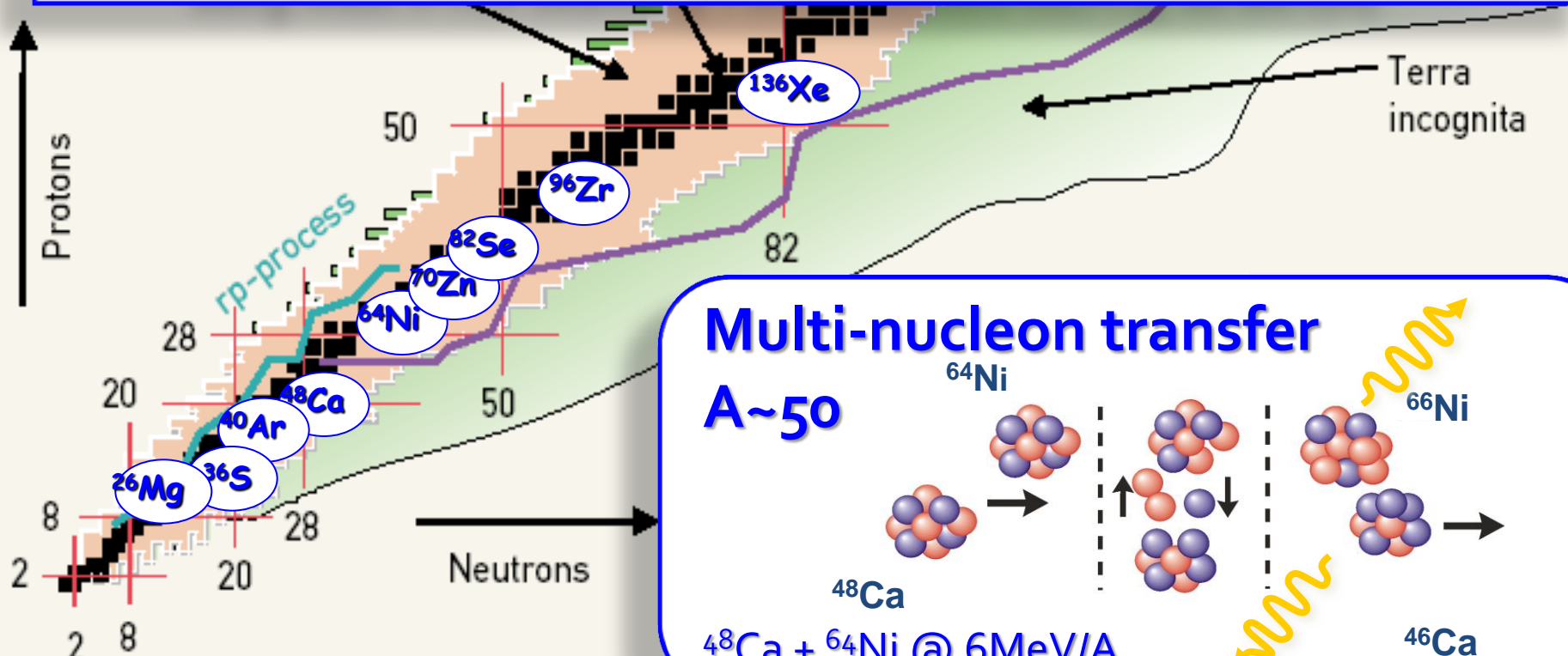
Stable nuclei

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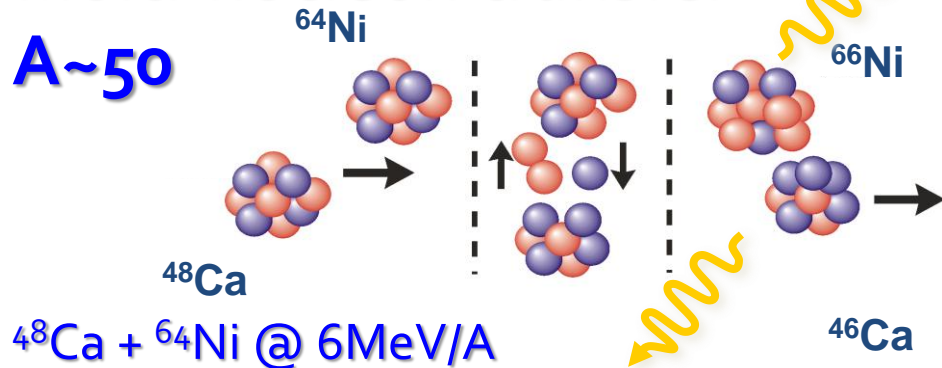
CLARA/AGATA-PRISMA campaigns @ LNL since 2004- ...

Structure of moderately n-rich nuclei

using most n-rich beams by PIAVE-Tandem-ALPI (5-10 MeV/A)



Multi-nucleon transfer
A~50



CLARA (ex-EUROBALL)/AGATA – PRISMA setup

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AGATA Demonstrator @ LNL
Physics Campaign 2010-2011



CLARA

25 EUROBALL HpGe Clover

$\epsilon \sim 3\%$ @ $E_\gamma = 1.3$ MeV
 2π solid angle

3 rings at 100° , 130° , 150°

PRISMA

$\Delta\Omega = 80$ msr

$\Delta Z/Z \approx 1/60$

$\Delta A/A \approx 1/190$

Energy acceptance $\pm 20\%$

$B\rho = 1.2$ Tm

High-Efficiency γ -particle coincidence Measurements

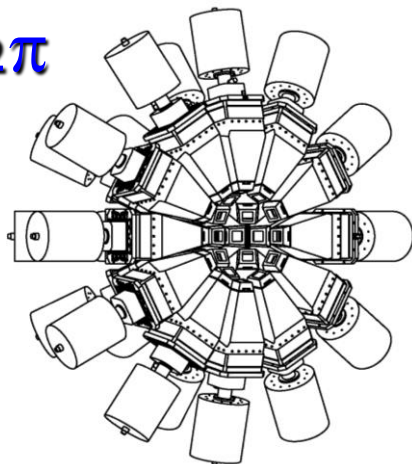
CLARA

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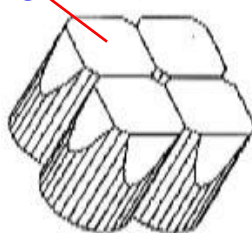
P/T $\sim 45\%$

2π

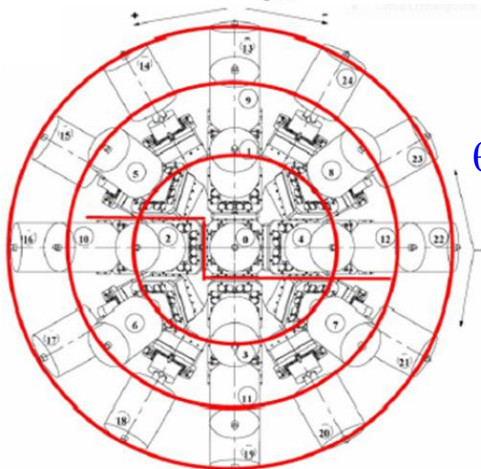


Composite Ge

50mmx70mm



Compton
Polarimeters



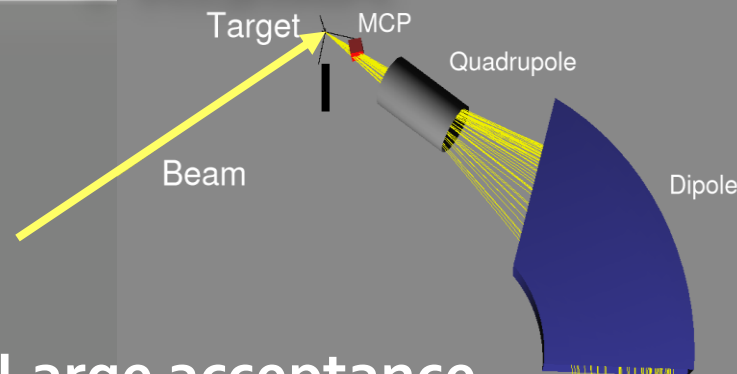
3 RINGS

$\theta = 100^\circ, 130^\circ, 150^\circ$

Angular
Distributions
 γ rays

CLARA always opposite to PRISMA

PRISMA



Large acceptance

Magnetic
Spectrometer

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PPAC

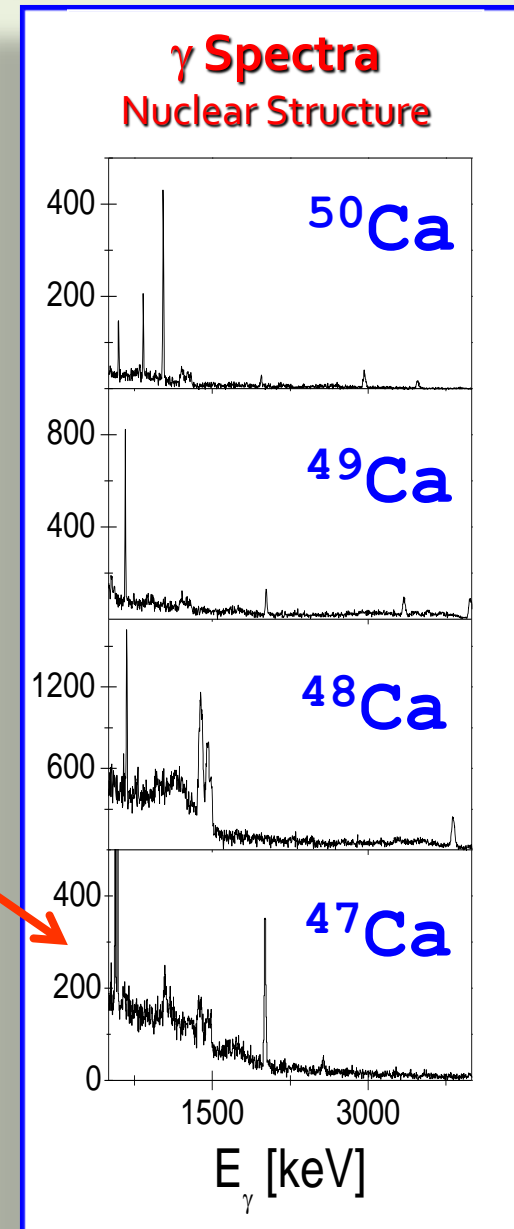
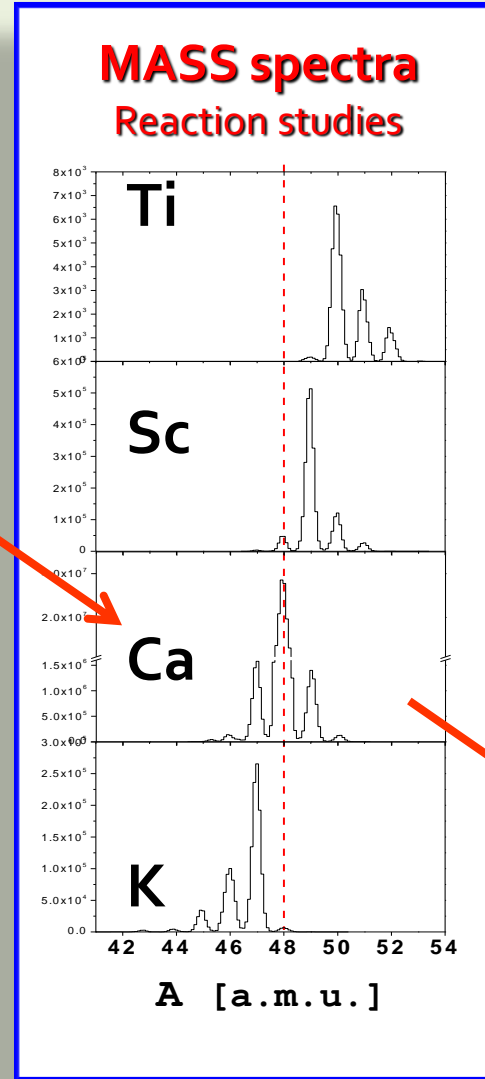
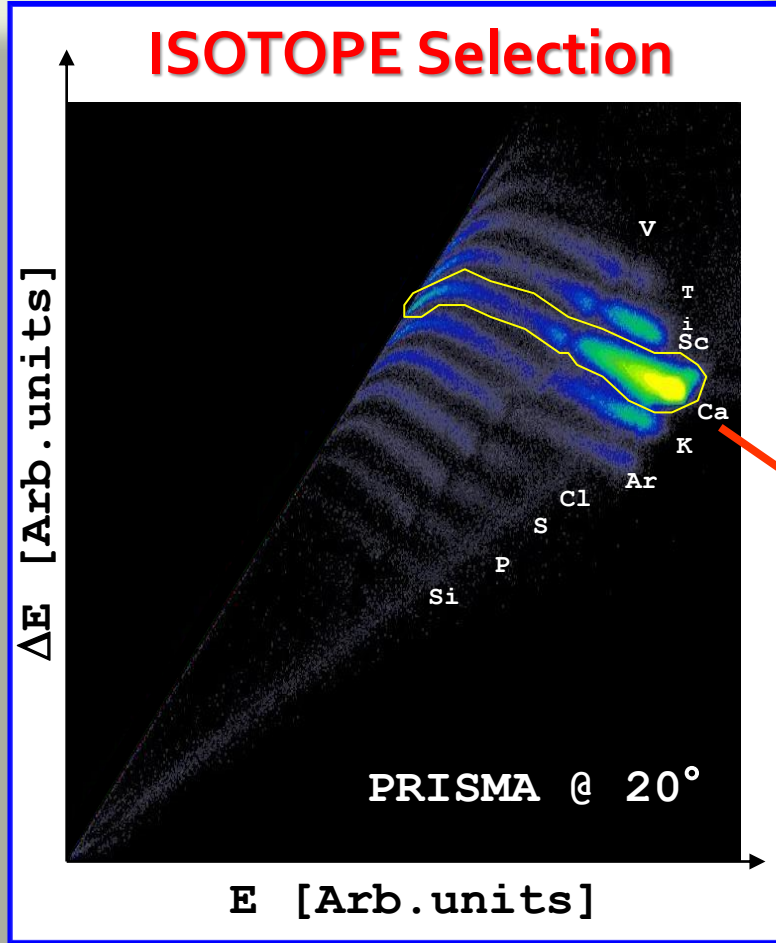
$\Delta E/E$

Trajectory Reconstruction - Ion identif.

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$^{48}\text{Ca} + ^{64}\text{Ni}$ @ 6 MeV/A ($v/c \sim 10\%$)

CLARA + PRISMA



γ -particle Coincidence Measurements

$^{48}\text{Ca} + ^{64}\text{Ni}$ @ 6MeV/A

1 – Reaction Studies

Angular Distributions of ions (Inclusive and γ -gated)

D. Montanari, S. Leoni et al., Phys. Rev. C84(2011)054613

D. Montanari, S. Leoni et al., EPJA47(2011)4

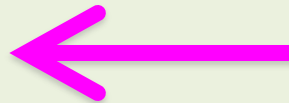
Need for a careful study of spectrometer response

2 – Gamma Spectroscopy

Angular Distributions

Polarizations

Lifetime Analysis

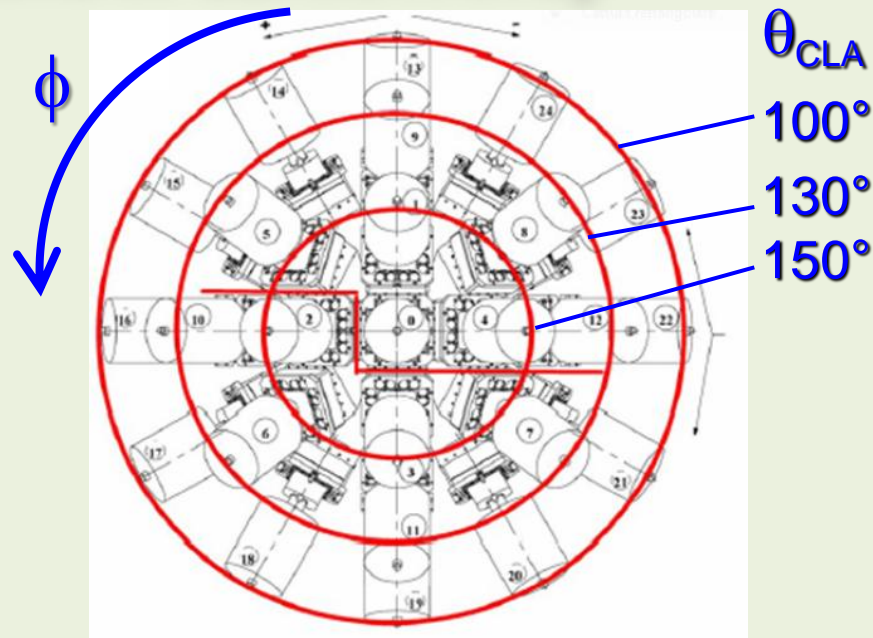
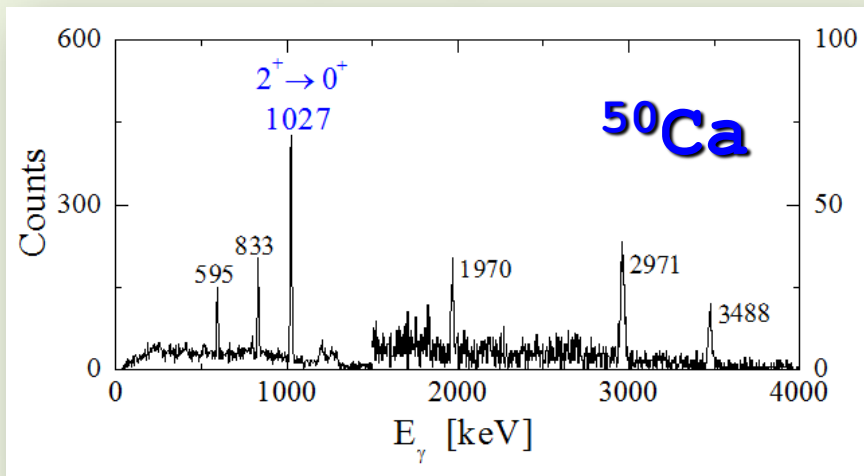


→ Spin, Parity and Nature of State

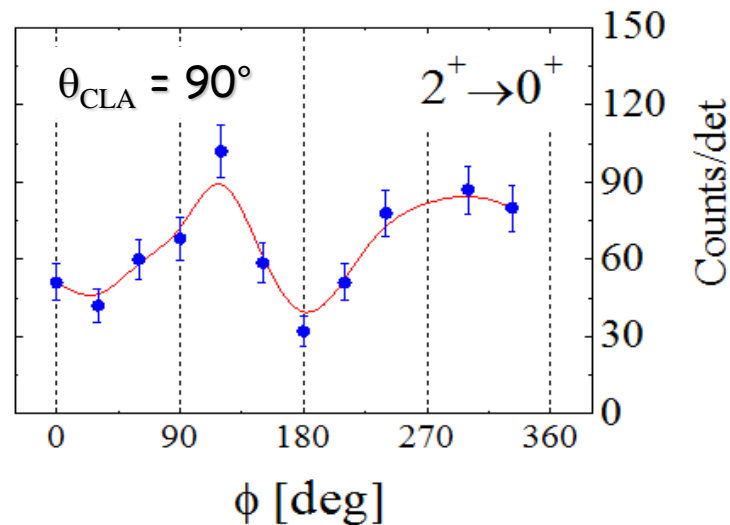
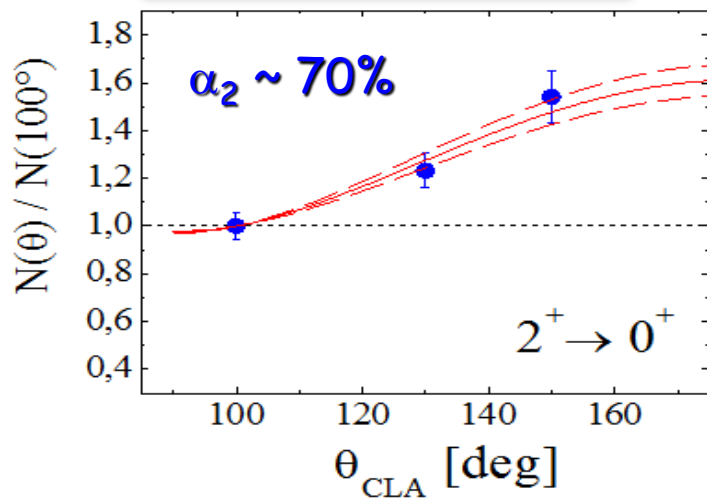
D. Montanari, S. Leoni et al., Phys. Lett. B697(2011)288

D. Montanari, S. Leoni et al., Phys. Rev. C85(2012)044301

γ -Ray Angular Distributions in CLARA Array

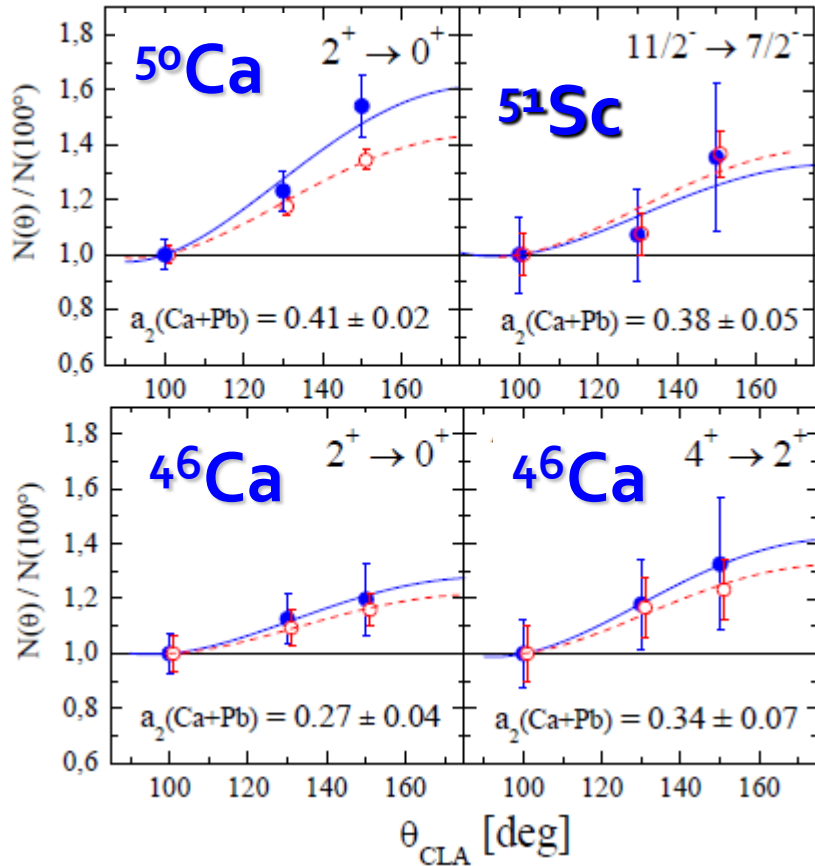


$$W(\theta) = 1 + \alpha_2 A_2 P_2(\cos \theta)$$



Oblate SPIN Alignment perpendicular to reaction plane

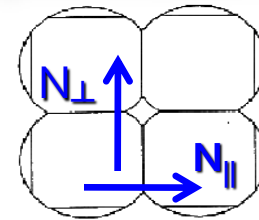
Similar Anisotropy for known $\Delta I = 2$ transitions



$^{48}\text{Ca} + ^{64}\text{Ni}$ @ 282 MeV

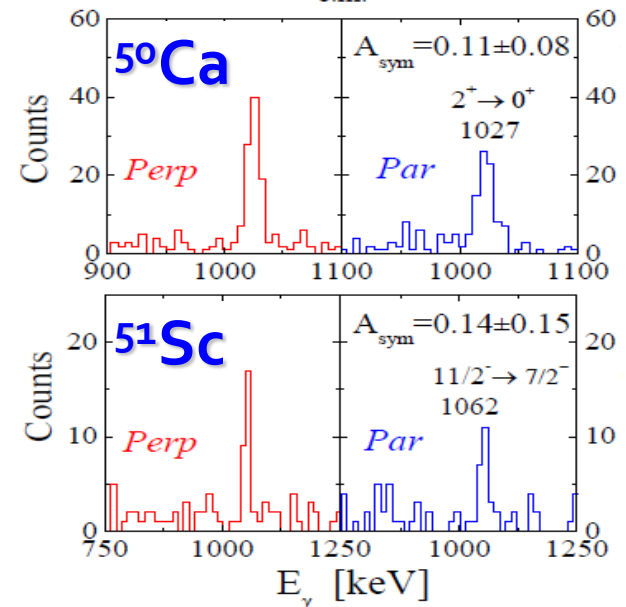
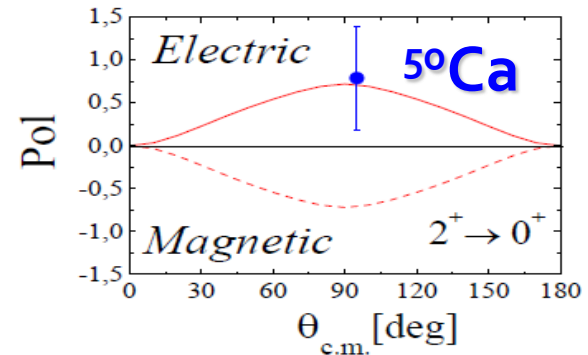
$^{48}\text{Ca} + ^{208}\text{Pb}$ @ 310 MeV

Asymmetry of Compton Scattering in CLOVERs@90°

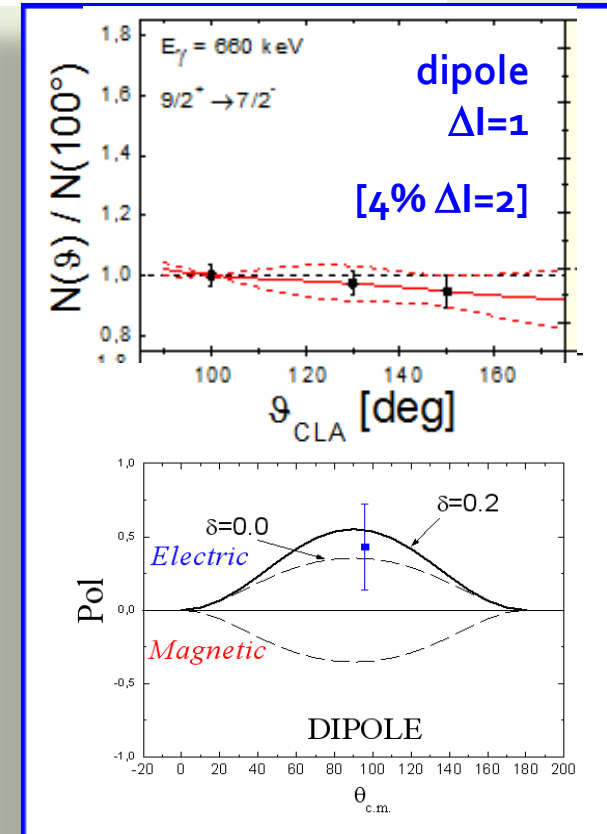
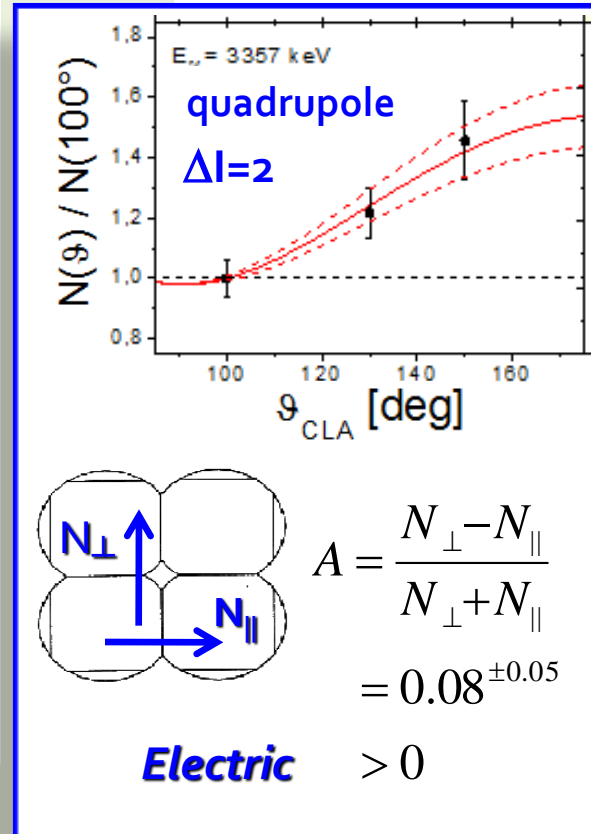
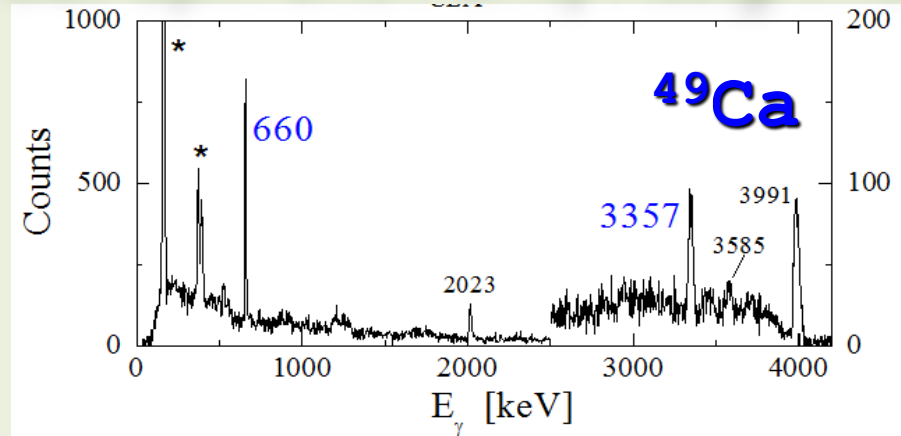
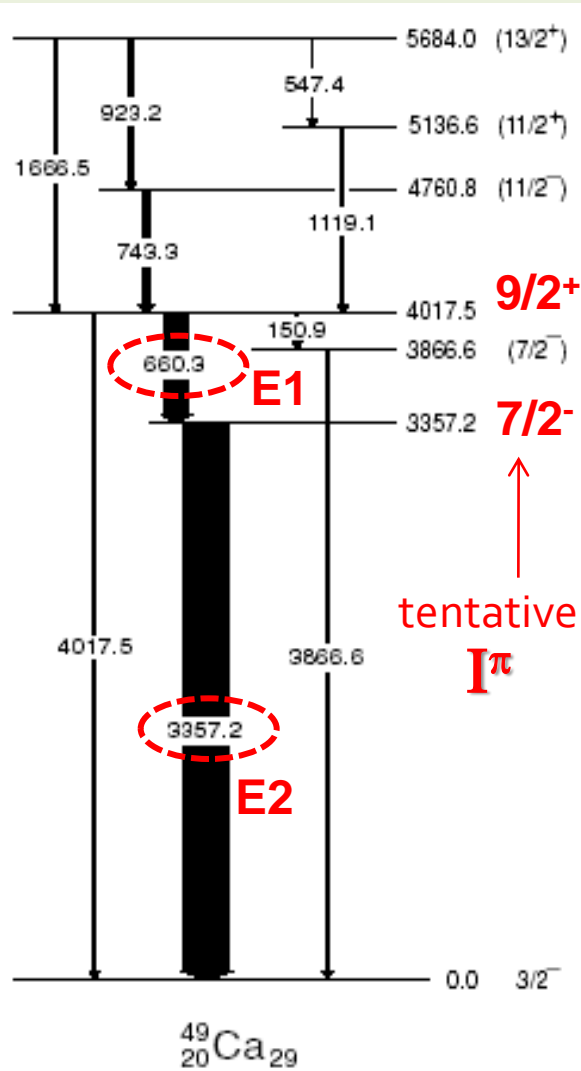


$$A_{\text{sym}} = \frac{N_{\perp} - N_{\parallel}}{N_{\perp} + N_{\parallel}} > 0 \quad \mathbf{E}$$

$$A_{\text{sym}} < 0 \quad \mathbf{M}$$

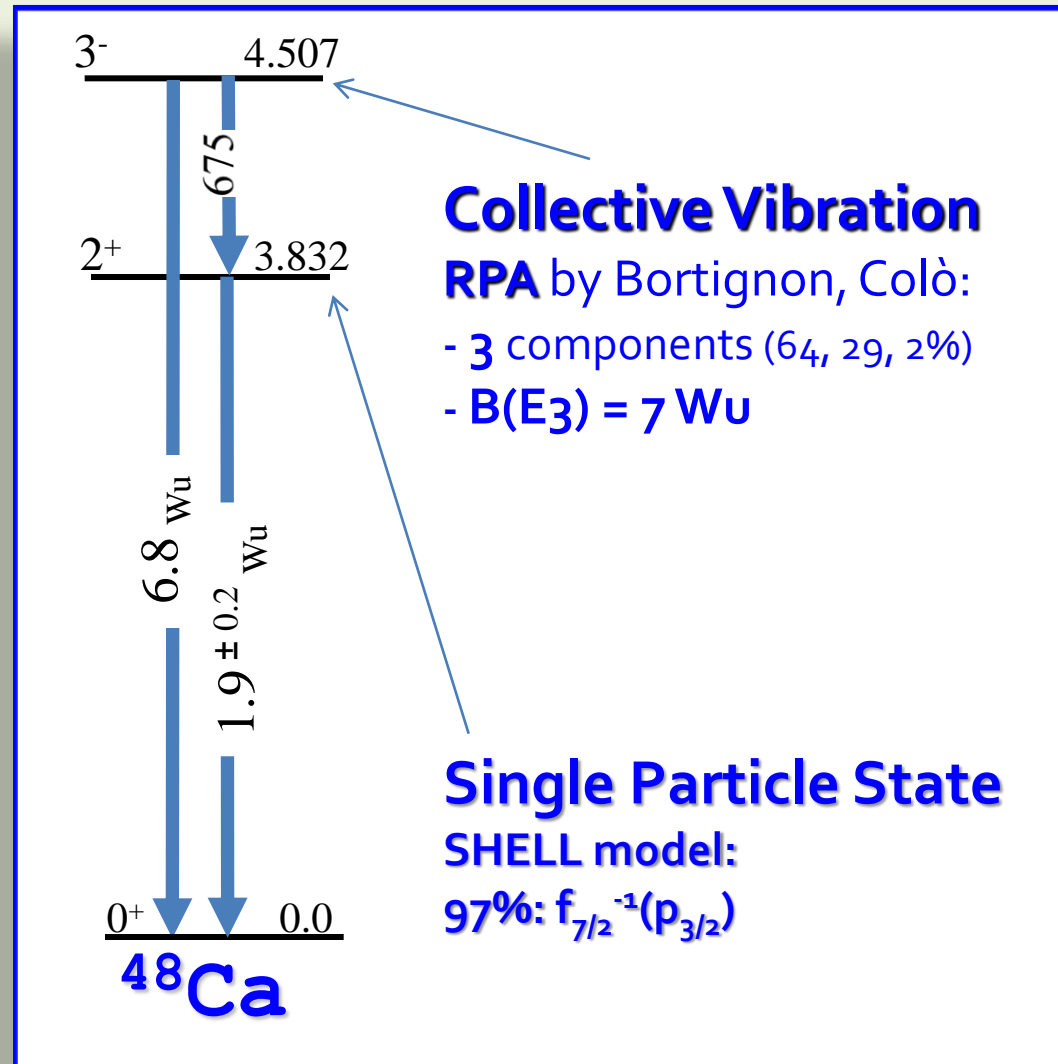
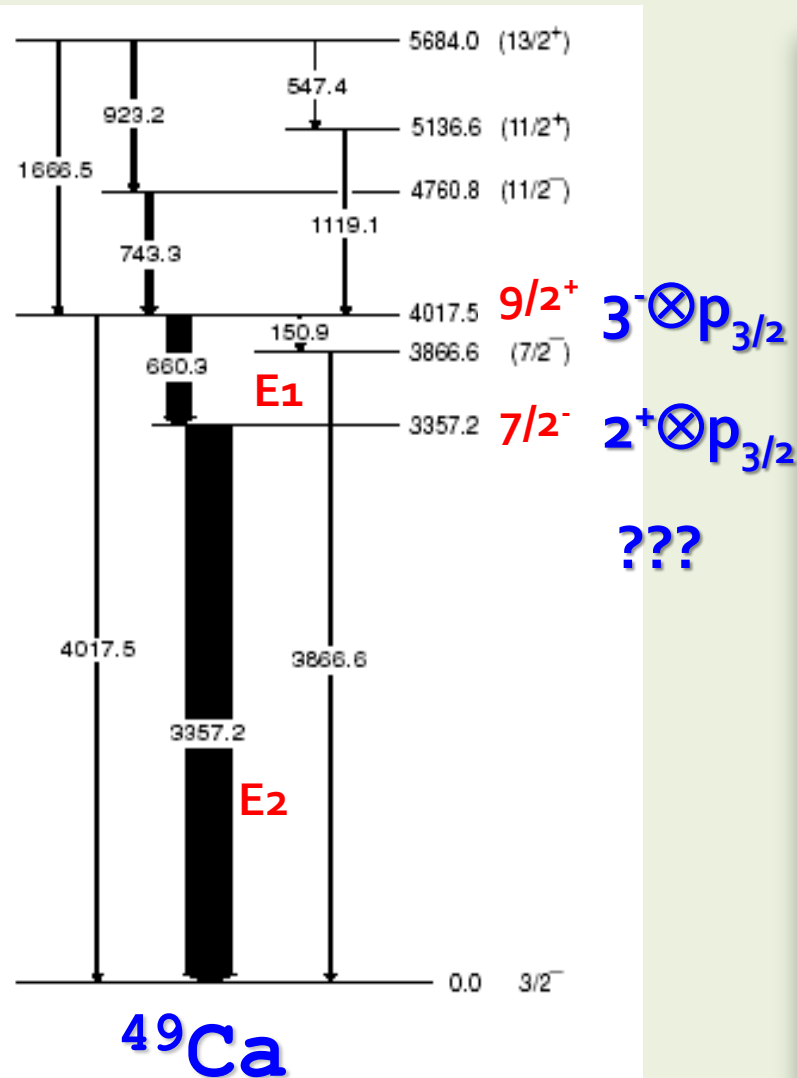


Spectroscopy of ^{49}Ca : Spin and Parity Assignment



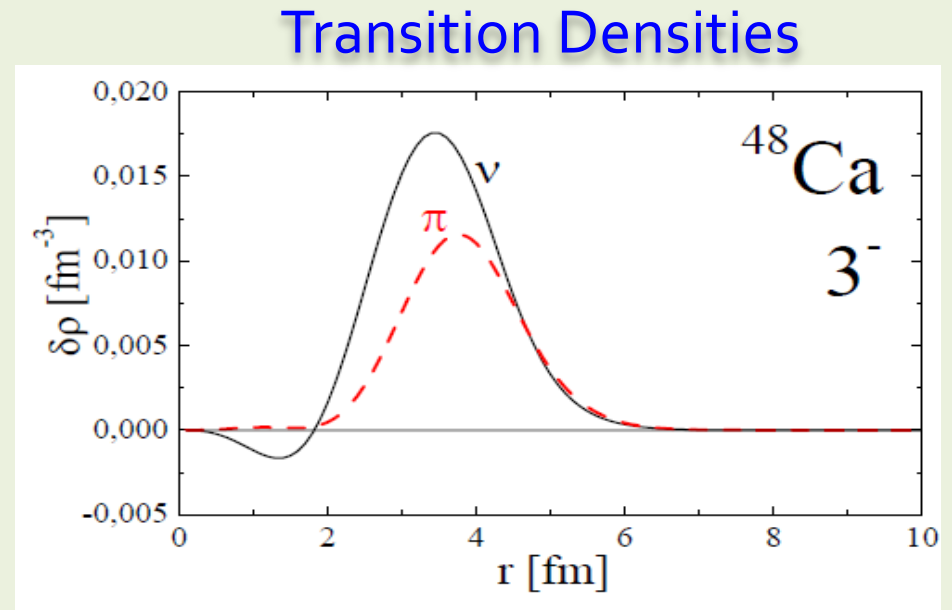
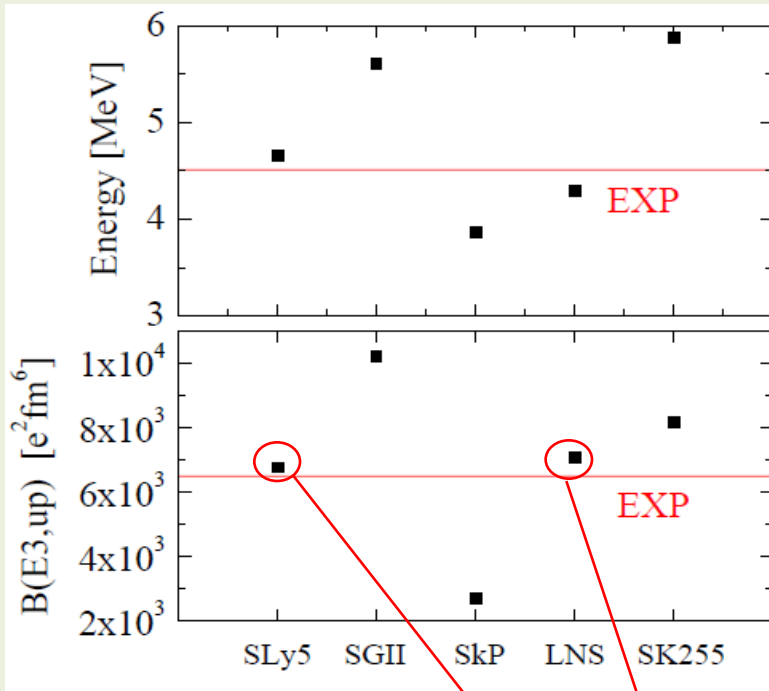
Interpretation of $7/2^-$ and $9/2^+$

Core(^{48}Ca) - particle ($p_{3/2}$) Couplings??



^{48}Ca : 3- RPA calculations

(G. Colò, P.F. Bortignon)



“SIMPLE Structures”



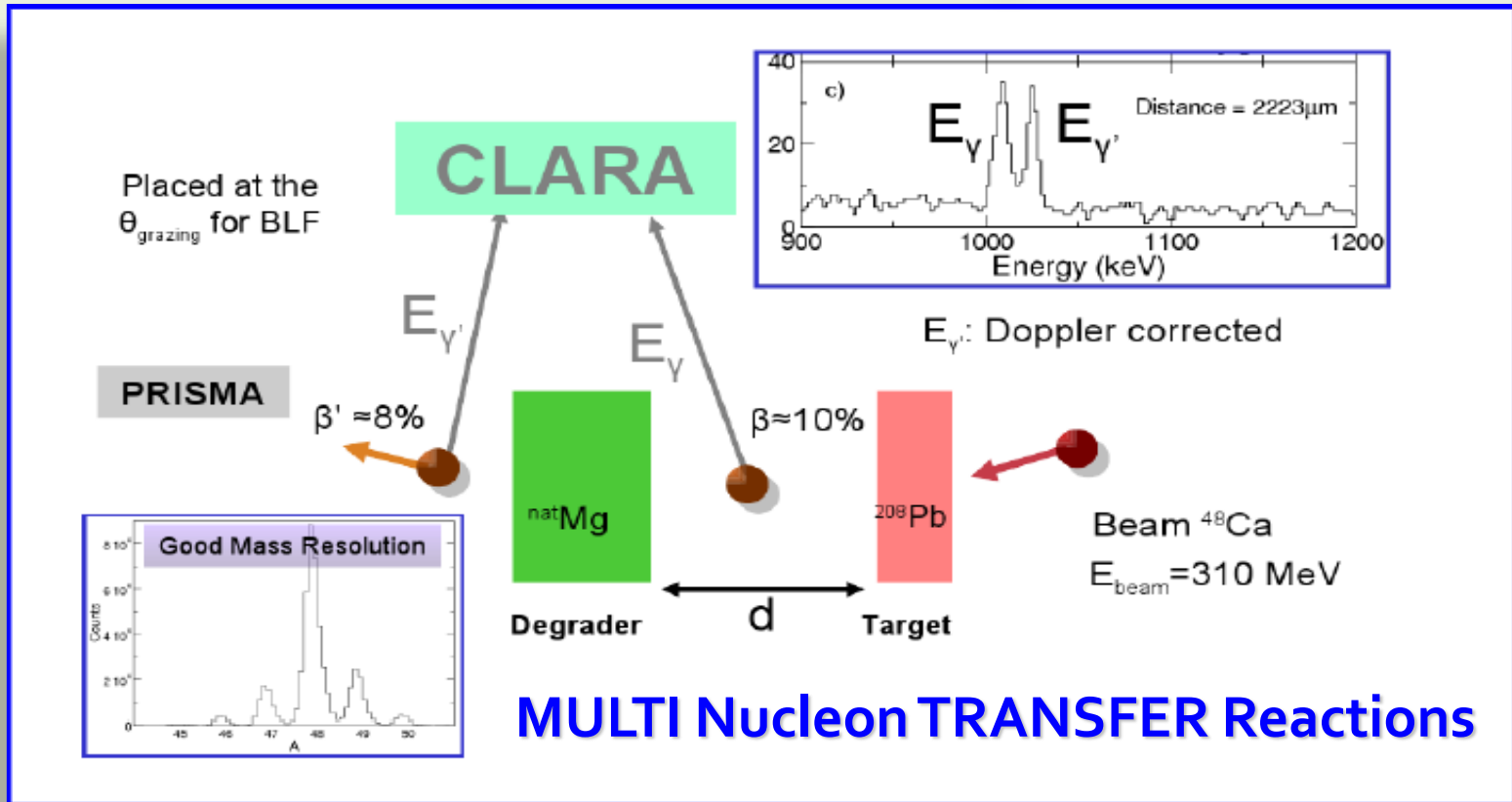
Macroscopic Core
Vibration

SLy5 - LNS

π	$1d_{3/2} \rightarrow 1f_{7/2}$	0.82	0.64
	$2s_{1/2} \rightarrow 1f_{7/2}$	0.13	0.29
ν	$1f_{7/2} \rightarrow 1g_{9/2}$	0.01	0.02

Lifetimes of ^{49}Ca with Differential PLUNGER

Recoil Distance Doppler Shift Method @ PRISMA-CLARA



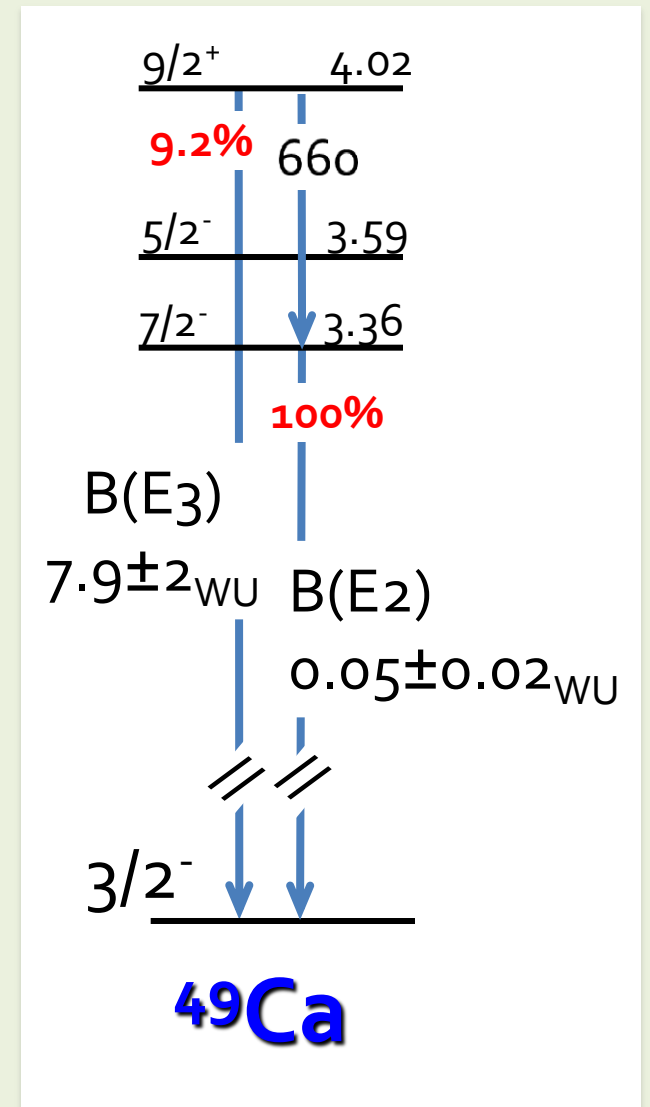
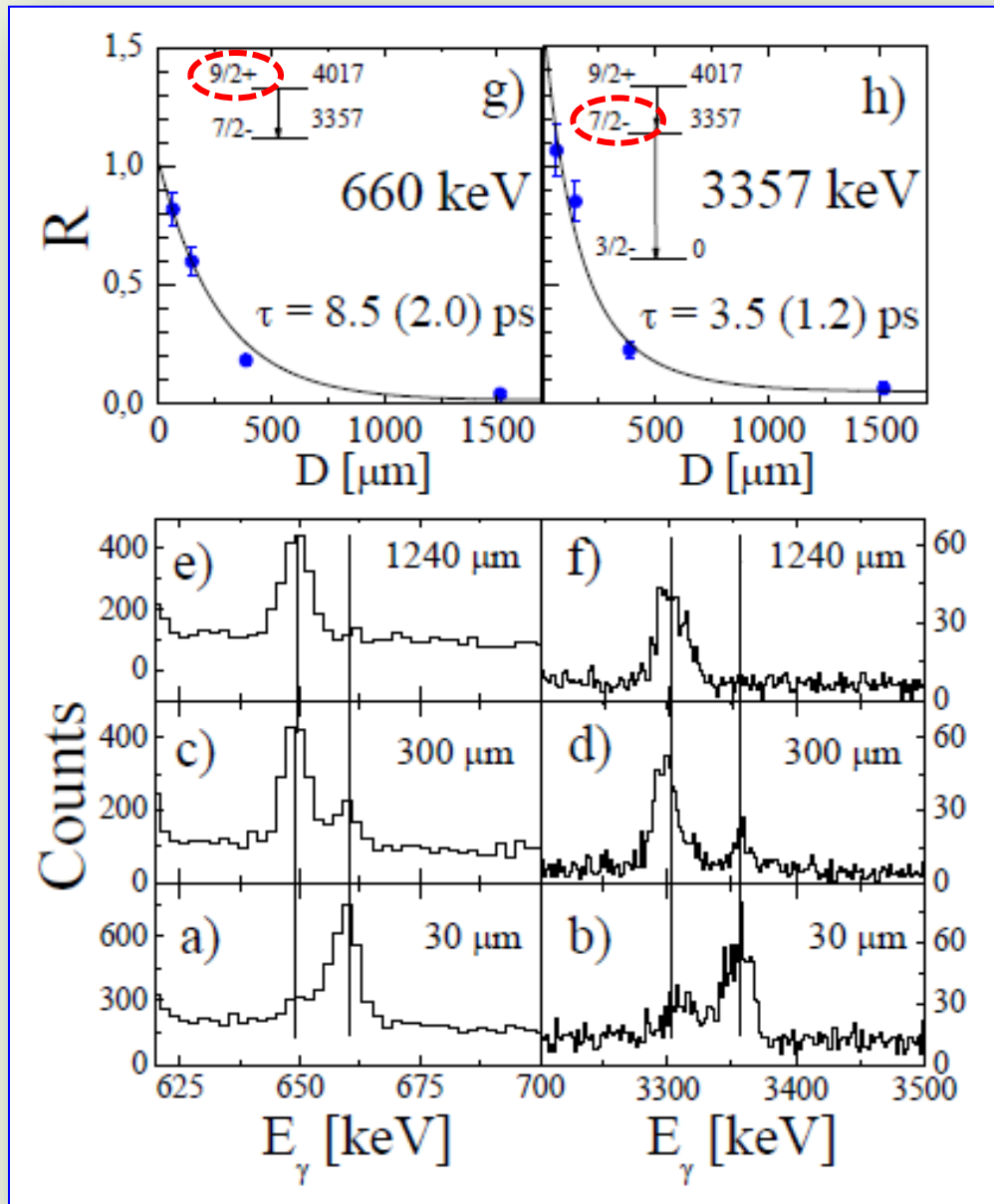
$D = 30 \mu\text{m} - 2200 \mu\text{m}$
 $\tau \sim 0.5 - 75 \text{ ps}$

Lifetimes in ^{50}Ca , ^{51}Sc , $^{44,46}\text{Ar}$
Valiente-Dobon et al., PRL102(2009)242502
D. Mengoni et al., PRC82(2010)024308



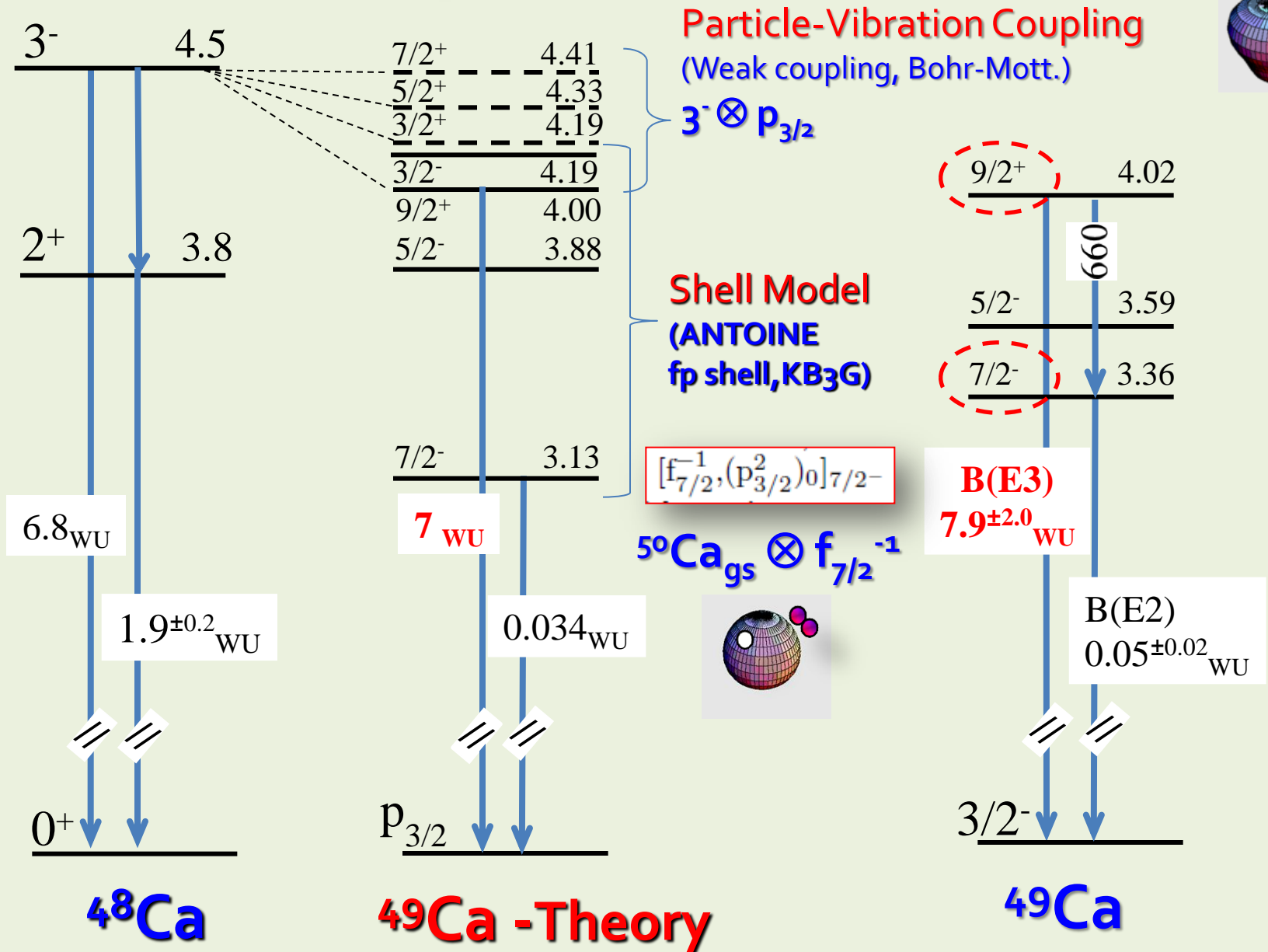
A. Dewald et al., Köln

Lifetimes of ^{49}Ca



Branching from
R. Broda thick target exp.

Interpretation of ^{49}Ca

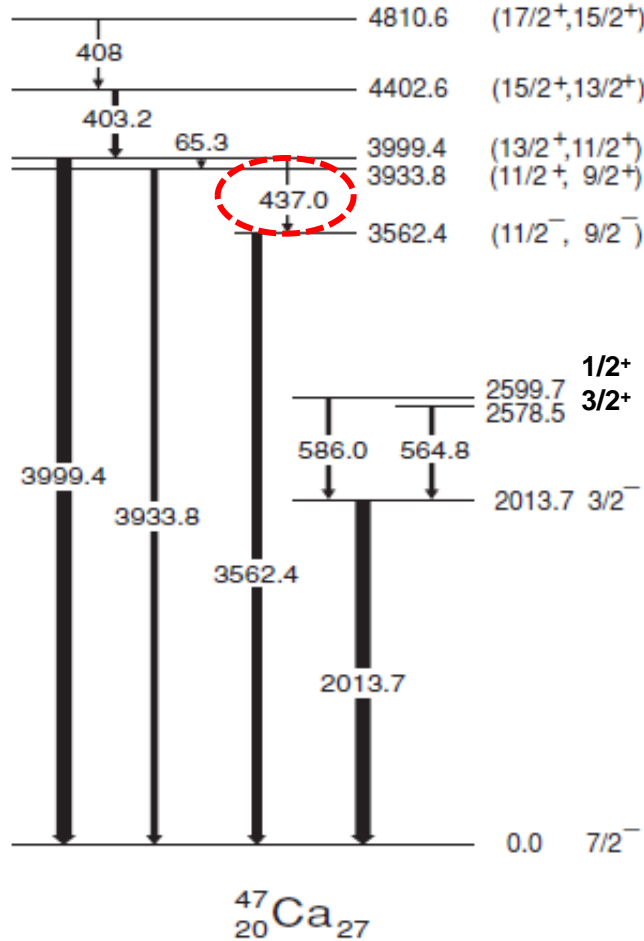


The case of ^{47}Ca

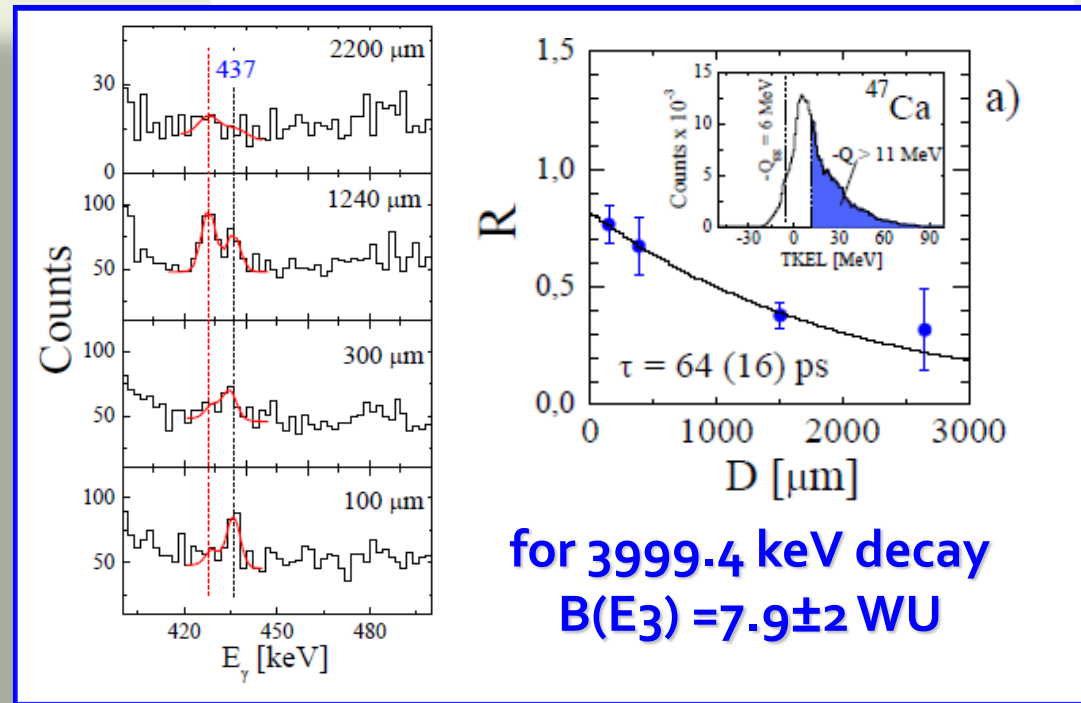
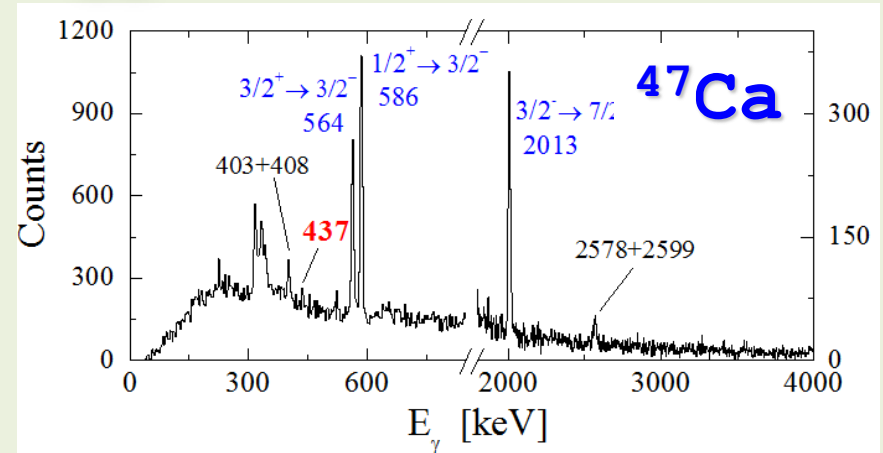
R. Broda, *J.Phys.G32(2006)R151*
MNT & Thick target data

tentative

I^π

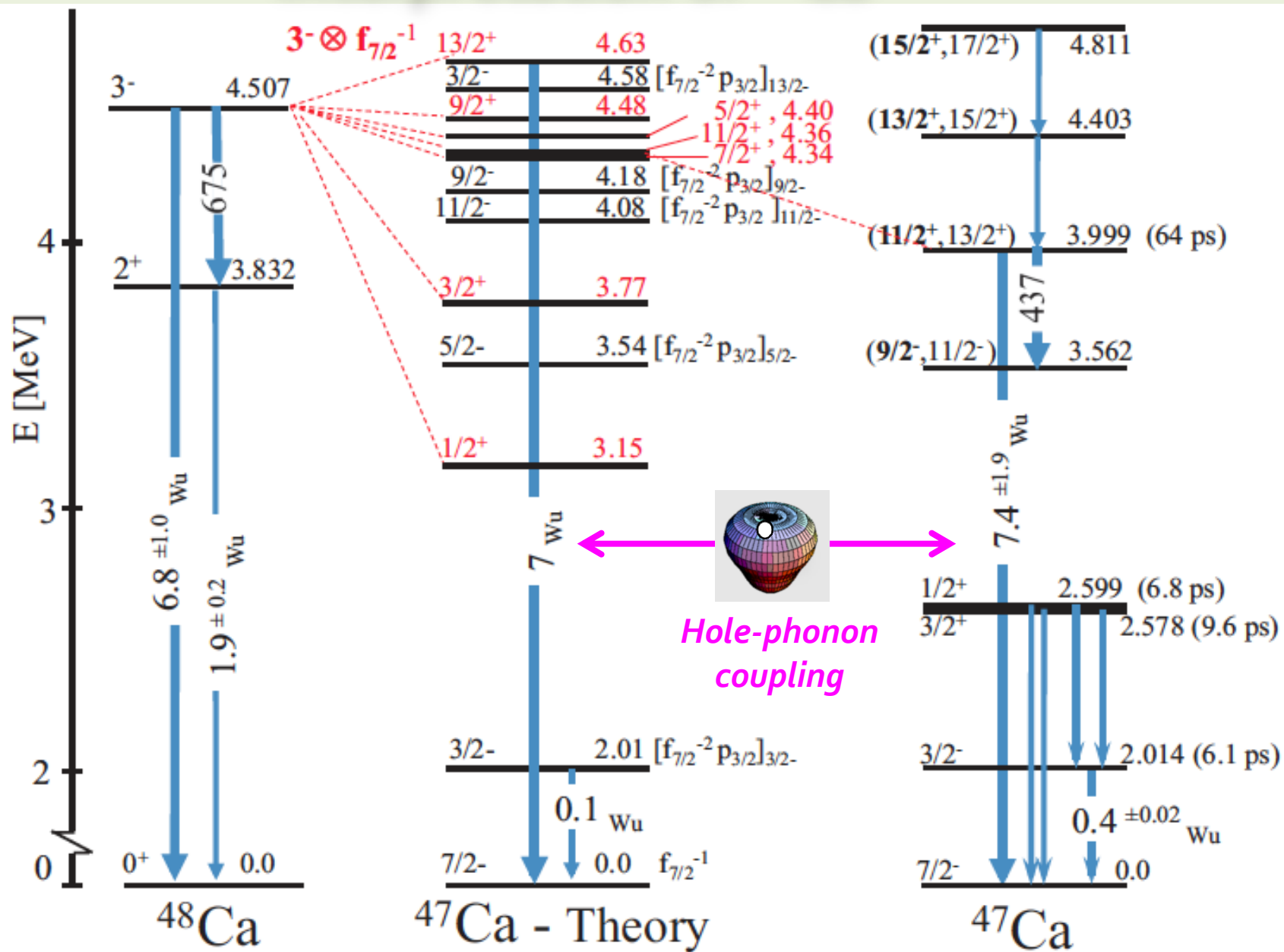


$3^- \otimes f_{7/2}^{-1}$
???



Hole-Vibration Coupling Model : multiplet of states ~ 4 MeV

Interpretation of ^{47}Ca

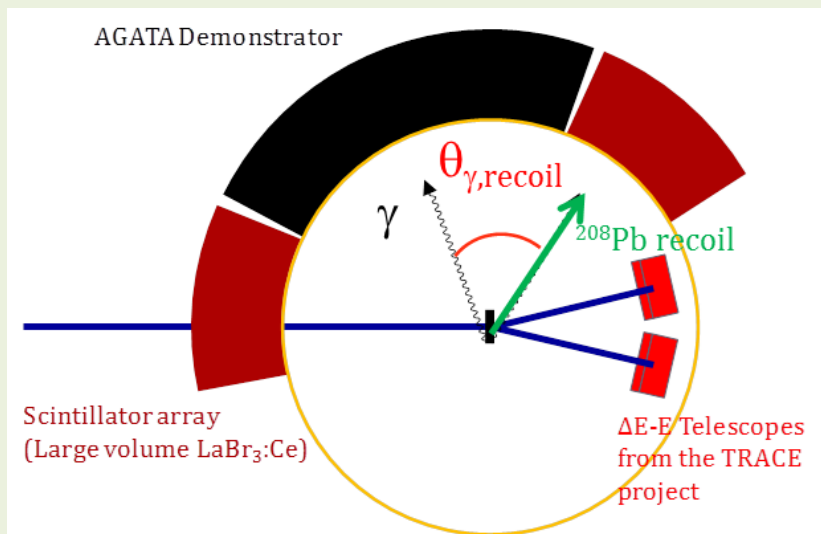


Remark for future Analysis:

High-Precision $W(\theta)$ and Pol Measurements with AGATA

inelastic scattering of light ion beams + γ -decay

^{17}O @ 20 MeV/A on ^{208}Pb

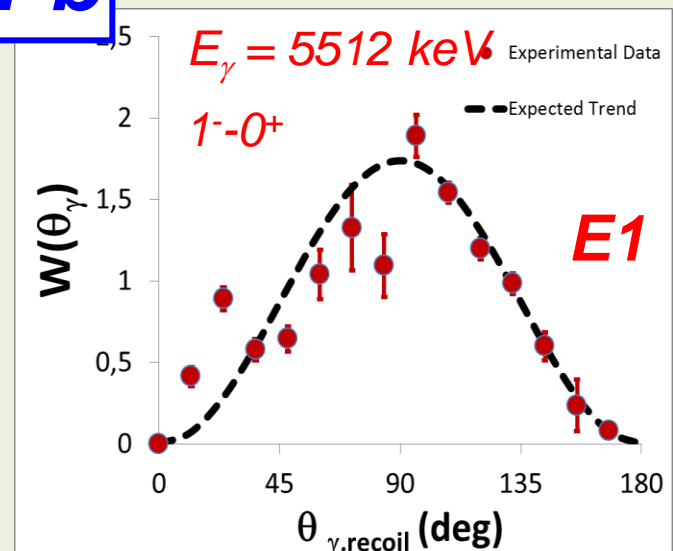
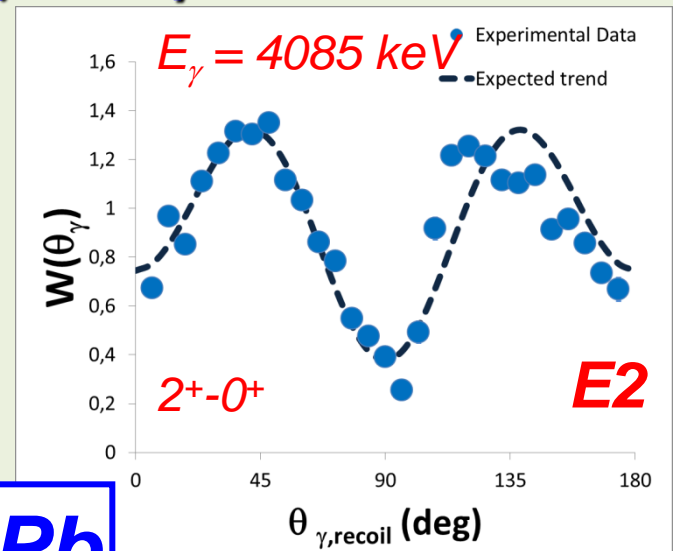


Angular Distribution of γ 's obtained exploiting position sensitivity of AGATA and E- Δ E Si telescopes (pixel type)

PRELIMINARY

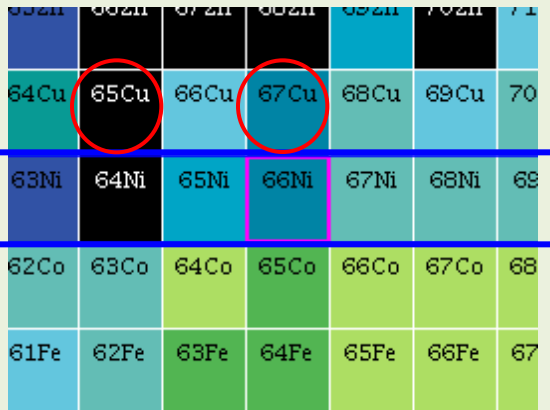
F. Crespi, A. Bracco, et al.
(Milano University)

^{208}Pb



Work in Progress: $^{65,67}\text{Cu}$

Study of Particle-Phonon states around Ni isotopes

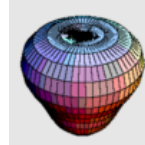
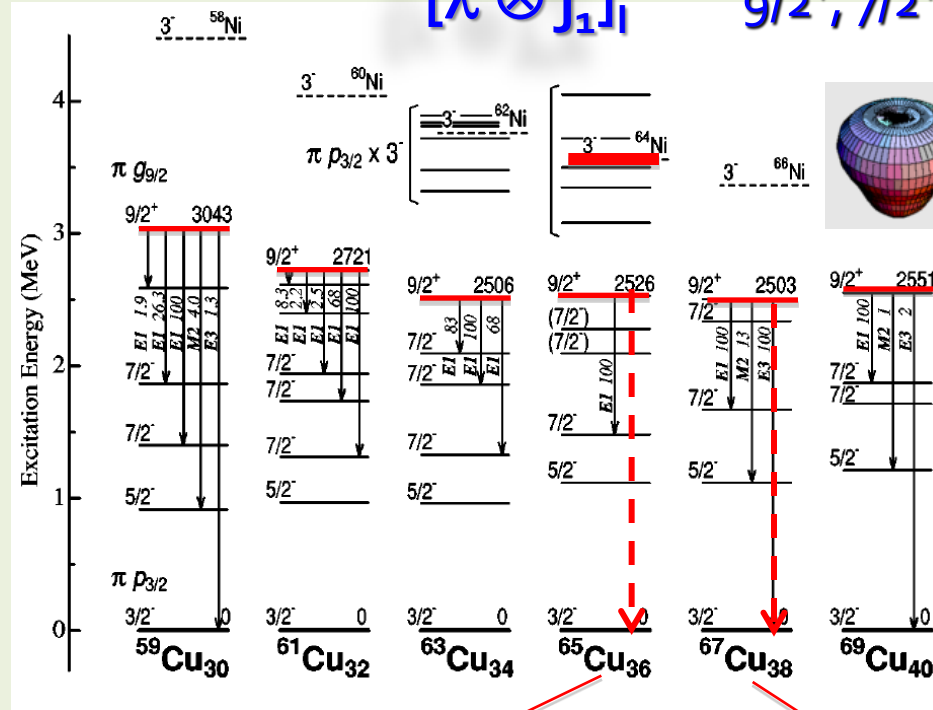


$^{64,66}\text{Ni}$

(Z=28, N=36,38)

- Superfluid Core in ν
- π coupling

$3^- \otimes p_{3/2}$
 $[\lambda \otimes j_1]_I \rightarrow$ Multiplet of States
 $9/2^+, 7/2^+, 5/2^+, 3/2^+$



3⁻
 $B(E_3) \sim 17\text{Wu}$

● $\pi p_{3/2}^-$

August 2012 Experiment

$^{64}\text{Ni}(^7\text{Li}, ?)^{65}\text{Cu}$

Tandem-Bucarest

S. Leoni et al.
 FAST TIMING
 $B(E_3) \sim ??? \text{Wu}$

Existing Data

$^{64}\text{Ni}(?, p)^{67}\text{Cu}$

N. Marginean et al.
 FAST TIMING
 $\tau(9/2^+) \sim 150 \text{ps}$
 $B(E_3) \sim 17(2)\text{Wu}$

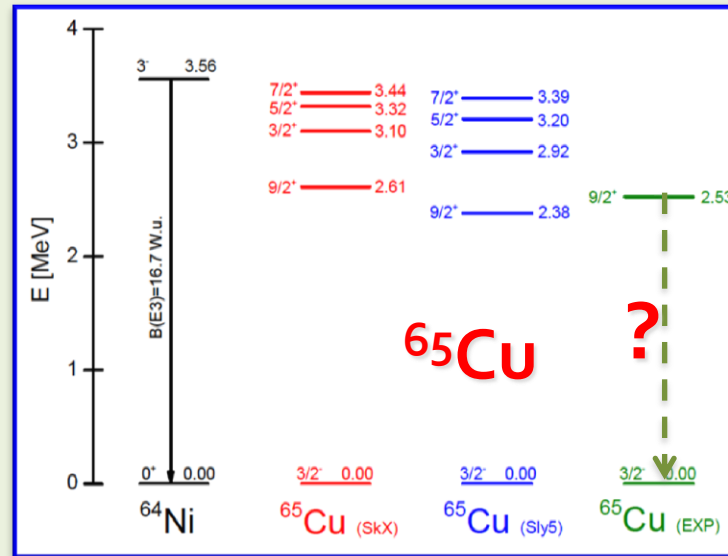
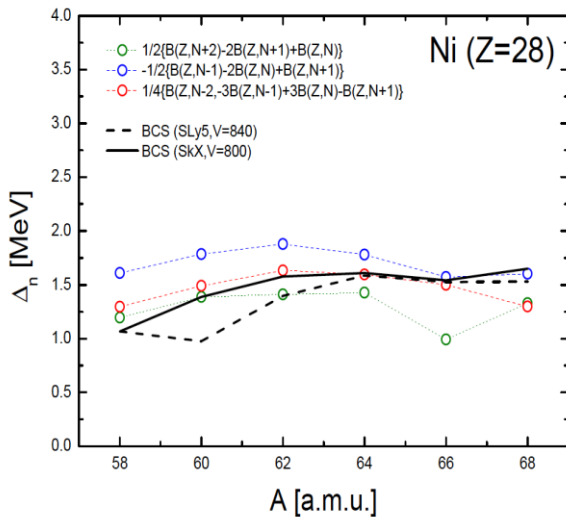
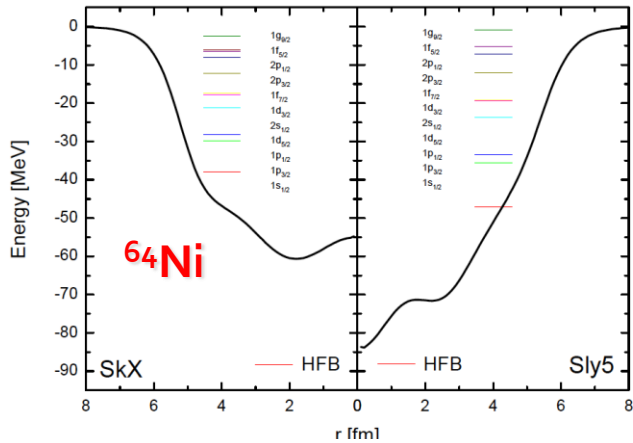
Theoretical Interpretation

(S. Bottoni, G. Bocchi, G. Colò, PF. Bortignon)

Single Particle π Levels

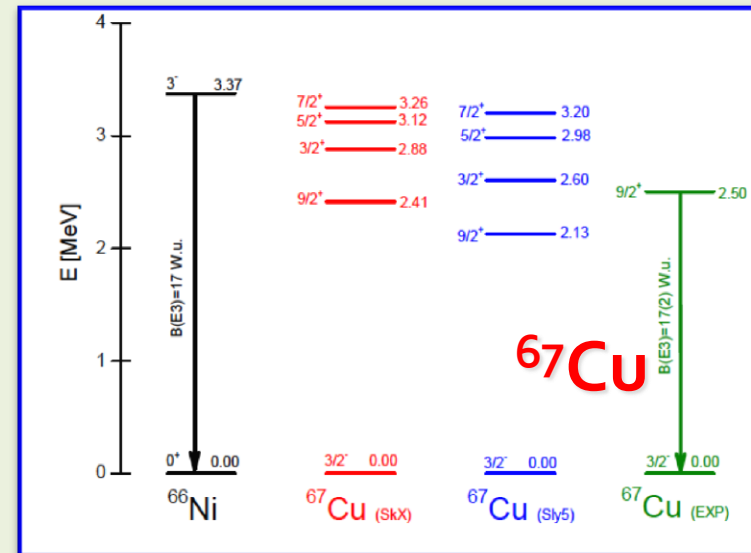
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Superfluid Core



Coupling with proton

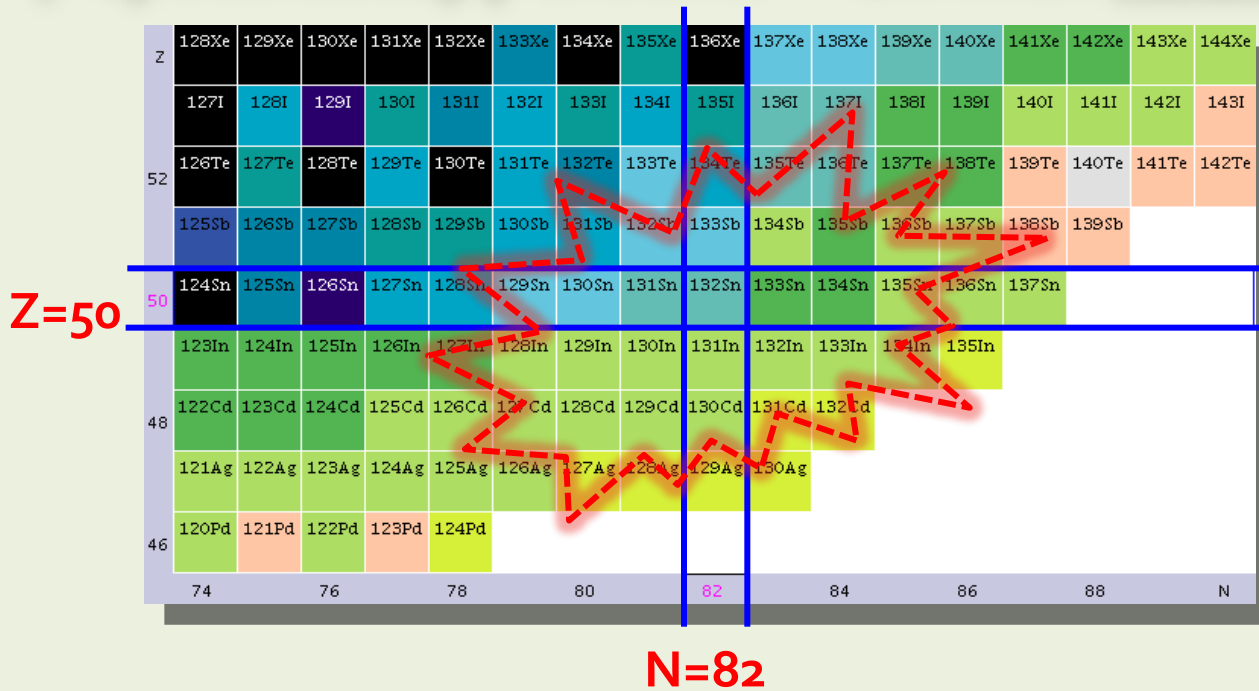
$3^- \otimes p_{3/2}$



→ Good Candidates for Particle-Phonon Coupled states

Perspectives with RIB

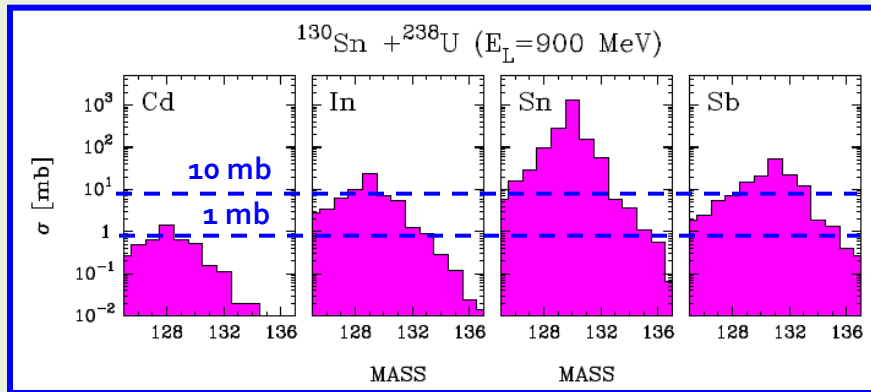
γ spectroscopy around ^{132}Sn with HI transfer reactions



STUDY OF

- Single particle states
- particle-phonon couplings
- high spins

$I\pi, B(E\lambda)$



GRAZING calculations
Conservative estimates for more than 1 nucleon transfer

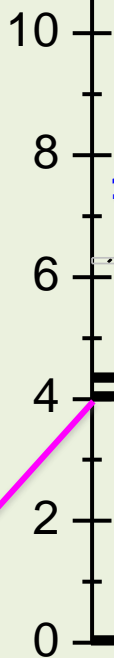
SPES Beams Legnaro-RIB

^{130}Sn $1.6 \cdot 10^8$	^{131}Sn $6.8 \cdot 10^7$	^{132}Sn $3.1 \cdot 10^7$	^{133}Sn $2.8 \cdot 10^6$	^{134}Sn $5 \cdot 10^5$
^{129}In $1.1 \cdot 10^5$	^{130}In $1.5 \cdot 10^4$	^{131}In $2.8 \cdot 10^3$	^{132}In $1.9 \cdot 10^3$	^{133}In -
^{128}Cd $2.9 \cdot 10^3$	^{129}Cd $2.5 \cdot 10^2$	^{130}Cd -		

^{131}In – proton hole states

Sb	131Sb	132Sb	133Sb	134Sb	135Sb	136Sb
Sn	130Sn	131Sn	132Sn	133Sn	134Sn	136Sn
In	129In	130In	131In	132In	133In	135In
Cd	128Cd	129Cd	130Cd	131Cd	132Cd	134Cd

E [MeV]



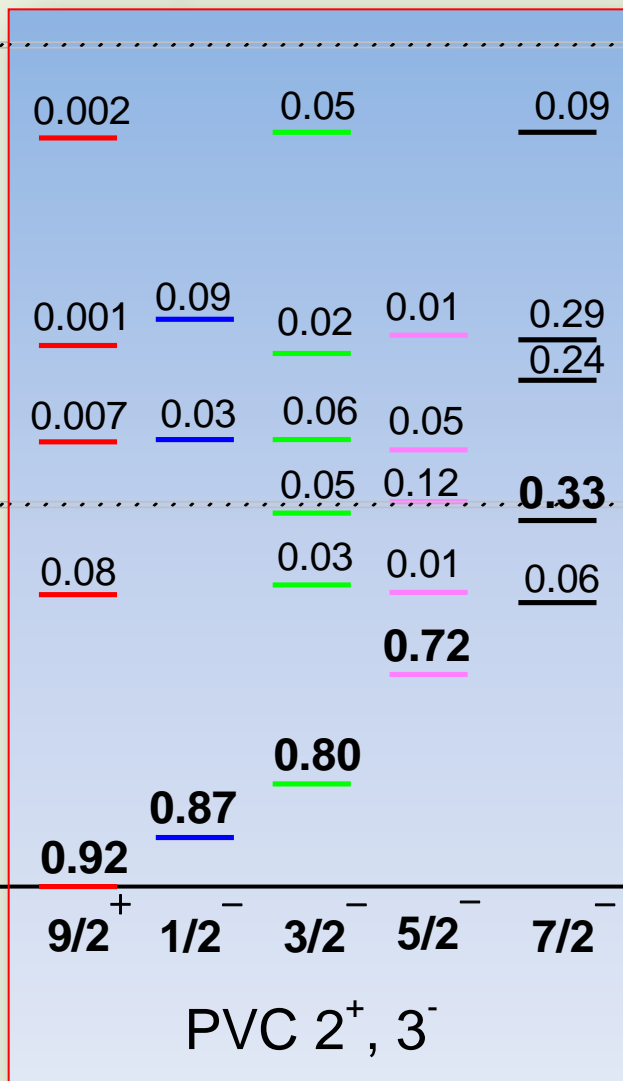
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HF-Skx

$B(E_2)$
7.2 Wu

$B(E_3)$
> 7 Wu

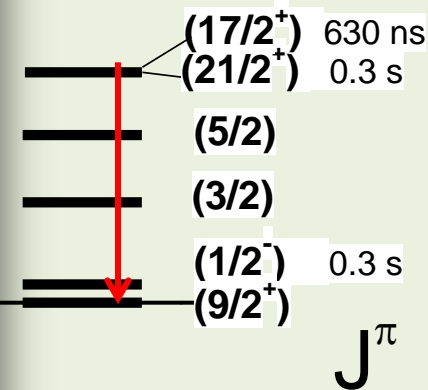
pure
hole states



PVC 2⁺, 3⁻

S_p

S_n



EXP

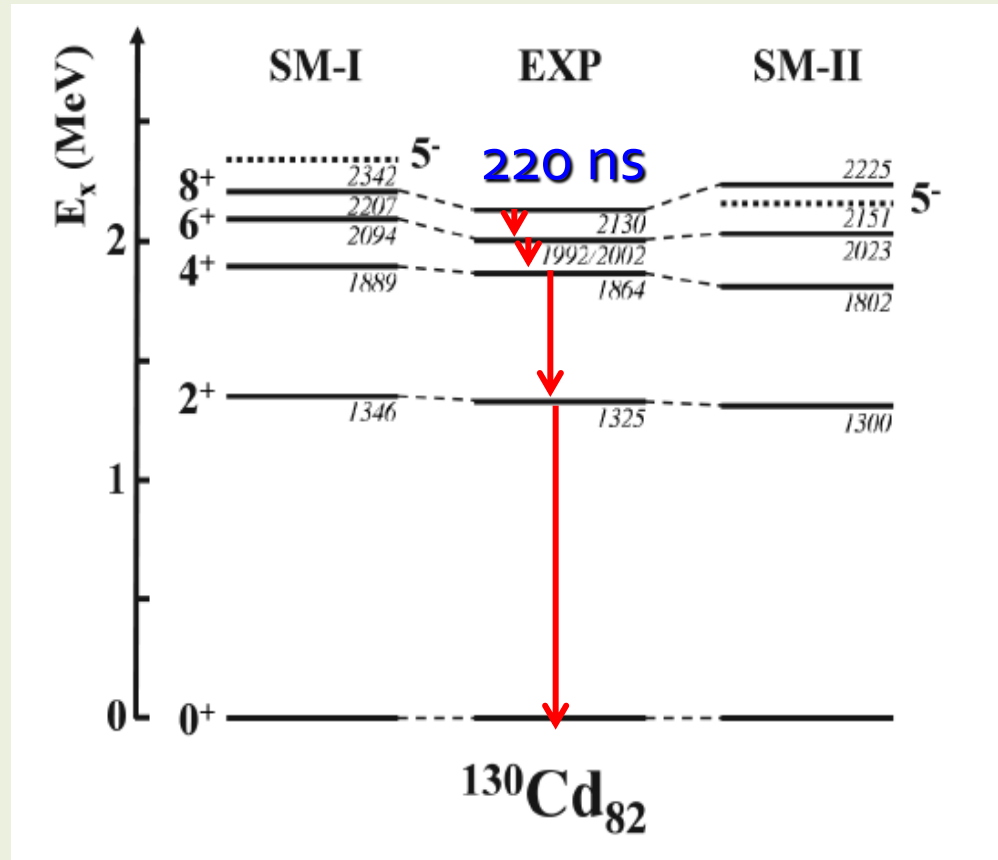
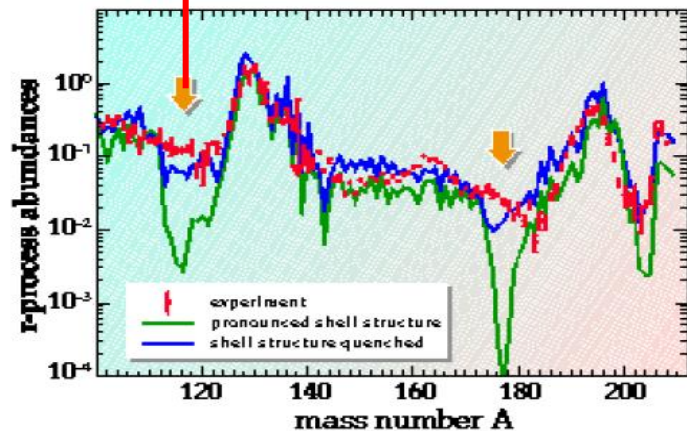
J^π

^{130}Cd – 2 proton holes states

Sb	131Sb	132Sb	133Sb	134Sb	135Sb	1
Sn	130Sn	131Sn	132Sn	133Sn	134Sn	1
In	129In	130In	131In	132In	133In	1
Cd	128Cd	129Cd	130Cd	131Cd	132Cd	

- Tentative I^π assignment
- Tentative $B(E\lambda)$ values
- Missing levels

→ Strength of **PAIRING** interaction
 → **SHELL** quenching below ^{132}Sn



GSI: Projectile fragmentation
 ^{136}Xe (750 MeV/A) + Be

Conclusions

+ **FOCUS on Particle-Phonon Coupled States:**

Building block of anharmonicity of vibrational spectra

Quenching of Spectroscopic Factors, ...

→ Research Program in Milano in Exp. and Theory:

Systematic study in different mass regions to obtain information on Interaction strength, N/Z dependence...

+ **γ -spectroscopy of n-rich nuclei with HEAVY-ION Transfer, Incomplete Fusion Reactions, ...**

Angular Distribution, Polarization, Lifetime Analysis

→ Spin, Parity and Nature of Nuclear State

→ Evidence for particle-phonon states in $^{47,49}\text{Ca}$

→ Indication In $^{65,67}\text{Cu}$, ...

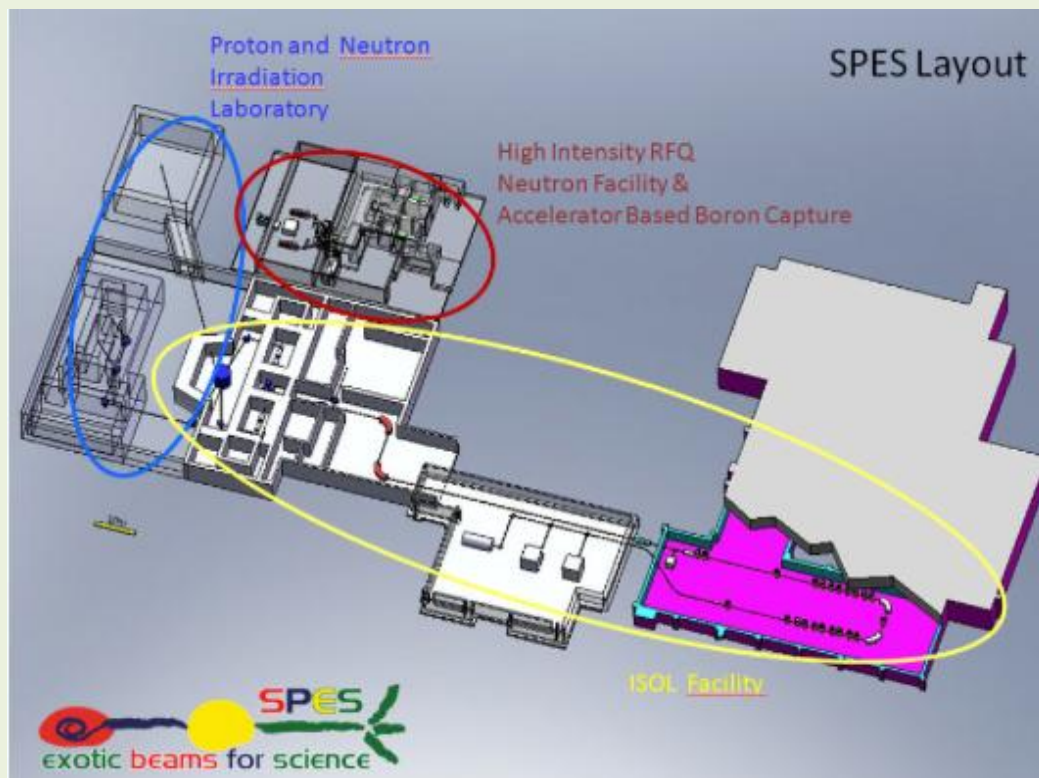
+ **Preparatory Work for Radioactive Beam Physics ...**

Thank You for the Attention

Radioactive Beam Project at Legnaro Laboratory INFN - Italy



- Radioactive Ion Beams are produced by proton induced fission on a UCx direct target at a rate of 10^{13} fission/s.
- Neutron rich re-accelerated beams will be available at energies up to 13 MeV/u in the mass region A=130.
- Re-acceleration will be performed by the superconducting linear accelerator complex (PIAVE-ALPI) of the Laboratori Nazionali di Legnaro.
- The facility for applied physics is based on proton and neutron beams from a two exit port cyclotron (70 MeV, 500 microA) and the high intensity RFQ TRASCO (5 MeV, 30 mA).



SPES ISOL FACILITY PLAN stage ALPHA-BETA	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Facility preliminary design completion	█					
Prototype of ISOL Target and ion source	█					
ISOL Targets construction and installation		█	█	█	█	
Authorization to operate	█	█	█			
Building's tender & construction	█	█	█	█		
Cyclotron tender & construction	█	█	█	█		
Cyclotron installation and commissioning					█	█
Neutron facility design	█	█	█	█		
Neutron facility construction					█	█
Alpi preparation for post acceleration	█	█	█	█		
Design of RIB transport & selection (HRMS, Charge Breeder, Beam Cooler)	█	█	█			
Construction and installation of RIBs transfer lines and spectrometer			█	█	█	
Complete commissioning						█

