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Treatment of uncertainties using Monte Carlo (UncTools)

Atomic Radiations in ENSDF (NS_RadList)

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Two-state mixing model

E0 strength parameter, $\rho^2(E0)$:

$$\rho^2(E0) = \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}Z\right)^2 \alpha^2(1 - \alpha^2)[\Delta(\beta^2)]^2$$

^{40}Ca 3353 keV E0

$$\rho^2(E0)=0.0259(16)$$

$$\Delta(\beta^2)=0.073(27)$$

Solution: $\alpha_{1,2}^2 = \frac{b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ $a = +1; b = -1; c = \frac{\rho^2(E0)(4\pi)^2}{(3Z\Delta(\beta^2))^2}$

- ❑ From min/max values of $\rho^2(E0)$ and $\Delta(\beta^2)$
 $\alpha_{1,2}^2 = 0.31(19)$ or $0.69(19)$
- ❑ Python Uncertainty (analytical, from numerical derivatives)
 $\alpha_{1,2}^2 = 0.3(4)$ or $0.7(4)$
- ❑ NIST Uncertainty Machine (Monte Carlo)
 Could not run; negative "b²-4ac" detected
- ❑ UncTools (Monte Carlo)
 $\alpha_{1,2}^2 = 0.18(+12-7)$ or $0.82(+7-12)$

- ❑ Single unsigned or signed number
- ❑ Standard symmetric or asymmetric uncertainty
- ❑ Limits

Uncertainty propagation in ENSDF codes:

- ❑ Taylor expansion, only valid for
 - a) Linear or nearly-linear relations/equations
 - b) small DX/X values
 - c) Correlations neglected

For multi-variant functions (BrIcc, Ruler, Gabs, Gtol) uncertainty propagation is difficult

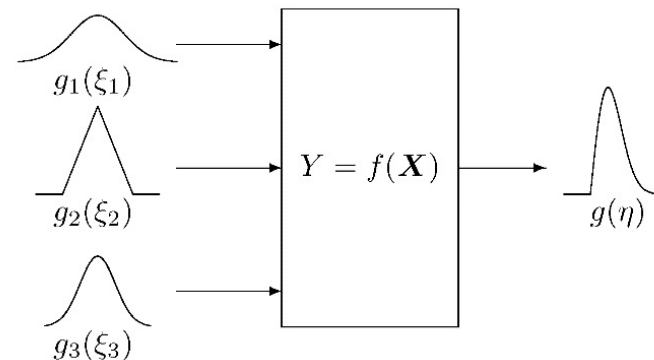
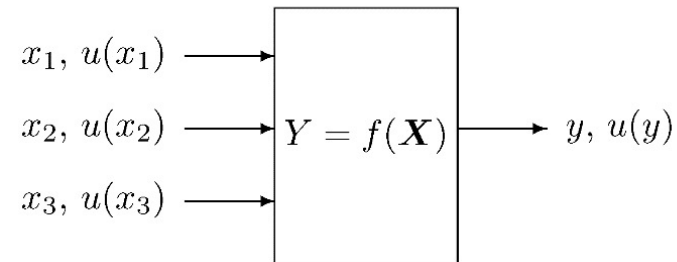
Solution: Bayesian (Monte Carlo) uncertainty propagation

- 1) Evaluation of measurement data — Supplement 1 to the “Guide to the expression of uncertainty in measurement” — Propagation of distributions, JCGM 101:2008 (Joint Committee for Guides in Metrology)
- 2) M. Cox, A. O`Hagan, Accreditation and Quality Assurance 27 (2022) 19-37

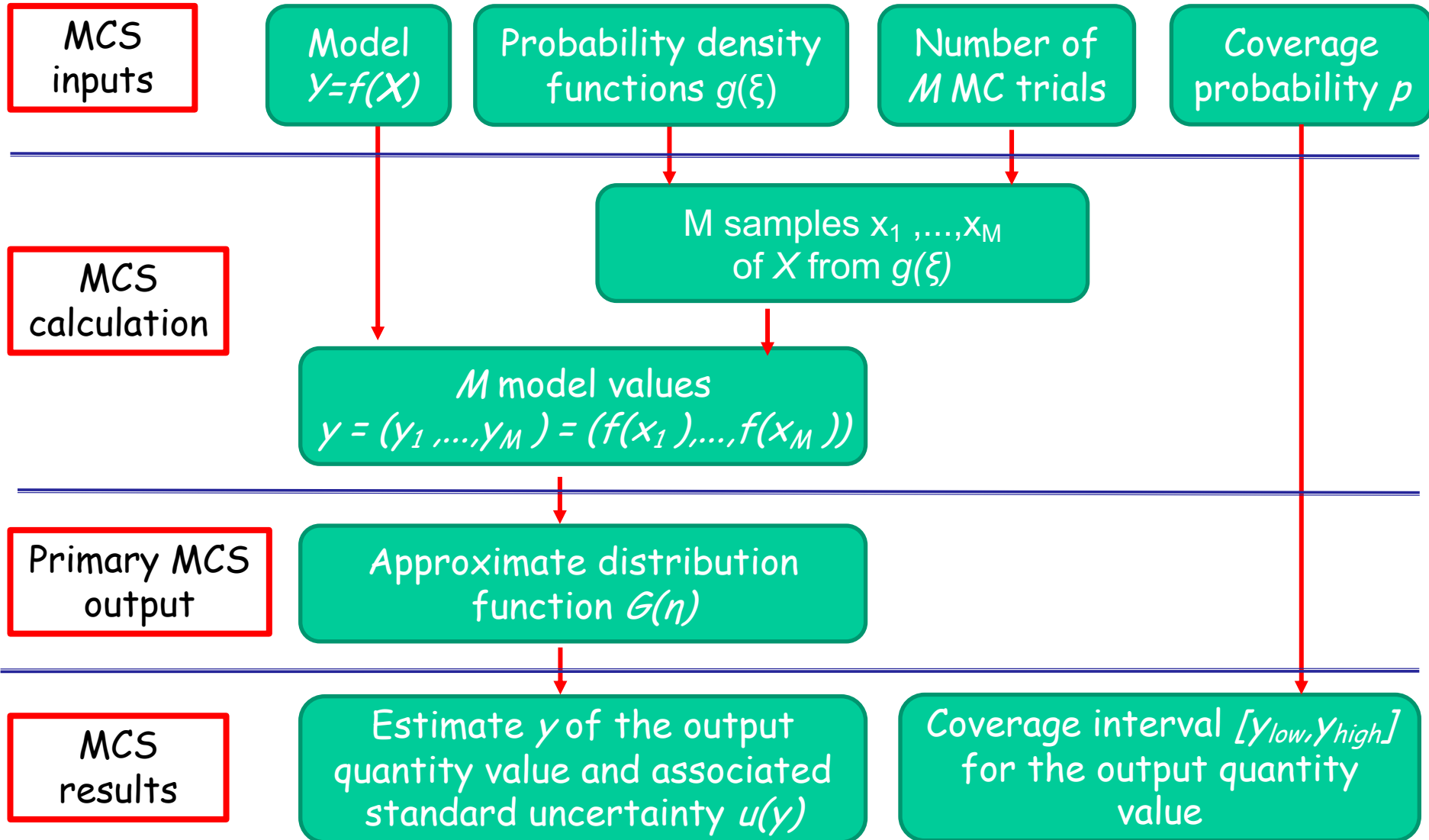
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Concept

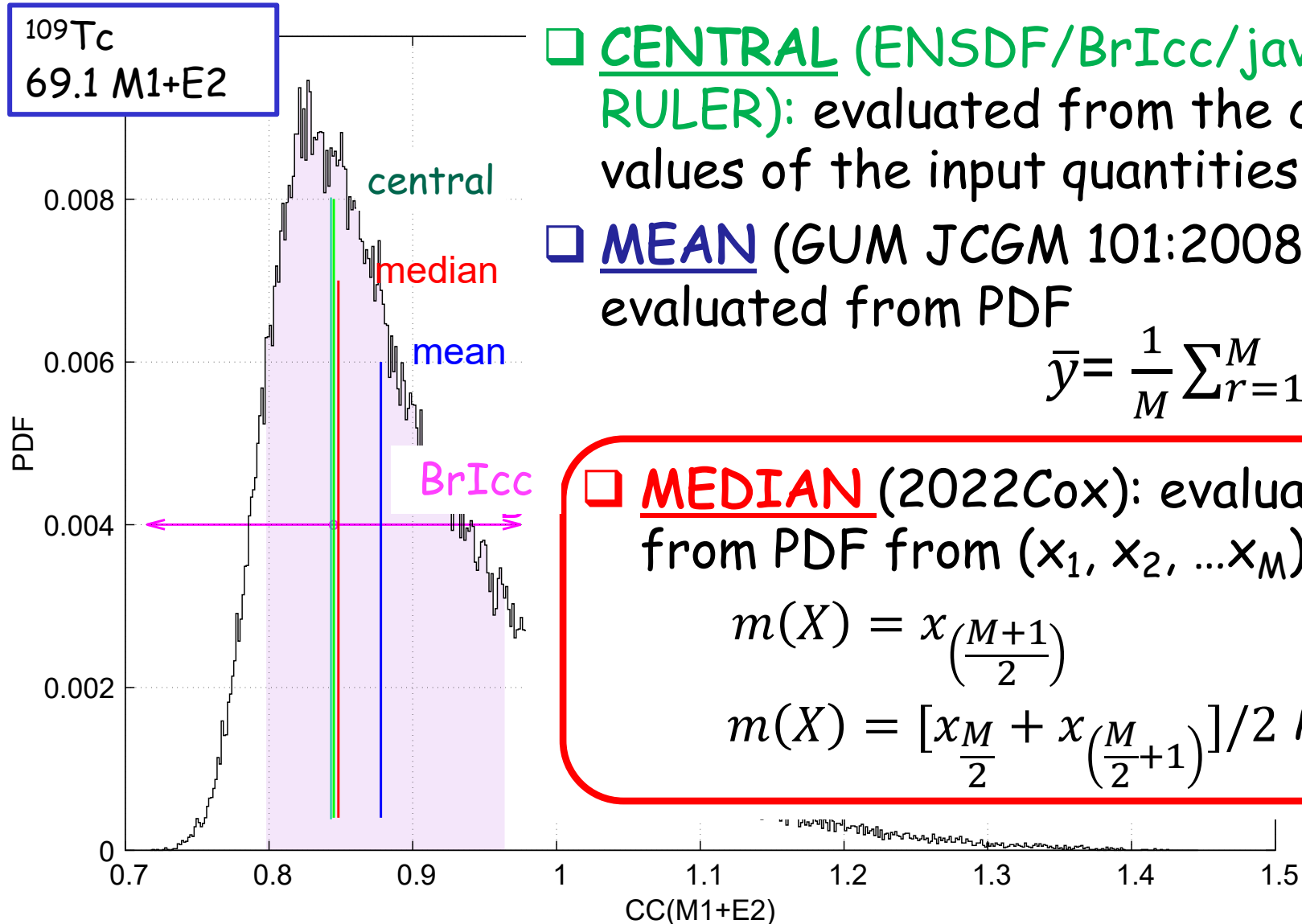
- ❑ Define the output quantity, the quantity required to be measured.
 - ❑ Decide the input quantities upon which the output quantity depends.
 - ❑ Develop a model relating the output quantity to these input quantities.
 - ❑ On the basis of available knowledge assign Probability Density Functions (PDF)
 - Symmetrical UNC: normal
 - Asymmetric UNC: Skewed Normal
 - Limit: rectangular (uniform)
- to the values of the input quantities.



Monte Carlo simulations to obtain the output quantity



Value of the output quantity



- **CENTRAL** (ENSDF/BrIcc/java-RULER): evaluated from the central values of the input quantities
- **MEAN** (GUM JCGM 101:2008): evaluated from PDF

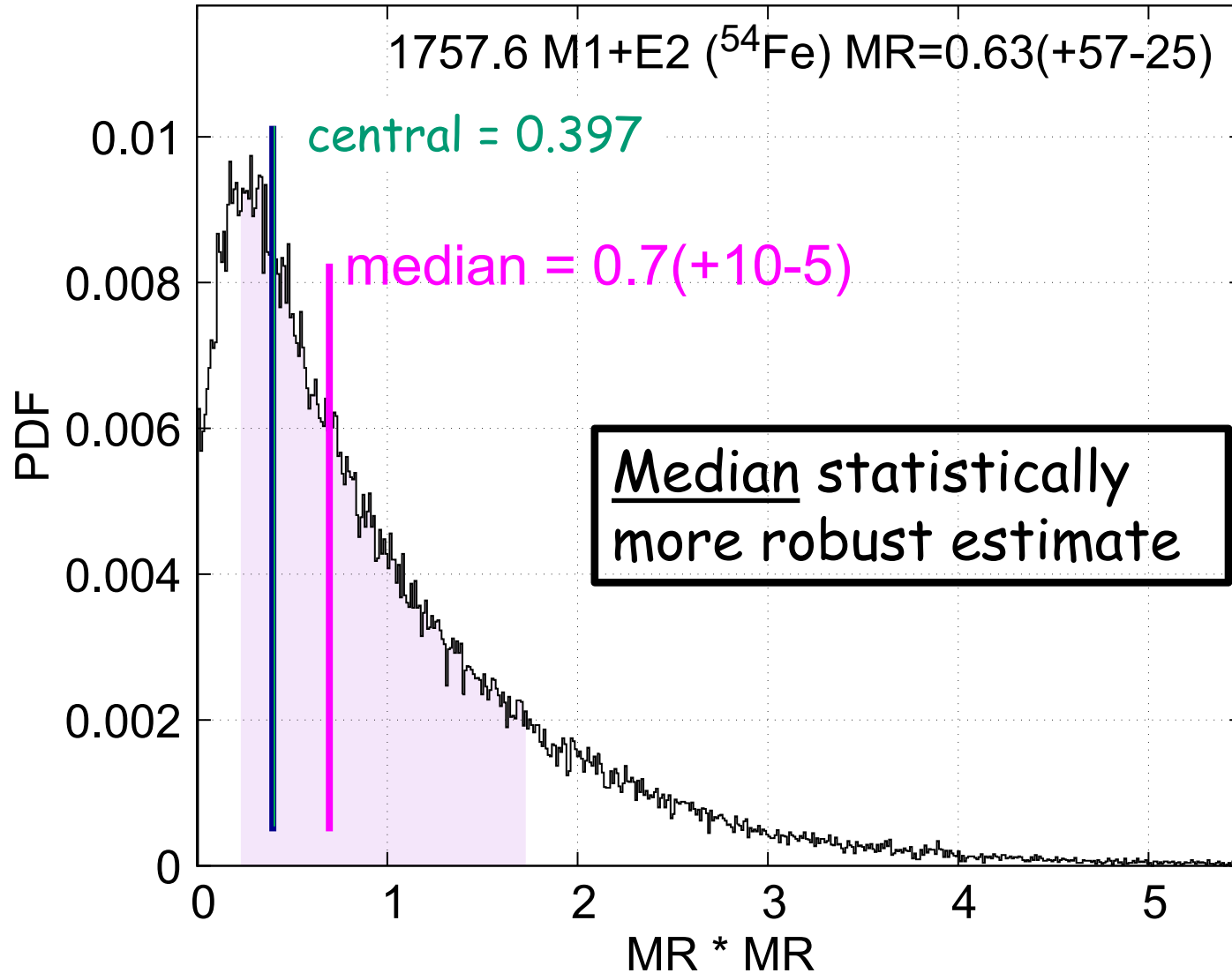
$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{r=1}^M y_r$$

- **MEDIAN** (2022Cox): evaluated from PDF from (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_M) as

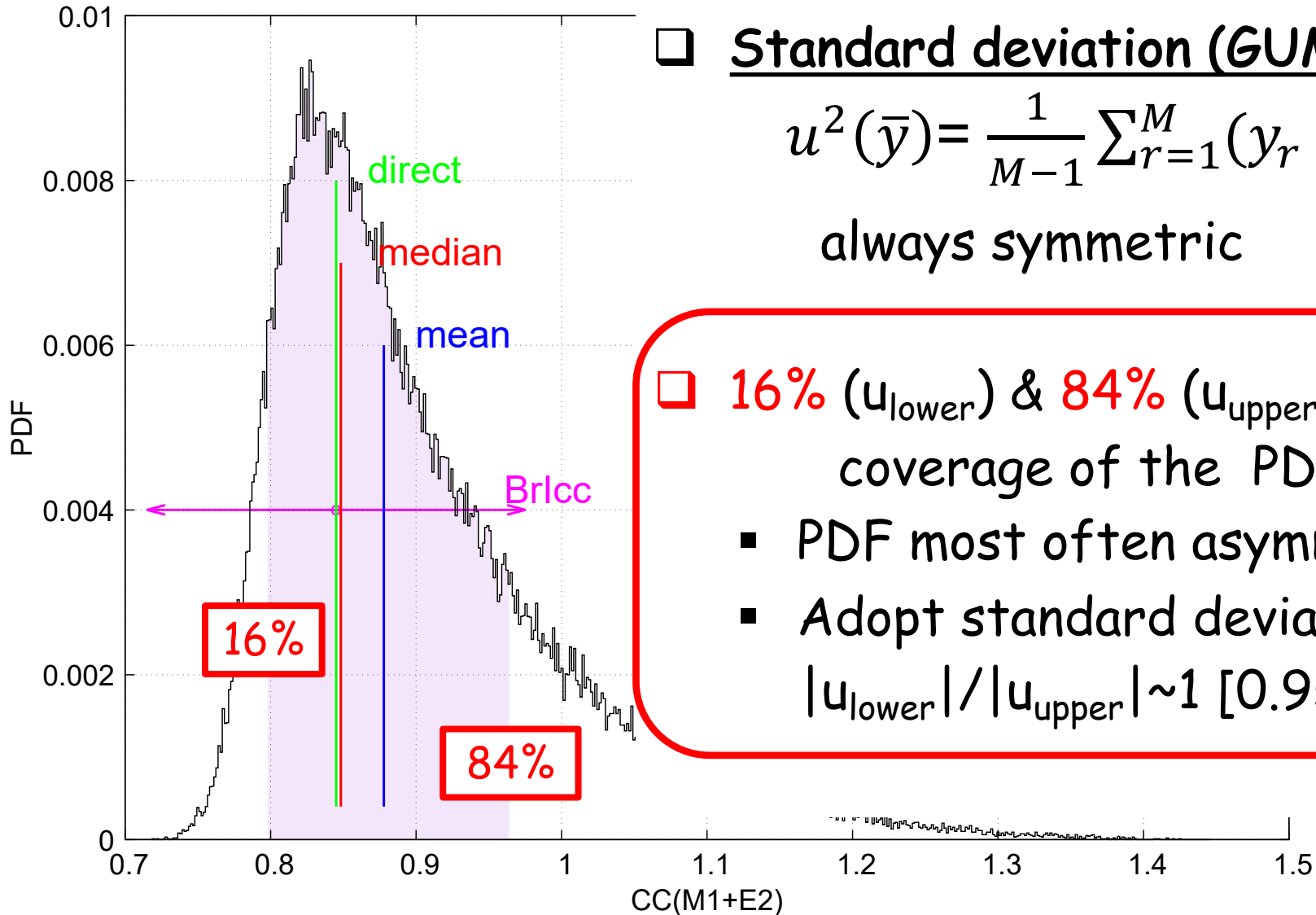
$$m(X) = x_{\left(\frac{M+1}{2}\right)} \quad M \text{ odd}$$

$$m(X) = \left[x_{\frac{M}{2}} + x_{\left(\frac{M}{2}+1\right)} \right] / 2 \quad M \text{ even}$$

Value of the output quantity



Uncertainty of the output quantity



Standard deviation (GUM)

$$u^2(\bar{y}) = \frac{1}{M-1} \sum_{r=1}^M (y_r - \bar{y})^2$$

always symmetric

16% (u_{lower}) & 84% (u_{upper})

coverage of the PDF

- PDF most often asymmetric
- Adopt standard deviation if $|u_{\text{lower}}|/|u_{\text{upper}}| \sim 1$ [0.95 : 1.05]

BrIcc - calculating mixed ICC

MR is unknown

^{168}Yb 1144.9(6) M1+E2

□ ENSDF assigned as E2+E0, but M1 could not be excluded

BrIcc:

$$CC = [CC(M1) + CC(E2)] / 2$$

$$CC(M1) = 0.00515$$

$$DCC = |CC(M1) - CC(E2)| / 2$$

$$CC(E2) = 0.00283$$

$$\underline{CC = 0.0040(12)}$$

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UncTools: MR uniform in [0 : 10]

M1 [100% : 1%];
E2 [0% : 99%]

$$CC = \frac{(CC(M1) + MR^2 \times CC(E2))}{1 + MR^2}$$

$CC = 0.0029(+6-1)$

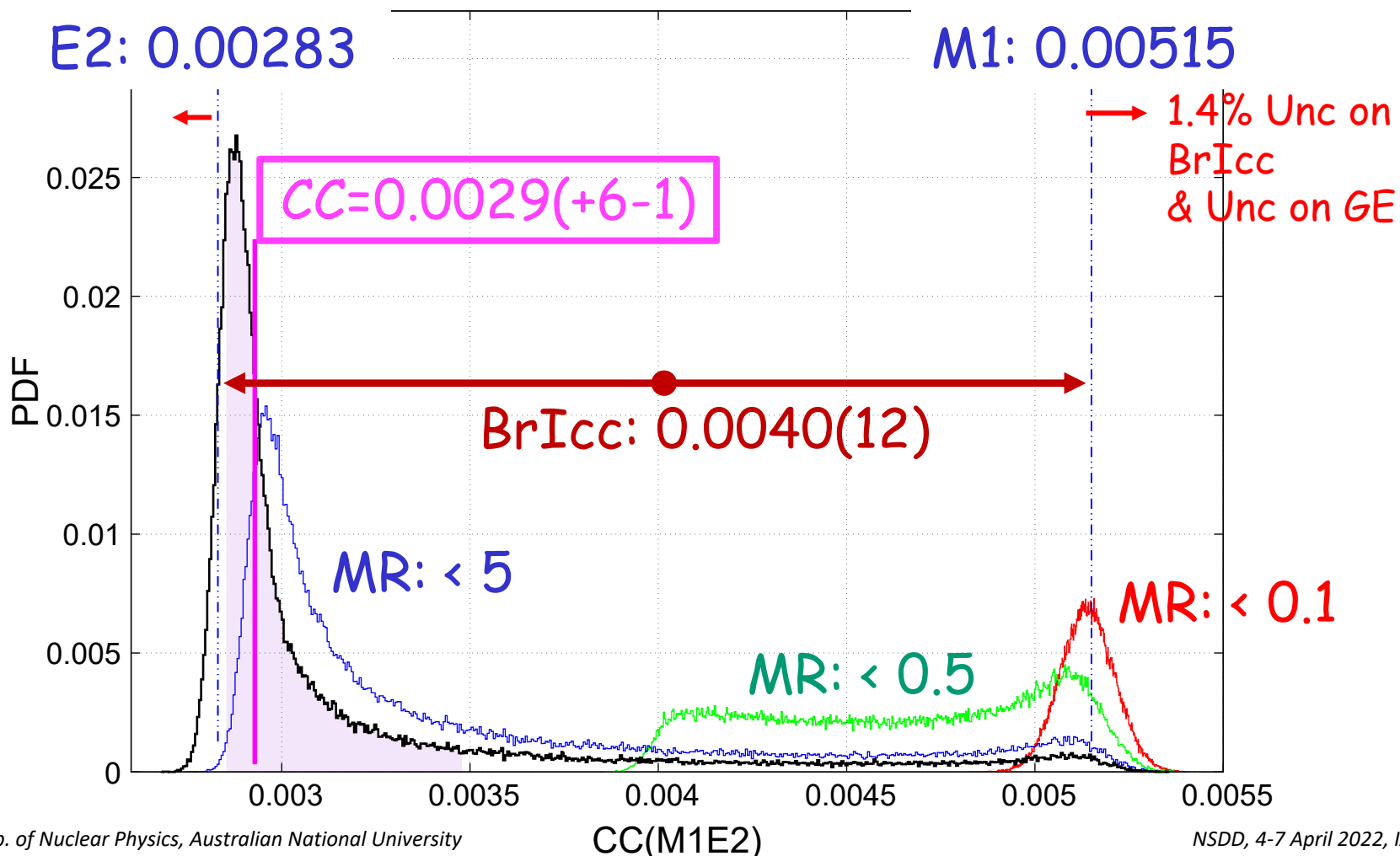
- Closer to E2 than M1
- Uncertainty significantly smaller & asymmetric

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^{186}Ta β^- decay scheme normalisation (GABS): NR=0.50(5)

E	RI	%IG
122.3	50(7) 14%	25.1(12) 4.8%
737.5	58(4) 6.9%	29.1(32) 11%
1284.0	0.5(25)	0.3 (13)
1322.0	0.60(30)	0.30 (15)

← Is this correct?
 NUDAT/LiveChart:
 %IG=25(4) 16%

CalibSinglesDS.f90: lines 254-266:

$$\%IG_i = \frac{(100 - IGS) \times RI_i}{\sum_j^{1,N} RI_j \times (1 + CC_j)}$$

Calculating %DIG(122),
 DRI(122) is used in the
 nominator and denominator
%DIG could be overestimated!

Filip` s talk on absolute gamma intensities

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[MAXTALLY]      100000

[G_1] 186W      G 122.3      1      50  7  E2      1.79
[G_1_E]
[G_1_CC_E2]
[G_1_RI]
[EQN]           G1_TI = G_1_RI * (1. + G_1_CC_E2)
[G_2] 186W      G 737.5      3      58  4E2      0.00850
[G_2_E]
[G_2_CC_E2]
[EQN]           G2_TI = G_2_RI * (1. + G_2_CC_E2)
[G_3] 186W      G 1284.0     15     0.5 25E2      0.00278
[G_3_E]
[G_3_CC_E2]
[EQN]           G3_TI = G_3_RI * (1. + G_3_CC_E2)
[G_4] 186W      G      1322.015  0.60 30
[EQN]           G4_TI = G_4_RI
[EQN]           TI = G1_TI + G2_TI + G3_TI + G4_TI
[EQN]           NR = 100. / TI      (no g.s. feeding)
[EQN]           G1_pTI = G_1_RI * NR
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G-record (points to G 122.3 1 50 7 E2 1.79)

Samples parameters from G-record, calling BrIcc (bracketed around [G_1_E] to [G_1_RI])

Calculates TI (bracketed around G1_TI = G_1_RI * (1. + G_1_CC_E2))

TI to g.s. (bracketed around TI = G1_TI + G2_TI + G3_TI + G4_TI)

Calculates NR, BR=1 (bracketed around NR = 100. / TI (no g.s. feeding))

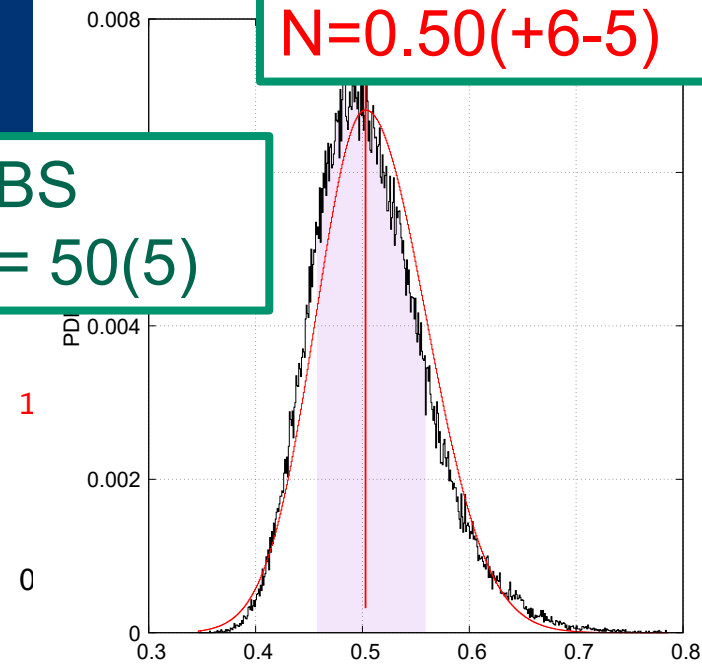
Calculates %IG (bracketed around G1_pTI = G_1_RI * NR)

UncTools results

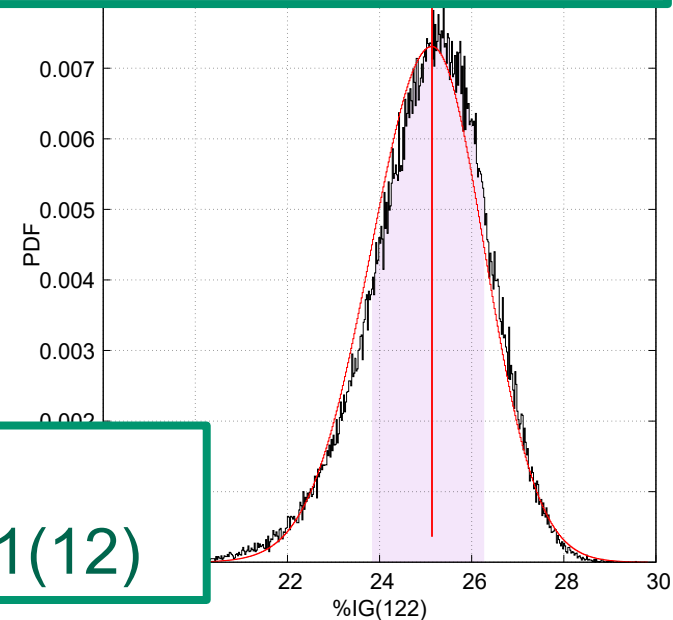
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[G_1] 186W G 122.3 1 50 7 E2
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[G_2_E]
[G_2_CC_E2]
[EQN] G2_TI = G_2_RI * (1. + G_2_CC_E2)
[G_3] 186W G 1284.0 15 0.5 25E2
[G_3_E]
[G_3_CC_E2]
[EQN] G3_TI = G_3_RI * (1. + G_3_CC_E2)
[G_4] 186W G 1322.015 0.60 30
[EQN] G4_TI = G_4_RI
[EQN] TI = G1_TI + G2_TI + G3_TI + G4_TI
[EQN] N = 100. / TI
[EQN] G1_pTI = G_1_RI * N
    
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GABS
NR= 50(5)



%IG(122)=25.1(+11-13)



GABS
%IG(122)=25.1(12)

177HF L 321.3162 4 9/2+ 0.665 NS 16
 177HF G 71.6418 6 1.58 5E1+M2 -0.018 9 0.89 6

	Java-Ruler	UncTools
CC	0.89(6)	0.89(+5-3)
BE1W	1.24E-5(5)	1.24E-5(5)
BM2W	3.6(+45-27)	4(+5-3)

177HF G 208.3662 4 100.0 14E1+M2 +0.076 19 0.068 9

CC	0.068(9)	0.068(+8-6)
BE1W	3.17E-5(8)	3.17E-5(8)
BM2W	19.3(+104-85)	19(+11-8)

177HF G 321.3159 6 2.10 4 E1+M2 +0.175 10 0.0354 21



CC	0.0354(21)	0.0354(+20-19)
BE1W	1.77E-7(6)	1.77E-7(6)
BM2W	0.242(+29-28)	0.241(+29-27)

184RE L 825.47 15 (9-) 5 NS LT D

184RE G 379.6 2 3.8 3 (E1)

	Java-Ruler	UncTools
BE1W	>2.08E-8	4E-8(+8-1)

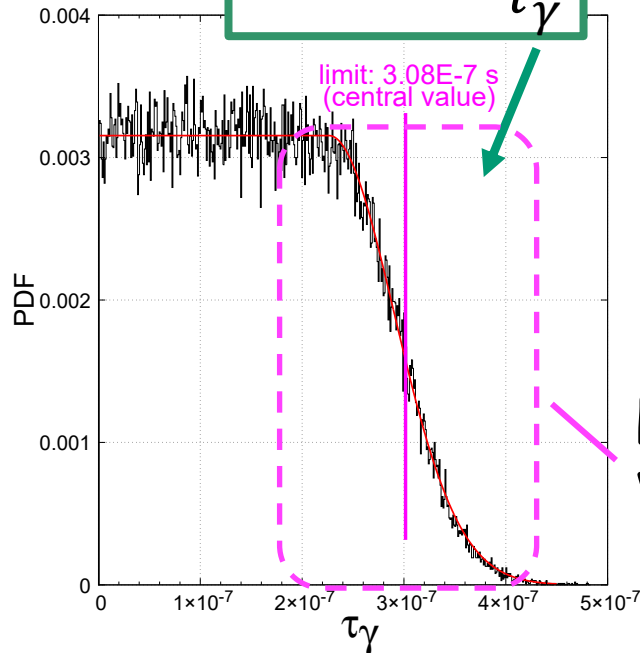
184RE G 637.5 2 158 19(E1)

BE1W	>1.76E-7	3.E-7(+7-1)
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$$B(E1) = \frac{\tau_W}{\tau_\gamma}$$

$$\tau_W = \frac{9.756E-15}{E_\gamma^3 \times A^{2/3}} = 5.513(9)E-15 \text{ s}$$

~0.016% UNC from E_γ



Propagation of the DRI's "smoothers" the limit

Comparison with java-Ruler

(version 4-Apr-2022)

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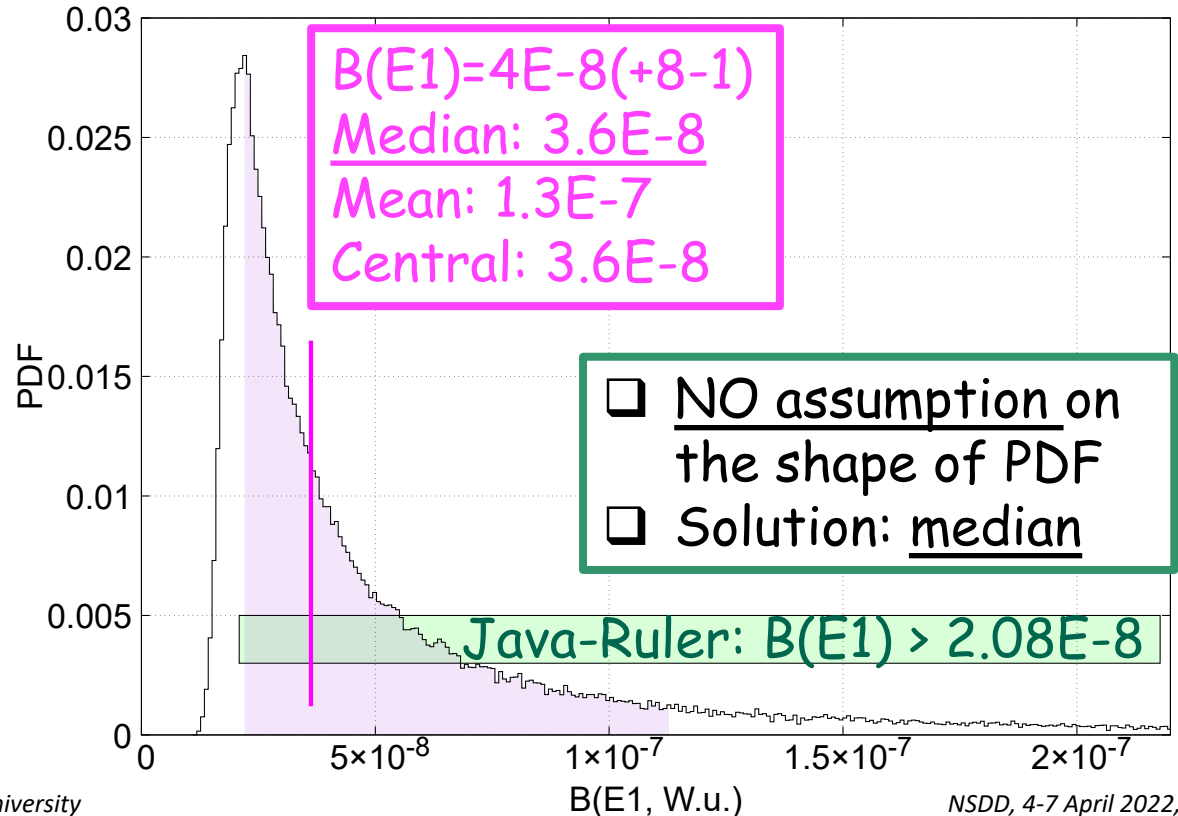
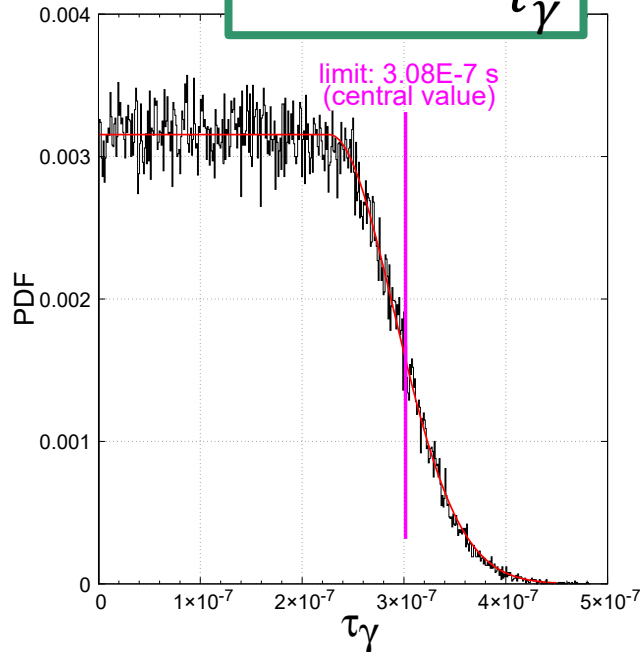
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☐ Input parameters sampled up to +/- 5σ are all valid.

Plugging them into the equation gave non-physical solution:

$$\Delta(\beta^2) < 0.06 \rightarrow [b^2 - 4ac] < 0$$

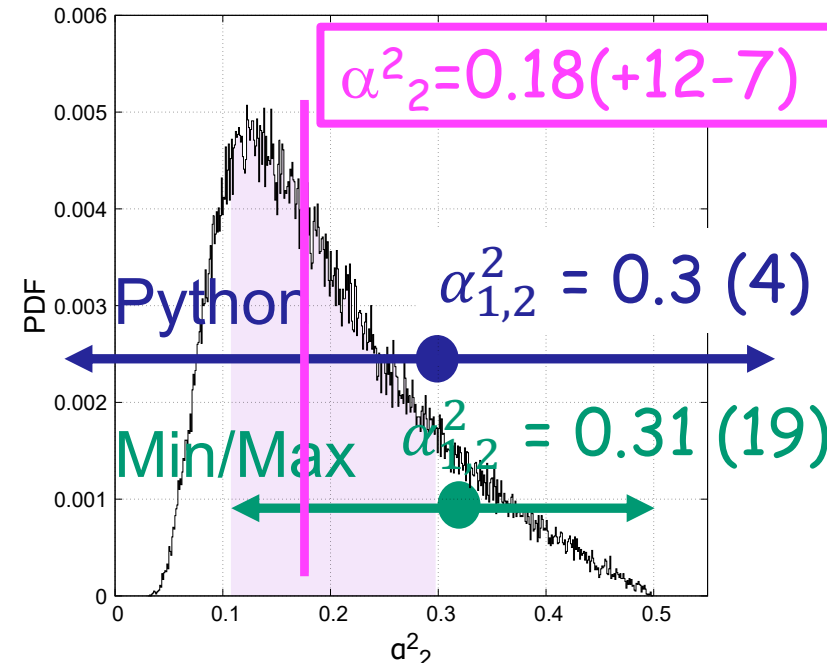
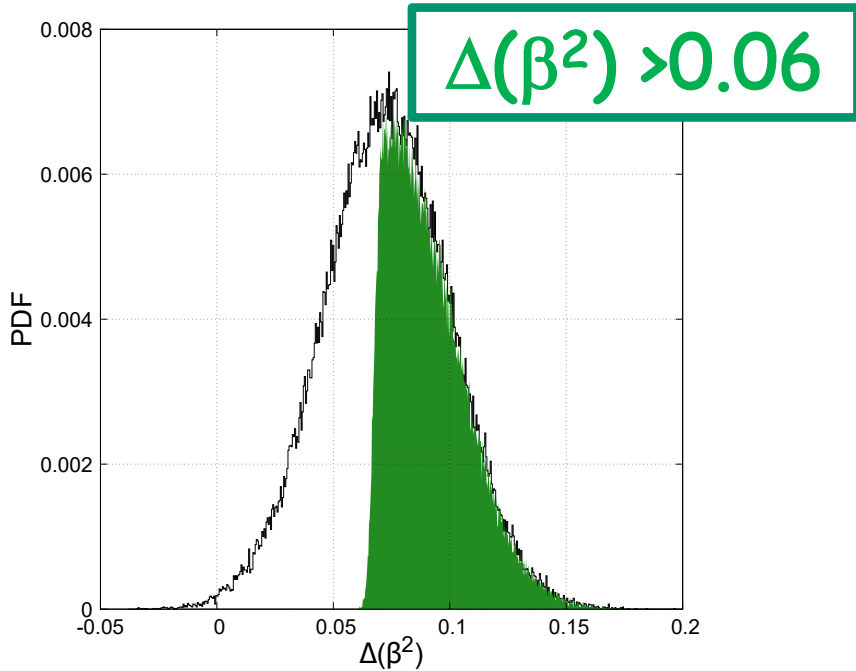
- NIST uncertainty machine: DO NOT proceed
- UncTools: Dump this trial and take a new sample of the input parameters

Handling non-physical solutions

$$\rho^2(E0) = \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}Z\right)^2 \alpha^2(1 - \alpha^2)[\Delta(\beta^2)]^2$$

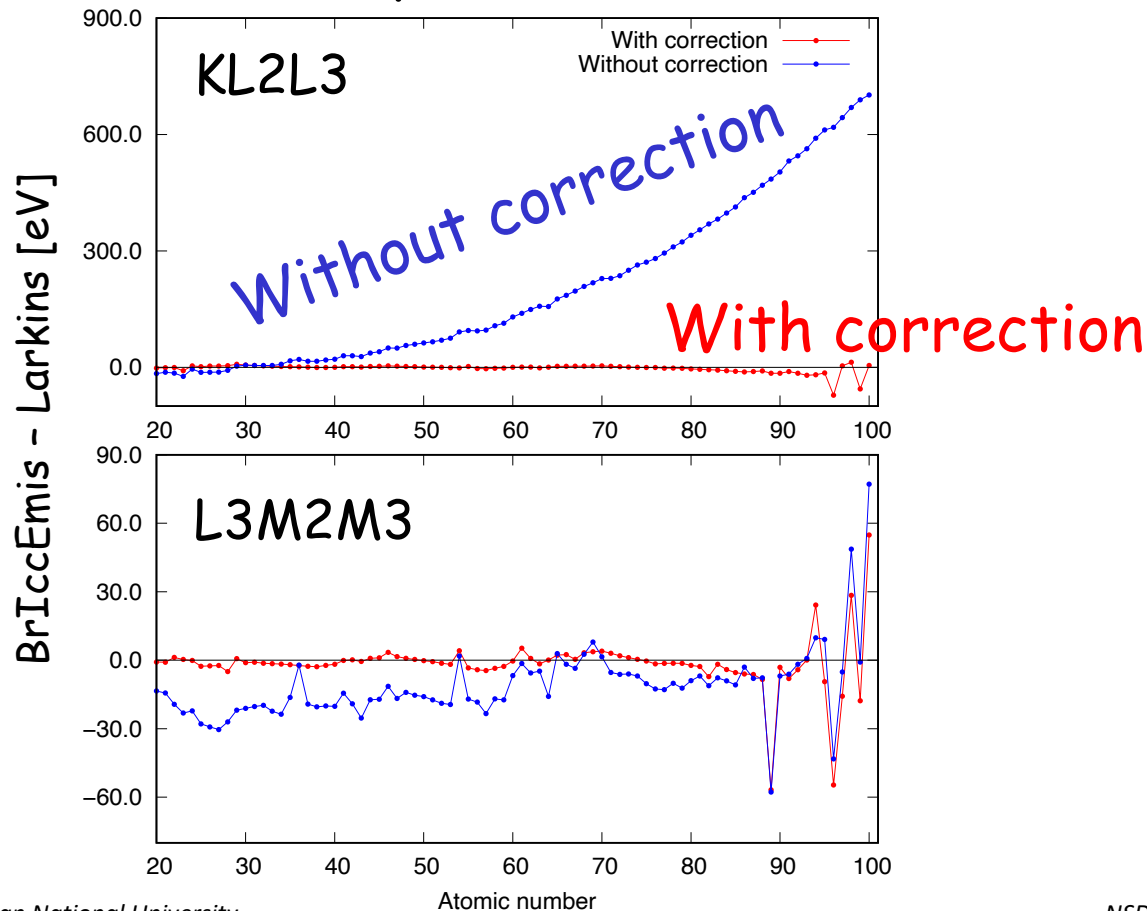
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- ❑ A script driven tool to propagate uncertainties using Monte Carlo
- ❑ Input parameters (normal, skewed normal and limits, max 8000) sampled and propagated through equations (max 1000)
- ❑ Parse full ENSDF records & checks for errors
- ❑ Probability Density Function (PDF) of the output used to determine the value and uncertainty; based in input quantities no assumption is made
- ❑ Output = median (recommended); in most cases median & central value are close
- ❑ Uncertainty from 16% : 84% coverage intervals (asymmetric PDF) or standard deviation (symmetric or nearly symmetric PDF)
- ❑ Can be called from any application, return values in XML:
`unctools <input script> -x`
- ❑ Publication quality plots:
`unctools <input script> -g`

- ❑ Atomic transition rates from EADL (1991PeZY)
- ❑ Atomic transition energies calculated using RAINE (2002Ba85), with semi-empirical corrections (2020TEZY)



- ❑ Initial atomic vacancy from
 - ❑ EC & IC (nuclear decay mode);
 - ❑ Electron/positron bombardment
 - ❑ User specified distribution (from file)
- ❑ BrIccEmisDB (219 MB)
 - ❑ precalculated atomic spectra for $Z=6$ to 100 by putting an initial vacancy on K to O shells; 1 million simulations
 - ❑ Binned with 1 eV
 - ❑ X-rays and Auger electrons
 - ❑ Unbinned "raw" data 3.5 GB - for expert use

`Ns_radlist -n <ENSDF.file> -u -g`

- Reads and parses ENSDF file; comprehensive error detection
- Evaluates EC rates using EC probabilities from 1995SzZY (planned to use BetaShape)
- Evaluates IC rates using BrIcc v3, Z up to 126 (2008Ki07, 20212Ki04), new $\Omega(E0)$ tables (2020Do01)
- "-u" propagates uncertainties in nuclear structure parameters (energy, intensity, mixing ratio, etc) using UncTools (10,000 MC trials)
- "-g" generates spectrum plots of the PDF
- Generates new ENSDF records

Ns_radlist -n 125I_EC.ens -u -g

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# Program version: NS_RadList v1.0 (23-Mar-2022)
# BrIccEmis: BrIccEmis (02-Mar-2021)
# NSR Key: 2012Le09
# Command line: -n 125I_EC.ens -g -u
# ENSDF file: 125I_EC.ens
# Parent: 125I
# Daughter: 125TE
# DecayMode: EC
# Half Life: 59.400 D
# $Atomic relaxation from BrIccEmis (26-May-2021) 2016Le19
# IM$Absolute intensity per 100 decays; as defined by 1991PeZY,
# uncertainties in theoretical X-ray emission probabilities are 10% for
# K and L shells and 30% for outer shells.
# IM$Absolute intensity per 100 decays; as defined by 1991PeZY,
# uncertainties in theoretical Auger-electron emission probabilities
# are <15% for K and L shells (except for Coster-Kronig and super
# Coster-Kronig transitions) and 30% for outer shells.
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NOTE: uncertainties in atomic transition probabilities are NOT propagated

NS_RadList - calculation report with B. Tee

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# NUCLEAR TRANSITIONS =====
# ELECTRON CAPTURE =====
# Trans   E-decay      E_f      EC Prob.      Shell EC Prob.
#         [keV]        [keV]      [/100 dec]    (1998Sc28)
EC - 1    150.27(6)    35.4925(5)  100
K  - 1
L1 - 1
L2 - 1
M1 - 1
M2 - 1
N1 - 1
N2 - 1
O1 - 1
# EM transitions (Intensity cutoff: 1.00E-03% =====
# Transition      Energy [keV]      Probability
#                 [per 100 decays]
G_1              35.4925(5)        6.68(13)
G_1_CK           3.6725(5)         78.1(19)
G_1_CL           30.5945(+24-20)  10.67(+26-25)
G_1_CM           34.4996(+10-9)   2.14(5)
G_1_CN           35.3244(6)        0.421(10)
G_1_CO           35.4752(5)        0.0440(10)
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NS_RadList - calculation report with B. Tee

# AUGER electrons =====			
# Transition	Energy [keV]		Probability
#	Mean	95% Confidence range	[per 100 decays]
Auger_Tot	0.598	[0.001 : 3.610]	1895(19)
Auger_Ktot	23.913	[21.795 : 29.947]	19.13(23)
Auger_KLL	22.516	[21.795 : 22.976]	12.91(+16-15)
Auger_KLX	26.450	[25.812 : 27.334]	5.63(7)
Auger_KXY	30.307	[29.751 : 31.452]	0.589(7)
Auger_Ltot	2.774	[0.124 : 3.983]	184.2(18)
CK_LLX	0.285	[0.063 : 0.533]	26.82(21)
Auger_LMM	3.044	[2.471 : 3.720]	121.1(+13-12)
Auger_LMX	3.673	[3.307 : 4.258]	33.95(35)
Auger_LXY	4.305	[4.027 : 4.799]	2.366(24)
Auger_Mtot	0.323	[0.021 : 0.626]	450(5)
CK_MMX	0.096	[0.009 : 0.246]	130.0(13)
Auger_MXY	0.416	[0.254 : 0.640]	319.8(33)
Auger_Ntot	0.016	[0.001 : 0.077]	1242(12)
SCK_NNN	0.016	[0.002 : 0.057]	181.6(18)
CK_NNX	0.033	[0.001 : 0.107]	110.4(11)
Auger_NXY	0.013	[0.001 : 0.076]	950(9)

Evaluated from 1 eV binned spectra

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X-rays =====

# Transition	Energy [keV]	Probability
#	Mean 95% Confidence range	[per 100 decays]
X-ray tot	25.432 [3.778 : 31.693]	155.6(18)
X-ray Ktot	28.039 [27.203 : 31.693]	139.0(17)
X-ray KL2	27.203 [27.203 : 27.203]	40.1(5)
X-ray KL3	27.473 [27.473 : 27.473]	74.3(9)
X-ray KM	30.980 [30.944 : 30.995]	20.19(24)
X-ray KM2	30.944 [30.944 : 30.944]	6.81(8)
X-ray KM3	30.995 [30.995 : 30.995]	13.24(16)
X-ray KN	31.701 [31.693 : 31.704]	4.20(5)
X-ray KN2	31.693 [31.693 : 31.693]	1.398(17)
X-ray KN3	31.704 [31.704 : 31.704]	2.772(33)
X-ray Ltot	3.933 [3.339 : 4.590]	14.77(15)
X-ray Mtot	0.554 [0.250 : 0.882]	0.782(8)
X-ray Ntot	0.100 [0.078 : 0.167]	1.007(11)

Evaluated from 1 eV binned spectra

New ENSDF records

125TE1 AM E(Tot)= 0.598\$ I(Tot)= 1895(19)\$
125TE2 AM E(Ktot)= 23.913\$ I(Ktot)= 19.13(23)\$
125TE3 AM E(KLL)= 22.516\$ I(KLL)= 12.91(+16-15)\$
125TE4 AM E(KLX)= 26.450\$ I(KLX)= 5.63(7)\$
125TE5 AM E(KXY)= 30.307\$ I(KXY)= 0.589(7)\$
125TE6 AM E(Ltot)= 2.774\$ I(Ltot)= 184.2(18)\$
125TE7 AM E(CK_LLX)= 0.285\$ I(CK_LLX)= 26.82(21)\$
125TE8 AM E(LMM)= 3.044\$ I(LMM)= 121.1(+13-12)\$
125TE9 AM E(LMX)= 3.673\$ I(LMX)= 33.95(+35-34)\$
125TEa AM E(LXY)= 4.305\$ I(LXY)= 2.366(+25-24)\$
125TEb AM E(Mtot)= 0.323\$ I(Mtot)= 450(+5-4)\$
125TEc AM E(CK_MMX)= 0.096\$ I(CK_MMX)= 130.0(+13-12)\$
125TEd AM E(MXY)= 0.416\$ I(MXY)= 319.8(+33-32)\$
125TEe AM E(Ntot)= 0.016\$ I(Ntot)= 1242(12)\$
125TEf AM E(SCK_NNN)= 0.016\$ I(SCK_NNN)= 181.6(1-1)\$
125TEg AM E(CK_NNX)= 0.033\$ I(CK_NNX)= 110.4(+11-10)\$
125TEh AM E(NXY)= 0.013\$ I(NXY)= 950(+10-9)\$
125TE1 XM E(tot)= 25.432\$ I(tot)= 155.6(+19-18)\$
125TE2 XM E(Ktot)= 28.039\$ I(Ktot)= 139.0(+17-16)\$
125TE3 XM E(KL2)= 27.203\$ I(KL2)= 40.1(5)\$
125TE4 XM E(KL3)= 27.473\$ I(KL3)= 74.3(9)\$
125TE5 XM E(KM)= 30.980\$ I(KM)= 20.19(24)\$
125TE6 XM E(KM2)= 30.944\$ I(KM2)= 6.81(8)\$
125TE7 XM E(KM3)= 30.995\$ I(KM3)= 13.24(16)\$
125TE8 XM E(KN)= 31.701\$ I(KN)= 4.20(5)\$
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- Absolut Auger & X-ray intensity
- Inserted before g.s. record
- D record with program version
- C records with notes on uncertainties from EADL

Output from Java-NDS (Jun Chen) Uncertainties will be added

¹³¹Cs ε decay (9.689 d)

Parent: ¹³¹Cs: E=0.0; J^π=5/2⁺; T_{1/2}=9.689 d 16; Q(ε)=358.00 18; %ε decay=100.0

Evaluation by A.L. Nichols, March 2021.

References: [1960La06](#), [1963Ly02](#), [1972Em01](#), [1974PI04](#), [1975La16](#), [2005Ku10](#), [2006Kh09](#), [2006Vo04](#), [2008Si26](#), [2012Le09](#), [2016Le19](#), [2019Ka48](#), [2019Mo35](#), [2020TeZY](#), [2021Wa16](#).

X rays (¹³¹Xe)

<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(X ray)</u>	<u>I(X ray)[†]</u>	<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(X ray)</u>	<u>I(X ray)[†]</u>	<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(X ray)</u>	<u>I(X ray)[†]</u>
TOT	28.559	83.91	K-M2	34.925	3.697	K-O	35.980	0.2287
K-TOT	31.632	74.52	K-M3	34.993	7.193	L-TOT	4.488	8.648
K-L2	30.631	21.37	K-M4	35.252	0.03540	M-TOT	0.680	0.5394
K-L3	30.978	39.64	K-M5	35.266	0.05200	N-TOT	0.117	0.2050
K-M	34.972	10.978	K-N	35.828	2.307			

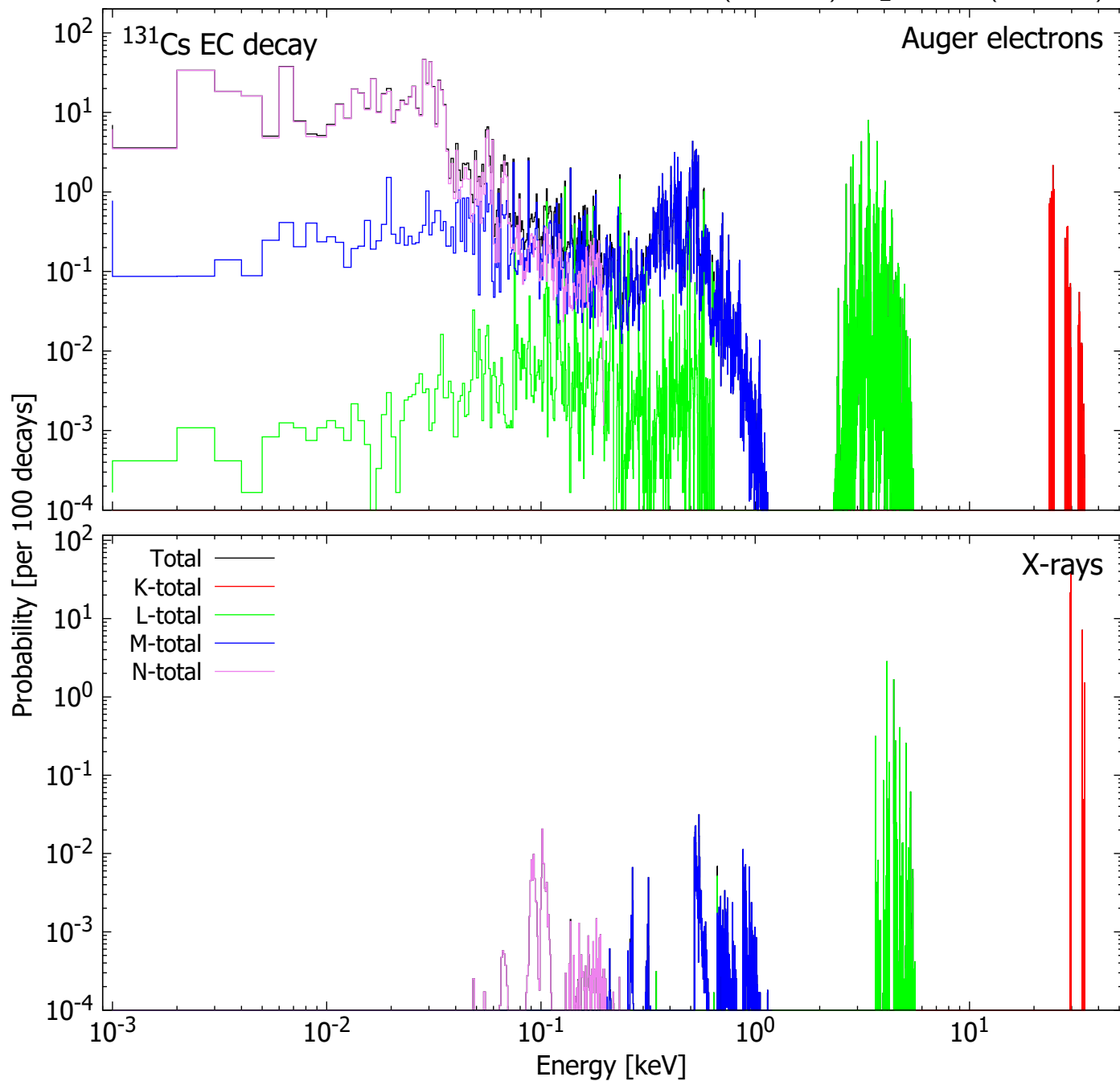
[†] Absolute intensity per 100 decays; as defined by [1991PeZY](#), uncertainties in theoretical X-ray emission probabilities are 10% for K and L shells and 30% for outer shells.

NOTE: Atomic transition energies uncorrected!

Auger electrons (¹³¹Xe)

<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(Auger)</u>	<u>I(Auger)[†]</u>	<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(Auger)</u>	<u>I(Auger)[†]</u>	<u>Transition(s)</u>	<u>E(Auger)</u>	<u>I(Auger)[†]</u>
TOT	0.707	900.7	L-LX	0.307	13.84	M-XY	0.492	162.7
K-TOT	26.859	9.056	L-MM	3.387	60.65	N-TOT	0.030	570.7
K-LL	25.218	6.046	L-MX	4.147	17.92	N-NN	0.011	10.816
K-LX	29.727	2.719	L-XY	4.913	1.338	N-NX	0.047	141.0
K-XY	34.161	0.2909	M-TOT	0.379	227.2	N-XY	0.024	418.9
L-TOT	3.100	93.75	M-MX	0.097	61.96			

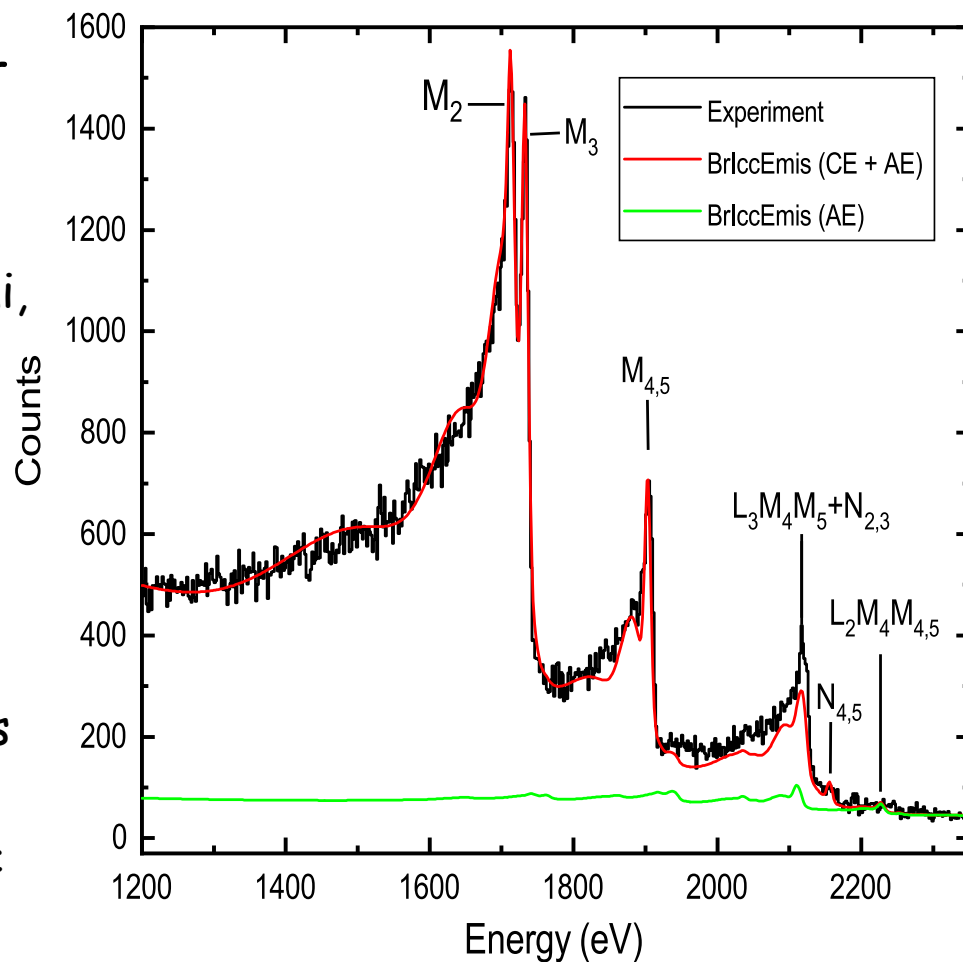
[†] Absolute intensity per 100 decays; as defined by [1991PeZY](#), uncertainties in theoretical Auger-electron emission probabilities are <15% for K and L shells (except for Coster-Kronig and super Coster-Kronig transitions) and 30% for outer shells.



Recent low energy electron measurements - $^{99}\text{Mo}/^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$

$^{99}\text{Mo}/^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$ source measurements to benchmark BrIccEmis & NS_RadList

- ❑ 2.2 MBq source on evaporated Al substrate
- ❑ Prepared by M. Roberts, P. Pellegrini, L. Hogan, F. Mansour and I. Greguric (ANSTO, Sydney)
- ❑ Experiments & Data analysis: B.P.E. Tee & M. Voss
- ❑ Cylindrical Mirror Analyzer (CMA)
- ❑ Good agreement, except for the 2.17 keV $\text{N}_{2,3}$ CE and $\text{L}_3\text{M}_4\text{M}_5$ Auger lines
- ❑ First ever quantitative comparison of CE and Auger yields from $^{99}\text{Mo}/^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$



- ❑ UncTools: Full MC uncertainty propagation implemented
output quantity
 - Symmetric: median(standard deviation)
 - Asymmetric: median($+\sigma_{\text{Upp},84\%}$ $-\sigma_{\text{Low},16\%}$)
 - Limit: direct/central value (shape of PDF examined; under testing)

NOTE: For symmetric or slightly asymmetric PDF, but median is always more accurate approach

- ❑ NS_RadList: Atomic radiation spectrum from ENSDF decay data sets
 - Calibration report, plot, new ENSDF records
 - Use UncTools for uncertainty propagation
 - Energy spectrum for dosimetry calculations

- ❑ Both codes will be available for beta testing



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