

Photon strength function modelling, status and perspectives.

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1 ■ What is a Photon Strength Function ?

Photon Strength Function (PSF)
=
Gamma-ray Strength Function (GSF)



What is a Gamma-ray Strength Function ?

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That's what metamorphoses
Bruce Banner into the Hulk

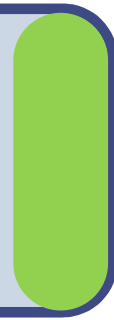
Someone outside the nuclear community



C

It is a Talys code input.

Nuclear data and reaction community



B

It is proportional to the
probability of gamma absorption

Nuclear spectroscopy community



D

It is proportional to the
probability of gamma emission.

Nuclear spectroscopy community



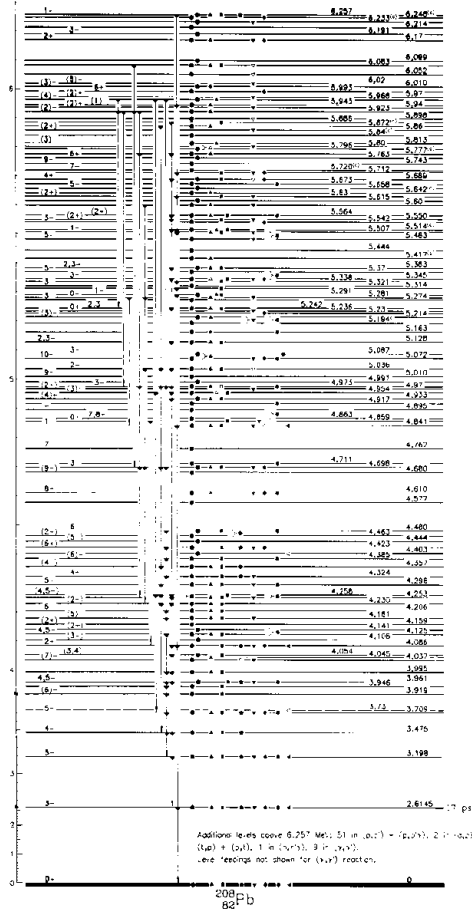
Why would a nucleus want to emit (or absorb) a gamma?



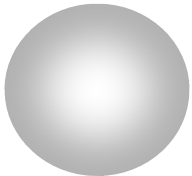
To decrease (or excite) from an excited state to another one.



Global knowledge of nuclear excitations



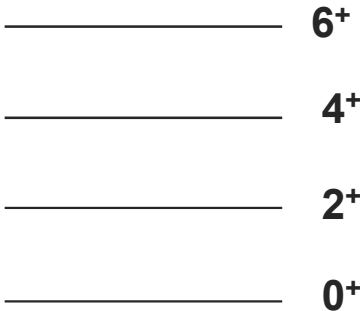
Spherical nucleus



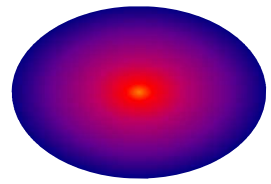
$E^* \propto J$

Oscillations around the ground state shape

Vibrational spectra



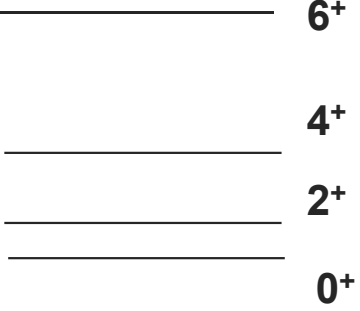
Deformed nucleus



$E^* \propto J(J + 1)$

Frequency of the rotation

Rotational spectra

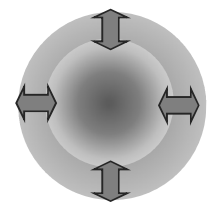
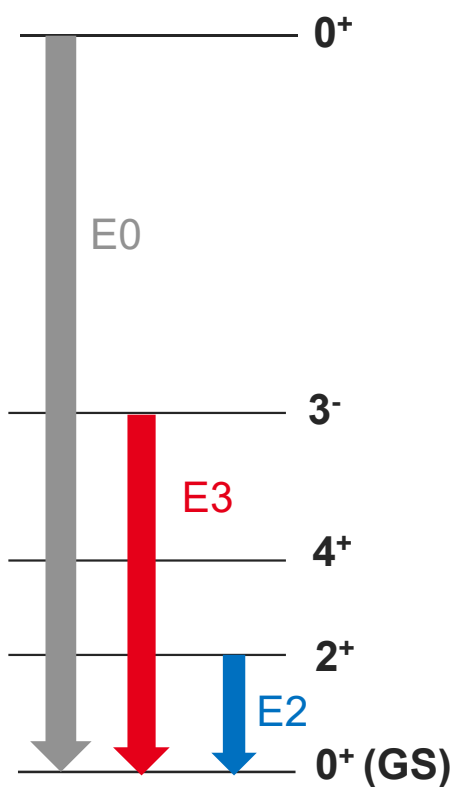




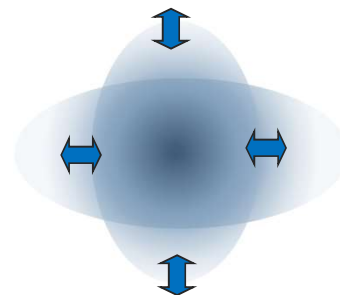
Electromagnetic excitations and shape oscillations

The multipole order L of the transition follows the selection rules: $|I_f - I_i| \leq L \leq I_f + I_i$

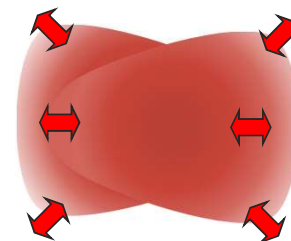
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 $\pi = (-)^{l+1}$ for magnetic



monopole

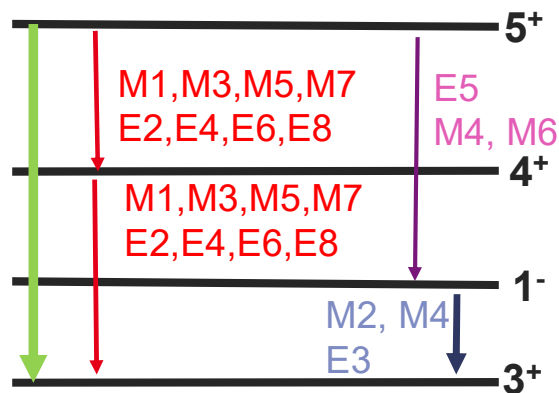


Quadrupole



Octupole

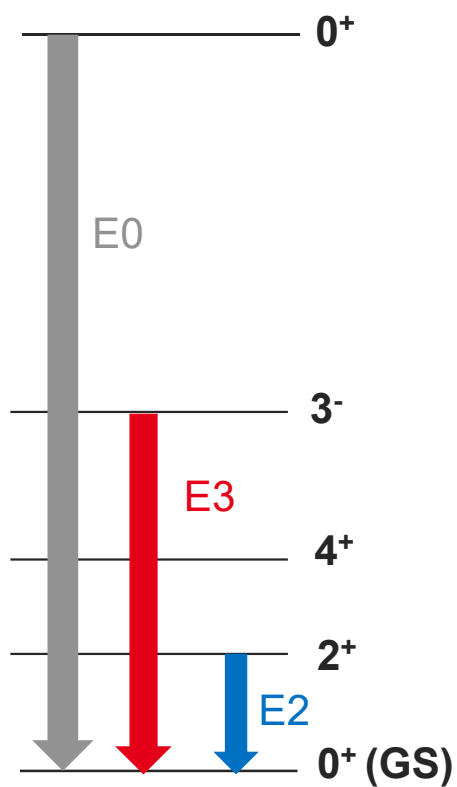
E2, E4, E6, E8
M3, M5, M7



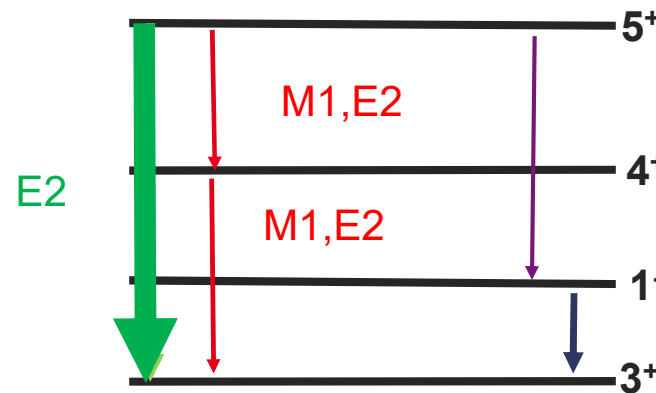
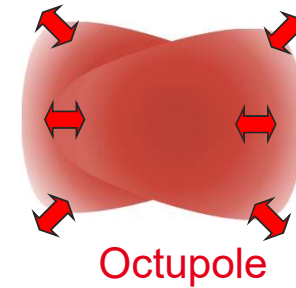
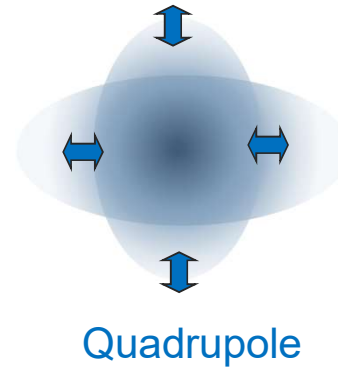
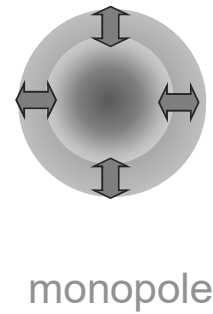
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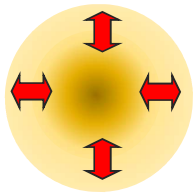


- The lowest multipolarity transition dominates the decay !
- Electric transitions are most probable than magnetic ones.



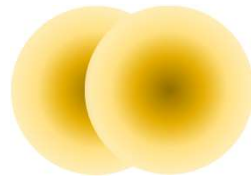
Electromagnetic excitations, Isospin scalar versus isospin vector

Monopole



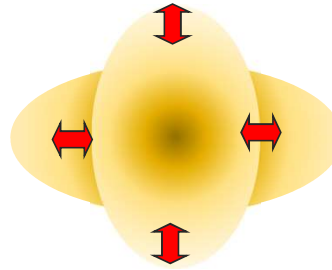
IS GMR

Dipole



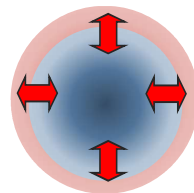
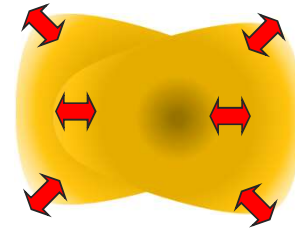
spurious state

Quadripole

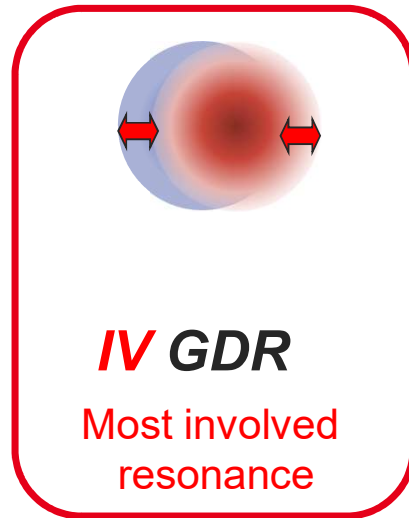


GQR

Octupole

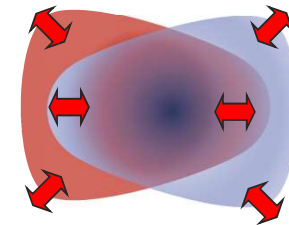
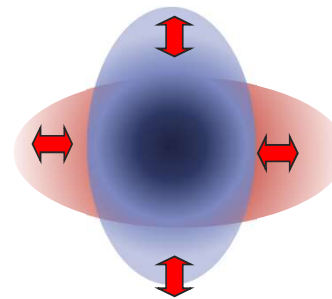


IV GMR



IV GDR

Most involved
resonance

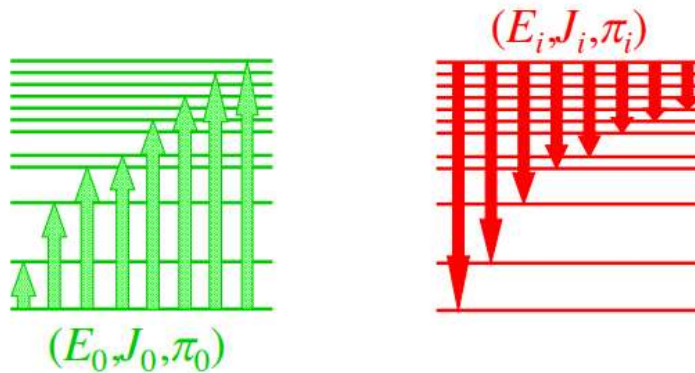


Assumptions and systematic behaviour

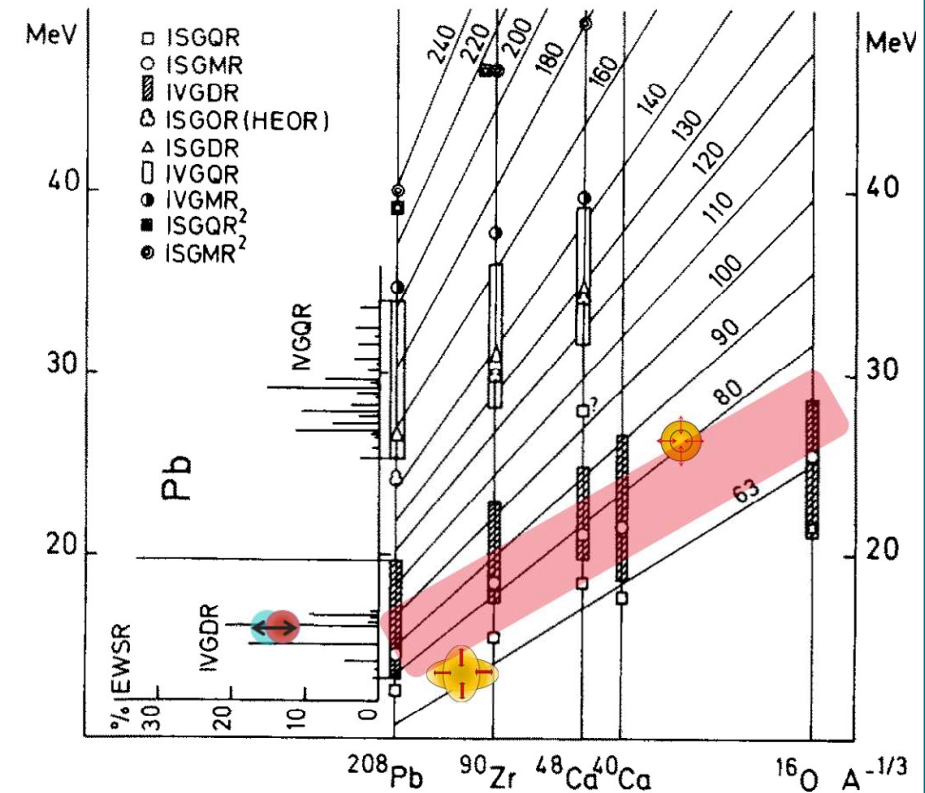
Brink hypothesis (1955): The downward strength function on each excited state is equal to the photo-excitation strength function on the GS

$$\vec{f}_{XL}(\varepsilon_\gamma) = \vec{f}_{XL}(\varepsilon_\gamma)$$

Courtesy of S. Goriely



Reaction theory relates the γ -ray transmission coefficient for excited states to the ground state photoabsorption assuming the giant resonance to be built on each excited state, although γ -decay strength functions are expected to depend on the temperature T_f of the final states, which is a function of the excitation energy of de-excited nucleus $E_f = E_i - \varepsilon_\gamma$



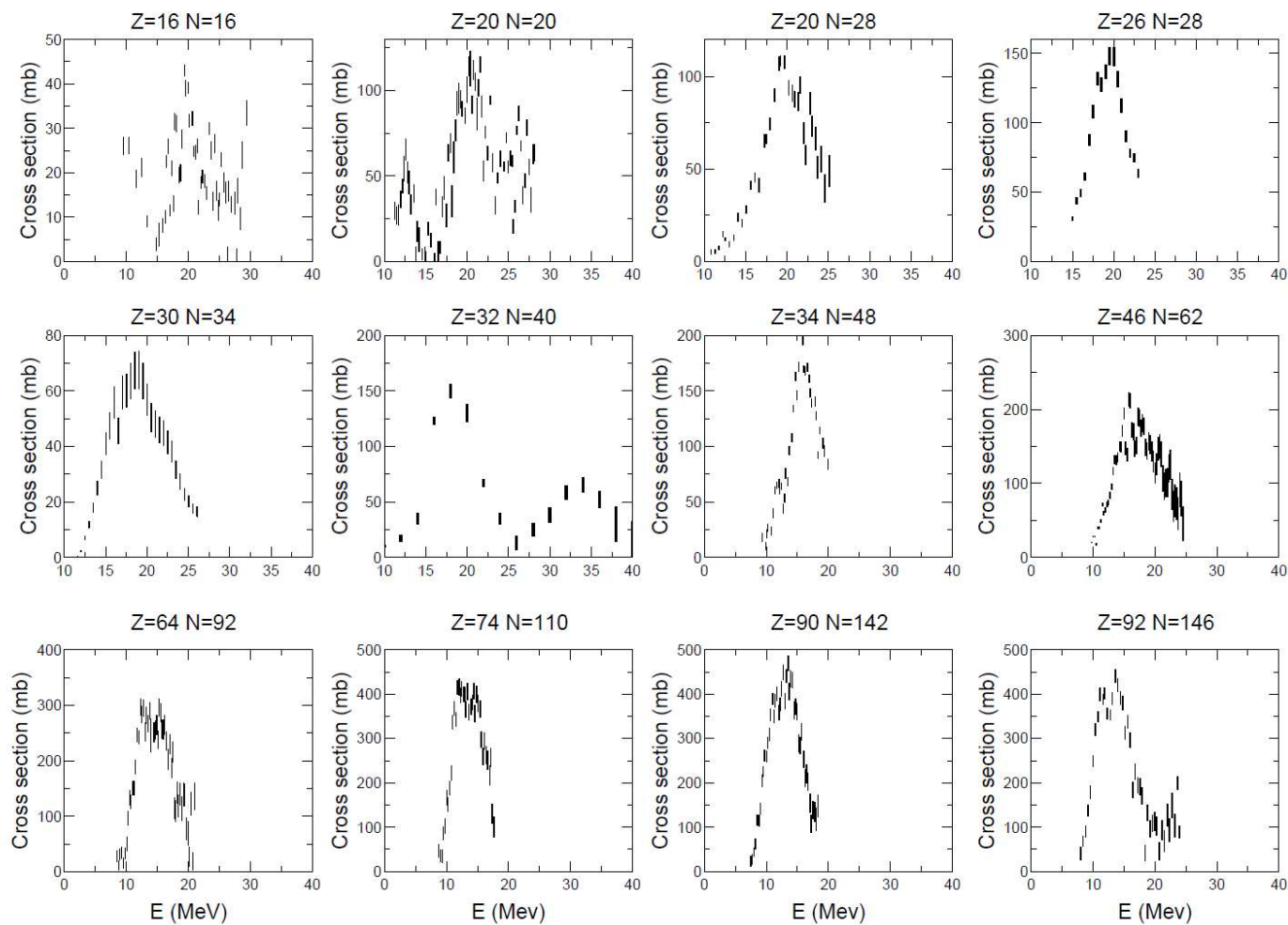
J. Dechargé and L. Sips, NPA 407,1-28 (1983)

At first approximation, the gamma-ray strength function is mostly related to the dipole mode IVGDR (= γ absorption)



Gamma-ray strengths : qualitative aspects from photoabsorption

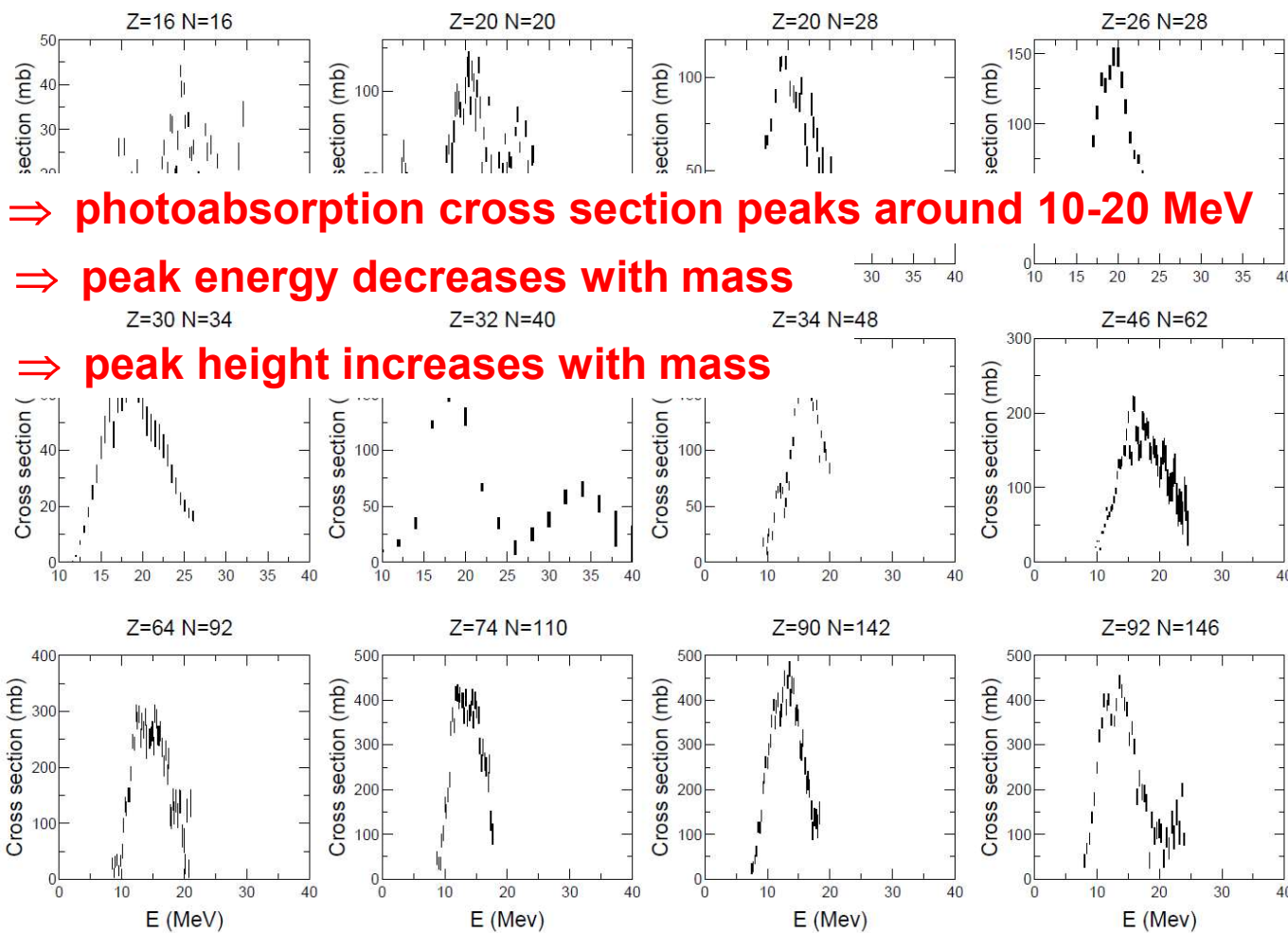
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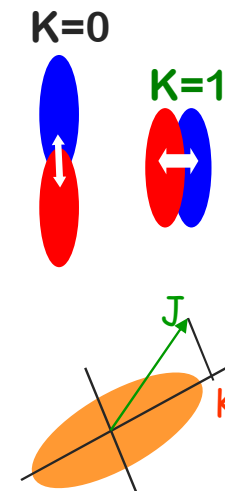
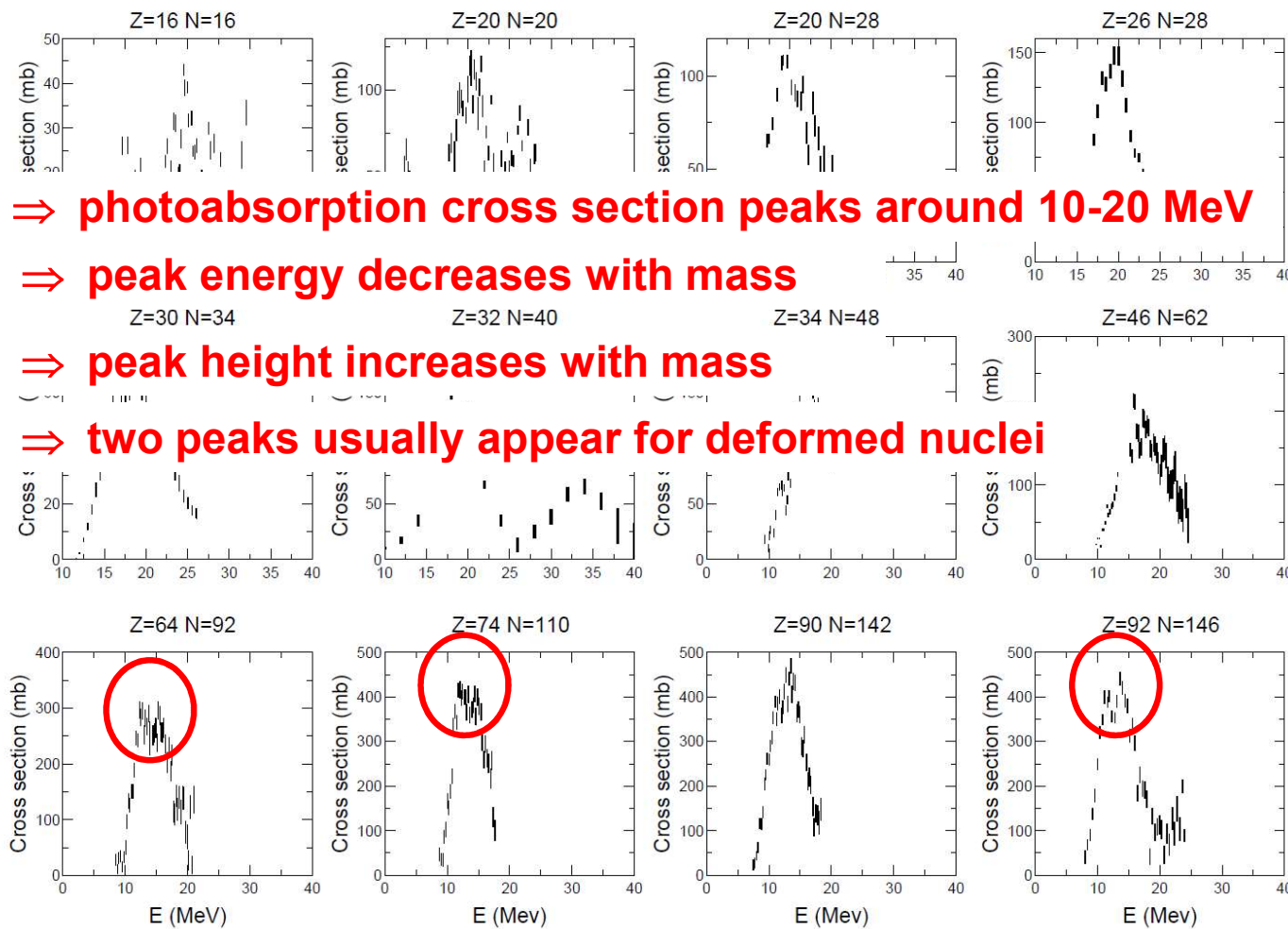
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2 ■ **Some Gamma-ray strength models**

Focus on models able to provide systematics: input list of Talys code



Gamma-ray strength function = Talys input

Various options in Talys for various Gamma-ray strengths:

Phenomenological or analytic form

- strength = 1 : GLO model
- strength = 2 : SLO model
- strength = 3 : Skyrme-HFBCS + QRPA
- strength = 4 : Skyrme-HFB + QRPA
- strength = 5 : Hybrid model
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Gamma-ray strength function: some analytic forms

Standard Lorentzian (SLO)

[D.Brink. PhD Thesis(1955); P. Axel. PR 126(1962)]

$$\bar{f} = \bar{f} \sim \frac{E_\gamma \Gamma_r^2}{(E_\gamma^2 - E_r^2)^2 + E_\gamma \Gamma_r^2} \Rightarrow \frac{0}{E_\gamma \rightarrow 0}$$

Explicit Brink hypothesis

Generalized Lorentzian (GLO)

[Kopecky & Uhl 1990]

$$f_{E1}(E_\gamma, T) = K_{E1} \left[\frac{E_\gamma \tilde{\Gamma}_{E1}(E_\gamma)}{(E_\gamma^2 - E_{E1}^2)^2 + E_\gamma^2 \tilde{\Gamma}_{E1}(E_\gamma)^2} + \frac{0.7 \Gamma_{E1} 4\pi^2 T^2}{E_{E1}^3} \right] \sigma_{E1} \Gamma_{E1}$$

$$\text{with } \tilde{\Gamma}_{E1}(E_\gamma) = \Gamma_{E1} \frac{E_\gamma^2 + 4\pi^2 T^2}{E_{E1}^2} \text{ and } T = \sqrt{\frac{E_n + S_n - \Delta - E_\gamma}{a(S_n)}}$$

Here, the width depends on gamma energy and temperature which violates Brink hypothesis!



Gamma-ray strength function: some analytic forms

Standard Lorentzian (SLO)

Generalized Lorentzian (GLO)

Hybrid Model

[S. Goriely 1998]

Similar to GLO for GDR with an improved description of the low energy GDR tail following the fermi liquid model of Kadenskii et al (1987).

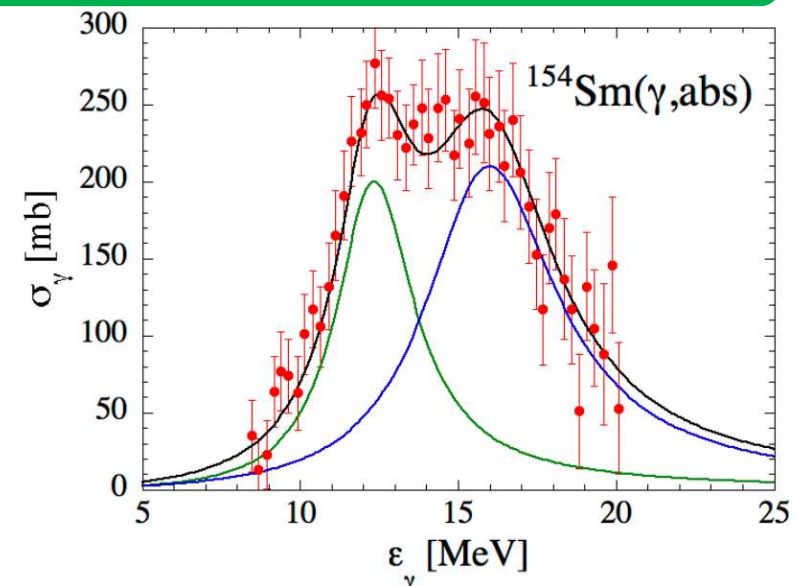
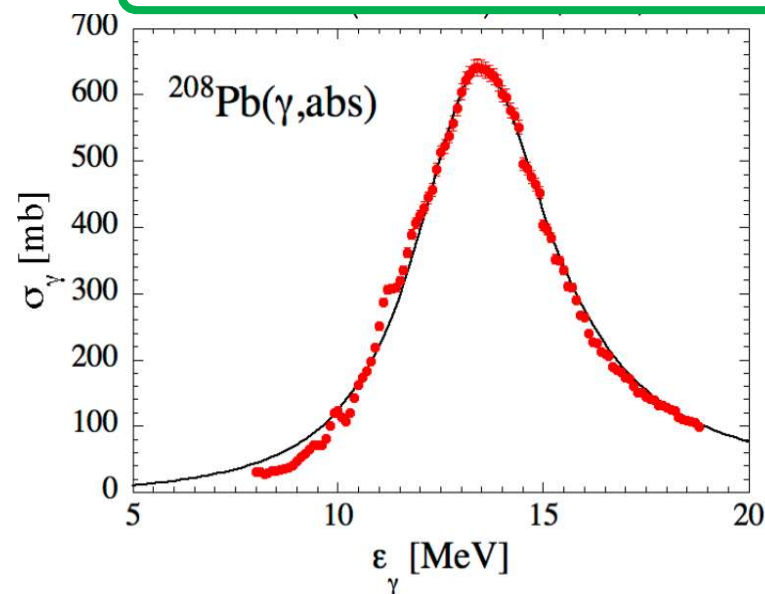


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For axially deformed nuclei, the GLO, SLO and Hybrid strength is split into 2 Lorentzians !

Gamma-ray strength function: some analytic forms

The Simplified M1 Lorentzian Model (SMLO) 2019

$$\overrightarrow{f}_{M1}(\varepsilon_\gamma) = \frac{1}{3\pi^2\hbar^2c^2}\sigma_{sc}\frac{\varepsilon_\gamma\Gamma_{sc}^2}{(\varepsilon_\gamma^2 - E_{sc}^2)^2 + \varepsilon_\gamma^2\Gamma_{sc}^2} \quad \text{Scissors mode for deformed nuclei}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3\pi^2\hbar^2c^2}\sigma_{sf}\frac{\varepsilon_\gamma\Gamma_{sf}^2}{(\varepsilon_\gamma^2 - E_{sf}^2)^2 + \varepsilon_\gamma^2\Gamma_{sf}^2} \quad \text{Spin-Flip mode}$$

where the SMLO M1 properties are inspired from the D1M+QRPA predictions

$$\overleftarrow{f}_{M1}(\varepsilon_\gamma) = \overrightarrow{f}_{M1}(\varepsilon_\gamma) + C \exp(-\eta\varepsilon_\gamma) \quad \text{M1 upbend for de-excitation}$$

where the upbend properties are inspired from the Shell Model predictions

$$C = 3.5 \cdot 10^{-8} \exp(-6\beta_2) \text{ MeV}^{-3}$$

$$\eta = 0.8$$

Schwengner et al. 2017

Sieja 2017

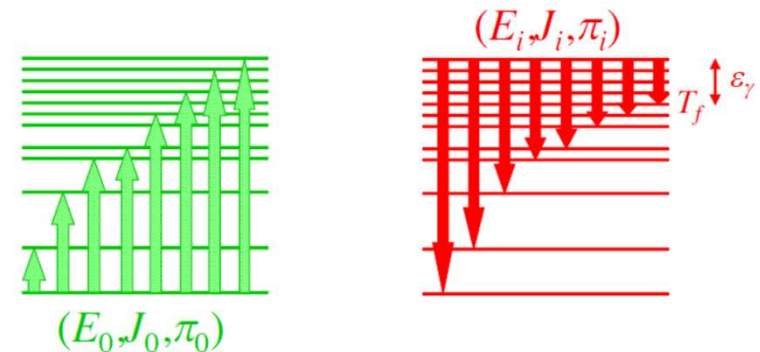
Midtbø et al. 2018

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Presence and impact of possible low-energy M1 upbend: Violation of the Brink Hypothesis!

$$\overleftarrow{f}_{E1}(\varepsilon_\gamma) \neq \overrightarrow{f}_{E1}(\varepsilon_\gamma)$$

$$\overleftarrow{f}_{E1} = \overrightarrow{f}_{E1}(\varepsilon_\gamma, T_f)$$





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Various options in Talys for various Gamma-ray strengths:

Contains microscopic ingredients

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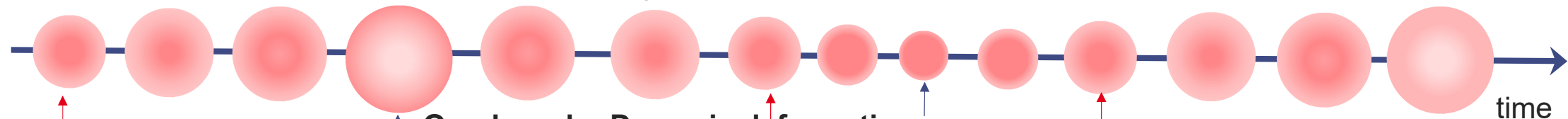


What is the standard QRPA approach ?

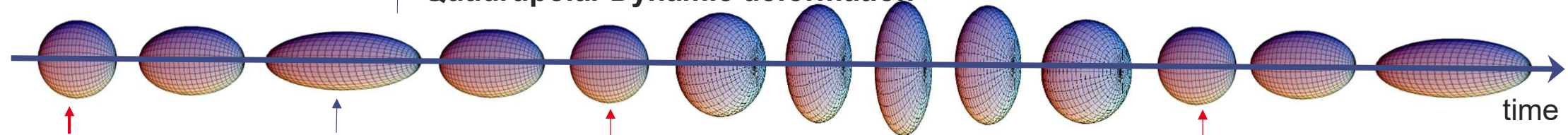
The (Q)RPA methods describe nuclear excited states for all multipoles and both parities, whatever the intrinsic deformation of the ground state.

Quadrupole, octupole and higher multiplicities can be obtained even on top of spherical shapes.

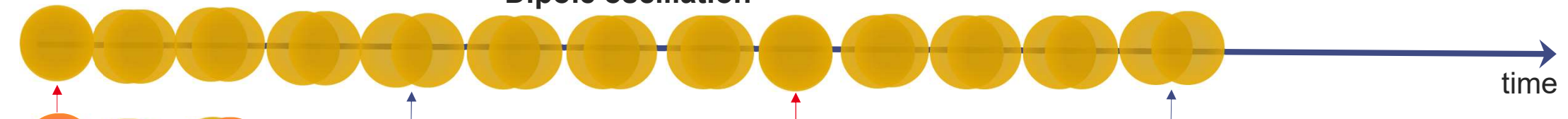
monopole Dynamic vibration



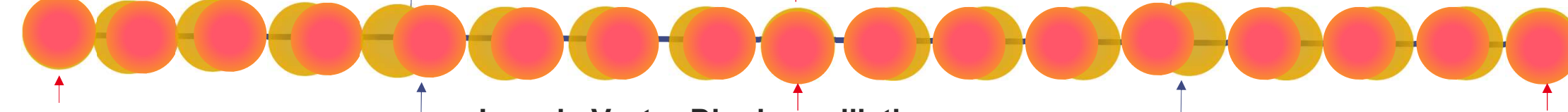
Quadrupolar Dynamic deformation



Dipole oscillation



Isospin Vector Dipole oscillation





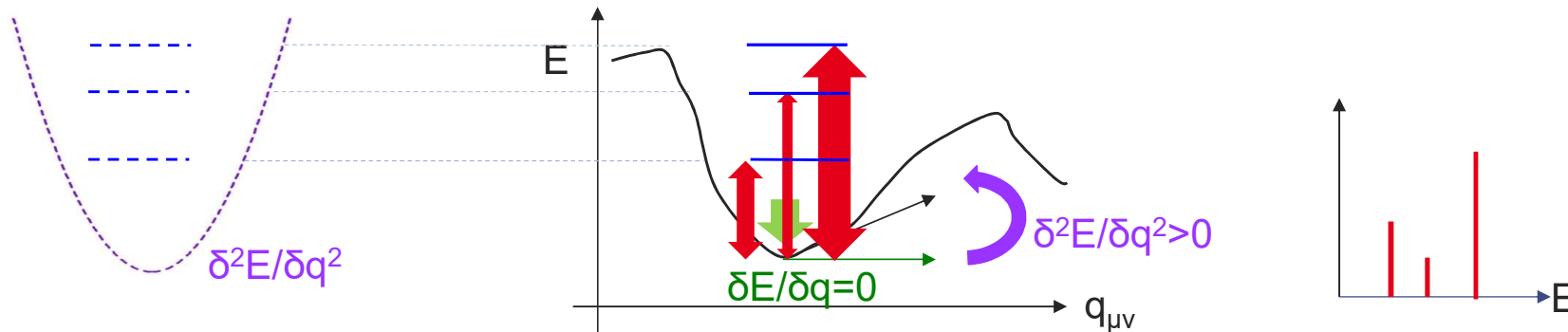
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Main approximation:

No rotational motion included even for deformed nuclei !

Linear response, i.e. harmonic potential approximation



Generally, the discrete spectra is folded with a Lorentzian function

$$f_L(E, E_i, \gamma_i) = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{\gamma_i E^2}{(E^2 - E_i^2)^2 + \gamma_i^2 E^2}$$

Most of the “RPA” based gamma strength function models impose the spherical invariance.

For deformed nuclei, phenomenological split of the IVGDR with SLO, GLO and hybrid recipe.

$$E_{\text{GDR}}^1 + 2E_{\text{GDR}}^2 = 3E_{\text{GDR}}$$

$$E_{\text{GDR}}^2/E_{\text{GDR}}^1 = 0.911\eta + 0.089$$

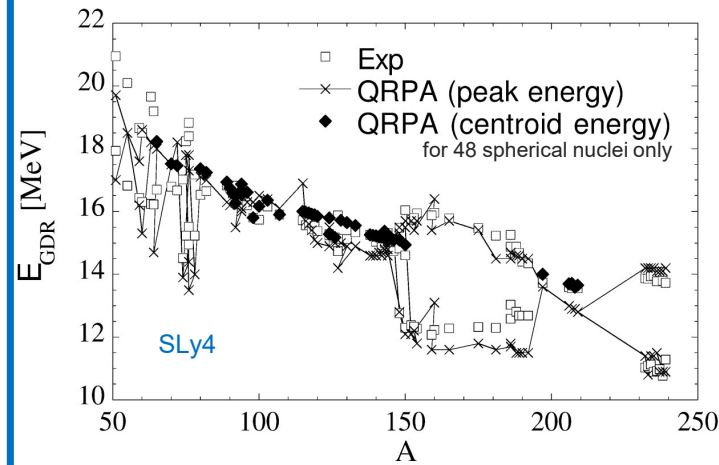
η being ratio between symmetry and perpendicular radii



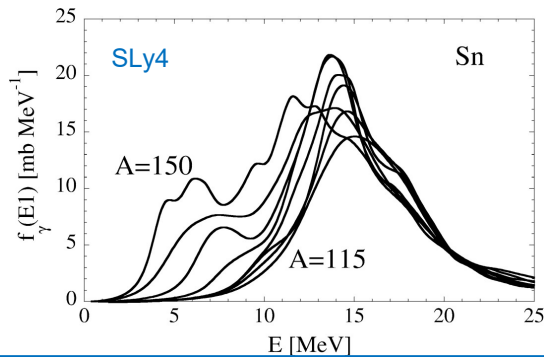
Microscopic systematic with “spherical” QRPA

QRPA based on HF + BCS

[S. Goriely and E. Khan, NPA706 (2002) 217-232]

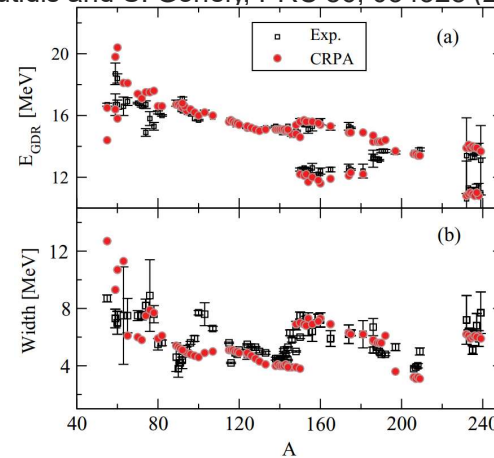


Microscopic input of PDR



T-dependent RMF-HFB + QRPA

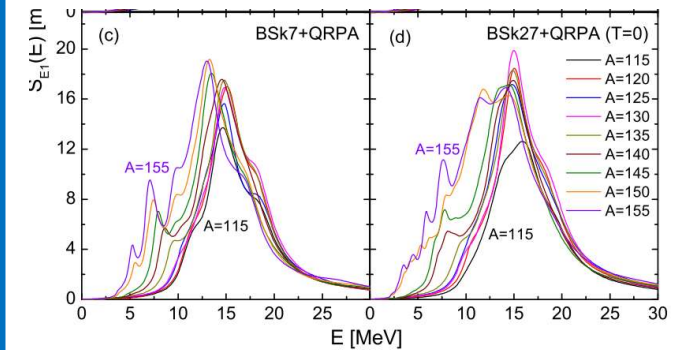
[I. Daoutidis and S. Goriely, PRC 86, 034328 (2012)]



T-dependent Skyrme-HFB + QRPA T-dependent BSk7-HFB+QRPA

The temperature effects are included in a phenomenological way in gamma strength function $\Gamma(E,T)$

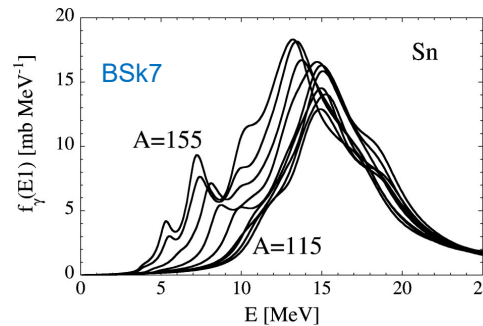
T-dependent BSk27-HFB + QRPA



[Y. Xu et al, PRC 104, 044301 (2021)]

QRPA based on HFB

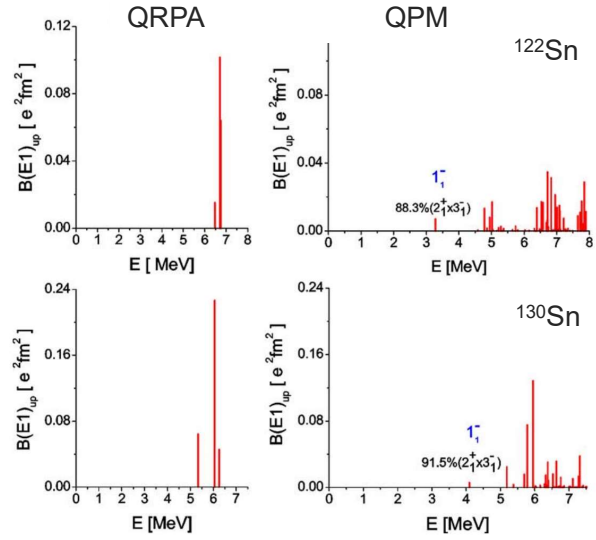
[S. Goriely, E. Khan, M. Samyn, NPA 739 (2004) 331-352]





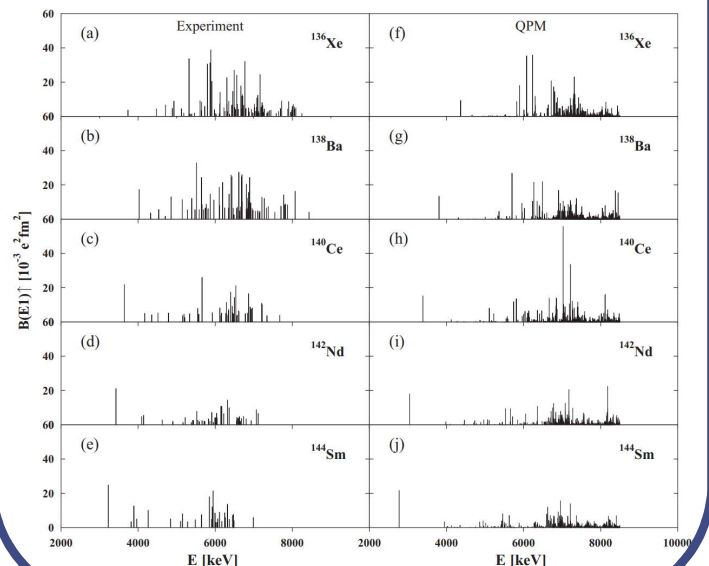
Other theoretical models applied to spherical isotopes or light nuclei

Quasiparticle-Phonon Model with HFB input



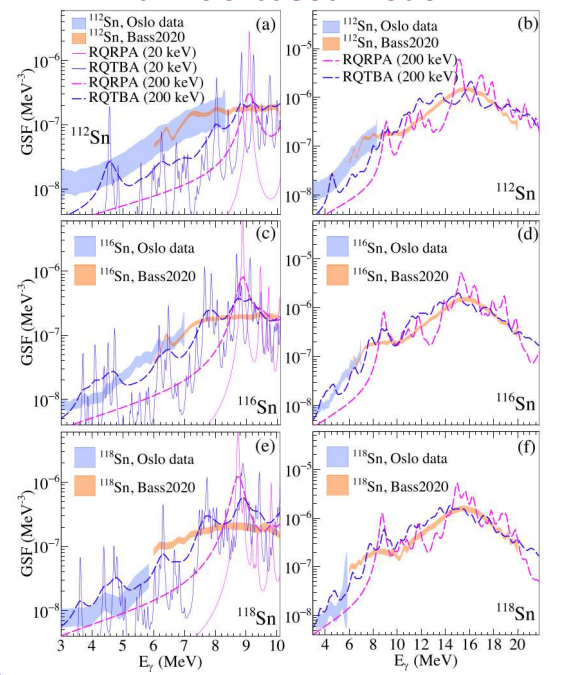
N. Tsoneva et al, PLB 586 (2004) 213–218

QPM including complex configurations of up to three phonons



D. Savran et al, PRC84, 024326 (2011)

Ab initio-based Model

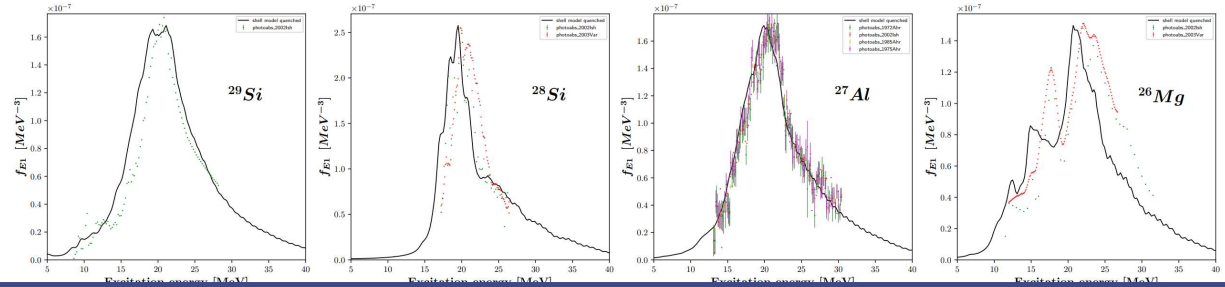


M. Markova et al, PRC 109, 054311 (2024)

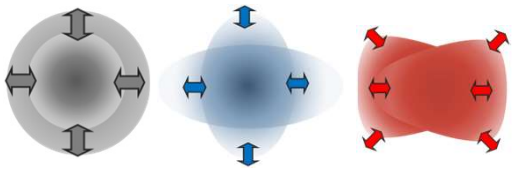
Shell Model Photo-Strength Functions

Oscar Le Noan (PhD) and Kamila Sieja

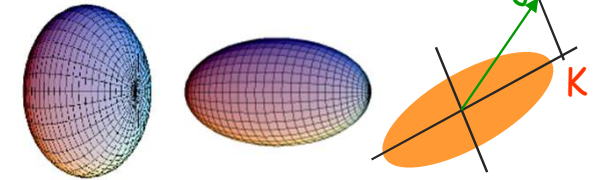
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QRPA approach for intrinsic deformed nuclei



Dynamic deformations versus intrinsic (static) ones

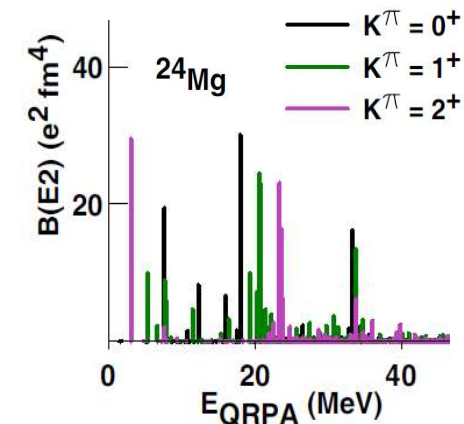
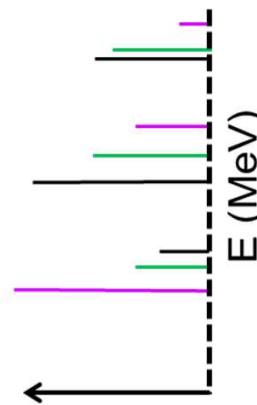
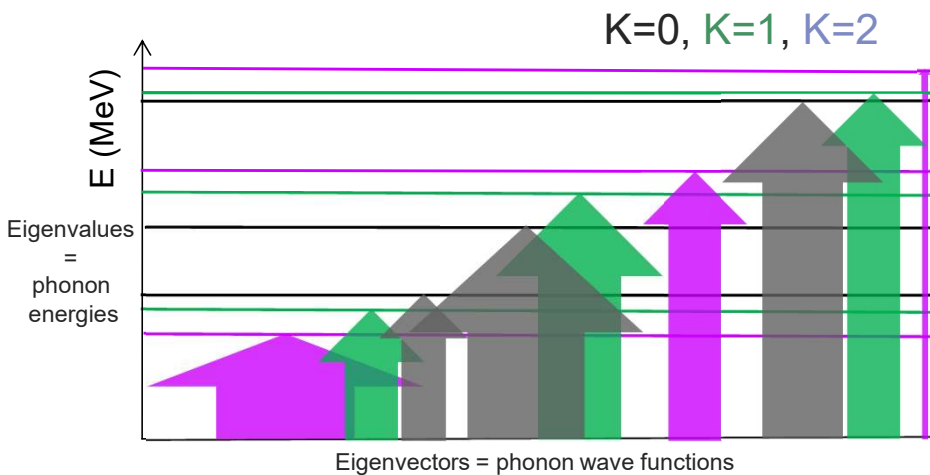


The axially-symmetric-deformed QRPA approach (ISAAC code) using matrix representation allows to provide excited state wave functions, excitation energies as well as transitions probabilities and densities from the GS to excited states and reverse.

ISAAC describes excited states, transition probabilities for intrinsically deformed nuclei with axial symmetry.

[S. Péru and M. Martini, Eur. Phys. J. A (2014) 50: 88]

And the results are:

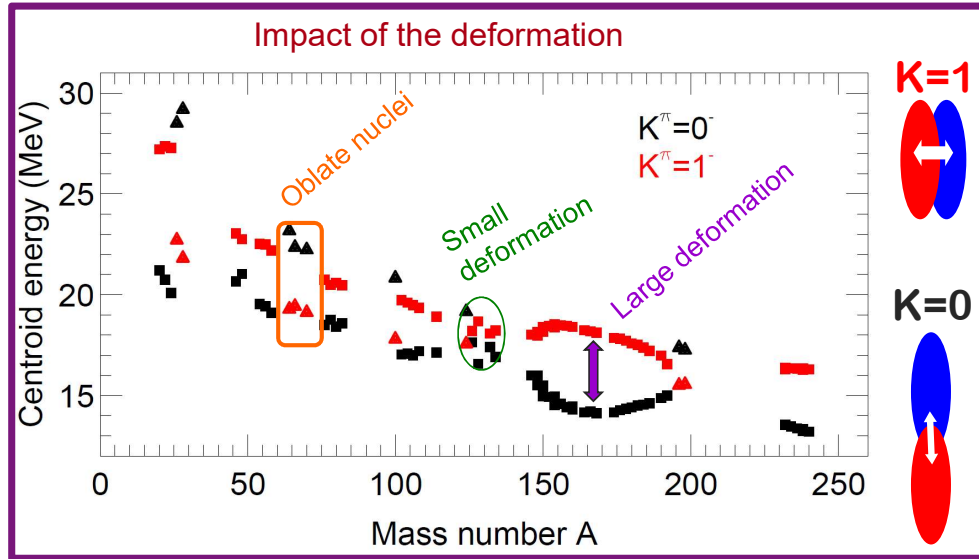


[S. Péru and H. Goutte, PRC77, 044313 (2008)]

D1M HFB+QRPA in axial symmetry applied to E1 and M1 strength

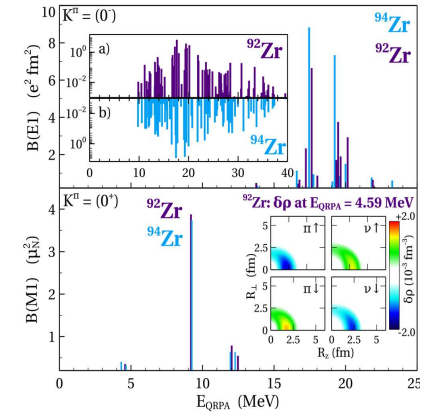
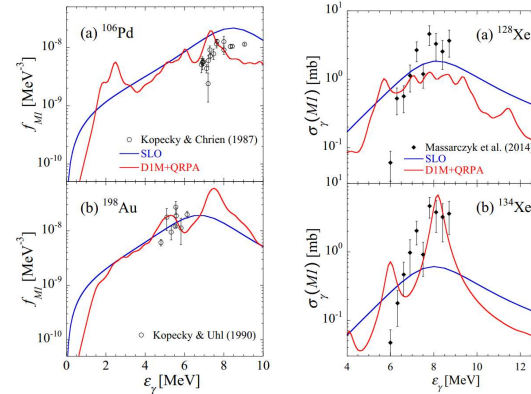


Magnetic and electric modes on the same footing

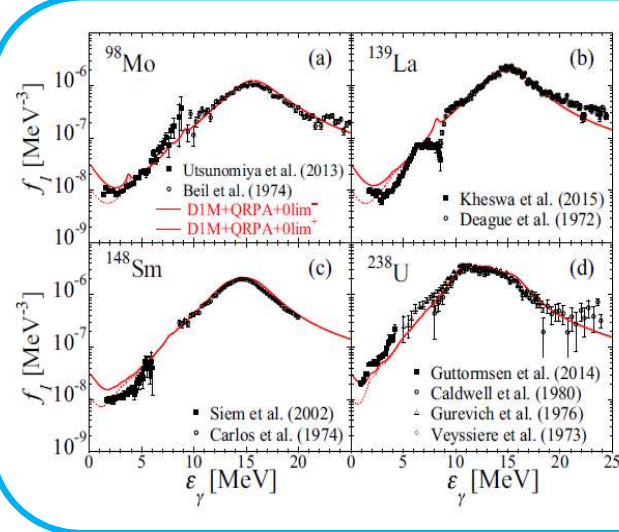
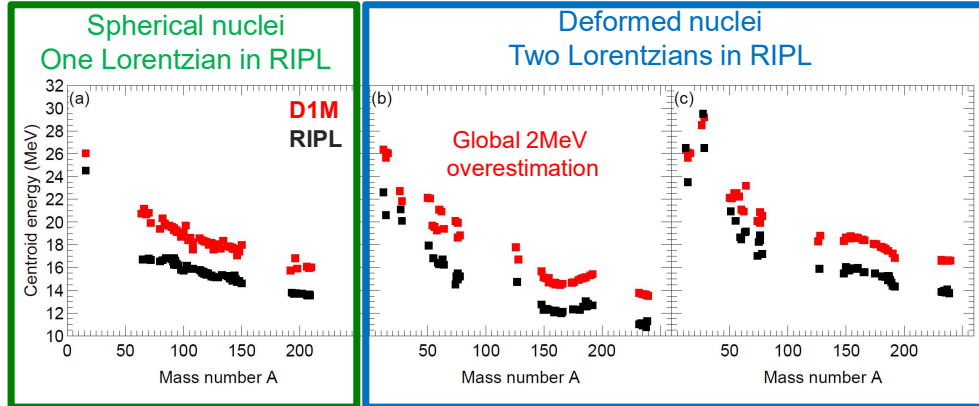


[M. Martini et al, PRC 94, 014304 (2016)]

S. Goriely et al, PRC 94, 044306 (2016)



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Gogny-HFB + QRPA

[S. Goriely et al, PRC98,014327 (2018)]

QRPA B(E1) and B(M1)

- Lorentzian folding
- shift in energy to fit data

Phenomenological **upbend** inspired by shell model for the decay strength

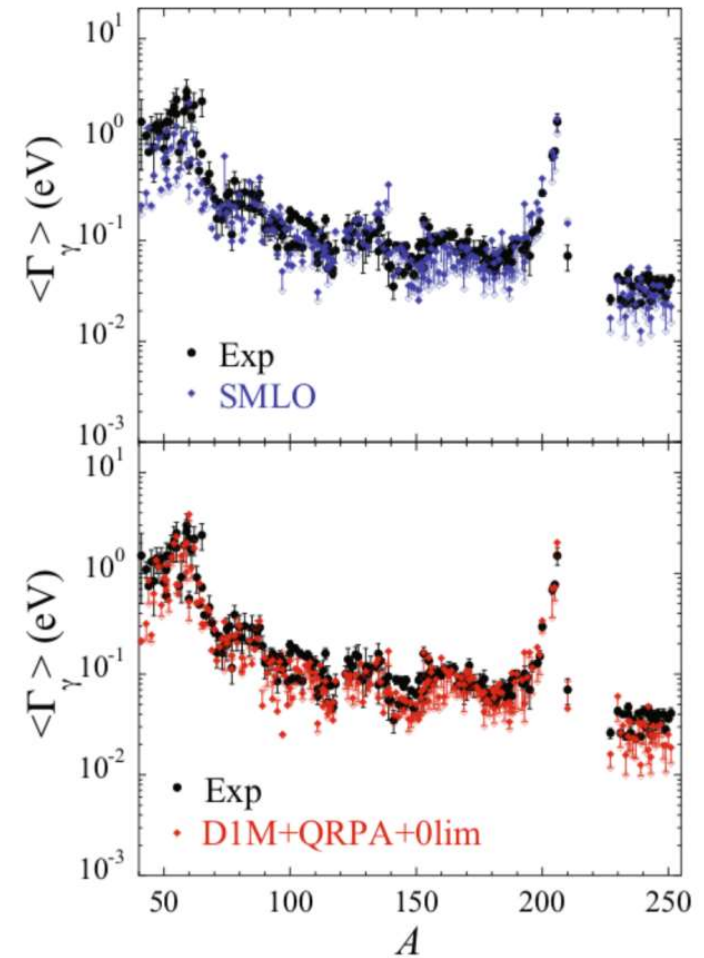
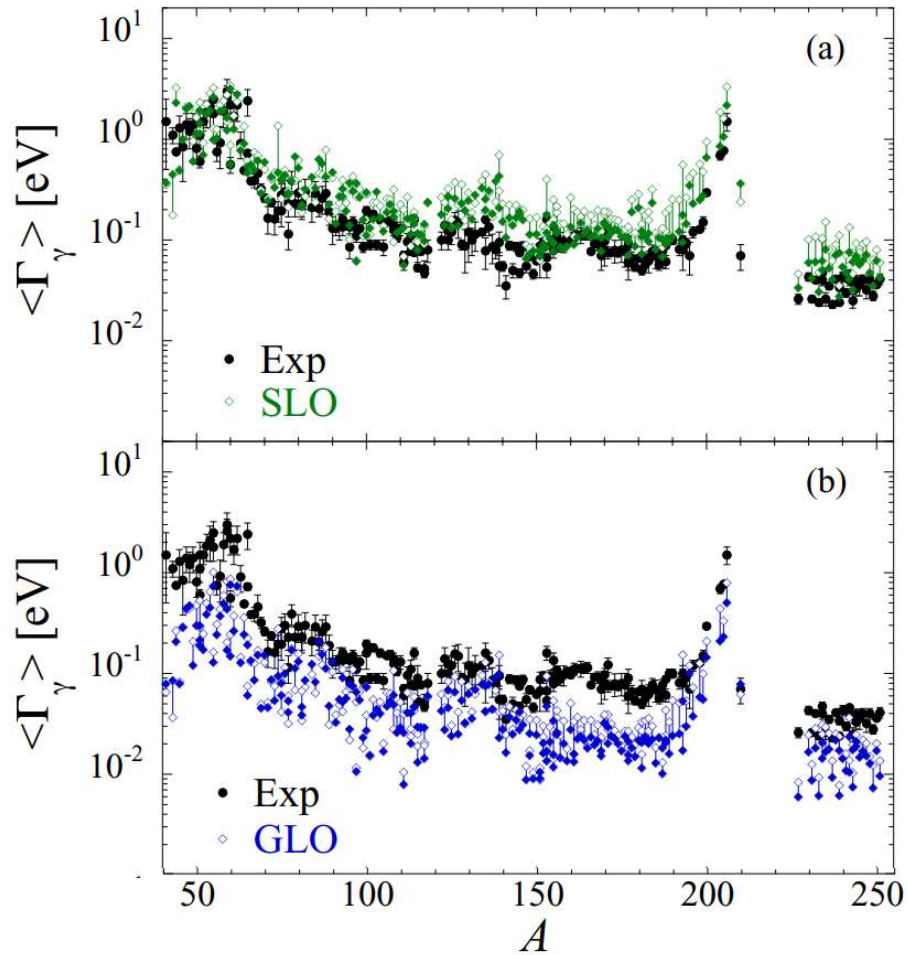


Gamma-ray strengths: D1M(0lim) versus analytical



S. Goriely, S. Hilaire, S. Péru, and K. Sieja, PRC 98, 014327 (2018)

S. Goriely et al, EPJA (2019) 55: 172

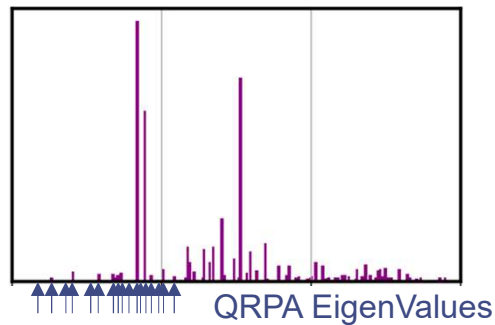




Alternative resolution of QRPA equations

Full matrix filling and diagonalization

Both excitations energies and phonon wave functions are obtained as eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

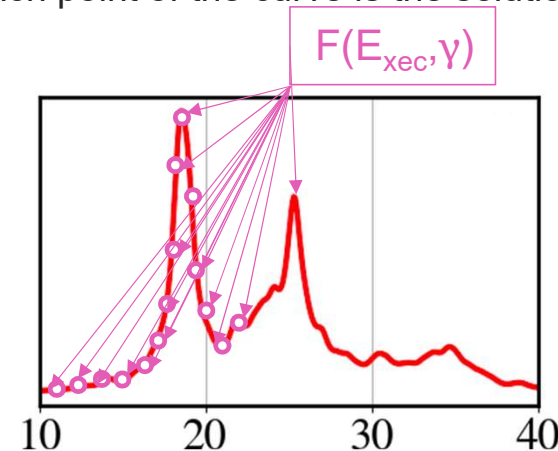


Require optimized codes running on supercomputers to reduce the “human” computational time and to share the available cpu memory.

Finite amplitude method (FAM) :

Self-consistent iterative process to provide multipolar smoothed response function

Each point of the curve is the solution of one QFAM run



Smearing dependent!
 $\omega \rightarrow \omega + i\gamma/2$

FAST production of multipolar response, but only the response. Eigen mode wave functions require additional treatment.

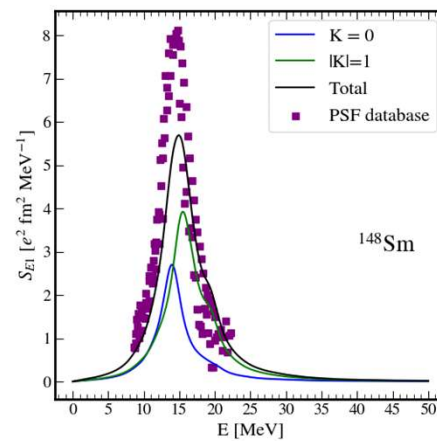
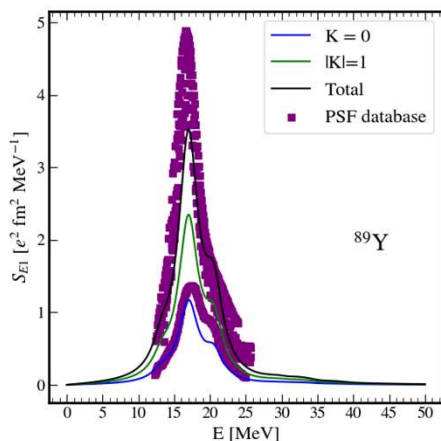
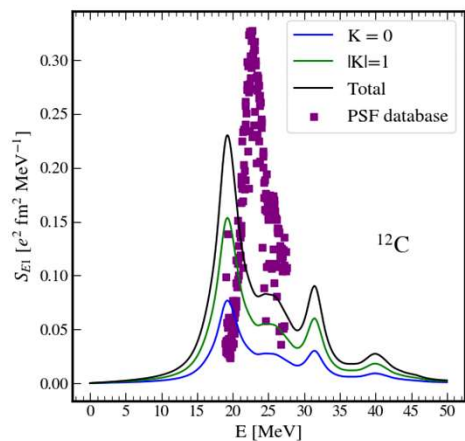
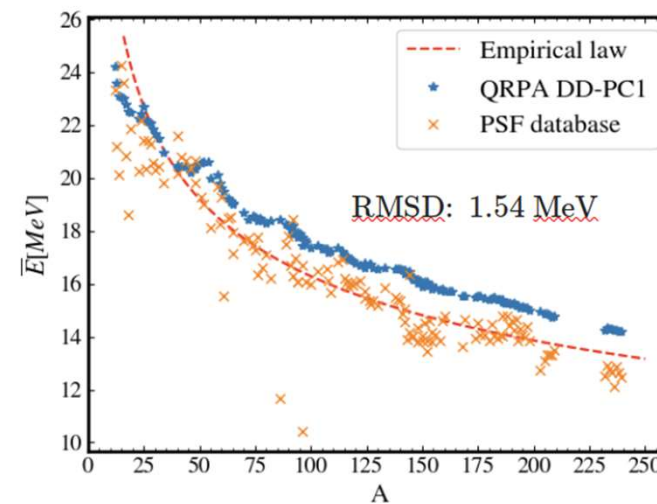
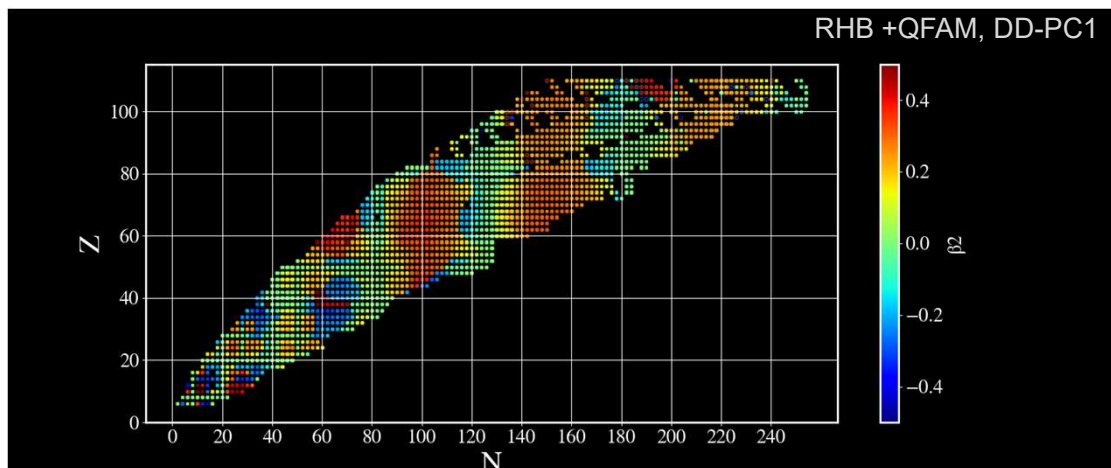
*For non-iterative QFAM
see the poster of Hirakazu Sasaki*



QFAM results

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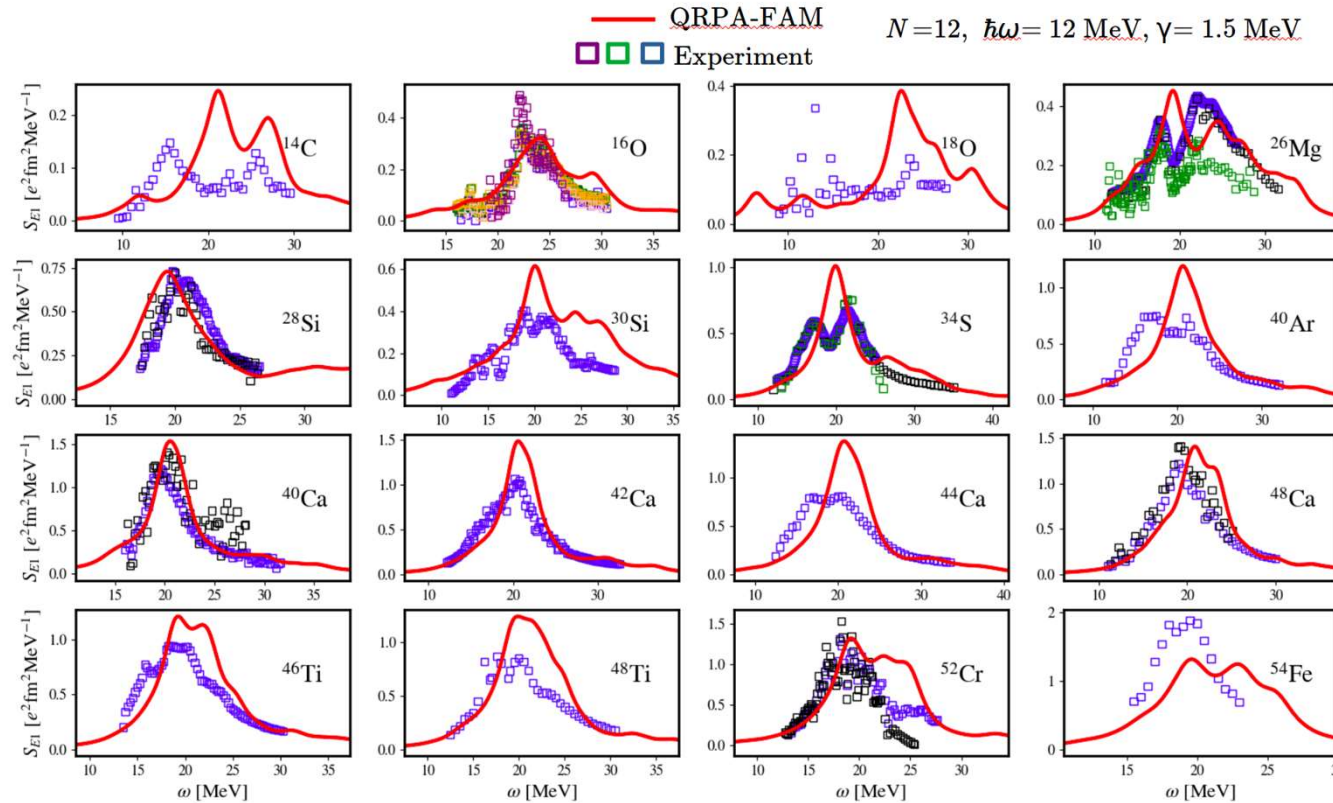
RHB +QFAM, DD-PC1 using the program DIRQFAM v2. 0.0 [Bjelčić, A., & Nikšić, T. (2023), *Computer Physics Communications*, 287, 108689.]



“Ab-initio” interaction: Chiral QFAM results

PAN@CEA collaboration

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Chiral interaction: H ther, T., Vobig, K., Hebeler, K., Machleidt, R., & Roth, R. (2020). Family of chiral two-plus three-nucleon interactions for accurate nuclear structure studies. *Physics Letters B*, 808, 135651.4

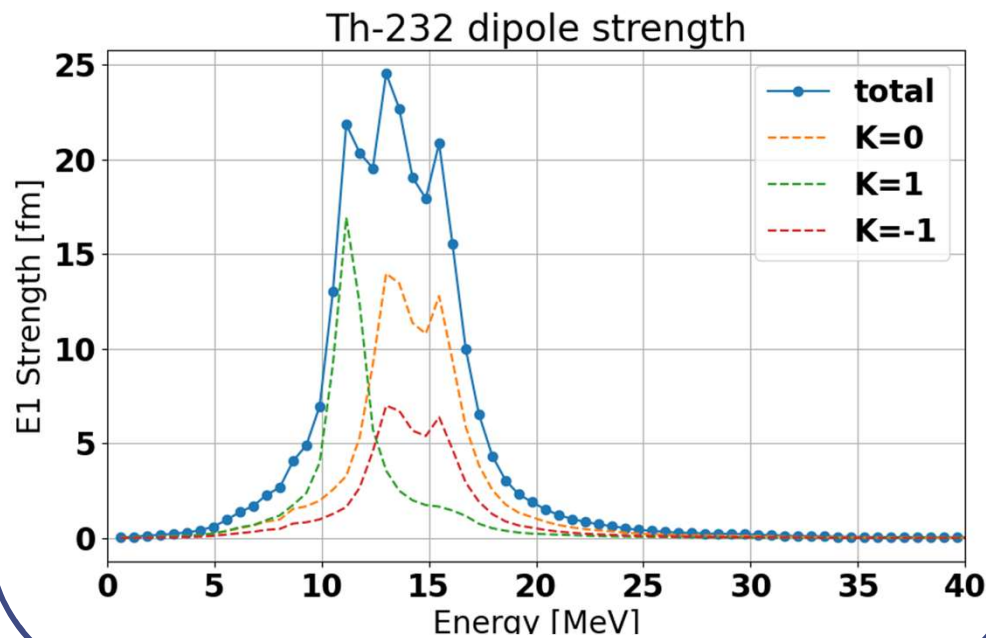
3-body to 2-body reduction method: Frosini, M., Duguet, T., Bally, B., Beaujeault-Taudi re, Y., Ebran, J. P., & Som , V. (2021). In-medium k-body reduction of n-body operators: A flexible symmetry-conserving approach based on the sole one-body density matrix. *The European Physical Journal A*, 57(4), 151.



Time-Dependent Density Functional Theory

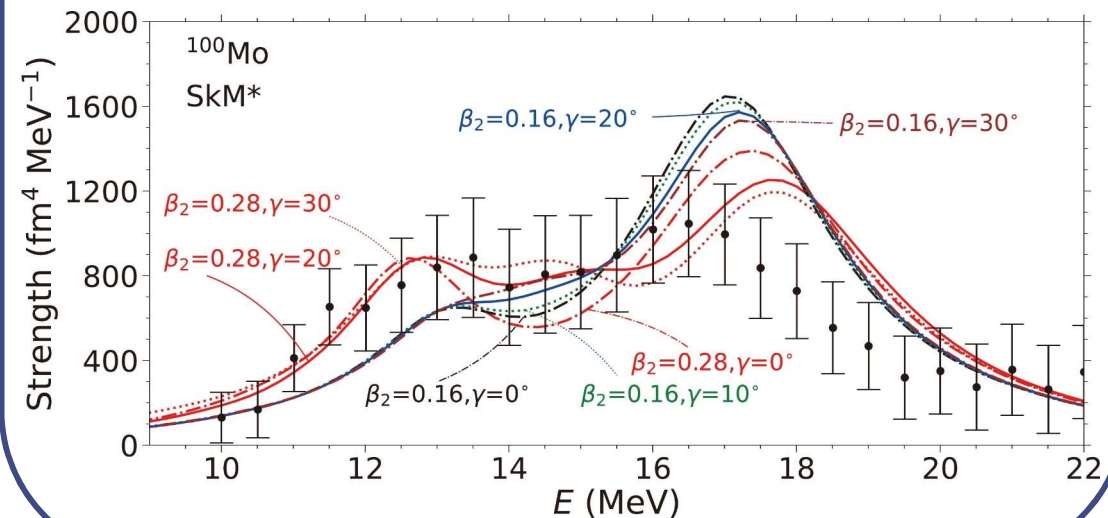
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Heavy and deformed nuclei



Triaxial Mo isotope

Yue Shi and P. D. Stevenson
Chinese Physics C Vol. 47, No. 3 (2023) 034105





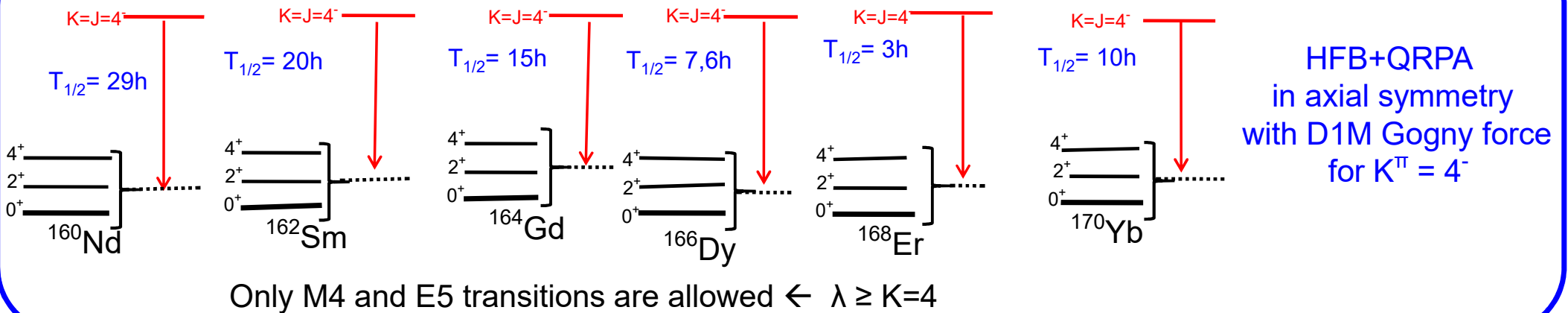
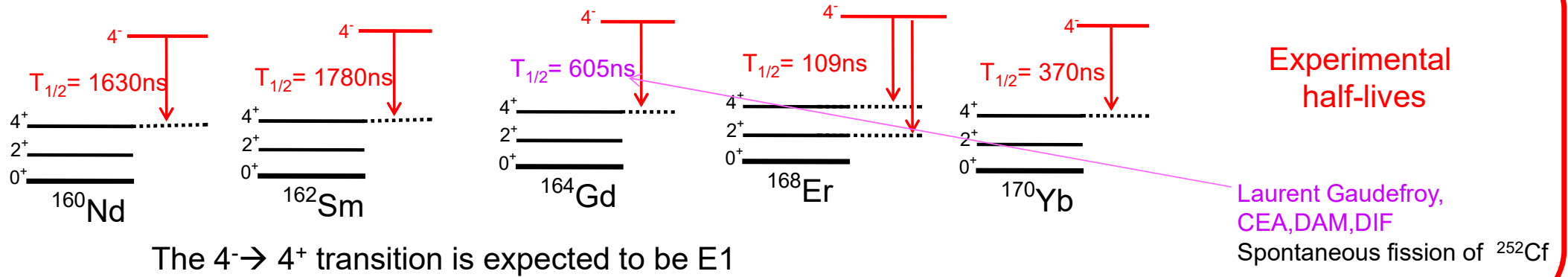
3 ■ Unusual application of QRPA solutions

Description of $J = 4^-$ isomers in $N = 100$ isotones

5 minutes in the nuclear structure world



Unusual application: 4^- isomers in $N=100$ isotones





What is the nature of these J=4 isomers?

Example : ^{162}Sm

$T_{1/2} = 1780\text{ns}$



No calculated half-live reproduces the experimental one.

A very small K=1 component in the wave function would explain the observations.

There are 3 main mechanisms for K admixture :

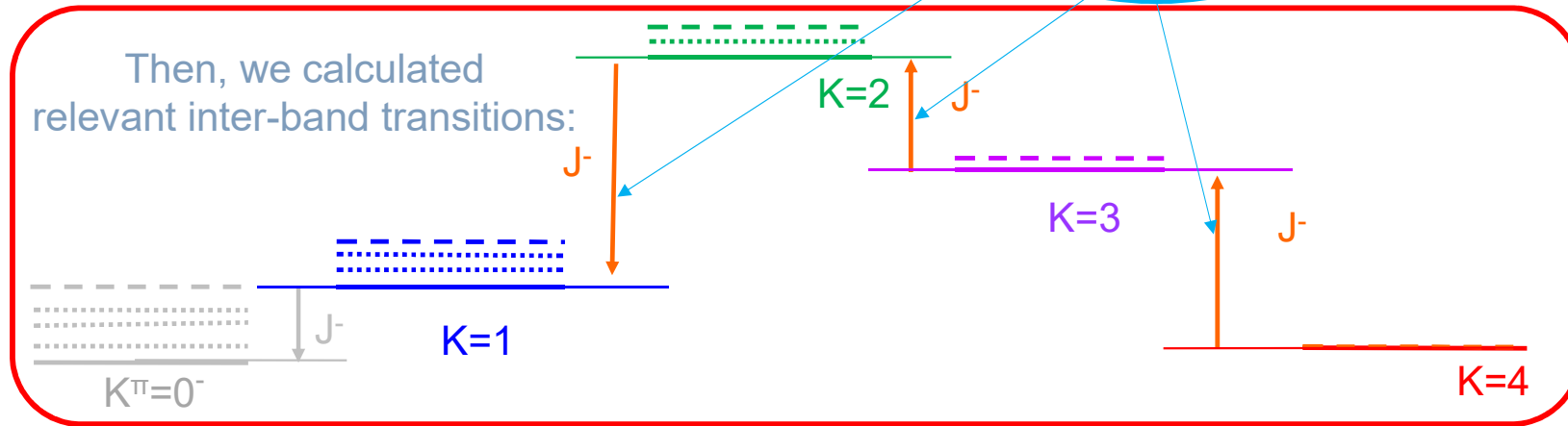
F. G. Kondev, G.D. Dracoulis and T. Kibedi, ADNDT 103, 50 (2015)

- High level density
- Triaxial shape
- **Mixing with Coriolis interaction**



to fix it:

$$\langle K | H_c | K+1 \rangle = -\frac{\hbar}{2I} \sqrt{(J-K)(J+K+1)} \langle K | j^- | K+1 \rangle$$



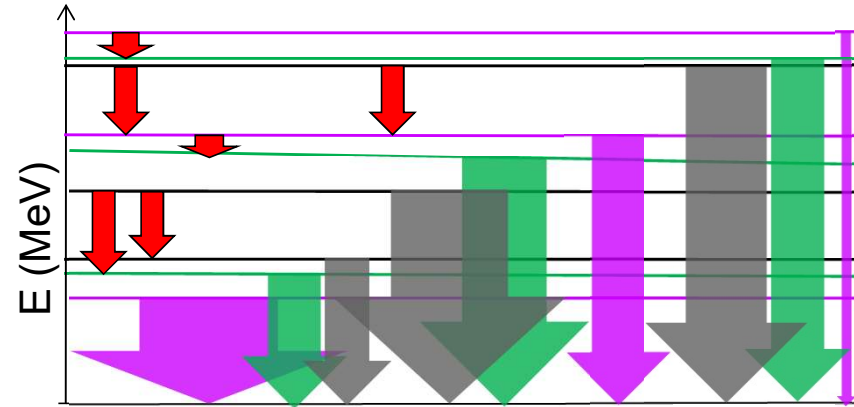
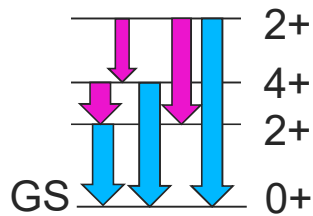
$T_{1/2}$ ns	^{160}Nd	^{162}Sm	^{164}Gd	^{166}Dy	^{168}Er	^{170}Yb	^{172}Hf
Exp.	1670(210)	1780(70)	605(30)	?	109(7)	370(15)	~1
QRPA	6970	11105	3980	285	365	260	1,5
QRPA/Exp.	4,17	6,24	6,57	?	3,35	0,703	1,5

L. Gaodefroy, S. Péru, et al, PRC97, 064317 (2018)

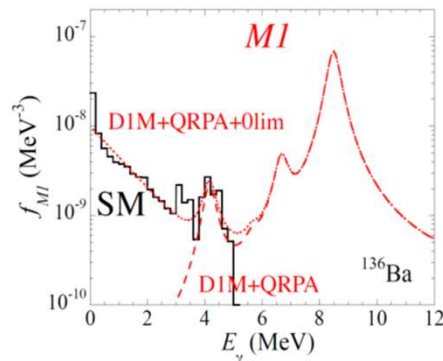
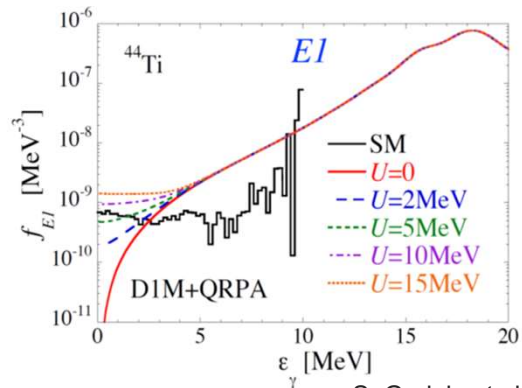


→ More transition probabilities are now available

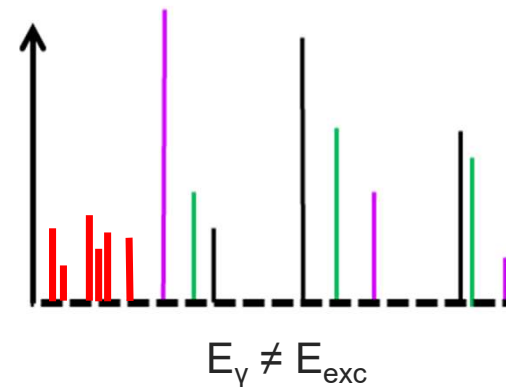
Low energy spectroscopy
in spherical nuclei : $2^+_2 \rightarrow 2^+_1$
and $4^+_1 \rightarrow 2^+_1$ transition probabilities



Theoretical description of « up-bend » :
increase of γ -ray strength function at low energy



S. Goriely et al, PRC98,014327 (2018)



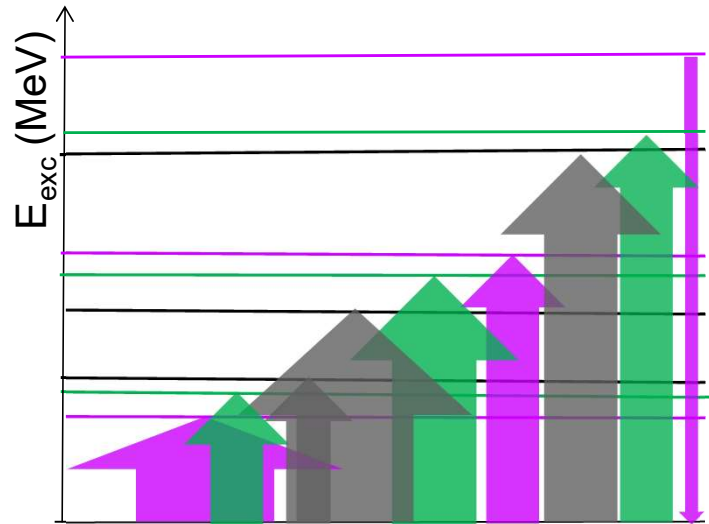


3 ■ Some perspectives for γ -ray strength functions

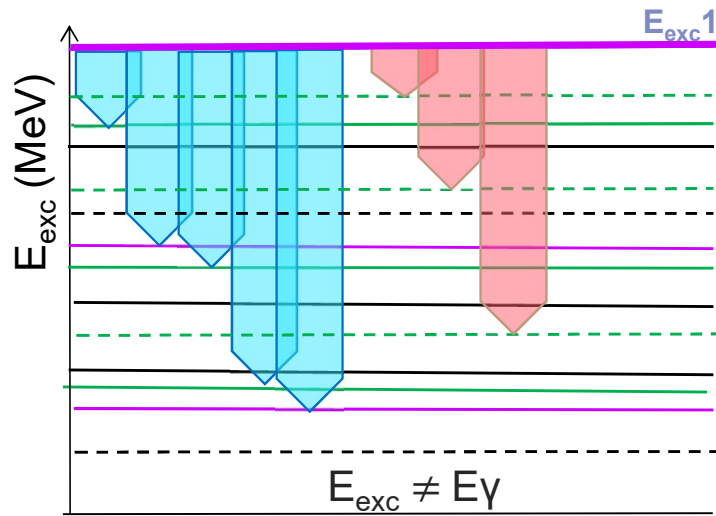
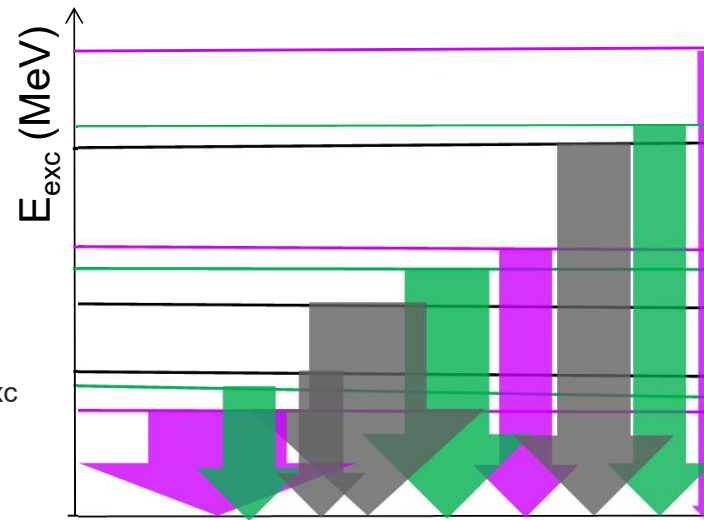
Going back to the photon strength function definition !

Absorption versus decay

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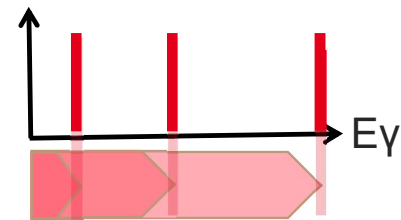
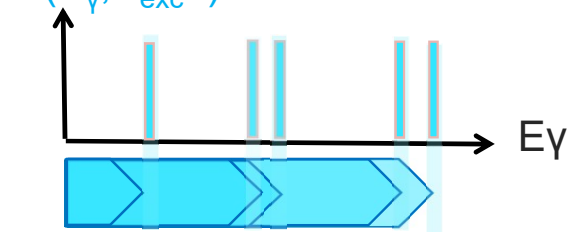
\Leftrightarrow
 $E_\gamma = E_{exc}$



- $K^\pi = 2^+$
 - $K^\pi = 1^+$
 - $K^\pi = 0^+$
 - $K^\pi = 2^-$
 - $K^\pi = 1^-$
 - $K^\pi = 0^-$
- M1
E1

$F(E_\gamma, E_{exc} 1)$

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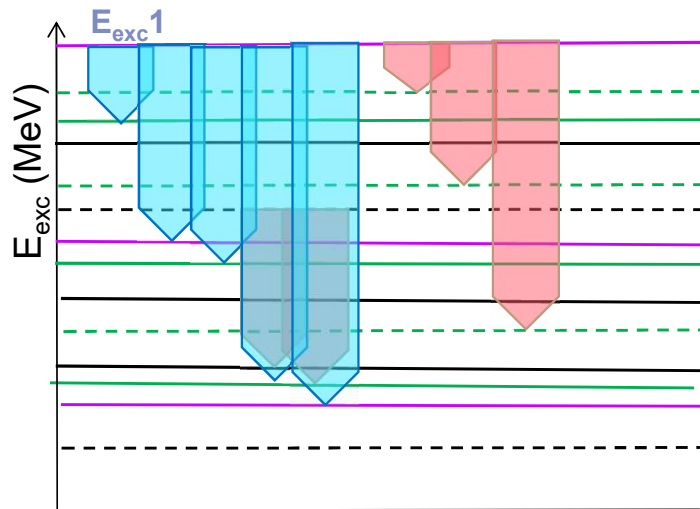


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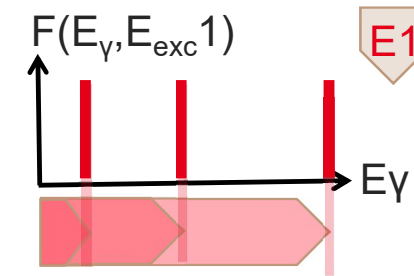
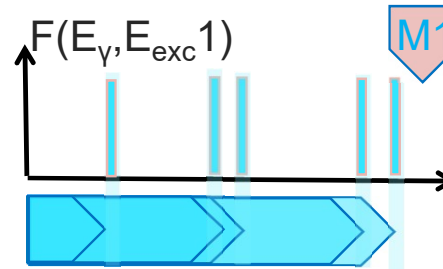
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The γ -ray strength function depends on the excitation energy and on the level density



- $K^\pi=2^-$
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- $K^\pi=2^+$
- $K^\pi=1^+$
- $K^\pi=0^+$

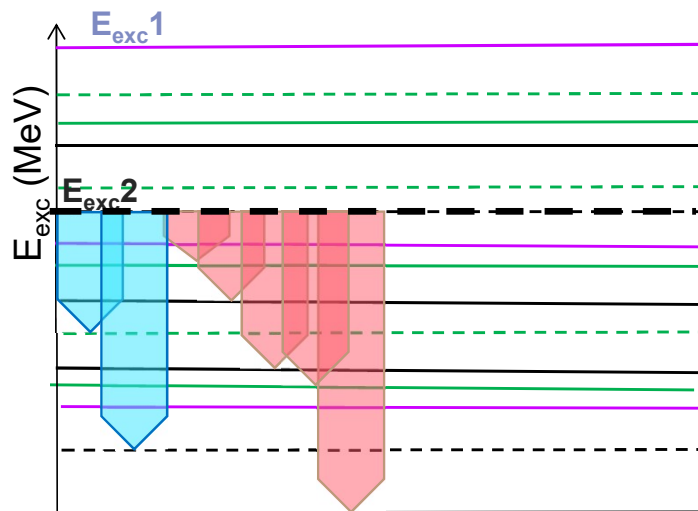


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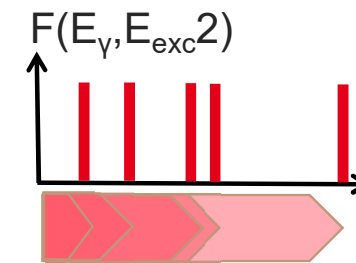
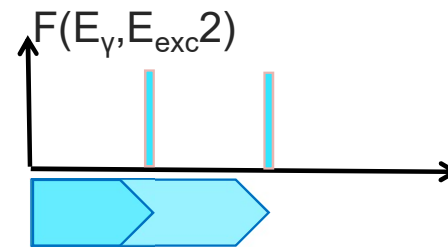
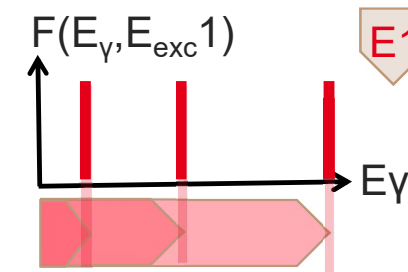
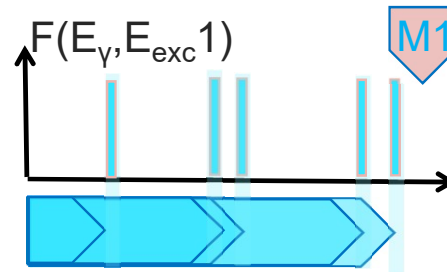
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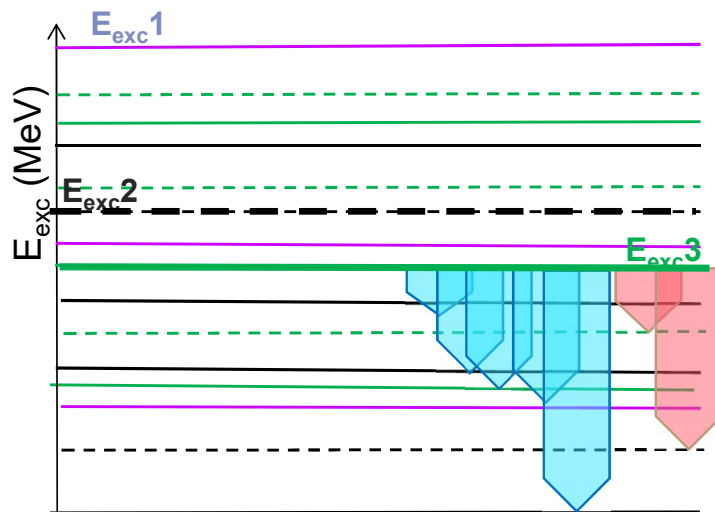


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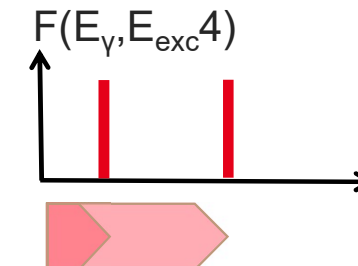
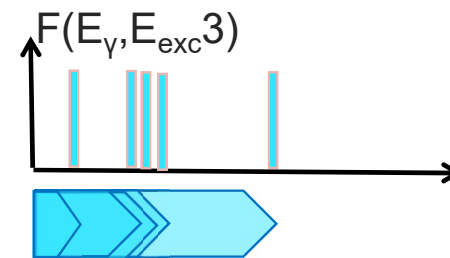
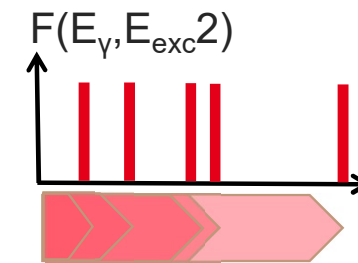
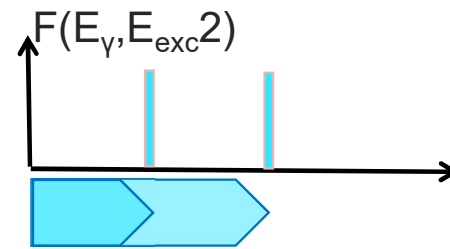
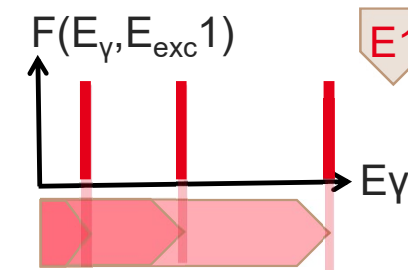
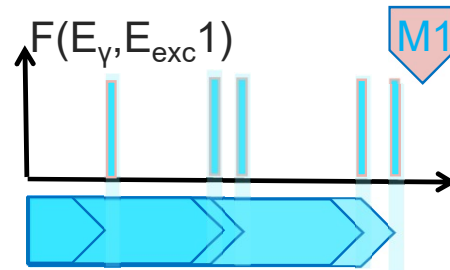
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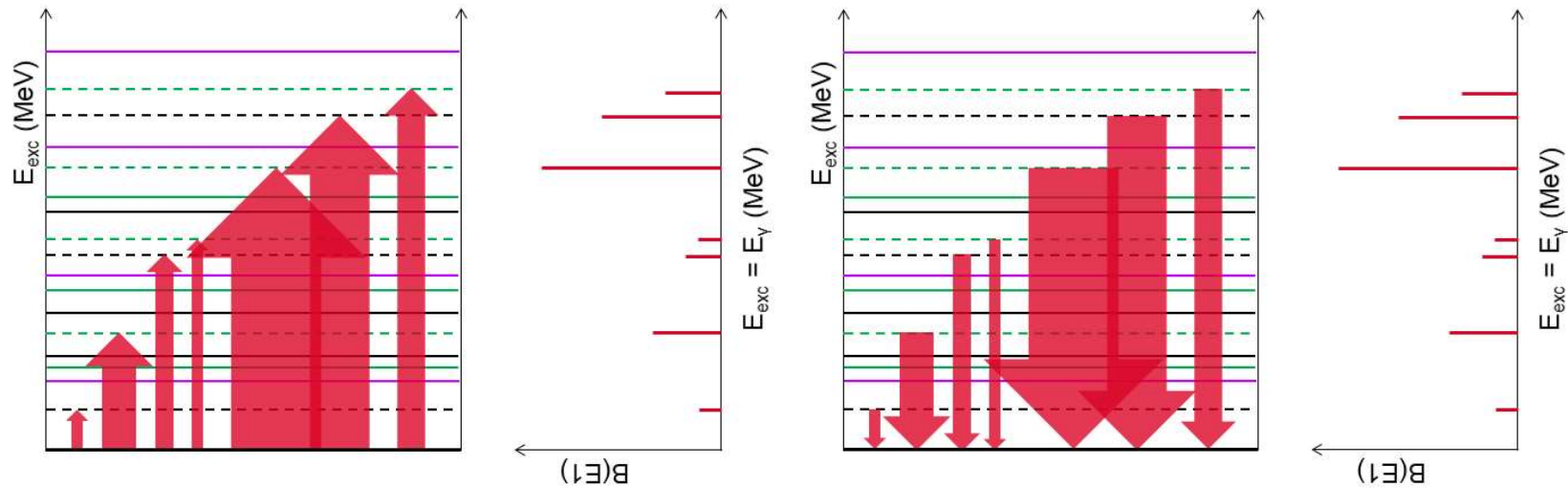
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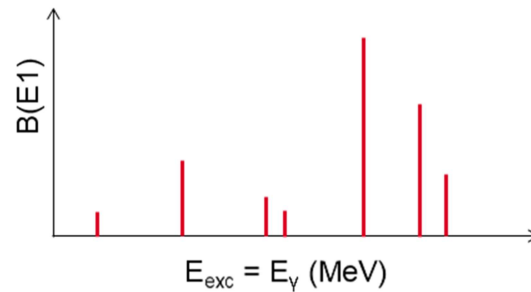
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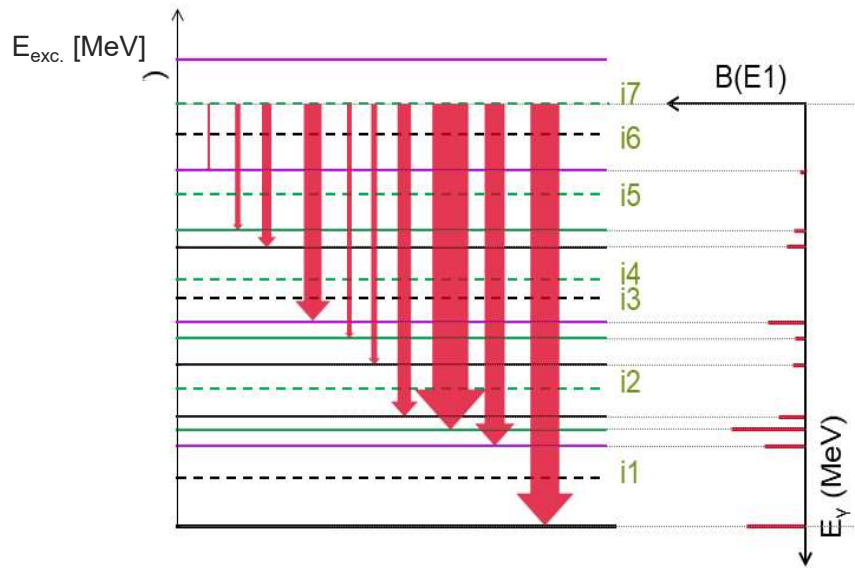
Absorption versus gamma decay, again...



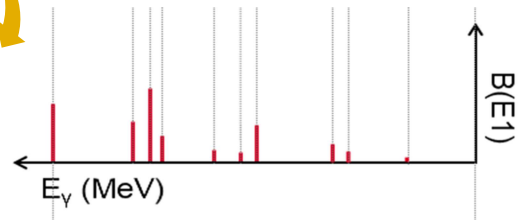
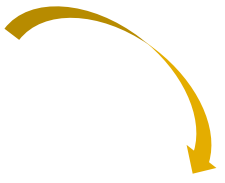
E emission γ = E excitation

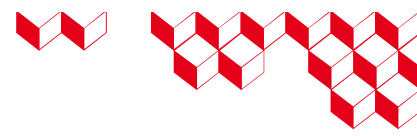
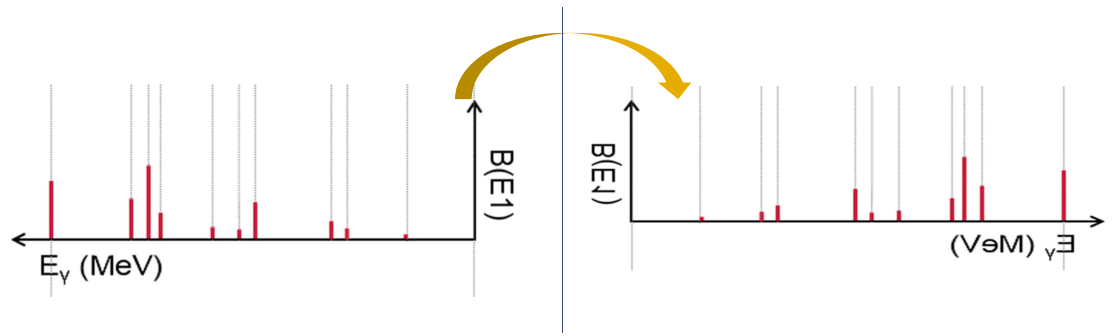
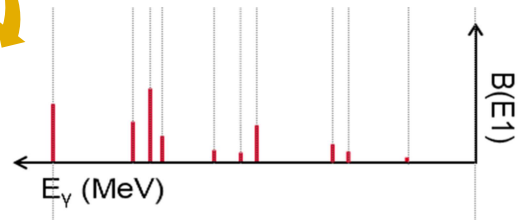
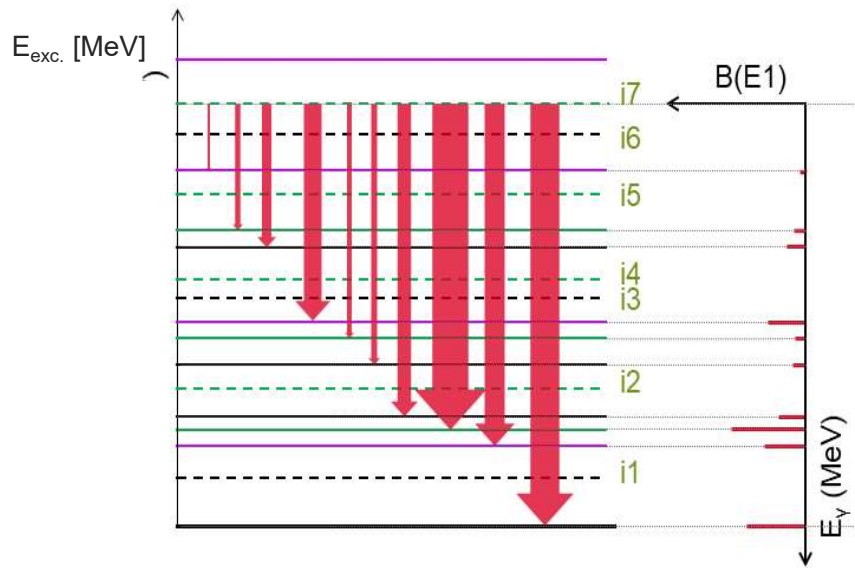


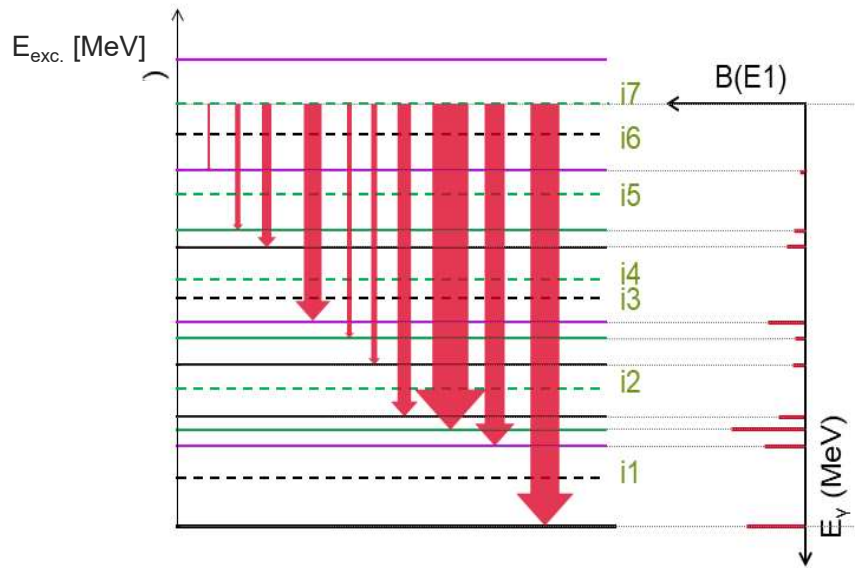
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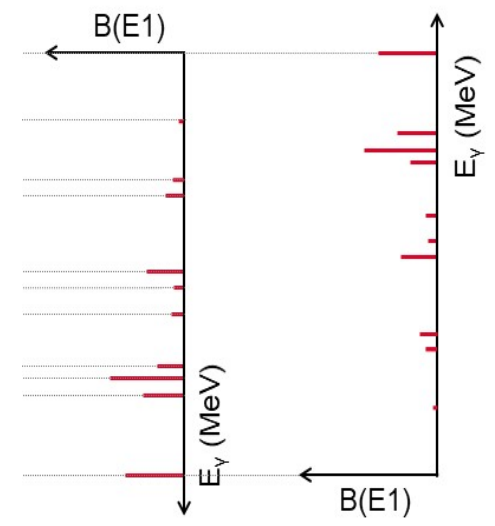
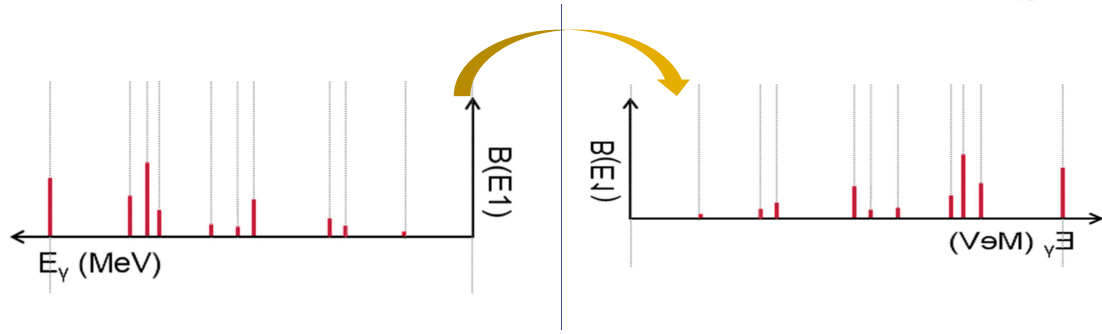
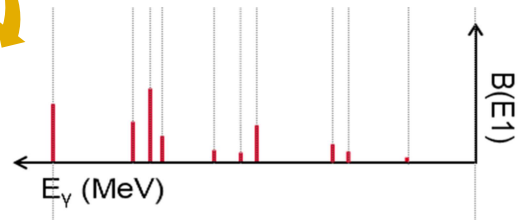
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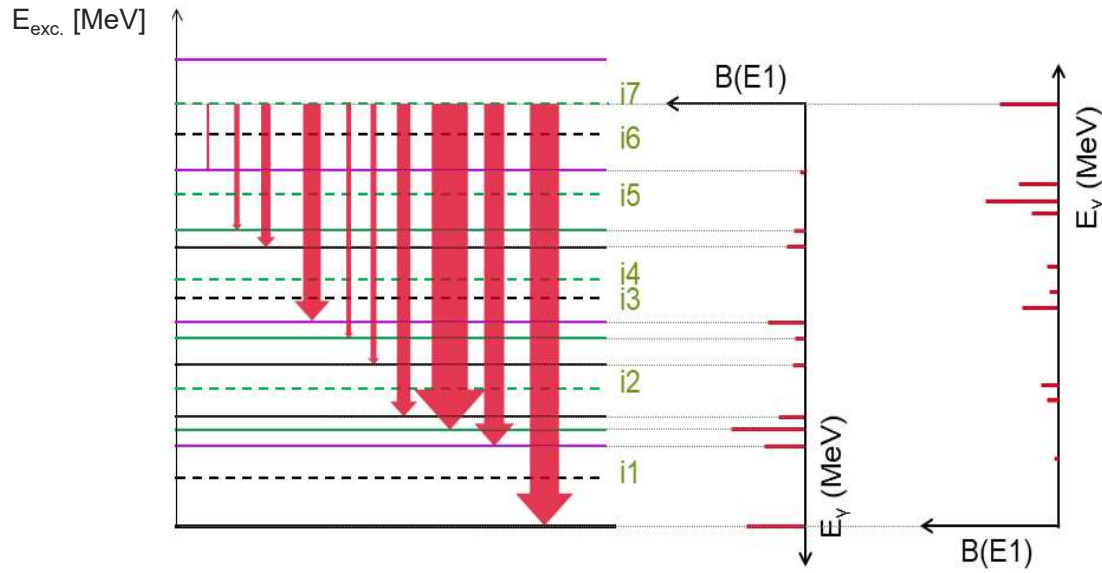


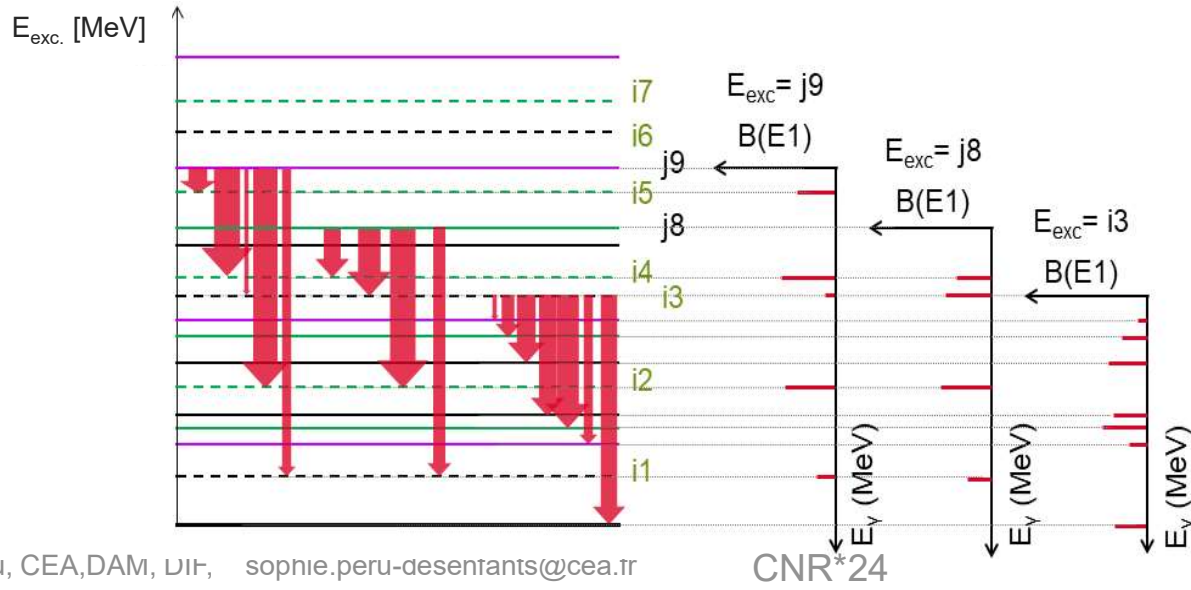
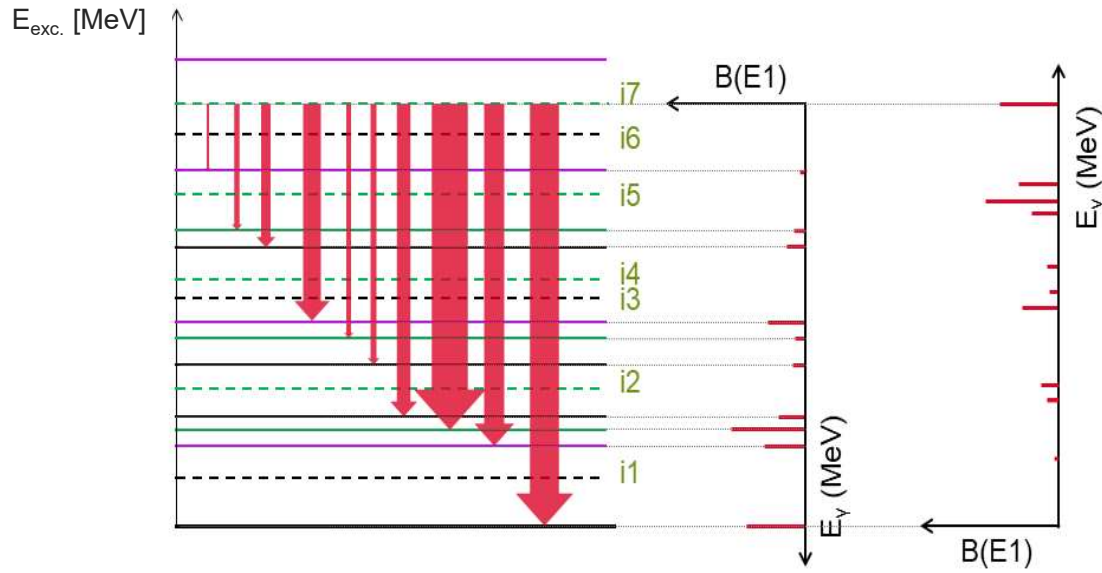
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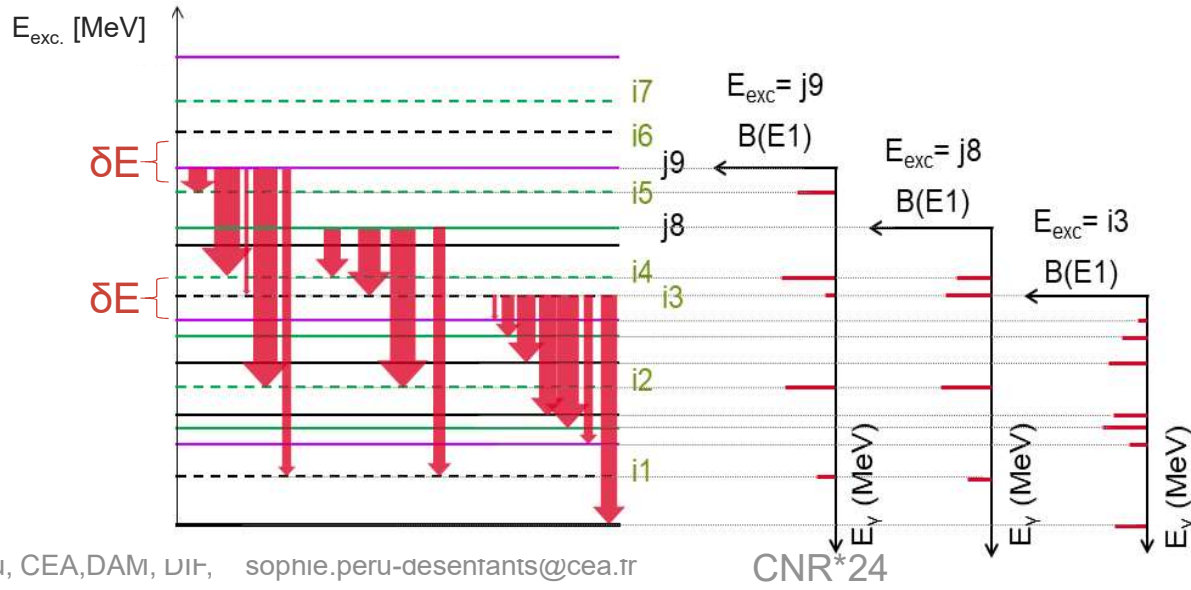
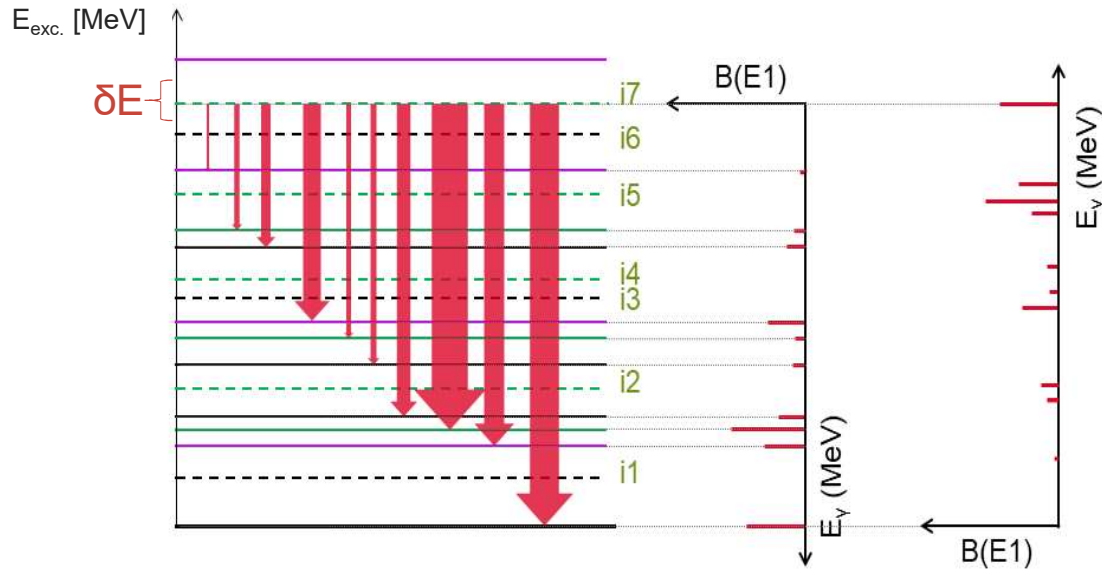


Low excitation energy states are seen at high gamma energy emission!







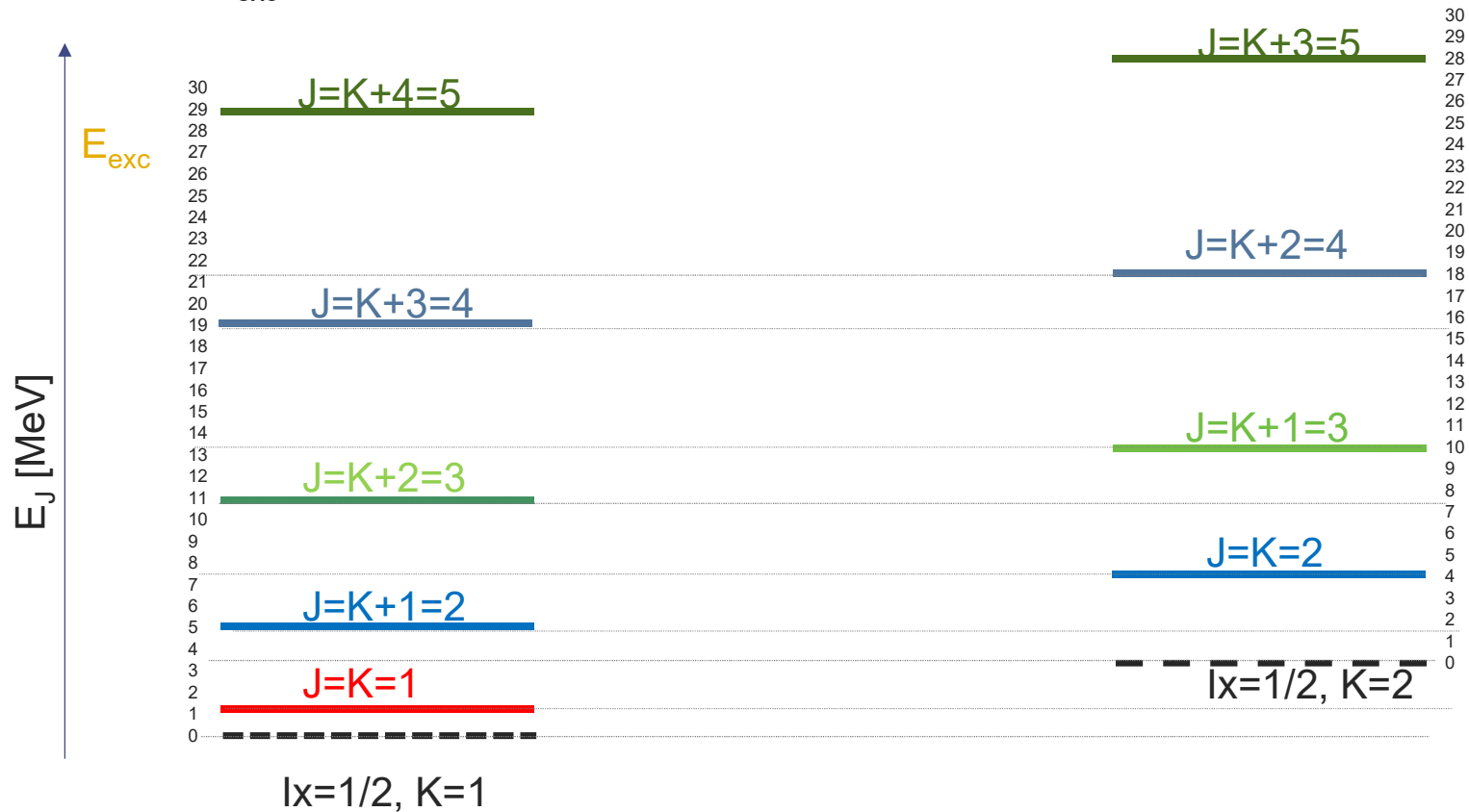




Rotational bands in deformed nuclei

$$E_J = E_K + E_{rot} \quad \text{with} \quad E_{rot} = \frac{J(J+1) - K^2}{2I_x(Z,N)}$$

$E_{exc} \approx \text{Temperature}$

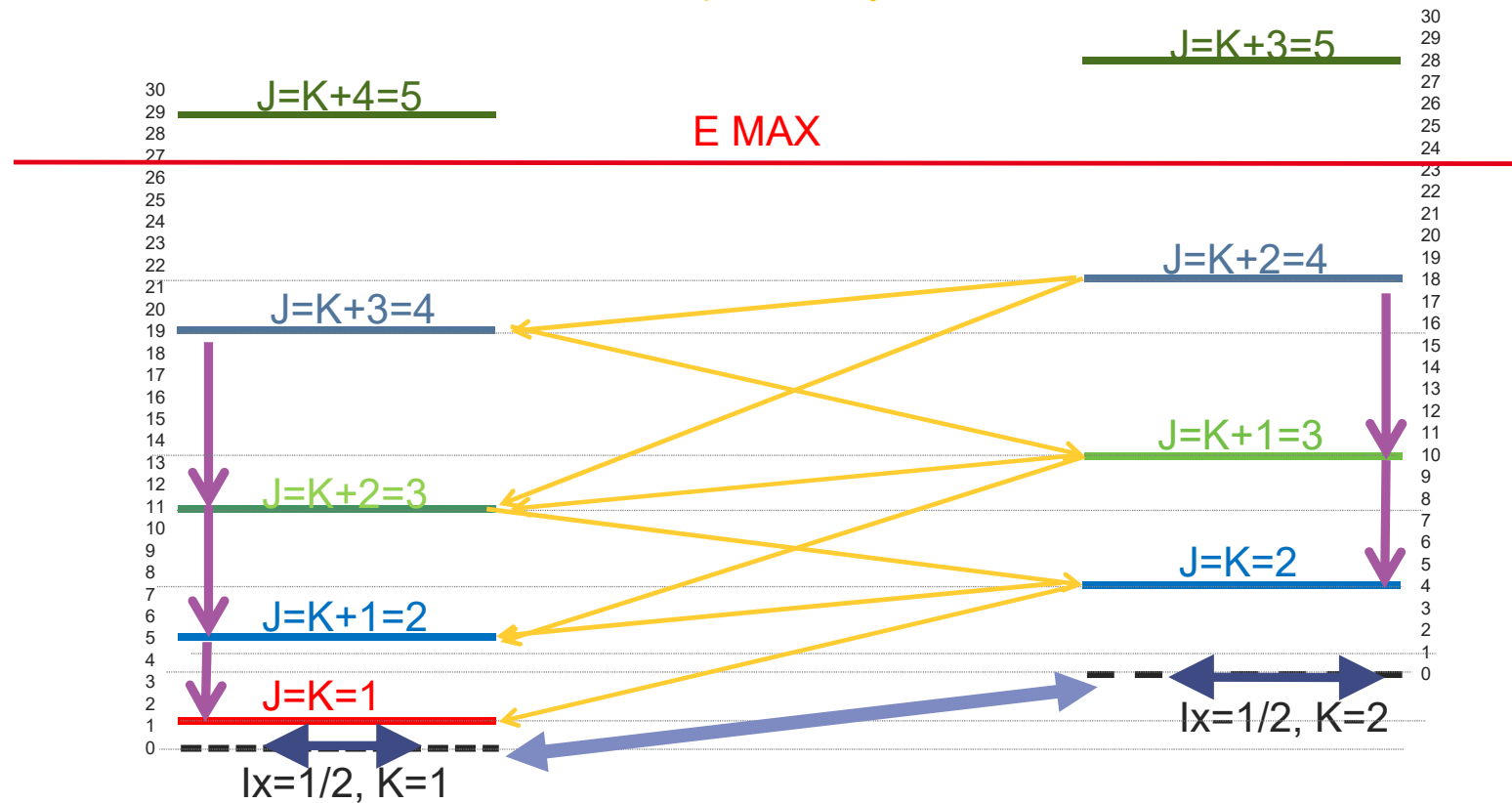




Gamma emission in deformed nuclei

Intra band transition probability calculations

Inter band transition probability calculations

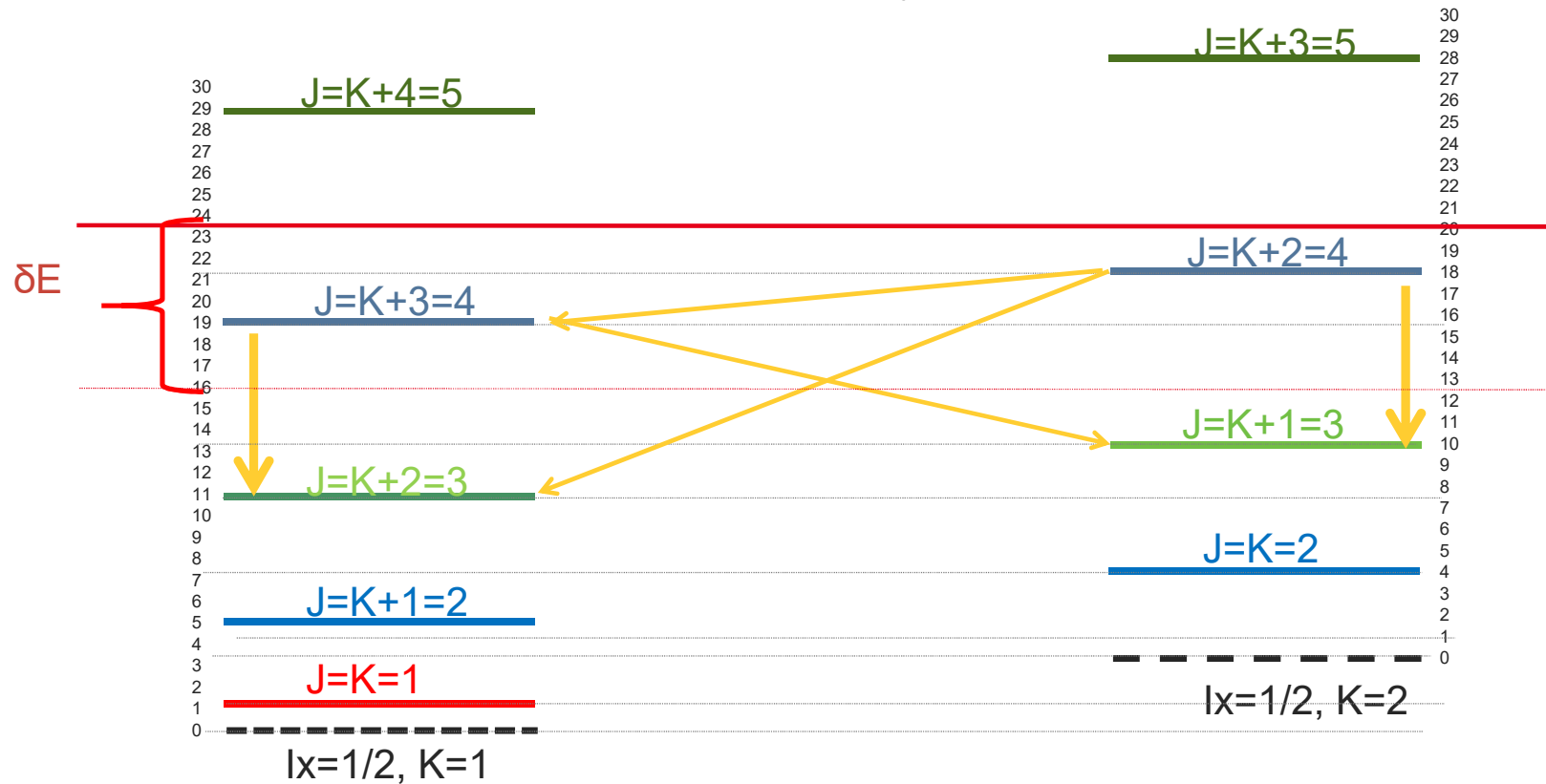




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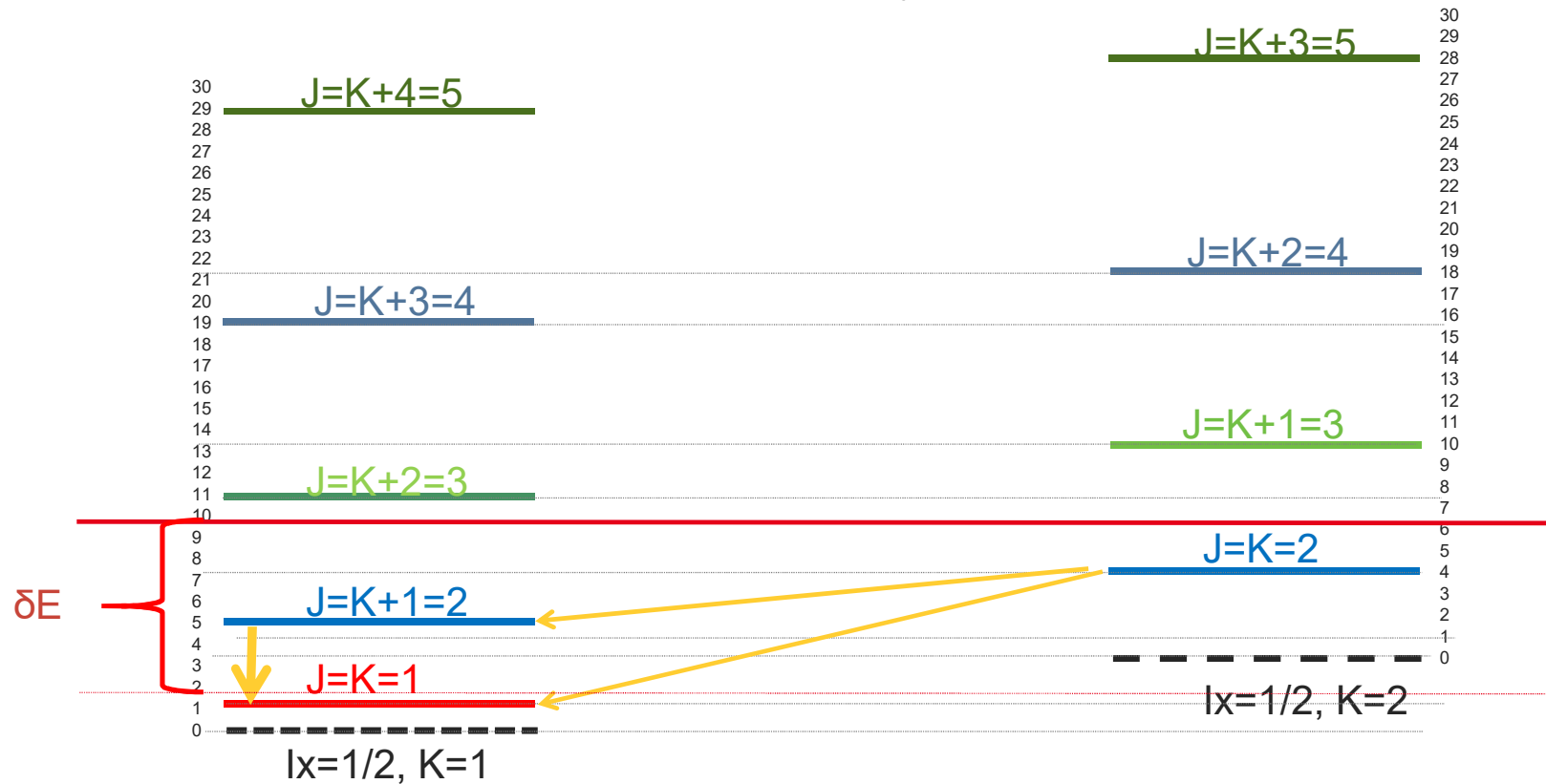


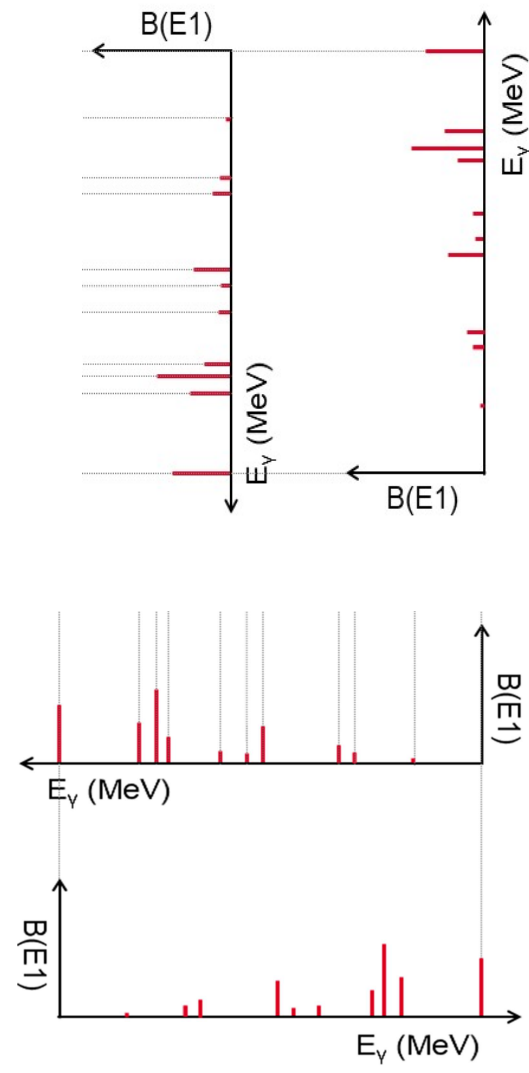
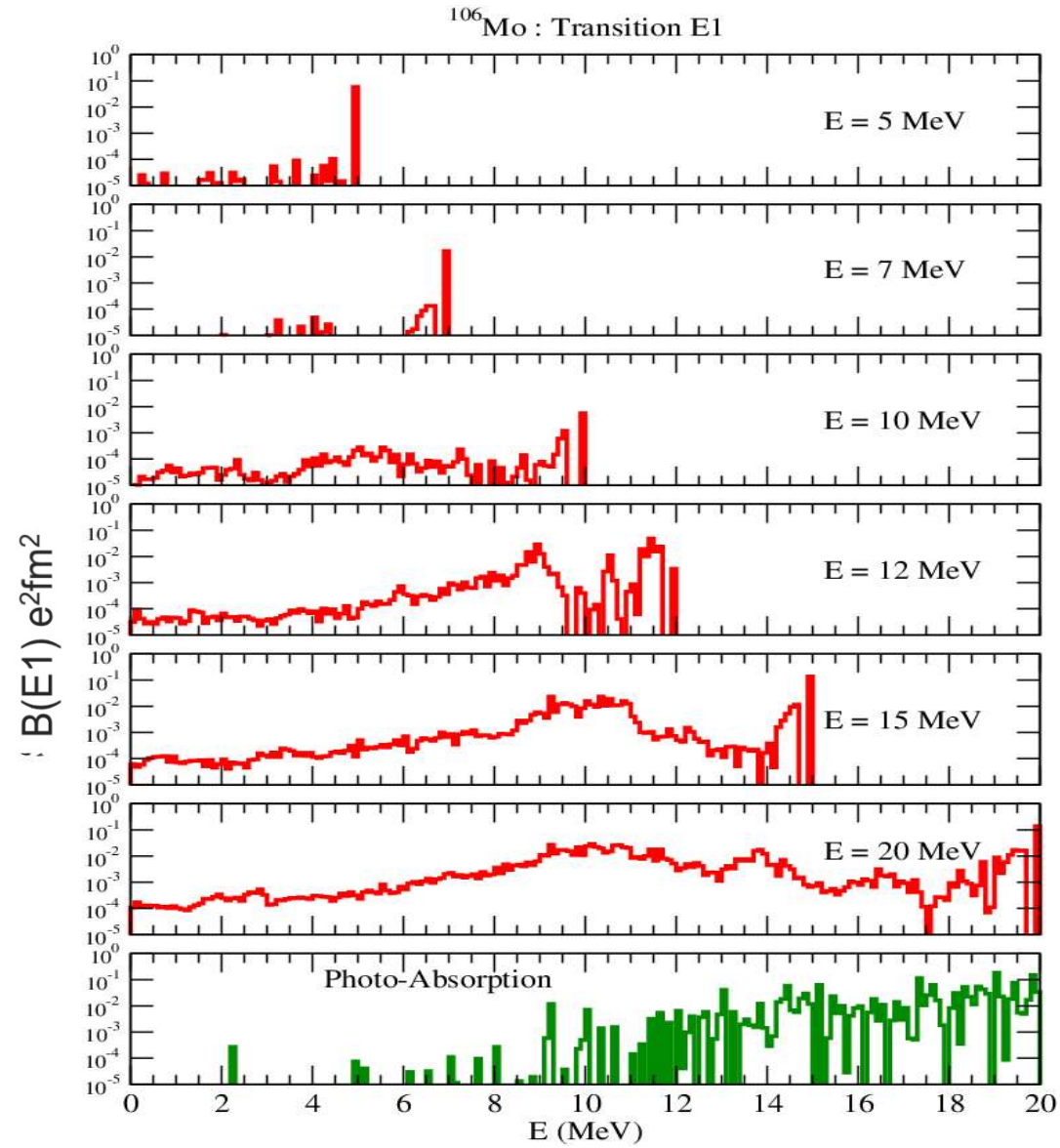


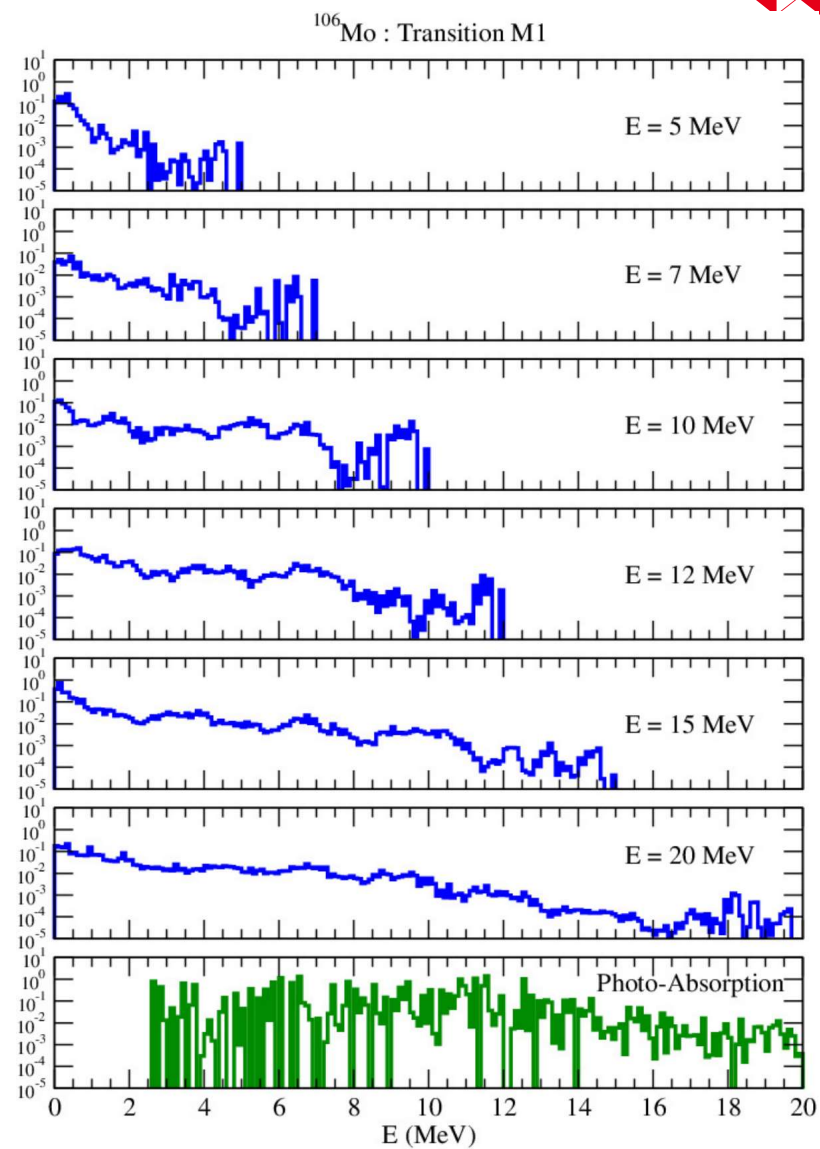
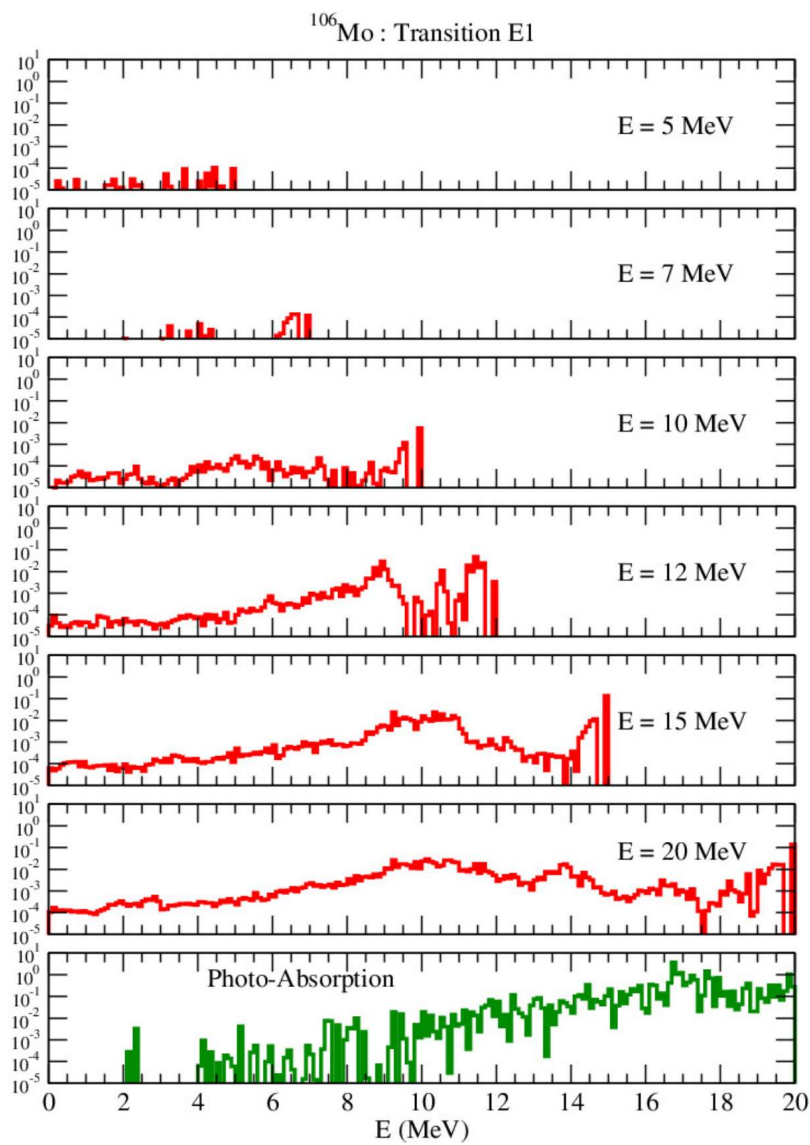
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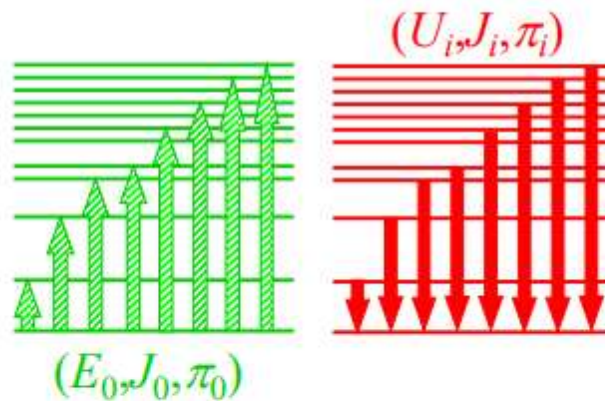
E1 Folding procedure

De-excitation PSF at an initial energy U_i

$$f_{XL}(E_\gamma, U_i) = \sum_{J_i, \pi_i} f_{\text{conv}} \langle B(XL) \rangle (E_\gamma, U_i, J_i, \pi_i) \rho(U_i, J_i, \pi_i)$$

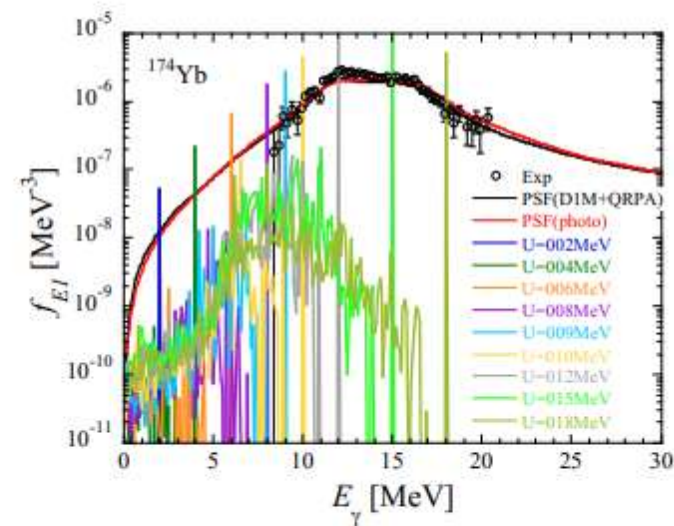
Reciprocity theorem

$$\overrightarrow{f_{XL}}(E_\gamma) = \overleftarrow{f_{XL}}(U_i, E_\gamma)$$



De-excitation PSF at $U_i = E_\gamma$
 after folding should correspond
 to the smooth (after folding)
 photo-absorption PSF at E_γ

f_{E1} de-excitation PSF *before* folding



Courtesy of S.Goriely



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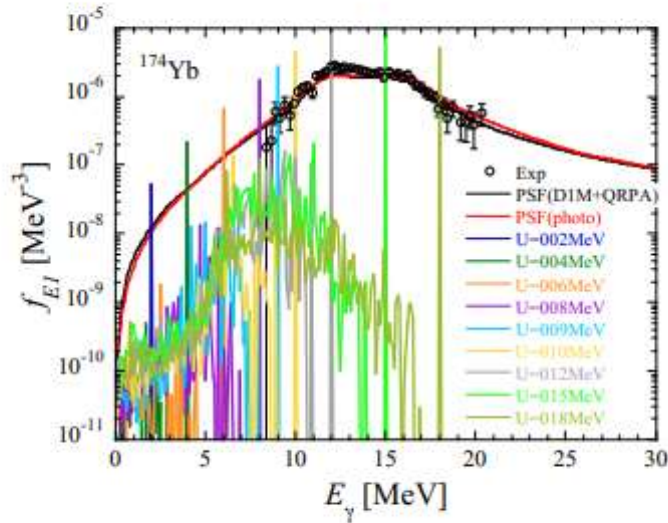
Smooth de-excitation PSF at an initial energy U_i

$$f_{E1}(E) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} L(E, \omega) S_{E1}(\omega) d\omega \quad \text{with} \quad L(E, \omega) = \frac{1}{\pi \Gamma} \frac{\Gamma^2 E^2}{[E^2 - (\omega - \Delta)^2]^2 + \Gamma^2 E^2}$$

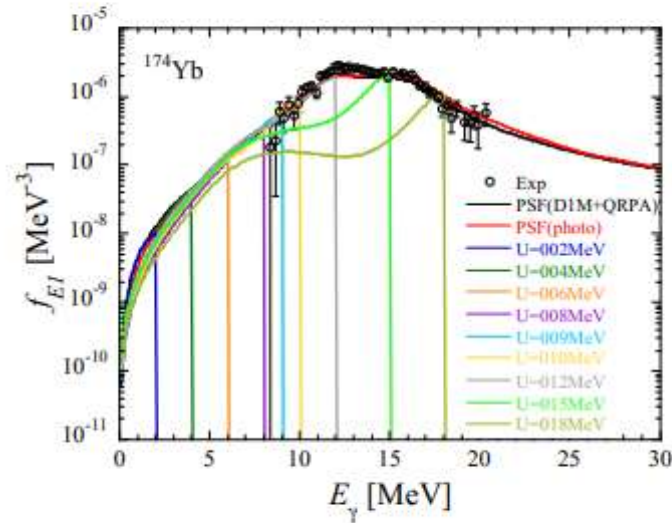
All QRPA energies shifted by $\Delta(\omega) \sim 0.14 \omega$ $\Gamma(E1) = 7-A/45 \text{ MeV}$

Preliminary results

f_{E1} de-excitation PSF *before* folding



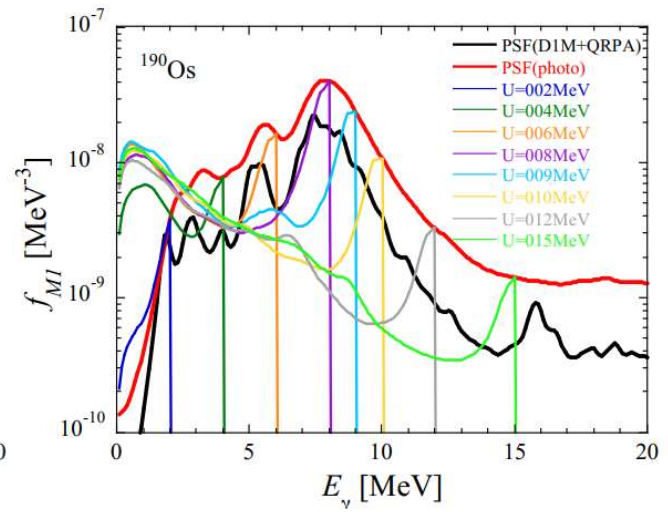
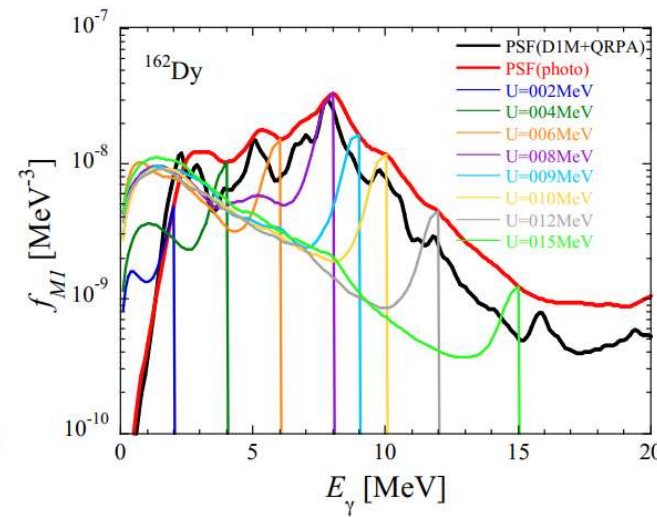
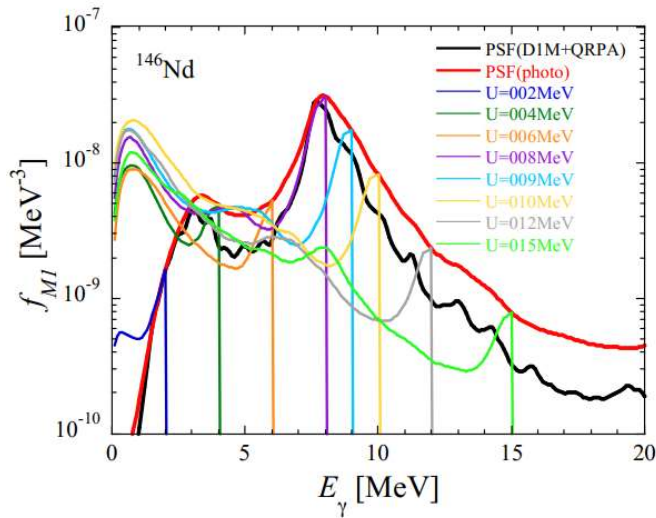
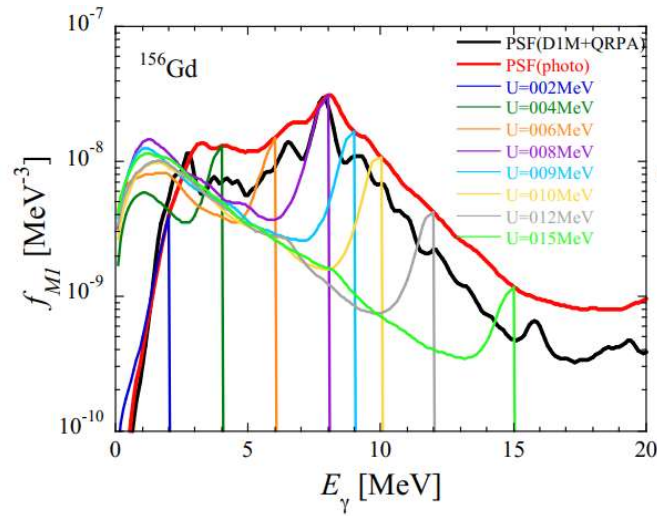
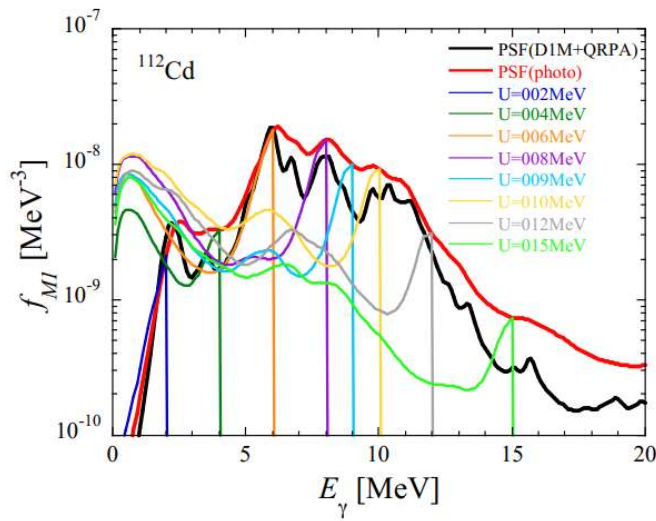
f_{E1} de-excitation PSF *after* folding



Negligible low-energy
E1 enhancement

Courtesy of S.Goriely





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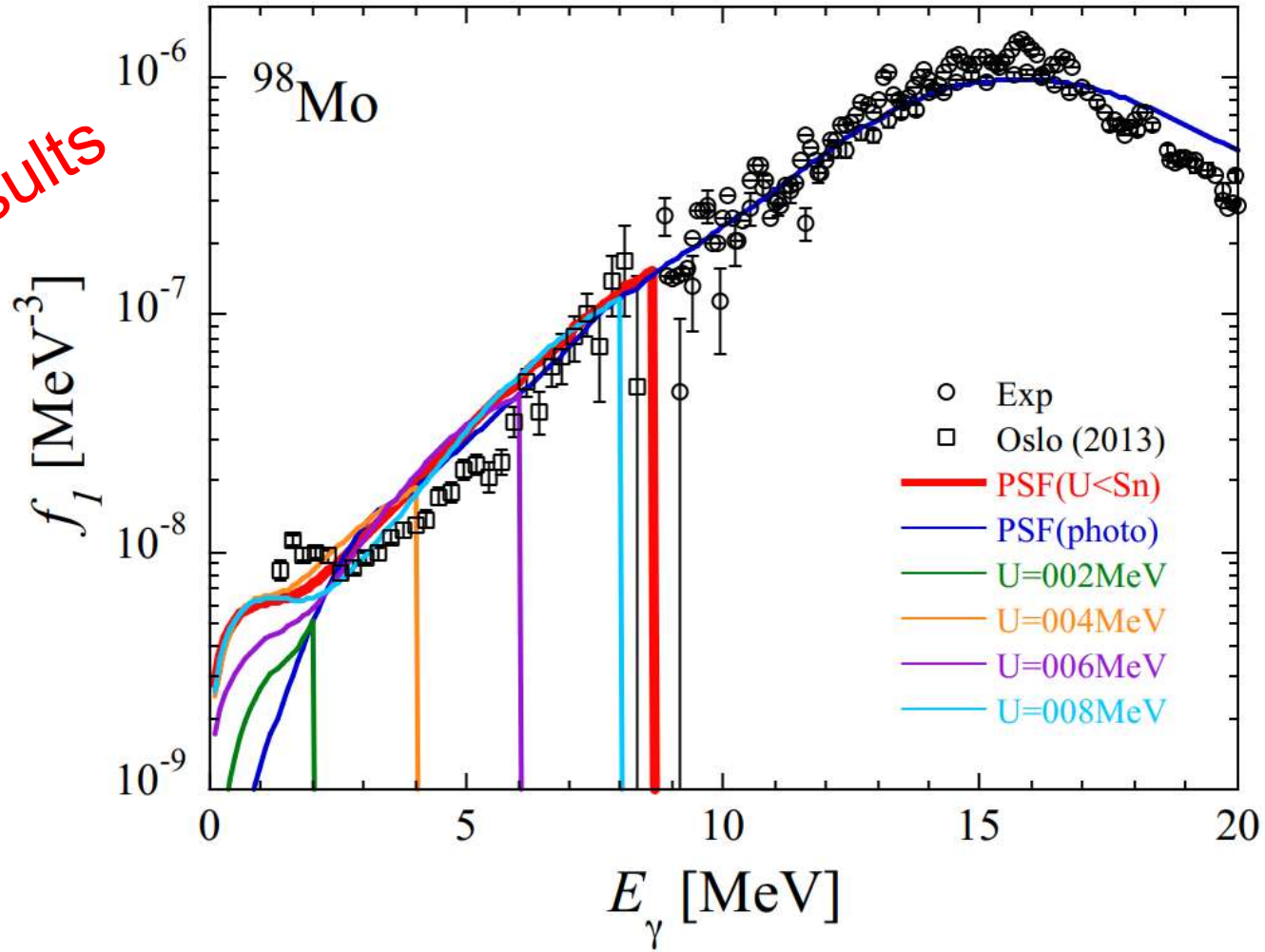
Systematic low-energy enhancement of the M1 PSF



Comparison with Oslo data



Preliminary results





A little recap

- Microscopic ingredients improve the gamma-ray strength function models
- Many photo-absorption based on QRPA are obtained for various interactions.
- Beyond standard QRPA approaches are promising for future systematics (QPM, ab initio);
 - Shell Model can be competitive for light systems;
 - TDDFT can provides photo absorption for many system up to heaviest and deformed ones.
- K mixing for isomer description: probabilities of transitions between QRPA excited states are needed.
- Intra-band and inter-band transition probabilities beyond standard QRPA are now accessible.
- work still in progress to improve γ -strength functions with microscopic inputs.

$$F(E_\gamma) \rightarrow F(E_\gamma, E_x) \rightarrow F(E_\gamma, E_x, \delta E_x) \rightarrow F(E_\gamma, E_x, \delta E_x, J, \pi)$$

Thanks for your attention