

Isoscalar spin-triplet pairing and tensor correlations on Spin-Isospin response

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- Skyrme tensor interactions
Spin-isospin excitations and sum rules
- Pairing correlations $T=1, S=0$ and $T=0, S=1$ pairs
Energy spectra of $N=Z$ odd-odd nuclei.
Gamow-Teller excitations in $N=Z+2$ *pf*- shell nuclei
interplay between $T=0$ pairing and tensor correlations



Tensor correlations on Nuclear Structure

Binding energies
Deformations
EOS

Shell evolution by tensor correlations
(spin-orbit splitting)

Spin-Isospin excitations
a) Gamow-Teller excitations
b) Spin-Dipole (SD) excitations

Quenching of sum rules within RPA model
Multipole dependence of SD excitations

A self-consistent framework to describe nuclei in the whole mass region

Skyrme-type tensor interactions

$$V^T = \frac{T}{2} \left\{ [(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}')(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}') - \frac{1}{3} (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) k'^2] \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \right. \\ \left. + \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) [(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k})(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) - \frac{1}{3} (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) k^2] \right\} \quad \text{:Triplet-even}$$
$$+ \frac{U}{2} \left\{ (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) + (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}) \right. \\ \left. - \frac{2}{3} [(\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) \mathbf{k}' \cdot \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \mathbf{k}] \right\} \quad \text{:Triplet-odd}$$

Two Advantages

1. A simple formula for spin-orbit splitting
2. Analytic formulas for multipole expansion for spin-dependent excitations

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Mean field -----Spin-orbit splitting-----

$$\delta H = \frac{1}{2}\alpha(J_n^2 + J_p^2) + \beta J_n J_p.$$

$$U_{s.o.}^{(q)} = \frac{W_0}{2r} \left(2 \frac{d\rho_q}{dr} + \frac{d\rho_{q'}}{dr} \right) + \left(\alpha \frac{J_q}{r} + \beta \frac{J_{q'}}{r} \right),$$

$q \ (n=0, p=1) \quad q' = 1-q$

$$J_q(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi r^3} \sum_i v_i^2 (2j_i + 1) \left[j_i(j_i + 1) - l_i(l_i + 1) - \frac{3}{4} \right] R_i^2(r).$$

TIJ family

$$\alpha_C = \frac{1}{8}(t_1 - t_2) - \frac{1}{8}(t_1 x_1 + t_2 x_2) = 80.7 \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

$$\alpha = \alpha_C + \alpha_T = 60(J - 2) \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

$$\beta_C = -\frac{1}{8}(t_1 x_1 + t_2 x_2) = -48.9 \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

$$\beta = \beta_C + \beta_T = 60(I - 2) \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

$$\alpha_T = \frac{5}{12}U = -170 \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

$$\beta_T = \frac{5}{24}(T + U) = 100 \text{MeV} \cdot \text{fm}^5$$

	sign	spin - orbit splitting
α, β	negative	larger
	positive	smaller

Nuclear ground-state masses and deformations: FRDM(2012)

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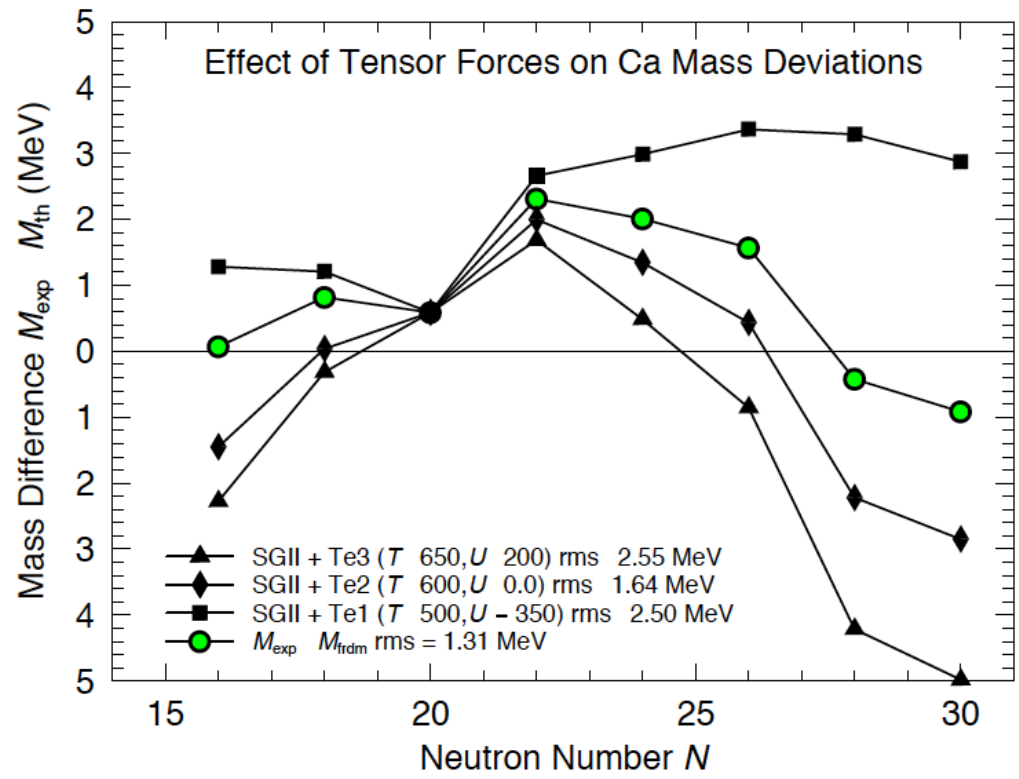
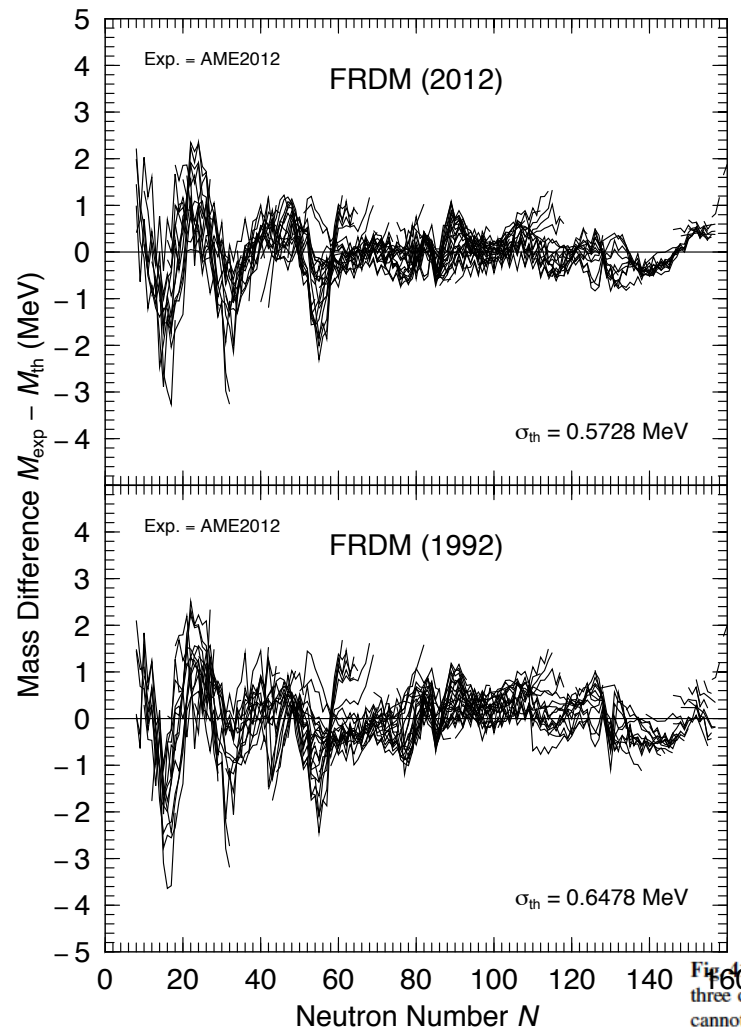
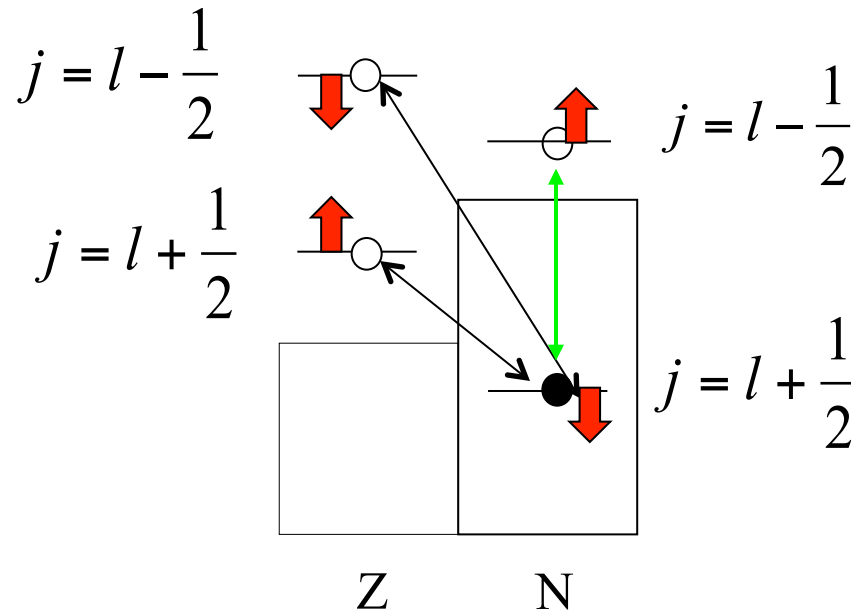


Fig. 16: Effect of tensor force on Ca-isotope mass deviations. The large filled circles show the mass deviations in the FRDM(2012) mass model. The three other curves show how these are modified due to the effect of different tensor forces. It seems that the oscillatory behavior of the deviation cannot be eliminated by these tensor forces.

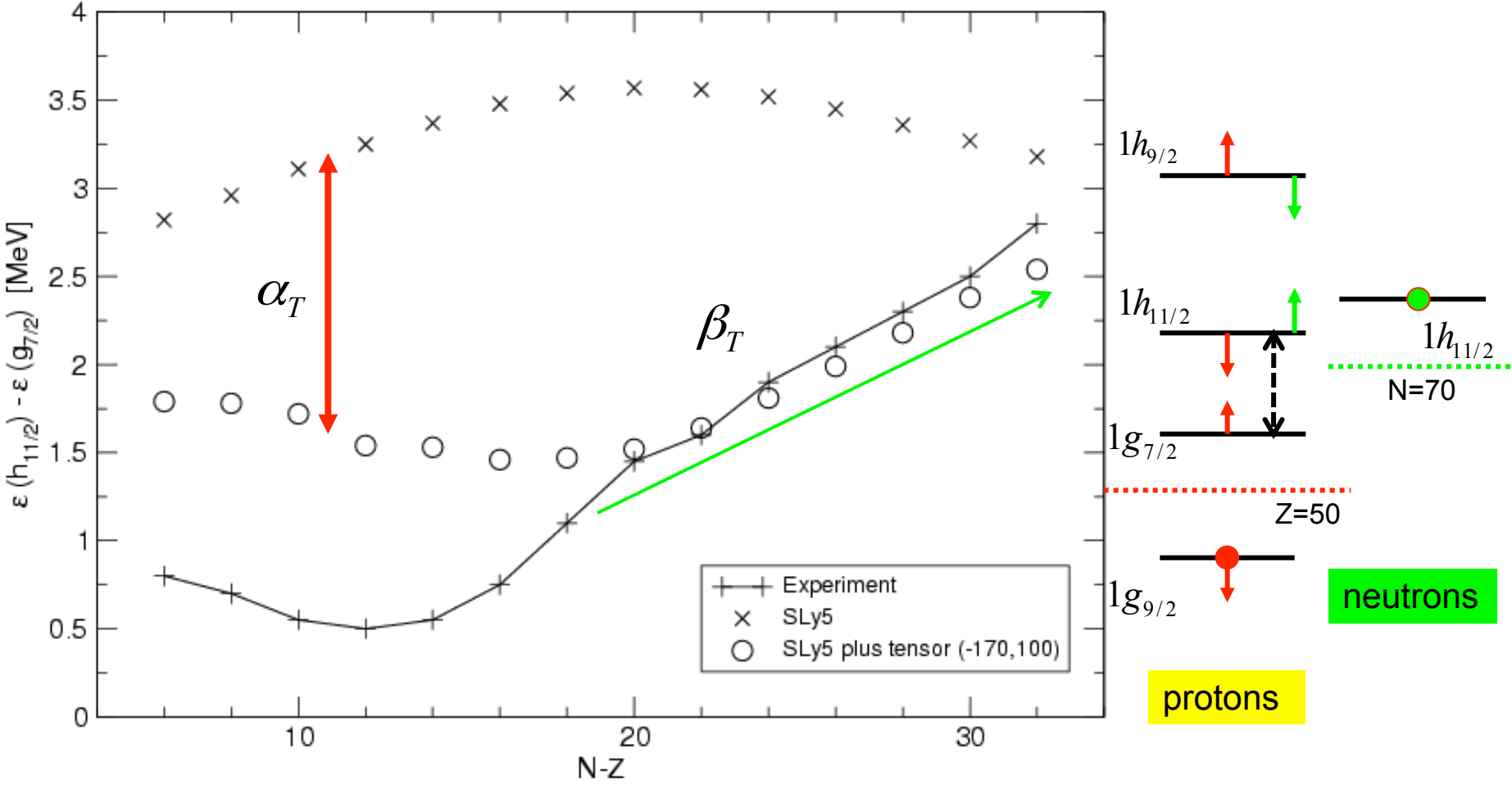
Effect of tensor interaction on spin-orbit splitting



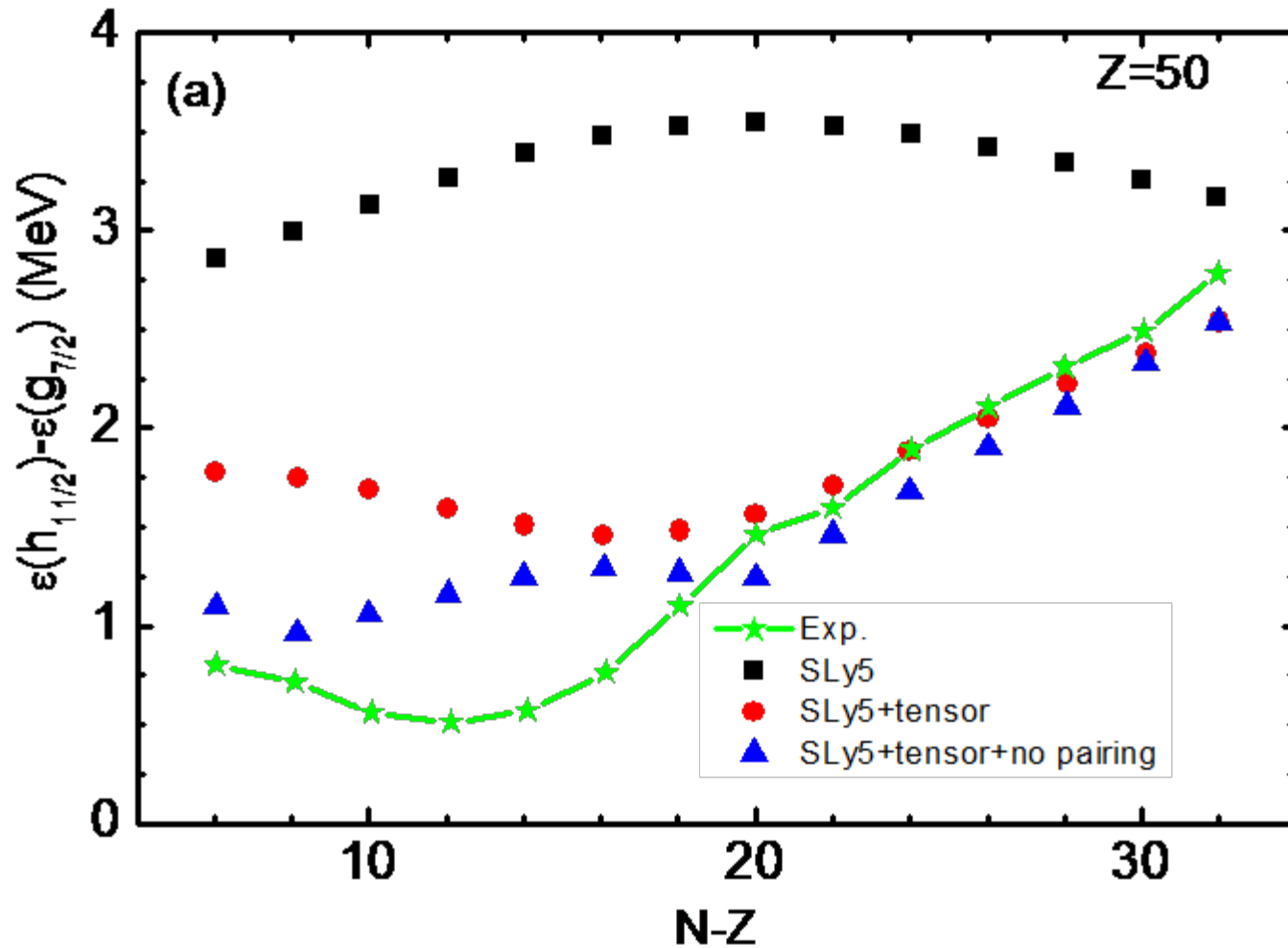
α : n-n or p-p larger with $j_{>}$
 β : n-p smaller with $j_{>}$

Exp. Data : J.P.Schiffer et al.,
P.R.L.92, 162501(2004)

Protons on Z=50 core



G.Colo, H. Sagawa, S. Fracasso, P.F. Bortignon, Phys. Lett. B 646 (2007) 227.



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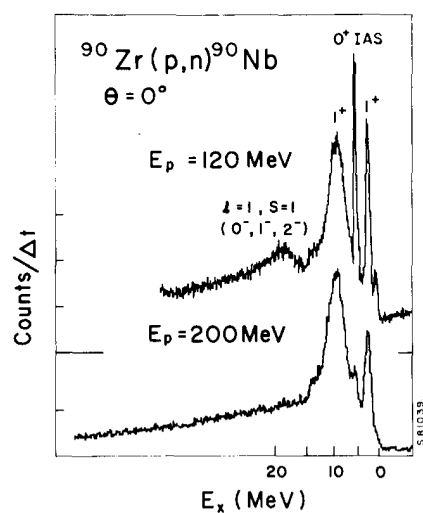
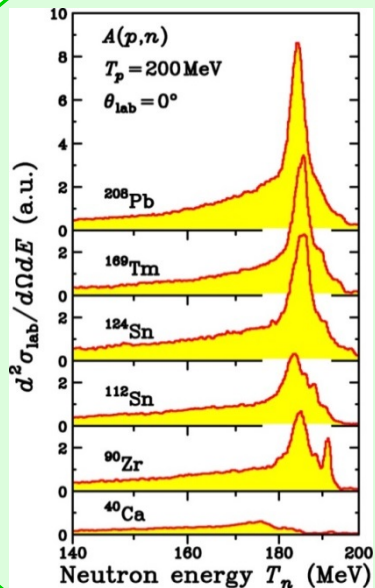
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Spin-isospin physics: Gamow-Teller responses

Progress in Last century

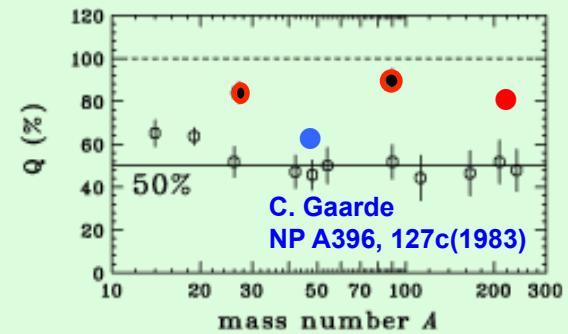
Courtesy of H. Sakai

- 1963 GT giant resonance predicted, GT(Ikeda) sum rule $3(N-Z)$ collectivity?
- ~1980 GT giant resonances established
- Strength quenched/missing: 50-60% of $3(N-Z)$ due to Δ -h or 2p-2h ?
- 1997 ~90% of $3(N-Z)$ found (2p-2h dominance)
- Charge-exchange reactions on **stable** target nuclei
- CHEX reactions: (p,n)/(n,p) and (^3He ,t)/(t, ^3He) reactions at intermediate energy
- C. Garrde, NPA396(1982)127c.



- Wakasa et al., PR C55, 2909 (1997)

GT strength quenching problem



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- Yako et al.,

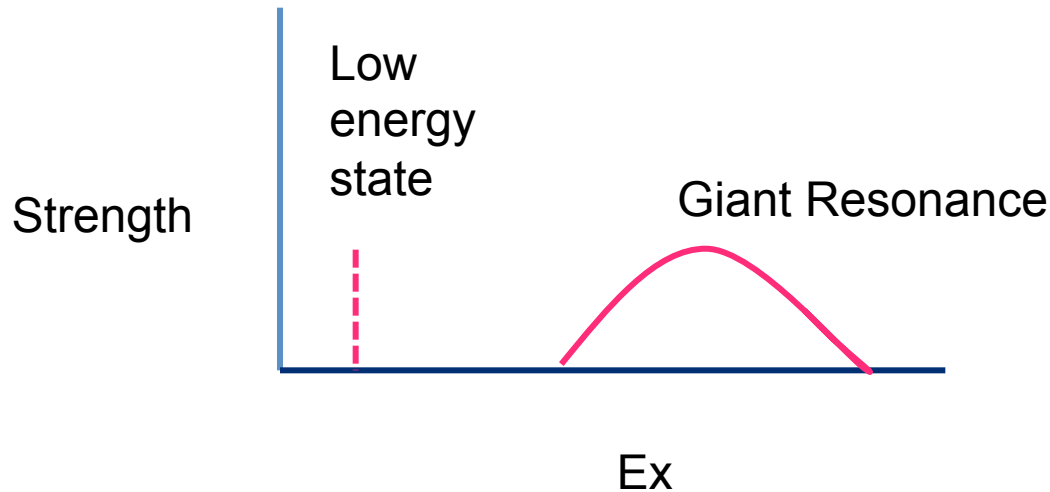
Energy-weighted (EW) and NEW sum rules

$$m(k) = \sum_i E_i^k \left| \langle i | \hat{O}_\lambda | 0 \rangle \right|^2$$

$$m(1) = \frac{1}{2} \langle 0 | [\hat{O}_\lambda, [H, \hat{O}_\lambda]] | 0 \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} m_-(0) - m_+(0) &= \sum_\nu (|\langle \nu | O_- | 0 \rangle|^2 - |\langle \nu | O_+ | 0 \rangle|^2) \\ &= \langle 0 | [O_-, O_+] | 0 \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

Gamow-Teller
Ikeda sum rule



Model-independent sum rule : GT(Ikeda) sum rule

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{\beta^-} - S_{\beta^+} &= \frac{1}{2J_i + 1} \sum_f |\langle f || \sum_{i=1}^A t_-(i) \sigma_i || i \rangle|^2 \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{2J_i + 1} \sum_f |\langle f || \sum_{i=1}^A t_+(i) \sigma_i || i \rangle|^2 \\
 &= \langle i | \sum_{i,j=1}^A (t_+(j)t_-(i) - t_-(i)t_+(j)) \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j | i \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$$[t_+(j), t_-(i)] = \delta_{ij} 2t_z(i), \quad \sum_{i=1}^A 2t_z(i) = 2T_z \quad \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_i = 3$$

$$S_{\beta^-} - S_{\beta^+} = \langle i | 2T_z \cdot 3 | i \rangle = 3(N - Z)$$

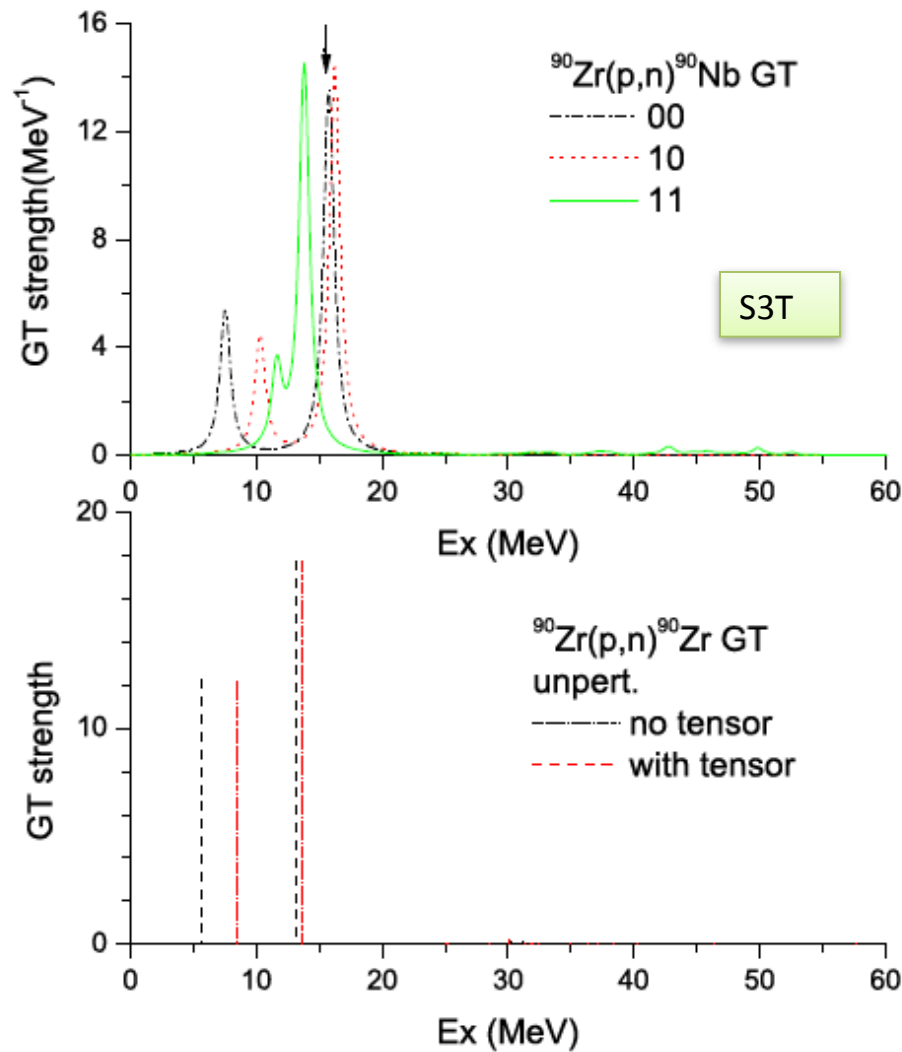
=30 for ^{90}Zr

=132 for ^{208}Pb

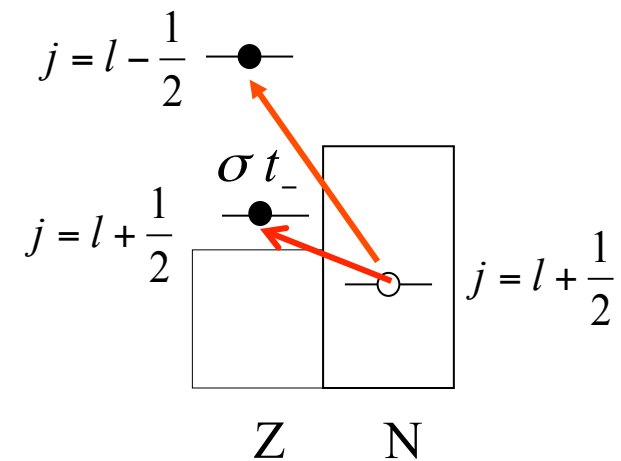
cf: Fermi transition

$$S_{F^-} - S_{F^+} = \langle i | 2T_z | i \rangle = N - Z$$

The tensor force and charge-exchange excitations



Gamow-Teller $\lambda^\pi = 1^+$



The main peak is moved downward by the tensor force but the centroid is moved upwards !

C.L.Bai, HS, H.Q.Zhang, X.Z.Zhang, G.Colo and F.R.Xu, P.L.B675,28 (2009).

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Effect of Tensor Correlations on Gamow-Teller States in ^{90}Zr and ^{208}Pb

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$$O_- = \sigma t_-$$

$$O_+ = \sigma t_+$$

$$V^T = \frac{T}{2} \{ [(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}')(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}') - \frac{1}{3}(\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2)k'^2] \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) + \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) [(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k})(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) - \frac{1}{3}(\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2)k^2] \} + \frac{U}{2} \{ (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) + (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}) - \frac{2}{3} [(\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) \mathbf{k}' \cdot \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \mathbf{k}] \}$$

$$m_-(0) - m_+(0) = \sum_{\nu} (|\langle \nu | O_- | 0 \rangle|^2 - |\langle \nu | O_+ | 0 \rangle|^2) = \langle 0 | [O_-, O_+] | 0 \rangle, \quad = 3(N-Z)$$

S3+Tensor

$$m_-(1) + m_+(1) = \sum_{\nu} (|\langle \nu | O_- | 0 \rangle| + |\langle \nu | O_+ | 0 \rangle|)^2 E_{\nu} = \langle 0 | [O_+, [H, O_-]] | 0 \rangle,$$

	$m_-(1; \text{no tensor})$ MeV	$m_-(1; \text{with tensor})$ MeV	δE_{RPA} MeV	δE_{DC} MeV
^{90}Zr	271.45	338.68	2.241	2.276
^{208}Pb	1854.12	2000.76	1.111	1.118

$$\Delta E_{GT} = \frac{m_-(1)}{m_-(0)} \sim \frac{m_-(1) + m_+(1)}{m_-(0) - m_+(0)} = \frac{4\pi}{3(N-Z)} \int dr r^2 [-(\frac{5}{2}U + \frac{5}{2}T) J_n J_p - \frac{5}{3}U (J_n^2 + J_p^2)]$$

Energy-weighted sum rules

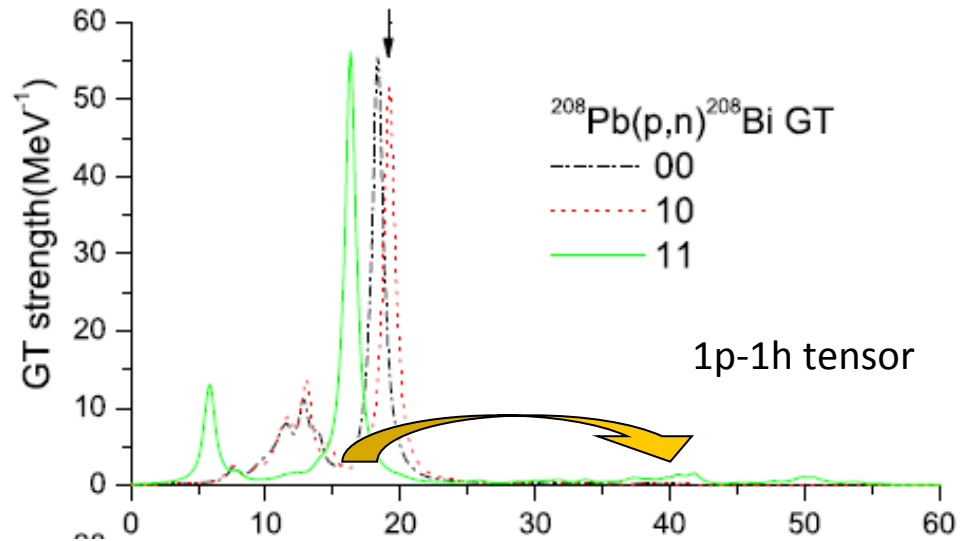
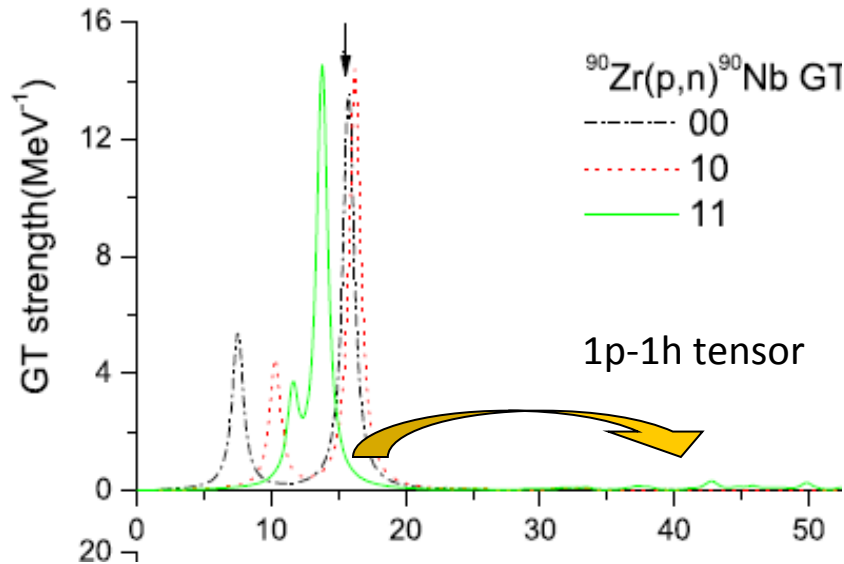
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	10	29.16	0.79	444	22	466	11.1
	11	27.00	2.89	366.9	122	493.2	10.3
²⁰⁸ Pb	00	127.54	3.43	2080	124.5	2212.8	18.8
	10	127.38	3.68	2176	93	2269	21
	11	114.10	16.58	1658	694	2370	19.3

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 Relevance for the GT quenching problem.



Multipole Expansion of Tensor Interactions

$$\begin{aligned}
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 & + \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \left[(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k})(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) - \frac{1}{3} (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) k^2 \right] \left. \right\} \\
 & + \frac{U}{2} \left\{ (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}) + (\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{k}') \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) (\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}) \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{2}{3} [(\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) \mathbf{k}' \cdot \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \mathbf{k}] \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2) = \sum_{lm} Y_{lm}(\hat{r}_1) Y_{lm}^*(\hat{r}_2) \frac{\delta(r_1 - r_2)}{r_1 r_2}$$

$$V^T \propto T_{(\lambda, \kappa)} \left\{ [\sigma_1 \times [\nabla_1 \times Y_{l=1}(\hat{r}_1)]^{(\lambda)}]^{(\kappa)} [\sigma_2 \times [\nabla_2 \times Y_{l=1}(\hat{r}_2)]^{(\lambda')}]^{(\kappa)} \right\}^{(0)} \delta(r_1 - r_2)$$

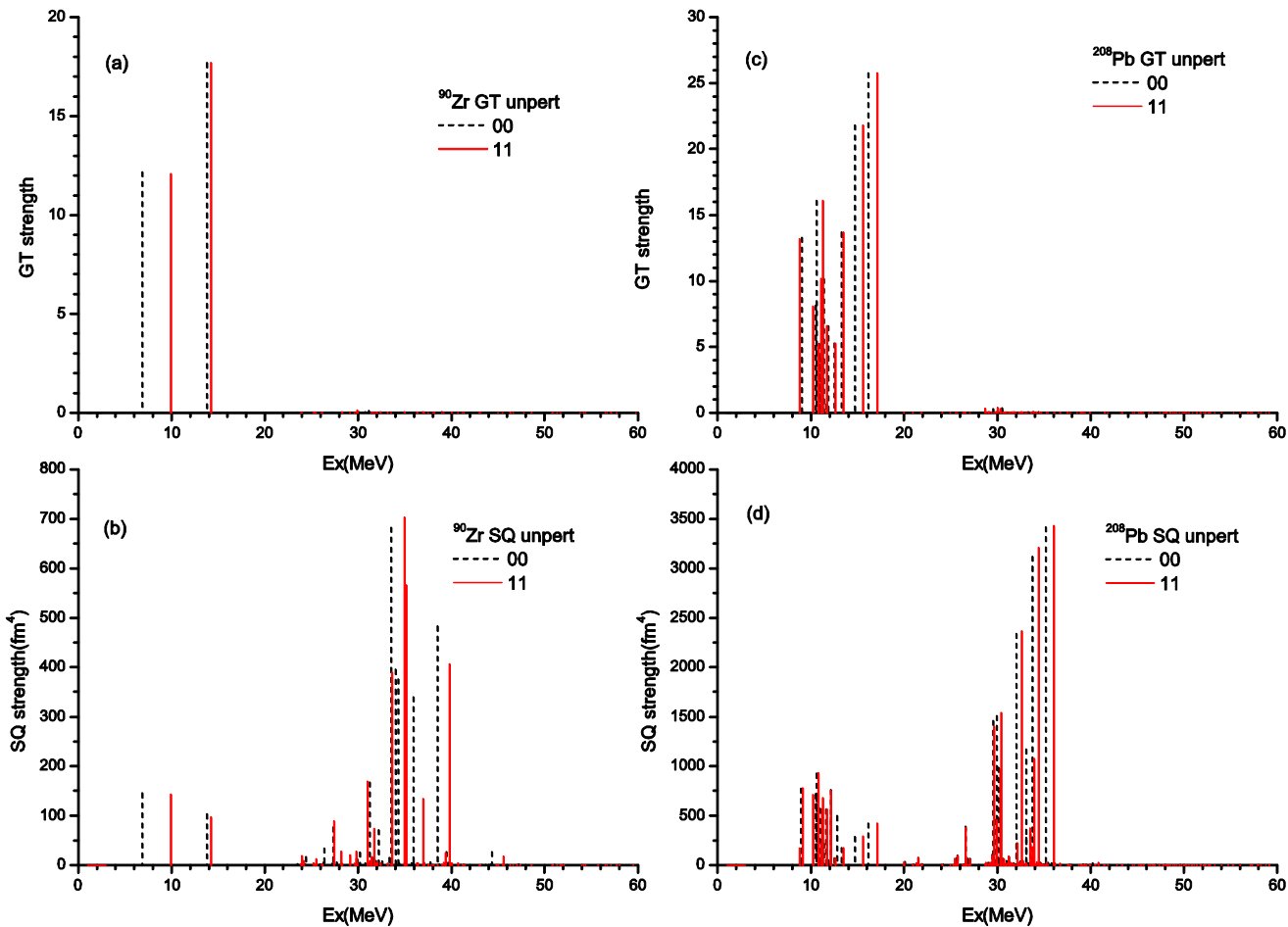
$$1^+ T_{(\lambda=\lambda'=2, \kappa=1)} \Rightarrow \textit{repulsive}$$

$$1^+ T_{(\lambda=2, \lambda'=0, \kappa=1)} \Rightarrow \text{strong mixing between Gamow-Teller and spin-quadrupole excitations!}$$

Why does Tensor interaction decrease GT strength in peak region?

1^+ : Gamow - Teller excitation $\sigma \cdot \tau$

Spin - Quadrupole excitation $r^2[\sigma \times Y_2]^{(\lambda)}$ $\lambda = 1^+, 2^+, 3^+$



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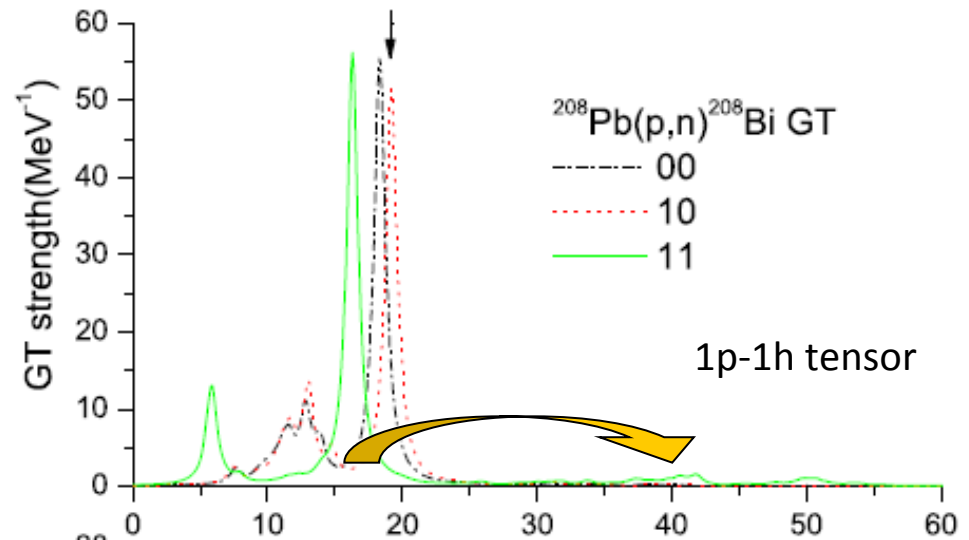
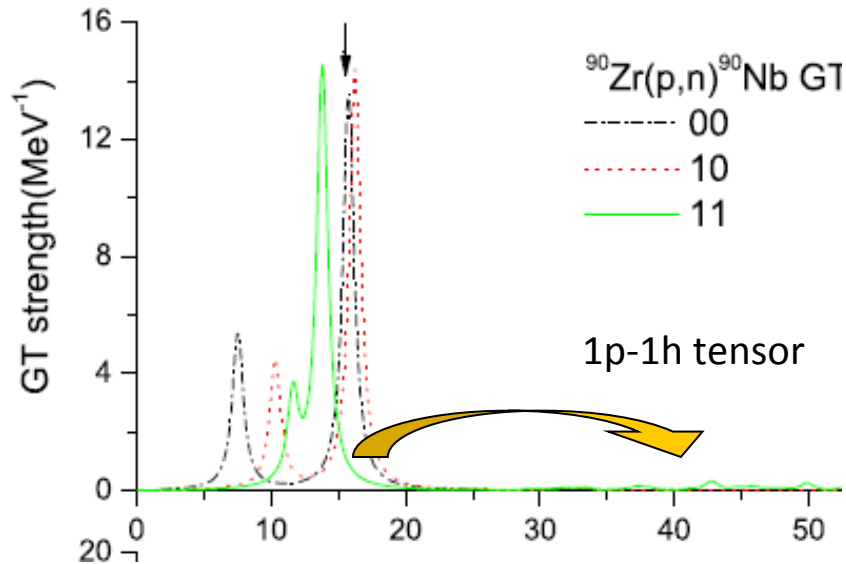
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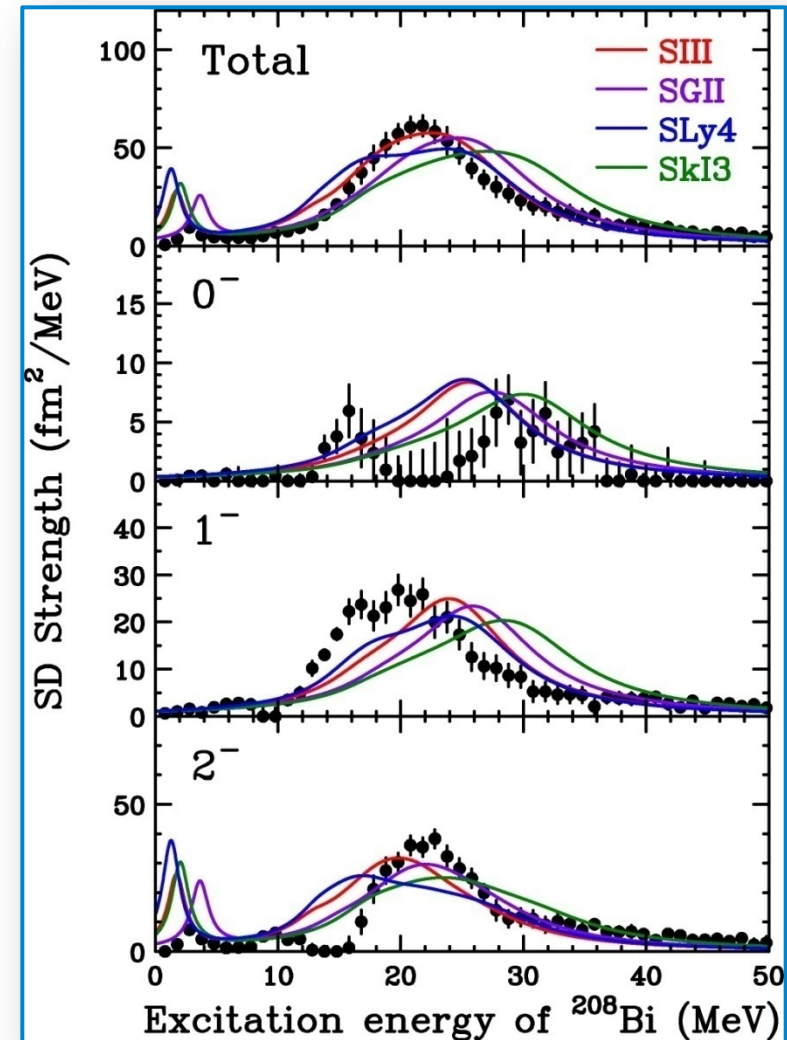
Relevance for the GT quenching problem.



Puzzle in SD Strength Distributions (Wakasa, SIR2010, 18-21 Feb., 2010)

H. Sagawa et al., PRC 76, 024301 (2007).

- Total strength
 - Asymmetric single bump
 - Extend up to ~ 50 MeV
 - Same as $^{90}\text{Zr}(p,n)$ results
 - SIII provides better description
- 0^- strength
 - Quenched
 - Seems to be fragmented
- 1^- strength
 - Softened compared with theory
 - Peak shift to lower E_x
- 2^- strength
 - Hardened compared with theory
 - Peak shift to higher E_x



• No Skyrme int. which reproduces both total and separated strengths
• ΔJ^π -dependent correlation? \rightarrow Require further investigations

A systematic study of tensor interactions on Spin-Isospin excitations

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Spin-isospin excitations as quantitative constraints for the tensor force

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	(T, U)
SG2+Te1	(500, -350)
Te2	(600, 0)
Te3	(650, 200)
Sly5+Tw	(888, -408)

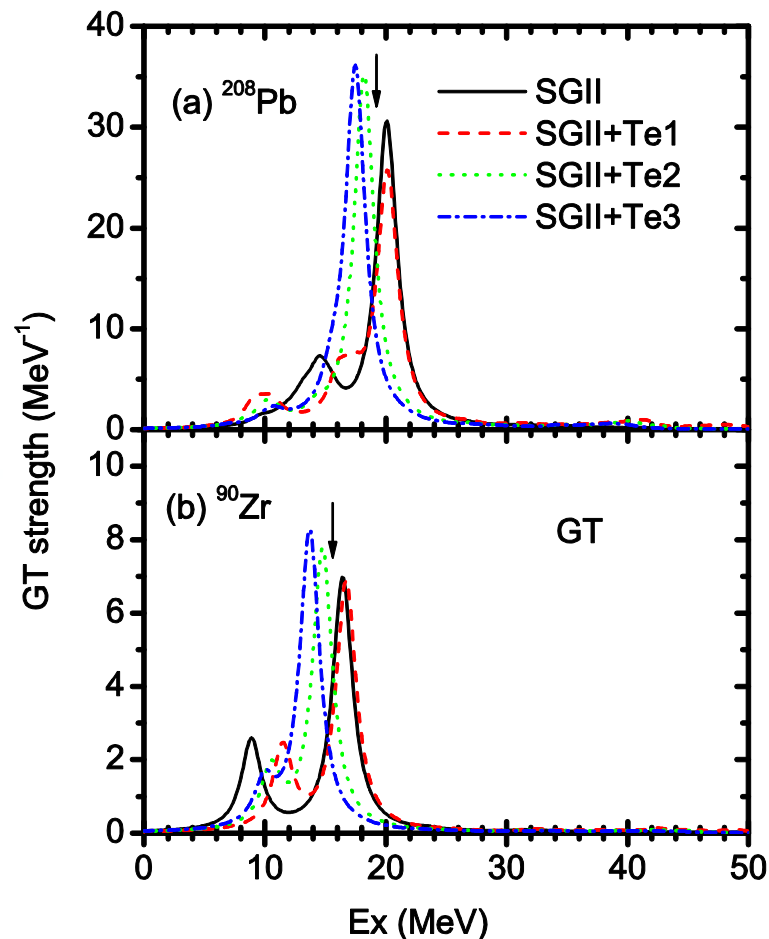


TABLE I. The calculated peak energies of the SD and GT strengths in ^{90}Zr and ^{208}Pb obtained by using the four interactions that reproduce the experimental data [14,18,19] within an accuracy of 2.5 MeV. See the text for a discussion.

	^{90}Zr					^{208}Pb				
	0-	1-	2-	total SD	GT	0-	1-	2-	total SD	GT
T21	39.3	23.3	25.3	23.5	15.9	40.8	24.1	25.0	23.3	18.0
T32	39.0	23.8	25.4	24.3	15.9	39.4	23.4	25.3	23.3	17.4
T43	38.6	24.3	25.3	24.9	16.2	37.7	24.0	25.4	23.6	17.2
T54	38.3	24.5	25.4	25.2	16.2	37.1	23.8	25.4	23.5	16.7
exp	26.0	15.6	34.5	22.8	25.8	25.2	19.2

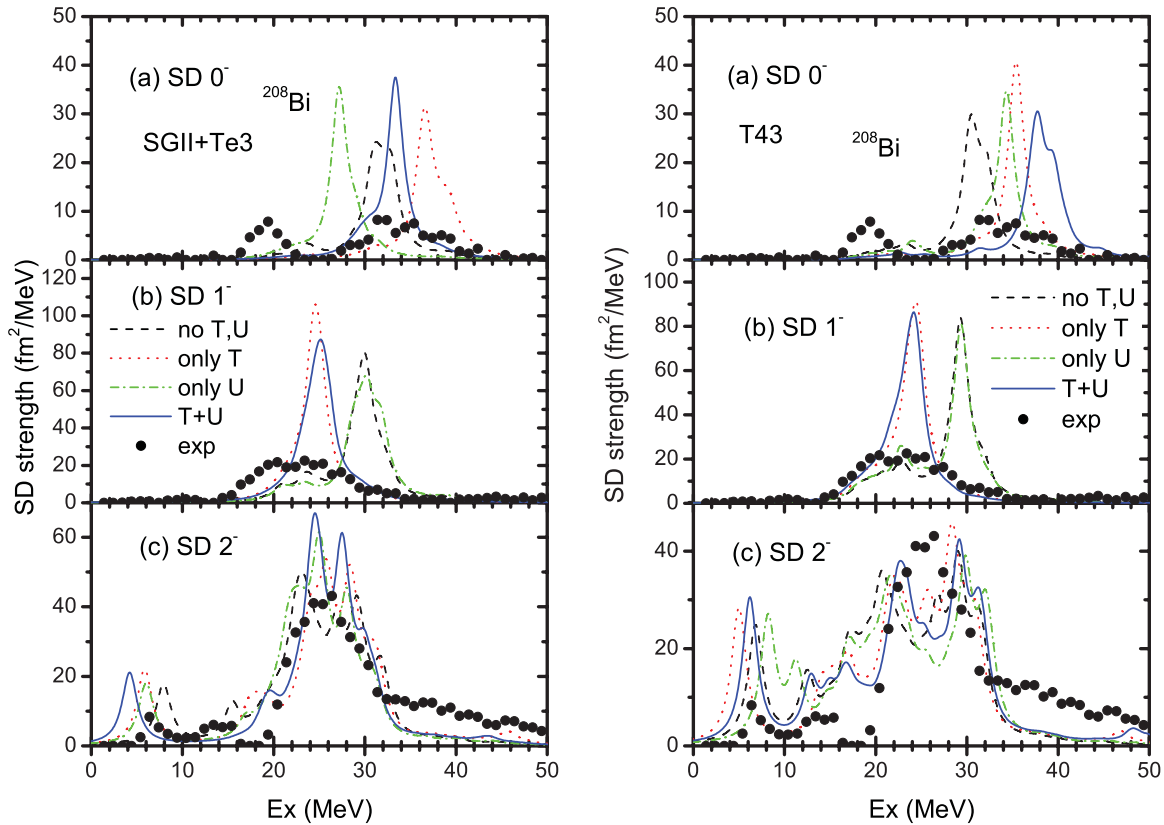
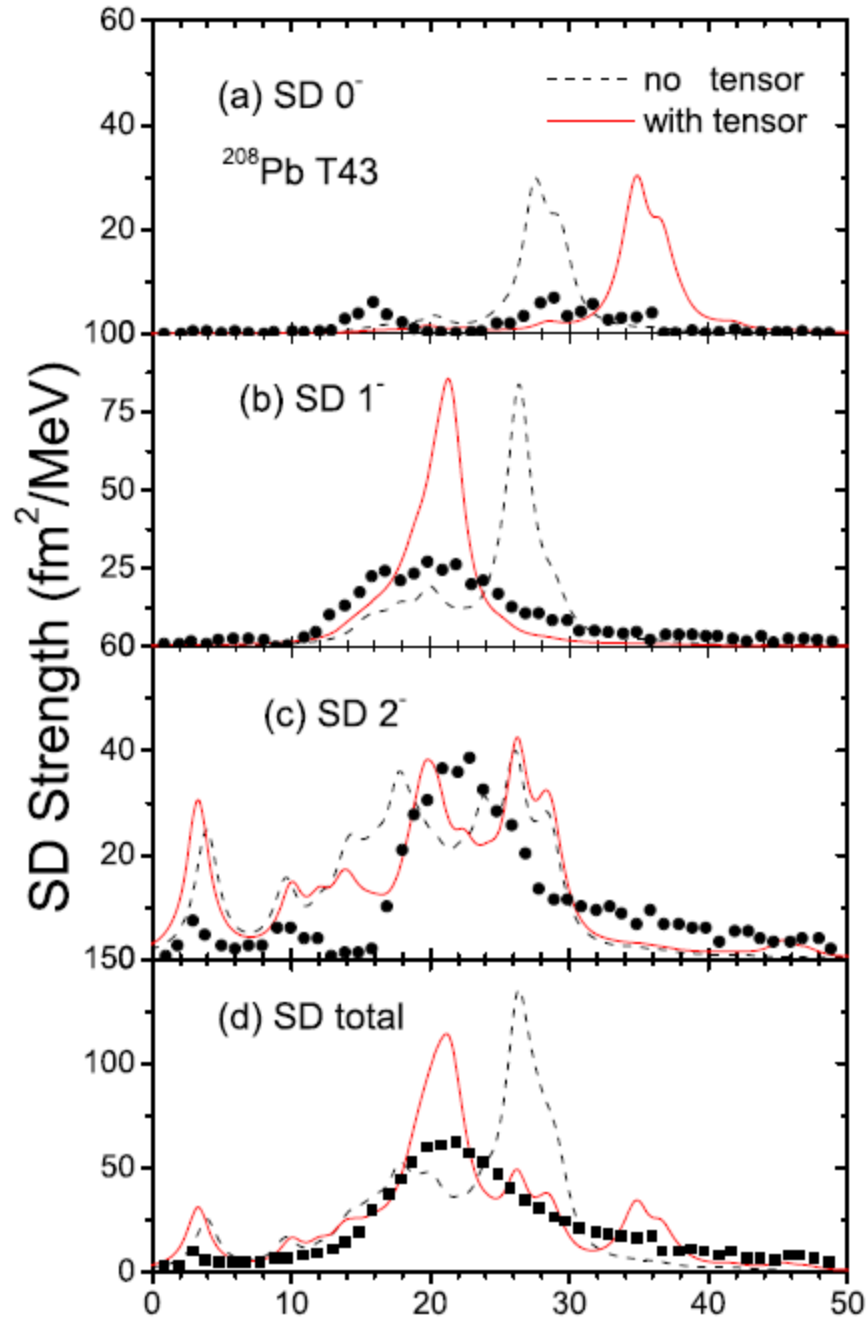
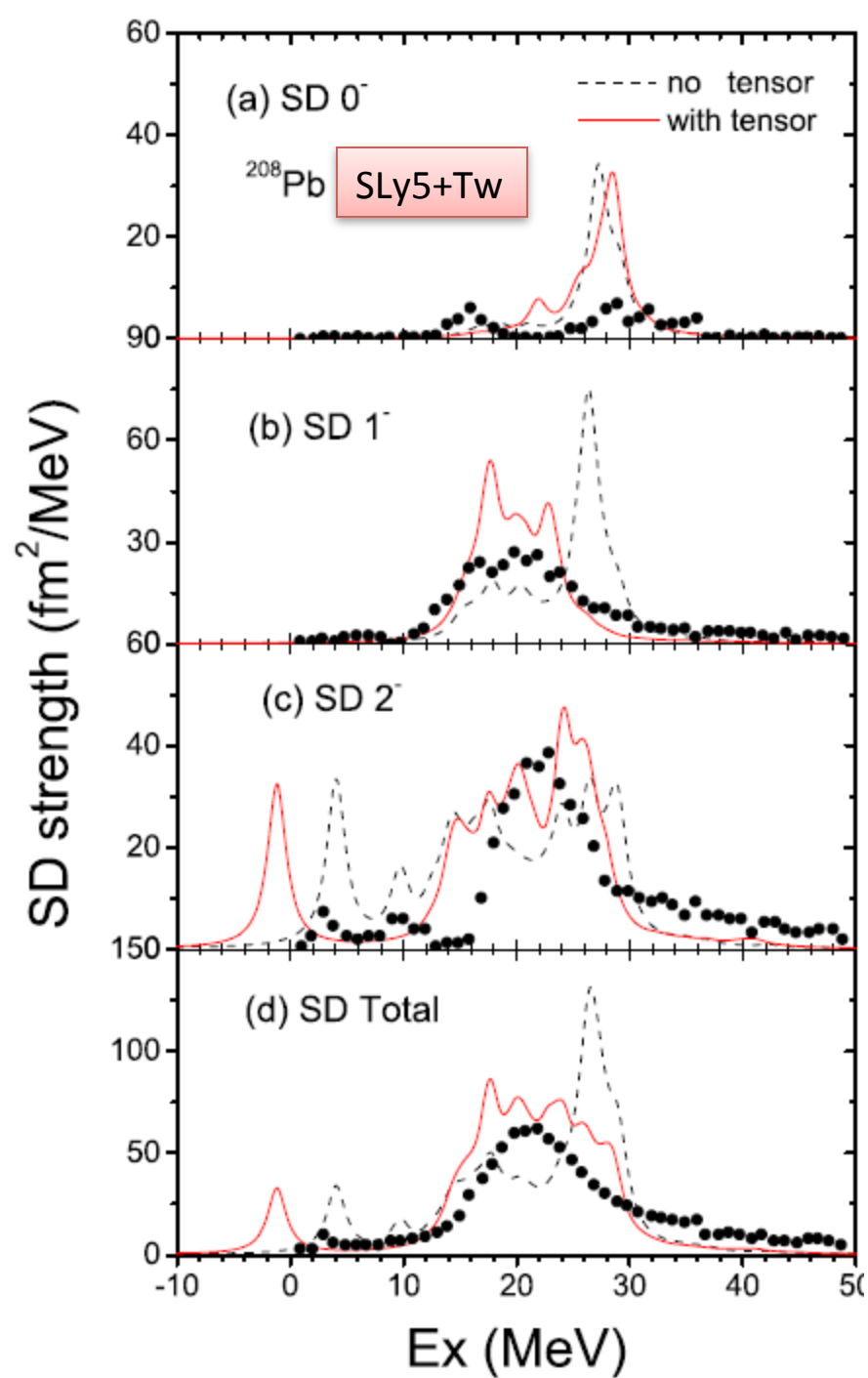


FIG. 3. (Color online) The charge-exchange SD strength distributions of ^{208}Bi , calculated with the T43 interaction. The dashed, dotted, and dashed-dotted curves show the results without tensor interaction, with the only triplet-even and only triplet-odd tensor interactions, respectively, while the solid curve shows the results with the full tensor interaction. The discrete RPA results have been smoothed by using Lorentzian functions having a width of 2 MeV. See the text for more details.

TABLE IV. Energy differences between the main 0^- and 1^- peaks, $\delta E_p \equiv E(0^-) - E(1^-)$, in ^{16}F and ^{208}Bi . The four RPA results correspond to the case without tensor interactions, with the triplet-even T term, with the triplet-odd U term and with both T and U terms, respectively.

		W/o tensor	With T	With U	With T and U
^{16}F	T43	0.7	3.1	1.5	3.9
	SGII+Te3	0.9	4.0	-0.6	2.5
^{208}Bi	T43	1.2	11.0	4.9	13.6
	SGII+Te3	1.9	12.0	-2.9	8.2

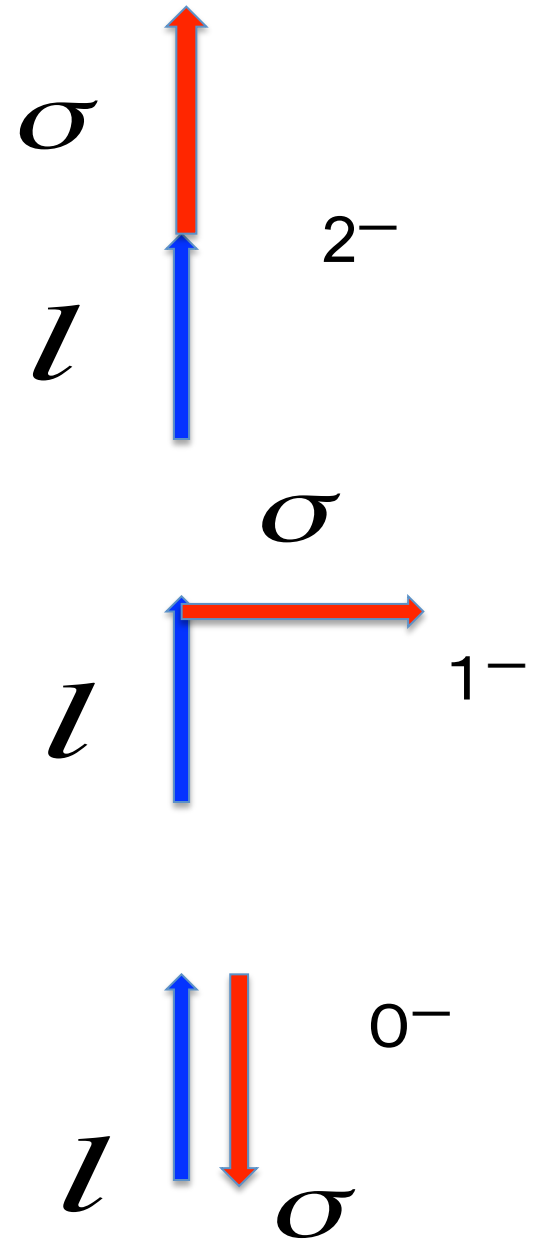


$$\mathbf{V}^{(\lambda)}_{\text{TE}} = \frac{-5}{12} T \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ -1/6 \\ 1/50 \end{Bmatrix} \left| \langle p \| O_{1,\lambda} \| h \rangle \right|^2 \text{ for } \lambda = \begin{Bmatrix} 0^- \\ 1^- \\ 2^- \end{Bmatrix} = aT$$

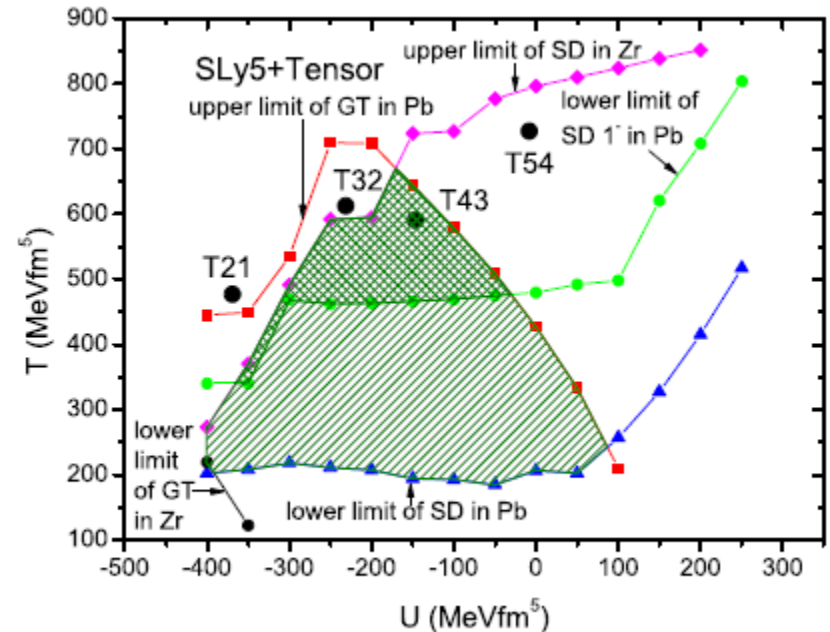
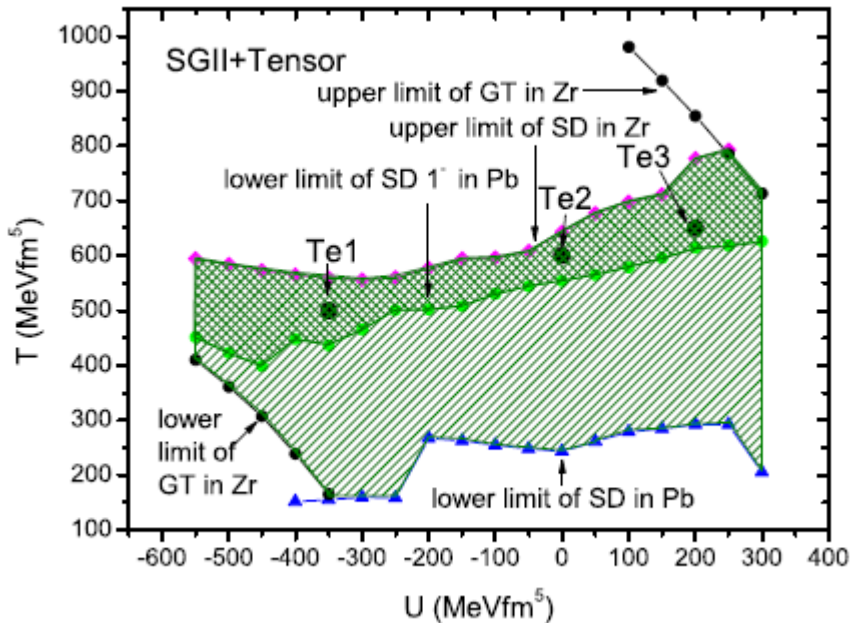
$$\mathbf{V}^{(\lambda)}_{\text{TO}} = \frac{5}{12} U \begin{Bmatrix} 1 \\ -1/6 \\ 1/50 \end{Bmatrix} \left| \langle p \| O_{1,\lambda} \| h \rangle \right|^2 \text{ for } \lambda = \begin{Bmatrix} 0^- \\ 1^- \\ 2^- \end{Bmatrix} = bU$$

antisymmetric matrix $\mathbf{V}^{(\lambda)}_{\text{T,AS}} = \left[-\frac{1}{2} a_\lambda T + \frac{1}{2} b_\lambda U \right] \langle \tau, \tau \rangle$

$$\begin{cases} \text{repulsive} \\ \text{attractive} \\ \text{repulsive} \end{cases} \text{ for } \lambda = \begin{Bmatrix} 0^- \\ 1^- \\ 2^- \end{Bmatrix}$$



A systematic study of tensor interactions on Spin-Isospin excitations by HF+RPA



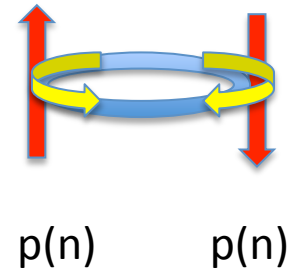
T(triplet-even tensor) is well constrained by spin-isospin excitations irrespective of central part of Skyrme forces. $T=500\pm 100\text{MeVfm}^5$

U(triplet-odd) is not well constrained by existing sets of experimental data.

T=1 S=0 pairing and T=0 S=1 pairing interactions

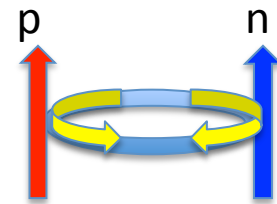
T=1, S=0 pair

$$|(L = S = 0)J = 0, T = 1\rangle \Rightarrow$$



T=0, S=1 pair

$$|(L = 0, S = 1)J = 1, T = 0\rangle \Rightarrow$$



How we can disentangle in quantum many-body systems.

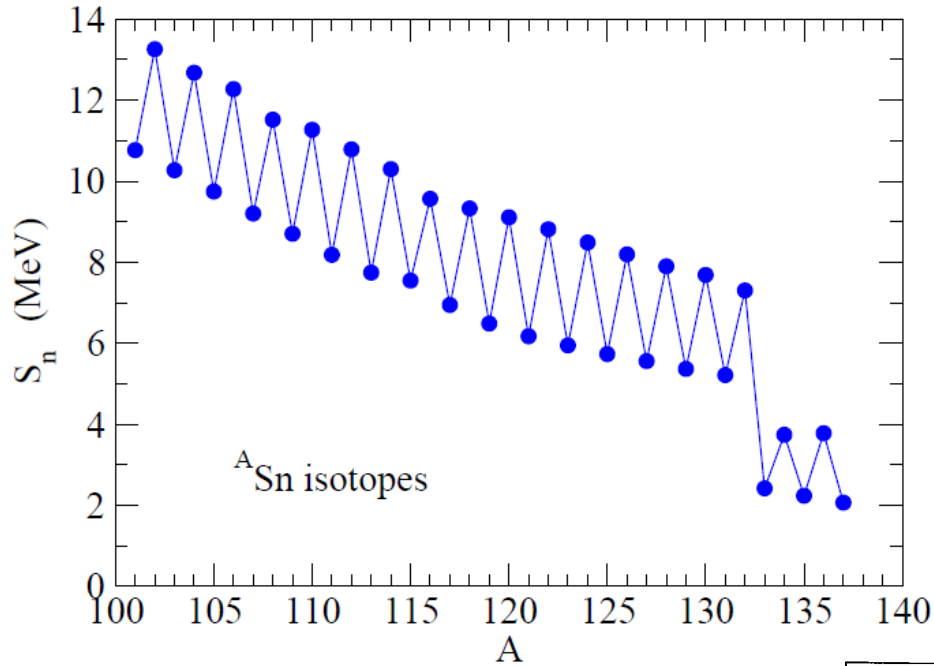
→ two kinds of superfluidity?

T=1 S=0 pairing pairing interactions

T=1 pairing (n-n, p-p pairing correlations) → isovector spin-singlet superfluidity

- mass (odd-even staggering)
- energy spectra (gap between the first excited state and the ground state in even-even nuclei)
- moment of inertia
- n-n or p-p Pair transfer reactions
- fission barrier (large amplitude collective motion)

► binding energy

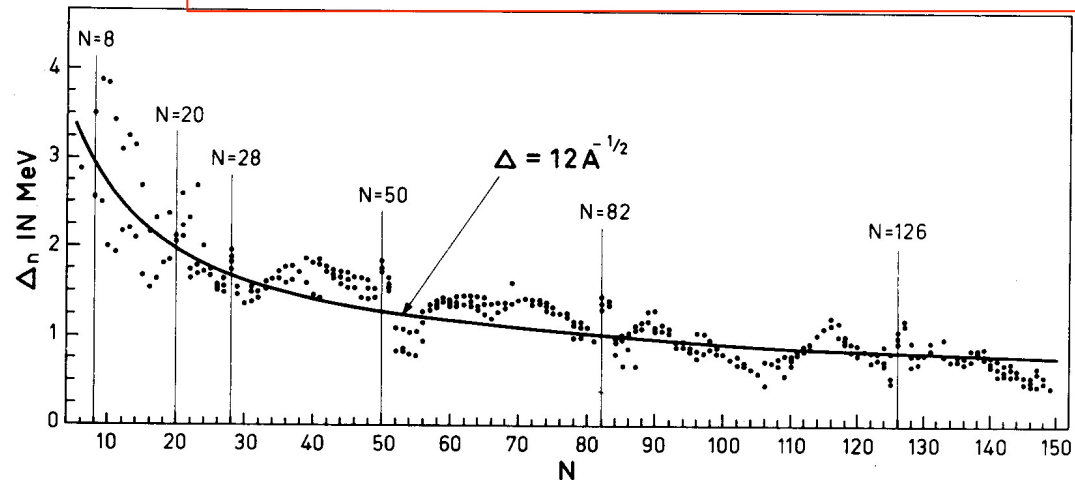


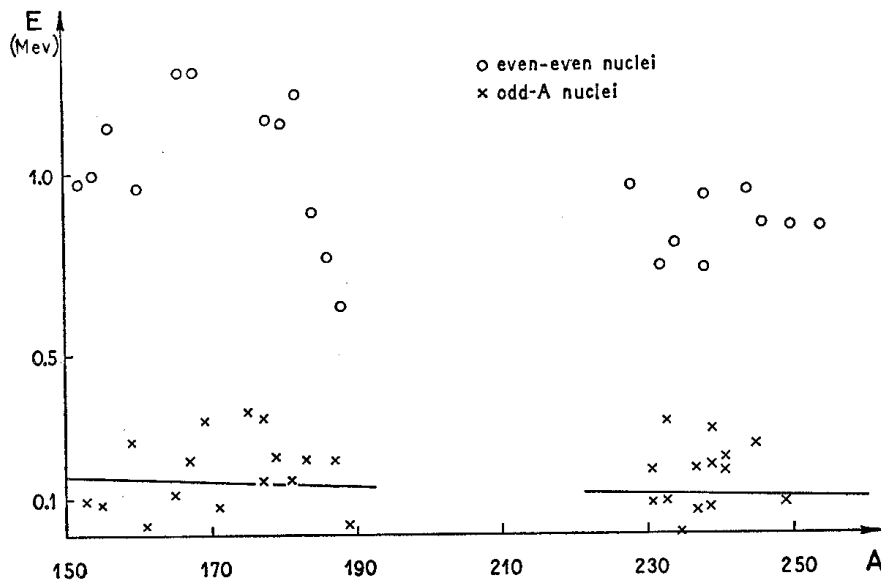
$$S_n(N) = B(N) - B(N-1)$$

pairing gap parameter

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(N) &= \frac{(-)^N}{2} (B(N-1) - 2B(N) \\ &\quad + B(N+1)) \\ &= \frac{(-)^N}{2} (S_n(N-1) - S_n(N)) \end{aligned}$$

Bohr-Mottelson, Nuclear Structure I (1969)



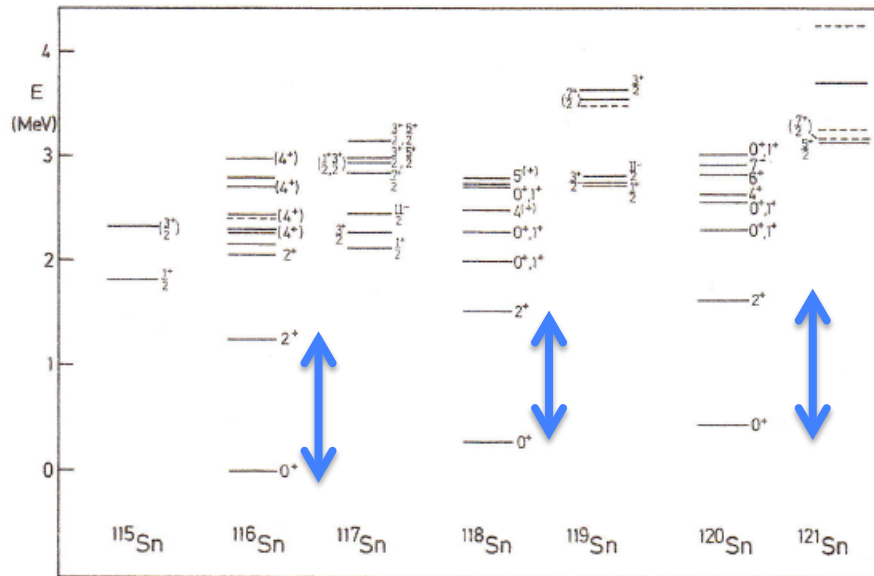


Quasi-particle excitation



Δ (pairing gap)

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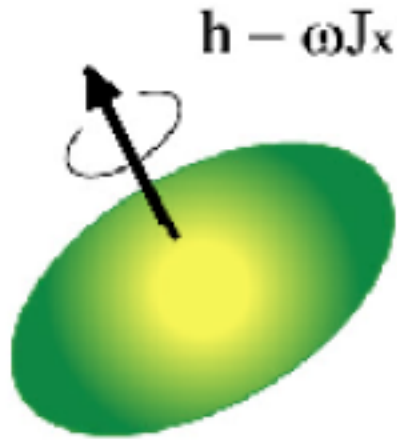


Sn isotopes: 2^+ states

Figure 6.1. Excitation spectra of the $_{50}\text{Sn}$ isotopes.

Moment of Inertia

Bohr-Mottelson, Nuclear Structure II (1975)



Rotation of deformed nucleus

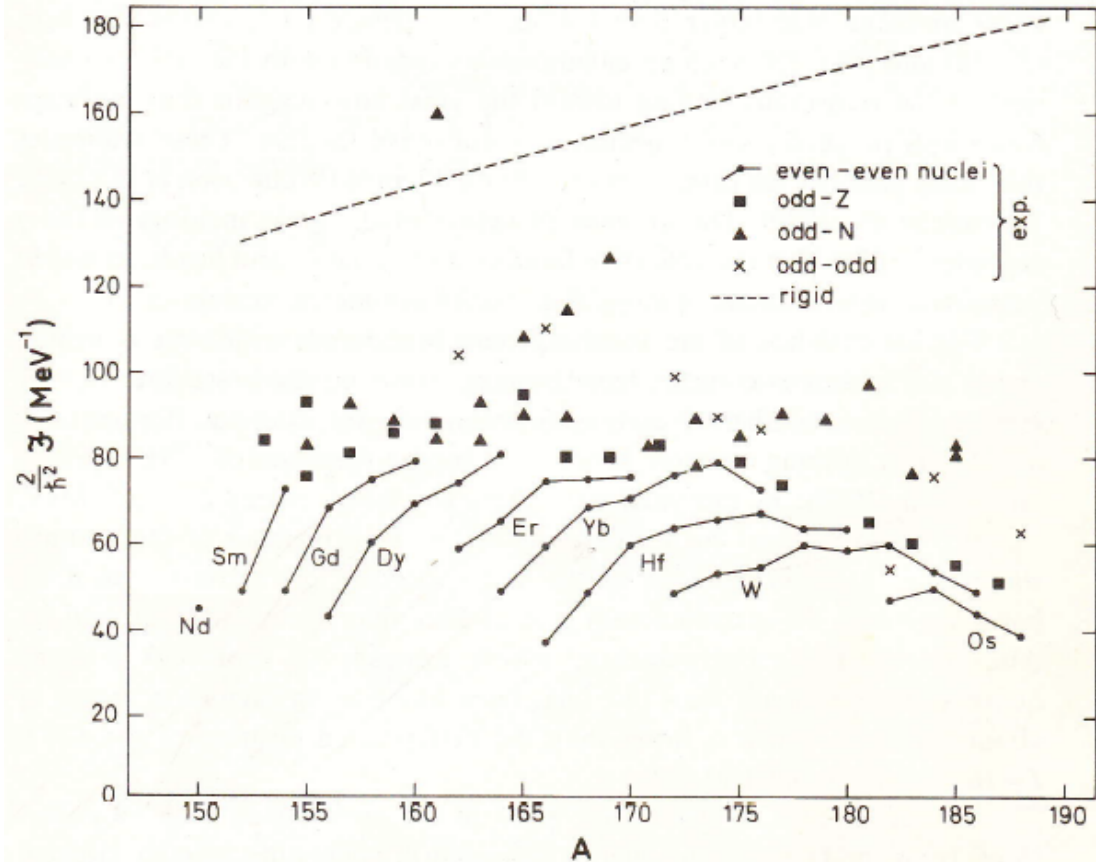


Figure 4-12 Systematics of moments of inertia for nuclei with $150 \leq A \leq 188$. The moments of inertia are obtained from the empirical energy levels in *Table of Isotopes* by Lederer *et al.*, 1967.

rigid rotor

$$I_{Inglis} = 2 \sum_{i>j} \frac{\langle i | J_x | j \rangle^2}{\epsilon_i - \epsilon_j} = I_{rigid}$$

vs.

superfluid rotor

$$I_{pairing} = 2 \sum_{i,j} \frac{\langle i | J_x | j \rangle^2 (u_i v_j - v_i u_j)^2}{E_i + E_j}$$

T=1 S=0 pairing and T=0 S=1 pairing interactions

T=1 pairing (n-n, p-p pairing correlations) → spin singlet superfluid

- mass (odd-even staggering)
- energy spectra (gap between the first excited state and the ground state in even-even nuclei)
- moment of inertia
- n-n or p-p Pair transfer reactions
- fission barrier (large amplitude collective motion)

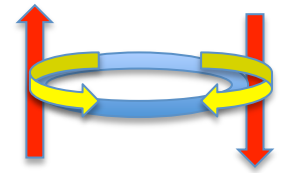
T=0 pairing (p-n pairing with S=1) → spin triplet superfluid ?

- N=Z Wigner energy (still controversial)
- Energy spectra in nuclei with N=Z (T=0 and $J=J_{\max}$)
- n-p pair transfer reaction
- low-energy super-allowed Gamow-Teller transition in N=Z and N=Z+2 between SU(4) supermultiples (C.L. Bai et al.)

Two particle systems

T=1, S=0 pair

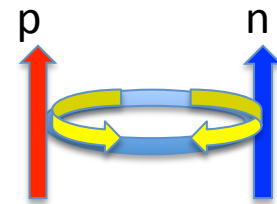
$$|(L = S = 0)J = 0, T = 1\rangle \Rightarrow |(j = j')J = 0, T = 1\rangle$$



p(n) p(n)

T=0, S=1 pair

$$|(L = 0, S = 1)J = 1, T = 0\rangle \Rightarrow$$



$$a|(l = l' j = j')J = 1, T = 0\rangle + b|((l = l')j, j' = j \pm 1)J = 1, T = 0\rangle$$

If there is strong spin-orbit splitting, it is difficult to make (T=0,S=1)pair.

But, T=0 J= 1⁺ state could be Gamow-Teller states in nuclei with N~Z

→ strong GT states in N=Z+2 nuclei

SU(4) supermultiplet in spin-isospin space

Well-known in light p-shell nuclei (LS coupling dominance)

The spin-singlet $T=1$ pairing

$$\begin{aligned}
 V^{(T=1)}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') &= -G^{(T=1)} \sum_{i,j} P_{i,i}^{(1,0)\dagger}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') P_{j,j}^{(1,0)}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \\
 \langle (j_i j_i) T=1, J=0 | V^{(T=1)} | (j_j j_j) T=1, J=0 \rangle \\
 &= -\sqrt{(j_i + 1/2)(j_j + 1/2)} G^{(T=1)} I_{ij}^2 \quad (5)
 \end{aligned}$$

where I_{ij} is the overlap integral given by,

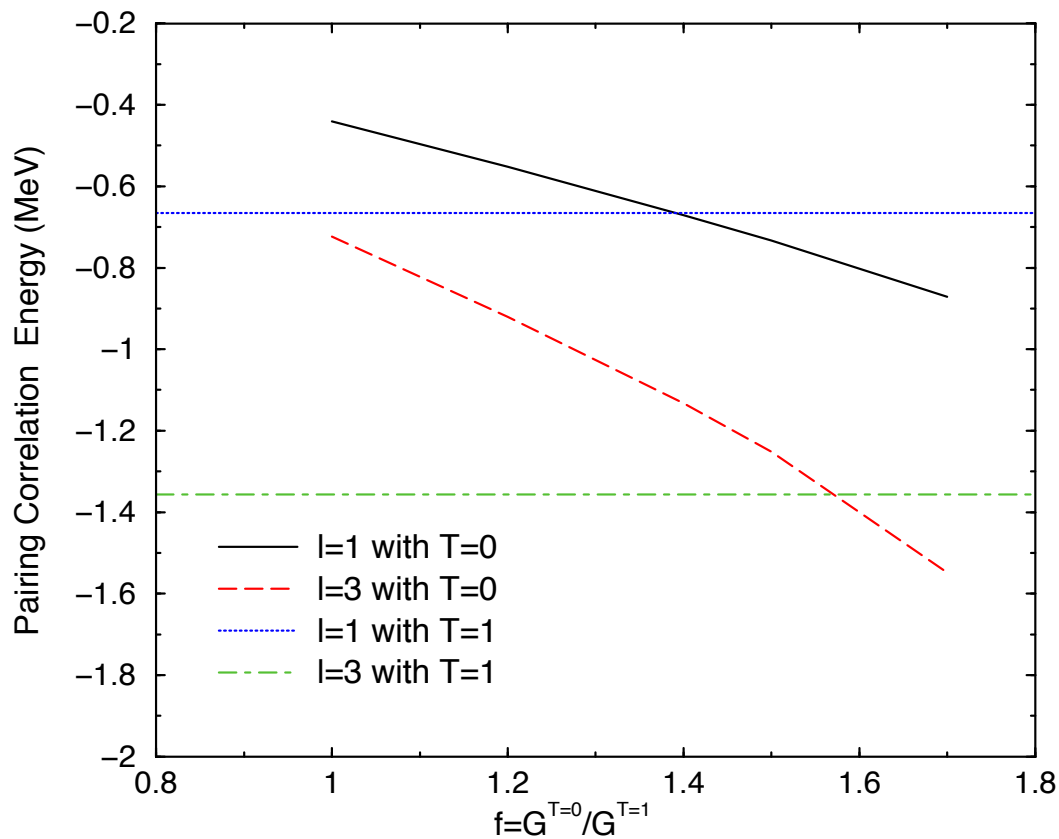
$$I_{ij} = \int \psi_i(\mathbf{r})^* \psi_j(\mathbf{r}) d\mathbf{r} \quad (6)$$

$(T=0, S=1)$ pairing

$$\begin{aligned}
 V^{(T=0)}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') &= -f G^{(T=1)} \sum_{i \geq i', j \geq j'} P_{i,i'}^{(0,1)\dagger}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') P_{j,j'}^{(0,1)}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \\
 \langle (j_1 j_2) T=0, J=1 | V^{(T=0)} | (j'_1 j'_2) T=0, J=1 \rangle &= \\
 - \left\langle \left[\left(l_1 \frac{1}{2} \right)^{j_1} \left(l_2 \frac{1}{2} \right)^{j_2} \right]^{J=1} \left| \left[(l_1 l_2)^{L=0} \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} \right)^{S=1} \right]^{J=1} \right\rangle \\
 \times \left\langle \left[\left(l'_1 \frac{1}{2} \right)^{j'_1} \left(l'_2 \frac{1}{2} \right)^{j'_2} \right]^{J=1} \left| \left[(l'_1 l'_2)^{L=0} \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} \right)^{S=1} \right]^{J=1} \right\rangle \\
 \times \frac{\sqrt{2l_1 + 1} \sqrt{2l'_1 + 1}}{\sqrt{1 + \delta_{j_1, j_2}} \sqrt{1 + \delta_{j'_1, j'_2}}} f G^{T=1} (I_{j_1 j'_1} I_{j_2 j'_2} + I_{j_1 j'_2} I_{j_2 j'_1}),
 \end{aligned}$$

TABLE I: The transformation coefficient R between the jj coupling and the LS coupling for the pair wave functions, $R = \langle [(l\frac{1}{2})^j (l\frac{1}{2})^{j'}]^{J=1} | [(ll)^{L=0} (\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2})^{S=1}]^{J=1} \rangle$. Ω is defined as $\Omega \equiv 3(2l+1)^2$.

j	j'	R	$l = 1$	$l = 3$
$l + 1/2$	$l + 1/2$	$\sqrt{\frac{(2l+2)(2l+3)}{2\Omega}}$	$\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{10}{3}}$	$\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{7}$
$l + 1/2$	$l - 1/2$	$-\sqrt{\frac{4l(l+1)}{\Omega}}$	$-\frac{2}{3} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$	$-\frac{4}{7}$
$l - 1/2$	$l - 1/2$	$-\sqrt{\frac{2l(2l-1)}{2\Omega}}$	$-\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$-\frac{\sqrt{5}}{7}$
$l - 1/2$	$l + 1/2$	$\sqrt{\frac{4l(l+1)}{\Omega}}$	$\frac{2}{3} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$	$\frac{4}{7}$



Pairing correlation energy of $(J,T)=(0,1)$ and $(1,0)$ states in pf shell

Even with large spin-orbit splitting for f -orbits, the spin-triplet correlations will be larger than the spin-singlet one for $f > 1.5$

HS, Y. Tanimura and K. Hagino, PRC87, 034310 (2013)

TABLE I. Strengths of triplet and singlet interactions from shell-model fits and their ratios. See text for details.

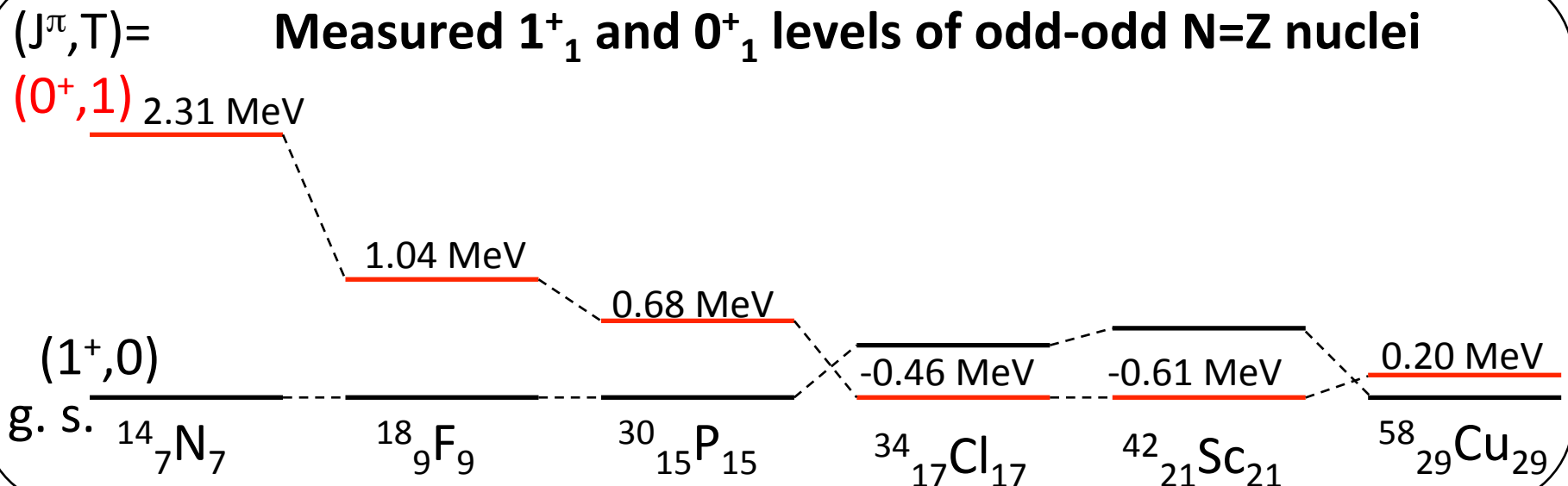
Source	v_s (MeV fm ³)	v_t (MeV fm ³)	Ratio
<i>sd</i> shell [8]	280	465	1.65
<i>fp</i> shell [9]	291	475	1.63

G.F. Bertsch and Y. Luo, PRC81, 064320 (2010)

Y. Tanimura, HS, K. Hagino, PTEP 053D02 (2014)

- n-p Pair correlations studied by 3-body model
 - ✓ $T=0, 1$ two channels
 - ✓ $T=0, S=1$ is attractive stronger than $T=1, S=0$ pair cf. dueteron, matrix elements in shell models
 - ✓ In finite nuclei $N>Z$, the strong spin-orbit coupling may quench or even kill $T=0$ pairing

when l is larger, the spin-orbit is larger and $T=0$ pair correlations decrease



Three-body Model

Total 3-body Hamiltonian

$$H = \frac{\mathbf{p}_p^2}{2m} + \frac{\mathbf{p}_n^2}{2m} + V_{pC}(\mathbf{r}_p) + V_{nC}(\mathbf{r}_n) \\ + V_{pn}(\mathbf{r}_p, \mathbf{r}_n) + \frac{(\mathbf{p}_p + \mathbf{p}_n)^2}{2A_C m}$$

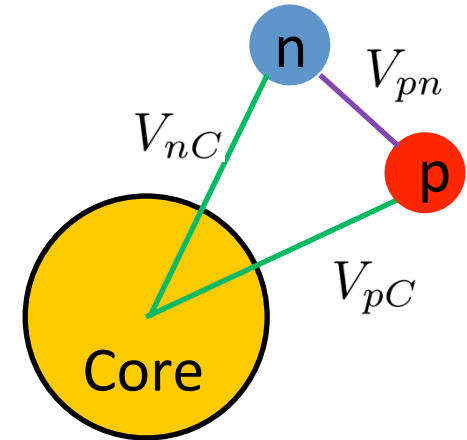
Core-N mean field

$$V_{(p/n)C}(r) = v_0 f(r) + v_{ls} \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr} f(r) (\mathbf{l} \cdot \mathbf{s}) (+Coulomb)$$

$$f(r) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{(r-R)/a}}$$

p-n interaction

$$V_{pn} = \hat{P}_s v_s \delta(\mathbf{r}_p - \mathbf{r}_n) \left[1 + x_s \left(\frac{\rho(r)}{\rho_0} \right)^\alpha \right] \\ + \hat{P}_t v_t \delta(\mathbf{r}_p - \mathbf{r}_n) \left[1 + x_t \left(\frac{\rho(r)}{\rho_0} \right)^\alpha \right]$$



Determination of parameters

v_0, v_{ls} : neutron separation energy

v_s, v_t : pn scattering length with $E_{\text{cut}} (= 20 \text{ MeV})$

$v_s/v_t = 1.7$ (spin-triplet pairing is much stronger than spin-singlet)

x_s, x_t, α : $1^+, 3^+, 0^+$ in ^{18}F energies are fitted



Diagonalization in a large model space

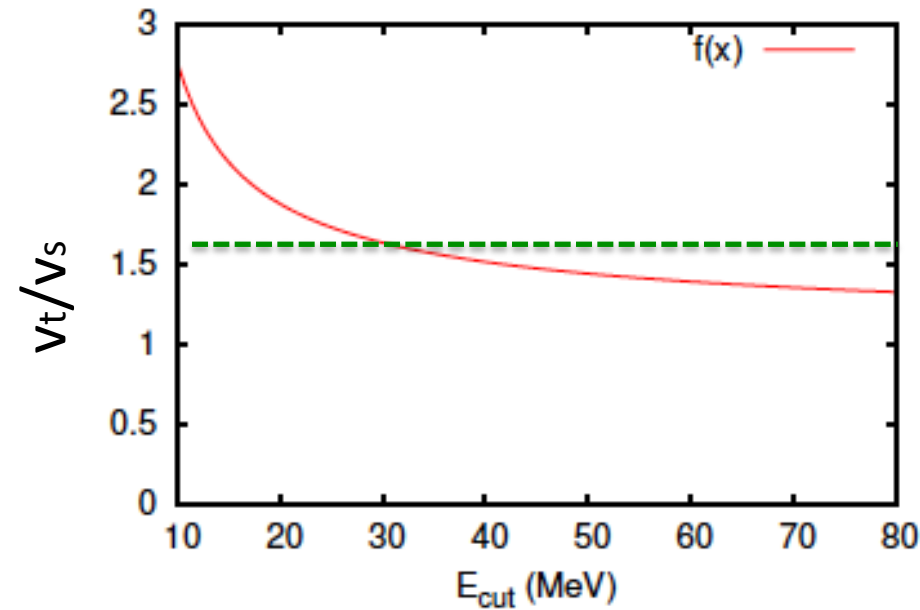
pn pairing interaction

$$V_{np}(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = \hat{P}_s v_s \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \left[1 + x_s \left(\frac{\rho(r)}{\rho_0} \right)^\alpha \right] \\ + \hat{P}_t v_t \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2) \left[1 + x_t \left(\frac{\rho(r)}{\rho_0} \right)^\alpha \right]$$

$$\hat{P}_s = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_p \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_n, \quad \hat{P}_t = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_p \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_n.$$

$$v_s = \frac{2\pi^2 \hbar^2}{m} \frac{2a_{pn}^{(s)}}{\pi - 2a_{pn}^{(s)} k_{\text{cut}}},$$

$$v_t = \frac{2\pi^2 \hbar^2}{m} \frac{2a_{pn}^{(t)}}{\pi - 2a_{pn}^{(t)} k_{\text{cut}}},$$



$$a_{pn}^{(s)} = -23.749 \text{ fm and } a_{pn}^{(t)} = 5.424 \text{ fm}$$

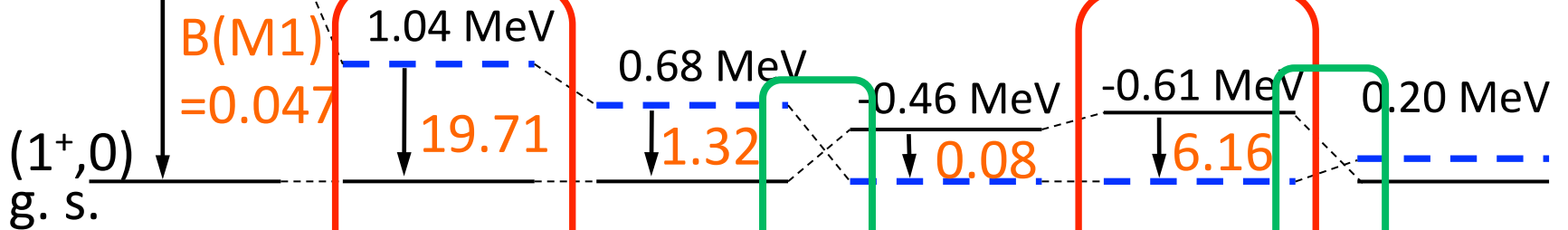
$$E_{\text{cut}} = k_{\text{cut}}^2 / 2m$$

1. E_{0^+} - E_{1^+} and $B(M1)$

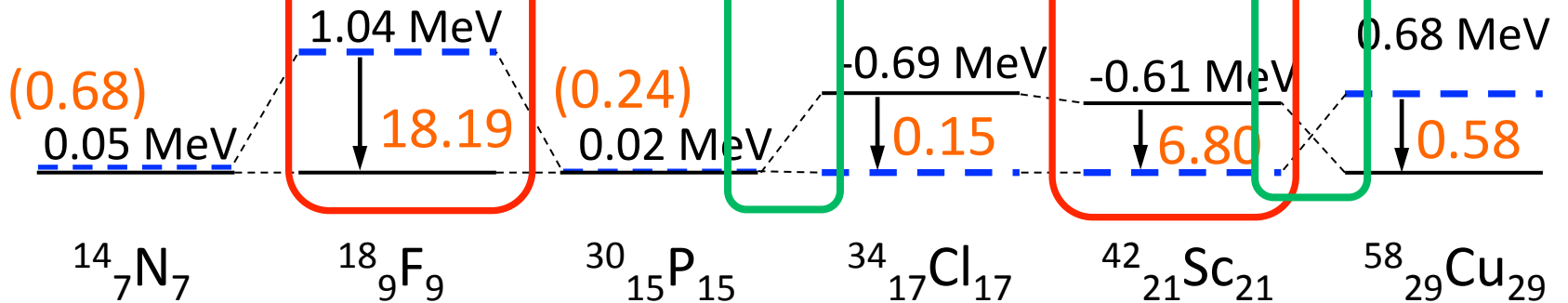
(a) Experiment <http://www.nndc.bnl.gov/>

$(J^\pi, T) =$

$(0^+, 1)$ 2.31 MeV



(b) Three-body model




✓ Inversion of 1^+ and 0^+
 ✓ ^{18}F , ^{42}Sc
 ■ Large $B(M1)$
 ■ Accurate E_{0^+} - E_{1^+} (^{42}Sc)

The inversion of 1^+ and 0^+ shows a clear manifestation of the competition between spin-orbit and the spin-triplet pairing.

results

^{18}F and ^{42}Sc : large $B(M1)$

Separate Contribution to $\langle f || O(M1) || i \rangle (\mu_N)$

	^{14}N	^{18}F	^{30}P	^{34}Cl	^{42}Sc	^{58}Cu
Valence orbital	p1/2	d5/2	s1/2	d3/2	f7/2	p3/2
 orbital	1.09	1.28	0.21	2.28	2.91	0.09
$g_s^{IV} \sum_i \tau_3(i) s(i)$	-2.78	7.44	-1.21	-3.65	6.34	1.47
$g_s^{IS} \sum_i s(i)$	5×10^{-5}	3×10^{-3}	3×10^{-5}	-1×10^{-4}	2×10^{-3}	-2×10^{-3}
$B(M1) \downarrow (\mu_N^2)$ Exp.	0.047	19.71	1.32	0.08	6.16	---
Calc.	0.68	18.19	0.24	0.15	6.80	0.58

✓ $(j=l-1/2)^2$ spin and orbital are cancelled

(Lisetskiy et al., PRC60, 064310 ('99))

✓ $(j=l+1/2)^2$ spin and orbital coherent

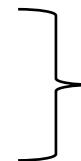
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✓ good SU(4) symmetry

✓ even $j=l+1/2$ not good SU(4) symmetry



^{14}N , ^{34}Cl $B(M1)$ **small**

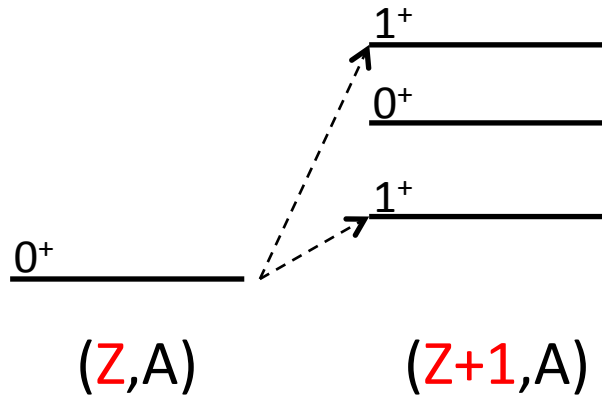


^{18}F , ^{42}Sc $B(M1)$ **large**



^{58}Cu $B(M1)$ **small**

2. Gamow-Teller B(GT)



$$O(GT) \propto \sum_i \tau_-(i) \sigma(i)$$

A=18, 42 : strong transition to 1^+_1
 → good SU(4) symmetry

A=58 : a weak B(GT) to 1^+_1
 → no SU(4) symmetry

✘ Halse and Barrett, Ann. Phys. (N. Y.) 192, 204 ('89). Consistent results

$^{18}\text{O} \rightarrow ^{18}\text{F}$			
E_x (MeV)		$B(GT)$ ($g_A^2/4\pi$)	
cal.	(exp.)	cal.	(exp.)
0.0	(0.0)	2.48	(3.11 ± 0.03)
4.79	(—)	0.028	(—)
6.87	(—)	0.036	(—)

$^{42}\text{Ca} \rightarrow ^{42}\text{Sc}$			
E_x (MeV)		$B(GT)$ ($g_A^2/4\pi$)	
cal.	(exp.)	cal.	(exp.)
0.61	(0.61)	1.80	(2.16 ± 0.05)
—	(1.89)	—	(0.09 ± 0.01)
3.71	(3.69)	0.346	(0.15 ± 0.02)

$^{58}\text{Ni} \rightarrow ^{58}\text{Cu}$			
E_x (MeV)		$B(GT)$ ($g_A^2/4\pi$)	
cal.	(exp.)	cal.	(exp.)
0.0	(0.0)	0.097	(0.155 ± 0.01)
1.24	(1.05)	0.74	(0.32 ± 0.03)

D.R.Tilley et al, NPA595, 1 ('95)

T. Kurtukian et al, PRC80, 035502('09)

Y. Fujita et al, EPJ A 13, 411 ('02)

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Cooperation of T=0 and T=1 pairing in Gamow-Teller states in N=Z nuclei

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HFB+QRPA with T=1 and T=0 pairing

T=1 pairing in HFB

T=0 pairing in QRPA

How large is the spin-triplet T=0 pairing?

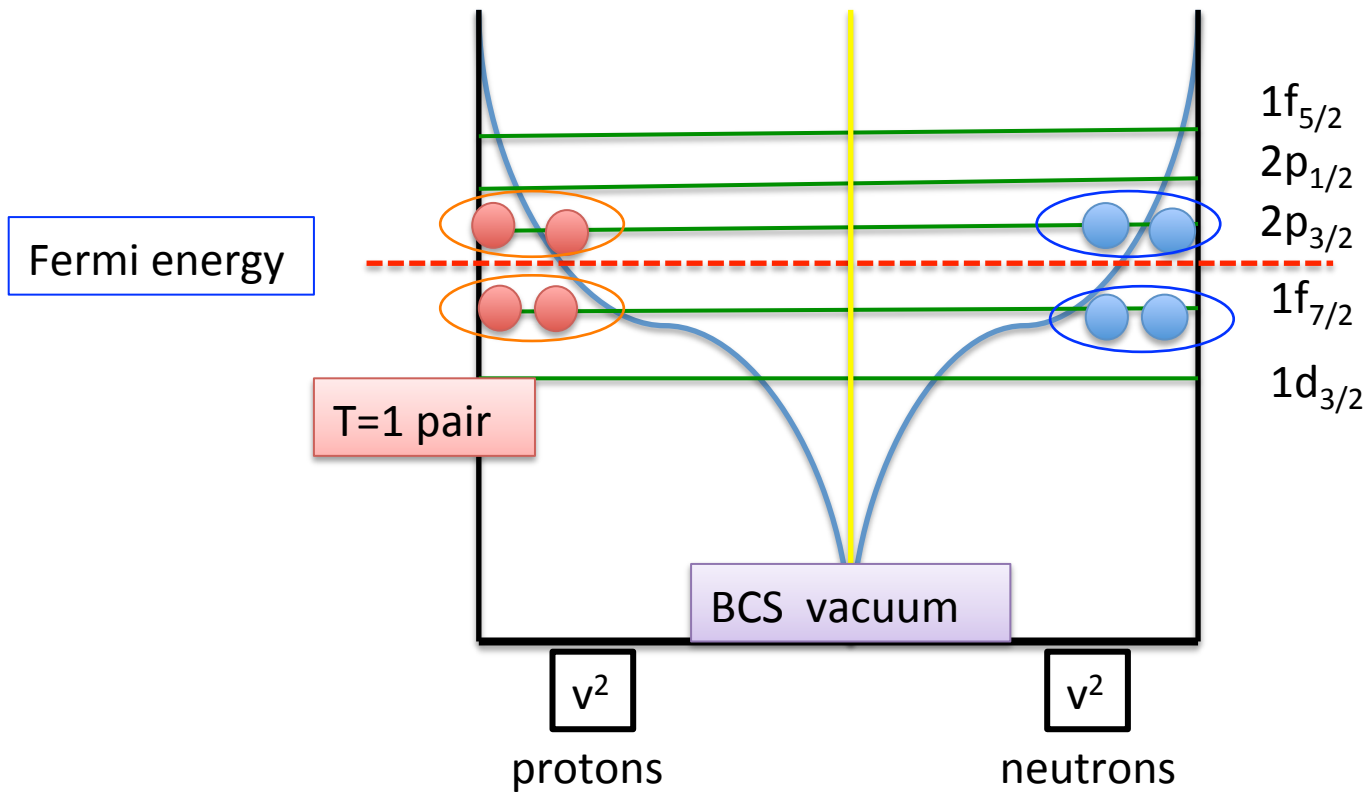
$$V_{T=1}(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = V_0 \frac{1 - P_\sigma}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\rho(\mathbf{r})}{\rho_0}\right) \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2), \quad (1)$$

$$V_{T=0}(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = fV_0 \frac{1 + P_\sigma}{2} \left(1 - \frac{\rho(\mathbf{r})}{\rho_0}\right) \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2), \quad (2)$$

As a possible manifestation of T=0 S=1 pairing correlations in nuclei N=Z.

$$\hat{O}(GT) = \sigma \tau_{\pm}$$

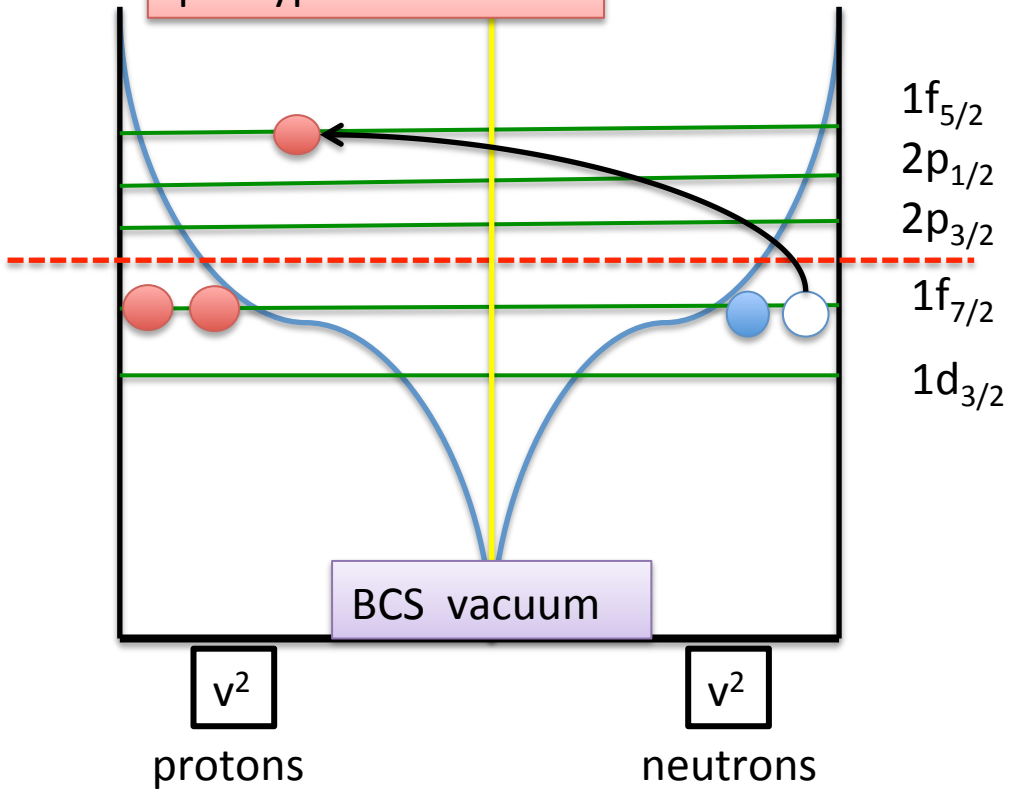
Gamow-Teller transitions from BCS vacuum
in N=Z nuclei



Gamow-Teller transitions in BCS vacuum

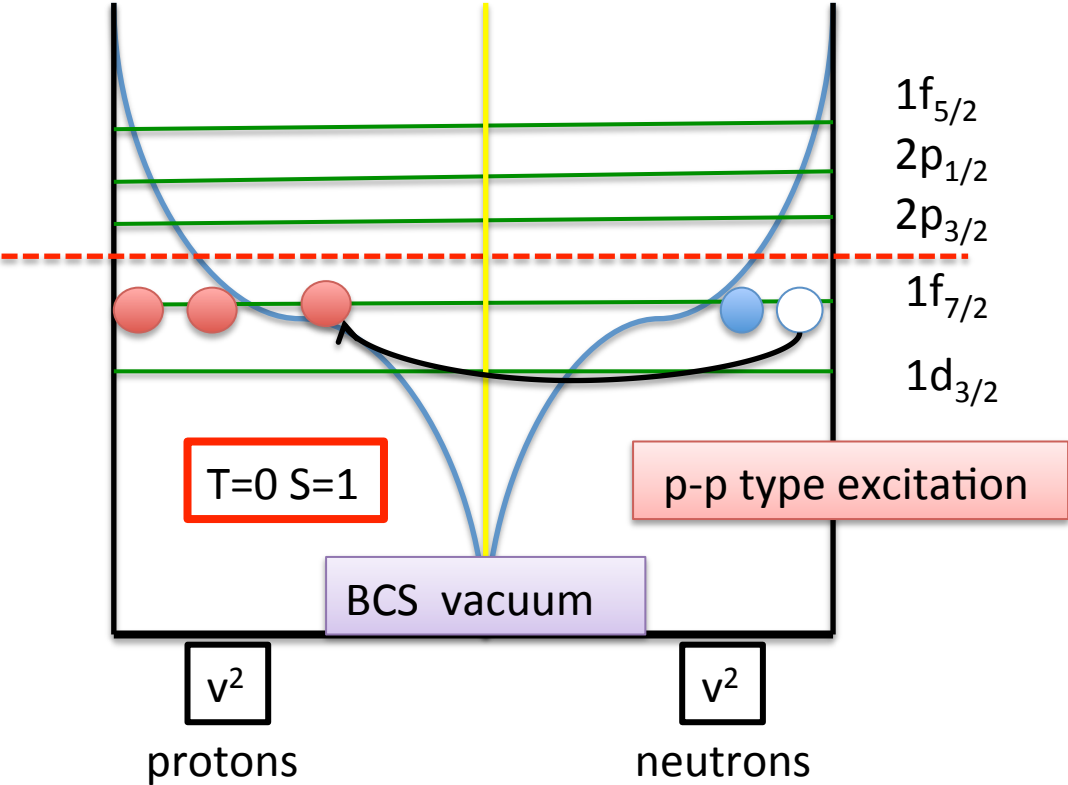
p-h type excitation

Fermi energy

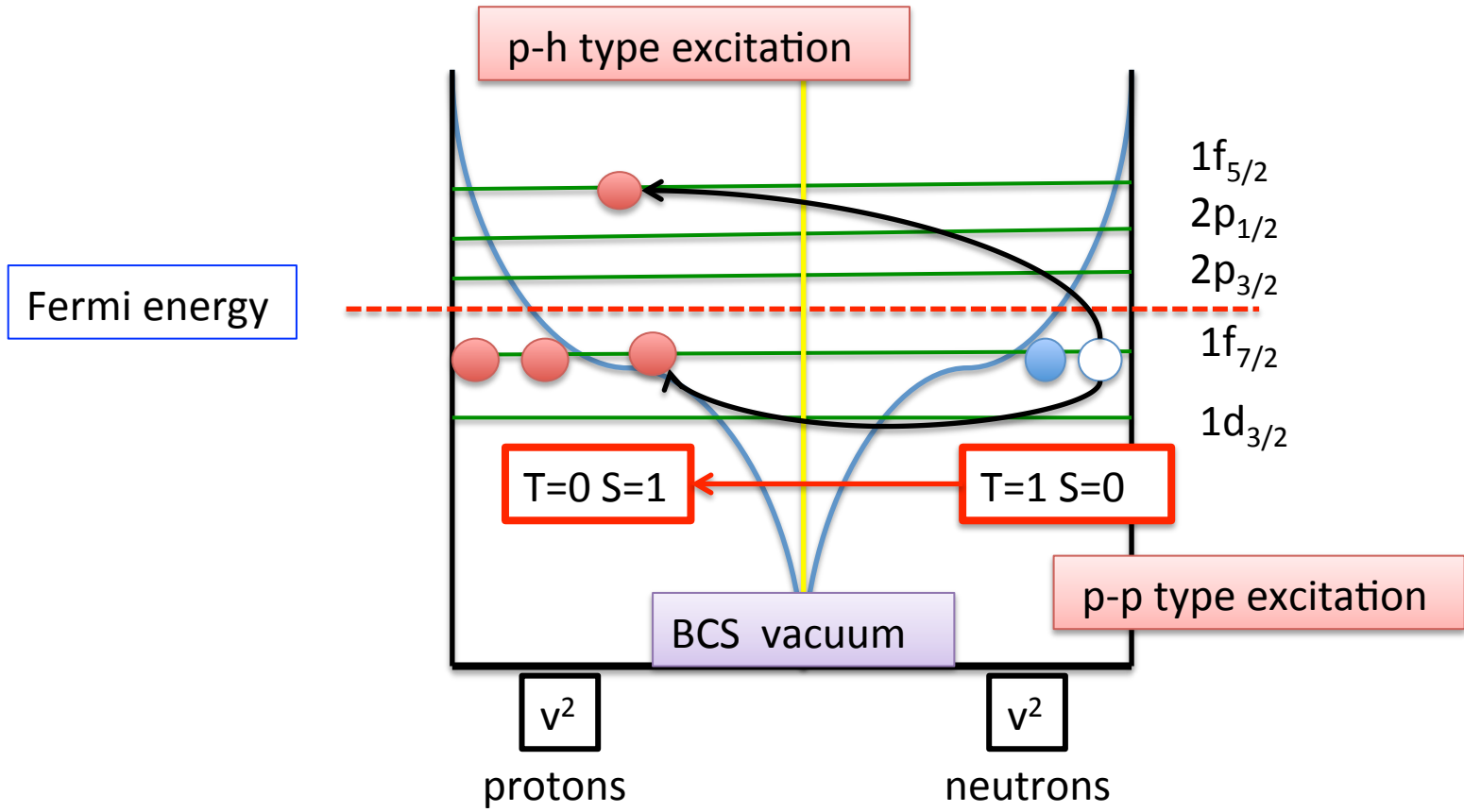


Gamow-Teller transitions in BCS vacuum

Fermi energy



Gamow-Teller transitions in BCS vacuum



A pair of SU(4) supermultiplet

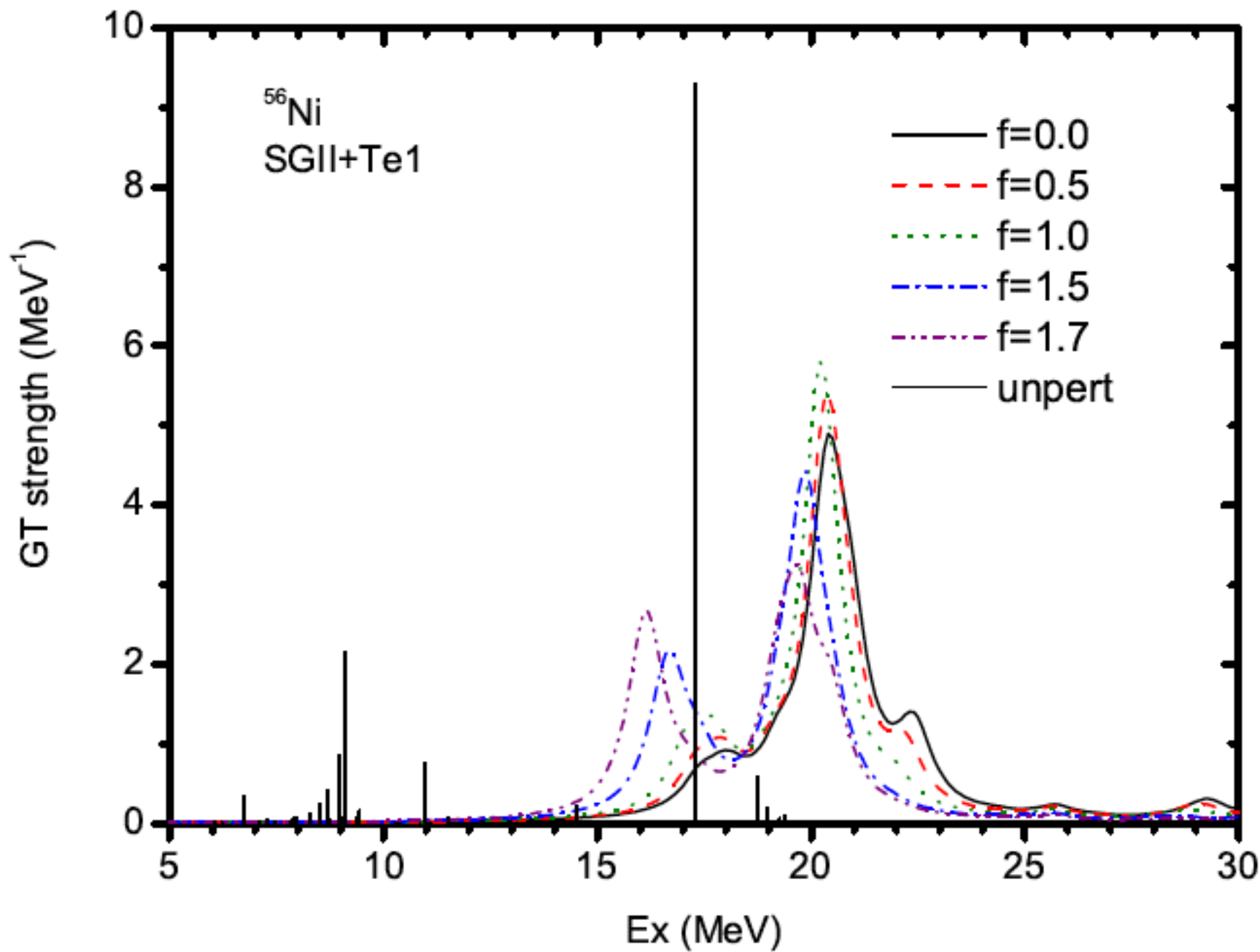


TABLE I: Amplitudes of main (np) particle-hole and particle-particle type configurations of GT states in ^{56}Ni . The QRPA calculations are performed without and with the $T=0$ pairing interaction in the cases of $f = 0$ and $f = 1.5$, respectively. The Skyrme interaction T21 is used for HF and p-h matrix calculations. The abbreviations B and C correspond to the GT reduced matrix element $B=(Xu_{\pi}v_{\nu} - Yu_{\nu}v_{\pi})\langle\pi||\hat{O}(GT)||\nu\rangle$ and the normalization factor $C=X^2 - Y^2$, respectively, where X,Y are QRPA amplitudes and $\hat{O}(GT)$ is GT transition operator in Eq. (3).

^{56}Ni		$f = 0$			
E_x (MeV)	B(GT)	$\nu(v_{\nu}^2)$	$\pi(v_{\pi}^2)$	B	C
17.5	1.41	2p _{3/2} (0.20)	2p _{3/2} (0.21)	0.358	0.127
		1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{5/2} (0.09)	-0.229	0.006
		1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{7/2} (0.67)	1.341	0.802
18.3	1.49	2p _{1/2} (0.10)	2p _{3/2} (0.21)	0.260	0.153
		2p _{3/2} (0.20)	2p _{1/2} (0.11)	0.846	0.740
21.3	7.88	1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{5/2} (0.09)	2.48	0.742
S ₋ (GT)=18.28					
^{56}Ni		$f = 1.5$			
E_x (MeV)	B(GT)	$\nu(v_{\nu}^2)$	$\pi(v_{\pi}^2)$	B	C
16.6	4.82	2p _{3/2} (0.20)	2p _{1/2} (0.11)	-0.203	0.049
		2p _{3/2} (0.20)	2p _{3/2} (0.21)	-0.682	0.491
		1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{5/2} (0.09)	-0.237	0.007
		1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{7/2} (0.67)	-0.790	0.339
20.5	4.10	1f _{7/2} (0.69)	1f _{5/2} (0.09)	-1.900	0.437
S ₋ (GT)=14.75					

$$B = (Xu_{\pi}v_{\nu} - Yu_{\nu}v_{\pi})\langle\pi||\hat{O}(GT)||\nu\rangle$$

$$C = X^2 - Y^2$$

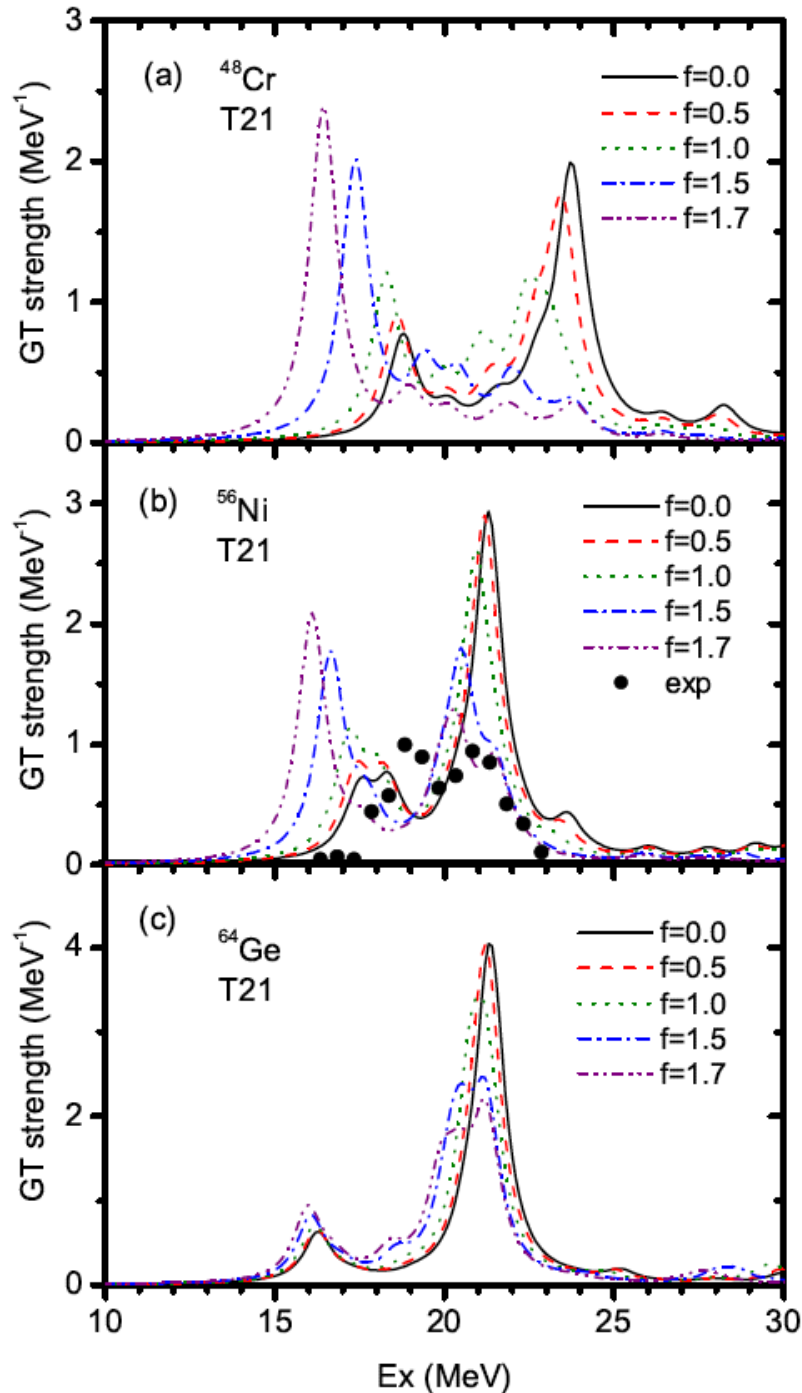
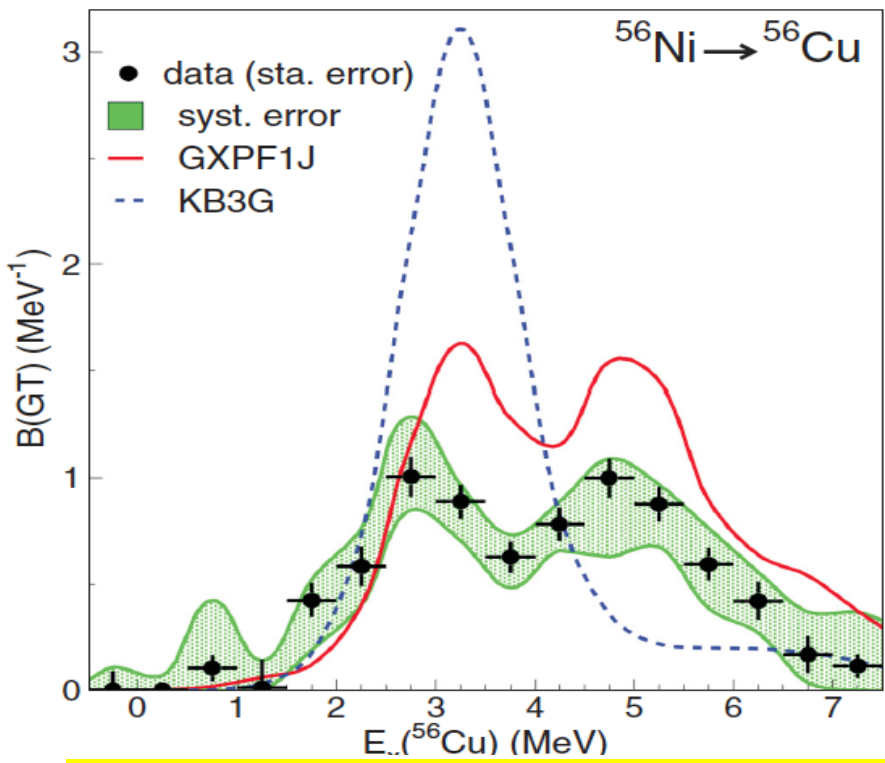


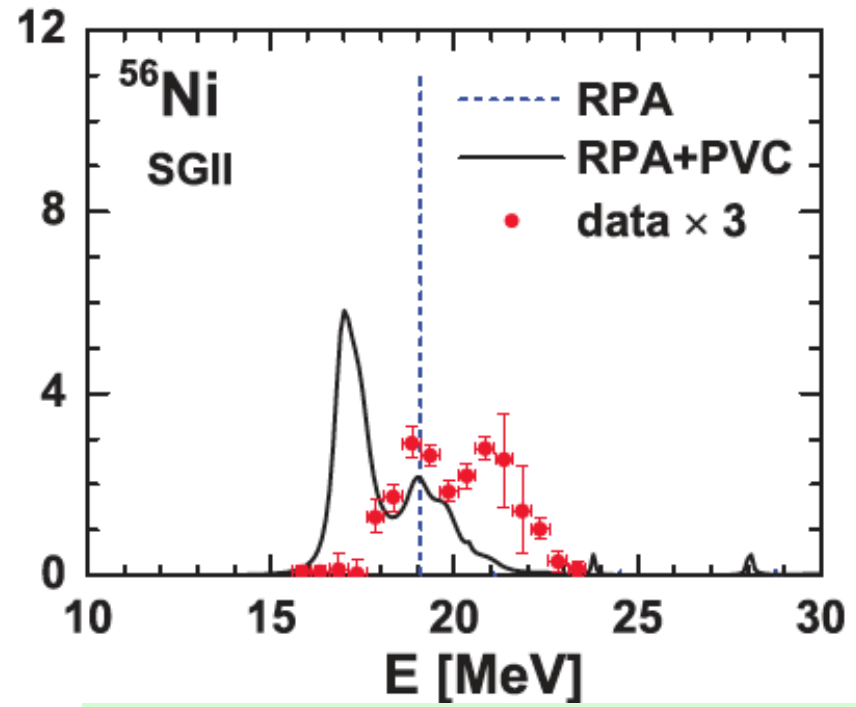
TABLE II: Same as Table I, but for ^{48}Cr and ^{64}Ge with the $T=0$ pairing interaction $f = 1.5$.

^{48}Cr		$f = 1.5$			
E_x (MeV)	B(GT)	$\nu(v_\nu^2)$	$\pi(v_\pi^2)$	B	C
17.4	5.68	$2p_{3/2}(0.12)$	$2p_{3/2}(0.12)$	0.186	0.062
		$1d_{3/2}(0.85)$	$1d_{3/2}(0.84)$	0.251	0.204
		$1f_{7/2}(0.33)$	$1f_{5/2}(0.07)$	0.268	0.021
		$1f_{7/2}(0.33)$	$1f_{7/2}(0.32)$	1.04	0.558
19.4	1.19	$2p_{3/2}(0.12)$	$2p_{1/2}(0.07)$	0.215	0.081
		$2p_{3/2}(0.12)$	$2p_{3/2}(0.12)$	0.559	0.461
		$1d_{3/2}(0.85)$	$1d_{3/2}(0.84)$	-0.217	0.142
		$1f_{7/2}(0.33)$	$1f_{5/2}(0.07)$	0.383	0.038
		$1f_{7/2}(0.33)$	$1f_{7/2}(0.32)$	-0.384	0.054
$S_-(\text{GT})=11.77$					
^{64}Ge		$f = 1.5$			
E_x (MeV)	B(GT)	$\nu(v_\nu^2)$	$\pi(v_\pi^2)$	B	C
16.1	2.15	$2p_{3/2}(0.48)$	$2p_{1/2}(0.21)$	-1.316	0.889
21.2	5.21	$1f_{5/2}(0.14)$	$1f_{7/2}(0.90)$	-0.187	0.353
		$1f_{7/2}(0.92)$	$1f_{5/2}(0.15)$	2.392	0.561
$S_-(\text{GT})=17.26$					

Fine adjustment of shell model int.



Sasano et al., PRC86, 034324(2012)



Beyond mean field effect:
Niu et al., PRC85, 034314(2012)

With $(0.74)^2$ quenching factor, still 30% missing strength

	E_x (MeV)		
$^{56}\text{Ni} \rightarrow ^{56}\text{Cu}$	0–7	$3.8 \pm 0.2(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.8(\text{syst.})$	5.5 (5.2)
$^{55}\text{Co} \rightarrow ^{55}\text{Ni}(\text{g.s.})$	0	0.267 (from Ref. [30])	0.209 (0.253)
$^{55}\text{Co} \rightarrow ^{55}\text{Ni}$	0–15	$5.3 \pm 0.5(\text{stat.})_{-1.5}^{+2.5}(\text{syst.})$	6.8 (6.2)

^aThe quoted error margins do not include the uncertainty in the value for the unit cross section (15%), which would change all strengths by a common scaling factor.

^bA quenching factor of $(0.74)^2$ [44] has been applied to the shell-model summed strengths.

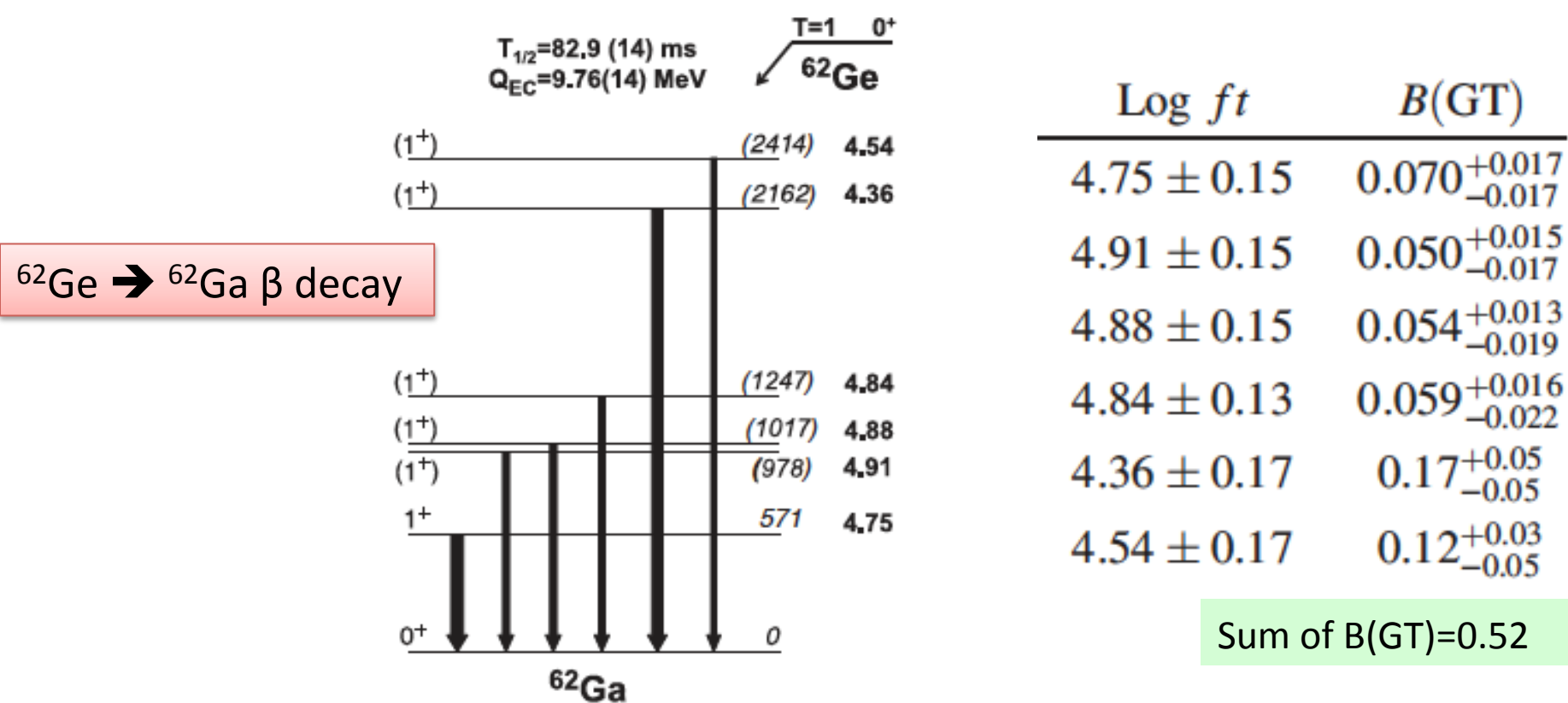
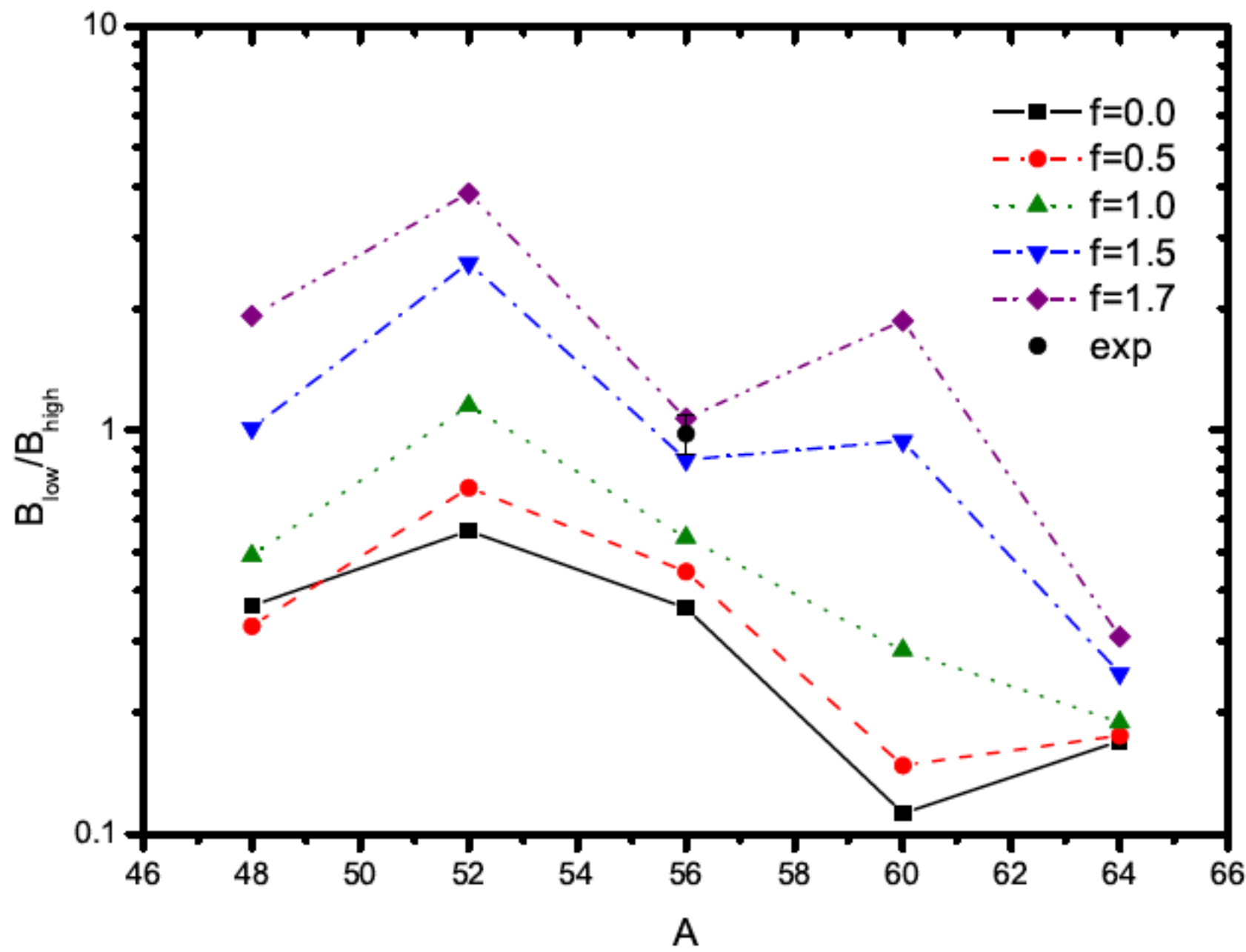


FIG. 3. ^{62}Ga level scheme observed in the ^{62}Ge β decay built under the assumption that the populated (1^+) states will deexcite preferentially to the ground state. The excitation energies of the levels are in keV. The log ft values are indicated in the right side of the levels in bold characters.

GSI RISING experiment, E. Grodner et al., PRL113, 092501(2014)

No strong GT transitions in $^{62}_{32}\text{Ge} \rightarrow ^{62}_{31}\text{Ga} \beta$ decay which is consistent with our picture of collectivity and np-pairing.



Summary: N=Z nucleus

1. Inversion of $1+$ and $0+$ states in the energy spectra and strong M1 transitions in odd-odd N=Z nuclei is induced by a strong T=0 pairing correlations competing with T=1 pairing and spin-orbit force.
2. Cooperative role of T=0 and T=1 pairings is studied in Gamow-Teller transitions of N=Z nuclei
3. It is pointed out that the low energy peak appear due to the strong T=0 pairing correlations in the final states.
Supermultiplets of T=1, S=0 and T=0 and S=1 pair
4. Energy difference of two peaks in ^{56}Ni → smaller spin-orbit splitting
5. Future perspective (experiment):
New experiments in N=Z nuclei, ^{48}Cr , was approved by PAC in RIKEN .
Further experiment in ^{64}Ge .

Theory

- a. Further study of Particle-vibration coupling:
Yifei Niu, Gianluca Colo
- b. Fine fittings of energy density functions
for RPA and QRPA
(which was done already for Shell model interactions:
Toshio Suzuki, Michio Honma