

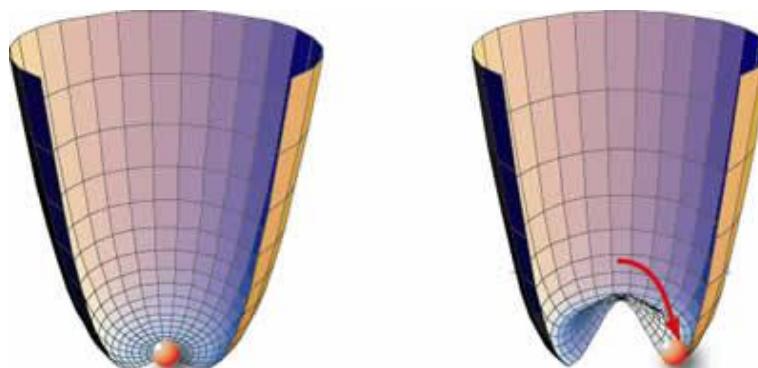
Mean-field approximation and deformation

平均場近似=2体場→1体場に近似

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→ Ψ_{MF} : ハミルトニアン H が持っている対称性を持たなくてもいい

“対称性の自発的破れ”



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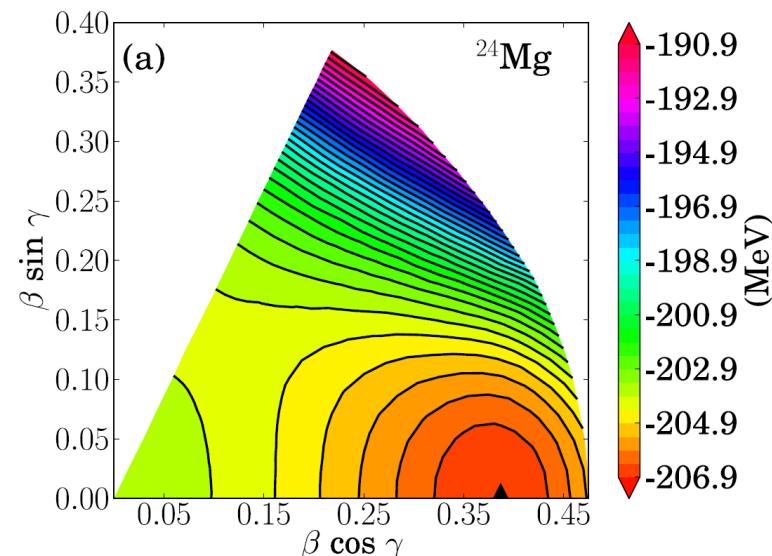
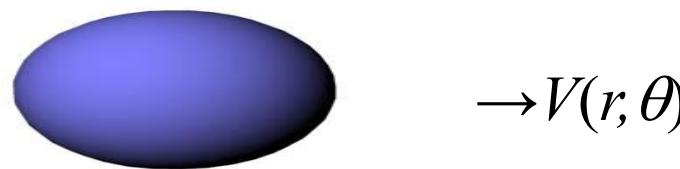
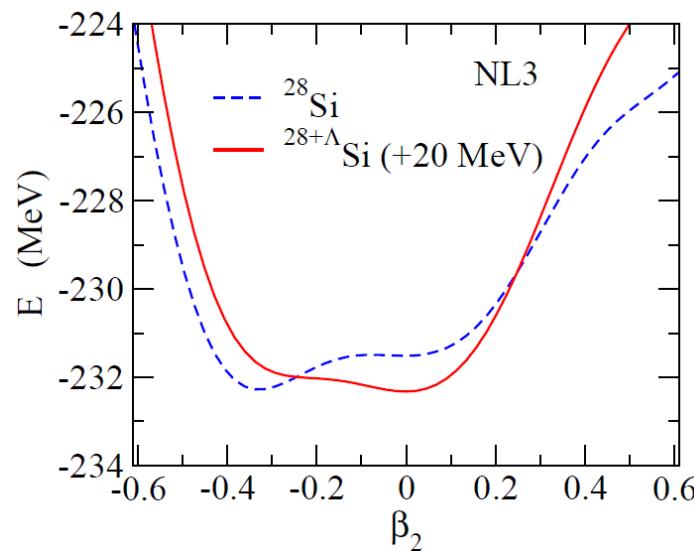
典型的な例

➤ 並進対称性: 原子核の平均場近似(DFT)では常に破れる

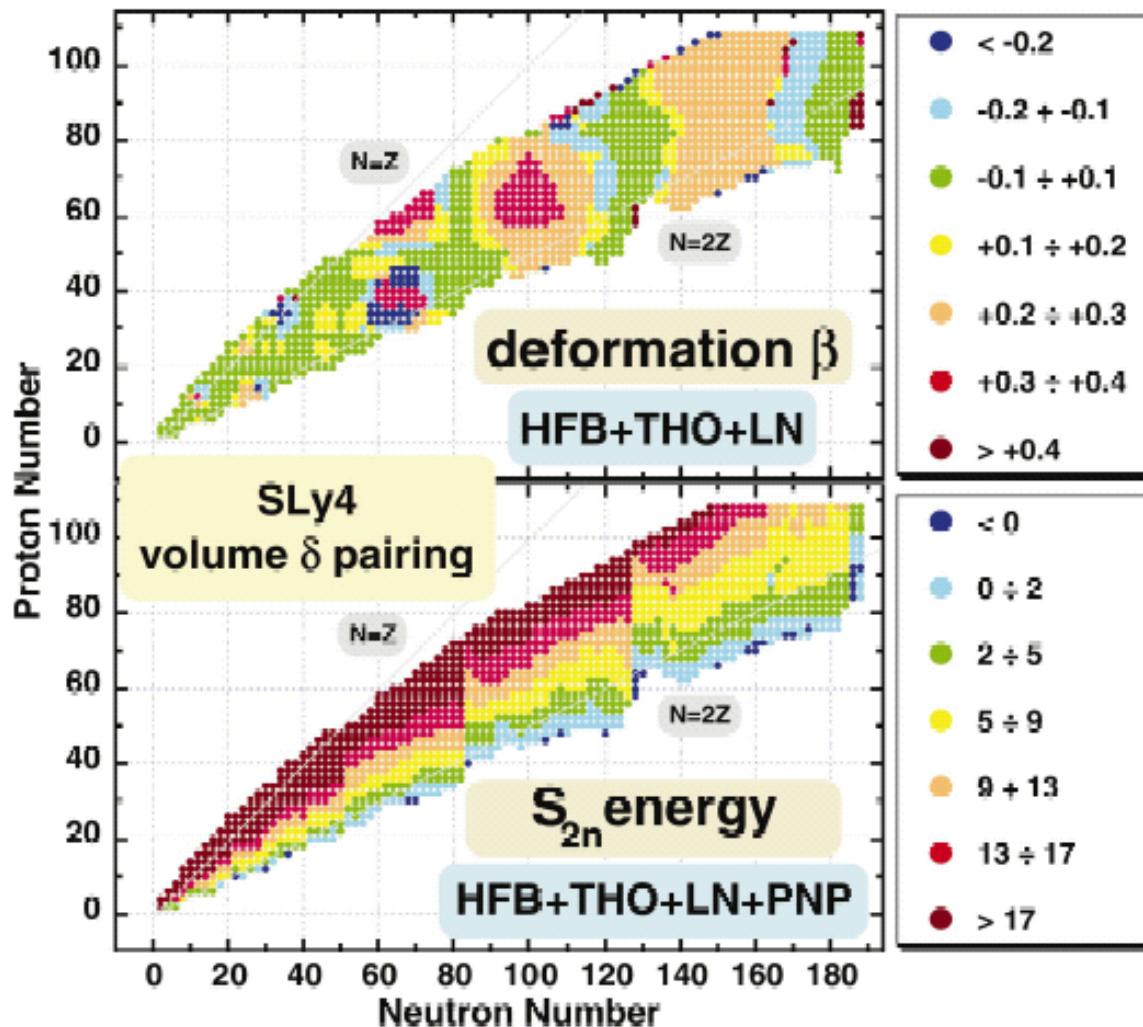
$$H = - \sum_{i=1}^A \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla_i^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j}^A v(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j) \rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^A \left(-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla_i^2 + \underline{V_{\text{MF}}(\mathbf{r}_i)} \right)$$

➤ 回転対称性

変形した基底状態

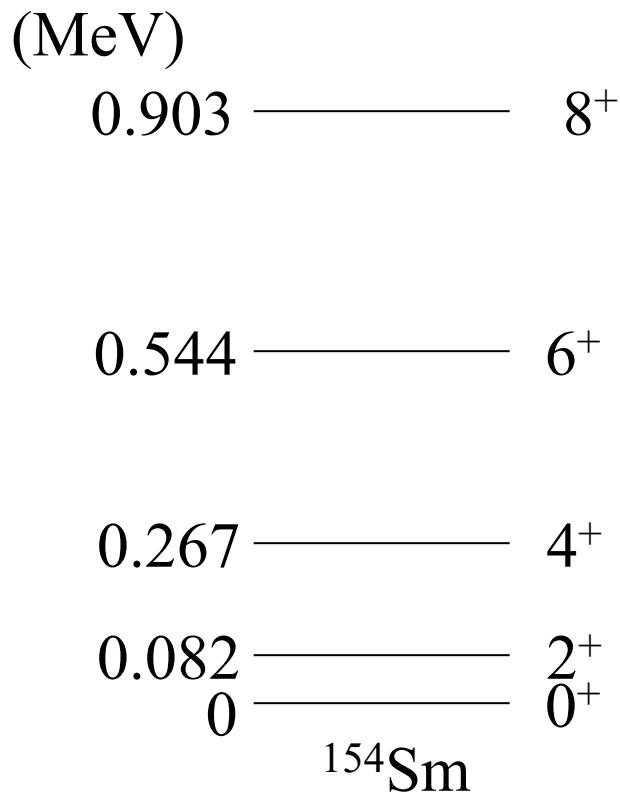


deformation and two-neutron separation energy



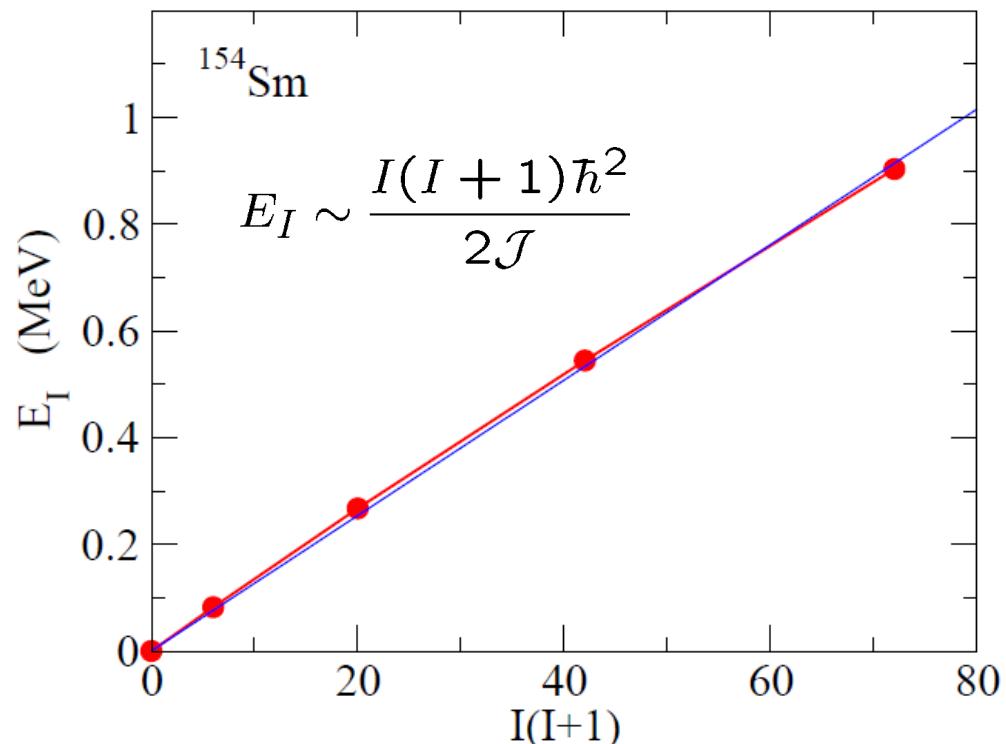
Nuclear Deformation

Excitation spectra of ^{154}Sm



$$E_I \sim \frac{I(I+1)\hbar^2}{2\mathcal{J}}$$

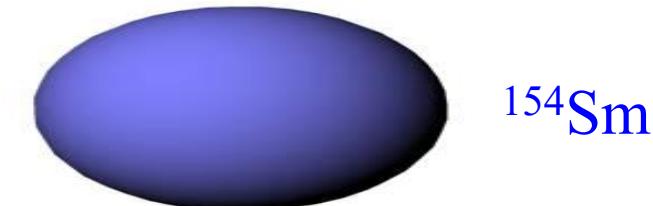
核変形の実験的な証拠



cf. a classical rigid rotor

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^{154}Sm : a typical deformed nucleus



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(MeV)

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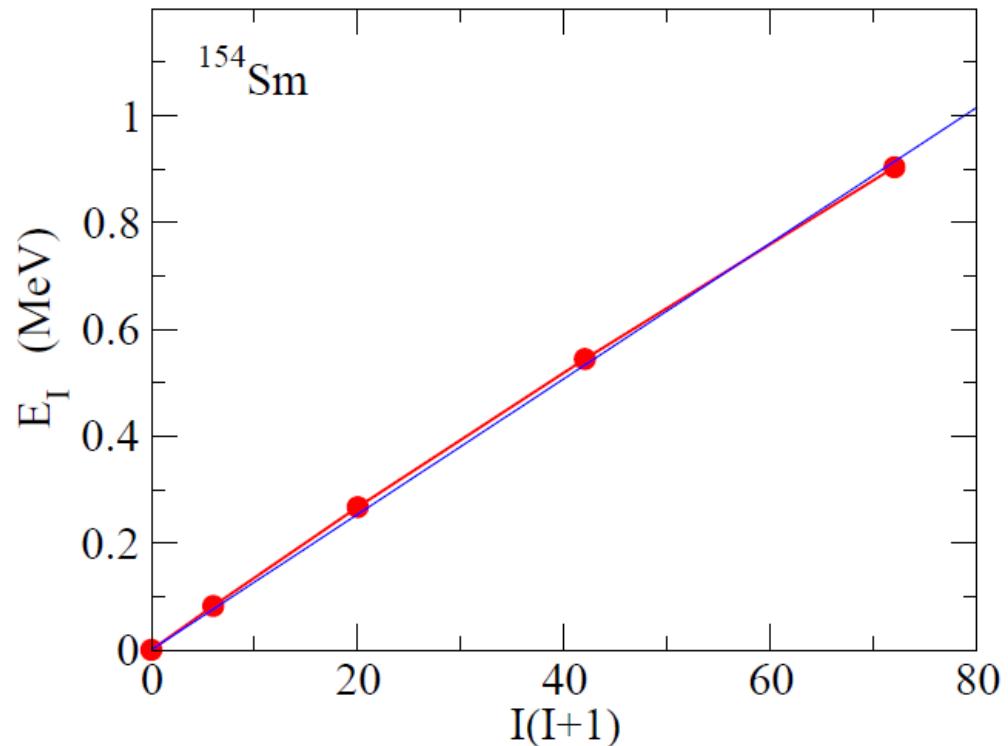
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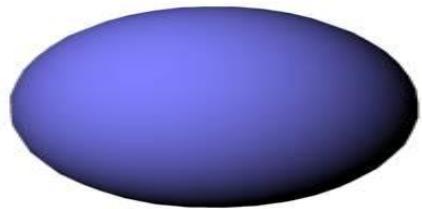


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One-particle motion in a deformed potential



$$\rightarrow V(r, \theta)$$

$$\left[-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 + V(r, \theta) - E \right] \psi(r) = 0$$

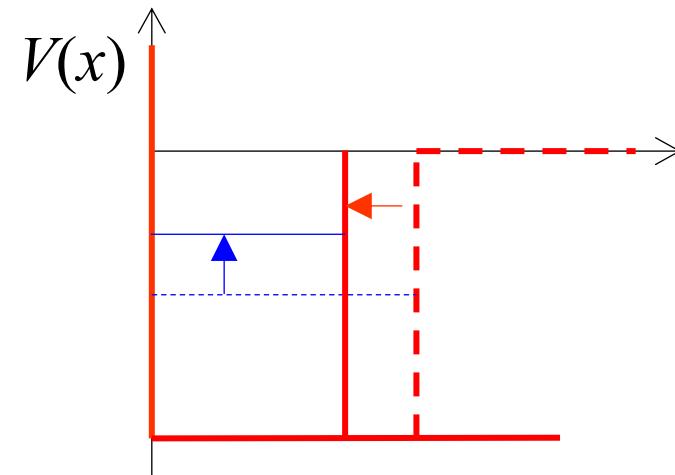
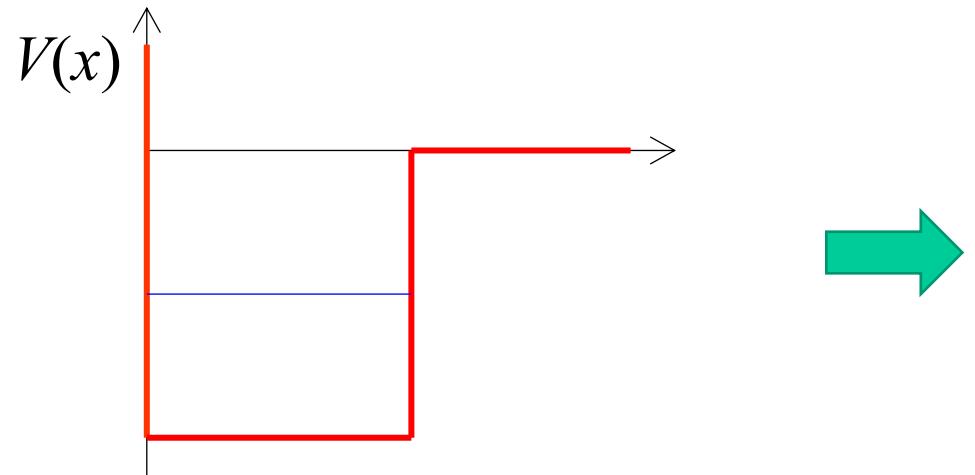
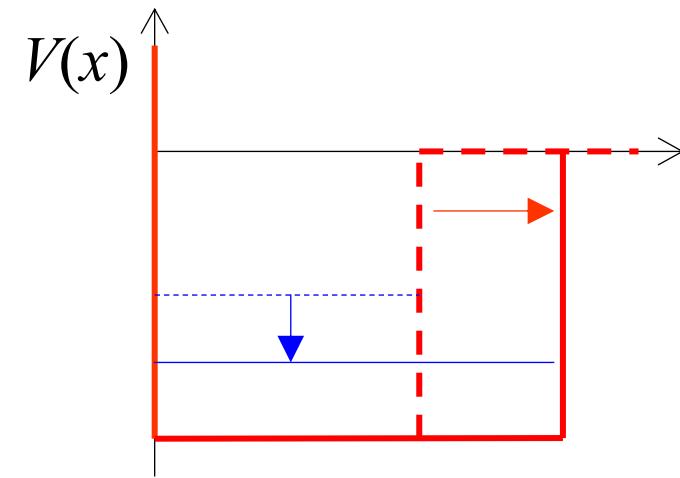
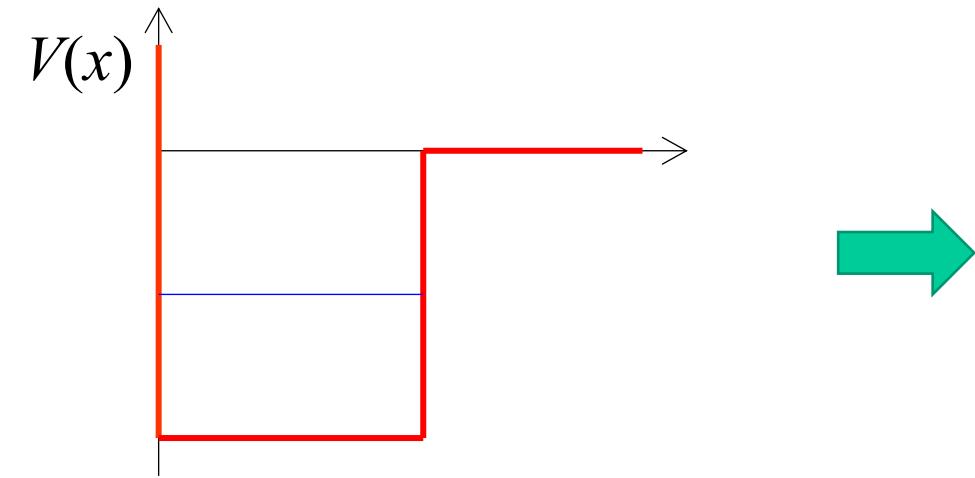
(note) $V(r, \theta)$ → 回転対称性を持っていない
 → 角運動量がいい量子数ではない

$$\psi_{nlm}(r) = R_{nl}(r)Y_{lm}(\hat{r}) \rightarrow \psi_{nK}(r) = \sum_l R_{nl}(r)Y_{lK}(\hat{r})$$

* 軸対称変形であれば l_z は保存

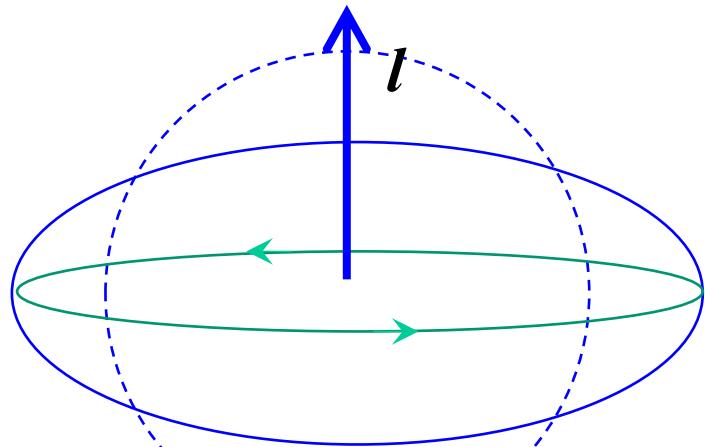
$$E_{nl} \rightarrow E_{nK}$$

(準備)1次元井戸型ポテンシャル

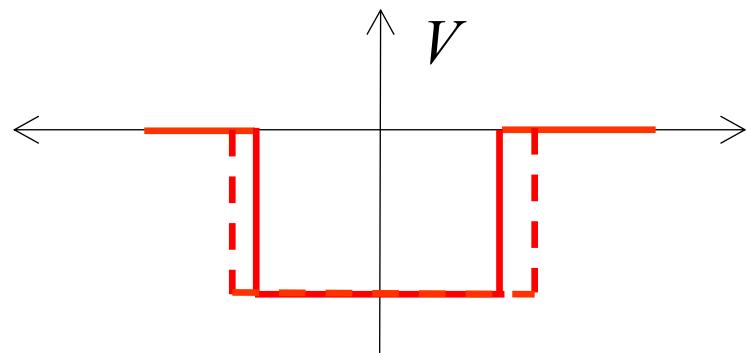
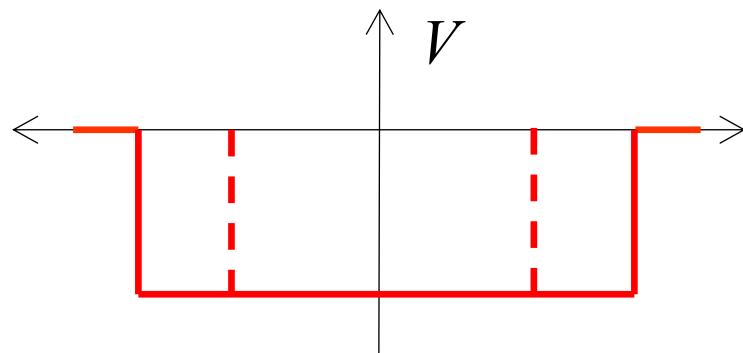
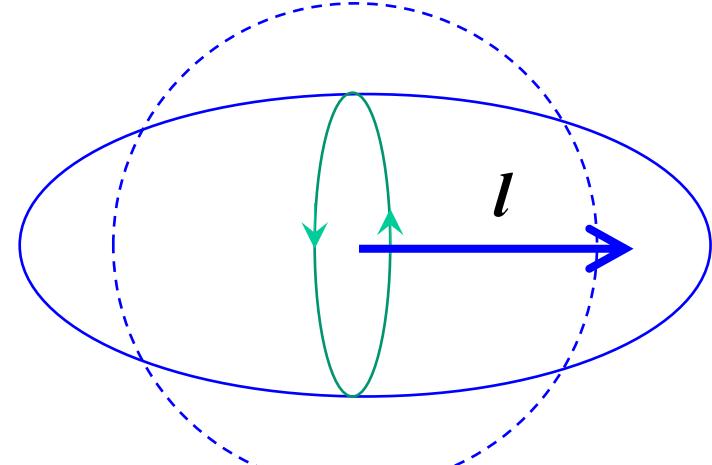


One-particle motion in a deformed potential

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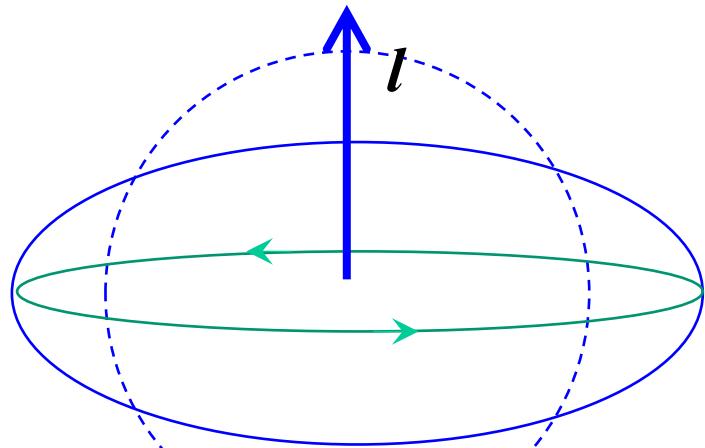


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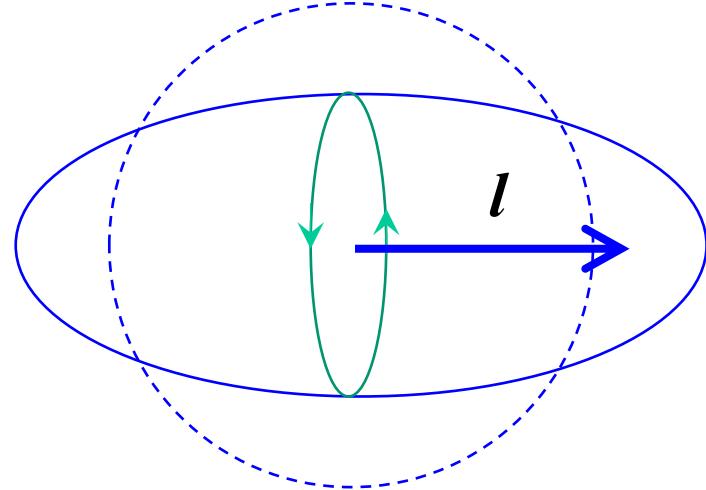


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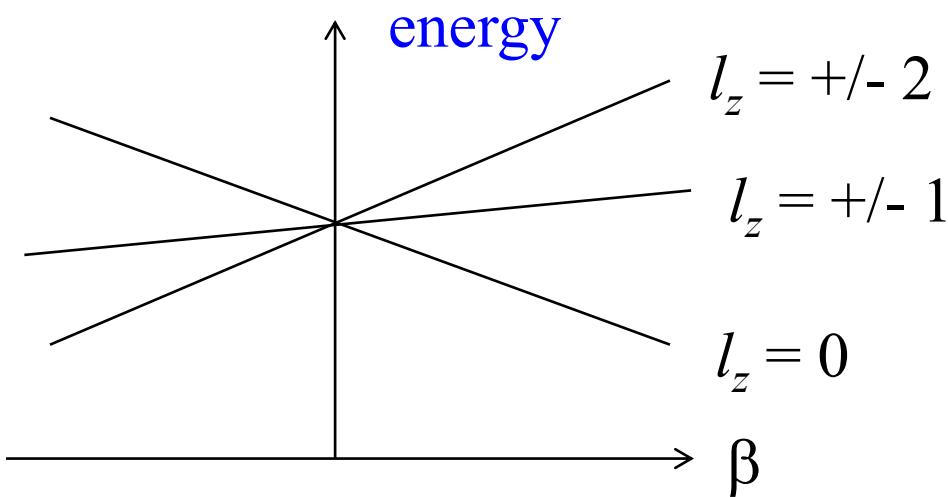


短軸に沿った運動



$\rightarrow z\text{軸}$

軌道が
スプリット



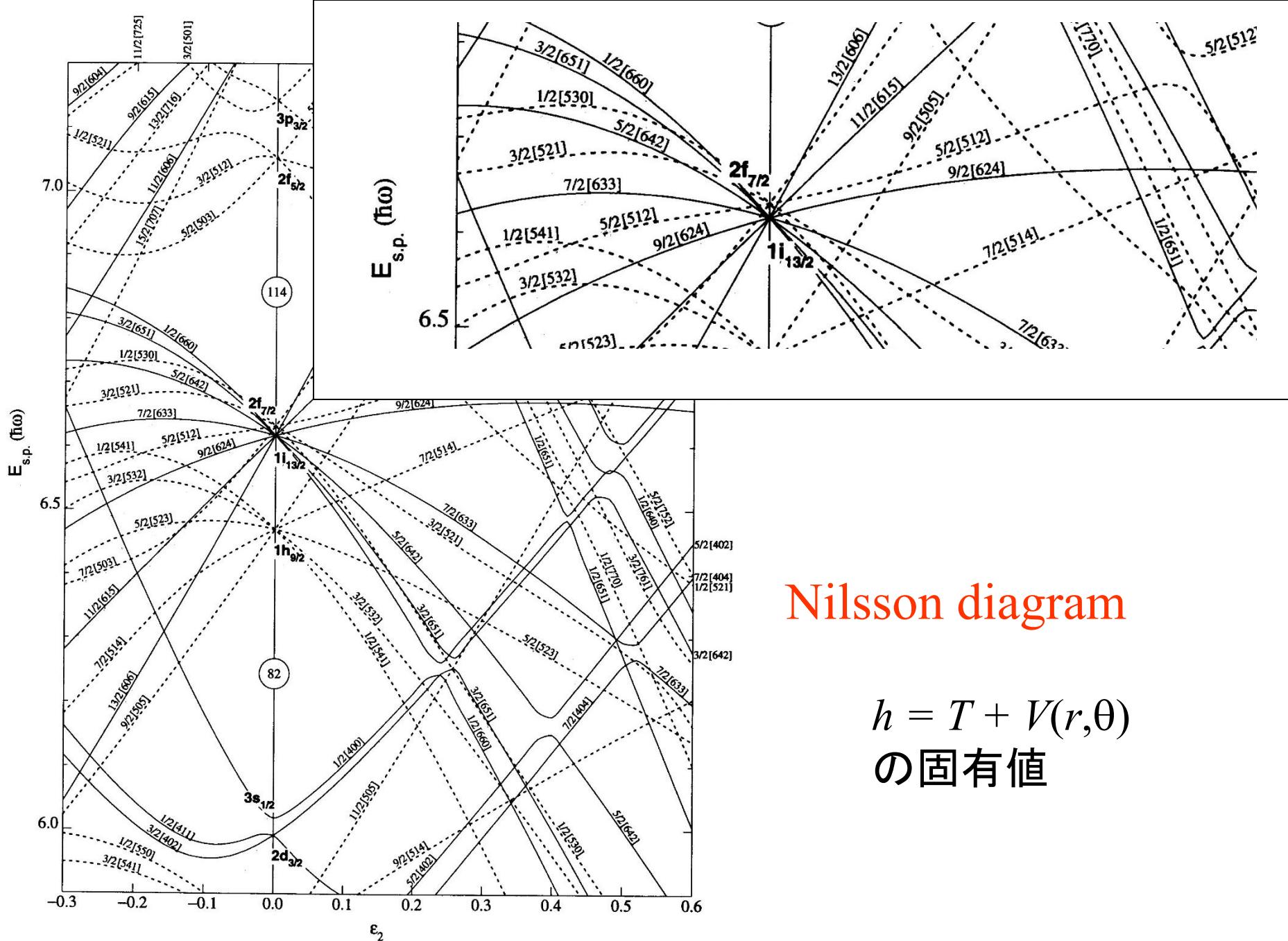
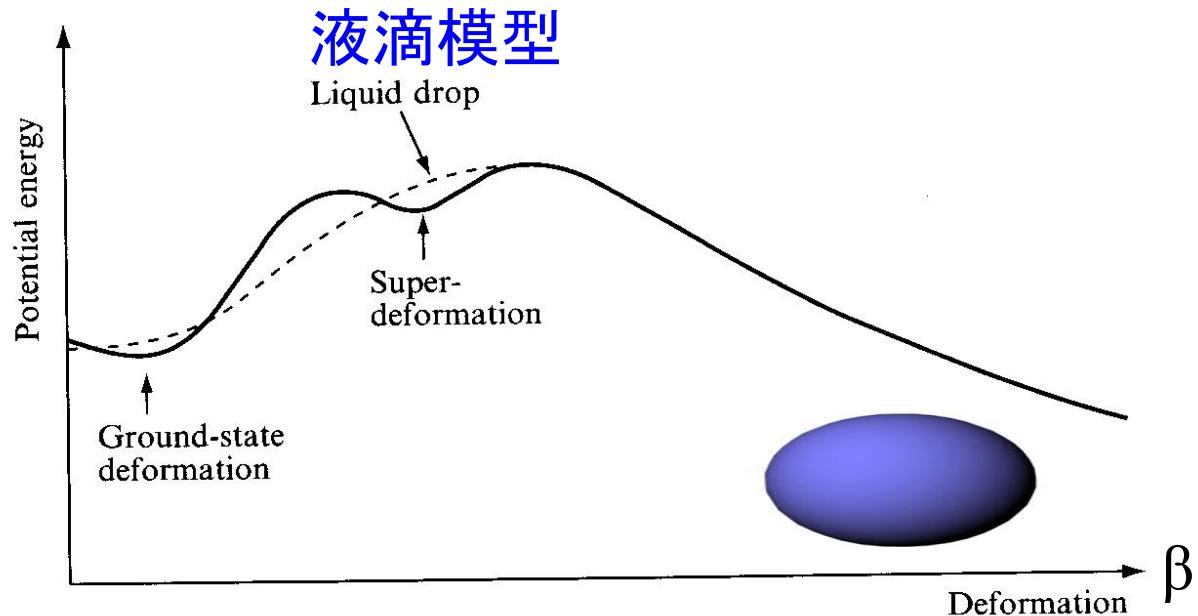


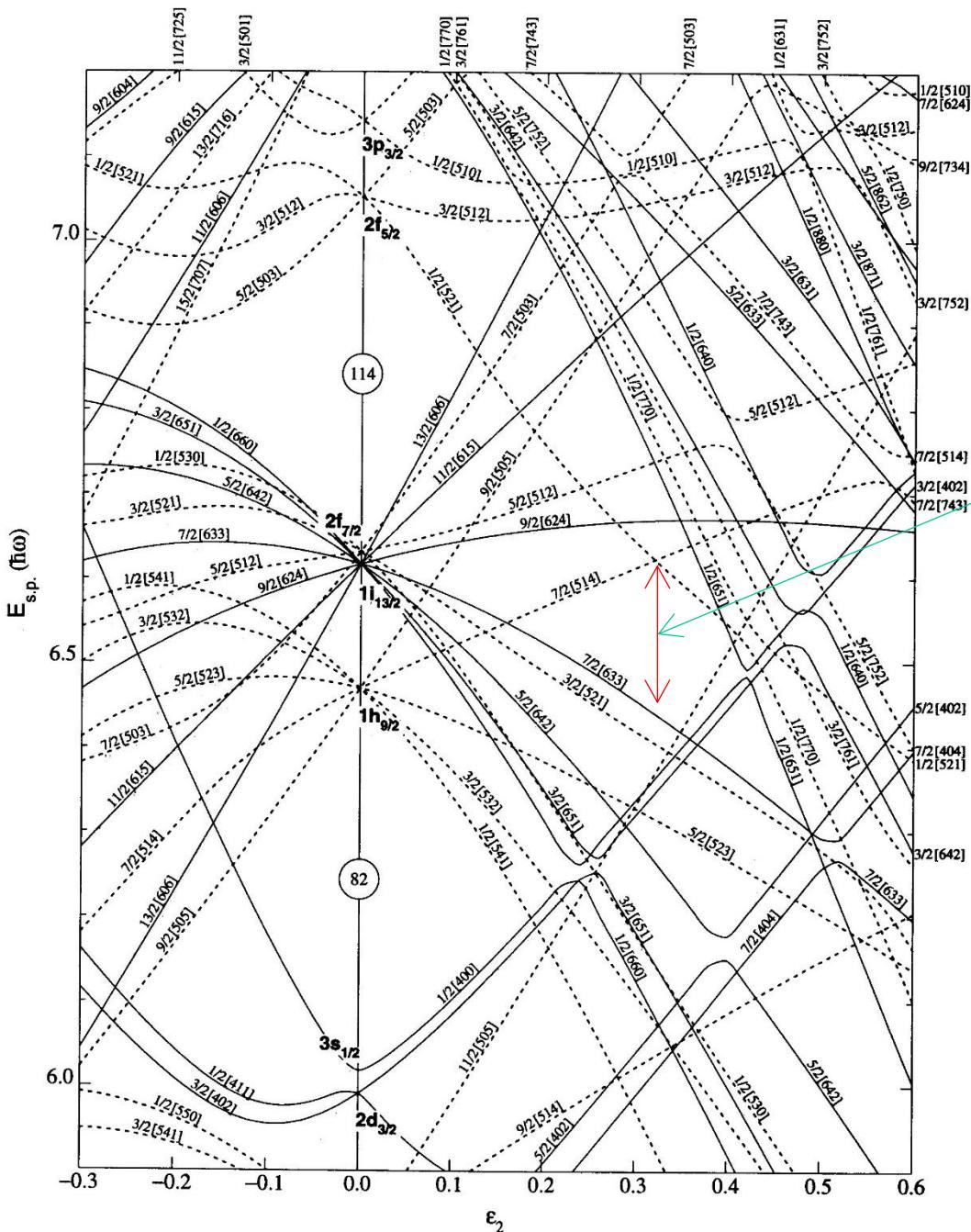
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原子核の変形と殻効果



$$E(\beta) = E_{LDM}(\beta) + E_{\text{shell}}(\beta)$$

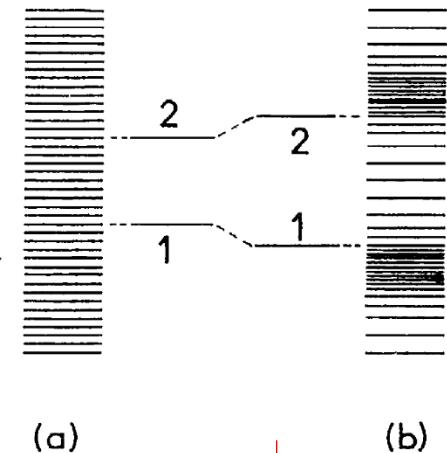
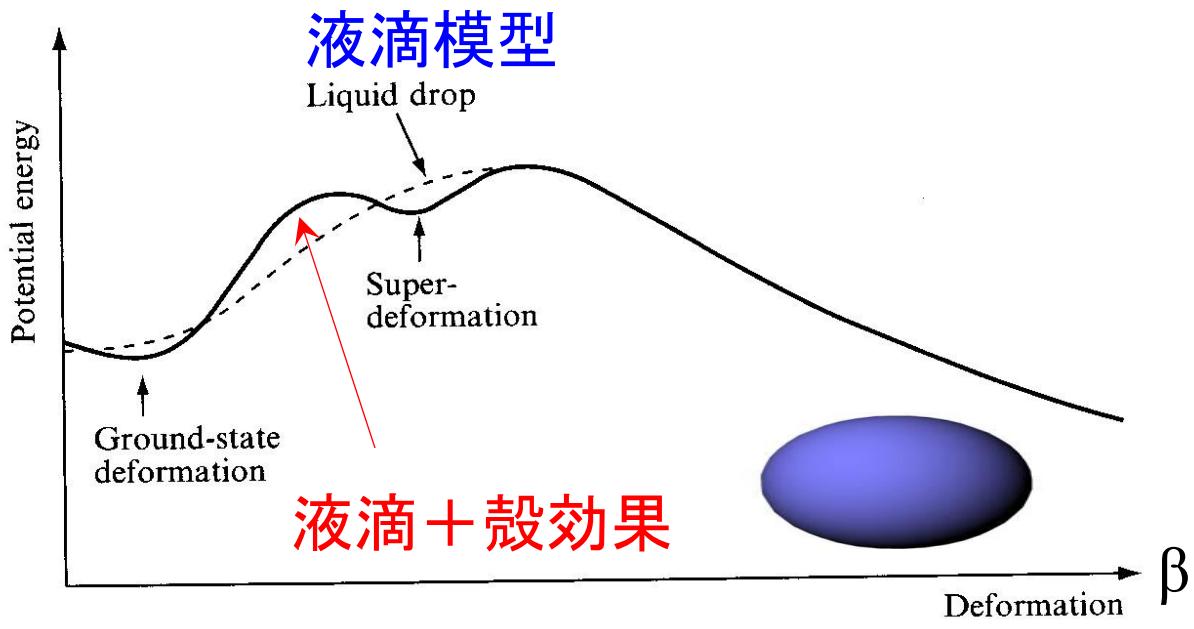
液滴模型 → 常に球形が基底状態



変形することにより
ギャップが開く

Nilsson diagram

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準位にギャップ
が開くと原子核が
安定になる

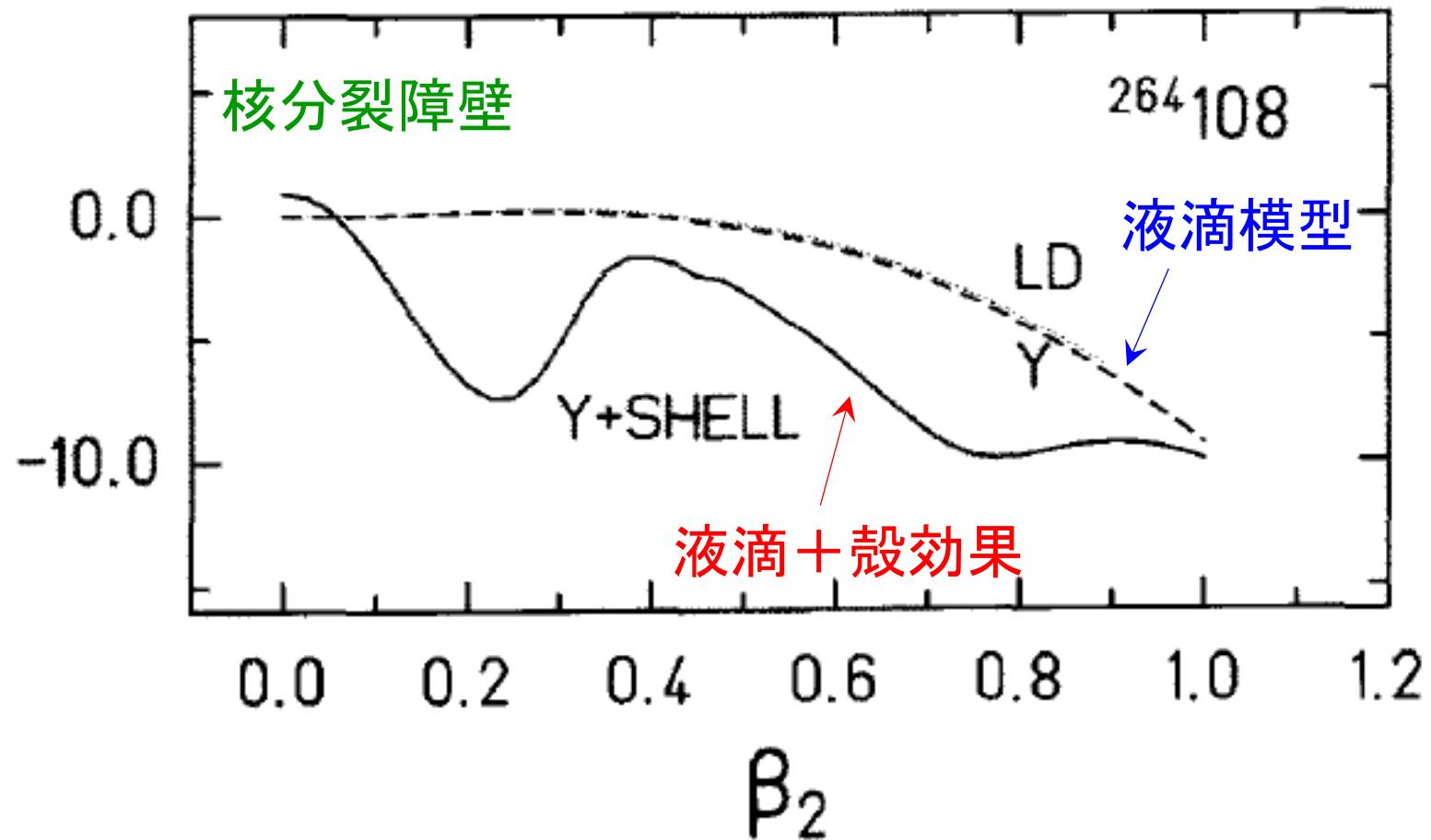
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原子核が変形

→ 核子が感じるポテンシャルも変形

→ 変形度によって異なる量子力学的補正(殼効果)

殻構造の帰結：超重核の安定化



殻効果により核分裂障壁が高くなり原子核が安定化する

3次元非等方調和振動子

$$H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2}m\omega_z^2 z^2 + \frac{1}{2}m\omega_{\perp}^2(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\omega_x = \omega_y \equiv \omega_{\perp} = \omega_0 \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon}{3}\right)$$

$$\omega_z = \omega_0 \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\epsilon\right)$$

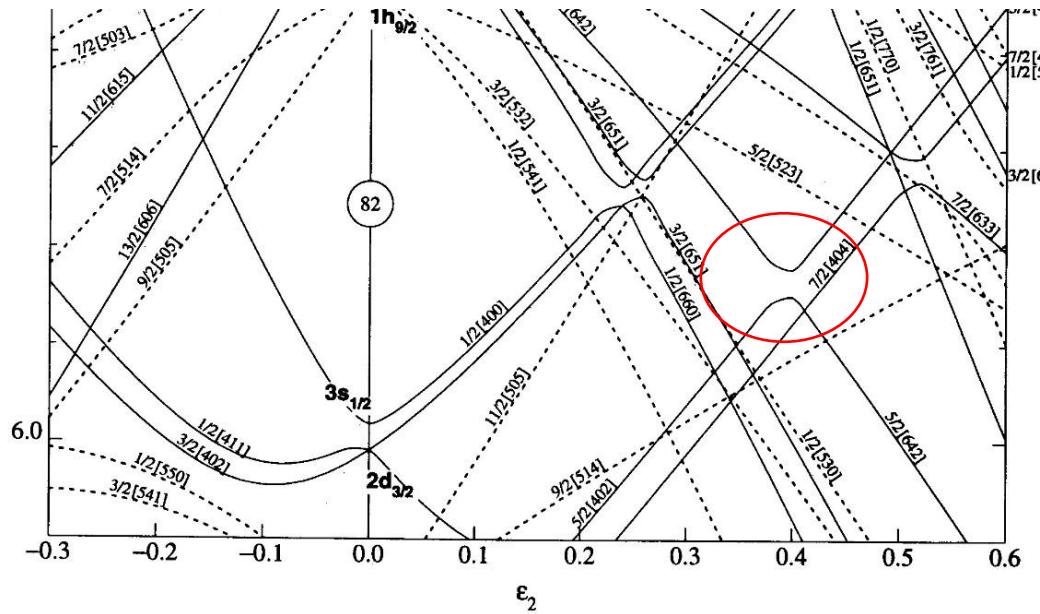
を考える。 ϵ を -1 から 1 まで変化させるととき、 $\epsilon = 0$ の時の基底状態、第一励起状態、第二励起状態のエネルギーはどのように変化するか図示せよ。

レポート問題7 PandAから提出、提出〆切 7/27(日) 23:59

$E_0 = -\varepsilon, E_1 = \varepsilon$ のエネルギーをもつ2つの状態が強さ V で相互作用しているとする。このときの固有状態は 2x2 行列

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\varepsilon & V \\ V & \varepsilon \end{pmatrix}$$

を対角化して得られる。2つの固有エネルギーの差が必ず 2ε ($V=0$ のときのエネルギー差) より大きくなることを示せ。



*これを「ノイマン-ウィグナーの定理」といい、ニルソンレベルで準位反発が見られる理由である。

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- しかし、落とした項を考慮することによって
対称性を回復する必要がある
→ 角運動量射影

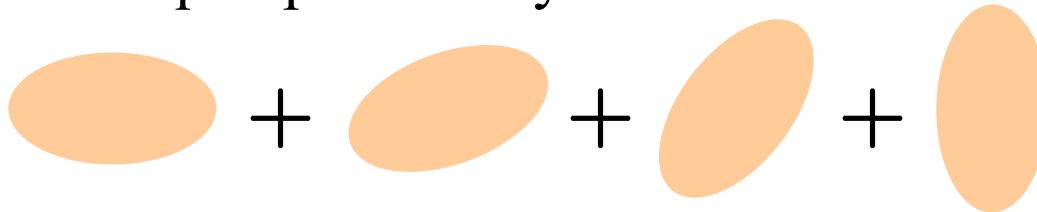
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→角運動量射影

0^+ : no preference of direction (spherical)

→ Mixing of all orientations with an equal probability



$$|\Psi_{0+}\rangle = \int d\Omega |\Psi_\Omega\rangle$$

other states:

$$|\Psi_{IM}\rangle = \int d\Omega Y_{IM}(\Omega) |\Psi_\Omega\rangle$$

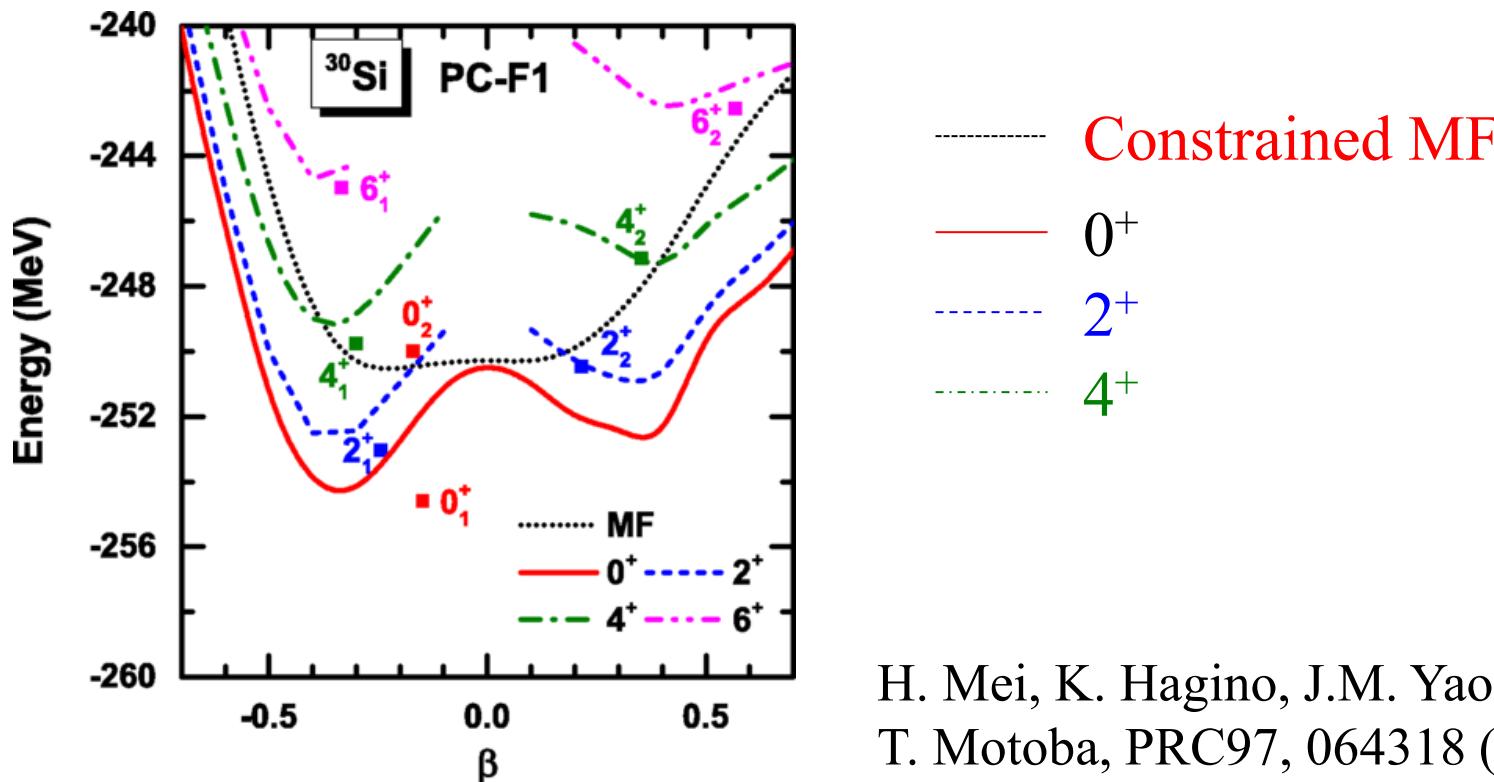
(for K=0)

Projected wave function:

$$|\Psi_{IM}\rangle = \hat{P}_{MK}^I |\Psi\rangle = \frac{2I+1}{8\pi^2} \int d\Omega D_{MK}^{I*}(\Omega) \hat{\mathcal{R}}(\Omega) |\Psi\rangle$$

→ Projected energy surface:

$$E_I = \frac{\langle \Psi_{IM} | H | \Psi_{IM} \rangle}{\langle \Psi_{IM} | \Psi_{IM} \rangle} = \frac{\langle \Psi | \hat{P}_{KM}^I H \hat{P}_{MK}^I | \Psi \rangle}{\langle \Psi | \hat{P}_{KM}^I \hat{P}_{MK}^I | \Psi \rangle}$$



H. Mei, K. Hagino, J.M. Yao,
T. Motoba, PRC97, 064318 (2018)

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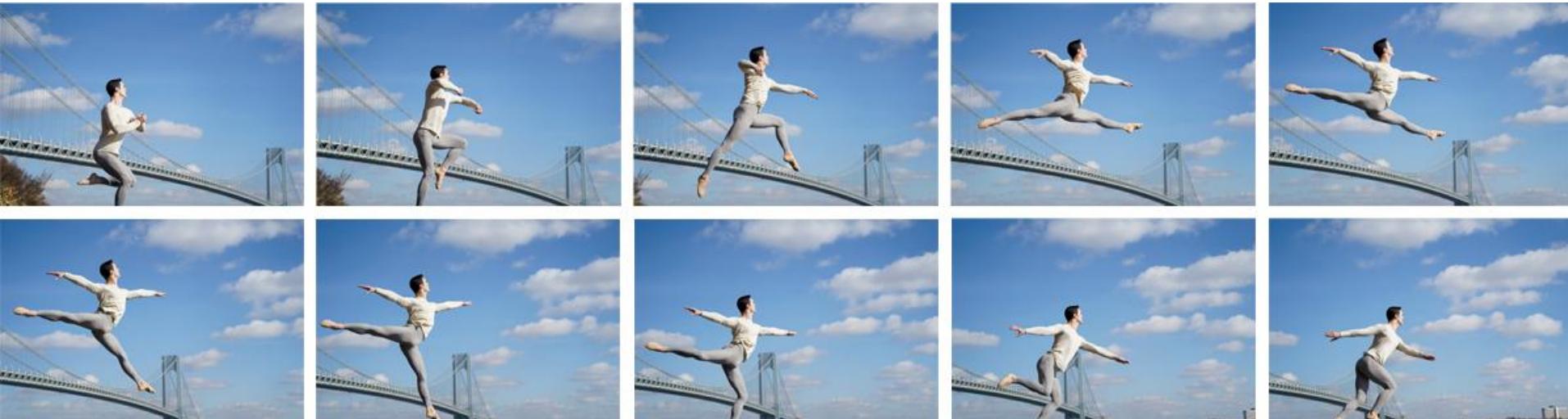
原子核の変形を核反応で見る

- ✓ 低エネルギー重イオン核融合反応
- ✓ 超高エネルギー重イオン衝突

Snapshots

taking snapshots of a “slow” motion with a **high-speed camera**

$$\tau_{\text{camera}} \ll \tau_{\text{motion}}$$



https://www.sony.jp/ichigan/products/ILCE-7M3/feature_3.html

(photos with a Sony camera α 7III)

→ taking snapshots of a nucleus with a “fast” nuclear reaction



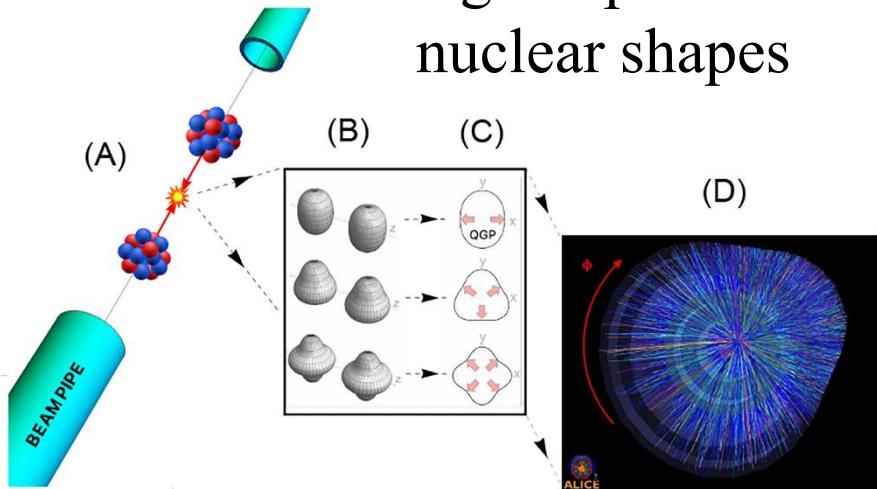
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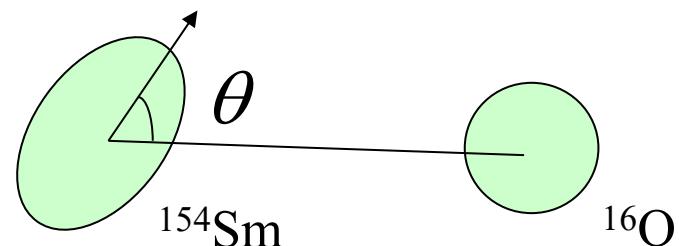
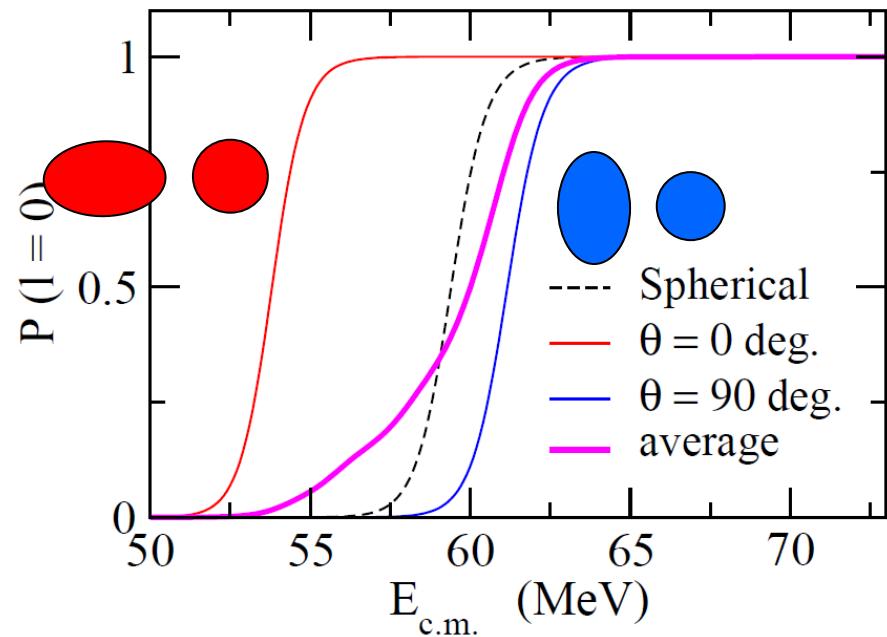
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increasing interests
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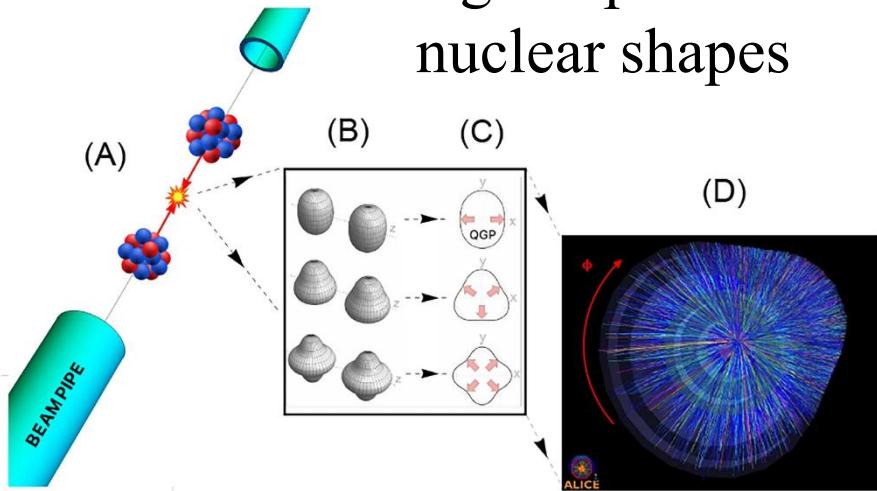


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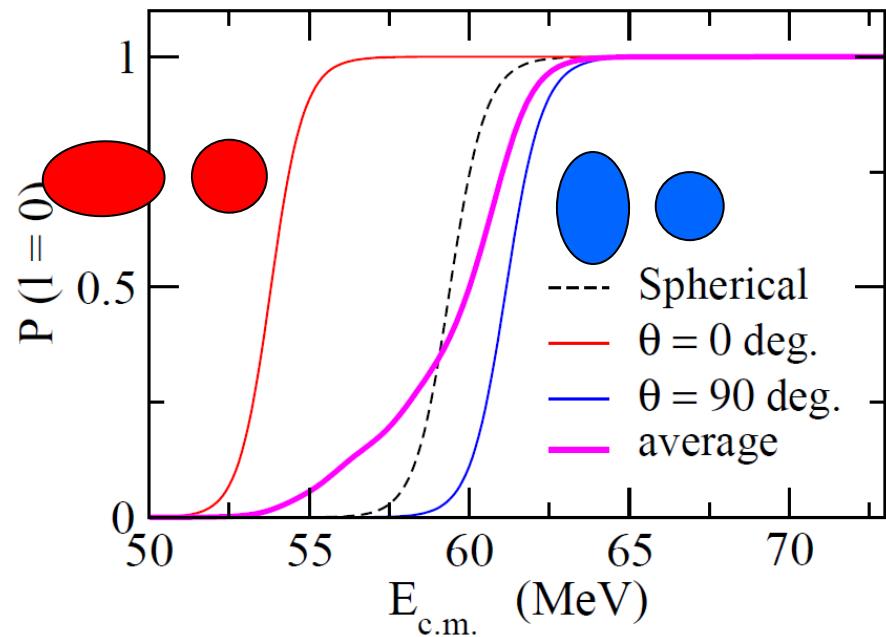
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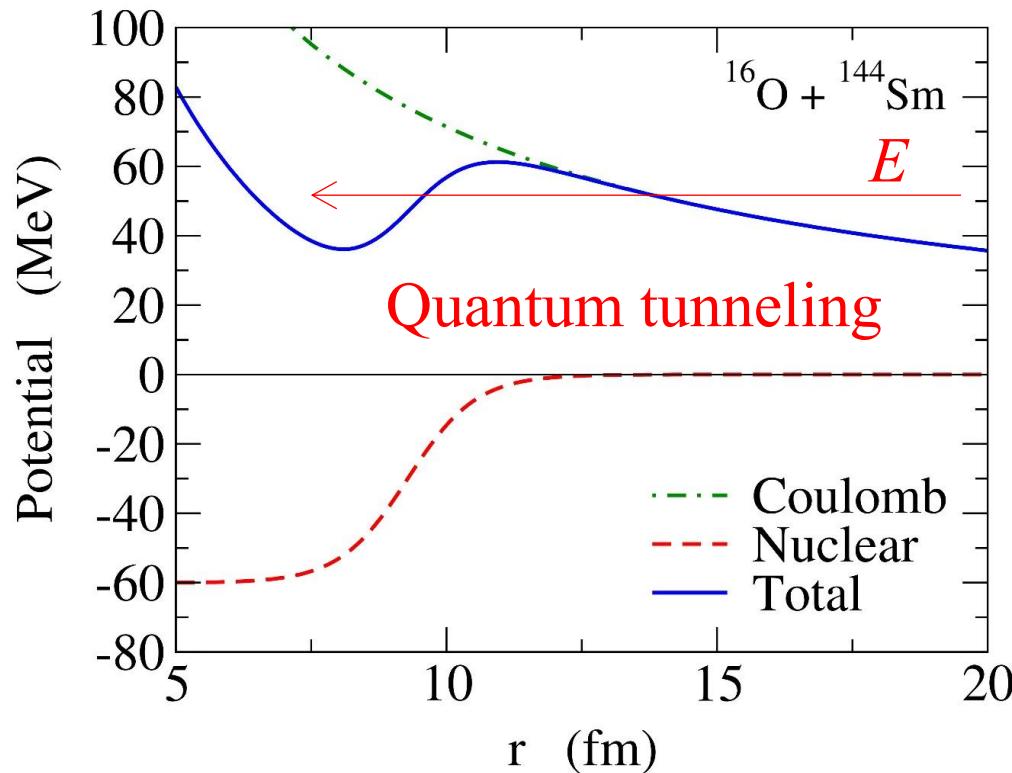
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Large similarities: intersection of **High E** and **Low E** HI collisions

Low-energy heavy-ion fusion reactions

Coulomb barrier



1. Coulomb interaction
long range, repulsion
2. Nuclear interaction
short range, attraction



Potential barrier
(Coulomb barrier)

Fusion: takes place by
overcoming
the barrier

the barrier height → defines the energy scale of a system

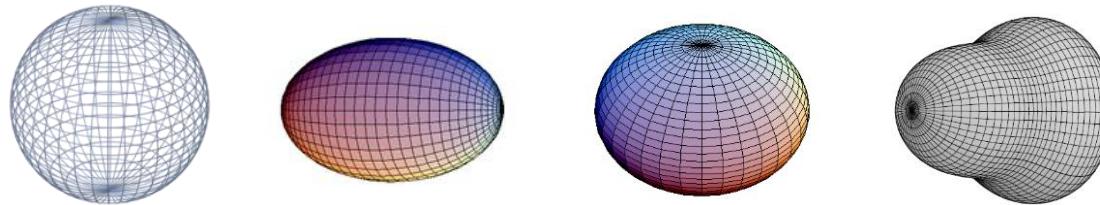
Fusion reactions at energies around the Coulomb barrier

Low-energy heavy-ion fusion reactions and quantum tunneling

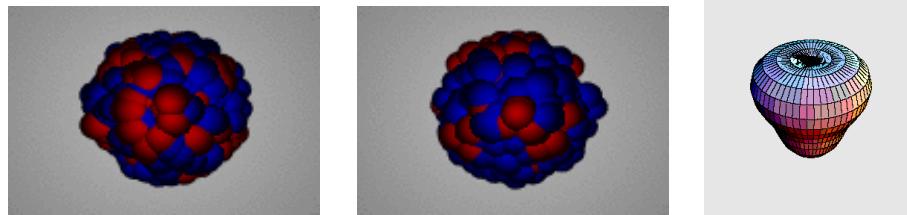
Fusion with quantum tunneling

with many degrees of freedom

- several nuclear shapes



- several surface vibrations



<https://web-docs.gsi.de/~wolle/TELEKOLLEG/KERN/index-s.html>

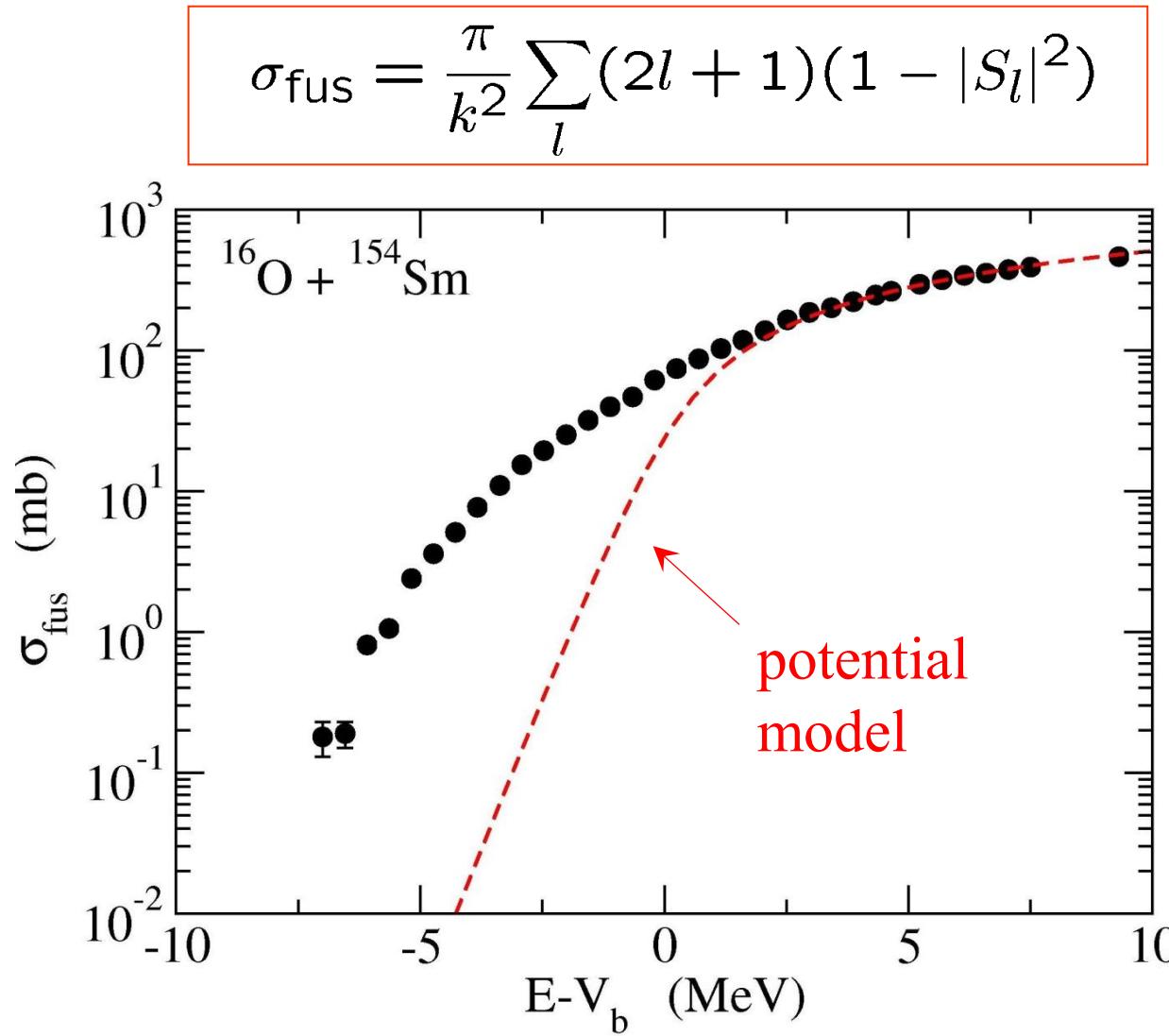
several modes and adiabaticities

- several types of nucleon transfers

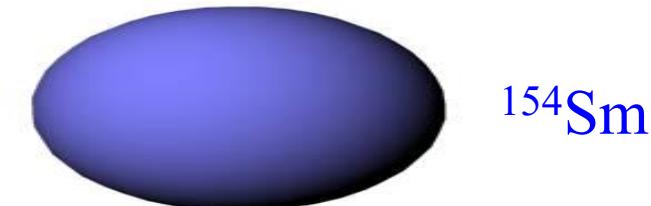
Tunneling probabilities: the exponential E dependence
→ (small) nuclear structure effects are **amplified**

Discovery of large sub-barrier enhancement of σ_{fus} (~ 80 's)

the potential model: inert nuclei (no structure)



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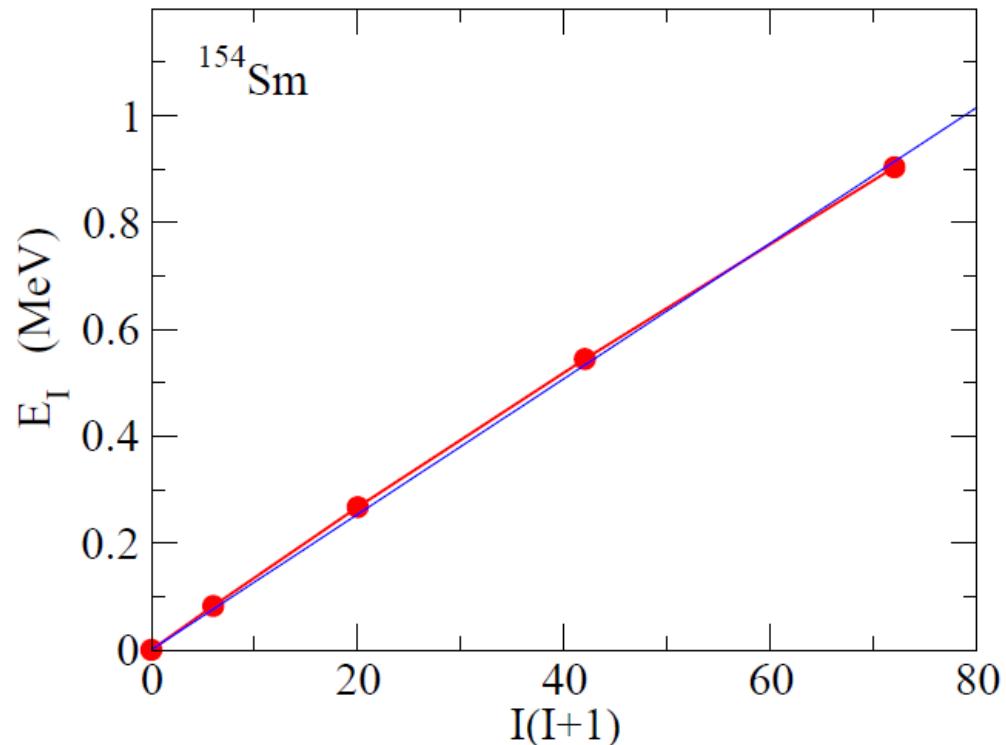
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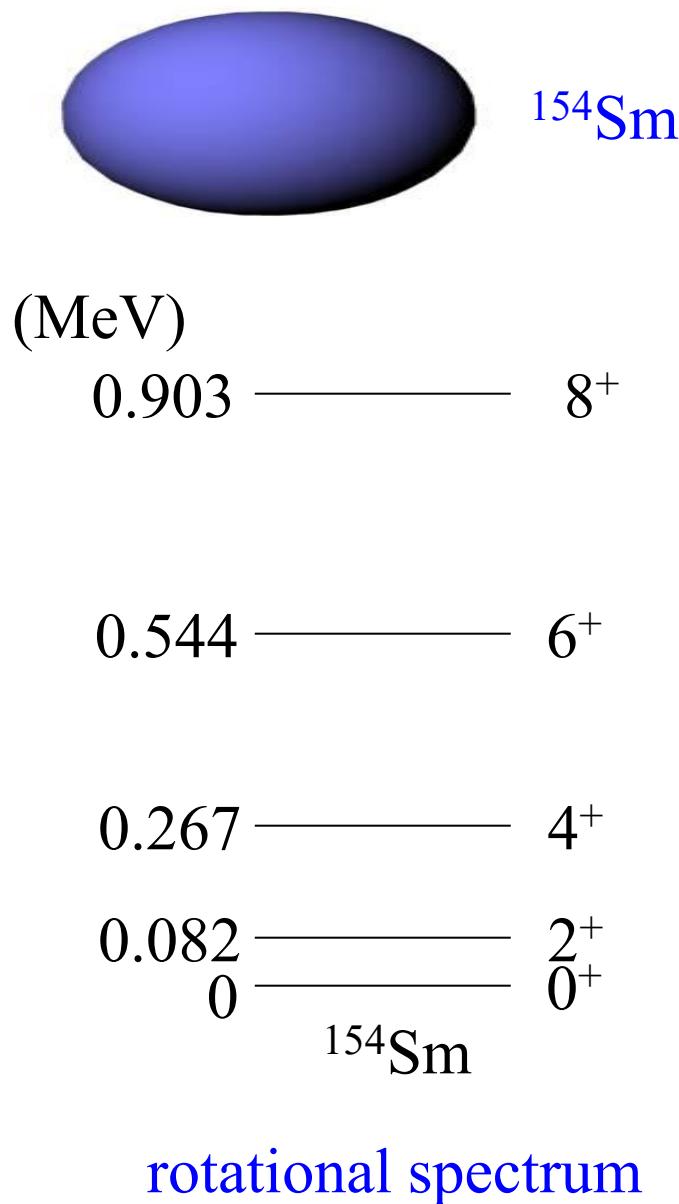
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Effects of nuclear deformation

a small rotational energy

$$E_I = \frac{I(I+1)\hbar^2}{2\mathcal{J}}$$



- a large moment of inertia J
- rotation: a slow deg. of freedom

$$E_{\text{rot}} \sim E_{2+} = 82 \text{ keV}$$

$$E_{\text{tunnel}} \sim \hbar\Omega_{\text{barrier}} \sim 3.5 \text{ MeV}$$

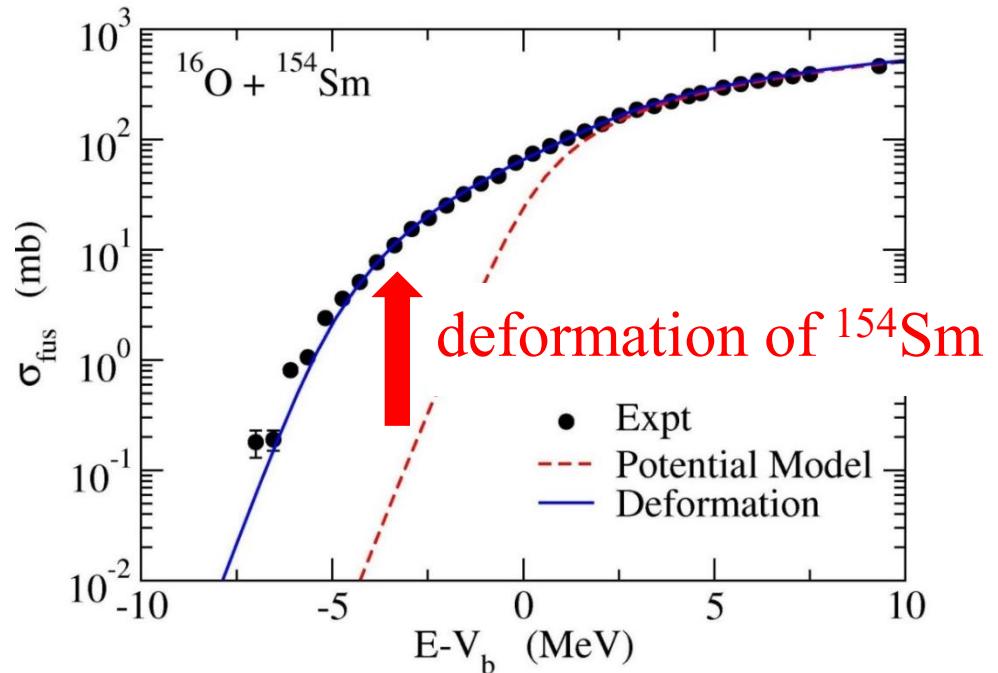
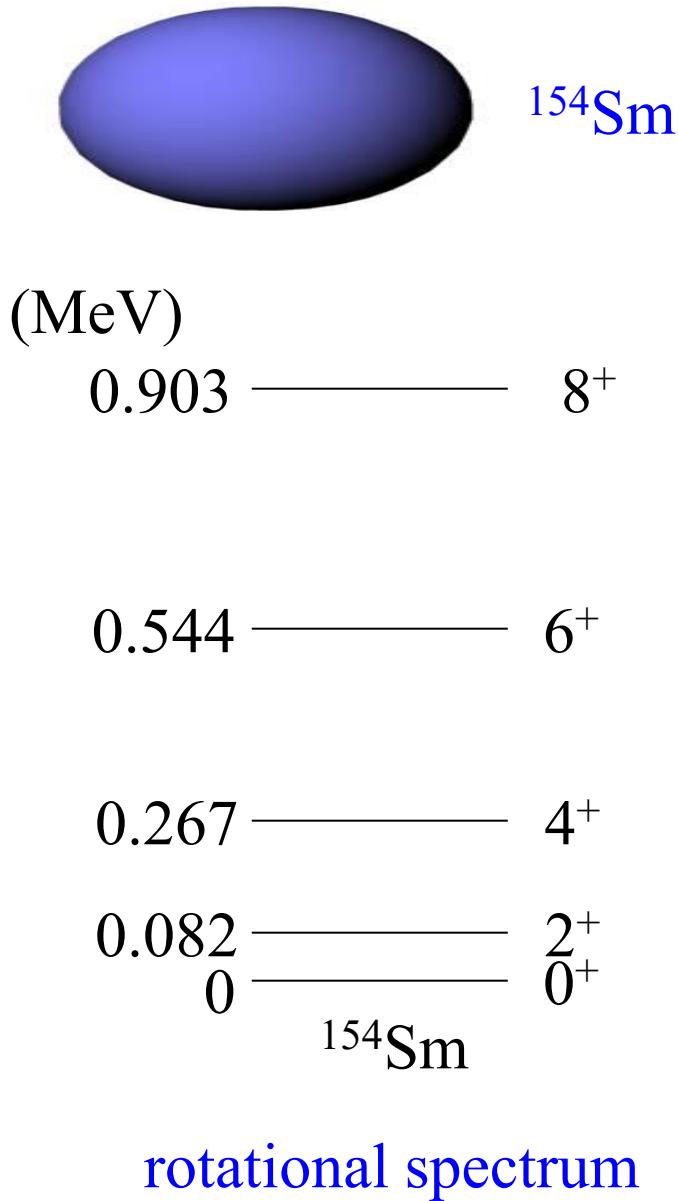
$$\Psi_{0+} = \text{ (blue ellipsoid)} + \text{ (blue ellipsoid)} + \text{ (blue ellipsoid)} + \text{ (blue ellipsoid)}$$

- a spherical state in the lab. system

fix the orientation angle to calculate the fusion probability

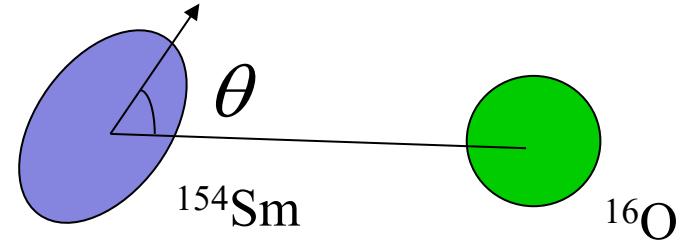
“a snapshot of a rotating nucleus”

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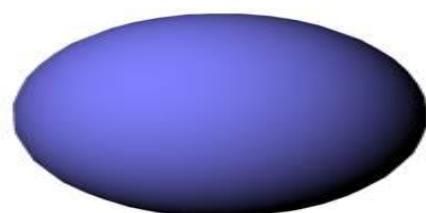
K. H. and N. Takigawa,
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$$\sigma_{\text{fus}}(E) = \int_0^1 d(\cos \theta) \sigma_{\text{fus}}(E; \theta)$$

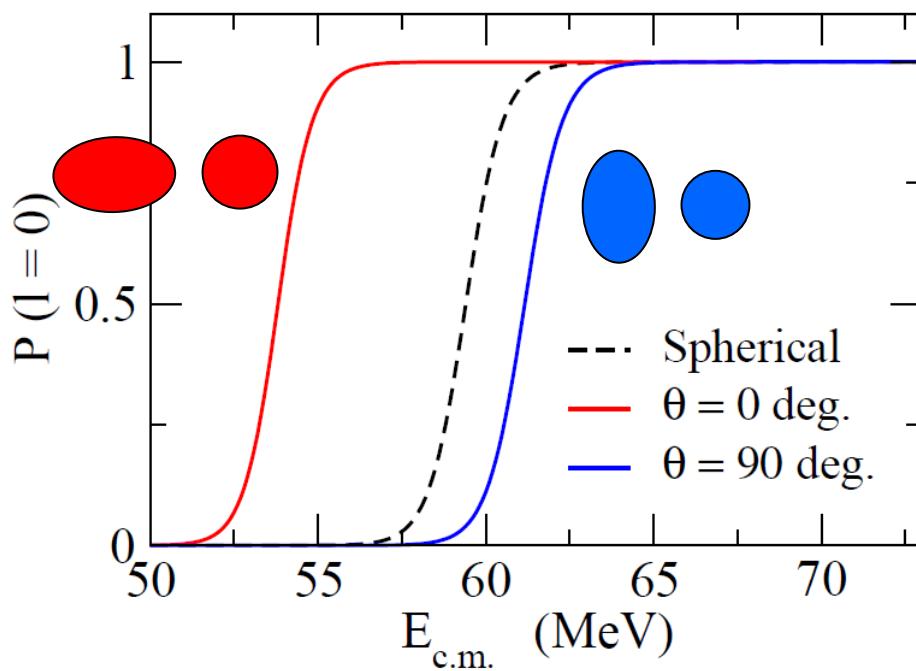
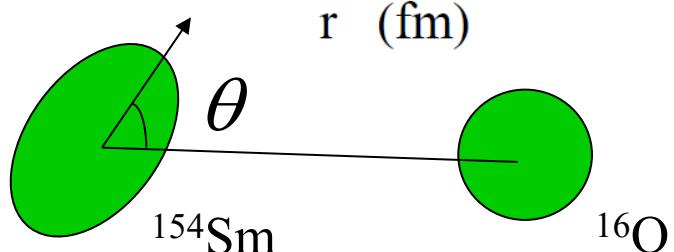
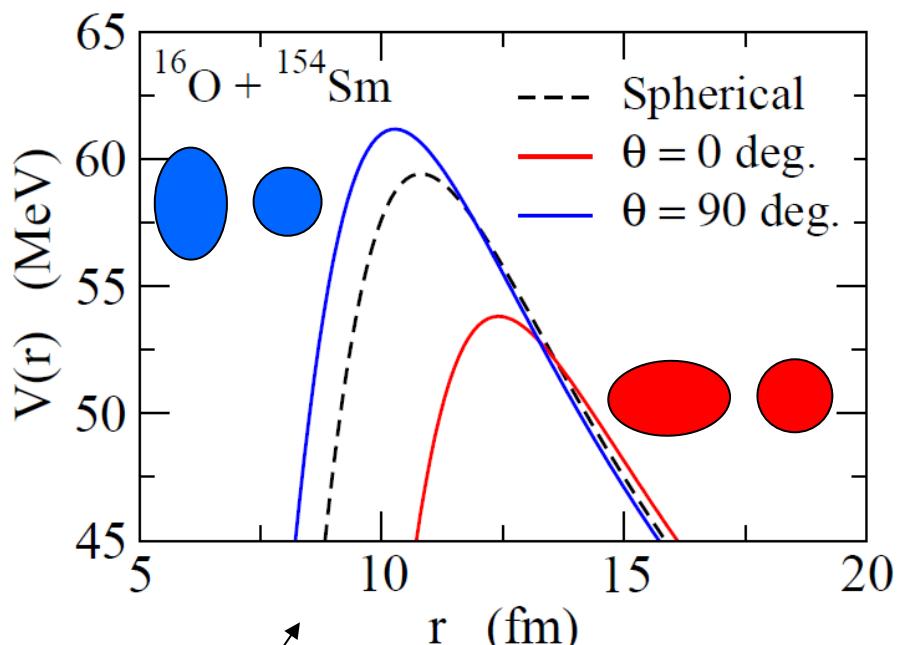


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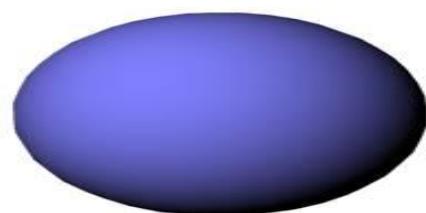


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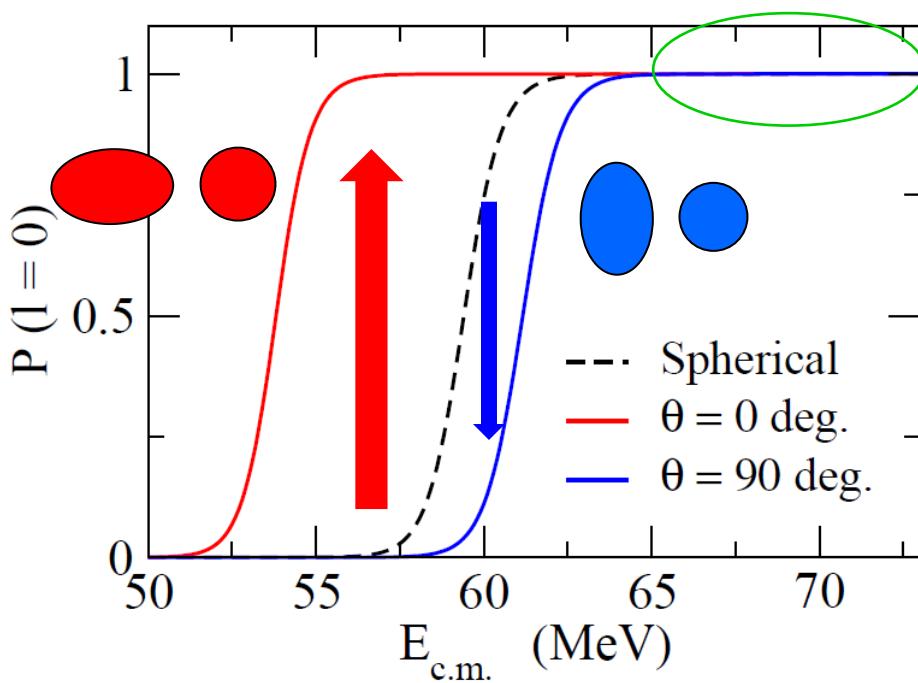
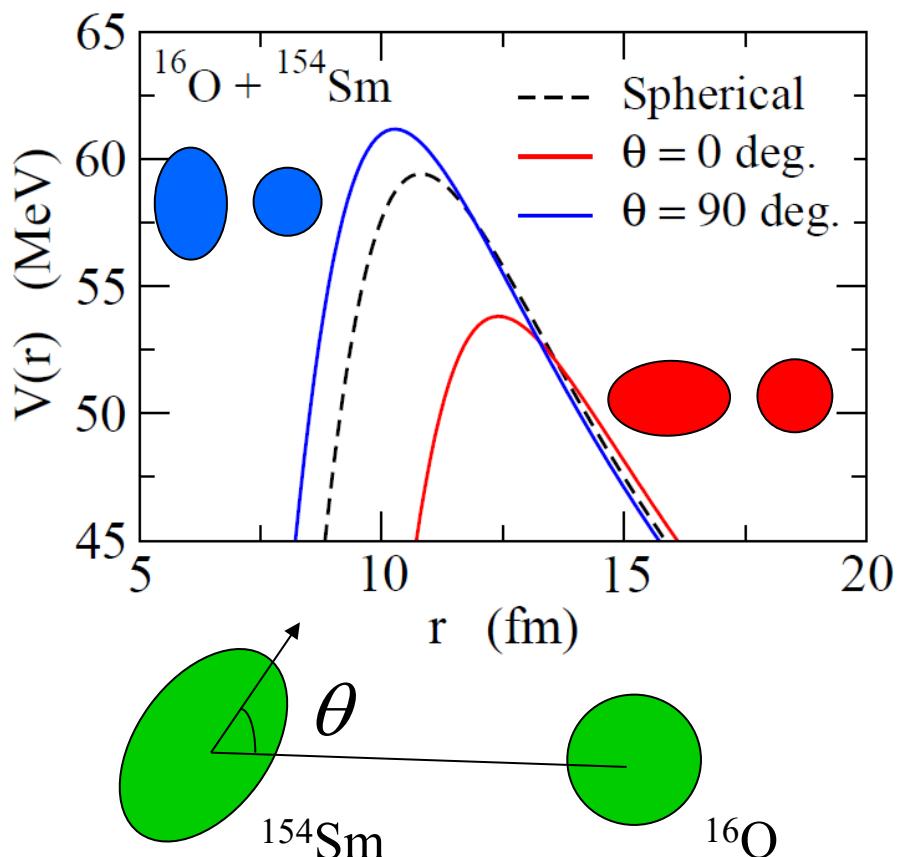


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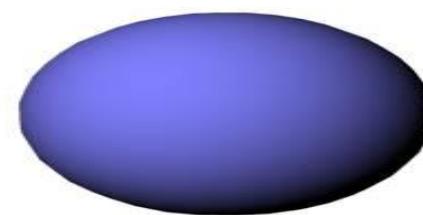


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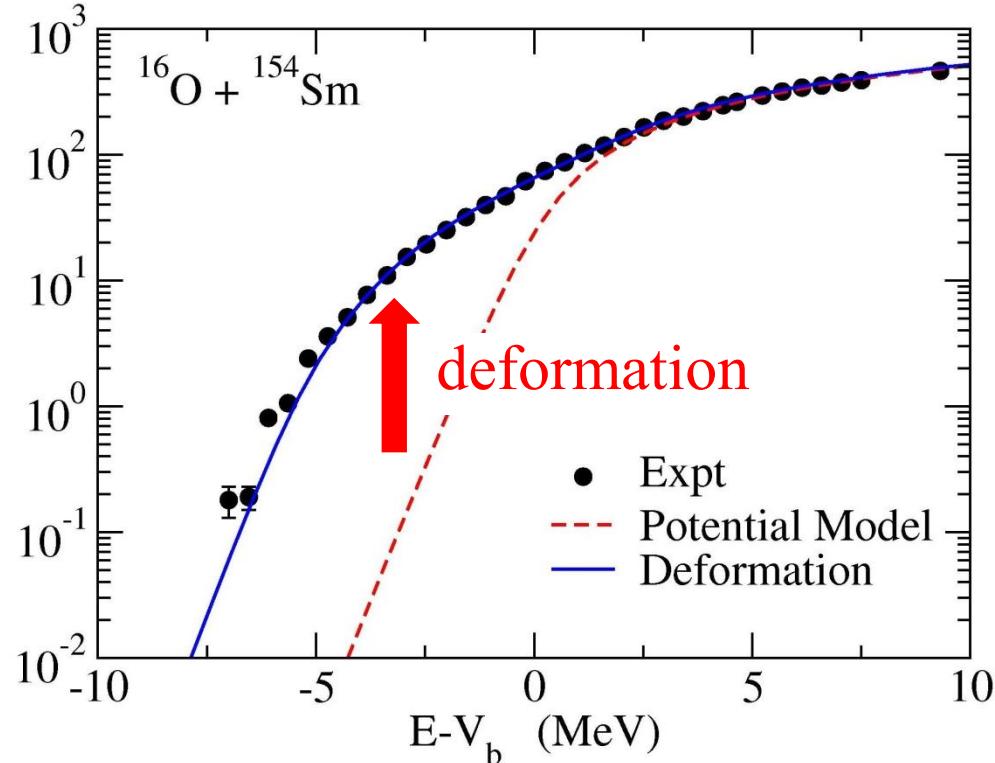
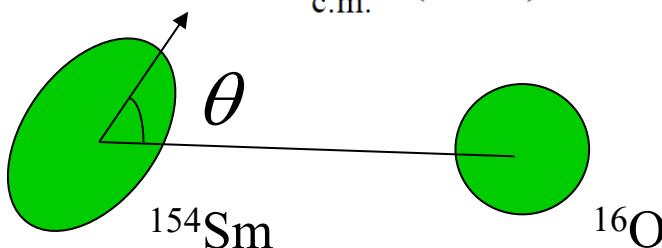
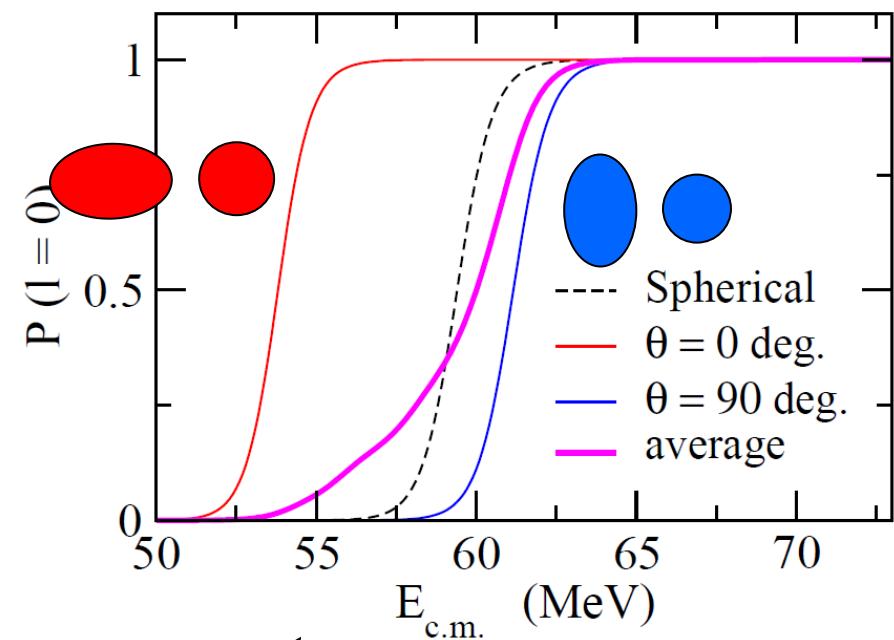


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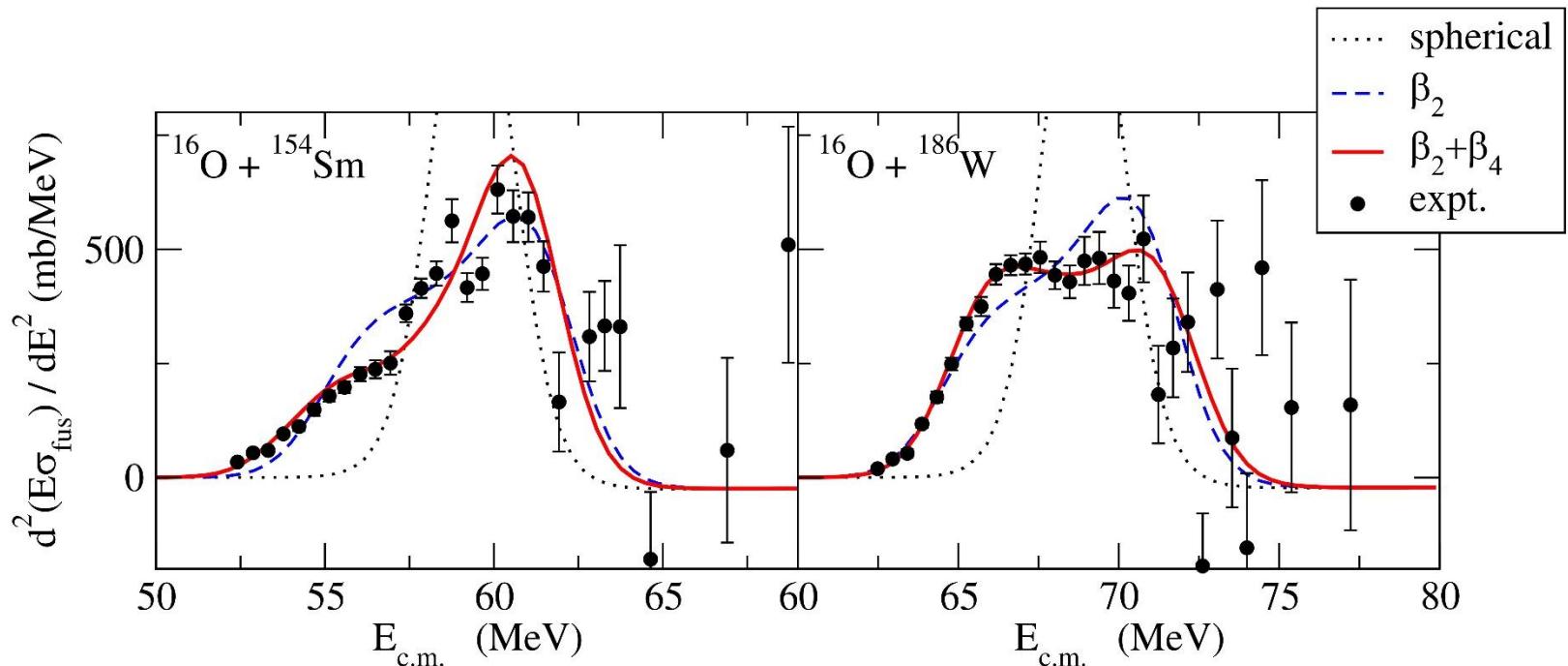


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$$\sigma_{\text{fus}}(E) = \int_0^1 d(\cos \theta) \sigma_{\text{fus}}(E; \theta)$$

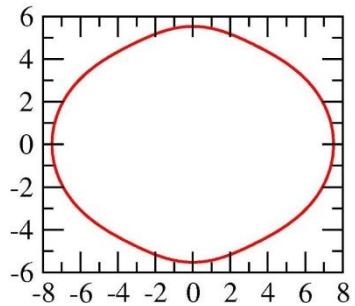
Fusion: strong interplay between nuclear structure and reaction



$$R(\theta) = R_0(1 + \beta_2 Y_{20}(\theta) + \beta_4 Y_{40}(\theta) + \dots)$$

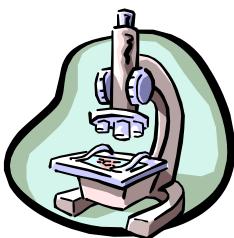
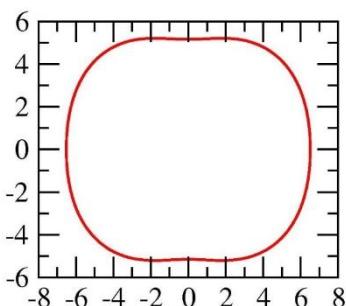
$$\beta_2 = 0.33$$

$$\beta_4 = +0.05$$



$$\beta_2 = 0.29$$

$$\beta_4 = -0.03$$

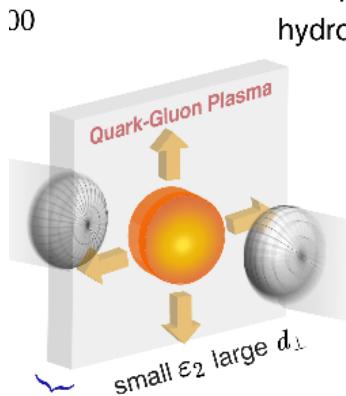
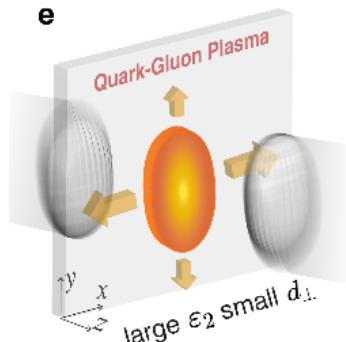


sensitive to the sign of β_4 !

→ Fusion as a quantum tunneling microscope for nuclei

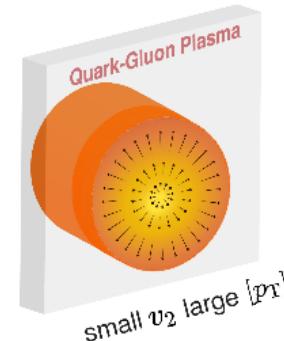
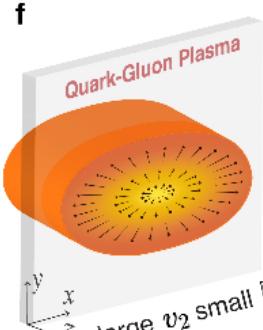
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the initial shape of QGP



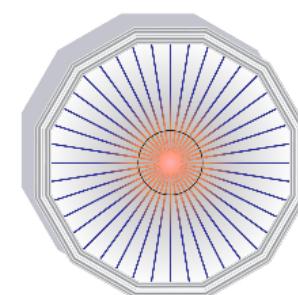
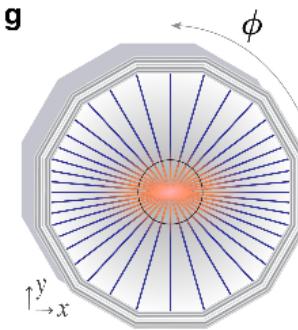
$\sim 2R_0/\Gamma \sim 0.1 \text{ fm}/c$
exposure

expansion



$\tau \sim 10 \text{ fm}/c$
expansion

detection



$\tau \sim 10^{15} \text{ fm}/c$
detection

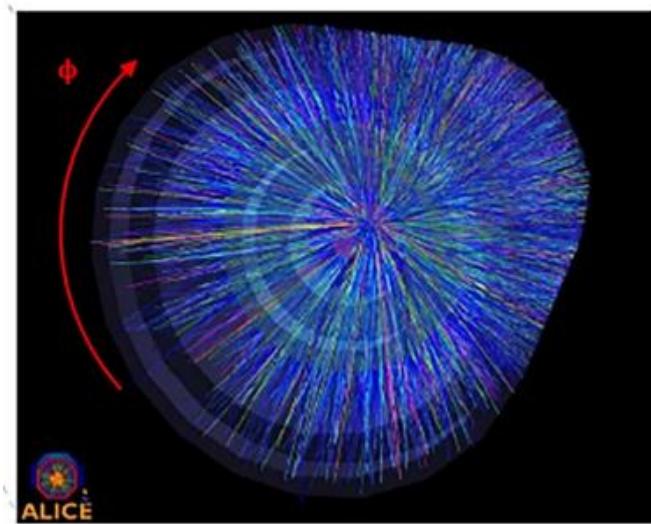
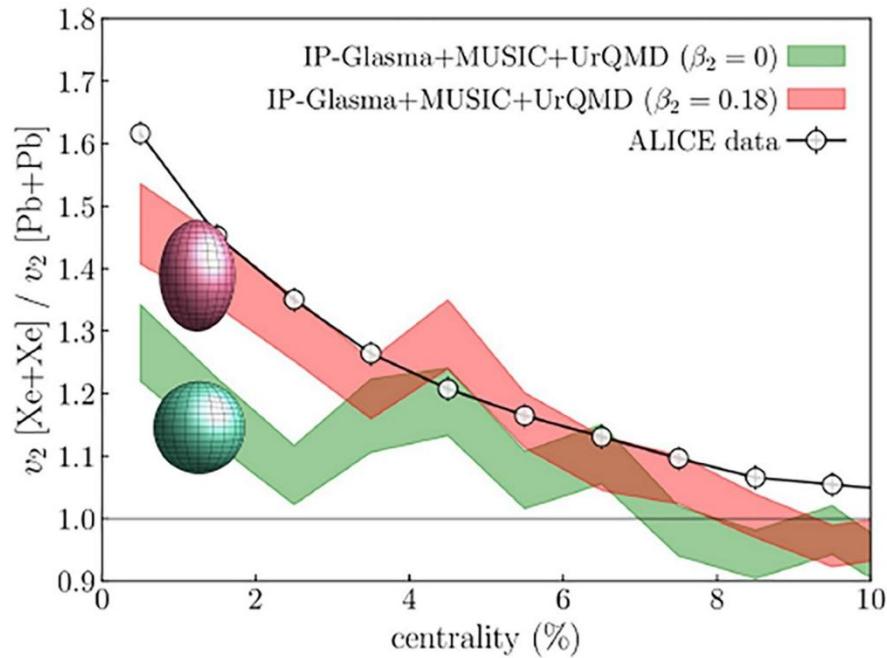
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flow:

the final N-distribution

$$\frac{1}{N} \frac{dN}{d\phi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[1 + 2 \sum_n v_n \cos n(\phi - \Psi_n) \right]$$

elliptic (橢円) flow v_2



the ratio of $^{129}\text{Xe}+^{129}\text{Xe}$ to $^{208}\text{Pb}+^{208}\text{Pb}$
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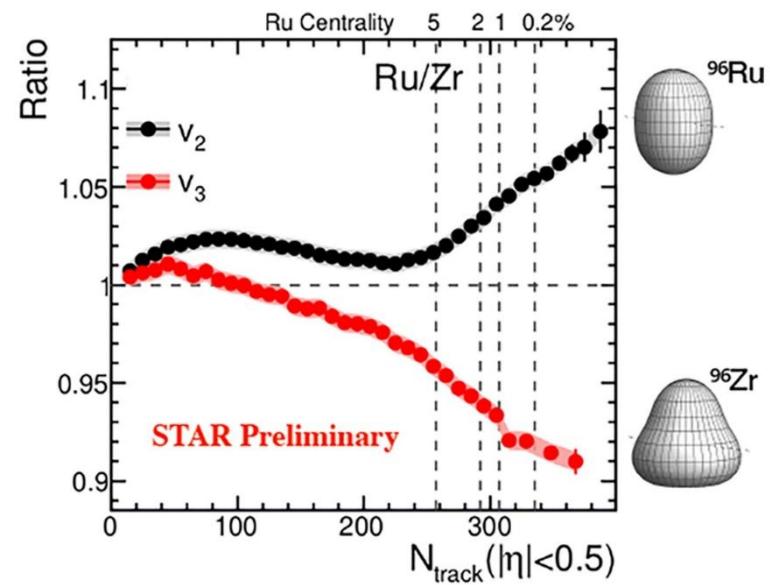
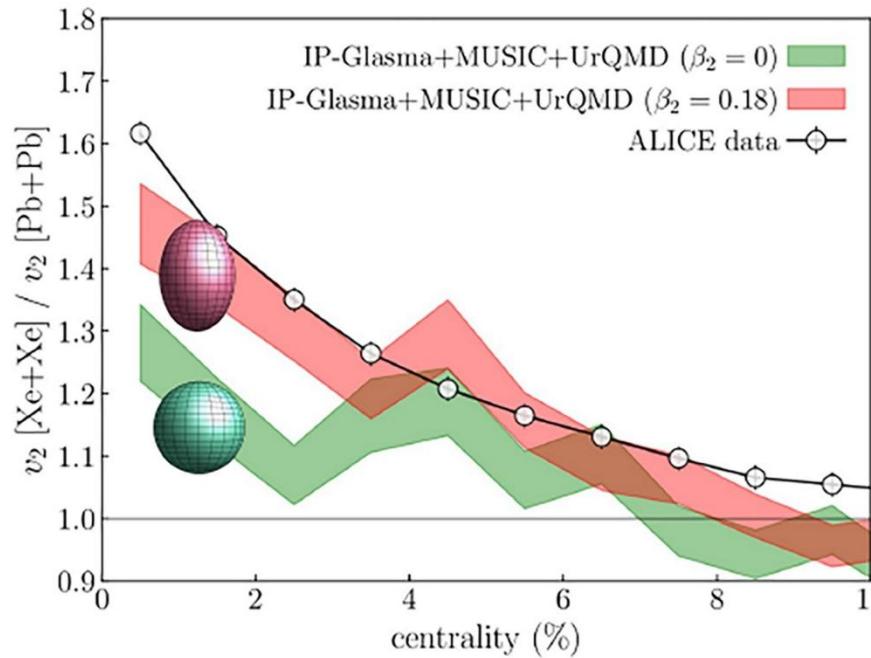
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the ratio of ⁹⁶Ru+⁹⁶Ru to ⁹⁶Zr+⁹⁶Zr
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other examples:

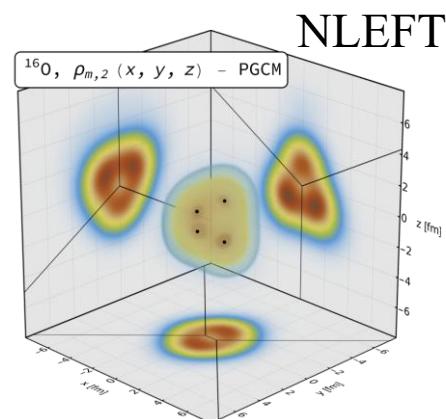
✓ triaxial (γ) deformation



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✓ α cluster

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