

カルシウム62, 72のハロー構造 に関する3体模型からの示唆

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Exploring heavier halo nuclei

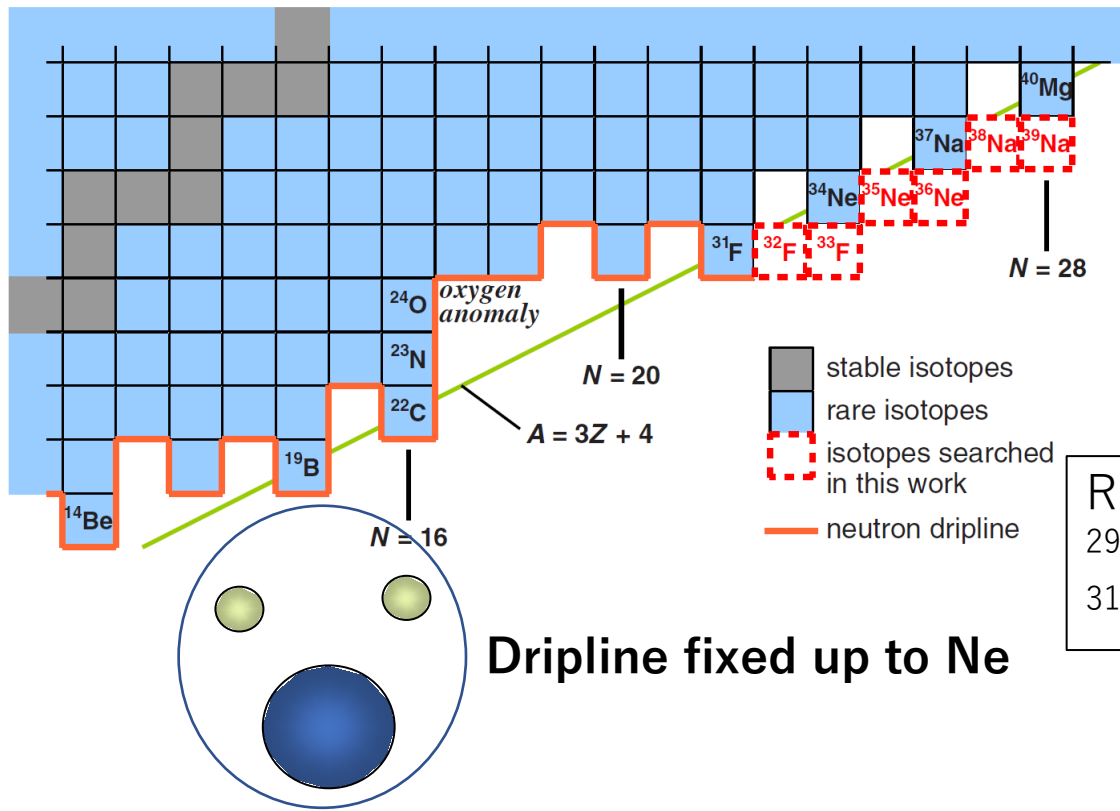
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Editors' Suggestion

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Location of the Neutron Dripline at Fluorine and Neon

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Sudden increase of interaction cross section is observed at ^{29}F

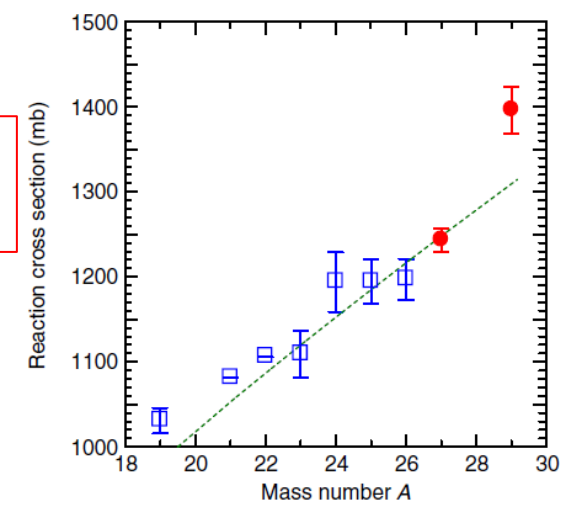
S. Bagchi et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 124, 222504 (2020)

Recent structure studies by three-body models

^{29}F : $^{27}\text{F} + n + n$ J. Singh et al., Phys. Rev. C 101, 024310 (2020)

^{31}F : $^{29}\text{F} + n + n$ H. Masui, WH, M. Kimura, Phys. Rev. C 101, 041303(R) (2020)

Halo structure studies: ^6He , ^{11}Li , ^{14}Be , ^{19}B , ^{22}C , ...
 I. Tanihata et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 55, 2676 (1985)



Demand of heavier core+few-nucleon models

Core+few-nucleon model with a heavy core

- Use of explicitly correlated basis expansion

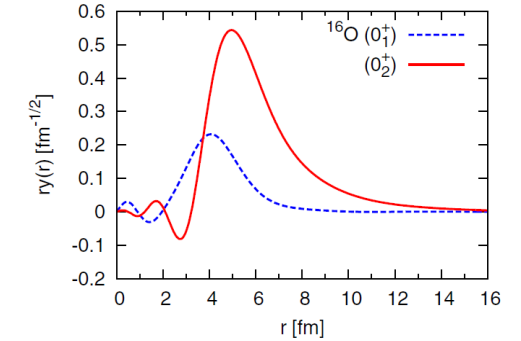
- Limited to light nuclei

- $^{20}\text{C}+n+n$: Halo structure of ^{22}C [WH, Y. Suzuki, Phys. Rev. C 74, 034311 \(2006\)](#)
- $^{12}\text{C}+n+n+p+p$: alpha clustering in the first excited 0^+ state in ^{16}O

[WH, Y. Suzuki, Phys. Rev. C 89, 011304\(R\) \(2014\)](#)

Alpha clustering phenomena in Sn isotopes

[J. Tanaka et al., Science 371, 260 \(2021\)](#)

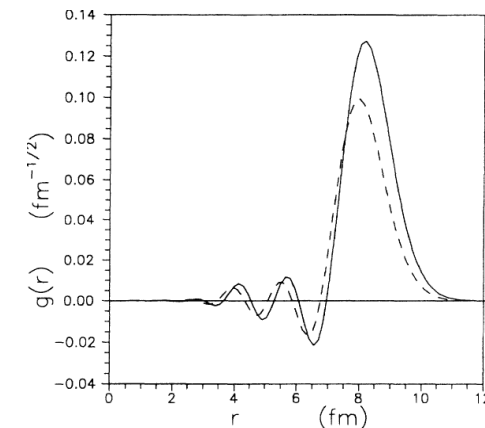


- **Difficulties** for describing nucleon orbits around a heavy core

- Many forbidden occupied states
- Correlated nucleon motion far from the origin
 - Halo structure
 - Clustering near the surface of the core

→ the needs for efficiently describing...

- Small (nodal) amplitude in the core
- Large amplitude near the nuclear surface



[K. Varga, R.J. Liotta, Phys. Rev. C 50, R1292 \(1994\)](#)

Purpose of this work

- To establish an efficient way to describe

- Short-ranged nodal behavior
- Enhanced amplitude near the nuclear surface

Ordinary Gaussian \rightarrow Forbidden-state-Free Locally-Peaked Gaussian (FFLPG)

$$r^l \exp(-ar^2) \rightarrow \text{LPG} \quad r^{2k+l} \exp(-ar^2) \rightarrow \text{FFLPG (present study)}$$

Y. Suzuki, WH, Phys. Rev. C 95, 044320 (2017)

WH, Y. Suzuki, M. A. Shalchi, L. Tomio, in prep.

Y. Suzuki, Phys. Rev. C 101, 014002 (2020)

- To clarify the condition that the halo structure emerges for $^{62, 72}\text{Ca}$

- Touchstone nuclei for extremely neutron-rich Ca isotopes
- **FFLPG: Easy application to various nuclear states**

- Ground and **excited** states

Dripline of Ca isotopes, under debate

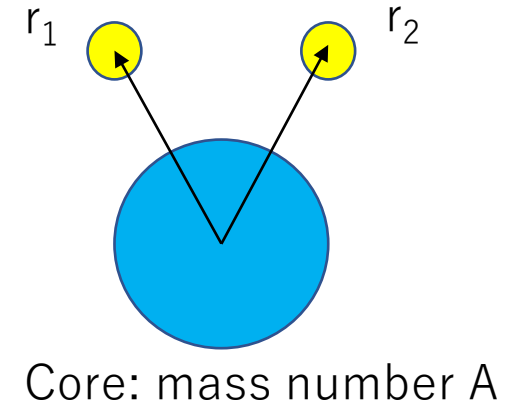
- No experimental information for $N > 40$
 - Existence, confirmed up to ^{60}Ca [O.B. Tarasov et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, 022501 \(2018\)](#)
 - Mass measurement up to ^{57}Ca [S. Michimasa et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, 022506 \(2018\)](#)
 - Interaction cross section ^{51}Ca [M. Tanaka et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 124, 102501 \(2020\)](#)
- Theory
 - Dripline around ^{60}Ca [G. Hagen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 109, 032502 \(2012\)](#),
• 2n halo of ^{62}Ca [G. Hagen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 111, 132501 \(2013\)](#)
 - Dripline around ^{70}Ca
 - EDF [J. Erler et al., Nature 486, 509 \(2012\)](#), [C. Forssen et al., Phys. Scr. T152, 014022 \(2013\)](#) and references therein
 - Bayesian analysis [L. Neufcourt et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 122, 062502 \(2019\)](#)
 - Discussion on Efimov physics in ^{72}Ca [D. Hove et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 120, 052502 \(2018\)](#)
 - Recent shell model based on chiral int. [L. Coraggio et al., Phys. Rev. C 102, 054326 \(2020\)](#)
 - Recent ab initio calculation [S.R. Stroberg et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 126, 022501 \(2021\)](#)

Hamiltonian for core+2n system

Standard three-body Hamiltonian with cluster-orbital shell model

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^2 (T_i + V_i) + \frac{1}{Am} \mathbf{p}_1 \cdot \mathbf{p}_2 + v_{12}.$$

Kinetic, **n-core interaction** Recoil term n-n interaction
Minnesota pot.



- Variational calculation with non-orthogonal basis expansion
 → generalized eigenvalue problem $\mathcal{H}c = E\mathcal{B}c,$ $\Psi_{JM} = \sum_{i=1}^K c_i \Phi_{JM}(\alpha_i),$

$$\mathcal{H}_{ij} = \langle \Phi(\alpha_i) | H | \Phi(\alpha_j) \rangle, \quad \mathcal{B}_{ij} = \langle \Phi(\alpha_i) | \Phi(\alpha_j) \rangle. \quad \text{“Good” basis needed}$$

Valence neutron orbits **should be orthogonal** to all the occupied (forbidden) states in the core

- Pseudopotential method V.I. Kukulin, V.N. Pomerantsev, Ann. Phys. (NY), 111, 330 (1978)

- λ value typically $>10^4 \rightarrow$ numerically unstable

$$H \rightarrow H + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^2 P_F(i)$$

- Forbidden-state free basis (This work)**
 - No pseudo-potential is introduced**

Forbidden-state-Free Locally-Peaked Gaussian (FFLPG) approach

• Single-particle (sp) state $\phi_{kljm}^a = \phi_{kl}^a(r) [Y_l(\hat{\mathbf{r}})\chi_{1/2}]_{jm}$,

• LPG basis $\phi_{kl}^a(r) = N_{kl} \left(\frac{a^3}{\pi}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}} (\sqrt{ar})^{2k+l} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}ar^2\right)$ $N_{kl} = \sqrt{\frac{2^{2k+l+2}}{(4k+2l+1)!!}}$

• Projection operator $P_F = \sum_{n'l'j' \in F} \sum_{m'=-j'}^{j'} |\psi_{n'l'j'm'}^\nu\rangle \langle \psi_{n'l'j'm'}^\nu|$

ψ_{nljm}^ν : Harmonic-oscillator wave function for simplicity

• **FFLPG basis**

^{61}Ca case (N=40 closed): up to pf-shell (10 Orbits)

^{71}Ca case: additional forbidden 0g_{9/2} orbit

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\phi}_{kljm}^a &= (1 - P_F)\phi_{kljm}^a \\ &= \phi_{kljm}^a - \sum_{n' \in F} \langle \psi_{n'l}^\nu | \phi_{kl}^a \rangle \psi_{n'ljm}^\nu \end{aligned}$$

Antisymmetrized two-neutron basis

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{JM}(a_1 k_1 l_1 j_1; a_2 k_2 l_2 j_2) \\ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 - P_{12}) \left\{ \left[\bar{\phi}_{k_1 l_1 j_1}^{a_1}(1) \bar{\phi}_{k_2 l_2 j_2}^{a_2}(2) \right]_{JM} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Choice of n-⁶⁰Ca potential

- Phenomenological WS potential

$$V(r) = -V_0 f(r) + V_1 r_0^2 \frac{1}{r} \frac{df(r)}{dr} (\boldsymbol{\ell} \cdot \boldsymbol{s}),$$

$$f(r) = [1 + \exp(r - R_{WS}) / a_{WS}]^{-1}$$

$$a_{WS} = 0.67 \text{ fm}, R_{WS} = 1.27A^{1/3} \text{ fm}$$

- Following the theoretical work
 - 2s1/2 energy is set to be -0.01 MeV
 - Vary V_1 to change 0g9/2 energy

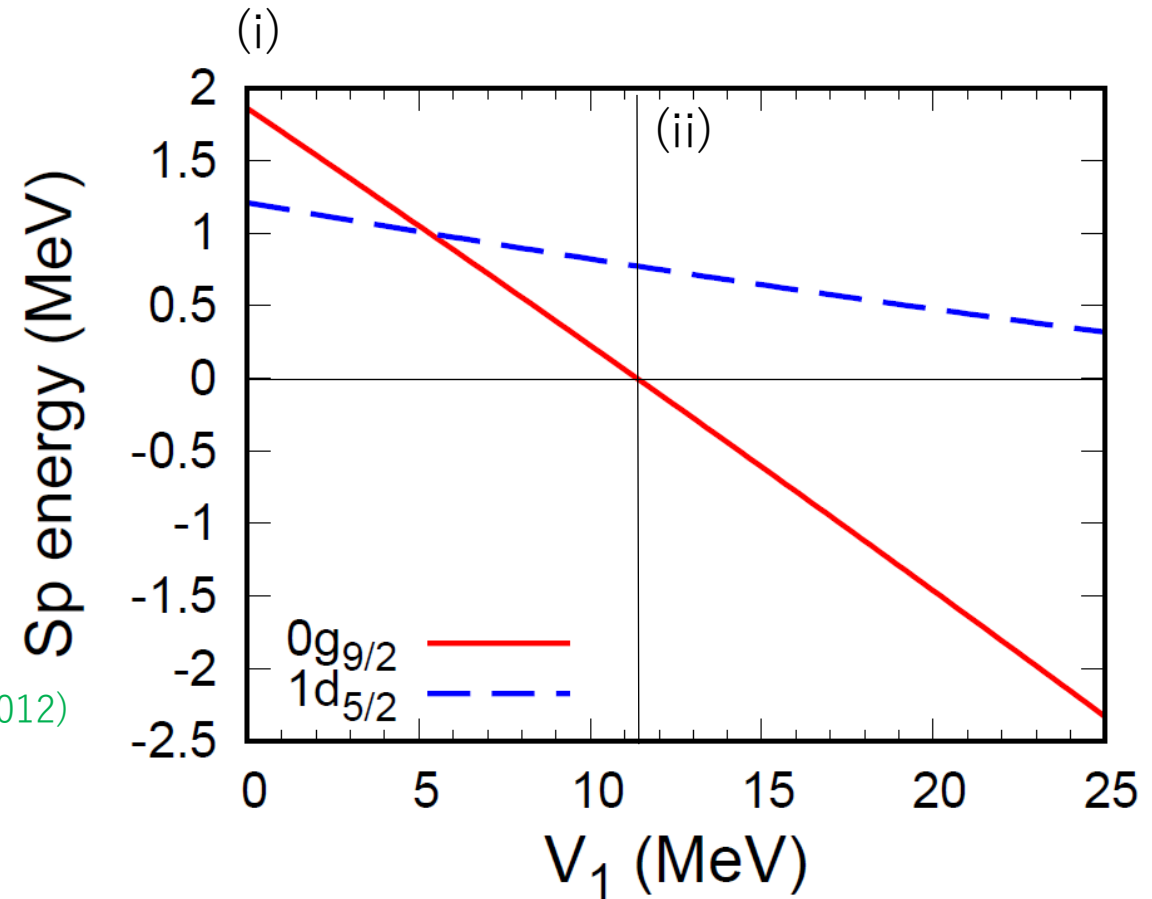
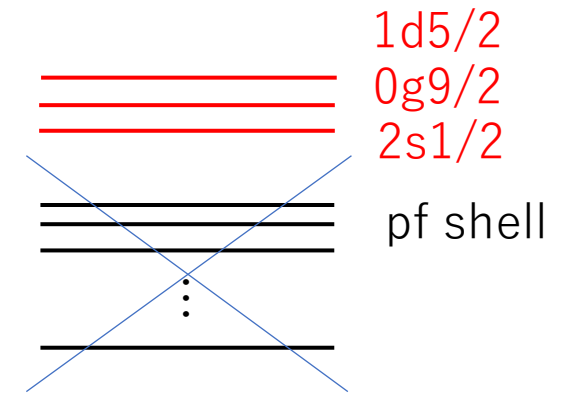
(i) Vanishing spin-orbit limit $V_1 \sim 0$

- Simulates the results of the coupled-cluster*

*G. Hagen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 109, 032502 (2012)

(ii) Degenerate sg limit $V_1 \sim 11$ MeV

- $\varepsilon(0g_{9/2}) \sim \varepsilon(2s_{1/2})$



Tests of FFLPG basis expansion

- Energy convergence only with $l_1=l_2=0$ ($V_1=0$)

$$\Phi_{JM}(a_1 k_1 l_1 j_1; a_2 k_2 l_2 j_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - P_{12}) \left\{ \left[\bar{\phi}_{k_1 l_1 j_1}^{a_1}(1) \bar{\phi}_{k_2 l_2 j_2}^{a_2}(2) \right]_{JM} \right\}$$

Parameters optimized

by the stochastic variational method

K. Varga and Y. Suzuki, PRC52, 2885 (1995).

LPG

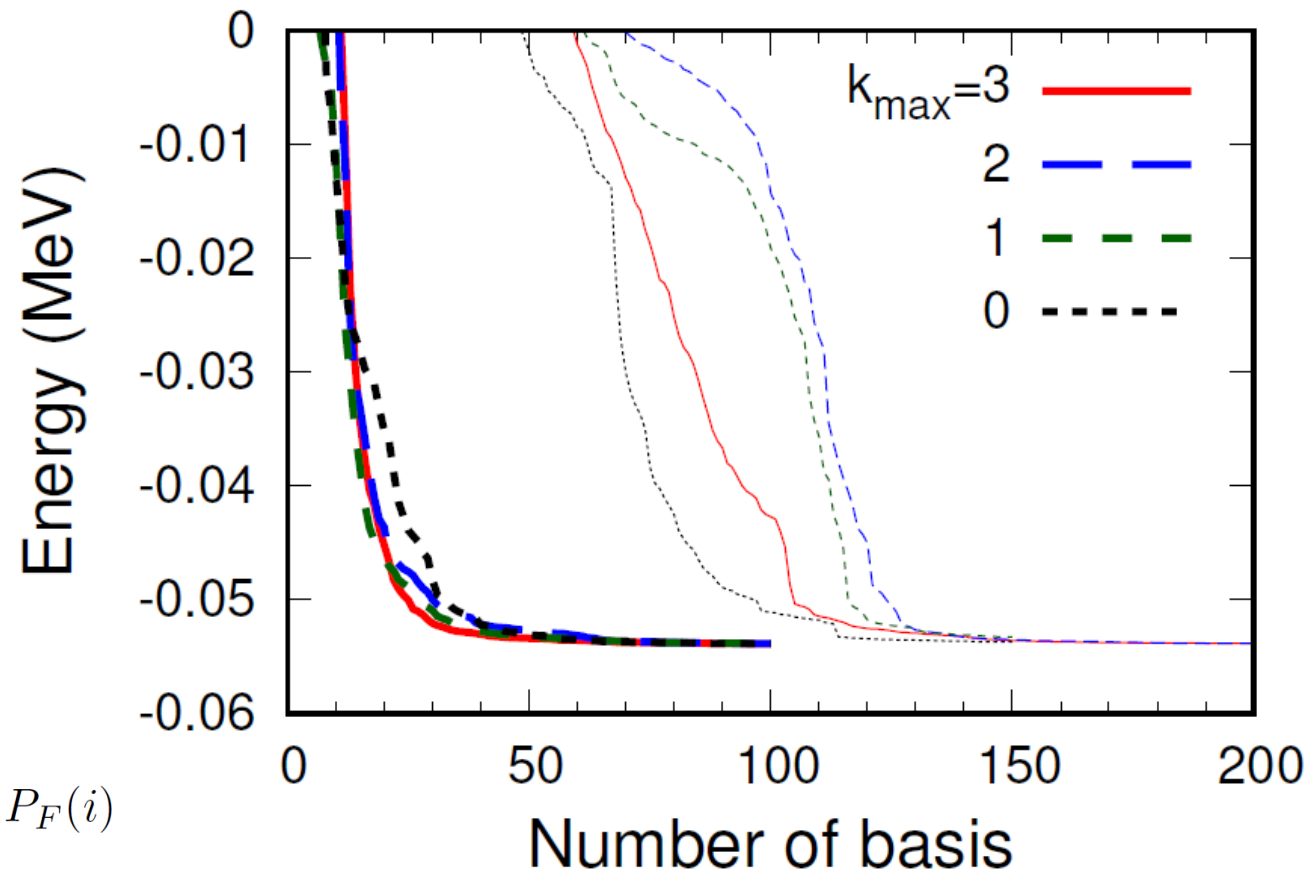
$$\phi_{kl}^a(r) = N_{kl} \left(\frac{a^3}{\pi} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} (\sqrt{ar})^{2k+l} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}ar^2\right)$$

FFLPG

$$\bar{\phi}_{kljm}^a = \phi_{kljm}^a - \sum_{n' \in F} \langle \psi_{n'l}^\nu | \phi_{kl}^a \rangle \psi_{n'ljm}^\nu$$

Comparison with the LPG basis
using the pseudo-potential method
(Thin curves)

$$H \rightarrow H + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^2 P_F(i)$$

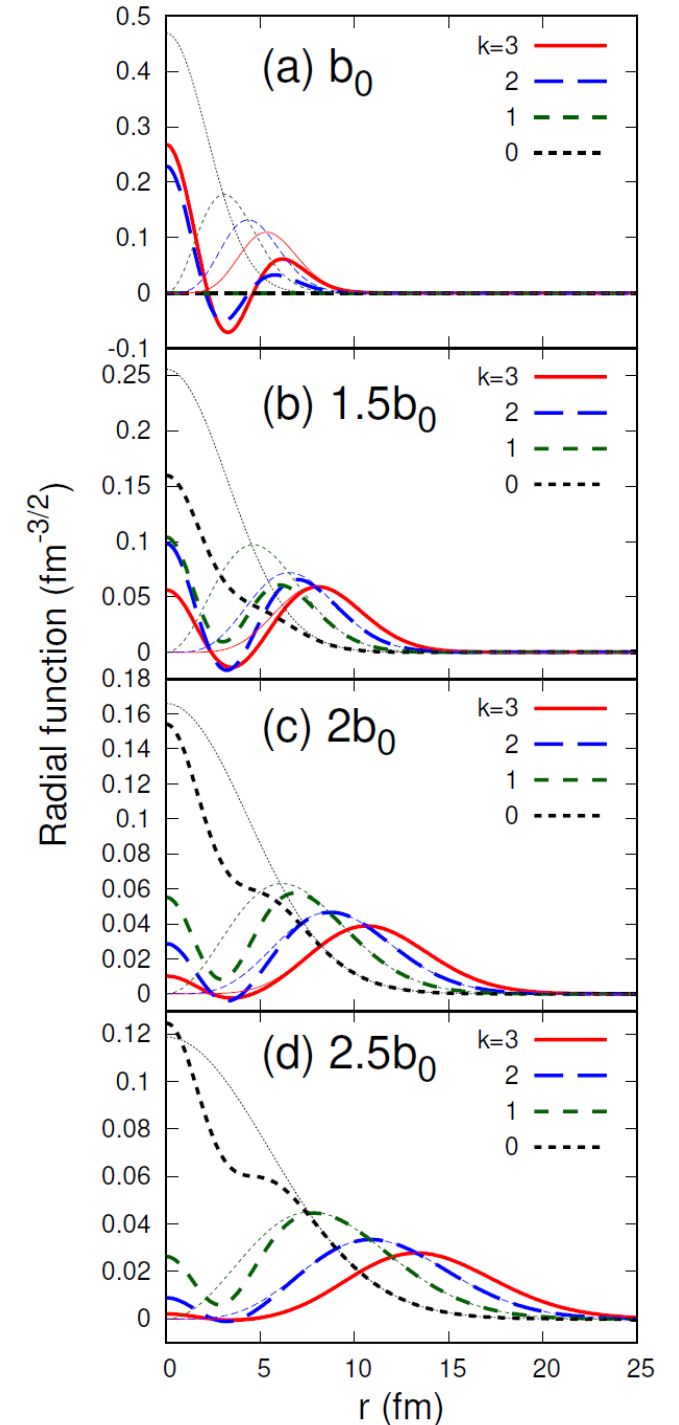


Fast and numerically stable results

FFLPG vs LPG

- $b=b_0(=1/v^{1/2})$
 - $k=0,1$ forbidden states
 - The amplitude is zero
 - $k>1$, the radial function includes nodes
- $b>b_0$
 - Peak of LPG $r = \sqrt{(2k+l)/a}$
 - Radial nodes are taken into account
 - Identical to LPG for large b and k

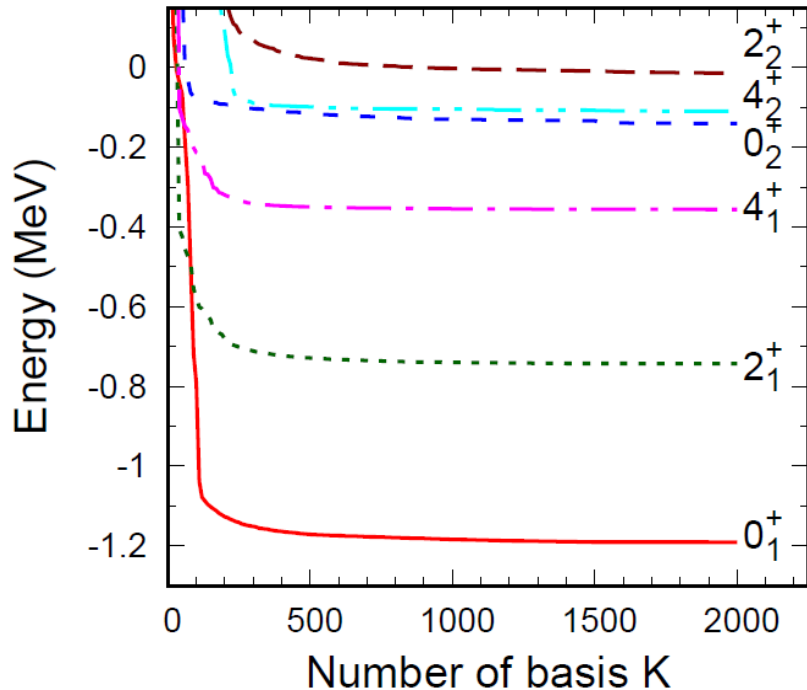
FFLPG: Advantageous to describing large amplitudes near the nuclear surface with short-ranged nodal behavior



Application to ^{62}Ca

$$\Phi_{JM}(a_1 k_1 l_1 j_1; a_2 k_2 l_2 j_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 - P_{12}) \left\{ \left[\bar{\phi}_{k_1 l_1 j_1}^{a_1}(1) \bar{\phi}_{k_2 l_2 j_2}^{a_2}(2) \right]_{JM} \right\}$$

Stochastically selected within
 $b=1/a^{1/2}=[0, 40]$ fm, $l=0-10$, $k=0-3$



J^π	$E(\text{MeV})$	$r_{2n}(\text{fm})$	P_{ss}	P_{gg}	P_{dd}	P_{sg}	P_{sd}	P_{gd}	ΔP
0_1^+	-1.19	5.08	0.01	0.94	0.02	-	-	-	0.02
2_1^+	-0.74	5.12	-	0.86	0.01	-	0.01	0.09	0.03
4_1^+	-0.36	5.35	-	0.87	0.00	0.09	-	0.03	0.01
6^+	-0.22	5.03	-	0.99	-	-	-	0.01	0.01
8^+	-0.21	5.02	-	0.99	-	-	-	-	0.01
0_2^+	-0.14	12.8	0.91	0.02	0.05	-	-	-	0.03
4_2^+	-0.11	10.1	-	0.10	0.00	0.87	-	0.02	0.01
2_2^+	-0.014	6.77	-	0.13	0.03	-	0.14	0.64	0.06

P_{xy} : occupation number

8 states are found with degenerate limit
 $\varepsilon(0g9/2) \sim \varepsilon(2s1/2)$

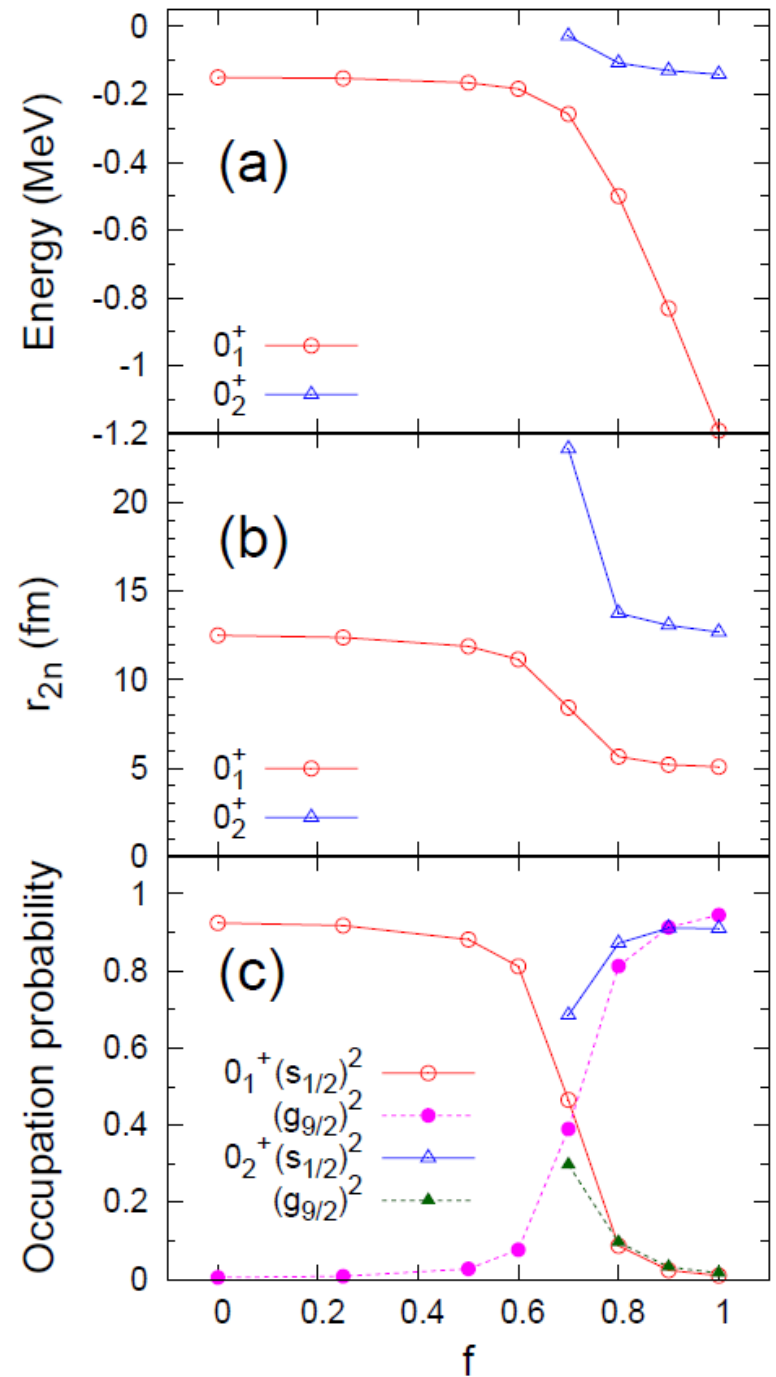
- $(0g9/2)^2$ produces compact $0^+, \dots, 8^+$ states
- 0_2^+ : **2n halo** $(2s1/2)^2$
- 4_2^+ : **1n halo** $(2s1/2)(0g9/2)$

Coexistence of 2n and 1n halo structure

Structure changes

- Vary V_1 as $f V_1$ with $f=[0, 1]$
 - $f=0$: vanishing spin-orbit limit
 - Only two-neutron halo exist G. Hagen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 109, 032502 (2012)
 - $f < 0.7$ level crossing
 - Pairing antihalo effect H. Masui, WH, and M. Kimura, PRC101, 041303 (R) (2020)
 - $\varepsilon(0g_{9/2}) > \varepsilon(2s_{1/2})$
 - $v_{12}[(0g_{9/2})^2] > v_{12}[(2s_{1/2})^2]$
 - $f=1$: degenerate sg limit
 - Nonhalo ground state
 - Two- and one-neutron halo structure coexists

Experimental information highly desired



Implications for ^{72}Ca

- No information
- Similar model can be considered
 - $\epsilon(2s_{1/2}) = -0.01$
 - Absence of $0g_{9/2}$: Competition between $2s_{1/2}$ and $1d_{5/2}$ orbits

If V_1 is strong enough like the degenerate limit

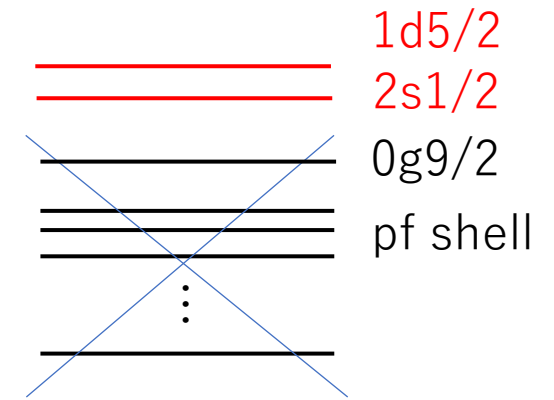
- **2n halo** of 0_2^+ $(2s_{1/2})^2$
- 2^+ and 3^+ doublet **1n halo** states with $(2s_{1/2})(1d_{5/2})$ orbits

From this phenomenological three-body model approach

- The degenerate case is unlikely

too strong V_1 (more than 2 times than standard value) is needed to realize it

2n Halo structure emerges if the $2s_{1/2}$ orbit is close to the threshold



Summary and prospects

- Forbidden-state-Free Locally-Peaked Gaussian expansion
 - Short-ranged nodal behavior
 - Large amplitude near the nuclear surface
 - Fast and numerically stable convergence
 - **Easy extension to core plus few-nucleon models involving a heavy core nucleus**
- Application to $^{62,72}\text{Ca}$
 - Competition of $2s_{1/2}$ and $0g_{9/2}$ ($1d_{5/2}$) orbits
 - Vanishing spin-orbit limit: Two-neutron halo structure for the ground state
 - Degenerate sg limit: **Two- and one-neutron halo structure can coexist in spectrum**
 - Implication to possible two-neutron halo structure in ^{72}Ca
- Future applications include
 - ^{212}Po : $^{208}\text{Po}+n+n+p+p$, improved results than K. Varga, R.J. Liotta, PRC 50, R1292 (1994)
 - ^{104}Te : $^{100}\text{Sn}+n+n+p+p$
 - Sn isotopes, role of neutron excess [J. Tanaka et al., Science 371, 260 \(2021\)](#)