

Quantum Fluctuation Effects on Nuclear Fragment and Atomic Cluster Formation

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BASIC IDEA

- *Microcanonical Phase Volume*

$$\Omega(E) = \text{Tr}(\delta(E - \hat{H})) = \int d\Gamma \rho_E(Z)$$

$$\rho_E(Z) = \langle Z | \delta(E - \hat{H}) | Z \rangle \equiv \exp(-\mathcal{F}_E(Z)) \\ \neq \delta(E - \mathcal{H})$$

→ Wave Packet \neq Energy Eigenstate

- *Fokker-Planck Equation*

$$\frac{D\phi(Z;t)}{Dt} = \left[-\sum_i \frac{\partial}{\partial q_i} \left(V_i - \sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial q_j} \right) \right] \phi$$

$$V_i = -\sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial \mathcal{F}_E(Z)}{\partial q_j}$$

→ Quantum Canonical Ensemble = Statis Solution

- *Equivalent Langevin Equation*

$$\frac{Dq_i}{Dt} = V_i + \sum_j g_{ij} \zeta_j$$

$$g \cdot g = M \quad \langle \zeta_i(t) \zeta_j(t') \rangle = 2\delta_{ij} \delta(t - t')$$

→ Quantal Langevin Model

CANONICAL ENSEMBLE

- *Partition Function*

$$\mathcal{Z}_\beta = \text{Tr} \left(\exp(-\beta \hat{H}) \right) = \int d\Gamma \mathcal{W}_\beta(Z)$$

$$\mathcal{W}_\beta(Z) = \langle Z | \exp(-\beta \hat{H}) | Z \rangle \equiv \exp(-\mathcal{F}_\beta(Z))$$

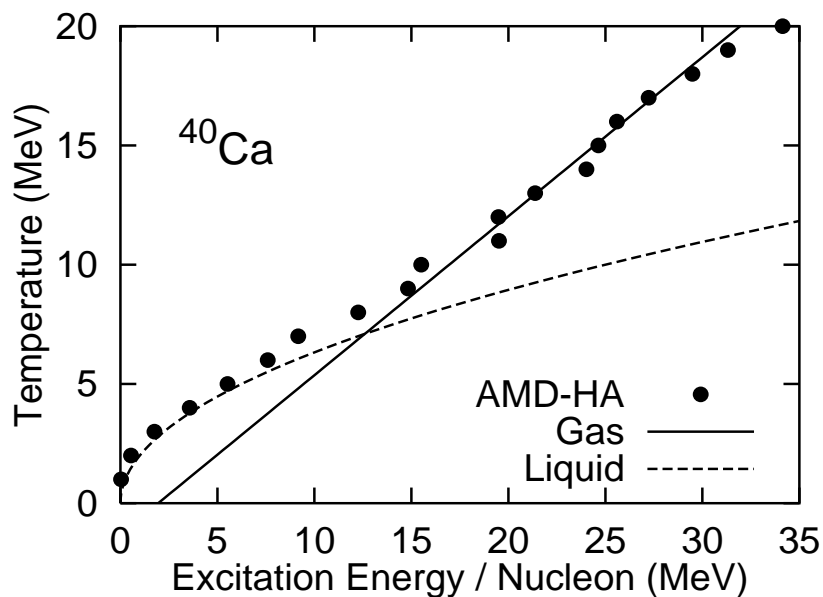
$$\neq \exp(-\beta \mathcal{H})$$

- *Harmonic Approximation*

$$\mathcal{W}_\beta(Z) \approx \exp \left[-\frac{\mathcal{H}}{D} \left(1 - e^{-\beta D} \right) \right]$$

$$D(Z) \equiv \sigma_E^2 / \mathcal{H}$$

→ Improved β Expansion



Gas(Classical): $T = \frac{2E}{3A} - 1.3 \text{ MeV}$

Liquid(Quantum): $T = 2\sqrt{E} \text{ MeV}$

QL Model at Fixed Temperature

- *Modified Einstein Relation*

By using Harmonic App.,

$$V_i \equiv -\sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial \mathcal{F}_E(Z)}{\partial q_j} = -\alpha\beta \sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial q_j}$$
$$\alpha = \frac{1 - \exp(-\beta D)}{\beta D} < 1$$

→ Smaller Friction = Relatively Larger Fluctuation

- *Quantal Langevin Equation*

$$\dot{p} = f - \alpha\beta M^p \cdot (v - u) - \beta M^p \cdot u + g^p \cdot \zeta^p$$
$$\dot{r} = v + \alpha\beta M^r \cdot f + g^r \cdot \xi^r$$
$$f \equiv -\frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial r}, \quad v \equiv \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial p}$$

- *Thermal Distortion*

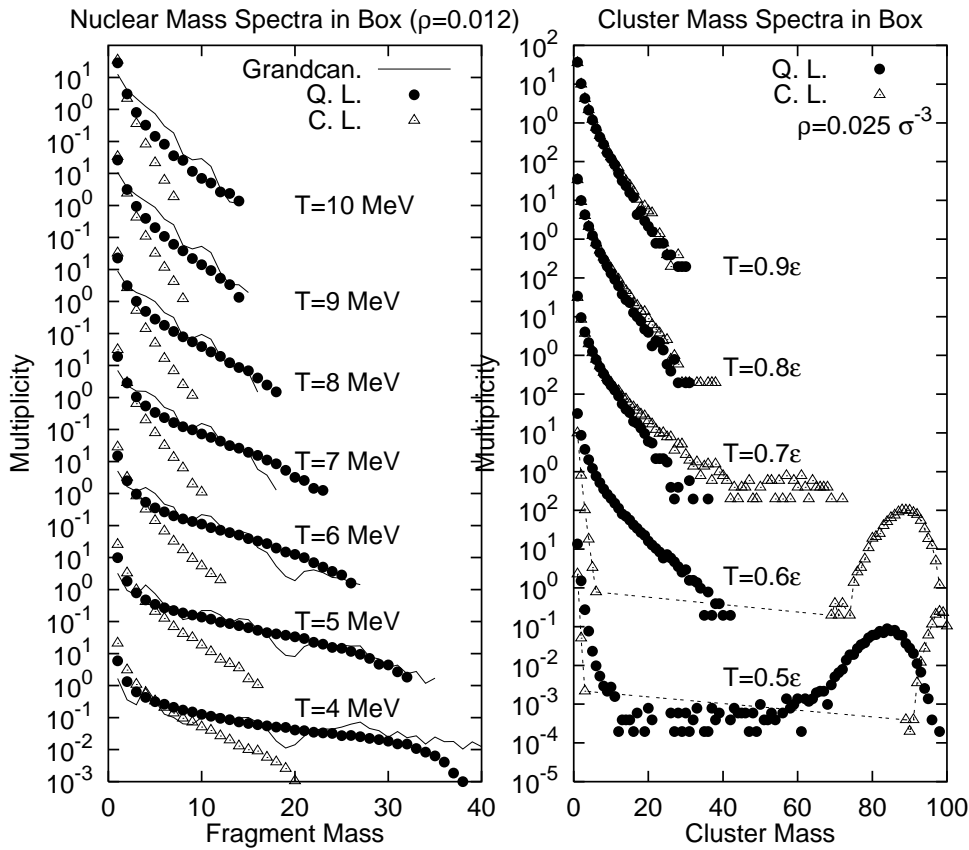
$$\langle \hat{O} \rangle_\beta \equiv \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}_\beta} \text{Tr}(\hat{O} \exp(-\beta \hat{H}))$$
$$= \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}_\beta} \int d\Gamma \mathcal{W}_\beta(Z) \mathcal{O}_\beta(Z)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_\beta(Z) = \frac{\langle Z_{\beta/2} | \hat{O} | Z_{\beta/2} \rangle}{\langle Z_{\beta/2} | Z_{\beta/2} \rangle}, \quad |Z_{\beta/2}\rangle \equiv \exp(-\beta \hat{H}/2) |Z\rangle$$

→ Low E Eigen Component is Enhanced.

Fragmentation at Fixed Temperature

- Nuclear and Atomic Fragment Mass Distribution*



Why is the Quantum Fluctuation Effect Opposite ?

- Effective Temperature = $\frac{(\text{Diff. Coeff.})^2}{\text{Drift.Coeff.}}$*

For Atomic Cluster: (Distortion is Small)

$$T_{\text{eff}} = \frac{g^2}{\alpha\beta M} = \frac{T}{\alpha} = \frac{D}{(1 - e^{-D/T})} > T$$

For Nuclear Fragment: (Distortion is Large)

$$T'_{\text{eff}} = \frac{g^2 e^{-D/T}}{\alpha\beta M} = \frac{D}{e^{D/T} - 1} < T$$

Fragmentation in Nucleus-Nucleus Collision

- *QL Equation at Given E*

$$\rho_E(Z) \equiv \langle Z | \delta(E - \hat{H}) | Z \rangle \propto \frac{(\mathcal{H}/D)^{E/D}}{\Gamma(E/D + 1)} \exp(-\mathcal{H}/D)$$

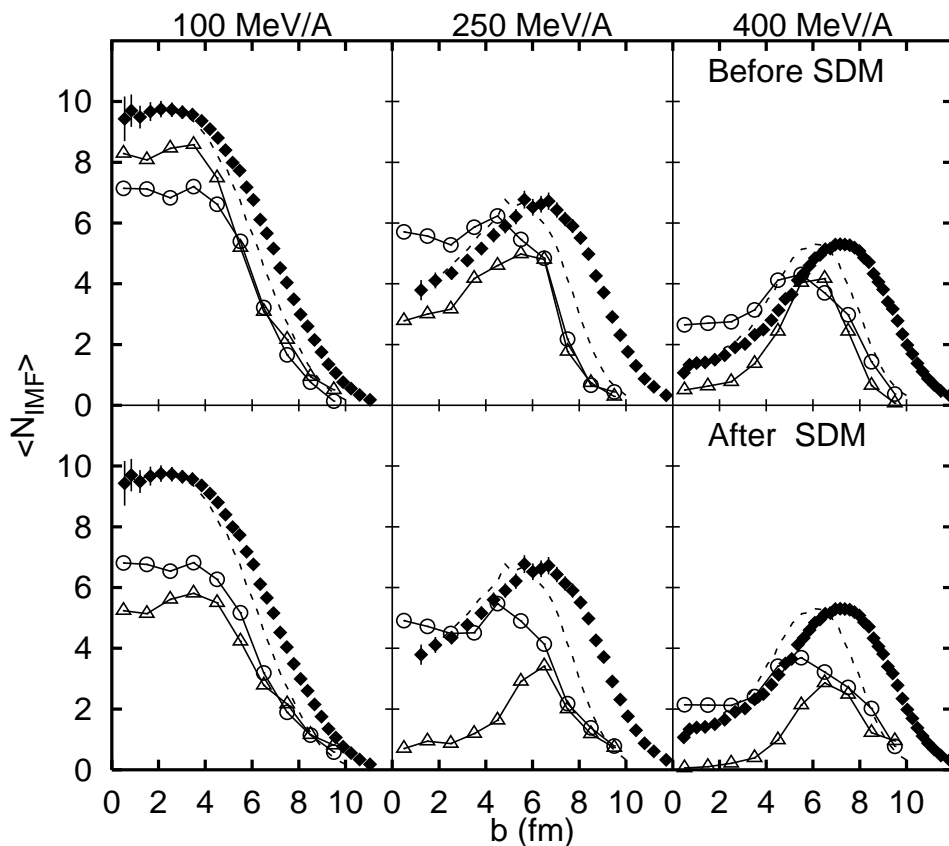
(Continuous Poisson)

$$V_i \simeq -\beta_{\mathcal{H}} \sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial q_j} = -\frac{\mathcal{H} - E}{\sigma_E^2} \sum_j M_{ij} \frac{\partial \mathcal{H}}{\partial q_j}$$

Note:

1. Fluctuations even in Isolated system.
2. Drift term = Energy Recovering Force
→ Small Excitation Energy of Fragments

- *IMF Multiplicity in Au+Au Collision*



Application to Small System

• Ξ^- Particle Absorption at Rest on ^{12}C

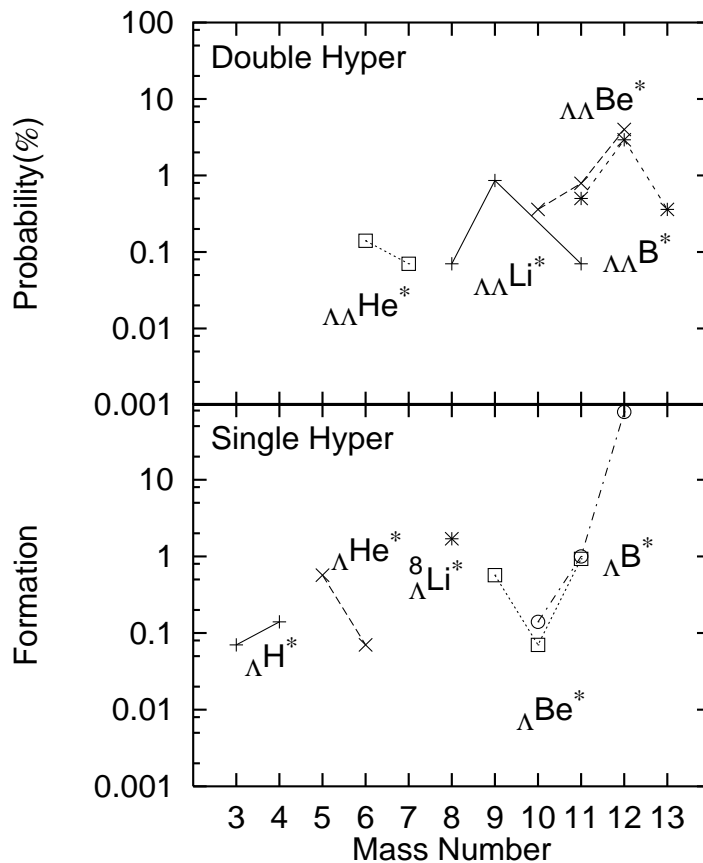
1. Elementary Process $\dots \Xi^- + p \rightarrow \Lambda + \Lambda + 28.3\text{MeV}$
2. Double Hyper Nuclei $\dots \Xi^- + {}^AZ \rightarrow {}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z + X \sim 1\%^a$ *a. S.*
Aoki et al. Prog.Theor.Phys. 85 (1991) 1287

3. Theoretical Approach

	Dynamical	Dyn. + Stat. Decay	Species
AMD	$\sim 70\%$	$\sim 30\%$	${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{13}\text{B}$
AMD-QL	$\sim 10\%$	$\sim 5\%$	Various

→ Larger Fluctuation Enhances Λ Evaporation!

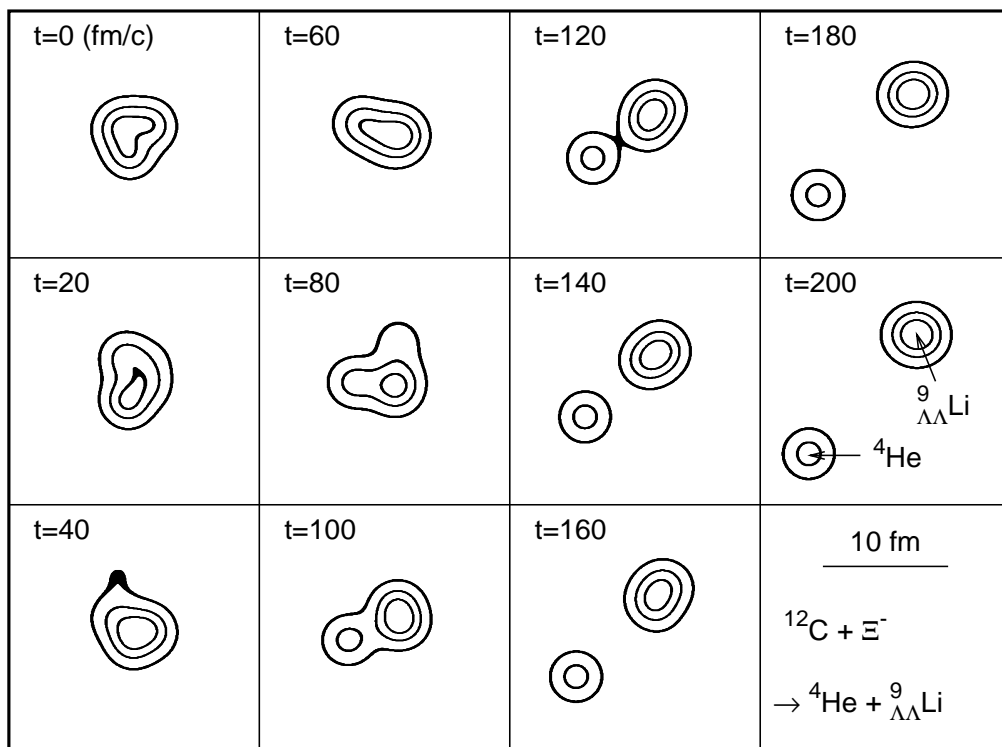
Fragment Distribution before statistical decay(AMD-QL)



• *Twin-Single Hyper Production*

1. Definition ... $\Xi^- + {}^A Z \rightarrow {}_{\Lambda} Z + {}_{\Lambda} Z'$
2. Observed ... $\Xi^- + {}^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow {}_{\Lambda}^4\text{H} + {}_{\Lambda}^9\text{Be}$ (2events/80)^b
b. S. Aoki et al. Phys.Lett. B355 (1995) 45
3. Dynamical Fragmentation ?
 (This channel does not have the largest Q -value.^c)
c. Yamada & Ikeda, PTP Suppl. 117 (1994) 445
4. Theoretical Approach

	Dynamical	Channel
AMD	$\sim 0\%$	
AMD-QL	$\sim 0.5\%$	${}_{\Lambda}^4\text{H} + {}_{\Lambda}^9\text{Be},$ ${}_{\Lambda}^5\text{He} + {}_{\Lambda}^8\text{Li}, \text{ etc.}$
	$\sim 5\%$	Other Fragmentation



SUMMARY & OUTLOOK

- *Quantal Langevin Model*

1. Larger Fluctuations (Quantum & Statistical)
2. Thermal Distortion (Smaller Excitation Energy)

→ Enhancement of Stable Dynamical Fragments

- *Achievements*

- a. Caloric Curve
- b. Nuclear Fragmentation (Fixed T , Au+Au, Ξ^- Abs.)
- c. Shift of T_c of Atomic Cluster Formation

- *Possible Next Challenge*

→ Big Bang Nucleosynthesis through Liquid-Gas Phase Transition

