

Exploring the continuum proton and neutron rich on the way to FAIR



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Ankunft eines Schweregewichts

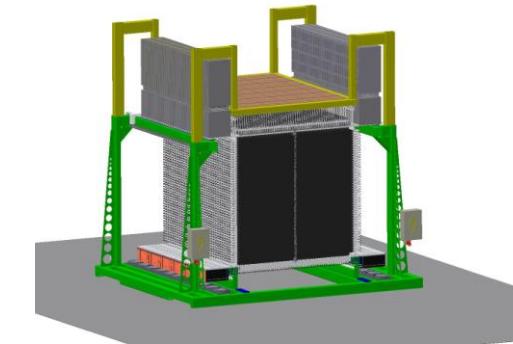
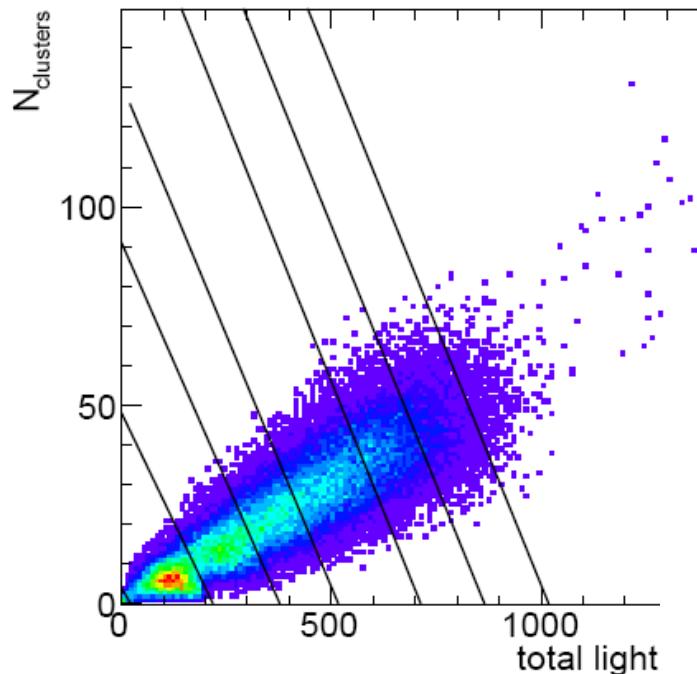
Der Magnet GLAD hat das GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung und FAIR (Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research in Europe) erreicht. Der in Frankreich gefertigte unprallende Magnet GLAD (Large Acceptance Dipole) wird Teil des sogenannten R3B-Experiments an der Beschleunigeranlage von FAIR.

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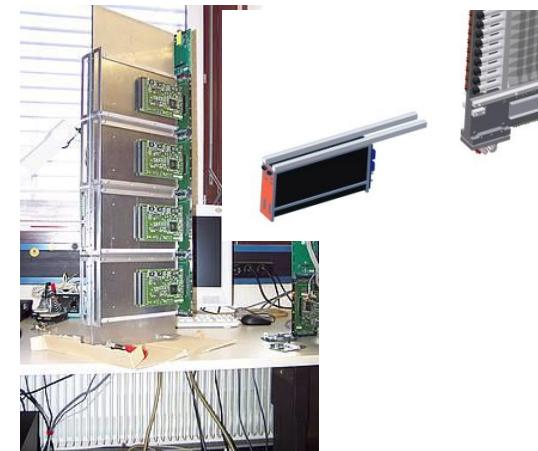
Novel Neutron Detector: NeuLAND

K. Boretzky

Fully active neutron detector based on scintillators
(calorimetry & tracking)



		1000 MeV generated				
detected	%	1n	2n	3n	4n	5n
1n	89	12	1	0	0	0
2n	7	78	23	3	0	0
3n	0	8	63	26	5	0
4n	0	0	12	63	40	0
5n	0	0	0	7	46	0
6n	0	0	0	0	0	8

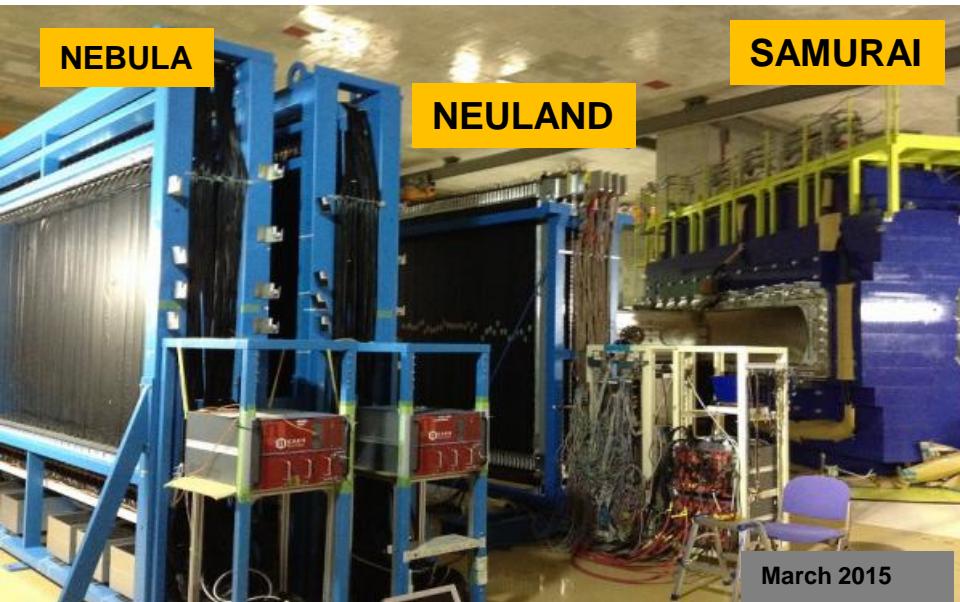


30 double planes
2 x 50 paddles each
5 x 5 x 250 cm³
RP408 / R8619ASSY

FPGA TDC readout

Experimental equipment on the way ...

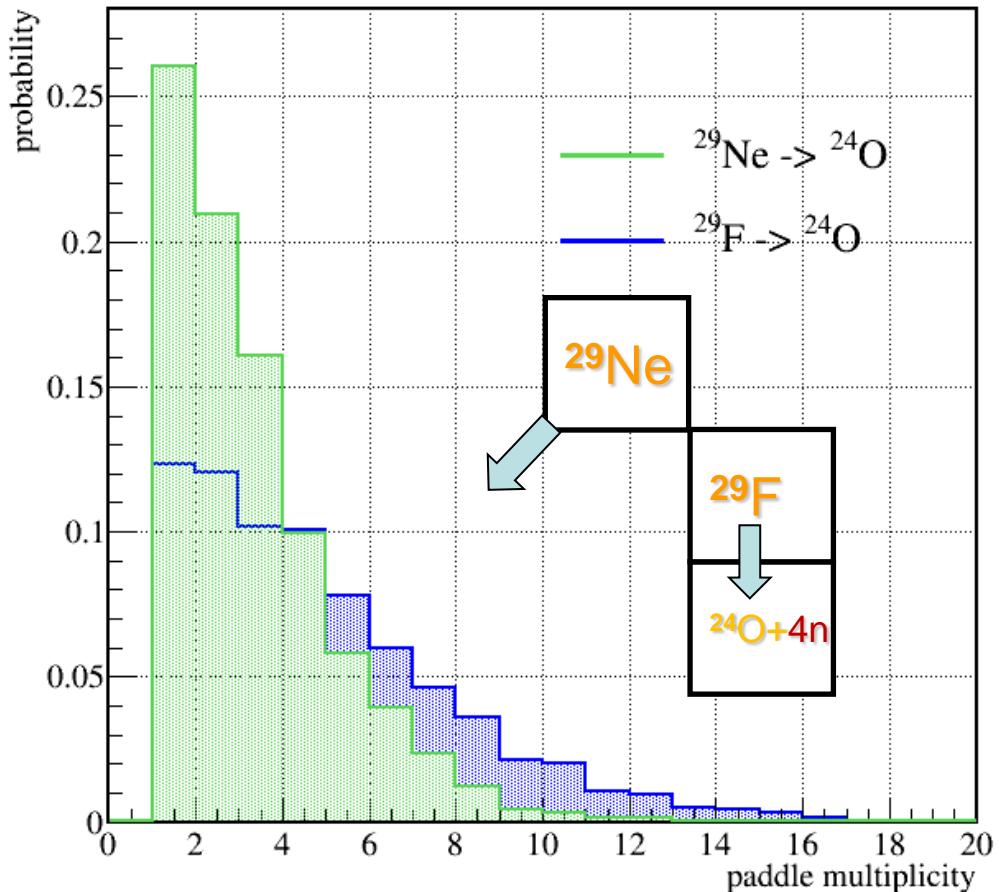
- NeuLAND demonstrator (40 cm depth with only 4 double planes and 800 readout channels) at RIKEN up to end of 2017, participation in various beam times
- at GSI continuation of production (4 more double planes ready), production scheme dominated by funding profile, 11-15 out of 30 d.p. in 2018



... e.g. to RIKEN
Back to GSI
Q4/2017

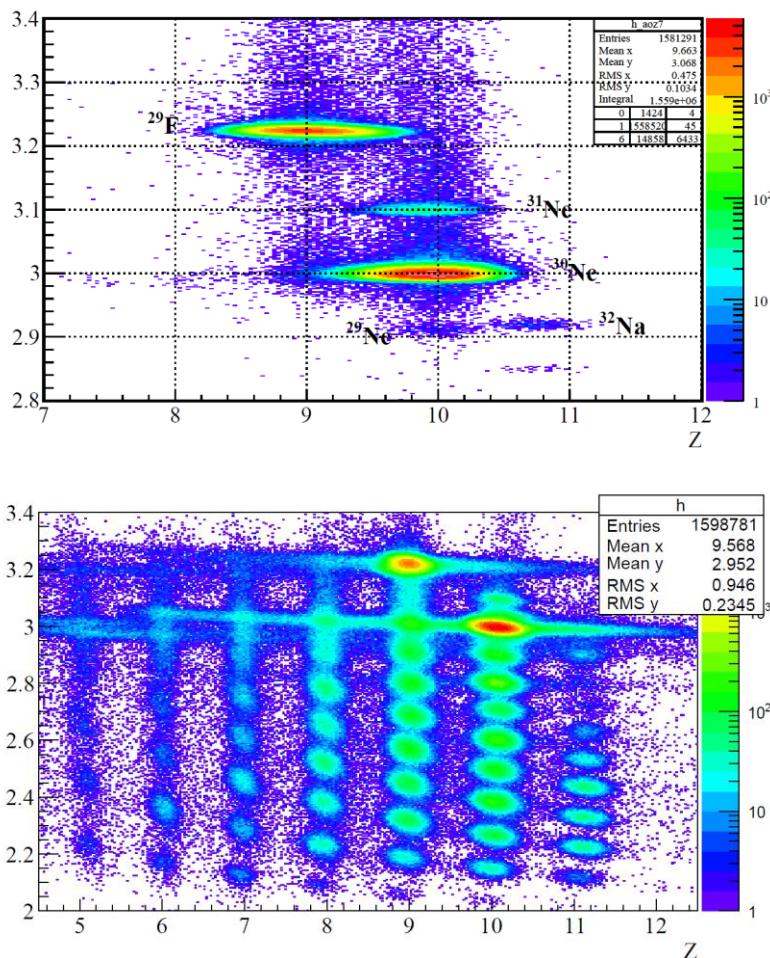
RIKEN: “Performance studies for the prototype”

NeuLAND + NEBULA Paddle Multiplicity



Efficiency evaluations in progress ... not only ;o)

J. Kahlbow/TUDA



At the boundaries: Three body systems



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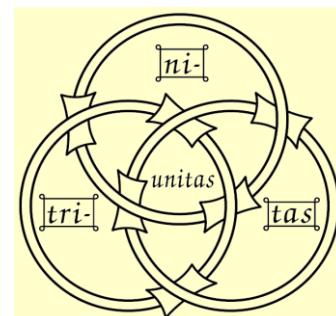
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ⁿ 10.25 m									

¹⁵ Ne unbound	¹⁶ Ne unbound	¹⁷ Ne 109.2 ms	¹⁸ Ne 1.672 s	¹⁹ Ne 17.22 s	²⁰ Ne	²¹ Ne	²² Ne	
¹⁴ F unbound	¹⁵ F unbound	¹⁶ F unbound	¹⁷ F 64.8 s	¹⁸ F 109.7 m	¹⁹ F	²⁰ F 11 s	²¹ F 4.16 s	²² F 4.23 s
¹² O unbound	¹³ O 8.58 ms	¹⁴ O 70.6 s	¹⁵ O 2.03 m	¹⁶ O	¹⁷ O	¹⁸ O	¹⁹ O 27.1 s	²⁰ O 13.5 s
¹⁰ N unbound	¹¹ N unbound	¹² N 20.4 m	¹³ N 20.4 m	¹⁴ N	¹⁵ N	¹⁶ N 7.13 s	¹⁷ N 4.17 s	¹⁸ N 0.63 s
⁸ C unbound	⁹ C 125 ms	¹⁰ C 19.3 s	¹¹ C 20.4 m	¹² C	¹³ C	¹⁴ C 5730 y	¹⁵ C 2.45 s	¹⁶ C 0.747 s
⁷ B unbound	⁸ B 770 ms	⁹ B unbound	¹⁰ B	¹¹ B	¹² B 20.20 ms	¹³ B 17.33 ms	¹⁴ B 13.8 ms	¹⁵ B 10.4 ms
⁶ Be unbound	⁷ Be unbound	⁸ Be unbound	⁹ Be	¹⁰ Be 1.6 10 ⁶ y	¹¹ Be 13.8 s	¹² Be 22.6 ms	¹³ Be unbound	¹⁴ Be 4.35 ms
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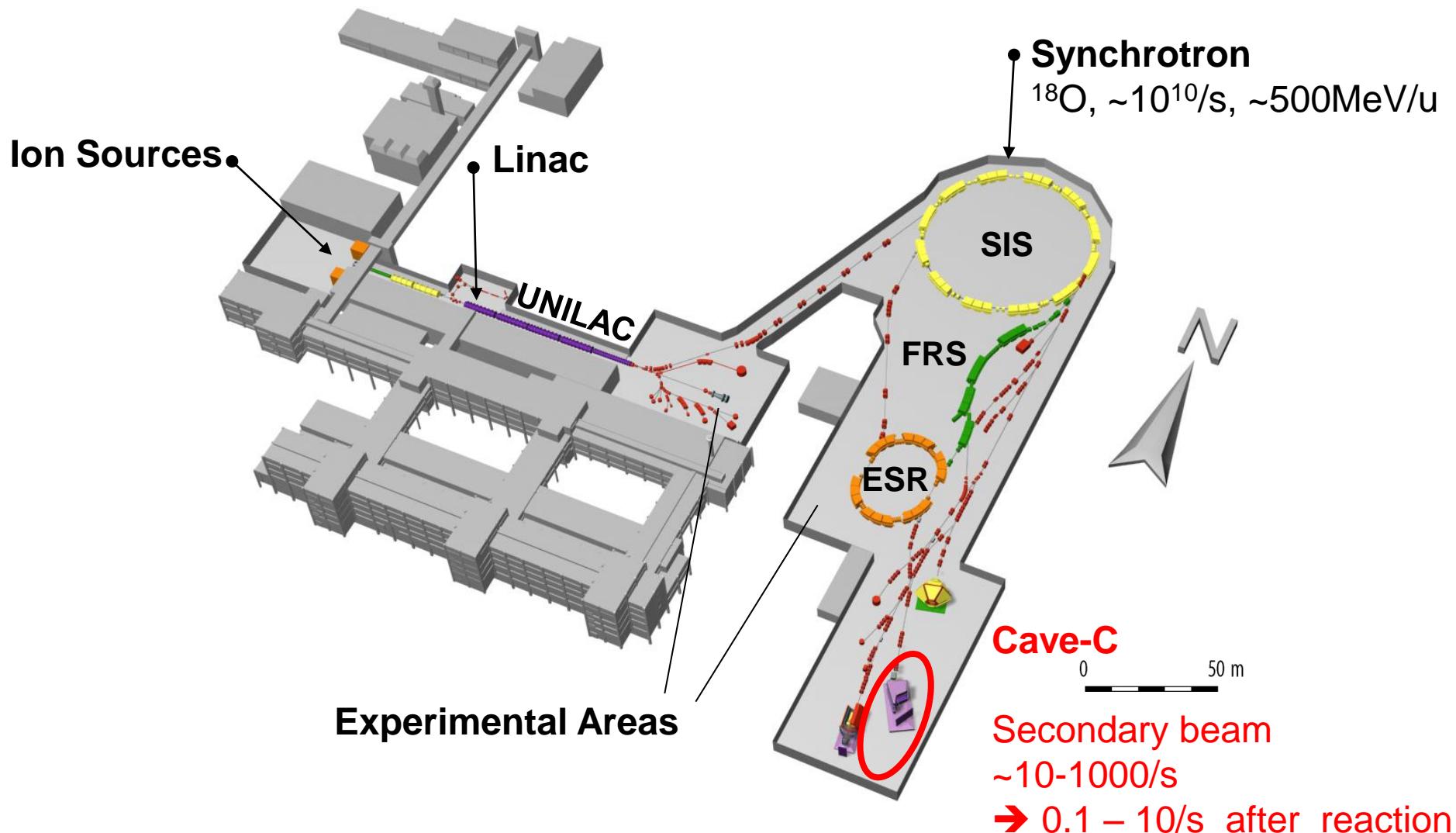
- (evolution of)nuclear structure at the extremes
- clustered systems, OQS
- reliable continuum spectroscopy



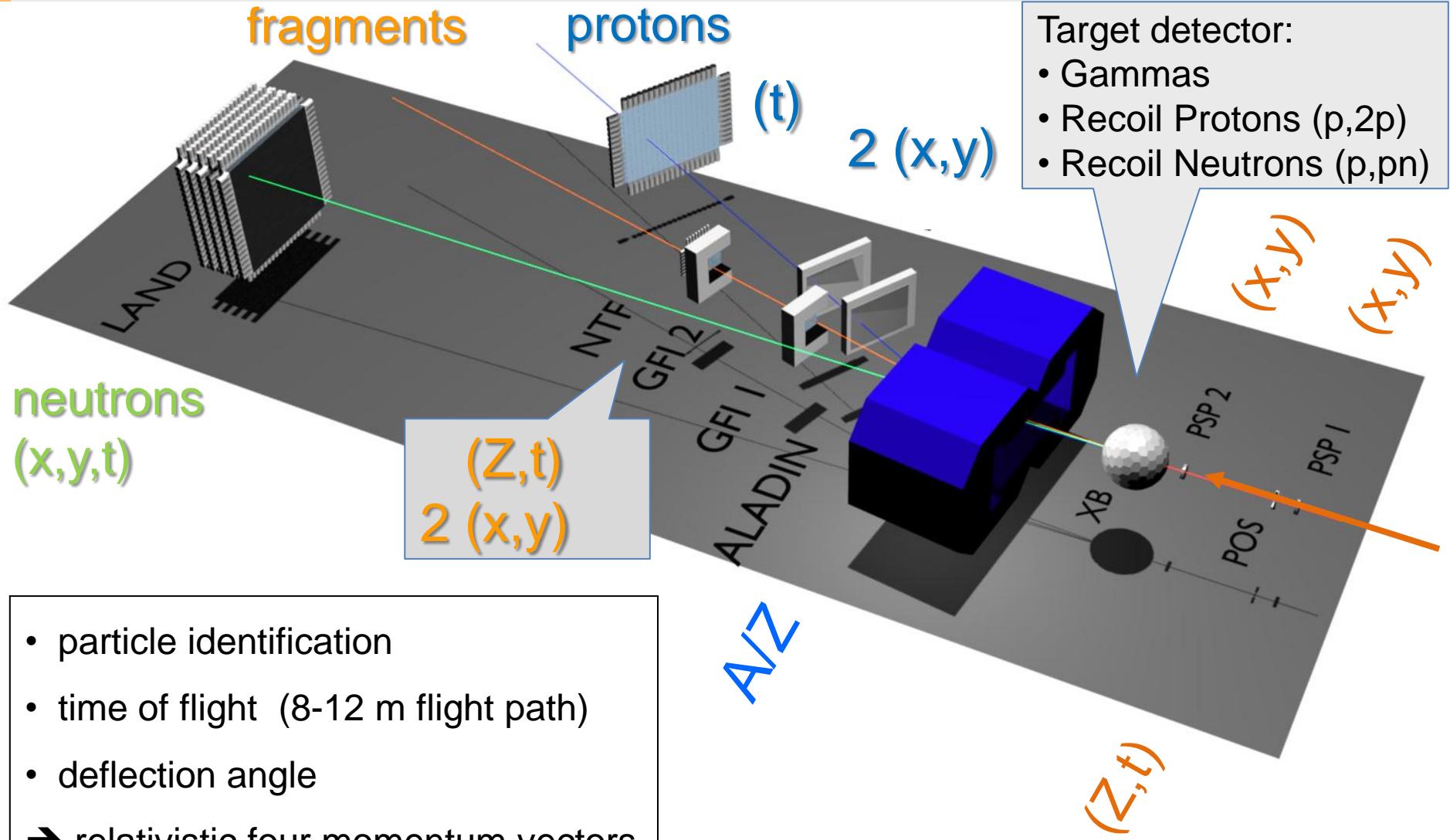
Menu

1. Breakup Experiments at high energy
- knockout, QFS p-scattering, Coulex
2. Methods
3. Proton rich systems: $^{15-17}\text{Ne}$
-across the proton dripline
4. Prospects/plans with new instruments
5. Summary

GSI accelerator facility ...



R³B/LAND Setup (kinematically complete)



Intermediate system tells g.s. properties (n or p knockout reaction)

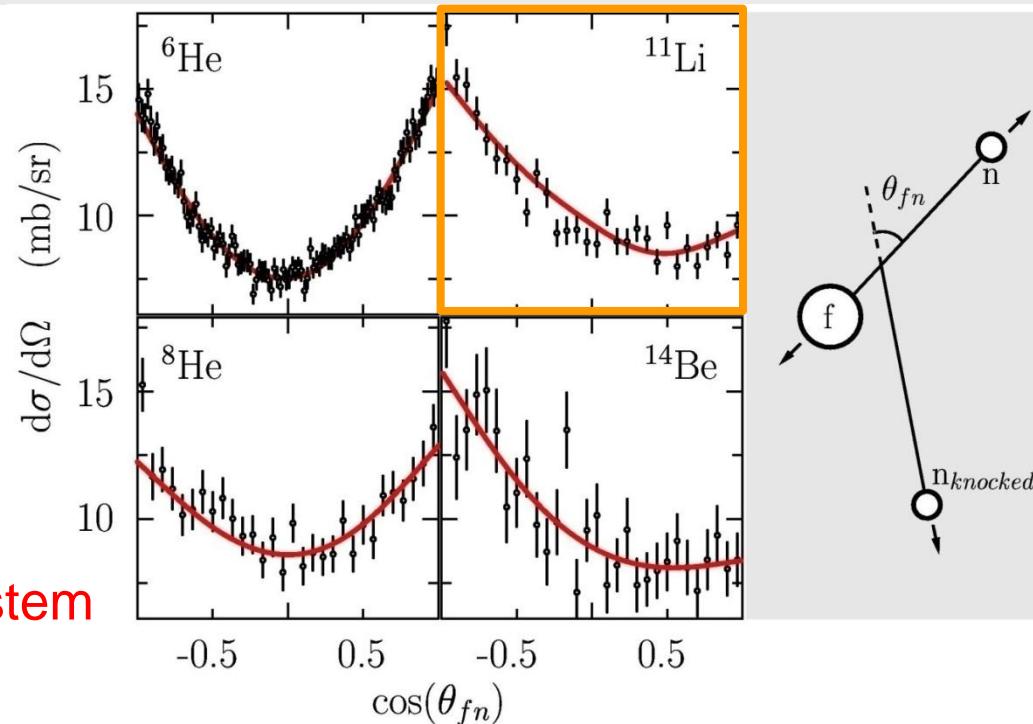
Observables:

Momentum knocked out neutron
missing momentum

$$\text{CMS: } \mathbf{p}_m = -\mathbf{p}_{n2} = \mathbf{p}_{n1} + \mathbf{p}_f$$

Spectroscopy of intermediate system
relative energy

$$\text{CMS: } \mathbf{p}_{fn} = \mu/m_n \mathbf{p}_n - \mu/m_f \mathbf{p}_f$$



Angular correlations (momenta)

$$E_{fn} = p_{fn}^2 / 2\mu$$

$$\cos(\theta)_{fn} = \frac{\mathbf{p}_m \cdot \mathbf{p}_{fn}}{\mathbf{p}_m \cdot \mathbf{p}_{fn}}$$

Sensitive observable: Momentum profile & spectroscopy

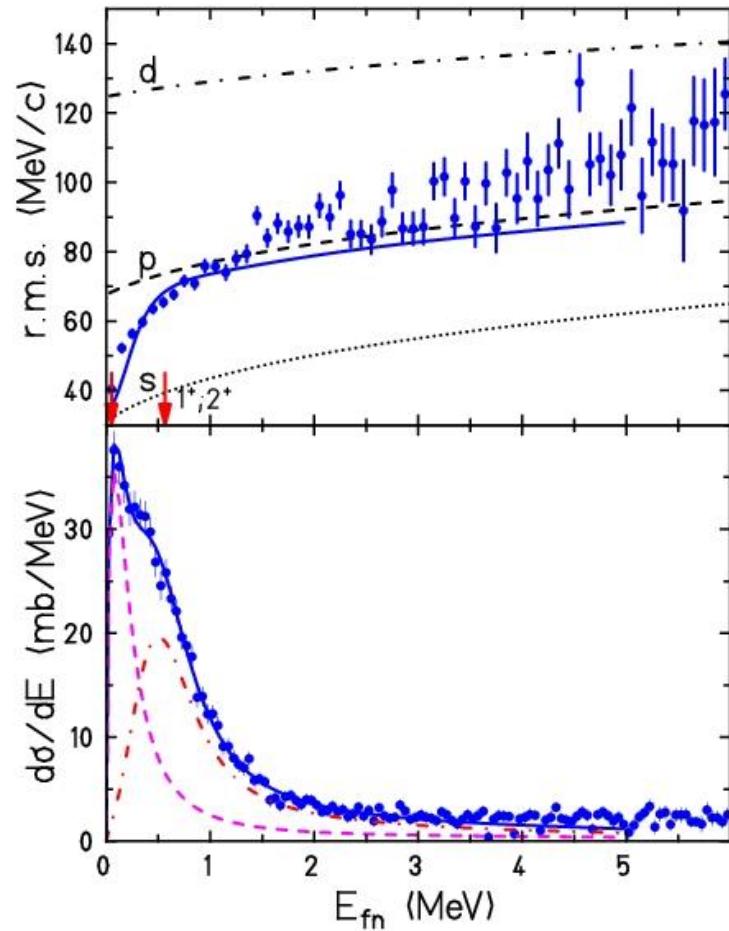
GSI

^{10}Li ^{11}Li

Transverse momentum
Distribution of ^{10}Li
(missing momentum)

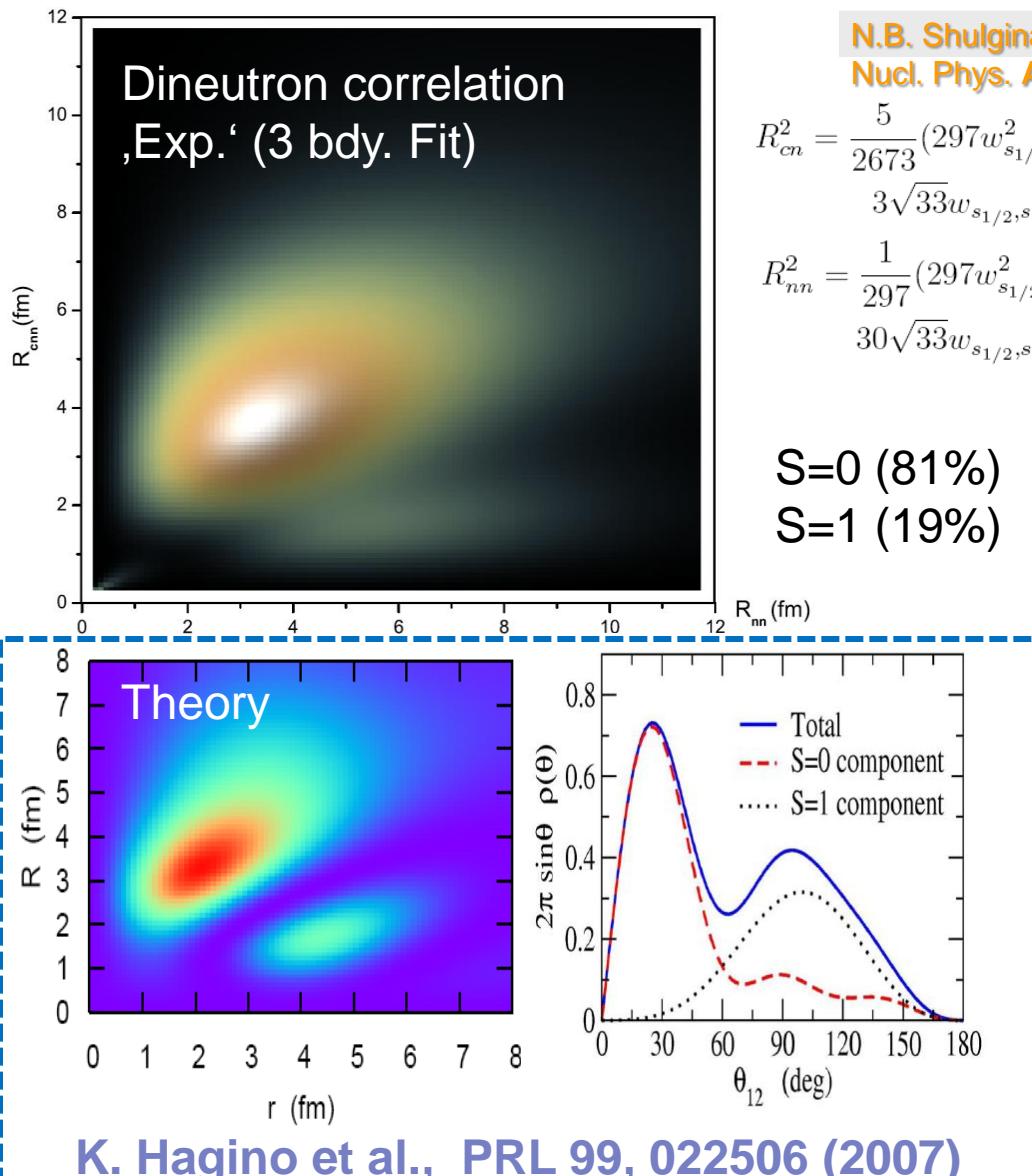
Decomposition and position of
s and p confirmed!

similar result with energy
dependent angular correlations



Y. Aksyutina et al.,
PLB718 (2013) 1309

2n-Model WF in ^{11}Li fit to all existing data → direct comparison to theory predictions



N.B. Shulgina, B. Jonson, M.V.Zhukov
Nucl. Phys. A825(2009)175

$\langle\theta_{12}\rangle = 62^\circ$

$\langle\theta_{12}\rangle = 66^\circ$

$\langle\theta_{12}\rangle = 48^\circ (+14/-18)^\circ$

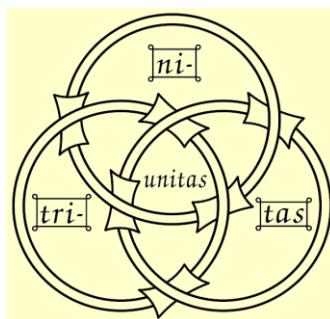
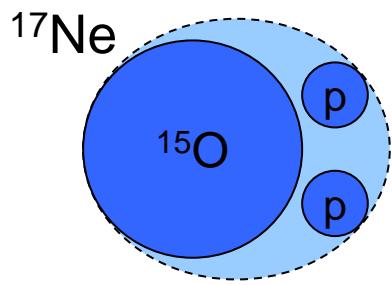
$B(E1) = 1.42(18) \text{ e}^2\text{fm}^2 (< 3\text{MeV})$
cluster sum-rule, matter radius
T. Nakamura et al.

^{17}Ne a potential 2p halo

“ ^{17}Ne is a proton-dripline nucleus,
with strong indications of having a 2p – halo”

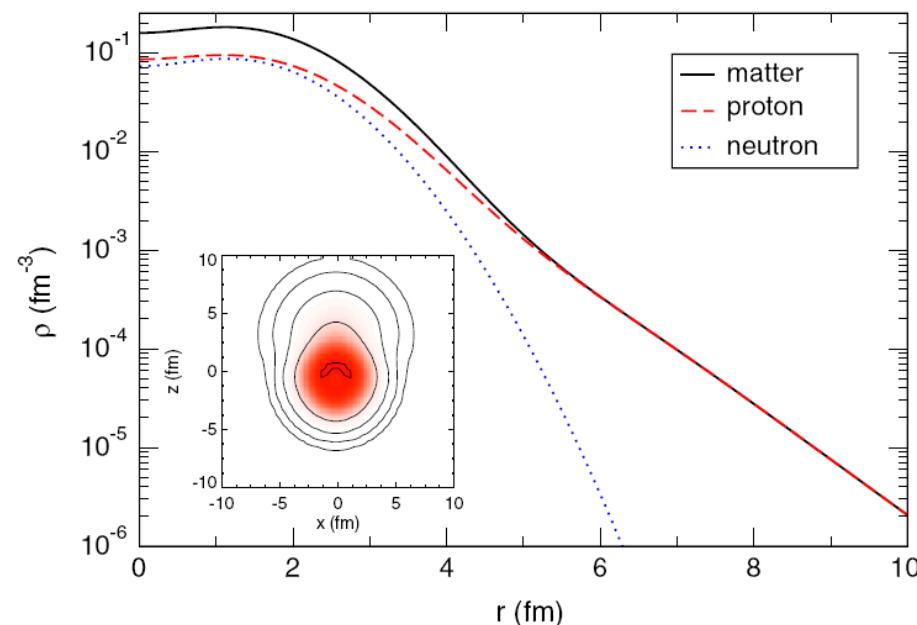


Zhukov & Thompson, PRC 52 (1995) 3505



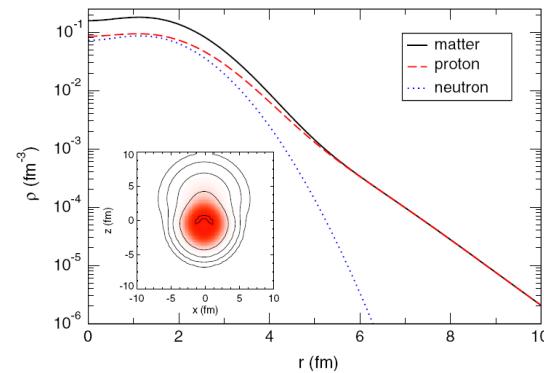
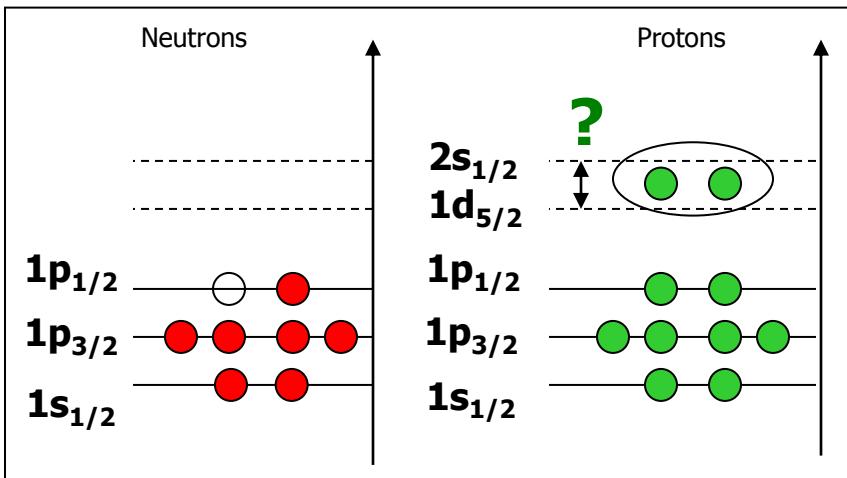
- $S_{2\text{p}} = 943 \text{ keV}$, $S_p = 1479 \text{ keV}$
- $T_{1/2} = 109.2 \text{ ms}$ (β^+ to ^{17}F)
- Groundstate $J^\pi = 1/2^-$; no bound exc. states

W. Geithner, T.Neff et al, PRL 101 252502 (2008)



Looking for halo signatures

Large fraction of the valence protons in the classically forbidden region ?

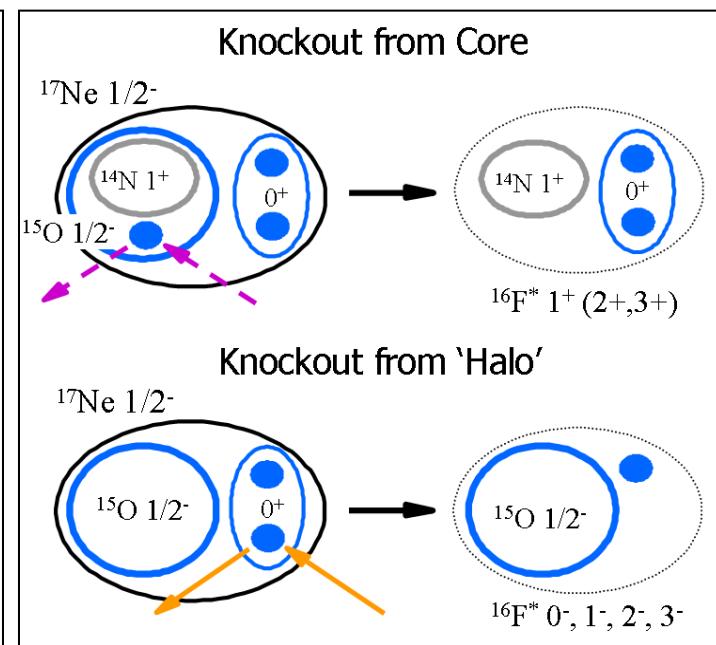
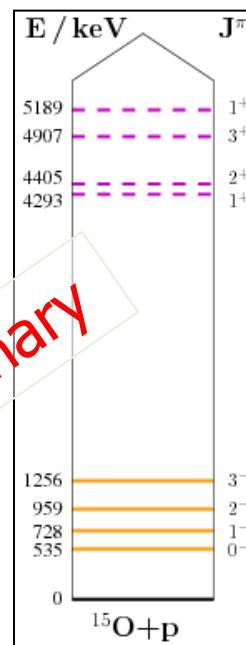
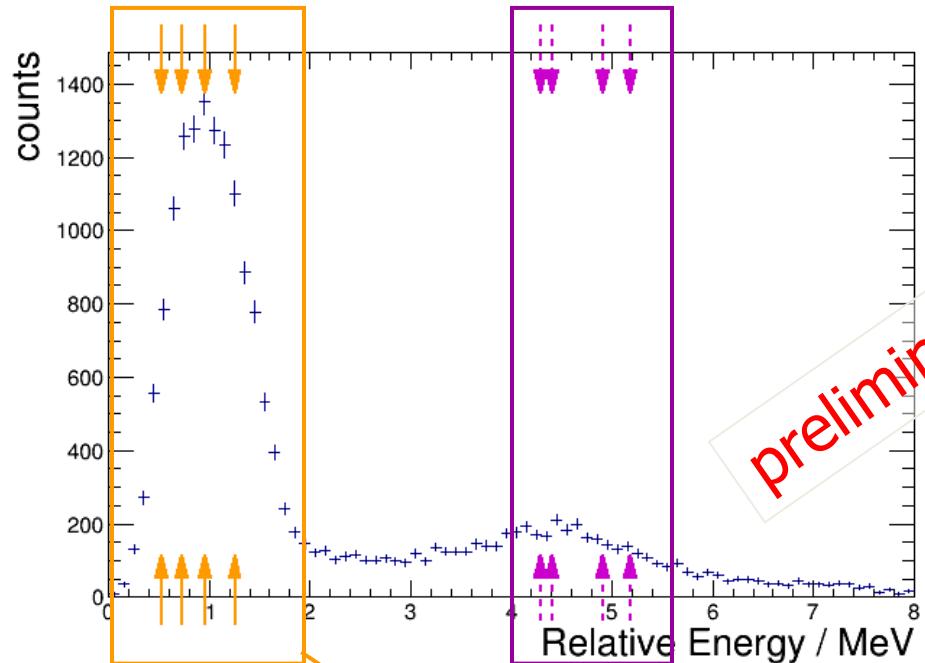


*W. Geithner, T.Neff et al,
PRL 101 252502 (2008)*

Coulomb wall in addition
to angular momentum barrier (s,d)...
→ search for strong s^2 configuration

- Grigorenko et al., PRC 71 (2005) 051604(R).
 - 3-body cluster model: s^2 content 48%.
- Geithner&Neff et al., PRL 101 (2008) 252502.
 - Charge radius measurement + FMD: 42% s^2 .
- Tanaka et al., PRC 82 (2010) 044309.
 - Reaction cross-sections: Long tail in ^{17}Ne matter density, dominant s^2 configuration.
- Oishi et al., PRC 82 (2010) 024315.
 - 3-body model: s^2 content 15%.

One-proton knockout from ^{17}Ne – ^{16}F relative energy Spectrum

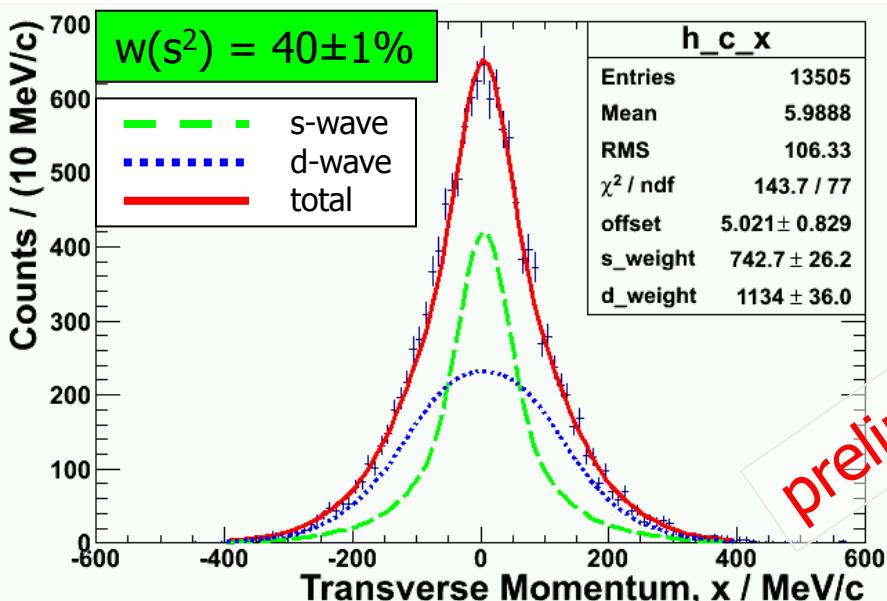


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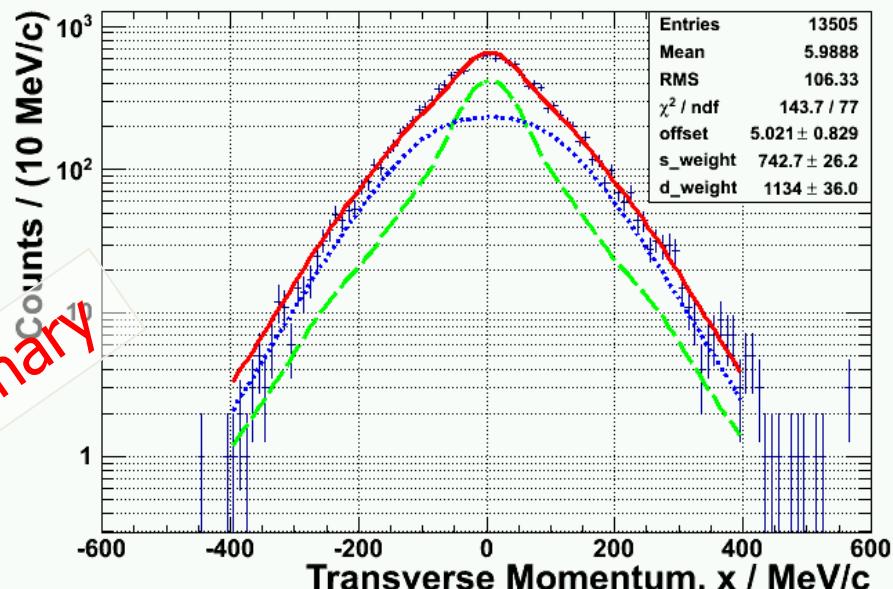
Exclusive selection of
knockout from valence protons

$$\vec{p}_{\text{proton}} = -\vec{p}(^{16}\text{F})$$

Halo-Proton Knockout from ^{17}Ne : $^{16}\text{F} (=^{15}\text{O}+\text{p})$ Transverse Momentum Distribution



preliminary

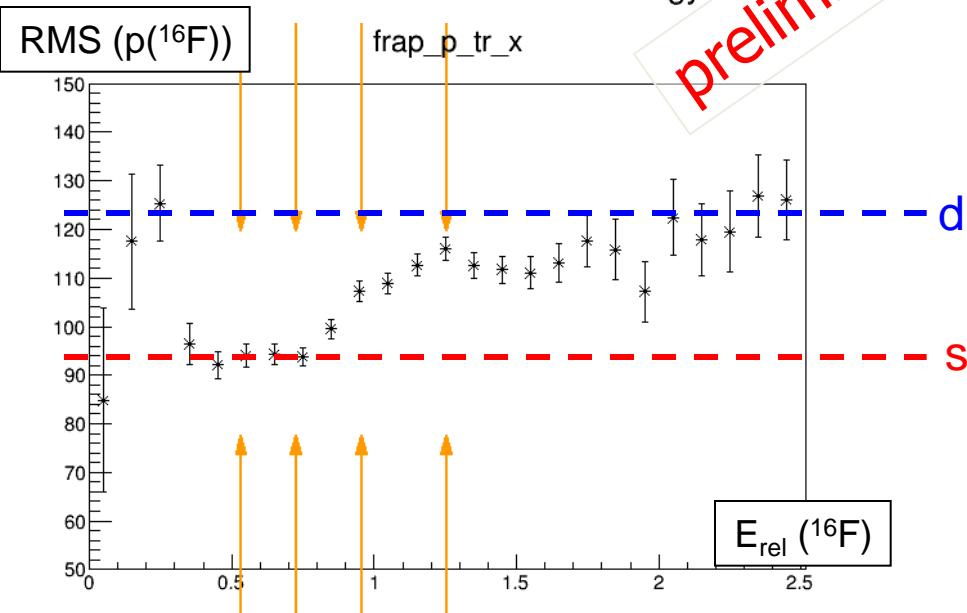
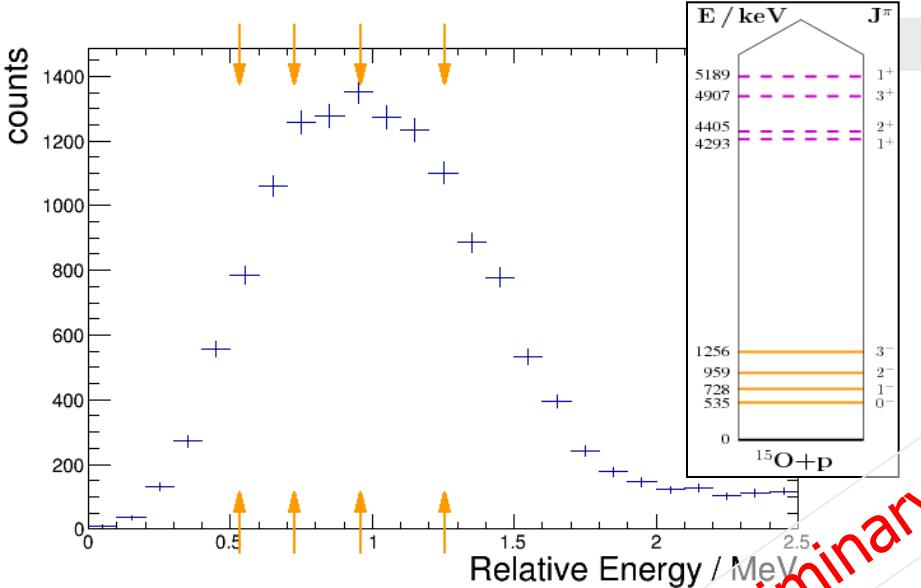


Glauber-type calculation (MOMDIS): 1s/0d single-particle p-removal from $^{16}\text{F}+\text{p}$

Bertulani et al., CPC 175 (2006) 372

- s-wave contributes ~40% in the ^{17}Ne halo ($p_x: 39.6 \pm 1.1\%, p_y: 40.4 \pm 1.1\%$)
- Moderate halo character of ^{17}Ne confirmed
- Good agreement with Grigorenko et al., and with Geithner/Neff et al.

Momentum Profile (^{16}F)



Eikonal Theory (MOMDIS)

RMS (s): 92.3 MeV/c
 RMS (d): 123.1 MeV/c

^{16}F momentum profile around 1 MeV:
 consistent with calculation for
 knocked out valence p's.

- Step-like increase, s- to d-protons
 $(^{16}\text{F}$ negative-parity states)
- (C. Bertulani, MOMDIS)

Momentum Profile (^{16}F) a different view

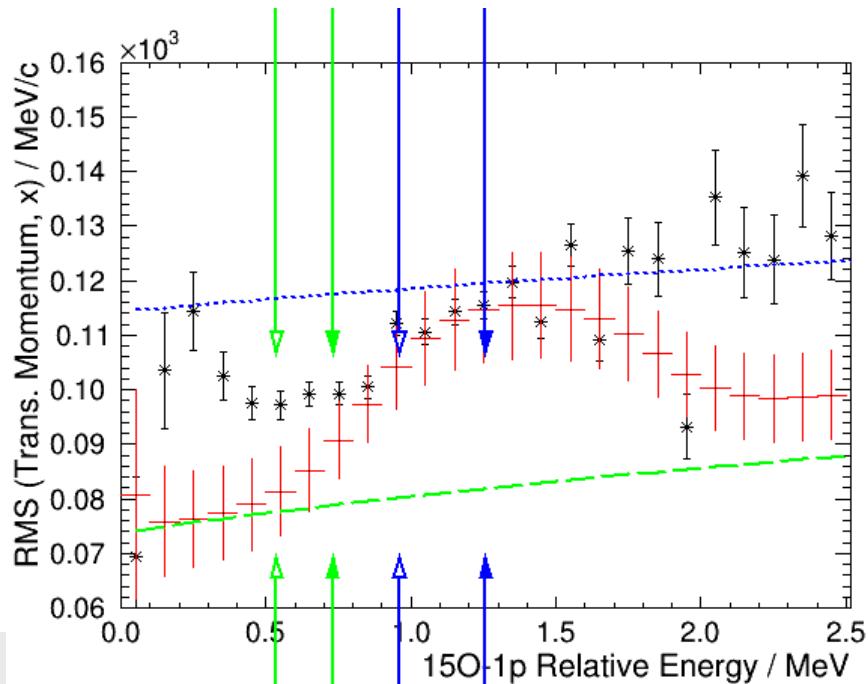
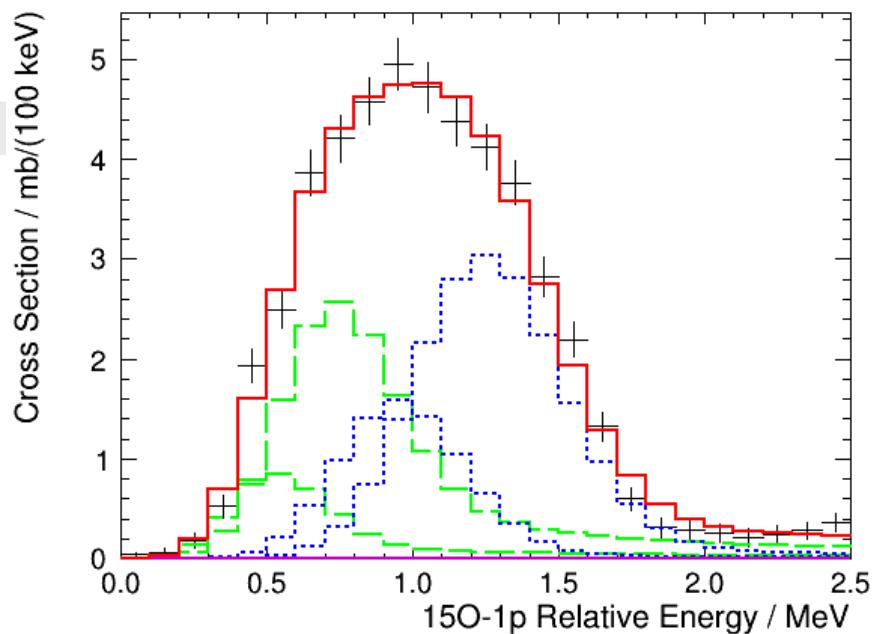
MOMDIS calculation for Rrel
dependent width

RMS (E)=

$$w_s(E) * \text{RMS}_s^{\text{theo}}(E) + \\ w_d(E) * \text{RMS}_d^{\text{theo}}(E)$$

w_s, w_d from fit to relative energy
spectrum for the respective
energy bins.

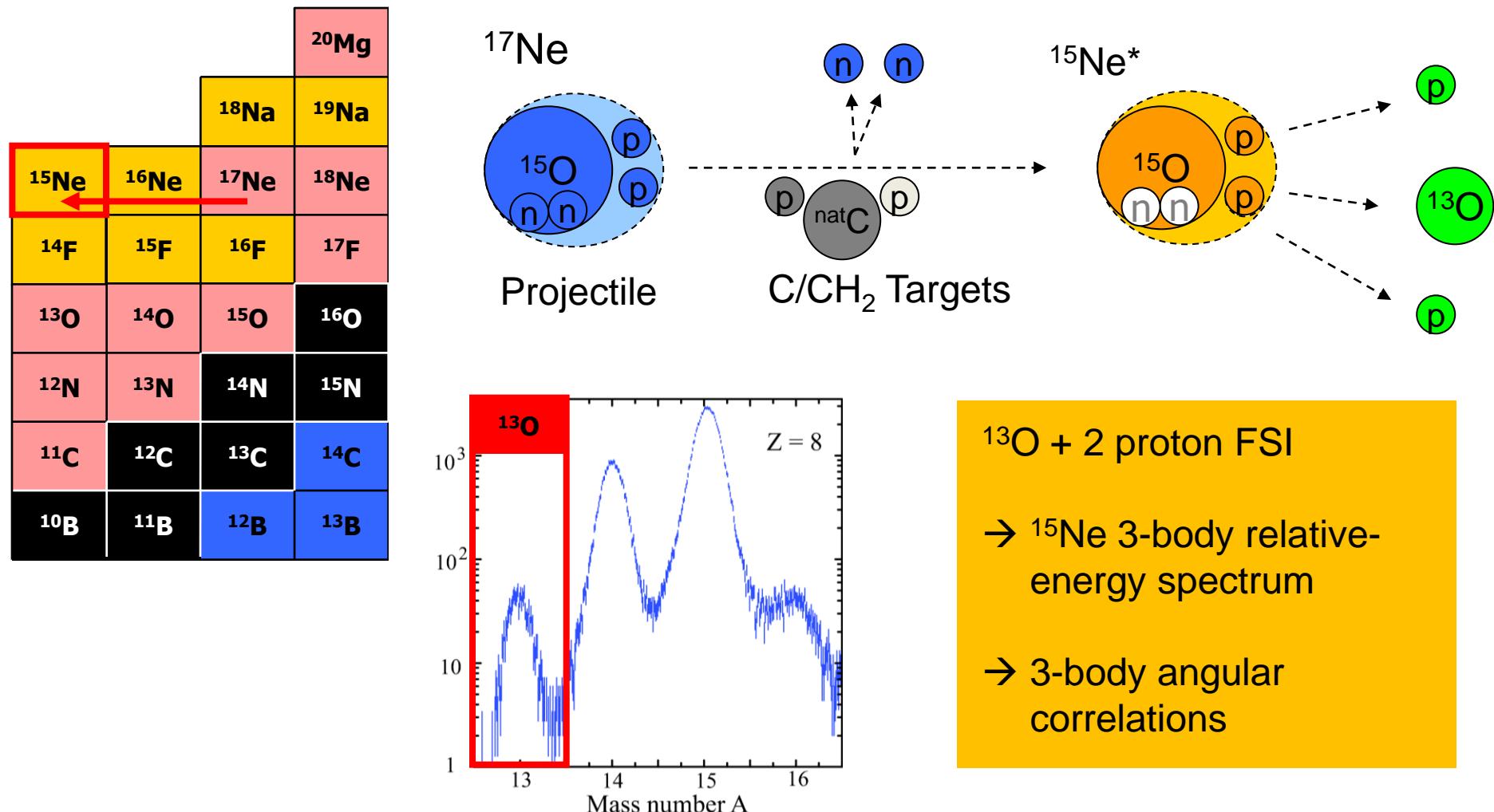
- Consistent description in peak region
- Ambiguities for high and low part of energyspectrum (e.g. in the presence of non-resonant bg. !)
- Clear Advantages using momentum profile method



Crossing the Proton Dripline to ^{15}Ne

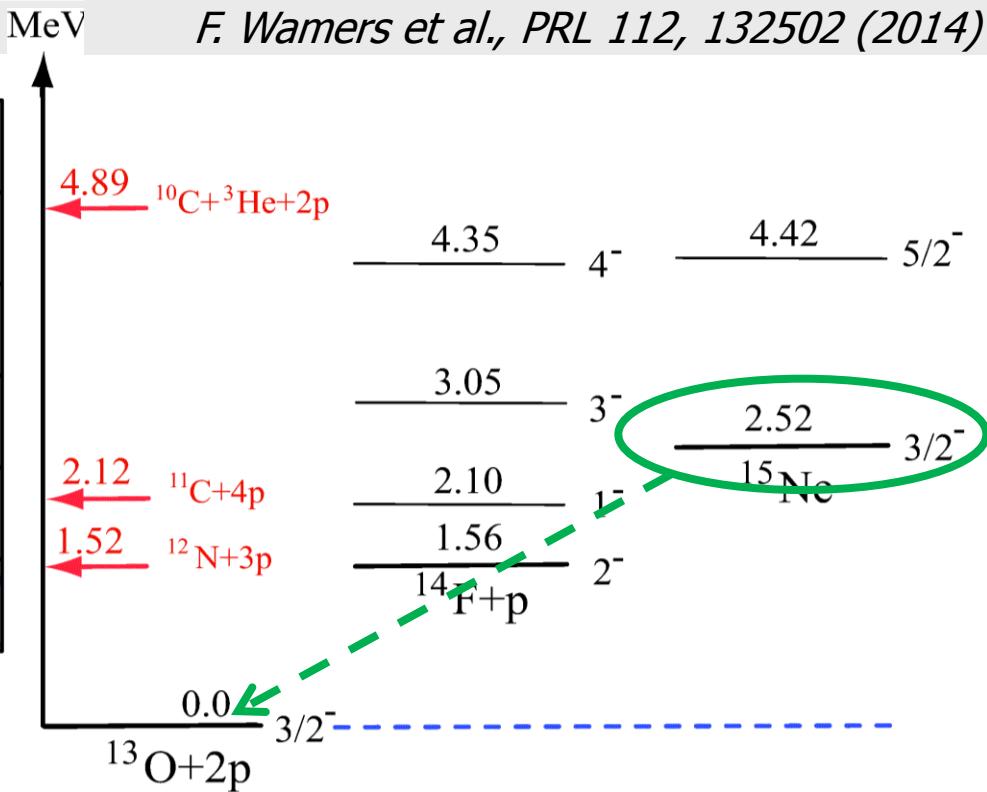
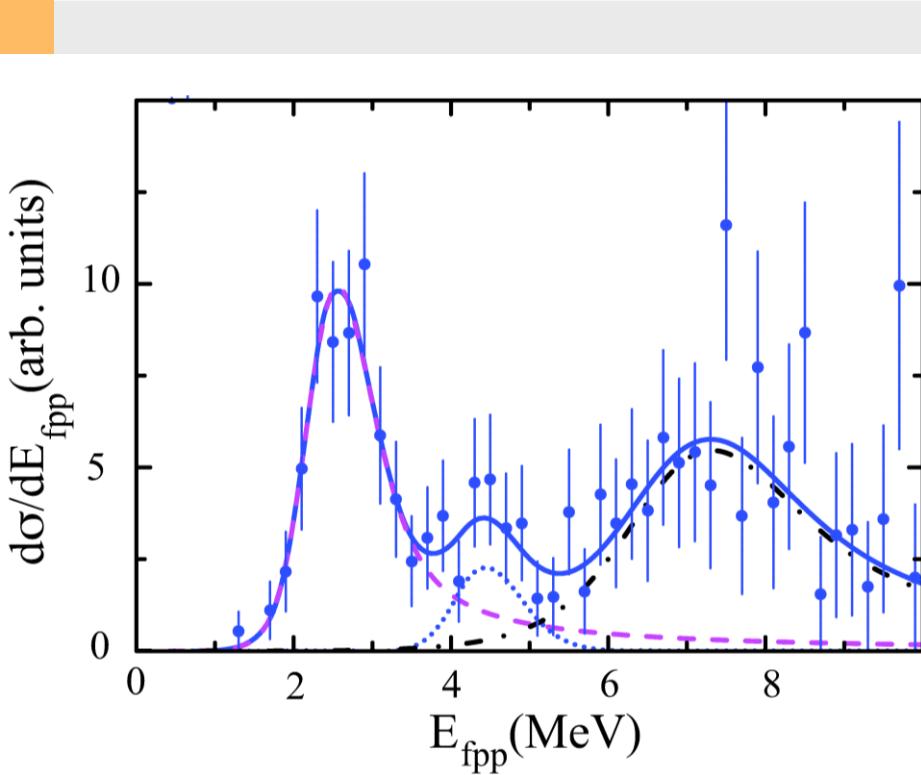
F. Wamers

Two-neutron Knockout



First Observation and spectroscopy of ^{15}Ne

F. Wamers et al., PRL 112, 132502 (2014)



- Groundstate
 $E_r = 2.522(66)$, $\Gamma = 0.59(23)$ MeV
- 1st exc. State
 $E_r = 4.42(4)$, $\Gamma \leq 0.1$ MeV
- (2nd) exc. States
Er around 7-9, Γ around 2.5 MeV

- ^{15}Ne ground state unbound
 $S_{2p} = 2.522(66)$ MeV
- Corresponds to mass excess
 $ME(^{15}\text{Ne}) = 40.215(69)$ MeV
- Good agreement with *model prediction*:
 $S_{2p} = 2.68(24)$ MeV

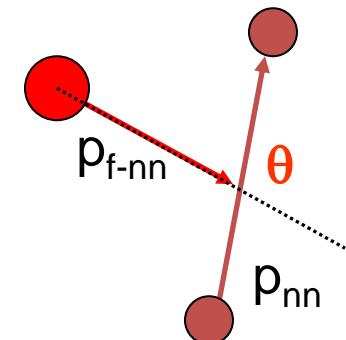
Description of the three body continuum

- Reduction (CMS, E^* , rot. inv)
9 variables \rightarrow 2 variables (ε, θ)

ε is the fractional energy for a subsystem (e.g. $\varepsilon = E_{nn}/E_{nnf}$)
 θ is the angle between the relative momenta (e.g. p_{nn}, p_{f-nn})

- Three body correlation function (expansion in hyperspherical harm.):

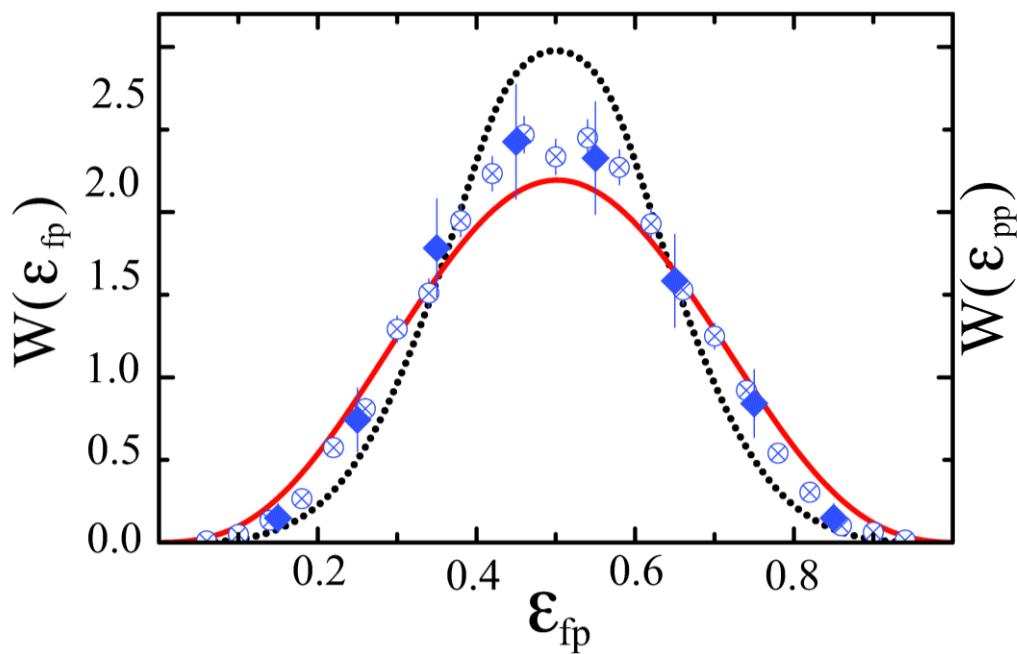
$$W(\varepsilon, \theta) \propto \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\varepsilon d\theta} \propto \sum_{\alpha, \alpha'} C_{\alpha'}^\dagger C_\alpha Y_{\alpha'}^\dagger(\varepsilon, \theta) Y_\alpha(\varepsilon, \theta)$$



- Complex coefficients C depend on quantum numbers $\alpha = \{K, L, S, l_x, l_y\}$

Characterization of the decays

F. Wamers et al., PRL 112, 132502 (2014)

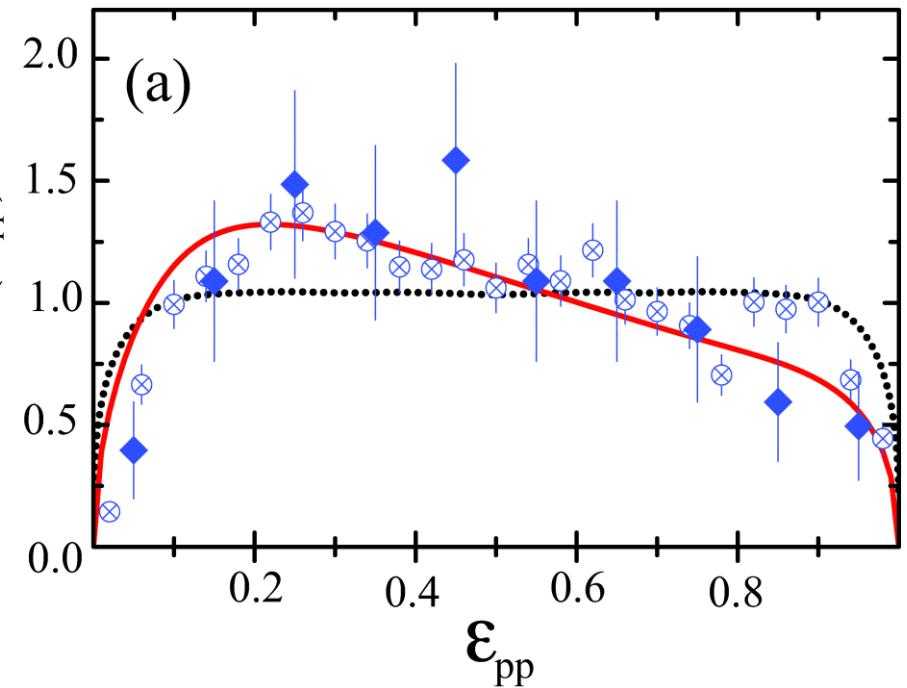


⊗ ^{16}Ne exp data

◆ ^{15}Ne exp data

— Calculation of ^{16}Ne isotropic 3-body decay

··· Calculation of ^{15}Ne sequential decay via the ^{14}F ground state



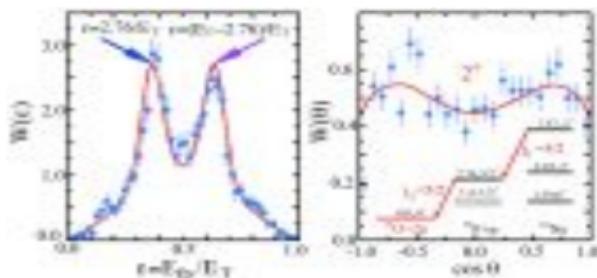
L.V. Grigorenko, I.G. Mukha, I.J. Thompson, and M.V. Zhukov, Phys. Rev. Lett. 88, 042502 (2002).

^{15}Ne decay shows a genuine 3-body character, despite intermediate states in ^{14}F .

EPJ A Highlight - Mechanisms of two-proton emission seen in three-body correlations

J. Marganiec et al., EPJA (2015) 51: 9

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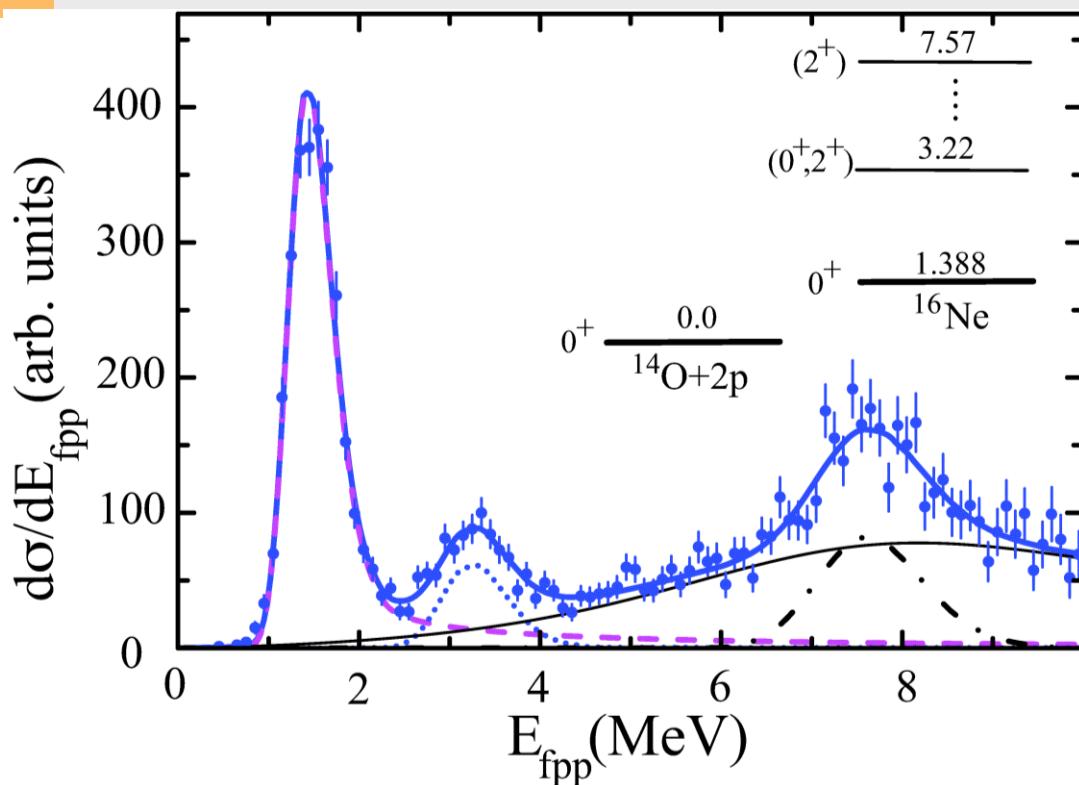
Sequential two-proton decay of the ^{16}Ne $E_r=7.57$ MeV state. The fractional energy distribution (left) gives resonance energy in ^{15}F while the angular distribution (right) determines I^{π} of the initial state.

Hitherto three-body correlations between decay products of nuclear resonances, unstable to the emission of two neutrons have been a very effective tool in the analysis of GSI-experiments on ^5H , ^{10}He , ^{13}Li , and ^{14}Be . Here the first report is given about the mechanisms for two-proton emission from states in ^{16}Ne , representing the presently most complete study of this nucleus. One-neutron knockout from ^{17}Ne populated the $^{16}\text{Ne}(\text{g.s.})$ ($E_r=1.39$ MeV, $\Gamma=0.08$ MeV) above the $^{14}\text{O}+\text{p}+\text{p}$ threshold, and resonances at $E_r=3.22$ MeV and 7.57 MeV. The

decay mechanisms were revealed analysing three-body energy correlations in the $^{14}\text{O}+\text{p}+\text{p}$ system. It was found that the $^{16}\text{Ne}(\text{g.s.})$ undergoes a democratic three-body decay. In contrast to this, the $^{16}\text{Ne}(2^+)$ state emits protons through the $^{15}\text{F}(\text{g.s.})$ sequentially. The decay of 7.57 MeV state is well-described assuming emission of a proton from the $d_{5/2}$ shell to $^{15}\text{F}(5/2^+)$, which decays by $d_{5/2}$ proton emission to $^{14}\text{O}(\text{g.s.})$. By using R-matrix analysis and mirror symmetry this state was unambiguously identified as the third 2^+ state in ^{16}Ne .

^{16}Ne relative energy spectrum

F. Wamers et al., PRL 112, 132502 (2014)



$\Gamma^\pi = 0^+$	$\Gamma^\pi = (0^+, 2^+)$	$\Gamma^\pi = (2^+)$				
E_r	Γ	E_r	Γ	E_r	Γ	Ref.
1.388(15)	0.082(15)	3.22(5)	≤ 0.05	7.57(6)	≤ 0.1	[*]
1.33(8)	0.2(1)	3.02(11)	—	—	—	[11]
1.466(45)	—	—	—	—	—	[12]
1.399(24)	0.11(4)	—	—	—	—	[13]
—	—	3.5(2)	—	—	—	[14]
1.35(8)	—	—	—	7.6(2)	$0.8^{(+4)}_{(-8)}$	[15]

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- [13] C.J. Woodward, R.E. Tribble and D.M. Tanner, Phys. Rev. C 27, 27 (1983).
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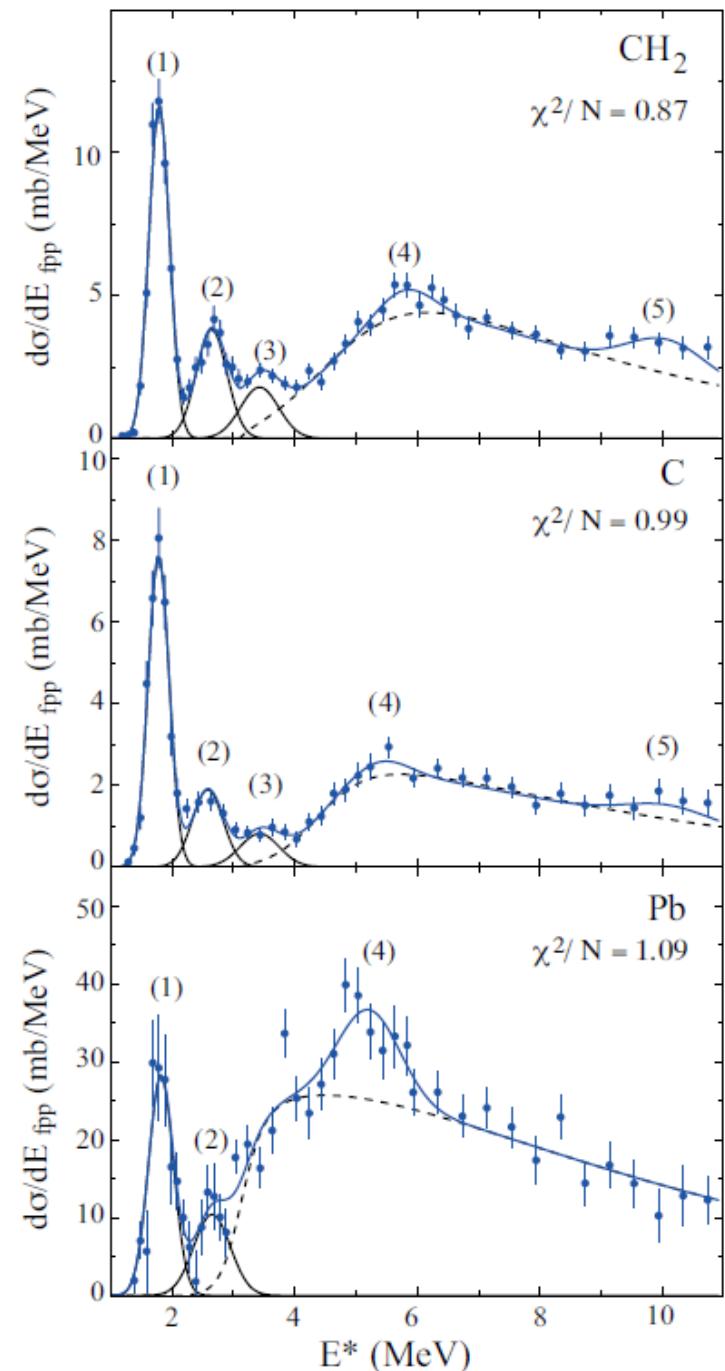
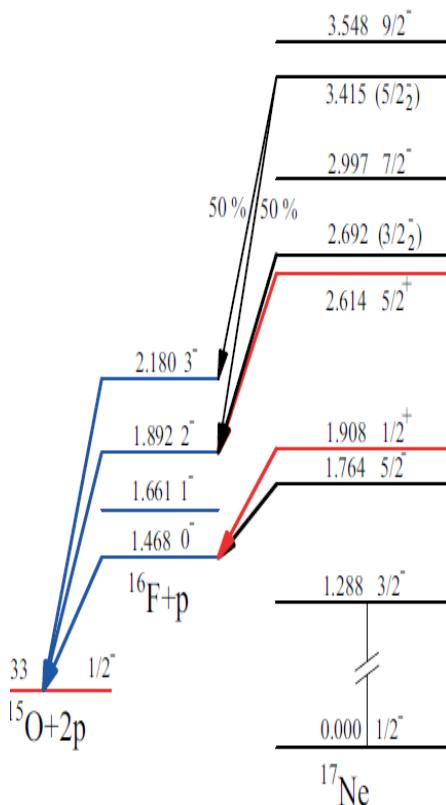
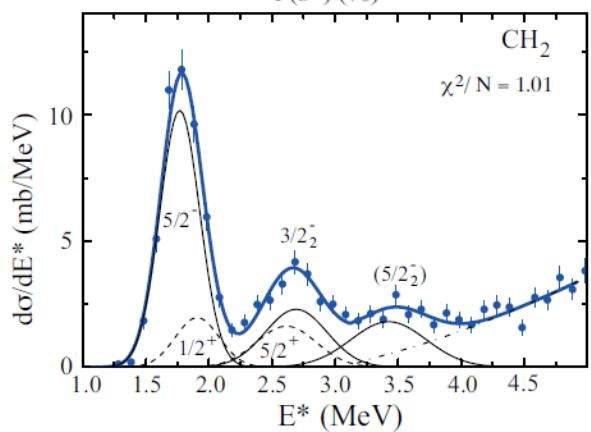
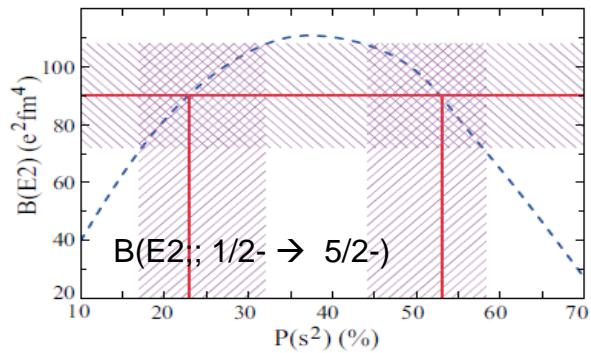
Confirmation of previous results.
Narrow width for
1st and 2nd excited state.

K.W. Brown et al,
Phys.Rev.Lett. 113, 232501 (2014)
gs. Er=1.476(20) $\Gamma < 80\text{keV}$
„width puzzle“

The quest for the ^{17}Ne Halo – Coulomb dissociation



J. Marganiec

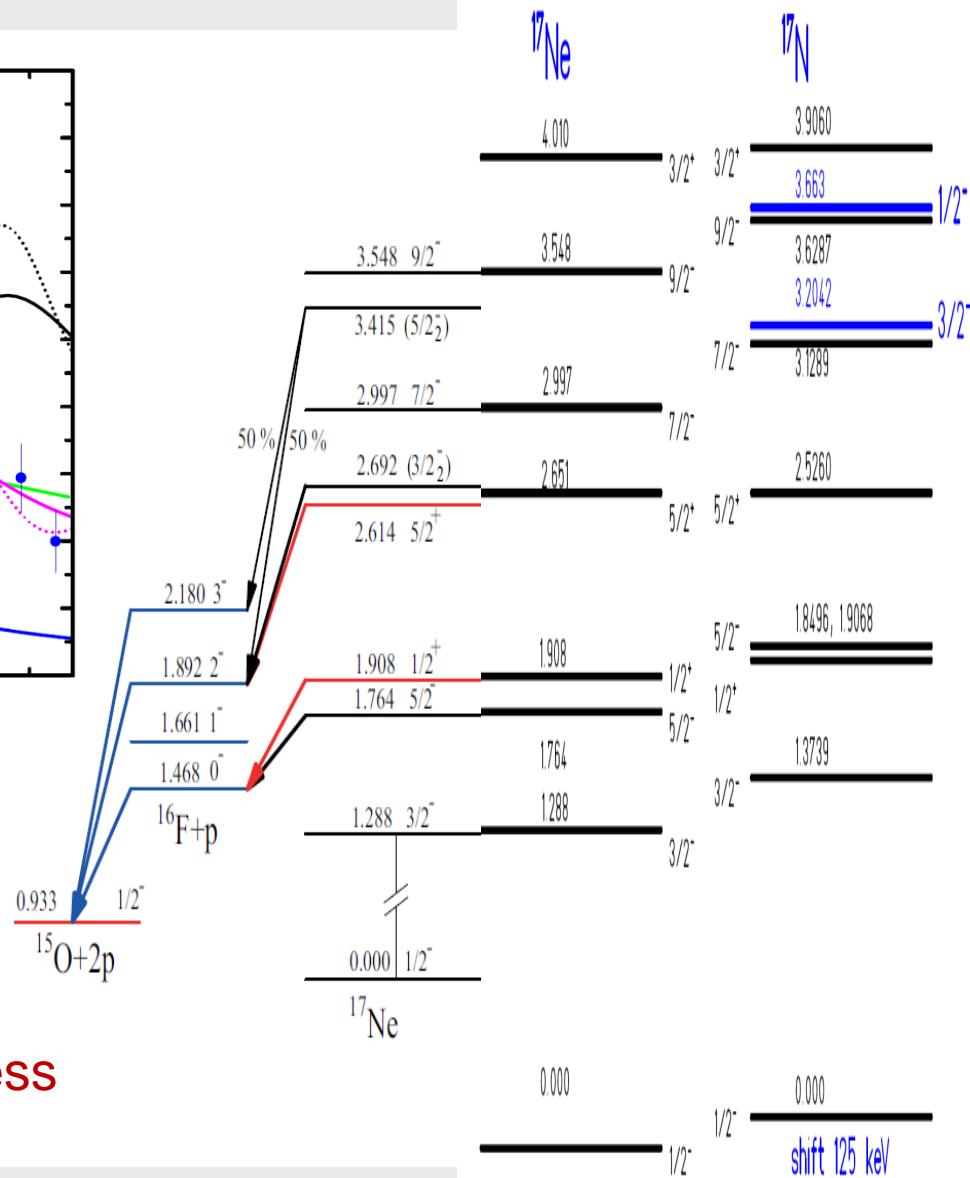
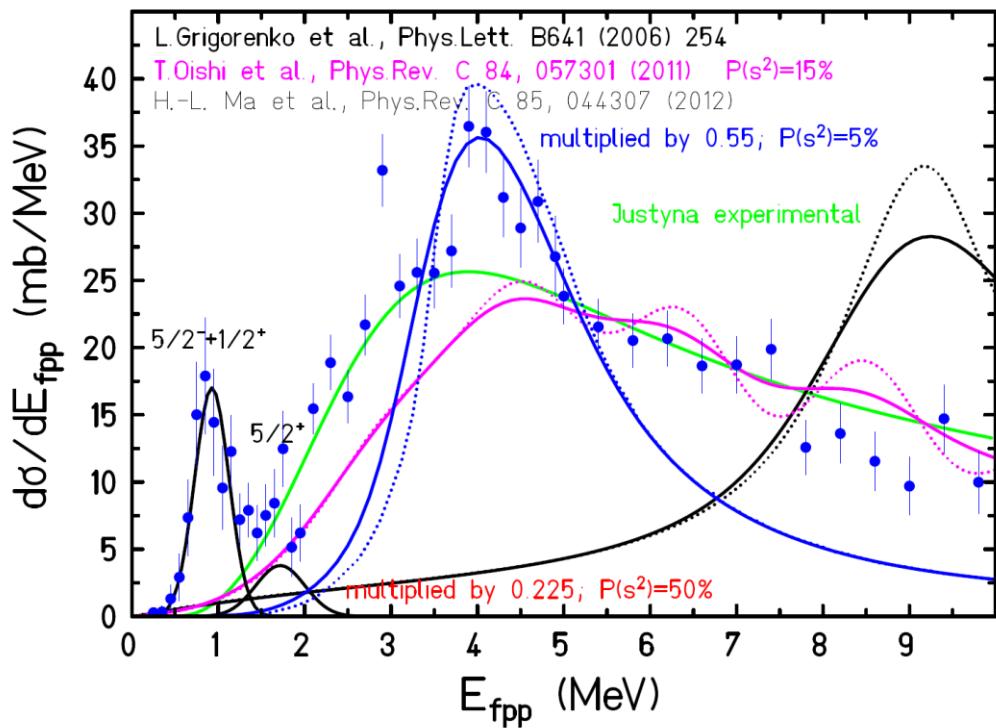


V. Guimarães et. al, Phys. Rev. C 58, 116 (1998).

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The quest for the ^{17}Ne Halo – Looking for soft dipole modes ...

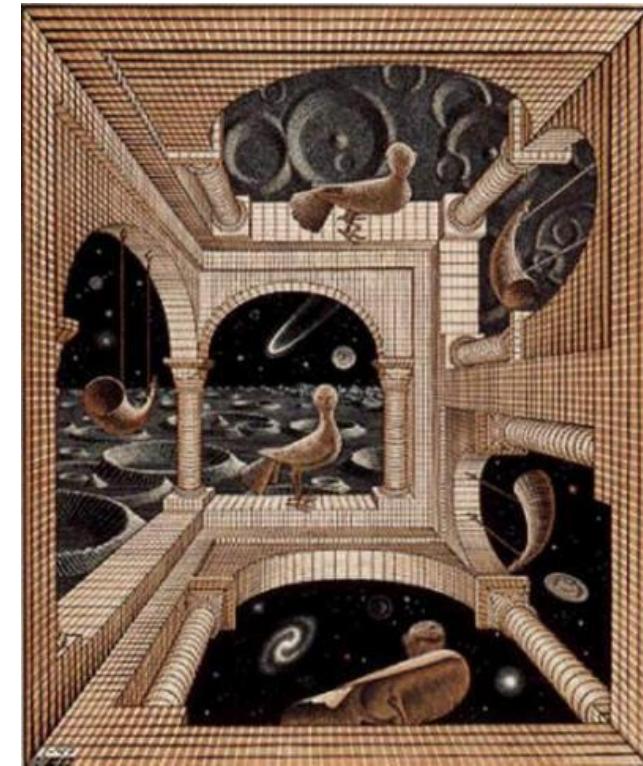
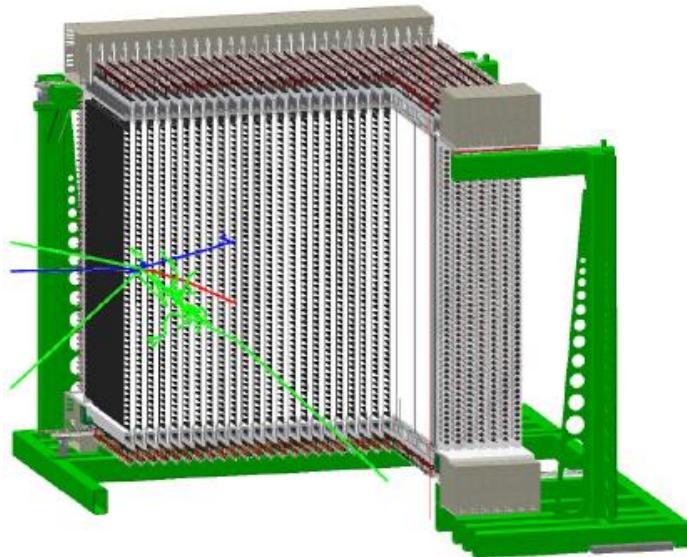
J. Marganiec



Not yet conclusive, work in progress

Summary / Outlook

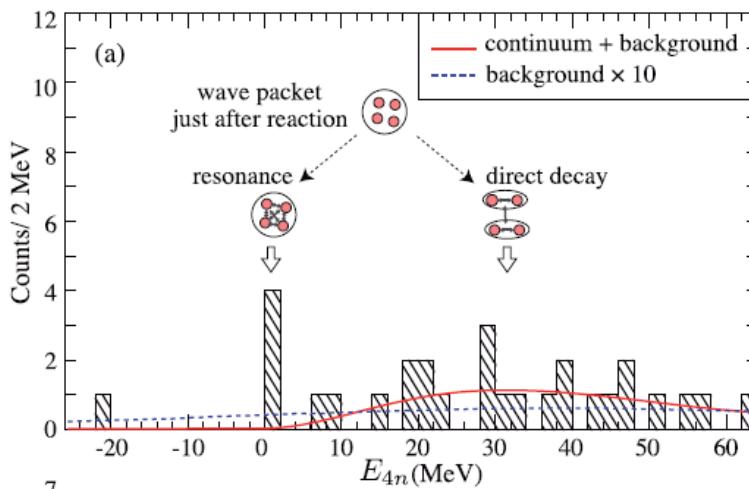
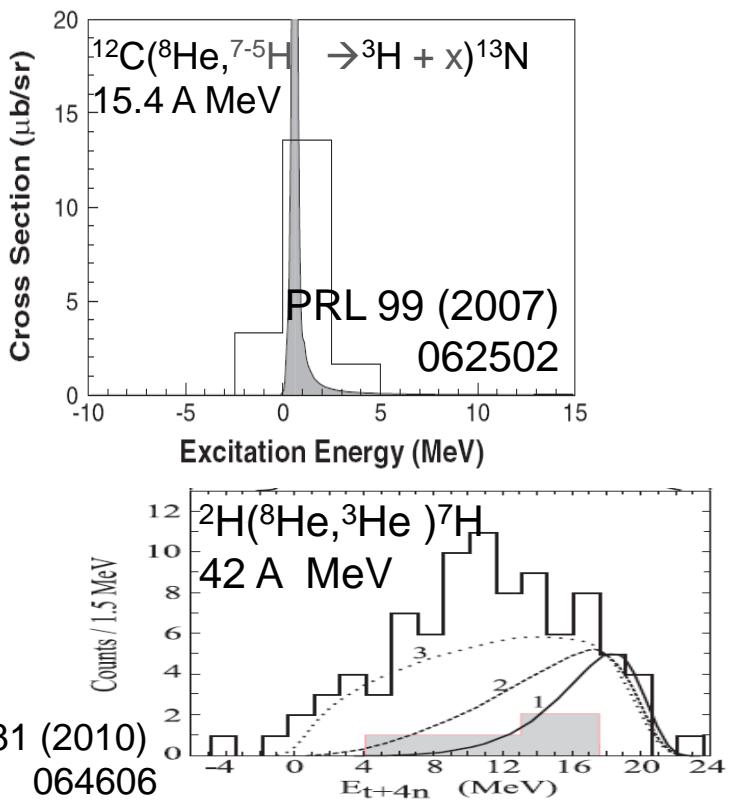
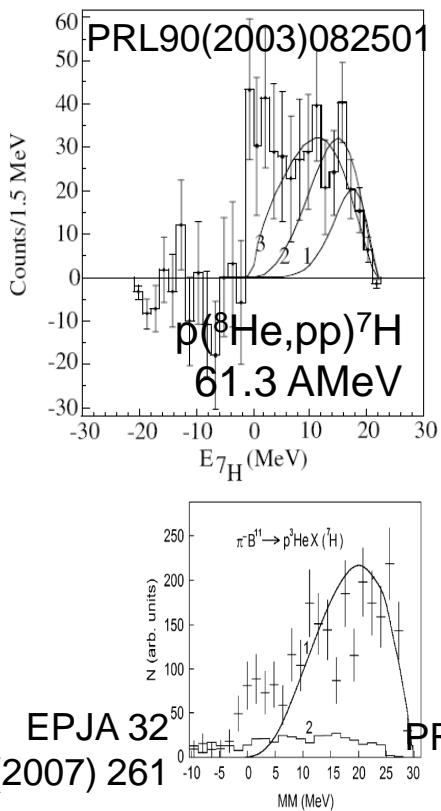
- Nuclear systems at the extremes cleanly produced and analyzed
- Largest neutron/proton asymmetries
- Rôle of seed nuclei discussed, correlations analyzed
- Frontier line: Oxygen isotopes



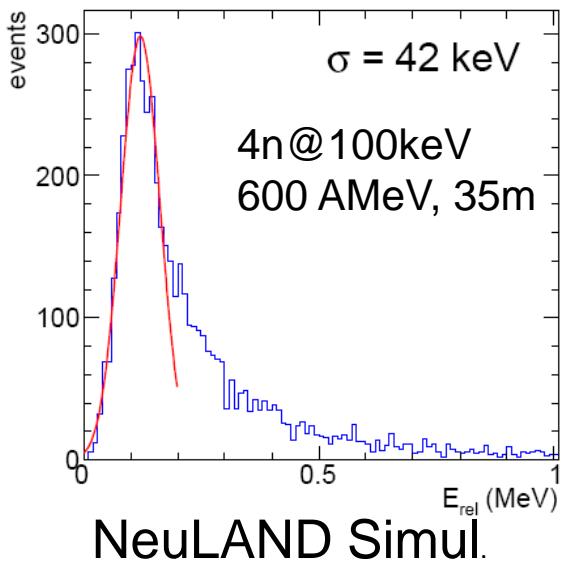
- New Detectors → better sensitivity
 - New facilities → higher intensity
- $f + n + n + n + n + n$ (e.g. 7H) in reach

$4\text{He}(8\text{He}; 8\text{B})$
@ 186 MeV/u

$7\text{H} \downarrow$ and $4\text{n} \rightarrow$



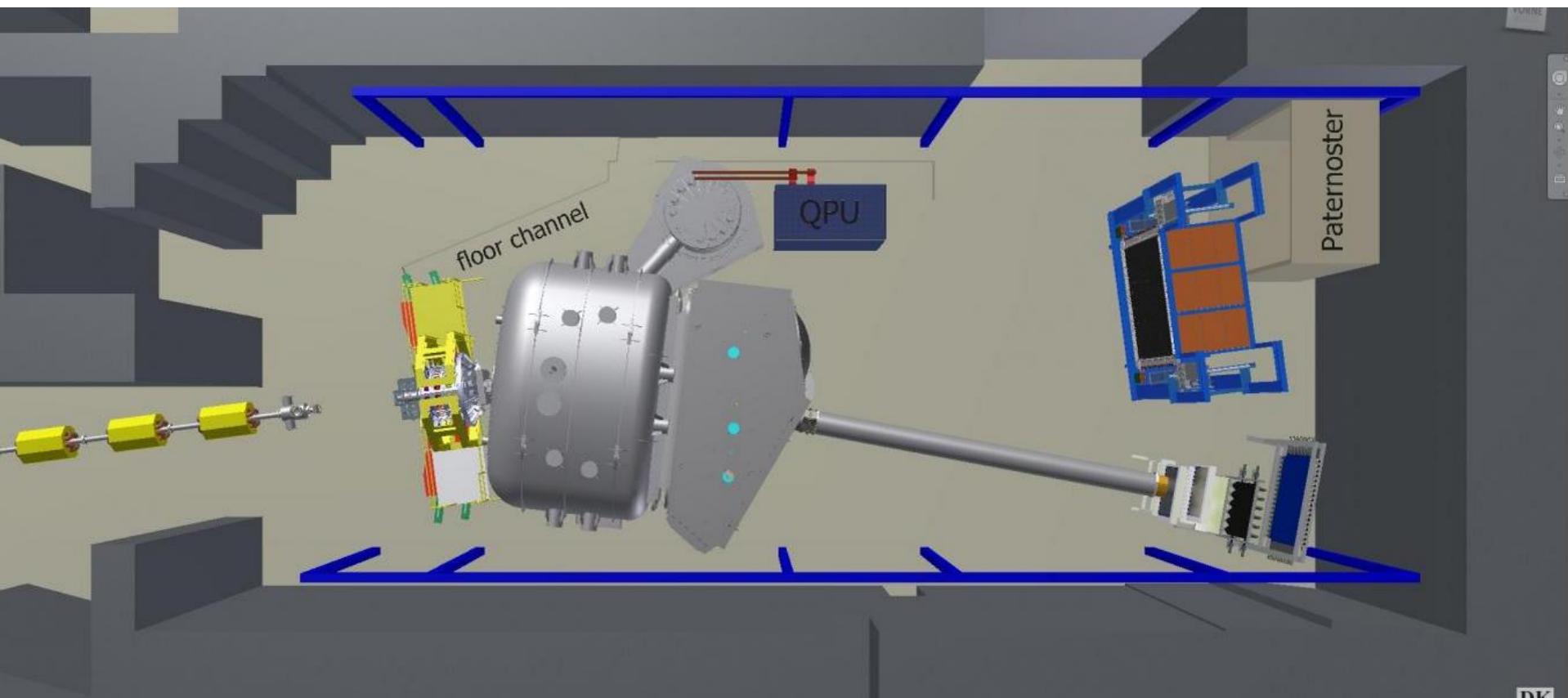
- Improvement by exclusive measurements



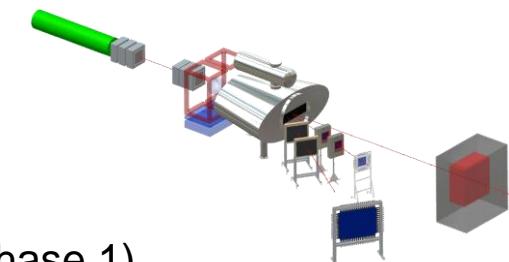
GLAD @ Cave-C

Short Spec.:
 $B\ell = 4.8 \text{ Tm}$
Opening angle: 80 mrad
20 mT field @ target position

GSI



2014	Installation of 20% detectors NeuLAND and CALIFA Commissioning run in Q3/2014
2015/16	Construction and installation of detector components
2017/18	Commissioning of full R³B setup (Cave C)
2018-202x	Physics runs at GSI (Cave C) (phase 0)
202x-202x+1	Move to High-Energy Branch building
202x+1 →	Commissioning and first experiments at Super-FRS (phase 1)



Experiments will make use of uniqueness of R³B:

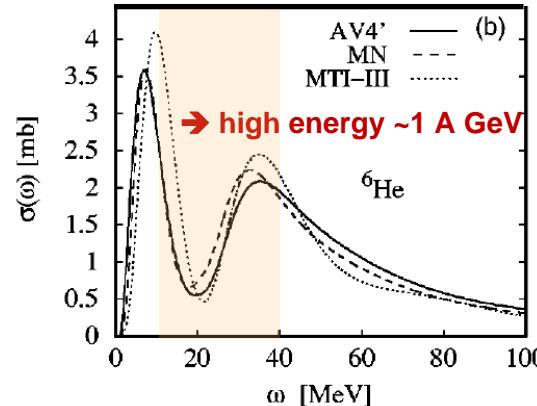
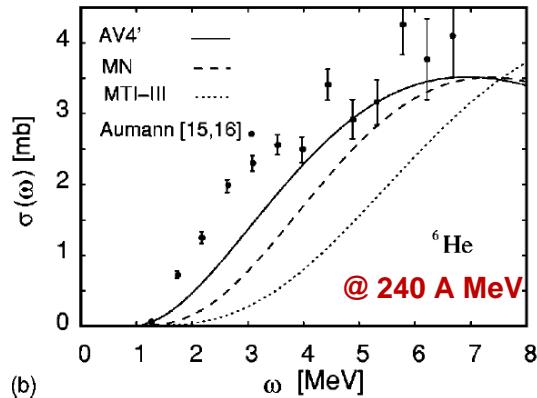
- Reactions at high beam energies up to 1 GeV/nucleon
- Tracking and identification capability even for the heaviest ions
- Multi-neutron tracking capability, high-efficiency calorimeter

→ Experiments possible for the first time:

- 4 neutron decays beyond the drip-line and for heavier n-rich isotopes
- Kinematically complete measurements of quasi-free nucleon knockout reactions
- Electric dipole and quadrupole response of Sn nuclei beyond N=82,
and of neutron-rich Pb isotopes (polarizability, symmetry energy)
- fission barriers from (p,2p) reactions (→ r-process)

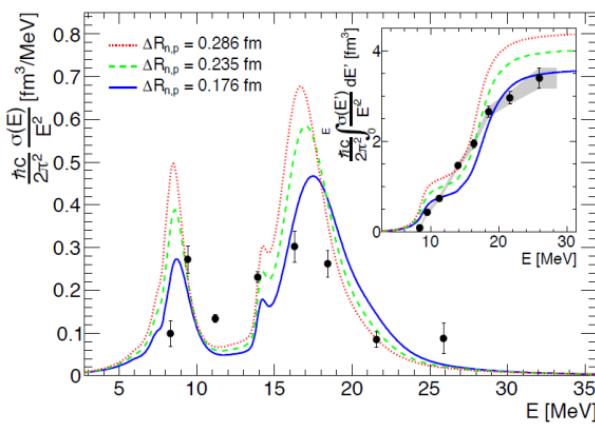
Dipole strength Distributions in heavy neutron-rich nuclei

- core vs. neutron skins & halos → density / asymmetry

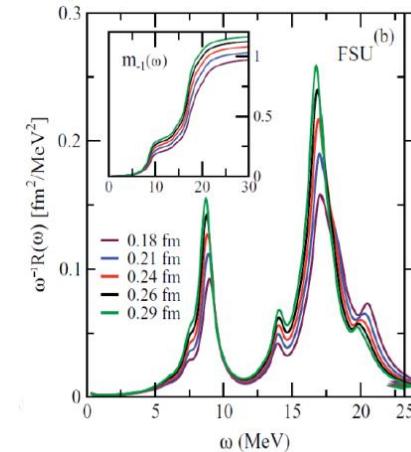


S. Bacca et al.
PRL **89** (2002) 052502
PRC **69** (2004) 057001

- access to EoS (e.g. neutron star) & low lying E1 strength (r-process)



D. Rossi et al.
PRL **111** (2013) 242503
skin thickness ^{68}Ni
0.175(21) fm



Pb chain &
N=126 isotones

~1 A GeV →
bare ions
Fragment
identification

$$\alpha_D = \frac{\hbar c}{2\pi^2} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sigma(E)}{E^2} dE$$

J. Piekarewicz, PRC **83** (2011) 034319

The magnet ready ... for travel



- Production (and revision) finalized.
- FAT passed 23.9.2015

→ „Test bench“ operation
→ Preparation for FAIR



August 2015



September 2015

Transport to GSI
November 2015
SATa Test Q1/2016
Installation Cave-C
Q2/2016
Operation ready
Q1 /2017

GLAD has arrived and is being installed in Cave-C



- 04/2016 installation of instrumentation and MSS/MCS by CEA
- End 2016 to get magnet into operation!

- Power supply there and tested
- Cryo plant installed and tested
- Magnet has arrived and passed first series of SAT tests
- non conformity in the exit flange mitigation in progress
- in-kind contracts with F/D in preparation



Next Step: The new FAIR facility



Intensity increase 3-4 orders of magnitude !

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Ingredients for the ^7H case

■ $t + n + n + n + n$

PHYSICAL REVIEW C 77, 054317 (2008)

Strong dineutron correlation in ${}^8\text{He}$ and ${}^{18}\text{C}$

K. Hagino,¹ N. Takahashi,¹ and H. Sagawa²

Core +4n (HFB)

PHYSICAL REVIEW C 80, 021304(R) (2009)

Di-neutron correlations in ${}^7\text{H}$

S. Aoyama¹ and N. Itagaki²

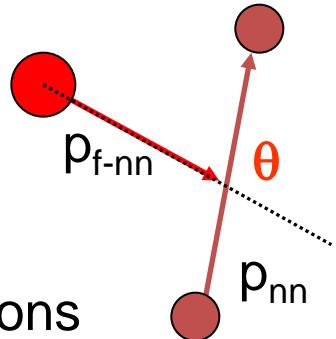
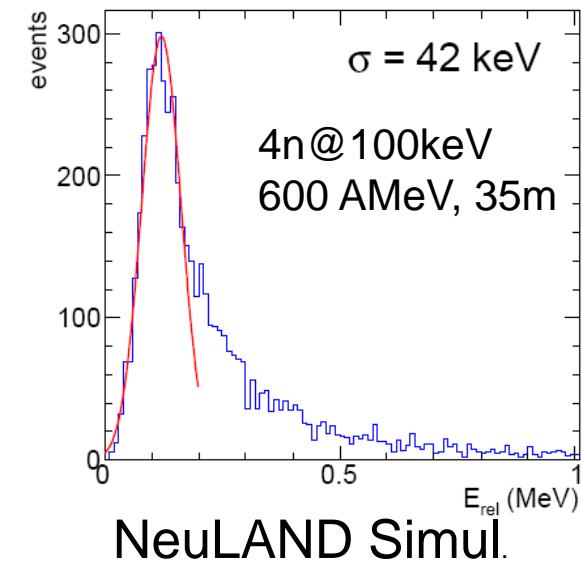
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AMD selected snapshots

■ $t + 2n + 2n$

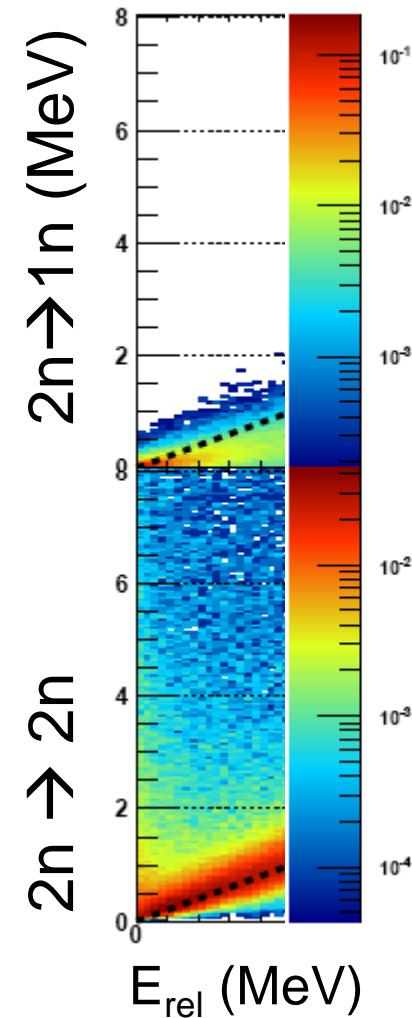


→ Analysis of three body correlations



Current experimental frontiers:

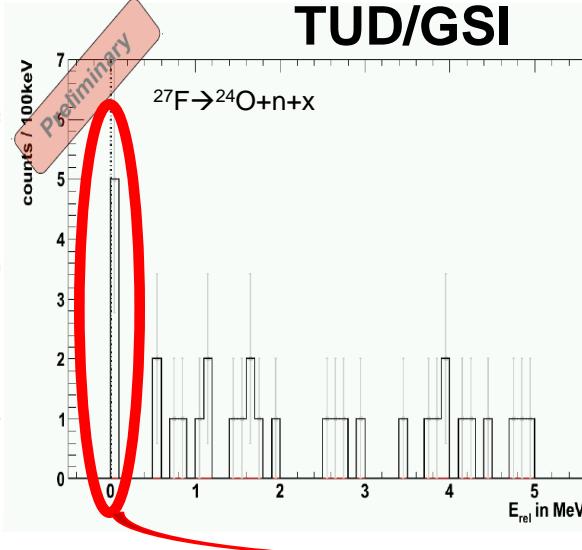
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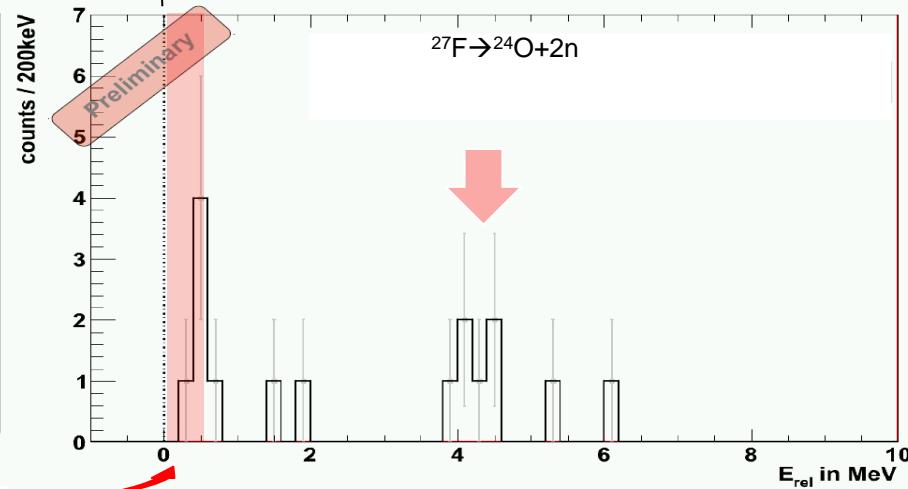
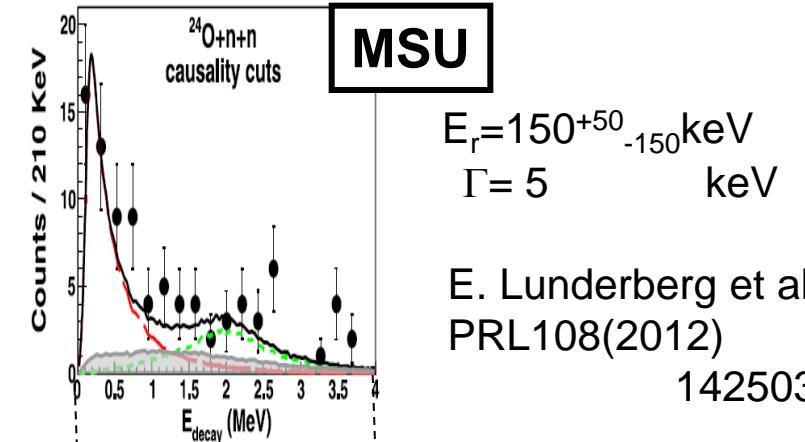
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2) Multi neutron detection and acceptance.

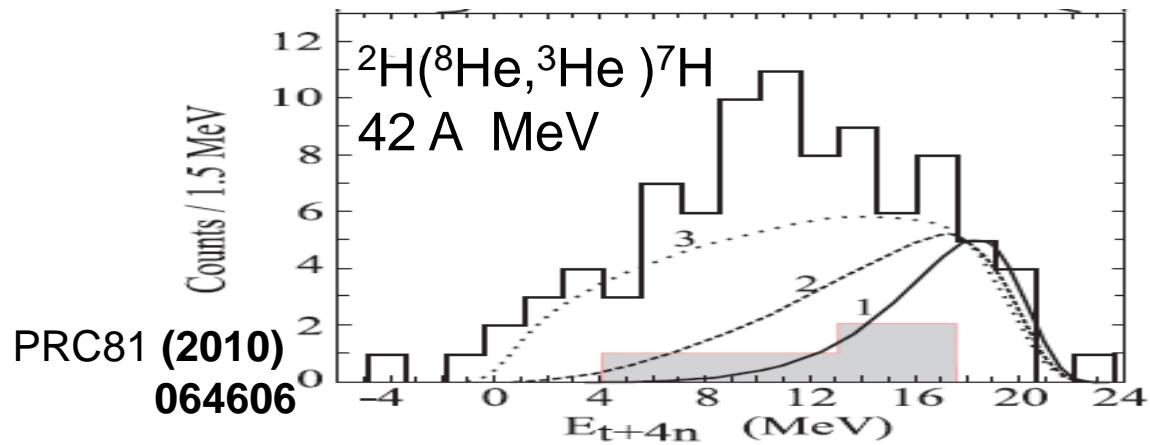
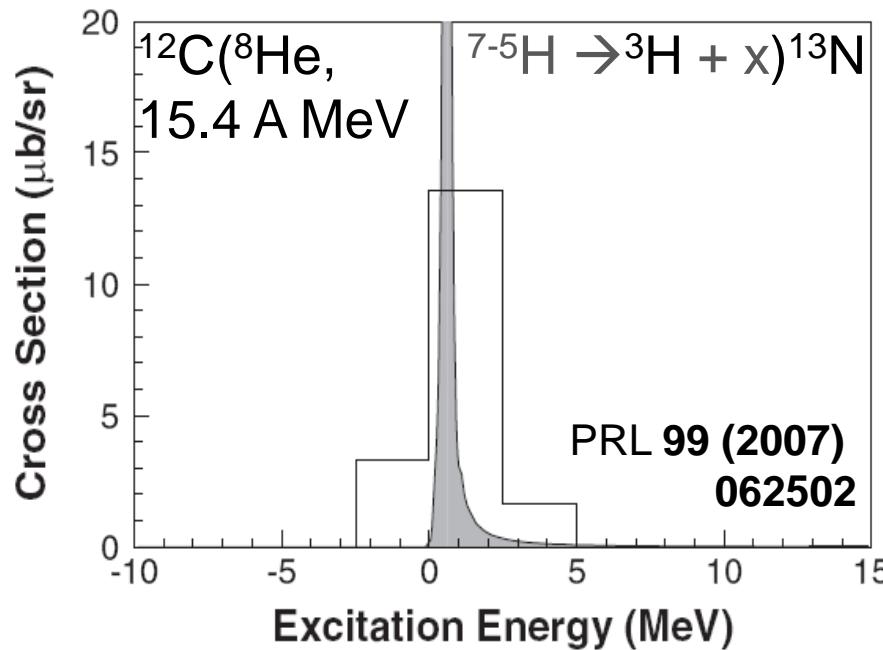
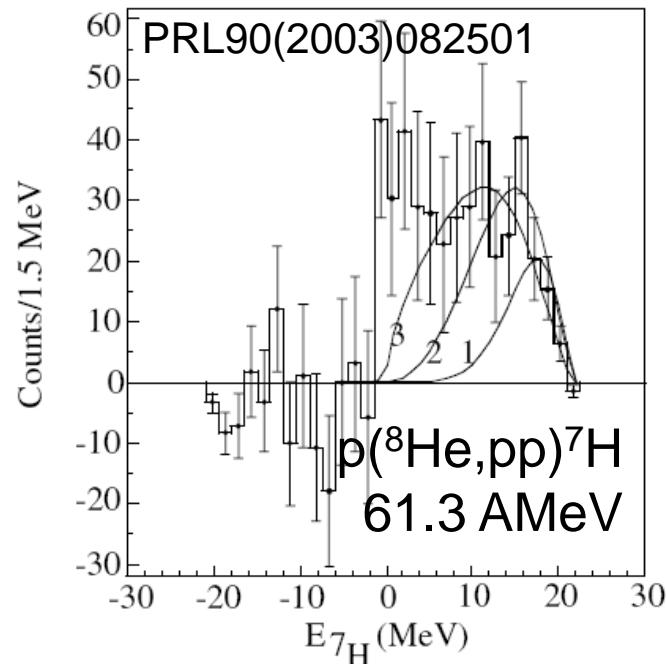
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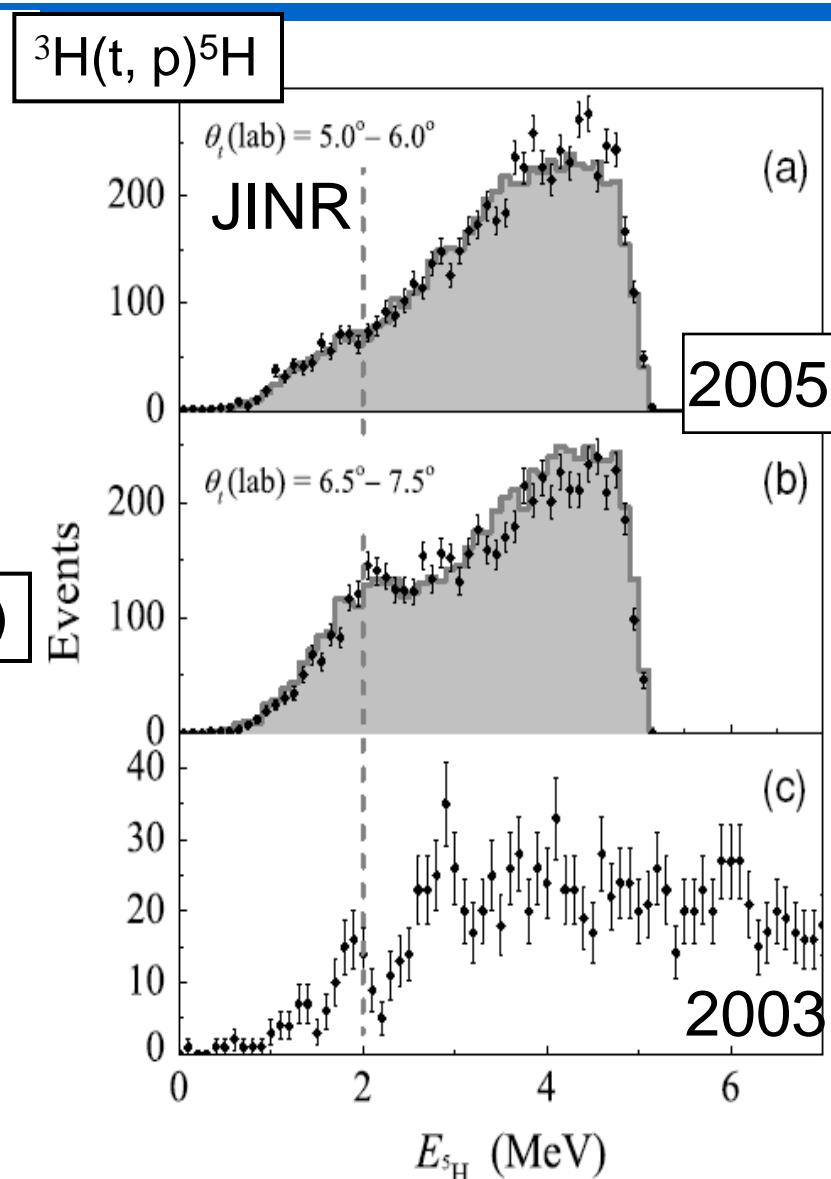
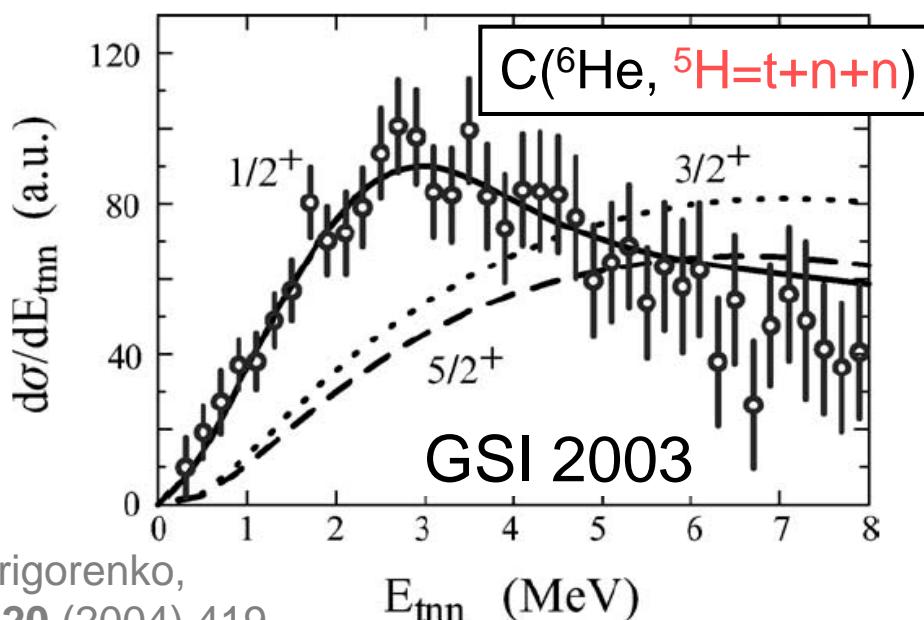
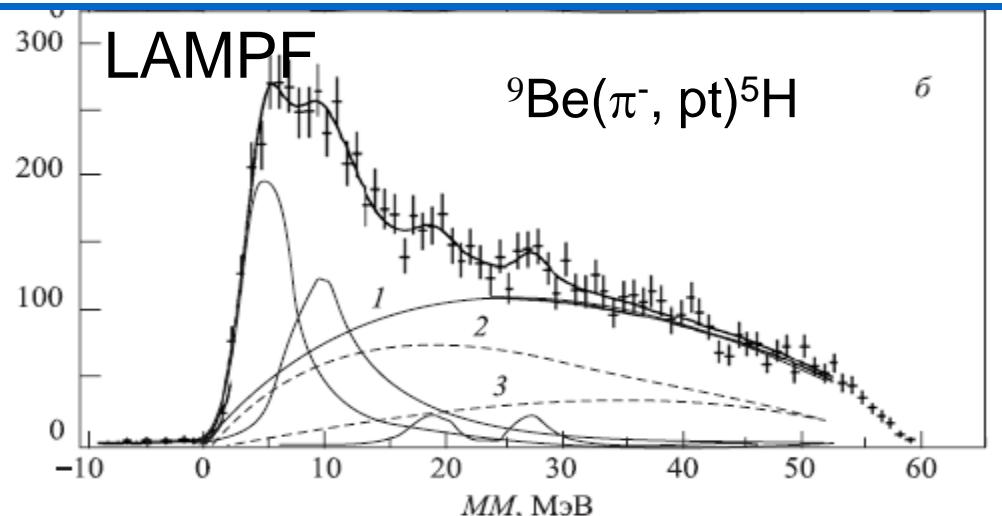
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Beyond the dripline: ^7H (just) missing mass spectra

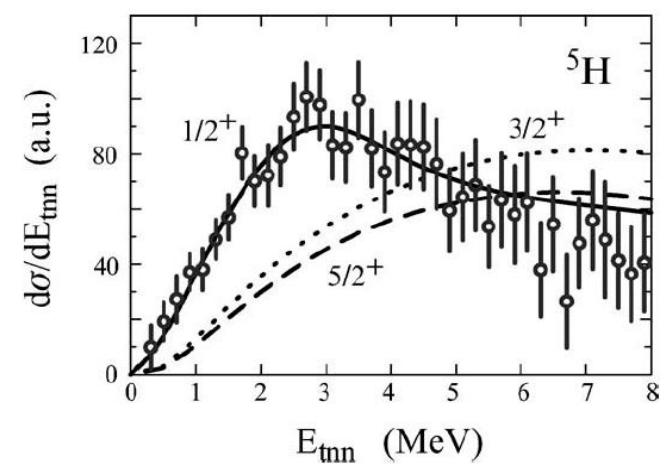
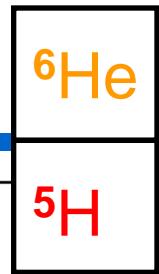


Beyond the dripline: ${}^5\text{H}$ (just) energy spectra



→ L. Grigorenko,
EPJ A 20 (2004) 419

Beyond the dripline: ^5H interpretation



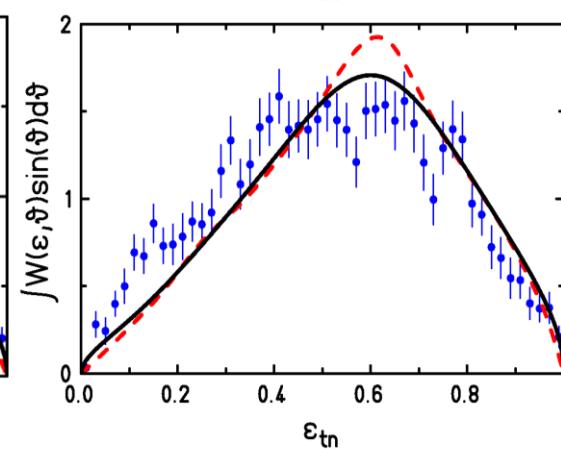
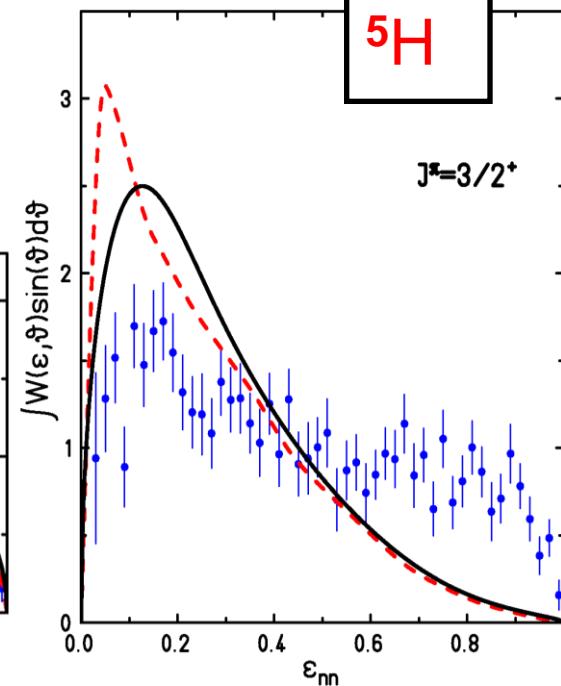
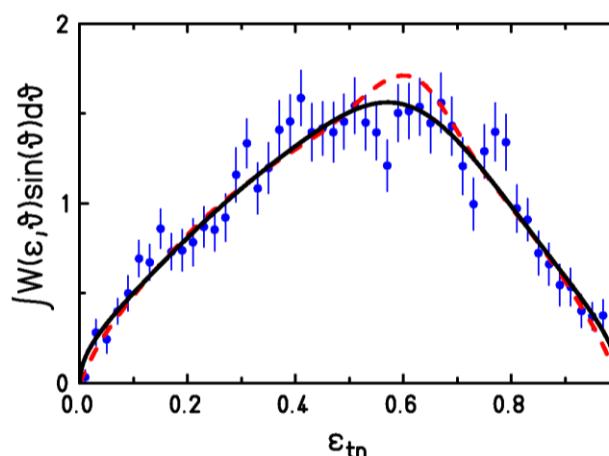
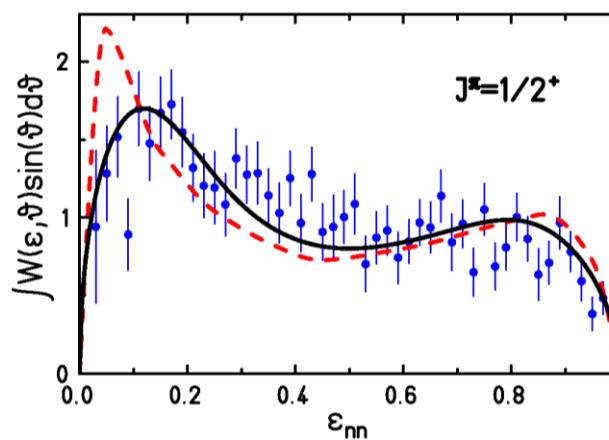
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R. de Diego, et al.
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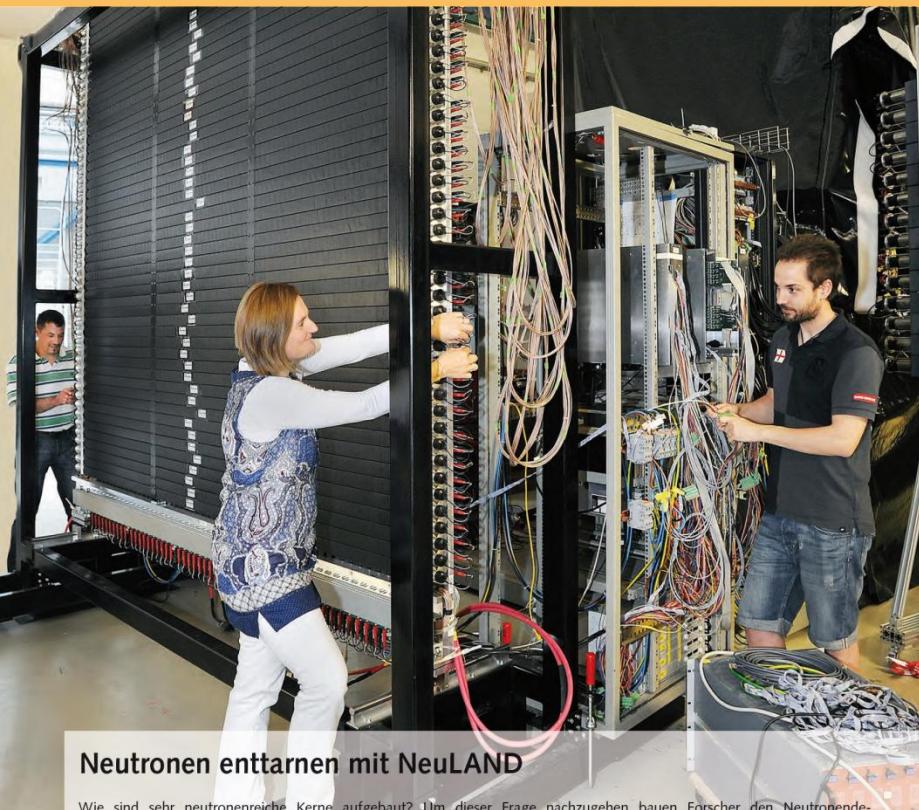


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Neutronen enttarnen mit NeuLAND

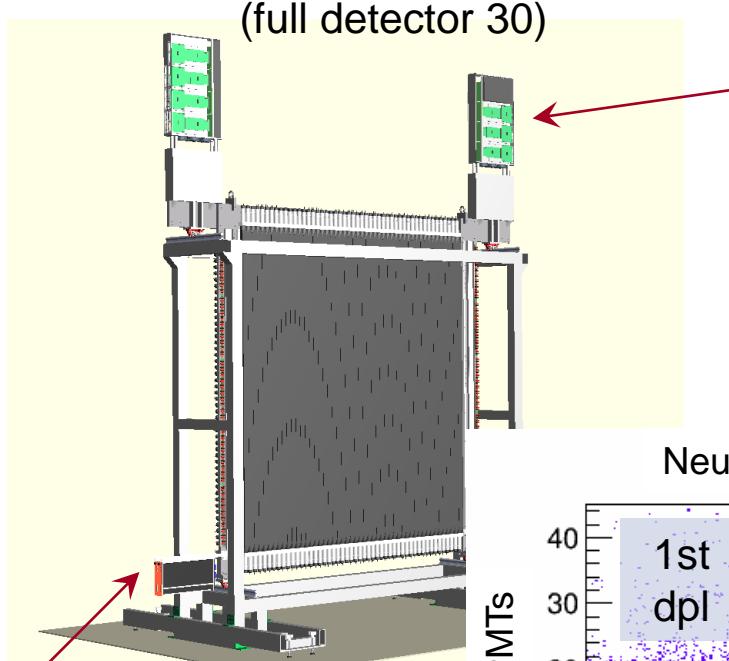
Wie sind sehr neutronenreiche Kerne aufgebaut? Um dieser Frage nachzugehen bauen Forscher den Neutronendetektor NeuLAND. NeuLAND wird am zukünftigen Teilchenbeschleuniger FAIR eingesetzt. Das Ziel: Die Elemententstehung in Supernovae entschlüsseln.

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Next Step: Novel neutron detector for R³B

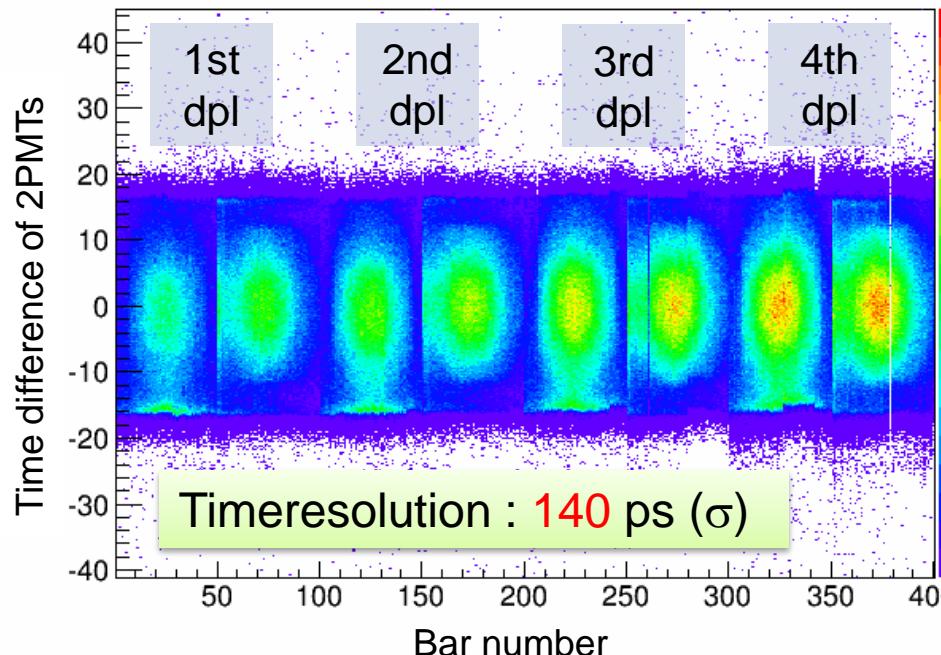
- NeuLAND demonstrator performance

6 Double planes in test (August and October 2014)



FPGA TDC
based
Readout
Electronics

Neutron hit patterns in 4 double planes

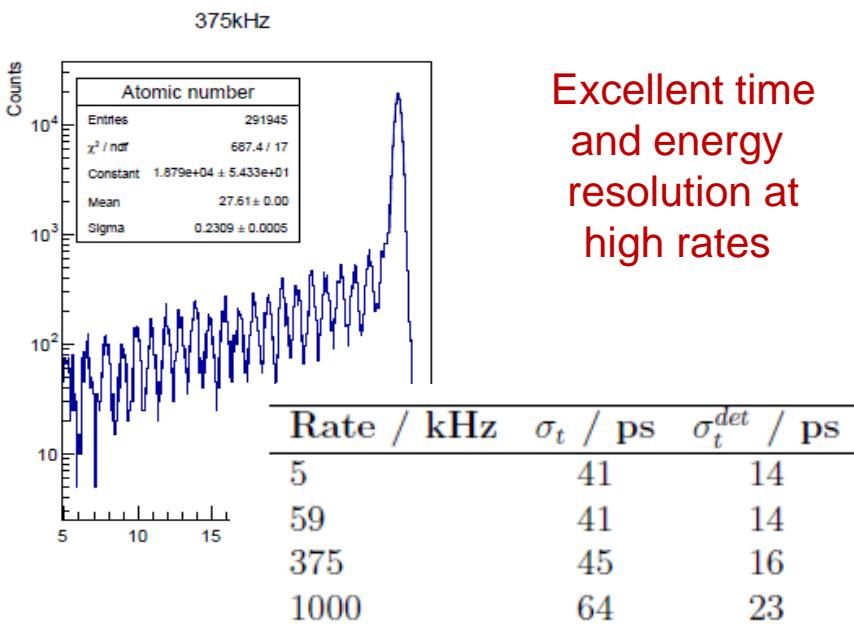


Improve multi neutron detection efficiency down to low energy

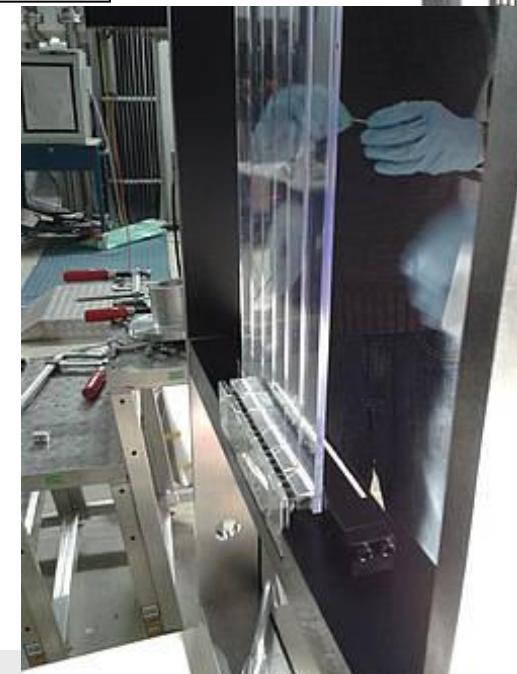
Next step: R³B Time-of-flight detector prototyping

Performance goals:

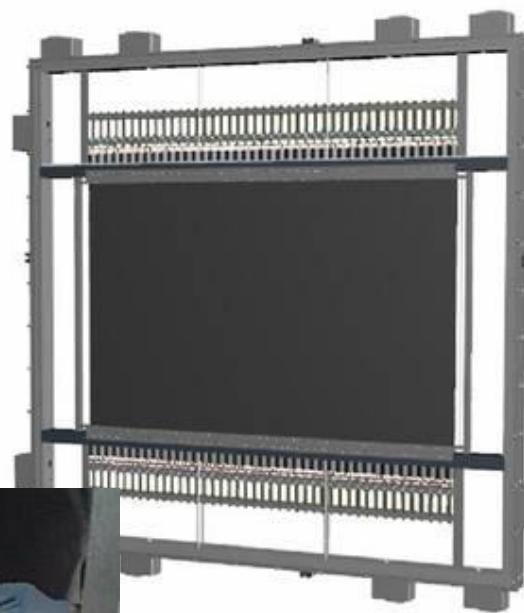
- Time resolution $\sigma_t/t = 2E-4$
($\Leftrightarrow \sigma_t = 20$ ps for 20 m flight path at 1 AGeV)
- Energy resolution $\sigma_E/E = 1\%$
- High-counting rate capabilities (~1 MHz)
- Large dynamic range (up to Pb-U).
- FPGA based TDC readout (ΔE via ToT Techniques)



Excellent time
and energy
resolution at
high rates

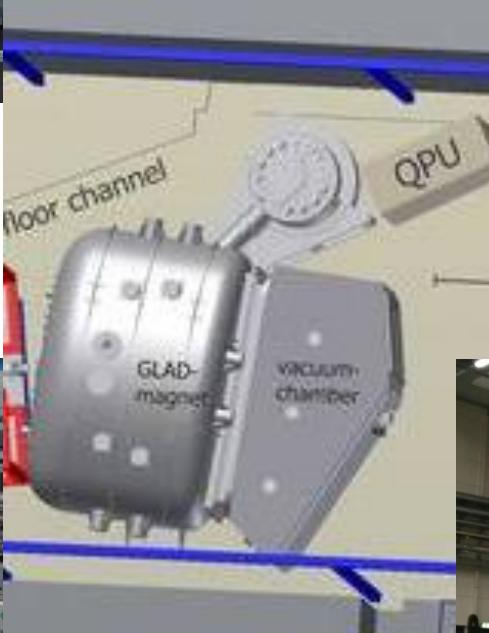
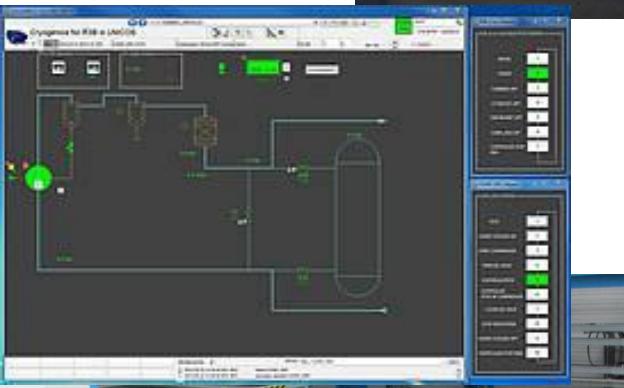


Detector layout



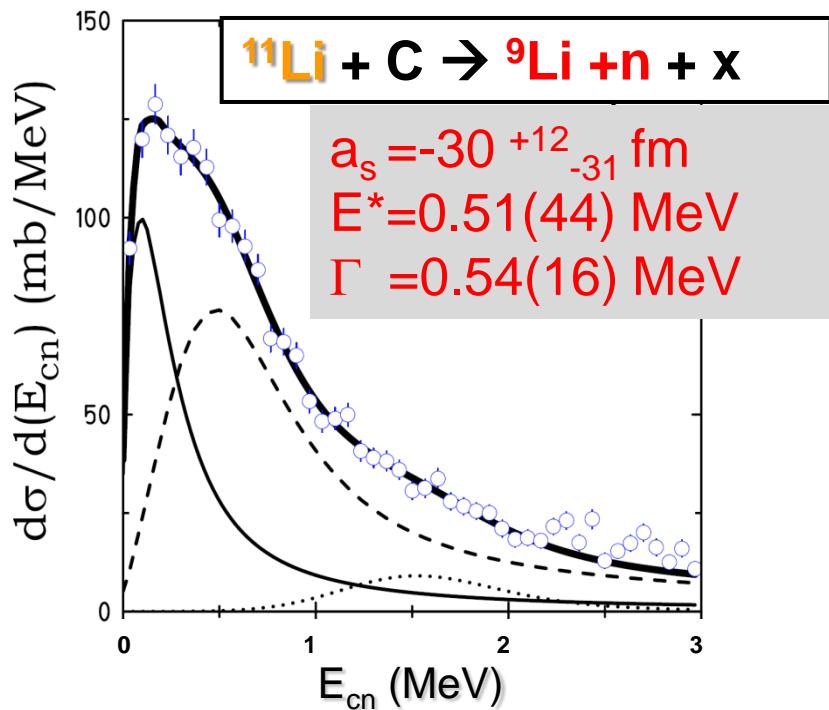
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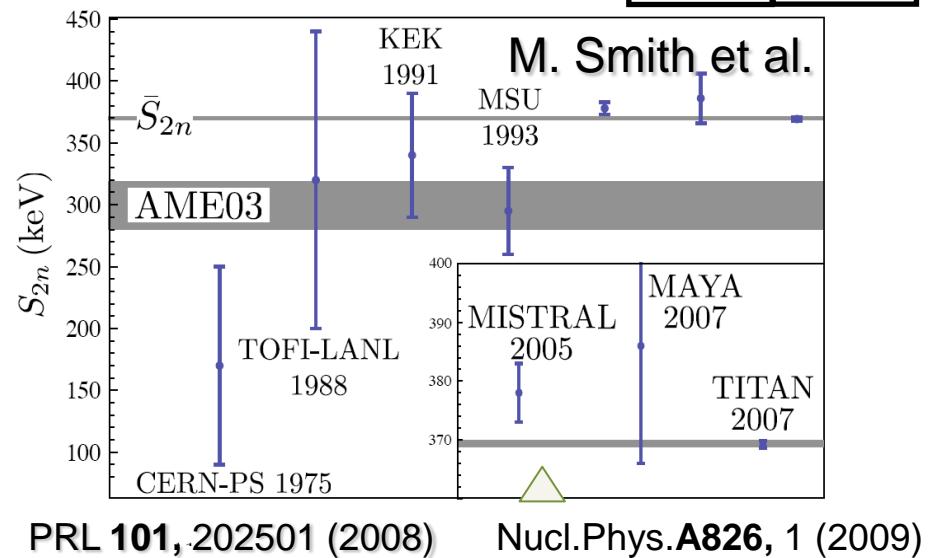
First setup of principal components @ GSI

The structure of ^{11}Li via ^{10}Li



H.S. et al.
Phys. Rev. Lett. **83** (1999) 496
Nucl. Phys. **A 791** (2007) 267

Confirmed eg @ GANIL (N.Orr, H.Al Falou)



Correlation data, B(E1), matter radii, cross sections
binding energy $369.15(65) \text{ keV}$
charge radius $2.467(37) \text{ fm}$
R. Sanchez et al., PRL**96** (2006) 033002
quadrupole moment $33.3(5) \text{ mb}$
R. Neugart et al., PRL**101** (2008) 132502

Phenomenological wave function
N.B. Shulgina, B. Jonson, M.V.Zhukov
Nucl. Phys. **A825**(2009)175

$(s1/2)^2: 37\%$
 $(p1/2)^2: 47\%$
 $(p3/2)^2: 9\%$

Possible similarity of ^{10}He and ^{11}Li g.s.

Shigeyoshi Aoyama, PRL89 (2002) 052501

Exp.

Korsheninnikov et al.

$E=1.2 \text{ MeV} (0+)$
 $\Gamma < 1.2 \text{ MeV}$
 $E=0.91 \text{ MeV} ?$

ground $0+$ state?

excited $3/2-$ state?

$E=1.68 \text{ MeV}$
 $0+$
 $\Gamma=1.12 \text{ MeV}$

Theor.

$E=0.56 \text{ MeV}$
 $3/2-$
 $\Gamma=0.18 \text{ MeV}$

$E=0.05 \text{ MeV}$
 $0+$
 $\Gamma=0.21 \text{ MeV}$

threshold

$E=-0.34 \text{ MeV}$
 $3/2-$

^{10}He

^{11}Li

^{10}He

^{11}Li

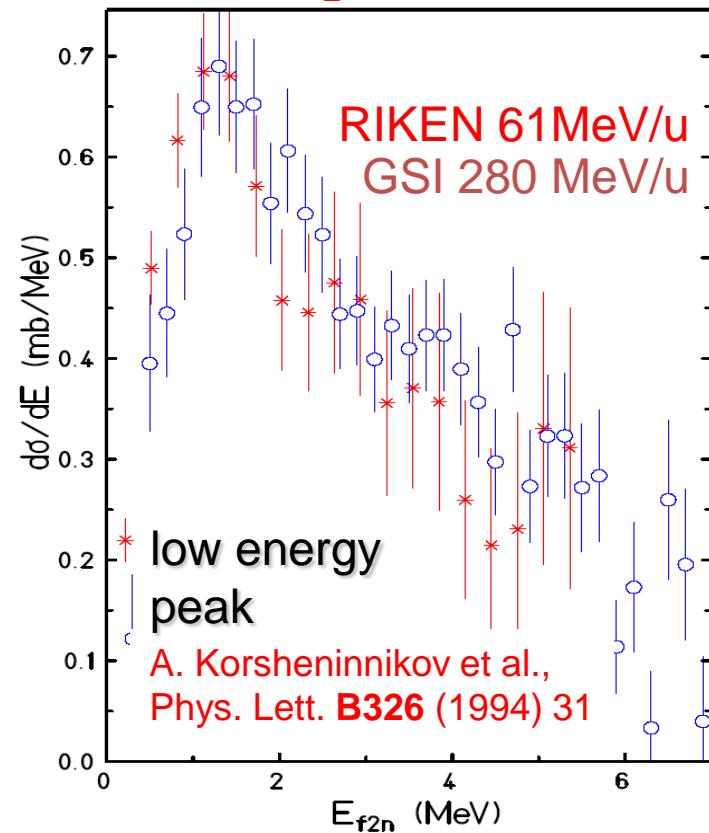
^{10}He : Lowest peak @~1.6 MeV confirmed:

$^{14}\text{Be}-2\text{p}2\text{n}$ @NSCL: PRL 109, 232501 (2012)

+ Efficiency@small relative neutron energies !

$^{14}\text{Be}-2\text{p}2\text{n}$ @NSCL: PRC 91, 044312 (2015)

^{11}Li : Kanungo et al., Triumf: 3/2+ isoscalar @ 1 MeV PRL 114, 192502 (2015)



¹⁴B

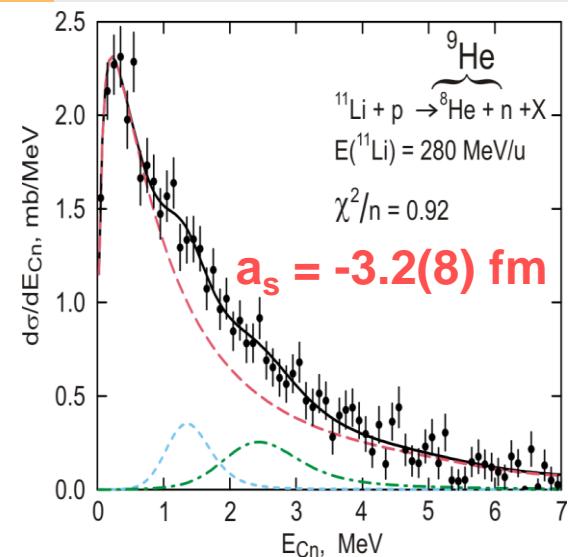
Groundstate properties of ⁹He (\rightarrow ¹⁰He)

- different seed nuclei & transfer

¹¹Be

¹⁴Be

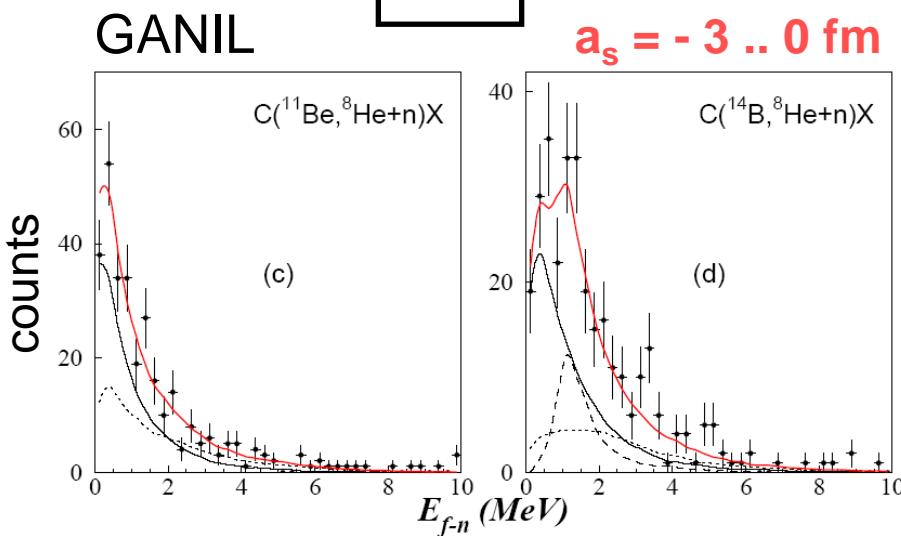
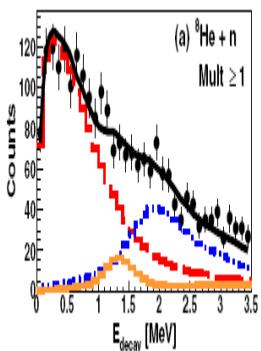
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$E_r = 1.33(8) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 0.1 \text{ MeV}$
 $E_r = 2.4 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 0.7 \text{ MeV}$
 Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 42(1999)17

H.T. Johansson et al., Nucl. Phys. A842 (2010) 15

M.D. Jones et al., PRC 91, 044312 (2015)

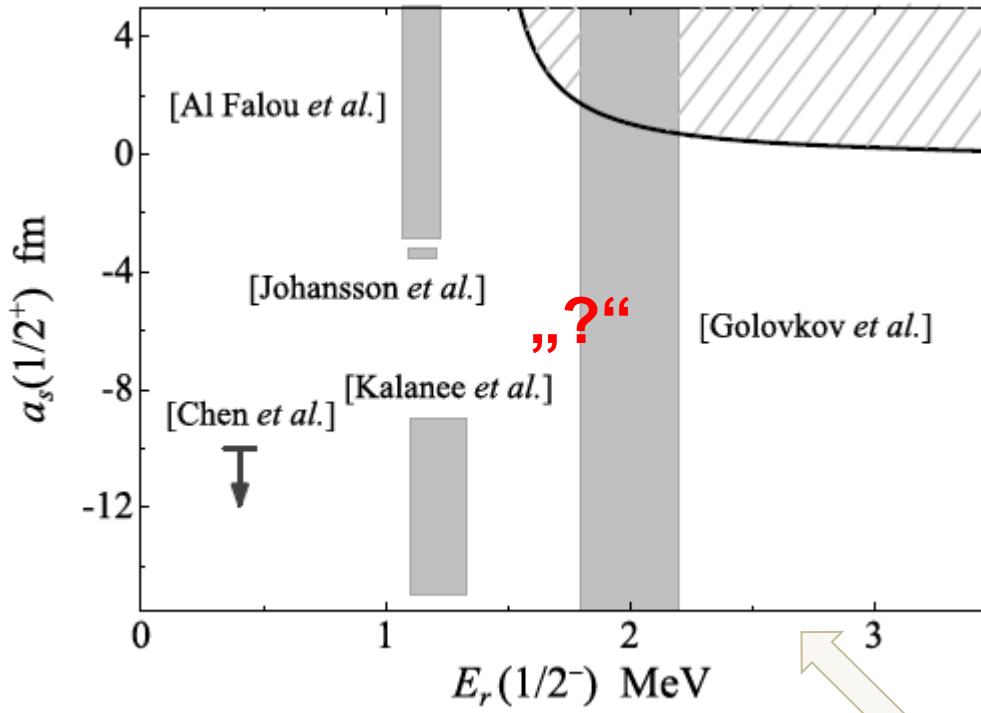


A. Falouh et al., Niigata Conf. 2010
 T. al Kalanee et al. PRC 88 (2013) 034301
 $a_s \sim 10-12 \text{ fm}$ ${}^8\text{He}(\text{d}, \text{p})$ @ 15.4 MeV/u

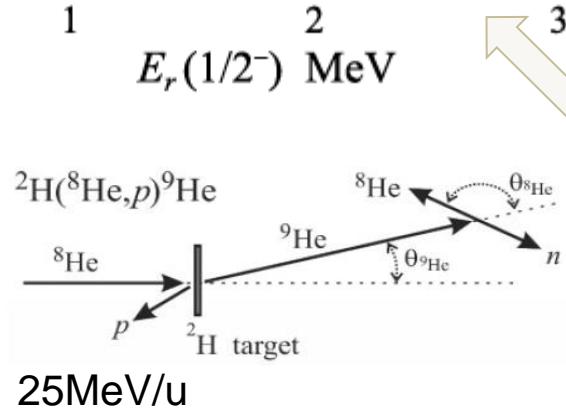
Nucleus	J^π	E (MeV)	Γ (MeV)
⁹ He	$1/2^+$	$-3 \text{ fm}^a [4]$	$8.4 [4]$
	$1/2^-$	$1.33 [4, 14]$	$0.1 [14]$
	$3/2^-$	$1.9_{-0.2}^{+0.4} \dagger$	$0.7 [14]$

Anomalous population of ^{10}He states in reactions with ^{11}Li

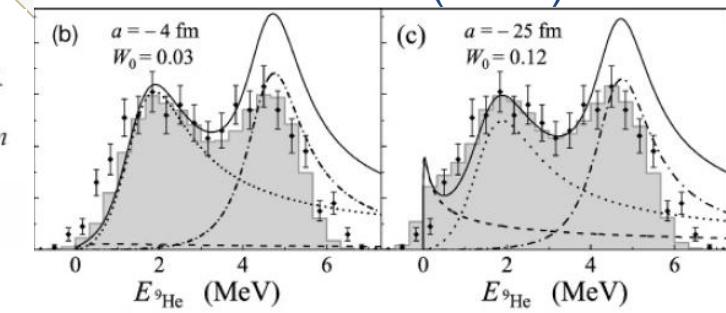
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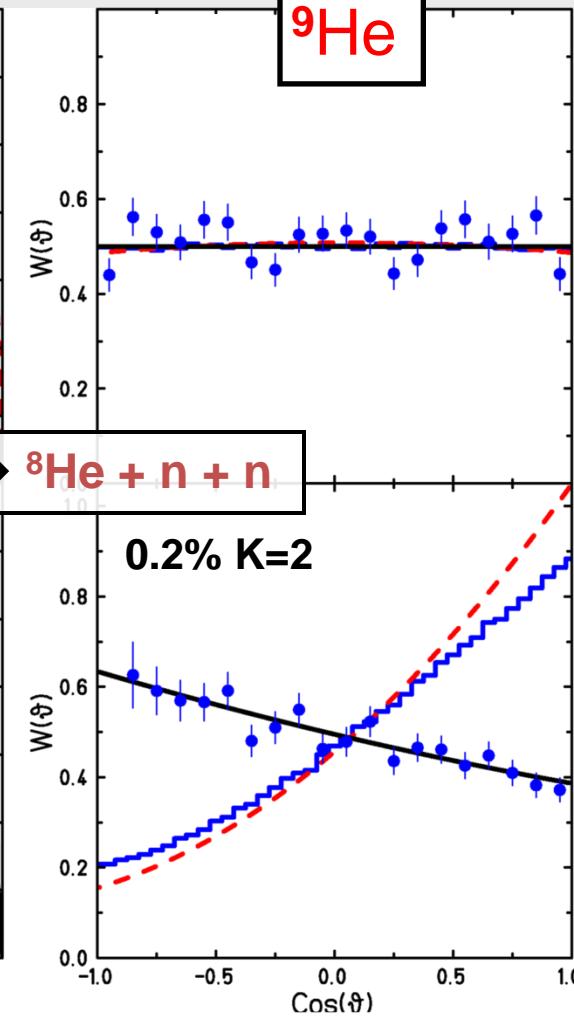
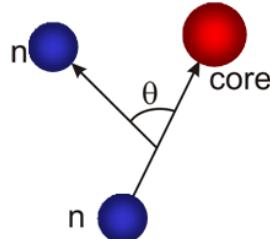
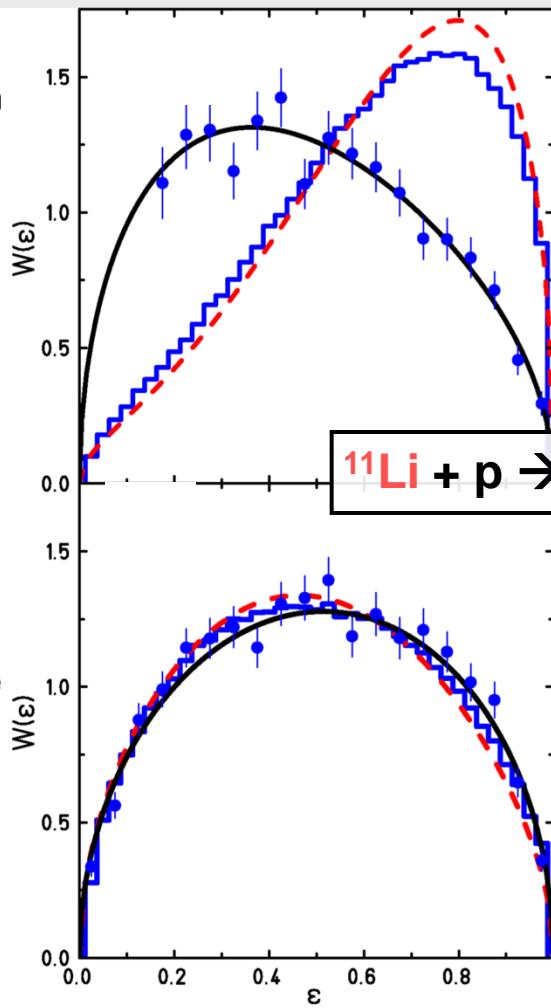
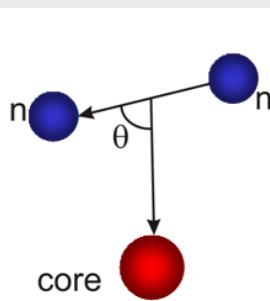
**Prediction for
 ^9He states
Using a
calculation for the
 ^{10}He ground state**



Missing Mass ^9He
PRC76(2007)021605



Comparison ^{11}Li and ^{10}He via angular correlations



^{11}Li

^9He

Excitation energy range
1-3 MeV
(low energy region 0^+)

above 2^+

- no resemblance to ^{11}Li seed angular correlations

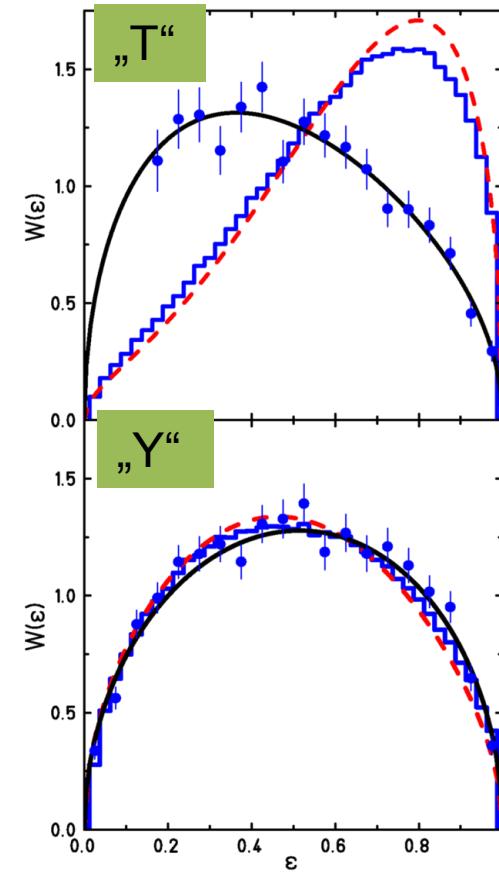
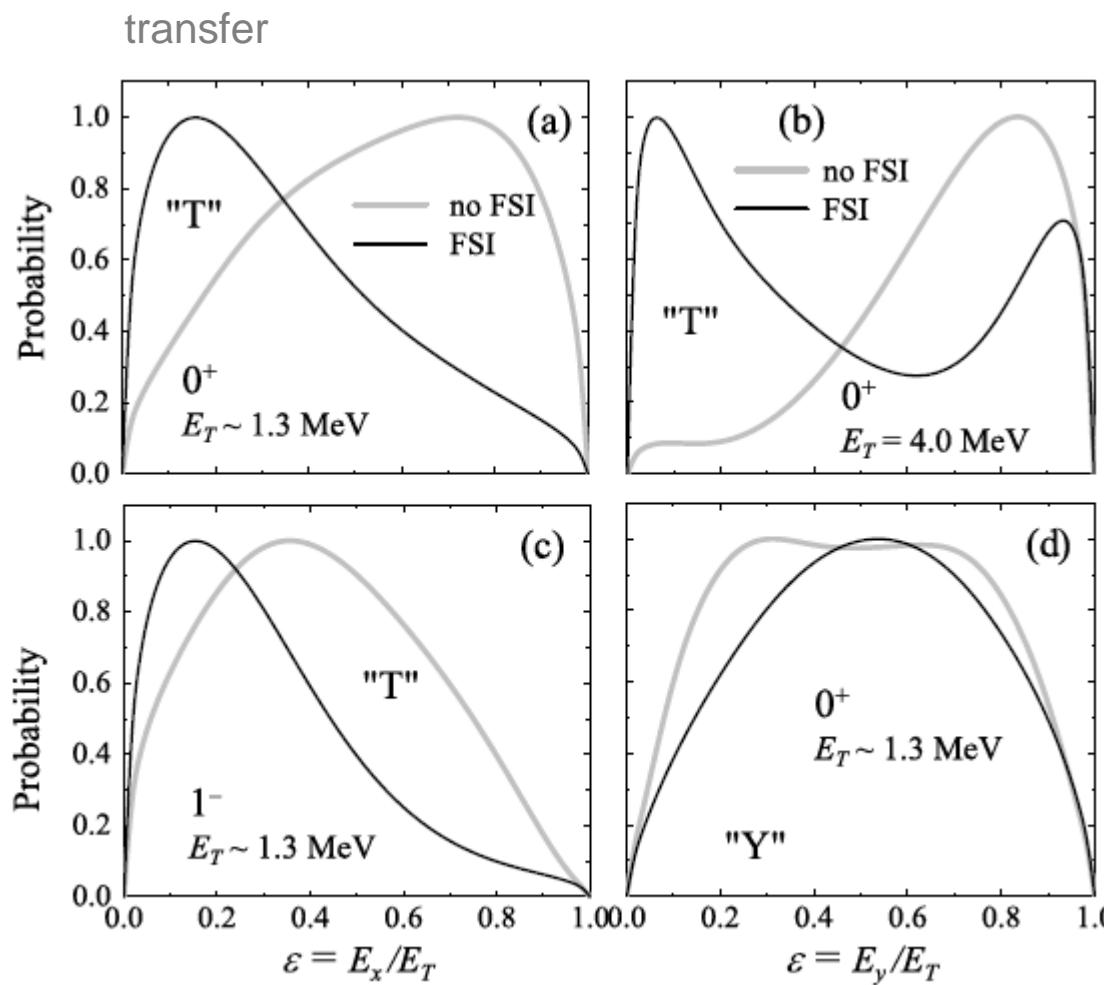
→ ^{10}He is structurally different

H.T. Johansson, Y. Aksyutina, Nucl. Phys. **A847** (2010) 66

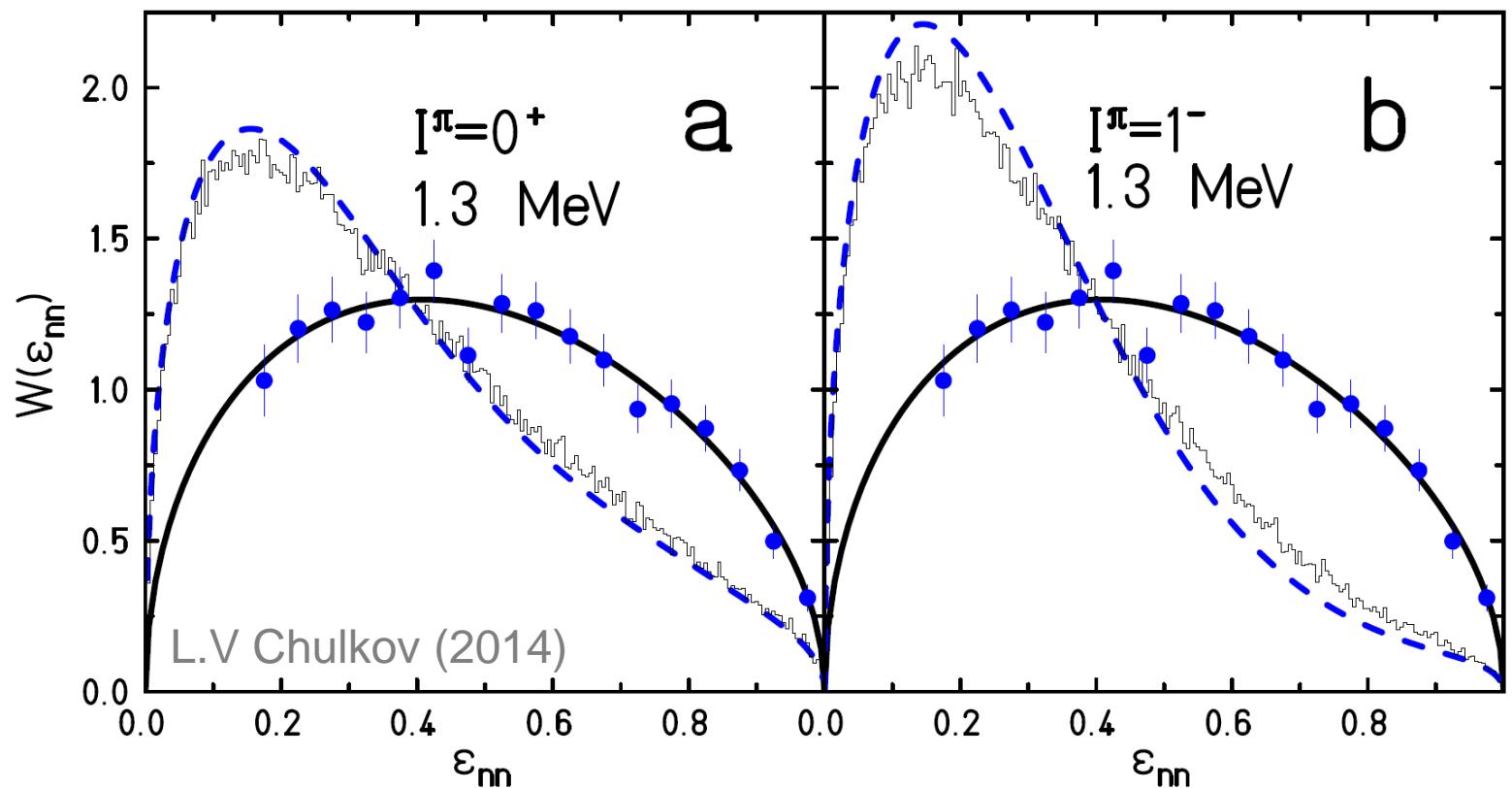
^{11}Li wave function → Correlation → Experimental Filter

Anomalous population of ^{10}He states in reactions with ^{11}Li

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1. ^{10}He FSI modifies strongly the initial correlations.
2. Deviations from our data ...

Theory <meets> Experiment ^{10}He groundstate ^{11}Li ^{10}He 

... cannot be explained by experimental effects

→ No conclusive evidence for a low lying 1^- state.
accordance to H.T.Fortune PRC88 (2013)034328

Linking seed nucleus with intermediate system - angular correlations vs. relative energy



Polynomial fit

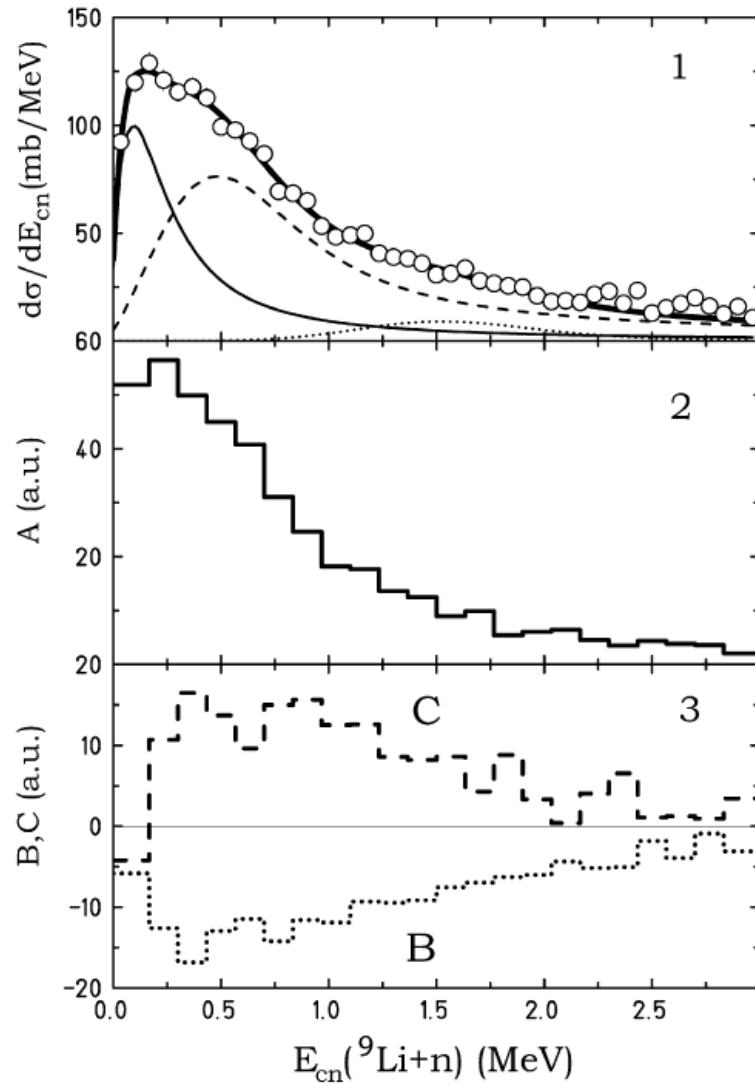
$$A + B \cos(\theta) + C \cos^2(\theta)$$

for angular correlations

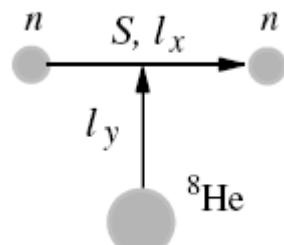
Plot parameters vs. ${}^{10}\text{Li}$
relative energy spectrum

→ s @ threshold
→ p @ ~ 0.5 MeV

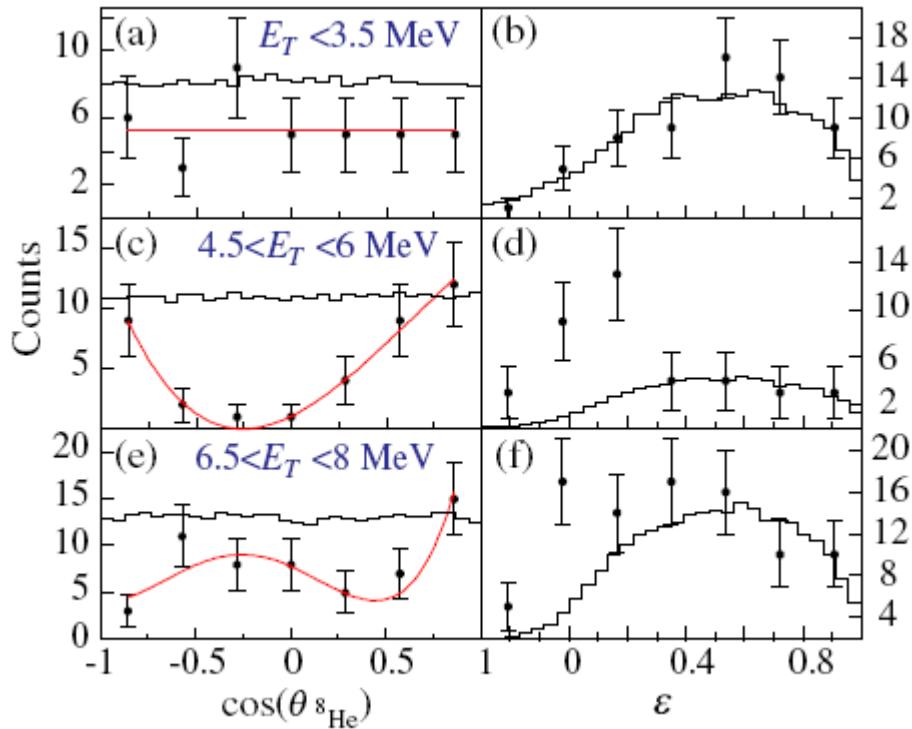
H.S. et al., NPA791 (2007) 267



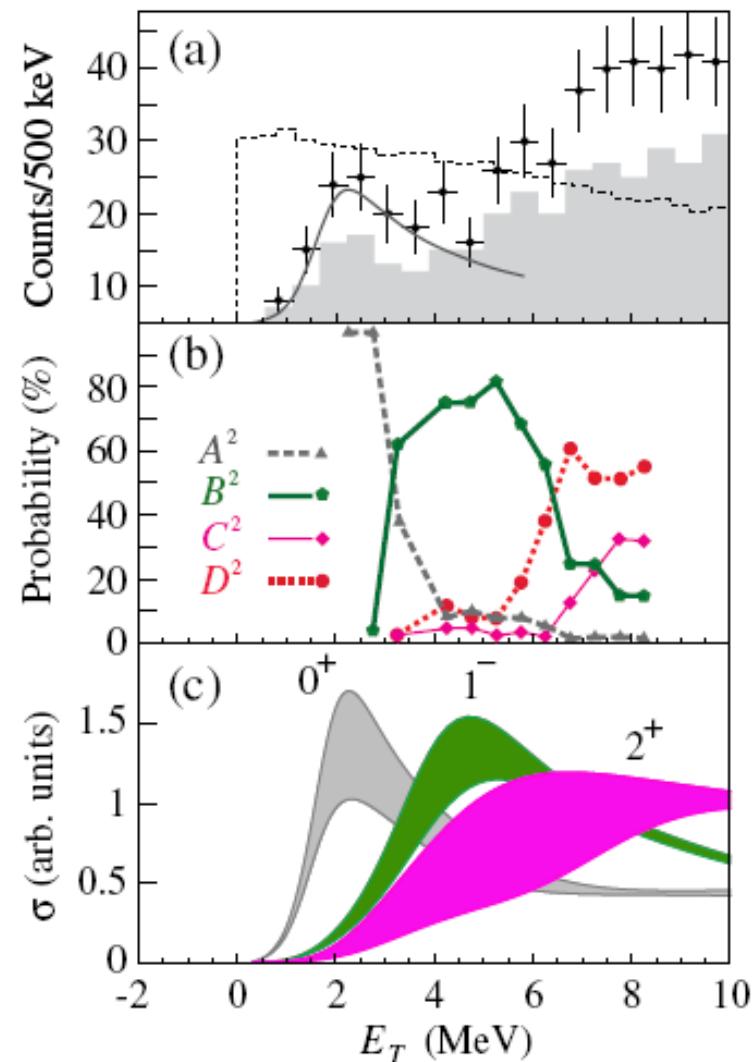
Excitation spectrum $^{10}\text{He}^*$ JINR/ACCULINA



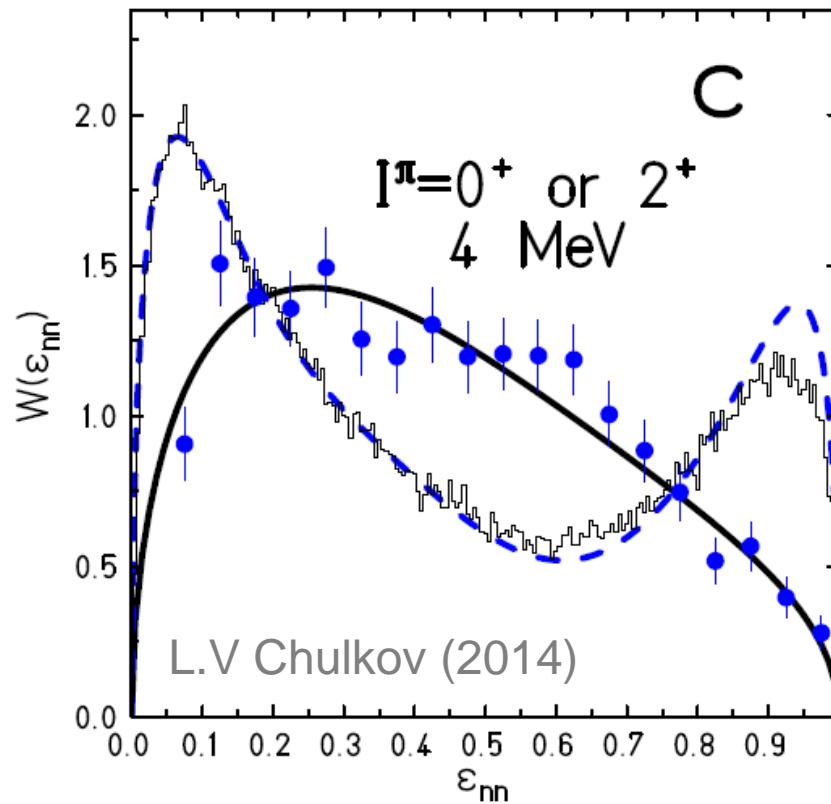
S.I. Sidorchuk et al.
PRL 108(2012)202502
 $^3\text{H}(\text{He}^8, \text{p})^{10}\text{He}$ @21.5AMeV



Indication for soft dipole mode



Theory <meets> Experiment $^{10}\text{He}^*$ excited



... as well not at higher energies

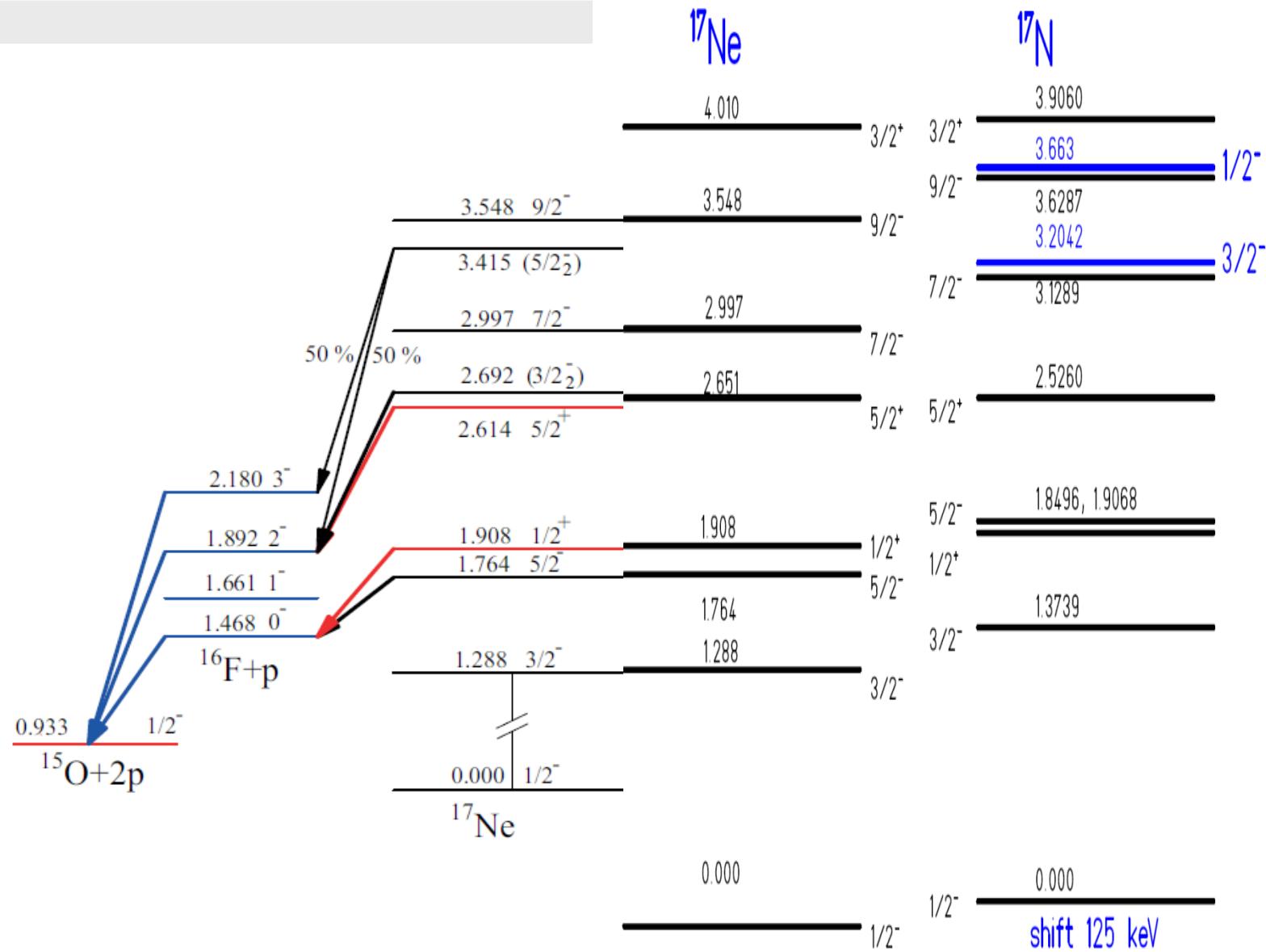
→ Direct discussion ongoing !

Lessons learned:

1. Initial state and final state can be separated by measuring the correlations in the system.
2. The energy spectra are strongly influenced by the initial state and the reaction mechanism.
3. Data sets are otherwise often consistent.
4. Interplay with theory – including structure and reaction theory is needed!

^{11}Li

^{10}He

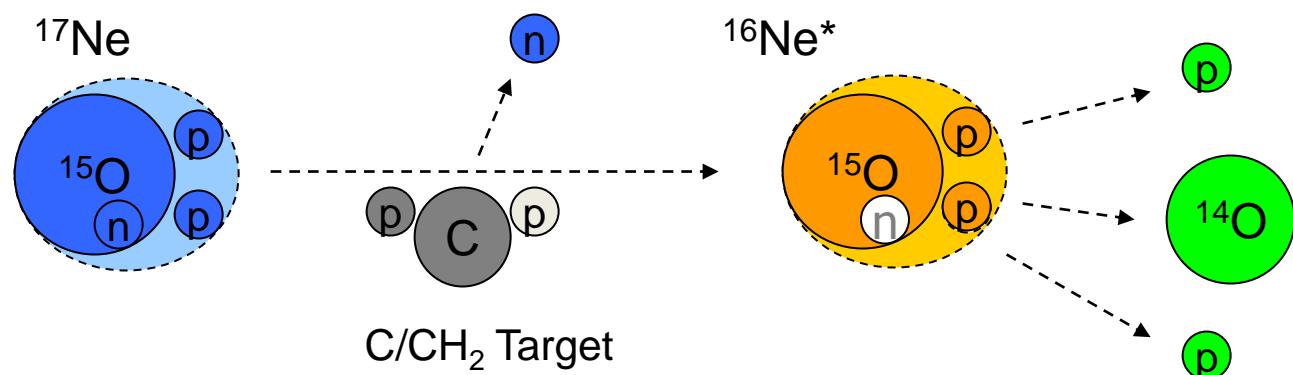


Neutron Knockout from ^{17}Ne : Unbound ^{16}Ne

F. Wamers

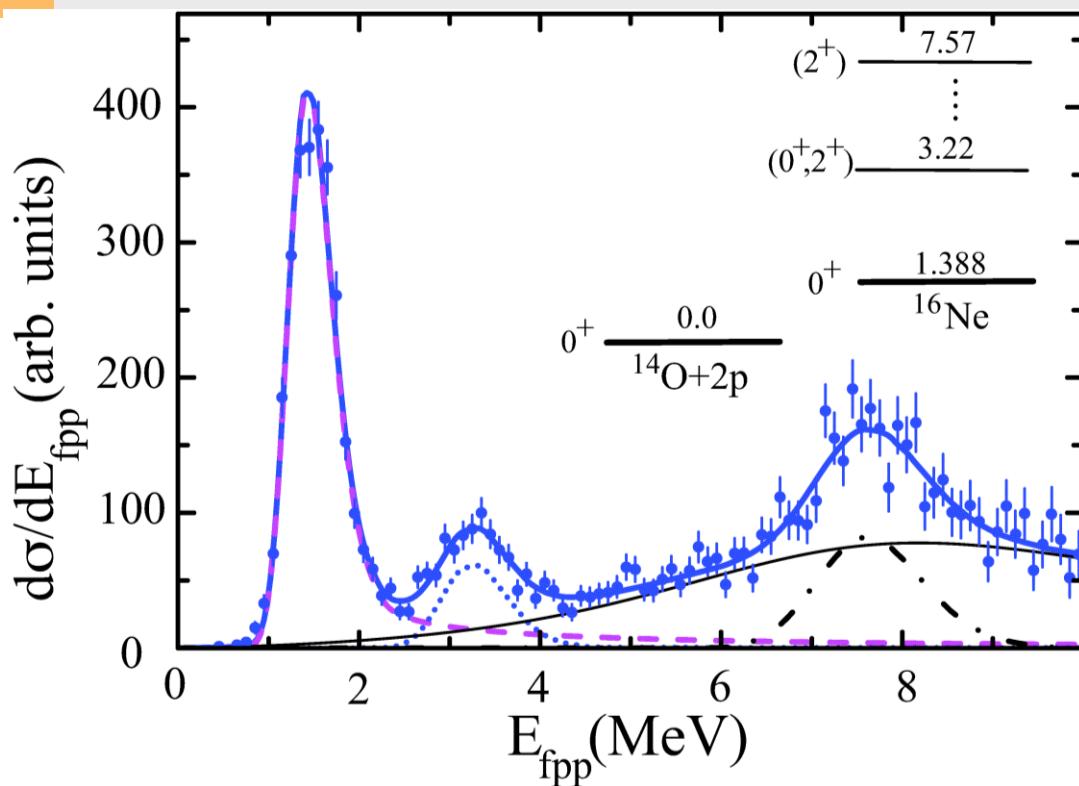
			Mg²⁰
		Na¹⁸	Na¹⁹
Ne¹⁵	Ne¹⁶	Ne¹⁷	Ne¹⁸
F¹⁴	F¹⁵	F¹⁶	F¹⁷
O¹³	O¹⁴	O¹⁵	O¹⁶
N¹²	N¹³	N¹⁴	N¹⁵
C¹¹	C¹²	C¹³	C¹⁴
B¹⁰	B¹¹	B¹²	B¹³

One-neutron Knockout



^{16}Ne relative energy spectrum

F. Wamers et al., PRL 112, 132502 (2014)



$\Gamma^\pi = 0^+$	$\Gamma^\pi = (0^+, 2^+)$	$\Gamma^\pi = (2^+)$				
E_r	Γ	E_r	Γ	E_r	Γ	Ref.
1.388(15)	0.082(15)	3.22(5)	≤ 0.05	7.57(6)	≤ 0.1	[*]
1.33(8)	0.2(1)	3.02(11)	—	—	—	[11]
1.466(45)	—	—	—	—	—	[12]
1.399(24)	0.11(4)	—	—	—	—	[13]
—	—	3.5(2)	—	—	—	[14]
1.35(8)	—	—	—	7.6(2)	$0.8^{(+4)}_{(-8)}$	[15]

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Confirmation of previous results.
Narrow width for
1st and 2nd excited state.

K.W. Brown et al,
Phys.Rev.Lett. 113, 232501 (2014)
gs. Er=1.476(20) $\Gamma < 60\text{keV}$
„width puzzle“

^{15}Ne Mass: prediction via mirror nuclei systematics

F. Wamers et al., PRL 112, 132502 (2014)

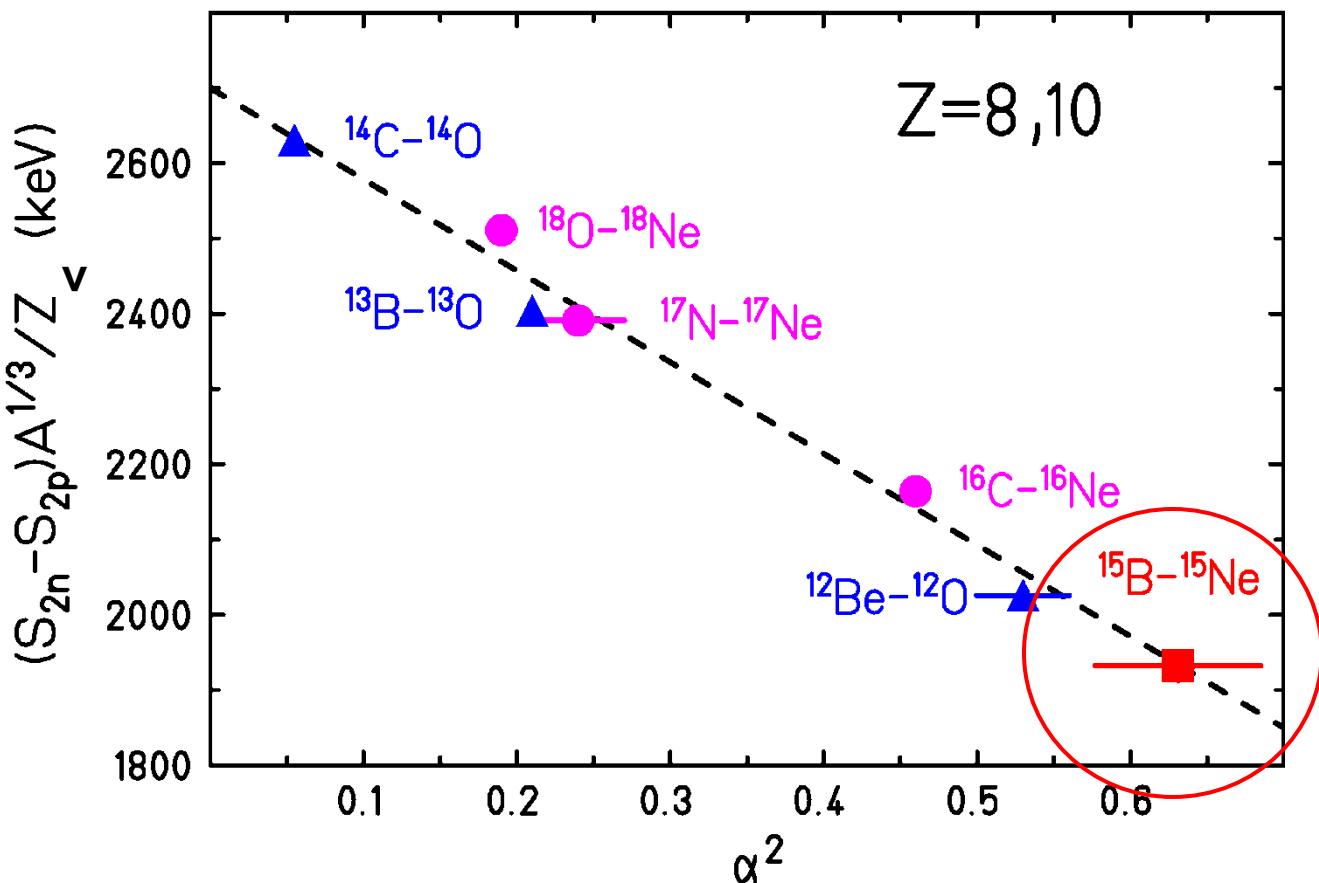
„Improved Garvey-Kelson Mass relations“ (systematics)

→ ME(^{15}Ne) = 41.555(23) MeV, vs. ME(^{15}Ne)_{exp} = 40.215(69) MeV

J. Tian et al, Phys. Rev. C 87,

014313 (2013)

Model: N,Z=8,10 (sd)² shell nuclei: |g.s.> ~ $\alpha(1s_{1/2})^2 + \beta(0d_{5/2})^2$ | P(s²)=66(10)% , $^{16}\text{C}-^{15}\text{B}-^{14}\text{Be}$
 → ME(^{15}Ne) = 40.37(24) MeV, vs ME(^{15}Ne)_{exp} = 40.215(69) MeV

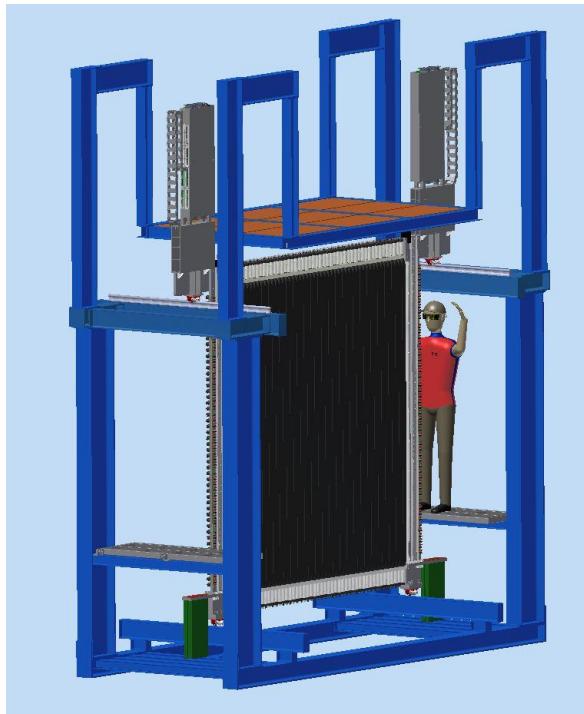


H.T. Fortune, Phys. Lett. B718, 1342 (2013)

→ 63(5) % of $(1s_{1/2})^2$ in ^{15}Ne ground state

NeuLAND: The High Resolution Neutron Time-of-Flight Spectrometer for R³B

K. Boretzky



NeuLAND detector parameters:

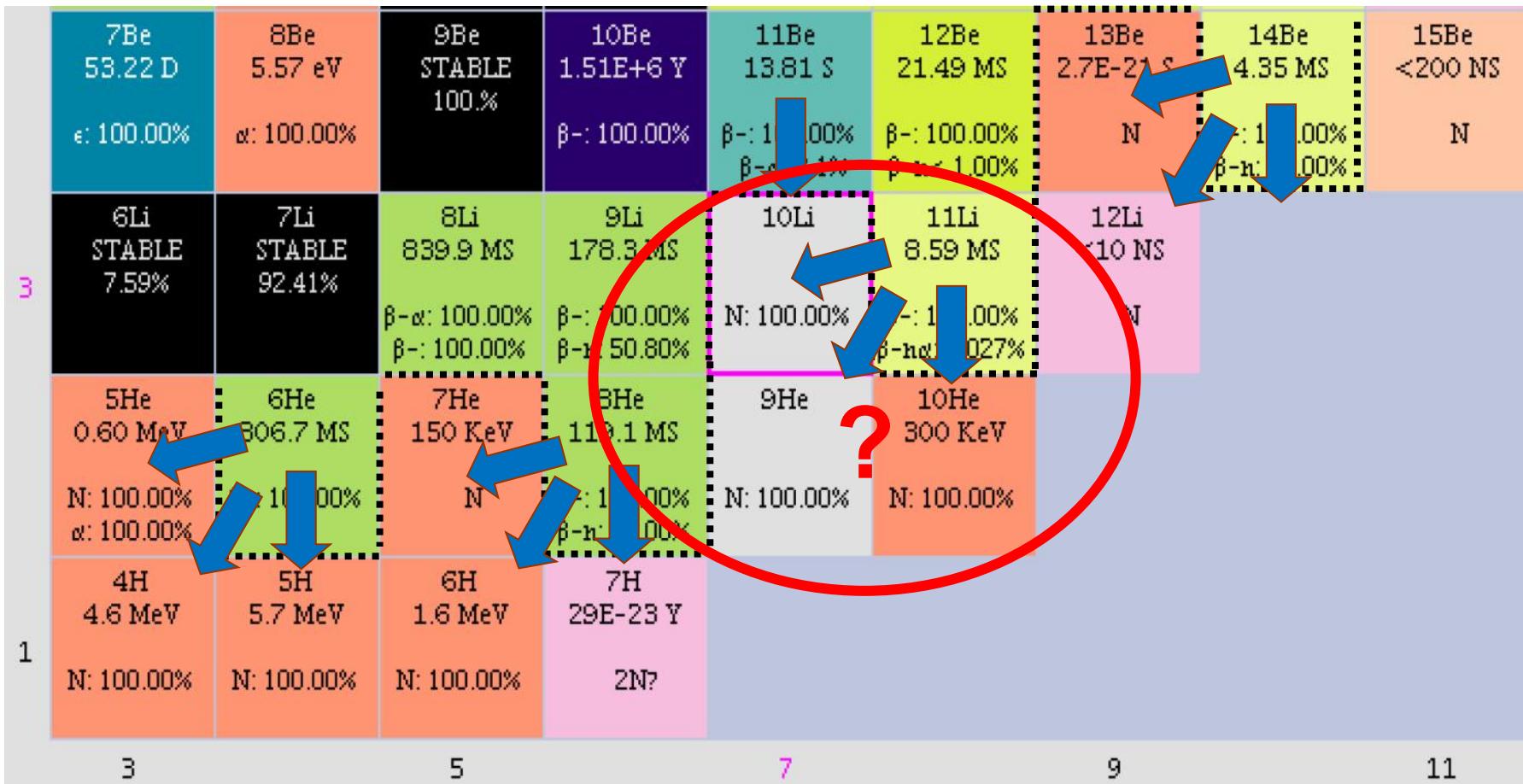
- full active detector using RP/BC408
- face size 250x250 cm²
- active depth 300 cm
- 3000 scintillator bars
- 6000 PM / readout channels
- 32 tons

NeuLAND design goals:

- >90% efficiency for 0.2-1.0 GeV neutrons
- Multi-hit capability for up to 5 neutrons
- invariant-mass resolution: **NeuLAND-target distance 35 m**
 $\Delta E < 20 \text{ keV}$ at 100 keV above the neutron threshold

Going Neutron rich ...

P.G. Hansen, Nature 328 (1987) 476



^{11}Li with „known“ structure → initial vs. final state
Influence of reaction mechanism → different seed nuclei