

# Benchmarks of breakup models

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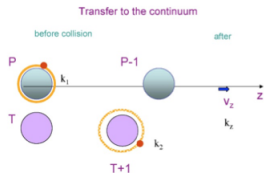
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## Transfer to continuum states (inclusive reaction)

Kinematics and phase space ++

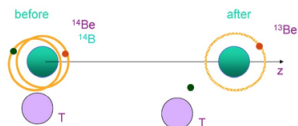
Single particle state properties (shell model)



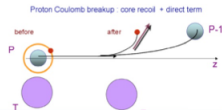
$$k_2 - k_1 = k_z$$

$$v_T - v_i = mv^{1/2}$$

## Fragmentation reaction (coincidence)

Let us start with a two neutron halo nucleus like  $^{11}\text{Li}$  or  $^{14}\text{Be}$ 

## Coulomb breakup (inclusive or coincidence)



# Examples of reactions

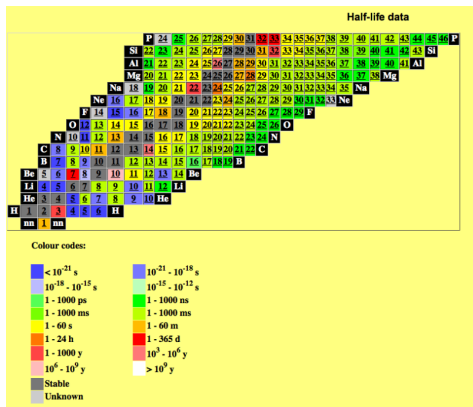
## TC: n+target interaction

- $T(d,p)T+n \rightarrow$   
*surrogate, TrojanHorse*
- ${}^9\text{Li}(d,p){}^{10}\text{Li} \rightarrow$  *Mario Gomez*
- ${}^9\text{Be}({}^{18}\text{O}, {}^{17}\text{O}){}^{10}\text{Be}$
- ${}^9\text{Be}({}^{18}\text{O}, {}^{16}\text{O}){}^{11}\text{Be}$
- ${}^9\text{Be}({}^{14}\text{O}, {}^{13}\text{O})X({}^9\text{Be}+n)$

## Fragmentation: n+core interaction

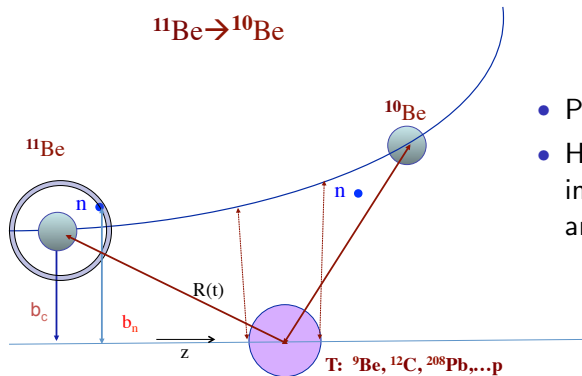
- ${}^{11}\text{Li}({}^{12}\text{C}, X){}^9\text{Li}+n$   
 $\rightarrow$  *A. Corsi, M. Gomez*
- ${}^{14}\text{Be}({}^{12}\text{C}, X){}^{12}\text{Be}+n \rightarrow$  *A.C.*
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# Structure study motivation for exotic nuclei at the drip line and beyond (unbound).



- Check the limits of validity of structure models such as the SHELL MODEL or "ab initio" models, understanding of the *residual* nuclear force.
- Challenges in breakup reaction theories.

For normal nuclei: study of low lying resonance properties and/or damping of high L single particle states in the continuum.



- Peripheral reaction
- How important is the internal part of the initial and final  $n$  wave function

# Theoretical models for inclusive (nonelastic) breakup <sup>20</sup>

- Requires inclusion of all possible processes through which the breakup fragment can interact with the target. Impractical in most cases.

## In 1980s

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| • Ichimura, Austern, and Vincent developed a spectator-participant model (post-form) | Phys. Rev. C 23, 1847 (1981)<br>Phys. Rev. C 32, 431 (1985)  |
| • Udagawa and Tamura suggested a breakup-fusion model (prior-form)                   | Phys. Rev. C 24, 1348 (1981)<br>Phys. Lett. B 135, 333(1984) |
| • Hussein and McVoy adopted a spectator model with the Feshbach projection method    | Nucl. Phys. A 445, 124 (1985)                                |
| • Three different approaches with different predictions                              |  |

## Goals

- Find a suitable model for inclusive breakup
- Explore relations between these models

## Challenges

- Numerically difficult
- No numerical implementation in 1980s-2000s even for Finite Range DWBA

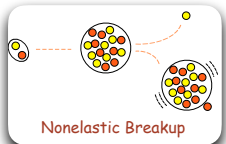
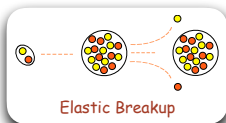
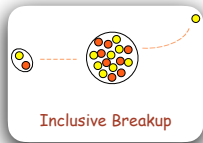
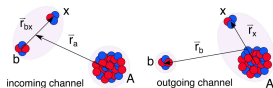
Semiclassical methods proposed: W. Baur et al., D.M. Brink and A.B.

# The Ichimura, Austern, Vincent (IAV) model

- Inclusive breakup :



Any possible states between  $x$  and  $A$  (including all nucleons degree of freedom)



- Project all degrees of freedom into three body model space

$$\left. \frac{d^2\sigma}{dE_b d\Omega_b} \right|_{NEB} = -\frac{2}{\hbar v_a} \rho_b(E_b) \langle \varphi_x(\vec{k}_b) | W_x | \varphi_x(\vec{k}_b) \rangle$$

Imaginary part of  $x$ - $A$  effective interaction



$$\left. \frac{d^2\sigma}{dE_b d\Omega_b} \right|_{\text{NEB}} = -\frac{2}{\hbar v_a} \rho_b(E_b) \langle \varphi_x(\mathbf{k}_b) | \text{Im}[U_{xA}] | \varphi_x(\mathbf{k}_b) \rangle, \quad (3)$$

where  $\rho_b(E_b)$  is the density of states of the particle  $b$ ,  $v_a$  is the velocity of the incoming particle,  $U_{xA}$  is the optical potential describing  $x + A$  elastic scattering, and  $\varphi_x(\mathbf{k}_b, \mathbf{r}_{xA})$  is a relative wave function describing the motion between  $x$  and  $A$  when particle  $b$  is scattered with momentum  $\mathbf{k}_b$ . This function is obtained from the equation

$$\varphi_x(\mathbf{k}_b, \mathbf{r}_x) = \int G_x(\mathbf{r}_x, \mathbf{r}'_x) \langle \mathbf{r}'_x \chi_b^{(-)} | V_{\text{post}} | \Psi^{3b(+)} \rangle d\mathbf{r}'_x \quad (4)$$

where  $G_x$  is the Green's function with optical potential  $U_{xA}$ ,  $\chi_b^{(-)*}(\mathbf{k}_b, \mathbf{r}_b)$  is the distorted wave describing the relative motion between  $b$  and  $B^*$  compound system (obtained with some optical potential  $U_{bB}$ ),  $V_{\text{post}} \equiv V_{bx} + U_{bA} - U_{bB}$  is the postform transition operator and  $\Psi^{3b(+)}$  the three-body scattering wave function. Note that the imaginary part of  $U_{xA}$  accounts for all nonelastic processes between  $x$  and  $A$  and hence Eq. (3) includes the ICF as well as other NEB contributions. Further details can be found in Ref. [31] and in the Supplemental Material, Sec. II [42].

# A consistent formalism for all breakup reaction mechanisms

The core-target movement is treated in a semiclassical way, but neutron-target and/or neutron-core with a full QM method.

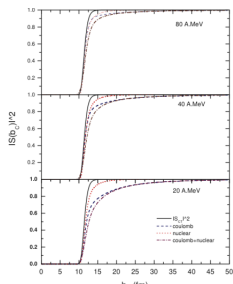
AB and DM Brink, PRC38, 1776 (1988), PRC43, 299 (1991), PRC44, 1559 (1991).

Early eikonal model: I. Tanihata, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 35, 505 (1995), halo-core decoupling.

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\xi} = C^2 S \int_0^\infty db_c \frac{dP_{-n}(b_c)}{d\xi} P_{ct}(b_c),$$

⊗

$$\xi \rightarrow \varepsilon_f, k_z, P_{//} \quad \text{also} \quad \text{ANC} = \sqrt{C^2 S C_i^2}$$



Use of the simple parametrization

$$P_{ct}(b_c) = |S_{ct}|^2 = e^{(-\ln 2 \exp[(R_s - b_c)/a])},$$

$$R_s \approx r_s (A_p^{1/3} + A_t^{1/3}) \quad r_s \approx 1.4 \text{ fm}$$

'strong absorption radius'

# Transfer to the continuum: from resonances to knockout reactions

First order time dependent perturbation theory amplitude: \*\*

$$A_{fi} = \frac{1}{i\hbar} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt \langle \phi_f(\mathbf{r}) | V(\mathbf{r}) | \phi_i(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}(t)) \rangle e^{-i(\omega t - mvz/\hbar)} \quad (1)$$

$$\omega = \varepsilon_i - \varepsilon_f + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \quad \mathbf{R}(t) = \mathbf{b}_c + vt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dP_{-n}(b_c)}{d\varepsilon_f} &= \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \frac{m}{\hbar^2 k_f} \frac{1}{2l_i + 1} \sum_{m_i} |A_{fi}|^2 \\ &\approx \frac{4\pi}{2k_f^2} \sum_{j_f} (2j_f + 1) (|1 - \bar{S}_{j_f}|^2 + 1 - |\bar{S}_{j_f}|^2) \mathcal{F}, \end{aligned}$$

$\phi_f$  see (\*)

$$\mathcal{F} = (1 + F_{l_f, l_i, j_f, j_i}) B_{l_f, l_i}$$

$$B_{l_f, l_i} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left[ \frac{k_f}{mv^2} \right] |C_i|^2 \frac{e^{-2\eta b_c}}{2\eta b_c} M_{l_f, l_i}$$

# Neutron wave functions

Final continuum state:

$$\phi_{l_f}(\mathbf{r}) = C_f k \frac{i}{2} (h_{l_f}^{(+)}(kr) - \bar{S}_{l_f} h_{l_f}^{(-)}(kr)) Y_{l_f, m_f}(\Omega_f),$$

$\bar{S}_{l_f}(\varepsilon_f)$  is an optical model (**n-core in fragmentation reactions, n-target in knockout reactions**) S-matrix.

Initial state:

$$\phi_{l_i}(\mathbf{r}) = -C_i i^l \gamma h_{l_i}^{(1)}(i\gamma r) Y_{l_i, m_i}(\Omega_i).$$

**Surface approximation:** G. Baur & Co., NPA311 (1978) 141, PRC.28, 946, PR111(1984)333; A. Winter & Co., L. Lo Monaco and D.M. Brink JPG11, 935, 1985; A. Mukhamedzhanov PRC 84, 044616, 2011; I. Thomposon talk at DREB2012 (Pisa).

# Eikonal limit

Small neutron scattering angles

$$M_{l_f l_i} \approx P_{l_i}(X_i) P_{l_f}(X_f); \quad P_{l_f}(X_f) \rightarrow I_0(2\eta \mathbf{b}_v)$$

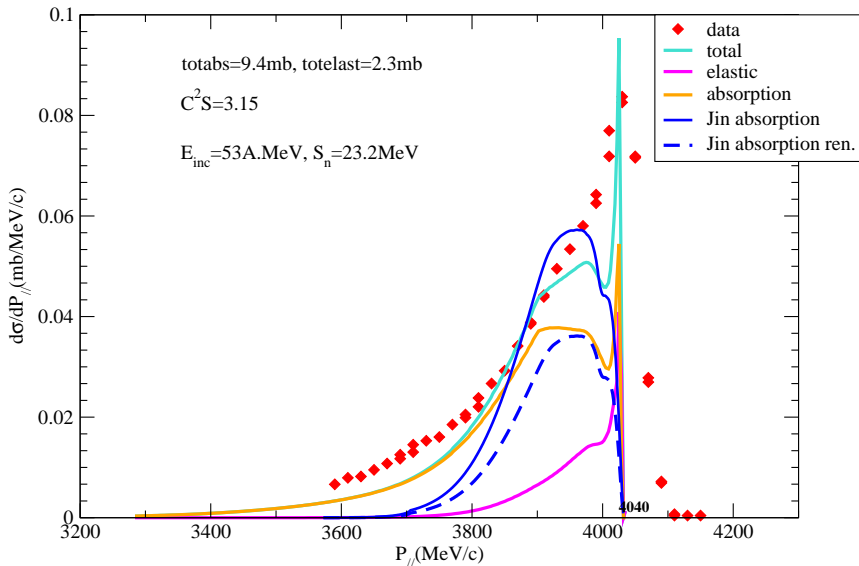
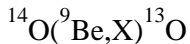
large n-t angular momenta

$$\frac{4\pi}{2k_f^2} \sum_{j_f} (2j_f + 1) \rightarrow \int_0^\infty d\mathbf{b}_v$$

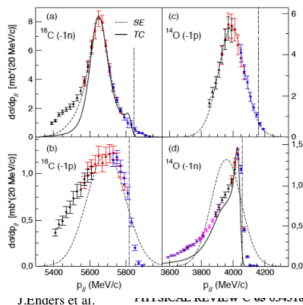
both conditions might not be well satisfied for stripping of deeply bound nucleons unless the core-target scattering is very peripheral. [Verify core angular distributions.](#)

$$P_{-n}(\mathbf{b}_c) = \int_0^\infty d\mathbf{b}_v (|1 - \bar{S}(b_v)|^2 + 1 - |\bar{S}(b_v)|^2) |\tilde{\phi}_i(|\mathbf{b}_v - \mathbf{b}_c|, k_1)|^2$$

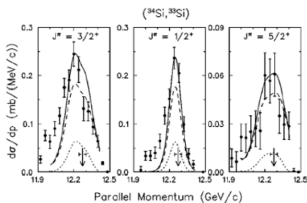
Notice  $k_1 \rightarrow -\infty$  not strictly necessary.



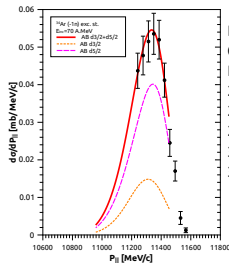
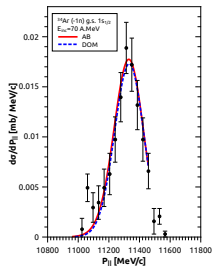
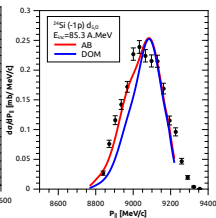
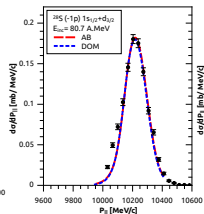
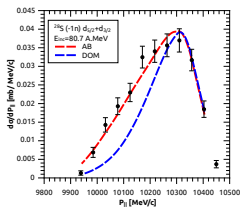
# Example "deformation" effects due to n-target interaction and kinematical cut-off.



F. Flavigny, A. Obertelli, AB et al.  
PRL 108, 252501 (2012).



## Asymmetries at high incident energy



Data courtesy of A. Gade  
 Calculations G. Salvioni  
 MSc Thesis in preparation.  
 28S (-1n) 80.7 d<sub>5/2</sub>+d<sub>3/2</sub>  
 28S (-1p) s<sub>1/2</sub>+d<sub>3/2</sub> A.MeV  
 24Si (-1p) d<sub>5/2</sub> 85.3 A.MeV  
 34Ar (-1n) s<sub>1/2</sub> gs 70 A.MeV  
 34Ar (-1n) d<sub>3/2</sub>+d<sub>5/2</sub>



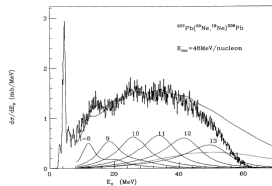
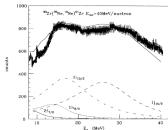
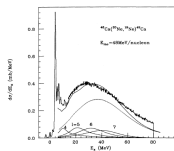
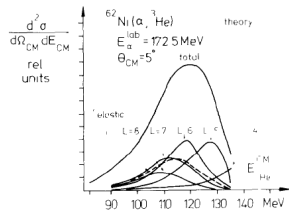
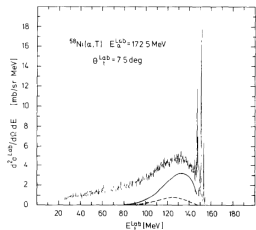
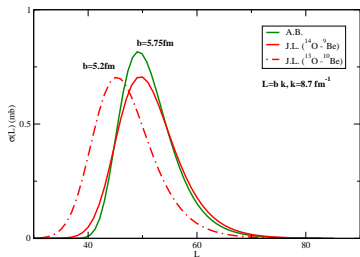


FIG. 7. Results of the reaction  $^{64}\text{Cu}(\alpha, ^{64}\text{Ni})^{64}\text{Cu}$  at  $E_{\alpha} = 48 \text{ MeV/nucleon}$  [6]. The solid curve superimposed onto the experimental spectrum is the calculated inclusive cross section. The dotted curve is the total breakup. The dashed angular momentum decomposition is shown in the lower part of the figure.

## M. Hussein, Mc Voy. NPA445(1985)124



M.S. Hussein, K.W. McVoy / Inclusive projectile fragmentation

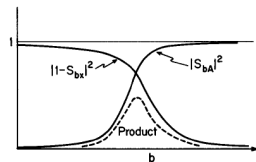
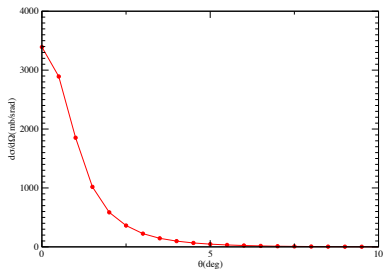
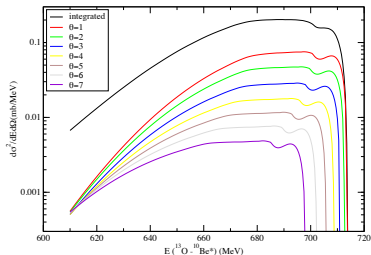
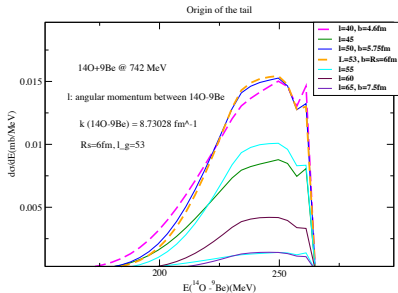
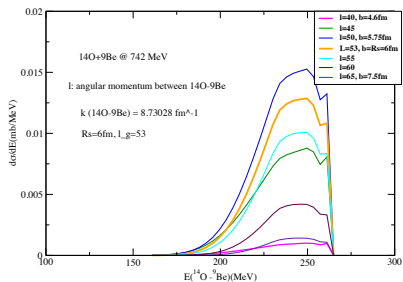


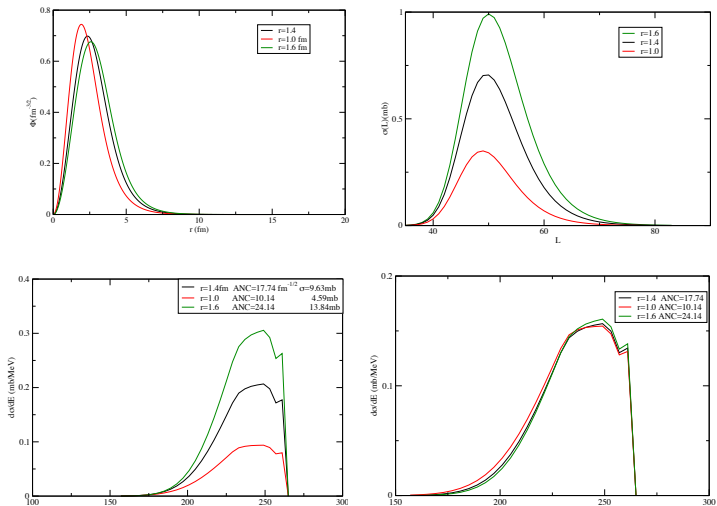
Fig. 2. Schematic representation of the absorption factors of eq. (4.17), indicating how the integration to the surface region of the target.

sees from eqs. (4.9) and (4.12) that the total yield of fragment  $b$  is

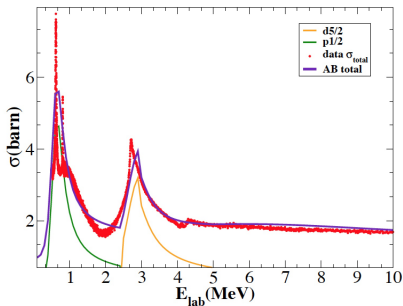
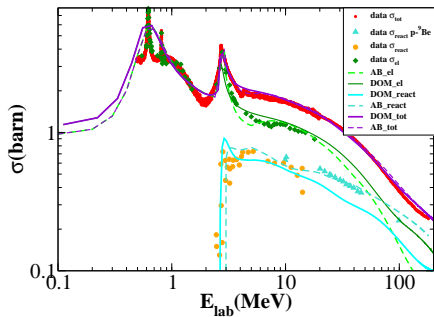
$$Y_b \equiv \int \frac{d^2\sigma_R}{d\Omega_b dE_b} d^3q = \frac{2}{v_a} (2\pi)^3 \frac{E_x}{\hbar k_x} \int d^3r_b d^3r_x \times |S_{bA}(b_b)|^2 |\phi_a(r_b - r_x)|^2 [1 - |S_{xA}(b_x)|^2].$$

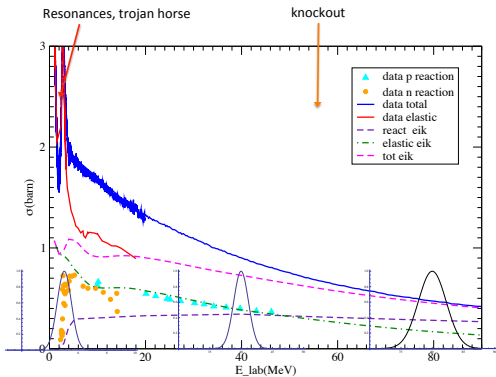


## Initial wave function



# $n$ - $^9\text{Be}$ optical potential: A.B & R.J. Charity, PRC89, 024619 (2014)

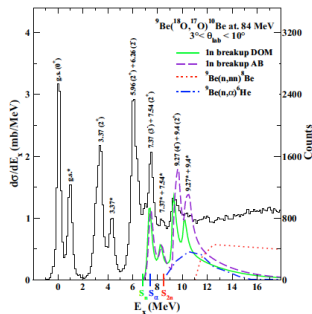




# Transfer to $^{10}\text{Be}$ , $^{11}\text{Be}$ resonances: missing mass experiment.

Phys. Rev. C90, 064621 (2014), Phys. Rev. C100, 024617 (2019).

Diana Carbone, AB, Mariangela Bondi, F. Cappuzzello, M Cavallaro et al. MAGNEX Collaboration:  
1n and 2n transfer experimental campaign

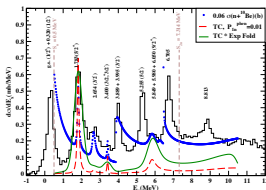


n-10Be Smatrix from  
A. Calci et al., PRL117.242501

$^{16}\text{O}$  has a degenerate gs ( $1d5/2, 2s1/2$ )  
 $^{17}\text{O}$  has  $5/2+$  gs and  $1/2+$  first excited state at  $E^*=0.87\text{MeV}$

Position and widths of  $p1/2$  and  $d5/2$  resonances in  $^{10}\text{Be}$  perfectly reproduced

$d5/2$  resonance in  $^{11}\text{Be}$  perfectly reproduced  
Evidence for a  $^{10}\text{Be}(2+)+n(d5/2)$  at  $E_x=5.8\text{MeV}$



A.B, D. Carbone, F. Cappuzzello, M Cavallaro, G. Hupin, P. Navrátil, and S. Quaglioni

# Single folding vs double folding



## A target used very often is $^9\text{Be}$ → single folding of a $n$ - $^9\text{Be}$ phenomenological potential with a microscopic projectile density

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### Imaginary part of the $^9\text{C}$ - $^9\text{Be}$ single-folded optical potential

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Few-Body Syst (2016) 57:331–336  
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### Differences Between a Single- and a Double-Folding Nucleus- $^9\text{Be}$ Optical Potential

The Glauber reaction cross section is given by

$$\sigma_R = 2\pi \int_0^\infty b db (1 - |S_{NN}(\mathbf{b})|^2) \quad (1)$$

where

$$|S_{NN}(\mathbf{b})|^2 = e^{2\chi_I(\mathbf{b})} \quad (2)$$

is the probability that the nucleus-nucleus (NN) scattering is elastic for a given impact parameter  $\mathbf{b}$ .

The imaginary part of the eikonal phase shift is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_I(\mathbf{b}) &= \frac{1}{\hbar v} \int dz W^{NN}(\mathbf{b}, z) \\ &= \frac{1}{\hbar v} \int dz \int d\mathbf{r}_1 W^{nn}(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}) \rho(\mathbf{r}_1) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where  $W^{NN}$  is negative defined as

$$W^{NN}(\mathbf{r}) = \int d\mathbf{b}_1 W^{nn}(\mathbf{b}_1 - \mathbf{b}, z) \int dz_1 \rho(\mathbf{b}_1, z_1). \quad (4)$$

In the double-folding method,  $W^{NN}$  is obtained from the microscopic densities  $\rho_{p,t}(\mathbf{r})$  for the projectile and target respectively and an energy-dependent nucleon-nucleon (nn) cross section  $\sigma_{nn}$ , i.e.,

$$W^{NN}(\mathbf{r}) = -\frac{1}{2} \hbar v \sigma_{nn} \int d\mathbf{b}_1 \rho_p(\mathbf{b}_1 - \mathbf{b}, z) \int dz_1 \rho_t(\mathbf{b}_1, z_1). \quad (5)$$

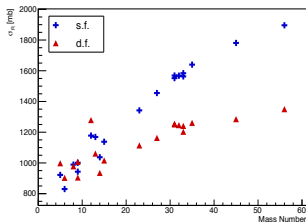
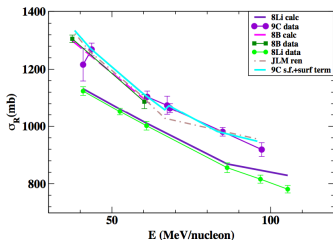
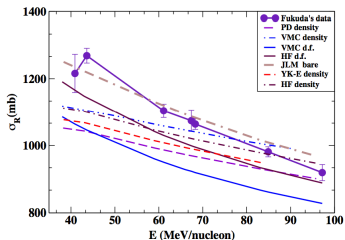
Also

$$W^{NN}(\mathbf{r}) = -\frac{1}{2} \hbar v \sigma_{nn} \rho_t(\mathbf{r}) \quad (6)$$

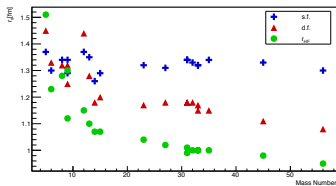
is a single-folded zero-range  $n$ -target imaginary potential and  $v$  is the nucleon-target velocity of relative motion. The  $W^{NN}$  potential of Eq.(6) has the same range as the target density because  $\sigma_{nn}$  is a simple scaling factor.



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## Kinematics

From Eq.1 \*\* by the change of variables  $dt dx dy dz \rightarrow dx dy dz dz'$   
 $e^{-i(\omega t - mvz/\hbar)} \rightarrow e^{-ik_1 z'} e^{ik_2 z}$  neutron energies to neutron parallel momenta  
 with respect to core

$$k_1 = \frac{\varepsilon_f - \varepsilon_i - \frac{1}{2}mv^2}{\hbar v};$$

to target

$$k_2 = \frac{\varepsilon_f - \varepsilon_i + \frac{1}{2}mv^2}{\hbar v};$$

to core parallel momentum

$$\begin{aligned} P_{//} &= \sqrt{E_r^2 - M_r^2} = \sqrt{(T_r + M_r)^2 - M_r^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(T_p + \varepsilon_i - \varepsilon_f)^2 + 2M_r(T_p + \varepsilon_i - \varepsilon_f)}, \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

breakup threshold at  $\varepsilon_f = 0$

++\*\*

Exact 4-vec conservation, see <https://arxiv.org/ftp/arxiv/papers/1011/1011.1943.pdf>

## Origin of kinematical cut-off (phase space) and deformation effects

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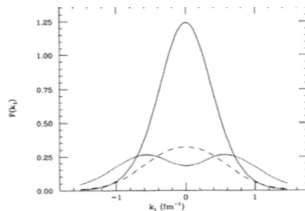
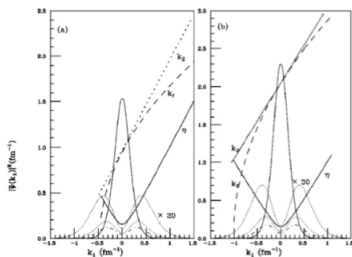
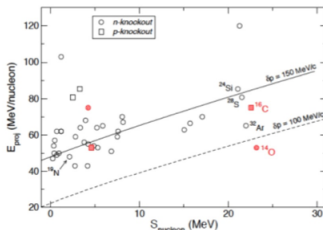
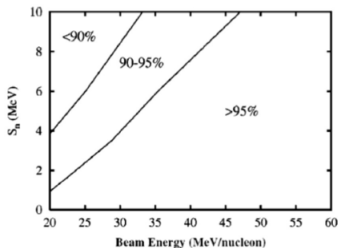
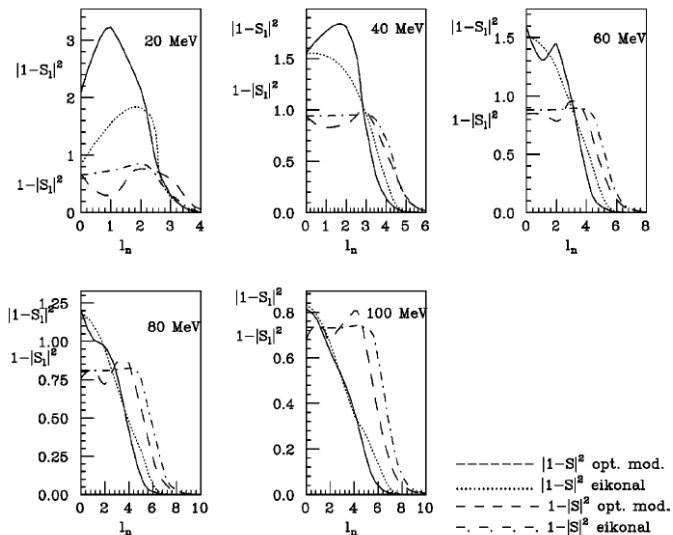
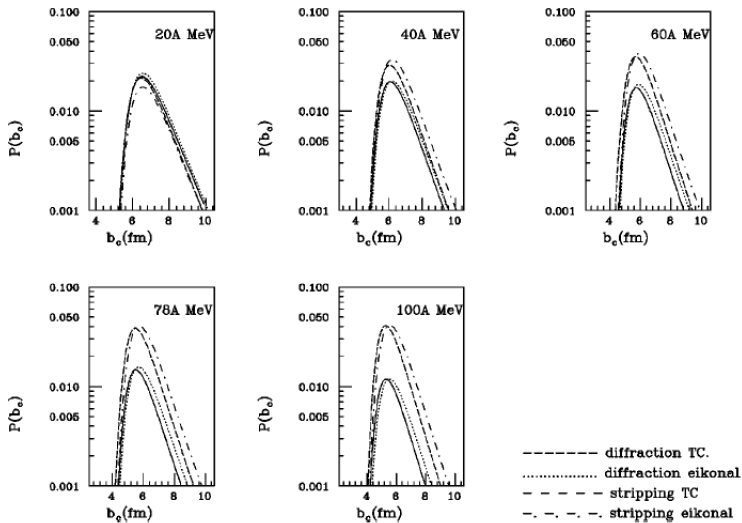


FIG. 11. Initial-state momentum distributions in  $^{20}\text{Ne}$  according to Eq. (2.3a). The solid curve is for the  $2s_{1/2}$  state, the dashed curve is for the  $1p_{1/2}$ , while the dotted curve is for the  $1d_{3/2}$ .



$^{12}\text{Be}(^9\text{Be}, X)^{11}\text{Be}@78\text{A.MeV}$ 




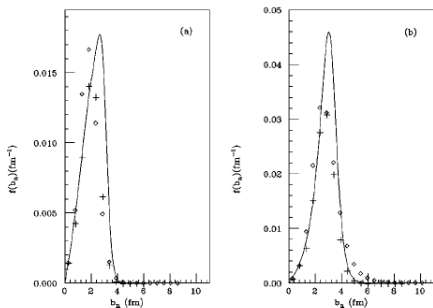


FIG. 5. The integrand function of the diffraction (a), and striping (b) term of Eq. (11) after  $k_z$  integration, full curve, obtained from the realistic bound state wave function and the corresponding terms, diamonds, in the sum over partial waves of Eqs. (5) and (6) in the case of the incident energy of 78A MeV. Crosses are the results of a calculation of Eq. (11) in which the eikonal phase shifts have been substituted by the optical model phase shifts as in Eq. (B9). All calculations done at fixed impact parameter  $b_c = 5.6$  fm between the projectile and target.

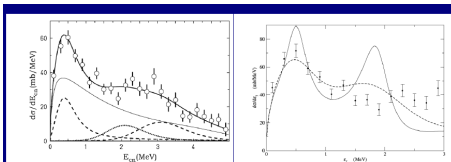
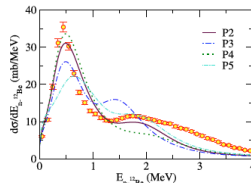
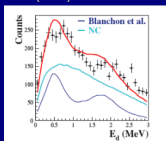
<sup>13</sup>Be puzzle or of the "elusive 1/2+ state in Be isotopes

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$$(d\delta_l/d\varepsilon)_{res} = 2/\Gamma_j$$

Energies and widths of unbound  $p$ - and  $d$ -states in <sup>13</sup>Be and corresponding strength parameters for the  $\delta V$  potential

|            | $\varepsilon_{res}$ (MeV) | $\Gamma_j$ (MeV) | $\alpha$ (MeV) |
|------------|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| $1p_{1/2}$ | 0.67                      | 0.28             | 8.34           |
| $1d_{5/2}$ | 2.0                       | 0.40             | -2.36          |

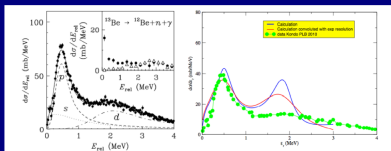


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Our level sequence  
 $2s_{1/2}$   $a_s = -0.8\text{fm}$   
 $1p_{1/2}$   
 $1d_{5/2}$

- **QM TC** numerically challenging at high energy (large  $n$  of partial waves) and for small separation energies (DWBA source term), all observables. **Semiclassical TC** has a large range of validity, numerically easy, accurate. NO core angular distributions. **Eikonal** valid from  $\approx 80A$ .MeV, only momentum distributions and total cross sections for knockout.
- Inclusive breakup reactions are dominated by final state interaction with the target at small incident energy: used as surrogate reaction
- At intermediate incident energy: strong interplay between projectile and target characteristics: "deformed" momentum distributions and cutoff effects.
- From the valence particle projectile momentum distribution at high incident energy: information on angular momentum of the initial state and possible dynamical core-target excitations.
- Coincidence experiments of breakup particle experiments (using invariant mass method ) are more INdependent on incident energy (i.e.<sup>13</sup>Be) case.
- Elastic scattering experiments and or total reaction cross section measurements: they can tell us about the typical **interaction** distances and help fixing the optical potentials.



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