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原子核alpha结团形成和衰变

—— Quartetting Wave Function Approach

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- 2. Quartetting wave function approach for alpha emitters*
- 3. Recent progress on decay and fusion theory*
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Alpha cluster motion and decay

单粒子运动:原子核壳模型

The Nobel Prize in Physics
1963



Eugene Paul Wigner
Prize share: 1/2



Maria Goeppert
Mayer
Prize share: 1/4



J. Hans D. Jensen
Prize share: 1/4

集体运动:原子核集体模型

The Nobel Prize in Physics
1975



Aage Niels Bohr
Prize share: 1/3



Ben Roy Mottelson
Prize share: 1/3

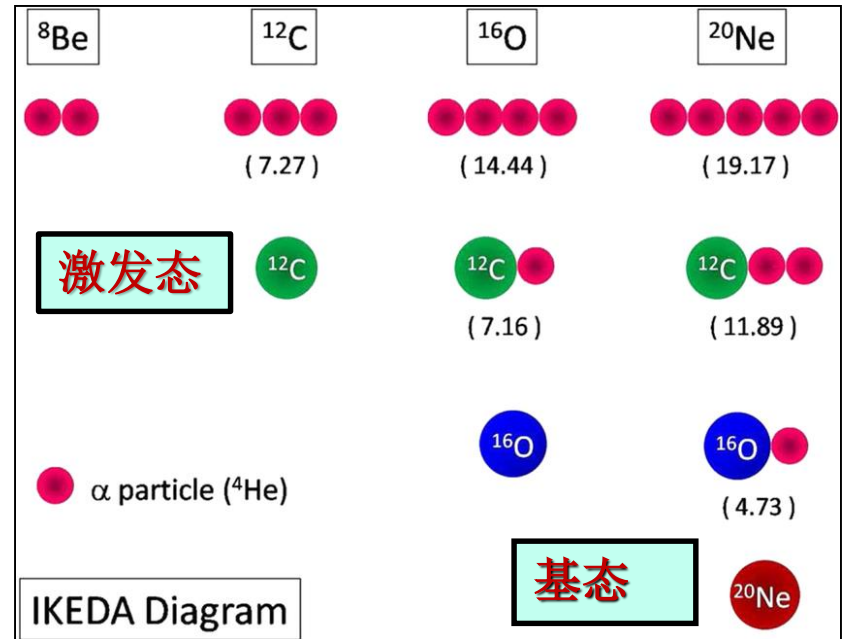


Leo James
Rainwater
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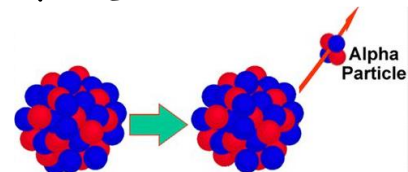
原子核运动模式

结团运动(α 结团):研究较少

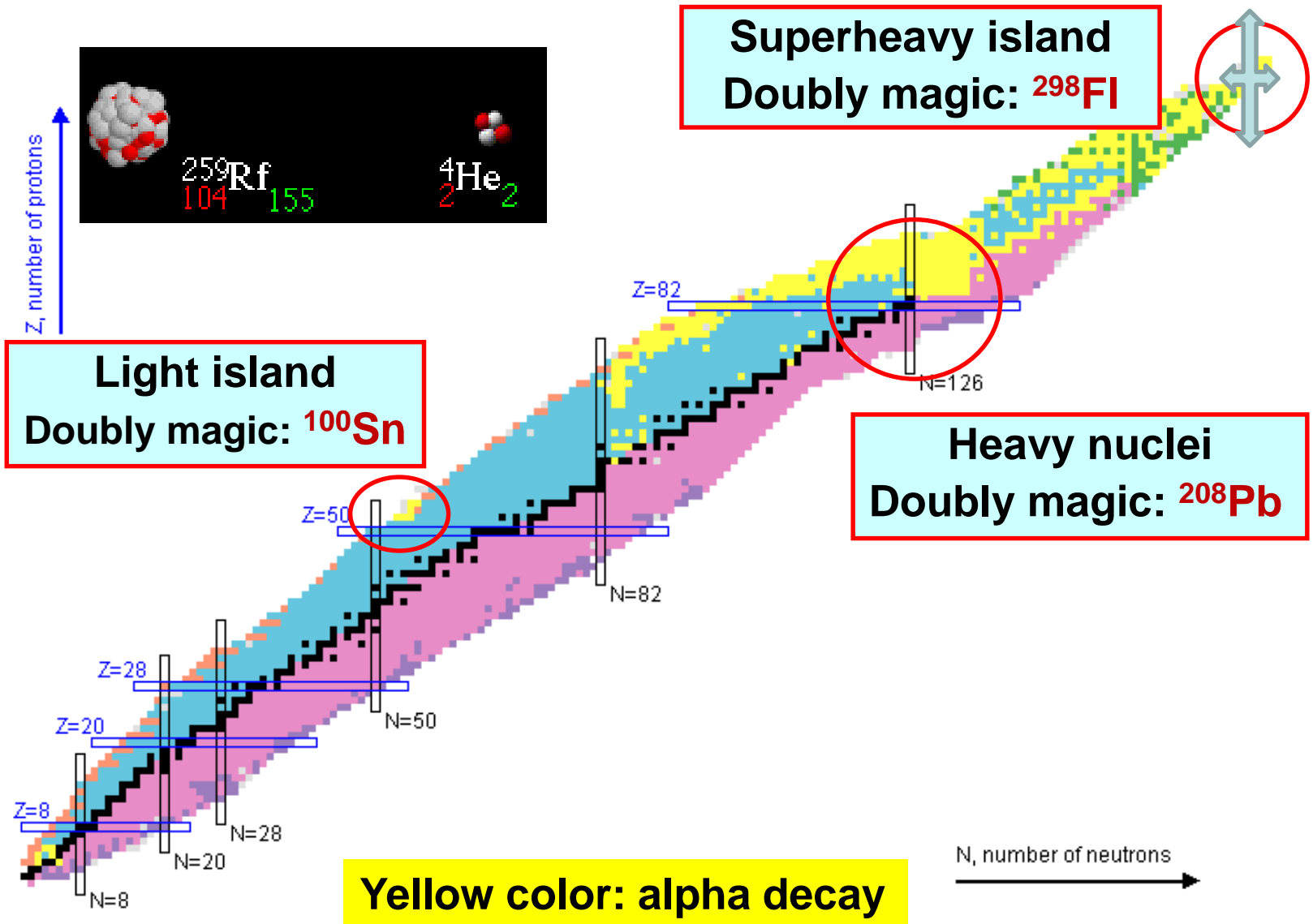
轻核 α 结团运动



重核 α 衰变



Alpha cluster decay in chart of nuclides



最新元素周期表

1950 - 1999

Since 2000

(15 elements)

(6 elements)

Post Manhattan project;
synthesis of atomic
numbers 98 and above
(colliders, bombardment
techniques)

Recent
synthesis

Group→	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
↓Period																		
1	1 H																	2 He
2	3 Li	4 Be											5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne
3	11 Na	12 Mg											13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar
4	19 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr
5	37 Rb	38 Sr	39 Y	40 Zr	41 Nb	42 Mo	43 Tc	44 Ru	45 Rh	46 Pd	47 Ag	48 Cd	49 In	50 Sn	51 Sb	52 Te	53 I	54 Xe
6	55 Cs	56 Ba	57 La *	72 Hf	73 Ta	74 W	75 Re	76 Os	77 Ir	78 Pt	79 Au	80 Hg	81 Tl	82 Pb	83 Bi	84 Po	85 At	86 Rn
7	87 Fr	88 Ra	89 Ac **	104 Rf	105 Db	106 Sg	107 Bh	108 Hs	109 Mt	110 Ds	111 Rg	112 Cn	113 Nh	114 Fl	115 Mc	116 Lv	117 Ts	118 Og
				58 Ce *	59 Pr	60 Nd	61 Pm	62 Sm	63 Eu	64 Gd	65 Tb	66 Dy	67 Ho	68 Er	69 Tm	70 Yb	71 Lu	
				90 Th **	91 Pa	92 U	93 Np	94 Pu	95 Am	96 Cm	97 Bk	98 Cf	99 Es	100 Fm	101 Md	102 No	103 Lr	

114号和116号元素获正式命名

元素周期表中114号和116号两种元素已正式命名为Flerovium和Livermorium，以纪念合成它们的实验室—俄罗斯的弗廖罗夫核反应实验室和美国的劳伦斯—利弗莫尔国家实验室

化学元素周期表

2012年

Livermorium

钙原子轰击锔原子得到



Flerovium

钙原子轰击铀原子得到

114

Ununquadium

Uuq

116

Ununhexium

Uuh

美国劳伦斯利弗莫尔国家实验室

全国科学技术名词审定委员会 公布114号、116号元素的中文名称

全国科学技术名词审定委员会根据国际纯粹与应用化学联合会(IUPAC)2012年5月对第114号、116号元素正式确定的英文名称,在广泛征求有关专家意见的基础上,提出了第114号、116号元

素的中文定名草案。114号、116号元素使用的中文汉字“铁”“镭”已征得国家语言文字工作委员会的同意,并纳入国家规范用字。现经全国科学技术名词审定委员会批准予以公布使用。

第114号、116号元素的中文名称

原子序数	英文名称	中文名称	符号	汉语拼音
114	flerovium	铁	Fl	fū
116	livermorium	镭	Lv	lì

2016年四个新元素正式命名

10	11	12	aluminium 26.98	silicon (28.08, 28.09)	phosphorus 30.97	sulfur (32.05, 32.06)	chlorine (35.44, 35.45)	argon 39.96
28 Ni nickel 58.69	29 Cu copper 63.55	30 Zn zinc 65.38(2)	31 Ga gallium 69.72	32 Ge germanium 72.63	33 As arsenic 74.92	34 Se selenium 78.96(3)	35 Br bromine (79.90, 79.91)	36 Kr krypton 83.80
46 Pd palladium 106.4	47 Ag silver 107.9	48 Cd cadmium 112.4	49 In indium 114.8	50 Sn tin 118.7	51 Sb antimony 121.8	52 Te tellurium 127.6	53 I iodine 126.9	54 Xe xenon 131.3
78 Pt platinum 195.1	79 Au gold 197.0	80 Hg mercury 200.6	81 Tl thallium (204.3, 204.4)	82 Pb lead 207.2	83 Bi bismuth 208.9	84 Po polonium	85 At astatine	86 Rn radon
110 Ds darmstadtium	111 Rg roentgenium	112 Cn copernicium	113 Uut ununtrium	114 Fl flerovium	115 Uup ununseptium	116 Lv livermorium	117 Uus ununseptium	118 Uuo ununoctium

113 Nh Nihonium	115 Mc Moscovium	117 Ts Tennessine	118 Og Oganesson
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四个化学新元素中文命名发布

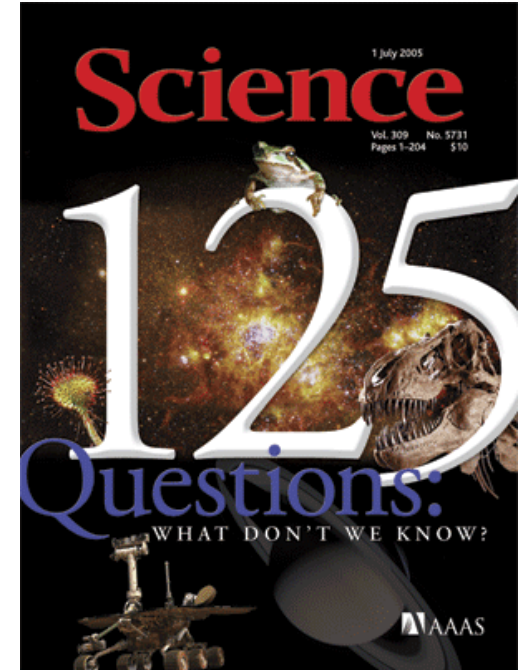
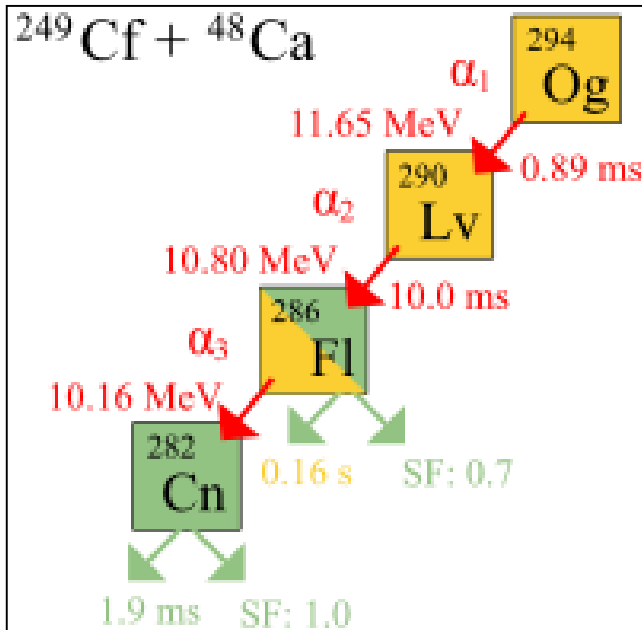
113、115、117、118号元素中文名称及由来

原子序数	英文名	符号	中文名	汉语拼音	名称由来
113	nihonium	Nh	铈	n ĭ	源于日本国(简称日本)的国名Nihon
115	moscovium	Mc	镆	m ò	源于俄罗斯莫斯科市的市名Moscow
117	tennessine	Ts	砹	t i á n	源于美国田纳西州的州名Tennessee
118	oganesson	Og	鰐	à o	源于俄罗斯核物理学家尤里·奥加涅相(Yuri Oganessian, 1933-)

Superheavy elements and nuclides

《科学》杂志为纪念创刊125周年，提出了125个最重要的科学问题，中包含天文学，物理学、生命科学等领域。

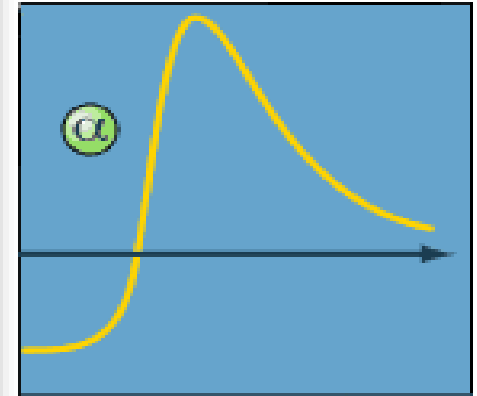
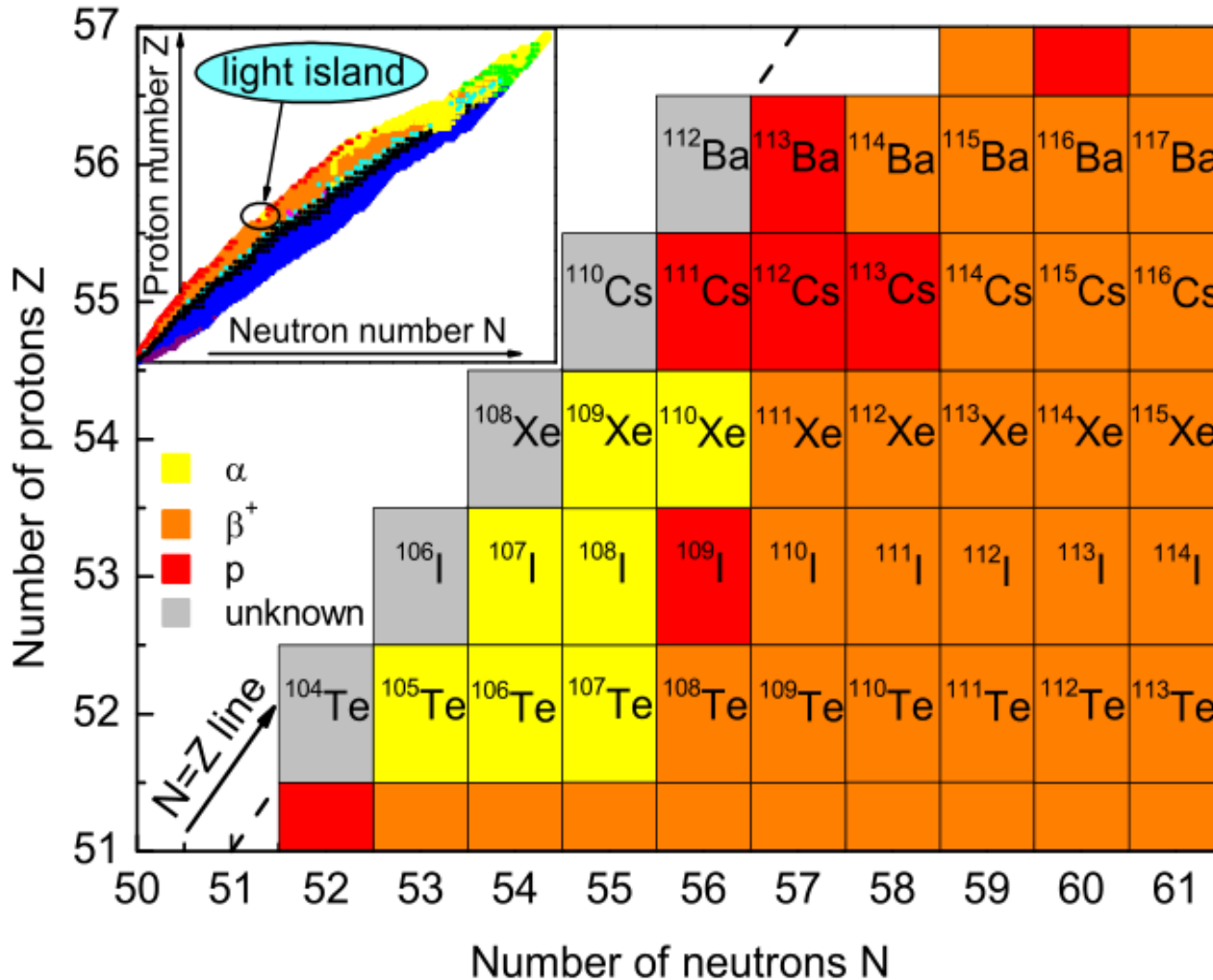
是否存在稳定的高原子序数元素？



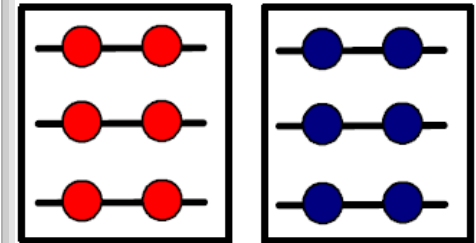
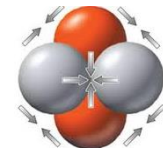
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Alpha cluster formation in ^{104}Te



^{104}Te

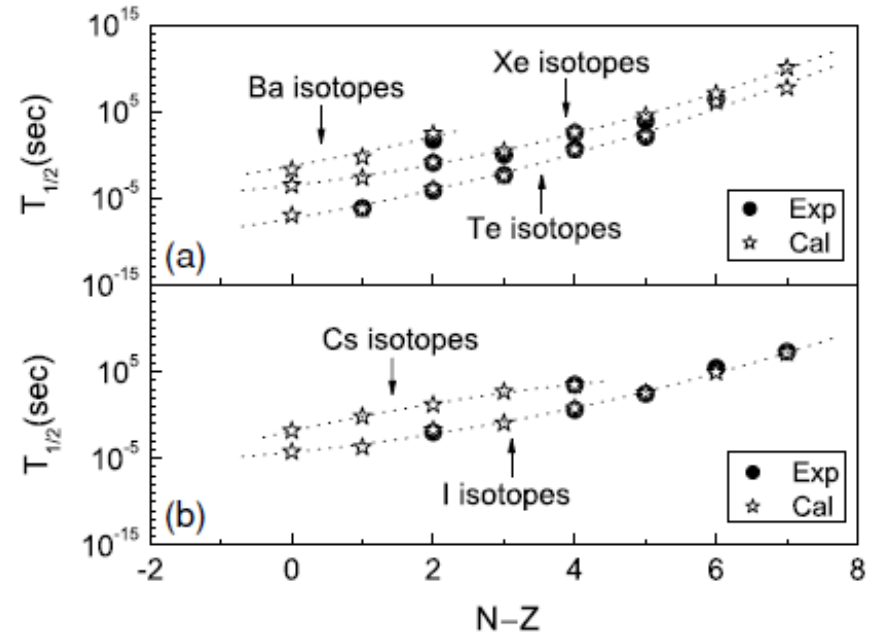
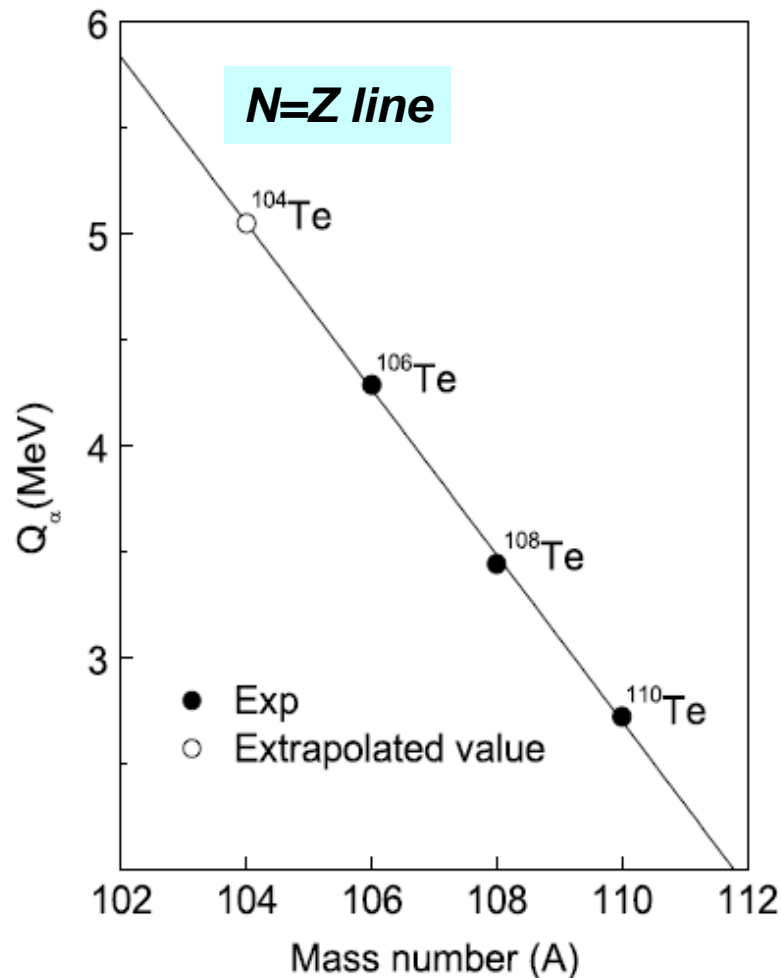


Half lives of α -emitters approaching the $N = Z$ line

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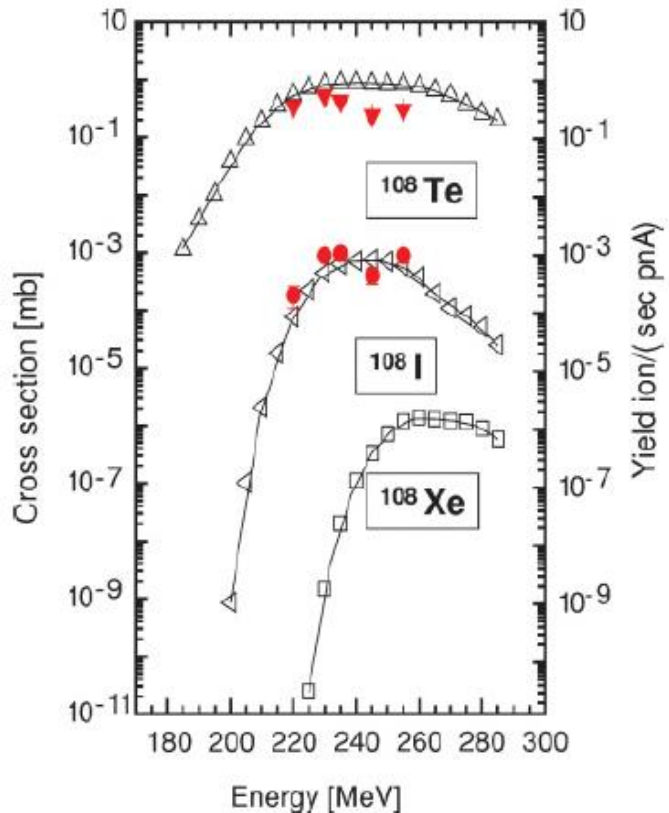
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asymmetry along the isotopic chains [7]. To improve the agreement between experiment and theory, we therefore use the isospin-dependent preformation factor $P_\alpha = c_1 + c_2(N - Z)$ instead of the constant one [19] for each kind of nuclei [e.g., a linear dependence $P_\alpha^{ee} = 0.73 - 0.09 \times (N - Z)$ for the even-even nuclei]. As expected, the corresponding theoretical

Toward ^{100}Sn : Studies of excitation functions for the reaction between ^{58}Ni and ^{54}Fe ions

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beam energy around 240 MeV will maximize the production of the $A = 108$ isobar ^{108}Xe in the $^{58}\text{Ni}+^{54}\text{Fe}$ reaction. The cross section for the $4n$ evaporation channel can be expected at the (sub)nanobarn level, see Fig. 4. At $\sigma = 1$ nb, the implantation of about 20 ^{108}Xe ions can be achieved in 100 hr with 50 pA beam intensity and a $300 \mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ ^{54}Fe target. The targets rotating with the speed corresponding to a linear velocity for the irradiated spot of about 0.3 m/s can withstand this high beam intensity, see, e.g., Ref. [32]. The predicted half-lives of ^{108}Xe and ^{104}Te are of the order of $50 \mu\text{s}$ and 10 ns, respectively [14,15]. Using digital pulse processing and recording decay signal waveforms, one should be able to identify the pileup of two α signals at the sum energy around 10 MeV [15].

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Proposal for Nuclear Physics Experiment at RI Beam Factory

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Superallowed α Decay to Doubly Magic ^{100}Sn

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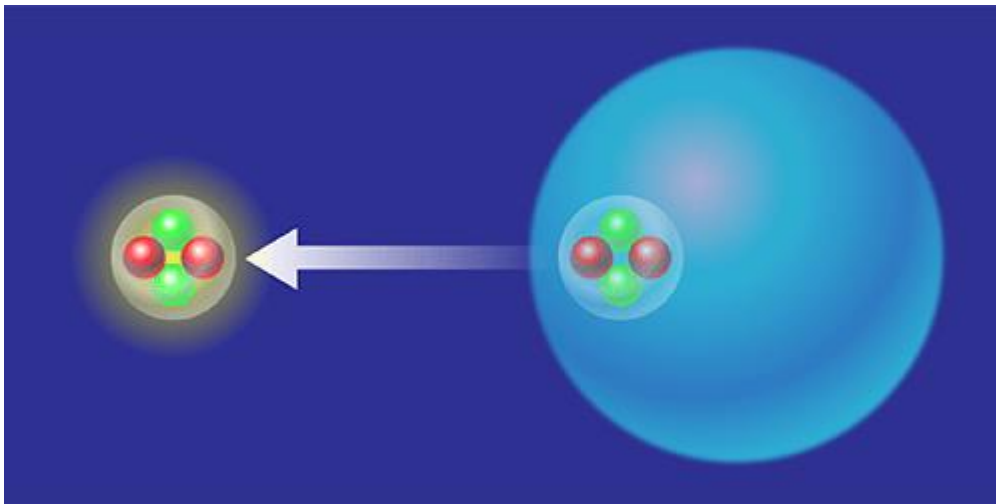
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The Fastest Alpha Emitter

“Tellurium-104 is now also the fastest known alpha emitter—though this finding is more fun than fundamental.”

Synopsis: The Fastest Alpha Emitter

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The detection of unusually fast alpha emission from a heavy isotope could lead to new ways of testing the nuclear shell model.

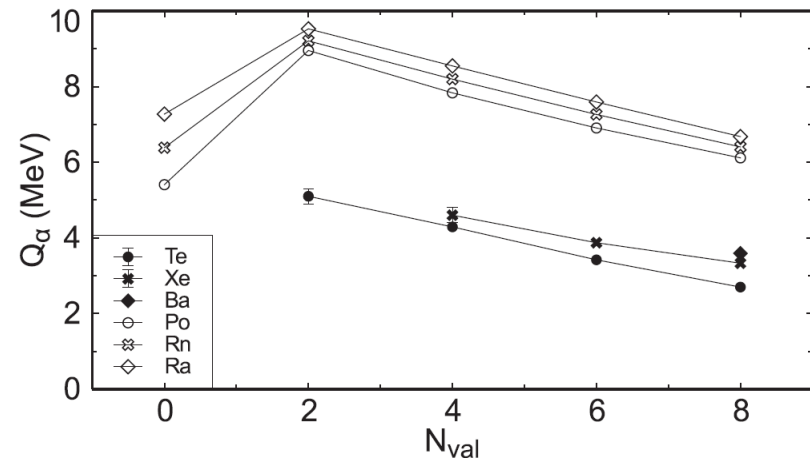
with iron. They then looked for two alpha particles: one from xenon-108 decaying to tellurium-104, the other from tellurium-104 decaying to tin-100. So far, they have detected two of these double-alpha events, and they have placed an upper limit of 18 ns on the tellurium-104 half-life. The measured lifetime limit is in line with shell-model calculations, which predict that alpha preformation in tellurium-104 is several times more likely than in the alpha emitter polonium-212, a benchmark for shell-model calculations. Tellurium-104 is now also the fastest known alpha emitter—though this finding is more fun than fundamental. **2018: $^{104}\text{Te} < 18\text{ns}$ (experiment)**

Superaligned α Decay to Doubly Magic ^{100}Sn

Chain	Nuclide	E_α (keV)	$T_{1/2}$	b_α (%)
$N = Z$	^{108}Xe	4400(200)	$58_{-23}^{+106} \mu\text{s}$	100 ^a
$N = Z$	^{104}Te	4900(200)	< 18 ns	100 ^a
$N = Z + 2$	^{114}Ba	3480(20) [17]	$380_{-110}^{+190} \text{ms}$ [17]	0.9(3) [35]
$N = Z + 2$	^{110}Xe	3720(20) [17]	95_{-20}^{+25}ms [17]	64(35) [35]
$N = Z + 2$	^{106}Te	4128(9) [36]	$70_{-15}^{+20} \mu\text{s}$ [17]	100 [35]
$N = Z + 4$	^{112}Xe	3216(7) [36]	2.7(8) s [37]	$0.8_{-0.5}^{+1.1}$ [36]
$N = Z + 4$	^{108}Te	3314(4) [20]	2.1(1) s [37]	49(4) [36]

suddenly. The present data are in agreement with this linear trend, and therefore with the extrapolated values of $Q_\alpha(^{104}\text{Te}) = 5.053 \text{ MeV}$ and $Q_\alpha(^{108}\text{Xe}) = 4.440 \text{ MeV}$ [29]. Furthermore, the folding potential calculations

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New data on alpha decay of ^{104}Te

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Search for α decay of ^{104}Te with a novel recoil-decay scintillation detector

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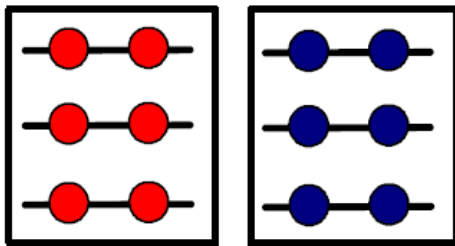
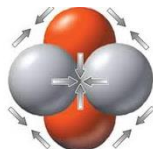
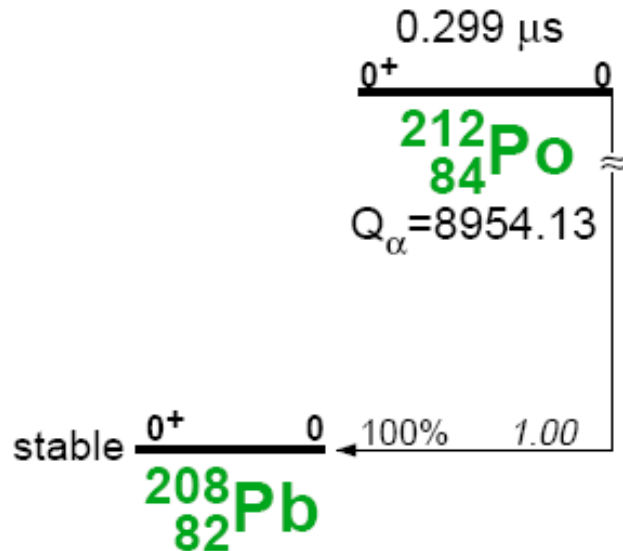
I. INTRODUCTION

In the α -decay island northeast of ^{100}Sn , valence protons and neutrons are expected to occupy the same single-particle orbitals outside the $N = Z = 50$ doubly magic nucleus ^{100}Sn . The additional interaction between protons and neutrons may lead to the enhanced pre-formation of an α particle and therefore to the enhancement of α -decay probability, the so-called superallowed α decay [1]. Extensive experimental efforts have been made in this region, providing evidence of such enhancement [2–6]. The ultimate evidence would be the observation of accelerated α decay of ^{104}Te ($N = Z = 52$) with two protons and two neutrons occupying the same single-particle orbitals. When α clusterization is included, the estimated half-life would be as short as 50 ns [7], which makes the measurement of ^{104}Te decay very difficult. The indirect production of this isotope through the synthesis of the longer-lived α -decay precursor ^{108}Xe , whose half-life is

estimated to be 0.15 ms [7] by the same model with enhanced preformation, would enable the study of ^{104}Te using the in-flight electromagnetic separation technique. Even in this case, the short half-life of ^{104}Te is a challenge for today's detection techniques and requires the use of a fast response detection method to be able to separate the α decay of ^{108}Xe and the fast α decay of ^{104}Te . Semiconductor detectors, e.g., double-sided strip detectors (DSSDs), are widely used as implantation detectors for such measurements of ions and charged particle emission. One of the shortcoming of semiconductor detector technology is its relatively slow response. The use of digital signal processing techniques [8,9], overcame some of the limitations related to the slow response of silicon, but crossing the 100 ns limit to resolve two consecutive pulses remains a challenge. In addition, the expensive DSSDs are susceptible to radiation damage. A recent measurement [10] resulted with the half-life estimate $T_{1/2} < 18$ ns for ^{104}Te based on

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Alpha cluster formation and decay in ^{212}Po



Spherical
Doubly magic
Only one decay channel
Accurate experimental data
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**Microscopic calculation of
alpha cluster formation
and decay in ^{212}Po**

Alpha cluster formation and decay

— *Quartetting wave function approach*

1. Quantum 5-body problem (2p+2n+core)

2. Subdivide the W.F into an intrinsic part and a c.o.m part

$$\Psi(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{s}_j) = \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R}) \Phi(\mathbf{R})$$

equation for the c.m. motion

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2Am} \nabla_{\mathbf{R}}^2 \Phi(\mathbf{R}) - \frac{\hbar^2}{Am} \int d\mathbf{s}_j \varphi^{\text{intr},*}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R}) [\nabla_{\mathbf{R}} \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R})] [\nabla_{\mathbf{R}} \Phi(\mathbf{R})]$$

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2Am} \int d\mathbf{s}_j \varphi^{\text{intr},*}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R}) [\nabla_{\mathbf{R}}^2 \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R})] \Phi(\mathbf{R}) + \int d\mathbf{R}' W(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{R}') \Phi(\mathbf{R}') = E \Phi(\mathbf{R})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{n,\uparrow} &= \mathbf{R} + \mathbf{S}/2 + \mathbf{s}/2 \\ \mathbf{r}_{n,\downarrow} &= \mathbf{R} + \mathbf{S}/2 - \mathbf{s}/2 \\ \mathbf{r}_{p,\uparrow} &= \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{S}/2 + \mathbf{s}'/2 \\ \mathbf{r}_{p,\downarrow} &= \mathbf{R} - \mathbf{S}/2 - \mathbf{s}'/2 \end{aligned}$$

equation for the intrinsic motion

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{Am} \Phi^*(\mathbf{R}) [\nabla_{\mathbf{R}} \Phi(\mathbf{R})] [\nabla_{\mathbf{R}} \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R})] - \frac{\hbar^2}{2Am} |\Phi(\mathbf{R})|^2 \nabla_{\mathbf{R}}^2 \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R})$$

$$+ \int d\mathbf{R}' d\mathbf{s}'_j \Phi^*(\mathbf{R}) \{ T [\nabla_{\mathbf{s}_j}] \delta(\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{R}') \delta(\mathbf{s}_j - \mathbf{s}'_j) + V(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{s}_j; \mathbf{R}', \mathbf{s}'_j) \} \Phi(\mathbf{R}') \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}'_j, \mathbf{R}') = F(\mathbf{R}) \varphi^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{s}_j, \mathbf{R})$$

Alpha cluster formation and decay

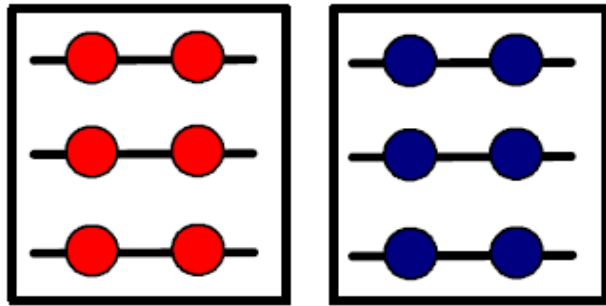
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3. Intrinsic bound-state W. F. transforms at critical density into an unbound 4 nucleon shell-model state



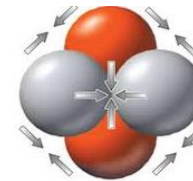
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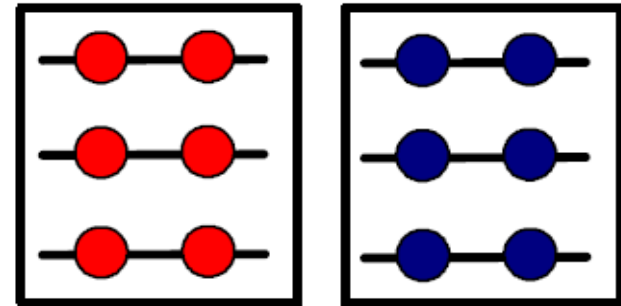
Inner Region

Pauli blocking



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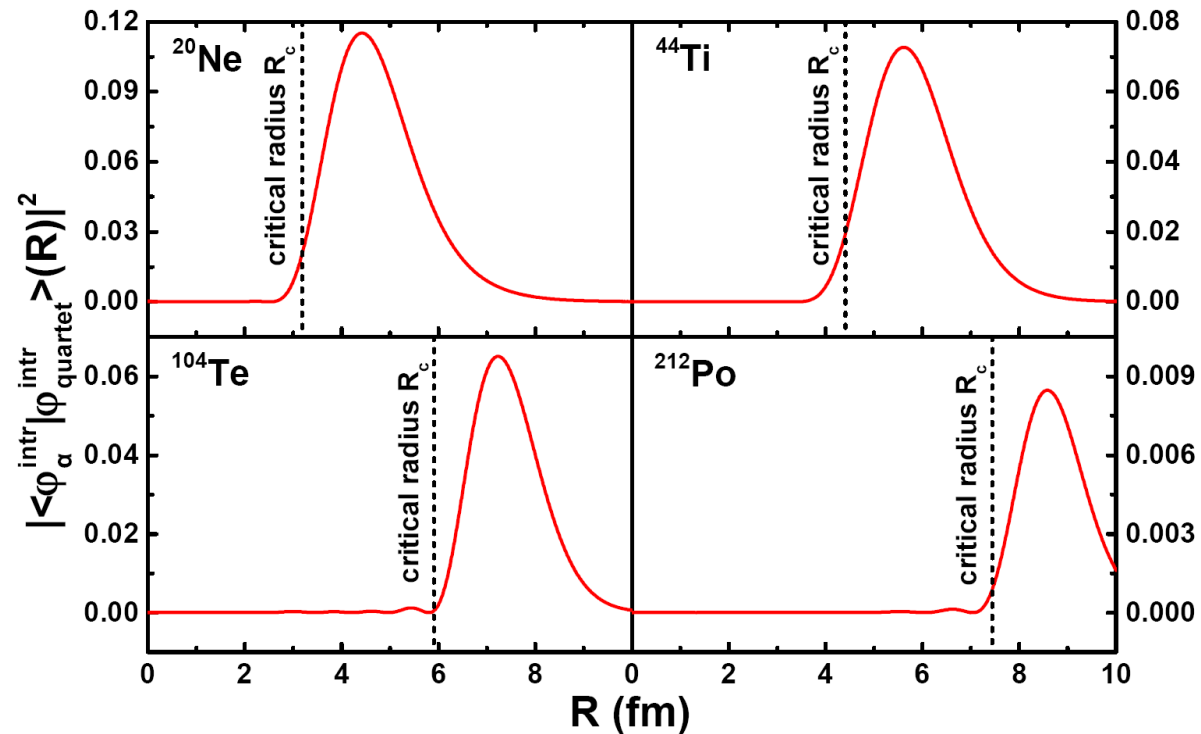
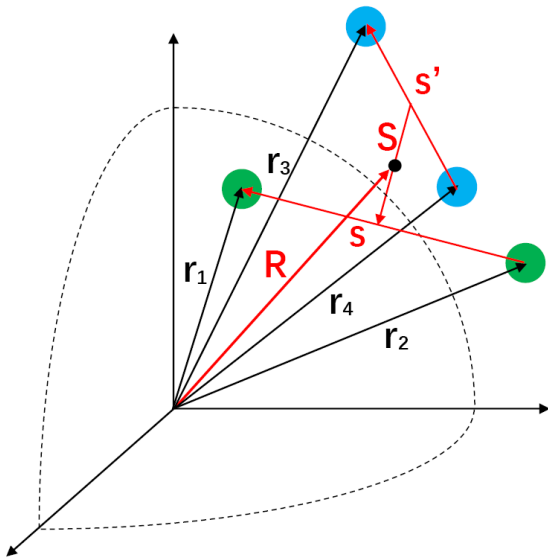


Surface Region

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \varphi_\alpha^{\text{intr}} | \varphi_{\text{quartet}}^{\text{intr}} \rangle (R) &= \int d^3 S d^3 s d^3 s' \varphi_\alpha^{\text{intr},*}(\mathbf{S}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{s}') \varphi_{\text{quartet}}^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{S}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{s}') \\
 &= \int d^3 S d^3 s d^3 s' \frac{\mathcal{Y}_\alpha^*(\mathbf{r}_1) \mathcal{Y}_\alpha^*(\mathbf{r}_2) \mathcal{Y}_\alpha^*(\mathbf{r}_3) \mathcal{Y}_\alpha^*(\mathbf{r}_4) \Phi_{\text{quartet}}(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{S}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{s}')}{\mathcal{L}_\alpha^*(\mathbf{R}) \Psi_{\text{quartet}}^{\text{com}}(\mathbf{R})} \\
 &= \frac{64(2\pi)^9}{\mathcal{L}_\alpha(\mathbf{R}) \Psi_{\text{quartet}}^{\text{com}}(\mathbf{R})} \int d^3 p \phi_{12}(\mathbf{p}) \phi_{34}(\mathbf{p}) e^{i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{R}}.
 \end{aligned}$$



Alpha cluster formation and decay

— *Quartetting wave function approach*

4. First-principle approach to nuclear many-body system: several approximations performed to make the approach practicable

$$\left[-\frac{\hbar^2}{8m} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \mathbf{R}^2} + W(\mathbf{R}) \right] \Phi(\mathbf{R}) = E_4 \Phi(\mathbf{R}),$$

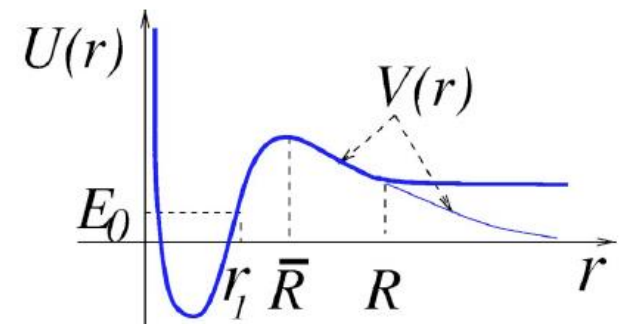
with

$$\begin{aligned} W(\mathbf{R}) &= E_4^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{R}) = W^{\text{ext}}(\mathbf{R}) + W^{\text{intr}}(\mathbf{R}) \\ &= W^{\text{ext}}(\mathbf{R}) + E_\alpha^{(0)} + W^{\text{Pauli}}(\mathbf{R}) \end{aligned}$$

5. Alpha cluster preformation, pre-factor and penetration probability simultaneously calculated

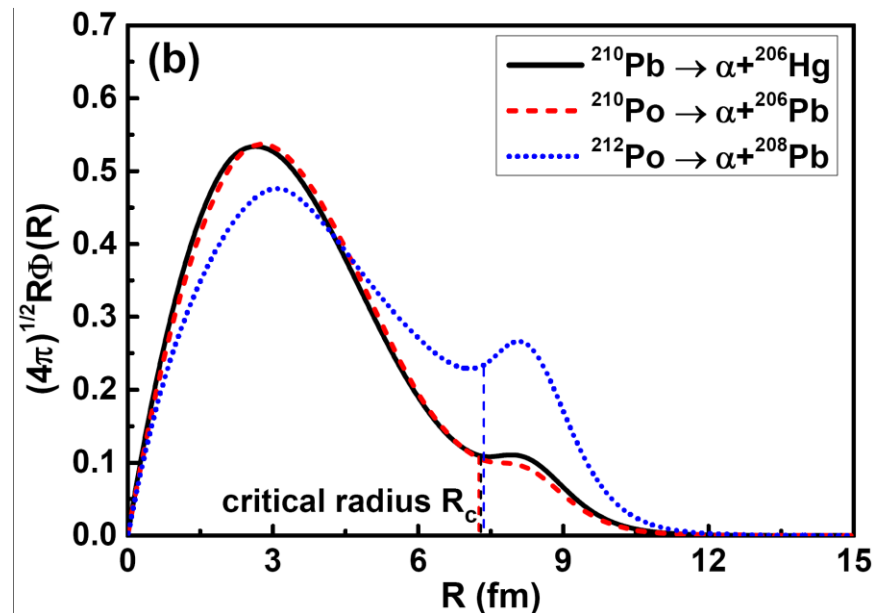
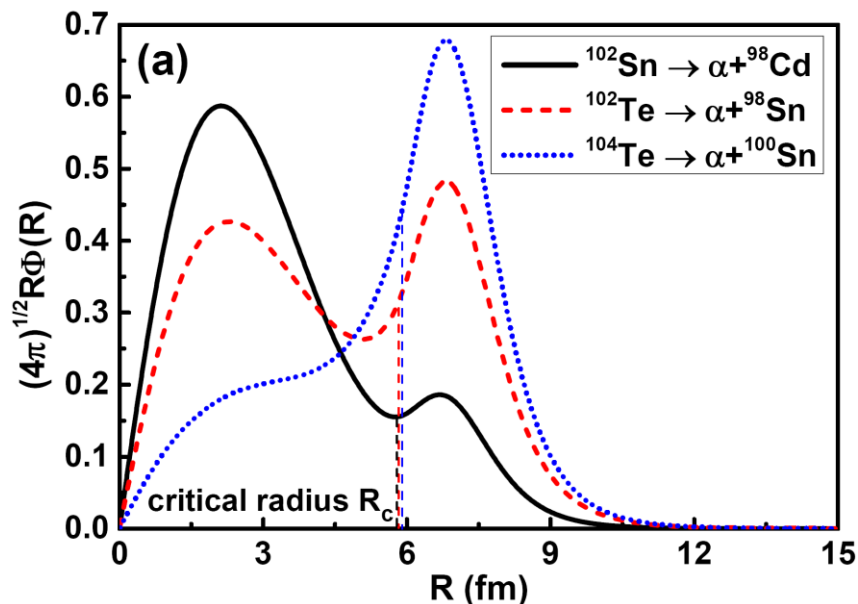
$$P_\alpha = \int_0^\infty d^3r |\Phi(r)|^2 \Theta[n_B^{\text{Mott}} - n_B(r)]$$

$$\Gamma = v \times T = \frac{4\hbar^2 \alpha^2}{\mu k} |\Phi(r_{\text{sep}}) \chi_k(r_{\text{sep}})|^2$$



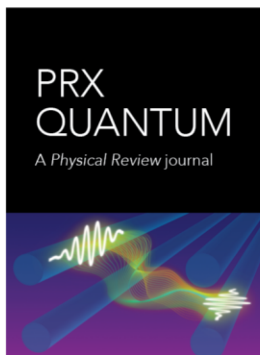
Alpha decay in ^{104}Te , ^{210}Pb , ^{210}Po , and ^{212}Po

Parent	Z	N	Q_α [MeV]	P_α	$T_{1/2}^{\text{calc.}}$ [s]	$T_{1/2}^{\text{expt.}}$ [s]
^{102}Sn	50	52		0.0551		
^{102}Te	52	50		0.3718		
^{104}Te	52	52	4.900	0.7235	1.479×10^{-8}	$< 1.8 \times 10^{-8}$
^{210}Pb	82	128	3.792	0.0176	1.777×10^{16}	3.701×10^{16}
^{210}Po	84	126	5.408	0.0137	1.060×10^7	1.196×10^7
^{212}Po	84	128	8.954	0.1045	3.395×10^{-7}	2.997×10^{-7}



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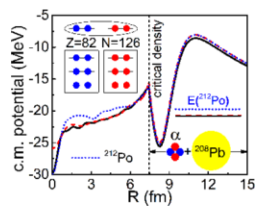
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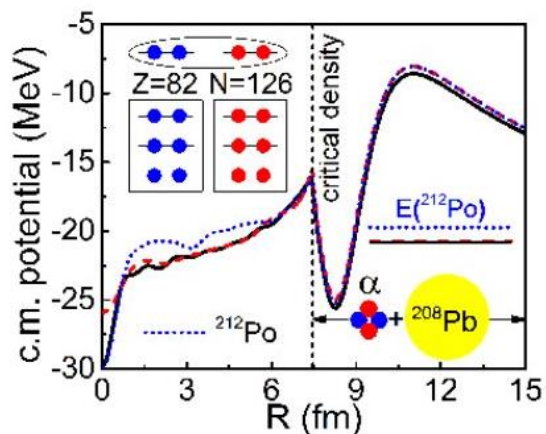
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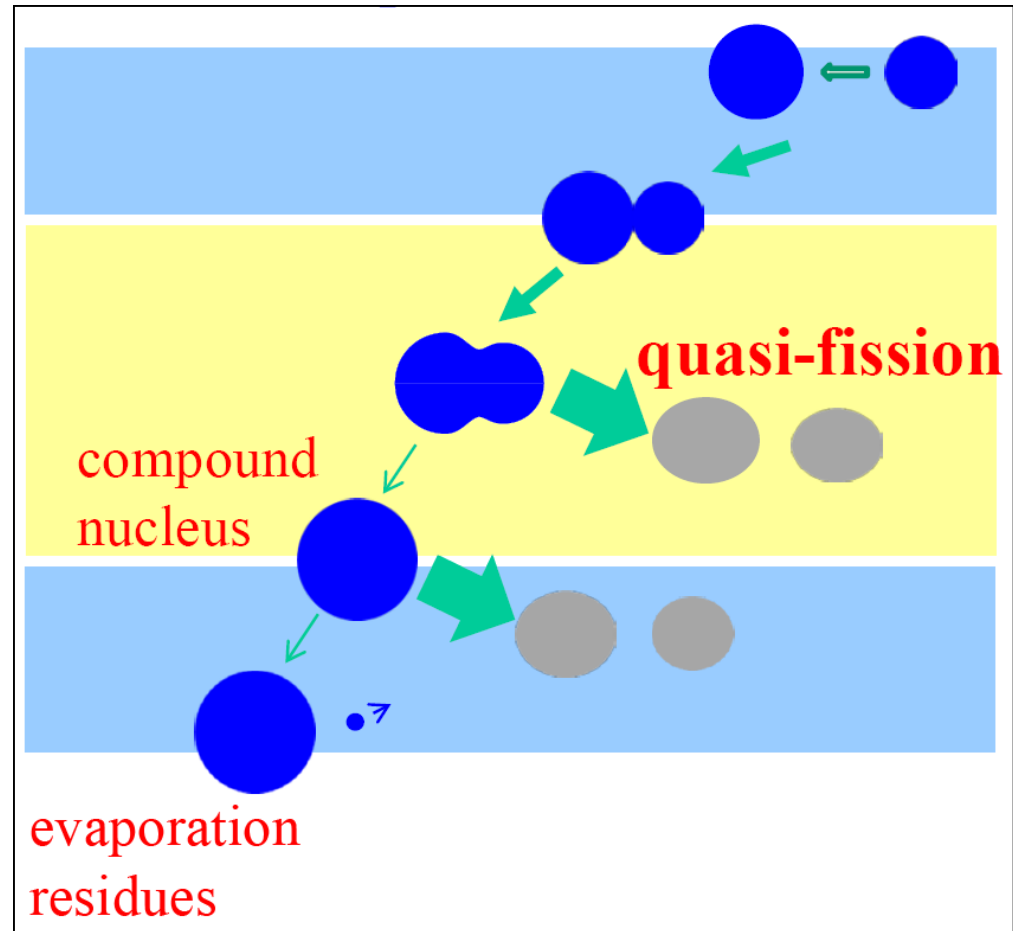
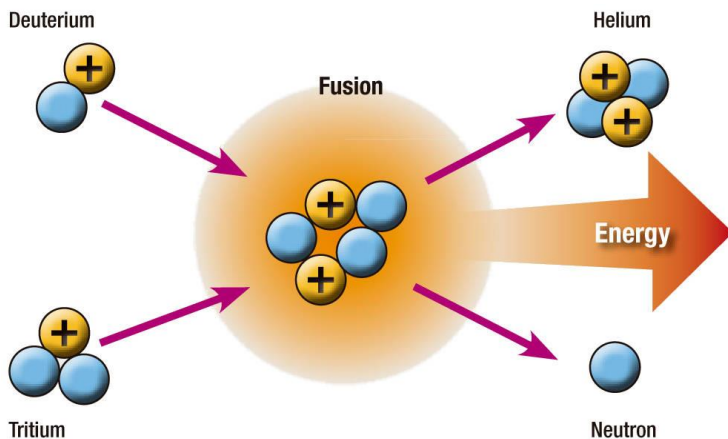
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Decay and Fusion: **two sides of the same coin**

Fusion reaction: nucleosynthesis in the early universe , energy production in stars, superheavy elements...



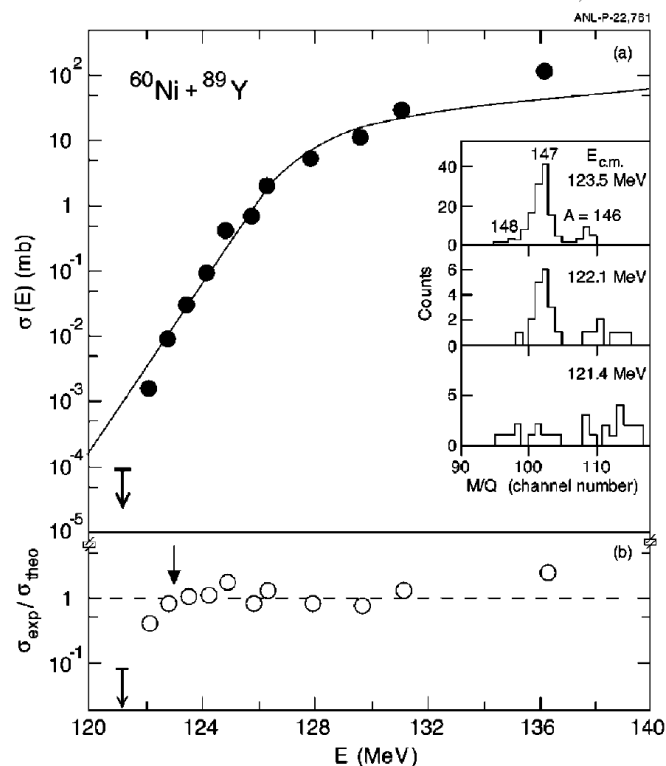
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Fusion deep sub-barrier hindrance phenomenon:

Unexpected falloff feature in experimental fusion cross sections

Hard to explain by the standard coupled channels model

FIG. 2. Experimental evaporation residue cross sections

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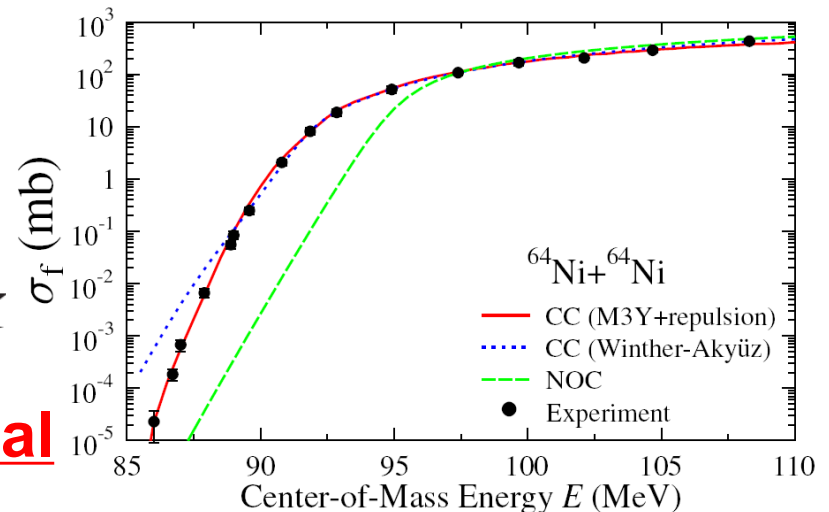
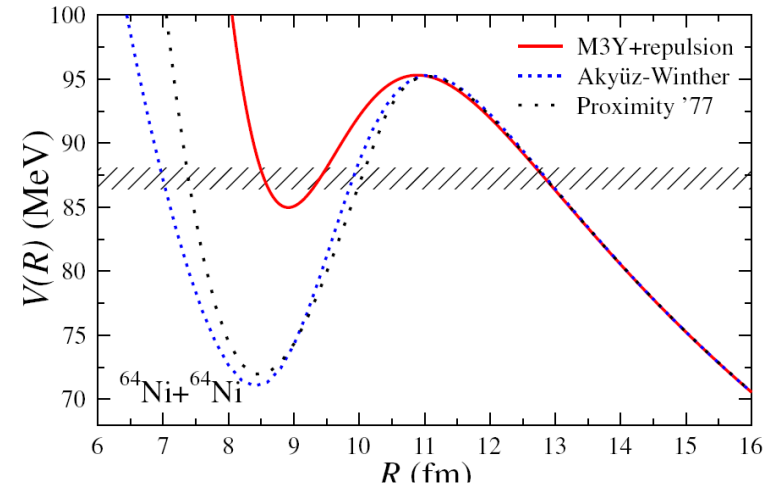
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$$\varepsilon(\rho, \delta) = \varepsilon_F \left[A(\delta) \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^{2/3} + B(\delta) \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right) + C(\delta) \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^{5/3} \right],$$

$$\Delta V \approx 2A_p [\varepsilon(2\rho_0, \delta) - \varepsilon(\rho_0, \delta)].$$

$$K = 9 \left(\rho^2 \frac{\partial^2 \varepsilon}{\partial \rho^2} \right)_{\rho=\rho_0} \quad V_N(0) = \Delta V \approx \frac{A_p}{9} K$$



Signature of a “pocket” potential

Fusion cross sections at deep sub-barrier energies

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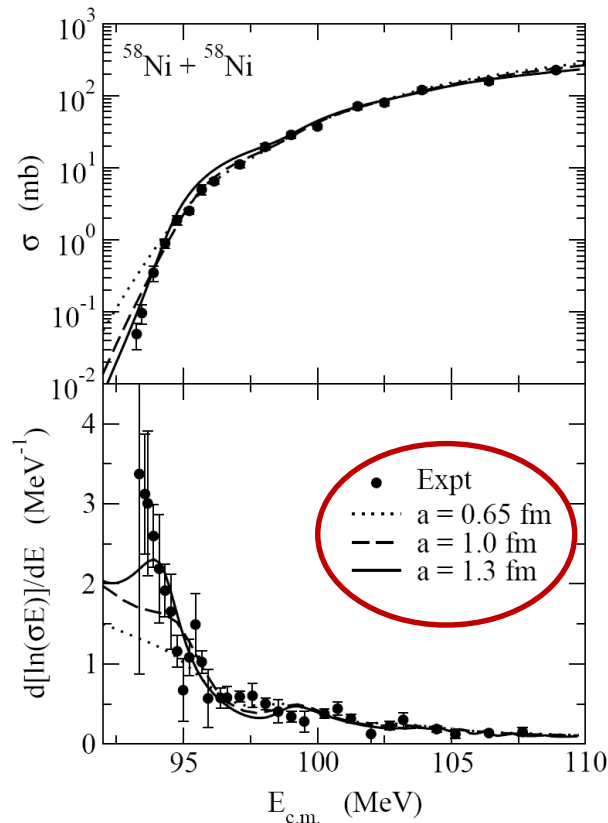


FIG. 3. Dependence of the fusion cross section (upper panel) and the logarithmic slope (lower panel) on the surface diffuseness

Large difference in diffuseness parameter of the WS potential extracted from scattering and from fusion analyses

A large surface diffuseness: reflects the true nature of the potential or simply mocks up other effects?

Neither the deep or shallow double-folding potential nor the geometrical corrections to the coupling potential seem to resolve this problem

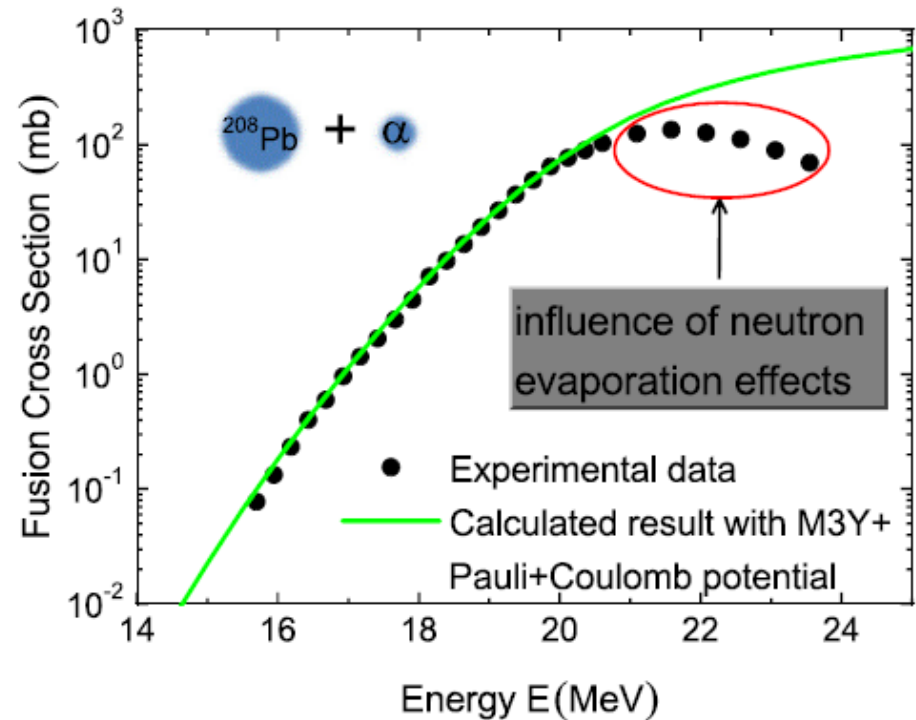
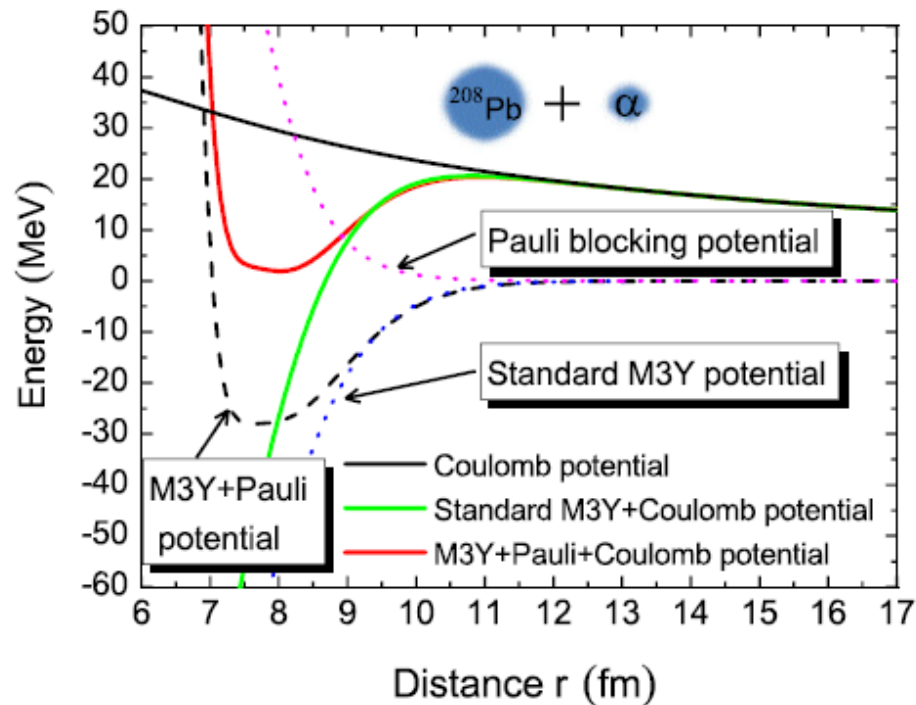
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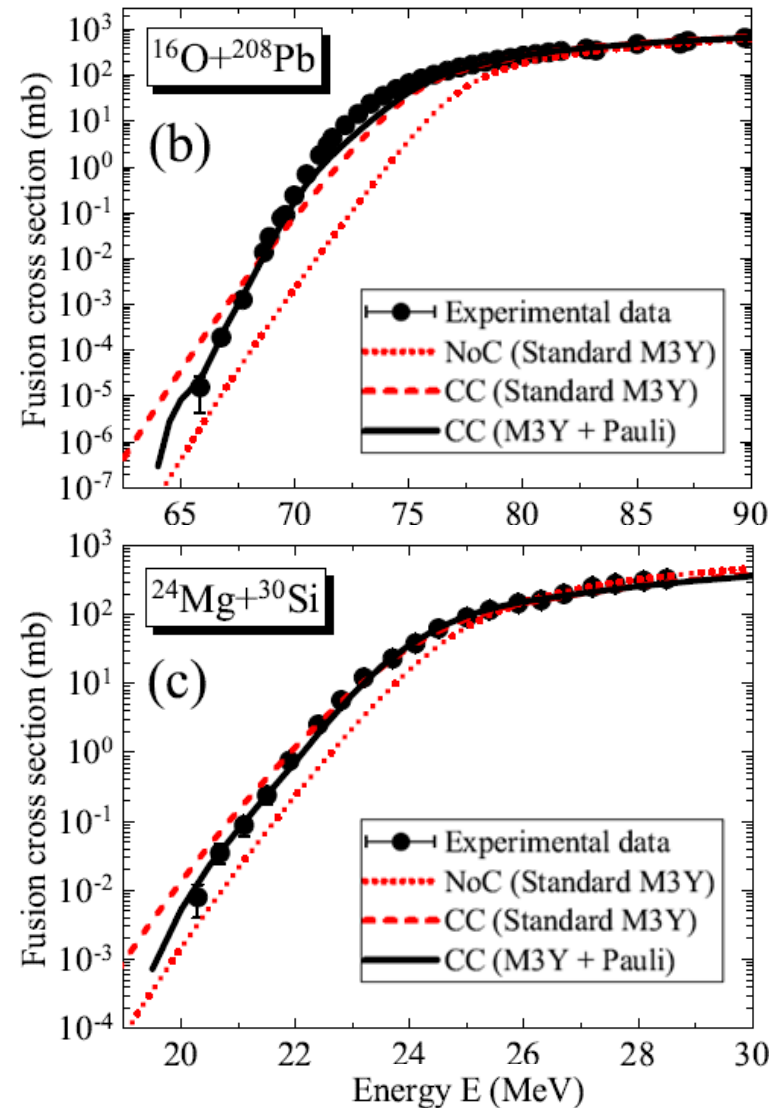
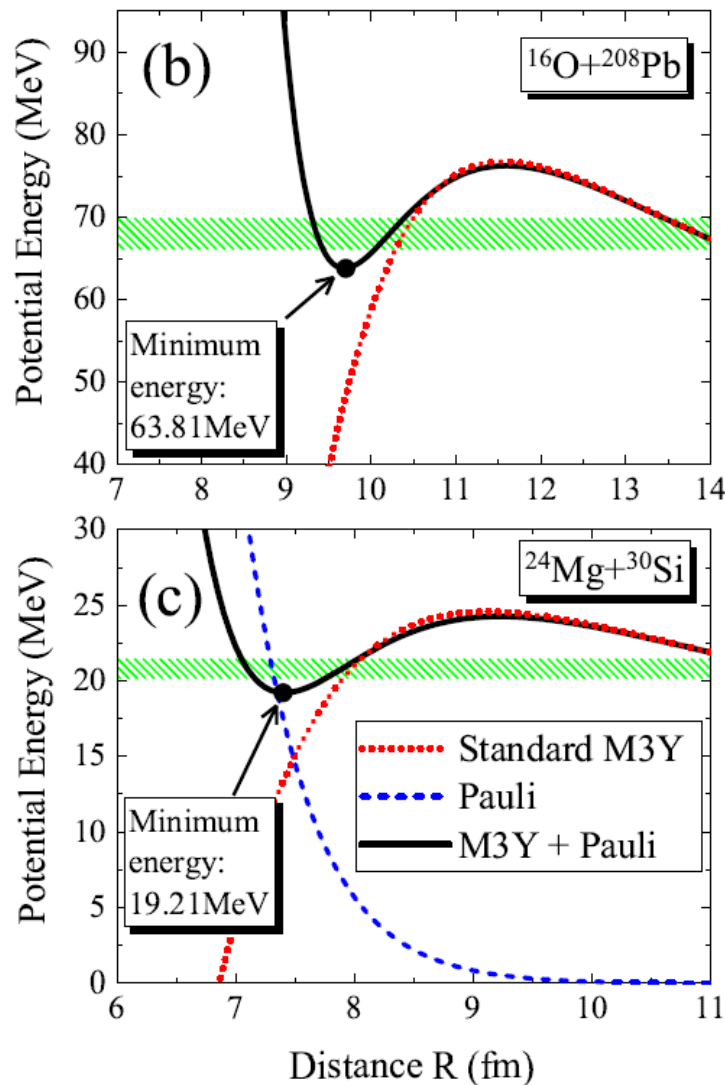
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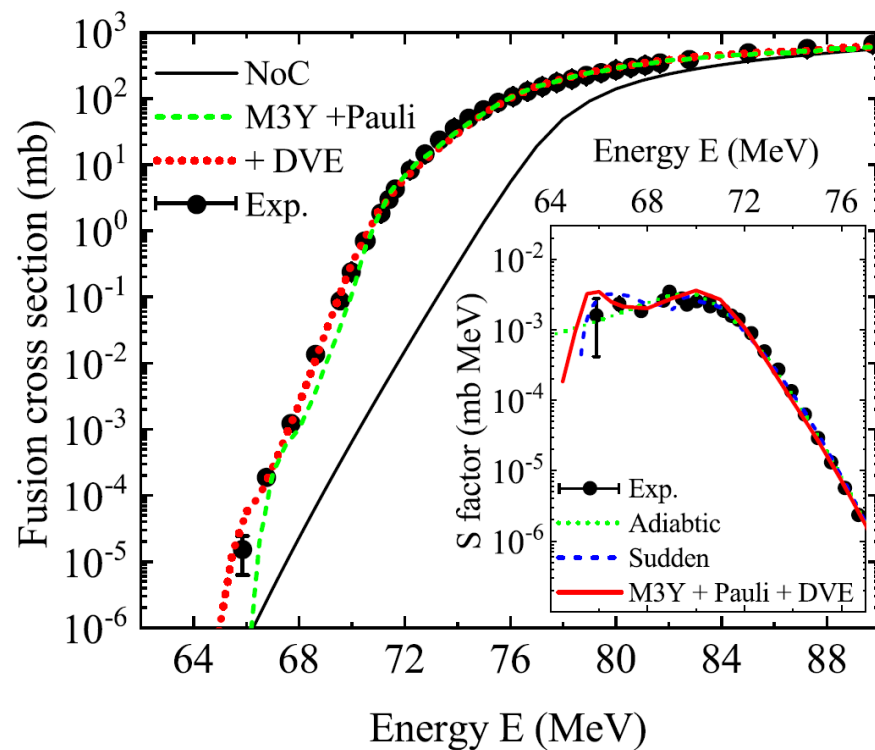
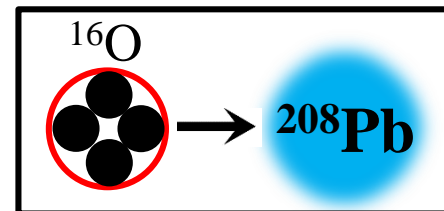
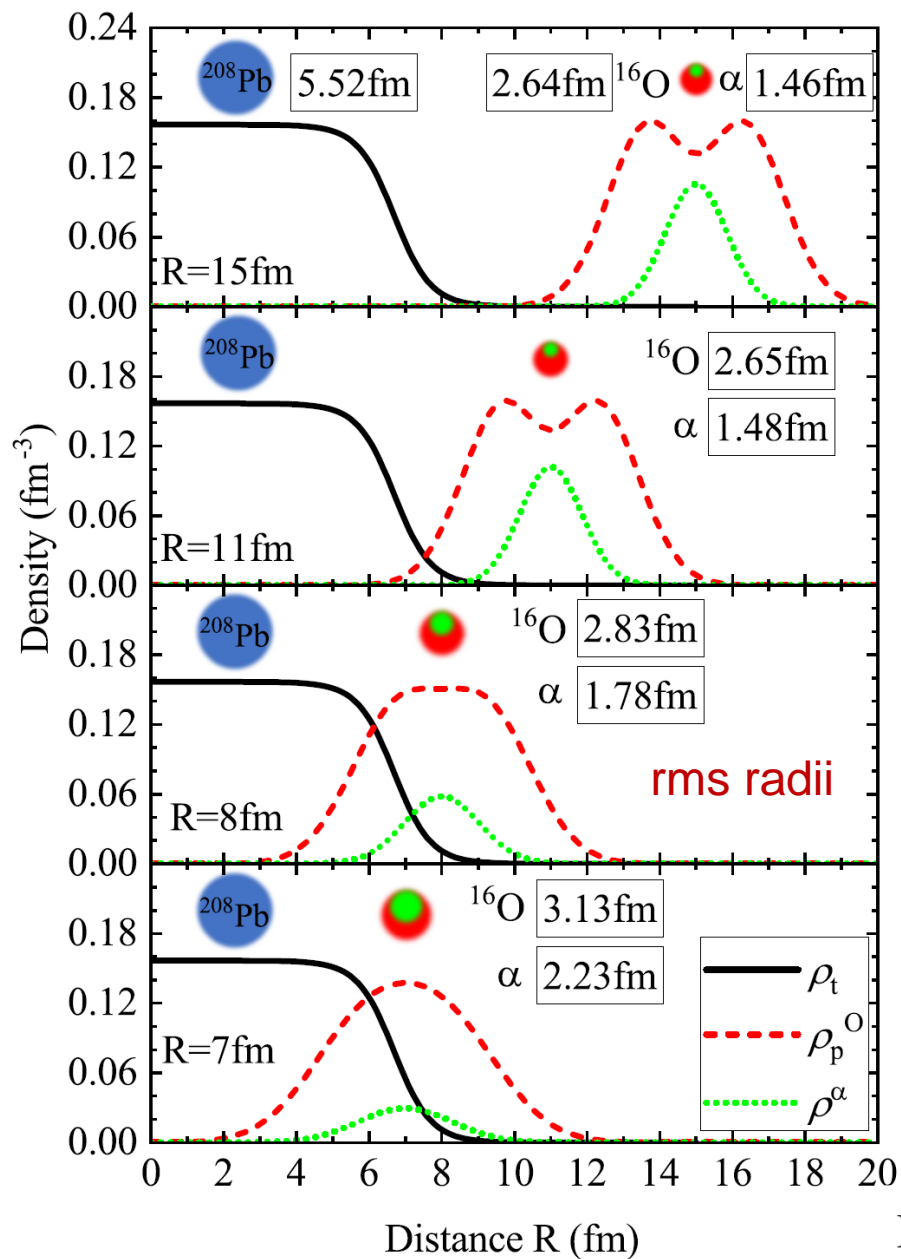
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N-alpha-particle-induced fusion reactions



A hybrid approach between sudden model and adiabatic one



Heavy-ion fusion reactions at extreme sub-barrier energies

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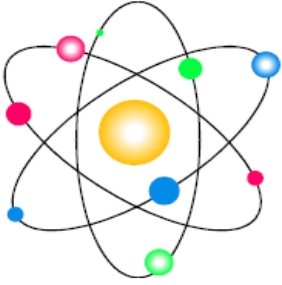
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This trend at far sub-barrier energies (no hindrance observed for $^{58}\text{Ni} + ^{64}\text{Ni}$) suggests that, as was observed for $^{40}\text{Ca} + ^{96}\text{Zr}$, the availability of several states following transfer with $Q > 0$ effectively counterbalances the Pauli repulsion that, in general, is predicted to reduce the tunneling probability through the Coulomb barrier [125, 153].

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