

The solution of the quenching puzzle within the microscopic approach to nuclear structure

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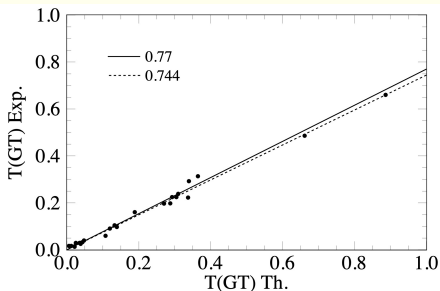
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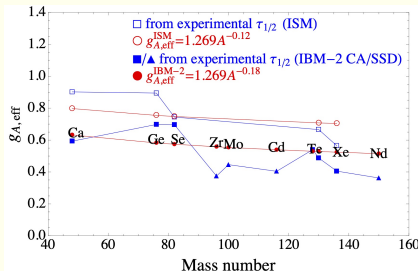


The quenching of g_A

A major issue in the calculation of quantities related to **spin-isospin-dependent transitions** is the need to quench the axial coupling constant g_A by a factor q in order to reproduce the data.



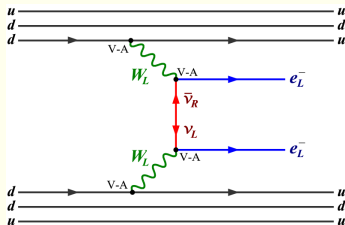
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J. Barea, J. Kotila, and F. Iachello, *Phys. Rev. C* **91**, 034304 (2015)

The quenching of g_A

This is an important question when studying $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay, in fact the need of a quenching factor q largely affects the value of the half-life $T_{1/2}^{0\nu}$, since the latter would be enlarged by a factor q^{-4}



- The inverse of the $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay half-life is proportional to the squared nuclear matrix element $M^{0\nu}$

$$\left[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}\right]^{-1} = G^{0\nu} \left|M^{0\nu}\right|^2 \left|g_A^2 \frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right|^2$$

- $M^{0\nu}$ links $\left[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}\right]^{-1}$ to the neutrino effective mass $\langle m_\nu \rangle = \left|\sum_k m_k U_{ek}^2\right|$ (light-neutrino exchange)

That is why experimentalists are deeply concerned about q , its value has a strong impact on **planning the sensitivity of the experimental apparatus.**

The quenching of g_A

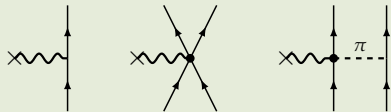
The two main sources of the need of a **quenching factor q** may be identified as:

Truncation of the nuclear configurations

Nuclear models operate a cut of the nuclear degrees of freedom in order to diagonalize the nuclear Hamiltonian
 \Rightarrow **effective Hamiltonians and decay operators** must be considered to account for the neglected configurations in the nuclear wave function

Nucleon internal degrees of freedom

Nucleons are not point-like particles \Rightarrow contributions to the free value of g_A come from two-body **meson exchange currents**:



● K. Shimizu, M. Ichimura, and A. Arima, *Nucl. Phys. A* **226**, 282 (1974)

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The effective operators for decay amplitudes

- Ψ_α eigenstates of the full Hamiltonian H with eigenvalues E_α
- Φ_α eigenvectors obtained diagonalizing H_{eff} in the model space P and corresponding to the same eigenvalues E_α

$$\Rightarrow |\Phi_\alpha\rangle = P |\Psi_\alpha\rangle$$

Obviously, for any decay-operator Θ :

$$\langle \Phi_\alpha | \Theta | \Phi_\beta \rangle \neq \langle \Psi_\alpha | \Theta | \Psi_\beta \rangle$$

We then require an effective operator Θ_{eff} defined as follows

$$\Theta_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{\alpha\beta} |\Phi_\alpha\rangle \langle \Psi_\alpha | \Theta | \Psi_\beta \rangle \langle \Phi_\beta |$$

Consequently, the matrix elements of Θ_{eff} are

$$\langle \Phi_\alpha | \Theta_{\text{eff}} | \Phi_\beta \rangle = \langle \Psi_\alpha | \Theta | \Psi_\beta \rangle$$

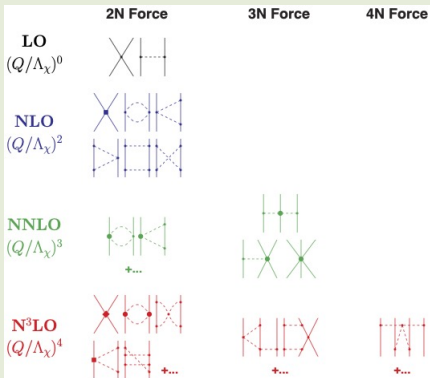
This means that the parameters characterizing Θ_{eff} are renormalized with respect to $\Theta \Rightarrow g_A^{\text{eff}} = q \cdot g_A \neq g_A$

Two-body meson exchange currents

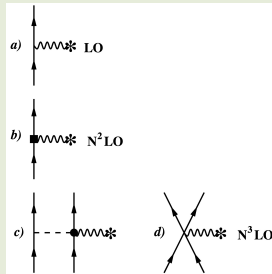
A powerful approach to the derivation of two-body currents (**2BC**) is to resort to **effective field theories (EFT)** of quantum chromodynamics.

In such a way, both nuclear potentials and **2BC** may be consistently constructed, since in the **EFT** approach they appear as subleading corrections to the one-body Gamow-Teller (**GT**) operator $\sigma\tau^\pm$.

Nuclear Hamiltonian



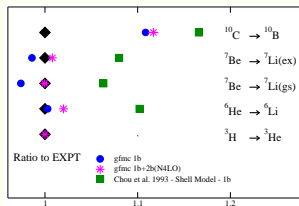
Two-body currents



The impact of **2BC** on the calculated **β -decay properties** has been investigated in terms of *ab initio* methods

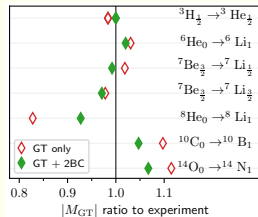
β -decay in light nuclei

GT nuclear matrix elements of the β -decay of p -shell nuclei have been calculated with Green's function Monte Carlo (GFMC) and no-core shell model (NCSM) methods, including contributions from 2BC

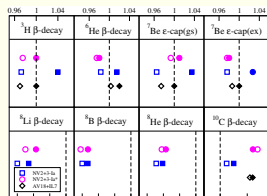


S. Pastore et al., *Phys. Rev. C* **97** 022501(R) (2018)

The contribution of 2BC improves systematically the agreement between theory and experiment



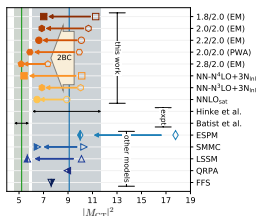
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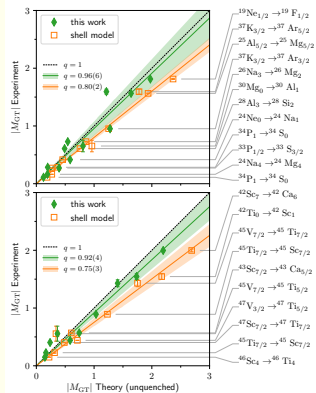
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Ab initio methods: β -decay in medium-mass nuclei

Coupled-cluster method **CCM** and in-medium SRG (**IMRSG**) calculations have recently performed to overcome the quenching problem g_A to reproduce β -decay observables in heavier systems
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Coupled-Cluster Method



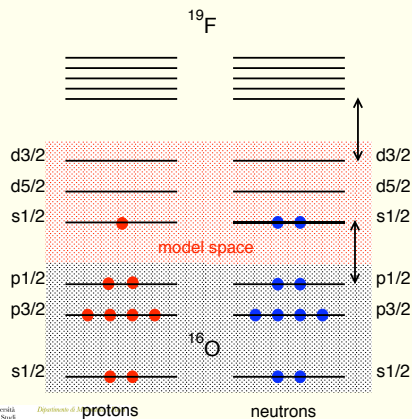
In-Medium SRG

A proper treatment of nuclear correlations and consistency between **GT** two-body currents and **3N** forces, derived in terms of **ChPT**, explains the “quenching puzzle”



The realistic shell model

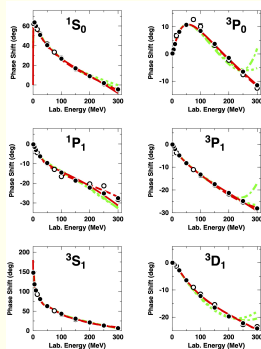
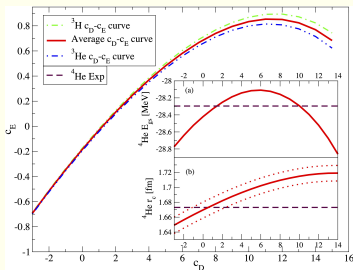
The nucleons are subject to the action of a mean field, that takes into account most of the interaction of the nuclear constituents. Only valence nucleons interact by way of a residual two-body potential, within a reduced model space.



- **Advantage** → It is a microscopic and flexible model, the degrees of freedom of the valence nucleons are explicitly taken into account.
- **Shortcoming** → High-degree computational complexity.
- We perform our calculations employing the **KSHELL** shell-model code

Our approach to the realistic shell model

- Nuclear Hamiltonian: Entem-Machleidt $N^3\text{LO}$ two-body potential plus $N^2\text{LO}$ three-body potential



- Axial current J_A calculated at $N^3\text{LO}$ in ChPT: LECs c_3, c_4, c_D are consistent with the 2NF and 3NF potentials
- H_{eff} calculated at 3rd order in perturbation theory
- Effective operators are consistently derived using MBPT

The effective shell-model Hamiltonian

We start from the many-body Hamiltonian H defined in the full Hilbert space:

$$H = H_0 + H_1 = \sum_{i=1}^A (T_i + U_i) + \sum_{i < j} (V_{ij}^{NN} - U_i)$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{c|c} PHP & PHQ \\ \hline QHP & QHQ \end{array} \right) \xRightarrow{QHP=0} \left(\begin{array}{c|c} P\mathcal{H}P & P\mathcal{H}Q \\ \hline 0 & Q\mathcal{H}Q \end{array} \right)$$

$\mathcal{H} = \Omega^{-1} H \Omega$

$$H_{\text{eff}} = P\mathcal{H}P$$

$$\text{Suzuki \& Lee} \Rightarrow \Omega = e^{\omega} \text{ with } \omega = \left(\begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ \hline Q\omega P & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$H_1^{\text{eff}}(\omega) = PH_1P + PH_1Q \frac{1}{\epsilon - QHQ} QH_1P - \\ - PH_1Q \frac{1}{\epsilon - QHQ} \omega H_1^{\text{eff}}(\omega)$$

The perturbative approach to the shell-model H^{eff}

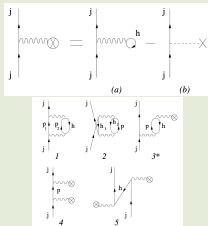
The \hat{Q} -box vertex function

$$\hat{Q}(\epsilon) = PH_1P + PH_1Q \frac{1}{\epsilon - QHQ} QH_1P$$

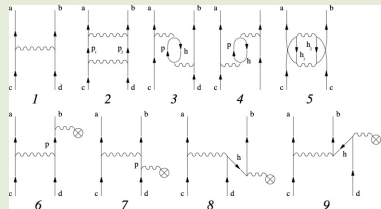
Exact calculation of the \hat{Q} -box is computationally prohibitive for many-body system \Rightarrow we perform a perturbative expansion

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon - QHQ} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(QH_1Q)^n}{(\epsilon - QH_0Q)^{n+1}}$$

\hat{Q} -box: 1st- & 2nd-order 1-b diagrams

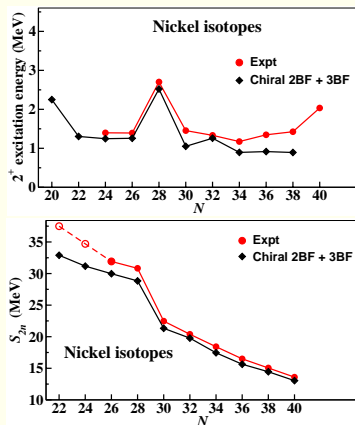


\hat{Q} -box: 1st- & 2nd-order 2-b diagrams



$0f_{1/2}$ p -shell nuclei

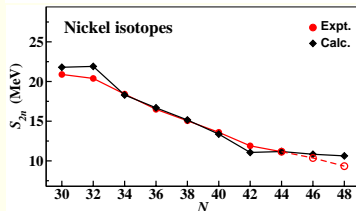
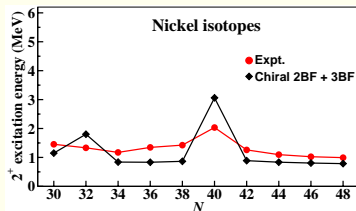
- Model space spanned by 4 proton and neutron orbitals $0f_{7/2}, 0f_{5/2}, 1p_{3/2}, 1p_{1/2}$
- Effects of induced 3-body forces have been included
- Single-particle energies and residual two-body interaction are derived from the theory.
No empirical input



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$0f1p0g$ -shell nuclei

- Model space spanned by 4 proton and neutron orbitals $0f_{5/2}, 1p_{3/2}, 1p_{1/2}, 0g_{9/2}$
- Effects of induced 3-body forces have been included
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No empirical input



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The effective SM operators for decay amplitudes

Any shell-model effective operator may be derived consistently with the \hat{Q} -box-plus-folded-diagram approach to H_{eff}

It has been demonstrated that, for any bare operator Θ , a non-Hermitian effective operator Θ_{eff} can be written in the following form:

$$\Theta_{\text{eff}} = (P + \hat{Q}_1 + \hat{Q}_1 \hat{Q}_1 + \hat{Q}_2 \hat{Q} + \hat{Q} \hat{Q}_2 + \cdots)(\chi_0 + \chi_1 + \chi_2 + \cdots),$$

where

$$\hat{Q}_m = \frac{1}{m!} \left. \frac{d^m \hat{Q}(\epsilon)}{d\epsilon^m} \right|_{\epsilon=\epsilon_0},$$

ϵ_0 being the model-space eigenvalue of the unperturbed Hamiltonian H_0

*K. Suzuki and R. Okamoto, Prog. Theor. Phys. **93**, 905 (1995)*

The effective SM operators for decay amplitudes

The χ_n operators are defined in terms of the vertex function $\hat{\Theta}$ as:

$$\begin{aligned}\chi_0 &= (\hat{\Theta}_0 + h.c.) + \Theta_{00} , \\ \chi_1 &= (\hat{\Theta}_1 \hat{Q} + h.c.) + (\hat{\Theta}_{01} \hat{Q} + h.c.) , \\ \chi_2 &= (\hat{\Theta}_1 \hat{Q}_1 \hat{Q} + h.c.) + (\hat{\Theta}_2 \hat{Q} \hat{Q} + h.c.) + \\ &\quad (\hat{\Theta}_{02} \hat{Q} \hat{Q} + h.c.) + \hat{Q} \hat{\Theta}_{11} \hat{Q} , \\ &\quad \dots\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\hat{\Theta}(\epsilon) = P\Theta P + P\Theta Q \frac{1}{\epsilon - QHQ} QH_1 P$$

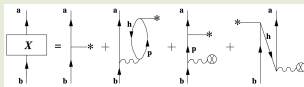
$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\Theta}(\epsilon_1; \epsilon_2) &= PH_1 Q \frac{1}{\epsilon_1 - QHQ} \times \\ &\quad Q\Theta Q \frac{1}{\epsilon_2 - QHQ} QH_1 P\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\Theta}_m &= \frac{1}{m!} \left. \frac{d^m \hat{\Theta}(\epsilon)}{d\epsilon^m} \right|_{\epsilon=\epsilon_0} \\ \hat{\Theta}_{nm} &= \frac{1}{n!m!} \left. \frac{d^n}{d\epsilon_1^n} \frac{d^m}{d\epsilon_2^m} \hat{\Theta}(\epsilon_1; \epsilon_2) \right|_{\epsilon_{1,2}=\epsilon_0}\end{aligned}$$

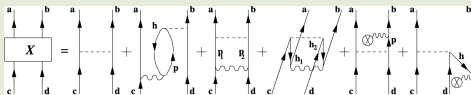
The effective SM operators for decay amplitudes

The $\hat{\Theta}$ -box is then calculated perturbatively, here are diagrams up to 2nd order of the effective decay operator Θ_{eff} expansion:

One-body operator



Two-body operator



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The axial current \mathbf{J}_A

The matrix elements of the axial current \mathbf{J}_A are derived through a chiral expansion up to N^3LO , and employing the same LECs as in 2NF and 3NF

$$\mathbf{J}_{A,\pm}^{\text{LO}} = -g_A \sum_i \sigma_i \tau_{i,\pm} ,$$

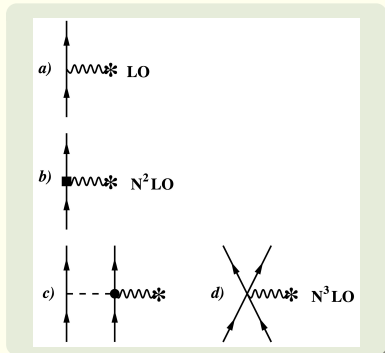
$$\mathbf{J}_{A,\pm}^{\text{N}^2\text{LO}} = \frac{g_A}{2m_N^2} \sum_i \mathbf{K}_i \times (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \times \mathbf{K}_i) \tau_{i,\pm} ,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{J}_{A,\pm}^{\text{N}^3\text{LO}}(\text{1PE}; \mathbf{k}) = & \sum_{i < j} \frac{g_A}{2f_\pi^2} \left\{ 4c_3 \tau_{j,\pm} \mathbf{k} + (\boldsymbol{\tau}_i \times \boldsymbol{\tau}_j)_\pm \right. \\ & \times \left[\left(c_4 + \frac{1}{4m} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \times \mathbf{k} - \frac{i}{2m} \mathbf{K}_i \right) \right] \left. \right\} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \cdot \mathbf{k} \frac{1}{\omega_k^2} , \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{A,\pm}^{\text{N}^3\text{LO}}(\text{CT}; \mathbf{k}) = \sum_{i < j} z_0 (\boldsymbol{\tau}_i \times \boldsymbol{\tau}_j)_\pm (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \times \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j) ,$$

where

$$z_0 = \frac{g_A}{2f_\pi^2 m_N} \left[\frac{m_N}{4g_A \Lambda_\chi} c_D + \frac{m_N}{3} (c_3 + 2c_4) + \frac{1}{6} \right] .$$



A. Baroni, L. Girlanda, S. Pastore, R. Schiavilla, and M. Viviani,
Phys. Rev. C **93**, 015501 (2016)

Shell-model calculations and results

Nuclear model



Accurate reproduction
of experimental data



Predictive power

RSM calculations, starting from ChPT two- and three-body potentials and two-body meson-exchange currents for spectroscopic and spin-isospin dependent observables of ^{48}Ca , ^{76}Ge , ^{82}Se



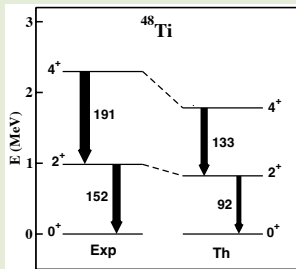
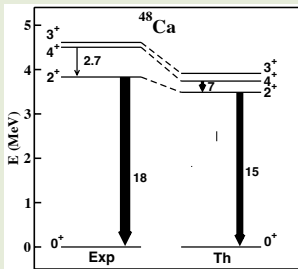
Check RSM approach calculating GT strengths and $2\nu\beta\beta$ -decay

$$\left[T_{1/2}^{2\nu}\right]^{-1} = G^{2\nu} |M_{\text{GT}}^{2\nu}|^2$$

where

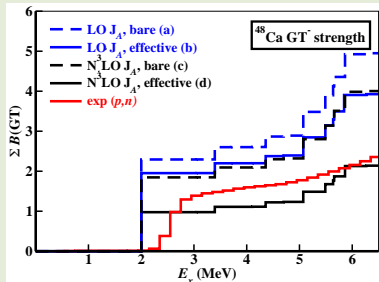
$$M_{2\nu}^{\text{GT}} = \sum_n \frac{\langle 0_f^+ || \mathbf{J}_A || 1_n^+ \rangle \langle 1_n^+ || \mathbf{J}_A || 0_i^+ \rangle}{E_n + E_0}$$

0f1 p-shell nuclei spectroscopic properties



Nucleus	$J_i \rightarrow J_f$	bare	effective	$B(M1)_{\text{Expt}}$
^{48}Ca	$3_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	0.090	0.044	0.023 ± 0.004
Nucleus	J^π	bare	effective	μ_{Expt}
^{48}Ti	2_1^+	0.26	0.34	$+0.78 \pm 0.04$
	4_1^+	1.0	1.1	$+2.2 \pm 0.5$

Gamow-Teller observables



$$B(p, n) = \frac{|\langle \Phi_f | \sum \mathbf{J}_A | \Phi_i \rangle|^2}{2J_i + 1}$$

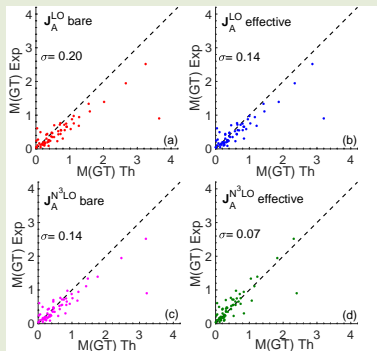
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- (b) effective \mathbf{J}_A at LO in ChPT;
- (c) bare \mathbf{J}_A at N³LO in ChPT (namely include 2BC contributions too);
- (d) effective \mathbf{J}_A at N³LO in ChPT.

Total GT⁻ strength

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$\sum B(GT^-)$	24.0	17.5	20.9	11.2	15.3 ± 2.2

The impact of meson-exchange currents on the GT⁻ matrix elements is $\approx 20\%$

Gamow-Teller observables



GT matrix elements of 60 experimental decays of 43 $0f1p$ -shell nuclei, only yrast states involved

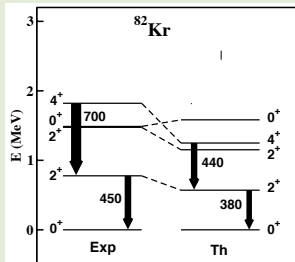
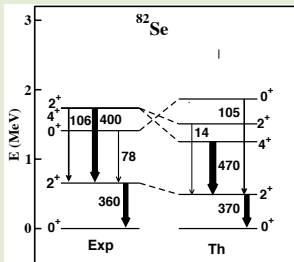
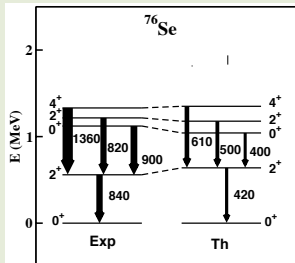
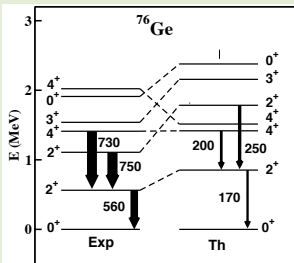
$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \hat{x}_i)^2}{n}}$$

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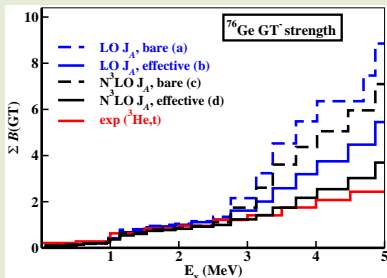
$2\nu\beta\beta$ nuclear matrix element $M^{2\nu} {}^{48}\text{Ca} \rightarrow {}^{48}\text{Ti}$

$J_i^\pi \rightarrow J_f^\pi$	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$	0.057	0.048	0.033	0.019	0.042 ± 0.004
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	0.131	0.102	0.097	0.057	≤ 0.023
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_2^+$	0.102	0.086	0.073	0.040	≤ 2.72

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Gamow-Teller observables



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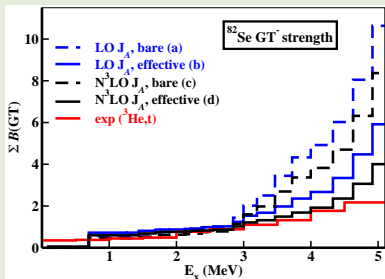
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Total GT⁻ strength

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$\Sigma B(GT^-)$	15.8	10.8	12.8	7.4	\sim

The impact of meson-exchange currents on the GT⁻ matrix elements
is $\approx 18\%$

Gamow-Teller observables



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Total GT⁻ strength

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$\Sigma B(GT^-)$	19.0	11.4	14.9	7.5	~

The impact of meson-exchange currents on the GT⁻ matrix elements is $\approx 20\%$

Gamow-Teller observables

$2\nu\beta\beta$ nuclear matrix element $M^{2\nu} {}^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow {}^{76}\text{Se}$

$J_i^\pi \rightarrow J_f^\pi$	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$	0.211	0.153	0.160	0.118	0.129 ± 0.004
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	0.023	0.042	0.025	0.048	≤ 0.035
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_2^+$	0.009	0.086	0.016	0.063	≤ 0.089

$2\nu\beta\beta$ nuclear matrix element $M^{2\nu} {}^{82}\text{Se} \rightarrow {}^{82}\text{Kr}$

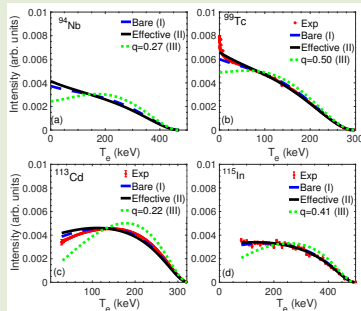
$J_i^\pi \rightarrow J_f^\pi$	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	Expt
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$	0.173	0.123	0.136	0.095	0.103 ± 0.001
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	0.003	0.006	0.008	0.033	≤ 0.020
$0_1^+ \rightarrow 0_2^+$	0.018	0.007	0.013	0.007	≤ 0.052

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Testing RSM: forbidden β -decay energy spectra

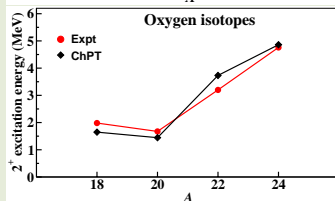
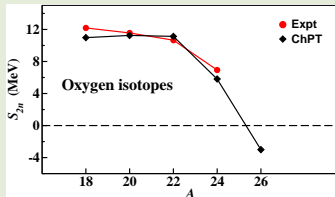
Forbidden β -decay $\log ft_s$

Nucleus	bare	effective	Exp
^{94}Nb	11.30	11.58	11.95 (7)
^{99}Tc	11.580	11.876	12.325 (12)
^{113}Cd	21.902	22.493	23.127 (14)
^{115}In	21.22	21.64	22.53 (3)

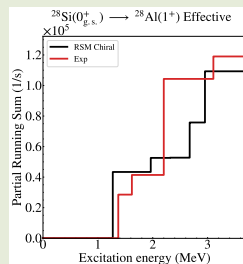
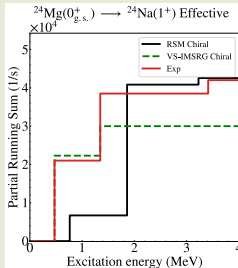


Testing RSM: muon capture in sd shell nuclei

Spectroscopy of oxygen isotopes



Running sums



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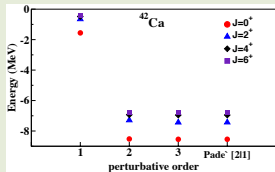
Conclusions and Outlook

- The role of **many-body correlations** prevails on the **meson-exchange currents** for the renormalization of GT operator, the latter contribute $\approx 20\%$
- The explanation of the **"quenching puzzle"** can be achieved by focusing theoretical efforts on two main goals:
 - a) improving our knowledge of nuclear forces and exchange currents;
 - b) deriving effective Hamiltonians and decay operators from many-body theory.
- We plan to expand soon our study by:
 - including meson-exchange two-body currents for the **$M1$** transitions;
 - performing calculations for heavier-mass systems (^{100}Mo , ^{130}Te , ^{136}Xe);
 - calculating $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay **$M^{0\nu}$** including also the LO contact term and three-nucleon exchange currents.

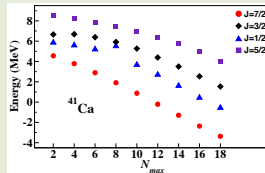
Backup slides

Perturbative properties

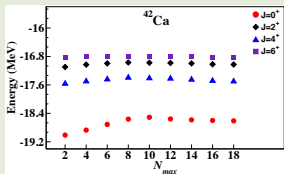
Order-by-order convergence



Intermediate-state convergence



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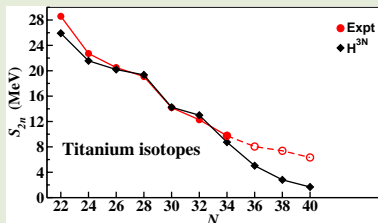
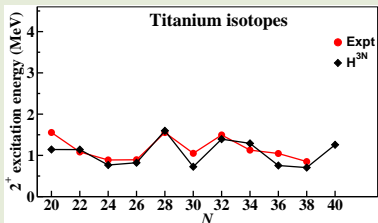
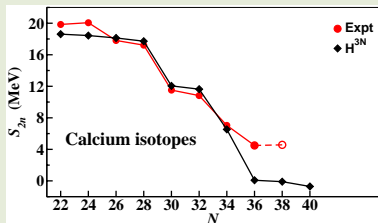
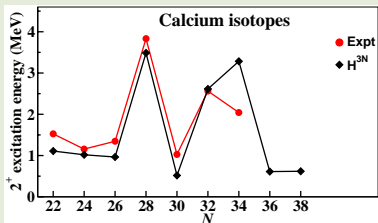


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Order-by-order convergence for $M^{2\nu}$ calculation

Decay	1st order	2nd order	3rd order	Expt.
$^{130}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}$	0.142	0.040	0.044	0.034 ± 0.003
$^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}$	0.0975	0.0272	0.0285	0.0218 ± 0.0003

Shell-evolution properties



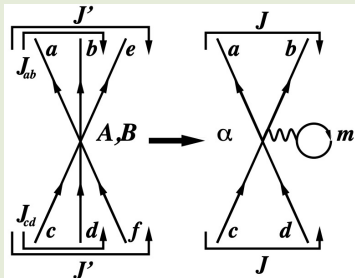
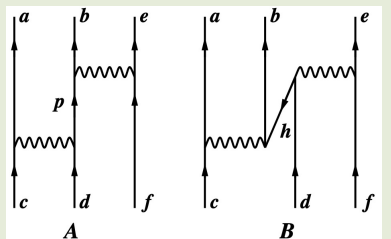
Induced three-body forces

For many-valence nucleon systems (≥ 3) H_{eff} has to include the **induced many-body components**

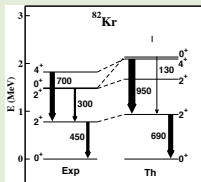
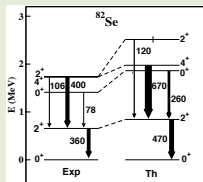
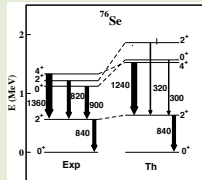
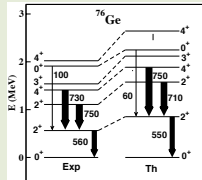
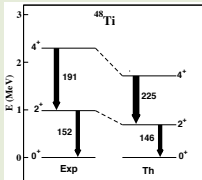
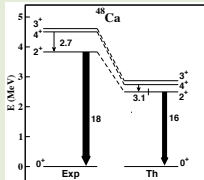
Namely, at least **three-body diagrams** needs to be included in the perturbative expansion of the vertex function \hat{Q} box

Shell model codes, at present, cannot manage **three-body components** of the shell-model Hamiltonian in large model spaces

We then resort to **normal-ordering approximation**, this means that **TBME** are different for each nuclear system

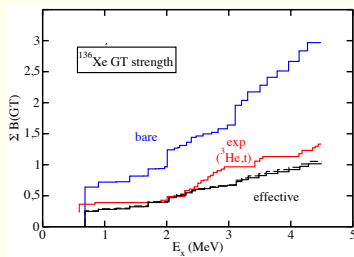
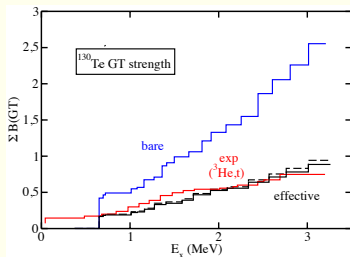
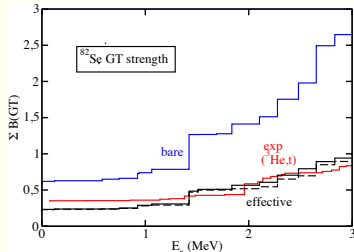
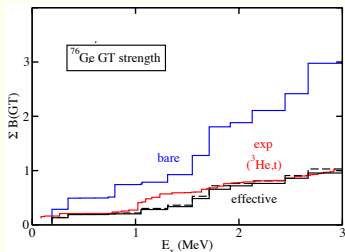


Results with CD-Bonn $V_{\text{low-}k}$



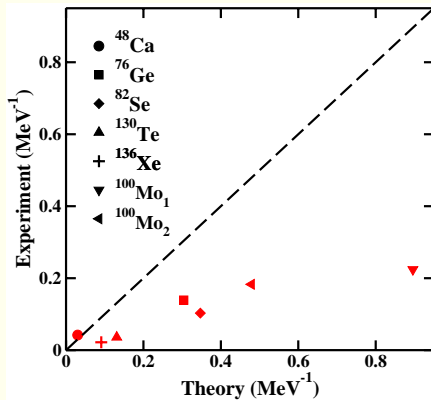
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$$B(p, n) = \frac{|\langle \Phi_f | \sum_j \vec{\sigma}_j \tau_j^- | \Phi_i \rangle|^2}{2j_i + 1},$$

Results with CD-Bonn $V_{\text{low-}k}$

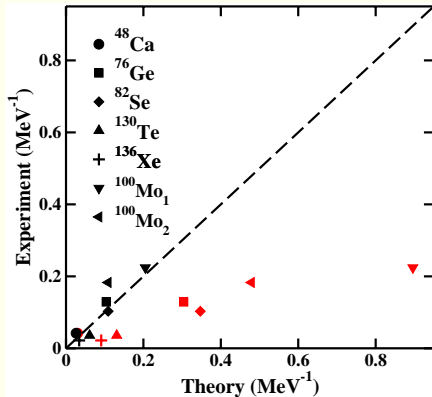


Red symbols: bare GT operator

Decay	Expt.	Bare
$^{48}\text{Ca}_1 \rightarrow ^{48}\text{Ti}_1$	0.042 ± 0.004	0.030
$^{76}\text{Ge}_1 \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}_1$	0.129 ± 0.005	0.304
$^{82}\text{Se}_1 \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}_1$	0.103 ± 0.001	0.347
$^{100}\text{Mo}_1 \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}_1$	0.224 ± 0.002	0.896
$^{100}\text{Mo}_1 \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}_2$	0.183 ± 0.006	0.479
$^{130}\text{Te}_1 \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}_1$	0.036 ± 0.001	0.131
$^{136}\text{Xe}_1 \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}_1$	0.0219 ± 0.0007	0.0910

Experimental data from *Thies et al, Phys. Rev. C 86, 044309 (2012)*; *A. S. Barabash, Universe 6, (2020)*

Results with CD-Bonn $V_{\text{low}-k}$



Red symbols: bare GT operator
Black symbols: effective GT operator

Decay	Expt.	Eff.
$^{48}\text{Ca}_1 \rightarrow ^{48}\text{Ti}_1$	0.042 ± 0.004	0.026
$^{76}\text{Ge}_1 \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}_1$	0.129 ± 0.005	0.104
$^{82}\text{Se}_1 \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}_1$	0.103 ± 0.001	0.109
$^{100}\text{Mo}_1 \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}_1$	0.224 ± 0.002	0.205
$^{100}\text{Mo}_1 \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}_2$	0.183 ± 0.006	0.109
$^{130}\text{Te}_1 \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}_1$	0.036 ± 0.001	0.061
$^{136}\text{Xe}_1 \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}_1$	0.0219 ± 0.0007	0.0341

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Decay	q
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$^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}$	0.58
$^{82}\text{Se} \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}$	0.56
$^{100}\text{Mo} \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}$	0.48
$^{130}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}$	0.68
$^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}$	0.61