

# Proton-neutron balance of quadrupole-collective states of even-even n-rich Isotopes



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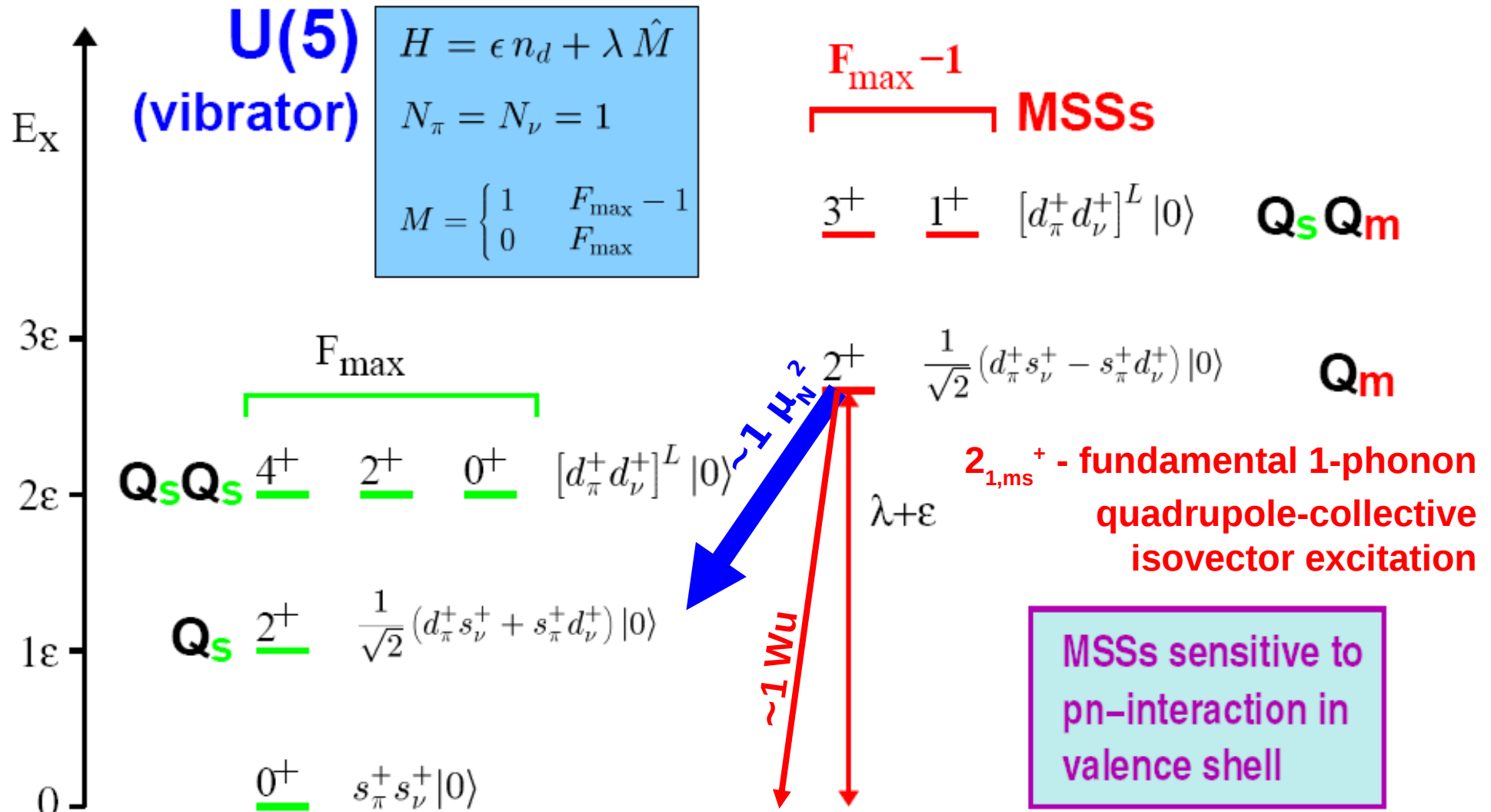
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# What are Mixed-Symmetry States



## Simple Example: Harmonic Oscillator, N=2



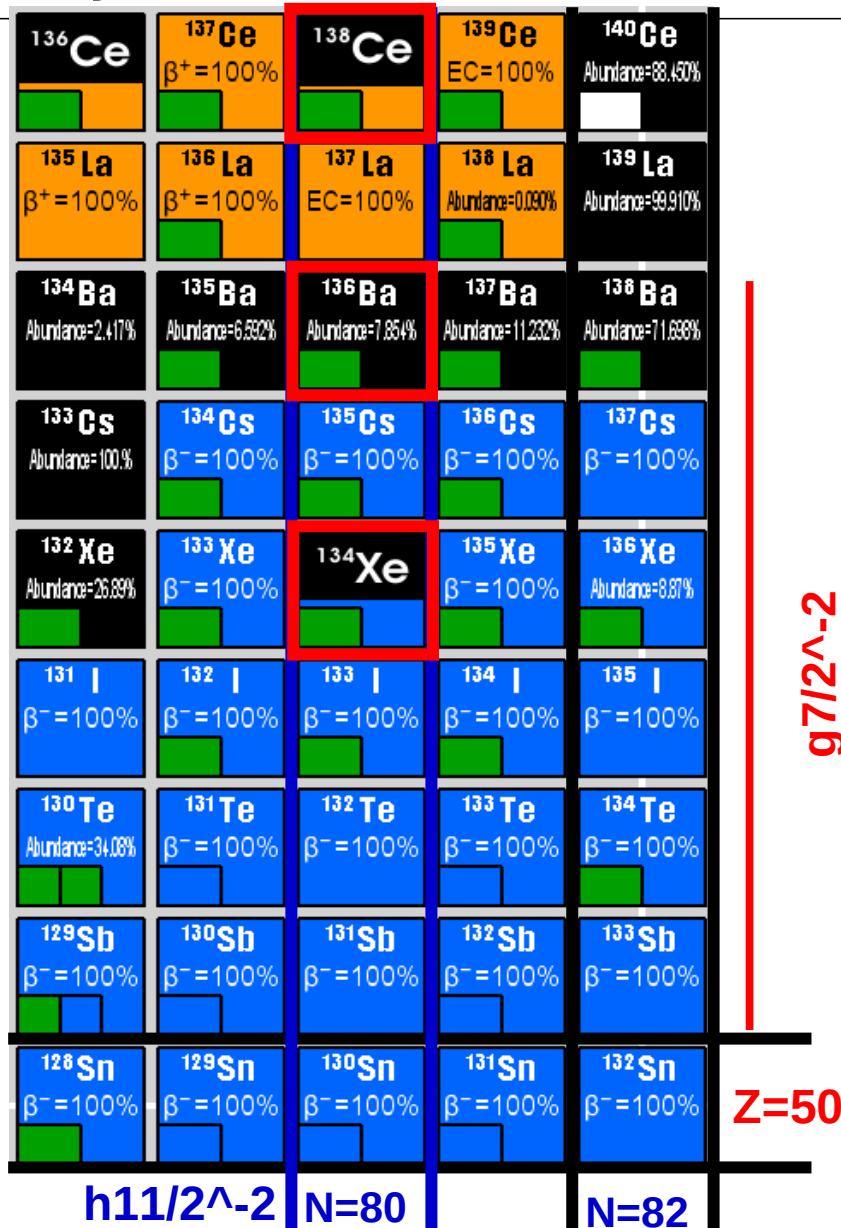
IBM-2 A. Arima, F. Iachello

# MSSs in the N=80 isotones

Projectile Coulex at ANL, stable beams, G-Sphere



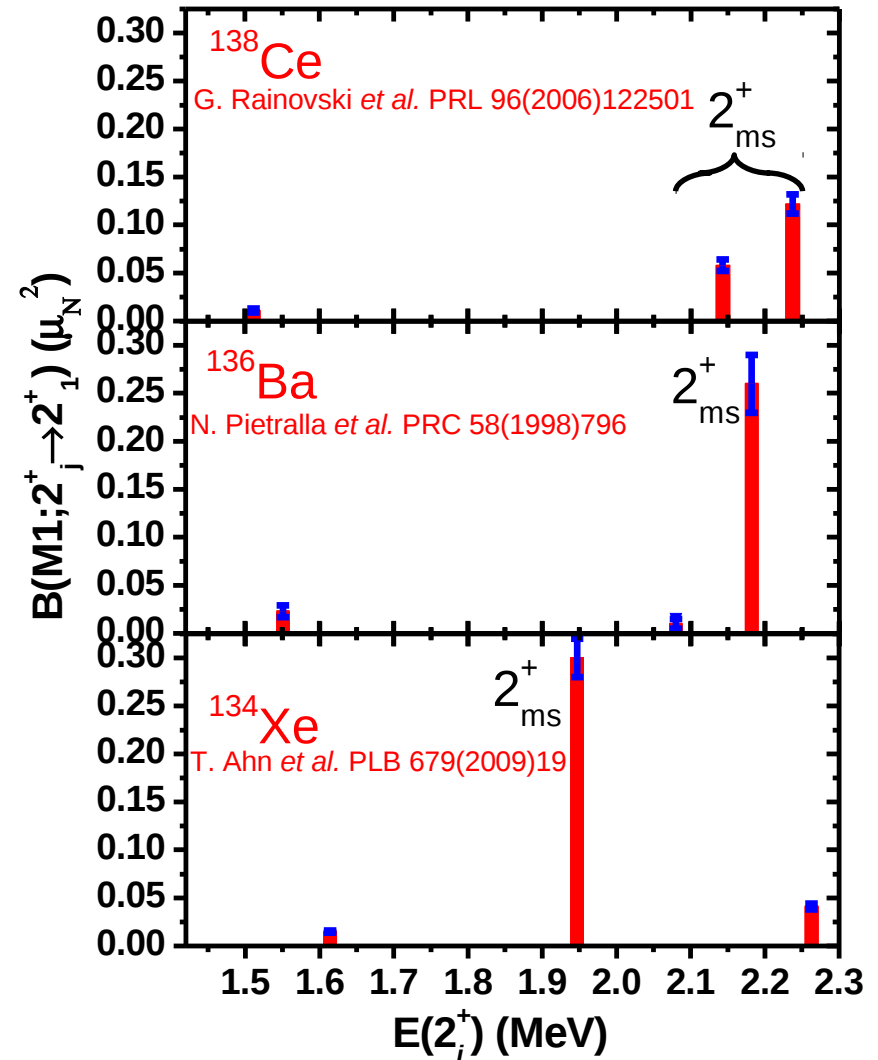
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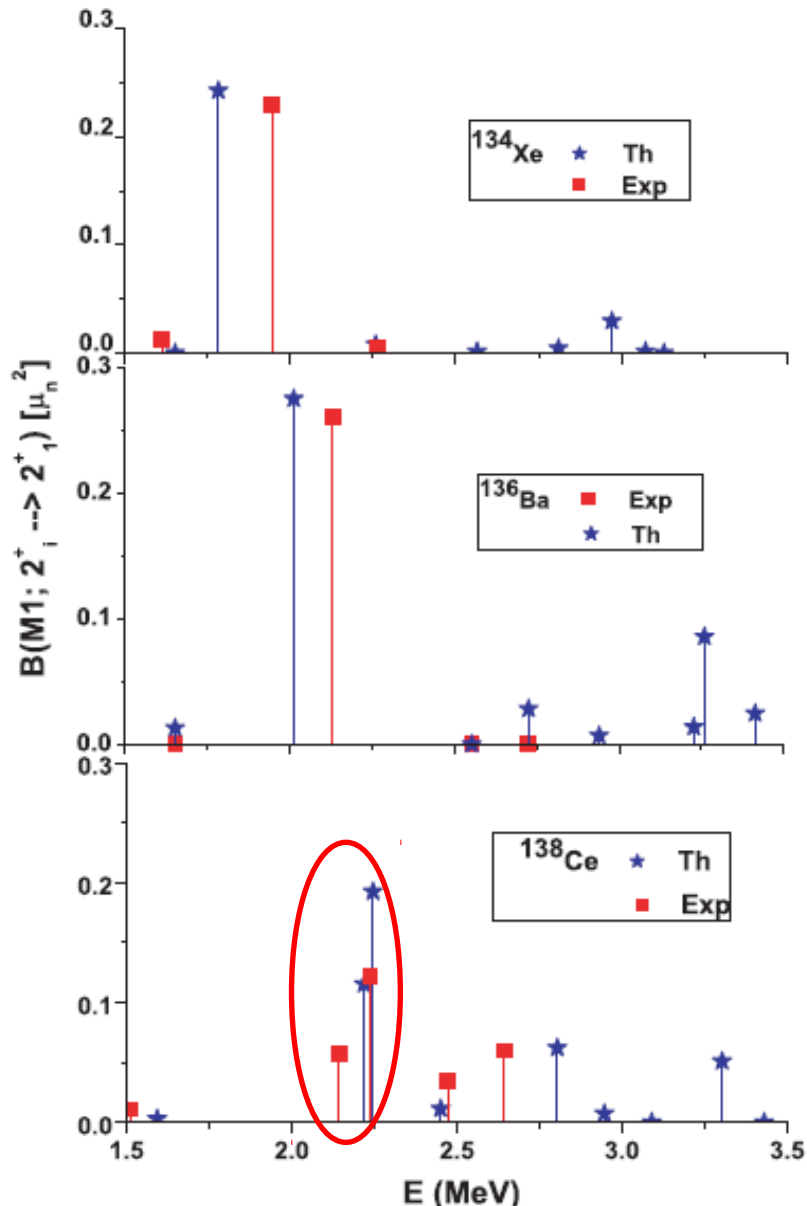
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Z=50



The properties of MSSs are sensitive to the sub-shell structure

# Microscopic Theory: QPM



Consistent description of the MSSs of  $^{134}\text{Xe}$ ,  $^{136}\text{Ba}$  and  $^{138}\text{Ce}$ , including the fragmentation in latter one, can be achieved by a slight ( $\sim 300$  keV) increase of the energy gap between  $\pi g_{7/2}$  and  $\pi d_{5/2}$  orbitals  $\Rightarrow$

weaken the pairing correlations

The splitting of the M1 strength in  $^{138}\text{Ce}$  is a **genuine shell effect** caused by the specific shell structure and the pairing correlations!

**-> Shell Stabilization**

**N. Lo Iudice, Ch. Stoyanov, D. Tarpanov,  
PRC 77 ('08) 044310**

# Microscopic Theory: Shell-Model

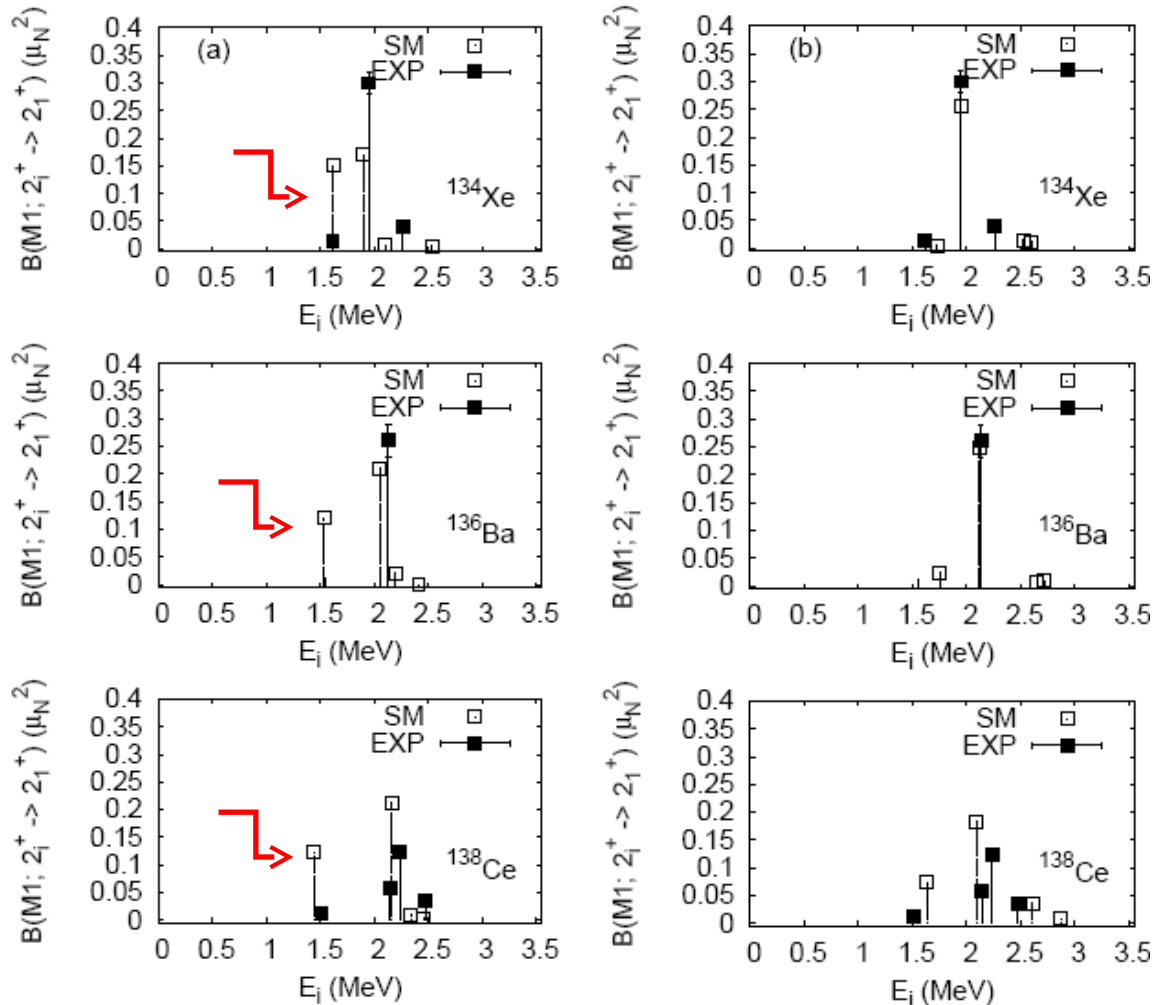


GCN5082 - realistic Bonn-C potential + empirical correction to the monopole part

K. Sieja, G. Martínez-Pinedo, L. Coquard, N. Pietralla, PRC80, 054311 ('09)

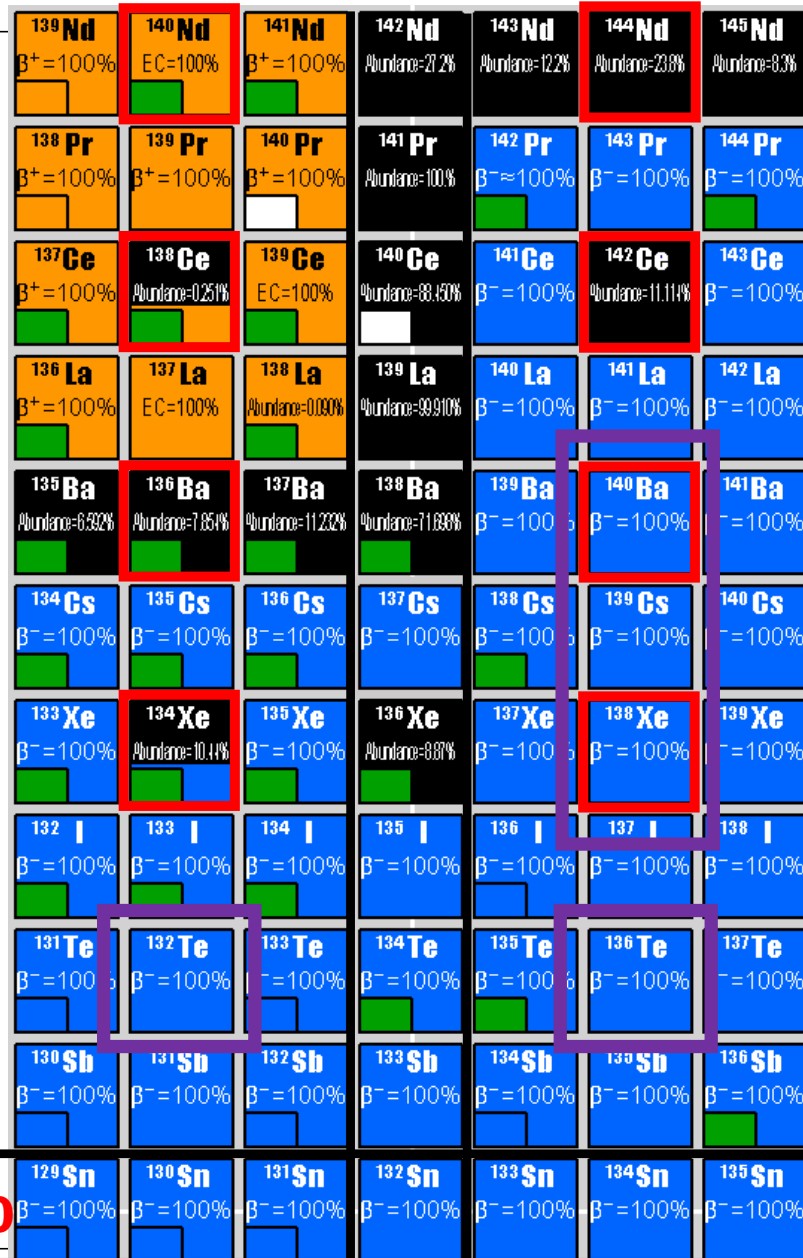
Original interaction

Modified pairing



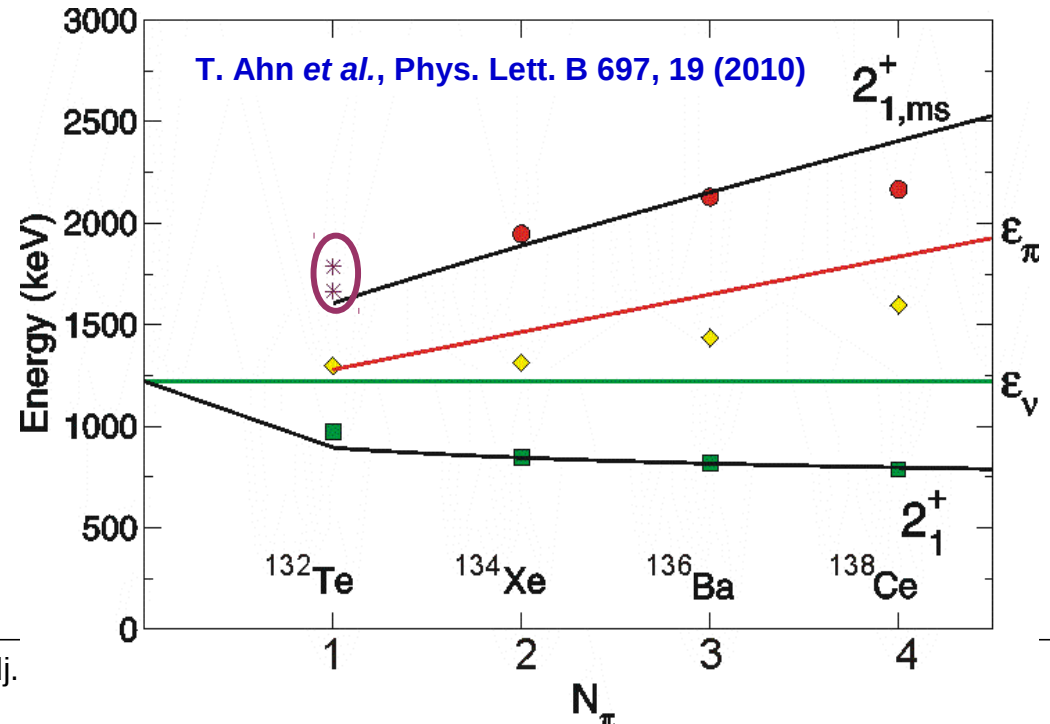
- realistic SM calculations reproduce energy spacing between  $2+1$  and  $2+1$ , mss in known cases  $\Rightarrow$  prediction for neighboring isotones.
- information on MSSs provides a tool to determine pairing matrix elements of realistic interactions as they depend very sensitively on the treatment of core polarization corrections.
- **experimental information on MSSs of  $^{132}\text{Te}$  and  $^{140}\text{Nd}$  needed!**

# Is Shell Stabilization generic?



$d5/2$

- Is shell stabilization present in different proton sub-shell?  $\pi d5/2$
- > **MSSs in 140Nd and 142Sm**
- How does shell stabilization depend on relative proton and neutron contributions to the collective wave function?
- > **study MSSs at N=84**



50

80

82

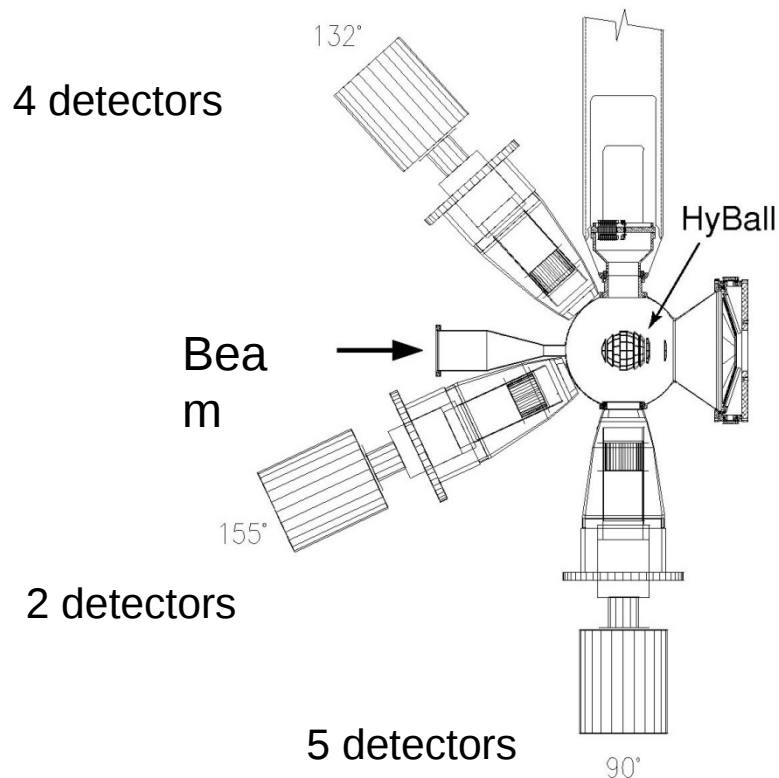
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# ORNL - $2_1^+$ g factor Experiment

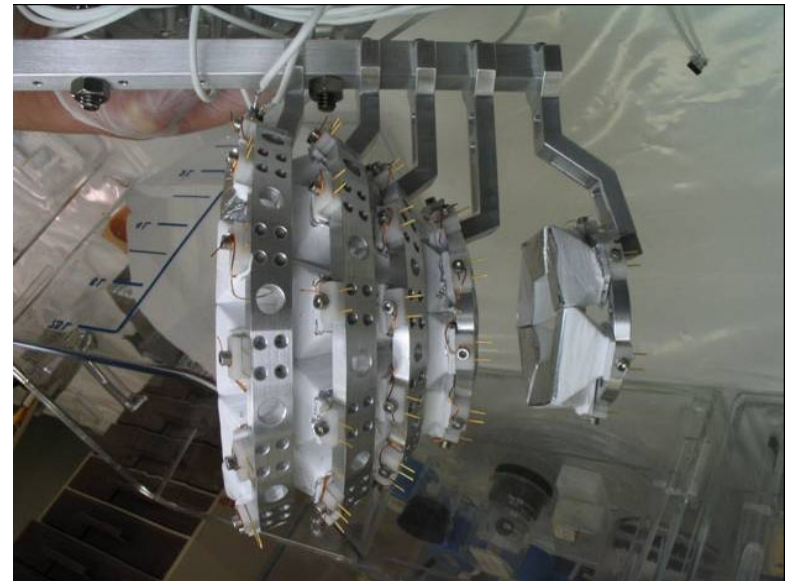
## Experimental details:

- inverse kinematic reaction  $^{132}\text{Te}$  on a **C target** ( $0.83 \text{ mg/cm}^2$ );
- beam energy **3 MeV/u (80% CB)**;
- beam intensity  $3 \times 10^7 \text{ pps}$ , run time **64 hours**;

### Clarion array – 11 clovers



### HyBall array



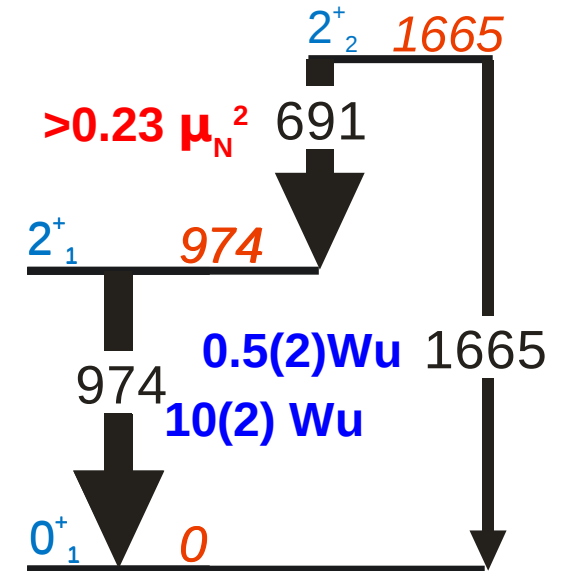
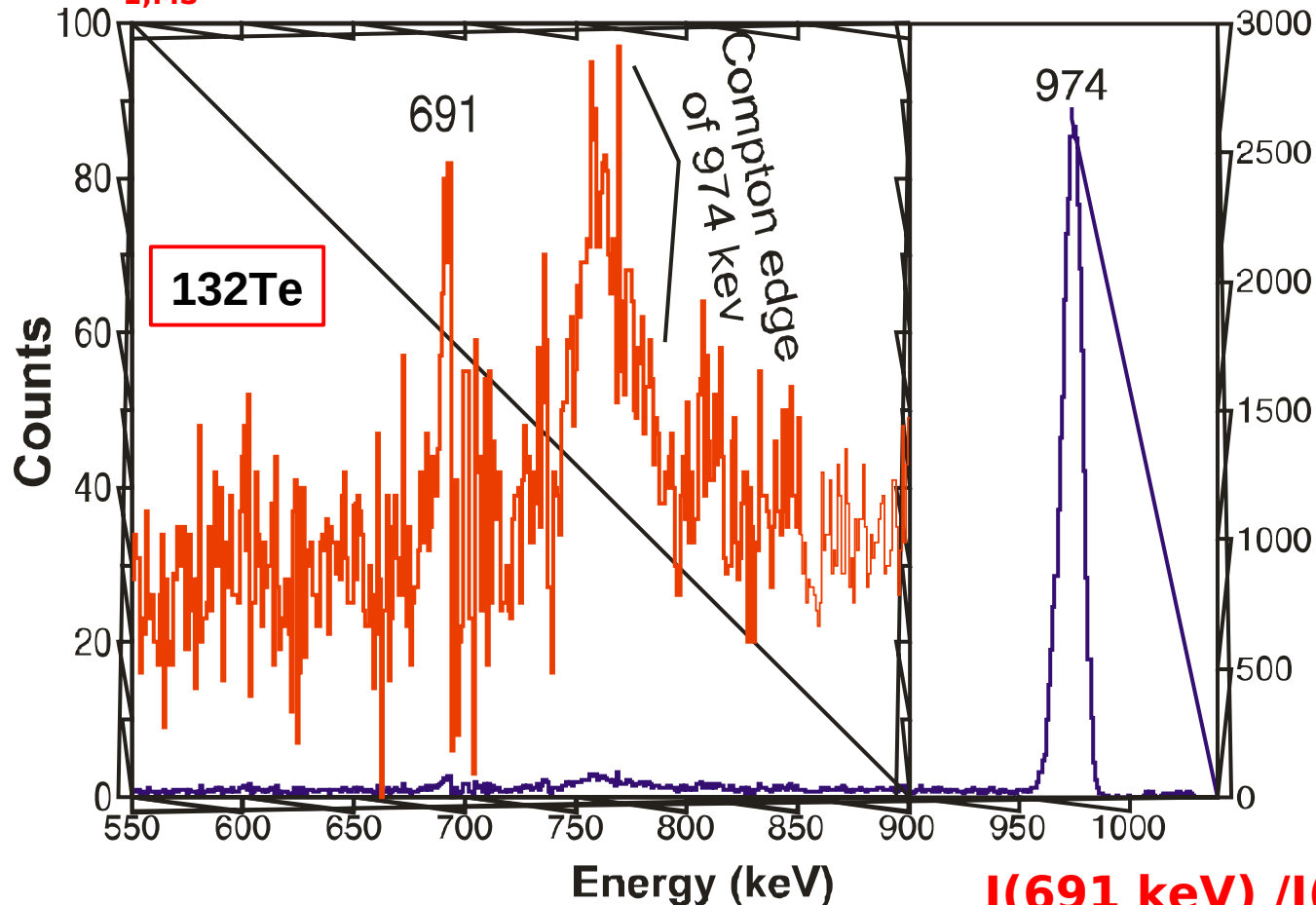
### CsI charged particle detectors:

- Ring 1 – 6 detectors 7° - 14°
- Ring 2 – 10 detectors 14° - 28°
- Ring 3 - 12 detectors 28° - 44°



# First MS observation with RIB

**$2_{1,MS}^+$  observed in coincidence with  $^{12}\text{C}$  recoils detected in HyBall.**



**M. Danchev *et al.*,  
PRC84 ('11) 061306(R)**

$$I(691 \text{ keV}) / I(1665 \text{ keV}) = 100 (52)$$

$$^{132}\text{Te}: \frac{I_\gamma(691 \text{ keV})}{I_\gamma(974 \text{ keV})} = 1.01(28)\%$$

$$\frac{Y(2_2^+)}{Y(2_1^+)} = \frac{\sigma(0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_2^+)}{\sigma(0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+)} \mu \frac{B(E2; 0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_2^+)}{B(E2; 0_1^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+)}$$



# Configurational Isospin Polarization (CIP)



$$2_{sym}^+ = a_1 \cdot 2_n^+ + b_1 2_p^+$$

$$2_{ms}^+ = a_2 \cdot 2_n^+ - b_2 2_p^+$$

**protons and neutrons contribute about equally: good F-spin**

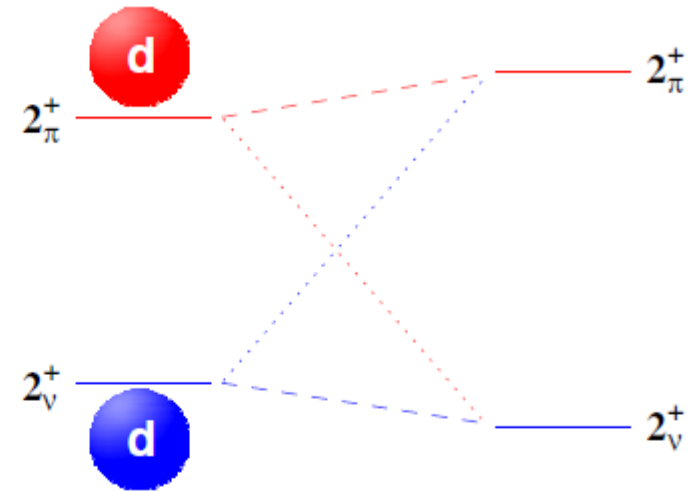
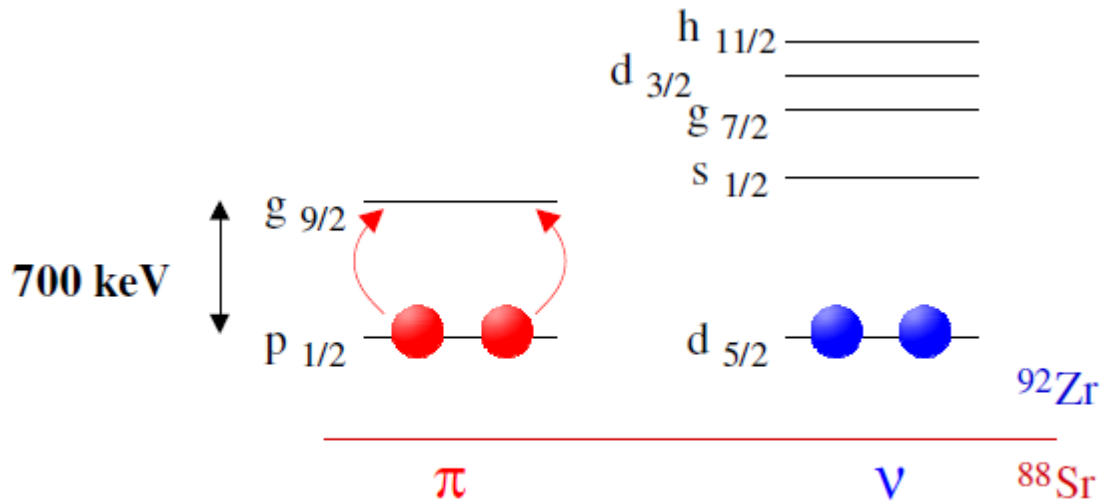
$$|a_i| \approx |b_i|$$

**imbalance in proton and neutron contributions: broken F-spin**

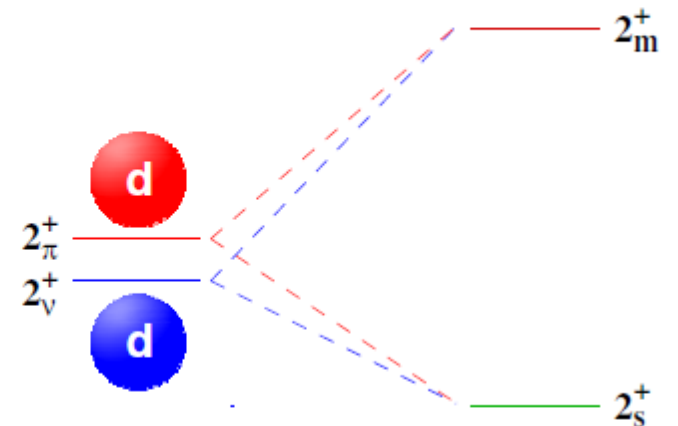
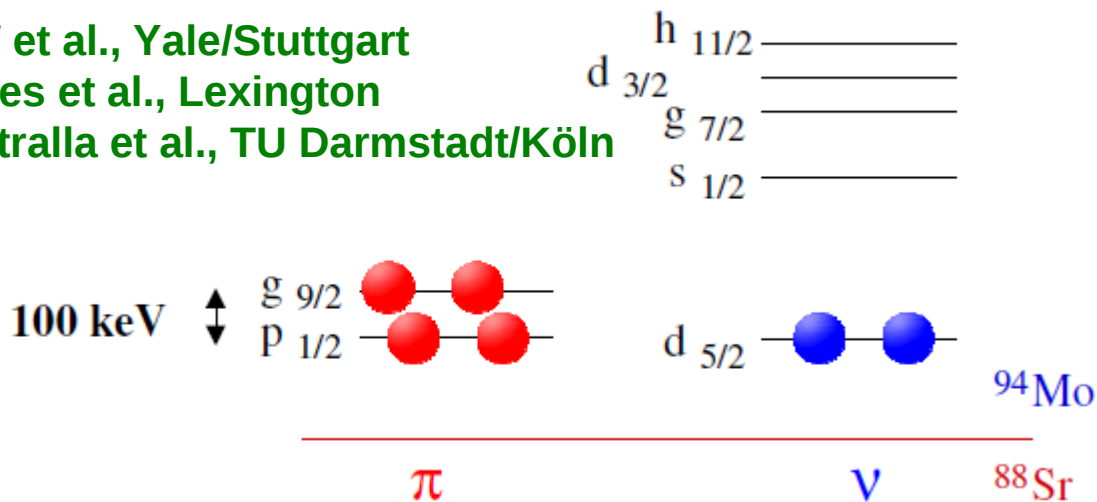
$$|a_i| \neq |b_i|$$

**need observable which is sensitive to p/n content:  
magnetic moment !**

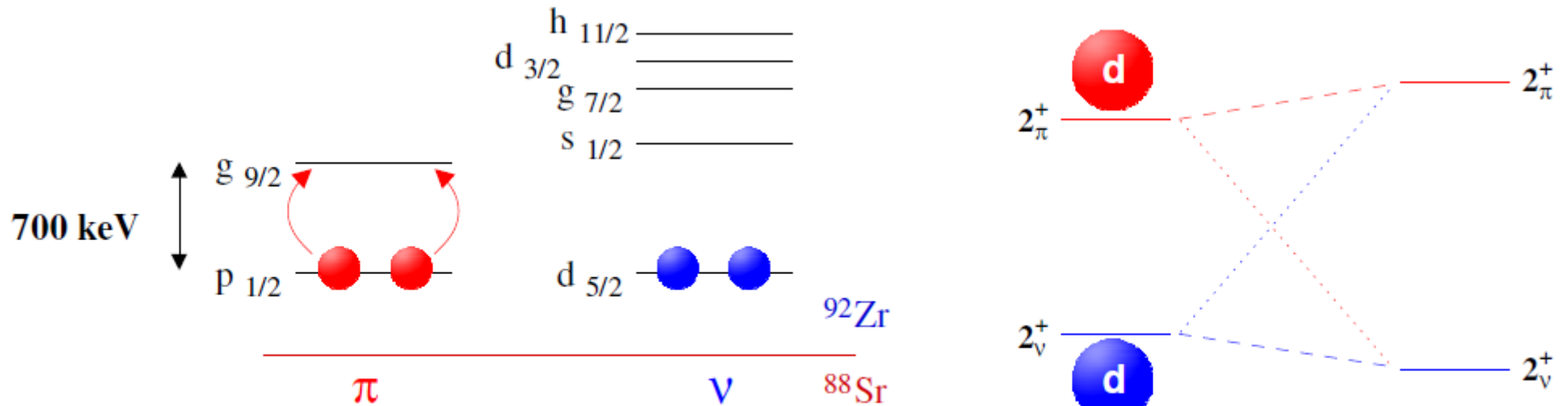
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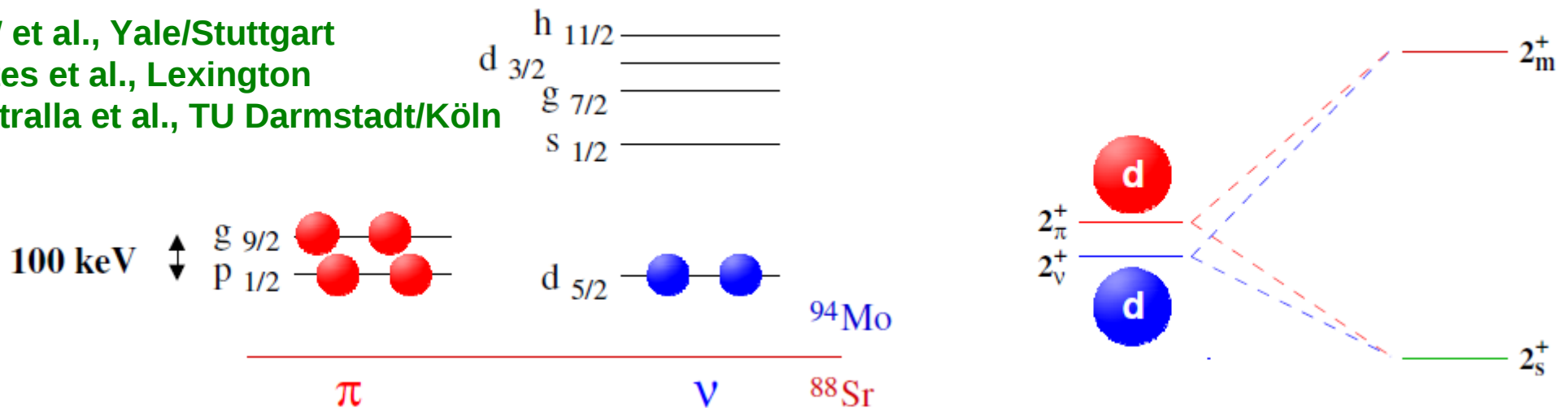
p/n content measured through g factors, lifetimes from NRF, Coulex, (n,n'g)

**At SPES we can test n-unstable  $^{90}\text{Sr}$  !**

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**-> CouEx  
at SPES !**

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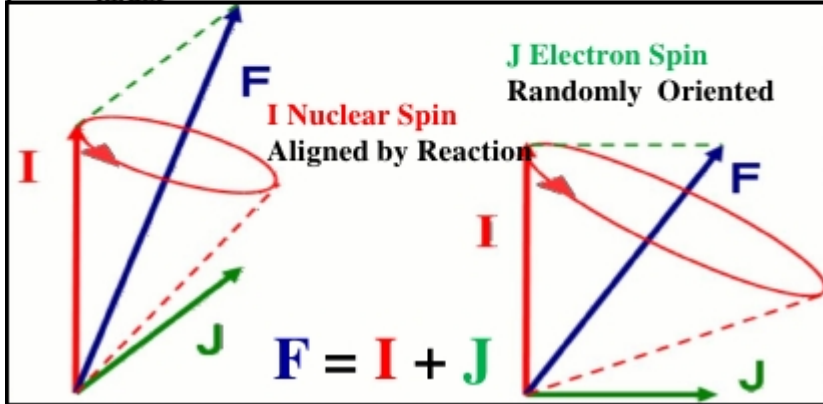
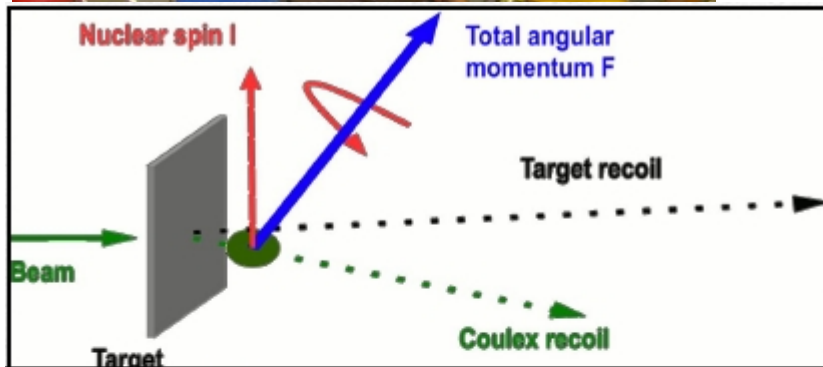
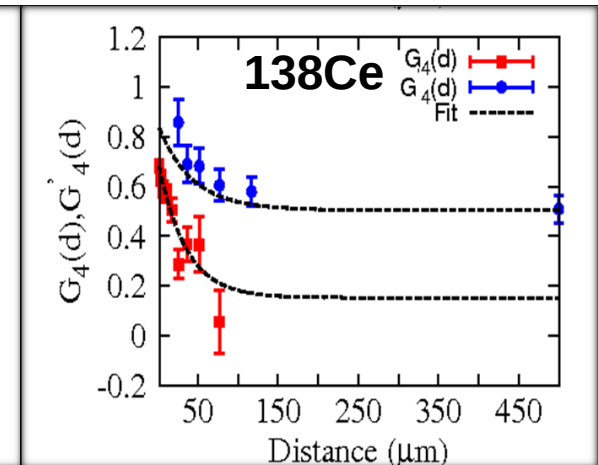
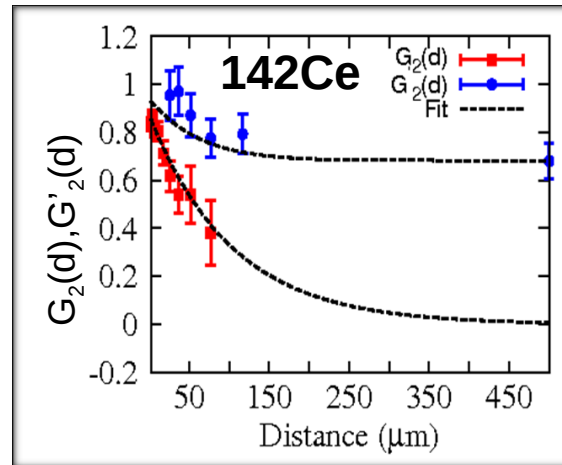
	State	Energy (MeV)	$B(M1; 2_i^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+)$ ( $\mu_N^2$ )	$B(E2; 0_{gs}^+ \rightarrow 2_i^+)$ ( $e^2\text{fm}^4$ )	$\{n_1 l_1 j_1, n_2 l_2 j_2\}_\tau$	X	Y	%
$^{136}\text{Te}$	$[2_1^+]_{QRPA}$	1.05		1010	$\{2f_{7/2}, 2f_{7/2}\}_\nu$	1.32	0.14	86
					$\{2d_{5/2}, 2d_{5/2}\}_\pi$	0.32	0.13	4
					$\{1g_{7/2}, 1g_{7/2}\}_\pi$	0.30	0.12	4
	$[2_2^+]_{QRPA}$	2.20	0.44	920	$\{2f_{7/2}, 2f_{7/2}\}_\nu$	-0.52	0.13	13
					$\{2d_{5/2}, 2d_{5/2}\}_\pi$	0.82	0.04	34
					$\{1g_{7/2}, 1g_{7/2}\}_\pi$	0.83	0.04	34

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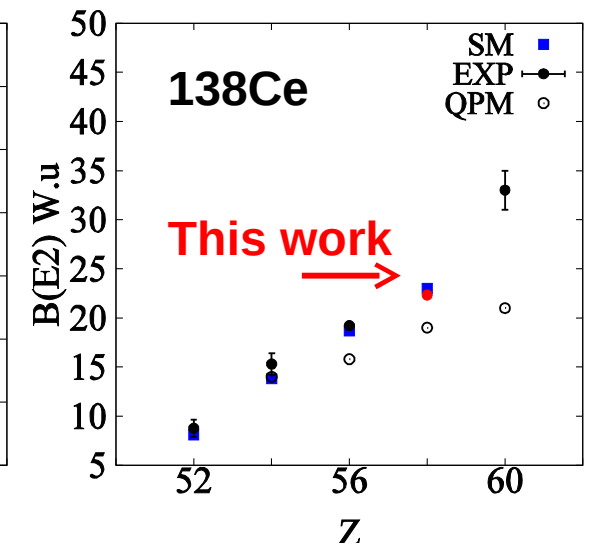
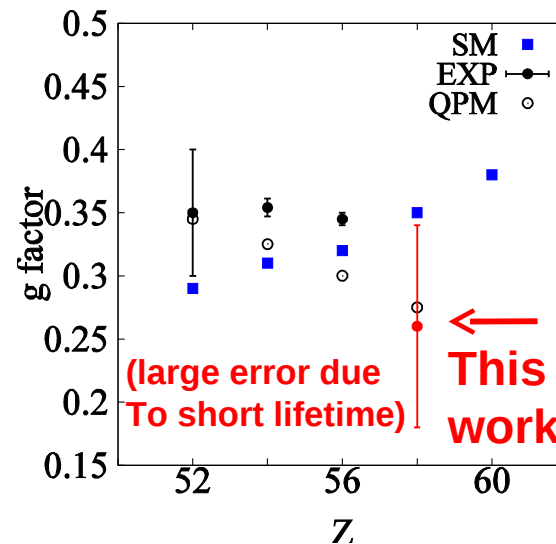
# Plunger: Time-Differential Recoil-Into-Vacuum (TDRIV)



Obtain lifetime and g factor simultaneously – inv. Coulex (+Q-Mom.)



F. Naqvi, V. Werner, et al., PLB 728, 303 (2014)

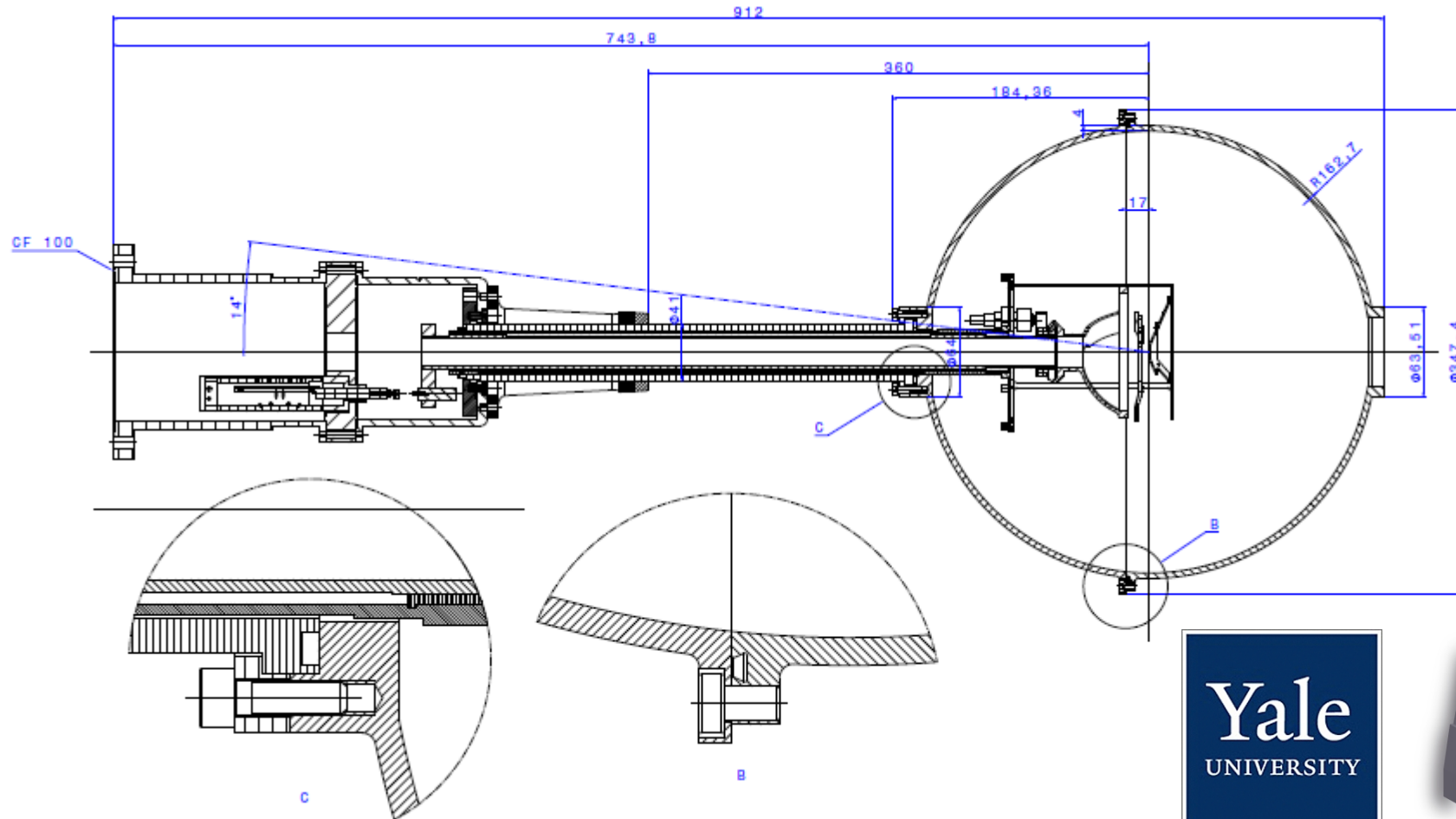


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Identification of one-phonon  $2+1$ , ms of radioactive nuclei  
*is possible* in Coulomb excitation on a light (carbon)  
target with beam energy  $\sim 85\%$  CB

$\Rightarrow 3.8 \div 4.5$  MeV/u at  $\sim 10^6 \div 10^7$  pps

$\Rightarrow$  SPES offers optimum conditions!

Pending first results – move to simultaneous CoulEx/Plunger

## Beams of interest:

$^{138}\text{Xe}$ ,  $^{140}\text{Ba}$ ,  $^{132}\text{Te}$ ,  $^{136}\text{Te}$

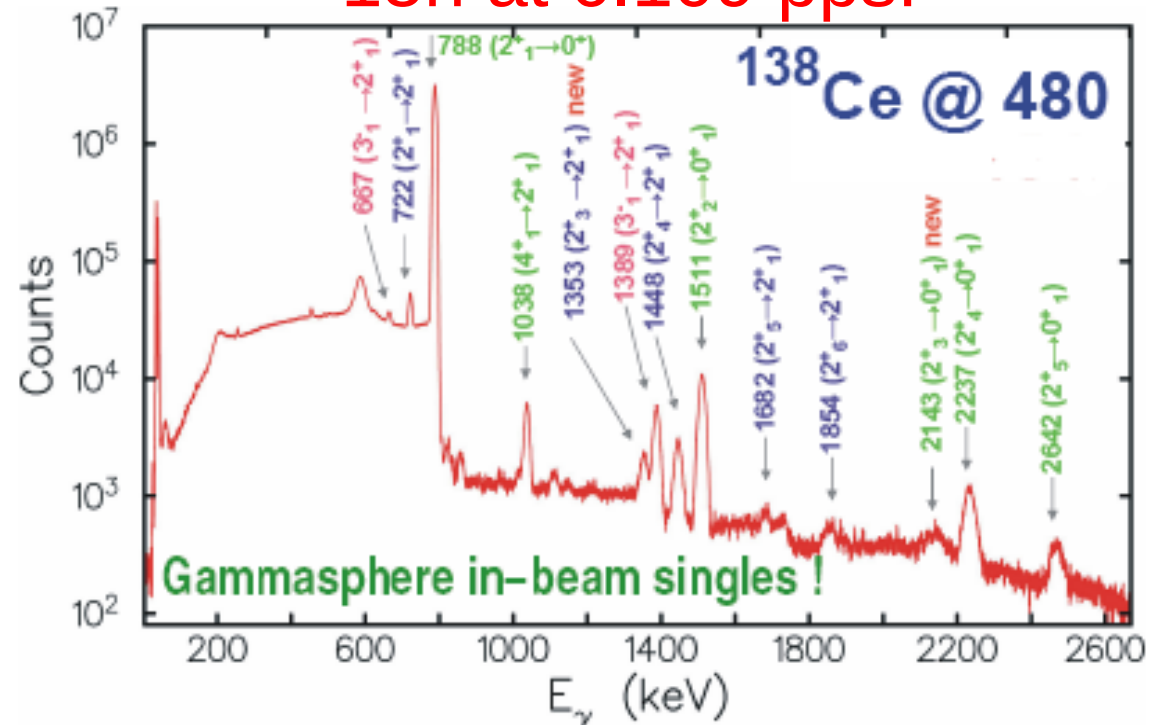
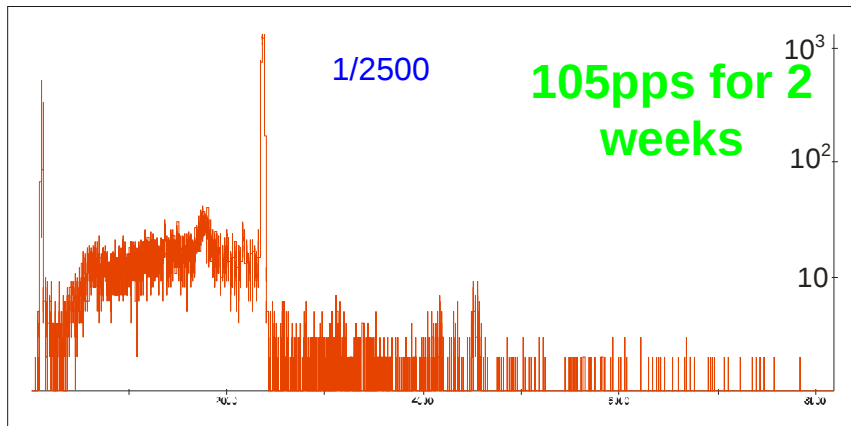
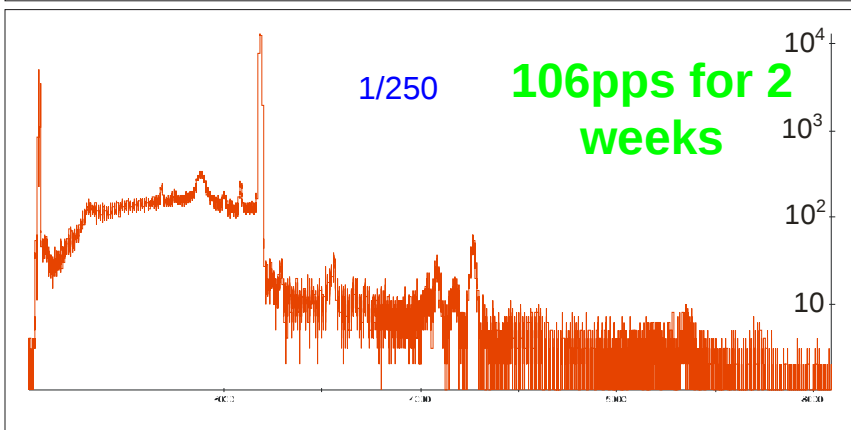
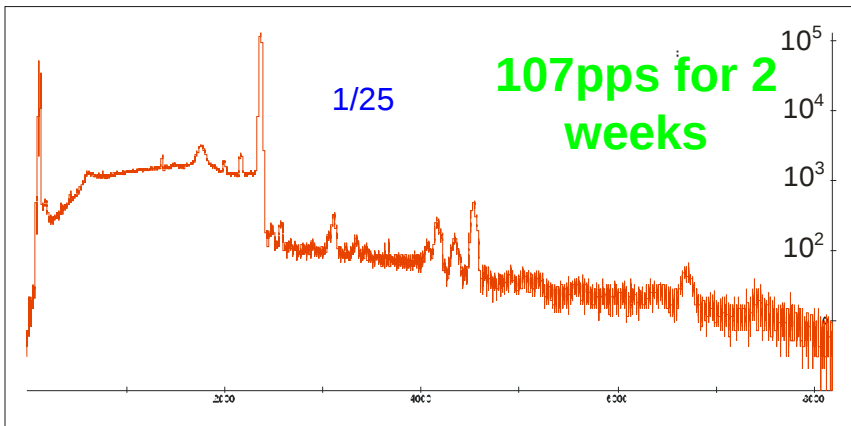
Later extend to:

$^{90}\text{Sr}$

# Experimental approach

Coulomb excitations in inverse kinematics on C target  
predominantly **one-step processes** and **clean  $\gamma$ -spectrum** (no target excitations)

**15h at 6.109 pps!**



To identify excited  $2+$  states (beyond the  $2+1$ ) in vibrational nucleus ( $B(E2) \sim 1\text{Wu}$ ) with a 10% array for 2 weeks beam time we need **105pps**. For complete spectroscopy **106-107 pps** will be needed!

Feasible, but requires beam energy  $\sim 85\%$  CB  
(3.5-4 MeV/n)

**well within the capability of SPES**