

Application of quantum number projection method to tetrahedral shape and high-spin states in nuclei

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Efficient method of projection calculation

S.Tagami and Y.R.Shimizu,
Prog.Theor.Phys.127 (2012),79.

General quantum number projection and configuration mixing (GCM)

Final wave function

$$|\Psi_{M;\alpha}^{INZ(\pm)}\rangle = \sum_{K,n} \underbrace{g_{Kn,\alpha}^{INZ(\pm)}}_{\text{amplitude}} \hat{P}_{MK}^I \hat{P}^N \hat{P}^Z \hat{P}_{\pm} | \underbrace{\Phi_n}_{\text{several symmetry broken HFB-type states}} \rangle$$

number parity

projectors:

$$\hat{P}_{MK}^I = \frac{2I+1}{8\pi^2} \int d^3\omega D_{MK}^{I*}(\omega) \underbrace{\hat{R}(\omega)}_{\omega=\text{Euler angle } (\alpha, \beta, \gamma)}, \quad \hat{P}^N = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int d\varphi \underbrace{e^{i\varphi(\hat{N}-N)}}_{\text{number parity}}$$

Hill-Wheeler equation (generalized eigenvalue problem)

$$\sum_{K',n'} \mathcal{H}_{Kn;K'n'}^{INZ(\pm)} \underbrace{g_{K'n',\alpha}^{INZ(\pm)}}_{\text{amplitude}} = \underbrace{E_{\alpha}^{INZ(\pm)}}_{\text{energy eigenvalue}} \sum_{K',n'} \mathcal{N}_{Kn;K'n'}^{INZ(\pm)} \underbrace{g_{K'n',\alpha}^{INZ(\pm)}}_{\text{amplitude}}$$

kernels:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{H}_{Kn;K'n'}^{INZ(\pm)} \\ \mathcal{N}_{Kn;K'n'}^{INZ(\pm)} \end{pmatrix} = \langle \Phi_n | \begin{pmatrix} \hat{H} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \hat{P}_{KK'}^I \hat{P}^N \hat{P}^Z \hat{P}_{\pm} | \Phi_{n'} \rangle$$

Projection calculation

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$$\hat{R}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) \equiv e^{i\gamma \hat{J}_z} e^{i\beta \hat{J}_y} e^{i\alpha \hat{J}_z}$$

General
projection

$$|\alpha\rangle = \hat{P}_{\alpha} |\Phi\rangle, \quad \hat{P}_{\alpha} = \int g_{\alpha}(\mathbf{x}) \underline{\hat{D}(\mathbf{x})} d\mathbf{x}.$$

multi-dim.
numerical
integration

unitary transformation

need to calculate:

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{P}_{\alpha} \underline{\hat{O}} \hat{P}_{\alpha'} | \Phi' \rangle \quad \text{or} \quad \langle \Phi | \hat{D}(\mathbf{x}) \hat{O} \hat{D}(\mathbf{x}') | \Phi' \rangle$$

arbitrary observable

or

$\langle \Phi | \hat{O} \hat{D}(\mathbf{x}) | \Phi' \rangle$

between
HFB-type states

Efficient method of projection and GCM

Calculation of $\langle \Phi | \hat{O} \hat{D}(x) | \Phi' \rangle$ HFB-type states with large basis size

Truncation in terms of canonical basis

c.f. P.Bonche et al., NPA510(1990),466. Appendix.

quasiparticle $\beta_k |\Phi\rangle = 0 \quad (k = 1, 2, \dots, M)$ $|\Phi\rangle \leftrightarrow (U, V)$

original basis (spherical HO) $c_l |0\rangle = 0 \quad (l = 1, 2, \dots, M)$ $\beta_k^\dagger = \sum_l (U_{lk} c_l^\dagger + V_{lk} c_l)$

canonical basis $\rightarrow$ diagonalize $\rho_{l'l} = \langle \Phi | c_l^\dagger c_{l'} | \Phi \rangle$ density matrix

$$\hookrightarrow b_k^\dagger = \sum_l W_{lk} c_l^\dagger, \quad \langle \Phi | b_k^\dagger b_{k'} | \Phi \rangle = \delta_{kk'} \underline{v_k^2}$$

occupation probabilities

Q=1-P

P-space: $k = 1, 2, \dots, L_p(\epsilon); v_k^2 > \epsilon$

by the way, in the canonical basis,
a HFB-type state can be written:

$$|\Phi\rangle = \prod_{i>0, \neq B} (u_i + v_i b_i^\dagger \tilde{b}_i^\dagger) \prod_{i_B} b_{i_B}^\dagger |0\rangle \quad \text{canonical form}$$

(Bloch-Messiah Theorem)

pair of orbits with small v_i does not
contribute to HFB-type mean-field!

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Utilize Thouless amplitude with respect to

a Slater-determinantal state $|\phi_0\rangle = \prod_{k=1}^N b_k^\dagger |0\rangle$ N : particle number

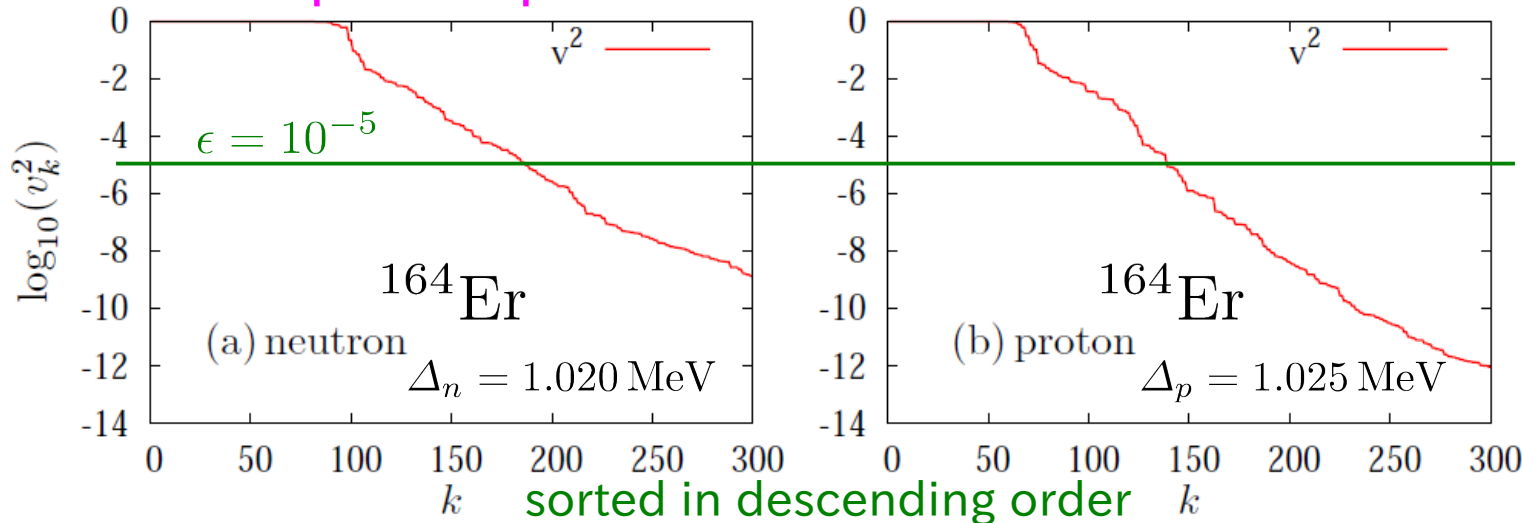
$$|\Phi\rangle = \exp \left(\sum_{ll'} \underline{Z}_{ll'} a_l^\dagger a_{l'}^\dagger \right) |\phi_0\rangle \quad a_k^\dagger = \begin{cases} b_k & (1 \leq k \leq N) \\ b_k^\dagger & (N+1 \leq k \leq M) \end{cases}$$

Truncation in canonical basis (1)

$$b_k^\dagger = \sum_l W_{lk} \underbrace{c_l^\dagger}_{\text{spherical HO}}, \quad \langle \Phi | b_k^\dagger b_{k'} | \Phi \rangle = \delta_{kk'} \underbrace{v_k^2}$$

original-basis
=spherical-HO

occupation probabilities of canonical basis



$$\beta_k |\Phi\rangle = 0 \quad (k = 1, 2, \dots, M)$$

total num.
 $M=3,542$!!
for $N_{\text{osc}}^{\text{max}} = 20$

P-space: $k = 1, 2, \dots, \underline{L_p}(\epsilon); v_k^2 > \epsilon \rightarrow L_p$ is much smaller !!

$$\beta_k^\dagger = \sum_l (U_{lk} c_l^\dagger + V_{lk} c_l)$$

$$U = W \bar{U} C, \quad V = W^* \bar{V} C$$

(Bloch-Messiah Theorem)

$$\bar{U} = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{U}_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \bar{V} = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{V}_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_M$

Thouless form

$$|\Phi\rangle = \exp \left(\sum_{ll'} Z_{ll'} b_l^\dagger b_{l'}^\dagger \right) |0\rangle$$

canonical basis

$$Z \equiv (\bar{V} \bar{U}^{-1})^* = \begin{pmatrix} Z_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Truncation in canonical basis (2)

$\tilde{D}$: transformation matrix in original HO basis

Calculation of norm overlap

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{D} | \Phi' \rangle = \langle 0 | \hat{D} | 0 \rangle \left(\det \tilde{D} \det \bar{U}_D^* \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\bar{U} = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{U}_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bar{V} = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{V}_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{D} \equiv W^\dagger \underline{\tilde{D}} W' = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{D}_{pp} & \tilde{D}_{pq} \\ \tilde{D}_{qp} & \tilde{D}_{qq} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bar{U}_D = \bar{U}^\dagger \tilde{D} \bar{U}' + \bar{V}^\dagger \tilde{D}^* \bar{V}'$$

$$\bar{U}_D = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{U}_{pp}^\dagger \tilde{D}_{pp} \bar{U}_{pp} + \bar{V}_{pp}^\dagger \tilde{D}_{pp}^* \bar{V}_{pp} & \bar{U}_{pp}^\dagger \tilde{D}_{pq} \\ \tilde{D}_{qp} \bar{U}_{pp} & \tilde{D}_{qq} \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \bar{U}_{pp} & \bar{U}_{pq} \\ \bar{U}_{qp} & \bar{U}_{qq} \end{pmatrix}$$

$\tilde{D}$ mixes P- and Q-spaces!

$M \times M$ determinant!
($2M \times 2M$ pfaffian)

But, using Thouless amplitude

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{D} | \Phi' \rangle = \langle 0 | \hat{D} | 0 \rangle |\det \bar{U} \det \bar{U}'|^{1/2} \left(\det [1 + Z^\dagger Z_D] \right)^{1/2}$$

$$Z = \begin{pmatrix} Z_{pp} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \downarrow$$

$$Z'_D = \tilde{D} Z' \tilde{D}^T = \begin{pmatrix} Z'_{Dpp} & Z'_{Dpq} \\ Z'_{Dqp} & Z'_{Dqq} \end{pmatrix}, \quad 1 + Z^\dagger Z_D = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + Z_{pp}^\dagger Z_{Dpp} & Z_{pp}^\dagger Z_{Dpq} \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle \Phi | \hat{D} | \Phi' \rangle = \langle 0 | \hat{D} | 0 \rangle |\det \bar{U}_{pp} \det \bar{U}'_{pp}|^{1/2} \left(\det [1 + Z_{pp}^\dagger Z'_{Dpp}] \right)^{1/2}$$

$L_p \times L_p$ determinant!

The matrix dimension reduced from $M \times M$ to $L_p \times L_p$

Here $M \approx O(1,000)$ $L_p \approx O(100)$!!

Including one-body operator, $\langle \Phi | \hat{O} \hat{D}(x) | \Phi' \rangle$, it can be shown that the calculational effort: $O(M^3) \rightarrow O(M L_p^2)$

LARGE REDUCTION OF CALCULATION ~ 100 times

by the way, the actual calculation is performed with using the pfaffian rather than determinant,

$$\hat{D}|\Phi\rangle \rightarrow |\Phi_D\rangle \quad \text{another HFB-type state}$$

generally for overlap of two HFB-type states

$$\langle \Phi | \Phi' \rangle = |\det \bar{U} \det \bar{U}'|^{1/2} \underbrace{(\det [1 + Z^\dagger Z'])^{1/2}}_{\text{square-root of complex number!} \rightarrow \text{"sign-problem"}}$$



$$\begin{aligned} (\det [1 + Z^\dagger Z'])^{1/2} &= \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} Z' & -1 \\ 1 & Z^\dagger \end{pmatrix} \right]^{1/2} \\ &\Rightarrow (-)^{M(M+1)/2} \underbrace{\text{pf} \begin{pmatrix} Z' & -1 \\ 1 & Z^\dagger \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{pfaffian}} \end{aligned}$$

For $2N \times 2N$ anti-symmetric matrix R ,

$$\text{pf}(R) \equiv \frac{1}{2^n n!} \sum_{\sigma \in S_{2N}} \text{sgn}(\sigma) \prod_{i=1}^N R_{\sigma(2i-1)\sigma(2i)}$$

L.M.Robledo, PRC79(2009),021302(R).

In order to calculate pfaffian, Thouless form is necessary!

Utilize Thouless form with Slater-det.(1)

Slater-determinant in canonical basis: $|\phi_0\rangle = \prod_{k=1}^N b_k^\dagger |0\rangle$

$$|\Phi\rangle = \exp \left(\sum_{ll'} (Z_a)_{ll'} a_l^\dagger a_{l'}^\dagger \right) |\phi_0\rangle$$

$$|\Phi\rangle = \exp \left(\sum_{ll'} (Z_b)_{ll'} b_l^\dagger b_{l'}^\dagger \right) |0\rangle$$

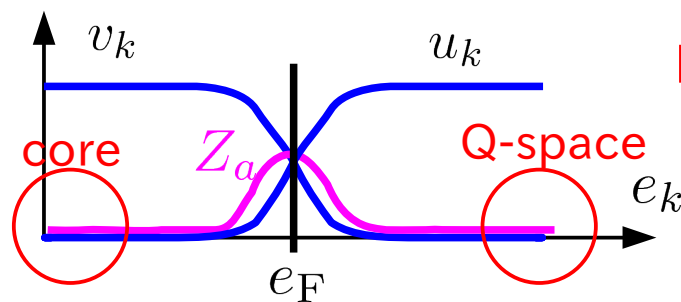
N :neutron/proton number

$$a_k^\dagger = \begin{cases} b_k & (1 \leq k \leq N) \\ b_k^\dagger & (N+1 \leq k \leq M) \end{cases}$$

$Z_a = (V_a U_a^{-1})^* \longleftrightarrow$ pairing correlations $u_k \leftrightarrow v_k$ for hole states ($k = 1, 2, \dots, N$)

$Z_a \rightarrow 0$ as $\Delta \rightarrow 0$ while $Z_b \rightarrow \infty$ as $\Delta \rightarrow 0$ $u_k^2 = 1 - v_k^2$

One can take the no-pairing limit !!
Furthermore,



additional truncation:
core (deep hole) contributions

core-space: $k = 1, 2, \dots, L_o(\epsilon); u_k^2 < \epsilon$

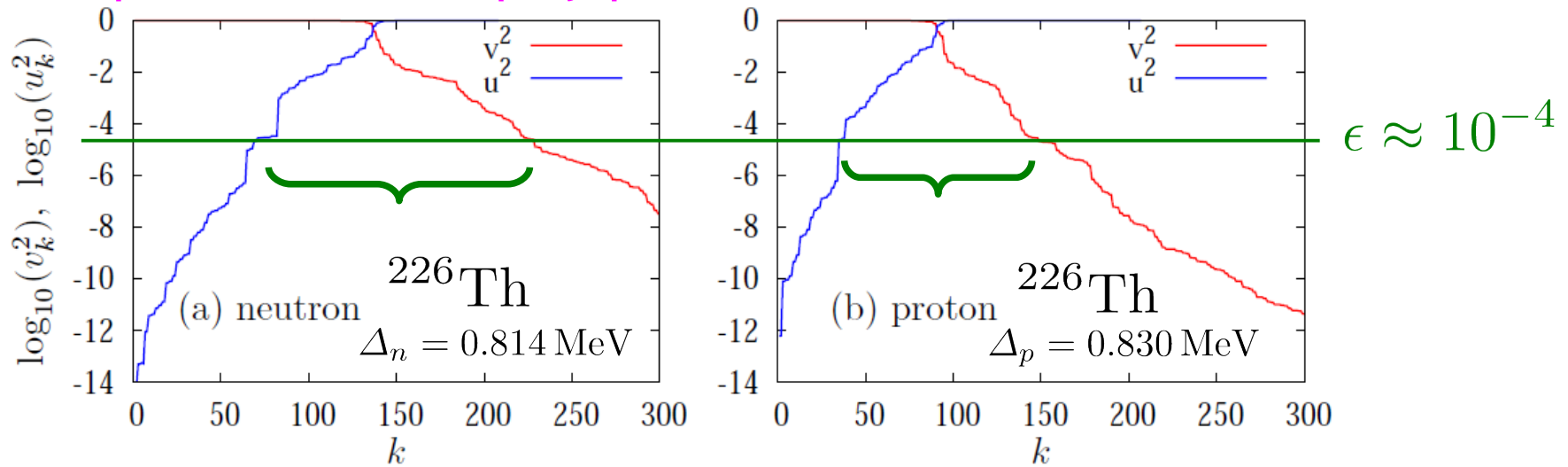
$$Z_a = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} \overbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & Z_{\bar{p}\bar{p}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}^{L_o} & \overbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}^{L_p - L_o} \\ \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{L_p} \end{array} \right) \Bigg\}^M$$

Reduction by core truncation is restricted (need to calculate $\langle \phi_0 | \hat{O} \hat{D}(x) | \phi'_0 \rangle$), but effective for heavy nuclei !!

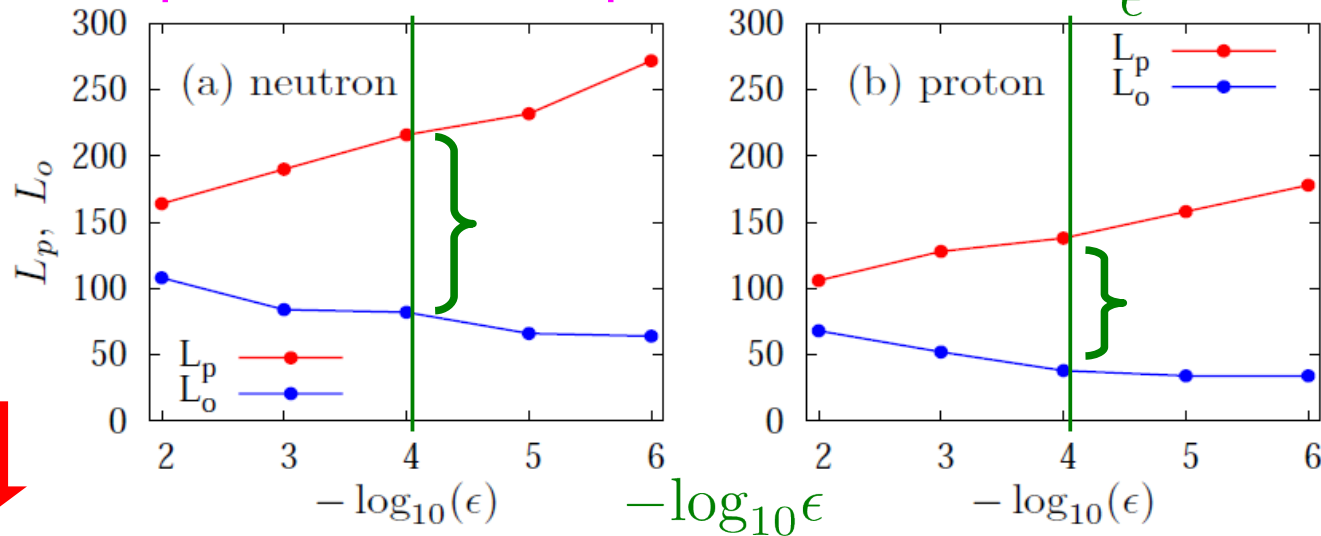
projection from HF states

Utilize Thouless form with Slater-det.(2)

occupation and empty probabilities of canonical basis



P-spce and core-space dimentions

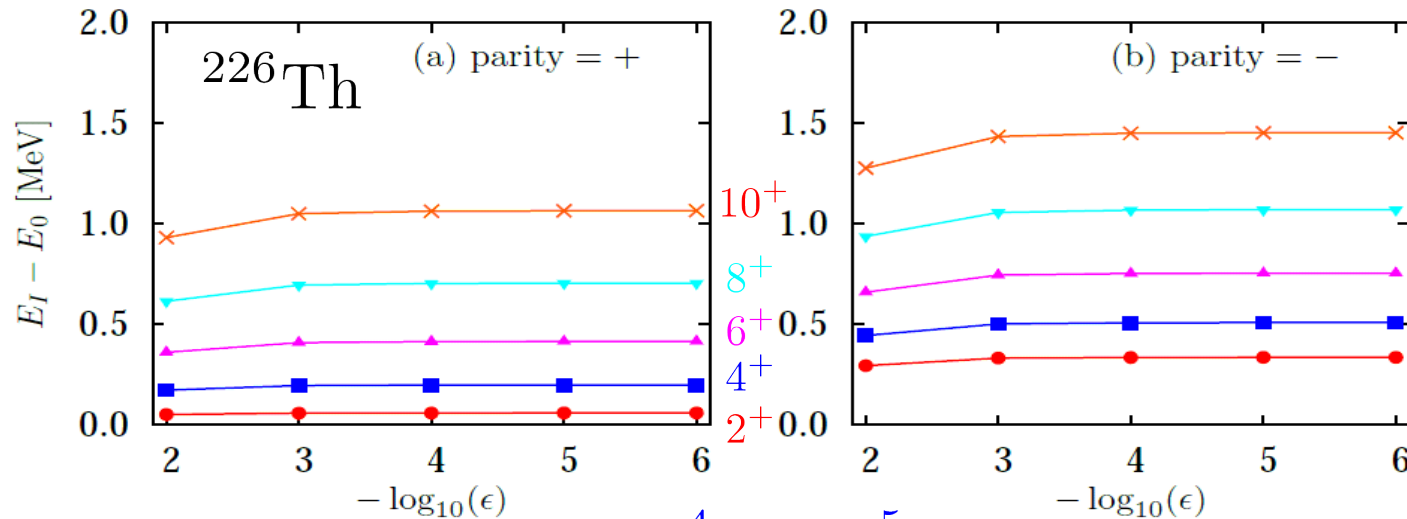


Reduction of effective number of space:

$M \approx 3,000 \Rightarrow L_p - L_o \approx 100$ about 2-3 orders of magnitude!

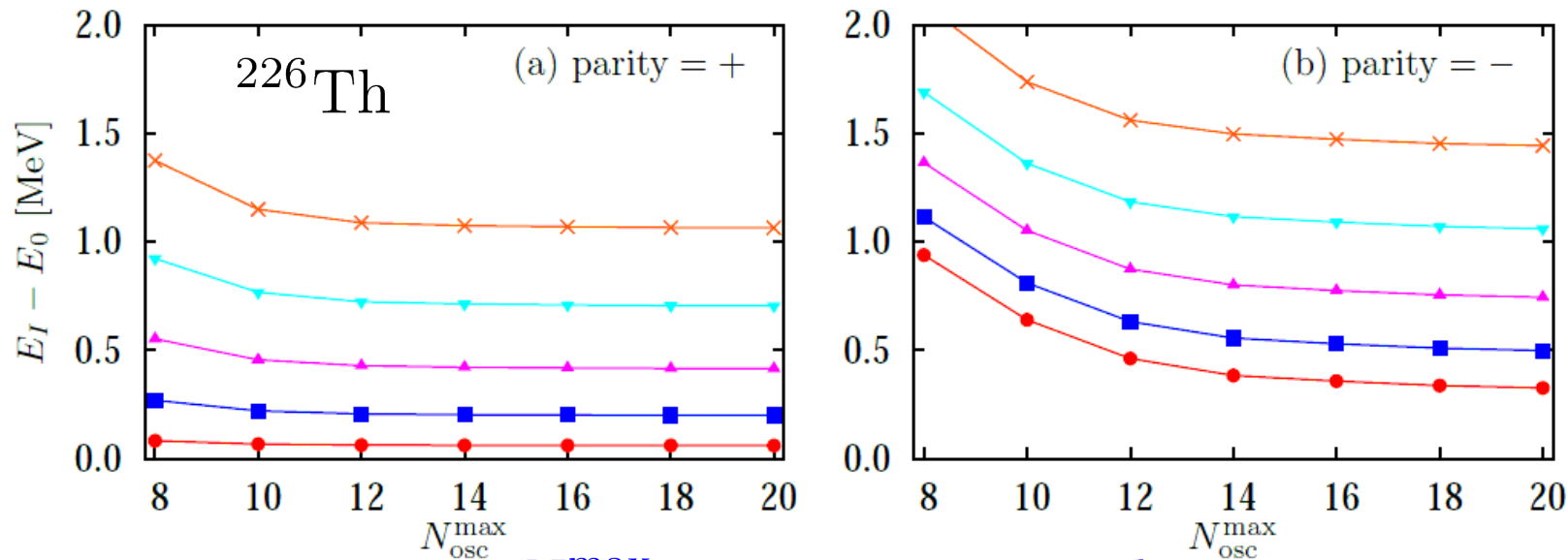
Test of convergence

Rotational excitation spectra: ^{226}Th octupole deformed



$\epsilon \approx 10^{-4} - 10^{-5}$ is enough

ang.mom.,
number,
parity,
-projections



$N_{\text{osc}}^{\text{max}} \approx 16 - 18$ is enough

Choice of hamiltonian

Skyrme, Gogny : density-dep.
→ some problems

Schematic multi-separable type,
consistent with Woods-Saxon mean-field

$$\hat{H} = \hat{h} + \hat{H}_F + \hat{H}_G, \quad \hat{h} = \sum_{\tau=n,p} \left(\hat{t}_\tau + \hat{V}_{\text{WS}}^\tau \right),$$

particle-hole
channel
 $\lambda = 2, 3, 4$

$$\hat{H}_F = -\frac{1}{2} \chi \sum_{\lambda \geq 2} : \hat{F}_\lambda \cdot \hat{F}_\lambda :_{\text{isoscalar}}, \quad \hat{F}_{\lambda\mu} = \sum_{\tau=n,p} \sum_{ij} \langle i | \hat{F}_{\lambda\mu}^\tau | j \rangle \hat{c}_i^\dagger \hat{c}_j$$

$$F_{\lambda\mu}^\tau(\mathbf{r}) \equiv R_0^\tau \frac{dV_c^\tau}{dr} Y_{\lambda\mu}(\theta, \phi), \quad V_c^\tau, R_0^\tau : \text{WS central pot., radius}$$

Bohr-Mottelson
textbook Vol.II

$$\chi = \chi_{\text{self}} = (\kappa_n + \kappa_p)^{-1}, \quad \kappa_\tau \equiv (R_0^\tau)^2 \int \rho_0^\tau(r) \frac{d}{dr} \left(r^2 \frac{dV_c^\tau(r)}{dr} \right) dr$$

pairing
channel
 $\lambda = 0, 2$

$$\hat{H}_G = - \sum_{\tau, \lambda \geq 0} g_\lambda^\tau \hat{G}_\lambda^{\tau\dagger} \cdot \hat{G}_\lambda^\tau, \quad \hat{G}_{\lambda\mu}^{\tau\dagger} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \langle i | \tilde{G}_{\lambda\mu}^\tau | j \rangle \hat{c}_i^\dagger \hat{c}_j^\dagger,$$

$$\tilde{G}_{\lambda\mu}(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \left(\frac{r}{\bar{R}_0} \right)^\lambda \sqrt{\frac{4\pi}{2\lambda+1}} Y_{\lambda\mu}(\theta, \phi), \quad \bar{R}_0 = 1.2 A^{1/3} \text{ fm}$$

$$g_0^\tau : \text{even-odd mass diff.} \quad g_2^\tau / g_0^\tau = 13.6 : \text{moment of inertia}$$

Mean-field state $|\Phi\rangle$ is generated with cranking

deformation by
Woods-Saxon
-Strutinsky cal.

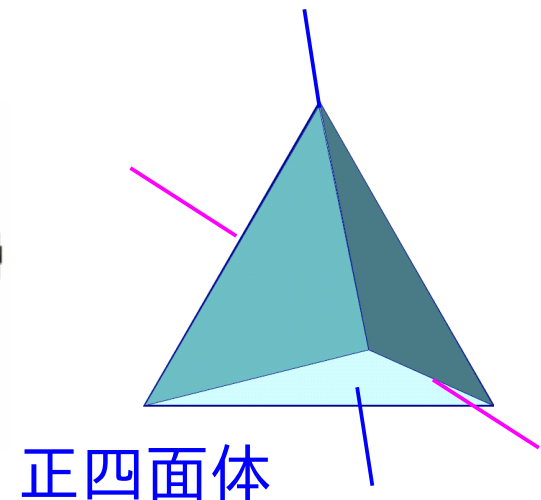
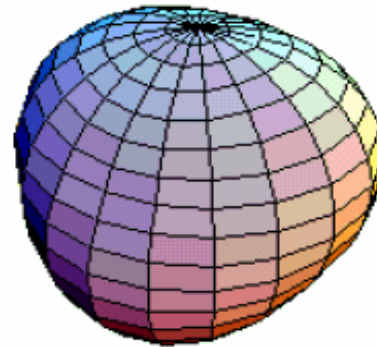
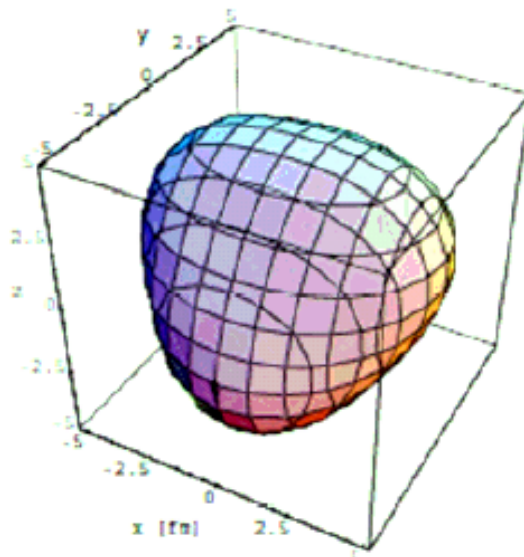
$$\hat{h}' = \hat{h}_{\text{def}} - \sum_{\tau=n,p} \Delta_\tau \left(\hat{P}_\tau^\dagger + \hat{P}_\tau \right) - \sum_{\tau=n,p} \lambda_\tau \hat{N}_\tau - \underline{\omega_{\text{rot}} \hat{J}_x},$$

Monopole pair field

Application to tetrahedral shape

S.Tagami, Y.R.Shimizu, and J.Dudek,
arXiv: 1301.3278, 1301.3279.

tetrahedral



one of regular
polyhedron

Tetrahedral nuclear states

Usual quadrupole def. $\longleftrightarrow$ D_{2h} -symmetry

Higher point-group symmetry in nuclei ?

symmetry $\longleftrightarrow$ degeneracies of single-particle orbits $\longleftrightarrow$ stability (shell-effect)

nuclear shape :
$$R(\theta, \varphi) = R_0 c_v(\{\alpha\}) \left(1 + \sum_{\lambda, \mu} \alpha_{\lambda\mu}^* Y_{\lambda\mu}(\theta, \varphi) \right)$$

Tetrahedral T_d : only $\alpha_{32} \equiv t_3$ (no $\alpha_{2\mu}, \alpha_{4\mu}, \alpha_{5\mu}, \alpha_{6\mu}$)

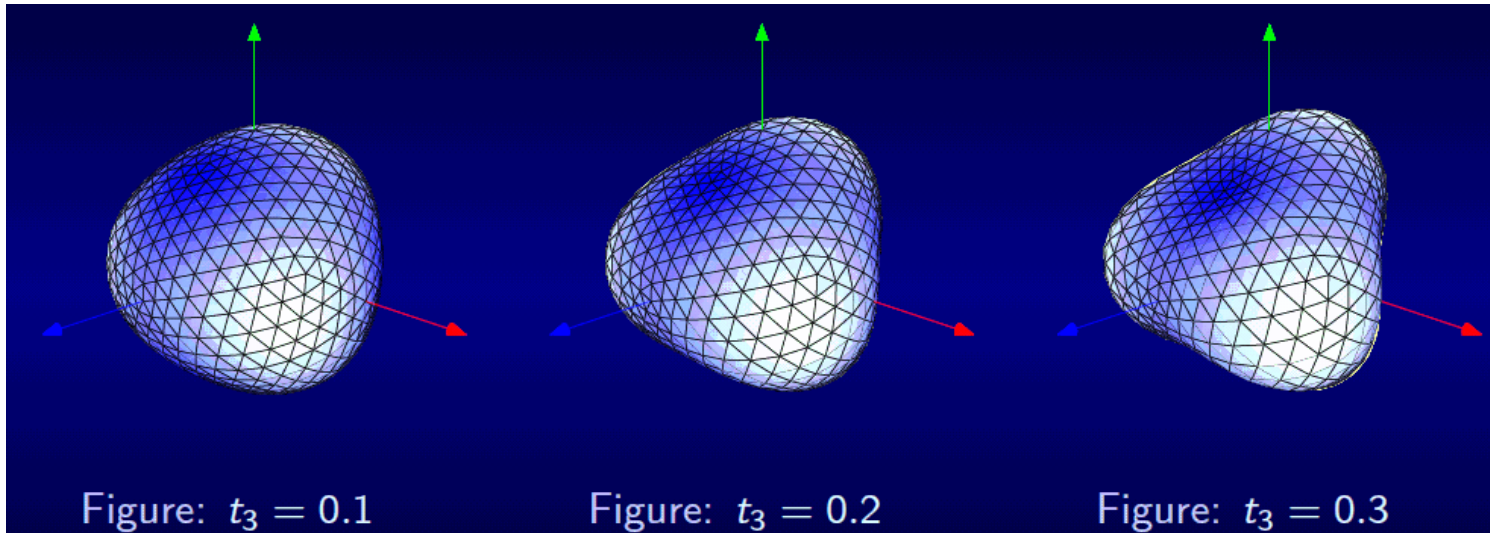
➡ 4-fold degenerate orbits appears (usually 2-fold !)

X.Li and J.Dudek, PRC49(1994),R1250.

Various predictions so far:

- Onishi-Shline, NPA165(1971),180. ^{16}O 4- α states
- Takami-Yabana-Matsuo, PLB431(1998),242. Skyrme HF/HFB
- Yamagami-Matsuyanagi-Matsuo, NPA693(2001),579. ^{80}Zr
- J.Dudek et al., PRL88(2002),252502; PRL97(2006),072501.
systematic calculations with
Woods-Saxon Strutinsky and Skyrme HF/HFB approaches

Tetrahedral shape and magic numbers

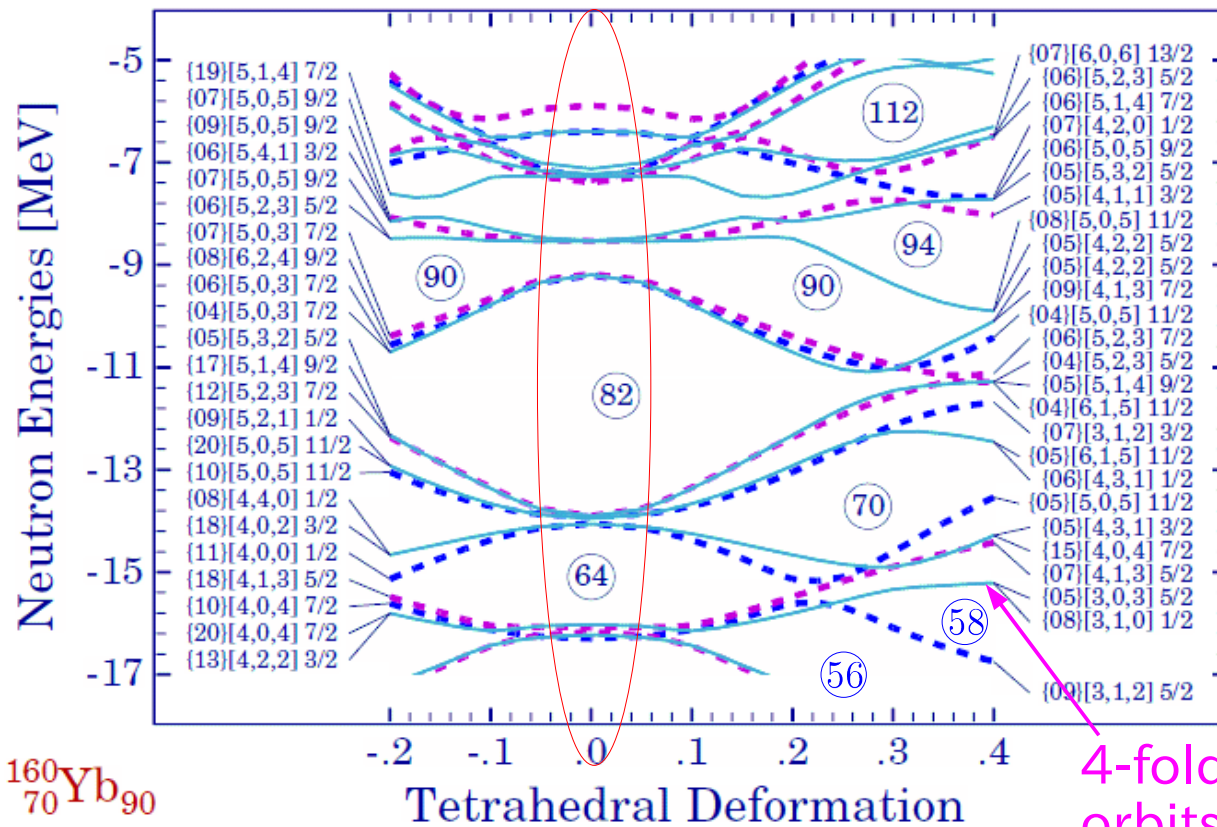


$$t_3 = \alpha_{32}$$

$$\alpha_{\lambda\mu}$$

$$\lambda: \text{odd}, \mu \neq 0$$

parity broken
and non-axial
deformation



Tetrahedral
Magic numbers:
16, 20, 32, 40,
56(58), 64, 70,
90, 112, 136

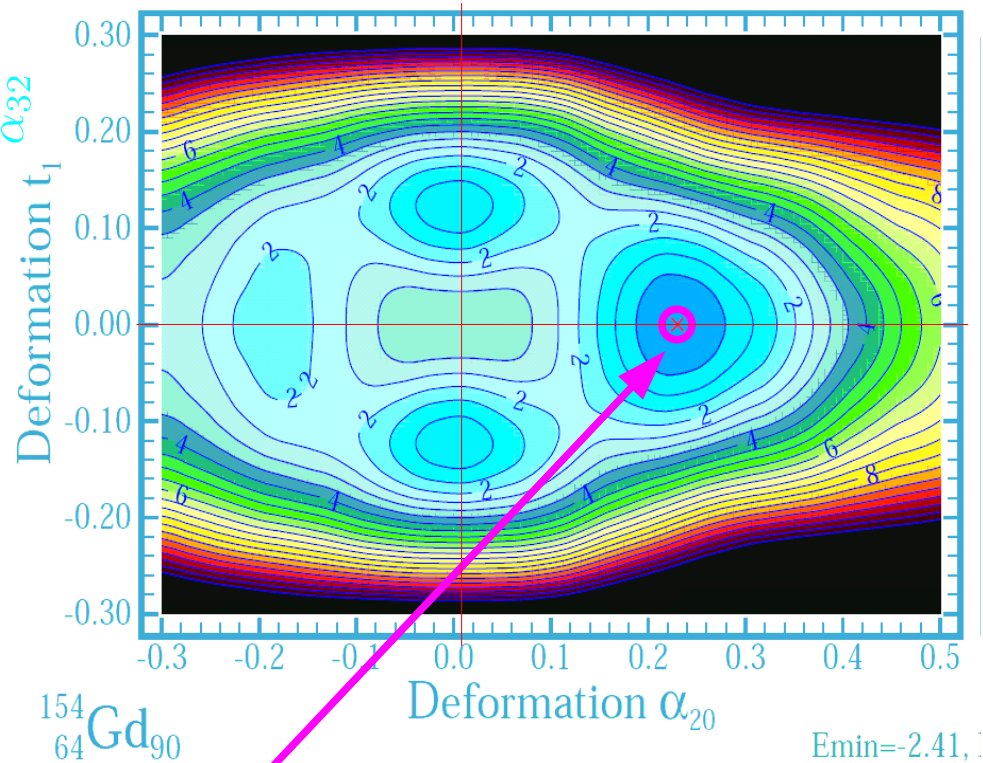
$^{64}_{32}\text{Ge}_{32}$	$^{72}_{32}\text{Ge}_{40}$	$^{88}_{32}\text{Ge}_{56}$
$^{80}_{40}\text{Zr}_{40}$	$^{110}_{40}\text{Zr}_{70}$	$^{112}_{56}\text{Ba}_{56}$
$^{126}_{56}\text{Ba}_{70}$	$^{146}_{56}\text{Ba}_{90}$	$^{134}_{64}\text{Gd}_{70}$
$^{154}_{64}\text{Gd}_{90}$	$^{160}_{70}\text{Yb}_{90}$	$^{222}_{90}\text{Th}_{136}$

Example of potential surface calculations

Woods-Saxon universal-compact potential,
Strutinsky cal. with finite-range droplet model

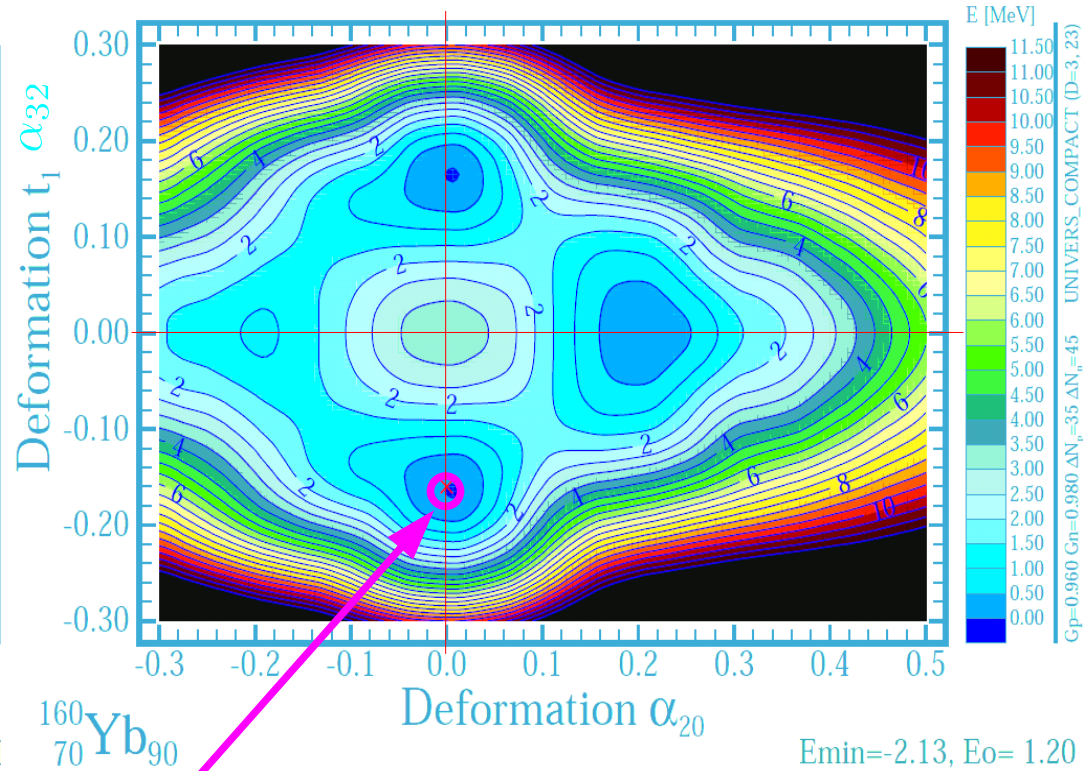
Projection of Multi-dimensional ($\lambda < 9$) surface to $(\alpha_{32}, \alpha_{20})$
(Strasbourg-Lublin-Krakow collaboration)

$^{154}_{64}\text{Gd}_{90}$ $E(\text{fyu}) + \text{Shell}[e] + \text{Correlation}[\text{PNP}]$



Quadrupole ground state!

$^{160}_{70}\text{Yb}_{90}$ $E(\text{fyu}) + \text{Shell}[e] + \text{Correlation}[\text{PNP}]$



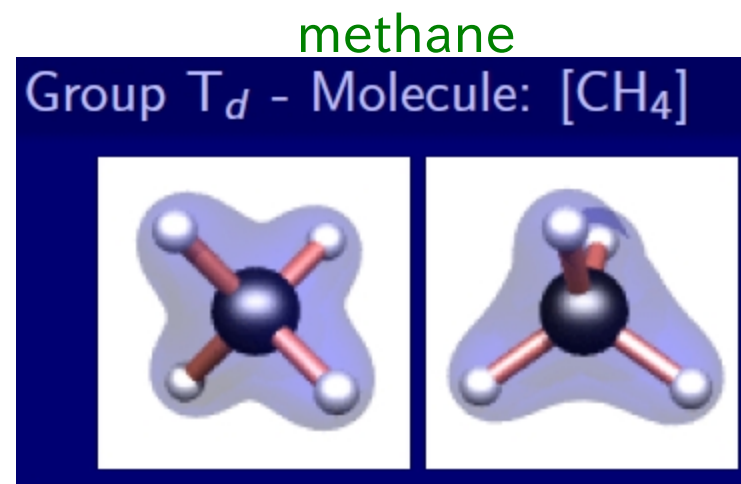
Tetrahedral ground state!
($Z=70, N=90$)

What kind of spectra is expected for tetrahedral rotor?

Known in molecules

deformation $\rightarrow$ quantum rotor,
but “spherical rotor” in a sense,

$$\mathcal{J}_1 = \mathcal{J}_2 = \mathcal{J}_3 = \mathcal{J}, \quad E(I) = \frac{I(I+1)}{2\mathcal{J}}$$



But, no quadrupole moment Q_2 , no E2 transitions at all !

Group theory consideration

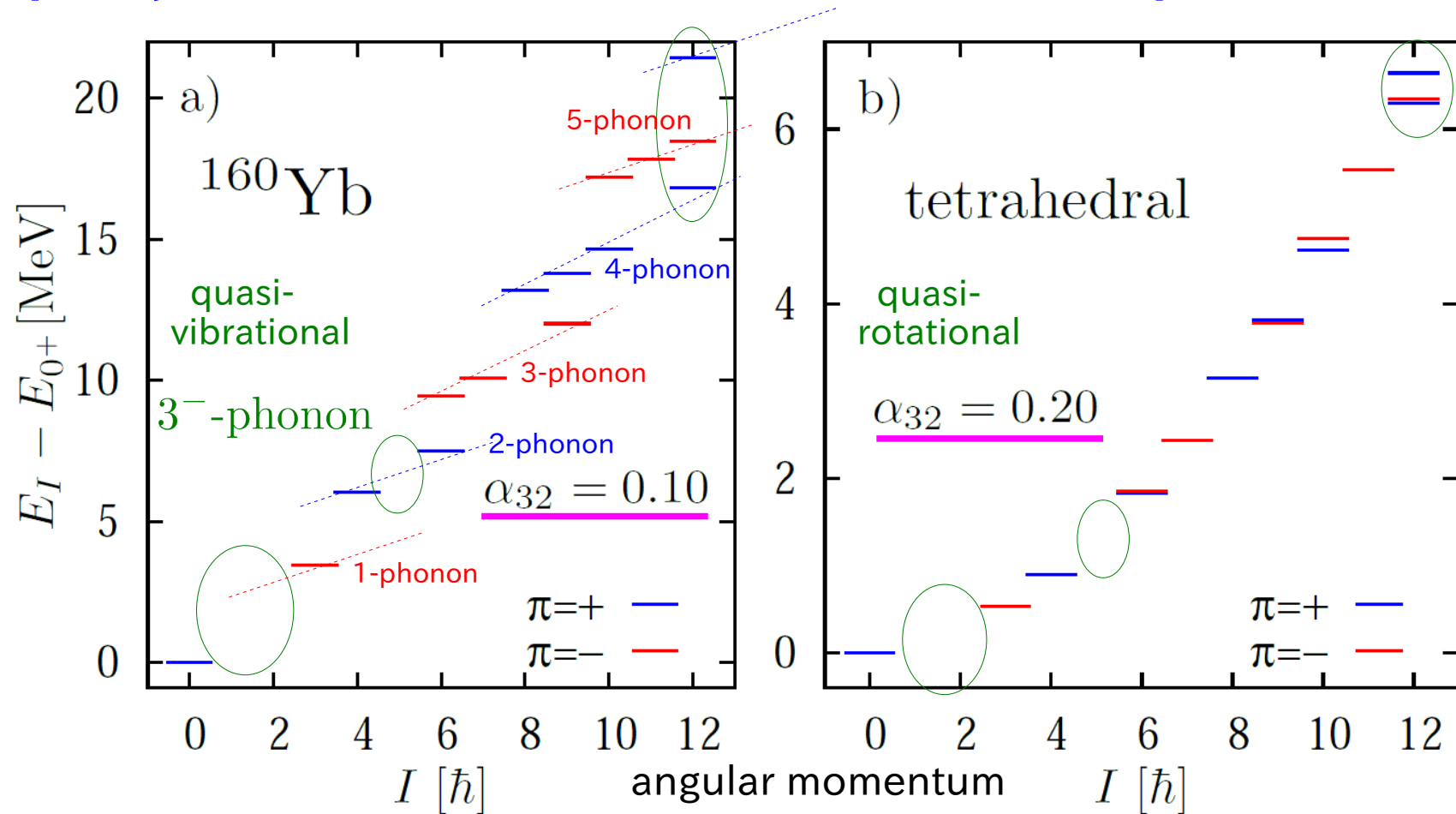
(irreducible representations of point-group T_d)
even-even nucleus with pairing

five irrep.'s
 $A_1, A_2,$
 $E,$
 F_1, F_2

$$A_1 : \quad 0^+, 3^-, 4^+, 6^+, 6^-, 7^-, 8^+, 9^+, 9^-, \\ 10^+, 10^-, 11^-, 2 \times 12^+, 12^-, \dots$$

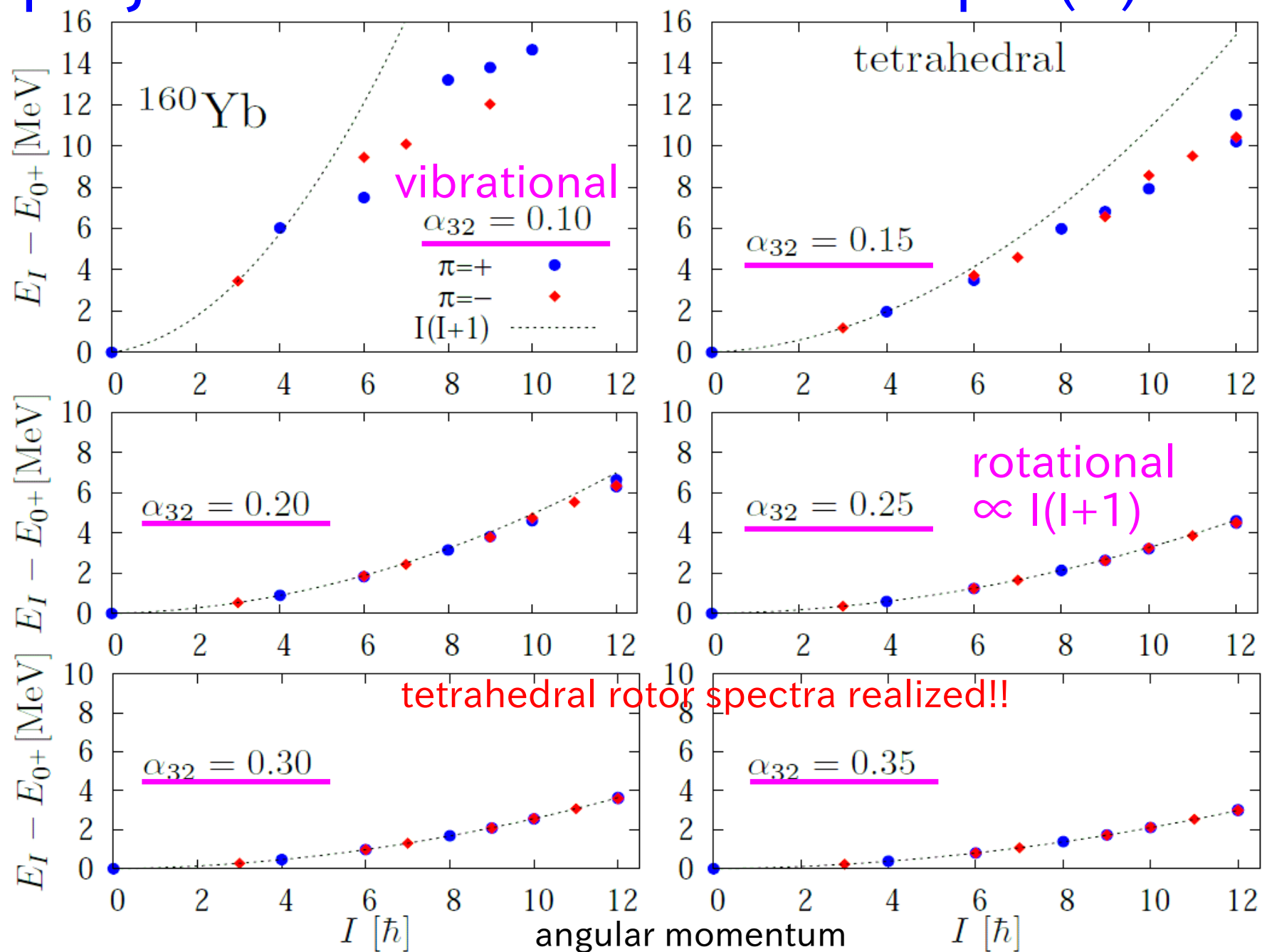
as the lowest band

Result of angular momentum and parity projection for tetrahedral shape (1)



$$A_1 : \quad 0^+, 3^-, 4^+, 6^+, 6^-, 7^-, 8^+, 9^+, 9^-, \\ 10^+, 10^-, 11^-, 2 \times 12^+, 12^-, \dots$$

Result of angular momentum and parity projection for tetrahedral shape (2)



What kind of spectra is expected for tetrahedral rotor? (2)

Group theory consideration odd nuclei (half-integer spins)

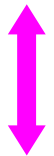
three irrep.'s

$E_{1/2} :$
 $\frac{1}{2}^{+}, \frac{5}{2}^{-}, \frac{7}{2}^{+}, \frac{7}{2}^{-}, \frac{9}{2}^{+}, \frac{11}{2}^{+}, \frac{11}{2}^{-},$
 $\frac{13}{2}^{+}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{-}, \frac{15}{2}^{+}, \frac{15}{2}^{-}, \dots$

$E_{5/2} :$
 $\frac{1}{2}^{-}, \frac{5}{2}^{+}, \frac{7}{2}^{-}, \frac{7}{2}^{+}, \frac{9}{2}^{-}, \frac{11}{2}^{-}, \frac{11}{2}^{+},$
 $\frac{13}{2}^{-}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{+}, \frac{15}{2}^{-}, \frac{15}{2}^{+}, \dots$

$G_{3/2} :$
 $\frac{3}{2}^{+}, \frac{3}{2}^{-}, \frac{5}{2}^{+}, \frac{5}{2}^{-}, \frac{7}{2}^{+}, \frac{7}{2}^{-}, 2 \times \frac{9}{2}^{+}, 2 \times \frac{9}{2}^{-},$
 $2 \times \frac{11}{2}^{+}, 2 \times \frac{11}{2}^{-}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{+}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{-}, \dots$

parity
conjugate



completely
different from
quadrupole rotor!

two-fold
states

parity
doublets

four-fold
states

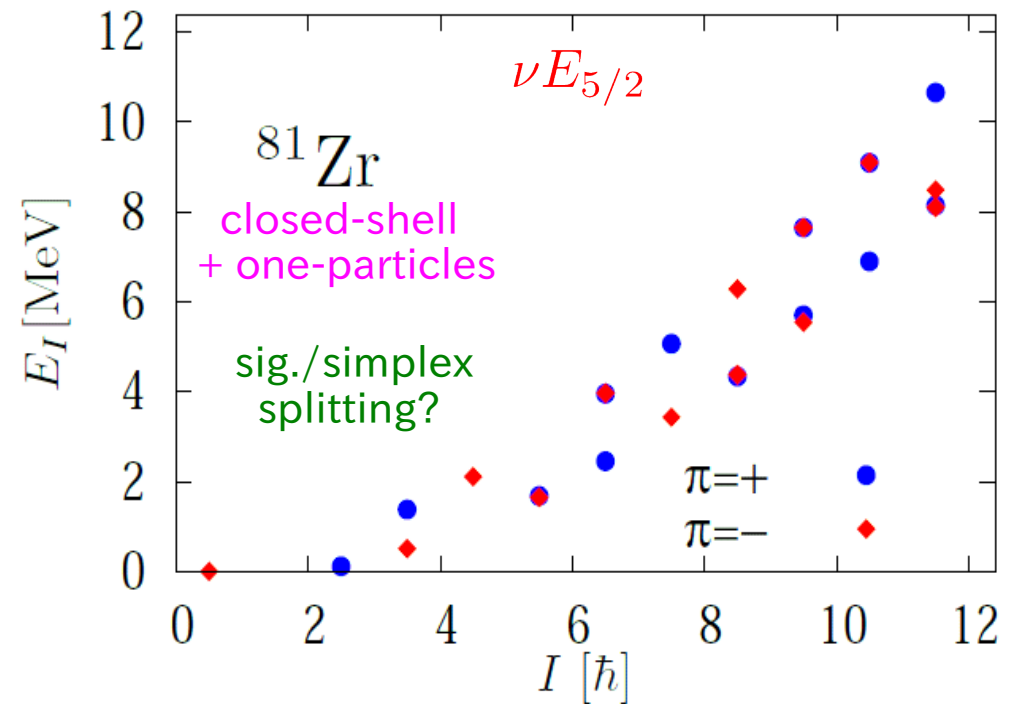
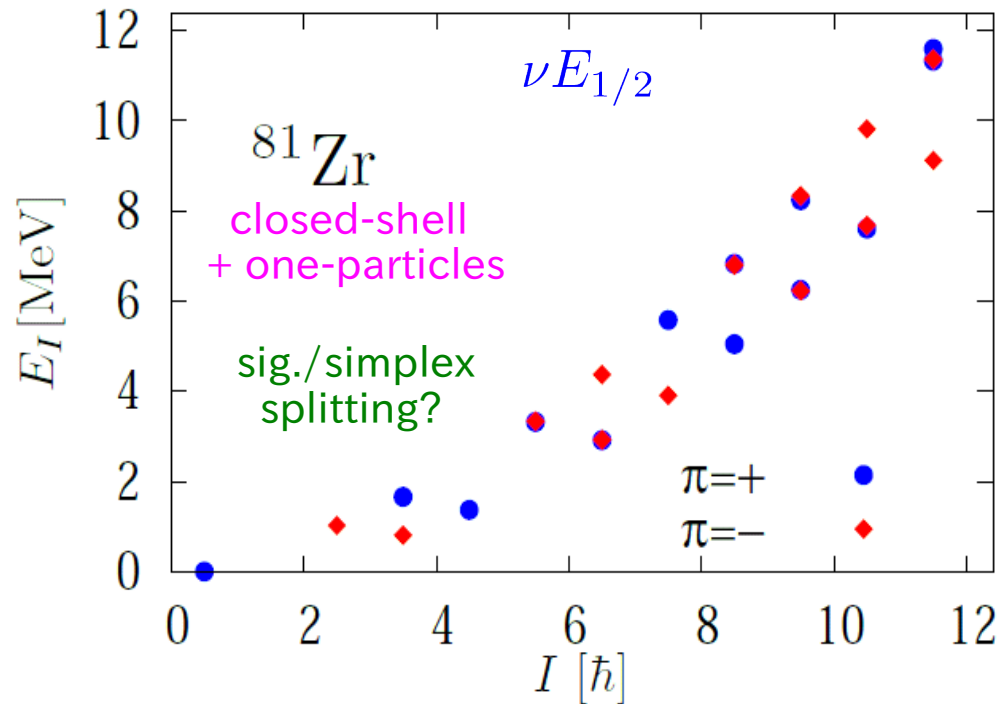
which becomes lowest depends
on the last odd-nucleon orbit!

Example of calculations (1)

Very new!

odd nuclear states around ^{80}Zr (N=Z=40)

$\alpha_{32}=0.4$ and without pairing ($\Delta=0$)



$$E_{1/2} : \frac{1}{2}^{+}, \frac{5}{2}^{-}, \frac{7}{2}^{+}, \frac{7}{2}^{-}, \frac{9}{2}^{+}, \frac{11}{2}^{+}, \frac{11}{2}^{-}, \frac{13}{2}^{+}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{-}, \frac{15}{2}^{+}, \frac{15}{2}^{-}, \dots$$

$$E_{5/2} : \frac{1}{2}^{-}, \frac{5}{2}^{+}, \frac{7}{2}^{-}, \frac{7}{2}^{+}, \frac{9}{2}^{-}, \frac{11}{2}^{-}, \frac{11}{2}^{+}, \frac{13}{2}^{-}, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^{+}, \frac{15}{2}^{-}, \frac{15}{2}^{+}, \dots$$

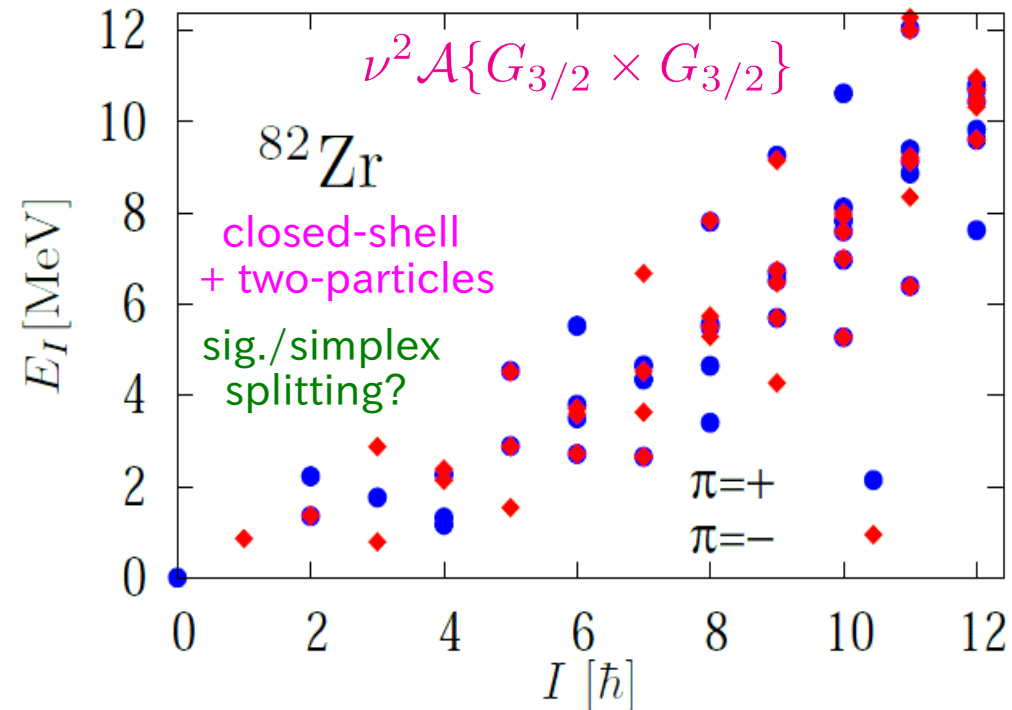
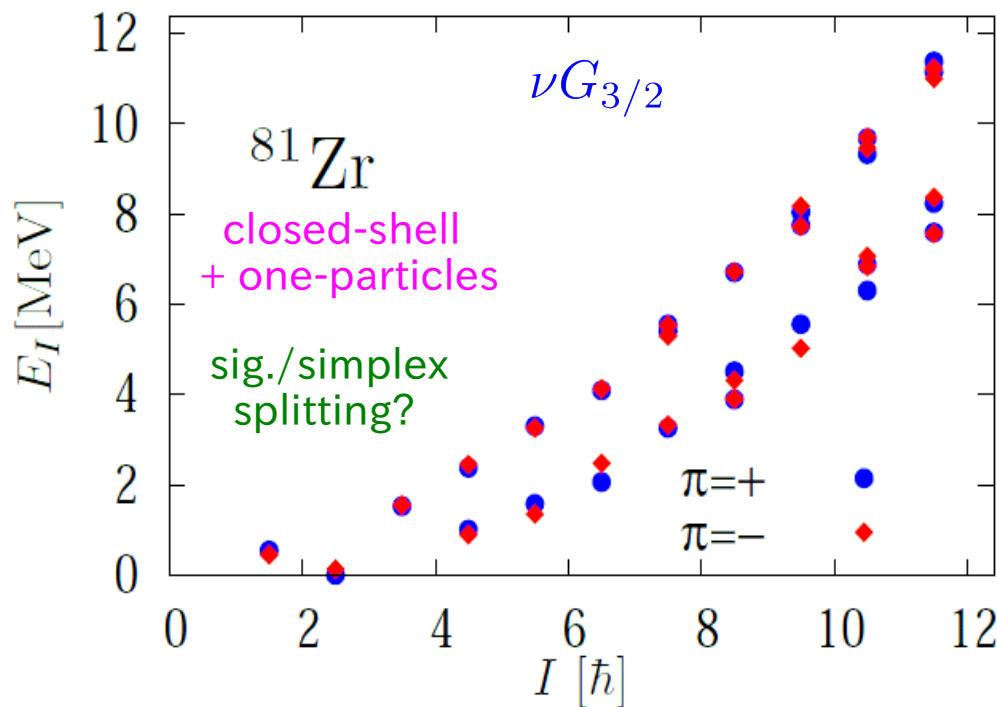
Group theory consideration OK,
but projection necessary for precise spectra !!

Example of calculations (2)

Very new!

odd and two-particle states around ^{80}Zr (N=Z=40)

$\alpha_{32}=0.4$ and without pairing ($\Delta=0$)



$$G_{3/2} : \begin{array}{l} \frac{3}{2}^+, \frac{3}{2}^-, \frac{5}{2}^+, \frac{5}{2}^-, \frac{7}{2}^+, \frac{7}{2}^-, 2 \times \frac{9}{2}^+, 2 \times \frac{9}{2}^- \\ 2 \times \frac{11}{2}^+, 2 \times \frac{11}{2}^-, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^+, 2 \times \frac{13}{2}^-, \dots \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{A}\{G_{3/2} \times G_{3/2}\} = A_1 + E + F_2$$

F_2 seems split into three bands

Group theory consideration OK,
but projection necessary for precise spectra !!

Irreducible representations of T_d -rotor for even-even nuclei (integer spins)

$$A_1 : 0^+, 3^-, 4^+, 6^+, 6^-, 7^-, 8^+, 9^+, 9^-, \\ 10^+, 10^-, 11^-, 2 \times 12^+, 12^-, \dots$$

parity
conjugate $\updownarrow$

$$A_2 : 0^-, 3^+, 4^-, 6^-, 6^+, 7^+, 8^-, 9^-, 9^+, \\ 10^-, 10^+, 11^-, 2 \times 12^-, 12^+, \dots$$

$$E : 2^+, 2^-, 4^+, 4^-, 5^+, 5^-, 6^+, 6^-, 7^+, 7^-, \\ 2 \times 8^+, 2 \times 8^-, 9^+, 9^-, 2 \times 10^-, 2 \times 10^+, \dots$$

$$F_1 : 1^+, 2^-, 3^+, 3^-, 4^+, 4^-, 2 \times 5^+, 5^-, 6^+, 2 \times 6^-, \\ 2 \times 7^+, 2 \times 7^-, 2 \times 8^+, 2 \times 8^-, 3 \times 9^+, 2 \times 9^-, \dots$$

parity
conjugate $\updownarrow$

$$F_2 : 1^-, 2^+, 3^-, 3^+, 4^-, 4^+, 2 \times 5^-, 5^+, 6^-, 2 \times 6^+, \\ 2 \times 7^-, 2 \times 7^+, 2 \times 8^-, 2 \times 8^+, 3 \times 9^-, 2 \times 9^+, \dots$$

How demanding for computer

Full angular momentum projection is demanding!
because of three dimensional integrals

Typical tetrahedral calculation with cranking:
all the symmetries broken

Medium heavy nuclei with mesh of Euler angles,

$$N_{\alpha} = N_{\beta} = N_{\gamma} \approx 100$$

(for sizable tetrahedral deformation)



Two to three days: 50 — 70 hours by a machine
with Xeon E5645(6cores)x2=12 CPU cores

c.f. If the system is nearly axially symmetric,
then the calculation is much faster!

Application to high-spin states

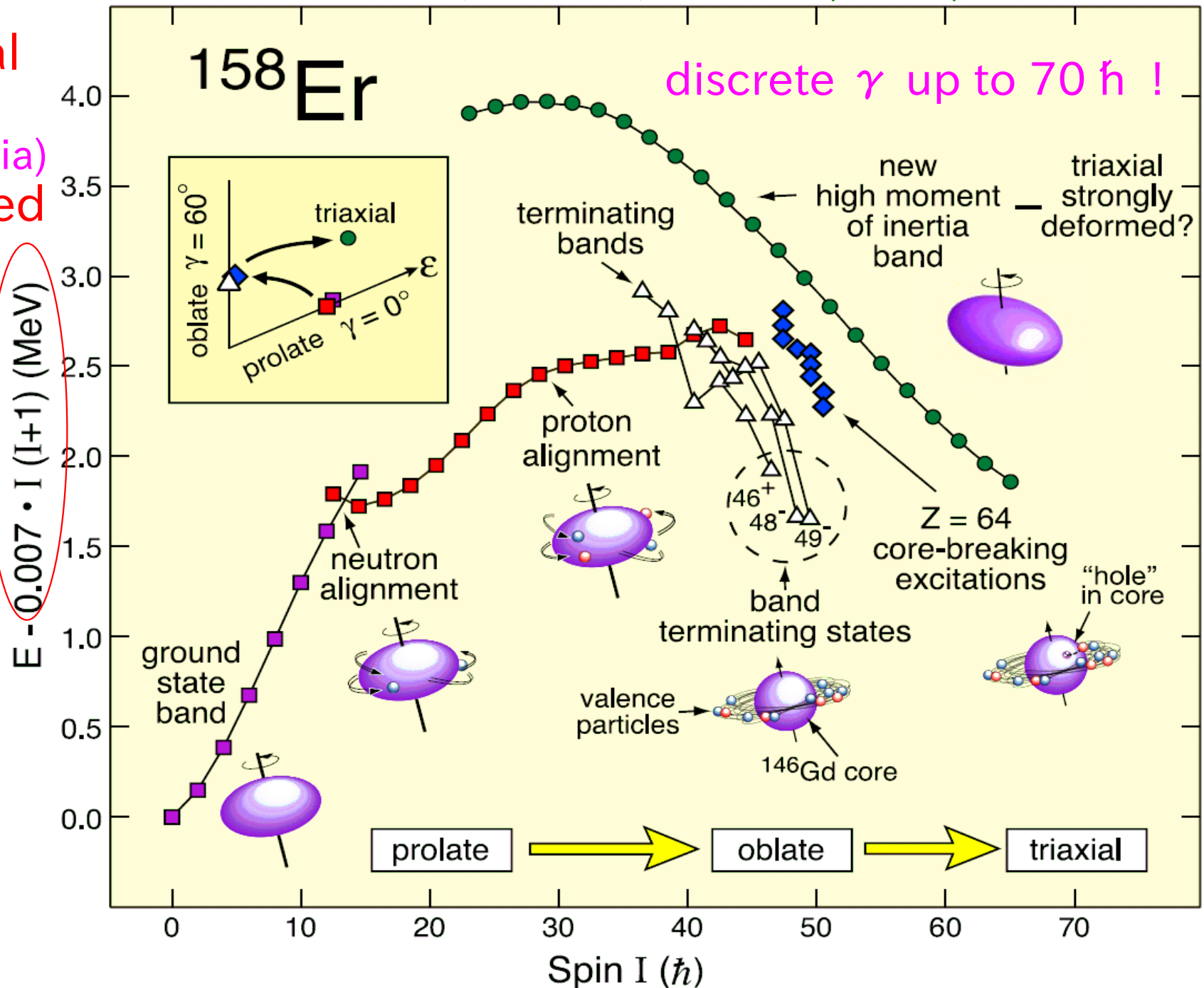
Y.Fujioka master thesis, Mar. 2012

- “Problem” of projection
from cranked mean-field
- Wobbling rotational band
- Chiral doublet band

State-of-the-art high-spin yrast spectra

E.S.Paul et al., PRL 98,012501(2007)

bulk
rotational
energy
(rigid inertia)
subtracted



Application to high-spin states

Mean-field approximation

↔ Cranking method

Mean-field state $|\Phi\rangle$ is generated with cranking

$$\hat{h}' = \hat{h}_{\text{def}} - \sum_{\tau=n,p} \Delta_{\tau} \left(\hat{P}_{\tau}^{\dagger} + \hat{P}_{\tau} \right) - \sum_{\tau=n,p} \lambda_{\tau} \hat{N}_{\tau} - \underline{\omega_{\text{rot}} \hat{J}_x},$$

rotational frequency

$\omega_{\text{rot}} \rightarrow \text{large}$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$\langle \hat{J}_x \rangle = I(\omega_{\text{rot}}) \rightarrow \text{large}$

high-spin
states

$|\Psi_{IM=I}\rangle \approx |\Phi(\omega_{\text{rot}})\rangle$ semiclassical quantization

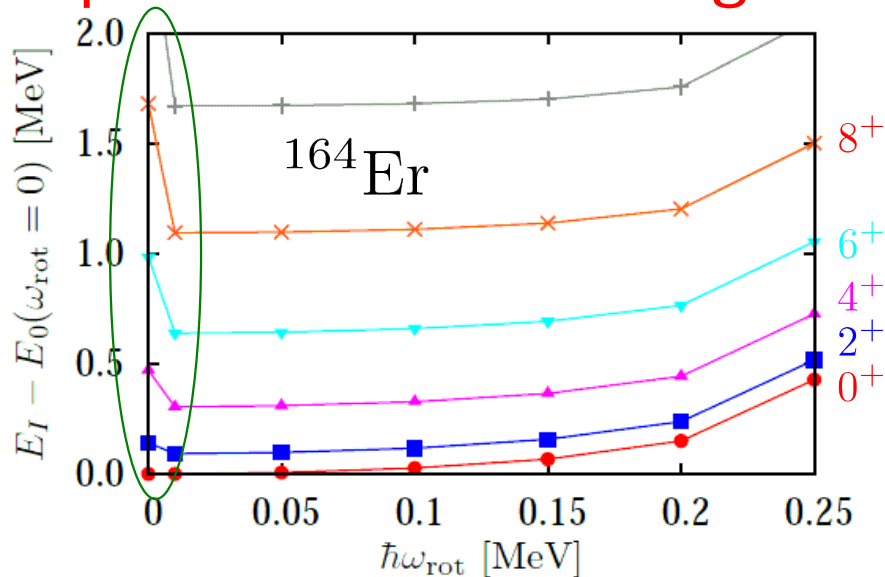
Angular momentum projection

→ rotational band:

how about high-spin states?

Some results of projection calculation (no configuration-mixing!)

Importance of cranking for moment of inertia



difference between $\omega_{\text{rot}} = 0$ and $\omega_{\text{rot}} \neq 0$

$$\omega_{\text{rot}} = 0 \rightarrow E_I = \mathcal{H}_{00}^I / \mathcal{N}_{00}^I$$

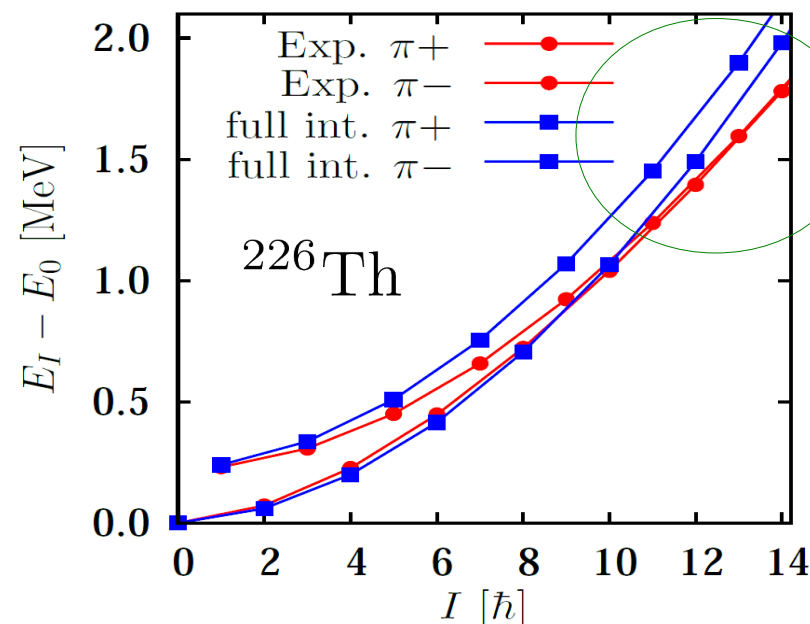
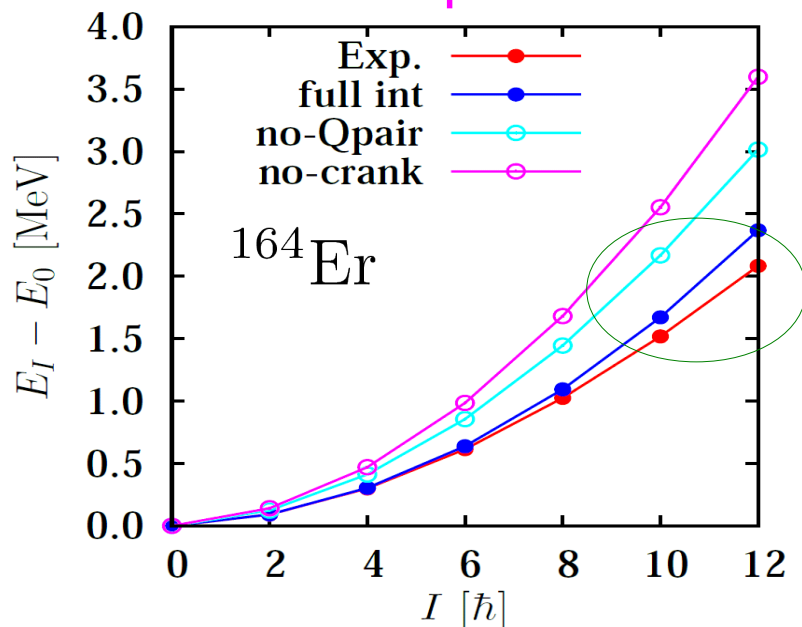
only K=0 contributes (axially symm.),
but

$$\omega_{\text{rot}} \neq 0 \rightarrow \det(\mathcal{H}_{KK'}^I - E_I \mathcal{N}_{KK'}^I) = 0$$

K-mixing contributes,
even if $\omega_{\text{rot}} \rightarrow 0$ → larger mom.
of inertia

small ω_{rot} is enough

Rotational spectra

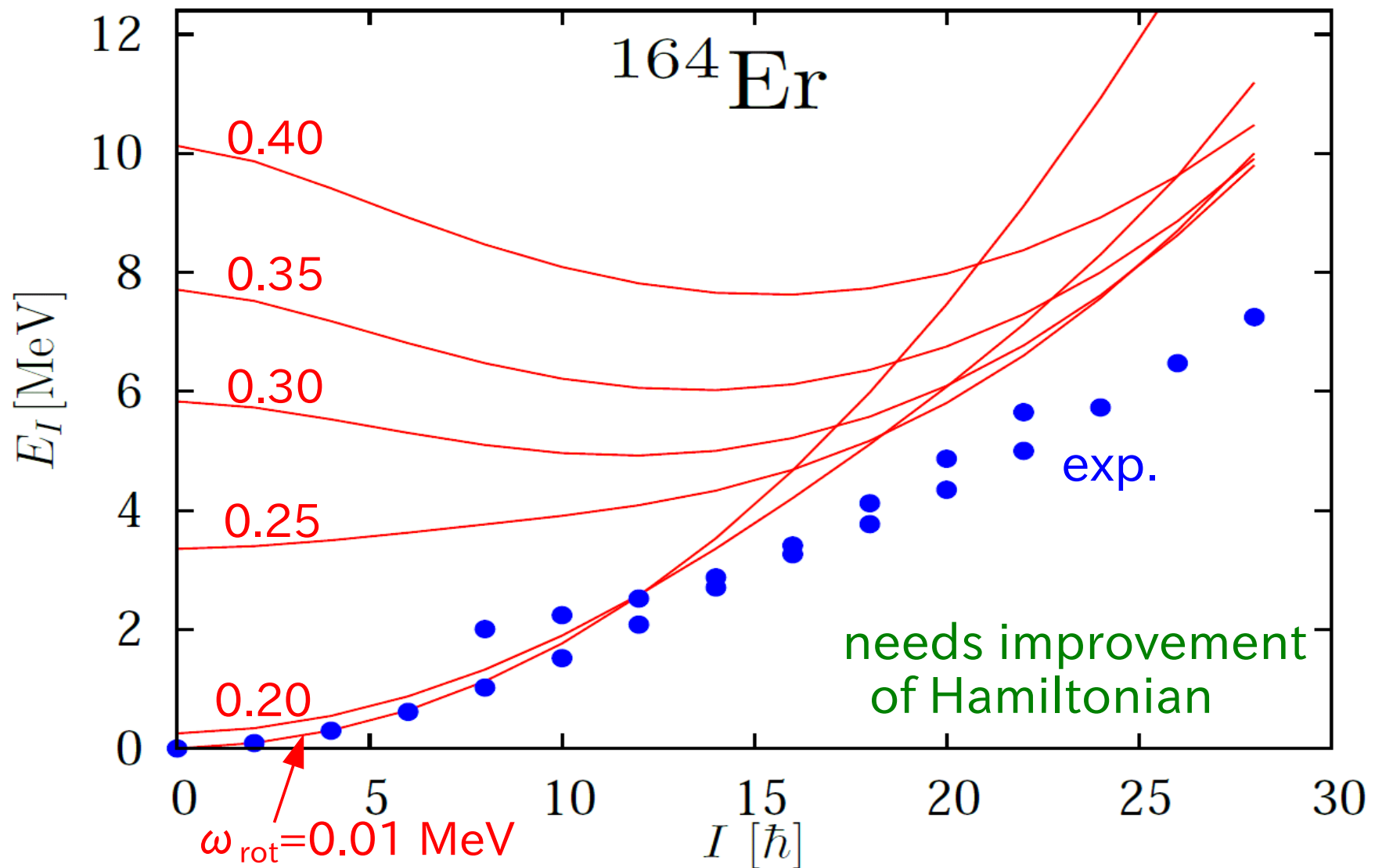


“Problem” of projection from cranked mean-field

Which frequency ω_{rot} should be used?

$$|\Psi_{IM}(\omega_{\text{rot}})\rangle = \sum_K g_K^I \hat{P}_{MK}^I |\Phi(\omega_{\text{rot}})\rangle$$

extra-ambiguity!



Possible solutions

- Variation after projection:
search best ω_{rot} for each spin-values
→ different projection calculation for each spin
(very inefficient!)
- Do not use cranking!
use projection to generate basis for shell model
(not only 0-q.p. but 2,4,...-q.p. states coupled)
→ Projected Shell Model (PSM)
by K.Hara and Y.Sun and collaborators

Most successful application of projection
- No other possibility?
e.g., use two mean-field states for g- and s-bands

Wobbling rotational bands

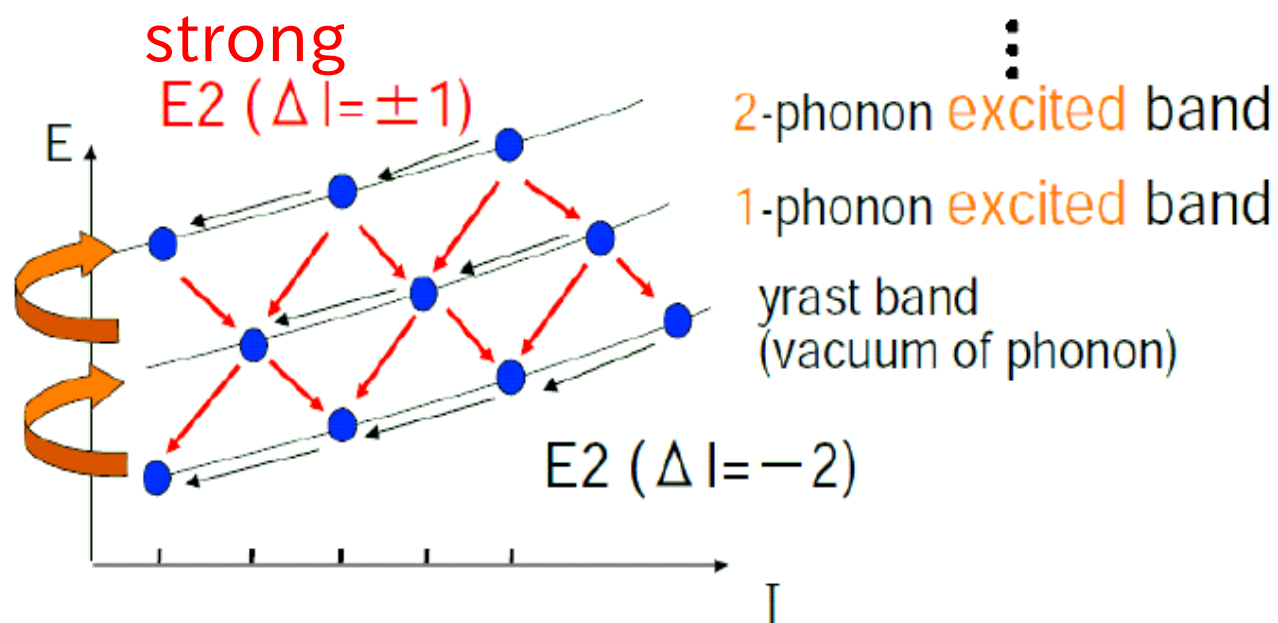
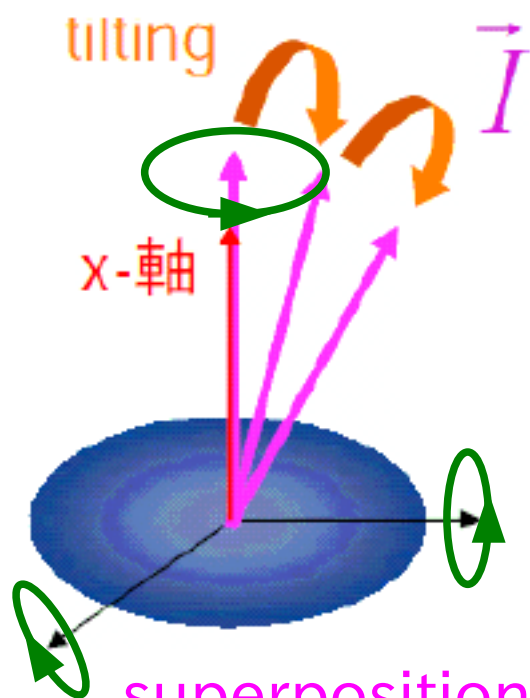
Quantum mechanical motions of **asymmetric-top**

→ How triaxial nucleus rotates collectively?

strong triaxial def. → coll.rot. around three PA-axes

→ phonon-like multiple bands

from one intrinsic configuration



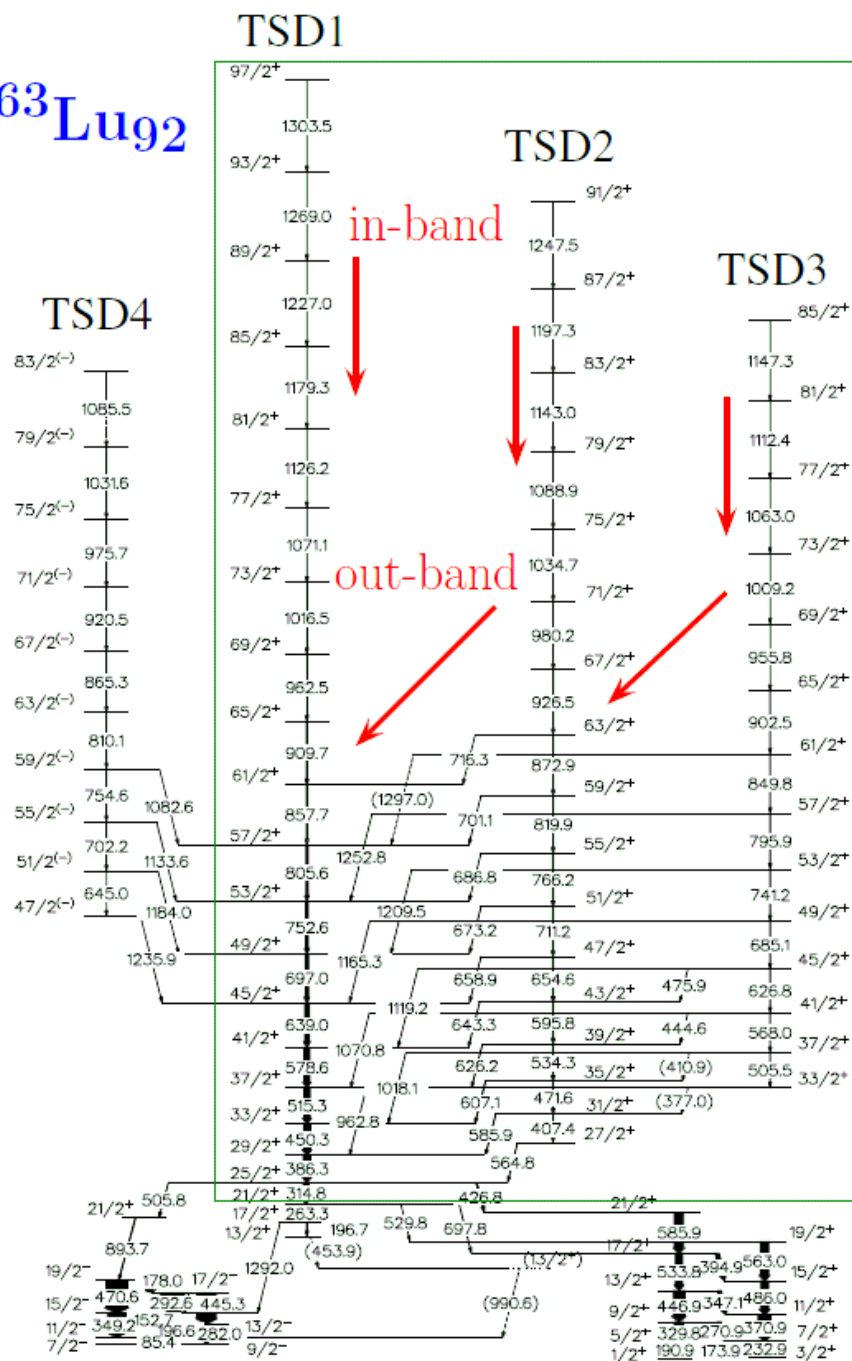
superposition of rotations around 3PA-axes

→ rotation-axis tilts and precesses

No-breaking of chiral symm.

TSD: triaxial superdeformed

$^{163}\text{Lu}_{92}$

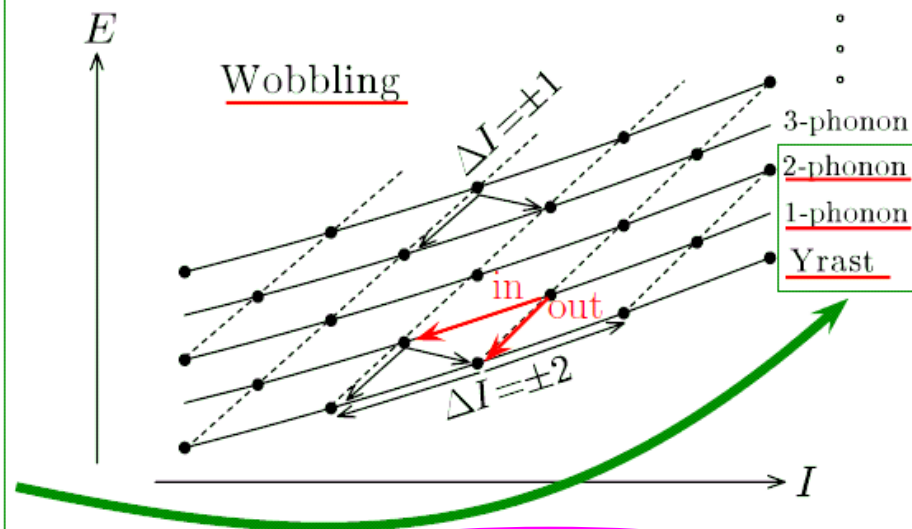


Wobbling Spectra TSD bands

(Triaxial Superdeformed Band)

D. R. Jensen et al., Eur. Phys. J. **A19** (2004), 173.

First identified by
Ødegård et al. (2001)



Very large $B(E2)_{\text{in}}$ and $B(E2)_{\text{out}}$
are observed !!

$B(E2)_{\text{in}} \approx 500 \text{ W.u.}$, $B(E2)_{\text{out}} \approx 100 \text{ W.u.}$

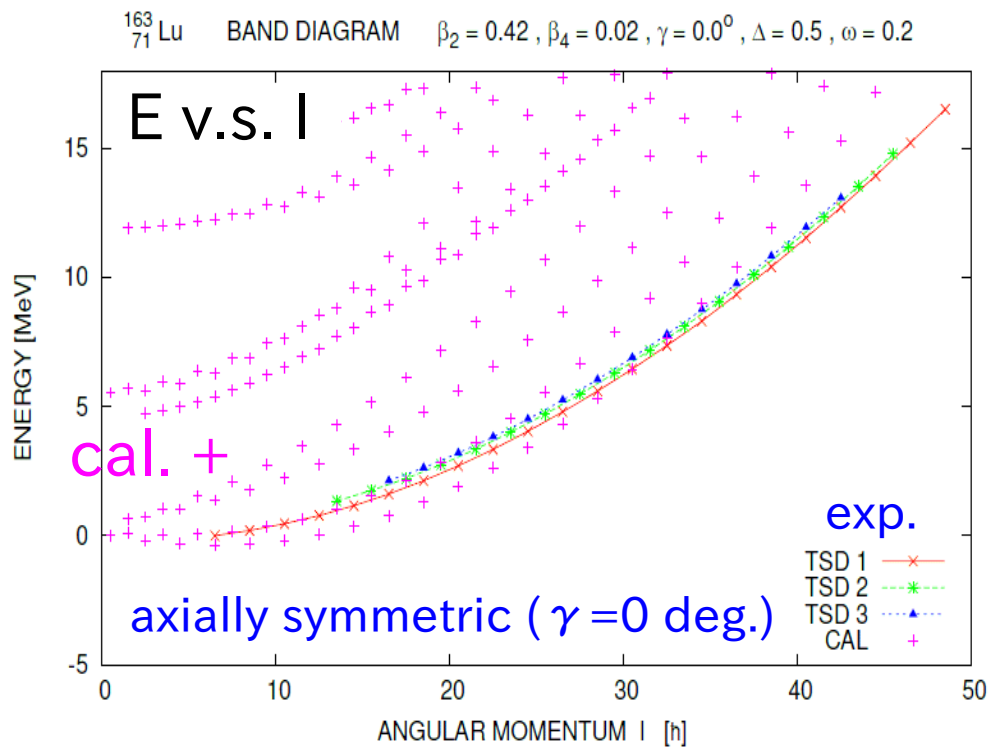
observed in $^{161,163,165,167}\text{Lu}$

Result of angular momentum projection for wobbling rotational bands (1)

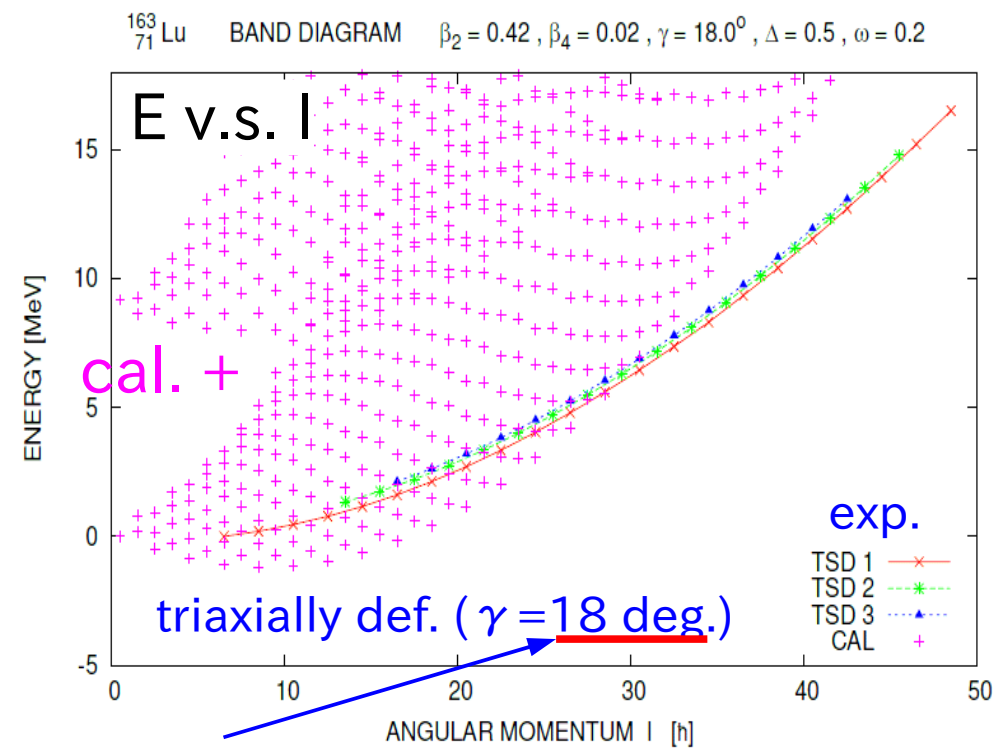
$^{163}\text{Lu}_{92}$

projection from one intrinsic state

$$\omega_{\text{rot}} = 0.2 \text{ MeV}$$



no wobbling bands



wobbling bands appear!!
(although moment
of inertia is too small)

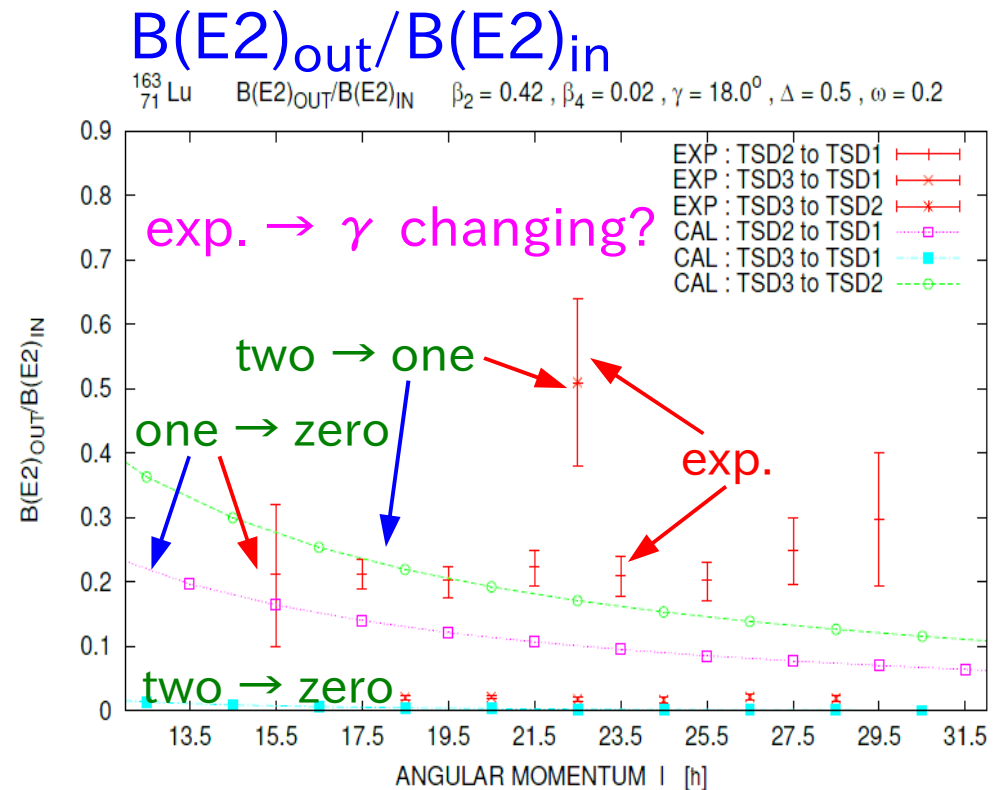
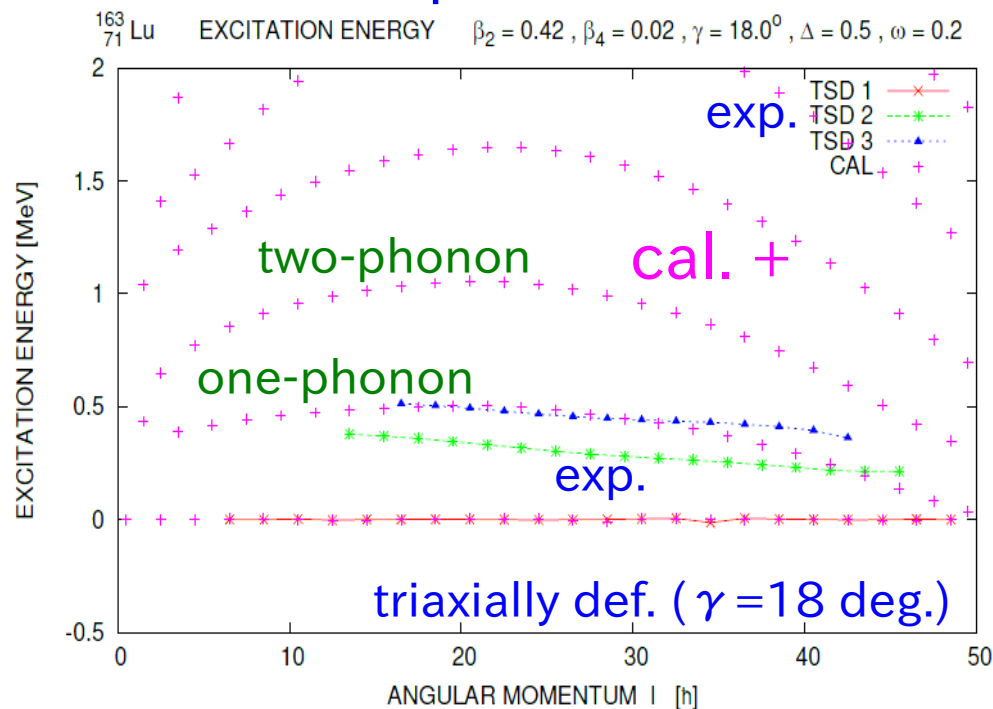
Result of angular momentum projection for wobbling rotational bands (2)

$^{163}\text{Lu}_{92}$

projection from one intrinsic state

$$\omega_{\text{rot}} = 0.2\text{MeV}$$

relative spectra



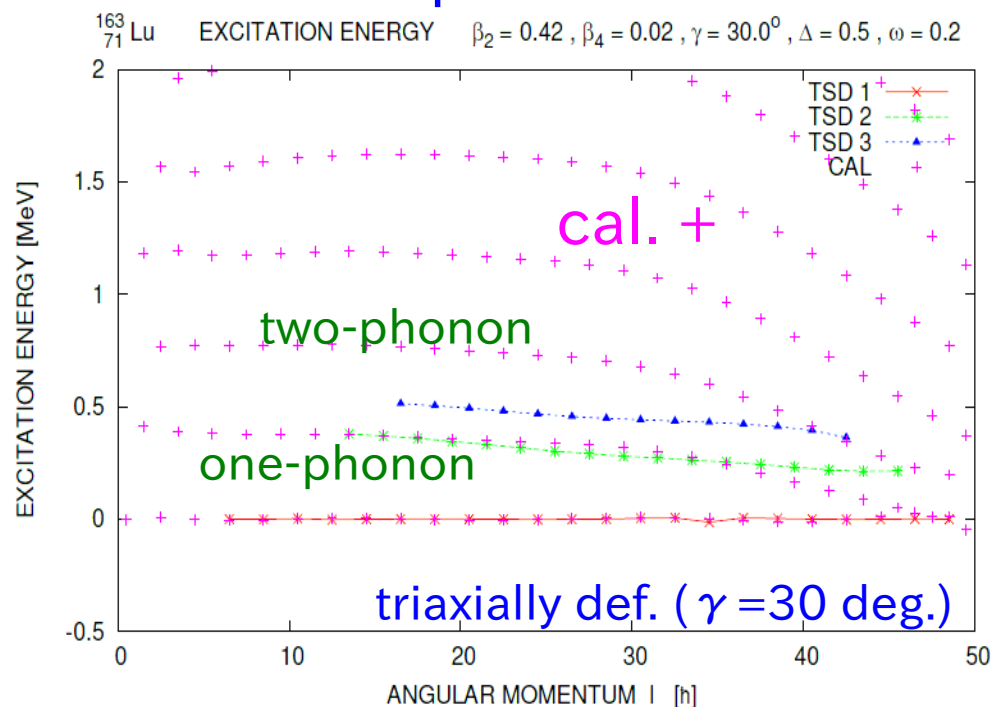
rotor-model-like results obtained
by the microscopic projection

Result of angular momentum projection for wobbling rotational bands (3)

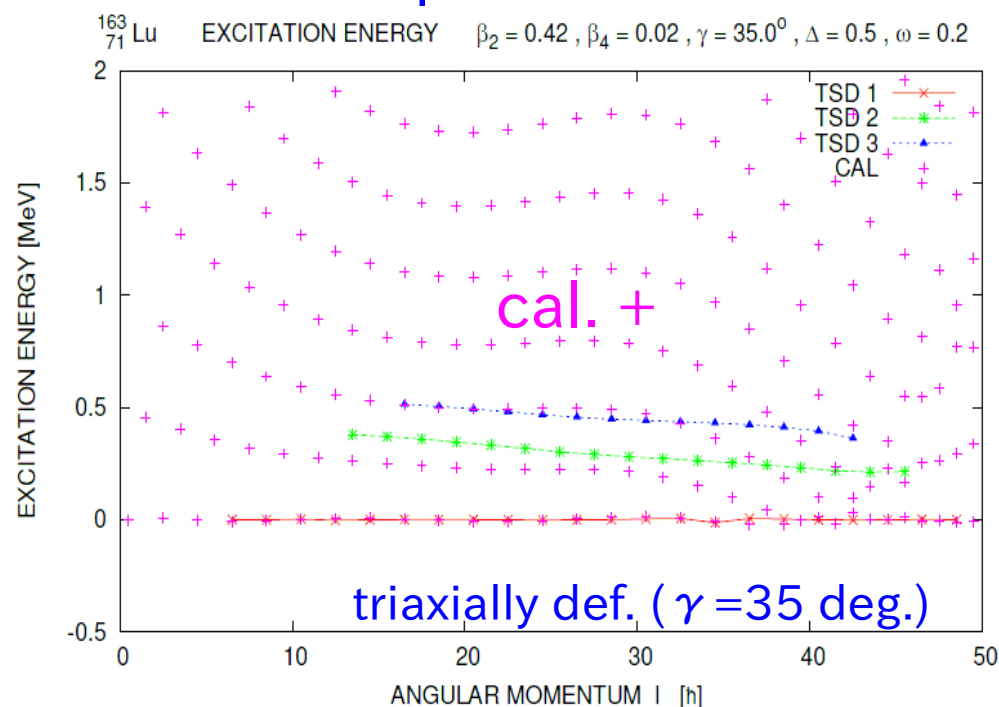
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projection from one intrinsic state

relative spectra



relative spectra



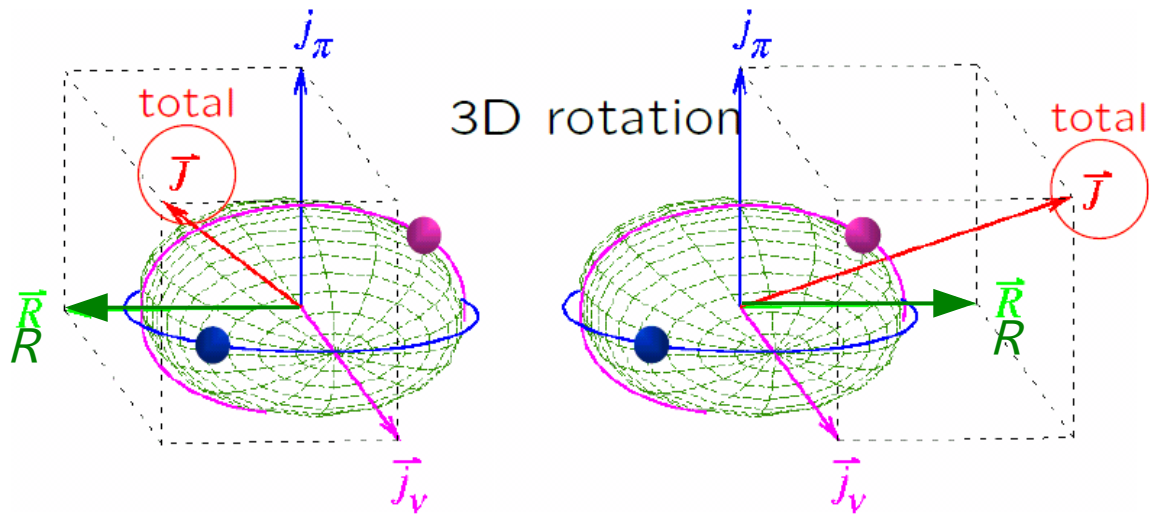
difficult to simultaneously reproduce
both one- and two-phonon energies

Chiral doublet band

Importance of
triaxial deformation

Breaking right-/left-handed symmetry $\Rightarrow$ two degenerate bands

(c.f. Parity breaking $\rightarrow$ Parity doublet) Frauendorf-Meng, NPA617(1997),131.



triaxial def. $\Rightarrow$ short, inter, long

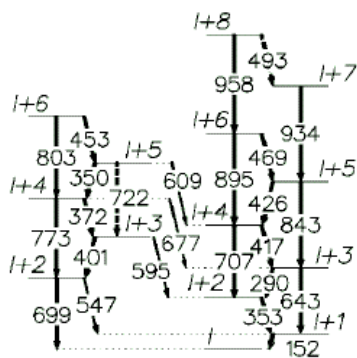
j_π : high- j particle $\rightarrow$ short-axis

j_ν : high- j hole $\rightarrow$ long-axis

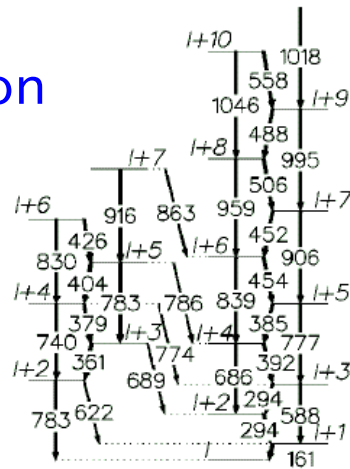
R : irrotational inertia $\rightarrow$ inter-axis

c.f. $R \approx 0 \Rightarrow$ magnetic rotation
in the Pb region

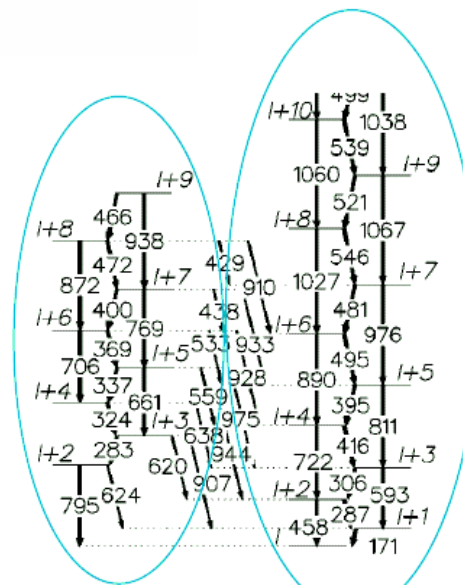
N=75 isotones
odd-odd A $\sim$ 130 region



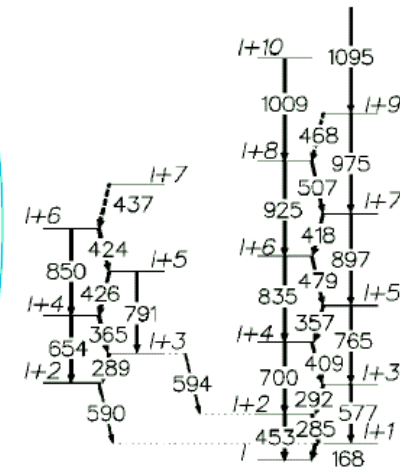
^{130}Cs



^{132}La



^{134}Pr



^{136}Pm

Starosta et al., PRL86(2001),971.

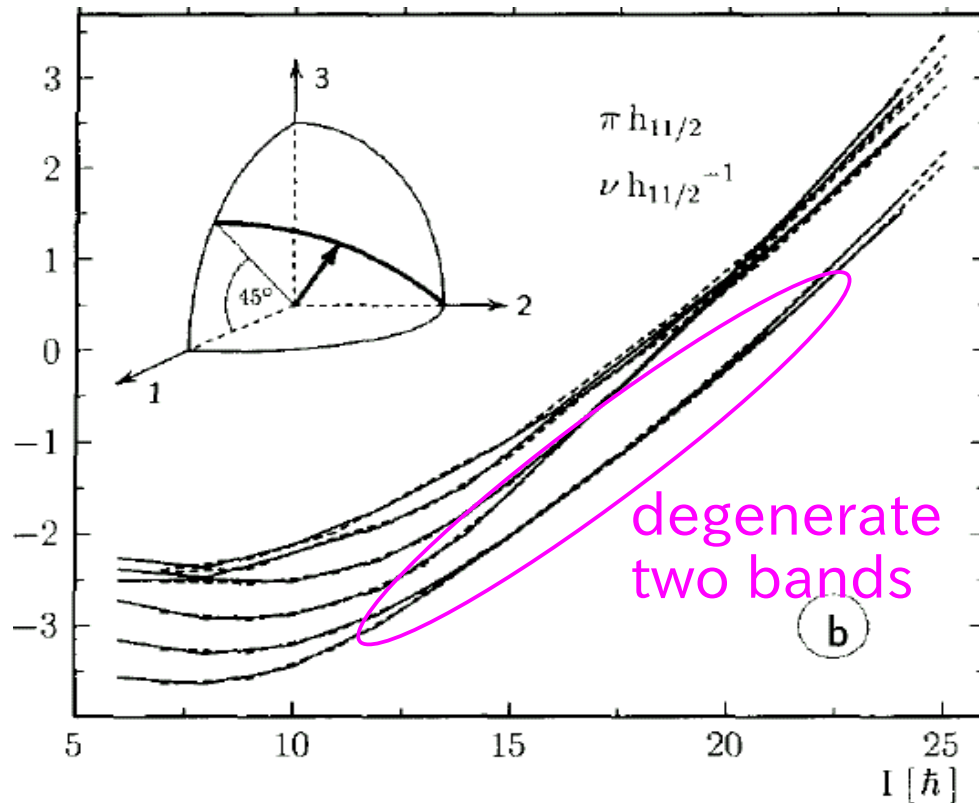
questioned?
Tonev et al., PRL96(2006),052501.

Result of two-particle rotor coupling model

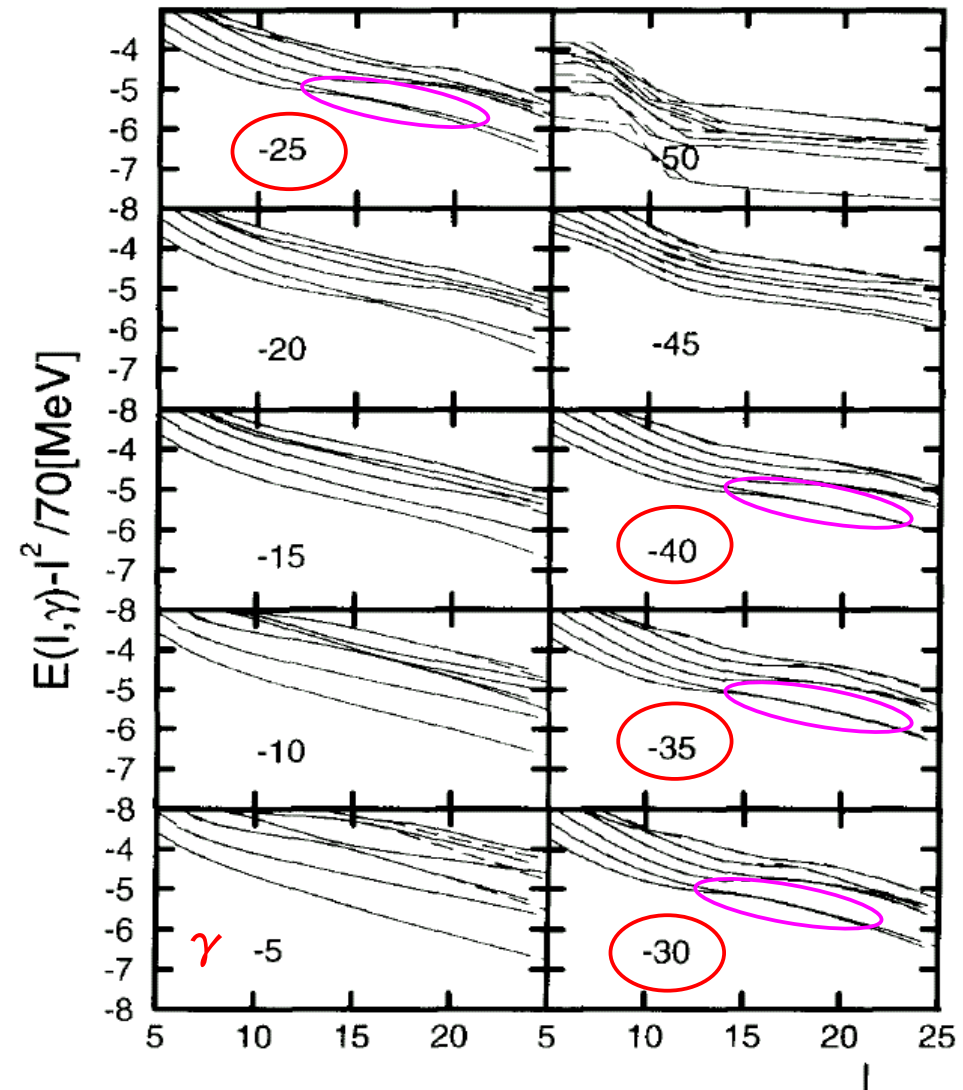
Macroscopic model analysis: the original paper

S.Frauendorf and J.Meng, NPA617(1997),131.

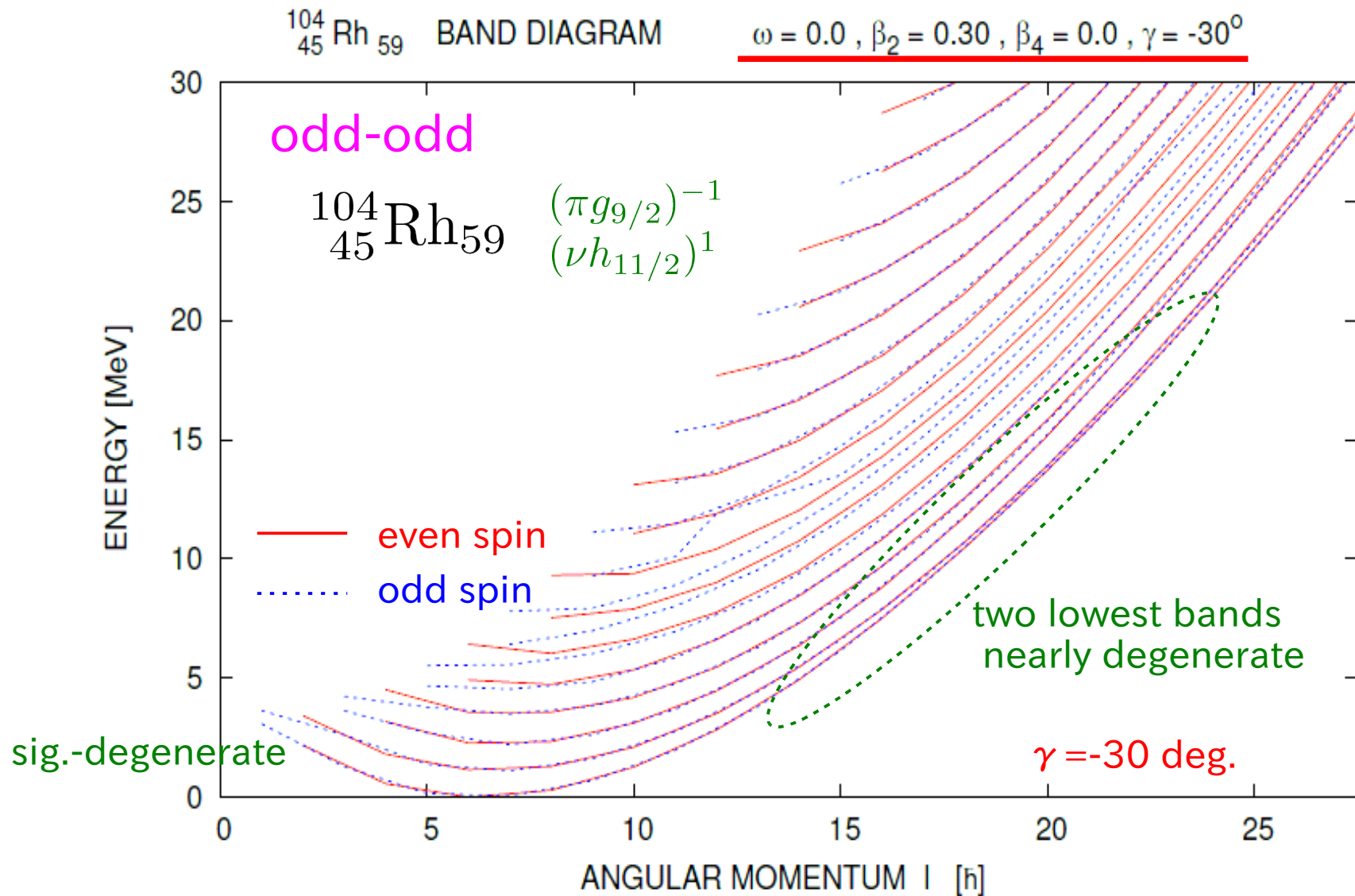
Rotor + particle-hole



$\gamma = -30$ deg.

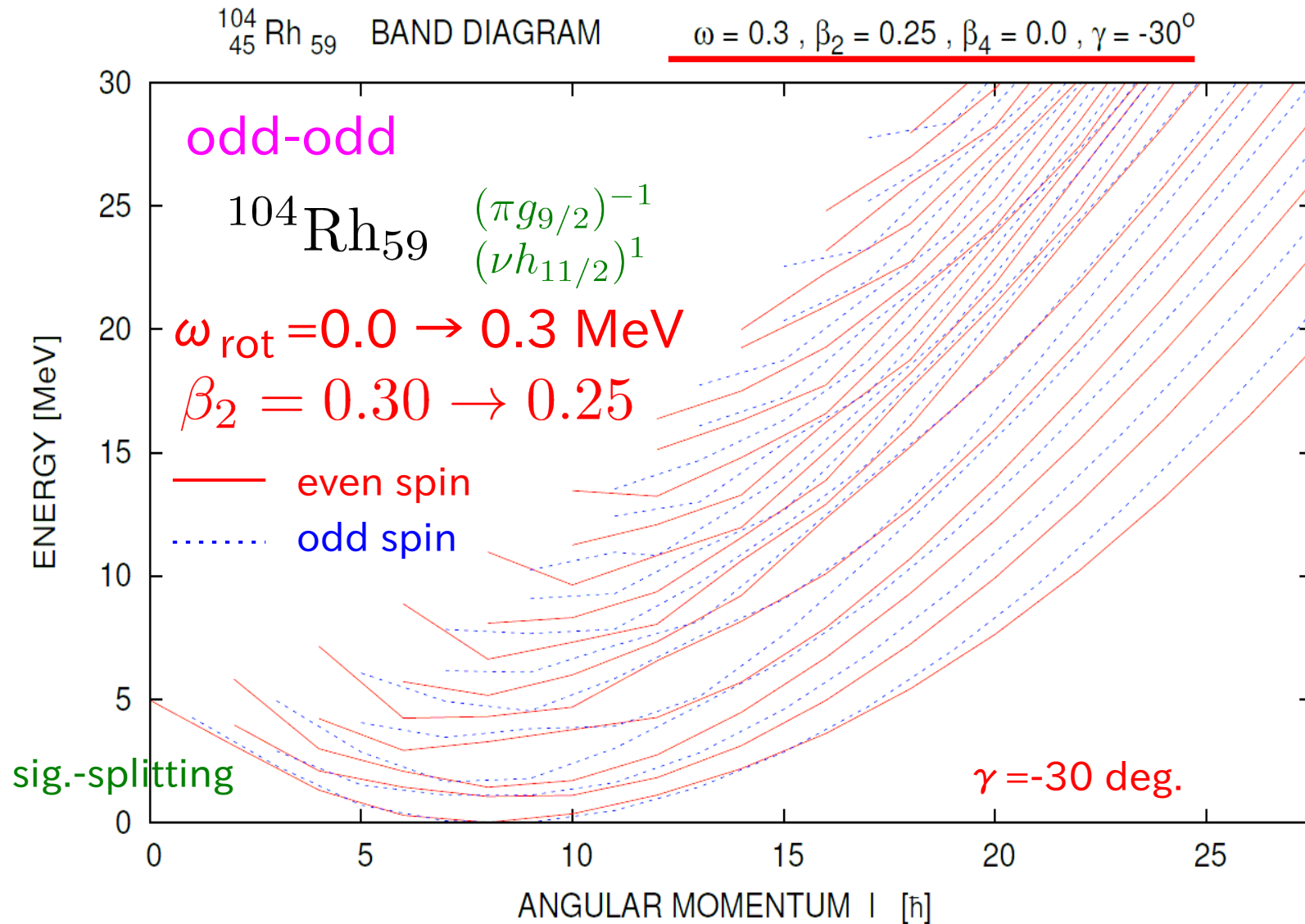


Result of angular momentum projection for chiral doublet band



Only spectra, BE2 · BM1 not yet calculated!!

No doublet bands, e.g. if ω_{rot} increased!



Summary

- Effective method for projection
 - 1) canonical-basis truncation
 - 2) full use of Thouless amplitude

from most general HFB-type states!
- Application to nuclei with tetrahedral shape

Td-symmetry → specific spin-parity combinations
Expected spectra not only for closed-shell but also for one-particle and two-particle systems
However, there are considerable splittings
- Application to high-spin states

Wobbling bands: confirmed full-microscopically, but not easy for quantitative description

Chiral doublet bands: seems to be existing in full-microscopic calculations, need more study, e.g., electromagnetic transitions etc.