



Transfer reactions to the continuum involving exotic nuclei

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Structure models

- Deformed 2-body models (neutron+core)
 - Nilsson model

$$H = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu}\nabla^2 + V_{ls}(r)(\vec{l}\cdot\vec{s}) + V_c(r) - r\beta\frac{dV_c(r)}{dr}Y_{20}(\theta') + \frac{\hbar^2}{2\mathcal{J}}\vec{l}^2$$

► PAMD [PRC89 (2014) 014333]

$$H = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu}\nabla^2 + V_{ls}(r)(\vec{l}\cdot\vec{s}) + V_{vc}^{AMD}(\vec{r},\xi) + h_{core}(\xi)$$

Eigenstates from diagonalization in THO basis

$$\phi_{nl}^{THO}(r) = \sqrt{\frac{ds}{dr}} \phi_{nl}^{HO}[s(r)]$$



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$$^{16}C(d,p)^{17}C$$

- GANIL, 35.3 MeV/nucleon beam
 [NPA683 (2001) 48]
- RCNP, 26.9 MeV/nucleon beam
 [Chinese P. L. 35 (2018) 082501]

GANIL, 17.2 MeV/nucleon beam
 [PLB811 (2020) 135939]

Application to ¹⁷C and ¹¹Be

¹¹Be



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N=16 Shell-Gap



Pseudo-states discretization method

$$16C(d,p)17C$$

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$$\mathcal{F}_n^{THO}(\theta) = \sqrt{\frac{\mu_i \mu_f k_f}{(2\pi\hbar^2)^2 k_i}} \langle \chi_f^{(-)} \varphi_p \Psi_n^{THO} | U | \chi_i^{(+)} \psi_d \phi_{^{16}C} \rangle$$

Convolution with the exact n+core scattering states

$$\mathcal{F}(k,\theta) \approx \sum_{n} \langle \Psi_{1^{7}C}(k,r) | \Psi_{n}^{THO}(r) \rangle \mathcal{F}_{n}^{THO}(\theta)$$

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Conclusions

- We have checked the suitability the PAMD and Nilsson models to describe ¹¹Be and ¹⁷C systems.
 - ¹¹Be: better with PAMD model (weak-coupling limit)
 - ¹⁷C: better with Nilsson model (strong-couplig limit)
- These models have been applied to transfer reactions to bound states and to the continuum using pseudo-states.
- A good reproduction of the structure and transfer reactions have been found.
- The reaction ¹⁶C(d,p)¹⁷C to the continuum have been studied in order to confirm the existence of the N=16 shell-gap.
- Extensions to breakup reactions and other weakly bound nuclei are in progress.





Thanks for your attention



Backup

Nilsson Diagram for ¹⁷C

$$H_{sp} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2\mu}\nabla^2 + V_c(r) + V_{ls}(r)(\vec{l}\cdot\vec{s}) - r\beta\frac{dV_c(r)}{dr}Y_{20}(\theta')$$



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Occupation of single-particular levels



Pauli Blocking



Wave Functions

¹⁷C ground state 3/2+







Transfer to bound states

Sum for the three bound states



Transfer to the continuum

• The prior form of the ADWA approximation is used

X $\langle {}^{17}C | {}^{16}C \rangle$ → Too much spatial extension $\checkmark \langle {}^{17}C | V_{n-16C} | {}^{16}C \rangle$ → Little spatial extension

- The continuum is discretized with the pseudo-states method
 - Scattering amplitudes for a discrete number of pseudo-states
 - Convolution with the *exact n*+core scattering states

$$\mathcal{F}(k,\theta) \approx \sum_{n} \langle \Psi(k,r) | \Psi_{n}^{THO}(r) \rangle \mathcal{F}_{n}^{THO}(\theta)$$

¹⁶C(d,p)¹⁷C: Prior-Post

Bound states

Transfer to the continuum



Transfer to the continuum: Decay mode

