

Polarization effects in deuteron-induced reactions

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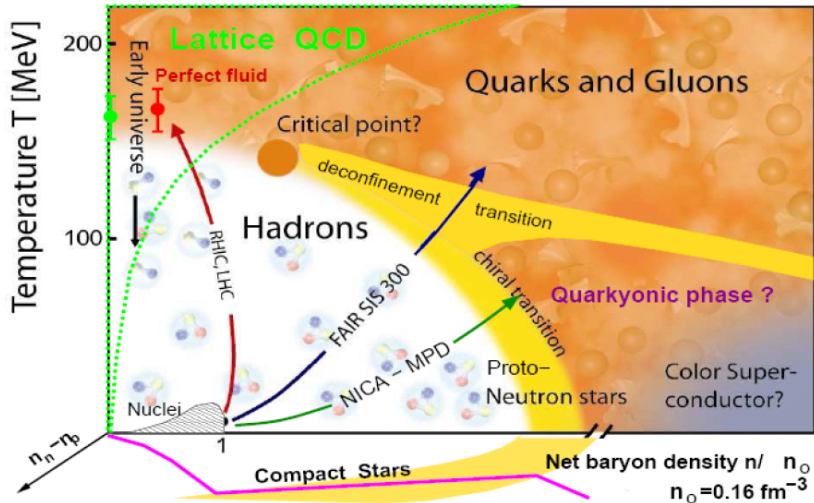
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Nuclear Matter Equation of State

Equation of State(EOS)

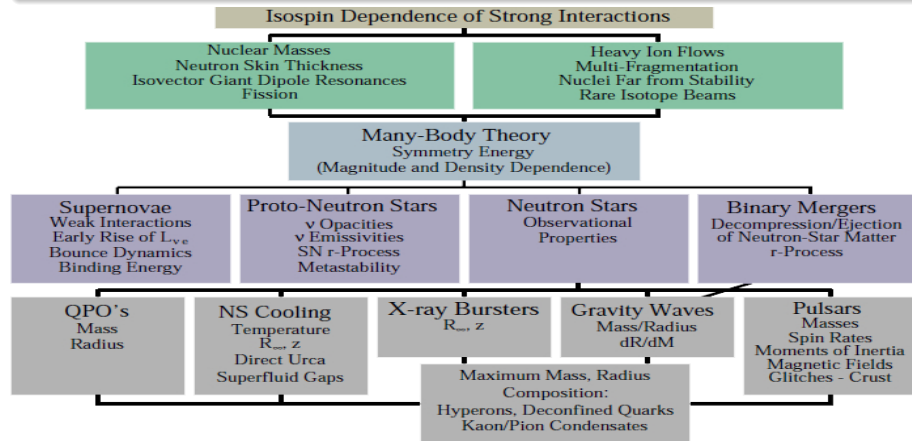
The energy of per nucleon in a nuclear matter $E(\rho, \delta, T)$.



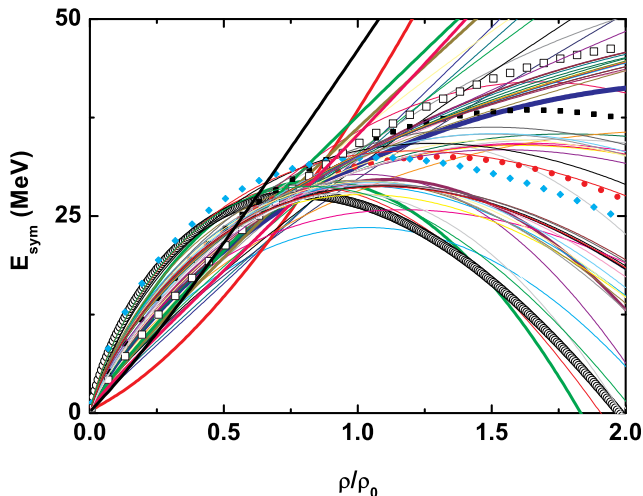
What & Why Symmetry Energy

Symmetry Energy

$$E(\rho, \delta) = E(\rho, 0) + E_{\text{sym}}(\rho)\delta^2 + \mathcal{O}(\delta^4)$$
$$E_{\text{sym}}(\rho) = E(\rho, \delta = 1) - E(\rho, \delta = 0)$$



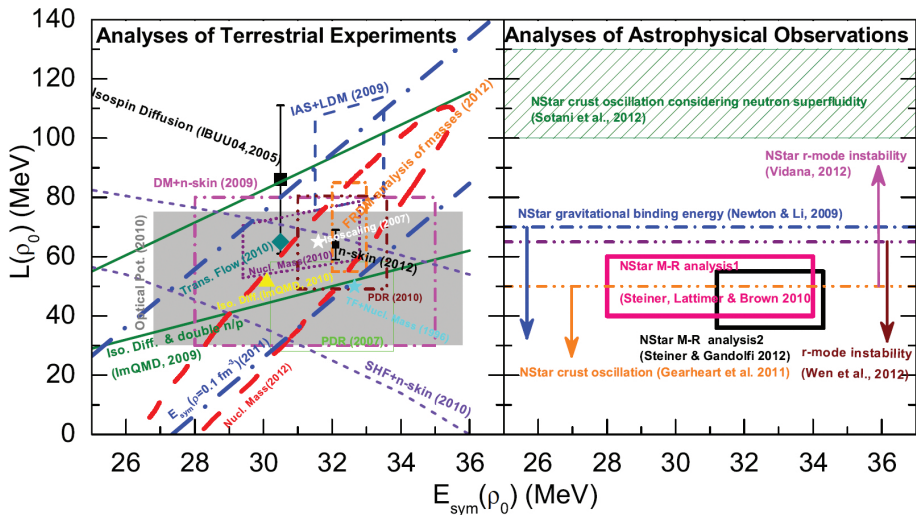
E_{sym} vs ρ is unclear



There is great uncertainty at super-high and sub-saturation density.

Need to be constrained by experiment!

Current constraints on $E_{\text{sym}}(\rho)$



B.A. Li, L.W. Chen, F.J. Fattoyev, W.G. Newton, and C. Xu, arXiv:1212.1178

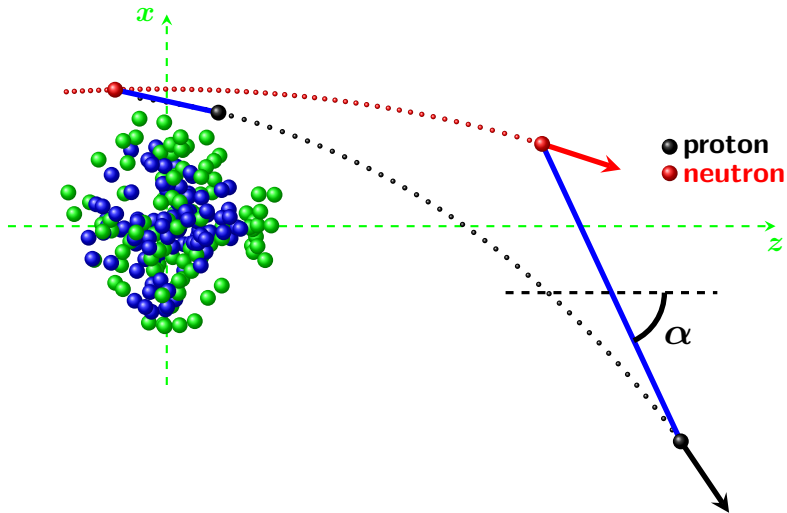
$$E_{\text{sym}}(\rho_0) = 32.5 \pm 2.5 \text{ MeV} \quad L = 55 \pm 25 \text{ MeV}$$

$$E_{\text{sym}}(\rho) = E_{\text{sym}}(\rho_0) (\rho/\rho_0)^\gamma \quad \text{with } \gamma = 0.9 \pm 0.4$$

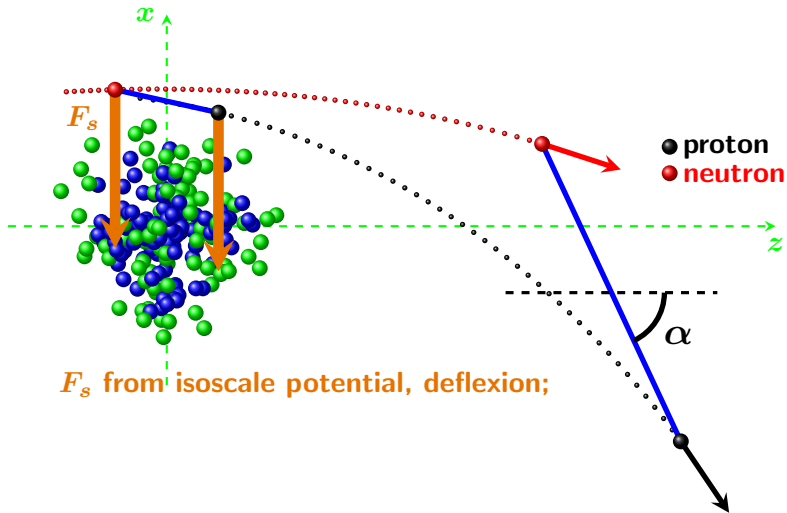
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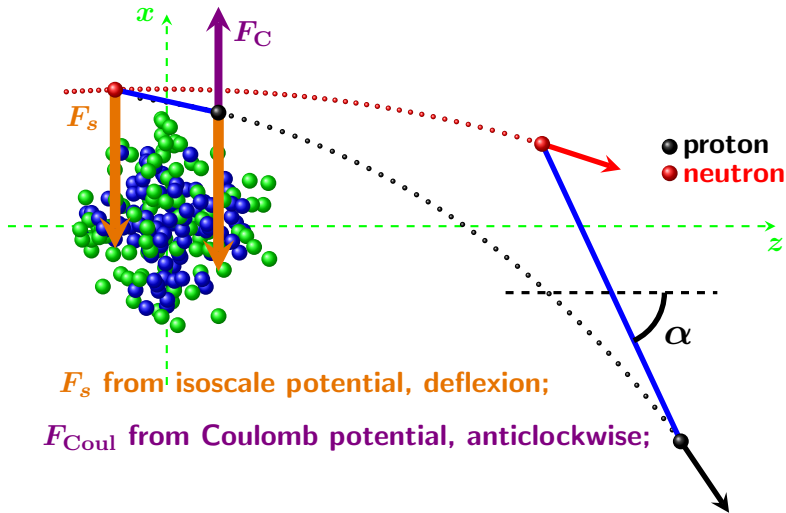
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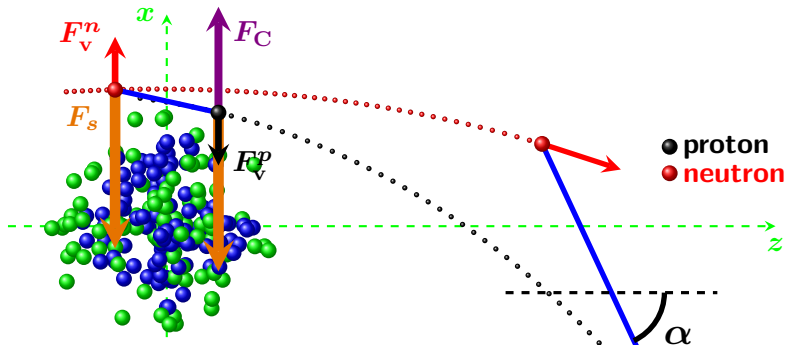
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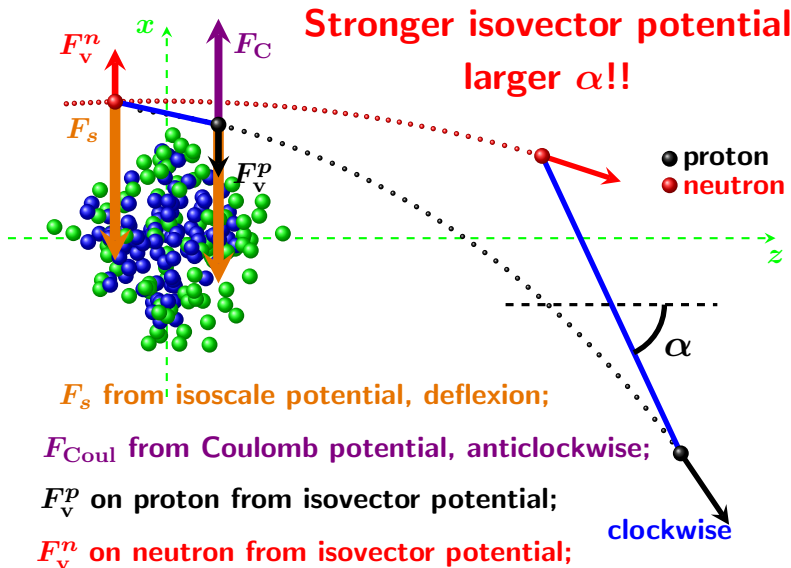
F_S from isoscale potential, deflexion;

F_{Coul} from Coulomb potential, anticlockwise;

F_V^p on proton from isovector potential;

F_V^n on neutron from isovector potential;

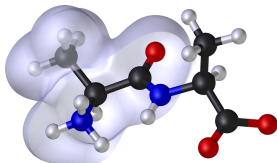
clockwise



Tool: ImQMD model

$$\dot{\mathbf{r}}_i = \frac{\partial H}{\partial \mathbf{p}_i}, \quad \dot{\mathbf{p}}_i = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial \mathbf{r}_i}$$

$$H = T + U_{\text{loc}} + U_{\text{Coul}}$$



$$U_{\text{Coul}} = \frac{1}{2} \int \rho_p(r) \frac{e^2}{|r-r'|} \rho_p(r') dr dr'$$

$$T = \sum_i T_i = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2}{2m}$$

$$U_{\text{loc}} = \int V_{\text{loc}} dr,$$

2-body

3-body

surface

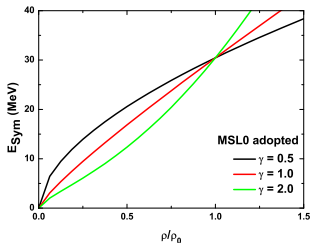
$$V_{\text{loc}}(\rho) = \frac{\alpha}{2} \frac{\rho^2}{\rho_0} + \frac{\beta}{\gamma+1} \frac{\rho^{\gamma+1}}{\rho_0^\gamma} + \frac{g_{\text{sur}}}{2\rho_0} (\nabla \rho)^2$$

$$+ \frac{g_{\text{sur,iso}}}{\rho_0} [\nabla(\rho_n - \rho_p)]^2 + \frac{C_s}{2} \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right)^{\gamma+1} \delta^2 + g_{\rho\tau} \frac{\rho^{8/3}}{\rho_0^{5/3}}$$

surface symmetry

symmetry

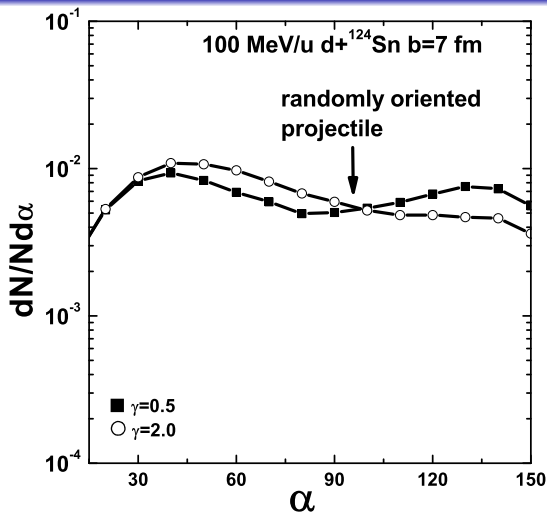
$\rho\tau$ term



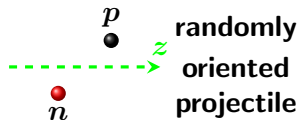
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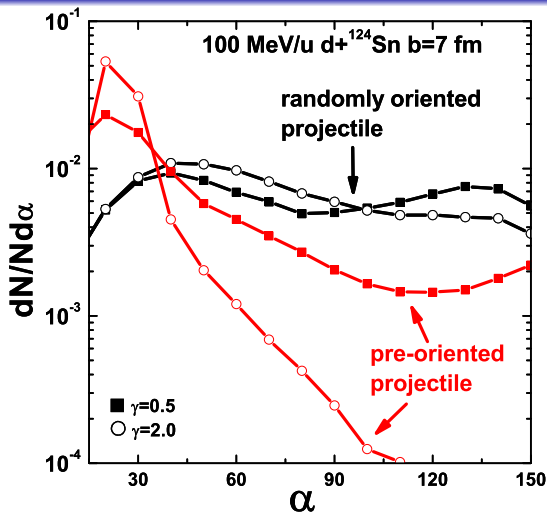


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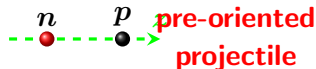
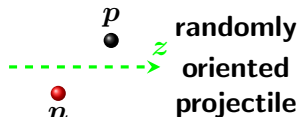


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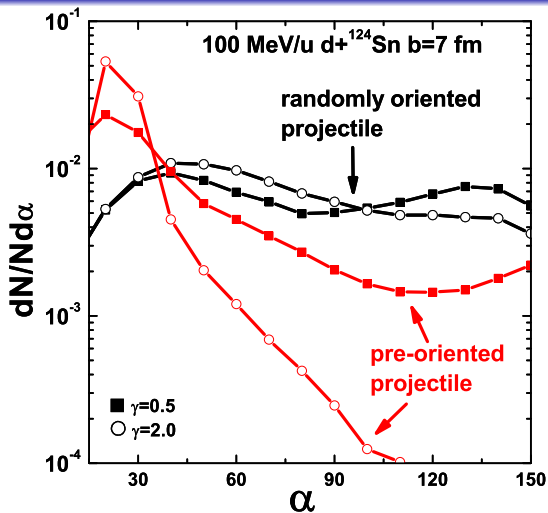


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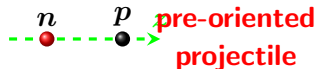
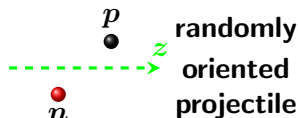


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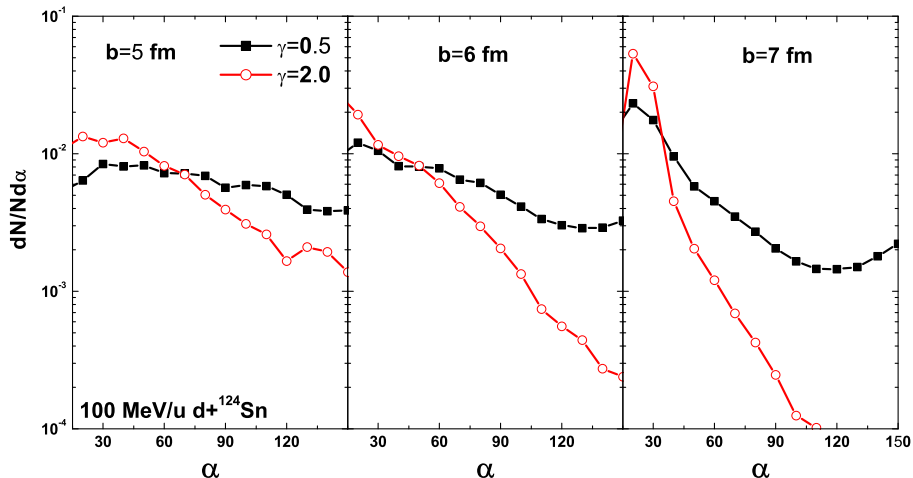


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- Polarization direction is changed more with stronger symmetry potential ($\gamma = 0.5$).

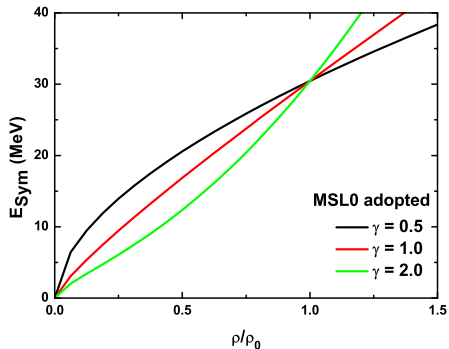
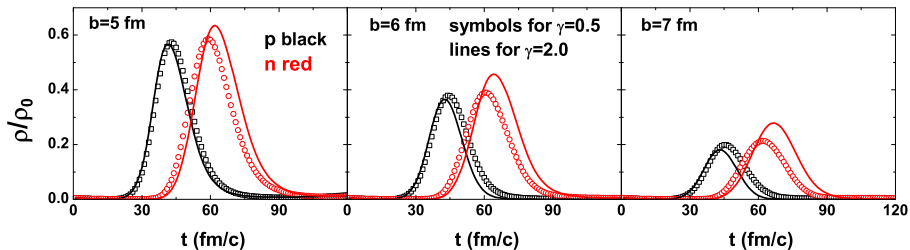
Impact parameter dependence



With impact parameter decreases, the isospin effect becomes more and more weak.

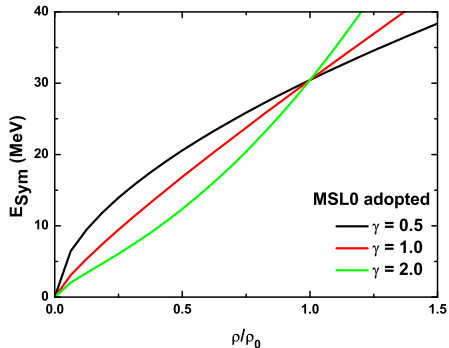
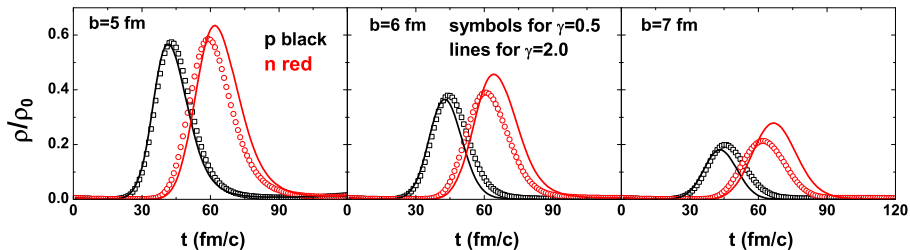
- **Asymmetry degree becomes smaller and smaller;**
- **Too strong isoscale potential weakens isospin effect.**

Clear density range



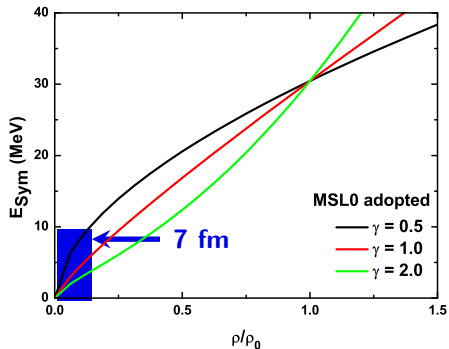
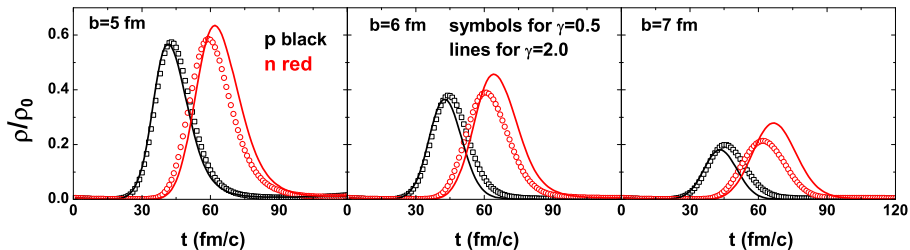
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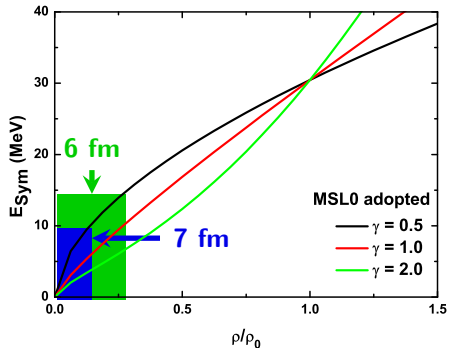
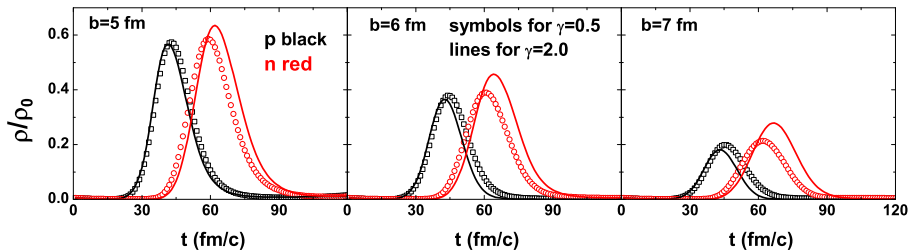
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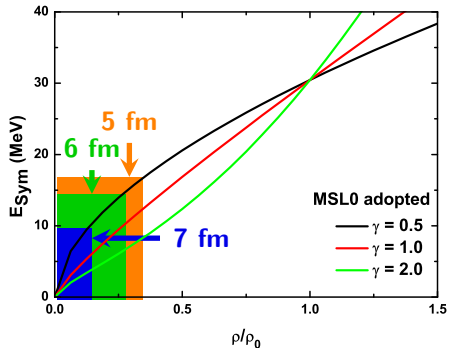
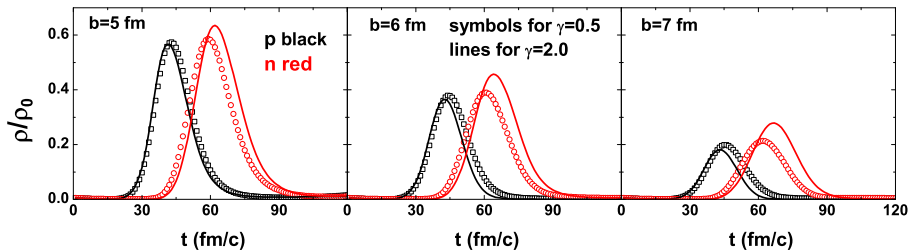
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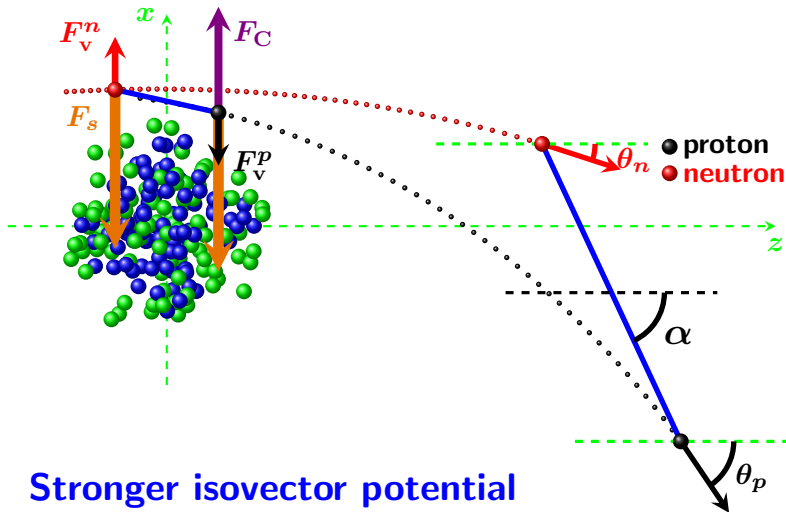
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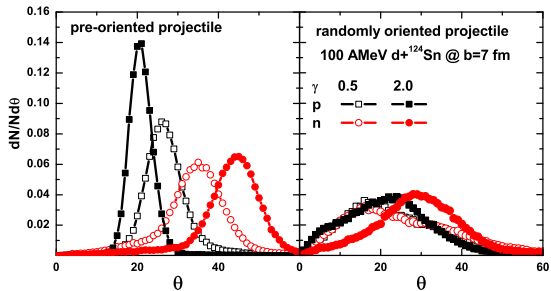
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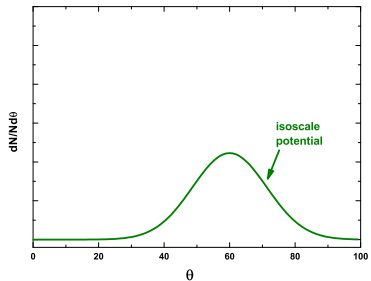
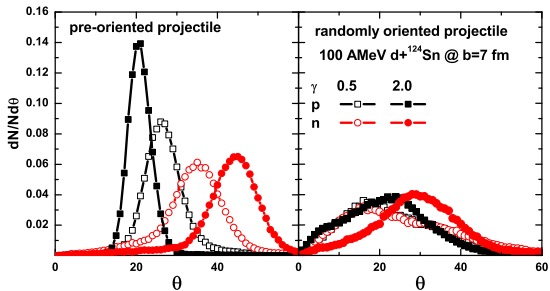
Stronger isovector potential

larger θ_p ! smaller θ_n !

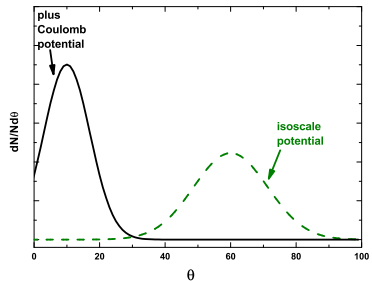
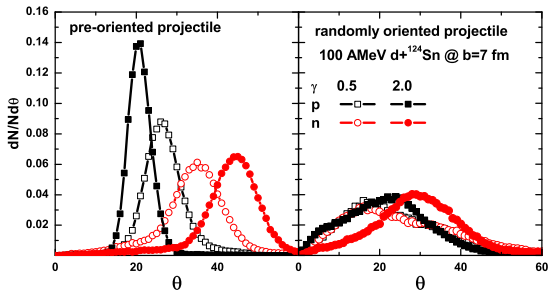
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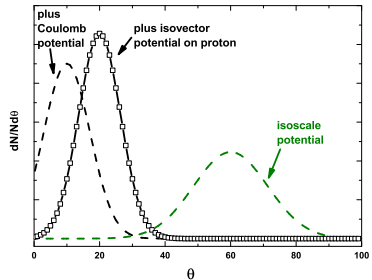
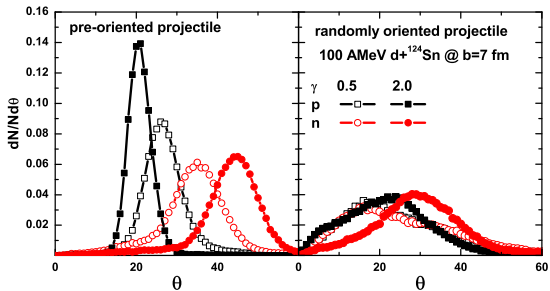
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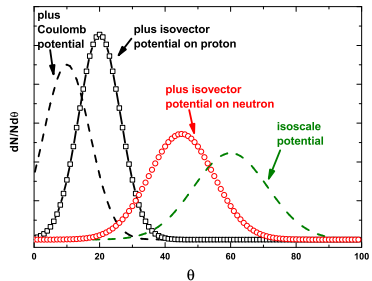
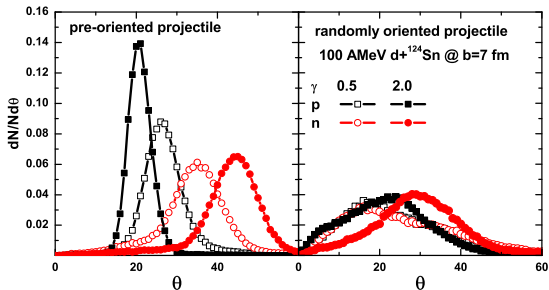
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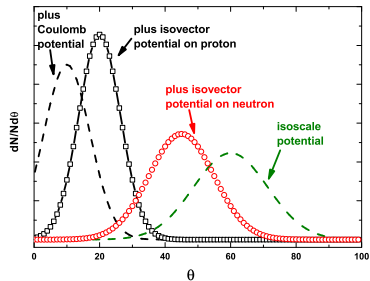
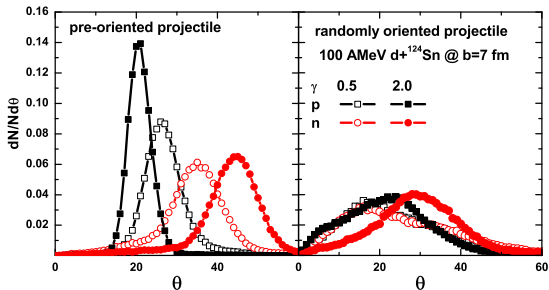
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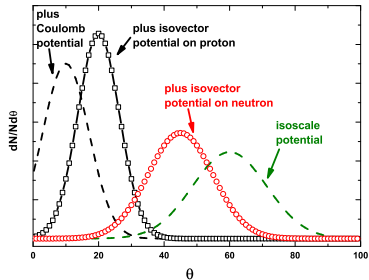
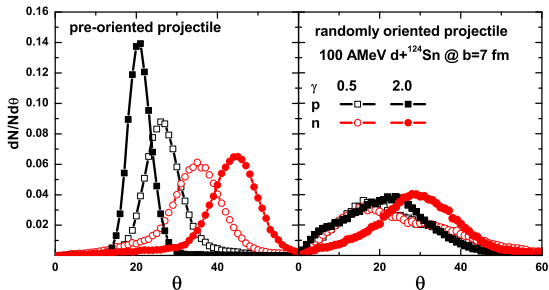


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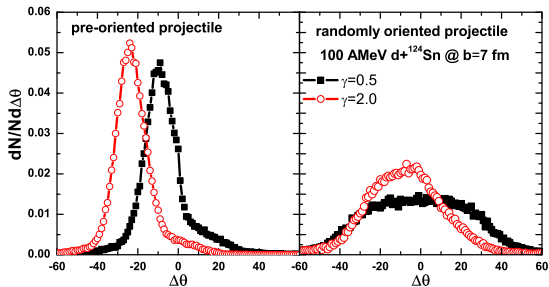
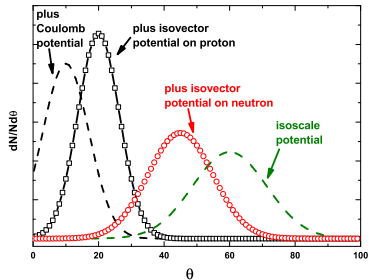
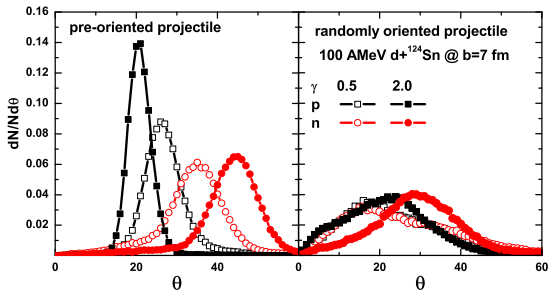
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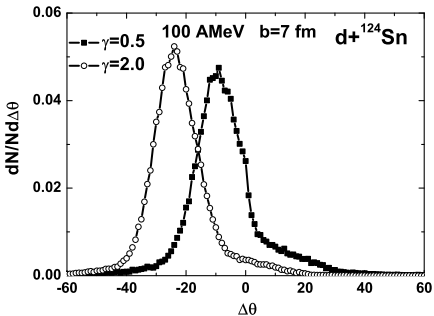
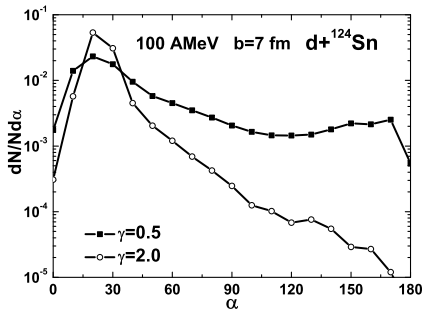
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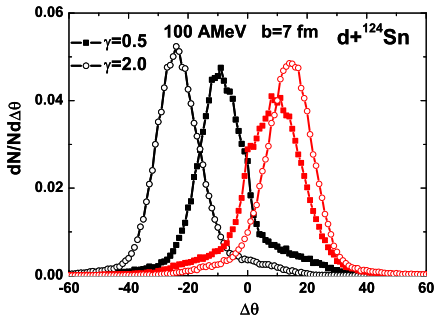
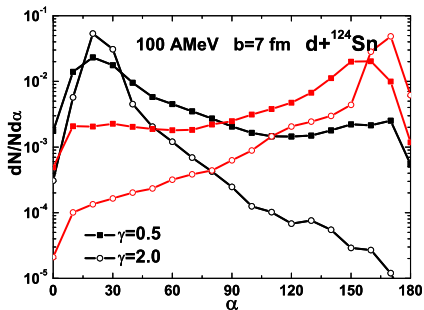


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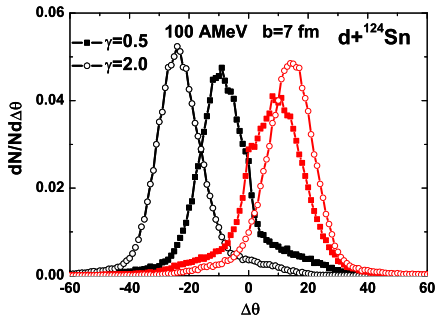
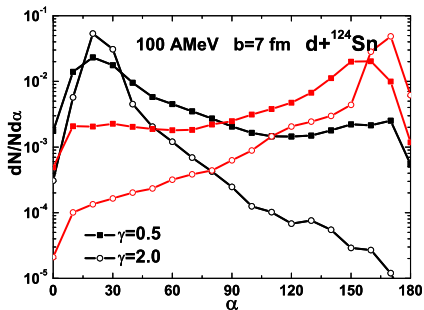


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- 1 Polarization effect of deuteron due to isovector interaction in the nuclear potential of heavy target is investigated within ImQMD framework.**
- 2 Because of simple and clear reaction mechanism, pre-oriented deuteron-induced reaction provide a very clean probe to detect the density dependence of symmetry energy.**



Thanks!