

NEUTRINOLESS DOUBLE BETA DECAY AND PHYSICS BEYOND THE STANDARD MODEL



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Plan of Talk

- *Mass and Nature of Neutrinos*
 - *Neutrinoless Double Beta Decay*
 - *Uncertainties in NTMEs*
 - *Physics Beyond the SM*
 - *Experimental activities in India*
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Static and Dynamic of Massive Properties

- (1) Smallness of neutrino mass**
- (2) Structure of mixing matrix**
- (3) Nature of neutrinos**
- (4) Violation of B-L symmetry**
- (5) Stability of neutrinos**
- (6) Possible CP-violation in leptonic sector**
- (7) Interaction of neutrinos**

Neutrino Mass and Mixing

- (1) **Extended Standard model**
(enlarged fermion sector, enlarged Higgs sector, Majoron models-
spontaneous B-L violation)
- (2) **Left-right Symmetric model (see-saw)**
- (3) **SU(5), SO(10) and E(6) GUTs**
- (4) **Supersymmetric models**
- (5) **Extradimensions and String theory**

Mixing: Democratic, Maximal and Bimaximal

$$m_\nu M_N \approx m_D^2$$

NEUTRINO MASS

Complementary Experiments

(1) Beta Decay

$$m_\nu = \sqrt{\sum_{k=1}^3 |U_{ek}^{(11)}|^2 m_k^2}$$
$$= \sqrt{c_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 m_1^2 + c_{13}^2 s_{12}^2 m_2^2 + s_{13}^2 m_3^2}$$

(2) Astrophysical and Cosmological

$$m_\nu = \sum_{k=1}^3 m_k$$

(3) NDBD

$$\langle m_\nu \rangle = \sum_{k=1}^3 (U_{ek}^{(11)})^2 m_k$$
$$= c_{12}^2 c_{13}^2 e^{2i\alpha_1} m_1^2 + c_{13}^2 s_{12}^2 e^{2i\alpha_2} m_2^2 + s_{13}^2 m_3^2$$

---Neutrino oscillation

--- $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

----Single β decay

----Astrophysical
and Cosmological
measurements

---- Role of neutrinos on large
scale structure formation

Perspective of $\beta\beta$ decay

Candidates: 35 $\beta^-\beta^-$, 34 $e^+\beta\beta$ emitters

Modes: $\beta^-\beta^-$, $\beta^+\beta^+$, $\epsilon\beta^+$, $\epsilon\epsilon$ with and without neutrinos, single Majoron and double Majorons

Transitions: $0^+ \rightarrow 0^+$, $0^+ \rightarrow 1^+$, $0^+ \rightarrow 2^+$ etc.

Experimental Study: Decay rates, energy spectrum, angular correlation



Implications of $\beta\beta$ decay

-Lepton number violation

-Dirac or Majorana neutrino

-Origin of neutrino mass

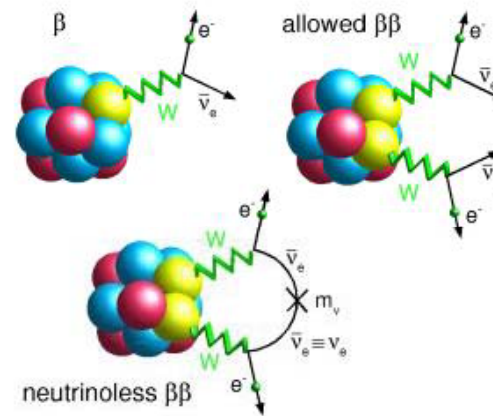
-Mass hierarchy

-Right handed current

-CP violation in lepton sector

Astrophysical: Stellar evolution and Supernova explosion

Cosmological: Big-bang nucleosynthesis, Galaxy formation, dark matter and dark energy

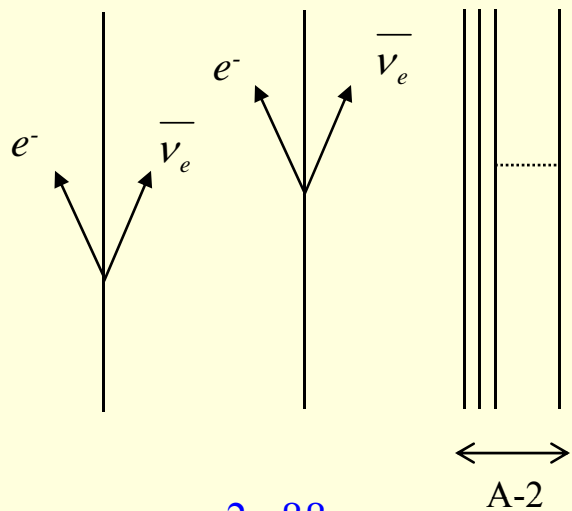


Gauge theoretical models

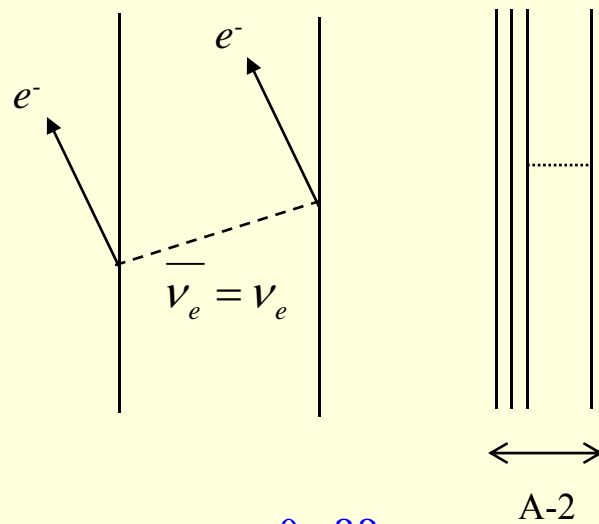
1. Left-right Symmetric models
2. Sterile neutrinos
3. Majoron models
4. SUSY models
5. Lepto-quark models
6. Compositeness
7. Extra-dimensional Scenario

Theoretical Approaches

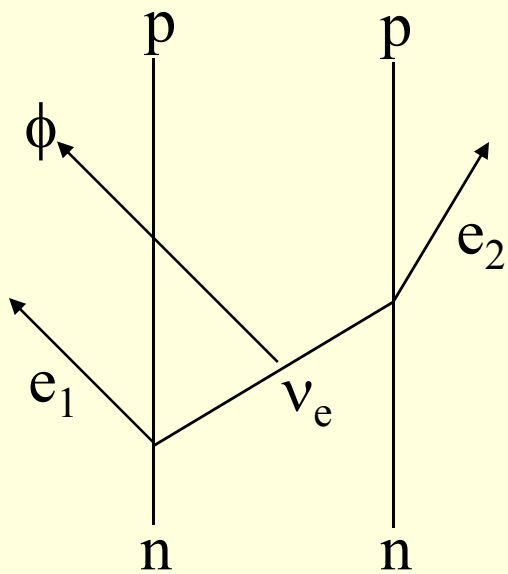
- (1) Phenomenological
- (2) Quark model
- (3) EFT
- (4) Chiral EFT
- (5) Lorentz invariant description



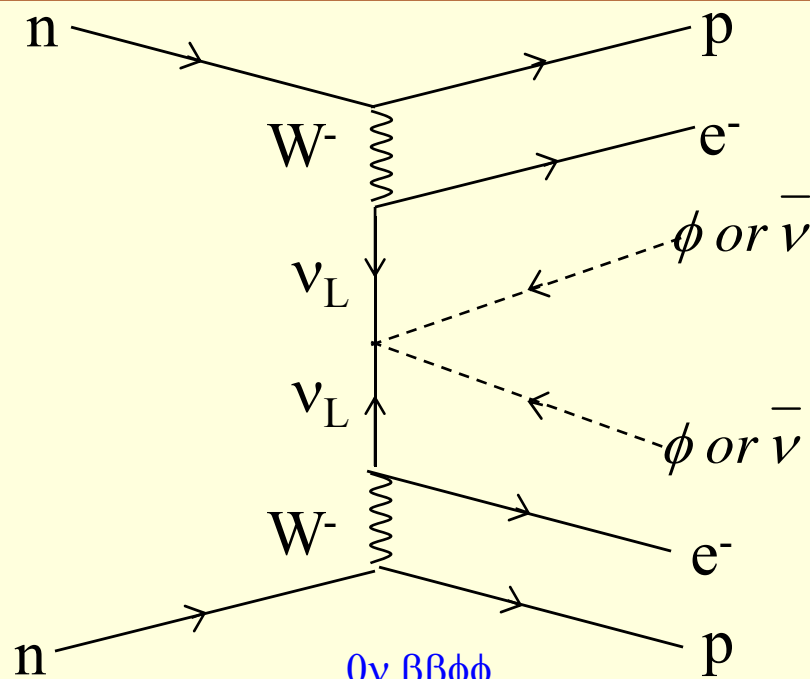
$2\nu \beta\beta$



$0\nu \beta\beta$



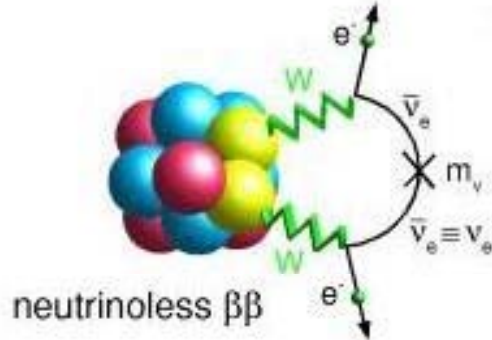
$0\nu \beta\beta\phi$



$0\nu \beta\beta\phi\phi$

$(\beta\beta)_{0\nu}$ Decay (LRSM)

$$\begin{aligned}
 [T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(0^+ \rightarrow 0^+)]^{-1} = & \left(\frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right)^2 C_{mm}^{LL} + \left(\frac{M_p}{\langle M_N \rangle}\right)^2 C_{mm}^{NN} + \left(\frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right) \left(\frac{M_p}{\langle M_N \rangle}\right) C_{mm}^{NL} \\
 & + \left(\frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right) \langle \lambda \rangle C_{m\lambda}^{LL} + \left(\frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right) \langle \eta \rangle C_{m\eta}^{LL} + \left(\frac{\langle m_\nu \rangle}{m_e}\right) \langle \xi \rangle C_{m\xi}^{NL} \\
 & + \left(\frac{M_p}{\langle M_N \rangle}\right) \langle \lambda \rangle C_{m\lambda}^{NL} + \left(\frac{M_p}{\langle M_N \rangle}\right) \langle \eta \rangle C_{m\eta}^{NL} + \left(\frac{M_p}{\langle M_N \rangle}\right) \langle \xi \rangle C_{m\xi}^{NN} \\
 & + \langle \lambda \rangle \langle \eta \rangle C_{\lambda\eta}^{LL} + \langle \lambda \rangle \langle \xi \rangle C_{\lambda\xi}^{NL} + \langle \eta \rangle \langle \xi \rangle C_{\eta\xi}^{NL} \\
 & + \langle \lambda \rangle^2 C_{\lambda\lambda}^{LL} + \langle \eta \rangle^2 C_{\eta\eta}^{LL} + \langle \xi \rangle^2 C_{\xi\xi}^{NN}
 \end{aligned} \tag{4.2}$$



$$\langle m_\nu \rangle = \sum_i' U_{ei}^2 m_i \tag{4.3}$$

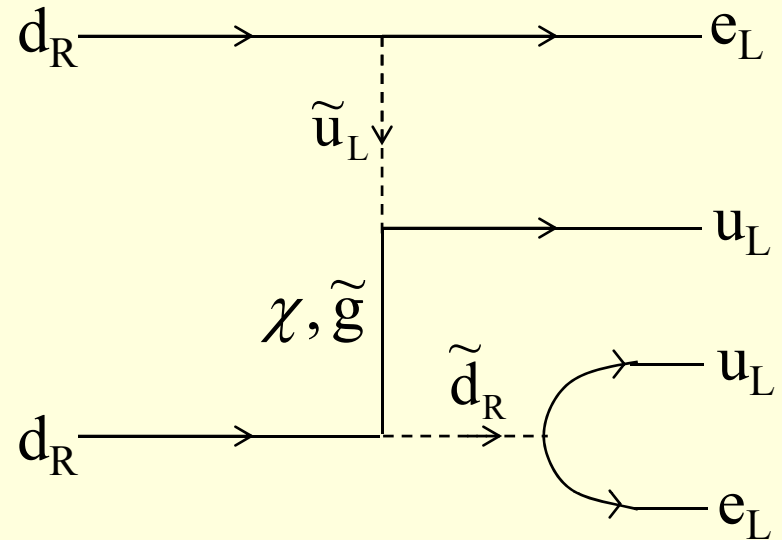
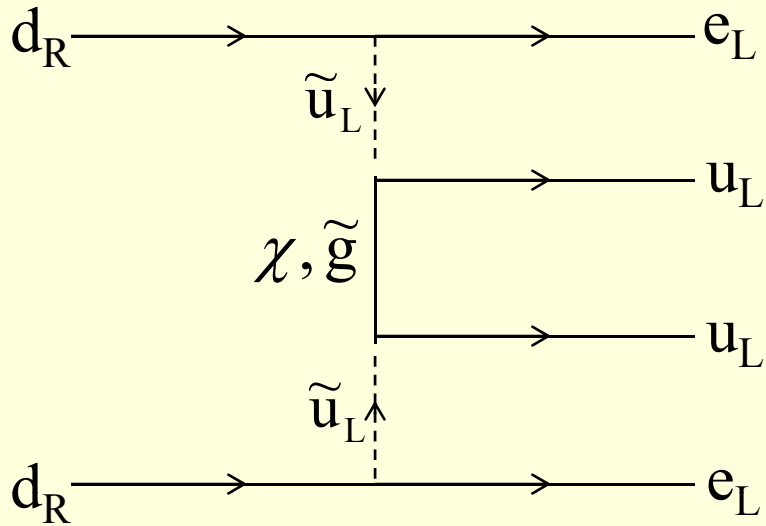
$$\langle \lambda \rangle = \lambda \left| \sum_i' \left(\frac{g_V'}{g_V} \right) U_{ei} V_{ei} \right| \tag{4.4}$$

$$\langle \eta \rangle = \eta \left| \sum_i' U_{ei} V_{ei} \right| \tag{4.5}$$

$$\langle M_N \rangle^{-1} = \sum_i'' U_{ei}^2 m_i^{-1} \tag{4.6}$$

$$\langle \xi \rangle = \left[\lambda^2 + \eta^2 - 2\lambda\eta \left(\frac{M_{GTh} + M_{Fh}}{M_{GTh} - M_{Fh}} \right) \right] \sum_i'' V_{ei}^2 \left(\frac{M_p}{m_j} \right) \tag{4.7}$$

SUSY models



$$T_{1/2}^{-1}(0\nu\beta\beta) = G_{01} M_1^\nu (m_e R)^{-1} (4\bar{\eta}_{(l)} + \bar{\eta}_{(q)} + \eta_{(q)})^2$$

Majoron models

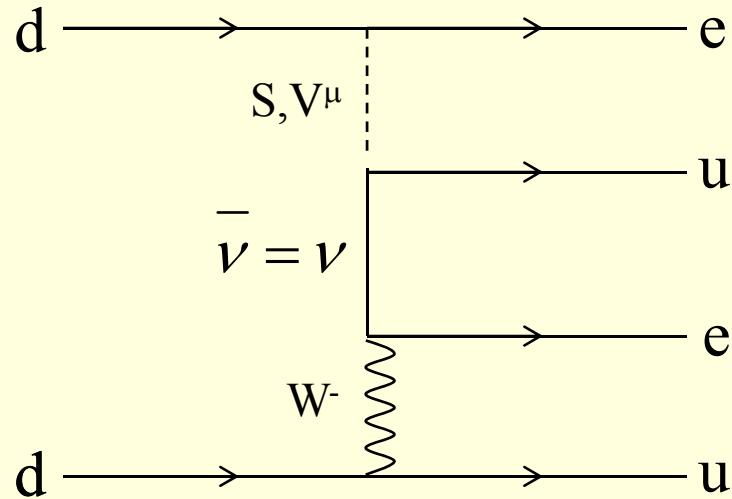
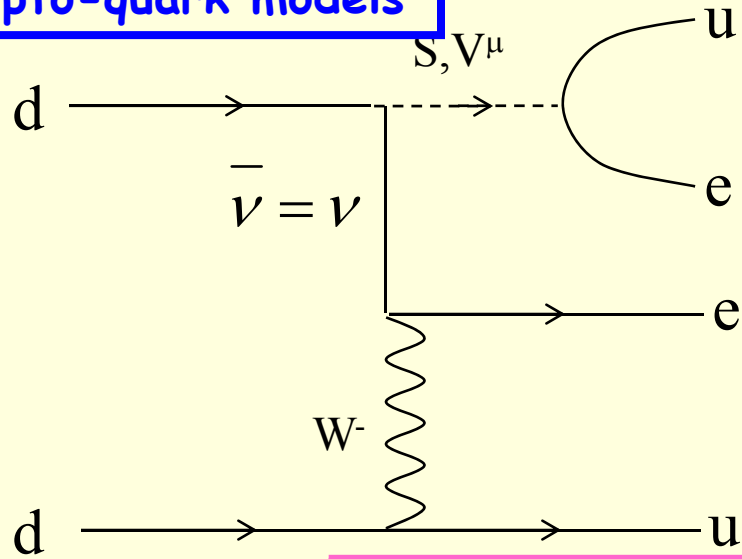
Half-life $T_{1/2}$ of Majoron emitting $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay is given by

where

$$[T_{1/2}]^{-1} = \left| \langle g_\alpha \rangle \right|^m \cdot |M_\alpha|^2 \cdot G_{\beta\beta\alpha}$$

$$m = \begin{cases} 2 & 0\nu\beta\beta\phi \\ 4 & 0\nu\beta\beta\phi\phi \end{cases}$$

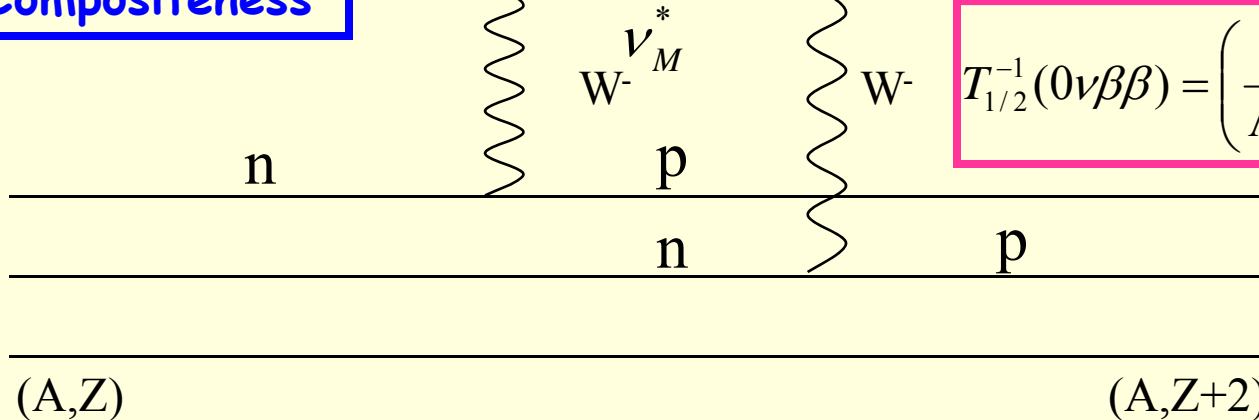
Lepto-quark models



Half-life

$$T_{1/2}^{-1}(0\nu\beta\beta) = |M_{GT}|^2 \frac{2}{G_F^2} [\tilde{C}_1 a^2 + a(\tilde{C}_2 b_R - \sqrt{2}\tilde{C}_3 b_L) + C_4 b_R^2 + 2C_5 b_L^2 - \sqrt{2}C_6 b_L b_R]$$

Compositeness



$$T_{1/2}^{-1}(0\nu\beta\beta) = \left(\frac{f}{\Lambda_c}\right)^{-4} \frac{m_A^8}{M_N^2} \frac{G_{01}}{m_e^2} |M_{FI}|^2 (\eta_L^4 + \eta_R^4)$$

Sterile neutrinos

Half-life $T_{1/2}$:

$$T_{1/2}^{-1}(0\nu\beta\beta) = G_{01} \left| U_{eh}^2 \frac{m_h}{m_e} M^{0\nu}(m_h) \right|^2$$

U_{eh} is the ν_h - ν_e mixing matrix element and $M^{0\nu}(m_h)$ is the NTME.

Extra-dimensions

$$\langle m \rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{M}_{\text{GTF}}(m_\nu)} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} B_{e,n}^2 m_{(n)} \left[\mathcal{M}_{\text{GTF}}(m_{(n)}) - \mathcal{M}_{\text{GTF}}(m_\nu) \right].$$

$(\beta\beta)_{0\nu}$ Decay

$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(0^+ \rightarrow 0^+)]^{-1} = G_{01} \left| \sum_{\alpha} \eta_{\alpha} M^{(\alpha)} \right|^2$$

where

$$M^{(\alpha)} = M_F^{(\alpha)} + M_{GT}^{(\alpha)} + M_T^{(\alpha)}$$

and $\alpha =$ different modes

Operators are long and short ranged.

$$A_L = G_F^2 \frac{M_{ee}^{\nu}}{k^2}$$

and

$$A_H = G_F^2 \frac{M_W^4}{\Lambda^5}$$

$$A_H / A_L \approx 1$$

for $M_{ee}^{\nu} \approx 0.1 - 0.5 \text{ eV}$

and $\Lambda = 1 \text{ TeV}$

Sources of Uncertainties

Reliability of NTMEs

(1) Structure of NTMEs

(nonperturbative QCD)

(Simkovic et al., Vergados,
Faessler, Civitarese and
Suhonen, Mendez)

(2) Assumptions of NRMBTH

(3) Model Specific

(4) g_A

(6) FNS

(7) SRC

Models:

**SM, QRPA, DQRPA, PHFB, EDF
CDFT, IBM**

**Calculation of as many physical
observables as possible**

--PRC 41, 1315 (1990)

(1) Yrast spectra

(2) Occupation Numbers

(3) Reduced $B(E2:0^+ \rightarrow 2^+)$ transition

(4) Static quadrupole moments $Q(2^+)$

(5) g-factors $g(2^+)$

(6) $M_{2\nu}$

FNS

- (1) Dipole form factor
- (2) Structure of nucleons
- (3)
- (4)
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SRC

- (1) Jastrow correlations (Miller-Spencer, CCM)
- (2) UCOM
- (3) CCM (Argonne and CD-Bonn)
- (4) FhCh
- (5) Meson exchange

Uncertainties in NTMEs

- (1) Spread (Vogel)
- (2) Global average (Bahcall, Avignone III)
- (3) Model independent (Bilenky and Grifols)
- (4) Model specific (Tuebingen, Jyväskylä)
- (5) Engel's proposal

Deformation Effects

- (1) NTMEs are large for a pair of spherical nuclei.*
- (2) With small admixture of quadrupolar correlations, NTMEs are almost constant and suppressed in realistic situations.*
- (3) NTMEs are large for identical deformations of parent and daughter nuclei.*
- (4) Sizes of NTMEs are reduced with the increase in deformations of parent and daughter nuclei.*
- (5) The deformation effects are equally important for $(\beta\beta)_{2\nu}$ and $(\beta\beta)_{0\nu}$ modes so far as nuclear structure aspect of $\beta\beta$ decay is concerned.*

EPJA 23, 223 (2005); EPJA 28, 27 (2006); EPJA 33, 375 (2007),
PRC 78, 054302 (2008); PRC 80, 044303 (2009), EPL 86, 32001 (2009),
JPG 37, 055108 (2010)

Calculated [5] and experimental deformation parameter β_2 [6].

Nuclei	Case	β_2 (<i>Th.</i>)	β_2 (<i>Exp.</i>)	Nuclei	Case	β_2 (<i>Th.</i>)	β_2 (<i>Exp.</i>)
^{94}Zr	(a)	0.100	0.090 ± 0.010	^{94}Mo	(a)	0.161	0.1509 ± 0.0015
	(b)	0.110			(b)	0.161	
^{96}Zr	(a)	0.085	0.080 ± 0.017	^{96}Mo	(a)	0.191	0.1720 ± 0.0016
	(b)	0.087			(b)	0.186	
^{98}Mo	(a)	0.158	0.1683 ± 0.0028	^{98}Ru	(a)	0.205	0.1947 ± 0.0030
	(b)	0.162			(b)	0.194	
^{100}Mo	(a)	0.231	0.2309 ± 0.0022	^{100}Ru	(a)	0.214	0.2148 ± 0.0011
	(b)	0.226			(b)	0.214	
^{104}Ru	(a)	0.285	0.2707 ± 0.0020	^{104}Pd	(a)	0.216	0.209 ± 0.007
	(b)	0.282			(b)	0.219	
^{110}Pd	(a)	0.216	0.257 ± 0.006	^{110}Cd	(a)	0.196	0.1770 ± 0.0039
	(b)	0.214			(b)	0.191	
^{128}Te	(a)	0.136	0.1363 ± 0.0011	^{128}Xe	(a)	0.192	0.1836 ± 0.0049
	(b)	0.136			(b)	0.181	
^{130}Te	(a)	0.117	0.1184 ± 0.0014	^{130}Xe	(a)	0.166	0.169 ± 0.007
	(b)	0.120			(b)	0.163	
^{150}Nd	(a)	0.276	0.2853 ± 0.0021	^{150}Sm	(a)	0.238	0.1931 ± 0.0021
	(b)	0.279			(b)	0.241	

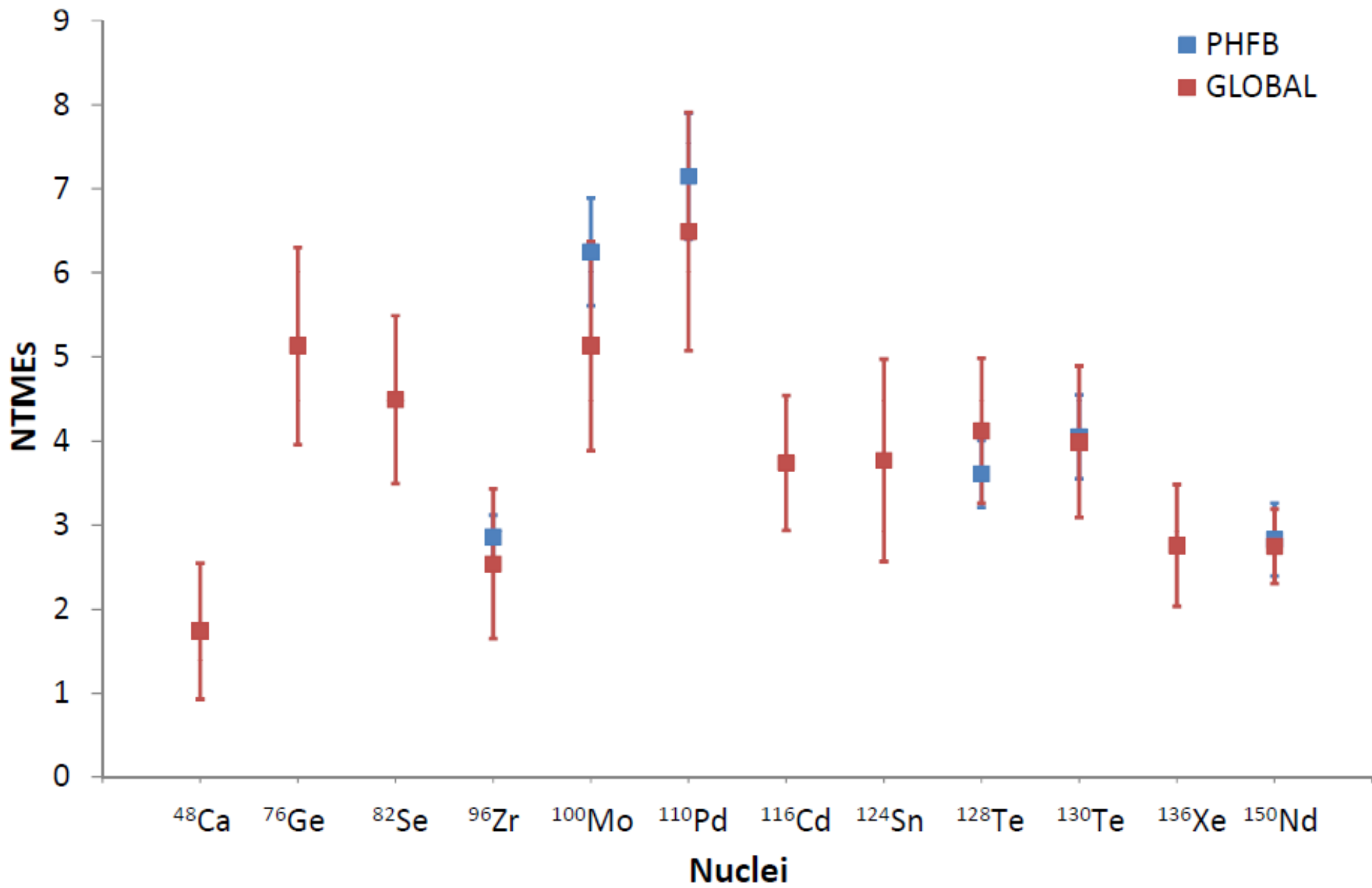
Uncertainties in NTMEs

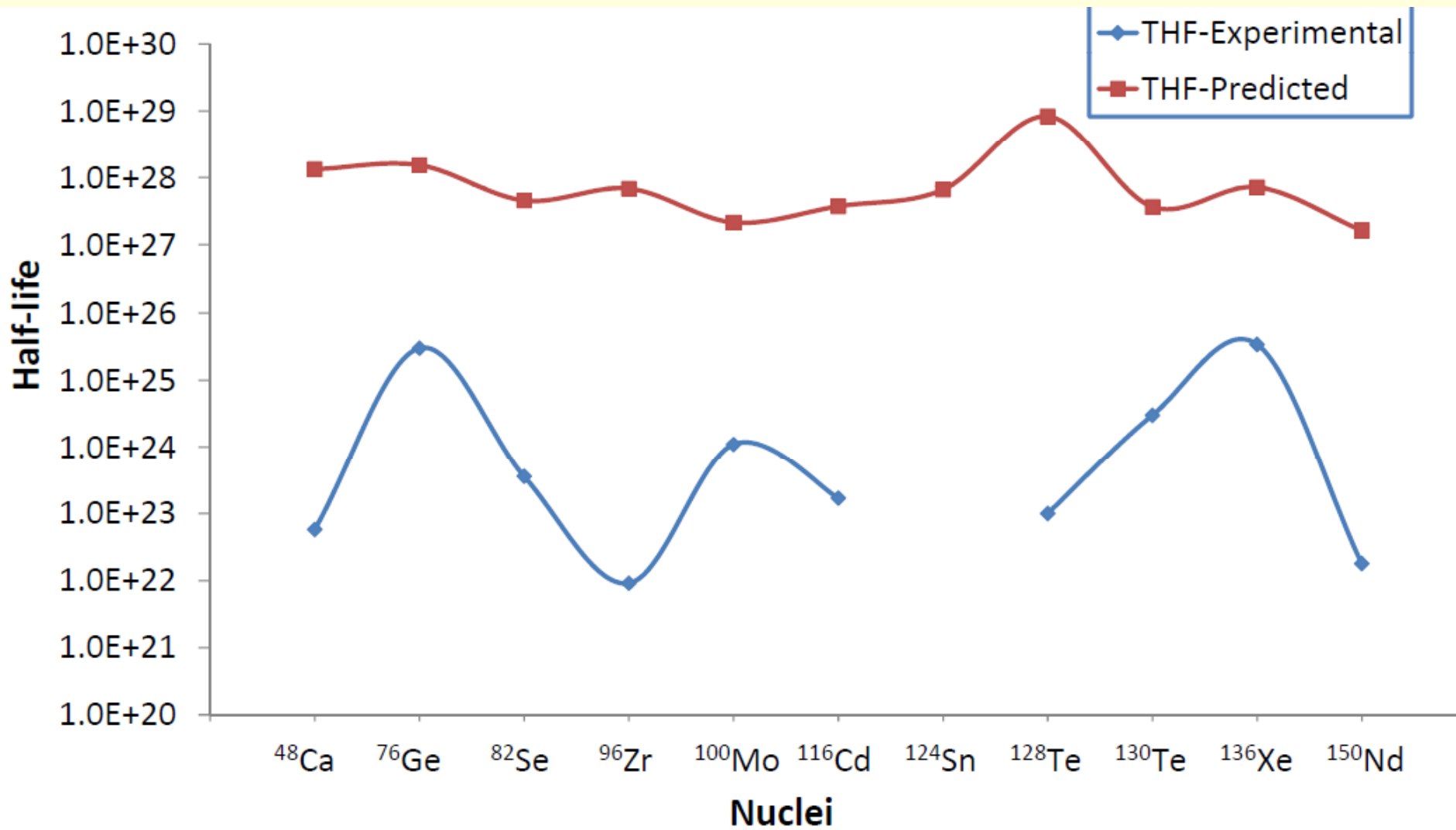
NTMEs and uncertainties of short and long ranged operators.

Nuclei	⁹⁶ Zr	¹⁰⁰ Mo	¹²⁸ Te	¹³⁰ Te	¹⁵⁰ Nd	Error(%)
$M^{(0\nu)}$	2.86 ± 0.26	6.25 ± 0.64	3.61 ± 0.40	4.05 ± 0.50	2.83 ± 0.43	9–15
$M_N^{(\bar{q}\nu)}(bag)$	34.2 ± 12.8	78.2 ± 25.1	46.7 ± 16.9	56.3 ± 16.4	31.4 ± 11.0	32–37
$M_N^{(\bar{q}\nu)}(nrqm)$	81.5 ± 24.9	174.0 ± 49.3	104.4 ± 32.3	117.0 ± 31.8	70.5 ± 21.7	22–49
$M_\pi^{(\bar{q}\nu)}$	219.5 ± 20.1	486.9 ± 49.9	305.4 ± 30.7	318.4 ± 30.1	213.5 ± 31.6	9–15
$M_{CL}^{(\chi)}$	0.60 ± 0.06	1.21 ± 0.12	0.26 ± 0.03	0.69 ± 0.08	0.63 ± 0.10	9–15
$M_{CR}^{(\chi)} \times 10^3$	1.64 ± 0.15	3.02 ± 0.29	0.23 ± 0.02	1.47 ± 0.17	1.71 ± 0.25	9–15
$M_{w2}^{(\chi)} \times 10^4$	0.74 ± 0.06	1.25 ± 0.14	0.10 ± 0.01	0.65 ± 0.13	0.77 ± 0.1	7–21
$M_{w2}^{(\chi)} \times 10^4$	2.52 ± 0.19	3.60 ± 0.40	0.03 ± 0.004	1.38 ± 0.29	2.77 ± 0.45	7–21
$M^{(0N)}$	100.53 ± 36.89	206.75 ± 73.08	126.83 ± 46.34	136.39 ± 46.92	85.55 ± 31.45	34–37

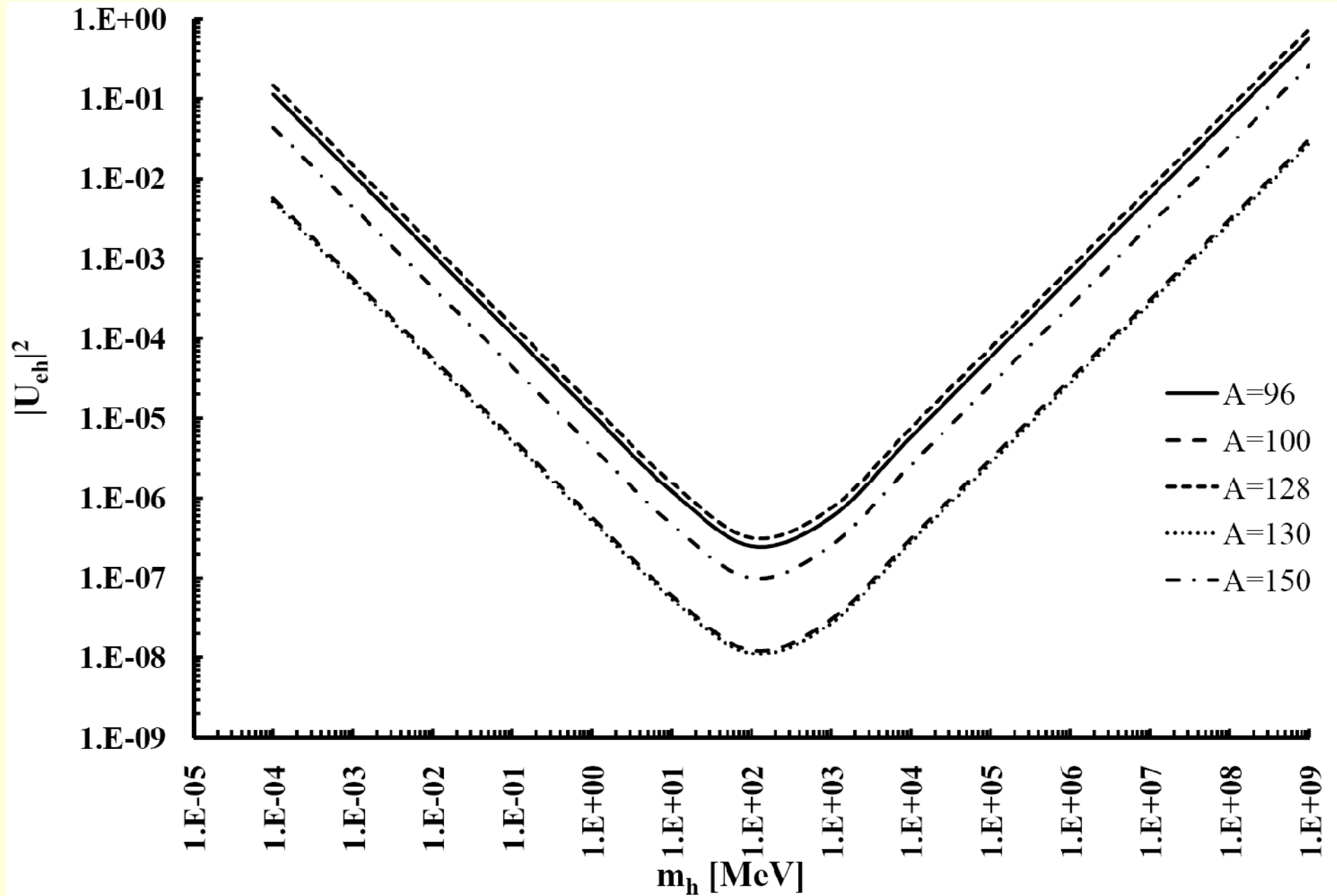
PHFB model specific and global uncertainties NTMEs.

Nuclei	PHFB	Error(%)	Global	Error(%)	$T_{1/2}^{(0\nu)}(yr)$	$\langle m_\nu \rangle$	$T_{1/2}^{(0\nu)}(yr)$ $\langle m_\nu \rangle = 0.01 eV$
^{48}Ca			1.74 ± 0.81	46.44	5.8×10^{22}	4.80	1.33×10^{28}
^{76}Ge			5.13 ± 1.17	22.84	3.0×10^{25}	0.23	1.53×10^{28}
^{82}Se			4.49 ± 1.00	22.22	3.6×10^{23}	3.55	4.54×10^{27}
^{96}Zr	2.86 ± 0.26	9.26	2.54 ± 0.89	35.03	9.2×10^{21}	8.60	6.81×10^{27}
^{100}Mo	6.25 ± 0.64	10.20	5.13 ± 1.24	24.13	1.1×10^{24}	0.44	2.14×10^{27}
^{110}Pd	7.15 ± 0.75	10.54	6.49 ± 1.42	21.87	6.0×10^{17}	852	4.36×10^{27}
^{116}Cd			3.74 ± 0.80	21.44	1.7×10^{23}	1.48	3.72×10^{27}
^{124}Sn			3.77 ± 1.20	31.86			6.60×10^{27}
^{128}Te	3.61 ± 0.40	10.94	4.12 ± 0.86	20.98	1.0×10^{23}	8.71	8.34×10^{28}
^{130}Te	4.05 ± 0.50	12.29	3.99 ± 0.90	22.43	3.0×10^{24}	0.35	3.66×10^{27}
^{136}Xe			2.76 ± 0.72	26.02	3.4×10^{25}	0.14	7.14×10^{27}
^{150}Nd	2.83 ± 0.43	15.22	2.75 ± 0.44	16.46	1.8×10^{22}	3.01	1.63×10^{27}





Sterile Majorana Neutrinos



Standard Model and Beyond

Barabash et al.

Time dependence of G_F $\Delta G_F / G_F \approx -0.1$

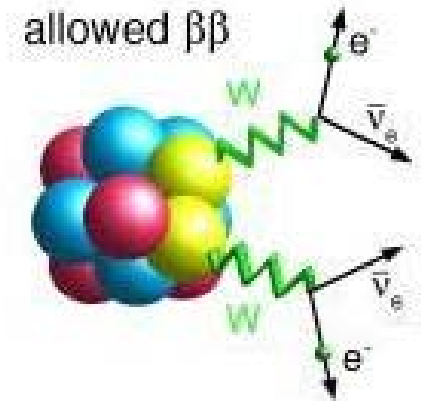
Bosonic neutrino $\text{Sin}^2 \chi < 0.6$

J. S. Diaz

Lorentz and CPT Violation

Modification of electron sum spectrum ($2\nu\beta\beta$)

Angular correlations ($0\nu\beta\beta$)



Parameters of gauge theoretical models

Physics beyond the standard model ($T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 3.0 \times 10^{25}$ yr)

Parameters	Limits	
Effective Majorana neutrino mass	$\langle m_\nu \rangle$	$< 0.23 \text{ eV}$
L-R Coupling constant	$\langle \eta \rangle$	$< 3.18 \times 10^{-9}$
R-R Coupling constant	$\langle \lambda \rangle$	$< 5.73 \times 10^{-7}$
Heavy Neutrino mass	$\langle M_N \rangle$	$> 9.46 \times 10^7 \text{ GeV}$
	$\langle \xi \rangle$	$< 9.16 \times 10^{-9}$
Mass of W_R	m_{W_R}	$> 1.44 \left(\frac{\langle m_N^{(V)} \rangle}{1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{-1/4}$
	$\tan \langle \xi \rangle$	$3.12 \times 10^{-3} \left(\frac{\langle m_N^{(V)} \rangle}{1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{1/2}$
Neutrino-Majoron coupling	$\langle g_m \rangle$	$< 8.2 \times 10^{-5}$
R-parity violation	ζ	$< 1.43 \times 10^{-5}$
Compositeness scale	$ f $	< 2.72
Excited Majoron neutrino mass	$\langle m_N \rangle$	$> 433 \text{ GeV}$
Leptoquark-Higgs coupling	ϵ_I	$< 1.16 \times 10^{-9} \left(\frac{M_I}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$
	$\alpha_I^{(L)}$	$< 1.51 \times 10^{-10} \left(\frac{M_I}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$
	$\alpha_I^{(R)}$	$< 3.82 \times 10^{-8} \left(\frac{M_I}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$
VLI	$\delta\nu$	$< 4 \times 10^{-16}$

Physics @ LHC

$$(i) e^- e^- \rightarrow W^- W^-$$

$$(ii) e^- e^\pm \rightarrow H^- H^\pm$$

$$(iii) e^\pm e^\pm \rightarrow H^\pm H^\pm$$

$$(iv) t \rightarrow b W^- l_i^+ l_j^+$$

$$(v) W^+ \rightarrow J J' l_i^+ l_j^+$$

A non - observation of $eejj$ - like events in the future LHC run at $\sqrt{s} = 11$ TeV would rule out all but the pure leptoquark contribution as the dominant mode to $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay.



EXPERIMENTAL ACTIVITIES IN INDIA

INO Collaboration

Ahmadabad: Physical Research Lab.

Aligarh: Aligarh Muslim University

Allahabad: HRI

Bhubaneswar: Institute of Physics

Calicut: University of Calicut

Chandigarh: Panjab University

Chennai: IIT, Madras IMSc

Delhi: University of Delhi

Guwahati: IIT, Guwahati

Hawaii (USA): University of Hawaii

Indore: IIT, Indore

Jammu: University of Jammu

Kalpakkam: IGCAR

Kolkata: Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University,

SINP, VECC, University of Calcutta

Lucknow: Lucknow University

Madurai: American College

Mumbai: BARC, IIT, Bombay TIFR

Mysore: University of Mysore

Sambalpur: Sambalpur University

Srinagar: University of Kashmir

Varanasi: Banaras Hindu University



India-based Neutrino Observatory (INO)

an underground laboratory

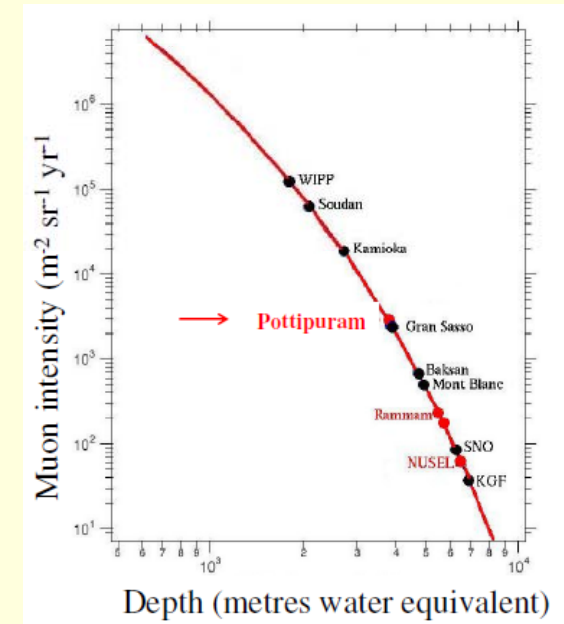


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Physics Motivation at INO

- (1) ICAL
- (2) NDBD
- (3) DINO



Cavern set in Charnockite rock under 1580 m peak, 1289 m Vertical cover, 1000 m all-round

The INdia-based TIN detector (TIN.TIN) Initiative for DBD experiment in India

Proposal for an experiment at site of the INO (India-based neutrino Observatory)

^{124}Sn ($Q = 2288.1 \pm 1.6$ keV)

- Sn has $T_c \sim 3.7$ K
- Electronic specific heat falls off exponentially below T_c
- Only lattice specific heat ($\sim T^3$) present below ~ 500 mK
- $Z=50$ shell is closed
- Simple metallurgy

^{124}Sn : $T_{1/2} > (0.8-1.2) \times 10^{21}$ yrs Nucl. Phys. A **807**, 269(2008)

Cryogen free dilution refrigerator installed at TIFR



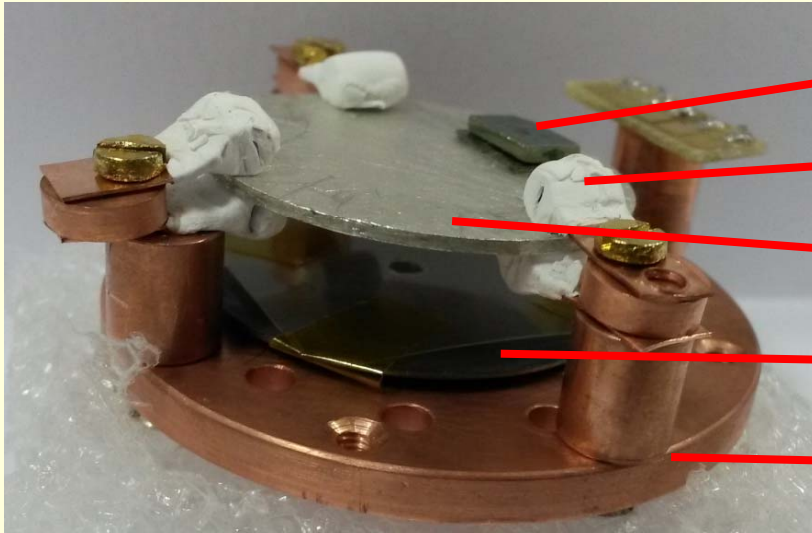
Base Temp. ~ 7 mK

**cooling power
1.4 mW @ 120mK**

V. Singh et. al. Pramana 81 (2013) 719

<http://www.tifr.res.in/~tin.tin/>

Bolometer Detector - Initial Tests



NTD Ge sensor (made in India)

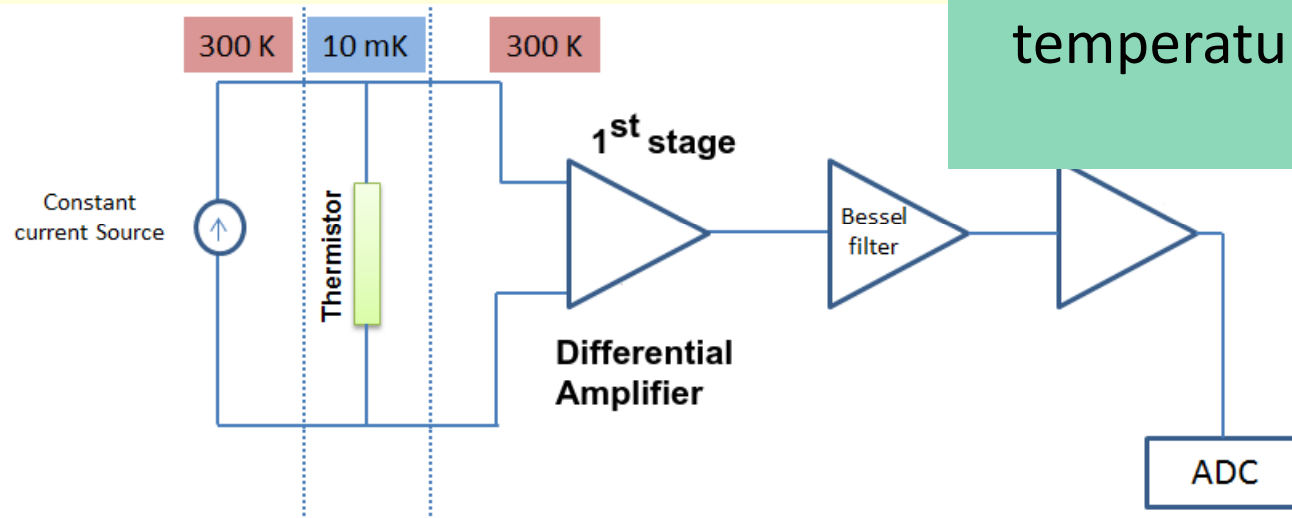
Teflon : weak thermal link

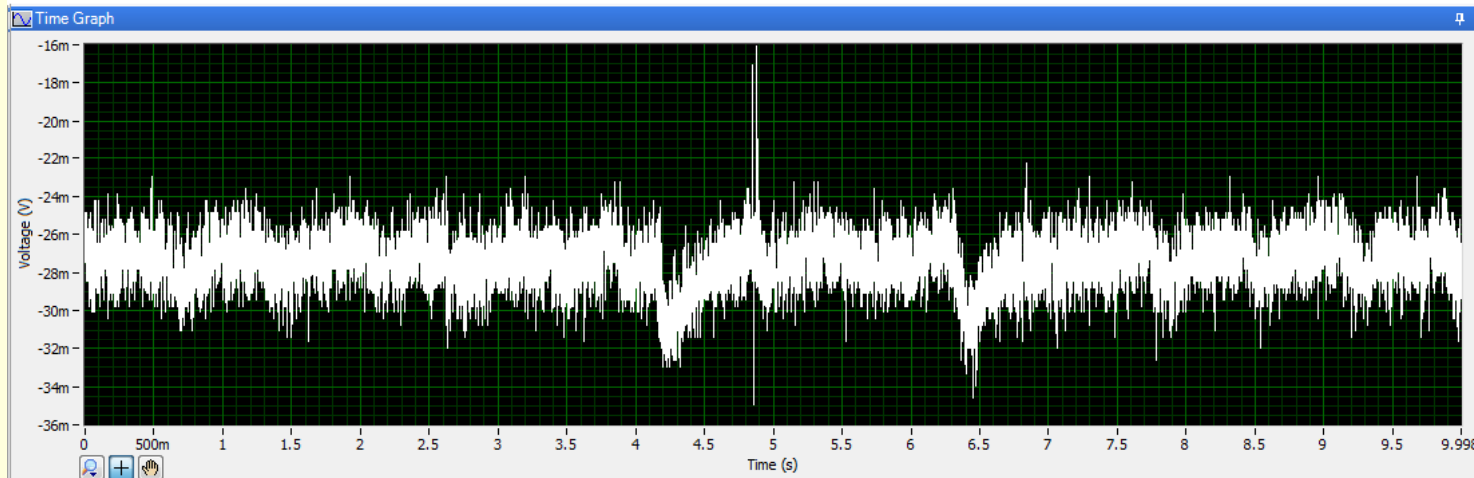
Tin ~ 3.3 g

Am-Pu alpha source (5.5 MeV)

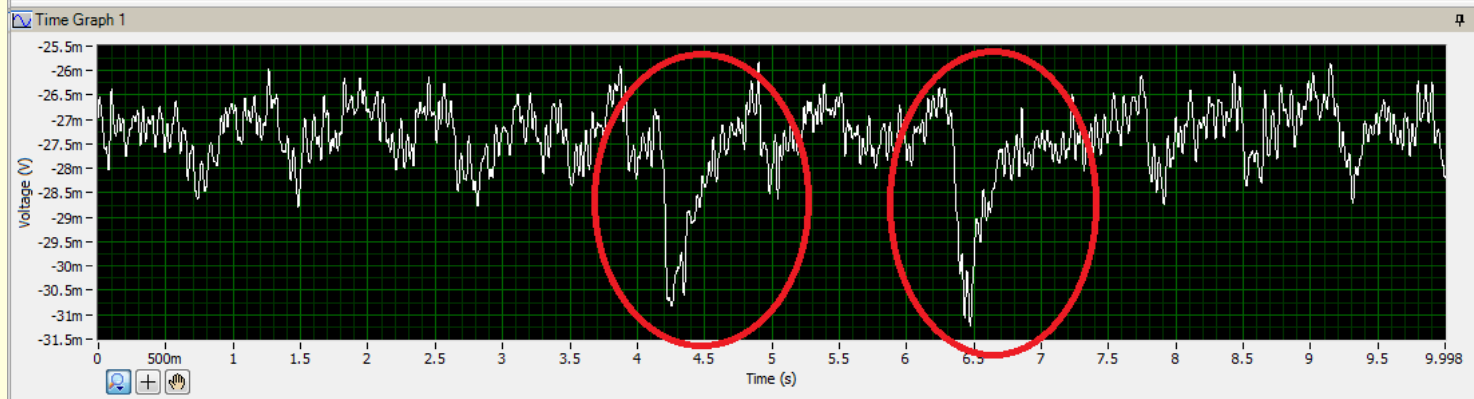
Copper : Thermal Bath

For 5.5 MeV alpha - expected temperature rise at 100 mK ~ 130 μ K.





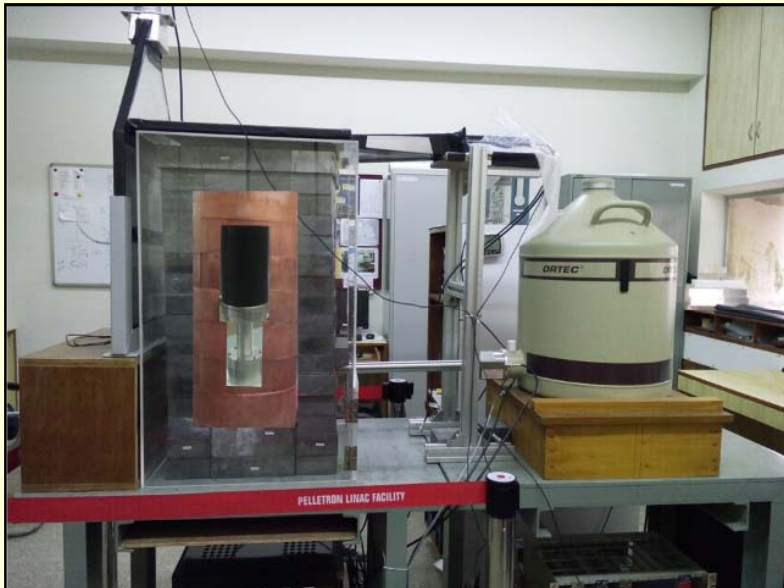
RAW SIGNAL
after gain ~ 100 .



Filtered Signal
(Cutoff ~ 30 Hz)

- Thermal pulses are characterized by sharp rise time and very slow decay time.
- Since the pulses are slow high frequency noise can be filtered
- Count rate matched with the alpha source.
- Need to improve on Signal to Noise ratio to achieve good resolution and generate an energy spectrum.

Low Background Counting Facility (Tiles)

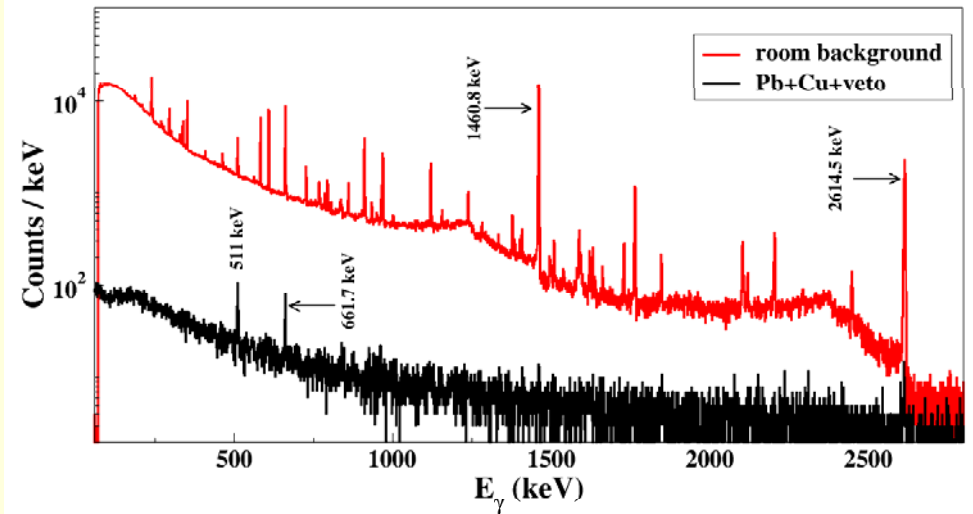


TiLES with Cu +low activity shield and muon veto

Sensitivity of the setup:

0.04mBq/g for ^{40}K $\sim 1\text{ppm}$

0.004mBq/g for ^{232}Th $\sim 1\text{ppt}$



Background Gamma ray spectra with and without veto

- Screening of materials and their selection on the basis of radio purity levels
- Rare decay studies

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Future Goal...

After prototype demonstration

Build a large scale detector (~ 1 ton) at INO lab

(3 phases: 100 Kg, 500 Kg, 1000 Kg)

$$F_n = G^{0\nu} |M^{0\nu}|^2 = 8.611 \times 10^{-13} \text{ y}^{-1} \text{ (PHFB) (Rath et al.)}$$

$$= 6.205 \times 10^{-14} \text{ y}^{-1} \text{ (SM)}$$

With 90 % enrichment, 0.2% energy resolution at $Q_{\beta\beta}$, background ~ 0.01 counts/ keV. kg.y and 1 year observation time

Phase	Mass (kg)	$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}$ (y) [68% C.L.]	$\langle m_{\beta\beta} \rangle$ eV
I	100	8.6×10^{25}	0.06-0.22
II	500	1.9×10^{26}	0.04-0.15
III	1000	2.7×10^{26}	0.03-0.12

- KamLANDZen + EXO : $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 3.4 \times 10^{25} \text{ y}$ (90% C.L.), $\langle m_{\beta\beta} \rangle < 0.12-0.25 \text{ eV}$
(PRL 110 (2013) 062502)
- GERDA : $T_{1/2}^{0\nu} > 2.1 \times 10^{25} \text{ y}$ (90% C.L.), $\langle m_{\beta\beta} \rangle < 0.2-0.4 \text{ eV}$
(PRL 111 (2013) 122503)

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"A poet once said 'The whole universe is in a glass of wine.' We will probably never know in what sense he meant that, for poets do not write to be understood. But it is true that if we look at a glass closely enough we see the entire universe.

*Thanks a
lot
for
your
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