

# ABOUT THE DEPENDENCE OF NUCLEAR SURFACE DIFFUSENESS ON NEUTRON-PROTON ASYMMETRY AND ITS INFLUENCE ON THE EVOLUTION OF SINGLE-PARTICLE SPECTRA

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The evolution of single-particle energies  $E_{nlj}$  of near to spherical medium and medium- heavy nuclei as they approached neutron drip line was studied within the dispersive optical model (DOM) [1]. The main attention was paid on the dependence of the diffuseness parameter  $a_{HF}$  of the Hartree-Fock component of the potential on neutron-proton asymmetry and its influence on the evolution. It was shown that the agreement with the available experimental data was improved if  $a_{HF}$  depended on neutron-proton asymmetry:

$$a_{HF} = a_{HF}^0 \pm a_{HF}^1(N - Z)/A, + \text{ for n, } - \text{ for p. (1)}$$

In other words, the diffuseness  $a_{HF}$  increased when the Fermi energy goes up. The dependence (1) differs from that of the global diffuseness parameter  $a_V^{KD}$  of the traditional optical model potential [2]. The parameter  $a_V^{KD}$  decreases with increasing mass number  $A$  of the nucleus for both neutrons and protons. The dependence (1) leads, in particular, to the following: more pronounced inversion of the  $2s_{1/2}-1d_{3/2}$  proton levels in stable Ca isotopes and the  $1g_{7/2}-2d_{5/2}$  proton levels in stable Sn isotopes; more pronounced evolution of the energy gap between the neutron states  $1f_{5/2}$  and  $2p$  in the stable  $1f-2p$ -shell nuclei; better agreement with the experimental energies  $E_{nlj}$  of the  $1d_{3/2}$  neutron state in neutron-rich Si isotopes [3] comparing to the parameter  $a_{HF} = a_V^{KD}$  (see fig). Thus, dependence (1) improves the predictive power of DOM with respect to the nuclei far from the  $\beta$ -stability valley.

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