

Nuclear Reactions for Astrophysics & Nuclear Data

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Outline

➤ Nuclear Reactions for Astrophysics

- Global semi-microscopic alpha-nucleus optical potential
- Systematics of proton-nucleus optical potential

➤ Nuclear Reaction Data

- Nuclear reactions in the resolved resonance region
- Photon strength functions
- Photonuclear data library
- Ion Beam Analysis

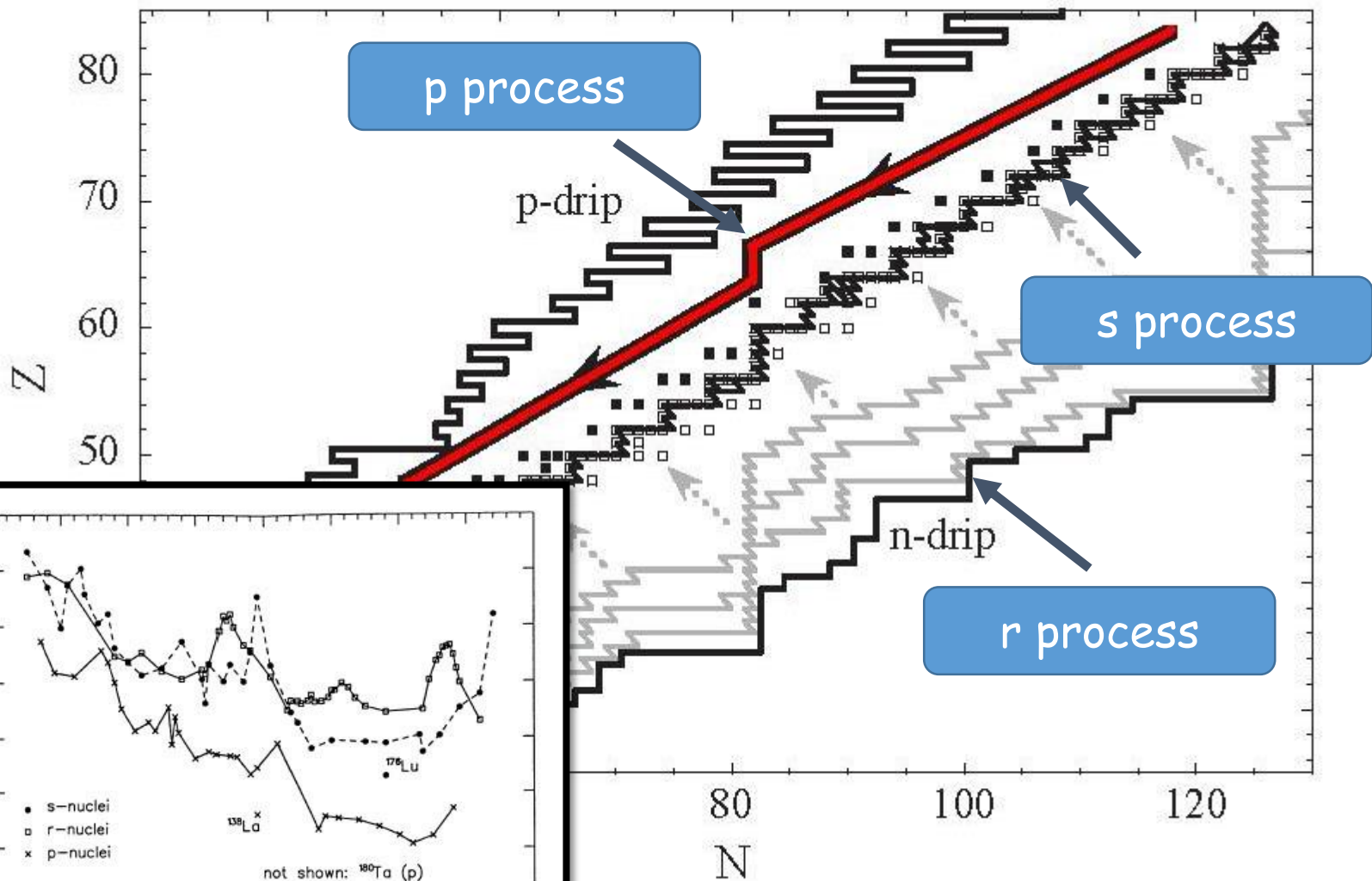
➤ Nuclear Structure Data Evaluation

- Beta-delayed neutron emission data
- Decay Data for Monitoring Applications

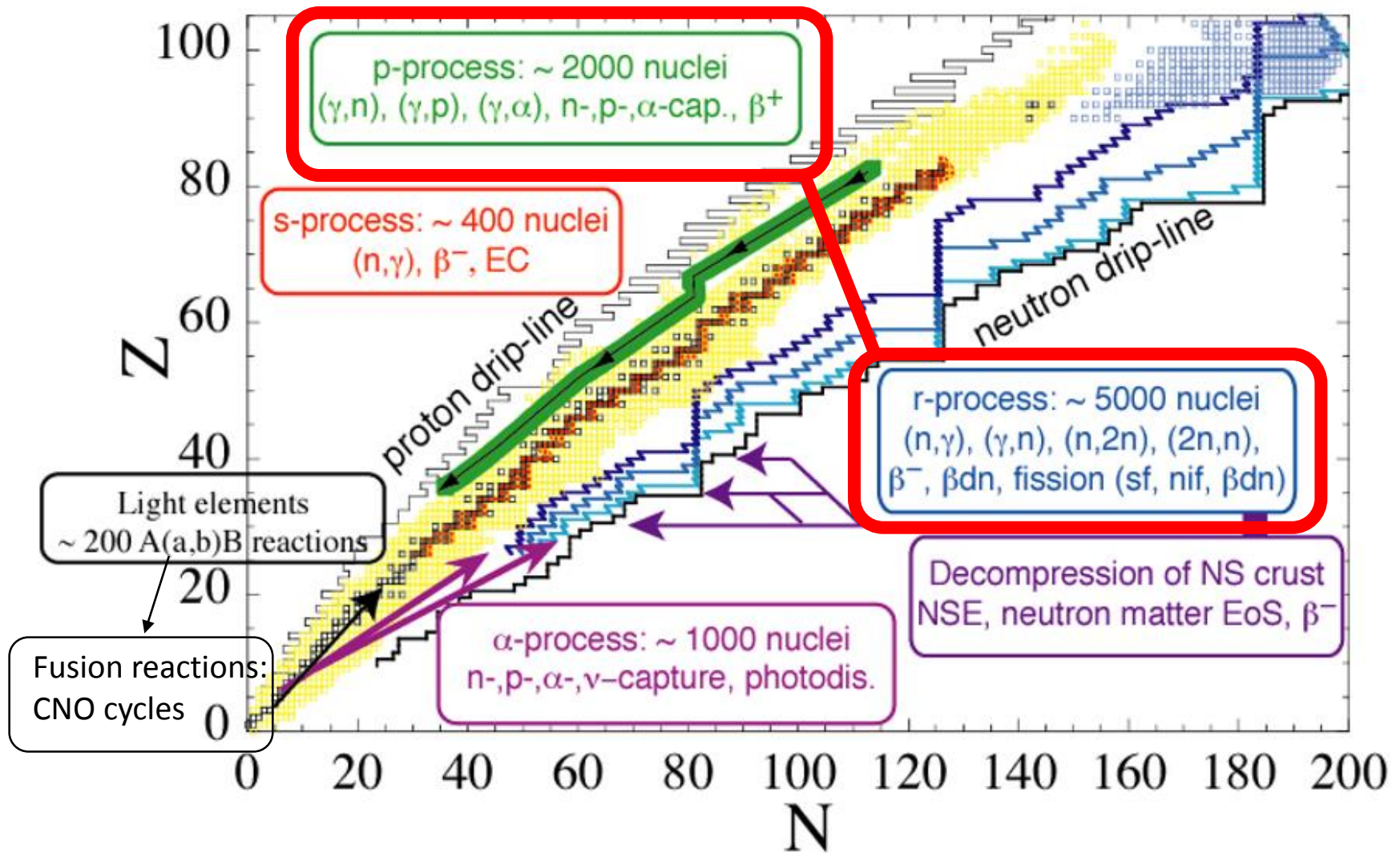
➤ Other

- International Network of Nuclear Structure and Decay Data evaluators
- IAEA-ICTP Workshops
- 7th International Workshop on Compound-Nuclear Reactions and Related Topics (CNR*20) (CALIBRA WP.1.10)

Heavy-element Nucleosynthesis



Nuclear Data Needs



Nuclear reaction theory

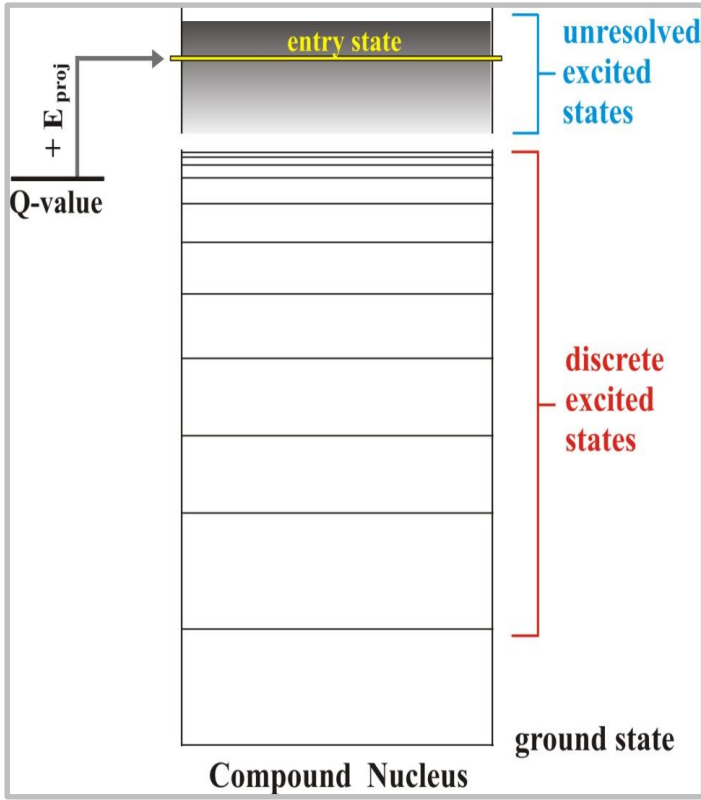
- particle-induced
- medium-heavy nuclei
- large particle separation energies

compound nucleus reaction mechanism

Hauser-Feshbach theory



$$\sigma_{bB} = \frac{\pi\lambda^2}{(2J_\alpha + 1)(2J_A + 1)} \sum_{J^\pi} (2J_C + 1) T_{\alpha A}^{J^\pi} \frac{T_{bB}^{J^\pi}}{\sum_i T_i^{J^\pi}}$$



$$\bar{T}_{\alpha A} = \sum_I \int \rho(E_\alpha, I) T_{\alpha A}^I(E_\alpha) dE_\alpha$$

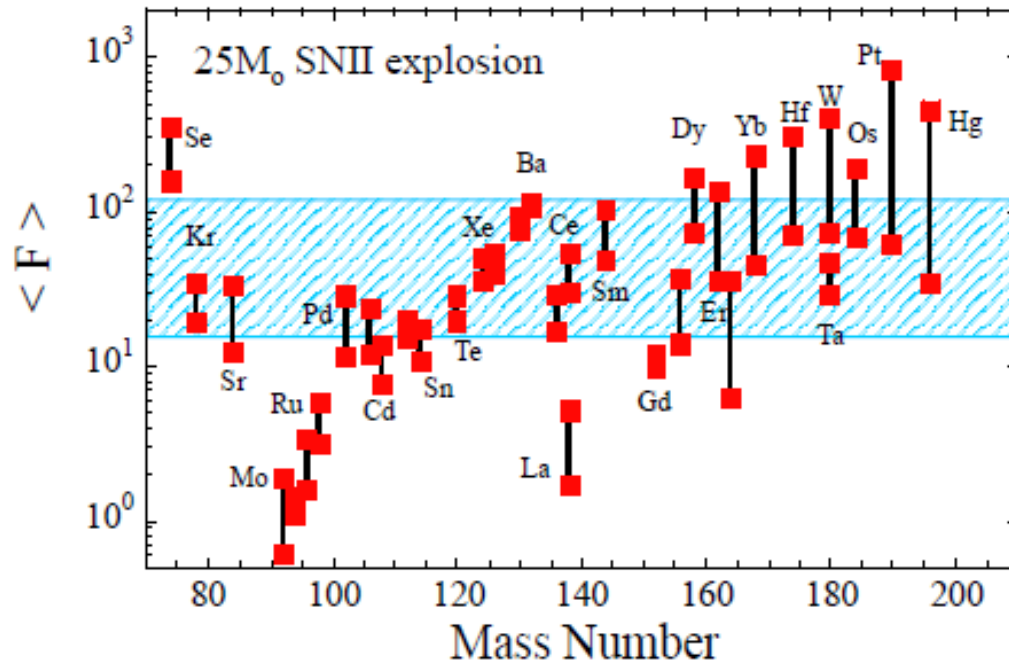
average over level densities

$T_{\alpha A}^{J^\pi}$: Transmission through barrier – particle-nucleus OMP

T_γ^L : E/M response – Dipole strength photon strength function

$\sum_i T_i^{J^\pi}$: sum of transmission probabilities over all exit channels i

Impact of nuclear uncertainties on p-process abundances



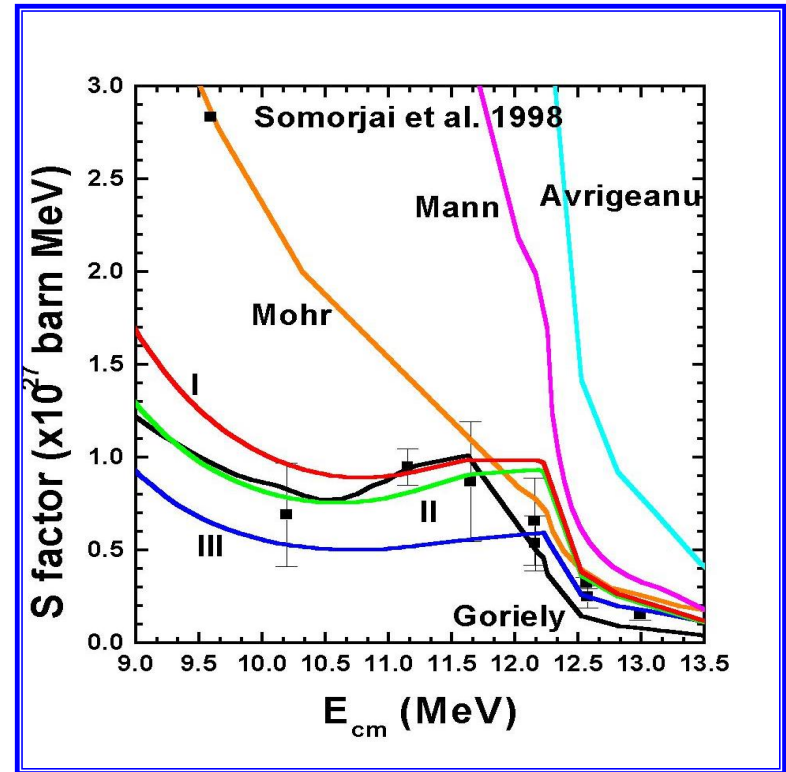
Major nuclear uncertainties in theoretical photo-disintegration rates:

- Global alpha-nucleus optical potential ($A > 150$)
- GLOBAL nucleon-nucleus potential, NLD, γ -strength (light $A < 90$ p-nuclides)

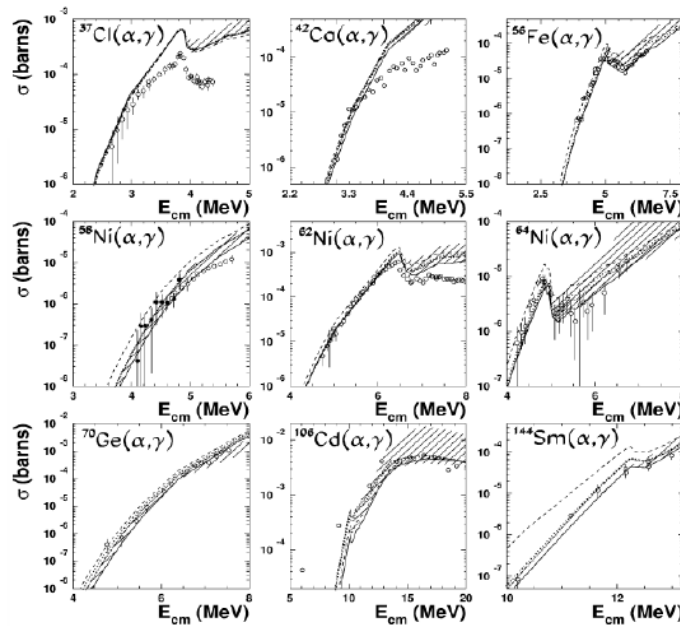
α -nucleus Optical Model Potential

- New global semi-microscopic alpha-nucleus optical potential:
Demetriou, Grama and Goriely, NPA 707, 253 (2002)
 - Microscopic real V + Woods-Saxon imaginary W
 - W : Fermi-type energy dependence
- Update of alpha-nucleus OMP:
Demetriou and Axiotis, Proc. Of Tours Symposium, 2007 (Marie Curie ERG FP6)

Demetriou et al, NPA 707, 253 (2002)



Demetriou et al. (2002): Fit to low-energy (α,γ) , (α,n) , (n,α) , (α,p) & scattering cross sections



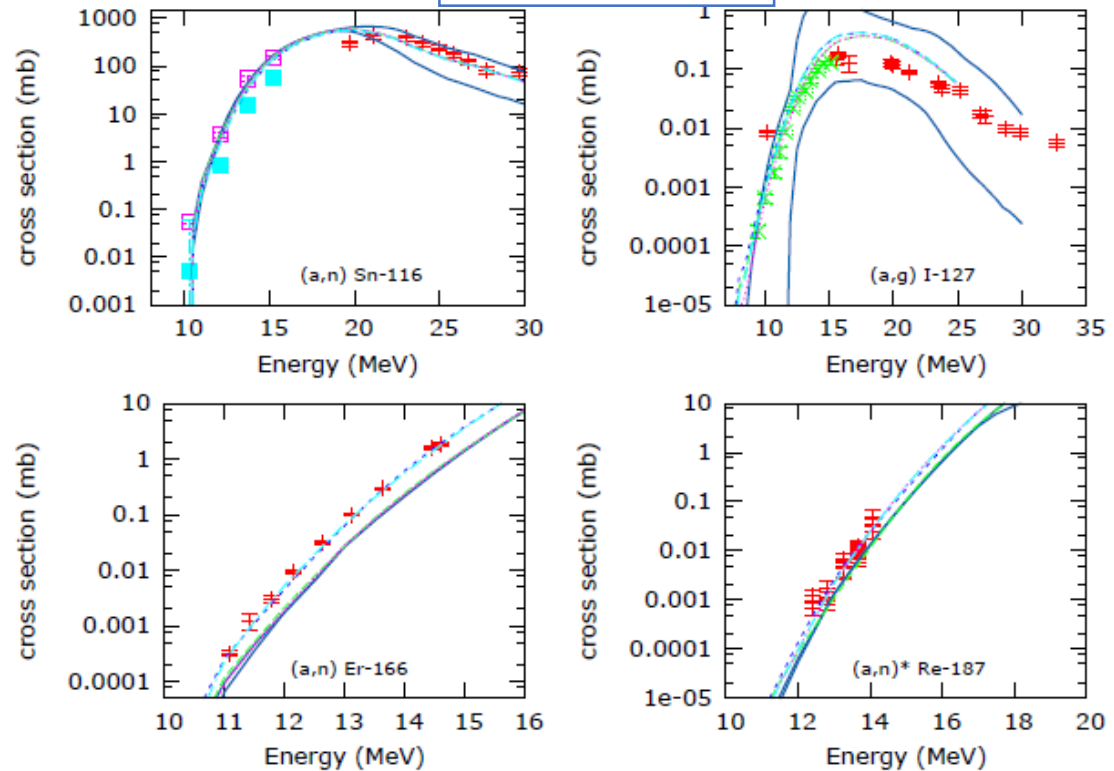
α -OMP implemented in widely used nuclear reaction code TALYS

New: improved global alpha OP for deformed nuclei

- New data since 2007: discrepancies observed for rare-earth nuclei
- Include deformation in real double-folding potential

$$R \rightarrow R \cdot \left(1 + \frac{\beta_2/15}{1 + \exp\left(\frac{E - 18}{2}\right)} \right)$$

Average increase 30%



International collaboration

- Project on Measurements of alpha-elastic cross sections near the Coulomb barrier @ GANIL
- Goal: Assess the two main global alpha-nucleus OMPs: Demetriou III and Avrigeanu (2014)

Alpha-Nucleus Optical Potential Studies for p-process Nuclei

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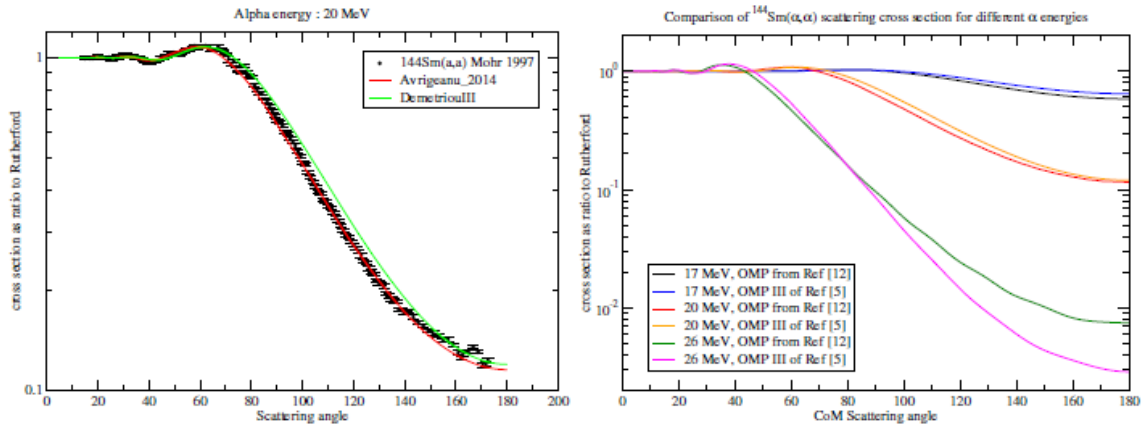


Figure 1: Elastic scattering ratio to Rutherford cross sections for $^{144}\text{Sm}(\alpha, \alpha)$ calculated using TALYS for different incident energies using the Avrigeanu [13] and Demetriou III [5] optical potentials. In the left panel TALYS calculated cross sections are compared with existing $^{144}\text{Sm}(\alpha, \alpha)$ data from [19].

- Collaboration between GANIL, Universite de Lyon, NCSR Demokritos, Universite Libre de Bruxelles, Subatech-Nantes, Orsay, ILL-Grenoble, iThemba LABS, Strasbourg, Univ. Surrey, Univ. Huelva, Univ. Jyvasyla, University of the Witwatersrand
- PAC approved measurements: June/July 2021

Systematics of proton-nucleus JLM/B OMP

JLM/B: Semi-microscopic nucleon-nucleus OMP of Bauge, Girod, Delaroche, PRC 63 (2001) 024607

New measurements by Demokritos groups (yellow boxes):

Spyrou, ...,PD, et al., Phys. Rev. C 77, 065801 (2008)

Harissopulos, ...,PD, et al., Phys. Rev. C 87, 025806 (2013)

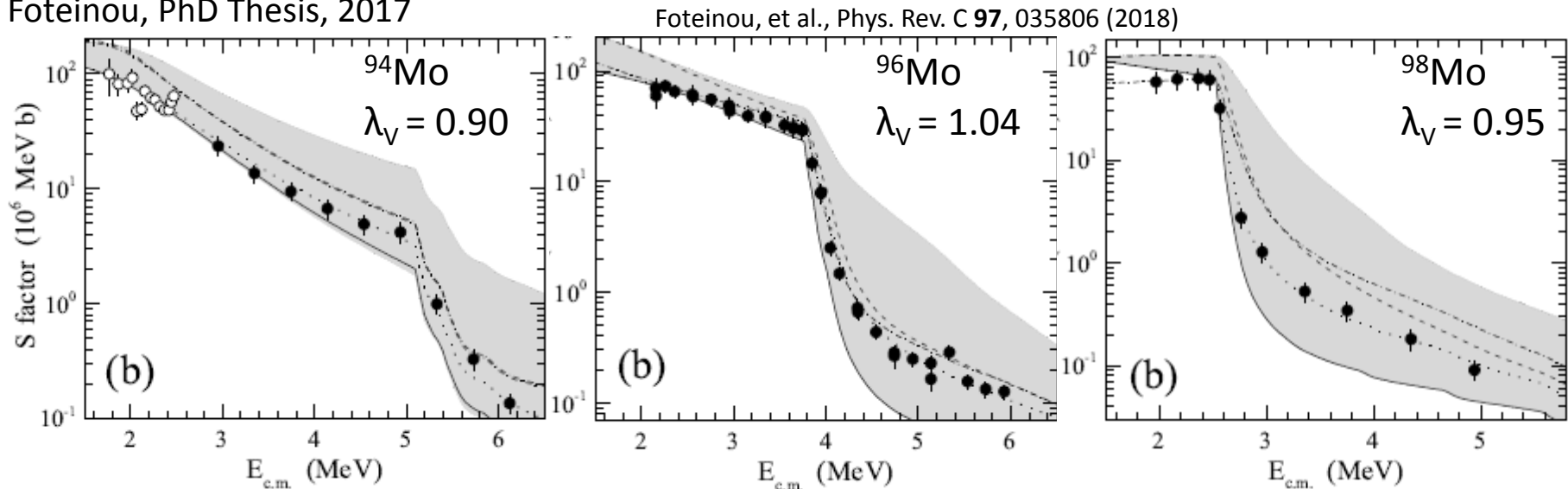
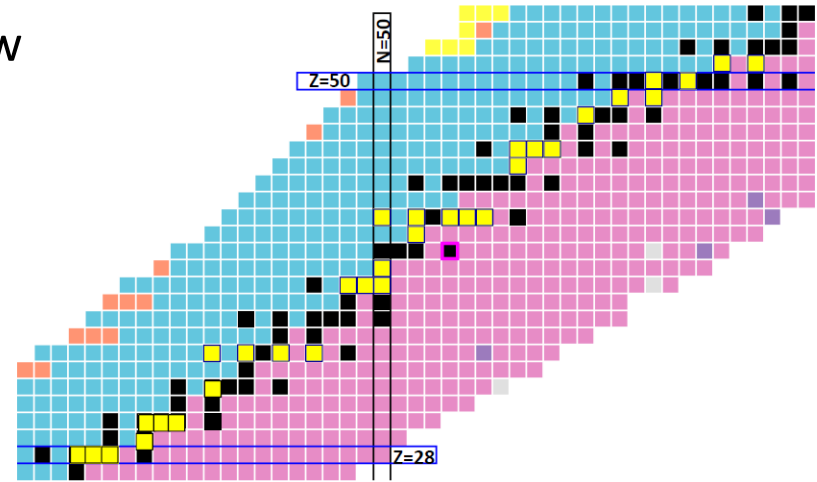
Harissopulos, ...,PD, Phys. Rev. C **93**, 025804 (2016)

Foteinou, ..., PD, Phys. Rev. C **97**, 035806 (2018)

Foteinou,..., PD, et al., Eur. Phys. J. A (2019) **55**: 67

Harissopulos, ..,PD, Phys. Rev. C, accepted for publication

V. Foteinou, PhD Thesis, 2017



Improved proton JLM/B OMP based on systematics

- All available experimental (p, γ) cross sections at astrophysically relevant energies retrieved
- Criteria for using them in fitting procedure applied
- Experimental uncertainties sorted

39 nuclides; A=50-150

V-51; Cr-50, Cr-54; Fe-54, Fe-56, Fe-58; Co-59; Ni-58, Ni-60, Ni-61, Ni-62, Ni-64; Cu-63, Cu-65; Zn-67, Zn-68; Sr-84, Sr-86, Sr-88, Sr-87; Y-89; Zr-90, Zr-92; Mo-92, Mo-94, Mo-95, Mo-98; Ru-99; Pd-105; In-113; Sn-112, Sn-114, Sn-116; Sb-121; Ba-130; Ce-142; Sm-144, Sn-147; Gd-152

- Verification on all available (p,n) cross sections

50 nuclides; A=50-181

Vagena, Axiotis, PD, submitted to PRC

- New parameterization of global semi-microscopic nucleon optical potential (E and A dependence)

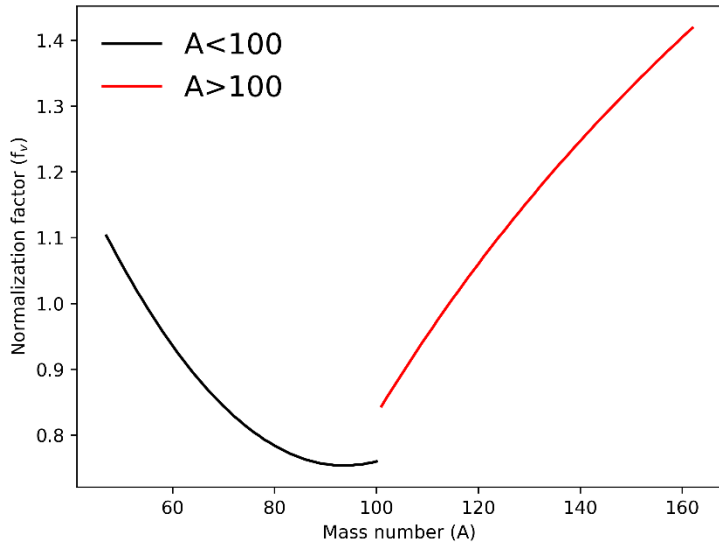
$$V = V_c + \lambda_V \cdot V_R + \iota \cdot \lambda_W \cdot V_W + (\ell \cdot s) \cdot \lambda_{SO} \cdot V_{SO}$$

$$\lambda_{V,W} = f(A) \cdot f(E)$$

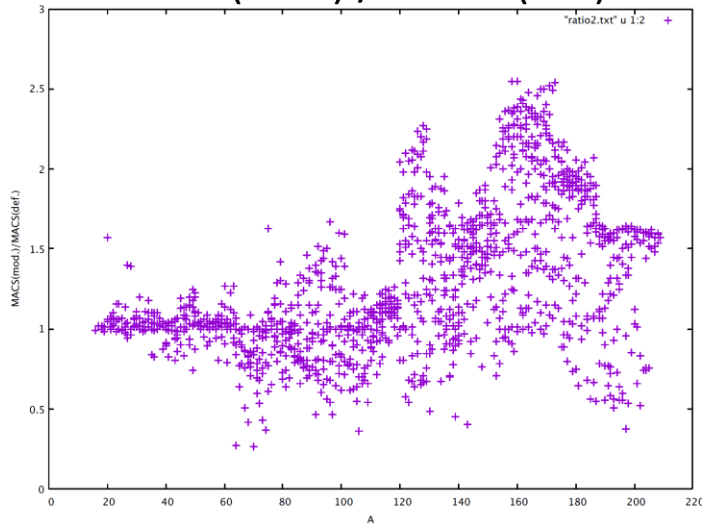
- New $\lambda_{V,W}$ values adjusted to reproduce experimental data on (p, γ) and (p,n) cross sections
- Large-scale calculations for p-process nucleosynthesis

Systematics

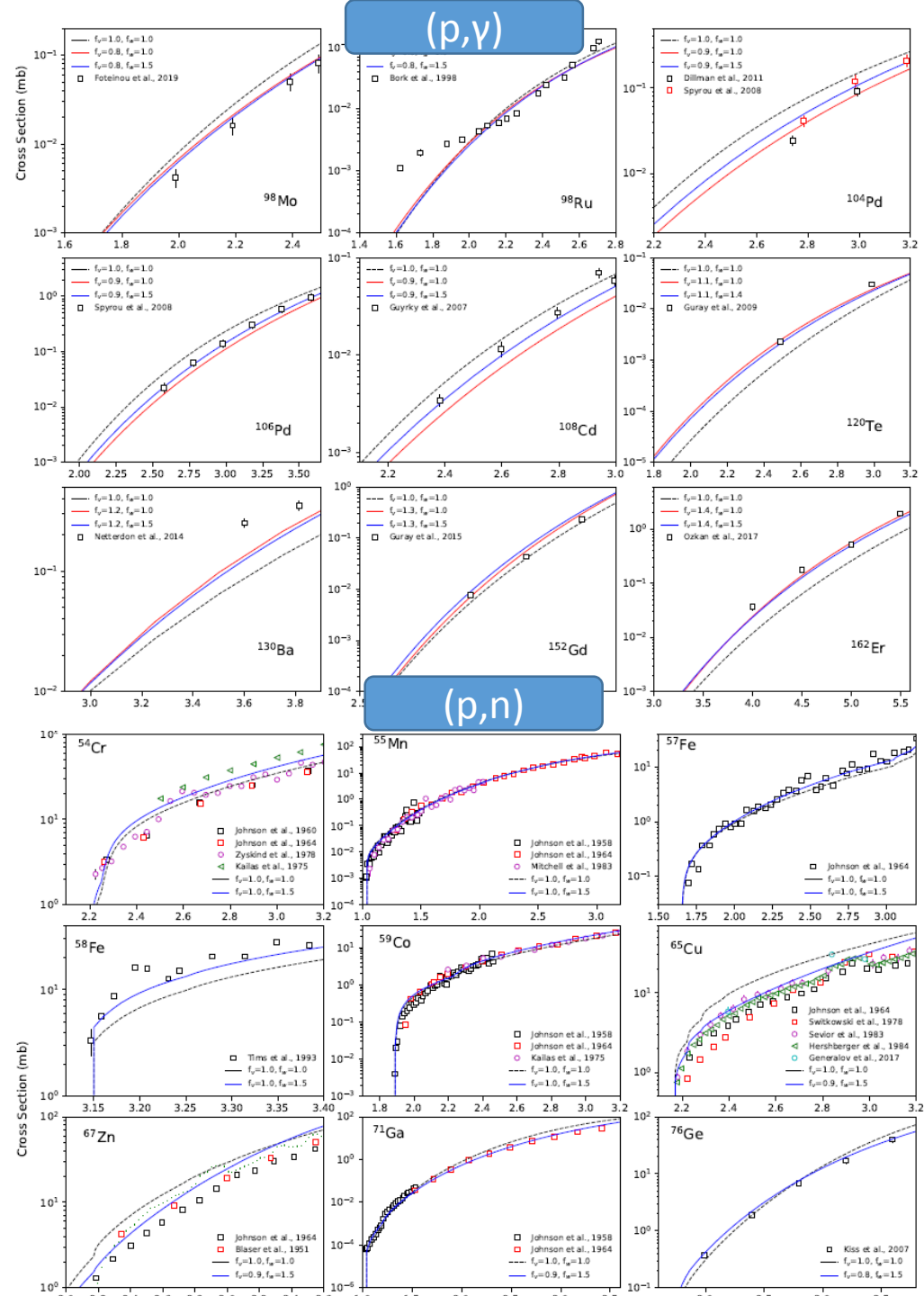
Real V vs A



MACS (mod) / MACS (def)



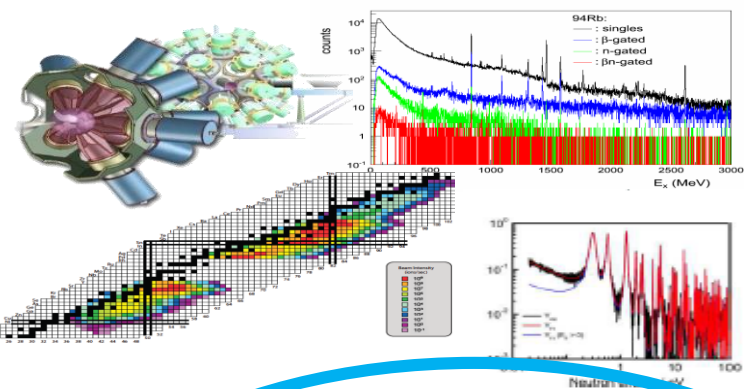
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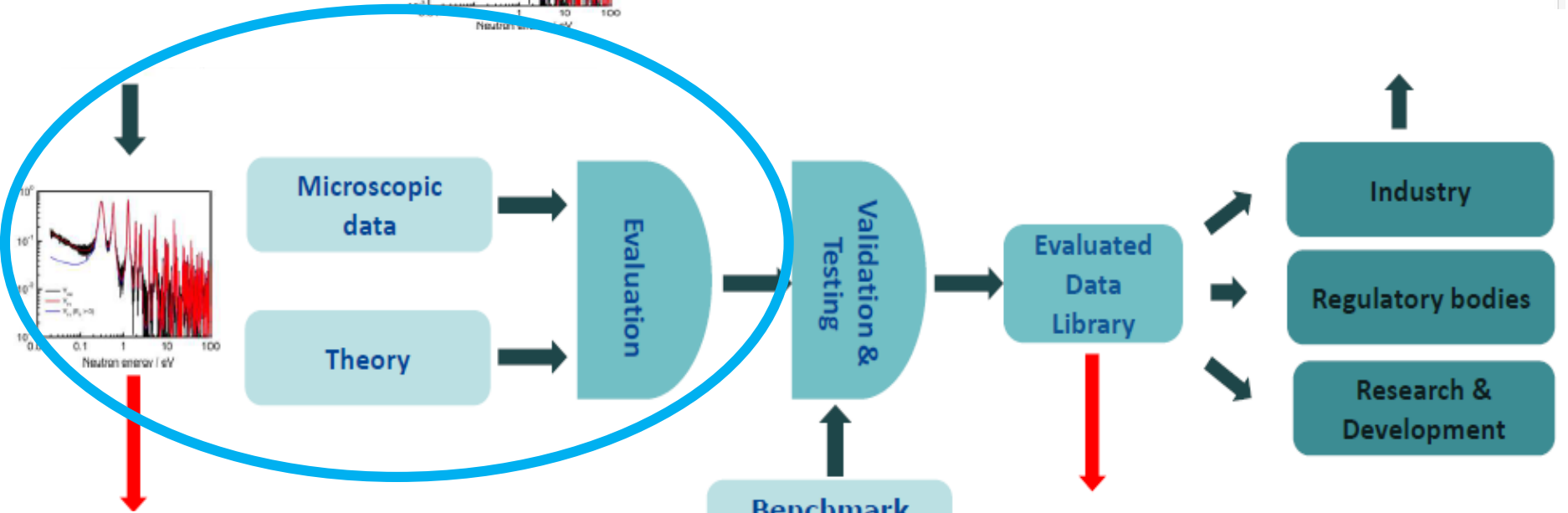
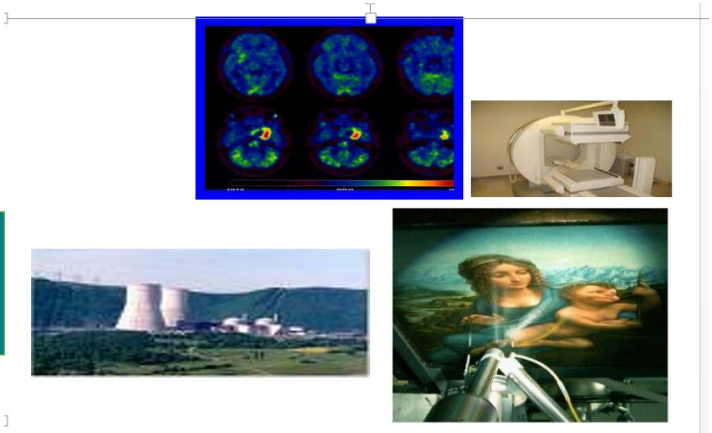
Future plans

- Sensitivity studies of solar abundances with respect to nuclear data using NucNet network calculation code:
 - alpha OMP
 - Proton OMP
 - New photon strength functions
- Verification of photon strength function models
- New photon strength function measurements at Tandem Laboratory; collaboration with iThemba LABS, SA

Nuclear data



Feedback, new data needs



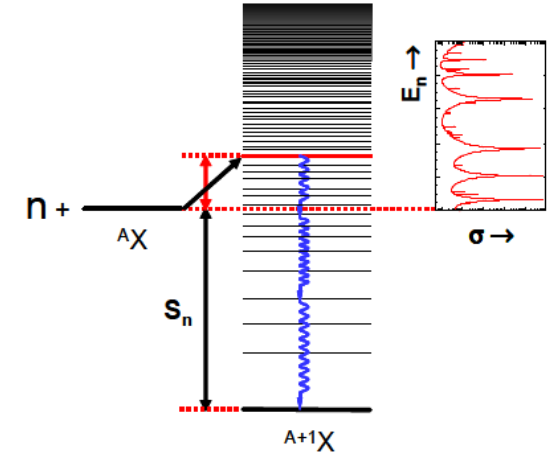
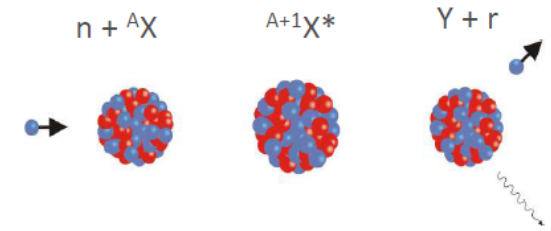
Evaluation: recommendation of best values based on assessment of Exp. Data and reproduction by theory

ENDF, JEFF, JENDL
and NDS/IAEA (standards, CIELO)
ENSDF, NuDAT, LiveChart, MIRD

Nuclear Data @ IAEA (2012-2019)

- Coordinated Research Projects (CRP): proposals + budgets evaluated by IAEA research contracts committee
 - CRP on Photonuclear Data Library and Photon Strength Functions (2016-2019), budget: 200K
 - CRP on beta-delayed neutron emission (2013-2018), budget: 150K
 - CRP on Particle Induced Gamma ray Emission Spectroscopy (PIGE) (2011-2015), budget: 150K
- Data Development Projects: proposals+budgets evaluated by Nuclear Data Section; projects ongoing
 - Resolved-Resonance-Region: evaluation of reaction cross sections (2015-)
 - Evaluation of charged-particle reactions in the RRR
 - Ion Beam Analysis Data Library (IBANDL)
 - Decay Data for monitoring applications (2019-)

Compound nucleus – Resonance region



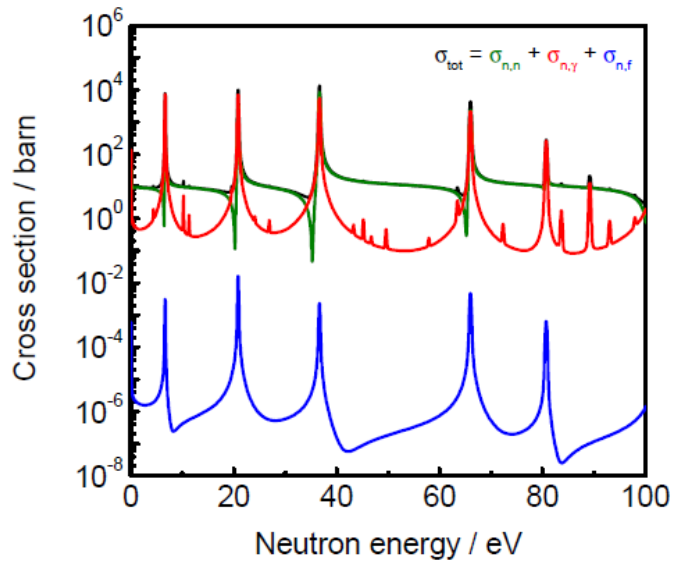
R-matrix theory

Lane and Thomas, Rev. Mod. Phys. 30 (1958) 257

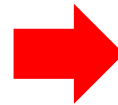
Model parameters

R and $(E_R, J^\pi, \Gamma_n, \Gamma_\gamma, \dots)_j$

- E_R resonance energy
- $\Gamma_n, \Gamma_\gamma, \Gamma_f$ partial widths
- Γ total width
($\Gamma = \Gamma_n + \Gamma_\gamma + \Gamma_f \dots$)
- R scattering radius



- Resonance parameters cannot be predicted by theory
- Are adjusted to experimental data



Experimental data are required

IAEA Project 1: R-matrix codes for charged-particle reactions in the resolved resonance region and evaluation of cross sections

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H. Leeb, Technisches Universität Wien

Ian Thompson, Lawrence Livermore
National Laboratory

Gerry Hale, Mark Paris, Los Alamos
National Laboratory

Marco Pigni, Oak Ridge National
Laboratory

James deBoer, Notre Dame University

Zhenpeng Chen, Tsinghua University

Satoshi Kunieda, Japan Atomic Energy
Agency

Pierre Tamagno, CEA Cadarache

Budget: 50K +

Duration: 2015 –

Output: publications, data files

- Inter-comparison of R-matrix codes
- Evaluation of compound system Be-7:
Incident channels: $p+{}^6\text{Li}$, ${}^4\text{He}+{}^3\text{He} \rightarrow (p,p)$,
Reactions: (p,α) , $(p, {}^3\text{He})$, (p,γ) , $({}^3\text{He},p)$,
 $({}^3\text{He},n)$, etc
- Compound systems N-15, N-16:
- Compound system: O-17
- Compound system: Be-10

Step 1: Verification of R-matrix codes

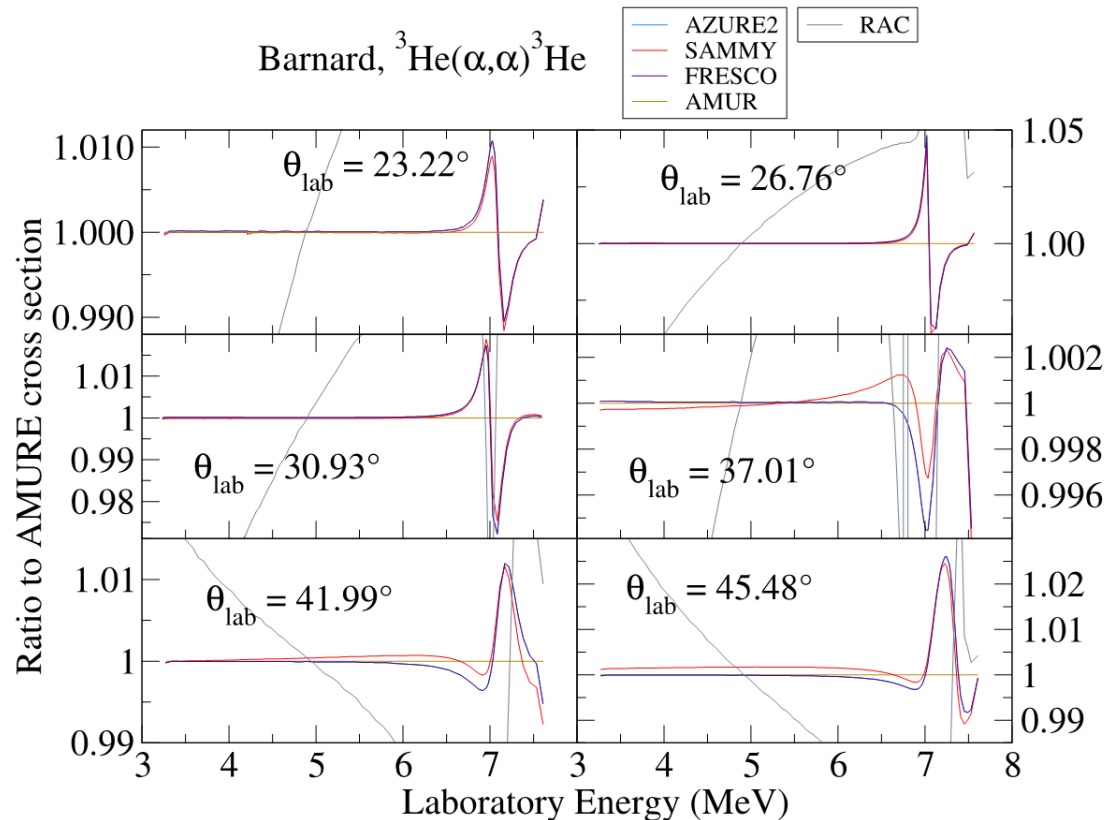
Thompson, deBoer, Dimitriou, Chen et al, Eur. Phys. J. A (2019) 55:92

Most codes agree within 1% to AMUR.

0.1% agreement would be better.

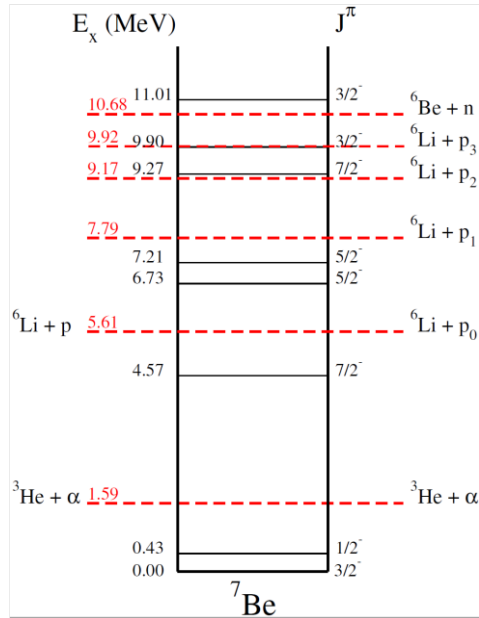
Here only away from the 7 MeV resonance.
(or maybe AMUR code is poor.)

RAC not agreeing.

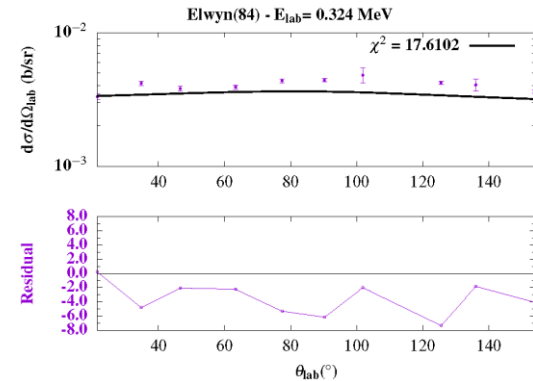
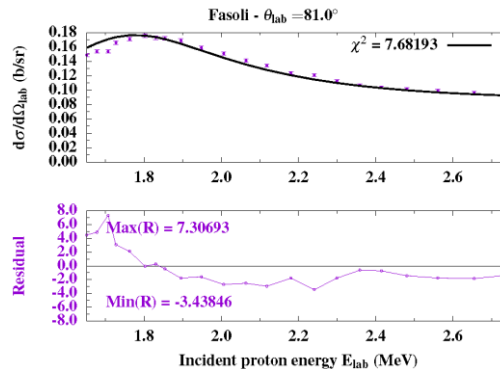
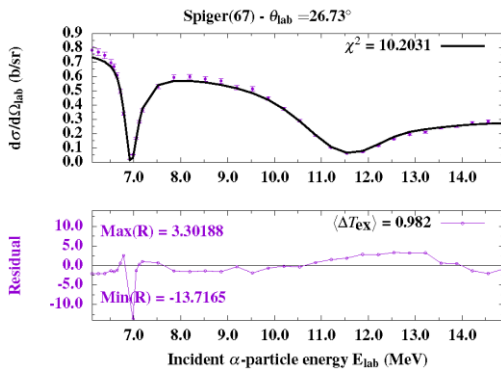
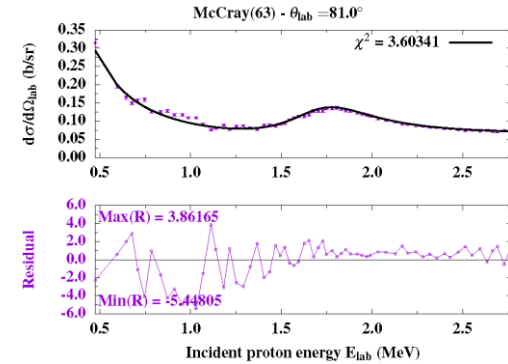
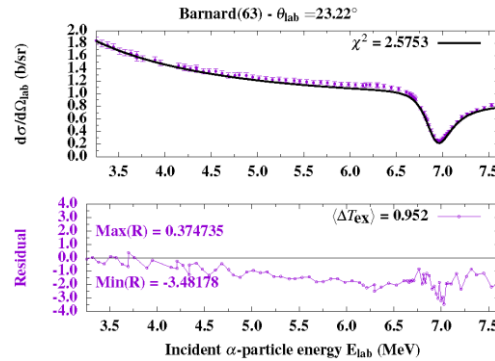


Step 2: Evaluation of Be-7

- All channels and exp. data up to 20 MeV [SAMMY R-matrix code]



First attempt: up to $E_x=8$ MeV-no correlation matrix (only statistical uncertainties)- $\chi^2=6$



Work in progress – IAEA collaboration

- Completion of joint evaluation of Be-7 – publication
- Evaluation of other compound systems (N-15,16; O-17)
- Evaluations of other systems relevant to IBA
- Evaluations will include full covariance matrices
- Evaluations will be included in evaluated libraries (ENDF/B) and will also be made available through IBANDL

Electromagnetic response of nucleus: E1

Nuclear states excited by E1 field

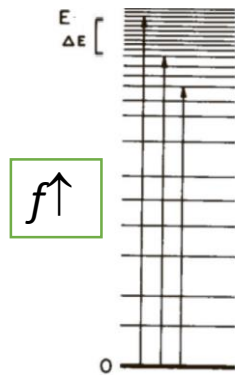
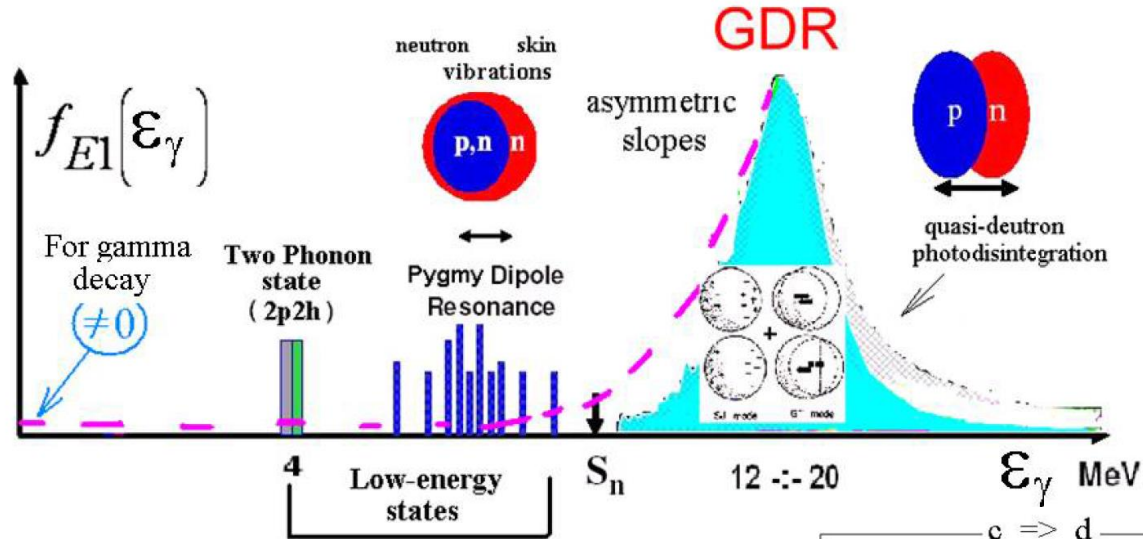


Photo-nuclear: (γ, X)

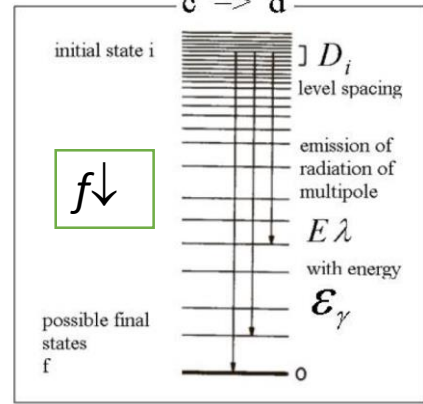


Photo-deexcitation: $(X, \gamma), (X, \gamma Y)$

IAEA Project 2: Coordinated Research Project on Photonuclear Data Library and Photon Strength Functions

- Coordinator: P. Dimitriou
- 16 participants/groups from 15 countries:

Konan Univ. (Japan),
IFIN-HH (Romania),
Moscow State Univ. (Russia),
CNDC (China),
JAEA (Japan),
KAERI (S. Korea),
Univ. Oslo (Norway),
iTHEMBA LABS (S. Africa),
HZ Dresden-Rosendorf (Germany),
Charles Univ. Prague (Czech Rep.),
Budapest Energy Centre (Hungary),
LBNL/UCB (USA),
Netherlands,
ULB (Belgium),
Kiev University (Ukraine),
LANL (USA)

- Budget: 200K Euros
- Duration: 2016-2019
- Output

Online databases:

www-nds.iara.org/PSFdatabase
www-nds.iaea.org/

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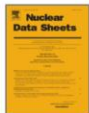
Reference database for photon strength functions

S. Goriely¹, P. Dimitriou^{2,a}, M. Wiedeking³, T. Belgva⁴, R. Firestone⁵, J. Kopecky⁶, M. Krťicka⁷, V. Plujko⁸, R. Schwengner⁹, S. Siem¹⁰, H. Utsunomiya¹¹, S. Hilaire¹², S. P'eru¹², Y.S. Cho¹³, D.M. Filipescu¹⁴, N. Iwamoto¹⁵, T. Kawano¹⁶, V. Varlamov¹⁷, and R. Xu¹⁸



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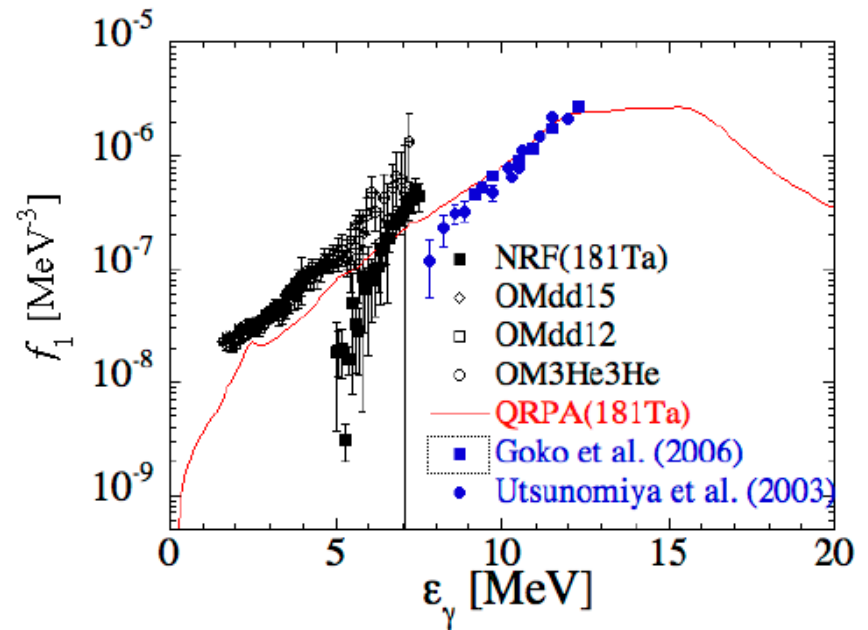
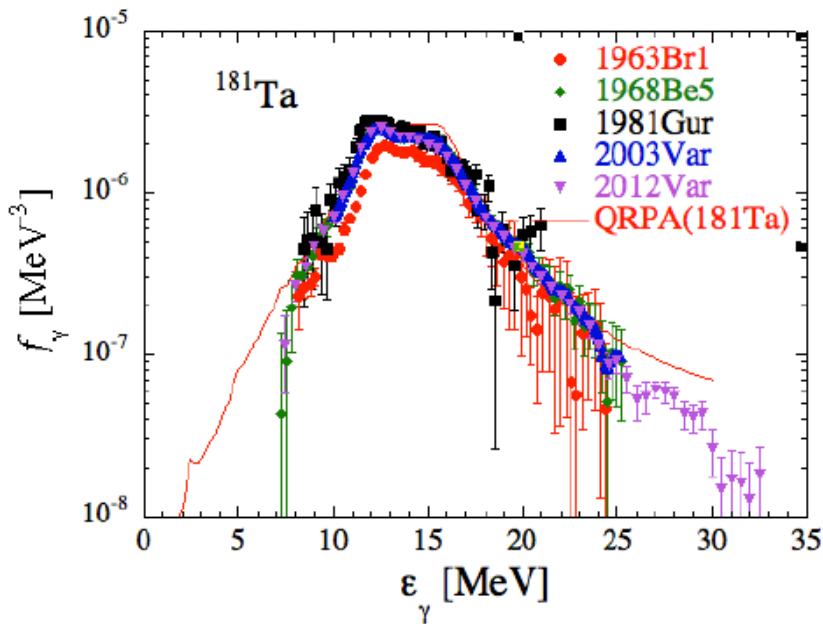


IAEA Photonuclear Data Library 2019

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Scope: Measurements, compilation, evaluation, theory, dissemination I

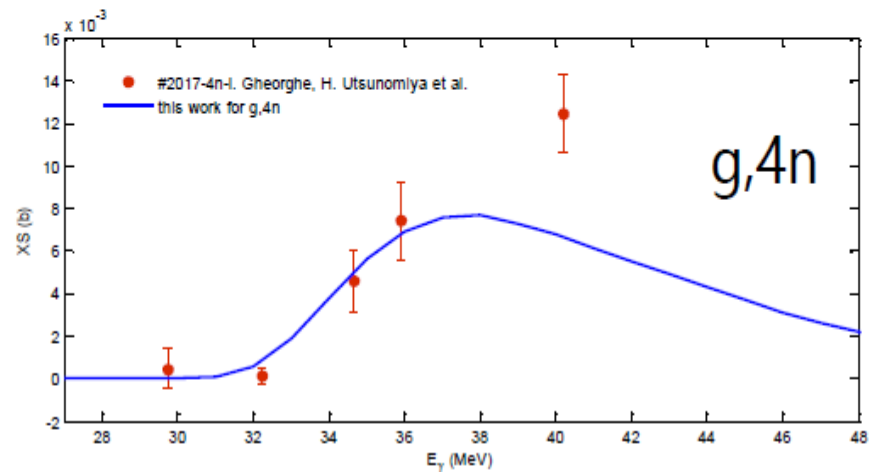
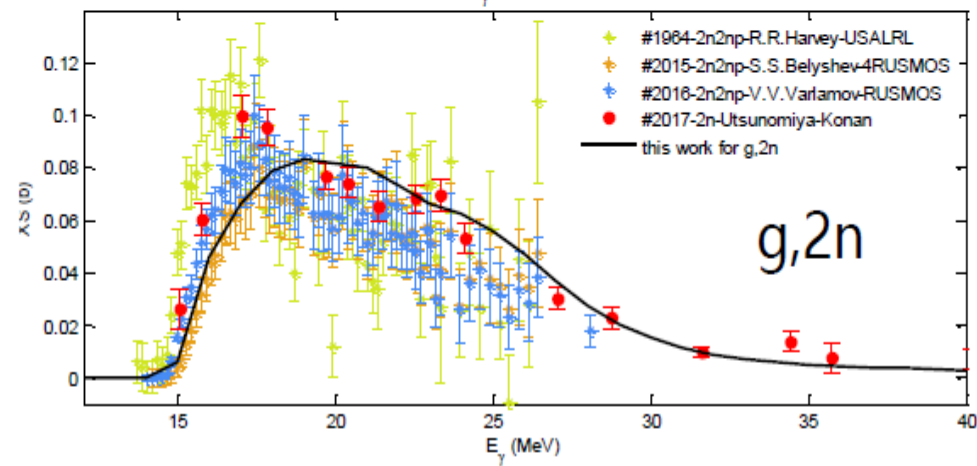
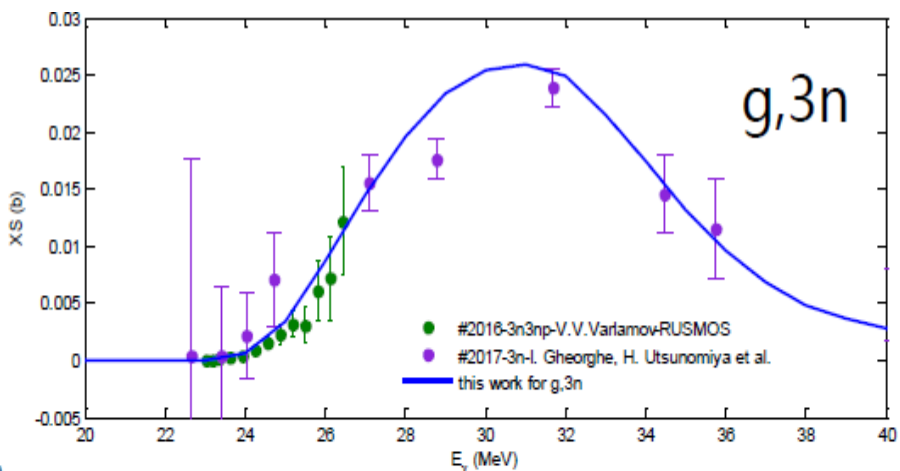
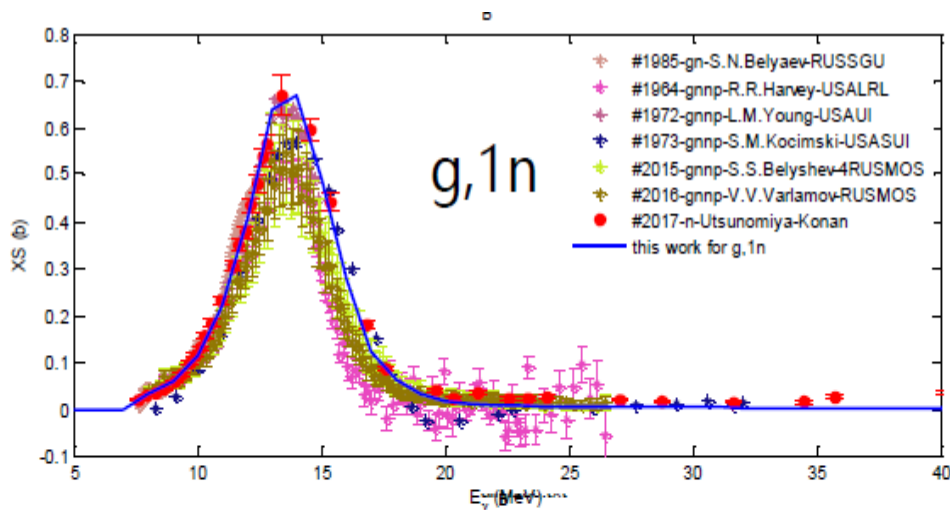
Comparison for nuclei for which NRF, Oslo & Photodata are available ($E1 + M1$ strength)



Photon Strength Functions: Connecting GDR and low-energy photon strength

Scope: Measurements, compilation, evaluation, theory, dissemination III

New results for $^{209}\text{Bi}(\gamma, xn)$: sorting photo-multi-nucleon emission channels



Atlas of Giant Dipole Resonance Parameters: ground state photoabsorption parameters with uncertainties

Atom. Data Nucl. Data Tables 123-124 (2018) 1-85
 (Plujko, Gorbachenko, Capote, Dimitriou,);
 arXiv e-Print – 2018: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1804.04445>

Atomic Data and Nuclear Data Tables 123–124 (2018) 1–85



Giant dipole resonance parameters of ground-state photoabsorption: Experimental values with uncertainties



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ABSTRACT

Updated values and corresponding uncertainties of Isovector Giant Dipole Resonance (GDR) parameters which are obtained by the least-squares fitting of theoretical photoabsorption cross sections to experimental data are presented. The theoretical photoabsorption cross sections are taken as a sum of the components corresponding to the excitation of the GDR and quasideuteron photodisintegration. The current compilation is an extension and improvement of the earlier compilations of Lorentzian parameters for ground-state photoabsorption and photoabsorption cross sections and square experimental

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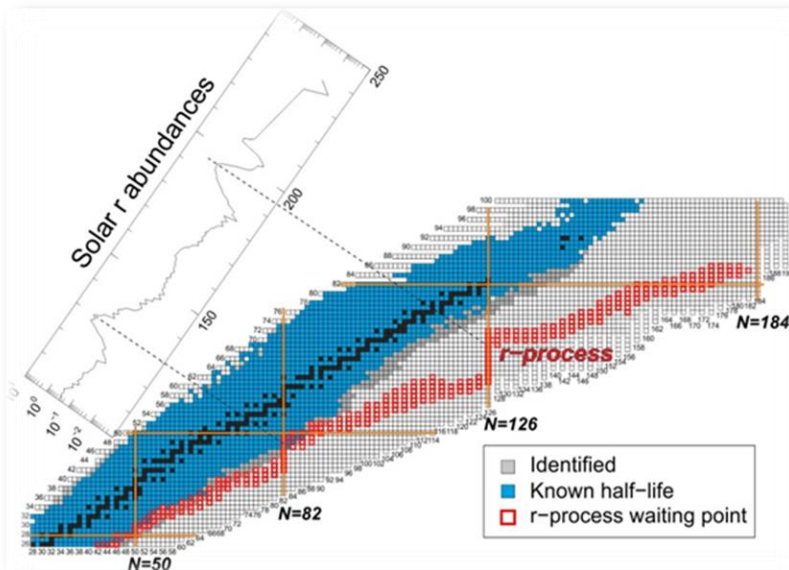
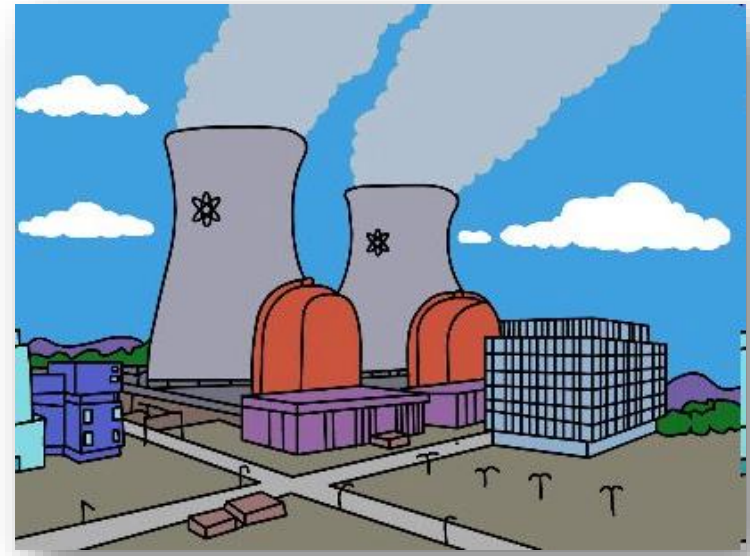
Table 1
 Experimental values and uncertainties of GDR parameters within Standard Lorentzian (SLO) approach.

Nucl	Id	$E_{r,1}$ (MeV)	$\Gamma_{r,1}$ (MeV)	s_1	$E_{r,2}$ (MeV)	$\Gamma_{r,2}$ (MeV)	s_2	s	$\epsilon_{\min}-\epsilon_{\max}$ (MeV)	Ref	
⁶ Li	2	23.69	16	5.26	79	0.341	31	0.341	31	21.5–27.0	1986Var
	4	12.18	5	11.58	1	0.334	150	0.334	4	5.6–24.7	1965Be1
⁷ Li	0	18.59	21	16.28	116	0.907	51	0.907	51	13.2–25.6	1985Ahr
	2a	16.39	11	16.03	42	0.858	22	0.858	22	13.5–25.0	1986Var
	2b	16.40	11	16.03	42	0.858	22	0.858	22	13.5–25.0	1986Var
	4a	16.34	7	10.42	24	0.236	4	0.236	4	10.1–24.7	1973Bra
	4b	16.26	10	11.17	41	0.248	7	0.248	7	10.1–24.7	1973Bra
⁹ Be	0	23.75	10	9.47	33	0.577	17	0.577	17	17.5–26.0	1975Ahr
¹⁰ B	4a	21.72	10	9.08	16	0.441	8	0.441	8	8.5–24.9	1987Ahs
	4b	22.54	32	10.81	63	0.518	26	0.518	26	8.5–24.9	1987Ahs

Beta-delayed neutron emission

Nuclear Reactors kinetics and safe operation:
 P_n determines the delayed neutron fraction β_{eff}
 important for reactor kinetics and safety.

Nuclear Astrophysics:
 Far from the stability, **β -delayed neutron emission** becomes the dominant decay process and determines abundances after neutron freeze-out in r-process nucleosynthesis.



Cs 132 6,47 d β ⁻ 0.8... γ 668; 465; 630...	Cs 133 100 2.5 · 10 ²¹ a	Cs 134 2,90 h 2,06 s β ⁻ 0.7... γ 905; 796... h _γ 127... e ⁻ 140	Cs 135 53 m 2 · 10 ⁶ a β ⁻ 0.2 γ 919; 1048... h _γ 781; g 8,0	Cs 136 19 s 13,16 d β ⁻ 0.3; 0.7... γ 919; 1048... h _γ 1250; σ 1.3	Cs 137 30,17 a β ⁻ 0.5; 1,2 m; 0 σ 0,25
Xe 131 11,9 d 21.2	Xe 132 26.9 0.05 · 10 ²¹ a	Xe 133 2,1 d 5,25 d β ⁻ 0.3... γ 1250; h _γ 233 e ⁻ 190	Xe 134 10.4 10,003 · 10 ²¹ a	Xe 135 15,3 m 9,10 h h _γ 527 β ⁻ 0.9; β ⁻ 1.250; γ 787...; 608...; σ 2,65 · 10 ⁶	Xe 136 8.9 σ 0,26
I 131 8,02 d β ⁻ 0,6; 0,8... γ 364; 637; 284...; σ -0,7	I 132 83,6 m 2,30 h β ⁻ 0.7... γ 530; h _γ 913; e ⁻ 190	I 133 9 20,8 h β ⁻ 1.2; γ 530; h _γ 913; e ⁻ 190	I 134 3,5 52,0 m β ⁻ 2.2; γ 943; h _γ 884; 234 e ⁻ 190	I 135 6,61 h β ⁻ 1.5; 2.2... γ 1260; 1132; 1678; 1458... g; m	
Te 130 33,80 2,7 · 10 ²¹ a 2p ⁻ σ 0,03 + 0,20	Te 131 30 h 25,0 m β ⁻ 0.5; γ 774; h _γ 940; e ⁻ 190	Te 132 5,3 h β ⁻ 2.1... γ 228; 50... h _γ 182 e ⁻ 190	Te 133 55,4 m 12,5 m β ⁻ 0.7... γ 915; h _γ 934 e ⁻ 190	Te 134 8 m β ⁻ 0.6... γ 787; 2... 276; 79; 56... g; m	
	Sb 130 39,5 m 6,3 m β ⁻ 2.9... γ 840; h _γ 793; e ⁻ 190	Sb 131 23 m β ⁻ 1.3; 3.0... γ 943; 933; 642... h _γ 182 e ⁻ 190	Sb 132 4,1 m 2,8 m β ⁻ 3.9... γ 874; h _γ 697; e ⁻ 190	Sb 133 5 m β ⁻ 1.2... γ 1096; 8... 2755; 837... g; m	Sb 134 10... 0,75 s β ⁻ 6.1... γ 1278... 297; 707; 26... h _γ 1352
	Sn 130 1,7 m 3,7 m β ⁻ 4... γ 145; 1... h _γ 889; e ⁻ 190	Sn 131 50 s 39 s β ⁻ 3.4... γ 1228... h _γ 450; e ⁻ 190	Sn 132 9,7 s β ⁻ 1.9... γ 341; 1... h _γ 247; 95... e ⁻ 190	Sn 133 1,44 s β ⁻ 7.8... γ 82... h _γ 1872; 318... e ⁻ 190	Sn 134 0,5 s β ⁻ 8... γ 82... h _γ 554; 962... e ⁻ 190

IAEA Project 3: Coordinated Research Project on beta-delayed neutron emission

- Coordinator: P. Dimitriou

- 17 groups from 14 countries

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D. Cano, CIEMAT, Spain

S. Chiba, Tokyo Inst. Techn., Japan

M. Fallot, A. Porta, SUBATECH Nantes, France

P. Garrett, I. Dillmann, B. Singh, Univ. Guelph, TRIUMF, McMaster Univ., Canada

G. Mukherjee, P. Banerjee, VECC, India

K. Rykaczewski, R. Grzywacz, ORNL, Univ. Tennessee, USA

J. Tain, A. Algora, CSIC-Univ. Valencia, Spain

X. Huang, CNDC, China

F. Minato, JAEA, Japan

T. Marketin, Univ. of Zagreb, Croatia

R. Mills, NNL, UK

A. Sonzogni, T. Johnson, E. McCutchan, BNL, USA

D. Foligno, P. Leconte, CEA Cadarache, France

- Budget: 150K Euros

- Duration: 2013-2017

- Output:

Database:

www-nds.iaea.org/beta-delayed-neutron/database.html

Publication: Nuclear Data Sheets, accepted for publication

Development of a Reference Database for Beta-Delayed Neutron Emission

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Scope: measurements, compilation, evaluation, theory, validation and dissemination I

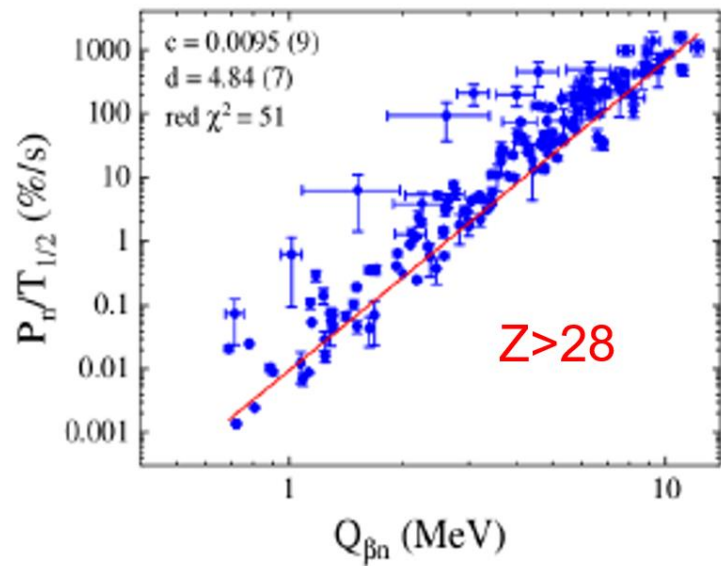
New standards

Nuclide	Half-life (s)	P_{1n} (%)	Ref.
^9Li	0.1782(4)	50.5(10)	[31]
^{16}C	0.7546(80)	99.28(12)	[31]
^{17}N	4.171(4)	95.1(7)	[31]
^{49}K	1.263(50)	86(9)	[31]
^{83}Ga	0.310(1)	66(6)	[32]
^{87}Br	55.64(15)	2.54(11)	[32]
^{88}Br	16.29(8)	6.72(27)	[32]
^{94}Rb	2.704(15)	10.3(3)	[32]
^{95}Rb	0.380(4)	8.94(57)	[32]
^{137}I	24.59(10)	7.65(14)	[32]
^{145}Cs	0.581(6)	13.5(6)	[32]
^{146}Cs	0.321(2)	14.3(8)	[32]
^{147}Cs	0.2321(20)	28.5(20)	[32]

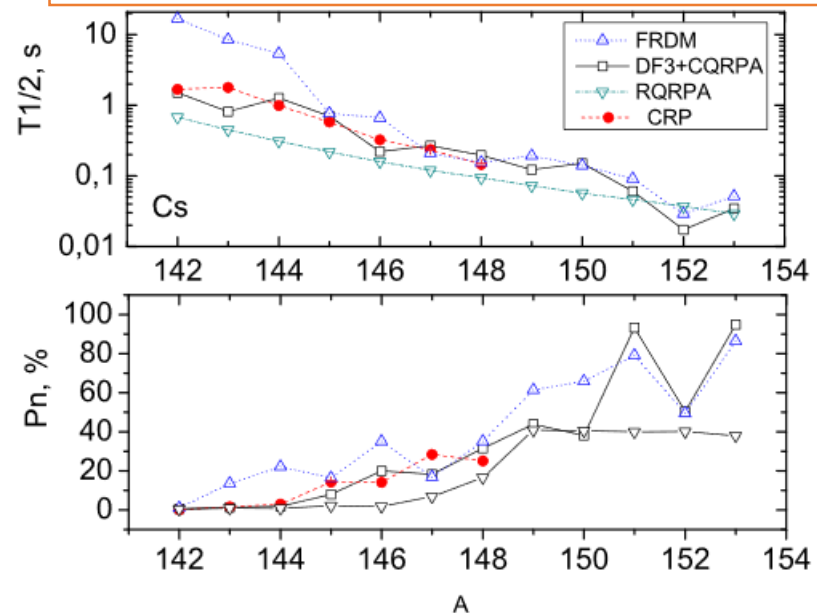
Compilation-Evaluation

$(T_{1/2}, P_n)$ data have been extracted and evaluated for 653 neutron-rich known or potential-delayed neutron emitters from about 600 publications

New systematics: McCutchan et al 2012



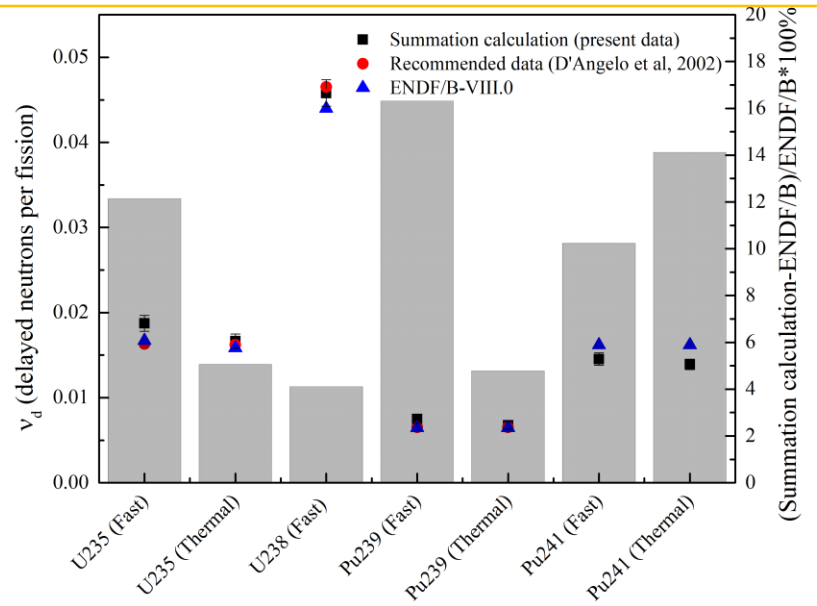
New models: DF3+QQRPA, RHB+QRPA



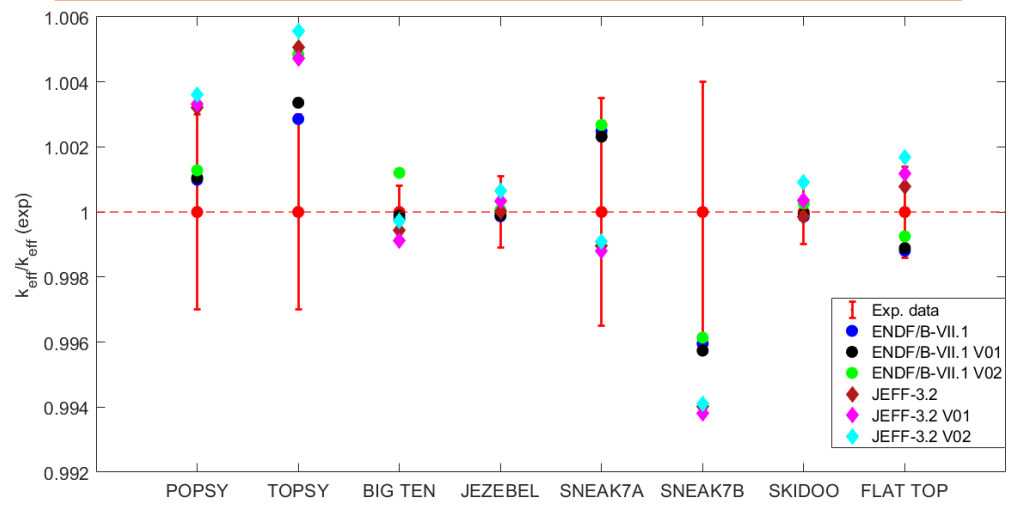
Scope: measurements, compilation, evaluation, theory, validation and dissemination II

- Summation calculations of total delayed neutron yield ν_d
- Time-dependent calculations
- Integral reactor calculations

Comparison with ENDF/B-VIII.0 library and recommended values



Comparisons with k_{eff} and β_{eff} benchmarks



IAEA Project 4: Coordinated Research Project on Reference Database for Particle-Induced Gamma-ray Emission spectroscopy (PIGE)

- Coordinator: P. Dimitriou
- 10 participants/groups from 10 countries

Becker, Germany

Bogdanovic-Radovic, Croatia

Chiari, Italy

Raisanen, Finland

De Jesus, Portugal

Kakuee, Iran

Kiss, Hungary

Lagoyannis, Greece

Zucchatti, Spain



- Budget: 150K Euros
- Duration: 2011-2015
- Output:

Ion Beam Analysis Data Library (IBANDL)

IAEA-TECDOC-1822: Handbook of PIGE analysis

- ✓ Over 600 new data sets in IBANDL
- ✓ 200 new measurements (data sets)
- ✓ Comparisons with measured thick-target yields
- ✓ Assessments - Recommendations

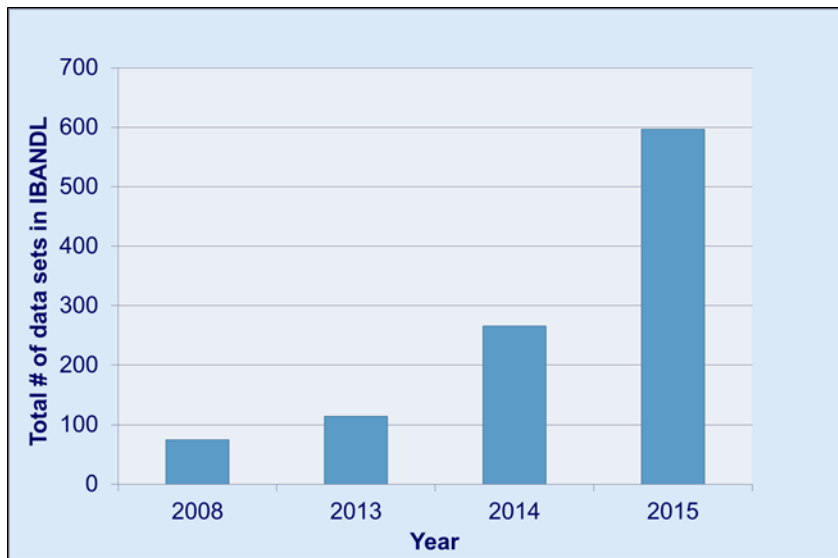
Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library (IBANDL)



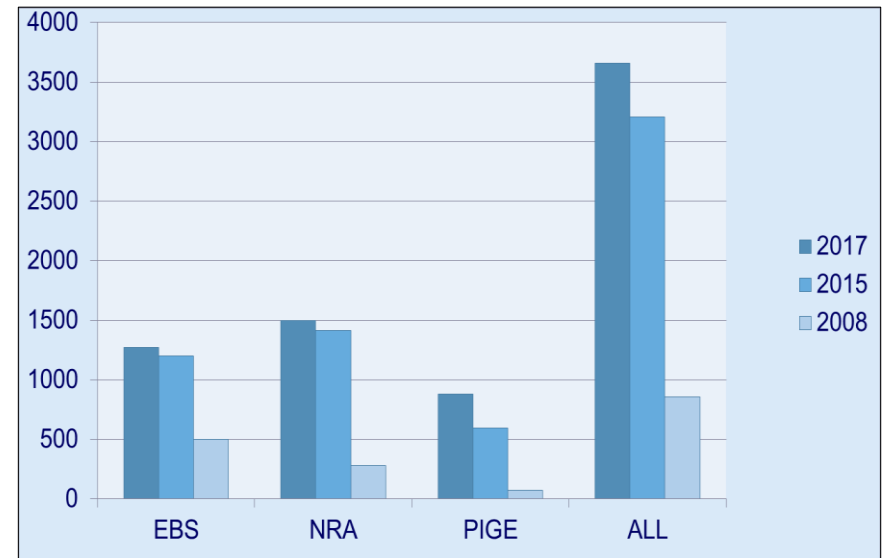
This is the Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library developed and formerly maintained by [A. Gurbich](#) under the IAEA auspices. It contains available **experimental** nuclear cross-sections relevant to Ion Beam Analysis. Differential cross sections are presented both as graphs and data files. The numerical data are in the R33 format. Currently, most of the data are being extracted from EXFOR using an automatic conversion procedure available in [EXFOR retrieval system](#) (see details of the algorithm [here](#)).

New

- o Total cross sections (mb) can be converted to differential cross sections (mb/sr) in cases where the angular distributions are known to be isotropic. Differential cross sections (mb/sr) can be converted to Ratio-to-Rutherford (τ) and vice versa. Press 'Convert units for plotting' button on the data table header.
- o Conversion to inverse kinematics is possible. Press 'inverted' button on the data table header.
- o User can upload own data files to compare with existing data. See 'Add your dataset in R33 format for plotting' on the bottom of the data table.
- o Search data by first author and reference: [\[Summary\]](#) → [\[+\]References](#) → [click on »](#).



Number of PIGE data sets in IBANDL (before and during CRP)



Number of data sets in IBANDL (before and after the CRP)

IAEA Project 5: IAEA Inter-comparison of PIGE Analysis Codes

- Coordinator: P. Dimitriou
- Participants:
Barradas, IAEA
Cruz, Portugal
Lagoyannis, Greece
Meyer, Germany

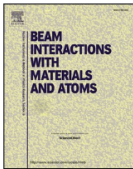
- Budget: 15K Euros
- Recommended PIGE Analysis Codes
- Publication:



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International Atomic Energy Agency inter-comparison of particle induced gamma-ray emission codes for bulk samples

N. Pessoa Barradas^{a,*}, J. Cruz^b, M. Fonseca^{b,c}, A.P. de Jesus^b, A. Lagoyannis^d, V. Manteigas^b, M. Mayer^e, K. Preketes-Sigalas^d, P. Dimitriou^{a,1}

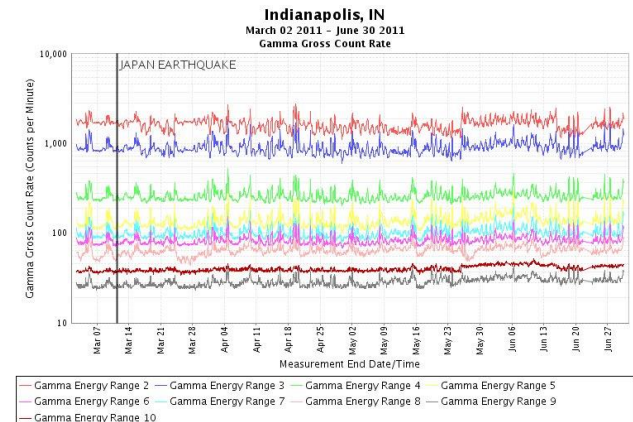
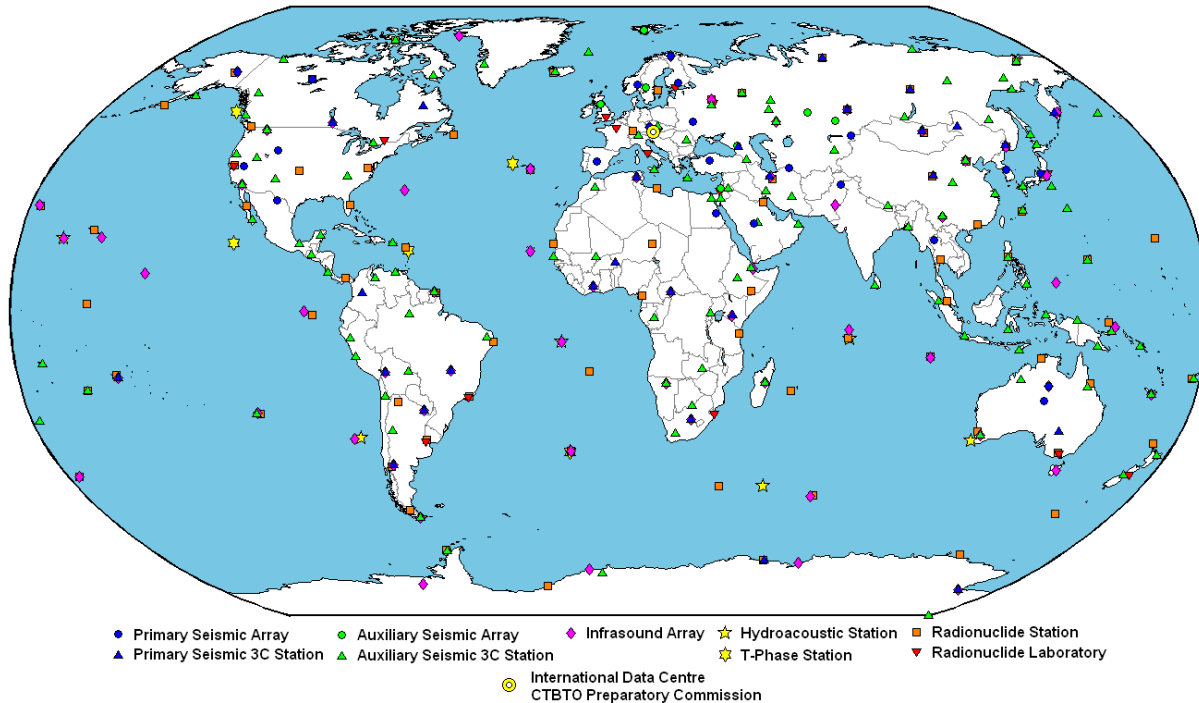


Nuclear Data for Monitoring Applications

An International Atomic Energy Agency Project to create a library of decay data for radionuclides relevant to CTBTO

CTBT Radionuclides:
From nuclear weapons
(fission & activation products)

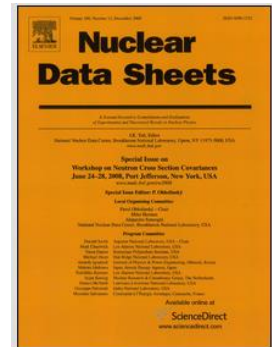
INTERNATIONAL MONITORING SYSTEM



IAEA Project: Evaluation of decay data for monitoring applications

- Critical assessment of all measurements and uncertainties
- Averaging methods
- Procedures, policies, analysis codes developed and used for the Evaluated Nuclear Structure Data File (ENSDF)

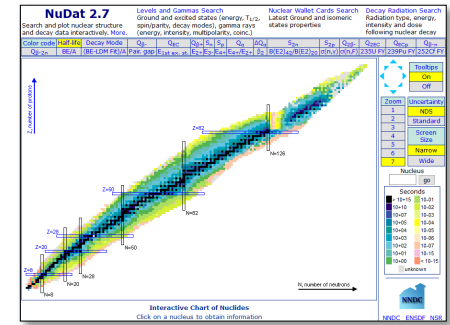
- Budget: 30K Euros per year
- Duration: 2019-2022
- Output:
Online data library
Publication



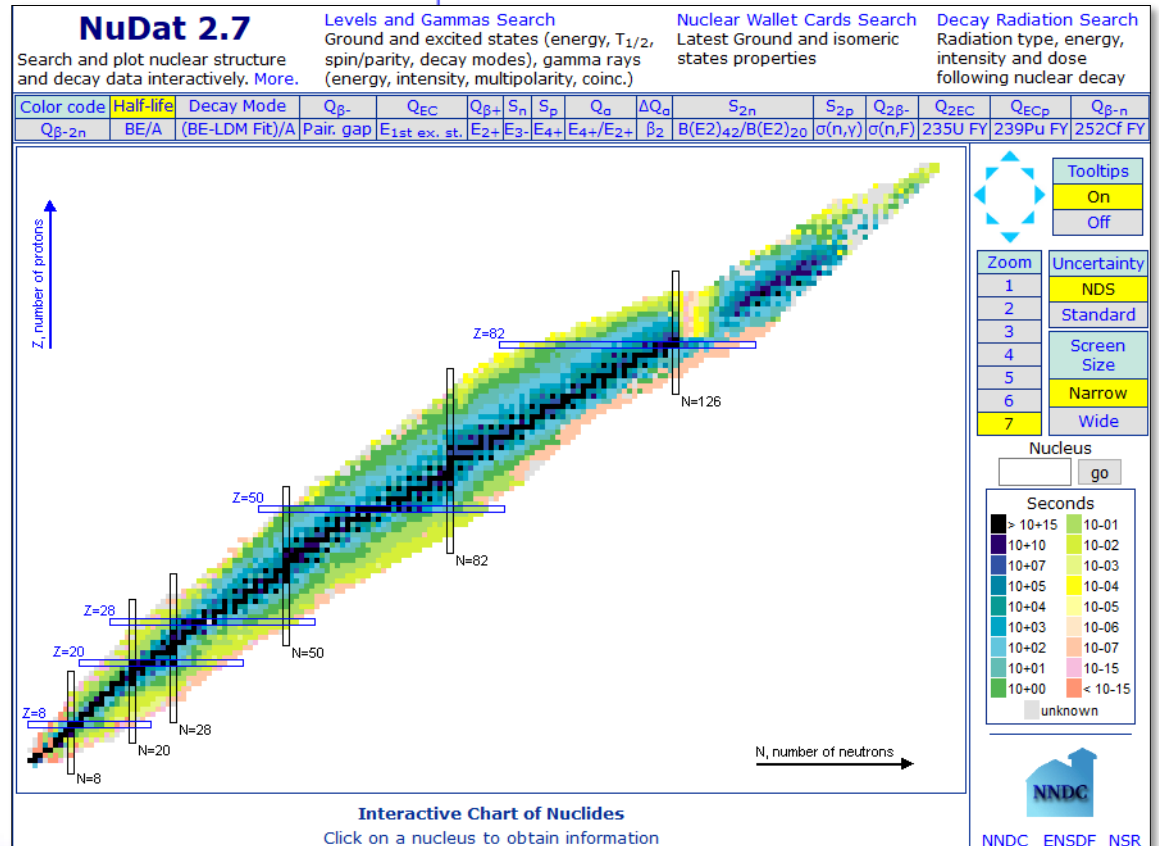
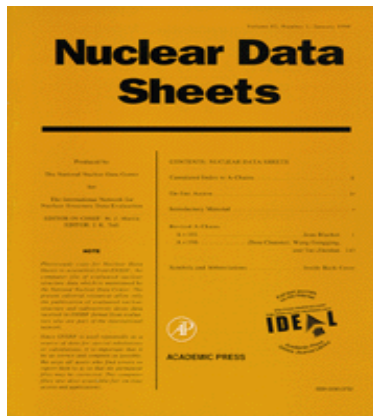
27 top priority fission products for monitoring nuclear explosions by measuring radionuclide concentrations in air samples (CTBTO)

Under the auspices of the International Atomic Energy Agency

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Evaluated Nuclear Structure and Decay Data File: ENSDF



International Network of Nuclear Structure and Decay Data Evaluators



17 Data Centers



BNL



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AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY



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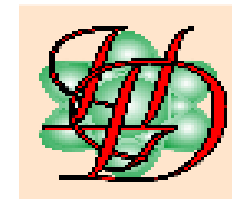
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Scientific Secretary of the NSDD network 2013-2019

- Coordination: meetings, communication
- Training: IAEA-ICTP workshops, Advanced workshops
- Technical support: evaluation, project on analysis & checking codes, projects on horizontal evaluations (nuclear moments)
- Financial: funding schemes for beginners, horizontal evaluation (nuclear moments, Atlas of Isomers)
- Dissemination: Live Chart, Decay Data Portal

Nuclear Moments database: since 2015 on IAEA web server

NUCLEAR ELECTROMAGNETIC MOMENTS

The present compilation includes experimental information on nuclear magnetic dipole and electric quadrupole moments of other resources. The online interface was created by Theo J. Mertzimekis under the IAEA auspices.

New: The recommended magnetic dipole moments published by N.J. Stone in INDC(NDS)-0794 have now been added

Periodic Table | Z-Helix | Elementary Particles

Period 1: H, He
 2: Li, Be
 3: Na, Mg
 4: K, Ca, Sc, Ti, V, Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni, Cu, Zn, Ga, Ge, As, Se, Br, Kr
 5: Rb, Sr, Y, Zr, Nb, Mo, Tc, Ru, Rh, Pd, Ag, Cd, In, Sn, Sb, Te, I, Xe
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- Project on evaluation of Nuclear Moments (2017)
- Participants: Stone, Stuchbery, Jakowski, Persson, Pykko, Kondev, Nuyens, Lloyd, Mertzimekis
- Budget: 30K Euros



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DEVELOPMENT OF A DEDICATED ONLINE DATABASE
FOR NUCLEAR MOMENTS DATA

TABLE OF RECOMMENDED NUCLEAR MAGNETIC
DIPOLE MOMENTS:
PART I, LONG-LIVED STATES

TABLE OF RECOMMENDED NUCLEAR MAGNETIC
DIPOLE MOMENTS:
PART II, SHORT-LIVED STATES

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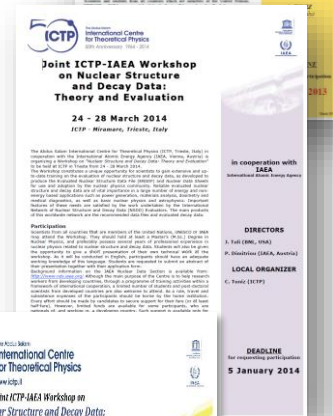
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IAEA-ICTP Workshops

Workshops co-sponsored by ICTP (Trieste) and IAEA
Proposals submitted from IAEA departments are reviewed and selected by ICTP-IAEA committee

- IAEA-ICTP Workshop on Nuclear Data for Analytical Applications, 21-25 October 2013
 - Budget: 15K Euros
 - Trainees: 20
 - Lecturers: 5
- IAEA-ICTP Workshop on Nuclear Structure and Decay Data, 24-28 March 2014
 - Budget: 10K Euros
 - Trainees: 20
 - Lecturers: 5
 - Publication: *Nuclear Data Sheets for A=227*, F. Kondev, E. McCutchan, B. Singh, J. Tuli, K. Abusaleem, P. Dimitriou, et al., *Nuclear Data Sheets* 132, 257 (2016)
- IAEA-ICTP Workshop on Nuclear Structure and Decay Data, 16-30 August 2016
 - Budget: 15K Euros
 - Trainees: 24
 - Lecturers: 10
 - Publication: *Nuclear Data Sheets for A=217*, F. Kondev, E. McCutchan, B. Singh, et al., *Nuclear Data Sheets* 147, 382 (2018)
- IAEA-ICTP Workshop on Nuclear Structure and Decay Data, 15-26 October 2018
 - Budget: 15K Euros
 - Trainees: 21
 - Lecturers: 8
 - Publication: *Nuclear Data Sheets for A=218*, B. Singh, S.M. Basunia, M. Martin, E. McCutchan et al., *Nuclear Data Sheets* 160, 417 (2019)





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5-9 October 2020, Athens, Greece

Postponed to 2021

- Series of international conferences: Yosemite National Park (2007), Bordeaux (2009), Prague (2011), Sao Paolo (2013), Tokyo (2015) and Berkeley (2018)
- **Venue:** National Hellenic Research Foundation
- **Organised:** by INPP (CALIBRA) in collaboration with Los Alamos National Laboratory
- **Proceedings:** peer-reviewed in EPJ Web of Conferences; topical issue in EPJ Nuclear Sciences & Technologies
- **website:** <http://www.inp.demokritos.gr/cnr2020>
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Topics:

Nuclear reaction mechanisms (direct, compound, pre-equilibrium, other)
Nuclear fission
Statistical Hauser-Feshbach theory
Surrogate methods
Optical model
Level densities and photon strength functions
R-matrix theory and connecting resolved resonances with statistical regime
Nuclear structure for nuclear reactions
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Nuclear data
Applications in nuclear astrophysics, energy, medical physics etc.
Experimental facilities



Cluster of Accelerator Laboratories for
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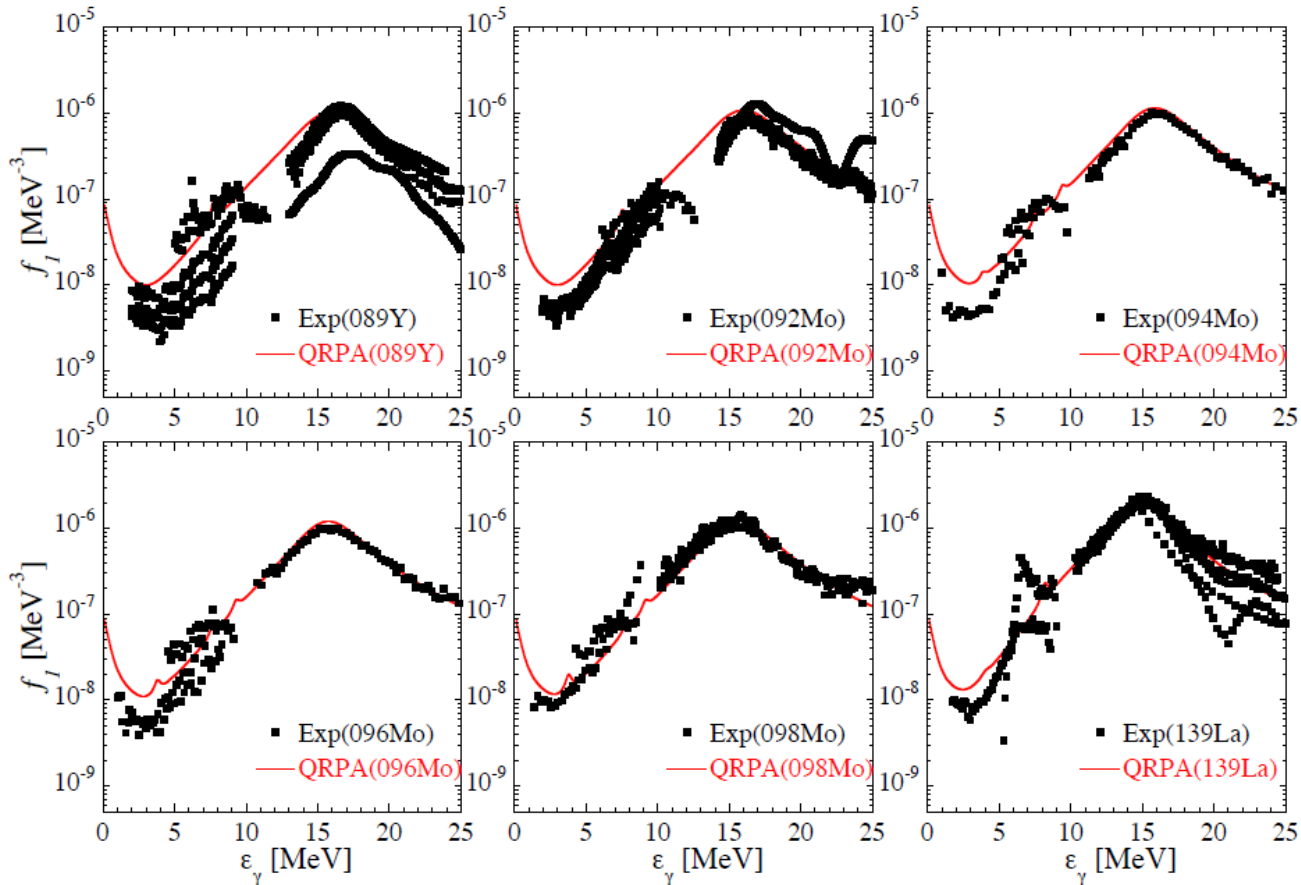
Future

- Nuclear astrophysics:
 - Nuclear data needs for r-process nucleosynthesis (fission properties)
 - Sensitivity analyses of abundance calculations on nuclear data input
 - R-matrix analyses for nuclear astrophysics
- Nuclear Data – IAEA collaboration
 - Evaluation of reaction data for energy, IBA and astrophysics applications
 - Evaluation of decay data for monitoring applications, decay heat, anti-neutrino spectra

Thank you!

Scope: Measurements, compilation, evaluation, theory, dissemination II

Comparison for nuclei for which NRF, Oslo & Photodata are available
($E1 + M1$ strength)



Photon Strength Functions: Connecting GDR and low-energy photon strength



Reference Database for Beta-Delayed Neutron Emission Data

Search

Nuclide

≤ Z ≤
 ≤ N ≤
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≤ P(1n)% ≤
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 ≤ P(3n)% ≤



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Clear

Data plotting

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Recommended values								
Nuclide	Isomer	T _{1/2}	%P(1n)	%P(2n)	%P(3n)	# of neutrons per decay	Reference	Spectra
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⁹ ₃ Li* ₆		178.2(4) ms	50.5 (10) ^a			0.505	2015BI05	2
¹¹ ₃ Li ₈		8.58(32) ms	86.6 (13)	4.2 (4)	1.9 (2)	1.007	2015BI05	5
¹¹ ₄ Be ₇		13740(80) ms	—				2015BI05	—
¹² ₄ Be ₈		21.47(4) ms	0.50 (3)			0.005	2015BI05	—
¹⁴ ₄ Be ₁₀		4.53(27) ms	86 (6)	5 (2)	—	0.96	2015BI05	1
¹³ ₅ B ₈		17.16(18) ms	0.266 (36)			0.00266	2015BI05	—

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- PIGE Concepts and Implementation
 - Bulk analysis
 - Depth profiling
- Minimal PIGE facility
- Examples

