



# Breakup and Structure of $1n$ Halo Nuclei

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## × **Non-perturbative treatment of breakup**

*Eikonal approximation*

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## × **Projection versus SuSy transformation of potential**

*Exact treatment of the Pauli principle*

*Application for excitation processes*

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## × **Outlooks**

# Coulomb break-up to all orders

- Breakup amplitude in perturbation theory

$$g_{fi}^C = g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }1} + g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }2} + g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }3} + \dots$$

- Sudden approximation for all orders

$$g_{fi}^{C\text{ sudd}}(k, d) = \phi_i(k_{t=+\infty}) - \phi_i(k_{t=-\infty})$$

with  $k_{t=+\infty} = k_f + Q \frac{\mathbf{x}}{r}$  and  $k_{t=-\infty} = k_f$

- BBM amplitude : high order terms treated at the sudden approx.

$$g_{fi}^{C\text{ BBM}} = g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }1} + \overbrace{g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }2} + g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }3} + \dots}^{\text{sudd}}$$

$$g_{fi}^{C\text{ BBM}} = g_{fi}^{C\text{ pert }1} + \left( g_{fi}^{C\text{ sudd}} - g_{fi}^{C\text{ sudd pert }1} \right)$$

# Non-perturbative Coulomb + nuclear breakup

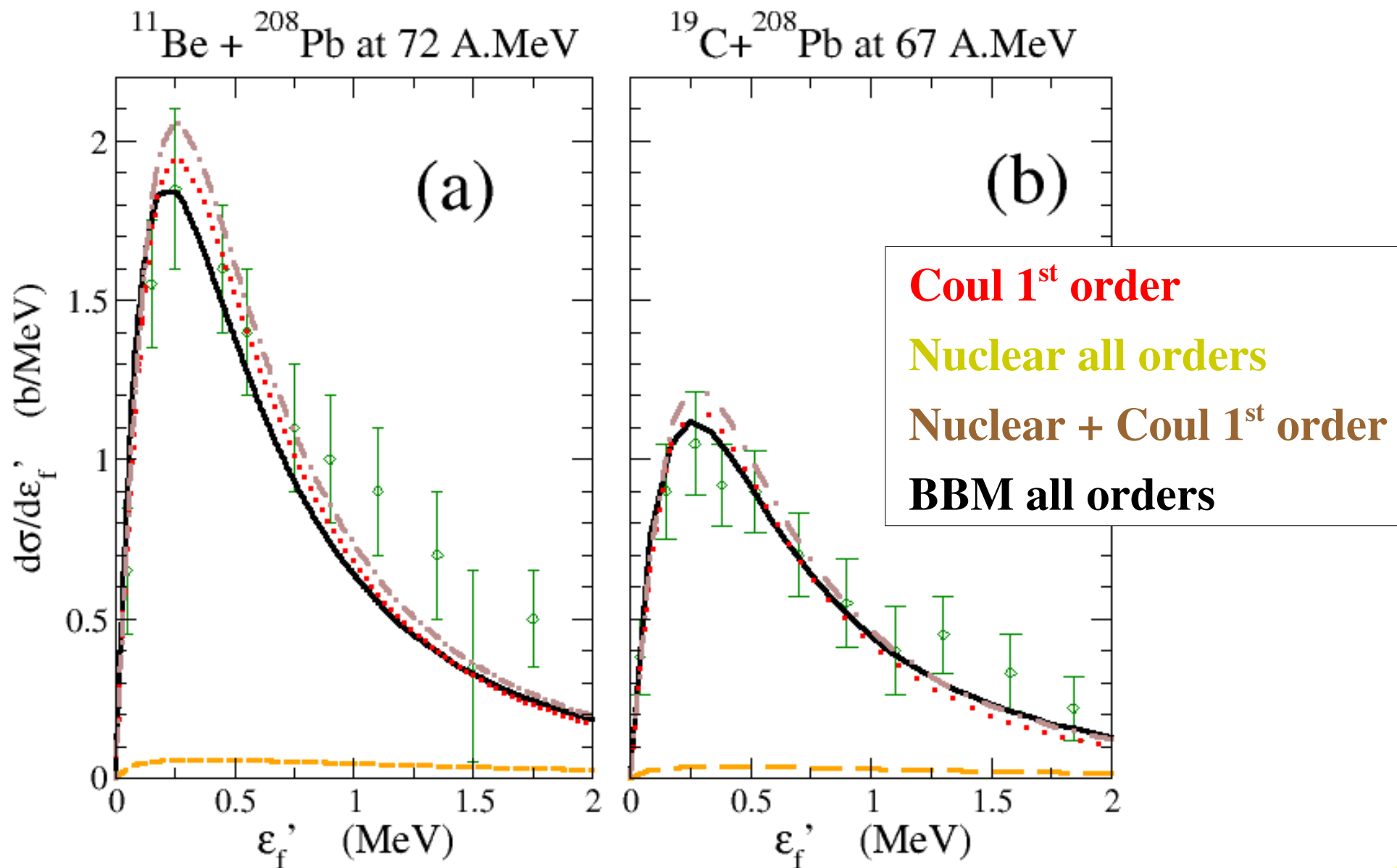
## □ **BBM amplitude**

$$g_{fi}^{CN\text{BBM}} = g_{fi}^{C\text{pert}1} + \cancel{g_{fi}^{N\text{pert}1}} + \left( g_{fi}^{CN\text{sudd}} - g_{fi}^{C\text{sudd}\text{pert}1} - \cancel{g_{fi}^{N\text{sudd}\text{pert}1}} \right)$$

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# Results

## □ Energy distribution



x Non-perturbative treatment of breakup

*Eikonal approximation*

x **Projection versus SuSy transformation  
of potential**

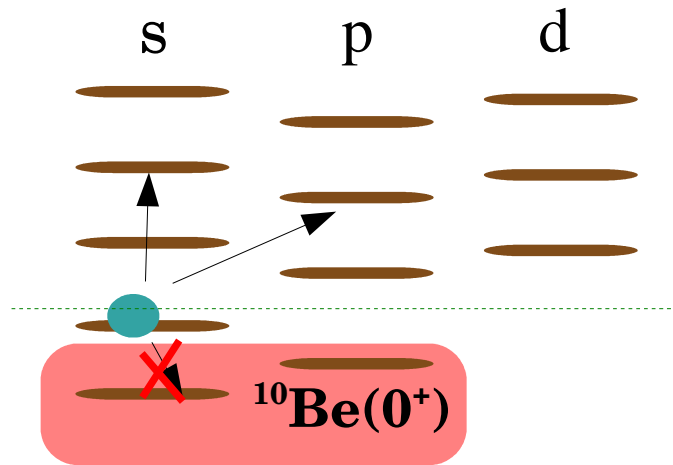
*Exact treatment of the Pauli principle*

*Application for excitation processes*

x Outlooks

# Halo Nuclei : Core + Valence space

GS( $^{11}\text{Be}$ ) : [ $^{10}\text{Be}(0^+) + n(2s^{1/2})$ ]+...



The orbitals of the core are Pauli blocked...

Projector method :  $\hat{p} = \hat{1} - \sum_{i \in \text{core}} |\phi_i\rangle\langle\phi_i|$

Schrödinger eq. :  $\hat{p}\hat{H}\hat{p}|\phi(t)\rangle = i\hbar \frac{d}{dt}|\phi(t)\rangle$

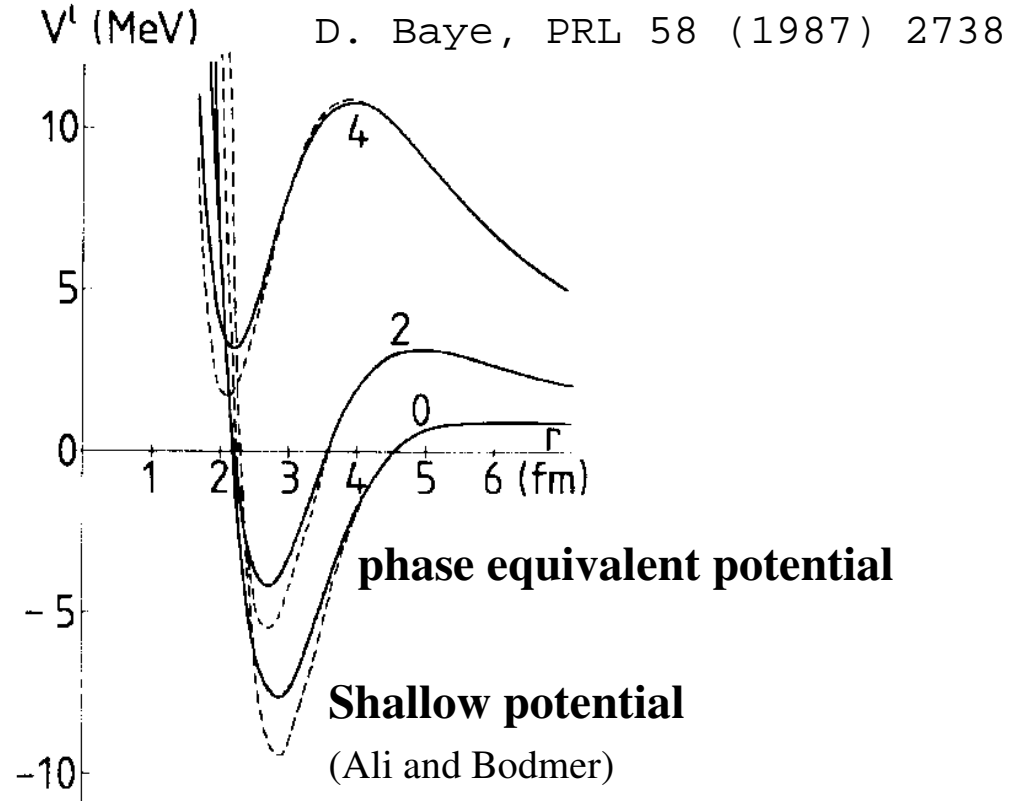
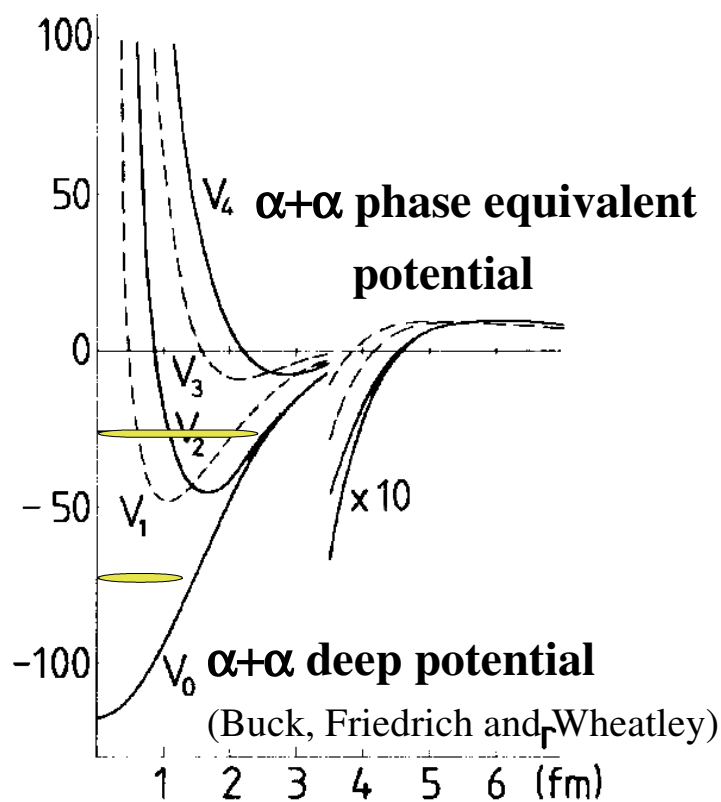
Quantum Mechanics SuperSymmetry ...

# From Toy Model to Nuclear Physics

## Short History

Early 80ies: Theoretical model (Witten, Sukumar,...)

Link between Deep and Shallow Nucleus-Nucleus Potential



## Recently...

Application to Coulomb breakup of  $^{11}\text{Be}$ :

Capel, Baye, Melezhik, PLB 552 (2003) 145

Comparison between projection method and SUSY

Thompson et al., PRC 61 (2000) 24318


Descouvemont et al., PRC 67 (2003) 44309

# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

Spherical coordinates:  $|\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{r} |\phi_l\rangle \otimes |Y_{lm}\rangle$

**Radial** Hamiltonian:  $\hat{h}_0^l = \hat{p}^2 / 2m + \hat{v}_0^l$  with  $\hat{v}_0^l = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{l(l+1)}{\hat{r}^2} + \hat{V}_0$



Introduce the **operators** :  $\hat{a}_0^\pm = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2m}} \{ \hat{w}_0 \mp i\hat{p} \}$

Factorize  $\hat{h}_0^l = \hat{a}_0^+ \hat{a}_0^- + e_0^l$   **Ground State Energy**

From : **Schrödinger** eq.

**destruction** operator

$$\hat{h}_0^l |\phi_0^l(e_0^l)\rangle = e_0^l |\phi_0^l(e_0^l)\rangle \iff \hat{a}_0^- |\phi_0^l(e_0^l)\rangle = 0$$

  $w_0(r) = \frac{d}{dr} \ln \phi_0^l(e_0^l, r)$  

**Ground State w.f.**

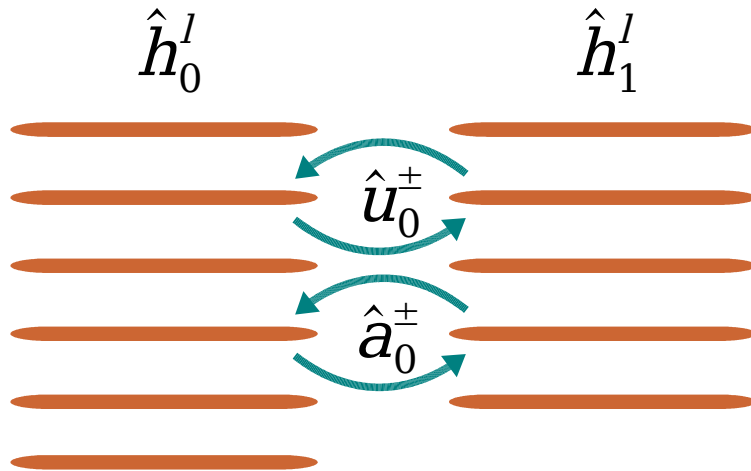


# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

$$\hat{h}_0^I = \hat{a}_0^+ \hat{a}_0^- + e_0^I \quad \text{with} \quad w_0(r) = \frac{d}{dr} \ln \phi_0^I(e_0^I, r)$$

Let's define  $\hat{h}_1^I = \hat{a}_0^- \hat{a}_0^+ + e_0^I$

$$\hat{a}_0^- \left| \phi_0^I(e_0^I) \right\rangle = 0$$



$$\left| \phi_1^I(e) \right\rangle = \frac{\hat{a}_0^-}{\sqrt{e - e_0^I}} \left| \phi_0^I(e) \right\rangle$$

$$\left| \phi_0^I(e) \right\rangle = \frac{\hat{a}_0^+}{\sqrt{e - e_0^I}} \left| \phi_1^I(e) \right\rangle$$

Operators  $\hat{u}_0^\pm$  :

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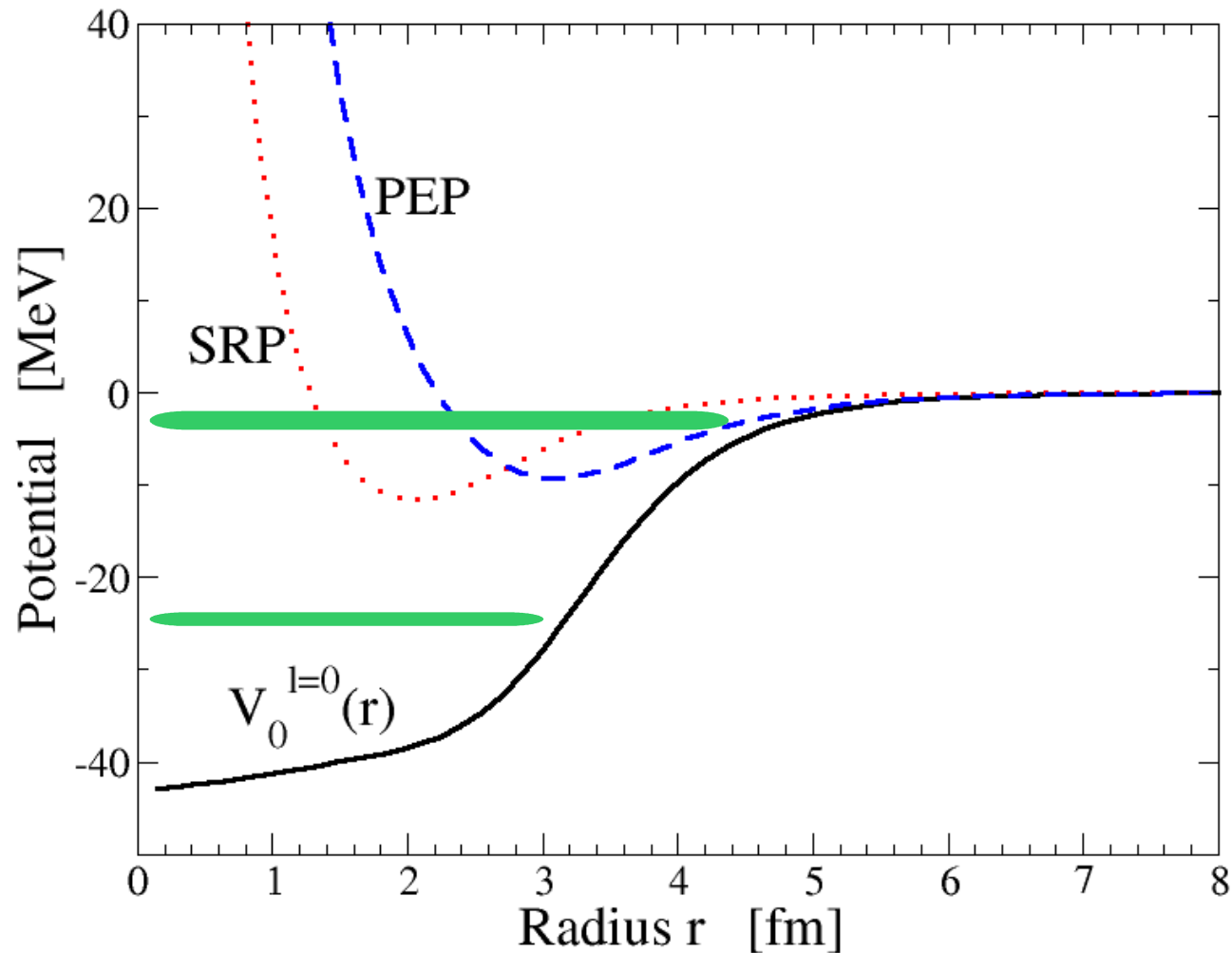
$$\hat{h}_1^I = \hat{u}_0^- \hat{h}_0^I \hat{u}_0^+$$

J. Margueron & P. Chomaz,  
PRC 2005

# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

**SRP: State Removal Potential**

**PEP: Phase Equivalent Potential**



# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

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projector:  $\hat{p} = \hat{1} - |\phi_0(e_0)\rangle\langle\phi_0(e_0)|$

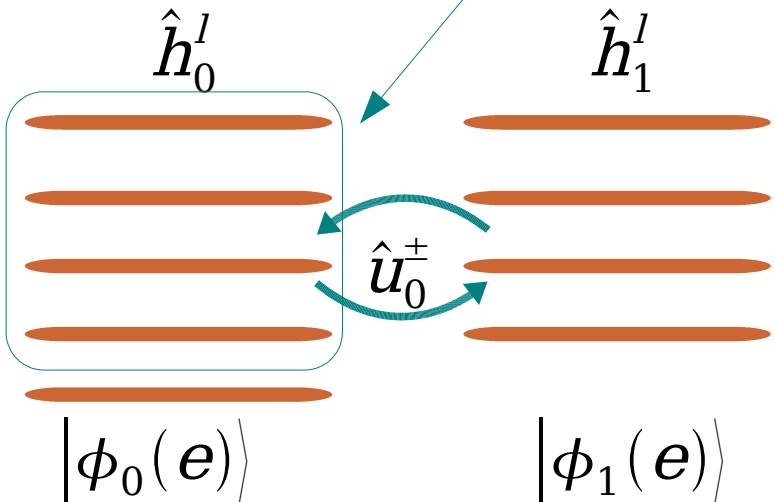
$\hat{u}_0^\pm$  are pseudo-unitary :

$$\hat{u}_0^- \hat{u}_0^+ = \hat{1}$$

**SuSy**  $\hat{u}_0^+ \hat{u}_0^- = \hat{p}$  **PROJECTION**

**SuSy  $\Leftrightarrow$  PROJECTION**

**$\perp$  to the frozen core**



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## Time dependant processes :

Excitation operator:  $\hat{f}_0$

Perturbed Hamiltonian :  $\hat{h} = \hat{h}_0 + \hat{f}_0$

Valence space Hamiltonian :  $\hat{h}_v = \hat{p} \hat{h} \hat{p}$

$$\hat{h}_v |\phi_0(t)\rangle = i \frac{d}{dt} |\phi_0(t)\rangle$$

$$\hat{u}_0^+ \hat{u}_0^- = \hat{p}$$

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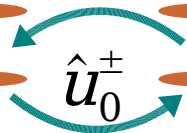
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## SuSy transformation :

1. Remove the Ac orbitals of the core :

$$\hat{u}_k^\pm = \prod_{i=1}^{A_c} \hat{u}_i^\pm$$

2. Transformation of the Hamiltonian:

$$\hat{h}_{v,k} = \hat{u}_k^- \hat{h} \hat{u}_k^+ = \hat{h}_k + \hat{f}_k$$

$$\hat{f}_k = \hat{u}_k^- \hat{f}_0 \hat{u}_k^+$$

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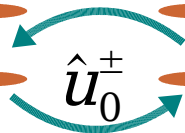
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## Internal approximation :

$$\hat{h}_{v,k} \approx \hat{h}_k + \hat{f}_0$$

# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

**Electric excitation:**  $\hat{f}_0(\lambda, L, M) = \hat{r}^\lambda \hat{Y}_{L, M}$

$$\langle l' m' | \hat{f}_k(\lambda, L, M) | l m \rangle = \hat{f}_k^{l'l}(\lambda) \langle l' m' | \hat{Y}_{L, M} | l m \rangle$$

$$\hat{f}_k^{l'l}(\lambda) = \hat{u}_{k-1}^{l'-} \hat{r}^\lambda \hat{u}_{k-1}^{l+} \quad \text{non diagonal in the r-space}$$

Doorway state: —

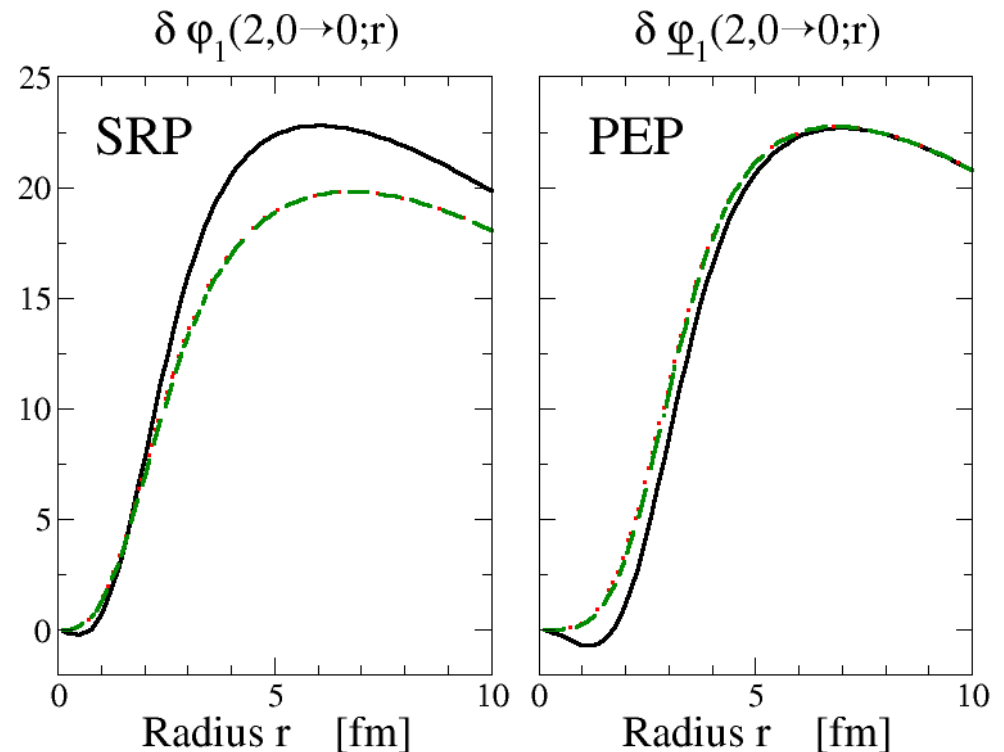
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*Diagonal approximation:* - · - ·

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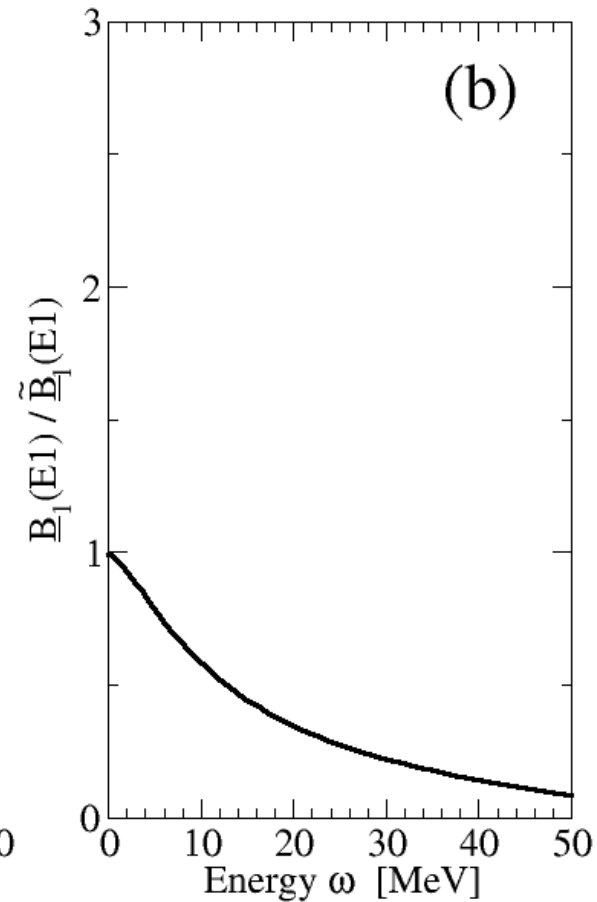
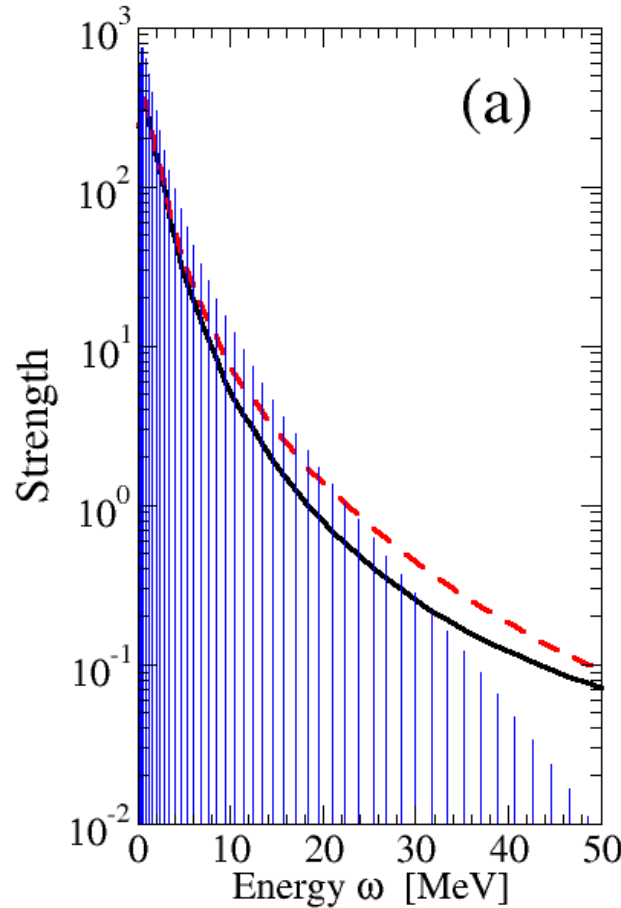
**Electric excitation:**  $\hat{f}_k^{l'l}(\lambda) = \hat{u}_{k-1}^{l'-} \hat{r}^\lambda \hat{u}_{k-1}^{l+}$

Transition probability :

$$B_k(E\lambda, i \rightarrow f) = \langle \phi_k^f | \hat{f}_k^{l'l}(\lambda) | \phi_k^i \rangle$$

Energy weighted sum rule :

$$m_t(E\lambda) = \int d\omega \omega^t S(E\lambda, \omega)$$



	$(\underline{m}_0 - \tilde{m}_0)/\underline{m}_0$	$(\underline{m}_1 - \tilde{m}_1)/\underline{m}_1$	$(\underline{m}_2 - \tilde{m}_2)/\underline{m}_2$
E0	1.4%	3.9%	17.4%
E1	-6.8%	-33.3%	-93.1%



# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

**Gaussian excitation:**  $\hat{f}_0 = \exp -r^2 / \mu^2$

Doorway state: ———

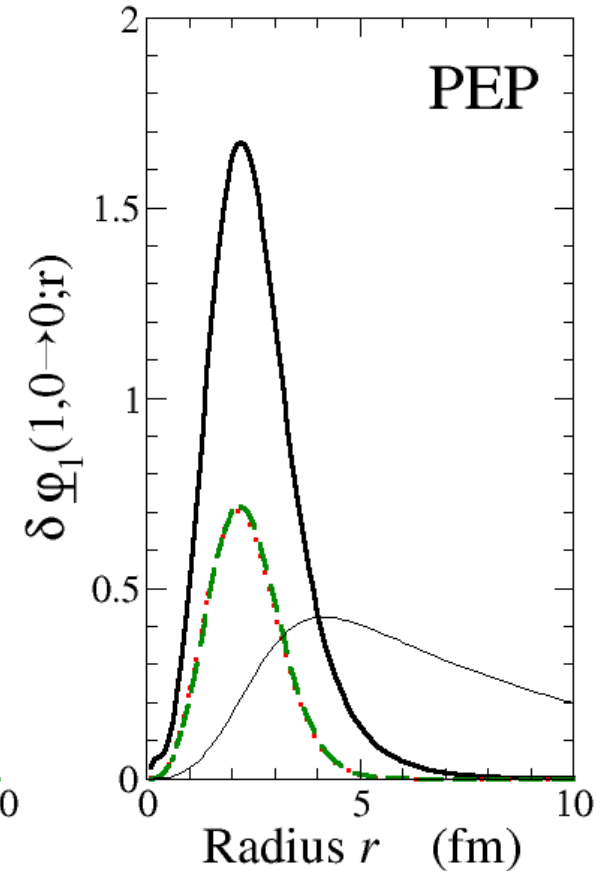
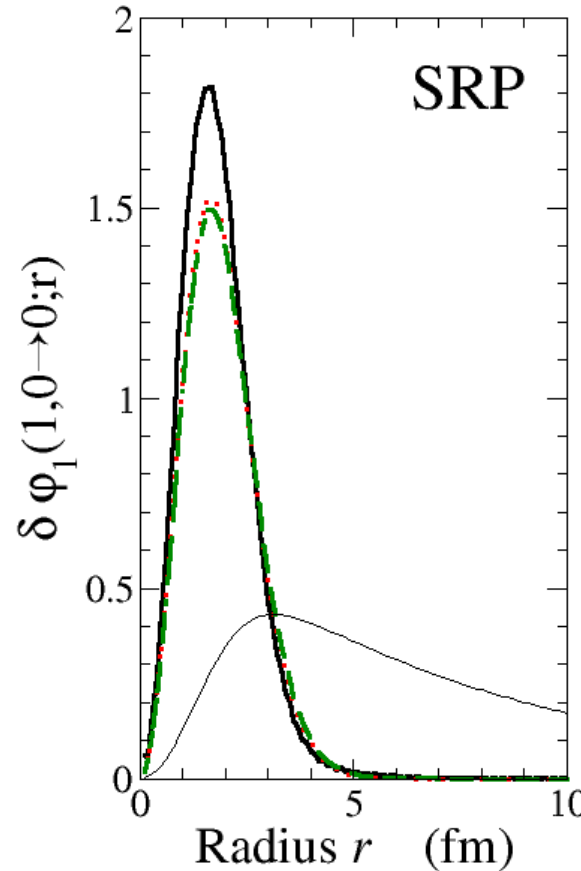
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➤ **Strong effects if the excitation operator overlap the core potential**

# Quantum Mechanics Supersymmetry

- ✓ We have introduced new operators :  $\hat{u}_0^\pm$
- ✓ We propose a **new framework** for SuSy transformations :
  - ◆ It is equivalent to the Projection method
  - ◆ It contains the usual internal approximation

## Results :

- ✓ The internal approximation is no longer accurate if the excitation operator overlap the core potential
- ✓ Or in the case of 2 particles in the valence space
  - ⇒ **2body interaction** has to be transformed !

$$\hat{u}^- (1) \hat{u}^- (2) V(\hat{r}_1 - \hat{r}_2) \hat{u}^+ (1) \hat{u}^+ (2)$$

## Outlooks :

- Apply SuSy to 2-body n-n interaction ( ${}^6\text{He}$ ,  ${}^{11}\text{Li}$ , ...):
- ◆ Structure
  - ◆ Reaction mechanism