ABSOLUTE SPECTROSCOPIC FACTORS FROM RADIOACTIVE-BEAM EXPERIMENTS

Knockout Reactions in Inverse Kinematics

- Spectroscopic factors and *I*-value assignments
- Two-nucleon knockout reactions and correlations
- Absolute spectroscopic factors: What is the occupancy of physical nucleons in the states that make up the usual shell-model representations?



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INNER SHELLS ARE REAL: THE (p,2p) KNOCKOUT REACTION





KNOCKOUT REACTION IN INVERSE KINEMATICS

In the sudden approximation, the momentum picked up by the residue is identical to that of the struck nucleon



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CALCULATION OF THE CROSS SECTION

The theoretical cross section for a given *j* channel is

$$\sigma_{exp} = R_s \left(\frac{A}{A-1}\right)^N C^2 S_j \ \sigma_{sp}(j, B_n)$$

where the quantity R_s is an empirical reduction factor describing the effect of contributions that go beyond effective-interaction theory

The single-particle cross sections for stripping is calculated in eikonal reaction theory:

$$\boldsymbol{s}_{sp}(j, B_n) = \frac{1}{2j+1} \sum_{m} 2\boldsymbol{p} \int b \, d \, b \, \langle jm \left| (1 - \left| S_N \right|^2) \left| S_C \right|^2 \right| jm > 0$$

with a similar expression for diffraction dissociation

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Gamma rays from the ⁹Be(²⁸Mg, ²⁶Ne+g)X Reaction





Spectroscopic factors¹) S(P) in the twonucleon knockout reaction ⁹Be(²⁸Mg, ²⁶Ne)X

$$S = \sigma/\sigma_{22}$$

I^{π}	$E_{\rm exp}$	$E_{ m th}$	$S_{ m exp}$	$S_{\mathrm{un}}^{(\mathbf{a})}$	$S_{\mathrm{th}}^{(\mathbf{b})}$	
0^{+}	0.00	0.00	2.4(5)	1.33	1.72	Unit:
2^{+}	2.02	2.01	0.3(5)	1.67	0.51	$\sigma_{22} = 0.29 \text{ mb}$
4^{+}	3.50	3.66	2.0(3)	3	1.69	
2^{+}	3.7	3.45	0.5(3)	-	0.73	

(a) No correlations, (d_{5/2})⁴ subshell assumed
 (b) Full sd shell amplitudes combined with reaction amplitudes from 4-body eikonal model²)

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SPECTROSCOPIC FACTORS IN THE REACTION ⁹Be(¹²Be,¹¹Be+g)X at 78 MeV/nucleon







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¹²C and ¹⁶O on a carbon target: comparison with (e,e'p)

^{A-1} Z	E _B	s _{exp}	Rs	Rs	Rs
	A MeV	mb		Average	(e,e'p)
¹¹ B	250	65.6(26)	0.65(3)		
	1050	48.6(24)	0.50(3)	0.57(2)	0.51(3)
	2100	53.8(27)	0.56(3)		
¹¹ C	250	56.0(41)	0.54(4)		
	1050	44.7(28)	0.47(2)	0.49(2)	
	2100	46.5(23)	0.49(2)		
¹⁵ N	2100	54.2(29)	0.59(4)	0.59(4)	0.67(5)
¹⁵ O	2100	42.9(23)	0.48(3)	0.48(3)	

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THE ⁹Be(¹⁵C,¹⁴C₀₊)X REACTION



¹⁵C $\frac{1}{2}$ + S_n = 1.218 MeV s_{incl} = 140.2(46) mb (Average of two measurements)

Branch to 0⁺ 71.8(24)% s(0⁺) = 100.8(44) mb

Theoretical spectroscopic factor C²S(0⁺) = 0.983



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$$\sigma_{exp} = R_s \left(\frac{A}{A-1}\right)^N C^2 S_j \ \sigma_{sp}(j, B_n)$$
 $R_{sp}^2 = \langle r^2 \rangle = \left(\frac{A}{A-1}\right) \langle r_{HF}^2 \rangle$

 $R_{sp} = 5.185$ fm (from Skyrme X Hartree-Fock) σ_{strp} = 62.1 mb $\sigma_{diff} = 34.5 \text{ mb}$ $\sigma_{Cou} = 2.9 \text{ mb}$, hence $\sigma_{sp} = 99.4 \text{ mb}$

 $\delta\sigma_{sp}/\sigma_{sp} = 0.44\delta R_{sp} - 0.04\delta a - 0.3\delta R_C - 0.3\delta R_T$

 $R_{\rm s} = 0.90(4)(5)$



QUENCHING FACTOR *R*_s FOR PROTON AND NEUTRON STATES



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THE N=14 NUCLEUS ³²Ar: ASYMMETRIC FERMI SURFACES AT THE PROTON DRIP LINE





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³¹Ar: REACHING THE PROTON DRIP LINE





MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTION AND CROSS SECTION 31Ar





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$$\sigma_{exp} = 10.4(13) \text{ mb}$$



 $R_{\rm s} = 0.24(4)(4)$



RADIAL NUMBER DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE *d*_{5/2} PROTON IN ³²Ar AND OF PROTONS AND NEUTRONS IN ³¹Ar





CALCULATION OF THE SINGLE-PARTICLE CROSS SECTIONS FOR ²²O AND ³²Ar

Cross section density distribution	ons (mb) for <i>l</i> e ributions	=2 calculated assum	ning
(p+n) _{HF}	matter _{HF}	Gaussian+rms	
²² O 22.3	22.3	20.6	
³² Ar 9.9	10.0	9.7	



THE ⁹Be(²²O,²¹O)X REACTION

²⁰ O · 5/2+	+ n 3.81 3.15	C ² S 0.14	Sn = 6.85(6) MeV Measured inclusive cross section GANIL ^{a)} 51 MeV/nucleon: 120(14) mb GSI ^{b)} 938 MeV/nucleon: 70(9) mb
3/2+	2.19	0.03	<i>R_s</i> = 0.70(6)
1/2+	1.33	0.23	
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QUALITATIVE ESTIMATE OF CONTRIBUTIONS FROM SHORT-RANGE INTERACTIONS^{a)}





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d²o/dΩdE (mb/sr.MeVI

COMPARISON WITH THEORETICAL SPECTROSCOPIC FACTORS OBTAINED BY THE VARIATIONAL MONTE-CARLO METHOD^a)

The quenching factors are in units of the *p*-shell effective-interaction spectroscopic factor^{b)} (A/A-1)*C²S

Initial State	Final State(s)	R _s (VMC)	R _s (exp)	Method
⁷ Li(3/2 ⁻ ,1/2)	⁶ He(0++2+,1)	0.60	0.58(5)	(e,e'p) ^{c)}
⁷ Li(3/2 ⁻ ,1/2)	⁶ Li(0 ⁺ ,1)	0.60	-	
⁷ Li(3/2 ⁻ ,1/2)	⁶ Li(1 ⁺ ,0)	0.77	-	
⁸ B(2+,1)	⁷ Be(3/2 ⁻ ,1)	0.82	0.86(7)	Knockout
⁹ C(3/2 ⁻ ,3/2)	⁸ B(2 ⁺ ,1)	-	0.82(6)	Knockout

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CONCLUDING REMARKS

Structure of nuclei

Knockout reactions in inverse kinematics are a powerful tool for identifying single-particle structure. Two-nucleon knockout has been shown to be a direct reaction for nuclei away from the stability line. It can give information on two-nucleon correlations in the wave function.

Foundations of the shell model

Experiments on drip-line nuclei, an option that is unique to a rare-isotope accelerator, suggest that the absolute occupancies of single-particle orbitals depend strongly on structure and nucleon separation energy.

