

Density Functional Theory with uncertainty quantification from Functional Renormalization Group in Kohn-Sham scheme

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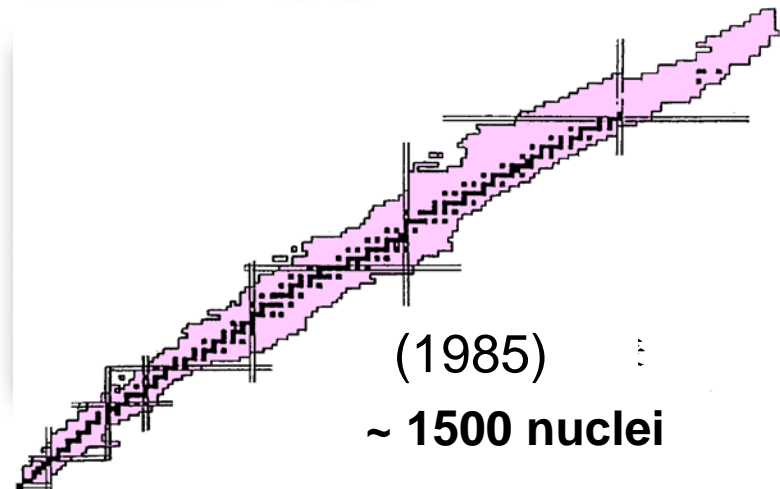
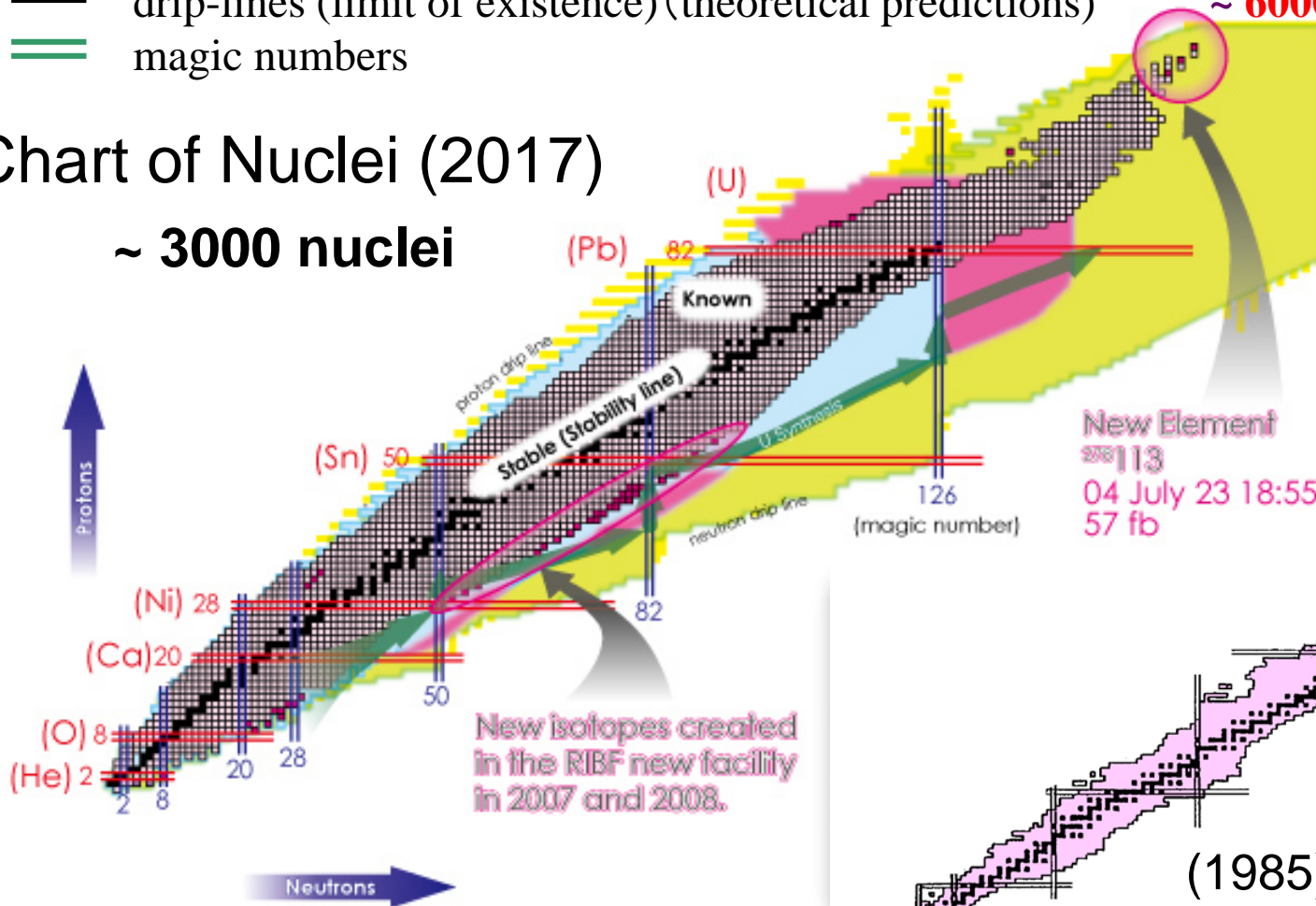
Nuclear chart

- stable nuclei
- unstable nuclei observed so far
- drip-lines (limit of existence) (theoretical predictions)
- magic numbers

~ 300 nuclei
 ~ 3000 nuclei
 ~ 6000 nuclei

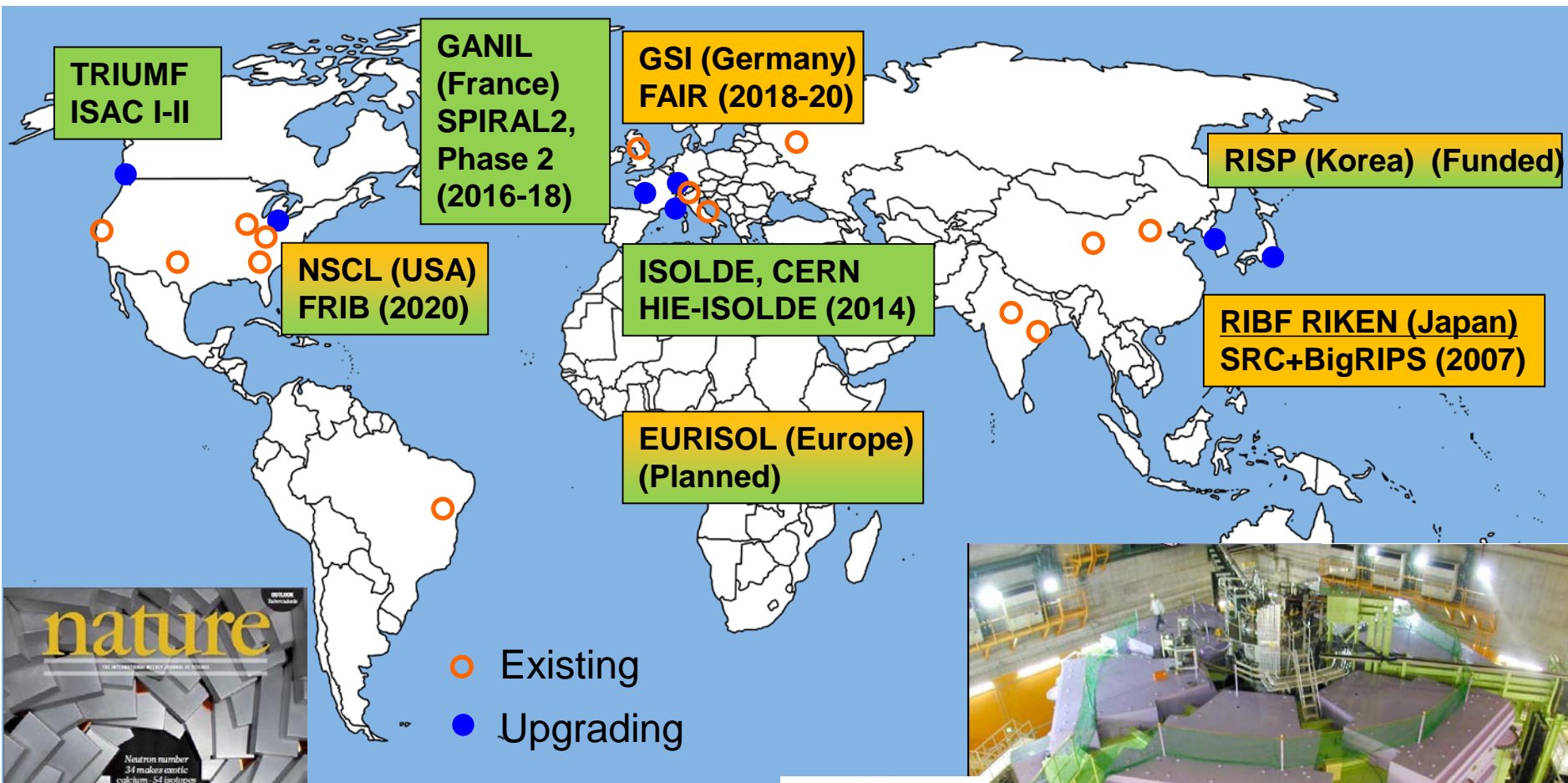
Chart of Nuclei (2017)

~ 3000 nuclei



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Radi oactive i sotope beam facilities



**Best in the world
~70 % speed of light !**



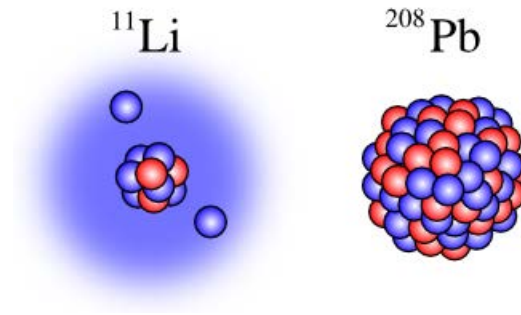
Atomic nuclei

Atomic nucleus is a rich system in physics

- quantum system
- many-body system ($A \sim 100$, spin & isospin d.o.f.)
- finite system (surface, skin, halo, ...)
- open system (resonance, continuum, decay, ...)



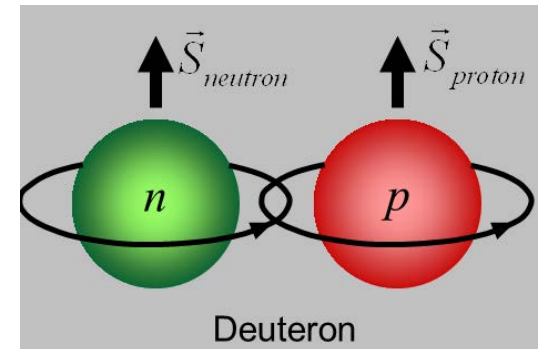
Neutron halos



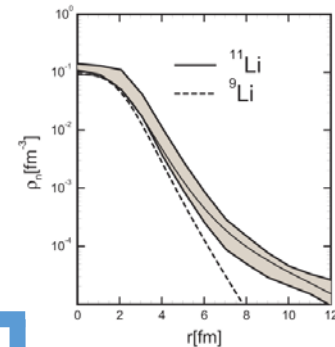
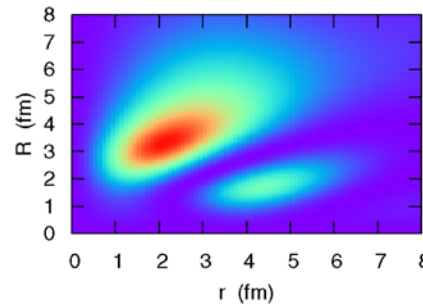
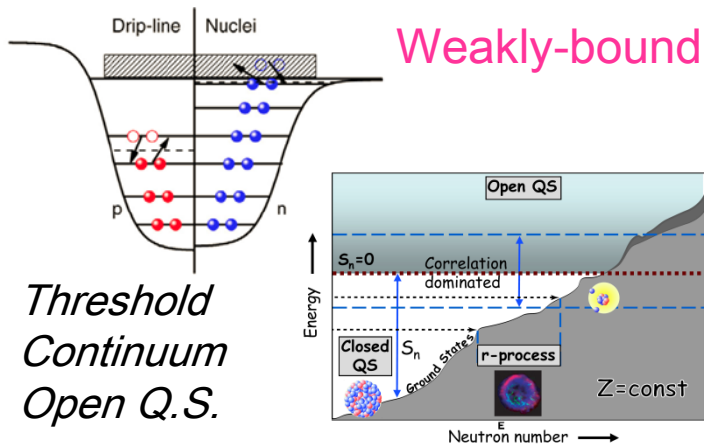
$R \sim A^{1/3}$? Not always!
 ^{11}Li : a size as ^{208}Pb

Tanihata:1985

Spin and **Isospin** are essential degrees of freedom in nuclear physics.



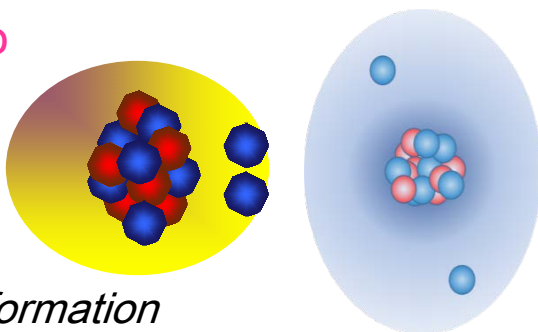
Physics of exotic nuclei



Halo

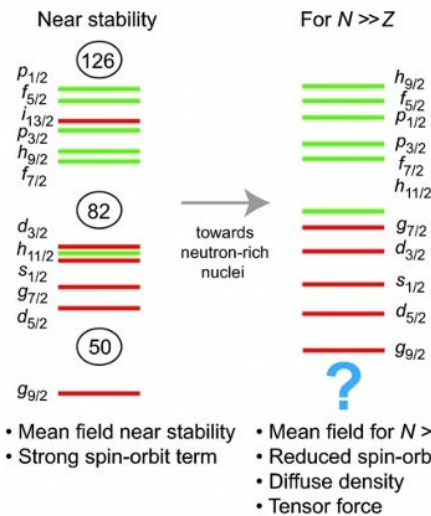
*Large spatial ext.
Low-density N.M.
2N correlation*

Halo



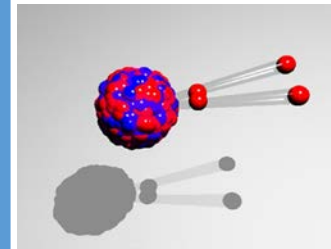
*Deformation
Shape decoupling*

Shell evolution

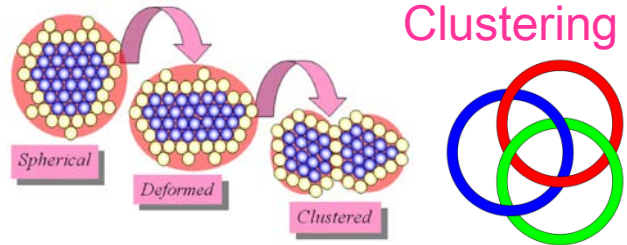


New radioact.

*1p emission
2p emission
2n emission*

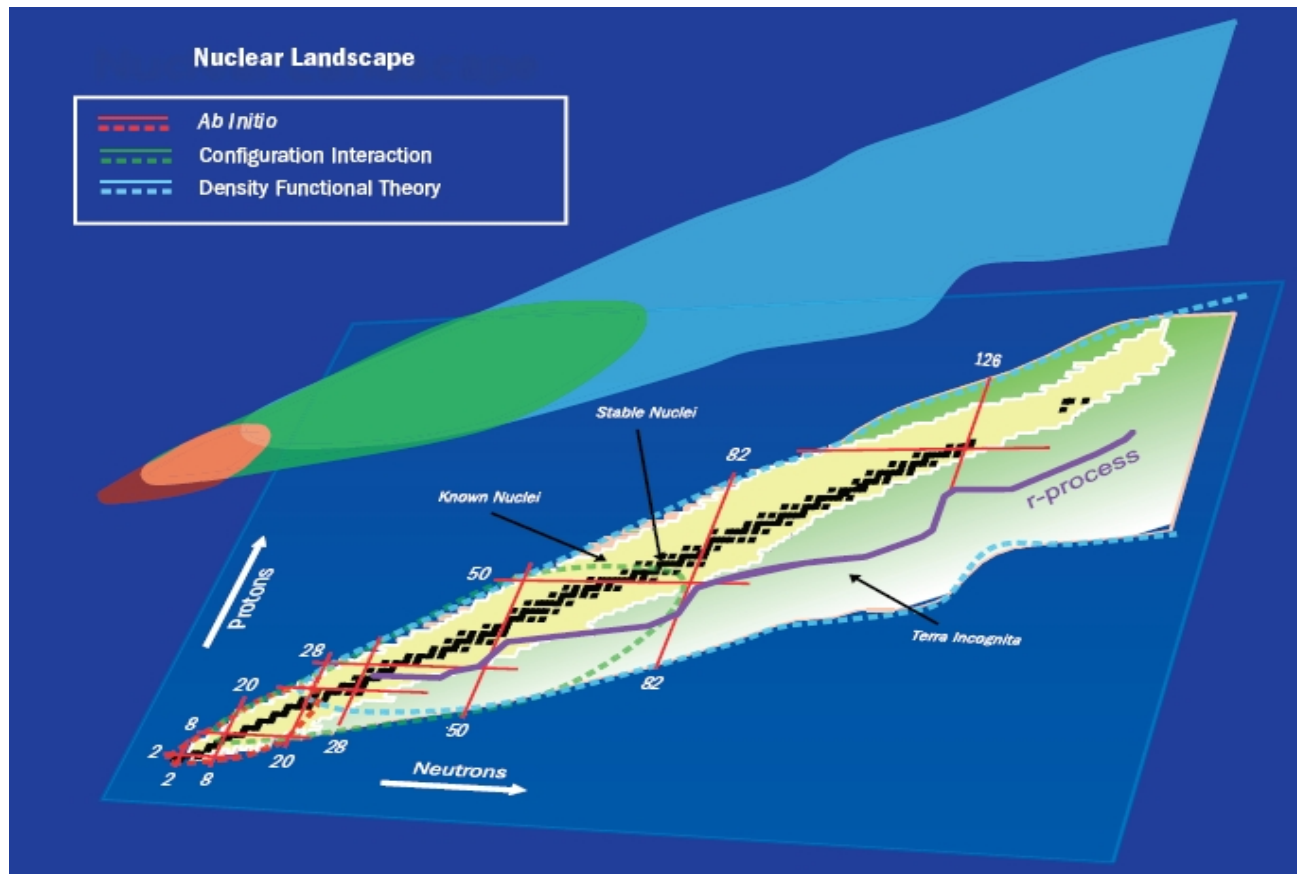


Clustering



Prof. Shan-Gui Zhou's plenary talk
@ INPC2016, Australia

State-of-the-art nuclear methodologies



<http://www.unedf.org/>

- Density functional theory (DFT) aims at understanding both ground-state and excited-state properties of thousands of nuclei in a consistent and predictive way.

Covariant density functional theory

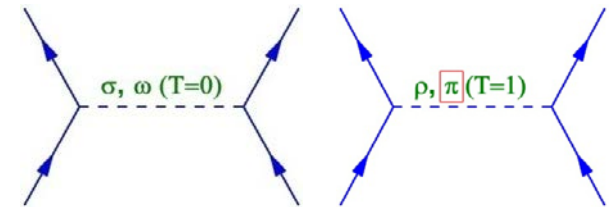
Covariant density functional theory (CDFT)

- Fundamental: **Kohn-Sham** Density Functional Theory
- Scheme: **Yukawa** meson-exchange nuclear interactions



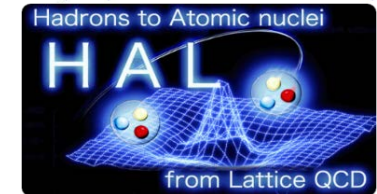
Nobel Prize 1949
Nobel Prize 1998

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & \bar{\psi} \left[i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - M - g_\sigma \sigma - \gamma^\mu \left(g_\omega \omega_\mu + g_\rho \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{\rho}_\mu + e \frac{1 - \tau_3}{2} A_\mu \right) - \frac{f_\pi}{m_\pi} \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \cdot \vec{\tau} \right] \psi \\ & + \frac{1}{2} \partial^\mu \sigma \partial_\mu \sigma - \frac{1}{2} m_\sigma^2 \sigma^2 - \frac{1}{4} \Omega^{\mu\nu} \Omega_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_\omega^2 \omega_\mu \omega^\mu - \frac{1}{4} \vec{R}_{\mu\nu} \cdot \vec{R}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_\rho^2 \vec{\rho}^\mu \cdot \vec{\rho}_\mu \\ & + \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \cdot \partial^\mu \vec{\pi} - \frac{1}{2} m_\pi^2 \vec{\pi} \cdot \vec{\pi} - \frac{1}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} \end{aligned}$$



Comparing to traditional non-relativistic DFT

- **Effective Lagrangian**
connections to underlying theories, QCD at low energy
- **Dirac equation** *Aoki et al., Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. 2012, 01A105 (2012)*
consistent treatment of **spin** d.o.f. & nuclear saturation properties (**3-body effect**)
- **Lorentz covariant symmetry**
unification of time-even and **time-odd** components



Dirac and RPA equations

- **Energy functional** of the system

$$E[\rho] = \langle \Phi_0 | \mathcal{H} | \Phi_0 \rangle = E_k + E_\sigma^D + E_\omega^D + E_\rho^D + E_A^D + E_\sigma^E + E_\omega^E + E_\rho^E + E_\pi^E + E_A^E$$

- **Dirac equations** for the ground-state properties

$$\int d\mathbf{r}' h(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \psi(\mathbf{r}') = \varepsilon \psi(\mathbf{r}), \quad \text{with} \quad h^{\text{kin}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = [\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{p} + \beta M] \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'),$$

$$h^D(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = [\Sigma_T(\mathbf{r}) \gamma_5 + \Sigma_0(\mathbf{r}) + \beta \Sigma_S(\mathbf{r})] \delta(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'),$$

$$h^E(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \begin{pmatrix} Y_G(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') & Y_F(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \\ X_G(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') & X_F(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \end{pmatrix}.$$

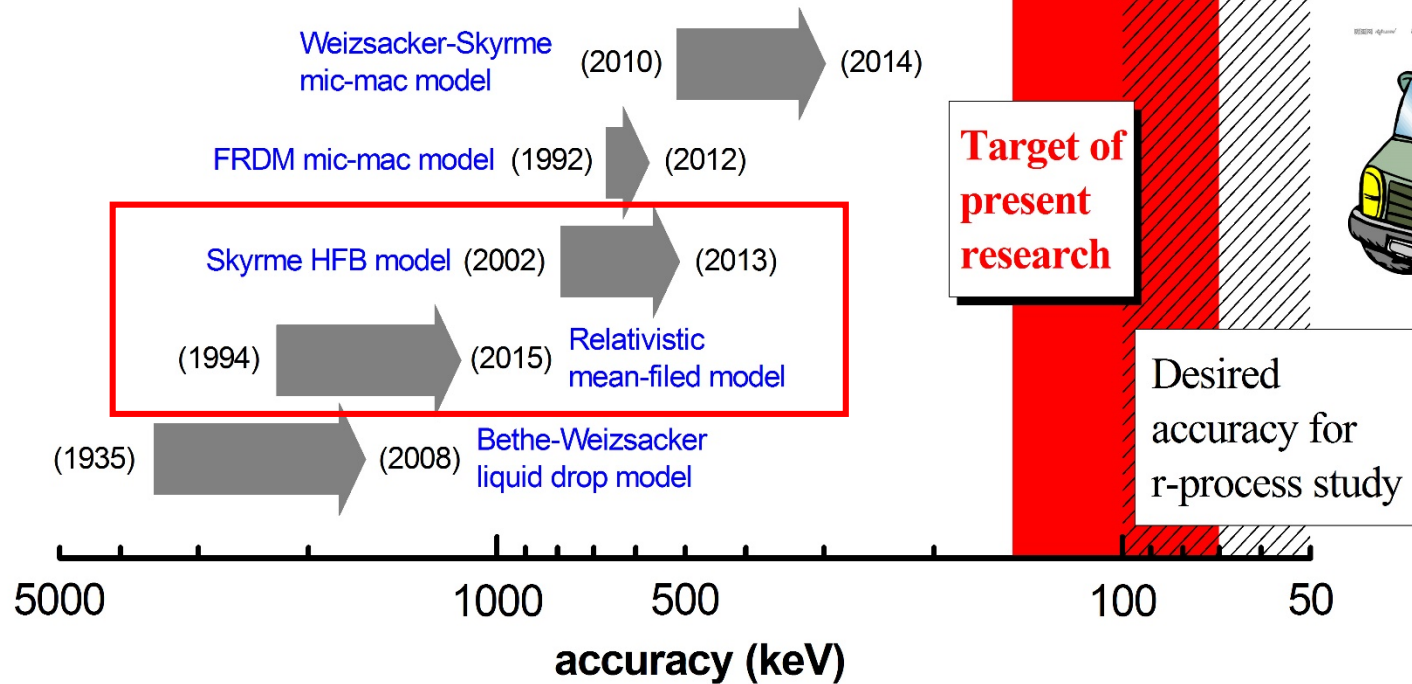
- **RPA equations** for the vibrational excitation properties

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A} & \mathcal{B} \\ -\mathcal{B} & -\mathcal{A} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \omega_\nu \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}$$

- $\delta E / \delta \rho \rightarrow$ equation of motion for nucleons: **Dirac (-Bogoliubov) equations**
- $\delta^2 E / \delta \rho^2 \rightarrow$ linear response equation: **(Q)RPA equations**

Nuclear mass models

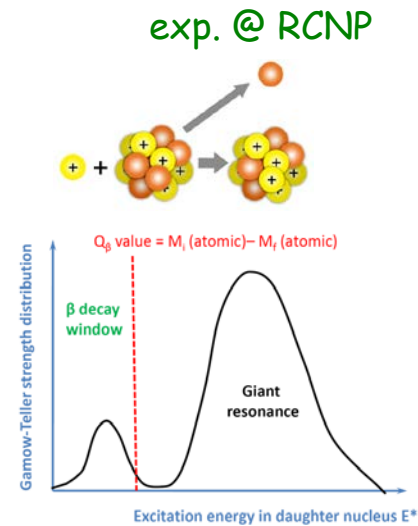
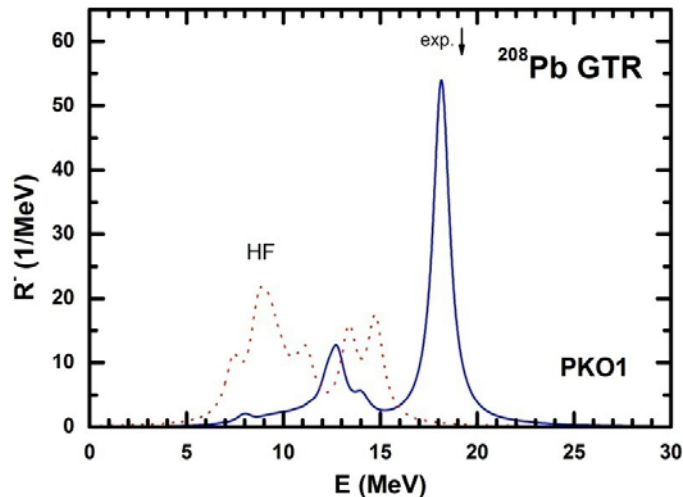
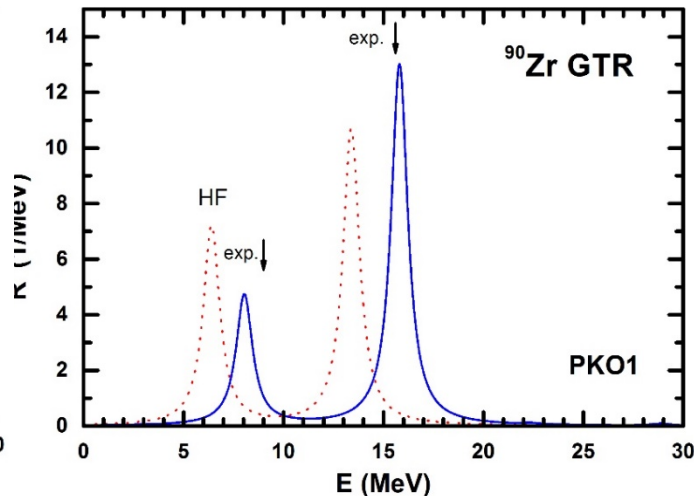
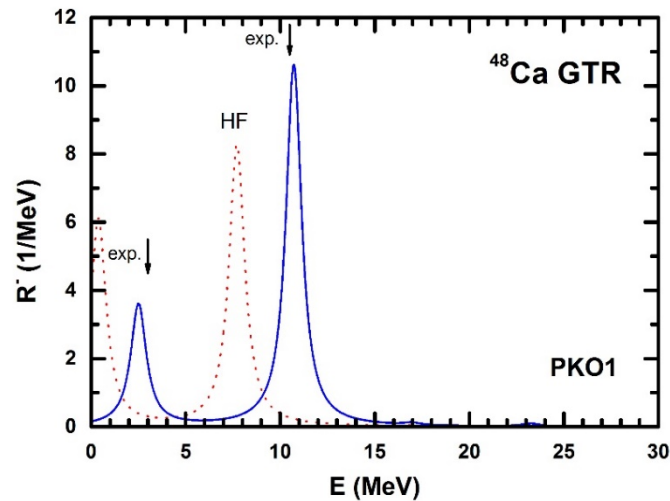
Nuclear Mass Models



Accuracy for ^{208}Pb : $\sim 1/1600$

Gamow-Teller resonances

CDFT+RPA for Gamow-Teller resonances ($\Delta S = 1, \Delta L = 0, J^\pi = 1^+$)



- ✓ GTR excitation energies can be reproduced in a fully self-consistent way.
- New and most important ingredient:
Fock terms in CDFT

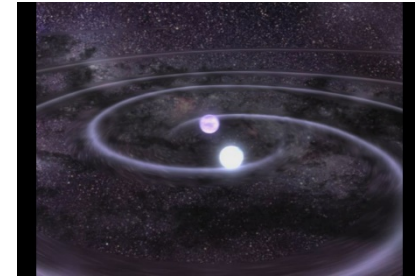
r -process nucleosynthesis & nuclear β decays

The 11 greatest unanswered questions of physics

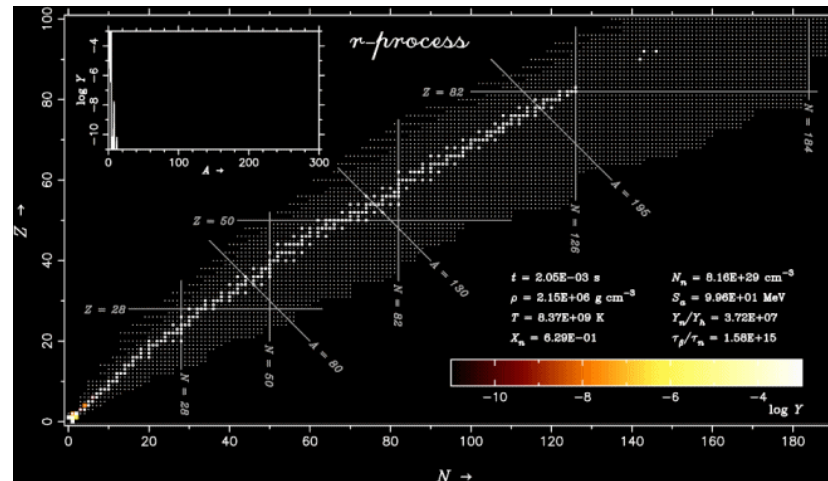


Question 3

How were the heavy elements from iron to uranium made?



Rapid neutron-capture process (r -process)



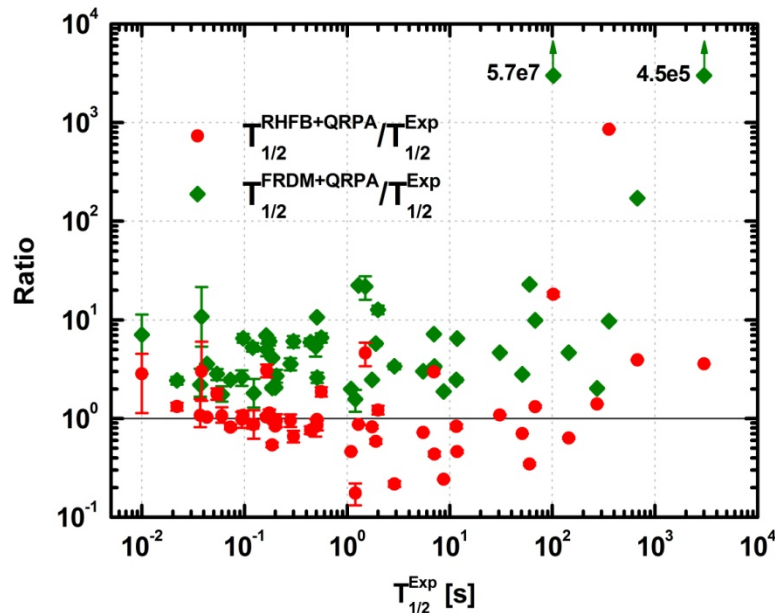
Courtesy of S. Wanajo

- Nuclear masses \rightarrow path of r -process
- Nuclear β -decay rates \rightarrow timescale of r -process
- EURICA project is providing lots of new β -decay data towards r -process path.

Key exp. @ RIKEN

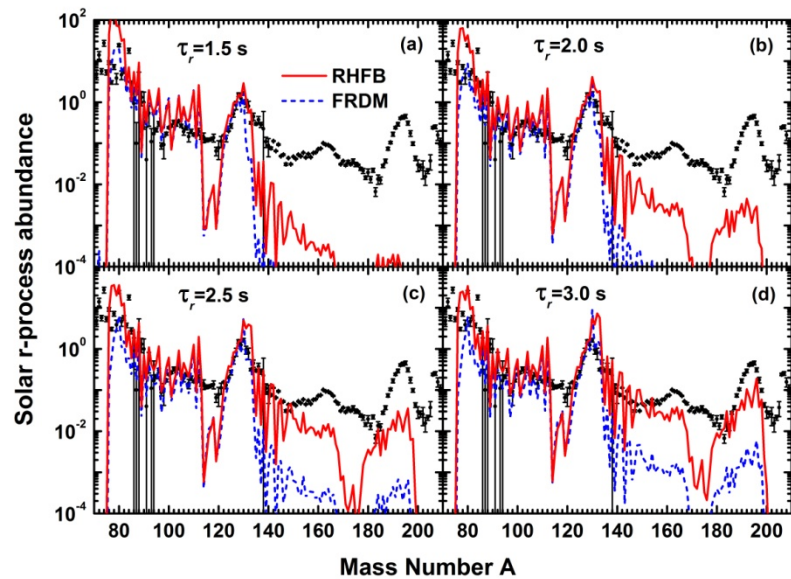
β decays and r -process

Nuclear β -decay rates and r -process flow ($Z = 20 \sim 50$ region)



FRDM+QRPA: widely used nuclear input

RHFB+QRPA: our results



Niu, Niu, HZL, Long, Niksic, Vretenar, Meng,
Phys. Lett. B **723**, 172 (2013)

- ✓ Classical r -process calculation shows a faster r -matter flow at the $N = 82$ region and higher r -process abundances of elements with $A \sim 140$.

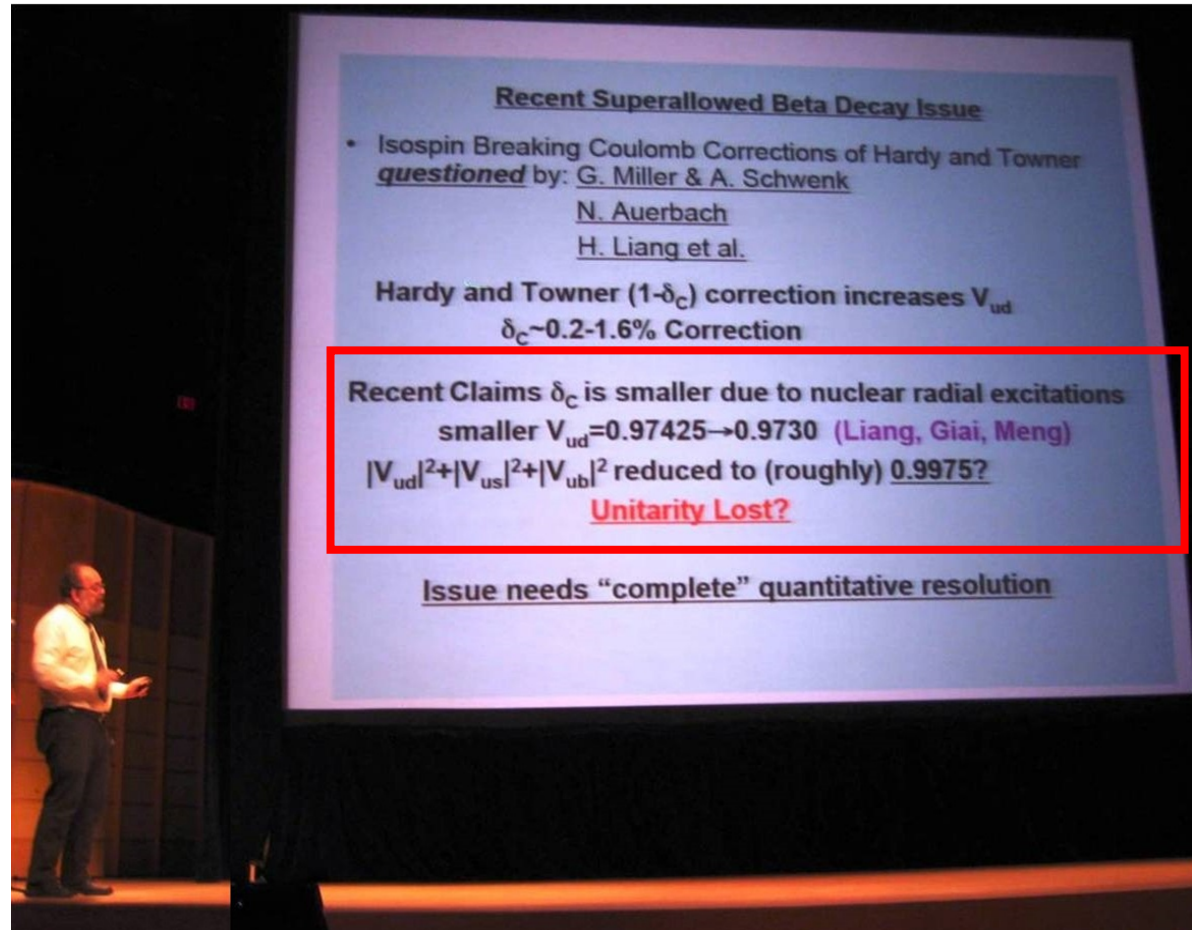
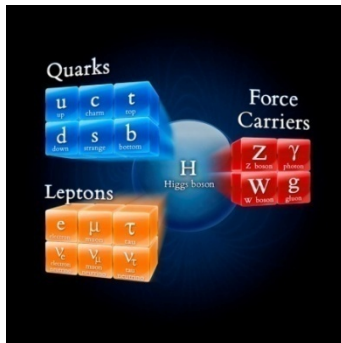
CKM matrix and its unitarity test

Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa matrix



Nobel Prize 2008

"There exist at least
three families of
quarks in nature."
"Only three?"



Plenary talk in INPC2010 "Precision Electroweak Tests of the Standard Model" by
Professor William Marciano

CKM matrix and its unitarity test

Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa matrix

- quark eigenstates of weak interaction \longleftrightarrow quark mass eigenstates
- unitarity of CKM matrix \longleftrightarrow test of Standard Model

$$\begin{pmatrix} |V_{ud}| & |V_{us}| & |V_{ub}| \\ |V_{cd}| & |V_{cs}| & |V_{cb}| \\ |V_{td}| & |V_{ts}| & |V_{tb}| \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.97425 \pm 0.00022 & 0.2252 \pm 0.0009 & 0.00415 \pm 0.00049 \\ 0.230 \pm 0.011 & 1.006 \pm 0.023 & 0.0409 \pm 0.0011 \\ 0.0084 \pm 0.0006 & 0.0429 \pm 0.0026 & 0.89 \pm 0.07 \end{pmatrix}$$

Unitarity test Particle Data Group 2016

- the most precise test comes from $|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2$
- the most precise $|V_{ud}|$ comes from nuclear $0^+ \rightarrow 0^+$ superallowed β transitions

Nuclear superallowed β transitions

- experimental measurements
- theoretical corrections (isospin symmetry-breaking corrections)

$$|M_F|^2 = |\langle f | T_+ | i \rangle|^2 = |M_0|^2(1 - \delta_c)$$



Isospin corrections & V_{ud}

PHYSICAL REVIEW C **79**, 064316 (2009)

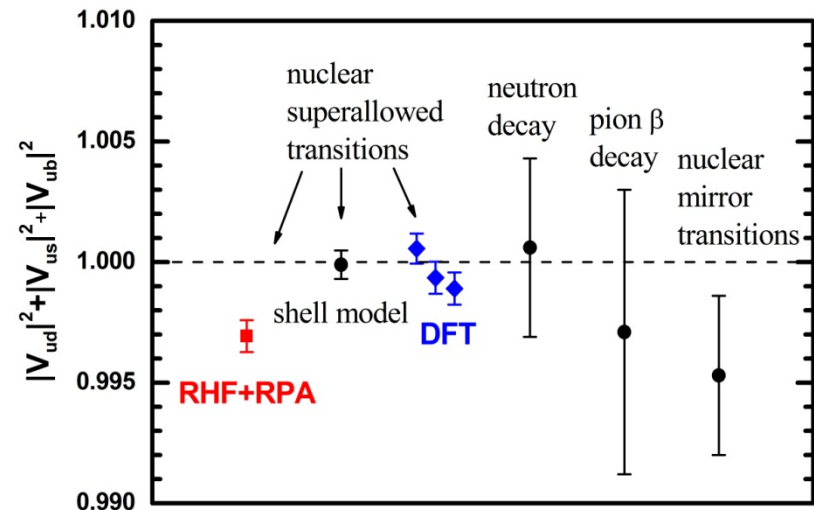
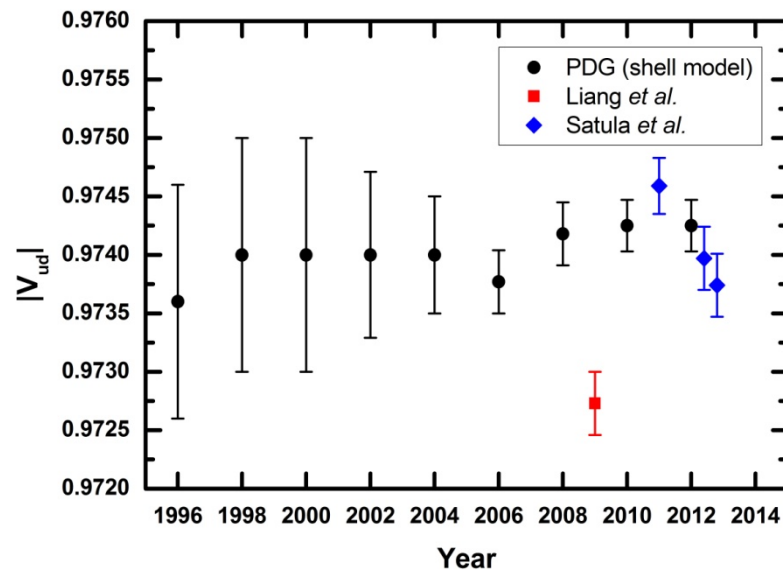
Isospin corrections for superallowed Fermi β decay in self-consistent relativistic random-phase approximation approaches

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cited by PDG 2010, 2012, 2014, ...

Isospin corrections by self-consistent CDFT

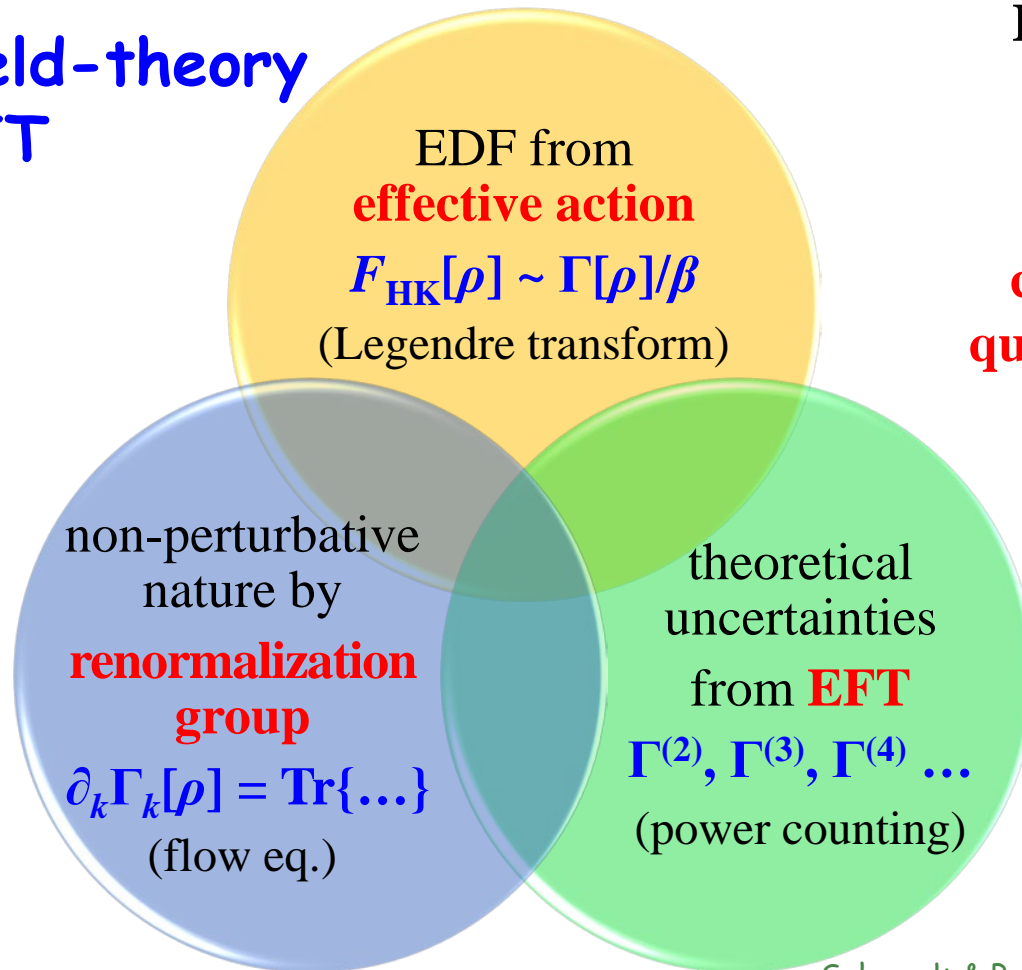


HZL, Giai, Meng, *PRC* **79**, 064316 (2009); Satula et al., *PRL* **106**, 132502 (2011); *PRC* **86**, 054316 (2012)

- To our best knowledge: $|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2$: **0.997 ~ 1.000** (the 4th family?)
- ongoing studies

A dream for next-generation DFT

quantum-field-theory
oriented DFT



Interdisciplinary:
(lattice) QCD
hadron
cold atom
condensed matter
quantum chemistry
.....



IUPAP Young Scientist Prize
@ INPC2016, Australia

also cf.
Schwenk & Polonyi, arXiv:0403011 [nucl-th]
Kutzelnigg, JMS 768, 163 (2006)
Drut, Furnstahl, Platter, PPNP 64, 120 (2010)
Braun, JPG 39, 033001 (2012)
Metzner et al., RMP 84, 299 (2012)
Drews & Weise, PPNP 93, 69 (2017)
.....

Density Functional Theory

The aim of density functional theory (DFT) is

- to reduce the many-body quantum mechanical problem formulated in terms of N -particle wave functions Ψ to the one-particle level with the local density distribution $\rho(\mathbf{x})$.

Hohenberg-Kohn theorem [Phys. Rev. 136, B864 (1964)]

- ✓ There exist **a universal density functional** $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho(\mathbf{x})]$.
- ✓ The ground-state energy E_{gs} attains **its minimum** value when the density $\rho(\mathbf{x})$ has its correct ground-state value.

□ HK variational principle

$$E_U = \inf_{\rho} \left\{ F_{\text{HK}}[\rho(\mathbf{x})] + \int d^d \mathbf{x} U(\mathbf{x}) \rho(\mathbf{x}) \right\}$$

Goal: $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$

Where $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho(\mathbf{x})] = \min_{\Psi_{\rho}} \langle \Psi_{\rho} | \hat{T} + \hat{V} | \Psi_{\rho} \rangle$ is **a universal functional**, which is valid for any number of particles N and for any external field $U(\mathbf{x})$.

EDF from effective action

Strategy: $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho] \leftarrow \Gamma[\rho] \leftarrow \text{partition function} \leftarrow \text{path integral}$

□ Classical action in Euclidean space

$$S_{\text{E}}[\psi^\dagger, \psi] = \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} \psi^\dagger(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} - \frac{\nabla^2}{2M} + U(\mathbf{x}) \right) \psi(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \\ + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x}_1 d^d \mathbf{x}_2 \psi^\dagger(\tau, \mathbf{x}_1) \psi^\dagger(\tau, \mathbf{x}_2) V(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) \psi(\tau, \mathbf{x}_2) \psi(\tau, \mathbf{x}_1)$$

where $U(\mathbf{x})$ is one-body potential and $V(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2)$ is two-body interaction.

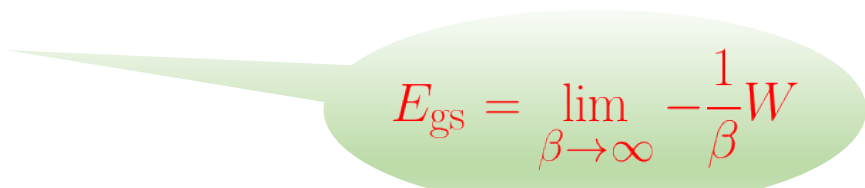
□ Partition function in two-particle point-irreducible (2PPI) scheme

$$Z[J] = \int \mathcal{D}\psi^\dagger \mathcal{D}\psi \exp \left[-S[\psi^\dagger, \psi] + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} J(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \psi^\dagger(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \psi(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \right]$$

external source J couples $\psi^\dagger \psi$ at the same space-time.

□ Thermodynamic potential / generating function / Schwinger function

$$W[J] = \ln Z[J]$$


$$E_{\text{gs}} = \lim_{\beta \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{\beta} W$$

Connection to Hohenberg-Kohn theorem

Local density

$$\rho(\tau, \mathbf{x}) = \langle \psi^\dagger(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \psi(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \rangle = \frac{\delta W[J]}{\delta J(\tau, \mathbf{x})}$$

$$E_{\text{gs}}[\rho] = \lim_{\beta \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\beta} \Gamma[\rho] |_{J \rightarrow 0}$$

Effective action \leftarrow Legendre transform of W with respect to J

$$\Gamma[\rho] = \sup_{\{J\}} \left\{ -W[J] + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} J(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \rho(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \right\}$$

- ✓ The **universality** of the **Hohenberg-Kohn functional** $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$ follows from the fact that the background U potential can be absorbed into the source terms J by a simple shift $J \rightarrow J - U$.

Second Legendre transform \rightarrow HK theorem

$$E_U = \inf_{\rho} \left\{ F_{\text{HK}}[\rho(\mathbf{x})] + \int d^d \mathbf{x} U(\mathbf{x}) \rho(\mathbf{x}) \right\}$$

proof

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_U[\rho] &= -W_U[J] + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} J(\mathbf{x}) \rho(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= -W_0[J - U] + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} [J(\mathbf{x}) - U(\mathbf{x})] \rho(\mathbf{x}) + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} U(\mathbf{x}) \rho(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \Gamma_0[\rho] + \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^d \mathbf{x} U(\mathbf{x}) \rho(\mathbf{x}) \end{aligned}$$

Non-perturbative nature of interaction

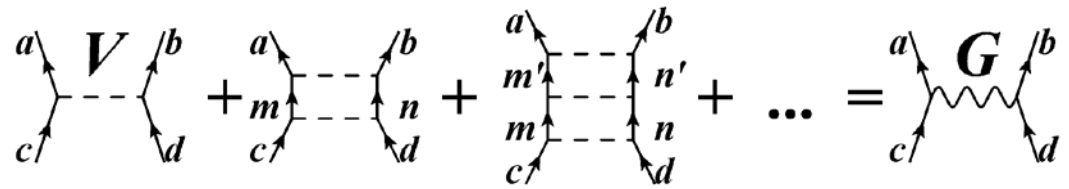
□ Lippmann-Schwinger eq. / Bethe-Goldstone eq. / Brueckner theory

Brueckner Hartree-Fock, hole-line expansion ... (in 1960s, 70s)

Relativistic BHF for finite nuclei

Shen, Hu, HZL, Meng, Ring, Zhang,
Chin. Phys. Lett. **33**, 102103 (2016)

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Exact evolution equation for the effective potential

Christof Wetterich

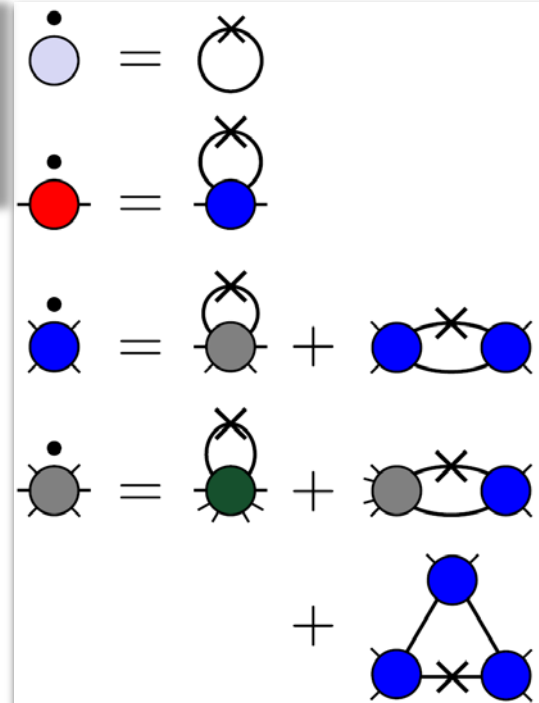
Institut für Theoretische Physik, Universität Heidelberg, Philosophenweg 16, W-6900 Heidelberg, FRG

Flow equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \Gamma_k[\phi] = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left\{ \left[\Gamma_k^{(2)}[\phi] + R_k \right]^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial k} R_k \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \bigcirc^*$$

Cited 1500+ times (google scholar, October 2017)

in QCD, hadron, nuclear, cold atom, condensed matter,
quantum chemistry



Non-perturbative nature of interaction

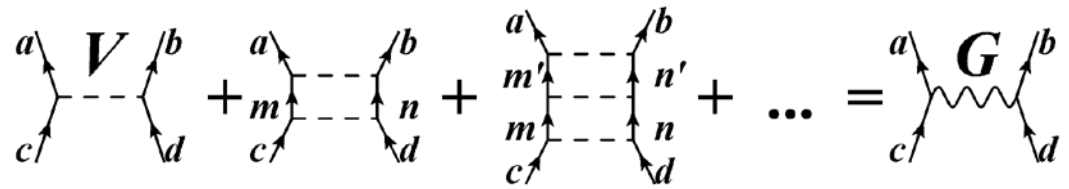
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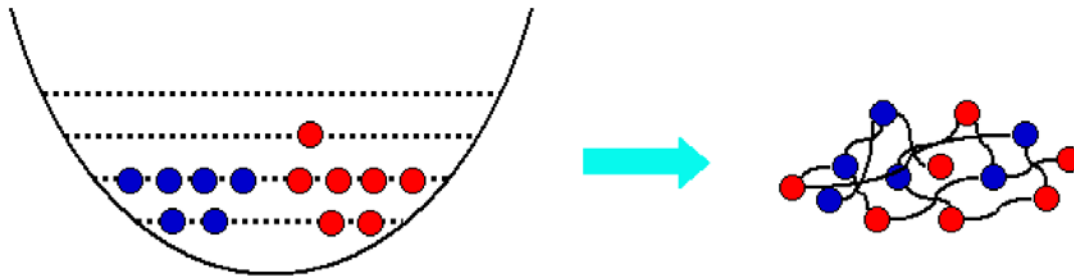


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□ FRG + DFT --- Schwenk & Polonyi, arXiv:0403011 [nucl-th]

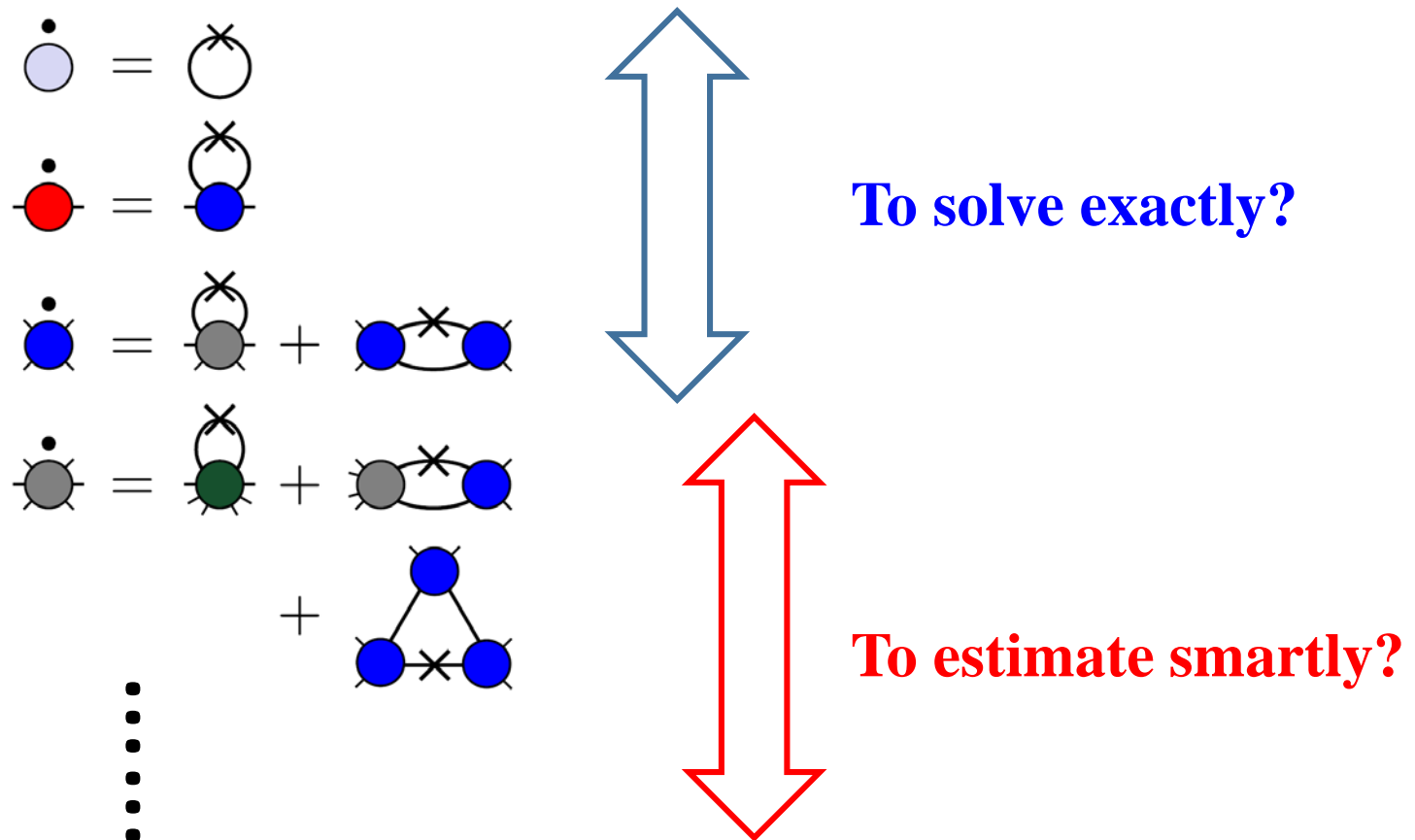
Flow equation

$$\partial_\lambda \Gamma_\lambda[\rho] = \text{Tr} \left\{ (\partial_\lambda U_\lambda) \cdot \rho + \frac{1}{2} \rho \cdot V \cdot \rho + \frac{1}{2} V \cdot [\Gamma_\lambda^{(2)}]^{-1} \right\}$$



Theoretical uncertainty

□ **FRG Flow equation:** a set of coupled differential equations (**infinite hierarchy**)



□ Proper power counting by $\Gamma^{(0)}, \Gamma^{(2)}, \Gamma^{(3)}, \Gamma^{(4)} \dots$?

□ Controllable theoretical uncertainty?

ϕ^4 -theory in zero dimension

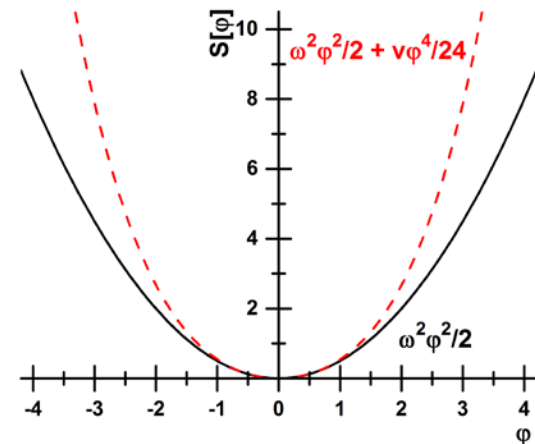
Model setup

- **Classical action** (0D in space-time, bosonic d.o.f.)

$$S[\varphi] = \frac{1}{2}\omega^2\varphi^2 + \frac{1}{24}v\varphi^4$$

- **Partition function** (2PPI scheme)

$$Z[J] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\varphi \exp\{-S[\varphi] + J\varphi^2\}$$



Exact solution

- **Ground-state energy** ($v_0 = v/\omega^4$)

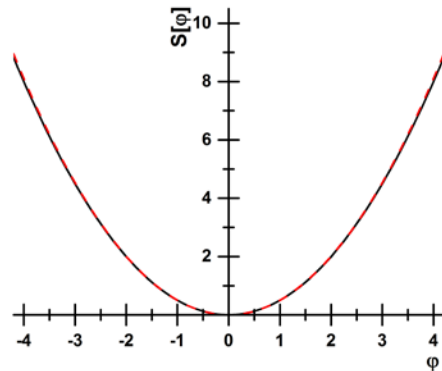
$$E_{\text{gs}} = Z[0]/Z_0 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\varphi \exp\{-S[\varphi]\} / Z_0 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2\pi v_0}} K_{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{3}{4v_0} \right) e^{\frac{3}{4v_0}}$$

- **Ground-state density**

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{\text{gs}} = \langle \varphi^2 \rangle &= \frac{1}{Z} \frac{\delta Z[J]}{\delta J} \Big|_{J=0} \\ &= \frac{1}{\omega^2} \left[\frac{3}{2} K_{\frac{5}{4}} \left(\frac{3}{4v_0} \right) + \frac{3}{2} K_{-\frac{3}{4}} \left(\frac{3}{4v_0} \right) - (v_0 + 3) K_{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{3}{4v_0} \right) \right] \Big/ \left[v_0 K_{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{3}{4v_0} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

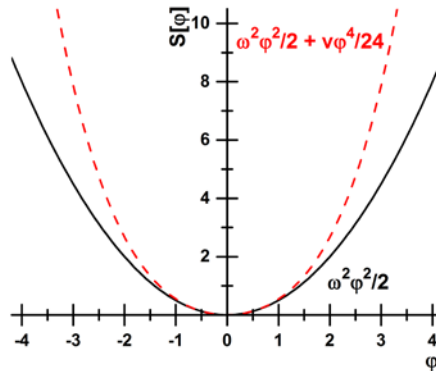
Typical cases

$$v/\omega^4 = 0.01$$



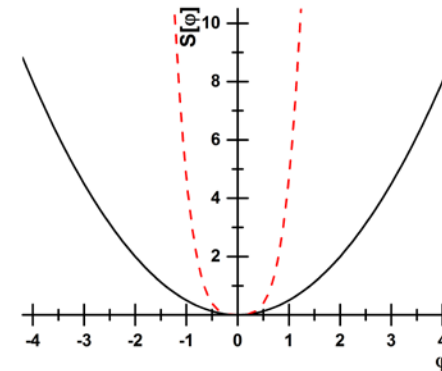
perturbative

$$v/\omega^4 = 1$$

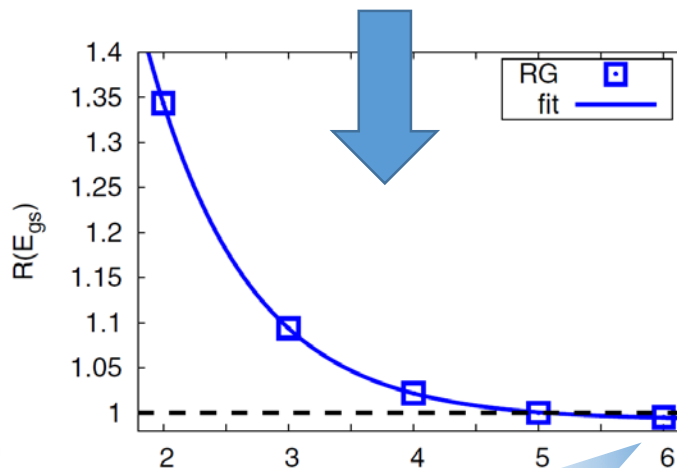
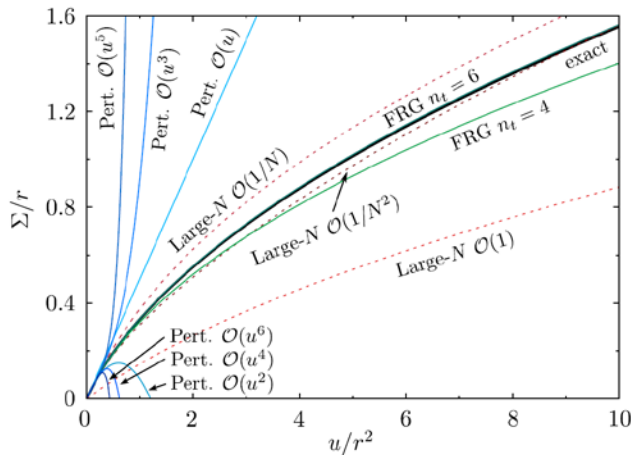


non-perturbative

$$v/\omega^4 = 100$$



highly non-perturbative



**barely
discussed**

$$\rho_{\text{gs}} = \omega^{-2} \left(1 - \frac{v_0}{2} + \frac{2v_0^2}{3} - \frac{11v_0^3}{8} + \frac{34v_0^4}{9} + \dots \right)$$

$$E_{\text{gs}} = \frac{v_0}{8} - \frac{v_0^2}{12} + \frac{11v_0^3}{96} - \frac{17v_0^4}{72} + \dots$$

**2% error in
6th-order cal.**

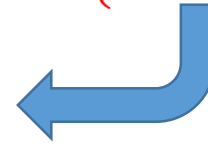
Keitel & Bartosch, *JPA* **45**, 105401 (2012)
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Our ideas

□ FRG + DFT Flow equation

$$\partial_\lambda \Gamma_\lambda[\rho] = \text{Tr} \left\{ (\partial_\lambda U_\lambda) \cdot \rho + \frac{1}{2} \rho \cdot V \cdot \rho + \frac{1}{2} V \cdot \left[\Gamma_\lambda^{(2)} \right]^{-1} \right\}$$

$$\partial_\lambda \Gamma_\lambda[\rho] = \frac{1}{24} v \left[\rho^2 + \left(\Gamma_\lambda^{(2)}[\rho] \right)^{-1} \right]$$



□ Optimized expansion

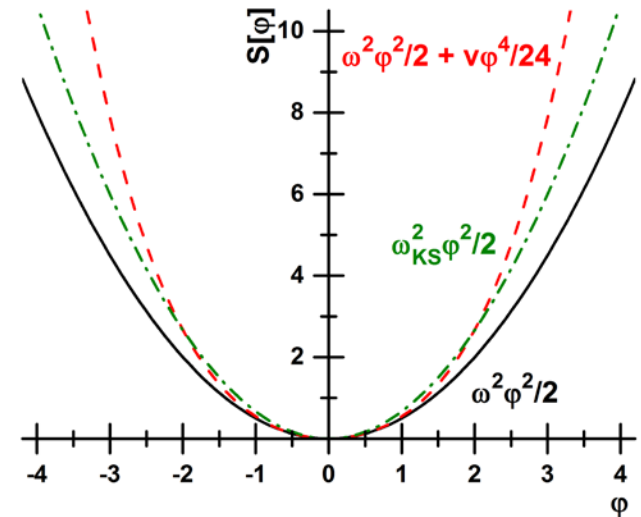
$$\Gamma_\lambda[\rho] = \Gamma_{\text{KS},\lambda}[\rho] + \gamma_\lambda[\rho]$$

➤ Non-interacting part

$$\Gamma_{\text{KS},\lambda}[\rho] = -\frac{1}{2} \ln(\omega^2 \rho) - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\rho}{2\bar{\rho}_\lambda}$$

➤ Correlation part

$$\gamma_\lambda[\rho] = \gamma_\lambda^{(0)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \gamma_\lambda^{(n)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] (\rho - \bar{\rho}_\lambda)^n$$



HZL, Niu, Hatsuda, arXiv:1710.00650

Ideas of Kohn-Sham

- To introduce an artificial **non-interacting** system which provides **the same** ground-state density ρ_{gs} with a **Kohn-Sham** (mean-field) **potential**
- **Difference** between interacting and non-interacting systems is absorbed in the correlation (**beyond-mean-field**) part of EDF, $E_x[\rho]$.

Optimized FRG + DFT

□ Coupled differential equations ← Optimized FRG + DFT

$$\begin{aligned}
 \partial_\lambda \bar{\rho}_\lambda &= -\frac{1}{24}v \left[2\rho G_\lambda + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)G_\lambda^3 \right]_{\bar{\rho}_\lambda} \\
 \partial_\lambda \gamma_\lambda^{(0)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] &= \frac{1}{24}v \left[\rho^2 - \frac{1}{2\rho} \left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)G_\lambda^3 \right]_{\bar{\rho}_\lambda} \\
 \partial_\lambda \gamma_\lambda^{(2)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] &= \frac{1}{24}v \left[2 - 2\rho\gamma_\lambda^{(3)}G_\lambda - \left(\frac{3}{\rho^4} + \gamma_\lambda^{(4)}\right)G_\lambda^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)\left(\frac{2}{\rho^3} - 3\gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)G_\lambda^3 \right]_{\bar{\rho}_\lambda} \\
 \partial_\lambda \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] &= \frac{1}{24}v \left[-2\rho\gamma_\lambda^{(4)}G_\lambda + \frac{12}{\rho^5}G_\lambda^2 - \left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)\left(\frac{18}{\rho^4} + 7\gamma_\lambda^{(4)}\right)G_\lambda^3 + 6\left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)^3G_\lambda^4 \right]_{\bar{\rho}_\lambda}, \\
 \partial_\lambda \gamma_\lambda^{(4)}[\bar{\rho}_\lambda] &= \frac{1}{24}v \left[-\frac{60}{\rho^6}G_\lambda^2 + \frac{96}{\rho^5}\left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)G_\lambda^3 + 6\left(\frac{3}{\rho^4} + \gamma_\lambda^{(4)}\right)^2G_\lambda^3 \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - 36\left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)^2\left(\frac{3}{\rho^4} + \gamma_\lambda^{(4)}\right)G_\lambda^4 + 24\left(\frac{1}{\rho^3} - \gamma_\lambda^{(3)}\right)^4G_\lambda^5 \right]_{\bar{\rho}_\lambda} \\
 &\vdots
 \end{aligned}$$



To solve



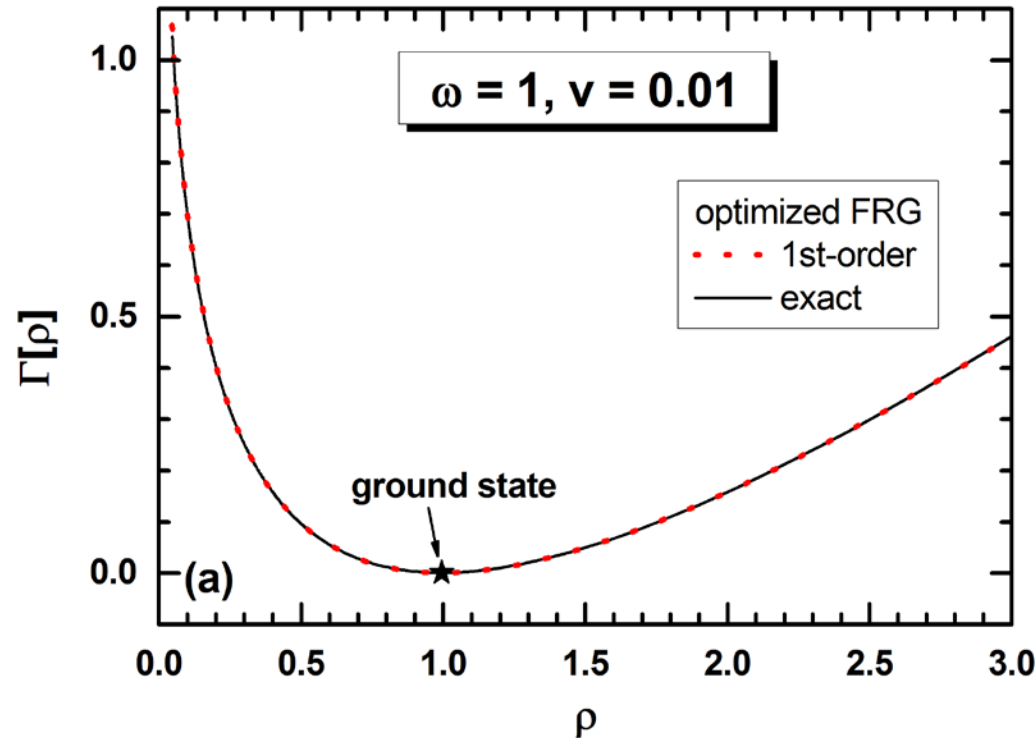
**Estimating
upper/lower
bounds**



**Keeping as
KS counterparts**

Typical cases (I)

□ Perturbative case $\nu_0 = \nu/\omega^4 = 0.01$



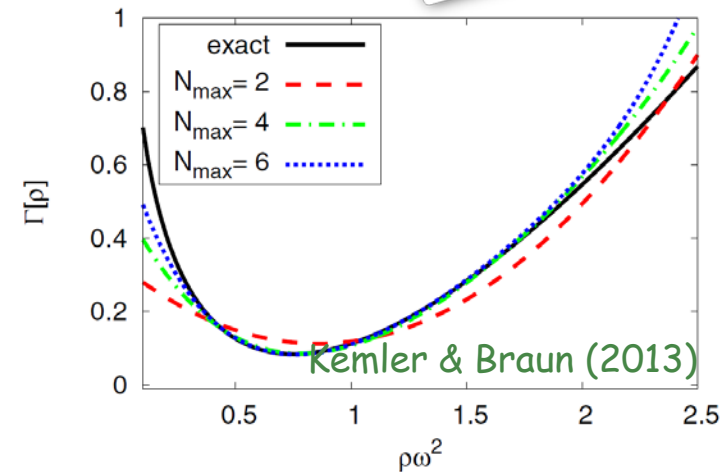
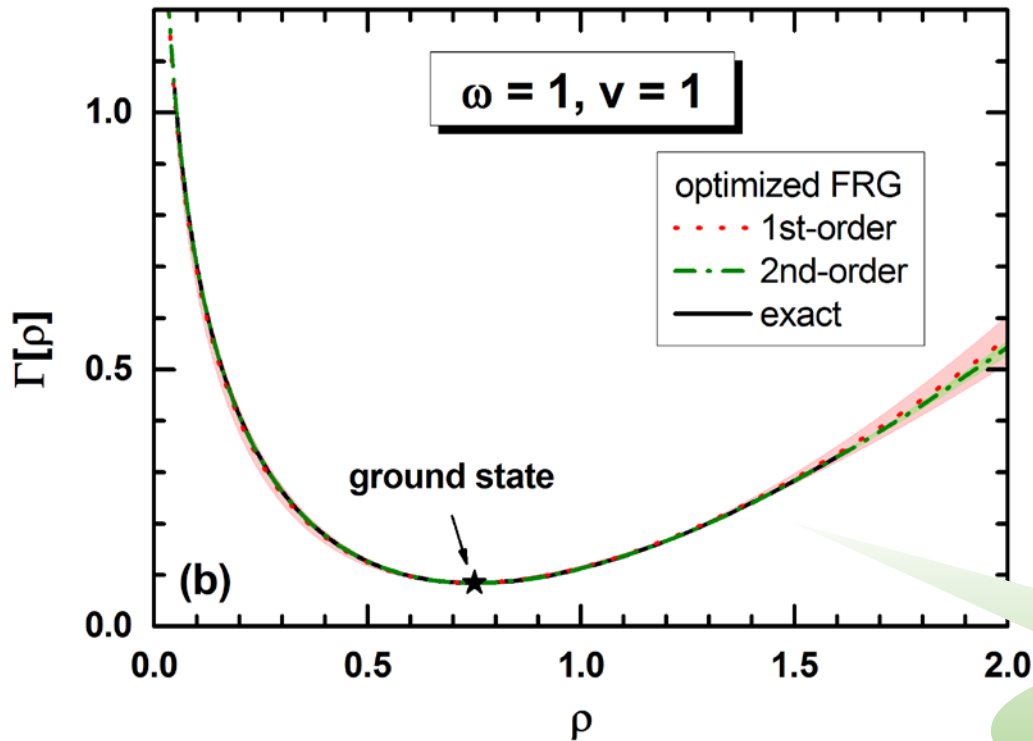
◆ Effective action vs density, $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$.

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- **1st-order optimized FRG** result is on top of the **exact solution** in a very large density region.
- **Theoretical uncertainty** is invisible in the figure.

Typical cases (II)

□ Non-perturbative case $v_0 = v/\omega^4 = 1$

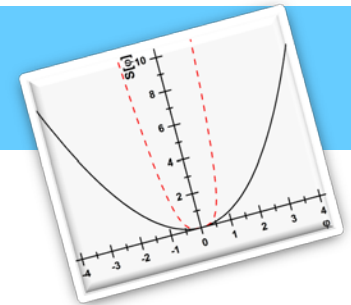


KS optimized FRG

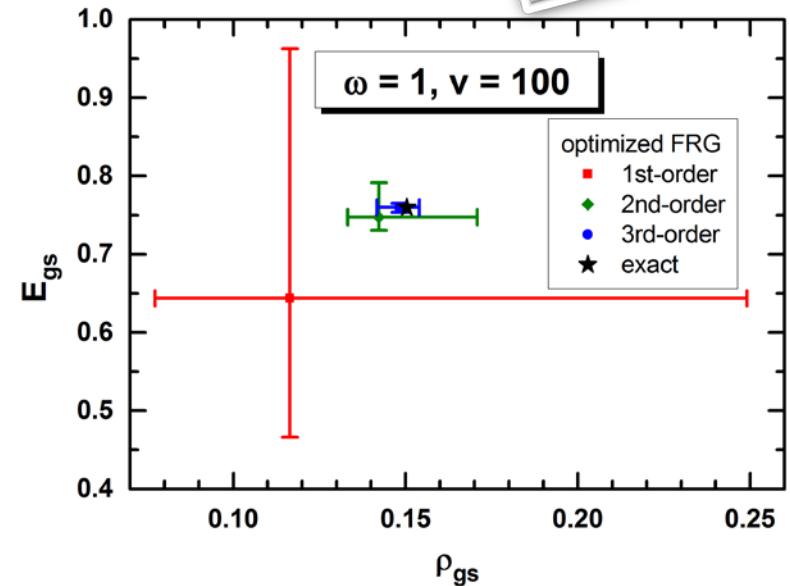
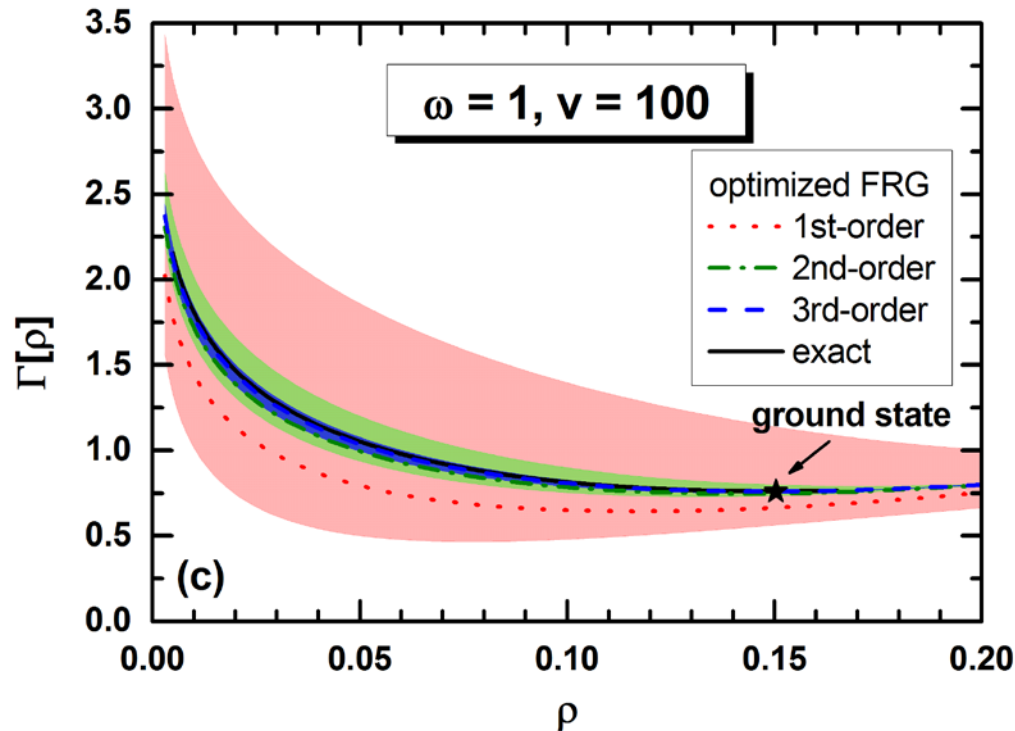
◆ Effective action vs density, $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$.

- **1st-order result** reproduces the **exact solution** in a wide density region, with corresponding **uncertainty**.
- **2nd-order result** does improve.

Typical cases (III)



Highly non-perturbative case $v_0 = v/\omega^4 = 100$



◆ Ground-state density and energy.

- 1st-order result is still able to describe the exact solution with large uncertainty.
- 2nd-order and 3rd-order results improve step by step
 - accuracy of ρ_{gs} increases by factor 4, E_{gs} by factor 10 at each order.

In summary

- ◆ Ground-state densities and energies: φ^4 -theory in 0D HZL, Niu, Hatsuda, arXiv:1710.00650

| | $v = 0.01$ | | $v = 1$ | | $v = 100$ | |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| | ρ_{gs} | E_{gs} | ρ_{gs} | E_{gs} | ρ_{gs} | E_{gs} |
| 1st-order | 0.995065 29^{+27}_{-77} | 0.00124178 5^{+55}_{-19} | 0.745 $^{+18}_{-23}$ | 0.0850 $^{+11}_{-10}$ | 0.12 $^{+13}_{-4}$ | 0.64 $^{+32}_{-18}$ |
| 2nd-order | 0.995065 30^{+8}_{-20} | 0.001241778 80^{+31}_{-81} | 0.7508 $^{+14}_{-11}$ | 0.08456 $^{+36}_{-45}$ | 0.142 $^{+29}_{-9}$ | 0.747 $^{+44}_{-17}$ |
| 3rd-order | 0.99506532 85^{+21}_{-8} | 0.0012417789 44^{+16}_{-44} | 0.75052 $^{+15}_{-15}$ | 0.084529 $^{+67}_{-68}$ | 0.1482 $^{+58}_{-65}$ | 0.7597 $^{+52}_{-62}$ |
| exact | 0.9950653282 | 0.001241778951 | 0.75051 | 0.084557 | 0.1504 | 0.7597 |
| | 8th digit | | 0.08% | | 0.8% | |

DFT ← ideas of QFT (effective action + RG + EFT)

- ✓ EDF $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$ is derived from effective action $\Gamma[\rho]$ in **2PPI** scheme with **Legendre transform**.
- ✓ Non-perturbative nature of interaction is handled by **FRG** with **flow equation**.
- ✓ Beyond-mean-field effects $\gamma^{(n)}$ in $F_{\text{HK}}[\rho]$ are taken into account **order-by-order** with (proper) **theoretical uncertainties**.

from φ^4 -theory in 0D to 3+1D finite nuclei ...

A Long
Way
to Go

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