

Interplay between nucleon correlations and asymmetry: Sensitivity study on oxygen isotopes

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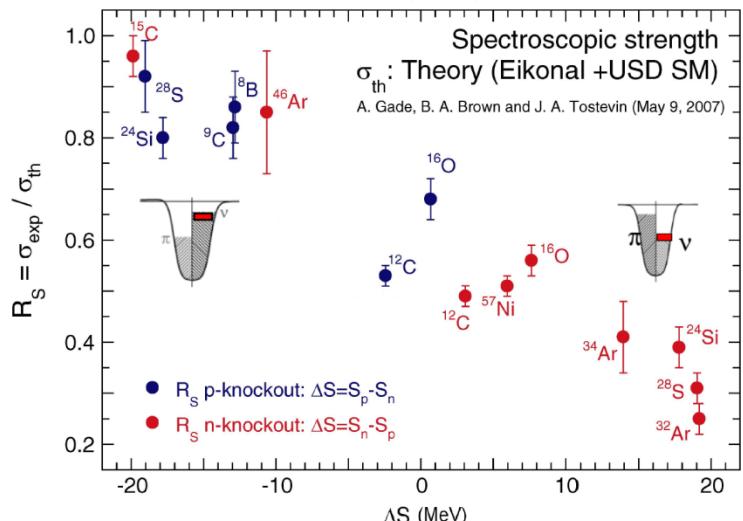
Outline

- **E569s in short:** Goals, results and conclusions
- **Deeper in and Beyond E569S :**
Sensitivity study and systematic errors
 - Framework: CRC Vs DWBA
 - Overlap function and SFs
 - Woods-Saxon: r_0 dependence
 - Ab-intio: asymptotic tails...
 - **E655s on ^{18}Ne** (M. Senoville's talk)

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A. Gade *et al*, PRL. 93 042501 (2004); PRC 77, 044306 (2008)



$$\Delta S = |S_n - S_p| \text{ (MeV)}$$

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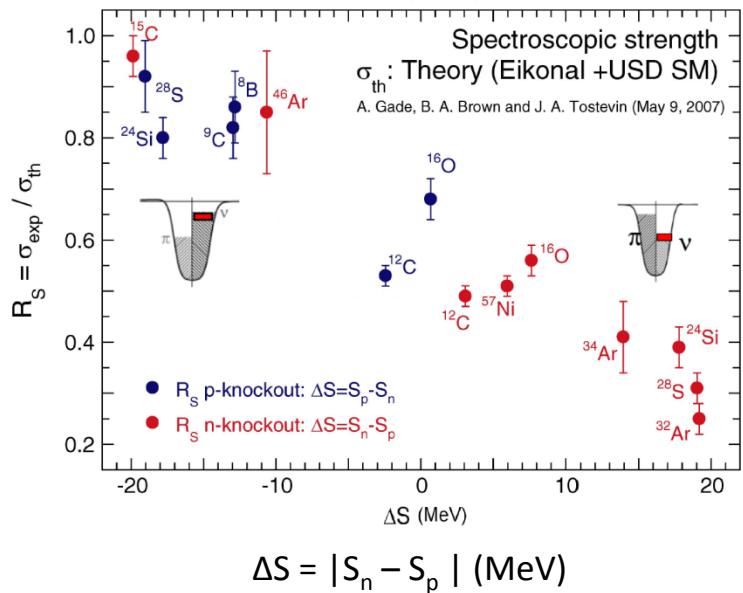
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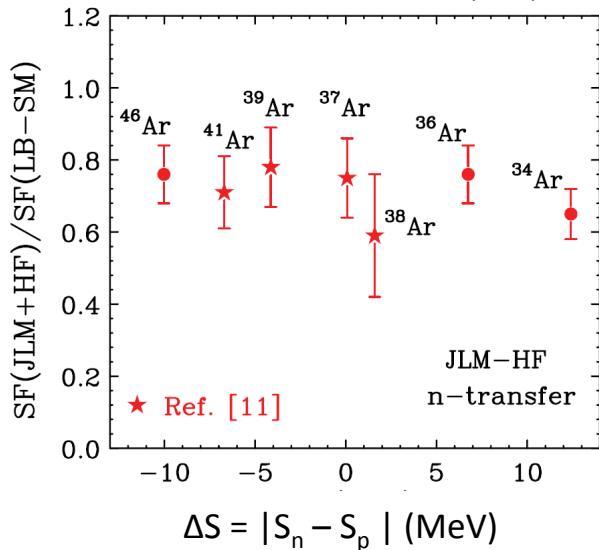
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Transfer (d,p)

J. Lee *et al.*, PRC 83, 014606 (2001)



Low-energy (p,d) transfer

- Constant reduction~30%
- Data for ΔS up to 12 MeV

Experimental program

Question : Are spectroscopic factors from knockout and transfer consistent for high ΔS ?

Experimental Program

- $^{14}\text{O} + ^9\text{Be} \rightarrow ^{13}\text{O}$ ou $^{13}\text{N} + \text{X}$
 - $^{16}\text{C} + ^9\text{Be} \rightarrow ^{15}\text{C}$ ou $^{15}\text{B} + \text{X}$
- } 53 MeV/u
75 MeV/u @ NSCL

[F.Flavigny et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **108**, 252101 (2012)]

- $^{14}\text{O} + \text{d} \rightarrow ^{13}\text{O} + \text{t}$
 - $^{14}\text{O} + \text{d} \rightarrow ^{13}\text{N} + ^3\text{He}$
 - $^{14}\text{O} + \text{d} \rightarrow ^{14}\text{O} + \text{d}$
- } 18 MeV/u @ SPIRAL-GANIL

[F.Flavigny et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **110** 122503 (2013)]

Reaction Models

Knockout:

- Medium effects (*Pauli principle*)
[F. Flavigny, A. Obertelli et I. Vidana, PRC **79**, 064617 (2009)]
- Intra-nuclear Cascade Model
[C.Louchart et al., PRC **83**, 011601 (R) (2011)]
- Transfer to the continuum model

Transfer:

- Coupled-Channel calculations (*FRESCO*)
- Use of standard and *ab-initio* overlaps

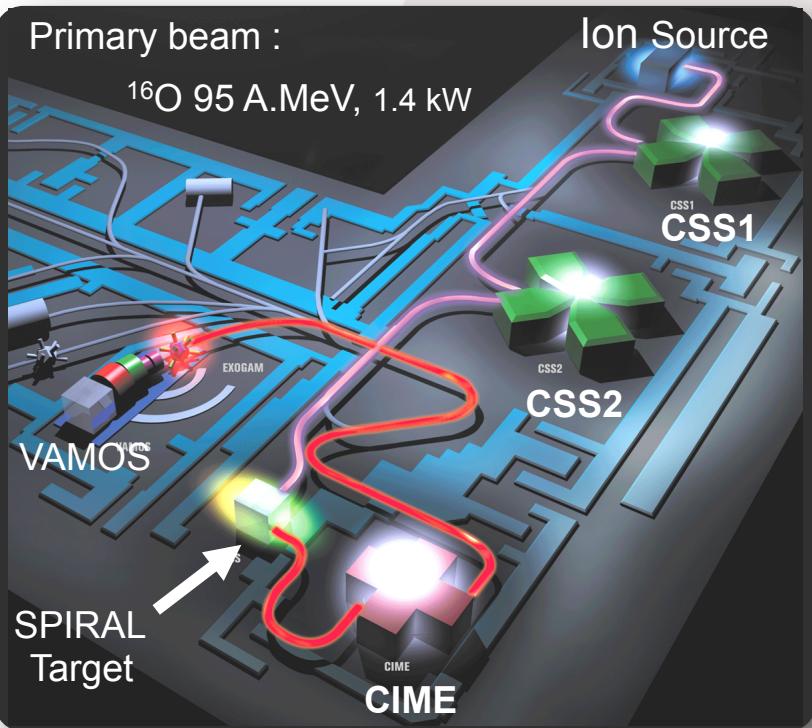
Ideal case: ^{14}O

- ✓ Large value $\Delta S = 18.6$ MeV
- ✓ Closed-shell nucleus, well described in SM calculations
- ✓ Beam intensity high enough for $(\text{d},^3\text{H})$ ($\text{d},^3\text{He}$) transfer measurements

Beam production, acceleration, detection setup

Primary beam :

^{16}O 95 A.MeV, 1.4 kW



SPIRAL Beam: $^{14}\text{O}^{8+}$

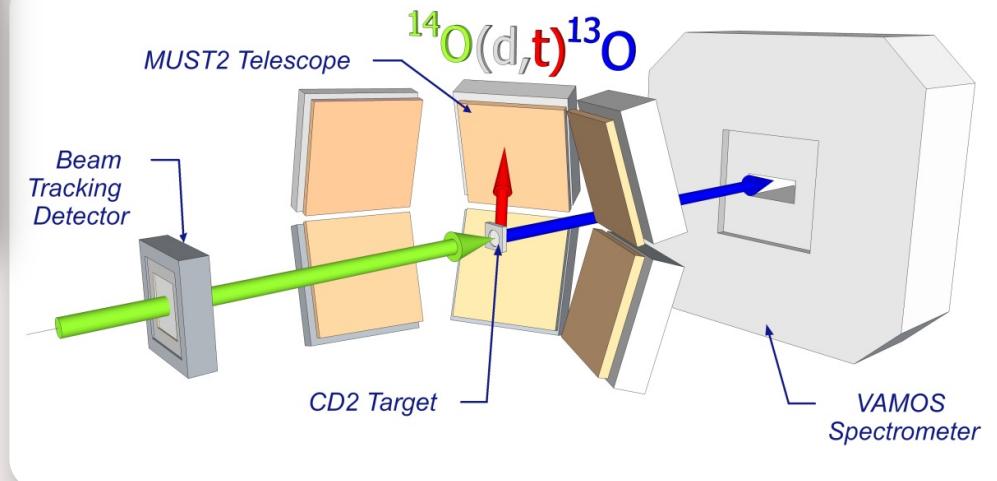
Intensity: 6.10^4 pps

Energy: 18.1 A.MeV

CD2 targets: 0.5, 1.5 and 8.5 mg.cm⁻²

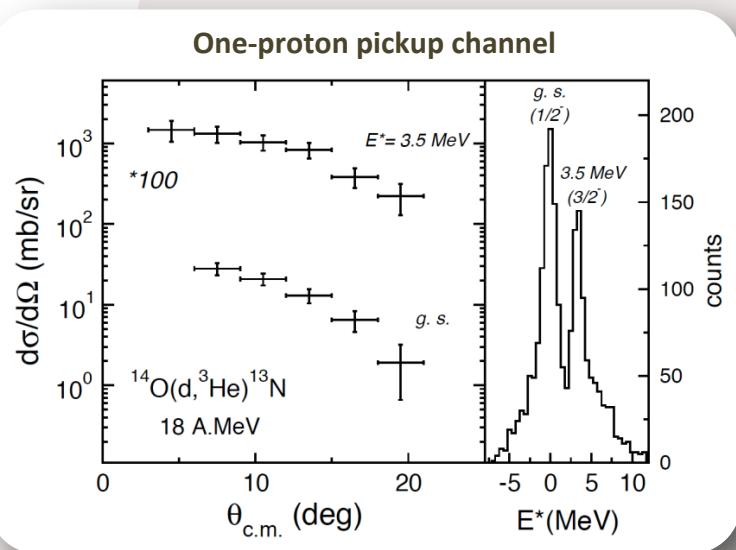
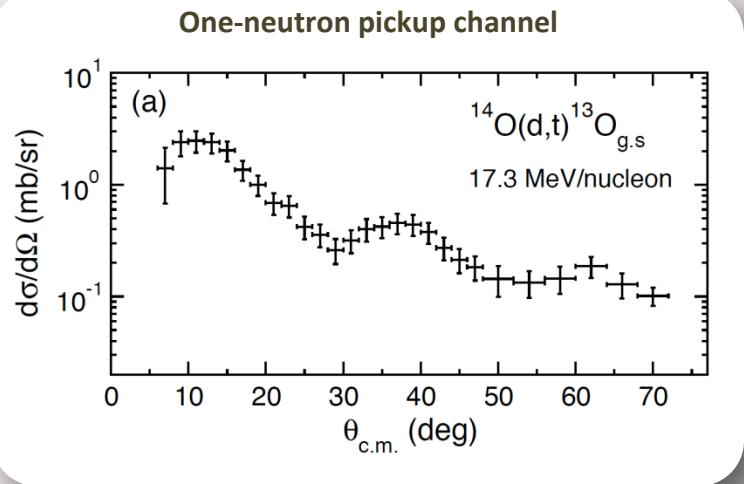
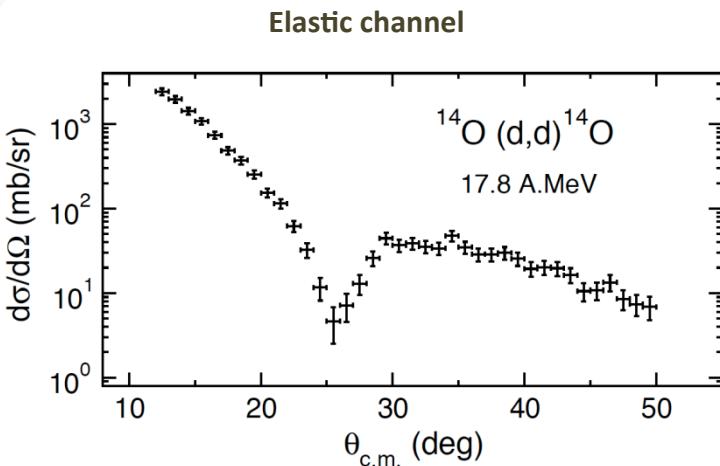
Reactions: (d,d), (d, ^3H) and (d, ^3He)

- *6 MUST2 Telescopes:*
 $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}^2$ $300\mu\text{m}$ DSSSD + SiLi or CsI
- *VAMOS spectrometer in dispersive mode*



Fully exclusive measurement

Experimental Data Set



Published Data on ^{16}O and ^{18}O

[V. Bechtold et al., Phys. Lett. B **72**, 169 (1977)]
 [M. Gaillard et al., Nucl. Phys. A **119**, 161 (1968)]
 [D. Hartwig et al., Z. Phys. **246**, 418 (1971)]

[D. Suzuki et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **103**, 152503 (2009)]

Reaction Framework

Input Potential:



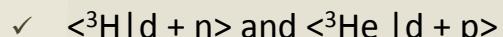
→ A.J. Koning et J.P. Delaroche, NPA 713, 231 (2003)
 → Validated on elastic data

Output potentials:



→ D. Y. Pang et al., PRC 79, 024615 (2009)
 → C. M. Perey and F. G. Perey, ADNDT 17,17,1 (1976)

Form factors:

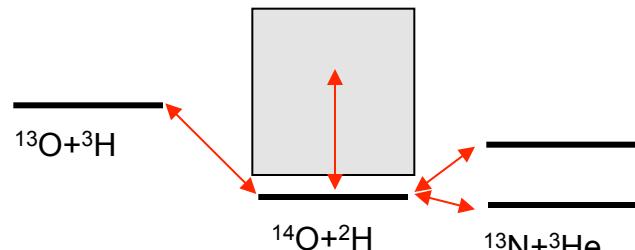


→ B. A. Watson et al., PR 182,977 (1969)



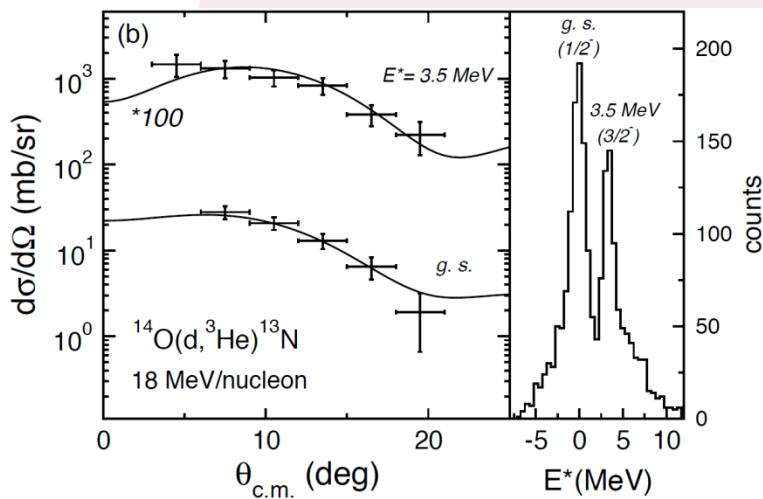
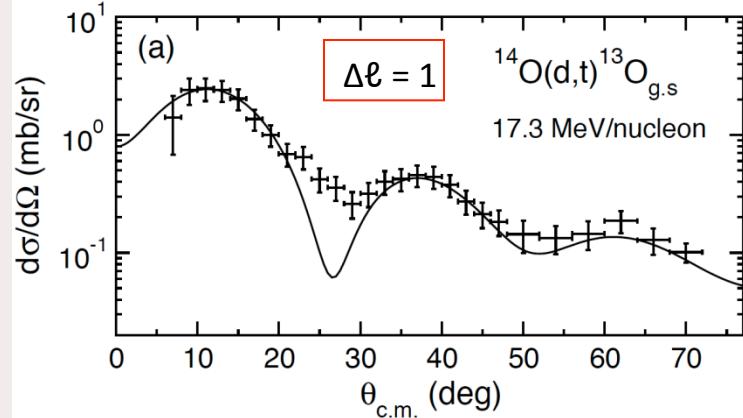
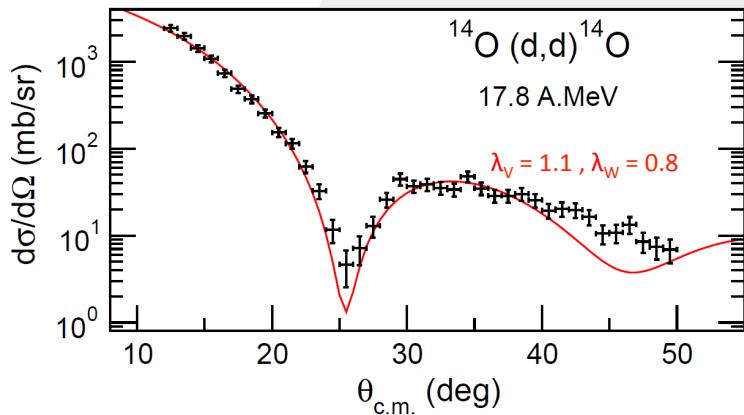
→ Woods Saxon, **Hartree Fock constrained**

Coupling scheme



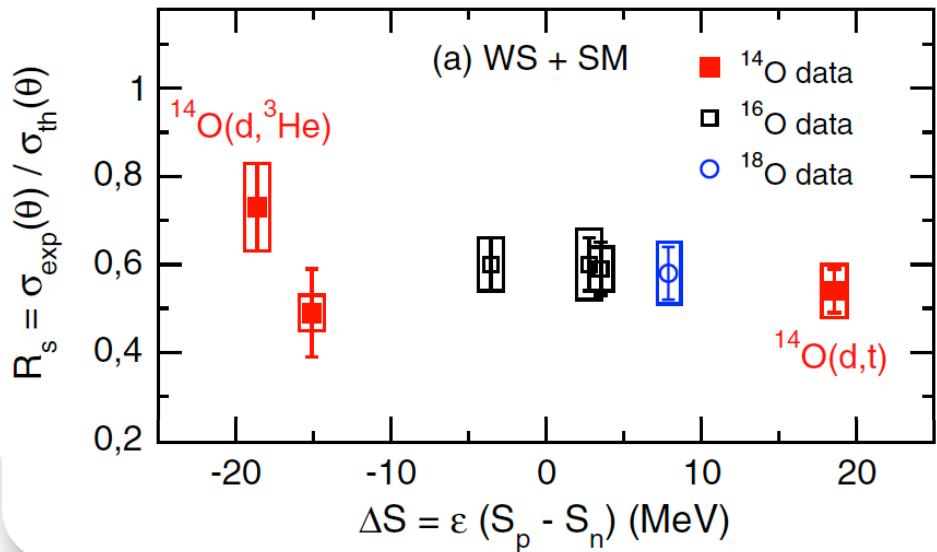
- Coupled Reaction Channel analysis (CRC)
- Coupled discretized continuum channel (CDCC) for deuteron breakup

^{14}O results



Reaction	E^* (MeV)	J^π	$R_{\text{rms}}^{\text{HFB}}$ (fm)	r_0 (fm)	$C^2 S_{\text{exp}}$ (WS)
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d}, \text{t})^{13}\text{O}$	0.00	$3/2^-$	2.69	1.40	1.69 (17)(20)
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d}, {}^3\text{He})^{13}\text{N}$	0.00	$1/2^-$	3.03	1.23	1.14(16)(15)
	3.50	$3/2^-$	2.77	1.12	0.94(19)(7)
$^{16}\text{O}(\text{d}, \text{t})^{15}\text{O}$	0.00	$1/2^-$	2.91	1.46	0.91(9)(8)
$^{16}\text{O}(\text{d}, {}^3\text{He})^{15}\text{N}$ [19,20]	0.00	$1/2^-$	2.95	1.46	0.93(9)(9)
	6.32	$3/2^-$	2.80	1.31	1.83(18)(24)
$^{18}\text{O}(\text{d}, {}^3\text{He})^{17}\text{N}$ [21]	0.00	$1/2^-$	2.91	1.46	0.92(9)(12)

Results with WS overlap functions



$\delta (\text{RMS}) \rightarrow \delta r_o \rightarrow \text{box}$

Error bars due to exp. Uncertainties

OFs : WS (HFB constrained)

C^2S_{th} : Shell model with WBT interaction

$$\sigma_{\text{th}}(\theta) = C^2S_{\text{th}} \sigma_{sp}(\theta)$$

48 analysis:

- 2 sets of C^2S_{th} :**
 - WBT Interaction Op shell + $2\hbar\Omega$
 - Utsuno int. Op1s0d space
- 3 HF calculations for radii**
- 8 combinations of optical potentials** for entrance and exit channels

$$\chi^2_{\text{min}} \longrightarrow$$

$$R_s = \alpha \cdot \Delta S + \beta$$

$$\alpha = +0.0004(24)(12) \text{ MeV}^{-1}$$

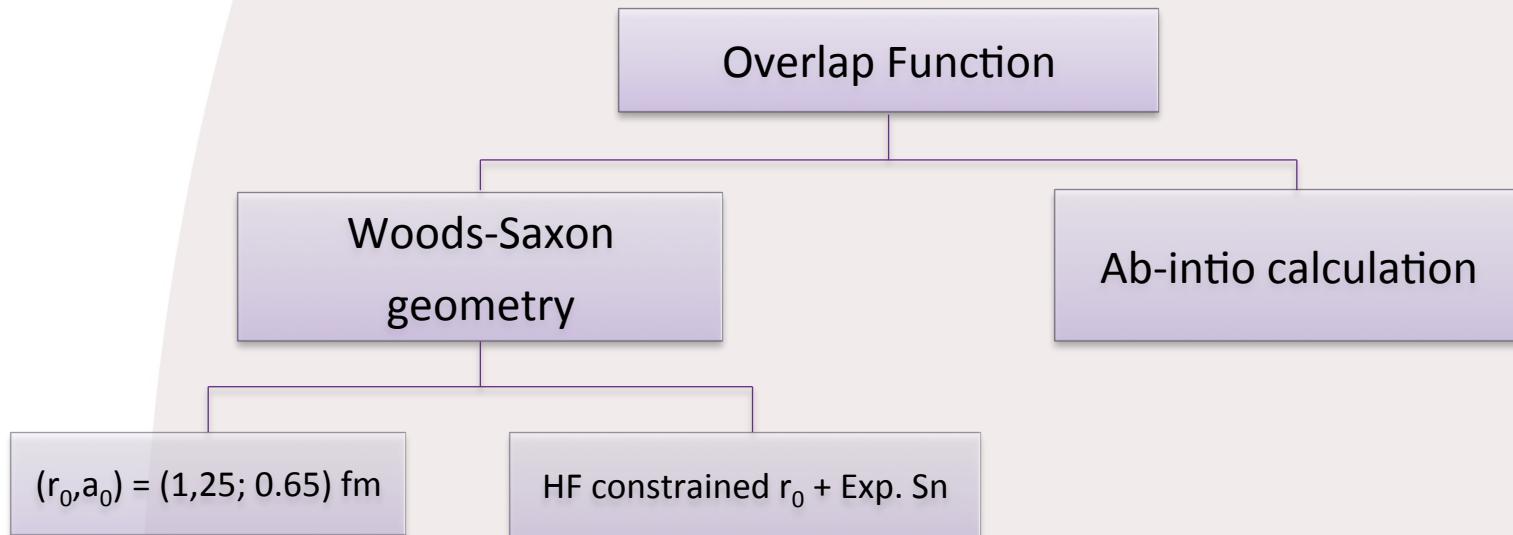
$$\beta = R_s(0) = 0.538(28)(18)$$

Exp. Error
(1 set)

Stdrd. error
from 48 data sets

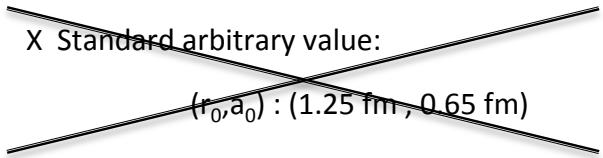
Overlap functions

A crucial choice



Test case : stable ^{16}O

Form factors



✓ r_{rms} from $^{16}\text{O}(\text{e}, \text{e}'\text{p})^{15}\text{N}_{\text{gs}}$:
[M. Leuschner et al., PRC 49, 955 (1994)]

$$r_{\text{rms}} = 2,943(30) \text{ fm}$$

✓ WS parameters to reproduce r_{rms} and Sp:

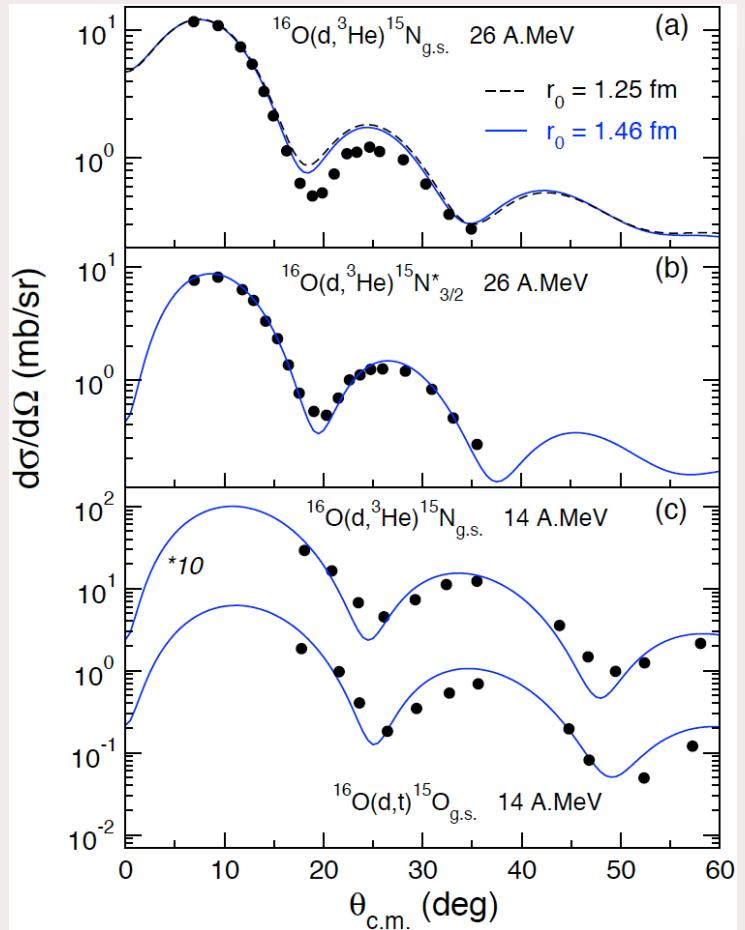
$$\mathbf{r}_0 = 1,46 \text{ fm}$$

$$\mathbf{C^2 S_{exp}} = 0,91(9)$$

✓ Single-particle HFB w.f. with Sly4 interaction:

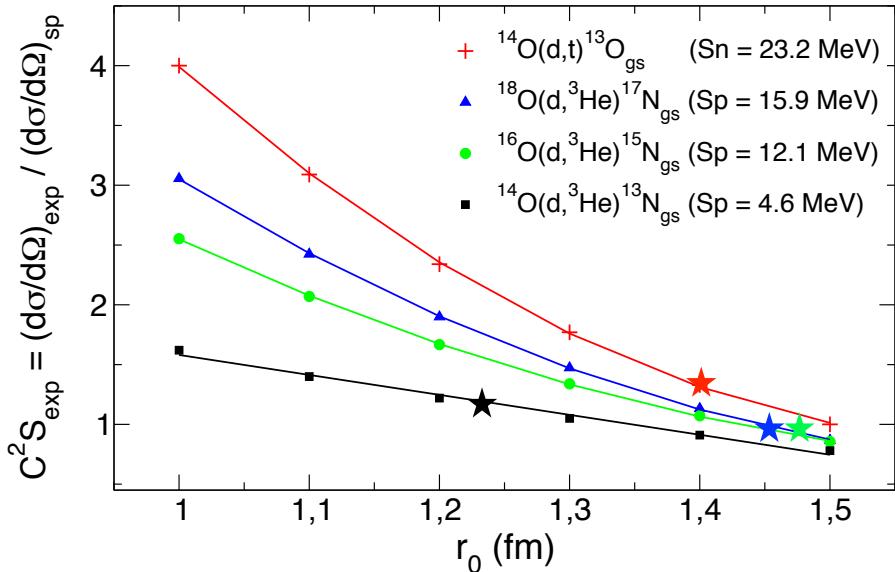
$$r_{\text{rms}}(\text{HFB}) = 2,95 \text{ fm}$$

HFB RMS (fm)	$\pi 0 p_{3/2}$	$\pi 0 p_{1/2}$	$\nu 0 p_{3/2}$	$\nu 0 p_{1/2}$
^{14}O	2.77	3.03	2.69	2.72
^{16}O	2.80	2.95	2.78	2.91
^{18}O	2.81	2.91		
$^{16}\text{O}(\text{e}, \text{e}'\text{p})^{15}\text{N}$	2.719(24)	2.943(30)		



Data points from :
[V. Bechtold et al., Phys. Lett. B 72, 169 (1977)]
[M. Gaillard et al., Nucl. Phys. A 119, 161 (1968)]

r_0 dependence



Linear fit ($a \cdot r_0 + b$)
between 1.3 fm and 1.5:

Reaction	$S_{n,p}$ (MeV)	a (slope)
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},\text{t})^{13}\text{O}$	23.2	-3.85
$^{18}\text{O}(\text{d},{}^3\text{He})^{17}\text{N}$	15.9	-3.00
$^{16}\text{O}(\text{d},{}^3\text{He})^{15}\text{N}$	12.1	-2.4
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},{}^3\text{He})^{13}\text{N}$	4.6	-1.35

- The $C^2 S_{\text{exp}}(r_0)$ dependence is enhanced if the transfer nucleon is more bound
 - For r_0 in [1; 1.25] fm, this effect becomes even larger (non linear)

Ex. for $^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},\text{t})$: for $r_0 = 1.40$ fm \rightarrow $C^2 S_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.3$
 for $r_0 = 1.25$ fm \rightarrow $C^2 S_{\text{exp}} \approx 2.1$
 ($\approx 11\%$ change) ($\approx 60\%$ change)

Framework

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Four main reaction approaches for transfer reactions:

1) The Distorted Wave Born Approximation (DWBA)

- the simplest : assumes direct, one-step process that is weak

2) The adiabatic model:

- modification of DWBA for (d,p) and (p,d) reactions
- deuteron breakup effects included in an approximate way

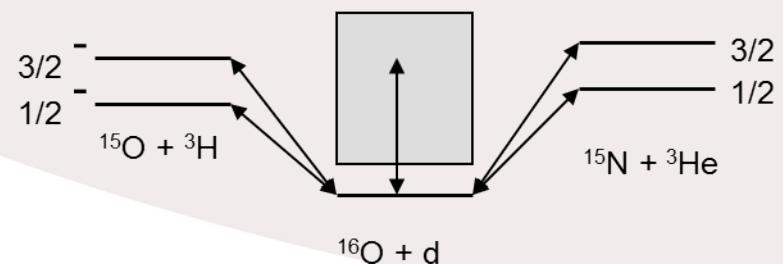
3) The Coupled Channels Born Approximation (CCBA) :

- used when the assumption of a one-step transfer process breaks down
- strong inelastic excitations modelled with coupled channels theory
- transfers still with DWBA

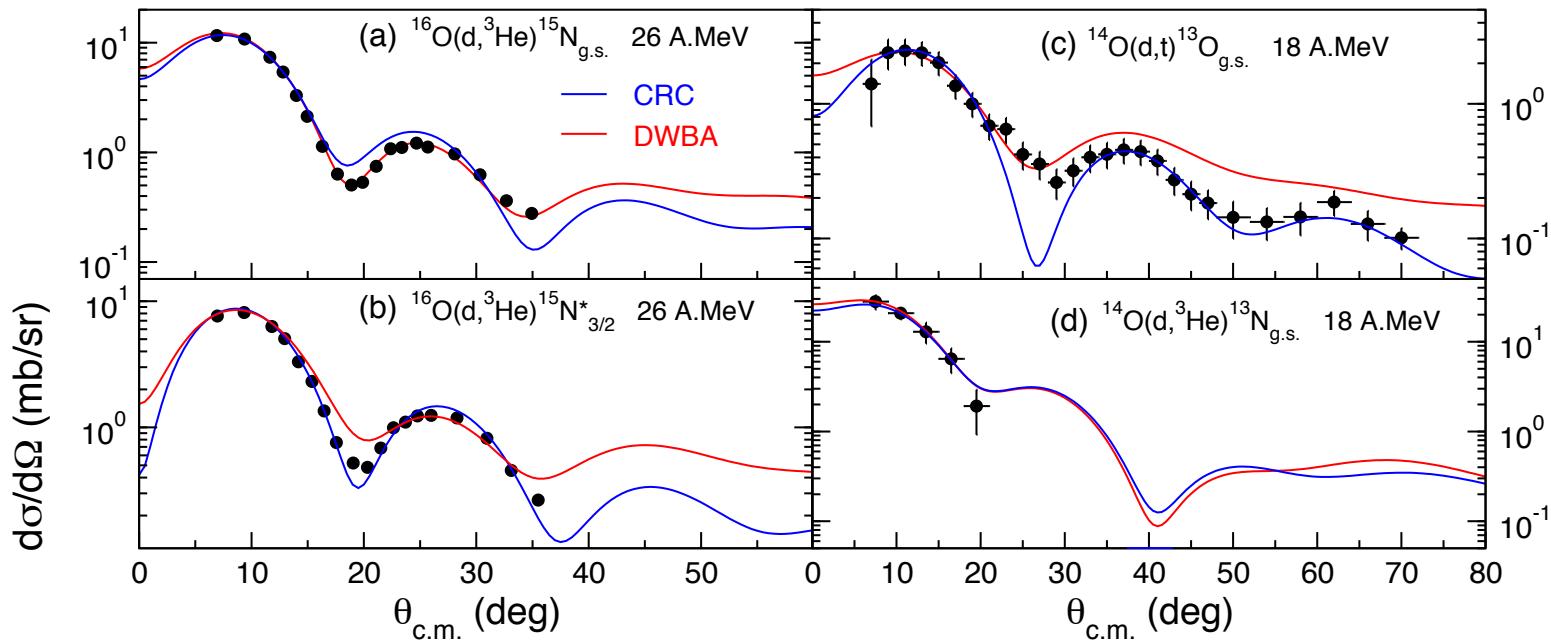
4) Coupled Reaction Channels (CRC):

- does not assume one-step or weak transfer process.
- All processes on equal footing;
- (complex) rearrangements of flux possible

Example for ^{16}O :



Framework: CRC Vs DWBA



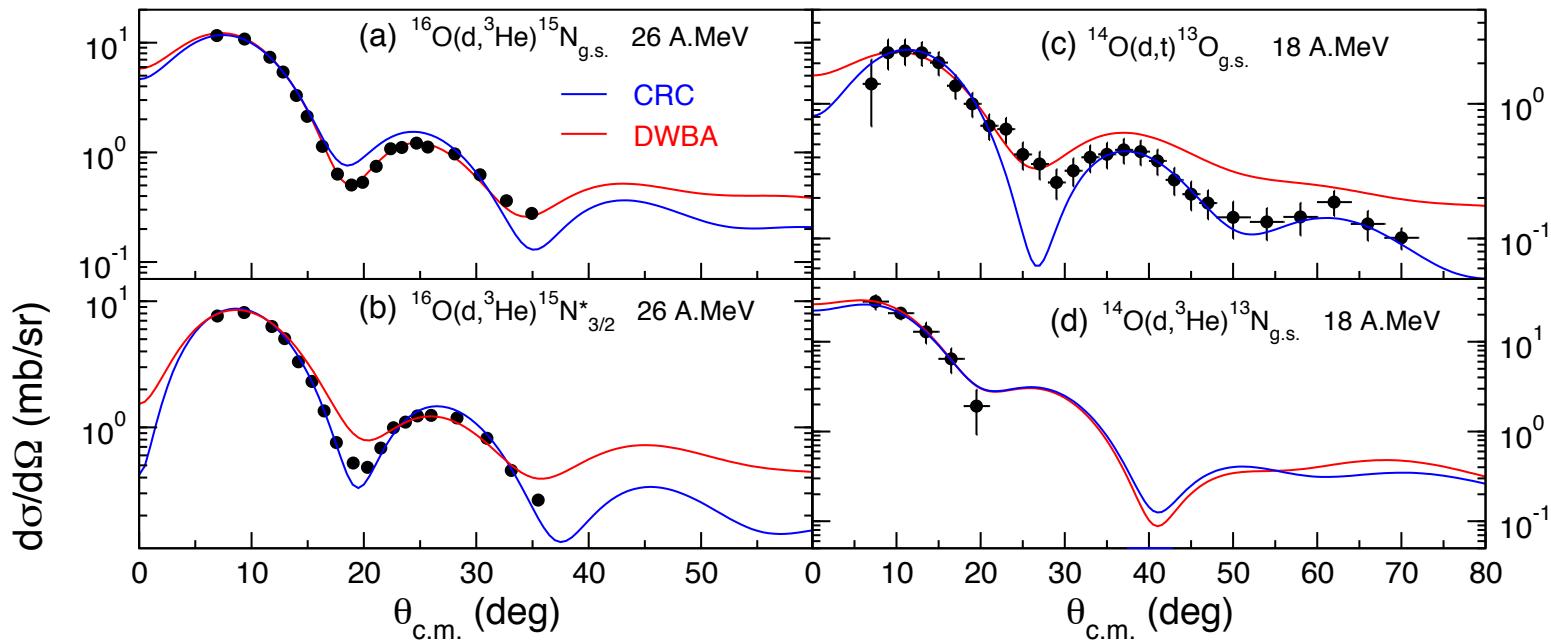
Parameters:

- One fixed set of potentials (KD+GDP08)
- Constrained Woods Saxon overlap functions

Shapes

- Better described by CRC (in general)
- But DWBA works rather well too
(especially for small angles)

Framework: CRC Vs DWBA



Reaction	E^* (MeV)	r_0 (fm)	$C^2 S_{\text{exp}}$		$\delta(C^2 S_{\text{exp}})$ %
			CRC	DWBA	
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d}, ^3\text{H})^{13}\text{O}$	0	1.40	1.35	1.00	35
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d}, ^3\text{He})^{13}\text{N}$	0	1.23	1.15	1.31	-12
	3.5	1.12	1.02	0.90	12
$^{16}\text{O}(\text{d}, ^3\text{He})^{15}\text{N}$	0	1.46	0.94	0.94	0
	6	1.31	2.00	1.70	18

Normalisation and $C^2 S_{\text{exp}}$

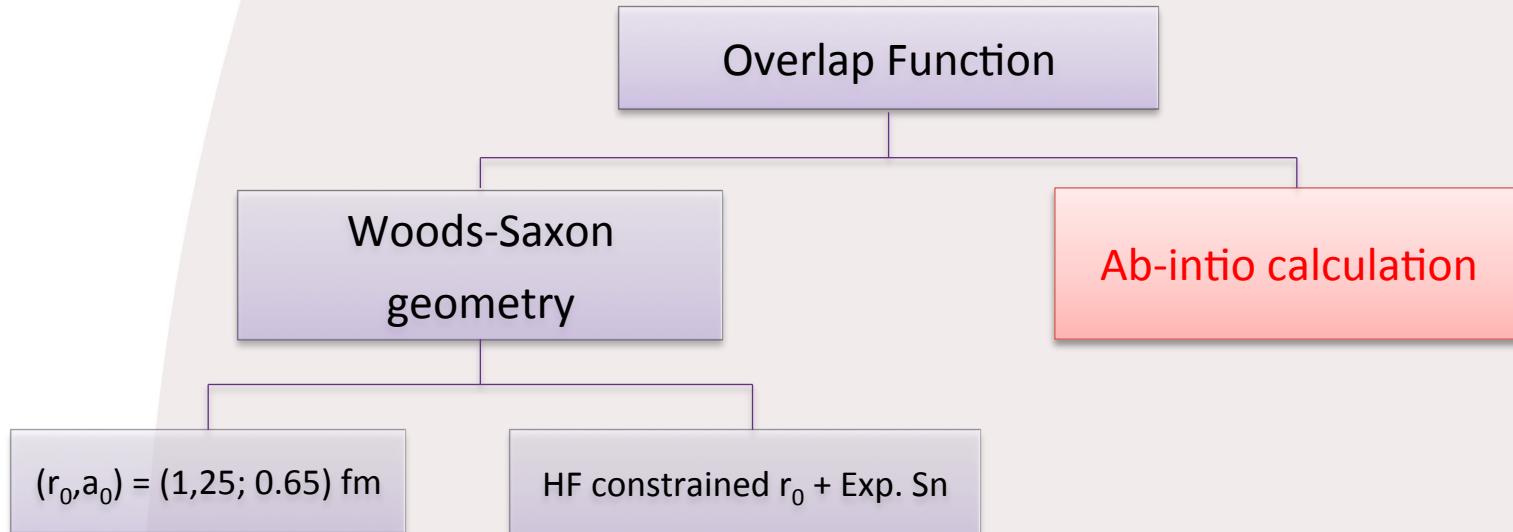
- Reaction dependant effect
- Up to 35% difference for $^{14}\text{O}(\text{d}, \text{t})$

$$\delta = (C^2 S_{\text{exp}}^{\text{CRC}} - C^2 S_{\text{exp}}^{\text{DWBA}}) / C^2 S_{\text{exp}}^{\text{DWBA}}$$

→ Systematic error

Ab-initio overlap functions

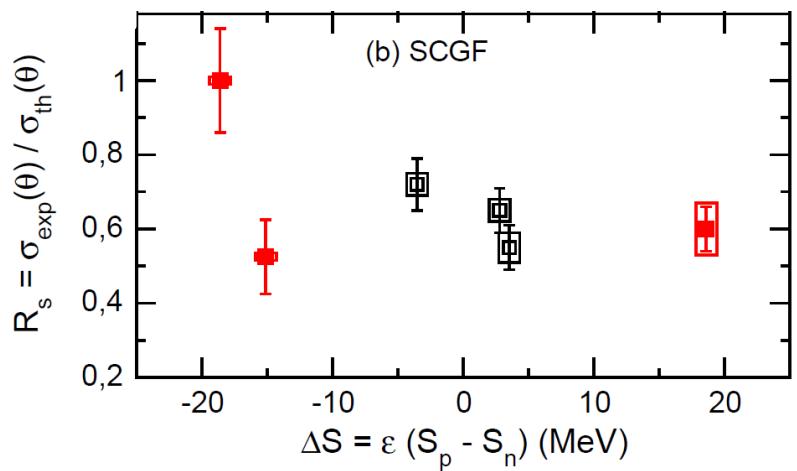
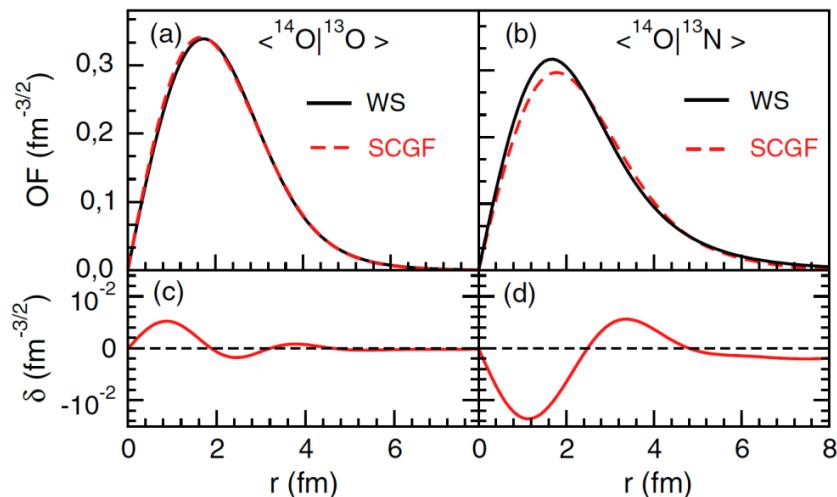
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Results with ab-initio overlaps

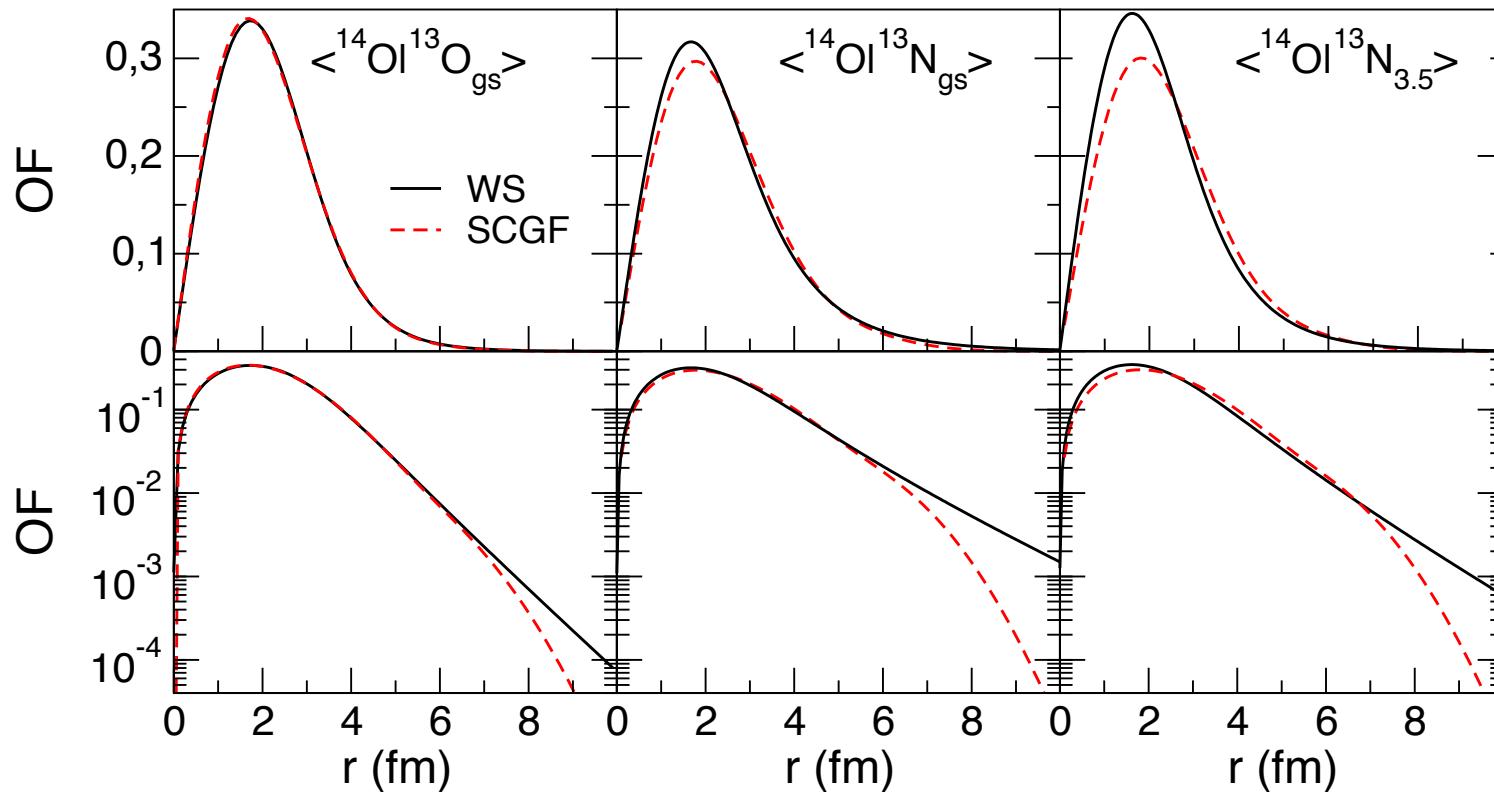
Ab-initio SF_{th} and overlaps (from C. Barbieri and A. Cipollone)

- Single-particle Green's function (third order diagrammatic construction method)
- Chiral two-body + three-body interactions (cutoff $\lambda=1.88 \text{ fm}^{-1}$)



$$\sigma_{\text{th}}(\theta) = C^2 S_{\text{th}} \sigma_{sp}(\theta)$$

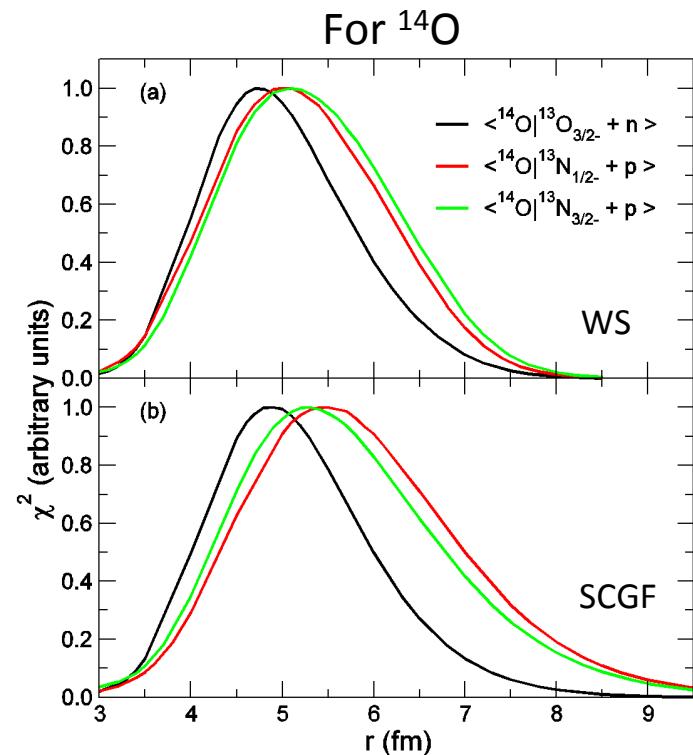
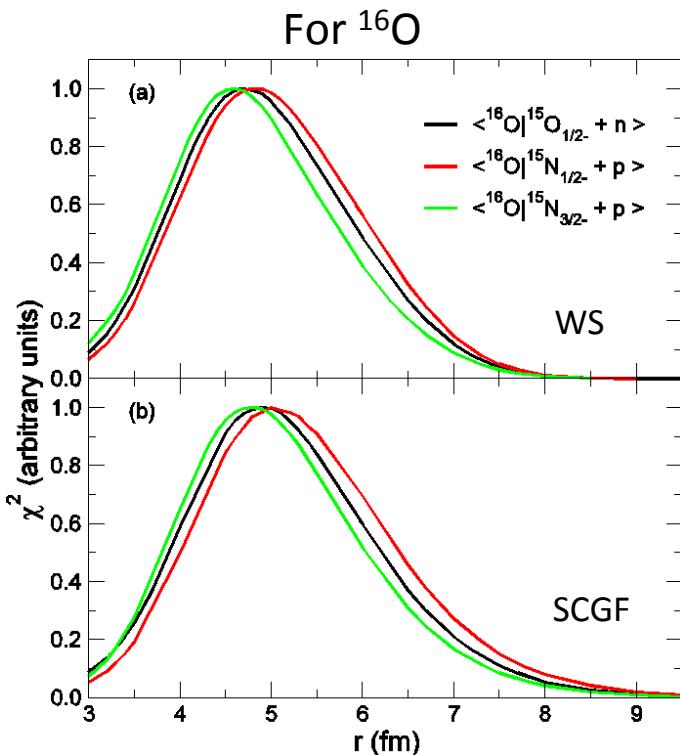
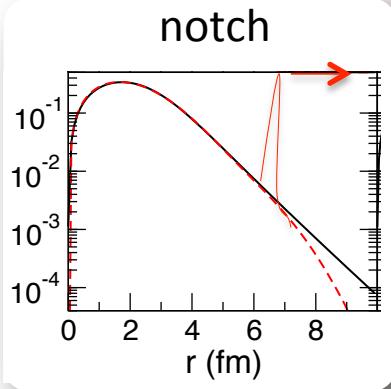
Radial sensitivity – Asymptotic tails



→ After (6-7) fm: **differences** between WS and ab-initio overlaps

Radial sensitivity – notch test

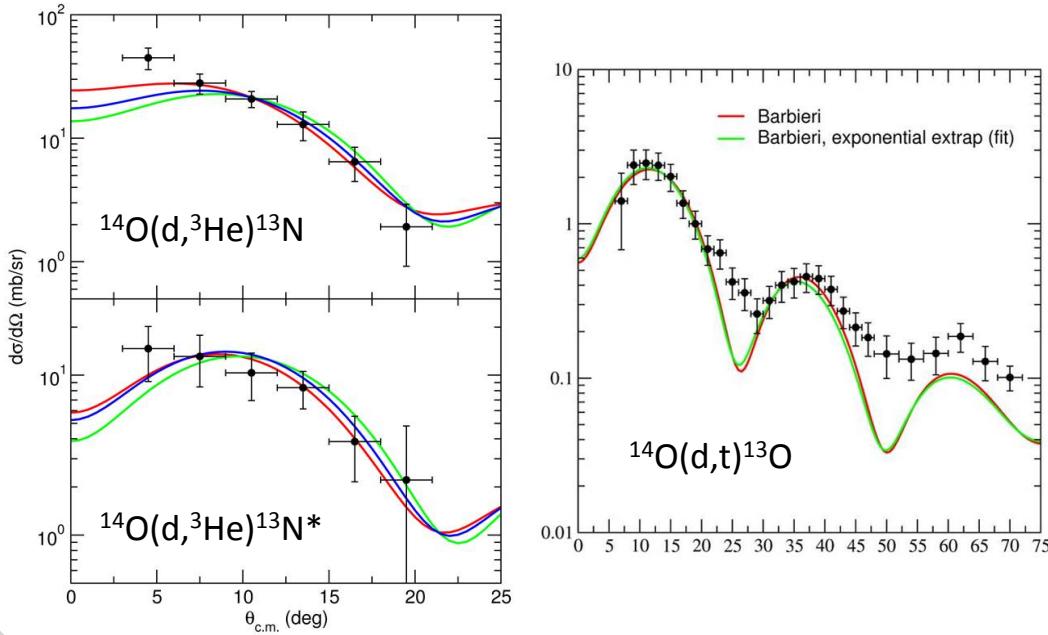
$$\chi^2 = \Sigma((d\sigma/d\Omega)_{pert} - (d\sigma/d\Omega)_{un})^2/(d\sigma/d\Omega)^2_{un}$$



→ Effect of asymmetry visible on the region probed for ^{14}O

Radial sensitivity – Asymptotic tails

With extrapolated ab-initio OFs (after 7fm)



Small shape changes
(within exp. errors)

C^2S_{exp}	1 (SCGF)	2 (SCGF ext.)	(2/1)
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},\text{t})^{13}\text{O}$	2.41	2.28	0.95
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},{}^3\text{He})^{13}\text{N}$	1.58	1.42	0.90
$^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},{}^3\text{He})^{13}\text{N}_{3/2^-}$	1.01	0.86	0.85

Effect on
 $\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}}$
 $Rs = C^2S_{\text{exp}}/C^2S_{\text{th}}$

Rs(1)	Rs(2)
0.60(6)(7)	0.57
1.00(14)(1)	0.90
0.53(10)(1)	0.45

Partial Conclusions

Conclusions :

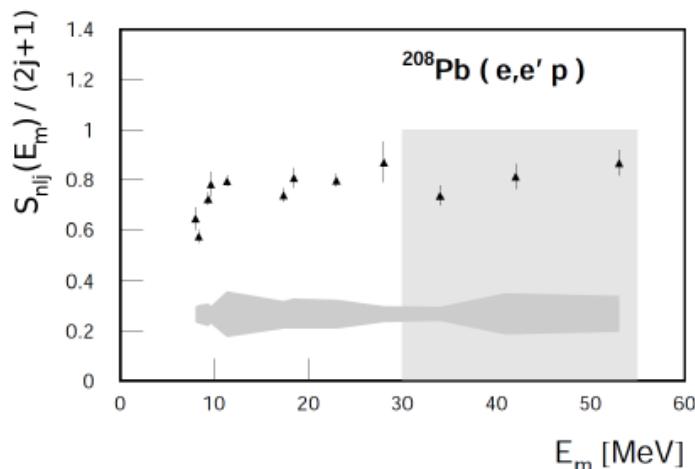
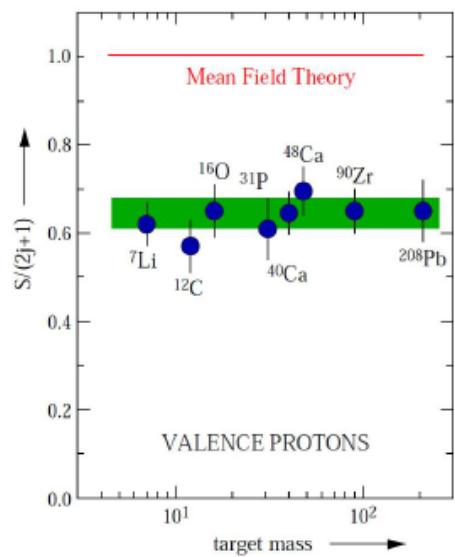
- Agreement between standard prescription (WS+SM) and ab-initio
- **Weak asymmetry dependence** within the error bars

Sensitivity study:

- Agreement between $^{14}\text{O}(\text{d},\text{t})^{13}\text{O}$ and $^{14}\text{O}(\text{p},\text{d})^{13}\text{O}$
- C^2S_{exp} extracted with CRC can differs significantly from DWBA
 - Even if the first maximum is well reproduced in both cases
 - Should be checked case by case...
- The dependance of C^2S_{exp} on (r_0, a_0) WS geometries is enhanced for large S_n
- Ab-intio overlap functions have pathologies regarding their asymptotic tails
BUT:
 - Reactions at stake in our study are weakly sensitive to this pathologies
 - Radial sensitivity to OFs can be checked or corrected if necessary

Backup slides

Occupation des couches dans les noyaux stables



Les réactions $(e, e' p)$:

- interaction électromagnétique
 - interaction du proton dans l'état final
- Réduction entre 30 et 40% en moyenne

W. Dickhoff, Prog. Nucl. Phys. 52, 377 (2004).

L. Lapikas, Nucl. Phys. A. 553, 297-308 (1993).

Corrélations au delà du champ moyen :

- couplage à des excitations collectives.
- corrélations à courte portée.

C. Barbieri, Phys. Rev. Lett. 103, 202502 (2009).

Dépendance en énergie de liaison :

- Réduction moyenne de $0.78 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.08$.

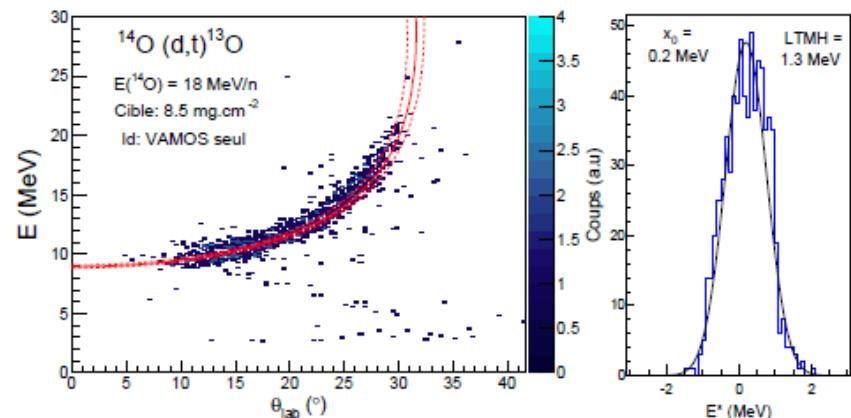
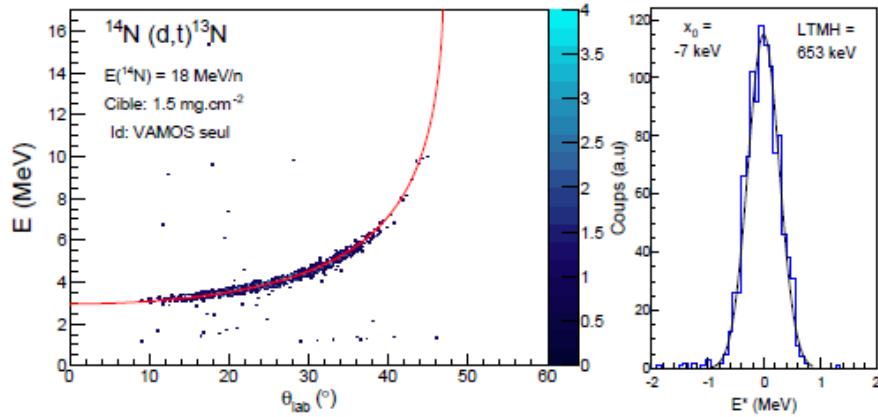
M. F. Van Batenburg, PhD thesis, University of Utrecht (2001).

Accord entre résultats $(d, ^3\text{He})$ et $(e, e' p)$.

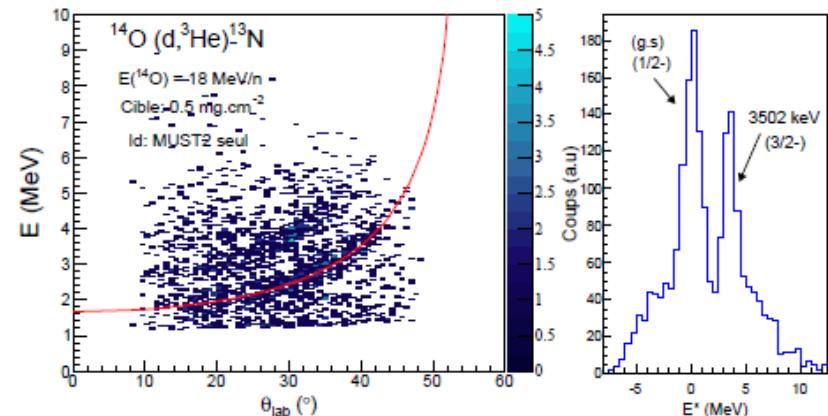
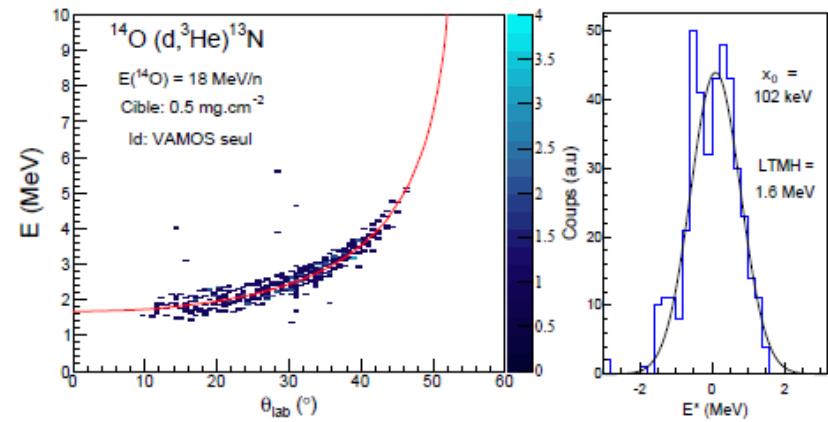
G. J. Kramer *et al.*, NPA 679 (2001) 267.

Kinematics

Transferts (d,t)

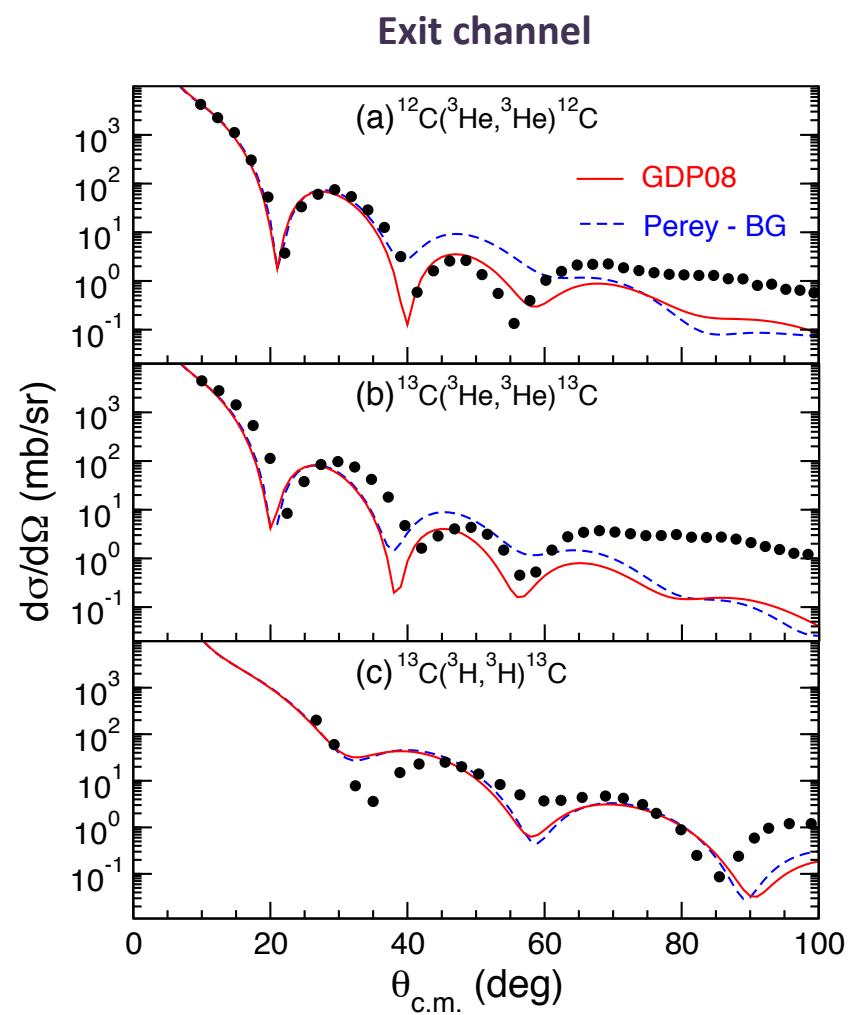
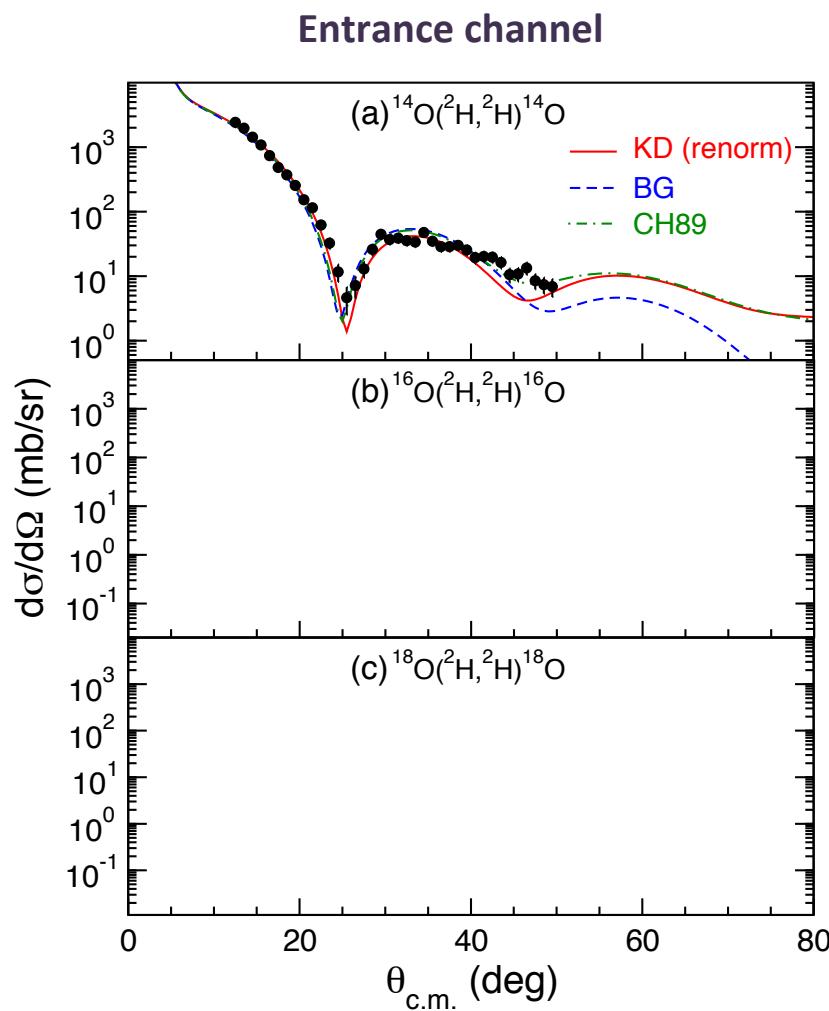


Transfert ($d,^3\text{He}$) : Sélection M2-VAMOS

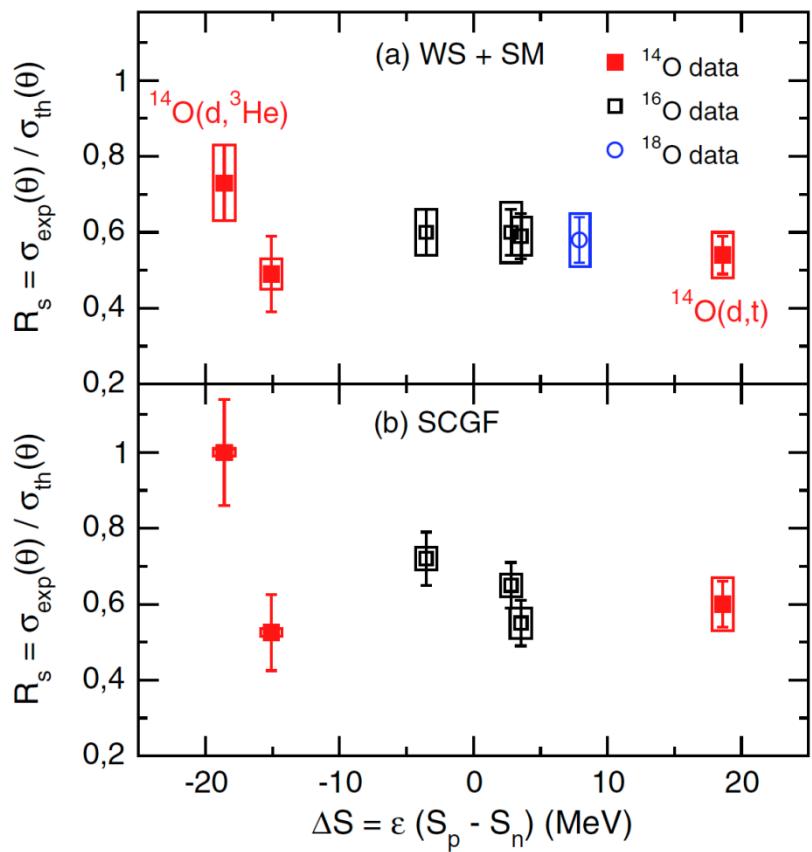


Potentials

Potentials : Elastic scattering benchmark



Conclusion



$$\alpha = +0.0004(24)(12) \text{ MeV}^{-1}$$

$$\beta = R_s(0) = 0.538(28)(18)$$

$$\alpha = -0.0042(28)(36) \text{ MeV}^{-1}$$

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Conclusion :

- Agreement between standard prescription (WS+SM) and ab-initio
- Weak asymmetry dependence within the error bars