

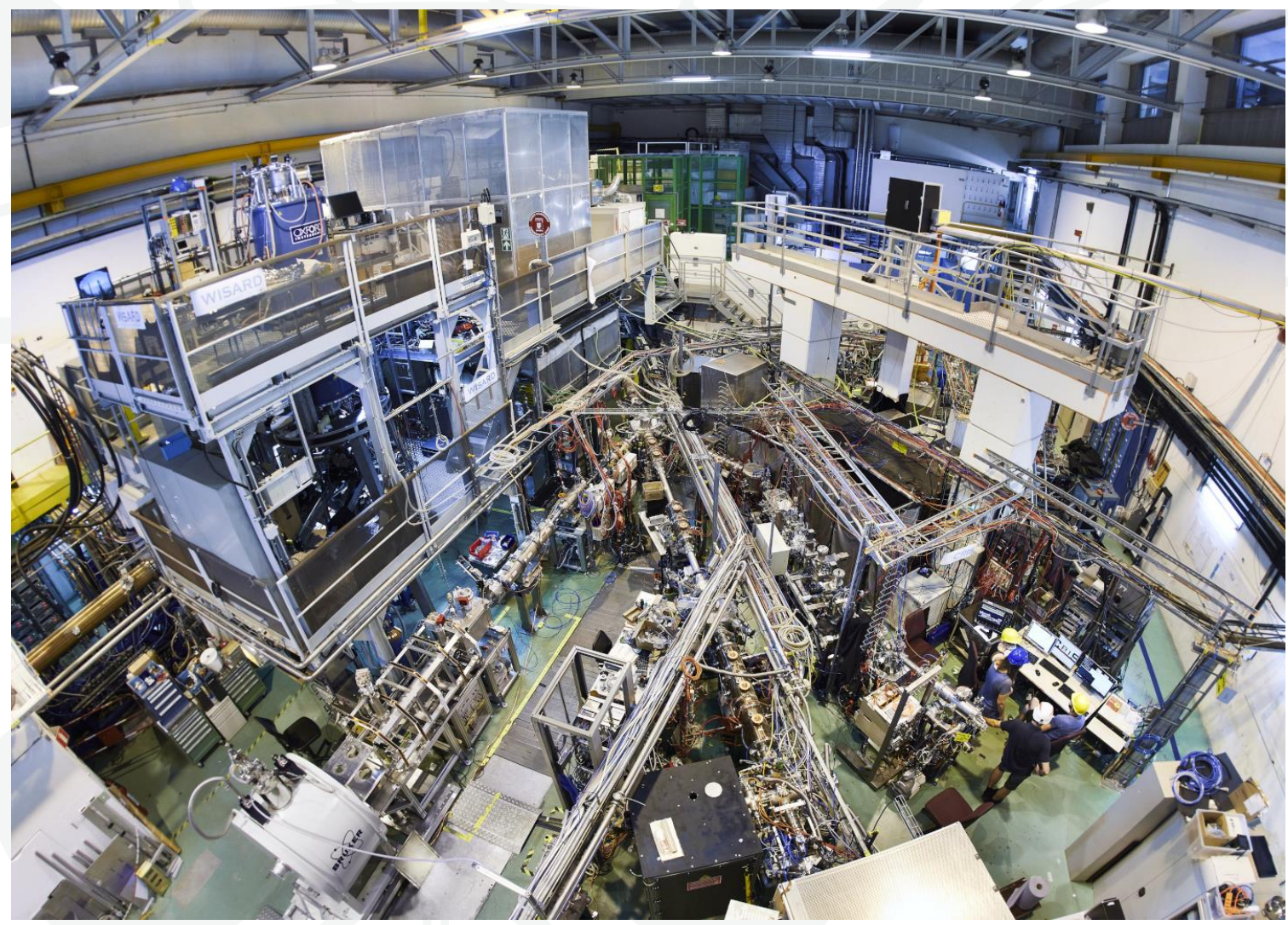
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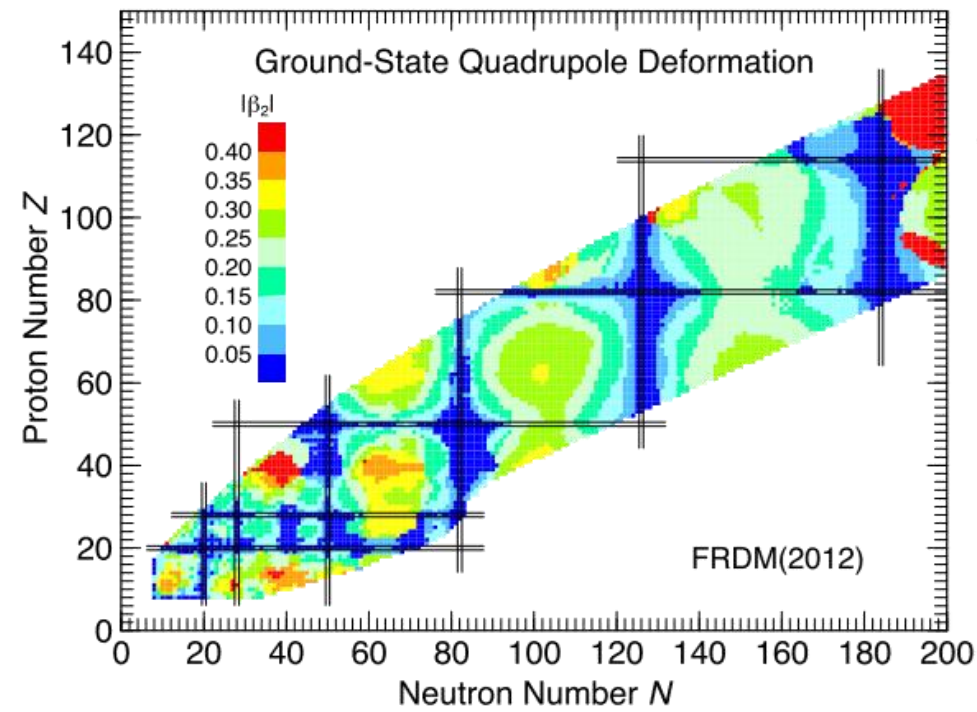


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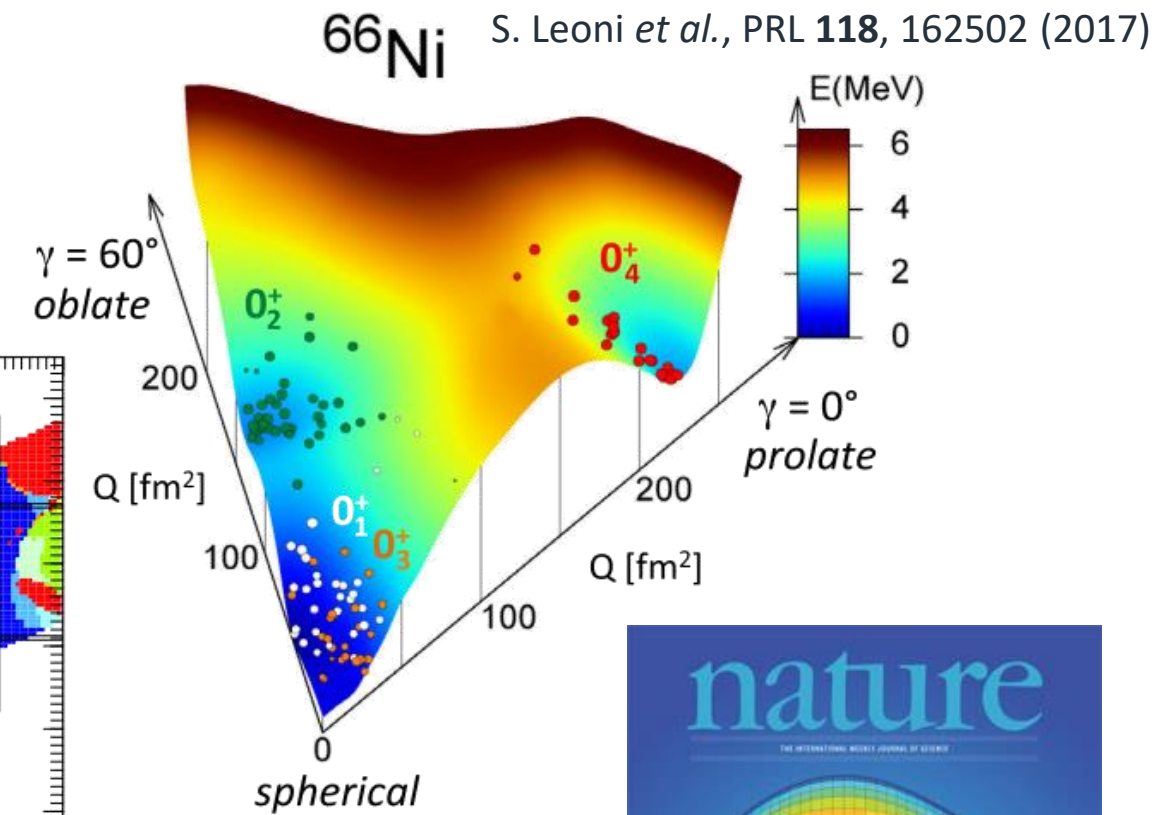
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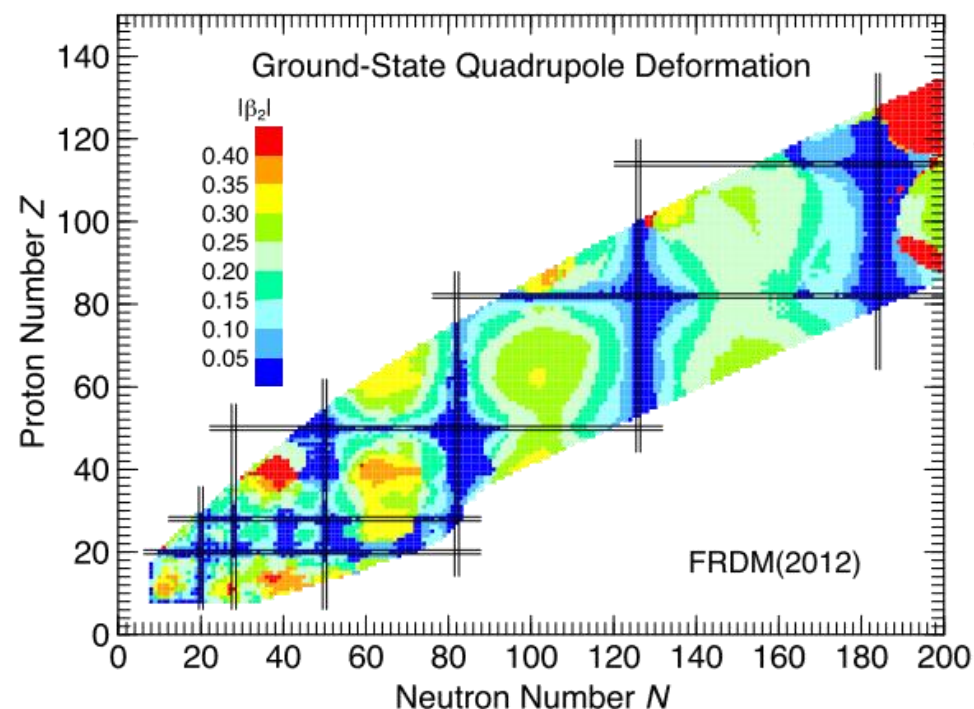
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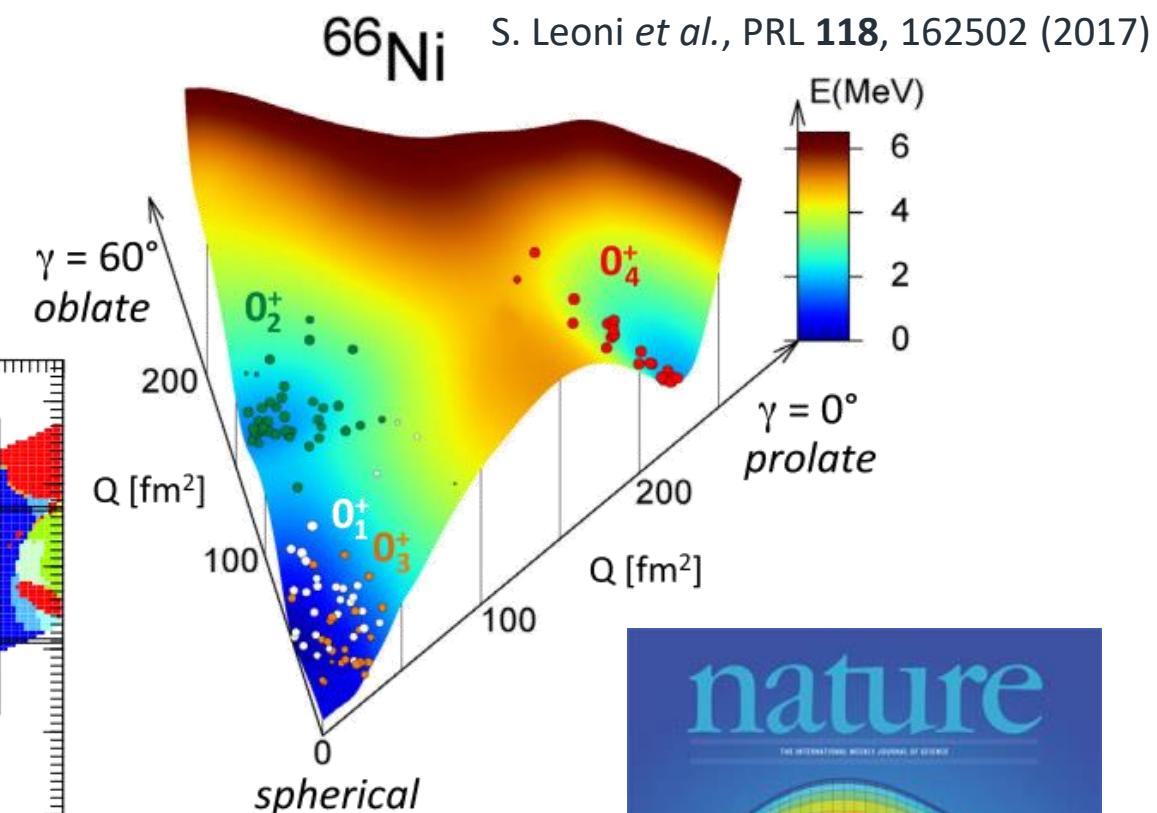
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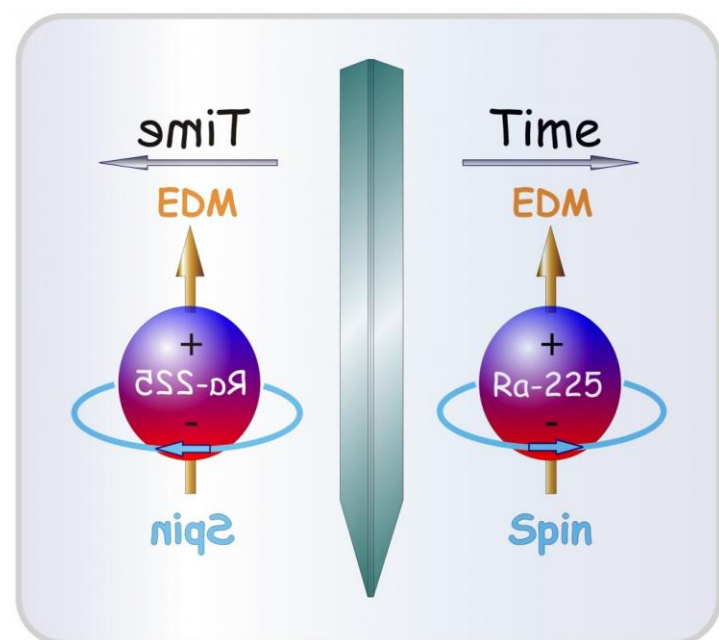
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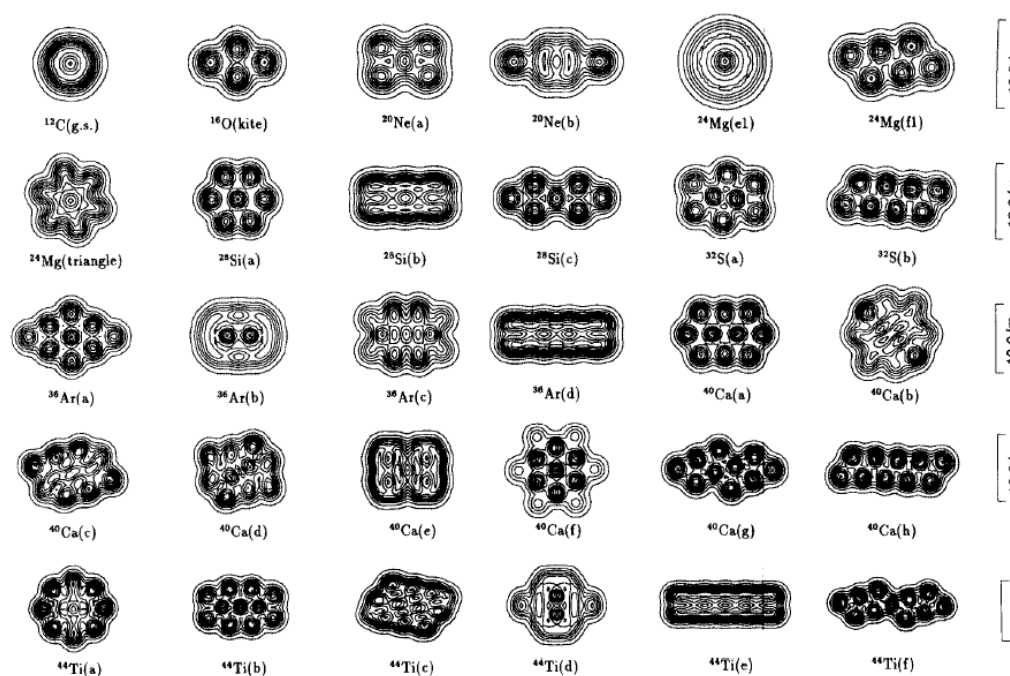


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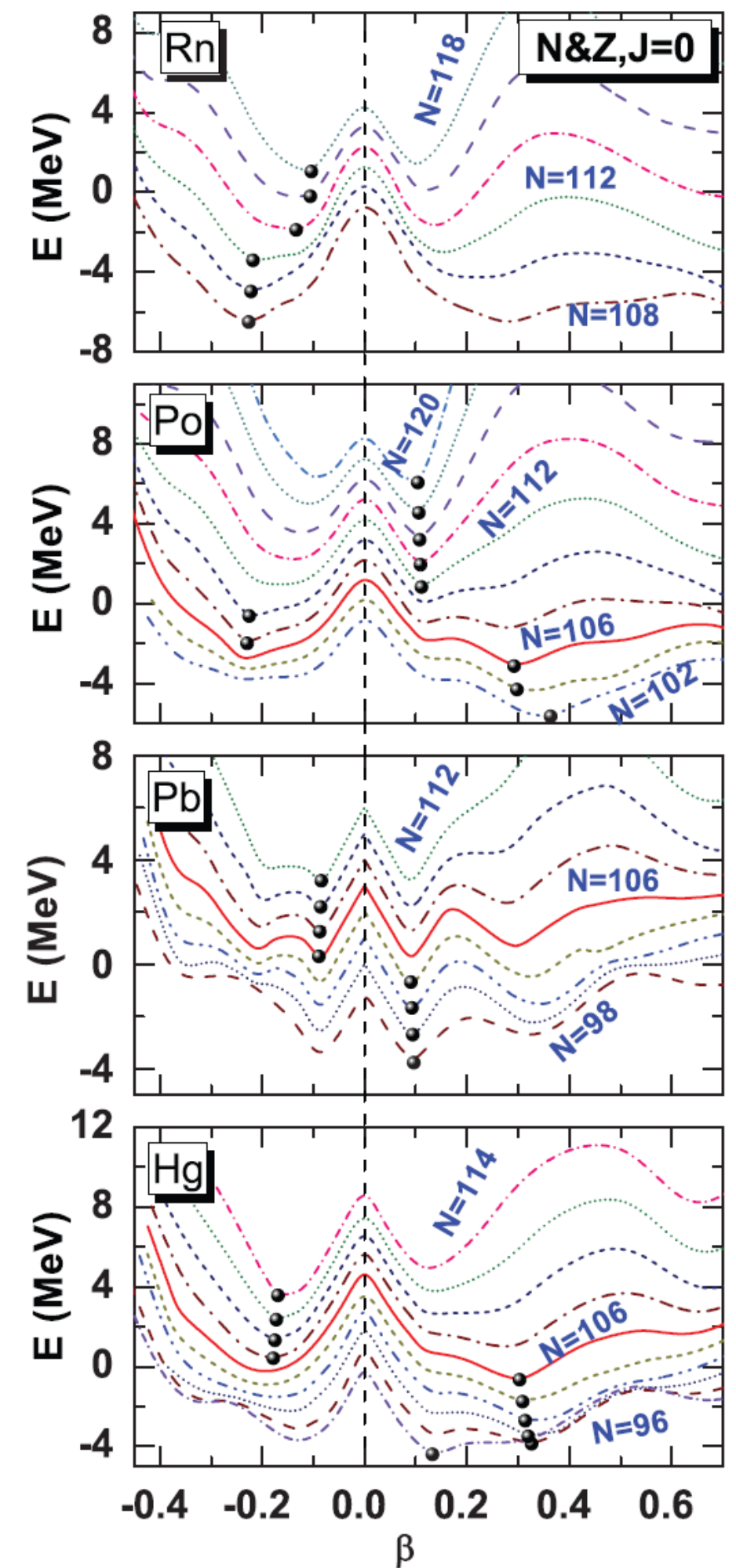
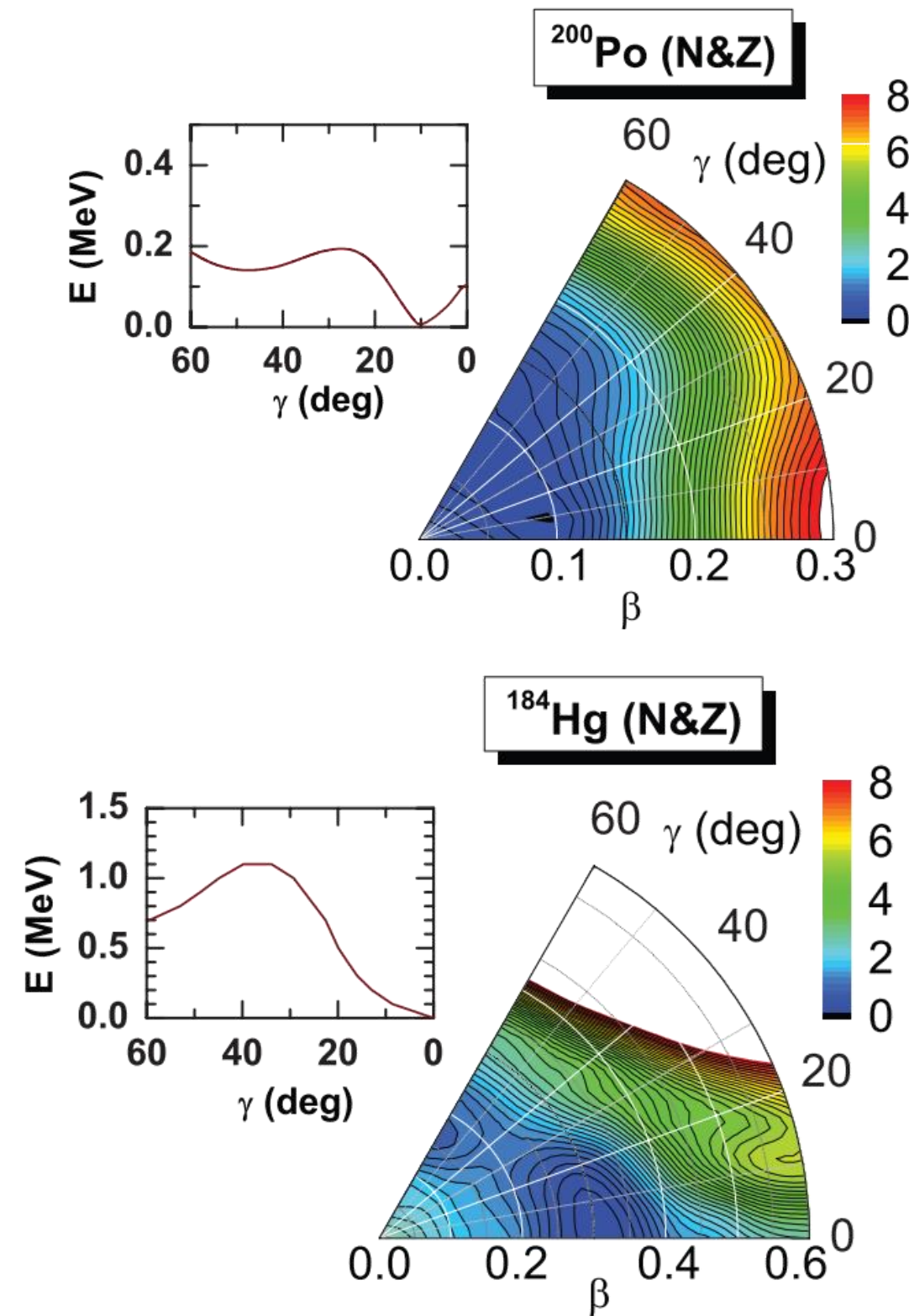
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- BSM studies:
 - Enhanced Schiff moments in Octupole Nuclei
 - Amplify signature of eEDMs by $>10^3$
- Astrophysics:
 - Cluster states
 - Shape isomers

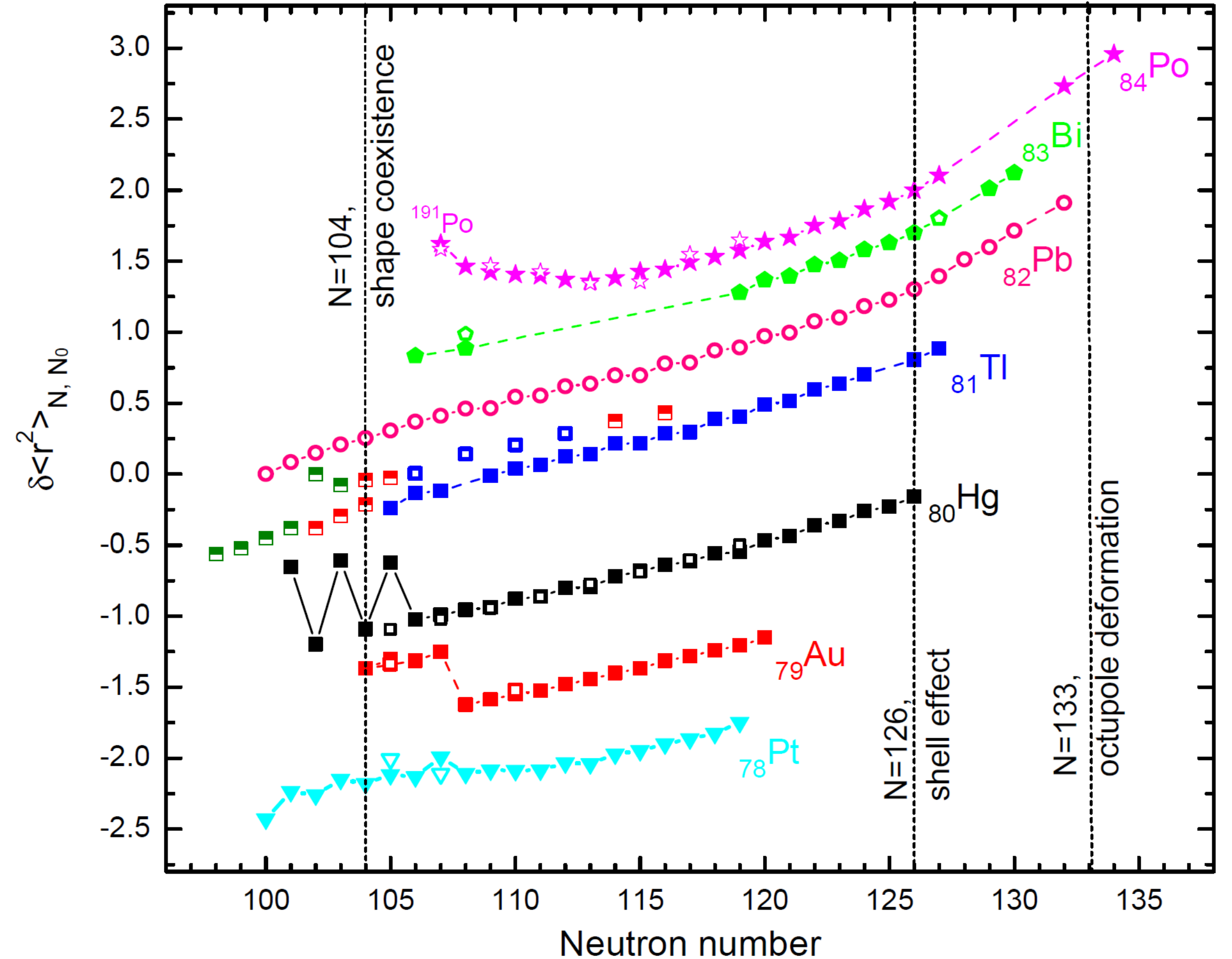
Nuclear shapes & configurations

- Multiple minima in nuclear potential energy surfaces all at different deformations
- Small changes in neutron number may lead to rapid changes in nuclear shape
- Experimental input vital for constraining our models



Yao, Bender & Heenen, PRC **87**, 034322 (2013)

Charge radii in region near “magic” Pb (Z=82)



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Rapid onsets of deformation

Cocolios *et al.*, PRL **106**, 052503 (2011)

Isomer shifts show shape coexistence

Barzakh *et al.*, PRC **88**, 1 (2013)

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Large jumps and staggers, competition in ground state

Bonn *et al.*, PLB **38**, 308 (1972)

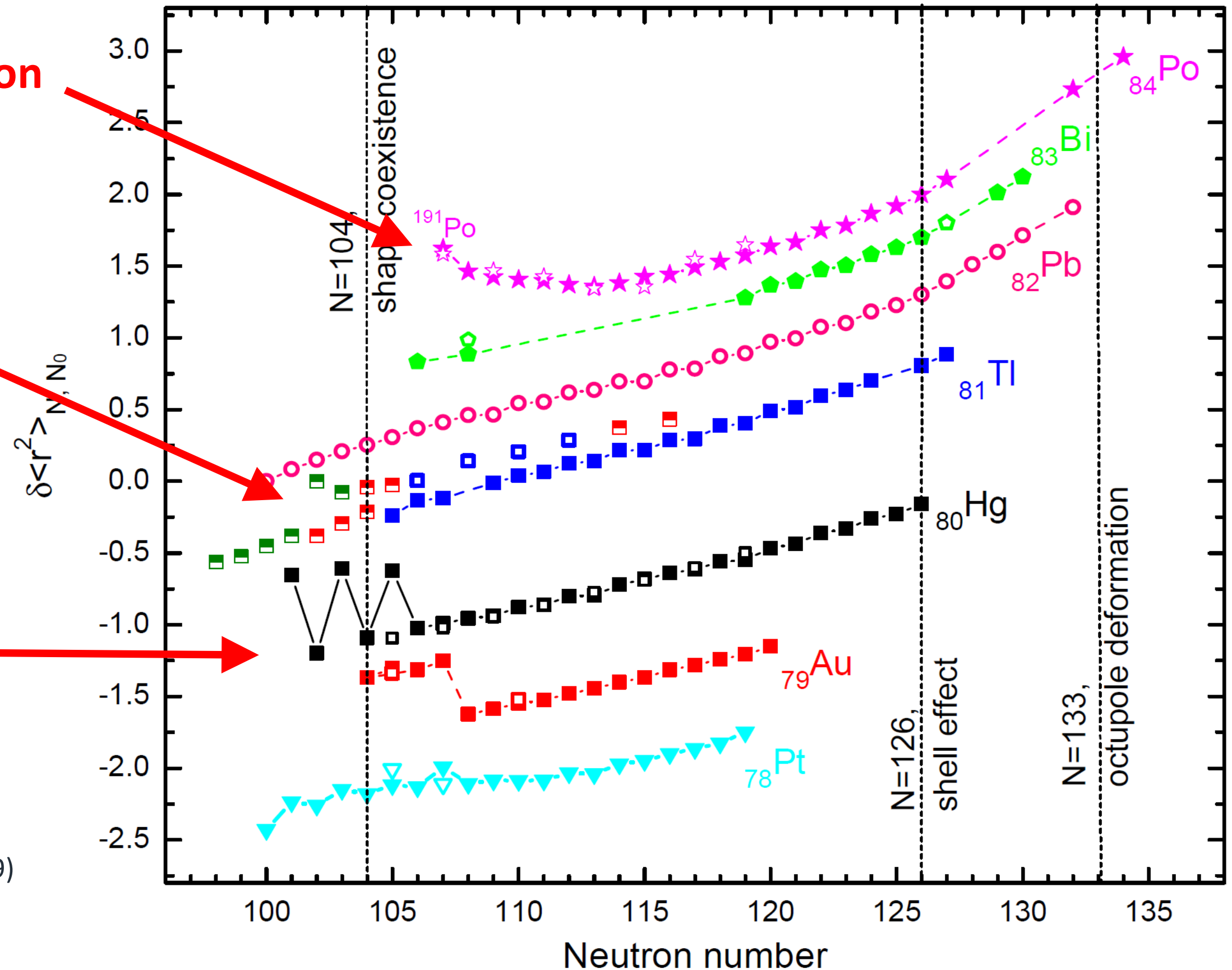
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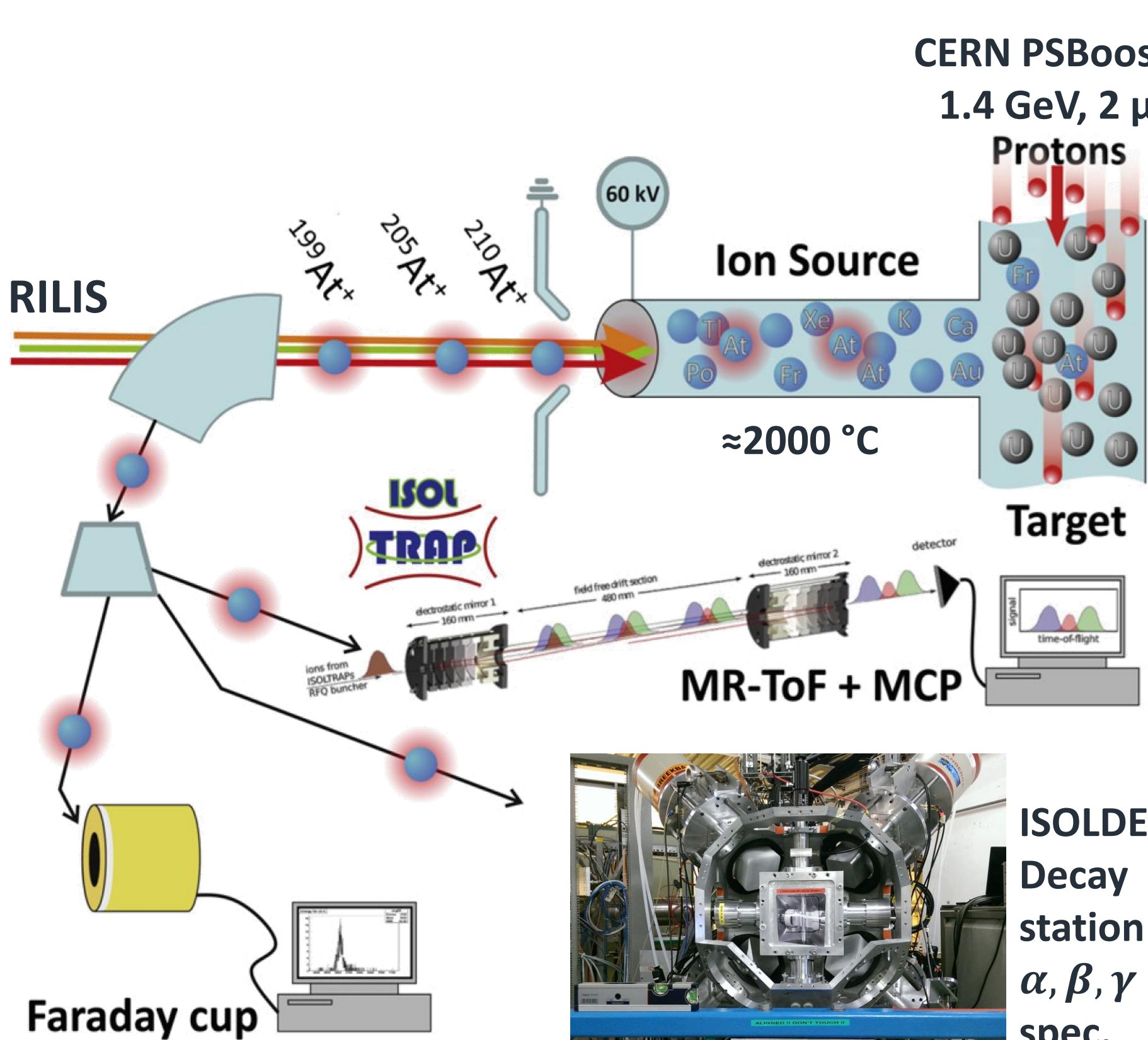
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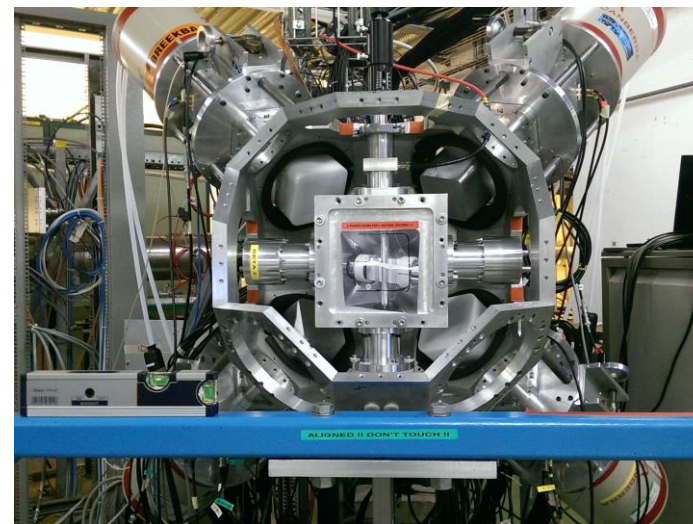
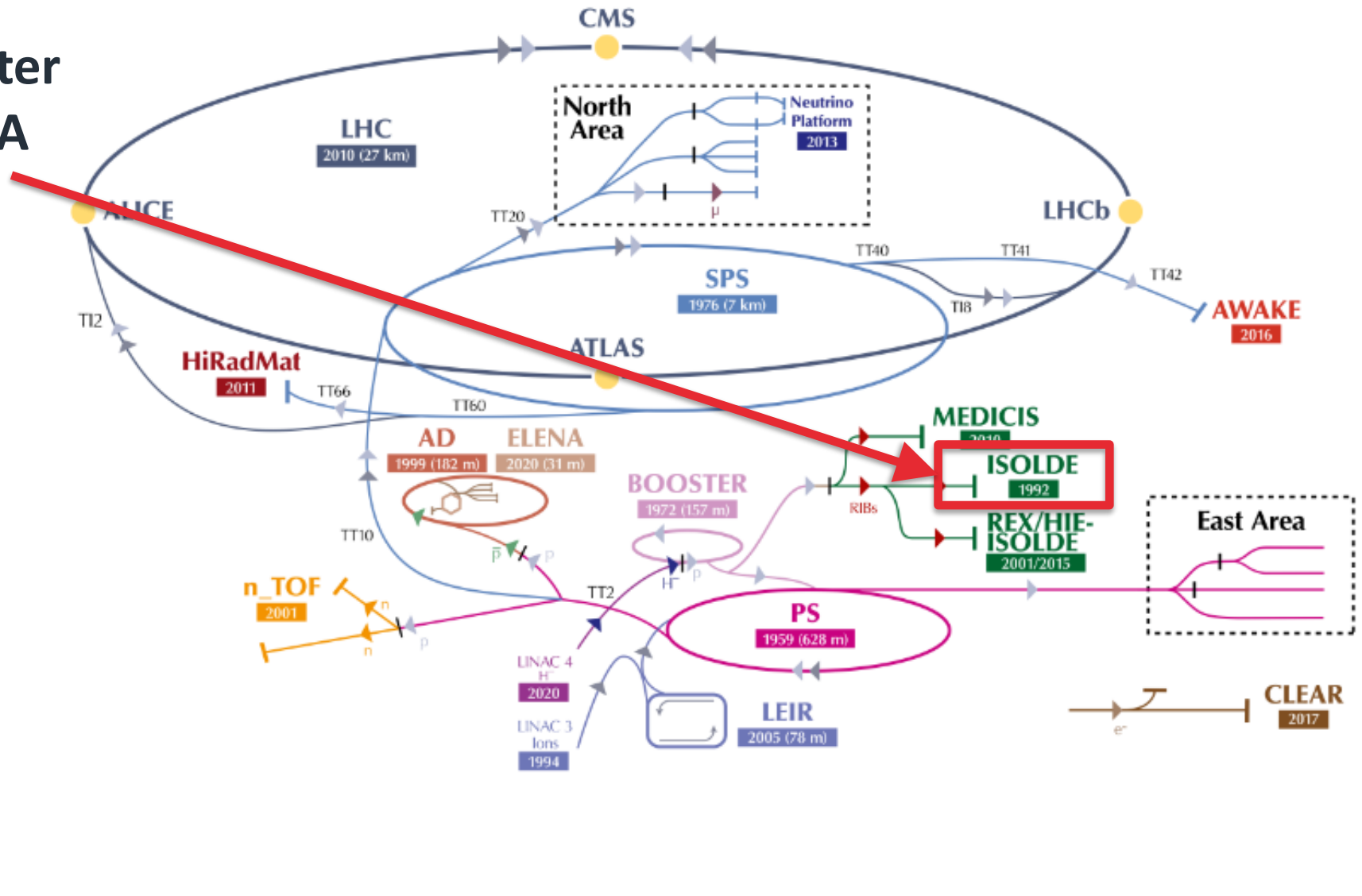
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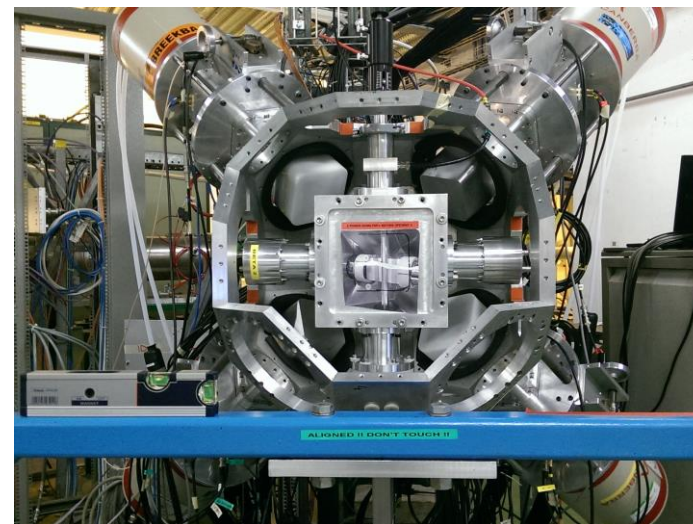
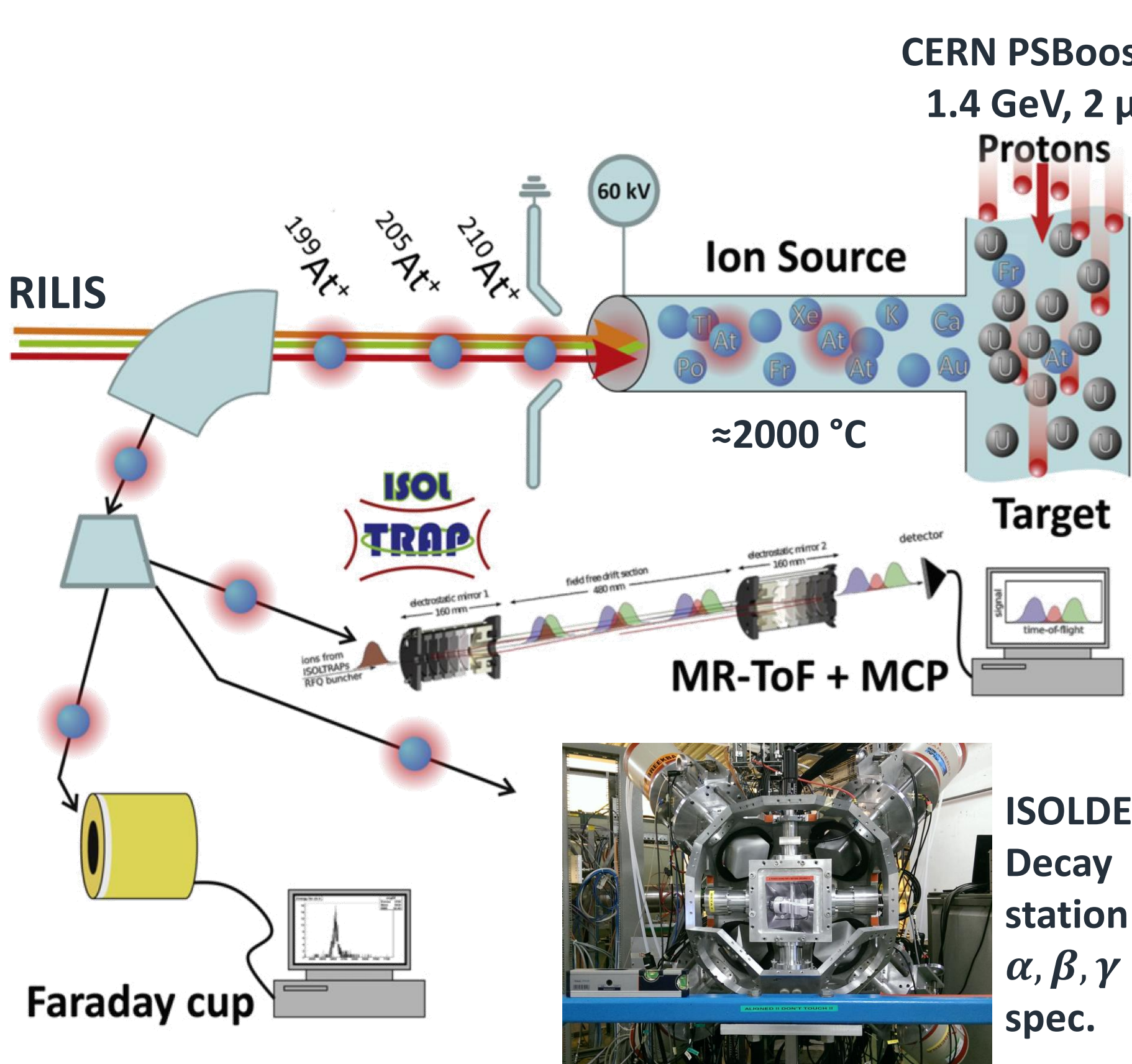


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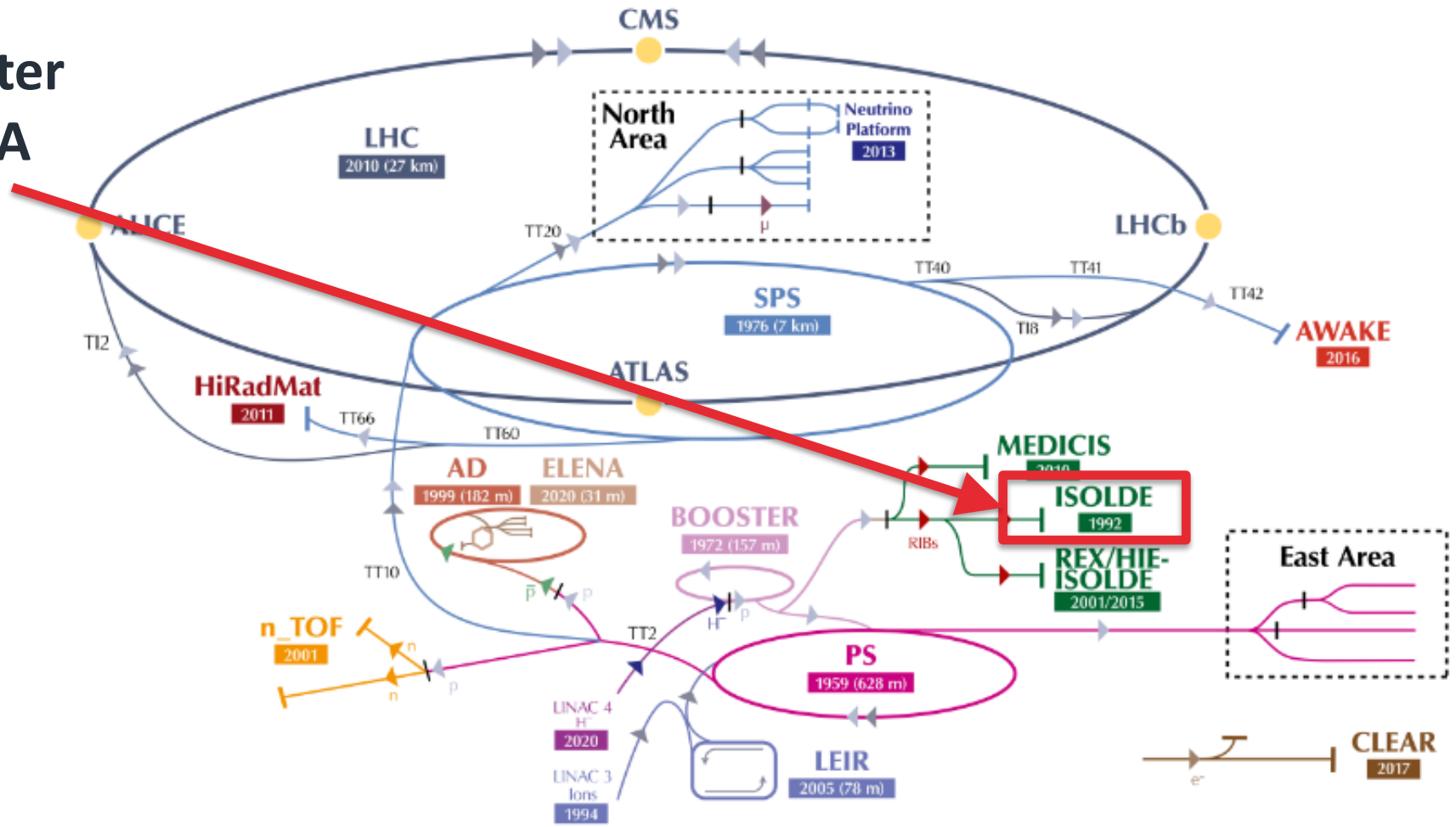


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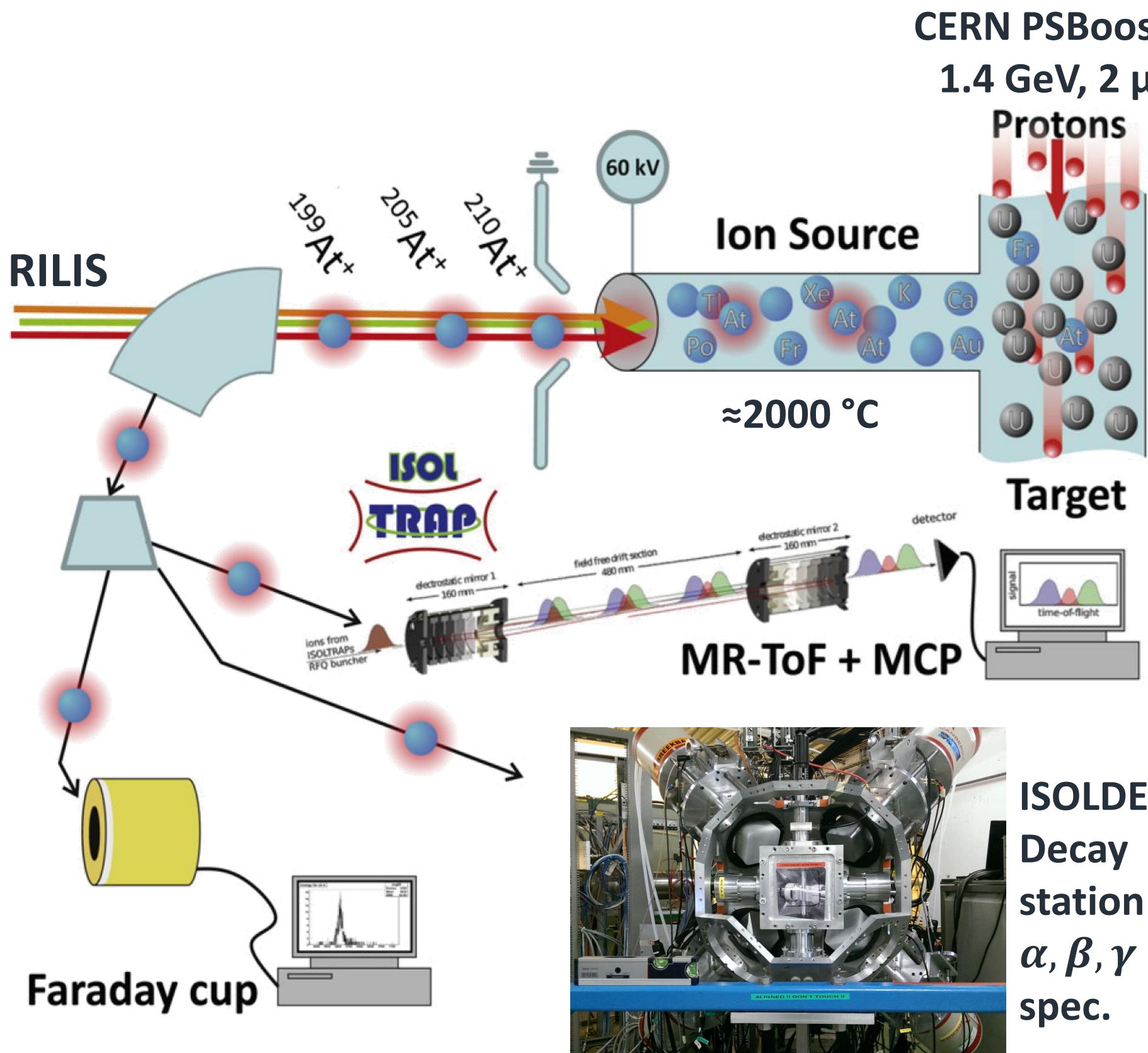
Highly efficient: (>0.01 ions/s)
Low resolution observables:

$\delta\langle r^2 \rangle^{A,A'}$ - mean-squared charge radius
Radial extent of proton wavefunction
 μ - mag. dipole moment
Config. of unpaired nucleons

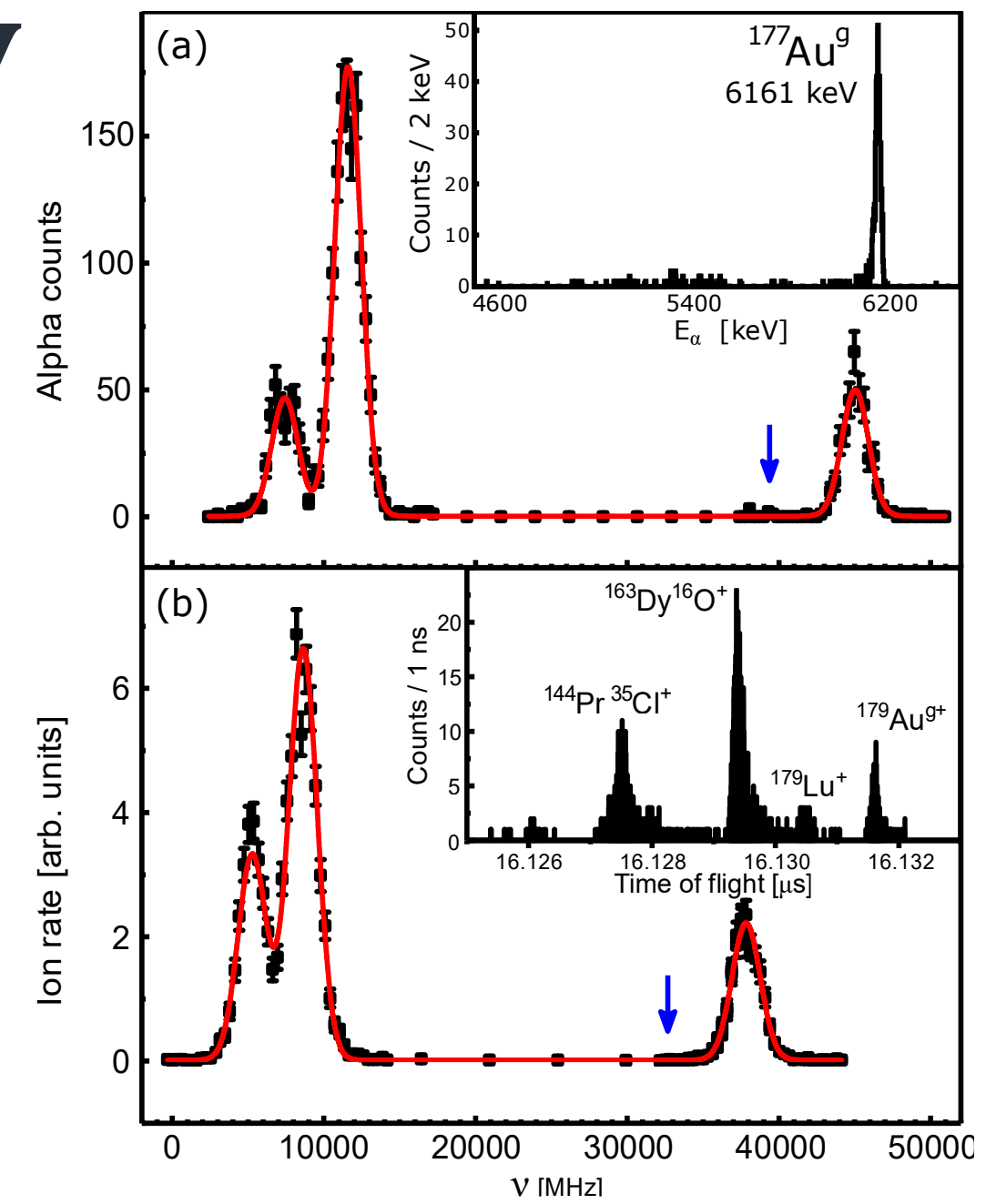
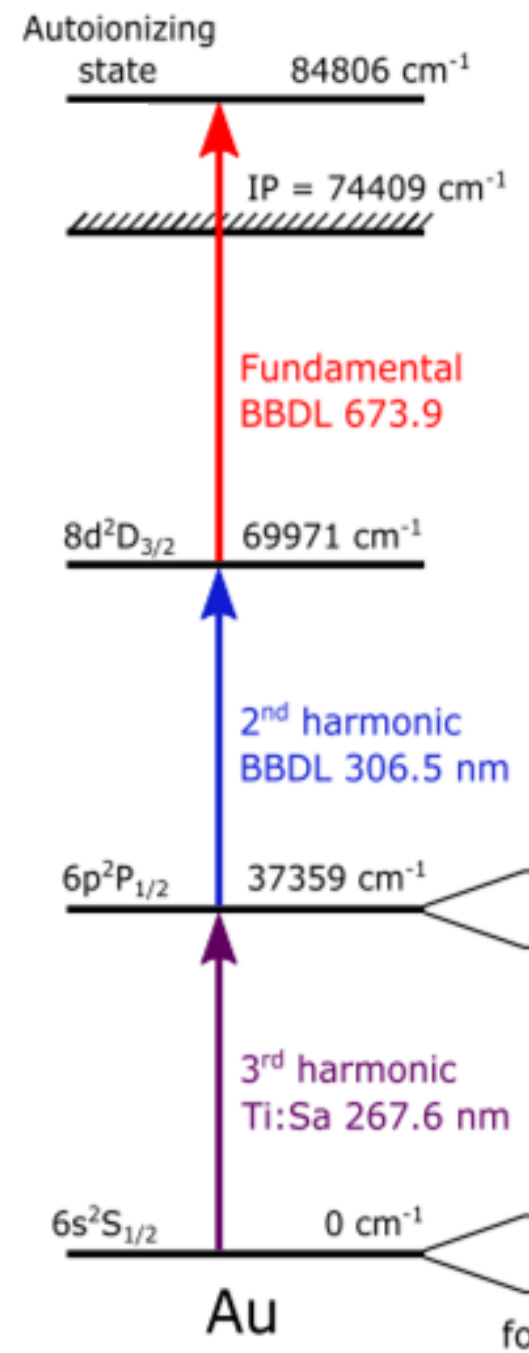
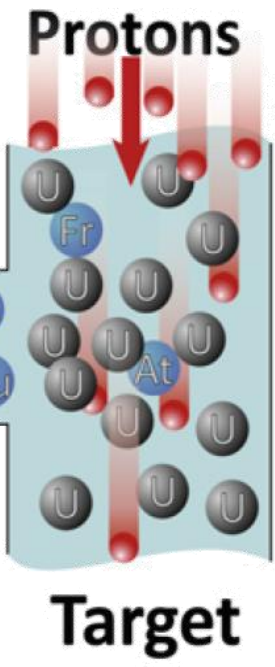
~~Q - electric quad. moment
Probes shape of the nucleus~~

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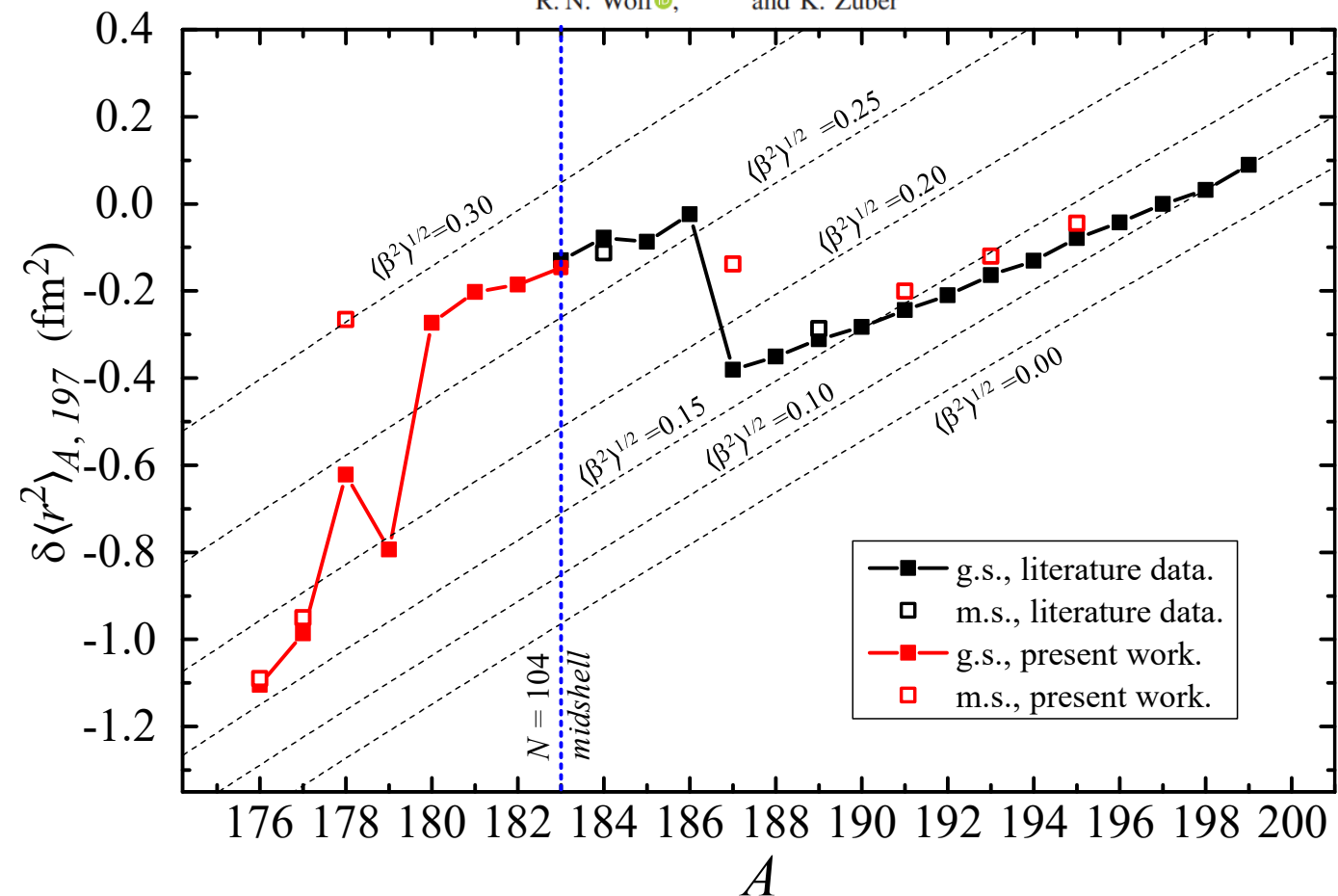
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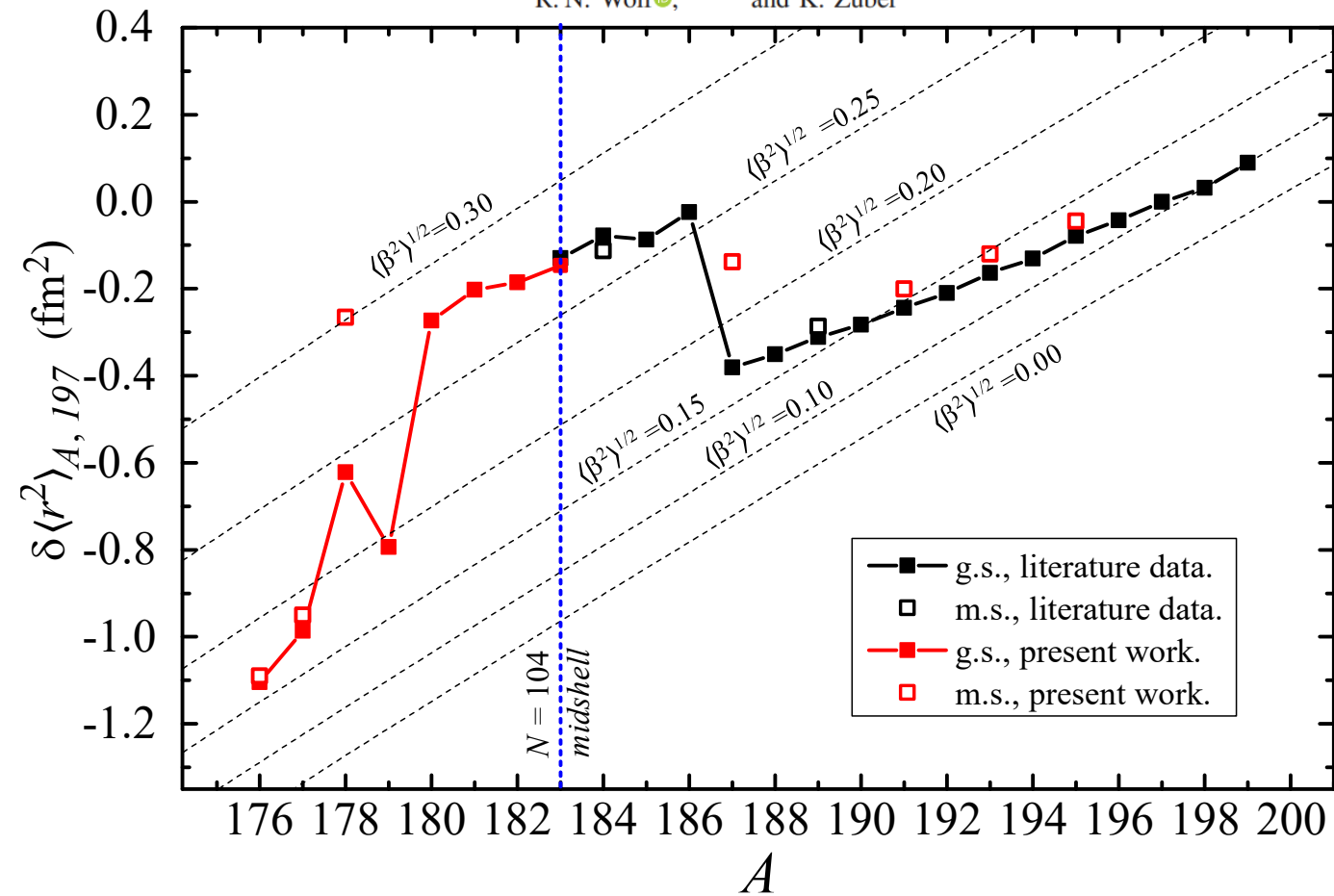
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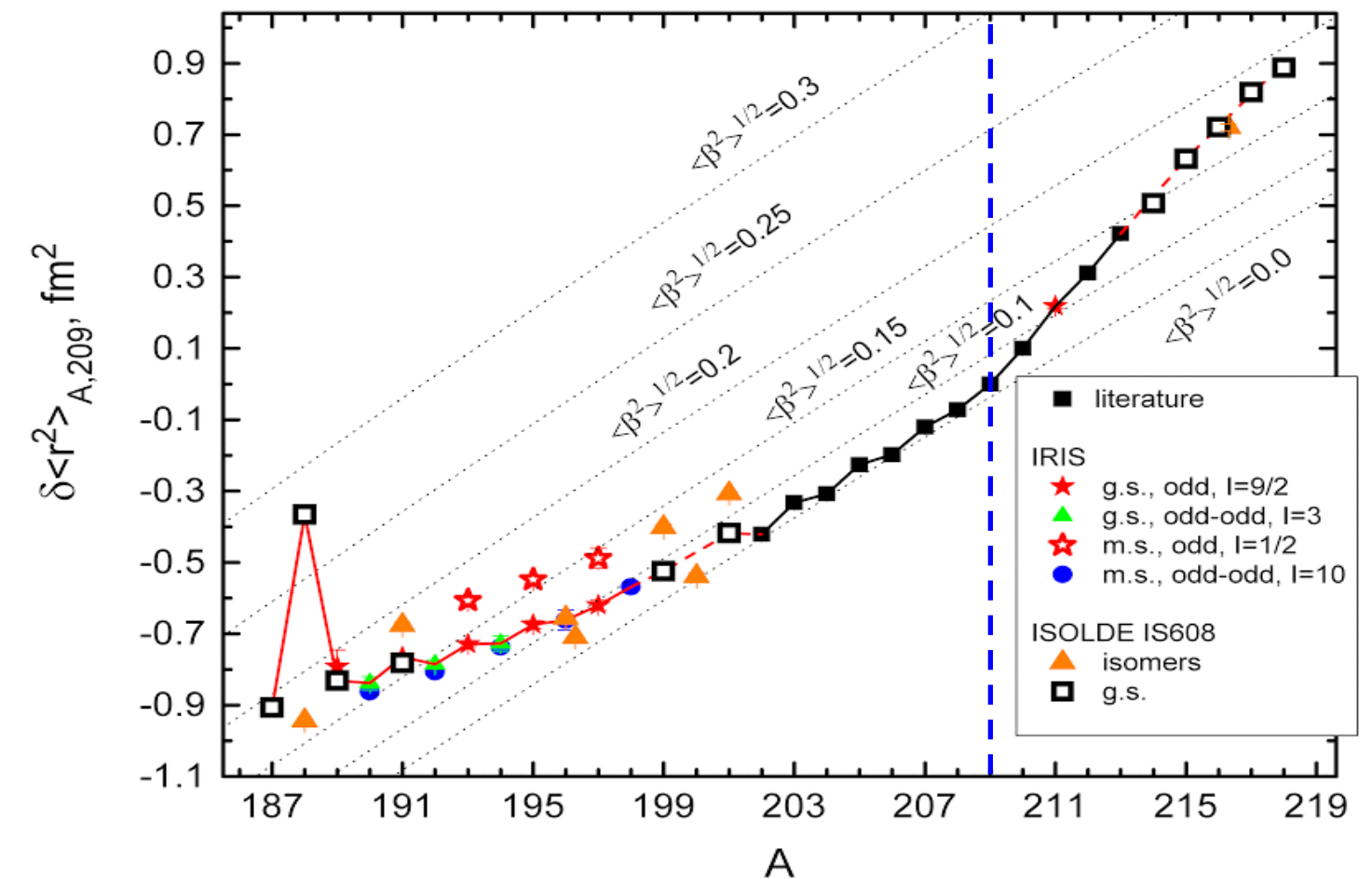
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189-209Bi – follow the spherical Pb trend

Large isomer shifts in odd-A nuclei – coexistence.

188Bi (N=105) – Large stagger!

Kink at N=126 – shelf effect.

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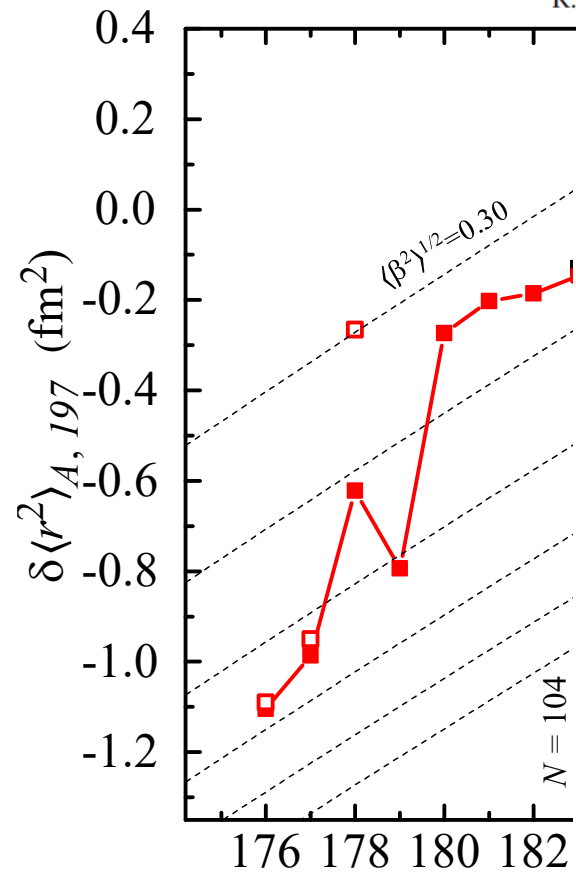
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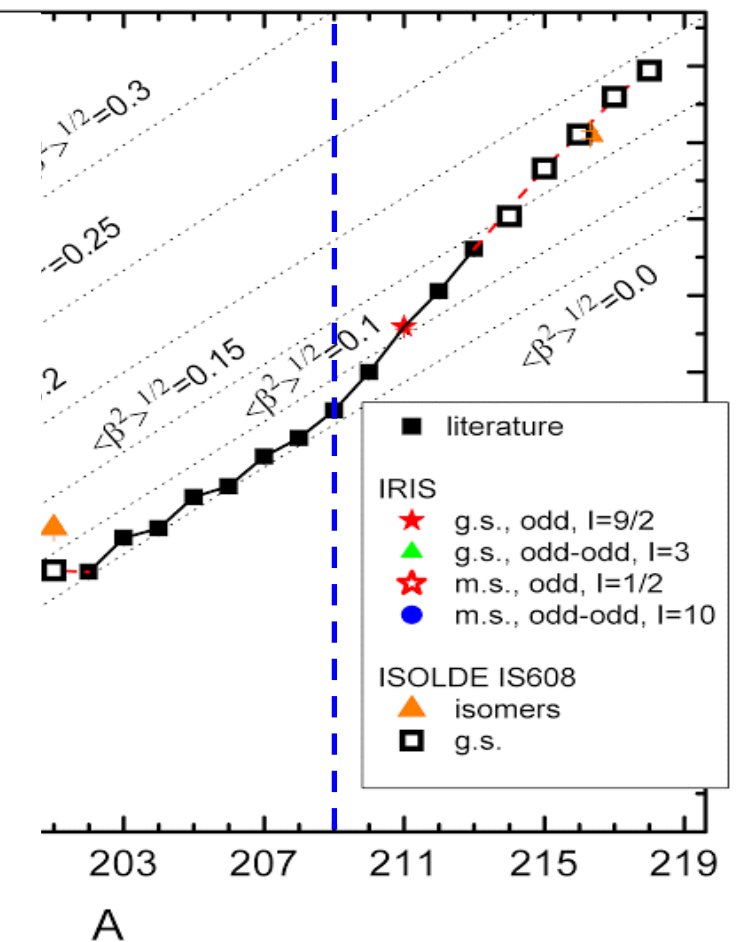
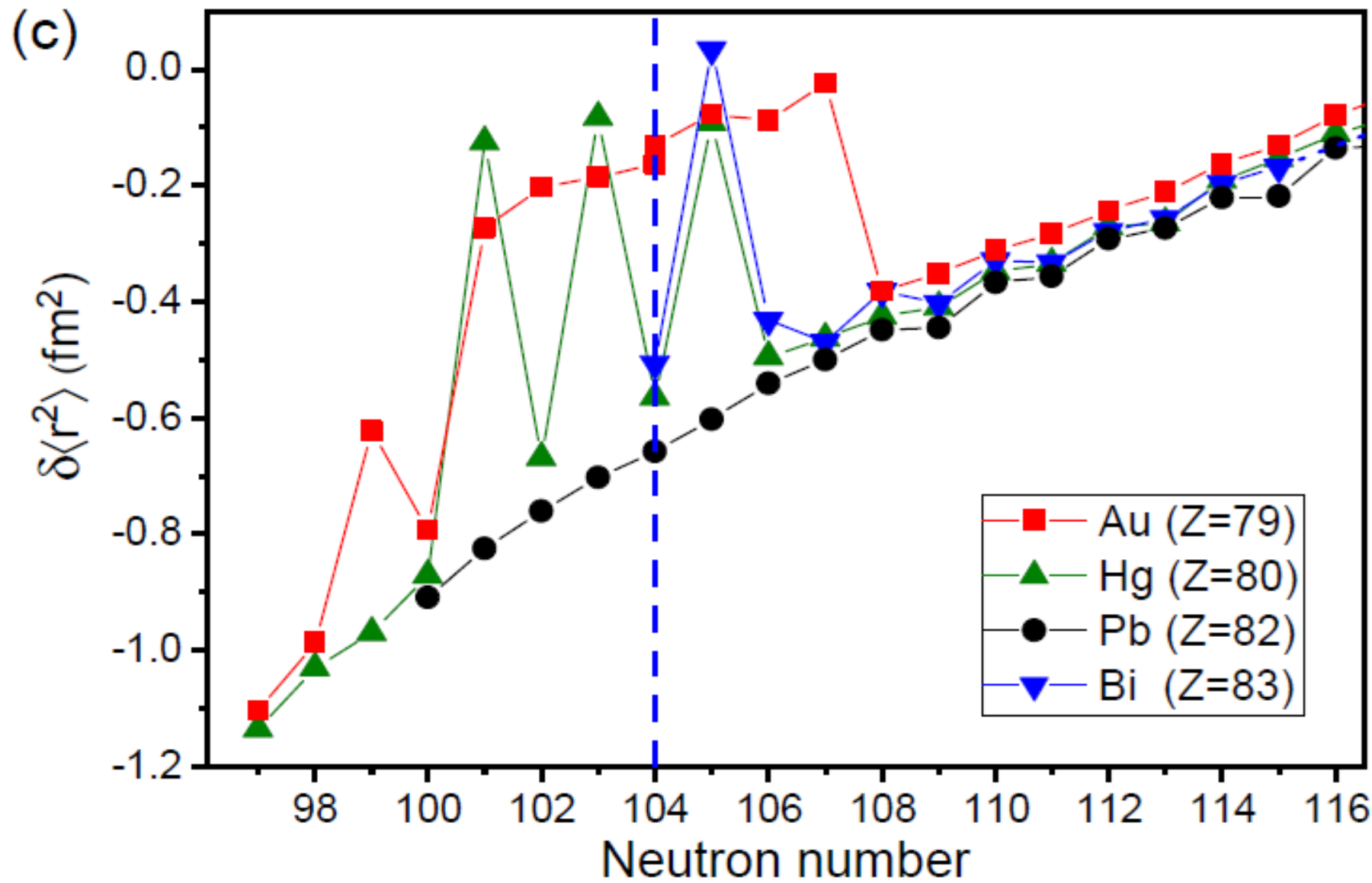
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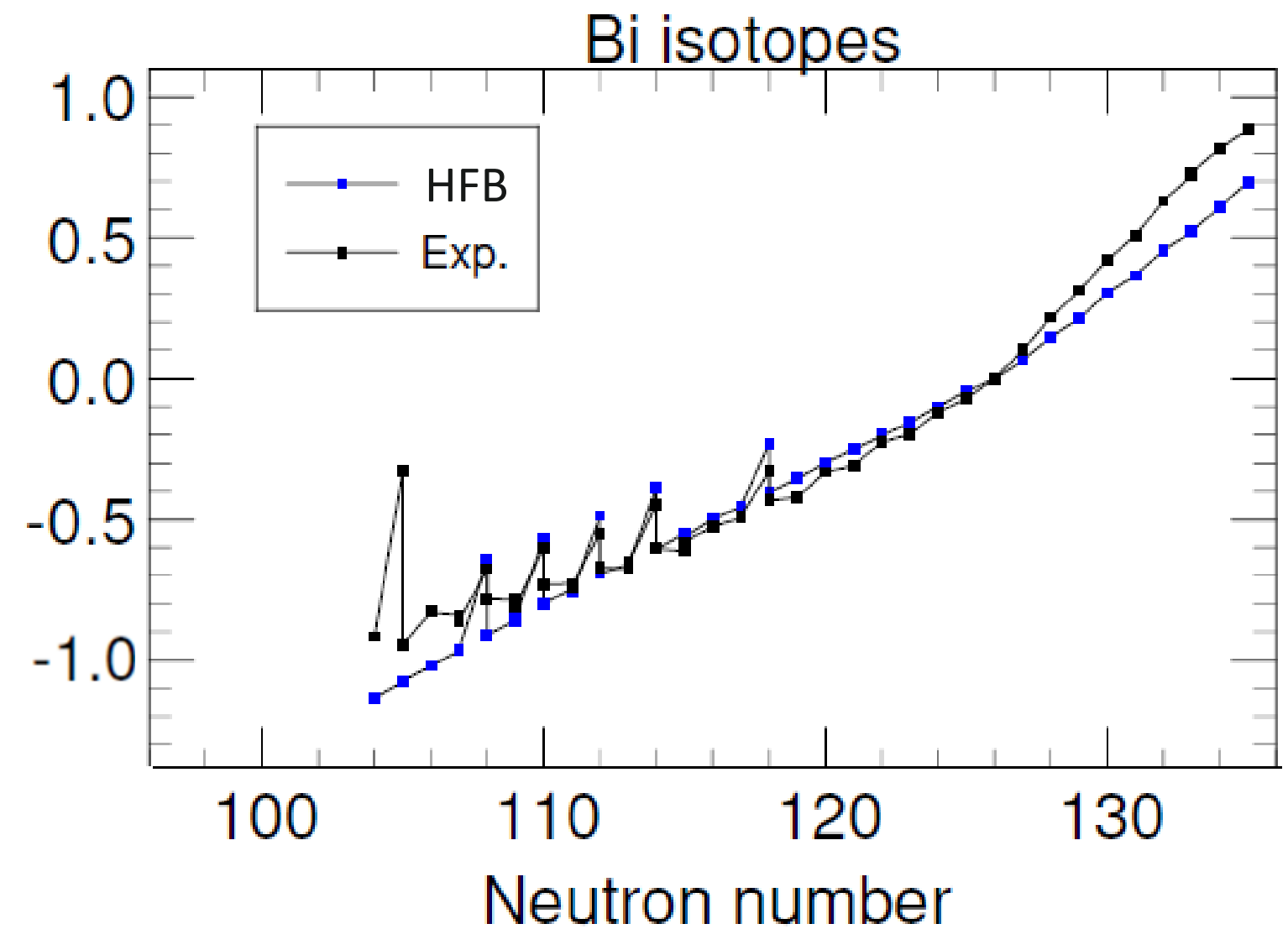
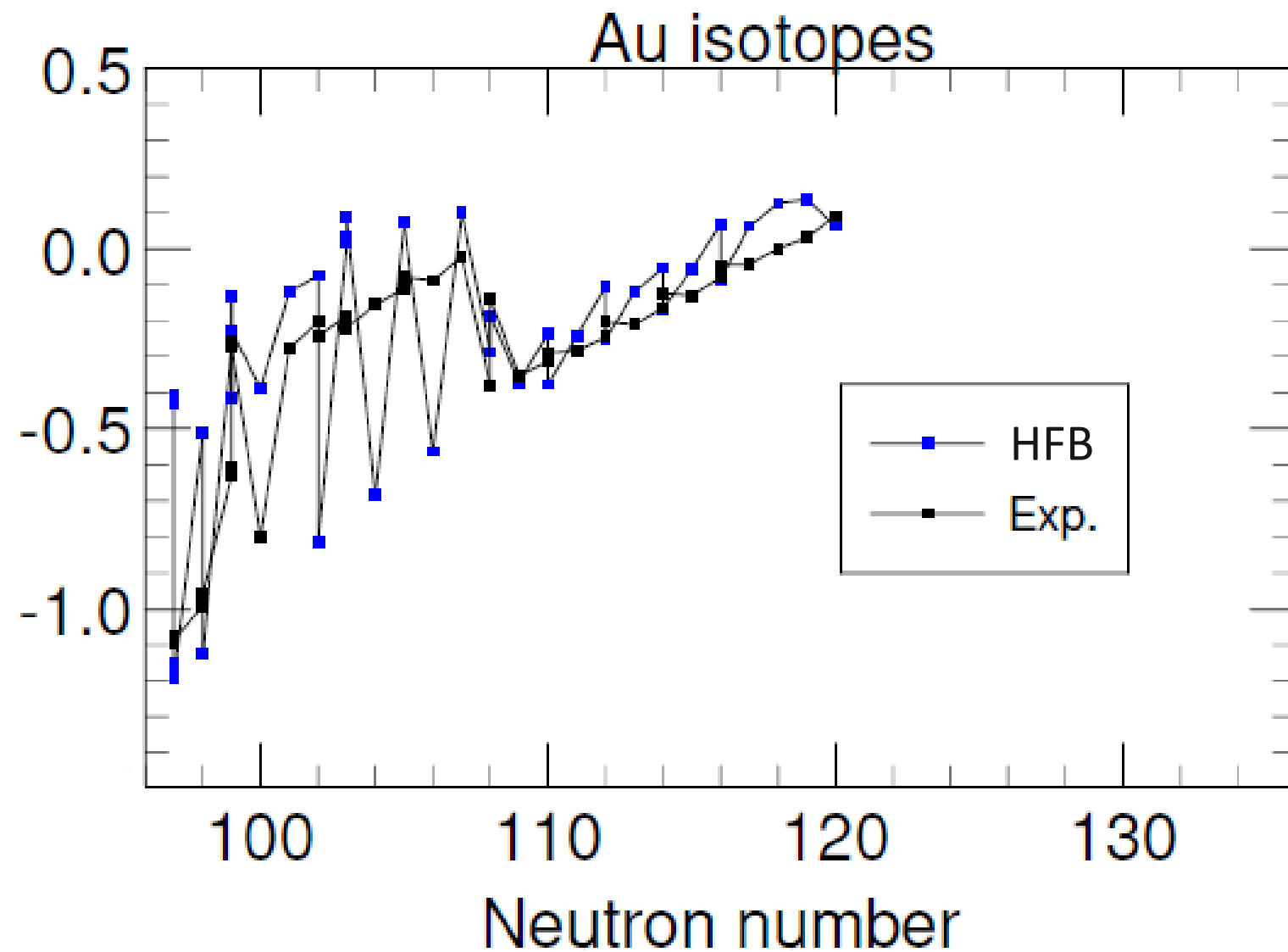
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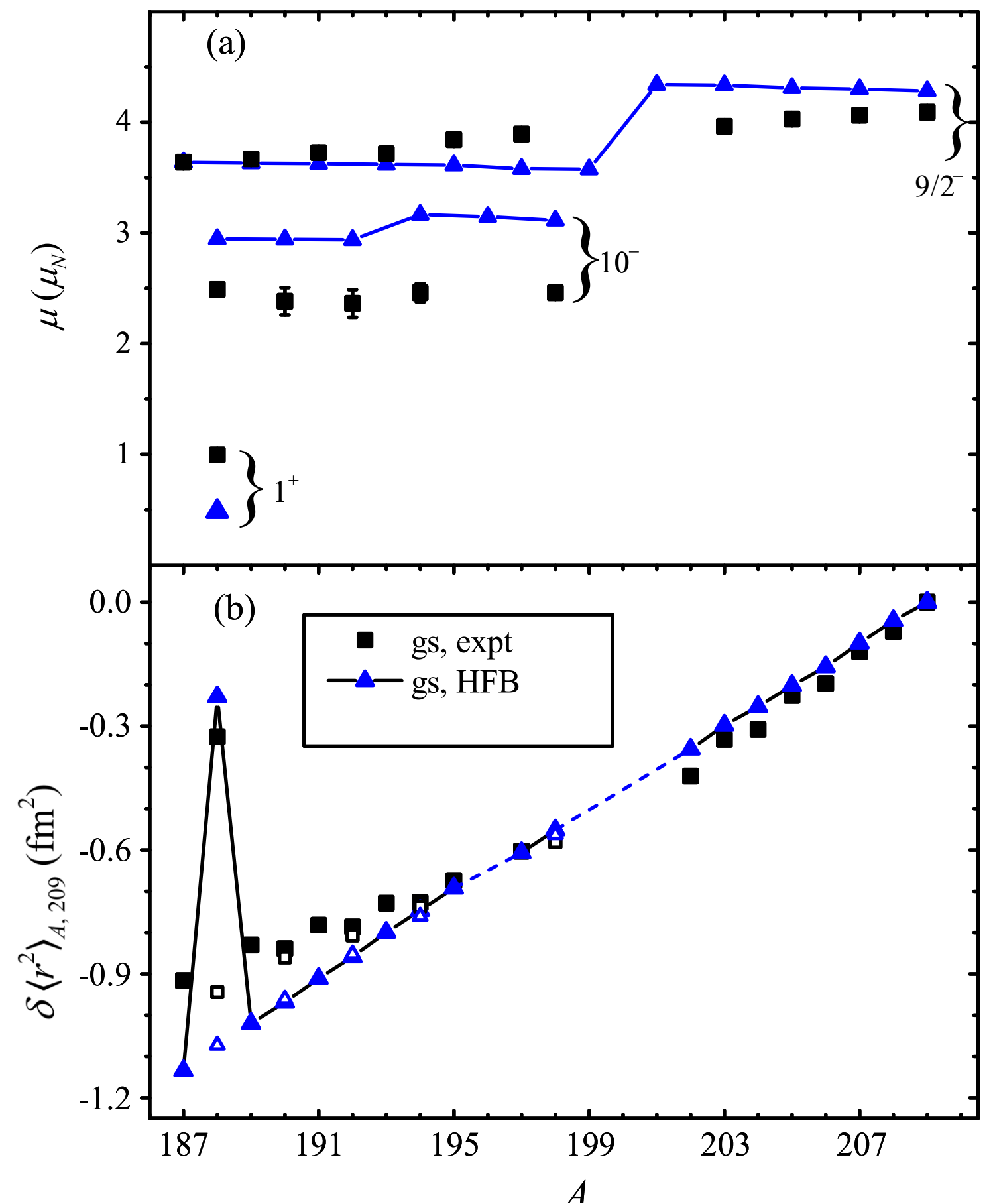
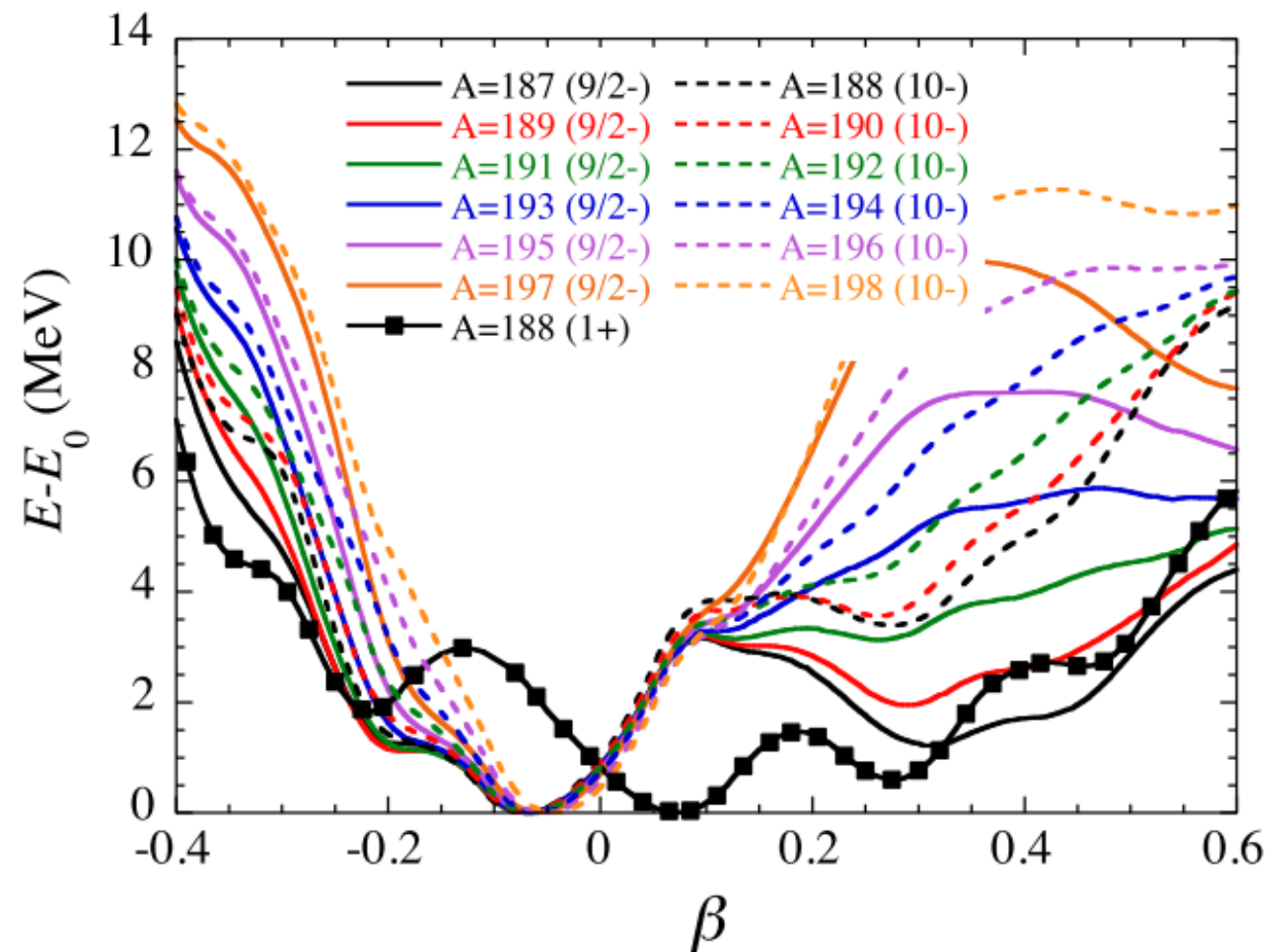
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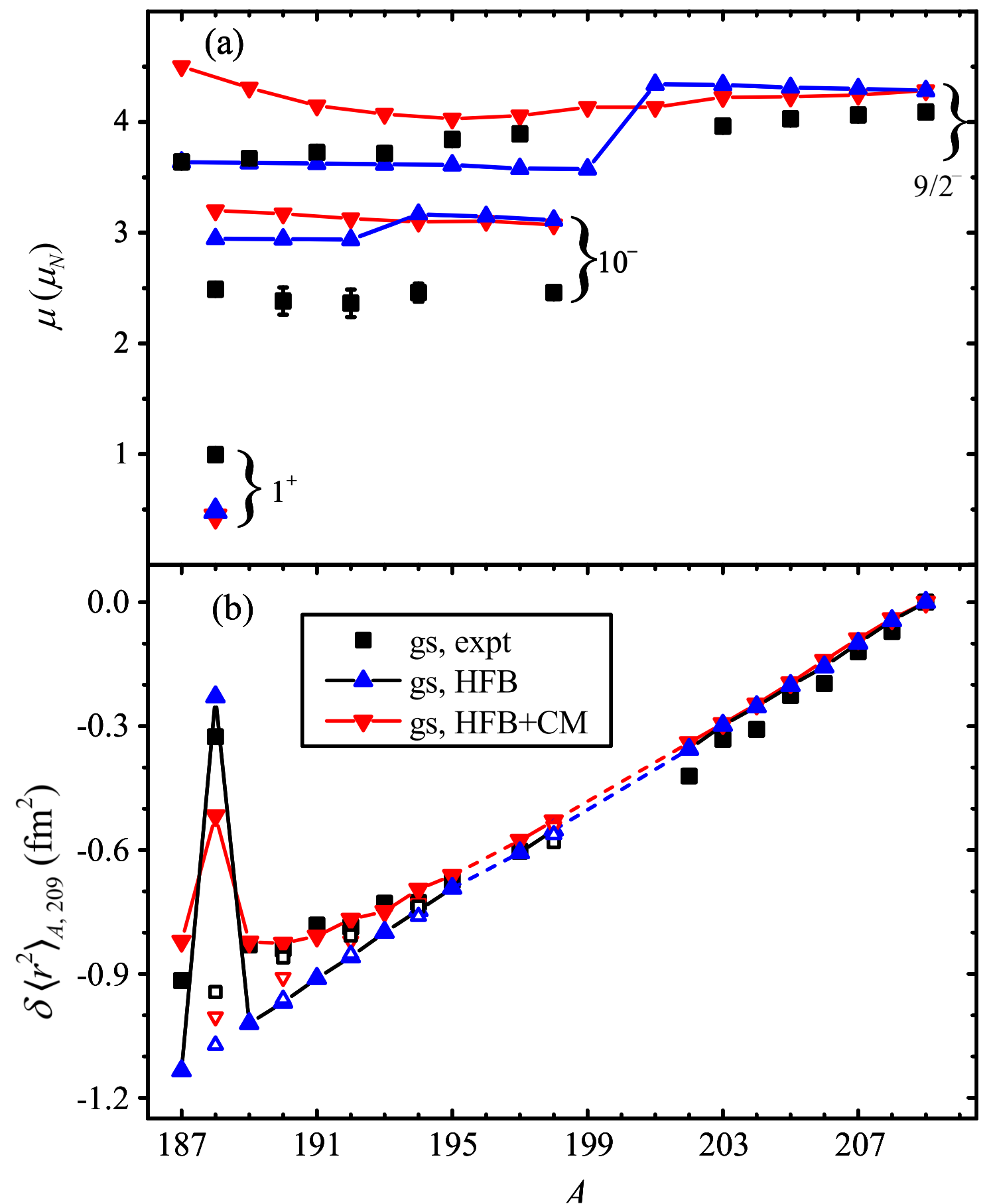
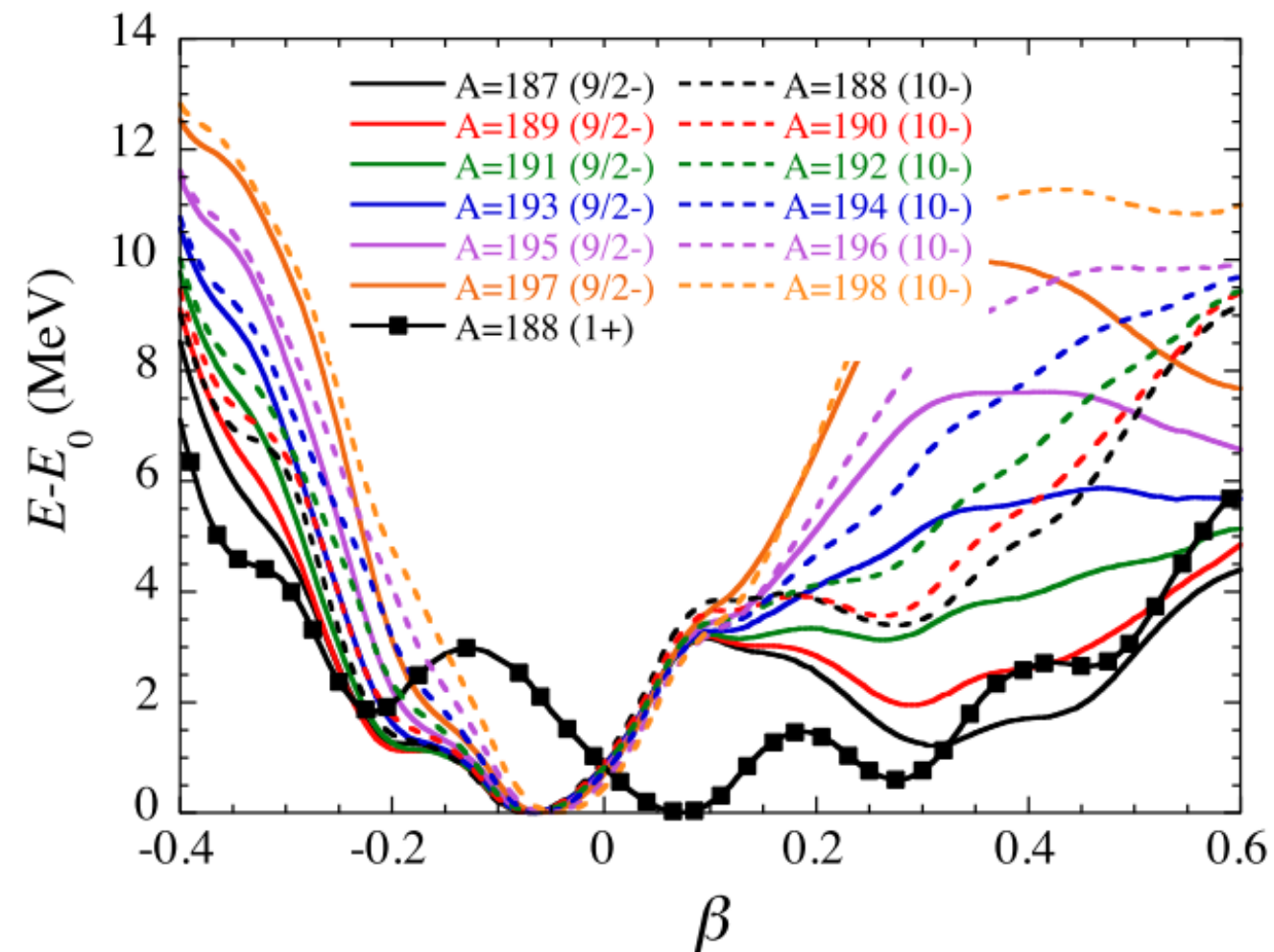
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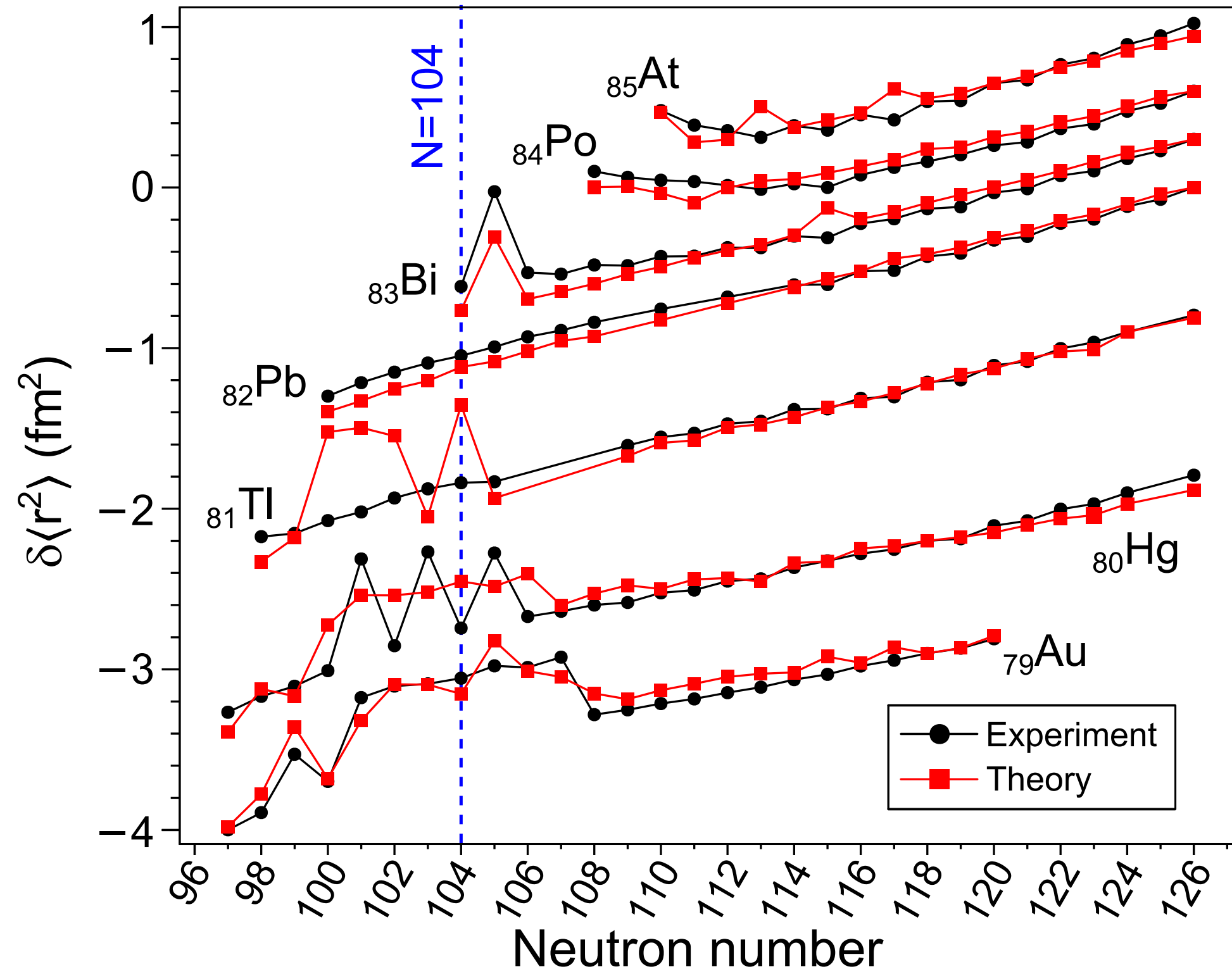


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Charge-radii across the lead region, from Au to At (Z=79 to 85)

- Try applying same approach to proton-rich ground states of all chains we have measured (Z=79-85, ≈ 150 isotopes)
- All results here include mixing, using same statistical approach
- Exceptions in Tl and Hg chain:
 - Tl, more deformed state with better match with moment
 - Hg, only reproducible by selecting correct sign of deformation

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Shell effects crossing N=126

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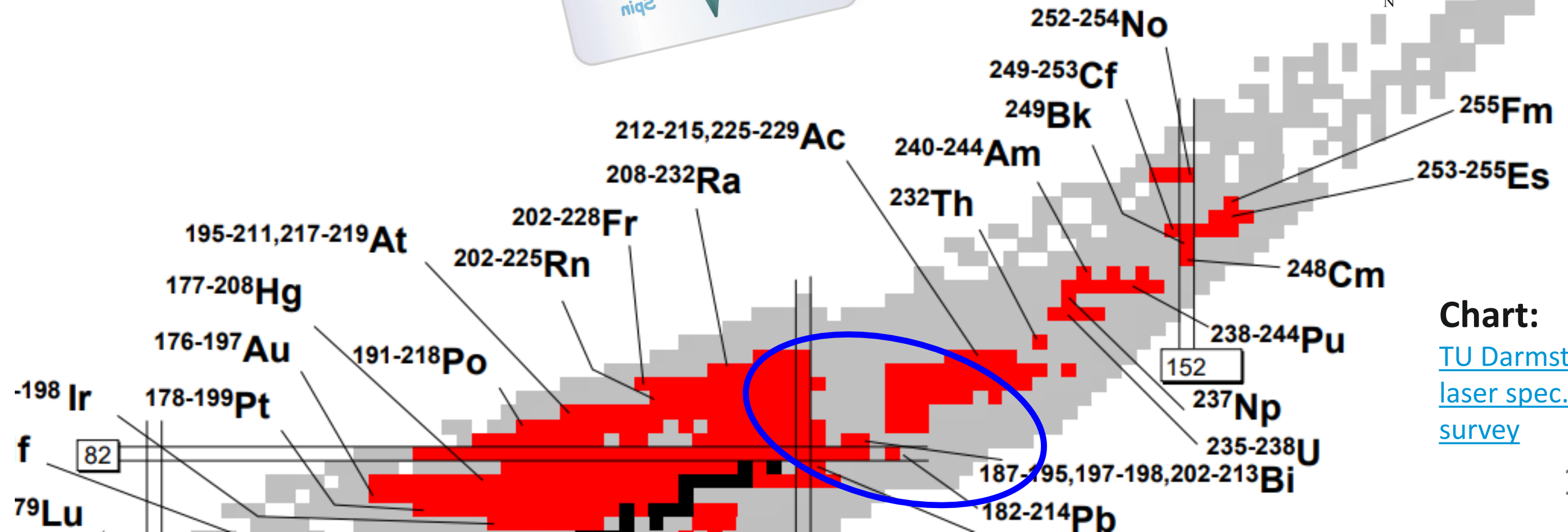
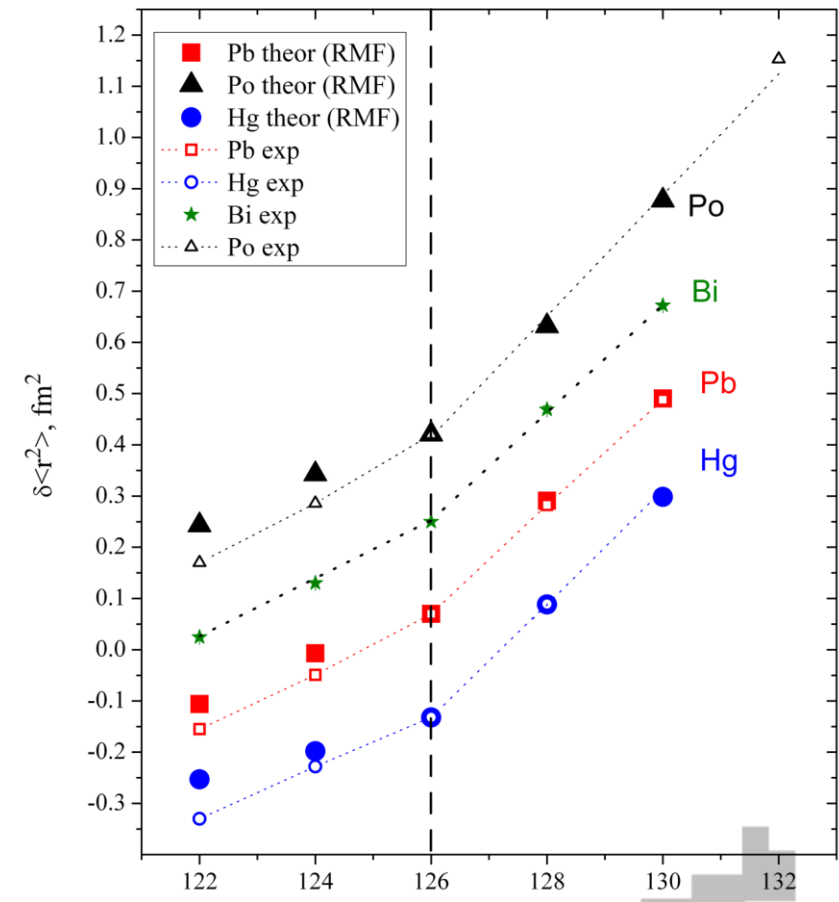


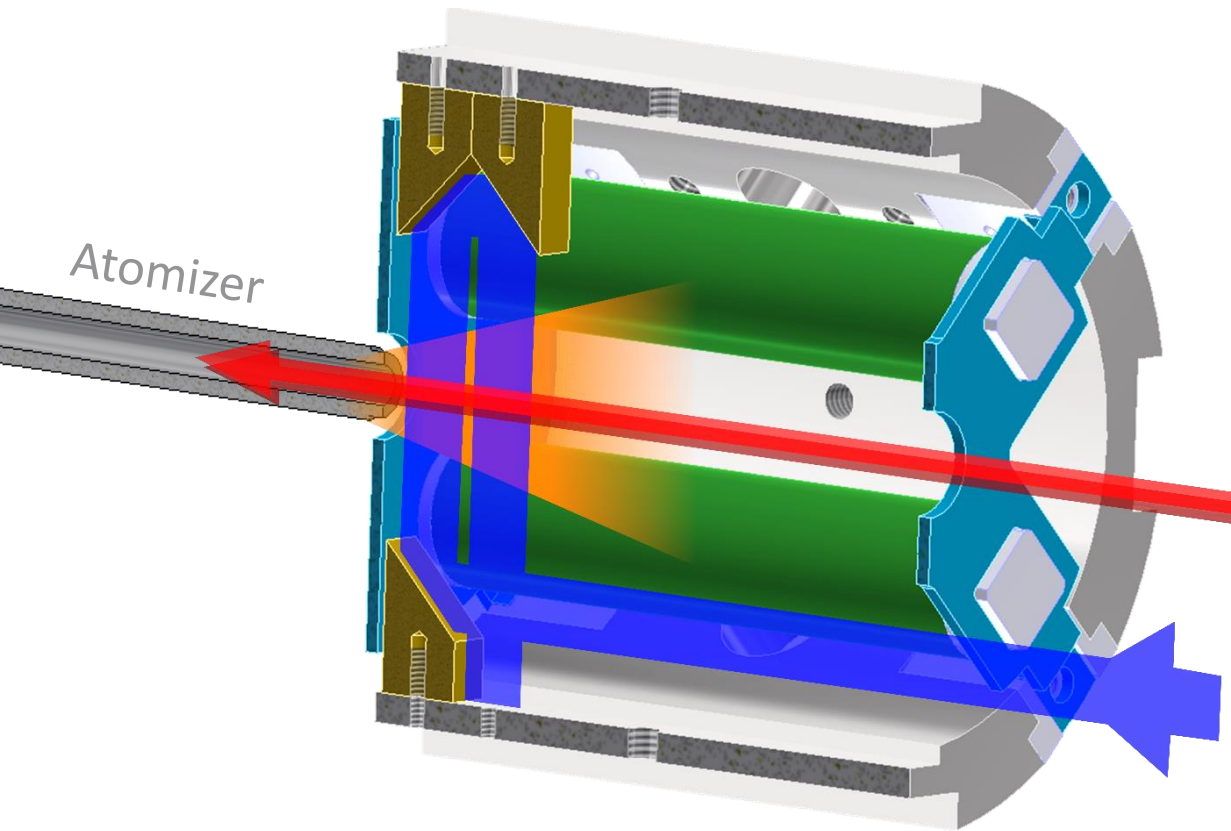
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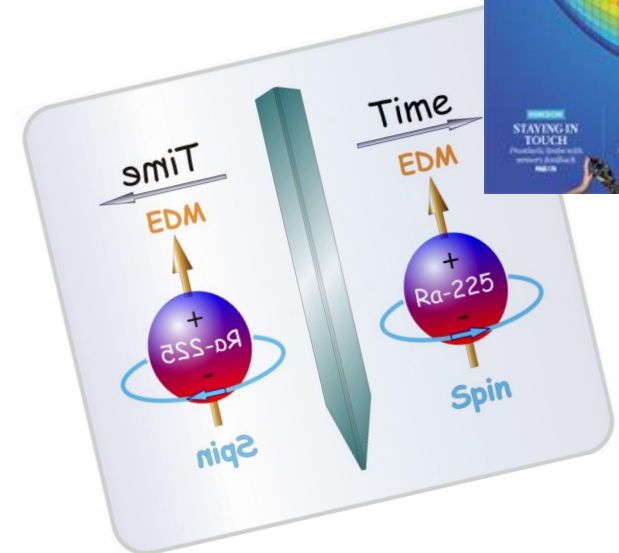
Laser Ion Source and Trap (LIST)

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- Suppresses prohibitive contamination
- High-res. perp. illumination mode (100s MHz)



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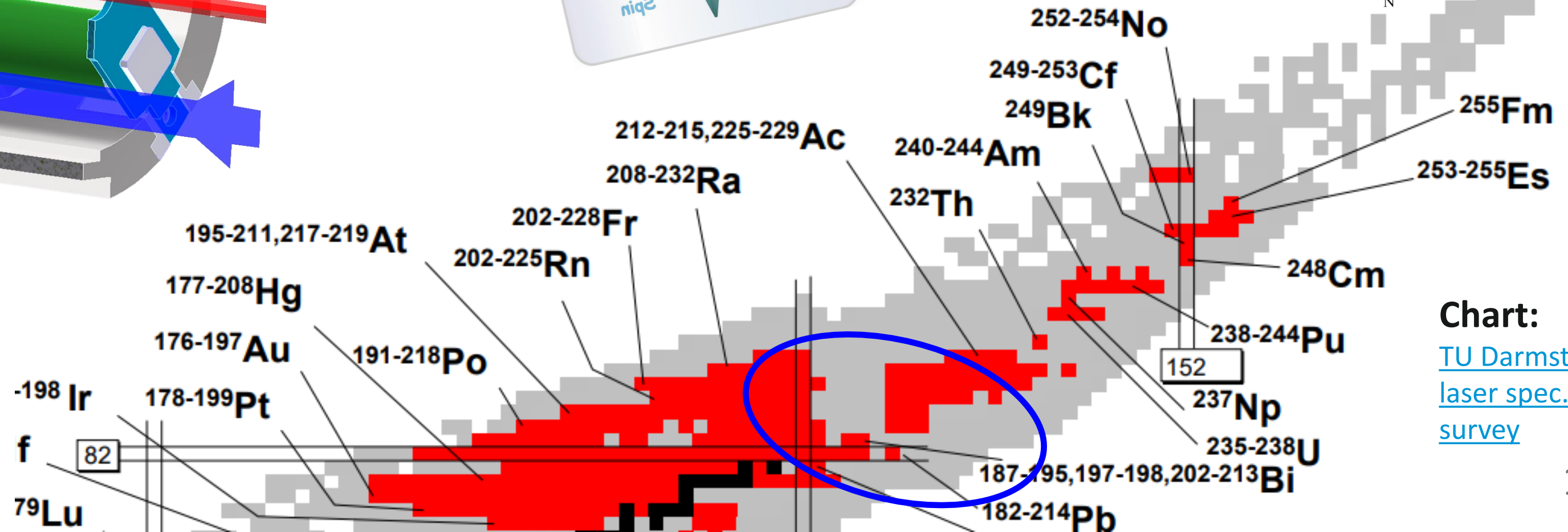
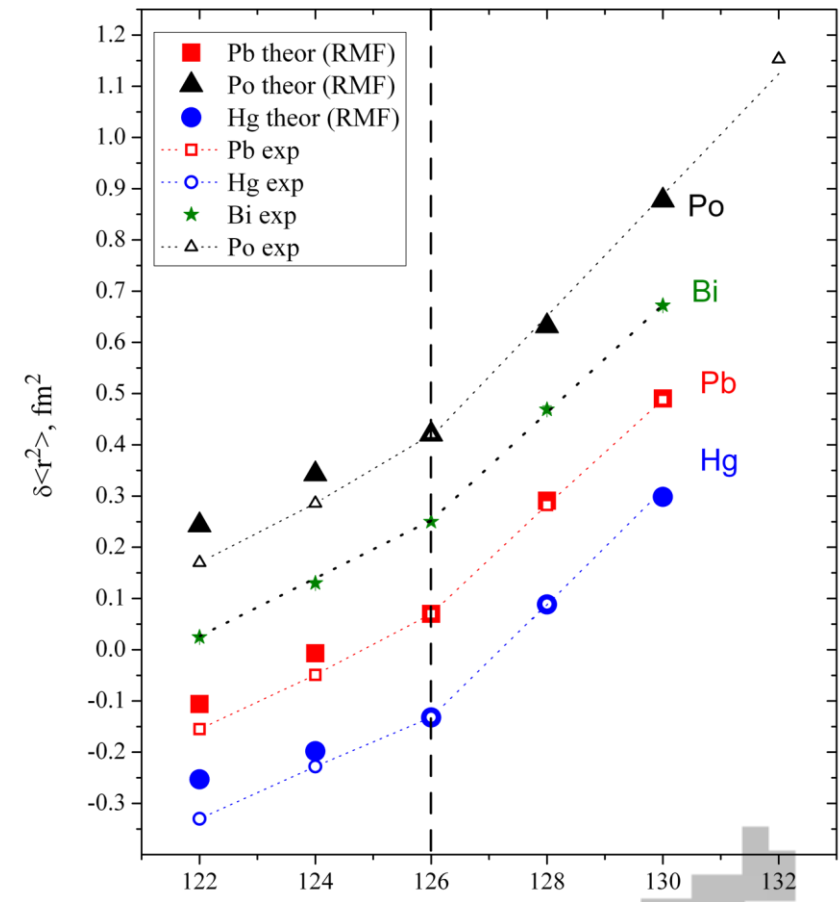
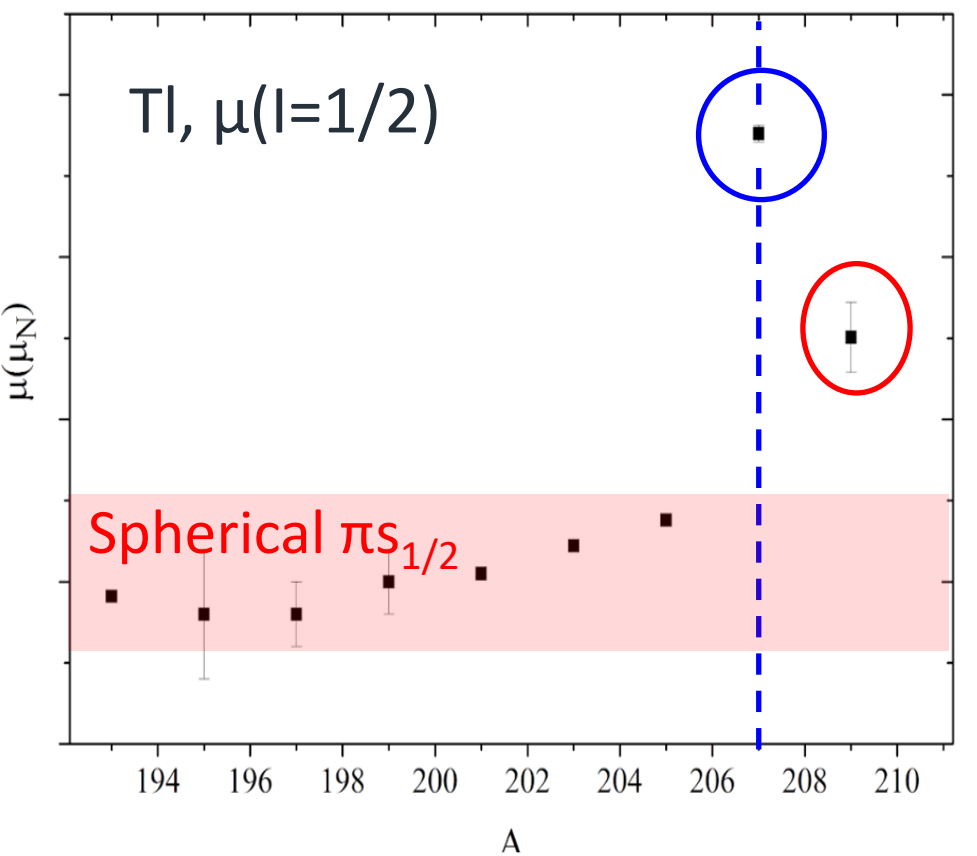
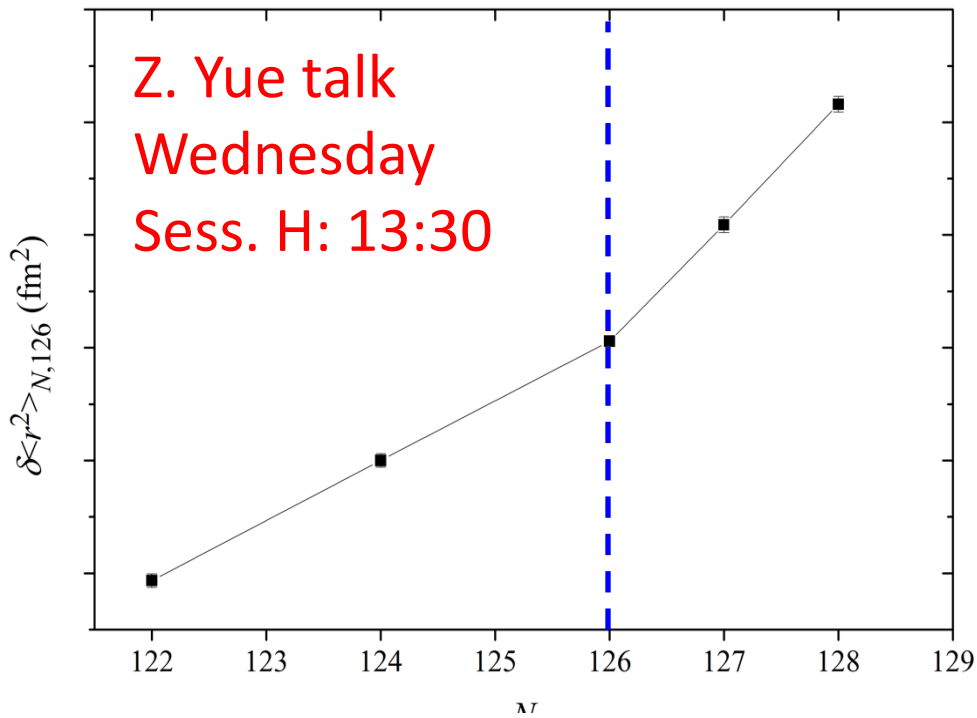


Chart:
TU Darmstadt laser spec. survey

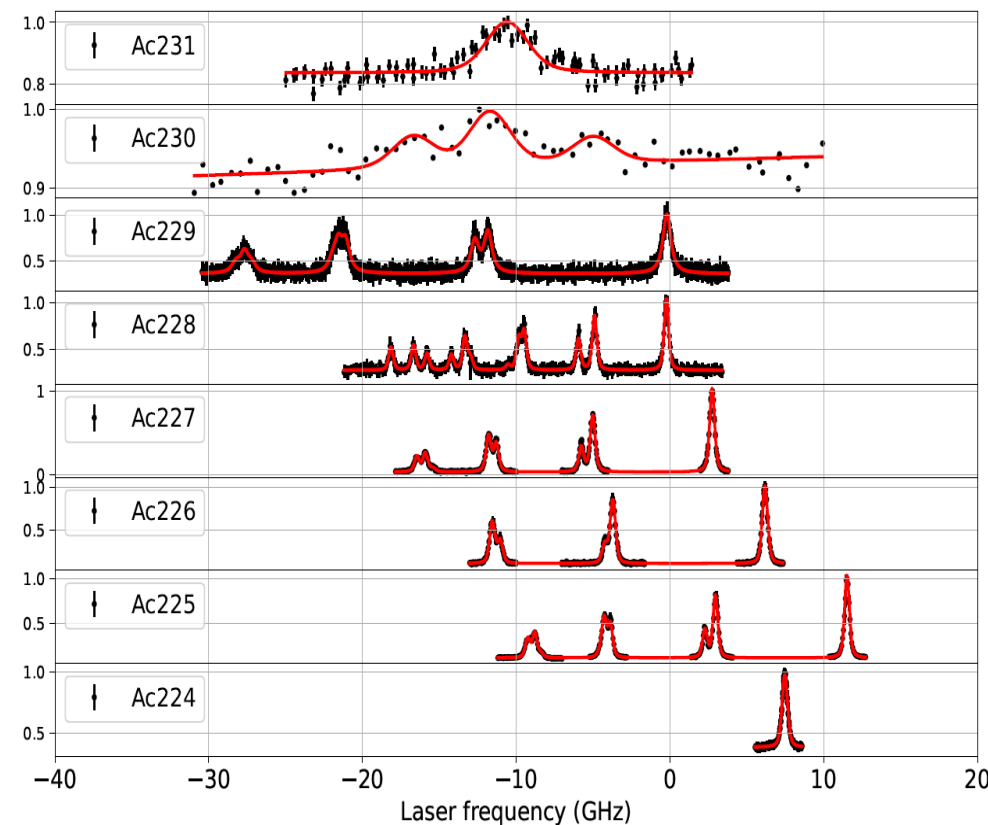
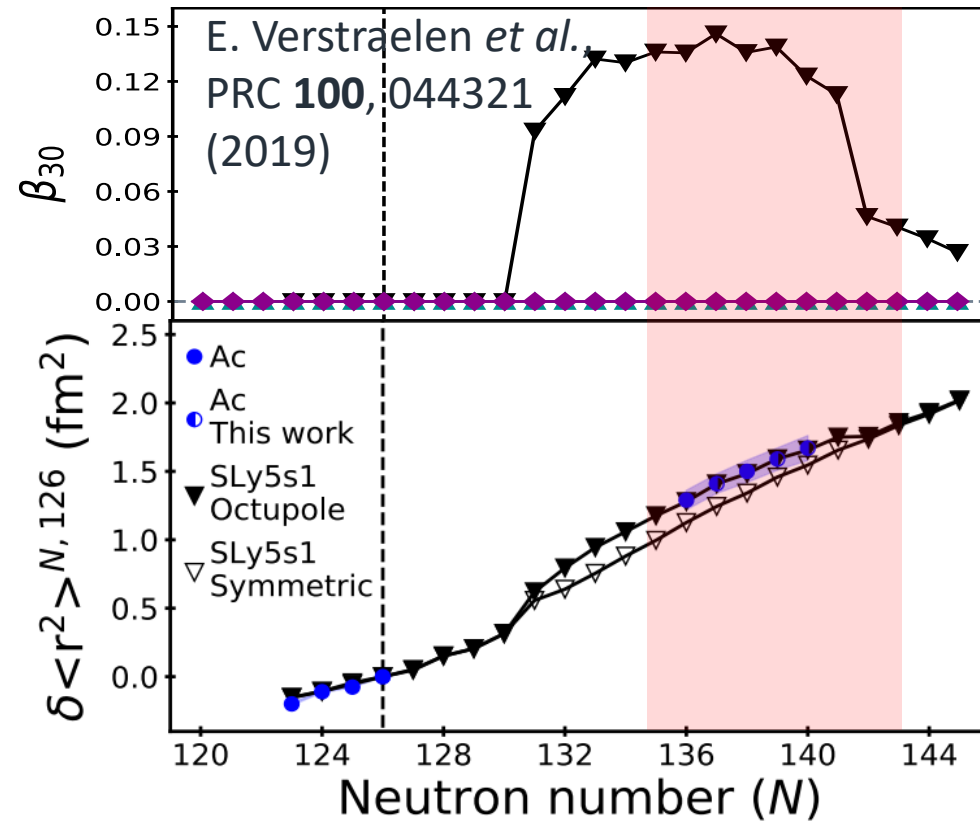
The Laser Ion Source and Trap

Neutron-rich Tl isotopes



Z. Yue *et al.*, PLB **849**, 138452 (2024)

Neutron-rich Actiniums

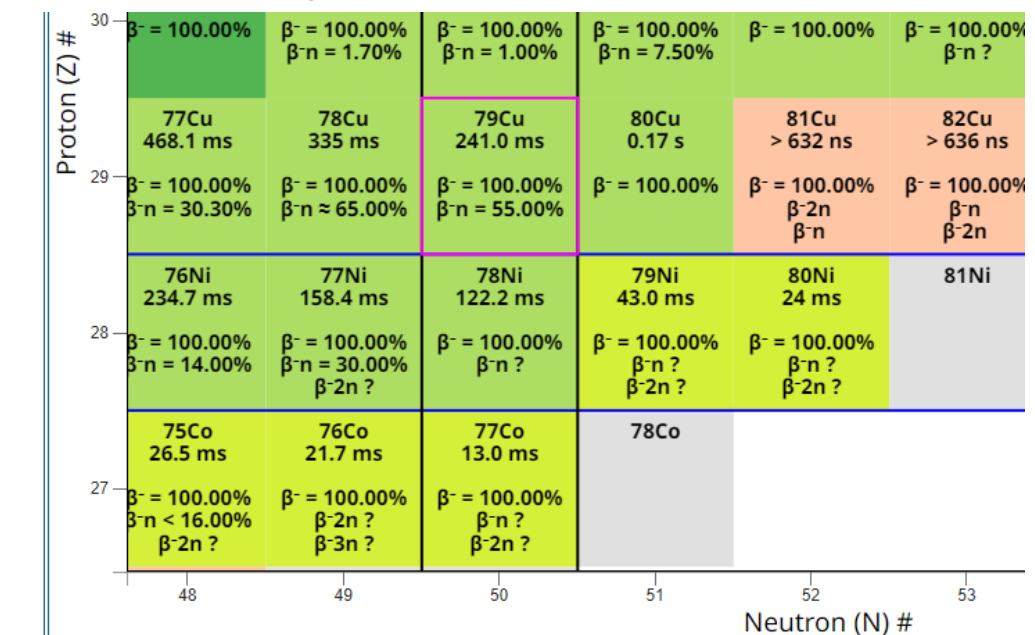


Coming soon:

- Evolution in neutron-rich Hg
- Probing the “kink” in neutron-rich Bi with high-spin isomers



Laser spec. of $^{79,80}\text{Cu}$

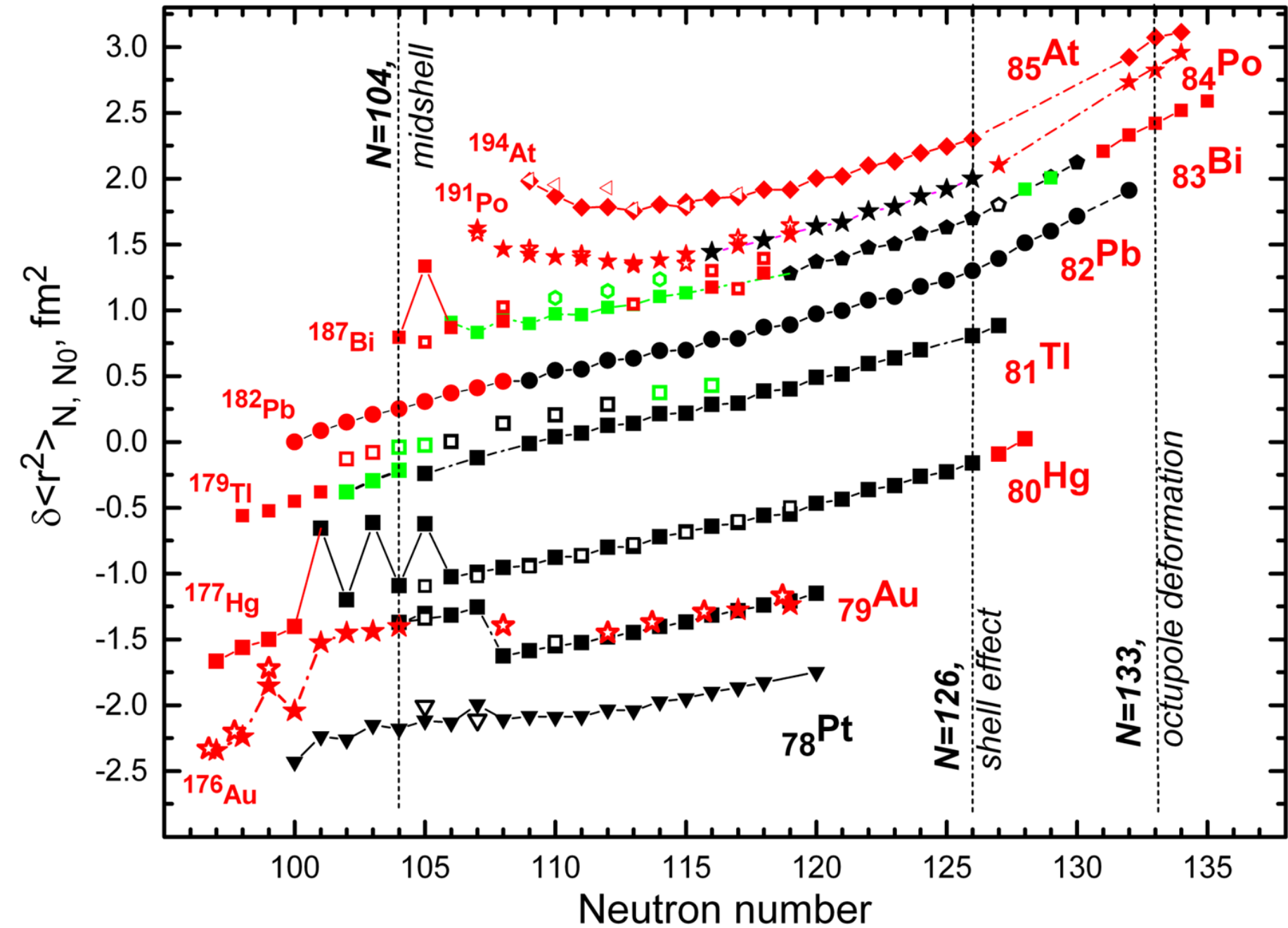


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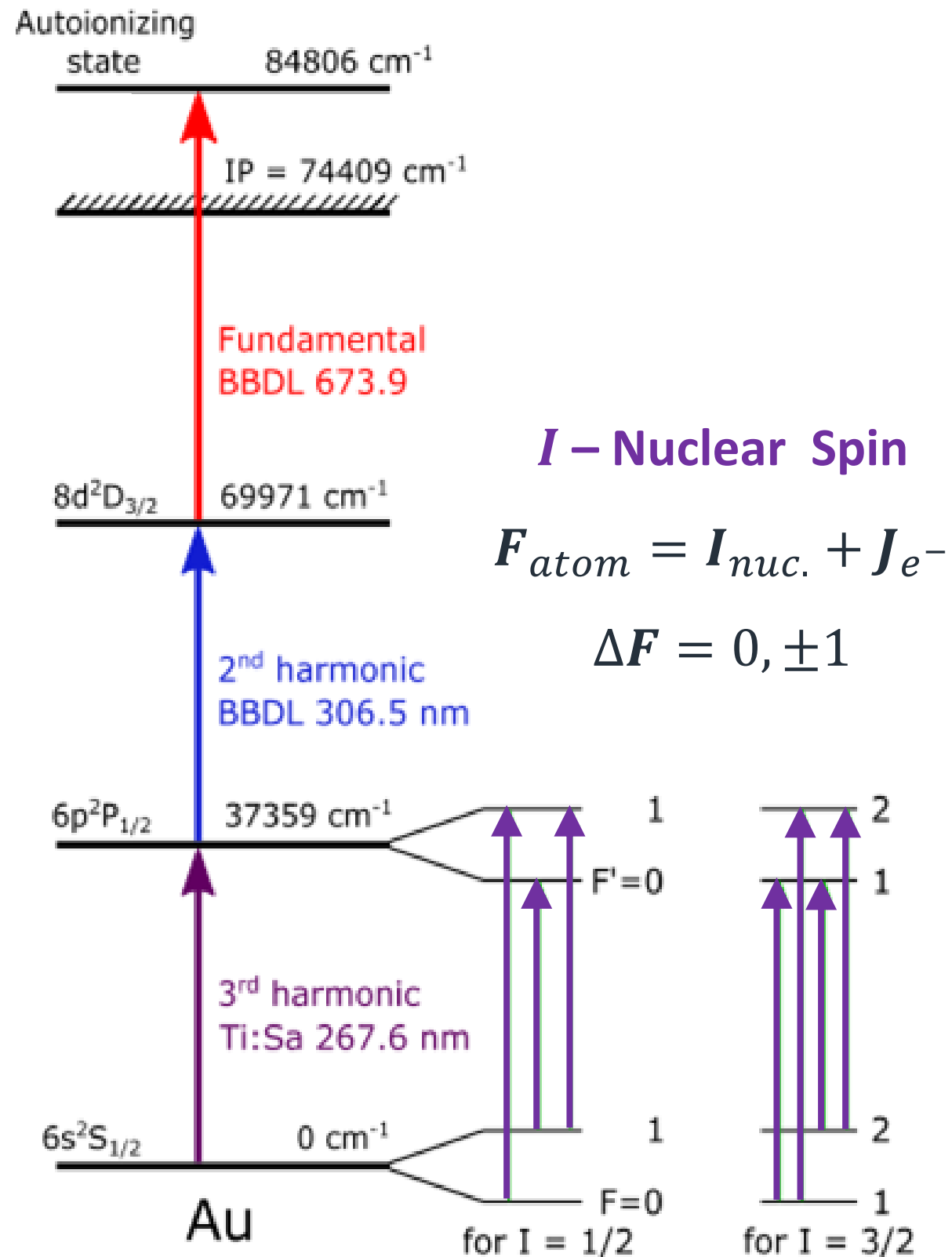
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Thank you for listening

Additional slides

Basic laser spec.



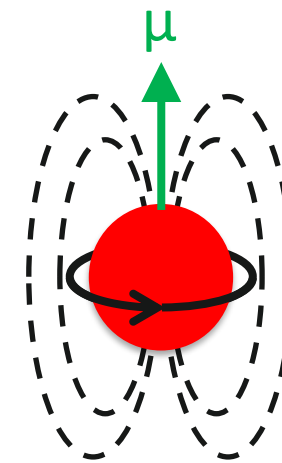
Isotope or isomer shift:

$$\delta\nu^{A,A'} = \underbrace{M_i \frac{A' - A}{AA'}}_{\text{Mass shift}} + \underbrace{F_i \delta\langle r^2 \rangle^{A,A'}}_{\text{Field shift}}$$

$\delta\langle r^2 \rangle^{A,A'}$ – mean-squared charge radius
Radial extent of proton wavefunction

Hyperfine structure:

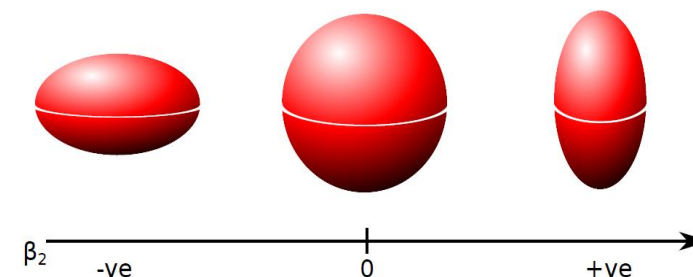
$$\Delta E_{\text{hfs}} = A \frac{K}{2} + B \frac{\frac{3}{4}K(K+1) - I(I+1)J(J+1)}{2(2I-1)(2J-1)I \cdot J} + \dots$$



μ – mag. dipole moment
Config. of unpaired nucleons

$$A = \frac{\mu B_e(0)}{I \cdot J}$$

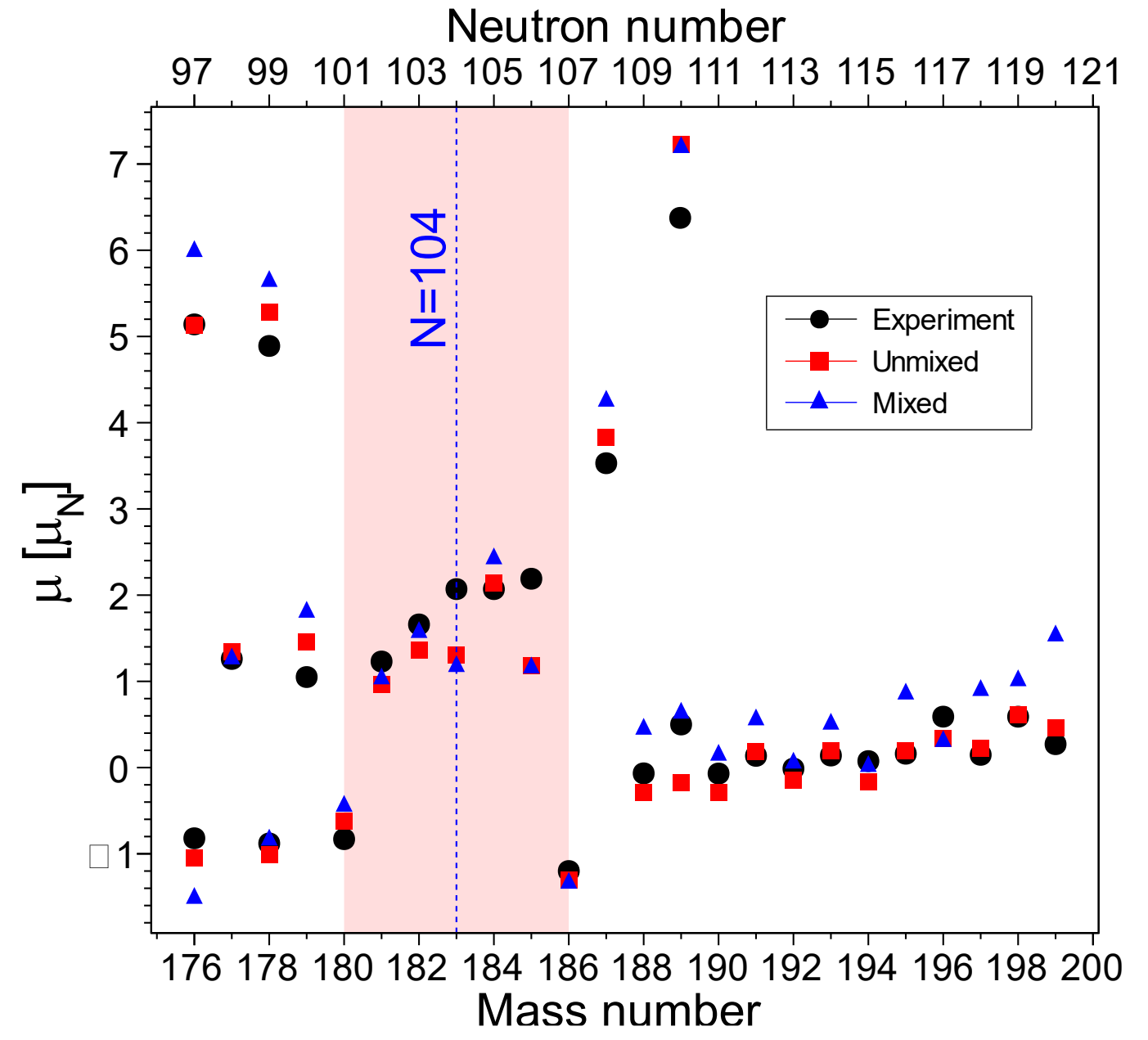
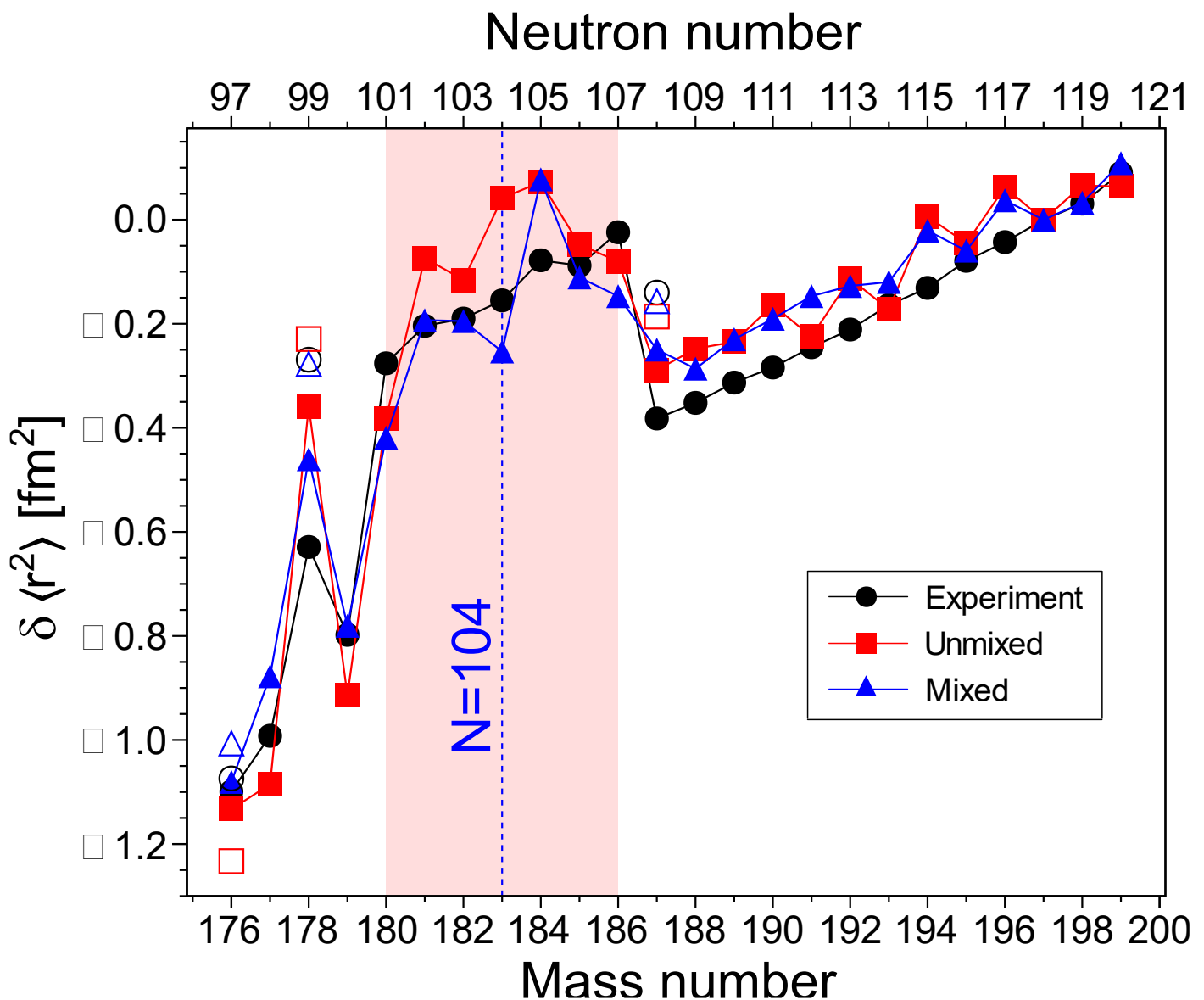
Q – electric quad. moment
Probes shape of the nucleus



$$B = eQ \left\langle \frac{\delta^2 V}{\delta z^2} \right\rangle$$

HFB for Au isotopes

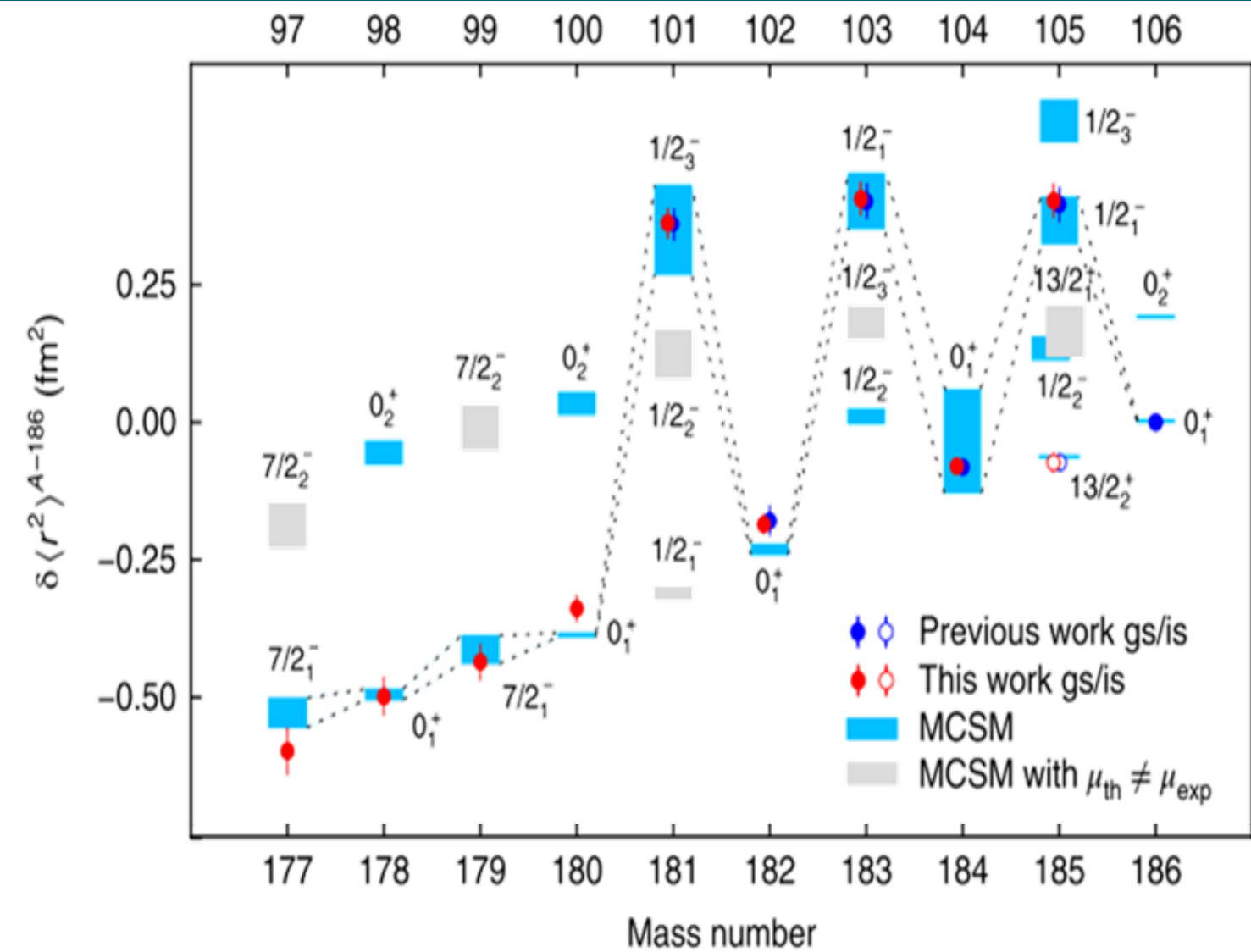
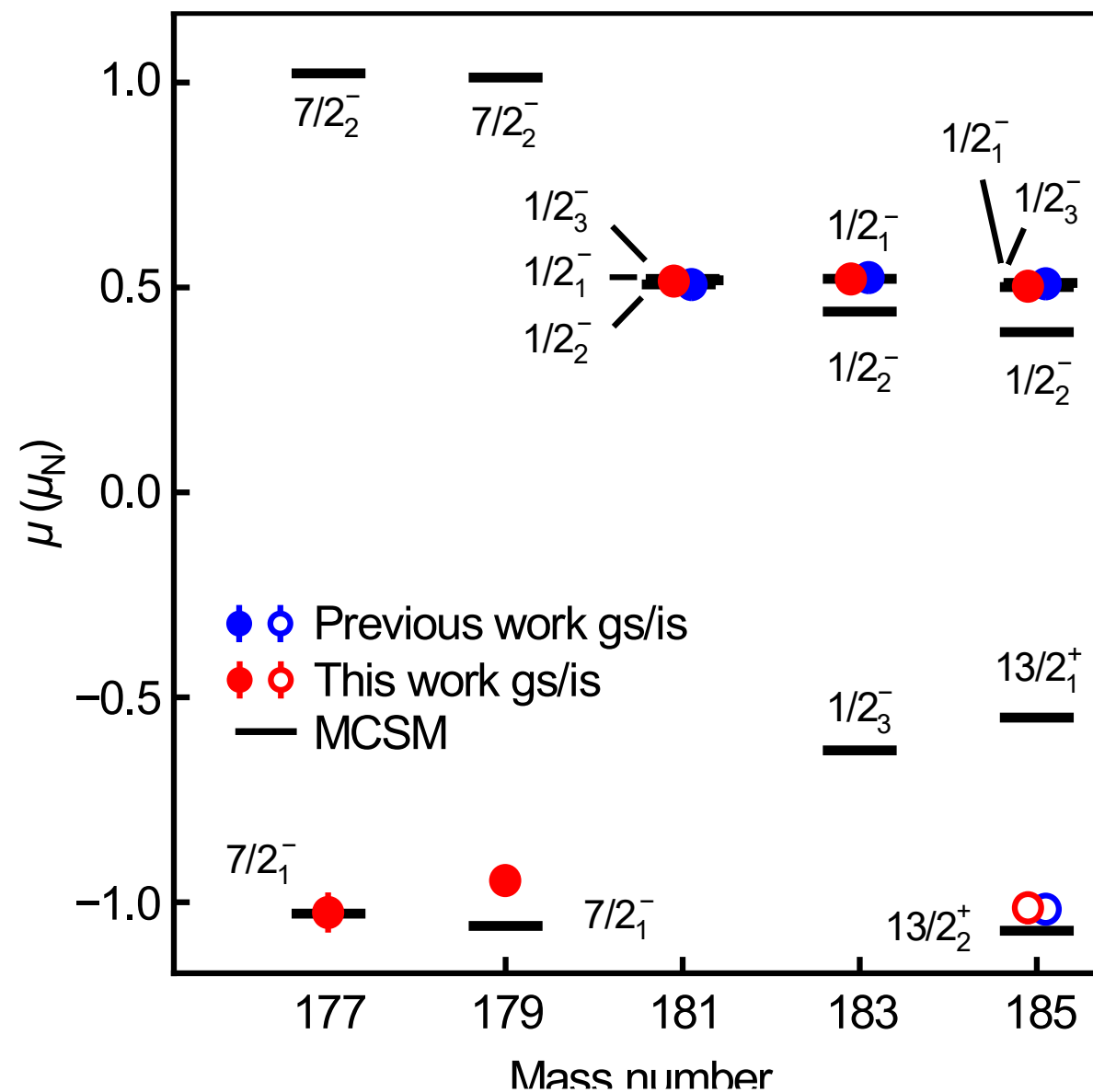
- Try applying same approach as used in Bi isotopes both for **unmixed** and **mixed** cases
- States selected by spin, and dipole moment



- A good agreement with experiment is seen
- Inclusion of mixing gives comparable results

MCSM description of Hg

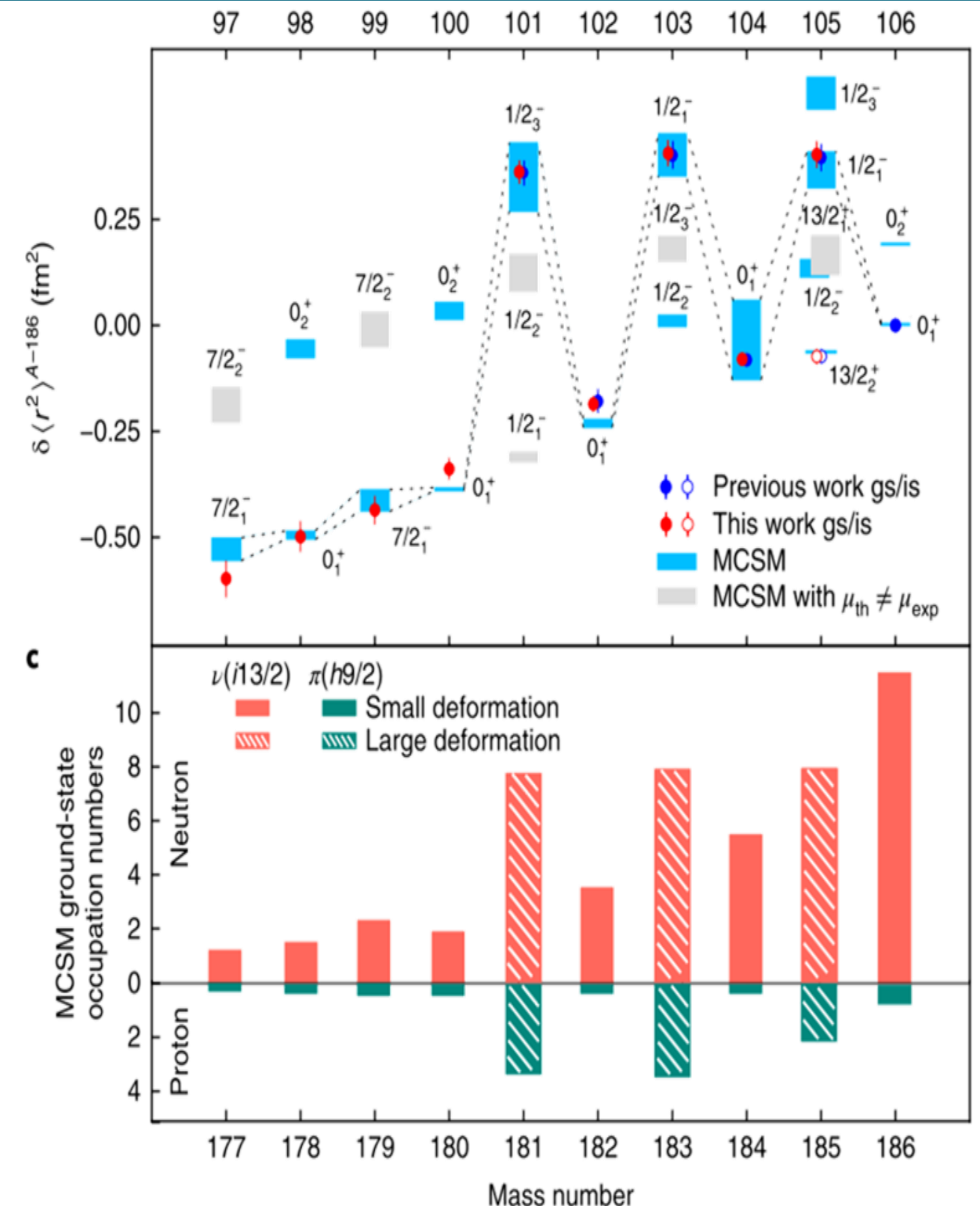
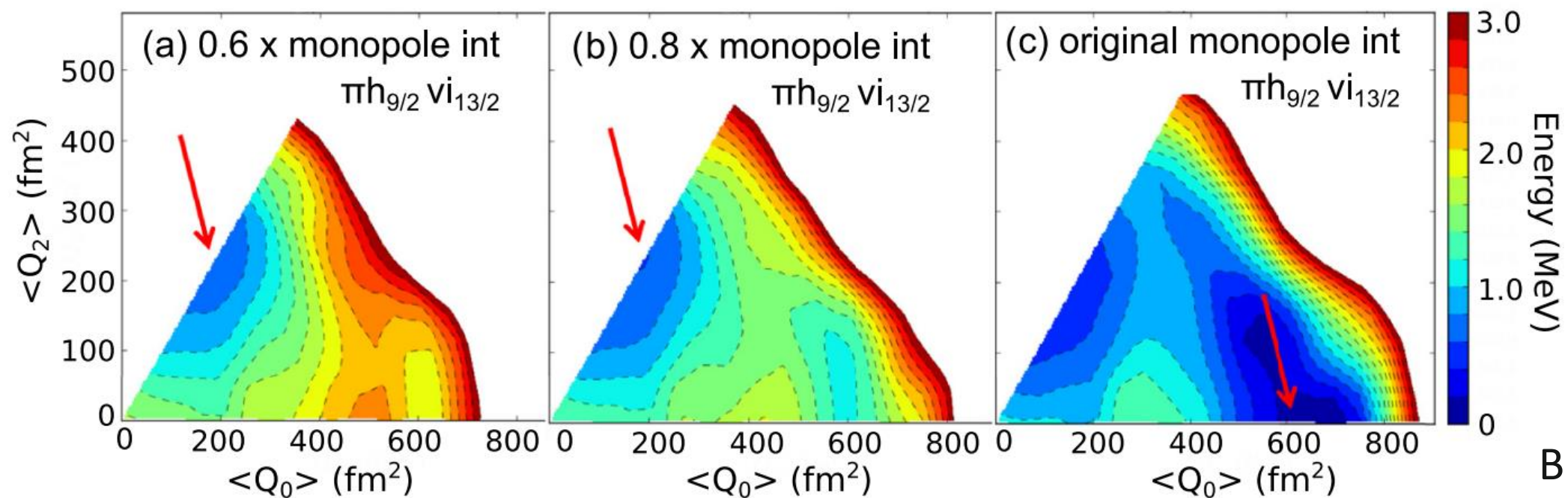
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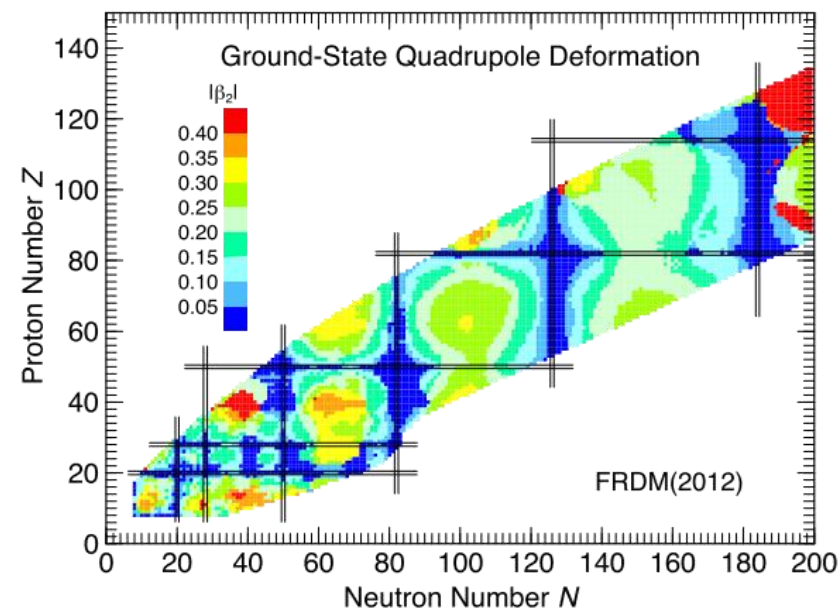
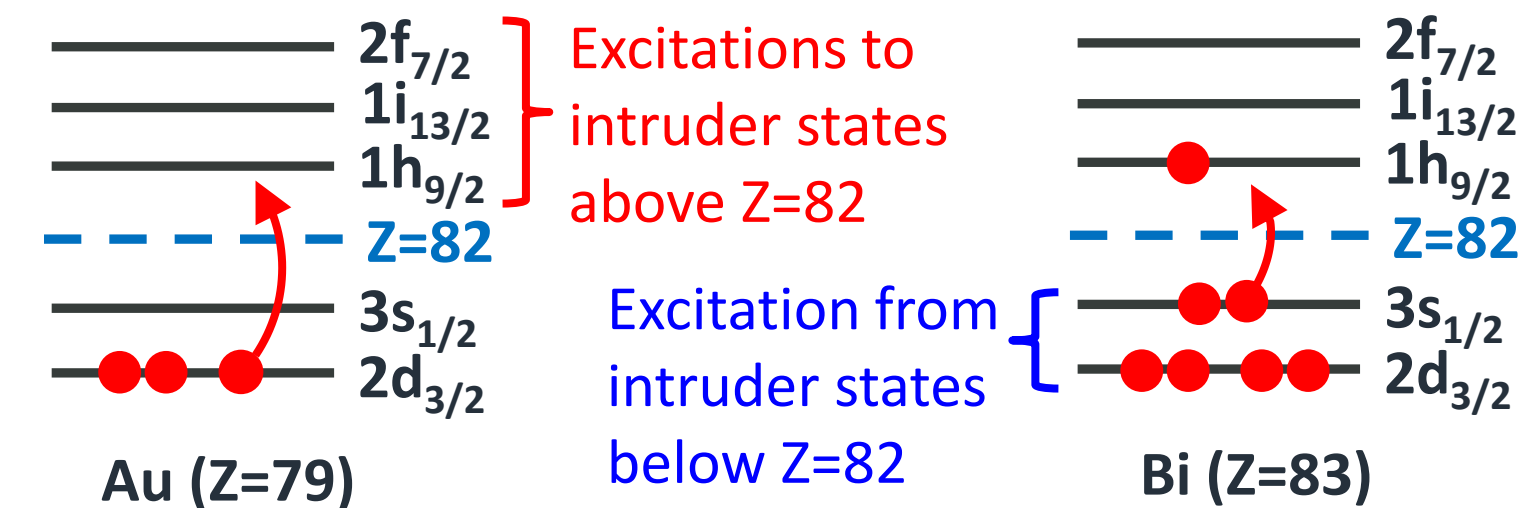
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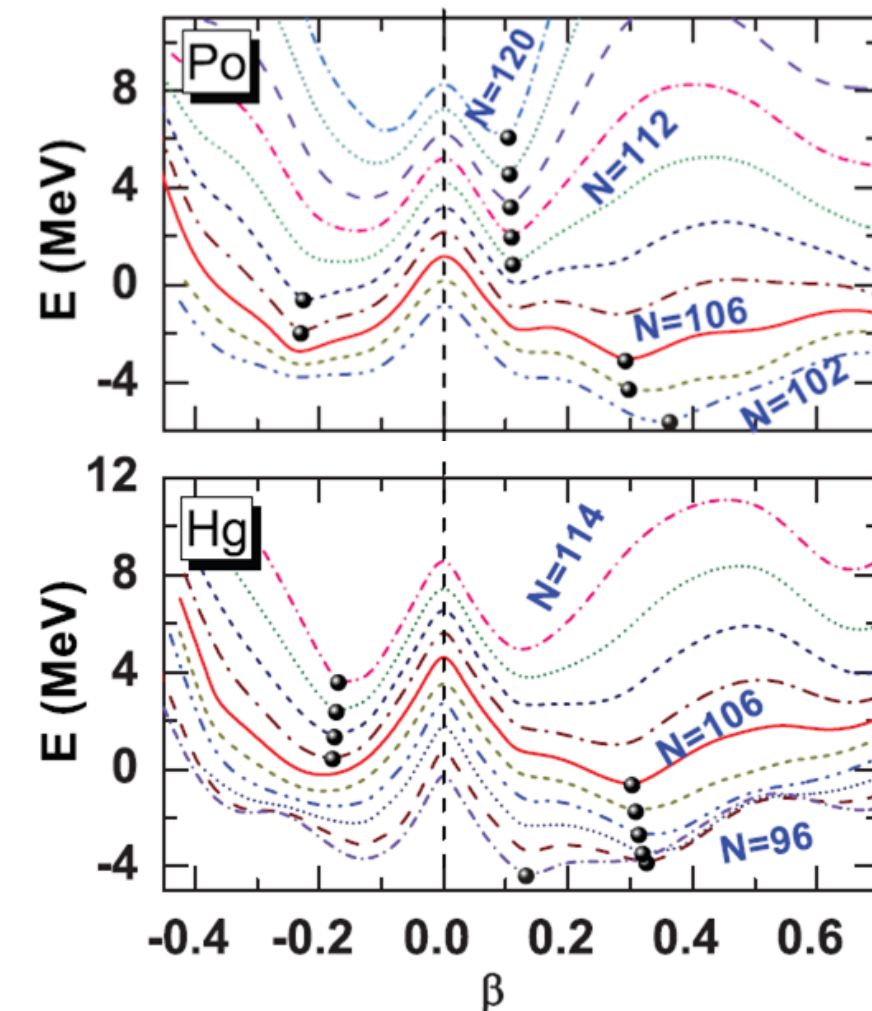
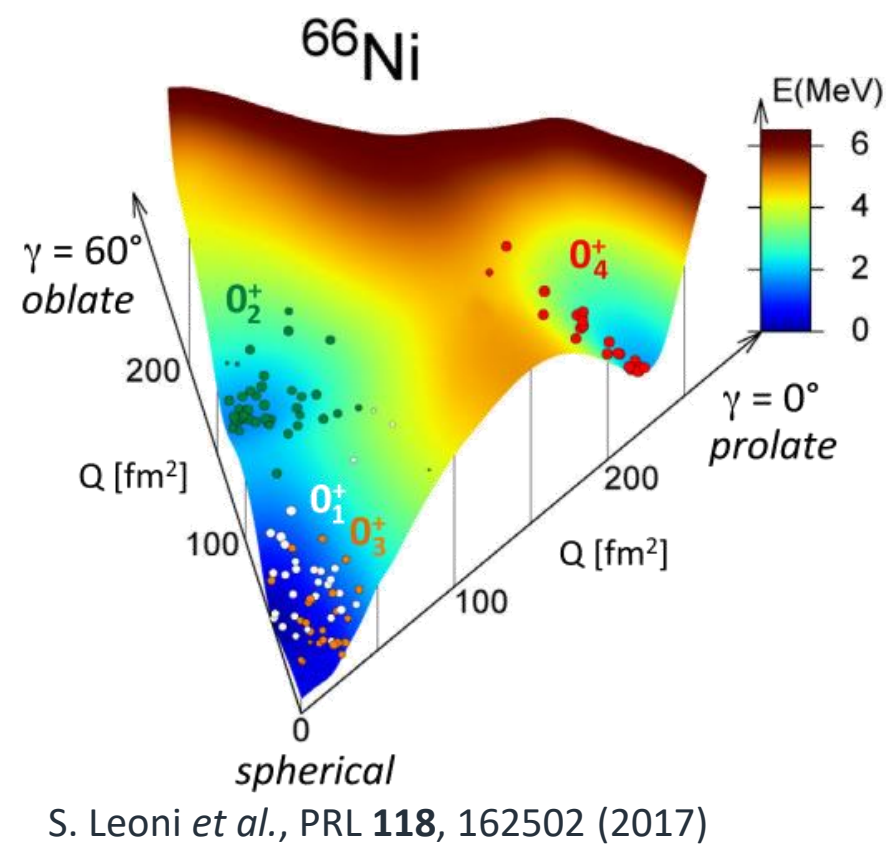
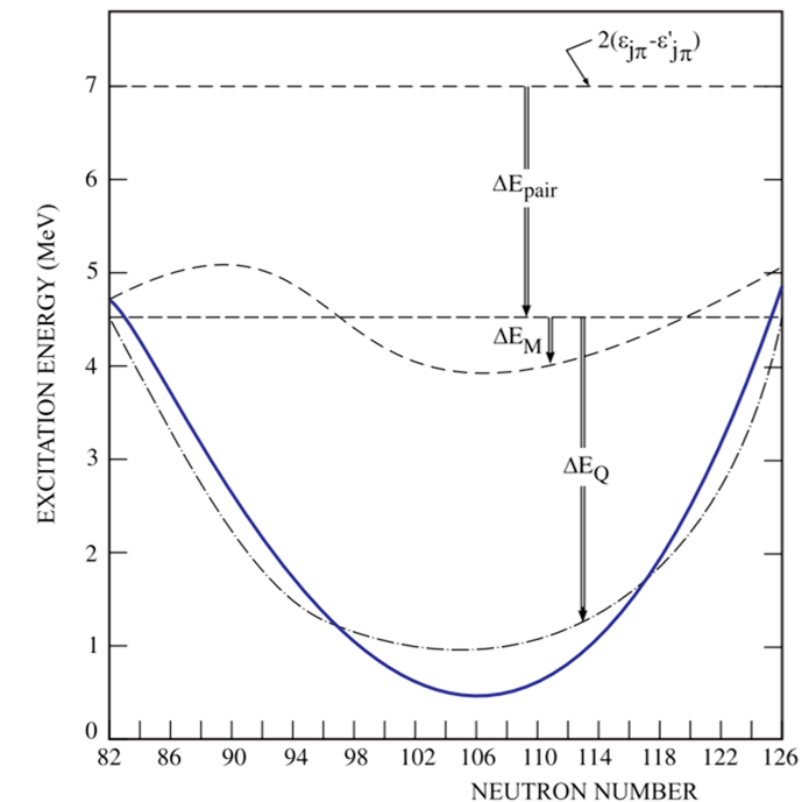
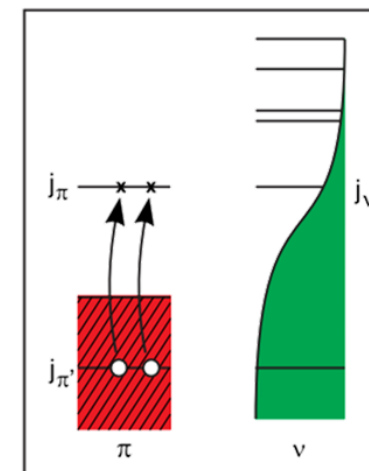
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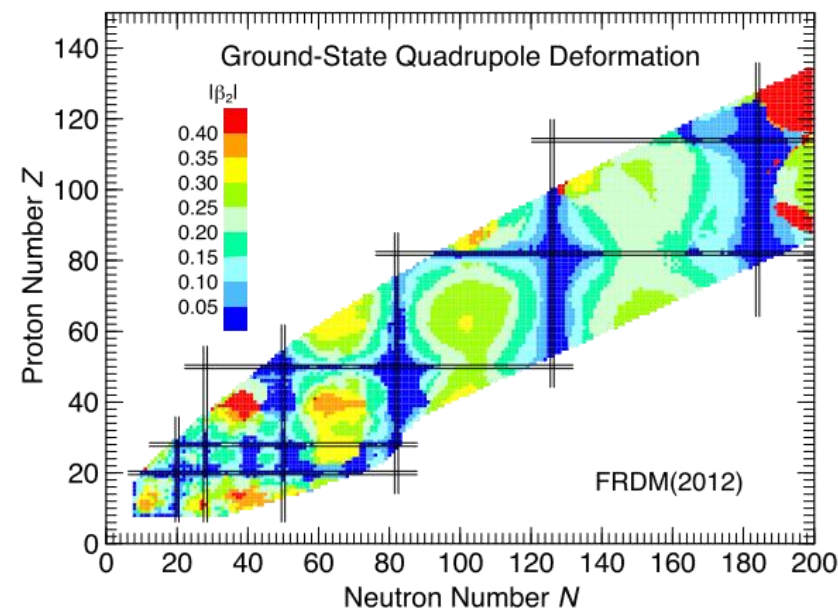
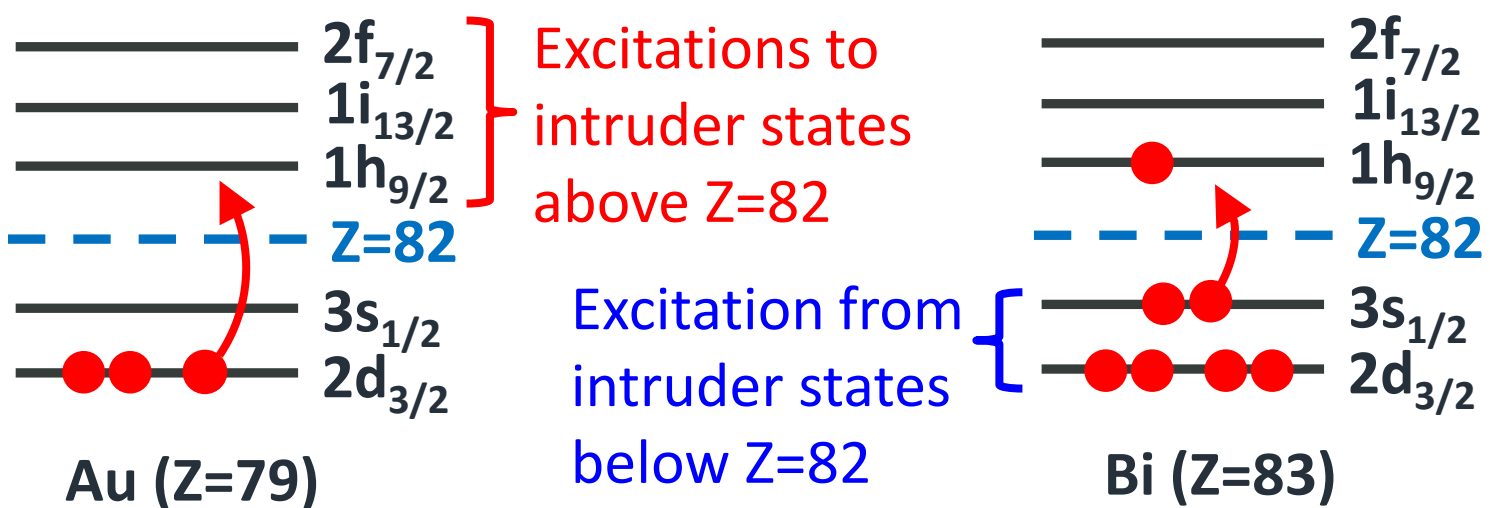


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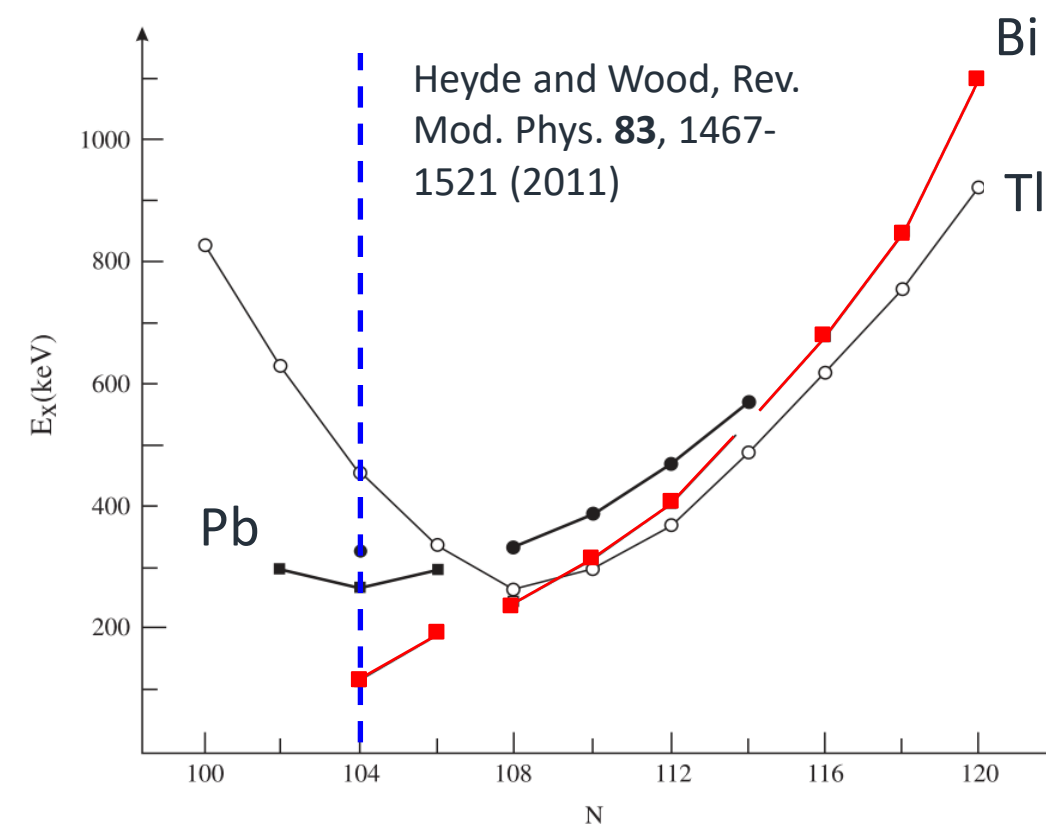
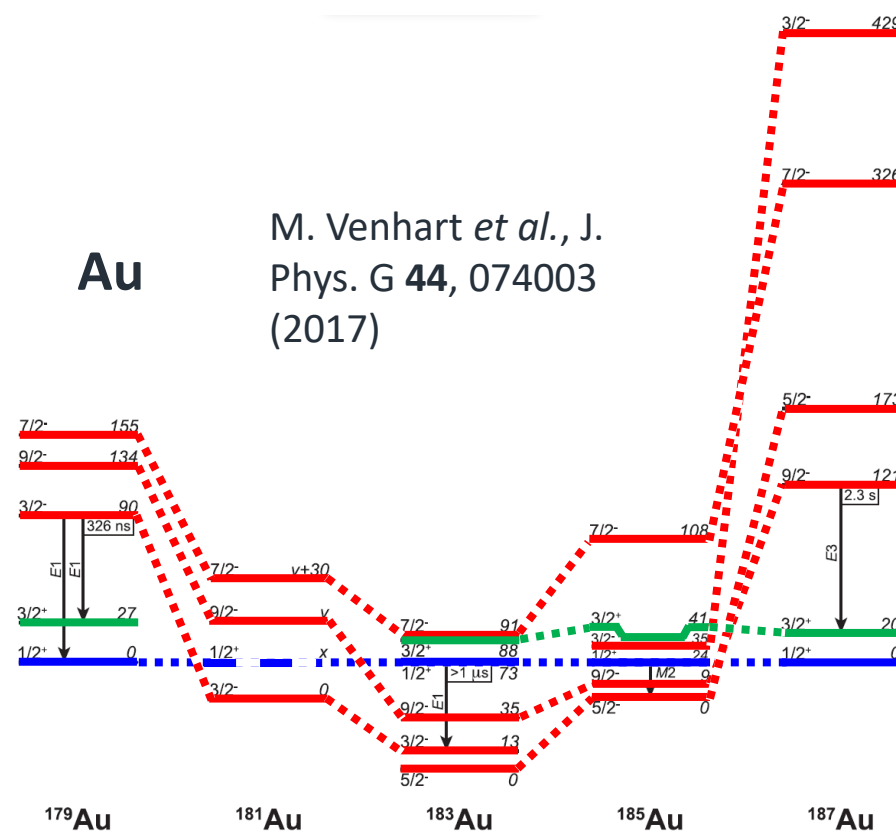
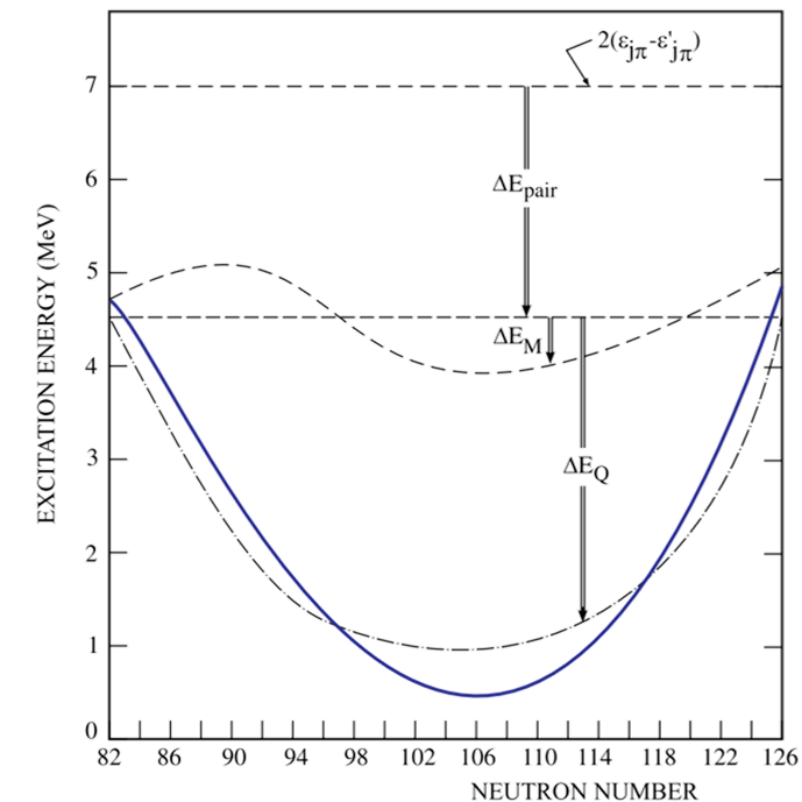
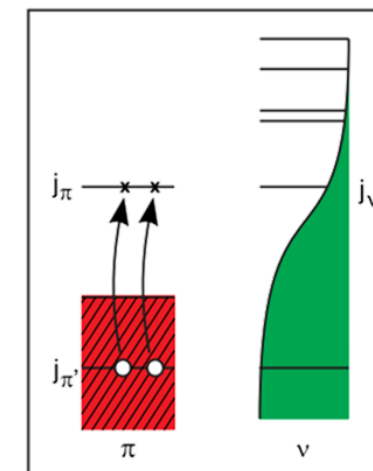
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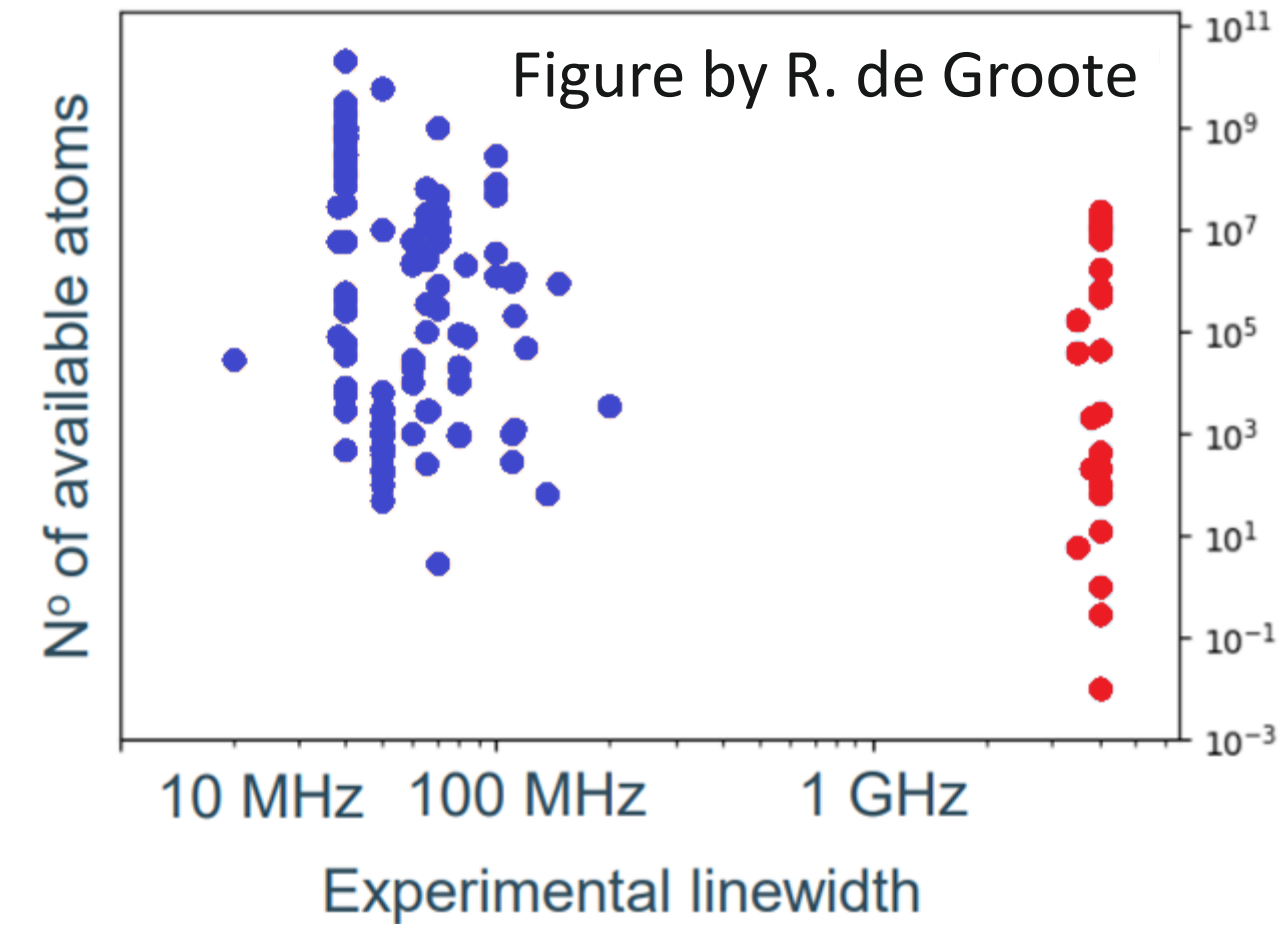
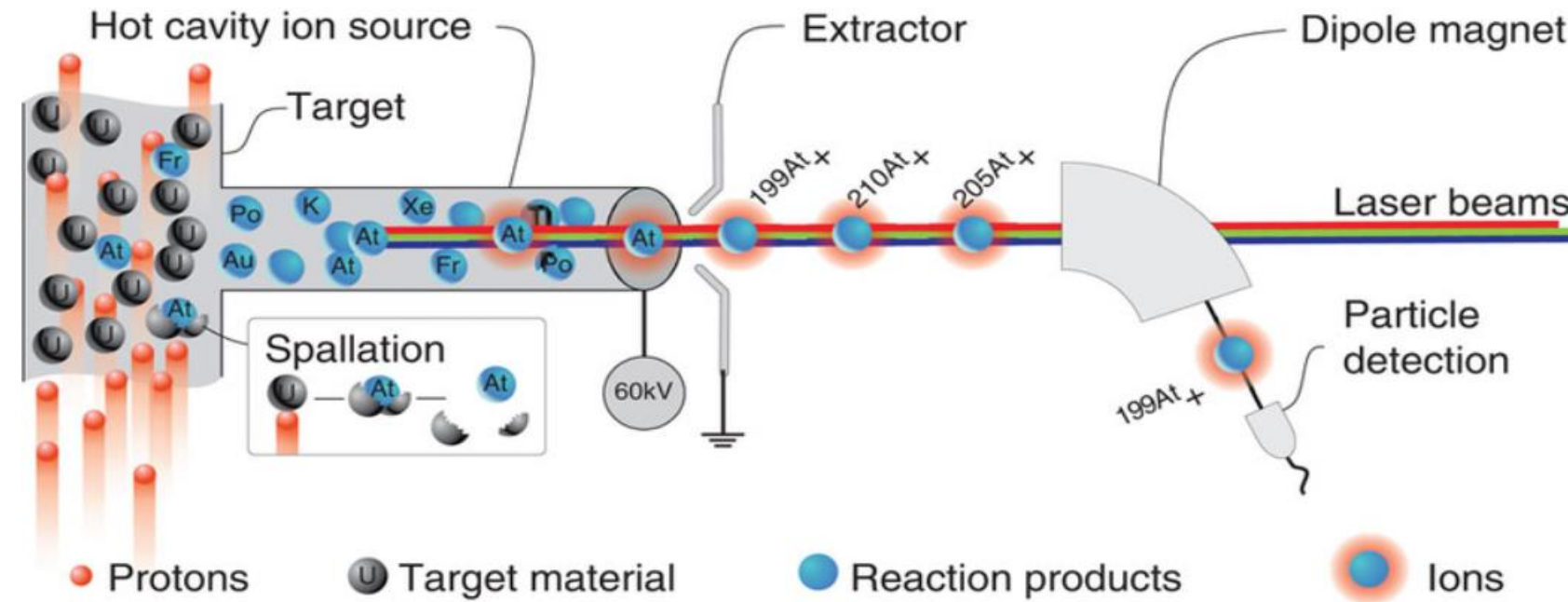
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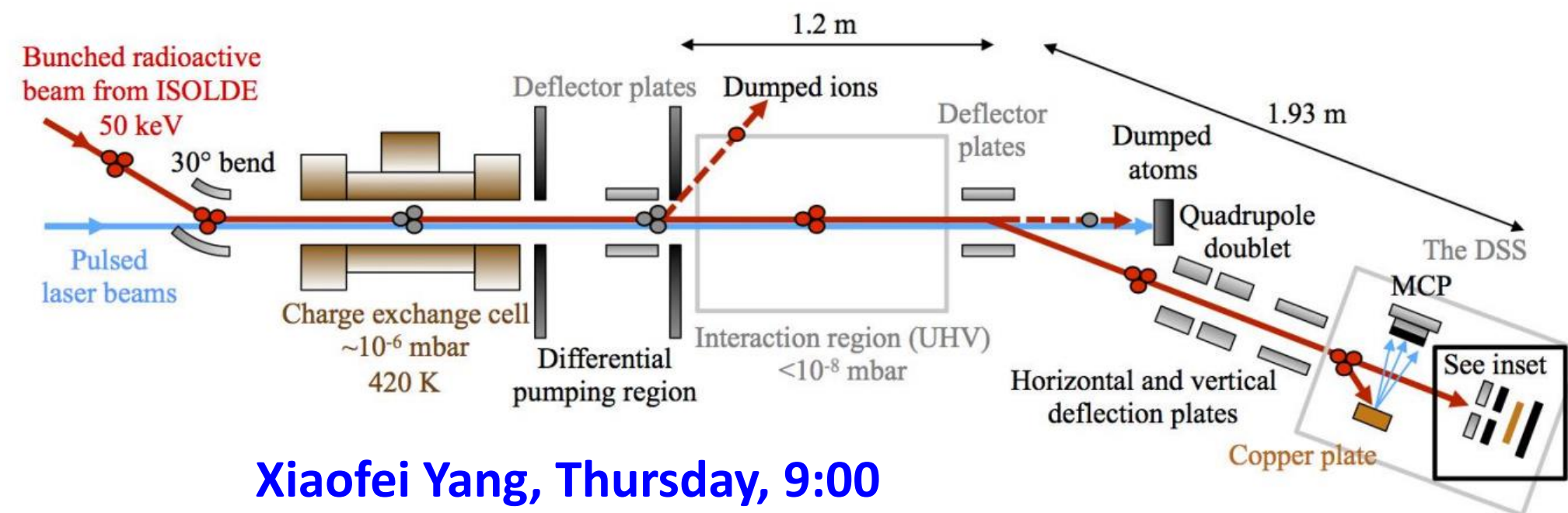


Types of laser spectroscopy

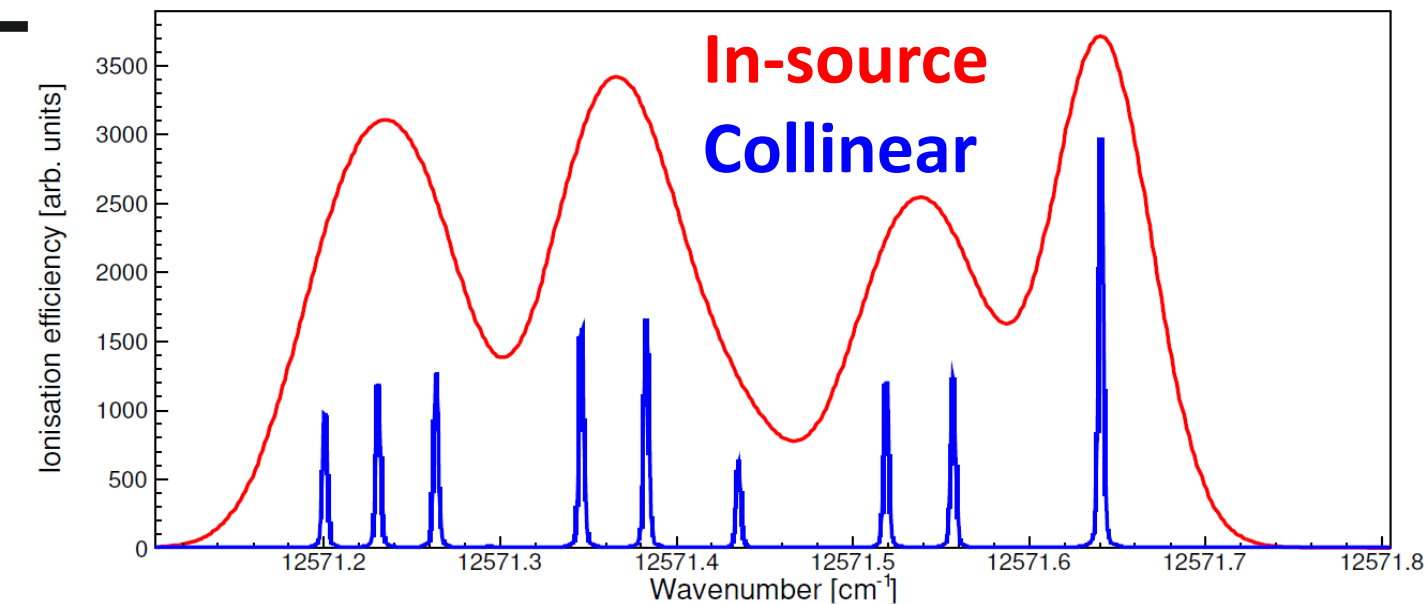
In-source (RILIS/TRILIS)



Collinear, Resonant ionisation spectroscopy (CRIS) Fluorescence spectroscopy (COLLAPS)



Xiaofei Yang, Thursday, 9:00



In-source: Low resolution, high efficiency

Collinear: High resolution, low efficiency

Collinear pushing resolution frontier –
probed magnetic octupole (⁴⁵Sc)

R.P. de Groote *et al.*, PLB **827**, 136930 (2022)

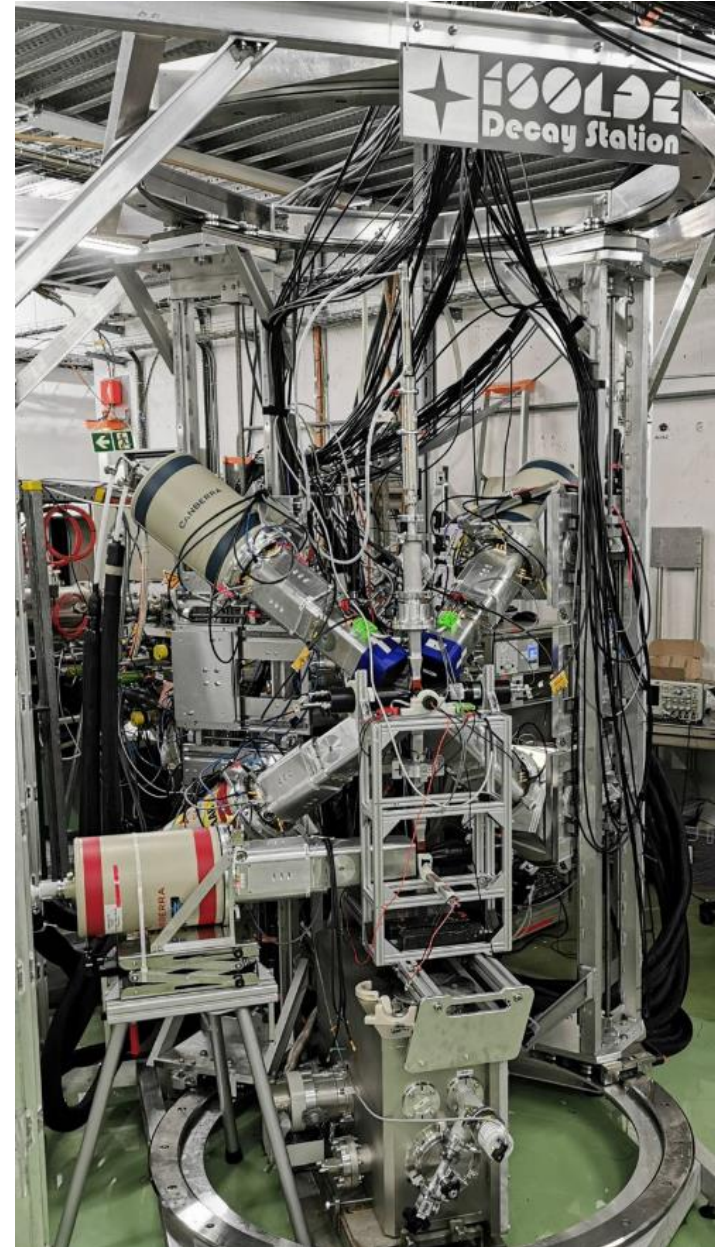
Sensitivity boost

Past - Windmill



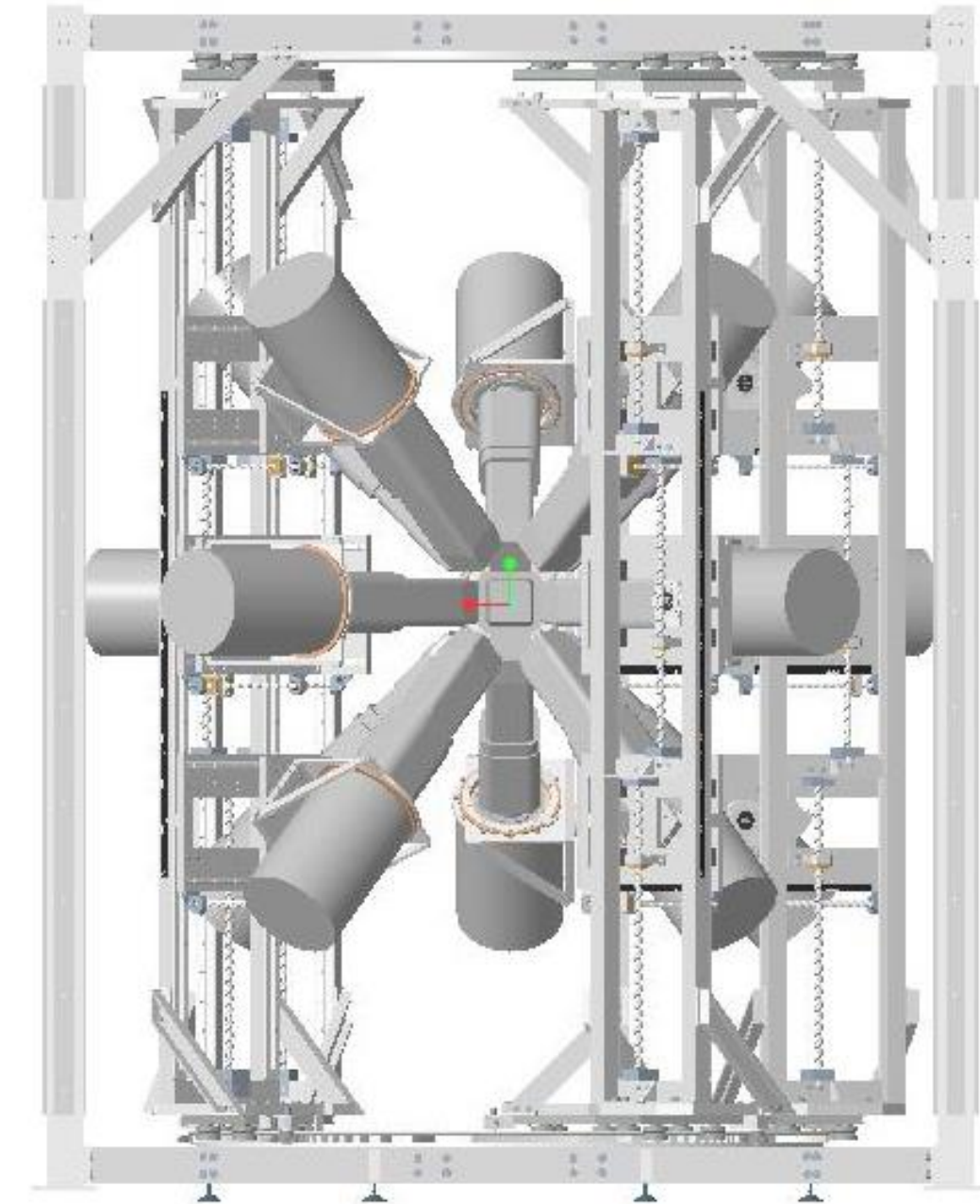
- **1 planar germanium**
- 2(+2) Silicons

Present - IDS



- **6 germanium clovers (24 crystals)**
- Plastics for beta tagging ($\varepsilon = 30 - 40\%$)

Future – “more” IDS

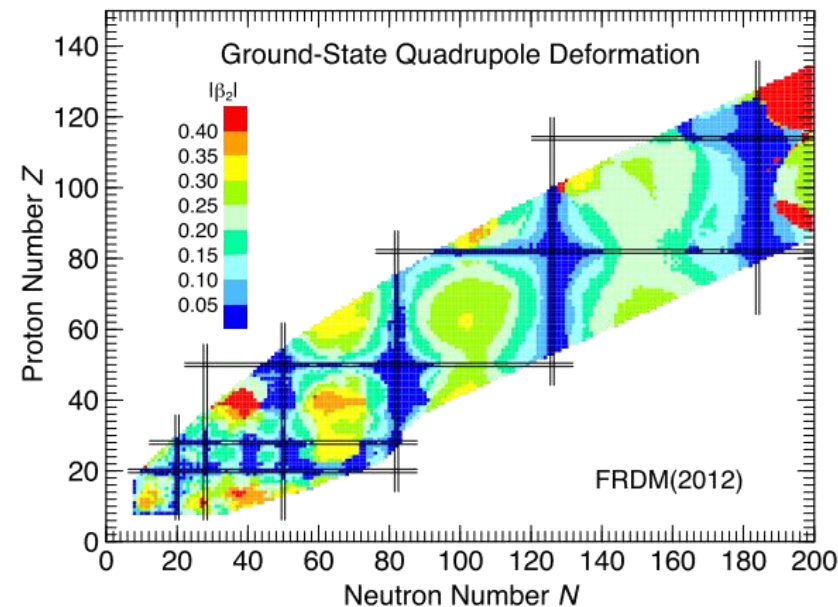
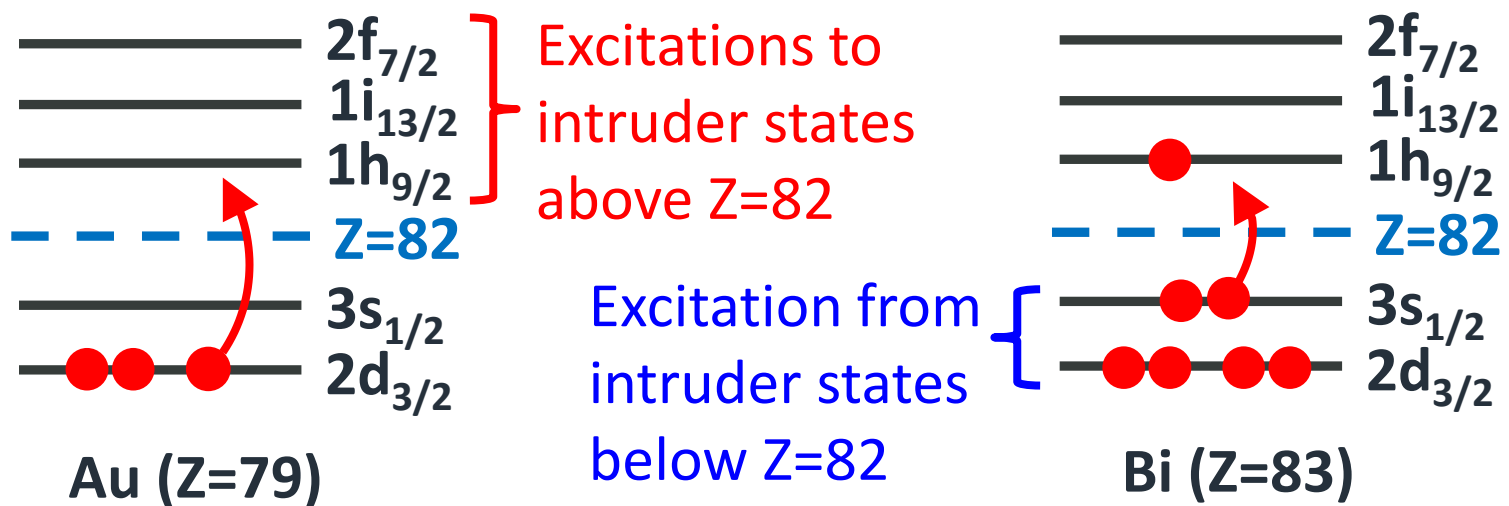


- **12(+3) clovers (up 60 crystals)**
- Even more plastic... (ε up to 70%)

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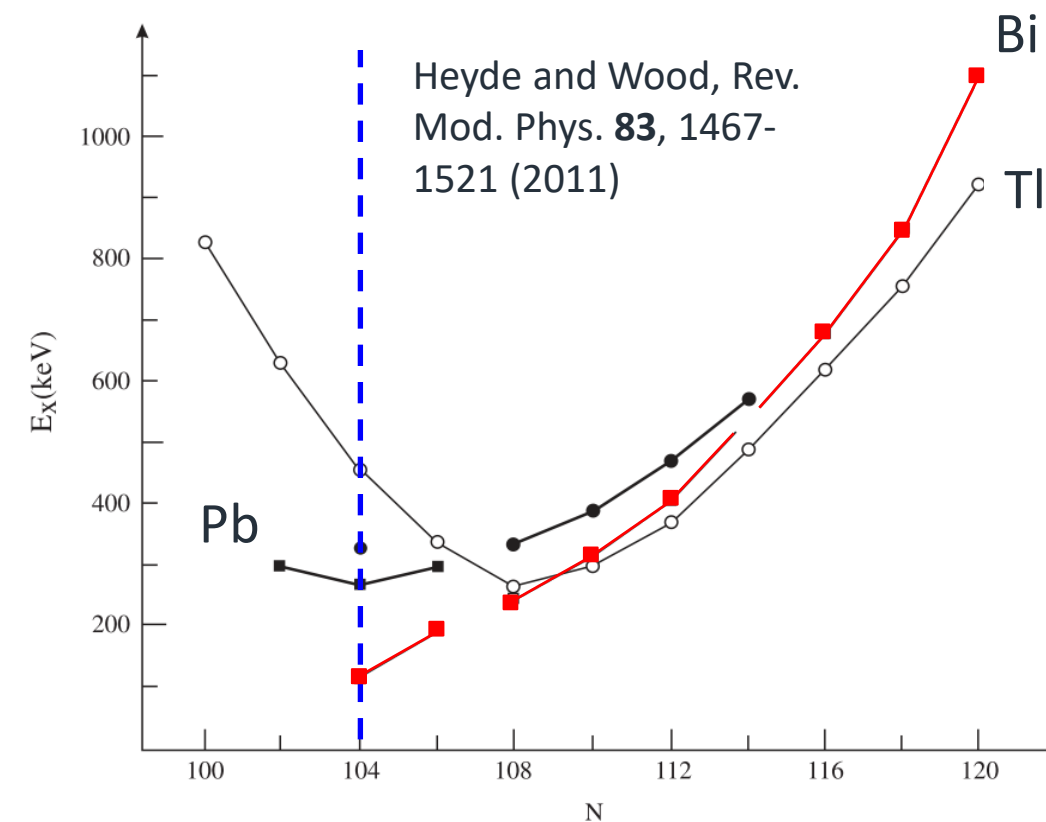
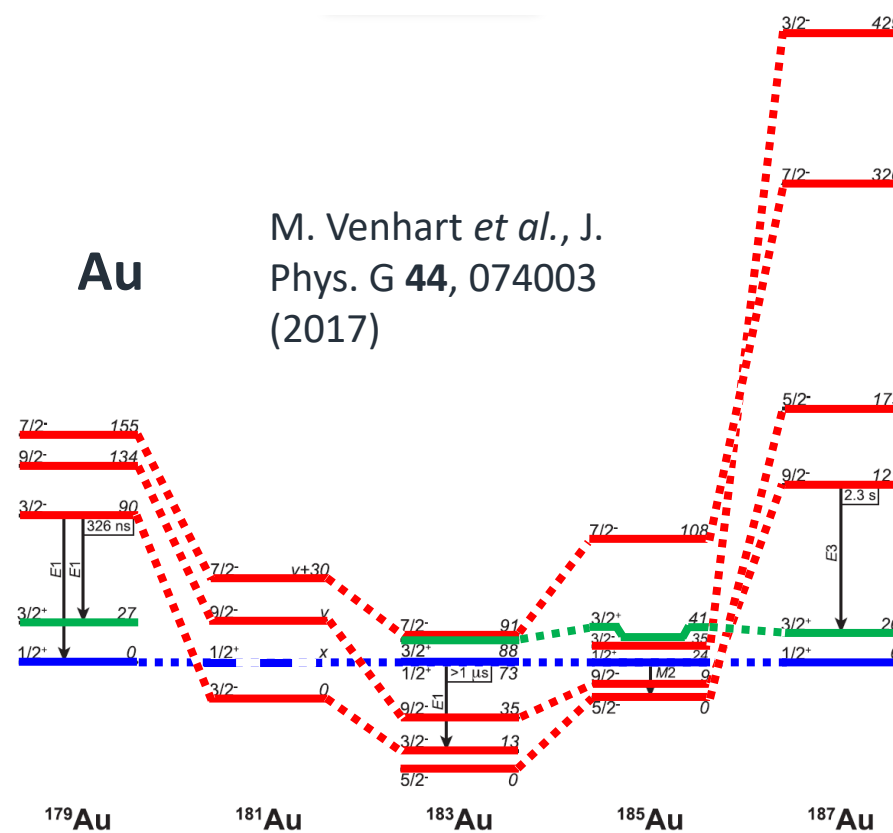
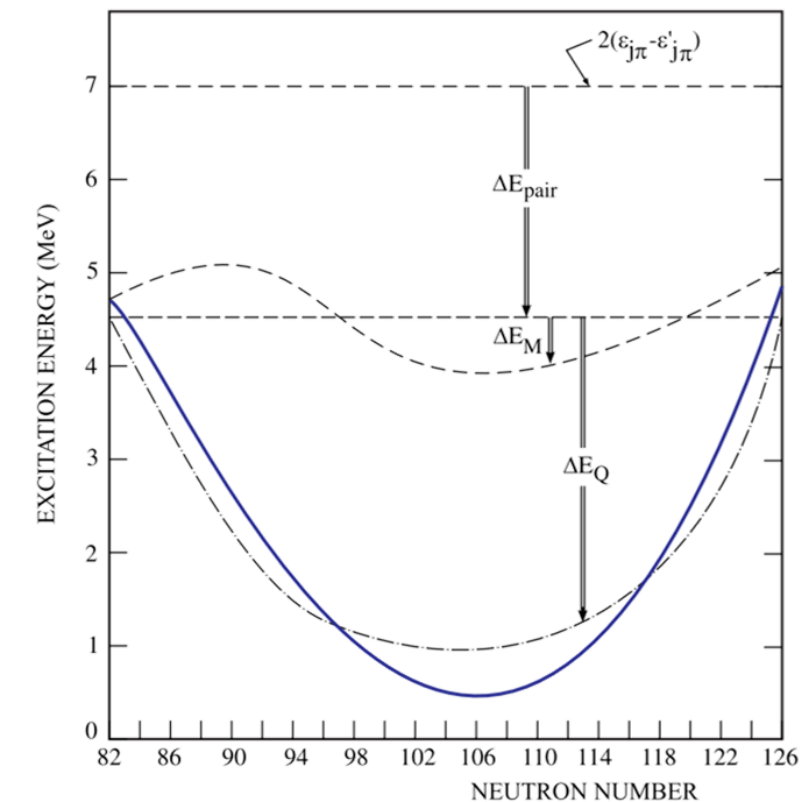
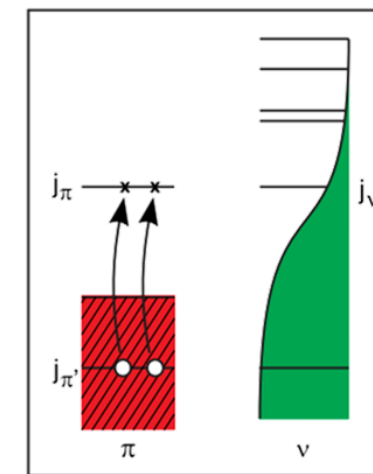
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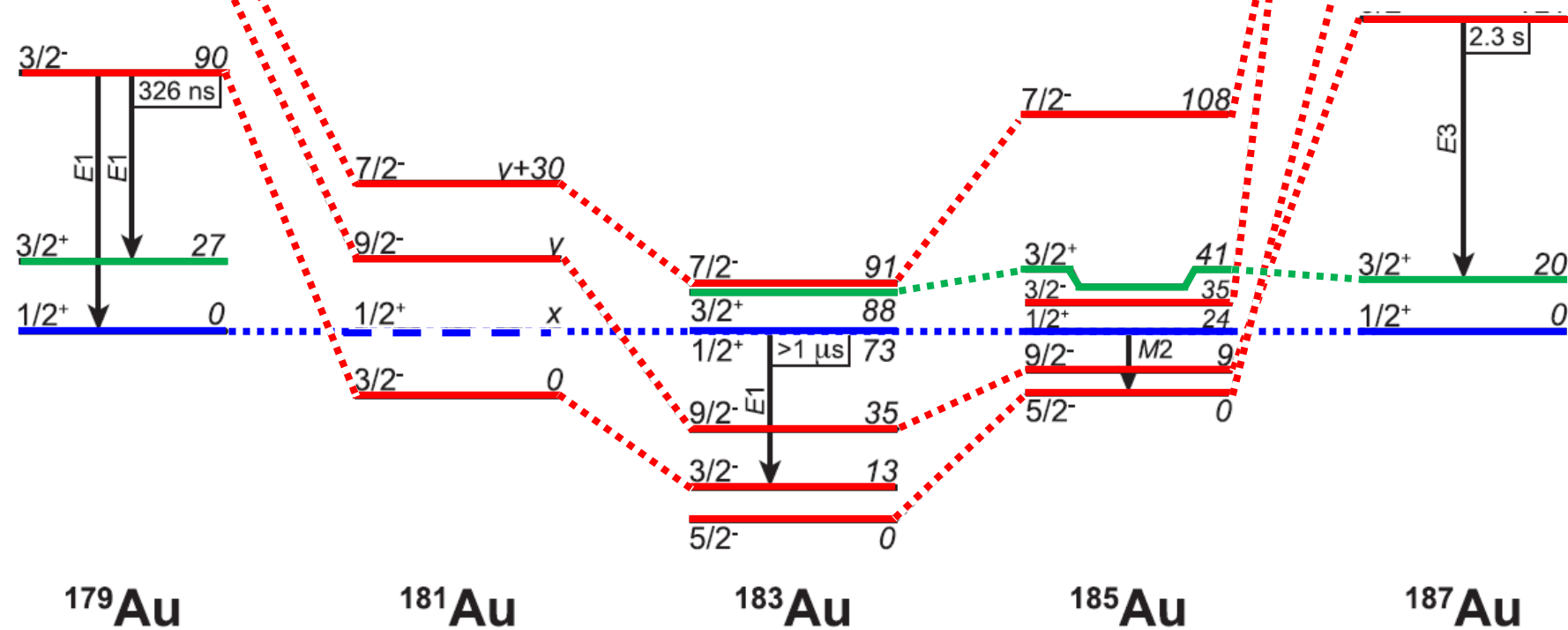
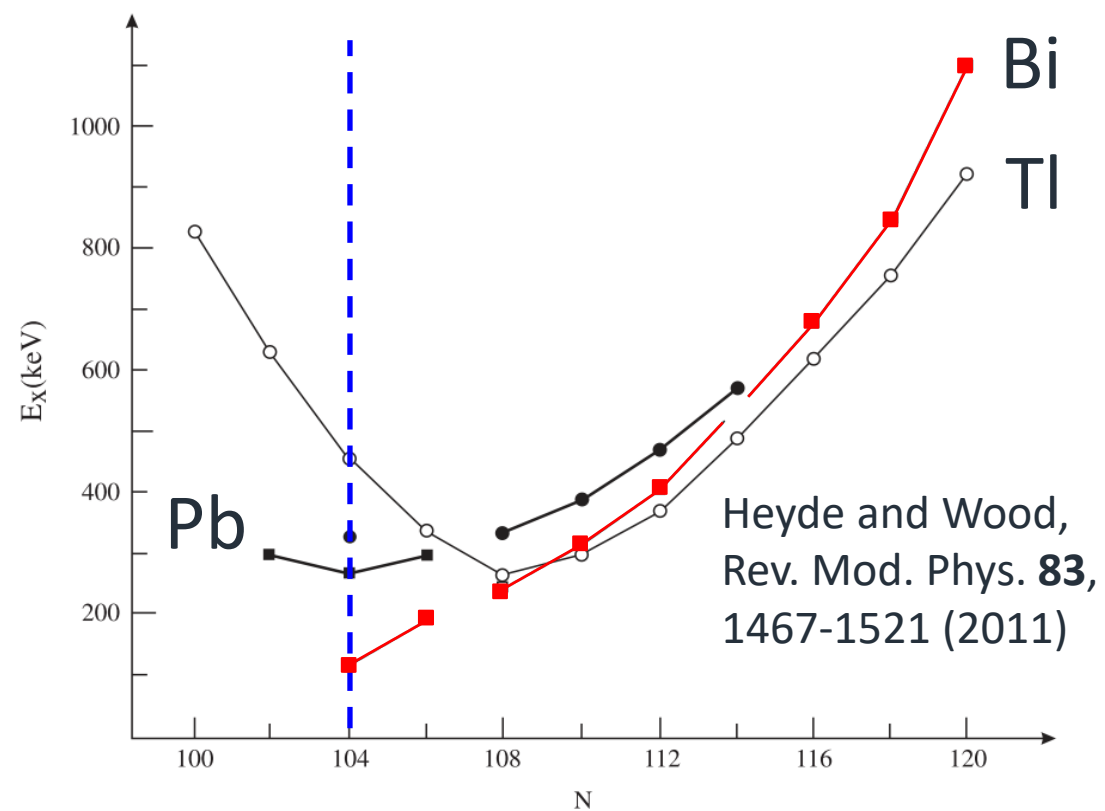


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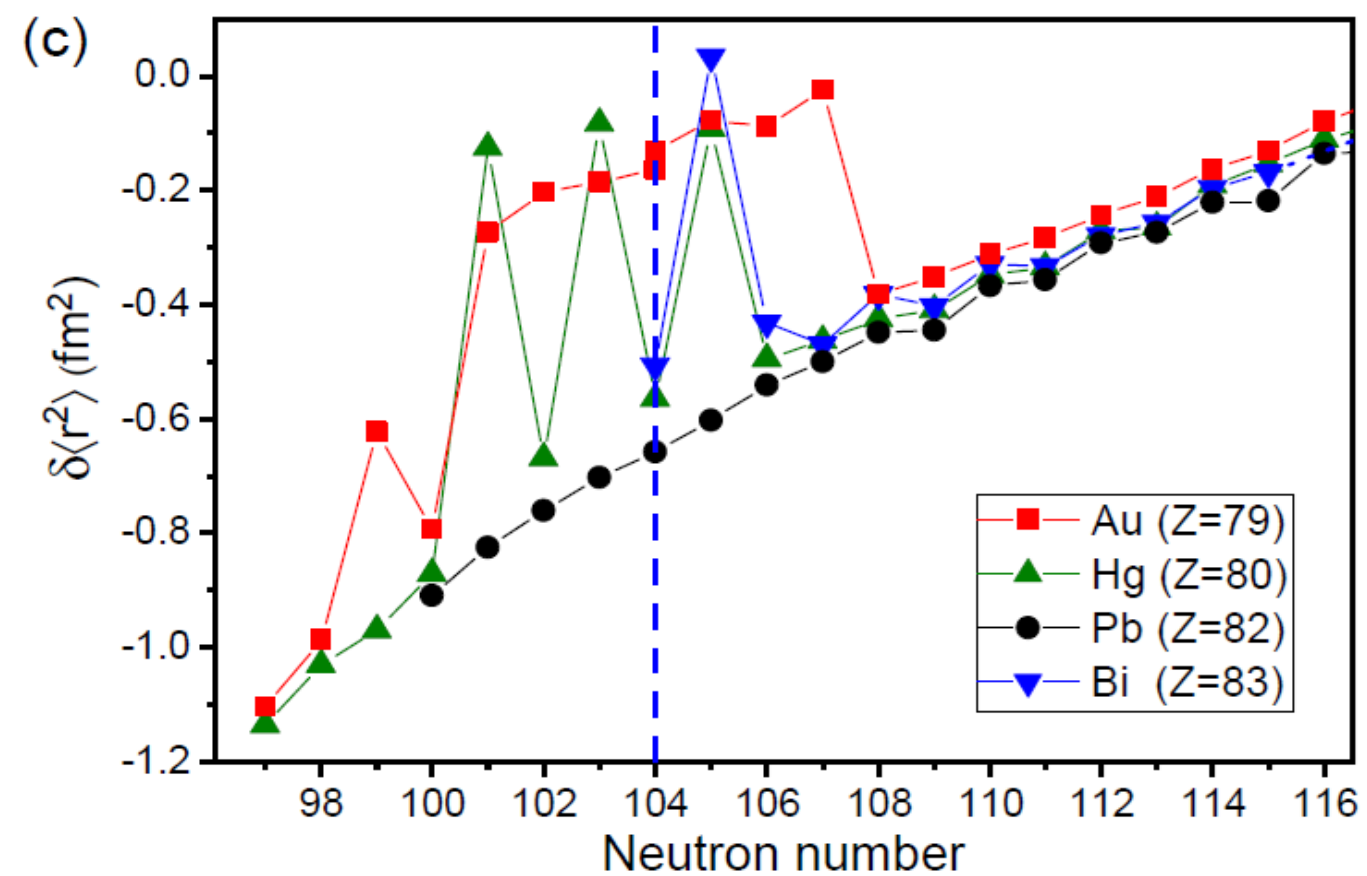
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Comparing systematics

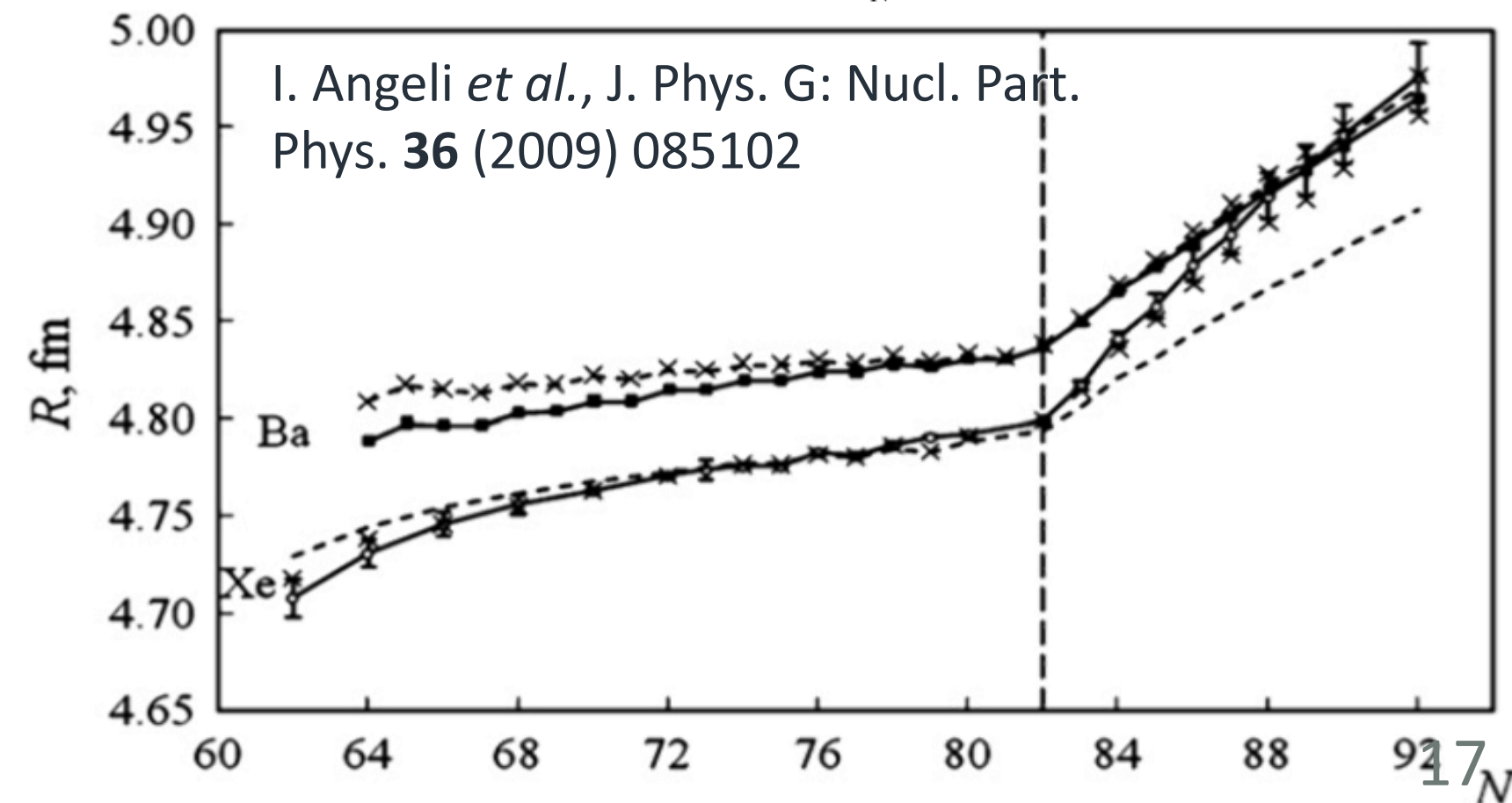
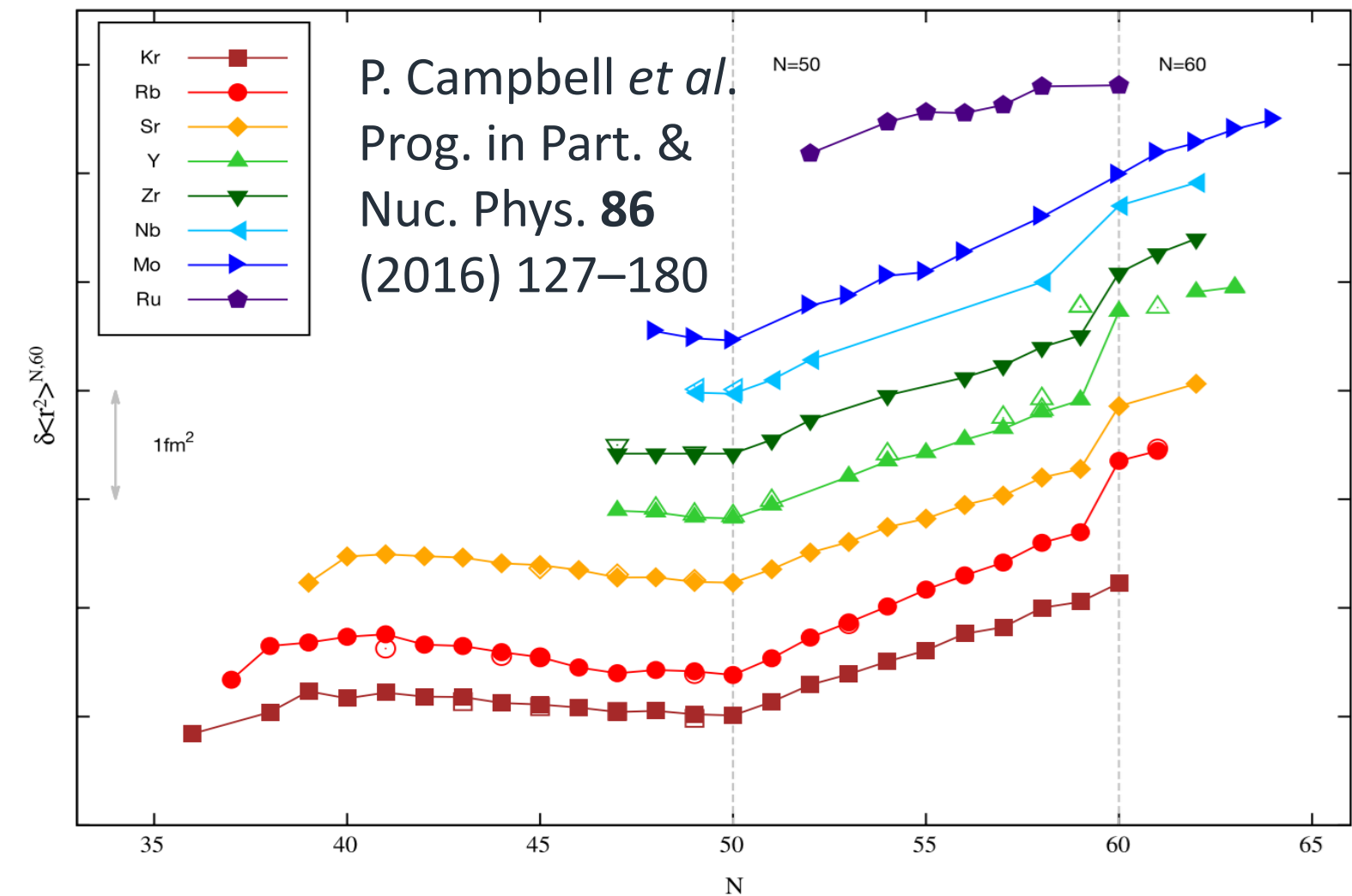
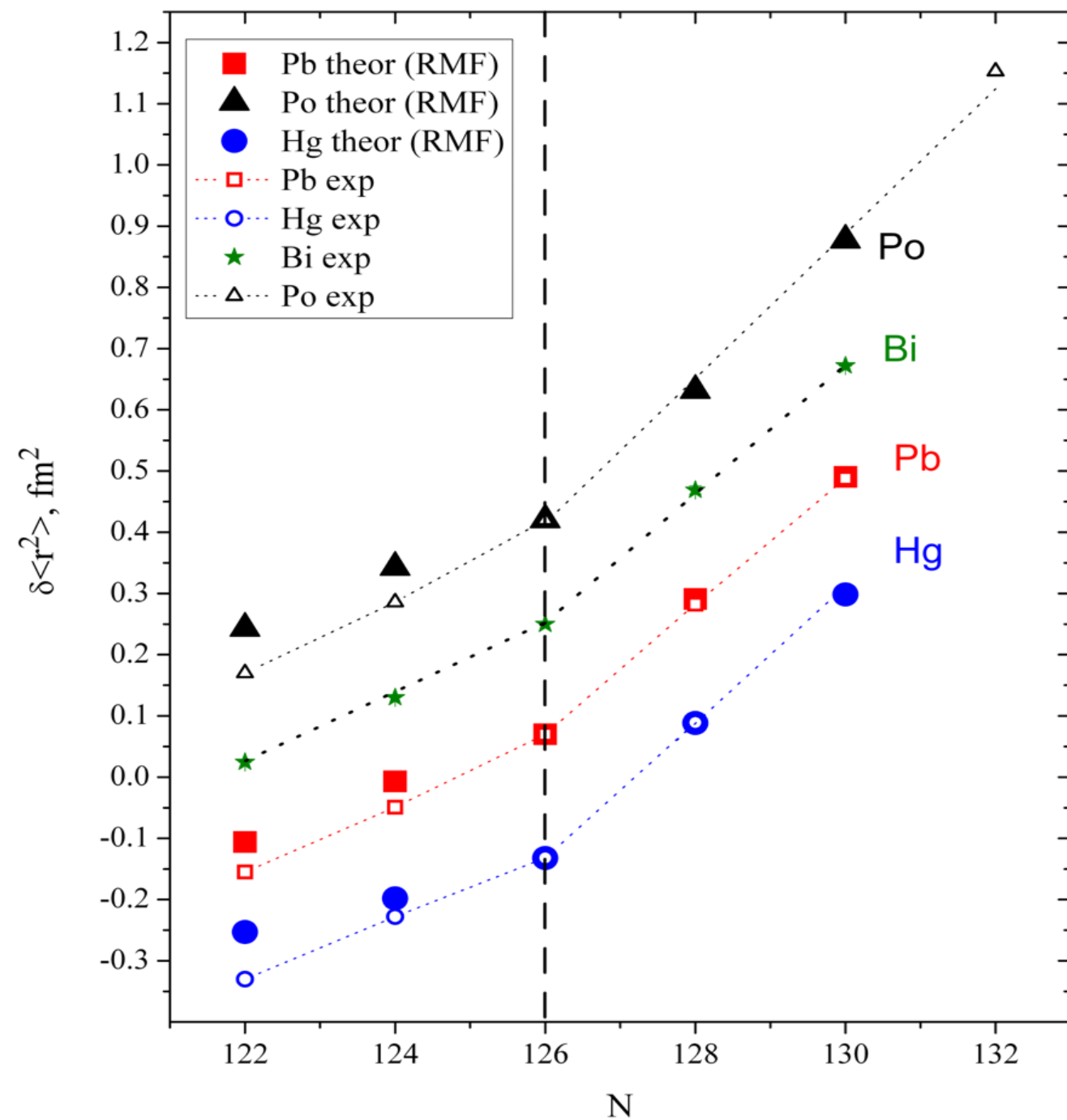


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Shell effects in radii - Kink

- Shell effect in radii, known as the kink:
Slope in $\delta\langle r^2 \rangle$ increases when crossing a shell closure
Seen in elements above and below proton shell closures



Describing the kink

- Involve scattering neutrons into large ℓ orbitals with $n=1$ – attractive proton-neutron interaction increases charge radius.
- Near $Z=82$, $N=126$ neutron pairs scatter into $\nu 1i_{11/2}$ – can probe with magnetic moments:
- $\mu(^{214}\text{Fr}, ^{210}\text{Bi})$ suggested admixture between $[\pi h_{9/2}, \nu g_{9/2}]$ and $[\pi h_{9/2}, \nu i_{11/2}]$ configurations.
- $\mu(^{209}\text{Pb}, ^{211}\text{Po})$ consistent with pure $\nu g_{9/2}$

