

# Neutrinoless double beta decay matrix element without closure approximation

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# Half-life & nuclear matrix element (NME)

$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} = G^{0\nu}(Q, Z) g_A^4 |M^{0\nu}|^2 \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|^2}{\underline{m_e^2}}$$

Inverse of Half life

Axial vector current coupling constant

The left-right symmetric theory

$$M_\alpha^{0\nu} = \langle f | \tau_{-1} \tau_{-2} \mathcal{O}_{12}^\alpha | i \rangle$$

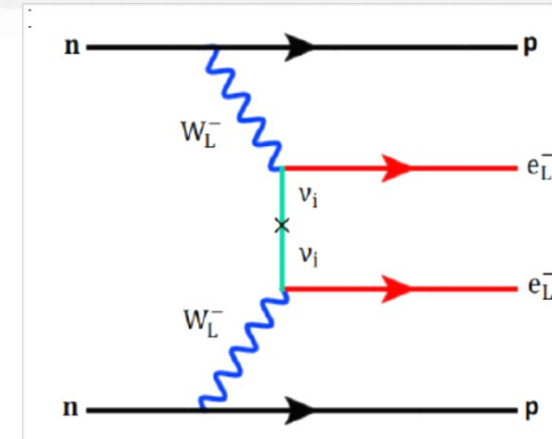
$m_e$ : electron mass

Effective Majorana neutrino mass

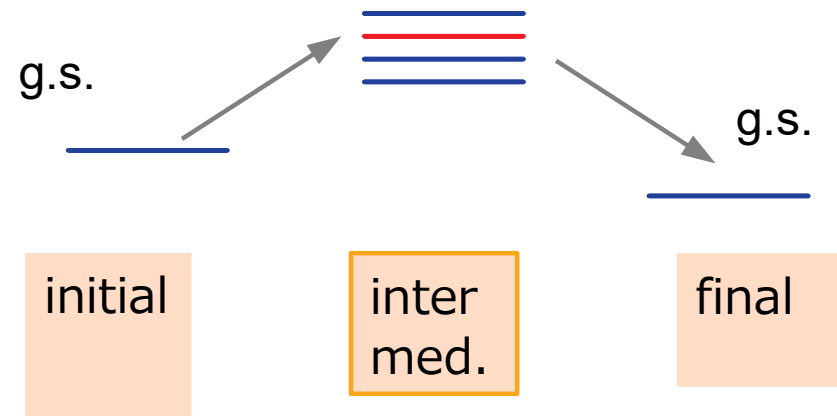
$$\underline{m_{\beta\beta}} = U_{e1}^2 m_1 + U_{e2}^2 m_2 + U_{e3}^2 m_3$$

$U_{ei}$ : Pontecorvo-Maki-Nakagawa-Sakata neutrino mixing matrix

# Theoretical interests from only technical point of view



1. Full version of matrix element  
→ left-right asymmetry, tensor part
2. Closure and non-closure matrix element



# 1. Full version of matrix element

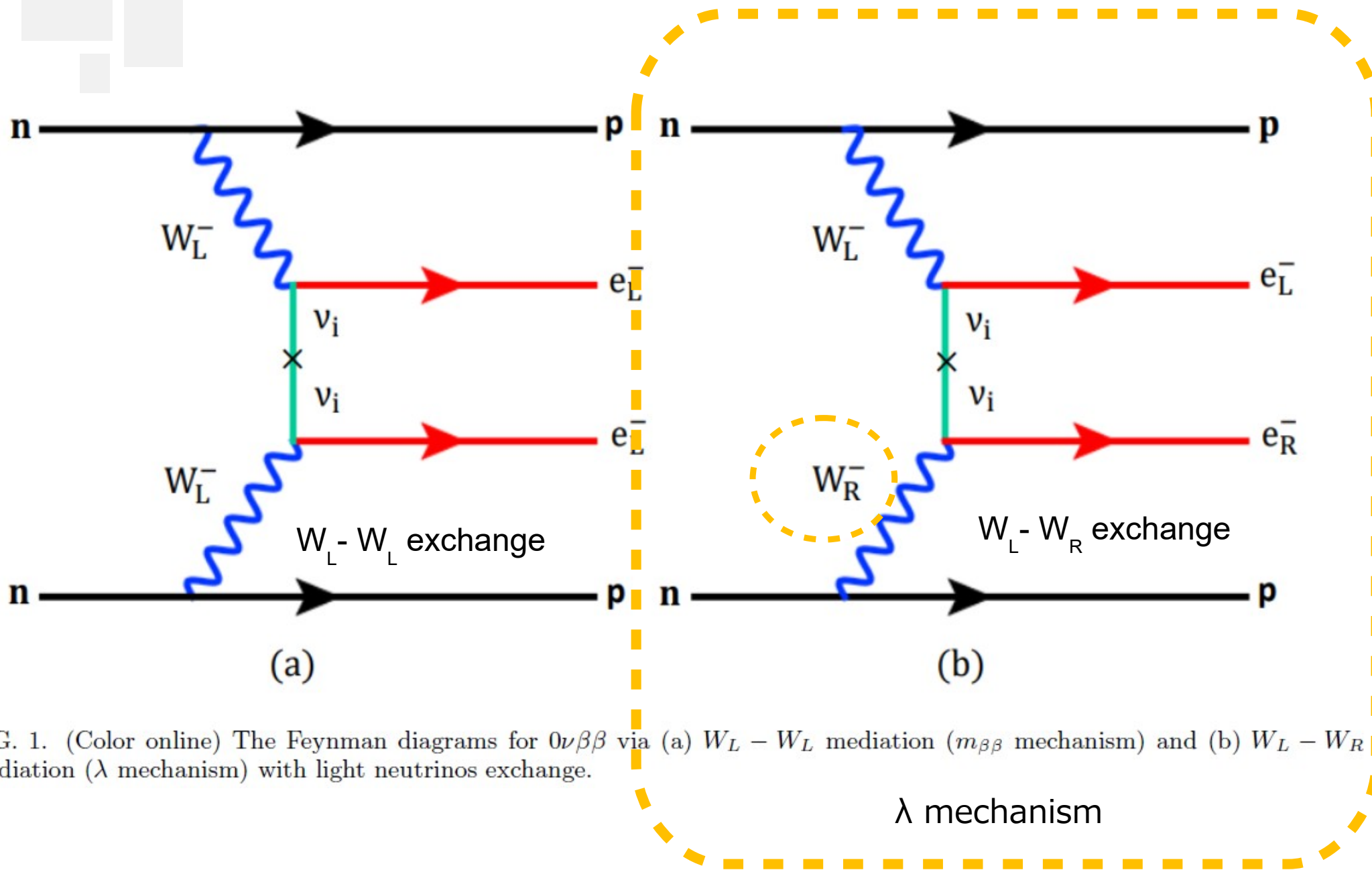
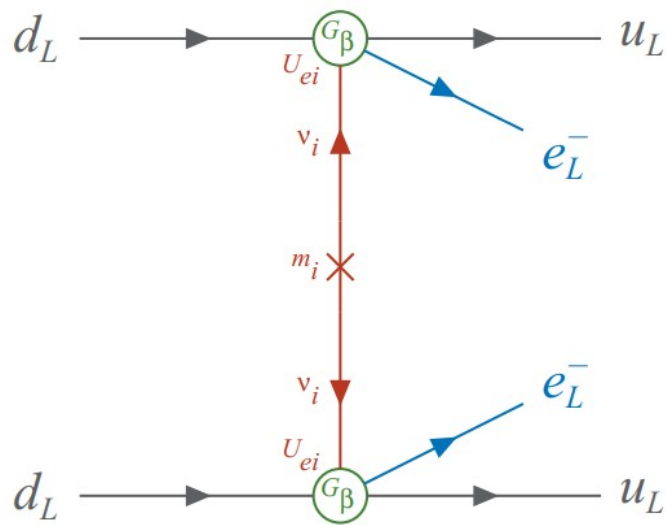
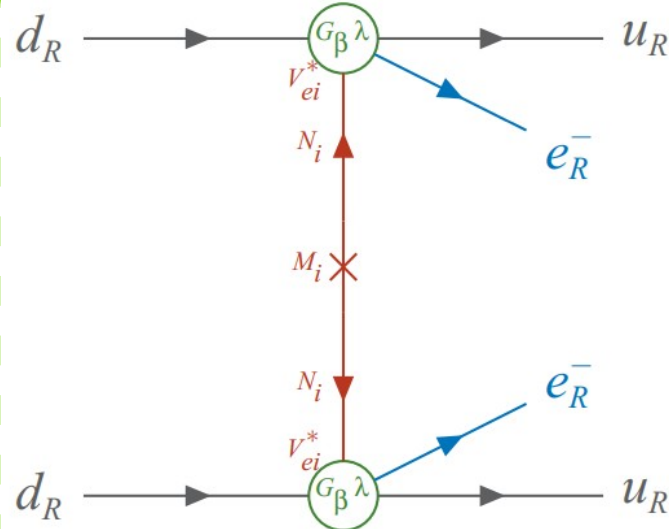


FIG. 1. (Color online) The Feynman diagrams for  $0\nu\beta\beta$  via (a)  $W_L - W_L$  mediation ( $m_{\beta\beta}$  mechanism) and (b)  $W_L - W_R$  mediation ( $\lambda$  mechanism) with light neutrinos exchange.

# Ordinary case

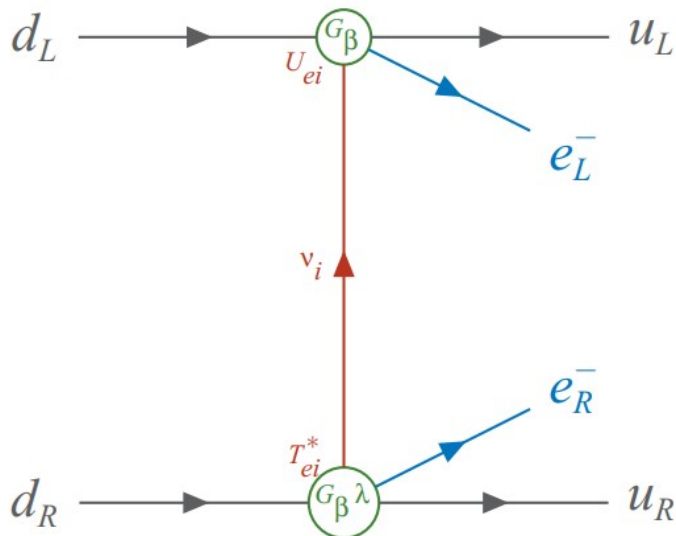


(a) Light neutrino exchange for purely LH currents.  
Diagram  $\propto \eta_m$  arising from  $j_L J_L^\dagger j_L J_L^\dagger$  term.

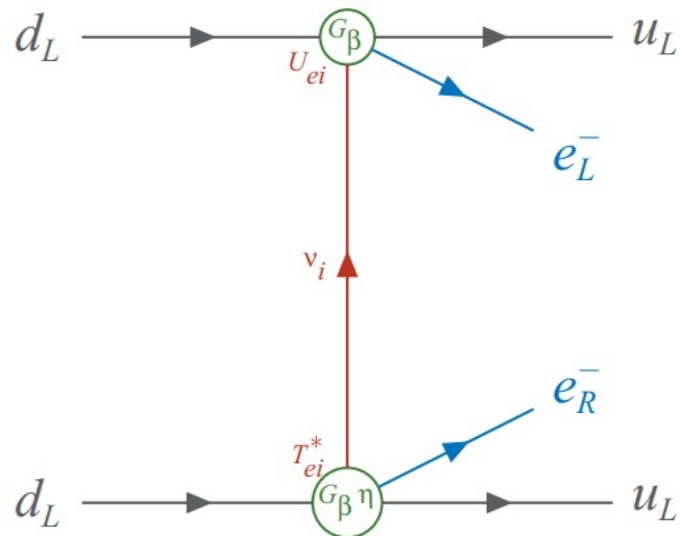


(b) Heavy neutrino exchange for purely RH currents.  
Diagram  $\propto \eta_N$  arising from  $j_R J_R^\dagger j_R J_R^\dagger$  term.

FIG. 2. Relevant diagrams for  $0\nu\beta\beta$  in LRSM for both electrons of same chirality.



(a)  $\lambda$ -diagram due to both LH and RH currents. Diagram  $\propto \eta_\lambda$  arising from  $j_L J_L^\dagger j_R J_R^\dagger$  term.



(b)  $\eta$ -diagram due to gauge boson mixing. Diagram  $\propto \eta_\eta$  arising from  $j_L J_L^\dagger j_R J_L^\dagger$  term.

FIG. 3. Relevant diagrams for  $0\nu\beta\beta$  in LRSM for both electrons of opposite chirality.

# A question in front of us:

is the natural law asymmetric ?

or

Does the **asymmetry** underlie in the property of elementary particle ?

# The $\lambda$ Mechanism of the $0\nu\beta\beta$ -Decay

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The  $\lambda$  mechanism ( $W_L - W_R$  exchange) of the neutrinoless double beta decay ( $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay), which has origin in left-right symmetric model with right-handed gauge boson at TeV scale, is investigated. The revisited formalism of the  $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay, which includes higher order terms of nucleon current, is exploited. The corresponding nuclear matrix elements are calculated within quasiparticle random phase approximation with partial restoration of the isospin symmetry for nuclei of experimental interest. A possibility to distinguish between the conventional light neutrino mass ( $W_L - W_L$  exchange) and  $\lambda$  mechanisms by observation of the  $0\nu\beta\beta$ -decay in several nuclei is discussed. A qualitative comparison of effective lepton number violating couplings associated with these two mechanisms is performed. By making viable assumption about the seesaw type mixing of light and heavy neutrinos with the value of Dirac mass  $m_D$  within the range  $1 \text{ MeV} < m_D < 1 \text{ GeV}$ , it is concluded that there is a dominance of the conventional light neutrino mass mechanism in the decay rate.


**Keywords:** majorana neutrinos, neutrinoless double beta decay, right-handed current, left-right symmetric models, nuclear matrix elements, quasiparticle random phase approximation

## Nuclear matrix elements for the $\lambda$ mechanism of $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay of $^{48}\text{Ca}$ in the nuclear shell-model: Closure versus nonclosure approach

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The  $\lambda$  and  $m_{\beta\beta}$  mechanisms of neutrinoless double beta decay ( $0\nu\beta\beta$ ) occur with light neutrino exchange via  $W_L - W_R$  and  $W_L - W_L$  mediation, respectively. In the present study, we calculate the nuclear matrix elements (NMEs) for the  $m_{\beta\beta}$  and  $\lambda$  mechanisms of  $0\nu\beta\beta$ , which has origin in the left-right symmetric model with right-handed gauge boson at TeV scale. The NMEs are calculated for one of the  $0\nu\beta\beta$  decaying isotope  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  in the interacting nuclear shell-model using the GXPF1A effective interaction of  $pf$  shell. The NMEs are calculated in both closure and nonclosure approaches using four different methods: closure, running closure, running nonclosure, and mixed methods. All the NMEs are calculated incorporating the effects of the finite size of nucleons and the revisited higher-order terms such as pseudoscalar and weak magnetism terms of the nucleon currents. Inclusion of the short-range nature of nucleon-nucleon interaction in Miller-Spencer, CD-Bonn, and AV18 parametrizations is also taken care of. We have used closure energy ( $E$ ) = 0.5 MeV, which is near to the optimal value of closure energy that is extracted by examining the dependence of NMEs with closure energy in closure and mixed methods. The comparative dependence of the running closure and running nonclosure NMEs with the spin-parity of the allowed states of intermediate nucleus  $^{48}\text{Sc}$ , the coupled spin-parity of the two initial decaying neutrons and the final two protons, the cutoff excitation energy of  $^{48}\text{Sc}$ , and the cutoff number of states of  $^{48}\text{Sc}$  are examined. The neutrino momentum and radial distribution of different types of NMEs are explored. It is found that there is a significant enhancement in  $M_{qGT}$ -type NMEs, which originates from the large momentum distribution for the inclusion of the higher-order pseudoscalar term of the nucleon currents.



# Interacting shell model calculations for neutrinoless double beta decay of $^{82}\text{Se}$ with left-right weak boson exchange

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**Table 3.** Results for half-life and bounds on neutrino mass and lepton number violating parameters. The  $T_{1/2}^{0\nu-exp}$  is taken from the experimental lower limit on half-life from Ref. [43] for  $^{82}\text{Se}$  and from Ref. [44] for  $^{48}\text{Ca}$ . All results are for AV18 type SRC parameterizaion. We have assumed CP conservation ( $\psi = 0$ )

Quantity	$^{82}\text{Se}$	$^{48}\text{Ca}$
$T_{1/2}^{0\nu-exp}$ [Years]	$2.5 \times 10^{23}$	$2.0 \times 10^{22}$
$C_{mm}$ [Years] <sup>-1</sup>	$31.21 \times 10^{-14}$	$4.06 \times 10^{-14}$
$C_{m\lambda}$ [Years] <sup>-1</sup>	$10.46 \times 10^{-14}$	$3.37 \times 10^{-14}$
$C_{\lambda\lambda}$ [Years] <sup>-1</sup>	$36.19 \times 10^{-14}$	$5.39 \times 10^{-14}$
$m_{\beta\beta}$ [eV]	1.83	17.92
$\eta_{\lambda}$	$3.32 \times 10^{-6}$	$30.44 \times 10^{-6}$

PHYSICAL REVIEW C **101**, 035504 (2020)**Interference effects for  $0\nu\beta\beta$  decay in the left-right symmetric model**Fahim Ahmed \* and Mihai Horoi †*Department of Physics, Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, Michigan 48859, USA*

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Various mechanisms may contribute to neutrinoless double beta decay in the left-right symmetric model. The interference between these mechanisms also contribute to the overall decay rate. The analysis of the contributions of these interference terms is important for disentangling different mechanisms. In the present paper we study interference effects contributing to the decay rate for neutrinoless double- $\beta$  decay in the left-right symmetric model. The numerical values for maximum interference for several nuclides are calculated. It is observed that, for most of the interference terms, the contribution is smaller than 20% for all the nuclei considered in the study. However, the interference between the mass mechanisms (light and heavy) and  $\eta$  mechanism is observed to be in the range 30%–50%. The variation of the interference effect with the  $Q$  values is also studied.

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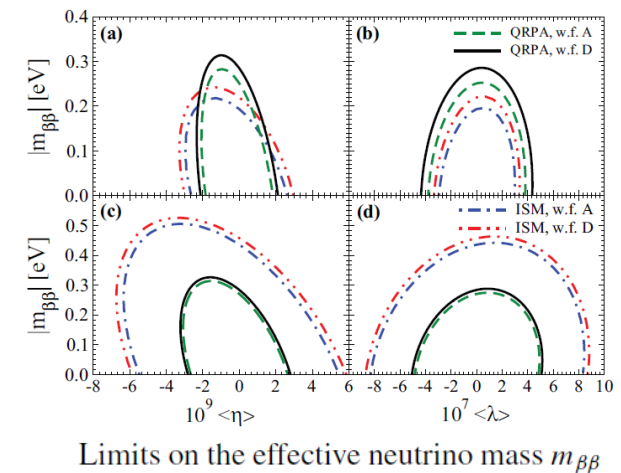
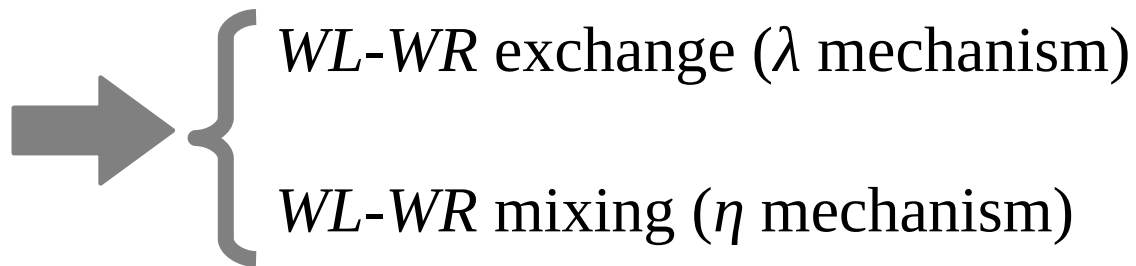
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# Reexamining the light neutrino exchange mechanism of the $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay with left- and right-handed leptonic and hadronic currents

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## Left-right symmetric model



Starting point of the recent r-handed works in DBD

# Left right symmetric model

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V. Khachatryan *et al.* (CMS Collaboration), *Eur. Phys. J. C* **74**, 3149 (2014).

$$\begin{pmatrix} W_L^- \\ W_R^- \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \zeta & \sin \zeta \\ -\sin \zeta & \cos \zeta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} W_1^- \\ W_2^- \end{pmatrix}$$

LHC  
experiment

$$M_{W_1} < M_{W_2}$$

$$SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_{B-L}$$

**Higgs mechanism** The Higgs sector contains a bidoublet  $\phi$  and two triplets  $\Delta_L$  and  $\Delta_R$  with vacuum expectation values (VEVs)  $v_L$  and  $v_R$ , respectively. The VEVs fulfill the condition  $v_L v_R = v^2$ . The VEV  $v_R$  breaks  $SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_{B-L}$  to  $U(1)_Y$  and generates masses for the right-handed  $W_R$  and  $Z_R$  gauge bosons and the heavy neutrinos.

# Leptonic current

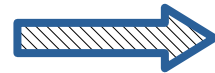
$$j_L^\rho = \bar{e} \gamma_\rho (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_{eL}, \quad j_R^\rho = \bar{e} \gamma_\rho (1 + \gamma_5) \nu_{eR}$$

$$\nu_{eL} = \sum_{j=1}^3 (U_{ej} \nu_{jL} + S_{ej} (N_{jR})^C),$$

$\nu_{eL}, \nu_{eR}$ : the weak eigenstate of electron neutrinos

$$\nu_{eR} = \sum_{j=1}^3 (T_{ej}^* (\nu_{jL})^C + V_{ej}^* N_{jR}).$$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} U & S \\ T & V \end{pmatrix}$$



diagonalize

$$\mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} M_L & M_D \\ M_D^T & M_R \end{pmatrix}$$

basis  $(\nu_L, (N_R)^C)^T$

Majorana and Dirac mass terms

decompose

prop. to Yukawa coupls.  $M_L \approx y_M \nu_L$ ,  $M_R \approx y_M \nu_R$ , and  $M_D \approx y_D \nu$ ,

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & U_0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A & R \\ S & B \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} V_0 & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{pmatrix}$$

neglecting the mixing between different generations of light and heavy neutrinos.

$$A \approx \mathbf{1}, \quad B \approx \mathbf{1}, \quad R \approx \frac{m_D}{m_{\text{LNV}}} \mathbf{1}, \quad S \approx -\frac{m_D}{m_{\text{LNV}}} \mathbf{1}$$

$m_{\text{LNV}}$  is the total lepton number violating scale

# Hadronic current (with nonrelativistic assump.)

$$J_L^{\rho\dagger}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_n \tau_n^+ \delta(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{r}_n) \left[ (g_V - g_A C_n) g^{\rho 0} + g^{\rho k} \left( g_A \sigma_n^k - g_V D_n^k - g_P q_n^k \frac{\vec{\sigma}_n \cdot \mathbf{q}_n}{2m_N} \right) \right],$$

$\mathbf{q}_n = \mathbf{p}_n - \mathbf{p}'_n$   
the momentum transfer  
between the nucleons

$$J_R^{\rho\dagger}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_n \tau_n^+ \delta(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{r}_n) \left[ (g'_V + g'_A C_n) g^{\rho 0} + g^{\rho k} \left( -g'_A \sigma_n^k - g'_V D_n^k + g'_P q_n^k \frac{\vec{\sigma}_n \cdot \mathbf{q}_n}{2m_N} \right) \right].$$

Nucleon recoil operator

$$C_n = \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot (\mathbf{p}_n + \mathbf{p}'_n)}{2m_N} - \frac{g_P}{g_A} (E_n - E'_n) \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{q}_n}{2m_N},$$

$$\mathbf{D}_n = \frac{(\mathbf{p}_n + \mathbf{p}'_n)}{2m_N} - i \left( 1 + \frac{g_M}{g_V} \right) \frac{\vec{\sigma} \times \mathbf{q}_n}{2m_N}.$$

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# Current-current interaction

$$SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_{B-L}$$

Effective current-current interaction acting on DBD

$$H^\beta = \frac{G_\beta}{\sqrt{2}} [j_L^\rho J_{L\rho}^\dagger + \chi j_L^\rho J_{R\rho}^\dagger + \eta j_R^\rho J_{L\rho}^\dagger + \lambda j_R^\rho J_{R\rho}^\dagger + \text{H.c.}]$$

$$\eta \simeq -\tan \zeta \quad \lambda \simeq (M_{W_1}/M_{W_2})^2$$

$$\chi = \eta$$

$$G_\beta = G_F \cos \theta_C$$

$G_F$ : Fermi const.

$\theta_c$ : Cabibo angle

Leptonic current

$$j_L^\rho = \bar{e} \gamma_\rho (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_{eL}, \quad j_R^\rho = \bar{e} \gamma_\rho (1 + \gamma_5) \nu_{eR}$$

$\nu_{eL}, \nu_{eR}$ : the weak eigenstate electron neutrinos

# Half-life &

in left-right symmetric model

# nuclear matrix element (NME)

$$\begin{aligned} [T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} &= \frac{\Gamma^{0\nu}}{\ln 2} \quad \text{Only GT is shown here} \\ &= g_A^4 |M_{GT}|^2 \left\{ C_{mm} \left( \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|}{m_e} \right)^2 + C_{m\lambda} \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|}{m_e} \langle \lambda \rangle \cos \psi_1 \right. \\ &\quad + C_{m\eta} \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|}{m_e} \langle \eta \rangle \cos \psi_2 + C_{\lambda\lambda} \langle \lambda \rangle^2 + C_{\eta\eta} \langle \eta \rangle^2 \\ &\quad \left. + C_{\lambda\eta} \langle \lambda \rangle \langle \eta \rangle \cos (\psi_1 - \psi_2) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

To be compared to ...

$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} = G^{0\nu}(Q, Z) g_A^4 |M^{0\nu}|^2 \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|^2}{m_e^2}$$



# Neutrinoless DBD

## Matrix element

in **left-right symmetric model**

Half life (used in the modern works;  **$\eta$  terms are ignored**)

$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} = \eta_\nu^2 C_{mm} + \eta_\lambda^2 C_{\lambda\lambda} + \eta_\nu \eta_\lambda \cos \psi C_{m\lambda}$$

usual WL-WL exchange

New

Effective lepton number violation parameters

$$\eta_\nu = \frac{m_{\beta\beta}}{m_e}, \quad \eta_\lambda = \lambda \left| \sum_{j=1}^3 m_j U_{ej} T_{ej}^* \right|,$$

$$\psi = \arg \left[ \left( \sum_{j=1}^3 m_j U_{ej}^2 \right) \left( \sum_{j=1}^3 U_{ej} T_{ej}^* \right) \right]$$

[Simkovic 2017] For Ca,

$$\eta_\nu = 2.23 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\eta_\lambda = 2.24 \times 10^{-5}$$

[Stefanik 2015]

$G_{09}$	$10^{-9}$
$G_{08}$	$10^{-11}$
$G_{07}$	$10^{-10}$
$G_{06}$	$10^{-12}$
$G_{05}$	$10^{-13}$
$G_{02}$	
$G_{01}$	$10^{-14}$
$G_{10}$	
$G_{03}$	
$G_{11}$	$10^{-15}$
$G_{04}$	

Matrix element

$$C_{mm} = g_A^4 M_\nu^2 G_{01},$$

small~1/10 small~1/10

$$C_{m\lambda} = -g_A^4 M_\nu (M_2 G_{03} - M_1 G_{04})$$

$$C_{\lambda\lambda} = g_A^4 M_2^2 G_{02} + \frac{1}{9} M_1^2 G_{011} - \frac{2}{9} M_1 M_2 G_{010}$$

large~\*10 small~1/10 ~\*1

accurate  $G_{oi}$ : phase space factor  
( $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 11$ )

$$g_A = 1.27$$

bare

Pontecorvo-Maki-Nakagawa-Sakata matrix

# Detail of calculations

$$M_{\alpha}^{0\nu} = \langle f | \tau_{-1} \tau_{-2} \mathcal{O}_{12}^{\alpha} | i \rangle \quad \text{F, GT, T}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{12}^{GT, \omega GT, qGT} = \tau_{1-} \tau_{2-} (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) H_{GT, \omega GT, qGT}(r, E_k),$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{12}^{F, \omega F, qF} = \tau_{1-} \tau_{2-} H_{F, \omega F, qF}(r, E_k),$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{12}^{T, \omega T, qT} = \tau_{1-} \tau_{2-} S_{12} H_{T, \omega T, qT}(r, E_k),$$

$$S_{12} = 3(\sigma_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}})(\sigma_2 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}) - (\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2), \quad \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2$$

$$M_{\nu} = M_{GT} - \frac{M_F}{g_A^2} + M_T,$$

$$M_{\nu\omega} = M_{\omega GT} - \frac{M_{\omega F}}{g_A^2} + M_{\omega T},$$

$$M_{1+} = M_{qGT} + 3 \frac{M_{qF}}{g_A^2} - 6M_{qT},$$

$$M_{2-} = M_{\nu\omega} - \frac{1}{9} M_{1+}$$

$$H_{\alpha}(r, E_k) = \frac{2R}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{f_{\alpha}(q, r) q dq}{q + E_k - (E_i + E_f)/2}$$

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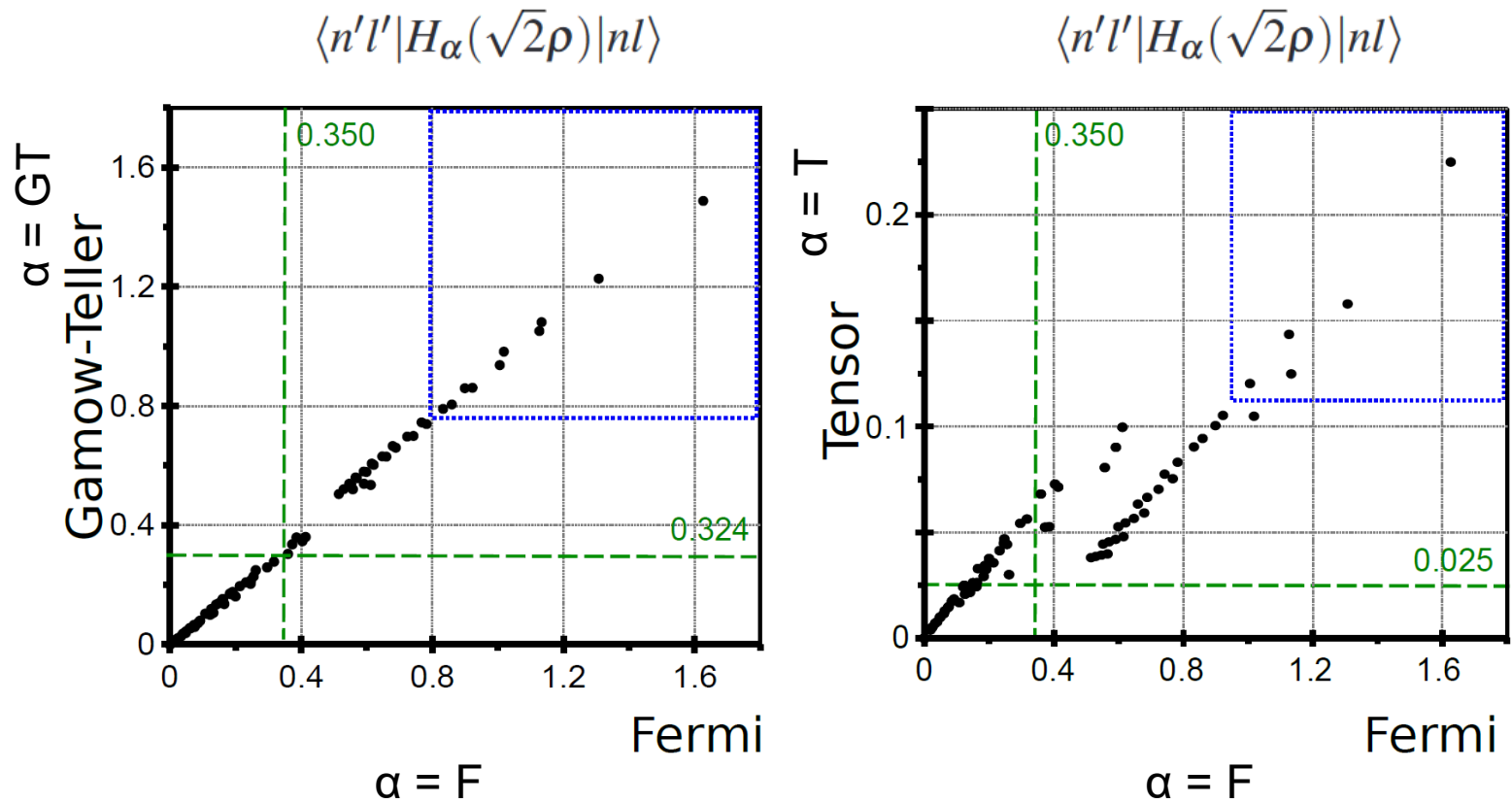
finite nucleon size (FNS)  
higher-order currents (HOC)

# Tensor part ?

$$\langle n'l' | H_\alpha(\sqrt{2}\rho) | nl \rangle$$

$\alpha = F, GT, T$  (Fermi, Gamow-Teller, and tensor parts)

Standard  
mechanism



All the cases are examined for ...

$n, n' = 0, 1, \dots, 3$

$l, l' = 0, 1, \dots, 6$

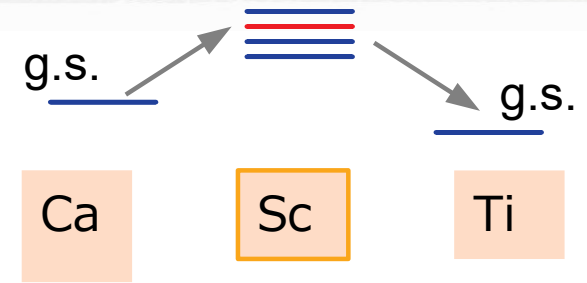
# 2. Non-closure approx.

## Four methods

- Closure
  - Running Closure
  - Running non-closure
- ↓
- Mixed

Running treatment

$$\sum_{J_k, J, E_k^* \leq E_c}$$



Closure:

$$H_\alpha(r) = \frac{2R}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{f_\alpha(q, r) q dq}{q + \langle E \rangle}$$

Non-closure:

$$H_\alpha(r, E_k) = \frac{2R}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{f_\alpha(q, r) q dq}{q + E_k - (E_i + E_f)/2}$$

Running closure

$$\bar{M}_\alpha^{0\nu}(E_c) = M_\alpha^{0\nu}(E_c) - \mathcal{M}_\alpha^{0\nu}(E_c) + \mathcal{M}_\alpha^{0\nu}$$

Running non-closure

Closure

# Closure approximation ?

## $^{48}\text{Ca}$

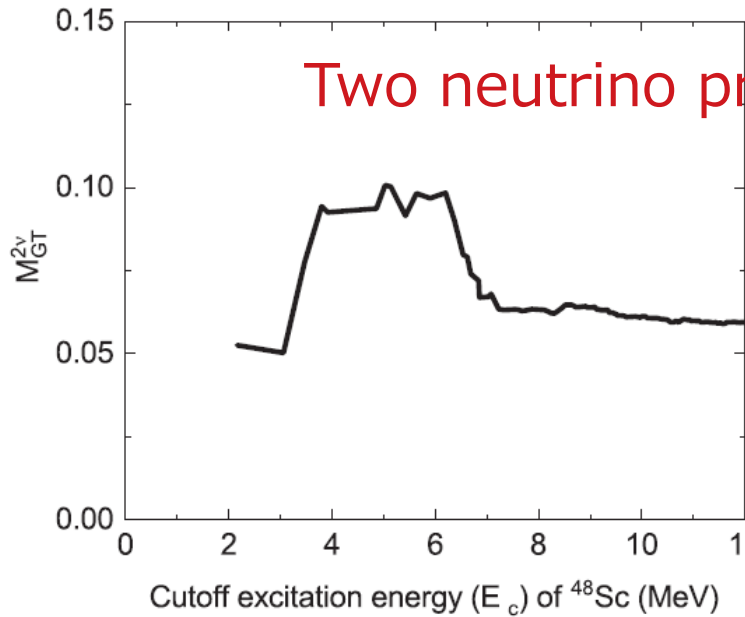


FIG. 10. Variation of NME for  $2\nu\beta\beta$  of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  with cutoff excitation energy ( $E_c$ ) of  $1^+$  states of the virtual intermediate nucleus  $^{48}\text{Si}$ .

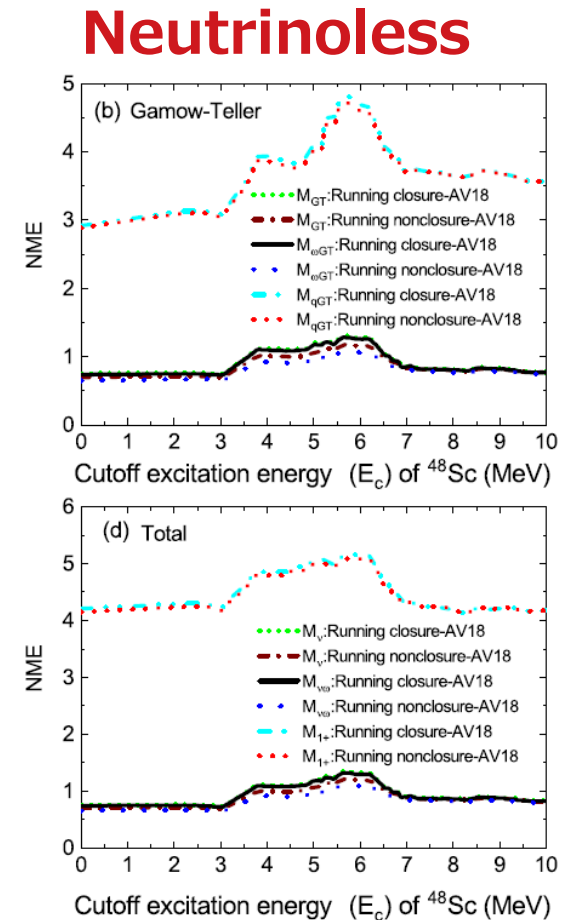
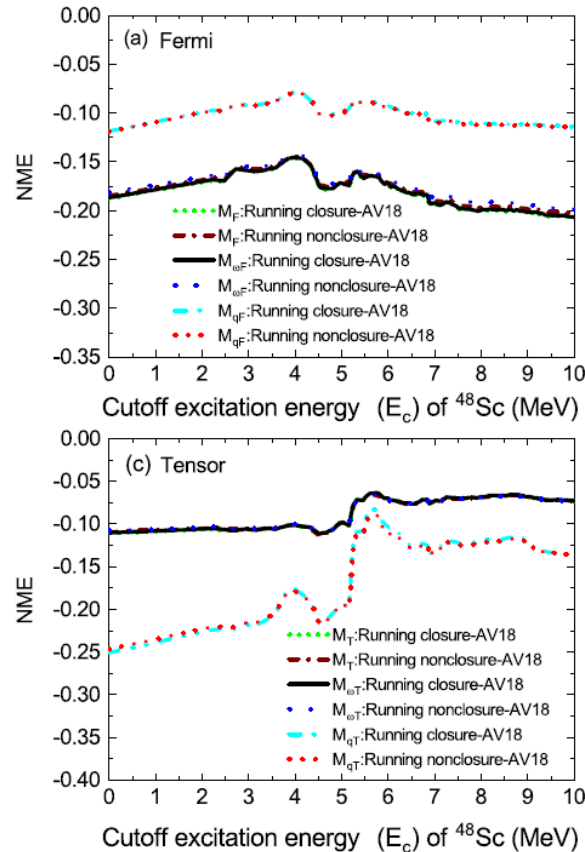
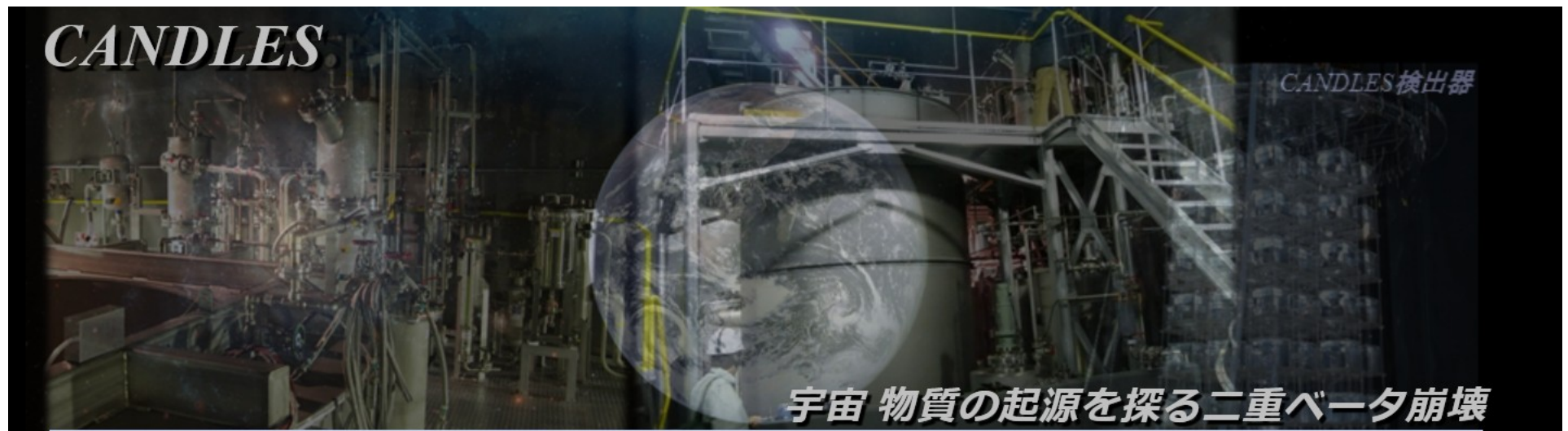
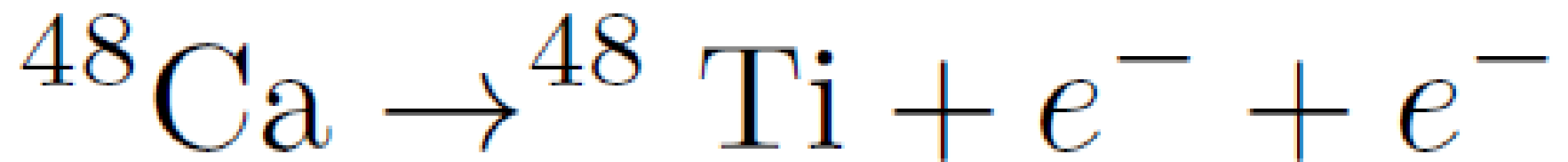


FIG. 8. Variation of (a) Fermi, (b) Gamow-Teller, (c) tensor, and (d) total NMEs for  $0\nu\beta\beta$  ( $m_{\beta\beta}$  and  $\lambda$  mechanisms) of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  with cutoff excitation energy ( $E_c$ ) of states of virtual intermediate nucleus  $^{48}\text{Si}$ . NMEs are calculated with total GXPF1A interaction for AV18 SRC parametrization in the running closure and running nonclosure methods. For the running closure method, closure energy  $\langle E \rangle = 0.5$  MeV

# DBD of $^{48}\text{Ca}$



## Large-Scale Shell-Model Analysis of the Neutrinoless $\beta\beta$ Decay of $^{48}\text{Ca}$

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We present the nuclear matrix element for the neutrinoless double-beta decay of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  based on large-scale shell-model calculations including two harmonic oscillator shells ( $sd$  and  $pf$  shells). The excitation spectra of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  and  $^{48}\text{Ti}$ , and the two-neutrino double-beta decay of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  are reproduced in good agreement to the experimental data. We find that the neutrinoless double-beta decay nuclear matrix element is enhanced by about 30% compared to  $pf$ -shell calculations. This reduces the decay lifetime by almost a factor of 2. The matrix-element increase is mostly due to pairing correlations associated with cross-shell  $sd$ - $pf$  excitations. We also investigate possible implications for heavier neutrinoless double-beta decay candidates.

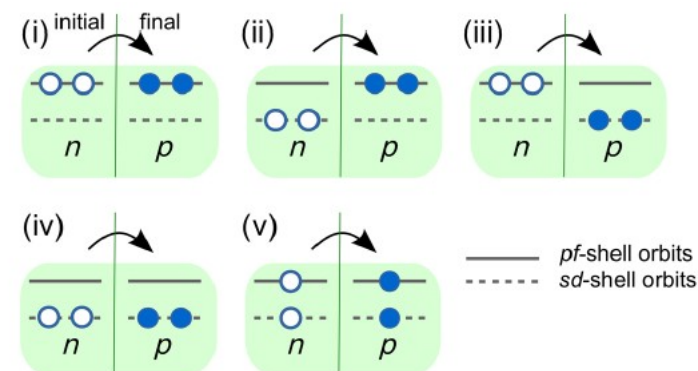
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TABLE I. NME value for the  $^{48}\text{Ca}$   $0\nu\beta\beta$  decay. The  $pf$ -shell calculation with GXPF1B is compared to the  $sdpf$   $2\hbar\omega$  results obtained with the SDPFMU-DB and SDPFMU interactions. Total values ( $M^{0\nu}$ ) are shown together with Gamow-Teller ( $M_{\text{GT}}^{0\nu}$ ), Fermi ( $M_{\text{F}}^{0\nu}$ ), and tensor ( $M_{\text{T}}^{0\nu}$ ) parts. Argonne- and CD-Bonn-type short-range correlations (SRC) are considered.

SRC	GXPF1B				SDPFMU-DB				SDPFMU			
	$M_{\text{GT}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{F}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{T}}^{0\nu}$	$M^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{GT}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{F}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{T}}^{0\nu}$	$M^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{GT}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{F}}^{0\nu}$	$M_{\text{T}}^{0\nu}$	$M^{0\nu}$
None	0.776	-0.216	-0.077	0.833	0.997	-0.304	-0.067	1.118	0.894	-0.291	-0.068	1.007
CD-Bonn	0.809	-0.233	-0.074	0.880	1.045	-0.327	-0.065	1.183	0.939	-0.313	-0.065	1.068
Argonne	0.743	-0.213	-0.075	0.801	0.953	-0.300	-0.065	1.073	0.852	-0.288	-0.068	0.963

TABLE II. NME decomposition of Eq. (4), for a  $sdpf$   $2\hbar\omega$  SDPFMU-DB calculation without short-range correlations. The total value is shown along with the contributions of  $J^\pi = 0^+$  and all remaining pairs.

	$\mathcal{M}_1^{0\nu}$	$\mathcal{M}_2^{0\nu}$	$\mathcal{M}_3^{0\nu}$	$\mathcal{M}_4^{0\nu}$	$\mathcal{M}_5^{0\nu}$
Total	0.915	0.168	0.269	0.220	-0.454
$J^\pi = 0^+$	4.193	0.364	0.379	0.255	0.000
$J^\pi = 0^-, J > 0$	-3.278	-0.196	-0.109	-0.035	-0.454



# NME values

$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} = \eta_\nu^2 C_{mm} + \eta_\lambda^2 C_{\lambda\lambda} + \eta_\nu \eta_\lambda \cos \psi C_{m\lambda}$$

NME	SRC	Closure	Running closure	Running nonclosure	Mixed
$M_\nu$	None	0.765	0.765	0.836	
$M_\nu$	Miller-Spencer	0.504	0.505	0.566	<b>x 1</b>
$M_\nu$	CD-Bonn	0.799	0.799	0.874	
$M_\nu$	AV18	0.725	0.725	0.798	
$M_{1+}$	None	3.937	3.898	3.989	
$M_{1+}$	Miller-Spencer	3.430	3.389	3.480	<b>x 5</b>
$M_{1+}$	CD-Bonn	4.221	4.183	4.356	
$M_{1+}$	AV18	4.101	4.061	4.158	
$M_{2-}$	None	0.275	0.279	0.378	
$M_{2-}$	Miller-Spencer	0.085	0.090	0.172	<b>x 1/2</b>
$M_{2-}$	CD-Bonn	0.271	0.276	0.372	
$M_{2-}$	AV18	0.214	0.220	0.319	

$$C_{mm} = g_A^4 M_\nu^2 G_{01}, \quad *1 \text{ (std)}$$

$$C_{m\lambda} = -g_A^4 M_\nu (M_{2-} G_{03} - M_{1+} G_{04})$$

$$C_{\lambda\lambda} = g_A^4 (M_{2-}^2 G_{02} + \frac{1}{9} M_{1+}^2 G_{011} - \frac{2}{9} M_{1+} M_{2-} G_{010})$$

large ~ \*10    small ~ 1/10    ~\*1

**Effect should not be negligible.**

$C_{\lambda\lambda}$  1<sup>st</sup> : enlarged amplitude (\*5)

$C_{\lambda\lambda}$  2<sup>nd</sup> : comparable amplitude (\*1/2)

$C_{\lambda\lambda}$  3<sup>rd</sup> : enlarged amplitude (\*2.5)



# NME values

we have found  
the large WR-WL effect

almost 2 times larger than WL-WL

$$g_V(q^2) = \frac{g_V}{\left(1 + \frac{q^2}{M_V^2}\right)^2},$$

$$g_A(q^2) = \frac{g_A}{\left(1 + \frac{q^2}{M_A^2}\right)^2},$$

$$g_M(q^2) = (\mu_p - \mu_n)g_V(q^2),$$

$$g_P(q^2) = \frac{2m_p g_A(q^2)}{(q^2 + m_\pi^2)} \left(1 - \frac{m_\pi^2}{M_A^2}\right)$$

Previous shell model calculation did not  
calculate/find the importance of 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> terms

Not calculated in  
**Horoi, Neascu, PRC 2018**

$$f_{GT}(q, r) = \frac{j_0(qr)}{g_A^2} \left( g_A^2(q^2) - \frac{g_A(q^2)g_P(q^2)}{m_N} \frac{q^2}{3} + \frac{g_P^2(q^2)}{4m_N^2} \frac{q^4}{3} + \left( 2 \frac{g_M^2(q^2)}{4m_N^2} \frac{q^2}{3} \right) \right), \quad (15)$$

$$f_F(q, r) = g_V^2(q^2)j_0(qr), \quad (16)$$

$$f_T(q, r) = \frac{j_2(qr)}{g_A^2} \left( \frac{g_A(q^2)g_P(q^2)}{m_N} \frac{q^2}{3} - \frac{g_P^2(q^2)}{4m_N^2} \frac{q^4}{3} + \frac{g_M^2(q^2)}{4m_N^2} \frac{q^2}{3} \right), \quad (17)$$

$$f_{\omega GT}(q, r) = \frac{q}{(q + E_k - (E_i + E_f)/2)} f_{GT}(q, r), \quad (18)$$

$$f_{\omega F}(q, r) = \frac{q}{(q + E_k - (E_i + E_f)/2)} f_F(q, r), \quad (19)$$

$$f_{\omega T}(q, r) = \frac{q}{(q + E_k - (E_i + E_f)/2)} f_T(q, r), \quad (20)$$

$$f_{qGT}(q, r) = \left( \frac{g_A^2(q^2)}{g_A^2} q + 3 \frac{g_P^2(q^2)}{g_A^2} \frac{q^5}{4m_N^2} + \frac{g_A(q^2)g_P(q^2)}{g_A^2} \frac{q^3}{m_N} \right) r j_1(q, r), \quad (21)$$

$$f_{qF}(q, r) = r g_V^2(q^2) j_1(qr) q, \quad (22)$$

$$f_{qT}(q, r) = \frac{r}{3} \left( \left( \frac{g_A^2(q^2)}{g_A^2} q - \frac{g_P(q^2)g_A(q^2)}{2g_A^2} \frac{q^3}{m_N} \right) j_1(qr) - \left( 9 \frac{g_P^2(q^2)}{2g_A^2} \frac{q^5}{20m_N^2} [2j_1(qr)/3 - j_3(qr)] \right) \right),$$

# Heavy neutrino potential (by focusing on tensor part)

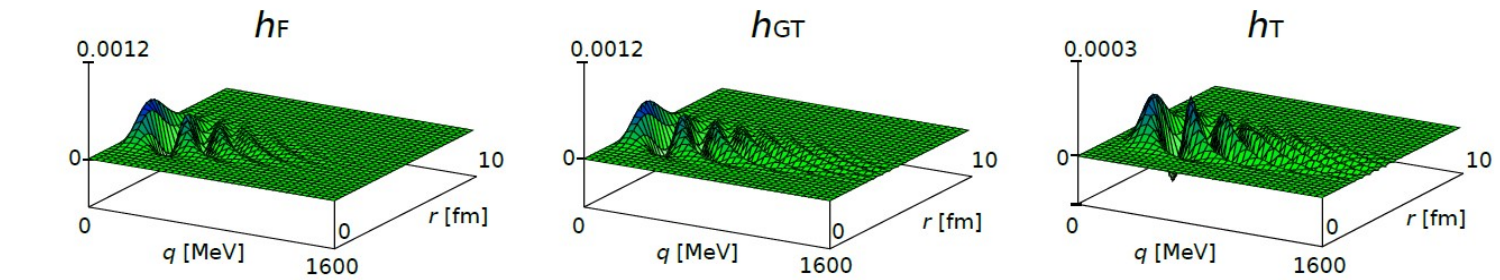
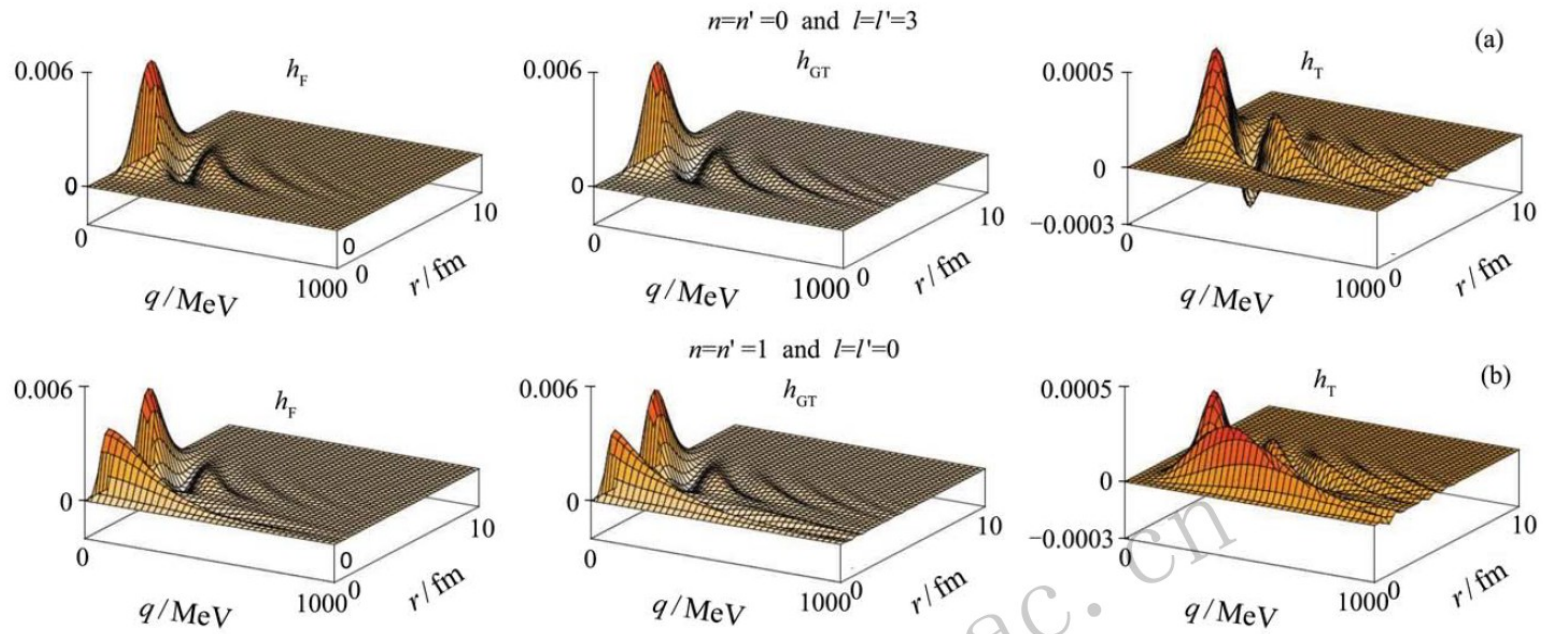
$$[T_{0\nu}^{1/2}]^{-1} = G \left\{ |M^{0\nu}|^2 \left( \frac{m_\nu}{m_e} \right)^2 + |M^{0N}|^2 (\eta_N)^2 \right\}$$

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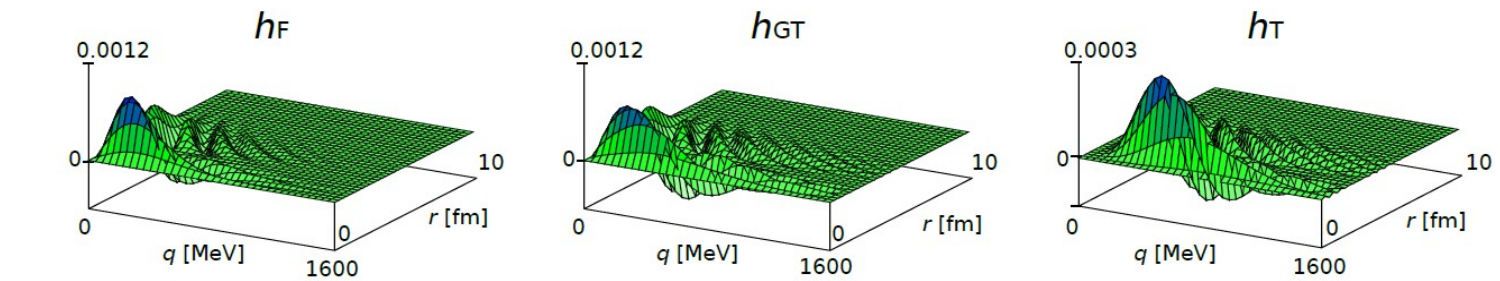
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$$[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}]^{-1} = G^{0\nu}(Q, Z) g_A^4 |M^{0\nu}|^2 \frac{|m_{\beta\beta}|^2}{m_e^2}$$

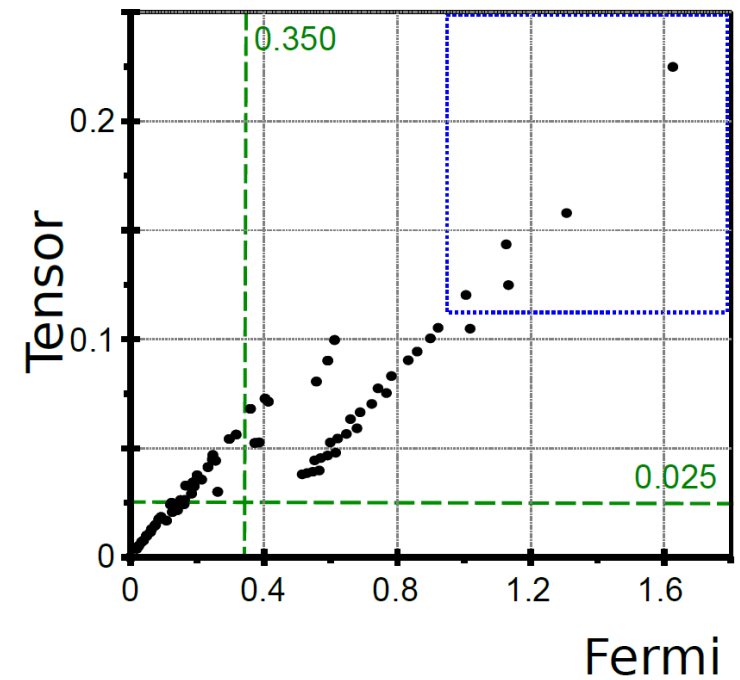
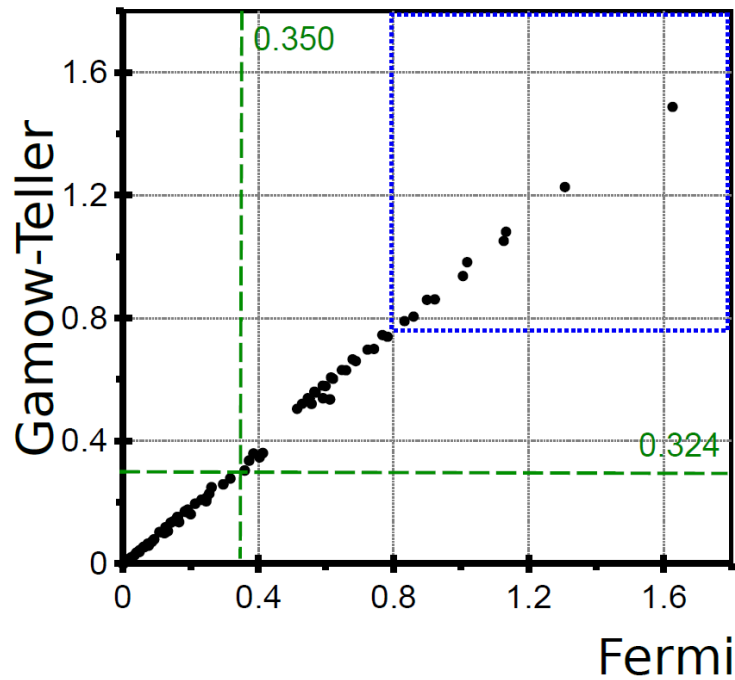
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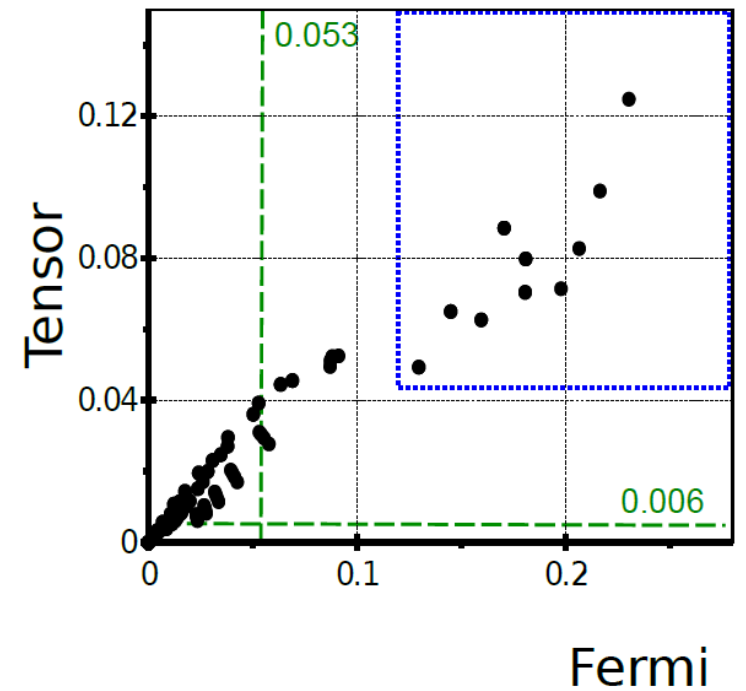
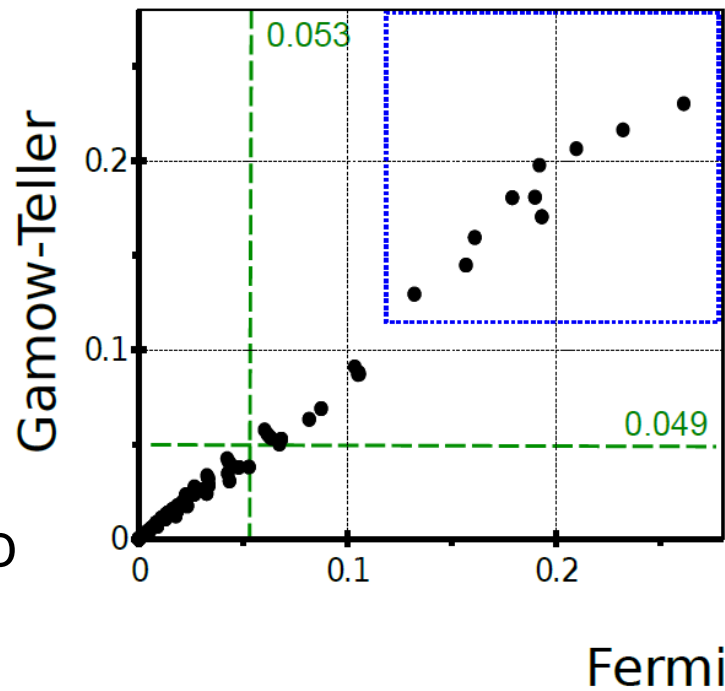
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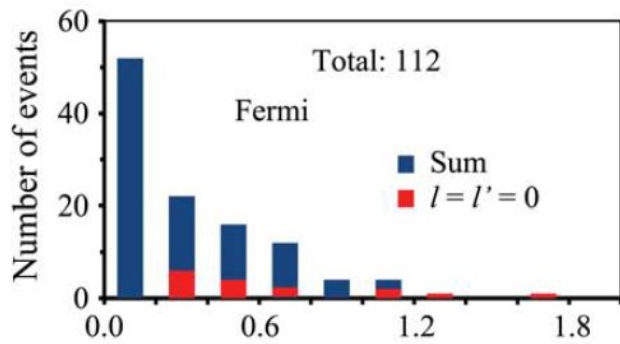


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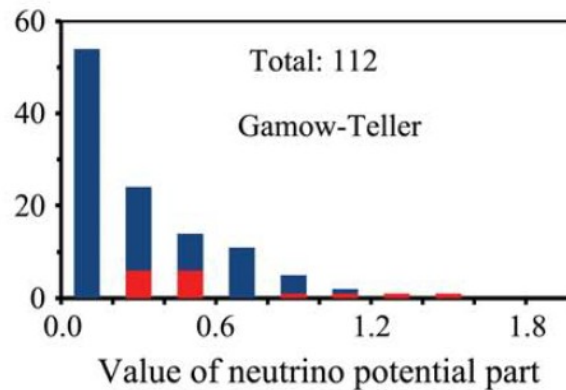


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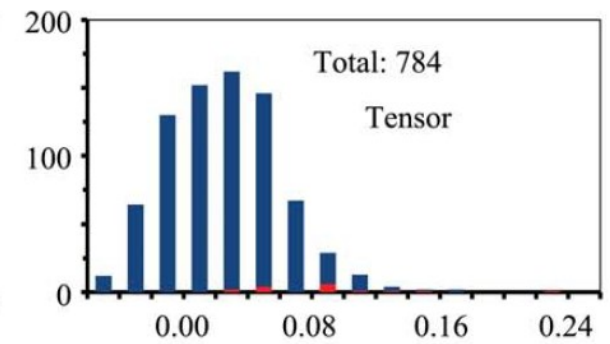
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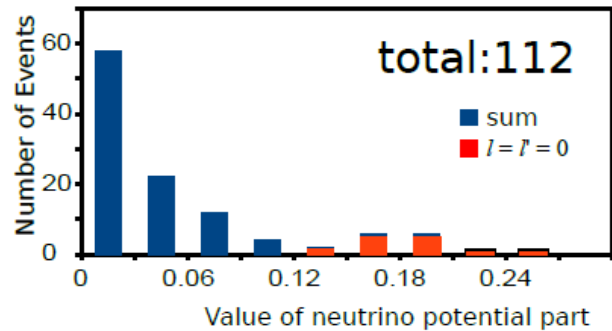


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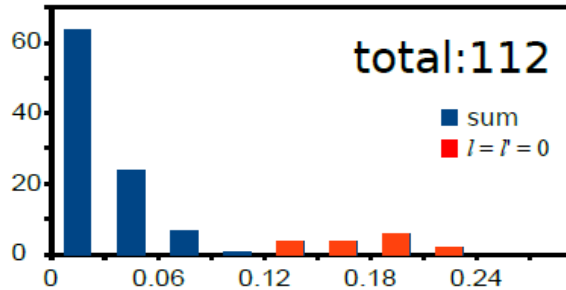


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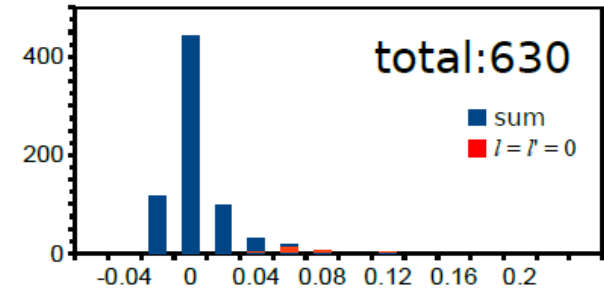
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# Relation to nuclear structure (charge exchange, 2ν process)

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## Double Gamow-Teller Transitions and its Relation to Neutrinoless $\beta\beta$ Decay

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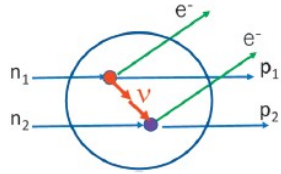
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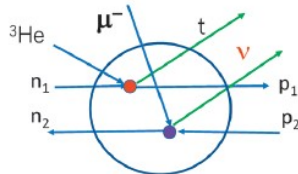
We study the double Gamow-Teller (DGT) strength distribution of  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  with state-of-the-art large-scale nuclear shell model calculations. Our analysis shows that the centroid energy of the DGT giant resonance depends mostly on the isovector pairing interaction, while the resonance width is more sensitive to isoscalar pairing. Pairing correlations are also key in neutrinoless  $\beta\beta$  ( $0\nu\beta\beta$ ) decay. We find a simple relation between the centroid energy of the  $^{48}\text{Ca}$  DGT giant resonance and the  $0\nu\beta\beta$  decay nuclear matrix element. More generally, we observe a very good linear correlation between the DGT transition to the ground state of the final nucleus and the  $0\nu\beta\beta$  decay matrix element. The correlation, which originates on the dominant short-range character of both transitions, extends to heavier systems including several  $\beta\beta$  emitters and also holds in energy-density functional results. Our findings suggest that DGT experiments can be a very valuable tool to obtain information on the value of  $0\nu\beta\beta$  decay nuclear matrix elements.

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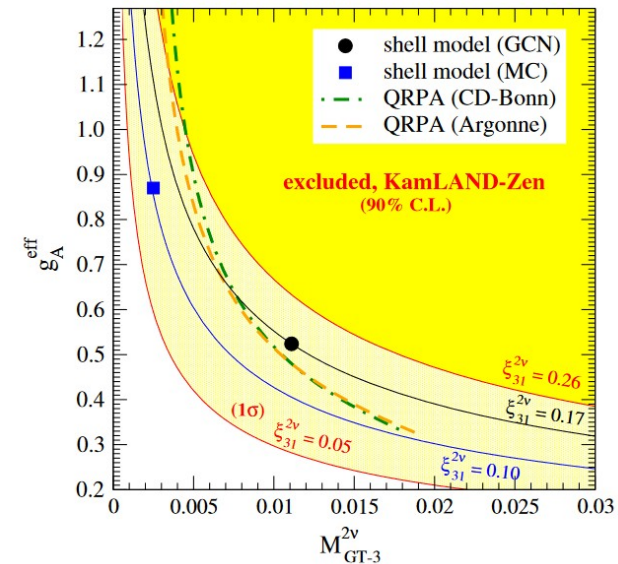
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# Vicinity of $^{76}\text{Ge}$ , $^{82}\text{Se}$ , $^{90}\text{Br}$

- two neutrino DBD
- single beta decay
- Gamow-Teller transition

## Interacting shell model calculations for neutrinoless double beta decay of $^{82}\text{Se}$ with left-right weak boson exchange

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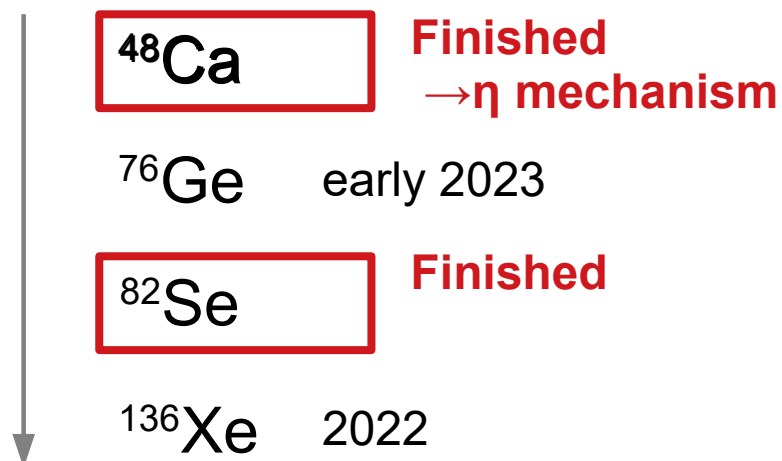
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### Calculation in progress



### Our package

- non-closure approx.
- tensor part included
- full expression of Npot. (left-right symmetric)
- parallel with two-neutrino DBD