



# Nuclear Field Theory as a complete description of Nuclear Structure Andrea Idini

F. Barranco, <u>R. A. Broglia</u>, G. Potel, E. Vigezzi B. A. Brown, K. Langanke, <u>G. Martinez-Pinedo</u>

A.I. et al. PRC 85:014331 (2012)
A.I. et al. <u>arXiv:1404.7365</u> [nucl-th]
A.I. PhD Thesis «Renormalization Effects in Nuclei»

Computational Challenges in Nuclear and Manybody Physics

### We can see Nuclei organize as a many-body system using Two Degrees of Freedom



Hartree-Fock mean Field

**Random Phase Approximation** 



<sup>120</sup>Sn

### excitation spectrum





# Superfluidity

Different behaviour from even to odd nuclei!

<u>Fermions pair together</u> in bound states (Cooper pairs): (quasi)bosons







The Two Degrees of Freedom Talk between each other...

Scattering Vertex (QRPA)  $j_2$ ,  $\lambda_v^{\pi}$  $j_1$ 



...and the correlations renormalize the properties of the system.



Challenge the shortcomings of Mean Field!

### Nuclear Field Theory Approach



Green's function can consistently propagate perturbation processes to the *infinite order*:

### Nuclear Field Theory Approach



 $G_i = G_i^{HF} + G_i \Sigma G_i^{HF} \implies G_i^{-1} = G_i^{HF^{-1}} - \Sigma$ 

| ( | $\Sigma^{11}_{hh}$ | $\Sigma^{11}_{hp}$ | $\Sigma_{hh}^{12}$ | $\Sigma_{hp}^{12}$ |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
|   | $\Sigma^{11}_{ph}$ | $\Sigma_{pp}^{11}$ | $\Sigma_{ph}^{12}$ | $\Sigma_{pp}^{12}$ |
| - |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| - | $\Sigma^{21}_{hh}$ | $\Sigma_{hp}^{21}$ | $\Sigma_{hh}^{22}$ | $\Sigma_{hp}^{22}$ |

 $\begin{pmatrix} \sum_{n,n'}^{11} a_{n'}^{(+)} & \sum_{n,n'}^{12} a_{n'}^{(-)} \\ b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) \\ a_{n}^{(+)} & a_{n'}^{(+)} & a_{n'}^{(+)} \\ a_{n'}^{(+)} & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) \\ b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) \\ a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} \\ a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} \\ & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) & b^{\mu} (\pm) \\ a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_{n'}^{(-)} \\ & a_{n'}^{(-)} & a_$ 



 $G_i^{-1} = G_i^{HF^{-1}} - \Sigma$ 

#### Lehmann Representation of Green's Functions

$$\begin{split} \Sigma^{11}(a,\omega) &= \sum_{b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}} \int_{0}^{+\infty} \mathrm{d}\omega' \frac{V^{2}(a,b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi},\omega')}{\omega - \omega' - \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}} + \frac{W^{2}(a,b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi},\omega')}{\omega + \omega' + \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}}, \\ \Sigma^{22}(a,\omega) &= \sum_{b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}} \int_{0}^{+\infty} \mathrm{d}\omega' \frac{V^{2}(a,b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi},\omega')}{\omega + \omega' + \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}} + \frac{W^{2}(a,b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi},\omega')}{\omega - \omega' - \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}}, \\ \Sigma^{12}(a,\omega) &= \sum_{b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}} \int_{0}^{+\infty} \mathrm{d}\omega' VW(a,b,\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi},\omega') \left[ \frac{1}{\omega + \omega' + \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}} - \frac{1}{\omega - \omega' - \hbar\omega_{\lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}}} \right]. \end{split}$$

$$G_i^{-1} = G_i^{HF^{-1}} - \Sigma$$

### Energy dependent Vertices

$$\begin{split} V^2(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}, \omega) &= (f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) + g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))^2 u^2 a S^+(b, \omega) \\ &+ (f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) - g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))^2 v_a^2 S^-(b, \omega) \\ &- 2(f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) + g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))(f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) - g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi})) u_a v_a \widetilde{S}(b, \omega) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} W^{2}(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}, \omega) &= (f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) - g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))^{2} u_{a}^{2} S^{-}(b, \omega) \\ &+ (f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) + g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))^{2} v_{a}^{2} S^{+}(b, \omega) \\ &- 2(f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) - g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}))(f(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi}) + g(a, b, \lambda_{\nu}^{\pi})) u_{a} v_{a} \widetilde{S}(b, \omega) \end{split}$$



# Quasiparticle strength can now be compared with experiment



#### Quasiparticle strength can now be compared with experiment da/dΩ (mb/sr) <sup>120</sup>Sn d<sub>5/2</sub> exp **HFB** <sup>120</sup>Sn(p,d) <sup>119</sup>Sn 0.01 10 20 30 40 50 60 0 $\theta_{CM}$ **DWBA** calculations **NFT** G. Potel 3

Excitation Energy [MeV]

0

















# We have a then consistent picture that explains

Independent particle excitation energies

Spectroscopic Factors Pairing Gap

These are inputs for...

 $\widetilde{E}_i$ 

 $\tilde{u}_i \tilde{v}_i$ 

### Two particle transfer cross section II<sup>nd</sup> order DWBA



- $1375 \, \mu b$
- 2190 μb

•  $2250 \pm 352 \, \mu b$ 

Total Pairing Experimental

**Only Bare** 

<u>E<sub>p</sub> =40 MeV</u> 1847 μb 3224 μb 3024 ± 907 μb



## **Electromagnetic Spectrum**







Considering correlations between valence and the core by the means of NFT we have:

- Increased Hartree-Fock excitation spectrum density.
   Introduced fragmentation of quasiparticle strength and compared with experimental 1 particle transfer cross sections.
- Increased the pairing correlations and pairing gap energy of realistic bare interaction closer to the experimental value, and reproduced the 2-particle transfer cross sections.
- Opened other reaction channels, like coupling of core excitations and quasiparticles.



### r-process is Mass Model sensitive



J. Mendoza-Temis, PhD Thesis, 2014

### r-process is **Pairing** sensitive







Like a feather on an unstable Rock




#### K. Kucharek et al. ZPA334 (1989)



### Not everything is r-process









$$M_C = 1.4 \times 2Y_e M_S$$



 $\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}) + e^- &= (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}\text{-}1) + \nu_e & (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}) + e^- &= (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}\text{-}1) + \nu_e \\ (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}\text{-}1) &= (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}) + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e & (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}\text{-}1) + e^- &= (\mathbf{A},\mathbf{Z}\text{-}2)^* + \nu_e + \gamma \end{aligned}$ 



Shape Factor  
(Nuclear Physics) Fermi Distribution  
(Statistical Description)  

$$\lambda^{ec} = \frac{ln2}{K} \int_{|Q|}^{+\infty} E_{\nu}^{2} C(E) Ep f(E, kT, \mu) F(Z, E) dE$$
  
Kinematic Fermi Function

C = const (allowed)

# $C(E) \propto \left| \left\langle f \left| H_{\beta} \right| i \right\rangle \right|^2$

C(E) (forbidden)

 $C \sim E^4$  (2° forbidden)

Martinez-Pinedo et al. (2014) PRC 89:045806

 $C = 1.23 \times 10^{-6}$ (exp. upper limit)

Estimate needed! (possibly experiment)







ec











### Thank you



#### W. Bambynek et al.: Orbital electron capture

For higher forbidden transitions, we have

$$M_{L}(k_{x},k_{\nu}^{(1)}) = K_{L}(p_{x}R)^{k_{x}^{-1}} (q_{x}R)^{k_{\nu}^{(1)}-1} \left\{ -\left[(2L+1)/L\right]^{1/2} {}^{\nu}F_{LL-11}^{0} + (2k_{x}+1)^{-1/2} \alpha Z^{\nu}F_{LL0}^{0}(k_{x},1,1,1) + \left[(2k_{x}+1)^{-1}(2k_{\nu}^{(1)}+1)^{-1}q_{x}R\right] {}^{\nu}F_{LL0}^{0} - (2k_{x}+1)^{-1} \alpha Z[(L+1)/L]^{1/2} {}^{A}F_{LL1}^{0}(k_{x},1,1,1) - \left[(2k_{x}+1)^{-1}W_{x}R + (2k_{\nu}^{(1)}+1)^{-1}q_{x}R\right][(L+1)/L]^{1/2} {}^{A}F_{LL1}^{0} \right\},$$

$$(2.106a)$$

$$\begin{split} m_{L}(k_{x},k_{\nu}^{(1)}) &= K_{L}(p_{x}R)^{k_{x}-1}(q_{x}R)^{k_{\nu}^{(1)}-1}(2k_{x}+1)^{-1}R\left\{{}^{\nu}F_{LL0}^{0} - \left[(L+1)/L\right]^{1/2}AF_{LL1}^{0}\right\}, \end{split} \tag{2.106b} \\ M_{L}(k_{x},k_{\nu}^{(2)}) &= -\tilde{K}_{L}(p_{x}R)^{k_{x}-1}(q_{x}R)^{k_{\nu}^{(2)}-1}(L+1)^{1/2}\left[(2k_{x}-1)(2k_{\nu}^{(2)}-1)\right]^{-1/2}\left\{{}^{\nu}F_{LL0}^{0} + (k_{x}-k_{\nu}^{(2)})(L+1)^{-1}\left[(L+1)/L\right]^{1/2}AF_{LL1}^{0}\right\}, \end{aligned} \tag{2.106b}$$

$$(2.106c)$$

$$M_{L+1}(k_x, k_{\nu}^{(2)}) = -\tilde{K}_L(p_x R)^{k_x - 1} (q_x R)^{k_{\nu}^{(2)} - 1} {}^{A} F^0_{(L+1)L1}.$$
(2.106d)

104

$${}^{V}\mathfrak{M}_{KK0}^{N}(k_{x},m,n,\rho) = \sqrt{2}(2J_{i}+1)^{-1/2} \left\{ G_{KK0}(\kappa_{f},\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} g_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{K+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) g_{i}(r,\kappa_{i}) r^{2} dr + \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{f}) \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{i}) G_{KK0}(-\kappa_{f},-\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} f_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{K+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) f_{i}(r,\kappa_{i}) r^{2} dr \right\},$$

$$(2.84a)$$

$${}^{A}\mathfrak{M}_{KL_{1}}^{N}(k_{x},m,n,\rho) = \sqrt{2}(2J_{i}+1)^{-1/2} \left\{ G_{KL_{1}}(\kappa_{f},\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} g_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{L+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) g_{i}(r,\kappa_{i}) r^{2} dr + \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{f}) \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{i}) G_{KL_{1}}(-\kappa_{f},-\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} f_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{L+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) f_{i}(r,\kappa_{i}) r^{2} dr \right\},$$

$$(2.84b)$$

$${}^{A}\mathfrak{M}_{KK0}^{N}(k_{x},m,n,\rho) = \sqrt{2}(2J_{i}+1)^{-1/2} \left\{ \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{i})G_{KK0}(\kappa_{f},-\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} g_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{K+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) f_{i}(r,\kappa_{i})r^{2} dr + \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{f})G_{KK0}(-\kappa_{f},\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} f_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{K+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r) g_{i}(r,\kappa_{i})r^{2} dr \right\},$$

$$(2.84c)$$

$${}^{V}\mathfrak{M}_{KL_{1}}^{N}(k_{x},m,n,\rho) = \sqrt{2}(2J_{i}+1)^{-1/2} \left\{ \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{i})G_{KL_{1}}(\kappa_{f},-\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} g_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{L+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r)f_{i}(r,\kappa_{i})r^{2} dr + \operatorname{sign}(\kappa_{f})G_{KL_{1}}(-\kappa_{f},\kappa_{i}) \int_{0}^{\infty} f_{f}(r,\kappa_{f}) \left(\frac{r}{R}\right)^{L+2N} I(k_{x},m,n,\rho;r)g_{i}(r,\kappa_{i})r^{2} dr \right\}.$$
(2.84d)









**DWBA approximate** the entrance channel as a factorization of internal and relative coordinates, consider relative motion as Distorted Plain Wave, and calculate matrix element between this approximated *<intial| and |final>* state.



#### cross section is

DWBA

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{k_f}{k_i} \frac{\mu_i \mu_f}{4\pi^2 \hbar^4} \frac{1}{(2J_A + 1)(2J_a + 1)} \times \sum_{\substack{M_A, M_a \\ M_B, M_b}} \left| \sum_{m_i, m_f} \langle J_b \ j_i \ M_b \ m_i | J_a \ M_a \rangle \langle J_A \ j_f \ M_A \ m_f | J_B \ M_B \rangle T_{m_i, m_f} \right|^2.$$

The transition amplitude  $T_{m_i,m_f}$  is

$$T_{m_i,m_f} = \sum_{\sigma} \int d\mathbf{r}_f d\mathbf{r}_{An} \chi^{(-)*}(\mathbf{r}_f) \psi_{m_f}^{j_f*}(\mathbf{r}_{An},\sigma) V(r_{bn}) \psi_{m_i}^{j_i}(\mathbf{r}_{bn},\sigma) \chi^{(+)}(\mathbf{r}_i).$$

## 2-particle transfer DWBA



We need the structure information to calculate the correlation between the two transferred neucleons, so the probability of 1 neutron in the target and 1 in the ejectile, in the intermediate state

### Two particle transfer in second order DWBA

Some details of the calculation of the differential cross section for the two–neutron transfer  $({}^{1}H({}^{11}Li, {}^{9}Li){}^{3}H)$  reaction

$$\overset{a}{\bigcirc} (\alpha) \overset{A}{\longrightarrow} \overset{f}{\bigcirc} (\gamma) \overset{F}{\bigcirc} \overset{b}{\longrightarrow} \overset{b}{\bigcirc} \overset{b}{\bigcirc} \overset{B}{\bigcirc} \overset{simultaneous}{A+a \longrightarrow f+F \longrightarrow b+B}$$

Simultaneous transfer

$$T^{(1)}(j_i, j_f) = 2 \sum_{\sigma_1 \sigma_2} \int d\mathbf{r}_{fF} d\mathbf{r}_{b1} d\mathbf{r}_{A2} [\Psi^{j_f}(\mathbf{r}_{A1}, \sigma_1) \Psi^{j_f}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}, \sigma_2)]_0^{0*} \chi_{bB}^{(-)*}(\mathbf{r}_{bB})$$
$$\times v(\mathbf{r}_{b1}) [\Psi^{j_i}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}, \sigma_1) \Psi^{j_i}(\mathbf{r}_{b2}, \sigma_2)]_0^0 \chi_{aA}^{(+)}(\mathbf{r}_{aA})$$

### Two particle transfer in second order DWBA

Some details of the calculation of the differential cross section for the two–neutron transfer  $({}^{1}H({}^{11}Li,{}^{9}Li){}^{3}H)$  reaction



Successive transfer

$$T_{succ}^{(2)}(j_{i}, j_{f}) = 2 \sum_{K,M} \sum_{\substack{\sigma_{1}\sigma_{2} \\ \sigma_{1}'\sigma_{2}'}} \int d\mathbf{r}_{fF} d\mathbf{r}_{b1} d\mathbf{r}_{A2} [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A1}, \sigma_{1})\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}, \sigma_{2})]_{0}^{0*}$$

$$\times \chi_{bB}^{(-)*}(\mathbf{r}_{bB}) v(\mathbf{r}_{b1}) [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}, \sigma_{2})\Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}, \sigma_{1})]_{M}^{K}$$

$$\times \int d\mathbf{r}_{fF}' d\mathbf{r}_{b1}' d\mathbf{r}_{A2}' G(\mathbf{r}_{fF}, \mathbf{r}_{fF}') [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}', \sigma_{2}')\Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}', \sigma_{1}')]_{M}^{K}$$

$$\times \frac{2\mu_{fF}}{\hbar^{2}} v(\mathbf{r}_{f2}') [\Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}', \sigma_{2}')\Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}', \sigma_{1}')]_{0}^{0} \chi_{aA}^{(+)}(\mathbf{r}_{aA}')$$

### Two particle transfer in second order DWBA

Some details of the calculation of the differential cross section for the two–neutron transfer  $({}^{1}H({}^{11}Li,{}^{9}Li){}^{3}H)$  reaction



Non–orthogonality term

$$\begin{aligned} T_{NO}^{(2)}(j_{i}, j_{f}) &= 2 \sum_{K,M} \sum_{\substack{\sigma_{1} \sigma_{2} \\ \sigma_{1}' \sigma_{2}'}} \int d\mathbf{r}_{fF} d\mathbf{r}_{b1} d\mathbf{r}_{A2} [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A1}, \sigma_{1}) \Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}, \sigma_{2})]_{0}^{0*} \\ &\times \chi^{(-)*}_{bB}(\mathbf{r}_{bB}) v(\mathbf{r}_{b1}) [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}, \sigma_{2}) \Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}, \sigma_{1})]_{M}^{K} \\ &\times \int d\mathbf{r}_{b1}' d\mathbf{r}_{A2}' [\Psi^{j_{f}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}', \sigma_{2}') \Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}', \sigma_{1}')]_{M}^{K} \\ &\times [\Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{A2}', \sigma_{2}') \Psi^{j_{i}}(\mathbf{r}_{b1}', \sigma_{1}')]_{0}^{0} \chi^{(+)}_{aA}(\mathbf{r}_{aA}') \end{aligned}$$

### one-particle transfer











prior-post



prior-prior



post-post



