

Combined method to extract spectroscopic
factors from transfer reactions.

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We need spectroscopic factors to predict $A(n,\gamma)A+1$

Spectroscopic factors are expected to be extracted from transfer reaction $A(d,p)A+1$

$$S_{\text{exp}} = \frac{\text{experimental cross section}}{\text{theoretical cross section } (S_{\text{theor}} = 1)} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{exp}}}{\sigma_{\text{th}}}$$

To calculate σ_{th} we need

- Optical potentials to describe $A+d$ and $p+(A+1)$ scattering
- Potential well for describe bound state for $n+A$

Usually, for bound states $r_0=1.25 \text{ fm}$ and $a = 0.65 \text{ fm}$ are used. The depth V_0 is adjusted to reproduce the $n+A$ binding energy.

Is it possible to determine r_0 and a in a model-independent way?

Original idea of how to extract spectroscopic factors in a “model-independent way” from (d,p) reactions was proposed in

S.A.Goncharov, Ya.Dobesh, E.I.Dolinsky, A.M.Mukhamedzhanov, Ya.Tseipek,
Nuclear Vertex Constants, Spectroscopic Factors and the Distorted-Wave Born Approximation, Yad.Fiz. 35, 662 (1982)

The reaction amplitude is


$$T = T_{\text{int}} + T_{\text{ext}}$$


T_{int} probes the wave functions in the nuclear interior, therefore the spectroscopic factor S can be determined from T_{int}

T_{ext} probes the tail of the overlap integral, the magnitude of which is given by the Asymptotic Normalization Coefficients (ANC).

The idea is to fix T_{ext} using measures ANCs.

$$\sigma(\theta) \propto |T_{\text{int}} + T_{\text{ext}}|^2 = \left| \sqrt{S} \tilde{T}_{\text{int}}(b) + \sqrt{S} b \tilde{T}_{\text{ext}} \right|^2$$


 does not
depends on S

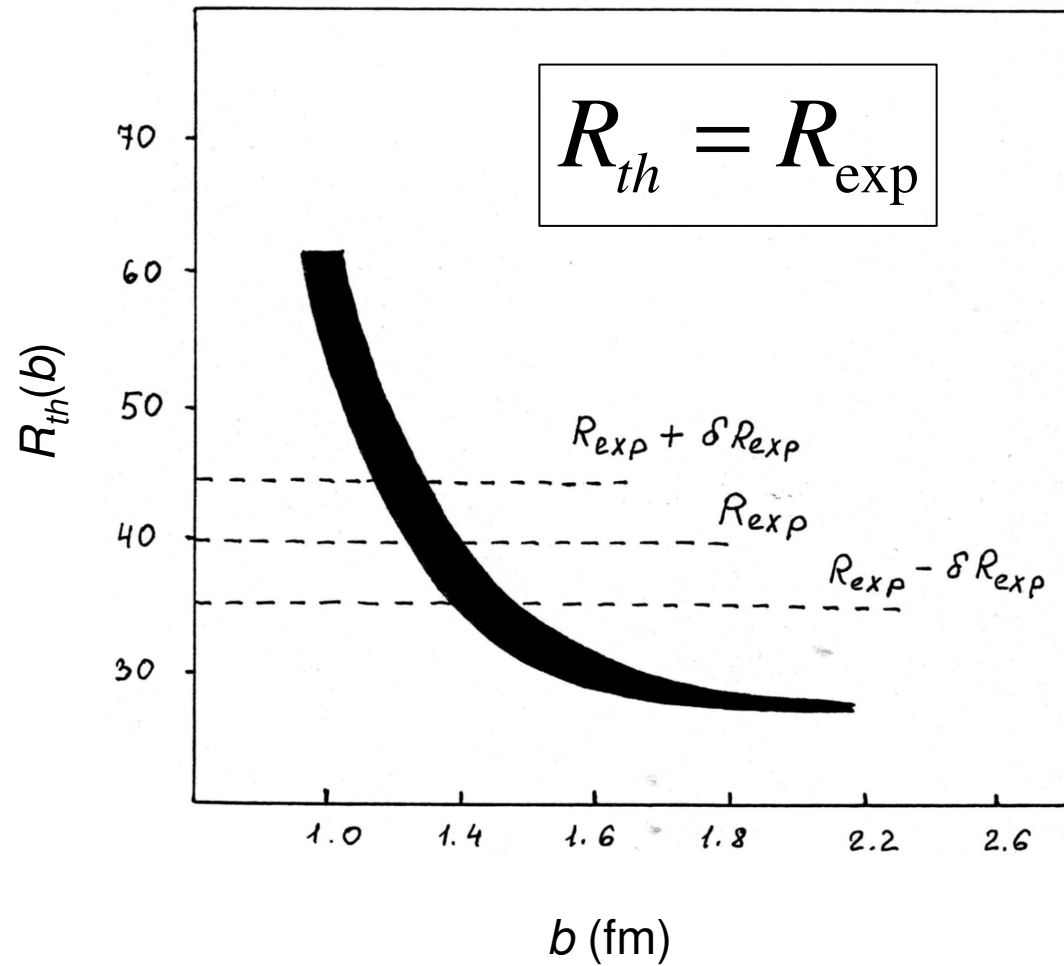

 does not
depends on b

$$\sigma(\theta) \propto S b^2 \left| \frac{\tilde{T}_{\text{int}}(b)}{b} + \tilde{T}_{\text{ext}} \right|^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\sigma(\theta)}{S b^2} \propto \left| \frac{\tilde{T}_{\text{int}}(b)}{b} + \tilde{T}_{\text{ext}} \right|^2$$

$$R_{th}(b) \equiv \frac{\sigma_{th}(\theta)}{S_{th} b_{th}^2} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{exp}}(\theta)}{C_{\text{exp}}^2} \equiv R_{\text{exp}}$$

$^{13}\text{C}(\text{p},\text{d})^{12}\text{C}$ $E_p = 18.6 \text{ MeV}$

(taken from my PhD Thesis)



$$b_{exp} = 1.3^{-0.17}_{+0.26} \text{ fm}^{-1/2}$$

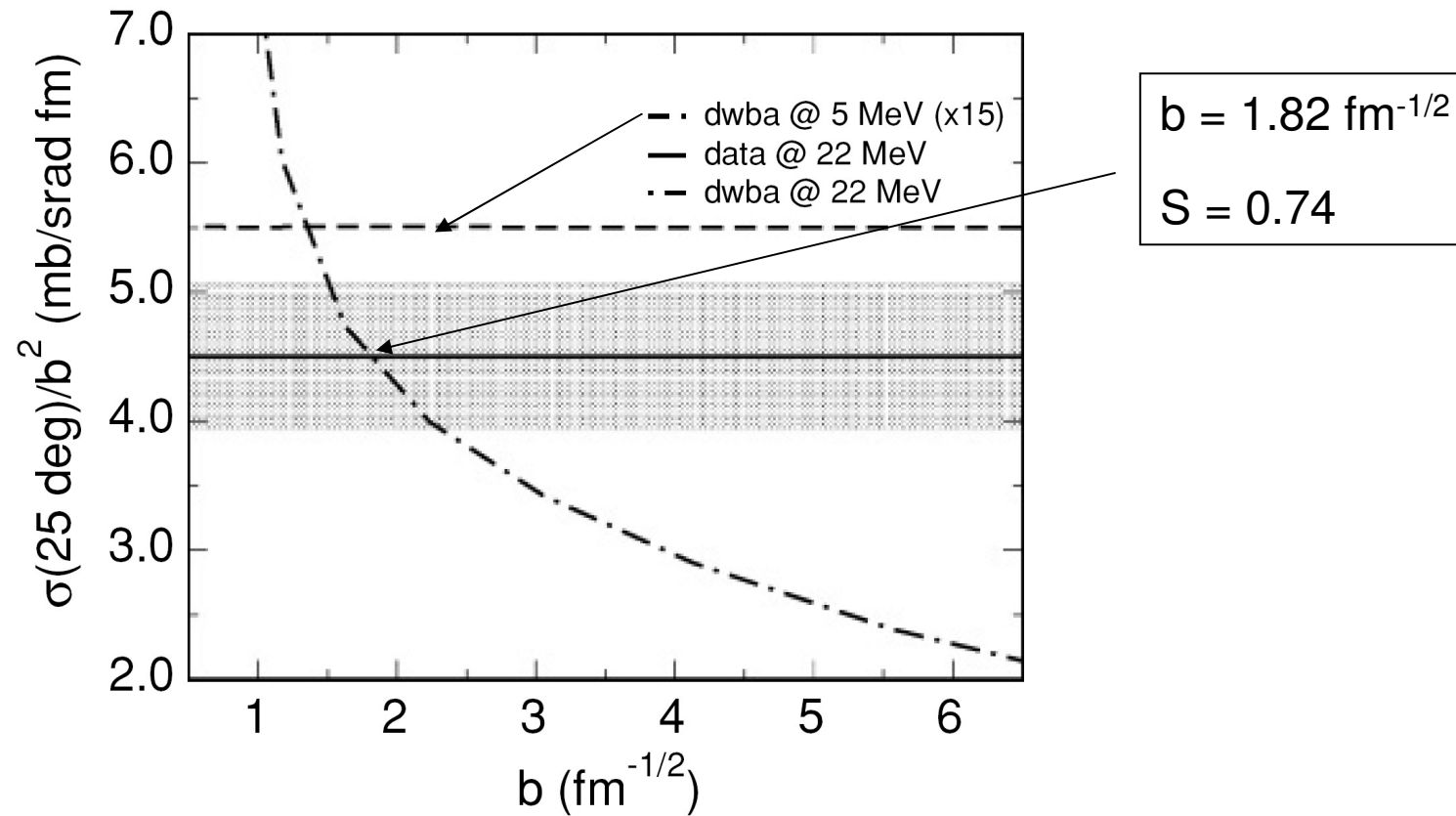
$$S_{exp} = 1.19^{+0.08}_{-0.21}$$

$$r_0 = 1.0 \text{ fm}, a = 0.49 \text{ fm}$$

$$S_{SM} = 0.68$$

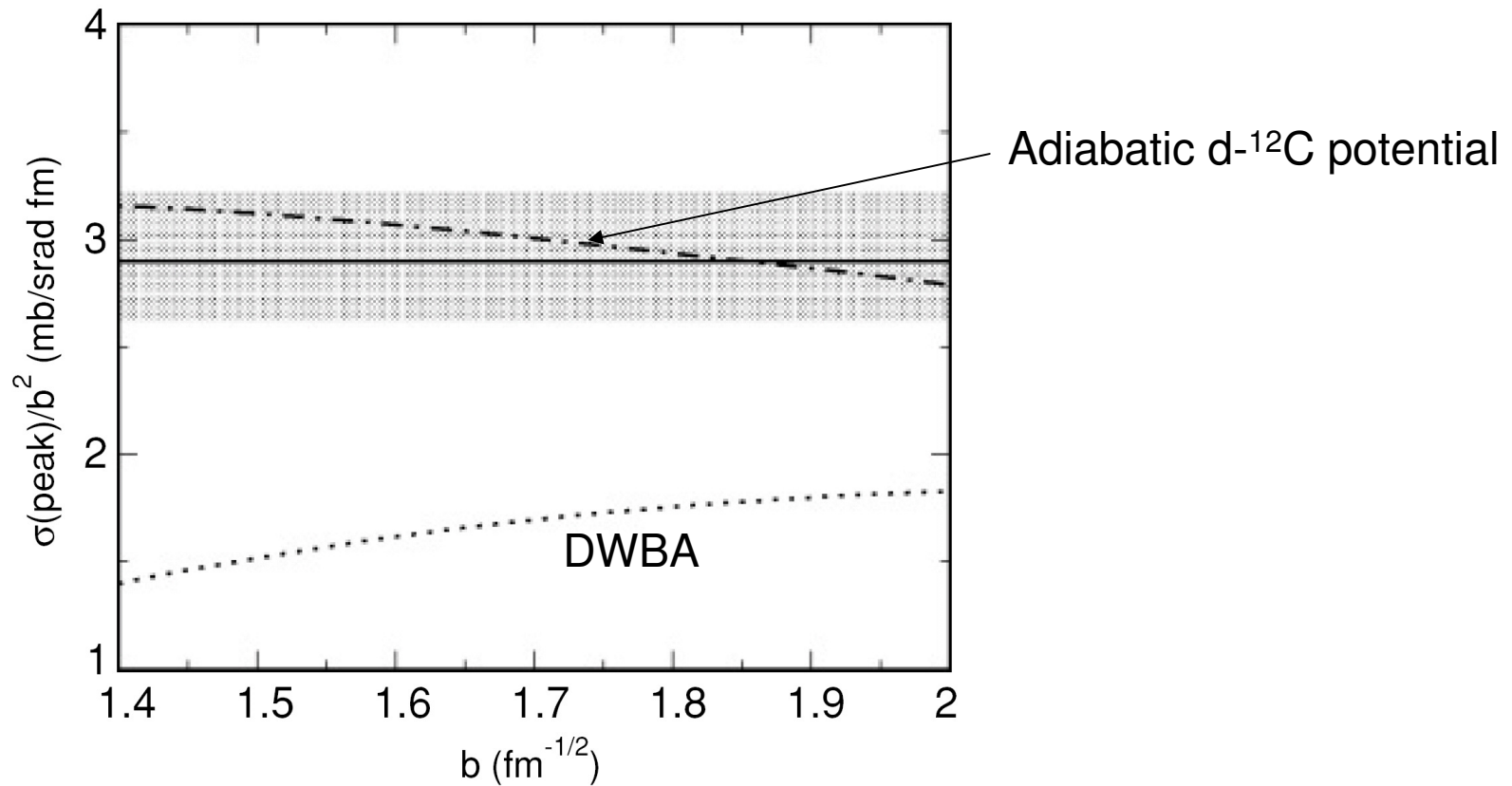
$^{208}\text{Pb}(d,p)^{209}\text{Pb}$

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$^{12}\text{C}(\text{d},\text{p})^{13}\text{C}$ at $E_{\text{d}} = 51 \text{ MeV}$

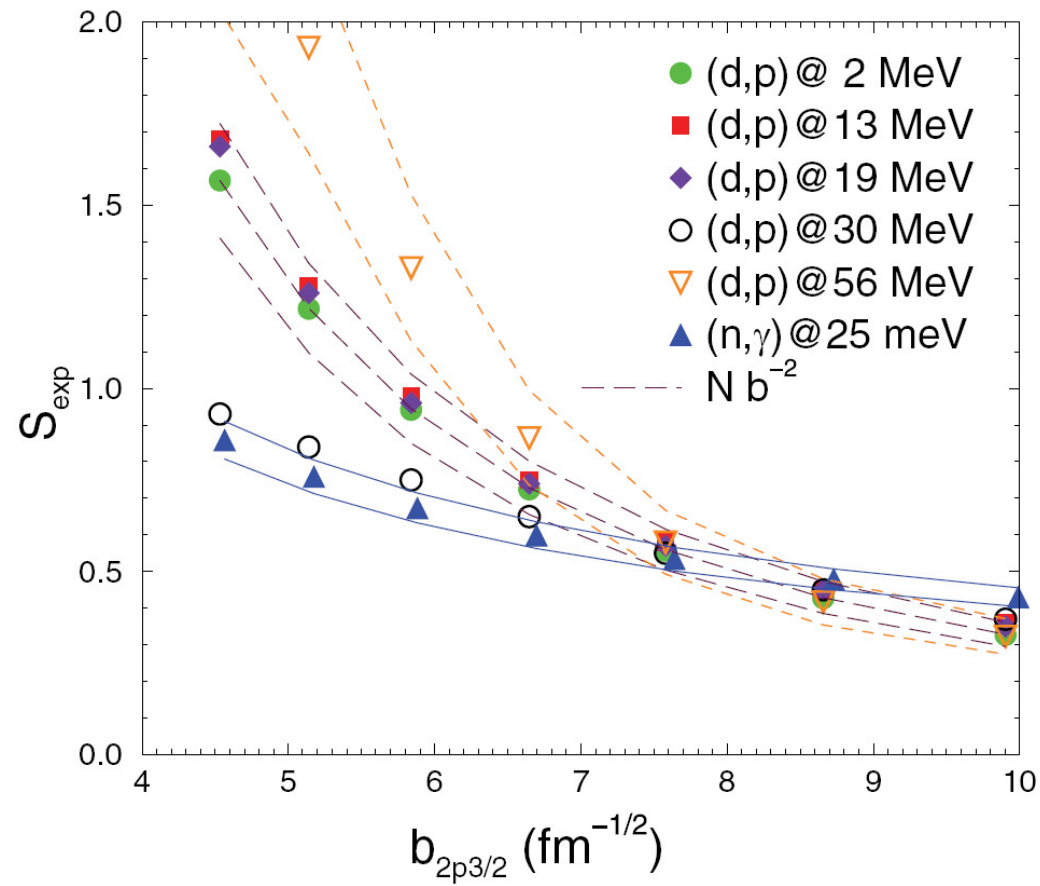
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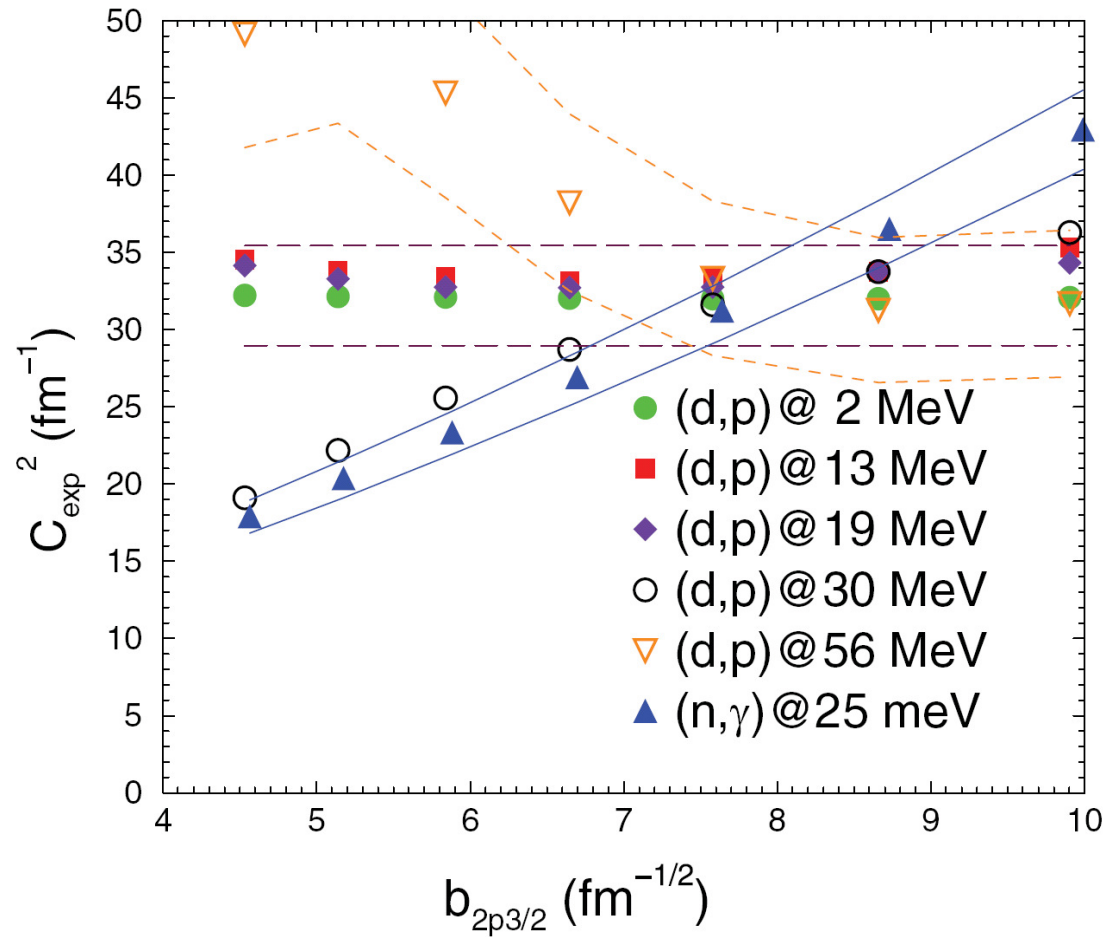


It is not possible to determine b (and therefore S) from this graph.

$$^{48}\text{Ca}(\text{d},\text{p})^{49}\text{Ca}$$

A.M. Mukhamedzhanov and F.Nunes, Phys. Rev. C 77, 051601(R) (2008)





$^{49}\text{Ca}(g.s.)$

$$b_{\text{exp}} = 7.8 \pm 1.2 \text{ fm}^{-1/2}$$

$$S_{\text{exp}} = 0.53 \pm 0.11$$

$$r_0 = 1.45 \text{ fm}, a = 0.65 \text{ fm}$$

$^{49}\text{Ca}(1^{\text{st}} \text{ ex.st.})$

$$b_{\text{exp}} = 3.63 \pm 0.56 \text{ fm}^{-1/2}$$

$$S_{\text{exp}} = 0.71^{+0.20}_{-0.12}$$

$$r_0 = 1.45 \text{ fm}, a = 0.65 \text{ fm}$$

Conclusion

- External contributions to the (d,p) reaction amplitude can be fixed by using measured ANCs.
- When the (d,p) reaction is peripheral it is not possible to determine b , r_0 and a in a model-independent way. Therefore, some model assumptions should be made about them to determine spectroscopic factor.
- When internal region contributes to the (d,p) amplitude it is possible to determine experimental limits for b , r_0 , a and S . This can be done by graphically solving the equation $R(b)=R_{\text{exp}}$