TALENT: theory for exploring reaction experiments

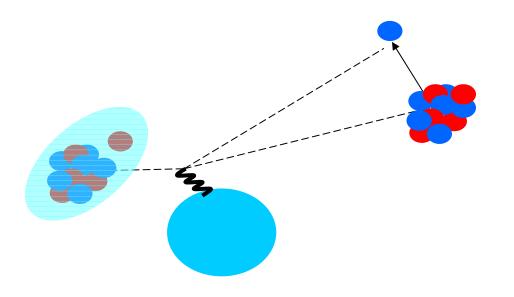
Breakup reactions with the Continuum discretized coupled channel method

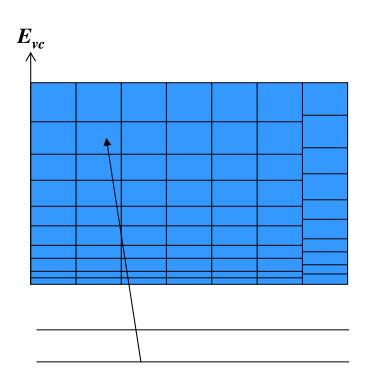
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standard 3-body CDCC in one slide







- three-body Hamiltonian for reaction
- three-body wavefunction expanded in term of projectile states
- projectile described in terms of single particle states
- · optical potentials from elastic scattering

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Box B.4 Fresco input for the breakup of ⁸B on ²⁰⁸Pb at 82 MeV per nucleon (short version)

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ncoul=0 reor=0 q=2
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CDCC namelist: contains all the relevant parameters for the fresco namelist

- rmatch<0 and rasym (couplings have long range so match to coupled channel Coulomb function all the way to rasym)
- •Jmax=9000! Need many partial waves for this high energy. But jumping...(all j's up to 200, then in 10's up to 300, then in 50's up to 1000, then in 200's up to 9000)
- •Theta grid: angular distribution very forward focused high energy
- •cutr avoids integration at small r due to the strong repulsive potentials (cutr=-20fm put the integration starting point 20 fm inside the coulomb turning radius)

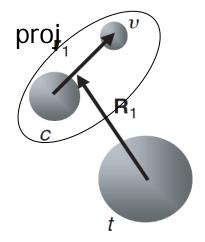
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some key additional parameters:

- •ncoul (0=nucl+Coul; 1=nucl only, 2=Coul only)
- •reor (different choices for the <phi_i |V|phi_i> couplings)
- •q (multipoles to include: all multipoles up to 2)

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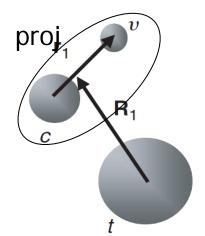
NUCLEUS namelist contains info for partition, overlap and states

•part=(the particle we wish to define including charge, mass, spin and parity, binding energy and the quantum numbers for the state)

BIN namelist contains info for overlap part

- •energy=F (grid in momentum) or T (grid in energy)
- •start, step and end define the details of the grid
- espin, parity are the total spin and parity of the projectile bin with quantum numbers I,j

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POTENTIAL namelist is identical to POT namelist is standard input

- •part=proj (projectile-target interaction) =core (core-target interaction)
- •part=valence (valence-target interaction)
- •part=gs/bin (core-valence interaction in g.s. or continuum)

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This command produce the standard fresco input where all states/overlaps are explicitly defined

isc=12 standard normalization for momentum bins

kind=3 projectile single-particle coupling

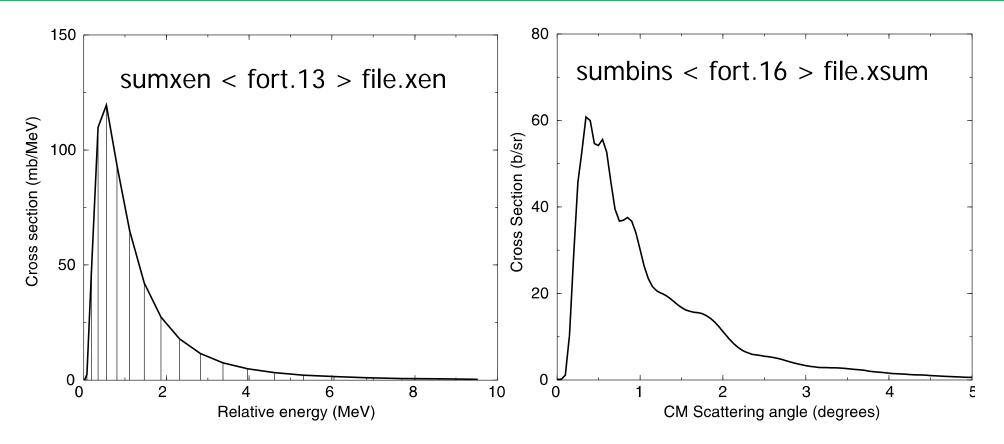


Fig. B.3. Breakup of ⁸B on ²⁰⁸Pb at 82 MeV/u. Left: p⁻⁷Be relative energy distribution. Right: center-of-mass angular distribution. Both are obtained with the input of Box B.3.

Breakup with CDCC: one case in detail



⁸Be

8B

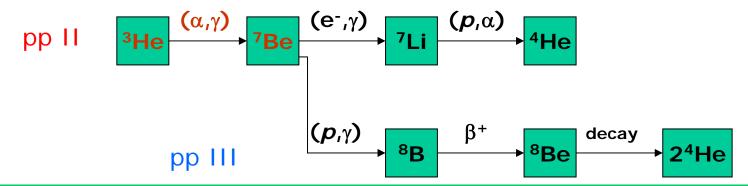
Capture rate ${}^{3}\text{He}(\alpha,\gamma){}^{7}\text{Be}$

Capture rates at astrophysical energies are hard to measure and thus rely on extrapolations to low energies

³He ⁴He ¹H

Motivates alternative methods using inverse reaction ${}^{7}\text{Be} + \gamma \rightarrow \alpha + {}^{3}\text{He}$

- (i) Coulomb Dissociation method
- (ii) Asymptotic Normalization Coefficient (ANC) method



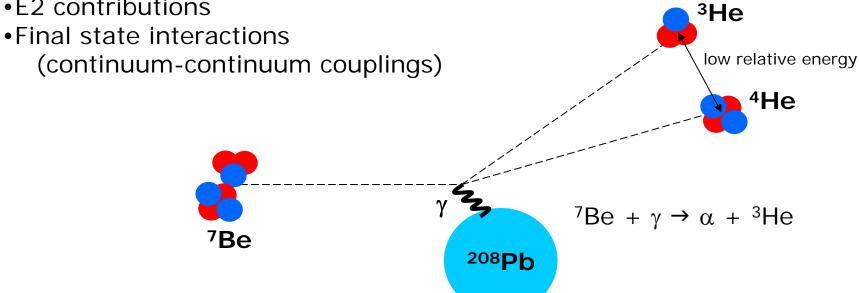
Coulomb Dissociation method



Cross sections larger for inverse breakup reaction Can relate breakup cross section to capture rate using semi-classical reaction theory

complications

- Nuclear breakup
- •E2 contributions



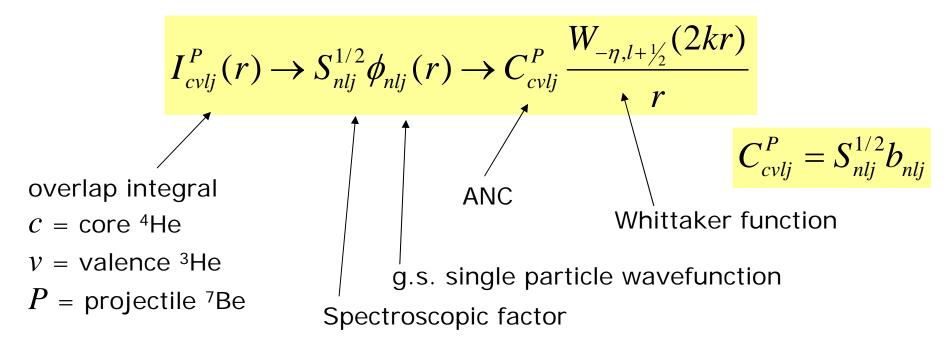
 7 Be + 208 Pb @ 100 MeV/nucleon Motivated experiment at NSCL :

ANC method (nuclear breakup)



$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{\text{exp}} = \frac{C_{lj}^{2}}{b_{nlj}^{2}} \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{\text{theory}}^{nlj}$$

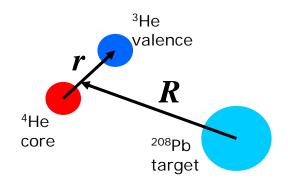
Outside range of nuclear force, in asymptotic region



Motivated experiment at Texas A&M : ⁷Be + ¹²C @ 25 MeV/nucleon

Breakup of ⁷Be: one application in detail





- ⁷Be treated as 2-body projectile
- •3-body Hamiltonian for reaction

$$H = T_R + U_{cT} + U_{vT} + h_{vc}$$

$$h_{vc} = T_r + V_{vc}$$

fix V_{cT} and V_{vT} from elastic scattering

 ϕ is ⁷Be (α +³He) cluster wavefunction defined by potential V_{vc}

$$h_{vc}\phi_n(r) = \varepsilon_n\phi_n(r) \qquad \varepsilon_n < 0$$

$$h_{vc}\phi_{lj}(k,r) = \varepsilon_k\phi_{lj}(k,r) \quad \varepsilon_k > 0$$

fixed by binding energy for bound states

resonances and scattering phase shifts for continuum

l = core-valence relative angular momentum

j = projectile total angular momentum

Breakup of ⁷Be: continuum discretization



- Discretize continuum into bins
- •average wavefuntion over a bin with weight $w_i(k)$

$$\phi_{i,lj}(r) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi N_i}} \int_{k_{i-1}}^{k_i} w_i(k) \phi_{lj}(k,r) dk \qquad E_{vc}$$

 $w_i(k)$ chosen so that the bin wavefunctions are real and normalized correctly using

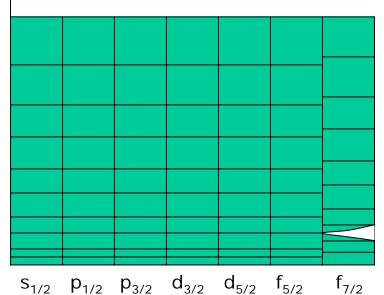
$$N_{i} = \int_{k_{i-1}}^{k_{i}} |w_{i}(k)|^{2} dk$$

bound states →

$$p_{1/2} = -1.158$$
 $p_{3/2} = -1.587$

•label the quantum numbers for each bin by $\alpha \equiv i, lj$

•now have 72 coupled channels



Breakup of ⁷Be: CDCC equations



•We have 72 coupled channels, each labeled by the set of quantum numbers

$$\alpha \equiv (i \ l \ j \ L)$$

Solve set of radial coupled equations

$$\left[T_R^L + V_{\alpha\alpha}^J(R) - E_{\alpha}\right] u_{\alpha}^J(R) = -\sum_{\alpha' \neq \alpha} V_{\alpha\alpha'}^J(R) u_{\alpha'}^J(R) \tag{1}$$

•Where the coupling potential from state α to state α' is

$$V_{\alpha\alpha'}^{J}(R) = \left\langle \left[\phi_{\alpha'}(\vec{r}) \otimes Y_{L'}(\hat{R}) \right]_{JM} \middle| V(\vec{r}, \vec{R}) \middle| \left[\phi_{\alpha}(\vec{r}) \otimes Y_{L}(\hat{R}) \right]_{JM} \right\rangle$$

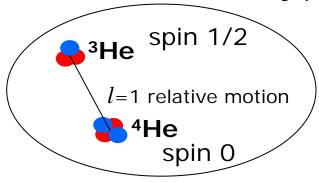
$$V(\vec{r}, \vec{R}) = U_{cT}(\vec{R}_{cT}) + U_{vT}(\vec{R}_{vT})$$

and the cluster target potentials include both Coulomb and Nuclear parts

Coulomb breakup = neglect Nuclear in coupling potentials on rhs of Eq. (1) Nuclear breakup = neglect Coulomb in coupling potentials on rhs of Eq. (1)

Breakup of ⁷Be: inputs

⁷Be modeled as 2-body projectile



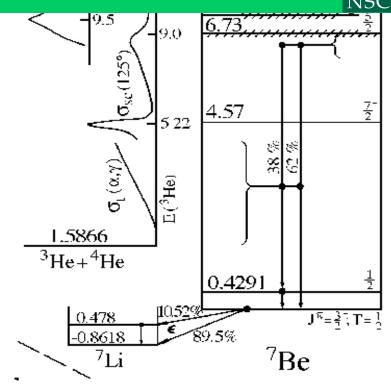
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potential fitted to:

- ground and excited state energies
- •7/2- and 5/2- resonances
- scattering phase shifts
- •charge radius, quadrupole and octupole moments and B(E2) for ⁷Li

wavefunction has node due to Pauli blocking

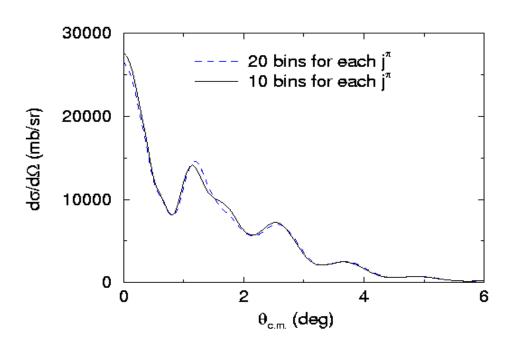
parity dependent potential

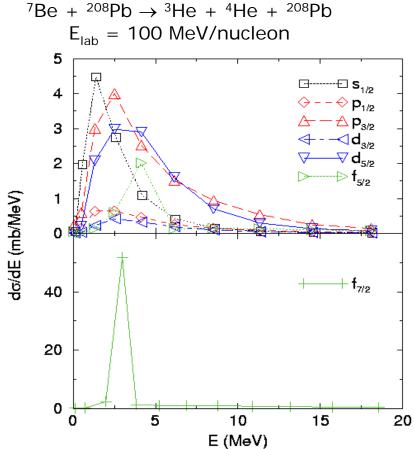


cluster-target potentials from elastic scattering

Breakup of ⁷Be: convergence





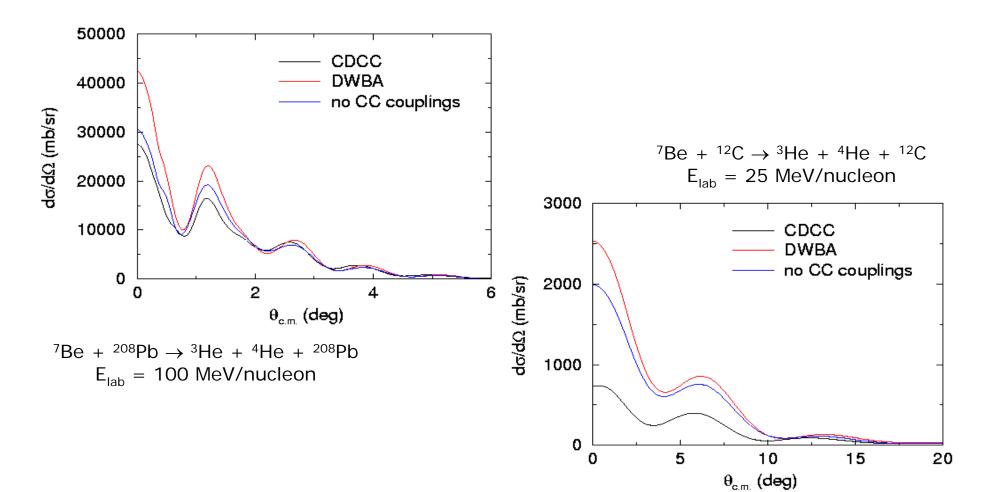


Convergence checked for many variables, such as:

- •Potential multipoles ($Q \le 2$)
- •Max radius for coupled equations (R_{max} =1000fm)
- •Maximum relative energy (E_{max} =20 MeV)
- •Number of partial waves in coupled equations (L_{max} =10000,2000 using interpolation)
- •Bin radius and step length for coupling integrals (r_{bin} =50fm, h=0.04fm)
- •Number of partial waves for breakup states ($l \le 3$)
- •Iterative solution of coupled equations versus solving set of equations exactly

Breakup of ⁷Be: higher order couplings





Breakup of ⁷Be on C: peripherality

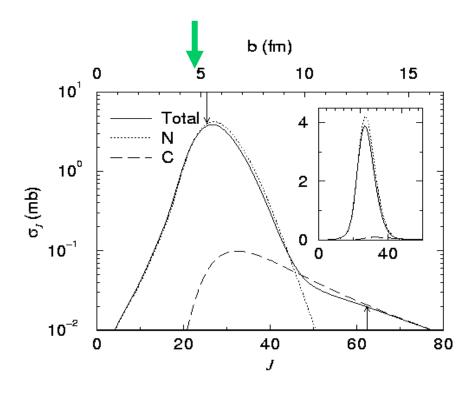


ANC method requires that reaction is peripheral and therefore only probes the tail of the wavefunction

> approx 28% of breakup cross section comes from impact parameters less than sum of radii

impact parameter from semi-classical relation J=Kb

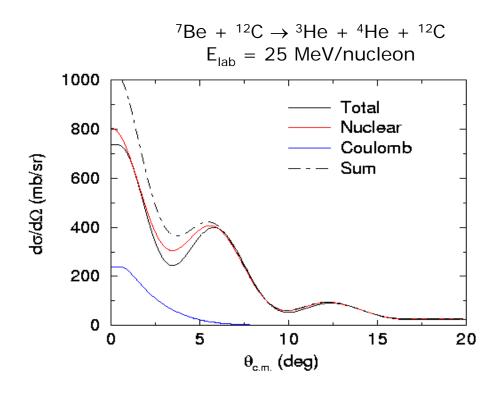
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Be + 12 C \rightarrow 3 He + 4 He + 12 C E_{lab} = 25 MeV/nucleon





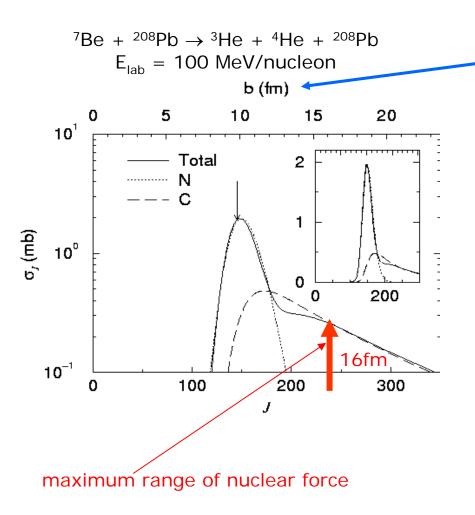


Note that Coulomb is not negligible



Breakup of ⁷Be: nuclear free?





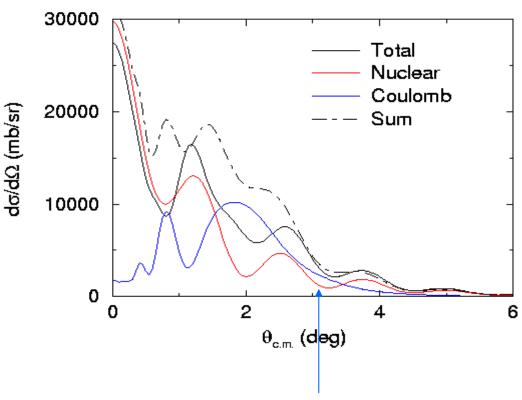
impact parameter from semi-classical relation J=Kb

Coulomb dissociation method requires that the reaction is Coulomb dominated, outside the range of the nuclear force

assuming Rutherford trajectories this impact parameter relates to a scattering angle of 2.5°







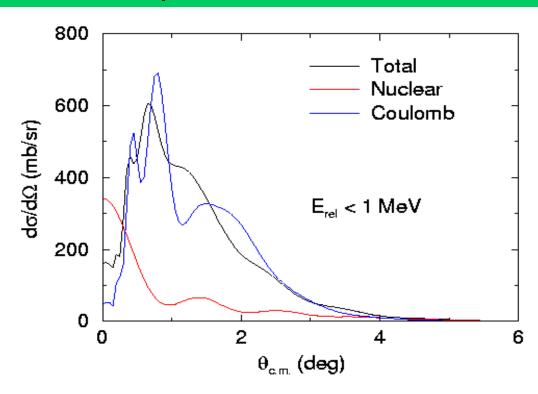
 7 Be + 208 Pb \rightarrow 3 He + 4 He + 208 Pb E_{lab} = 100 MeV/nucleon

Cut-off angle from Rutherford orbit = 2.5°

cross section dominated by nuclear breakup even for small scattering angles below the cut-off angle

Breakup of ⁷Be: small relative energies



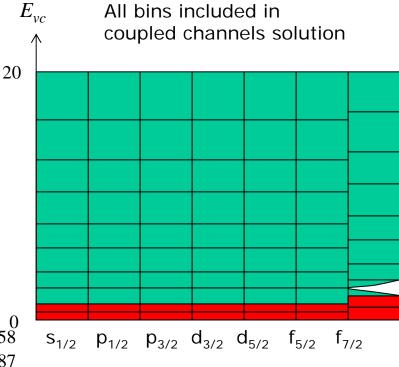


Angular cross section summed for only first 2 bins in each j^{π} set

This dramatically reduces the amount of nuclear breakup in the forward angles

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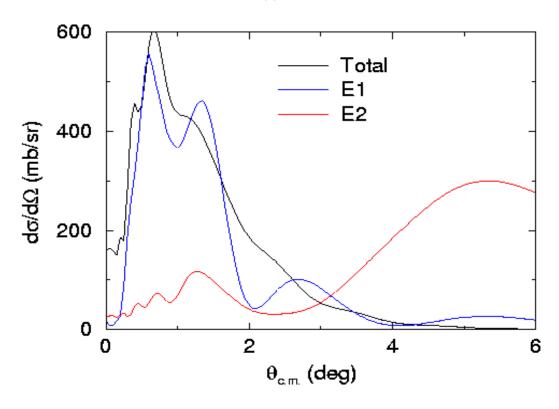
restricted maximum relative energy between ³He and ⁴He fragments in final state



Breakup of ⁷Be: E1 versus E2



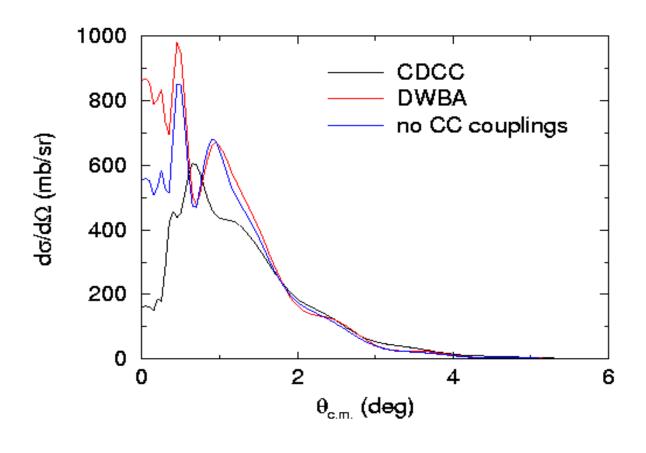
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Breakup of ⁷Be: cont-cont couplings





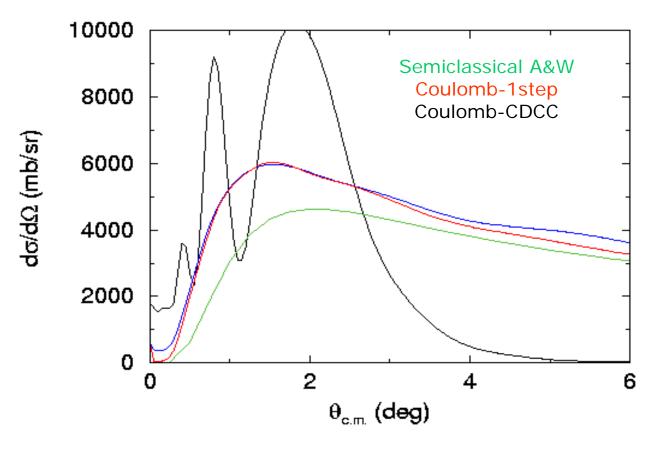
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DWBA → first order

No CC couplings includes couplings to all orders to/from ground state only







 7 Be + 208 Pb \rightarrow 3 He + 4 He + 208 Pb E_{lab} = 100 MeV/nucleon

CDCC cross sections



- 1) Calculate:
 - projectile wfns: bound and scattering states
 - bins wfns
 - coupling potentials
- 2) Solve coupled channel equations and match to obtain S-matrix
- 3) Construct observables.

Scattering amplitude

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{M'M}(\mathbf{K}_{p'}) &= \frac{4\pi}{K_0} \sqrt{\frac{K_{p'}}{K_0}} \sum_{LL'J} \langle L0, I_pM | JM \rangle \langle L'M - M', I_{p'}M' | JM \rangle \\ &\times \exp(\mathrm{i}[\sigma_L + \sigma_{L'}]) \frac{1}{2\mathrm{i}} \, \mathbf{S}^J_{\alpha'\alpha}(p') \, Y^0_L(\widehat{\mathbf{K}}_0) \, Y^{M-M'}_{L'}(\widehat{\mathbf{K}}_{p'}). \end{split}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma(p')}{d\Omega_K} = \frac{1}{2I_p+1} \sum_{MM'} \left| \tilde{\mathcal{F}}_{M'M}(\mathbf{K}_{p'}) \right|^2$$

Three-body observables: T-matrix



T matrix can be constructed from the CDCC solution

$$\mathbf{T}_{\mu\sigma:M}(\mathbf{k},\mathbf{K}) = \langle \phi_{\mathbf{k}\mu\sigma}^{(-)}(\mathbf{r}) \, e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{R}} | U(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{R}) | \Psi_{\mathbf{K}_0M}^{\text{CDCC}}(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{R}) \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{T}_{\mu\sigma:M}(\mathbf{k},\mathbf{K}) = \sum_{p,M'} \langle \phi_{\mathbf{k}\mu\sigma}^{(-)} | \tilde{\phi}_p^{M'} \rangle \langle \tilde{\phi}_p^{M'} e^{i\mathbf{K}\cdot\mathbf{R}} | U(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{R}) | \Psi_M(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{R}) \rangle$$

$$\langle \hat{\phi}_{\mathbf{k}\mu\sigma}^{(-)} | \phi_p^{M'} \rangle = \frac{(2\pi)^{3/2}}{k\sqrt{N_\alpha}} \sum_{\nu} (-\mathrm{i})^{\ell} \langle \ell\nu, s\sigma | jm \rangle \langle jm, I_c\mu | I_p'M' \rangle \mathrm{e}^{\mathrm{i}\bar{\delta}_p(k)} \, \tilde{u}_p(k) Y_{\ell\nu}(\hat{\mathbf{k}}).$$

$$\widehat{\mathcal{T}}_{M'M}^{p}(\mathbf{K}_{p}) = \langle \widehat{\phi}_{p}^{M'} e^{i\mathbf{K}_{p} \cdot \mathbf{R}} | U(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}) | \Psi_{\mathbf{K}_{0}M}^{\text{CDCC}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}) \rangle = -\frac{2\pi \hbar^{2}}{\mu_{(vc)t}} \sqrt{\frac{K_{0}}{K_{p}}} \widehat{\mathcal{F}}_{M'M}(\mathbf{K}_{p})$$

CDCC three-body observables



Let's say we measure the energy of one fragment c and the angles of both:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega_c \mathrm{d}\Omega_v \mathrm{d}E_c} = \frac{2\pi \mu_{(vc)t}}{\hbar^2 K_0} \frac{1}{(2I_p+1)} \sum_{\mu \sigma M} \left| \mathbf{T}_{\mu \sigma : M}(\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{K}) \right|^2 \rho_{\mathrm{ps}}(E_c, \Omega_c, \Omega_v),$$

Phase space factor

$$\rho_{\rm ps}(E_c, \Omega_c, \Omega_v) dE_c d\Omega_c d\Omega_v =$$

$$\int d^3 \mathbf{k}_c d^3 \mathbf{k}_v d^3 \mathbf{k}_t \, \delta(\mathbf{P} - \hbar \mathbf{k}_c - \hbar \mathbf{k}_v - \hbar \mathbf{k}_t) \, \delta(E - E_c - E_v - E_t),$$

CDCC three-body observables



Let's say we only measure fragment c both energy and angles, with a certain solid angle and an efficiency dependent on angle:

$$\left\langle \frac{\mathrm{d}^2 \sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega_c \mathrm{d}E_c} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\Delta\Omega_c} \int_{\Delta\Omega_c} \mathrm{d}\Omega_c \left\{ e(\Omega_c) \int \mathrm{d}\Omega_v \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 \sigma}{\mathrm{d}\Omega_c \mathrm{d}\Omega_v \mathrm{d}E_c} \right\}$$

Other typical observables: momentum distributions

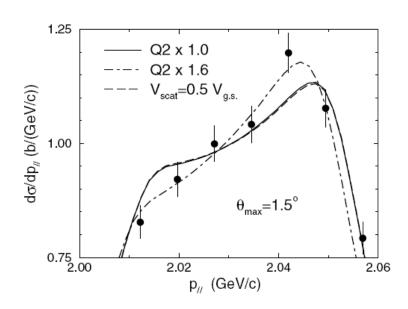


FIG. 4: Momentum distribution of ⁷Be following the breakup of 44 MeV/A ⁸B on a ²⁰⁸Pb target integrated up to $\theta_{max} = 1.5^{\circ}$: the previous results [8] with no renormalisation of the quadrupole excitation (solid line) and with a 1.6 renormalization (dot-dashed line) and the result using 0.5*V(p-Be) for the final state (dashed line).