Probing single-particle structures via proton-induced knockout reactions

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Classification of reaction processes and reaction models

- (p,pN) for studying s.p. properties of nuclei in the ground state
- Distorted Wave Impulse Approximation (DWIA)

□ Mechanism of the asymmetry in the parallel momentum distribution (PMD)

- The phase volume effect on the high-mom. side
- Distortion (momentum shift) effect on the low-mom. side

 \square Many physics cases related to (*p*,*pN*)

Spectroscopy with breakup reactions



- A is not excited.
- <u>Small</u> energy-momentum transfer (ω-q)
- CDCC, DEA, Faddeev-AGS etc. are available.

- A is excited.
- Contribution from *Q*-space.
- Formulation is difficult (Glauber, ERT).

- A kind of EB
- <u>Large</u> ω -q
- DWIA(QFS picture)

Missing Correlations (the Gade plot)

A. Gade et al., PRC77, 044306 (2008) [updated in Tostevin and Gade, PRC90, 057602 (2014)].

Reduction of spectroscopic strength: Weakly-bound and strongly-bound single-particle states studied using one-nucleon knockout reactions



Some counterarguments



*A compilation of A. Gade *et al.*, PRC**77**, 044306 (2008), F. Flavigny *et al.*, PRL**108**, 252501 (2012), and F. Flavigny *et al.*, PRL**110**, 122503 (2013).

Asymmetry of P_{//}



- ✓ The Glauber model is usually adopted that gives inevitably a symmetric $P_{//}$ because of the <u>AD</u>iabatic (sudden) approximation.
- ✓ For non weak-binding nuclei, $P_{//}$ is asymmetric, which is not understood well.

Our strategy

- We do not have a non-adiabatic framework applicable to stripping processes.
 - \rightarrow We cannot discuss the Gade plot directly.
 - cf. Transfer to continuum model by Bonaccorso and Brink, PRC **38**, 1776 (1988). Revival of the Ichimura-Austern-Vincent model by J. Lei and Moro, PRC **92**, 044616 (2015).
- We focus on the EB and KO processes and aim at finding the mechanism that generates the asymmetry in the PMD, with clarifying why the Glauber model cannot explain it (for EB).
 - → If the mechanism exists also in stripping processes, we may regard it as a possible source of the strong quenching of the reduction factor.
- We will use DWIA, which is "equivalent" (and can be superior) to CDCC.

MD of EB in CDCC (or DWIA)

Y. Iseri, Yahiro, Kamimura, PTP Suppl 89, 84 (1986); G. G. Ohlsen, NIM37, 240 (1965).



• The Phase Volume guarantees the energy-momentum conservation.

$$\frac{d^{3}\sigma}{d\boldsymbol{K}_{c}} = C_{0} \int d\boldsymbol{\hat{K}}_{n} \rho\left(\boldsymbol{K}_{c}, \boldsymbol{\hat{K}}_{n}\right) \left|T_{\beta\alpha}^{\text{CDCC}}\right|^{2}.$$

MD of EB in the Glauber model

- Taking a Jacobi representation results in the simplest form of the PV.
- small ω -q is assumed, with neglecting the *E*-conservation.

Integration over K_{\perp} in the whole region

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{diff}}}{d^3\vec{k}} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2L_0 + 1} \sum_{M_0} \int d^2\vec{R}_{\perp} \left| \int d^3\vec{r} \phi_{\vec{k}}^*(\vec{r}) S_c S_n \phi_{0,M_0}(\vec{r}) \right|^2.$$

• MD in the A-frame <u>if the mom. of the *c*-*n* c.m. is 0</u>.

Preceding discussion on the EB-PMD

J. A. Tostevin et al., PRC66, 024607 (2002).



- The importance of "the accurate three-body dynamics" was claimed.
- The low-mom. tail is often regarded as higher order effects.

Knockout of a tightly bound nucleon

$\Box \text{ large } \omega \text{-} q$

- The AD approximation becomes questionable, hence the Glauber model.
- Higher values of the *c*-*n* breakup energy (and the angular momentum *l*) become necessary.
 - \rightarrow A huge model space is required in CDCC.
- □ Weak coupling to the breakup channels
 - DWIA is expected to work well.
 - We will focus on reactions with <u>a proton target</u> because of:
 - no contribution of the stripping process
 - observation of the nuclear interior part
 - intuitive picture of the reaction process (DWIA)
 - \rightarrow (*p*,2*p*), (*p*,*pn*) processes in inverse kinematics

The probed region

M. Yahiro, O, Minomo, PTP 126, 127 (2011).

T. Aumann, Bertulani, Ryckebusch, PRC **88**, 064610 (2013).



CDCC and **DWIA**



The Continuum-Discretized Coupled-Channels method: CDCC (conventional CDCC)



Test of the two assumptions



DWIA vs. Faddeev-AGS

R. Crespo et al., PRC77, 024601 (2008); PRC90, 044606 (2014).



FIG. 8. (Color online) ¹¹B core transverse momentum distribution for the ¹²C(p,2p)¹¹B reaction at 400 MeV/u The curves represent the observable calculated to second and third orders in the multiple scattering expansion using all the Faddeev-AGS terms and with a truncated series as in the DWIA reaction approach.

FIG. 15. (Color online) Cross section for the breakup ¹¹Be(p,pn) at 100 MeV.

Eikonal (non-adiabatic) DWIA

$$\frac{\mathbf{A}\operatorname{-rest frame}}{\mathbf{A} \circ \mathbf{P}} \xrightarrow{\mathbf{K}_{0}} p \xrightarrow{\mathbf{K}_{p}} p \xrightarrow{\mathbf{R}_{p}} p \xrightarrow{\mathbf{R}$$

cf. T. Aumann, Bertulani, Ryckebusch, PRC88, 064610 (2013).

Eikonal calculation for elastic scattering



KO, "Introduction to quantum scattering theory", in preparation.

Validation of the eikonal DWIA



Exp. data: T. Noro, private communication (2014).

Theory vs. exp. data for (e,e'p)



G. V. D. Steenhoven et al., NPA 480, 547 (1988)

Opt. Pot. Dep.



Exp. data: T. Noro, private communication (2014).

S factors from (d,³He): "now" and past





In this article it has been shown that spectroscopic factors obtained from (e,e'p) and $(d,^{3}He)$ experiments are mutually consistent, provided that in the DWBA calculations for the analysis of the $(d,^{3}He)$ data nonlocality and finite-range corrections are included together with the BSWF obtained from (e,e'p) experiments. It was also shown that the (e,e'p) reaction is sensitive to the whole BSWF, whereas the $(d,^{3}He)$ reaction is only sensitive to the exponential tail of the BSWF. This tail is very sensitive to the assumed shape of the potential well used to generate the BSWF.

MD calculation with Eikonal DWIA



$$\frac{d\sigma^{\mathrm{PW}}}{d\boldsymbol{K}_B} = \bar{\rho} \left(\boldsymbol{K}_B \right) \left[C_0 \bar{\sigma}_{NN} \left(\bar{E}_{NN} \right) \left| \int d\boldsymbol{R} \, e^{i\boldsymbol{K}_B \cdot \boldsymbol{R}} \varphi_{n,lj} \left(\boldsymbol{R} \right) \right|^2 \right],$$
$$\bar{\rho} \left(\boldsymbol{K}_B \right) \equiv \frac{\pi m}{\hbar^2} \sqrt{\left(\boldsymbol{K}_0 + \boldsymbol{K}_B \right)^2 - \frac{2A}{A-1} K_B^2 - \frac{4m}{\hbar^2} S_N}.$$

PMD of ¹³O for ¹⁴O(p,pn)¹³O at 100 A MeV



Can we interpret the PMD as the nucleon MD inside ¹⁴O?

Phase volume (PV) effect on the PMD



• The PV effect gives a cut on the high-mom side resulting in a reduction of Γ .

• The PMD height changes little and the integrated PMD decreases significantly.

PV effect on the MD



Phase volume effect



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Distortion effect on the PMD



• Attractive (real) potential of B gives the low-momentum tail.

• The PMD height changes significantly and the integrated PMD changes little.

Distortion effect on the MD

 $^{14}O(p,pn)^{13}N$ at 70 A MeV **PWIA DWIA** 25 $d^2 \sigma / (dK_{c//} dK_{c\perp}) \ ({
m mb/fm^{-3}})$ $d^2 \sigma / (dK_{c//} dK_{c\perp}) \ ({
m mb/fm^{-3}})$ 20 25 0.5 15 20 0.5 10 15 10 1.5 Kct Kc. (fm.) $K_{c||}(fm^{-1})$ $K_{cll}(fm^{-1})$ 0.5 -2 -2 -3

- Distortion generates the low momentum tail in the PMD and widens the transverse MD.
- This is due to the asymmetry in the kinematics of the 3-body system.

Distortion effect on the TMD



• Distortion widens the width and even changes the shape.

Asymmetry in the PMD of ¹⁴O(*p,pn*)¹³O



- ✓ The Glauber-like calc. overshoots both the integrated X-sec. and the peak height, possibly resulting in overestimation of the missing correlation.
- ✓ PV and distortion effects exist also in nucleon removal processes with a nucleus target, and will affect the reduction factor.
- ✓ Studies on the reduction factor with a proton target are going on (collaboration with Uesaka-san's group).

Summary (1/2)

□ Some reaction models for describing EB and KO reactions are reviewed.

- CDCC/Glauber is designed with assuming small ω -q, i.e., breakup of a weakly-bound nucleus.
- DWIA is suitable for describing large ω-q processes.
 (Use of a proton target will make the reaction process the simplest.)
- The Glauber model (AD approx.) becomes questionable when ω -q is large, which results in failure in reproducing the asymmetric shape of the PMD.
- DWIA is equivalent to CDCC when the coupling to the breakup states of the c+n nucleus is negligible and the breakup is caused by only the *n*-target int.; this is the case even for ${}^{19}C(p,pn){}^{18}C$ at 68 A MeV.
- DWIA is more flexible than CDCC because it can include *E*-dep. complex *c*-*n* potential and large values of their relative ang. mom. *l* easily.

Summary (2/2)

 \square (*p*,2*p*)/(*p*,*pn*) is an established method for clarifying s.p. properties of nuclei.

- no stripping process
- intuitive picture of the reaction process
- observation of nuclear interior (not only the tail region)
- We have clarified that the asymmetric shape of the PMD comes from the asymmetry in the kinematics:
 - <u>the phase volume effect</u> that cuts the high-momentum side of the PMD, with reducing its integrated value, and
 - <u>the distortion effect</u> that generates the tail on the low-mom. side, decreasing the peak height of the PMD.

<u>If these two are properly taken into account</u>, the PMD/TMD will be useful to extract s.p. information.

Future perspective

 $\square Spectroscopic studies with (p,pN)$

- A computer code PIKOE will be available soon. [O & Yoshida (RCNP)]
- A microscopic *N*-*A* opt. pot. will be given by a code SFOLC.
- Systematics of the reduction factor [Kawase, Obertelli, ...]

□ Nuclear correlation studies

- (p,pα) / (p,pd) reactions as a probe of α / d correlation [Beaumel, Zaihong, Yoshida (Niigata)]
- (p,pNN') as a probe of 2N correlations
- \square (*p*,*pN*) as a tool to populate a particle-unbound state
 - nn correlation in the ground state of a Borromean nucleus [Kikuchi]
 - Decay of the reaction residue in continuum [Watanabe/JAEA]
- □ Studies on 3NF effects via (*p*,*pN*) [Minomo]

 \square DWIA for high-energy (*p*,*d*) reactions for tensor studies [Ong, Pang]