

Tensor effects on the isospin excitation with random phase approximation based on relativistic Hartree-Fock approach

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Effects of tensor force and its uncertainty

Tensor force is an important noncentral ingredient of nuclear force.

Nonrelativistic form:

$$S_{12} = 3(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \mathbf{q})(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}) - \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 q^2$$

☞ variational procedure

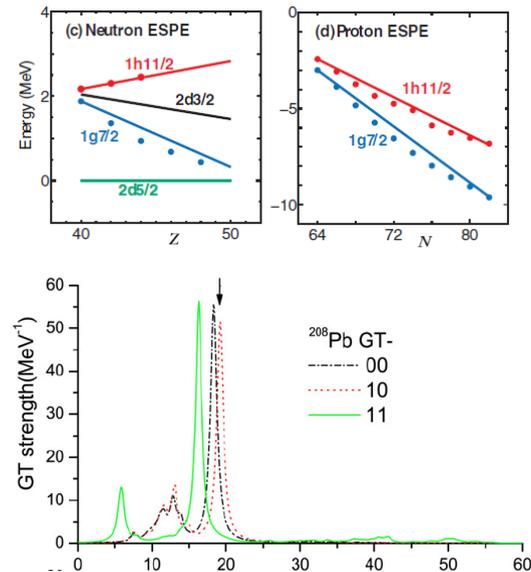
☞ perturbative method

📄 Otsuka (2005), Bai (2009)

It is still difficult to reliably constrain the magnitude and sign of the tensor force. Further exploration of tensor effects and more efficient constrain are necessary.

The spin-isospin excitations are better candidates than the ground-state quantities to constrain the tensor force.

📄 Bai (2010)



Relativistic representation of tensor force

- Relativistic representation of the nuclear tensor interaction based on Relativistic Hartree-Fock (RHF) approach
 - Unified and self-consistent treatment of both tensor and spin-orbit interactions
 - New origin associated with the Fock diagrams of Lorentz scalar (σ and δ) and vector (ω and ρ) couplings
 - Long (2006), Jiang (2015)
- Random phase approximation (RPA) based on the RHF and the quasiparticle random phase approximation (QRPA) based on the relativistic Hartree-Fock Bogoliubov (RHFB) approach
 - The π -meson is included in both the ground-state description and the particle-hole residual interaction.
 - The zero-range pionic counter-term with $g' = \frac{1}{3}$ is maintained self-consistently.
 - Liang (2008), Niu (2013)

Goal

- To investigate the effects of the tensor force on the nuclear isospin excitation in covariant framework

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Relativistic Hartree-Fock equation

🌀 Solving the RHF equation : $\int dr' h(r, r') \psi(r') = \varepsilon_a \psi(r)$

👉 h concludes the kinetic energy, local and nonlocal self energies,

$$h^k = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{d}{dr} + \frac{\kappa_a}{r} \\ \frac{d}{dr} + \frac{\kappa_a}{r} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \delta(r, r'),$$

$$h^D = \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_0(r) + \Sigma_S(r) & \Sigma_T \\ \Sigma_T & \Sigma_0(r) - \Sigma_S(r) - 2M \end{pmatrix} \delta(r, r'),$$

$$h^E = \begin{pmatrix} Y_{G_a}(r, r') & Y_{F_a}(r, r') \\ X_{G_a}(r, r') & X_{G_a}(r, r') \end{pmatrix}$$

👉 Expanding the single-particle wave function on the Dirac Woods-Saxon Basis as

$$\psi(r) = \sum_p a_p g_p(r) + \sum_d a_d g_d(r),$$

then the RHF equation was transformed to a problem of diagonalization.

🌀 Inputs for the RPA equation : single-particle energy ε_a and wave function $\psi_a(r)$

📄 Long (2006, 2009), Liang (2010)

RPA equation

Based on the static RHF equation

$$H_0[f]f_a(1) = T f_a(1) + \sum_b \langle b(2)|V(1,2)|b(2)\rangle f_a(1) - \sum_b \langle b(2)|V(1,2)|a(2)\rangle f_b(1),$$

one can derive the RPA equation using the linear response method. The RPA equation for the **charge-exchange** excitation reads

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{A}_{p\bar{n}p'\bar{n}'}^J & \mathcal{B}_{p\bar{n}n'\bar{p}'}^J \\ -\mathcal{B}_{n\bar{p}p'\bar{n}'}^J & -\mathcal{A}_{n\bar{p}n'\bar{p}'}^J \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_{p'\bar{n}'}^J \\ V_{n'\bar{p}'}^J \end{pmatrix} = \omega \begin{pmatrix} U_{p\bar{n}}^J \\ V_{n\bar{p}}^J \end{pmatrix}$$

with

$$\mathcal{A}_{Aa,Bb}^J = (E_A - E_a)\delta_{Aa,Bb} + \sum_{i=1}^{14} H_i^J(AaBb),$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{Aa,Bb}^J = (-1)^{j_B+j_b} \sum_{i=1}^{14} H_i^J(AabB).$$

The two-body interaction contains those from all the coupling channels:

$$\phi = \sigma^S, \omega^V, \rho^V, \rho^{VT}, \rho^T, \pi^{PV} \text{ and } A^V$$

Ring (1980), Liang (2010)

Excited states and transition probabilities

The excited states are constructed as

$$|\nu\rangle = Q_\nu^\dagger |RPA\rangle,$$

with $Q_\nu^\dagger = \sum_{pm_p hm_h} X_{ph}^\nu c_p^\dagger c_h + \sum_{pm_p hm_h} Y_{ph}^\nu c_h^\dagger c_p$ and $Q_\nu |RPA\rangle = 0$.

The transition probability caused by the single-particle operator \hat{F}_{JM} is

$$\begin{aligned} B_\nu &= |\langle \nu_{JM} | \hat{F}_{JM} | RPA \rangle|^2 \\ &= \hat{J}^2 \sum_{ph} \{ X_{ph}^{J\nu} \langle p || F_J || h \rangle + (-1)^{j_p + j_h} Y_{ph}^{J\nu} \langle h || F_J || p \rangle \} \end{aligned}$$

The T_- ($n \rightarrow p$) and T_+ ($p \rightarrow n$) channels are calculated simultaneously, and they will be separated naturally with the following principle:

$$\begin{cases} \sum_{p\bar{n}} (U_{p\bar{n}}^J)^2 - \sum_{n\bar{p}} (V_{n\bar{p}})^2 = +1, & \text{for } T_- \text{ channel;} \\ \sum_{p\bar{n}} (U_{p\bar{n}}^J)^2 - \sum_{n\bar{p}} (V_{n\bar{p}})^2 = -1, & \text{for } T_+ \text{ channel.} \end{cases}$$

The excited energies and X, Y amplitudes are determined as

$$\begin{cases} \Omega = +\omega, & X_{p\bar{n}}^J = U_{p\bar{n}}^J, & Y_{n\bar{p}}^J = V_{n\bar{p}}^J, & \text{for } T_- \text{ channel;} \\ \Omega = -\omega, & X_{n\bar{p}}^J = V_{n\bar{p}}^J, & Y_{p\bar{n}}^J = U_{p\bar{n}}^J, & \text{for } T_+ \text{ channel.} \end{cases}$$

Two-body interaction caused by ρ -tensor

🌀 The RHF+RPA published before, using the parameter sets PKOi ($i=1,2,3$), didn't consider the contributions from the ρ -tensor couplings.

🌀 ρ -tensor couplings is included in the effective parameter set PKA1.

👉 The two-body interactions of ρ -tensor couplings and the zero-range counter-term read

$$V^{\rho-T}(1, 2) = \frac{1}{4M^2} [f_\rho \gamma_0 \sigma_{\nu k} \vec{\tau} \partial^k]_1 \cdot [f_\rho \gamma_0 \sigma^{\nu l} \vec{\tau} \partial]_2 v(m_\rho; \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2),$$

and

$$V^{\rho-T\delta}(1, 2) = \frac{1}{12M^2} [f_\rho \gamma_0 \sigma_{\mu\nu} \vec{\tau}]_1 \cdot [f_\rho \gamma_0 \sigma^{\mu\nu} \vec{\tau}]_2 \delta(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2).$$

👉 The inclusion of ρ -tensor couplings at the same time gives rise to the ρ -vector-tensor and ρ -tensor-vector couplings:

$$V^{\rho-VT}(1, 2) = -[g_\rho(1) \gamma_0 \gamma_\nu \vec{\tau}]_1 \cdot \left[\frac{f_\rho(2)}{2M} \gamma_0 \sigma^{\nu l} \partial_l \vec{\tau} \right]_2 v(m_\rho; \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2),$$

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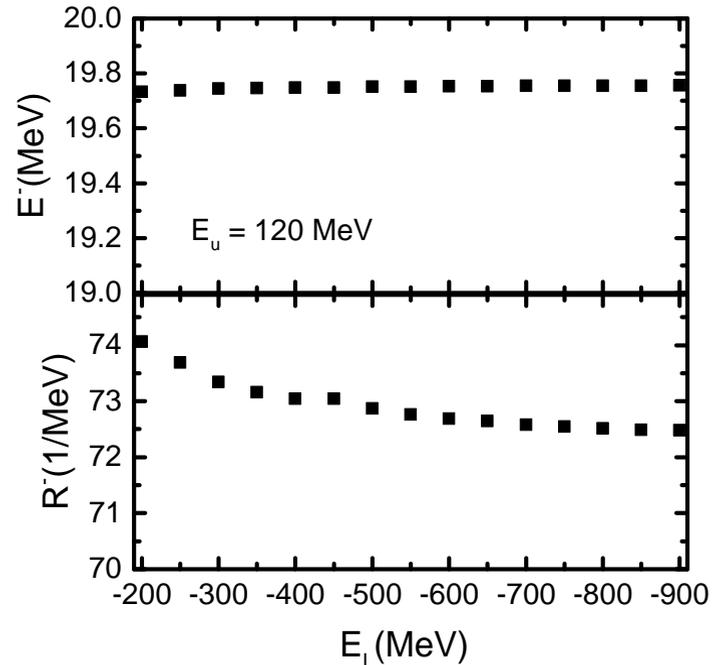
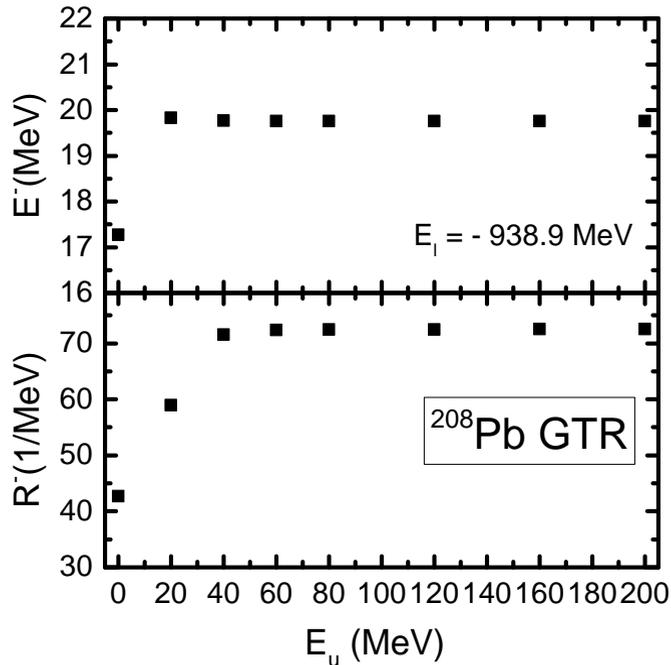
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Self-consistency and convergence test

Checking the isobaric analog states (IAS) without the coulomb interaction

	^{48}Ca	^{90}Zr	^{132}Sn	^{208}Pb
$E_{\text{IAS}}(\text{keV})$	4.25	4.36	-36.9	-32.9

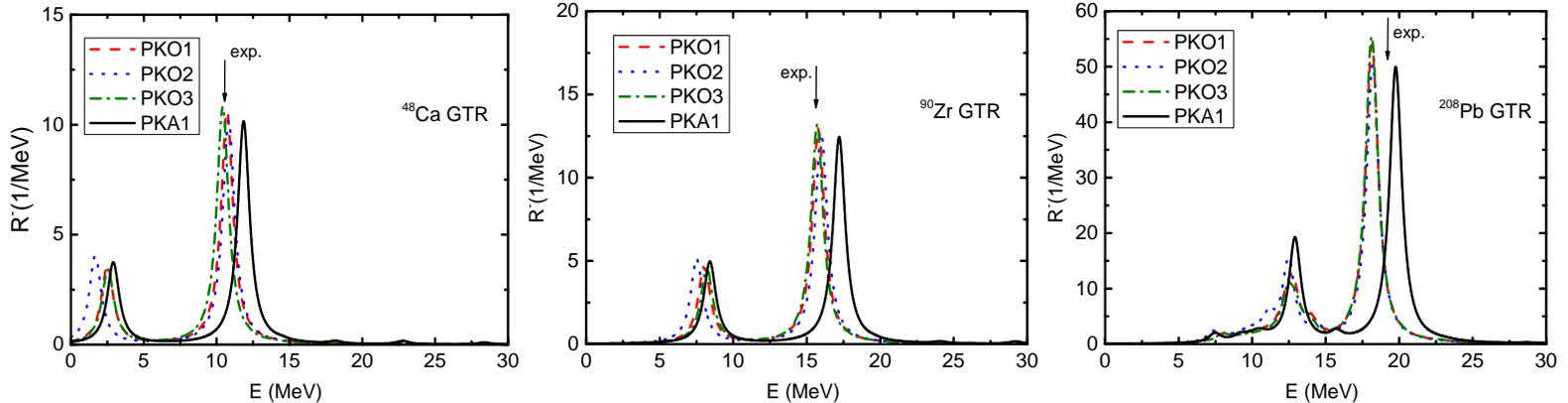
Convergence test



The single-particle energy truncation is chosen as $[-M, M + 120 \text{ MeV}]$.

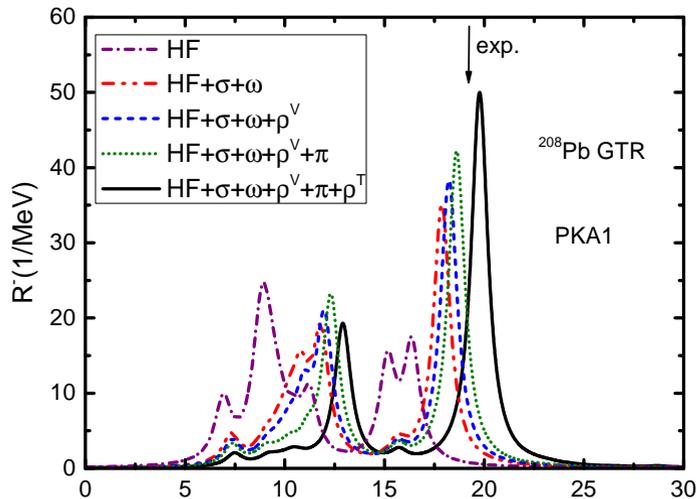
Some results of RPA using PKA1

The Gamow-Teller resonance (GTR) by RHF+RPA



☞ The PKA1 remarkably pulls upwards the position of the dominate peak.

Contributions from different channels



☞ The isoscalar σ - and ω -mesons play a very important role in determining the GTR strength distribution.

☞ The ρ -T coupling pulls upwards the GTR energy most remarkably.

☞ What is the role of the tensor force?

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Thank you for your attention!