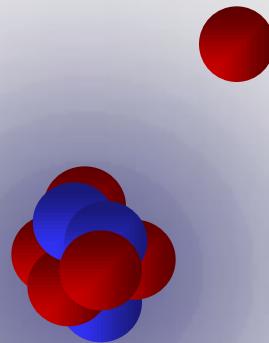


# *Possible Day One SAMURAI+NEBULA Experiments*

*Motivation/  
Ground Rules*

*“Early Phase” -  
Commissioning  
Experiments*



*Day One Experiments*

*Conclusions*

# Motivation & Ground Rules ...

## EARLY PHASE / COMMISSIONING EXPERIMENTS

AIM: validate operation of SAMURAI+NEBULA & analysis + simulation procedures

### REQUIREMENTS ...

- Established systems/well known resonances (eg.,  $^7\text{He}$ ,  $^{10}\text{Li}$  ...)
  - Single-neutron detection – core +  $n$  systems
  - No  $\gamma$ -ray detection (no core fragment bound  $E_x$  or not populated)
  - Short expts – high rate secondary beam(s) + reasonable  $\sigma$ 
    - ... multiple reaction channels from single beam
  - Some physics in parallel – spectroscopy of  $n$  unbound systems
- ⇒ Light neutron-rich systems ( $A < 15-20$ )

### Possibilities ...

$^{14}\text{B} \rightarrow ^7\text{He}, ^{10}\text{Li}$  ("known")  $^9\text{He}, ^{12}\text{Li}$  ( $N=7, 9$  physics)

[  $^{17}\text{C} \rightarrow ^7\text{He}, ^{16}\text{B}$  ("known")  $^{15}\text{Be}$  (search,  $N=11$ ) ]

## Approx. “Selection Rules” ...

... removal of nucleon(s) from high-energy beam

(i) 1 & 2-proton knockout  $\Rightarrow \Delta\ell_n=0$  proj. valence neutron config.

eg. : C( $^{11}\text{Be}$ ,  $^9\text{Li}+n$ )X , C( $^{11}\text{Be}$ ,  $^8\text{He}+n$ )X  $\rightarrow \nu s_{1/2}$  [  $^{11}\text{Be}$  C<sup>2</sup>S ( $\nu s_{1/2}$ )  $\approx 0.8$  ]

(ii) 1-neutron knockout from 2n halo  $\Rightarrow$  halo valence neutron configs

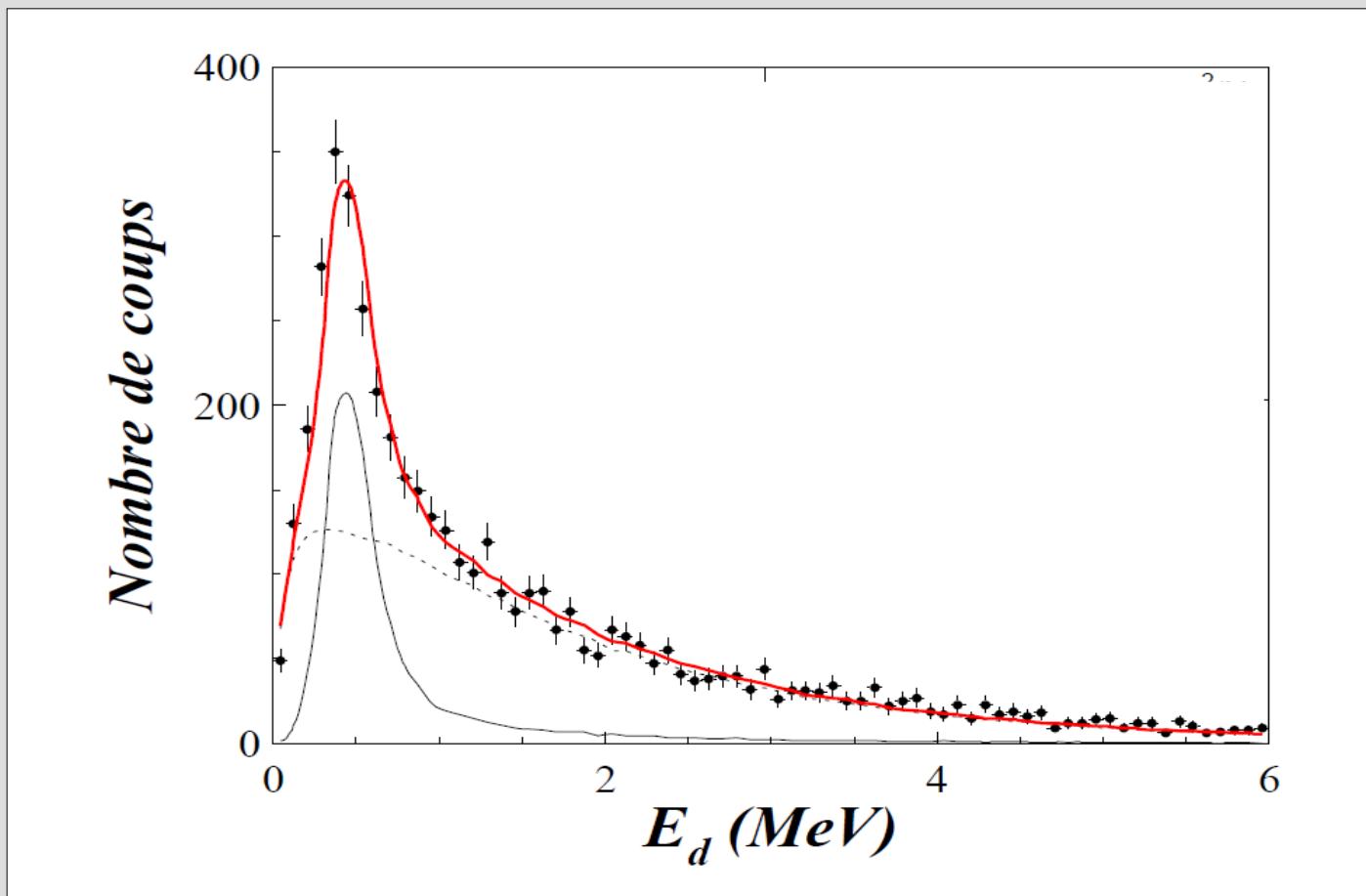
eg. : C( $^{11}\text{Li}$ ,  $^9\text{Li}+n$ )X  $\rightarrow \nu s_{1/2} + \nu p_{1/2}$  [  $^{11}\text{Li}$  ( $\nu s_{1/2}$ )<sup>2</sup> + ( $\nu p_{1/2}$ )<sup>2</sup>  $\approx 100\%$  ]

(iii) fragmentation (-xp, -yn)  $\Rightarrow$  population via neutron-decay  
of N+1 system

eg. : C( $^{14}\text{B}$ ,  $^9\text{Li}+n$ )X , C( $^{14}\text{B}$ ,  $^8\text{He}+n$ )X  $\rightarrow \nu s_{1/2} + \nu p_{1/2} + \dots$

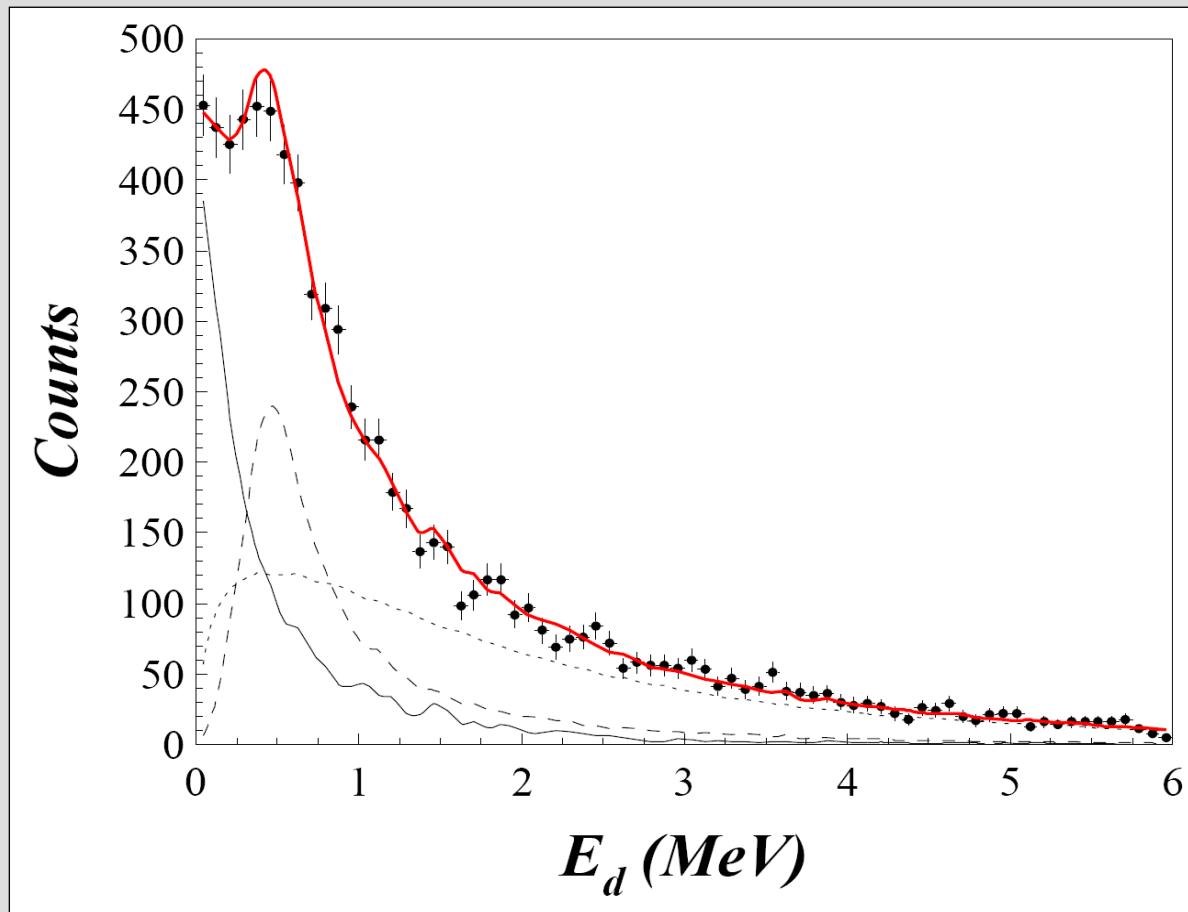
[  $\rightarrow$  CAVEAT: decay of narrow resonances in N+1, 2, ... systems ]

$^7\text{He}$ :  $\text{C}(^{14}\text{B}, ^6\text{He} + n)X \dots$  REFERENCE SYSTEM



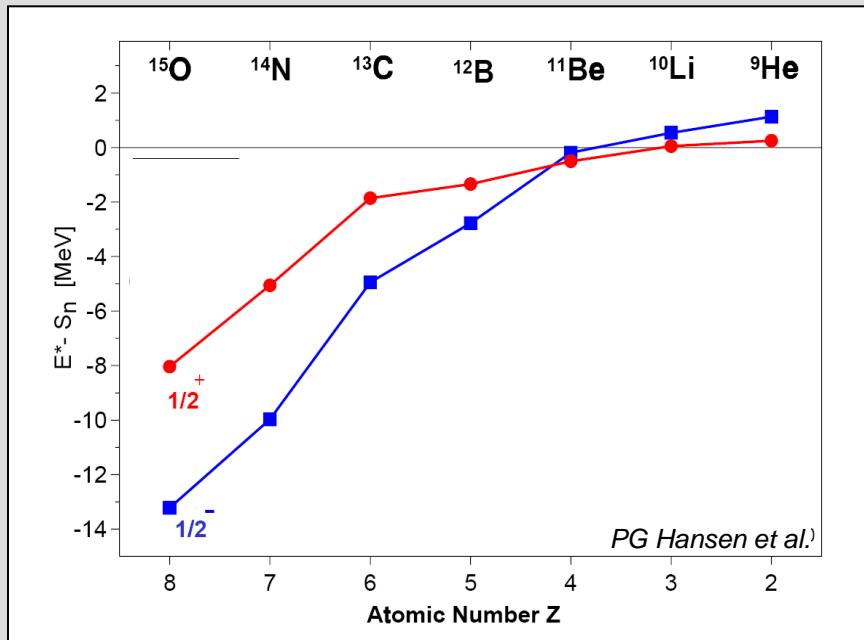
$$E_r = 0.44 \quad \Gamma_0 = 0.16 \text{ MeV}$$

# $^{10}\text{Li}$ : $C(^{14}\text{B}, ^9\text{Li} + n)$ ... RESOLVING POWER + LOW $E_d$ RESPONSE



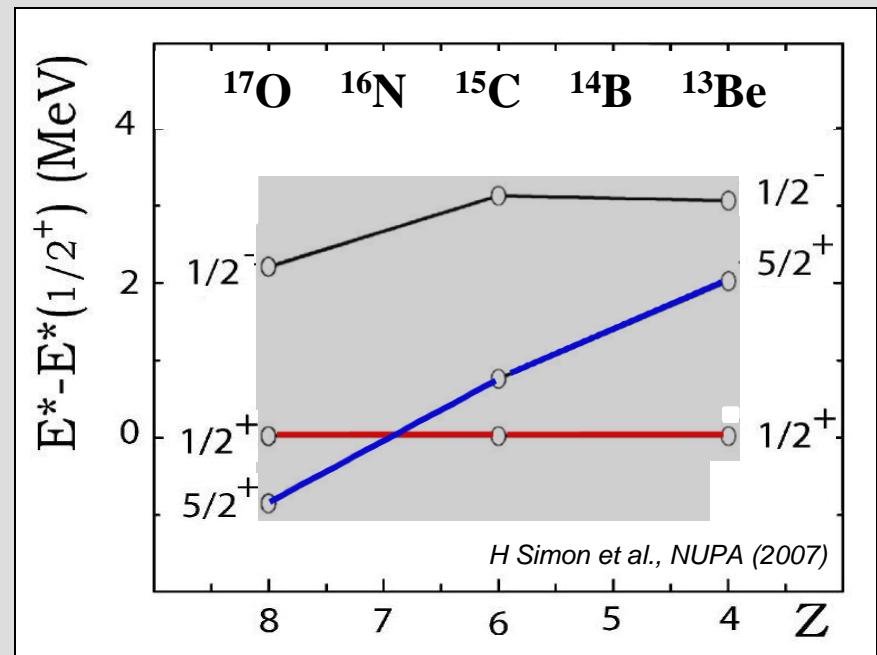
s-wave [ $a_s = -10 \text{ fm}$ ] + p-wave [ $E_r = 0.50$ ,  $\Gamma_0 = 0.50 \text{ MeV}$ ]

# Physics: $N=7$ & $9$ Structural Evolution with Isospin ...



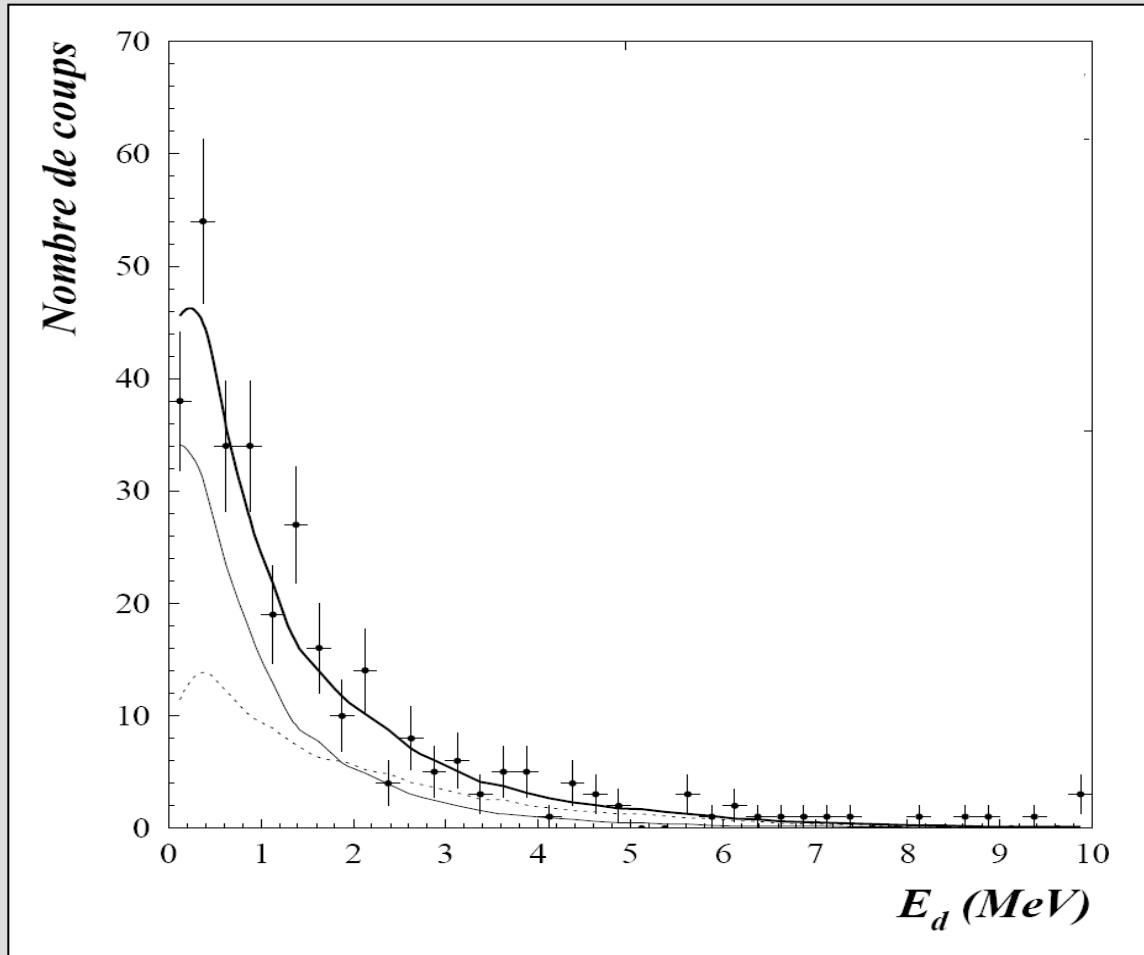
$N=7 \dots {}^9\text{He} ??$

$N=9 \dots {}^{12}\text{Li} ??$



$^9\text{He}$ :  $C(^{11}\text{Be}, ^8\text{He} + n)$  ...

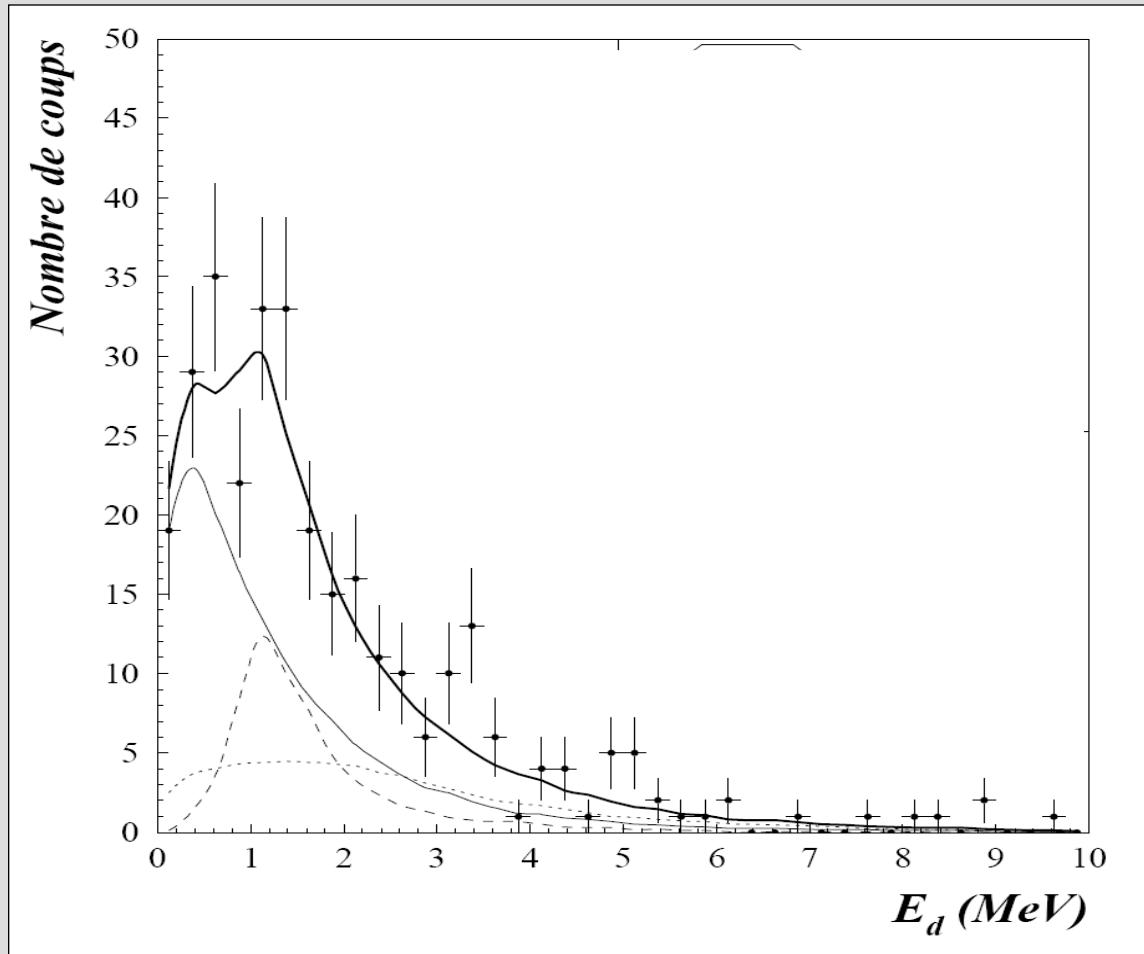
...  $N=7$



s-wave [ $a_s \approx -3 \text{ fm}$ ]

${}^9\text{He}$ :  $C({}^{14}\text{B}, {}^8\text{He} + n) \dots E_x^*$

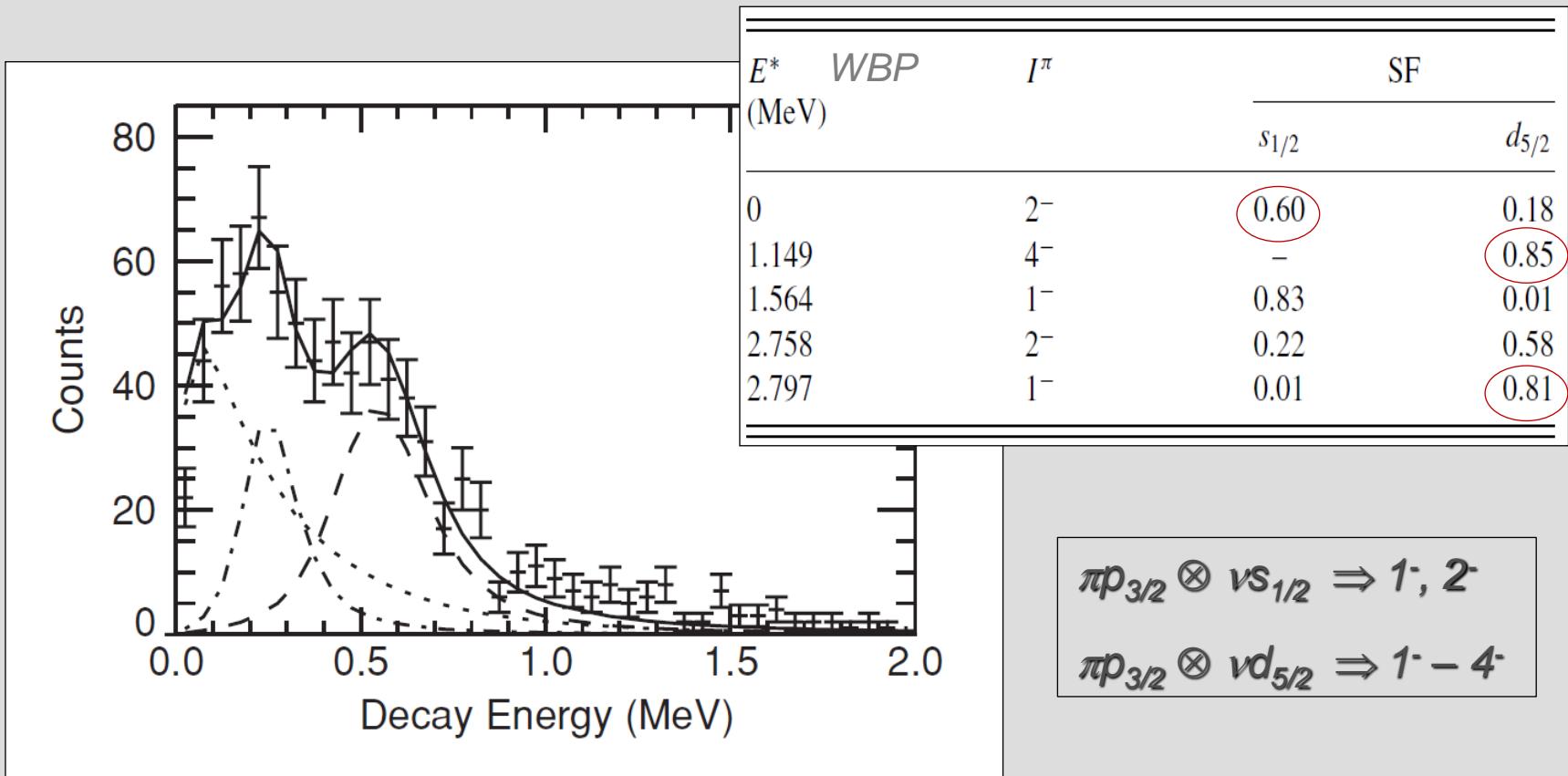
$\dots N=7$



s-wave [ $a_s \approx -3 \text{ fm}$ ] + p-wave [ $E_r \approx 1.2$ ,  $\Gamma_0 \approx 1.0 \text{ MeV}$ ]

\* Improve Statistics + Resolution

# $^{12}\text{Li}$ : $\text{Be}(^{14}\text{B}, ^{11}\text{Li} + n)$ ... $E_x$ – IMPROVE \* + SEARCH for HIGHER $E_x$



s-wave [ $a_s = -14$  fm] + d-wave [ $E_r = 0.250$ ,  $\Gamma_0 < 0.015$  MeV +  $E_r = 0.55$ ,  $\Gamma_0 < 0.08$  MeV]

... s-wave fixed by  $p(^{14}\text{Be}, ^{11}\text{Li} + n)$ : Yu. Aksyutina et al. (GSI-LAND), Phys Lett. B (2008)

\* Resolution + Statistics

MONa : CC Hall et al., Phys Rev. C (2010)

$^{18}B$  &  $^{21}C$  : two-neutron halo input structure @  $N=13$  &  $15$  ...

## POSSIBLE DAY ONE EXPERIMENTS

GOAL: employ complementary reactions (-1n & -1p) to explore different states ...

... extend existing work + utilise power of BigRIPS  $N/Z \gg 1$

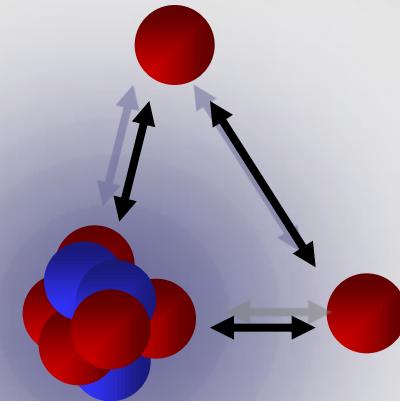
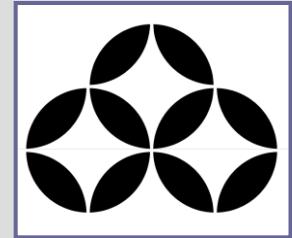
- $^{19}C + ^{19}B$  beam:  $C(^{19}C, ^{17}B+n)$  ;  $C(^{19}B, ^{17}B+n)$
- $^{22}N + ^{22}C$  beam:  $C(^{22}N, ^{20}C+n)$  ;  $C(^{22}C, ^{20}C+n)$

## REQUIREMENTS ...

- Single-neutron detection – core + n systems
- $\gamma$ -ray detection – core ( $E_x$ ) ... high  $\epsilon_\gamma$  + moderate FWHM \*
- mixed beam (BigRIPS), -1p & -1n channels (SAMURAI)

\*  $^{17}B^*$  ( $5/2^-$  @ 1.08 MeV)    $^{20}C^*$  ( $2^+$  @ 1.60 MeV)

# Modelling Two-Neutron Halo Systems ...

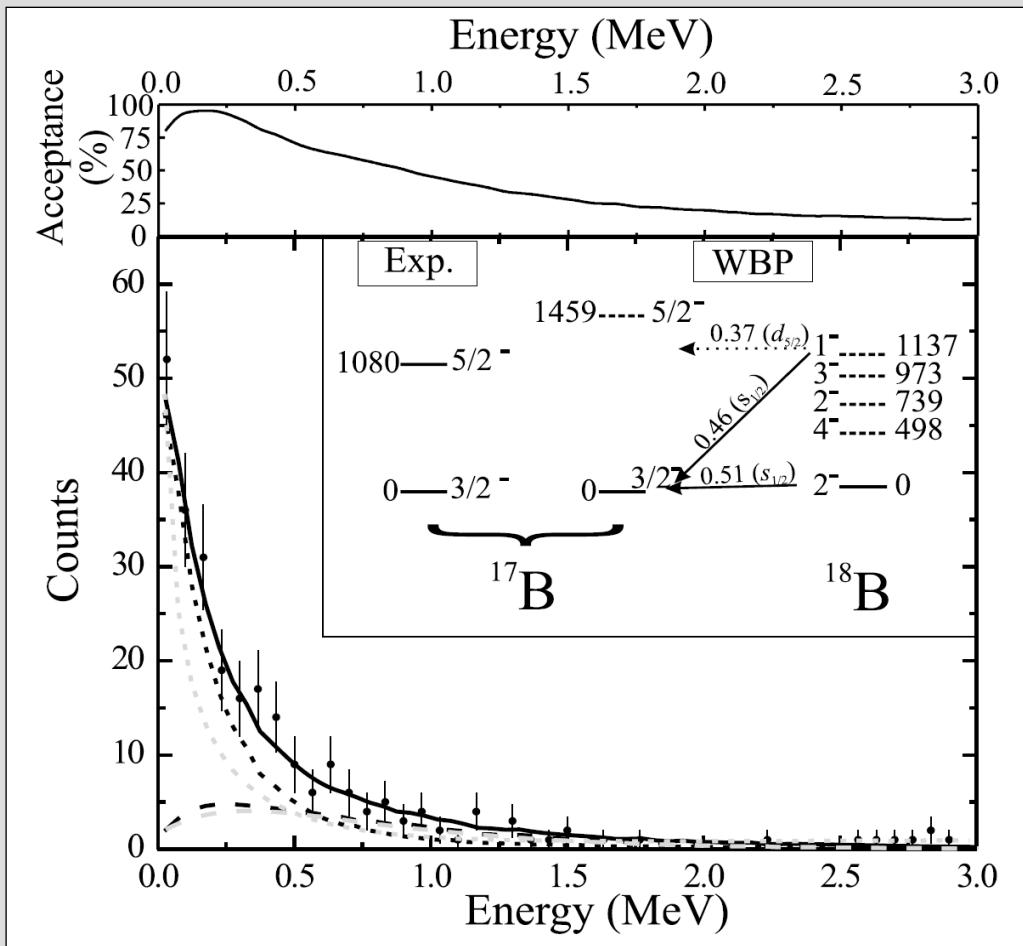


3-body systems  $\Rightarrow$  *n-n and core-n interactions*

$^{19}B$  :  $^{17}B$ -*n interaction*  $\sim$   $^{18}B$   $\Rightarrow$   $N=13 \dots \nu s_{1/2} - \nu d_{5/2} ??$

$^{22}C$  :  $^{20}C$ -*n interaction*  $\sim$   $^{21}C$   $\Rightarrow$   $N=15 \dots \nu s_{1/2} - \nu d_{5/2} ??$

# $^{18}B$ : $Be(^{19}C, ^{17}B+n)$ ... s-wave Ground State ... $E_x ??$



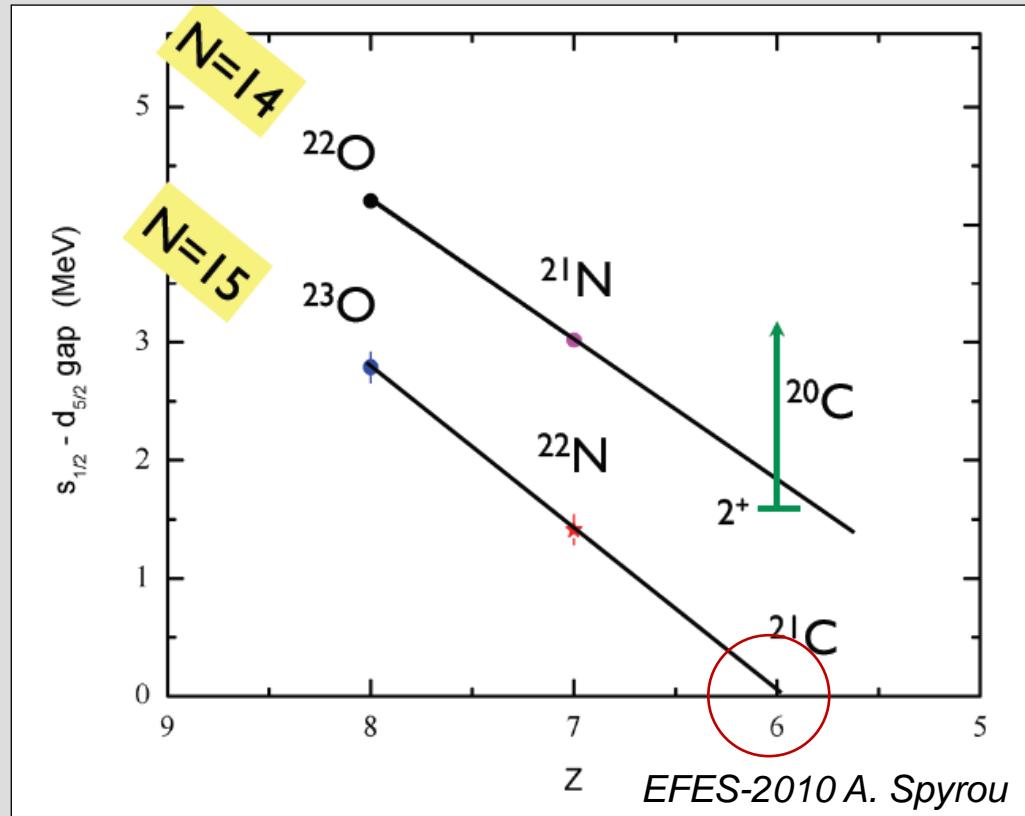
$\pi p_{3/2} \otimes \nu s_{1/2} \Rightarrow 1^-, 2^-$   
 $\pi p_{3/2} \otimes \nu d_{5/2} \Rightarrow 1^- - 4^-$

s-wave [ $a_s < -50$  fm]

\*  $^{17}B^*$  (1.08 MeV) – NO  $\gamma$ -detection

A. Spyrou et al. PLB (2010)

$^{21}\text{C}$ :  $N=15$  vs  $s_{1/2} - d_{5/2}$  ... ??



$^{22}\text{C}$ :  $\sigma_R$  @ 40 MeV/nucleon  $\Rightarrow (\nu s_{1/2})^2 + \dots$  ??

K Tanaka et al., PRL (2010)

... also  $^{22}\text{C}$  breakup –  $\sigma_{-2n}$  &  $d\sigma/dp$  ... N Kobayashi, T Nakamura et al.

## Conclusions ...

### EARLY PHASE / COMMISSIONING EXPERIMENTS ...

$^{14}B \rightarrow ^7He, ^{10}Li$  ("reference")  $^9He, ^{12}Li$  ( $N=7, 9$  physics)

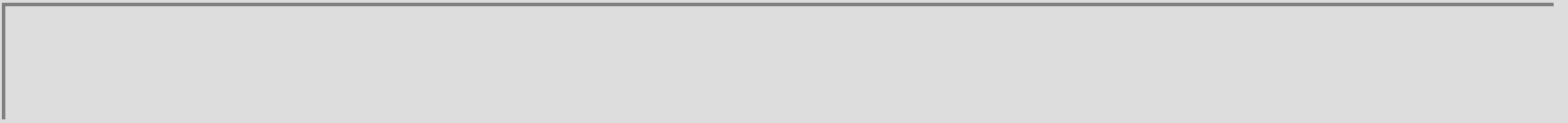
~1 day run ...  $^{18}O$  primary beam - moderate  $I_B$ , 150-250 MeV/nucleon OK

### DAY ONE EXPERIMENTS – two-neutron halo input & structure @ $N=13, 15$ ...

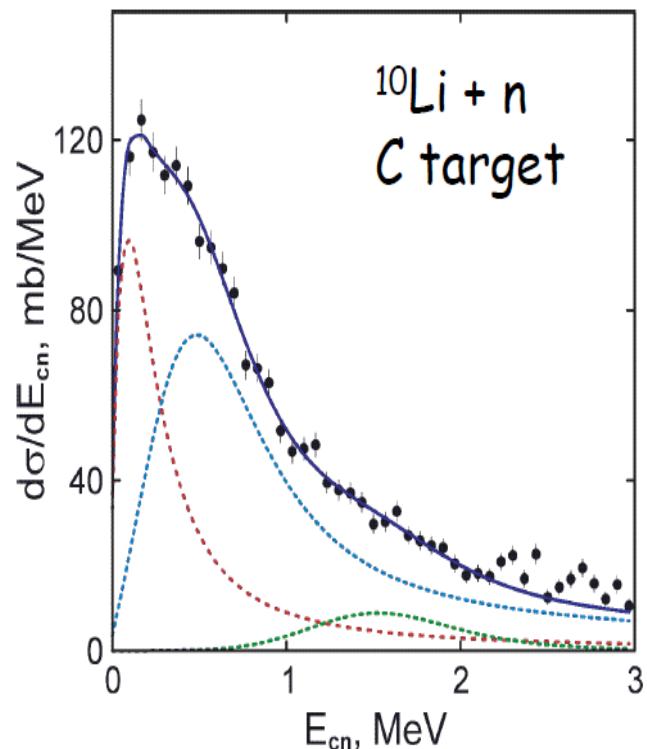
- $^{19}C + ^{19}B$  beam:  $C(^{19}C, ^{17}B+n)$ ;  $C(^{19}B, ^{17}B+n)$
- $^{22}N + ^{22}C$  beam:  $C(^{22}N, ^{20}C+n)$ ;  $C(^{22}C, ^{20}C+n)$

~3-5 day runs ...  $^{48}Ca$  primary beam – high  $I_B$ ,  $\gamma$ -detection

NB: possibility to couple with EMD  $dB(E1)/dE$  measurements



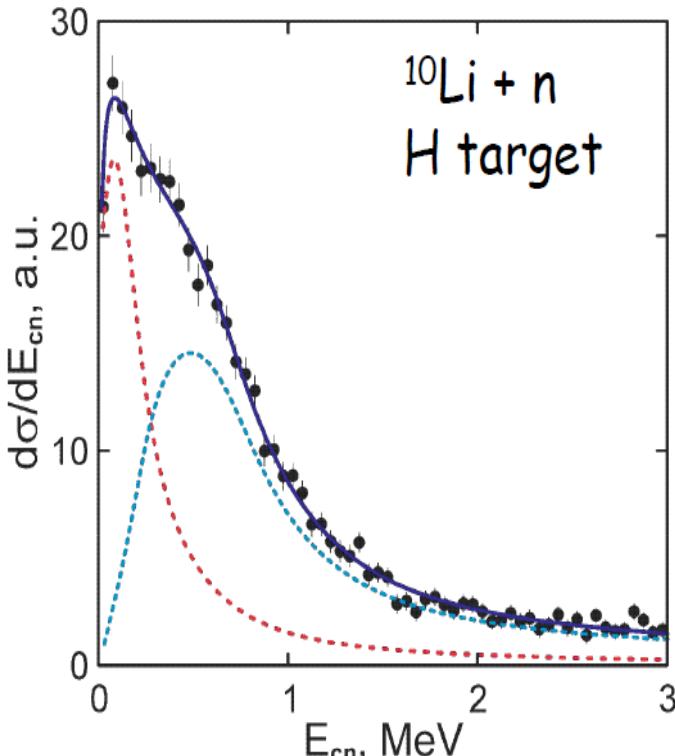
# $^{10}\text{Li}$ : $p, C(^{11}\text{Li}, ^9\text{Li}+n) \dots$



$$a = -30^{+12}_{-31} \text{ fm}$$

$$E_r = 0.510(44) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 0.54(16) \text{ MeV}$$

$$E_r = 1.486(88) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma < 2.2 \text{ MeV}$$

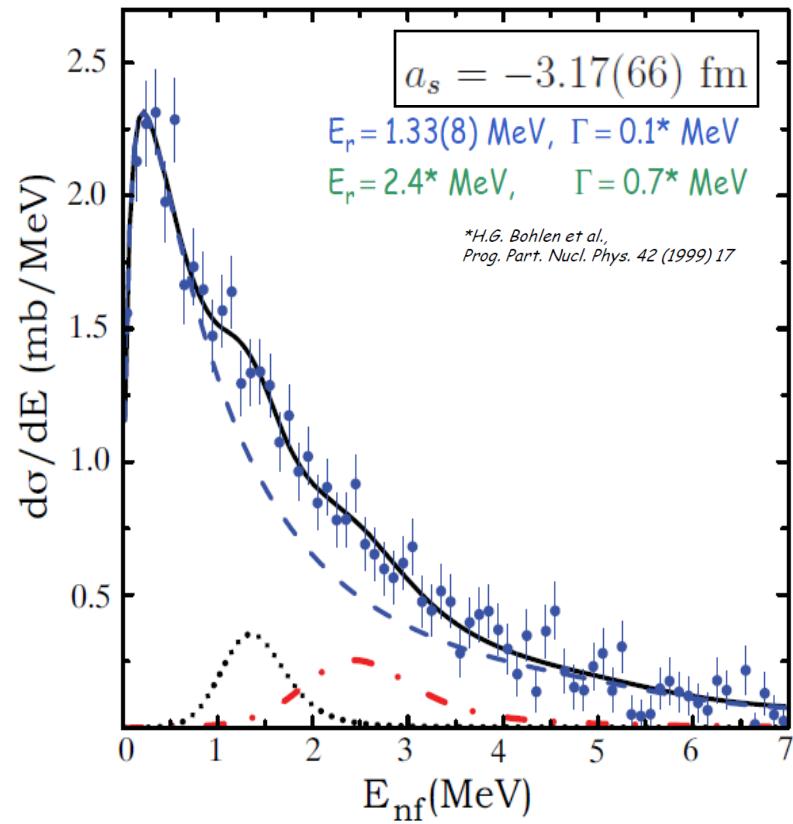
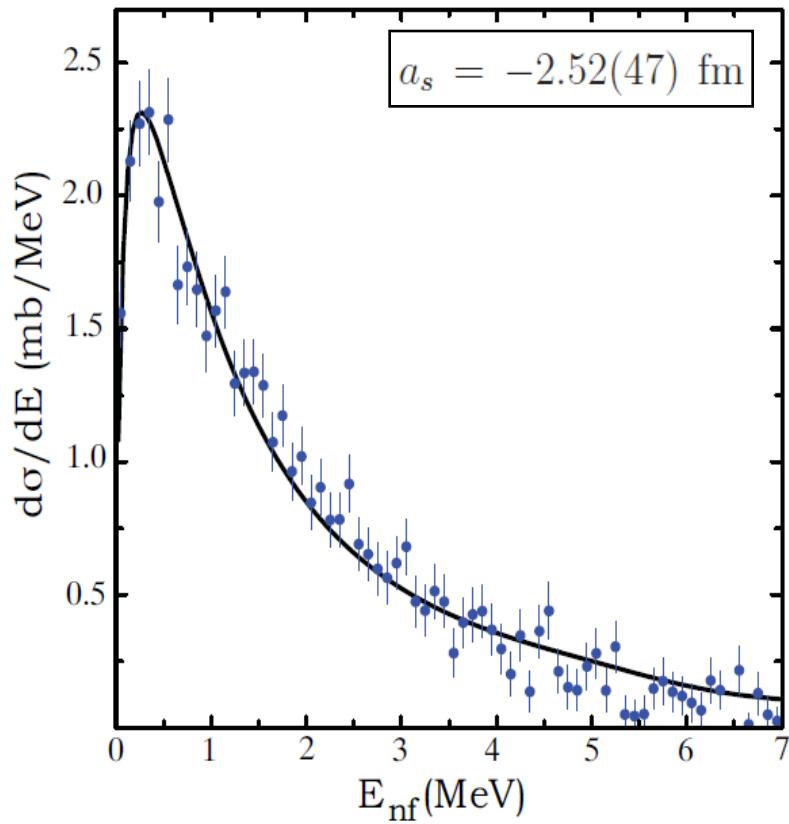


$$a = -22(5) \text{ fm}$$

$$E_r = 0.566(14) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 0.548(30) \text{ MeV}$$

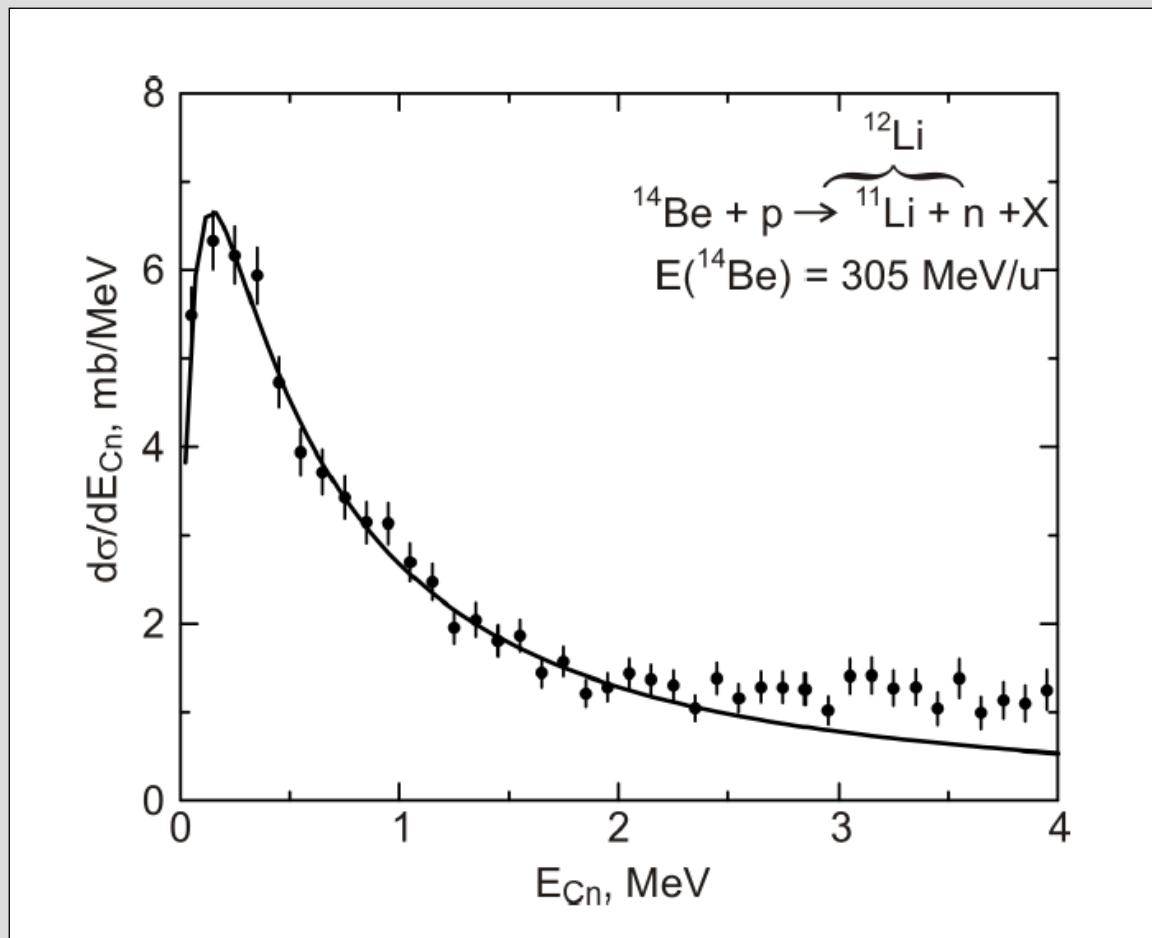
# $^9\text{He}$ : $p(^{11}\text{Li}, ^8\text{He} + n) \dots$

...  $N=7$



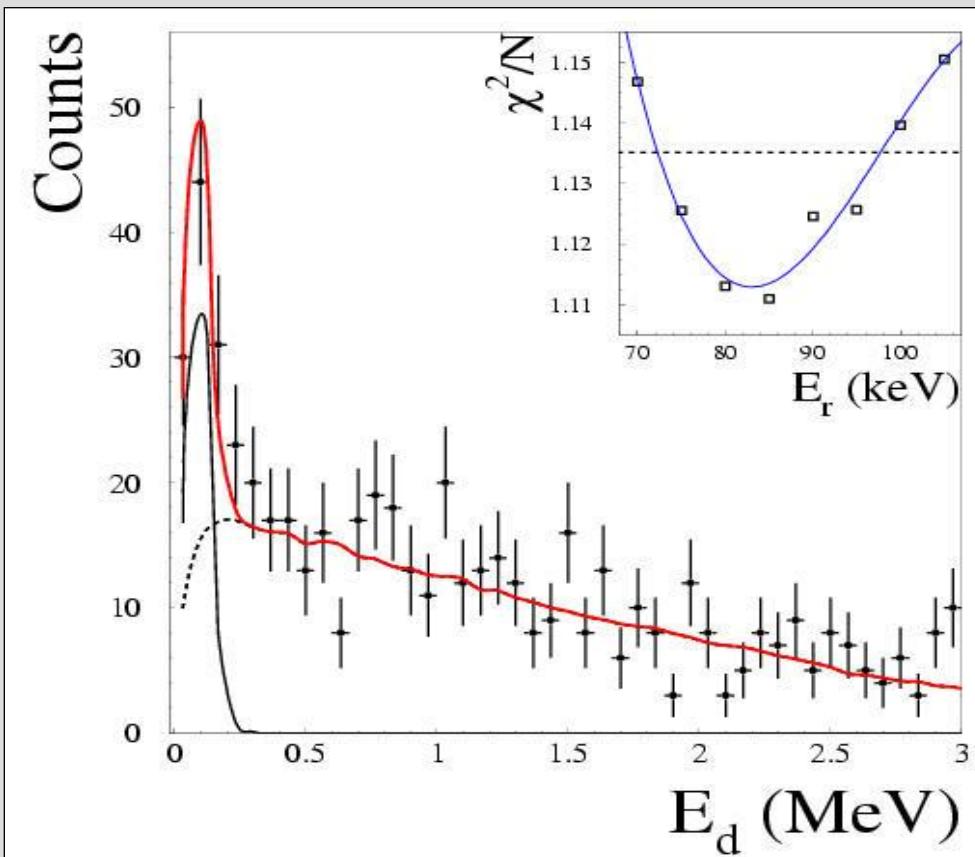
$^{12}\text{Li}$ :  $p(^{14}\text{Be}, ^{11}\text{Li}+n) \dots$  s-wave Ground State

...  $N=9$



s-wave [ $a_s = -14 \text{ fm}$ ]

## $^{16}B$ : $C(^{17}C, ^{15}B+n)X \dots$ REFERENCE RESONANCE



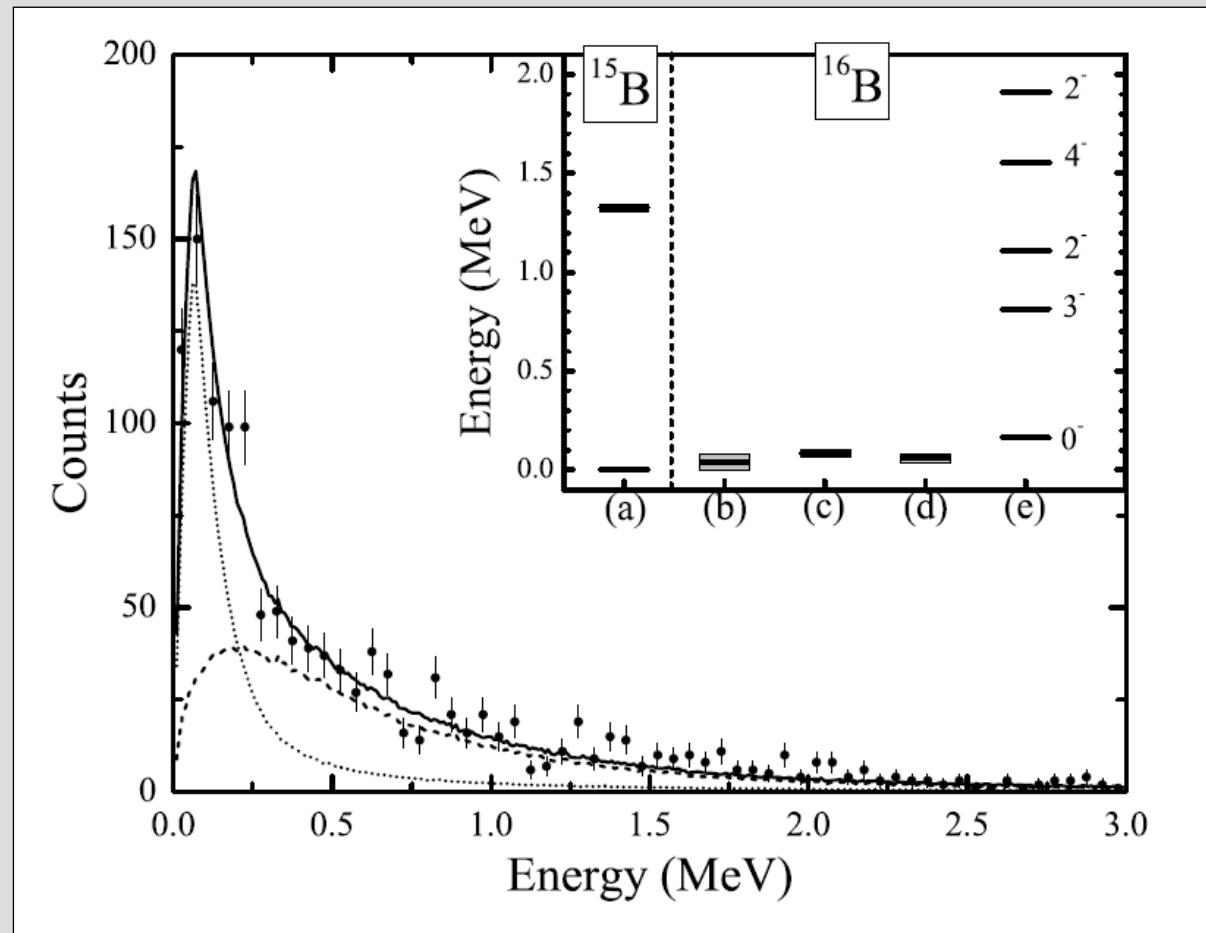
$$E_r = 85 \pm 15 \text{ keV}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{sp}} << 100 \text{ keV}$$

+

uncorrelated  
 $^{15}\text{B}+\text{n}$  distribution

## $^{16}\text{B}$ : $\text{Be}(^{17}\text{C}, ^{15}\text{B}+n)\text{X} \dots$ REFERENCE RESONANCE



*d-wave* [ $E_r = 0.060$ ,  $\Gamma_0 \ll 0.1 \text{ MeV}$ ]

## $^{16}\text{B}$ : $p(^{17}\text{B}, ^{15}\text{B}+n)\text{X}$ ... REFERENCE RESONANCE

