

# New Extensions and Applications of the IMSRG

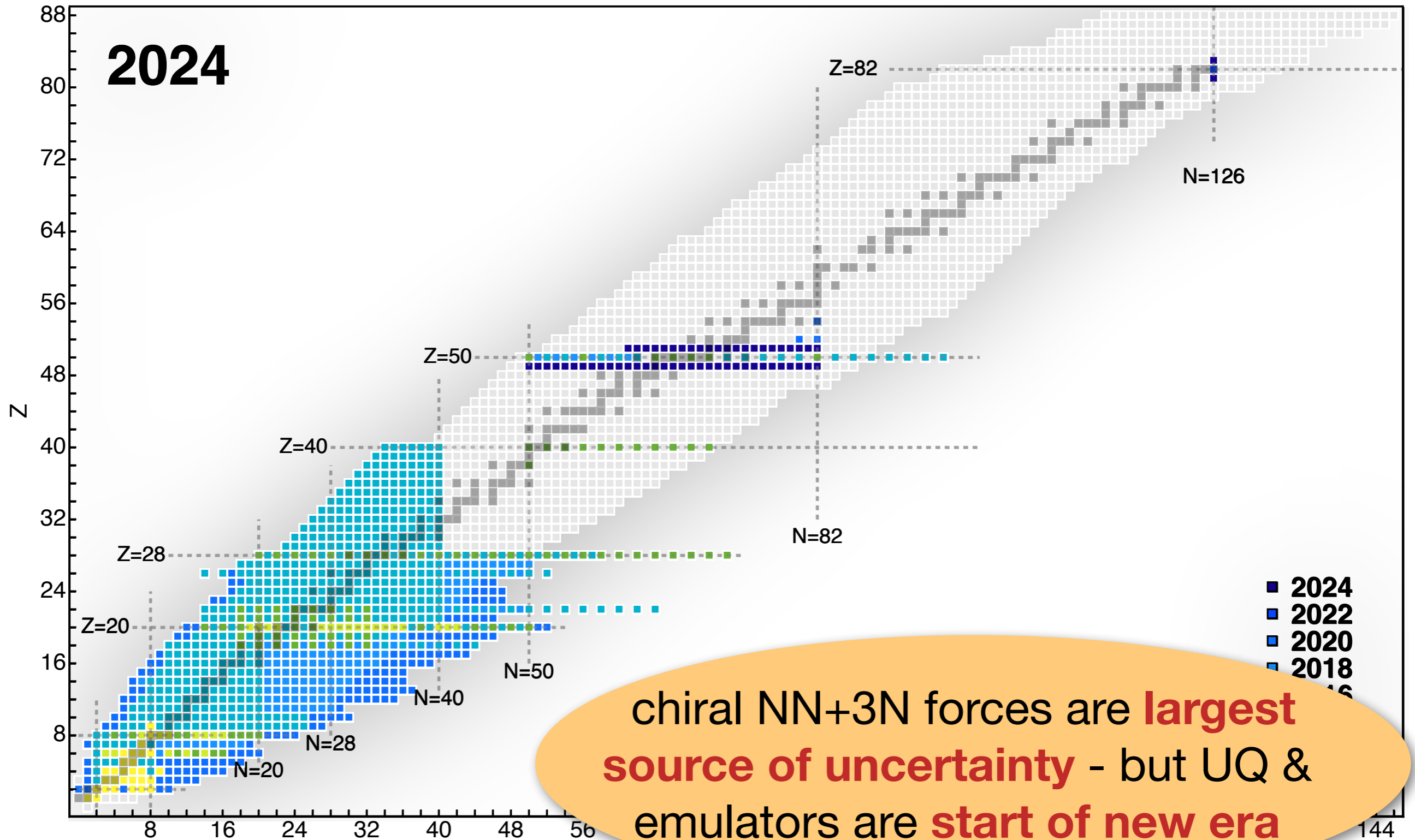
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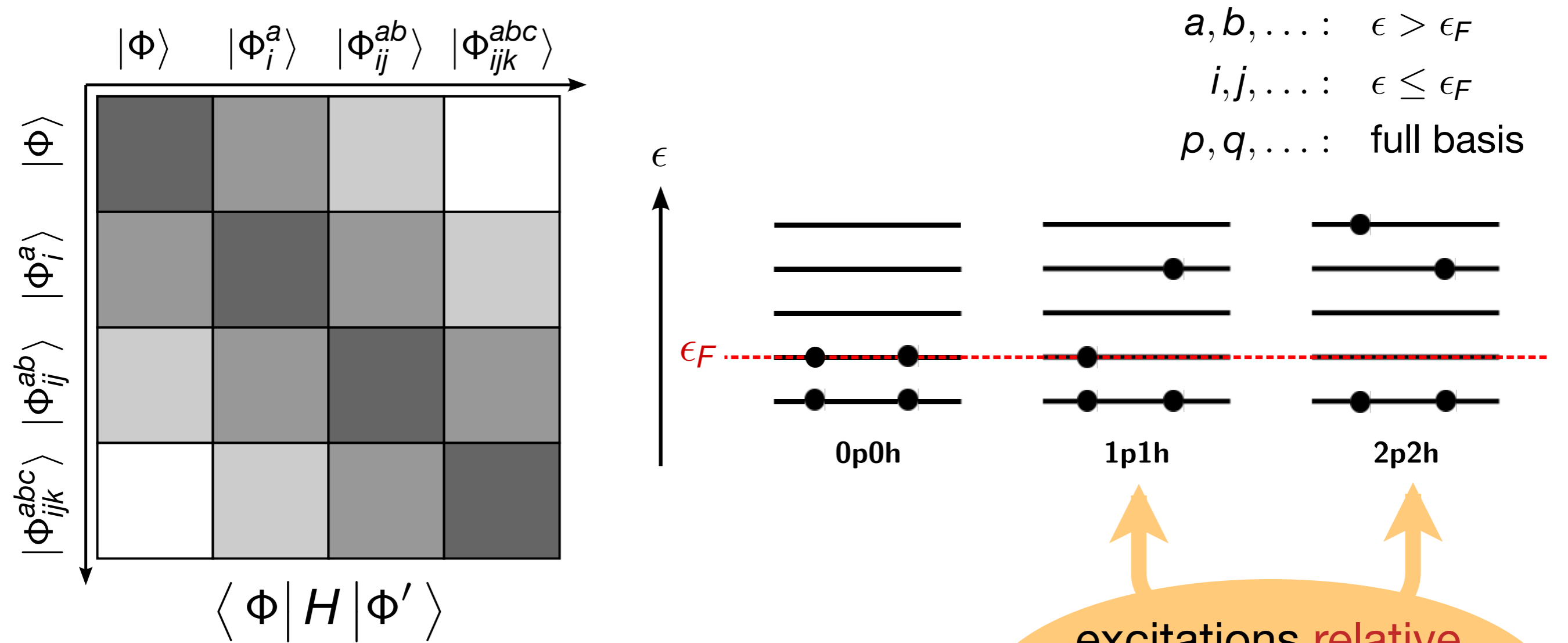
# Progress in *Ab Initio* Calculations



[ cf. HH, *Front. Phys.* 8, 379 (2020) ]

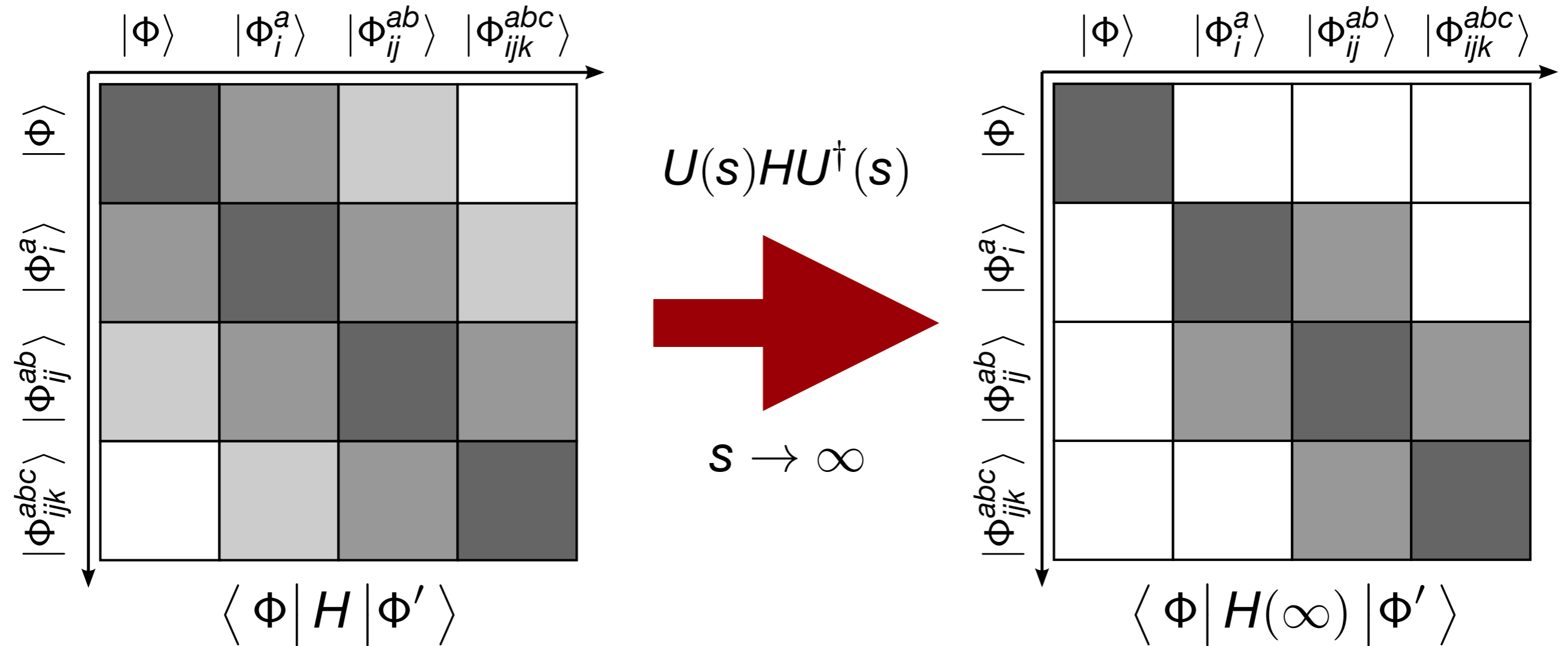


# Transforming the Hamiltonian



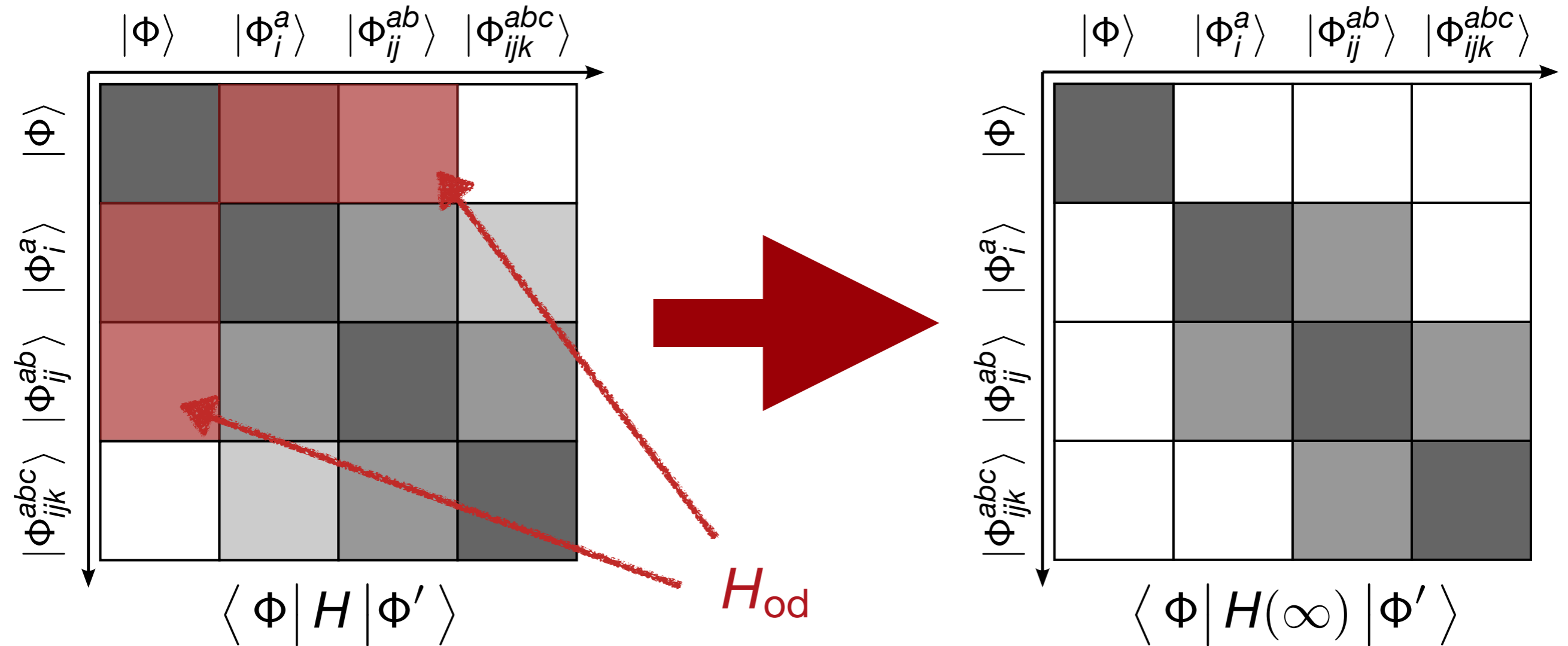
- reference state: **single Slater determinant**

# Decoupling in A-Body Space



**goal:** decouple reference state  $|\Phi\rangle$   
from excitations

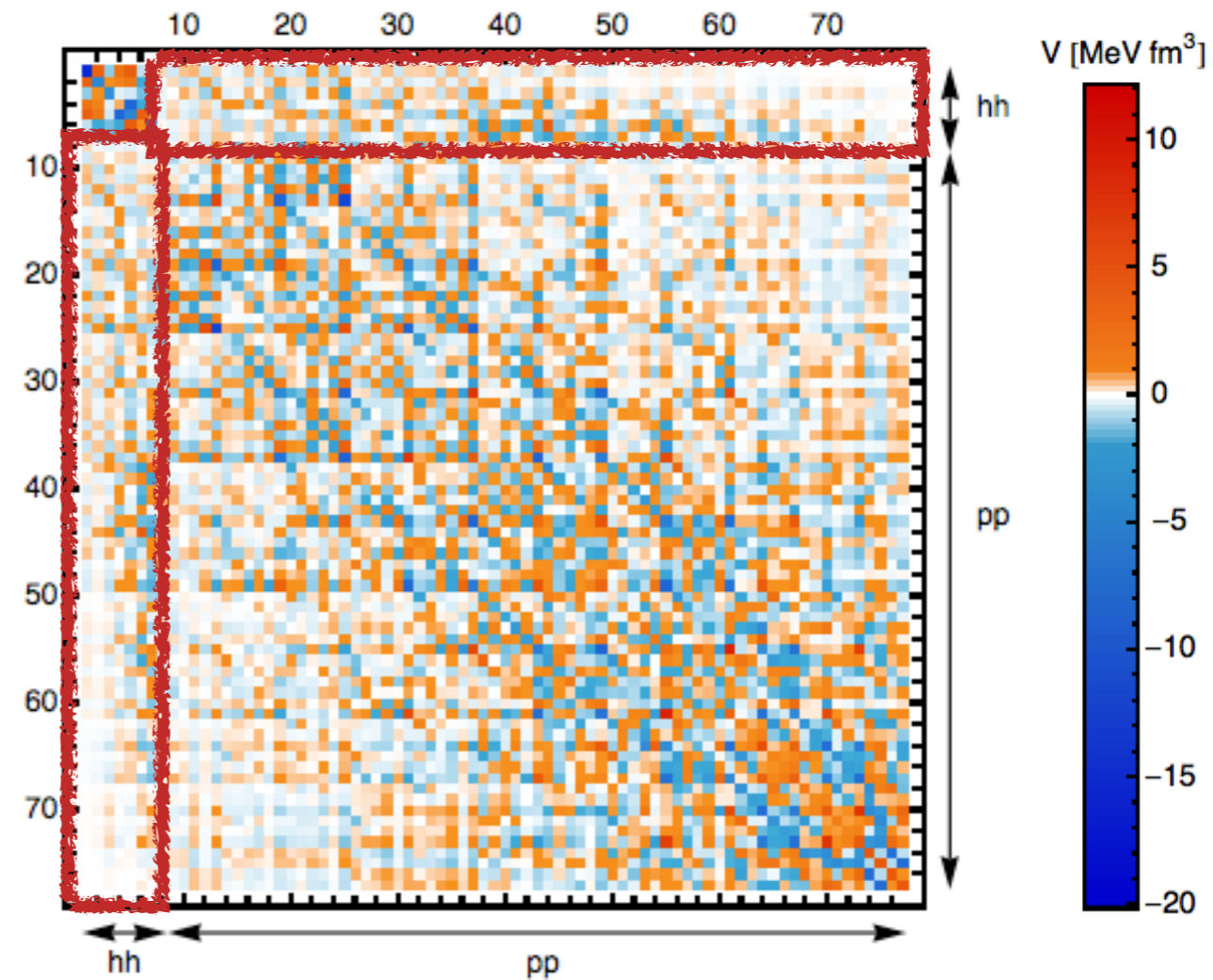
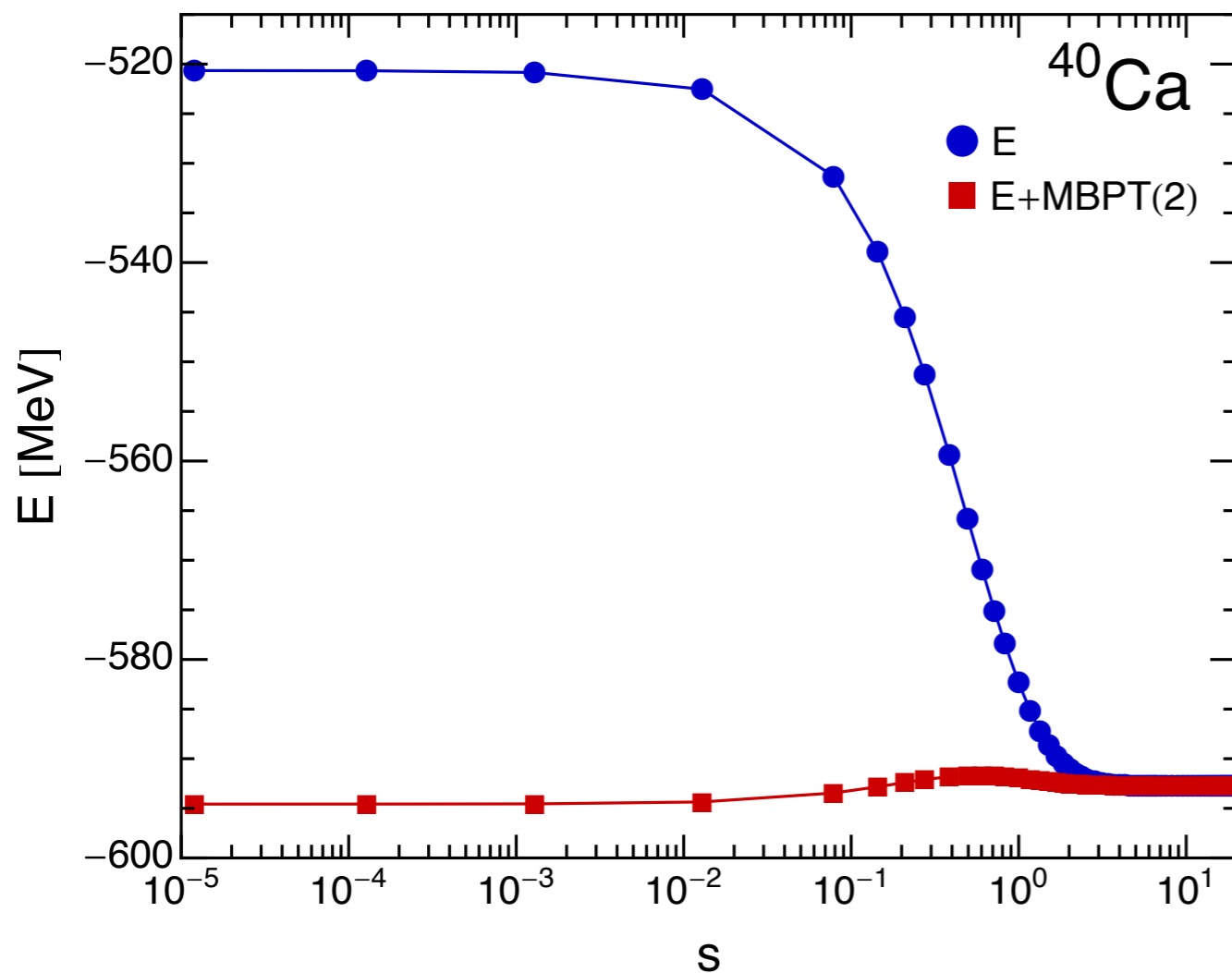
# Flow Equation



$$\frac{d}{ds} H(s) = [\eta(s), H(s)],$$

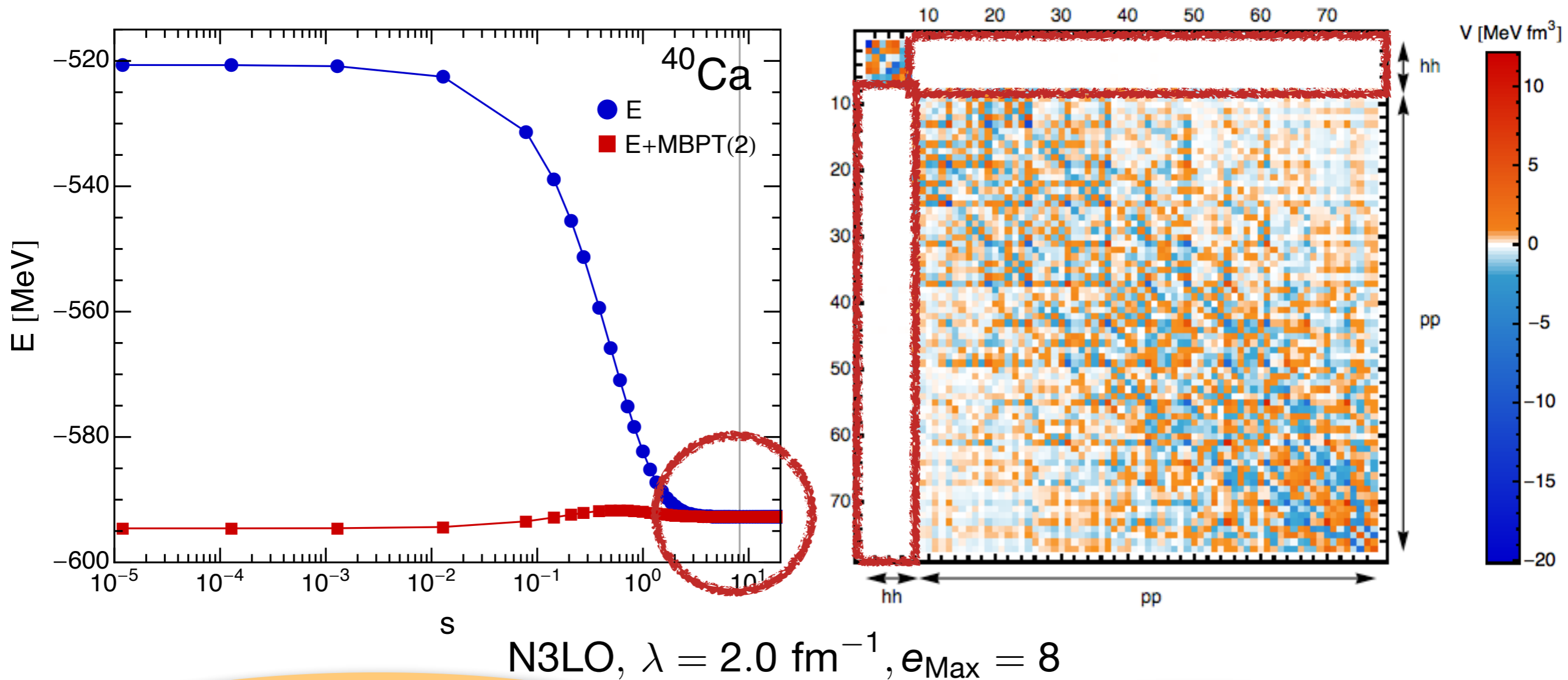
Operators  
truncated at **two-body level** -  
**matrix is never constructed**  
**explicitly!**

# Decoupling



N3LO,  $\lambda = 2.0 \text{ fm}^{-1}$ ,  $e_{\text{Max}} = 8$

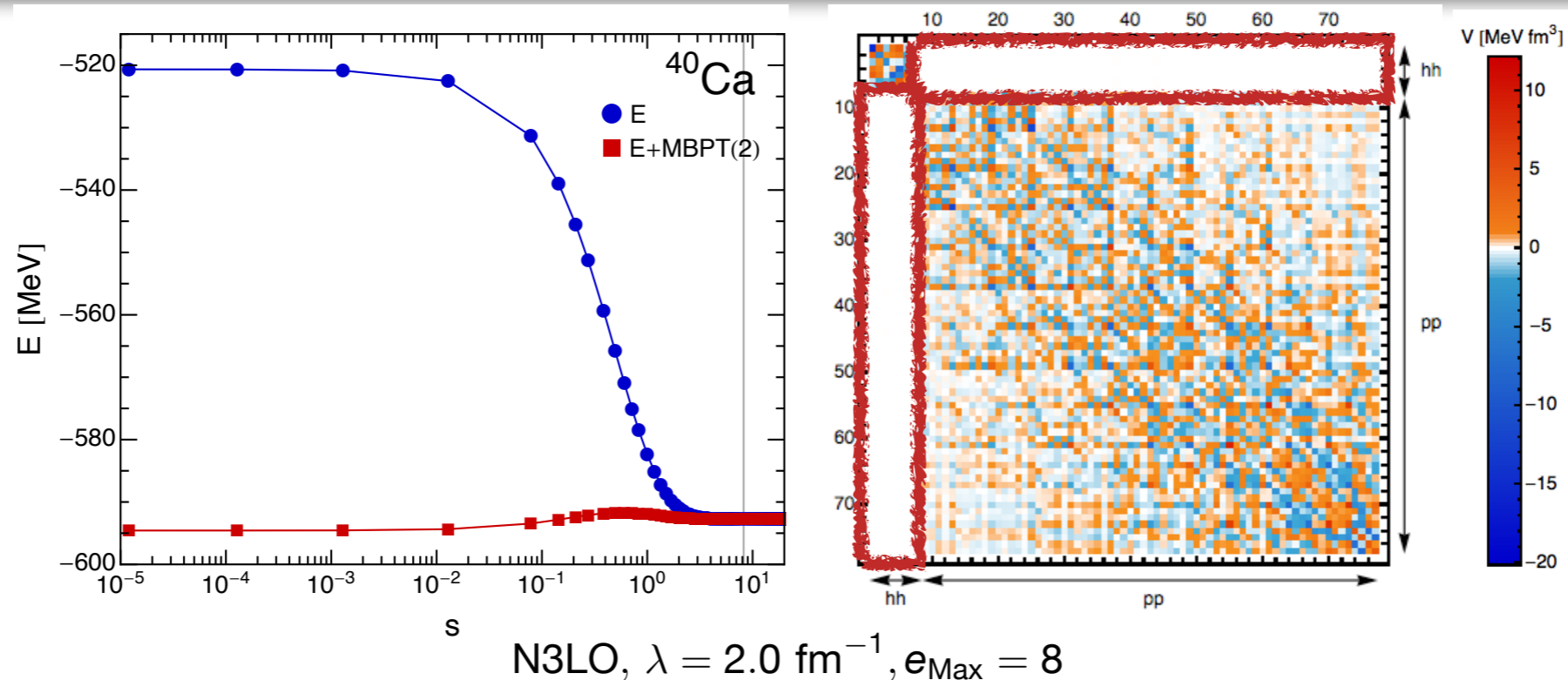
# Decoupling



non-perturbative  
 resummation of MBPT series  
 (correlations)

off-diagonal couplings  
 are rapidly driven to zero

# Decoupling



- absorb correlations into **RG-improved Hamiltonian**

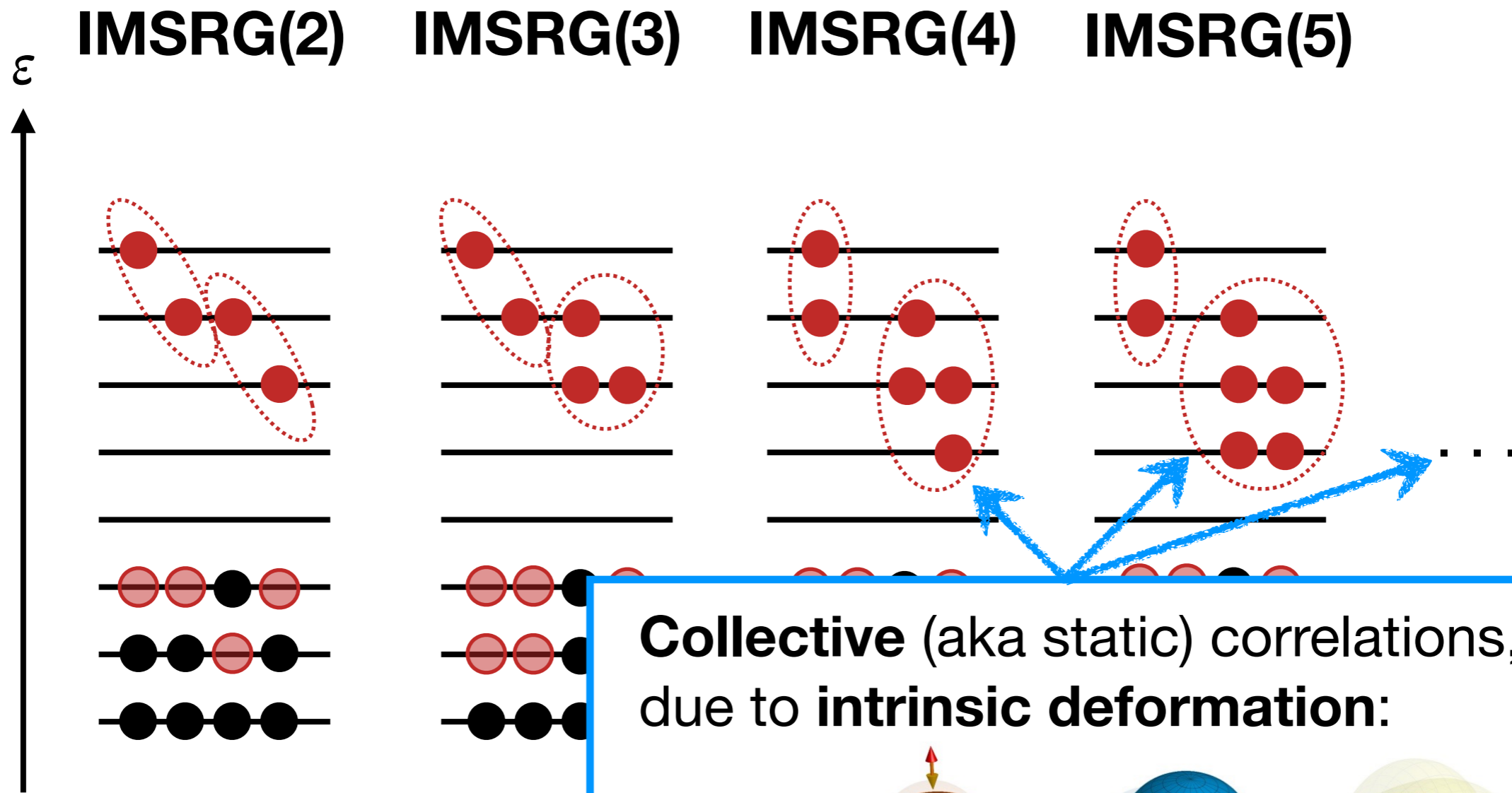
$$U(s) H U^\dagger(s) U(s) |\Psi_n\rangle = E_n U(s) |\Psi_n\rangle$$

- reference state is ansatz for transformed, **less correlated** eigenstate:

$$U(s) |\Psi_n\rangle \stackrel{!}{=} |\Phi\rangle$$

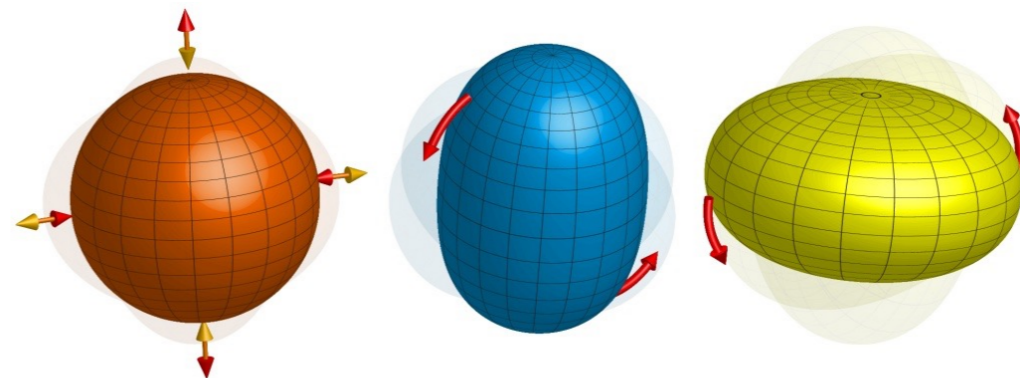


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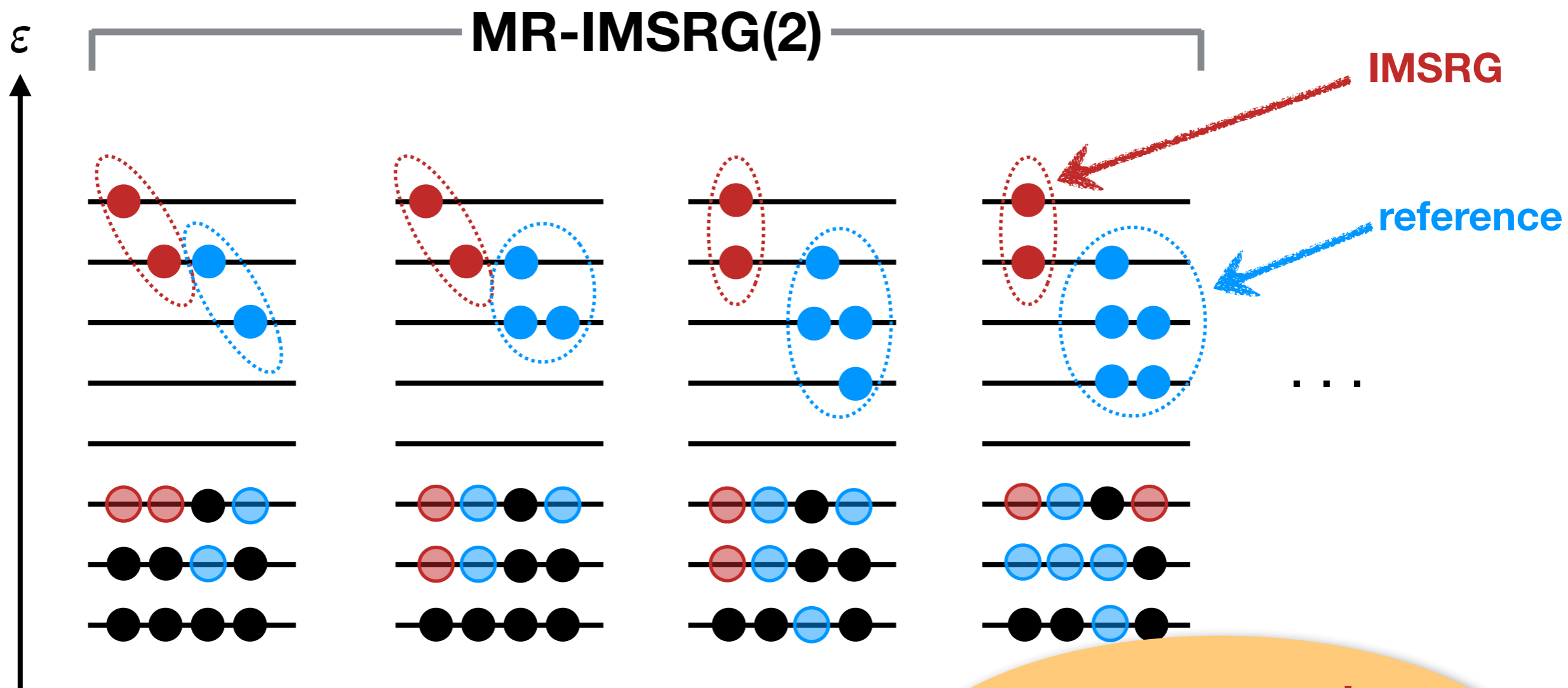


“standard” IMS  
Slater determinan

**Collective** (aka static) correlations, e.g. due to **intrinsic deformation**:



# Correlated Reference States



**MR-IMSRG:** build correlations from an **already correlated** state (e.g., from IMSRG), but **scaling** describes static correlations

**new contractions** (two-body and higher densities), but **scaling remains unchanged**

# IMSRG-Improved Methods



- **IMSRG for closed and open-shell nuclei: IM-HF and IM-PHFB**

- HH, Phys. Scripta, Phys. Scripta 92, 023002 (2017)
- HH, S. K. Bogner, T. D. Morris, A. Schwenk, and K. Tuskijama, Phys. Rept. 621, 165 (2016)

- **Valence-Space IMSRG (VS-IMSRG)**

- S. R. Stroberg, HH, S. K. Bogner, J. D. Holt, Ann. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci. **69**, 165

- **In-Medium No Core Shell Model (IM-NCSM)**

- E. Gebrerufael, K. Vobig, HH, R. Roth, PRL **118**, 152503

- **In-Medium Generator Coordinate Method (IM-GCM)**

- J. M. Yao, J. Engel, L. J. Wang, C. F. Jiao, HH PRC (2018)
- J. M. Yao et al.. PRL 124. 232501 (2020)

XYZ  
define  
reference



IMSRG  
evolve

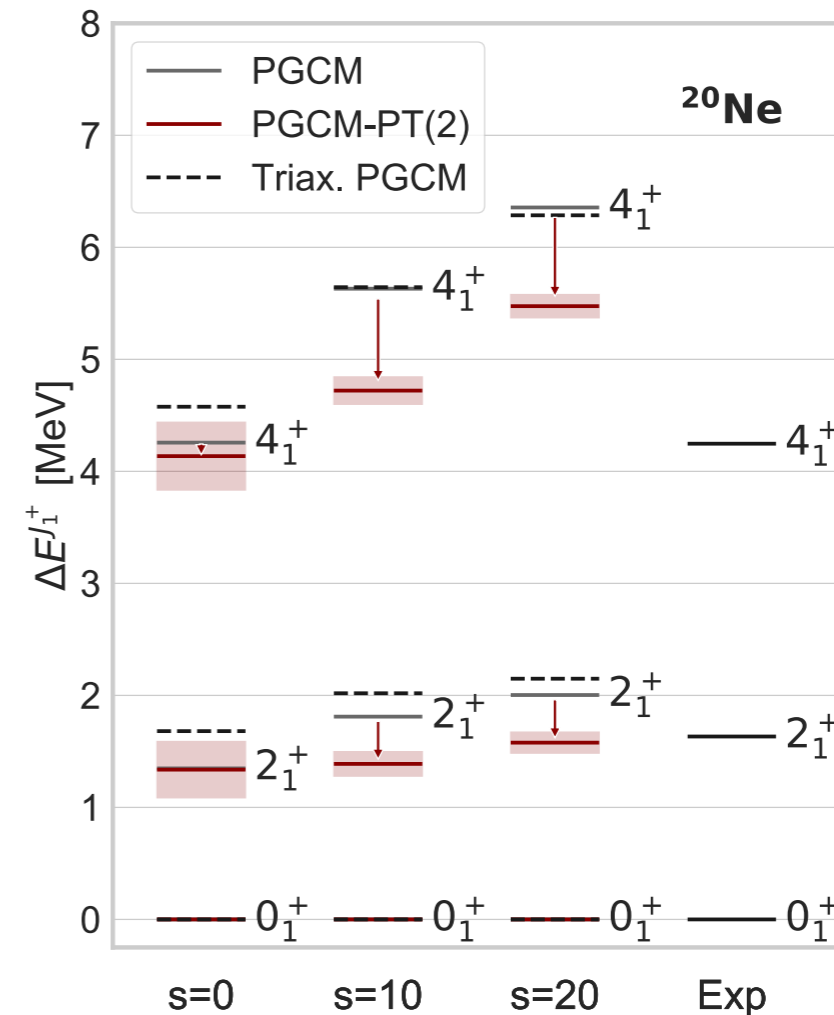
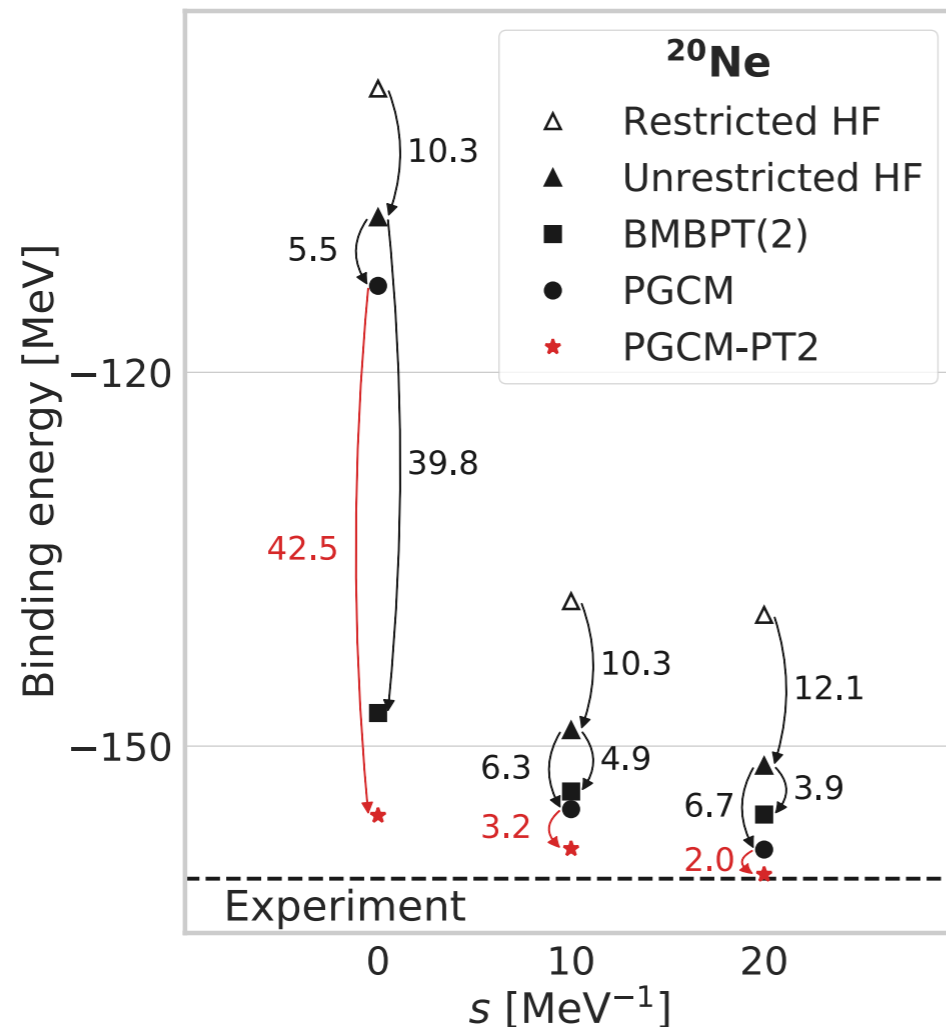
**new variants in  
development**

see GCM  
talks by A. Porro,  
B. Bally

# Perturbative Enhancement of IM-GCM

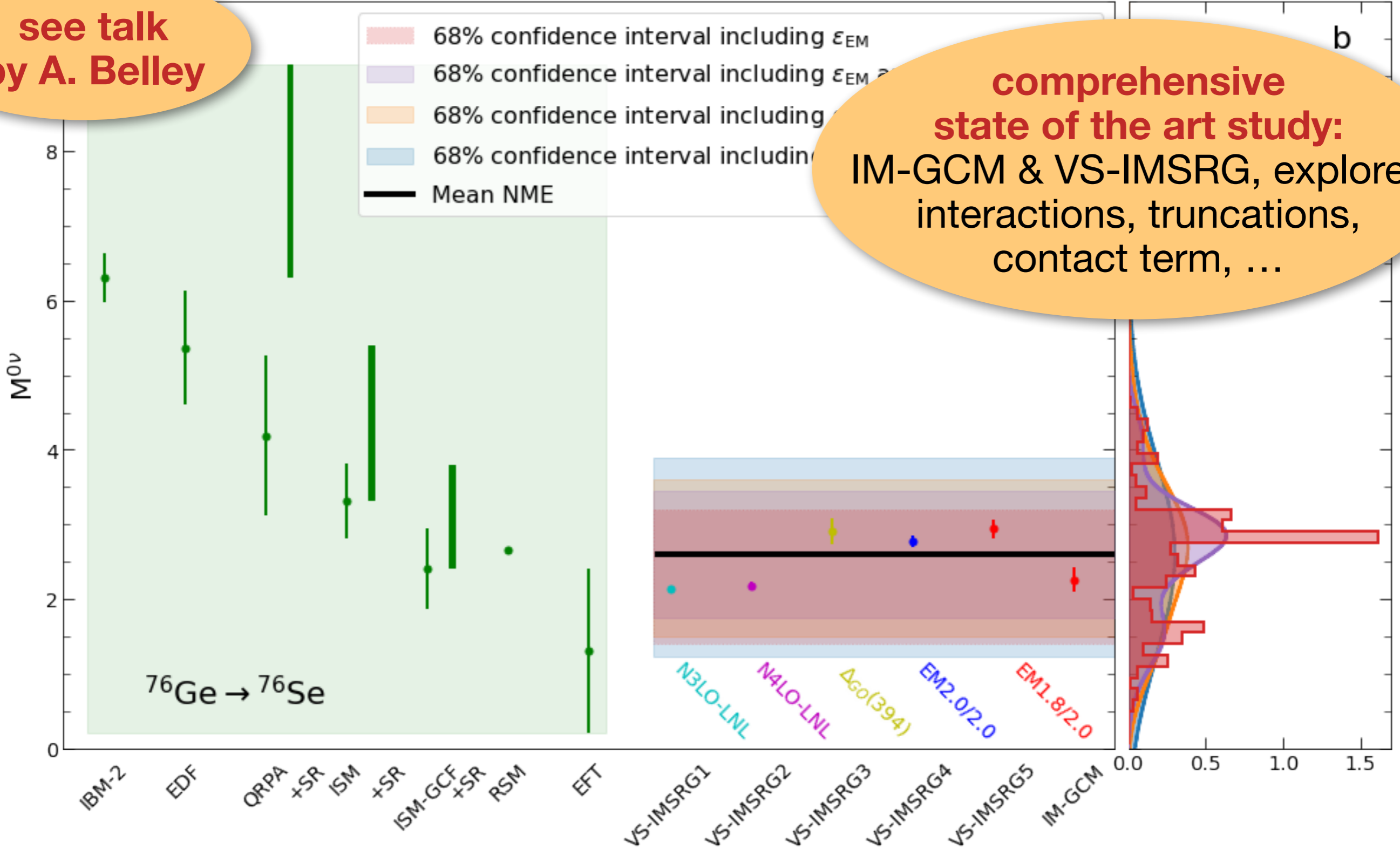


M. Frosini et al., EPJA 58, 64 (2022)



- $s$ -dependence is a **built-in diagnostic tool** for IM-GCM (**not available in phenomenological GCM**)
- if operator and wave function offer sufficient degrees of freedom, evolution of observables is unitary
- need **richer references and/or IMSRG(3)** for certain observables

see talk by A. Belley

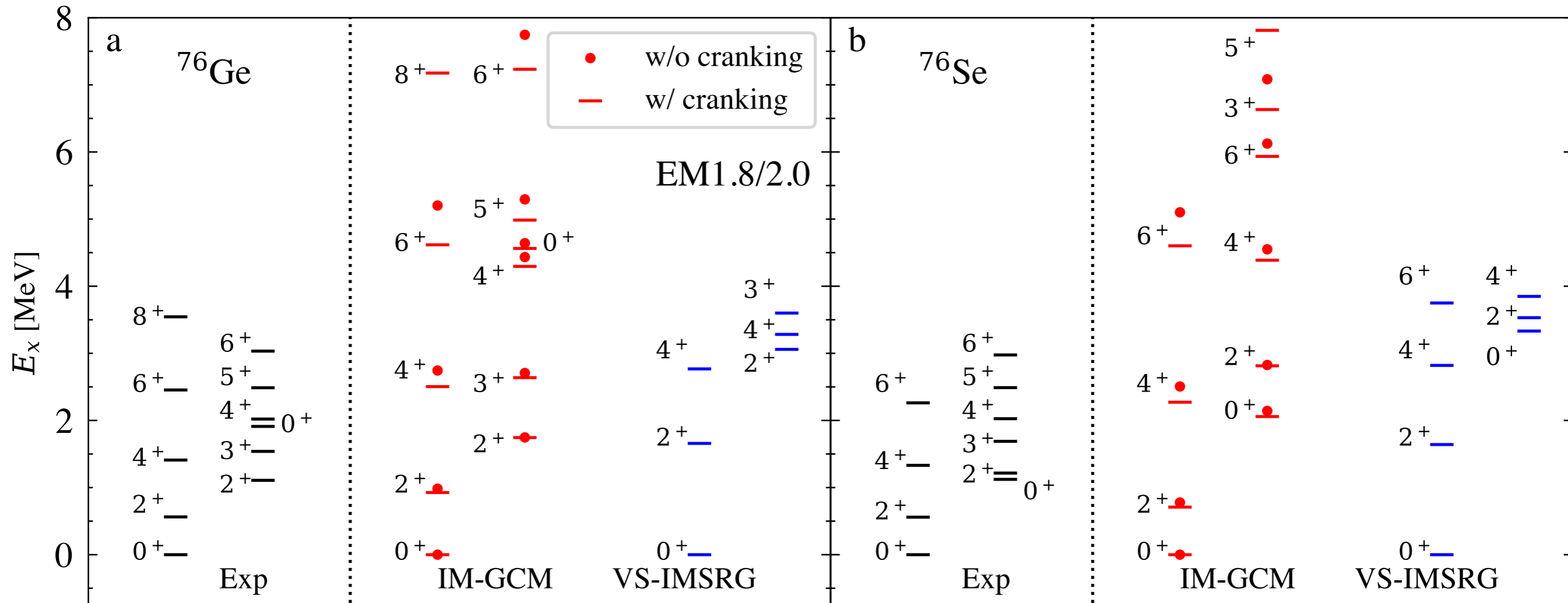


comprehensive state of the art study: IM-GCM & VS-IMSRG, explores interactions, truncations, contact term, ...

# $^{76}\text{Ge}$ / $^{76}\text{Se}$ Structure



A. Belley et al., arXiv:2308.15643 (v2)

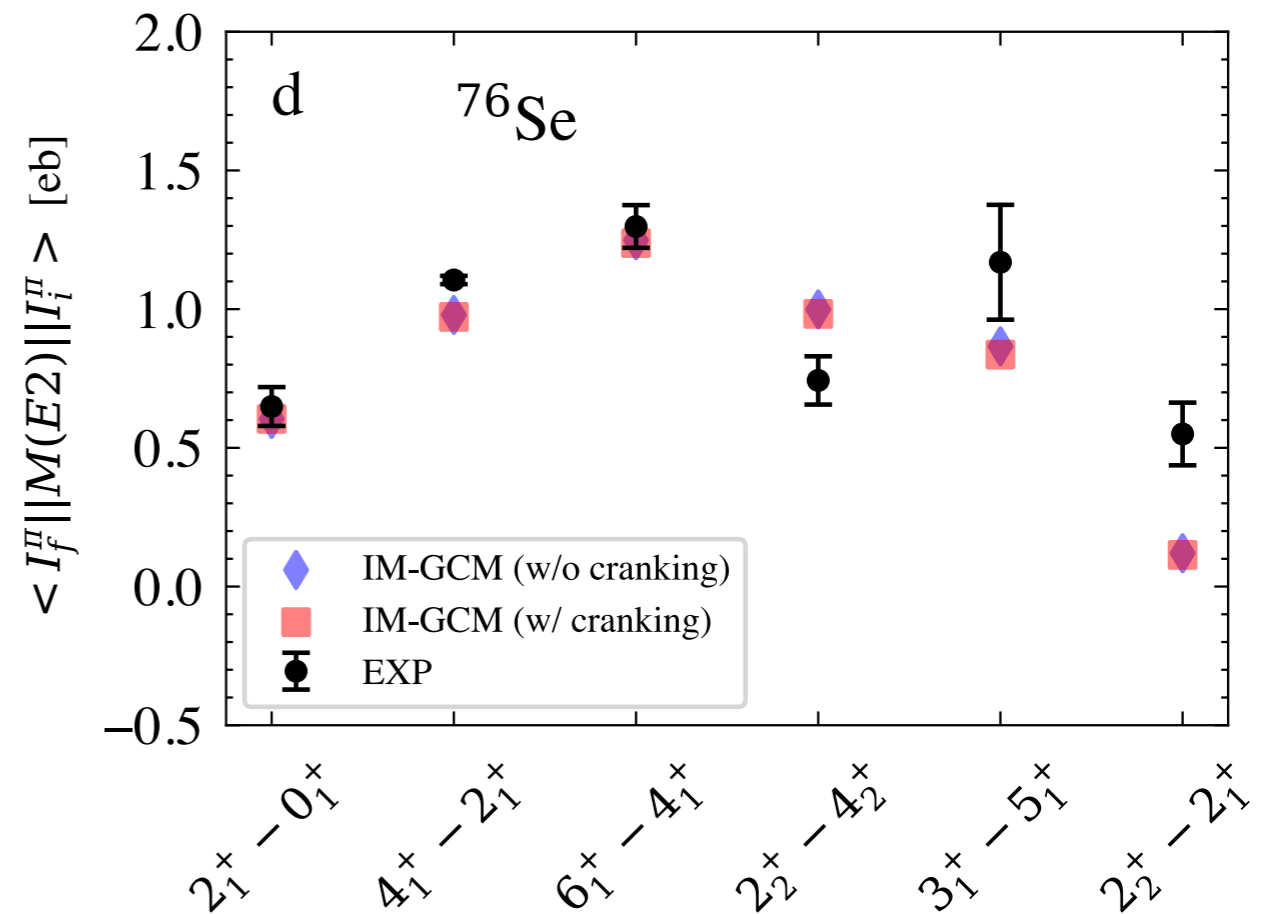
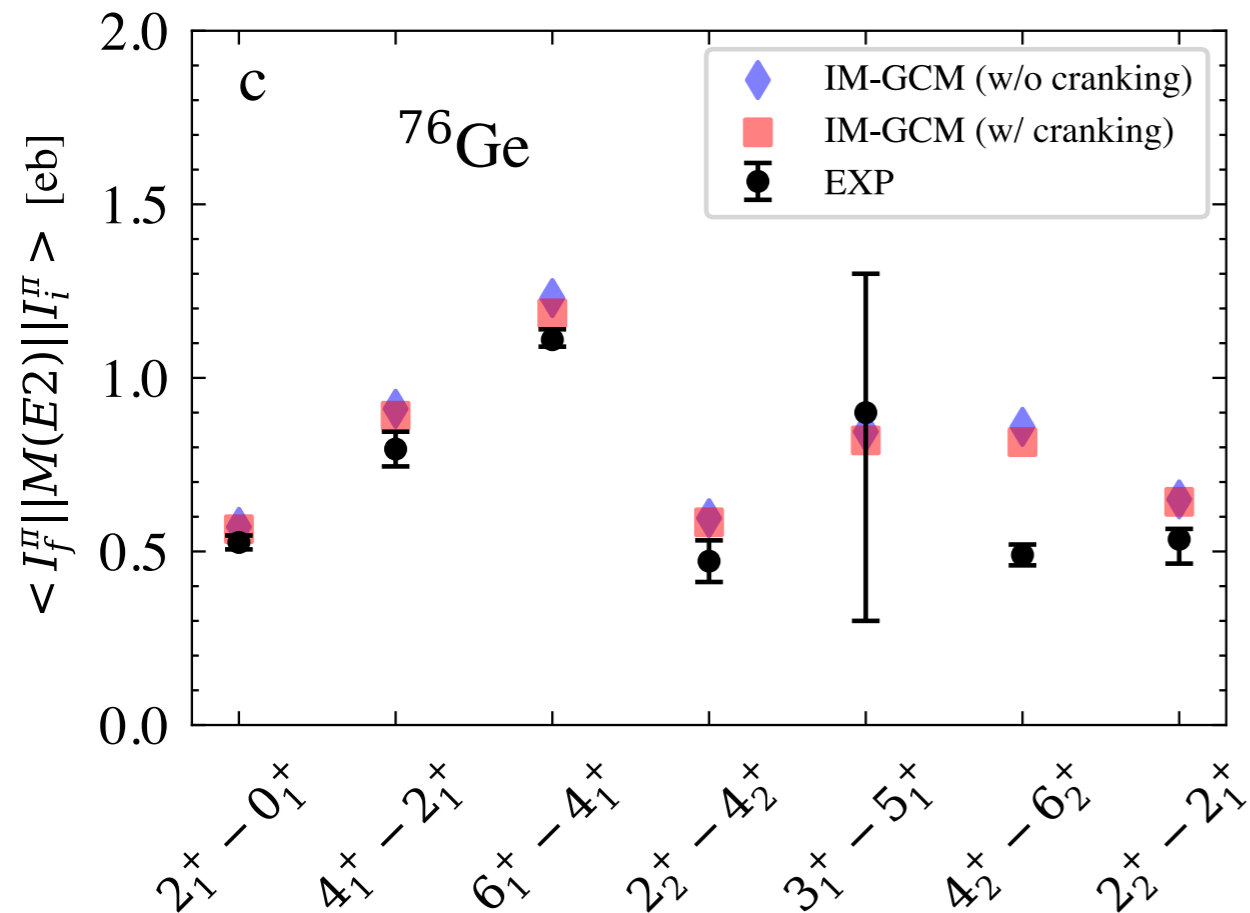


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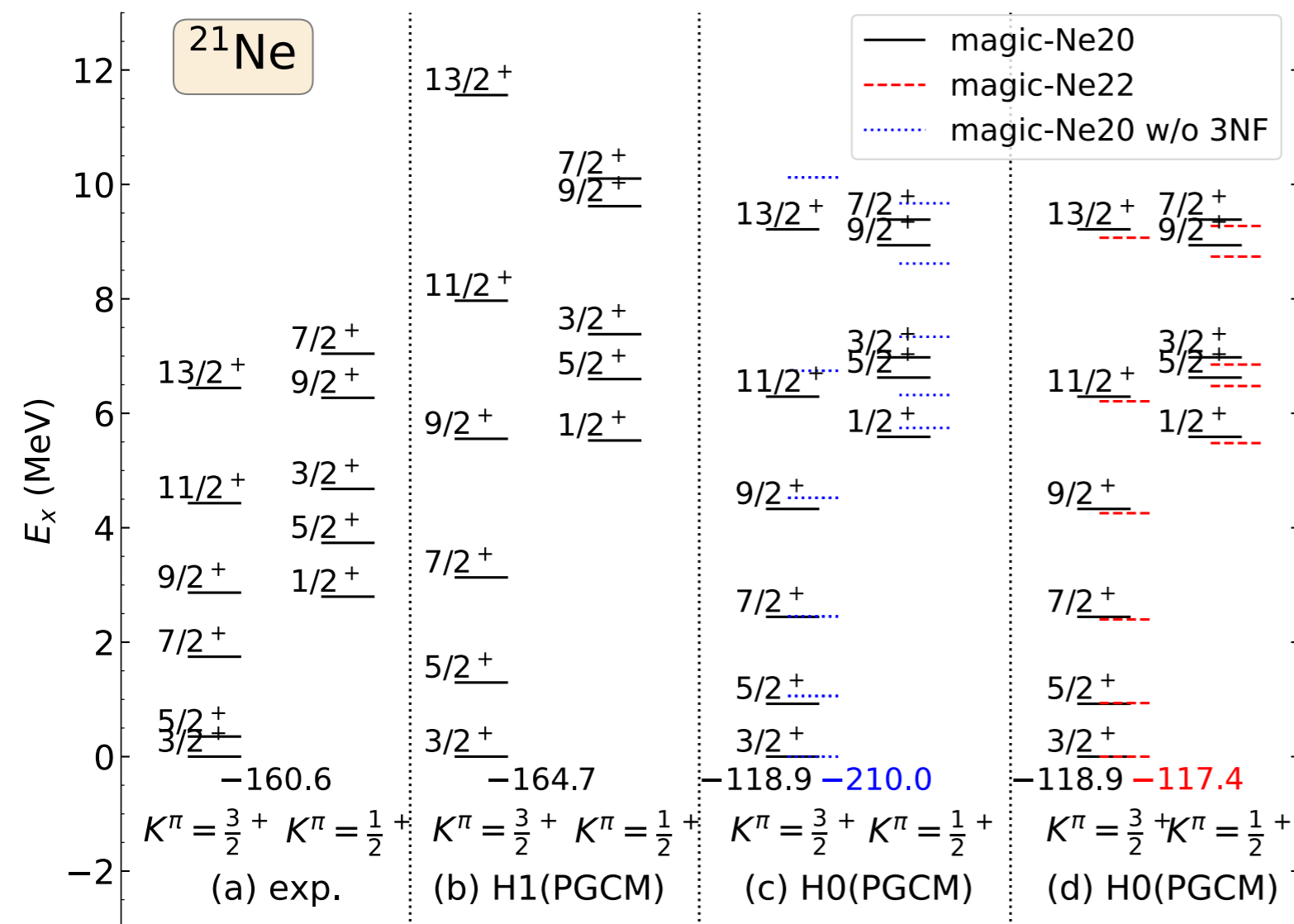
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**caveat:** EM1.8/2.0 gives radii that are a few percent too small

# IM-GCM for Odd Nuclei



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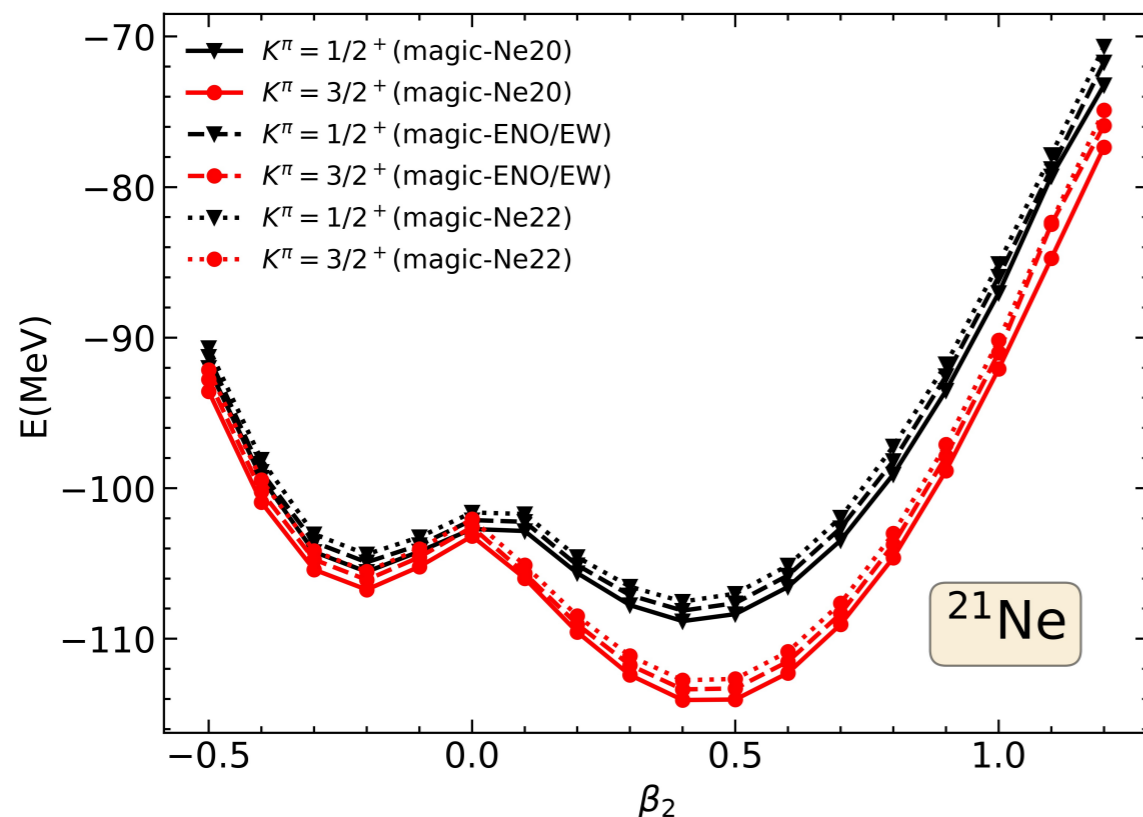
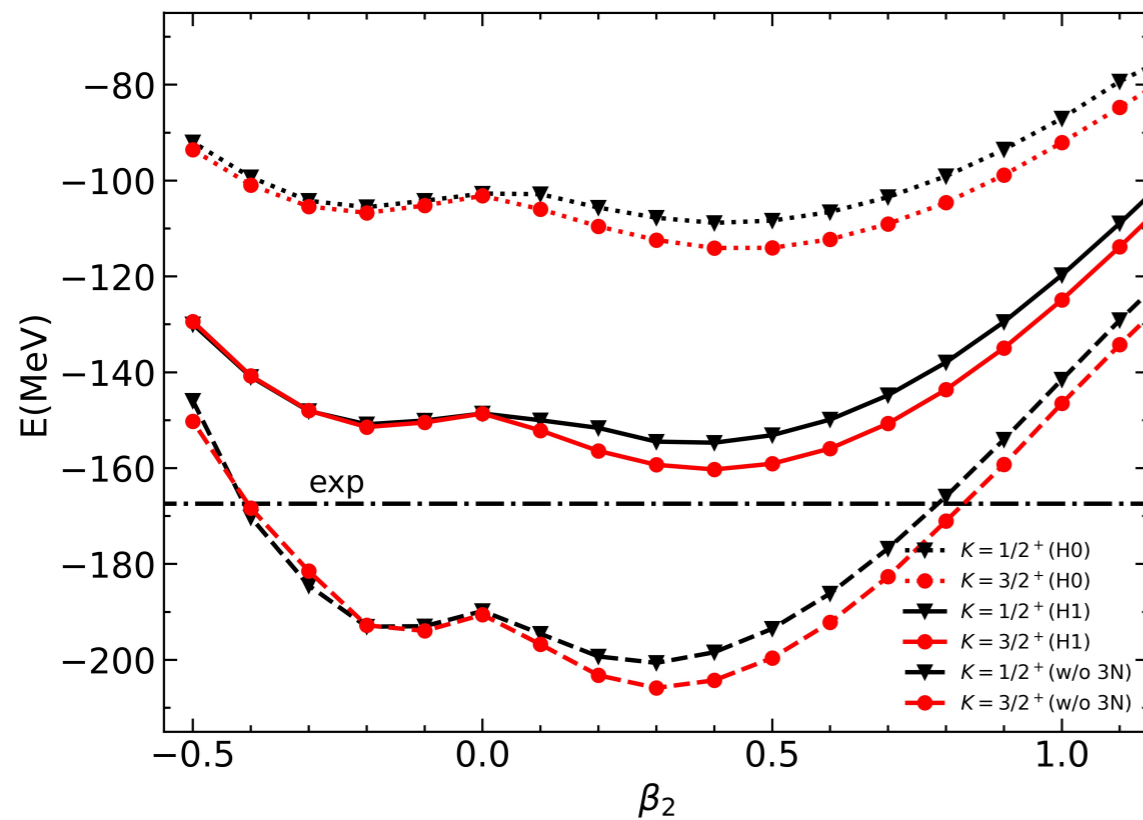
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- working to understand how/why evolution increases **spread of spectrum**:  
reshaping of PES, tailoring to g.s.
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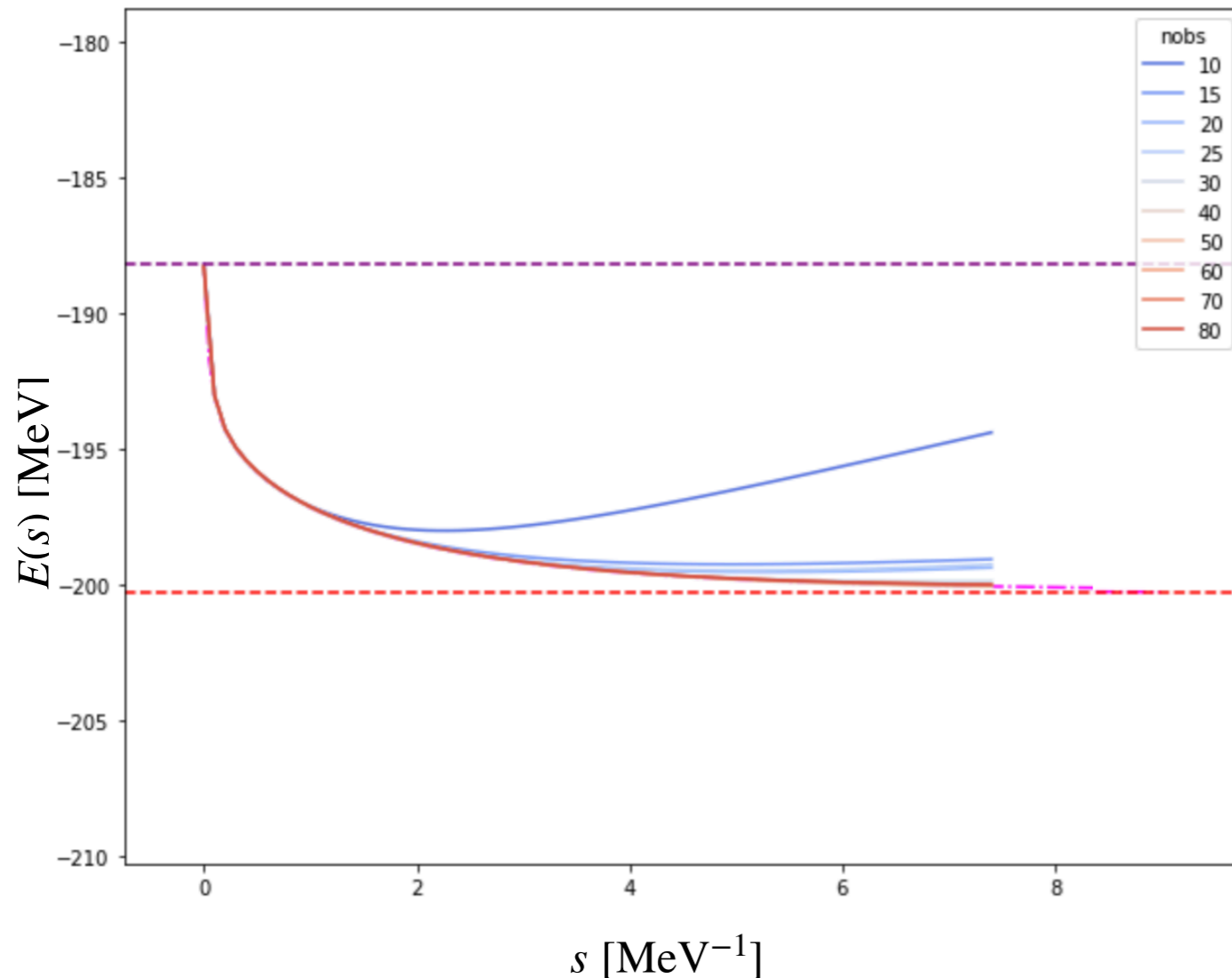
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# Emulating IMSRG Flows



*J. Davison, HH, J. Crawford, S. Bogner, in preparation*

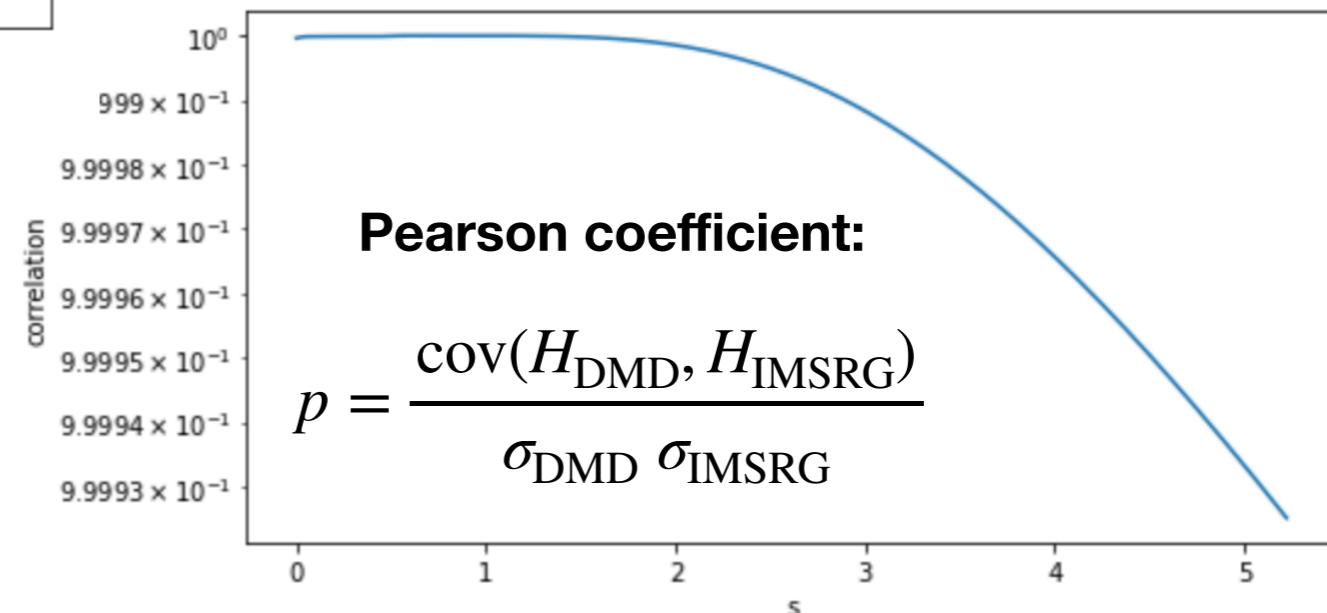
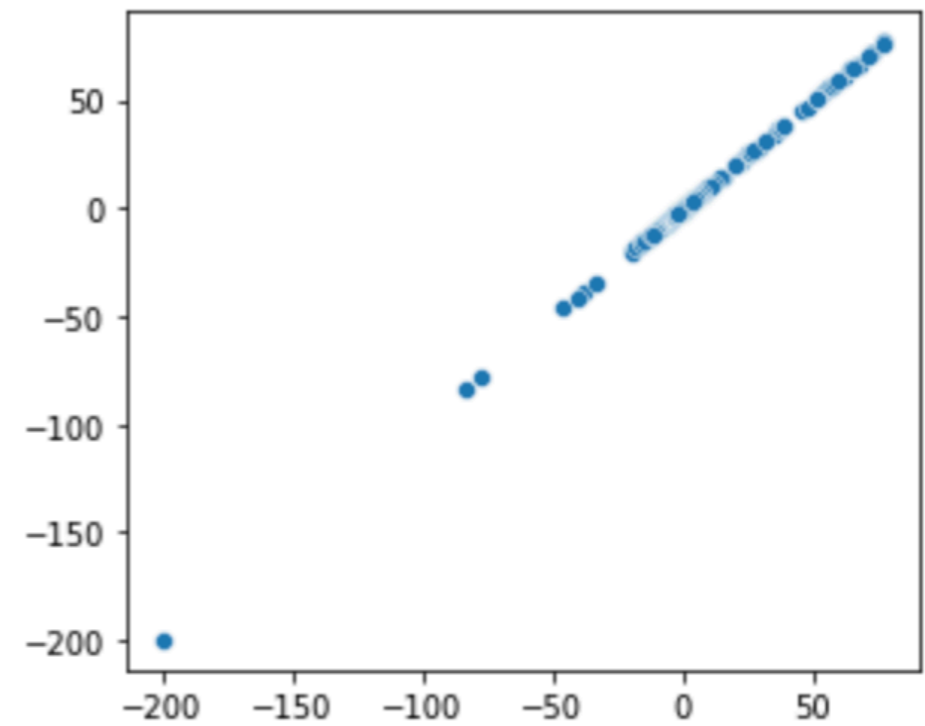
EM(500) N<sup>3</sup>LO,  $\lambda = 2.0 \text{ fm}^{-1}$



Dynamic Mode Decomposition emulator “learns” **all flowing operator coefficients** from snapshots!

$H_{\text{DMD}}(s)$  vs.  $H_{\text{IMSRG}}(s)$

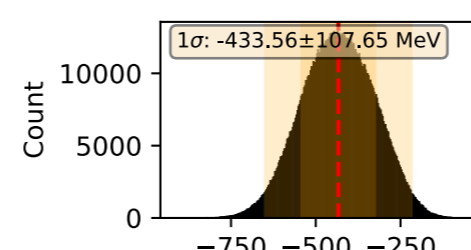
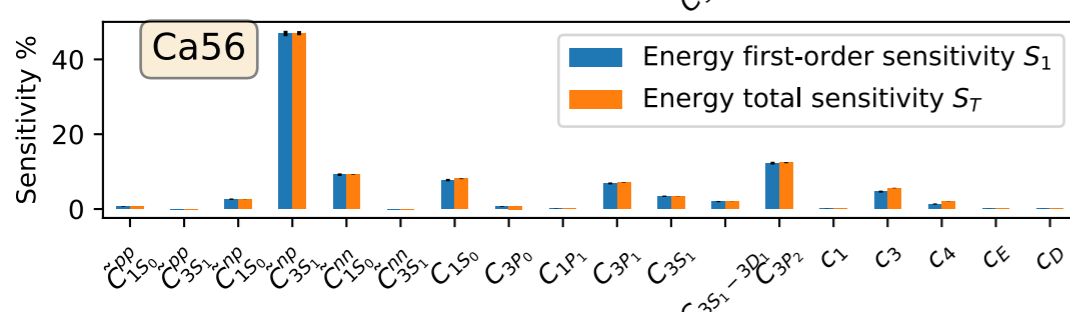
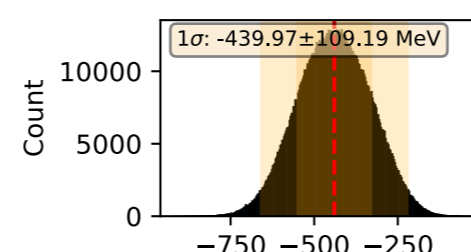
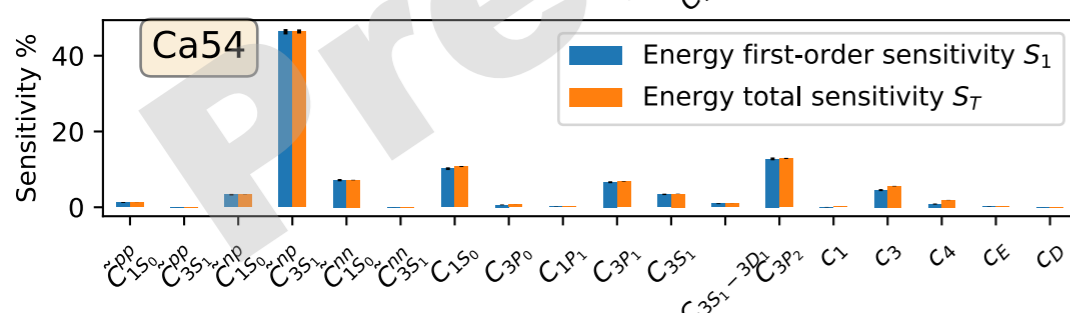
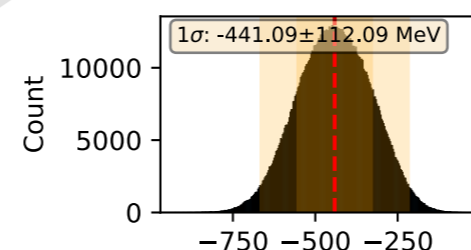
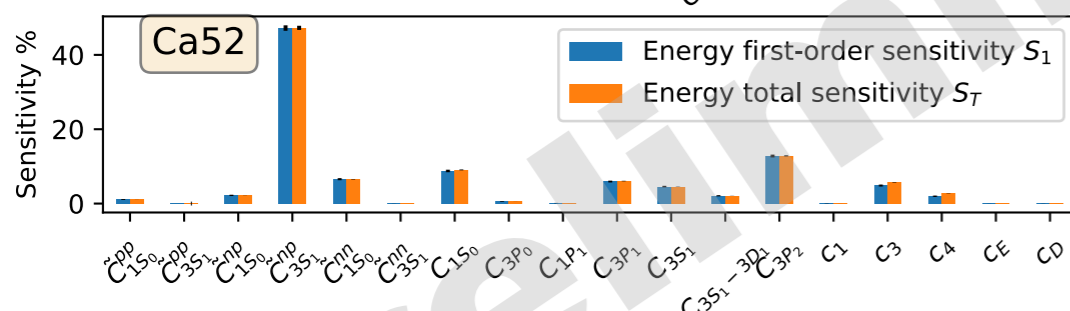
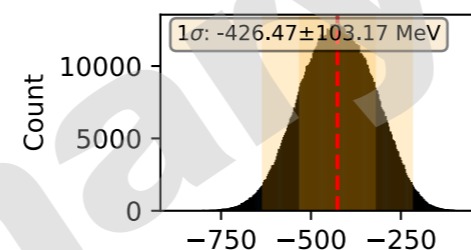
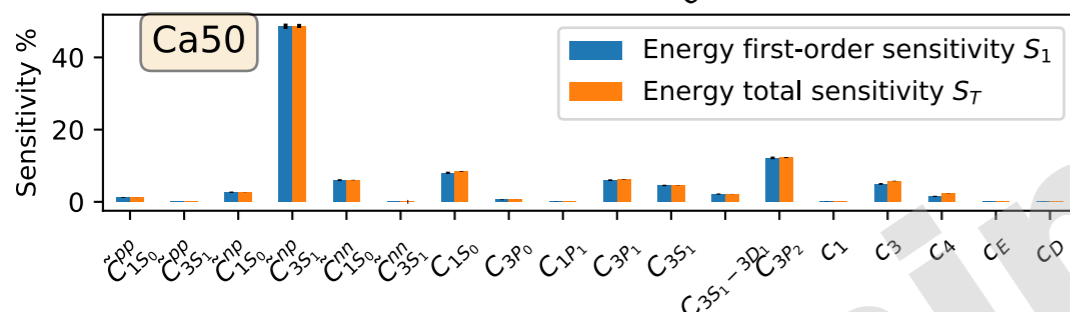
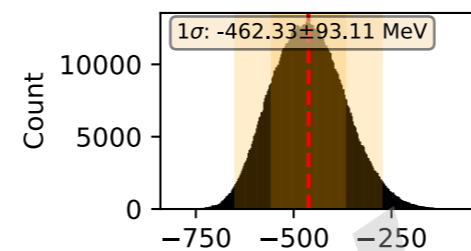
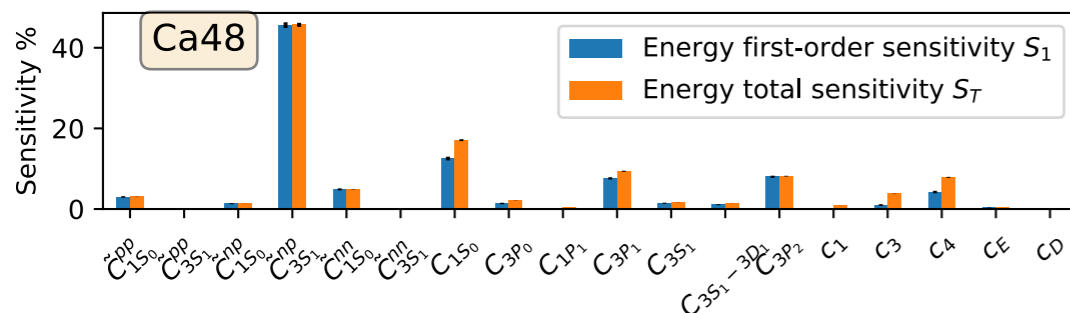
$s = 5.25$



# Emulation for Operators (IMSRG)



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- non-invasive **ROM emulator** based on Dynamic Mode Decomposition
- $\Delta$ NNLO<sub>GO</sub>, NN+3N,  $e_{max} = 12, E_{3max} = 14$
- O(10M) samples
- **computational effort reduced by 5+ orders of magnitude**

# Preview: Finite-Temperature IMSRG



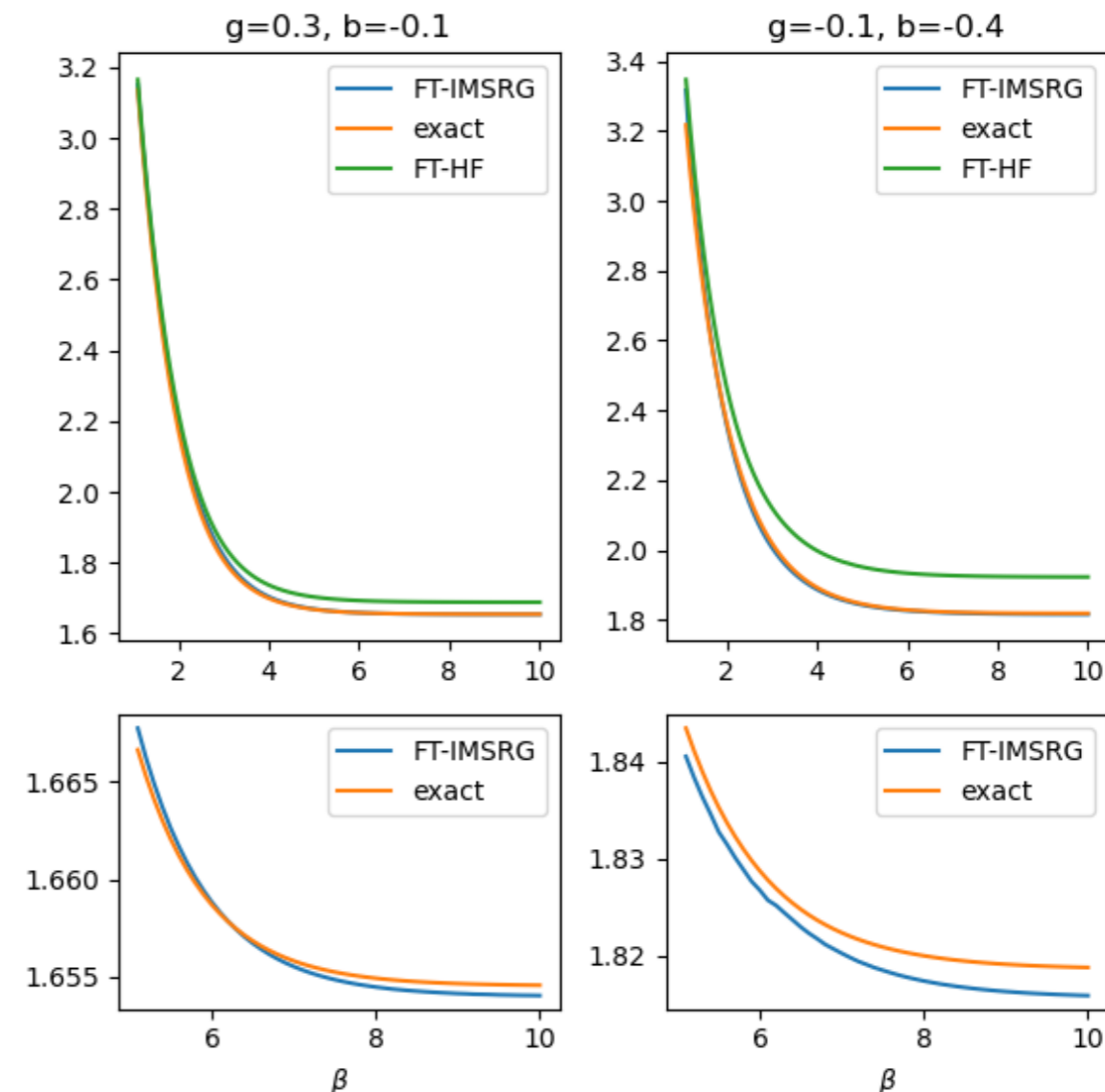
## The In-Medium Similarity Renormalization Group at Finite Temperature

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The study of nuclei at finite-temperature is of immense interest in nuclear astrophysics. Many *ab initio* methods for determining properties of nuclei at zero-temperature have been developed over the past few decades. We expand one such method, the In-Medium Similarity Renormalization Group (IMSRG), to finite temperature. The implementation of the finite-temperature IMSRG (FT-IMSRG), including the implementation of finite-temperature Hartree-Fock, is detailed. Using an exactly-solvable toy model, we show that the FT-IMSRG can accurately determine the energetics of nuclei at finite temperature. The effect of model parameters on the FT-IMSRG's accuracy is

- formalism and benchmark paper **out soon**
- implementation for **realistic nuclei and chiral interactions** complete, under validation
- expect first **applications to structure, beta decays** within next 1-2 years



# What Else Is There?



- **improved truncations:** IMSRG(3), tailored operator bases  
[also cf. talks by M. Heinz, R. Stroberg]
- **accelerate IMSRG & IM-GCM**
  - GPUs, factorization, Machine Learning, ...
  - (random) **compression & tensor factorization**
- **Uncertainty Quantification / Sensitivity Analysis**
  - emulators for GCM (wave function / Galerkin methods)
  - **emulation workflow based on (IM)SRG ROMs ?**

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# Supplements

## Basic Idea

**continuous unitary transformation** of the Hamiltonian to band-diagonal form w.r.t. a given “uncorrelated” many-body basis

- **flow equation** for Hamiltonian  $H(\mathbf{s}) = U(\mathbf{s})H U^\dagger(\mathbf{s})$  :

$$\frac{d}{ds}H(\mathbf{s}) = [\eta(\mathbf{s}), H(\mathbf{s})], \quad \eta(\mathbf{s}) = \frac{dU(\mathbf{s})}{ds}U^\dagger(\mathbf{s}) = -\eta^\dagger(\mathbf{s})$$

- choose  $\eta(\mathbf{s})$  to achieve desired behavior, e.g.,

$$\eta(\mathbf{s}) = [H_d(\mathbf{s}), H_{od}(\mathbf{s})]$$

to **suppress** (suitably defined) **off-diagonal Hamiltonian**

- **consistent evolution** for all **observables** of interest

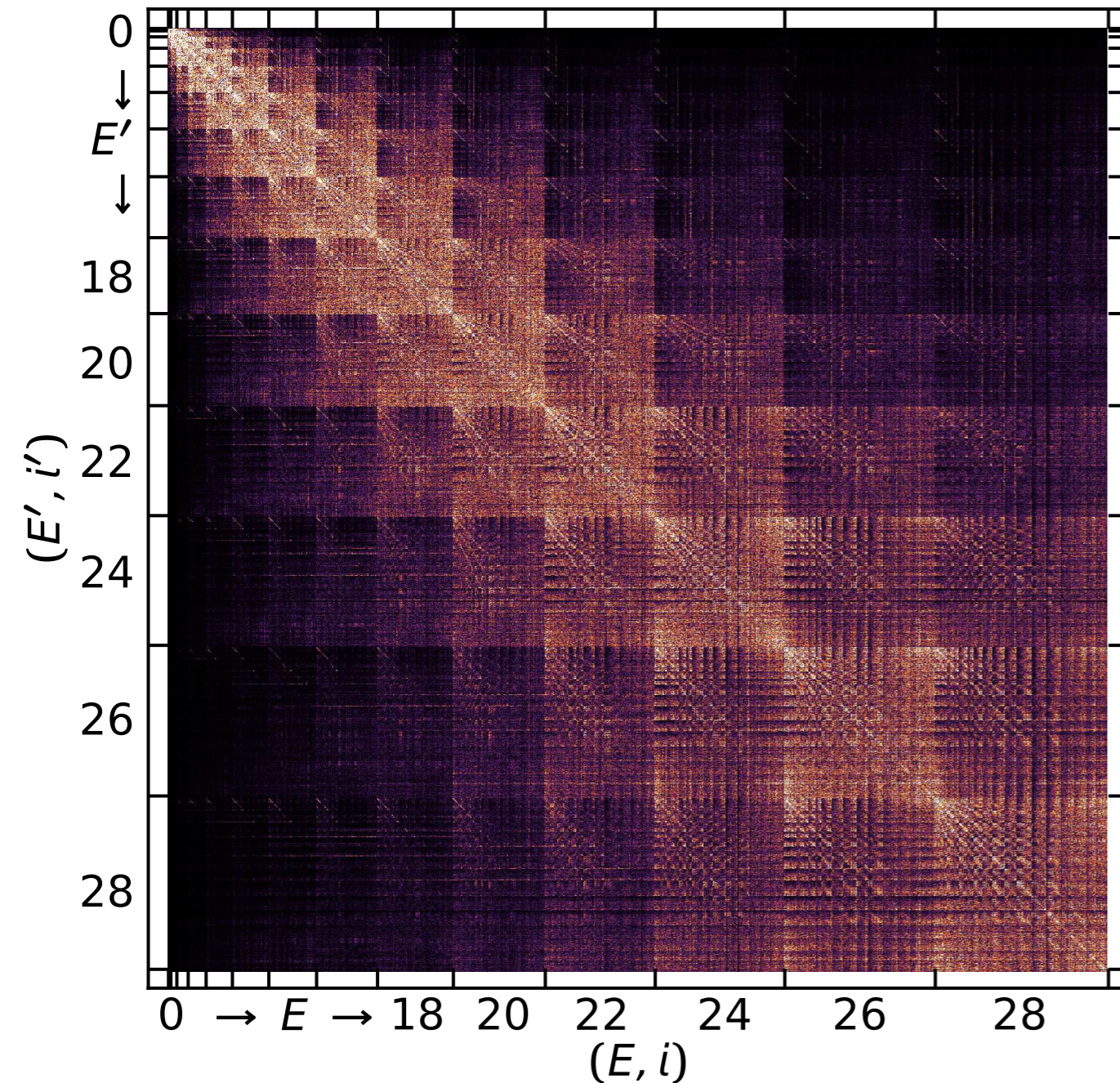


# SRG in Three-Body Space

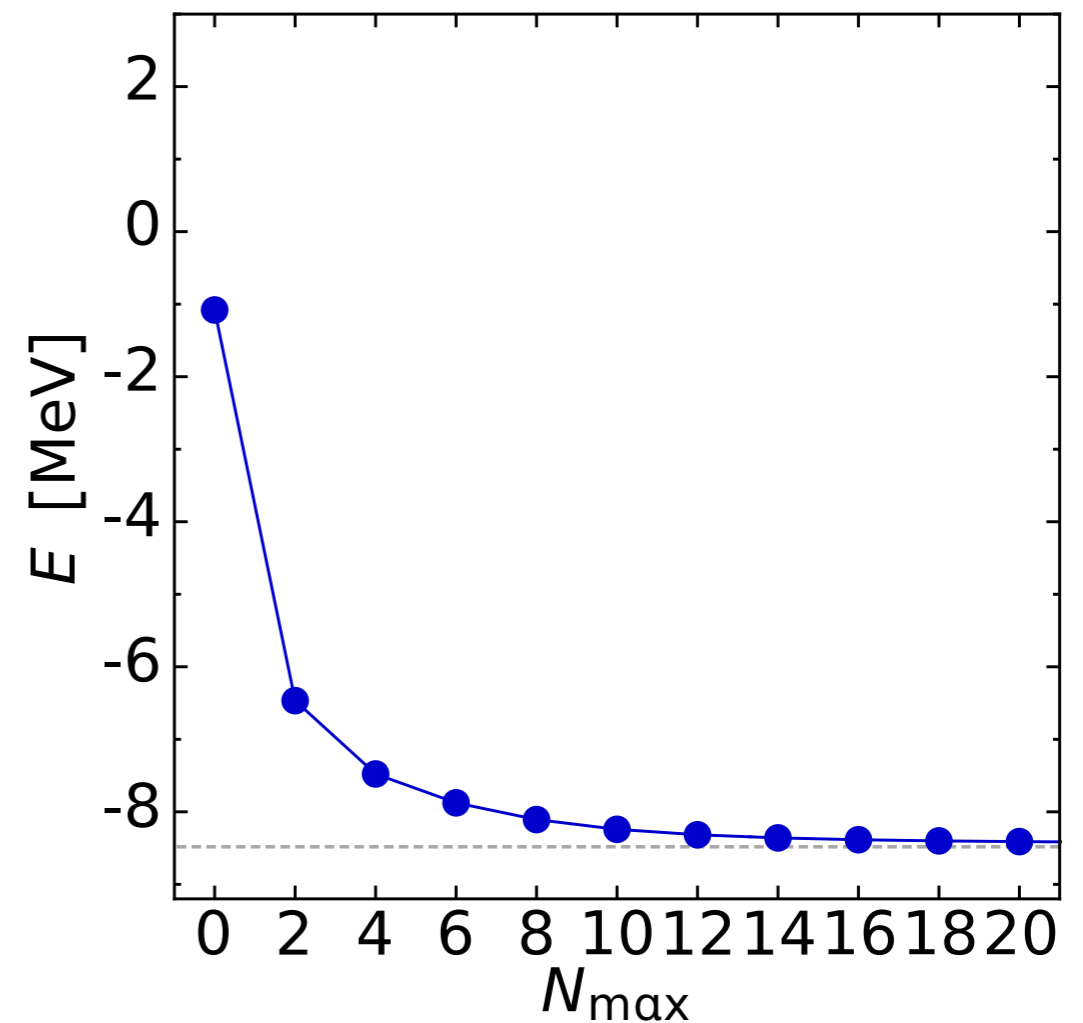


$$J^\pi = \frac{1}{2}^+, T = \frac{1}{2}, \hbar\Omega = 28 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\lambda = 1.33 \text{ fm}^{-1}$$



$^3\text{H}$  ground-state (NCSM)



[figures courtesy of A. Calci and R. Roth]

# Operator Bases for the IMSRG



- choose a **basis of operators** to represent the flow (make an educated guess about physics):

$$H(\mathbf{s}) = \sum_i c_i(\mathbf{s}) O_i, \quad \eta(\mathbf{s}) = \sum_i f_i(\{\mathbf{c}(\mathbf{s})\}) O_i$$

- **close algebra by truncation**, if necessary:

$$[O_i, O_j] = \sum_k g_{ijk} O_k$$

- **flow equations** for the coefficient (**coupling constants**):

$$\frac{d}{ds} c_k = \sum_{ij} g_{ijk} f_i(\{\mathbf{c}\}) c_j$$

- “obvious” choice for many-body problems:

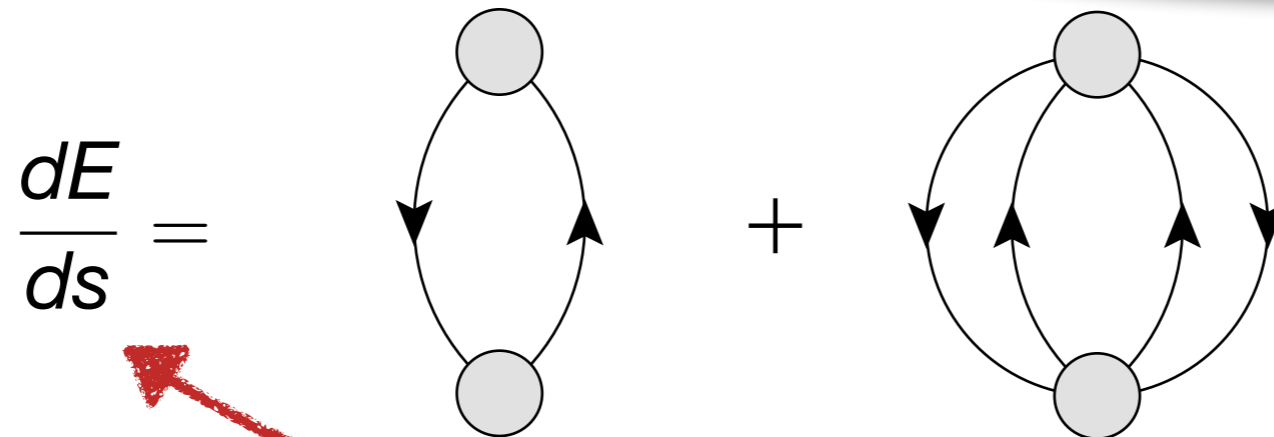
$$\{O_{pq}, O_{pqrs}, \dots\} = \{a_p^\dagger a_q, a_p^\dagger a_q^\dagger a_s a_r, \dots\}$$

# Standard IMSRG(2) Flow Equations



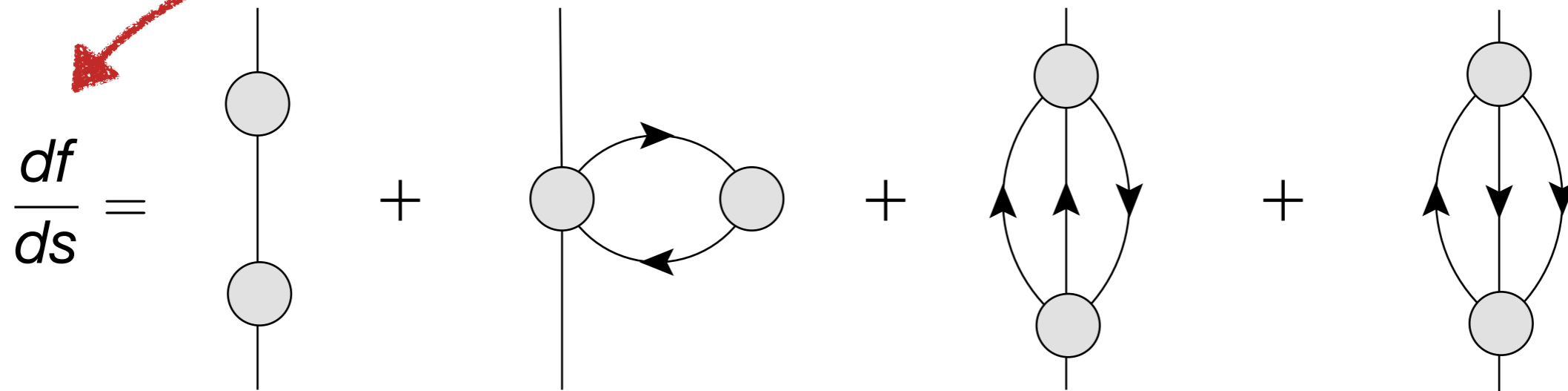
0-body Flow

~ 2nd order MBPT for  $H(s)$



1-body Flow

coefficients (couplings) of  $H(s)$

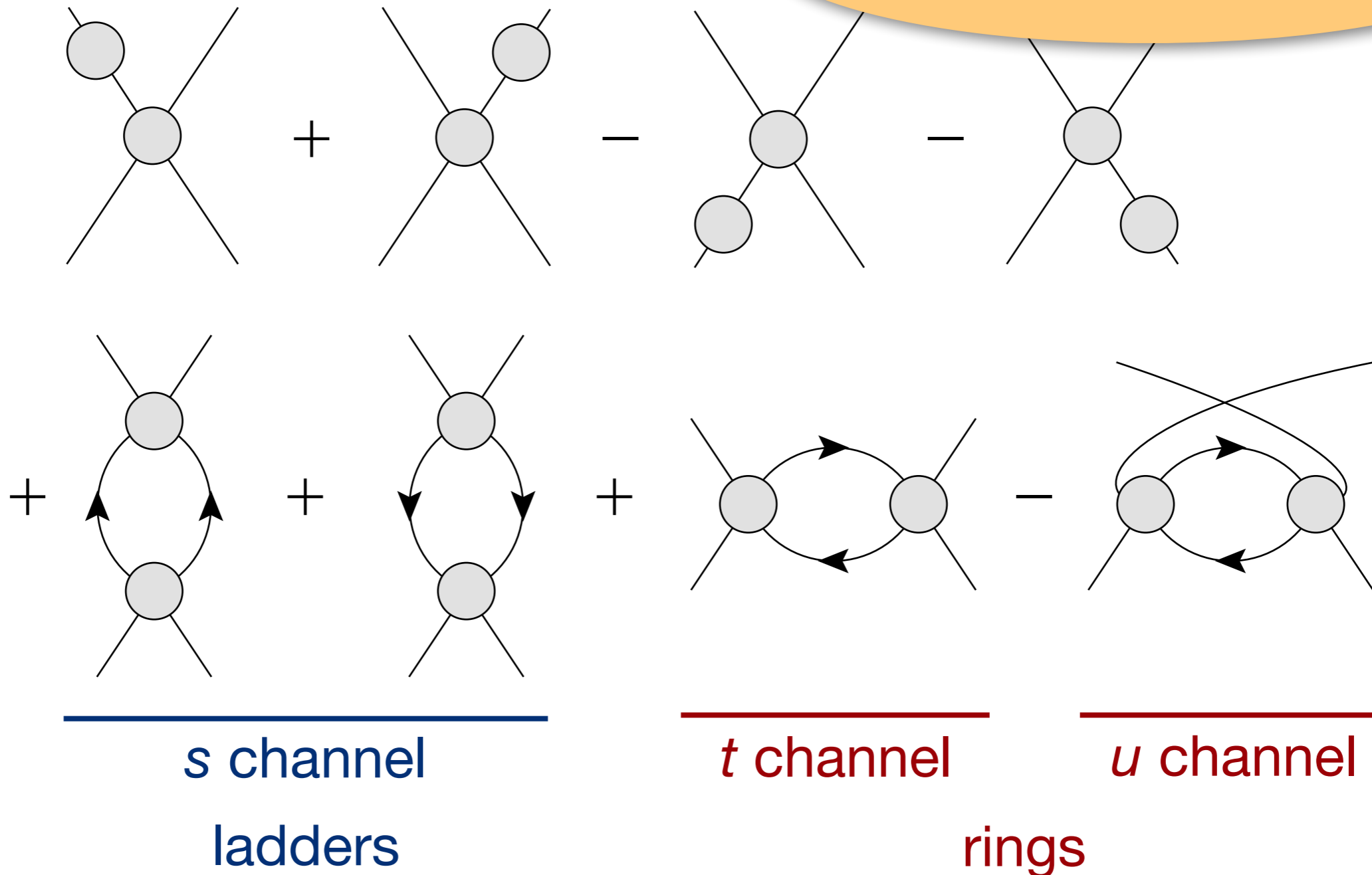


# Standard IMSRG(2) Flow Equations



## 2-body Flow

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{ds} =$$



**$O(N^6)$  scaling**  
(before particle/hole distinction)