

# Update on IMSRG Developments

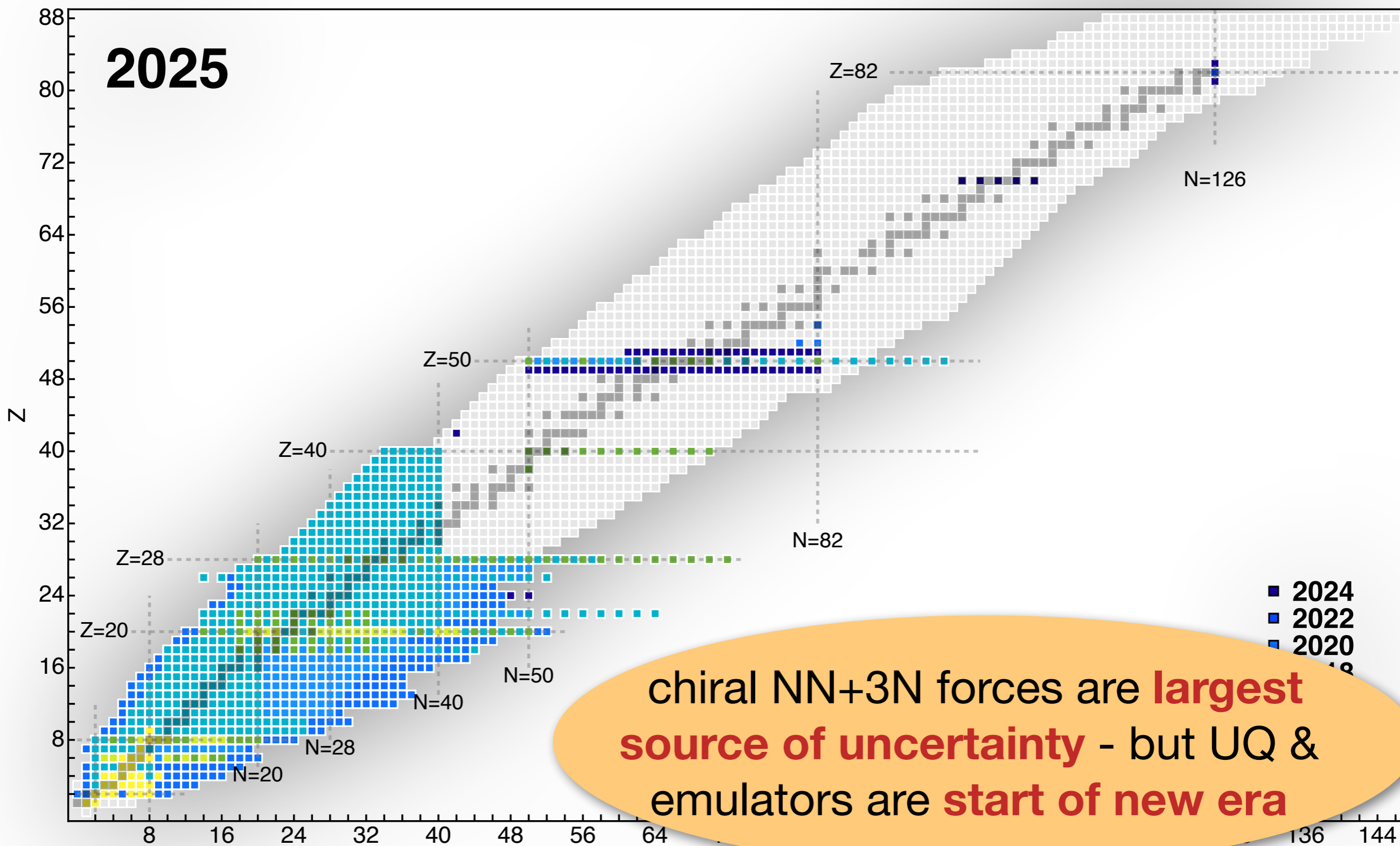
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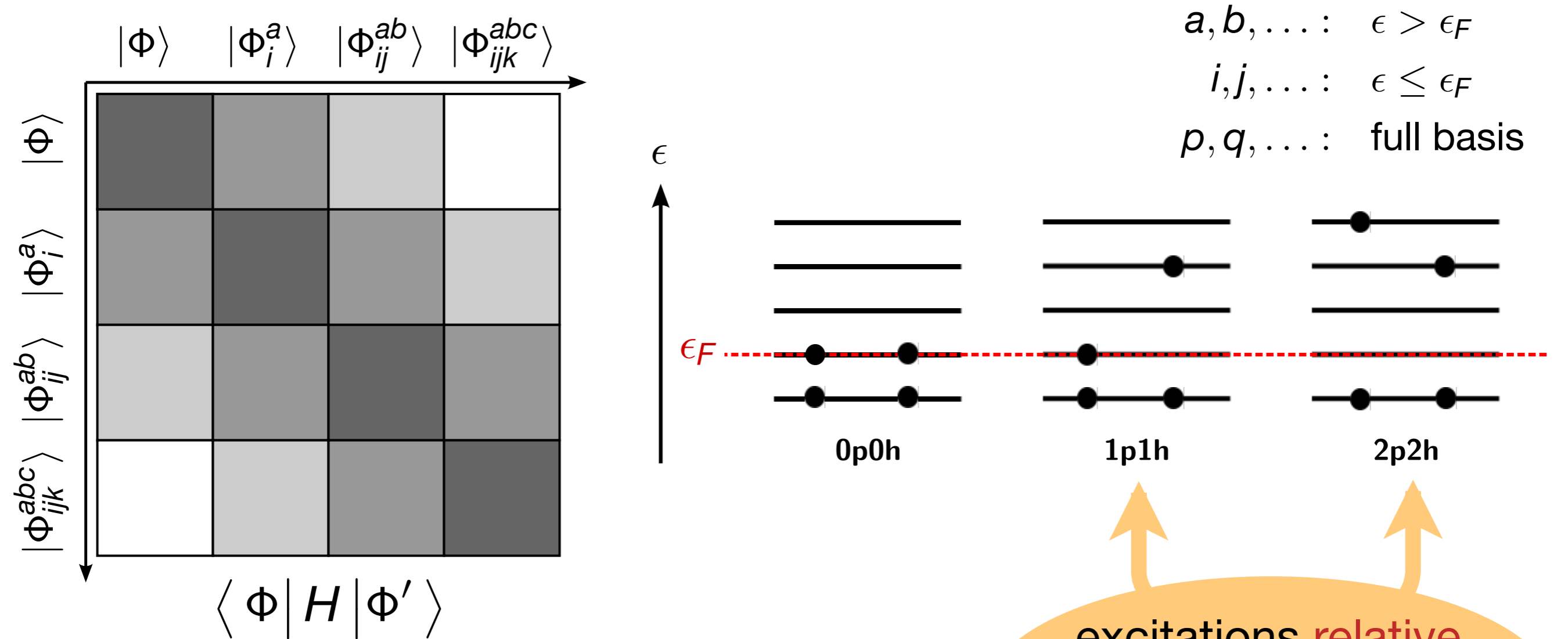
# Progress in *Ab Initio* Calculations



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

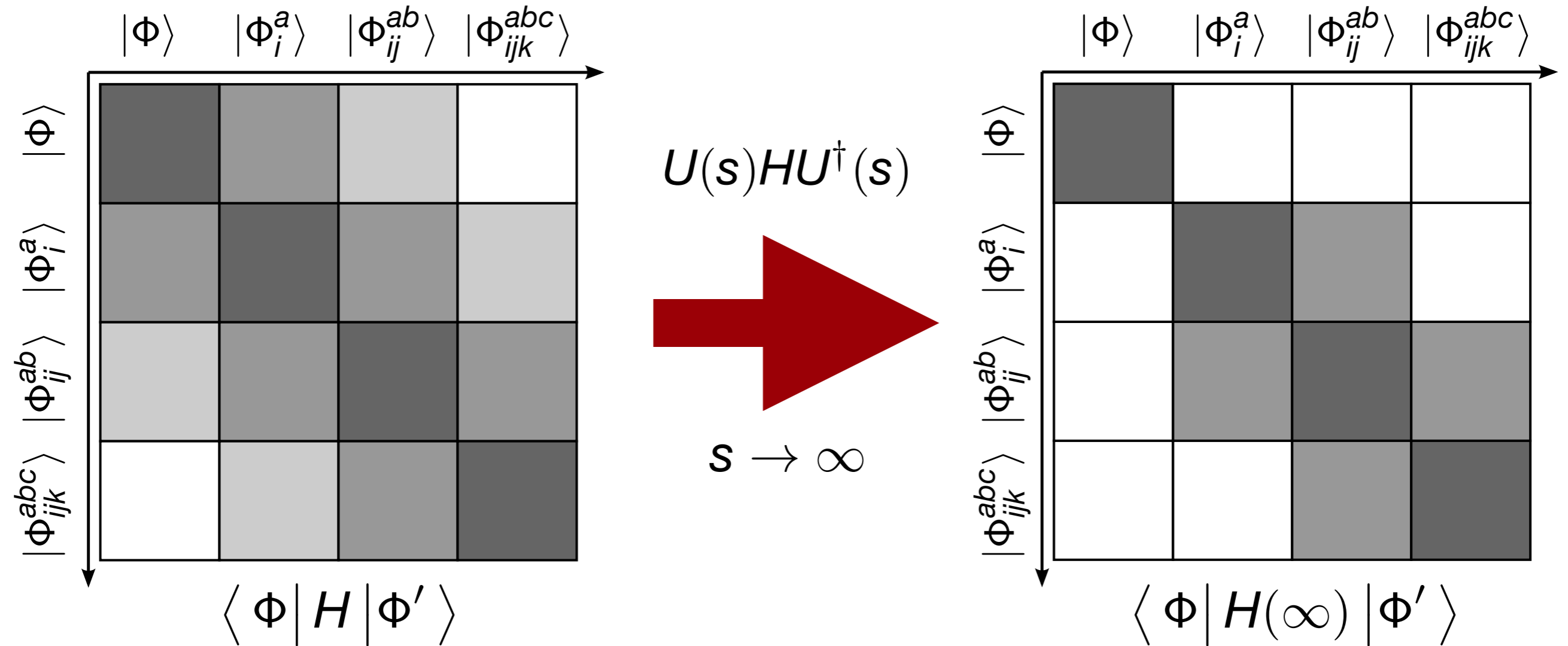


# Transforming the Hamiltonian



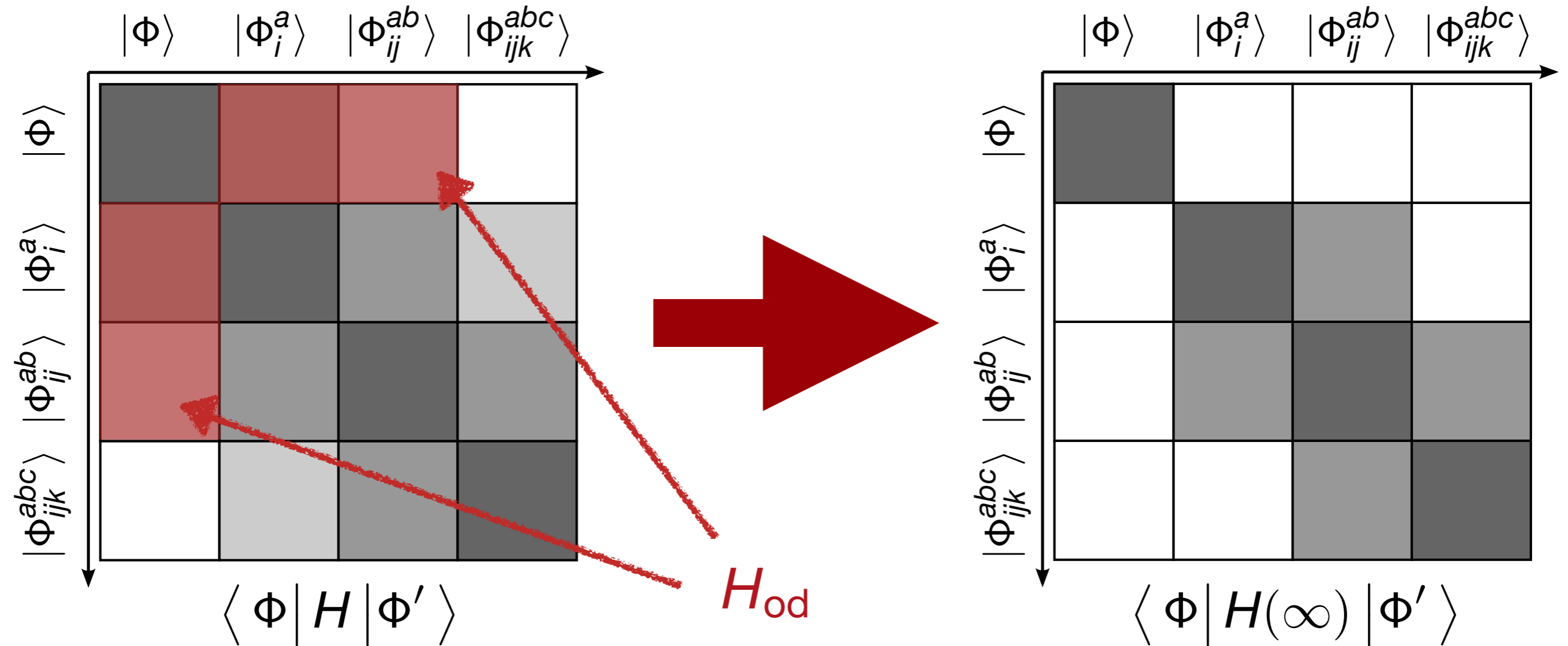
- reference state: **single Slater determinant**

# Decoupling in A-Body Space



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

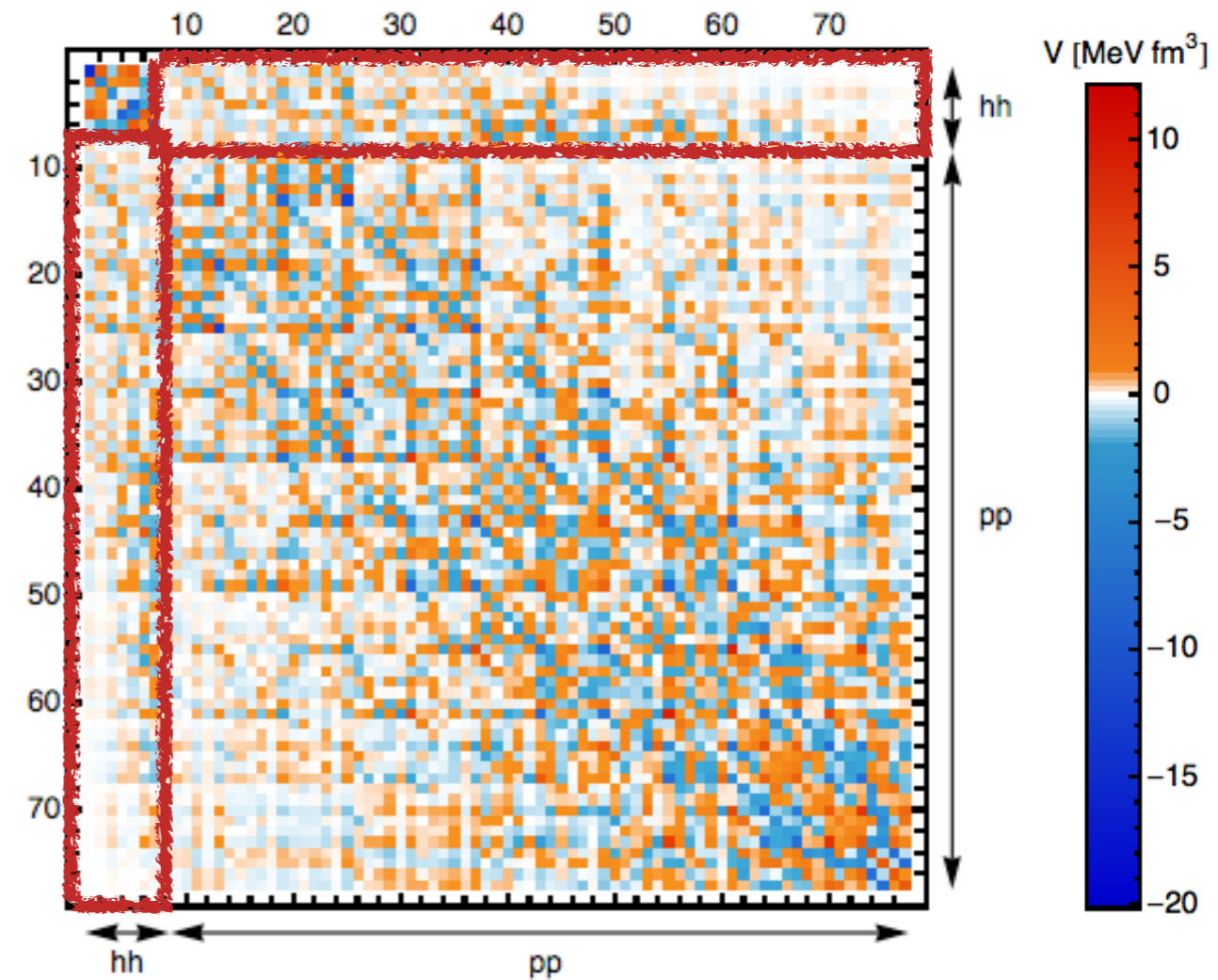
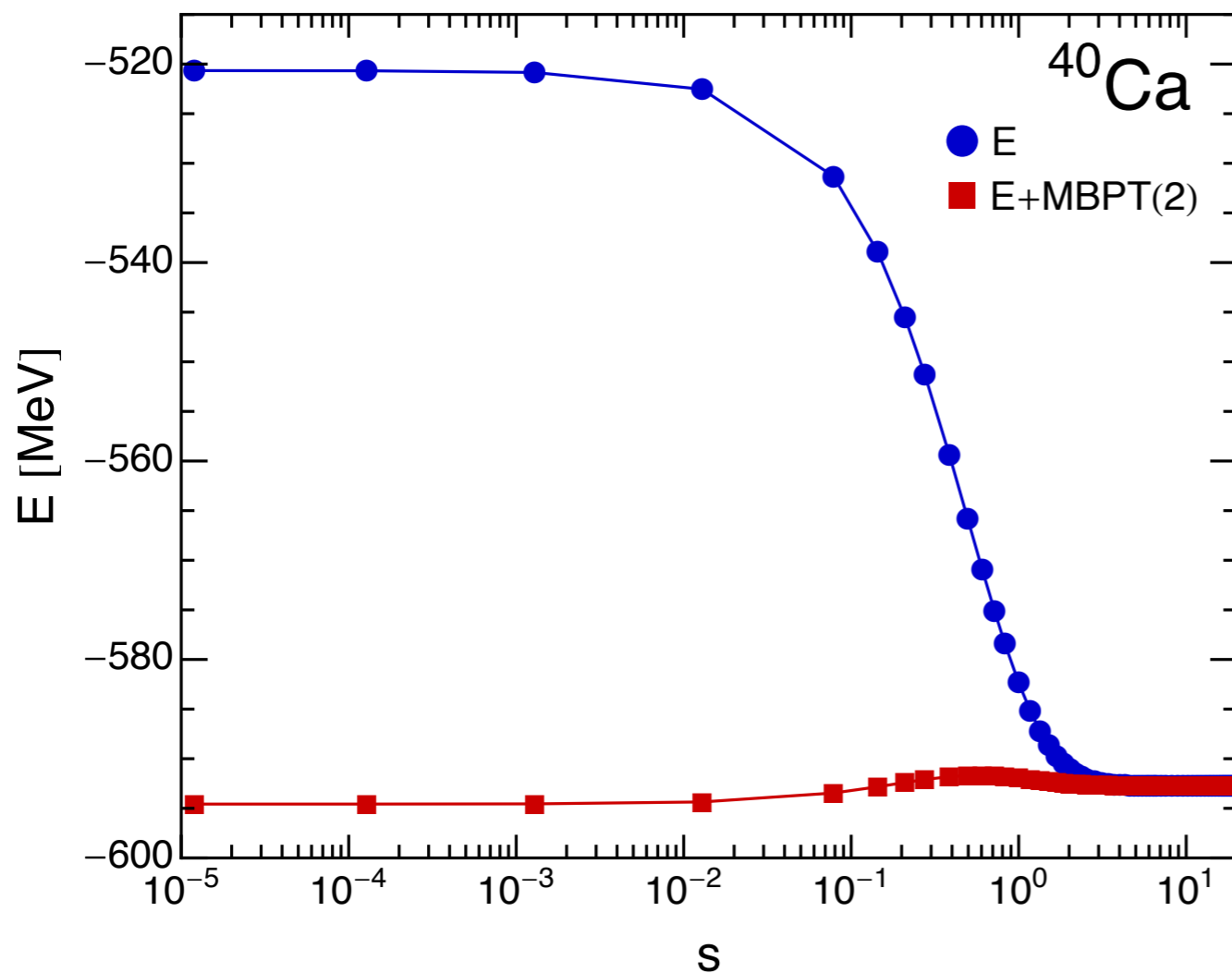
# Flow Equation



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

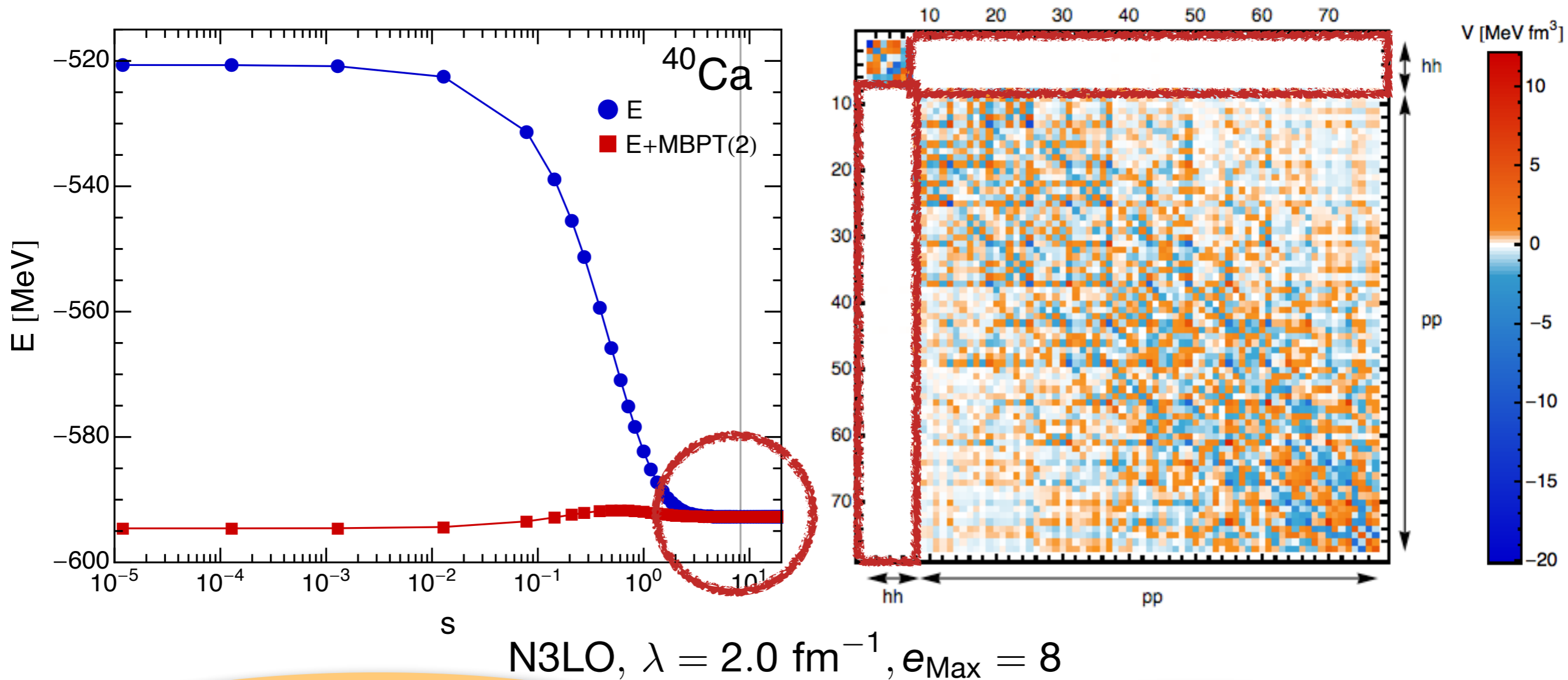
Operators truncated at **two-body level** - matrix is never constructed explicitly!

# Decoupling



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

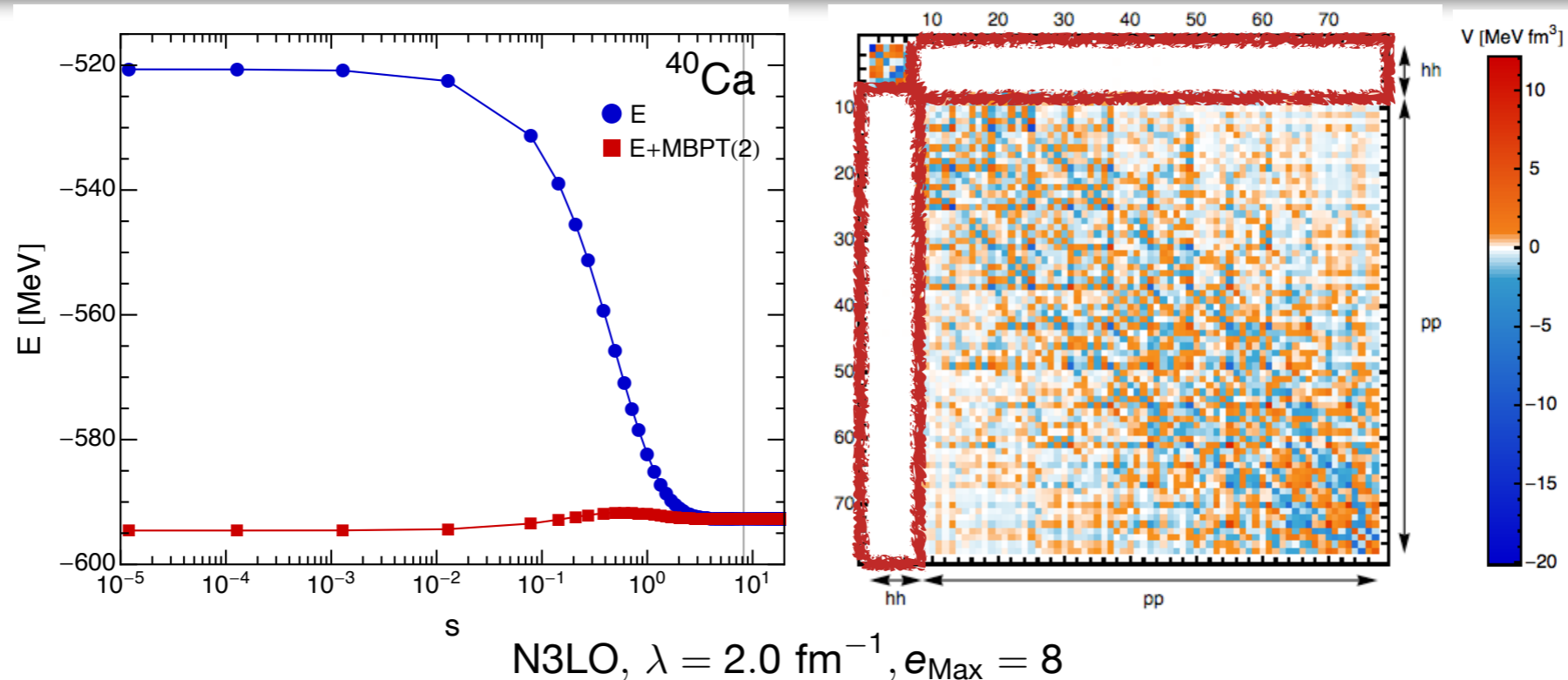
# Decoupling



non-perturbative  
resummation of MBPT series  
**(correlations)**

off-diagonal couplings  
are rapidly driven to zero

# Decoupling



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

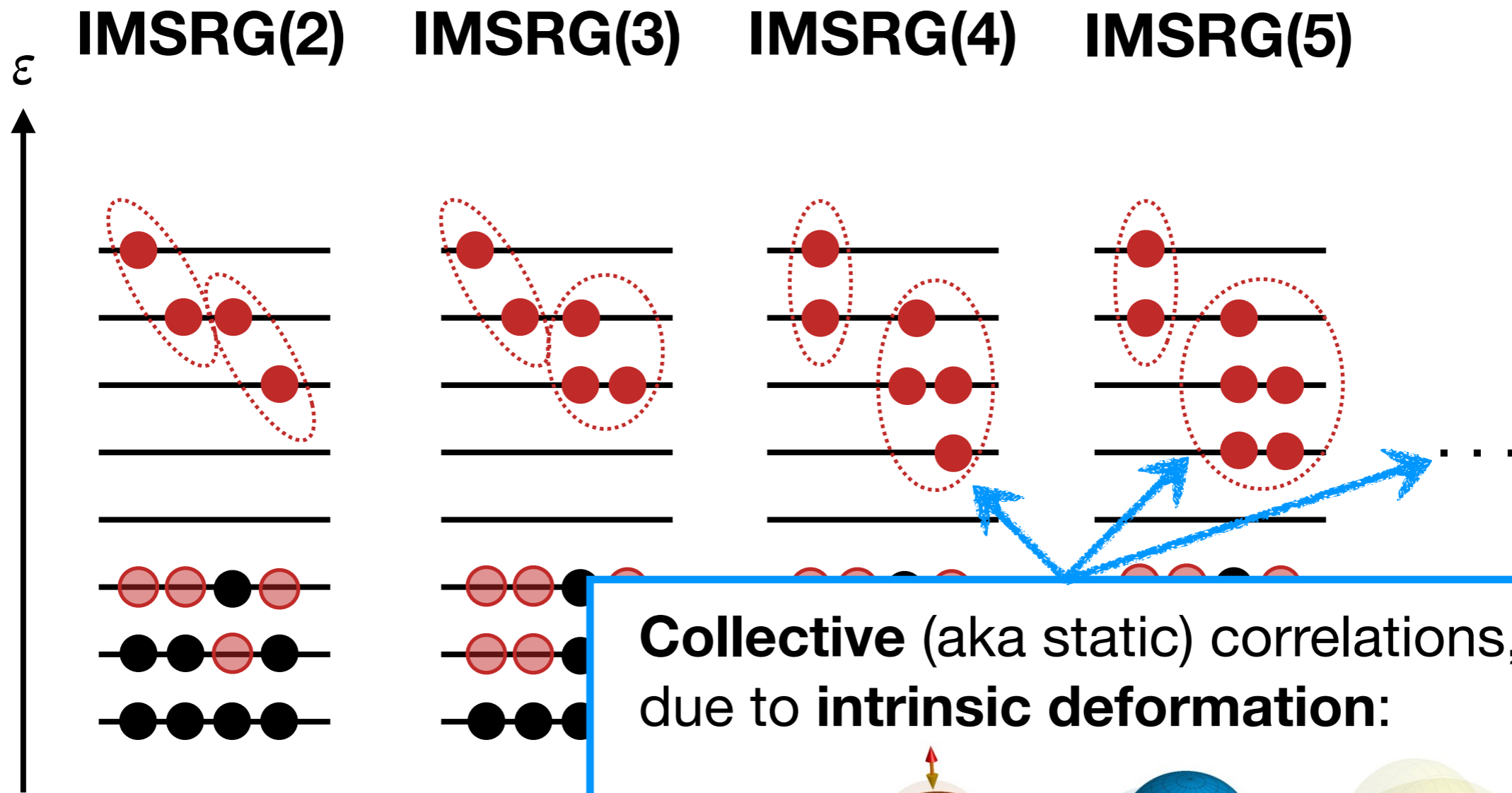
$$U(s) H U^\dagger(s) U(s) |\Psi_n\rangle = E_n U(s) |\Psi_n\rangle$$

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

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

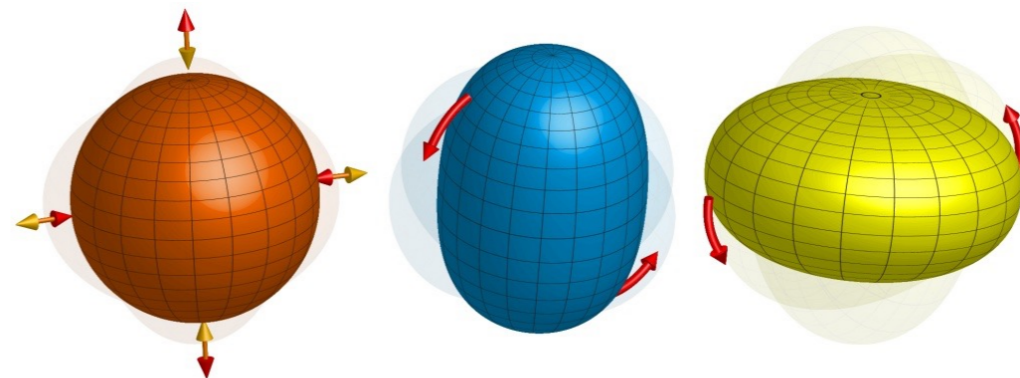


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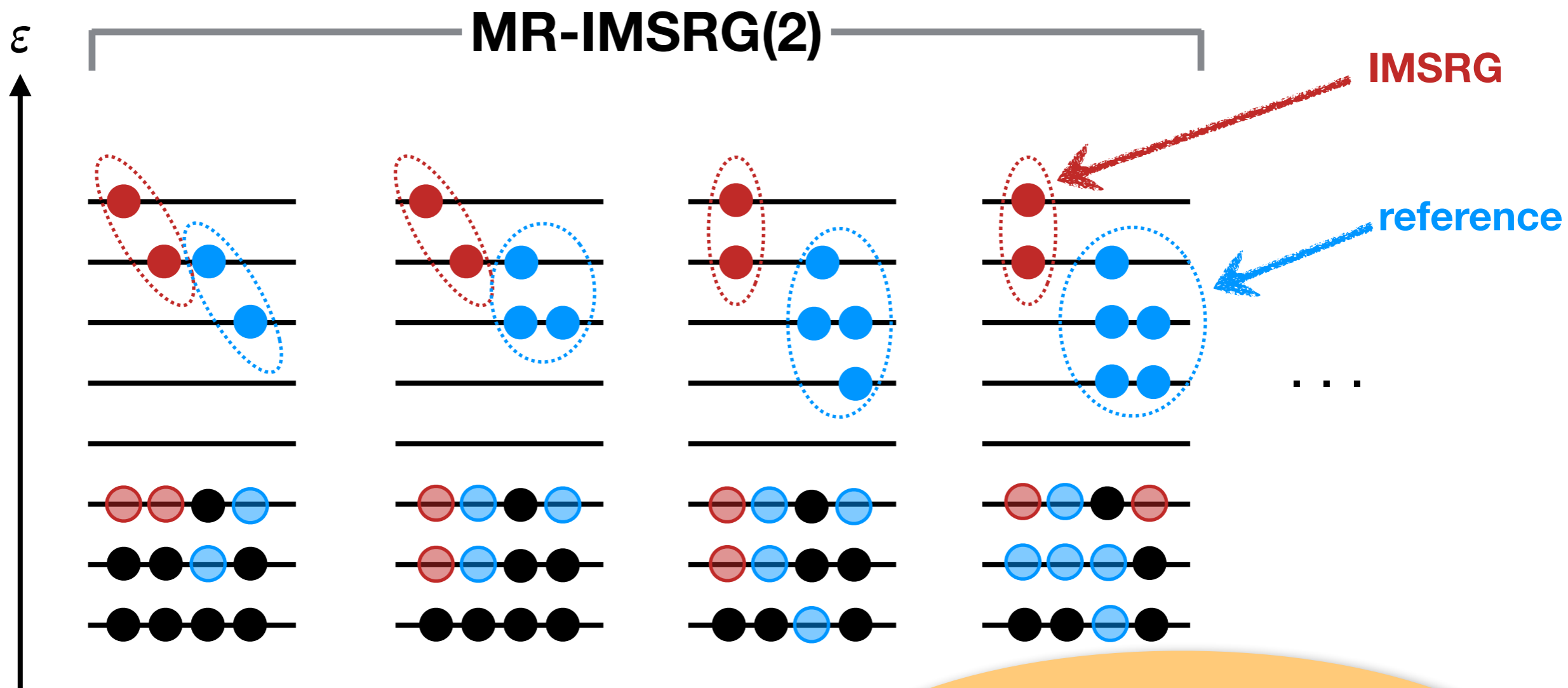


“standard” IMS  
Slater determinan

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



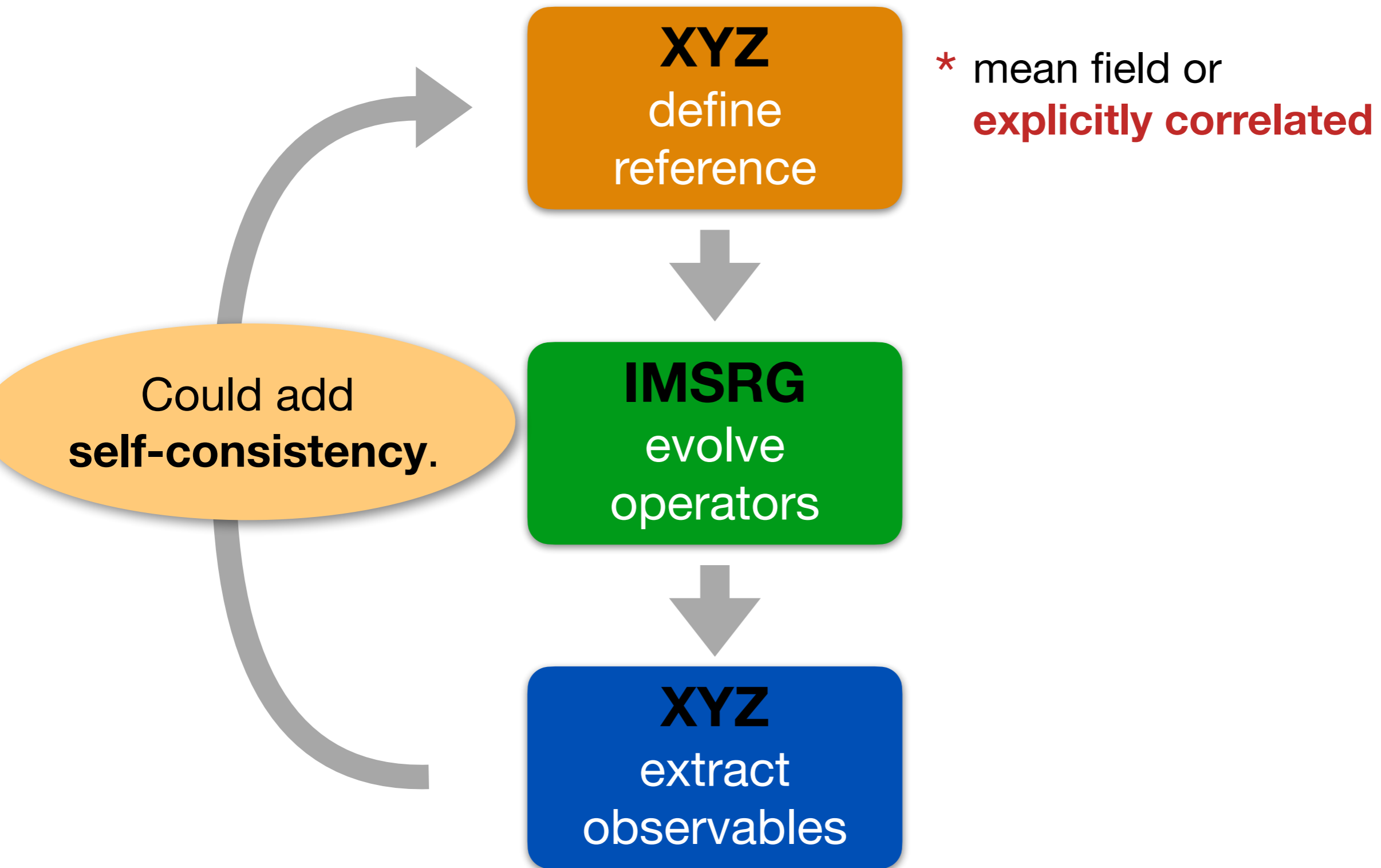
# Correlated Reference States



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

**additional terms in flow equations** (two-body and higher densities), but **scaling remains unchanged**

# IMSRG-Improved Methods



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- **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. Tuskuyama, 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 98, 054311 (2018)
  - J. M. Yao et al.. PRL 124. 232501 (2020)

**XYZ**  
define  
reference

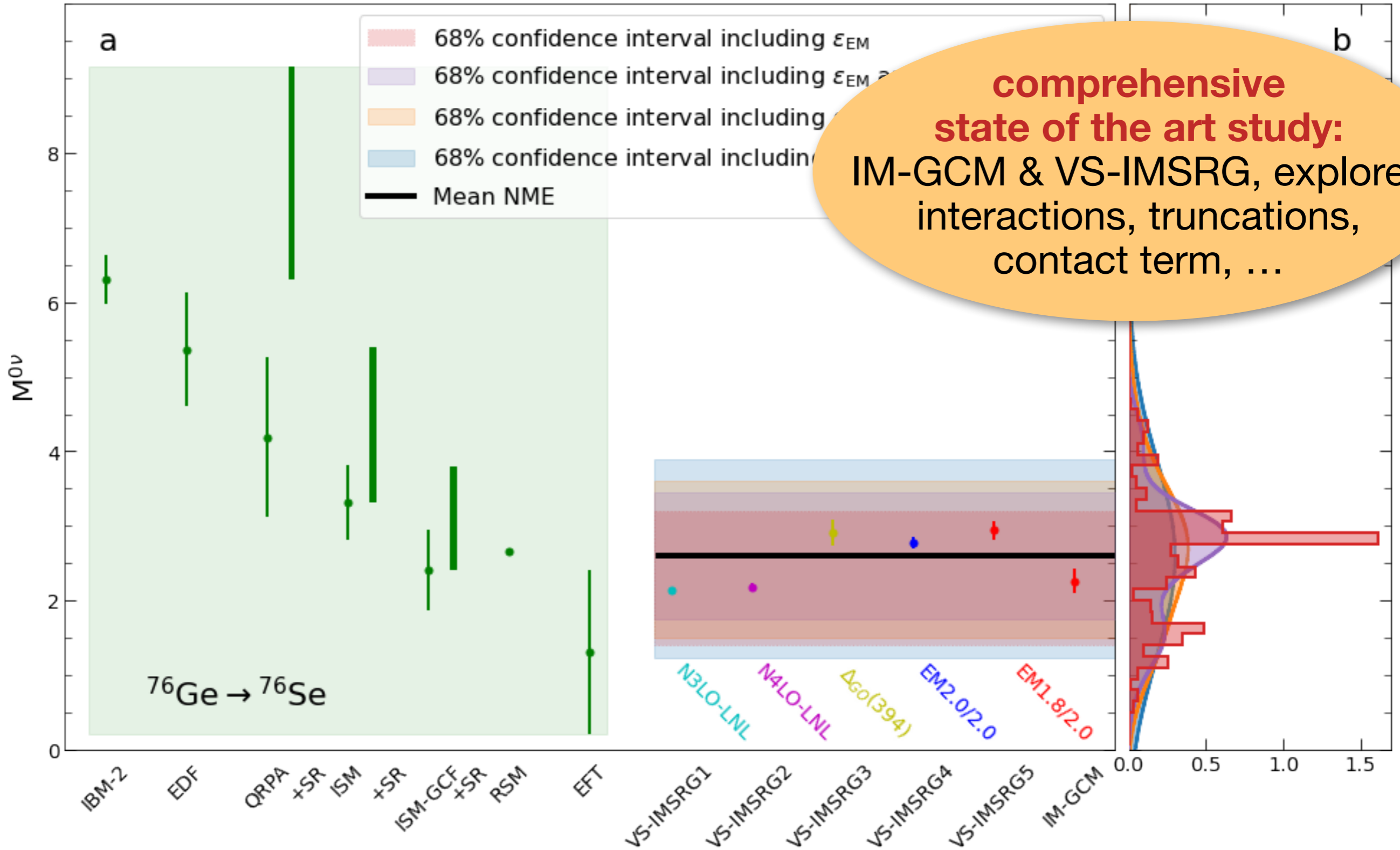


**IMSRG**  
evolve  
operators



**XYZ**  
extract

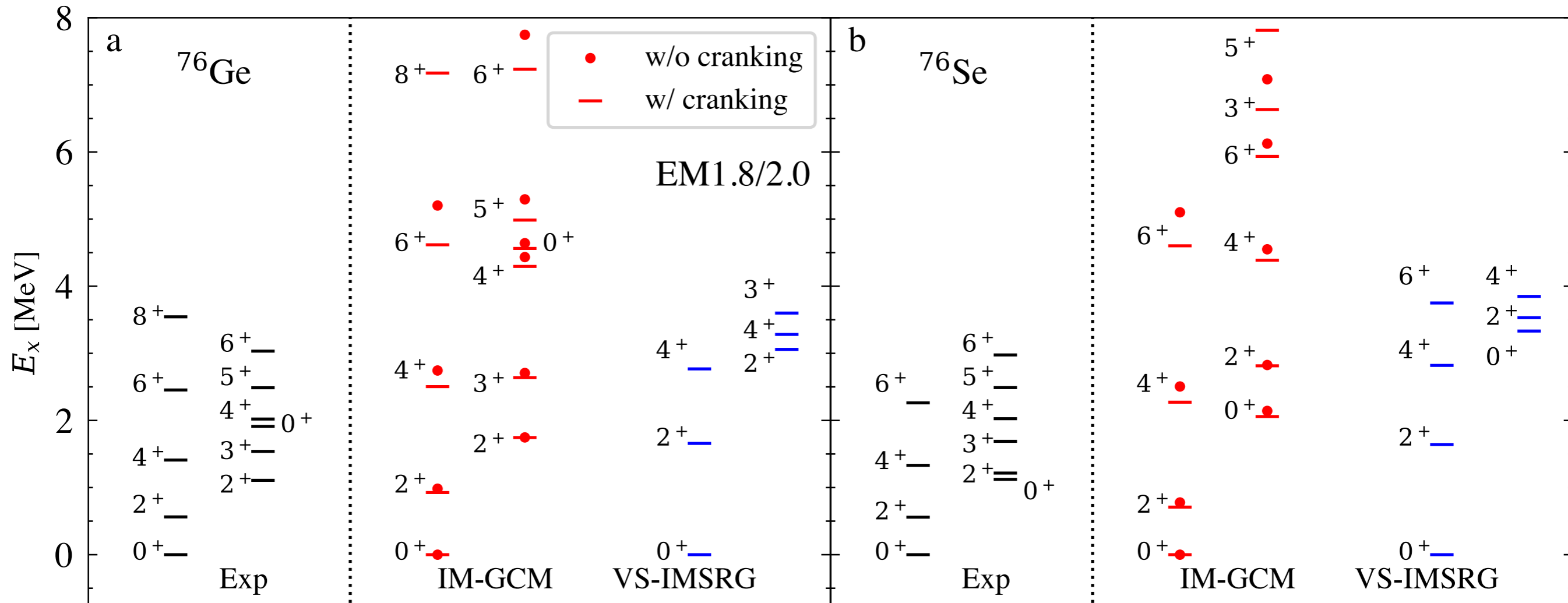
**more  
in development**



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



A. Belley et al., PRL 132, 182502 (2024)



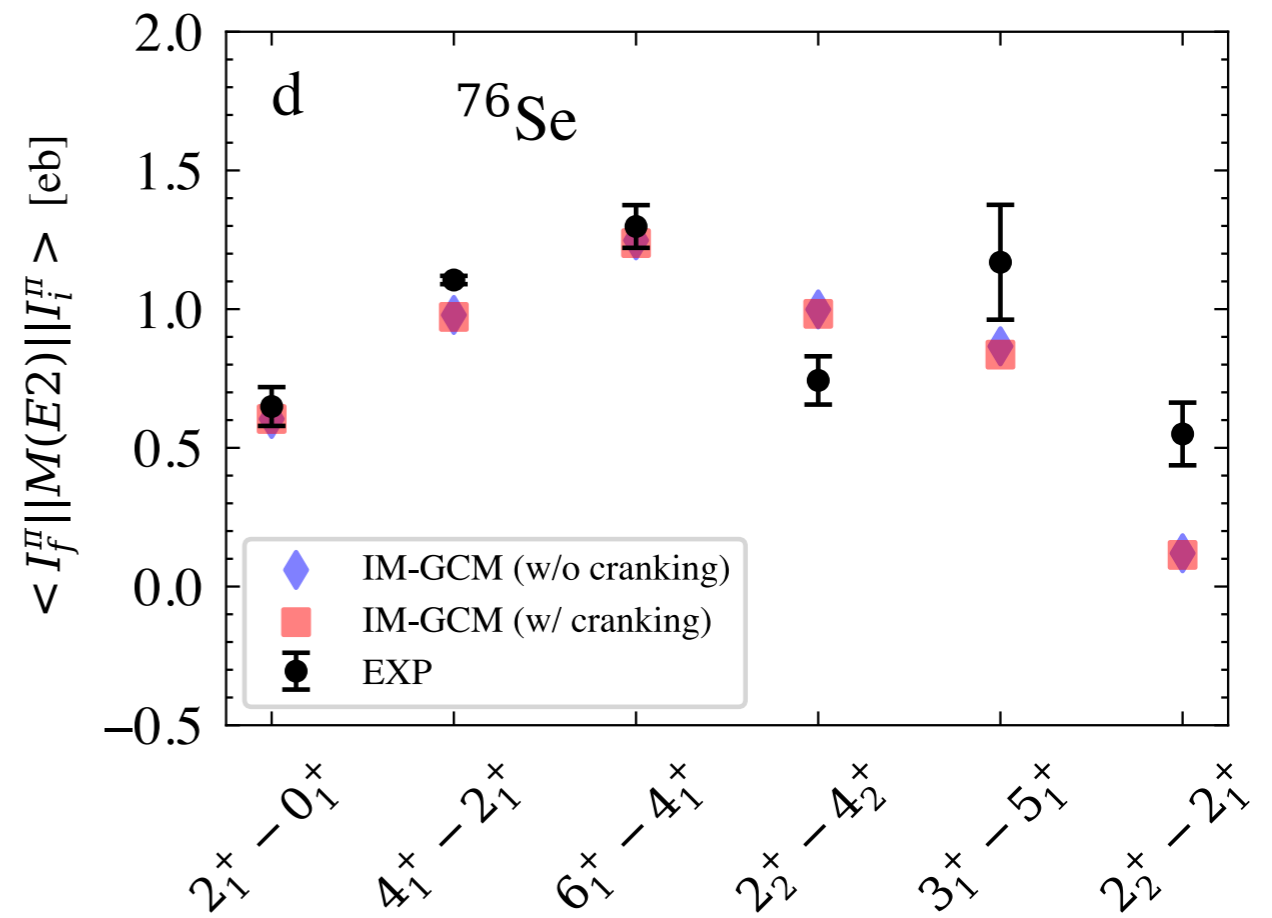
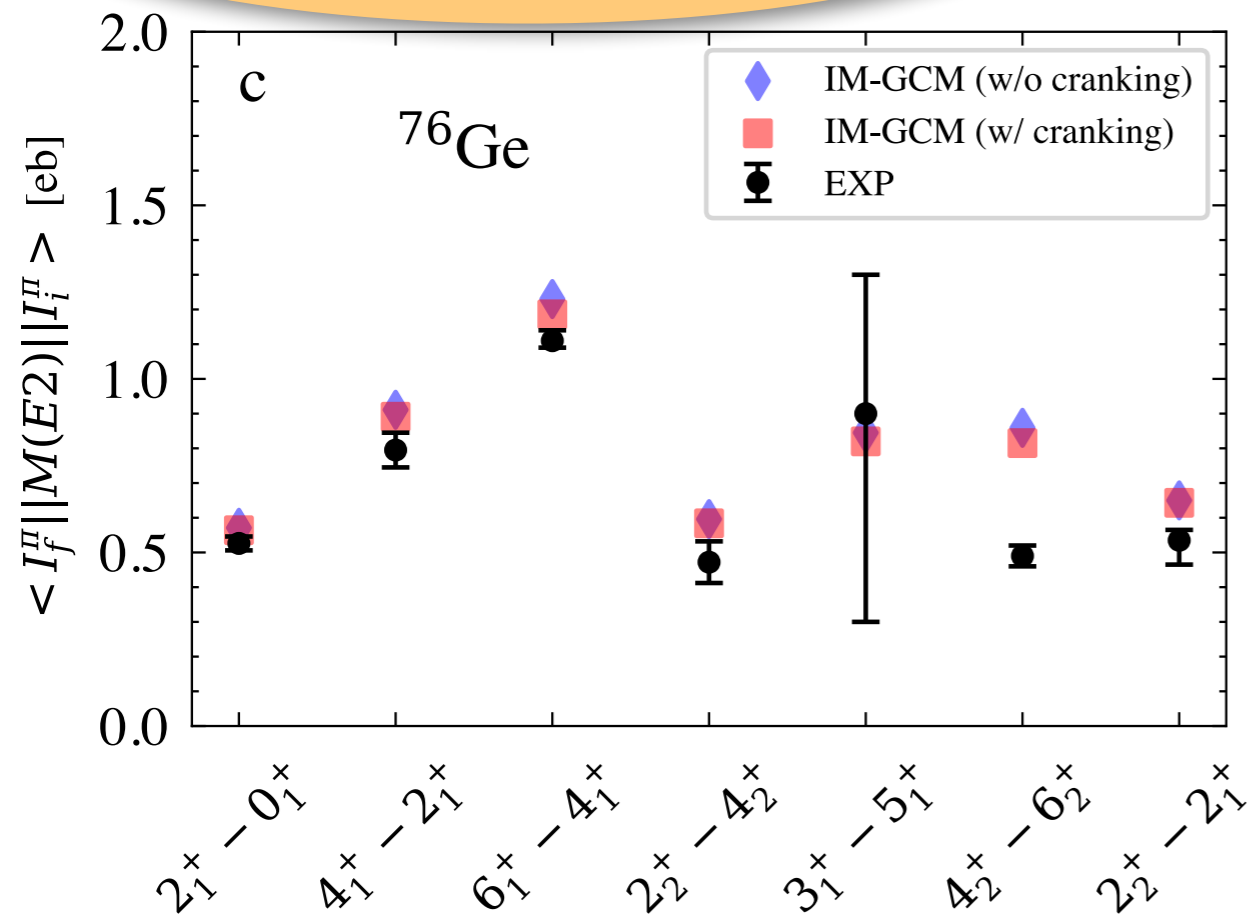
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**compatible** with  
A~80 results from AMP-CCSD  
[B.S. Hu et al., PRC110, L011302]



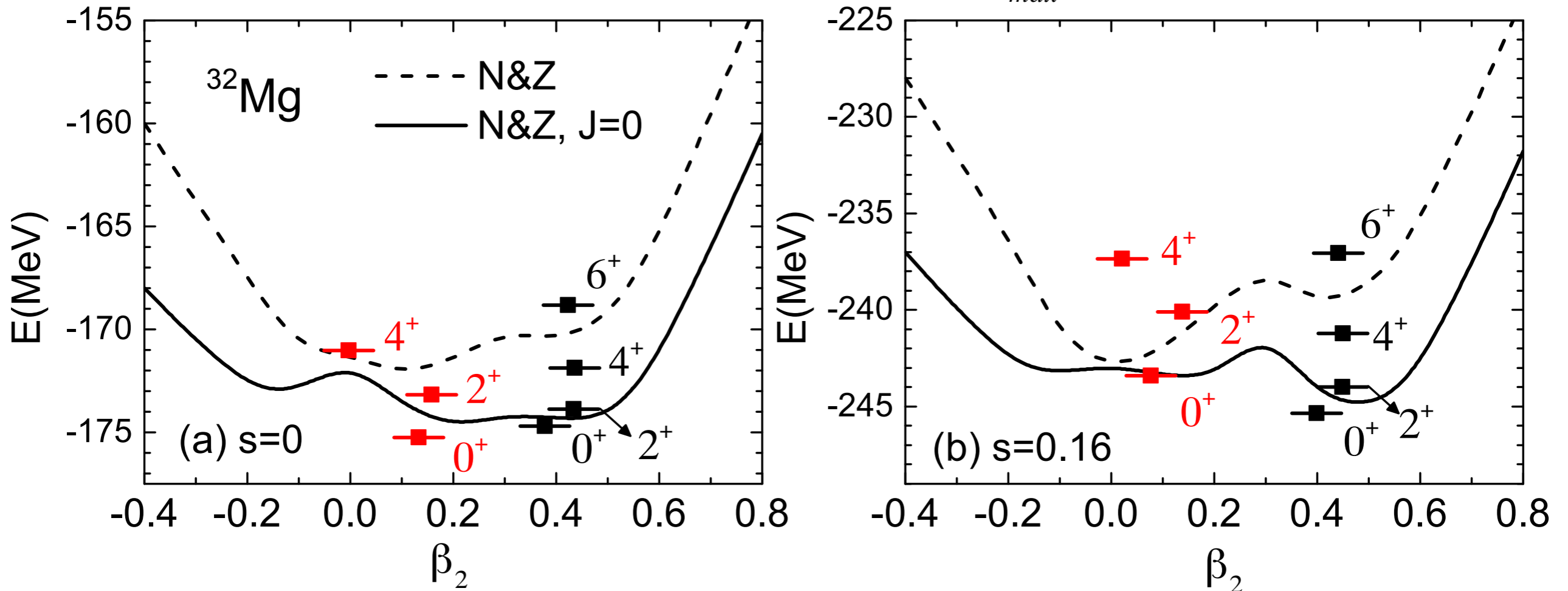
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# N=20 Island of Inversion



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E. F. Zhou et al., arXiv:2410.23113



- **Dynamic correlations** captured by IMSRG...
  - bring **absolute energies** close to experiment ( $E=-249.7 \text{ MeV}$  (AME) vs.  $-249.5 \text{ MeV}$  (extrapolated theory))
  - reveal prominent **prolate deformation** of the **ground state**



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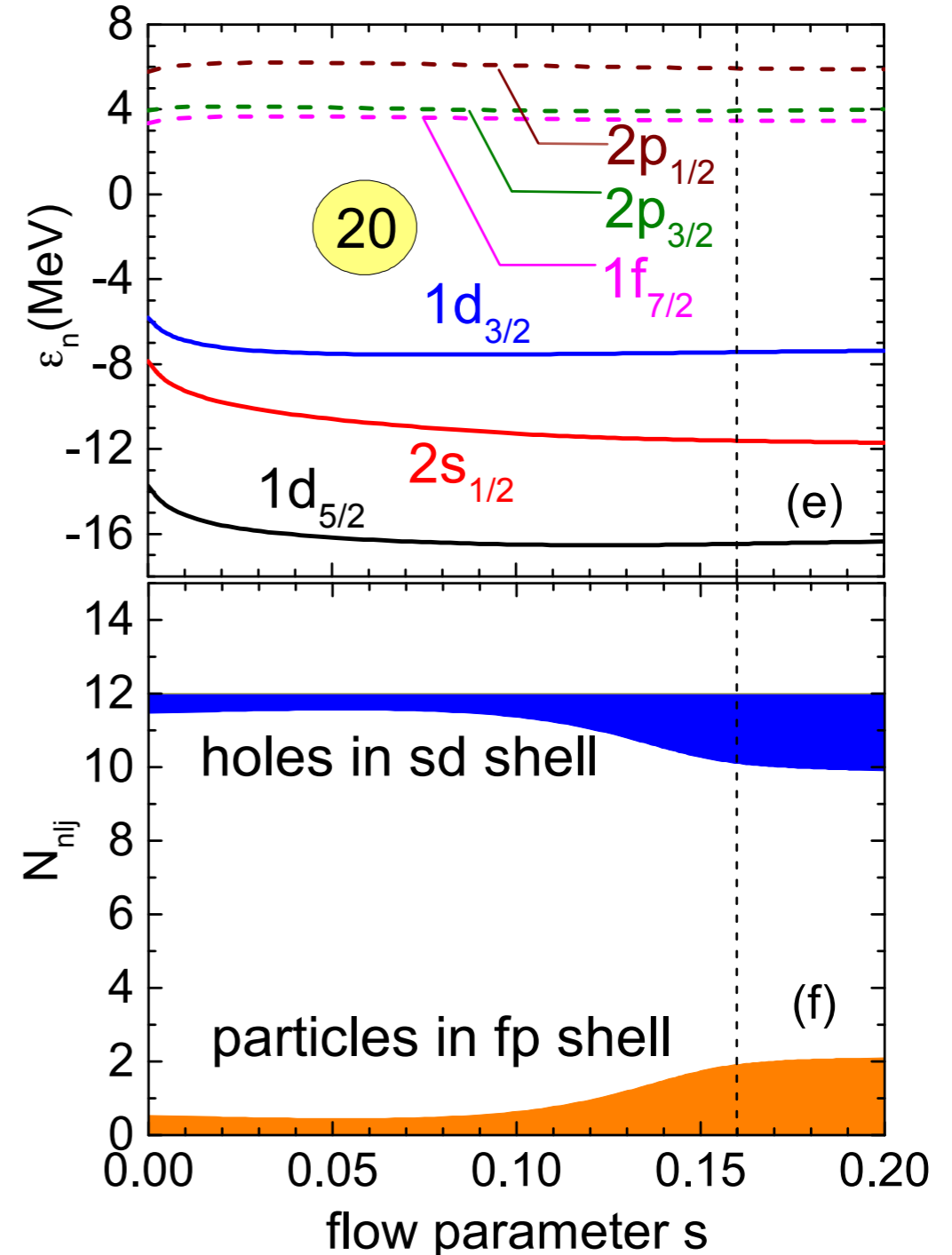
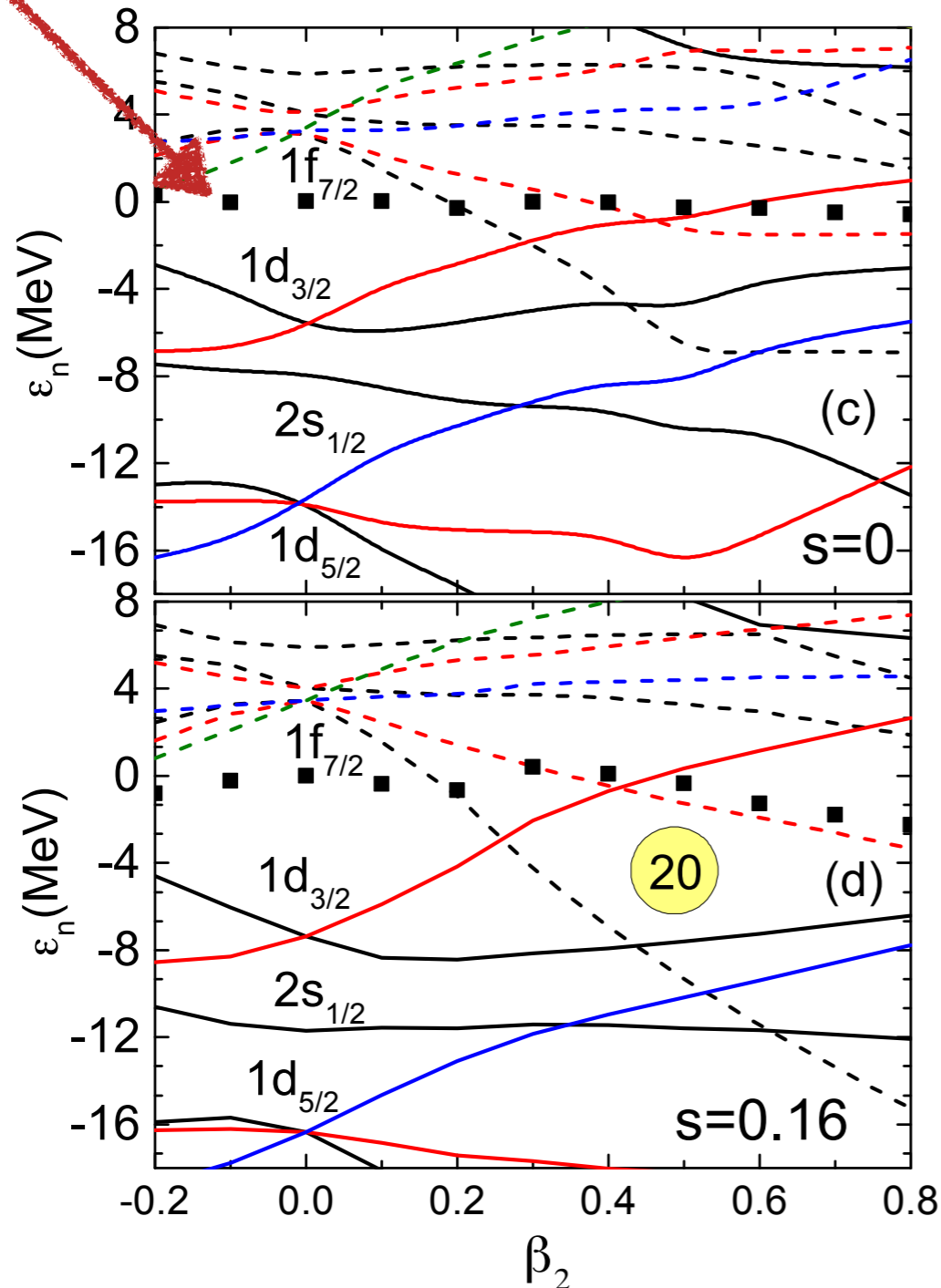


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Fermi energies

**IM-GCM:**

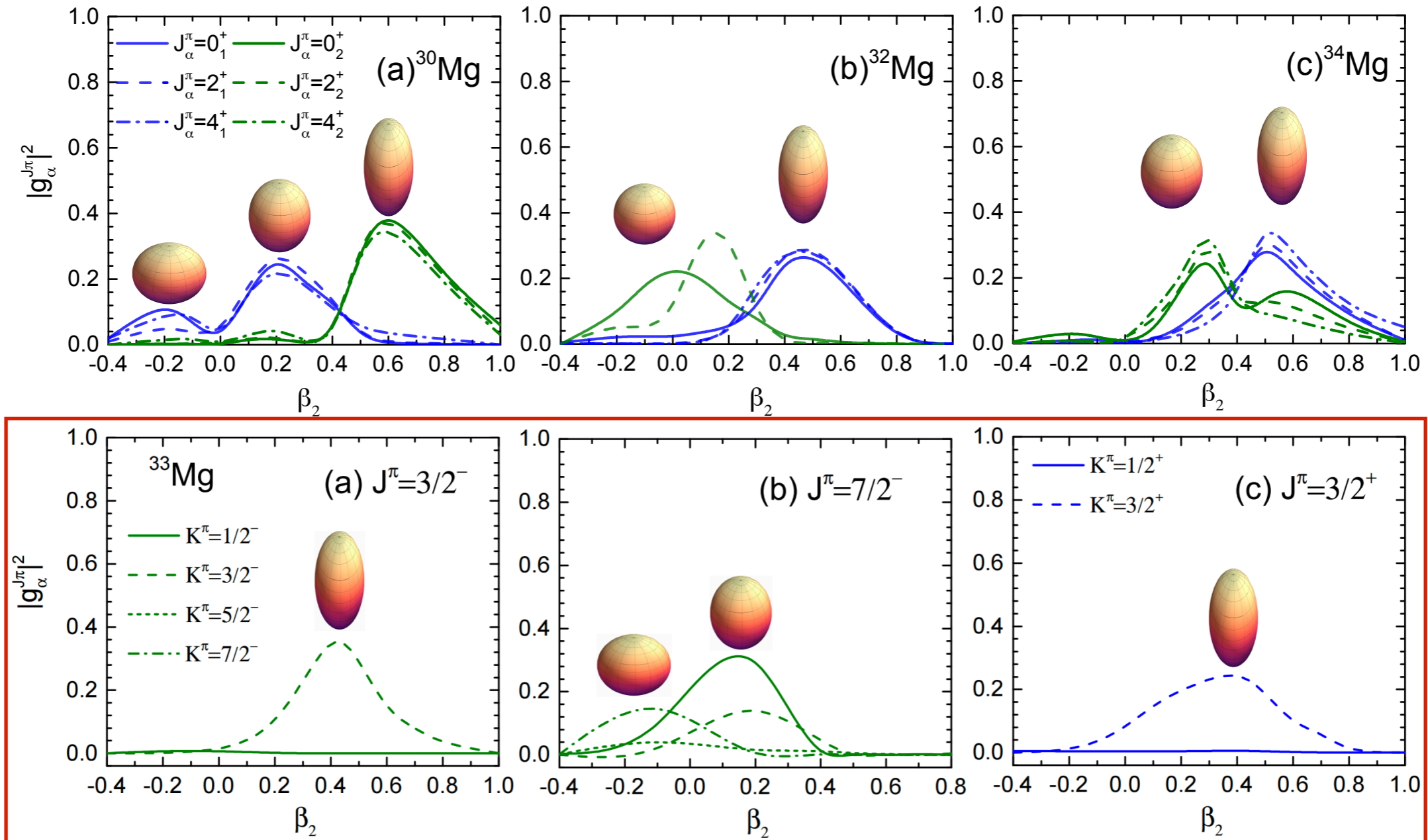
**VS-IMSRG (Shell Model):**



# Shape Mixing



*E. F. Zhou et al., arXiv:2410.23113*



- **shape coexistence** can come with **shape mixing**
- **(but keep in mind: wave function components are not observable)**

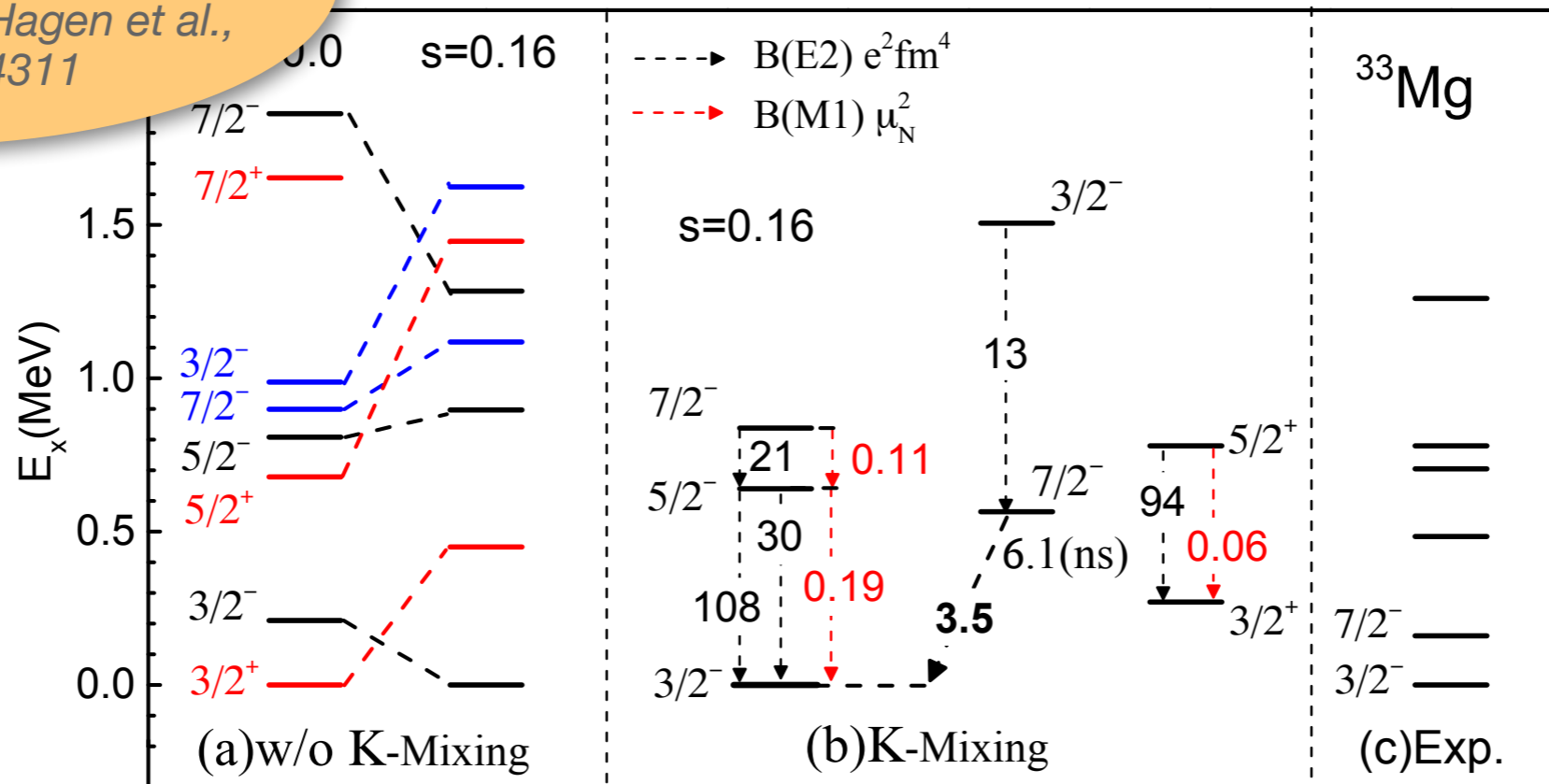
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cf. AMP-CCSD

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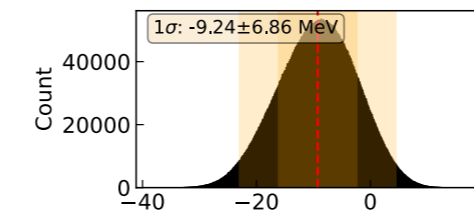
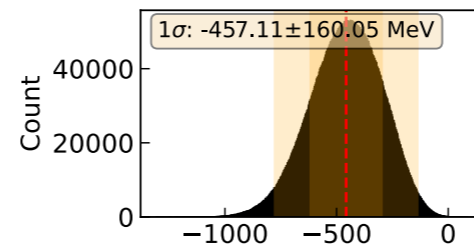
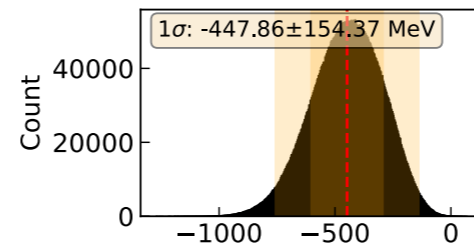
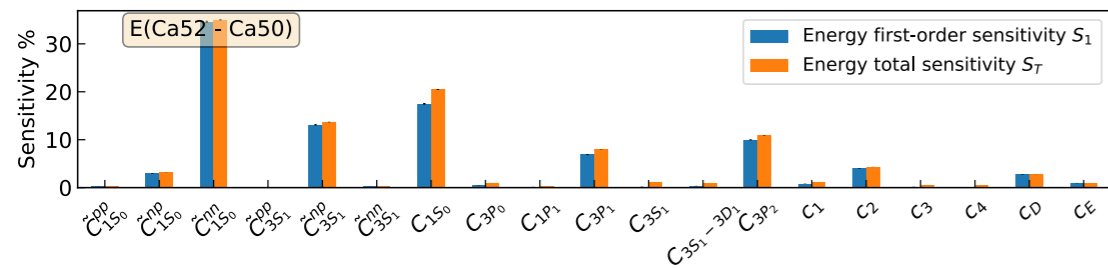
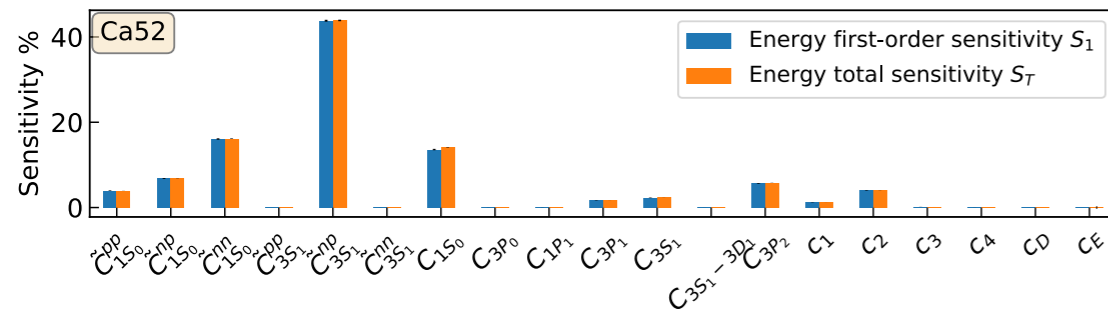
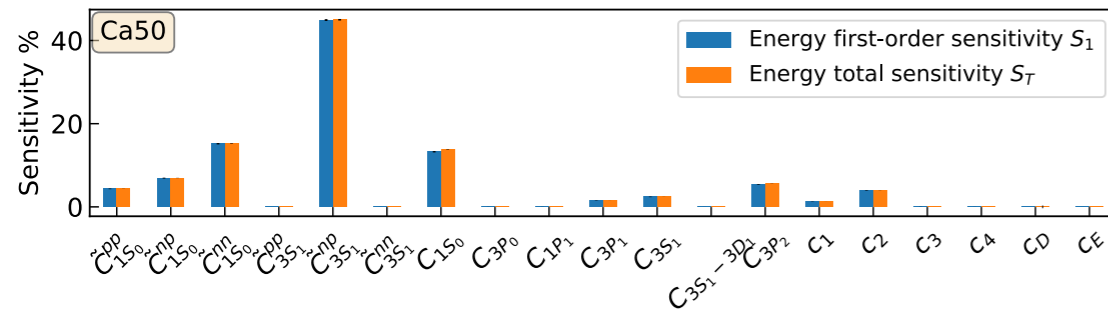
- **shape and K mixing** have notable impact on  $^{33}\text{Mg}$  spectrum
- **boosts** lifetime of  $\frac{7}{2}^-$  state - **predicted to be a shape isomer**
- related to  $^{32}\text{Na}$  shape isomer measured at FDSi in 2023 ?  
[Gray et al., PRL 130, 132501]

- treat **model parameters** as **probability distributions** rather than just numbers
- condition, calibrate, and validate with data
- **predictions for observables** become **probability distributions** as well
- allows characterization of likelihood, standard deviations (=error bars), correlations, parameter sensitivity, ...
- **challenge:** need **lots** of **expensive** many-body calculations
- **solution:** construct **emulators** for costly simulations - can reduce computational effort by **many orders of magnitude** (but still need **training data**)

# Emulators for the IMSRG



J. Davison, HH, J. Crawford, S. Bogner, arXiv:2503.xxxx

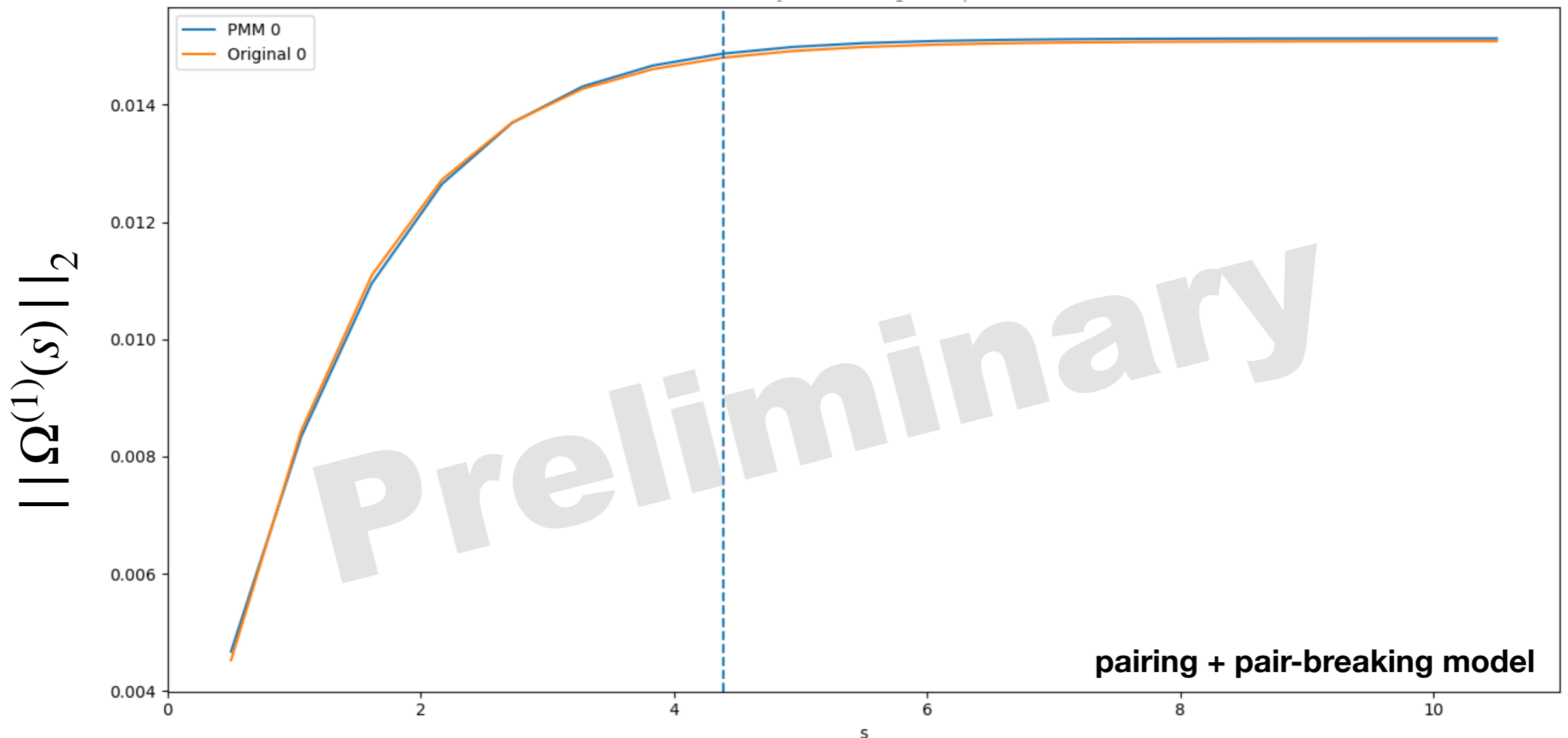


- non-invasive **ROM emulator** based on **Dynamic Mode Decomposition**
- $\Delta$ NNLO<sub>GO</sub>, NN+3N,  $e_{max} = 12, E_{3max} = 14$
- O(10M) samples - **computational effort reduced by 5+ orders of magnitude**

# Parametric Matrix Model Emulators



B. Clark, P. Cook, ...  
also see: S. Yoshida, *Particles* 2025, 8

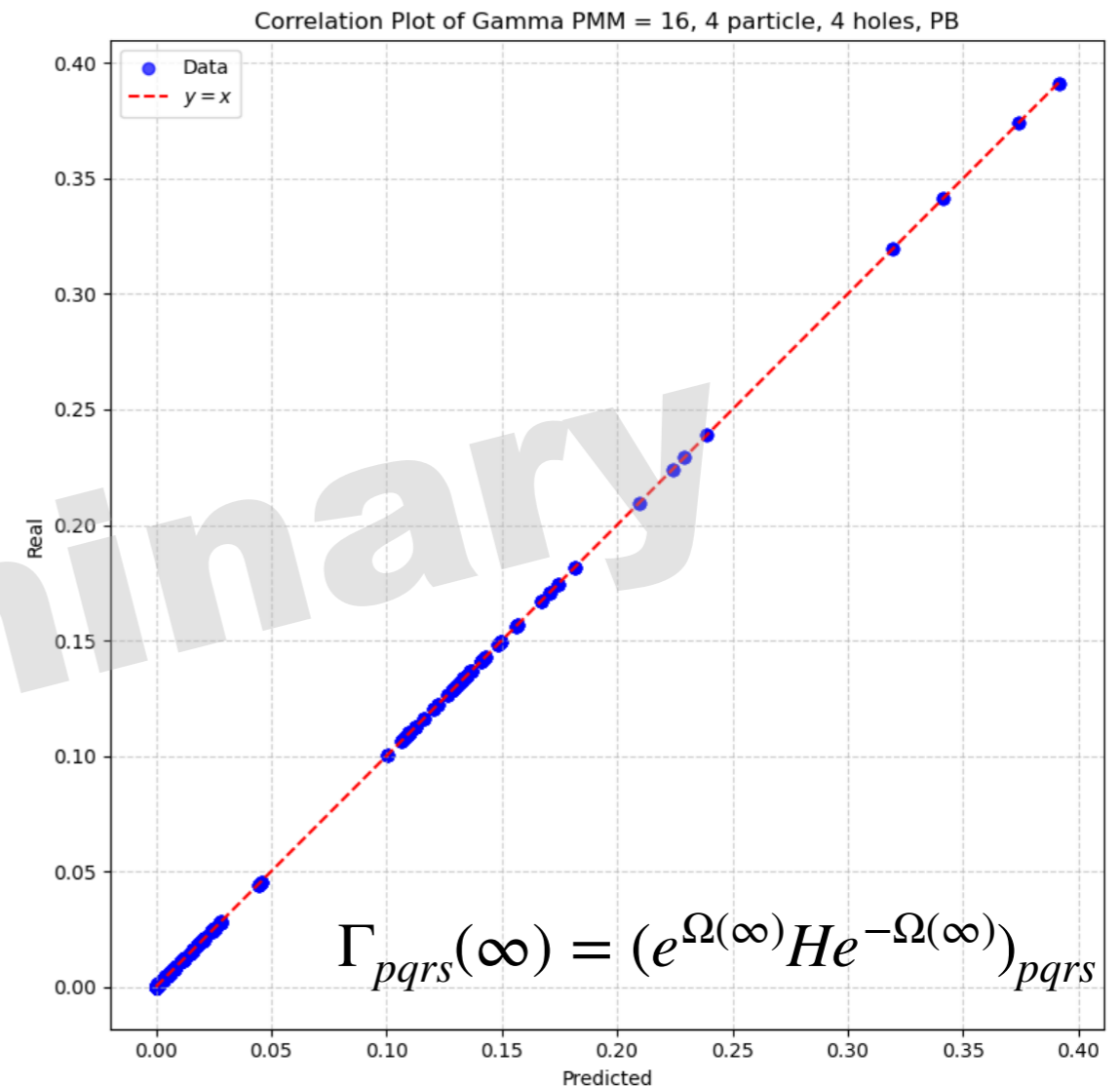
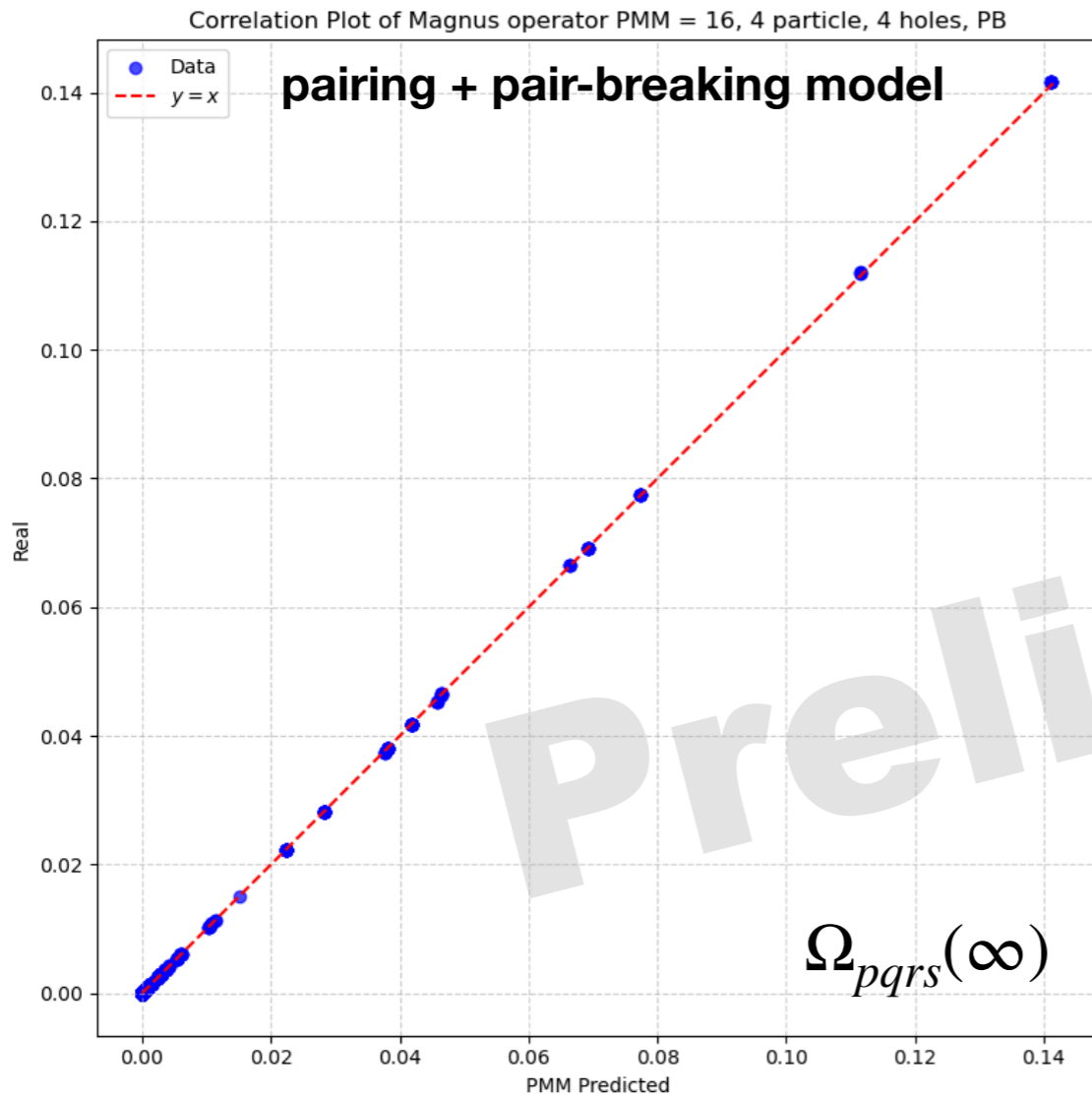


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Where Do We Go From Here?



# What Is Next?



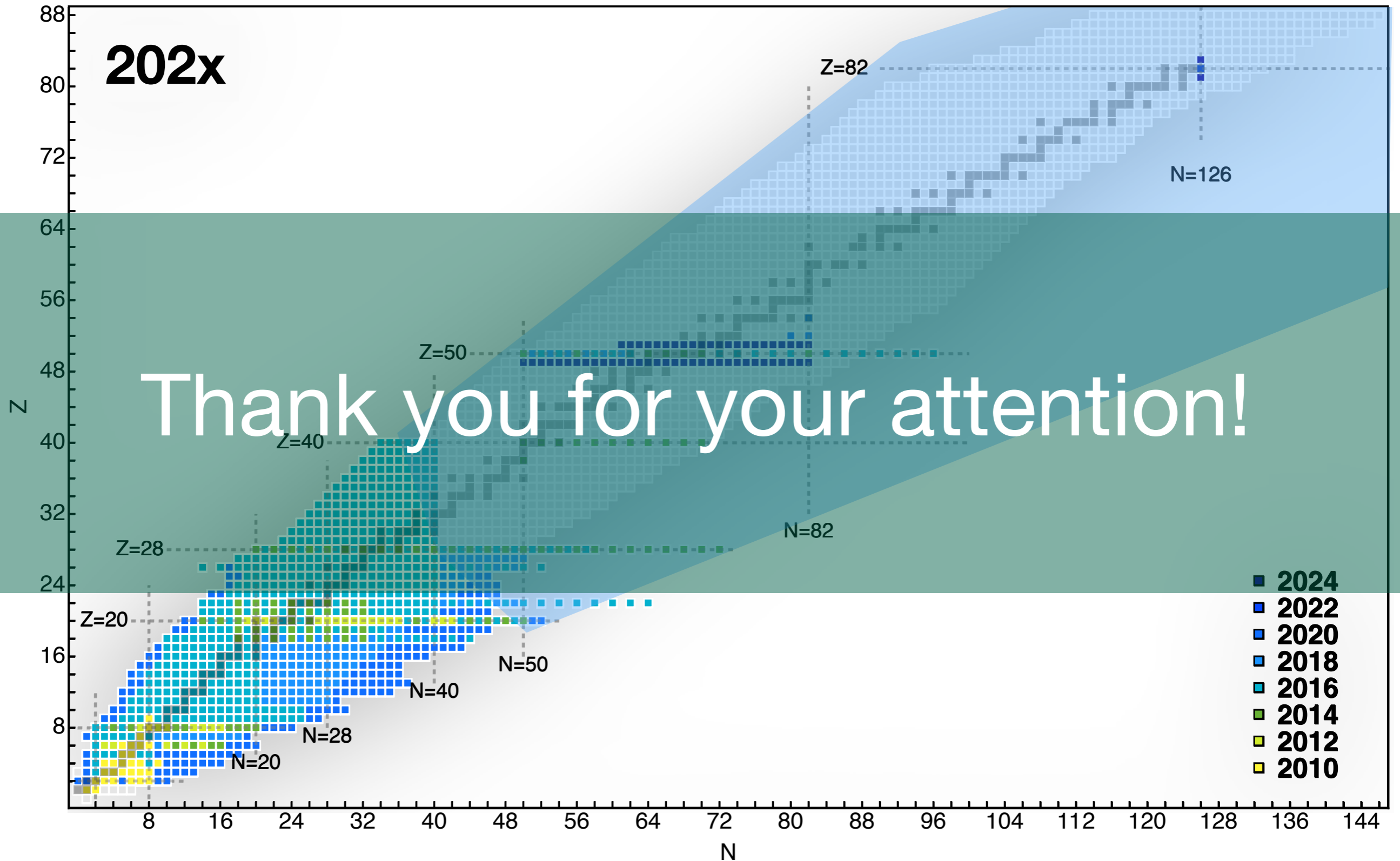
- **improved truncations:** (MR-)IMSRG(3) + factorized approximations, tailored operator bases
- **accelerate IMSRG & IM-GCM**
  - (random) **compression & tensor factorization**
  - model reduction for **projection / GCM kernels ?**
- **uncertainty quantification / sensitivity analysis**
  - emulator development, Parametric Matrix Models, ...
- **applications**
  - working on requests from multiple experimental groups
  - clear observables relevant for BSM physics (beta for CKM unitarity, Schiff moments, ...)

**also see talk  
by P. Geysers**

# Progress in *Ab Initio* Calculations



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



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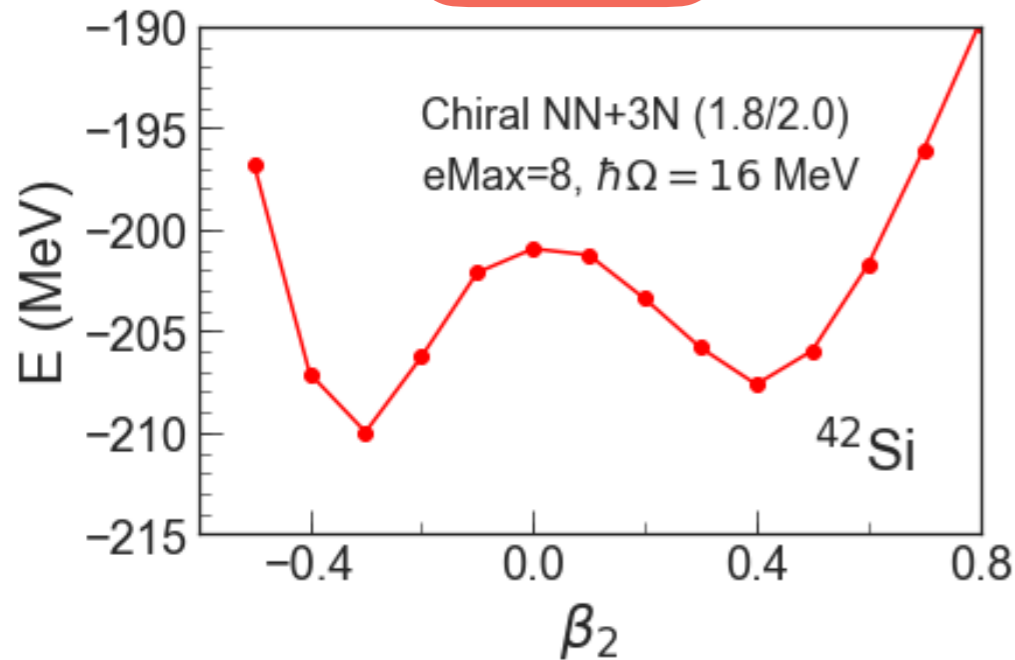


# Supplements

# Projected GCM



**HFB**  
Generate  
reference state



Take into account static correlations (pairing, deformation) via symmetry breaking.

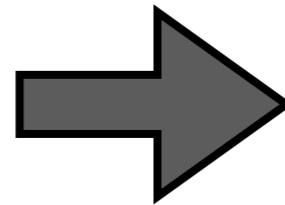
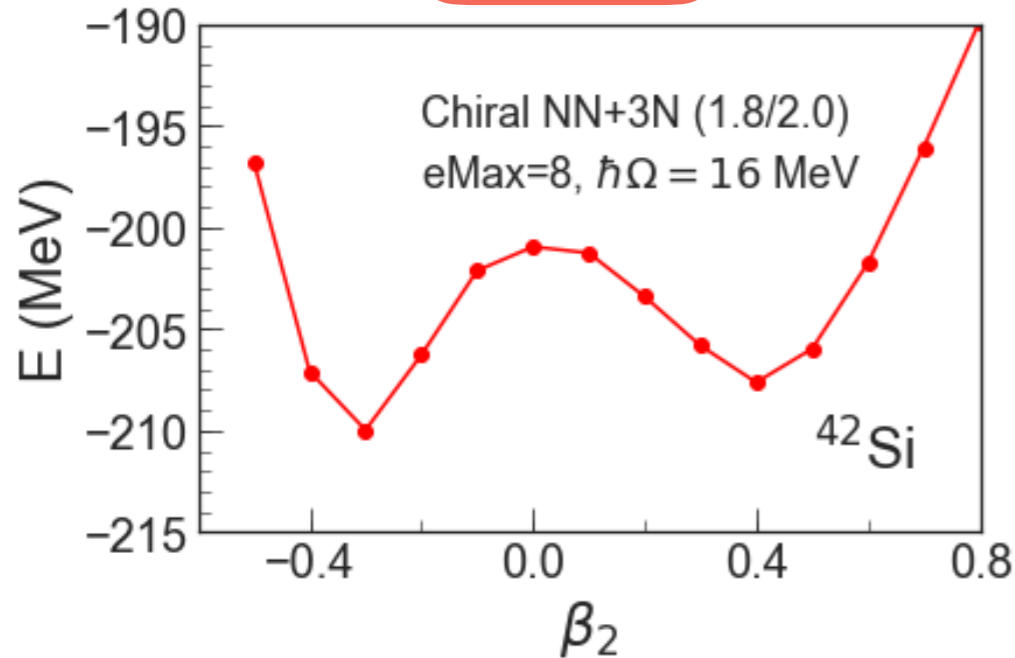
$$\frac{\langle \text{HFB}(\mathbf{q}) | \hat{H} | \text{HFB}(\mathbf{q}) \rangle}{\langle \text{HFB}(\mathbf{q}) | \text{HFB}(\mathbf{q}) \rangle}$$

Potential Energy Surface

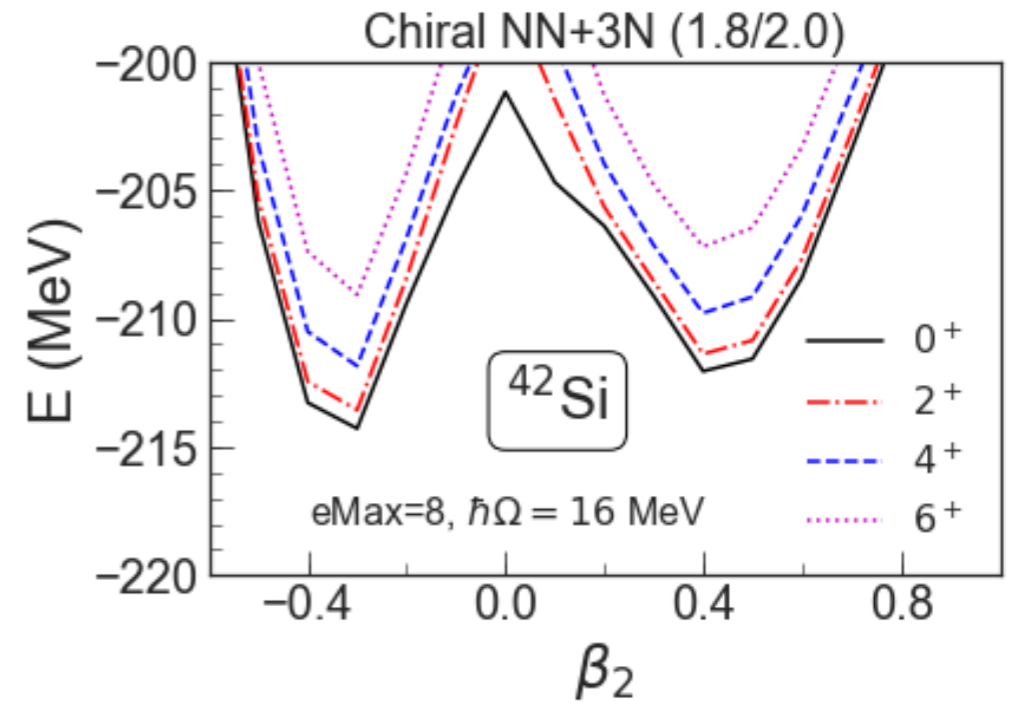
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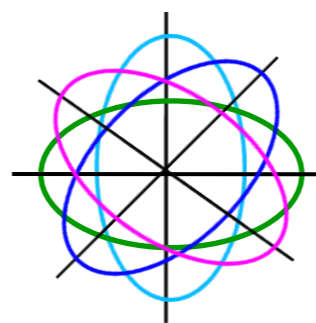


**Projection**  
Compute  
different kernels



particle-number projector

$$\hat{P}_{N_0} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi_N \underbrace{e^{-i\phi_N N_0}}_{\text{weight}} \underbrace{e^{i\phi_N \hat{N}}}_{\text{rotation in gauge space}}$$



angular-momentum restoration operator

$$\hat{P}_{MK}^J = \frac{2J+1}{16\pi^2} \int_0^{4\pi} d\alpha \int_0^\pi d\beta \sin(\beta) \int_0^{2\pi} d\gamma \underbrace{\mathcal{D}_{MK}^*(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)}_{\text{Wigner function}} \underbrace{\hat{R}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)}_{\text{rotation in real space}}$$

$$|\Phi^{JNZ}(\mathbf{q})\rangle = \hat{P}_{MK}^J \hat{P}_{N_0} \hat{P}_{Z_0} |\mathbf{q}\rangle$$

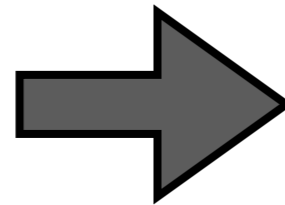
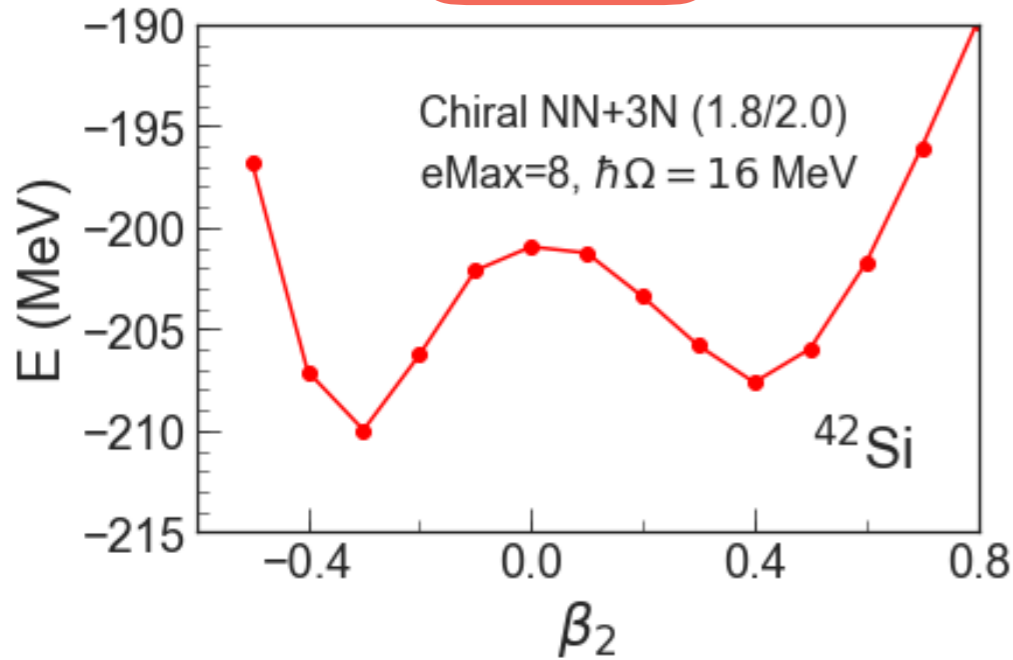
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[slides by **J. M. Yao**]

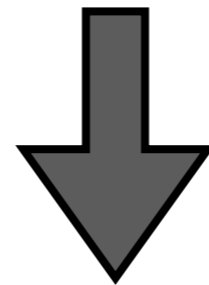
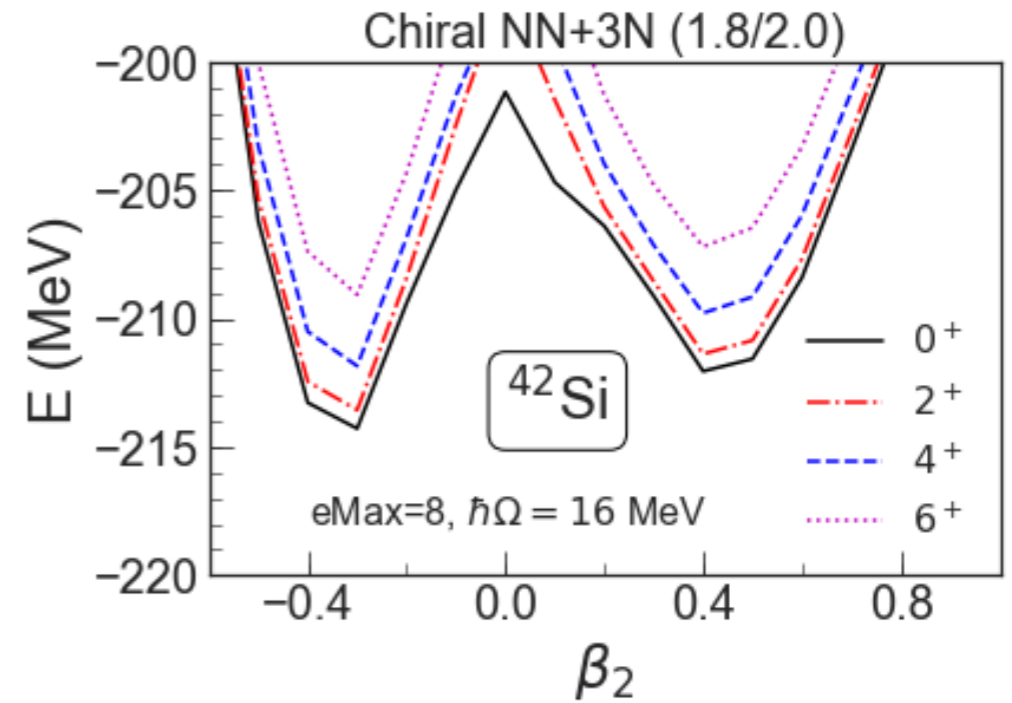
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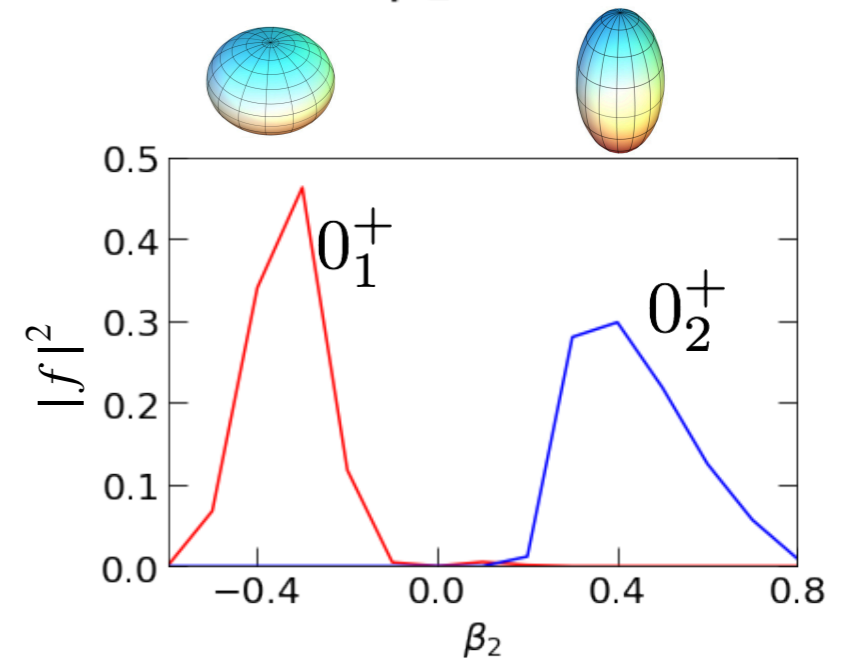
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$$|\Phi\rangle = \sum_{\mathbf{q}} f^J(\mathbf{q}) |\Phi^{JNZ}(\mathbf{q})\rangle$$

$$\sum_{\mathbf{q}_b} [\mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{q}_a, \mathbf{q}_b}^J - E_{\alpha}^J \mathcal{N}_{\mathbf{q}_a, \mathbf{q}_b}^J] f_{\alpha}^J(\mathbf{q}_b) = 0$$

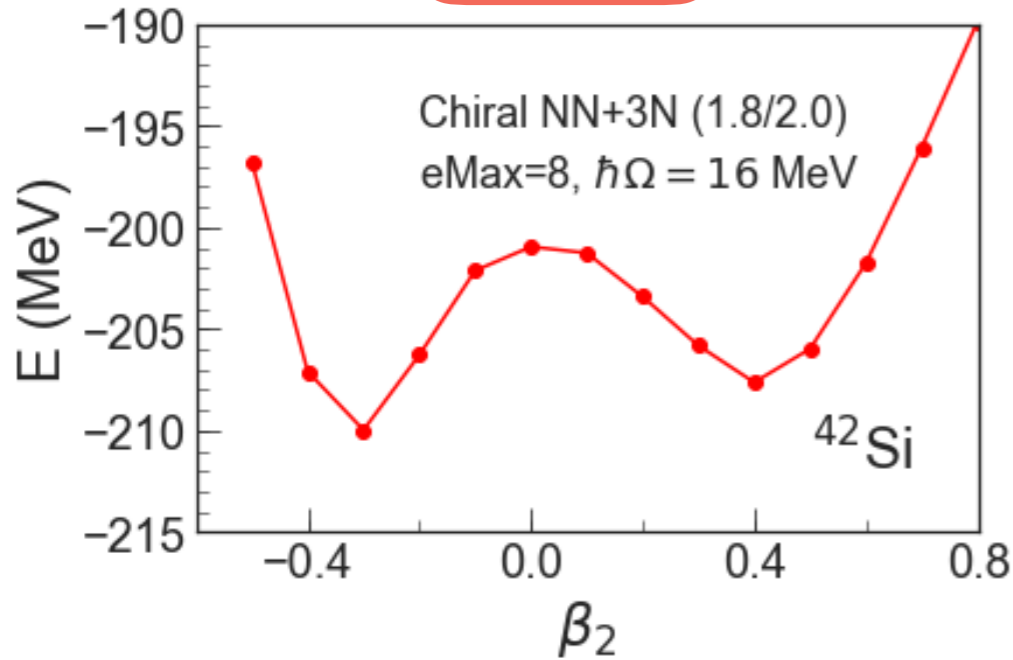
**GCM**  
Solve  
Hill-Wheeler equation



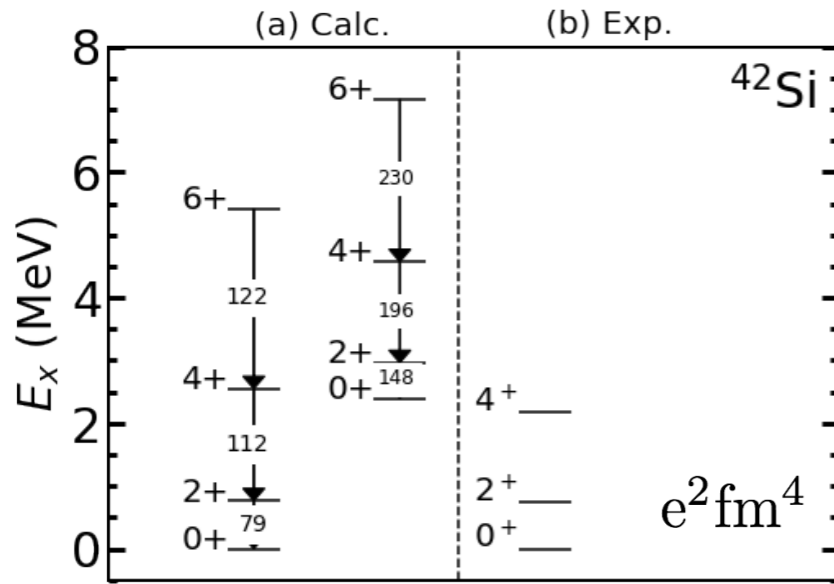
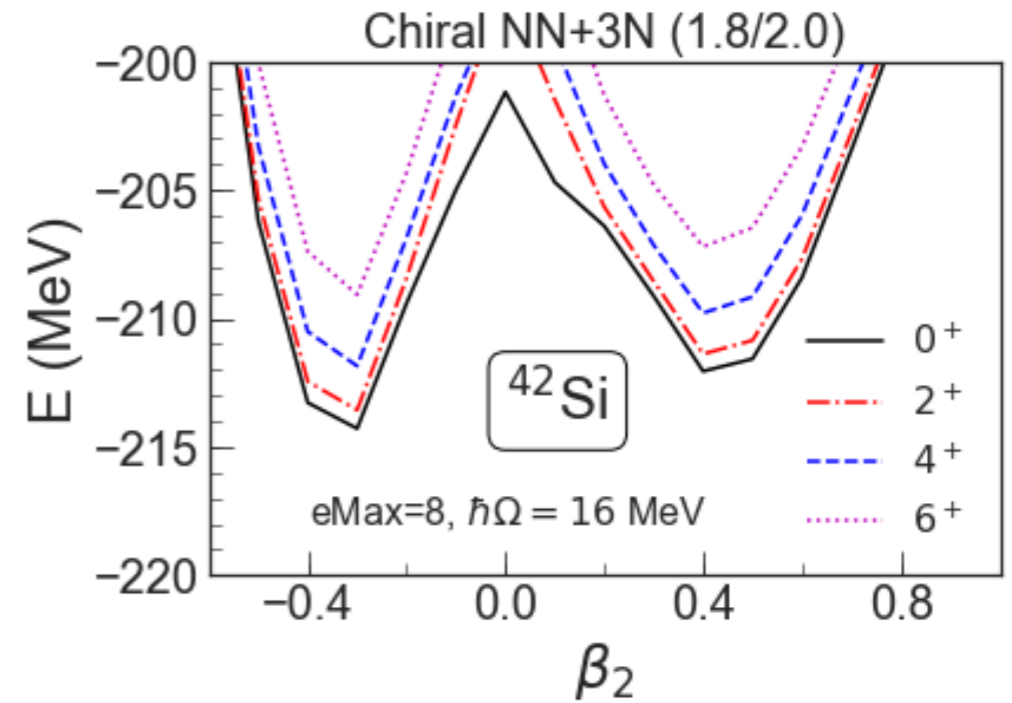
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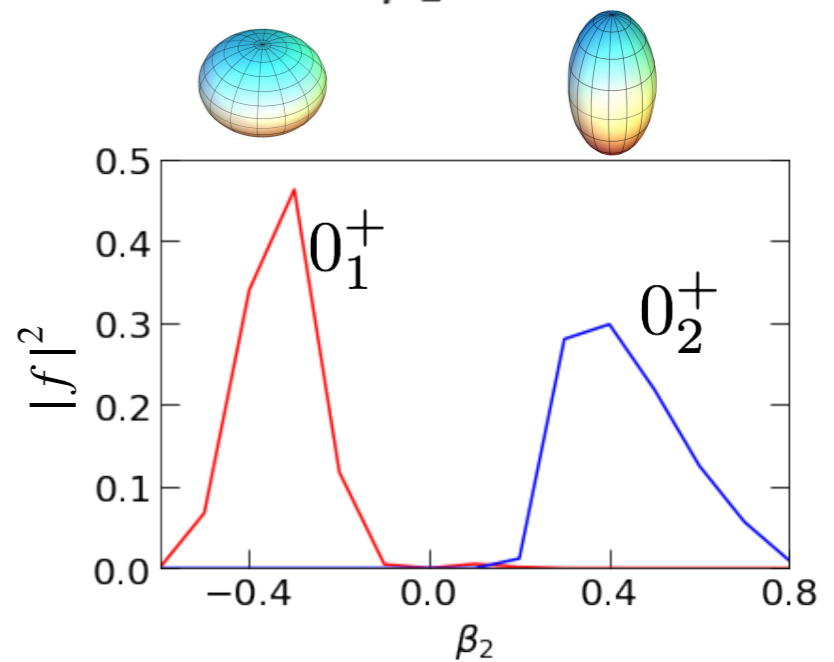
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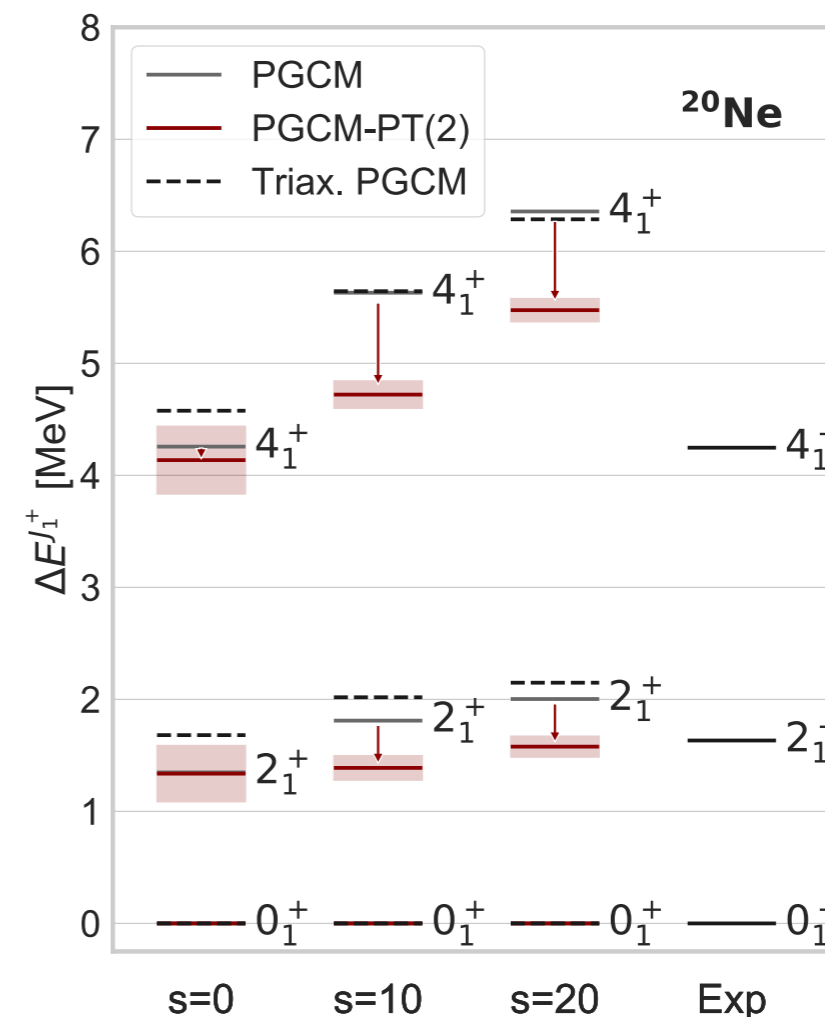
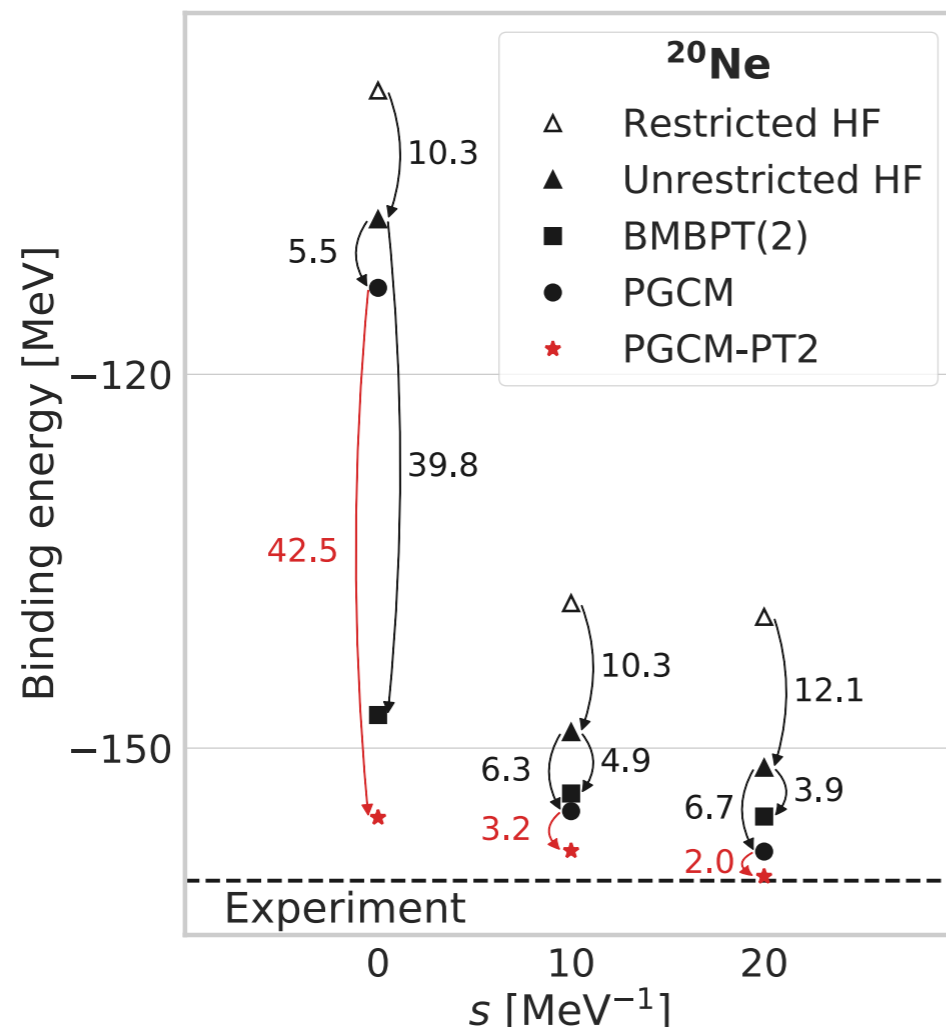
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# Perturbative Enhancement of IM-GCM

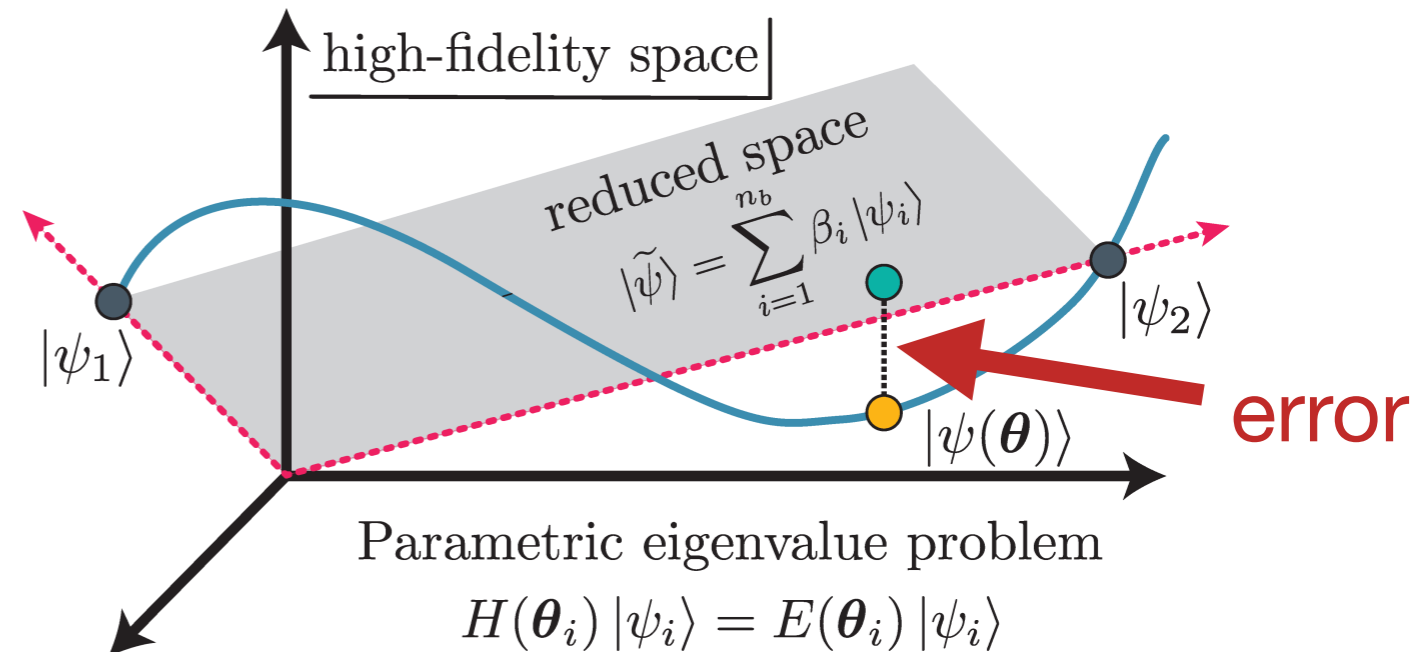
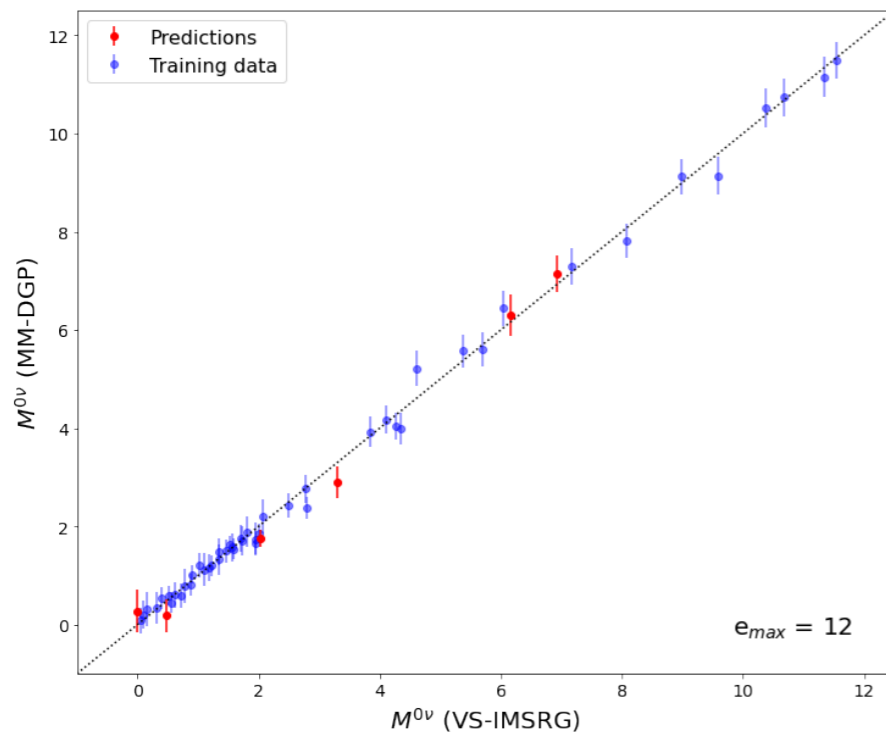


M. Frosini et al., EPJA 58, 64 (2022)



- $s$ -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

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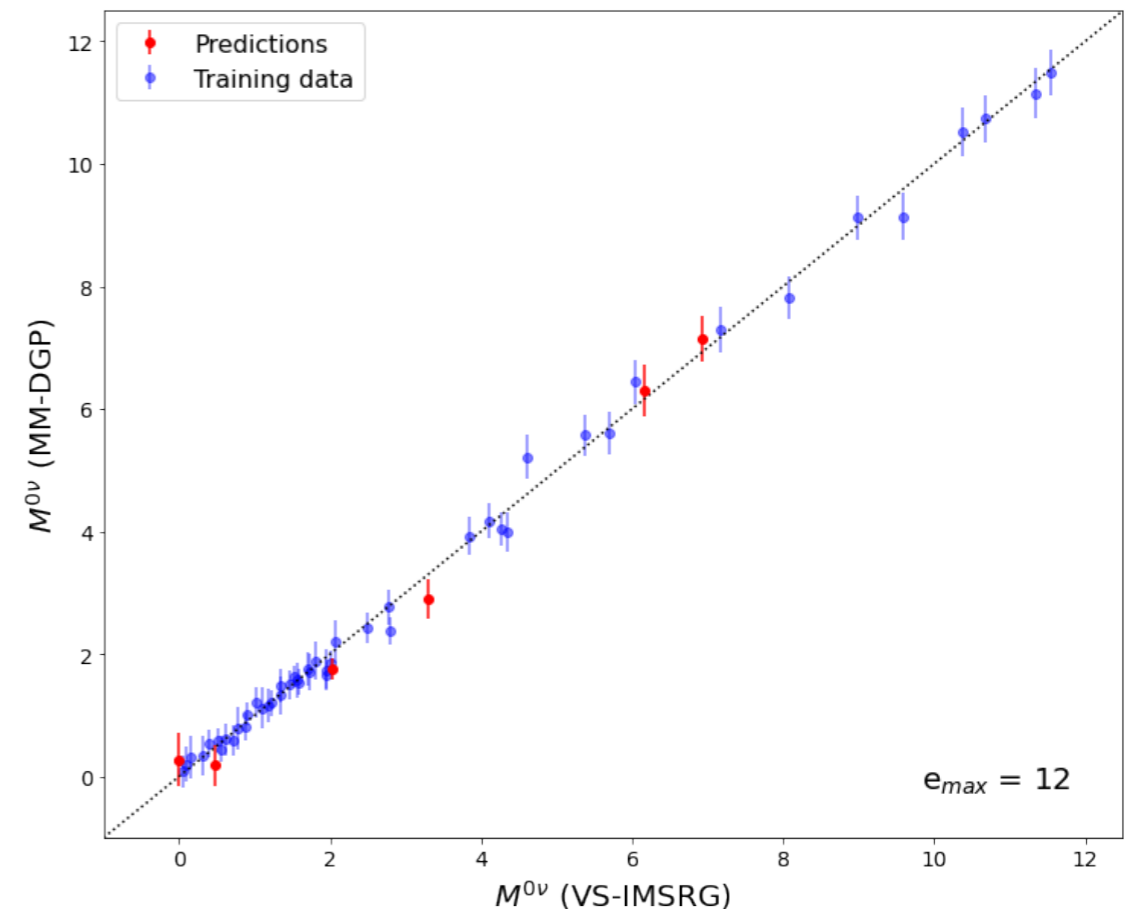
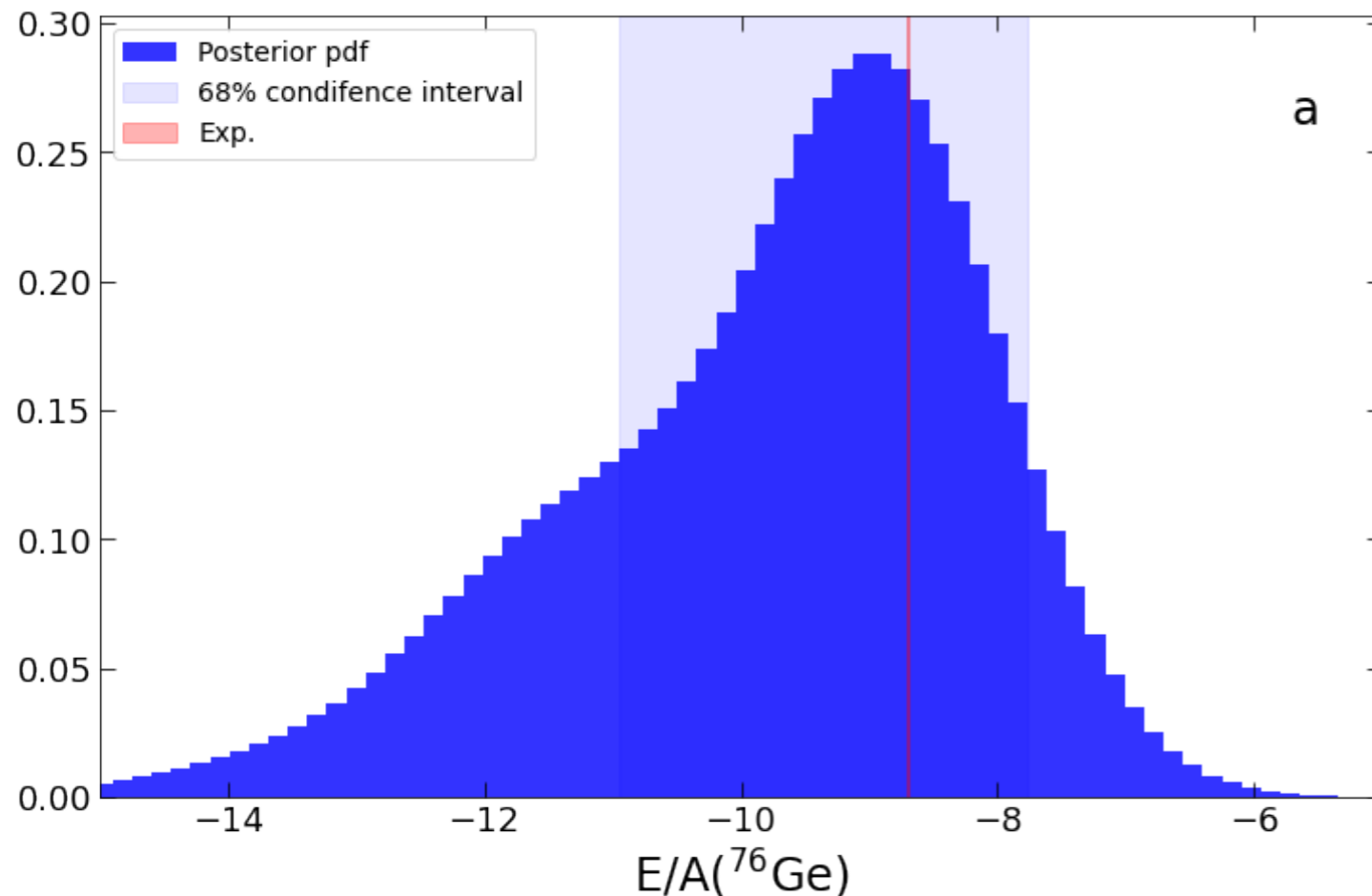
- **Data driven** (only expectation values)
- E.g. Multi-output, Multi-fidelity **Deep Gaussian Processes (MM-DGP)**

- **Physics driven** reduced-order models (ROMs)
- E.g., **Galerkin projection** for bound-state or scattering wave functions

# Emulating Data ( $^{76}\text{Ge}$ NMEs)



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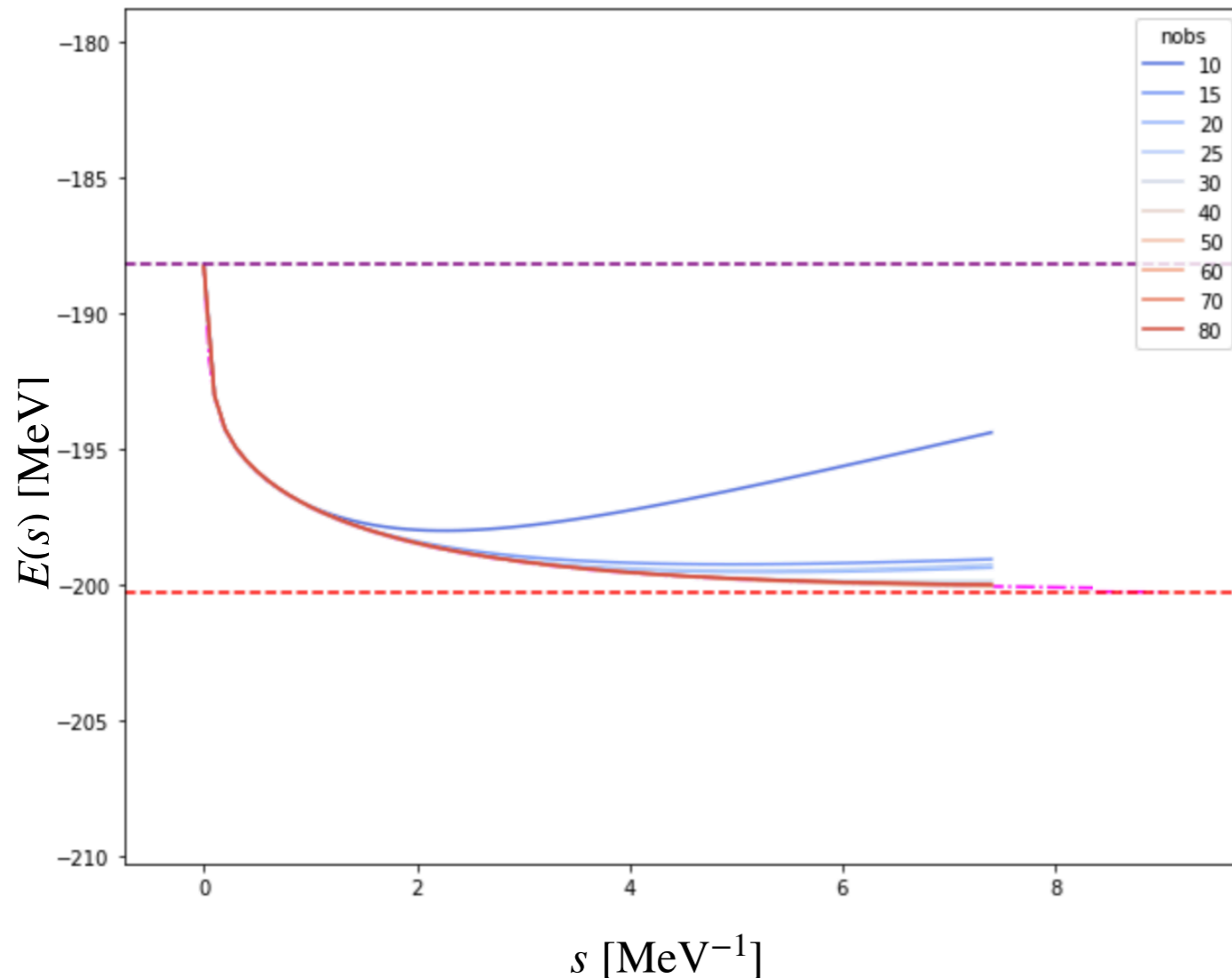
- **Deep Gaussian Process** emulator for observables (**purely data-driven**)
- **8818 non-implausible  $\Delta$ -full NNLO NN+3N interactions** (cf. neutron skin study) + EM1.8/2.0 & family,  $\Delta\text{NNLO}_{\text{GO}}$ , ...

# 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.  $H_{\text{IMSRG}}(s)$

$s = 5.25$

