Doubly Magic Drip-line Nucleus ⁴⁸Si — Novel Phenomena & New Physics —

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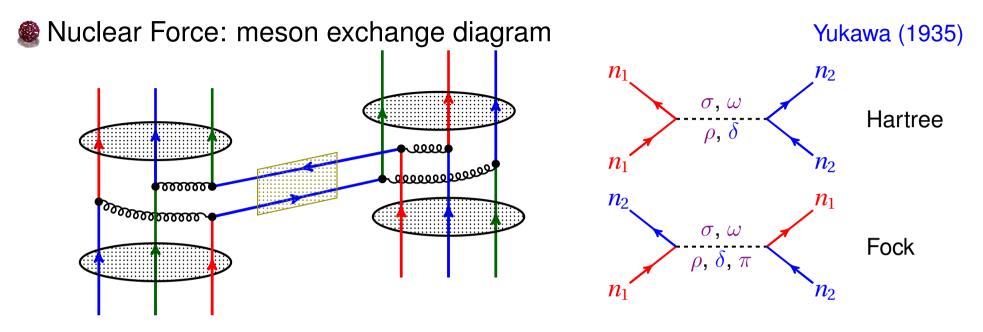
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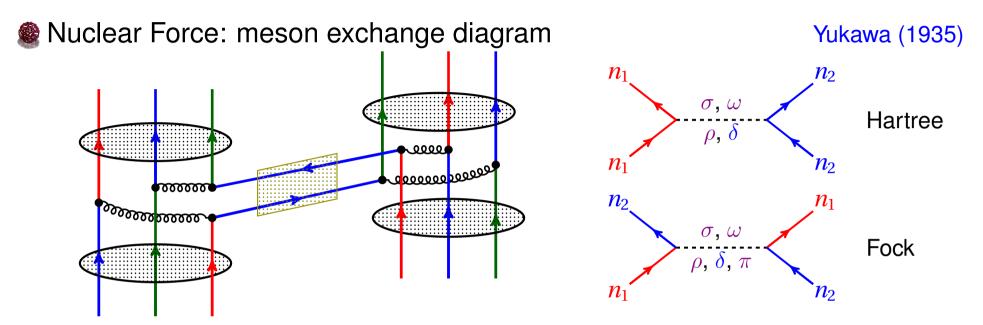
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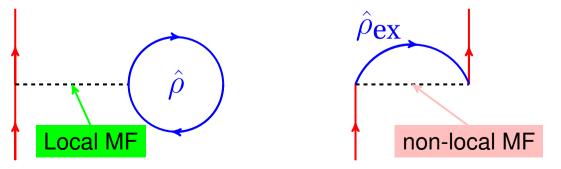
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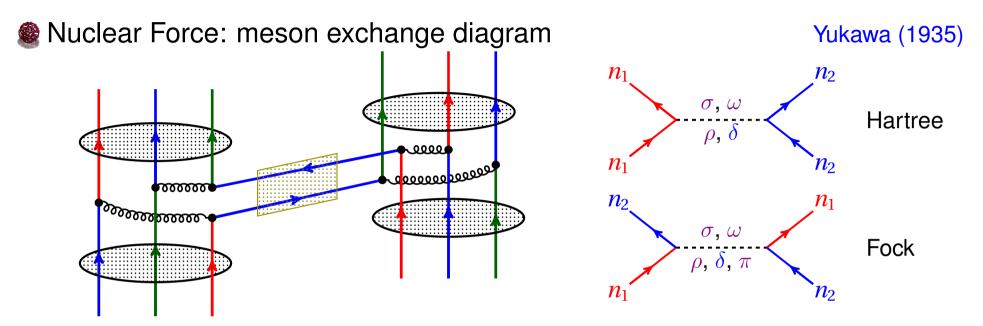


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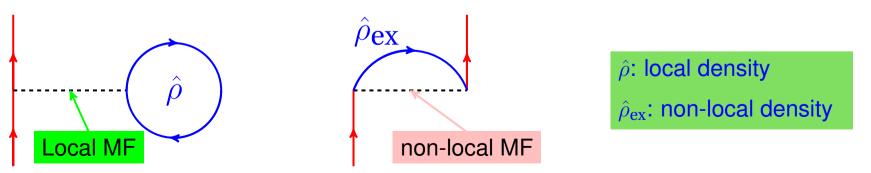


 $\hat{\rho}$: local density $\hat{\rho}_{ex}$: non-local density

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Complicated nuclear in-medium effects: non-perturbative nuclear force?

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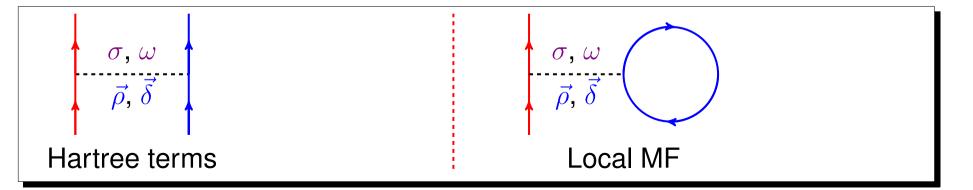
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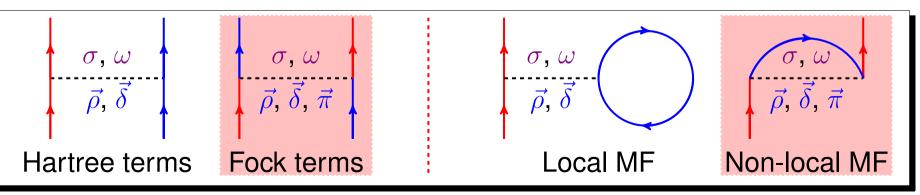
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CDF theory with Fock terms: relativistic Hartree-Fock (RHF) theory
 Bouyssy (1987), Bernardos (1993), Shi (1995), Marcos (2004), Long (2006-2010).

Maintain the advantages of RMF theory, and include the tensor force naturally.

Regional Fock terms are not easy to handle.

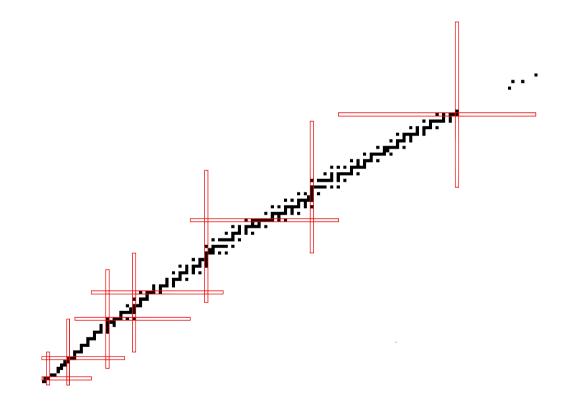


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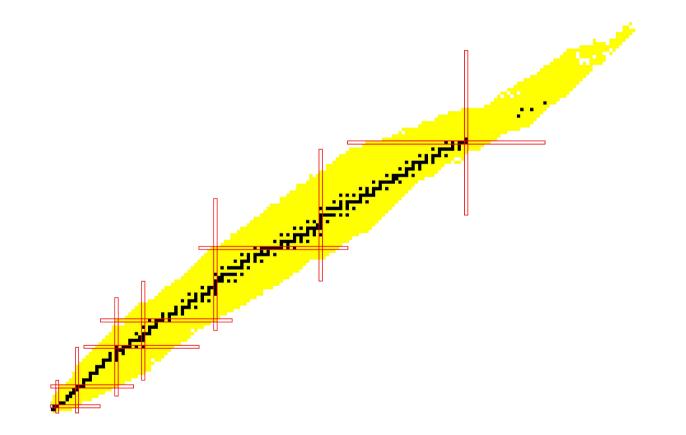
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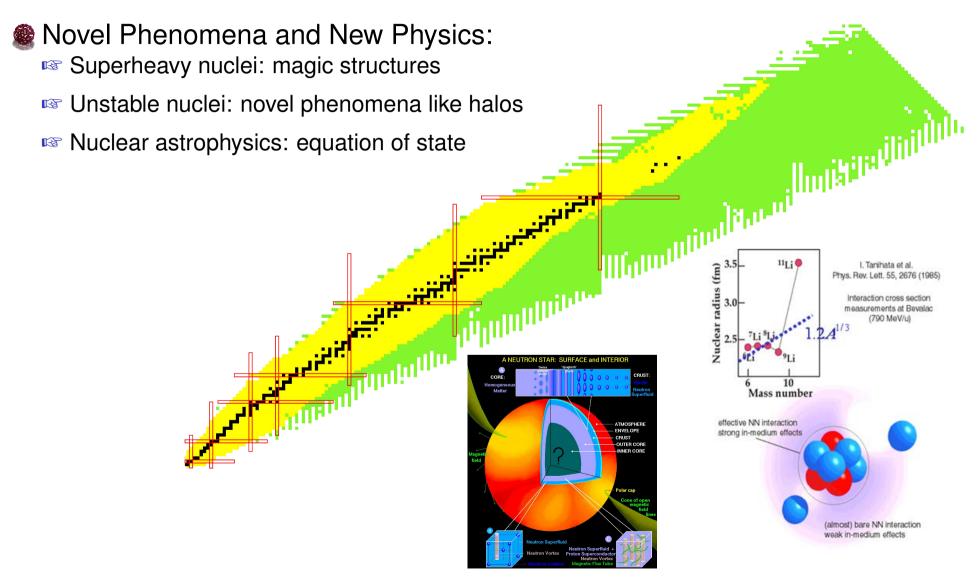
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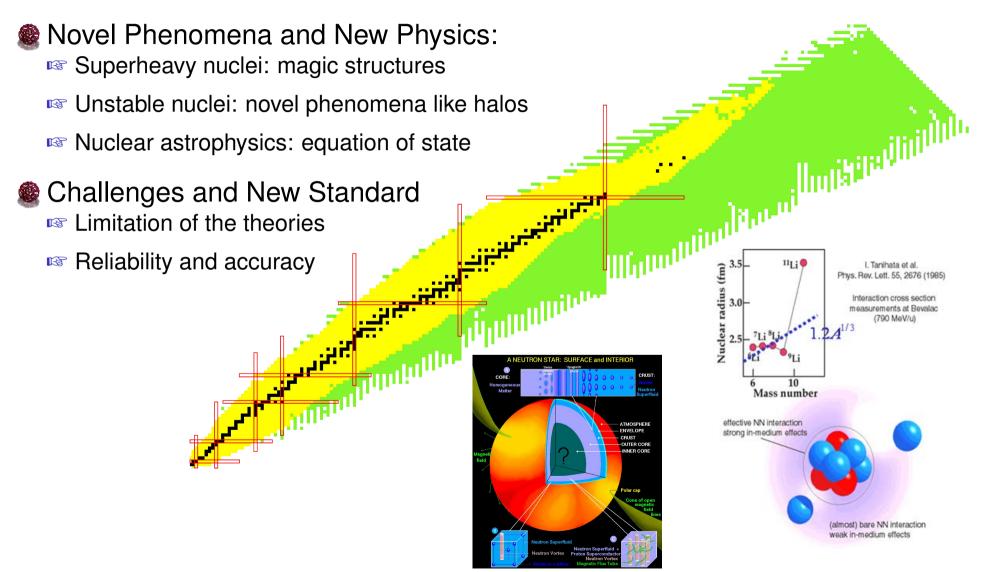
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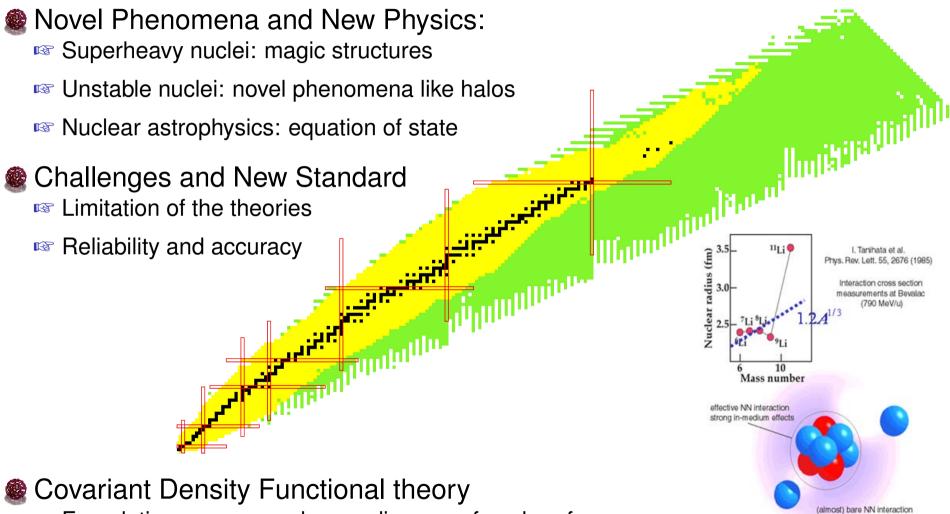
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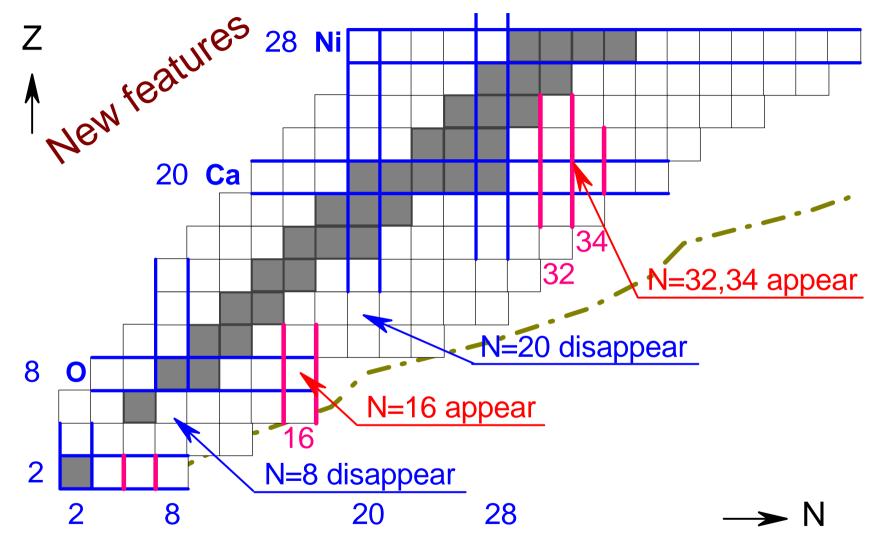


Foundation: meson exchange diagram of nuclear force

Reliability: relativity and spirit of density functional theory

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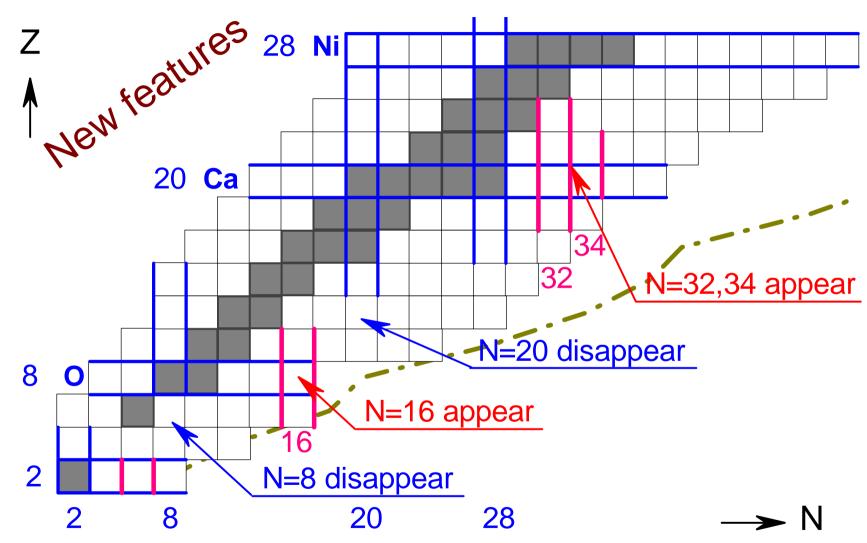
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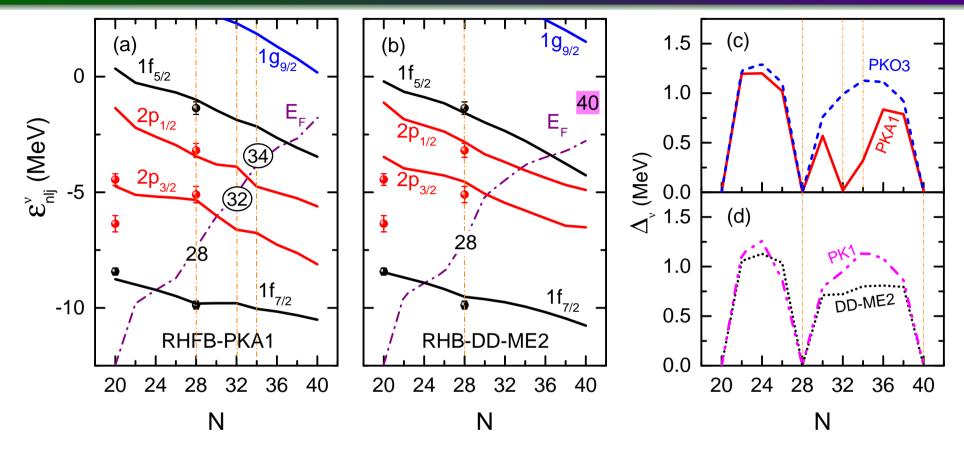
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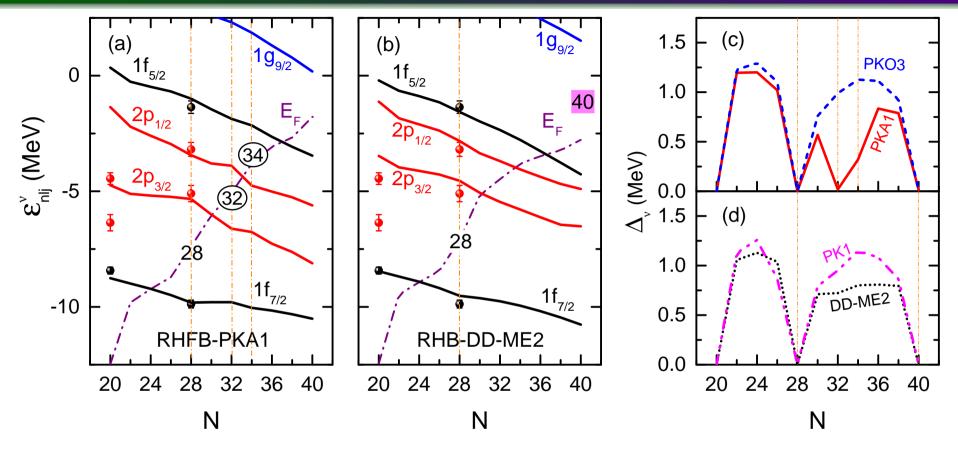
Mechanism in determining magic structures: tensor force?

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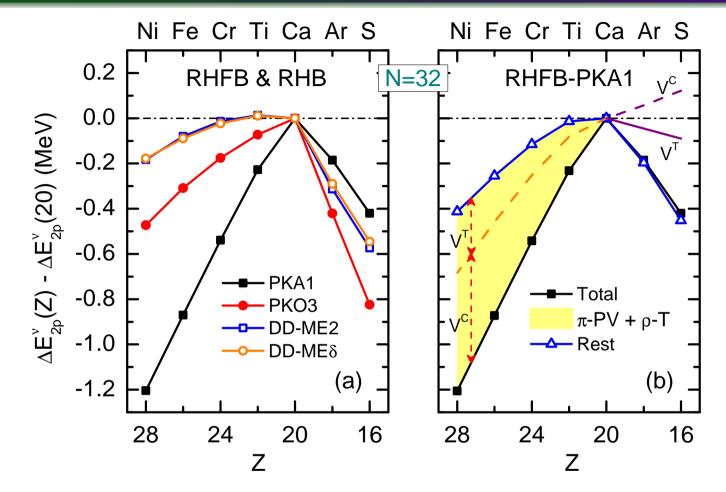


There are four doubly magic nuclei among Ca isotopes: ⁴⁰Ca, ⁴⁸Ca, ⁵²Ca, ⁵⁴Ca. In addition, ³⁴Ca could be also another potential one.

RHFB+PKA1 can well reproduce the magicity at N = 32 & 34, which shows the reliability of the model.

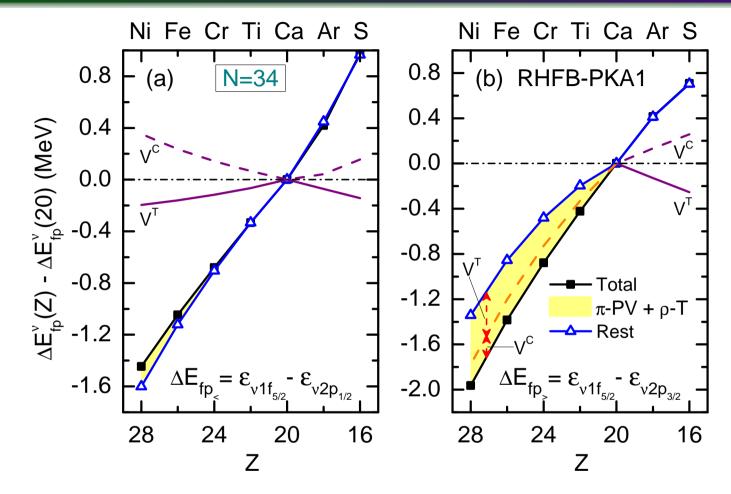
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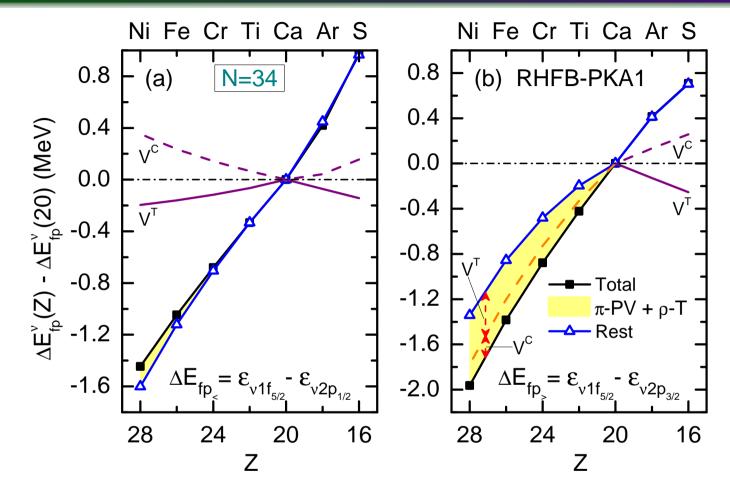
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It remains some mystery on the physics that triggers the N = 34 shell.

New drip-line magic nucleus: ⁴⁸Si

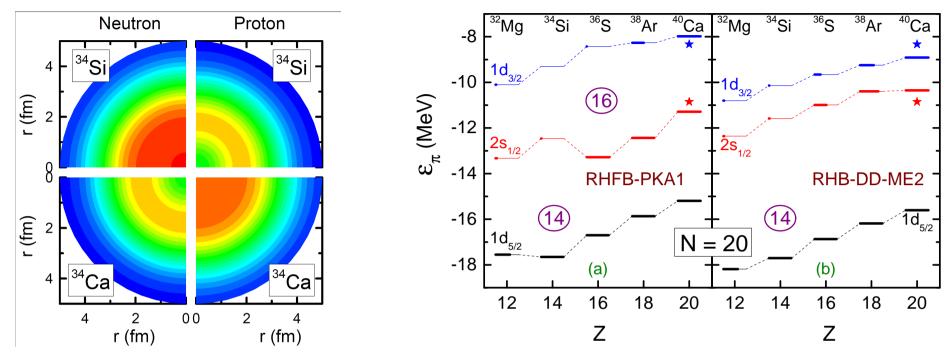
Table 1: Energy gap corresponding to N = 32 & 34 in the Ni, Ca and Si isotopes. Results are provided by the calculations with RHFB-PKA1, RHFB-PKO3 and RHB-DD-ME2 models.

Force	$\Delta E({\it i},{\it i'})$	N	Ni	Ca	Si
PKA1	$(\nu 2p_{1/2}, \nu 2p_{3/2})$	32	1.51	2.72	0.81
	$(\nu 1 f_{5/2}, \nu 2 p_{1/2})$	34	1.04	2.60	4.3
PKO3	$(\nu 2p_{1/2}, \nu 2p_{3/2})$	32	1.22	1.69	0.68
	$(\nu 1 f_{5/2}, \nu 2 p_{1/2})$	34	-1.72	0.77	2.72
DD-ME2	$(\nu 2p_{1/2}, \nu 2p_{3/2})$	32	1.58	1.76	0.92
	$(\nu 1 f_{5/2}, \nu 2 p_{1/2})$	34	-1.23	1.21	3.18

- Solution For ^{52,54}Ca, only PKA1 shows distinct shells N = 32 & 34, whereas for ⁶⁰Ni and ⁴⁶Si the models present similar values of $\Delta_{\nu 2p}$.
- Solution For ⁴⁸Si: all the models shows distinct shell N = 34, and therefore ⁴⁸Si can be referred as the new magic drip-line nucleus.

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Bubble structure predicted in ³⁴Si & ³⁴Ca

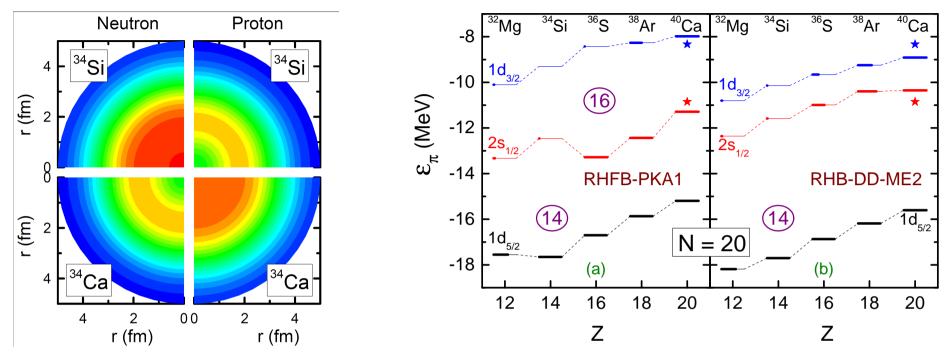


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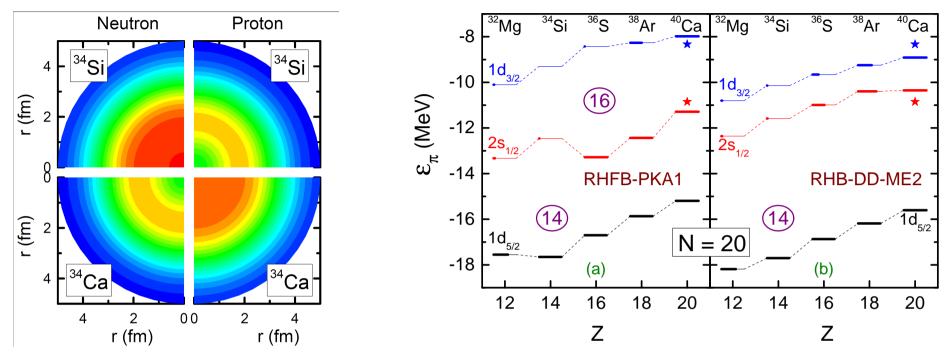
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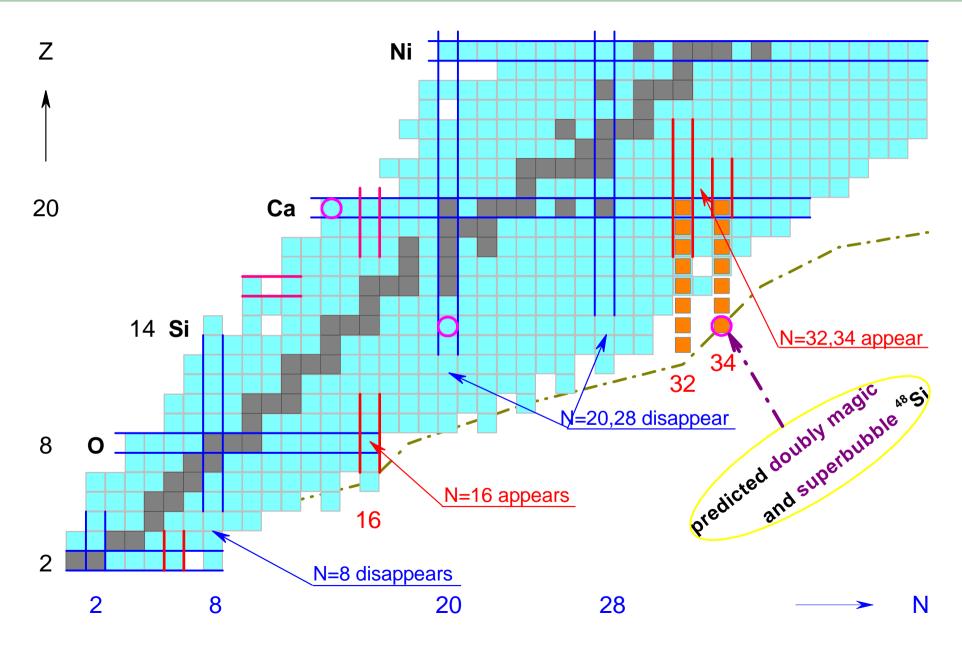
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Does the proton bubble structure still remain in ⁴⁸Si?

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Studying Object: ⁴⁸Si



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RHF Hamiltonian

Effective Hamiltonian for nuclei:
$$\phi = \sigma$$
-S; ω -V, A-V, ρ -V; ρ -VT, ρ -T; π -PV

$$H = \int d\mathbf{x} \ \bar{\psi} \left(-i\boldsymbol{\gamma}.\boldsymbol{\nabla} + M\right)\psi + \frac{1}{2} \int d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{x}' \bar{\psi}(\mathbf{x}) \bar{\psi}(\mathbf{x}') \Gamma_{\phi} D^{\phi} \psi(\mathbf{x}') \psi(\mathbf{x})$$

Solution Types of the interaction: $\Gamma_{\phi}(x, x')$

$$\Gamma_{\sigma-\mathsf{S}} \equiv -g_{\sigma}(x)g_{\sigma}(x'), \qquad \Gamma_{A-\mathsf{V}} \equiv \frac{e^2}{4} \left[\gamma_{\mu} \left(1-\tau_3\right)\right]_x \left[\gamma^{\mu} \left(1-\tau_3\right)\right]_{x'}, \qquad (1)$$

$$\Gamma_{\omega-\mathbf{V}} \equiv (\mathbf{g}_{\omega}\gamma_{\mu})_{\mathbf{x}} (\mathbf{g}_{\omega}\gamma^{\mu})_{\mathbf{x}'}, \qquad \Gamma_{\pi-\mathbf{PV}} \equiv \frac{-1}{m_{\pi}^2} (f_{\pi}\vec{\tau}\gamma_5\gamma_{\mu}\partial^{\mu})_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot (f_{\pi}\vec{\tau}\gamma_5\gamma_{\nu}\partial^{\nu})_{\mathbf{x}'}, \quad (\mathbf{2})$$

$$\Gamma_{\rho-\mathsf{V}} \equiv (g_{\rho}\gamma_{\mu}\vec{\tau})_{x} \cdot (g_{\rho}\gamma^{\mu}\vec{\tau})_{x'}, \qquad \Gamma_{\rho-\mathsf{T}} \equiv \frac{1}{4M^{2}} \left(f_{\rho}\sigma_{\nu k}\vec{\tau}\partial^{k}\right)_{x} \cdot \left(f_{\rho}\sigma^{\nu l}\vec{\tau}\partial_{l}\right)_{x'}, \quad (3)$$

$$\Gamma_{\rho}\text{-}\mathsf{VT} \equiv \frac{1}{2M} \left(f_{\rho} \sigma^{k\nu} \vec{\tau} \partial_k \right)_x \cdot \left(g_{\rho} \gamma_{\nu} \vec{\tau} \right)_{x'} + \left(g_{\rho} \gamma_{\nu} \vec{\tau} \right)_x \cdot \frac{1}{2M} \left(f_{\rho} \sigma^{k\nu} \vec{\tau} \partial_k \right)_{x'}$$
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 $\{\varepsilon_k > 0, c_k, c_k^{\dagger} \text{ (Fermi sea}); \varepsilon_l < 0, c_l, c_l^{\dagger} \text{ (Dirac sea}) \}$

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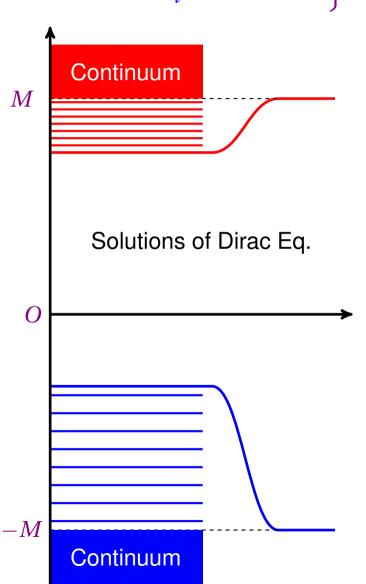
Ground state with no-sea approximation

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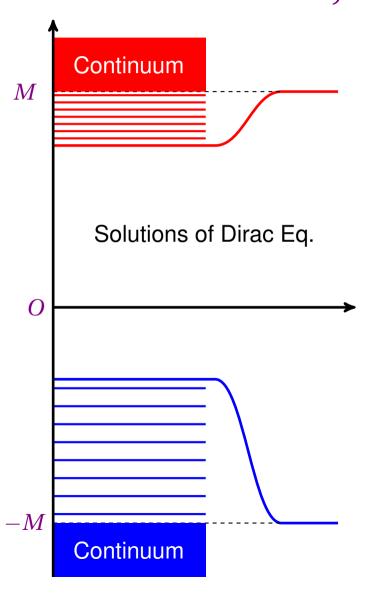
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$$V_{\phi} = \frac{1}{2} \int d\mathbf{x} d\mathbf{x}' \sum_{\alpha\beta;\alpha'\beta'} c^{\dagger}_{\alpha} c^{\dagger}_{\beta} c_{\beta'} c_{\alpha'}$$
 Fock
 $\times \bar{\psi}_{\alpha}(\mathbf{x}) \bar{\psi}_{\beta}(\mathbf{x}') \Gamma_{\phi} D_{\phi} \psi_{\beta'}(\mathbf{x}') \psi_{\alpha'}(\mathbf{x})$



Spherical RHF equation

@ Variation of RHF energy functional E: integro-differential Dirac Eq.

$$\int d\mathbf{r}' h(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \psi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}') = \varepsilon_a \psi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}), \qquad \psi_{\alpha}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{r} \begin{pmatrix} i G_a \mathcal{Y}_{j_a m_a}^{l_a}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}) \\ -F_a \mathcal{Y}_{j_a m_a}^{l_a'}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}) \end{pmatrix}$$
(6)

where $\mathcal{Y}_{jm}^{l} = \sum_{\mu\sigma} C_{l\mu\frac{1}{2}\sigma}^{jm} Y_{l\mu}\chi_{\frac{1}{2}\sigma}$, single-particle Hamiltonian $h = h^{\text{kin}} + h^{\text{D}} + h^{\text{E}}$:

$$h^{\rm kin}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') = [\boldsymbol{\alpha}.\boldsymbol{p} + \beta M] \,\delta(\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}'), \tag{7a}$$

$$h^{\mathrm{D}}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') = \left[\Sigma_{T}(\boldsymbol{r})\gamma_{5} + \Sigma_{0}(\boldsymbol{r}) + \beta\Sigma_{S}(\boldsymbol{r}) \right] \delta(\boldsymbol{r} - \boldsymbol{r}'),$$
(7b)
$$h^{\mathrm{E}}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') = \begin{pmatrix} Y_{G}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') & Y_{F}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') \\ X_{G}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') & X_{F}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') \end{pmatrix}$$
(7c)

@ Local mean fields Σ_{s} , Σ_{0} , and Σ_{T} : functionals of local densities

$$\Sigma_{\rm S} = g_{\sigma}\sigma, \ \Sigma_{\rm T} = \frac{f_{\rho}}{2M} \left(\rho^{\rm VT} + \rho^{\rm T}\right)\tau_3, \ \Sigma_{\rm 0} = g_{\omega}\omega + g_{\rho} \left(\rho^{\rm V} + \rho^{\rm TV}\right)\tau_3 + e\frac{1 - \tau_3}{2}A + \Sigma_{\rm R}$$

Hartree mean fields: σ , ω , ρ^{V} , A, ρ^{TV} and ρ^{VT} , ρ^{T} ; rearrangement term Σ_{R} .

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Exchange (Fock) Potentials

W.H. Long (2010)

Non-local MFs: functionals of the non-local densities

$$\begin{split} X_{G_a}^{(\phi)}(r,r') &= \sum_{b} \mathscr{T}_{ab}^{\phi} \hat{j}_{b}^{2} g_{\phi}(r) g_{\phi}(r') \underline{F_{b}(r) G_{b}(r')} \mathscr{R}_{ab}^{X_{G}}(m_{\phi};r,r'), \\ X_{F_{a}}^{(\phi)}(r,r') &= \sum_{b} \mathscr{T}_{ab}^{\phi} \hat{j}_{b}^{2} g_{\phi}(r) g_{\phi}(r') \underline{F_{b}(r) F_{b}(r')} \mathscr{R}_{ab}^{X_{F}}(m_{\phi};r,r'), \\ Y_{G_{a}}^{(\phi)}(r,r') &= \sum_{b} \mathscr{T}_{ab}^{\phi} \hat{j}_{b}^{2} g_{\phi}(r) g_{\phi}(r') \underline{G_{b}(r) G_{b}(r')} \mathscr{R}_{ab}^{Y_{G}}(m_{\phi};r,r'), \\ Y_{F_{a}}^{(\phi)}(r,r') &= \sum_{b} \mathscr{T}_{ab}^{\phi} \hat{j}_{b}^{2} g_{\phi}(r) g_{\phi}(r') \underline{G_{b}(r) F_{b}(r')} \mathscr{R}_{ab}^{Y_{F}}(m_{\phi};r,r'), \\ \mathscr{T}_{ab}^{\phi} \vdots \delta_{\tau_{a}\tau_{b}} \text{ (isoscalar) and } 2 - \delta_{\tau_{a}\tau_{b}} \text{ (isovector).} \end{split}$$

The underlined terms can be taken as the non-local density component. $\mathscr{T}^{Y_G} = \mathscr{R}^{X_F} = -\mathscr{R}^{Y_F} = -\mathscr{R}^{X_G} = \mathscr{R}^{(\sigma)}$

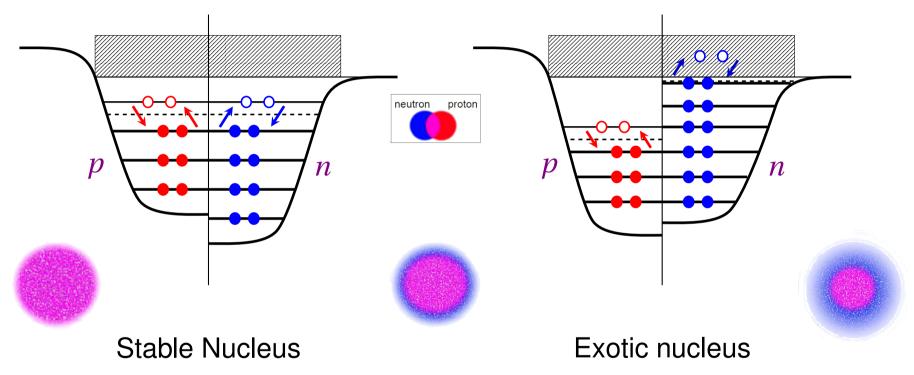
$$\mathscr{R}_{ab}^{(\sigma)}(m_{\sigma};r,r') = \frac{1}{4\pi} \sum_{L}' C_{ja\frac{1}{2}j_{b}-\frac{1}{2}}^{L0} C_{ja\frac{1}{2}j_{b}-\frac{1}{2}}^{L0} R_{LL}(m_{\sigma};r,r').$$
(8)

The prime in Eq. (8) requires $L + l_a + l_b$ be even.

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Unstable nuclei: continuum effects

Unstable exotic nuclei reveal lots of new physics: weakly bound mechanism, continuum, halo, etc.



Bogoliubov scheme: unified treatment of pairing and mean field effects — J. Dobaczewski. NPA 422, 103 (1984); J. Meng, NPA 635, 3 (1998).

Bogoliubov scheme also has the advantages in exploring superheavy nuclei. — J.J. Li, W.H. LONG, J. Margueron, N. Van Giai, PLB 732, 169 (2014).

RHFB theory

Solution: Bogoliubov transformation: particle $\{c_{\alpha}, c_{\alpha}^{\dagger}\}$ \longrightarrow quasi-particle $\{\beta_{\alpha}, \beta_{\alpha}^{\dagger}\}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{c}_{\alpha} \\ \boldsymbol{c}_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{W} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{\alpha} \\ \beta_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_{U} \ \psi_{V}^{*} \\ \psi_{V} \ \psi_{U}^{*} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{\alpha} \\ \beta_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \beta_{\alpha} = \psi_{U}^{\dagger} \boldsymbol{c}_{\alpha} + \psi_{V}^{\dagger} \boldsymbol{c}_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \qquad (9)$$

where ψ_{U} and ψ_{V} quasi-particle spinors, and $\mathcal{W}^{\dagger}\mathcal{W} = 1$.

RHFB Equation: chemical potential λ for preserving the particle number

$$\int d\mathbf{r}' \begin{pmatrix} h(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}') & \Delta(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}') \\ -\Delta(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}') & h(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}') \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_U(\mathbf{r}') \\ \psi_V(\mathbf{r}') \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda + E & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \lambda - E \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_U(\mathbf{r}) \\ \psi_V(\mathbf{r}) \end{pmatrix}$$
(10)

where h is RHF single-particle Hamiltonian and pairing potential Δ reads,

$$\Delta_{\alpha}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\beta} V_{\alpha\beta}^{\boldsymbol{pp}}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') \kappa_{\beta}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}'), \qquad \kappa_{\alpha}(\boldsymbol{r},\boldsymbol{r}') = \psi_{V_{\alpha}}^{*}(\boldsymbol{r})\psi_{U_{\alpha}}(\boldsymbol{r}')$$
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In practice, such integral-differential equation is more convenient to be solved with the help of Dirac Woods-Saxon Basis.

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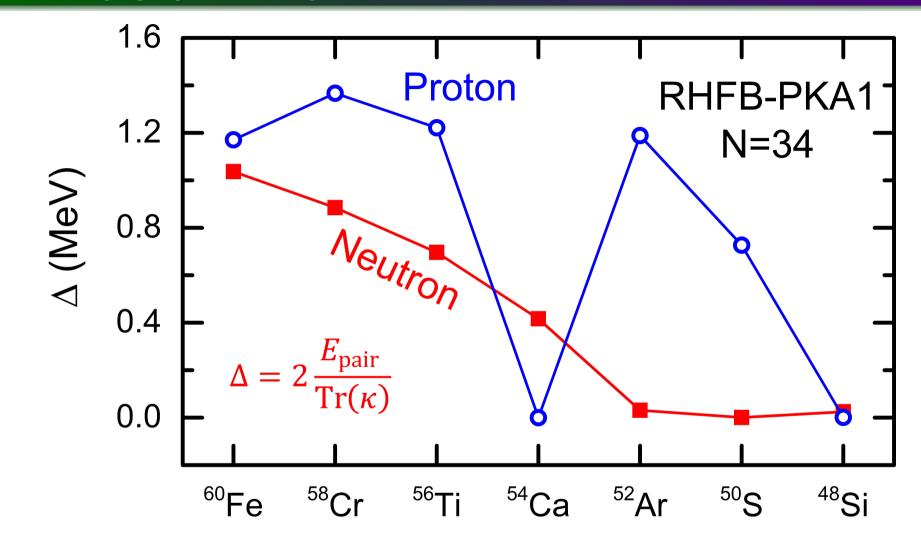
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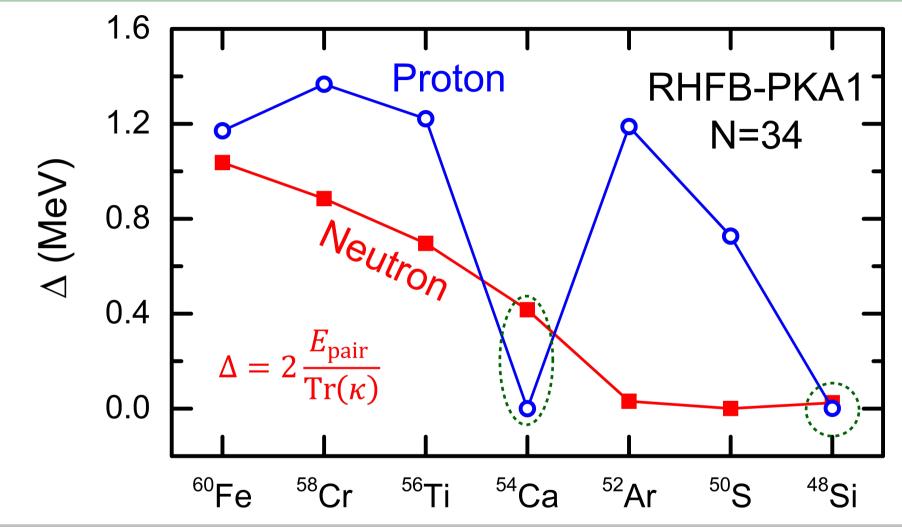
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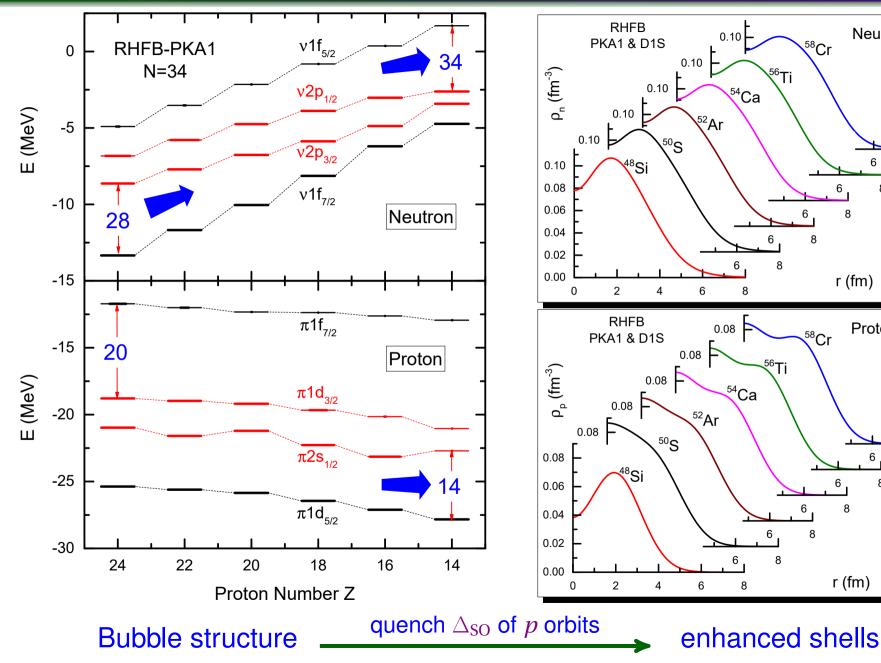


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Magicity and Bubbles



Neutron

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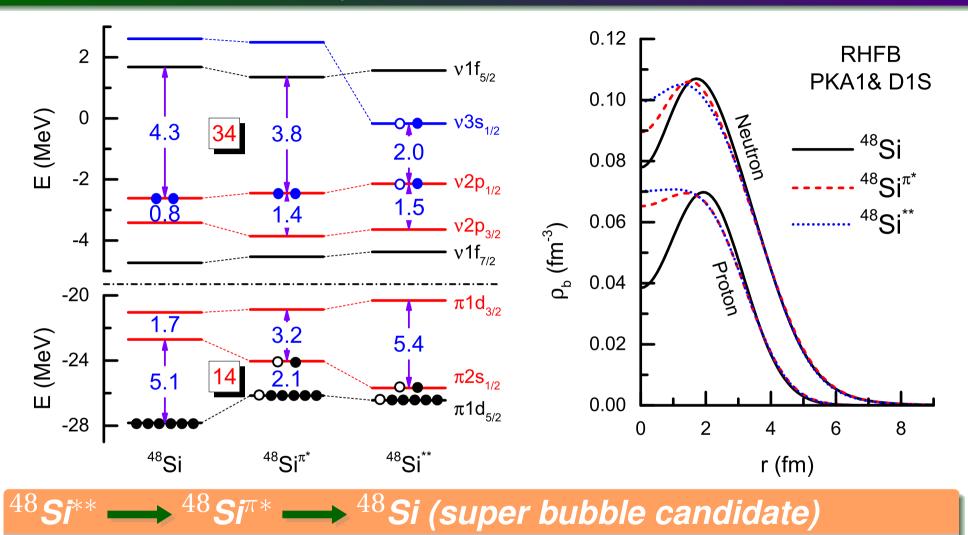
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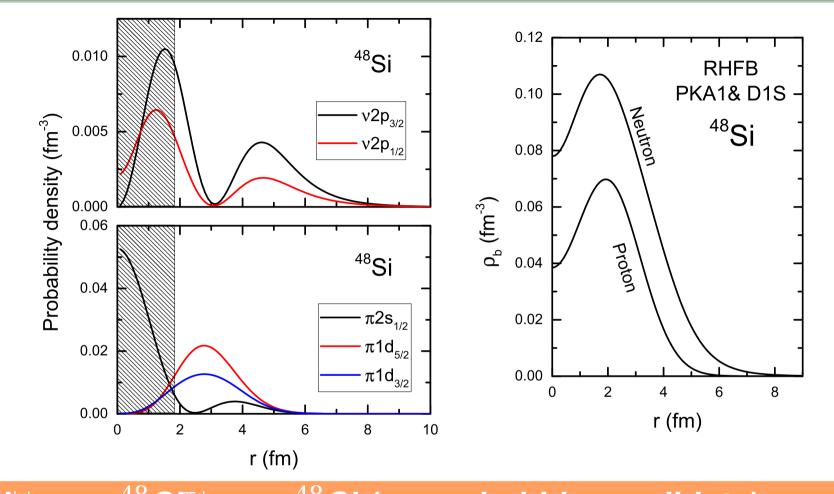
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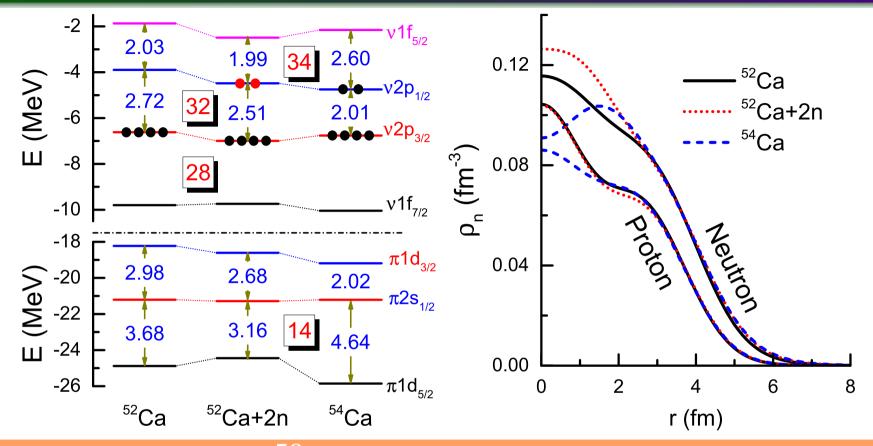
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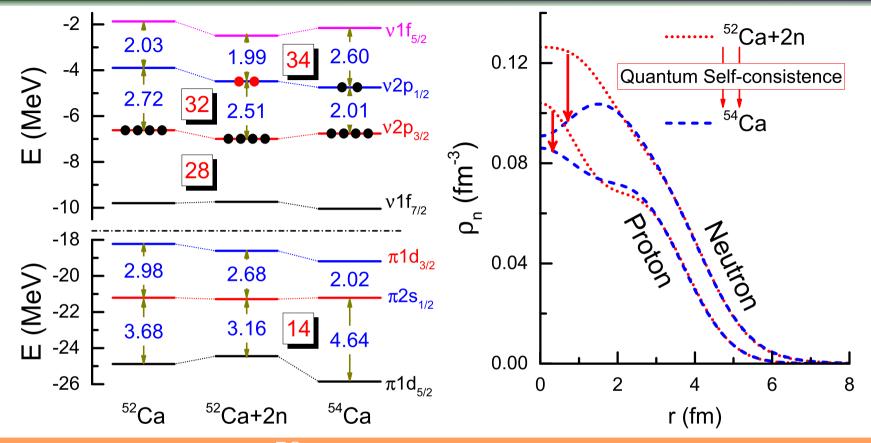


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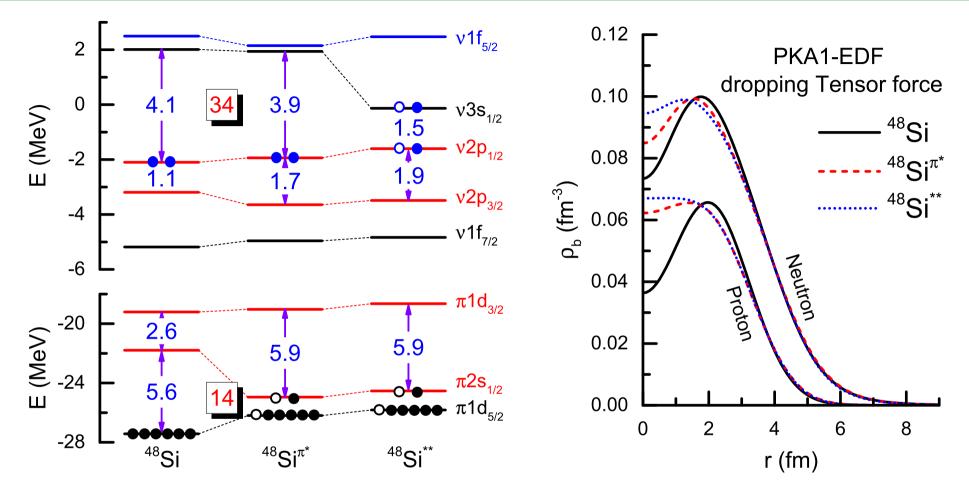
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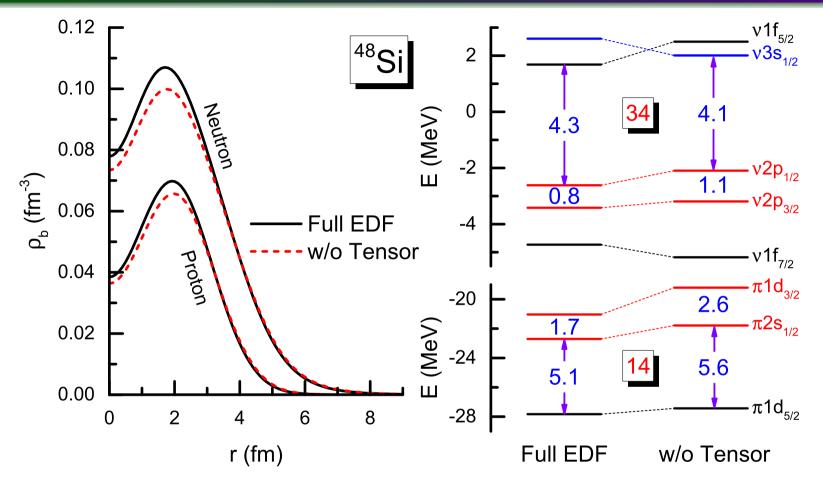
Dropping tensor force terms in Fock diagram



Similar systematics is found as the calculations with full EDF.

Bubble structure, instead of tensor force, is the key physics in determining the magicity.

Tensor effects in ground states

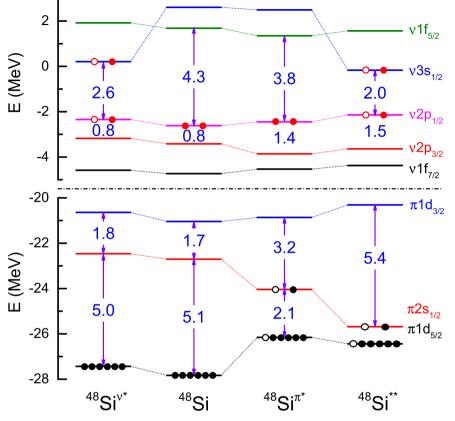


- The proton and neutron bubbles remain as well even after removing the tensor force component in Fock terms.
- Nuclear tensor force tends to quench the proton shell Z = 14 while enlarge the neutron one N = 34 with a few percent.

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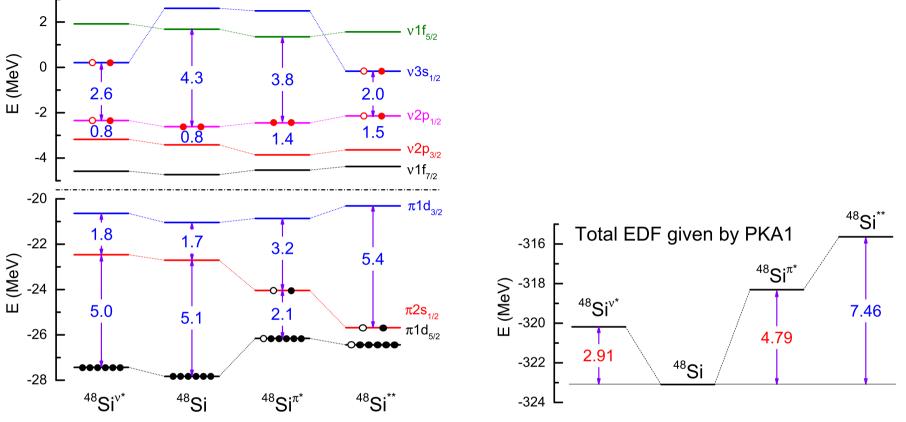


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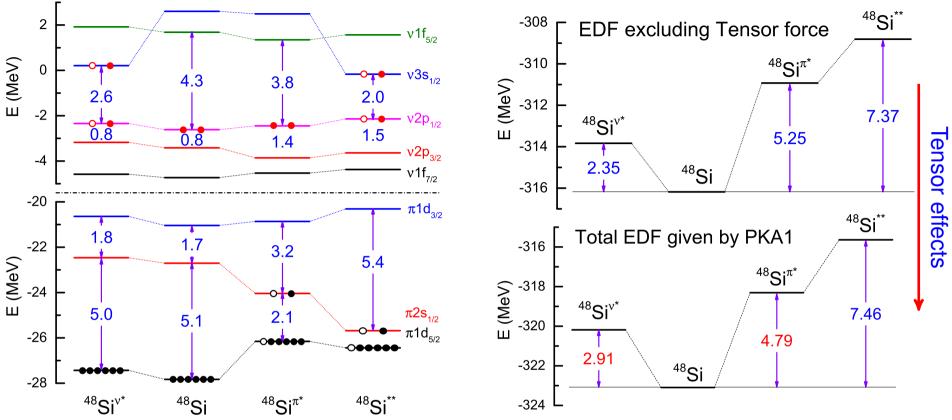
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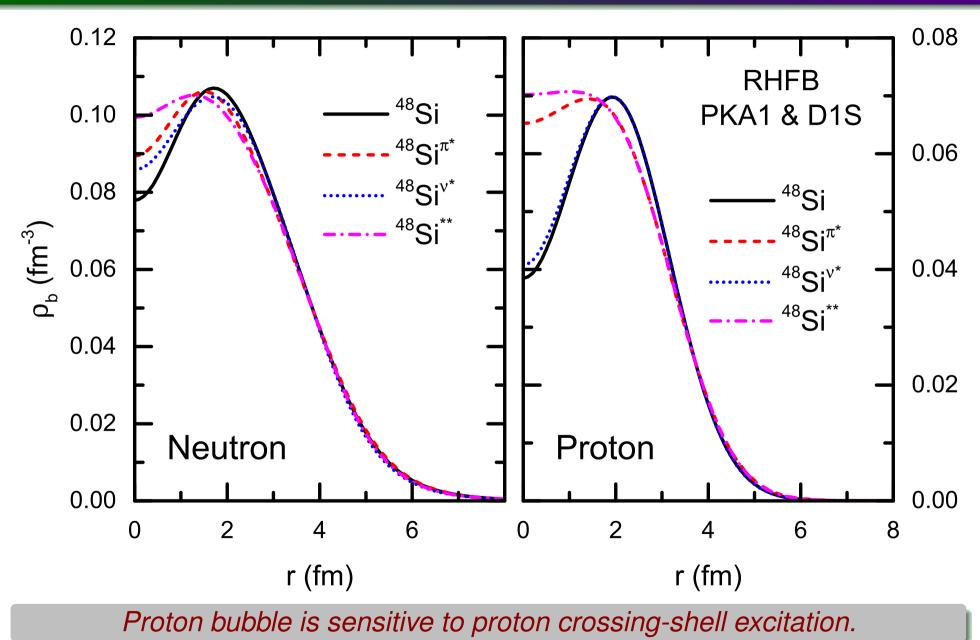


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Tensor force plays opposite roles in neutron and proton excitations.

Bubble structure in excited states



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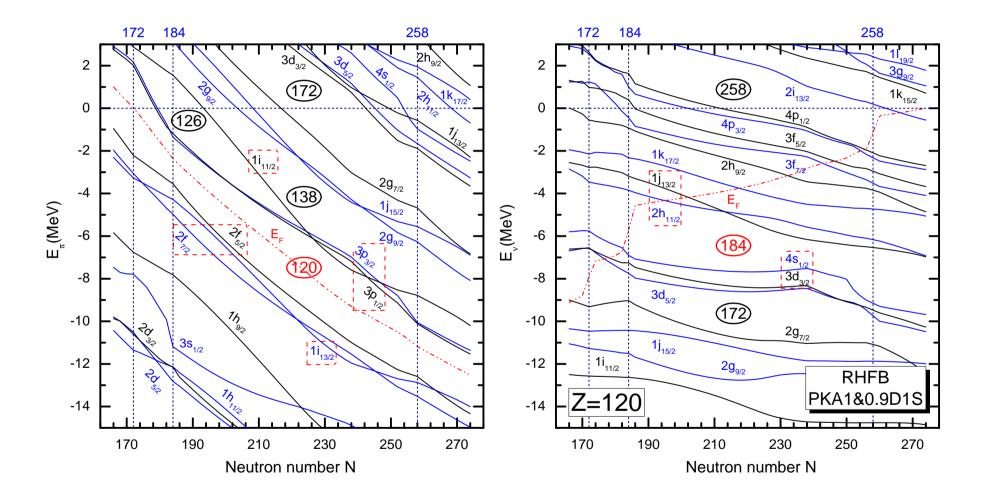
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 - Magicity N = 34, arising just after N = 32, results from the quench of SO splitting of $\nu 2p$ orbits with the emergence of neutron semi-bubble in ⁵⁴Ca.
 - ³⁴Si/³⁴Ca is predicted as the proton/neutron bubble nuclide, and ³⁴Si is identified as doubly magic proton bubble nuclide by experiments.
- Eventually from ³⁴Si and ⁵⁴Ca towards neutron drip line, a new doubly magic nucleus ⁴⁸Si is predicted at neutron drip line, by the RHFB-PKA1 model.
 - Neutron shell N = 34 is enhanced distinctly due to the neutron bubble structure along isotonic chain to ⁴⁸Si.
 - Both neutron shell N = 34 and proton one Z = 14 become more distinct with the occurrence of dual bubble structure in ⁴⁸Si which certainly weaken the coupling with central distributed orbits, like *s* and *p* orbits.
 - Imagicity in ⁴⁸Si is also supported by the evident crossing-shell energy.
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Group Photo



Thank you for your attention!

Similar mechanism in Superheavy magicity



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