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in neutron-rich calcium isotopes

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The landscape of neutron-rich Ca isotopes

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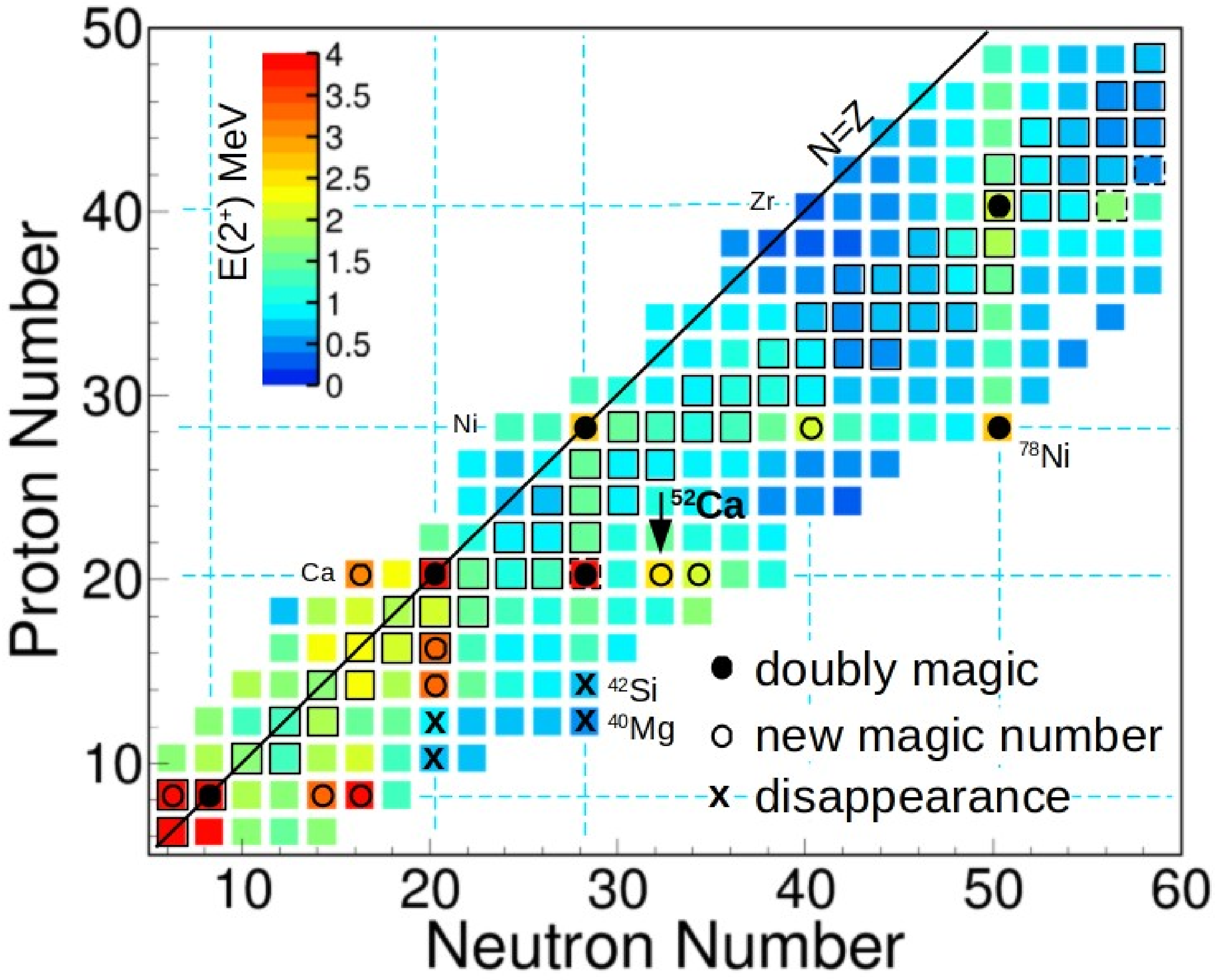

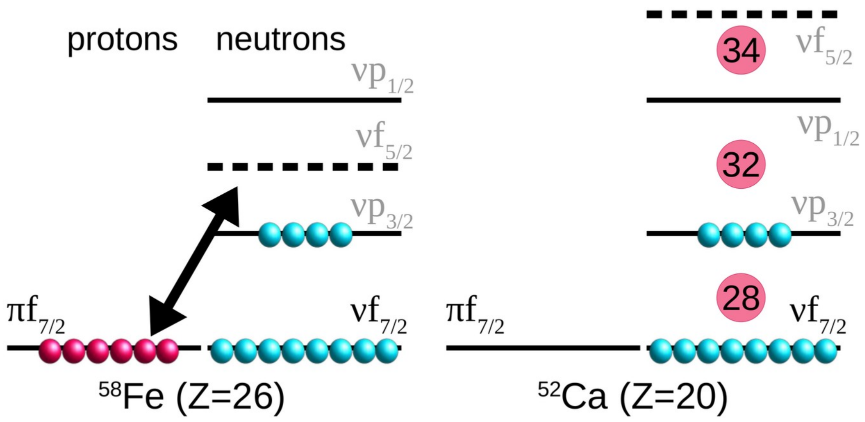

N=32 and N=34 shell closures emerging in neutron-rich Ca

- Mass
- E(2+) systematics
- Transition Probability
- **neutron knockout cross section**

M. Enciu et al., PRL 129 (2022)
S. Chen et al., PRL 123 (2019)

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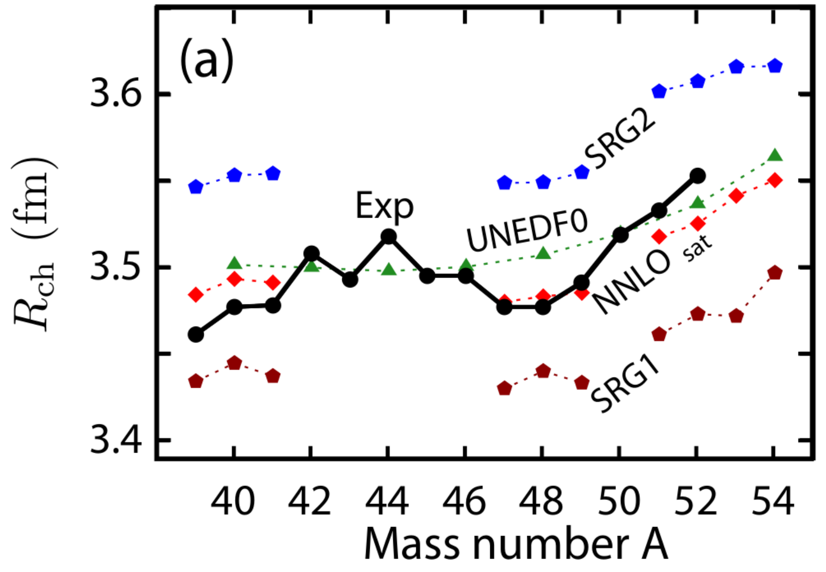
The charge radii of neutron-rich Ca isotopes

- Charge radii measurements via isotope shift method
- Steep linear increase from N = 28 to N=32

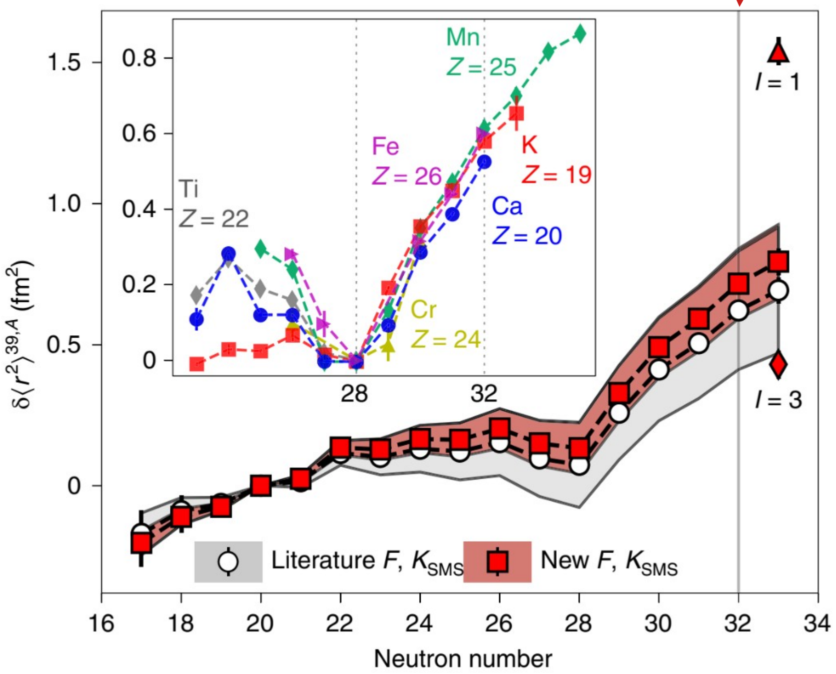
Bonnard et al. proposed a **0.7 fm larger $1p_{3/2}$** ($1p_{1/2}$) neutron orbital than $0f_{7/2}$ ($0f_{5/2}$)

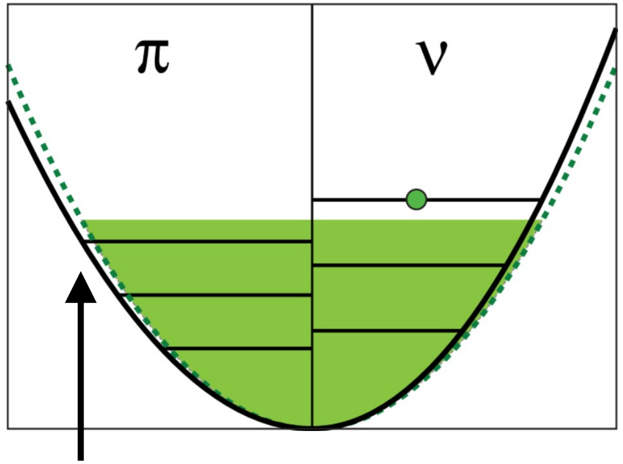
Charge radii Ca



Charge radii K

no “kink”





Charge radius increases as neutrons are added

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R. F. Garcia Ruiz et al., Nature Physics 12 (2016)
Á. Koszorús et al., Nature Physics 17 (2021)
J. Bonnard et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 116 (2016)

The matter radii of neutron-rich Ca isotopes

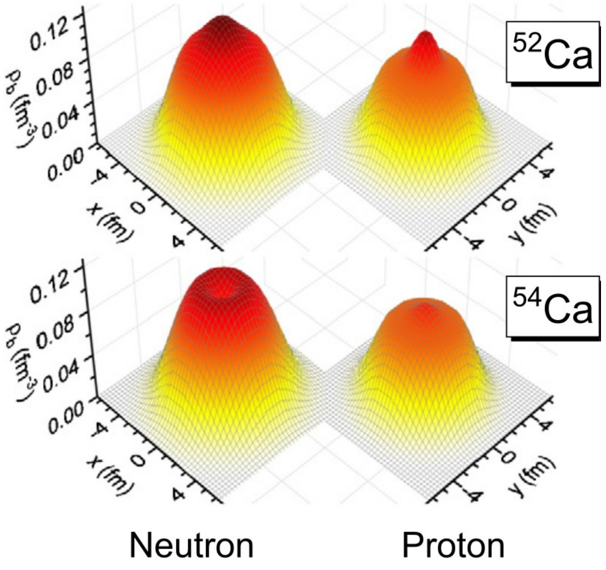
- Matter radii measurements via interaction cross section measurements
- Steep linear increase from N = 28 to N=32
- Neutron radii contribute the most to the increase of matter radii, but protons also present an increase

  → **Swelling core** as one fills a nodal or j-lower orbit such as 1p or $0f_{5/2}$

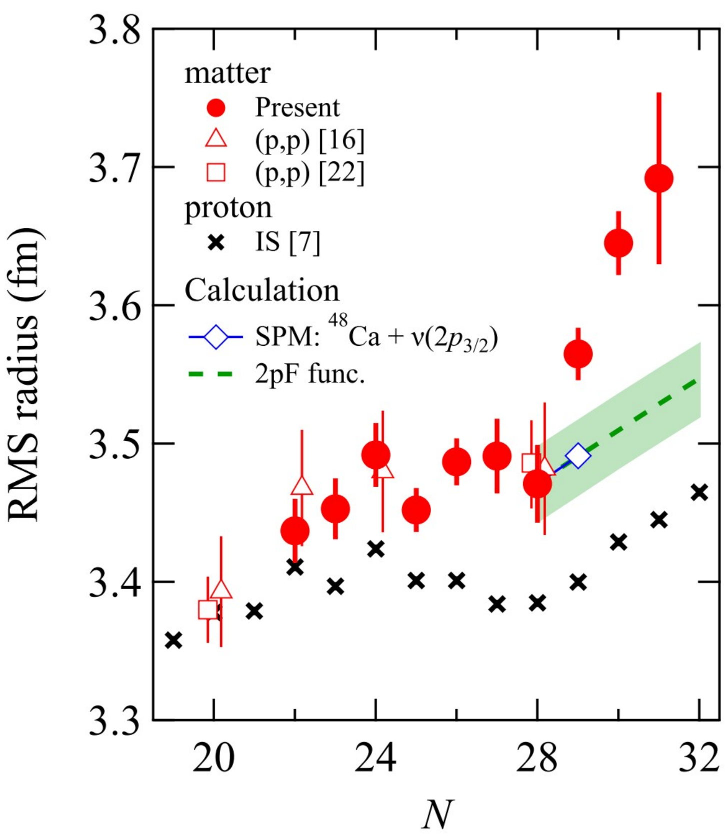
  W. Horiuchi et al. (2020)
- Strong interaction between $\nu p_{1/2}$ orbitals and neutron and proton $s_{1/2}$ orbitals

  → driving the $\mathbf{s_{1/2}}$ orbitals away from center

  J. Liu et al. (2020)



Matter radii Ca



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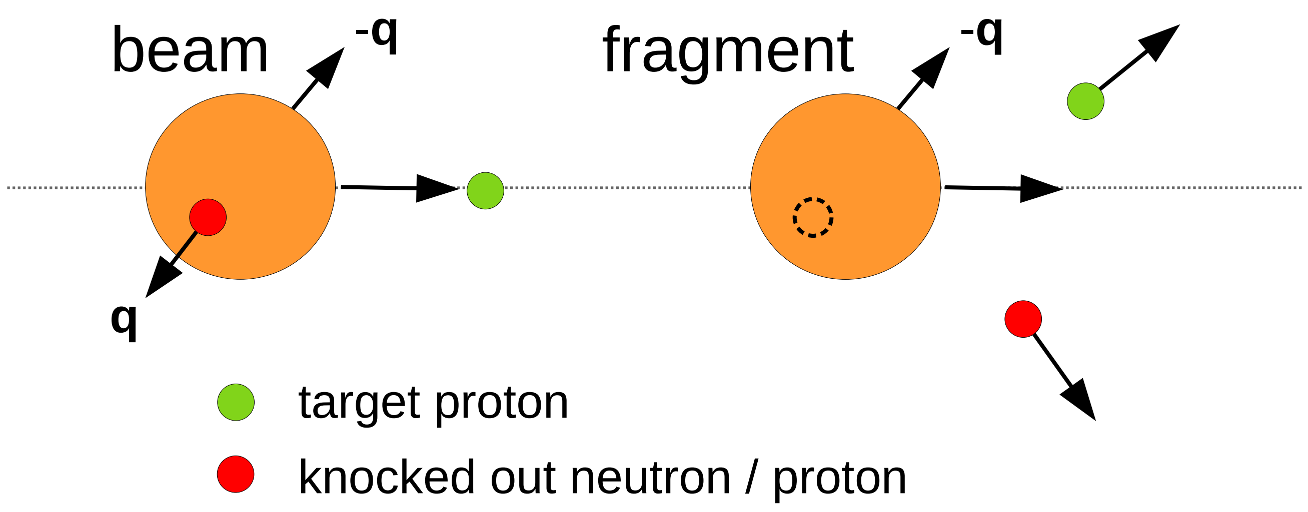

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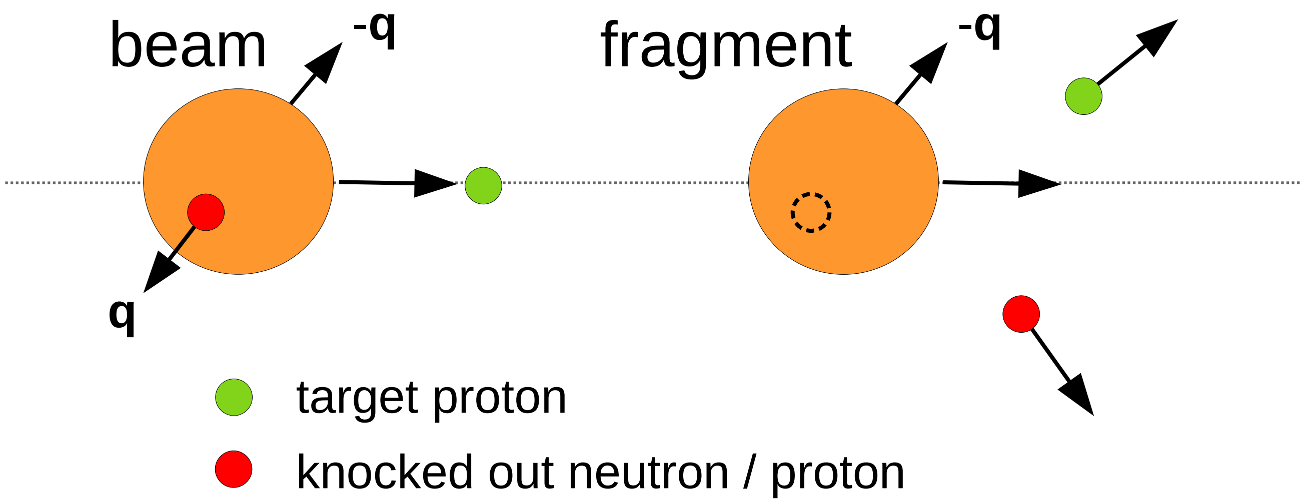

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- Interpretation within DWIA framework
- Single-particle wave-function as bound state of Woods-Saxon potential

→ **RMS radii of single-particle orbitals**

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SEASTAR collaboration for the experimental part

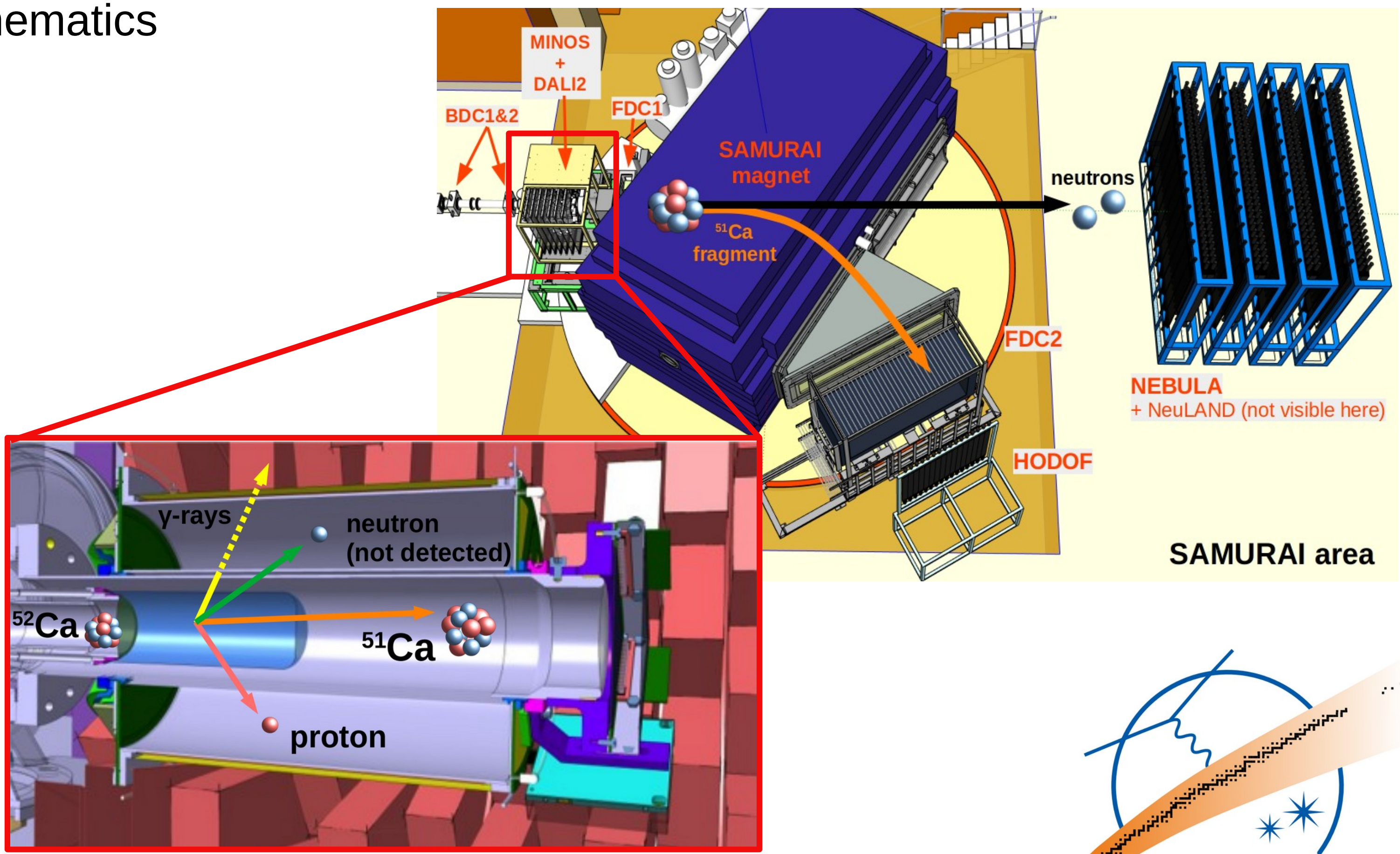
Experimental setup

- experiment at **RIBF, RIKEN**, SEASTAR3 campaign (2017)
- ^{70}**Zn primary beam** at 345 MeV/u
- In-flight **γ-ray spectroscopy** in inverse kinematics
- 15-cm **liquid H_2 target** (MINOS)
- 170 - 270 MeV/u beam energy at vertex
- MINOS TPC for vertex reconstruction
- **DALI2+** γ-ray detector array
- NeuLAND and NEBULA detectors

  used for subtracting the (p,p') + n-evap.

Studied reactions:

^{52}Ca (p,pn)	^{52}Ca (p,2p)
^{53}Ca (p,pn)	^{53}Ca (p,2p)
^{54}Ca (p,pn)	^{54}Ca (p,2p)



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NeuLAND: K. Boretzky, et al., Nucl. Instr. Meth. Phys. Res. A 1014 (2021)

DALI2+: S. Takeuchi, et al., Nucl. Instr. Meth. Phys. Res. A 763 (2014)

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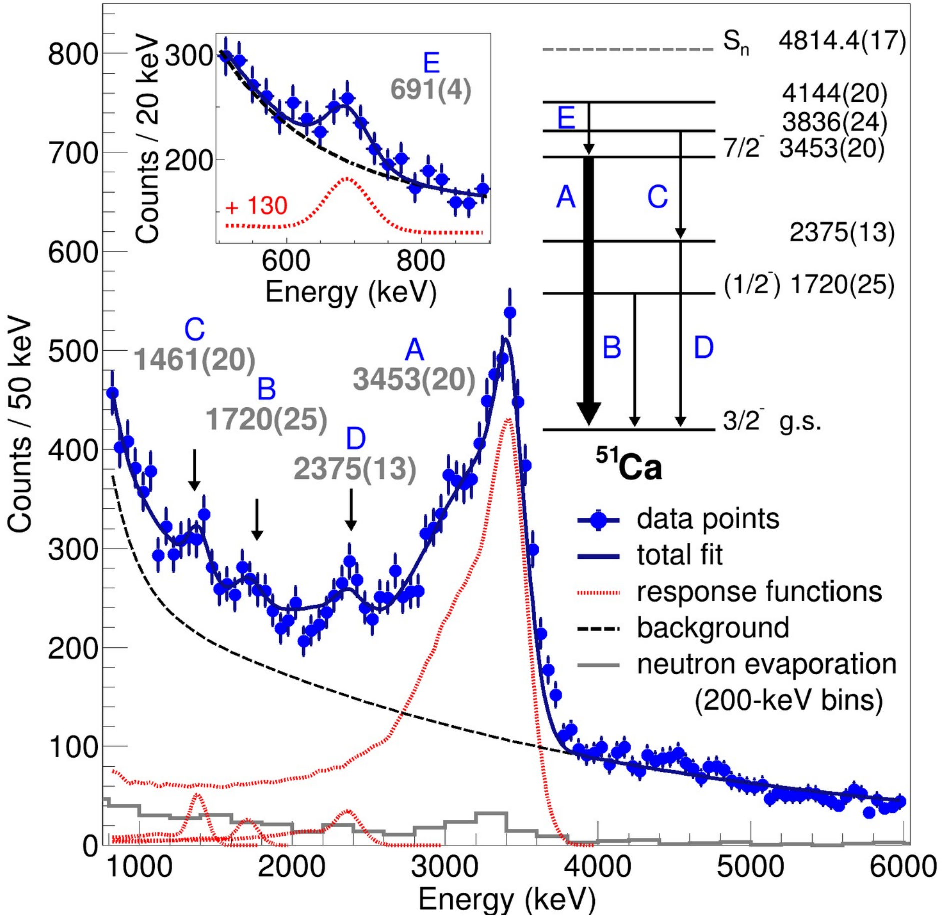
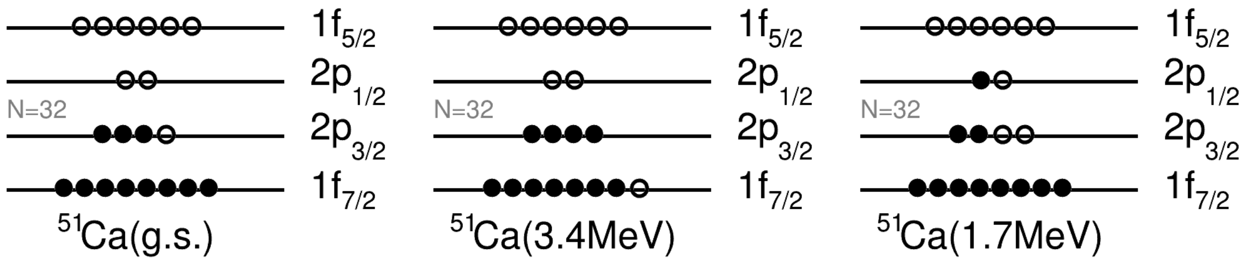
The N=32 shell closure of ^{52}Ca

Doppler-corrected γ-ray spectrum



Single-particle configurations of ^{51}Ca after neutron knockout



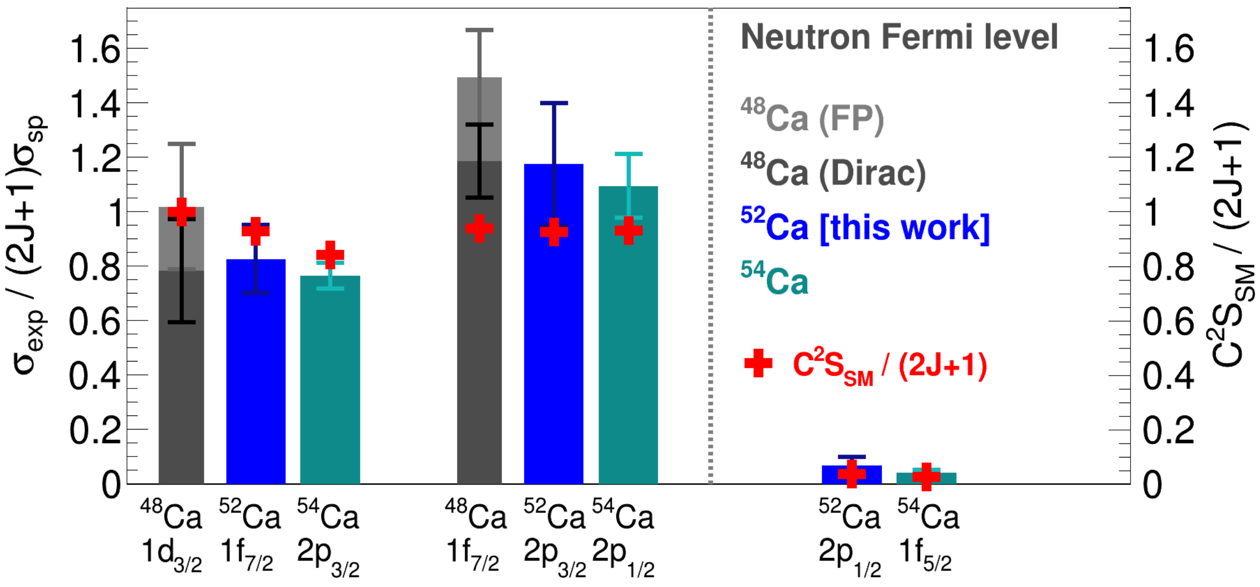
- γ-ray spectrum fitted with simulated response functions
- Neutron evaporation subtraction in cross section values
- Observed final states corresponding to the

  knockout of $p_{3/2}$, $f_{7/2}$, and $p_{1/2}$ neutrons out of ^{52}Ca

References:
M. Enciu et al., PRL 129 (2022)

The N=32 shell closure of ^{52}Ca

E_{ex}^{exp} (keV)	J^π	-1n	σ_{-1n}^{exp} (mb)	E_{ex}^{SM} (keV)	C^2S	σ_{sp}^{DWIA} (mb)	σ_{-1n}^{th} (mb)
0	$3/2^-$	$p_{3/2}$	30.3(42)	0	3.7	6.5(9)	23.9(32)
1720(25)	$(1/2^-)$	$p_{1/2}$	0.6(3)	1.620	0.1	4.8	0.5
3453(20)	$7/2^-$	$f_{7/2}$	22.3(24)	3.927	7.4	3.4(4)	25.0(27)



- Agreement between σ^{exp} and σ^{th}

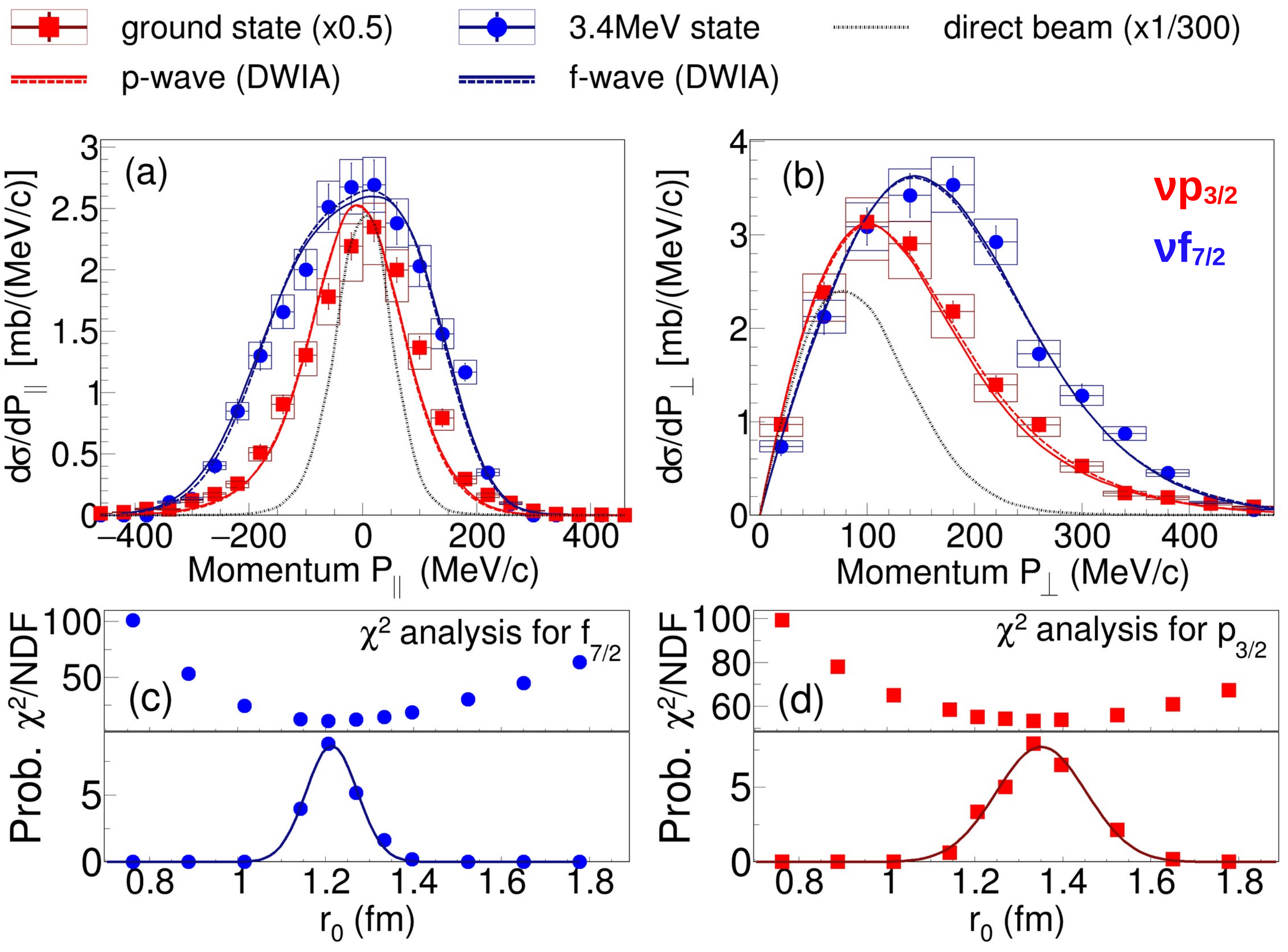
  Corresponding to a shell closure at N=32

- Systematic comparison between ^{52}Ca and ^{48}Ca and ^{54}Ca

  Same behavior observed for all three Ca isotopes

References:
M. Enciu et al., PRL 129 (2022)
^{54}Ca data from S.Chen et al., PRL 123 (2019)
^{48}Ca data from M. Ahmad et al., Nucl. Phys. A 424 (1984)

The pf-shell neutron orbitals of ^{52}Ca



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rms radii of single-particle (sp) neutron orbitals obtained by **variation of the radial parameter r_0 and χ^2 minimization**

Resulting rms radii:

$\nu f_{7/2}$: 4.13(14) fm

$\nu p_{3/2}$: 4.74(18) fm

Difference: **0.61(23) fm**

from HFB, SKM:

$\nu f_{7/2}$: 4.12 fm

$\nu p_{3/2}$: 4.49 fm

Difference: 0.37 fm

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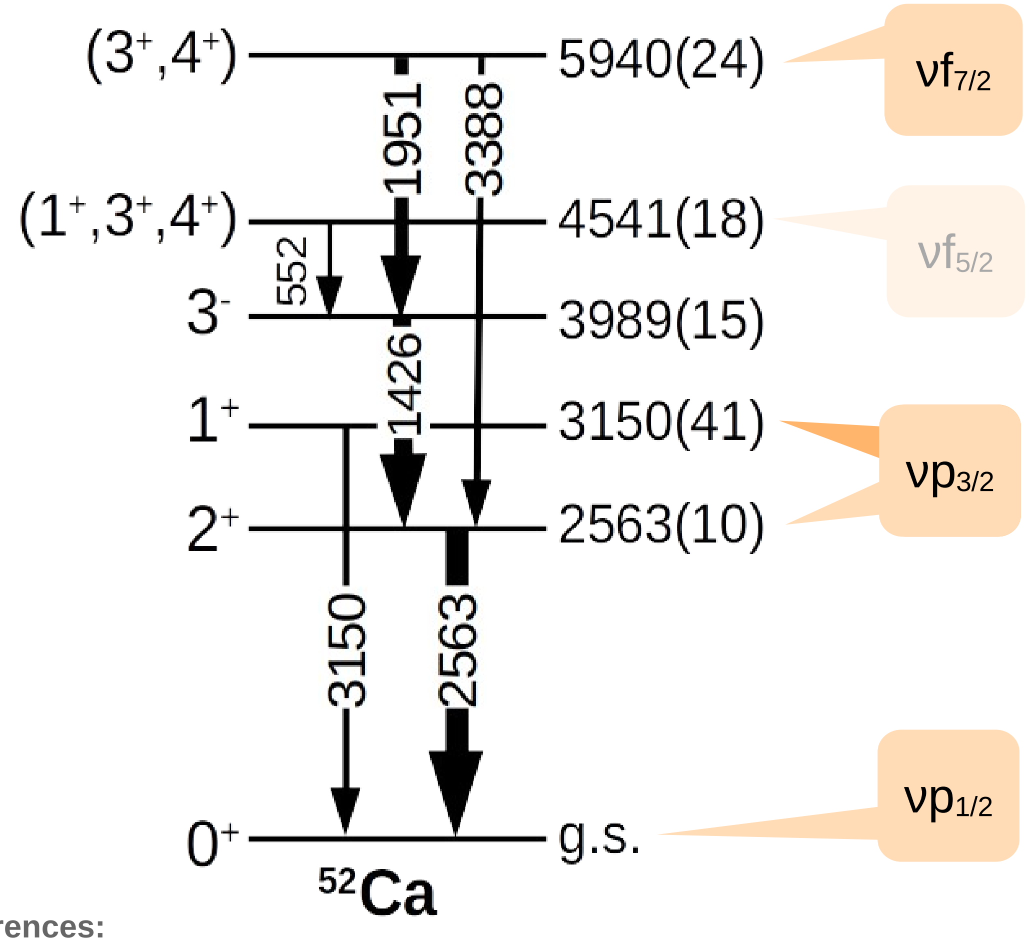

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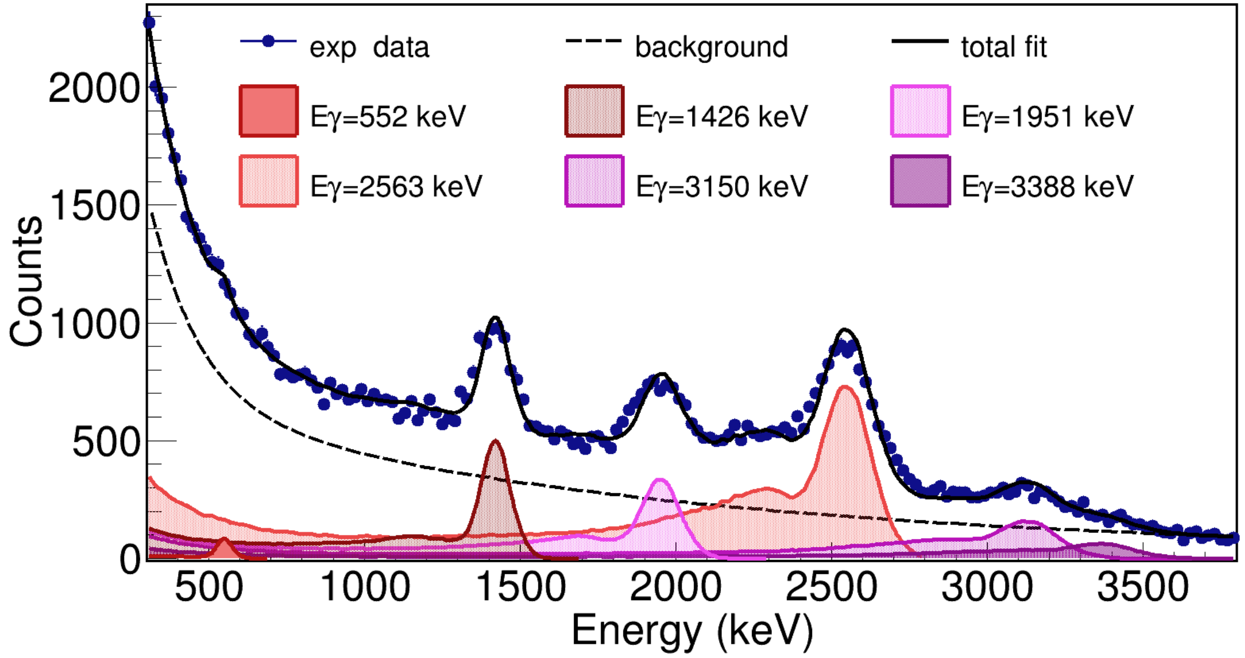

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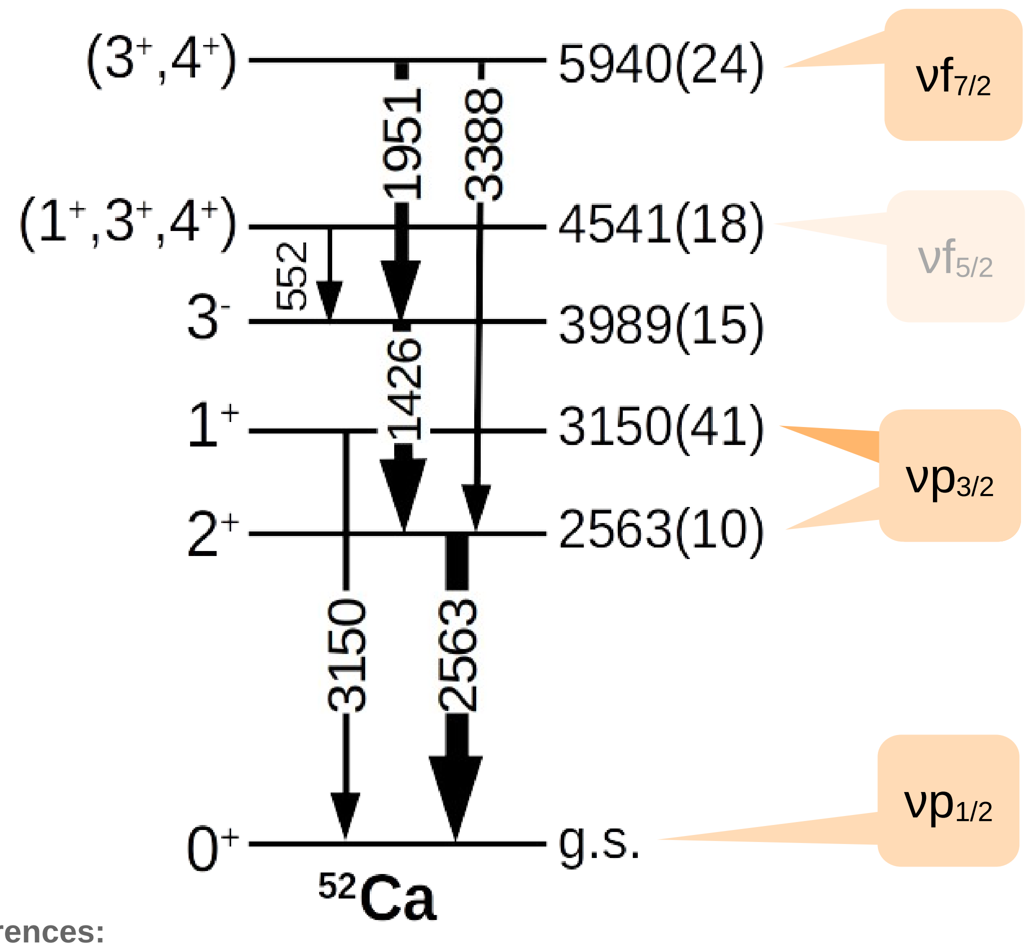

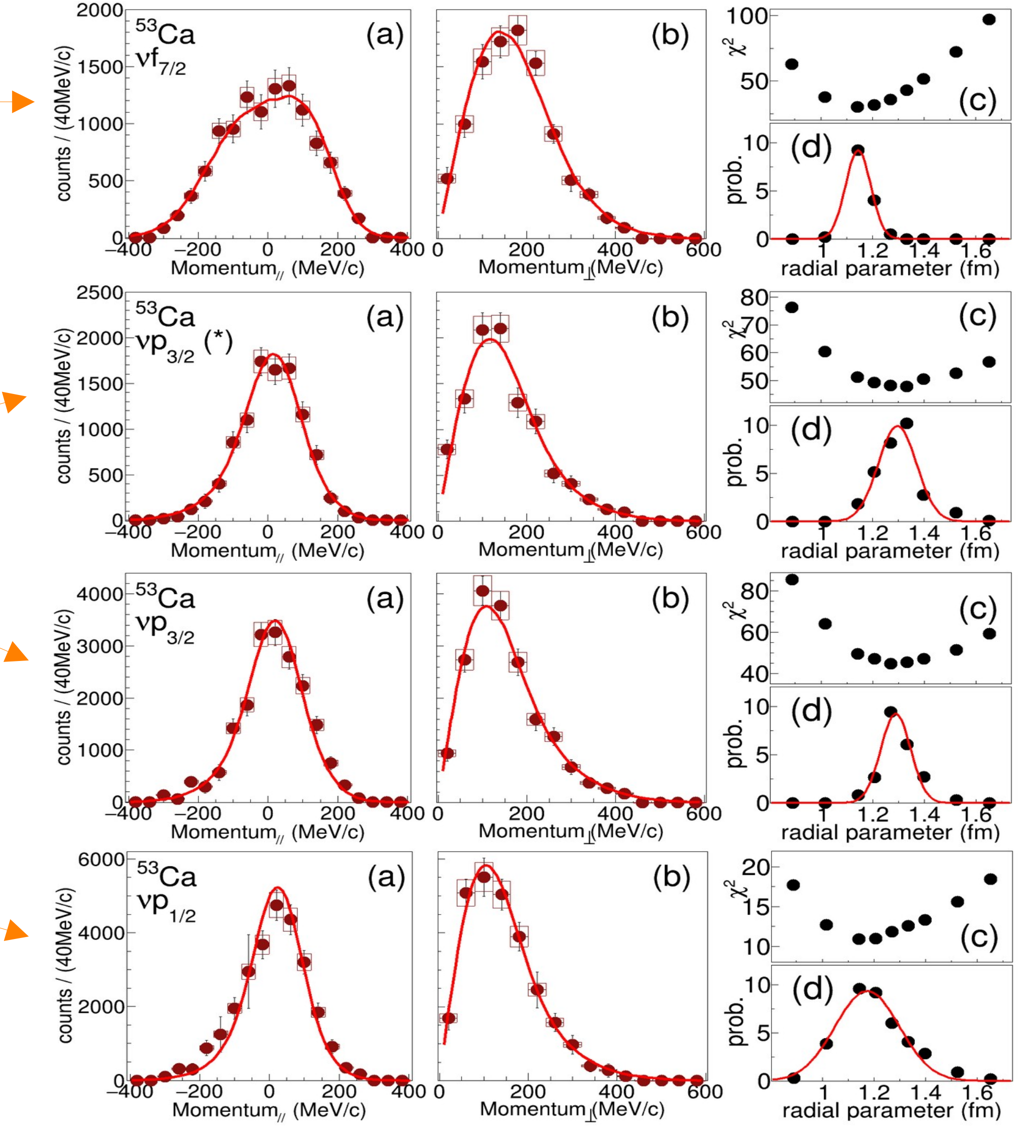

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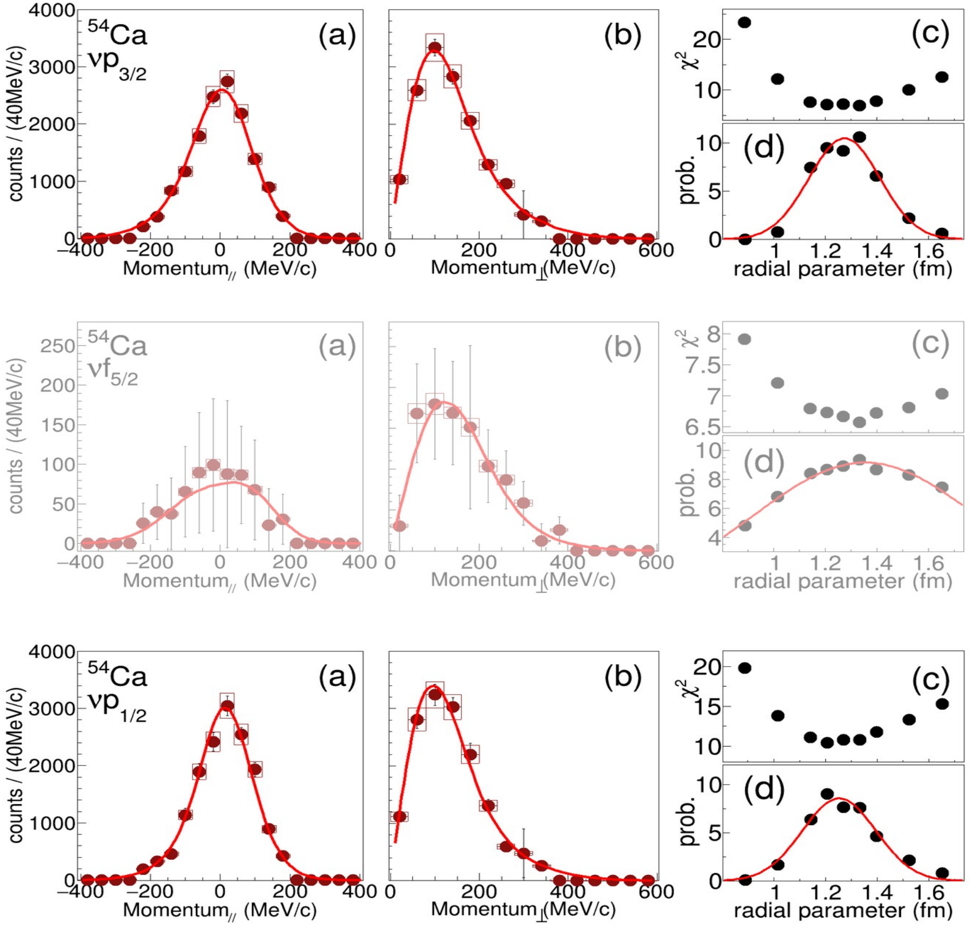
The pf-shell neutron orbitals of ^{54}Ca



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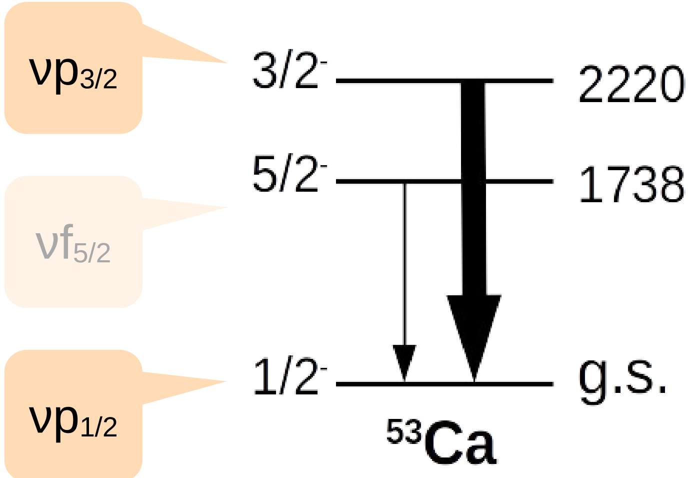
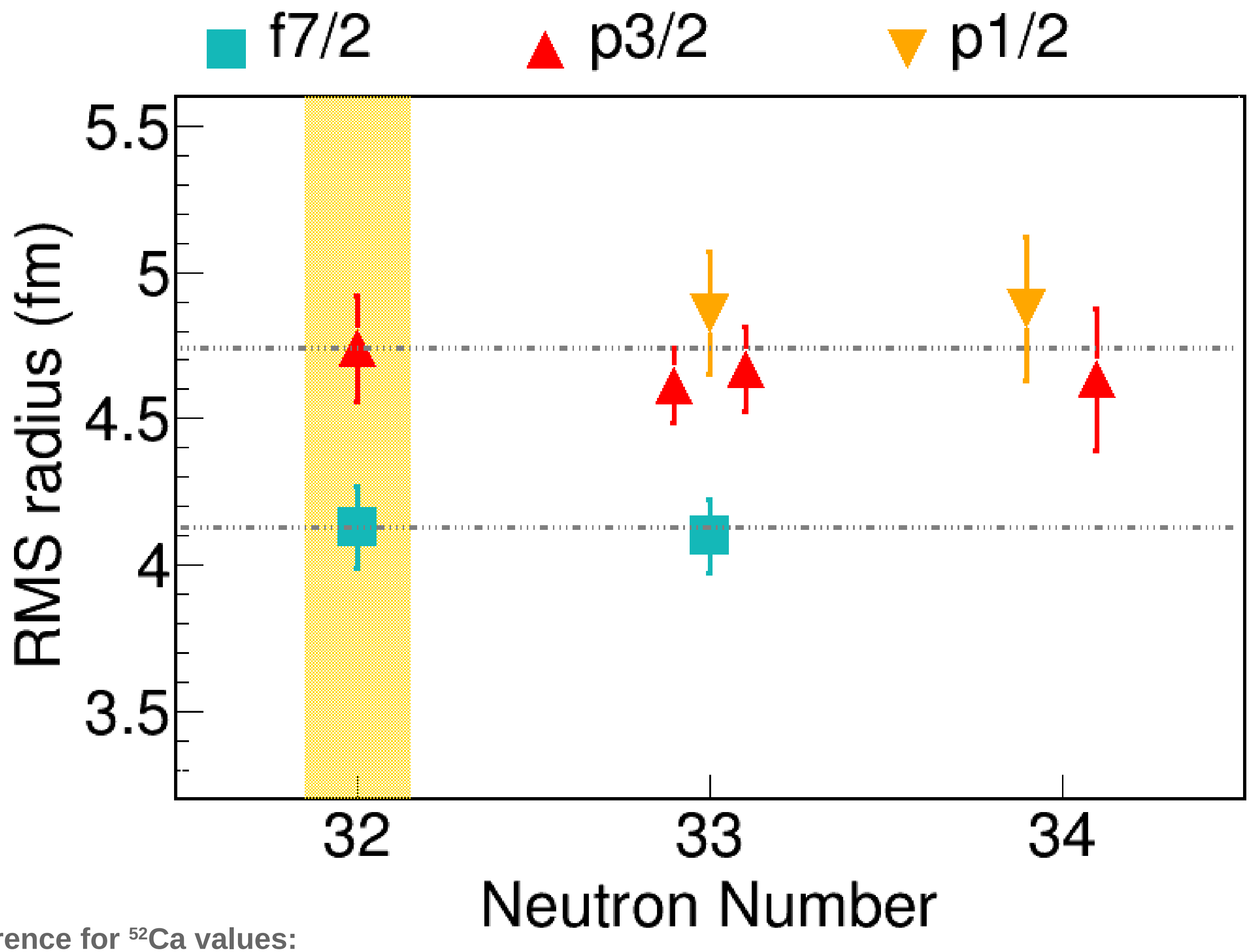


^{54}Ca(p,pn) already studied by Chen et al.

Rms radii of single-particle neutron orbitals



- **systematic difference of 0.5 up to 0.75 fm between the $f_{7/2}$ and p orbitals**
  for ^{53}Ca and ^{54}Ca as found for ^{52}Ca

^{52}Ca	$\nu f_{7/2}$:	4.13(14) fm
	$\nu p_{3/2}$:	4.74(18) fm
^{53}Ca	$\nu f_{7/2}$:	4.10(13) fm
	$\nu p_{3/2}$:	4.61(13) fm
	$\nu p_{1/2}$:	4.86(21) fm
	$\nu p_{1/2}$:	4.67(15) fm
^{54}Ca	$\nu p_{3/2}$:	4.64(24) fm
	$\nu p_{1/2}$:	4.88(24) fm

Reference for ^{52}Ca values:
M. Enciu et al., PRL 129 (2022)

The sd-shell proton orbitals of ^{52}Ca and ^{54}Ca

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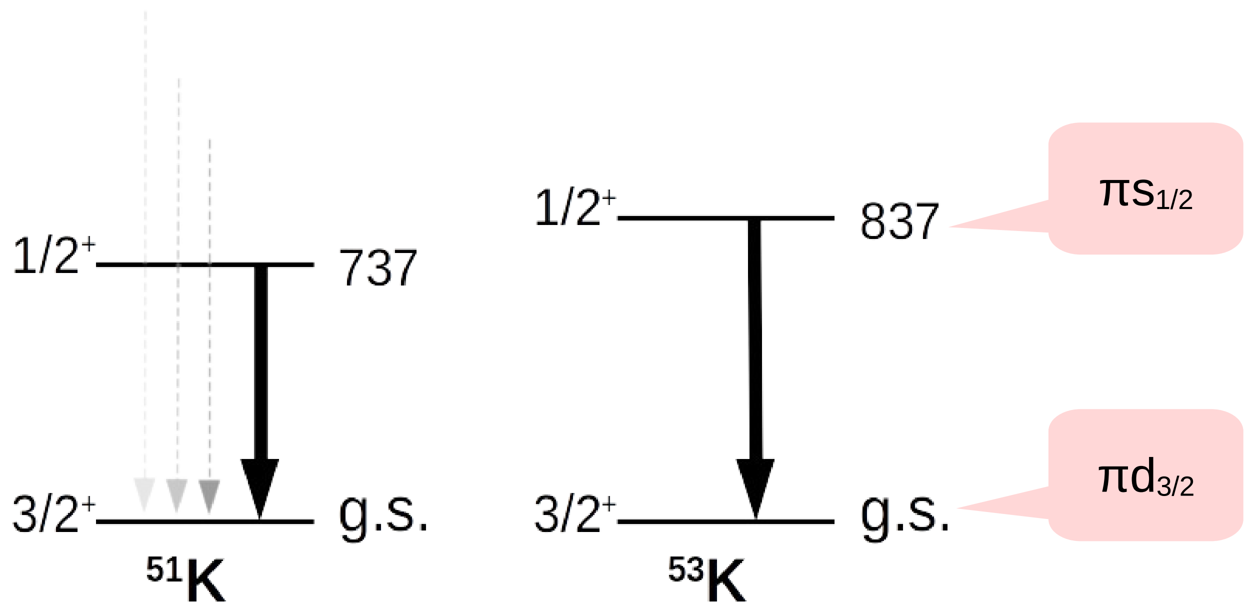

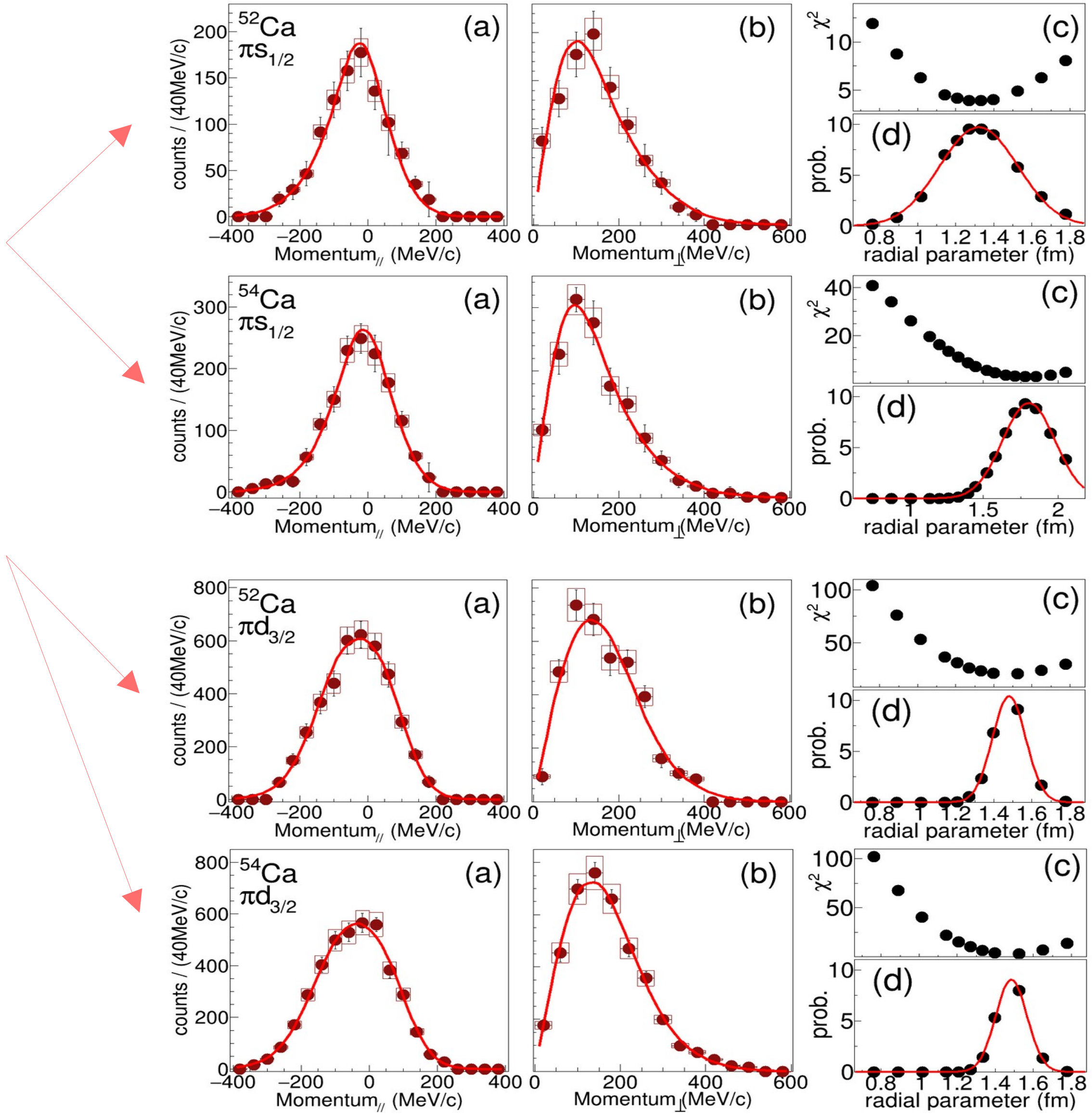

^{52}Ca(p,2p) and ^{54}Ca(p,2p) already studied by Sun et al.

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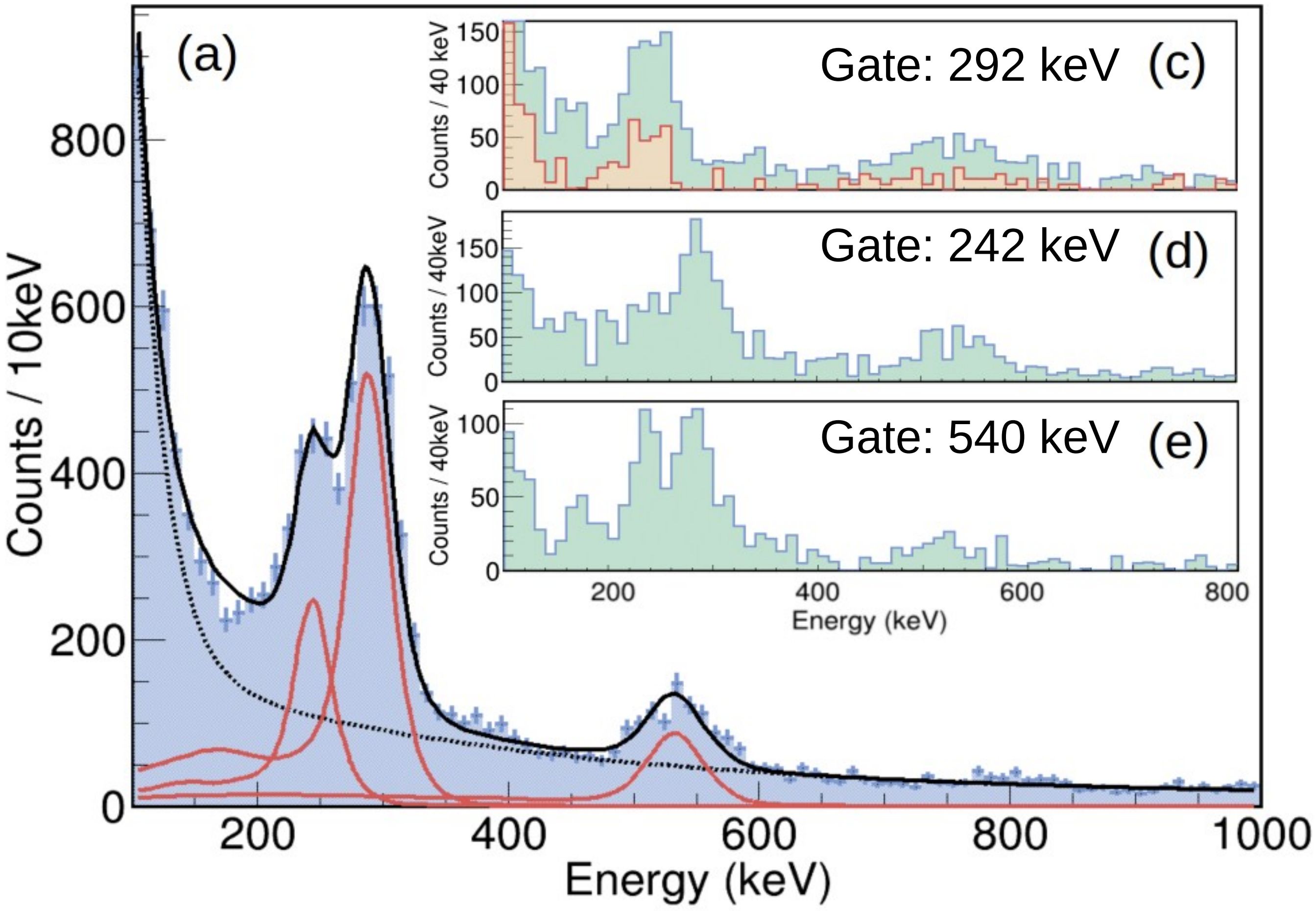
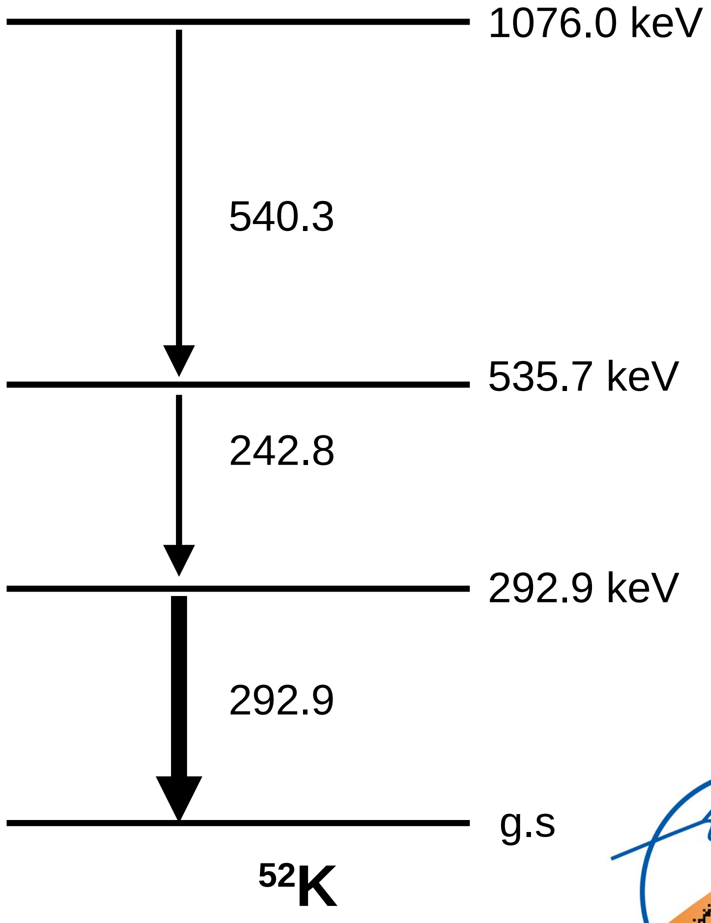
Y.L. Sun et al., Phys. Lett. B 802 (2020).

The sd-shell proton orbitals of ^{53}Ca

First spectroscopy of ^{52}K





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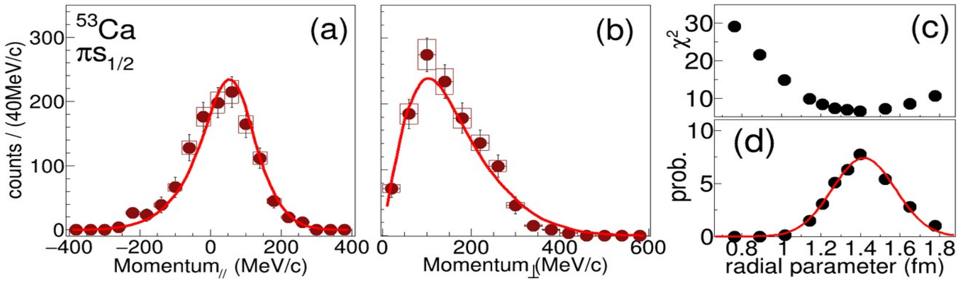

$\pi s_{1/2}$

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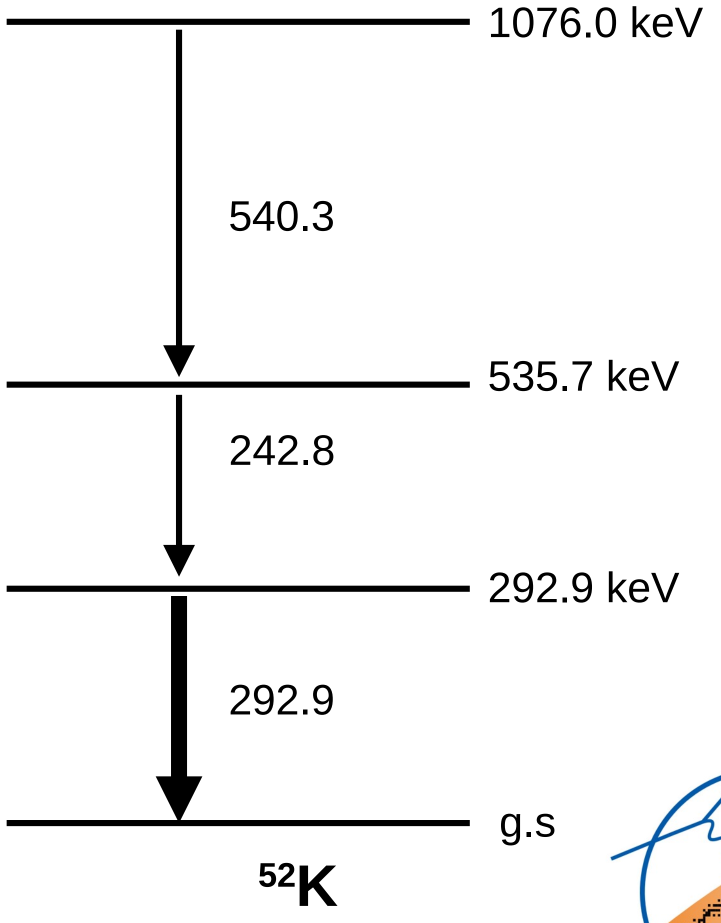
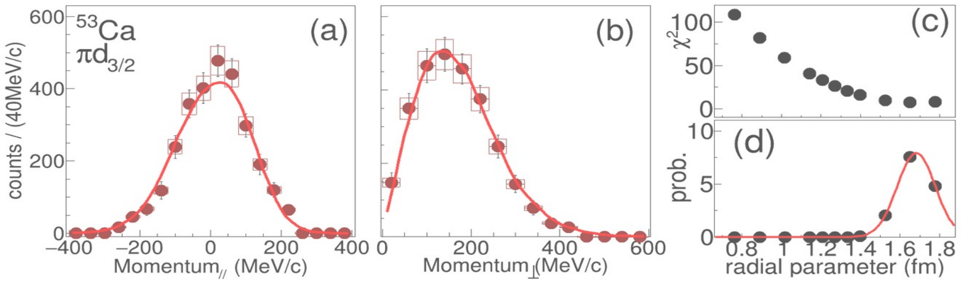
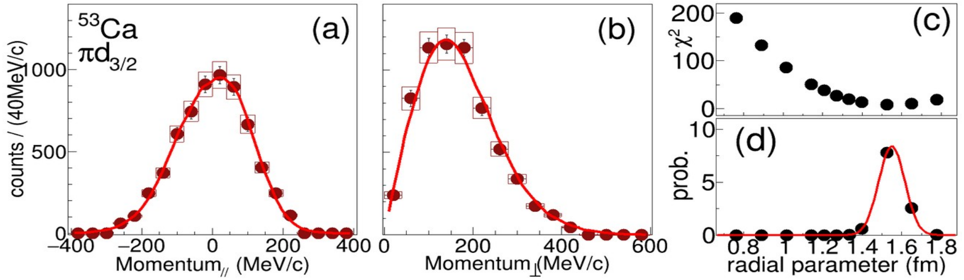


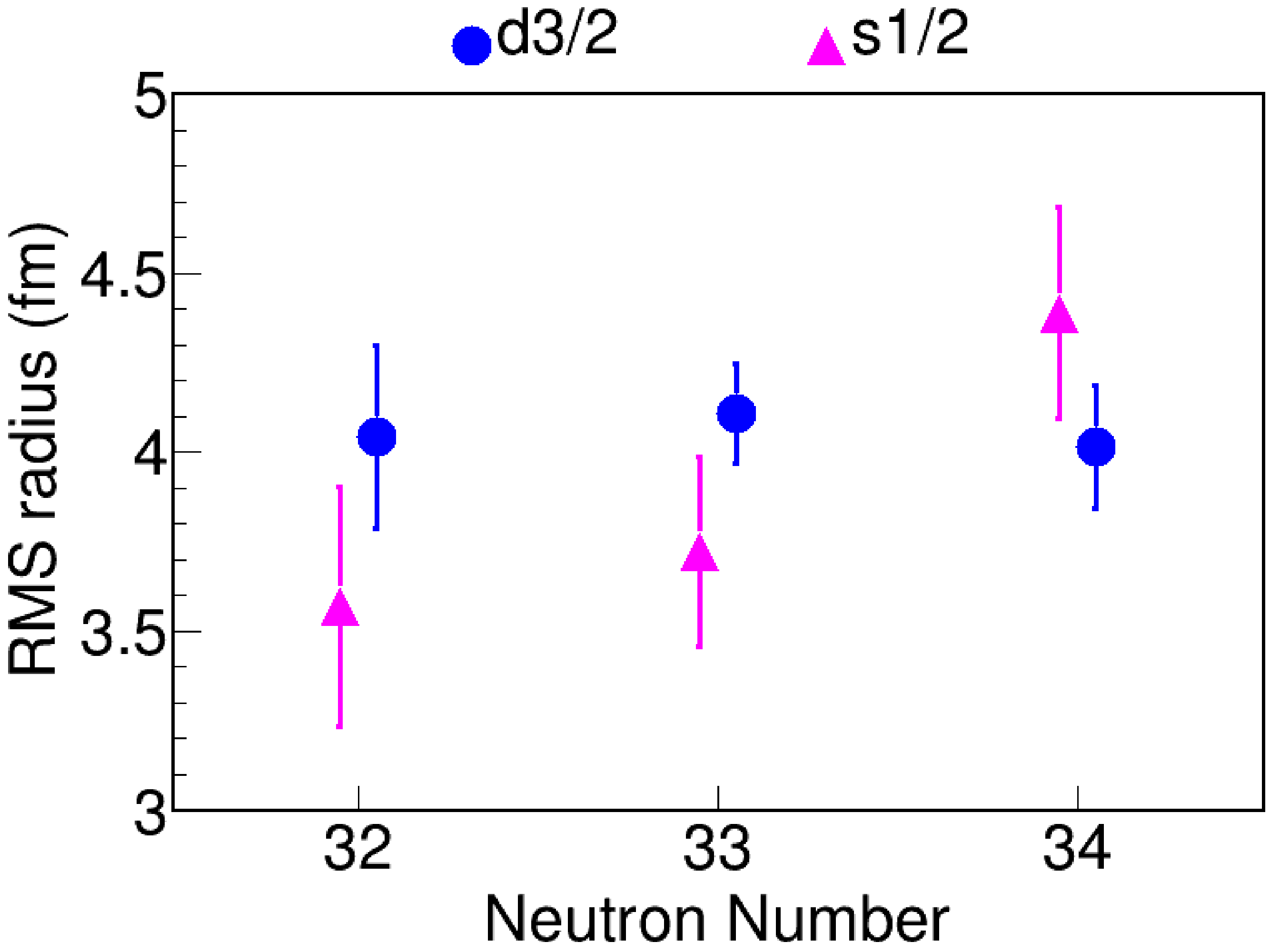


$\pi d_{3/2}$



$\pi d_{3/2}$

Rms radii of single-particle proton orbitals



^{52}Ca $\pi d_{3/2}$: 4.04(26) fm
$\pi s_{1/2}$: 3.57(33) fm
^{53}Ca $\pi d_{3/2}$: 4.10(13) fm
$\pi s_{1/2}$: 3.72(26) fm
^{54}Ca $\pi d_{3/2}$: 4.02(17) fm
$\pi s_{1/2}$: 4.39(29) fm

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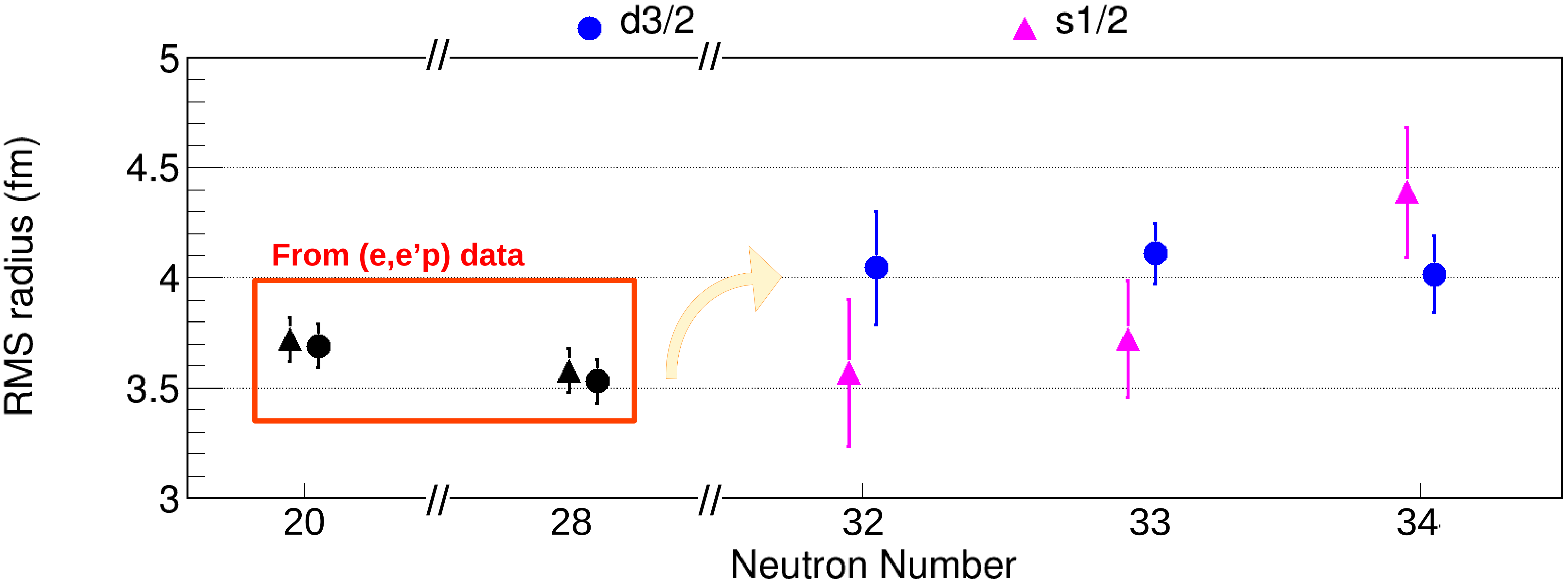


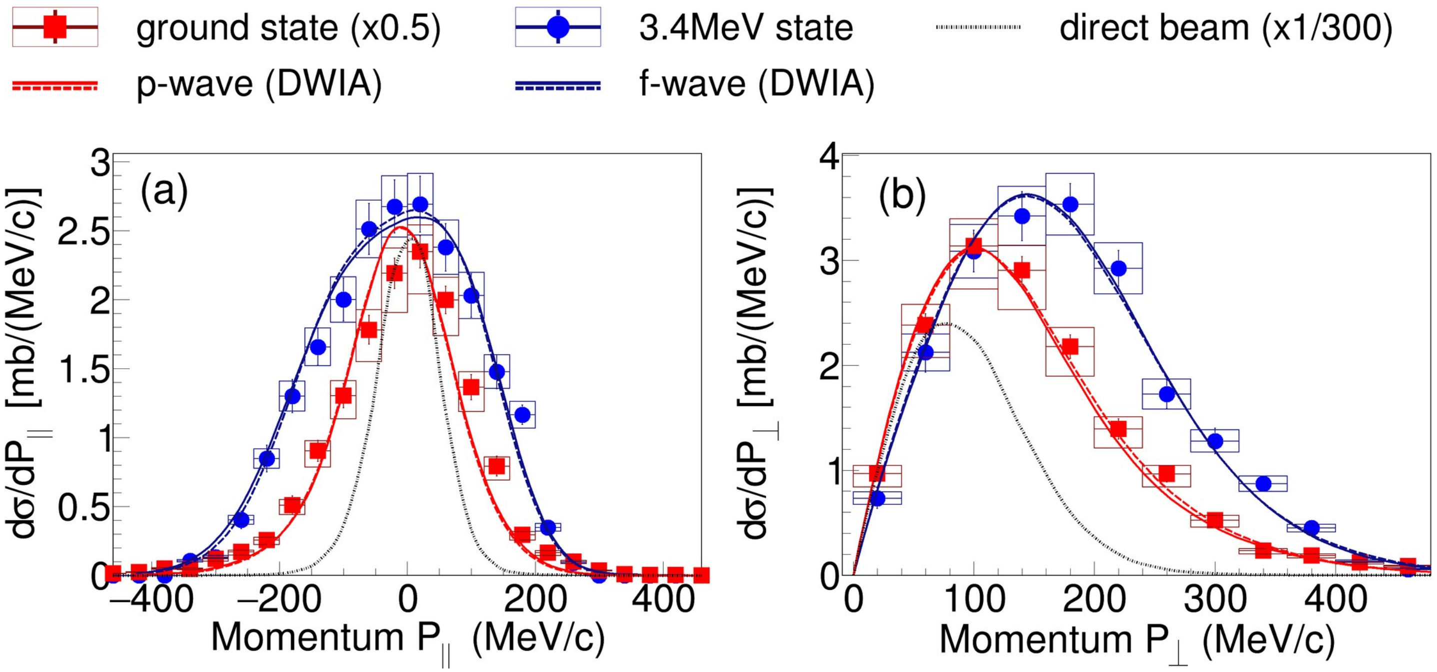
^{40}Ca and ^{48}Ca data from:
G. J. Kramer, “The proton spectral function of ^{40}Ca and ^{48}Ca studied with the (e,e'p) reaction”, PhD Thesis, Amsterdam Univ. (Netherlands), 1990

Uncertainty estimations and checks

- **uncertainties of rms radii dominated by experimental statistical uncertainties**
  - larger uncertainties for (p,2p) with lower statistics
- **choice of potential:**
  - how the shape of momentum distribution changes
  - and what is the impact on the determined rms radii?
- why do we only perform an **1-dimensional r_0 variation**?
  - comparison 1D r_0 variation vs 2D r_0,a_0 variation of the Woods-Saxon potential parameters
- how do momentum distributions change when using **HFB wavefunction**
  - or **transition amplitudes from state-of-the-art ab initio calculations**?

Choice of optical potential

used as input for the DWIA calculations



From ^{52}Ca $\nu p_{3/2}$ and $\nu f_{7/2}$:

- **4.5% relative difference** for the momentum distributions for the considered energy range and (r_0,a_0) combinations

From ^{53}Ca $\nu p_{3/2}$:

impact on r_0 and rms radii evaluated

- **0.10 fm for r_0 (8.1%)**
- **0.16 fm for rms radius (3.5%)**

Plots: ^{52}Ca $\nu p_{3/2}$ and $\nu f_{7/2}$

Folding (solid line) and Dirac (EDAD1, dashed line)

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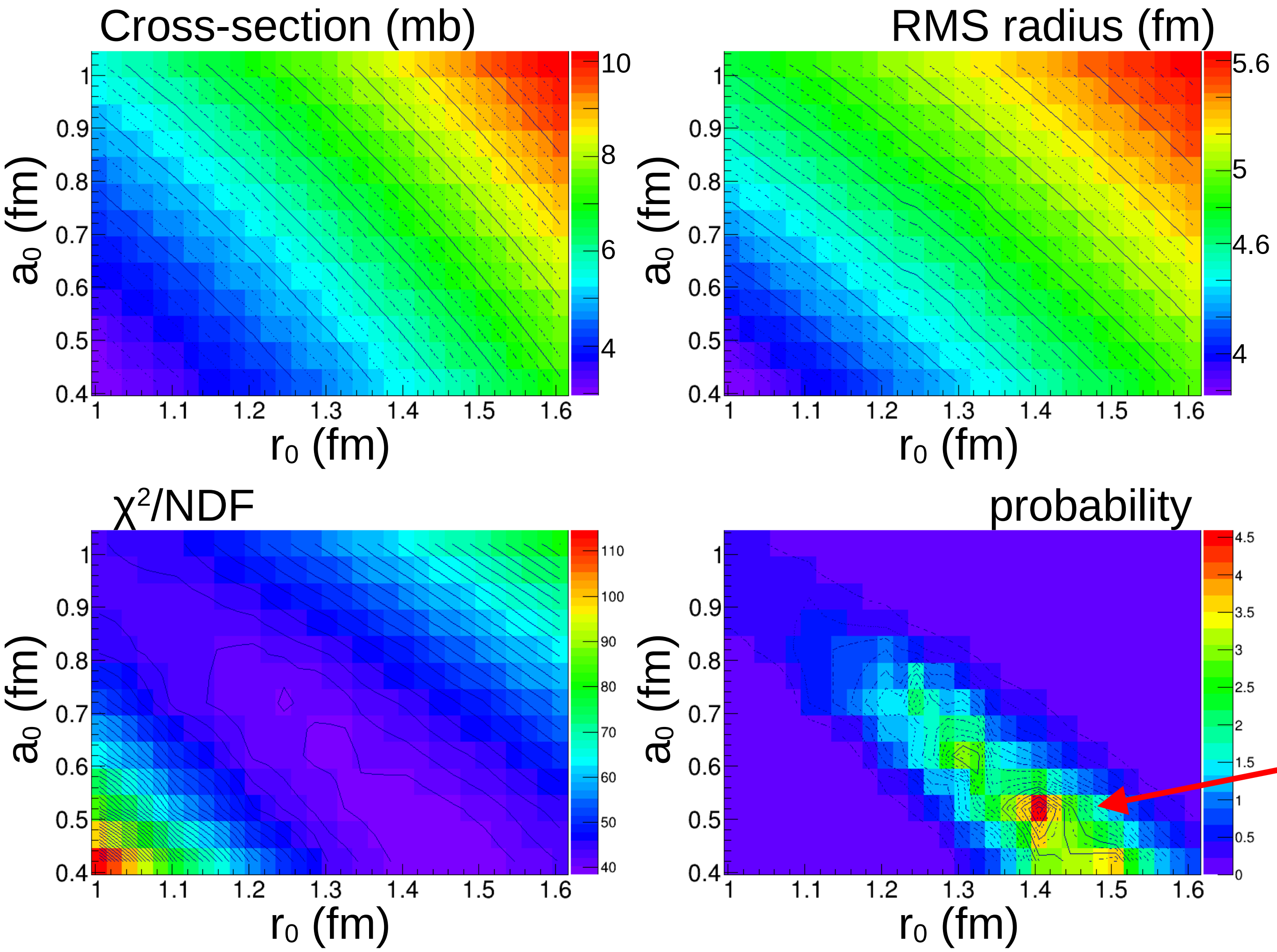
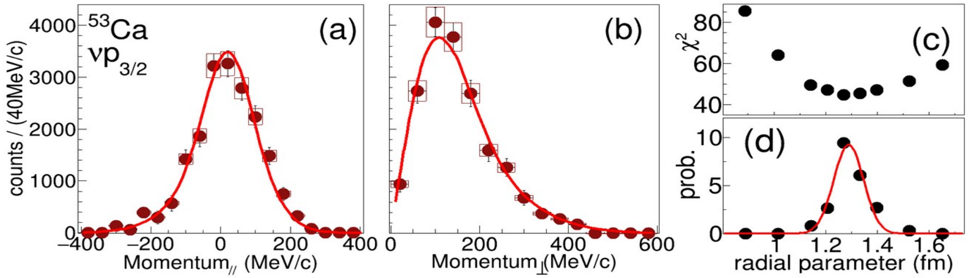
1D vs 2D variation: r_0 and a_0 for the WS potential

2D variation



1D variation ^{53}Ca (p,pn) [-ν$p_{3/2,}$ 2.5MeV]



(r0,a0) pairs not unique

RMS radius results:

1D variation **4.67 fm**

for r_0 = 1.29 fm

and a_0 = 0.67 fm (fixed)

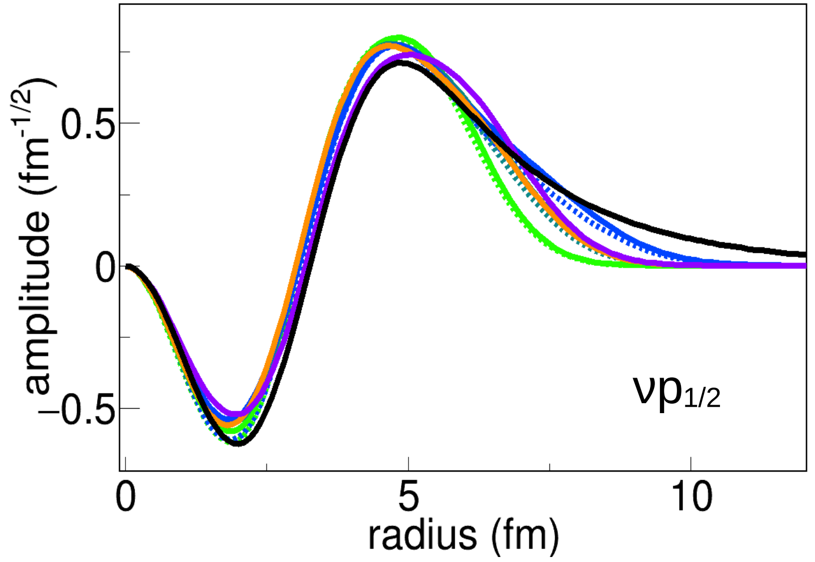
2D variation **4.663 fm**

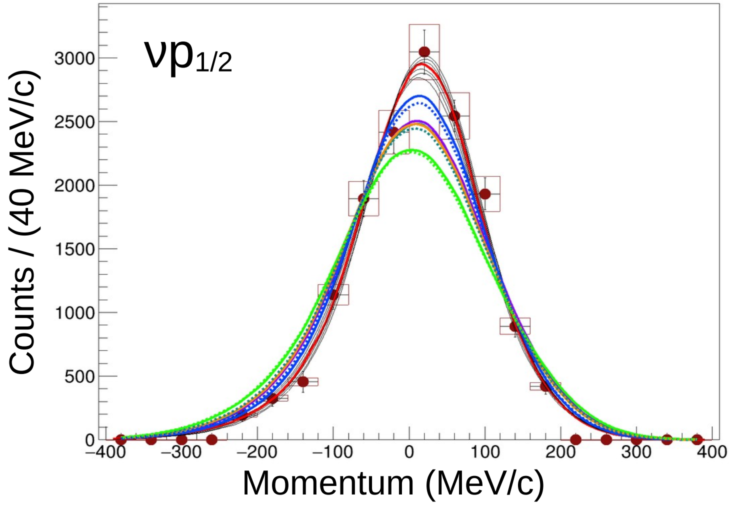
for r_0 = 1.406 fm

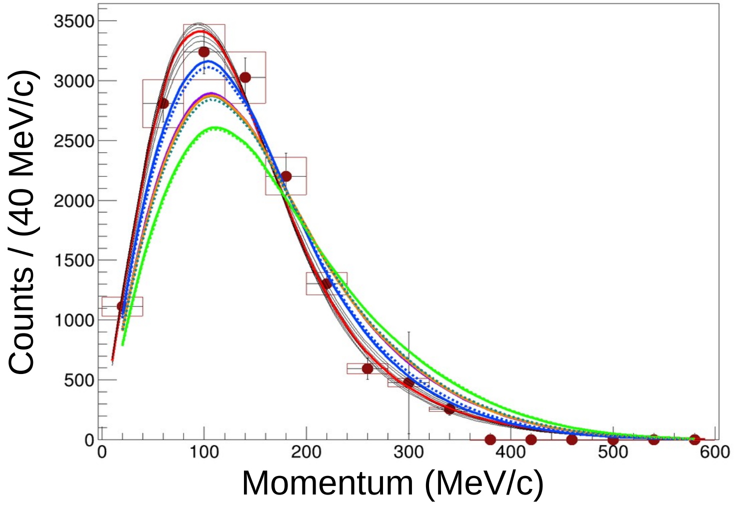
and a_0 = 0.52 fm

Woods-Saxon wavefunction vs ab initio input

ab initio amplitudes: $\langle ^{54}Ca(0^{+})|\ a^{+}_{nlj}\ |^{53}Ca(J^{\pi})\rangle$ used for the DWIA calculations for $^{54}Ca(p,pn)$







Legend:

Woods-Saxon

DN2LOGO394hw16	**N3LOEM500lnlhw16**
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EM1.8-2.0hw16 (HF)	***-- EM1.8-2.0hw16 (NAT)***
EM1.8-2.0hw20 (HF)	***-- EM1.8-2.0hw20 (NAT)***

Similar results for ^{54}Ca $\nu p_{3/2}$ and $\nu p_{1/2}$ orbitals

- frequency dependence
- wider momentum distributions
- lower rms radii
- poor fit to experimental data

Woods-Saxon wavefunction vs ab initio input

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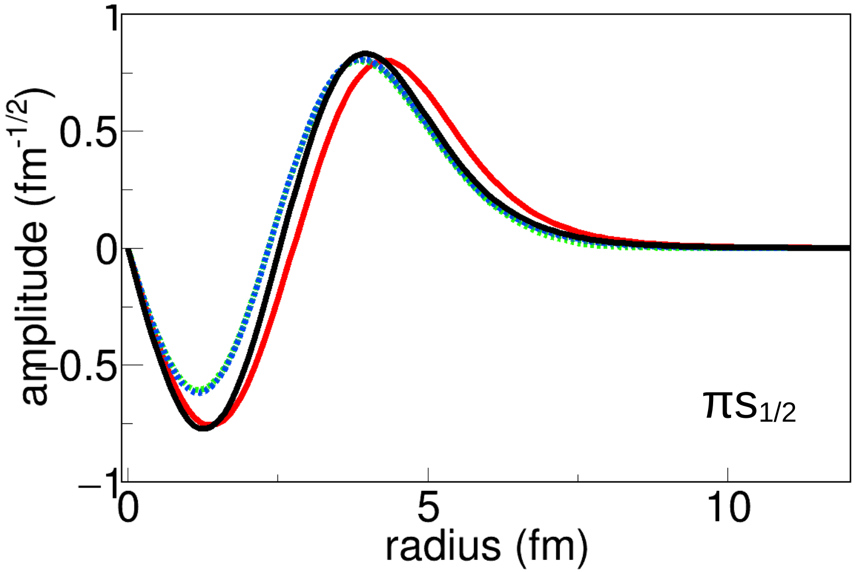
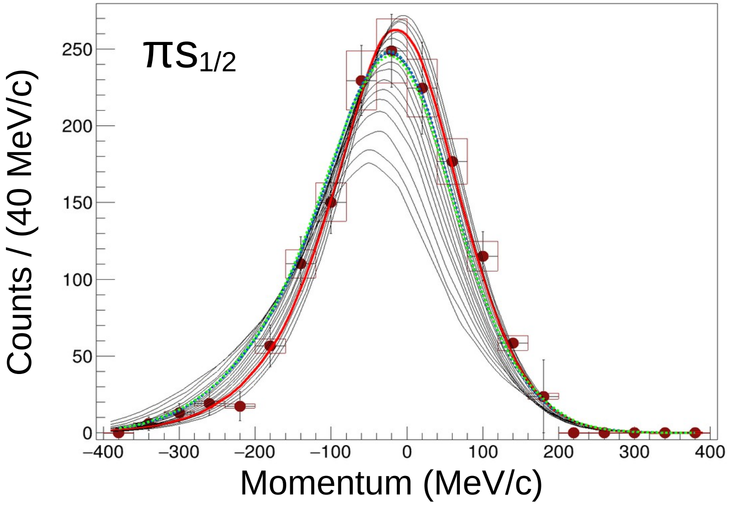
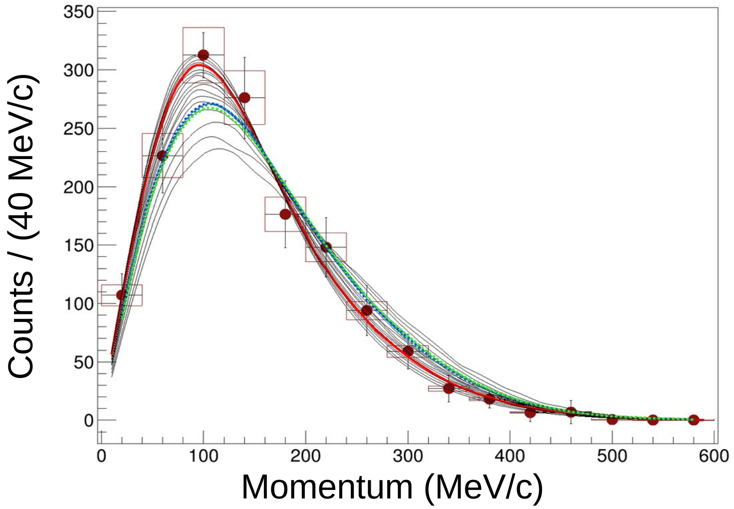






Legend:

Woods-Saxon

-- EM1.8-2.0hw12 (NAT)

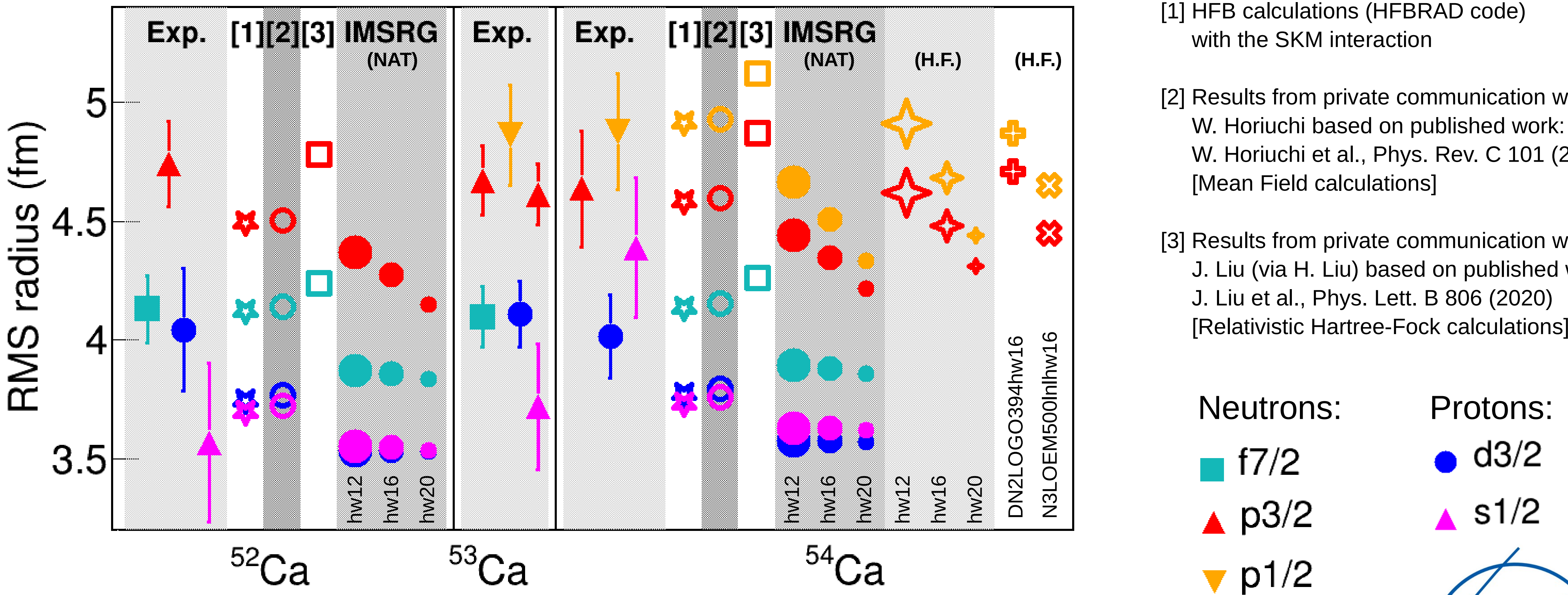
-- EM1.8-2.0hw16 (NAT)

-- EM1.8-2.0hw20 (NAT)

Similar results for ^{52,54}Ca $\pi d_{3/2}$ and $\pi s_{1/2}$ orbitals

- no frequency dependence
- wider momentum distributions
- lower rms radii
- poor fit to experimental data

Rms radii of sp proton and neutron orbitals



[1] HFB calculations (HFBRAD code) with the SKM interaction

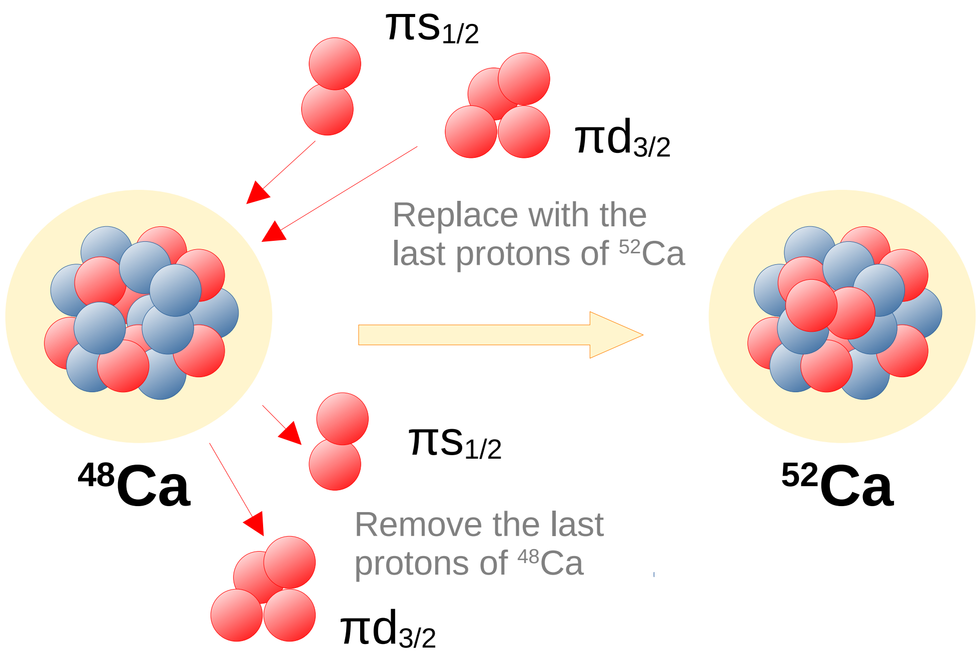
[2] Results from private communication with W. Horiuchi based on published work: W. Horiuchi et al., Phys. Rev. C 101 (2020) [Mean Field calculations]

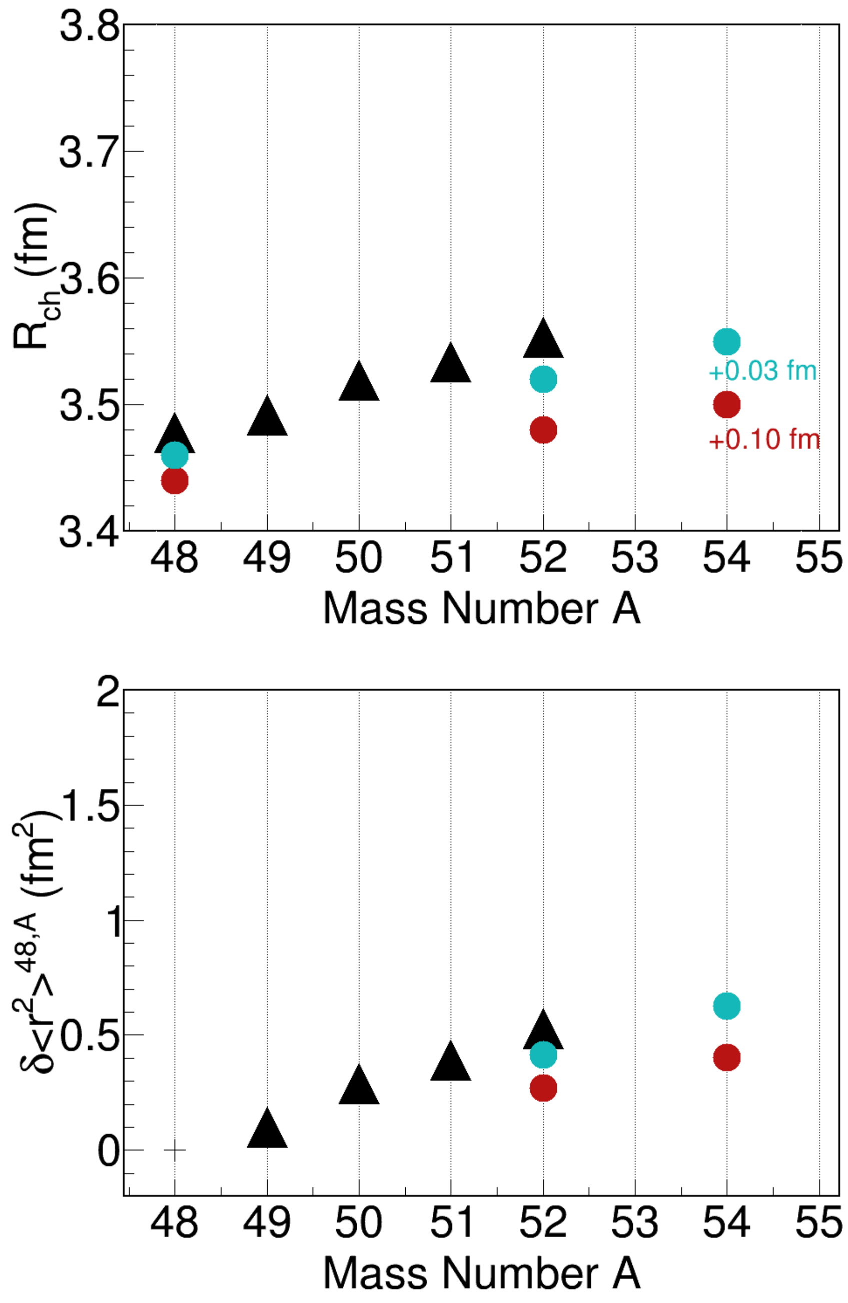
[3] Results from private communication with J. Liu (via H. Liu) based on published work: J. Liu et al., Phys. Lett. B 806 (2020) [Relativistic Hartree-Fock calculations]

IMSRG (full) one-body level: preliminary, ongoing work M. Heinz, T. Miyagi, A. Schwenk, A. Tichai

Charge radii of Calcium isotopes

What is does the size of the $s_{1/2}$ and $d_{3/2}$ proton orbitals of ^{52,53,54}Ca mean for the total charge radius?





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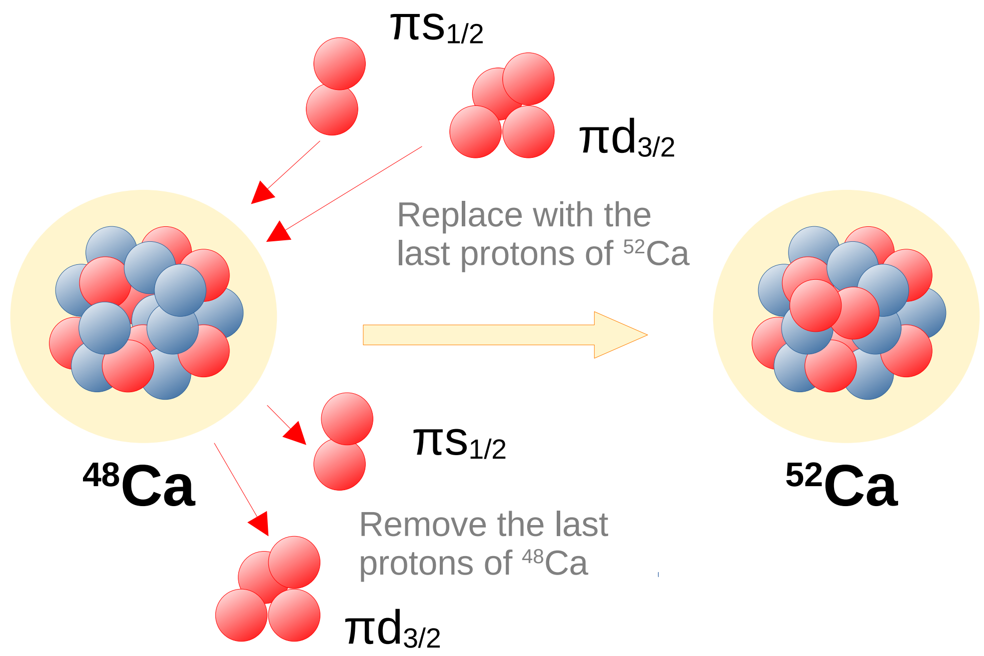

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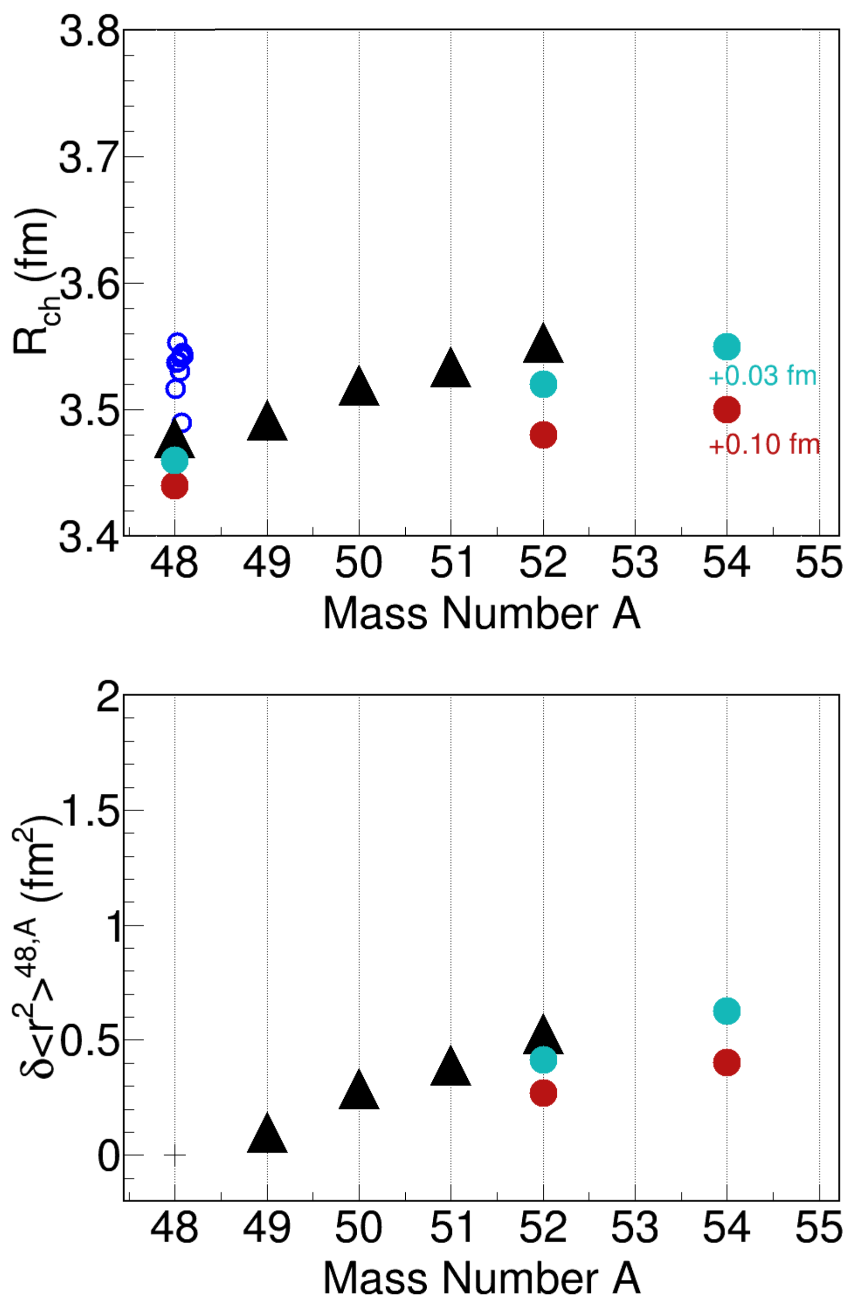

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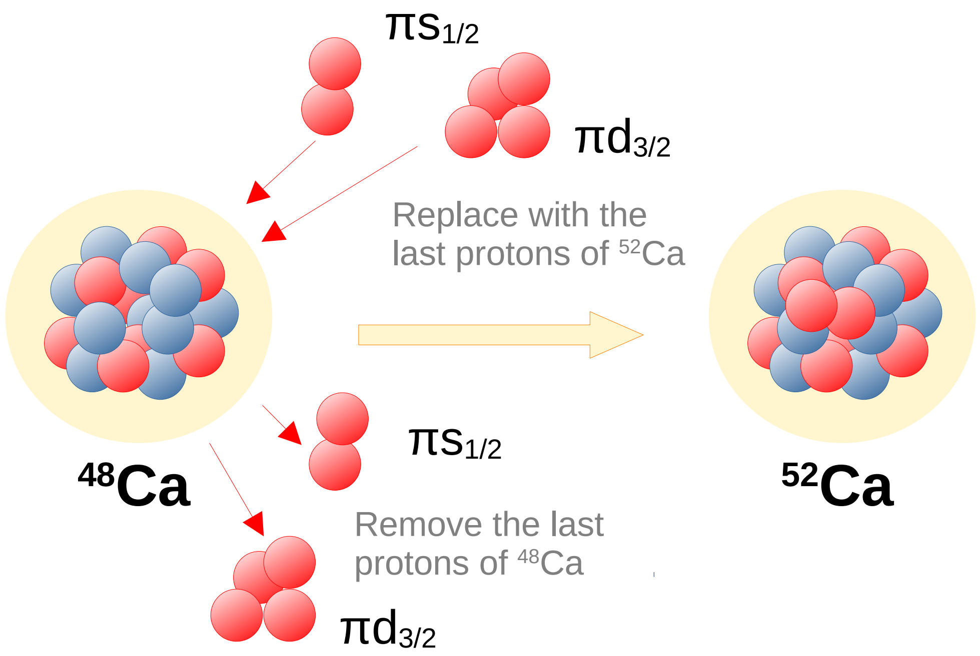

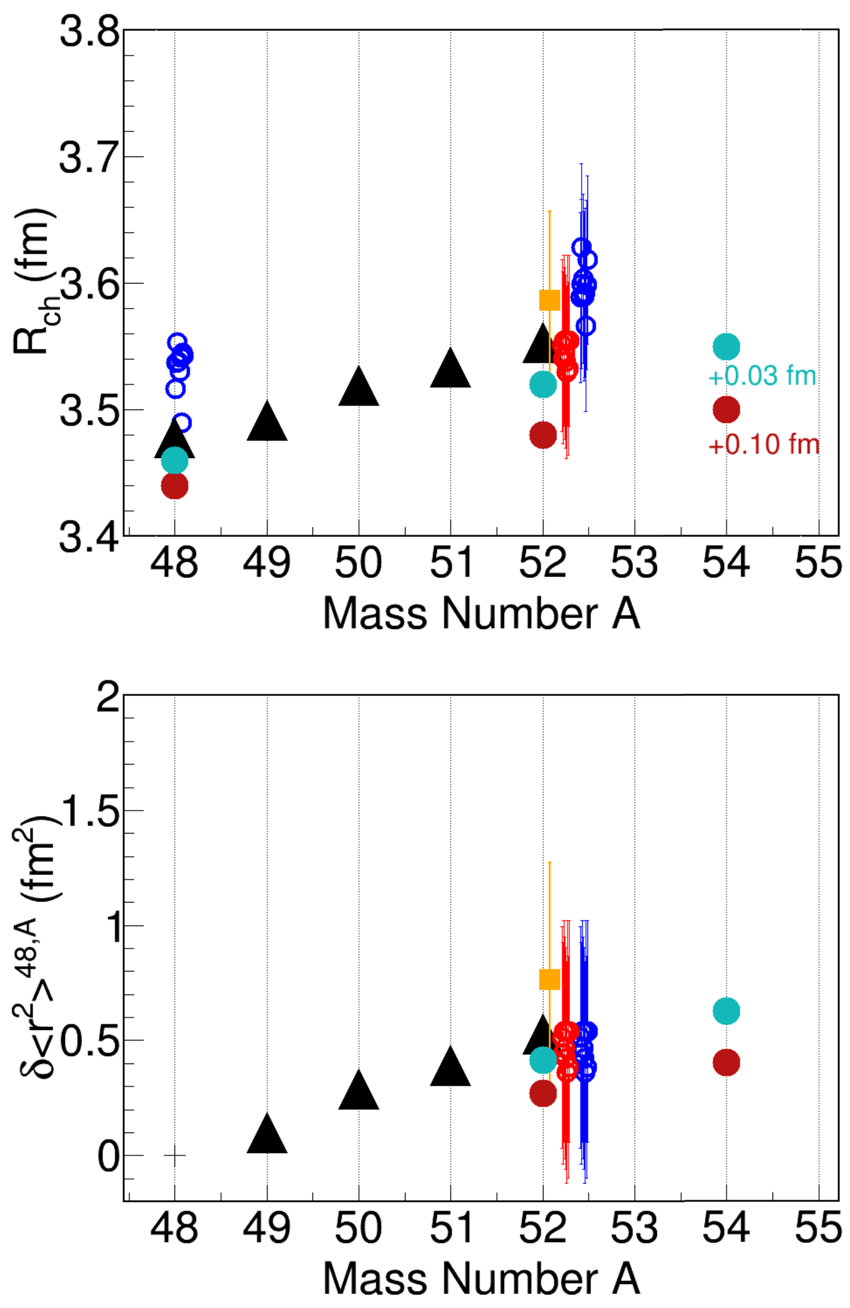

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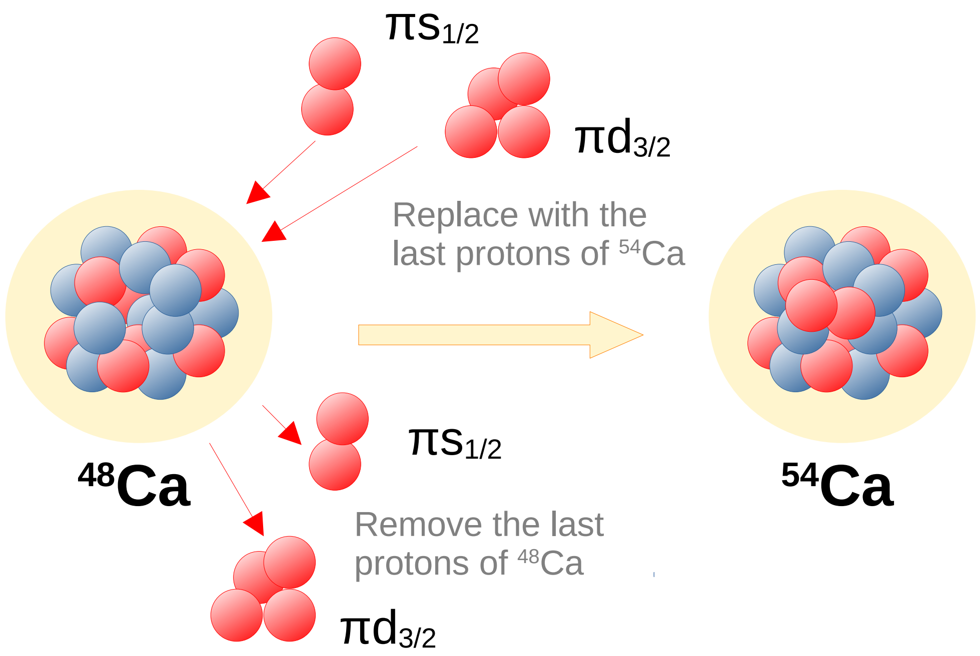

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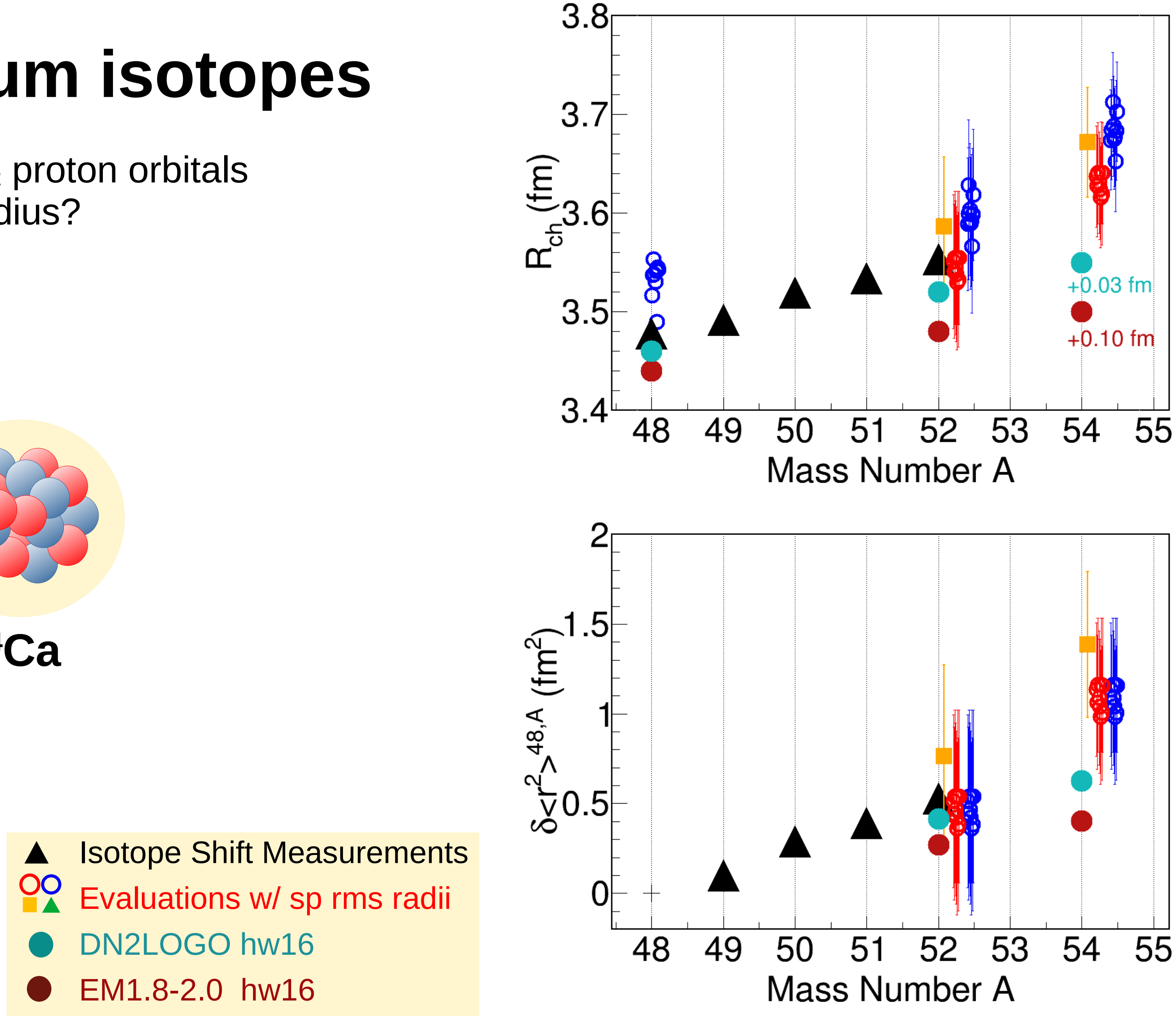

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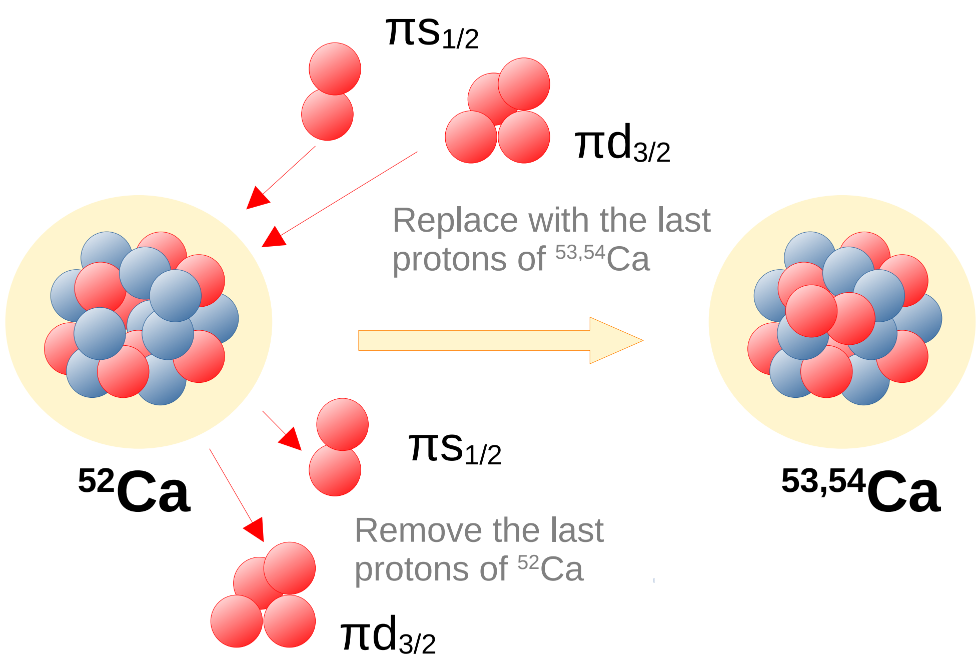

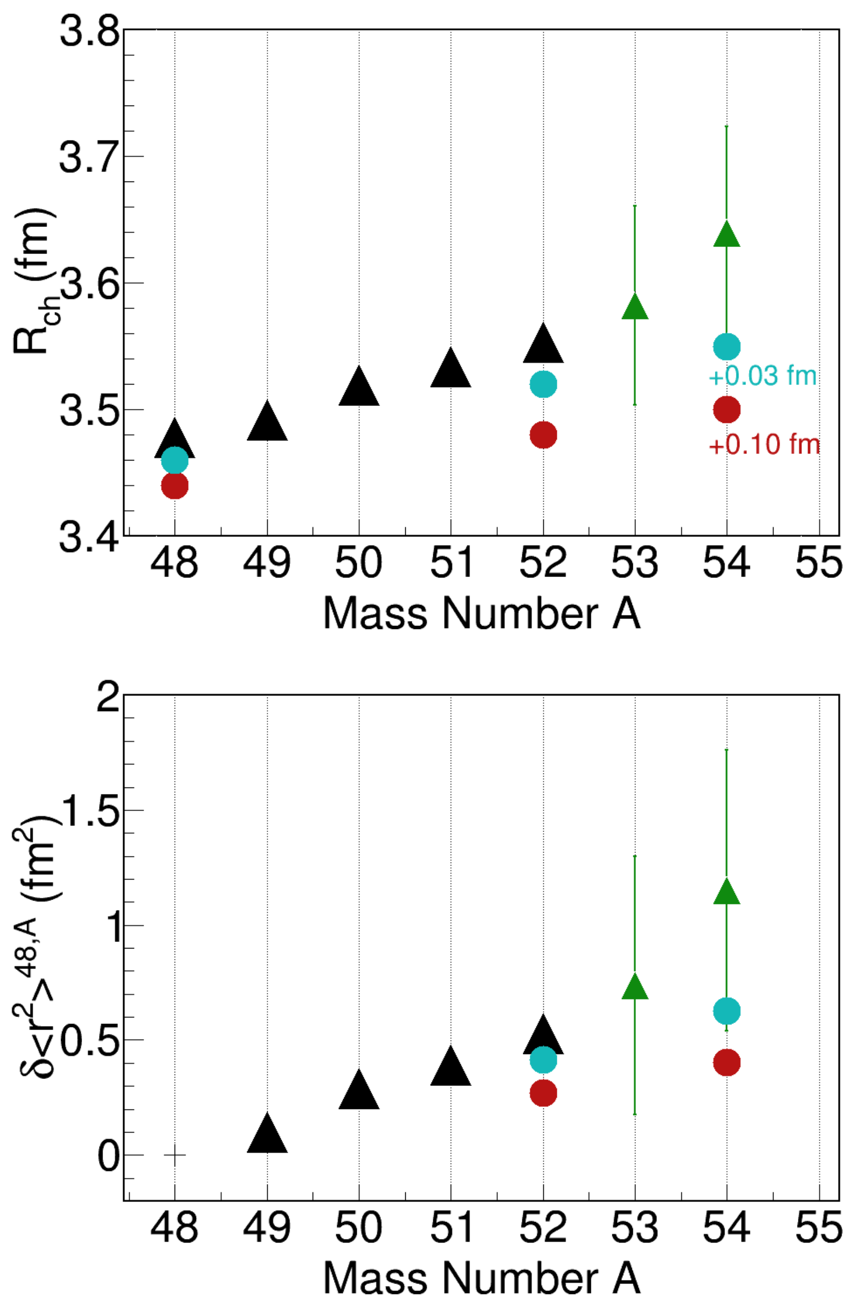

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Summary and Conclusions

- **Calcium charge radii puzzle: steep increase from N=28 to N=32** (R. F. Garcia-Ruiz et al. 2016)
  - **matter radii** present the same behavior (M. Tanaka et al. 2020)
  - J. Bonnard et al. 2016: **νp orbitals larger than νf orbitals by 0.7fm** for explaining the charge radii
  - W. Horiuchi et al. 2020: **core swelling** as one fills the $\nu p_{1/2}$, $\nu p_{3/2}$ and $\nu f_{5/2}$ orbitals
  - J. Liu et al. 2023: density evolution from **^{52}Ca to ^{54}Ca**

- **Rms radii of proton and neutron orbitals in ^{52,53,54}Ca:**
  - Neutrons: large difference between **νp and νf orbitals**
  - Protons: an **increase in πsd** orbitals compared to ^{40,48}Ca

- From single-particle orbital **rms radii** to **charge radii:**
  - agreement with the prediction of Bonnard for νp-νf
  - the $\delta\langle r^2\rangle^{48,52}$ as well as R_{ch}^{52Ca} was reproduced
  - evaluations for ^{53}Ca and ^{54}Ca charge radii