

Laser-assisted Nuclear Spectroscopy Studies at ISOLDE-CERN

Or, is $R=r_o A^{1/3}$? (as it is said in all textbooks)

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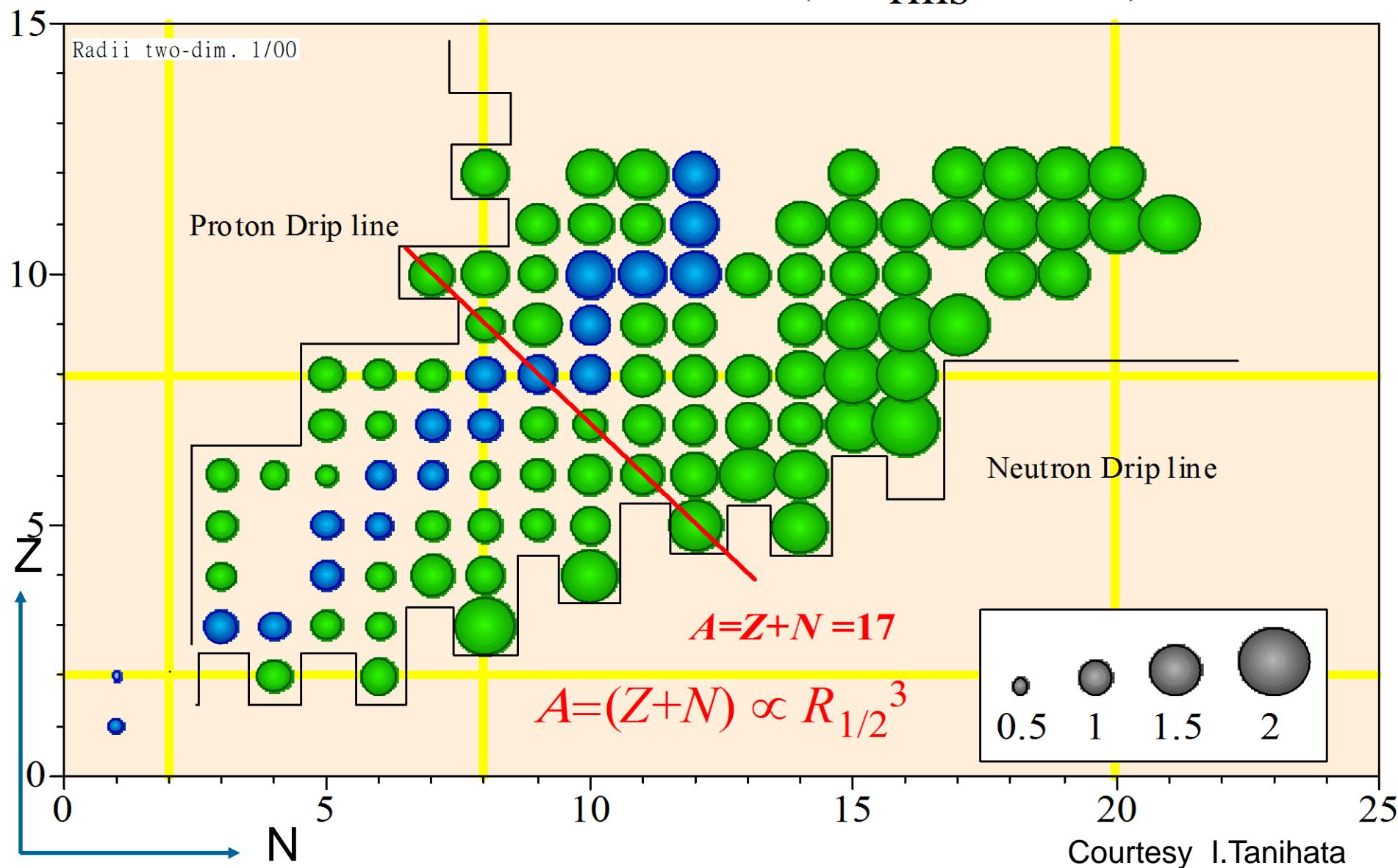
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on behalf of RILIS-Windmill-ISOLTRAP collaboration

- Reminder on Isotope Shift(IS) and Hyperfine Splitting (HFS)
- ISOLDE and our detection tools
- In-source laser spectroscopy with RILIS (Au, Hg, Bi chains)
- Collinear laser spectroscopy with COLLAPS and CRIS (Ca, In chains)
- Conclusions

RIBs: Breaking Old Rules in Nuclear Physics: is $R=r_0 A^{1/3}$?

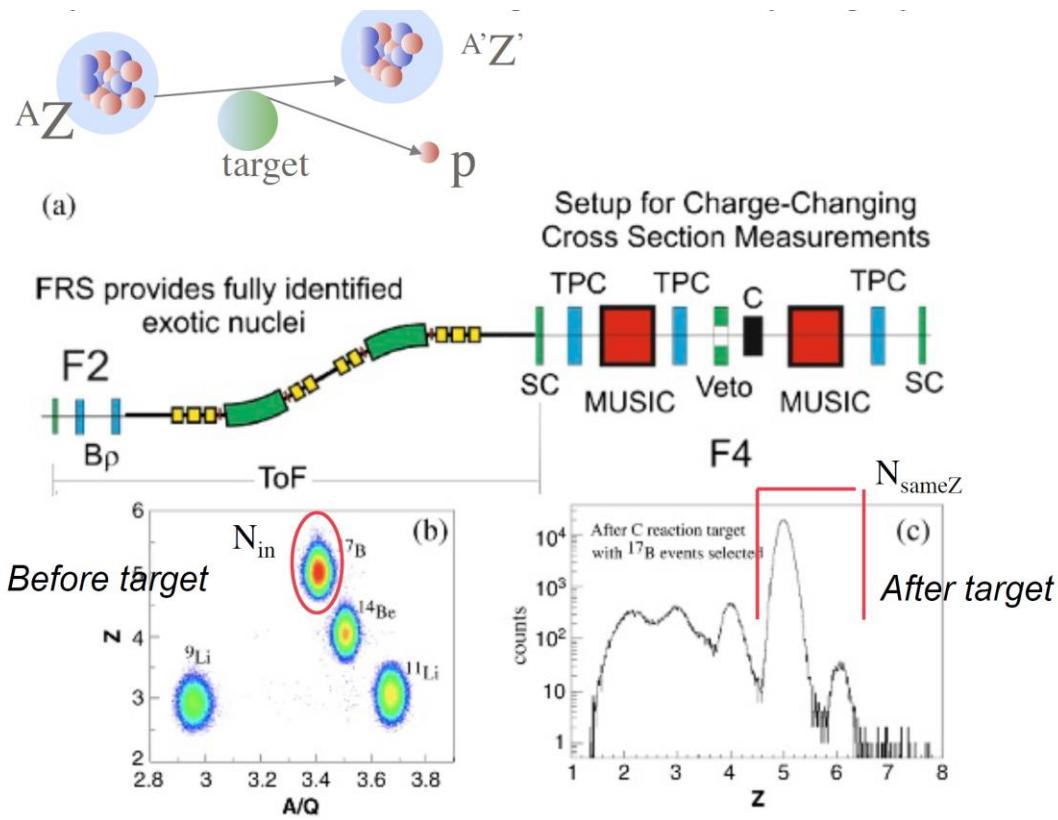
Nuclear Radii

$(R_{\text{rms}}^m - 1.47) \text{ fm}$



An example: Charge radii from Charge Changing Cross Sections with RIBs

Sum of all reactions that decrease proton number of the projectile



Carbon

R. Kanungo et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 117 (2016) 102501

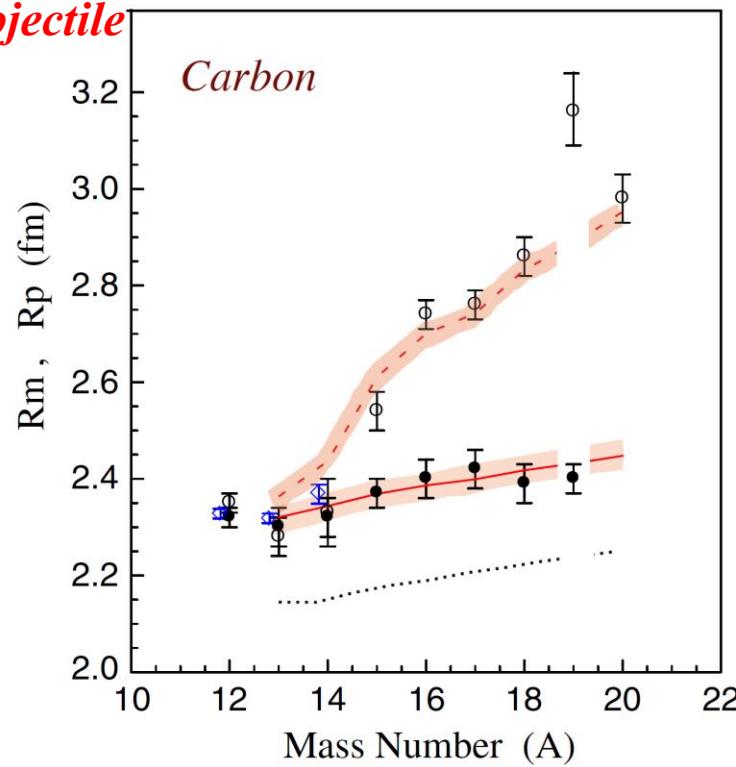
Boron

A. Estrade et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 113 (2014) 132501

Beryllium

S. Terashima et al., Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. (2014) 101D02

Courtesy R. Kanungo



- Consistent with R_p from electron scattering

TABLE I. Secondary beam energies, measured σ_{CC} and the root-mean-square proton and matter radii derived from the data for the carbon isotopes.

Isotope	E/A (MeV)	σ_{CC}^{ex} (mb)	R_p^{ex} (fm)	$R_p^{(\text{e}^-, \mu)}$ (fm)	R_m^{ex} (fm)
¹² C	937	733(7)	2.32(2)	2.33(1)	2.35(2)
¹³ C	828	726(7)	2.30(4)	2.32(1)	2.28(4)
¹⁴ C	900	731(7)	2.32(4)	2.37(2)	2.33(7)
¹⁵ C	907	743(7)	2.37(3)		2.54(4)
¹⁶ C	907	748(7)	2.40(4)		2.74(3)
¹⁷ C	979	754(7)	2.42(4)		2.76(3)
¹⁸ C	895	747(7)	2.39(4)		2.86(4)
¹⁹ C	895	749(9)	2.40(3)		3.16(7)

Charge Radii from Laser-Assisted studies 2016' status

ISOLDE@CERN (RILIS, CRIS, COLLAPS)

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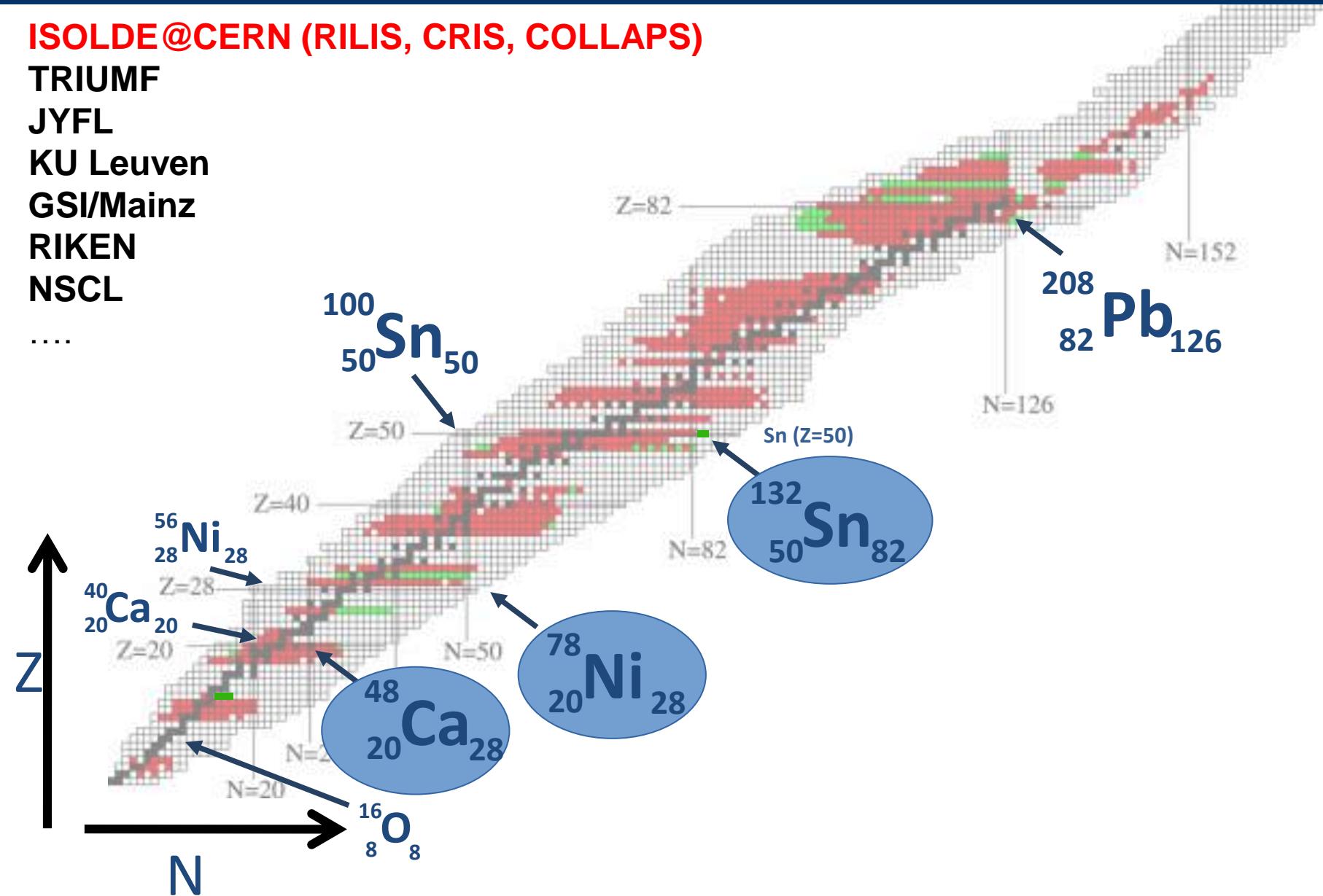
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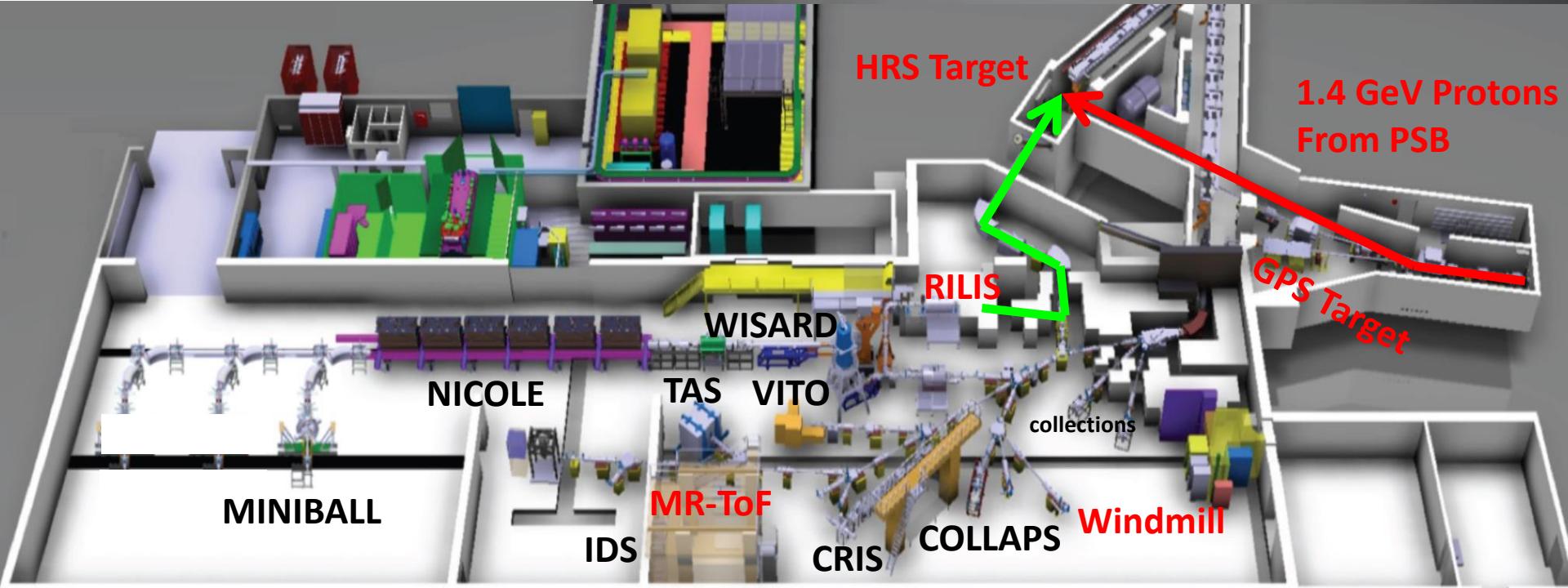
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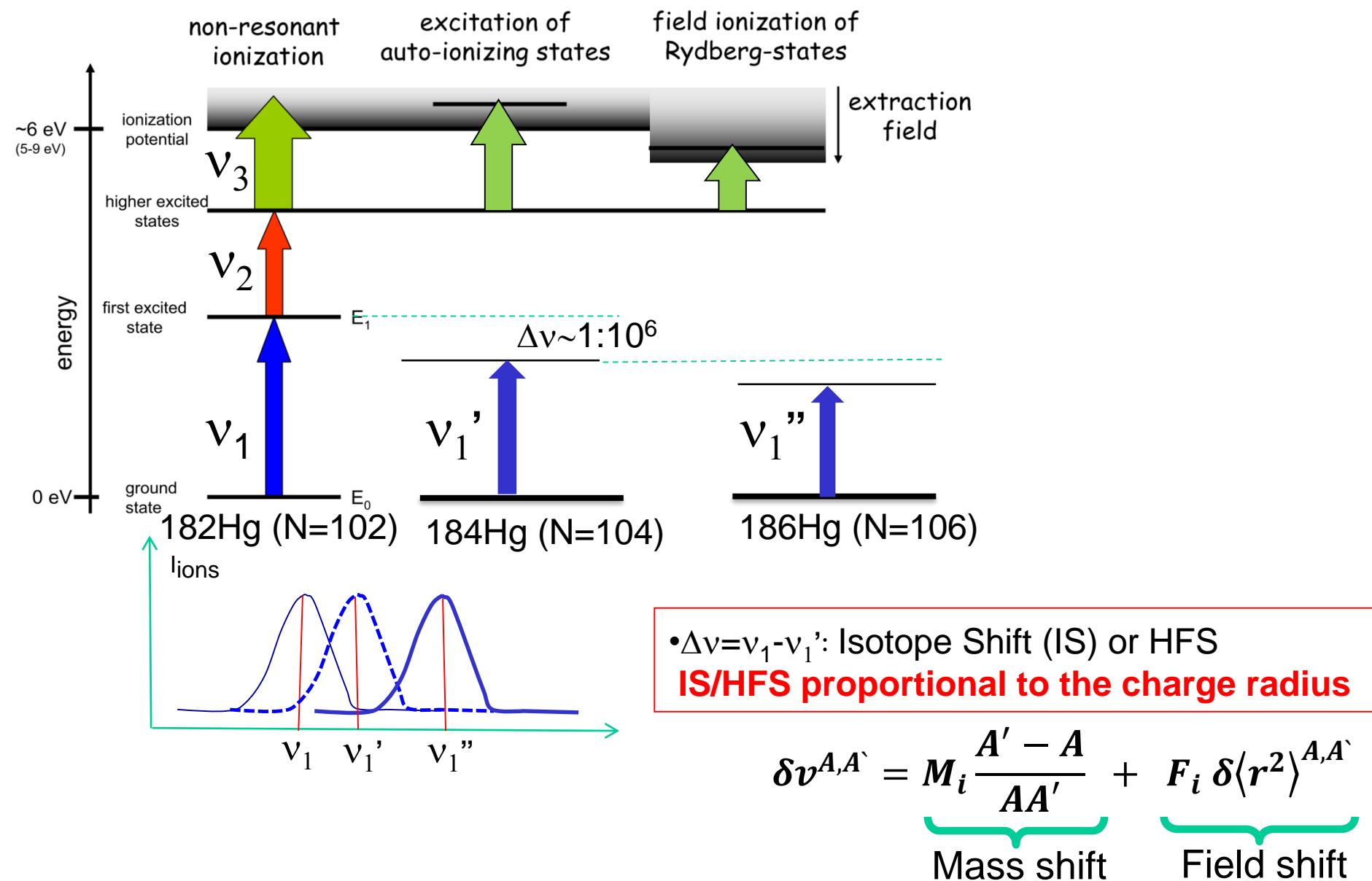
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The ISOLDE facility at CERN

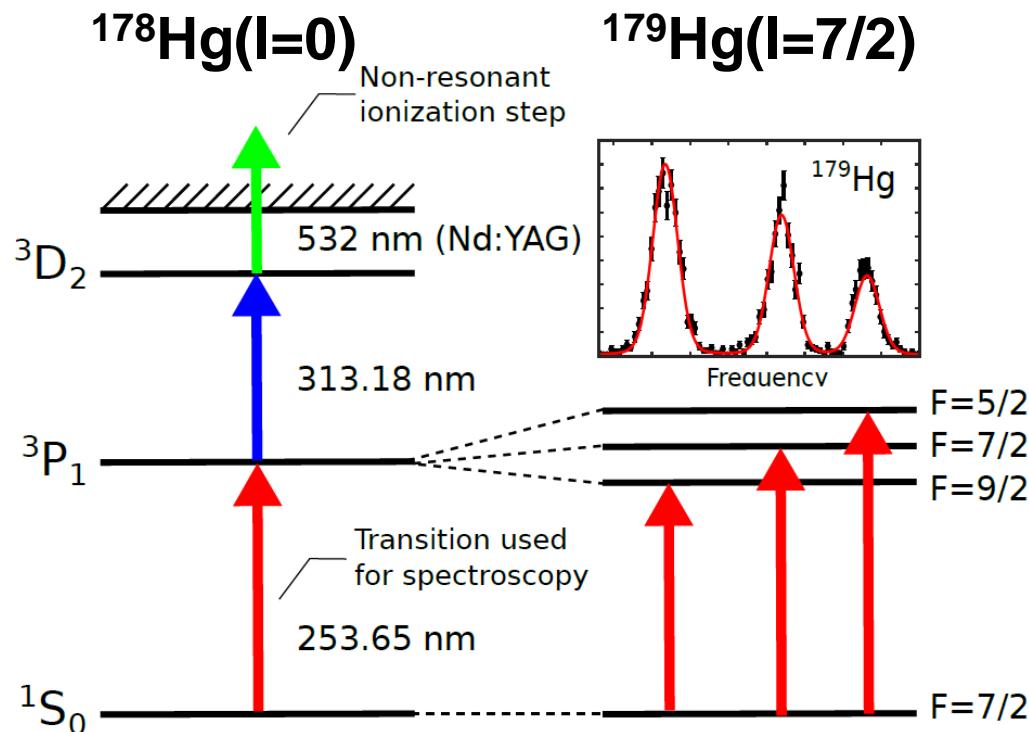


Resonance Laser Spectroscopy of an Atom



Resonance Laser Spectroscopy of an odd- A nucleus

- More complex in odd- A (odd-odd- A) cases
- Needs to consider HFS splitting, due to coupling of nuclear I and electron spin J , resulting in total atomic spin $F=I+J$



$$F_{atom} = I_{nuclear} + J_{electron}$$

$$\Delta F = 0, \pm 1$$

$$\Delta\nu^F = A \frac{C}{2} + B \frac{\frac{3}{4}C(C+1) - I(I+1)J(J+1)}{2(2I-1)(2J-1)IJ}$$

$$A = \frac{\mu_I B_e(0)}{IJ}$$

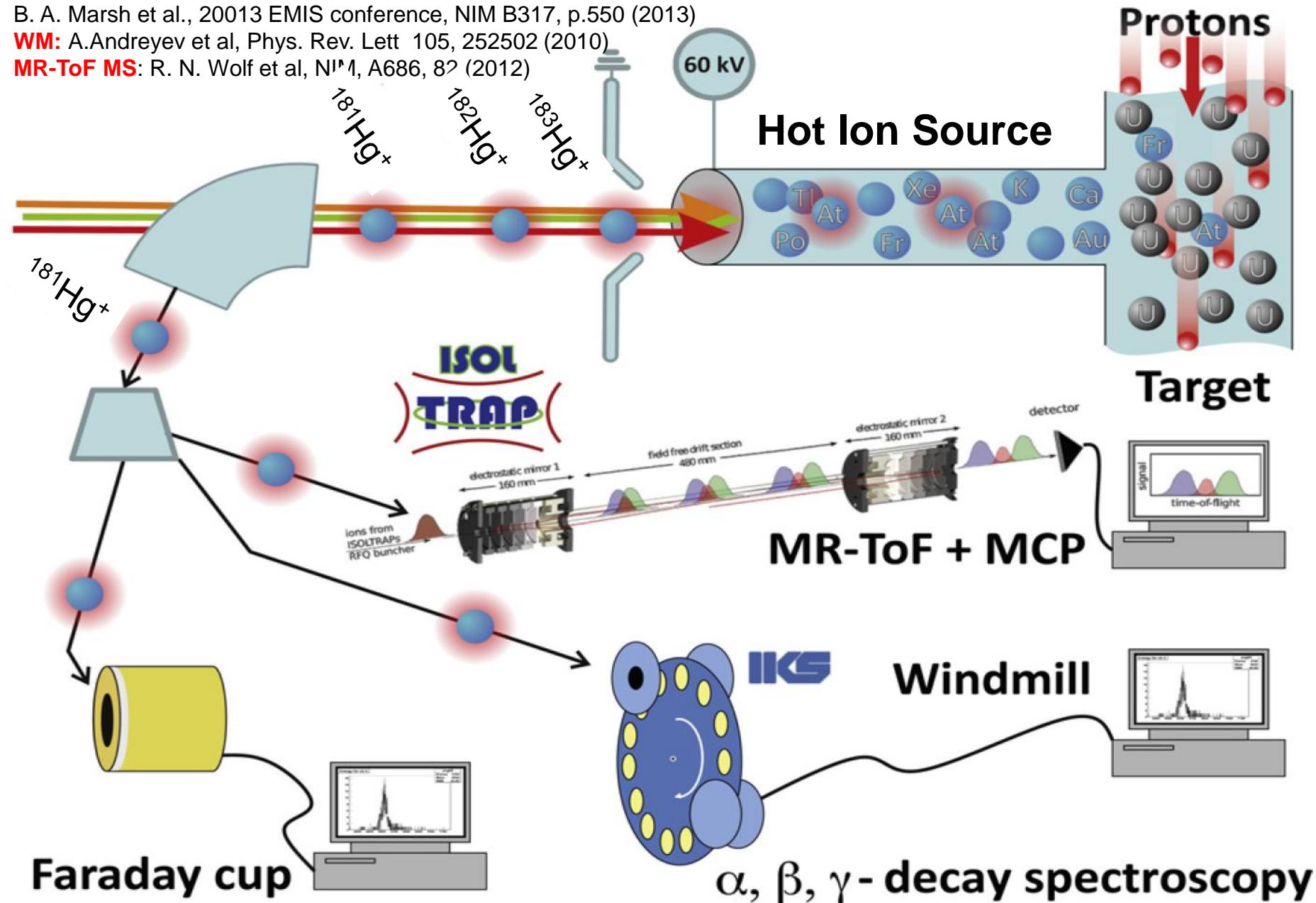
$$B = eQ_s \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial^2 z}$$

Case 1: In-source Laser Spectroscopy with RILIS

B. A. Marsh et al., 20013 EMIS conference, NIM B317, p.550 (2013)

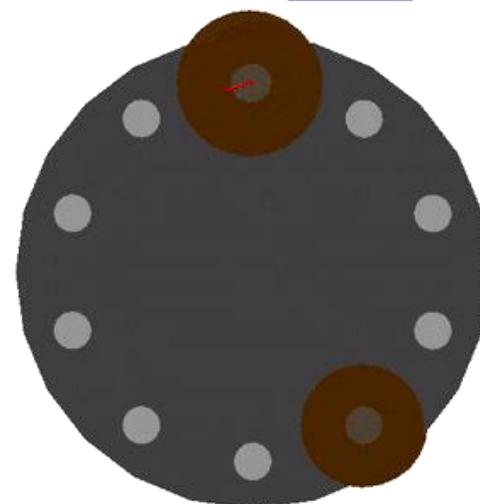
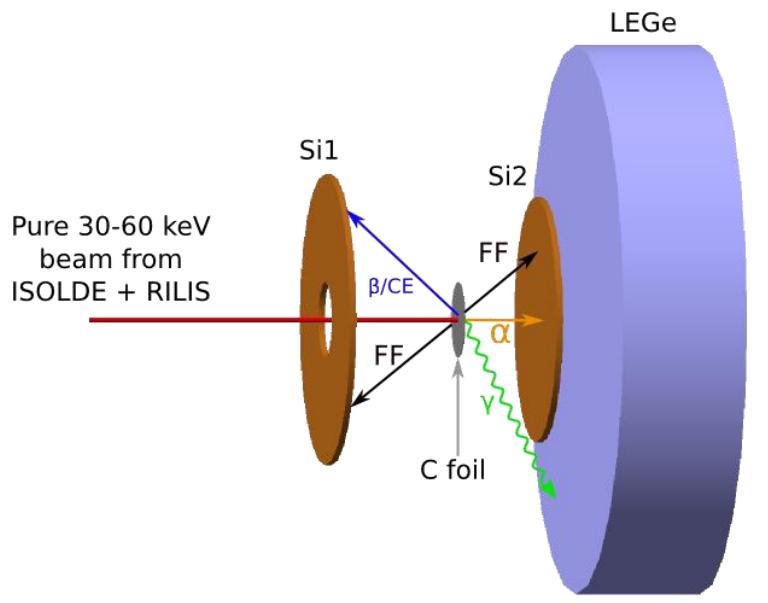
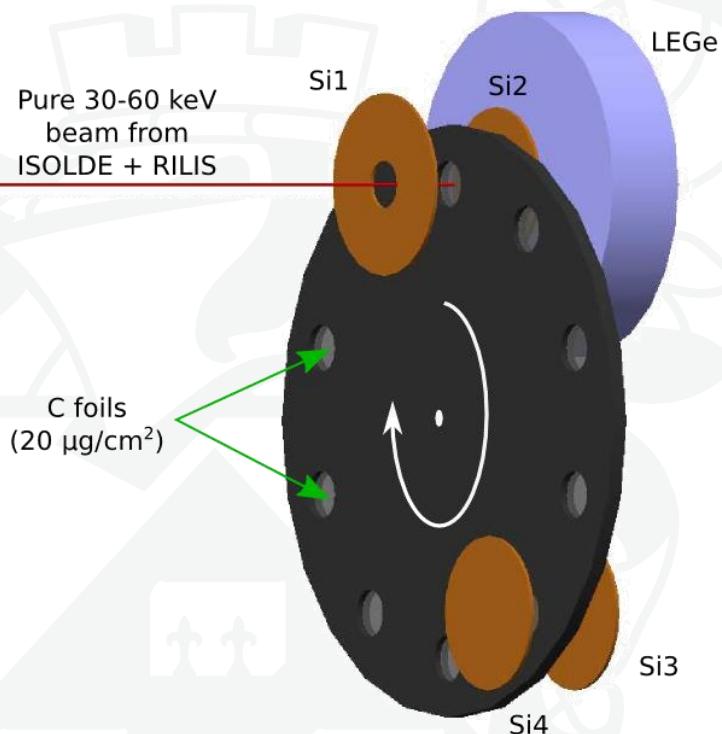
WM: A. Andreyev et al, Phys. Rev. Lett 105, 252502 (2010)

MR-ToF MS: R. N. Wolf et al, NIM, A686, 82 (2012)



Windmill Detection System

A. Andreyev et al., PRL 105, 252502 (2010)



Setup: Si detectors both sides of the C-foil

- Simple setup & DAQ: 2 Surface barrier detectors (1 of them – annular) and 2 PIPS detectors.
- 34% geometrical efficiency at implantation site.
- Alpha-gamma coincidences
- Digital electronics

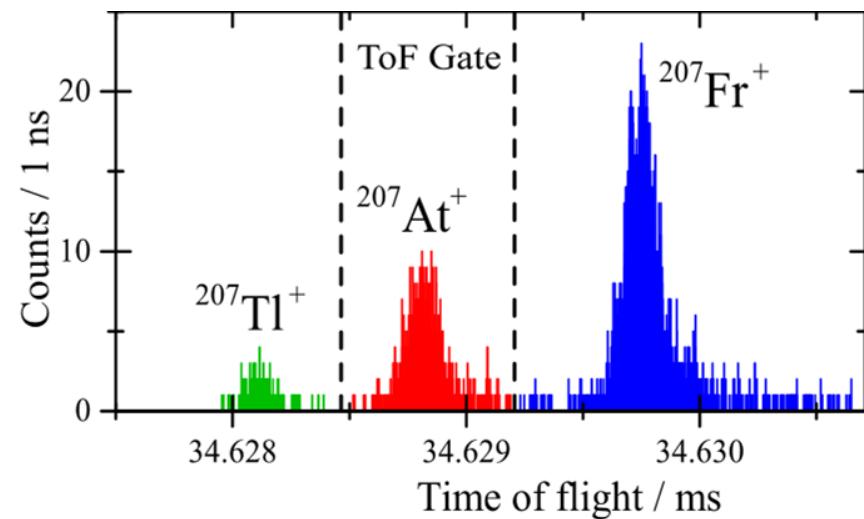
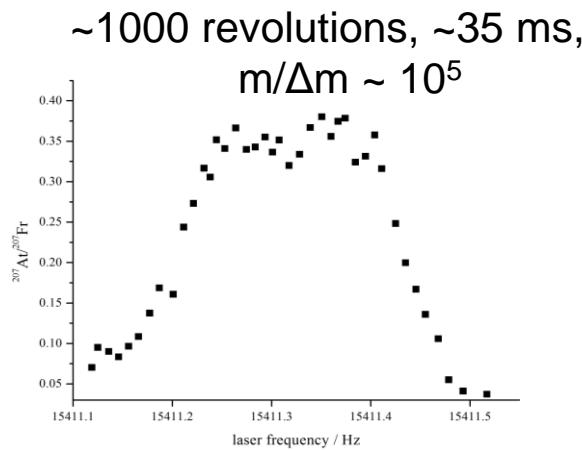
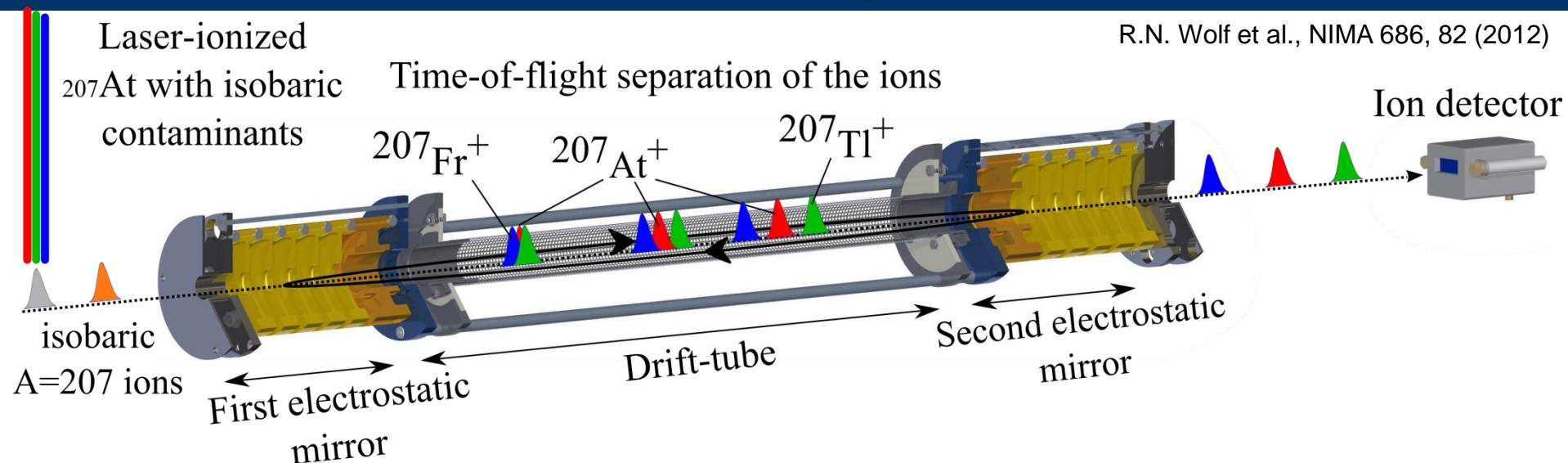
MR-ToF Mass Spectrometer

Laser-ionized

^{207}At with isobaric
contaminants

Time-of-flight separation of the ions

R.N. Wolf et al., NIMA 686, 82 (2012)

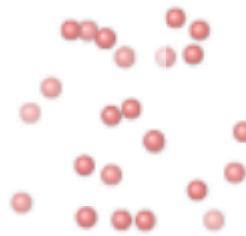
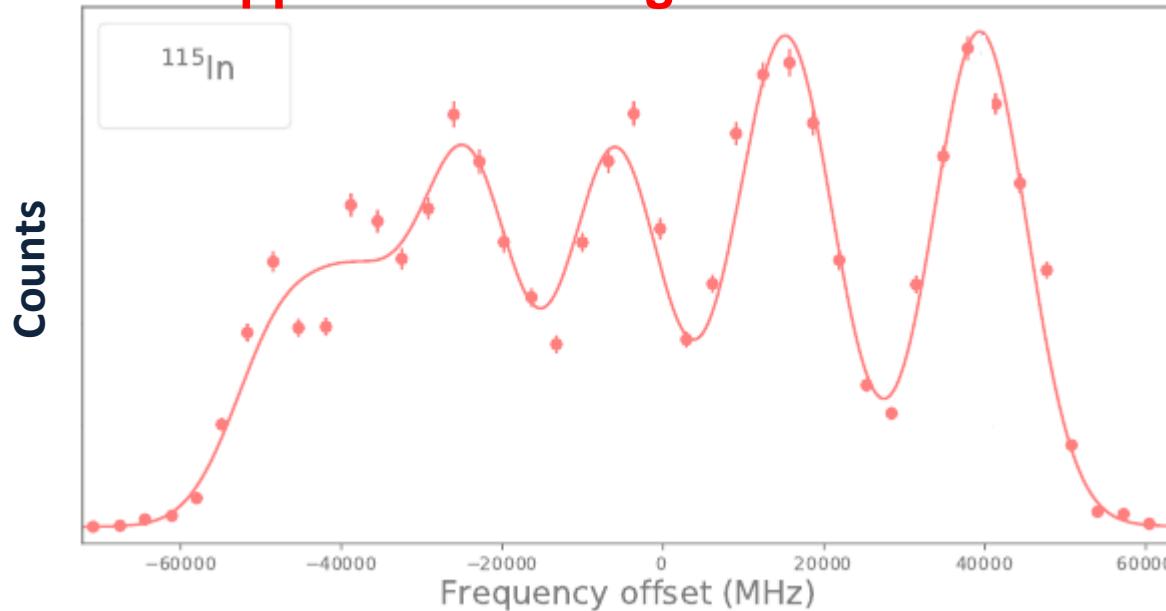


- MR-ToF MS counts ions, thus is not limited by decay scheme or long half-lives
- MR-ToF MS offers a way to separate background for direct single-ion detection using MCP (time scale: tens of ms).

Resolution for In-source Laser Spectroscopy with RILIS

Main limitation for the resolution:

Doppler broadening due to hot ion source configuration



Doppler Broadening

$$\Delta\nu_D = \frac{2\nu_0}{c} \sqrt{\frac{2\ln 2 k T}{m}}$$

Velocity

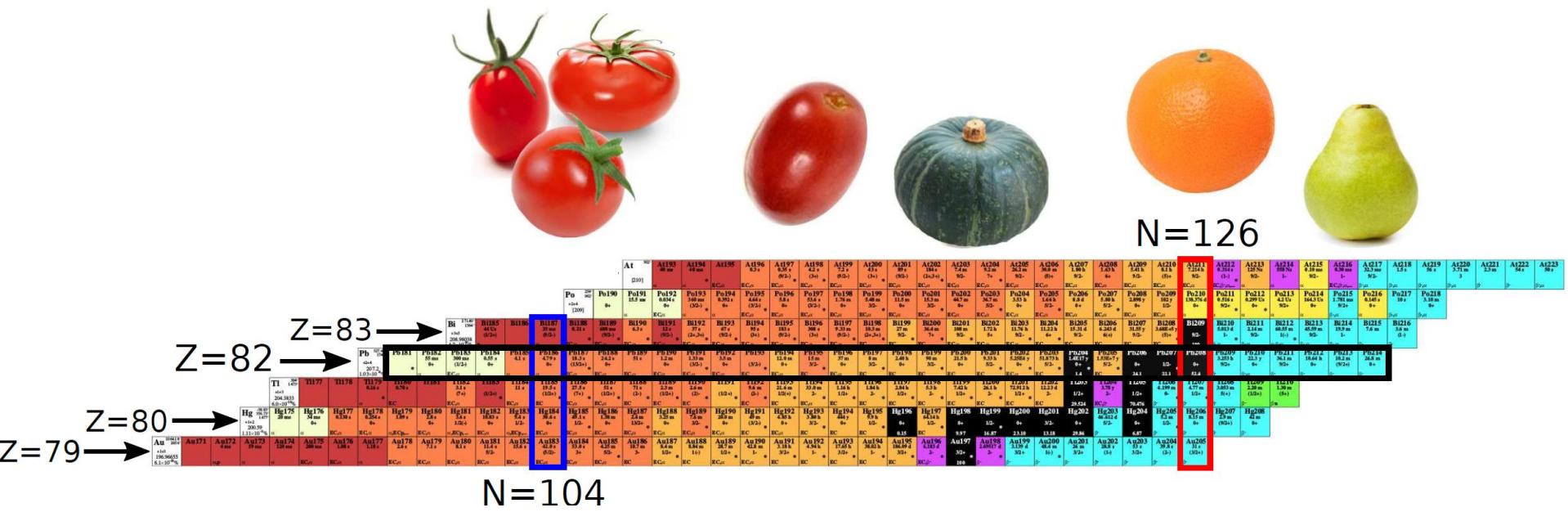
Ion mass

Source temperature

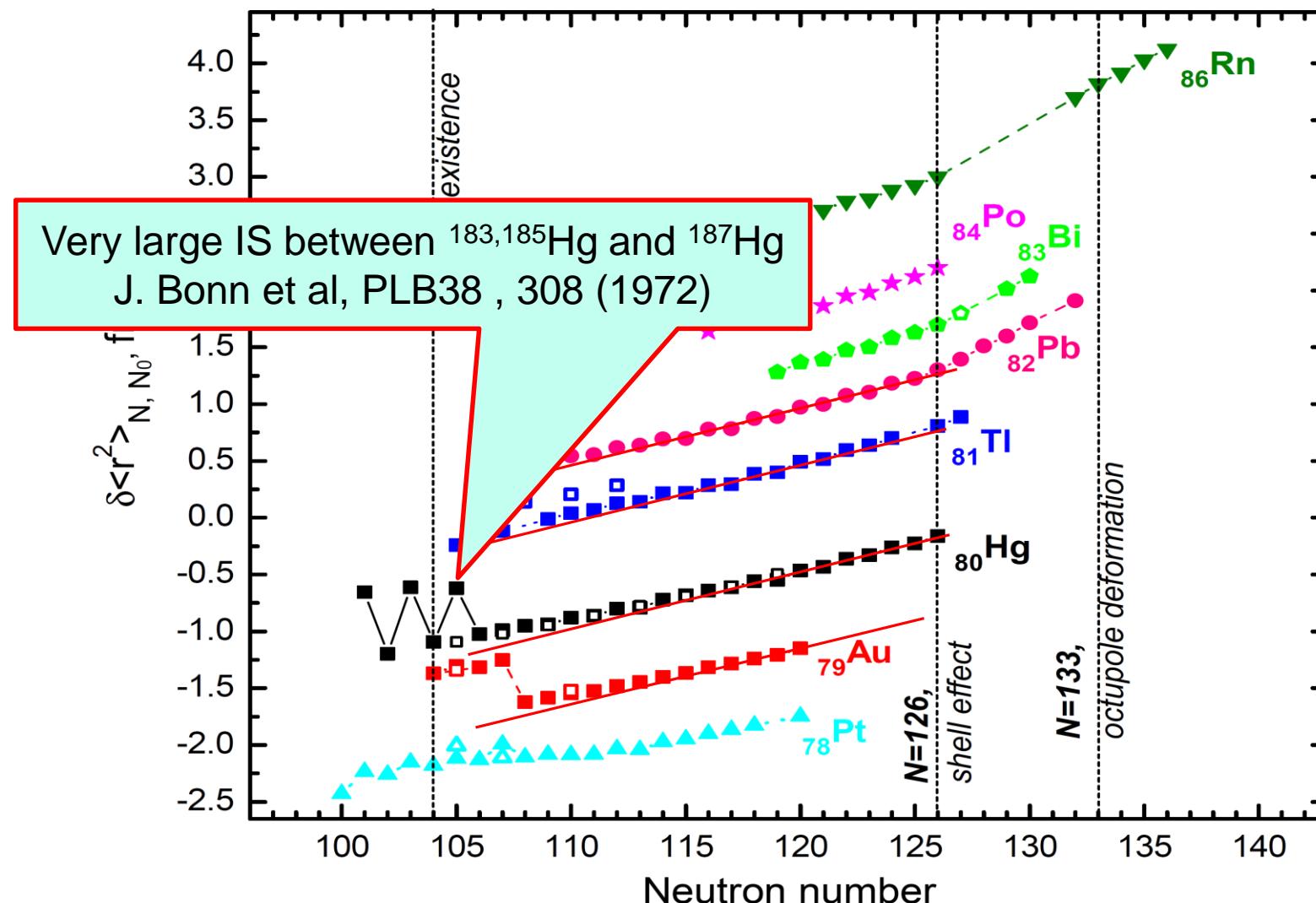
Room Temp. 300 K ~ 25 meV

$\rightarrow \Delta\nu_D > \text{GHz}$

Laser-assisted Nuclear Spectroscopy Studies in the Lead Region at ISOLDE-CERN

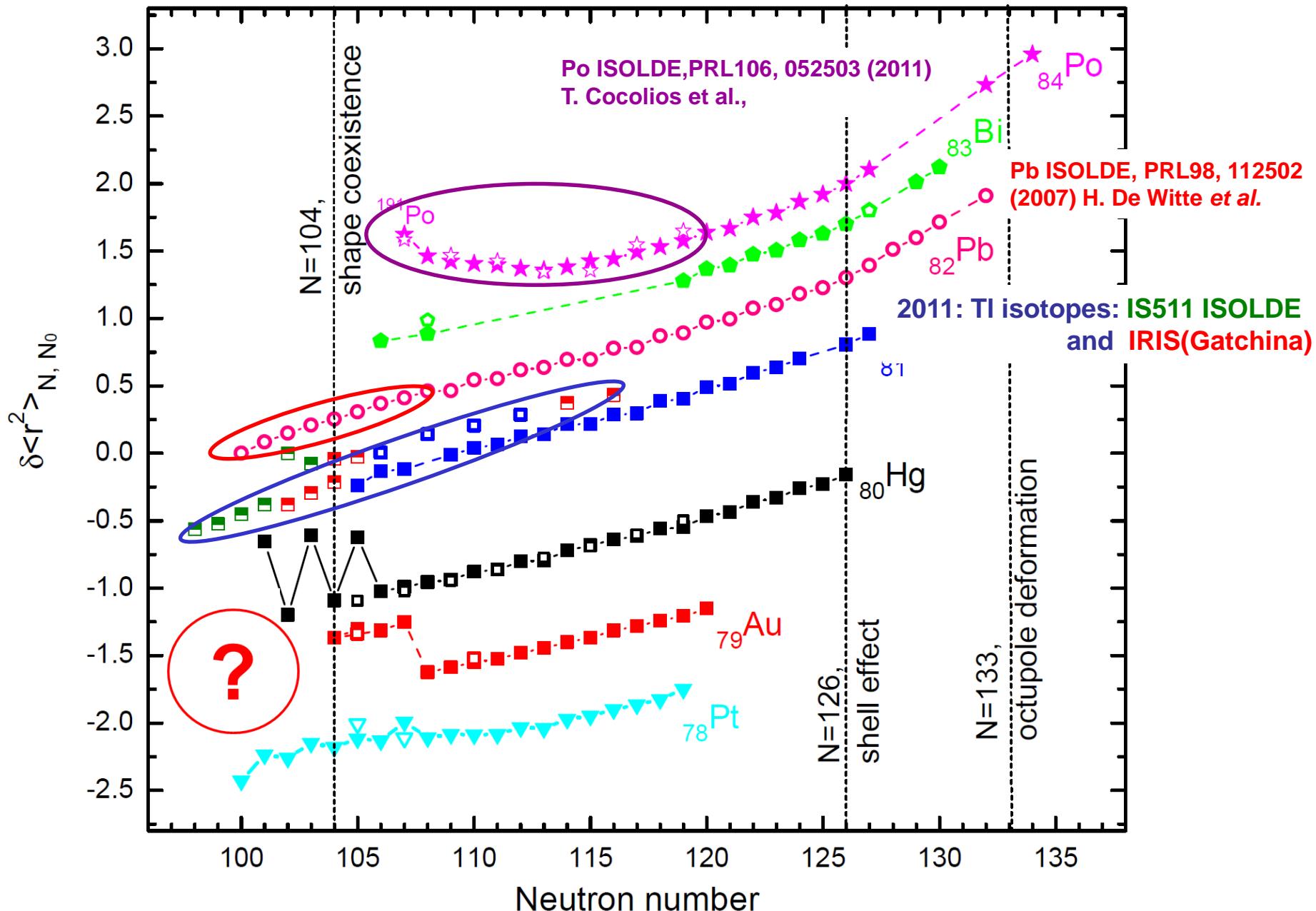


Pre-2003: Charge Radii in the Lead Region



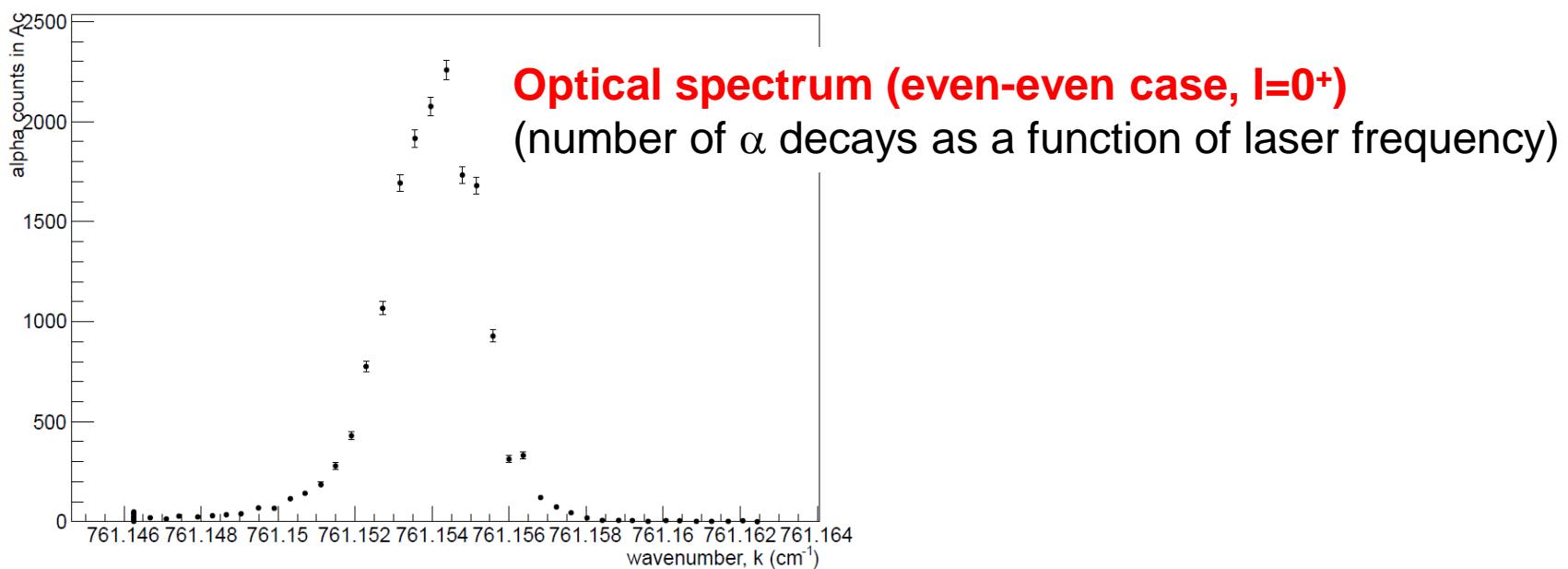
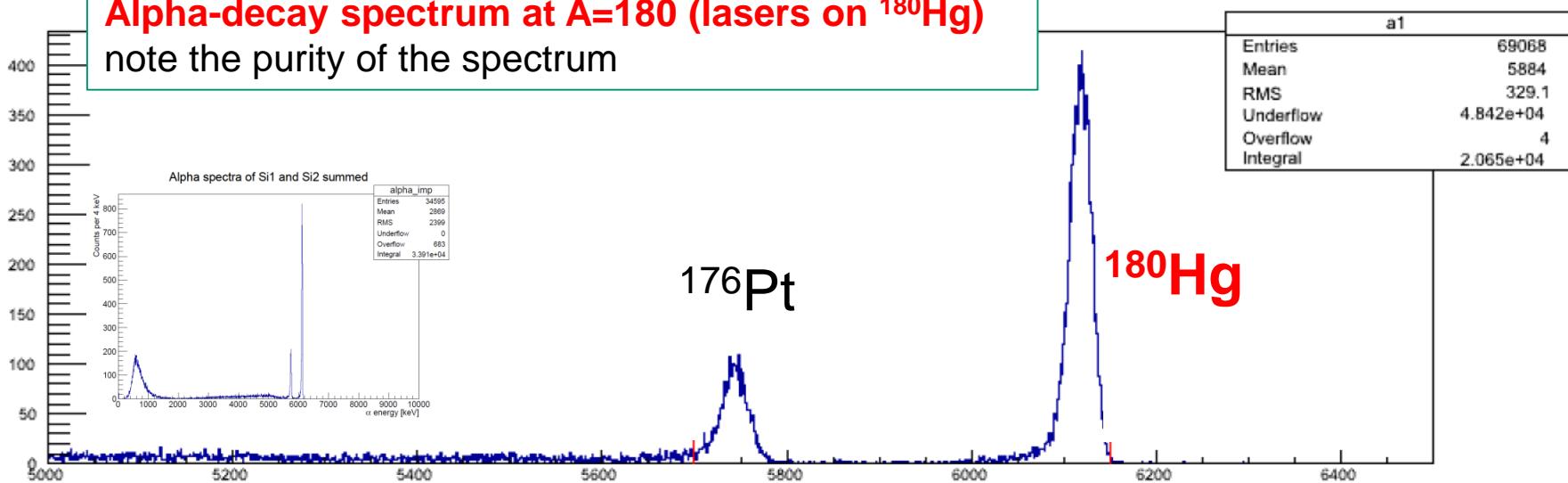
- Shape coexistence around $N \sim 104$
- Sphericity around $N=126$, kink in radii, high-spin isomers
- Octupole effects around $N \sim 132$, inverse odd-even radii staggering

2003-2011: Charge Radii in the Lead Region

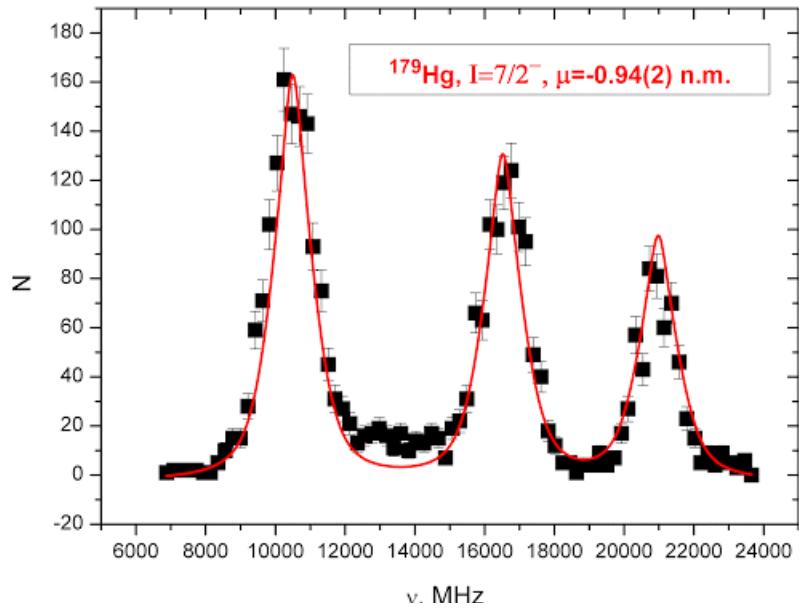


^{180}Hg @Windmill

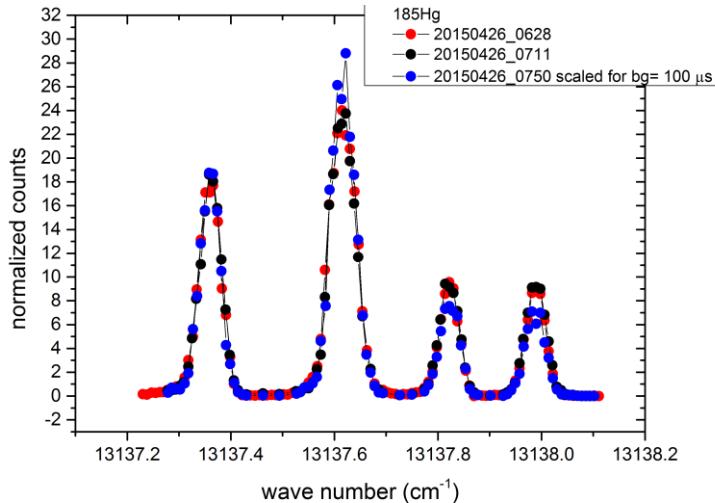
Alpha-decay spectrum at A=180 (lasers on ^{180}Hg)
note the purity of the spectrum



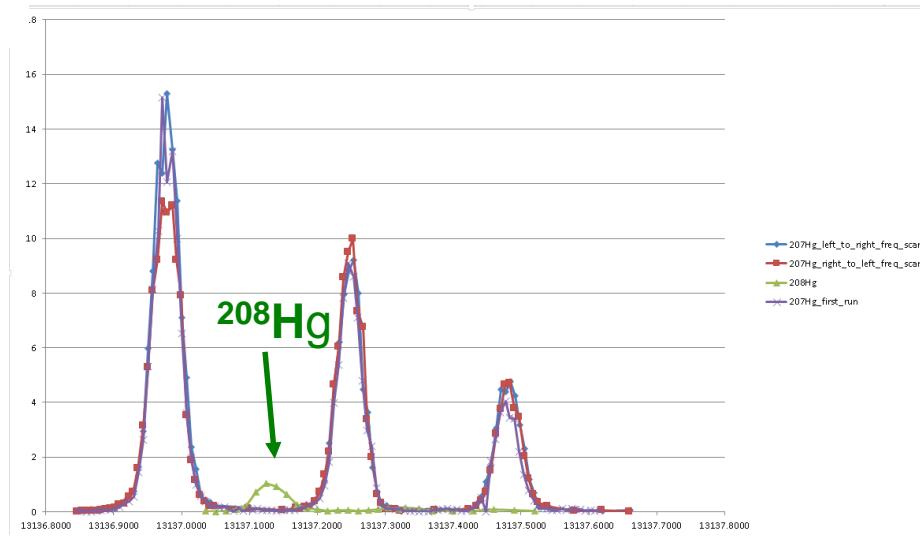
179,185,207,208Hg



^{185}Hg HFS spectrum@MR-ToF, gs+is

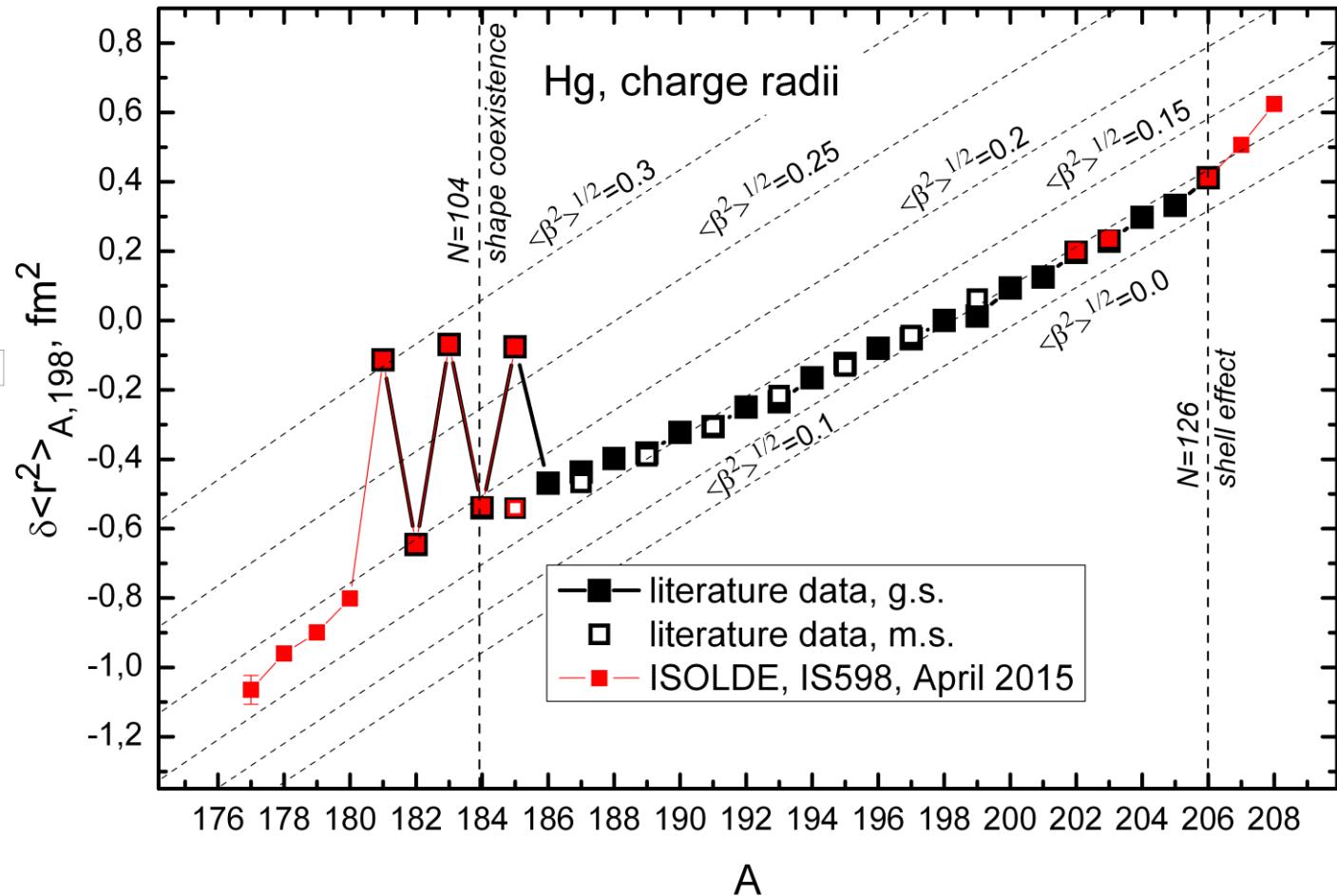
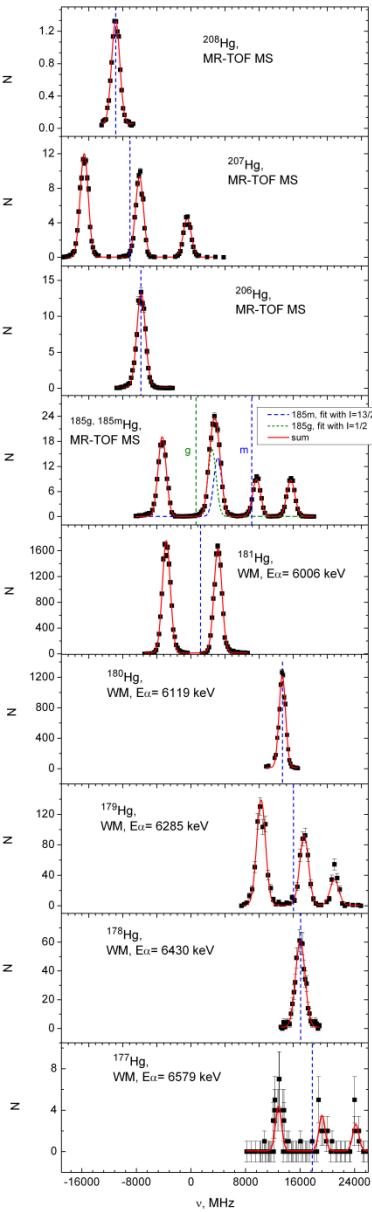


Isotopes with N>126
 ^{207}Hg HFS spectra@MR-ToF, $I=9/2$
 also ^{208}Hg ! $I=0$



HFS spectra and Charge radii for Hg isotopes

(S.Sels et al, Nature Physics, Oct 2018)



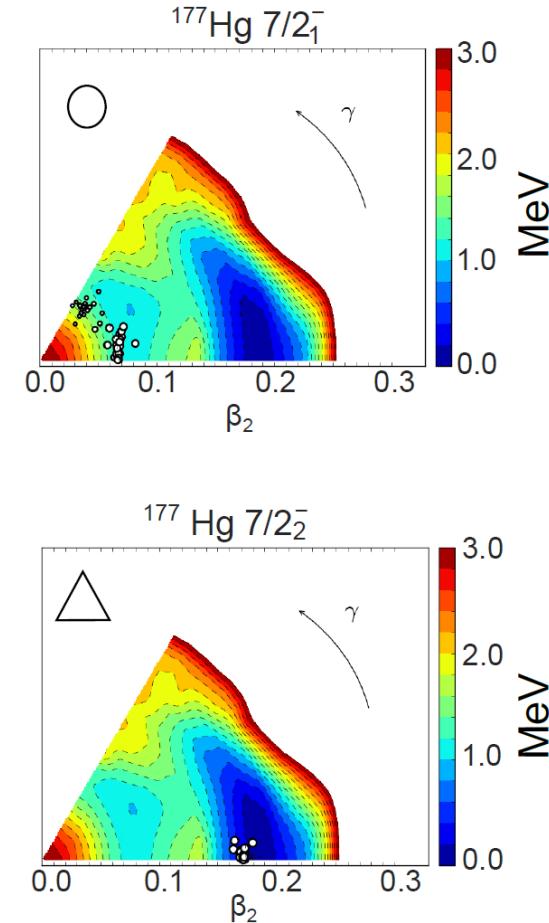
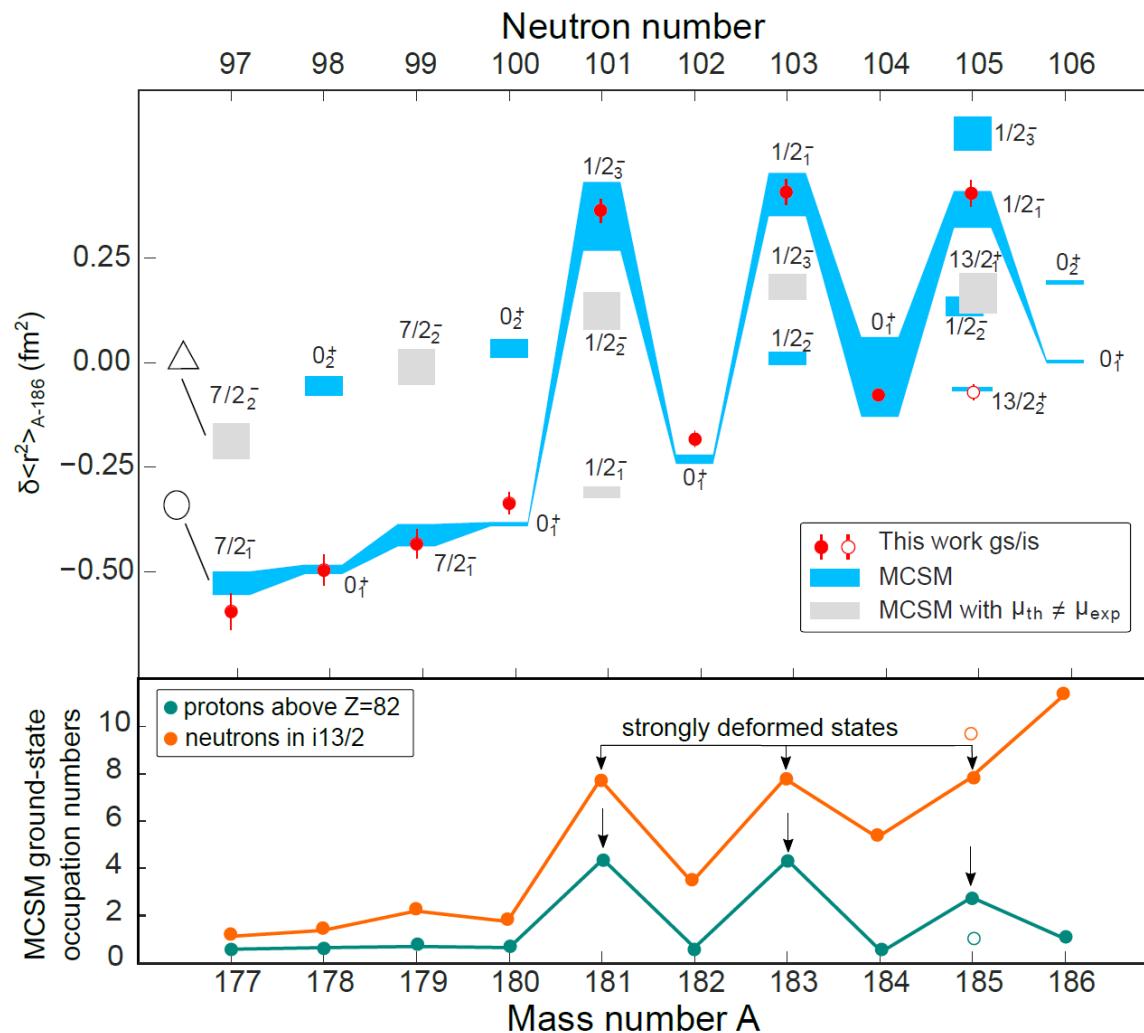
181,183,185Hg- confirmation of earlier data on staggering for $\frac{1}{2}^-$ gs
177,178,179,180Hg (new) – trend towards sphericity
207,208Hg (new): kink beyond N=126

MCSM for Hg isotopes (Y. Tsunoda, T.Otsuka et al)

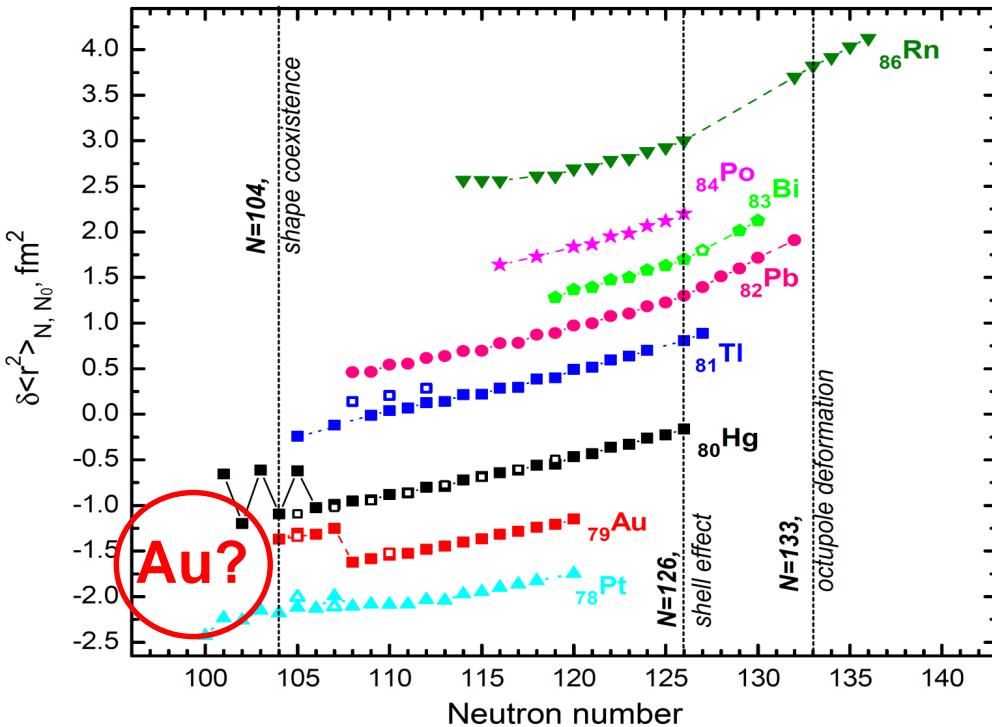
(S.Sels et al, Nature Physics, Oct 2018)

Performed by Takaharu Otsuka's team

- Largest calculation of its kind, avoids diagonalization of $>2 \times 10^{42}$ -dimensional H matrix
- Radii are well reproduced.
- Results show an increase of >2 protons promoted into the $h9/2$ intruder state.



IS534@ISOLDE: Charge radii of Au isotopes



- Are the light gold isotopes deformed, $A(\text{Au}) < 183$?
- What are the spins of ground and isomeric states?

Previous radii data (ISOLDE)

$^{185-190}\text{Au}$: K. Wallmeroth et al, NPA493,224 (1989)

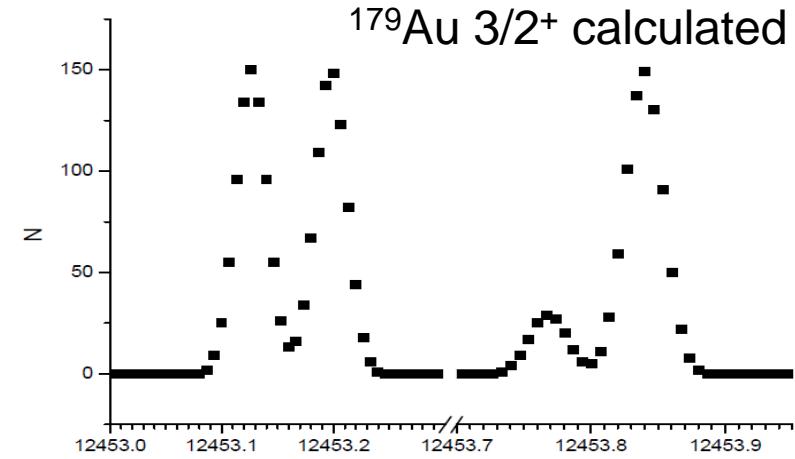
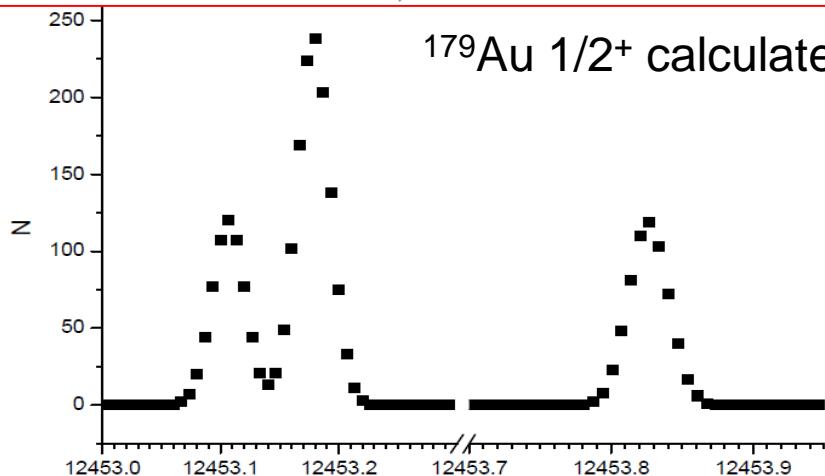
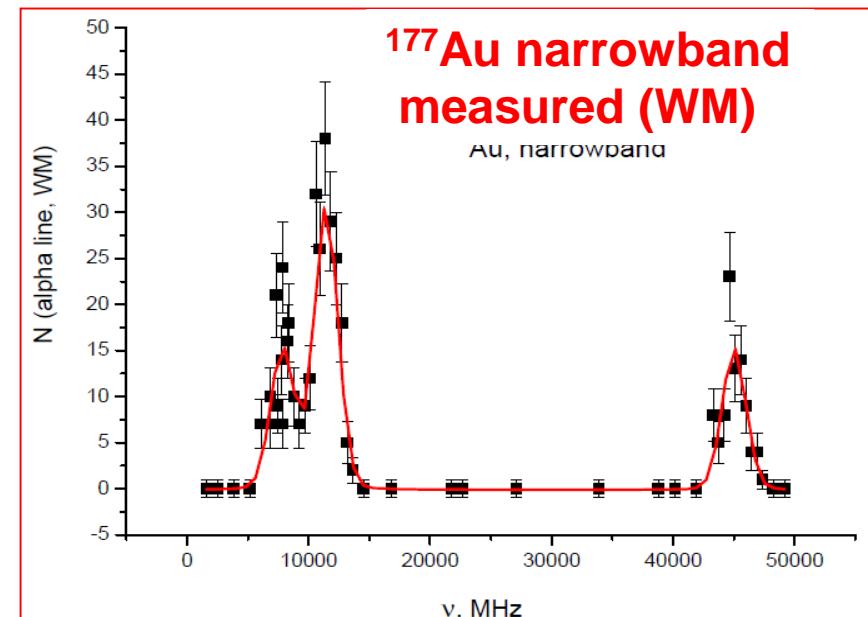
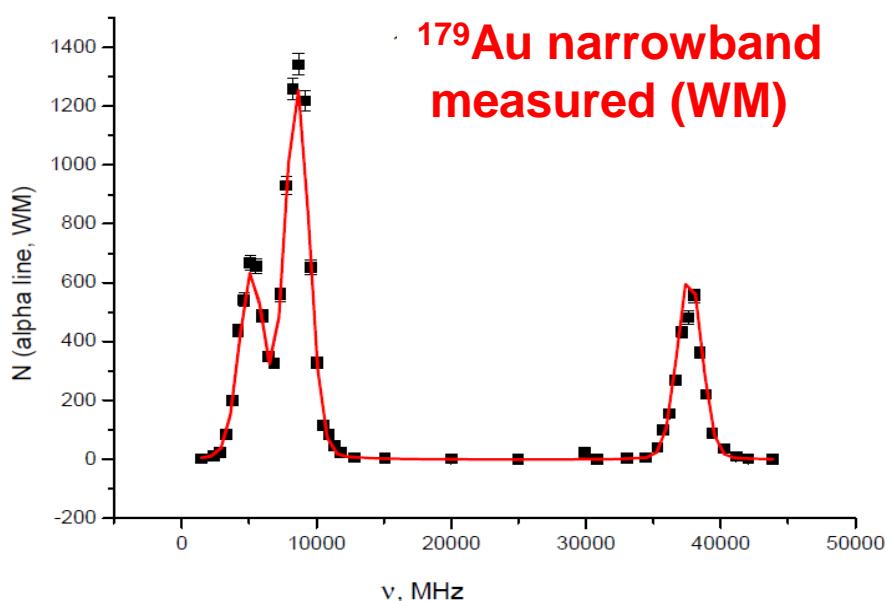
$^{183,184}\text{Au}$: U. Kronert et al, Z.Phys. A331, 521 (1988)

$^{184}\text{mgAu}$: F. Le Blanc et al. PRL79, 2213 (1997)

IS534: Hyperfine Splitting Scans (HFS) for $^{177,179}\text{Au}$

(number of alpha decays as a function of laser frequency)

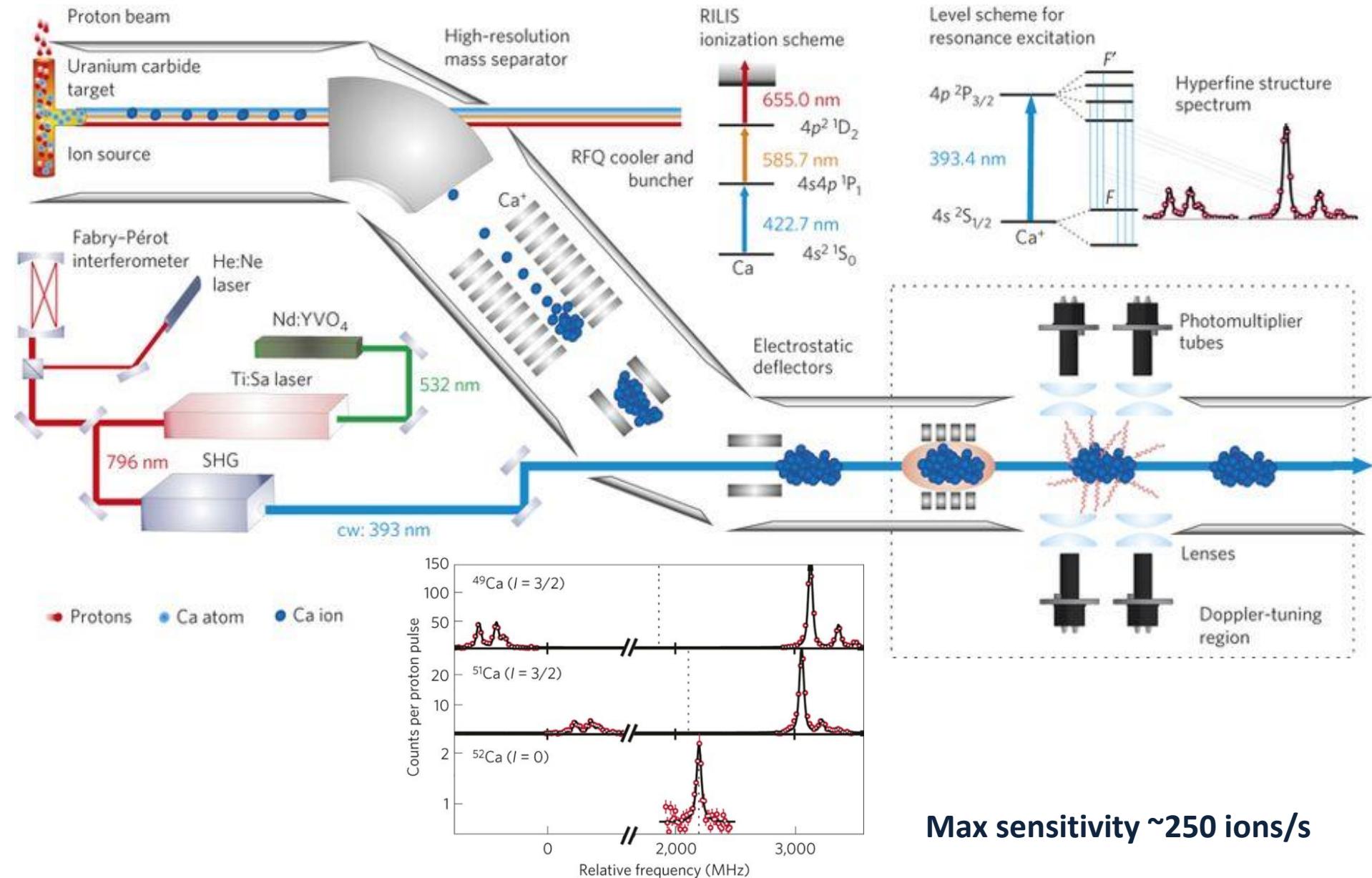
J. Cubiss et al, PLB 2018



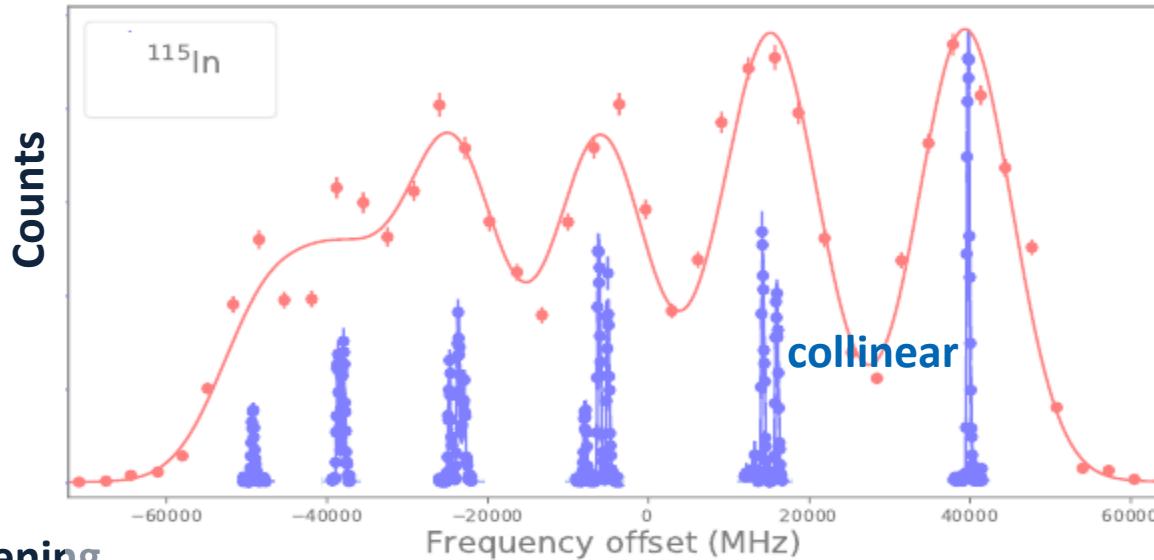
Based on the number of HFS components and their intensity ratio, the gs spins of $^{177,179}\text{Au}$ are experimentally determined as $1/2$

Case 2: COLlinear LASer SPectroscopy at ISOLDE (COLLAPS) for charge radii of n-rich $^{49,51,52}\text{Ca}$ isotopes

R.F. Garcia Ruiz et al., Nature Physics 12, 594 (2016)



Resolution in Collinear Laser Spectroscopy



Doppler Broadening



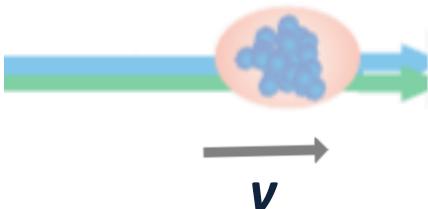
$$\Delta\nu_D = \frac{2\nu_0}{c} \sqrt{\frac{2\ln 2 k T}{m}}$$

Ion mass

Room Temp. 300 K \sim 25 meV

$$\rightarrow \Delta\nu_D > \text{GHz}$$

Fast beams
Collinear laser spectroscopy



Energy spread

$$\delta\nu_D = \nu_0 \frac{\delta E}{\sqrt{2eUmc^2}}$$

Ion beam energy

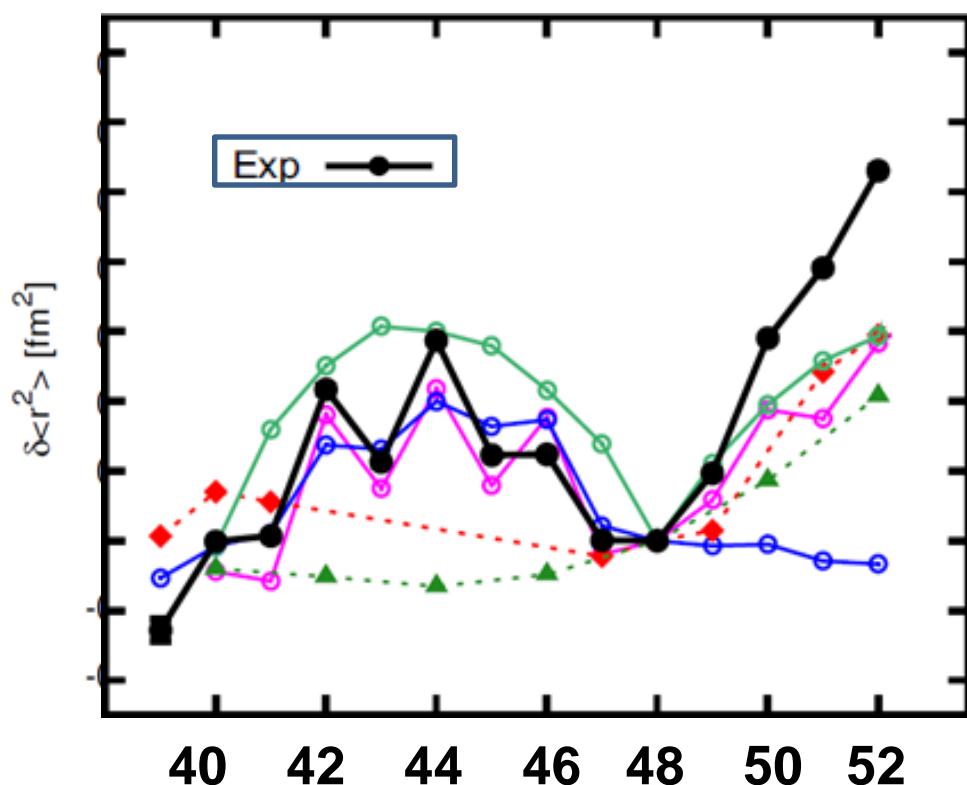
- ✓ High precision/resolution (\sim MHz)
- ✓ High efficiency (<100 ions/s)
- ✓ High selectivity ($>1/10^6$)
- ✓ Short time scales (< 1 s)

\rightarrow at $eU=40$ keV
 $\Delta\nu_D \sim \text{MHz}$

Ca (Z=20) Charge Radii

R.F. Garcia Ruiz et al., Nature Physics 12, 594 (2016)

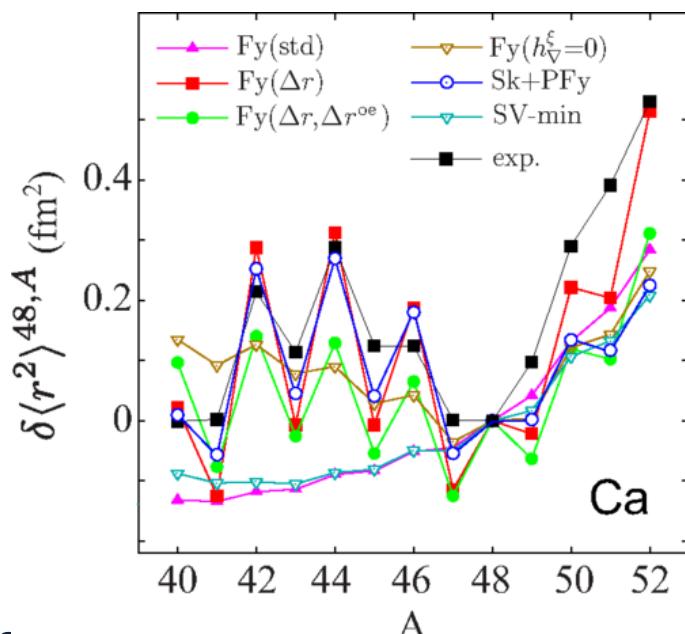
Max sensitivity ~ 250 ions/s



Beyond ^{52}Ca : Sensitivity $\rightarrow \sim 1$ ion/s

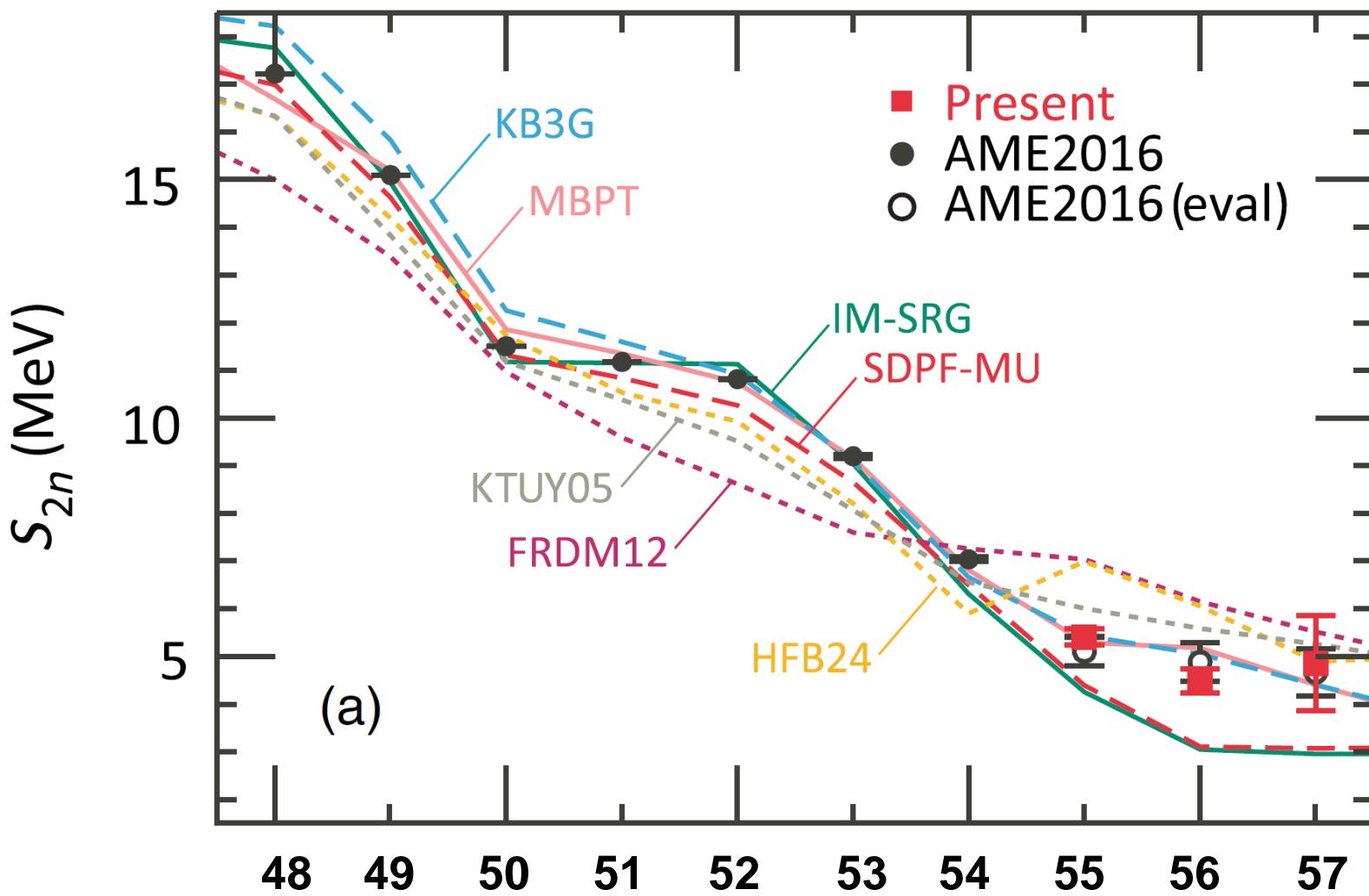
Radioactive detection of Collinear-laser optical pumping after Charge exchange
[R.F. Garcia Ruiz et al. J. Phys. G. 44, 044003 (2017)]

- NNLO_{sat} —◆— PRC 91, 051301 (2015)
Nature Physics 12, 180 (2016)
- ZBM2 —○— PLB 522, 240 (2001)
PRL 113, 052502 (2014)
PRC 92, 014305 (2015)
- DF3 - a —○— NPA 676, 49 (2000)
- UNEDF0 —▲— Nature 486, 509 (2012)
- Wang et al. —○— PRC 88, 011301(R) (2013)



P.-G. Reinhard and W. Nazarewicz
Phys. Rev. C 95, 064328

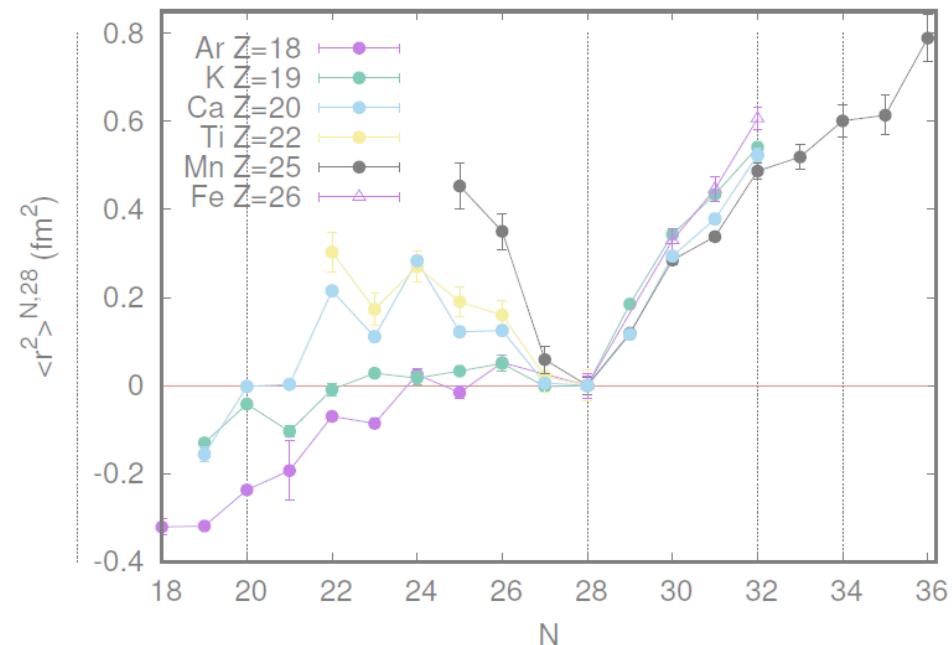
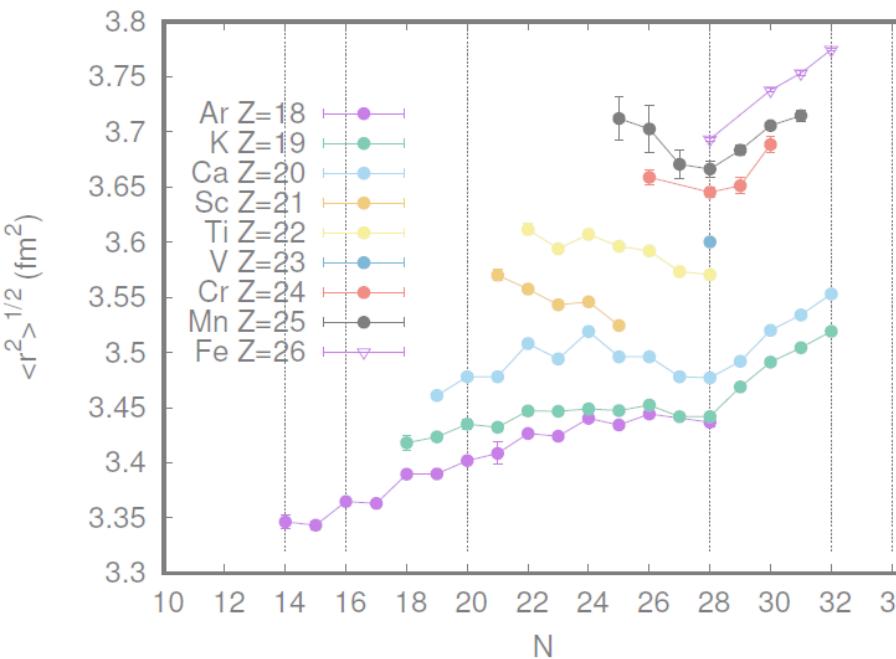
48-57Ca Masses



$^{53,54}\text{Ca}$, ISOLDE, F.Wienholz, Nature, 2013

$^{54-57}\text{Ca}$, RIKEN, S. Michimasa et al, PRL121, 2018

Charge Radii Systematics around Ca



$^{50-61}\text{Mn}$ ($Z=25$) → [H. Heylen et al, Phys. Rev. C 94, 054321(2016)]

$^{40-52}\text{Ca}$ ($Z=20$) → [R.F. Garcia Ruiz et al., Nature Physics 12, 594 (2016)]

$^{38-51}\text{K}$ ($Z=19$) → [K. Kreim et al, Phys. Lett. B 731, 97 (2014)]

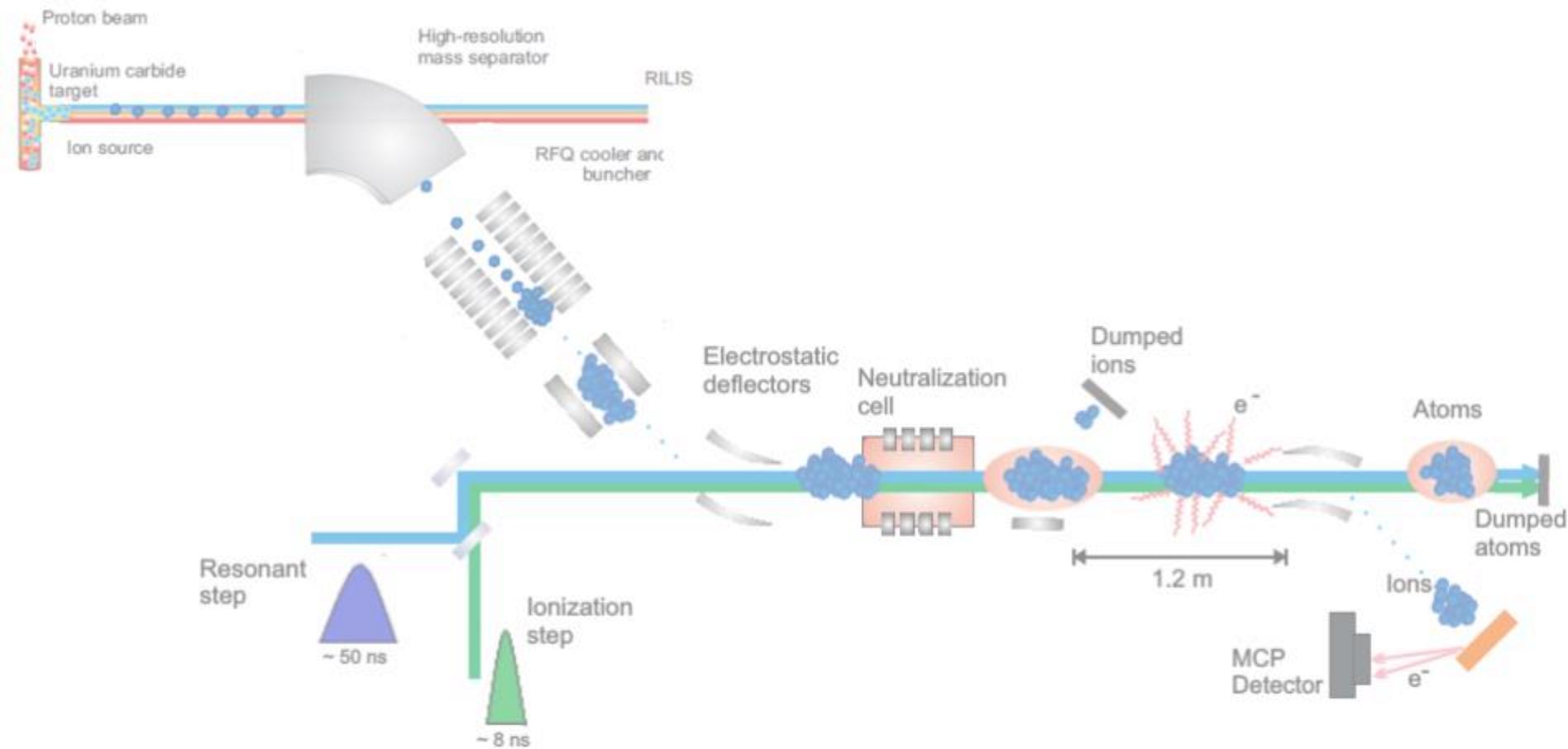
$^{44-50}\text{Sc}$ ($Z=21$) → [In preparation (2018)]

COLAPS/ISOLDE

$^{48-52}\text{K}$ ($Z=19$) → [In preparation (2018)]

CRIS/ISOLDE

Case 3: Collinear Resonance Ionisation Spectroscopy (CRIS@ISOLDE)

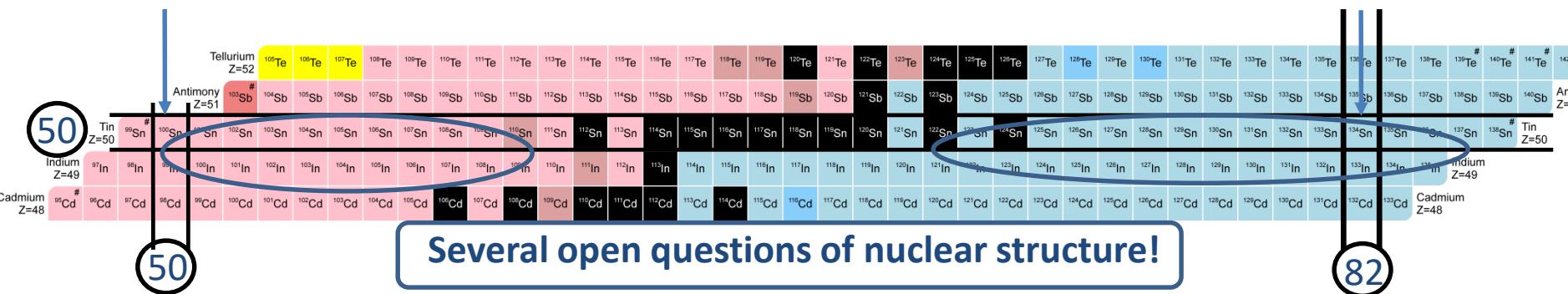


- Resonance ionization in a collinear geometry, often after charge neutralisation
- Detection of particles, rather than of photons

Nuclear Structure around In-Sn chains

Doubly “magic” ^{100}Sn

[Hinke *et al.* Nature 486, 341 (2012)]



Doubly “magic” ^{132}Sn

[Jones *et al.* Nature 465, 454 (2010)]

- $^{111-131}\text{In}$ ($Z=49$): Garcia Ruiz *et al.* CERN-INTC-2017-025 (2017)
- $^{100-111}\text{In}$ ($Z=49$): Garcia Ruiz *et al.* CERN-INTC-2017-055 (2017)
- $^{103-121}\text{Sn}$ ($Z=50$): Garcia Ruiz *et al.* CERN-INTC-2016-037 (2016)

- Shell evolution towards $N=Z=50$?
- Ordering of shell model orbits ?
- Robustness of $N=Z=50$ shell closures?
- Proton-neutron correlations?

CC and IMSRG → [T. Morris *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. 120, 152503 (2018)]

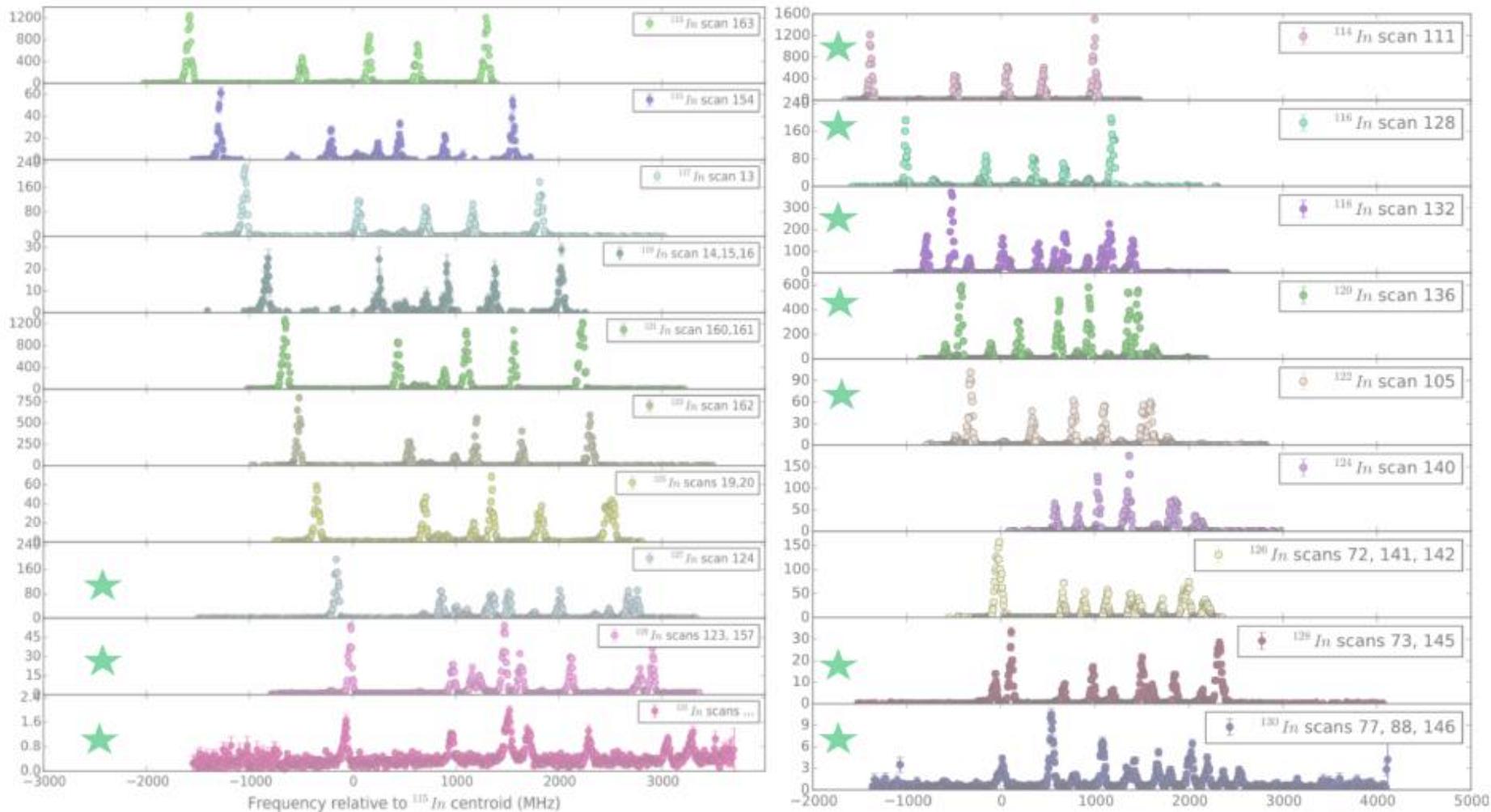
LSSM → [Togashi *et al.* Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, 062501 (2018)]

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Indium chain with CRIS

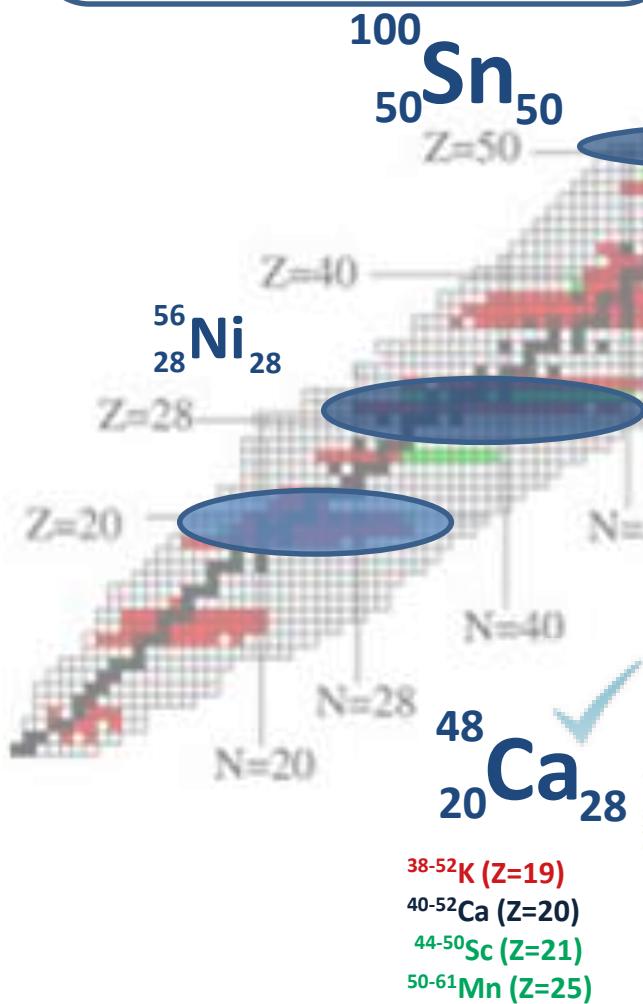
Measurements from ^{101}In ($N=52$) up to ^{131}In ($N=82$)

(New results ★)



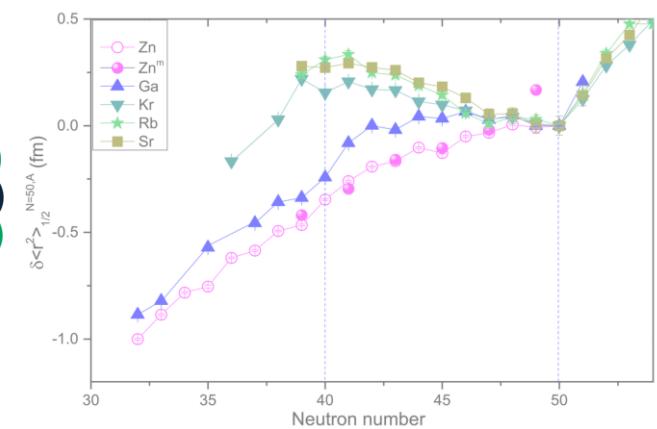
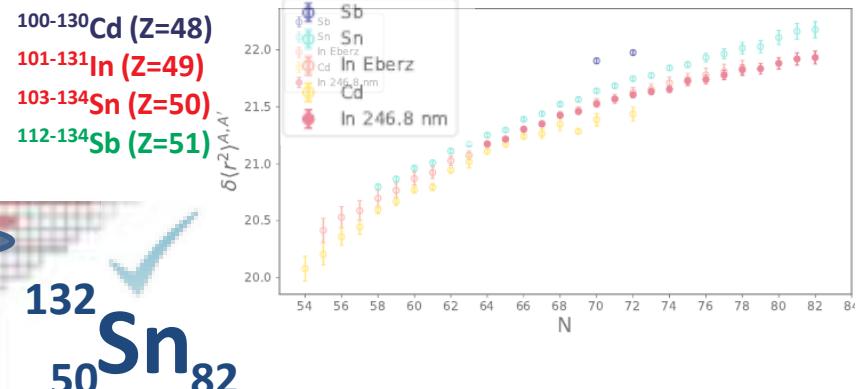
Summary of Recent Results with CRIS and COLLAPS

- High precision/resolution (~20-60 MHz)
- High efficiency (<100 ions/s)
- High selectivity (>1/10⁶)
- Short time scales (< 1 s)



Laser spectroscopy →

$$I \quad \delta\langle r^2 \rangle \quad \mu I \quad Q_s$$



Published
CRIS (unpublished)
COLLAPS (unpublished)

Summary: Prolific recent results from laser spectroscopy at ISOLDE and very bright Future across the whole Nuclear Chart

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