

Nuclear magnetic moments and time-odd properties of density functionals

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Recap



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Basics

The magnetic operator $\bar{\mu}$ is a one-body operator and the magnetic dipole moment μ is the expectation value of $\bar{\mu}_z$. The M1 operator acting on a composed state $|Im\rangle$ can then be written as the sum of single particle M1 operators $\bar{\mu}_z(j)$ acting each on an individual valence nucleon with total momentum j :

$$\mu = g_L \mathbf{L} + g_S \mathbf{S}$$

$$\mu(I) \equiv \left\langle I(j_1, j_2, \dots, j_n), m = I \left| \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{\mu}_z(i) \right| I(j_1, j_2, \dots, j_n), m = I \right\rangle \quad (2.1)$$

The single particle magnetic moment $\mu(j)$ for a valence nucleon around a doubly magic core is uniquely defined by the quantum numbers l and j of the occupied single particle orbit [22]:

$$\text{for an odd proton: } \begin{cases} \mu = j - \frac{1}{2} + \mu_p & \text{for } j = l + \frac{1}{2} \\ \mu = \frac{j}{j+1} \left(j + \frac{3}{2} - \mu_p \right) & \text{for } j = l - \frac{1}{2} \end{cases} \quad (2.2)$$

$$\text{for an odd neutron: } \begin{cases} \mu = \mu_n & \text{for } j = l + \frac{1}{2} \\ \mu = -\frac{j}{j+1} \mu_n & \text{for } j = l - \frac{1}{2} \end{cases} \quad (2.3)$$

These single particle moments calculated using the free proton and free neutron moments ($\mu_p = +2.793$, $\mu_n = -1.913$) are called the Schmidt moments. In a nucleus, the magnetic



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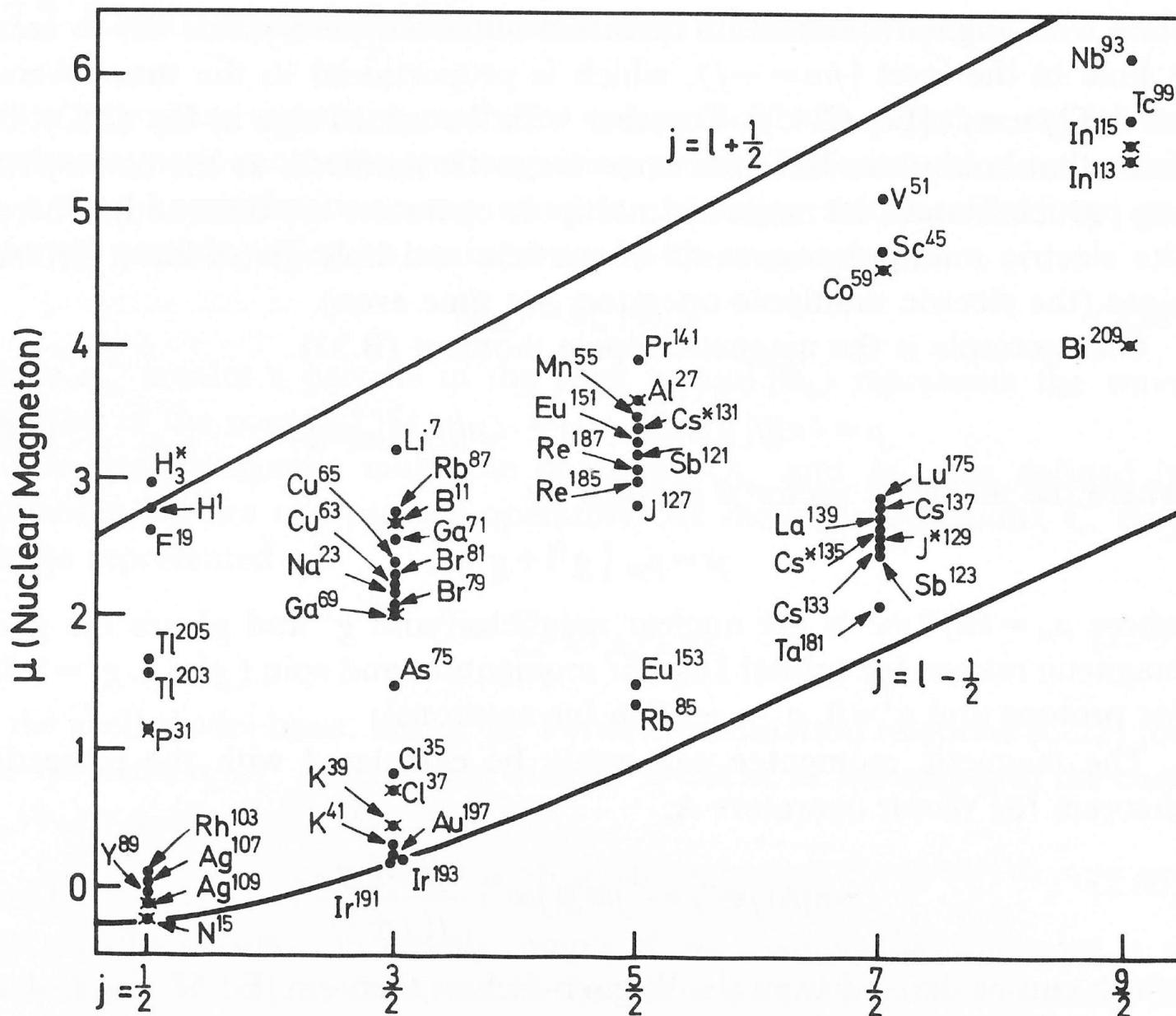
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Experiment



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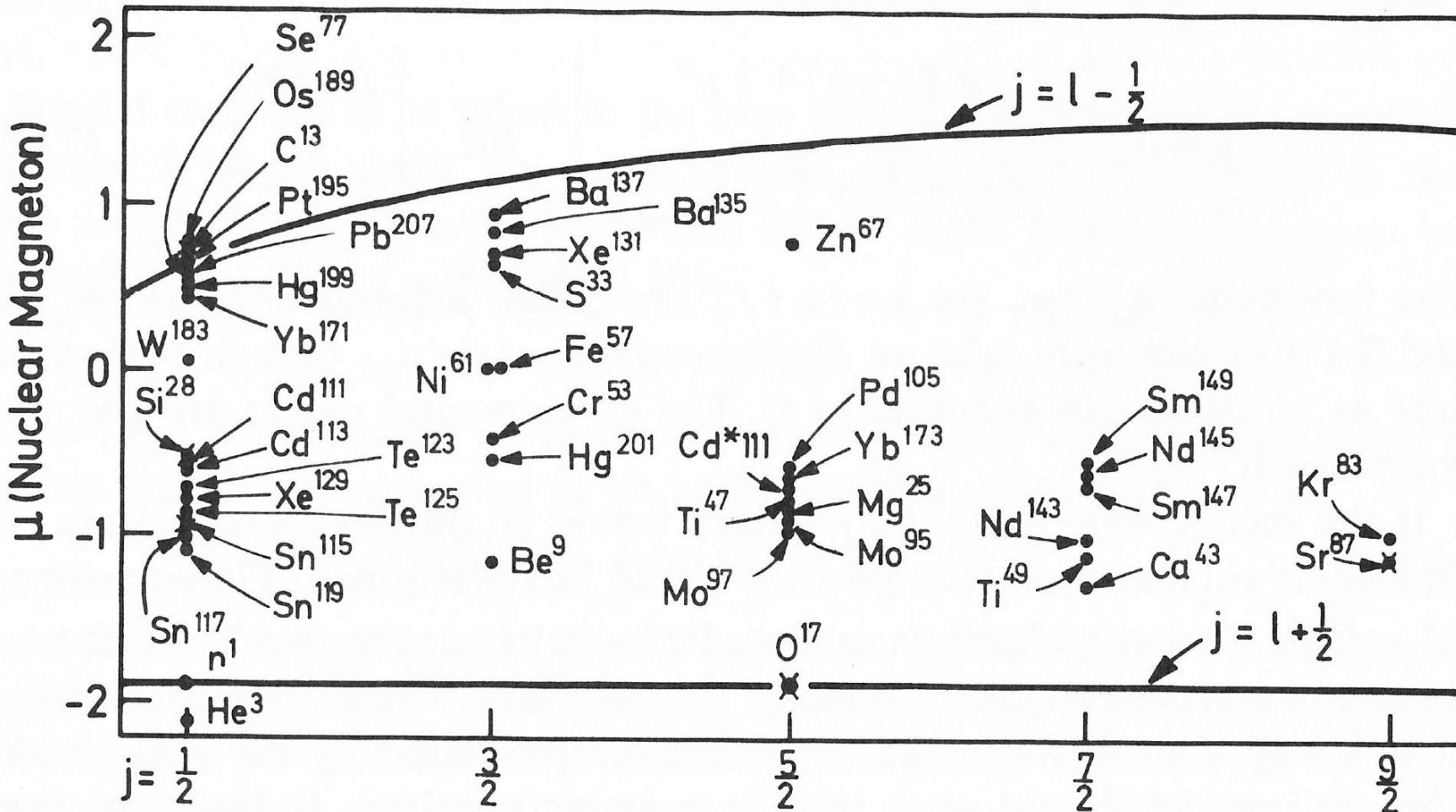
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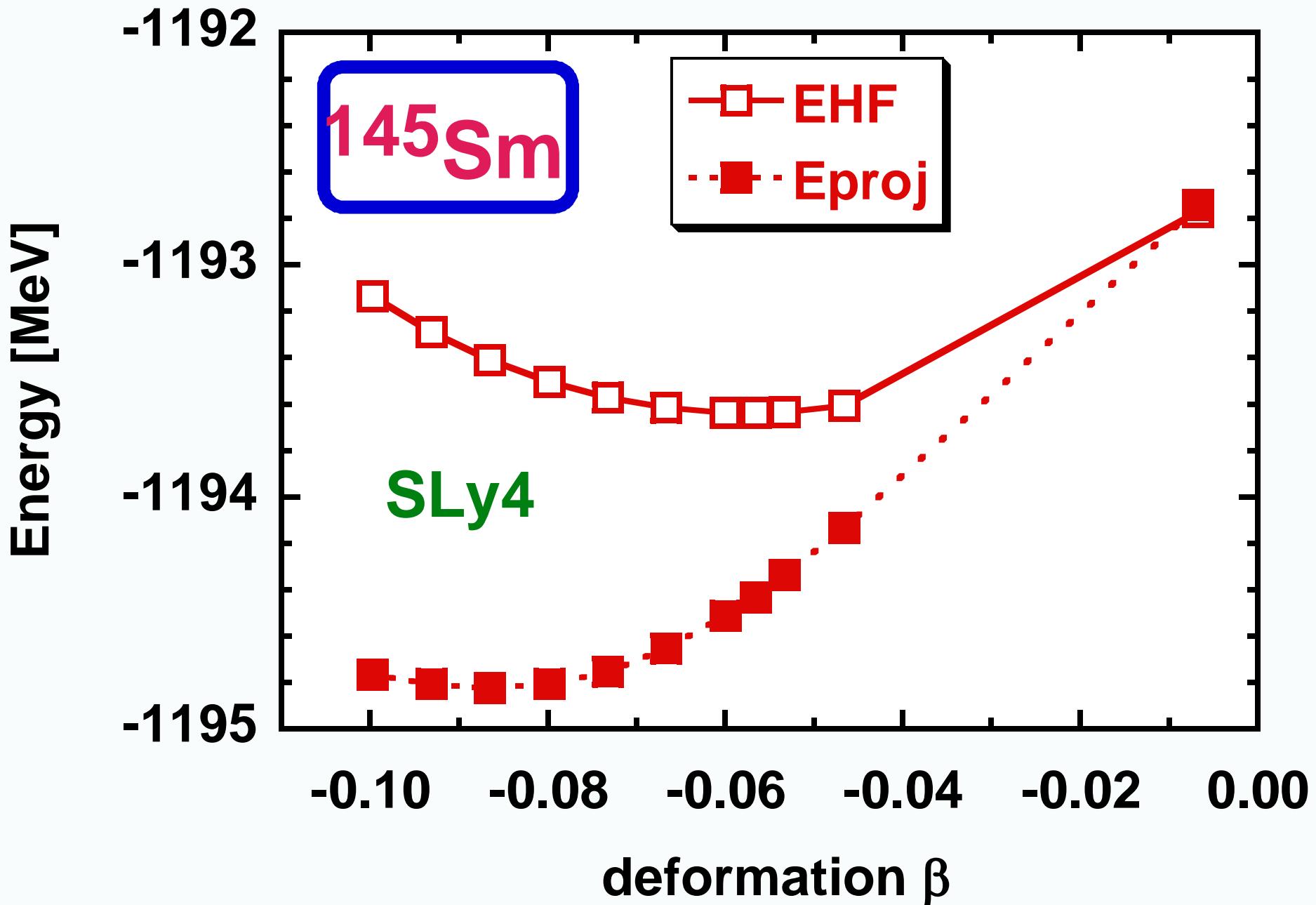
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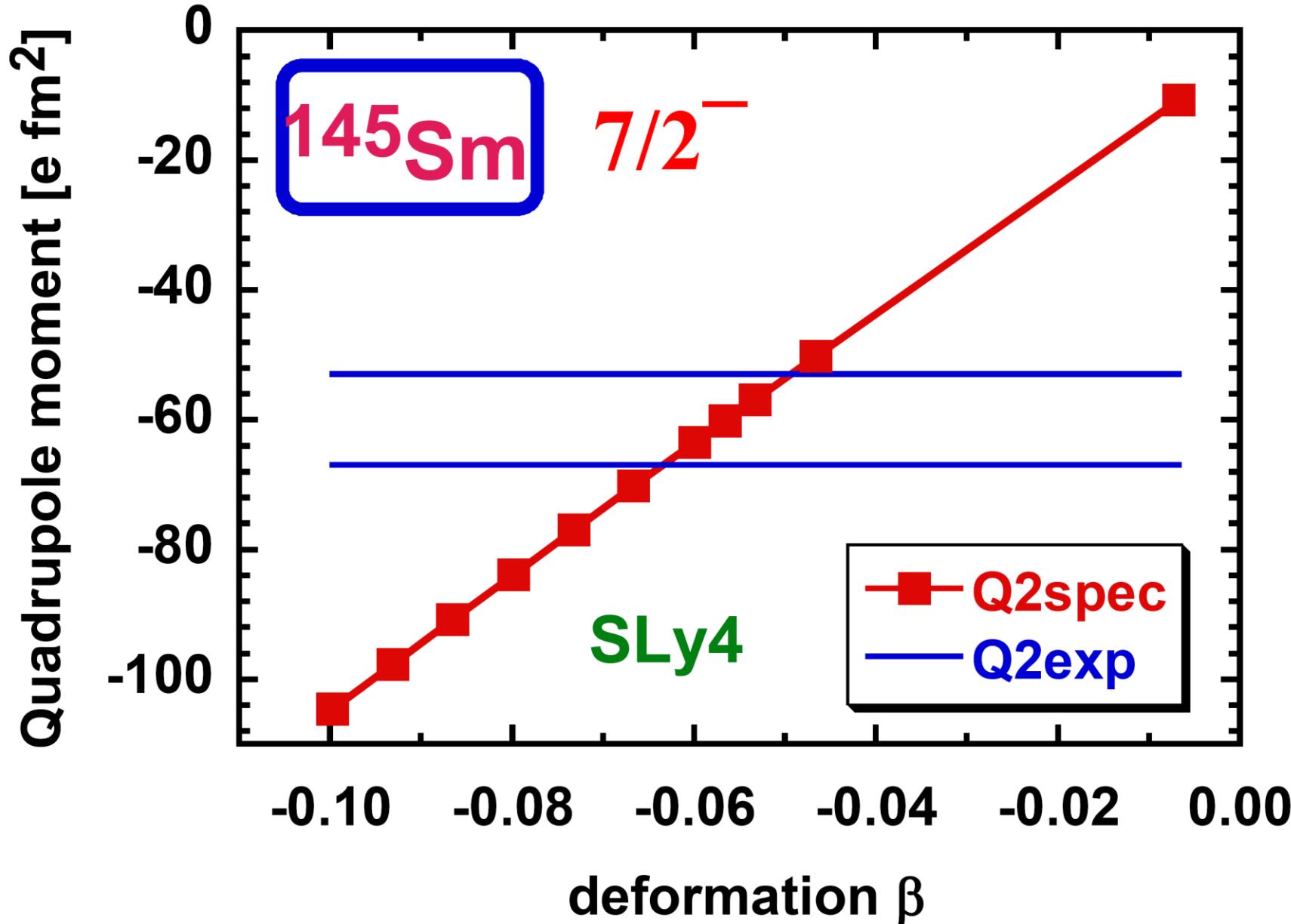
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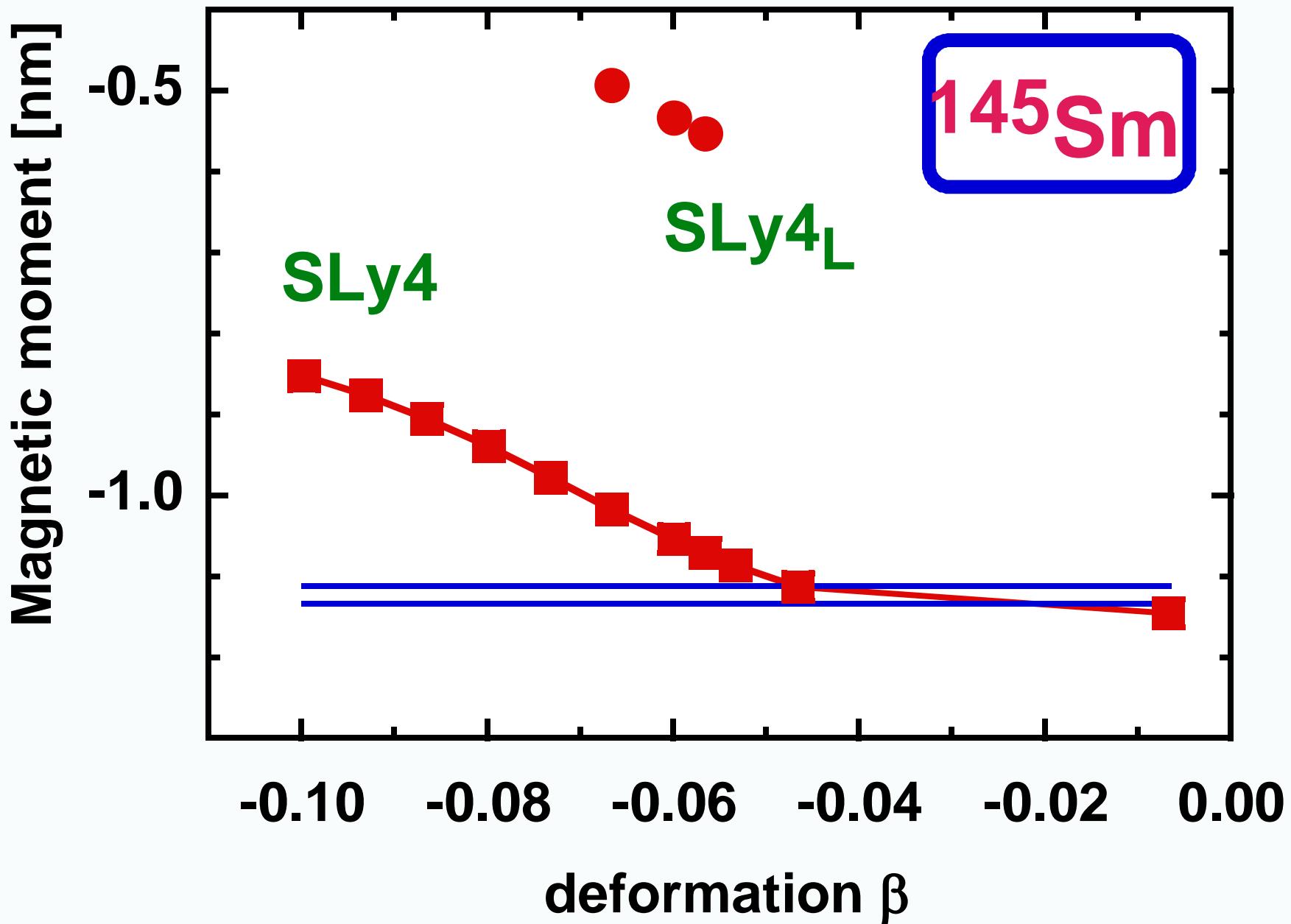
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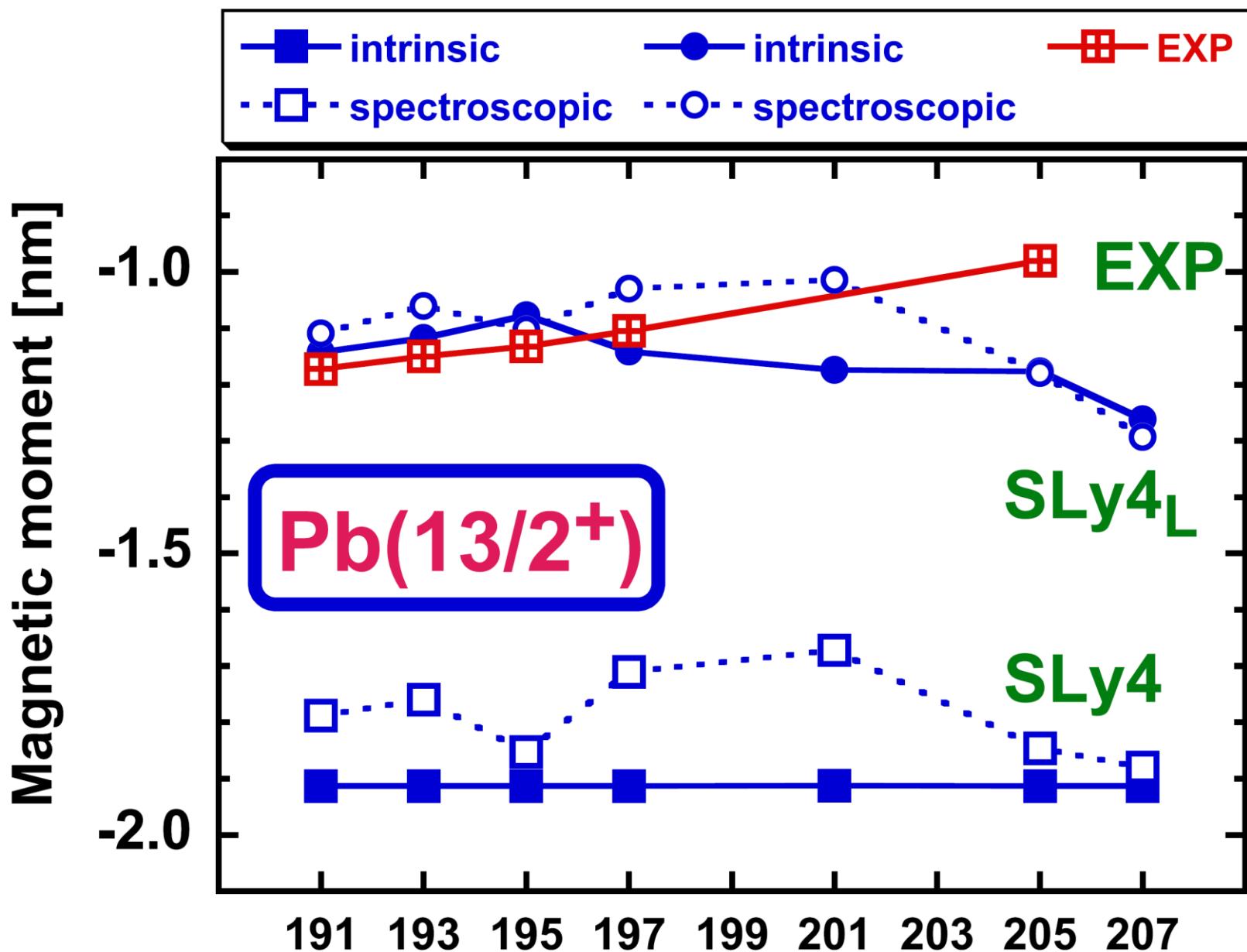
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^{119}In



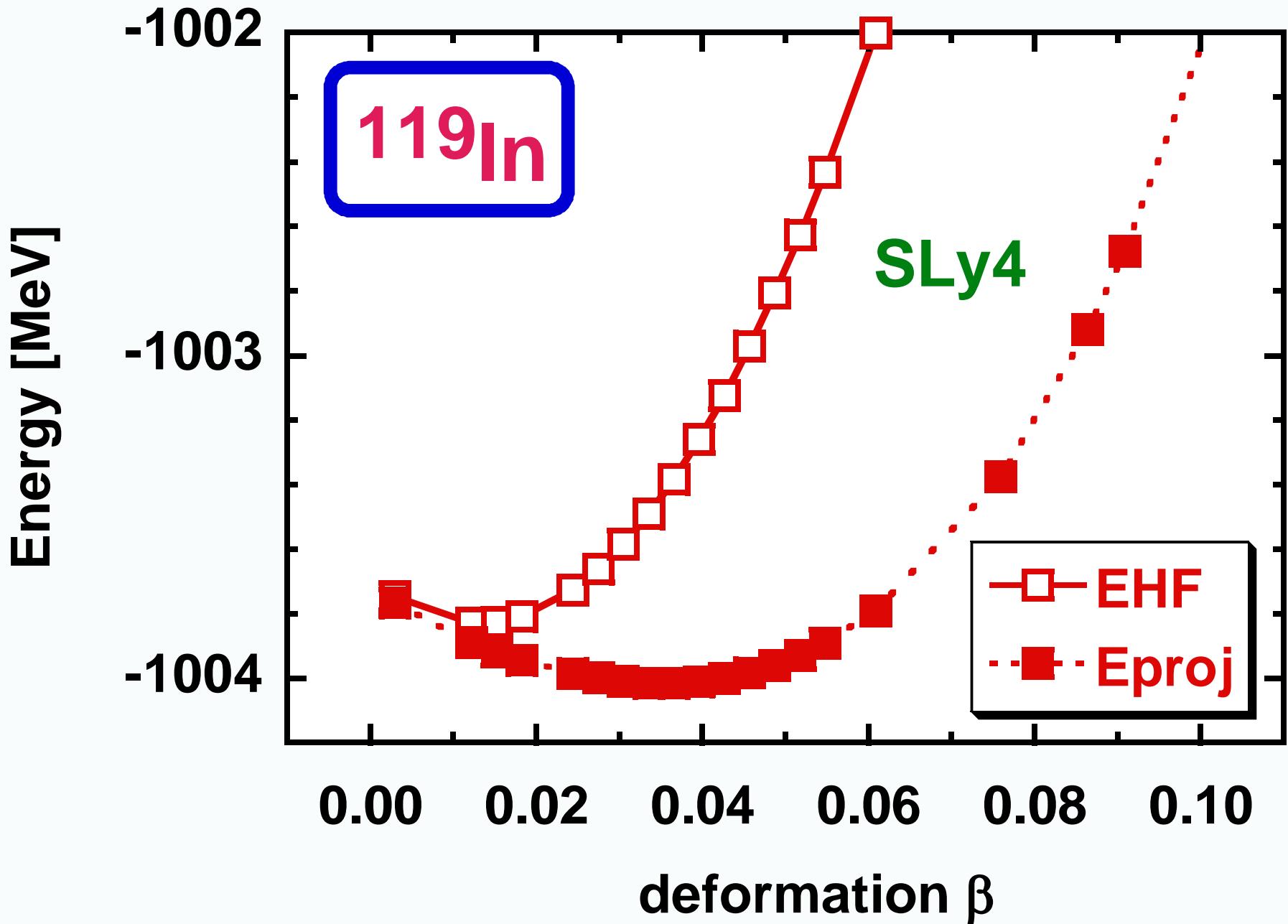
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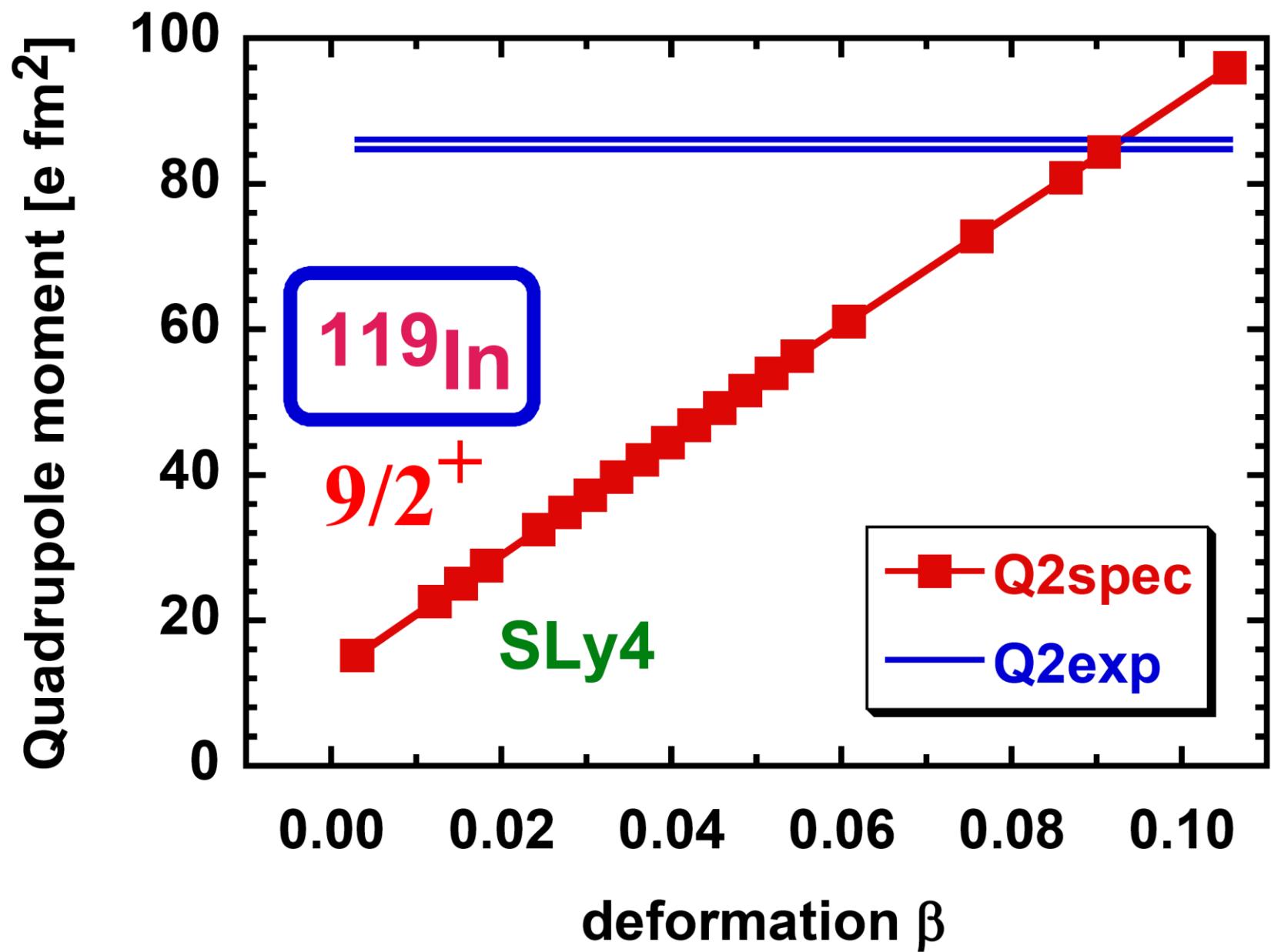
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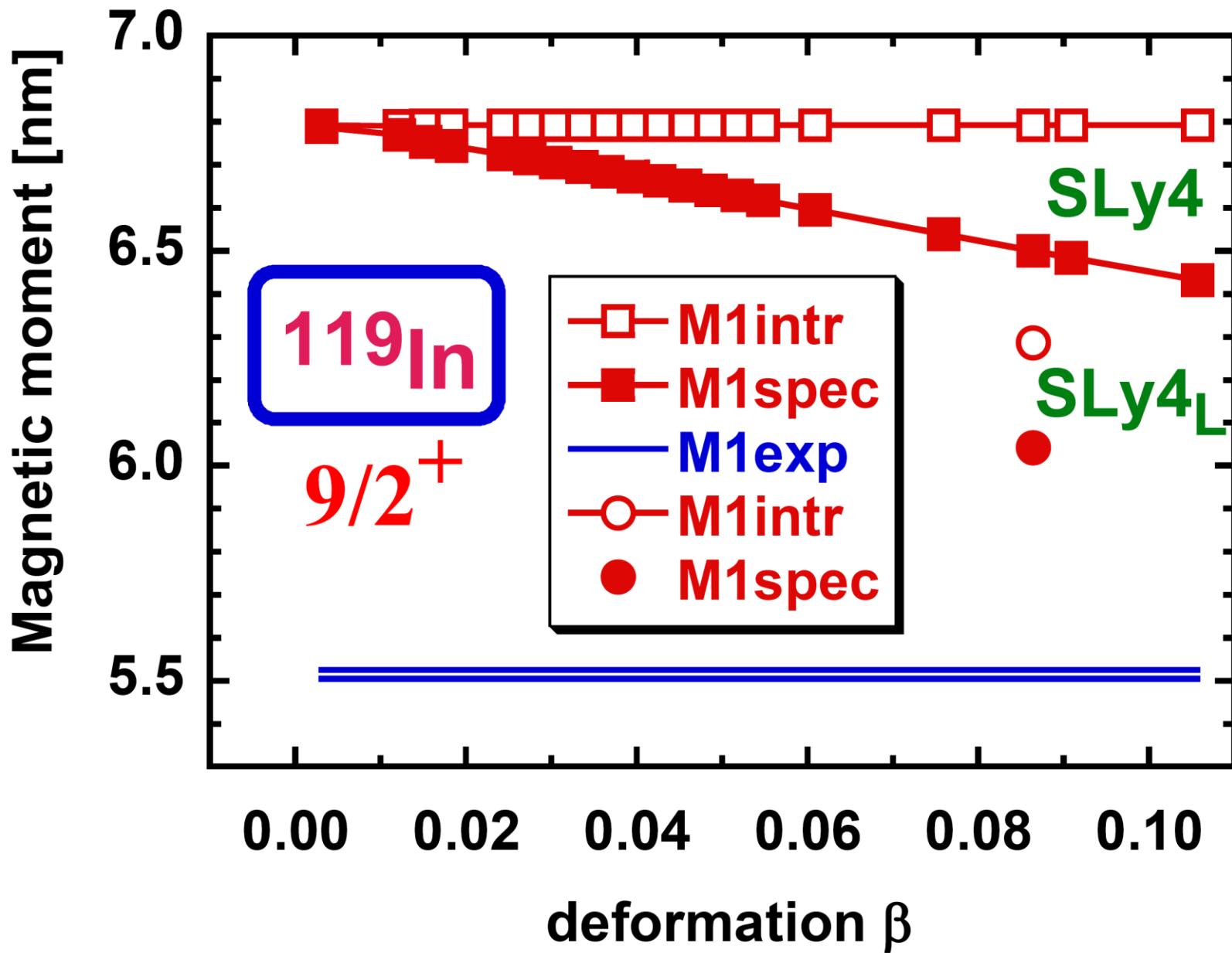
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^{229}Th



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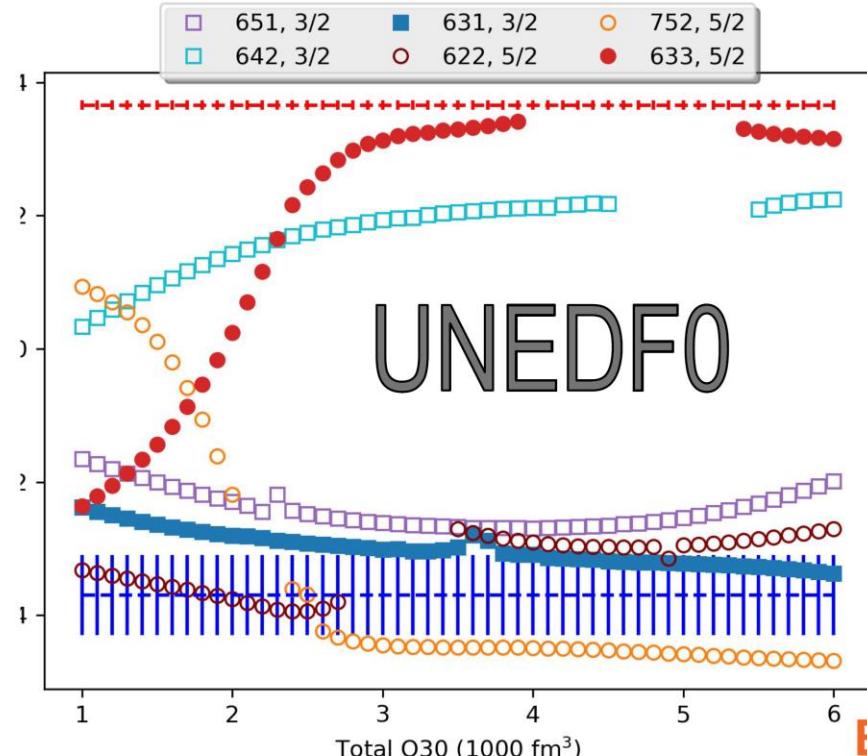
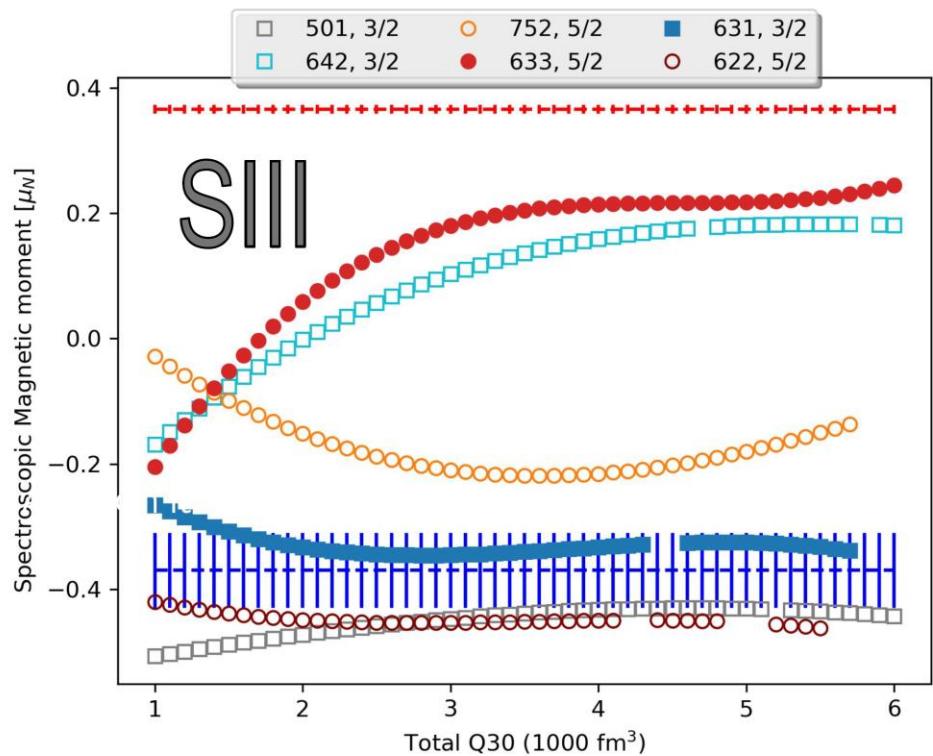
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No time-odd terms

Evolution of the spectroscopic total magnetic moment for the blocked ^{229}Th



9/2- ground states in bismuth



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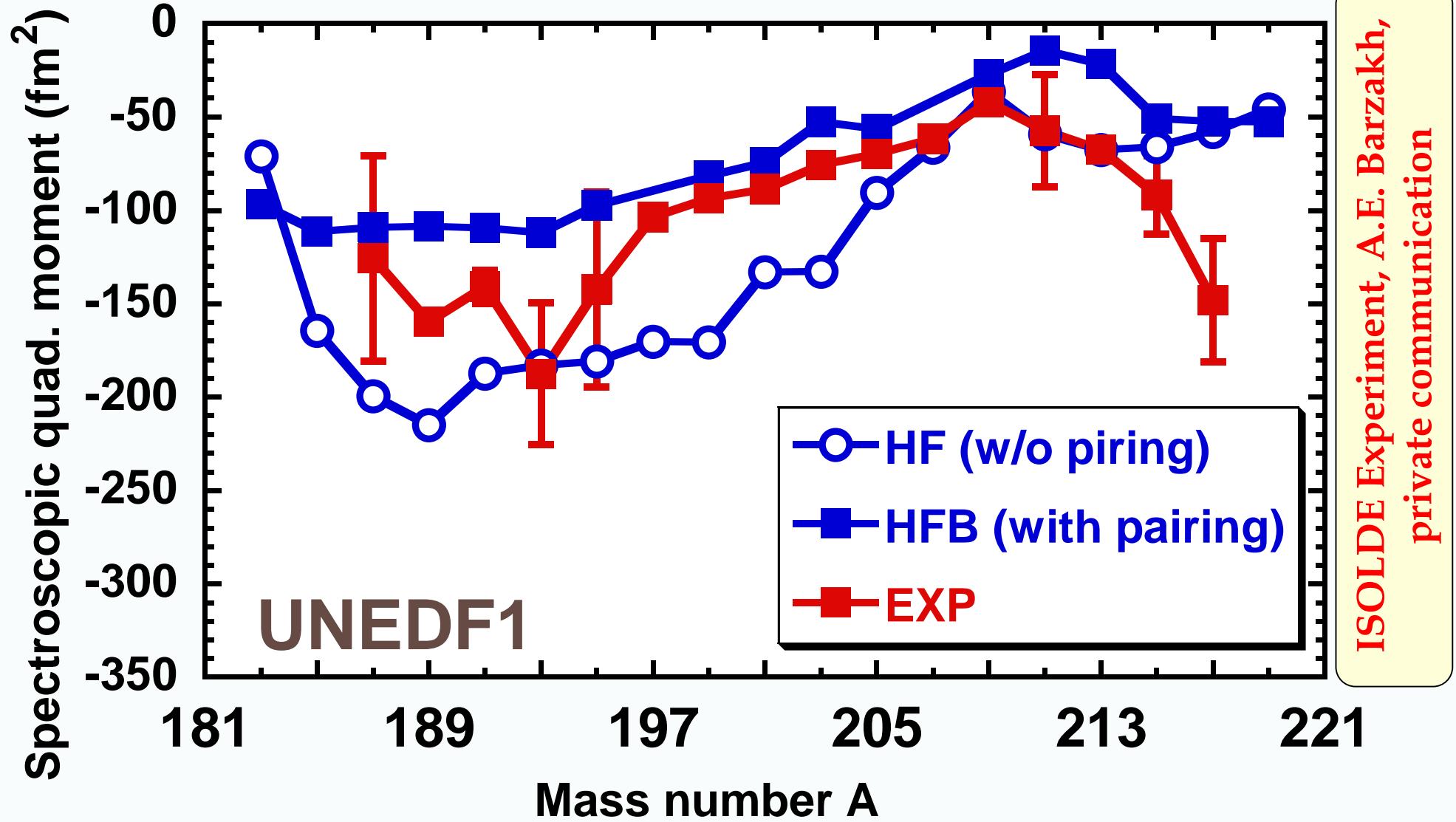
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Bismuth ground states $9/2^-$



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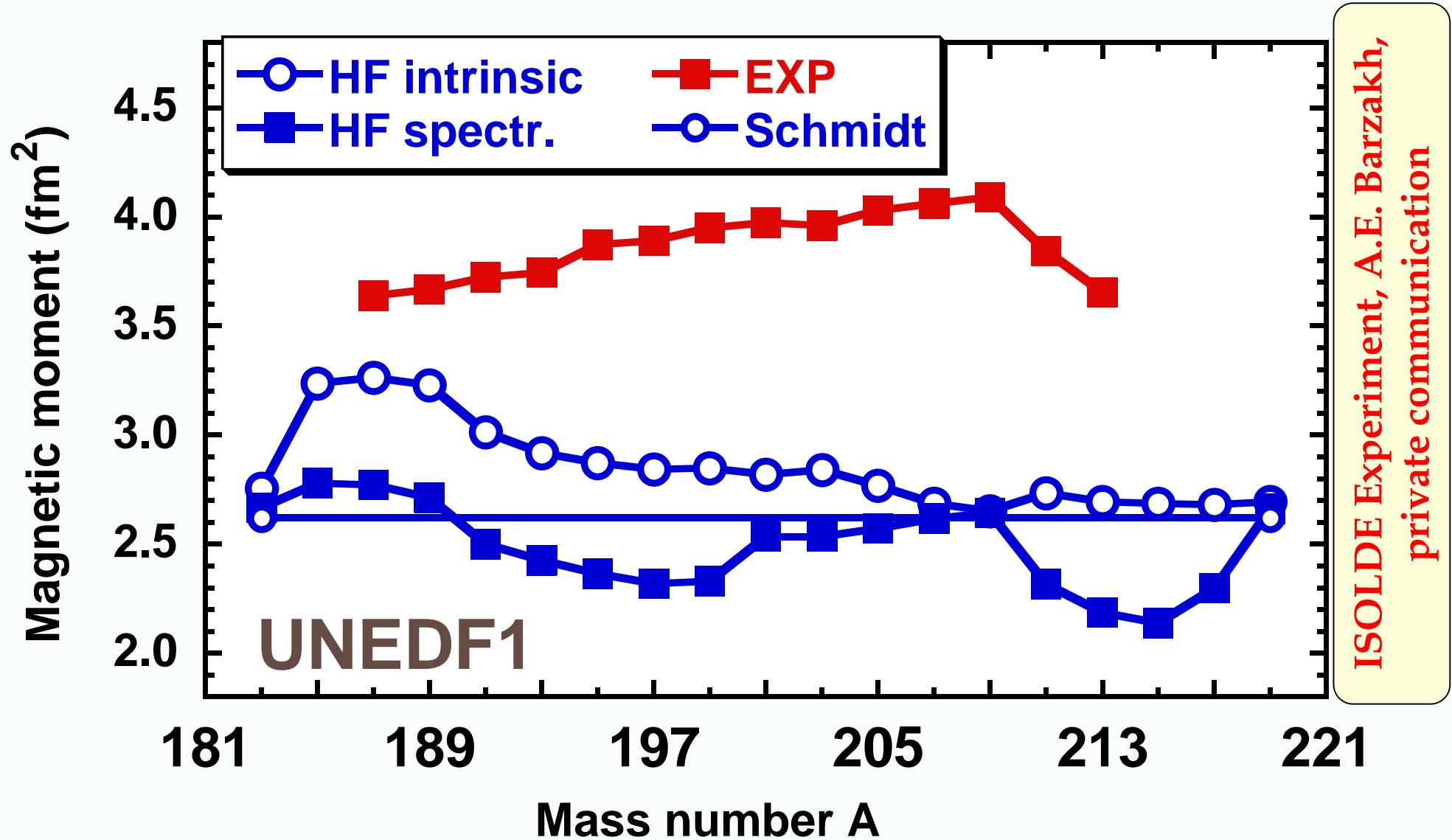


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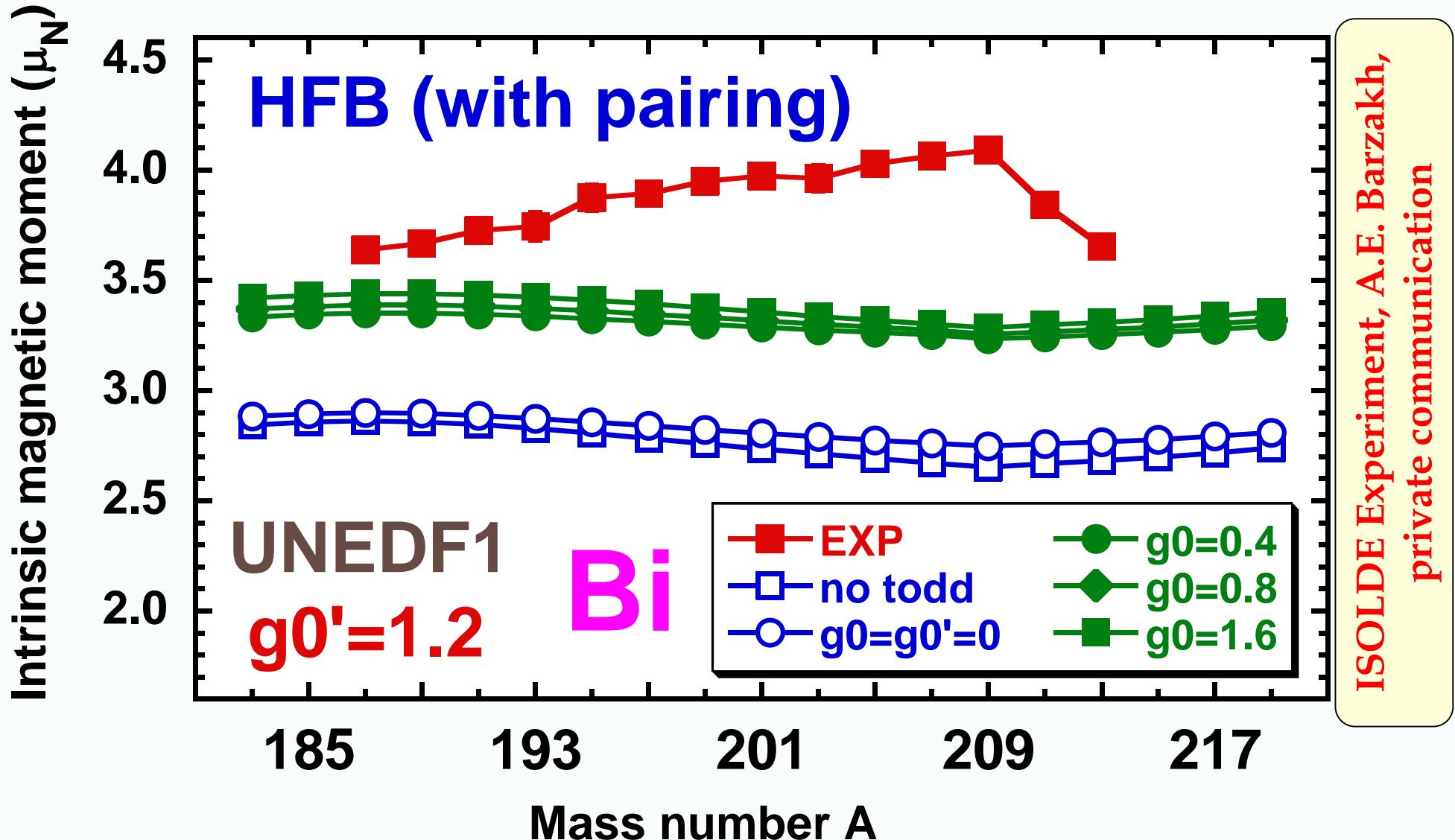
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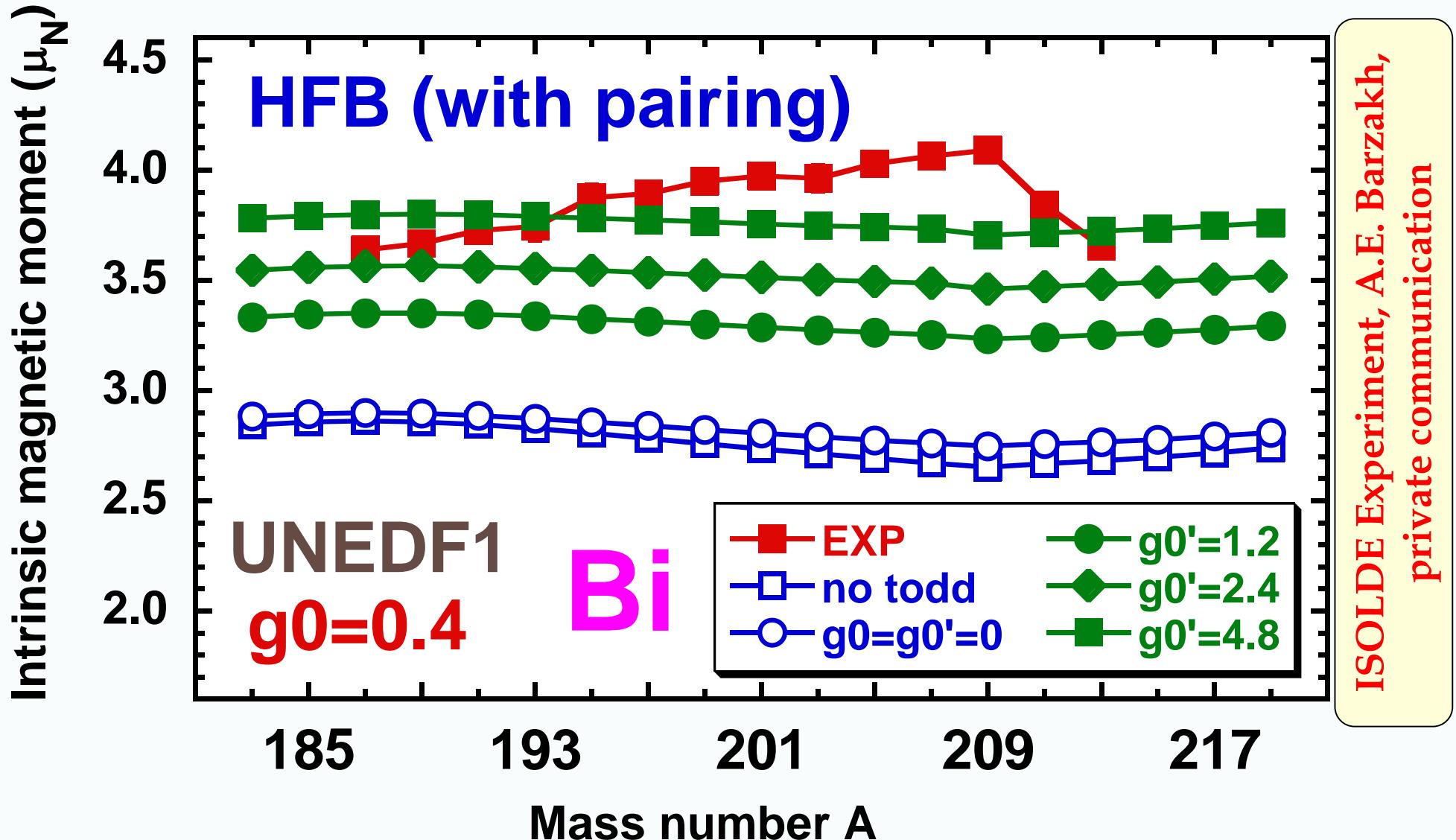
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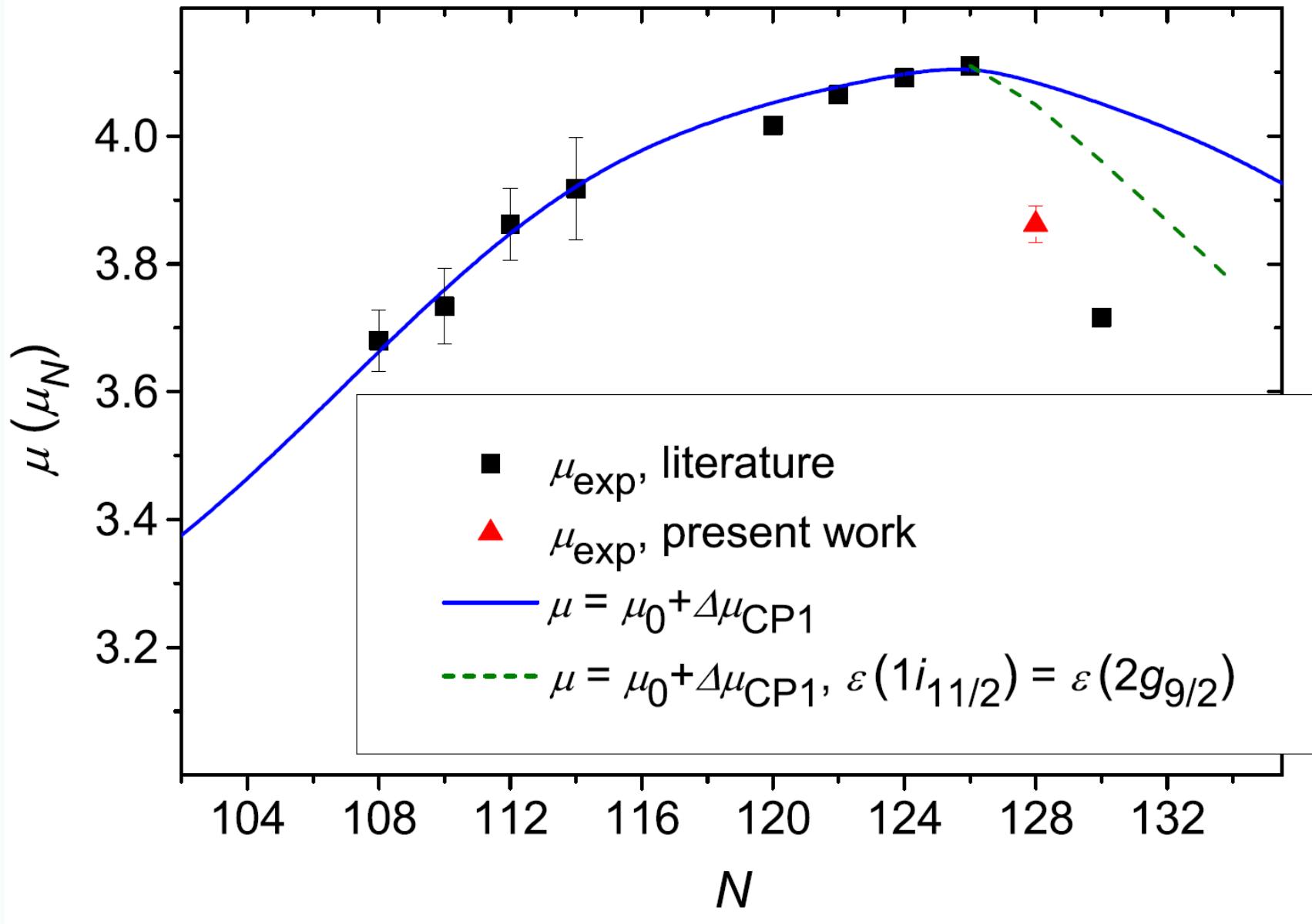
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Summary

1. Ground-state and isomeric magnetic moments are known in hundreds of odd and odd-odd nuclei, measured by atomic spectroscopic methods up to a **very high precision**.
2. In the standard shell-model calculations, agreement with data is achieved by using the concept of **effective g-factors**.
3. In the nuclear DFT calculations, magnetic moment have been up to now **rarely considered**.
4. Poorly known **time-odd sector** of the nuclear DFT crucially influences the magnetic moments.
5. **Adjustments of the nuclear DFT coupling constants to data should take the magnetic moments into account.**



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Thank you



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