

HK 13: Struktur und Dynamik von Kernen

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Experimental Studies of Pygmy and Giant Resonances in Exotic Nuclei - Status and Perspectives — ●DOMINIC ROSSI¹, THOMAS AUMANN², KONSTANZE BORETZKY¹, ROMAN GERNHÄUSER³, JENS VOLKER KRATZ⁴, REINER KRÜCKEN³, CHRISTOPH LANGER⁵, TUDI LE BLEIS³, OLGA LEPYOSHKINA³, RALF PLAG¹, and RENE REIFARTH⁵ for the R3B-Collaboration — ¹GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung GmbH, Darmstadt — ²Technische Universität Darmstadt — ³Technische Universität München — ⁴Johannes Gutenberg-Universität, Mainz — ⁵Goethe-Universität, Frankfurt am Main

Coulomb excitation is a powerful tool to investigate the collective response of exotic nuclei, providing a unique insight into the dynamical properties of nuclei located far from stability. Using this technique, their dipole strength can be measured, providing valuable information not only for the nuclear equation-of-state through the observation of the Pygmy Dipole Resonance (PDR), but also for nucleosynthesis scenarios, such as the rp-process.

Several experiments have been carried out in the past years using the R³B-LAND setup at GSI in Darmstadt, in which the Coulomb excitation of unstable nuclei has been investigated in a kinematically complete manner. Selected results of these campaigns will be presented, with a main focus on the PDR mode. The experimental goals of future experiments at the R³B setup will be discussed as well, revealing a strategy to not only gain a deeper understanding of the PDR, but also to disentangle the dipole and quadrupole contributions in exotic nuclei.

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Nuclear Breakup of ¹⁷Ne and its Two-Proton Halo Structure — ●FELIX WAMERS¹, THOMAS AUMANN¹, CARLOS BERTULANI², LEONID CHULKOV³, MICHAEL HEIL³, JUSTYNA MARGANIEC^{4,5}, RALF PLAG^{3,6}, and HAIK SIMON³ for the R3B-Collaboration — ¹Institut für Kernphysik, TU Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany — ²Texas A&M University-Commerce, Commerce, USA — ³Kernreaktionen und Nukleare Astrophysik, GSI, Darmstadt, Germany — ⁴ExtreMe Matter Institute, GSI, Darmstadt, Germany — ⁵JINA, Notre Dame, USA — ⁶Goethe Universität, Frankfurt, Germany

¹⁷Ne is a proton-dripline nucleus that has raised interest in nuclear-structure physics in recent years. As a (15O+2p) Borromean 3-body system, it is often considered to be a 2-proton-halo nucleus, yet lacking concluding experimental quantification of its structure. We have studied breakup reactions of 500 AMeV ¹⁷Ne secondary beams in inverse kinematics using the R3B-LAND setup at GSI. The foci were on (p,2p) quasi-free scattering on a CH₂ target, and on one-proton-knockout reactions on a carbon target. Recoil protons have been detected with Si-Strip detectors and a surrounding 4π NaI spectrometer. Furthermore, projectile-like forward protons after one-proton knockout from ¹⁷Ne have been measured in coincidence with the 15O residual core. The resulting relative-energy spectrum of the unbound 16F, as well as proton-removal cross sections with CH₂ and C targets, and the transverse-momentum distributions of the residual fragments will be presented. Conclusions on the ground-state structure of ¹⁷Ne will be discussed. This work was supported by HIC for FAIR.

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Exclusive measurements of (p,pX) neutron and proton knockout reactions on ⁵⁷Ni — ●ALINA MOVSESYAN for the LAND-R3B-Collaboration — TUD, Schlossgartenstr.9, 64289 Darmstadt, Germany

In this presentation, an exclusive experimental approach for the investigation of the shell structure of exotic nuclei using proton-induced knockout reactions is discussed. The experiment performed at the LAND-R³B facility at GSI allowed for an analysis of (p,2p) as well as for the first time (p,pn) reactions in inverse kinematics from kinematically complete measurements of the incoming and outgoing channels. Hereby, results for one-proton and one-neutron knockout reactions on the radioactive isotope ⁵⁷Ni will be discussed. The quasi-free-knockout character of the reactions was identified event-by-event by the reconstructed angular correlations of the scattered nucleons. Inclusive momentum distributions of the residual ⁵⁶Co and ⁵⁶Ni fragments and corresponding (p,2p) and (p,pn) reaction cross sections were deduced. The experimental setup is also capable to distinguish different reaction

channels by observing the gamma decay of excited fragments. Particularly, an analysis of excited ⁵⁶Ni residues was carried out, allowing the separation of different angular momentum states of the knocked-out neutron in the ⁵⁷Ni ground state. The results will be compared to knockout reactions induced by a Be target and to theoretical estimates.

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Quasi-free knock-out reactions in inverse kinematics at R3B/LAND-setup — ●VALERII PANIN¹, THOMAS AUMANN¹, and JONATHAN TAYLOR² for the LAND-R3B-Collaboration — ¹TU Darmstadt, Germany — ²University of Liverpool, UK

An important part of the physics program at the future R3B (Reactions with Relativistic Radioactive Beams) experiment at FAIR will be based on the study of a kinematical complete measurement of proton-induced reactions. These are in particular the quasi-free scattering processes of the type (p,2p), (p,pn), (p,pα) etc, which will be used to study the single-particle and cluster structure of neutron-proton asymmetric nuclei and the role of nucleon-nucleon correlations in nuclei. A prototype setup for the detection of high-energy protons in (p,2p) reactions in coincidence with forward emitted light particles and heavy fragments has been built based on an array of Si micro-strip detectors for tracking and thick NaI scintillators for energy measurements. In the present benchmark experiment with ¹²C the knock-out reactions from different single-particle states have been identified, including knock-out from the 0s state by reconstructing the excitation-energy spectrum of residual ¹¹B utilizing γ spectrometry and the invariant-mass method. This work is supported by the Hessia LOEWE initiative through HIC for FAIR.

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Gesamte Dipolstärke in ¹²⁰Sn mit polarisierter Protonenstreuung — ●ANNA MARIA KRUMBHOLZ¹, PETER NEUMANN-COSEL¹, IRYNA POLTORATSKA¹, ANDREAS KRUGMANN¹, JOHANNES SIMONIS¹ und ATSUSHI TAMI² — ¹TU Darmstadt — ²Research Center for Nuclear Physics, Osaka, Japan

Mit Protonenstreuung unter extremen Vorwärtswinkeln lassen sich elektrische und magnetische Dipolanregungen ober- und unterhalb der Neutronenseparationsenergie messen [1]. Durch experimentelle Entwicklungen am Research Center for Nuclear Physics in Osaka, Japan [2] kann bei mittlerer Energie von 300 MeV mit einem polarisierten Protonenstrahl unter 0° gemessen werden. Dabei wird eine hohe Energieauflösung von 25 keV erreicht. Für die Separation von E1- und M1-Anteilen werden zwei unterschiedliche Methoden eingesetzt: Eine Multipolentfaltung der Winkelverteilung der Wirkungsquerschnitte mit Hilfe von DWBA Rechnungen, und eine modellunabhängige Analyse von Polarisationstransferobservablen. Ergebnisse der aktuellen Analyse werden präsentiert.

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[2] A. Tamii et al., Nucl. Inst. Meth. A 605, 326 (2009).

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Discovery and Cross-Section Measurement of Neutron-Rich Isotopes in the Element Range from Neodymium to Platinum at the FRS — ●FABIO FARINON for the S392-Collaboration — GSI, Darmstadt, Germany

With a new detector setup and the high-resolution performance of the fragment separator FRS at GSI we discovered 57 new isotopes in the atomic number range of 60 ≤ Z ≤ 78: ^{159–161}Nd, ^{160–163}Pm, ^{163–166}Sm, ^{167–168}Eu, ^{167–171}Gd, ^{169–171}Tb, ^{171–174}Dy, ^{173–176}Ho, ^{176–178}Er, ^{178–181}Tm, ^{183–185}Yb, ^{187–188}Lu, ¹⁹¹Hf, ^{193–194}Ta, ^{196–197}W, ^{199–200}Re, ^{201–203}Os, ^{204–205}Ir and ^{206–209}Pt. The new isotopes have been unambiguously identified in reactions with a ²³⁸U beam impinging on a Be target at 1 GeV/u. The isotopic production cross-section for the new isotopes have been measured and compared with predictions of different model calculations. These results will be presented.

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Pygmy dipole resonance and neutron skin in ²⁰⁸Pb* — ●IRYNA POLTORATSKA¹, PETER VON NEUMANN-COSEL¹, VLADIMIR

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A benchmark experiment on ²⁰⁸Pb shows that polarized proton inelastic scattering at very forward angles including 0° is a powerful tool for studies of electric dipole (*E1*) and spin magnetic dipole (*M1*) modes in nuclei over a broad excitation energy range to test up-to-date nuclear models. For the separation of *E1*/*M1* contributions two different independent methods are applied, viz. a multipole decomposition of the angular distribution of the cross sections utilizing DWBA calculations and a model-independent analysis based on polarization transfer coefficients. Such an experiment allows the extraction of the complete electric dipole strength including the pygmy dipole resonance and determine its global features. Utilizing recent theoretical results [1,2] in combination with the extracted electric dipole nuclear polarizability α_D one is able to constrain the neutron skin in ²⁰⁸Pb [3] and thereby the symmetry energy relevant for the description of the neutron stars. [1] P.-G. Reinhard and W. Nazarewicz, Phys. Rev. C **81**, 051303(R) (2010).

[2] J. Piekarewicz, Phys. Rev. C **83**, 034319 (2011).

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Untersuchung der Pygmydipolresonanz in ¹²⁴Sn —
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In den letzten Jahren wurde die elektrische Pygmydipolresonanz mit verschiedenen experimentellen Methoden erforscht. Die Pygmydipolresonanz des Kerns ¹²⁴Sn wurde anhand eines ($\alpha, \alpha'\gamma$) Experiments untersucht [1], wobei Zustände beobachtet wurden, die aus einem vor-

herigen (γ, γ') Experiment [2] nicht bekannt waren. Aus diesem Grund wurde der Kern ¹²⁴Sn in einem Kernresonanzfluoreszenz-Experiment erneut untersucht. Das Experiment wurde am supraleitenden Darmstädter Elektronen-Linearenbeschleuniger S-DALINAC mit einer Endpunktsenergie von 7,8 MeV durchgeführt. Die zuvor in (γ, γ') unbeobachteten Zustände konnten in diesem neuen Experiment beobachtet werden. Für alle Übergänge wurde die $B(E1)\uparrow$ -Stärke berechnet und mit einer QPM Rechnung [1] verglichen und bezüglich ihrer Fragmentierung und Verteilung der $B(E1)\uparrow$ -Stärke analysiert.

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Search for pygmy resonances in proton-rich Argon isotopes —
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Since the discovery of pygmy resonances in neutron-rich nuclei a particular attention was paid to their analogues in proton-rich nuclei. Conceptually, RQRPA calculations predict the appearance of dipole strength for proton-rich nuclei like ³²Ar in the low-energy region between 8-10 MeV excitation energy. However a significant drop of resonance strength is expected for the ³⁴Ar. In contrast to the neutron-rich nuclei for which the existence of the pygmy resonances was justified by both theory and experiment, the proton-rich nuclei study is lacking a clear experimental confirmation yet. Aiming on the observation of the proton pygmy resonances, we have performed an experiment with a production of radioactive isotopes ³²Ar and ³⁴Ar via fragmentation of a 800 AMeV primary ³⁶Ar beam on a beryllium target. The produced proton-rich isotopes are subsequently sent onto a lead target of the LAND-R3B setup. The dipole response is observed using the Coulomb excitation method in inverse and complete kinematics. Current status of the data analysis and preliminary results will be presented. This work was supported by GSI F&E and BMBF.