

Phase-shift calculation with realistic nuclear forces

--- Bridging bound (discrete) and continuum states ---

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Most of the present talk is based on

Y.S., W.Horiuchi, M.Orabi, K.Arai, FBS 42 (2008)

Detailed formulation with Correlated Gaussian basis

W.Horiuchi, Y.S., PRC78 (2008)

Application to ^4He levels with CG basis

Y.S., W.Horiuchi, **K.Arai**., arXiv:0812.4875 (submitted to NPA)

Phase-shift calculation in L^2 -basis expansion method

Motivation

- NN interaction is characterized by strong short-range repulsion and long-range tensor force
Interesting to analyze how nuclear spectrum evolves
- Accurate solution is possible for bound states of FBS

square-integrable (\mathcal{L}^2) basis functions

- Scattering and reaction calculations with realistic NN forces are still difficult because of continuum states and boundary conditions

The aim is to apply \mathcal{L}^2 basis expansion method to problems of both discrete and continuum states with an emphasis on quantifying the role of central, tensor, ... forces.

Variational Solution

$$\Phi(A, u, \alpha) = \mathcal{A} \left\{ \left[\psi_L^{(\text{orbital})}(A, u) \psi_S^{(\text{spin})}(S_{12}, S_{123}, \dots) \right]_{JM} \right. \\ \left. \times \psi_{TM_T}^{(\text{isospin})}(T_{12}, T_{123}, \dots) \right\} \\ \alpha = (L, S, S_{12}, \dots, T_{12}, \dots)$$

$$\Psi_{JMTM_T} = \sum_{i=1}^K C_i \Phi(A_i, u_i, \alpha_i)$$

$$H_{ij} = \langle \Phi(A_i, u_i, \alpha_i) | H | \Phi(A_j, u_j, \alpha_j) \rangle$$

$$B_{ij} = \langle \Phi(A_i, u_i, \alpha_i) | \Phi(A_j, u_j, \alpha_j) \rangle$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^K (H_{ij} - EB_{ij}) C_j = 0$$

**Fulfillment of symmetry requirement:
permutation, parity, translation, rotation**

Explicitly correlated Gaussian (ECB) with angular function specified with global vectors

$$\Phi_{(LS)JM_JTM_T} = \mathcal{A} \left\{ e^{-\frac{1}{2} \tilde{\mathbf{x}} A \mathbf{x}} \left[\left[\mathcal{Y}_{L_1}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1 \mathbf{x}) \mathcal{Y}_{L_2}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_2 \mathbf{x}) \right]_{L \chi_S} \right]_{JM_J} \eta_{TM_T} \right\}$$

$(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{N-1})$ Set of Jacobi coordinates but its choice is arbitrary)

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}} A \mathbf{x} = \sum_{i,j=1}^{N-1} A_{ij} \mathbf{x}_i \cdot \mathbf{x}_j \quad A_{ij} \neq 0$$

$$\mathcal{Y}_{LM}(\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1 \mathbf{x}) = |\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1 \mathbf{x}|^L Y_{LM}(\widehat{\tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1 \mathbf{x}}) \quad \tilde{\mathbf{u}}_1 \mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} u_{1_i} \mathbf{x}_i$$

Parity= $(-1)^{L_1+L_2}$ (Note: $L=0$, $\pi = -$ needs three global vectors)

Elements of A , u_1 , u_2 are variational parameters

and they are determined by a trial and error search

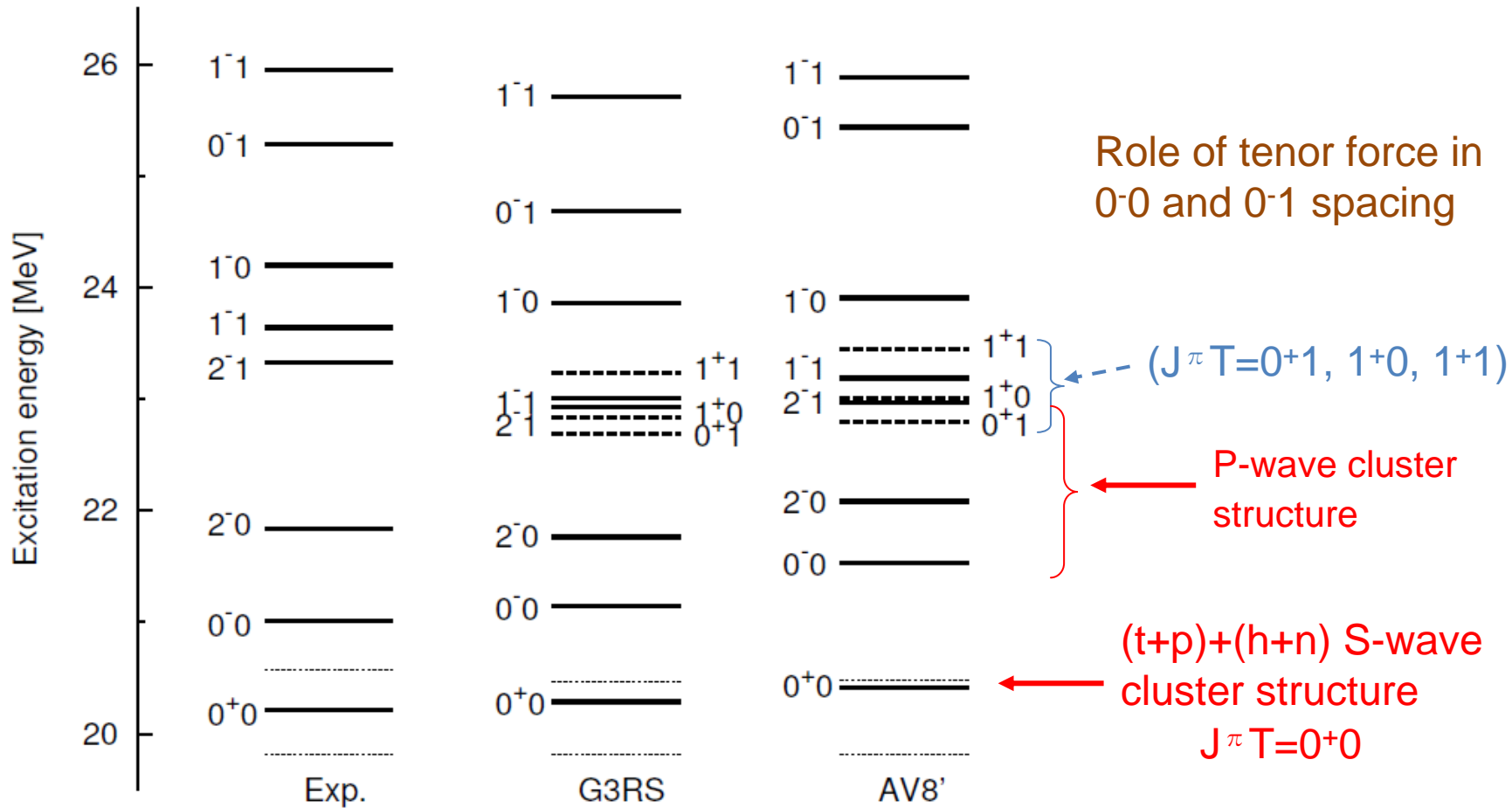
Variational solutions are obtained by SVM which consists of enlargement of basis dimension and refinement of the bases

K.Varga, Y.S., PRC52(1995)

Y.S., K.Varga, Lecture Notes 54 (Springer, 1998)

Energy levels of ^4He

Lightest nucleus exhibiting the coexistence of different types of excitations



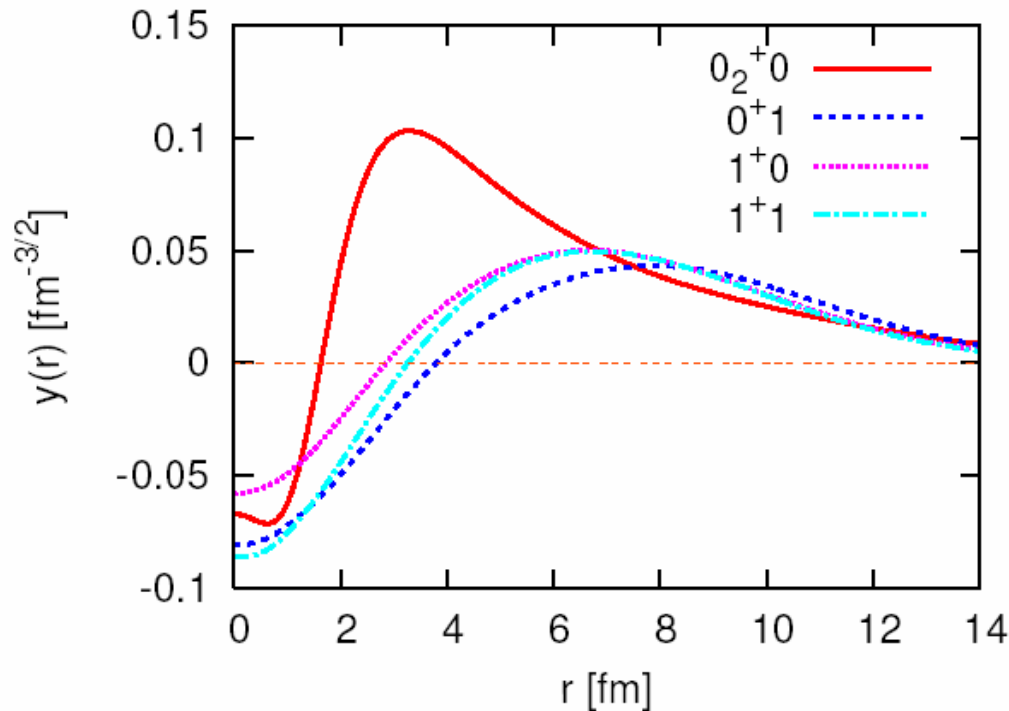
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Spectroscopic amplitude (SA)

Useful to discuss clustering

$$A \leftrightarrow B + C \quad y(r) = \langle \Psi(B)\Psi(C) | \Psi(A) \rangle$$

SAs of the quartet for the S -wave ${}^3\text{He} + n$ decay

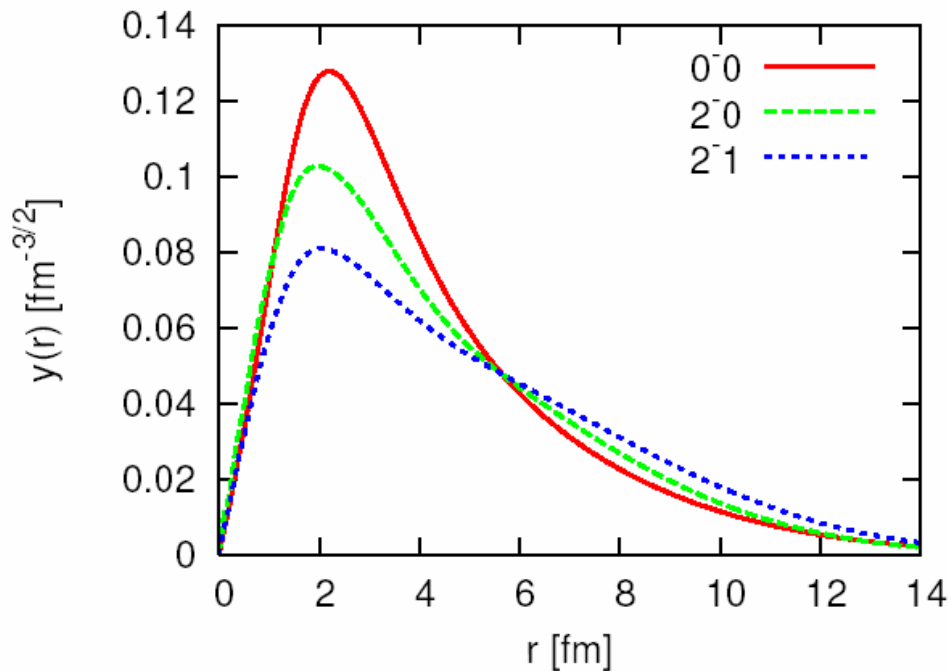


$3N$ radius ~ 2.3 fm

Only 0_2^+0 has a peak near $3N$ surface, indicating a resonance

Negative parity partners

SAs of the three lowest negative parity states
for the P -wave ${}^3\text{He}+n$ decay with $I=1$



Peak position
Centrifugal barrier

Width of 0⁻: 0.61 MeV (Cal)
0.84 MeV (Exp)

3N+N cluster structure → **Inversion doublet**

Energy contents of the negative parity states

(MeV)

	$\langle T \rangle$	$\langle V_c \rangle$	$\langle V_{\text{Coul}} \rangle$	$\langle V_t \rangle$	$\langle V_b \rangle$
$0^- 0$	48.38	-28.92	0.48	-26.63	0.29
$0^- 1$	39.10	-24.79	0.44	-17.75	0.14
$2^- 0$	41.08	-25.71	0.42	-21.39	-0.18
$2^- 1$	40.25	-25.82	0.43	-19.30	-0.18
$1^- 0$	37.72	-23.50	0.40	-18.32	0.006
$1_1^- 1$	39.30	-25.14	0.43	-19.13	0.005
$1_2^- 1$	32.48	-22.01	0.42	-12.67	-0.06

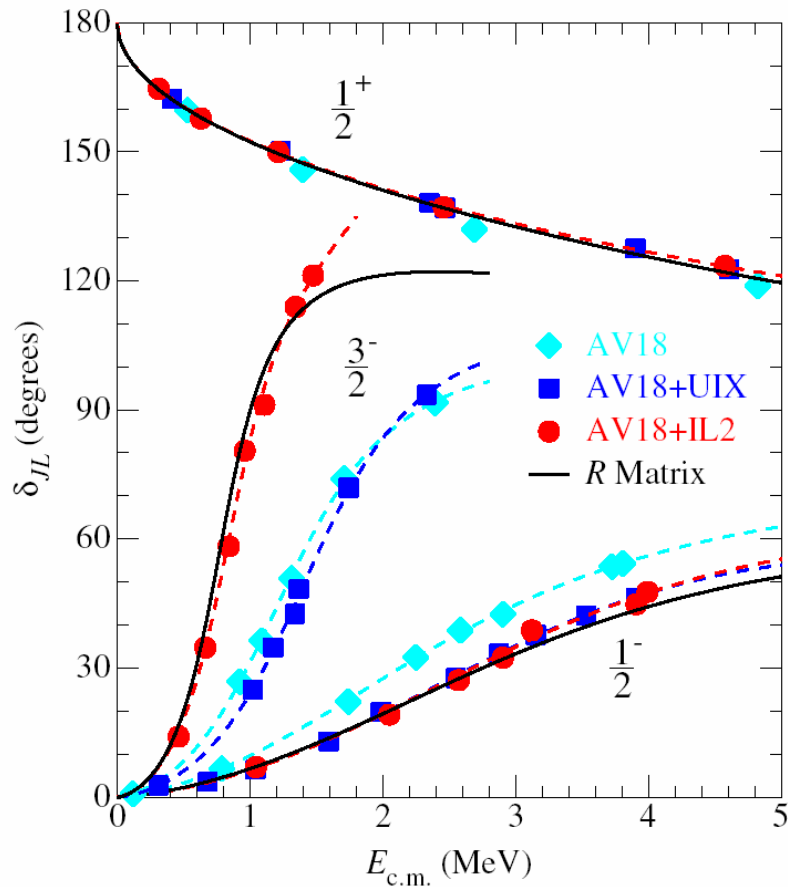
$$|0^- 0\rangle = a |L=1^- S=1\rangle + b |L=2^-, S=2\rangle \quad a^2=0.95 \quad b^2=0.05$$

Barrett (1967)

Sakai et al. (1974)

Quantum Monte Carlo calculation for $\alpha + n$ phase shifts

K.M. Nollett et al. PRL99 (2007)



**Effects of three-body forces
in $\alpha + n$ scattering phase shifts**

Formulation with Green's function

Phase shift is determined from the asymptotic behavior of **spectroscopic amplitude** (SA)

$$y(r) = \langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | \Psi_{JM} \rangle$$

Test function for channel $c=(l_1, l_2, l, l)$

$$\Phi_{cJM}(r) = [[\psi_{I_1}(\alpha_1)\psi_{I_2}(\alpha_2)]_I Y_\ell(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_c)]_{JM} \frac{\delta(r_c - r)}{r_c r}$$

Equation of motion for exact $y(r)$

$$\langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | H | \Psi_{JM} \rangle = E \langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | \Psi_{JM} \rangle$$

$$H = H_{\alpha_1} + H_{\alpha_2} + T_c + V_c \quad (V_c: 2BF+3BF+\dots)$$

$$\left[\frac{d^2}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{d}{dr} - \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{r^2} - \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} U(r) + k^2 \right] y(r) = \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} [z(r) + w(r)]$$

$$z(r) = \langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | V_c - U | \Psi_{JM} \rangle \quad (U(r): \text{an arbitrary local potential})$$

$$w(r) = \langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | H_{\alpha_1} - E_{\alpha_1} + H_{\alpha_2} - E_{\alpha_2} | \Psi_{JM} \rangle$$

$$E_{\alpha_i} = \langle \psi_{I_i M_i} | H_{\alpha_i} | \psi_{I_i M_i} \rangle \quad k = \sqrt{2\mu(E - E_{\alpha_1} - E_{\alpha_2})/\hbar^2}$$

A general form of SA: apparently correct asymptotics

$$y(r) = \lambda v(r) + \frac{2\mu}{\hbar^2} \int_0^\infty G(r, r') [z(r') + w(r')] r'^2 dr' \quad : \mathbf{y^{SAGF}(r)}$$

$$\tan \delta_\ell = \tan \delta_\ell^{(0)} - \frac{2\mu k}{\hbar^2 \lambda} p(\infty) \quad p(r) = \int_0^r v(r') [z(r') + w(r')] r'^2 dr'$$

Suppose we have continuum-discretized states which are expected to be accurate in interaction region

$$H \Psi_{JM} = E \Psi_{JM} \longrightarrow \text{Calculate } y(r): \mathbf{y^{SA}(r)}$$

Asymptotics of this $y(r)$ is not good enough to obtain δ

$z(r)$ can be accurate even though Ψ_{JM} has a bad tail
if $U(r)$ is chosen to make $V-U(r)$ vanish for large r \longrightarrow $p(\infty)$ accurate

$$y^{\text{SAGF}}(r) \quad y(r) = \left[\lambda + \frac{2\mu k}{\hbar^2} q(r) \right] v(r) + \frac{2\mu k}{\hbar^2} p(r) h(r)$$

$$q(r) = \int_r^\infty h(r') [z(r') + w(r')] r'^2 dr'$$

Determination of λ

(1) minimize over λ :
$$\sum_{i (r_0 \leq r_i \leq r_1)} [y^{\text{SAGF}}(r_i) - y^{\text{SA}}(r_i)]^2$$

(2) Wronskian $W(y, h)$ minimize over λ :
$$\sum_{i (r_0 \leq r_i \leq r_1)} [\lambda(r_i) - \lambda]^2$$

$$W(y^{\text{SAGF}}, h) = (\lambda/k r^2) + (2\mu/\hbar^2 r^2) q(r)$$

$$W(y^{\text{SA}}, h)$$

Check of the insensitivity of λ to $[r_0, r_1]$

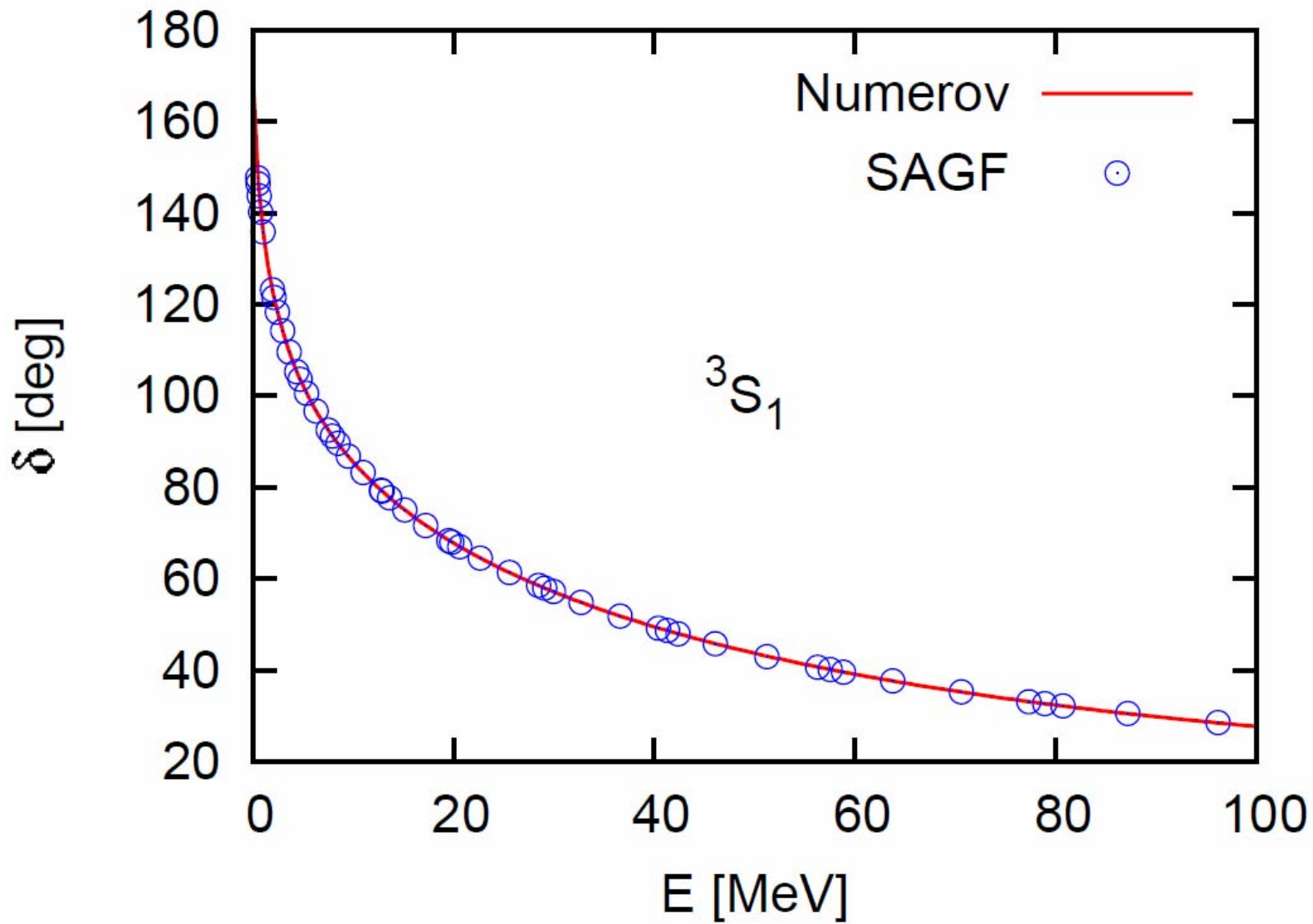
Example 1. 3S_1 phase shifts of $n+p$ scattering

Minnesota potential

Diagonalizing the $n+p$ Hamiltonian in Gaussians produces continuum-discretized states as well as the deuteron ground state

$$y^{\text{SA}}(r) = \sum_{i=1}^K C_i(E) e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta_i r^2} \quad \text{U}(r)=0$$

E [MeV]	Numerov	Method 1			Method 2
		[0, 5]	[1, 6]	[2, 6]	[2, 6]
0.4986	147.7	147.7	147.8	147.7	147.7
1.959	123.2	123.3	123.2	123.2	123.3
4.395	105.3	105.2	105.3	105.3	105.3
7.948	91.2	91.4	91.2	91.2	91.1
12.87	79.2	79.0	79.2	79.2	79.4
19.54	68.5	68.7	68.5	68.5	68.3
28.49	58.5	58.2	58.6	58.6	58.8
40.42	49.3	49.6	49.3	49.3	49.1
56.28	40.8	40.4	40.8	40.8	40.8
77.31	33.2	33.6	33.1	33.2	33.3



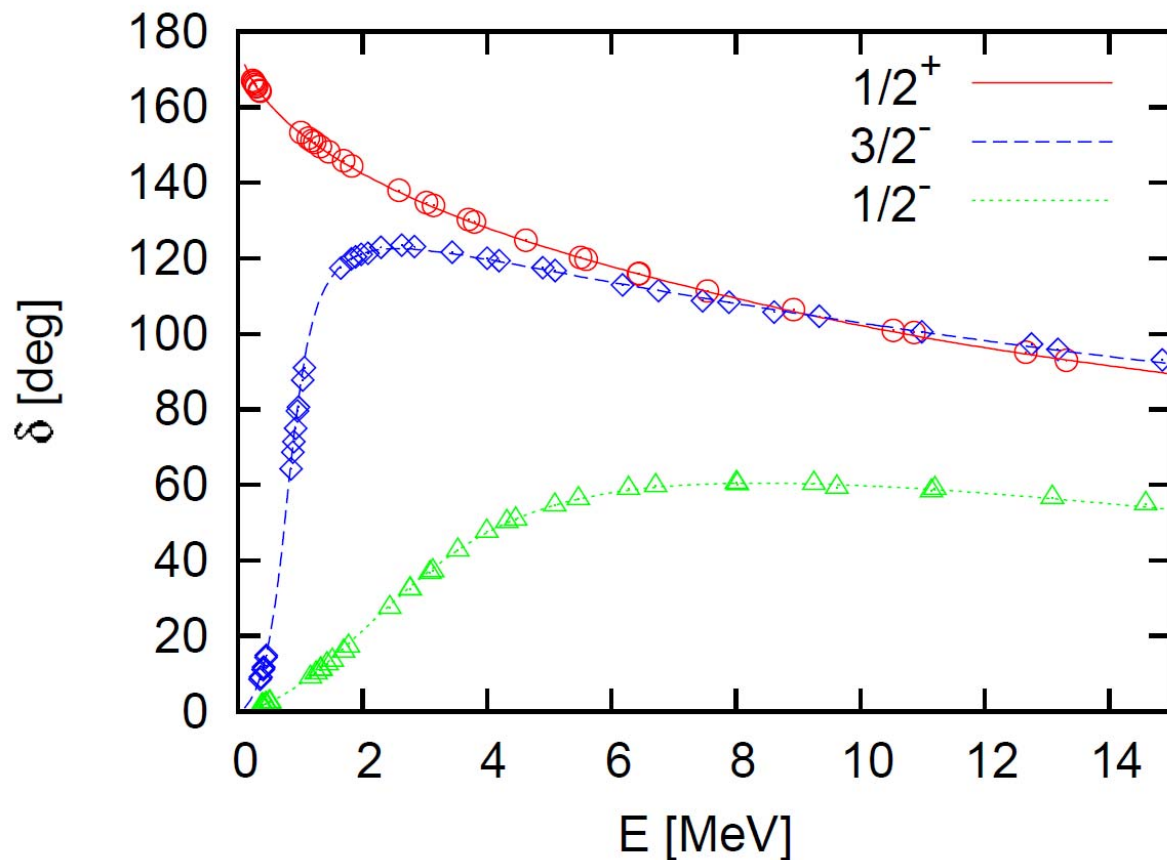
Example 2. $\alpha + n$ scattering with effective force

Minnesota force (Central + LS)

Single-channel calculation
Choice of A , u_1 , u_2

$$\Psi_{cJM} = \int_0^\infty u_\ell(r) \mathcal{A} \Phi_{cJM}(r) r^2 dr$$

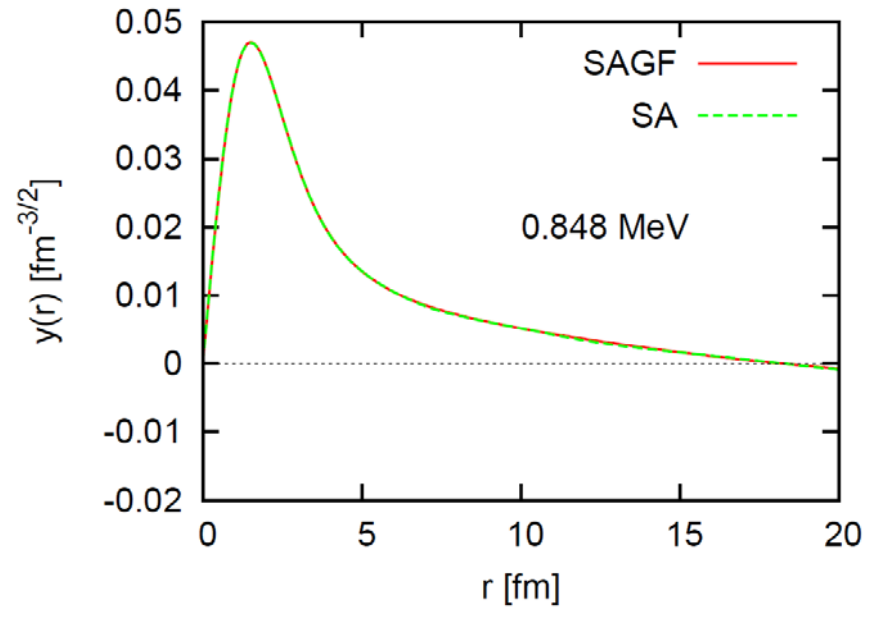
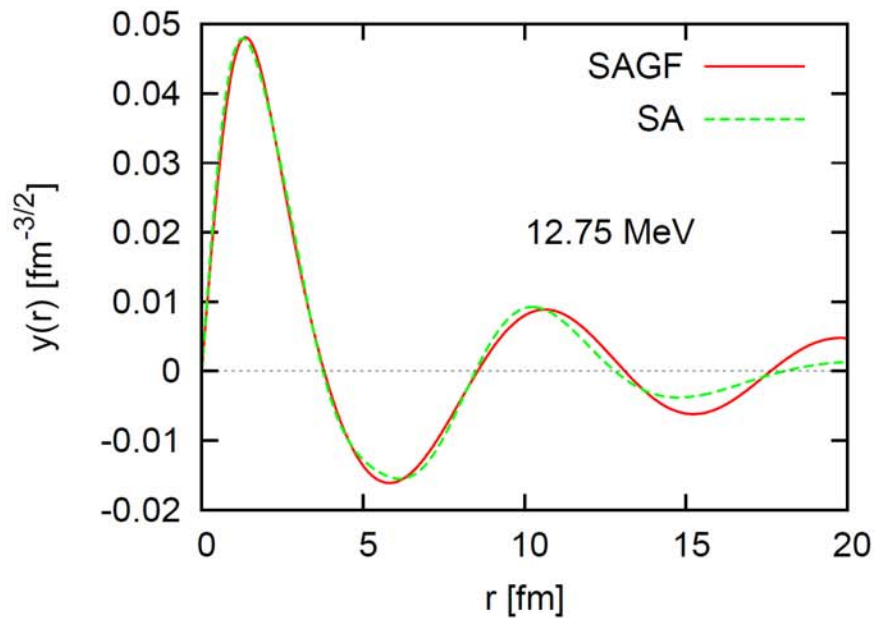
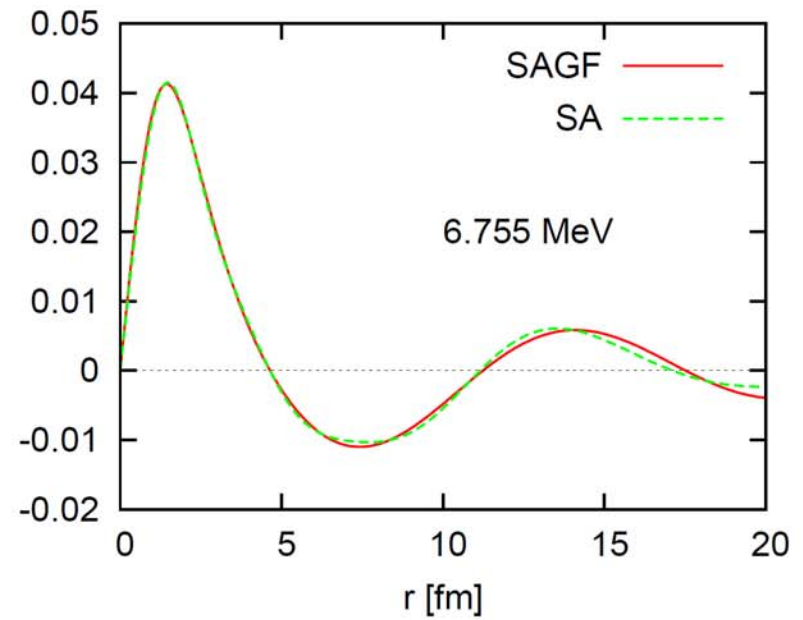
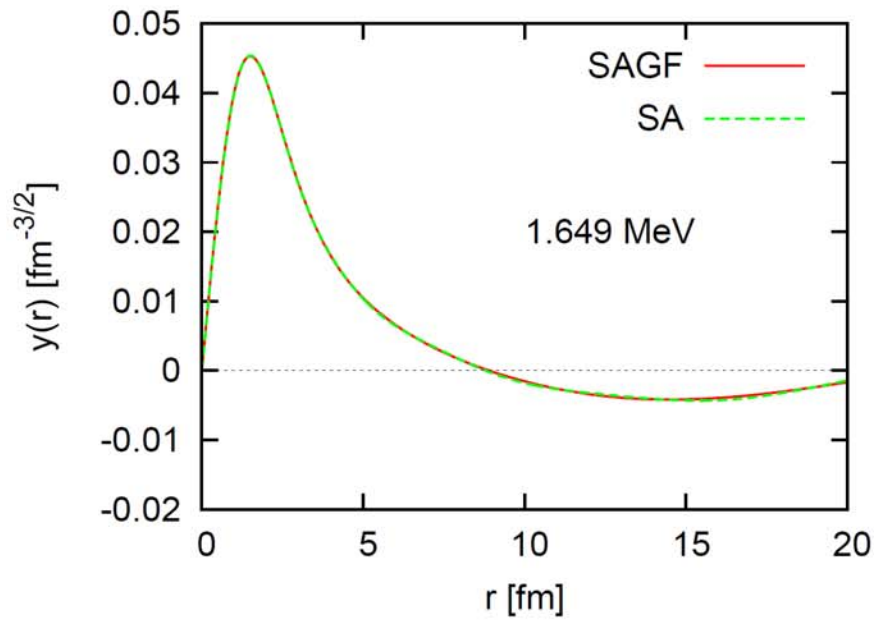
$$u_\ell(r) = \sum_{i=1}^K C_i r^i e^{-\frac{1}{2}\beta_i r^2}$$



$U(r)=0$

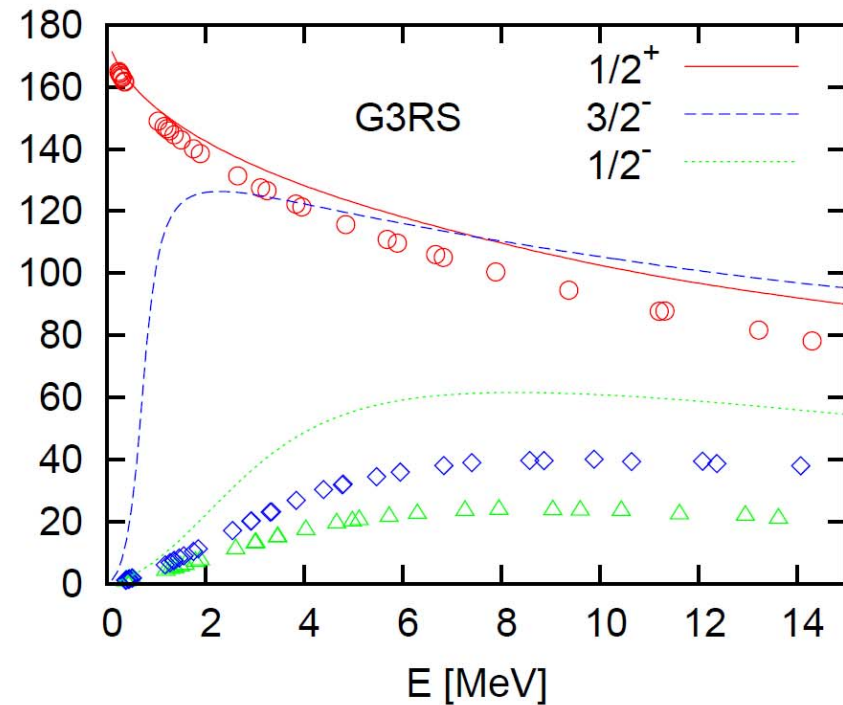
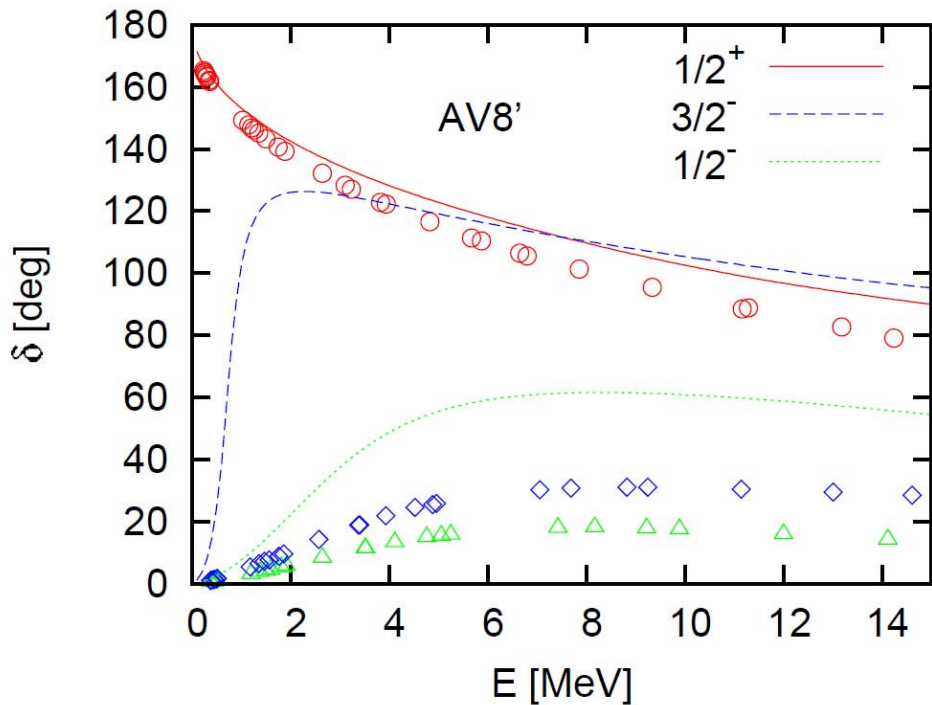
Good agreement with
R-matrix calculation

Comparison between SA and SAGF for 3/2- states



Example 3. $\alpha + n$ scattering with realistic forces

Microscopic five-body calculation with single channel
Use of α wave function solved accurately



S-wave phase-shifts are reasonable. P-wave phase-shifts are too small.

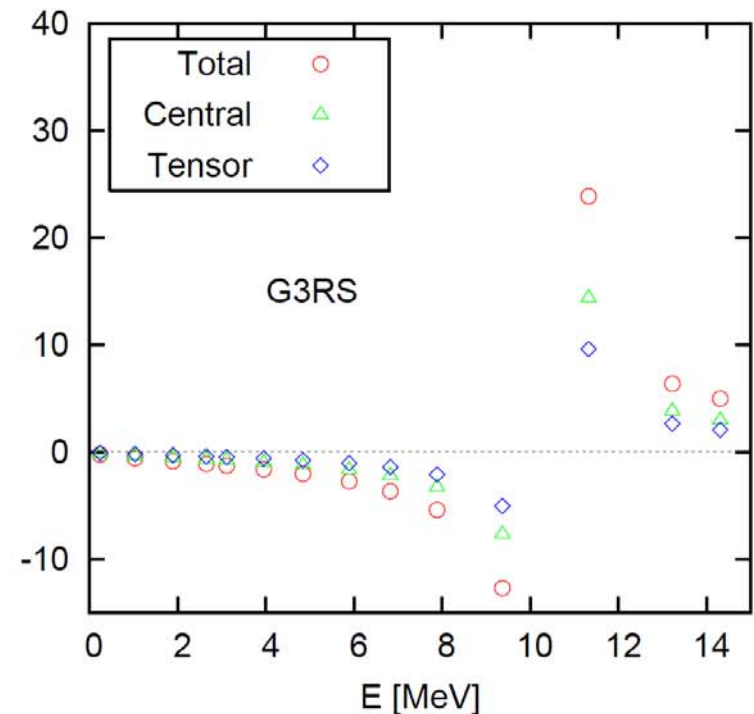
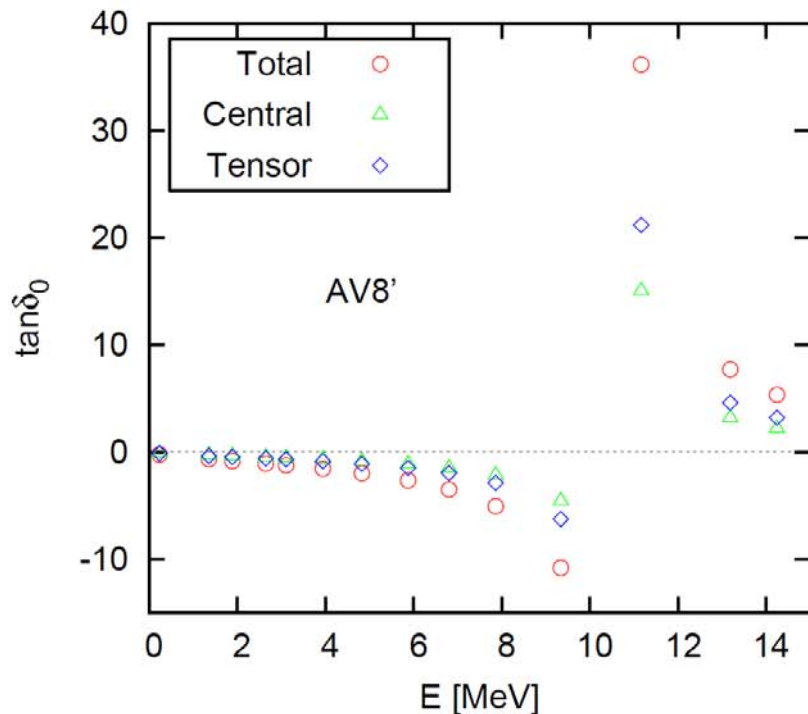
Our S-wave phase-shifts are similar to QMC results with AV18

Decomposition of central, tensor, etc. contributions into $\tan \delta$

$$\tan \delta_\ell = \tan \delta_\ell^{(0)} - \frac{2\mu k}{\hbar^2 \lambda} p(\infty)$$

$$p(r) = \int_0^r v(r') [z(r') + w(r')] r'^2 dr'$$

$$z(r) = \langle \Phi_{cJM}(r) | V_c - U | \Psi_{JM} \rangle$$



Tensor contribution is important in both bound and scattering states

Discussion on α +n phase shifts

- P-wave** phase shifts a sharp resonance for $3/2^-$
 a broad resonance for $1/2^-$
- S-wave** phase shifts repulsive behavior in $1/2^+$

Understandable from **Pauli principle**

P-wave neutron can penetrate into α

S-wave neutron is repelled by Pauli exclusion

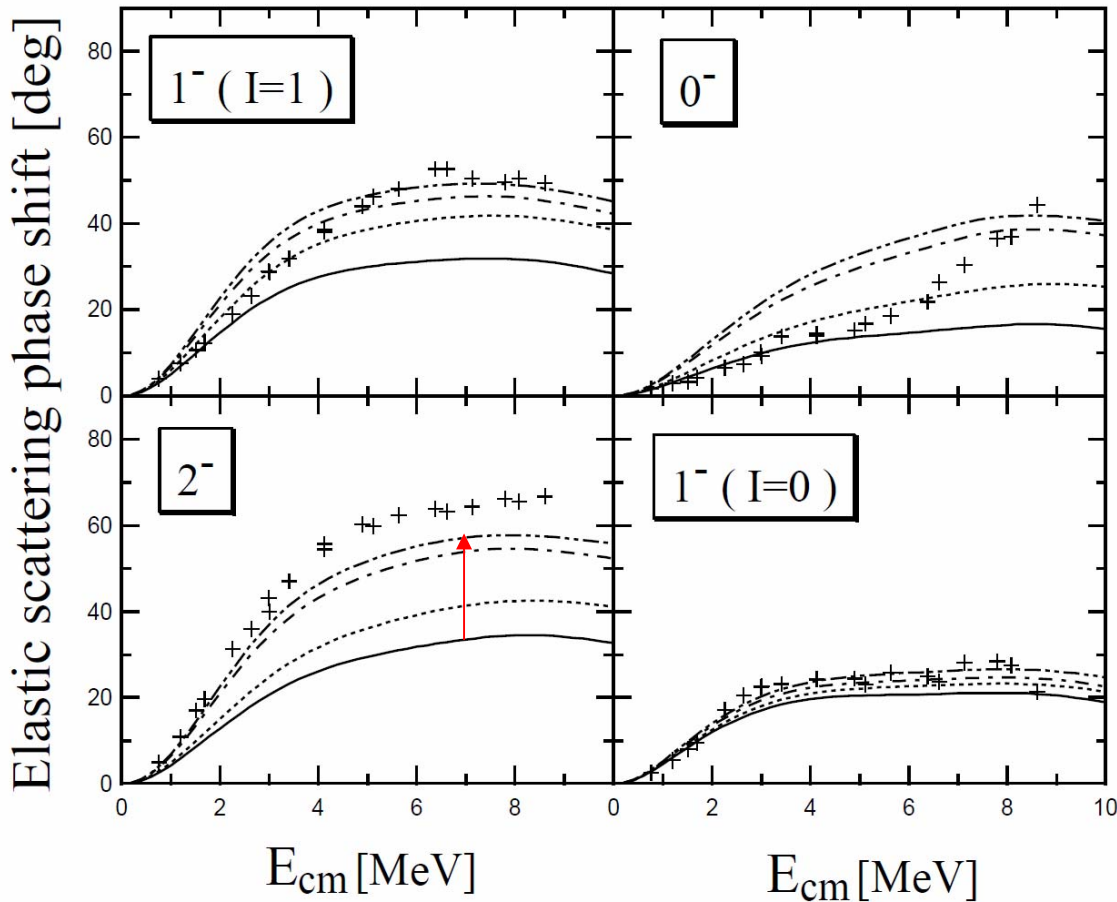
α can be distorted or excited in P-wave scattering particularly through tensor forces

Similar phenomena occur in $^3\text{He}+p$ scattering

K.Arai, S.Aoyama, Y.S., arXiv:0812.4732

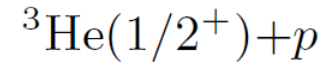
Microscopic four-body R-matrix calculation

$^3\text{He}+p$ P-wave phase shifts

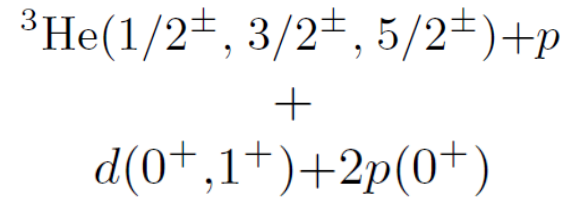


Channel spin $I=0, 1$

Single channel (Solid line)

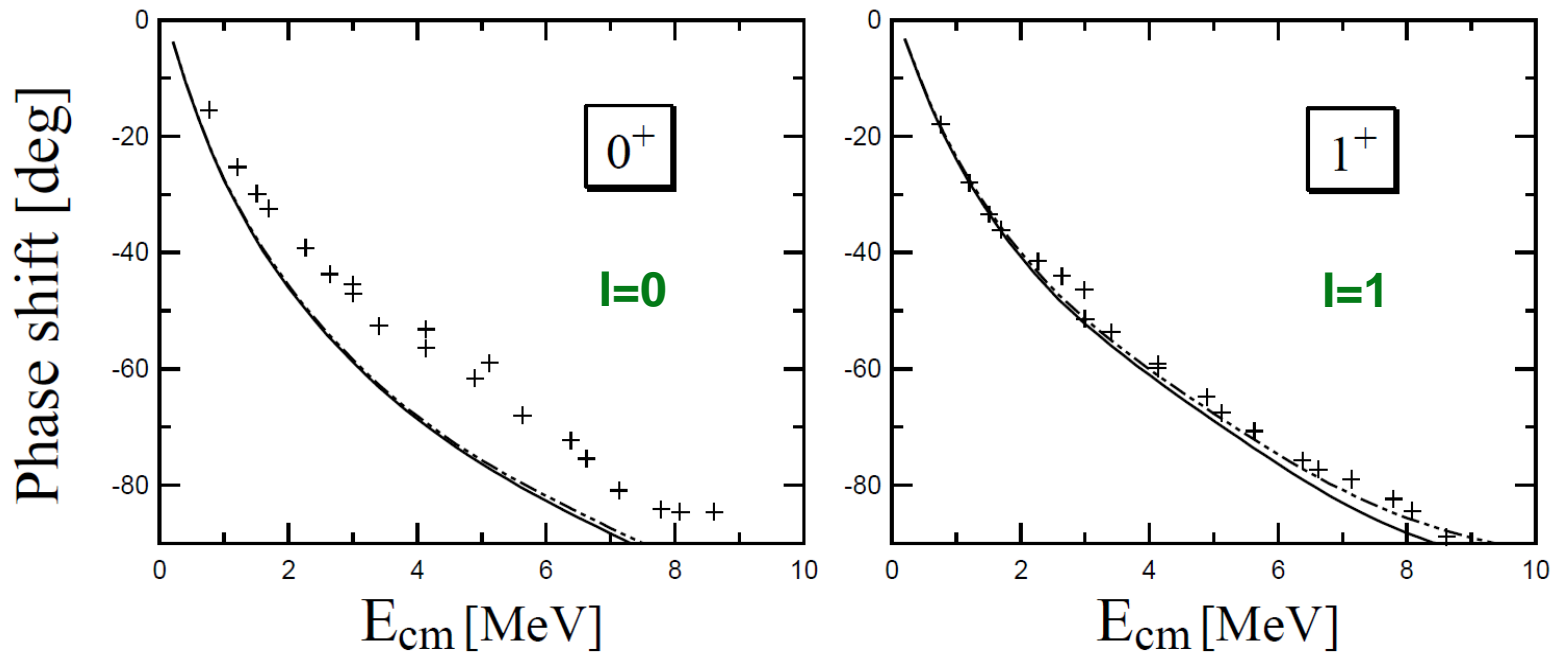


Cluster distortion and coupled channels (Dash-dot-dot line)



G3RS potential

${}^3\text{He}+p$ S-wave phase shifts



Effects of cluster distortion and channel-coupling are small

Summary

- Ab initio type structure study with realistic forces in correlated basis
 - ^4He spectrum, Unified description of cluster like states and other negative parity states
- Green's function approach to phase-shift calculations using continuum-discretized states
 - Simplicity and accuracy
 - Decomposition of $\tan \delta$ into contributions from potential components
 - $^4\text{He}+n$ phase shifts, Different nature of S, P-waves
- Extension to larger systems (in CG approach)
 - Tamed effective interactions determined model-space independently are desirable
 - e.g. UCOM (effects of higher order terms, effective operators other than Hamiltonian)
 - SRG**
 - Transcorrelated method (elimination of short-ranged repulsion) is unexplored

Test of GVR

Alpha-particle

Potential	MN	G3RS		AV8'	
Method	GVR	GVR	PWE	GVR	PWE
${}^4\text{He}(0^+)$					
E	-29.94	-25.29	-25.29	-25.09	-25.05
$\langle T \rangle$	58.08	86.93	86.90	101.62	101.41
$\langle V_c \rangle$	-88.86	-66.24	-66.19	-54.93	-54.76
$\langle V_{\text{Coul}} \rangle$	0.83	0.76	0.76	0.77	0.77
$\langle V_t \rangle$	-	-46.62	-46.65	-67.89	-67.82
$\langle V_b \rangle$	-	-0.13	-0.12	-4.66	-4.66
$\sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle}$	1.41	1.51	1.51	1.49	1.49
$P(0, 0)$	100	88.46	88.45	85.76	85.79
$P(2, 2)$	-	11.30	11.30	13.88	13.85
$P(1, 1)$	-	0.25	0.24	0.36	0.36

Most dramatic case: 0^-

**$E_x = -7.29$ MeV
(1.20 MeV above t+p)
 $\Gamma = 0.84$ MeV**

Total

0_1^-	(1,1)	(2,2)	$P(L, S)$
(1,1)	1.137	-13.85	0.954
(2,2)		6.644	0.046

**-6.07 MeV
(1.63 MeV above t+p)**

Kinetic

$\langle T \rangle$	(1,1)	(2,2)
(1,1)	41.87 (43.89)	
(2,2)		7.385 (160.2)

Central

$\langle V_c \rangle$	(1,1)	(2,2)
(1,1)	-27.98 (-29.33)	
(2,2)		-1.129 (-24.49)

Tensor

$\langle V_t \rangle$	(1,1)	(2,2)
(1,1)	-13.55 (-14.21)	-13.86 (-66.09)
(2,2)		0.367 (7.955)

Spin-orbit

$\langle V_b \rangle$	(1,1)	(2,2)
(1,1)	0.327 (0.343)	0.010 (0.050)
(2,2)		0.000 (0.006)

Coulomb

$\langle V_{\text{Coul.}} \rangle$	(1,1)	(2,2)
(1,1)	0.469 (0.492)	
(2,2)		0.021 (0.454)

Bases with $L^\pi = 0^-$, $S=0$ are not included,
but their role is expected to be minor.