Multi-Reference In-Medium SRG for Neutrinoless Double Beta Decay

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Matrix elements for the $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

Half-life of neutrinoless DBD(exchange Majorana ν)

$$
\left[T_{1/2}^{0\nu}\right]^{-1} = G_{0\nu}g_A^4 \left| |\langle m_{\nu_L} \rangle | m_e^{-1} M_{\nu_L}^{0\nu} + |\langle m_{\nu_H}^{-1} \rangle | m_p M_{\nu_H}^{0\nu} \right|^2
$$

• The transition matrix element

$$
M_i^{0\nu}=\langle 0_F^+|\hat O_i^{0\nu}|0_I^+\rangle
$$

• The transition operator

$$
\hat{Q}_i^{0\nu} = \frac{4\pi R}{g_A^2} \iint d^3x_1 d^3x_2 \int \frac{d^3q}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{e^{i\boldsymbol{q}\cdot(\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2)}}{A_i} \mathcal{J}^{\dagger}_{\mu}(\mathbf{x}_1) \mathcal{J}^{\mu\dagger}(\mathbf{x}_2)
$$

where \mathcal{J}^\dagger_μ is the charge-exchange current operator and $R=$ 1.2 $A^{1/2}.$ \rightarrow *i* = ν_l : $A_i \simeq q(q + E_d)$, where $E_d \simeq \langle E_m \rangle - (E_l + E_F)/2$ (closure approx). \rightarrow *i* = ν_H : $A_i \simeq m_p m_e$

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Decomposition of the *current-product* operator

$$
\begin{array}{rcl} \left[\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\right]_{VV} & = & g_{V}^{2}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})\left(\bar{\psi}\gamma_{\mu}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{1}\left(\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\mu}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{2},\\ \left[\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\right]_{AA} & = & g_{A}^{2}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})\left(\bar{\psi}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{1}\left(\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{2},\\ \left[\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\right]_{AP} & = & 2g_{A}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})g_{P}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})\left(\bar{\psi}\gamma\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{1}\left(\bar{\psi}\boldsymbol{q}\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)\\ \left[\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\right]_{PP} & = & g_{P}^{2}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})\left(\bar{\psi}\boldsymbol{q}\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{1}\left(\bar{\psi}\boldsymbol{q}\gamma_{5}\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{2},\\ \left[\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\mathcal{J}^{\dagger}\right]_{MM} & = & g_{M}^{2}(\boldsymbol{q}^{2})\left(\bar{\psi}\frac{\sigma_{\mu i}}{2m_{p}}\boldsymbol{q}'\tau_{-}\psi\right)_{1}\left(\bar{\psi}\frac{\sigma^{\mu j}}{2m_{p}}\boldsymbol{q}\eta\tau_{-}\psi\right) \end{array}
$$

Non-Relativistic Reduction:

$$
\left[-h_\text{F}(\boldsymbol{q}^2)+h_\text{GT}(\boldsymbol{q}^2)\sigma_{12}+h_\text{T}(\boldsymbol{q}^2)S_{12}^q\right]\tau_-^{(1)}\tau_-^{(2)}
$$

with
$$
\sigma_{12} = \sigma^{(1)} \cdot \sigma^{(2)}
$$
 and
\n $S_{12}^q = 3(\sigma^{(1)} \cdot \hat{q})(\sigma^{(2)} \cdot \hat{q}) - \sigma_{12}$.

The Non-Rel. reduction is safe for computing $M_{\nu_L}^{0\nu}$ regardless of whether the SRCs are included.

GCM+CDFT: L.S. Song, JMY, P. Ring, and J. Meng, PRC(2017) See J. Meng's talk for a detailed introduction.

Matrix elements for the $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

Many-body approaches for nuclear structure and the matrix elements (exchange light Majorana neutrino)

GCM+CDFT: JMY, L.S Song, K. Hagino, P. Ring, J. Meng, PRC (2015) GCM+EDF(Gogny): T. R. Rodriguez and G. Martinez-Pinedo, PRL(2010) PHFB: P. K. Rath et al., PRC(2010) (R)QRPA: A. Faessler et al., JPG(2012) IBM: J. Barea and F. Iachello, PRC(2009) CISM: J. Menendez et al., NPA(2009) · · ·

Systematic uncertainties

- Different approximation: Shell-Model, GCM, QRPA, IBM, PHFB
- Different model space: one-shell or full shell \bullet
- Different correlation: np pairing, collective v.s. non-collective

 \Rightarrow A factor of 2-3. J. Engel, JPG(2015)

Towards ab-inition calculations for the $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

Our goal

A full *ab-initio* calculation of

- structure properties of medium-heavy (deformed) nuclei
- and the nuclear matrix elements for the $0\nu\beta\beta$ decay

with a Multi-Reference In-Medium Similarity Renormalization Group approach.

Hergert, Bogner, Morris, Schwenk, & Tsukiyama, Phys. Rep.(2016)

IMSRG: a tool to tackle the missing correlations in GCM and the small model-space problem in Shell-Model.

IMSRG: decoupling in A-body space

aim: decouple reference state $|\Phi\rangle$ from excitations

See H. Hergert's talk for the details.

1. Generate a symmetry-conserved HFB (GCM) state $|\Phi\rangle$ and the density matrix elements (see L.J. Wang's talk)

$$
\rho^{nB}=\langle\Phi|A_{j_{1}\ldots j_{n}}^{i_{1}\ldots i_{n}}|\Phi\rangle
$$

2. Normal-order all the operators *O*ˆ w.r.t the Ref. state |Φ⟩

3. Decouple the reference state from excitations through the flow equation

$$
\frac{d\hat{H}(s)}{ds} = [\hat{\eta}(s), \hat{H}(s)],
$$

 $\hat{H}(\bm{s}) = \bm{e}^{\hat{\Omega}(\bm{s})} \hat{H}_0 \bm{e}^{-\hat{\Omega}(\bm{s})}.$ The man-body operator $\eta(s)$ (generator) and Ω(*s*) are anti-hermitian operators.

4. Compute observables (energy, transition)

$$
\langle \hat{O}(\infty) \rangle = \langle \Phi | e^{\hat{\Omega}(\infty)} \hat{O}_0 e^{-\hat{\Omega}(\infty)} | \Phi \rangle.
$$

o Spherical HFB state w/o np iso-scalar pairing (projected onto *N*&*Z*) \rightarrow *s* = 0: *E*_{np} = −0.648 MeV \rightarrow *s* = ∞ : E_{np} = -2.032 MeV • Deformed HFB state with np iso-scalar pairing (projected onto *J*, *N*&*Z*) \rightarrow *s* = 0: *E*_{np} = −1.345 MeV \rightarrow *s* = ∞ : E_{np} = -2.023 MeV

 \Rightarrow A deformed Ref. state is necessary for reproducing the total energy of ⁴⁸Ti.

MR-IMSRG(2) for the total GT strength in ⁴⁸Ti

$$
S_{GT}^{\beta^+} \equiv \sum_m \left| \langle {}^{48}\text{Sc}(1^+_m) | \sigma \tau_+ | {}^{48}\text{Ti}(0^+) \rangle \right|^2
$$

$$
= \sum_{ijkl} \langle j | \sigma \tau_- | i \rangle \langle l | \sigma \tau_+ | k \rangle \langle 0^+ | a^{\dagger}_{j\rho} a_{i\rho} a^{\dagger}_{j\rho} a_{k\rho} | 0^+ \rangle.
$$

MR-IMSRG(2) for the nuclear matrix elements of $0\nu\beta\beta$

$$
\mathit{M}^{0\nu} \quad = \quad \langle \Phi_{\mathit{F}} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{\mathit{F}}(\infty)} \hat{\mathit{O}}^{0\nu} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{\mathit{I}}(\infty)} | \Phi_{\mathit{I}} \rangle
$$

Difficult to treat the operator with $\hat{\Omega}_F(\infty) \neq \hat{\Omega}_I(\infty)$.

• Strategy:

$$
\begin{aligned} &\langle \Phi_{\digamma} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} \hat{O}^{0\nu} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{\ell}(\infty)} | \Phi_{\ell} \rangle \\ &\to \langle \Phi_{\digamma} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} \hat{O}^{0\nu} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} | \overline{\Phi}_{\ell} \rangle \end{aligned}
$$

- A spherical HF state for |Φ*I*⟩.
- Operators are truncated up to NO2B level.

GT

$$
\langle \Phi_{\digamma} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} |\Phi_{\text{I}} \rangle
$$

$$
= \ \langle \Phi_{\text{F}} | \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT} + [\hat{\Omega}_{\text{F}}, \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT}] + \ldots | \Phi_{\text{I}} \rangle
$$

$$
\hspace{1.6cm} = \hspace{.4cm} 1.118 + 0.870 + 0.061 + \ldots
$$

= 2.051

SM (KB3G): 0.868

Fermi

$$
\langle \Phi_{\digamma} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} \hat{O}_{\digamma M}^{0\nu} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{\digamma}(\infty)} |\Phi_{I}\rangle
$$

- $\hspace{0.1 cm} = \hspace{0.2 cm} \langle \Phi_{\mathit{F}} | \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{\mathit{FM}} + [\hat{\Omega}_{\mathit{F}} , \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{\mathit{FM}}] + \ldots \ket{\Phi_{\mathit{l}}} \hspace{0.1 cm}$
- $-0.763 0.061 0.015 + ...$
- $= -0.840$

SM (KB3G): - 0.243

Dominate correction to the matrix element: $[\hat{\Omega}_F, \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT}]$

In the MR-IMSRG(2) calc. with the KB3G, $\Omega^{(1)} = 0$. The dominant terms are

$$
[\hat{\Omega},\hat{O}_{GT}^{0\nu}]'_{KLS4} = \frac{1}{2}\sum_{CD}\Omega_{KLCD}^J O_{CD34}^J(1-n_C-n_D) - \frac{1}{2}\sum_{12}O_{KL12}^J \Omega_{1234}^J(1-n_1-n_2).
$$

where *K*, *L*, *C*, *D* for protons and 1, 2, 3, 4 for neutrons.

- The 1st term (protons): 0.243
- The 2nd term (neutrons): 0.602

MR-IMSRG(2) for ⁴⁸Ca-Ti

GT (eMax06)

$$
\begin{array}{lcl} \langle \Phi_{F} | e^{\hat{\Omega}_{F}(\infty)} \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT} e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{F}(\infty)} | \Phi_{I} \rangle \\ = & \langle \Phi_{F} | \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT} + [\hat{\Omega}_{F}, \hat{O}^{0\nu}_{GT}] + \ldots | \Phi_{I} \rangle \end{array}
$$

$$
\hspace{1.6cm} = \hspace{.4cm} 1.618 + 0.791 + 0.094 + \ldots
$$

$$
=\quad 2.505
$$

Fermi (eMax06)

$$
\begin{array}{rcl}\langle\Phi_{F}|e^{\hat{\Omega}_{F}(\infty)}\hat{O}_{FM}^{0\nu}e^{-\hat{\Omega}_{F}(\infty)}|\Phi_{I}\rangle\\=\&\langle\Phi_{F}|\hat{O}_{FM}^{0\nu}+[\hat{\Omega}_{F},\hat{O}_{FM}^{0\nu}]+\ldots|\Phi_{I}\rangle\\=\&-0.682-0.011-0.027+\ldots\end{array}
$$

$$
= \ -0.720
$$

NLDBD between isospin multiples: 6 He $\rightarrow {}^{6}$ Be

• No problem of $\Omega_l \neq \Omega_F$.

$$
M^{0\nu} \equiv \langle TT_z - 2 | [\hat{O}^{0\nu}]^{2-2} | TT_z \rangle
$$

$$
\rightarrow \langle TT_z | [\hat{O}^{0\nu}]^{20} | TT_z \rangle
$$

• A benchmark for other ab-initio methods.

NLDBD between isospin multiples:¹⁸O→¹⁸Ne

Effects of 3NF at the NO2B level

Increases the energy (about 45 MeV) and decreases the *M*⁰ (about 10%).

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Thanks for your attention!

Development of IMSRG approaches

• IMSRG for spherical closed (open)-shell nuclei

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• IMSRG+PNP (Sph.HFB) for spherical open-shell nuclei

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Valence-Space Shell-Model based on the IMSRG decoupled chiral Hamiltonian

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No-Core Shell-Model based on the MR-IMSRG decoupled chiral Hamiltonian

E. Gebrerufael, K. Vobig, H. Hergert, and R. Roth, arXiv: 1610.05254v1 [nucl-th] 17 Oct 2016

• IMSRG+EOM(TDA) for excited states

N. M. Parzuchowski, T. D. Morris, S. K. Bogner, PRC95, 044304 (2017)

IMSRG+GCM (Multi-Reference State) for deformed/transitional nuclei

MR-IMSRG(2*) for oxygen isotopes

Induced-NO3B in *H* at each *s*

BCH expansion for *H*(*s*):

$$
e^{\hat{\Omega}(s)}H_0e^{-\hat{\Omega}(s)}\quad =\quad H_0+\sum_{n=1}\frac{1}{n!}\tilde{H}^{(n)}(s),
$$

with

$$
\tilde{H}^{(n)} = H^{(n)}_{NO2B} + [\Omega(s), \tilde{W}^{(n-1)}] + [\Omega(s), h^{(n-1)}]
$$

\n- \n
$$
H_{\text{MOLB}}^{(n)} = [\Omega(s), H_{\text{MOLB}}^{(n-1)}]
$$
\n
\n- \n
$$
\tilde{W}^{(n-1)} \equiv [\Omega(s), \tilde{H}^{(n-2)}]^{3B}
$$
\n
\n- \n
$$
h^{(n-1)}
$$
 for the difference between $\tilde{H}^{(n-1)}$ and $H_{\text{MOLB}}^{(n-1)}$ \n
\n

Oxygen isotopes

MR-IMSRG for deformed ²⁰Ne with SM Hamiltonian

- Clustering structure in ²⁰Ne: a challenge for SM
- MR state: PNAMP+HFB with different deformation
- The spherical (reference) state fails to evolve to the deformed g.s.
- About 1 MeV discrepancy: something missing in the MR-IMSRG(2)?

Computing the NME for the neutrinoless DBD

If $\Omega_I = \Omega_F = \Omega$,

$$
M^{0\nu} = \langle \Phi_F | e^{\hat{\Omega}(\infty)} \hat{O}^{0\nu} e^{-\hat{\Omega}(\infty)} | \Phi_I \rangle
$$

= $\langle \Phi_F | \hat{O}^{0\nu} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} [\hat{\Omega}(\infty), \hat{O}^{[n-1]}] | \Phi_I \rangle$.

Diagrams for [Ω̂, $\hat{O}^{0\nu}$]

Expression for $[\Omega, O^{0\nu}]$ (1B)

$$
[\hat{\Omega}^{(1)}, \hat{O}^{0\nu}]^J_{KL34} \quad = \quad \sum_A \left[1 + (-1)^{J-j_K-j_L+1}\right] \Omega^{(1)}_{KA} O_{AL34} - \sum_1 \left[1 + (-1)^{J-j_S-j_A+1}\right] \Omega^{(1)}_{13} O_{KL14}. \quad (2)
$$

where *K*, *L*, *C*, *D* for protons and 1, 2, 3, 4 for neutrons.

Expression for $[\Omega, O^{0\nu}]$ (pp)

$$
[\Omega^{(2)},O]_{K134}^J(p\rho)=\frac{1}{2}\sum_{CD}\Omega_{K1CD}^J O_{CD34}^J(1-n_C-n_D)-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{12}O_{K112}^J\Omega_{1234}^J(1-n_1-n_2).
$$

where *K*, *L*, *C*, *D* for protons and 1, 2, 3, 4 for neutrons.

Expression for $[\Omega, O^{0\nu}]$ (ph)

$$
\begin{array}{lll} &&[\Omega^{(2)},O]^J_{\mathcal{N} \mathcal{I} \mathcal{A}}(ph) \\[2mm] &=& -\sum_{J'}J^2\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} j_k & j_l & J \\ j_3 & j_4 & J' \end{array} \right\}\sum_{a6} \langle (k\bar{4})J' | O | (6\bar{a})J' \rangle (n_6-n_a) \langle (6\bar{a})J' | \Omega | (3\bar{I})J' \rangle \\[2mm] &- (-1)^{j_k+j_l+J+1}\sum_{J'}J^{2}\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} j_l & j_k & J \\ j_3 & j_4 & J' \end{array} \right\}\sum_{a6} \langle (l\bar{4})J' | O | (6\bar{a})J' \rangle (n_6-n_a) \langle (6\bar{a})J' | \Omega | (3\bar{k})J' \rangle \\[2mm] &+ \sum_{J'}J^2\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} j_k & j_l & J \\ j_3 & j_4 & J' \end{array} \right\}\sum_{a6} \langle (k\bar{4})J' | \Omega | (a\bar{6})J' \rangle (n_a-n_6) \langle (a\bar{6})J' | O | (3\bar{I})J' \rangle \\[2mm] &+ (-1)^{j_k+j_l+J+1}\sum_{J'}J^{2}\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} j_l & j_k & J \\ j_3 & j_4 & J' \end{array} \right\}\sum_{a6} \langle (l\bar{4})J' | \Omega | (a\bar{6})J' \rangle (n_a-n_6) \langle (a\bar{6})J' | O | (3\bar{k})J \langle 3 \rangle \end{array}
$$

where *k*, *l*, *c*, *d*, *a* for protons and 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 for neutrons.

Irreducible three-body density

$$
\lambda_{\text{stu}}^{\text{pqr}} \equiv \rho_{\text{stu}}^{\text{pqr}} - \hat{\mathcal{A}}(\lambda_{s}^{\text{p}} \lambda_{\text{tu}}^{\text{qr}}) - \hat{\mathcal{A}}(\rho_{s}^{\text{p}} \rho_{t}^{\text{q}} \rho_{u}^{\text{r}}),
$$

important for decoupling the $H(\bm{s})$, where $\lambda^{qr}_{t\alpha} \equiv \rho^{qr}_{t\alpha} - \hat{\mathcal{A}}(\rho^q_t \rho^r_u)$.

MR-IMSRG for ⁴⁸Ca-Ti: comparison of $\Omega^{(2)}$

The Ω at NO2B level

$$
\Omega_{I/F}(s) = \sum_{ij} \Omega_{ij}(s)\tilde{A}_j^i + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijkl} \Omega_{ijkl}(s)\tilde{A}_{kl}^{ij}
$$
\n(4)

where

- $\Omega_{ii}(s)$: zero by using the H_{SM} .
- The two-body M.E. in *J*-scheme: ⟨(*ij*)*JM*|Ω|(*kl*)*JM*⟩.

If $\Omega_F \simeq \Omega_I$, expansion in terms of $\Omega_F - \Omega_I$

$$
e^{\Omega_F} O^{0\nu} e^{-\Omega_l} = e^{\Omega_F} e^{-\Omega_l} e^{\Omega_l} O^{0\nu} e^{-\Omega_l}
$$

\n
$$
\simeq e^{\Omega_l} \left[1 + (\Omega_F - \Omega_l) - \frac{1}{2} [\Omega_l, \Omega_F]\right] O^{0\nu} e^{-\Omega_l}
$$
 (5)

IMSRG-Ω_I: M⁰_{GT} = 2.169 → 2.449(NO2B), even larger?

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$$

\n
$$
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