

COMPUTATIONAL CHALLENGES FOR 3-BODY FORCES IN THE SHELL MODEL

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The Shell Model

- Typical eigenvalue problem

$$H\Psi_i = E_i\Psi_i$$

- Construct many-body basis states $|\phi_i\rangle$ so that

$$\Psi_i = \sum_n C_{in}\phi_n$$

- Calculate Hamiltonian matrix elements

$$H_{ij} = \langle \phi_j | H | \phi_i \rangle$$

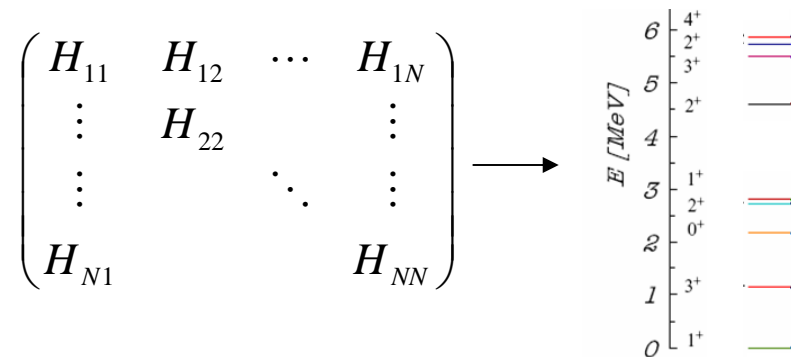
- Diagonalize to obtain eigenvalues & eigenvectors

● ● $H = \sum_i \varepsilon_i a_i^+ a_i + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijkl} V_{ijkl} a_i^+ a_j^+ a_l a_k$

● ● ● $H = \sum_i \varepsilon_i a_i^+ a_i + \sum_{ijklmn} V_{ijklmn} a_i^+ a_j^+ a_k^+ a_n a_m a_l$

$$\phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{A!}} \begin{vmatrix} \phi_i(\mathbf{r}_1) & \phi_i(\mathbf{r}_2) & \cdots & \phi_i(\mathbf{r}_A) \\ \phi_j(\mathbf{r}_1) & \phi_j(\mathbf{r}_2) & & \phi_j(\mathbf{r}_A) \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ \phi_l(\mathbf{r}_1) & \phi_l(\mathbf{r}_2) & \cdots & \phi_l(\mathbf{r}_A) \end{vmatrix}$$

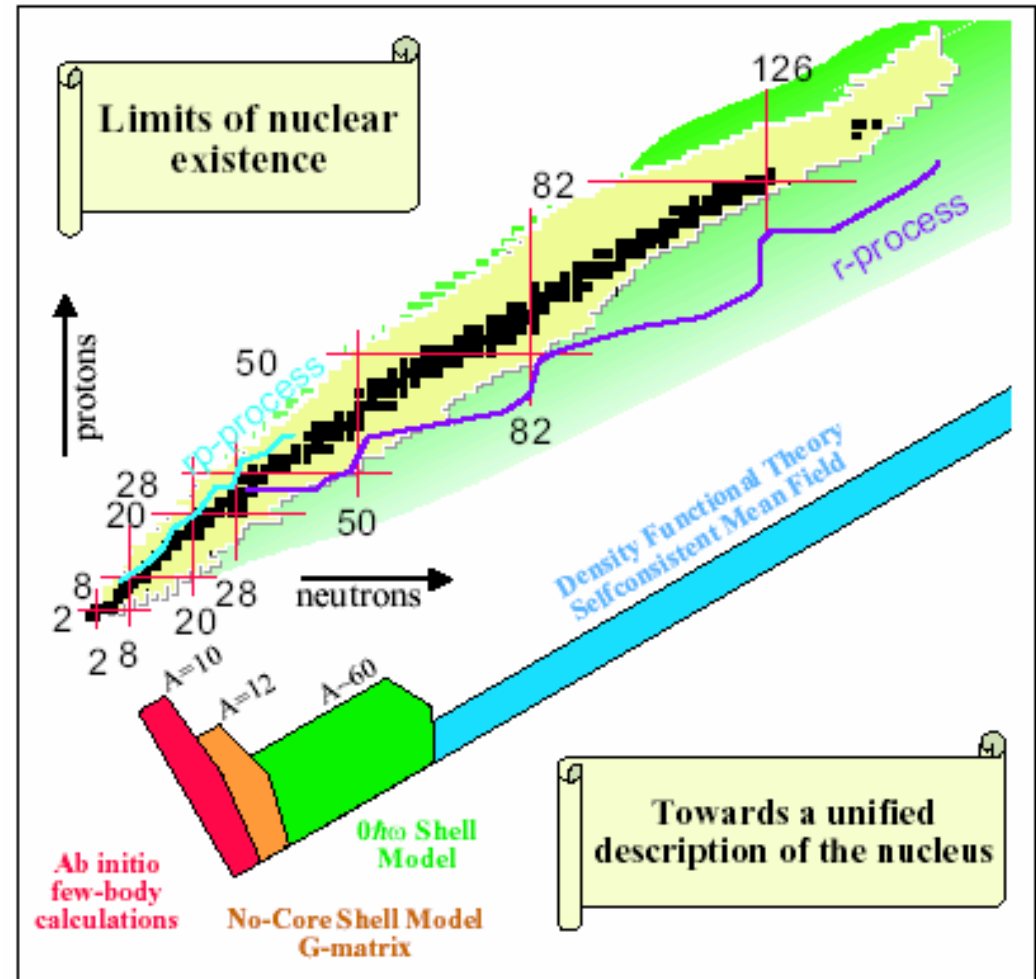
$$= a_i^+ \dots a_j^+ a_l^+ |0\rangle$$





Shell Model Codes

- **Oak Ridge (1969)**
 - Coefficients of Fractional parentage
- **Glasgow (1977)**
 - Good Jz (M-scheme)
 - J restored in diagonalization
- **OXBASH (1985)**
 - J-projected M-scheme
 - Smaller matrices
- **RITSSCHIL (1985)**
 - CFP
- **DUSM (1989)**
 - Permutation groups
- **ANTOINE (1991 & 1999)**
 - M-scheme
 - Apply matrix on-the-fly
 - Large dimensions
- **NATHAN (1998)**
 - J-projected similar to ANTOINE
 - "Hybrid" M-scheme-CFP code
- **REDSTICK (now)**
 - Based on ANTOINE papers
 - M-scheme
 - Three-body interactions
- **CMICHSM & MFD (now)**





Effects of 3 Body Interactions

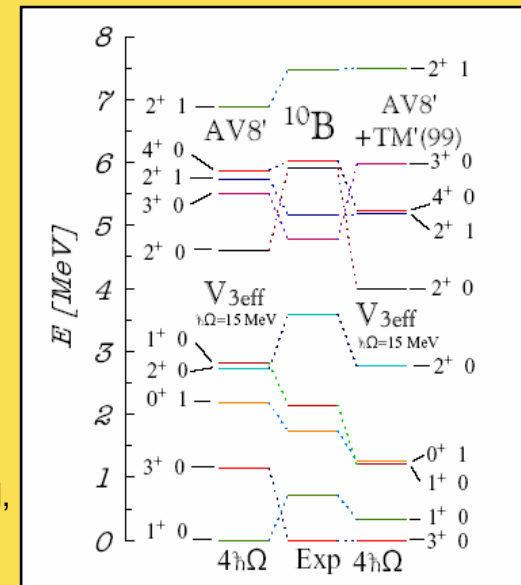
- **Increase total binding energy**
- **Increase spin-orbit splitting**
 - Improve low-lying excitation spectra (correct ground state spin)
- **Spin-observables**
 - Magnetic moment
 - Gamow-Teller transition strengths

■ **BETTER AGREEMENT WITH EXPERIMENT!!**

${}^6\text{Li}$ basis space	Exp	AV8'+TM'(99) $6\hbar\Omega$	AV8' $6\hbar\Omega$
$ E_{\text{gs}} (1^+0)$	31.995	31.036	28.406

(2003)
Investigations of
 ${}^6,7\text{Li}$, ${}^6\text{He}$,
 ${}^7,8,10\text{Be}$,
 ${}^{10,11,12}\text{B}$, ${}^{12}\text{N}$,
 ${}^{10,11,12,13}\text{C}$

Source: Navratil and Ormand,
Phys. Rev. C 68, 034305



${}^{11}\text{B} \rightarrow {}^{11}\text{C}$ basis space	Exp	AV8'+TM'(99) $4\hbar\Omega$	AV8' $4\hbar\Omega$
$\text{B(GT); } \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$	0.345	0.315	0.765
$\text{B(GT); } \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$	0.399	0.591	0.909
$\text{B(GT); } \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$	0.961^a	0.517	0.353
$\text{B(GT); } \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{3}{2}$	0.961^a	0.741	0.531
$\text{B(GT); } \frac{3}{2}^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{5}{2}^{-1} \frac{3}{2}$	0.444^b	0.625	0.197



Current Investigations

- Higher p-shell, low sd-shell nuclei

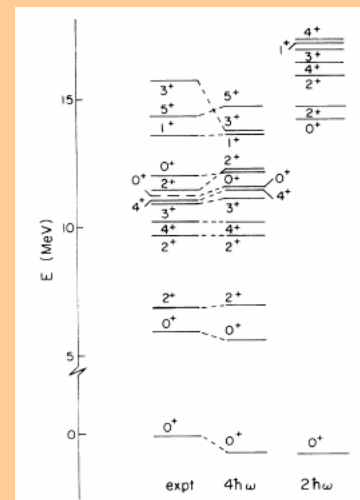
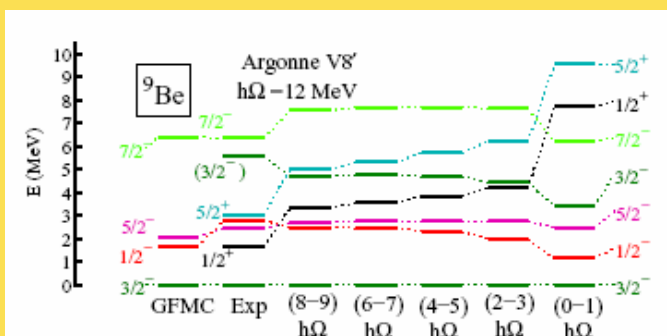
- ^9Be , ^{15}O , ^{16}O , ^{17}O

- 2-body results

^9Be	Exp	NCSM				GFMC AV8'
		INOY	CDB2k	N ³ LO	AV8'	
$E_{\text{gs}} \left(\frac{3}{2}_1^- \frac{1}{2} \right)$	-58.16	-56.05	-51.16	-50.47	-50.20	-49.9(2)
$E \left(\frac{1}{2}_1^+ \frac{1}{2} \right)$	-56.48	-50.95	-47.81	-47.57	-46.84	—

^9Be

Source: Forssen, Navratil, Ormand, Caurier
Physical Review C, vol. 71, Issue 4, id. 044312 (2005)



^{16}O 4hω

Source: Haxton & Johnson (1990)
Phys. Rev. Let.

^{15}O , ^{16}O , ^{17}O

Nucleus	Interaction			Expt
	N ³ LO	CD-Bonn	V ₁₈	
^{15}O	6.158	6.643	4.789	7.464
^{15}N	6.339	6.810	4.957	7.699
^{16}O	6.951	7.444	5.469	7.976
^{17}O	6.722	7.201	5.214	7.751
^{17}F	6.559	7.048	5.059	7.542

Source: Wloch et. Al. (2005)
J. Phys. G: Nucl. Part. Phys. 31 S1291-S1299

The three nucleon interaction plays a critical role in determining the structure of nuclei BUT is computationally challenging



- **Lanczos (iterative method)**

$$\hat{H}\mathbf{v}_1 = \alpha_1\mathbf{v}_1 + \beta_1\mathbf{v}_2$$

$$\hat{H}\mathbf{v}_2 = \beta_1\mathbf{v}_1 + \alpha_2\mathbf{v}_2 + \beta_2\mathbf{v}_3$$

$$\hat{H}\mathbf{v}_3 = \beta_2\mathbf{v}_2 + \alpha_3\mathbf{v}_3 + \beta_3\mathbf{v}_4$$

$$\hat{H}\mathbf{v}_4 = \beta_3\mathbf{v}_3 + \alpha_4\mathbf{v}_4 + \beta_4\mathbf{v}_5$$

- Ideal for solving a large sparse matrix
- ~ 100-200 iterations for the lowest 10 eigenvalues
- Matrix-vector multiplication, vector dot products for α 's, β 's
- Memory and run-time bottleneck

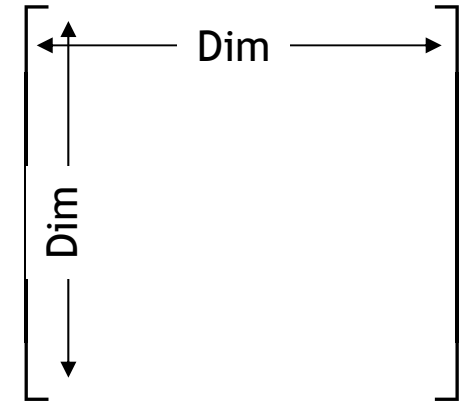


Why is it so difficult?

- **Large dimensions of the Hamiltonian matrix**

- grows dramatically with # of particles & valence space

$$Dim \approx \binom{N_{sps}^p}{n^p} \binom{N_{sps}^n}{n^n} \text{ e.g. } ^{60}\text{Zn (fp - shell)} \binom{20}{10} \binom{20}{10} = 3.4 \times 10^{10}$$



- **Large SPARSE matrix**

- Only store non-zero matrix elements

Nuclide	space	N_{val}	Z_v al	Dim basis	Sparsity (%)
^{20}Ne	sd	2	2	640	13.0
^{24}Mg	sd	4	4	28,503	0.74
^{28}Si	sd	6	6	93,710	0.34
^{46}V	pf	3	3	121,440	0.36
^{48}Cr	pf	4	4	1,963,461	0.04

Example

Dim = 10^8 , Sparsity = 0.005%
 # of m.e. = $10^8 \times 10^8 \times 0.005\% =$
 [5.0×10^{11} matrix elements]

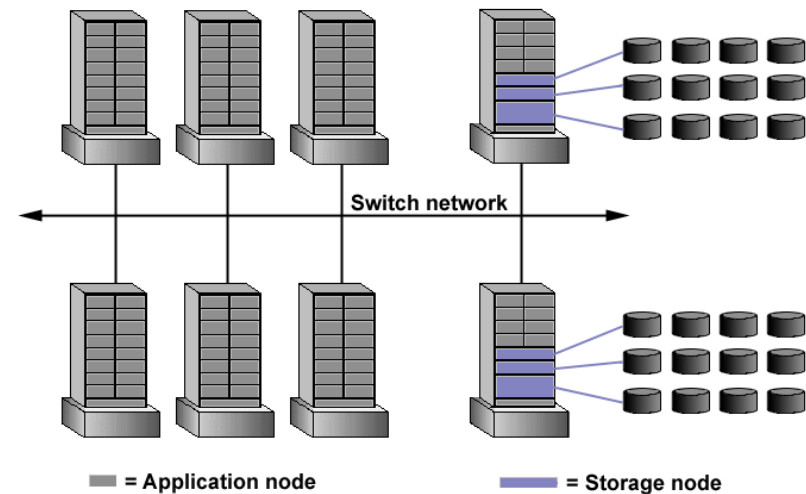
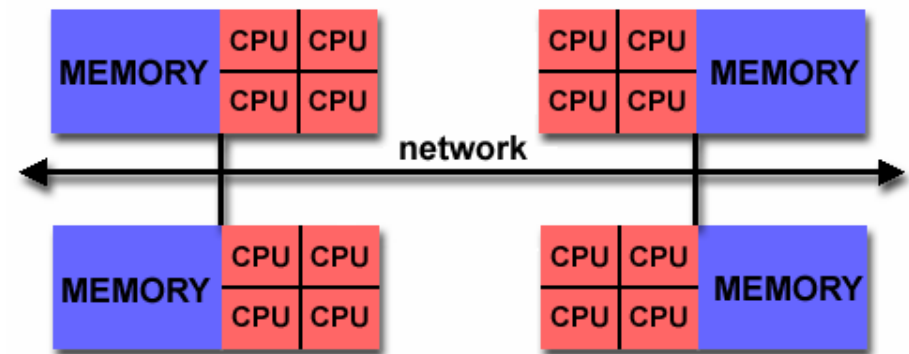
Single precision - real(4)
 = 2 TB to store (2,000 GB)

Dim = 10^9
 = 200 TB (200,000 GB)



Limits of HPC Resources

- **Shared & Distributed Computing Environment**
- **Memory (RAM) ~ 2 - 4 GB/proc**
 - **Thunder** - Linux: [1024 nodes / 4096 CPUs] 4 CPUs/node w/ 8 GB shared memory (8192 GB total)
 - **uP** - IBM: [108 nodes / 864 CPUs] 8 CPUs/node w/ 32 GB shared memory (3456 GB total)
- **Run-time ~ 12 hours**
(DAT time ~ 48 hours)
- **Parallel File System (Disk)**
 - Thunder: 338 TB
 - uP: 130 TB
 - Not all available to 1 user (small fraction)





More difficulties with 3-Body Forces

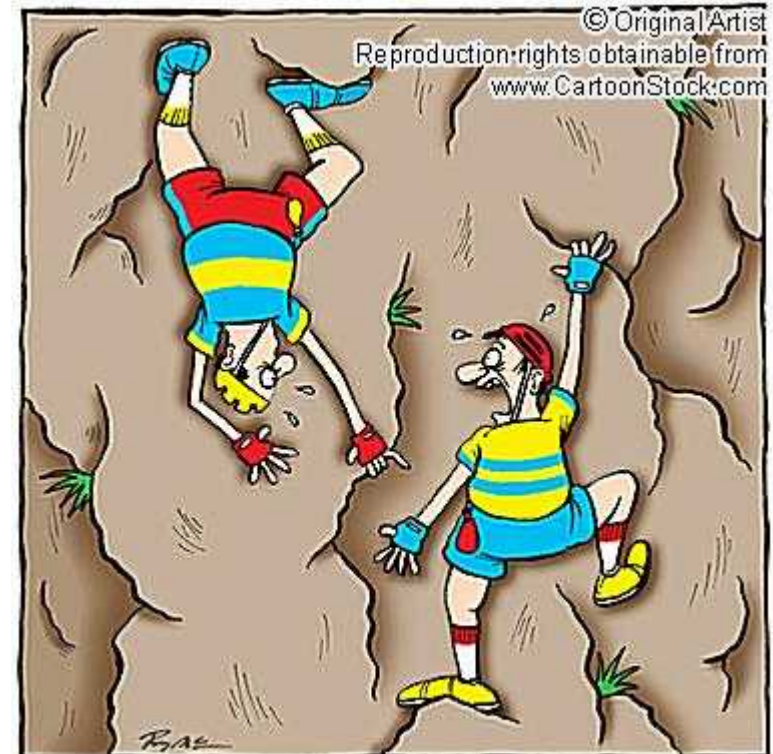
- **Basis dimensions are the same (2 → 3 body) but H is less sparse**

- $H_{ij} = H_{pp} + H_{nn} + H_{pn}$ (2 body)
- $H_{ijk} = H_{ppp} + H_{nnn} + H_{ppn} + H_{nnp}$ (3 body)
- → More non-zero matrix elements
- MORE MEMORY INTENSIVE

- **Increase in run-time**

- ^{10}B , $4 \hbar\Omega$; **Basis Dim = 581,740**
 - 2-body has $\sim 145 \times 10^6$ non-zero elements
 $\sim 1-2$ CPU-hr for lowest ten states
 - 3-body has $\sim 2.2 \times 10^9$ non-zero elements
 > 200 CPU-hr

- **As if it wasn't already challenging!!**



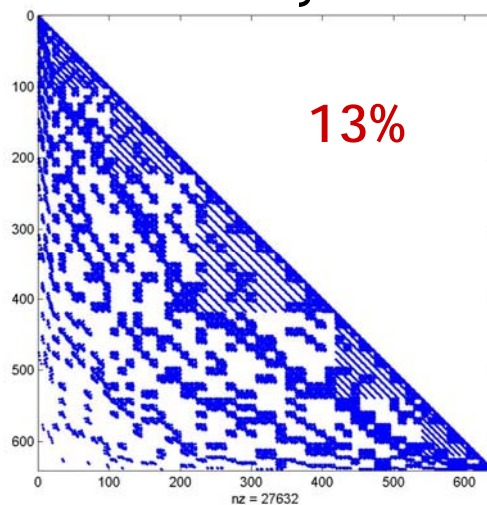
"One of us is in serious trouble!"



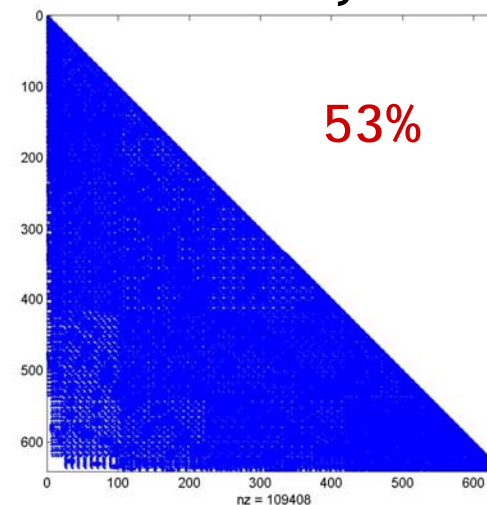
Sparsity Increases with 3 Body Forces

^{20}Ne
sd-shell
640 basis states

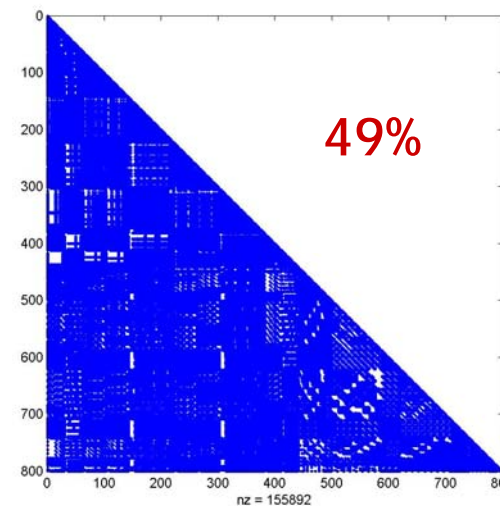
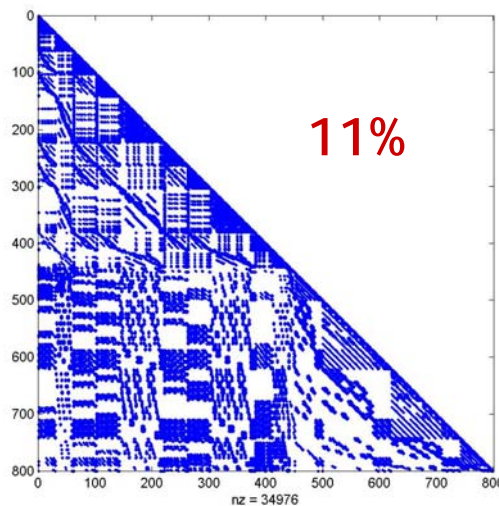
2 Body



3 Body



^6Li
2hw
800 basis states





Memory Limitation Solutions

- **Store matrix elements on disk**

- Requires much disk space, fast i/o.
- Disk access is ~1000 times slower than RAM access
- (e.g., OXBASH, Glasgow-Los Alamos, CMICHSM)

- **Store matrix elements in RAM**

- Limited by # of nodes available.
- 3,000 processor @ 2GB = 6,000 GB RAM
- (e.g. MFD)

- **On-the-fly: Recompute the many-body matrix elements**

- Re-compute on each iteration from the two- (and three-) body matrix elements
- **Efficient if you only compute non-zero matrix elements – NEED TO KNOW WHICH ARE NON-ZERO!!!**
- (e.g. ANTOINE, REDSTICK)

Dim = 10^8 , Sparsity = 0.05%
= 2 TB (2,000 GB)

Dim = 10^9
= 200 TB (200,000 GB)



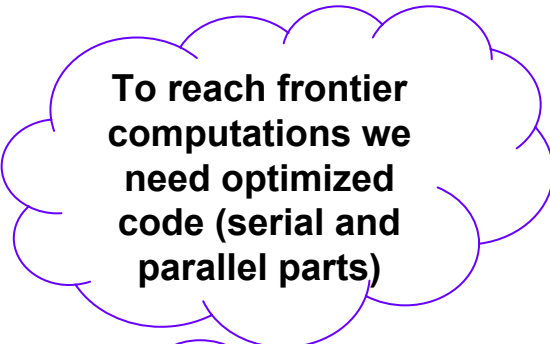
• Shell Model Code

- On-the-fly construction of Hamiltonian matrix
- Created by W. Erich Ormand & Calvin W. Johnson
- Fortran 90 & MPI
- 2-body version
 - 65+ subroutines
 - 16,000+ lines of code
- 3-body version
- Release spring 2008

• Needs Improvements

- Run-time
- Current structure will have memory issues outside of lanczos bottleneck

Dim > 10⁸



To reach frontier computations we need optimized code (serial and parallel parts)



Algorithms
Load
Balancing



REDSTICK Development

- **2004 – 2005**
 - Huh? What's REDSTICK?
- **2006 – 2007**
 - New “Jump” algorithm applied to various subroutines in 2 body version
 - Improves run-time performance
- **Summer 2007**
 - New 3-body code with similar jump type algorithm
- **In Progress**
 - Analysis of parallelization schemes
 - Implementation of parallelization schemes to 3 body code
 - Improves memory utilization



• Avoid expensive mathematical operations

Operation	Min Cycles per iteration (L1 Cache)
$x(i) = y(i)$	1.7
$x(i) = x(i) + y(i)$	1.7
$x(i) = x(i) + s*y(i)$	1.7
$x(i) = 1/y(i)$	15.1
$x(i) = \text{sqrt}(y(i))$	18.1

```
do i = 1, N
  do j = 1, N
    y(j,i) = x(j,i) / r(i)
  end do
end do
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```
do i = 1, N
  oner = 1.0d0/r(i)
  do j = 1, N
    y(j,i) = x(j,i) * oner
  end do
end do
```

• Avoid branching within inner loops

```
do i=1,n
  if (r < 1.0e-16) then
    a(i)=0.0; b(i)=0.0; c(i)=0.0
  else
    a(i)=x(i)/r
    b(i)=y(i)/r
    c(i)=z(i)/r
  end if
end do
```

→

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if (r < 1.0e-16) then
  do i=1,n
    a(i)=0.0; b(i)=0.0; c(i)=0.0
  end do
else
  do i=1,n
    a(i)=x(i)/r
    b(i)=y(i)/r
    c(i)=z(i)/r
  end do
end if
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Algorithm Improvement: Compare vs. Jump

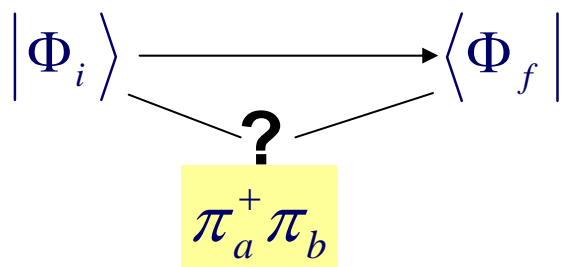
- Efficiently establish supporting arrays to determine non-zero matrix elements

E.g. $\hat{H}^{pn} = \sum_{ijkl} V_{ijkl}^{pn} \pi_i^+ \pi_j \nu_k^+ \nu_l$

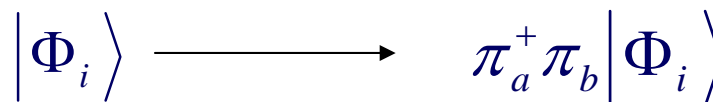
$$H_{pn} = \sum_{ijkl} \underbrace{\langle \Phi_f^p | \pi_i^+ \pi_j | \Phi_i^p \rangle}_{\text{One body jump}} \underbrace{\langle \Phi_f^n | \nu_k^+ \nu_l | \Phi_i^n \rangle}_{\text{One body jump}} V_{ijkl}^{pn}$$

If i and f connect by a one-body operator, then m.e. $\neq 0$

- “Jump” Algorithm

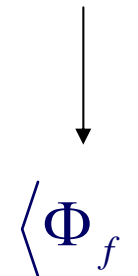


COMPARE initial to final states to see if they're connected by a one-body operator



Create all possible **JUMP** states produced from the operators

Search the final states for the jump state



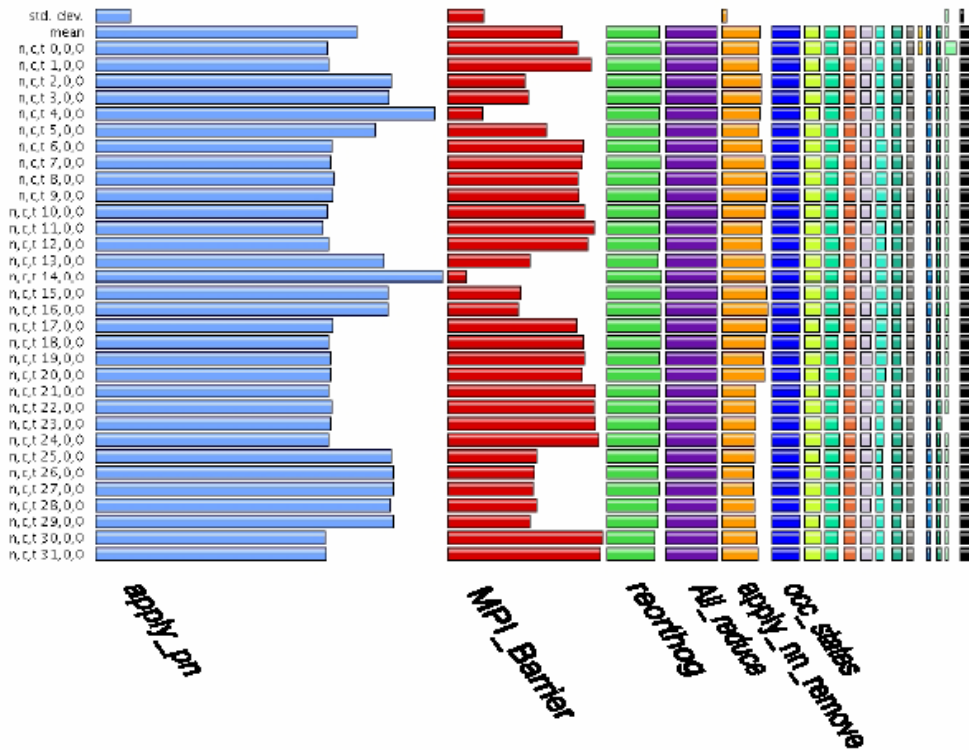
$N^2 \rightarrow N \log(N)$: Increase subroutine performance by a factor of 5-10 (depending on dim.)



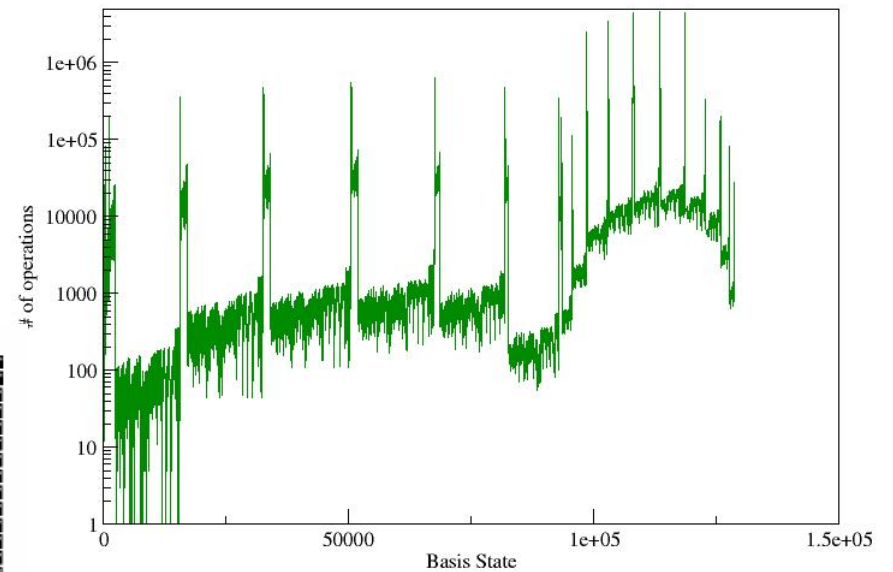
Parallelization Analysis: Load Balancing

WORK DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

TAU Output



^{11}C , 5hbw

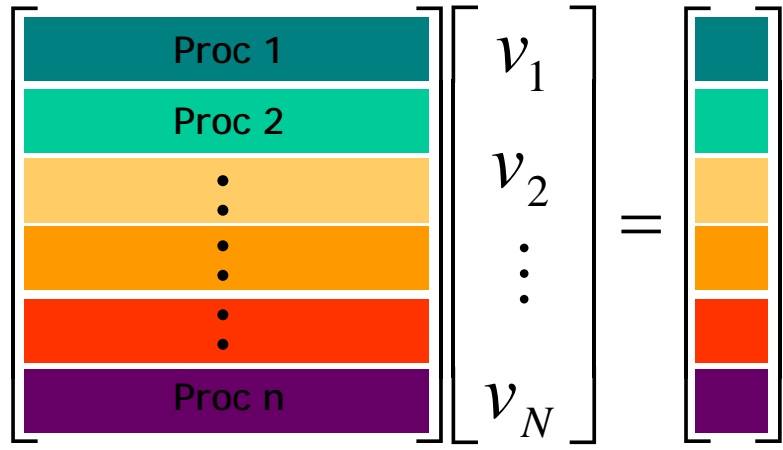




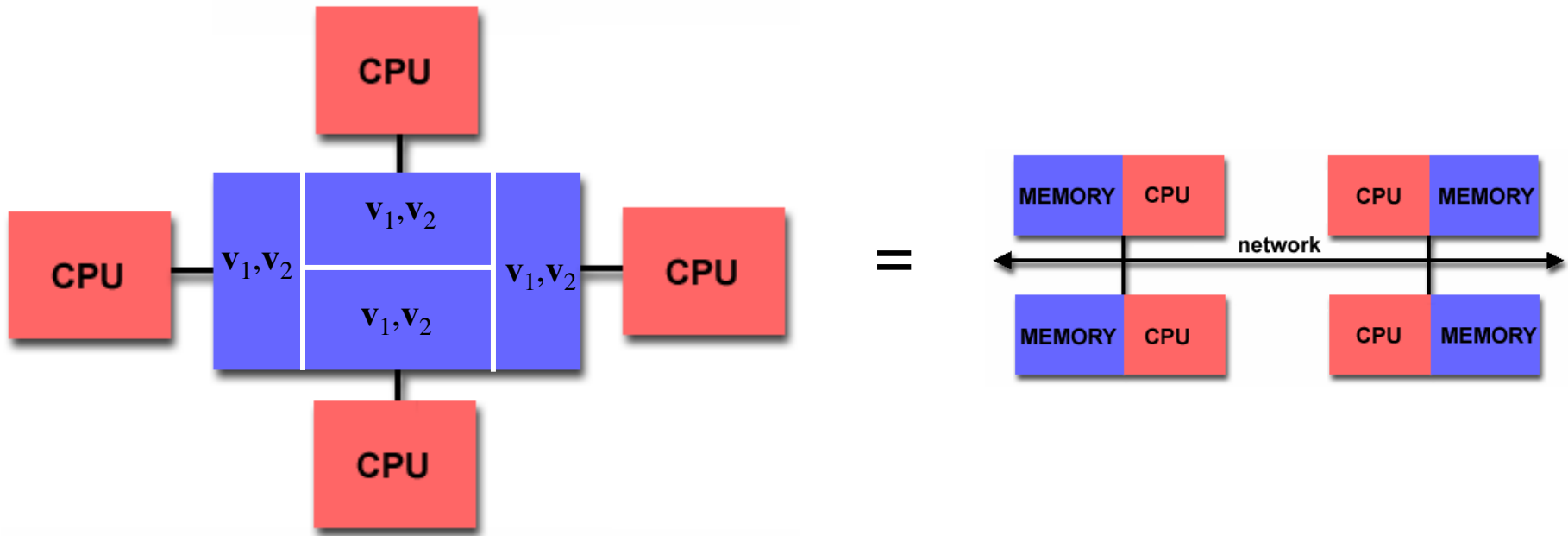
Parallelization

- MPI 101

$$H\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{v}_2 \Rightarrow$$



Each CPU gets a copy of \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2



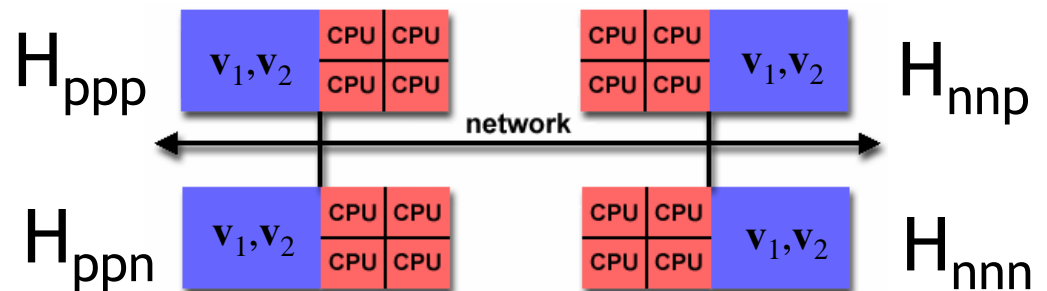
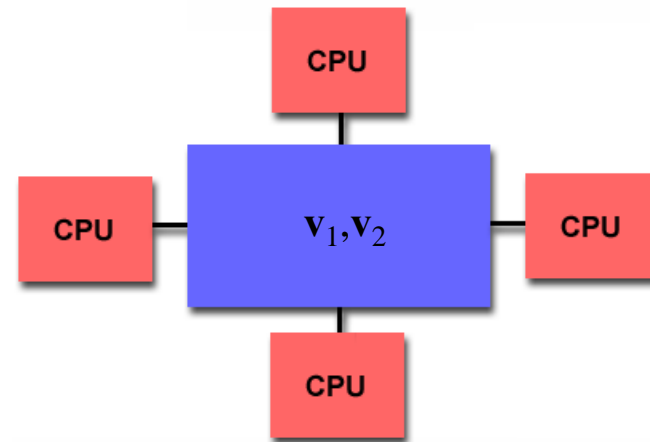


Efficient Parallelization

- **ARPACK (PARPACK) – optimized eigensolver (MFD)**
 - Limited by system resources
 - $10^8 \sim 4$ hours w/ 3500 processors

- **Hybrid Programming Model – MPI & OpenMP**
 - Decreases minimum memory requirement

- **Single Instruction, Multiple Data**
 → **Multiple Instruction, Multiple Data**





- **Reconsider algorithms for efficient parallelization**

- Breaks up the large dimension vector

$$H \mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{v}_2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \text{teal} \\ \text{green} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{red} \\ \text{purple} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_N \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{teal} \\ \text{green} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{orange} \\ \text{red} \\ \text{purple} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \sim 10^9, \text{real}(4)\text{s}$
 $\Rightarrow 8\text{GB}$
 Cannot be stored on 1 node

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}v_1 + a_{12}v_2 + a_{13}v_3 \\ a_{21}v_1 + a_{22}v_2 + a_{23}v_3 \\ a_{31}v_1 + a_{32}v_2 + a_{33}v_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} v_1 + \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} v_2 + \begin{bmatrix} | \\ | \\ | \end{bmatrix} v_3$$

- Storage and on-the-fly

- 1 proc starts with on-the-fly & another tries to retrieve m.e. If already calculated throw out else use retrieved values



The Frontier of NCSM Calculations

- **Two Body (m-scheme): $7 \leq N \leq 11$, $N_{\max}=10$
 $N \geq 12$, $N_{\max} = 6$**
 - Basis dimensions of 10^8 have been achieved
 - $N_{\max}=8$ requires restructuring of code
- **Three Body: Practical limit is $N_{\max} = 6$ for all p-shell nuclei**
 - Thus far results ($N_{\max}=6$ up to ${}^6\text{Li}$ (${}^{12}\text{C}$?), $N_{\max}=4$ up to ${}^{13}\text{C}$)
 - Our investigations include ${}^{15}\text{O}$, ${}^{16}\text{O}$, ${}^{17}\text{O}$, ${}^9\text{Be}$ (4hbw... 6hbw?)
- **Four Body: $N_{\max} = 4$**
- **Not only limited by the number of matrix elements**
- **Other limiting factors**
 - Dimensions of the supporting vectors (1-body jumps, 2-body jumps, H_{ppp} , H_{nnn})
 - E.g ~ 4 billion two-body jumps (integer(4)) for ${}^{15}\text{O}$, 6hbw = 16 GB
 - Lanczos vector storage



- **Bigger and better?**

- IBM Power6
- If we need ~ 200,000 GB →
(> 3000 nodes w/ 64 GB each)

- **Bring out the big guns!**

- BlueGene/L
- 65536 nodes / 131072 processors
- 512 MB... yikes! → ~ 33,500 GB total

- **Hope**

- DARPA, High Productivity Computing
- Use what you've got wisely.
- Collaborate with Computer Scientists





- **3-Body Forces are essential for ab initio nuclear structure calculations**
- **Computationally challenging due to memory and run-time performance limitations**
- **On-the-fly diagonalization methods provide greatest scaling potential (or a combination)**
- **Need efficient algorithms (suited for parallel optimization)**
- **Need to analyze workload distribution**
- **Need efficient parallelization schemes**
- **Considerable effort is still needed!!**



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