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COULOMB EXCITATION AT LNL WITH SPIDER-GALILEO SETUP

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 complete set of E2 matrix elements brings information on shape parameters via the quadrupole sum rules









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- germanium detectors to detect γ-rays
- segmented particle detector to detect the scattered projectiles and/or recoiling target nuclei
 - to select Coulomb Excitation events
 - to determine scattering angle and reconstruct the kinematics of the reaction
 - to perform Doppler correction





WHY COULOMB EXCITATION @ LNL?

- The SPES ISOL facility for radioactive beams under construction
- Coulomb excitation ideal first day experiment





THE SPIDER - GALILEO SETUP





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GALILEO 1st Phase

- 25 HPGe Compton-suppressed detectors (GASP type)
- FWHM (@1332.5 keV) < 2.4 keV</p>
- Efficiency (@1332.5 keV) = 2.1%
- Complete digital DAQ (takes advantage of the developments made for AGATA):
 - Trigger-less mode
 - Typical operational rate ~ 20 kHz/det
 - Common clock synchronization



THE SPIDER - GALILEO SETUP



SPIDER Silicon Ple DEtectoR

- 8 independent sectors, 8 strips + guard ring
- Detector thickness ~ 300 µm
- **FWHM** ~21 keV for **α**-particles @ ~5.5 MeV
- modularity: with GALILEO cone configuration (7 sectors) at backward angles $\Rightarrow \Delta \Theta = 37.4^{\circ}, \Omega/4\pi = 17.3\%$









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First Experiment: Collectivity of low-lying states in ⁶⁶Zn Spokespersons: M. Rocchini, K. Hadynska-Klek

- Commissioning of the apparatus: Q(21+) known with high precision.
- New physics:
 - Shape of 0_2^+ ? B(E2) value unknown
 - Is the 2₂+ high-collective or not? Discrepant values for its lifetime
 - Is the 4₁+ collective or not? Discrepant values for the B(E2; 4₁+ --> 2₁+)
- ▶ Beam: ⁶⁶Zn (240 MeV, 1 1.5 pnA)
- Target: 1 mg/cm² of ²⁰⁸Pb





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- Coincidences between GALILEO and SPIDER
- ► 38 experimental yields
- Analysis with the GOSIA code (T. Czosnyka, D. Cline, C. Wu, Bull. Amer. Phys. Soc. 28 (1983) 745)



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validation of the setup performances: $Q_s(2_1+)=+24(9)$ [$Q_s(2_1+)=+24(8)$] efm²



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Probing collectivity and configuration coexistence in ⁹⁴Zr Spokespersons: D. Doherty, M. Rocchini, M. Zielinska

 Recent state-of-the-art Monte Carlo shell model calculations predict shape coexistence in Zr isotopes.



Observation^{*} of a strong 2⁺₂ → 0⁺₂ transition (19 W.u.) suggests a deformed band built on 0⁺₂

* A. Chakraborty et al., PRL 110, 022504 (2013).





Probing collectivity and configuration coexistence in ⁹⁴Zr Spokespersons: D. Doherty, M. Rocchini, M. Zielinska

- Beam: ⁹⁴Zr (370 MeV, 1 1.5 pnA)
- ▶ Target: 1 mg/cm² of ²⁰⁸Pb
- Six 3"X3" LaBr₃:Ce used for the first time in COULEX @LNL



- Coincidences between
 GALILEO and SPIDER
- 75 experimental yields

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counts

- Random-background-subtracted γ-γ coincidence spectrum gated on the 382 keV
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Random-background-subtracted
 Y-Y-particle coincidence spectrum
 gated on the 382 keV

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- GOSIA analysis on-going
- new B(E2) values from single step COULEX

preliminary B(E2; 2₁⁺ → 0₁⁺) : 5.05 Wu (15 stat) (25 syst)* [NNDC: 4.9 (11) Wu)]

* M. Zielinska, Private Communication



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PERSPECTIVE WITH SPES



SPES layout



- new RFQ
- ALPI

Cooler + HRMS) Electrostatic beam transport Charge Breeder (n+) 1/1000 mass separator

1/200 mass separator low energy experimental area

production area



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PERSPECTIVE WITH SPES



SPES International Workshop: 47 Letter of Intents



- Ground States Properties
- Nuclear Moments
- Direct Reaction with ActiveTarget
- Direct Reaction with Si Detectors
- Multinucleon Transfer
- Coulomb Excitation
- Collective excitation
- **Fusion**
- Super Heavy
- Dynamics



SUMMARY AND OUTLOOK

- Coulomb Excitation @LNL with stable beams is on-going
- New experiments already approved (one in two weeks)
- Near future: 2nd phase GALILEO 30 GASP detectors + 10 triple cluster
- Far future: Coulex @LNL with SPES radioactive beams

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DOPPLER CORRECTION OF GAMMA SPECTRA



