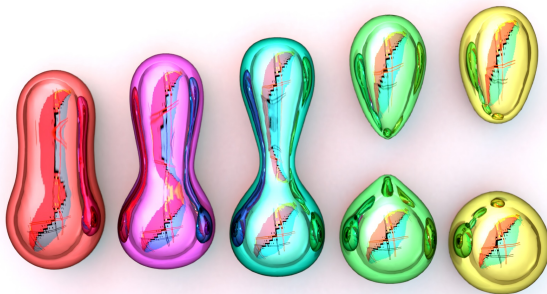


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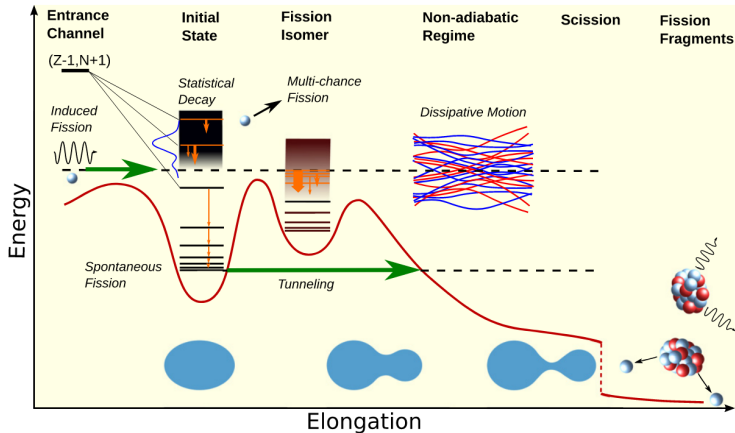
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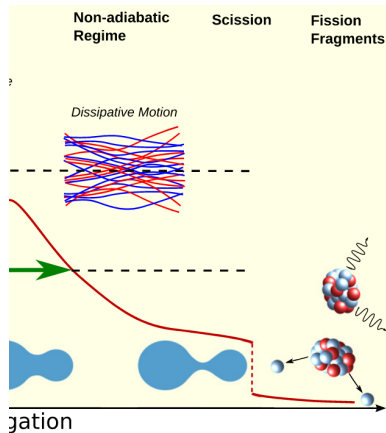
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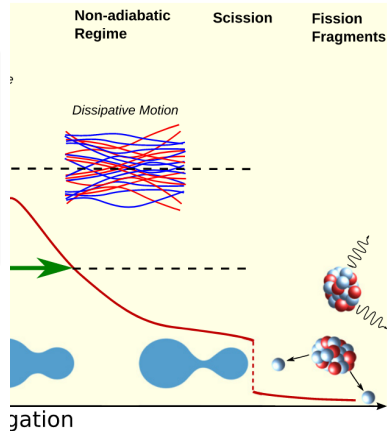
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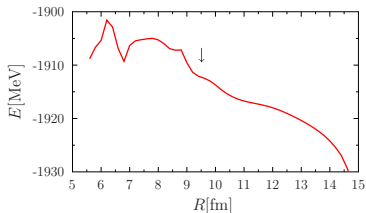
What do we want to understand ?

- Charge and mass distribution
- Connection with structure
- Odd-even effects
- Charge polarization
- Spin of the fragments

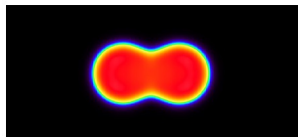
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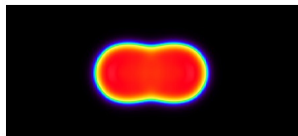
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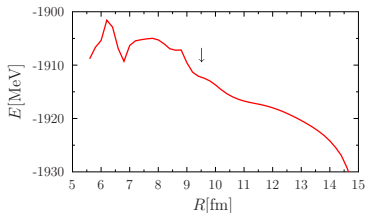


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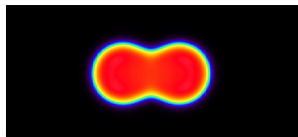


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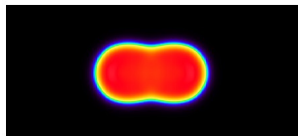
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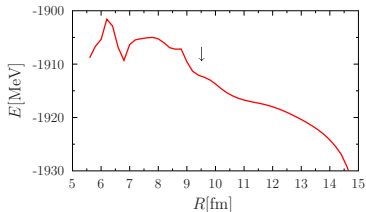


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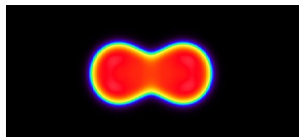


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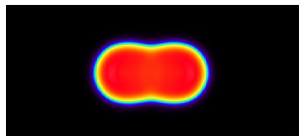
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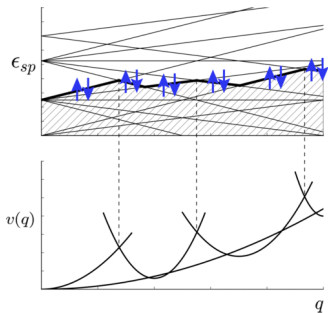
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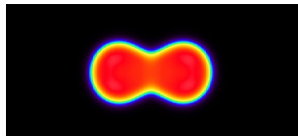
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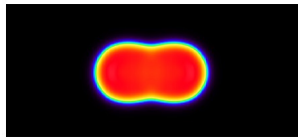
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Impact of pairing

Pairing is a lubricant for fission

Quasi-particle vacuum

$$|\Psi\rangle = \prod_{\alpha} (u_{\alpha} + v_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger}) |-\rangle$$

In the particular case of two particles and two states :

$$\begin{aligned} |\Psi\rangle &= (u_1 + v_1 a_1^{\dagger} a_1^{\dagger})(u_2 + v_2 a_2^{\dagger} a_2^{\dagger}) |-\rangle \\ &= u_1 u_2 |-\rangle + u_2 v_1 a_1^{\dagger} a_1^{\dagger} |-\rangle + u_1 v_2 a_2^{\dagger} a_2^{\dagger} |-\rangle + v_1 v_2 a_1^{\dagger} a_2^{\dagger} a_1^{\dagger} a_2^{\dagger} |-\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$|\text{BCS}\rangle = c_1 \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array} + c_2 \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \bullet \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array} + c_3 \begin{array}{c} \bullet \bullet \\ \text{---} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array} + c_4 \begin{array}{c} \bullet \bullet \\ \bullet \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array}$$

Projector on the good number of particles

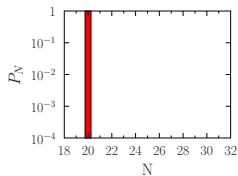
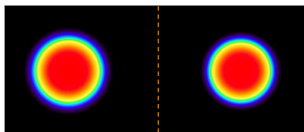
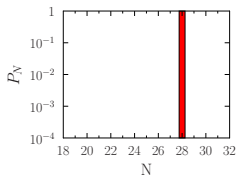
$$\hat{P}(N) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{i\varphi(\hat{N}-N)} d\varphi$$

$$\hat{P}(2)|\text{BCS}\rangle = c'_2 \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \bullet \bullet \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array} + c'_3 \begin{array}{c} \bullet \bullet \\ \text{---} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} |2\rangle \\ |1\rangle \end{array}$$

Projection technique (C. Simenel, PRL 105 (2010))

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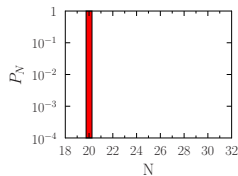
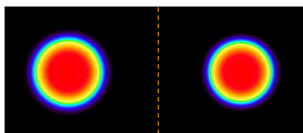
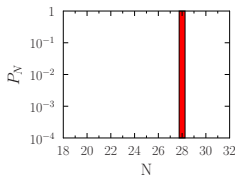
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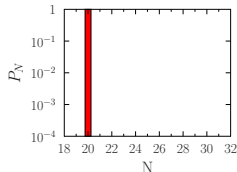
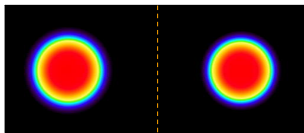
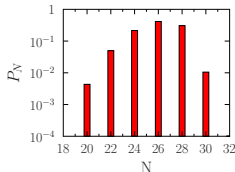
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Same projection technique for a BCS state

$$|\Psi(t)\rangle = |\phi_1\rangle \otimes |\phi_2\rangle = \prod_{\alpha_1} (u_{\alpha_1} + v_{\alpha_1} a_{\alpha_1}^\dagger a_{\hat{\alpha}_1}^\dagger) \prod_{\alpha_2} (u_{\alpha_2} + v_{\alpha_2} a_{\alpha_2}^\dagger a_{\hat{\alpha}_2}^\dagger) |-\rangle$$

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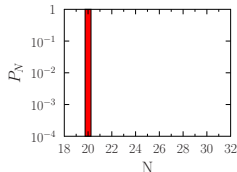
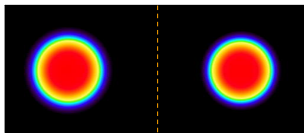
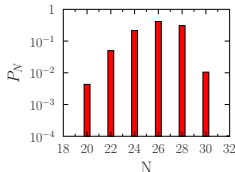
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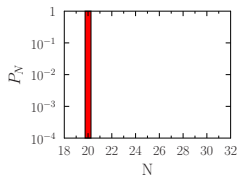
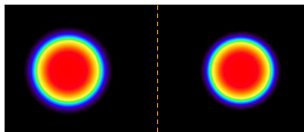
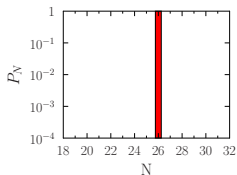
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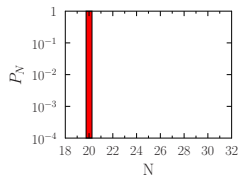
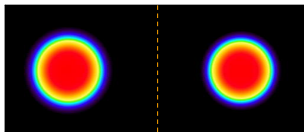
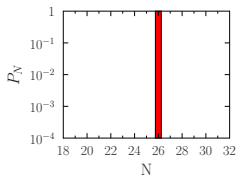
Double projection technique for a BCS state

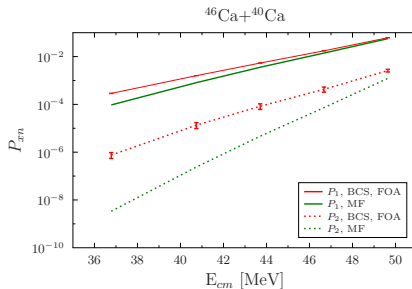
$$P_B(N) = \frac{\langle \Psi(t) | \hat{P}_B(N) \hat{P}(N_0) | \Psi(t) \rangle}{\langle \Psi(t) | \hat{P}(N_0) | \Psi(t) \rangle}$$

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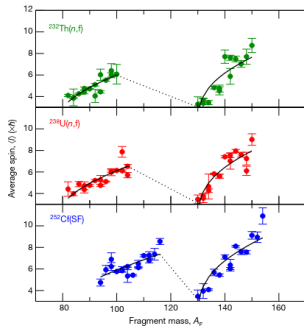
Effect of pairing on P_1 and P_2 

Effect of initial pairing correlations :

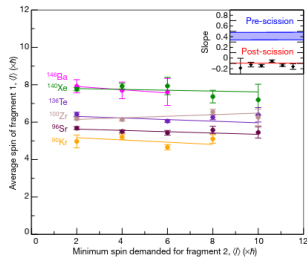
- fragmentation of single particle occupation numbers
 - ▶ enhancement of P_{1n}
- non-zero two body correlations ($\kappa \neq 0$)
 - ▶ enhancement of P_{2n}

Spins of the fission fragments

Spin of the fragments



Correlations



J. N. Wilson, Nature, 590, 566 (2021)

- The average spin follows a sawtooth shape
- No correlations between the spins of the fragments

Spins are mostly perpendicular to the fission axis

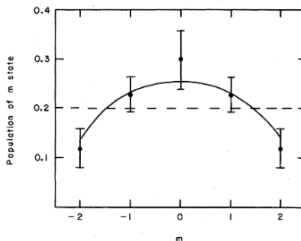


FIG. 9. The points are the calculated populations of the various m substates of the 2^+ level in ^{144}Ba . These values were determined using the fitted experimental angular distribution of the $2^+ \rightarrow 0^+$ γ ray. The solid line represents the predicted population of the m states as calculated from the statistical-model analysis of the de-excitation process using Eqs. (4) and (5) with an assumed value of $B=6$ [Eq. (3)] for the initial angular momentum distribution.

J. B. Wilhelmy, E. Cheifetz, R. C. Jared, S. G. Thompson, H. R. Bowman, and J. O. Rasmussen Phys. Rev. C 5, 2041 (1972)

Literature

- Thermal excitations
- Quantum fluctuations
- Coulomb force
- Breaking of the neck

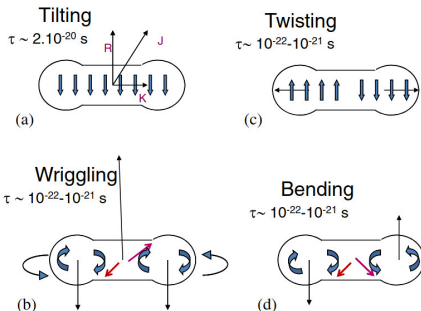
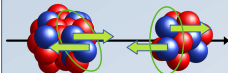
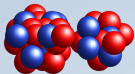
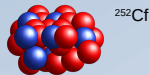


Illustration from B. John, J. Phys., 85, 2, (2015).

Assuming Cold fission

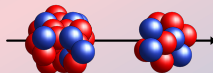
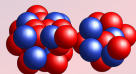
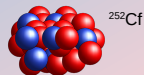


$$K_H=0$$

$$K_L=0$$

Fully paired fragments
Only even-even fragments

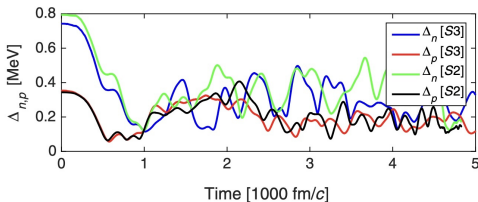
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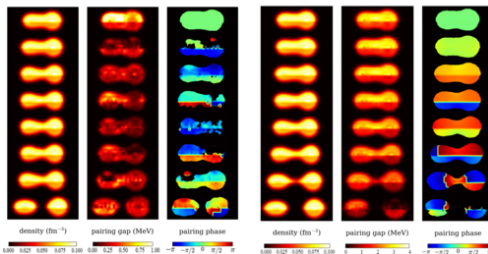


$$K_H \neq 0$$

$$K_L \neq 0$$

Pairs are broken
Every outcome are possible


²⁴⁹Pu fission with the normal pairing gap

²⁴⁹Pu fission with a larger pairing gap


A. Bulgac, P. Magierski, Kenneth J. Roche, and I. Stetcu, PRL 116, 122504 (2016).

Projection method

Projection on the spin and K number (Projection of the spin on the fission axis)

$$\hat{P}_{MK}^S = \frac{(2S+1)}{16\pi^2} \int d\Omega \mathcal{D}_{MK}^{S*}(\Omega) e^{i\alpha\hat{S}_z} e^{i\beta\hat{S}_y} e^{i\gamma\hat{S}_z},$$

$$P(S_F, K_F) = \langle \Psi | \hat{P}_{K_F K_F}^{S_F} | \Psi \rangle,$$

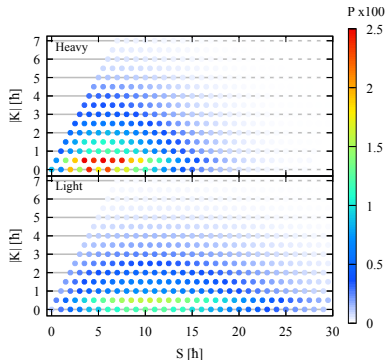
Calculation of the overlap : G. F. Bertsch and L. M. Robledo, PRL 108, 042505 (2012)

$$\langle \Psi | \hat{R} | \Psi \rangle = \frac{(-1)^n}{\prod_{\alpha}^n v_{\alpha}^2} \text{pf} \begin{bmatrix} V^T U & V^T R^T V^* \\ -V^{\dagger} R V & U^{\dagger} V^* \end{bmatrix}$$

Optimized Pfaffian calculation : M. Wimmer, ACM Trans. Math Softw. 38, 30 (2012).

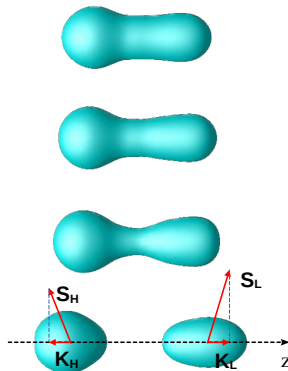
Spin distribution in the fragments

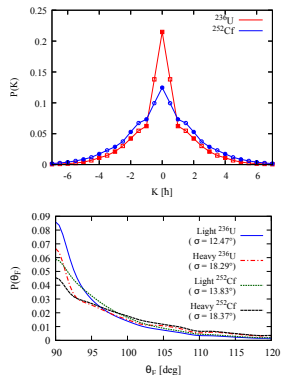
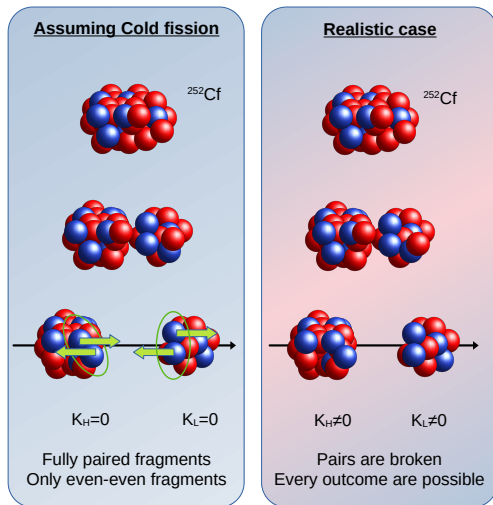
Obtained using 3-angle projection operator



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Geometry of the reaction

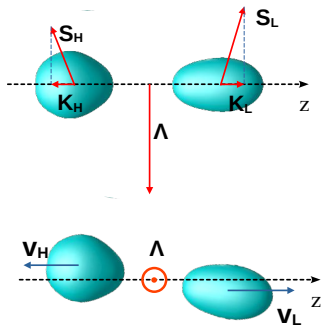




$$\cos \theta_F = \frac{K_F}{\sqrt{S_F(S_F + 1)}}$$

G.scamps, I. Abdurrahman, M. Kalker, A. Bulgac, and I. Stetcu, PRC 108 (6), L061602.

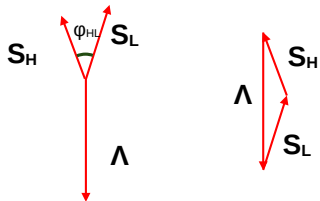
Orbital angular momentum



In spontaneous fission of a 0^+ state

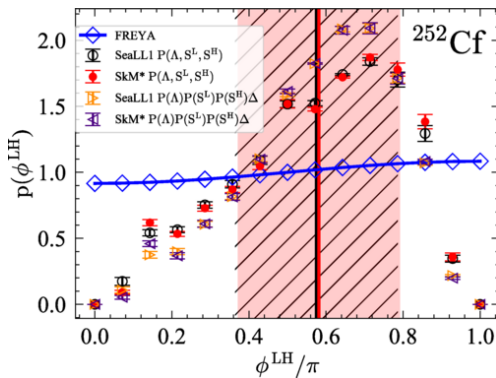
$$\mathbf{S}_H + \mathbf{S}_L + \mathbf{\Lambda} = 0,$$

Triangular rule :



$$\cos(\varphi_{HL}) = \left(\frac{\Lambda(\Lambda + 1) - S_H(S_H + 1) - S_L(S_L + 1)}{2\sqrt{S_H(S_H + 1)S_L(S_L + 1)}} \right)$$

TDDFT (in 2022) vs Freya



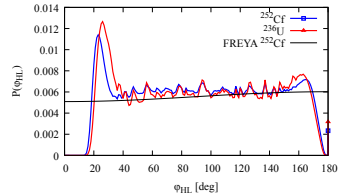
A. Bulgac, I. Abdurrahman, K. Godbey, and I. Stetcu, Phys. Rev. Lett. 128, 022501(2022).

$$\varphi_{HL} = \arccos \left(\frac{\Lambda(\Lambda + 1) - S_H(S_H + 1) - S_L(S_L + 1)}{2\sqrt{S_H(S_H + 1)S_L(S_L + 1)}} \right)$$

$$P(\Lambda, S_H, S_L) = \sum_{k_H k_L} \langle \Psi | \hat{P}_{0,0}^\Lambda \hat{P}_{K_H K_H}^{S_H} \hat{P}_{K_L K_L}^{S_L} | \Psi \rangle.$$

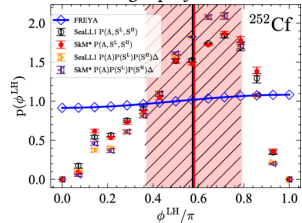
$$P(\Lambda, S_H, S_L) = \sum_{K_H K_L K'_H K'_L} (-1)^{K'_H - K_H + K'_L - K_L}$$

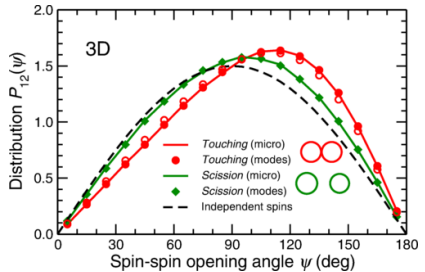
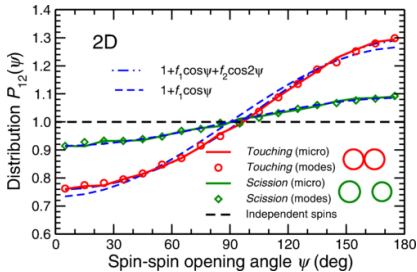
$$C_{S_H, -K_H, S_L, -K_L}^{\Lambda, 0} C_{S_H, -K'_H, S_L, -K'_L}^{\Lambda, 0} \langle \Psi | \hat{P}_{K_H K'_H}^{S_H} \hat{P}_{K_L K'_L}^{S_L} | \Psi \rangle$$



G.scamps, I. Abdurrahman, M. Kafker, A. Bulgac, and I. Stetcu, PRC 108 (6), L061602.

One angle projector :





J. Randrup, Phys. Rev. C 106, L051601 (2022).

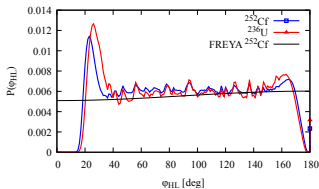
Question

- How the quantal effects change this picture ?
- How the geometry change the opening angle distribution assuming no correlation ?

Non alignment of the spins

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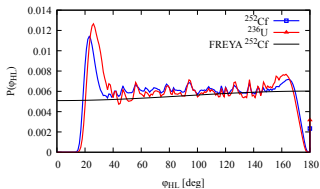
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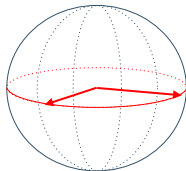
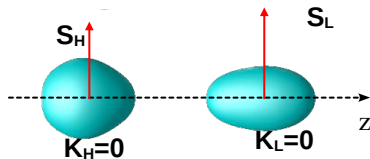


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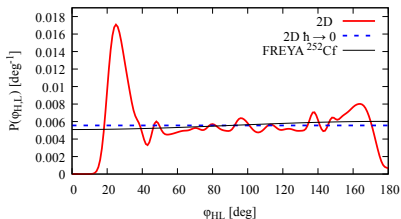
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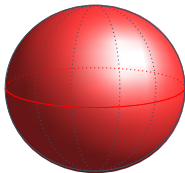
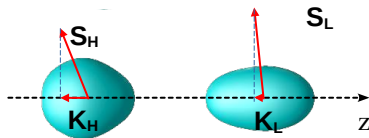


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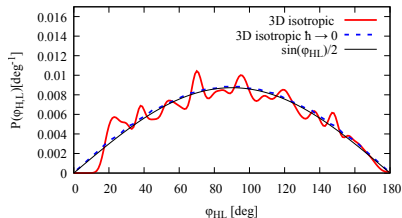


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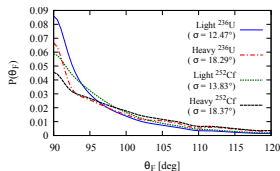
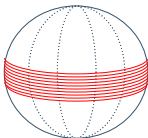
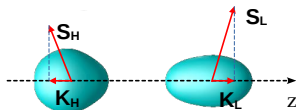


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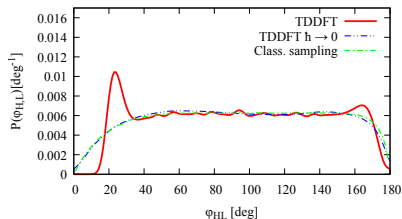


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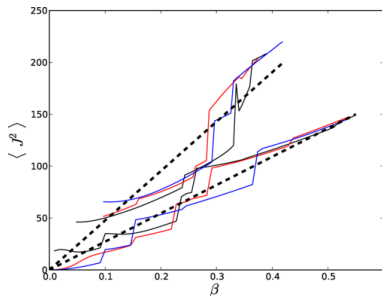
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TDDFT shows an intermediate case between 2D and 3D.

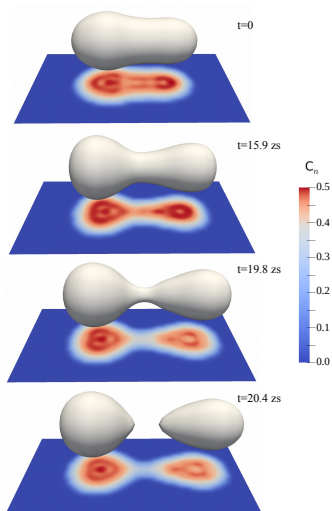
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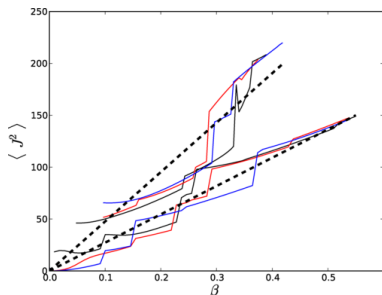
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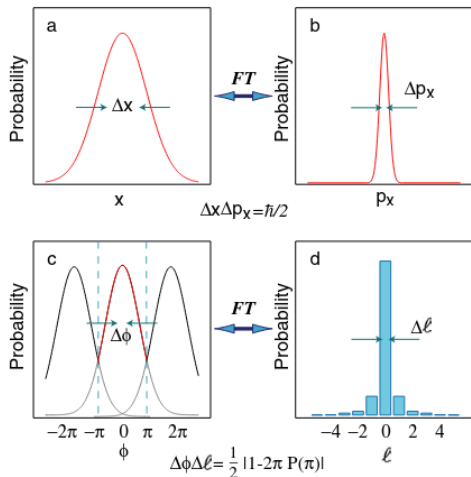
If the overlap is gaussian

$$\langle \Psi | \hat{R}(\theta) | \Psi \rangle = e^{-\frac{\theta^2}{2\sigma_\theta^2}}$$

The projection gives,

$$P(J) = \frac{2J+1}{2\sigma_J^2} e^{-\frac{J(J+1)}{2\sigma_J^2}}$$

with $\sigma_J \sigma_\theta = 1$

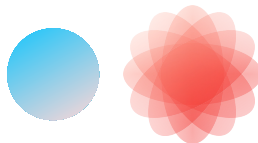


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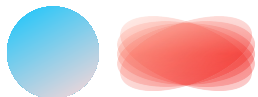
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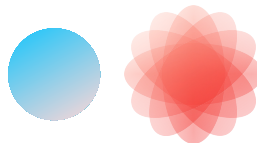
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Premiers harmoniques sphériques

	$m = -3$	$m = -2$	$m = -1$	$m = 0$	$m = +1$	$m = +2$	$m = +3$
$l = 0$				$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}$ 			
$l = 1$			$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\sin\theta e^{-i\phi}$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{3}\cos\theta$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\sin\theta e^{i\phi}$ 		
$l = 2$		$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{15}{8}}\sin^2\theta e^{-i2\phi}$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{15}{2}}\cos\theta\sin\theta e^{-i\phi}$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}(3\cos^2\theta - 1)$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{15}{2}}\cos\theta\sin\theta e^{i\phi}$ 	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}}\sqrt{\frac{15}{8}}\sin^2\theta e^{i2\phi}$ 	
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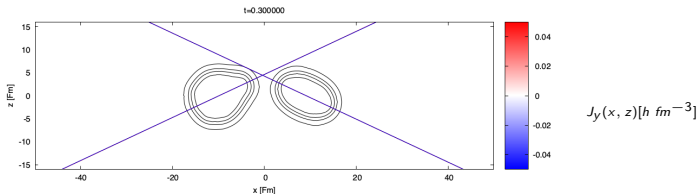
- Internal excitation (breaking of pairs)
- Spins are mainly perpendicular to the fission axis
- Uncorrelated magnitude and orientation of the spins

Outlook

- TD-GCM with rotated fragments
- Rotated fission system

Thank you

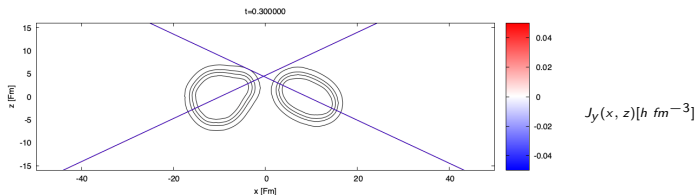
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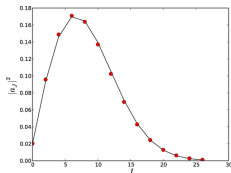
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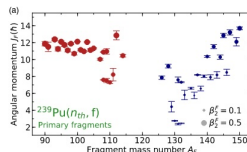
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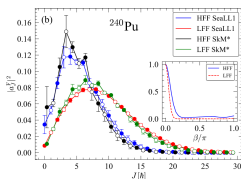
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Scission configuration



P. Marević, N. Schunck, J. Randrup, and R.
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TDHFB - TDSLDA



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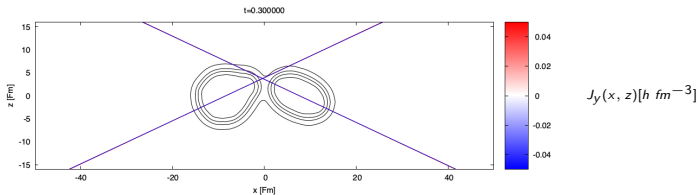
Projection method

$$\hat{P}_J (|\Psi(J=0)\rangle + |\Psi(J=1)\rangle + \dots) = |\Psi(J)\rangle$$

$$|a_J^F|^2 = \frac{2J+1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(\beta)$$

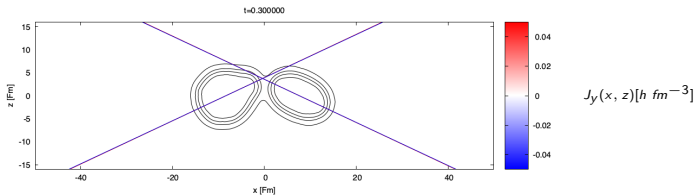
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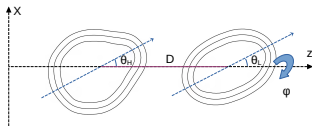


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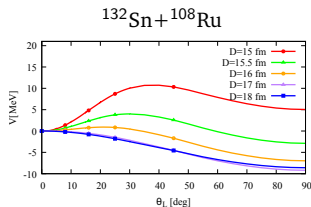
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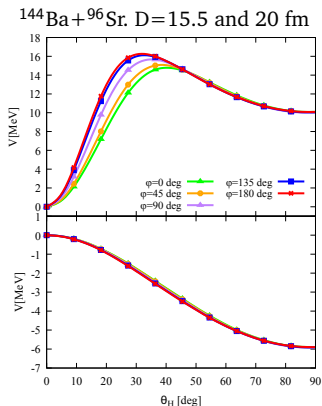
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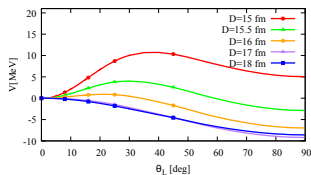
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Potential as a function of the light fragment angle



The azimuthal angle doesn't have an important role.

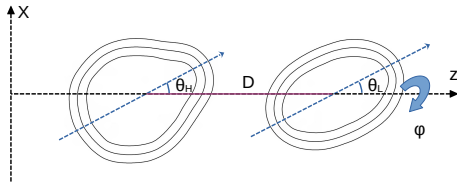
Frozen Hartree-Fock potential



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4 degrees of freedom



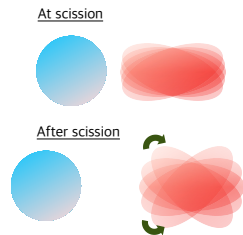
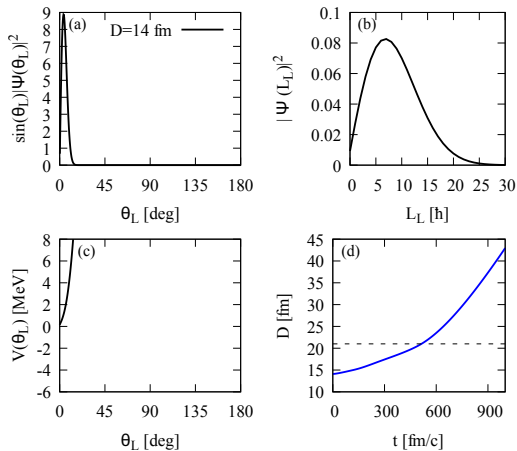
Hamiltonian

$$\hat{H}(D) = \frac{\hbar^2}{2I_H} \hat{L}_H^2 + \frac{\hbar^2}{2I_L} \hat{L}_L^2 + \frac{\hbar^2}{2I_\Lambda(D)} \hat{\Lambda}^2 + \hat{V}(\hat{\Theta}_H, \hat{\Theta}_L, \hat{\varphi}, D)$$

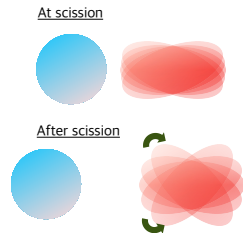
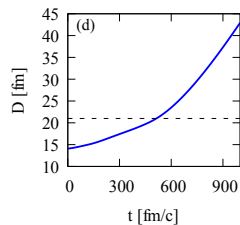
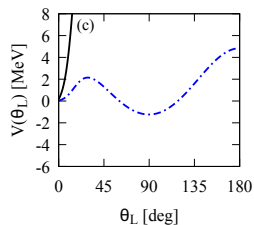
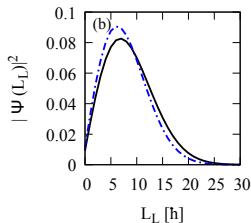
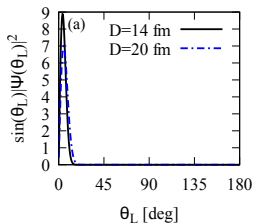
Solved in basis $|L_H, m, L_L, -m\rangle$

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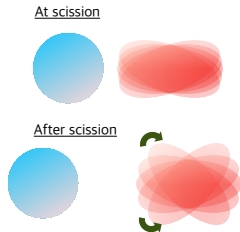
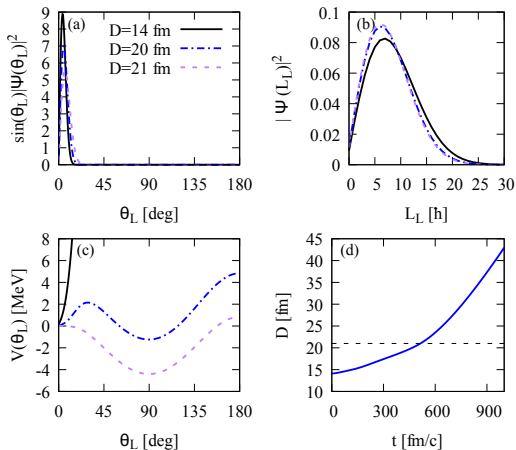
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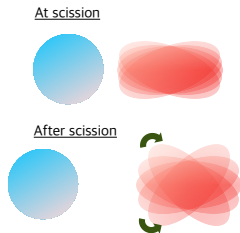
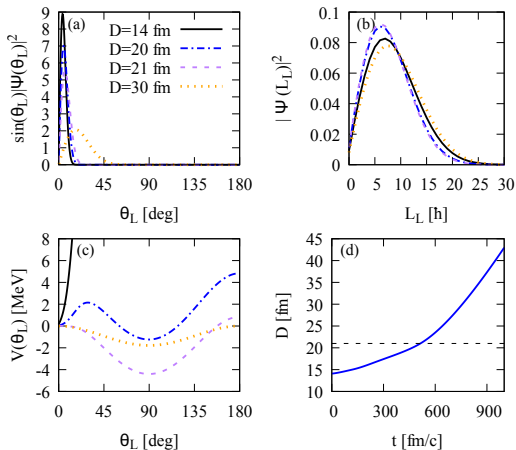
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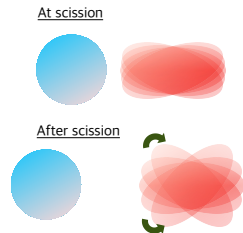
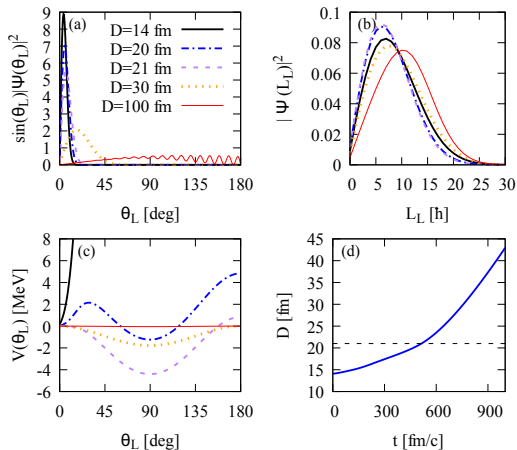
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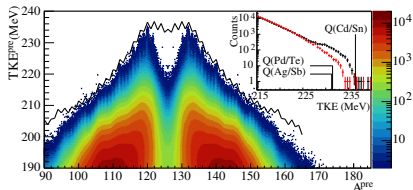
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Effect of quadrupole deformation $\gg$ effect of $Z_1 Z_2$

TABLE II. Average spin $\langle L^2 \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$ in unit of $\hbar$ for the three fission fragments at scission ($D = 21$ fm) and at large distances. The last two columns show the same quantity with an MOI divided by 2.

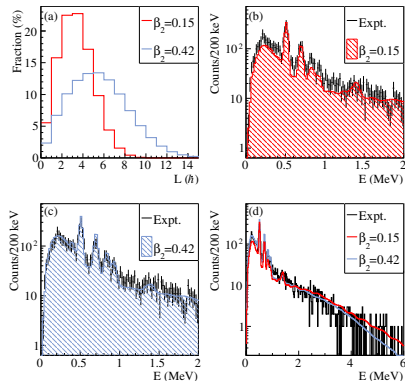
Nucleus	Scission	Final	Scission ($I_{\frac{1}{2}}$)	Final ($I_{\frac{1}{2}}$)
^{108}Ru	9.28	12.31	7.24	10.38
^{144}Ba	10.04	10.95	7.70	8.66
^{96}Sr	7.74	9.30	6.03	7.62

also J. Randrup, PRC 108, 064606 (2023) : increase of 1 to 3 $\hbar$ due to the Coulomb torque.

Cold fission selection $\text{TXE} < 8 \text{ MeV}$ 

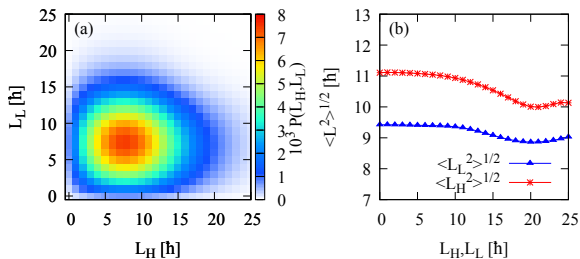
Results

- ^{132}Sn is found in ground-state
- The collective Hamiltonian model with $\beta_2 = 0.42$ reproduces the experimental γ -spectrum

 γ -spectrum

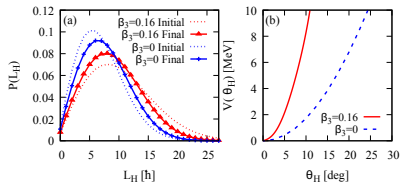
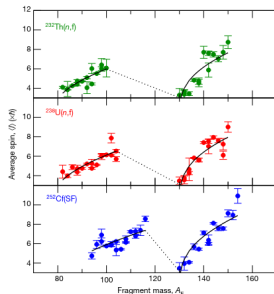
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Correlation between the angular momentum

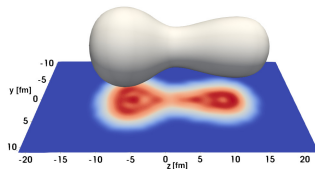


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- No or small correlation observed in the magnitude of the angular momentum.
- More angular momentum for the heavy fragment



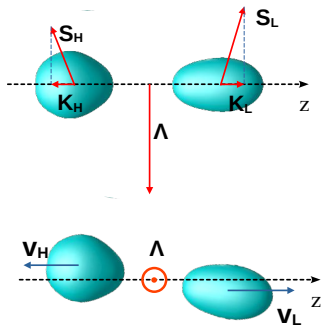
Mechanism



- Pear-shaped deformation plays an important role at scission. G. Scamps C. Simenel, Nature 564, pages 382–385 (2018)
- Octupole deformation makes the angular potential stiffer which increase the zero-point motion $\rightarrow$ more angular momentum

G. Scamps, G. Bertsch, Phys. Rev. C 108, 034616 (2023).

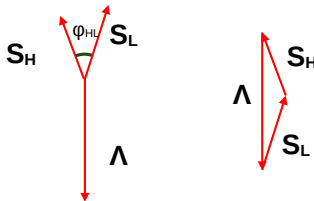
Orbital angular momentum



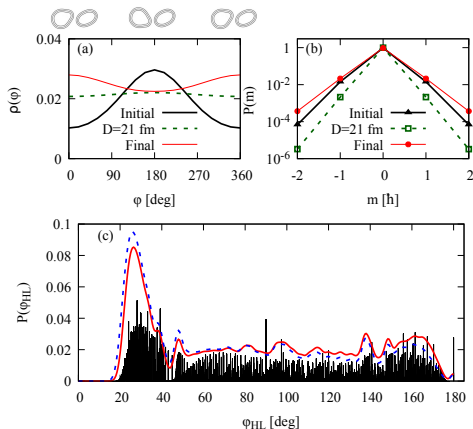
In spontaneous fission of a 0^+ state

$$\mathbf{S}_H + \mathbf{S}_L + \mathbf{\Lambda} = 0,$$

Triangular rule :



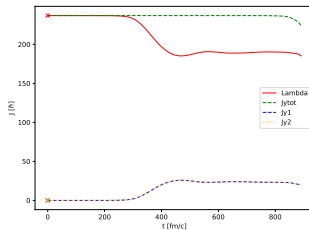
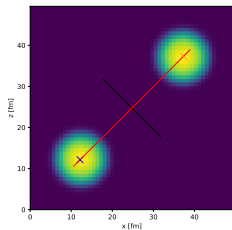
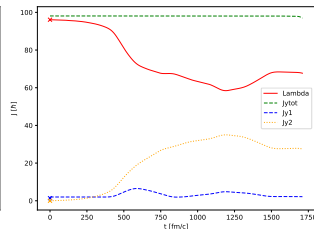
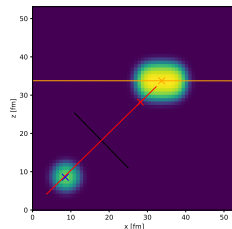
$$\cos(\varphi_{HL}) = \left(\frac{\Lambda(\Lambda + 1) - S_H(S_H + 1) - S_L(S_L + 1)}{2\sqrt{S_H(S_H + 1)S_L(S_L + 1)}} \right)$$



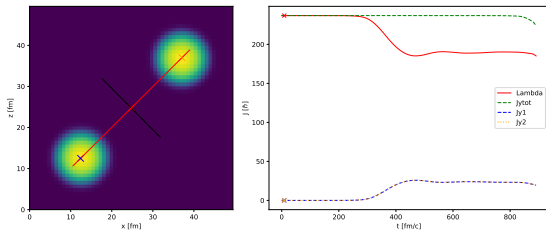
Geometry

- Small azimuthal correlation
- Spins are perpendicular to the fission axis
- Complex pattern in the opening angle, different from previous model

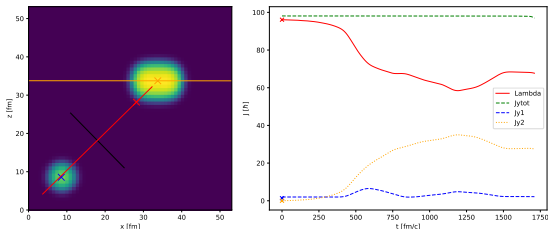
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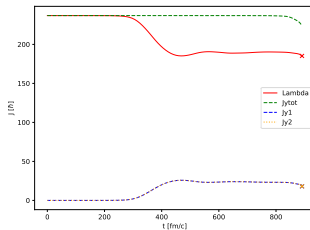
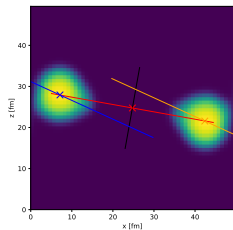
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