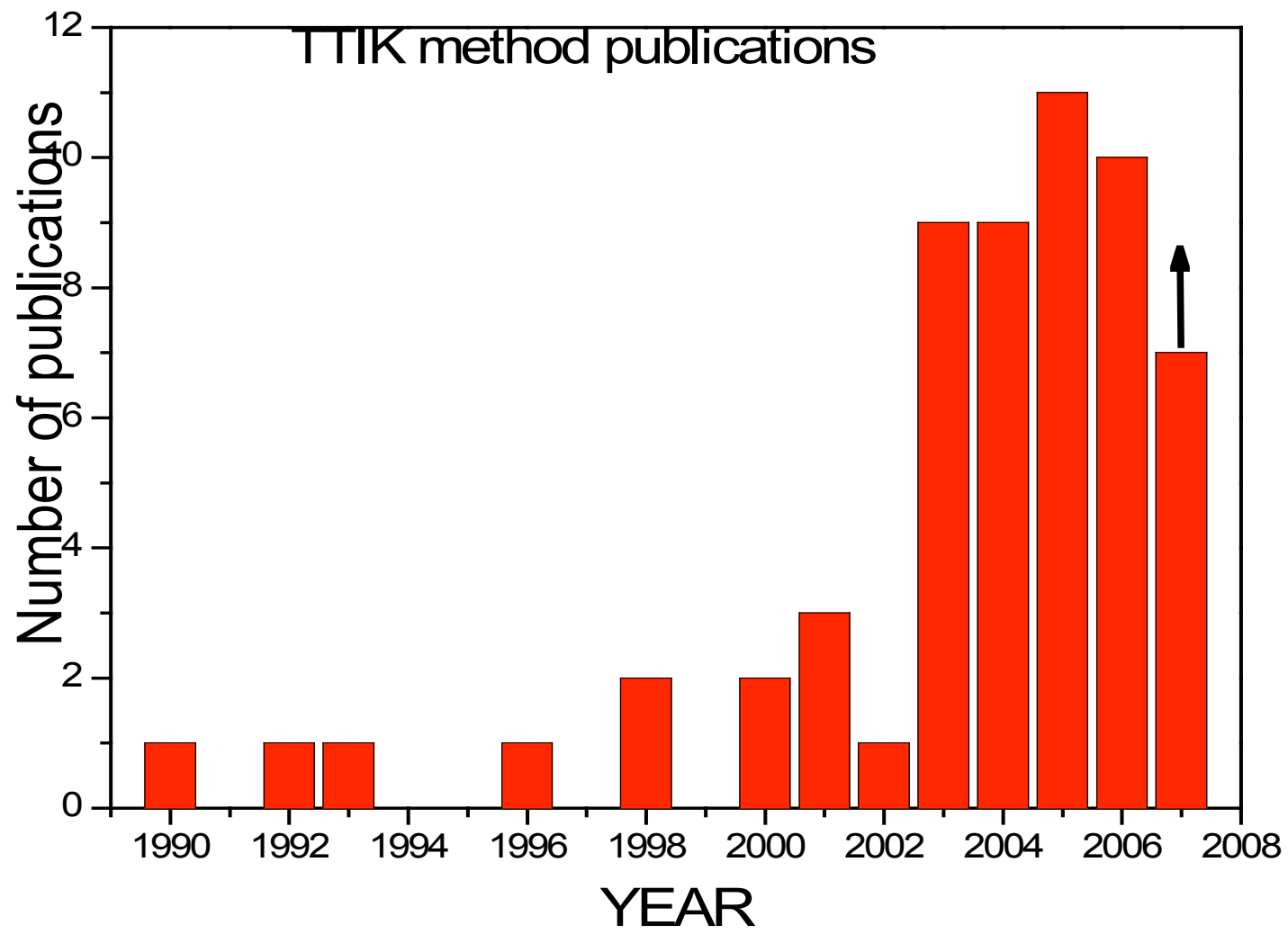


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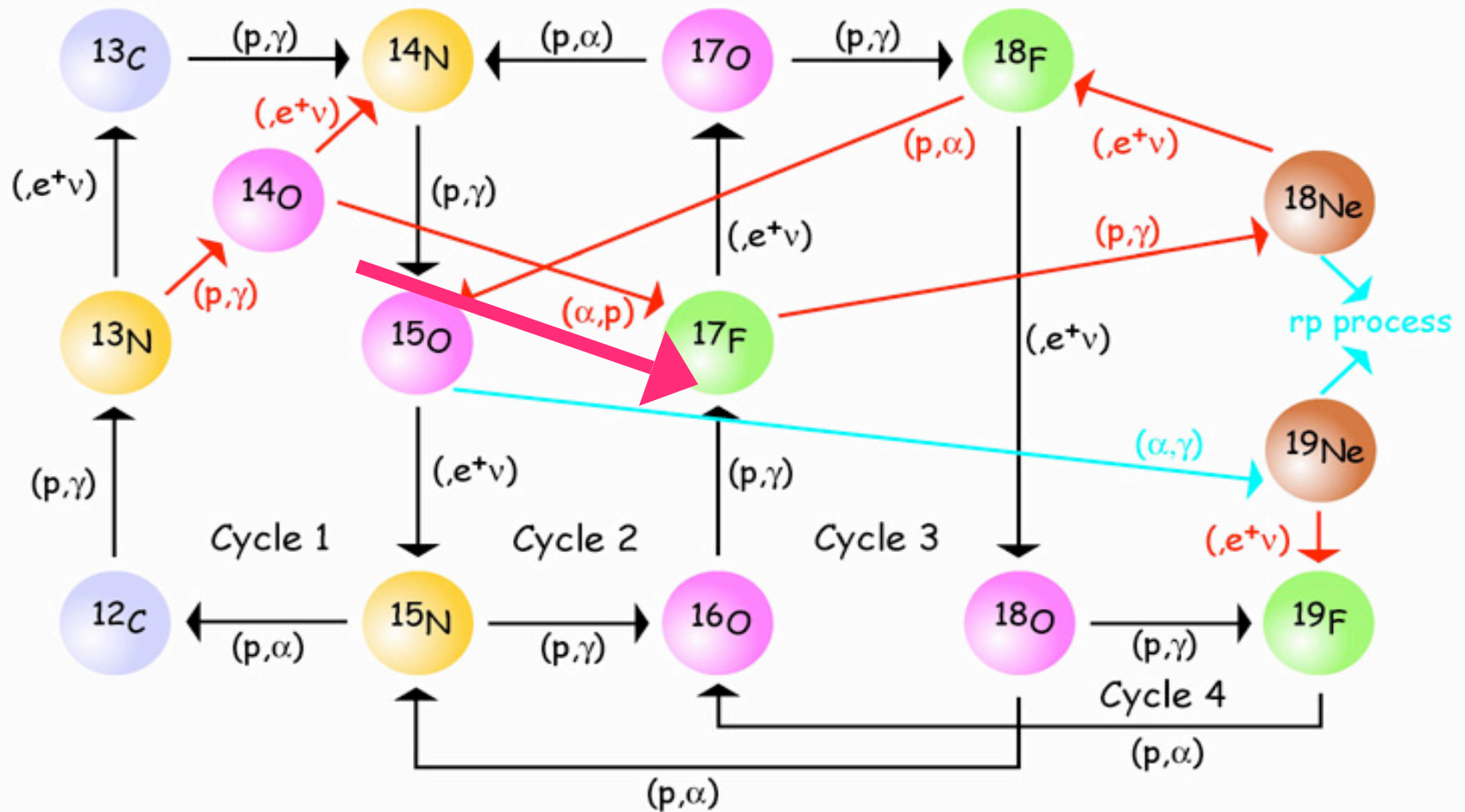
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# X-ray burst and novae



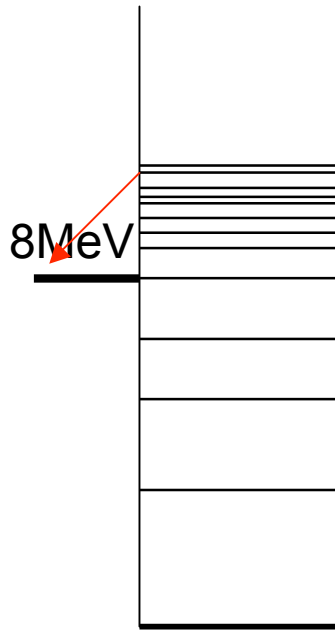
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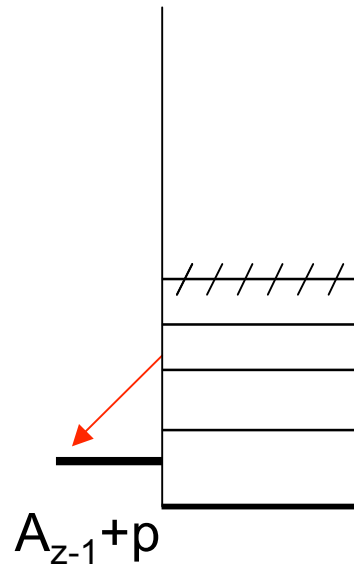
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# Resonances in exotic nuclei

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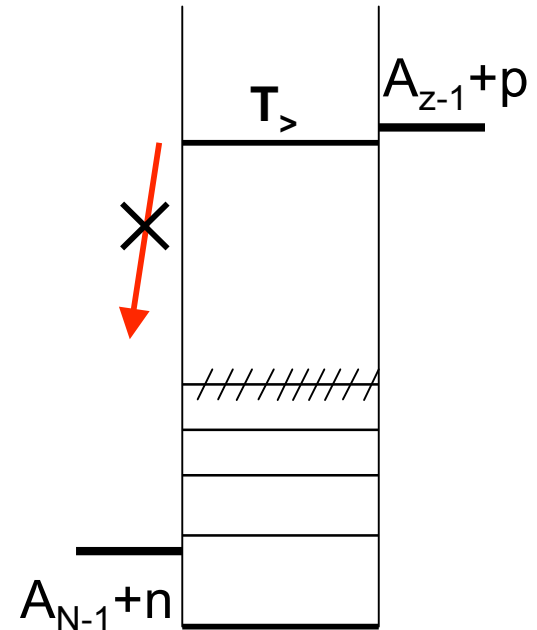


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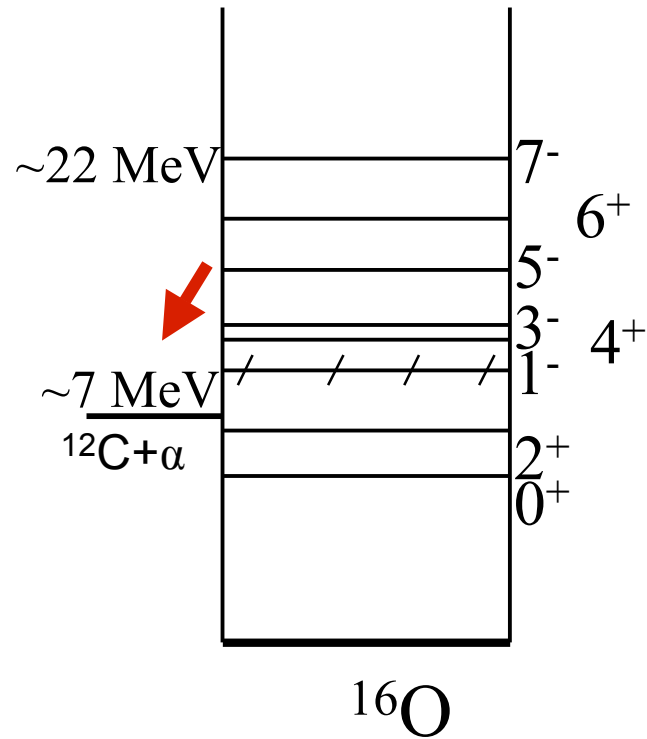
$^{11}\text{N} ? \ ^{10}\text{C} + p$

Neutron rich exotic

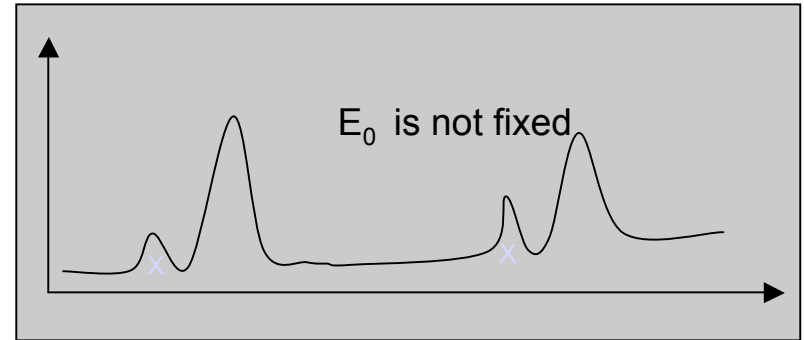
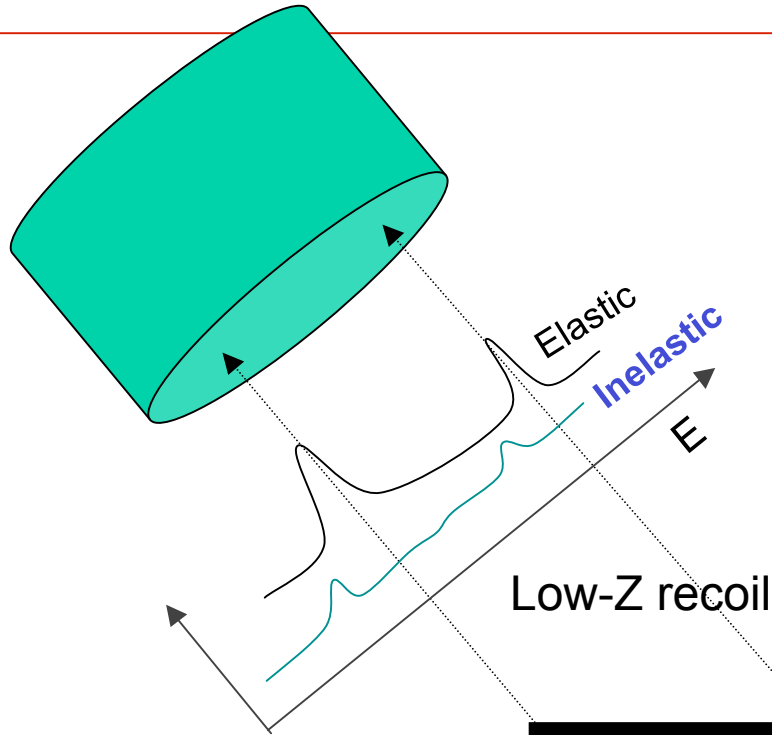


$^9\text{He} ? \ ^8\text{He} + p \rightarrow \ ^9\text{Li} \ (T=5/2)$

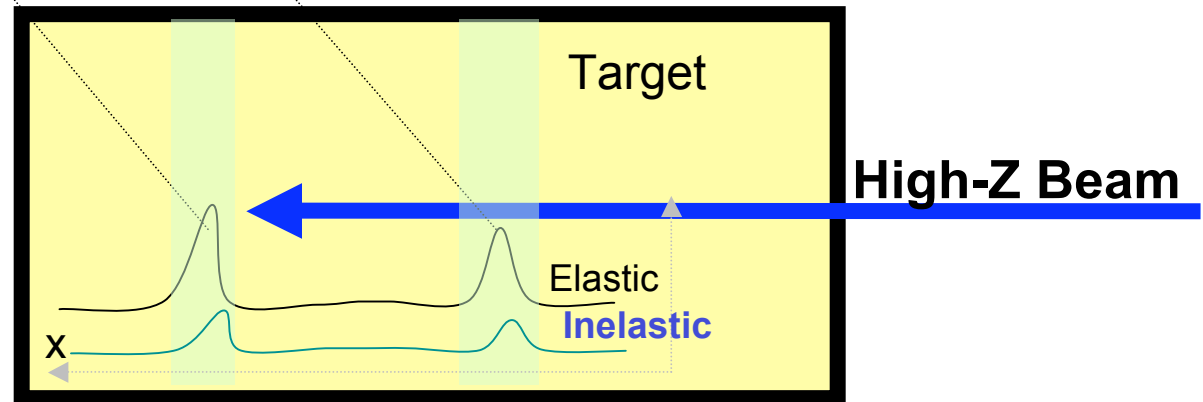
# $\alpha$ cluster states in $^{16}\text{O}$



# Thick Target Inverse Kinematics Method



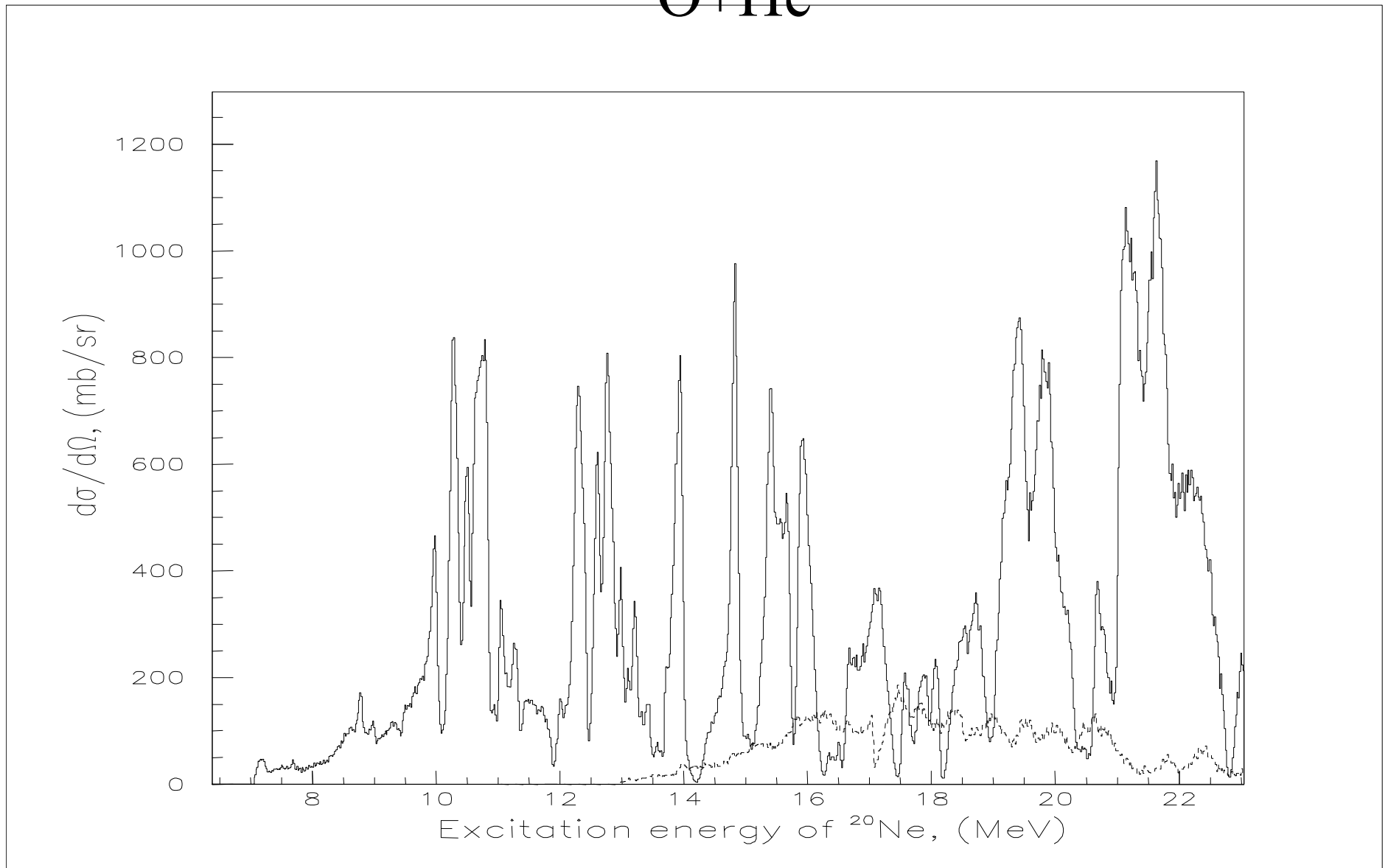
*Good energy resolution  
180 degree (c.m.) measurements  
Excitation function is continuous  
Low excitation energies can be measured*

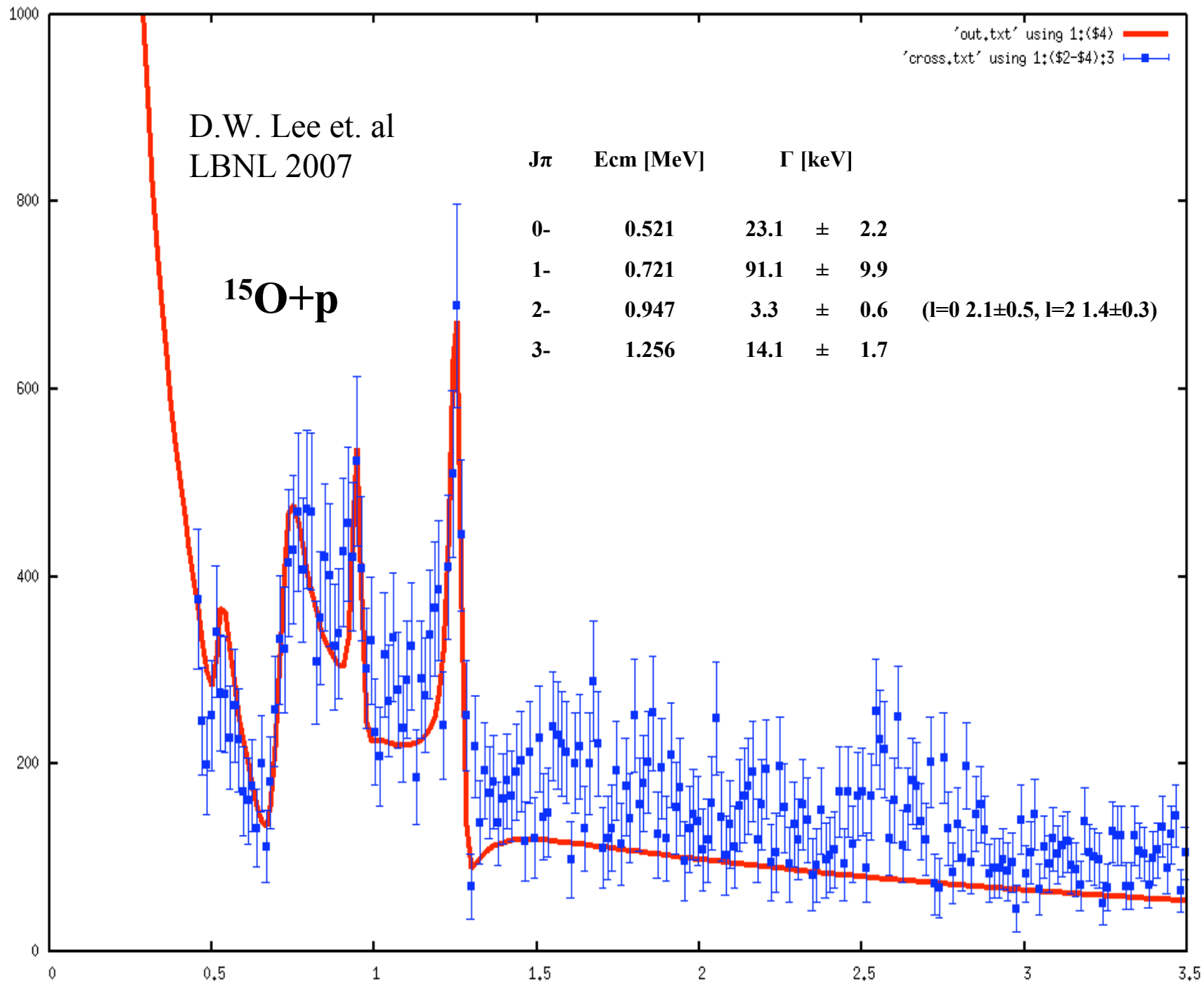


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# Resonance states in $^{20}\text{Ne}$

$^{16}\text{O}+\text{He}$







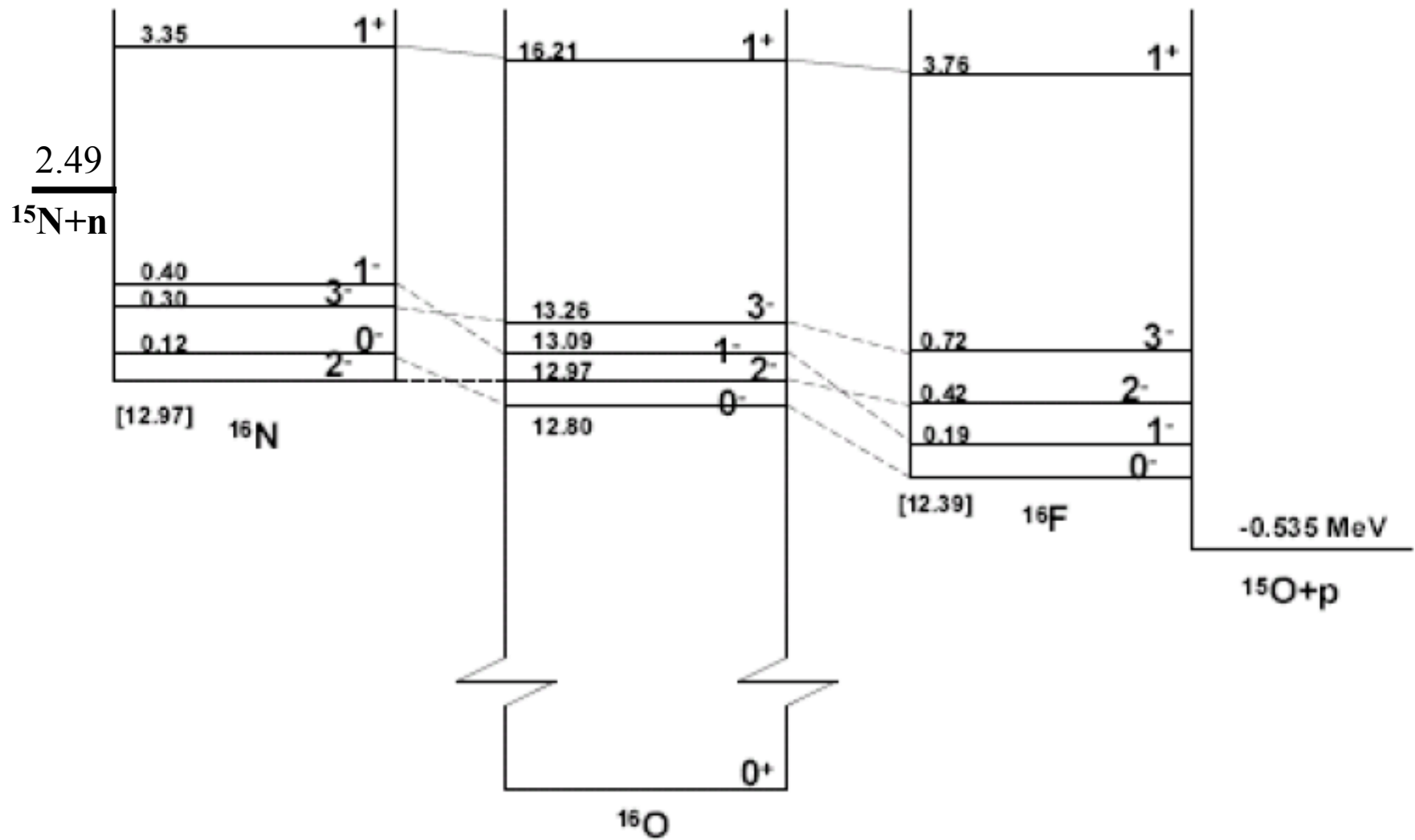


FIG. 1. An isobaric energy level diagram for the A=16, T=1 nuclear states

Table II. Comparison of  $^{16}\text{F}$  experimental results with the isobaric analog states in  $^{16}\text{N}$  and with theoretical calculations in the framework of the potential model.

$^{16}\text{N}$			$^{16}\text{F}$			$^{16}\text{F}$ Theory			
Ex [MeV]	$J^\pi$	$C^2S^a$	$E_x$ [MeV $\pm$ keV]	$J^\pi$	$\Gamma_p$ [keV] <sup>b</sup>	Parameter set #1 (a=0.65 fm) $\Gamma_{sp}$ [keV]	Parameter set #2 (a=0.75 fm) $\Gamma_{sp}$ [keV]	$C^2S$ (Exp.)	$C^2S$ (Shift)
0.120	$0^-$	0.95	0	$0^-$	23.1 $\pm$ 2.2	21.8	22	1.05	0.91
0.397	$1^-$	0.96	0.190 $\pm$ 20	$1^-$	91.1 $\pm$ 9.9	89.5	96	0.95	0.88
0	$2^-$	0.93	0.422 $\pm$ 19	$2^-$	3.3 $\pm$ 0.6	3.6	4.3	0.77	
0.296	$3^-$	0.87	0.721 $\pm$ 17	$3^-$	14.1 $\pm$ 1.7	12.7	15.0	0.94	

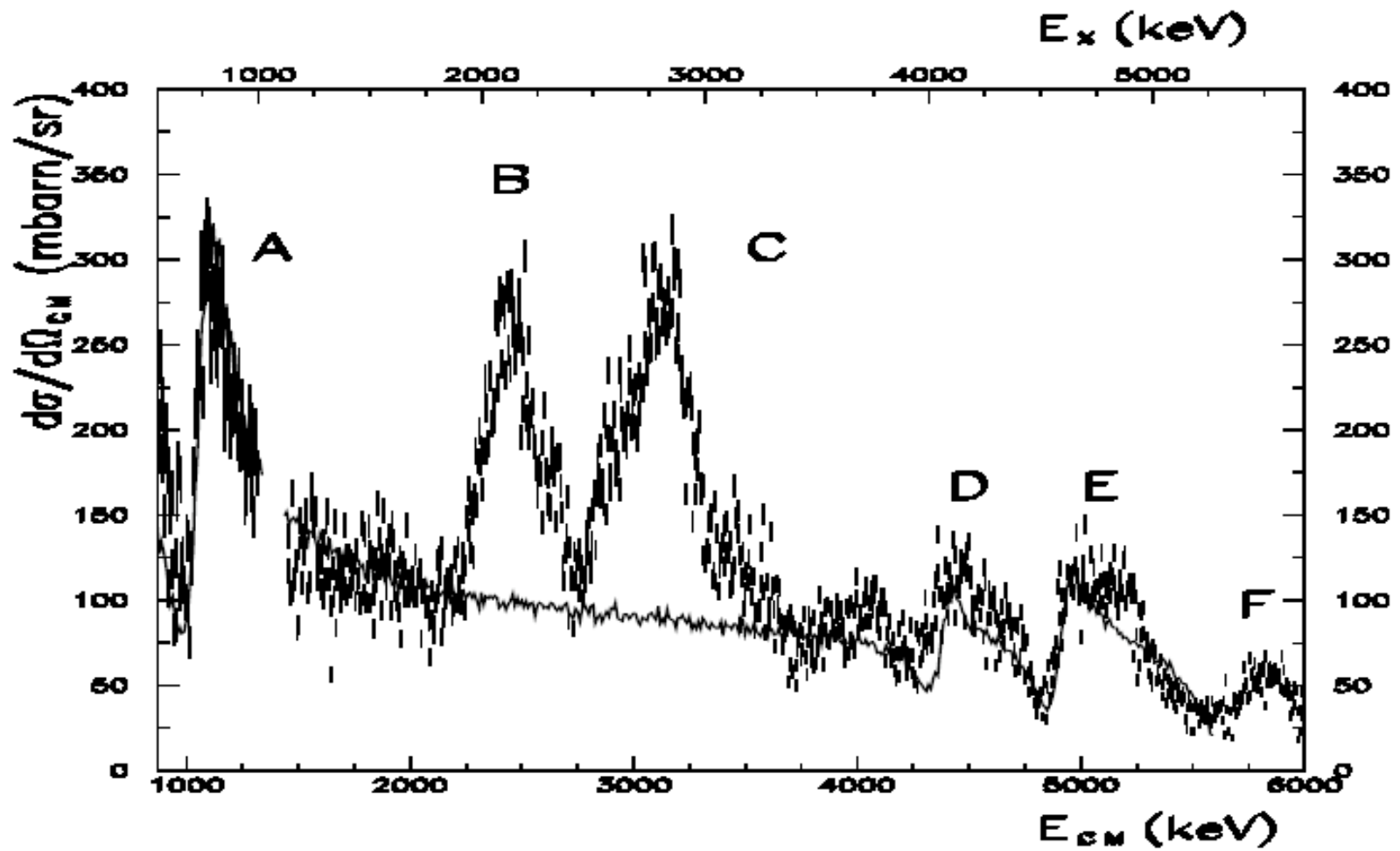
<sup>a</sup> OXBASH calculation reported in Ref. [36].

<sup>b</sup> This work.

$^{18}\text{Ne}+p, \theta=180^\circ \text{ c.m.}$

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## Direct measurement of the astrophysical reaction $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha,p)^{17}\text{F}$

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### 4. SUMMARY

In summary, the astrophysical  $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha,p)^{17}\text{F}$  reaction, which is important in various stellar environments such as X-ray bursts, has been measured directly for the first time, by using a radioactive  $^{14}\text{O}$  beam. The present experiment has shown that the combination of a low-energy RI beam and cold helium gas target can be used for the study of  $(\alpha,p)$  reactions. The measured cross section was found to differ from a prediction based on an indirect measurement, and a direct measurement with time-inverse reaction since the observed channel was limited to the branch to the  $^{17}\text{F}$  ground state alone. A proton decay from the  $^{18}\text{Ne}$  levels at  $E_x = 7.05$  and 7.12 MeV to the first-excited state in  $^{17}\text{F}$  has been measured. This result would suggest an increase of 50% for the  $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha,p)^{17}\text{F}$  reaction rate and might affect the scenario of ignition phase of X-ray burst.

# $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha, p)$

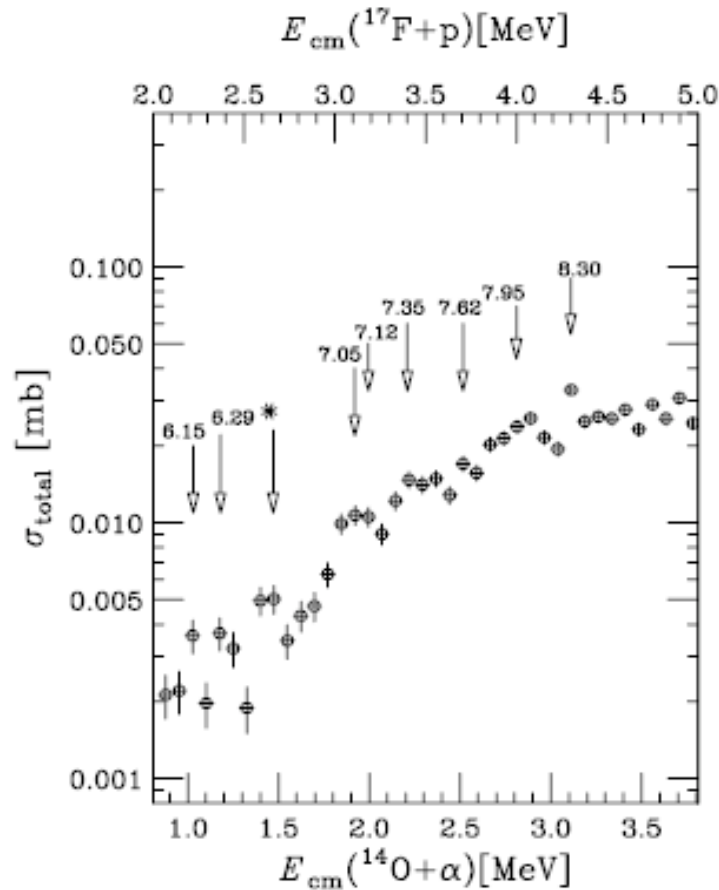


Figure 2. Measured cross sections for the  $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha, p)^{17}\text{F}$  reaction. The asterisk mark is the new observation.

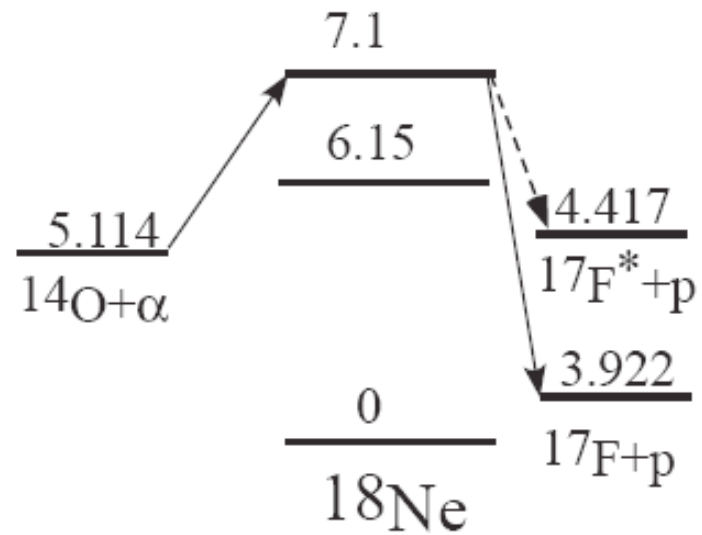
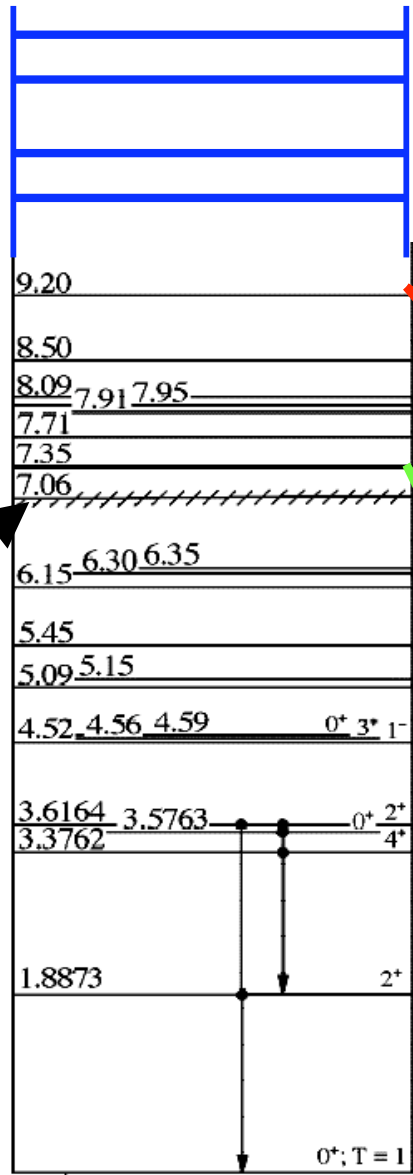


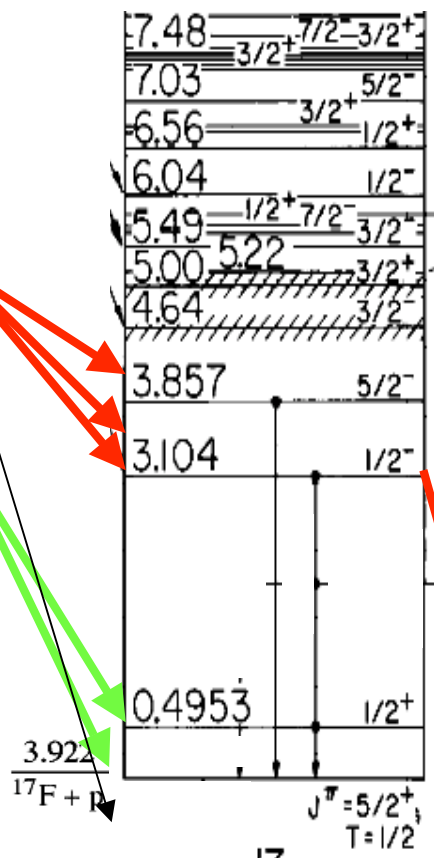
Figure 3. Level Scheme of  $^{18}\text{Ne}$ . The dashed line arrow shows a transition to the excited state of  $^{17}\text{F}$ .

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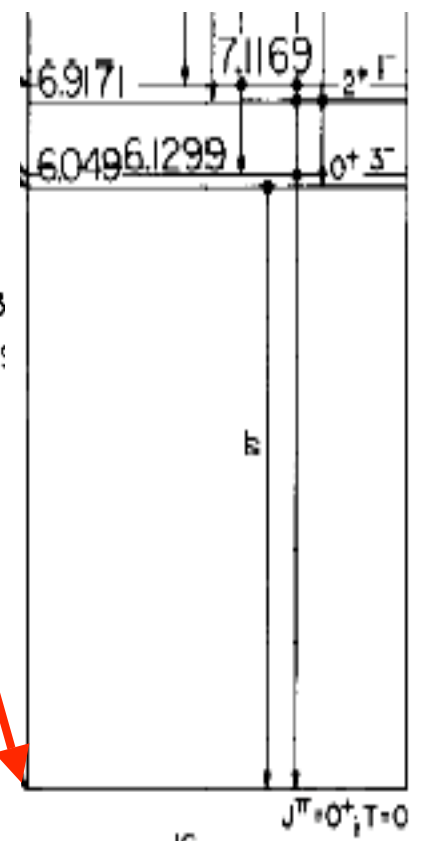
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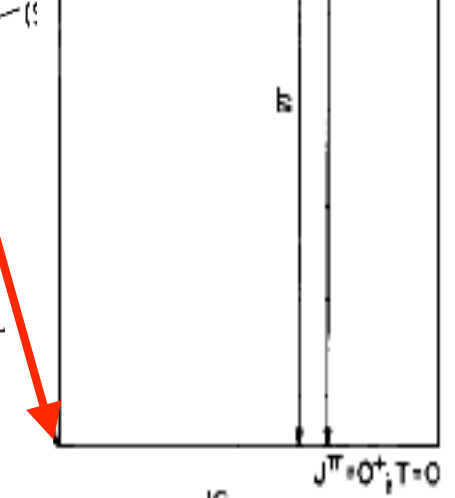
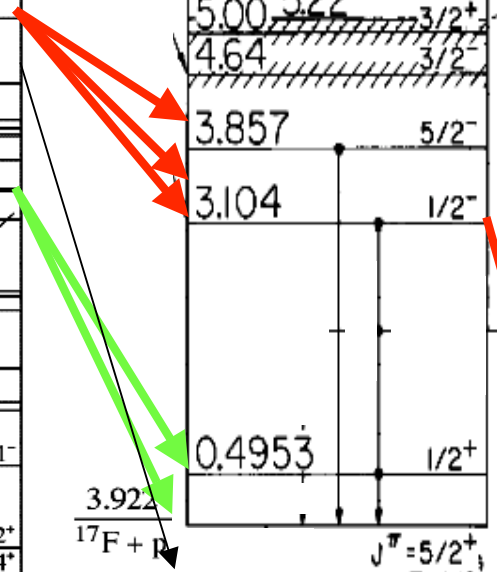
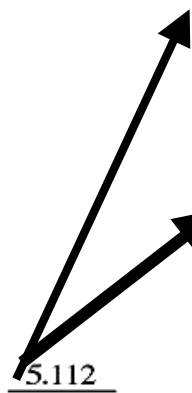
${}^{18}\text{Ne}$



${}^{17}\text{F}$

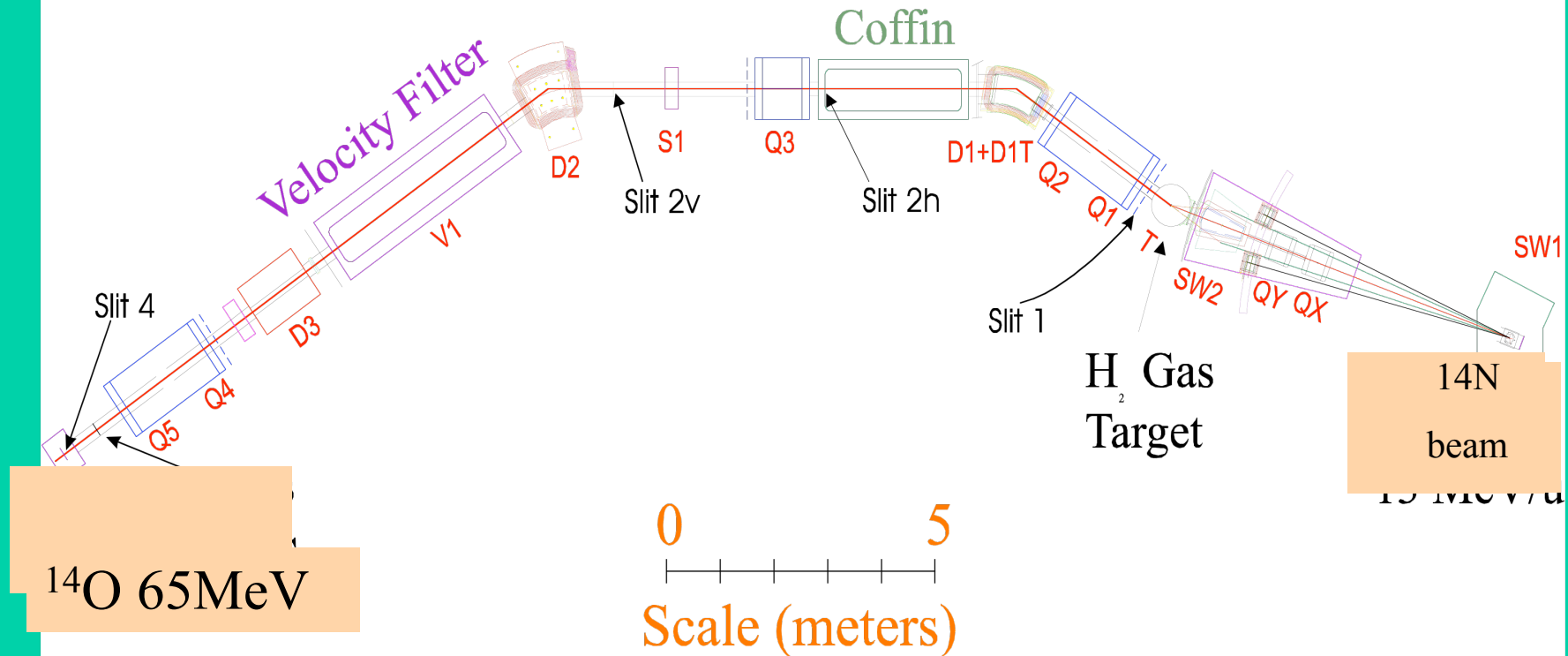


${}^{16}\text{O}$



# MARS

## Momentum Achromat Recoil Separator



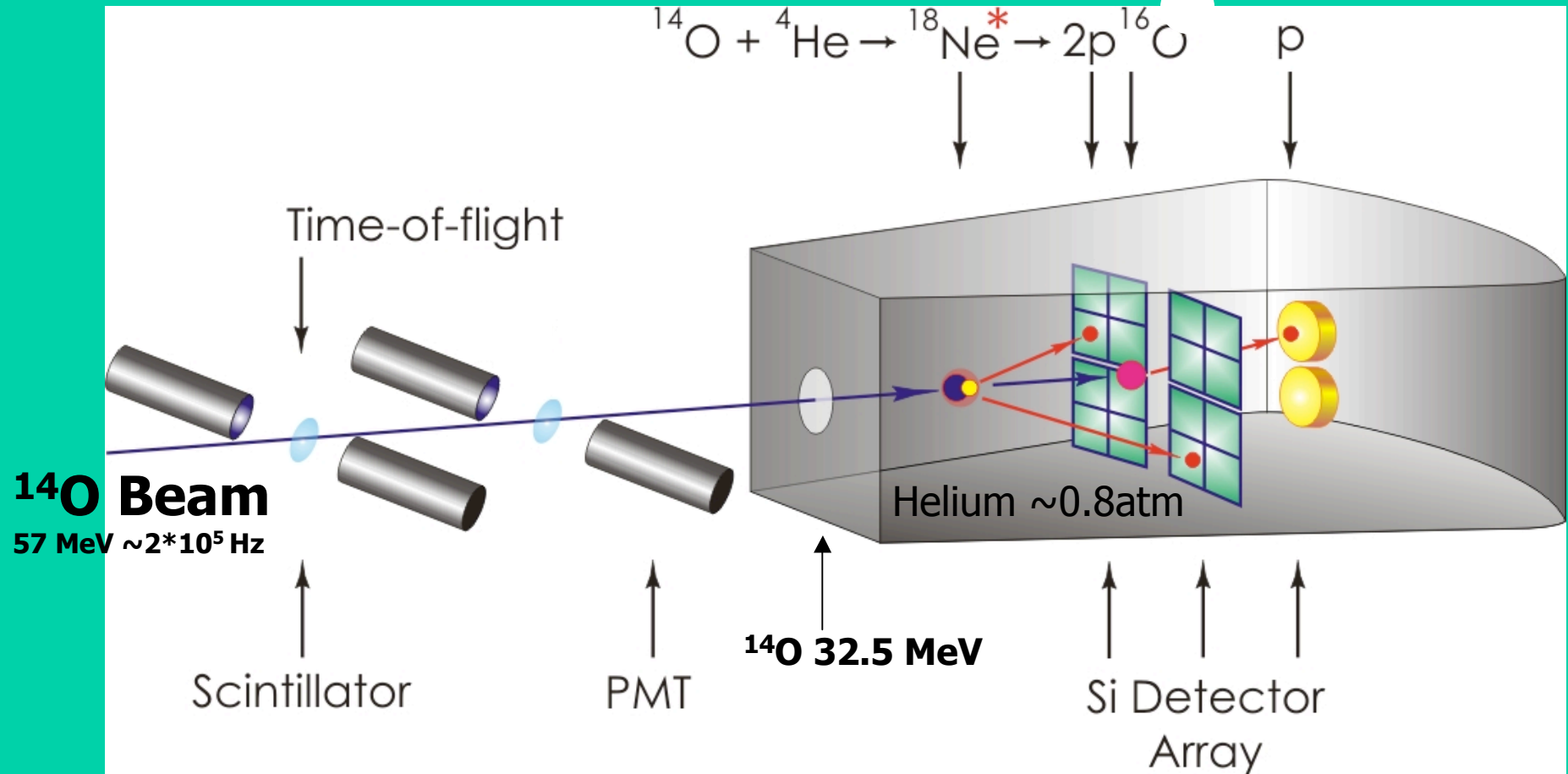
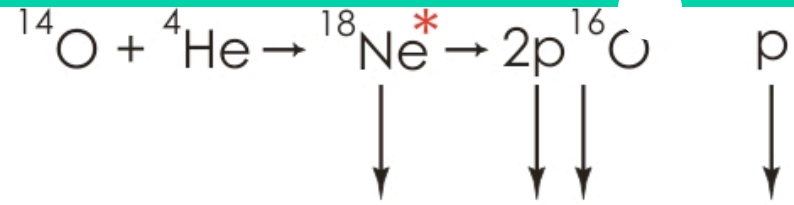
$^{14}\text{O}$  65 MeV

primary beam  $^{14}\text{N}$ @ 12 MeV/A – K500 Cyclotron

primary target LN<sub>2</sub> cooled gas target H<sub>2</sub>  
p=3.0 atm

Purity: >99%  
Intensity: ~10<sup>6</sup>pps

# Scattering Chamber/Target





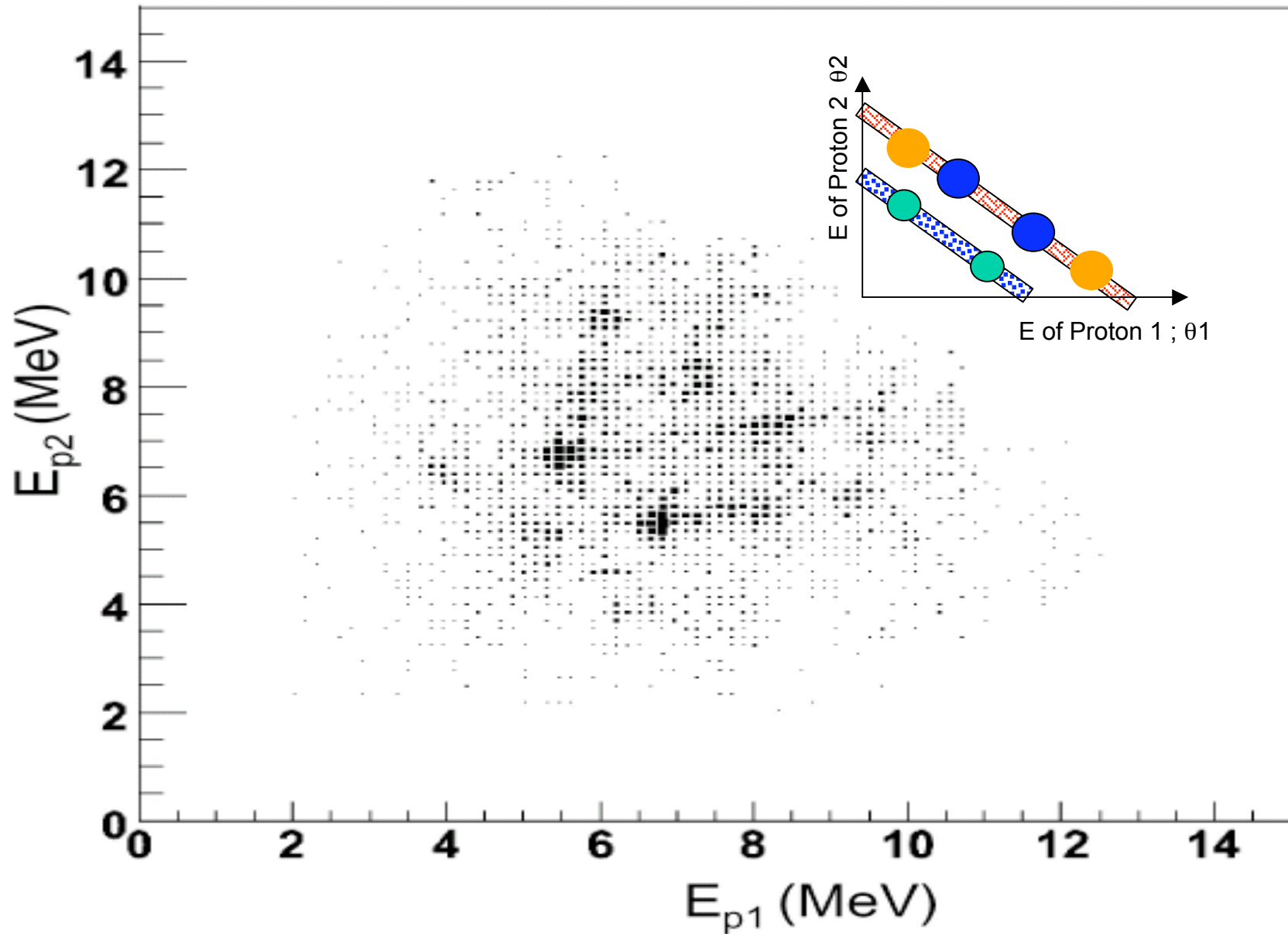
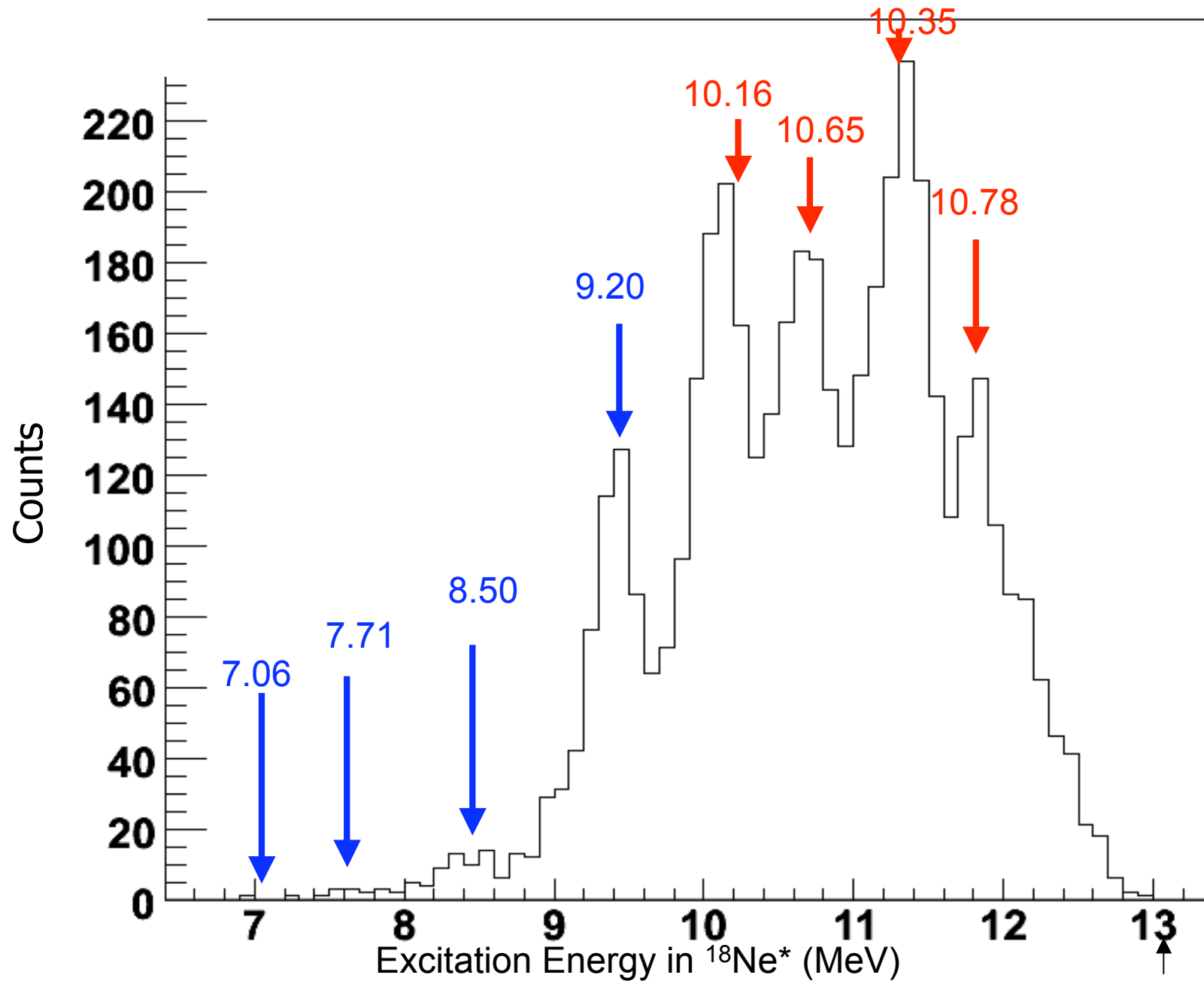
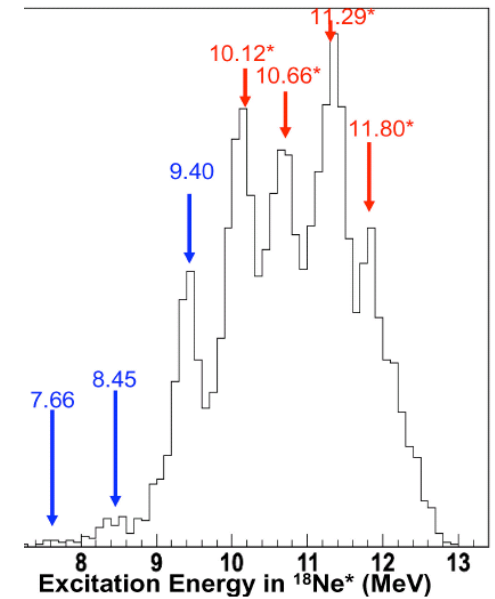
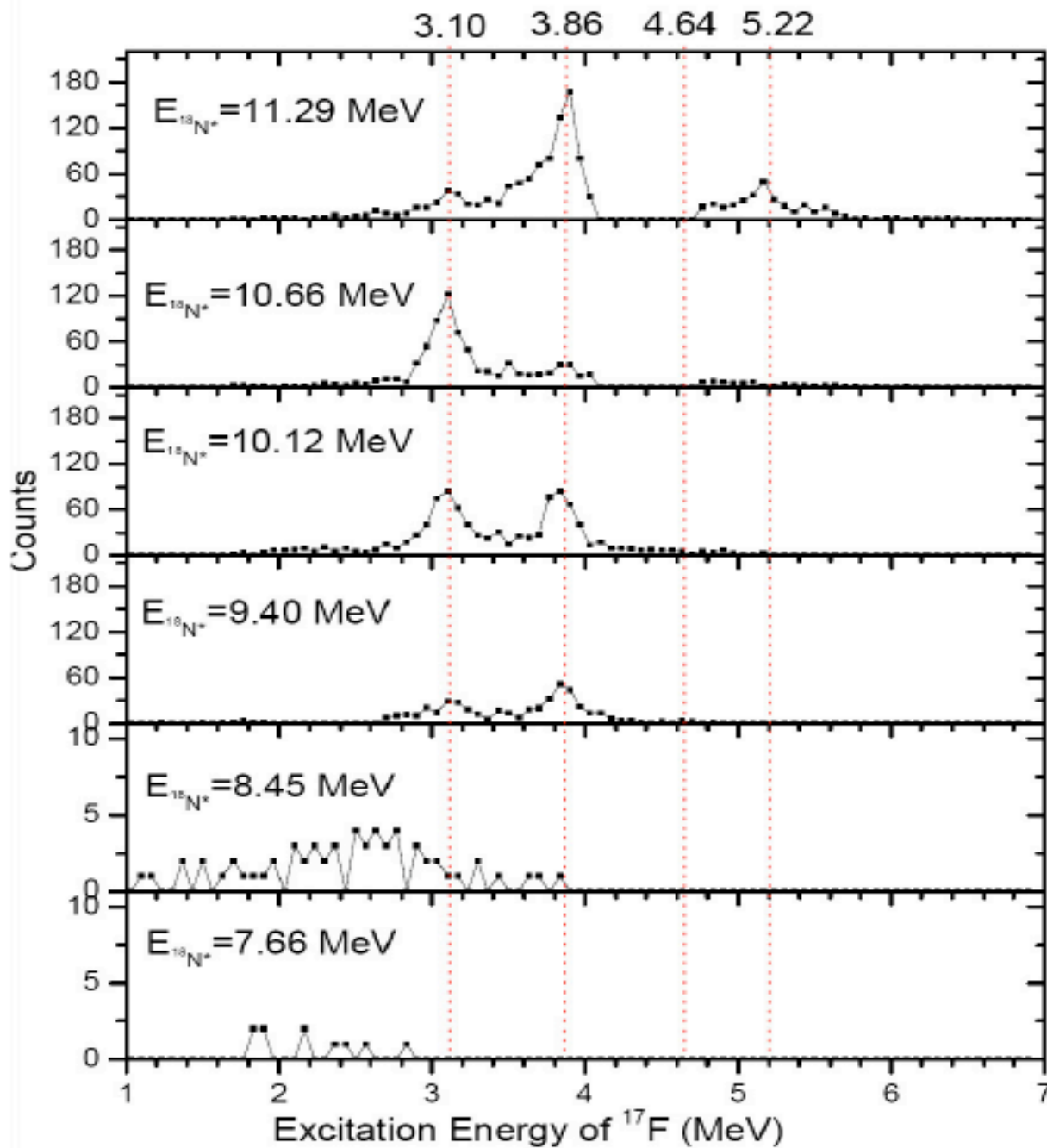


Fig. 6. the Dalitz plot of the coincident protons from the reaction  $^{14}\text{O}(^4\text{He}, 2p)^{16}\text{O}$ . The energy of protons are given in lab system.

# Excitation function for the $^{14}\text{O}(\alpha,2p)$ reaction

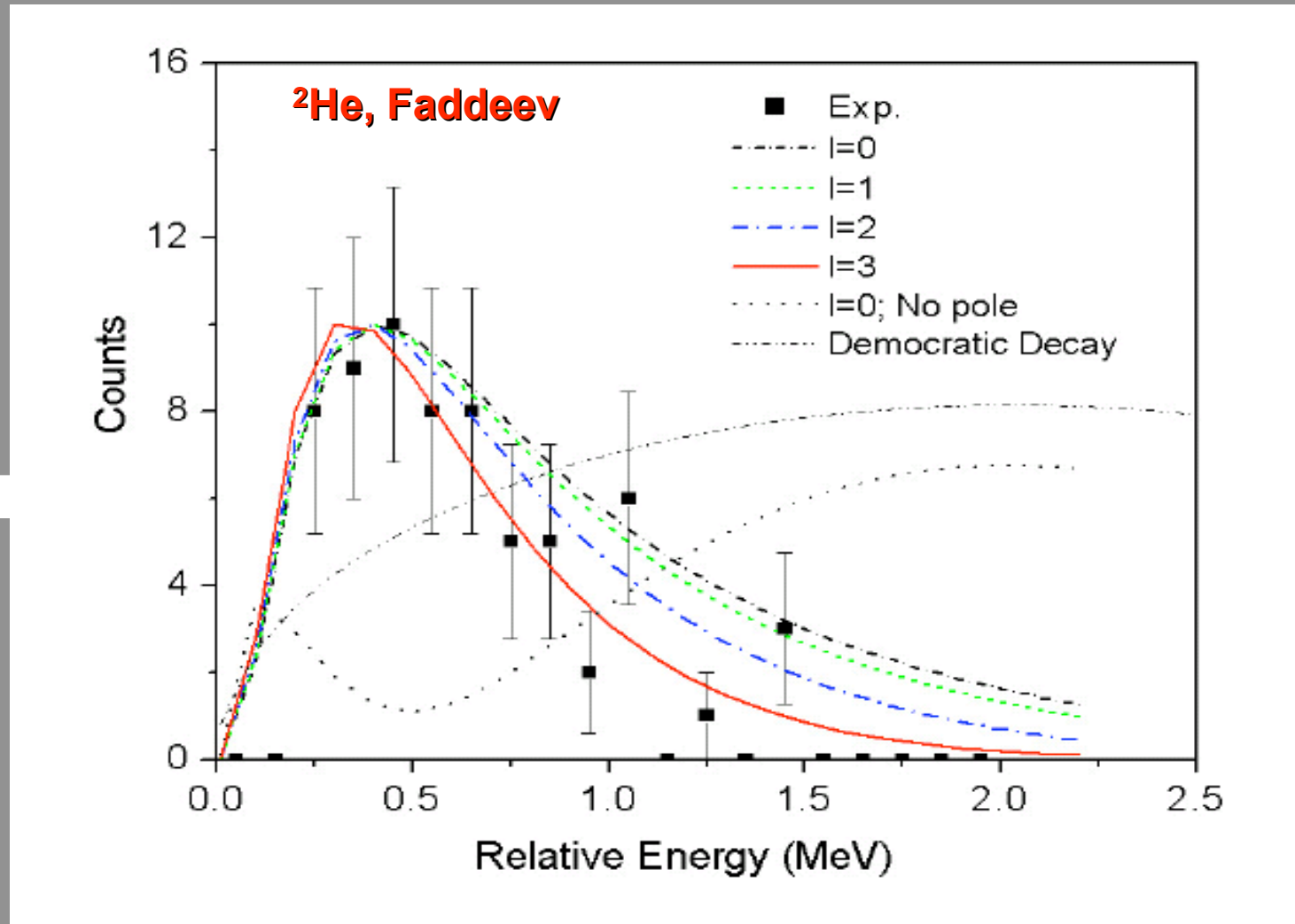




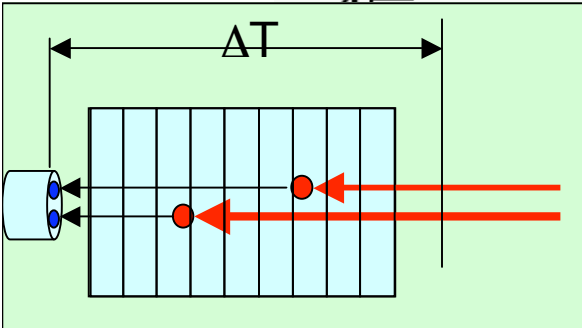
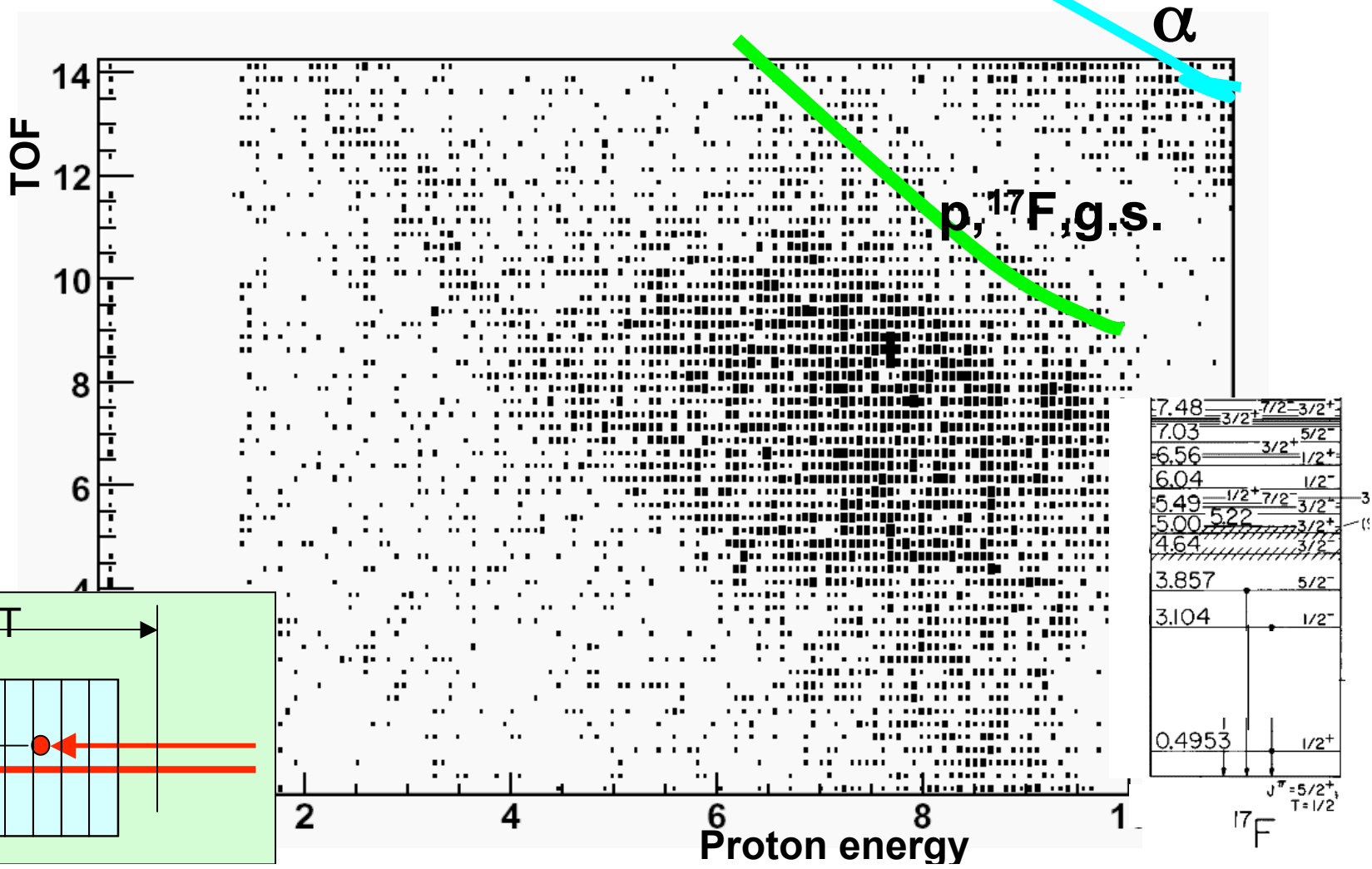
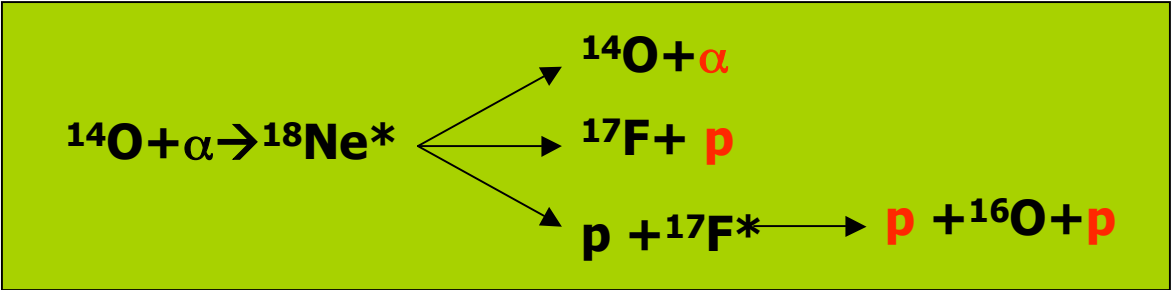
$^{18}\text{Ne}^*$  states which decay through 2-proton emission. The cross MeV is about 0.045 mb, and 11.29 MeV peak is about 3.9 mb.

proton decay  
modes of the  $^{18}\text{Ne}$   
states

## 2p decay of 8.45 MeV state in $^{18}\text{Ne}$



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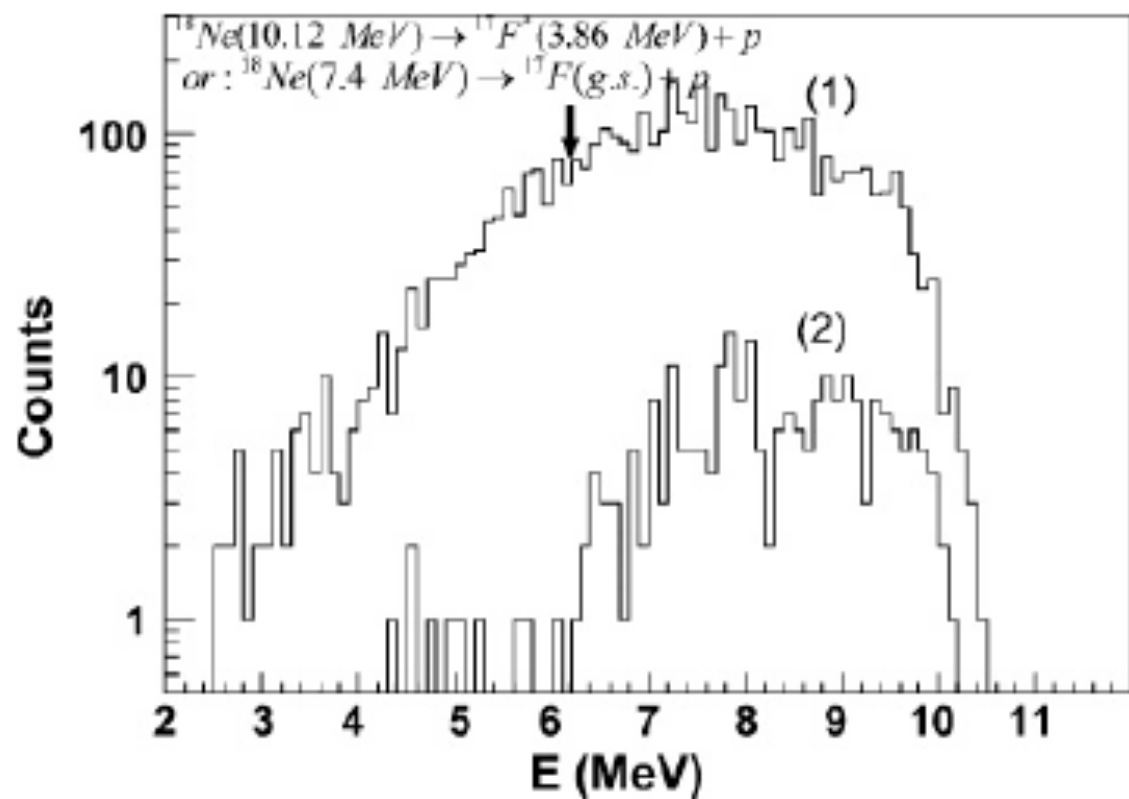
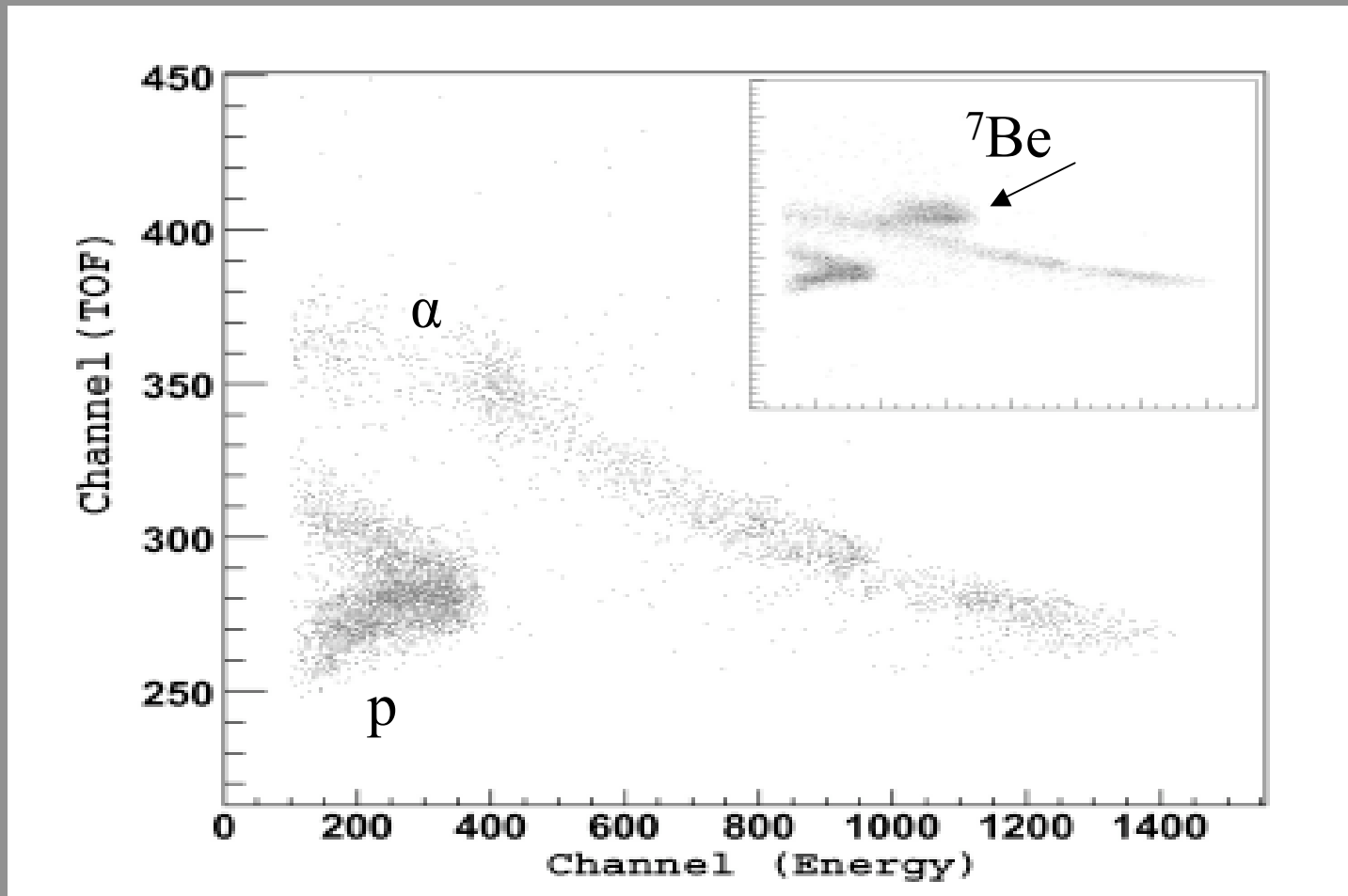
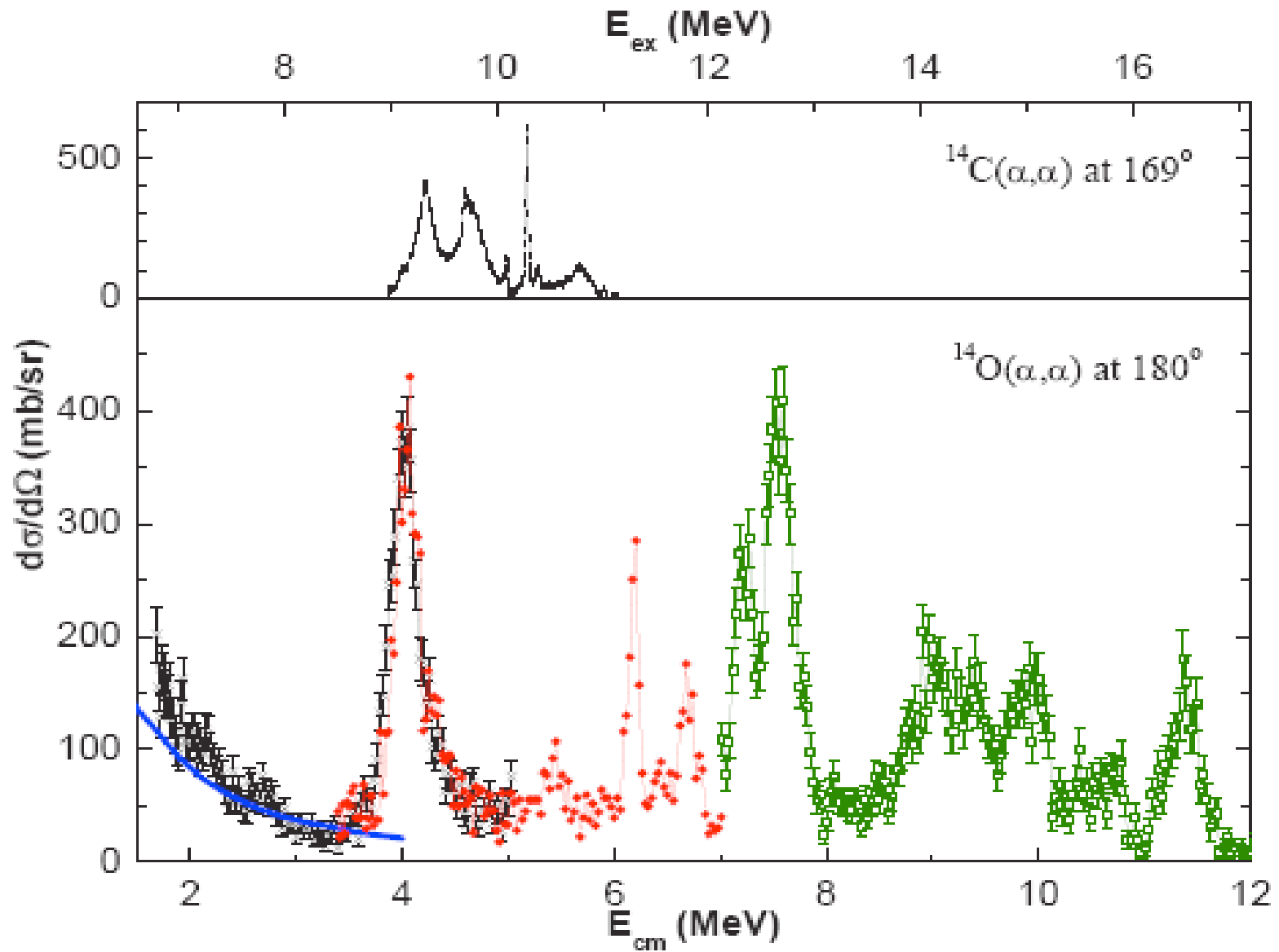


FIG. 7. Yield of protons at  $0^\circ$ . (1) Total proton yield; (2) yield of  $p_0 + p_1$ , see text for explanation.

# $^{14}\text{O} + \alpha$ identification spectrum



# Excitation functions





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