

Studio degli effetti d'isospin sulla densità dei livelli ed iniziative strumentali in vista della futura sperimentazione con SPES

- Fisica
- Studi con fasci ricchi di neutroni di SPES (LoI)
- Studi con fasci stabili
- Iniziative strumentali: R&D per la realizzazione di un rivelatore di neutroni di nuova generazione per la futura sperimentazione con SPES
- Stima dei costi per il 2011

Search for isospin effects on nuclear level density

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Study of isospin effects on level density through fusion-evaporation reactions

$$P(U_o, J_o, \varepsilon, l, U, J) \propto \rho(U, J) \cdot T_l(\varepsilon)$$

$$\rho(U) = \frac{1}{12\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{\sigma a^{1/4}} \frac{\exp[2\sqrt{a(U-\delta)}]}{(U-\delta)^{5/4}}.$$

$$\rho(U, J) = \frac{(2J+1)}{2\sigma^2} \exp\left[\frac{-\left(J+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \rho(U).$$

Angular momentum, Pairing & Shell effects ...

Isospin (?)

Isospin can affect two quantities::

Level density parameter a

Symmetry Energy

Effects on level density parameter a

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Are the level densities for r - and rp -process nuclei different from nearby nuclei in the valley of stability?

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$$\rho(U) = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{12} \frac{\exp(2\sqrt{aU})}{a^{1/4}U^{5/4}},$$

Form A:

$$a = \alpha A$$

Form B:

$$a = \alpha A / \exp[\beta(N-Z)^2].$$

Form C:

$$a = \alpha A / \exp[\gamma(Z-Z_0)^2],$$

ρ $\swarrow$ $N-Z \nearrow$

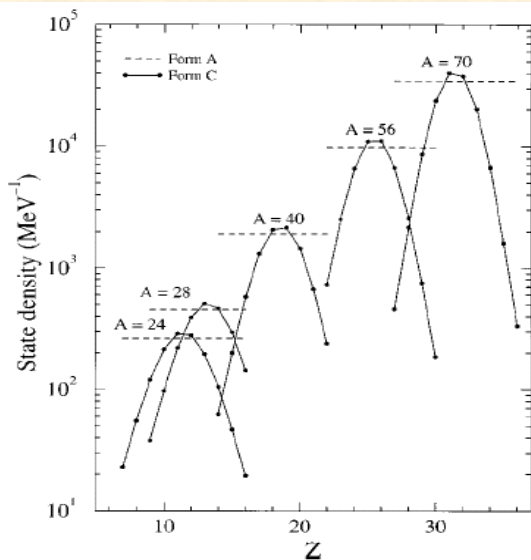
Strong support
from recent LD
calculations

Best fit: 241 nuclei

E_x up to 7 MeV

$20 < A < 110$ ENSDF

Z - Z_0 dependence: better reproduction of data



Strong
implications in
nuclear
astrophysics

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Temperature Dependence of the Nucleon Effective Mass and the Physics of Stellar Collapse

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Framework: Dynamical Shell Model

Hartree-Fock Coupling single particle states to surface vibrations

Increasing T



Decrease of the nucleon effective mass m^* $\rightarrow$ decrease of $a(T)$

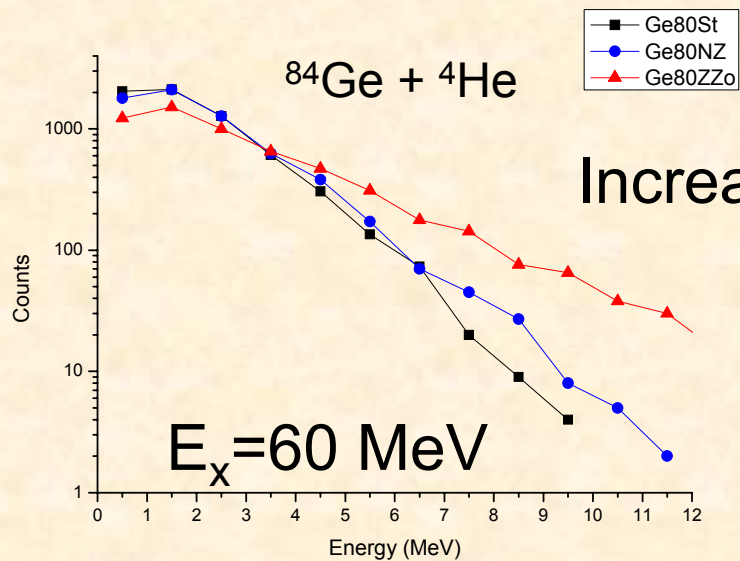
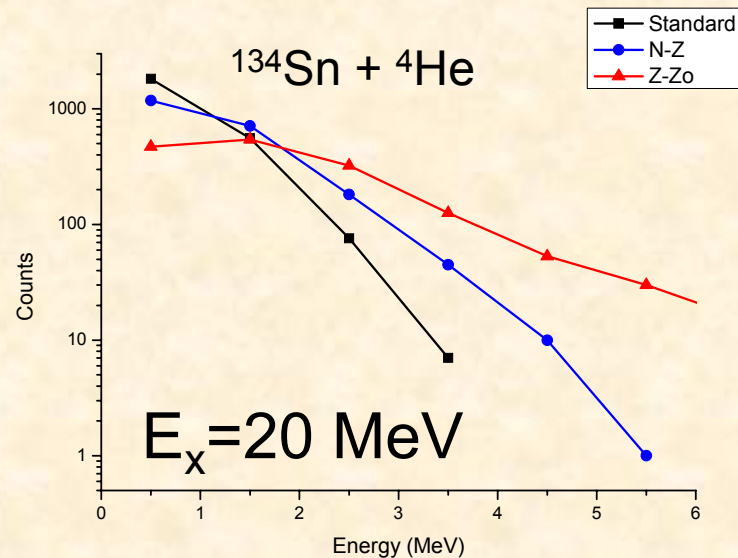
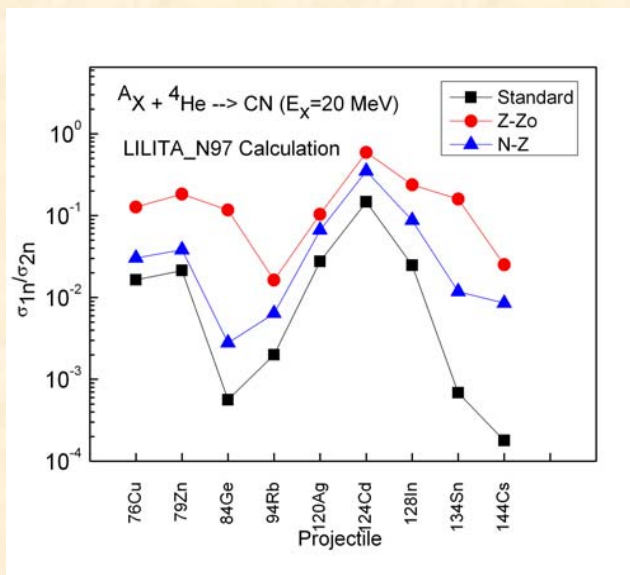
Increase of E_{sym} $\rightarrow$ increase of M , decrease of B

SPES offers the opportunity of a systematic study of these isospin effects

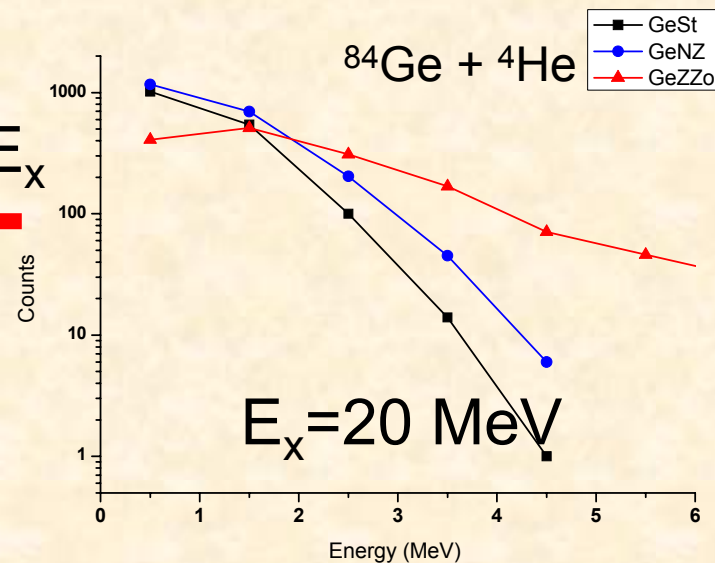
- Observables: multiplicities, energy spectra, ER-Ip angular correlations, ER yield.**
 - Reactions on ^4He : low angular momentum effects, possibility to produce CN starting from low Ex (~ 20 MeV).**
 - Possible reactions:**
 $^{76}\text{Cu}, ^{79}\text{Zn}, ^{84}\text{Ge}, ^{94}\text{Rb}, ^{120}\text{Ag}, ^{124}\text{Cd}, ^{128}\text{In}, ^{134}\text{Sn}, ^{144}\text{Cs} + ^4\text{He}$
- Elab $\sim 3 - 10$ MeV/A; Ex $\sim 20 - 50$ MeV; $\sigma_{\text{FUS}} \sim 0,2 - 1$ barn**

Simulations with Lilita_N97 for these reactions, including all the isospin effects, indicate that these effects are relevant and can be systematically studied with SPES

SM predictions for n-rich nuclei



Increasing E_x

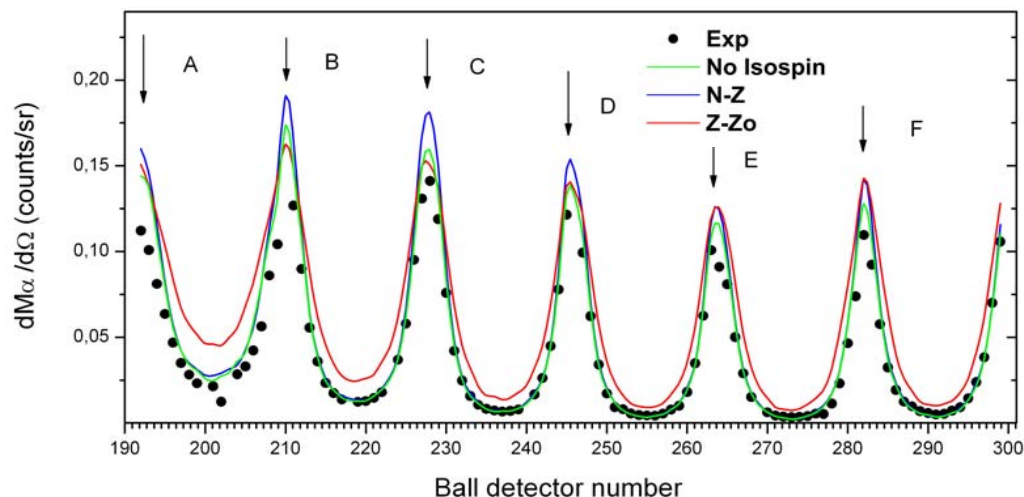


Studies with stable beams

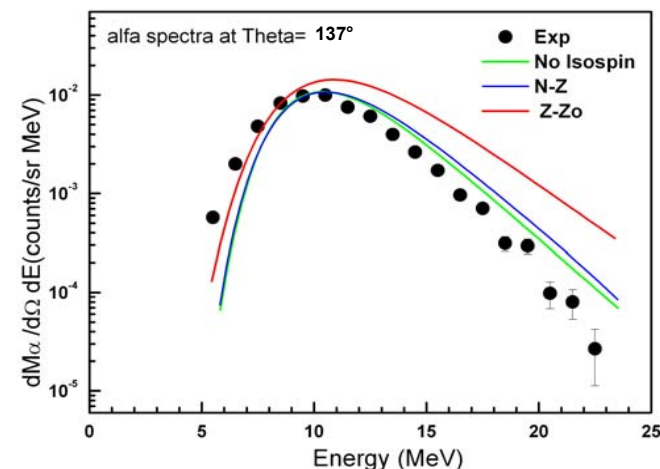
$^{32}\text{S} + ^{107}\text{Ag}$ at $E_{\text{LAB}} = 180$ MeV: data against SM simulations

Code Lilita_N97; Optical model transmission coefficient; level density from Al-Quraishi et al.

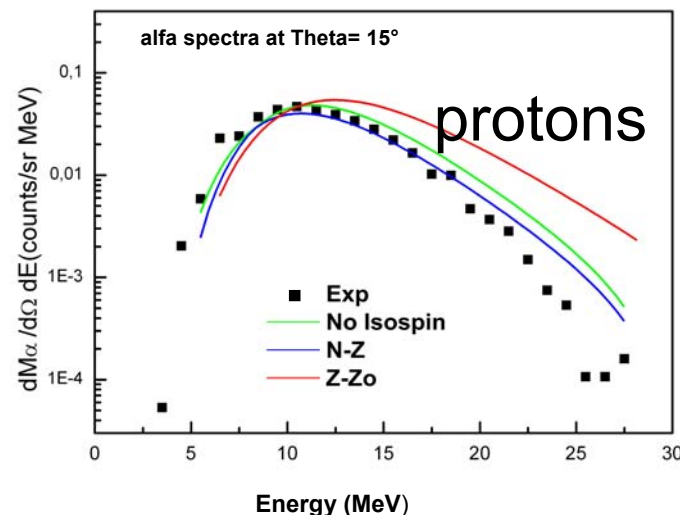
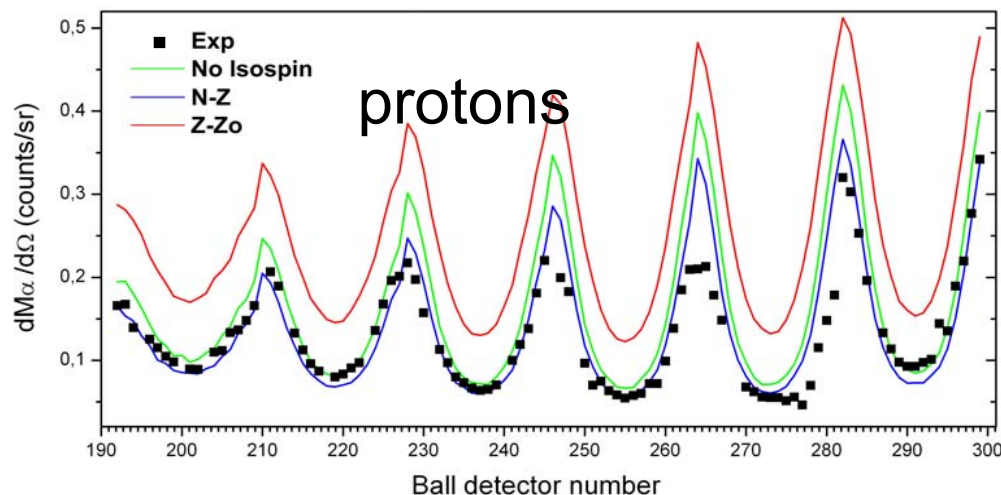
Multiplicity distribution of alpha particles



α energy spectrum

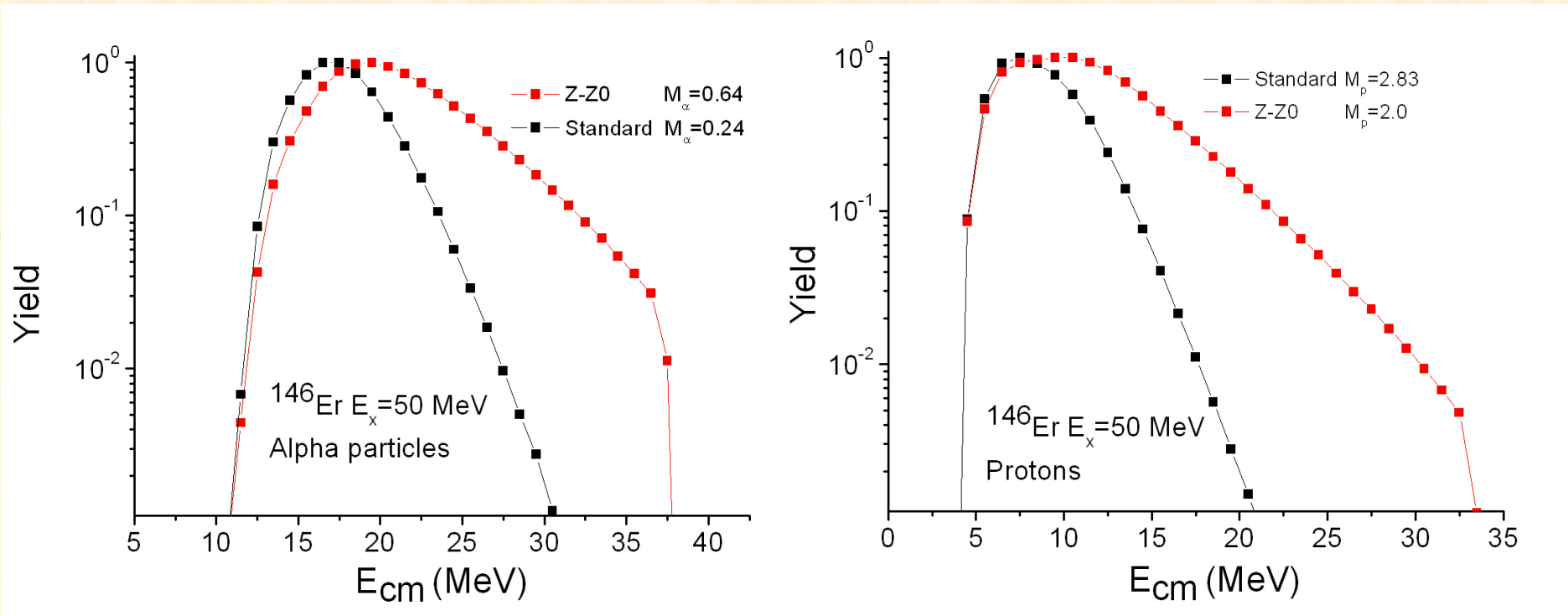
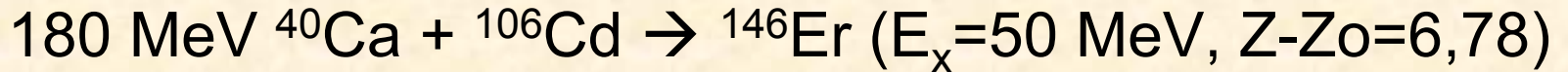


No evidence of Z-Zo effects – No possible to discriminate between st. and N-Z



Al Quraishi parameters are not appropriate for this Ex (?)

Possibile sistema da studiare:



$$\sigma_{\text{fus}} = 370 \text{ mb}$$

Lol Voinov et al.

Energia di simmetria: in corso delle simulazioni per i sistemi: $^7\text{Li} + ^{62,64}\text{Ni} \rightarrow ^{69,71}\text{Ga}$ $E_x=30\text{-}50 \text{ MeV}$

1 turno/anno

Iniziative strumentali:

Riunione del 14/4 ai LNL: RIPEN, NEDA, LNS

NEDA: p.p. phase SPIRAL2 – fine dei lavori (ottobre 2010 – probabile estensione di un anno). A seguire il MoU

Coordinamento di iniziative trasversali in diversi esperimenti: nostro, Gamma, Exochim per attività di R&D. Obiettivo principale: realizzazione di un rivelatore di neutroni di nuova generazione per la futura sperimentazione con SPES, partendo dalle attuali attività(RIPEN, NEDA, LNS)

Possibile attività di R&D 2011 nell'ambito del progetto NEDA

- Test scintillatori liquidi BC501A (C_9H_{21}); BC537 (C_7D_7) presso i LNL
- Test SiPM (limite nelle dimensioni e costi): il piccolo spessore apre la possibilità di un rivelatore per neutroni a stack. (buona risoluzione temporale per misure di TOF). Collaborazione con IRST (Tn)
- Simulazioni Monte Carlo

Attuale geometria in studio per NEDA: sferica compatta, $d=1$ m, risoluzione $E=1$ MeV 16%, $E=8$ MeV 30 % -> intervento della com. italiana per soluzioni che permettano misure di TOF

Piano finanziario linea 3 (Napoli)

- Esperimenti per lo studio degli effetti di isospin

Interno

1 turno di misura nel 2011 presso i LNL:

1 viaggiox2ric. - 10gg prepar. turno

2 Keuro

1 viaggiox5ric. – 35gg turno

6 Keuro

● Iniziative strumentali

Consumo (da distribuire sul ns esp. e GAMMA)

2 MCP-PMT (Panacon XP85012) 10 Keuro

4 Si-PM IRST (Trento) 4 Keuro

Interno

Contatti IRST (Trento): 2 viaggi x 1 ric. - 4 gg. 1 Keuro

Test LNL: BC501A, BC537, MCP-PMT: 2 viaggi x 1
ricercatore - 2 sett. 2.5 Keuro

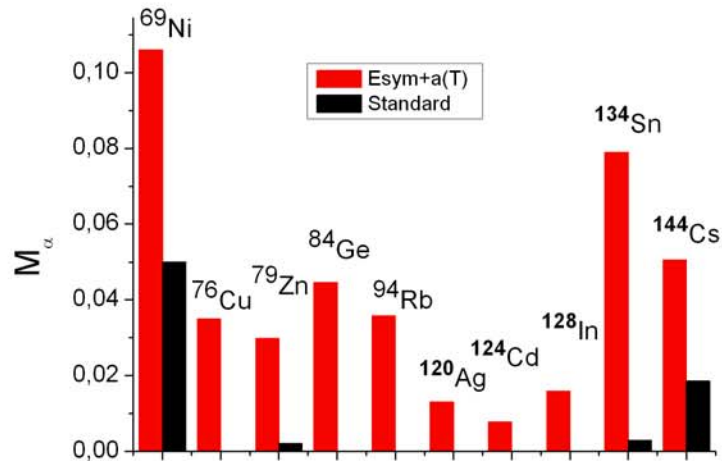
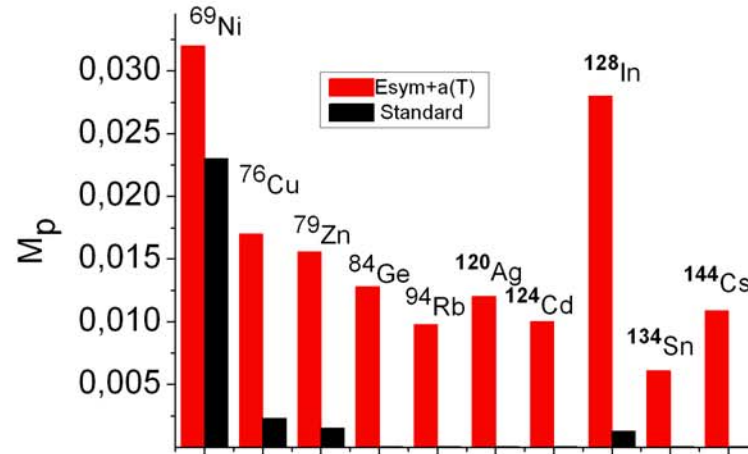
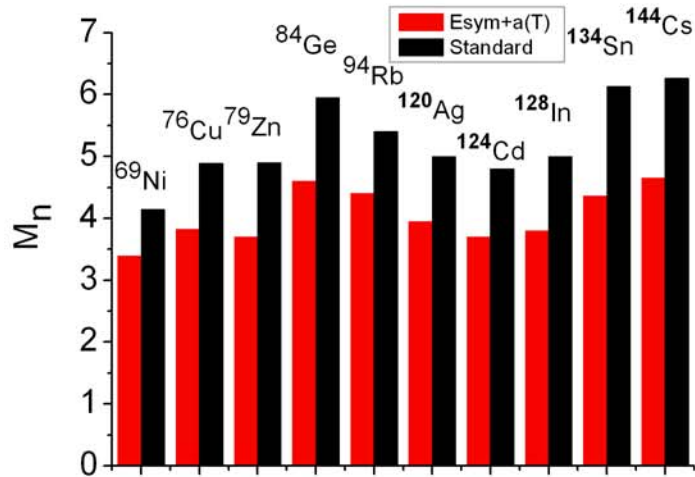
Riunioni della collaborazione NEDA presso i LNL 3 viaggi x 1
1 ric. - 6 gg. 1.5 Keuro

Esteri

Collaborazione scientifica (Polonia, Upssala) 2 viaggi x 1 ric. -
2 sett. 2.5 Keuro

Totale 21.5 Keuro

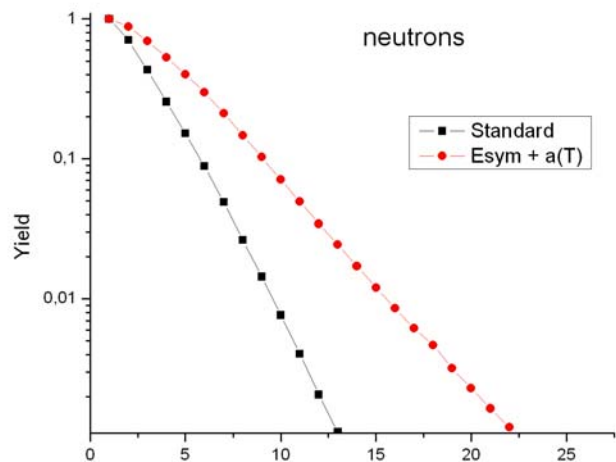
SM predictions for exotic nuclei (RIB + ^4He)



**lcp channels are open
assuming E_{sym}+a(T) effects**

Energy spectra

$^{120}\text{Ag} + ^4\text{He}$



Importance to select xn channels

