Collective Vibrations

How does a nucleus respond to an external perturbation?

i) Photo absorption cross section





The state is strongly excited when $E_f - E_i = E_\gamma.$

Giant Dipole Resonance (GDR)



Figure 6-18 Total photoabsorption cross section for ¹⁹⁷Au. The experimental data are from S. C. Fultz, R. L. Bramblett, J. T. Caldwell, and N. A. Kerr, *Phys. Rev.* **127**, 1273 (1962). The solid curve is of Breit-Wigner shape with the indicated parameters.

Remarks

i) Photon interaction \longleftrightarrow dipole excitation

$$H_{\text{int}} = \frac{1}{2m} \frac{e}{c} (p \cdot A + A \cdot p)$$
$$A(r,t) = \sum_{k} \sum_{\alpha=1,2} \sqrt{\frac{2\pi c^2 \hbar}{\omega V}} (a_{k\alpha} \epsilon_{\alpha} e^{ik \cdot r - i\omega_k t} + h.c.)$$







Isoscalar dipole motion c.m. motion (to the first order)

iii) Collective motion

Motion of the whole nucleus rather than a single-particle motion

Giant Dipole Resonances

•Goldhaber-Teller type



$$\hat{Q} = r Y_{1\mu}(\hat{r})\tau_z$$
$$\Rightarrow \hbar\omega \sim A^{-1/6}$$

Inconsistent with expt.
 (except for light nuclei)



Giant Dipole Resonances

•Goldhaber-Teller type



 $\hat{Q} = r Y_{1\mu}(\hat{r})\tau_z$ $\implies \hbar\omega \sim A^{-1/6}$

•Steinwedel-Jensen type









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Deformation effect



Figure 6-21 Photoabsorption cross section for even isotopes of neodymium. The experimental data are from P. Carlos, H. Beil, R. Bergère, A. Lepretre, and A. Veyssière, *Nuclear Phys.* A172, 437 (1971). The solid curves represent Lorentzian fits with the parameters given in Table 6-6.

ii) Inelastic scattering

Higher multipolarities (e,e'), (p,p'), Heavy-ion p n $\Delta L = 0$ (n n **IVSGMR** (IS)GMR **IVGMR** p p $\Delta L = 1$ n n **IVGMR** p $\Delta L = 2 \left(\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array} \right)$ ny ISGQR **IVGQR** $\Delta T = 0$ $\Delta T = 1$ $\Delta T = 0$ $\Delta T = 1$ $\Delta S = 1$ $\Delta S = 0$ $\Delta S=0$ $\Delta S = 1$

(note) $\Delta L = 2 \longrightarrow \Delta N = 2$ Giant Resonance (GQR) $\Delta N = 0$ Low-lying state

Discovery of Giant Quadrupole Resonance (GQR)

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Giant Multipole Resonances in ⁹⁰Zr Observed by Inelastic Electron Scattering

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Inelastic electron scattering from the giant dipole resonance region in ⁹⁰Zr was measured. In addition to the usual dipole resonance we have found new resonances at 14.0 MeV and around 28 MeV. The spins and parities and transition strengths of these states are discussed.

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Electroexcitation of Giant Resonances in ²⁰⁸Pb

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The giant-resonance region in ²⁰⁸Pb was observed by inelastic electron scattering. We present evidence for the existences of a 2^+ (or 0^+) state at ~ 22 MeV and a 3^- state at ~ 19 MeV with giant-resonance character. The resonance states between 8.6 and 11.6 MeV are confirmed to be 2^+ (or 0^+) and the sum of their strengths exhausts about 50% of the E2 sum rule or 100% of E0.

Sum Rule

Strength function:

$$S(E) = \sum_{\nu} |\langle \nu | F | 0 \rangle|^2 \, \delta(E_{\nu} - E)$$

Energy weighted sum rule:

$$S_1 = \sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0) |\langle \nu | F | 0 \rangle|^2$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \langle 0 | [F, [H, F]] | 0 \rangle$$

(note)

$$\frac{1}{2}\langle 0|[F,[H,F]]|0\rangle = \frac{1}{2}\langle F(HF - FH) - (HF - FH)H\rangle$$

$$= \langle FHF - E_0F^2\rangle$$

$$= \sum_{\nu} E_{\nu} |\langle 0|F|\nu\rangle|^2 - E_0\langle 0|F^2|0\rangle$$

$$= \sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0)|\langle \nu|F|0\rangle|^2$$

Energy weighted sum rule:

$$S_1 = \sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0) |\langle \nu | F | 0 \rangle|^2$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \langle 0 | [F, [H, F]] | 0 \rangle$$

For F = F(r) (local operator)

$$[H, F] = \left[-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2, F \right]$$
$$= -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} (\nabla^2 F + 2\nabla F \cdot \nabla)$$
$$[F, [H, F]] = \frac{\hbar^2}{m} (\nabla F)^2$$
$$S_1 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \int d\mathbf{r} \, \rho(\mathbf{r}) \cdot (\nabla F)^2$$

$$S_1 = \sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0) |\langle \nu | F | 0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \int d\mathbf{r} \,\rho(\mathbf{r}) \cdot (\nabla F)^2$$

For F=z $S_1 = \sum_{\nu} (E_{\nu} - E_0) |\langle \nu | z | 0 \rangle|^2 = \frac{\hbar^2 N_{sys}}{2m}$

[TRK (Thomas-Reiche-Kuhn) Sum Rule]

Model independent

For
$$F = r^{\lambda} Y_{\lambda\mu}(\hat{r})$$

$$S_1 = \frac{\lambda(2\lambda + 1)\hbar^2}{8\pi m} A \langle r^{2\lambda - 2} \rangle$$

(note)



$$V_c(\mathbf{r}) = e^2 \int \frac{\rho_c(\mathbf{r}')}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} d\mathbf{r}'$$

$$\frac{1}{|r-r'|} = \sum_{\lambda,\mu} \frac{4\pi}{2\lambda+1} \frac{Y^*_{\lambda\mu}(\hat{r})}{r^{\lambda+1}} \cdot \frac{r'^{\lambda}Y_{\lambda\mu}(\hat{r'})}{\underline{r'}}$$

Photo absorption cross section:

$$\sigma_{abs}(E_{\gamma}) = \frac{4\pi^2 e^2}{\hbar c} (E_f - E_i) |\langle \phi_f | \tilde{z} | \phi_i \rangle|^2 \,\delta(E_{\gamma} - E_f + E_i)$$

$$\tilde{z} = \sum_p (z_p - Z_{cm}) = \sum_p \left\{ z_p - \frac{1}{A} \left(\sum_{p'} z_{p'} + \sum_n z_n \right) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{NZ}{A} \left(\frac{1}{Z} \sum_p z_p - \frac{1}{N} \sum_n z_n \right)$$

$$\int \sigma_{abs}(E_{\gamma}) dE_{\gamma} = \frac{4\pi^2 e^2}{\hbar c} \cdot \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \cdot \frac{NZ}{A}$$

$$\sigma_{abs}(E_{\gamma})dE_{\gamma} = \frac{\pi}{\hbar c} \cdot \frac{2m}{2m} \cdot \frac{\pi}{A}$$
$$= \frac{2\pi^2 e^2 \hbar}{mc} \cdot \frac{NZ}{A}$$



Figure 6-20 Total oscillator strength for dipole resonance. The observed total oscillator strength for energies up to 30 MeV is given in units of the classical sum rule value. For the nuclei with A > 50, the integrated oscillator strengths have been obtained from measurements of neutron yields produced by monochromatic γ rays (S. C. Fultz, R. L. Bramblett, B. L. Berman, J. T. Caldwell, and M. A. Kelly, in *Proc. Intern. Nuclear Physics Conference*, p. 397, ed.-in-chief R. L. Becker, Academic Press, New York, 1967). The photoscattering cross sections have been ignored, since they contribute only a very small fraction of the total cross sections. For the lighter nuclei, the yield of (γ p) processes must be included and the data are from: ¹²C and ²⁷A1 (S. C. Fultz, J. T. Caldwell, B. L. Berman, R. L. Bramblett, and R. R. Harvey, *Phys. Rev.* 143, 790, 1966); ¹⁶O (Dolbilkin *et al., loc.cit.*, Fig. 6-26). For the heavy nuclei (A > 50), other measurements have yielded total oscillator strengths that are about 20% larger than those shown in the figure (see, for example, Veyssière *et al.*, 1970).

Particle-Hole excitations

Hartree-Fock state



1 particle-1 hole (1p1h) state



2 particle-2 hole (2p2h) state $a_{p}^{\dagger}a_{p'}^{\dagger}a_{h}a_{h'}|HF\rangle$



Tamm-Dancoff Approximation

Assume:
$$|\nu\rangle = Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}|HF\rangle = \sum_{ph} X_{ph} a_{p}^{\dagger} a_{h}|HF\rangle$$

$$= \sum_{ph} X_{ph}|ph^{-1}\rangle$$

(superposition of 1p1h states)

$$H|\nu\rangle = E_{\nu}|\nu\rangle$$

$$\sum_{p'h'} H_{ph,p'h'} X_{p'h'} = E_{\nu} X_{ph}$$

$$H_{ph,p'h'} = (\epsilon_p - \epsilon_h)\delta_{ph,p'h'} + \langle ph'|\bar{v}|hp'\rangle$$

Tamm-Dancoff equation

Tamm-Dancoff Approximation

Assume:
$$|\nu\rangle = Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}|HF\rangle = \sum_{ph} X_{ph} a_{p}^{\dagger} a_{h}|HF\rangle$$

and $H|\nu\rangle = E_{\nu}|\nu\rangle$ (superposition of 1p1h states)
(note) $Q_{\nu}|HF\rangle = 0$

$[H, Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}]|HF\rangle = E_{\nu}Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}|HF\rangle \qquad E_{0} = 0$ $(HF)[\delta Q, [H, Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}]]|HF\rangle = E_{\nu}\langle HF|[\delta Q, Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}]|HF\rangle$ $\delta Q : \text{arbitrary operator}$

$$Q_{\nu}^{\dagger} = \sum_{ph} X_{ph} a_{p}^{\dagger} a_{h}$$

$$\langle HF | [\delta Q, [H, Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}]] | HF \rangle = E_{\nu} \langle HF | [\delta Q, Q_{\nu}^{\dagger}] | HF \rangle$$

$$\begin{cases} H = \sum_{1,2} t_{12} a_{1}^{\dagger} a_{2} + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{1,2,3,4} \bar{v}_{1234} a_{1}^{\dagger} a_{2}^{\dagger} a_{4} a_{3} \\ \delta Q = a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{p} \end{cases}$$

Tamm-Dancoff equation:

$$\sum_{p'h'} A_{ph,p'h'} X_{p'h'} = E_{\nu} X_{ph}$$

 $A_{ph,p'h'} = (\epsilon_p - \epsilon_h)\delta_{ph,p'h'} + \langle ph'|\bar{v}|hp'\rangle$

TDA on a schematic model

Separable interaction: $\langle ph' | \bar{v} | hp' \rangle = \lambda D_{ph} D_{p'h'}^*$

Tamm-Dancoff equation:

$$\sum_{p'h'} A_{ph,p'h'} X_{p'h'} = E X_{ph}$$
$$A_{ph,p'h'} = (\epsilon_p - \epsilon_h) \delta_{ph,p'h'} + \langle ph' | \bar{v} | hp' \rangle$$

$$(\epsilon_{ph} - E)X_{ph} + \lambda D_{ph} \cdot T = 0 \qquad T \equiv \sum_{ph} D_{ph}^* X_{ph}$$
$$(\lambda_{ph} = -\lambda D_{ph} T / (\epsilon_{ph} - E))$$
$$|D_{ph}|^2$$

$$T = \sum_{ph} D_{ph}^* X_{ph} = -\lambda \sum_{ph} \frac{|D_{ph}|}{\epsilon_{ph} - E} T$$

or

 $\frac{1}{\lambda} = \sum_{ph} \frac{|D_{ph}|^2}{E - \epsilon_{ph}}$

(TDA dispersion relation)



Figure 8.4. Graphical solution of Eq. (8.18).

(note) in the degenerate limit: $\epsilon_{ph} \sim \epsilon$

$$E = \epsilon_{ph} + \lambda \sum_{ph} |D_{ph}|^2, \quad |\nu\rangle = \sum_{ph} D_{ph} a_p^{\dagger} a_h |HF\rangle$$

coherent superpositon of 1p1h states

Iso-scalar type modes: $E < \epsilon_{ph} \rightarrow \lambda < 0$ (attractive)Iso-vector type modes: $E > \epsilon_{ph} \rightarrow \lambda > 0$ (repulsive)

Experimental systematics:

IV GDR: $E \sim 79A^{-1/3}$ (MeV) $\iff \epsilon_{ph} \sim 41A^{-1/3}$ IS GQR: $E \sim 65A^{-1/3}$ (MeV) $\iff \epsilon_{ph} \sim 82A^{-1/3}$

(note) single particle potential: $\hbar \omega \sim 41 A^{-1/3}$ (MeV)



(note) contact interaction

$$v(\mathbf{r},\mathbf{r}')=t_0\delta(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}')$$

Energy Functional:

$$E[\rho_{p}, \rho_{n}] = \langle \Psi_{\mathsf{HF}} | \sum_{i < j} v_{ij} | \Psi_{HF} \rangle$$

= $\int dr \left\{ \frac{t_{0}}{2} (\rho_{p}^{2} + 2\rho_{p}\rho_{n} + \rho_{n}^{2}) - \frac{t_{0}}{4} (\rho_{p}^{2} + \rho_{n}^{2}) \right\}$

Mean-Field potential:

$$V_n(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho_n} = \frac{t_0}{2}\rho_n + t_0\rho_p, \quad V_p(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\delta E}{\delta \rho_p} = \frac{t_0}{2}\rho_p + t_0\rho_n$$

or
$$V(r) = \frac{3}{4} t_0 \rho_{IS} - \frac{t_0}{4} \tau_z \rho_{IV}$$

$$\begin{cases} \rho_{IV} = \rho_n - \rho_p \\ \rho_{IS} = \rho_n + \rho_p \end{cases}$$

$$v_{IS}(r,r') = 3t_0/4 \cdot \delta(r-r')$$
 (note)
 $v_{IV}(r,r') = -t_0/4 \cdot \delta(r-r')$ $t_0 < 0$

Another argument

$$\langle ph^{-1}|\bar{v}|p'h'^{-1}\rangle = \langle ph'|\bar{v}|hp'\rangle = \langle ph'|v|hp'\rangle - \langle ph'|v|p'h\rangle$$

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h: all the occupied (bound) states*p*: the bound excited states + continuum states

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = -\sum_{ph} \frac{|D_{ph}|^2}{\epsilon_p - \epsilon_h - E}$$

Coordinate representation: $D_{ph} = \int dr \, \phi_p^*(r) D(r) \phi_h(r)$ $\frac{1}{\lambda} = -\sum_{ph} \int dr \int dr' D(r) D^*(r') \frac{\phi_p^*(r) \phi_h(r) \phi_p(r') \phi_h^*(r')}{\epsilon_p - \epsilon_h - E}$

(note)
$$\hat{h}\phi_p = \epsilon_p \phi_p$$

 $1 = \sum_i |\phi_i\rangle\langle\phi_i| = \sum_p |\phi_p\rangle\langle\phi_p| + \sum_h |\phi_h\rangle\langle\phi_h|$
rhs $= -\sum_h \int dr \int dr' D(r) D^*(r') \phi_h(r) \phi_h^*(r')$
 $\times \left(\left\langle r' \left| \frac{1}{\hat{h} - \epsilon_h - E - i\eta} \right| r \right\rangle - \sum_{h'} \frac{\phi_{h'}^*(r) \phi_{h'}(r')}{\epsilon_{h'} - \epsilon_h - E - i\eta} \right)$