

Perspectives of the Ab Initio No-Core Shell Model

No-core Monte Carlo shell model in light nuclei

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Introduction

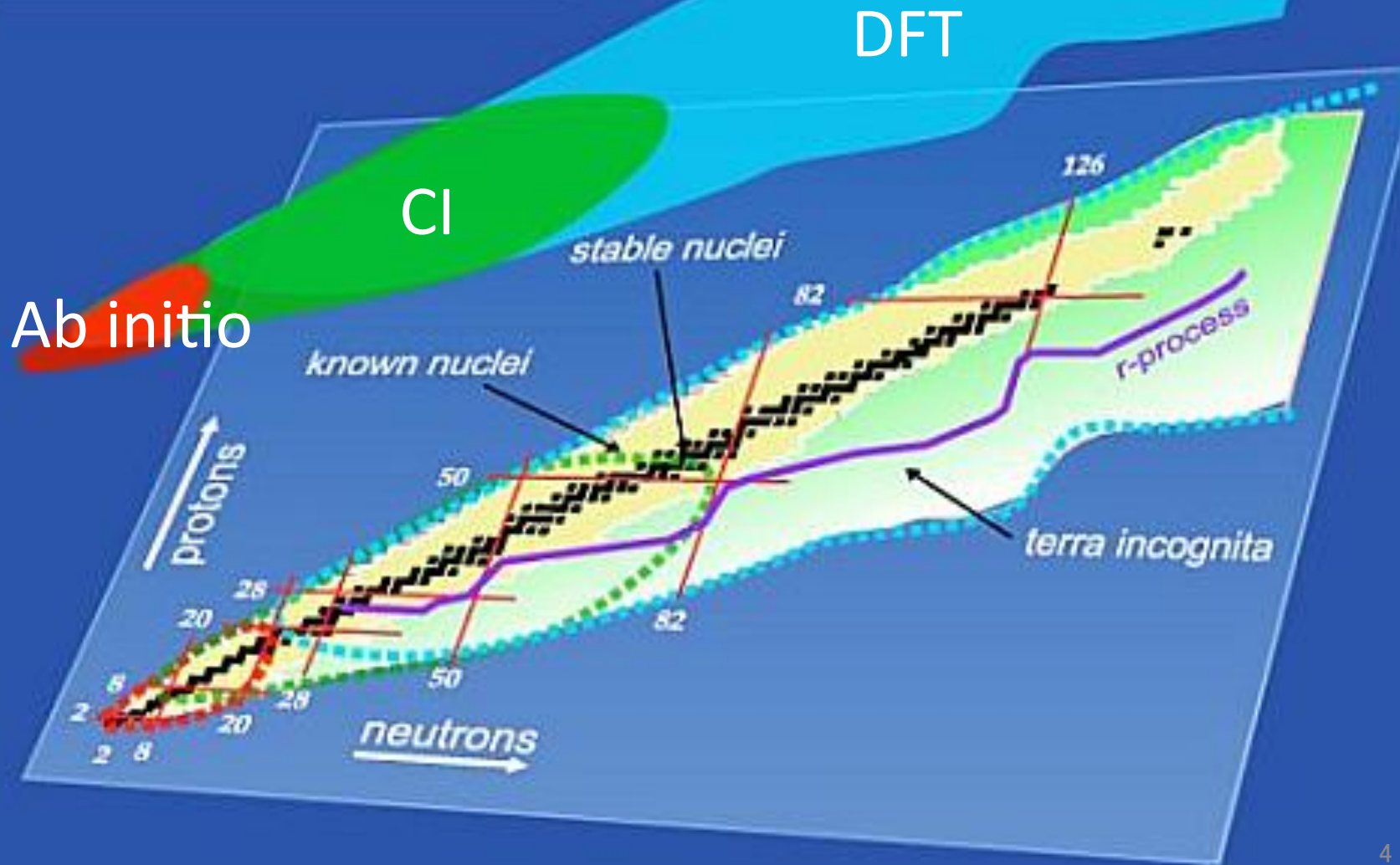
- Current motivation for the nuclear structure theory
 - Understand the nuclear structures from the first principle of nuclear theory by *ab-initio* calc w/ realistic nuclear forces
- ➔ Machine power: one of the main limitations for the large-scale computation
 - Necessity of *ab-initio*(-like) method compared w/ GFMC, NCSM, (up to $\sim A = 12-16$), CC(closed shell +/- 1,2)
 - ➔ No-core Monte Carlo shell model
 - Choice of the nuclear forces (interactions) efficient for the MCSM calculation
 - ➔ JISP16 NN int.

Open the way to understand nuclear structures from the realistic nuclear forces

Nuclear Landscape

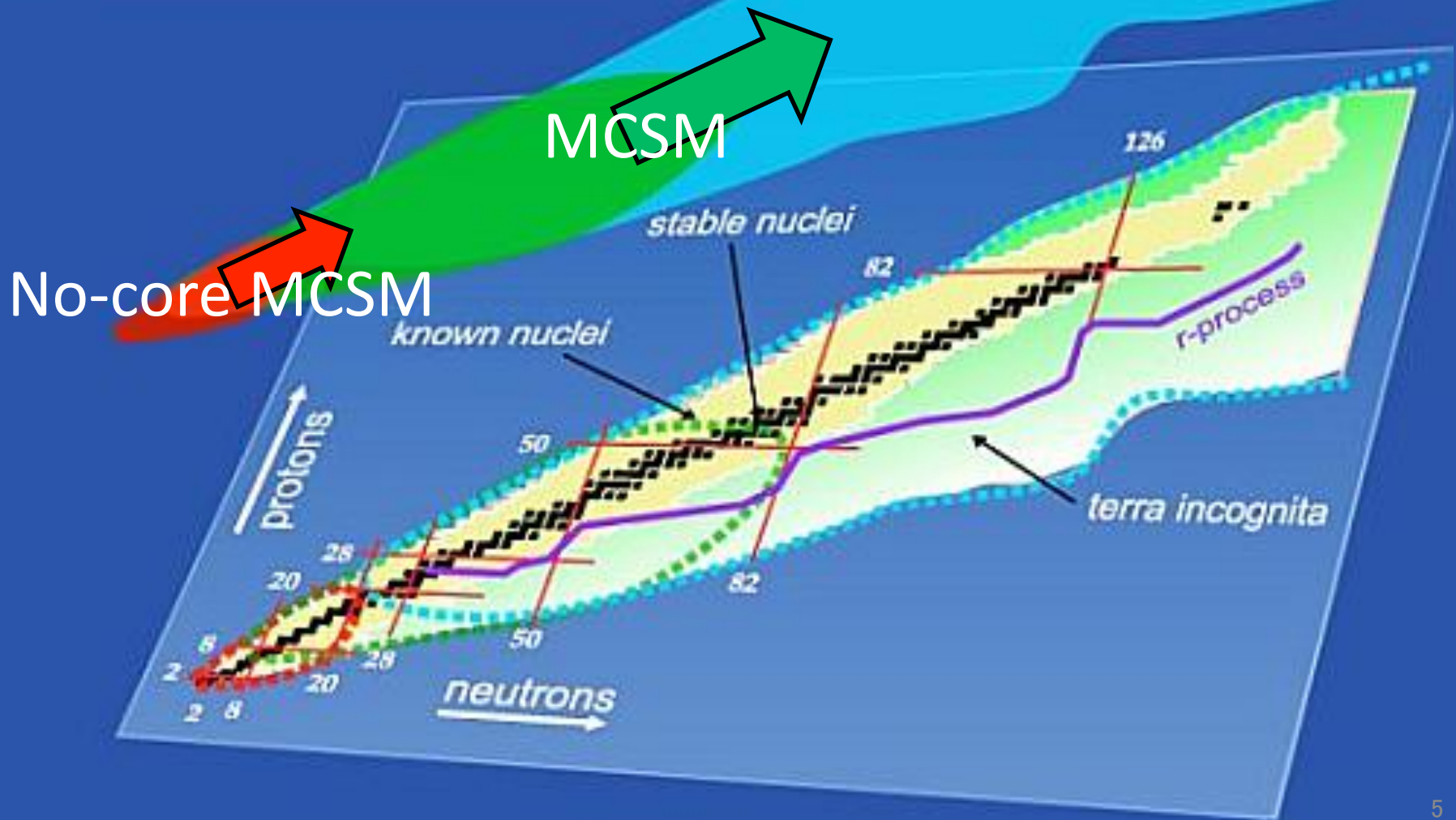
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- Ab initio
- Configuration Interaction
- Density Functional Theory

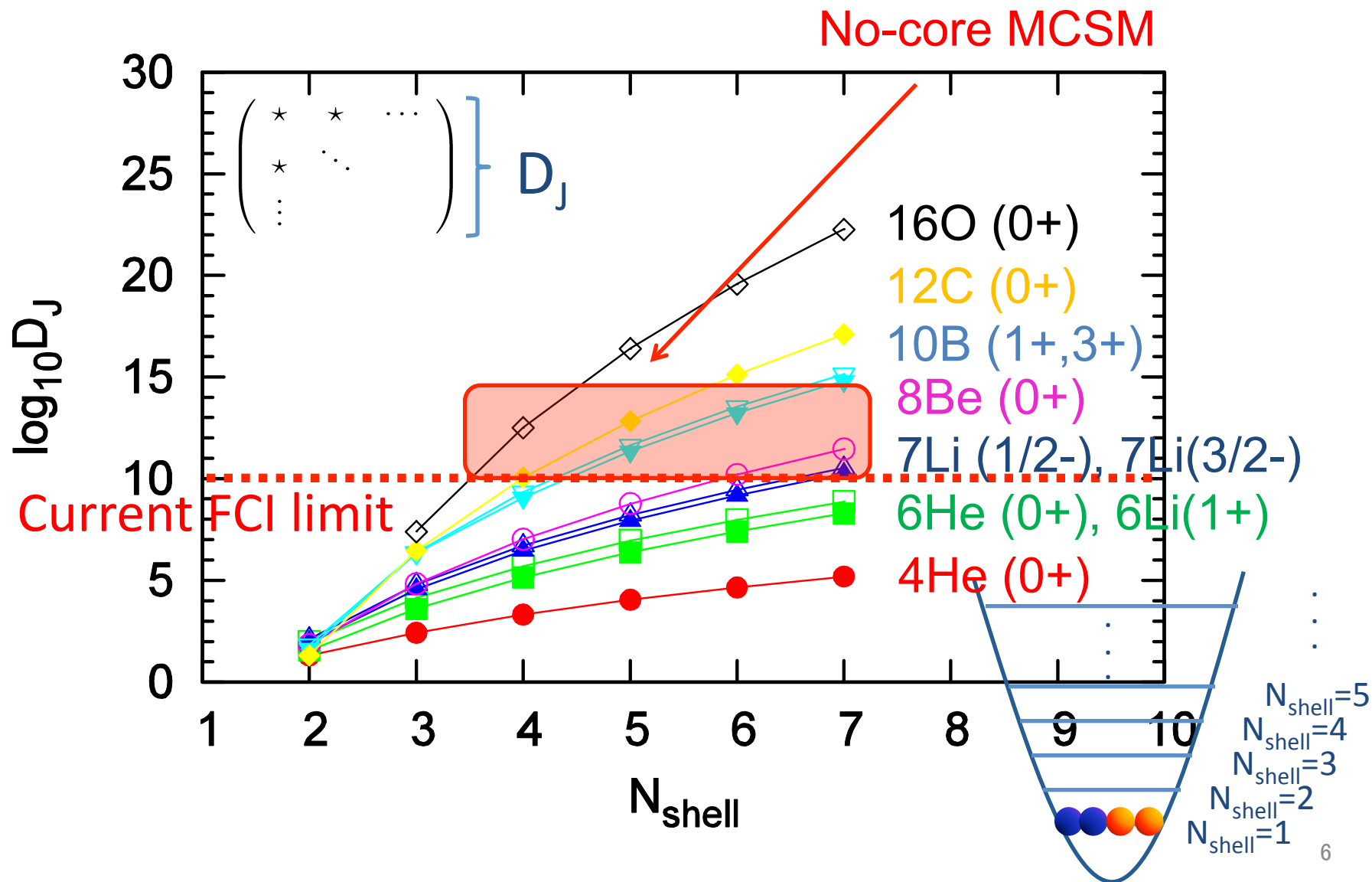


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J-scheme dimension

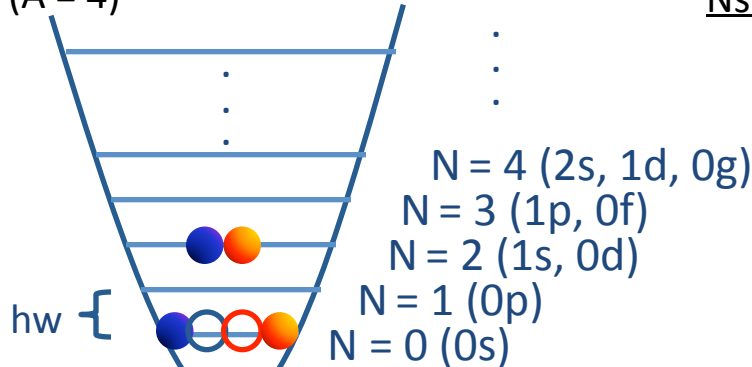


Truncations of the Model Space in NCSM & FCI

- **Nmax** (NCSM, NCFC, IT-NCSM, ...)

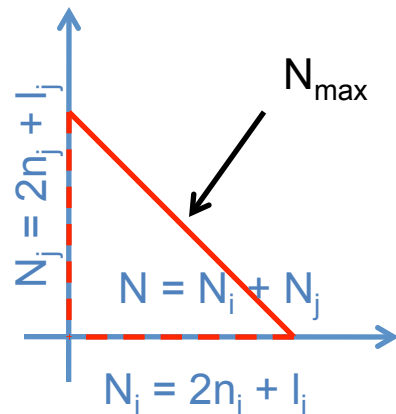
➤ Max. # of HO quanta of many-body basis

Nmax = 4 (A = 4)

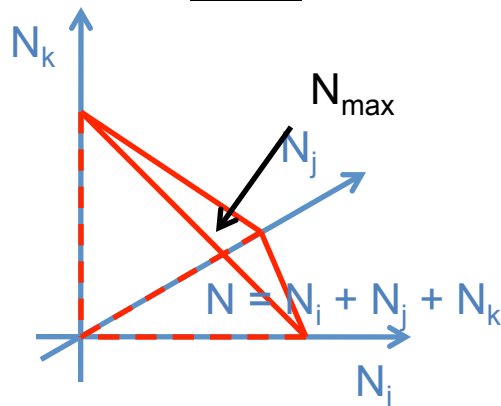


$N = \sum_i 2n_i + l_i \leq N_{\max}$

A = 2



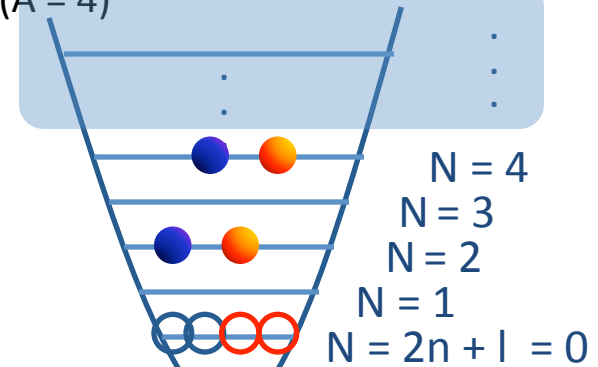
A = 3



- **Nshell** (FCI, MCSM, IT-CI, ...)

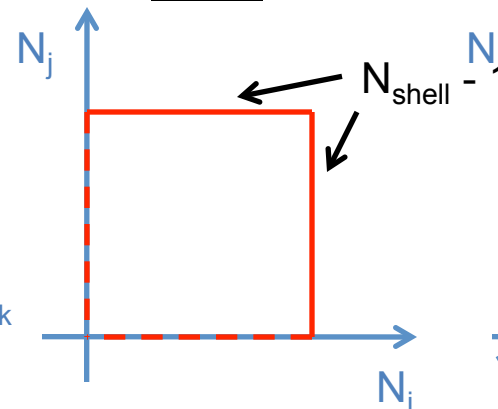
➤ Max. # of HO quanta of single-particle basis

Nshell = 5 (A = 4)

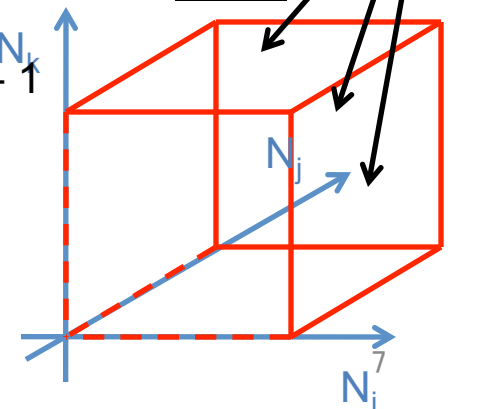


$N = 2n + l \leq N_{\text{shell}} - 1$

A = 2



A = 3



NCSM, FCI, NCFC, MCSM

	Truncation	Interaction
NCSM	Nmax	Bare/Effective
FCI	Nshell	Bare
NCFC	Nmax	Bare
MCSM	Nshell	Bare/Effective

- ✓ NCSM,FCI,NCFC does exact diagonalization of large Hamiltonian matrices, while MCSM utilizes the diagonalization of smaller matrices w/ importance-truncated bases.
- ✓ NCSM,NCFC uses Nmax truncation, while FCI, MCSM does Nshell truncation.
- ✓ Nmax is the sum of the HO excitation quanta from the reference state.
- ✓ Nshell is the # of major shells included as the model space.
- ✓ NCSM usually employs effective interactions for getting faster convergence wrt the model space.
- ✓ FCI,NCFC employs bare interactions & extrapolates into the infinite model space (Nshell, Nmax $\rightarrow \infty$).
- ✓ Treatment of spurious CM effect is exact in NCSM,NCFC, while it is approximate in FCI,MCSM (by using Gloeckner-Lawson method).

JISP16 NN interaction

- JISP16: J-matrix Inverse Scattering Potential tuned B.E.s up to 16O with phase-shift-equivalent unitary transformation

$$V = \sum_{\Gamma, \Gamma'} \sum_{n=0}^{N_{\Gamma}} \sum_{n'=0}^{N_{\Gamma'}} |n, \Gamma\rangle V_{n, n'}^{\Gamma, \Gamma'} \langle n', \Gamma'|$$

- Small matrix of the NN int. in the oscillator basis
- High quality description of NN potential thru. p-shell nuclei
 - > Reproduce the phase shift, deuteron properties, & B.E.s of some light nuclei
 - > In this sense, JISP16 is the “bare” interaction
- JISP16 NN int. seems to minimize 3N (many-body) int.

➔ realistic large-scale computation of nuclear structures w/o genuine 3N force

References

JISP16: A. M. Shirokov, J.P. Vary, A. I. Mazur, T.A. Weber, Phys. Lett. B644, 33 (2007)

NCFC calc of light nuclei w/ JISP16: P. Maris, J.P. Vary, A.M. Shirokov, Phys. Rev. C 79, 014308 (2009) 9

Monte Carlo shell model (MCSM)

- Importance truncation

Standard shell model

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} * & * & * & * & * & \dots \\ * & * & * & * & & \\ * & * & * & & & \\ * & * & & \ddots & & \\ * & & & & & \\ \vdots & & & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

All Slater determinants

Monte Carlo shell model

$$H \sim \begin{pmatrix} * & * & \dots \\ * & \ddots & \\ \vdots & & \end{pmatrix}$$

Important bases stochastically selected

$$|\psi(\sigma)\rangle = \prod e^{\Delta\beta h(\sigma)} |\phi\rangle$$

$$|\phi\rangle = \prod_{\alpha=1}^N \left(\sum_{i=1}^{N_{sp}} c_i^\dagger D_{i\alpha} \right) |-\rangle$$

Diagonalization

$$\begin{pmatrix} E_0 & & & & & \mathbf{0} \\ & E_1 & & & & \\ & & E_2 & & & \\ & & & \ddots & & \\ \mathbf{0} & & & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{d_{MCSM}} c_i P^{J,\Pi} |\psi_i(\sigma)\rangle$$

Diagonalization

$$\begin{pmatrix} E'_0 & & \mathbf{0} \\ & E'_1 & \\ \mathbf{0} & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

$d_{MCSM} \sim O(10-100)$

New MCSM code

Original MCSM code

since 1995 for conventional large-scale shell-model calc. Useful even nowadays, but ...

- Fortran 77
- PVM (less popular now)
- Isospin-conserving interaction only
- Developed on Alpha chip



difficult to run it on state-of-the-art supercomputers with minor modification

New MCSM code since 2010

written from scratch

- Not only for shell-model calc. with core, but also for no-core calc.
- Fortran 95
- MPI (+OpenMP hybrid parallel)
- Isospin-breaking interaction
- Developed on Intel chip
- **New algorithm to evaluate Hamiltonian matrix elements in Slater det. Basis**
- Improved sampling algorithm
- **Extrapolation by energy variance**

Recent developments in MCSM

- Acceleration of the computation of two-body matrix elements

$$\langle \phi | \hat{V} | \phi' \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,k} \rho_{ki} \left(\sum_{j,l} v_{ijkl} \rho_{lj} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(ki)} \rho_{(ki)} \left(\sum_{jl} v_{(ki),(lj)} \rho_{(lj)} \right)$$

Matrix product is performed by DGEMM subroutine in BLAS library

800 % performance improvement from the original MCSM code

- Extrapolation method by the energy variance

$$\langle H \rangle = E_0 + E_1 \langle \Delta H^2 \rangle + E_2 \langle \Delta H^2 \rangle^2 + \dots \quad \langle \Delta H^2 \rangle = \langle H^2 \rangle - \langle H \rangle^2$$

$$\frac{\langle \phi | \hat{H}^2 | \psi \rangle}{\langle \phi | \psi \rangle} = \sum_{i < j, \alpha < \beta} \left(\sum_{k < l} v_{ijkl} ((1 - \rho)_{k\alpha} (1 - \rho)_{l\beta} - (1 - \rho)_{l\alpha} (1 - \rho)_{k\beta}) \right) \left(\sum_{\gamma < \delta} v_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} (\rho_{\gamma i} \rho_{\delta j} - \rho_{\delta i} \rho_{\gamma j}) \right) \\ + \text{Tr}((t + \Gamma)(1 - \rho)(t + \Gamma)\rho) + \left(\text{Tr}(\rho(t + \frac{1}{2}\Gamma)) \right)^2$$

(naively) 8-fold loops -> (effectively) 6-fold loops by the factorization

Acceleration of TBMEs Computation

New algorithm for the MCSM code

Hot spot: compute the matrix element of two-body interaction

between two deformed Slater determinants, $|\phi\rangle = \prod_{\alpha=1}^N \left(\sum_{i=1}^{N_{sp}} c_i^\dagger D_{i\alpha} \right) |-\rangle$

sparse two-body matrix elements in m -scheme

$$\langle \phi | \hat{V} | \phi' \rangle = \sum_{i < j, k < l} v_{ijkl} \langle \phi | c_i^\dagger c_j^\dagger c_l c_k | \phi' \rangle$$

$$= \sum_{i < j, k < l} v_{ijkl} (\rho_{ki} \rho_{lj} - \rho_{kj} \rho_{li}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,k} \rho_{ki} \left(\sum_{j,l} v_{ijkl} \rho_{lj} \right)$$

real, block diagonal
complex

Original code:

```
do n=1,nmax
  i = ind(1,n)
  j = ind(2,n)
  k = ind(3,n)
  l = ind(4,n)
  x = x + v(n)*(rho(k,i)*rho(l,j)-rho(k,j)*rho(l,i))
end do
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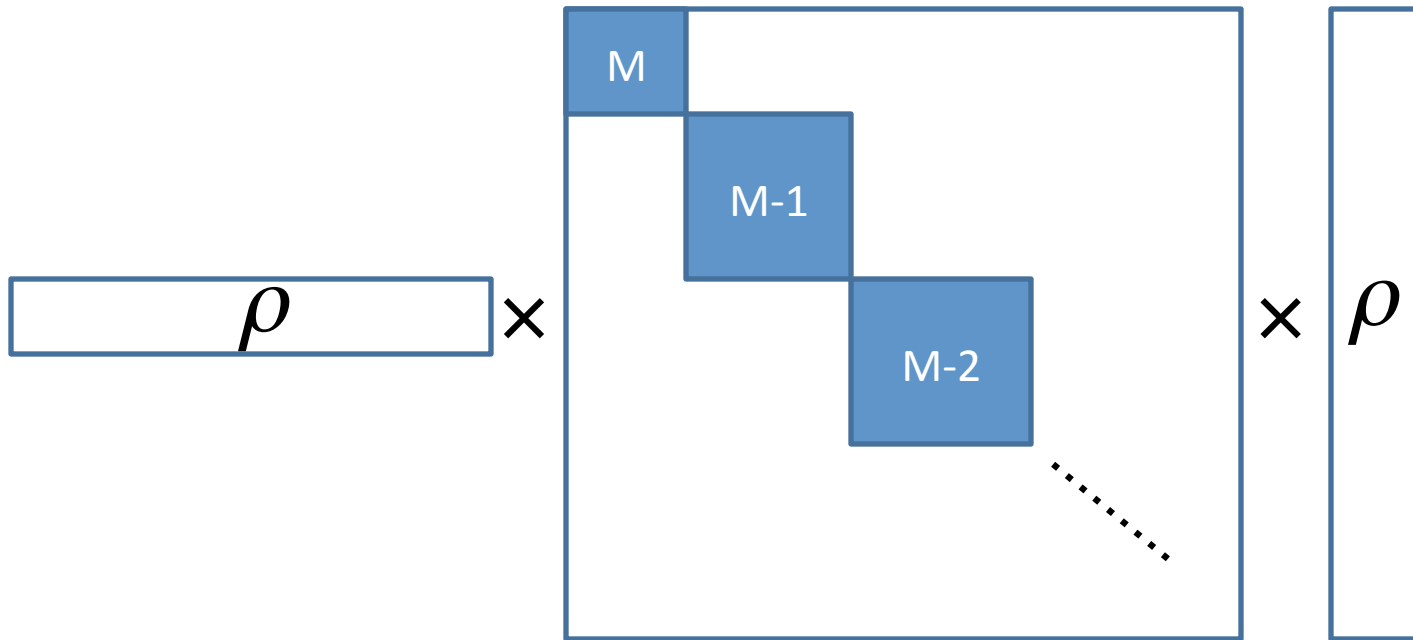
New code (concept):

```
do ki=1,ijmax
  y = 0.
  do jl=1,jlmax
    y = y + v(ki, jl) * rho(jl)
  end do
  x = x + rho(ki) * y
end do
```

(Matrix) x (Vector)

$$\langle \phi | \hat{V} | \phi' \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,k} \rho_{ki} \left(\sum_{j,l} v_{ijkl} \rho_{lj} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(ki)} \rho_{(ki)} \left(\sum_{jl} v_{(ki),(lj)} \rho_{(lj)} \right)$$

$M = m_k - m_i$



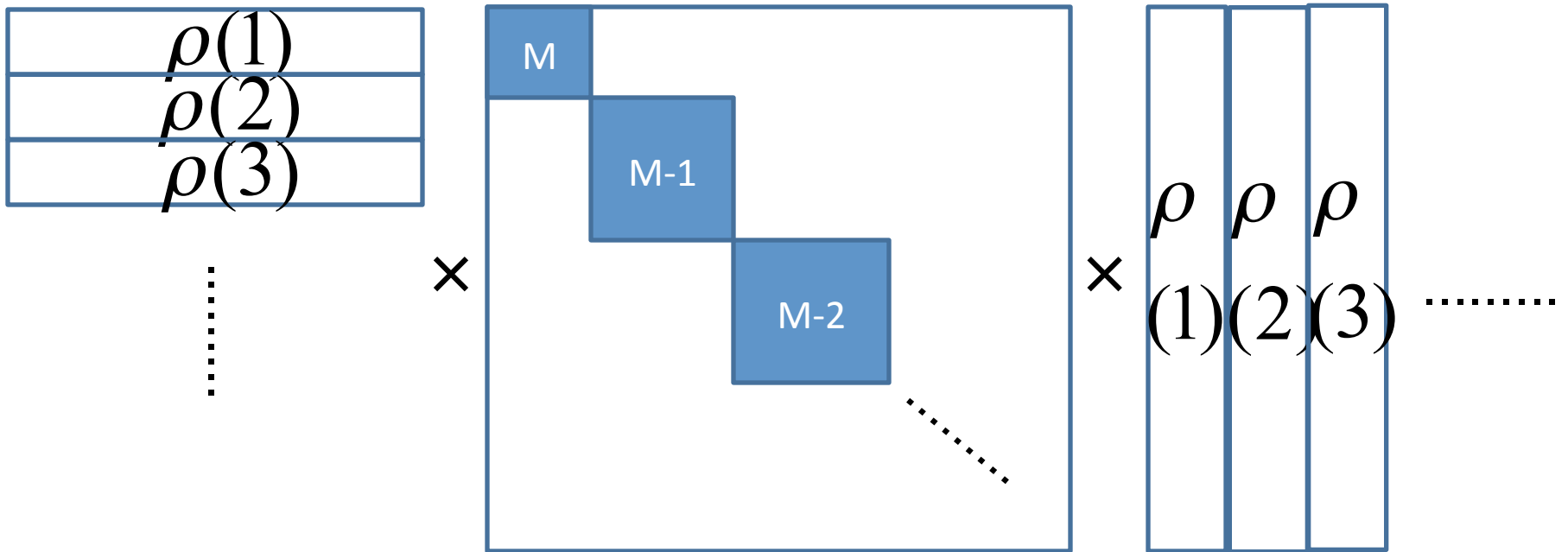
$v_{i,j,k,l} = v_{(ki),(lj)}$ is block diagonal thanks to the symmetries of J_z , parity, and isospin

Non-zero matrix elements: $j_z(i) + j_z(j) = j_z(k) + j_z(l) \rightarrow j_z(j) - j_z(k) = -(j_z(j) - j_z(l))$

(Matrix) x (Matrix)

$$\langle \phi | \hat{V} | \phi' \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,k} \rho_{ki} \left(\sum_{j,l} v_{ijkl} \rho_{lj} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(ki)} \rho_{(ki)} \left(\sum_{jl} v_{(ki),(lj)} \rho_{(lj)} \right)$$

$M = m_k - m_i$



Matrix product is performed by DGEMM subroutine in BLAS library

DGEMM/BLAS is always highly tuned for TOP500 list

Energy-variance Extrapolation

Obstacle: computation time

The expectation value of general four-body operator in deformed Slater determinants is obtained by Wick's theorem :

$$\hat{V} = \sum_{i < j, k < l} v_{ijkl} c_i^\dagger c_j^\dagger c_l c_k \quad \rho_{ij} = \frac{\langle \phi | c_j^\dagger c_i | \phi' \rangle}{\langle \phi | \phi' \rangle}$$

$$\frac{\langle \phi | \hat{V}^2 | \phi' \rangle}{\langle \phi | \phi' \rangle} = \frac{1}{16} \sum_{ijkl\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \bar{v}_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$$

$$\left(\begin{aligned} & ((1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{\gamma i}\rho_{\delta j} - (1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{\gamma j}\rho_{\delta i} \\ & - (1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{\gamma i}\rho_{\delta j} + (1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{\gamma j}\rho_{\delta i} \\ & + \rho_{\gamma\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{ki}\rho_{\delta j} - \rho_{\gamma\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{li}\rho_{\delta j} \\ & - \rho_{\gamma\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{kj}\rho_{\delta i} + \rho_{\gamma\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\delta i} \\ & - \rho_{\delta\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{ki}\rho_{\gamma j} + \rho_{\delta\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{li}\rho_{\gamma j} \\ & + \rho_{\delta\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{l\beta}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\gamma i} - \rho_{\delta\alpha}(1 - \rho)_{k\beta}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\gamma i} \\ & - \rho_{\gamma\beta}(1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}\rho_{ki}\rho_{\delta j} + \rho_{\gamma\beta}(1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}\rho_{li}\rho_{\delta j} \\ & + \rho_{\gamma\beta}(1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}\rho_{kj}\rho_{\delta i} - \rho_{\gamma\beta}(1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\delta i} \\ & + \rho_{\delta\beta}(1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}\rho_{ki}\rho_{\gamma j} - \rho_{\delta\beta}(1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}\rho_{li}\rho_{\gamma j} \\ & - \rho_{\delta\beta}(1 - \rho)_{l\alpha}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\gamma i} + \rho_{\delta\beta}(1 - \rho)_{k\alpha}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\gamma i} \\ & + \rho_{ki}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\gamma\alpha}\rho_{\delta\beta} - \rho_{ki}\rho_{lj}\rho_{\delta\alpha}\rho_{\gamma\beta} - \rho_{li}\rho_{kj}\rho_{\gamma\alpha}\rho_{\delta\beta} + \rho_{li}\rho_{kj}\rho_{\delta\alpha}\rho_{\gamma\beta} \end{aligned} \right)^{18}$$

Factorization

- Extrapolation method by the energy variance

$$\langle H \rangle = E_0 + E_1 \langle \Delta H^2 \rangle + E_2 \langle \Delta H^2 \rangle^2 + \dots$$

$$\langle \Delta H^2 \rangle = \langle H^2 \rangle - \langle H \rangle^2$$

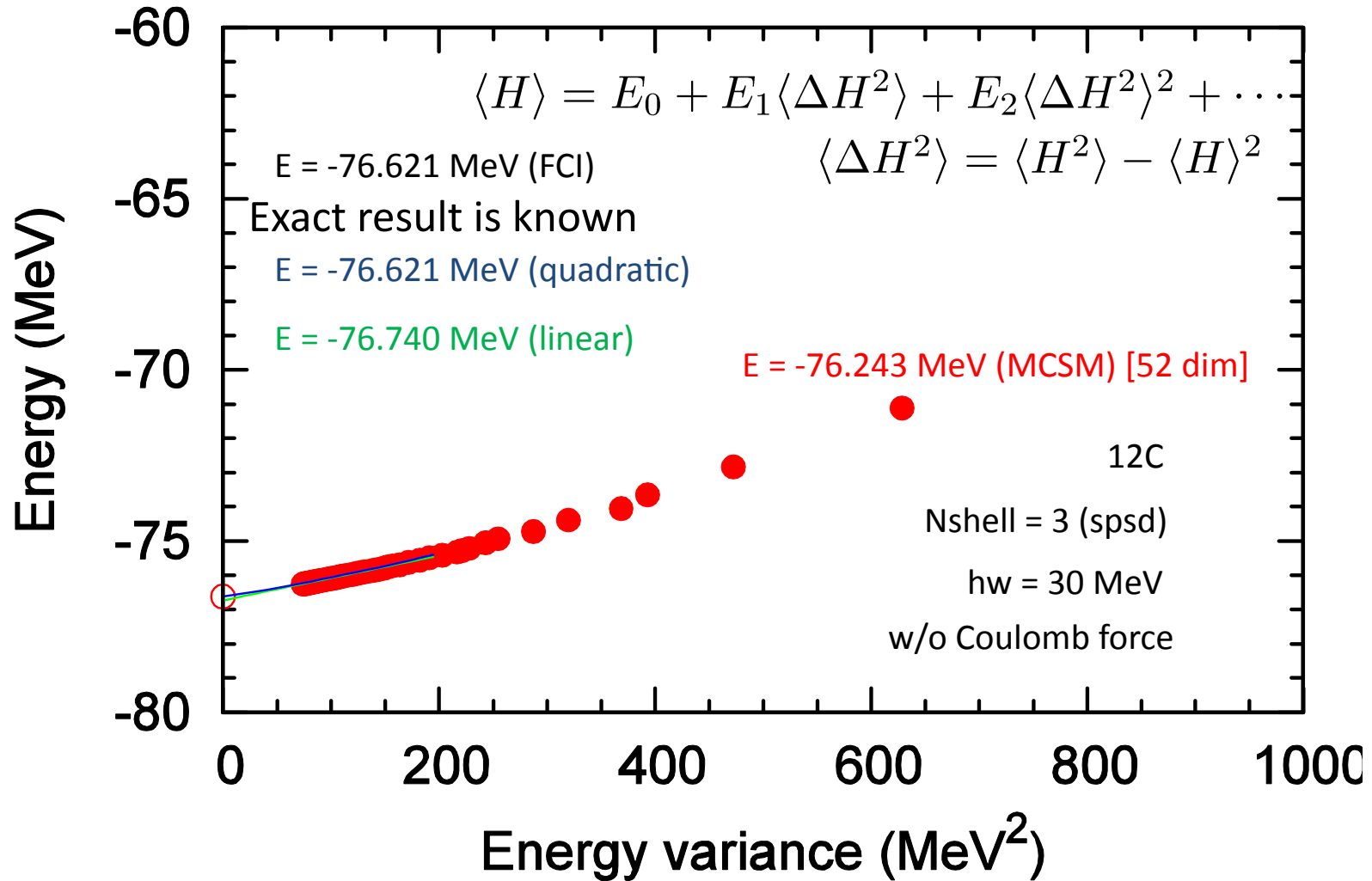
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$$\Gamma_{ik} = \sum_{jl} v_{ijkl} \rho_{lj}$$

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Extrapolation of B.E.s of ^{12}C

$$D_j = 2,936,582 = 2.9 \times 10^6$$



Benchmark Results

What we have calculated as Benchmark

- Nuclei (JP): s- & p-shell nuclei

- 4He(0+)

- 6He(0+)

- 6Li(1+)

- 7Li(1/2-, 3/2-)

- 8Be(0+)

- 10B(1+, 3+)

- 12C(0+)

- Observables

- BE

- Point-particle RMS radius

- Q-moment

- μ -moment

Model space: Nshell = 2, 3, 4

NN Interaction: JISP16

w/o Coulomb

w/o Gloeckner-Lawson prescription

MCSM: Abe, Otsuka, Shimizu, Utsuno (Tokyo)

T2K (Tokyo, Tsukuba), BX900 (JAEA)

FCI: Maris, Vary (Iowa)

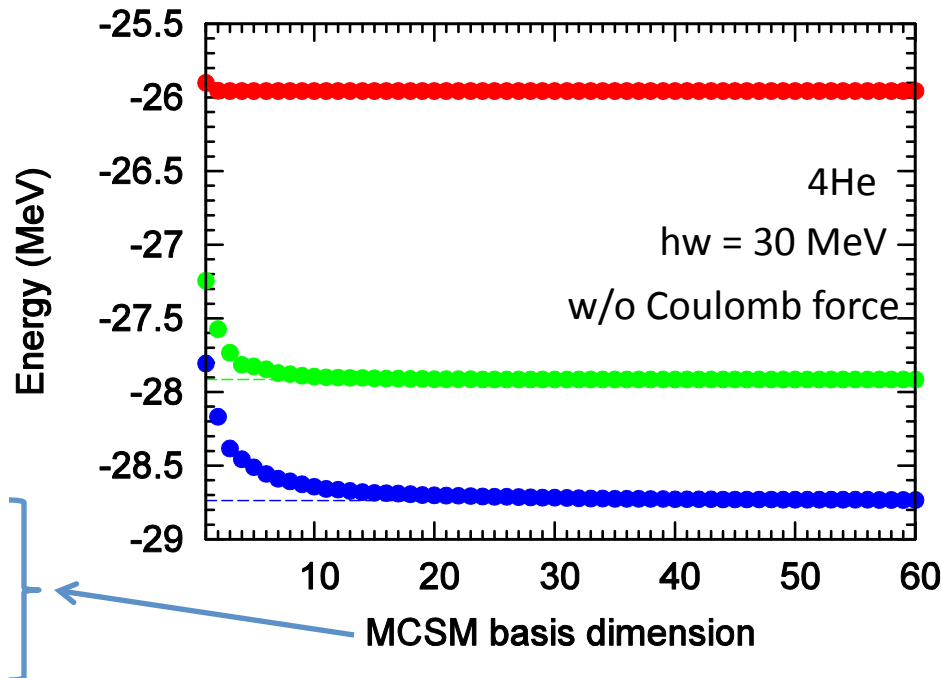
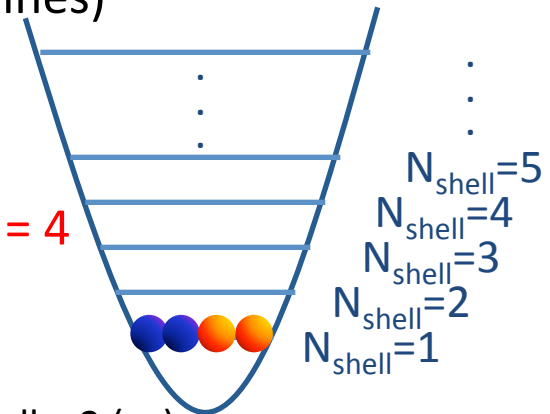
Jaguar, Franklin (NERSC, DOE)

Convergence pattern of the 4He B.E.s w.r.t. MCSM basis dimension

- Comparison of MCSM (solid symbols) w/ FCI (dashed lines)
@ Nshell = 2 (sp), 3 (spsd), & 4 (spsdpf)

Good agreement w/ FCI within a few keV up to Nshell = 4

$$H = H_{int} + \beta H_{cm}, (\beta = 0)$$



Nshell = 2 (sp)
-25.956 MeV (MCSM)
-25.956 MeV (FCI)

Nshell = 3 (spsd)
-27.914 MeV (MCSM)
-27.914 MeV (FCI)

Nshell = 4 (spsdpf)
-28.733 MeV (MCSM)
-28.738 MeV (FCI)

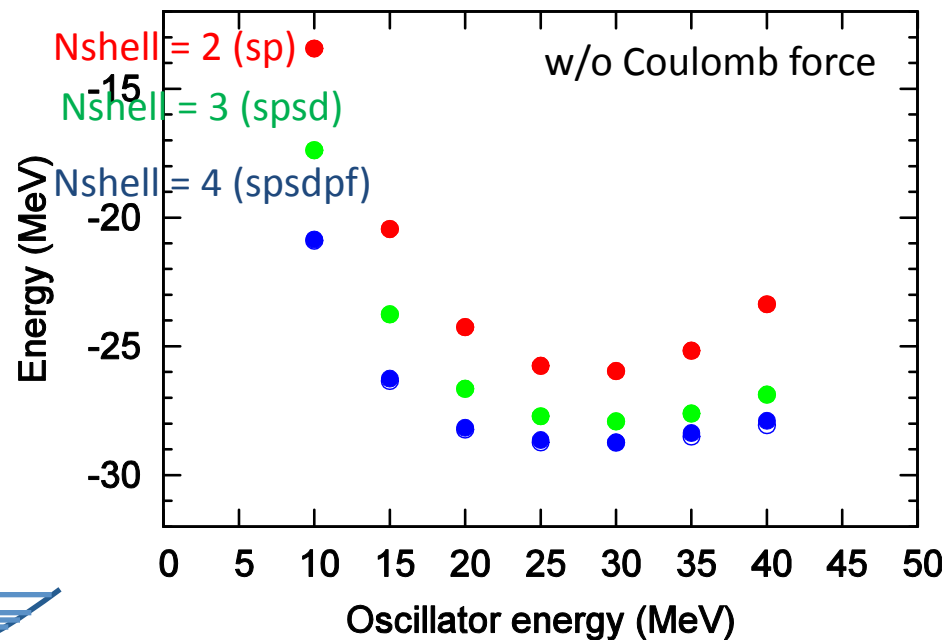
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MCSM basis dimension

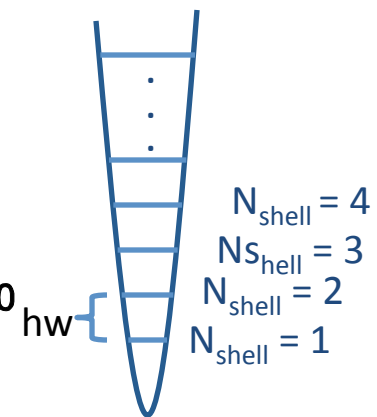
hw dependence of 4He B.E.s

- Comparison of **MCSM** (solid symbols) w/ **FCI** (open symbols) @ $N_{\text{shell}} = 2$ (sp), 3 (spsd), & 4 (spsdpf)

Good agreement w/ FCI results within a few keV

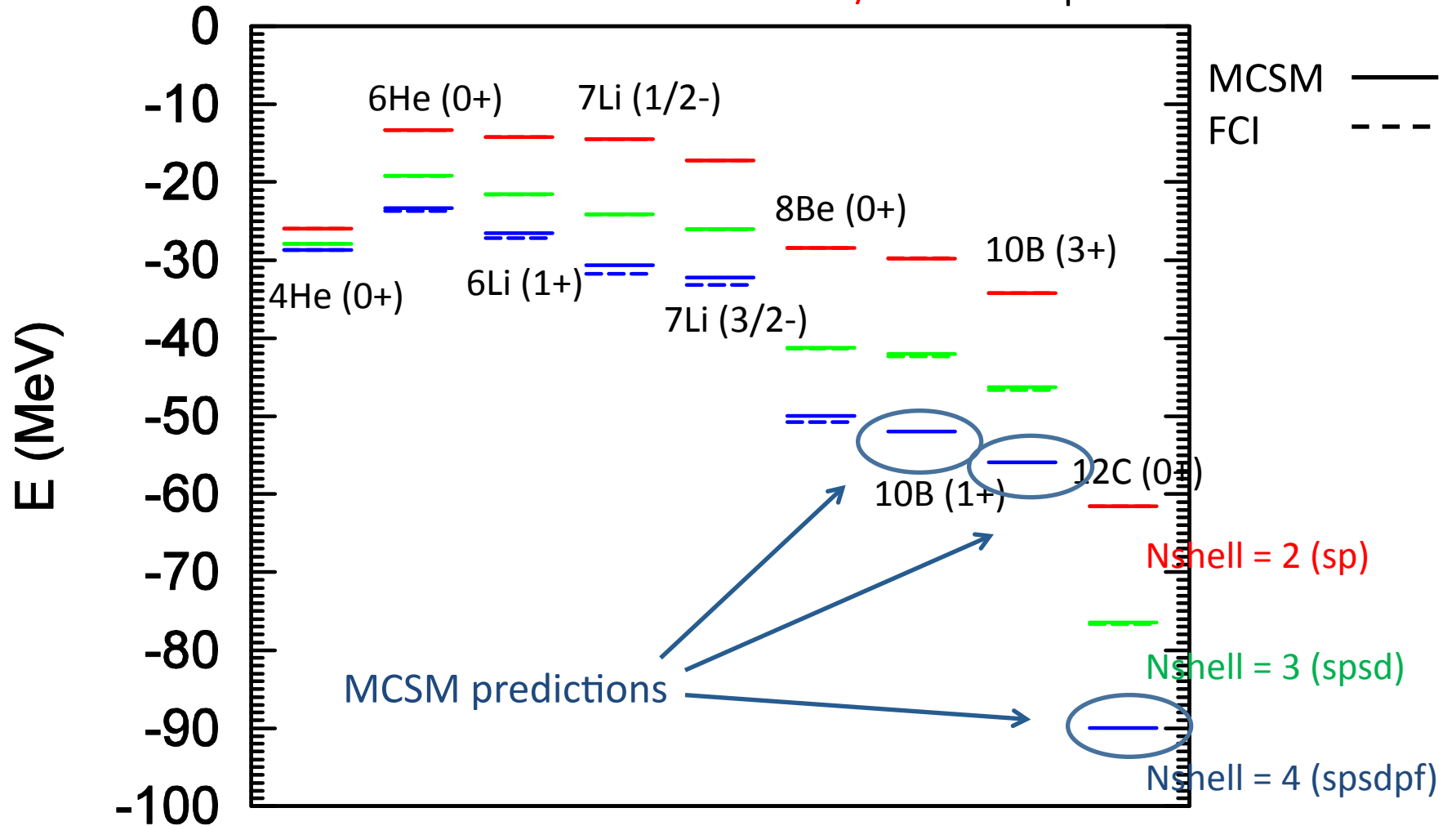


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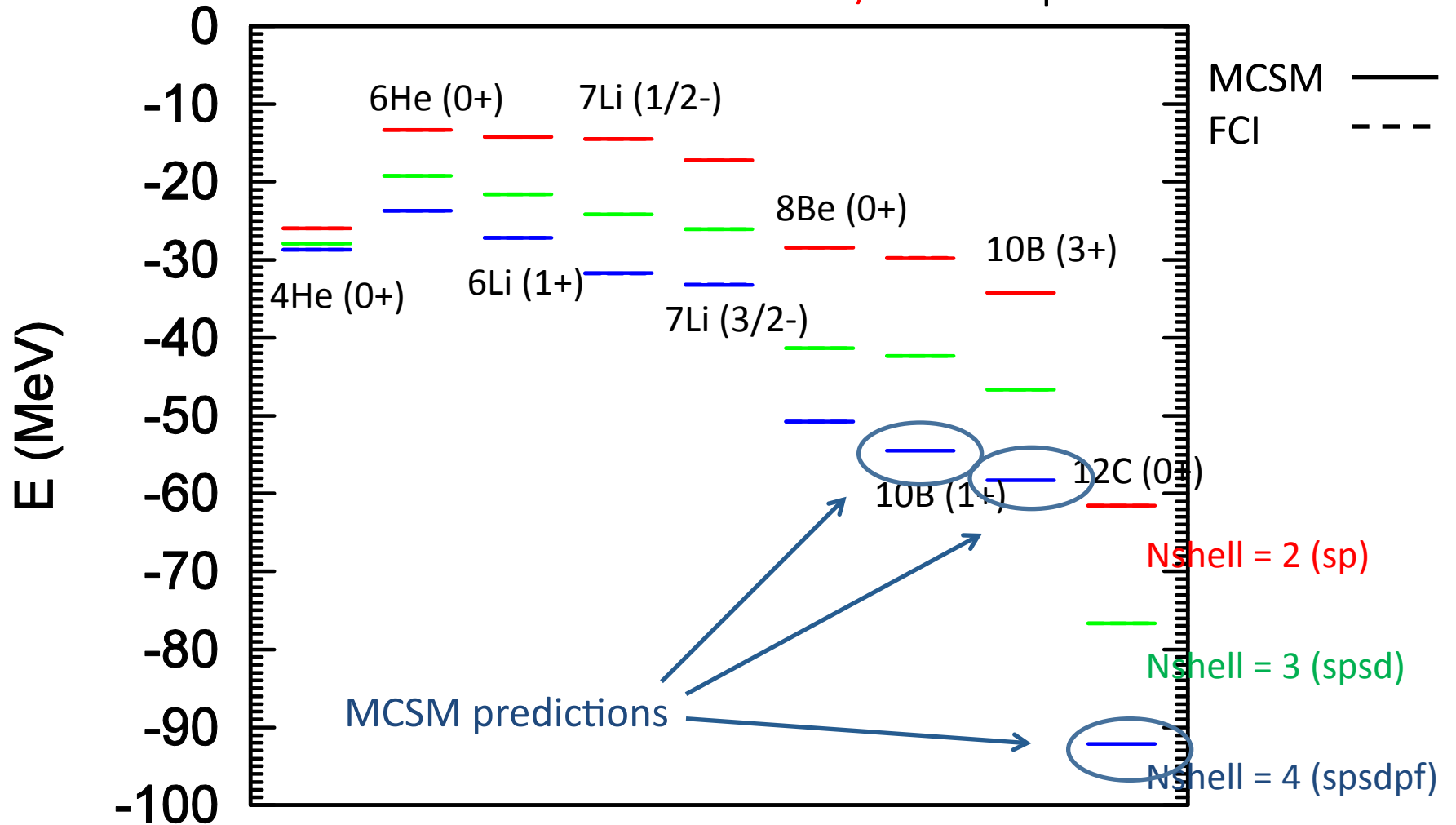
Binding Energy of Light Nuclei

w/o the extrapolation method



Binding Energy of Light Nuclei

w/ the extrapolation method

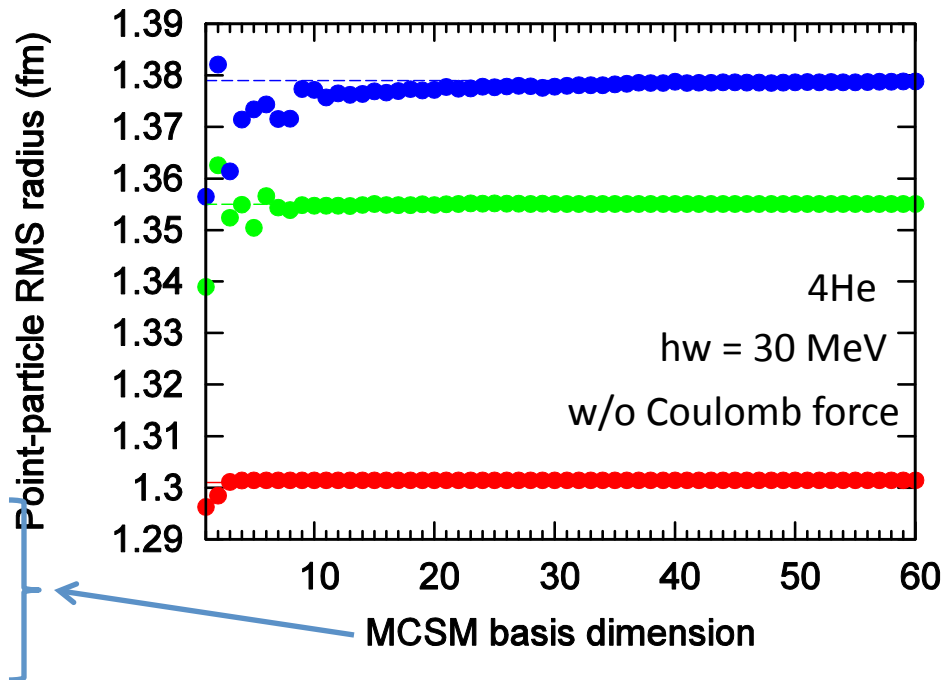
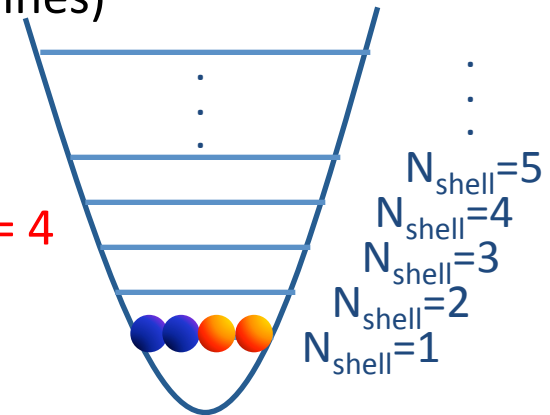


Convergence pattern of the 4He point-particle RMS radius w.r.t. MCSM basis dimension

- Comparison of MCSM (solid symbols) w/ FCI (dashed lines) @ Nshell = 2 (sp), 3 (spsd), & 4 (spsdpf)

Good agreement w/ FCI within 0.001 fm up to Nshell = 4

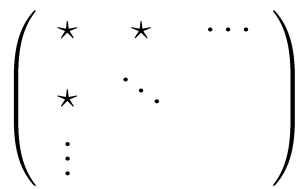
$$H = H_{int} + \beta H_{cm}, (\beta = 0)$$



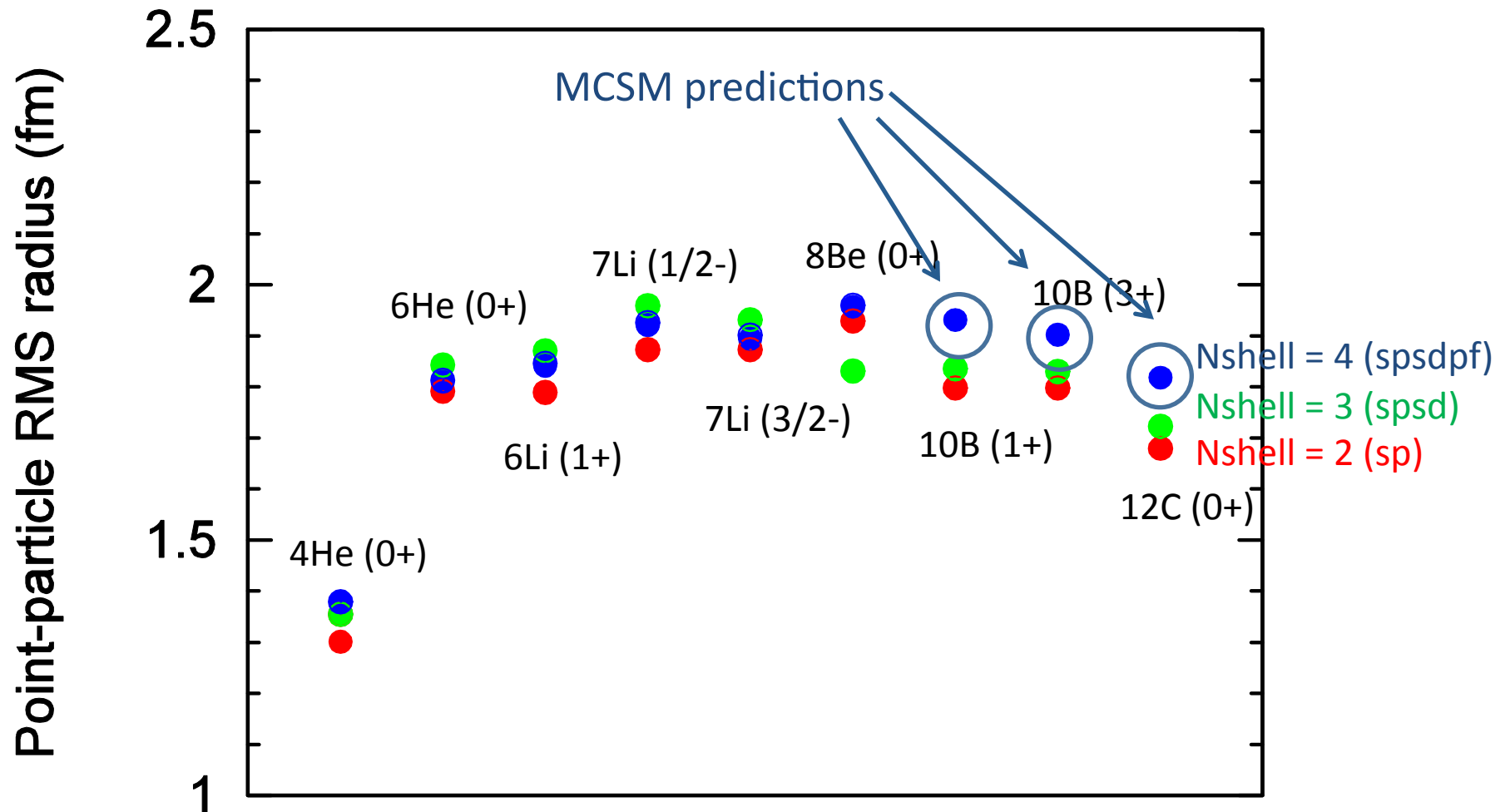
Nshell = 4 (spsdpf)
 1.379 fm (MCSM)
 1.379 fm (FCI)

Nshell = 3 (spsd)
 1.355 fm (MCSM)
 1.355 fm (FCI)

Nshell = 2 (sp)
 1.301 fm (MCSM)
 1.301 fm (FCI)



Point-particle RMS Radius of Light Nuclei



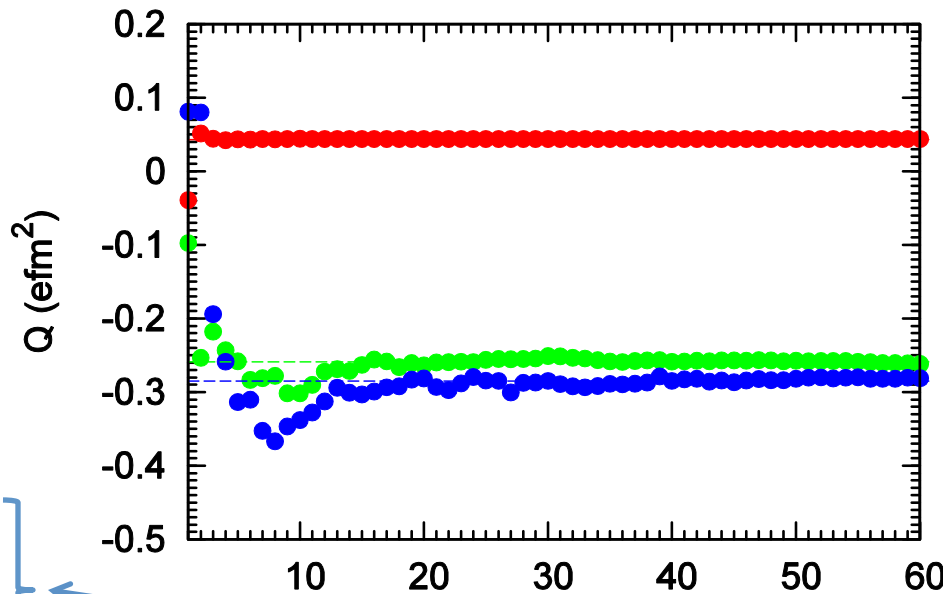
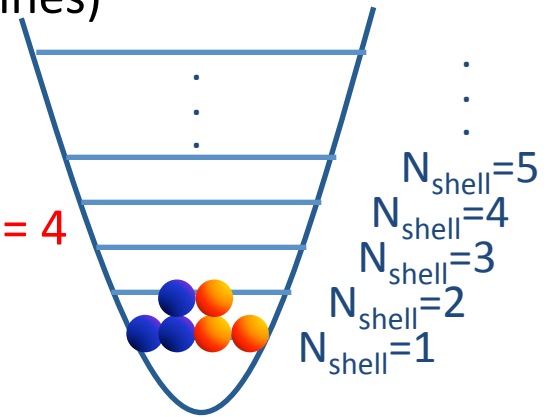
Convergence pattern of the 6Li Q-moment w.r.t. MCSM basis dimension

- Comparison of MCSM (solid symbols) w/ FCI (dashed lines) @ Nshell = 2 (sp), 3 (spsd), & 4 (spsdpf)

Good agreement w/ FCI within 0.01 efm² up to Nshell = 4

$$H = H_{int} + \beta H_{cm}, (\beta = 0)$$

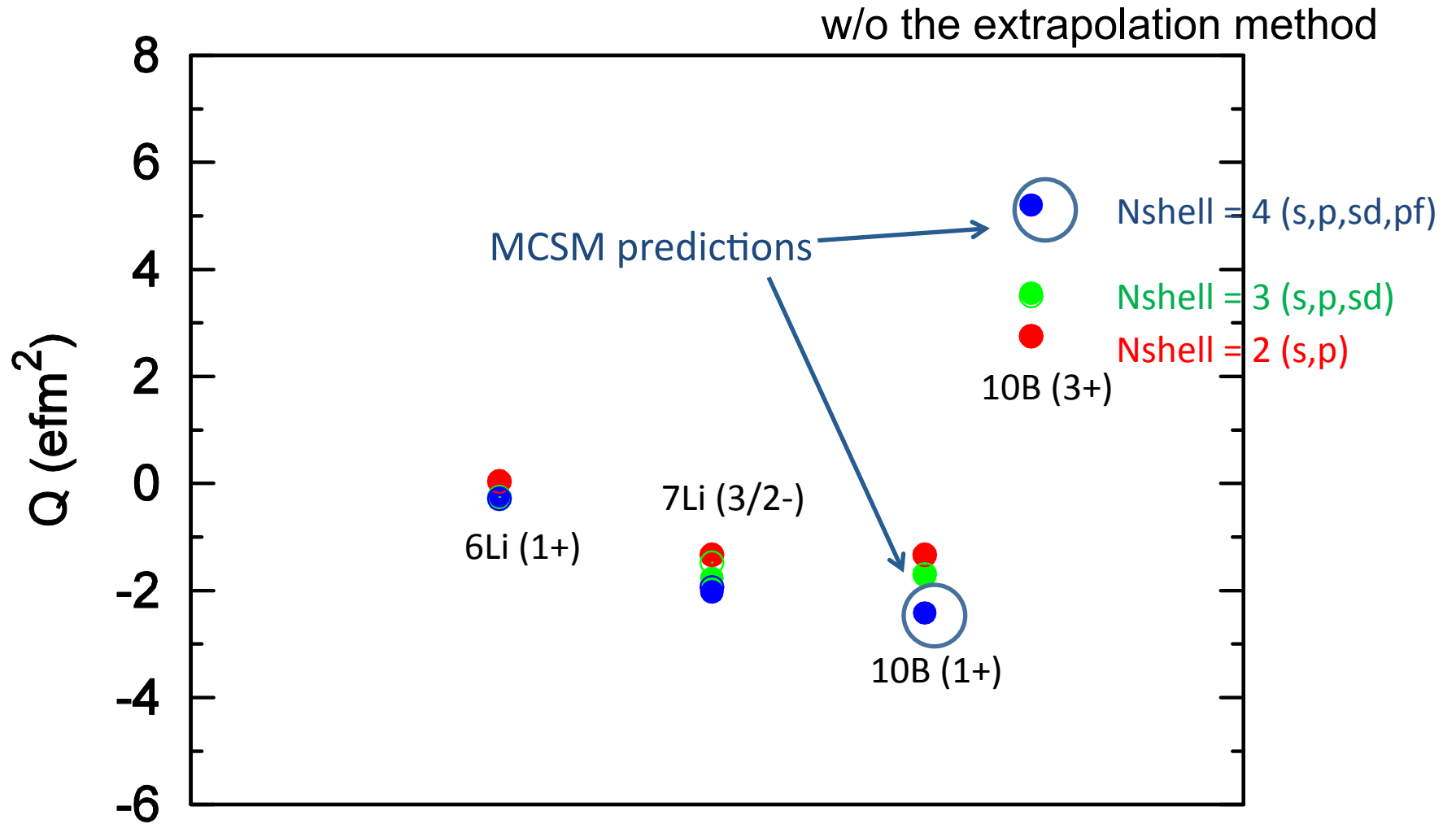
w/o Coulomb force



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MCSM basis dimension

Q-moment of Light Nuclei



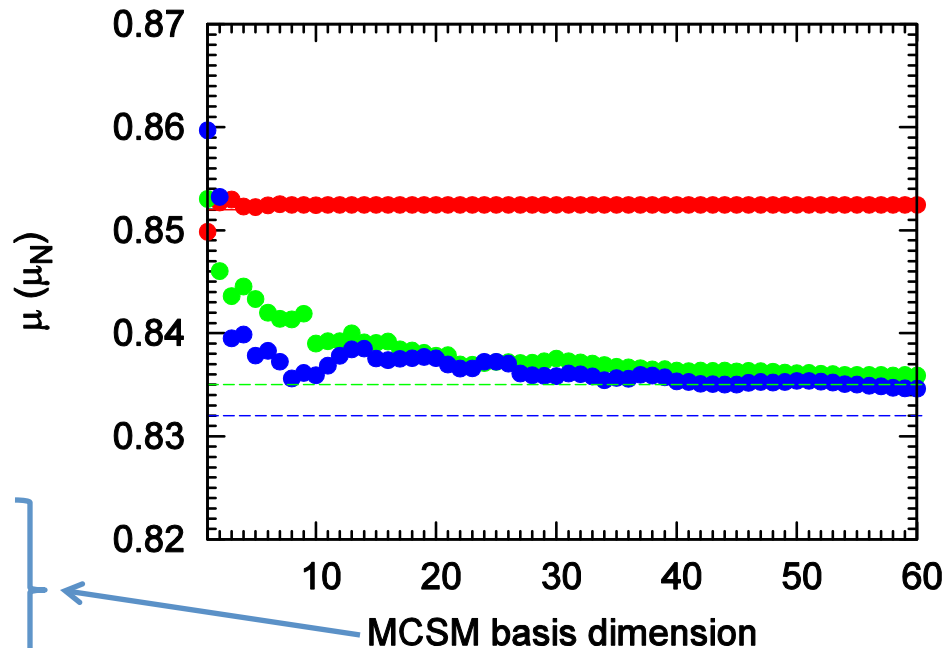
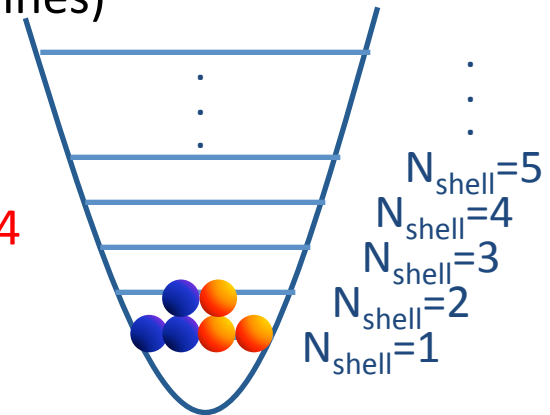
Convergence pattern of the 6Li μ -moment w.r.t. MCSM basis dimension

- Comparison of MCSM (solid symbols) w/ FCI (dashed lines) @ Nshell = 2 (s,p), 3 (s,p,sd), & 4 (s,p,sd,pf)

Good agreement w/ FCI within $0.01 \mu_N$ up to Nshell = 4

$$H = H_{int} + \beta H_{cm}, (\beta = 0)$$

w/o Coulomb force



Nshell = 2 (sp)

0.852 μ_N (MCSM)

0.852 μ_N (FCI)

Nshell = 3 (spsd)

-0.836 μ_N (MCSM)

-0.833 μ_N (FCI)

Nshell = 4 (spsdpf)

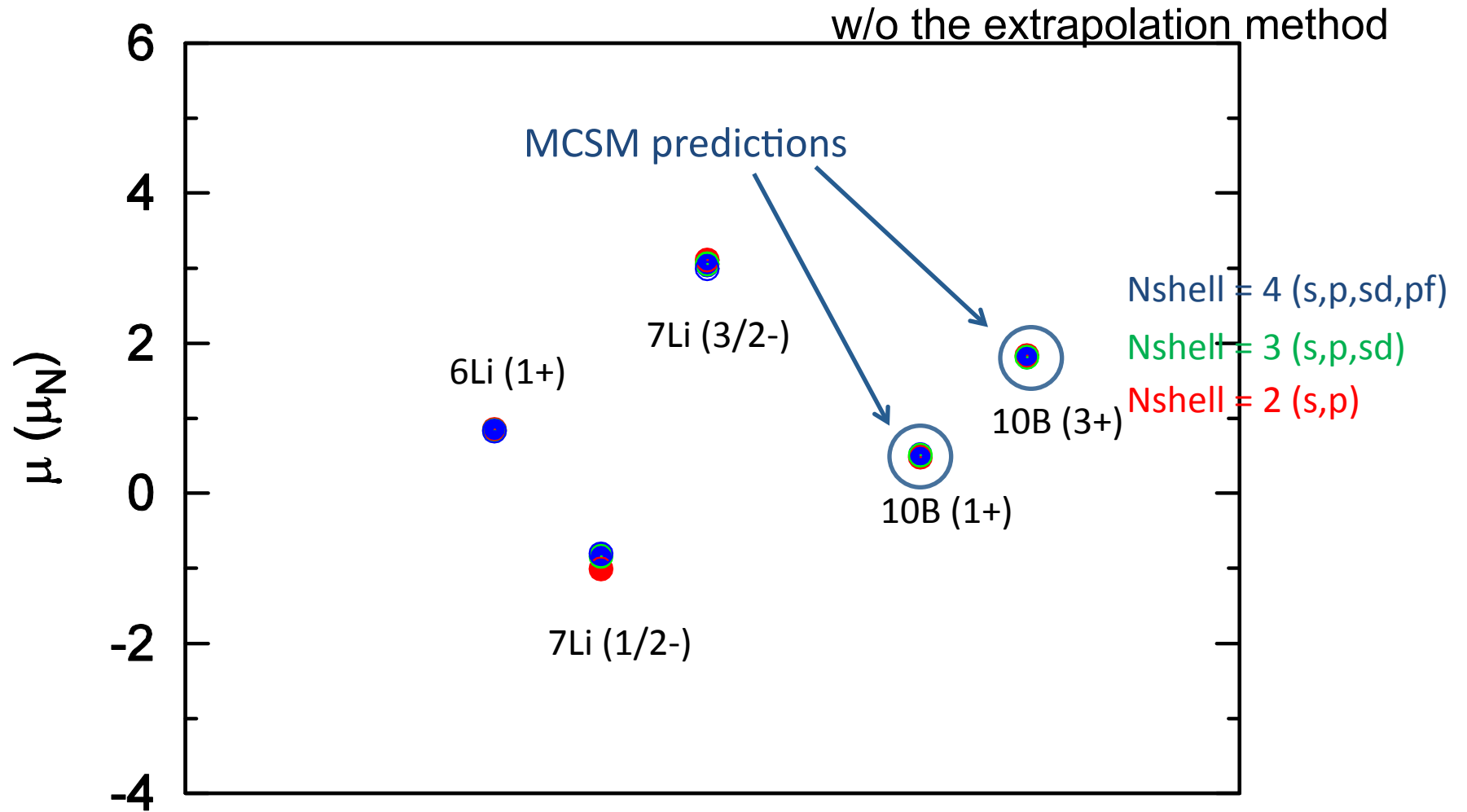
-0.835 μ_N (MCSM)

-0.832 μ_N (FCI)

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MCSM basis dimension

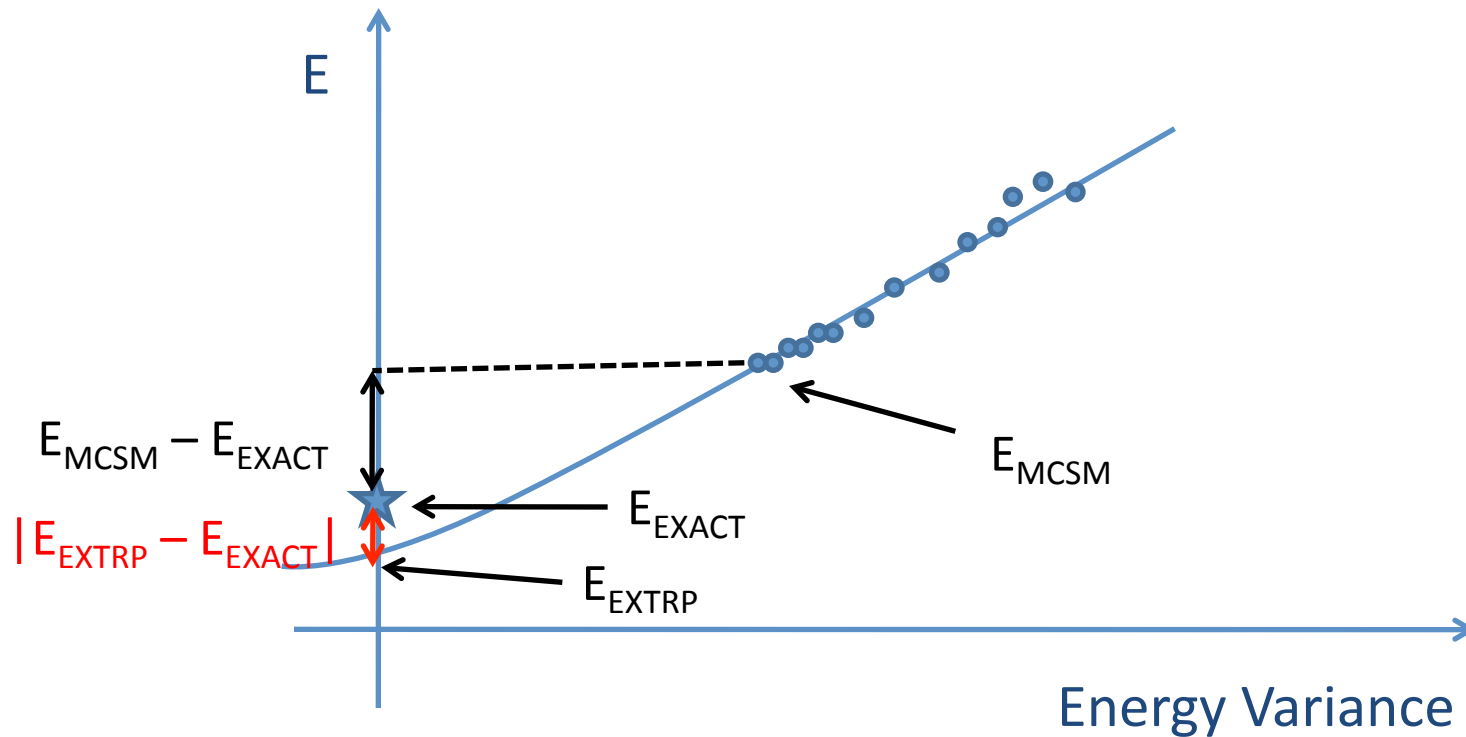
μ -moment of Light Nuclei



Error Assignment of Extrapolation

Error estimate of extrapolation

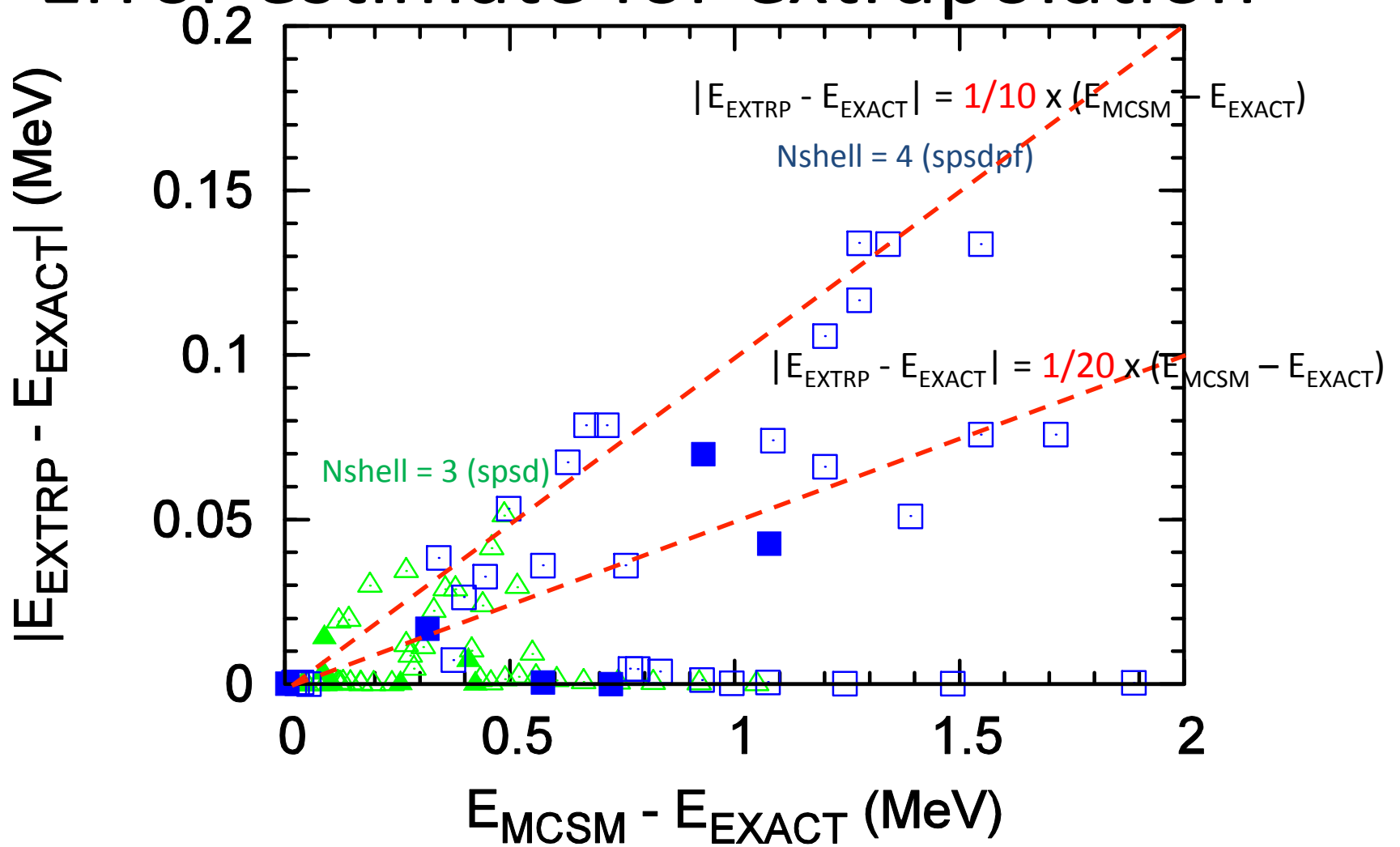
- Rough estimate



- From my experience,

$$|E_{\text{EXTRP}} - E_{\text{EXACT}}| \sim 1/10 - 1/20 \times (E_{\text{MCSM}} - E_{\text{EXACT}})$$

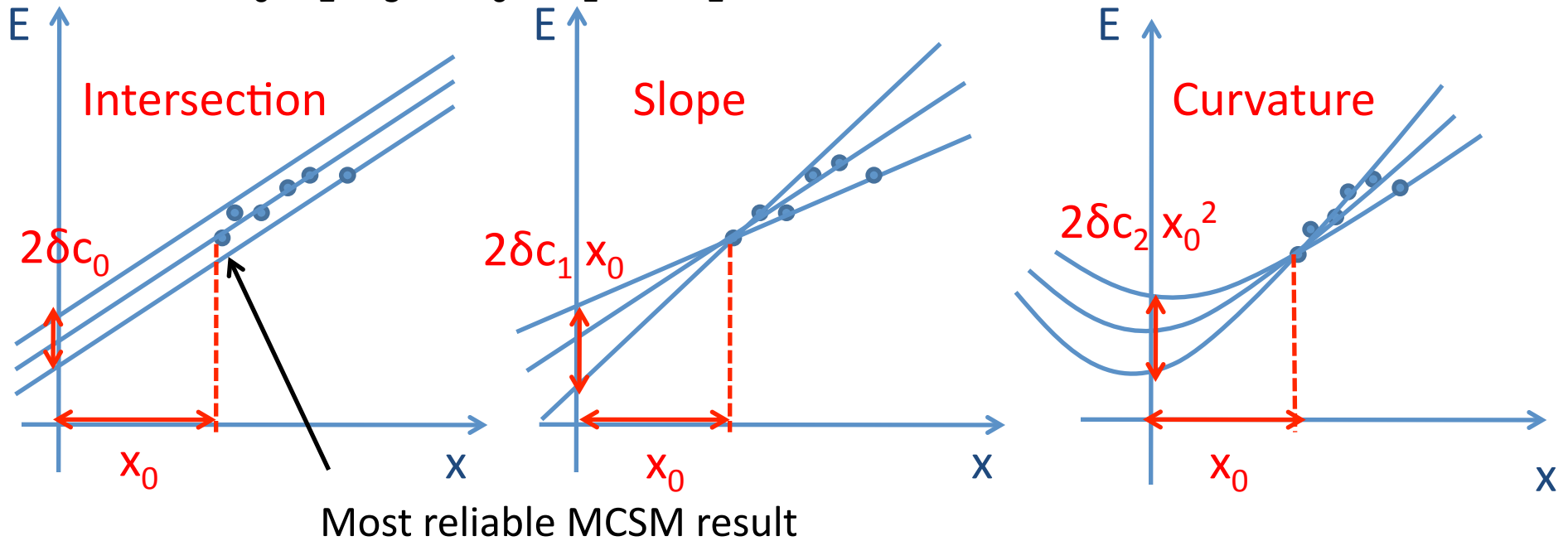
Error estimate for extrapolation



1 σ of the naïve error estimate gives the slope of $1/10 \sim 1/20$

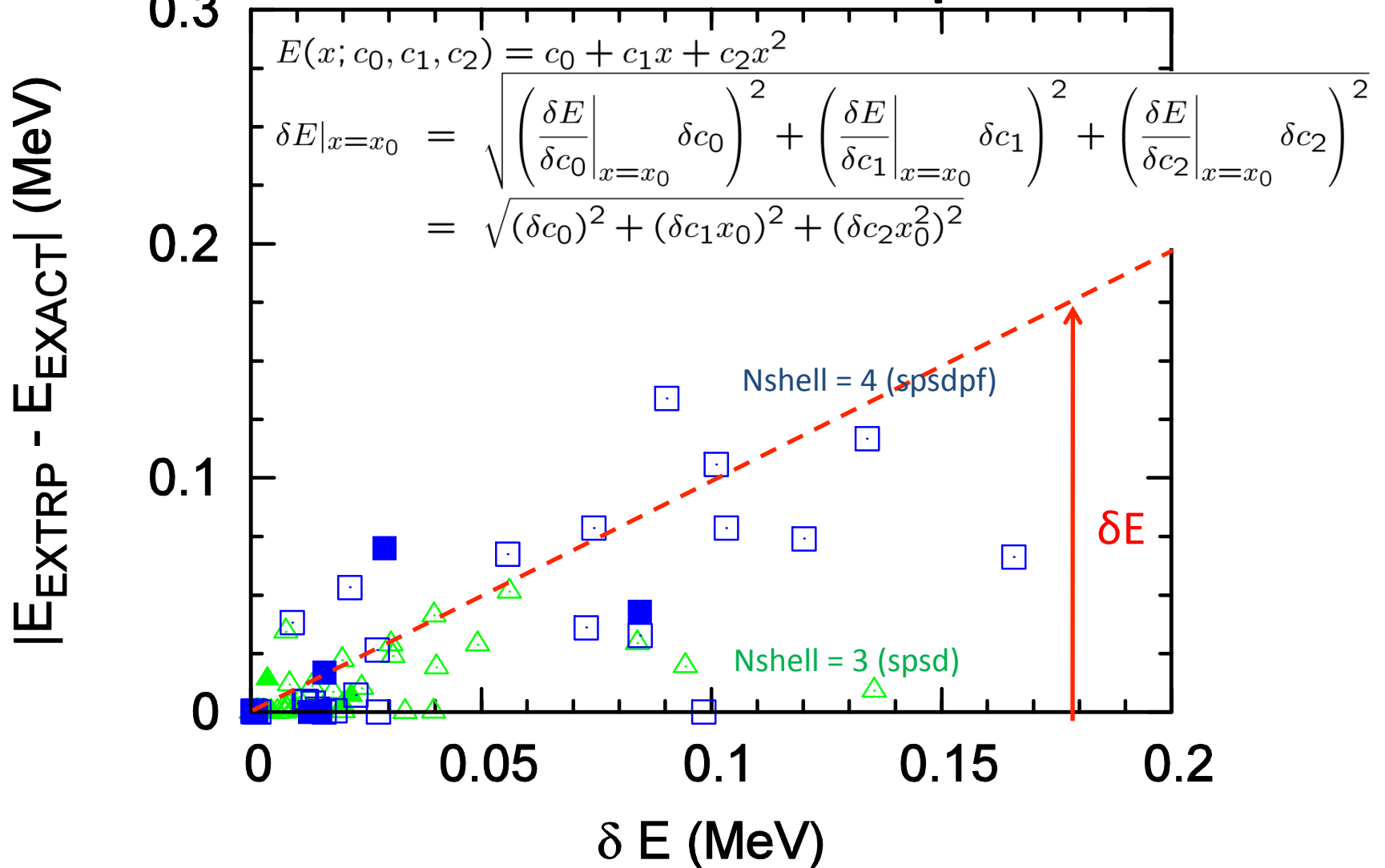
Error estimate of extrapolation

- More precise estimate
- $E(x; c_0, c_2, c_3) = c_0 + c_1 x + c_2 x^2$



- $\delta E = [(\delta c_0)^2 + (\delta c_1 x_0)^2 + (\delta c_2 x_0^2)^2]^{1/2}$

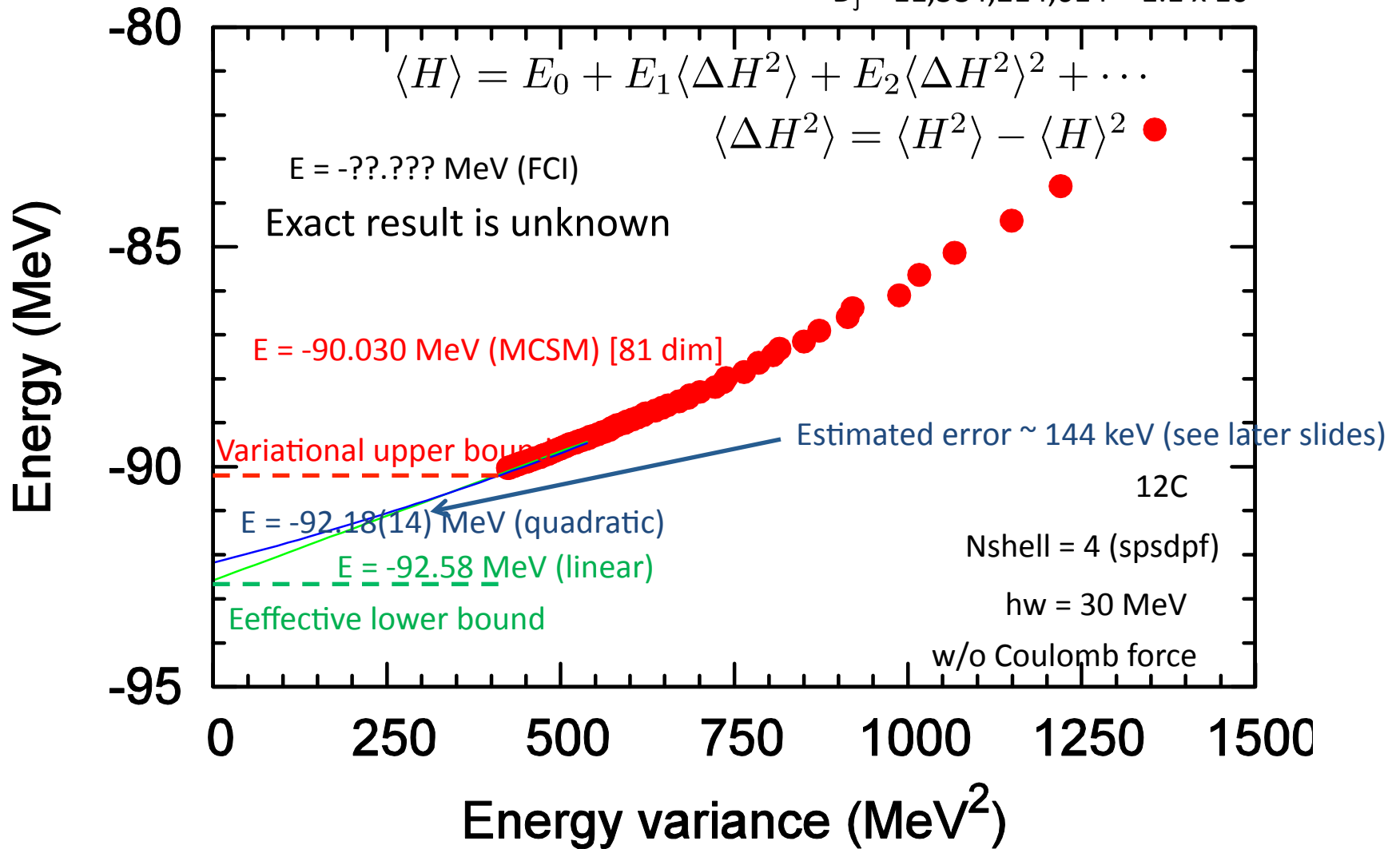
Error estimate for extrapolation



Equation above gives good error estimate of the extrapolation ³⁷

Extrapolation of B.E.s of ^{12}C

$D_j = 11,384,214,614 \sim 1.1 \times 10^{10}$



Summary & Outlook

- Summary
 - Most obs for s- & p-shell nuclei will be able to be reproduced by no-core MCSM calc. w/ JISP16 NN int up to Nshell = 4 (spsdpf) model space by new code & extrapolation method.
- Outlook
 - Check the convergence wrt Nshell
 - Clarify advantages/disadvantages of Nshell truncation to Nmax truncation
 - Do Physics

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