

Lifetime Measurement in $^{103,104}\text{Rh}$ with RDDS Method in Inverse Kinematics: A Test for Nuclear Chirality

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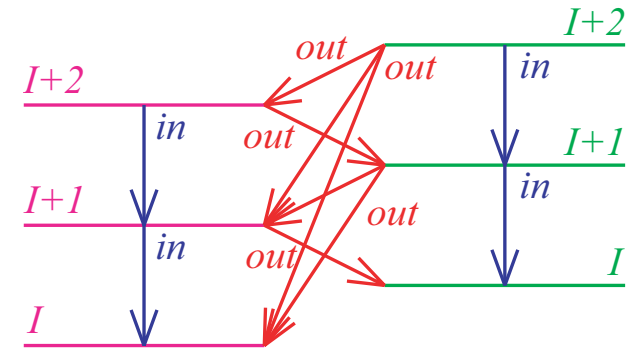
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Introduction

- Criteria for Nuclear Chirality
 - Nearly degenerate $\Delta I = 1$ twin bands with the same parity
 - $B(E2 : I \rightarrow I - 2)_{in,out}$ and $B(M1 : I \rightarrow I - 1)_{in,out}$ values are the same or similar between both bands.



From C.M. Petrache et. al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 96 (2006) 112502

- The Best Configuration for mass 100 region

$$\dots \pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu h_{11/2}$$

- shortest axis of the triaxial shape
 j_n ; neutron-particle in a high- j_n shell
- longest axis of the triaxial shape
 j_p ; proton-hall in a high- j_n shell
- intermediate axis of the triaxial shape
 R ; core rotation

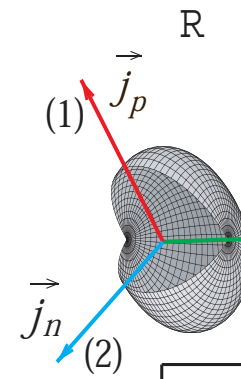
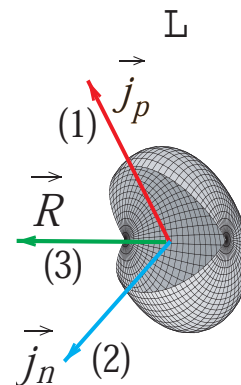
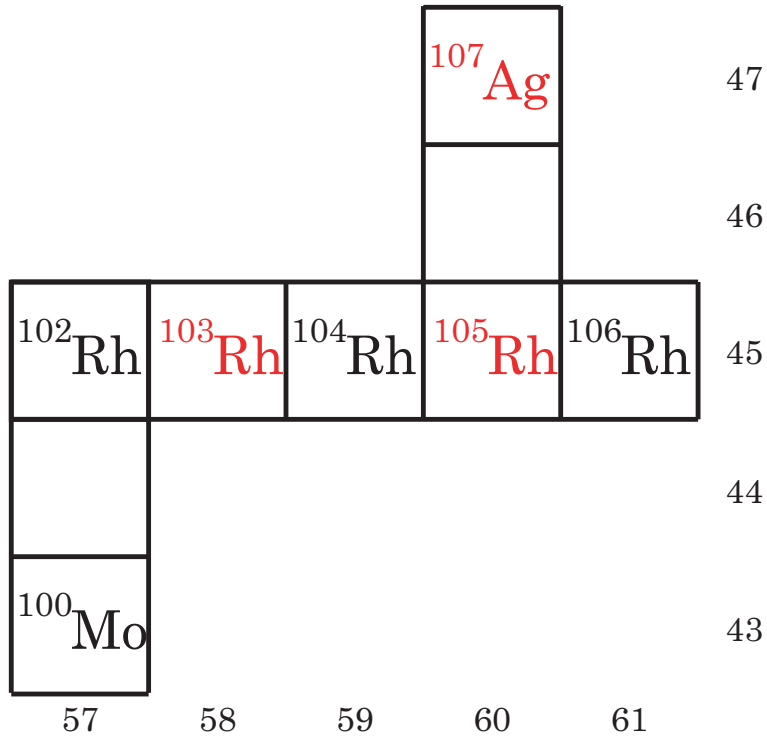


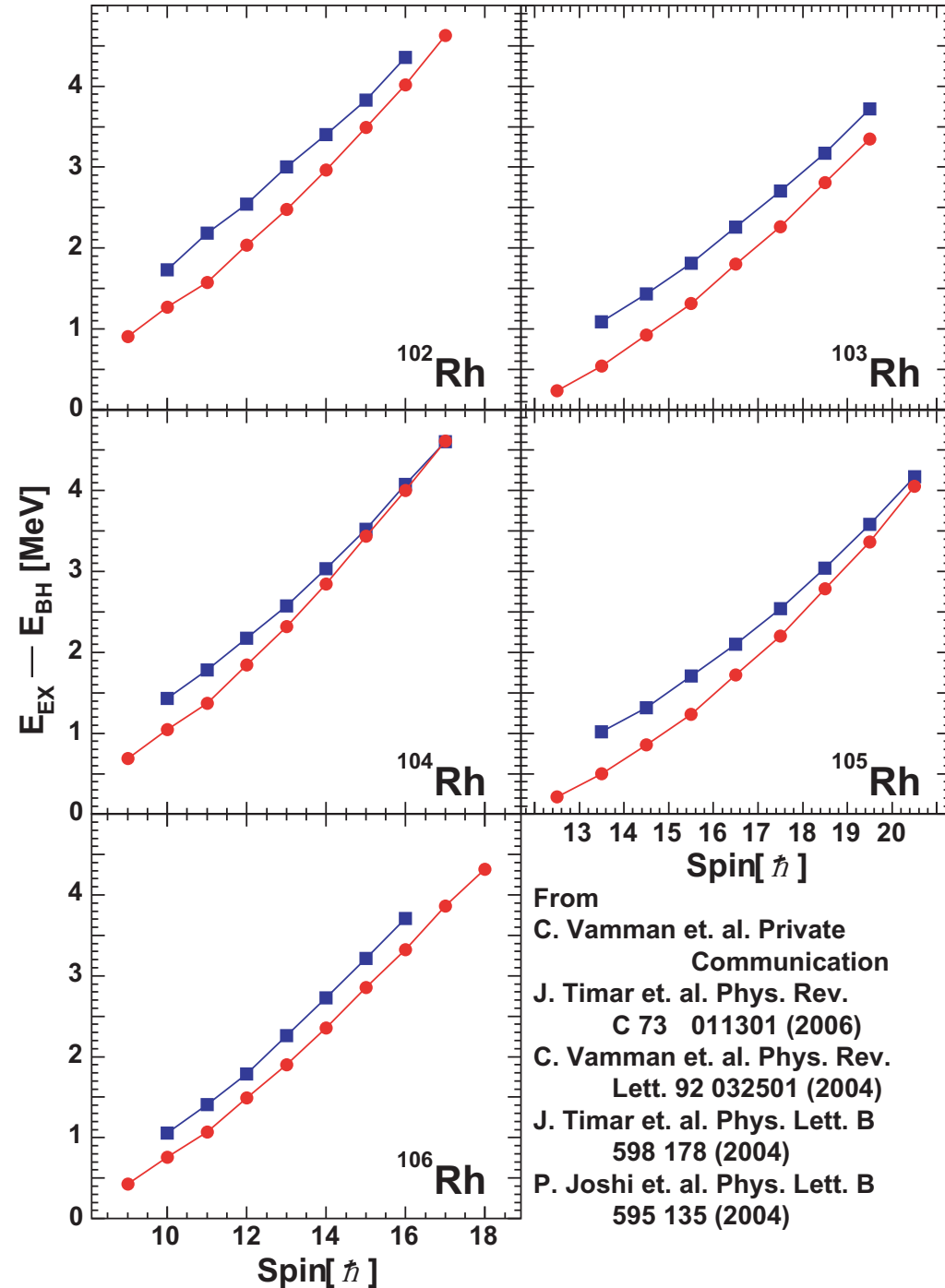
Figure from T. Koike et. al.
Phys. Rev. Lett. 93 172502 (2004)

		¹³⁸ Eu		¹⁴⁰ Eu	63			
					62			
		¹³⁶ Pm			61			
		¹³⁵ Nd			60			
	¹³² Pr	¹³⁴ Pr			59			
				¹³⁵ Ce	58			
	¹³⁰ La	¹³² La		¹³⁴ La	57			
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69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77

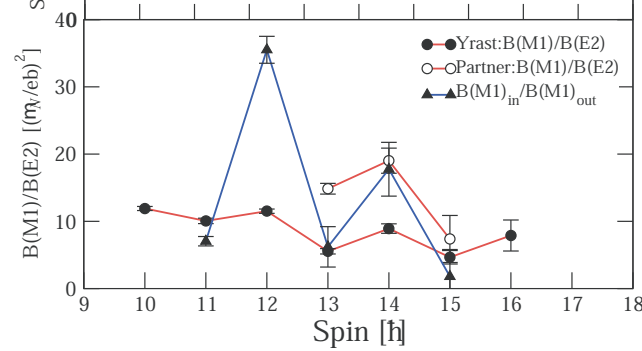
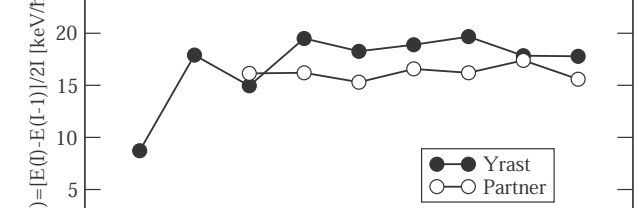
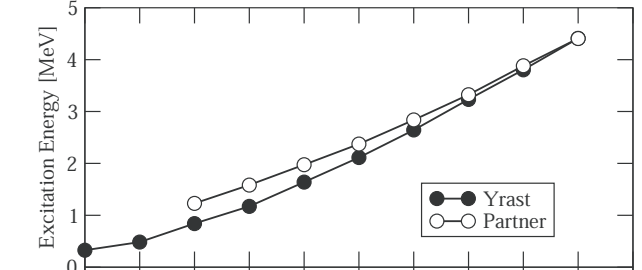
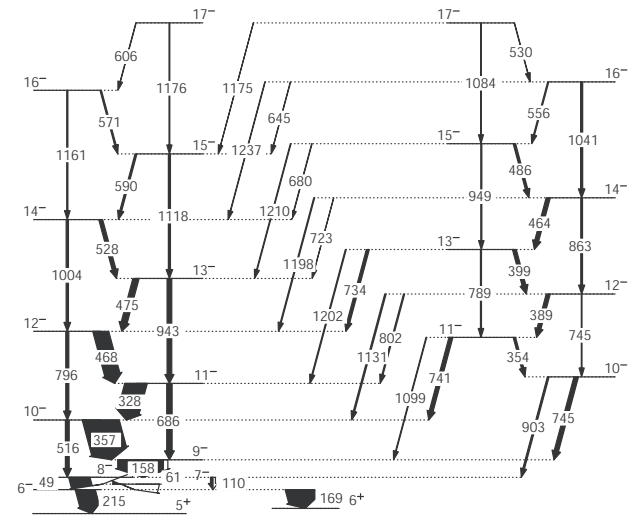
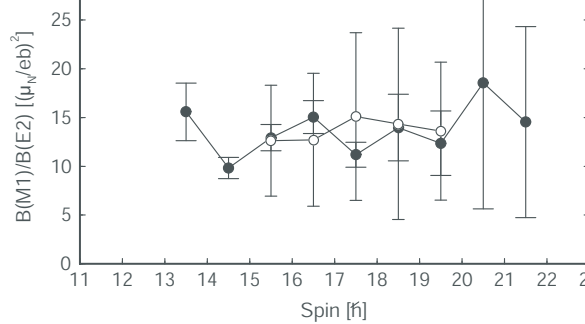
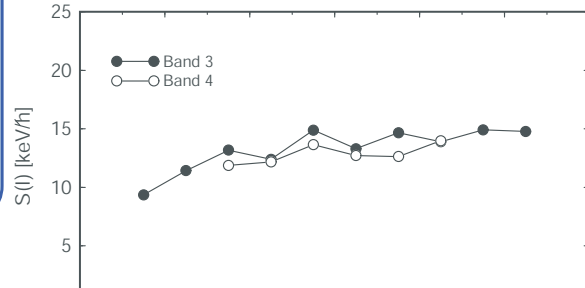
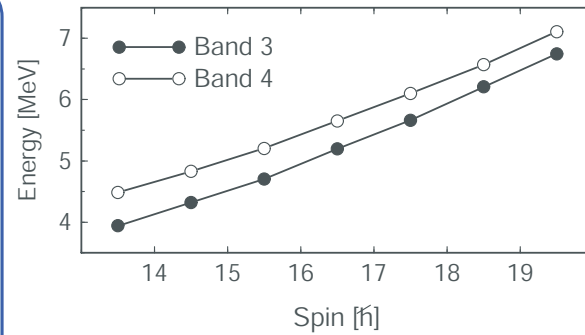
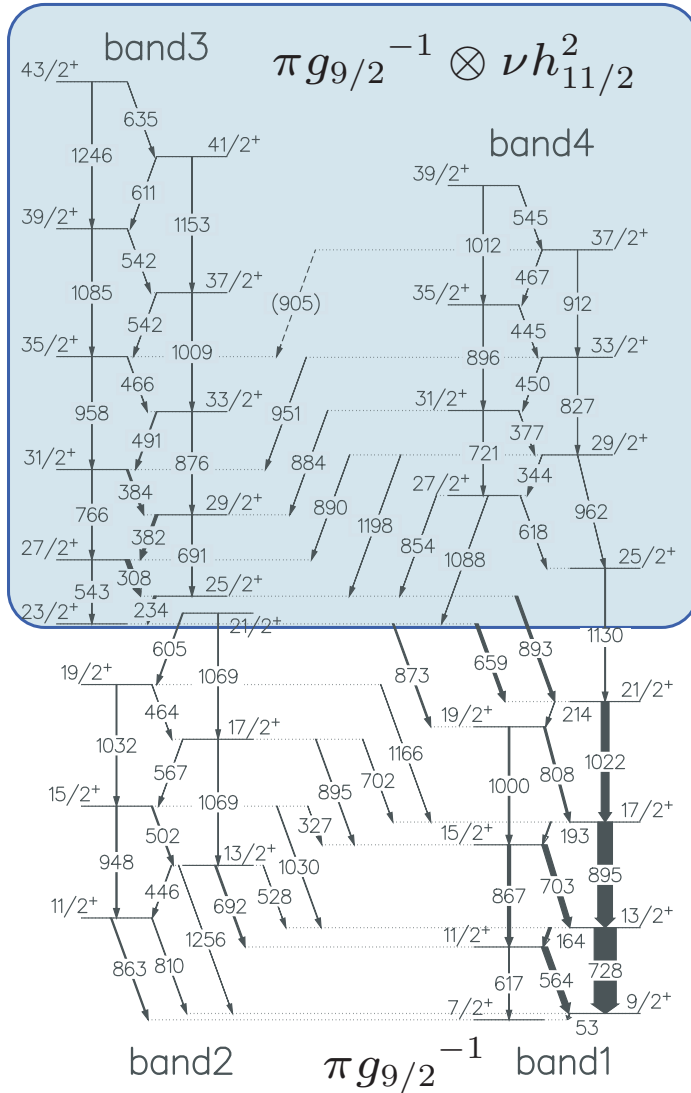
Chiral candidates in the mass 100 region



- The doublet bands are built on
 - $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu h_{11/2}$ configuration for odd-odd nuclei
 - $\pi g_{9/2}^{-1} \otimes \nu h_{11/2}^2$ configuration for odd-A nuclei (broken pair of neutron)
- The energy degeneracy gets better from ^{102}Rh to ^{104}Rh and then gets less to ^{106}Rh .
 - The degeneracy is only 2-keV at the best in ^{104}Rh .

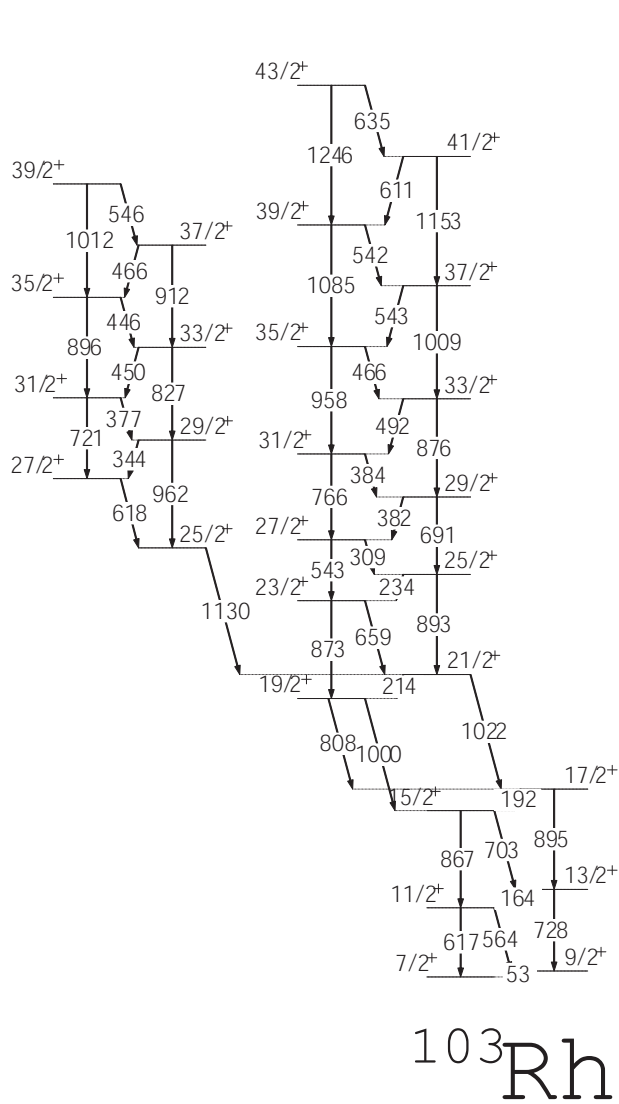


Chiral candidates in $^{103,104}\text{Rh}$

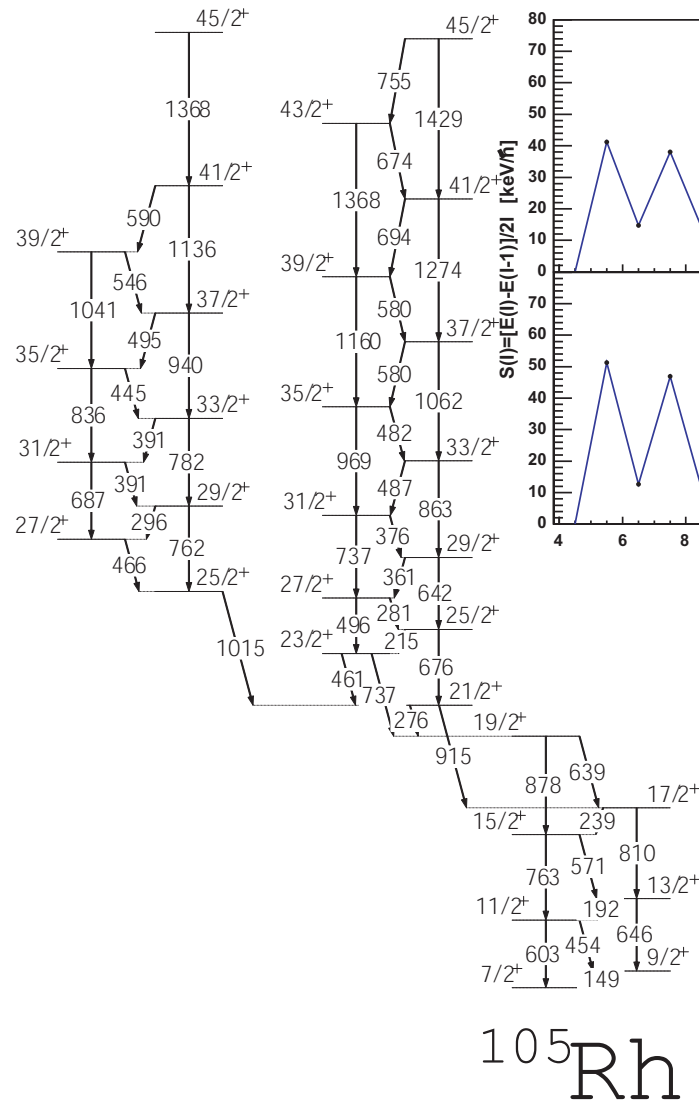


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^{103}Rh and ^{105}Rh



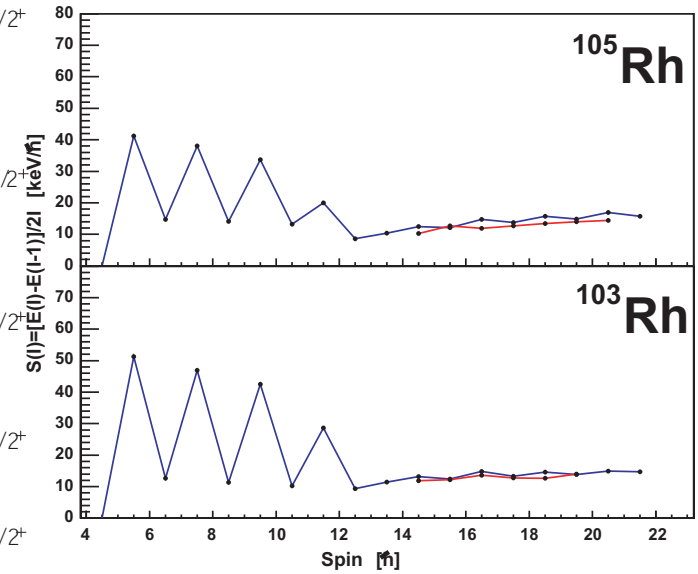
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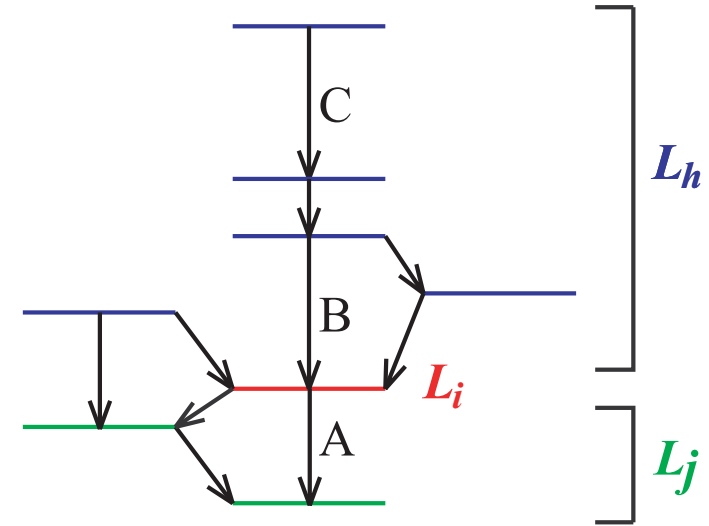
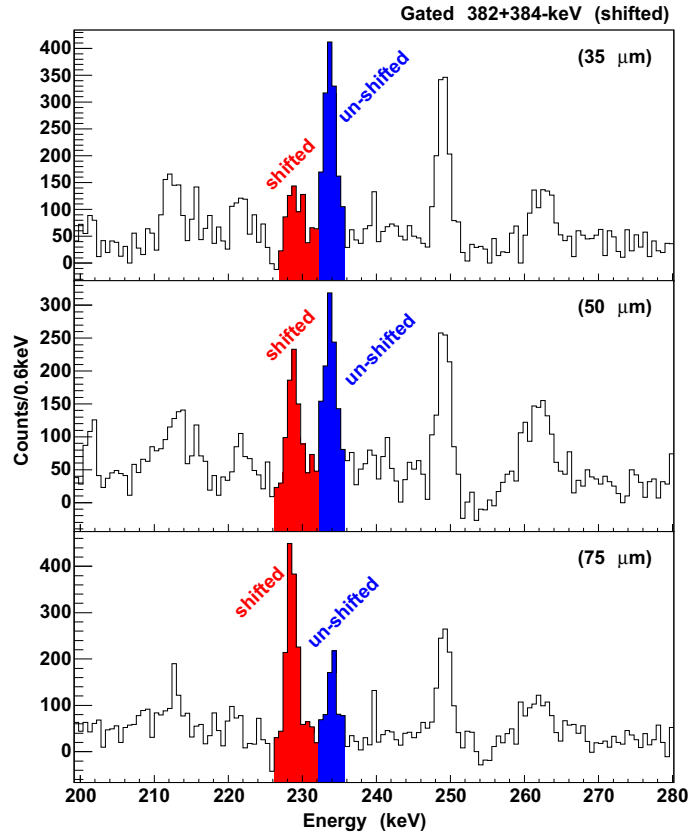
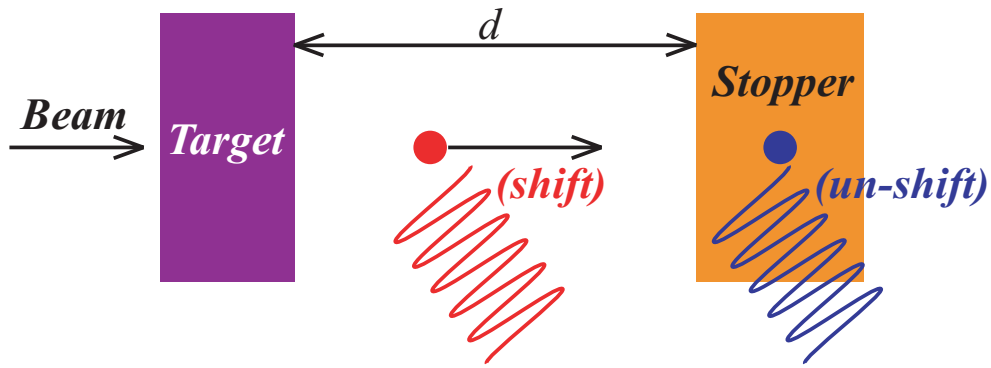
^{105}Rh

• ^{105}Rh was reported TAC calculation

J. Timar et. al. Phys. Lett. B 598 (2004) 178



Coincidence Recoil Distance Doppler Shift Method (RDDS)



$$\frac{dn_i}{dt} = -\lambda_i n_i(t) + \sum_h \lambda_h n_h(t) b_{hi}$$

$$\tau_i = \frac{-N_{ij}(t) + b_{ij} \sum_h N_{hi}(t)}{\frac{dN_{ij}(t)}{dt}}$$

$$\tau_i = \frac{I_{s,u}^{BA}(x)}{I_{s,s}^{BA}(x + \Delta x) - I_{s,s}^{BA}(x - \Delta x)} \frac{2\Delta x}{v}$$

$$\tau_i = \frac{I_{s,u}^{CA}(x) - \alpha I_{s,u}^{CB}(x)}{I_{s,s}^{CA}(x + \Delta x) - I_{s,s}^{CA}(x - \Delta x)} \frac{2\Delta x}{v}, \alpha = \frac{I^{CA}}{I^{CB}}$$

From A. Dewald et. al. Z. Phys. A 334 (1989) 163;

G. Böhm et. al. Nucl. Inst. Meth. Phys. Res. A 329 (1993) 248

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Lifetime measurement of candidate chiral members in the $A \sim 100$ region

- Recoil Distance Doppler Shift Method (RDDS)
 - GAMMASPHERE Ge detectors array
 - Cologne university plunger device
- Inverse Kinematics Reaction (Large recoil velocity $\beta \sim 0.05$)

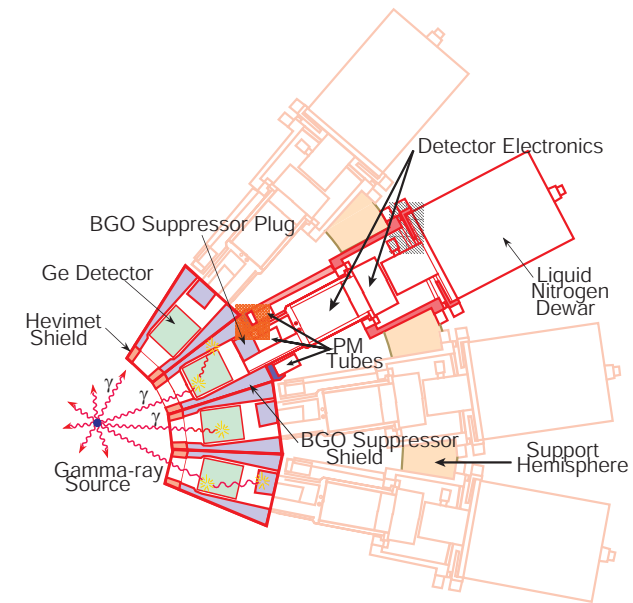
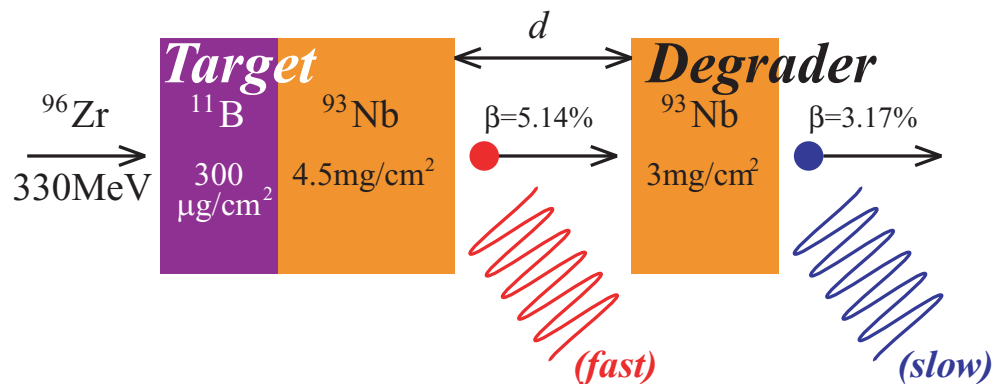
Reaction $^{11}\text{B}(^{96}\text{Zr}, xn)^{104,103}\text{Rh}$ ($x=3,4$)

Beam $E(^{96}\text{Zr}) = 330\text{MeV}$

(from ATLAS accelerator at ANL)

Trigger $\gamma\text{-}\gamma$

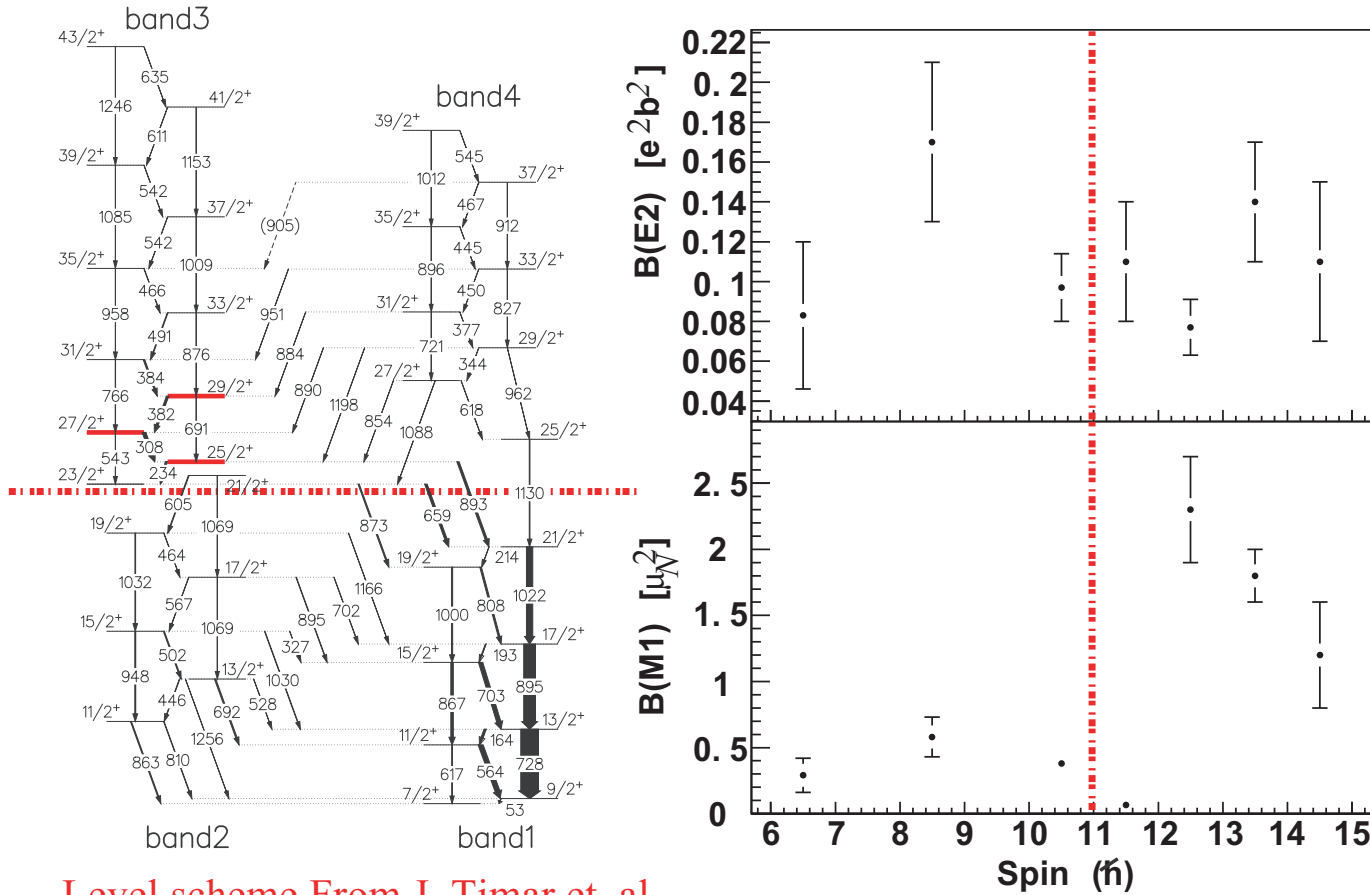
7 distances (8,15,23,35,50,75,100 μm)



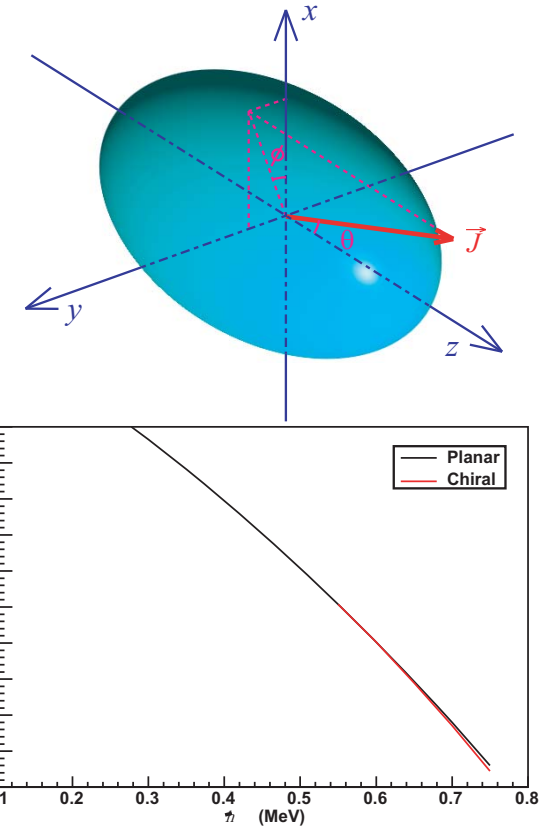
Front ring		Back ring	
angle	N_{det}	angle	N_{det}
		121.72°	5
35.26°	8	129.93°	10
50.07°	10	145.45°	10
58.28°	5	162.73°	5

84 $\gamma\text{-}\gamma$ matrices are created ring by ring for each distances.

Experiment result of ^{103}Rh and calculated values of ^{105}Rh



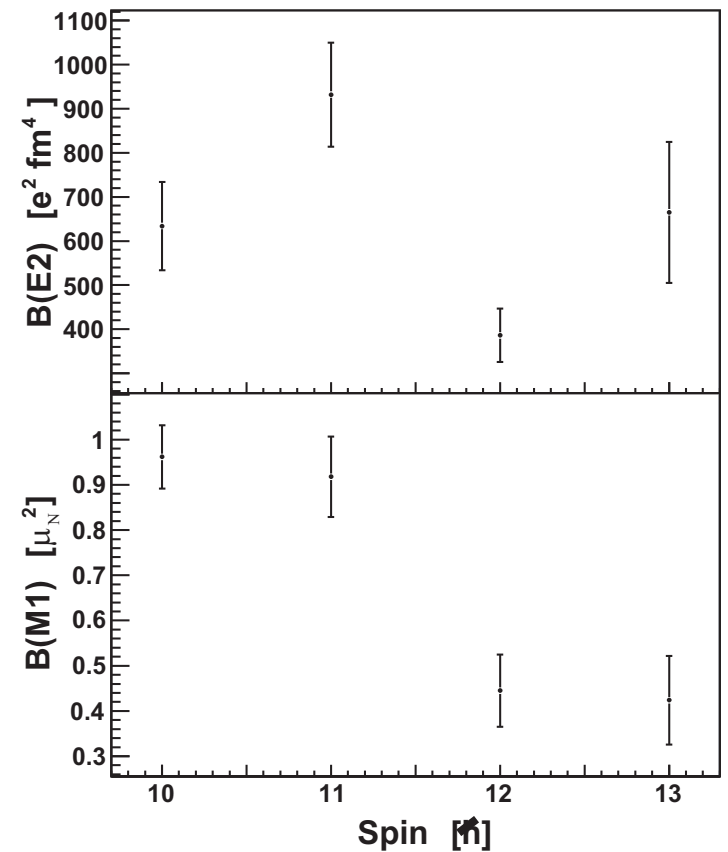
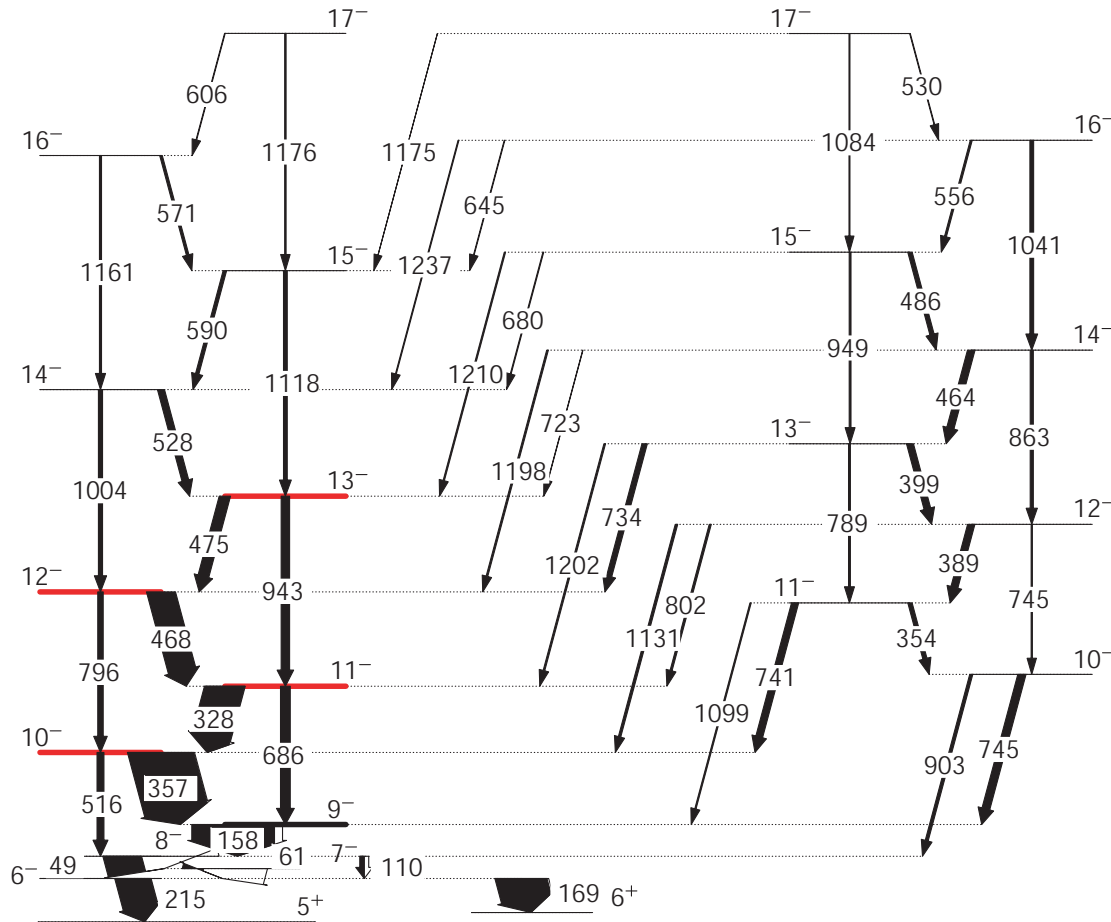
Level scheme From J. Timar et. al.
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TAC Calc from J. Timar et. al.
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Level		TAC for ^{105}Rh		Exp. for ^{103}Rh		
Energy (keV)	Spin (J^π)	ω	$B(E2)$ (e^2b^2)	$B(M1)$ (μ_N^2)	$B(E2)$ (e^2b^2)	$B(M1)$ (μ_N^2)
3631	$25/2^+$	0.25	0.09	2.28	0.077(14)	2.3(4)
3940	$27/2^+$	0.30	0.09	2.16	0.14(3)	1.8(2)
4322	$29/2^+$	0.35	0.09	2.03	0.11(4)	1.2(4)

ω	planar	aplanar
0.55	-4.297	-4.297
0.60	-5.971	-5.976
0.65	-7.064	-7.102
0.70	-8.206	-8.295
0.75	-9.397	-9.552

Result for ^{104}Rh 

- The $B(M1)/B(E2)$ staggering has been observed in the previous experiment.
 - This is suspected for chiral selection rule if the staggering is caused by $B(M1)$ values. [C. Vamman et. al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 92 \(2004\) 032501.](#)
 - However, the staggering is caused by $B(E2)$ staggering.
 - The behavior of $B(E2)$ staggering is cannot be understood and needs theoretical interpretations.

Summary

- The lifetime of chiral candidates member in the $^{103,104}\text{Rh}$ isotopes are measured.
 - RDDS, GAMMASPHERE
- ^{103}Rh
 - Three lifetimes related to chiral doublets are extracted.
 - The experimental results are compared to TAC calculations for ^{105}Rh .
 - TAC calculation indicates chiral doublet in the $\omega \geq 0.55$ region
 - Three levels ($0.25 \geq \omega \geq 0.35$) were consisted with TAC calculations for ^{105}Rh .
- ^{104}Rh
 - Four lifetimes are extracted.
 - The reported $B(M1)/B(E2)$ seems staggering from $B(E2)$.
 - In $B(E2)$ needs theoretical explanation.