Low-energy E1 mode and constraint on nuclear equation of state

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Low-Energy E1 mode (LED)

- = Low-lying dipole mode
- ∼ Pygmy Dipole Resonance (PDR)



- Emerge around (neutron) threshold.Decoupled from GDR.
- > Observed in several mass region.
- Several % of cross section in n-rich nuclei, while a few % in stable nuclei.

- Nature is still under debate.
- New collective mode such as oscillation

between excess neutrons and core?

• Provide constraint on neutron matter EoS?

Observed LED

- ≻ 68Ni, 132Sn, 208Pb
- ➢ Ni isotope
- > Sn isotope

Tamii+,

 $d^2\sigma / d\Omega dE (mb/ sr MeV)$

80

40

▷ N=82 isotone, etc.



(b)

Adrich+, PRL 95, 132501.

20

 E_{γ} [MeV]

15

10

eV]

Linear response calc. (RPA) with Skyrme in 3D mesh

- **Density Functional Theory** with Skyrme energy functional.
- Fully self-consistent calculation. PARAMETER FREE!
- 3D mesh representation
 - applicable to **<u>deformed nuclei</u>**.
 - suitable for describing **unstable nuclei** having skin or halo.
 - deal with <u>continuum states</u> in good approximation.
- Linear response calculation
 - compute linear response at fixed complex energy.
 - good compatibility with paralleled computer.
- No pairing correlation: small impact on E1 mode. [PRC90, 024303]

$$\left\{ \left[egin{array}{cc} A & B \ B^* & A^* \end{array}
ight] - \hbar \omega \left[egin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 \ 0 & -1 \end{array}
ight]
ight\} \left[egin{array}{cc} X_{nj}(\omega) \ Y_{nj}(\omega) \end{array}
ight] = - \left[egin{array}{cc} f(\omega) \ g(\omega) \end{array}
ight]$$



Transition density of LED & GDR





Canonical-basis TDHFB (with pairing corr.) Ebata, Nakatsukasa, Inakura, PRC90, 024303

Magic numbers for LED



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Non-collective LED



N <= 82 collective LED N > 82 collective + <u>non-collective</u> LED.

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Single particle-hole excitation to continuum state (= neutron emission mode)
appear above threshold S_n.
δρ similar to collective LED.

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Fragmentation of GDR? Nakada, Inakura, Sawai, PRC 87, 034302 E1 strength [e²fm²/MeV 8 90Zr 6 ⁹⁰Zr (a) 1000 2 Counts 0 -5 10 15 2025 30 0 500 Excitation Energy [MeV] $r^2 \delta \rho_{L=1}(r)$ 0.2 0.15 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 22 0.1E_x (MeV) 0.05 15.6 MeV 0.0 Iwamoto+, PRL 108, 262501 10 5 -0.05 -0.1-0.15 0.05 12.1 MeV 0.010 -0.05

Constraint on EoS from LED

Inakura and Nakada, accepted in PRC. arXiv: 1509.02982

Quantities characterizing EoS

$$rac{E}{A}(
ho,\delta)=rac{E}{A}(
ho,\delta=0)+E_{
m sym}(
ho)\delta^2+O(\delta^4)\qquad \delta=rac{
ho_n-
ho_p}{
ho_n+
ho_p}\,,\,x=rac{
ho-
ho_0}{3
ho_0}$$

$$ext{SNM}: rac{E}{A}(
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 $egin{aligned} &
ho_0 \sim 0.16 \, {
m fm}^{-3} \ &E_0 \sim -16 \, {
m MeV} \ &K_\infty &= 200 - 240 \, {
m MeV} \ &S_0 &= 28 - 34 \, {
m MeV} \ &L &= 30 - 80 \, {
m MeV} \end{aligned}$



Constraint on EoS from LED



- LED emerges and develops in neutron-rich nuclei with neutron skin which is approximately neutron matter.
- Does LED provide some information on EoS !?

<u>*L* from LED</u>



Introduction of *L*-dependence

$$v_{ij} \Rightarrow v_{ij} - V_L \left[
ho^lpha(r) -
ho^lpha_0
ight] P_\sigma \delta(r)$$

The additional term

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Ono+, PRC68, 051601
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75

100



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Correlations in ¹³²Sn



Uncertainty for L: 12 MeV.

<u>Summary</u>

> LED emerges & develops in all isotopes beyond N = 28, 50, 82.

- collective motion: oscillation between skin and core.
- single p-h excitation to continuum: neutron emission.
- fragmentation of GDR.
- > LED provide constraint on neutron matter EoS.
 - $\alpha_D S_0$ correlates well with slope parameter *L*.