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6	Description of the results and outputs	<p>In 2020, due to the influence of COVID-19, the project research has been conducted through the on-line meetings every few months. The project outcomes have been published as eleven original papers, including those accepted for publication. A Ph. D thesis was also published. Twelve presentations were made at international and domestic conferences, five of which were invited talks. Two primary topics of the project and the outcomes in 2020 are summarized as follows.</p> <p>Topic 1. Analysis of the α-knockout reactions We have studied the α-knockout reactions to investigate the α cluster formation at nuclear surfaces with various densities and proton/neutron asymmetries. To realize the quantitative description of the α-knockout reactions, a theoretical framework has been developed by combining AMD and DWBA. The framework has been applied to the $^{48}\text{Ti}(p, \alpha)^{44}\text{Ca}$ reaction and the numerical results were compared with the observed data. The analysis showed that the α cluster formation at the surface of ^{48}Ti is much enhanced than a simple estimation. Such analysis can also be extended to the cases of the unstable nuclei for the forthcoming experiments.</p> <p>Theme 2. Analysis of the α inelastic scattering We have studied the α inelastic scattering to investigate the structure of the excited states including the cluster resonances. In 2020, we have systematically analyzed the inelastic proton and alpha scattering data of the α-shell nuclei including those from RCNP by the microscopic coupled-channel (MCC) calculations. The inelastic cross-sections of ^{20}Ne, ^{24}Mg, ^{26}Mg, and ^{28}Si are successfully reproduced and provided us a new insight to the excited states of these nuclei such as band structure and transition properties. Moreover, dipole transition strengths to 1^- states were discussed in relation to cluster structures. We also studied the $^{12}\text{C}+^{12}\text{C}$, $^{16}\text{O}+^{16}\text{O}$ and $\alpha+^{28}\text{Si}$ resonances related to astrophysical nuclear reactions. Their energies and decay widths have been calculated to estimate the reaction rates. Particularly, we have identified $^{12}\text{C} + ^{12}\text{C}$ resonances in the Gamow window which significantly increase the reaction rate. Furthermore, we also calculated the monopole and quadrupole transition strengths and densities which will be used to analyze the α inelastic scattering cross section measured at RCNP.</p>