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Title	Charge-exchange reaction studies combined with γ -ray spectroscopy for astrophysical applications
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Abstract:

Charge-exchange reactions at intermediate energies are a powerful tool for studying the spin-isospin structure of nuclei. They become even more so when combined with high-resolution γ -ray spectroscopy, allowing one to pin down specific excitations with precise energy determination or providing new spin-isospin selectivities that are not possible with conventional reaction probes. They are useful in particular for studying stellar electron captures, supernova nucleosynthesis, and a variety of other astrophysical phenomena. In this seminar, I will discuss some of these instances including recent results of the (t, ${}^{3}\text{He}+\gamma$) experiments with the germanium detector array GRETINA and the S800 spectrometer at NSCL/MSU. Further, I will describe an upcoming (⁶Li, ⁶Li'[3.56 MeV]+ γ) experiment with a Clover germanium detector array CAGRA coupled to the Grand Raiden spectrometer.

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