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***Microscopic theory for heavy-ion  
optical potentials:  
- present status and future perspective -***

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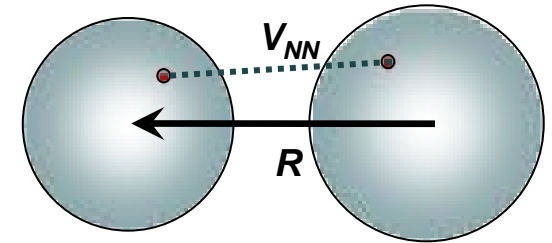
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● Understanding the **interactions between composite nuclei** (**AA interactions**), starting from **NN interaction** :

✓ *one of the fundamental subject in nuclear physics*



✓ *one of the key issue to understand various **nuclear reactions**:*

➤ *optical potentials: **elastic scattering***

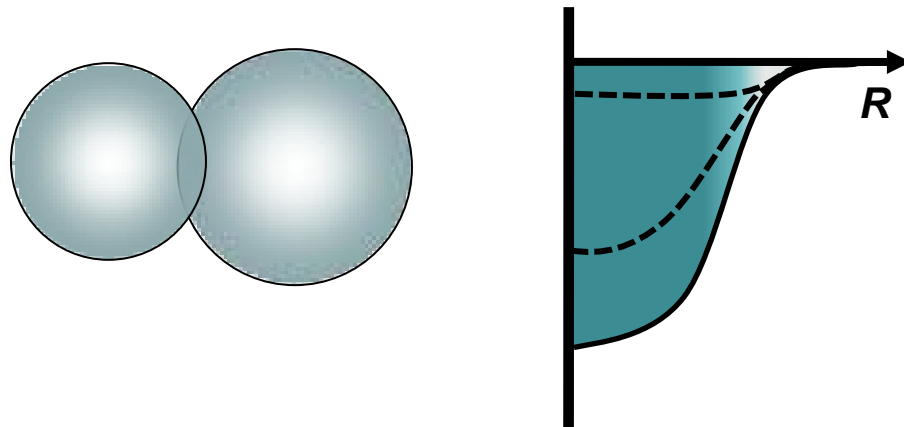
➤ *distorting potentials as **doorway to various reactions** (inelastic, transfer, knockout, breakup ...)*

✓ *important to survey unknown nuclear structures/reaction of **unstable nuclei** far from stability lines ( $N \gg Z$ ,  $Z \gg N$ ), for which*

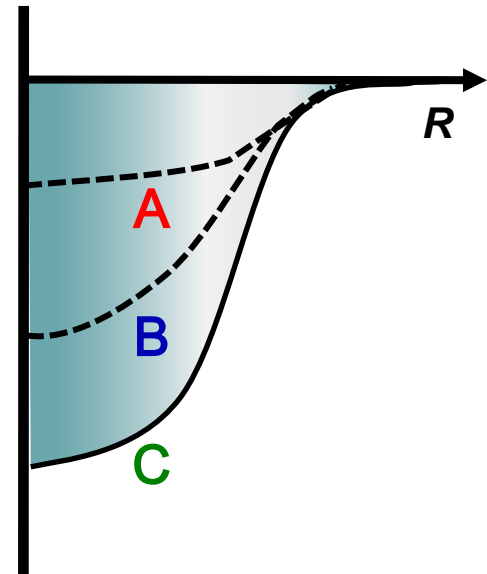
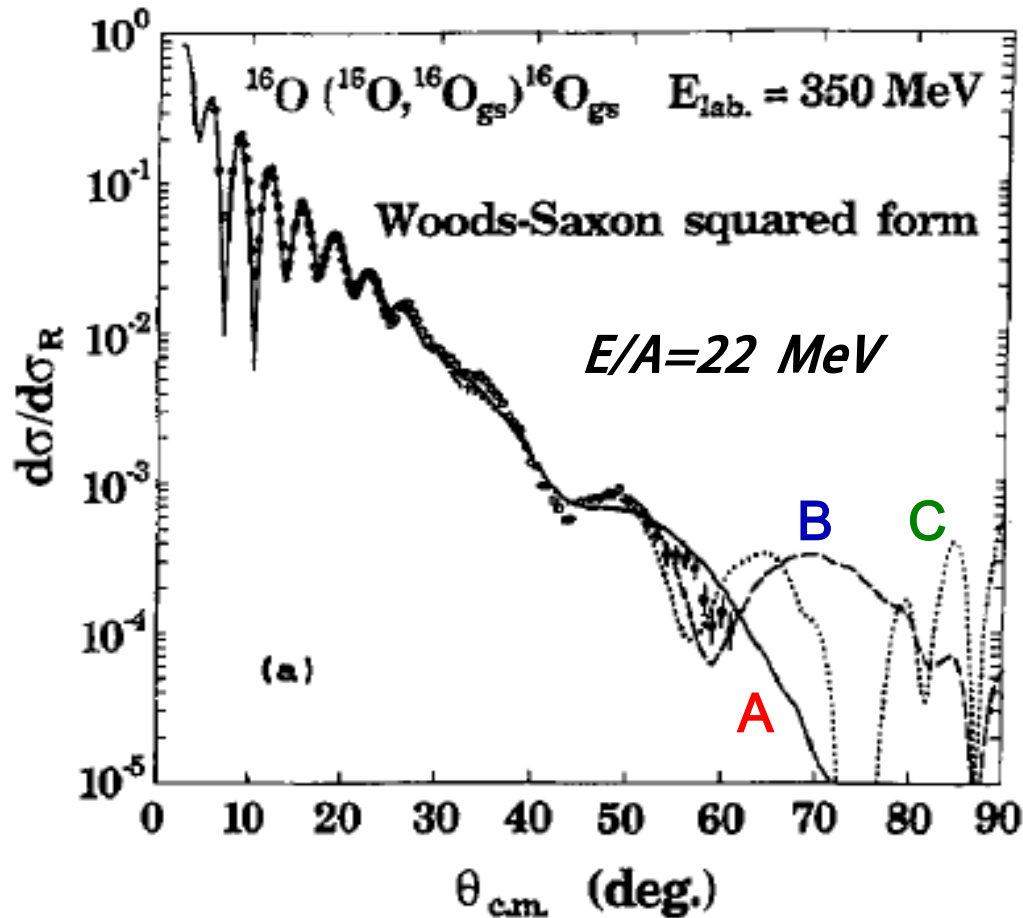
➤ *few/no elastic-scattering data & phenom. potential informations available.*

$U_{opt}(R) = V_{opt}(R) + i W_{opt}(R)$  : *complex potential*

- *Phenomenological optical potentials:*
  - ✓ needs *Exp. Data* (elastic scattering) to determine *potential parameters* (e.g. Woods-Saxon form)
  - ✓ optical potential for heavy-ion systems (AA) has *large ambiguity* in depth & shape due to *strong absorption* (in most cases)
  - ✓ → only sensitive to potential at *nuclear surface*



*discrete ambiguity of optical potential → which is correct ?*



Y. Kondō, F. Michel and G. Reidemeister, Phys. Lett. B 242 (1990) 340.

✓ *In general, it is rather difficult to probe the short-range part of H.I. potentials, due to **strong absorption**.*

✓ Can we probe H.I. potential at short distances?

→ ***Yes, we can!***

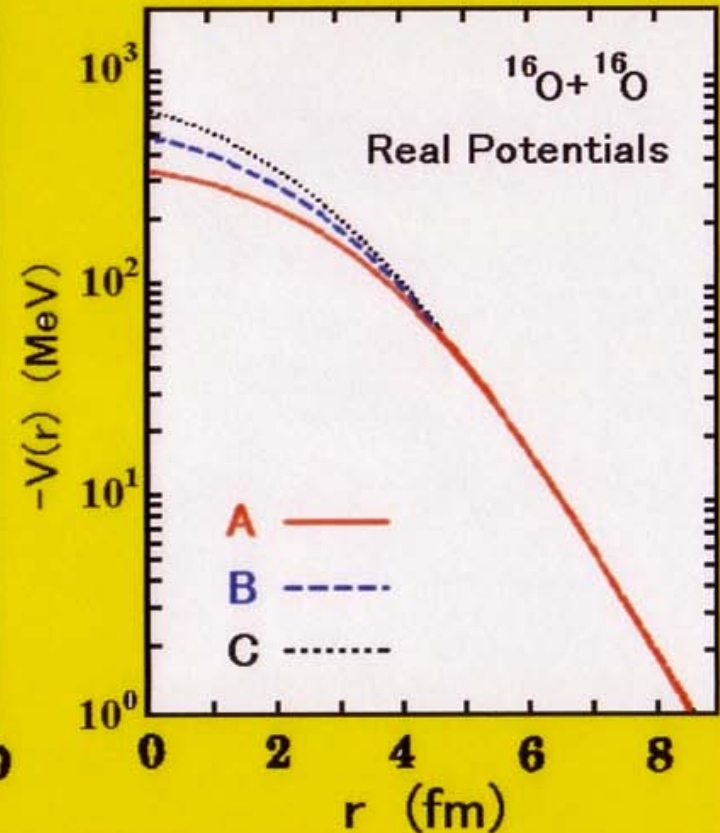
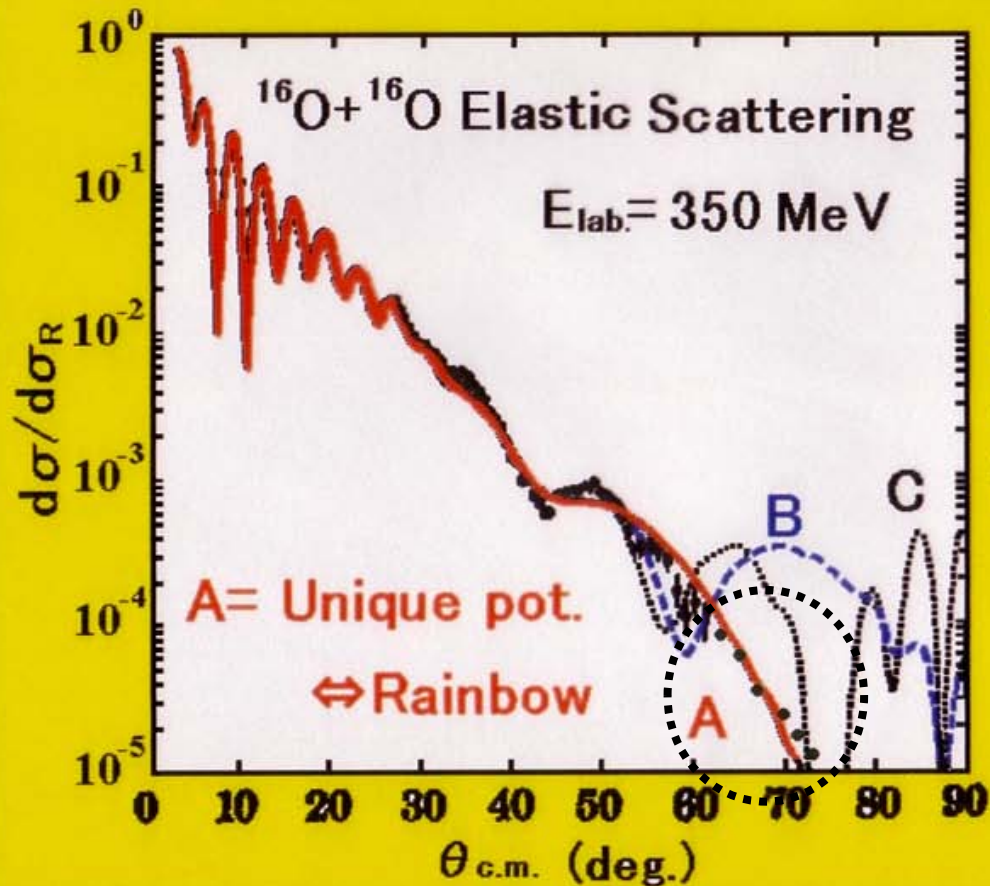
***(at least for light heavy-ions)***

*by the measurements of*

*refractive scattering at high-q region (backward),  
such as nuclear-rainbow phenomena.*

# Phenomenological Analysis of the Nuclear Rainbow

- ▶  $^{16}\text{O}+^{16}\text{O}$   $E_{\text{lab}} = 350 \text{ MeV}$  (HMI 1989)
- ▶ The data up to  $61^\circ$  are reproduced by A, B and C.
- ▶ "A" pot. is found to be a unique deep potential for this system by the fits to the data up to  $73^\circ$ .

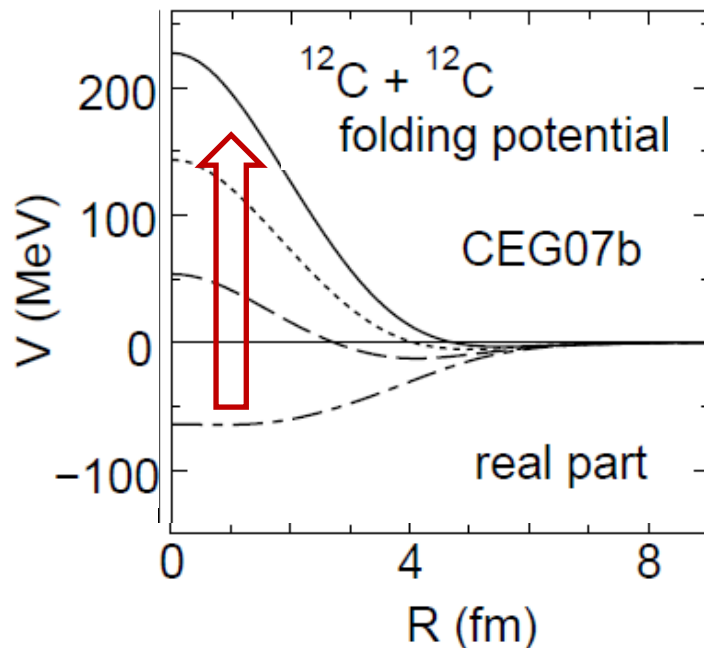


*But, good quality of exp. data are not always in our hands.*

- We need a microscopic theory that explains & predicts
- ✓ *correct depth & shape of heavy-ion optical potentials, (hopefully, of both the real and imaginary parts)*
  - ✓ *including unstable nuclei (n-rich & p-rich isotopes)*
  - ✓ *correct energy dependence over the wide range of incident energy, up to a few hundred MeV/u*
- starting from bare NN interaction in free space

# *key word of the present talk*

- *attractive-to-repulsive transition of the optical potentials for heavy-ion systems with the increasing energy*

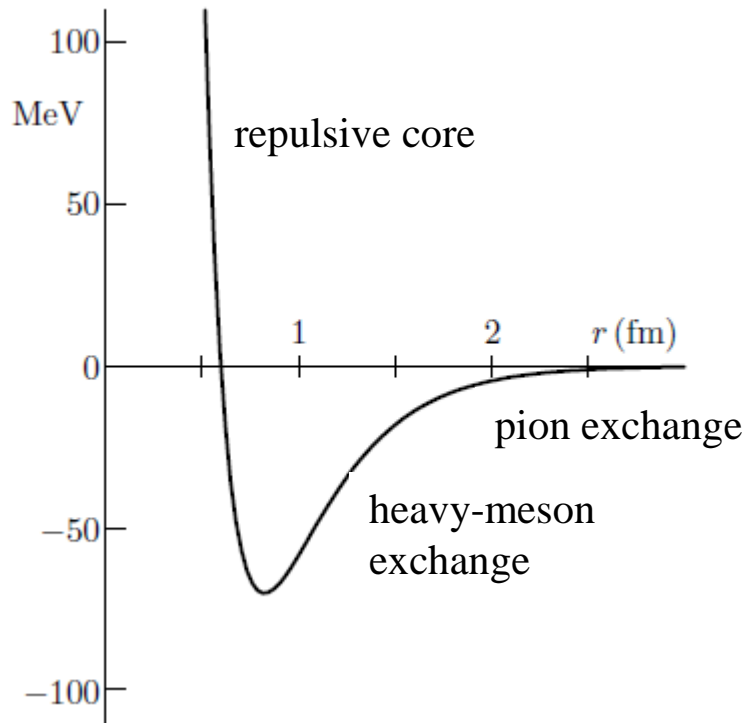


$E/A = 100 \sim 400 \text{ MeV}$



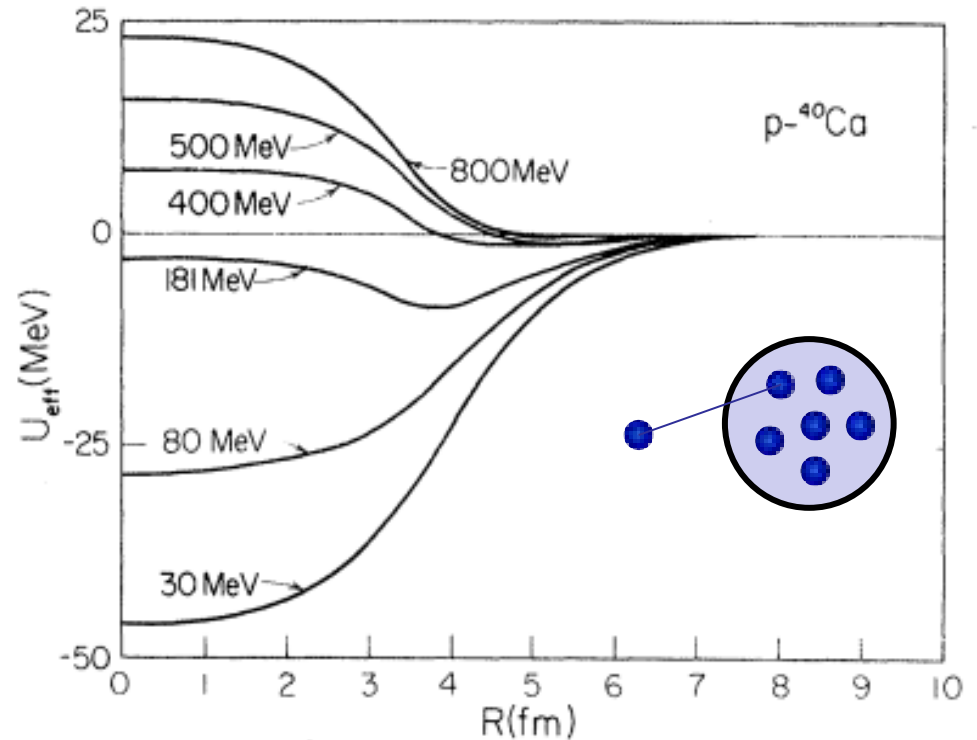
◆ *NN interaction :*

- long-range *attraction*
- short-range *repulsive core*



◆ *nucleon-nucleus (NA) interaction :*

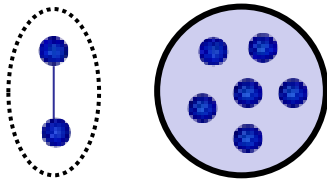
- *attractive* at low energies ( $E < 200$  MeV)
- *wine-bottle-bottom (WBB)* around transitional energies
- *repulsive* at high energies ( $E > 500$  MeV)



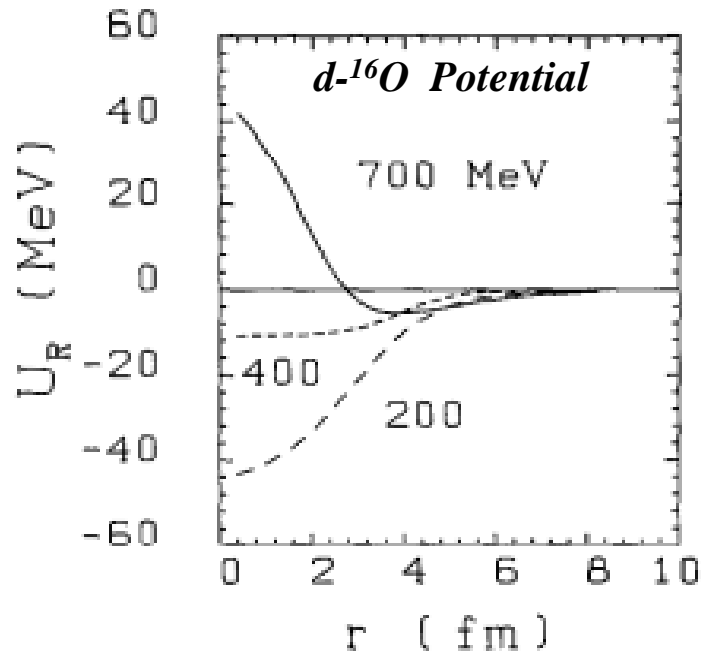
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◆ *d-A interaction* :

- *similar behavior to NA int.*
- $f(d-A) \sim f(p-A) + f(n-A)$



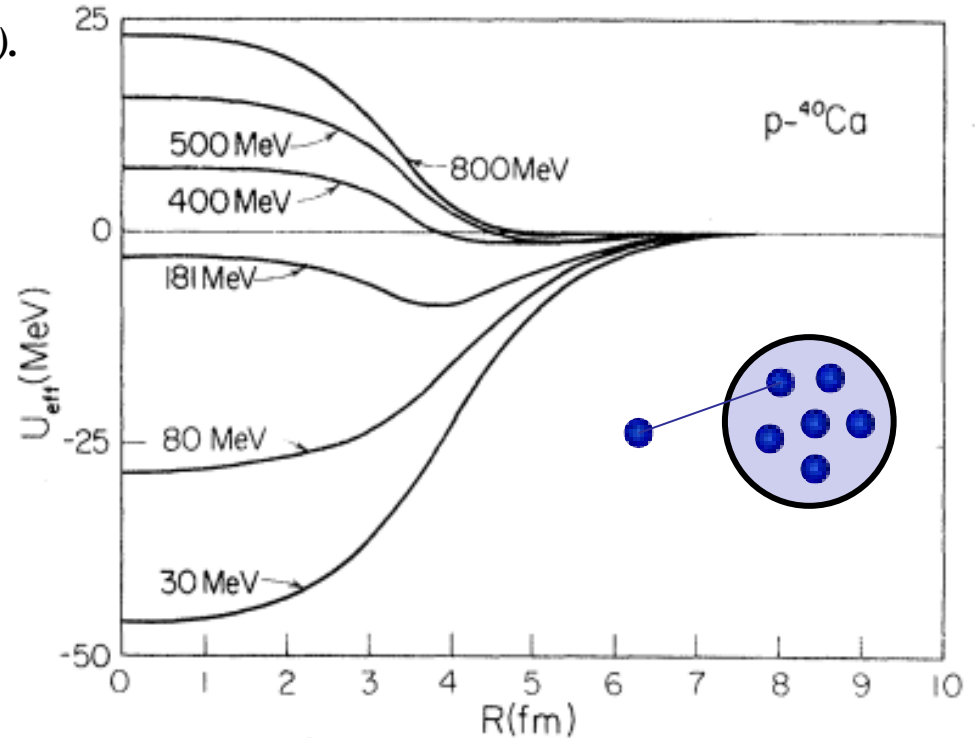
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# Q: How about optical potential for **heavy ions**?

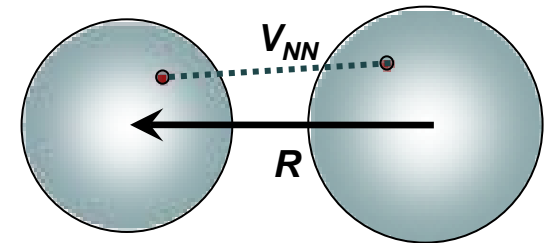
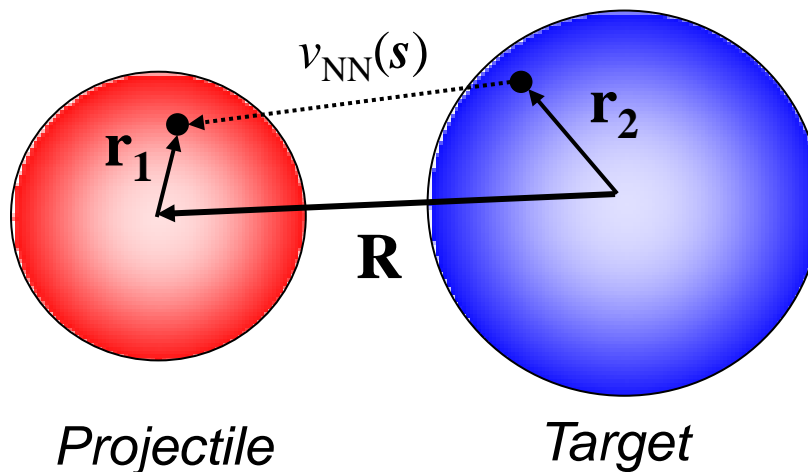
*A: according to the predictions of microscopic theory,*

- ✓ attractive-to-repulsive transition occurs ?  
→ *Yes, but thus far we have no experimental evidence.*
- ✓ if so, in what energy region?  
→ *the transition occurs around  $E/A = 300 \sim 400$  MeV*
- ✓ how can we observe the transition, if it really occurs?  
→ *measure the evolution of elastic scattering angular distribution with increasing energy in the energy range of  $E/A = 200 \sim 400$  MeV.*
- ✓ what are the new ingredients we can learn, if we observe the transition?  
→ ① *repulsive three-body force (TBF) in nuclear medium*  
& ② *tensor force effects*  
*besides the genuine repulsive core of NN int.*

● **Microscopic / semi-microscopic models :**

- ✓ starting from ***NN interactions*** ( $V_{NN}$ )

**Double-Folding Model (DFM)**

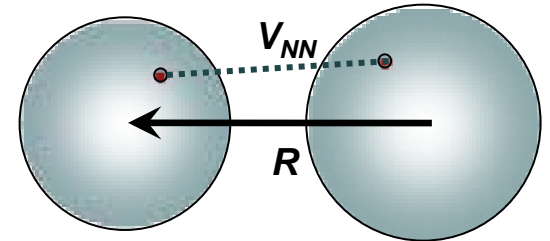


$$U_{DFM}(\mathbf{R}) = \int \rho_1(\mathbf{r}_1) \rho_2(\mathbf{r}_2) \underline{v_{NN}(\mathbf{s}; \rho, E)} d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2$$

**effective *NN* interaction in nuclear medium**

● **Microscopic / semi-microscopic models :**

- ✓ starting from **NN interactions** (  $V_{NN}$  )



◆ **G-matrix with scattering b.c.**

- ✓  $V_{NN}$  : **effective NN interaction in nuclear medium**
  - ✓ should have proper **density-dependence** ( $\rho$ -dep)  
consistent with nuclear **saturation** properties
  - ✓ should have proper **energy-dependence** (E-dep)
  - ✓ should be **complex** ( real-part + **imaginary** part )

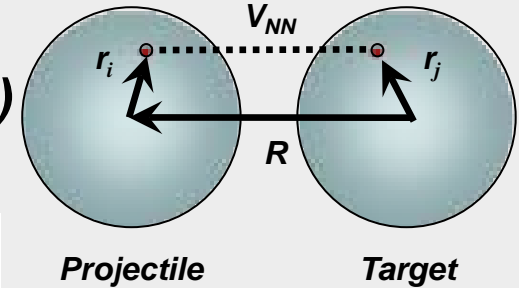
However, no such **ideal effective  $V_{NN}$**  exists so far !

# Simple M3Y ( 1975~1985 )

- ✓ **real part** only (add a phenom. imag. pot)
- ✓ **zero-range** exchange term

$$v_{NN}(\mathbf{r}) = 7999 \frac{e^{-4r}}{4r} - 2134 \frac{e^{2.5r}}{2.5r} - \hat{J}_{00} \delta(\mathbf{r})$$

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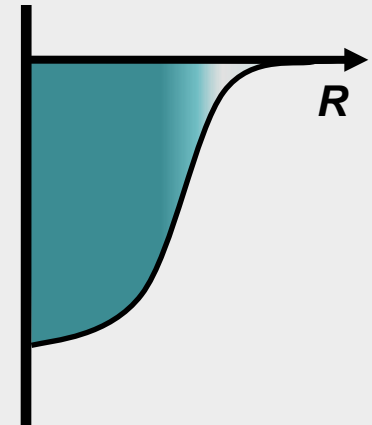


- ✓ **no density-dependence**  
 $\Rightarrow$  **too deep** at **short distances**, but gives  
 a reasonable strength at **nuclear surface**

- ◆ due to **strong absorption** for Heavy Ions (HI)  
 $\Rightarrow$  sensitive only to **nuclear surface**

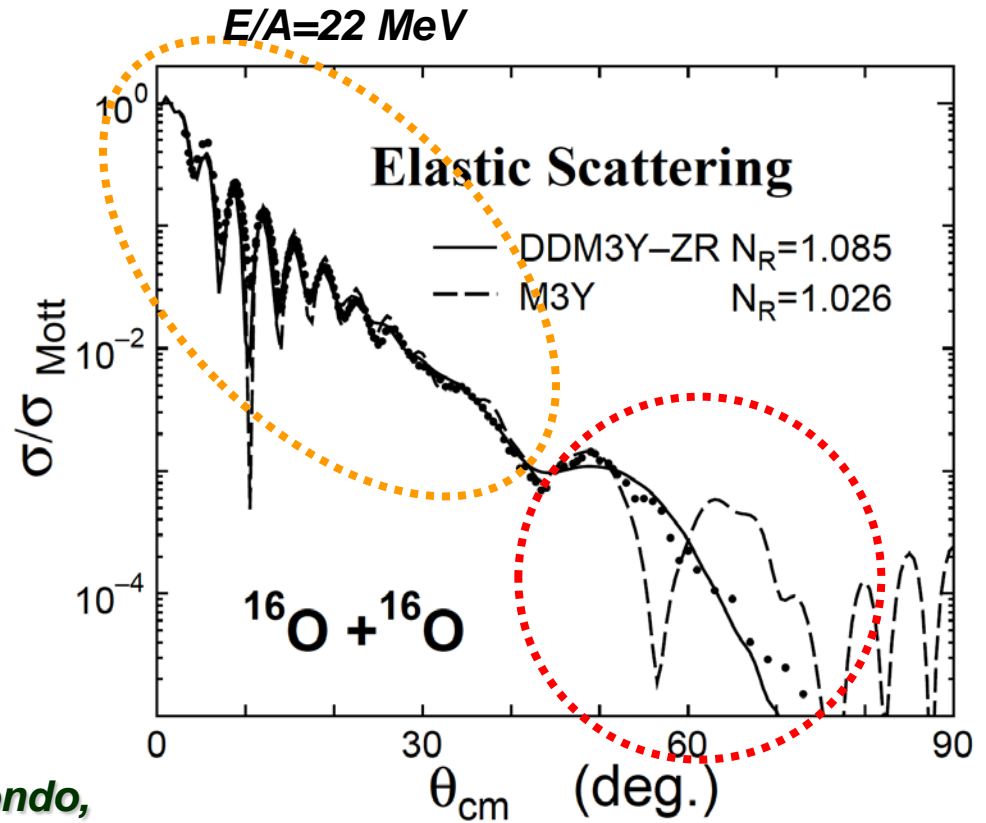
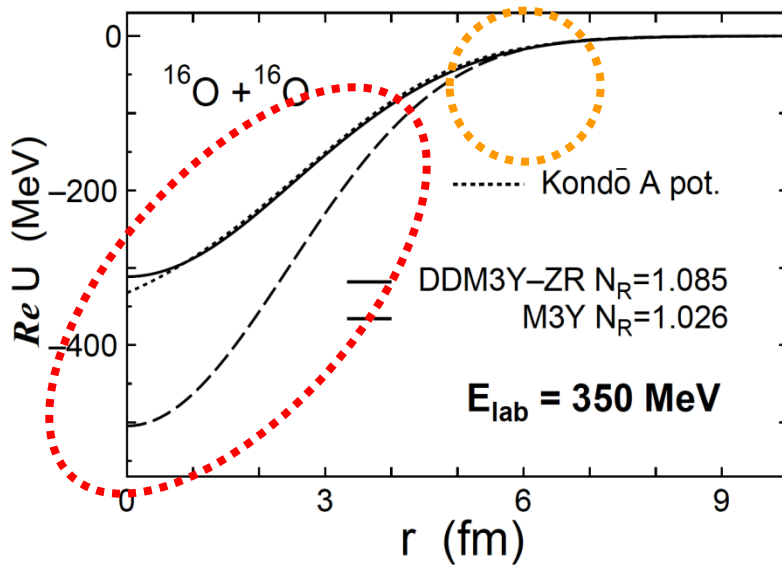
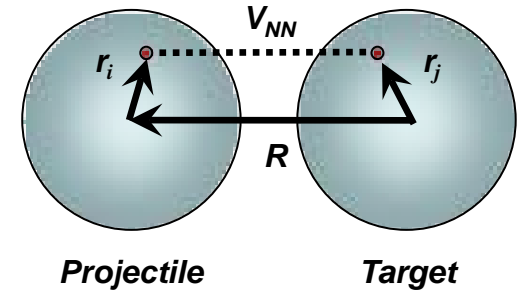
$\Rightarrow$  “**Successful**” for **low-energy** ( $E/A < 30$  MeV) scattering  
 of heavy-ion (HI) projectiles with  $A_p < 40$

[ G.R.Satchler and W.G.Love, *Phys.Rep.*55,183(1979) ]



# Double-Folding-model potentials with **M3Y (density-independent)**

Double-Folding Model (DFM)



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- **Introduction of *density-dependence* :**  
**DDM3Y-ZR (with zero-range exchange term)**

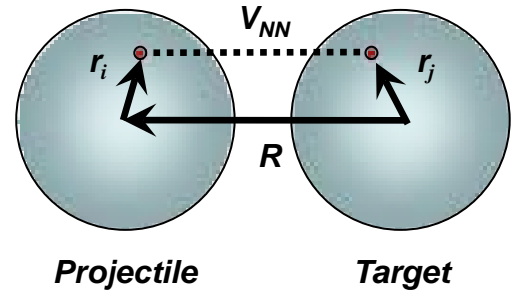
$$v_{NN}(E, \rho; \mathbf{s}) = g(E, \mathbf{s}) \underline{f(E, \rho)}$$

$$\underline{f(E, \rho)} = C(E) [1 + \alpha(E) e^{-\beta(E)\rho}]$$

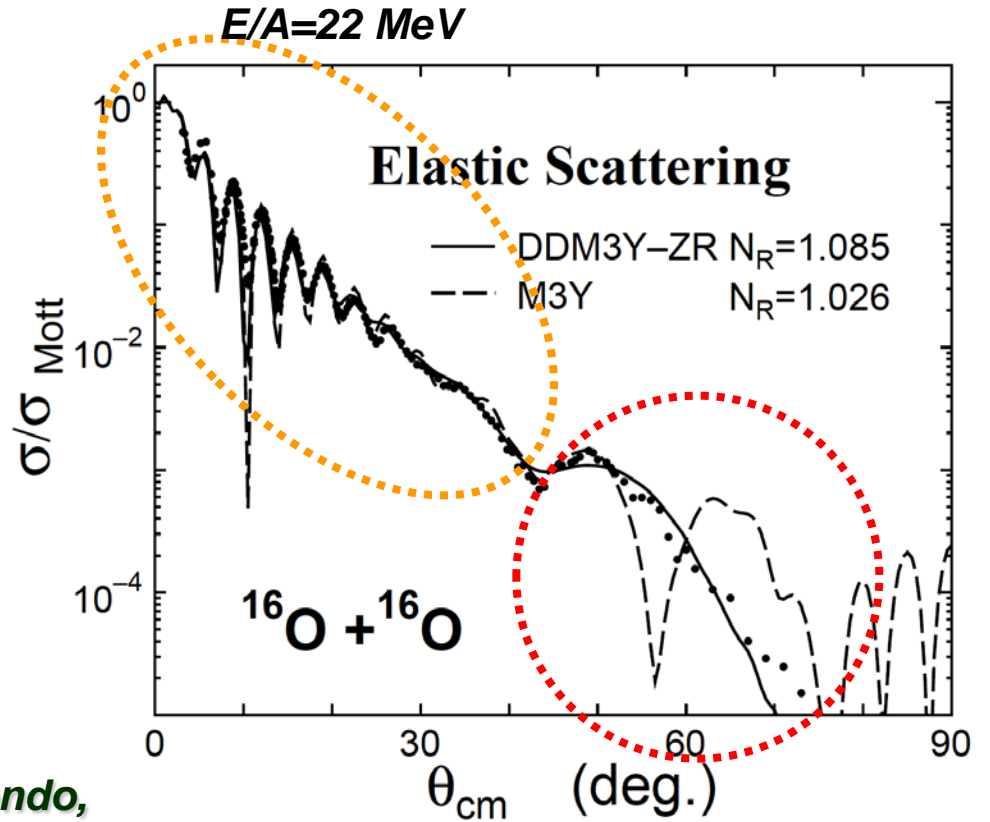
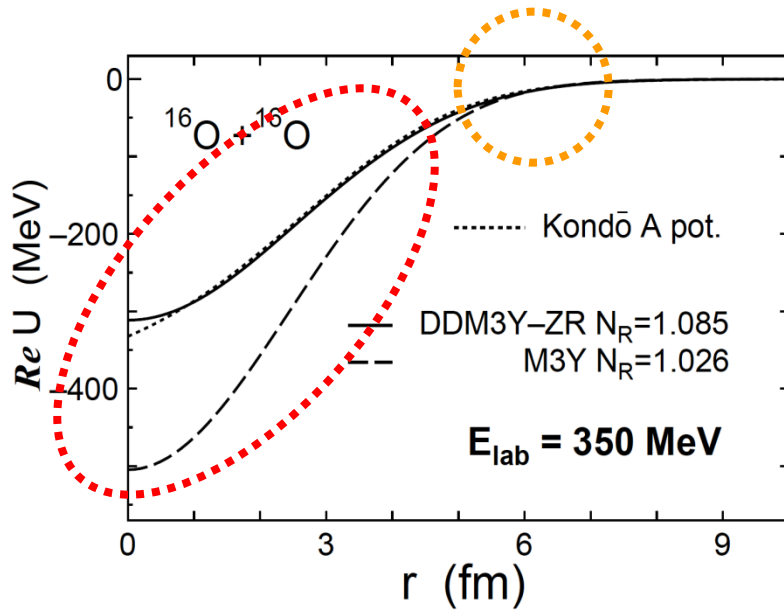
- ⇒ greatly **reduce** the potential strength at **short** distances
- ⇒ reproduce refractive phenomena, such as **nuclear-rainbow** (eg.  ${}^4\text{He} + \text{A}$ ,  ${}^{16}\text{O} + {}^{16}\text{O}$ )



**Double-Folding Model (DFM)**



**Double-Folding-model potentials**  
 with **M3Y (density-independent)**  
 with **DDM3Y (density-dependent)**



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# ***New complex G-matrix interaction (CEG07)***

1. derived from **ESC04**

“**ESC04**” : the latest version of **Extended Soft-Core** force designed for **NN**, **YN** and **YY** systems

*Th. Rijken, Y. Yamamoto, Phys. Rev. C 73 (2006) 044008*

2. **Three body force**

Three-body attraction (TBA) : Fujita-Miyazawa type

Three-body repulsion (TBR) : triple-meson correl.

3. **up to higher density region**

for the local density prescription in the case of DFM

- ◆ *T. Furumoto, Y. Sakuragi, Y. Yamamoto, PRC78 (2008) 044610,*
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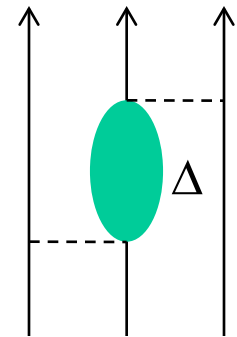
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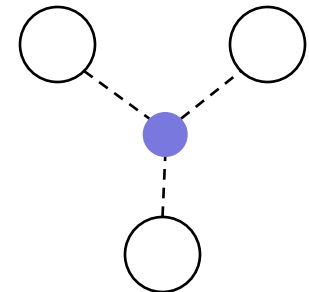
## 1. Three-body attractive (TBA)

- originated from **Fujita-Miyazawa** diagram
- important at low density region

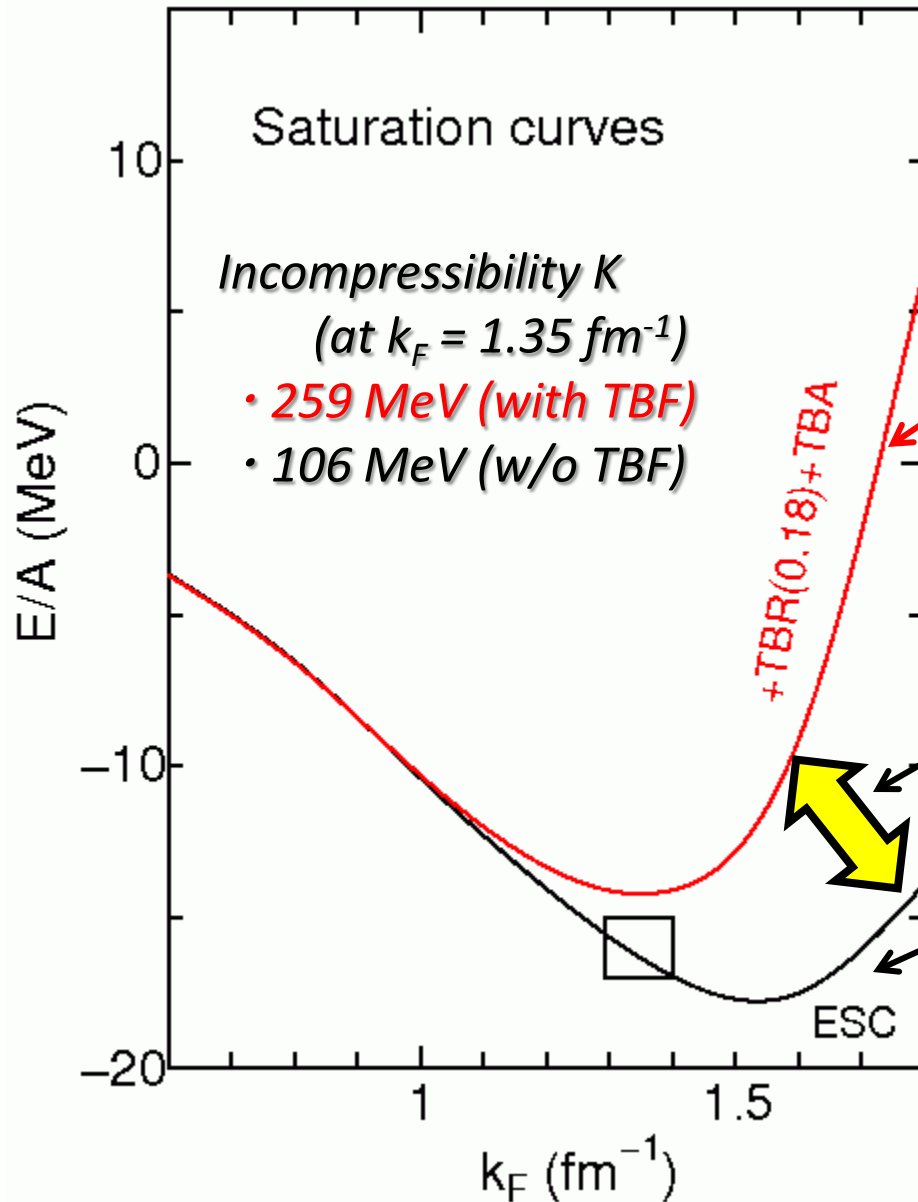


## 2. Three-body repulsive (TBR)

- universal three-body repulsion (NNN, NNY, NYY)  
originated from triple-meson correlation
- important at high-density region



# New complex G-matrix interaction (CEG07)



$$\frac{E}{A} = \frac{3}{5} \frac{k_F^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k_1, k_2 < k_F} \langle k_1 k_2 | G(\omega) | k_1 k_2 \rangle$$

**CEG07b**

+Three body repulsive (TBR)  
+Three body attractive (TBA)

**Decisive role to make the  
saturation curve realistic**

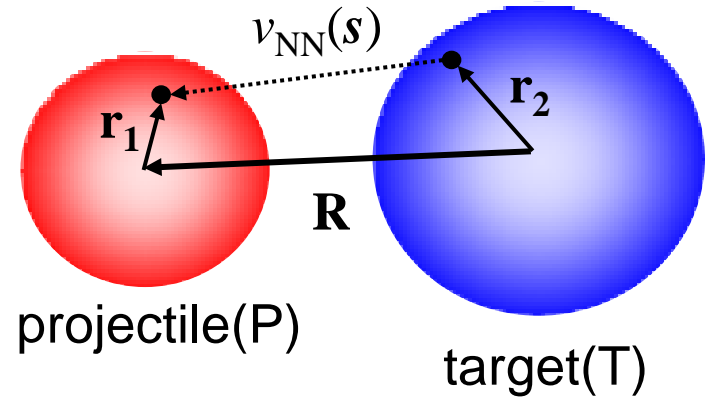
**CEG07a**

With only Two-Body Force

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## Double folding Potential with complex-G (CEG07)



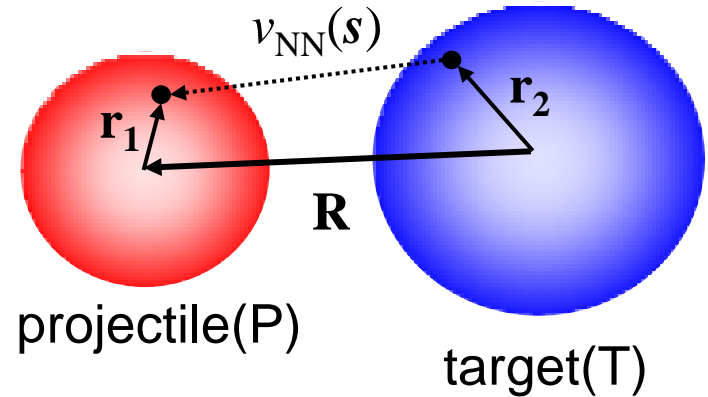
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 &+ \int \rho_1(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{s}) \rho_2(\mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_2 + \mathbf{s}) g_{EX}(\mathbf{s}; \rho, E) \exp\left[ i \frac{\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{s}}{M} \right] d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 \\
 &= V_{DFM}(\mathbf{R}) + iW_{DFM}(\mathbf{R})
 \end{aligned}$$

➤ **Complex** G-matrix interaction (**CEG07**)

$$g_{D,EX} = g_{D,EX}^{(real)} + i g_{D,EX}^{(imag)}$$

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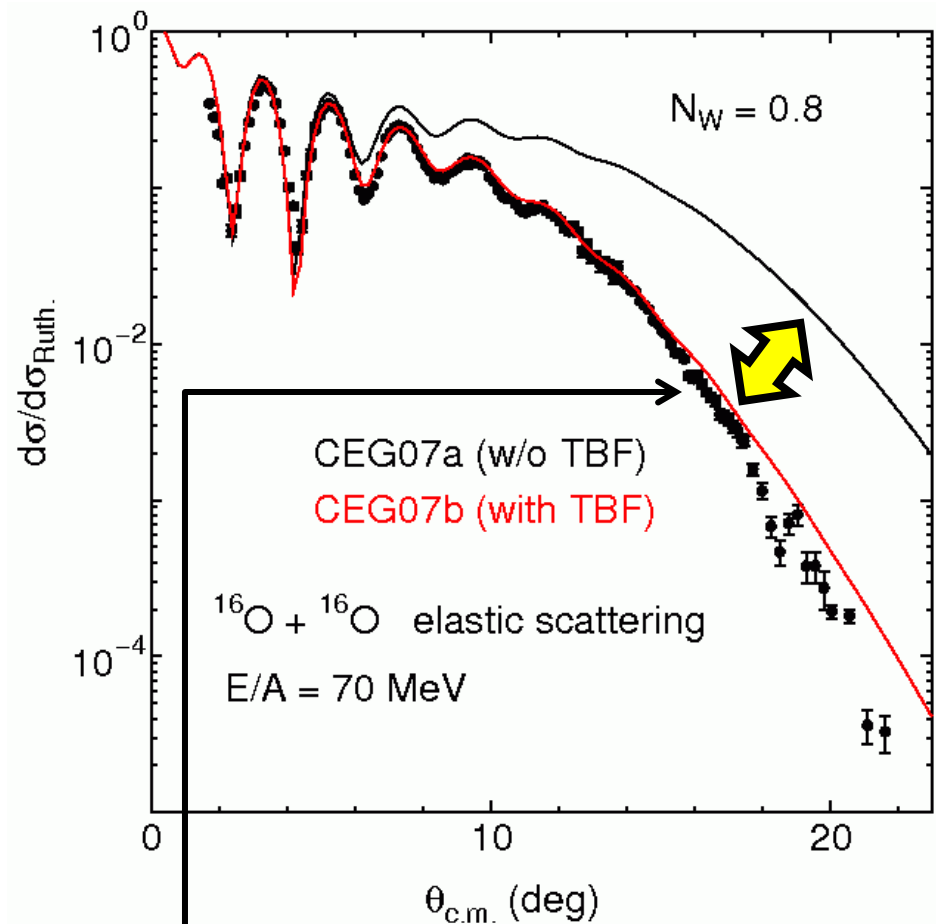
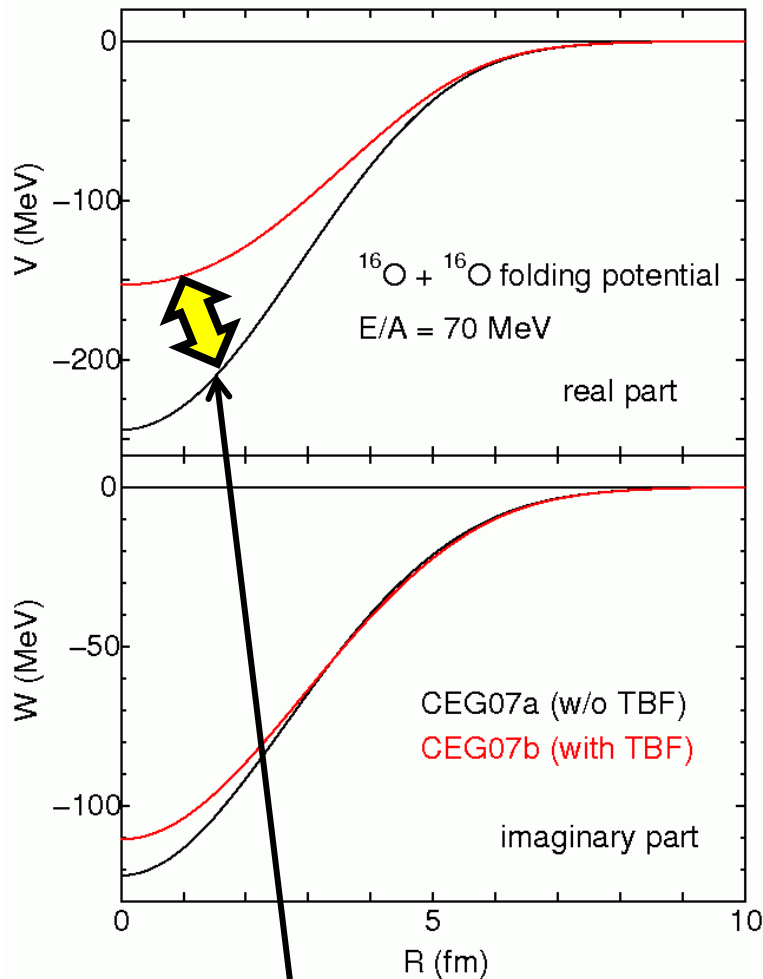


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✓ Renormalization factor for the **imaginary** part

$$\rightarrow U_{DFM} = V_{DFM} + iN_W W_{DFM}$$

# $^{16}\text{O} + ^{16}\text{O}$ elastic scattering $E/A = 70$ MeV

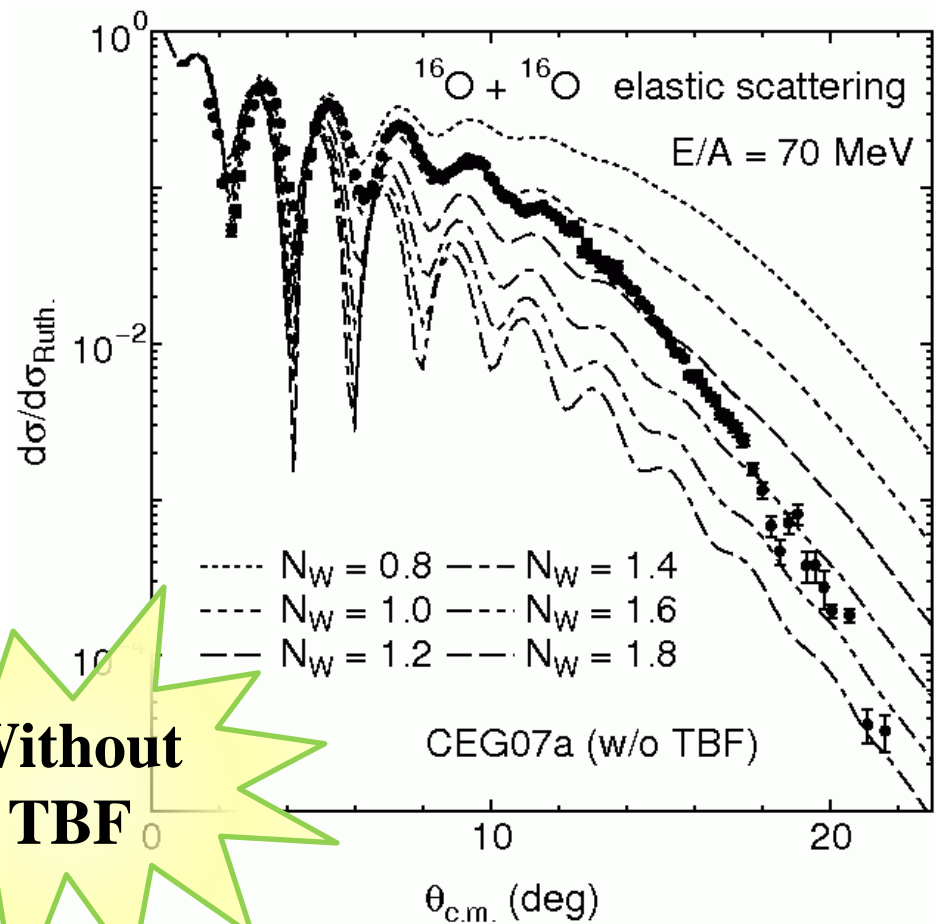
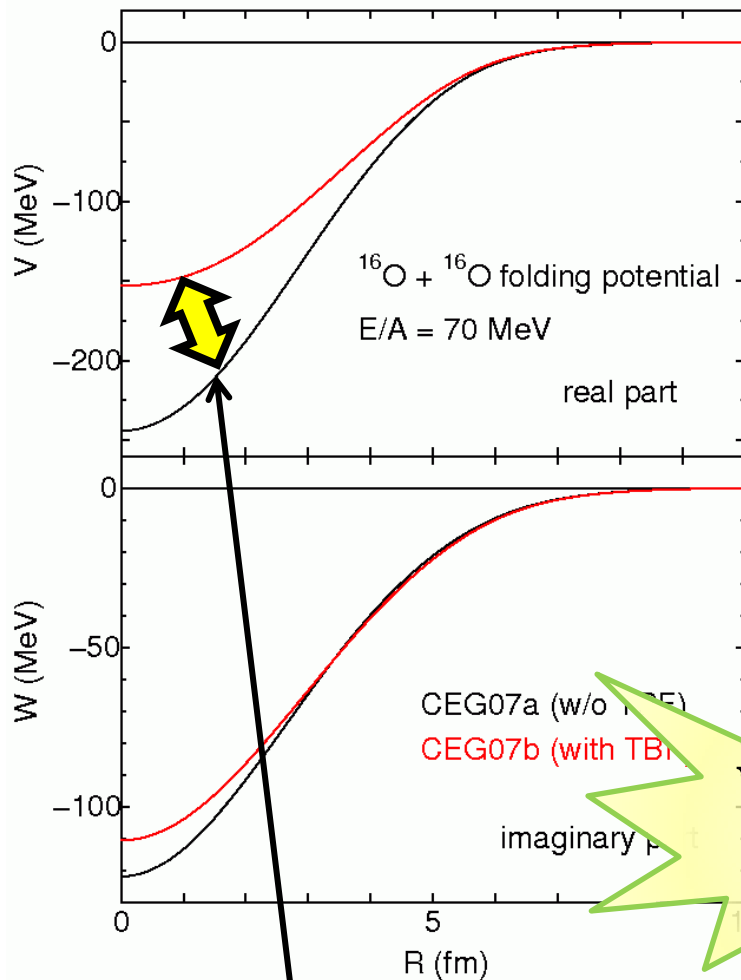


**important effect of three-body force**

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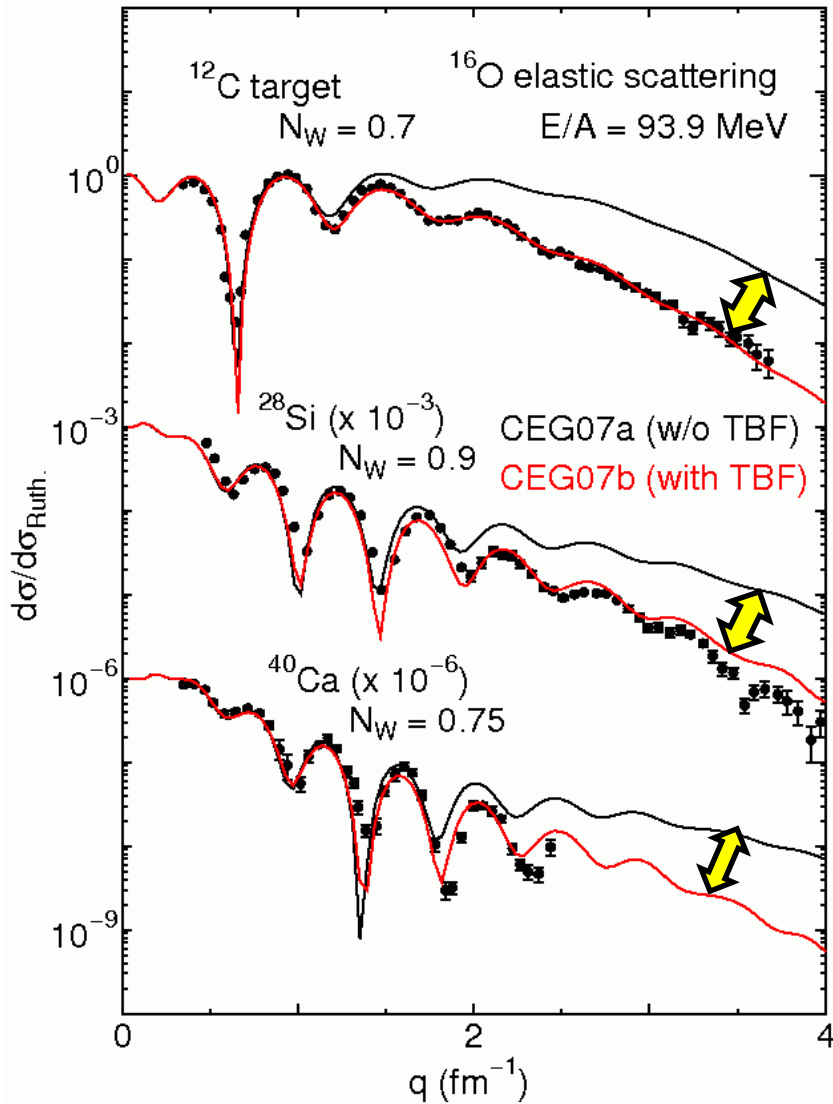
**Without  
TBF**

**important effect of three-body force**

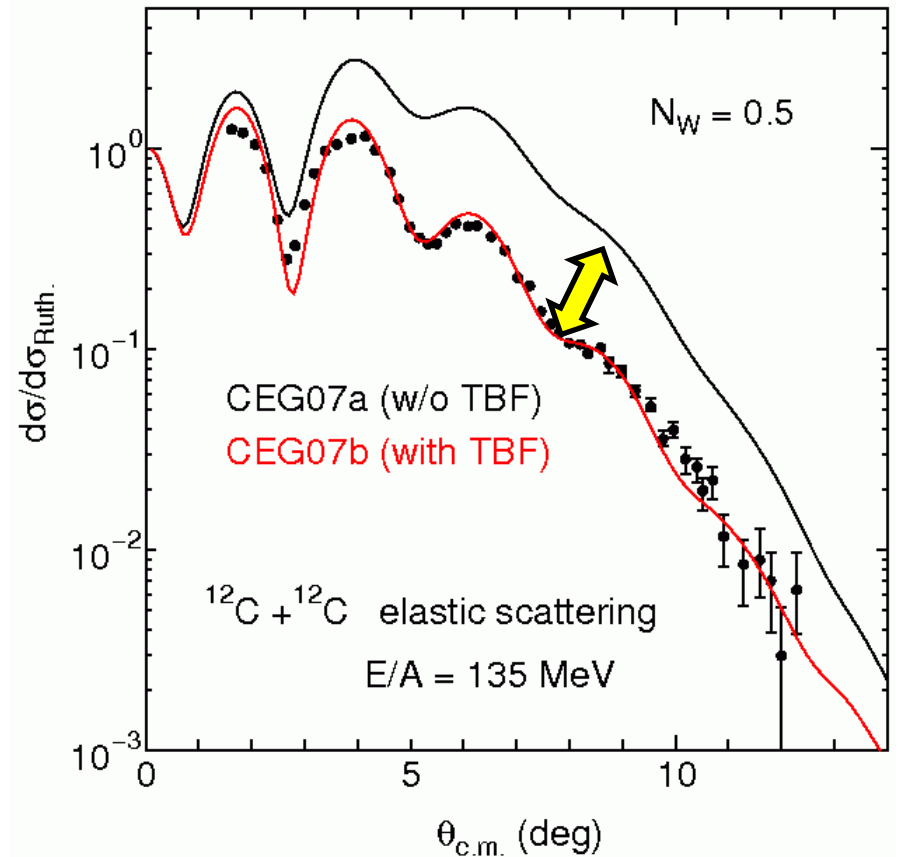
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# $^{16}\text{O} + ^{12}\text{C}, ^{28}\text{Si}, ^{40}\text{Ca}$



# $^{12}\text{C} + ^{12}\text{C}$ elastic scattering

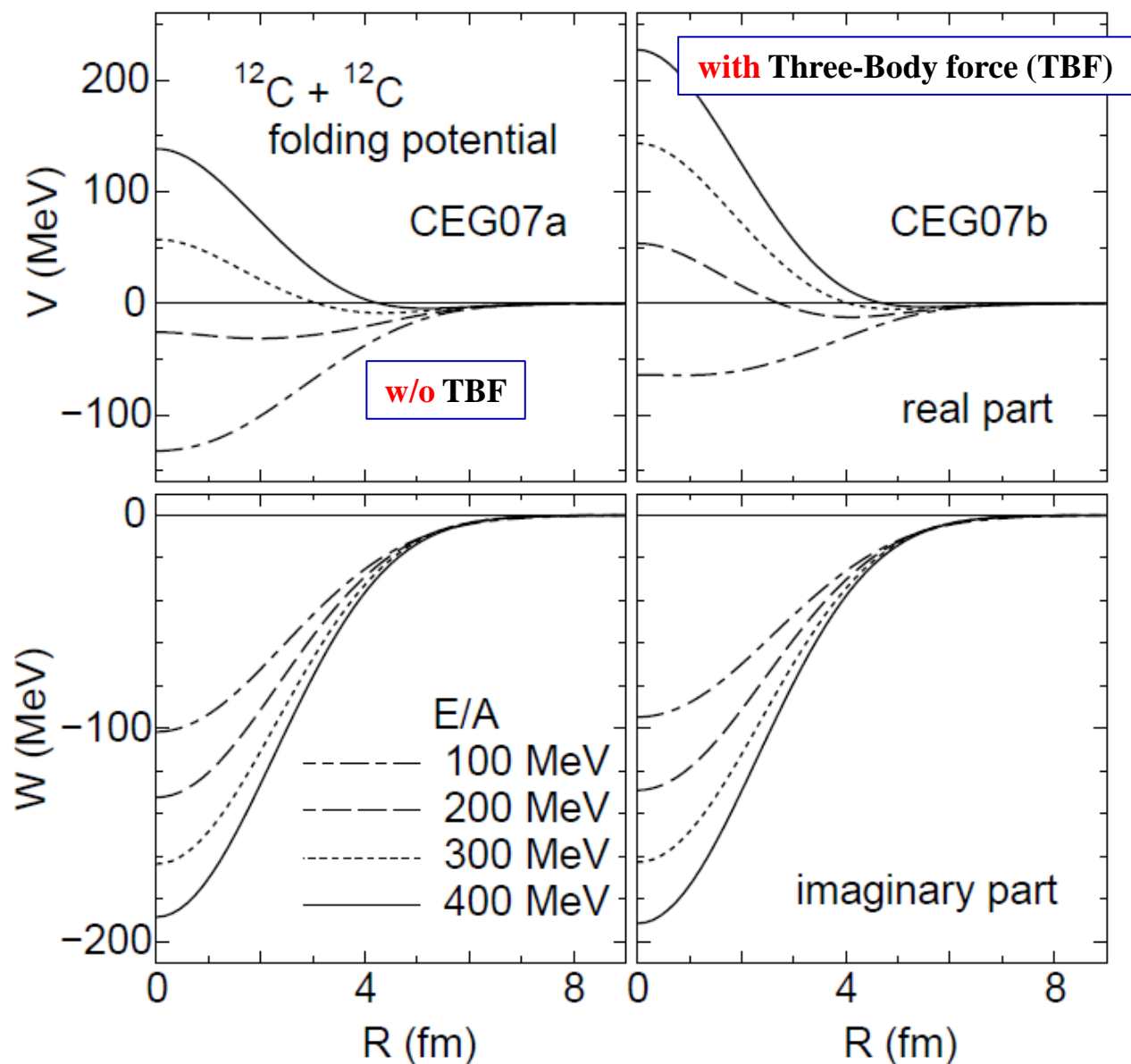


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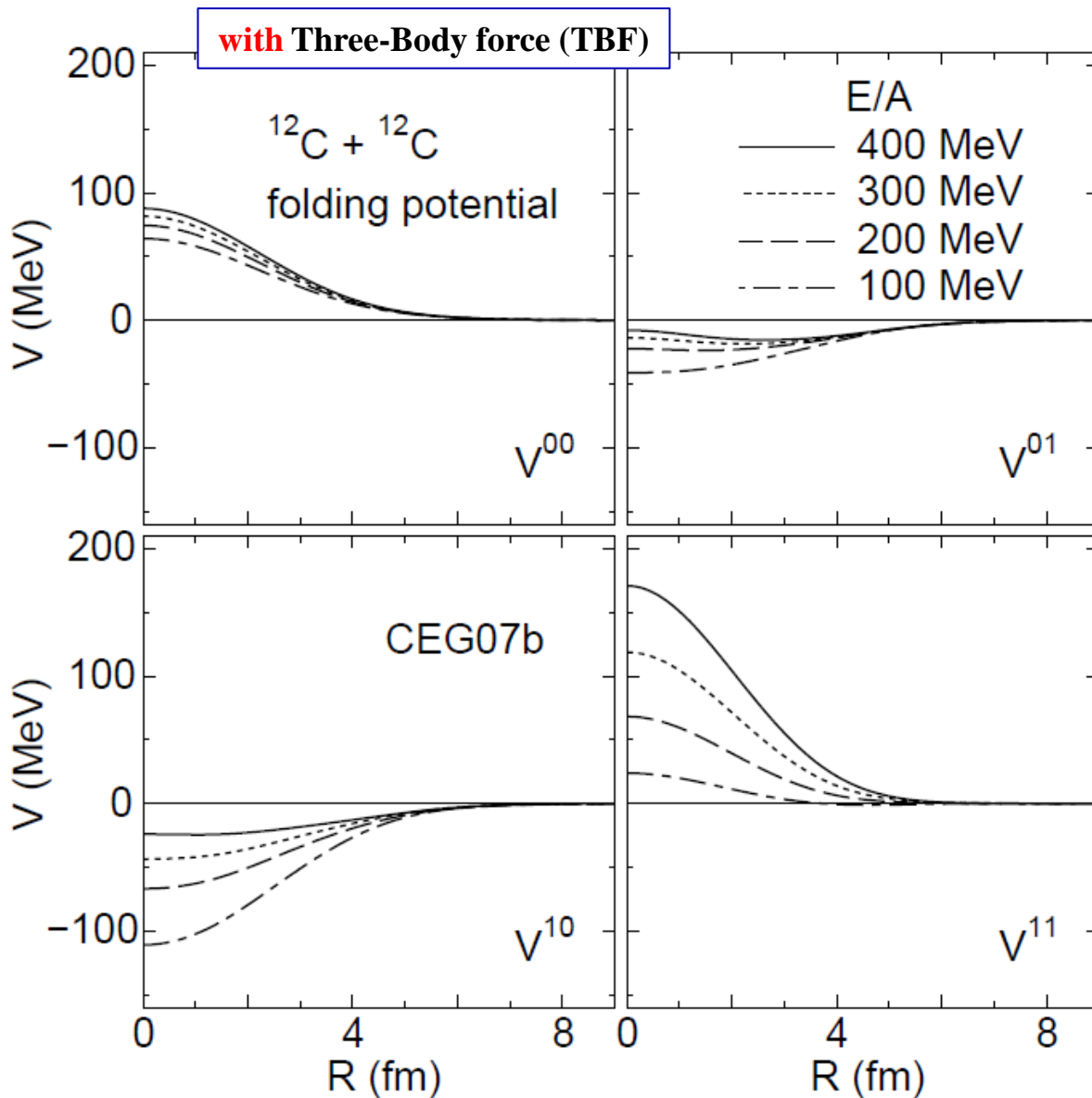
# $^{12}\text{C} + ^{12}\text{C}$ elastic scattering at $E/A = 100 \sim 400$ MeV

➤ real potential becomes **repulsive** around  $E/A = 300 \sim 400$  MeV



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**NN tensor force** plays an essential role in the **attractive-to-repulsive transition** of the **A-A potentials**



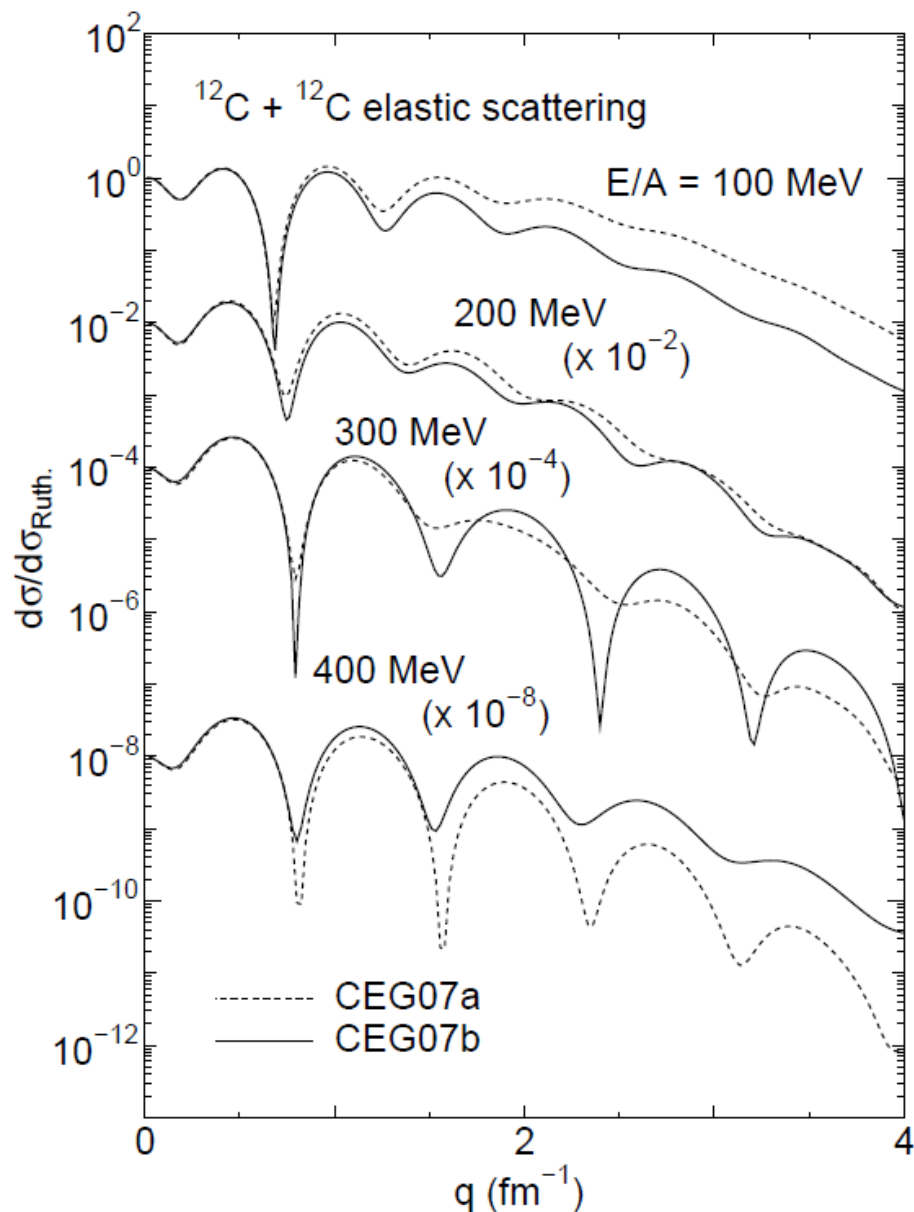
spin(S) and isospin(T)  
 components  $V^{ST}$   
 of folding potential

★ (S,T) = (0,0) and (0,1)  
 do not include the tensor  
 force.

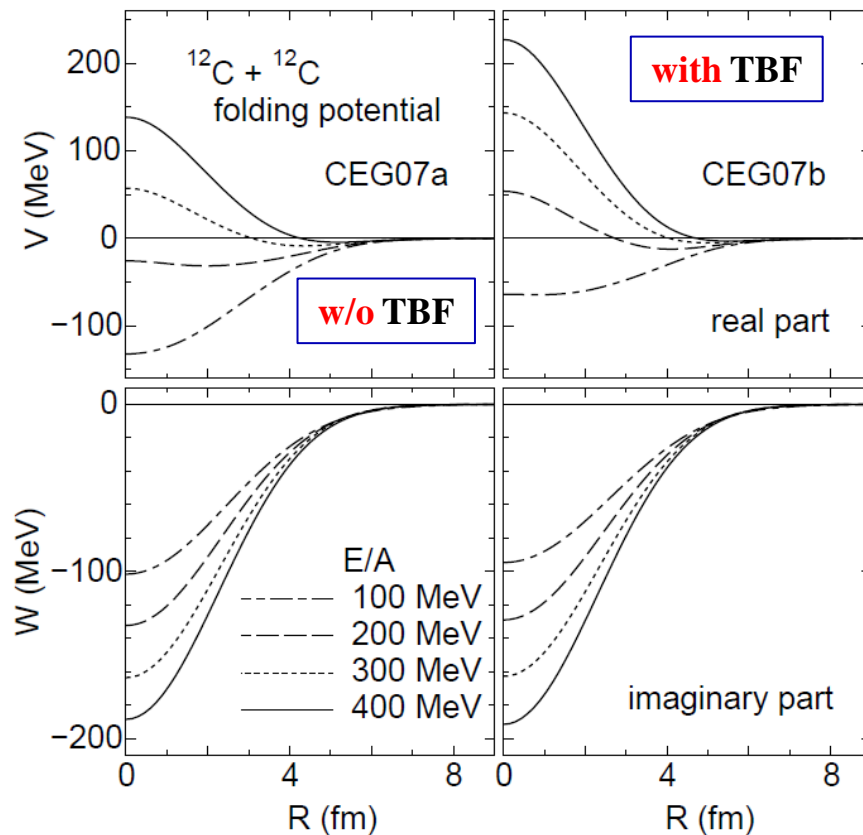
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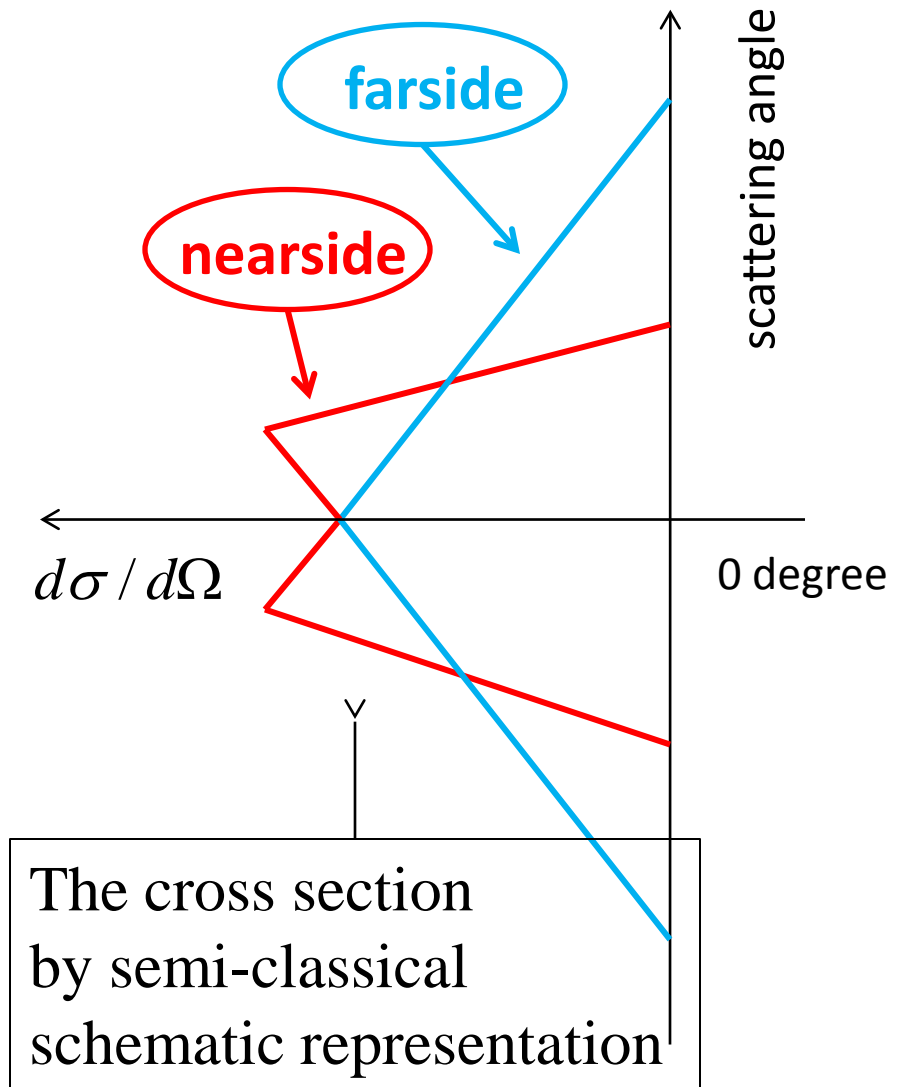
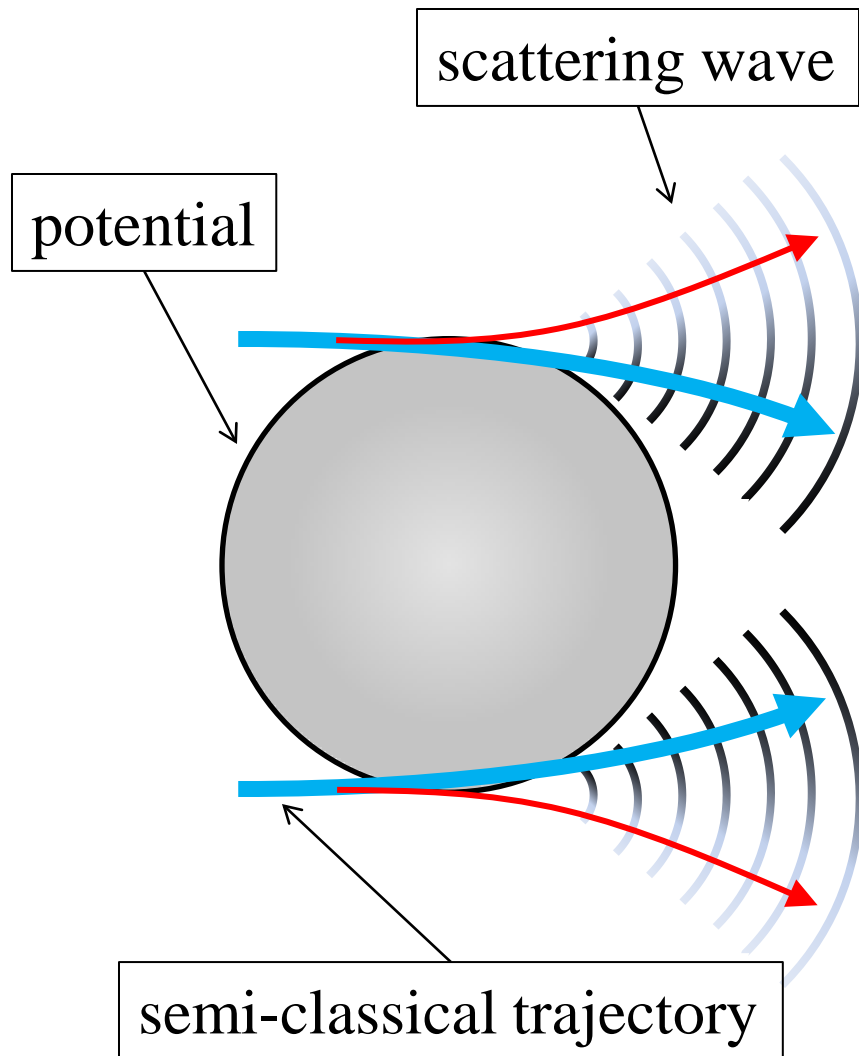


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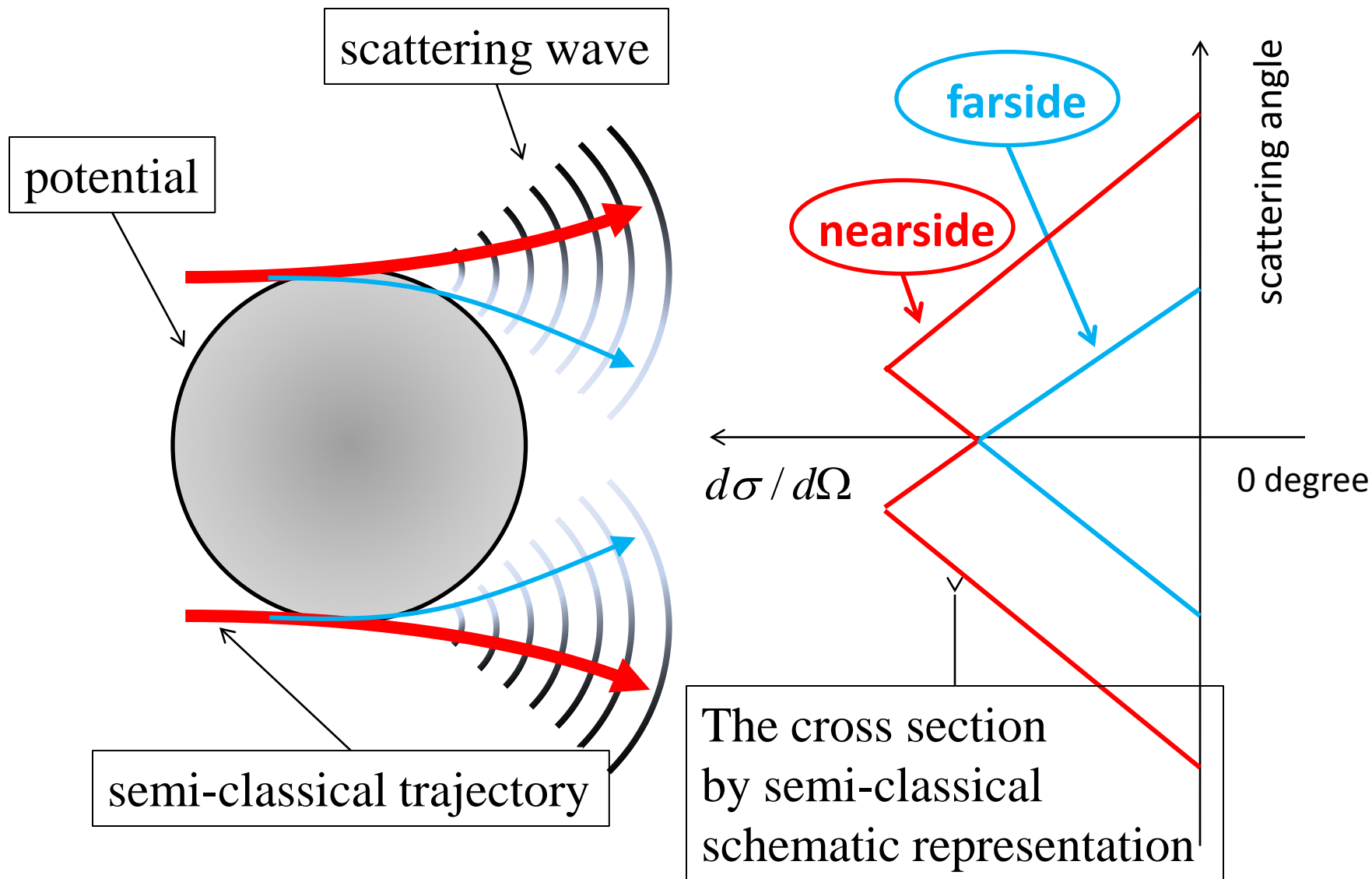


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# (a) Attractive potential ( $V < 0$ )



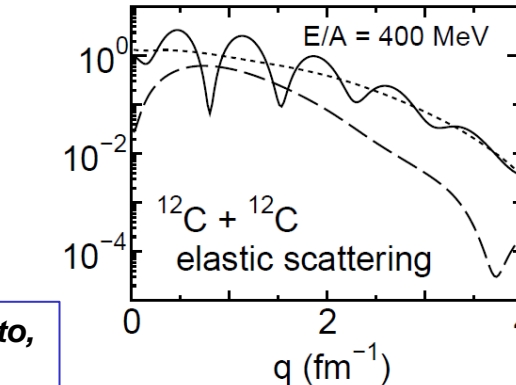
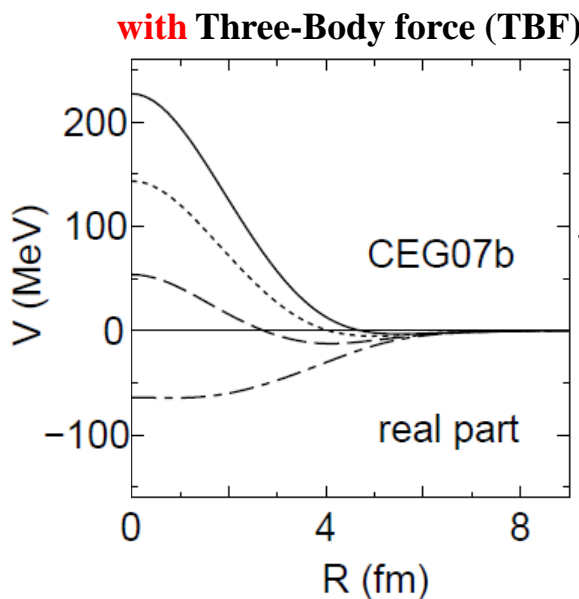
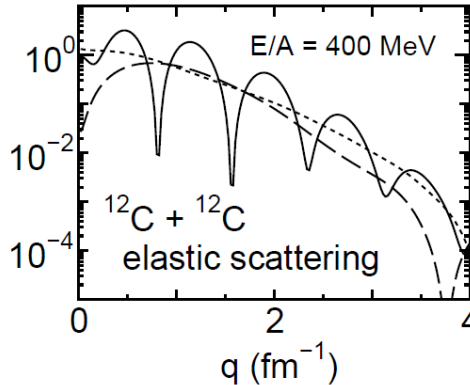
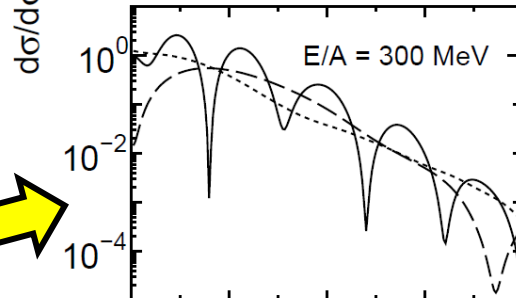
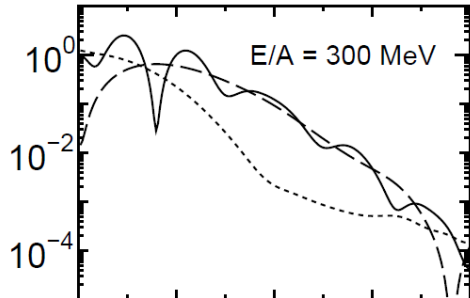
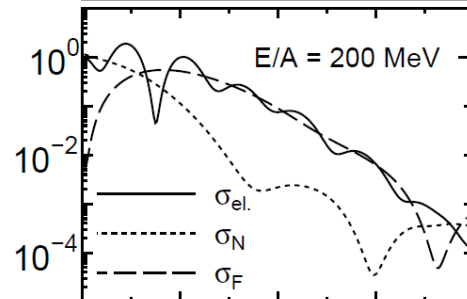
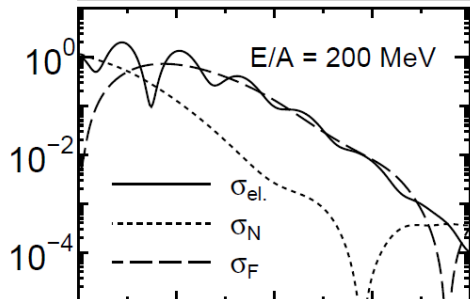
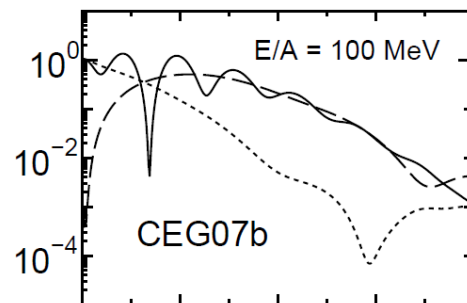
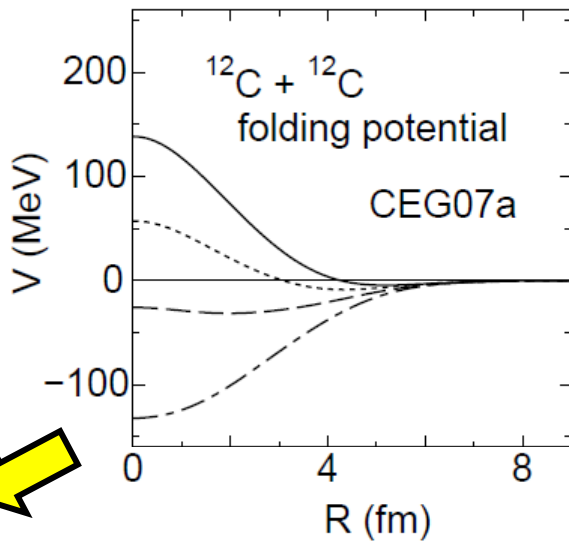
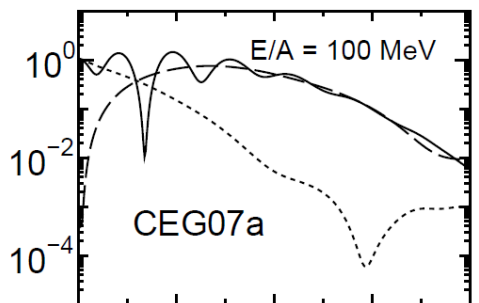
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**w/o Three-Body force (TBF)**

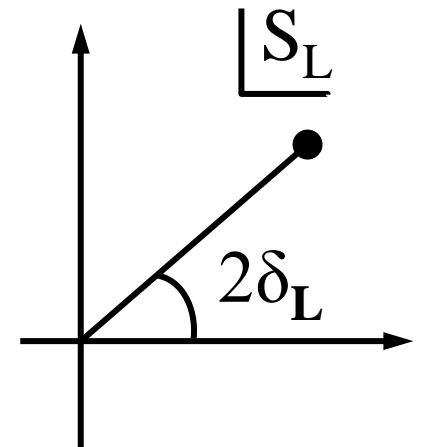
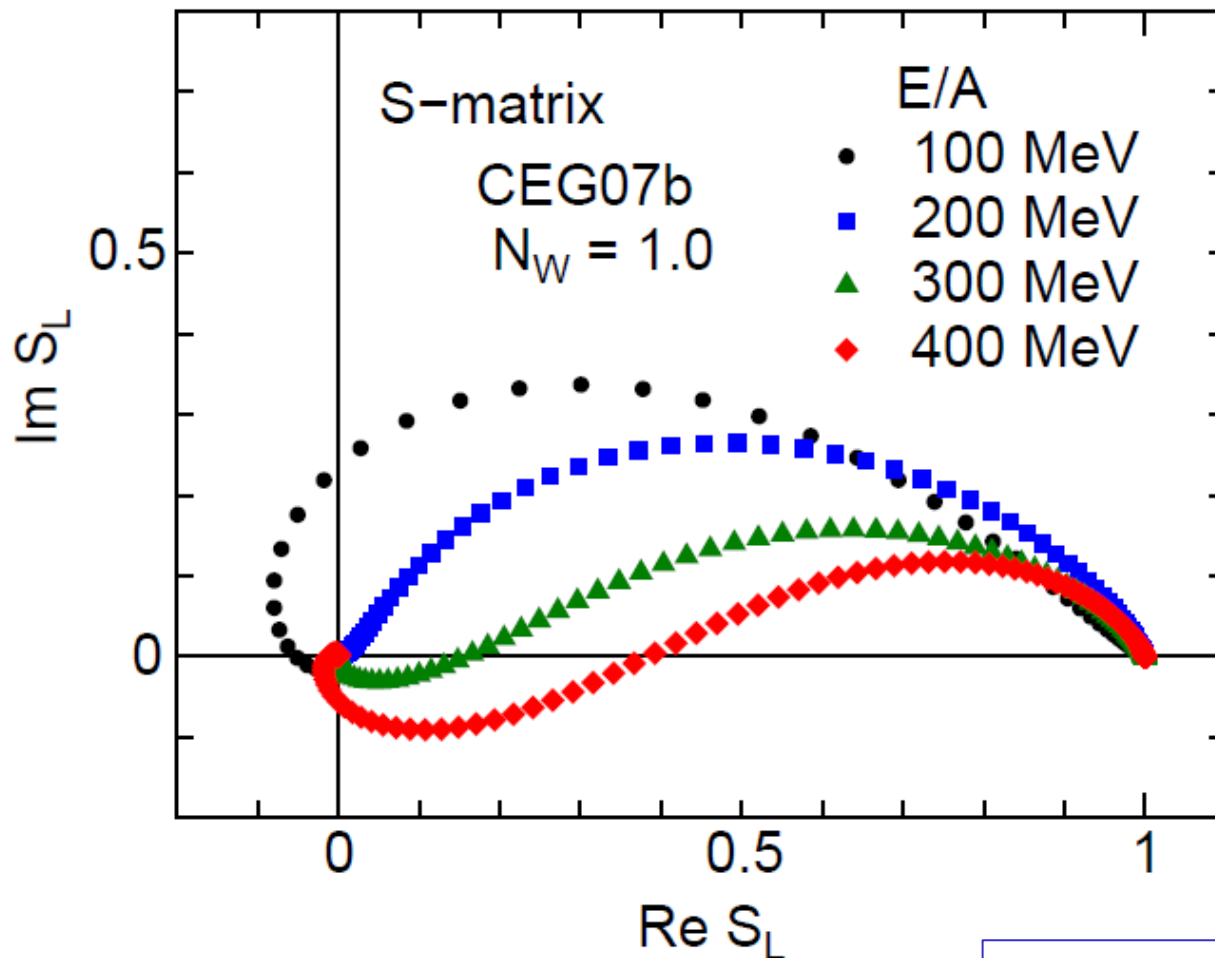
**w/o Three-Body force (TBF)**

**with Three-Body force (TBF)**



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# S-matrix elements of the $^{12}\text{C} + ^{12}\text{C}$ elastic scattering at $E/A = 100 \sim 400$ MeV with CEG07b (with TBF effects)



$$S_L = \exp(2i\delta_L)$$

$\delta_L < 0$  : repulsive  
 $\delta_L > 0$  : attractive

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# Summary & Conclusion

complex G-matrix folding model with a new G-matrix **CEG07** predicts that

- ✓ **attractive-to-repulsive transition** occurs also in heavy-ion optical potentials around  $E/A = 300 \sim 400 \text{ MeV}$   
→ *but, no experimental evidence* → **BIG CHALLENGE!**
- ✓ can be observed by *measuring the energy-evolution of elastic scattering angular distribution in the energy range of  $E/A = 200 \sim 400 \text{ MeV}$ .*
- ✓ new ingredients we have learnt are the important roles of
  - ① *repulsive three-body force (TBF) in nuclear medium*
  - ② *tensor force effects*