

# De-excitation tool for neutrino experiments:

## GEMINI+ +4 $\nu$

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TALYS: *H. Hu, **W.L. Guo**, et al., Phys. Lett. B 831 (2022) 137*

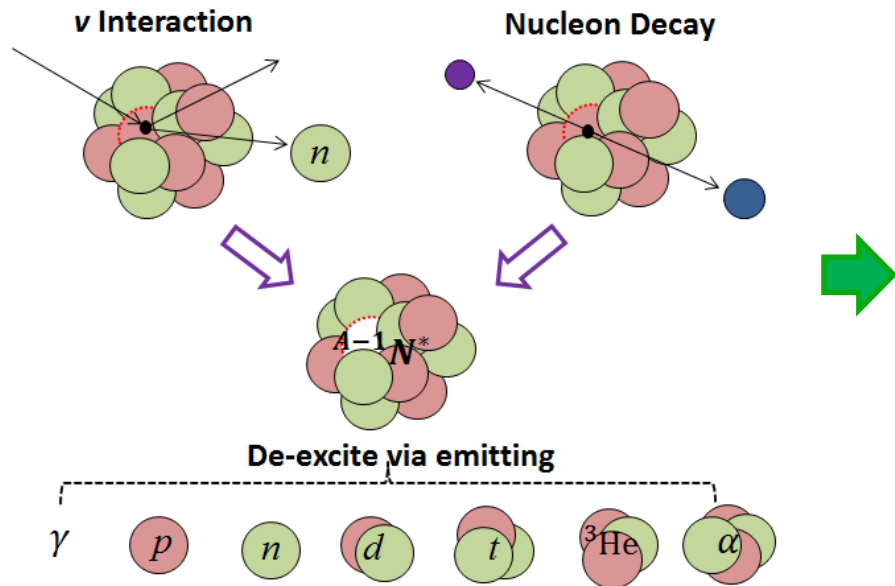
GEMINI++/4v: *Y.J. Niu, **W.L. Guo**, M. He, J. Su, arXiv: 2408.14955*



# (1) Motivation



Nuclear de-excitations in  $\nu$  experiments are playing an increasingly significant role associated with



- **Liquid scintillator**
  - neutrons
  - unstable isotopes
- **Water Cherenkov**
  - monoenergetic  $\gamma$
  - neutrons
- **Liquid Argon TPC**
  - Emitted particles

↑  $\frac{\text{Signal}}{\text{BKG}}$

However, no universally adopted and quantitatively accurate models to describe de-excitation cascade!



**Statistical model codes were widely used to predict de-excitations related to some topics**

1. **TALYS** →  $p \rightarrow \bar{\nu} K^+$ , DSNB, Strange axial coupling constant
2. **ABLA** → Energy resolution of accelerator neutrinos
3. **SMOKER** → Neutron invisible decays
4. **CASCADE** → Experimental data of  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  de-excitations

See arXiv:2408.14955  
for relevant references

**Common features of these codes:**

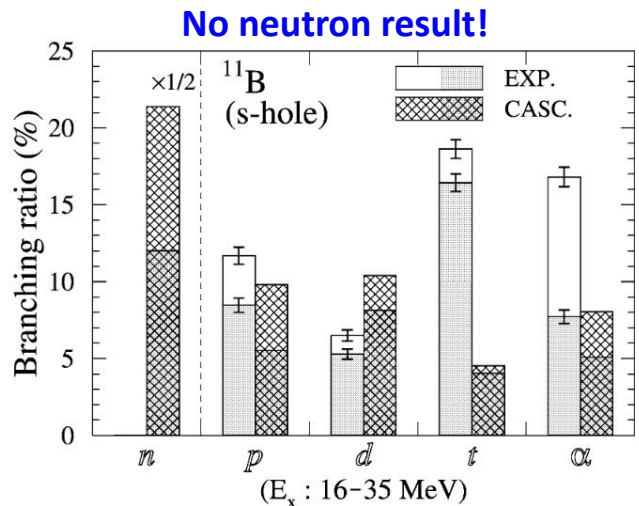
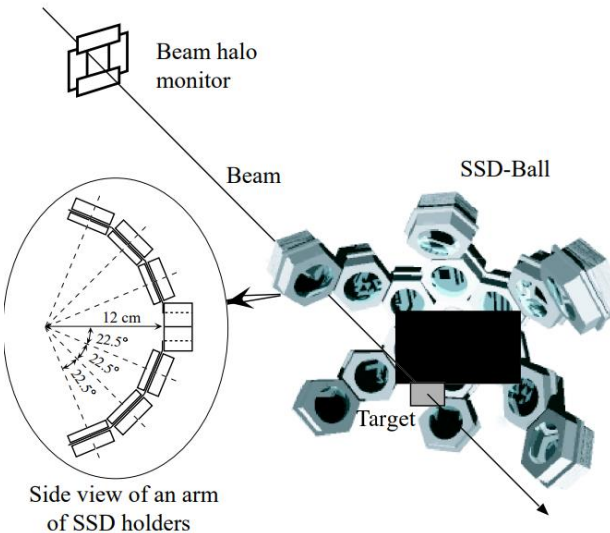
- Input Nucleus(N/A), Excited energy, Spin, Parity
- Apply nuclear model to calculate partial decay width for evaporation of particle  $i$
- De-excitations are dealt with as a sequential binary decays

***In order to assess performances of de-excitation codes, it is necessary to compare their predictions with measurements for interested nuclei.***

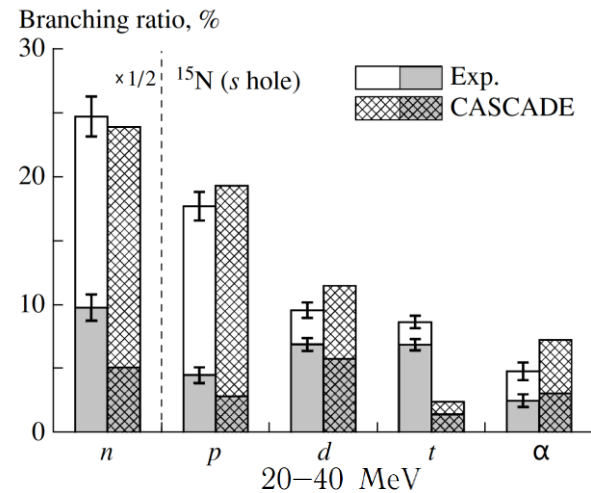
**$^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  experimental data are the best for us to validate these codes!**



# Experiment 1 from Yosoi et al.



M. Yosoi et al., Phys. Lett. B 551 (2003);

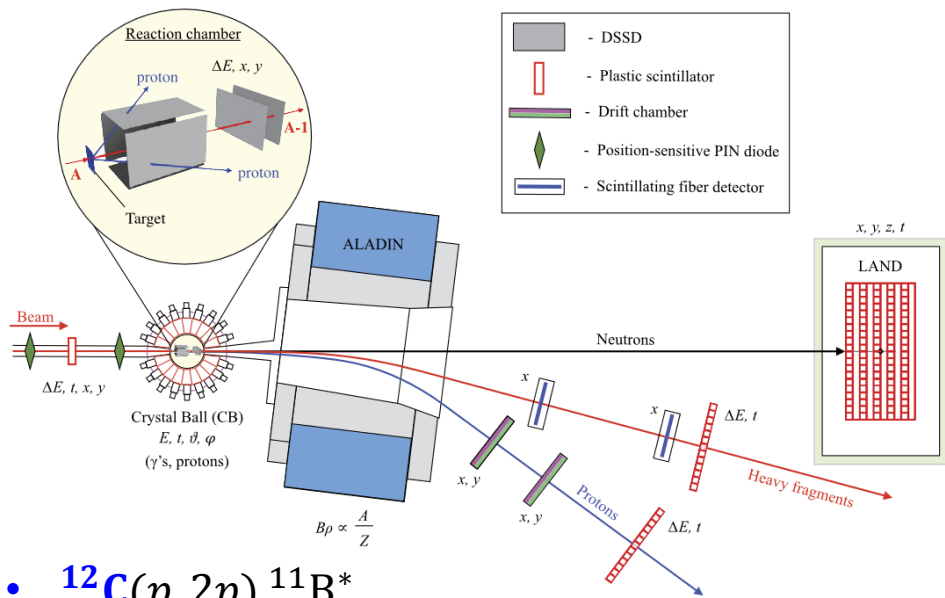


Phys. Atom. Nucl. 67, (2004) 1810

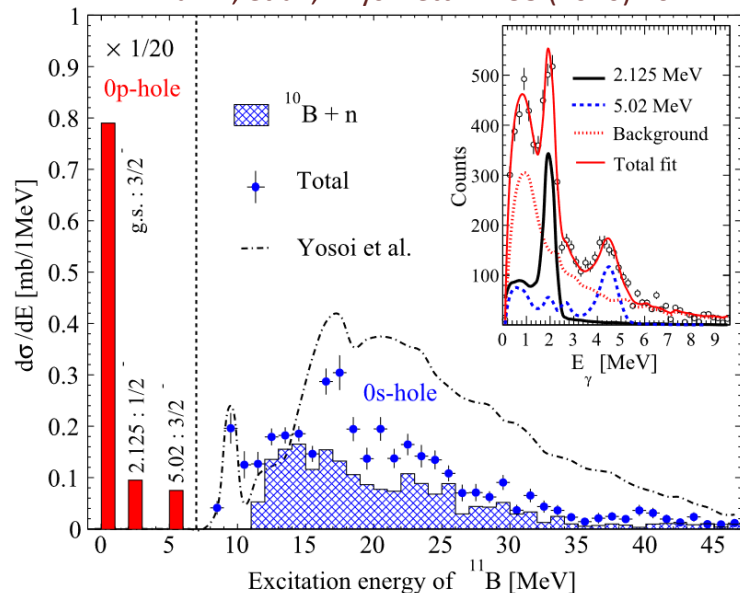
- Quasi-free ( $p$ ,  $2p$ ) reaction, targets are carbon ( $^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow ^{11}\text{B}^*$ ) and ice ( $^{16}\text{O} \rightarrow ^{15}\text{N}^*$ )
- Different thresholds: 3.1, 4.0, 4.6 and 4.5 MeV for  $p$ ,  $d$ ,  $t$  and  $\alpha$
- Results shown above, darker color for '2-body' decay and lighter for '3-body' decay



# Experiment 2 from Panin et al.



V. Panin, et al., Phys. Lett. B 753 (2016) 204



- $^{12}\text{C}(p, 2p) ^{11}\text{B}^*$
- Good energy resolution, no threshold for particle identification, even **residual nuclei**
- Only three **two-body decay** channels of  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  were analyzed:  $^{10}\text{B} + \text{n}$ ,  $^9\text{Be} + \text{d}$  and  $^7\text{Li} + \alpha$



**Two relative ratios:**  $\frac{n + ^{10}\text{B}}{\text{Total}}$ ,  $\frac{(d + ^9\text{Be}) + (\alpha + ^7\text{Li})}{\text{Total}}$



## (2) De-excitations from TALYS



**TALYS is a nuclear reaction program, and is extensively used for both basic and applied science**

<https://nds.iaea.org/talys/>

A.J. Koning, D. Rochman, Nucl. Data Sheets 113 (2012) 2841

Code	TALYS
Input	Nucleus, Excited energy table (spin, parity)
Formulism of width $\Gamma_i$	Hauser-Feshbach (HF)
Output	Statistical branching ratios and energy spectra
Convenience	Not event-by-event, Inconvenience

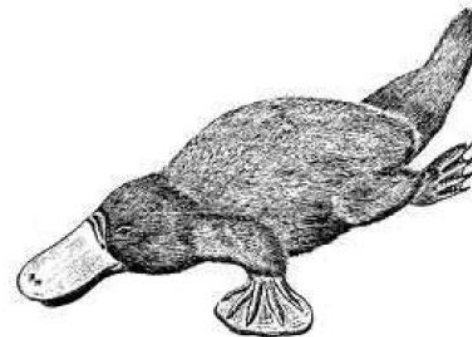
TALYS+Geant4 → NucDeEx → Event by event

See next talk or S. Abe, Phys. Rev. D 109 (2024) 036009

# TALYS-1.95

New Edition  
December 24, 2019

*A nuclear reaction program*



*User Manual*

Arjan Koning  
Stephane Hilaire  
Stephane Goriely



## Inputting

## B11\* Population

## Multiple emissions

## Not event by event

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USER INPUT FILE
# ----- basic
projectile 0
element b
mass 11
energy Ex_10MeV

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bin	Ex	Popul.	J= 0.5	J= 1.5
0	0.000	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
1	2.125	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
2	4.445	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
3	5.020	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
4	6.742	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
5	6.792	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
6	7.286	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
7	7.978	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
8	8.560	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
9	8.920	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
10	9.184	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
11	9.272	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
12	9.820	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
13	9.873	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
14	10.262	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
15	10.330	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
16	10.602	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
17	10.960	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
18	11.272	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
19	11.450	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
20	11.600	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
21	11.893	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
22	12.040	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
23	12.554	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
24	12.917	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
25	13.137	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
26	13.160	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
27	14.040	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
28	14.340	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
29	14.563	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
30	15.290	0.000E+00	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
31	15.877	4.490E+02	4.490E+02	0.000E+00
32	17.096	1.168E+03	1.168E+03	0.000E+00
33	18.409	1.230E+03	1.230E+03	0.000E+00
34	19.822	1.336E+03	1.336E+03	0.000E+00
35	21.344	1.461E+03	1.461E+03	0.000E+00
36	22.983	1.511E+03	1.511E+03	0.000E+00
37	24.747	1.494E+03	1.494E+03	0.000E+00
38	26.647	1.455E+03	1.455E+03	0.000E+00
39	28.693	1.285E+03	1.285E+03	0.000E+00
40	30.896	1.194E+03	1.194E+03	0.000E+00

## $E_x$ spectrum:

152	1	0
153	3	0
154	5	0
155	7	0
156	9	0
157	11	0
158	13	0
159	15	0
160	17	1846
161	19	1795
162	21	1858
163	23	1776
164	25	1619
165	27	1449
166	29	1166
167	31	1036
168	33	920
169	35	755
170	37	608
171	39	594
172	41	484
173	43	481
174	45	422
175	47	381
176	49	373
177	51	321
178	53	274
179	55	259

Emission particle	Residual nuclei
$\gamma$	$^{11}\text{B}^*$
$n$	$^{10}\text{B}^*$
$p$	$^{10}\text{Be}^*$
$d$	$^9\text{Be}^*$
$t$	$^8\text{Be}^*$
$h$ (He3)	$^8\text{Li}^*$
$\alpha$	$^7\text{Li}^*$

Continue multiple emissions of secondary residual nuclei ;...until all nuclides are in ground state.

Fractions depend on nuclear model and  $E_x$ , Spin, Parity of B11

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Ga. Total exclusive cross sections
Emitted particles      cross section reaction
n p d t h a
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2.07032E+03 (g,g)
1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1.69535E+03 (g,n)
0 1 0 0 0 0 0 5.83451E+02 (g,p)
0 0 1 0 0 0 0 7.79416E+02 (g,d)
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3.75780E+02 (g,t)
0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1.90771E+01 (g,h)
0 0 0 0 0 1 0 4.54488E+02 (g,a)
2 0 0 0 0 0 0 9.14239E+02 (g,2n)
1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1.99535E+03 (g,np)
1 0 1 0 0 0 0 2.26789E+03 (g,nd)
0 1 0 0 0 0 0 7.42452E+01 (g,pd)
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1.01104E+02 (g,2d)
1 0 0 1 0 0 0 6.97048E+01 (g,nt)
0 1 0 0 1 0 0 4.35866E+01 (g,pt)
0 0 0 1 1 0 0 6.09453E+01 (g,dt)
1 0 0 0 1 0 0 8.92146E+01 (g,nh)
1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1.85022E+03 (g,na)
0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2.60059E+01 (g,pa)
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2.27855E+02 (g,da)
0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1.57928E+01 (g,ta)
3 0 0 0 0 0 0 1.71315E+03 (g,3n)
2 1 0 0 0 0 0 1.71315E+03 (g,2np)
1 2 0 0 0 0 0 1.66447E+02 (g,n2p)
2 0 1 0 0 0 0 1.59946E+00 (g,2nd)
1 1 1 0 0 0 0 3.95761E+02 (g,npd)
0 1 0 2 0 0 0 2.43055E+00 (g,n2d)
0 0 1 2 0 0 0 1.02639E+01 (g,2nd)
2 0 0 0 1 0 0 1.06419E+01 (g,2p)
1 1 0 0 1 0 0 2.15312E+02 (g,nt)
0 0 1 1 1 0 0 3.05659E+01 (g,pdt)
2 0 0 0 0 1 0 1.18952E+02 (g,2nh)
1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1.95448E+01 (g,nph)
2 0 0 0 0 1 0 4.91123E+01 (g,2na)
1 1 0 0 0 1 0 5.22685E+02 (g,npa)
3 1 0 0 0 0 0 3.32887E+01 (g,3np)
2 2 0 0 0 0 0 1.46930E+02 (g,2n2p)
3 0 1 0 0 0 0 1.16789E+01 (g,3nd)
2 1 1 0 0 0 0 1.34623E+02 (g,2npd)
1 2 1 0 0 0 0 2.73945E+01 (g,n2pd)
2 0 2 0 0 0 0 1.57760E+01 (g,2n2d)
1 1 2 2 0 0 0 3.95762E+01 (g,np2d)
1 2 0 1 0 0 0 6.33796E+01 (g,n2pt)
1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1.45623E+01 (g,npdt)
1 2 0 0 0 1 0 1.87126E+01 (g,n2pa)

Absorption cross section      : 4926.31348
Sum over exclusive channel cross sections: 17612.78516
(n,gn) + (n,gp) + ... (n,ga) cross sections: 0.00000
Total                          : 17612.78516
Initial population cross section : 22643.18750

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Branching ratios 7



# Change discrete level number of nuclides

In TALYS, all discrete states of all nuclides only emit  $\gamma$ , finally decay into their ground state

Lead to a wrong result, for example



If Be10\* is in 7th discrete state

Emitted flux per excitation energy bin of Z= 4 N= 6 ( 10Be):

bin	Ex	gamma	neutron	proton	deuteron	triton	helium-3	alpha	Total
0	0.000	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00
1	3.368	4.27753E+02	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	4.27753E+02
2	5.958	5.99935E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	5.99935E+01
3	5.960	1.01168E+02	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	1.01168E+02
4	6.179	1.77084E+02	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	1.77084E+02
5	6.263	6.35393E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	6.35393E+01
6	7.371	5.62423E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	5.62423E+00
7	7.542	3.40607E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	3.40607E+01
8	9.270	3.15495E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	3.15495E+00
9	9.560	1.80959E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	1.80959E+01
10	10.150	2.35273E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	2.35273E+00
11	10.591	3.47120E-04	3.17376E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	3.58777E-00	3.53257E+01
12	11.510	4.39747E-04	3.52765E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	5.88183E-00	4.11587E+01
13	12.509	5.78110E-04	4.03321E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	6.45328E-00	4.67860E+01
14	13.595	9.19605E-04	4.66271E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	7.44623E-00	5.30742E+01
15	14.775	1.56067E-03	5.44424E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	8.37811E-00	6.28221E+01
16	16.058	2.77599E-03	6.05345E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	8.54838E-00	6.90857E+01
17	17.452	5.81825E-03	7.05929E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	1.36527E-01	0.00000E+00	7.87023E+00	7.86055E+01
18	18.967	9.47813E-03	7.62352E+01	0.00000E+00	0.00000E+00	5.76376E+00	0.00000E+00	6.36011E+00	8.83686E+01

Discrete states

Continuous states



E (level) (keV)	J <sup>π</sup> (level)	T <sub>1/2</sub> (level)	E (γ) (keV)	I (γ)	M (γ)	Final Levels
0.0	0+	1.51x10 <sup>+6</sup> y 4 % β <sup>-</sup> = 100	Be10 in NNDC			
3368.03 3	2+	125 fs 12 % IT = 100	3367.415 30	100	E2	0.0 0+
5958.39 5	2+	< 55 fs % IT = 100	2591.5 6 5958.0 6	>90 <10	M1 E2	3368.03 2+ 0.0 0+
5959.9 6	1-	% IT = 100	2591.5 6 5958.0 6	17 8 83 8	E1	3368.03 2+ 0.0 0+
6179.3 7	0+	0.8 ps +3-2 % IT ≈ 100	219.4 3 2811 7 6178	24 2 76 2	E1 E2 E0	5959.9 1- 3368.03 2+ 0.0 0+
6263.3 50	2-	% IT = 100	303.4 50 2894.9 50 6261.2 50	≤1 99 1 1 1	E1 M2	5959.9 1- 3368.03 2+ 0.0 0+
7371 1	3-	15.7 keV 5 % IT > 0 % n > 0	1412 4002	15 11 85 8	E1	5958.39 2+ 3368.03 2+
7542 1	2+	6.3 keV 8 % α = 3.5 12 % n > 0	$^{11}\text{B}^* \rightarrow p + n + ^9\text{Be}^*$ $^{11}\text{B}^* \rightarrow p + \alpha + ^6\text{He}^*$			
9270	(4-)	150 keV 20 % n > 0				
9560 20	2+	141 keV 10 % α = 0.16 4 % n > 0				
10150 20	3-	296 keV 15 % α > 0				

To accurately give B11\* de-excitation results:

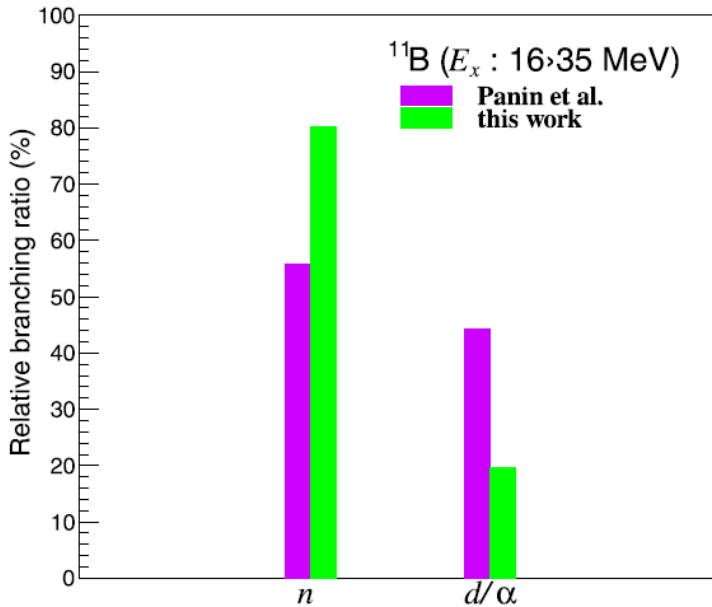
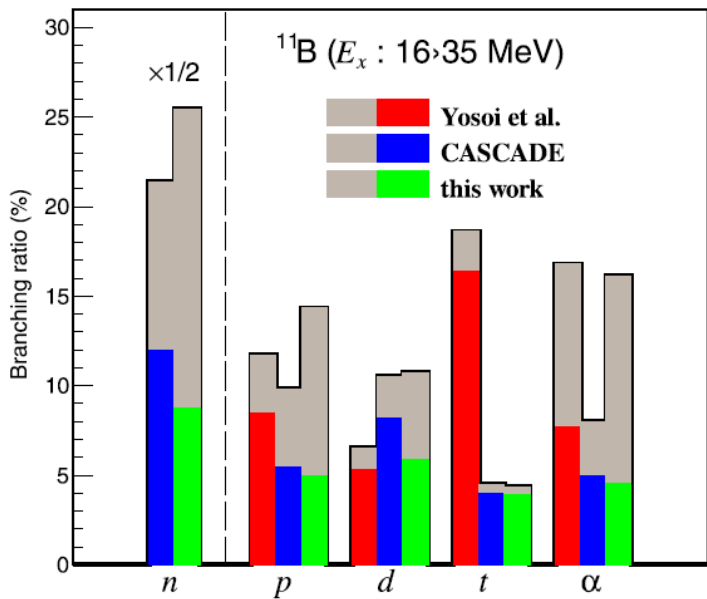
- Should know population of every discrete state **OK**
- Should know decay BRs of every discrete state **X**

To reduce uncertainty, we change discrete level number:

Nuclide	<sup>10</sup> B	<sup>9</sup> B	<sup>8</sup> B	<sup>10</sup> Be	<sup>9</sup> Be	<sup>8</sup> Be	<sup>7</sup> Be	<sup>9</sup> Li	<sup>8</sup> Li	<sup>7</sup> Li	<sup>6</sup> Li	others
Default	10	10	4	10	5	5	8	7	5	9	10	10
New	5	5	3	5	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	1



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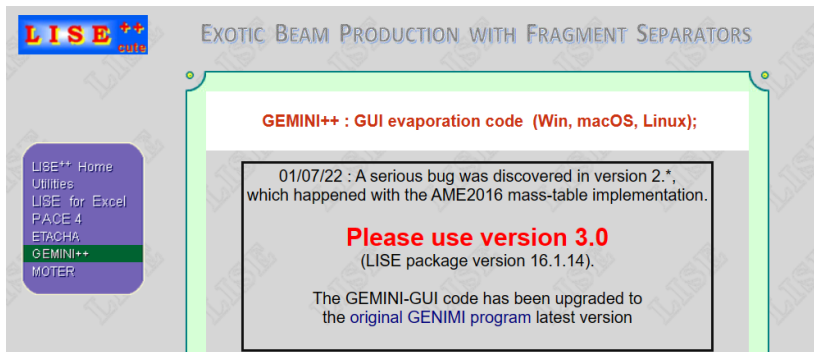
**TALYS can partially account for experiment data, bad for t mode!**



### (3) De-excitations from GEMINI++/GEMINI++4v



**GEMINI++: a Monte Carlo code, is an improved C++ version based on GEMINI**



R. J. Charity, PRC 82 (2010), 014610; PRC 82 (2010) 044610  
<https://lise.frib.msu.edu/gemini.html>

Code	TALYS	GEMINI++
Input	Nucleus, Excited energy table (spin, parity)	Nucleus, Excited energy, Spin
Formulism of width $\Gamma_i$	Hauser-Feshbach (HF)	HF or <b>Weisskopf-Ewing (WE)</b>
Output	Statistical branching ratios and energy spectra	Complete de-excitation cascade
Convenience	Not event-by-event, Inconvenience	<i>Event-by-event, Convenience</i>

This code has been extensively used in nuclear physics and got cheerful achievements

**GEMINI++, like other codes, is designed for handling complex fragment formation in heavy-ion fusion reactions, **light nuclei?****



For  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$ , the Weisskopf-Ewing formalism is used in GEMINI++

$$\Gamma_i^{WE} = \frac{2S_i + 1}{2\pi\rho^0(E_x)} \int \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (2l + 1)T_l(\varepsilon)\rho(U)d\varepsilon,$$

$\Gamma_i^{WE}$ : the partial decay width for evaporation of particle  $i$

$S_i, l$ : the spin and orbital angular momenta

$T_l(\varepsilon)$ : the transmission coefficient,  $\varepsilon$ : the kinetic energy of  $i$

$U$  :  $E_x - B_i - E_{rot} - \varepsilon$

$\rho^0, \rho$ : the SI level densities of the parent and daughter nuclei

**Back-shifted term  $E_1$ :**

$$\rho(U) \propto \frac{\exp[2\sqrt{a(U - E_1)}]}{a^{1/4}(U - E_1)^{5/4}},$$

**Pairing/Shell corrections  
= modify excited energy**

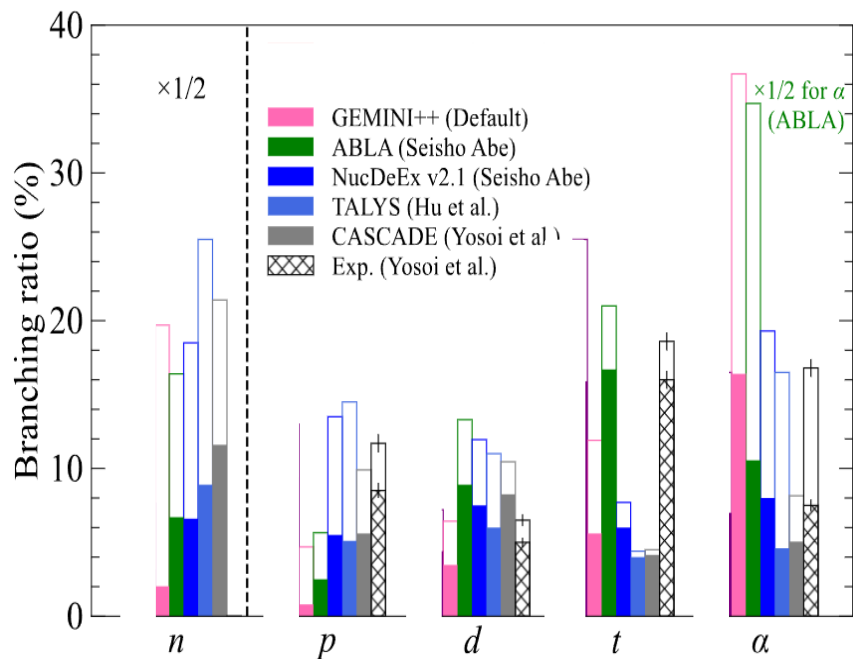
**Suppression factors  $F_s$ :**

$$\Gamma_i = \Gamma_i^{WE} \times F_s$$

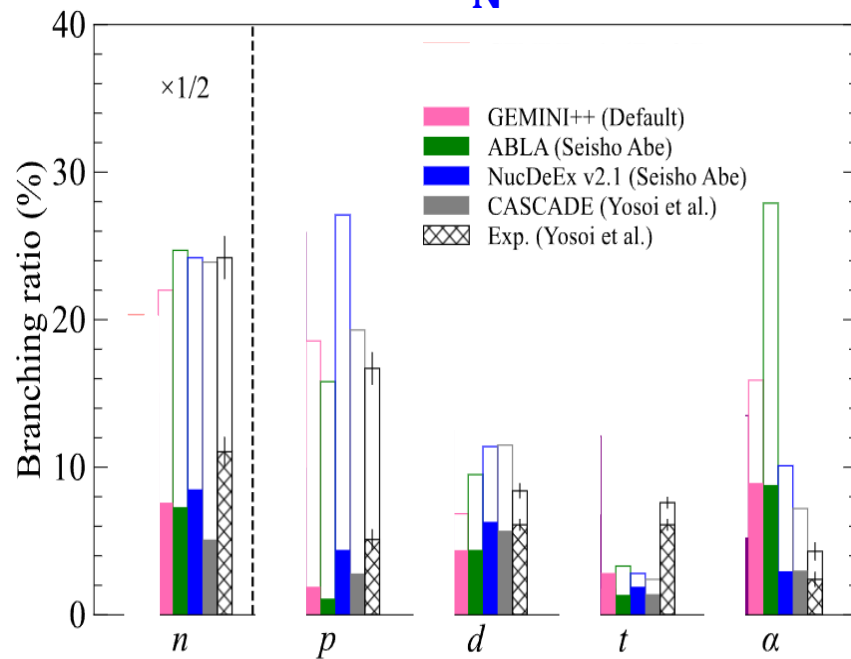
**Adjust its predictions  
Final results based on  $\Gamma_i$**



## $^{11}\text{B}^*$



## $^{15}\text{N}^*$



**GEMINI++ can't describe de-excitations of both  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  well**



## (4) GEMINI++4v



**GINIMI++4v** is developed for **neutrino** experiments to handle de-excitations of residual nuclei associated with  $\nu$  interaction and nucleon decay based on **GEMINI++** code

### Open source:

[https://github.com/NiuYJ1999/GEMINI\\_4nu](https://github.com/NiuYJ1999/GEMINI_4nu)

NiuYJ1999 / GEMINI\_4nu (Public)

A modification version GEMINI++ code designed for de-excitation

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### Making three reasonable modifications:

- ✓ Remove back-shifted term
- ✓ Add discrete states
- ✓ Remove/adjust suppression factors

main

Go to file Code

NiuYJ1999 tuning 3519635 · last month

ROOT	tuning	last month
gemini	tuning	last month
run	tuning	last month
README.md	solve discrete levels gamma decay and...	last month
bashrc.sh	test modify	last month

README



# Modification 1: Remove back-shifted term



The back-shifted term  $E_1$  is equivalent to reducing  $E_x$  of the compound nucleus

- ➔ Suppress emissions of massive particles compared with  $\gamma$  emission
- ➔ Massive particles will require a higher  $E_x$  to begin their evaporation

## Threshold values:

We simulate 5000 events for every interval of 0.1 MeV in the range of  $0 \text{ MeV} \leq E_x \leq 50 \text{ MeV}$ .

Modes	Theory	GEMINI++	GEMINI++ $4\nu$
$n + {}^{10}\text{B}$	11.5	12.2	12.2
$p + {}^{10}\text{Be}$	11.2	17.1	12.2
$d + {}^9\text{Be}$	15.8	16.6	16.6
$t + {}^8\text{Be}$	11.2	20.5	12.1
$\alpha + {}^7\text{Li}$	8.7	10.1	10.1

the back-shifted term  $E_1$  is not used properly for the case of light nuclei

No available  $E_1$



Remove  $E_1$



# Impact of Modification 1 on de-excitations

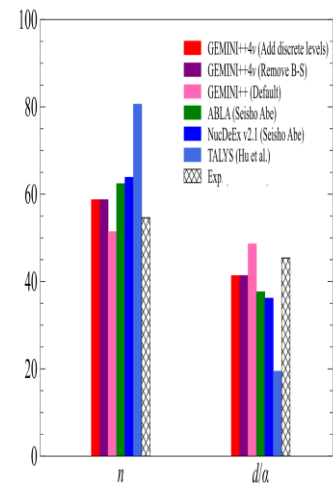
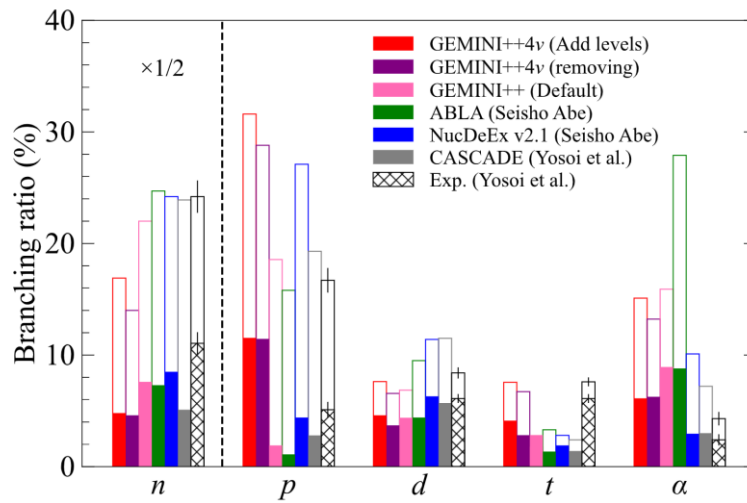
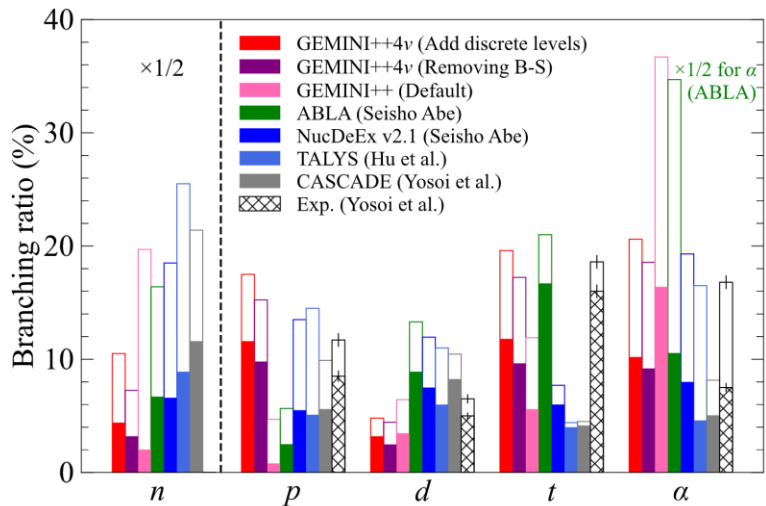


## $^{11}\text{B}^*$

### Yosoi Experiment

## $^{15}\text{N}^*$

### Panin Exp.



## Only Removing back-shifted term:

- Increase  $p$  and  $t$  BRs versus GEMINI++
- $^{11}\text{B}^*$ : basically agree with Exps 1 and 2
- $^{15}\text{N}^*$ : become worse for  $n$  and  $p$  BRs

Modes	Theory	GEMINI++	GEMINI++4v
$n + ^{10}\text{B}$	11.5	12.2	12.2
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### GEMINI++ only considers continuous levels

Daughter nuclei of de-excitations are usually left in discrete levels when its  $E_x$  is low



### Add discrete states :

Due to the unclear boundary between discrete and continuum states, we only consider the discrete levels:

- ✓  $E_x < 6 \text{ MeV}$
- ✓ Decay known

### Implement: modify outputs

- If the excited energy of parent nucleus in the last binary decay is higher than the highest discrete level considered obviously, this GEMINI++ event will be kept;
- If it is lower than all of the discrete levels, this state will be set as the ground state and the kinematics of the previous decay will be recalculated;
- If it lies between two discrete levels, we shall reset this state to the lower level and recalculate the kinematics of the previous decay.



# Impact of Modifications 1 and 2 on de-excitations

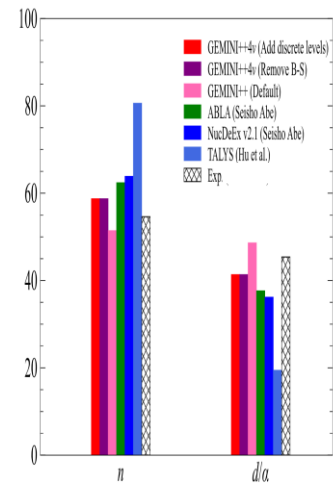
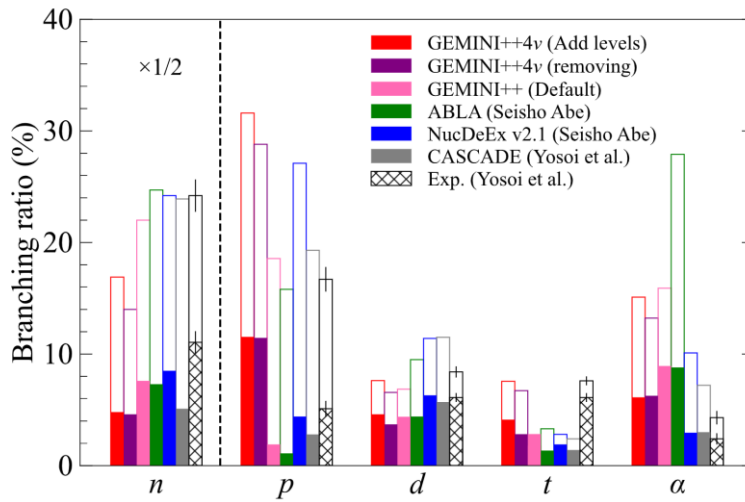
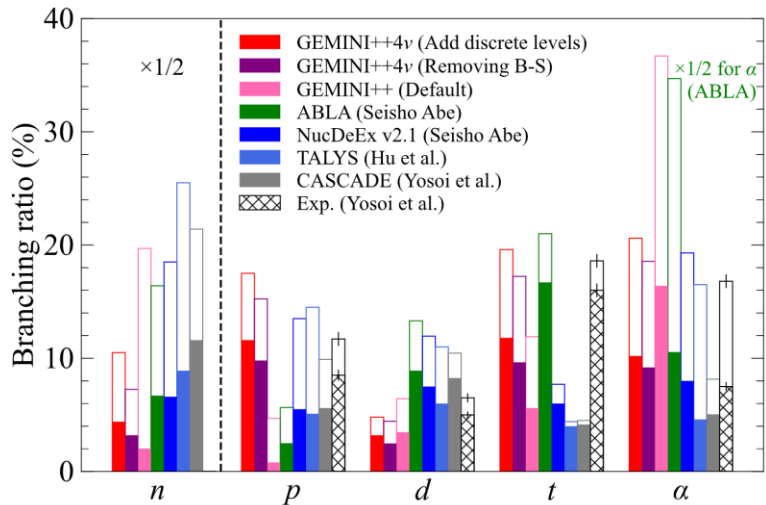


**$^{11}\text{B}^*$**

**Yosoi Experiment**

**$^{15}\text{N}^*$**

**Panin Exp.**



## Both Removing BS and Add discrete states:

- Increase all BRs of Exp. 1 versus Modification 1
- $^{11}\text{B}^*$ : basically agree with Exps 1 and 2
- $^{15}\text{N}^*$ : become worse for *p* and *alpha*

Including discrete levels can increase the kinetic energy of the finally emitted particles  
 → over thresholds



## Modification 3: Suppression factors



Default  $F_s$  settings originate from the de-excitations of heavy nuclei

Settings	$n$	$p$	$d$	$t$	${}^3\text{He}$	$\alpha$
Default	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0
$F_s = 1.0$	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
$F_s = 0.5$	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5

Are default settings reasonable for light nuclei?

- ➔ Don't use suppression factor to adjust results, namely  $F_s = 1.0$  for all particles
- ➔  $F_s = 0.5$  for all charged particles. Compared with default, only two changes



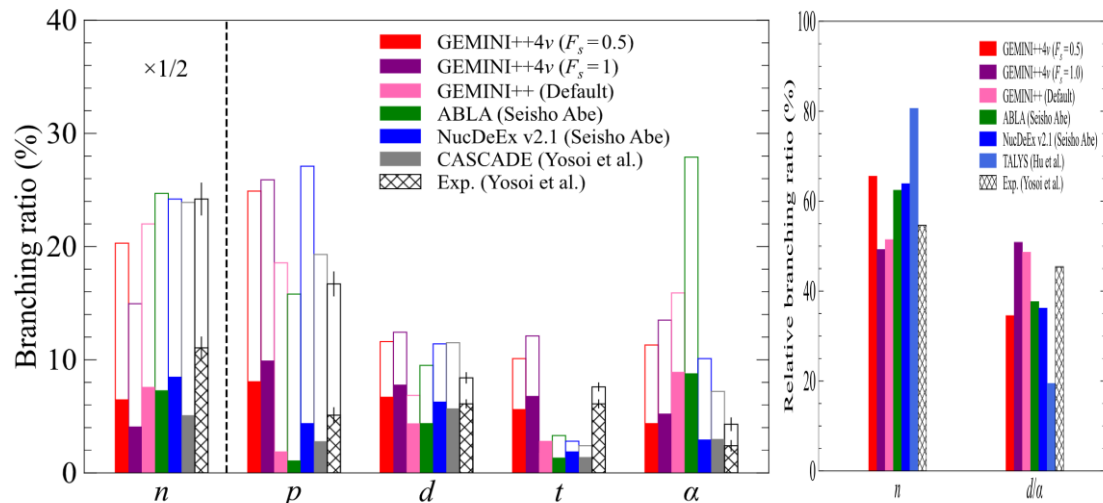
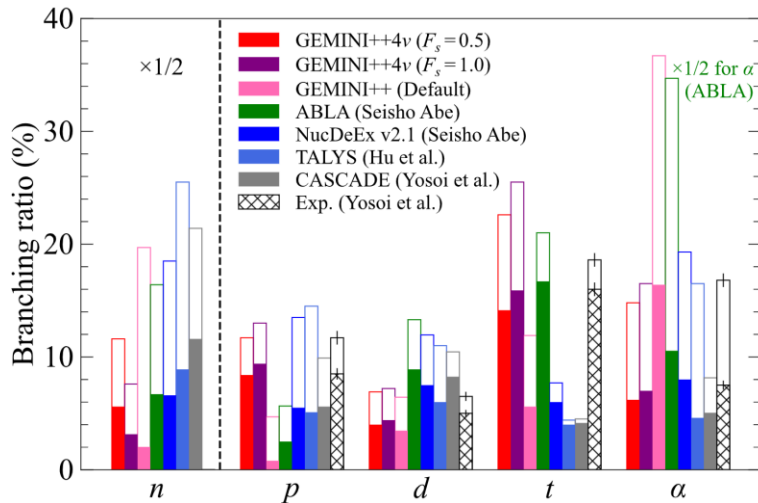
Including all 3 modifications, present both  $F_s = 1.0$  and  $F_s = 0.5$  results:

$^{11}\text{B}^*$

Yosoi Experiment

$^{15}\text{N}^*$

Panin Exp.



**GEMINI++4v with  $F_s = 1.0$ :**

- Good agreement with  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  data
- Can't account for  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  data well

**GEMINI++4v with  $F_s = 0.5$ :**

- Good agreement with  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  data
- Partially account for  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  data, include  $n$

**Recommend!**

This is the first time that a code can basically reproduce both  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  data

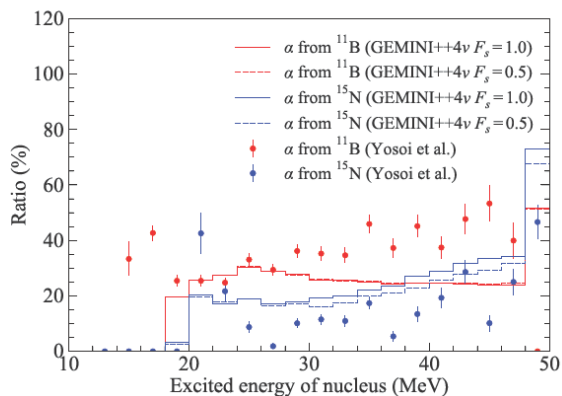
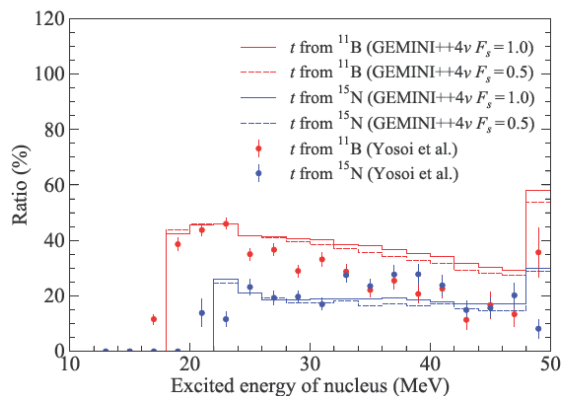
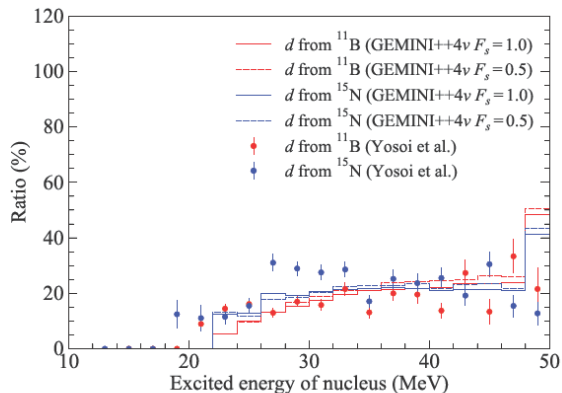
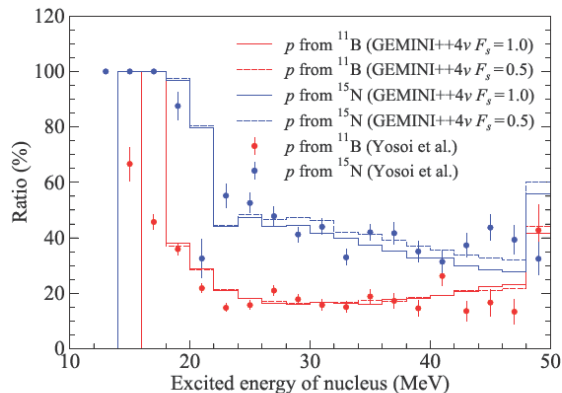


# Accidental coincidence check



Fixed energy ranges of  $16 \leq E_x \leq 35$  MeV for  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $20 \leq E_x \leq 40$  MeV for  $^{15}\text{N}^*$

➔ Compare the ratio of each type of charged particle emission among four types for every energy bin



- $F_s = 1.0$  and  $F_s = 0.5$  differences are relatively small
- Predicted shapes are basically consistent with data except  $\alpha$
- Discrepancy maybe come from  $^{11}\text{B}^* \rightarrow t + \alpha + \alpha$

**Not coincidental!**



- ◆ De-excitations are playing an increasingly significant role in  $\nu$  experiments
- ◆ De-excitation codes were widely used, should be compared with experimental data
- ◆ TALYS can partially account for experimental data, not event-by-event
- ◆ GEMINI++4 $\nu$  give the best predictions for both  $^{11}\text{B}^*$  and  $^{15}\text{N}^*$  de-excitations, event-by-event

*Thanks for your attention!*