

Onset of different excitation modes in the neutron-rich ^{78}As



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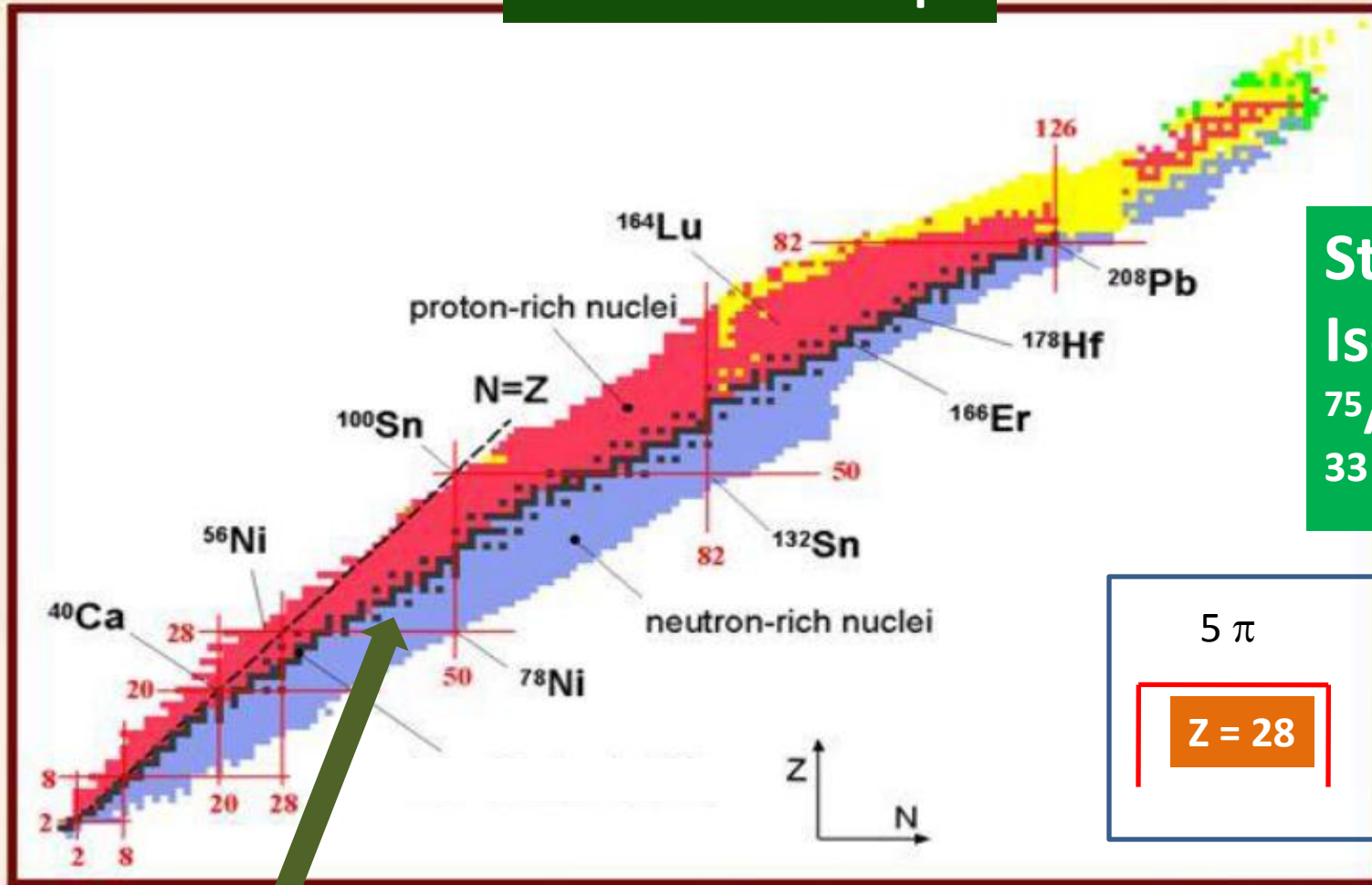
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Nuclear Landscape



**Stable
Isotope:**

^{75}As
33 42

5π

$Z = 28$

17ν

$N = 28$

Our Interest:

^{78}As
33 45

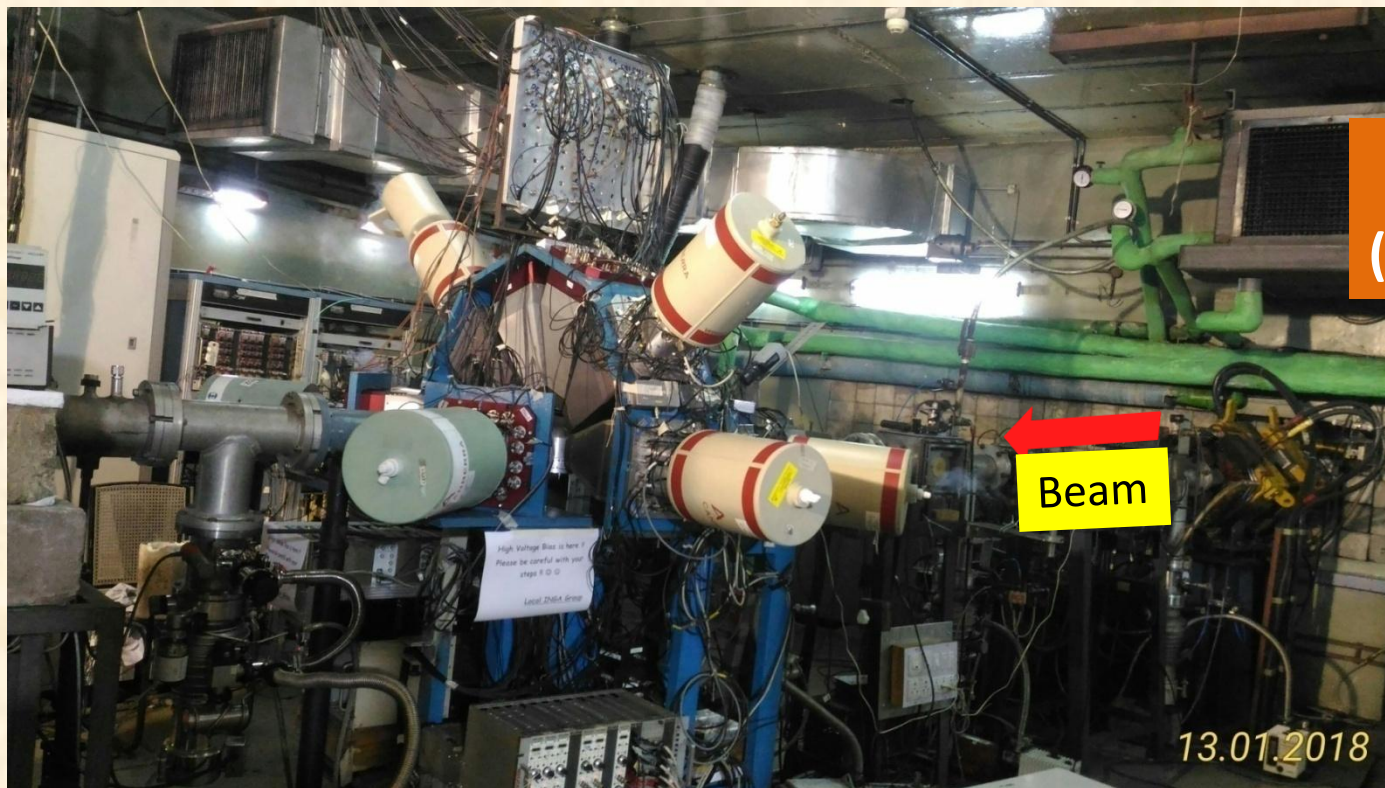
Neutron rich ?

Irregular → Regular

- ✓ fpg-shell nucleus
- ✓ mild collectivity
- ✓ Limited number of valence nucleons outside ^{56}Ni core ($^{56}\text{Ni} + 5\pi + 17\nu$)
- ✓ Possible on set of band structure

Experimental Details

$\alpha @ 30 - 40 \text{ MeV} + {}^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow {}^{80}\text{Se}^*$



${}^{78}\text{As}$
(1p1n channel)

Beam energy:
30 MeV
35 MeV
40 MeV

❖ De-excited gamma rays were detected using the **Indian National Gamma Array (INGA)** @ VECC, Kolkata

❖ The array was comprised of seven Clover detectors and one LEPS.

Detector Configuration:

4 Clover @ 90° 2 Clover @ 125° 1 Clover @ 40° 1 LEPS @ 40°

❖ Digital DAQ developed by **UGC-DAE CSR, Kolkata** was used

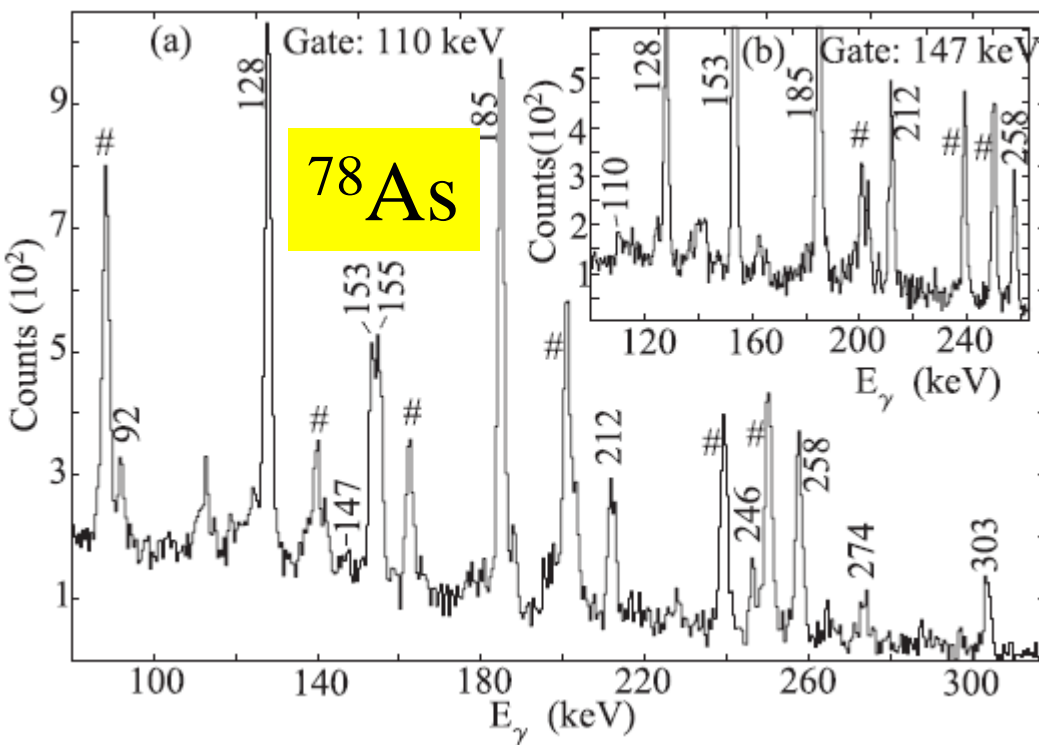
S. Das *et al.*, Nucl. Instrum. Methods Phys. Res. A 893 (2018) 138

Experimental Results

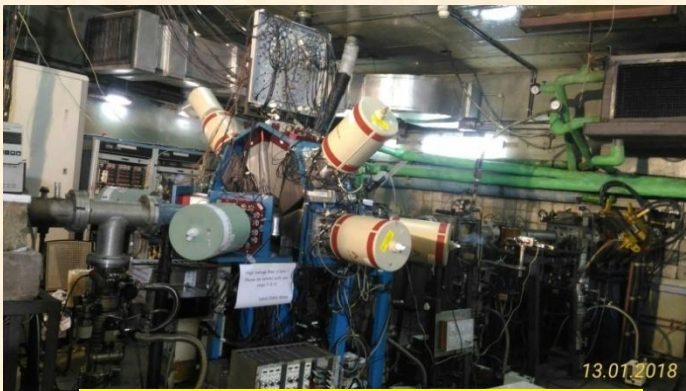
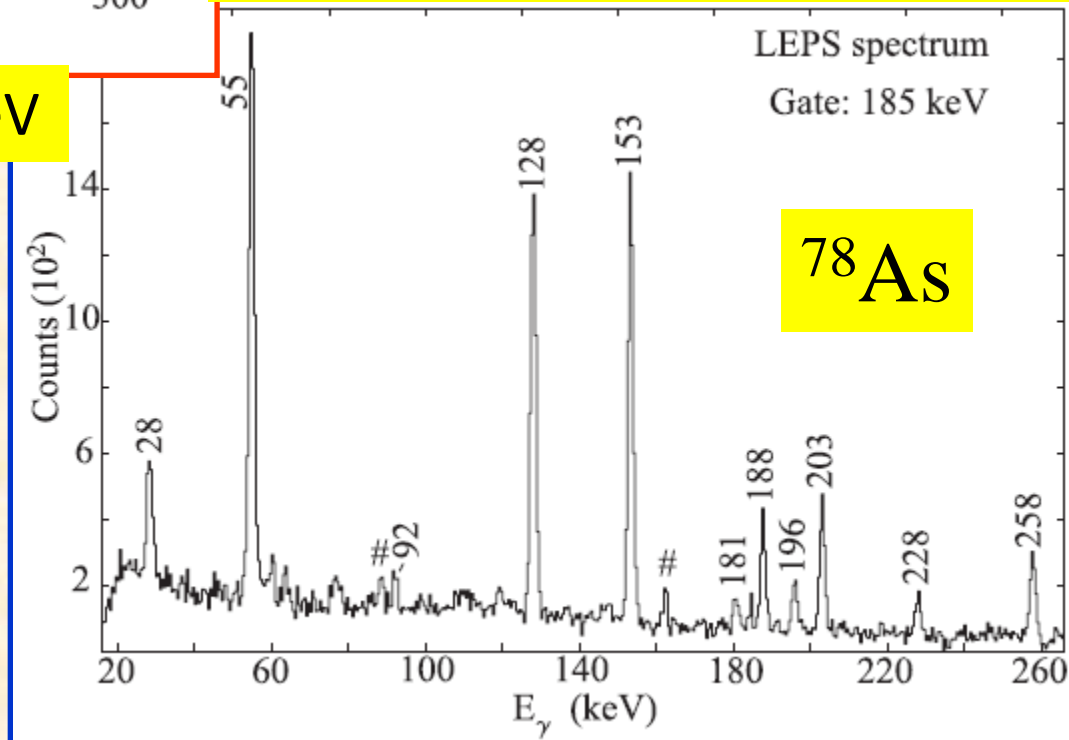
^{77}Se
(populated through 3n channel)

Peaks labeled by their
energies belong to ^{78}As

Spectrum from LEPS @ 40 MeV



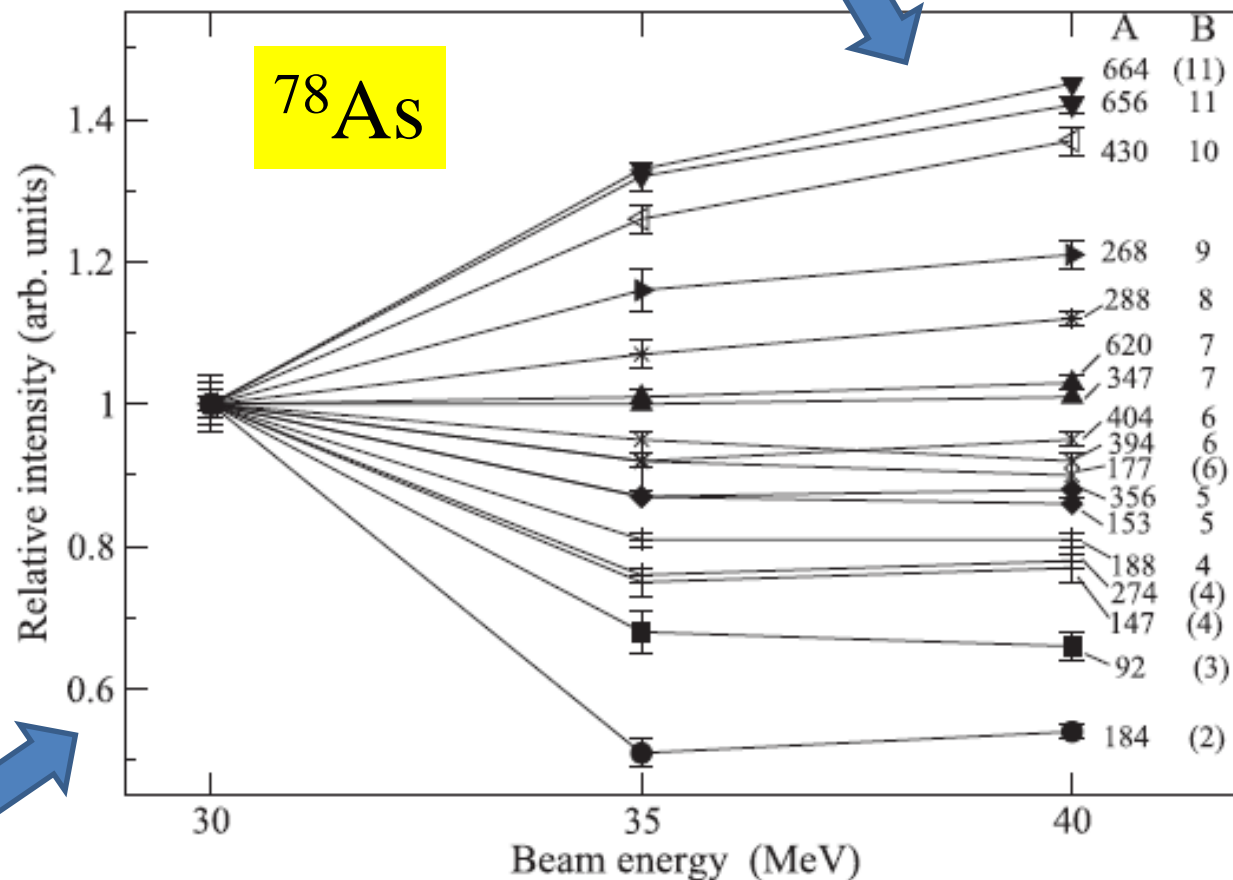
Spectrum from Clover @ 35 MeV



INGA Spectrometer

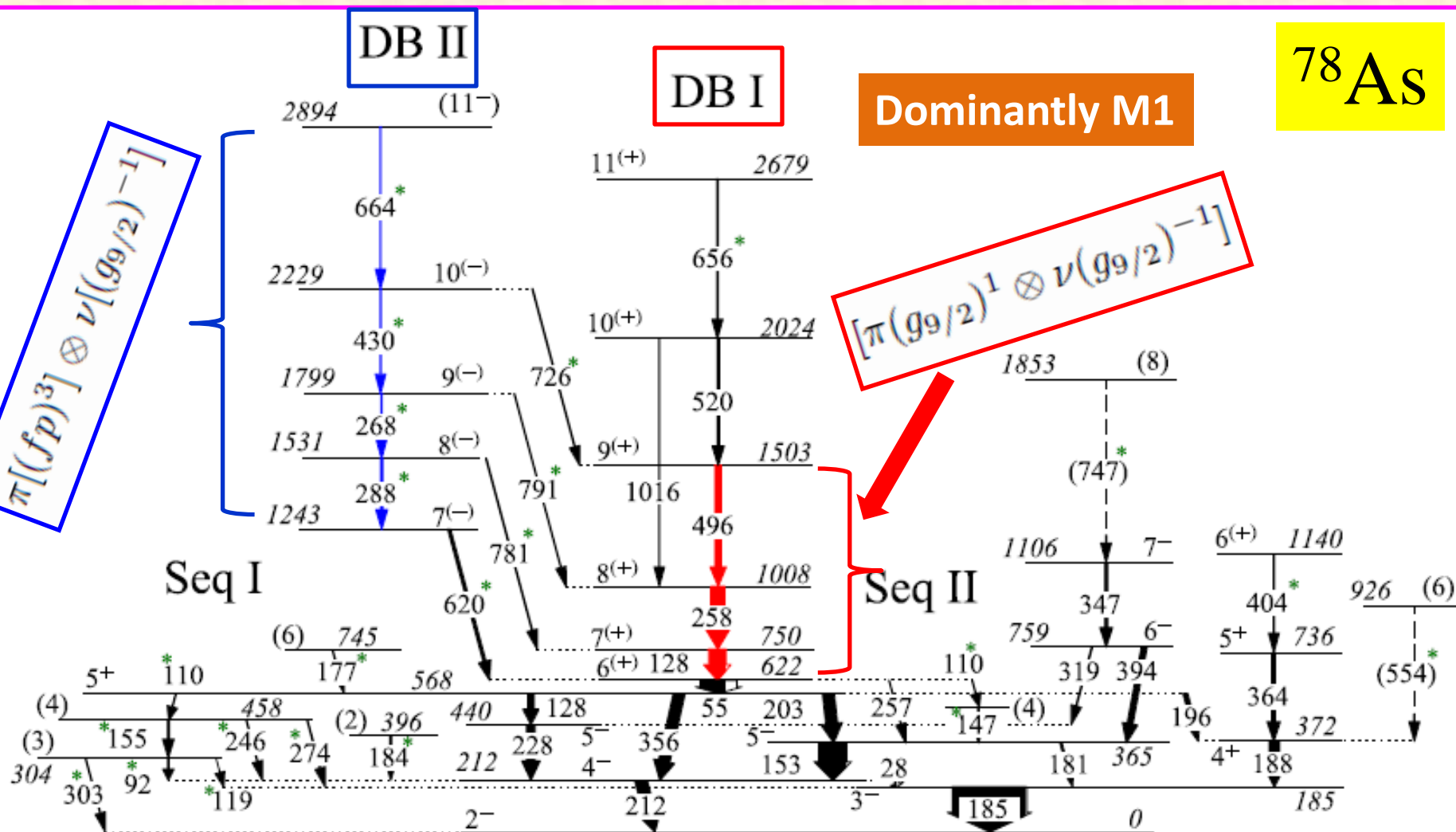
- ❖ Standard gamma ray spectroscopic techniques
- ❖ Spin-parity measurements: Coincidence Angular Correlation Measurement (DCO)
- ❖ Polarization asymmetry (Δ_{asym})
- ❖ Population pattern of the states at varying beam energies

Population
Enhancement of
higher spins
at higher
beam energies



Proposed Level Scheme

*** Newly placed transition**

 ^{78}As 

Seq I, Seq II: Irregular

DB I, DB II: Regular

^{78}As

(11 ⁻) <u>2894</u>	11 ⁻ <u>2984</u>
	10 ⁻ <u>2524</u>
10 ⁽⁻⁾ <u>2229</u>	
9 ⁽⁻⁾ <u>1799</u>	9 ⁻ <u>1713</u>
8 ⁽⁻⁾ <u>1531</u>	8 ⁻ <u>1429</u>
7 ⁽⁻⁾ <u>1243</u>	7 ⁻ <u>1202</u>
7 ⁻ <u>1106</u>	
6 ⁻ <u>759</u>	7 ⁻ <u>740</u>
5 ⁻ <u>440</u>	6 ⁻ <u>529</u>
5 ⁻ <u>365</u>	5 ⁻ <u>447</u>
4 ⁻ <u>212</u>	5 ⁻ <u>220</u>
3 ⁻ <u>185</u>	4 ⁻ <u>218</u> 3 ⁻ <u>100</u>
2 ⁻ <u>0</u>	2 ⁻ <u>0</u>

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better

5 π

17 ν

Z = 28

N = 28

^{56}Ni core ($^{56}\text{Ni} + 5\pi + 17\nu$)

✓ **NUSHELLX code**

✓ **fpg-model space**

❖ **Negative parity states:**
No role of $\pi(1g_{9/2})$

❖ **Positive parity states:**
Occupancy in both
 $\pi(1g_{9/2})$ & $\nu(1g_{9/2})$

11⁺ 3022

11⁽⁺⁾ 2679

10⁺ 2458

10⁽⁺⁾ 2024

9⁺ 1981

9⁽⁺⁾ 1503

6⁺ 1472

8⁺ 1412

6⁺ 1342

7⁺ 1284

5⁺ 1199

6⁽⁺⁾ 1140

8⁽⁺⁾ 1008

5⁺ 829

7⁽⁺⁾ 750

5⁺ 736 } 6⁽⁺⁾ 622

5⁺ 568

4⁺ 372

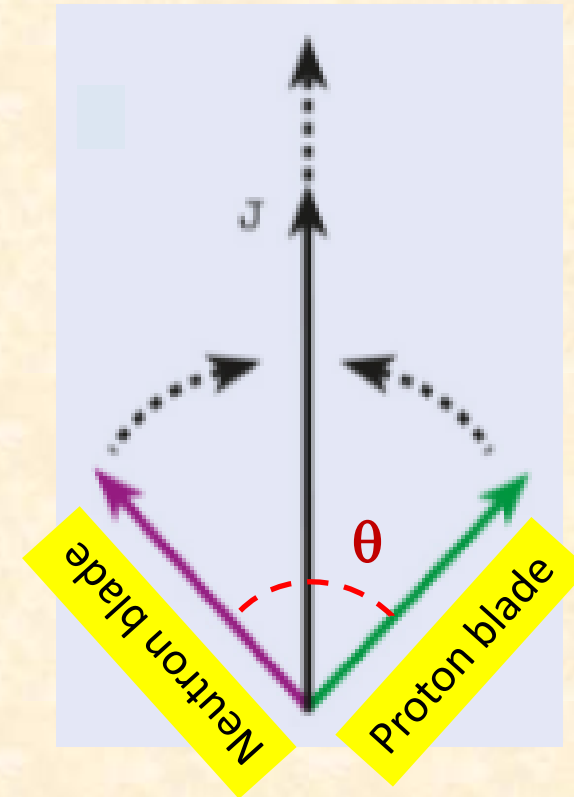
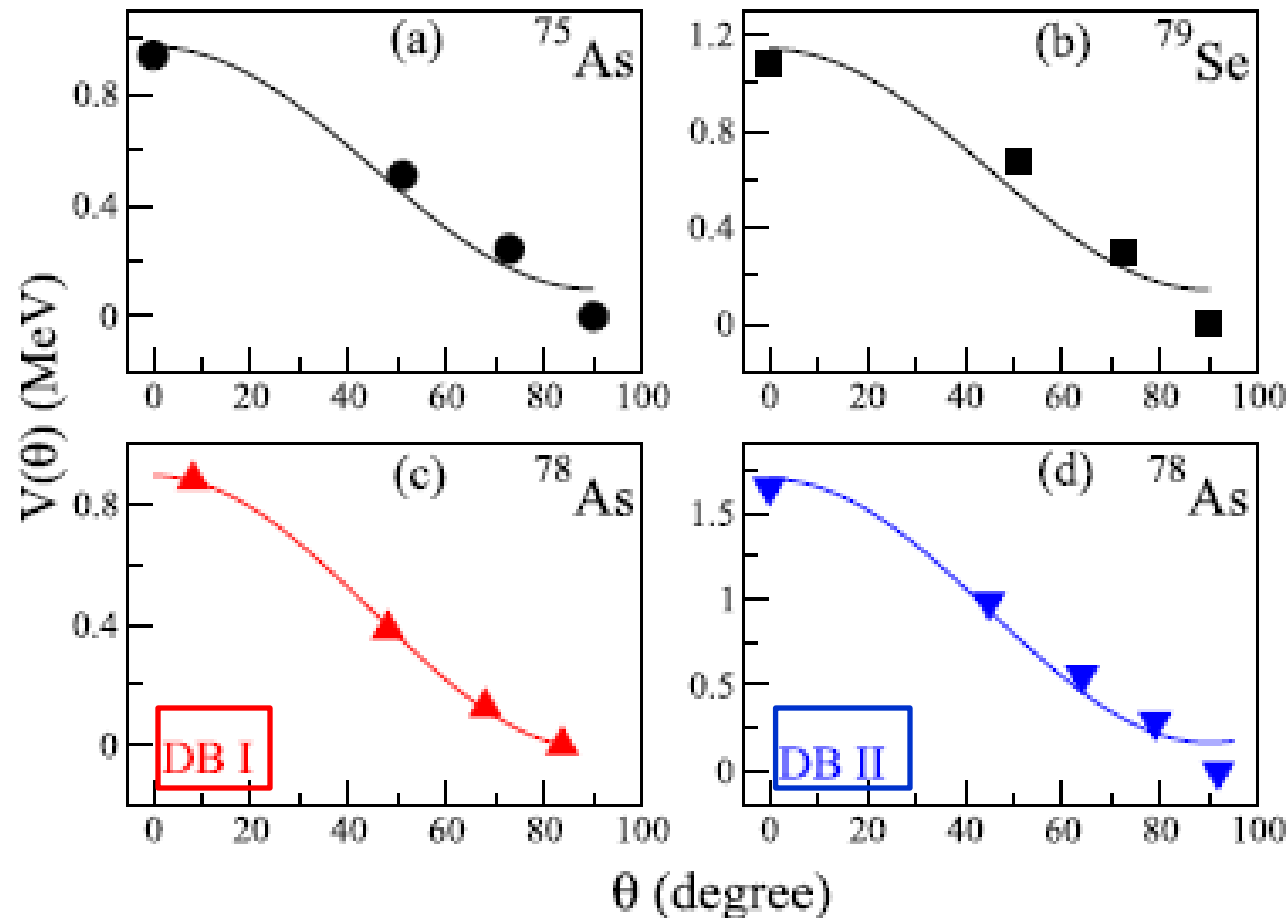
4⁺ 378

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Validity of Shears Mechanism

Semi-classical approach of
Macchiavelli *et al.*,
Phys. Rev. C 57 (1998) R1073

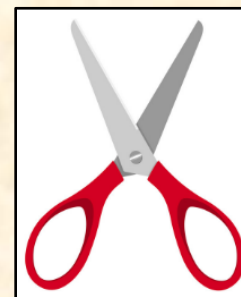
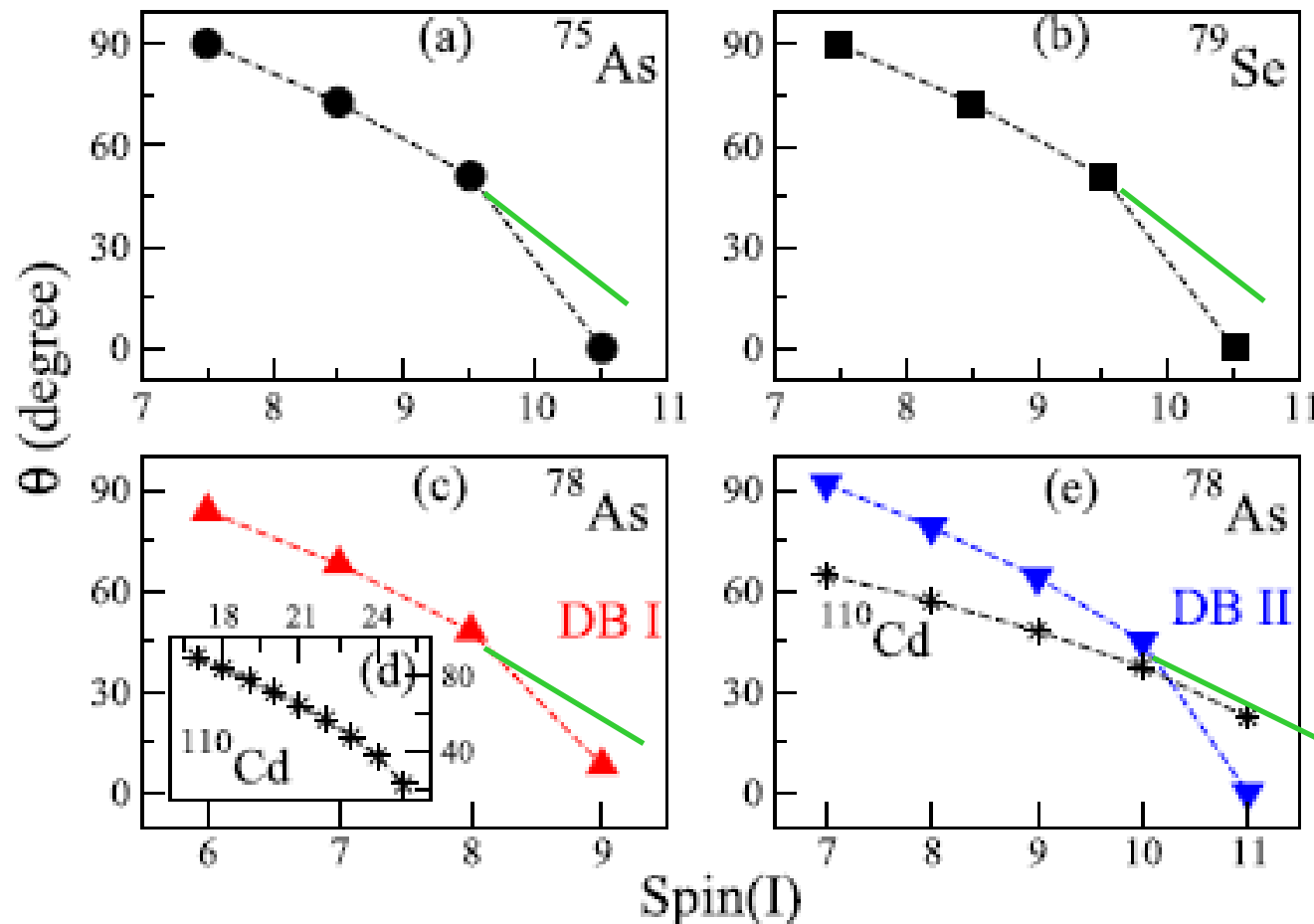


$$V(\theta) = V_0 + [(1/2) \times V_2(3\cos^2(\theta) - 1)]$$

V_2 : strength of interaction
 θ : shears angle

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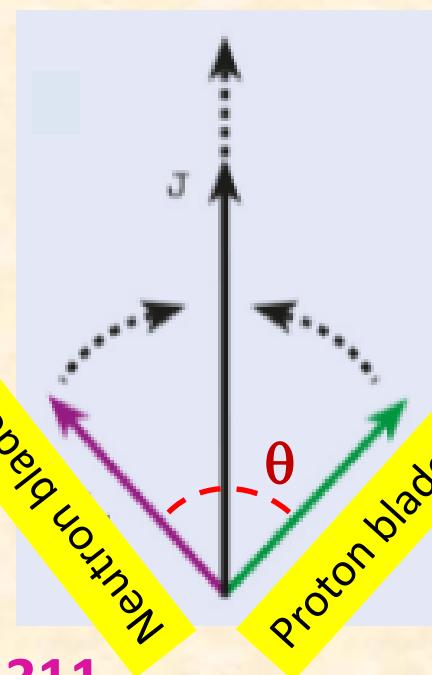
Scissor vs Stapler band



Neutron blade



Proton blade



^{75}As : Physics Letters B 766 (2017) 107

^{79}Se : Phys. Rev. C 100 (2019) 044318

^{110}Cd : Phys. Rev. Lett. 82 (1999) 3220

^{78}As : A. K. Mandal *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 102 (2020) 064311

Summary

✓ Results from INGA @ VECC, Kolkata: ^{78}As



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❖ Single particle excitations
❖ Stapler-like mechanism
(Regular M1 band structure)
Shears Mechanism

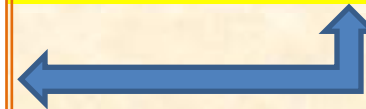


TABLE III. Experimental and theoretical $B(M1)/B(E2)$ values for the transitions belonging to DB-I and DB-II of ^{78}As .

	E_x (keV)	J^π	$B(M1)/B(E2)(\text{expt})$ $(\mu_N/eb)^2$	$B(M1)/B(E2)(\text{SM})$ $(\mu_N/eb)^2$
DB-I	1008	$8^{(+)}$	>31	101950
	1503	$9^{(+)}$	>26	772
DB-II	1799	$9^{(-)}$	>19	20
	2229	$10^{(-)}$	>6	4
	2894	(11^{-})	>5	1

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