

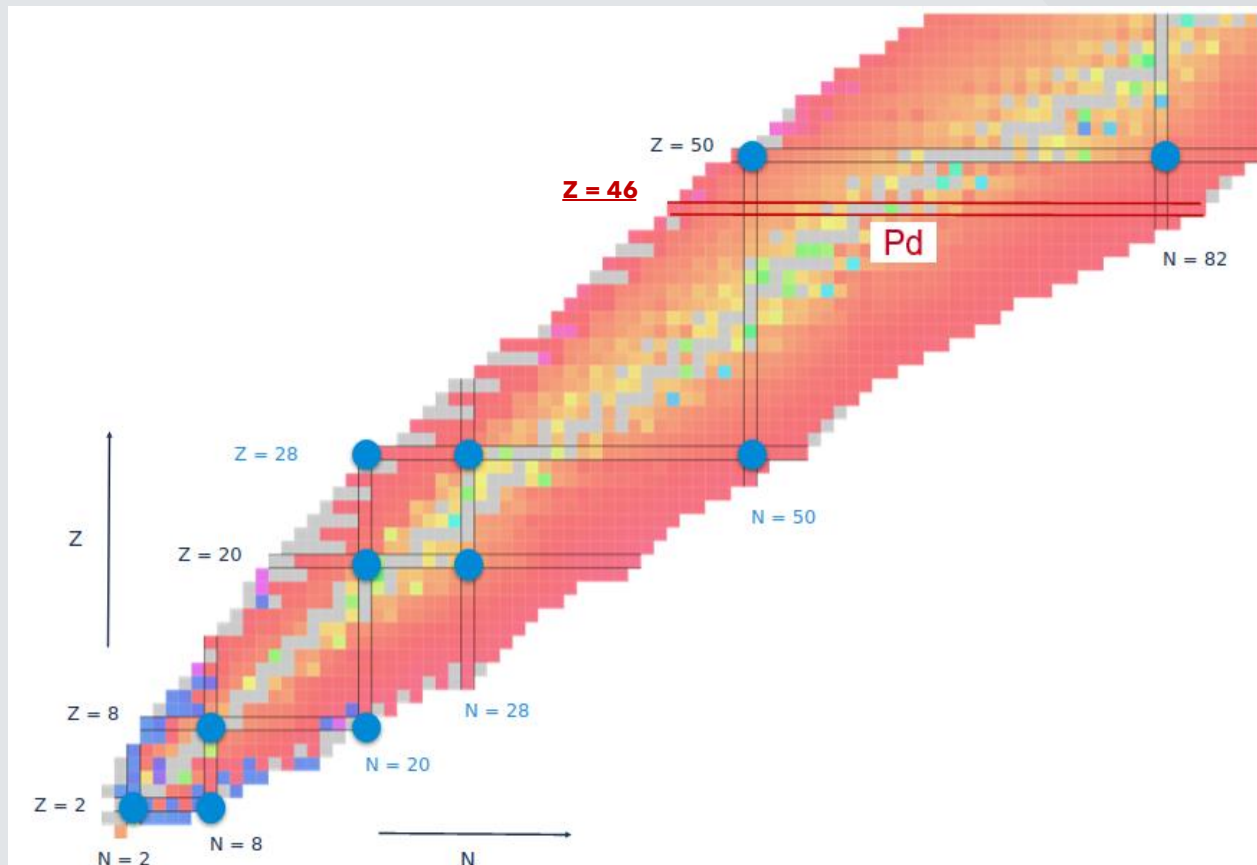
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# Searching for intruder bands in $^{106}\text{Pd}$ via Coulomb Excitation

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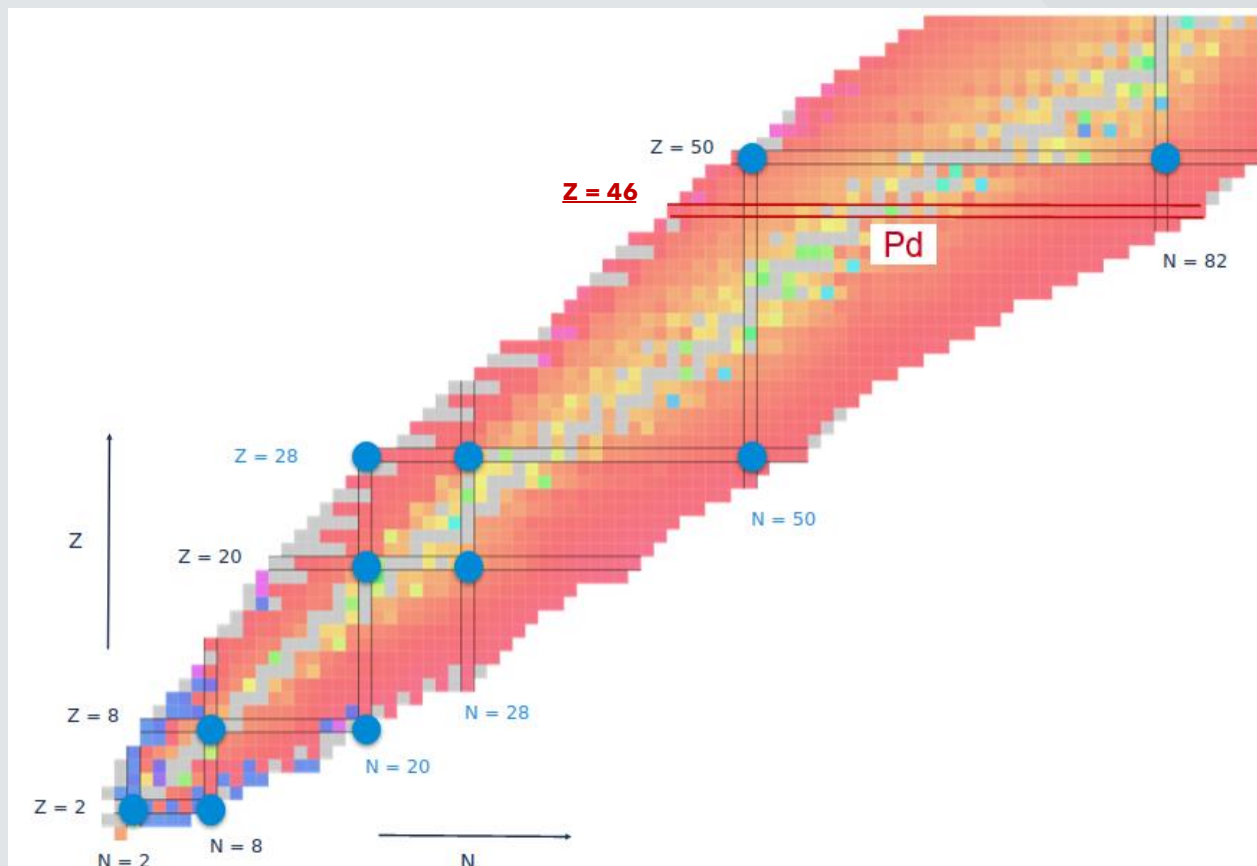
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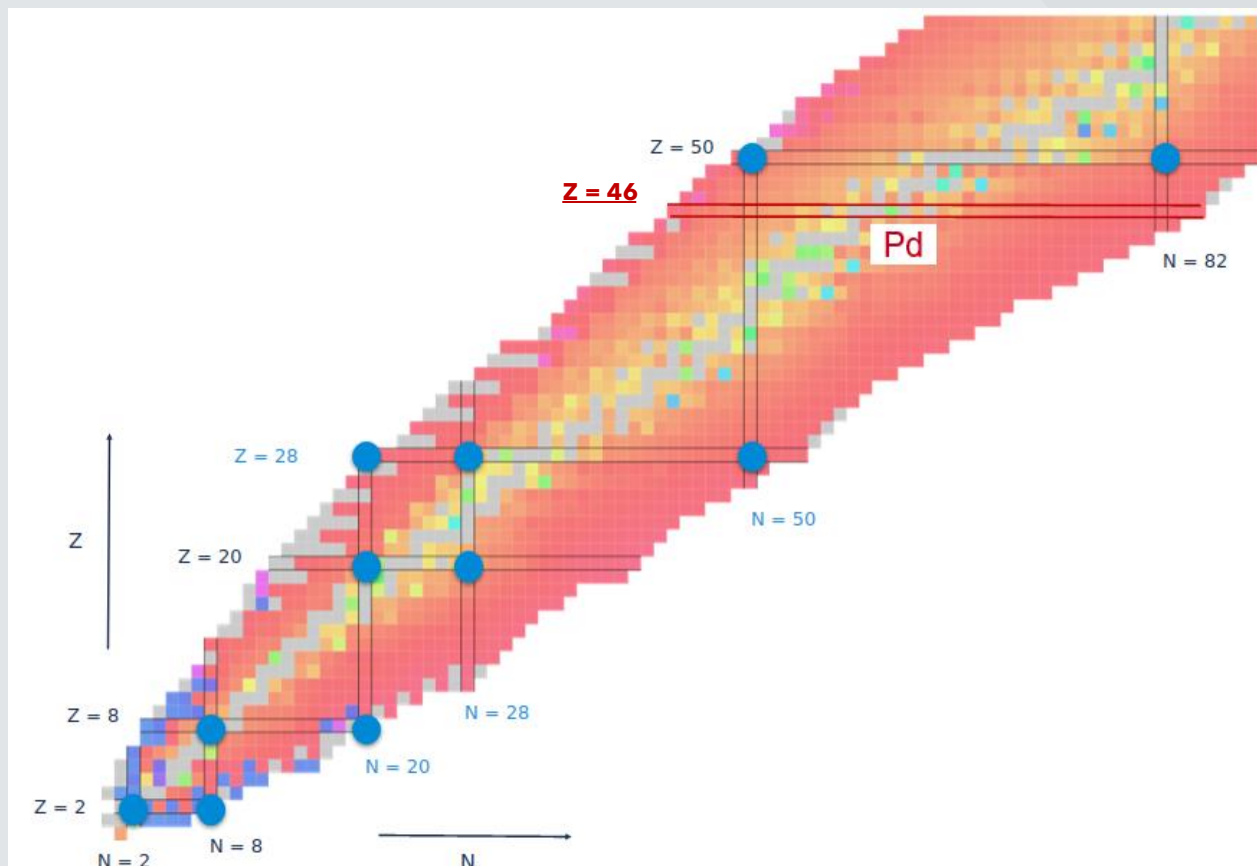
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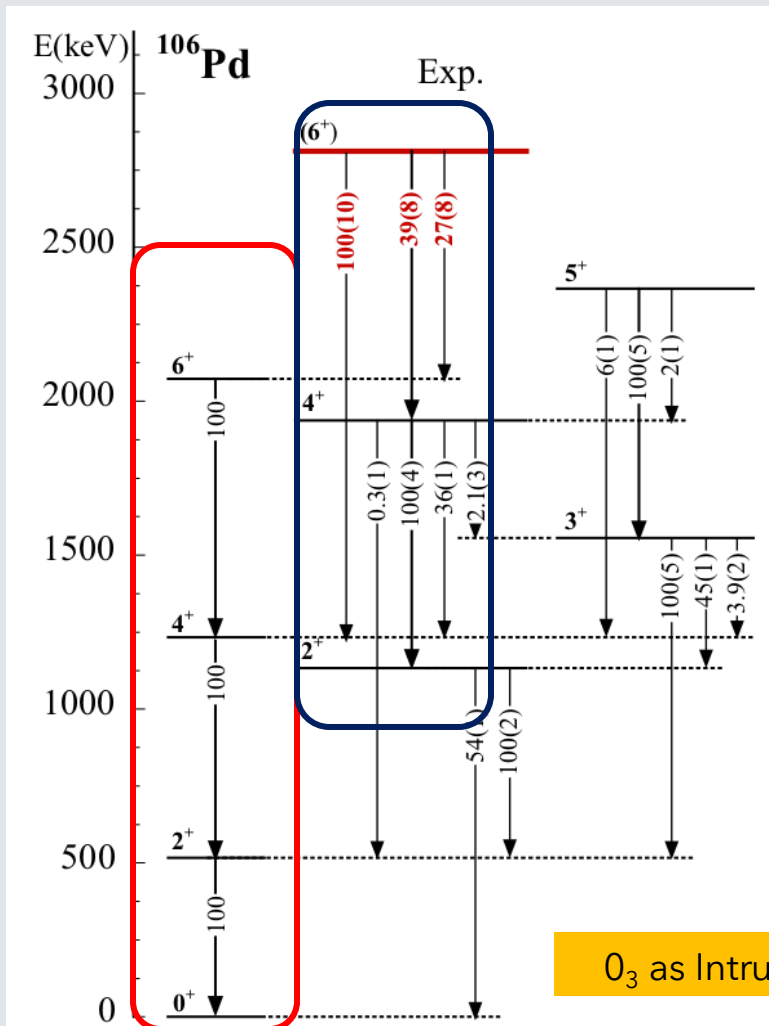


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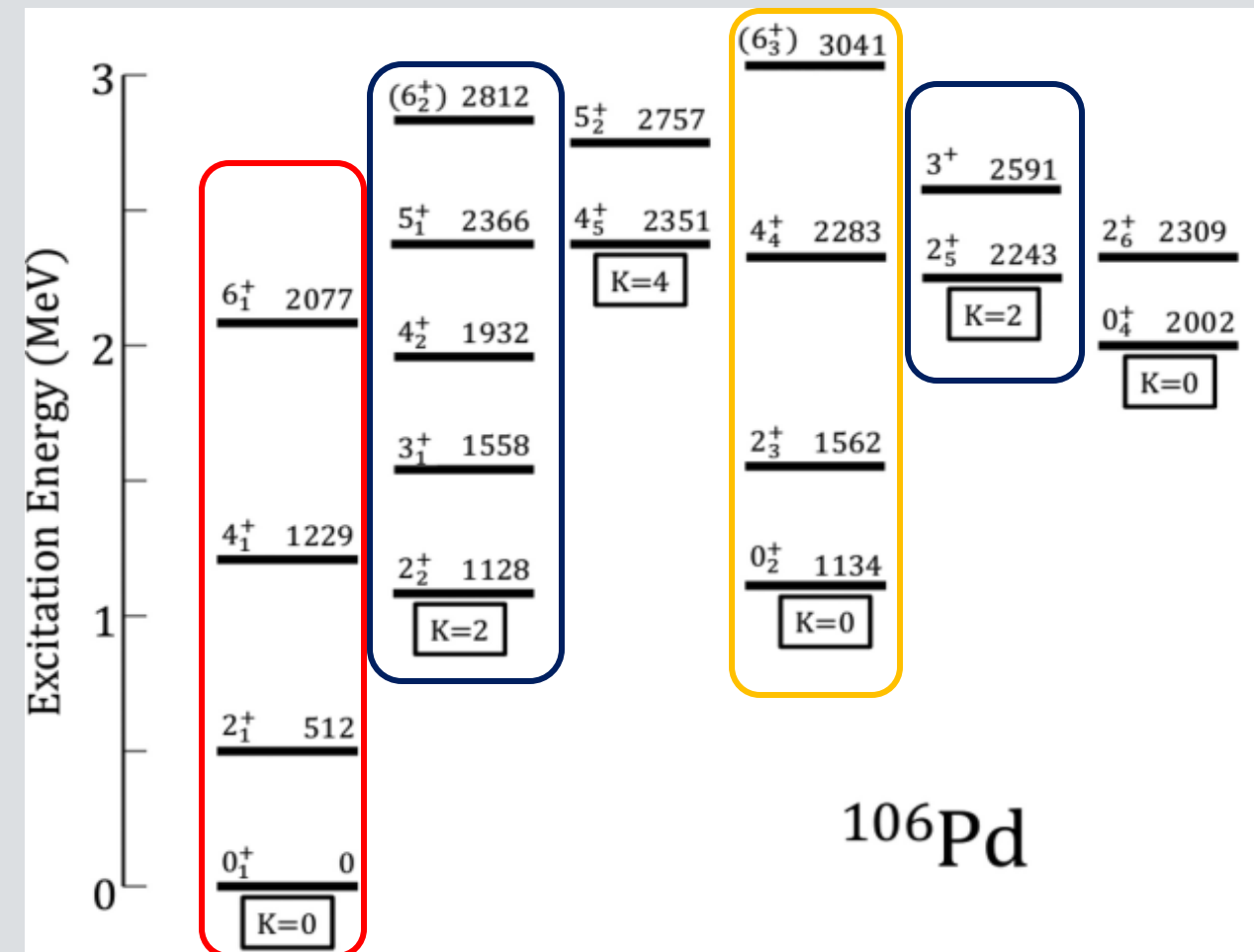
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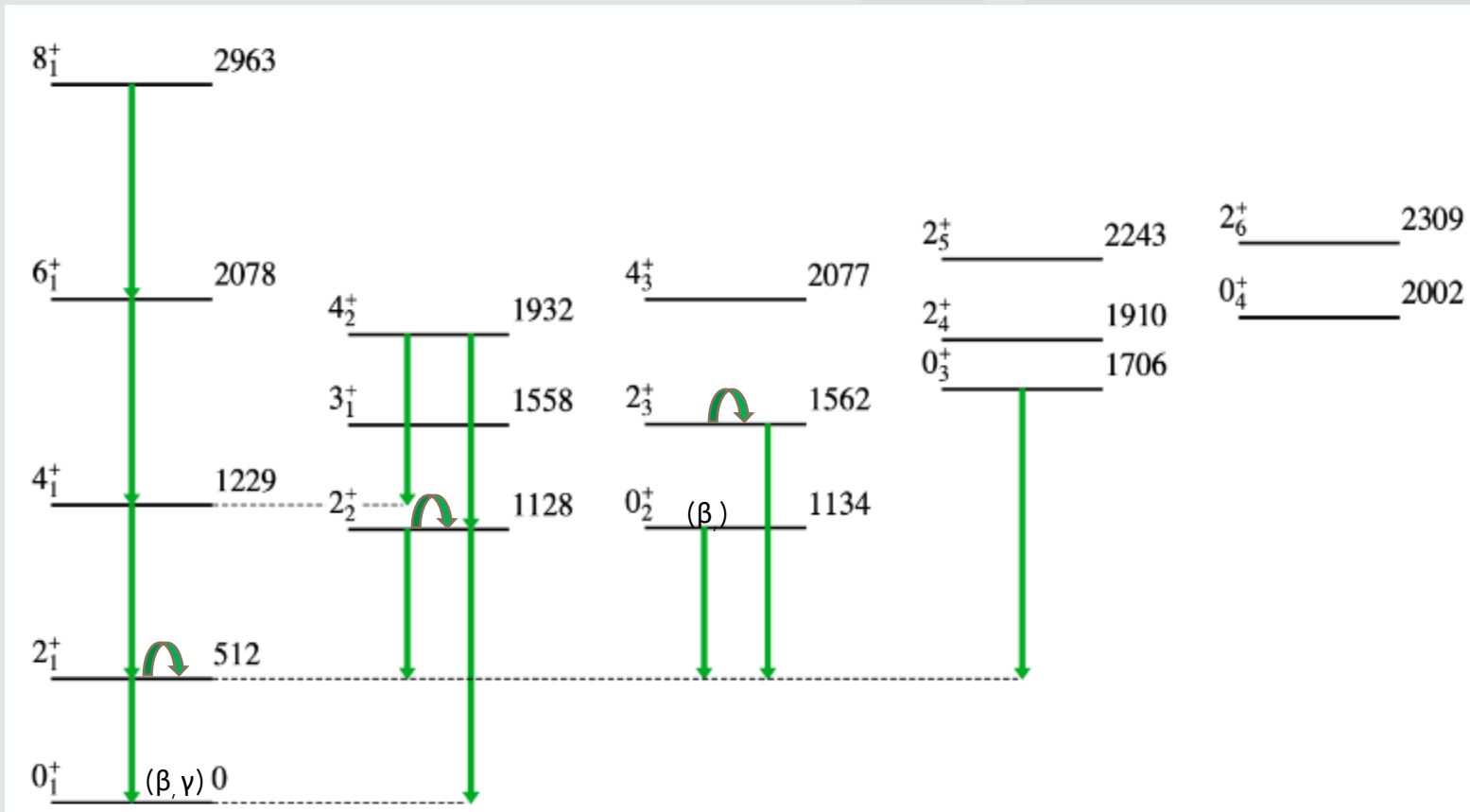


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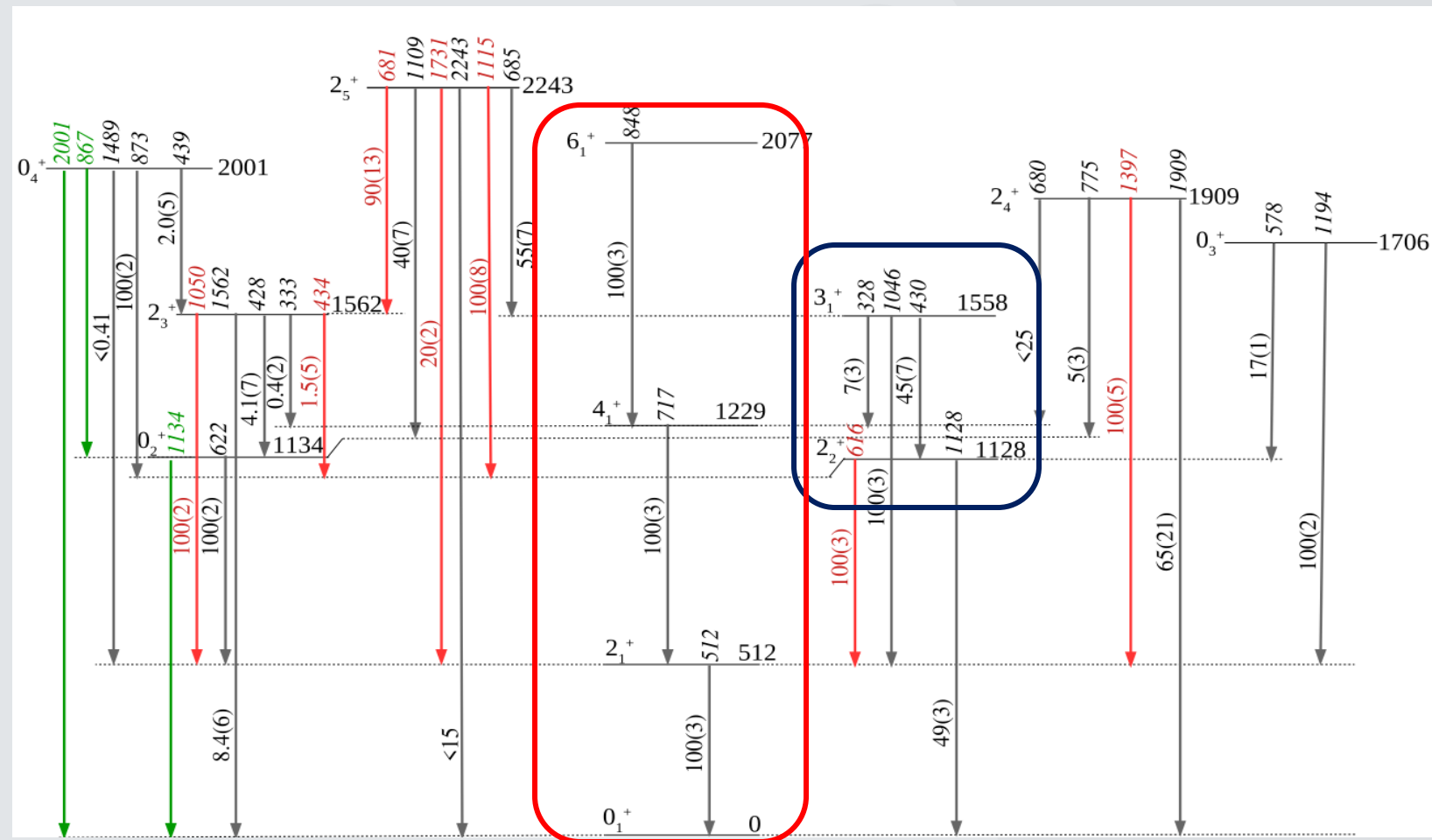
Coulomb Excitation performed years ago:

- $0_1^+$  : Determination of  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  quadrupole invariants
- $0_2^+$  : Determination of  $\beta$  quadrupole invariant
- Quadrupole moments of the  $2_{1,2,3}^+$

The setup consisted of four circular Si-detectors and one annular Si-detector coupled to only two Ge detectors

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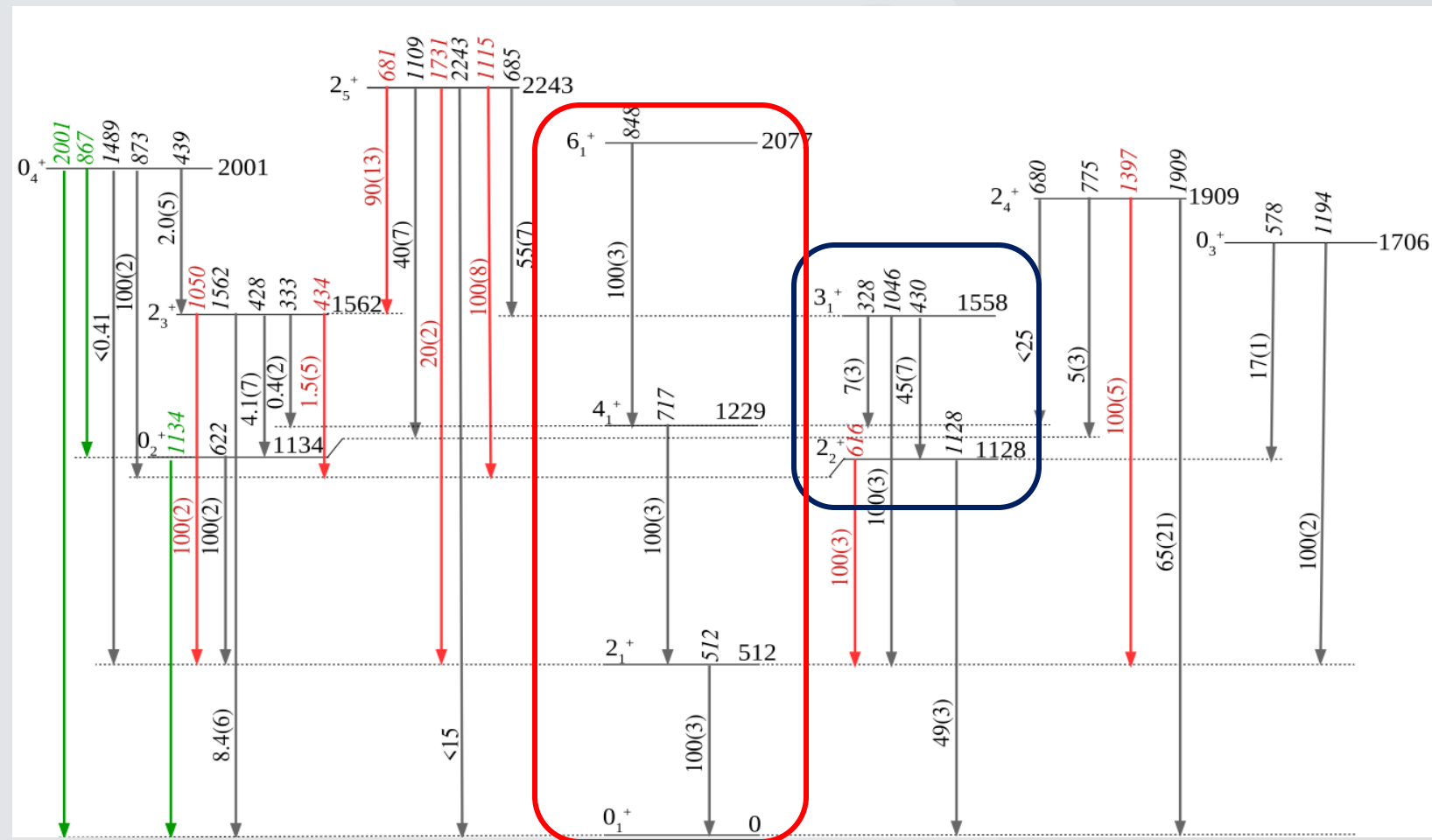


Internal Conversion Electron spectroscopy performed:

- $\rho^2(\text{E0})$  between low-lying  $2^+$  and  $0^+$  states deduced
- Confirmation of transitions from the  $2_4^+$  state observed for the first time in *F. M. Prados-Estévez et al. PRC (2017) 95, 034328* paper

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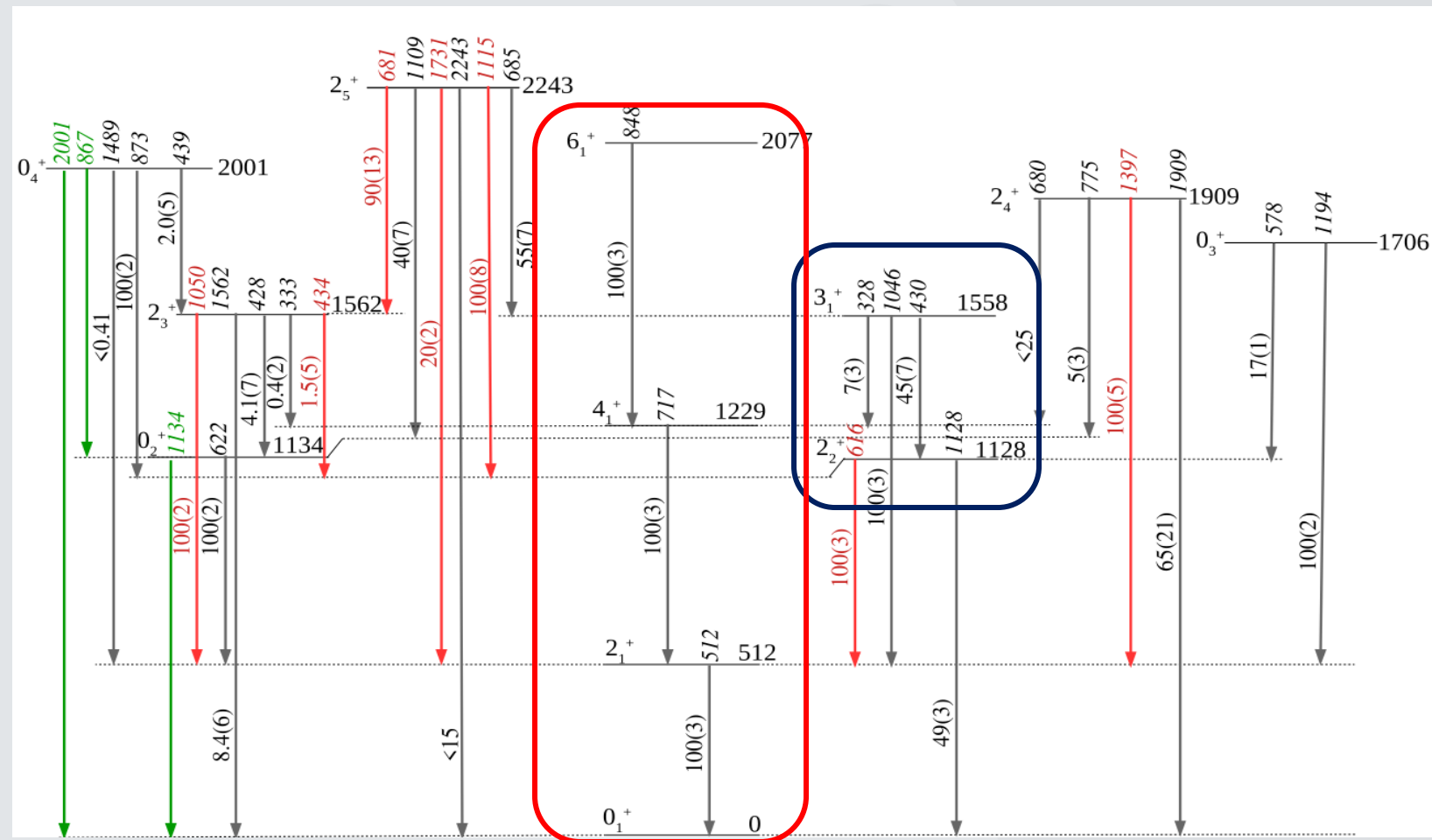
(parameters from Giannatiempo et al. Phys. Rev. C 98, 034305 (2018))

- $0_2^+$  and  $2_3^+$  states well reproduced by the IBM model
- $0_3^+$  state suggested as intruder bandhead



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The experimental  $\rho^2(\text{E0}; 0_2^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+)$  value has been compared to that calculated in a simple two-state mixing model and the coexistence of different shape has been suggested

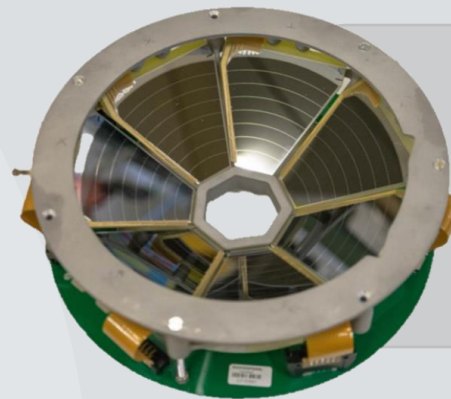
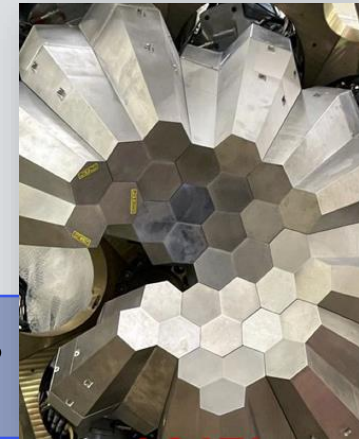
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# $^{106}\text{Pd}$ – COULEX EXPERIMENT @LNL

- Beam :  $^{60}\text{Ni}$  175 MeV 1 pA
- Target : self-supporting  $^{106}\text{Pd}$  1mg/cm<sup>2</sup>



**AGATA** array (10 ATCs),  
close-up position.

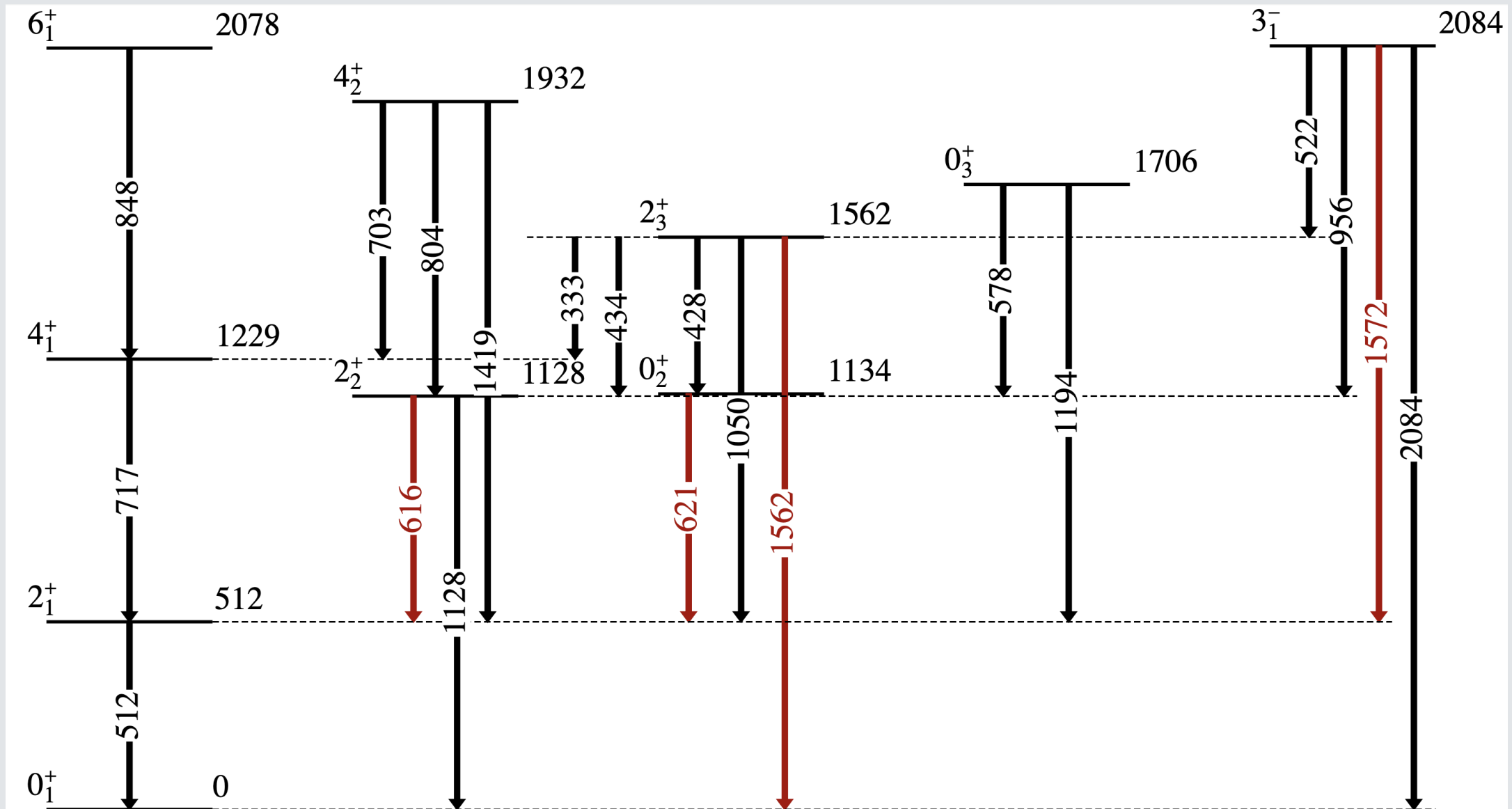


**SPIDER** modular array of Si detectors  
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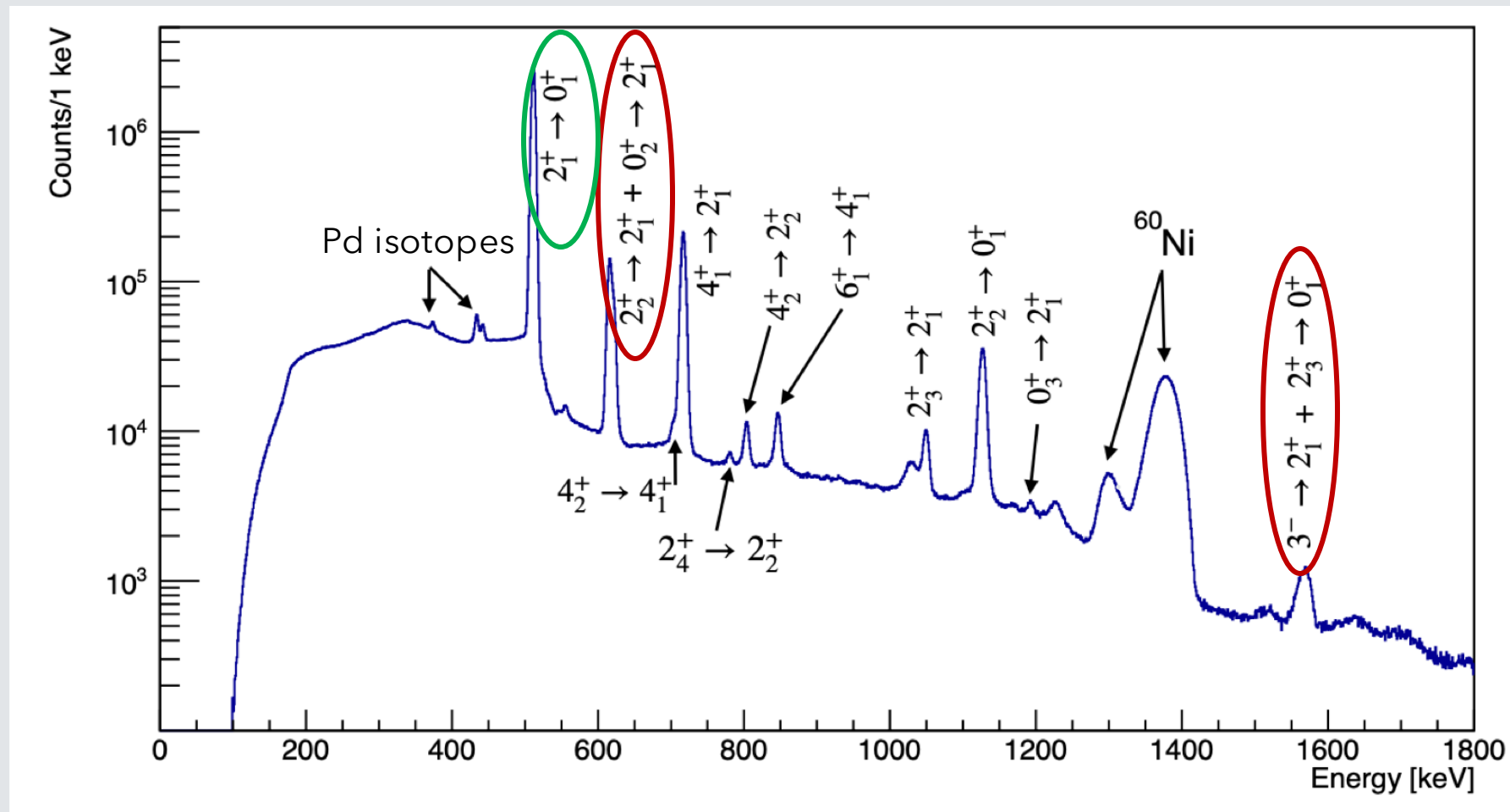
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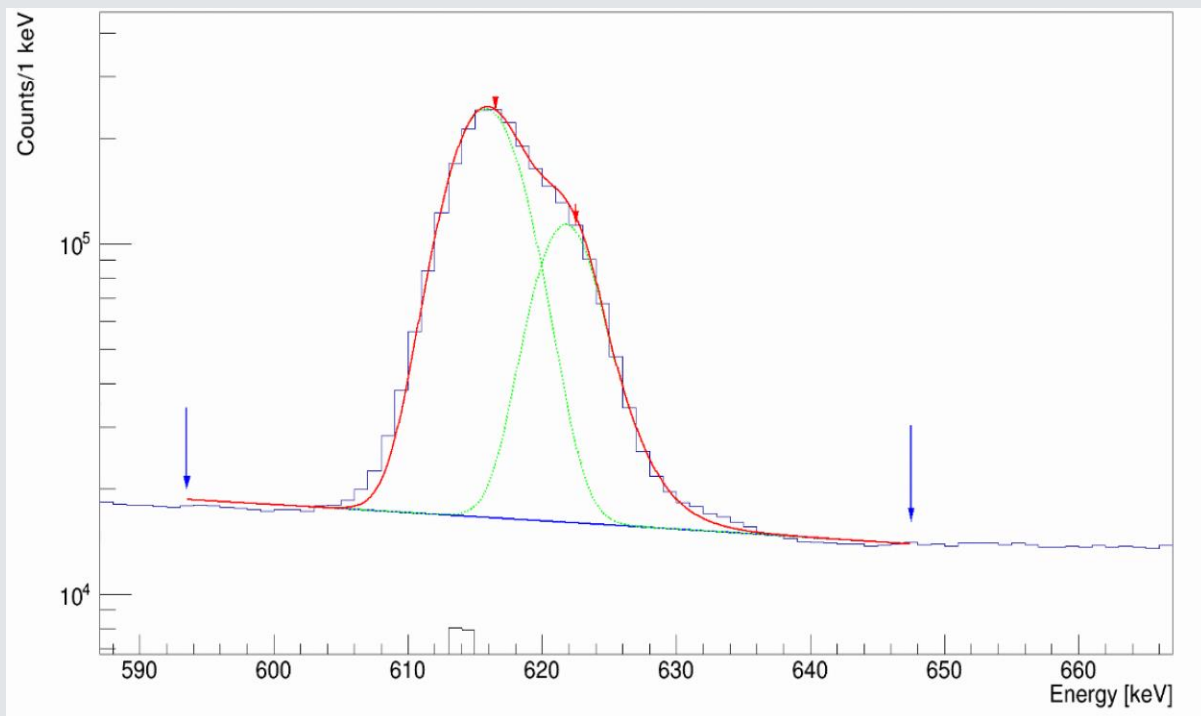
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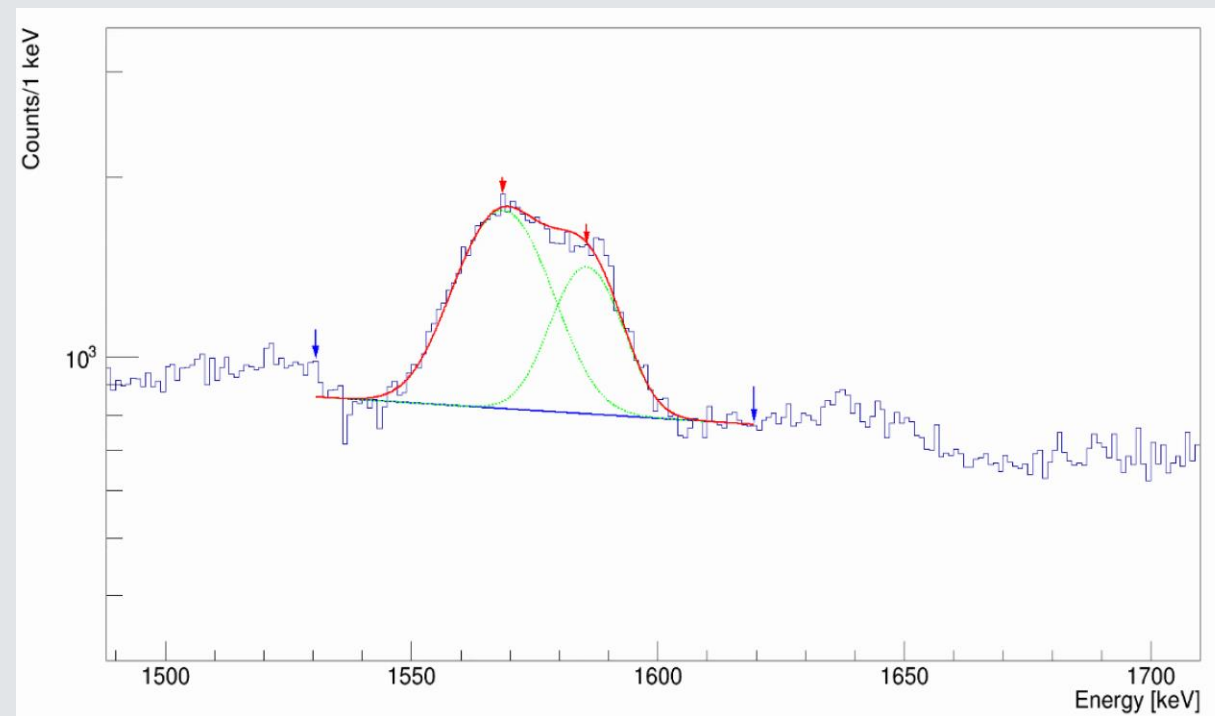
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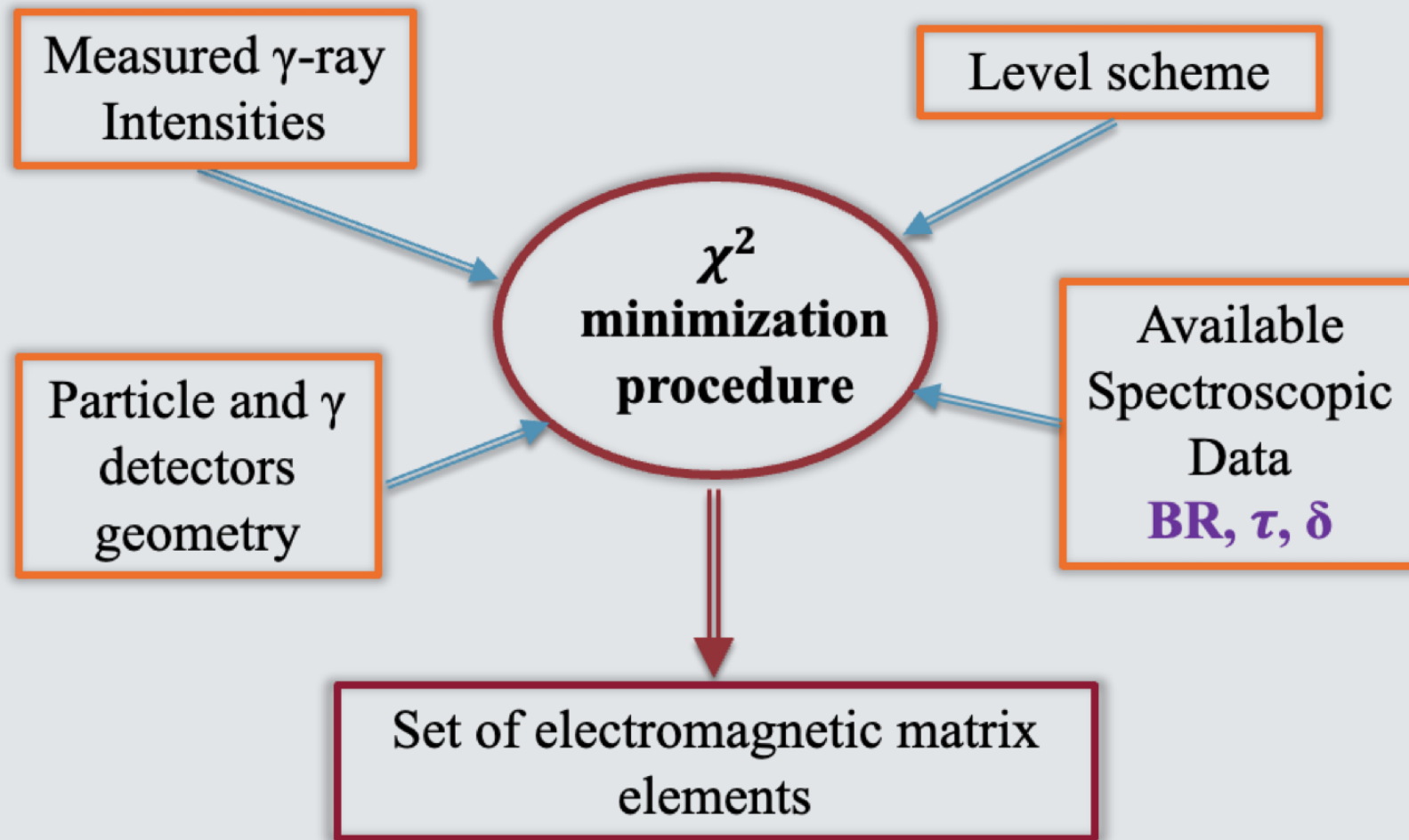
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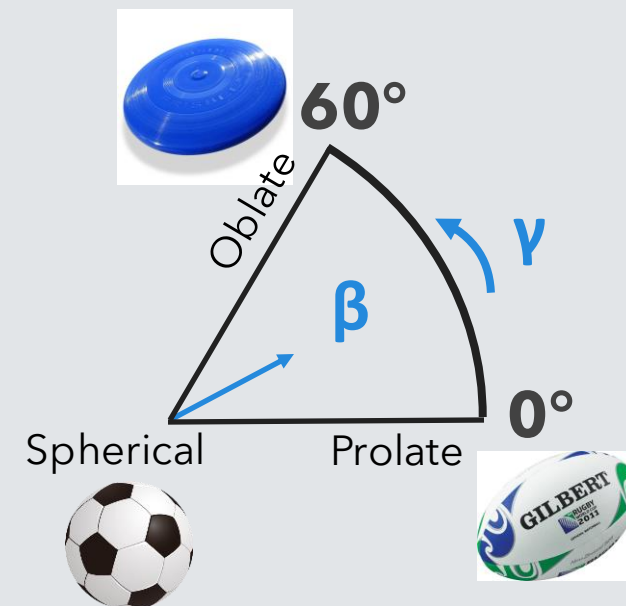
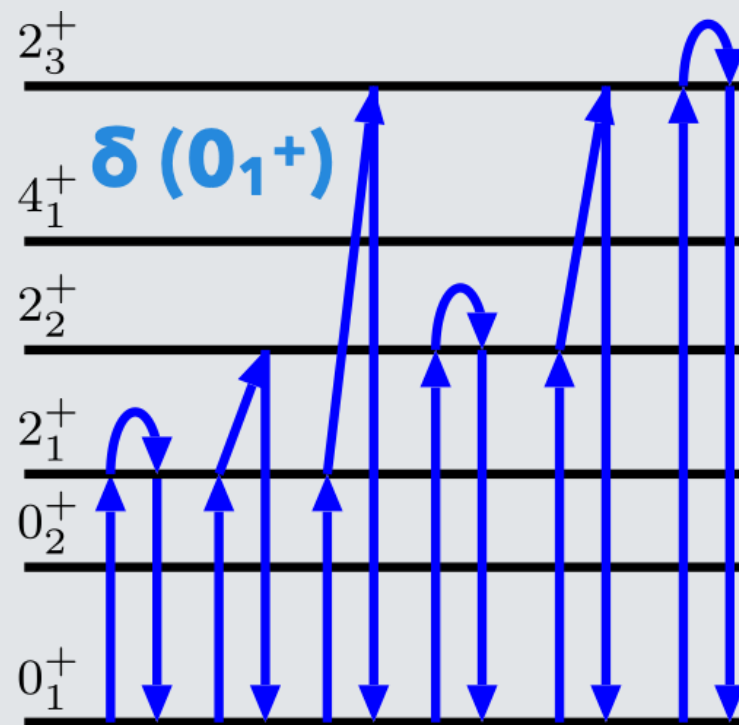
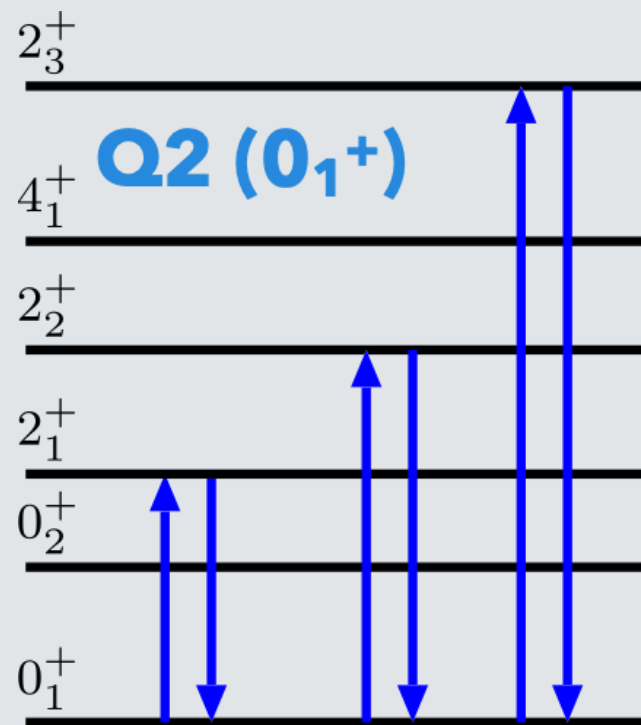


## GOSIA Code





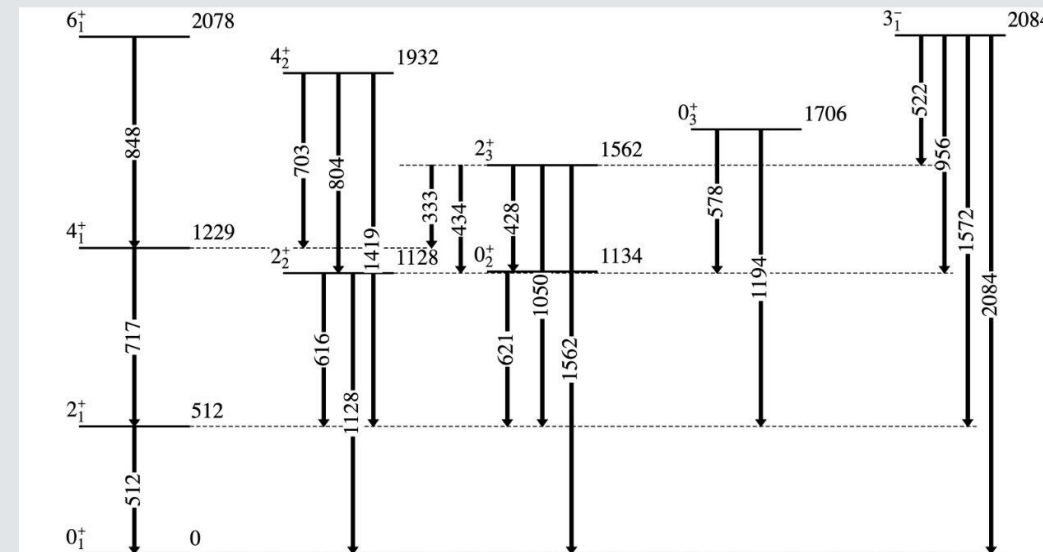
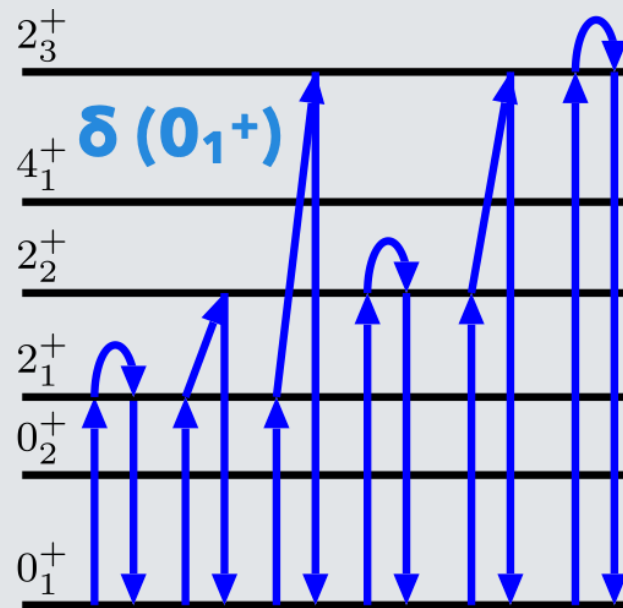
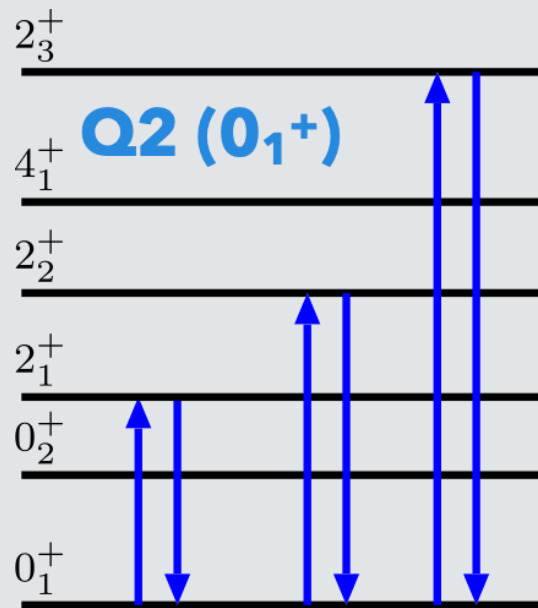
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# Thank You for your Attention

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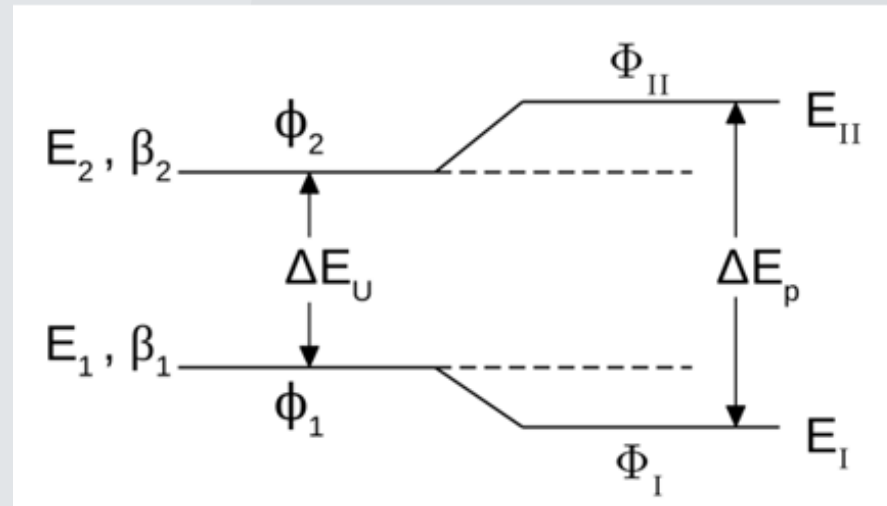


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Second Order in  $\beta$

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Small Mixing  
Assumption

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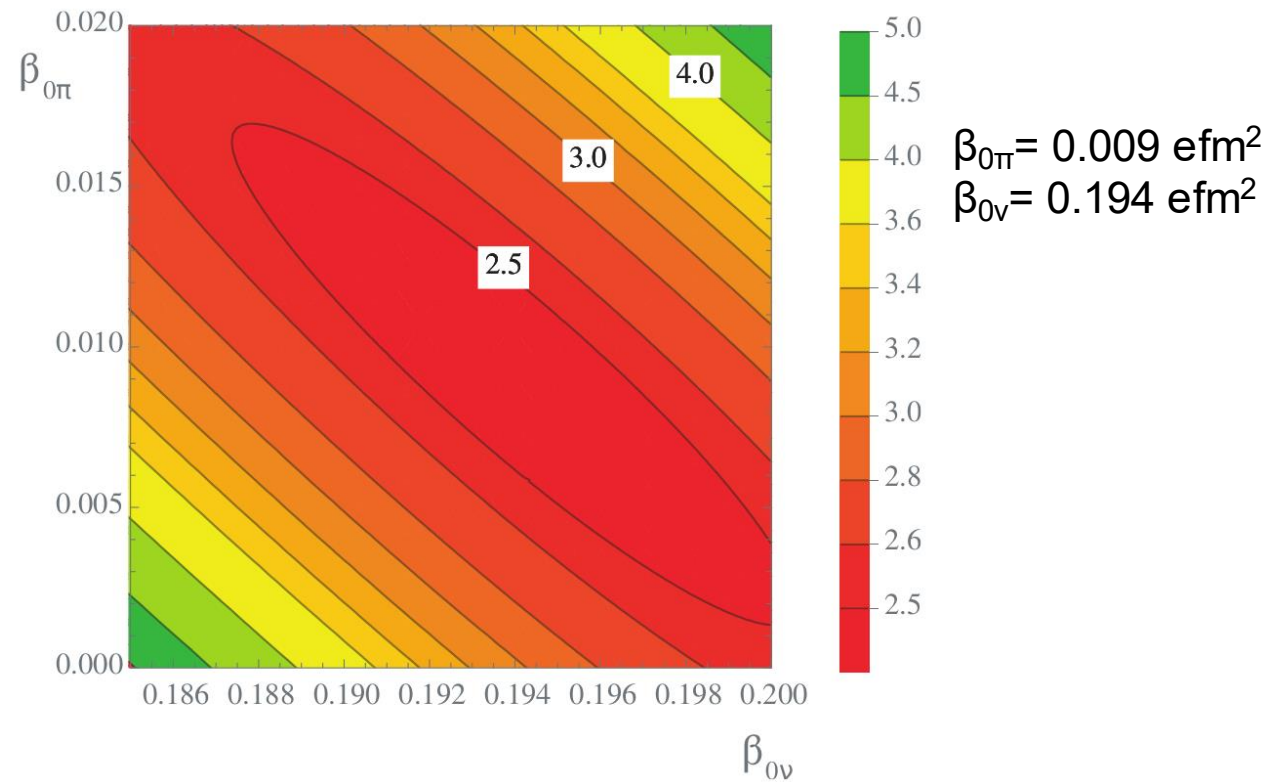
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$^{104}\text{Pd}$	$2_2^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	786	5(4)	*	1
$^{104}\text{Pd}$	$4_2^+ \rightarrow 4_1^+$	759	< 90		0.5
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$0_2^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$	1134	17(4)	*	16
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$0_4^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+$	2001	< 19		0.3
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$0_4^+ \rightarrow 0_2^+$	867	< 90		4
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$2_2^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	616	5(8)		1
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$2_3^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	1050	26(11)	*	28
$^{106}\text{Pd}$	$2_4^+ \rightarrow 2_1^+$	1398	$21^{+10}_{-21}$ $18^{+10}_{-18}$		0.1
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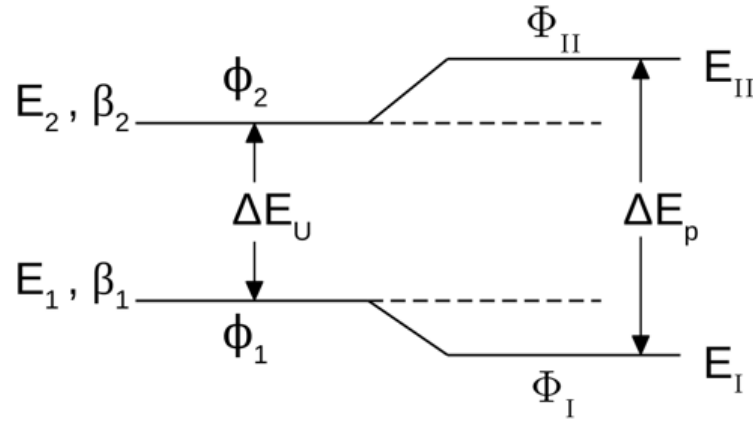
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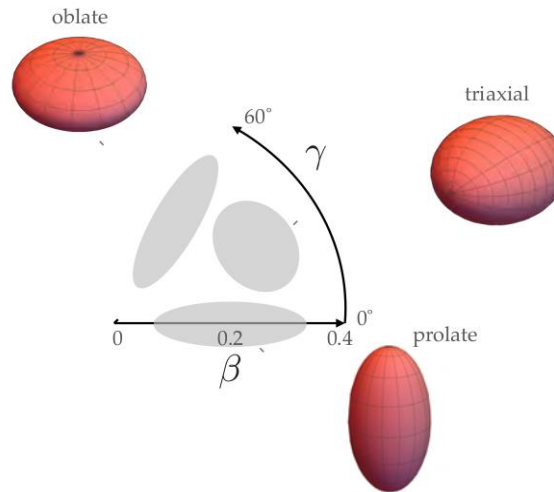
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A. S. Davydov et al., Nucl. Phys. 27, 134 (1961)



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As a first step, only the terms up to the second order in  $\beta$  have been considered. In this approximation the expression for the E0 strength becomes:

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$\beta$  unmixed could be linked with the  $\beta(0_1)$  and  $\beta(0_2)$  thank to the Quadrupole Sum Rules

$$\beta^2(0_1) = \frac{1}{k_0^2} \frac{1}{5} \sum_m \langle 0_1 || E2 || 2_m \rangle \langle 2_m || E2 || 0_1 \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \beta^2(0_1) = \frac{1}{k_0^2} \frac{1}{5} [ & a^2 \sum_m \langle 1 || E2 || 2_m \rangle \langle 2_m || E2 || 1 \rangle \\ & + ab \sum_m \langle 1 || E2 || 2_m \rangle \langle 2_m || E2 || 2 \rangle \\ & + ba \sum_m \langle 2 || E2 || 2_m \rangle \langle 2_m || E2 || 1 \rangle \\ & + b^2 \sum_m \langle 2 || E2 || 2_m \rangle \langle 2_m || E2 || 2 \rangle ] \end{aligned} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \beta^2(0_1) &= a^2 \beta_1^2 + b^2 \beta_2^2 \\ \beta^2(0_2) &= b^2 \beta_1^2 - a^2 \beta_2^2 \end{aligned}$$

# Two-Level Mixing

As a first step, only the terms up to the second order in  $\beta$  have been considered. In this approximation the expression for the E0 strength becomes:

$$\rho^2(0_2^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+) = \left(\frac{3Z}{4\pi}\right)^2 a^2 (1 - a^2) |(\beta_1^2 - \beta_2^2)|^2 = 17$$

$\beta(0_1)$  and  $\beta(0_2)$  are extracted in E. Svensson et al. In: Nuclear Physics A, 584, 547 (1995)

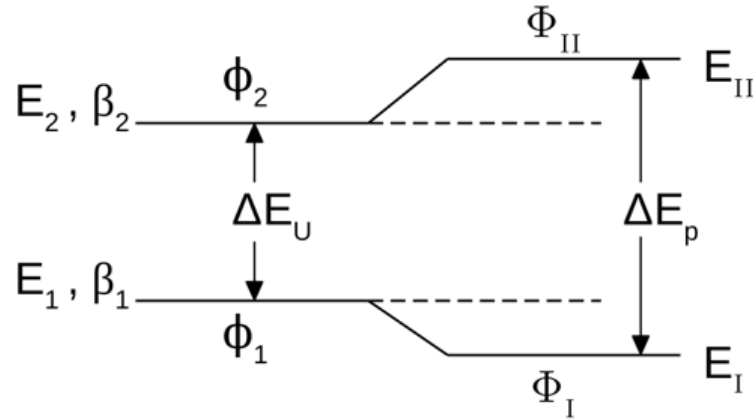
$$\beta^2(0_1) = a^2 \beta_1^2 + b^2 \beta_2^2 = 0,47$$

$$\beta^2(0_2) = b^2 \beta_1^2 - a^2 \beta_2^2 = 0,51$$



**$a^2 = 0.1$  Small Mixing**

# Two-Level Mixing



$$\rho^2(0_2^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+) = \left(\frac{3Z}{4\pi}\right)^2 a^2 (1 - a^2) [(\beta_1^2 - \beta_2^2) + \frac{5\sqrt{5}}{21\sqrt{\pi}} (\beta_1^3 \cos 3\gamma_1 - \beta_2^3 \cos 3\gamma_2)]^2$$

$$\beta^2(0_1) = a^2 \beta_1^2 + b^2 \beta_2^2$$

$$\beta^2(0_2) = b^2 \beta_1^2 - a^2 \beta_2^2$$

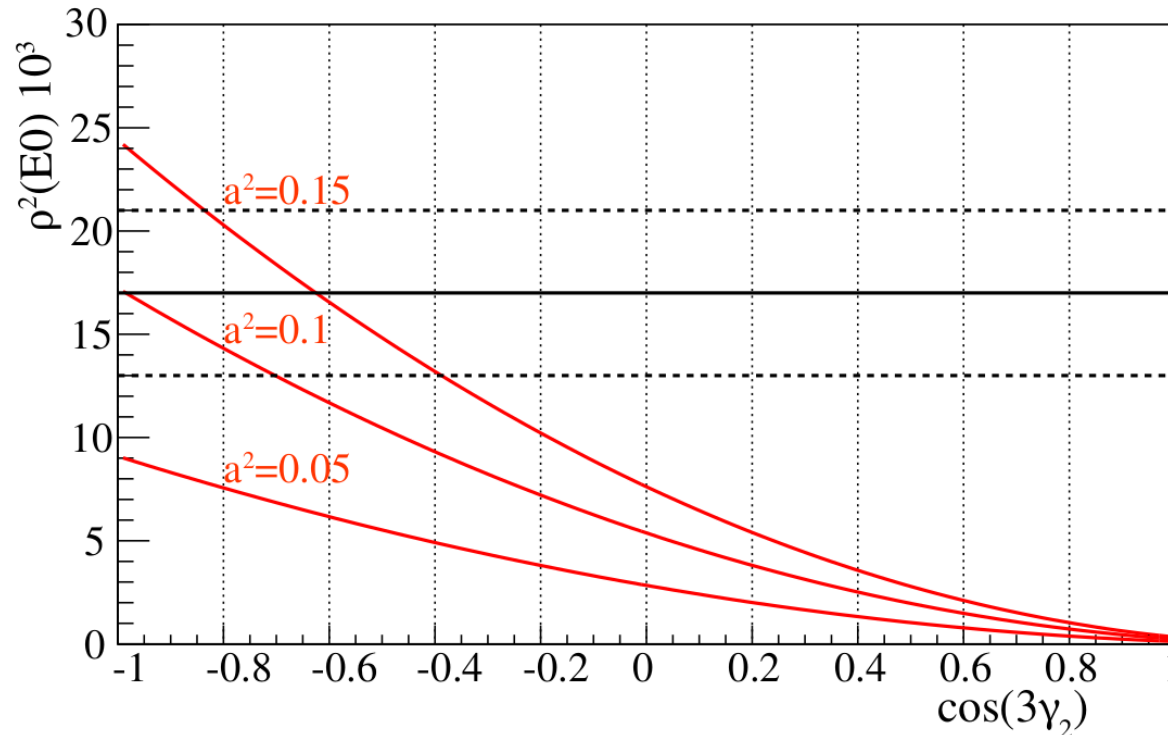
Case of Small Mixing ( $a^2 = 0.1$ ) :

Assumption : Deformation of the  $0_1^+$  and the  $0_2^+$  states are similar to those of the  $|1\rangle$  and  $|2\rangle$  one

# Two-Level Mixing – Small Mixing

$$\rho^2(0_2^+ \rightarrow 0_1^+) = \left(\frac{3Z}{4\pi}\right)^2 a^2 (1 - a^2) [(\beta_1^2 - \beta_2^2) + \frac{5\sqrt{5}}{21\sqrt{\pi}} (\beta_1^3 \cos 3\gamma_1 - \beta_2^3 \cos 3\gamma_2)]^2$$

$\beta_1, \beta_2$  and  $\gamma_1$  are extracted in E. Svensson et al. In: Nuclear Physics A, 584, 547 (1995)



$$\beta_1 = 0,29$$

$$\beta_2 = 0,21$$

$$\gamma_1 = 20^\circ$$

$$\gamma_2 = 45^\circ$$



Shape coexistence