Explore the three-fragment decay of relatively heavy QP in the Fermi domain

Related to very deformed configurations produced at high spin and/or to the role of alpha-clusters in deformed nuclei

FAZIA + INDRA

A few references (warning, not all specific of this channel but somehow related)

* THEORY Wong Phys. Lett. B 41, 446 (1972).

Wong proposed that toroidal exotic shapes can be favoured by shell effects or cluster-structures for medium-light nuclei and by the strong Coulomb field for heavy nuclei especially at high spin.

* EXP Hannamann PHYSICAL REVIEW C 109, 054615 (2024)

In this case associated to N=Z system (cluster structures) very low upper limit for cross section (tens of microbarns) has been deduced for these structures.

* THEORY Karthikraj et al PHYSICAL REVIEW C 102, 024607 (2020)

Ternary fission of α -structured nuclei with 12 A 60: A three-body decay approach

* THEORY Tian PHYSICAL REVIEW C 82, 054608 (2010)

Au Au at 15MeV/u in iQMD to investigate the ternary events (sequential vs. direct)

*EXP CHIMERA Swira-Shalot PRL 101, 262701 (2008); also a paper on same subject and system at 23MeV/u

A few references



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Possible reactions

Possible feasible systems (beams found in the GANIL web as available)

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<sup>158</sup>Gd<sub>64</sub> at 34MeV/u on X X=C,Mg,S

<sup>181</sup>Ta<sub>73</sub> at 35MeV/u on X X=C,Mg,S

<sup>56</sup>Ni<sub>28</sub>+<sup>12</sup>C<sub>6</sub> at 30-40MeV/u more related to alpha cluster structures (N=Z)

<sup>112-124</sup>Sn<sub>50</sub> +C at 35MeV/u on X X=C isospin d.o.f. exploration?
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Ta+S at 35

- vcb== 135.32 Ecm== 951.73
- b grazing= 11.5113468 11.5113468
- proj and targ graz.lab angle= 1.315 85.6 proj and targ graz.cm angle= 8.778 171.2
- ellegrazing= 405.5 R12= 12.4288149 vcm,massa ridotta= 6.99 27.192
- EkinCNLAB (0deg)=, E/A_CN= 5383.26270 25.2735329 Static Fissility for full CN= 0.767804742

Ecm/Atot= 4.46824932

Xfusfev/Xtot(Eudes)= 0.146170184 XfusCF/Xtot(Eudes)= 8.57505947E-02

Possible feasible systems (beams found in the GANIL web as available) ¹⁵⁸Gd₆₄ at 34MeV/u on X X=C,Mg,S some possibilitiy also for isospin dof? ¹⁸¹Ta₇₃ at 35MeV/u on X X=C,Mg,S



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Exotic breakup channels in QP decay

...in particular producing 3Body (elongated ? toroidal?) exotic configurations

- Role of high spins available in the entrance channel
- Role of a-clusters, if N=Z reactions used
- Role of isospin dof, if isotopic chain of beam ions used

Experimental and general comments

- Topics not much studied so far
- feasible at GANIL (not possible with a Spectrometer)
- Grazing below the acceptance of FAZIA. No risk of projectile implantation and elastic huge rates
- no fission from the QT
- QT decay/remnants should be clearly separated (vrel,thetarel and N/Z) and scarcely accepted anyhow
- -possible (rare) fusion residues should be almost along beam line (not detected and very big)
- -BR assessment for this channel (3B breakup vs. others)
- -if 3 fragments detected we could attempt N/Z balance (for Ta 72/3=24 at the limit of A-ident in Fazia, of course this is for a breakup in 3 similar fragments; for Ni+C broader range of accepted split asymmetry, 34/3=11 easy)
- sequential vs. Prompt decay in 3B : 2 2b steps vs. 1 3b steps
- 2b (normal fission) decay included if M>1 trigger in FAZIA
- max E densities (<4MeV) generally below the known MF threshold (5-6MeV/u)