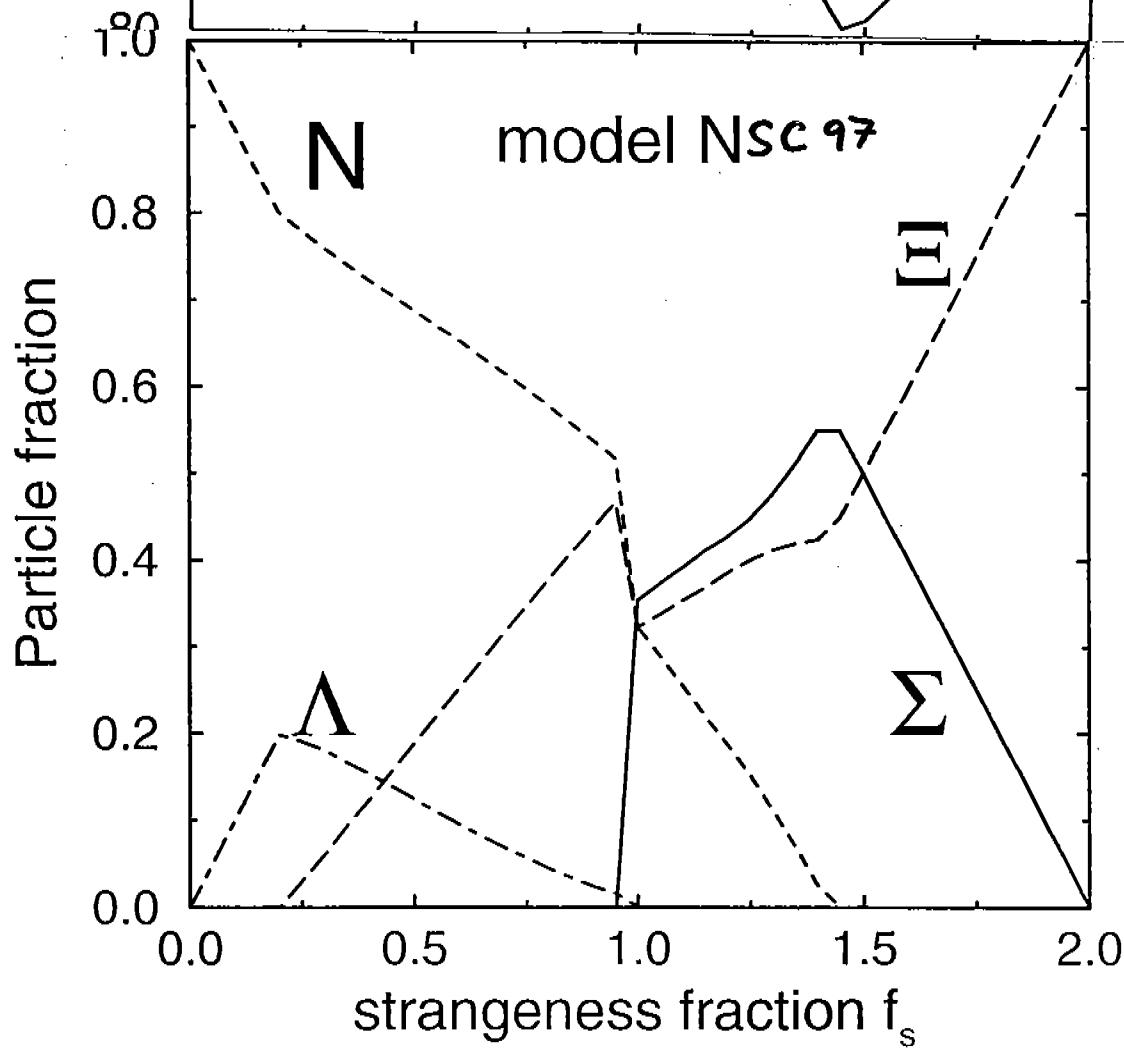
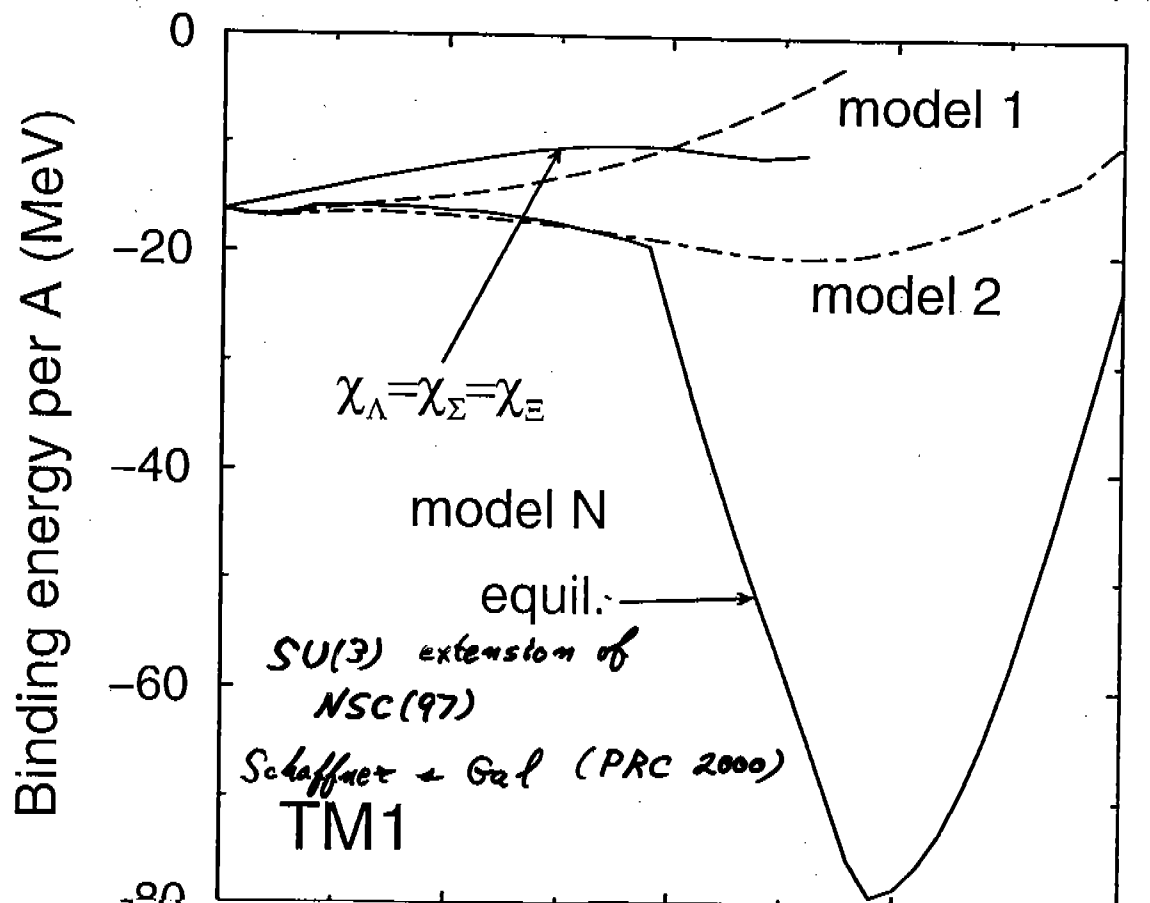
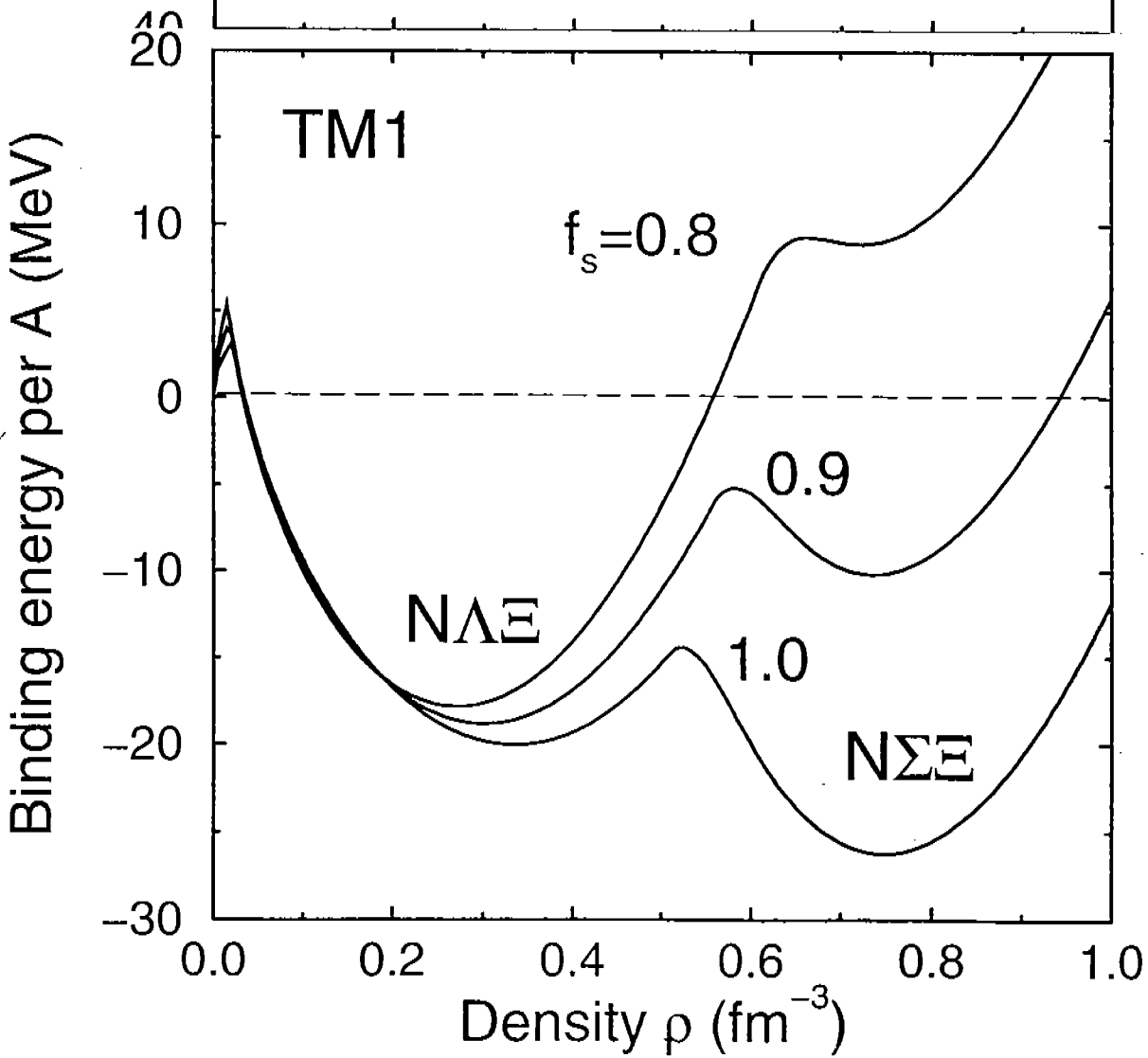
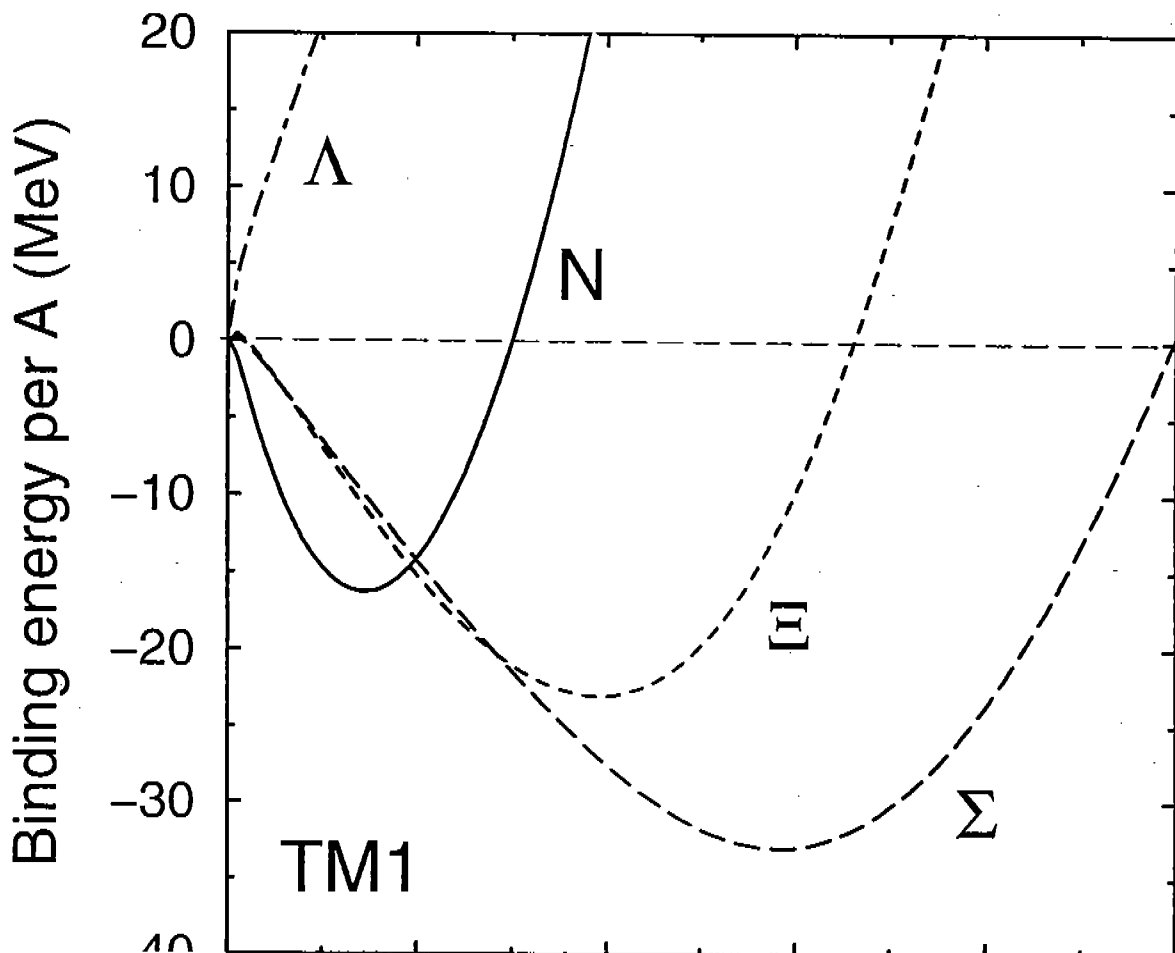


SUMMARY

1. 'old' ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{10}\text{Be}$ is inconsistent with ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$
2. 'new' ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He} \Rightarrow$ NSC97 model; is ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^4\text{H}$ bound?
3. NSC97 model \Rightarrow strong hyperon-hyperon forces
onset of Ξ nuclear stability is ${}_{\Lambda\Xi}^6\text{He}$ ($1\Xi^0\alpha$)
4. strange hadronic matter: phase transition from
 $N\Lambda\Xi$ phase to $N\Sigma\Xi$ phase
5. more experimentation is needed, extension
of both E373 (approved at the AGS for 2004/5)
and E906 (also approved recently).
Will there be any new data before JHF?





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versions a, b, c, d, e, f : fit binding and spin dependence
of ΛZ hypernuclei
ADP-98-37-T310
as p n Λ
(Stöckle)

Soft-core hyperon-nucleon potentials

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Abstract

model NSC97

A new Nijmegen soft-core OBE potential model is presented for the low-energy YN interactions. Besides the results for the fit to the scattering data, which largely defines the model, we also present some applications to hypernuclear systems using the G-matrix method. The potentials are generated by the exchange of nonets of pseudoscalar, vector, and scalar mesons. As standard in the Nijmegen soft-core models, we also include the $J = 0$ contributions from the tensor f_2, f'_2, a_2 and pomeron Regge trajectories, and use Gaussian form factors to guarantee that the potentials have a soft behavior near the origin. An important innovation with respect to the original soft-core potential is the assignment of the cut-off masses for the baryon-baryon-meson (BBM) vertices in accordance with broken $SU(3)_F$, which serves to connect the NN and the YN channels. As a novel feature, we allow for medium strong breaking of the coupling constants, using the 3P_0 model with a Gell-Mann-Okubo hypercharge breaking for the BBM coupling. Charge-symmetry breaking in the Λp and Λn channels is included as well. We present six hyperon-nucleon potentials which describe the available YN cross section data equally well, but which exhibit some differences on a more detailed level. The differences are constructed such that the models encompass a range of scattering lengths in the ΣN and ΛN channels. In all cases, we obtained $\chi^2/N_{\text{data}} \approx 0.55$ for 35 YN data. In particular, we were able to fit the precise experimental datum $\tau_R = 0.468 \pm 0.010$ for the inelastic capture ratio at rest. For the scalar-meson mixing angle we obtained values $\theta_S = 37^\circ - 40^\circ$, which points to almost ideal mixing angles for the scalar $q\bar{q}$ states. The G-matrix results indicate that the

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Extension to YY interactions: Stoks + Rijken PRC 59, 3009
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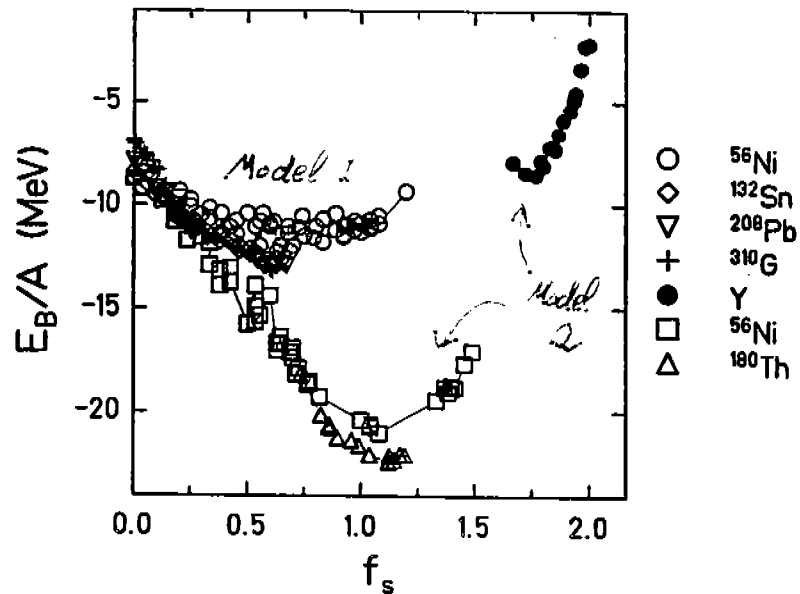


Figure 1: The binding energy of several SHM species vs. the strangeness fraction $f_s = |S|/A$

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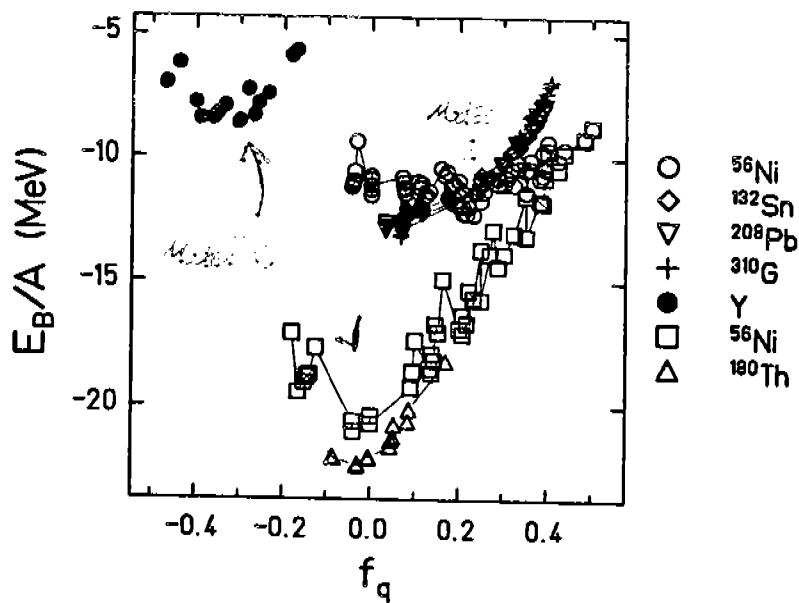
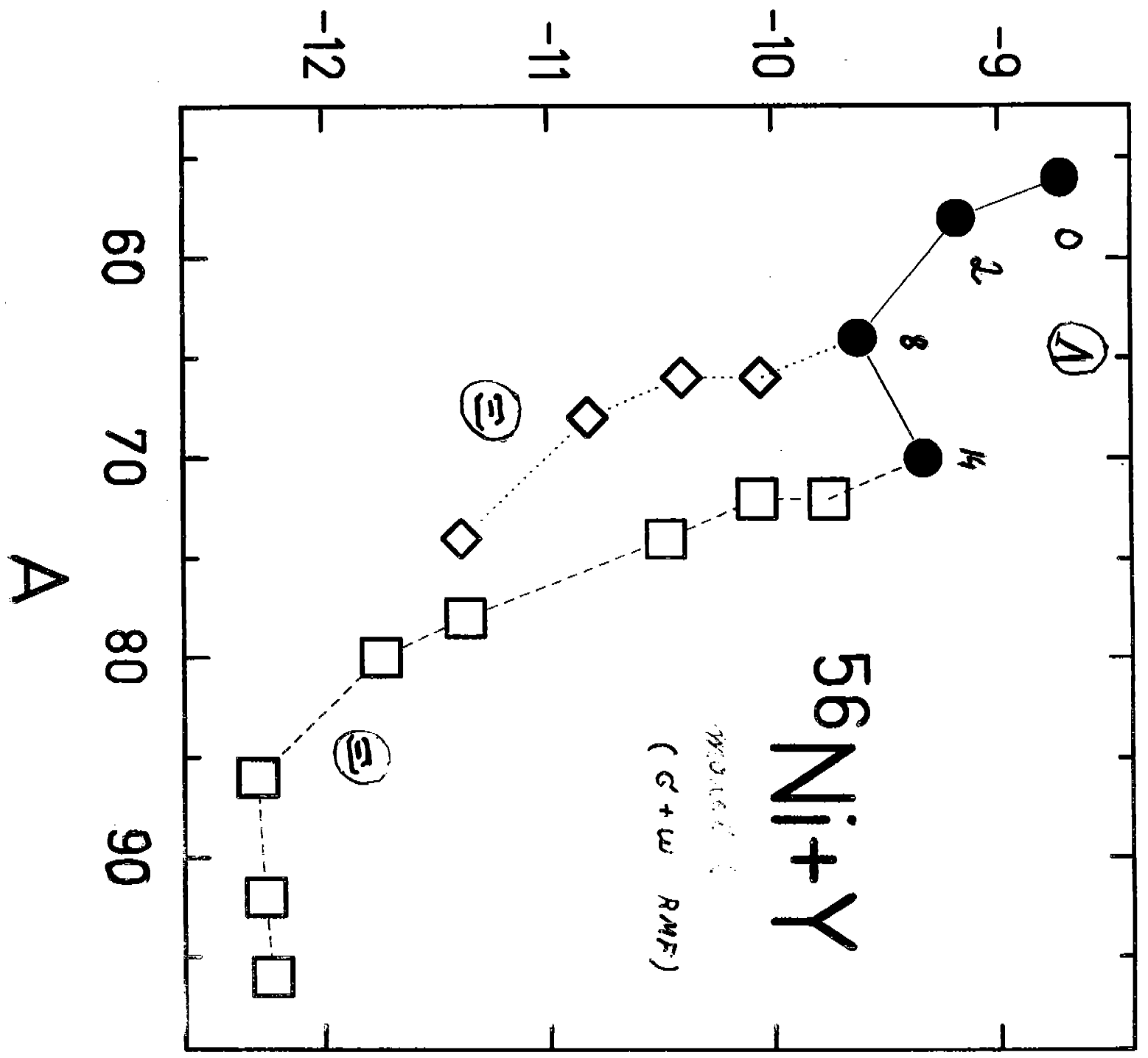


Figure 2: The binding energy of several SHM species vs. the charge fraction $f_q = Z/A$.

E_B/A (MeV)



3. Multi-Strange Objects -- Λ 's and Ξ 's

$$\Xi + N \rightarrow \Lambda + \Lambda + (\sim) 25 \text{ MeV}$$

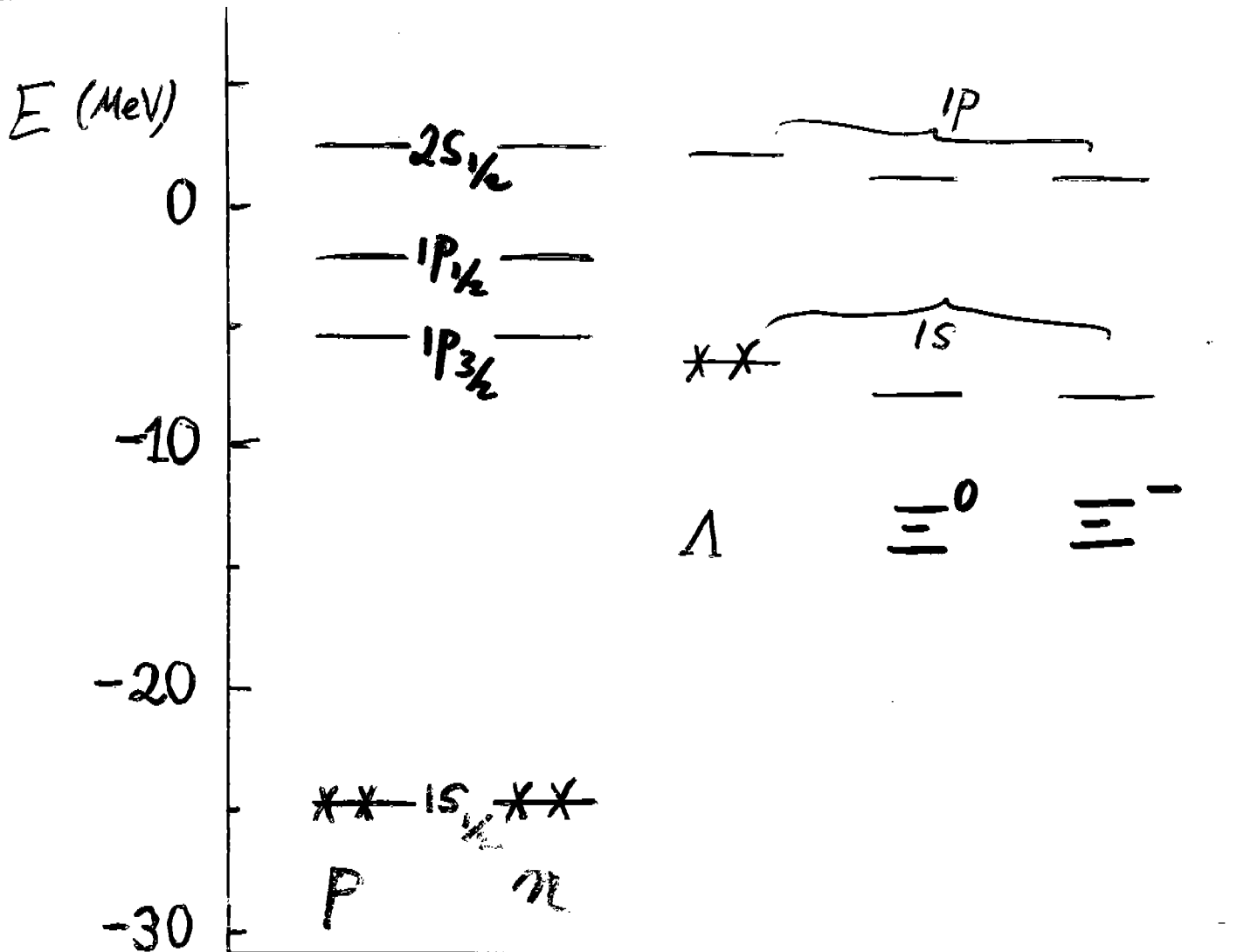
(S+W model)

overcome it
by Pauli blocking
of bound Λ 's

Example:
n) $\pi p \Lambda$

$pp \pi \pi \Lambda \Lambda \Xi^0 \Xi^0 \Xi^- \Xi^-$

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Faddeev Calculations

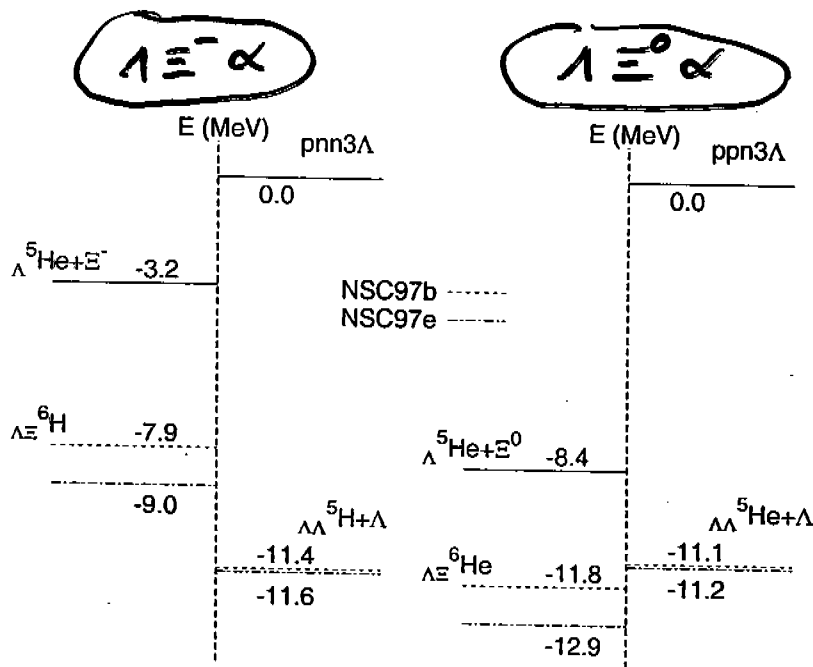
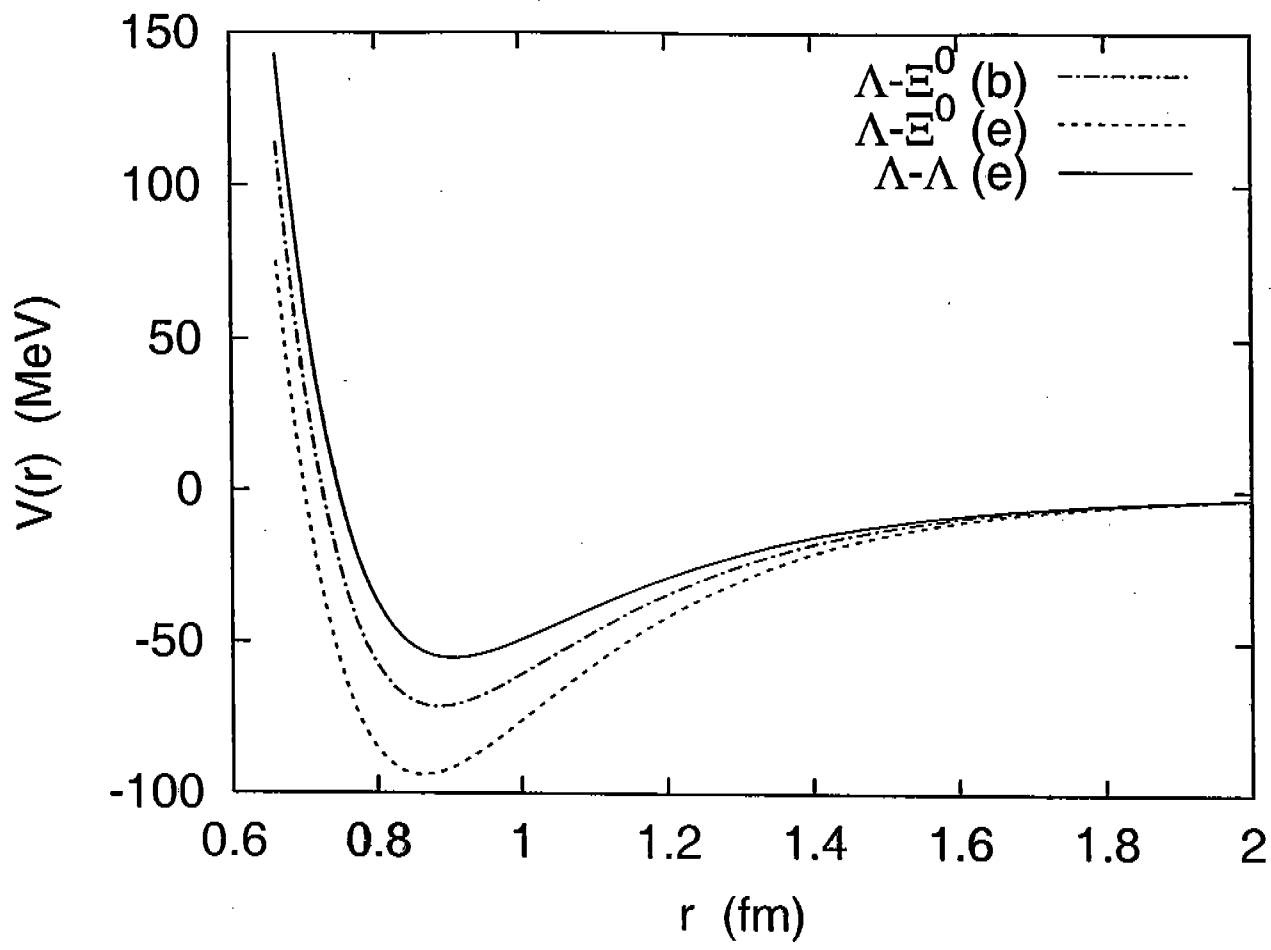


FIGURE 4. Calculated level scheme of ${}_{\Lambda\Xi}^6\text{H}$ and ${}_{\Lambda\Xi}^6\text{He}$ hypernuclei.

[18], does not resolve this incompatibility. Adding ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{13}\text{B}$ [9] as input does not alleviate it either, since the possibility of unobserved γ deexcitation cannot be dismissed also for this species, while on the theoretical side the analysis of ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{13}\text{B}$ in terms of a few-body cluster is more dubious than for the lighter $\Lambda\Lambda$ species.

Discarding past history of this emulsion experimentation for $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclear events identified as heavier than ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$, because of the ambiguities mentioned here, one remains with the very recent report from the KEK E373 experiment [14] which claims to have identified uniquely ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$, with $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} \sim 1$ MeV. No particle-stable excited states are possible for this species or for its Λ hypernuclear core ${}_{\Lambda}^5\text{He}$, so this event - if confirmed - should be taken as the most directly relevant constraint on the $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction.

Moreover, ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$ is also ideally suited for three-body cluster calculations such as the Faddeev equations here solved for the $\alpha\Lambda\Lambda$ system. Using s -wave soft-core $\Lambda\Lambda$ potentials that simulate several of the Nijmegen $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction models, we have shown that model NSC97 is the only one capable of coming close to the observed binding, short by about 0.5 MeV of the new value [14]. In fact, we estimate the theoretical uncertainty of our Faddeev calculation for ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$ as bounded by 0.5 MeV, and such that the precisely calculated binding energy is *larger* by a fraction of this bound than the $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ values shown in Table 4. Taking into account such possible corrections would bring our calculated $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ values to within the error bars of the reported $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ value. There are two possible origins for this theoretical uncertainty, one is the restriction to s -waves in the partial-wave expansion of the Faddeev equations, excluding higher ℓ values; the other one is ignoring the off-diagonal $\Lambda\Lambda - \Xi N$ interaction which admixes Ξ components into the ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}^6\text{He}$ wavefunction. Both effects have been tested in several previous calculations and found small. For example, a recent work by Yamada and Nakamoto [37] using



$$S = -3$$

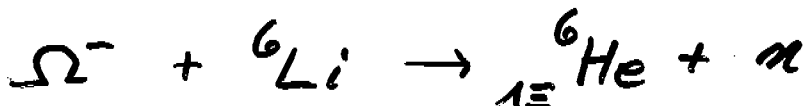
${}_{1\Xi}^6\text{He}$ is particle stable ($1\Xi^0\alpha$)

${}_{1\Xi}^6\text{H}$ is not particle stable ($1\Xi^-\alpha$)

($m_{\Xi^-} > m_{\Xi^0}$ by 6.5 MeV)

Lightest $S = -3$ stable bound state;

requires Ω^- initiated reactions for production



Main assumptions:

1. 1Ξ from model NSC97 which is close to reproducing ${}_{1\Xi}^6\text{He}$ 'new' B_{11} .

2. 1α is fitted to B_1 (${}_{1\Xi}^5\text{He}$).

3. $\Xi\alpha$ is normalized to Ξ^- - ${}^{11}\text{B}$ potential depth as deduced from E885 $K^- + {}^{12}\text{C} \rightarrow K^+ + {}_{\Xi}^{12}\text{Be}$.

Ξ -nucleus interaction is poorly known;

search for ${}_{\Xi}^A Z$ bound states ($\Gamma \lesssim 3$ MeV) and look for Ξ^- x rays in ${}_{\Xi}^-$ atoms.

New calculations incorporate

(i) $\Lambda N - \Sigma N$ coupling (evident from $A=4$
 Λ hypernuclei)

(ii) $\Lambda \Lambda - \Xi N - \Sigma \Sigma$ coupling

Cazz, Afnan, Gibson (1997)

Afnan, Gibson (PRC 2003)

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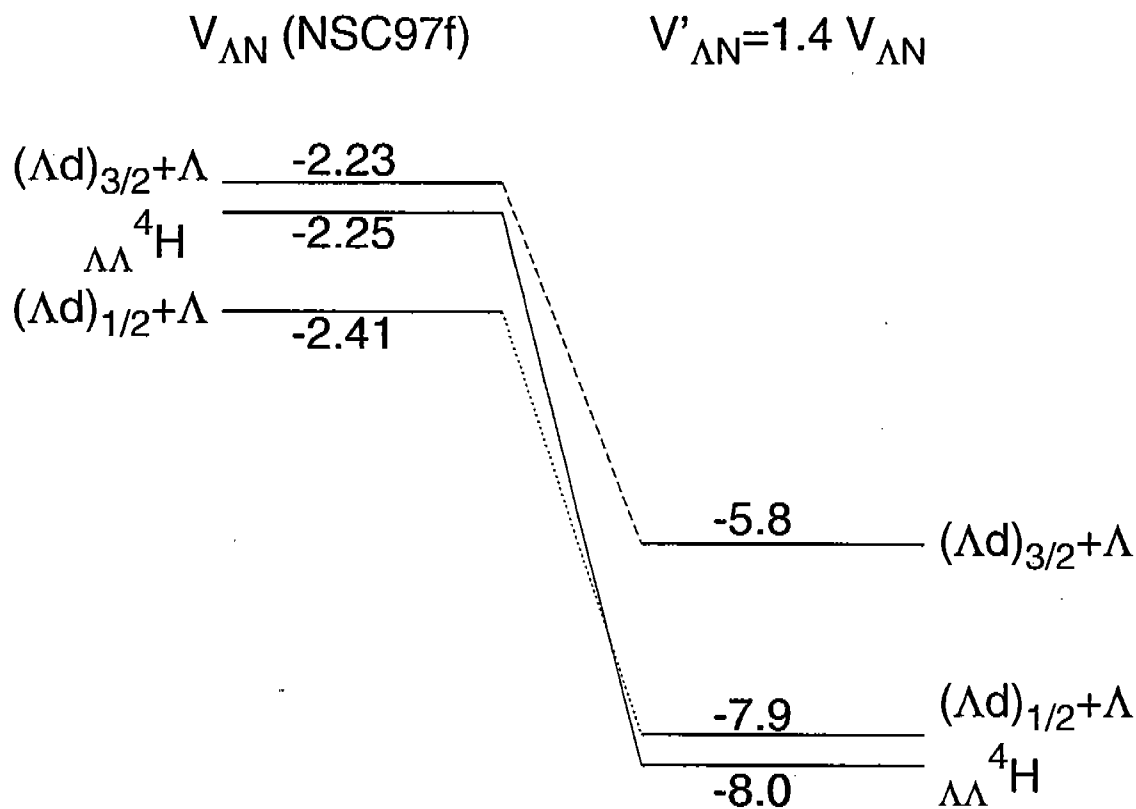
Filikhin, Gal, Suslov (PRC 2003)

Vidaña, Ramos, Polls (2003) $\Sigma \Sigma$ is important!

effects are small, 0.2-0.3 MeV, except for *
(about double)

(iii) rearrangement effects in ${}^4\text{He}$

Rodno, et al (PRC 2003) huge !?
Fujiwara, Akaishi



$$\Lambda\Lambda NN : V_{NN}, V_{\Lambda\Lambda}, 4V_{\Lambda N}$$

ΛN interaction is decisive in this problem

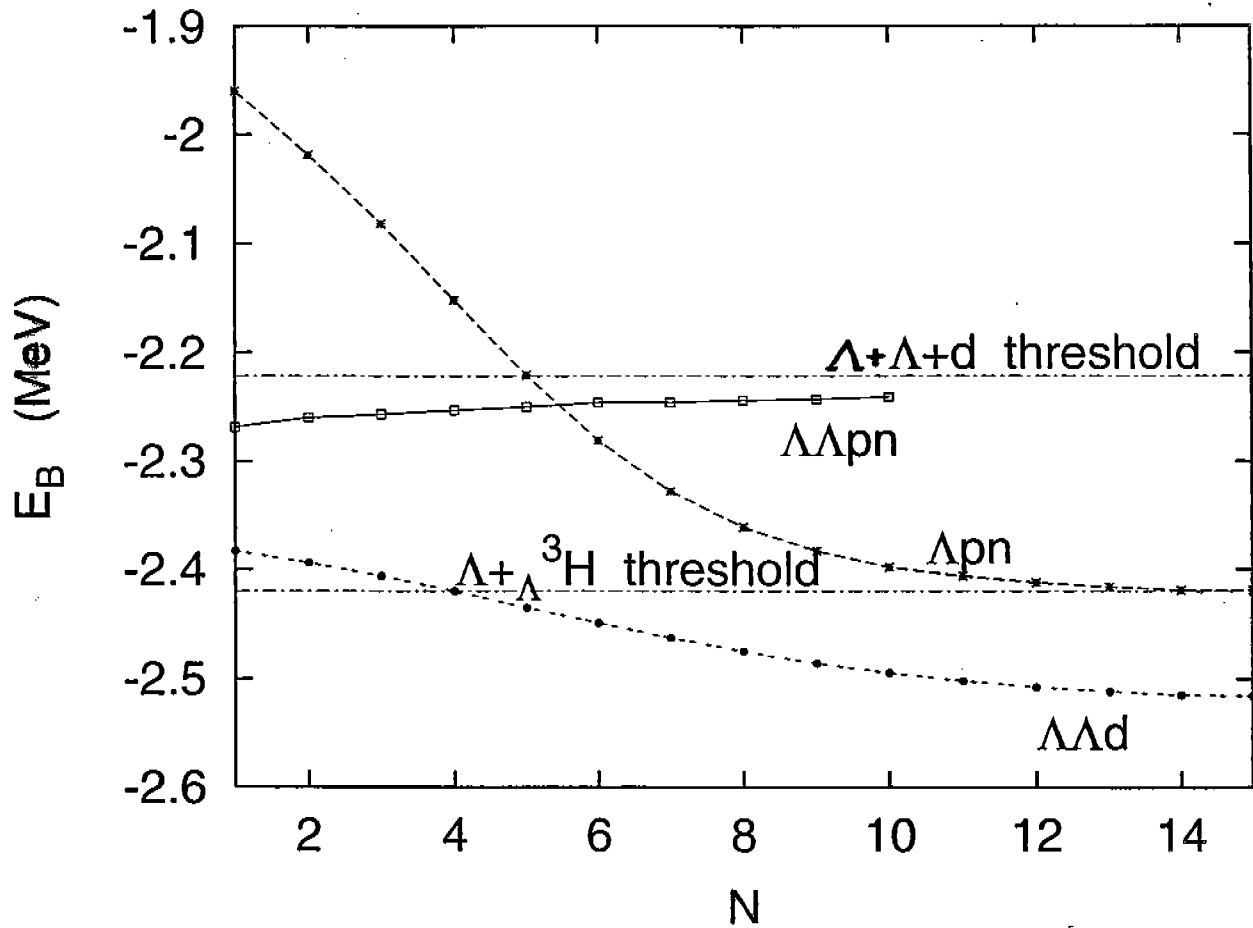
Rearrangement channels: $(\Lambda NN)_{S=1/2} + \Lambda$, $(\Lambda NN)_{3/2} + \Lambda$, $(\Lambda NN)_{1/2} + N$,

$$(\Lambda\Lambda)_0^+ + (NN)_1, (\Lambda N)_0^+ + (\Lambda N)_1, (\Lambda N)_1 + (\Lambda N)_1$$

Too many of these channels are effectively repulsive;

4-body calc. allowing p-n structure for d yields less binding than 3-body calc. for $\Lambda\Lambda d$.

Normally: 4-body calc. gives more binding than 3-body calc.



all binding

4-body calc.

Increasing $V_{\Lambda n}$ does not bind $\Lambda \Lambda$:

How come Λpn is bound, but $\Lambda \Lambda pn$ is not ?

Stochastic variational search for ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H}$

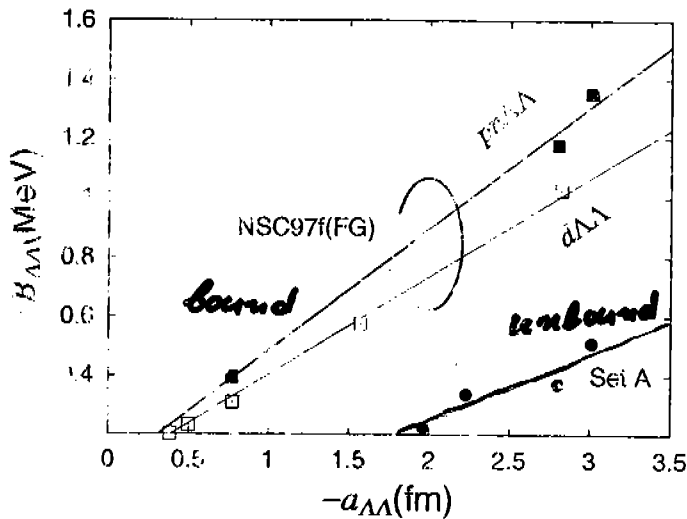


FIG. 1: Calculated $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H})$ as a function of the scattering length, $a_{\Lambda\Lambda}$. The solid squares were obtained using the stochastic variational search with the NSC97f(FG) ΛN potential and the solid circles by the Set A potential. The open squares are the result of the $d\Lambda\Lambda$ three-body model, taken from Ref. [1]. The straight lines were drawn only for the sake of a guide to the reader.

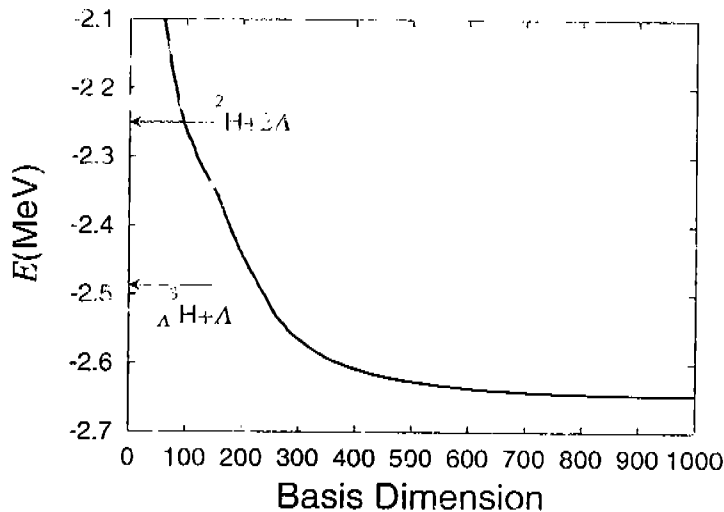


FIG. 2: Energy expectation value of ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H}$ as a function of the basis dimension, K . The interactions are taken from Ref. [1], spin-triplet NSC97f(FG) ΛN and Λ deduced from the recent experimental $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H})$. The calculated energy is clearly lower than the ${}^3\text{H} + \Lambda$ threshold.

Although the convergence of the energy is rather slow, the

	$\langle T_c \rangle$	$\langle V_{NN} \rangle$	E_c	$\sqrt{\langle r_{NN}^2 \rangle}$
${}^2\text{H}$	18.74	-20.99	-2.25	3.85
${}^3_{\Lambda}\text{H}^*$	19.09	-21.20	-2.12	3.75
${}^3_{\Lambda}\text{H}$	20.70	-22.30	-1.59	3.54
${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H}(a_{\Lambda\Lambda} = -0.77\text{fm})$	22.28	-23.17	-0.88	3.34
${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H}(a_{\Lambda\Lambda} = -2.8\text{fm})$	24.73	-24.55	0.18	3.08

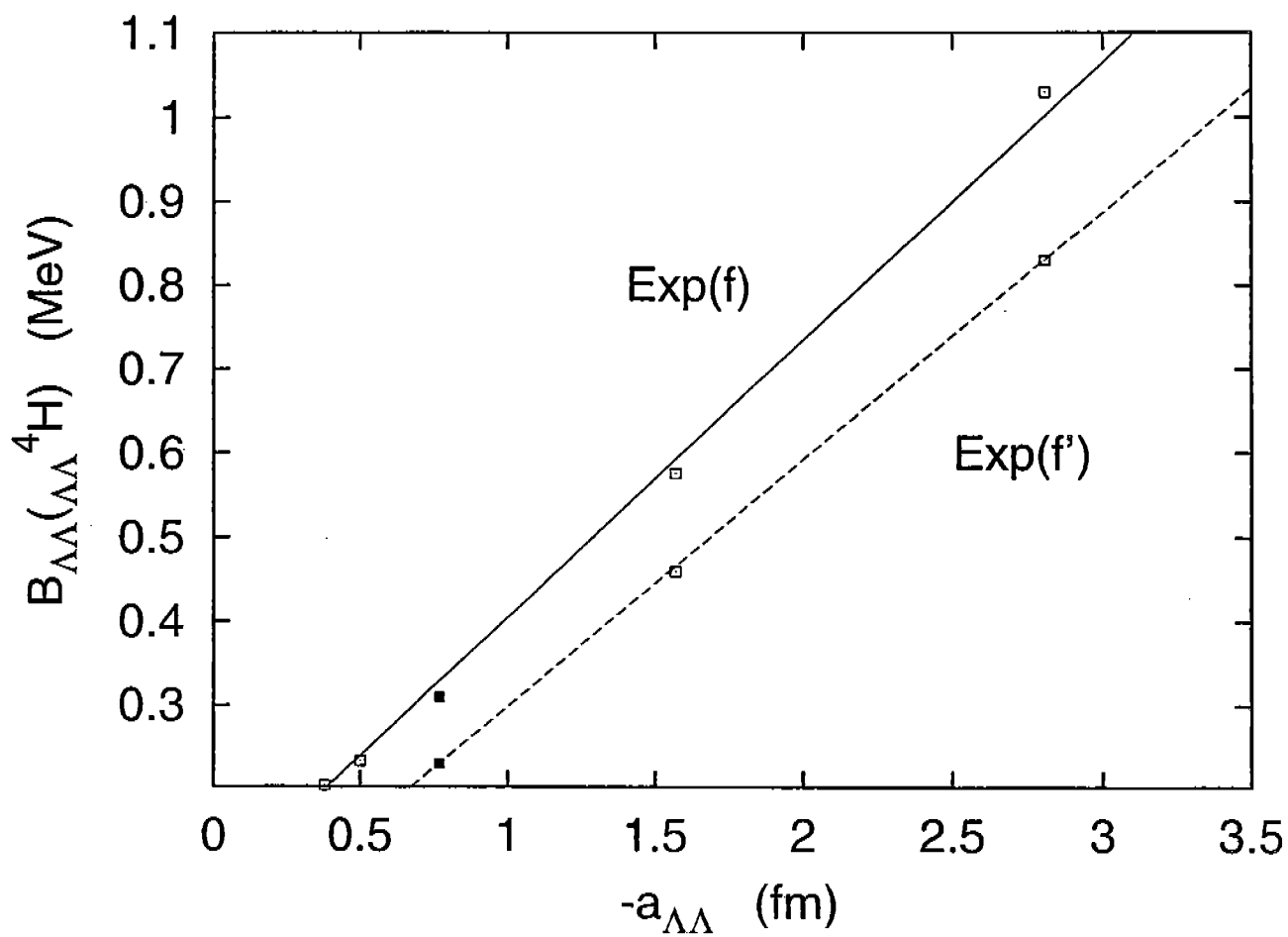
TABLE I: Energy expectation values of kinetic (T_c), potential (V_{NN}) terms, and the sum of these energies (the pn subsystem, in units of MeV). The rms distance between a proton and a neutron, or between a nucleon and a Λ listed, in units of fm. The spin-triplet pn and NSC97f ΛN potentials, taken from Ref. [1], were used.

	$B_{\Lambda}({}^3\text{H})$	$B_{\Lambda}({}^4\text{H})$	$B_{\Lambda}({}^4\text{H}^*)$
NSC97f(FG)	0.24	2.69	1.99
Set A	0.18	2.24	1.14
Experiment	0.13 ± 0.05	2.04 ± 0.04	1.00 ± 0.04

TABLE II: Λ separation energies, given in units of MeV, for $A = 3, 4$ single- Λ hypernuclei. The Minnesota NN p was used.

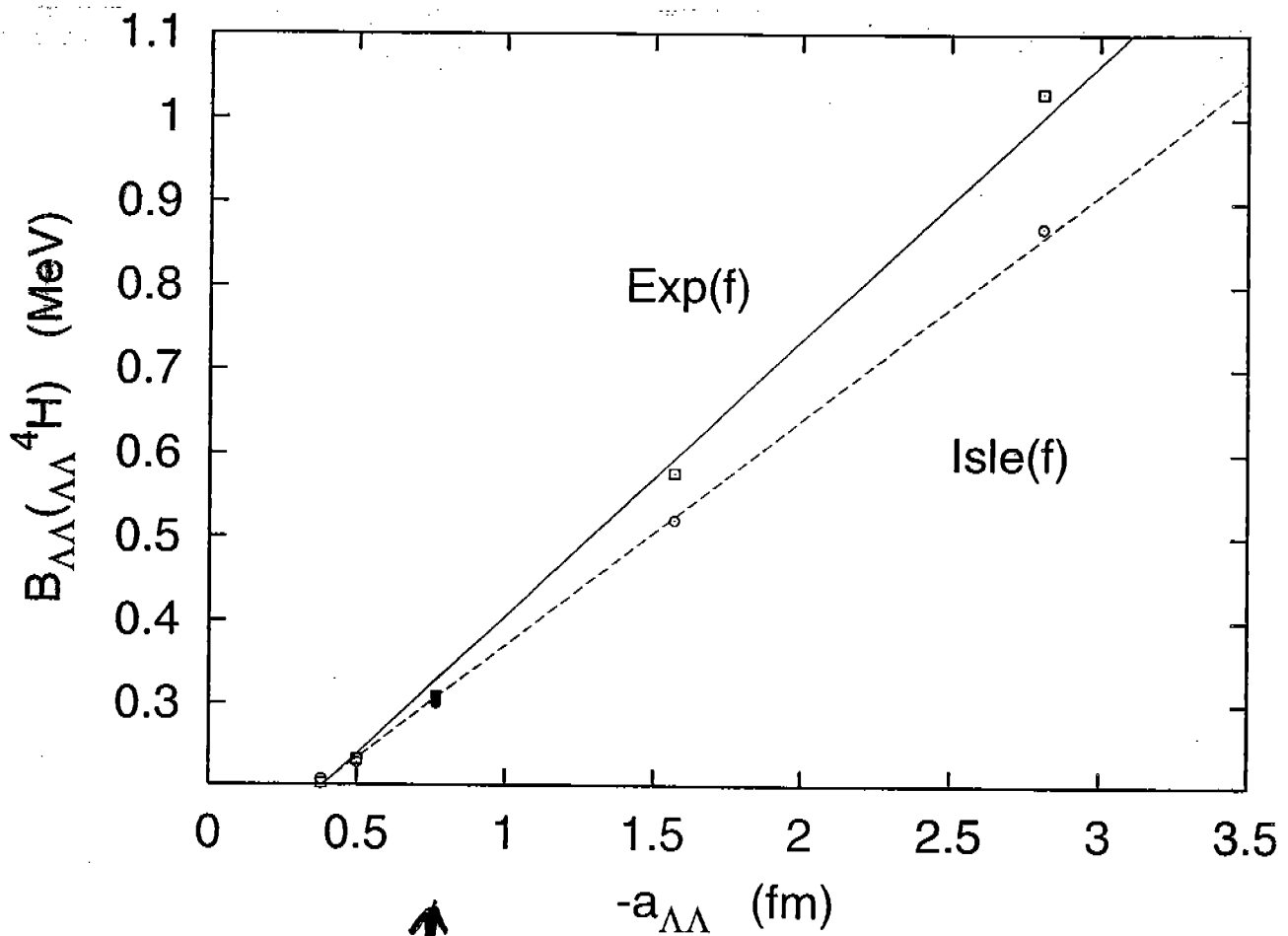
other at the point where $a_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 0$ fm. This means that the polarization of the pn subsystem is small, and the $d\Lambda\Lambda$ model is a good approximation if the interaction is very weak. The polarization of the pn subsystem grows as the strength of the $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction increases. Table I lists the energy expectation values of the proton and neutron subsystem in each hypernucleus, and also the root-mean-square distances between a p and an n , or between a nucleon and a Λ . Here the kinetic energy of the pn subsystem, which is given by $T_c = (\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2)^2/4m_N$. The table shows that the influence of the Λ particle upon the internal structure of the pn subsystem becomes large as the Λ particle gets close to the nucleon. Especially in the case of a strong attractive $\Lambda\Lambda$ potential, the change in the internal energy (E_c) or of the rms distance ($\sqrt{\langle r_{NN}^2 \rangle}$) is significant.

As can be seen in Fig. 2, the $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ value is sensitive to the choice of the ΛN potential. For the purpose of predicting whether ${}_{\Lambda\Lambda}{}^4\text{H}$ exists as a particle-stable state, the ΛN potential has to be examined carefully. Table II compares the B_{Λ} values of $A = 3, 4$ hypernuclei. The calculated B_{Λ} value of the $A = 4$ hypernucleus using NSC97f(FG) is larger than that using Set A.



f : $^3_{\Lambda}H$ ($\frac{3}{2}^+$) slightly bound

f' : " " unbound



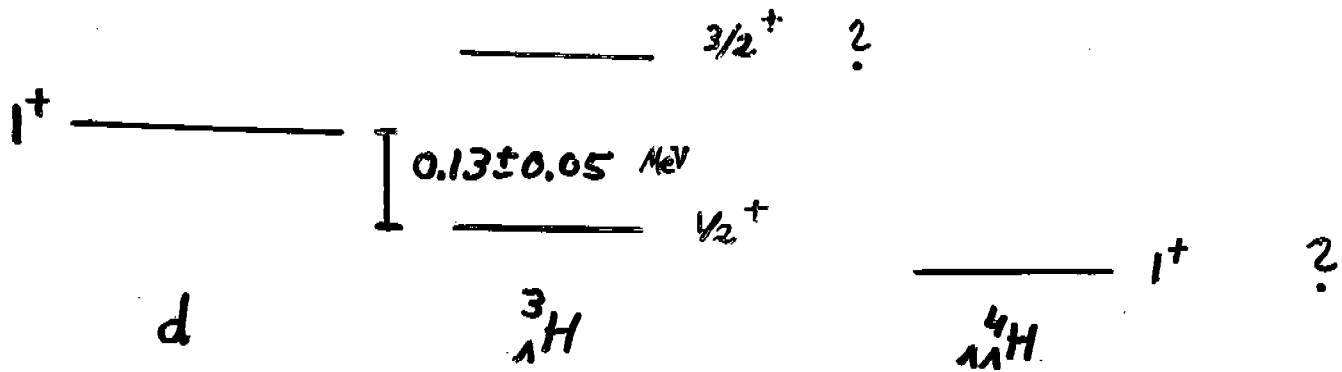
↑
 $^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$

$\Lambda\Lambda$ d model

Λ d exponential or Isle potentials
fitted to $\Lambda p n$ Faddeev calculations
for $J^\pi = \frac{1}{2}^+$ and $\frac{3}{2}^+$

Filipkin + Gal PRL (2002)

${}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H$: stable or unstable? ${}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H \rightarrow {}^3_{\Lambda}H + A$?



$$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H) = B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H) - 2\left(\frac{2}{3}B_{\Lambda}({}^3_{\Lambda}H_{exc.}) + \frac{1}{3}B_{\Lambda}({}^3_{\Lambda}H_{g.s.})\right)$$

calculation:

(i) ${}^3_{\Lambda}H$ binding from Λnp Faddeev, NSC97

	$S = \frac{1}{2}$	$S = \frac{3}{2}$	
e	0.069 (0.076)	0.015 (0.015)	construct Λd potentials to reproduce Λnp scatt. and binding
f	0.195 (0.203)	0.003 (0.004)	

(ii) ${}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H$ binding from Λnd Faddeev

$V_{\Lambda\Lambda}$:	ESCOO	ND	NSC97 _e	NSC97 _f	$V_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 0$	} $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ (MeV)
e(Λd)		0.74	0.16	0.13	0.092	
f(Λd)	1.79	0.87	0.23	0.21	unbound	

slight stability!

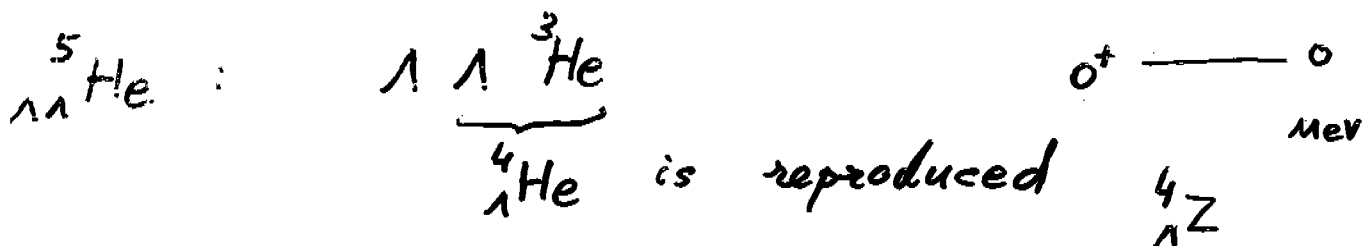
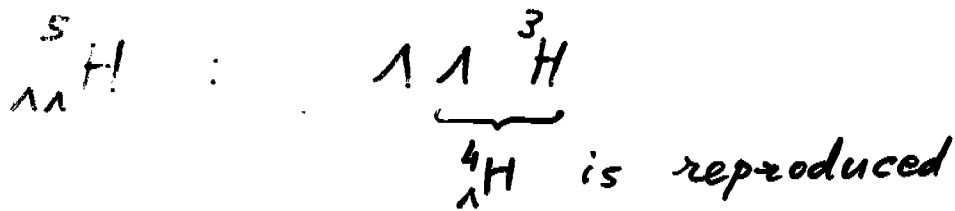
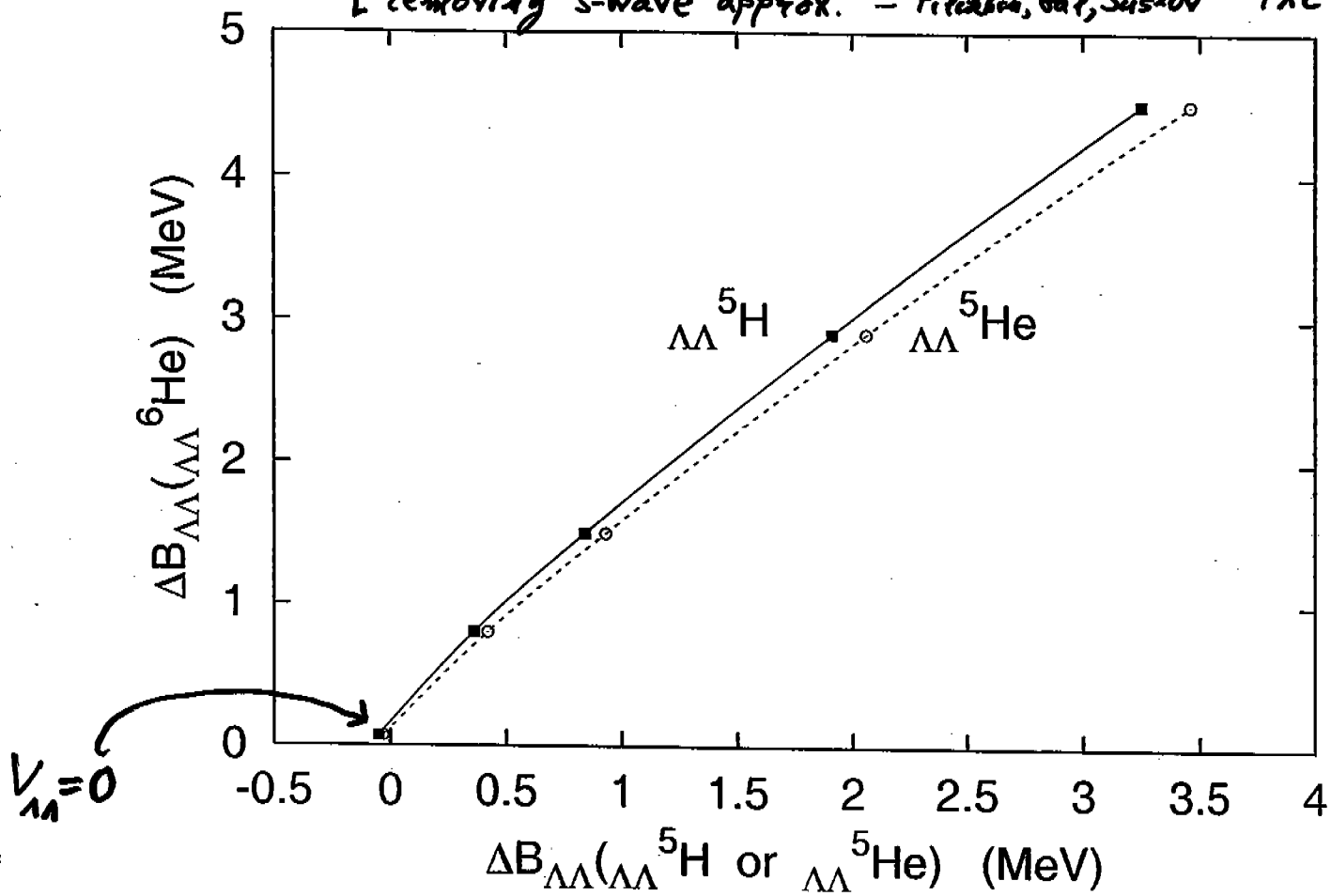
(iii) ${}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}H$ from Λnp Faddeev-Yakubovsky in progress

$${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He} = \Lambda\Lambda\alpha$$

Filikhin and Gal, Faddeev calc.

PRC (2003)
MPA

[removing s-wave approx. - Filikhin, Gal, Suslov PRC (2003)]



$$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = B_{\Lambda\Lambda} - 2 \left(\frac{3}{4} B_3(1^+) + \frac{1}{4} B_1(0^+) \right),$$

yet ${}^5_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Z}$ is stable against ${}^5_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Z} \rightarrow \Lambda + {}^4_{\Lambda}\text{Z}$

What Does Free Space $\Lambda\Lambda$ Interaction Predict for $\Lambda\Lambda$ Hypernuclei?

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Data on $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei provide a unique method to learn details on the strangeness $S = -2$ sector of the baryon-baryon interaction. From the free space Bonn-Jülich potentials, determined from data on baryon-baryon scattering in the $S = 0, -1$ channels, we construct an interaction in the $S = -2$ sector to describe the experimentally known $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei. After including short-range (Jastrow) and RPA correlations, we find masses for these $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei in a reasonable agreement with data, taking into account theoretical and experimental uncertainties. Thus, we provide a natural extension, at low energies, of the Bonn-Jülich OBE potentials to the $S = -2$ channel.

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I. INTRODUCTION

In the past years a considerable amount of work has been done both in the experimental and the theoretical aspects of the physics of single and double Λ hypernuclei [1]. Because of the lack of targets, the data on $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei provide a unique method to learn details on the strangeness $S = -2$ sector of the baryon-baryon interaction. Ground state energies of three (the production of ${}^4_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{H}$ has been recently reported [2]) $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei, ${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$, ${}^{10}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{Be}$ and ${}^{13}_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{B}$, have been measured. The experimental binding energies, $B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = -[M({}^{A+2}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) - M({}^AZ) - 2m_\Lambda]$, are reported in Table I. Note that the ${}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}$ energy has been updated very recently [3] in contradiction to the old one, $B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 10.9 \pm 0.8$ MeV [7]. The scarce hyperon-nucleon (YN) scattering data have been used by the Nijmegen (NJG), Bonn-Jülich (BJ) and Tübingen groups [1] to determine realistic YN and thus also some pieces of the YY interactions. In Ref. [8] an effective $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction, with a form inspired in the One Boson Exchange (OBE) BJ potentials [9], was fitted to data, and the first attempts to compare it to the free space one were carried out. Similar studies using OBE NJG potentials [10] have been also performed in Ref. [11] and the weak decays of double Λ hypernuclei have been studied in Ref. [12]. Short Range Correlations (SRC) play an important role in these systems [8], but despite of their inclusion the effective $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction, fitted to the $\Lambda\Lambda$ -hypernuclei data, significantly differs from the free space one deduced in Ref. [9]

from scattering data. In this letter we consider the new datum for He and, importantly, the effect of the long range nuclear correlations (RPA) is also incorporated. Starting from the free space BJ interactions, we find a good description of the masses of He, Be and B $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei. This has never been achieved before despite the use of different $\Lambda\Lambda$ free space interactions [13]. The BJ set of potentials used here and the new NJG (NSC97e,b [10]) interactions are similar in shape, though the latter ones are shifted around 0.2 fm to larger distances as compared to the BJ potentials. Due to the difficulty of including RPA effects in NJG models and since both sets of interactions give similar energies in absence of nuclear effects, in this work we have used BJ-type potentials.

II. MODEL FOR $\Lambda\Lambda$ HYPERNUCLEI

A. Variational Scheme: Jastrow type correlations

Following the work of Ref. [8], we model the $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei by an interacting three-body $\Lambda\Lambda$ +nuclear core system. Thus, we determine the intrinsic wave-function, $\Phi_{\Lambda\Lambda}(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2)$, and the binding energy $B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$, where $\vec{r}_{1,2}$ are the relative coordinates of the hyperons respect to the nucleus, from the intrinsic Hamiltonian.

$$H = h_{sp}(1) + h_{sp}(2) + V_{\Lambda\Lambda}(1, 2) - \vec{\nabla}_1 \cdot \vec{\nabla}_2 / M_A \quad (1)$$

where $h_{sp}(i) = -\vec{\nabla}_i^2 / 2\mu_A + V_{\Lambda A}(|\vec{r}_i|)$, M_A and μ_A are the nuclear core and the Λ -core reduced masses respectively. The Λ -nuclear core potential, $V_{\Lambda A}$, is adjusted to reproduce the binding energies, $B_\Lambda (> 0)$, of the corresponding single- Λ hypernuclei [8], and $V_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ stands for the $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction in the medium. Due to the presence of the second Λ a dynamical re-ordering effect in the nuclear core is produced. Both the $\Lambda\Lambda$ free interaction and this re-ordering of the nuclear core, contribute to $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} \equiv B_{\Lambda\Lambda} - 2B_\Lambda$. However, the latter effect is suppressed with respect to the former one by at least one power of the nuclear density, which is the natural parameter in all many body quantum theory expansions. We assume the nuclear core dynamical re-ordering effects

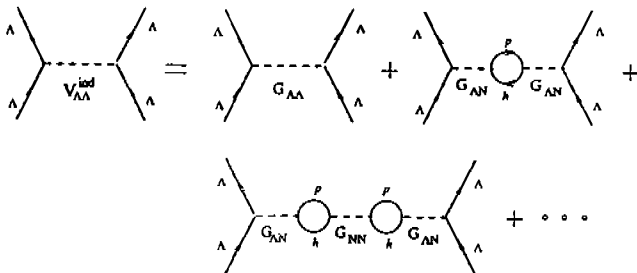
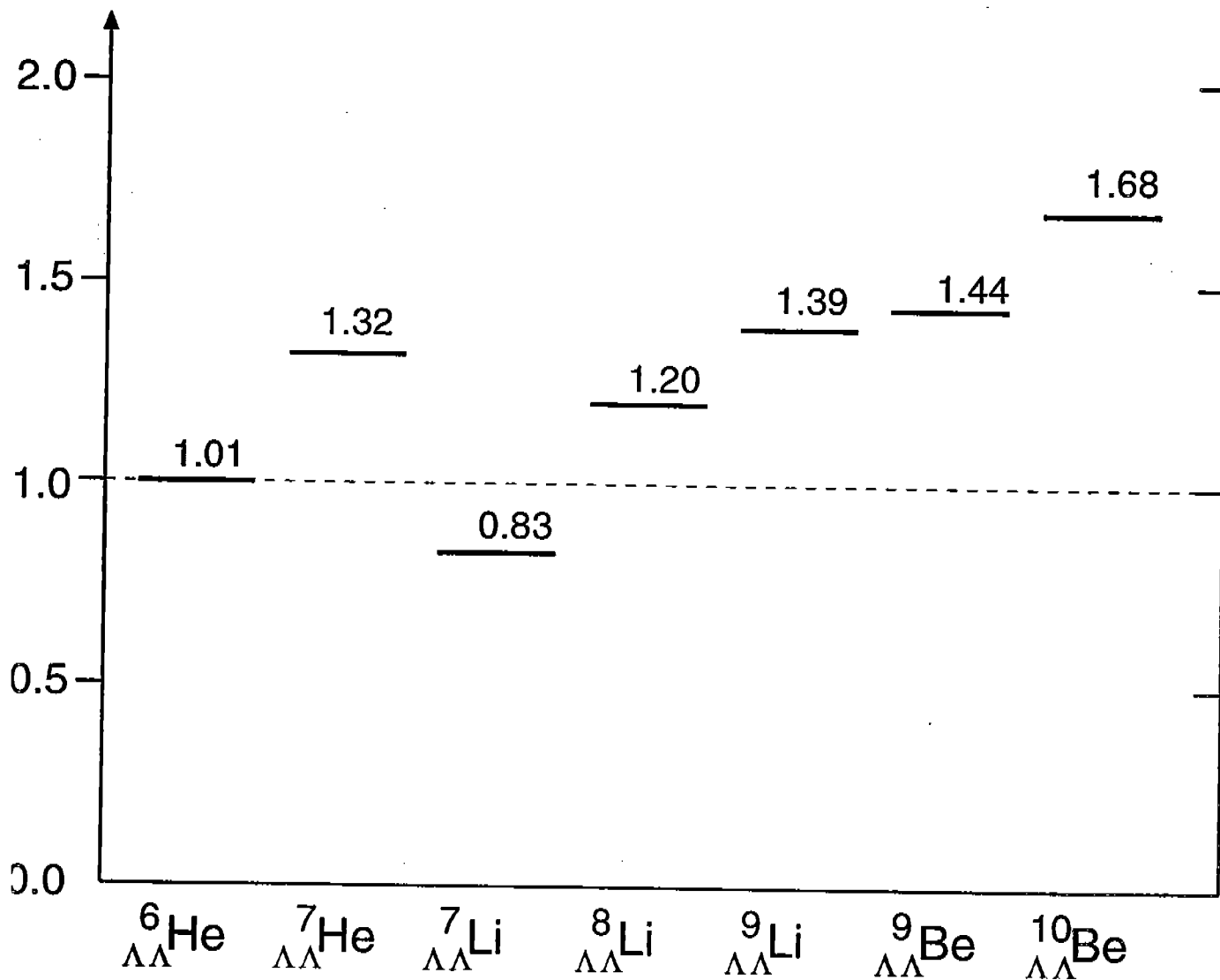


FIG. 1: Diagrammatic definition of $V_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{ind}$.

$\Delta \bar{B}_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ (MeV)



$\alpha X \Lambda \Lambda$ cluster model

Four-body cluster structure of $A = 7 - 10$ double- Λ hypernuclei

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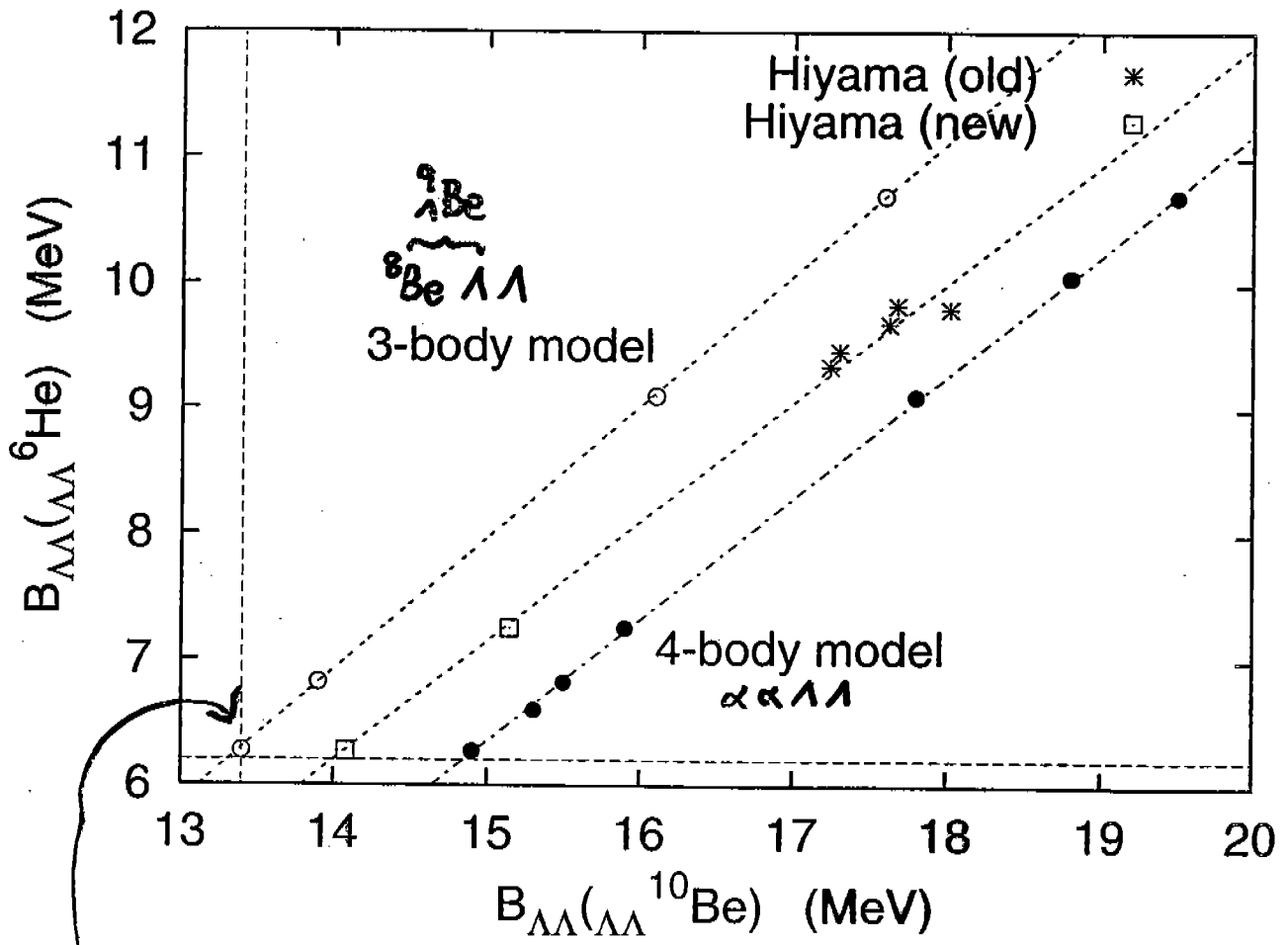
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Percentages of rearrangement channels

for ${}^{10}_{\Lambda}\text{Be}$ as a $\Lambda\Lambda\alpha\alpha$ system

channel	$V_{\Lambda}=0$	ND	ESCOO
$(\Lambda\alpha\alpha) + \Lambda$ dominated by ${}^9_{\Lambda}\text{Be} + \Lambda$	45	37	32
$(\Lambda\Lambda\alpha) + \alpha$ dominated by ${}^6_{\Lambda}\text{He} + \alpha$	26	38	46
$(\Lambda\alpha) + (\Lambda\alpha)$ dominated by ${}^5_{\Lambda}\text{He} + {}^5_{\Lambda}\text{He}$	29	25	22
$(\Lambda\Lambda) + (\alpha\alpha)$	$\ll 1$	$\ll 1$	$\ll 1$

more than 50% of ${}^{10}_{\Lambda}\text{Be}$ resides in channels not describable by ${}^8\text{Be}$ core!



$\Delta B_{\Lambda} = 0$

4-body calculation gives $\Delta B_{\Lambda} > 0$ for $V_{\Lambda} = 0$

2. Calculations

Few Body systems with strong YV interactions

Filikhin + Gal (2001)

PRC 65 (2002)

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a_{YY} , r_{YY} from OBE models

low-energy scatt. parameters



$$V_{\text{OBE}} = \sum_i (V_i^{(0)} + V_i^{(1)} \vec{q}_i \cdot \vec{q}_i) e^{-r/\lambda_i}$$

simulated

following YV interactions due to dynamics of Λ
 PRL 77, 100 (1996)

$\Lambda \Xi$: Stoks + Rijken (NSC97, extended)

$\Lambda \Lambda$: Rijken, to provide 'strong' $\Lambda \Lambda$ binding
 (ESCOO) but also previous potentials (NSC97)

$\Lambda \alpha$: fitted to ${}^5\text{He}$

Solve Faddeev equations for central interactions

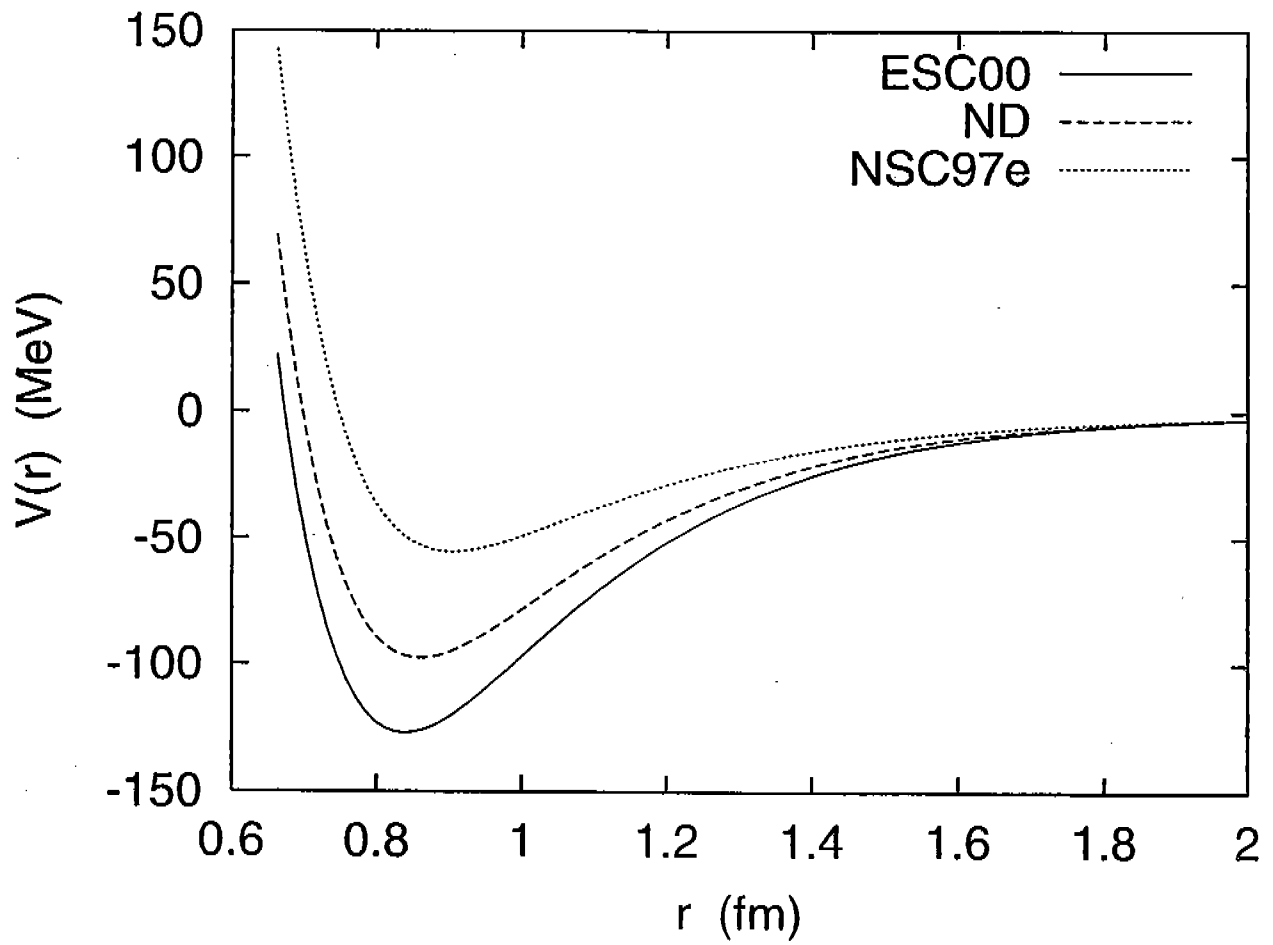
${}^4\text{H}$: $\Lambda \alpha$, ${}^6\text{He}$: $\Lambda \Lambda \alpha$, ${}^{10}\text{Be}$: $\Lambda \Lambda \alpha \alpha$

$\Lambda \Lambda$ s -wave approximation

Yakubovsky equations

no $\Lambda \Lambda$ - $\Xi \Xi$, $\Lambda \Lambda$ - $\Xi \Xi$ explicit interactions

Nijmegen $\Lambda\Lambda$ simulated potentials (50)



Nijmegen potential models (one-boson-exchange)

			$(\Lambda\Lambda)_{150}$	
hard core	D (1977)	attraction		1-5 MeV
	F (1979)	repulsion		

soft core (attractive)

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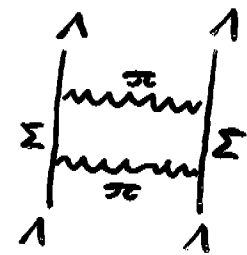
Λ -binding \checkmark } versions $\lesssim 1$ MeV
 spin dependence \checkmark } e, f

ESCOO

~ 5 MeV

why $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction is expected weak?

- no one-pion exchange
- quark-model motivated couplings



$$\frac{g_{\sigma NN}^2}{f_{\sigma NN}^2}$$

$$\frac{g_{\omega NN}^2}{f_{\omega NN}^2}$$

$$\sim \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \text{ (quarks)}$$

$$\therefore |V_{\Lambda\Lambda}| \lesssim \frac{1}{2} |V_{NN}|$$

$$|V_{\Lambda\Lambda}| < |V_{\Lambda N}| < |V_{NN}|$$

but earlier $\Lambda\Lambda$ hyp. data indicated $|V_{\Lambda N}| < |V_{\Lambda\Lambda}| \lesssim |V_{NN}|$

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 experiments

1. Λ hypernuclei - review; and new

AGS E906, Production of ${}_{\Lambda}^4\text{H}$, Abu et al., PRL 87, 182504 (09/01)

KEK E373, Observation of ${}_{\Lambda}^6\text{He}$, Takahashi et al., PRL 87 212502 (11/01)

New calculations: Filikhin + Gal, nucl-th/0110008 0203036
 Alberus + Amaro + Nieves, nucl-th/0110046 0204059
 Hiyama ...

Relevance: existence of Λ dibaryon? ($uudds$)₁₅₀

2. Few-body calculations: $\Lambda\Lambda d$ (${}_{\Lambda}^4\text{H}$) $\Lambda\Lambda p\alpha$

$\Lambda\Lambda\alpha$ (${}_{\Lambda}^6\text{He}$)
 Test of $\bar{B}B$ interaction models
 $\Lambda\Lambda\alpha\alpha$ (${}_{\Lambda}^{10}\text{Be}$)

$\Lambda\Xi\alpha$ (${}_{\Lambda\Xi}^6\text{He}$) : onset of Ξ stability against $\Xi N \rightarrow \Lambda\Lambda$

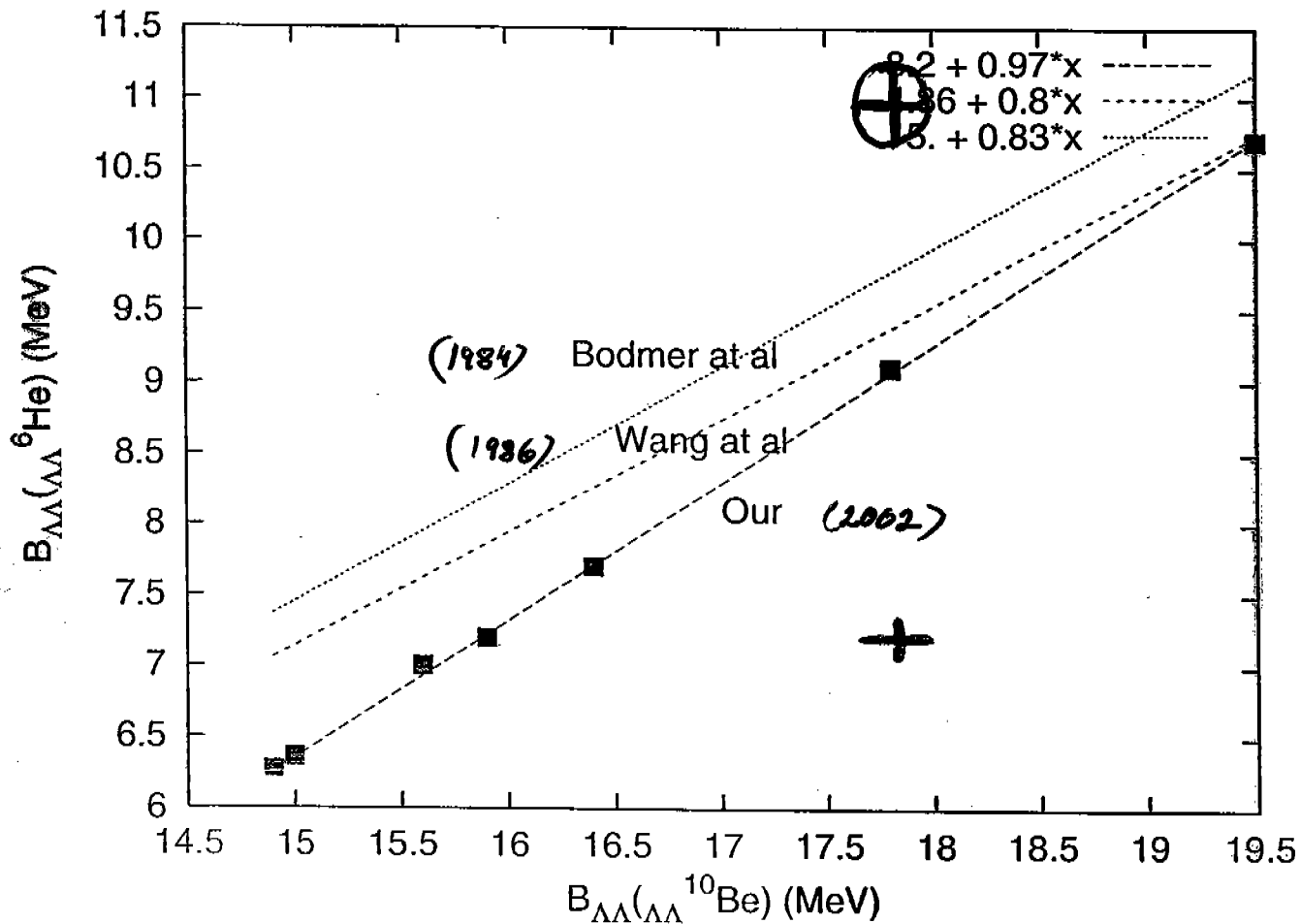
lightest $S=-3$ hypernucleus?

Relevance: hyperon content of neutron stars; hyperstars; transition from hadronic phase to strange quark matter.

3. Strange Hadronic Matter - update: Schaffner + Gal, PRC

62, 034311 (2000)

N, Λ, Σ, Ξ matter; vs. u, d, s quark matter



- 'old' $\Lambda\Lambda^6\text{He}$ event (1966) 4.7 ± 0.6
- 'new' $\Lambda\Lambda^6\text{He}$ event (2001) $\Delta B_{\Lambda} = 1.0 \pm 0.3 \text{ MeV}$

'Our' = Filikhin and Gal, PRC 65 (2002) 041001
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Abstract

The detailed analysis is presented of an event which is interpreted as the mesonic cascade decay of a double hyperfragment produced by the capture of a Σ^- hyperon on a light emulsion nucleus. The most likely interpretations of the double hyperfragment are those in terms of either $\Lambda\Lambda$ Be¹⁰ or Λ Be¹¹.