

Towards the observation of unbound clusters



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α knockout reaction as a probe for α cluster structure





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Our starting point (experimental fact)



The (*p*,*pd*) cross section is "abnormally" large. cf. preliminary result of ¹¹Li(*p*,*pd*)

Various reaction paths for the pn knockout



CDCCIA

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DWIA Development 1 Development 2 Description of the elementary p + n + B 3B scattering W.Fn. in the final state obtained with process w/ a p + (pn) 3B model employing an effective NN the Continuum-Discretized <u>C</u>oupled-<u>C</u>hannels method interaction

The <u>Continuum-Discretized</u> <u>Coupled-Channels</u> method



A time-reversal calculation can describe how the deuteron and its breakup states in the interaction region are ultimately measured as a deuteron.

$d-\Xi$ 3B correlation function



$^{16}O(p, pd)^{14}N \text{ at } 250 \text{ MeV}$



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Quadruple differential cross section (QDX)

Courtesy of S. Ogawa

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 T_1 (MeV)

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