

# Why go back to pseudo-potential-based EDF models?

*A proposal for novel/safe/improvable parametrizations of off-diagonal EDF kernels*

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**ESNT workshop on**

*New developments in nuclear energy density functional models*

## Frame

- Does not follow the historical perspective (see J. P. Ebran)
- Is limited to the non-relativistic/time-independent framework
- Focuses entirely on the formalism
- Uses the Skyrme family of parameterizations for illustration
- Covers the full fledged multi-reference formalism
  - *Not QRPA, collective (e.g. Bohr) Hamiltonian etc that derive from it*

## Objectives

- Introduce the complete formalism *as it is used* from a modern perspective
- Underline some formal difficulties faced by traditional parameterizations
- Pave the way for talks focusing on overcoming/bypassing those difficulties
  - Regularization method(s)
  - Pseudo-potential-based *off-diagonal* kernels
    - Effective-mean-field kernels
    - Beyond-effective-mean-field kernels from novel many-body method

## Caveats

- Does not relate to all topics/variants
- Other options/angles discussed during the week

# *Nuclear EDF framework*

- 1. Reference states and symmetries*
- 2. Building off-diagonal energy and norm kernels*
- 3. Single-reference implementation*
- 4. Multi-reference implementation*

# Reference states and symmetry group

## Bogoliubov transformation

$$\beta_{\mu}^{(g)} = \sum_i U_{i\mu}^{(g)*} a_i + V_{i\mu}^{(g)*} a_i^{\dagger}$$

$$\beta_{\mu}^{(g)\dagger} = \sum_i V_{i\mu}^{(g)} a_i + U_{i\mu}^{(g)} a_i^{\dagger} .$$

## Bogoliubov state

$$|\Phi^{(g)}\rangle = \prod_{\mu} \beta_{\mu}^{(g)} |0\rangle$$

*g = collective label to be defined*  
**Product state**

$$\beta_{\mu}^{(g)} |\Phi^{(g)}\rangle = 0 \quad \forall \mu \quad \text{Vacuum of quasi-particles}$$

## Symmetry group of nuclear H

$$\mathcal{G} = \{R(\alpha)\} \text{ with } [R(\alpha), H] = 0$$

$$\alpha \equiv \{\alpha_i \in D_i; i = 1, \dots, r\}$$

## Decomposition over IRREPs

$$f(\alpha) \equiv \sum_{\lambda ab} f_{ab}^{\lambda} S_{ab}^{\lambda}(\alpha)$$

## Compact Lie group

**Infinitesimal generators**  $\vec{C} = \{C_i; i = 1, \dots, r\}$

**Lie algebra**  $[C_i, C_j] = c_{ij}^k C_k$

**Casimir operator**  $\Lambda$  **and exponential map for**  $R(\alpha)$

## Orthogonal IRREPs

$$\langle \Psi^{\lambda a} | R(\alpha) | \Psi^{\lambda' b} \rangle \equiv S_{ab}^{\lambda}(\alpha) \delta_{\lambda \lambda'}$$

$$\int_{\mathcal{G}} dm(\alpha) S_{ab}^{\lambda*}(\alpha) S_{a'b'}^{\lambda'}(\alpha) = \frac{v_{\mathcal{G}}}{d_{\lambda}} \delta_{\lambda \lambda'} \delta_{aa'} \delta_{bb'}$$

# Reference states

## Symmetries of interest

$$\vec{P}, N, Z, J^2, M, \Pi, T^2, T_z, \mathcal{T}$$

$|g| \neq 0$  if symmetry broken

$\mathcal{G}$	$ g $	$\alpha = \text{Arg}(g)$
$U(1)$	$\ \kappa\ $	$\varphi$
$SU(2)$	$\rho_{\lambda\mu} (\lambda > 2J)$	$\alpha, \beta, \gamma$

Paired system  
Deformed system

## Caveats

- $g$  can also gather individual excitations
- Mostly deal with rotation next
- Alternatively focus on  $U(1)$  or  $SU(2)$

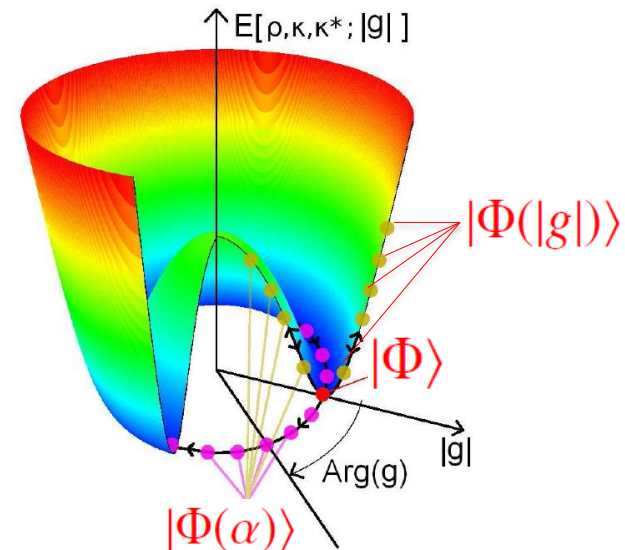
## Reference states

- 1) Symmetry unrestricted reference state  $|\Phi\rangle$
- 2) Rotated reference state  $|\Phi(\alpha)\rangle \equiv R(\alpha)|\Phi\rangle$
- 3) Deformed reference state  $|\Phi(|g|)\rangle \equiv U(|g|)|\Phi\rangle$

➔ Non perturbative Thouless transformations

- 4) Full set of reference states  $|\Phi^g\rangle \equiv |\Phi(|g|, \alpha)\rangle$

➔ Order parameter  $g = \langle \Phi^{(g)} | G | \Phi^{(g)} \rangle \equiv |g| e^{i\alpha}$



Single-reference potential energy surface 5/29

# Off-diagonal energy and norm kernels

## Basic input to nuclear EDF method

**Norm kernel**  $N(\alpha', \alpha) \equiv \langle \Phi(\alpha') | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle$

*Different angles*

*Unknown functional*

**Energy kernel**  $H(\alpha', \alpha) \equiv h(\alpha', \alpha) N(\alpha', \alpha)$  with  $h(\alpha', \alpha) \equiv h[\langle \Phi(\alpha') | ; | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle]$

## Constraints

*Independence of the reference frame*

$$1) \quad h[\langle \Phi(\alpha') | R^\dagger(\alpha''); R(\alpha'') | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle] = h[\langle \Phi(\alpha') | ; | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle] \quad \longrightarrow \quad h(\alpha', \alpha) = h(0, \alpha - \alpha')$$

2) SR chemical potential from Kamlah expansion of MR-EDF

3) QRPA from harmonic expansion of full-fledged MR-EDF

$h(\alpha)$  and  $N(\alpha)$

[L.M. Robledo, IJMP E16 (2007) 337]

## Working choice

$h(\alpha) \equiv h[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}]$  *Functional of transition density matrices*

$$\rho_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | a_j^\dagger a_i | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle} ; \quad \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | a_j a_i | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle} ; \quad \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha\alpha'*} \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | a_i^\dagger a_j^\dagger | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}{\langle \Phi(\alpha') | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}$$



## Set of local densities

*No isospin, no gradient correction, no spin-orbit, no tensor*

$$\rho^{\alpha'\alpha}(\vec{r}) \equiv \sum_{ij} \sum_{\sigma} \varphi_j^*(\vec{r}\sigma) \varphi_i(\vec{r}\sigma) \rho_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \quad \text{Matter density}$$

$$\tau^{\alpha'\alpha}(\vec{r}) \equiv \sum_{ij} \sum_{\sigma} [\vec{\nabla} \varphi_j^*(\vec{r}\sigma)] \cdot [\vec{\nabla} \varphi_i(\vec{r}\sigma)] \rho_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \quad \text{Kinetic density}$$

$$\vec{s}^{\alpha'\alpha}(\vec{r}) \equiv \sum_{ij} \sum_{\sigma'\sigma} \varphi_j^*(\vec{r}\sigma') \vec{\sigma}_{\sigma'\sigma} \varphi_i(\vec{r}\sigma) \rho_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \quad \text{Spin density}$$

$$\tilde{\rho}^{\alpha'\alpha}(\vec{r}) \equiv \sum_{ij} \sum_{\sigma} \sigma \varphi_j(\vec{r}\sigma) \varphi_i(\vec{r}\bar{\sigma}) \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha'\alpha} \quad \text{Pairing density}$$

## Off-diagonal energy kernel

Couplings to be fitted on data (could further depend on densities)

$$h^{\text{toy}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}] \equiv \int d\vec{r} \left[ \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \tau^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + C^{\rho\rho} \rho^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \rho^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + C^{ss} \vec{s}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \cdot \vec{s}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + C^{\tilde{\rho}\tilde{\rho}} \tilde{\rho}^{\alpha 0*}(\vec{r}) \tilde{\rho}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \right]$$

Quasi local  
functional

Structure constrained by symmetries (N, Z, J<sup>2</sup>, M, T)

# Mean-field pseudo-potential-based EDF kernel

**Pseudo-Hamilton operator**

to be distinguished from

- 1) Realistic Hamiltonian
- 2) Density-dependent Hamiltonian

$$H_{\text{pseudo}} \equiv \sum_{ij} t_{ij} a_i^\dagger a_j + \left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)^2 \sum_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ pseudo}} a_i^\dagger a_j^\dagger a_l a_k + \left(\frac{1}{3!}\right)^2 \sum_{ijklmn} \bar{v}_{ijklmn}^{3N \text{ pseudo}} a_i^\dagger a_j^\dagger a_k^\dagger a_n a_m a_l + \dots$$

**Off-diagonal effective mean-field energy kernel**

**Effective-mean-field off-diagonal matrix element**

$$h_{\text{pseudo}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}] \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi | H_{\text{pseudo}} | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}$$

**Off diagonal Wick theorem**

$$= \sum_{ij} t_{ij} \rho_{ij}^{0\alpha} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ pseudo}} \rho_{ki}^{0\alpha} \rho_{lj}^{0\alpha} + \frac{1}{6} \sum_{ijklmn} \bar{v}_{ijklmn}^{3N \text{ pseudo}} \rho_{li}^{0\alpha} \rho_{mj}^{0\alpha} \rho_{nk}^{0\alpha} + \dots$$

**Same matrix elements**

$$+ \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ pseudo}} \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha 0*} \kappa_{kl}^{0\alpha} + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijklmn} \bar{v}_{ijklmn}^{3N \text{ pseudo}} \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha 0*} \kappa_{lm}^{0\alpha} \rho_{nk}^{0\alpha} + \dots$$

**Fully antisymmetrized matrix elements**



# Pseudo-potential-based toy Skyrme EDF kernel

## Toy Skyrme pseudo-potential operator

$$v_{\text{toy}}^{2N \text{ pseudo}} \equiv t_0 (1 - P_{\sigma}) \delta(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2)$$

Spin-exchange operator

## Off-diagonal effective mean-field energy kernel

$$h_{\text{pseudo}}^{\text{toy}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}] \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi | H_{\text{pseudo}}^{\text{toy}} | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\alpha) \rangle}$$

$$= \int d\vec{r} \left[ \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \tau^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + A^{\rho\rho} \rho^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \rho^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + A^{ss} \vec{s}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \cdot \vec{s}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) + A^{\tilde{\rho}\tilde{\rho}} \tilde{\rho}^{\alpha 0*}(\vec{r}) \tilde{\rho}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) \right]$$

Formally identical to  $h^{\text{toy}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}]$

Fingerprints of Pauli principle encoded in operator-based kernel

$$\begin{aligned} A^{\rho\rho} &= -A^{ss} = \frac{t_0}{2} \\ A^{\rho\rho} &= +A^{\tilde{\rho}\tilde{\rho}} = \frac{t_0}{2} \end{aligned}$$

BUT

Pauli principle violated in  $h^{\text{toy}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}]$



Free fit of the three couplings

Interrelations among couplings

# Pauli principle and self-interaction/-pairing

**Local densities**

$$\left. \begin{aligned} f^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) &\equiv \sum_{ij} W_{ji}^f(\vec{r}) \rho_{ij}^{0\alpha} \\ \tilde{f}^{0\alpha}(\vec{r}) &\equiv \sum_{ij} W_{ji}^{\tilde{f}}(\vec{r}) \kappa_{ij}^{0\alpha} \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} W_{ji}^{\rho}(\vec{r}) &= \sum_{\sigma} \varphi_j^*(\vec{r}\sigma) \varphi_i(\vec{r}\sigma) \\ \vec{W}_{ji}^{\vec{s}}(\vec{r}) &= \sum_{\sigma'\sigma} \varphi_j^*(\vec{r}\sigma') \vec{\sigma}_{\sigma'\sigma} \varphi_i(\vec{r}\sigma) \\ W_{ji}^{\tilde{\rho}}(\vec{r}) &= \sum_{\sigma} \sigma \varphi_j(\vec{r}\sigma) \varphi_i(\vec{r}\bar{\sigma}) \end{aligned}$$

**Toy polynomial EDF kernel**

$$h^{\text{toy}}[\rho^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{0\alpha}, \kappa^{\alpha 0*}] = \sum_{ij} t_{ij} \rho_{ij}^{0\alpha} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} \rho_{ki}^{0\alpha} \rho_{lj}^{0\alpha} + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijkl} \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \kappa\kappa} \kappa_{ij}^{\alpha 0*} \kappa_{kl}^{0\alpha}$$

**with**

$$\bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} \equiv 2 \int d\vec{r} [B^{\rho\rho} W_{ik}^{\rho}(\vec{r}) W_{jl}^{\rho}(\vec{r}) + B^{ss} \vec{W}_{ik}^{\vec{s}}(\vec{r}) \cdot \vec{W}_{jl}^{\vec{s}}(\vec{r})]$$

$$\bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \kappa\kappa} \equiv 4 \int d\vec{r} B^{\tilde{\rho}\tilde{\rho}} W_{ij}^{\tilde{\rho}*}(\vec{r}) W_{kl}^{\tilde{\rho}}(\vec{r})$$

**Spurious self interaction**

**Spurious self pairing**

General	Pseudo-potential based
$B^{ff'} \equiv C^{ff'}$	$B^{ff'} \equiv A^{ff'}$
$\bar{v}_{ijkk}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} \neq 0$	$\bar{v}_{ijkk}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} = 0$
$\bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} \neq \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \kappa\kappa}$	$\bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \rho\rho} = \bar{v}_{ijkl}^{2N \text{ toy } \kappa\kappa}$

# Single reference implementation



## Minimization

$$E_{|g|}^{SR} \equiv \text{Min}_{\{|\Phi^{(g)}\rangle\}} \{ \mathcal{E}_{|g|} \} \text{ for a fixed } g$$

where

Independent of  $\alpha = \text{Arg}(g)$

$$\mathcal{E}_{|g|} \equiv \underbrace{h(g, g)}_{\text{Diagonal part of EDF kernel}} - \lambda_n [N - \langle \Phi^{(g)} | N | \Phi^{(g)} \rangle] - \lambda_p [Z - \langle \Phi^{(g)} | Z | \Phi^{(g)} \rangle] - \lambda_{|g|} [|g| - |\langle \Phi^{(g)} | G | \Phi^{(g)} \rangle|]$$

Diagonal part of EDF kernel

## Equation of motion

Bogoliubov-De-Gennes equation

$$\begin{pmatrix} h - \lambda & \Delta \\ -\Delta^* & -h^* + \lambda \end{pmatrix}^{(g)} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ V \end{pmatrix}_{\mu}^{(g)} = E_{\mu}^{(g)} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ V \end{pmatrix}_{\mu}^{(g)}$$

## One-body fields

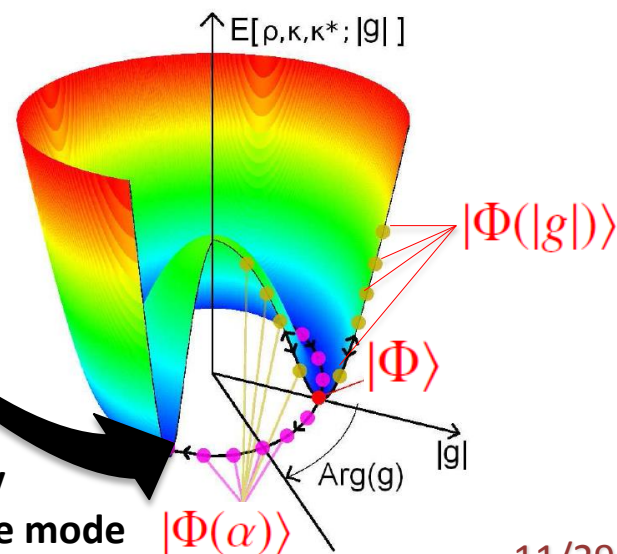
govern

$$h^{(g)} - \lambda \equiv \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}_{NZ|g|}}{\delta \rho^{gg*}}$$

Effective one-body motion

$$\Delta^{(g)} \equiv \frac{\delta \mathcal{E}_{NZ|g|}}{\delta \kappa^{gg*}}$$

Effective pair correlations



Broken symmetry

Pseudo Goldstone mode

$|\Phi(\alpha)\rangle$

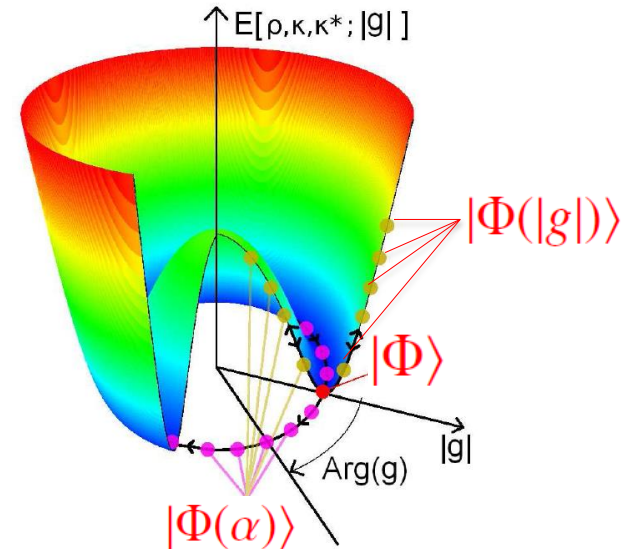
# Multi reference implementation – ex: SU(2)

## Quantum fluctuations in finite systems

Finite inertia with respect to  $|g\rangle$

- Shape fluctuations
  - Vibrational excitations
- with respect to  $\alpha = \text{Arg}(g)$
- Symmetry restoration
  - Rotational excitations

Objectives of the MR EDF method



## MR-EDF method – ex: AMR

Euler angles

IRREPs:

Wigner D functions

Expansion of off-diagonal energy and norm kernels over IRREPs

$$\begin{cases} N(\Omega) \equiv \sum_{JMK} N_{MK}^J \mathcal{D}_{MK}^J(\Omega) \\ h(\Omega) N(\Omega) \equiv \sum_{JMK} E_{MK}^J N_{MK}^J \mathcal{D}_{MK}^J(\Omega) \end{cases}$$

Sum rules

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= \sum_{JM} N_{MM}^J \\ E^{SR} &= \sum_{JM} E_{MM}^J N_{MM}^J \end{aligned}$$

AMR energy

$$E^J \equiv \frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega \mathcal{D}_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) h(\Omega) N(\Omega)}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega \mathcal{D}_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) N(\Omega)} = \frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J E_{MK}^J N_{MK}^J}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J N_{MK}^J}$$

From Hill-Wheeler equation

Well formulated without projected state!

# *Pathologies in MR-EDF calculations*

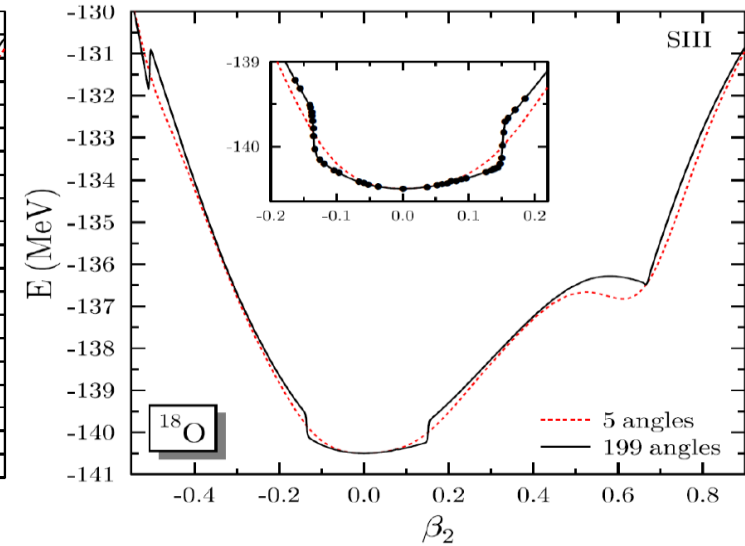
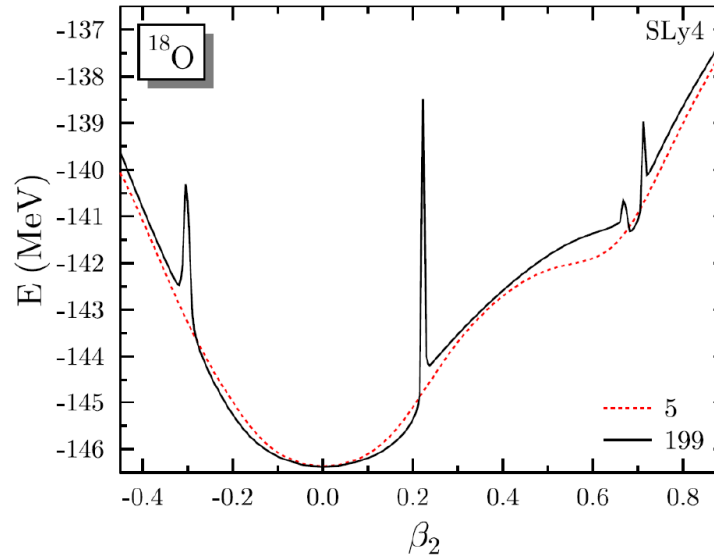
- 1. Illustrations and origin*
- 2. Overcoming these pathologies?*

# Pathologies in multi-reference EDF calculations

$$h[\rho^{0\phi}, \kappa^{0\phi}, \kappa^{\phi 0*}] \propto$$

$$\rho^{0\phi} \rho^{0\phi} (\rho^{0\phi})^\gamma + \kappa^{\phi 0*} \kappa^{0\phi}$$

$$\rho^{0\phi} \rho^{0\phi} + \kappa^{\phi 0*} \kappa^{0\phi}$$



PNR energy

$$E^A = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} d\phi e^{-iA\phi} h(\phi) N(\phi)}{\int_0^{2\pi} d\phi e^{-iA\phi} N(\phi)}$$

Sum rules

$$1 = \sum_{A>0} N^A \quad E^{SR} = \sum_{A>0} E^A N^A$$

Detailed analysis

1. Spurious divergencies and steps
2.  $E^A N^A \neq 0$  for  $A \leq 0$  !
3. True for 99% of modern EDF parameterizations
4. Relate to non-analytical character of  $h(\phi) N(\phi)$  over C-plane
5. Originate from self-interaction and self-pairing in  $h(\phi)$
6. Common to all MR modes

[J. Dobaczewski et al., PRC76 (2007) 054315]  
 [D. Lacroix, T. Duguet, M. Bender, PRC79 (2009) 044318]  
 [M. Bender, T. Duguet, D. Lacroix, PRC79 (2009) 044319]  
 [T. Duguet et al., PRC79 (2009) 044320]



# Possible paths for future developments

## Regularization methods

### 1) Early proposition [D. Lacroix, T. Duguet, M. Bender, PRC79 (2009) 044318]

- *Rooted in the removal of self-interaction and self-pairing contaminations*
- *Solves problem for PNR alone*
- *Only applies to polynomial functionals (1% of existing parametrizations)*
- *Does not work as soon as one mixes PNR with any other MR mode (e.g. AMR, GCM...)*
- *Involved numerical implementation*

### 2) Recent proposition [W. Satula, J. Dobaczewski, arXiv:1407.0857]

- *Empirical method*
- *Solves problem for any MR mode*
- *Only applies to polynomial functionals (1% of existing parametrizations)*
- *Simple numerical implementation*

No talk this week Jacek's talk

## Pseudo-potential based approaches

Safe by construction but challenging to reach good enough phenomenology

1. Effective mean-field kernel from
  1. Finite-range pseudo-potential (Jacek's talk)
  2. Augmented Skyrme-like pseudo-potential (Michael's and Karim's talks)
2. Effective beyond-mean-field off-diagonal energy and norm kernels from MBPT (now)

[T. Duguet, arXiv:1406.7183]

*Many-body perturbation theory of off-diagonal energy and norm kernels*

## **Symmetry-restored coupled-cluster theory**

**Angular-momentum-restored coupled-cluster formalism**

[T. Duguet, J. Phys. G: Nucl. Part. Phys (2014), in print; arXiv:1406.7183]

**Particle-number-restored Bogoliubov coupled-cluster formalism**

[T. Duguet, in preparation (2014)]

# Set up (SU(2) for today)

## Nuclear Hamiltonian

$$H = \sum_{\alpha\beta} t_{\alpha\beta} c_{\alpha}^{\dagger} c_{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} v_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} c_{\alpha}^{\dagger} c_{\beta}^{\dagger} c_{\delta} c_{\gamma}$$

1. **Ab initio context = realistic nuclear hamiltonian**
2. **Present context = preferred pseudo potential**



**Same symmetries**

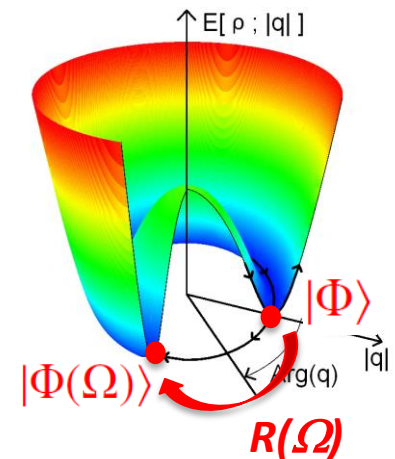
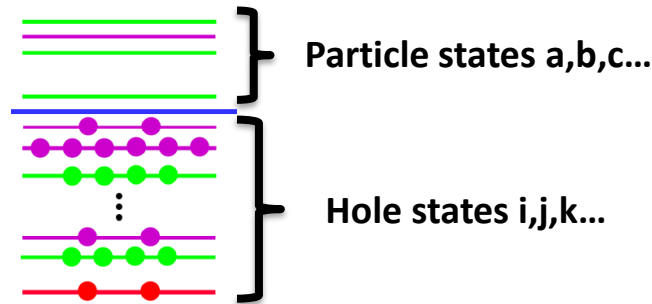
**Eigen-states of H are eigen-states of ( $J^2, J_z$ )**

$$[H, R(\Omega)] = 0 \text{ leads to } H|\Psi_{\mu}^{JM}\rangle = E_{\mu}^J |\Psi_{\mu}^{JM}\rangle$$

## Reference Slater determinant

$$|\Phi\rangle \equiv \prod_{i=1}^N a_i^{\dagger} |0\rangle$$

1. **Deformed**
2. **Closed shell**



## Rotated state

$$|\Phi(\Omega)\rangle = \prod_{i=1}^N a_i^{\dagger} |0\rangle \quad \text{with} \quad a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} = \sum_{\beta} R_{\beta\alpha}(\Omega) a_{\beta}^{\dagger} \quad \text{and} \quad R_{\alpha\beta}(\Omega) \equiv \langle\alpha|R(\Omega)|\beta\rangle$$

$$\langle\Phi|\Phi(\Omega)\rangle = \det M(\Omega) \quad \text{where} \quad M_{\alpha\beta}(\Omega) \equiv R_{\alpha\beta}(\Omega) \delta_{\alpha i} \delta_{\beta j}$$

# Master equations (1)

Evolution operator  $\mathcal{U}(\tau) \equiv e^{-\tau H}$

Time-evolved state  $|\Psi(\tau)\rangle \equiv \mathcal{U}(\tau)|\Phi\rangle$  satisfying  $H|\Psi(\tau)\rangle = -\partial_\tau |\Psi(\tau)\rangle$

Exact **off-diagonal** kernels

$$N(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \langle \Psi(\tau) | \mathbb{1} | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

$$H(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \langle \Psi(\tau) | H | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

$$J_i(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \langle \Psi(\tau) | J_i | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

$$J^2(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \langle \Psi(\tau) | J^2 | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

Dynamical equation

$$H(\tau, \Omega) = -\partial_\tau N(\tau, \Omega)$$

Reduced kernels

$$O(\tau, \Omega) \equiv O(\tau, \Omega) / N(\tau, 0)$$



$$N(\tau, 0) = 1 \quad \text{Intermediate normalization}$$

Ground state and energy

$$\lim_{\tau \rightarrow \infty} |\Psi(\infty)\rangle = |\Psi_0^{J_0}\rangle \quad \mathcal{H}(\infty, \Omega) = E_0^{J_0} N(\infty, \Omega)$$

-True for all  $\Omega$

-Usual sym. unrest. MB schemes ( $\Omega = 0$ )

Expand un-rotated energy kernel  $\mathcal{H}(\infty, 0) = E_0^{J_0}$

# Master equations (2)

## Expansion of rotated kernels over IRREPs of SU(2)

$$N(\infty, \Omega) = e^{-\tau E_0^{J_0}} \sum_{MK} \langle \Phi | \Psi_0^{J_0 M} \rangle \langle \Psi_0^{J_0 K} | \Phi \rangle D_{MK}^{J_0}(\Omega)$$

$$H(\infty, \Omega) = e^{-\tau E_0^{J_0}} E_0^{J_0} \sum_{MK} \langle \Phi | \Psi_0^{J_0 M} \rangle \langle \Psi_0^{J_0 K} | \Phi \rangle D_{MK}^{J_0}(\Omega)$$

Time propagation selects the proper IRREP

Straight ratio

$$\mathcal{H}(\infty, \Omega) = E_0^{J_0} N(\infty, \Omega)$$

## Truncating kernels expanded around symmetry-breaking reference $|\Phi\rangle$

$$N_{\text{approx}}(\infty, \Omega) \equiv \sum_J \sum_{MK} \mathcal{N}_{MK}^J D_{MK}^J(\Omega)$$

$$H_{\text{approx}}(\infty, \Omega) \equiv \sum_J \sum_{MK} \mathcal{E}_{MK}^J \mathcal{N}_{MK}^J D_{MK}^J(\Omega)$$

IRREPs still mixed as  $\tau \rightarrow \infty$

$\Leftrightarrow$

The good symmetry is lost

## Symmetry-restored energy

$$E_0^{J_0} = \frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J_0*} f_K^{J_0} \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J_0*}(\Omega) \mathcal{H}(\infty, \Omega)}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J_0*} f_K^{J_0} \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J_0*}(\Omega) N(\infty, \Omega)}$$

Orthogonality of IRREPs

Extract good IRREP

**Diagonal kernels**  $D_{MK}^J(0) = \delta_{MK}$

$$N_{\text{approx}}(\infty, 0) \equiv \sum_J \sum_M \mathcal{N}_{MM}^J$$

$$H_{\text{approx}}(\infty, 0) \equiv \sum_J \sum_M \mathcal{E}_{MM}^J \mathcal{N}_{MM}^J$$

*Superfluous in exact limit but not after truncation*

**No fingerprint of mixing left to be used**  
**Benefit of inserting rotation operator in kernels!**

# Many-body perturbation theory (1)

## Symmetry-breaking unperturbed system

$$H \equiv H_0 + H_1 \quad \text{where} \quad H_0 \equiv T + U = \sum_{\alpha} e_{\alpha} a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha} \quad \text{Such that} \quad [H_0, R(\Omega)] \neq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad [H_1, R(\Omega)] \neq 0$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} H_0 |\Phi\rangle &= \varepsilon_0 |\Phi\rangle \\ H_0 |\Phi_{ij\dots}^{ab\dots}\rangle &= (\varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon_{ij\dots}^{ab\dots}) |\Phi_{ij\dots}^{ab\dots}\rangle \end{aligned} \right\} \text{with} \left\{ \begin{aligned} \varepsilon_0 &= \sum_{i=1}^N e_i \\ \varepsilon_{ij\dots}^{ab\dots} &= e_a + e_b + \dots - e_i - e_j - \dots \end{aligned} \right.$$

## Off diagonal unperturbed one-body density matrix

$\Omega$ -dependent part couples p and h spaces

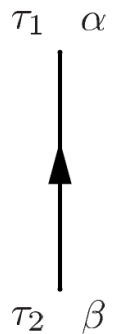
$$\rho_{\alpha\beta}(\Omega) \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi | a_{\beta}^{\dagger} a_{\alpha} | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle} \longrightarrow \rho(\Omega) = \begin{pmatrix} 1^{hh} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ R(\Omega)M^{-1}(\Omega) & 0 \end{pmatrix} \equiv \rho(0) + \rho^{ph}(\Omega)$$

Defined earlier as  $\rho_{\alpha\beta}^{0\Omega}$

Density matrix of sym. unrest. reference state

## Off-diagonal unperturbed propagator = basic contraction for Wick Theorem

$$G_{\alpha\beta}^0(\tau_1, \tau_2; \Omega) \equiv \frac{\langle \Phi | T[a_{\alpha}(\tau_1) a_{\beta}^{\dagger}(\tau_2)] | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle} = G_{\alpha\alpha}^0(\tau_1 - \tau_2) \delta_{\alpha\beta} + G_{\alpha\beta}^{ph}(\tau_1, \tau_2) \rho_{\alpha\beta}^{ph}(\Omega)$$





# Many-body perturbation theory (2)

**Rotated norm kernel**

*Evolution operator*  $\mathcal{U}(\tau)$

*Off diagonal Wick theorem*  
[R. Balian. E. Brezin, NC 64, 37 (1969)]

$$N(\tau, \Omega) = \langle \Phi | e^{-\tau H_0} T e^{-\int_0^\tau d\tau_1 H_1(\tau_1)} | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle = e^{-\tau \varepsilon_0 + n(\tau, \Omega)} \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

where  $n(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} n^{(k)}(\tau, \Omega)$  = connected vacuum-to-vacuum diagrams

Size extensive

**Rotated energy kernel**

*Factorization valid for any operator kernel*  $O(\tau, \Omega)$

$$H(\tau, \Omega) = \langle \Phi | e^{-\tau H_0} T e^{-\int_0^\tau d\tau_1 H_1(\tau_1)} (T + V) | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle = h(\tau, \Omega) N(\tau, \Omega)$$

where  $h(\tau, \Omega) \equiv t(\tau, \Omega) + v(\tau, \Omega) \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [t^{(n)}(\tau, \Omega) + v^{(n)}(\tau, \Omega)]$

Ab initio formulation of  $h(\Omega)$ !

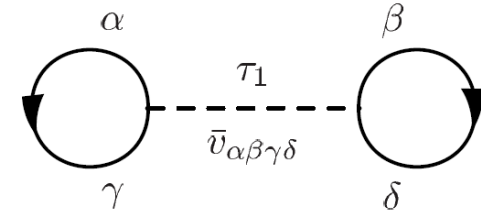
and  $o(\tau, \Omega)$  = connected vacuum-to-vacuum diagrams *linked* to  $O$

Size extensive

# Many-body perturbation theory (3)

## Connected norm diagrams – Example at first order

$$n_V^{(1)}(\tau, \Omega) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \int_0^\tau d\tau_1 \bar{v}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} G_{\gamma\alpha}^0(\tau_1, \tau_1; \Omega) G_{\delta\beta}^0(\tau_1, \tau_1; \Omega)$$



$$= -\frac{\tau}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{ijij} \left. \right\} n_V^{(1)}(\tau, 0) = \text{standard diagonal MBPT contribution}$$

$$- \sum_{ija} \frac{\bar{v}_{ijaj}}{e_a - e_i} \rho_{ai}^{ph}(\Omega) (1 - e^{-\tau(e_a - e_i)})$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijab} \frac{\bar{v}_{ijab}}{e_a + e_b - e_i - e_j} (1 - e^{-\tau(e_a + e_b - e_i - e_j)}) \rho_{ai}^{ph}(\Omega) \rho_{bj}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

Genuinely  $\Omega$ -dependent part

Large  $\tau$  limit

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} n(\tau, 0) \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow \infty} -\tau \Delta E_0^{J_0} + \ln \left[ \sum_M |\langle \Phi | \Psi_0^{J_0 M} \rangle|^2 \right] \\ n(\tau, \Omega) - n(\tau, 0) \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow \infty} \aleph(\Omega) \end{array} \right\}$$

$\aleph(\infty, \Omega) = e^{\aleph(\Omega)} \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$

$\aleph(\Omega) \equiv \aleph(\Omega)$

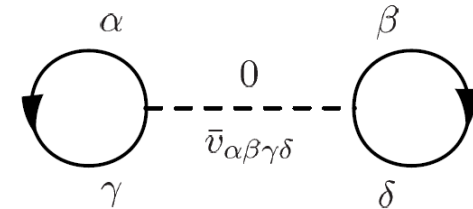
Goldstone linked-cluster based on UHF  
-> nice but not what we are after!

$$\Delta E_0^{J_0} = \langle \Phi | H_1 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\varepsilon_0 - H_0} H_1 \right)^{k-1} | \Phi \rangle_c$$

# Many-body perturbation theory (3)

## Connected/linked potential energy diagrams – example at zero order

$$v^{(0)}(\tau, \Omega) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \bar{v}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} G_{\gamma\alpha}^0(0, 0; \Omega) G_{\delta\beta}^0(0, 0; \Omega)$$



$$= + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{ijij} \left. \vphantom{\sum_{ij}} \right\} v^{(0)}(\tau, 0) = \text{standard diagonal MBPT contribution}$$

$$+ \sum_{ijc} \bar{v}_{ijcj} \rho_{ci}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijab} \bar{v}_{ijab} \rho_{ai}^{ph}(\Omega) \rho_{bj}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

*Genuinely  $\Omega$ -dependent part*

*One recognizes*

$$\frac{\langle \Phi | V^{2N} | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}$$

*Signals the symmetry breaking*

*Large  $\tau$  limit*

$$h(\tau, \Omega) \xrightarrow{\tau \rightarrow \infty} h(\Omega)$$

$$\left. \vphantom{h(\tau, \Omega)} \right\} \mathcal{H}(\infty, \Omega) = h(\Omega) \mathcal{N}(\Omega)$$

*In the exact limit*

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \Omega} h(\Omega) = 0$$

*After truncation*

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \Omega} h(\Omega) \neq 0$$

# Many-body perturbation theory (4)

**Direct MBPT expansion**  $N(\tau, \Omega) = e^{-\tau \varepsilon_0 + n(\tau, \Omega)} \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$  **does not ensure the symmetry restoration**

Solution to this key problem comes from

- Coupled ODEs satisfied by Wigner D functions

[D. A. Varshalovich *et al.*, *Quantum Theory of Angular Momentum*, 1988]

- Expansion of  $J_i(\tau, \Omega)$  over Wigner D functions

- Factorization of connected kernels  $j_i(\tau, \Omega)$

Initial condition

$$N(\tau, 0) = 1$$

Coupled ODEs

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha} N(\tau, \Omega) + \frac{i}{\hbar} j_z(\tau, \Omega) N(\tau, \Omega) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} N(\tau, \Omega) - \frac{i}{\hbar} \left[ \sin \alpha j_x(\tau, \Omega) - \cos \alpha j_y(\tau, \Omega) \right] N(\tau, \Omega) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \gamma} N(\tau, \Omega) + \frac{i}{\hbar} \left[ \sin \beta \cos \alpha j_x(\tau, \Omega) + \sin \beta \sin \alpha j_y(\tau, \Omega) + \cos \beta j_z(\tau, \Omega) \right] N(\tau, \Omega) = 0$$

**This rational ensures that the symmetry is exactly restored at any truncation order of  $j_i(\tau, \Omega)$**

$$\frac{\int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) \mathcal{J}_z(\tau, \Omega)}{\int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) N(\tau, \Omega)} = M\hbar$$

$$\frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{D_{SU(2)}} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) \mathcal{J}^2(\tau, \Omega)}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{D_{SU(2)}} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) N(\tau, \Omega)} = J(J+1)\hbar^2$$

**Note: Extends to any order a known result of projected HF**

e.g. [K. Enami *et al.*, *PRC59* (1999) 135]

# Many-body perturbation theory (5)

Algebraic expressions become cumbersome beyond lowest order

Very much compacted by using *transformed* kinetic and potential energy operators

Bi-orthogonal system

Ex: for a generic two-body operator

$ \tilde{\alpha}\rangle \equiv D(\Omega) \alpha\rangle$ $\langle\tilde{\alpha}  \equiv \langle\alpha D^{-1}(\Omega)$ $D(\Omega) \equiv 1 + \rho^{ph}(\Omega)$	$\tilde{O}(\Omega) \equiv \left(\frac{1}{n!}\right)^2 \sum_{\alpha...\beta\gamma...\delta} O_{\tilde{\alpha}...\tilde{\beta}\tilde{\gamma}...\tilde{\delta}}(\Omega) a_{\alpha}^{\dagger} \dots a_{\beta}^{\dagger} a_{\delta} \dots a_{\gamma}$
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Example at lowest order (in the  $\tau$  infinity limit)

$$t^{(0)}(\Omega) = \sum_i t_{ii} + \sum_{ia} t_{ia} \rho_{ai}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

$$= \sum_i t_{\tilde{i}\tilde{i}}(\Omega)$$

$$v^{(0)}(\Omega) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{ijij} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijc} \bar{v}_{ijcj} \rho_{ci}^{ph}(\Omega) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijd} \bar{v}_{ijid} \rho_{dj}^{ph}(\Omega) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ijab} \bar{v}_{ijab} \rho_{ai}^{ph}(\Omega) \rho_{bj}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{\tilde{i}\tilde{j}\tilde{i}\tilde{j}}(\Omega)$$

GWT  $\longrightarrow$  SWT

$$\frac{\langle\Phi|H|\Phi(\Omega)\rangle}{\langle\Phi|\Phi(\Omega)\rangle} = \langle\Phi|\tilde{H}(\Omega)|\Phi\rangle$$

# Cases of interest

Symmetry-restored energy

$$E_0^J = \frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) h(\Omega) \mathcal{N}(\Omega)}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) \mathcal{N}(\Omega)}$$

Standard MBPT recovered at  $\Omega = 0$  or if  $|\Phi\rangle$  does not break the symmetry

$$E_0^J = h(0)$$

Projected Hartree-Fock is recovered at lowest order

$$h^{(0)}(\Omega) = \frac{\langle \Phi | H | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle} = \sum_i t_{\bar{i}}(\Omega) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{\bar{i}\bar{j}}(\Omega)$$

$$j_k^{(0)}(\Omega) = \frac{\langle \Phi | J_k | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle}{\langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle} = \sum_i (j_k)_{\bar{i}}(\Omega)$$

$$\mathcal{N}^{(0)}(\Omega) = \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle = \det M(\Omega)$$

ODEs

Basis for standard  
pseudo-potential-based  
MR-EDF method  
with effective mean-field kernels

$$\rightarrow E_0^{J(0)} = \frac{\langle \Phi_0^{JM} | H | \Phi_0^{JM} \rangle}{\langle \Phi_0^{JM} | \Phi_0^{JM} \rangle}$$

where

$$|\Phi_0^{JM}\rangle \equiv \sum_K f_K^J P_{MK}^J |\Phi\rangle$$

$$P_{MK}^J \equiv \frac{2J+1}{16\pi^2} \int_{D_{SU(2)}} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) R(\Omega)$$



# Cases of interest

**Symmetry-restored theory at first order**

SWT

Beginning of an exponential

$$o^{(0+1)}(\Omega) = \langle \Phi | [1 + \mathcal{T}_1^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) + \mathcal{T}_2^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega)] \tilde{O}(\Omega) | \Phi \rangle_c$$

$$t^{(0+1)}(\Omega) = \sum_i t_{\tilde{u}}(\Omega) + \sum_{ia} \mathcal{T}_{ia}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) t_{\tilde{a}\tilde{i}}(\Omega)$$

$$v^{(0+1)}(\Omega) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ij} \bar{v}_{\tilde{i}\tilde{j}}(\Omega) + \sum_{ija} \mathcal{T}_{ia}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) \bar{v}_{\tilde{a}\tilde{j}\tilde{i}}(\Omega) + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{ijab} \mathcal{T}_{ijab}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) \bar{v}_{\tilde{a}\tilde{b}\tilde{i}\tilde{j}}(\Omega)$$

$$j_k^{(0+1)}(\Omega) = \sum_i (j_k)_{\tilde{u}}(\Omega) + \sum_{ia} \mathcal{T}_{ia}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) (j_k)_{\tilde{a}\tilde{i}}(\Omega)$$

$$N^{(0+1)}(\Omega) = \mathfrak{N}^{(1)}(\Omega) \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle$$

**Rich functional**  
**Not just  $\rho^{00} \rightarrow \rho^{0\Omega}$**

**First-order off-diagonal CCSD amplitudes**

$$\mathcal{T}_{\alpha\beta}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) = \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \cdots \tau_1 \cdots \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array} - u_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$+ \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \cdots \tau_1 \cdots \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \beta \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \delta \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \gamma \\ \delta \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{T}_{ia}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) = -\frac{1}{e_\beta - e_\alpha} \left[ \sum_j \bar{v}_{ijaj} - u_{ia} \right] - \sum_{jb} \frac{\bar{v}_{ijab}}{e_a + e_b - e_i - e_j} \rho_{bj}^{ph}(\Omega)$$

$$\mathcal{T}_{ijab}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) = -\frac{\bar{v}_{ijab}}{e_a + e_b - e_i - e_j}$$

$$\mathcal{T}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{\dagger(1)}(\Omega) = \begin{array}{c} \alpha \\ \gamma \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \cdots \tau_1 \cdots \begin{array}{c} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \beta \\ \delta \end{array}$$

**Energy dependence**  
**Zero for HF reference state**

# Proposal: new safe SR- and MR-EDF approach

Pseudo-potential-based off-diagonal kernels at first order in MBPT

$$\begin{aligned} h^{(0+1)}(\Omega) &\equiv h^{(0+1)}[\rho^{0\Omega}; \{e_\alpha\}] \\ j_k^{(0+1)}(\Omega) &\equiv j_k^{(0+1)}[\rho^{0\Omega}; \{e_\alpha\}] \\ \mathcal{N}^{(0+1)}(\Omega) &\equiv \mathcal{N}^{(1)}[\rho^{0\Omega}; \{e_\alpha\}] \langle \Phi | \Phi(\Omega) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

ODEs

SR-EDF implementation

$\mathcal{N}^{(0+1)}(0) = 1$

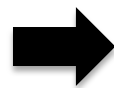
## Key features

- 1) Richer pseudo-potential-based kernels
- 2) Any pseudo-potential (need REG for ZR)
- 3) MBPT sequence, i.e. improvable
- 4) Modified energy AND norm kernels
- 5) Density matrix AND energy dependent

## 1. Effective HF problem

Employ  $h^{(0)}[\rho^{00}]$

*Mean-field diagonal energy kernel*



$\rho^{00}, \{e_\alpha\}$

*HF reference state*



## 2. Compute the energy

$E^{SR} \equiv h^{(0+1)}[\rho^{00}; \{e_\alpha\}]$

*Full diagonal energy kernel in HF basis*

## MR-EDF implementation

$$E^J \equiv \frac{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) h^{(0+1)}(\Omega) \mathcal{N}^{(0+1)}(\Omega)}{\sum_{MK} f_M^{J*} f_K^J \int_{SU(2)} d\Omega D_{MK}^{J*}(\Omega) \mathcal{N}^{(0+1)}(\Omega)}$$

+ Hill-Wheeler equation

Solve ODEs from  $j_k^{(0+1)}(\Omega)$

*Full off-diagonal energy and norm kernels in bi-orthogonal bases*

Already formulated for HFB reference states and PNR

# Microscopic theoretical approaches

## *Ab-initio* many-body theories

- Based on *elementary* interactions
- *Complete* and disjointed error estimate

## Examples

- FY, HH, NCSM, GFMC, LEFT
- SCGF, IMSRG, CC...

*Limited reach*

*Controlled extrapolations*

Test fundamental interactions  
Do not focus on accuracy at first

Interesting potential cross-feeding in the next ten years

*Extended reach*

*Uncontrolled extrapolations*

Do not probe fundamental interactions  
Aims at high accuracy around known data

## *Effective* many-body theories

- Based on *effective* interactions
- *Partial* and composite error estimate

## Examples

- EDF, conventional CI, SMMC...