Recent results from VAMOS

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VAMOS
recent results using:

Low intensity radioactive beams
High intensity stable beams

VAMOS++



Essential for nuclear structure and reaction studies

- ✓ Identification of reaction products
- ✓ Large accepte
- ✓ Coupling with MUST2, TIARA





Variable Mode Operation

- ✓ QQ Focusing Mode
- ✓ QQD Spectrometer
 - > Variable Dispersion
- ✓ Recoil Separator
 - QQF(D)
 - QQD (Gas filled)



S. Pullanhiotan et al, NIMA 593 (2008) 343 C. Schmitt et al, NIM A 621 (2010) 558

VAMOS Spectrometer Schematic View





Focal Plane Setup



beam



Si Wall





VAMOS Measurement (Software Spectrometer)



Experimental approach

-transfer reactions in inverse kinematics

Spectroscopy of Bound-Unbound states Ex, J^π, Spectroscopic Factors (SF) θρ,Ερ A+1 θγ,Εγ Measurements -> Observables Ep and/or Ey ->Ex $\Theta_p \rightarrow d\sigma/d\Omega \rightarrow (\ell, SF)$

Inverse kinematics->(d,p),(d,t),(d,³He),(d,d')

B. Fernandez-Dominguez et al, PRC 84, (2011), 011301

Experimental Set-Up



ANALYSIS : Example d(²⁰O,p)²¹O



UNBOUND STATES: $d(^{20}O,p)^{21}O \rightarrow ^{20}O + n$ (stripping)



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First 3/2+ state corresponds to the sought vd3/2

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Difficult to interpret unbound states with the standard Shell Model:

Relying on spectrocopic factors the 3/2+ state seems to favour USDA which predicts ²⁶O unbound

Multinucleon and Deep Inelastic Transfer Reactions

Beam: ²³⁸U 5.5 MeV/u 2pnA Target ⁴⁸Ca 1 mg/cm²



Identification spectra



Neutron rich isotopes of Calcium



Doppler corrected using V from VAMOS

²³⁸U (5.5 MeV/u) + ⁴⁸Ca

No new shell gap at N=34 in Calcium



M. Rejmund et al. PRC 76, 021304(R) (2007)

VAMOS++ New Detection System



Detectors



Acceptance





Prompt Gamma Spectroscopy of Fission Fragments



Preliminary Results Only

Identification of the Element



Identification of the Isotope



Ey vs A for Zr Z=40

Gamma Energy



E_{γ} vs A for Ru Z=44

Gamma Energy





¹¹²Ru γ-γ coincidences



Tomorrow and the day after

- Old mechanisms with modern tools provide unique insights to the physics of nuclei towards drip line
 - Gamma spectroscopy of neutron rich exotic nuclei
 - Transfer Reactions
 - Fission

Ensures fruitful endeavors with SPIRAL2