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IAEA Nuclear Data Section Evaluation plans

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Evaluation Activities at NDS

- **Most nuclear data evaluation activities covered by:**
 - ✓ CIELO evaluation plans by T. Kawano
 - ✓ PFSN overview by P. Talou
 - ✓ neutron Standards update by A. Carlson
- **In this presentation:**
 - ✓ new CRP on Testing and Validating the IRDFF library
 - ✓ new Data Development Project on evaluation of charged-particle induced reactions



CRP on International Reactor Dosimetry Library for Fission and Fusion (IRDFF) Testing and Validation

PO: S. Simakov, duration: 2013-2017

- **IRDFF 1.0:** extension of IRDF-2002 to cover fission, fusion and accelerator-driven applications

- 4 new reactions: $^{67}\text{Zn}(n,p)^{67}\text{Cu}$, $^{113}\text{In}(n,n')^{113\text{m}}\text{In}$, $^{169}\text{Tm}(n,3n)^{167}\text{Tm}$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(n,3n)^{207}\text{Bi}$
- 32 updated evaluations
- increases the end-point energy of the library from 20 to 60 MeV

- **Main objective:**

test and validate 74 dosimetric cross sections (and also total and elastic cross sections for evaluation of self-shielding effect using appropriate decay data)

- **Outcome:**

improved, tested and validated International Reactor Dosimetry and Fusion File (IRDFF) with proper decay data and documentation

1st RCM Summary Report: INDC(NDS)-0639

<http://www-nds.iaea.org/indc-nds-0639.pdf>



Validation plans:

- ✓ Reactor driven and spontaneous or induced fission spectra (thermal, fast)
- ✓ Maxwellian Averaged Cross Sections (5-500 keV)
- ✓ Fusion Energies (14 MeV) (status of D-T spectra and IRDFF)
- ✓ Medium Energies (5 - 50 MeV) (status of d-Be spectra and $^{59}\text{Co}(n,x)$)
- ✓ High Energies (15/20 - 60/200 MeV)

Processing plans: by NJOY-99.396 in ACE format for use with MCNP (LANL+NDS)



Evaluation plans:

- high threshold reactions with cross-section peaks located between 20 and 100 MeV
i.e. **(n,3-6n) reactions on: ^{197}Au , ^{169}Tm , ^{209}Bi , ^{59}Co , ^{63}Cu , ^{89}Y , ^{93}Nb**

to begin with:

evaluation of the **$^{197}\text{Au}(\text{n},4\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},2\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},3\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},4\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},5\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},6\text{n})$, $^{209}\text{Bi}(\text{n},7\text{n})$**

- evaluate and add to the library
 - **$^{27}\text{Al}(\text{n},\gamma)^{28}\text{Al}$** - often present in facilities, short-lived (2.24 min)
 - **$^{94}\text{Zr}(\text{n},\gamma)^{95}\text{Zr}$, $^{96}\text{Zr}(\text{n},\gamma)^{97}\text{Zr}$** - first resonance at high/low (2.3/0.3 keV) energies
 - **$^{70}\text{Zn}(\text{n},\gamma)^{71}\text{Zn}$** - first resonance at energy > 10 keV but low abundance (0.62%)
 - **$^{117}\text{Sn}(\text{n},\text{n}')^{117\text{m}}\text{Sn}$**
 - **$^{93}\text{Nb}(\text{n},\gamma)^{94\text{g+m}}\text{Nb}$ and $^{94}\text{Nb}(\text{n},\gamma)^{94\text{m}}\text{Nb}$** - for burn up calculations
 - **$^{113}\text{In}(\text{n},\gamma)^{114\text{m}}\text{In}$**
- **$^{28}\text{Si}(\text{n},\text{p})^{28}\text{Al}$** reaction cross section evaluation (and validation)



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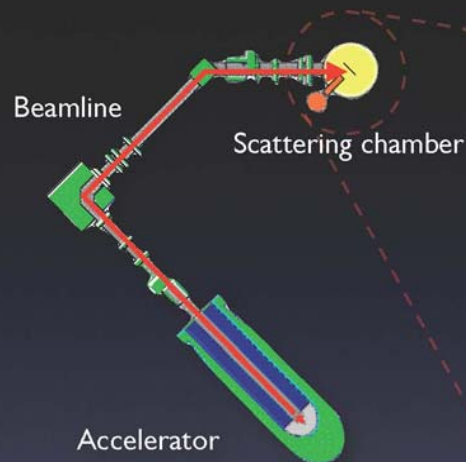
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Charged-particle induced reactions at low energies
for Ion Beam Analysis applications

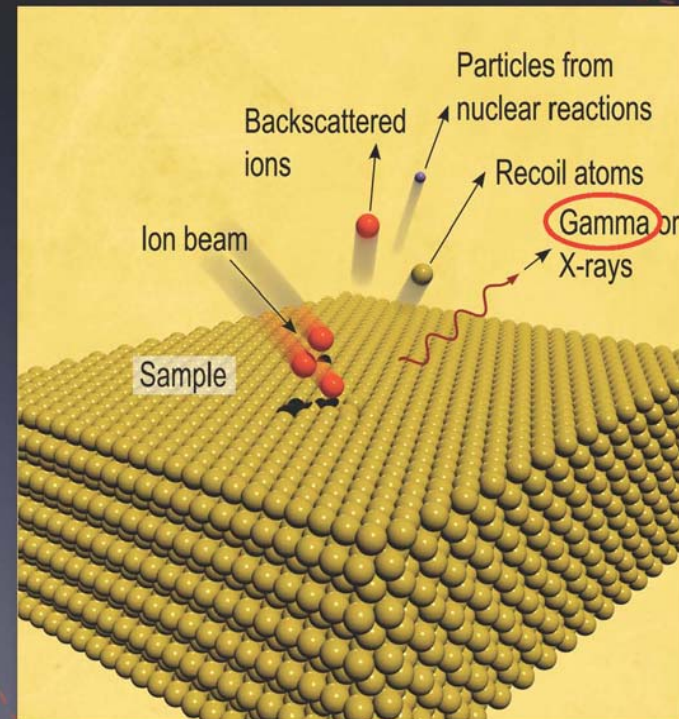
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Ion Beam Analysis techniques



Beam IN	Beam OUT	Analytical technique
ion	ion	RBS, EBS*, NRA, PESA
ion	target	ERDA, SIMS, SNMS
ion	X-ray	PIXE
ion	Gamma-ray	PIGE, Activation Analysis
ion	hν	Ionoluminescence (IL)

* EBS is the general extension of RBS at higher energies, where the elastic scattering cross section is no longer Rutherford



by M. Chiari



Nuclear data used in Ion Beam Analysis

Sort of data	Projectiles	Targets	Type of interaction	Energy range
Differential cross sections $d\sigma(E)/d\Omega$, γ -ray yields	p, d, ^3He , ^4He , heavy ions	All elements	Elastic scattering, nuclear reactions	0.5÷10 MeV



Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library

<http://www-nds.iaea.org/ibandl/>

IAEA CRP 2005-2009

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Nuclear Data Library

Nucleus
H-1

Projectile
☐ p
☐ d
☒ ³He
☐ α
☐ ⁶Li
☐ ⁷Li

Type of data
☐ EBS
☐ NRA
☐ PIGE
☒ All

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This is the **Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library** developed and formerly maintained by [A.Gurbich](#) under the IAEA auspices. It contains available **experimental** nuclear cross sections relevant to Ion Beam Analysis. Differential cross sections are presented both as graphs and data files. The numerical data are in the **R33** format. Currently, most of the data are being extracted from EXFOR using an automatic conversion procedure available in EXFOR retrieval system (see details of the algorithm [here](#)). All the entries are supplied with a reference to the data source. The data published only in a graphical form were digitized using a precise technique. Where all efforts were made to ensure that the most accurate information was adopted, no guarantee can be given concerning the full validity of the data, and the IAEA accepts no responsibility for usage of IBANDL.

The activity of the IBA community in the field of nuclear data is now supported by IAEA through the Coordinated Research Project (CRP) [Development of a Reference Database for Particle-Induced Gamma Ray Emission \(PIGE\) Spectroscopy](#). Members of the IBA community are invited to submit new experimental data to the library. Data files should be sent to [V.Semkova](#).

The IBANDL Web interface also provides evaluated (recommended) cross sections obtained with the SigmaCalc 1.6 calculator produced by A. Gurbich. Work is in progress to make the updated SigmaCalc 2.0 also available. Meanwhile, SigmaCalc 2.0 can be accessed at the [Ion Beam Centre, University of Surrey](#), from where R33 files can be imported into IBANDL interface for plotting and comparison with experimental data.

A complete [CD version](#) of IBANDL updated in December, 2011 is available on request. This new version can be copied from CD to PC.

When citing data retrieved from IBANDL both the original article and the database should be referenced.
Example:
A. Scientist et al., Journal..., data retrieved from the IBANDL database, IAEA, 2013 at www-nds.iaea.org/ibandl/.

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SigmaCalc calculator: evaluated cross sections by A. Gurbich

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Nucleus
C-12

Projectile
☒ p
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☐ ⁷Li

Type of data
☐ EBS
☐ NRA
☐ PIGE
☒ All

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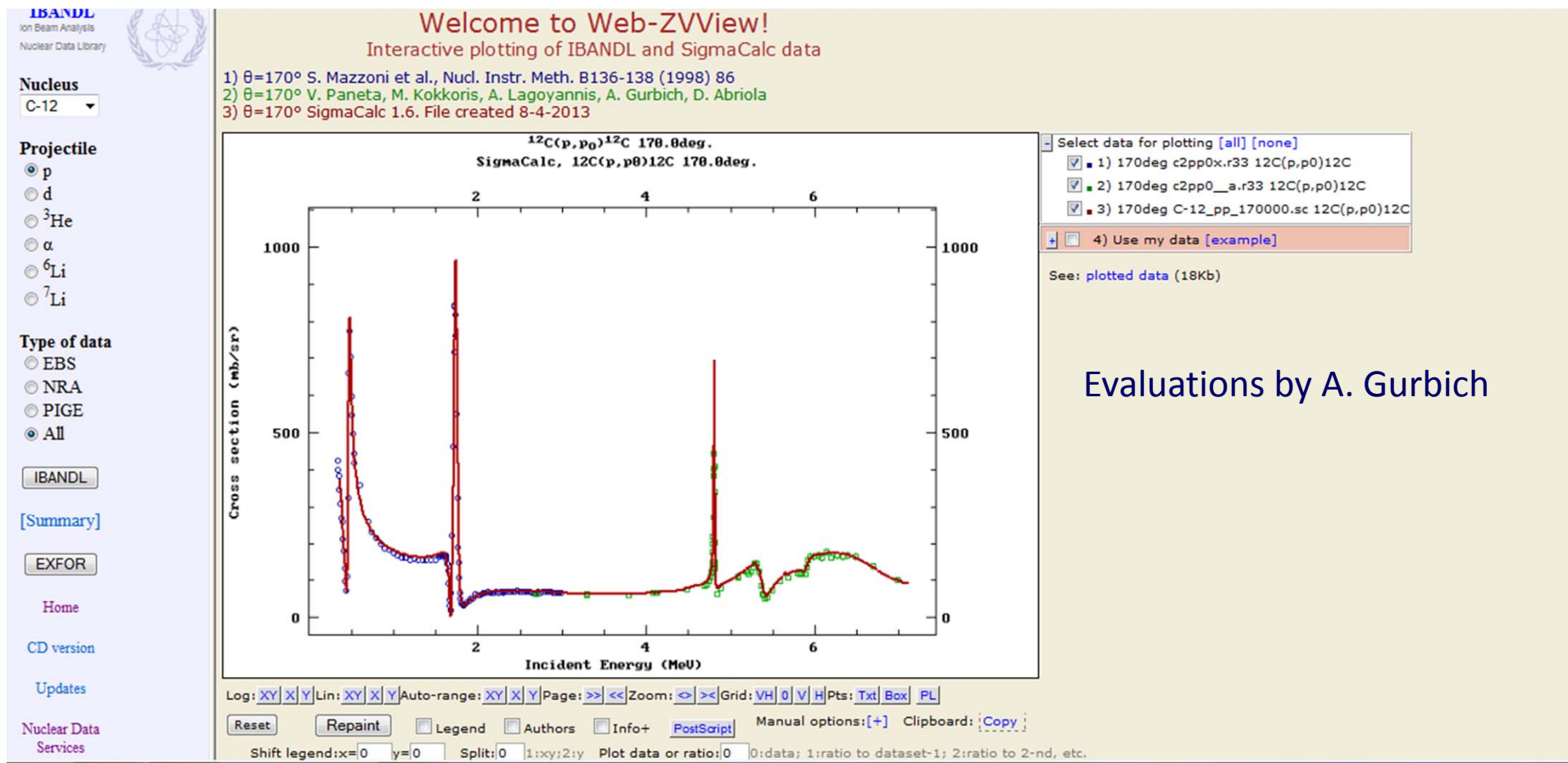
Nuclear Data

¹²C + p

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Evaluations by A. Gurbich



Evaluated Nuclear Data File (ENDF)

Database Version of August 13, 2013

Software Version of 2013.10.14 Old interface is [\[here\]](#)



News & History

2012/09 Updated library:

1) JENDL-4.0u2 Updates (2012/11-2013/08) of Japanese evaluated nuclear data library (2010) [\[page\]](#)

2013/06 New library:

1) TENDL-2012: TALYS-based Evaluated Nuclear Data Library, 2012 [\[page\]](#)

2013/03 New feature of software:

Core nuclear reaction database contain recommended, evaluated cross sections, spectra, angular distributions, fission product yields, photo-atomic and thermal scattering law data, with emphasis on neutron induced reactions. The data were analyzed by experienced nuclear physicists to produce recommended libraries for one of the national nuclear data projects (USA, Europe, Japan, Russia and China). All data are stored in the internationally-adopted ENDF-6 format maintained by CSEWG. See database summary [\[here\]](#).

Standard Request Examples: [1](#) [2](#) [3](#) [4](#) [5](#) [6](#) [7](#) Go to: [Advanced Request](#); [ENDF-Explorer](#)

Parameters:

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Libraries: ☐ All ☒ Selected(1) [Check](#) [Reset](#)

Tip of the day

Target

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Major Libraries

1) ENDF/B-VII.1 (USA,2011)

2) JEFF-3.1.2 (Europe,2012)

3) JENDL-4.0u2 (Japan,2012)

4) CENDL-3.1 (China,2009)

5) ROSFOND-2010 (Russia,2010)

6) BROND-2.2 (Russia,1992)

Special Libraries

7) TENDL-2012 (n,y,p,d,t,he3,a) (Netherlands,NRG,2011)

8) EAF-2010: European Activation File /816MAT,60MeV/, UK+Netherlands

9) FENDL-2.1 Fusion Evaluated Nuclear Data Library, 2004

10) ENDF/HE-VI (High Energy)

11) JEFF-3.1/A (Activation)

12) IRDFF (Dosimetry)

13) IRDF-2002 (Dosimetry)

14) INDL/TSL (Thermal Scattering Law)

15) IAEA-Medical (diagnostic radioisotopes prod.)

16) IAEA-Medical (therapeutic radioisotopes prod.)

17) IAEA-Standards, 2006

18) PADEF-2007: Prompt Activation Data File, 2007

19) IBA-EVAL Differential data for ion beam analysis

20) JENDL/AC-2008: JENDL Actinoid File 2008

21) JENDL/AN-2005: JENDL Actinoid File 2005

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Plotting options: ☒ Universal plot ($\sigma \pm \Delta\sigma$, $d\sigma/d\Omega$, $d\sigma/dE$, $d^2\sigma/dE/d\Omega$) *beta version*



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View: ☒ basic ☐ extended/get MAT/PEN, run Inter: resonance integrals, etc.



1) C-12 (P,EL), DA/DE

MT=2 MF=6 NSUB=10010

MF6: [DA/DE] Product energy-angle distributions MT2: [P,EL] Elastic scattering cross section for incident particles



ENDF-6 Interpreted Plot IBA-EVAL

E=3MeV Lab=IPPE Date=12-Dec-07 T=293

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2) N-14 (P,EL), DA/DE

MT=2 MF=6 NSUB=10010

MF6: [DA/DE] Product energy-angle distributions MT2: [P,EL] Elastic scattering cross section for incident particles



ENDF-6 Interpreted Plot IBA-EVAL

E=3MeV Lab=IPPE Date=23.05.07 T=293

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3) O-16 (P,EL), DA/DE

MT=2 MF=6 NSUB=10010



4) O-16 (HE4,EL), DA/DE

MT=2 MF=6 NSUB=20040



5) MG-24 (P,EL), DA/DE

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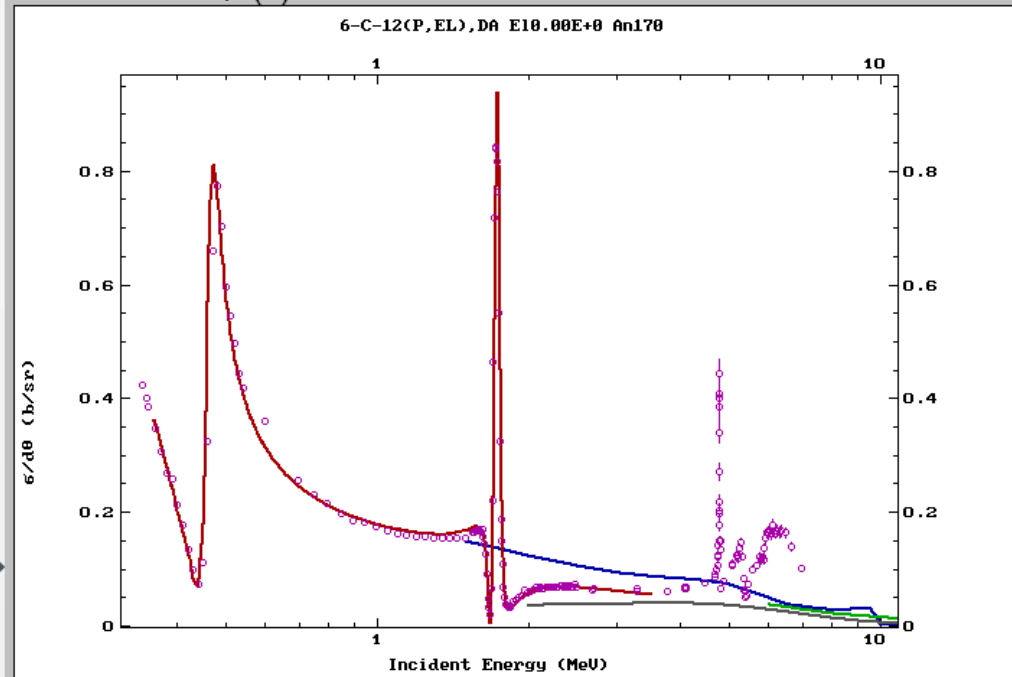
6) S-32 (P,EL), DA/DE

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Selected Plots: +1(3)



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- ☒ 2) JENDL/HE-2007: C-12 E10.00E+0 An170
- ☒ 3) IBA-EVAL: C-12 E10.00E+0 An170
- ☒ 4) TENDL-2010: C-12 E10.00E+0 An170
- ☒ 5) Use my data [\[example\]](#)

See: [plotted data](#) (12Kb)

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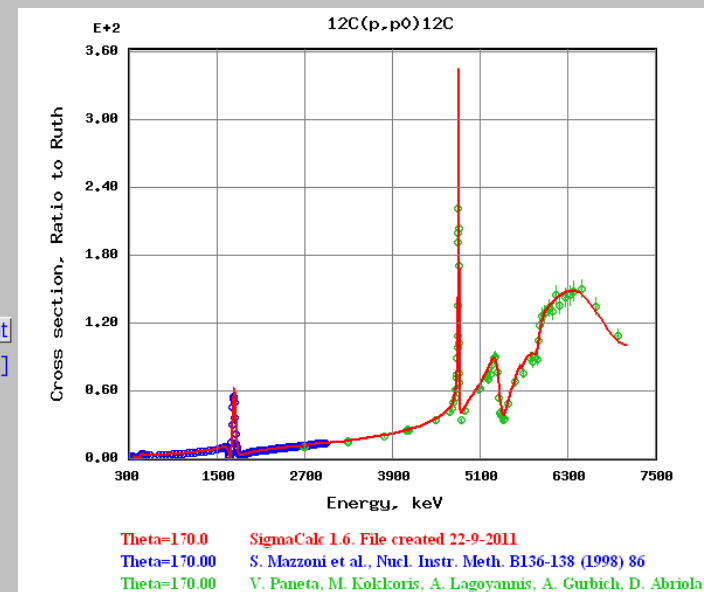
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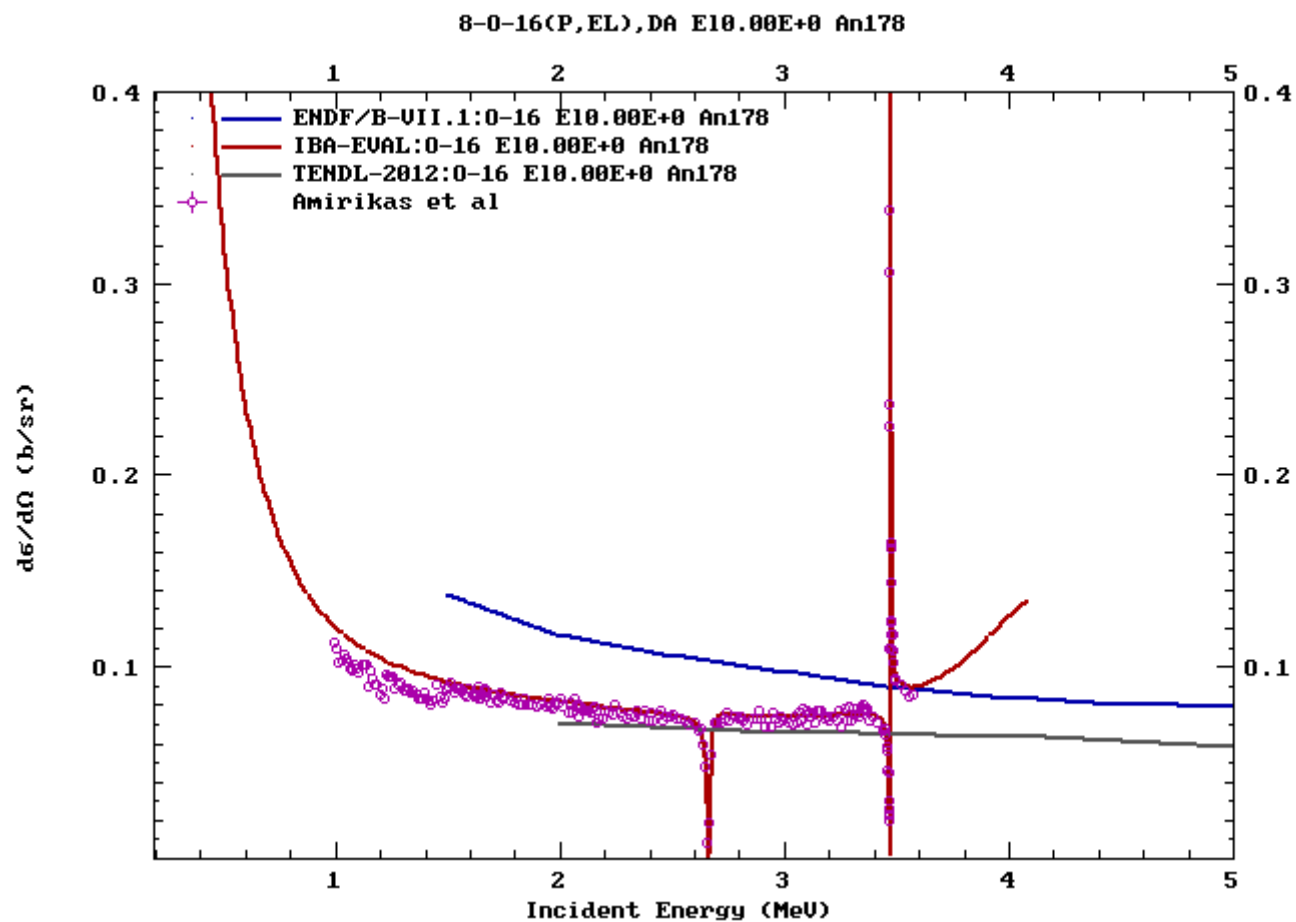
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Picture-size: lx=700 ly=500 [600*400](#) [700*500](#) [800*600](#) [900*700](#)Data for plotting: [ZVD](#) (8Kb), [send](#) to ZVView; [download](#) ZVView; [upload](#) and plot your ZVD file

Note. Zoom and other interactive plotting features were tested under Web-browsers:
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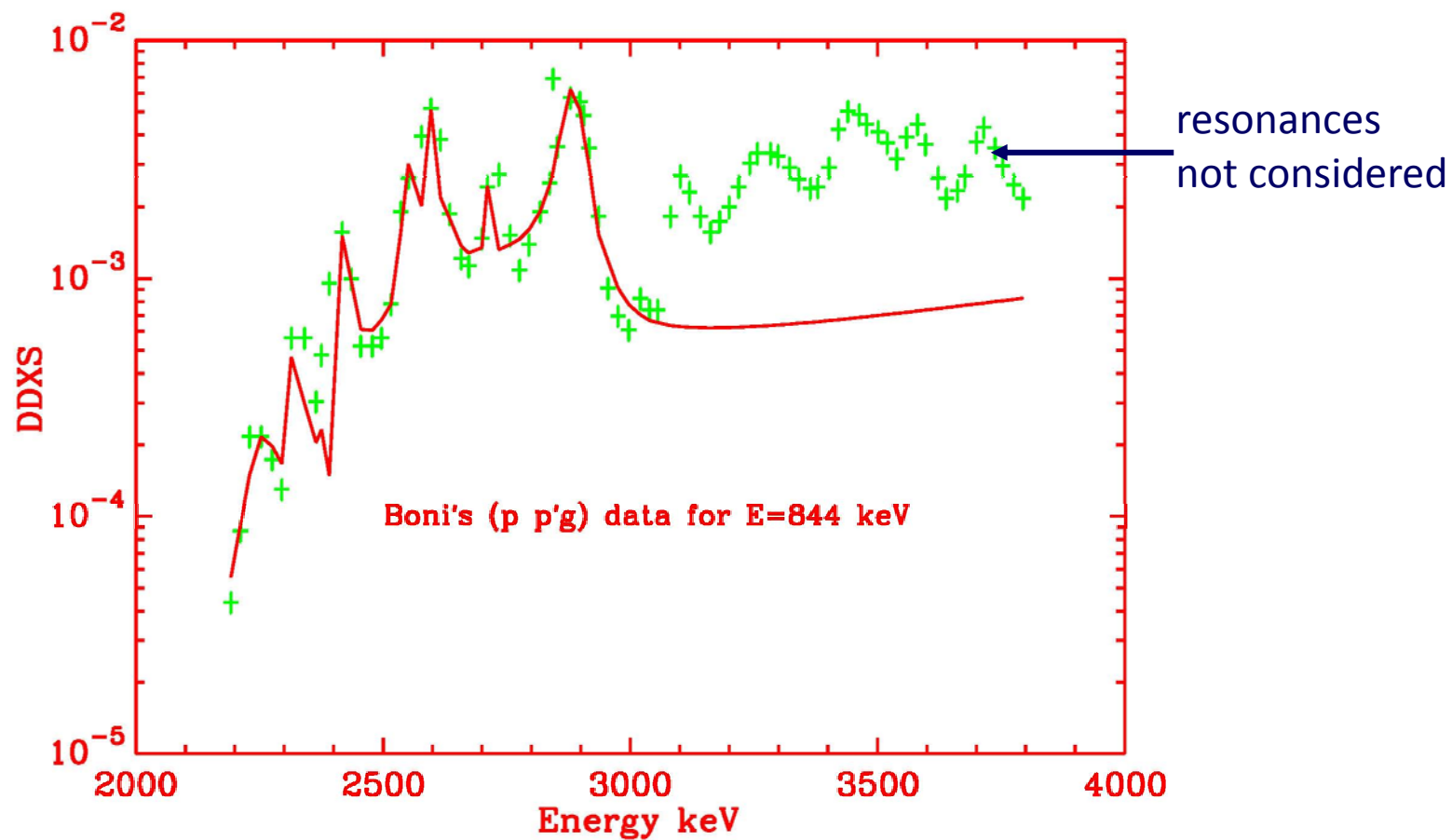




Data Development Project on Evaluations of Charged-particle reactions relevant to IBA applications (and other ex. Nuclear Astrophysics)

- ✓ Use multi-level multi-channel R-matrix code SAMMY
- ✓ Take into account experimental uncertainties: systematic+statistical
- ✓ Produce uncertainties and covariance matrices
- ✓ ENDF format
- ✓ Start with isotopes most widely used in IBA applications
- ✓ Consider cases useful for Nuclear Astrophysics





Work in progress: evaluate all available data on ^{27}Al i.e. (p,p₀), (p,p' γ), (p, α)