

# Experimental Information Required for R-matrix Analysis



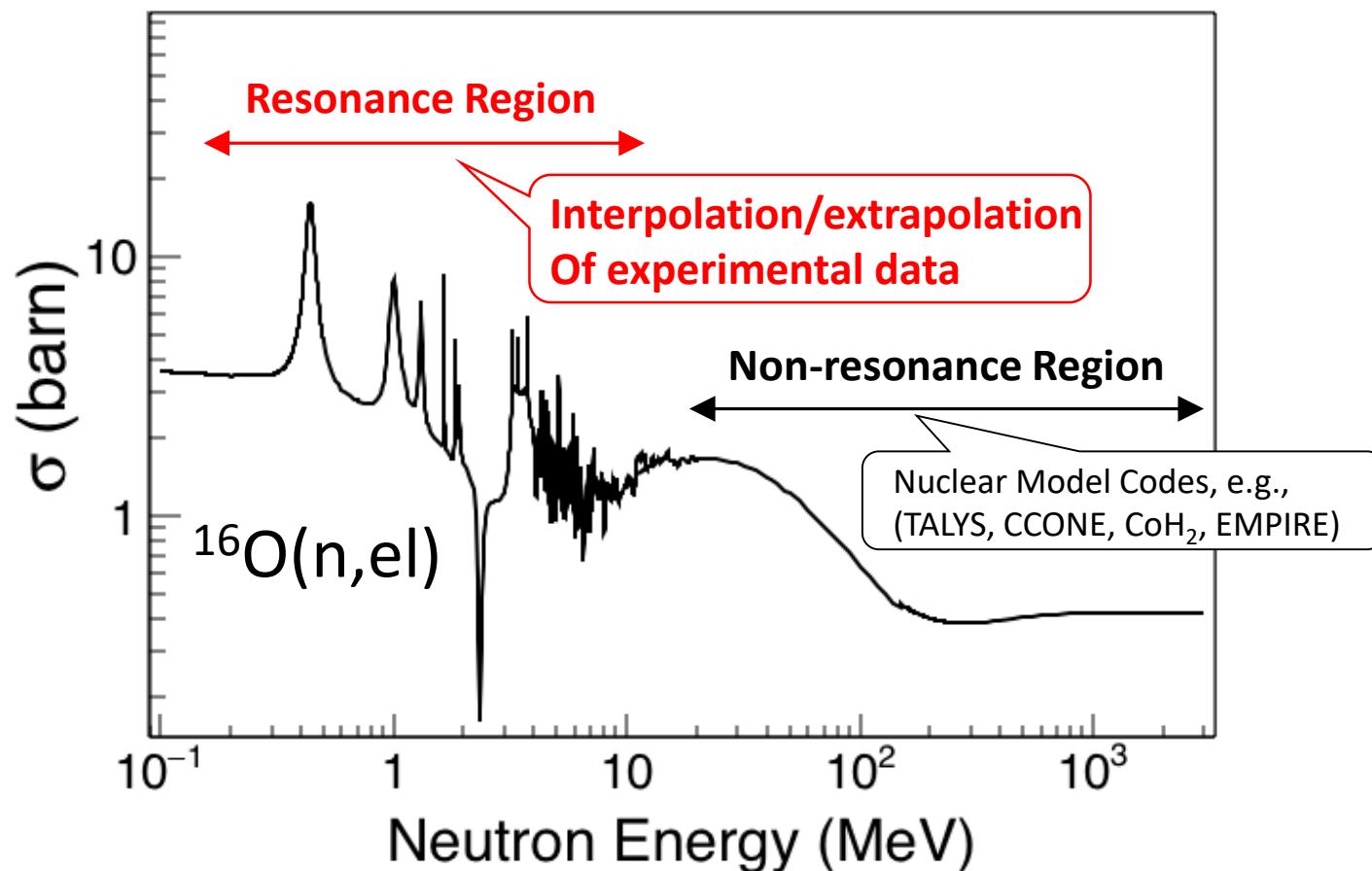
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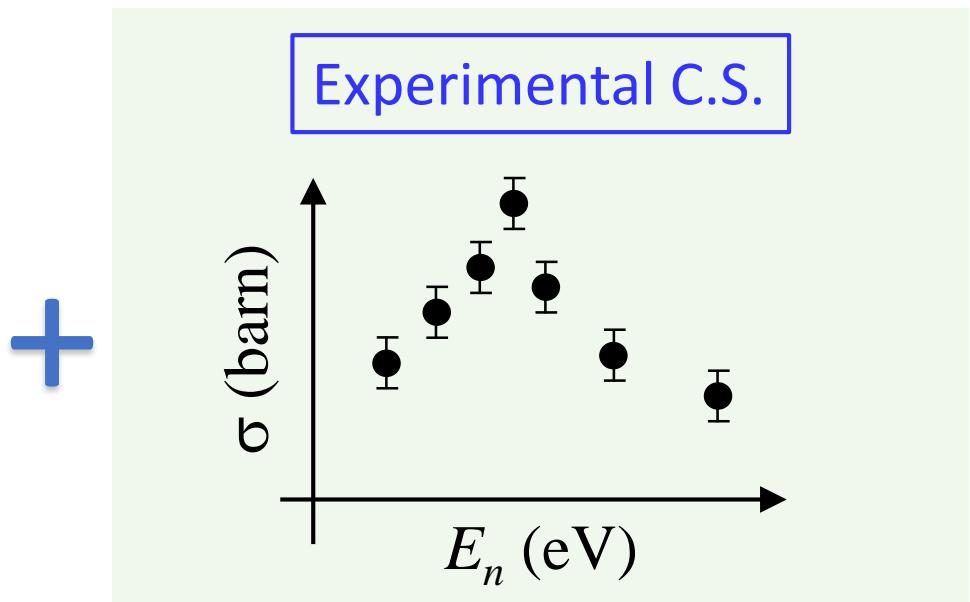
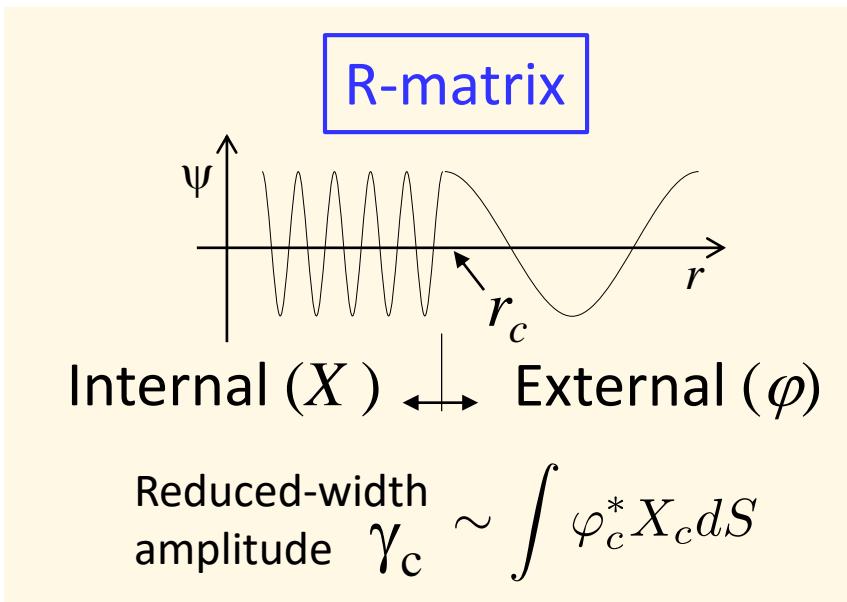
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# Resonant Cross-sections



Experimental data is definitely necessary  
for evaluation of resonant cross-sections !

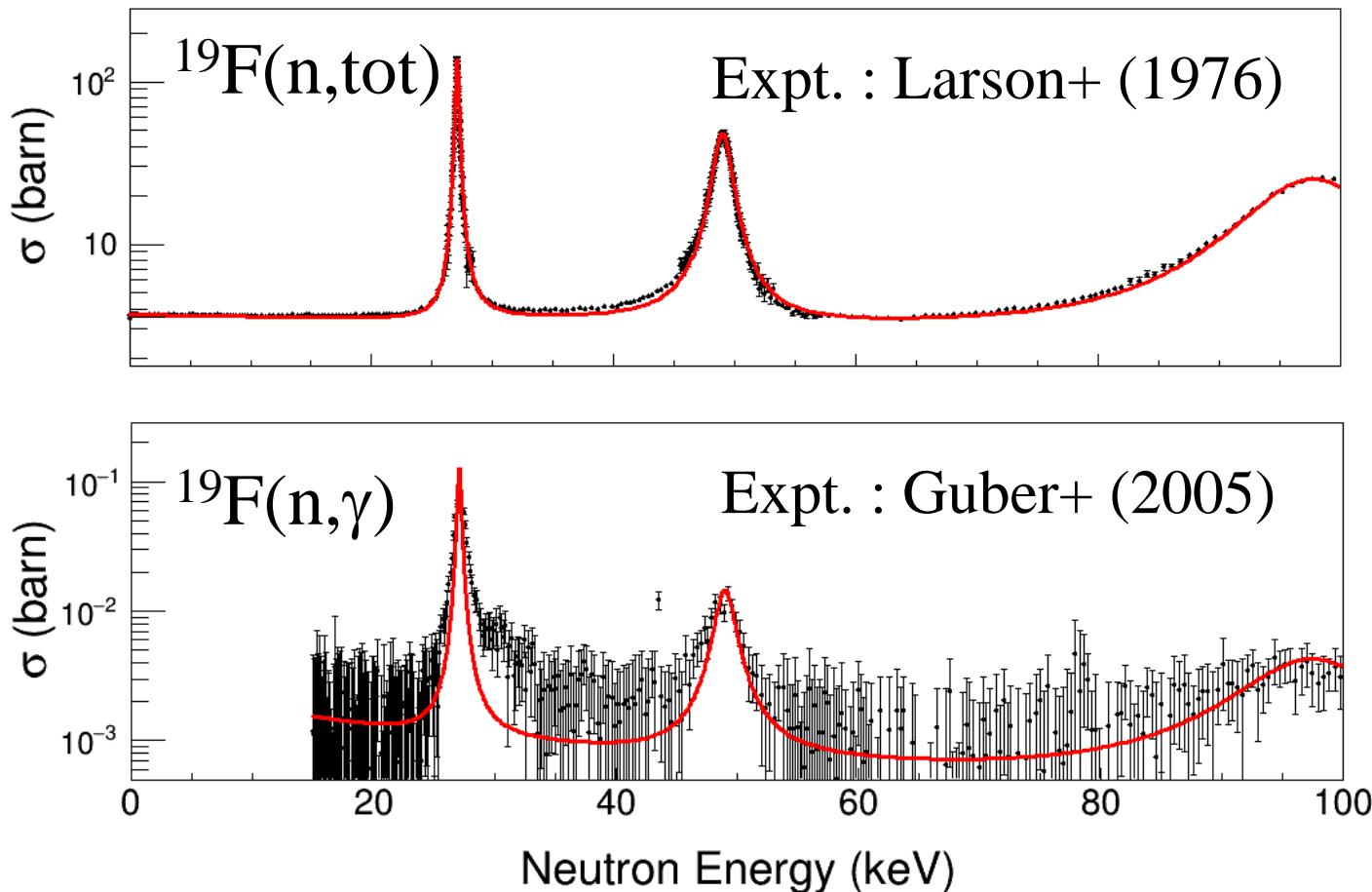
# What is R-matrix ? (Cont.)



✓ Strictly based on the “quantum mechanics”

It is not like the so called “Model”

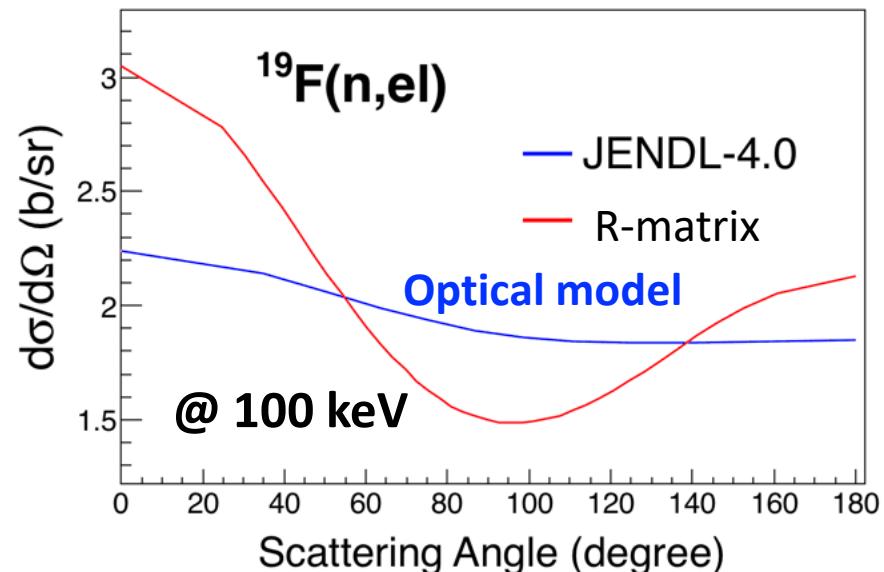
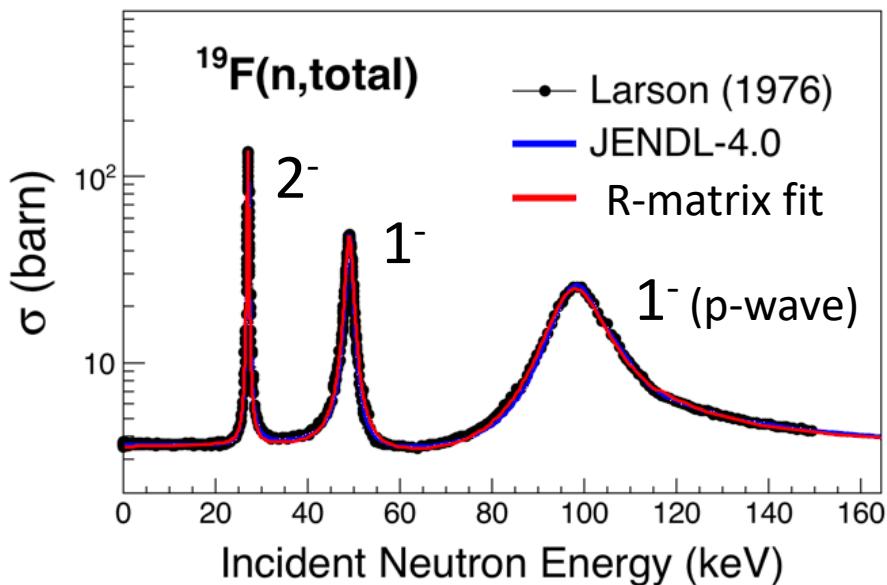
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Good framework for  
“**interpolation/extrapolation**” of experimental data

# What is R-matrix ? (Cont.)

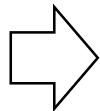
Angular distribution of (n,n) **predicted** by R-matrix



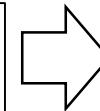
- R-matrix results are very different from the optical model estimation
- How it affects on the neutronics calculation ?

# Estimation of uncertainty/covariance

EXFOR

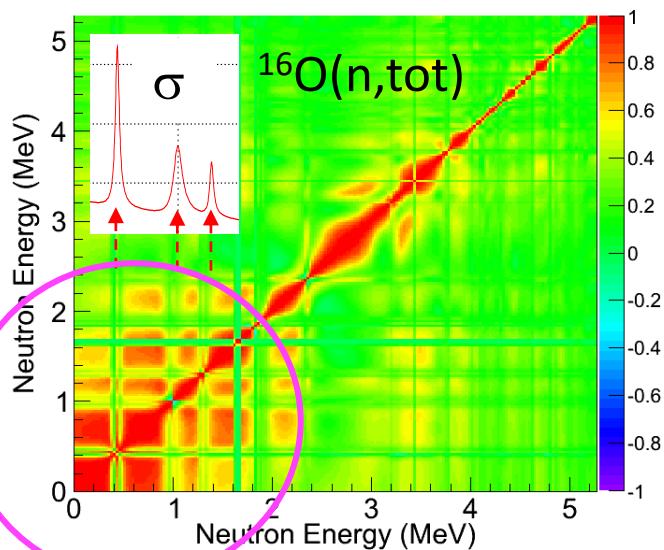


R-matrix + Kalman filter



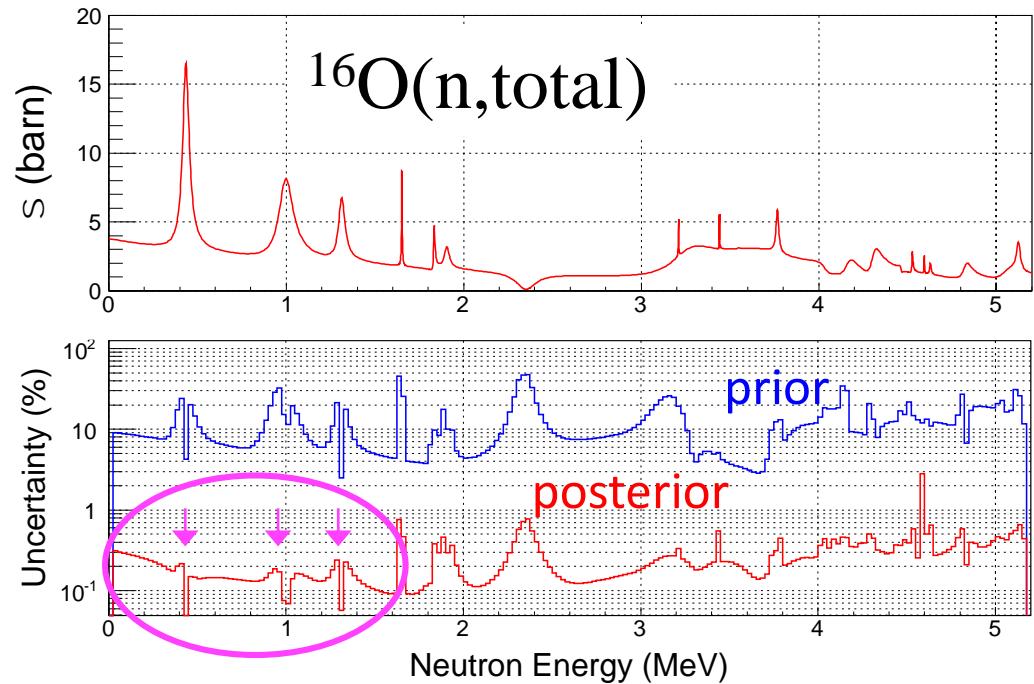
Cov.

Correlation matrix



trace of ~unitarity limit

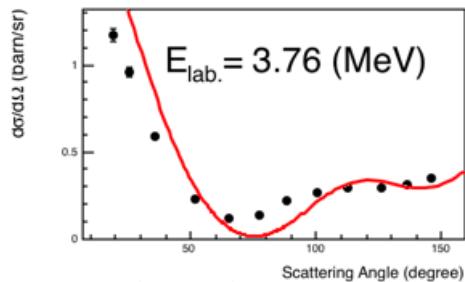
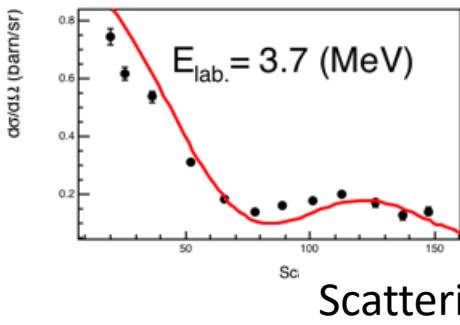
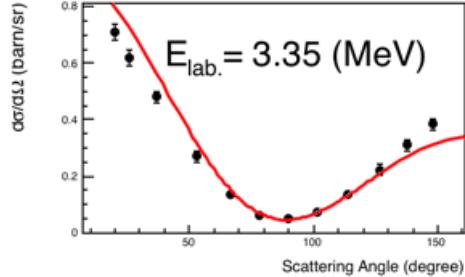
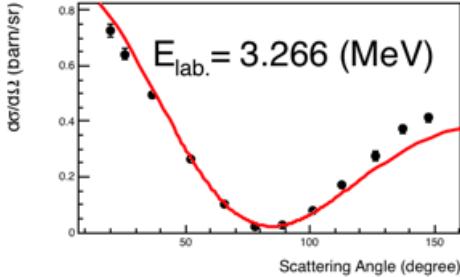
Uncertainty estimation



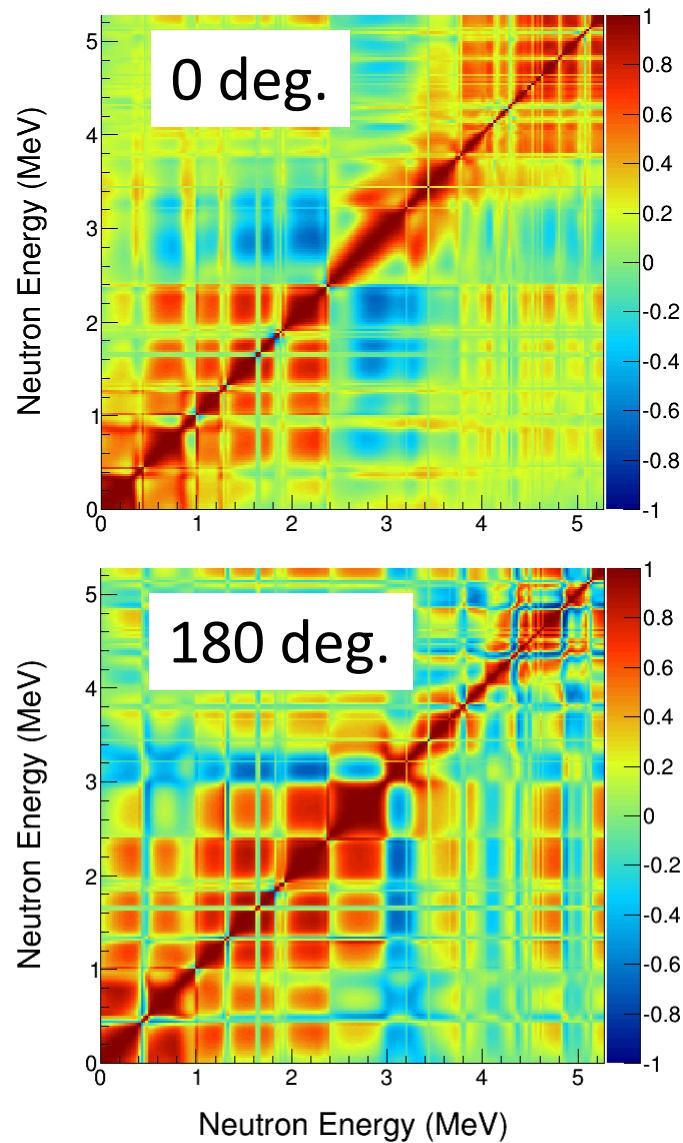
- Visualization of nature of resonant reaction
- Covariance/uncertainty estimation

# Estimation of uncertainty/covariance

## $^{16}\text{O}(\text{n},\text{el})$ , $d\sigma(\theta)/d\Omega$

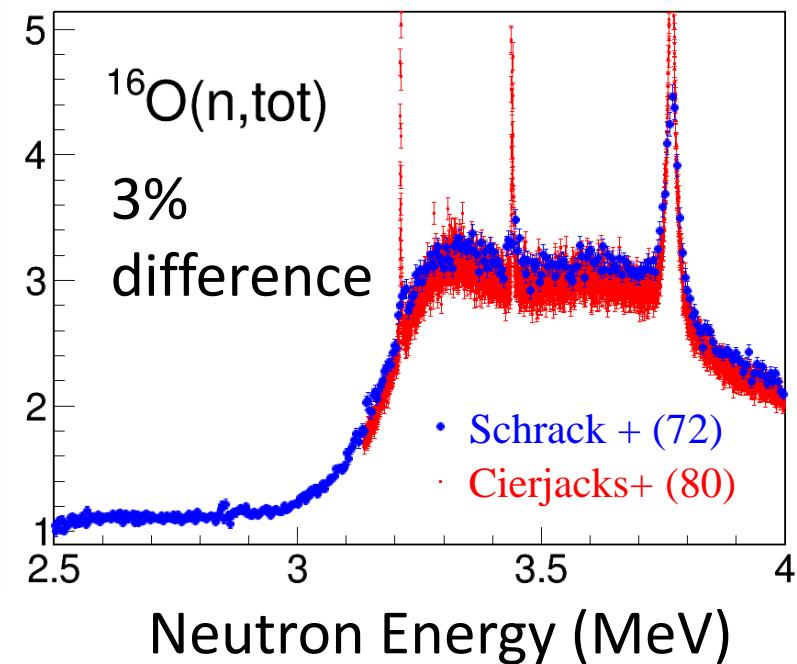
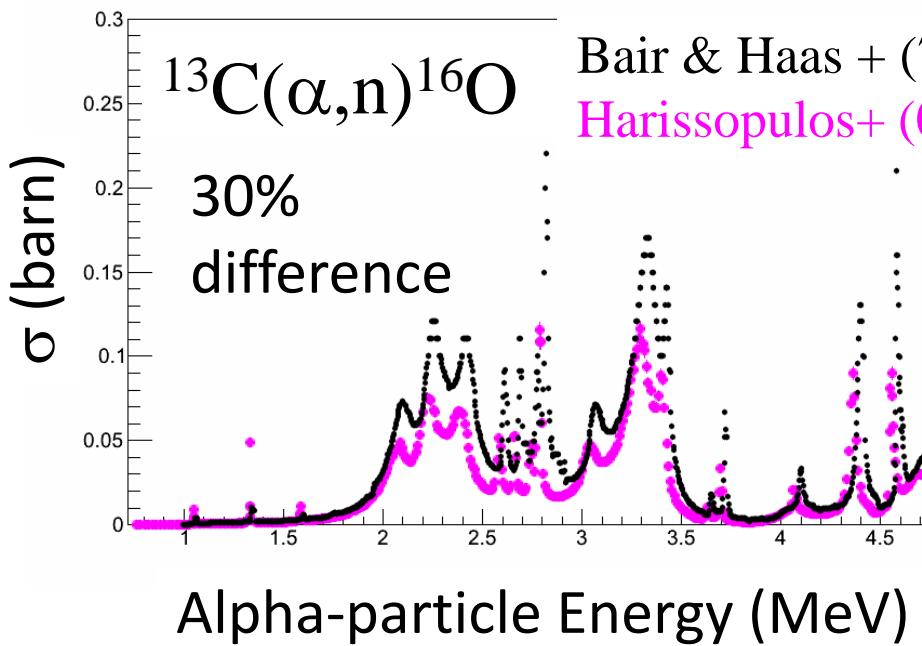


**Much constraints** should be expected from corresponding measurements.



# Issue in data evaluation

**“Difference among measurements”, e.g.,**



Firstly, we need to understand sources of the difference  
R-matrix could have a solution because the S-matrix is **unitary**.

# AMUR (A MUlti-channel R-matrix Code)

Evaluation tool for the resonant cross-sections  
(under development)

## Theoretical calculation

In case of R-matrix

→  $\sigma, d\sigma(\theta)/d\Omega, Pol(\theta)/d\Omega$

### --- Parameters ---

- Boundary condition ( $R_c, B_c$ )
- Energy eigenvalue ( $E_\lambda$ )
- Reduced-width amp. ( $\gamma_c$ )

## Analysis of measurement

KALMAN method (GLSQ)

→ Parameter & covariance

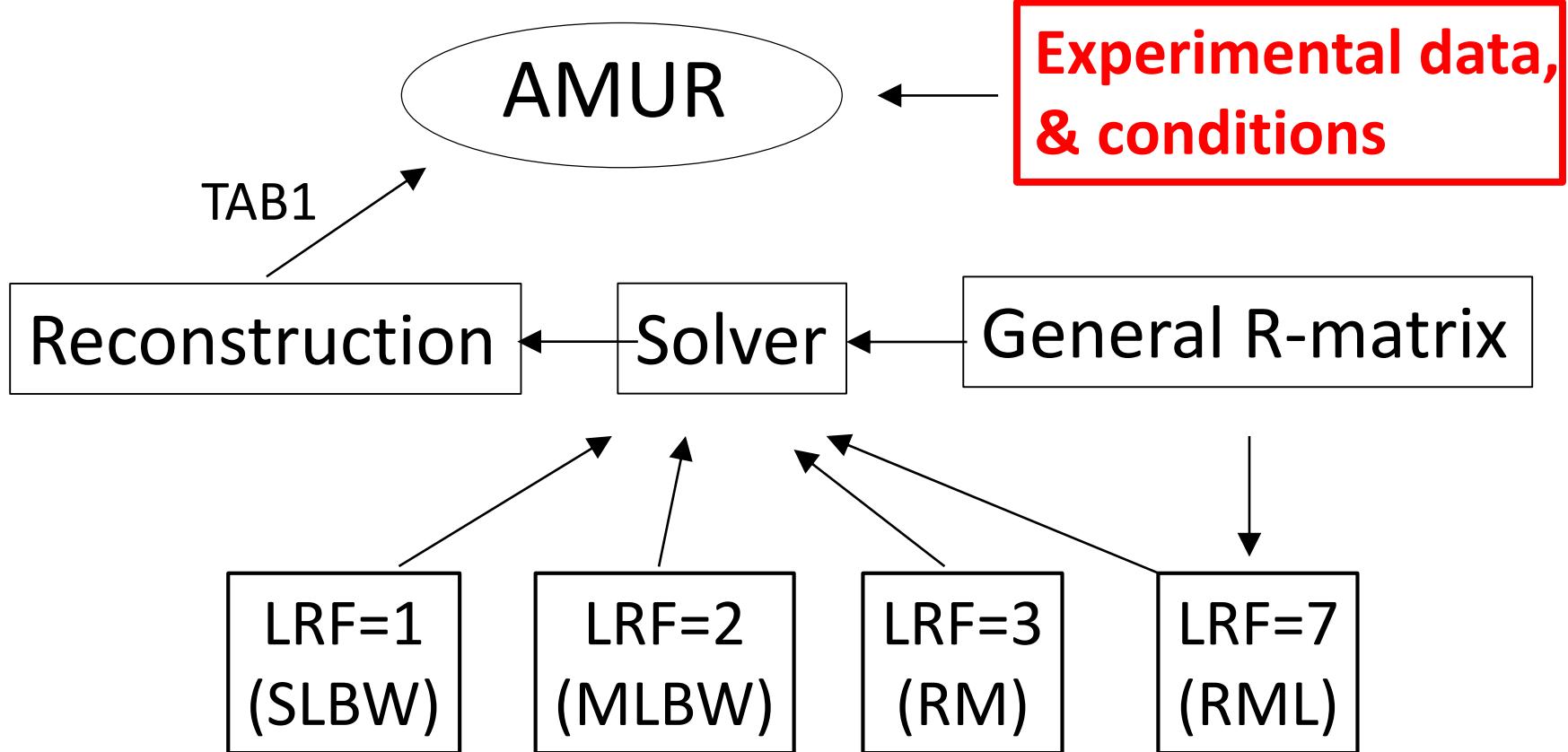
### --- Parameters, e.g., ---

- Renormalization
- Resolution

Dynamic link (Object-oriented)

- All the parameter could have prior uncertainty
- Can be operated on ROOT (CERN scientific library)

# Structure of the AMUR code



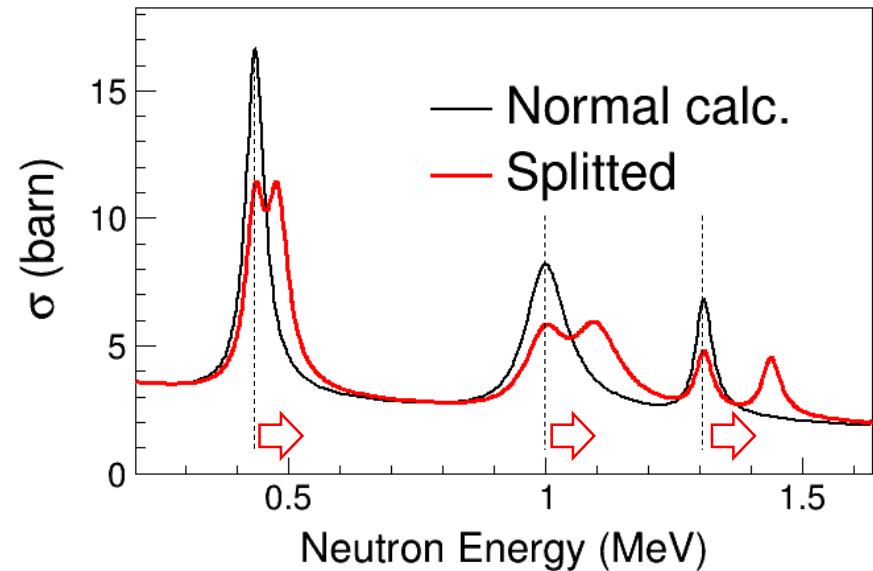
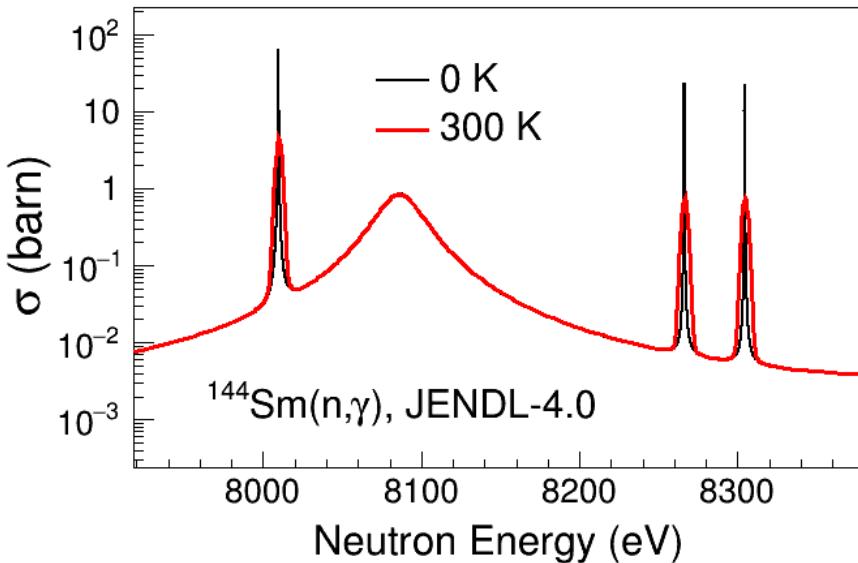
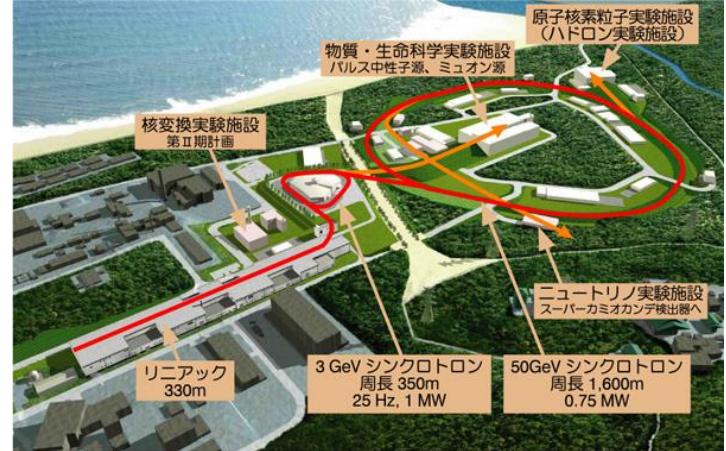
We need to simulate the experimental conditions

# Simulation of Experimental Conditions

e.g.,

- Doppler broadening  
(Free-gas model)
- Double-bunch (J-PARC)

J-PARC facility



# Amongst the Other Codes

( ◎ : excellent, ○ : good, △ : so so, × : insufficient )

Code	Incident-particle (or Reactions)	Correction to experimental data	Covariance	Publication/ Manual	Object- oriented
SAMMY	○	◎	○	○	△ (F77)
REFIT	△	◎	?	◎	△ (F77)
EDA	○	△	○	×	△ (F77)
AZURE2	○	△	×	◎	○ (C++)
AMUR	○	△	○	×	◎ (C++)

# Experimental Information Required

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( X, Y )

Uncertainty (dStat, dSys)

**Resolution**

**Temperature**

**Possible contaminants on the sample**

**Sample thickness**

**Possible calibration error**

**Specification of self-shielding/multiple-scattering corrections**

**Information on “double-bunch” (delay time)**

# Why don't we have “dynamic” EXFOR/C5 ?

with e.g., Python, Ruby, ROOT, ...

C5 a( “X4sShowX4StdOut1” )

```
a.Narrow( “Targ=26056, MT=16” );
a.ScaleEnergy( 1.e+6 );
a.CutEnergyAbove( 20.0 );
a.SetMarkerStyle(20);
a.SetMarkerColor(3);
a.Draw();
```

C5 b( “X4sShowX4StdOut2” )

```
b.SetMarkerColor(3);
b.Draw( “same” );
```

C5 a( “X4sShowX4StdOut3” )

```
int n = a.size();
for( int i=0; i<n; i++ )
    cout << a.Energy(i) << " " << a.Data(i)
```