

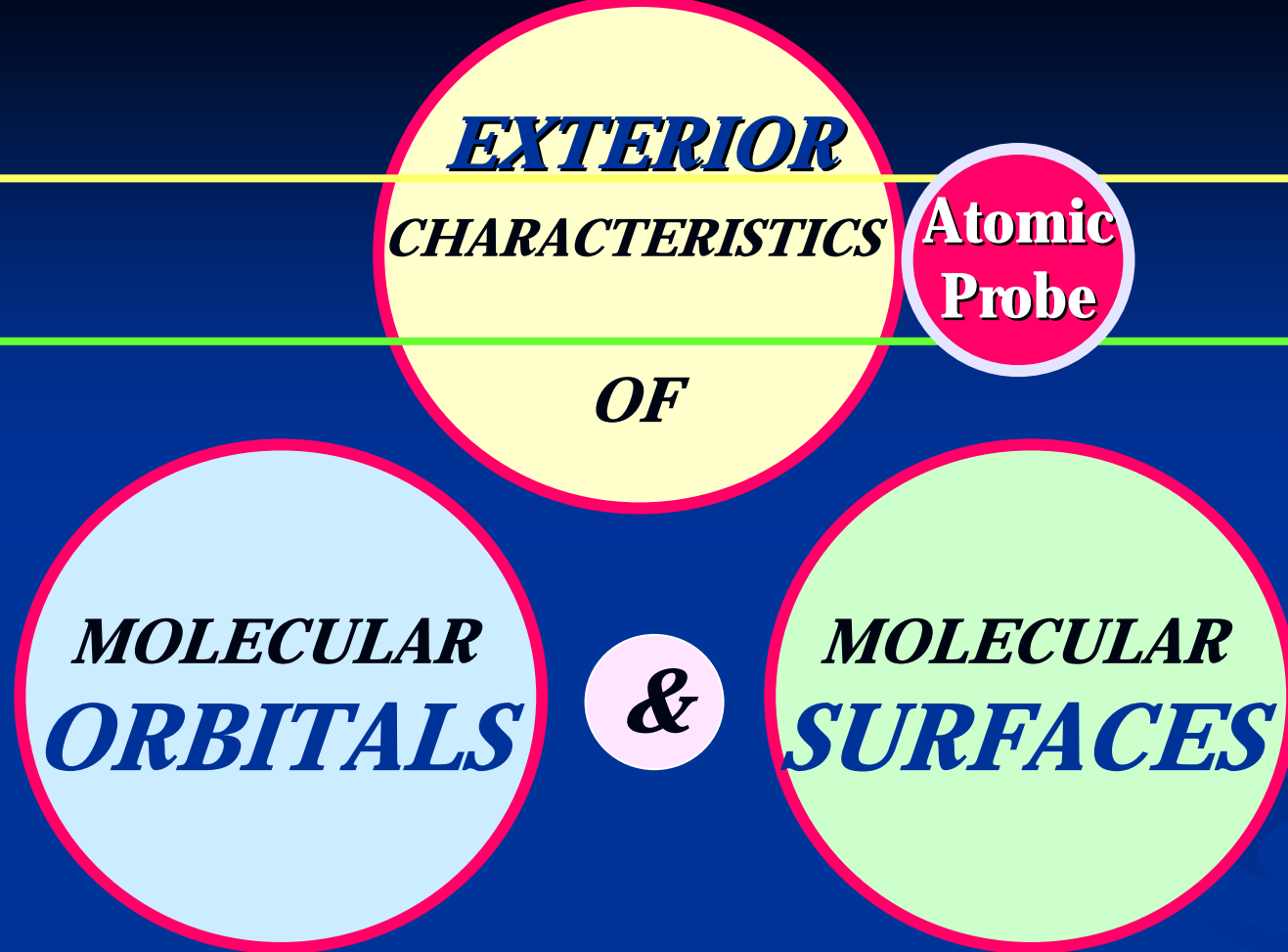
***EXTERIOR CHARACTERISTICS OF
MOLECULAR ORBITALS AND
MOLECULAR SURFACES
AS STUDIED BY ATOMIC PROBES***

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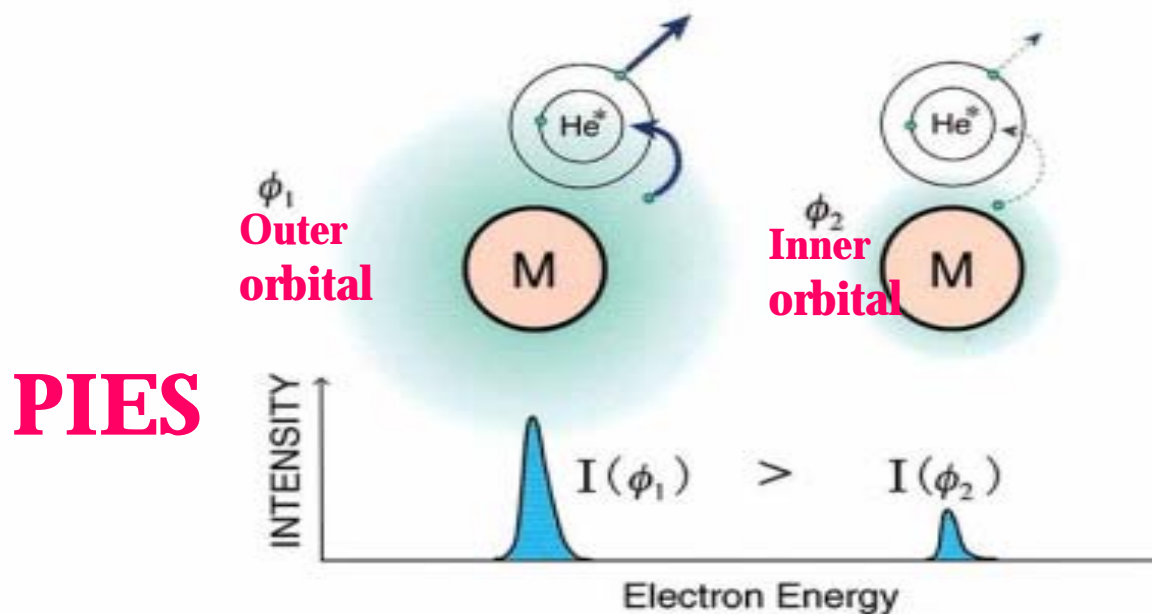
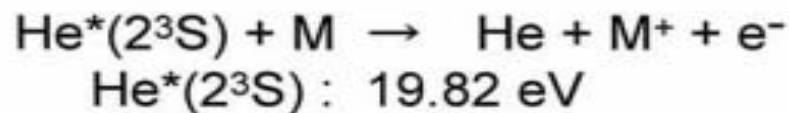


are important, because molecules and atoms interact with each other at *exterior* parts, not via interior parts.

Photons and electrons go through molecules, but atoms do not. Thus, atomic probes are most suitable.

An Excited Atom He* can be used to Probe Outer Properties of Molecules

Penning Ionization

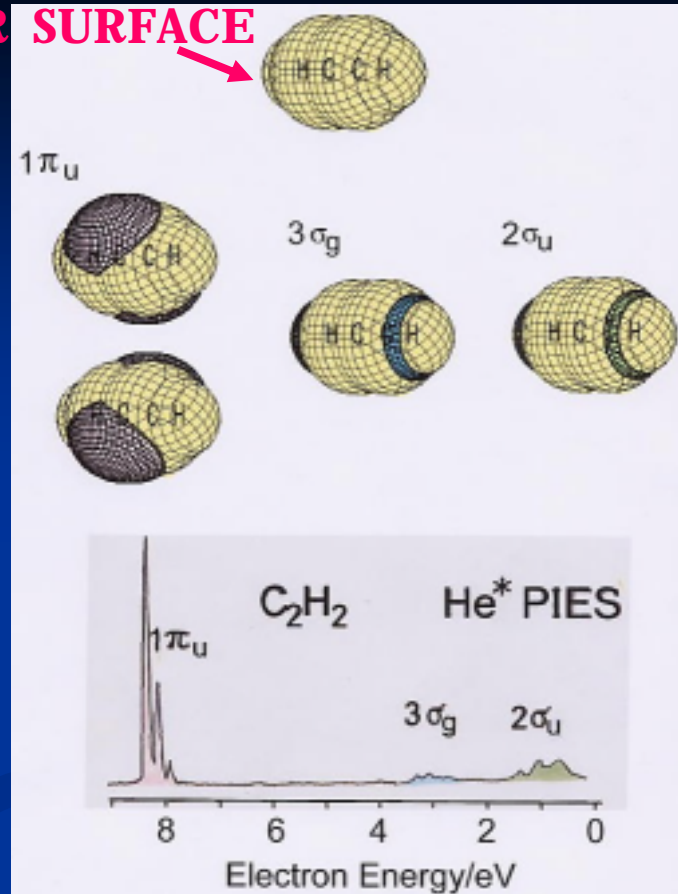
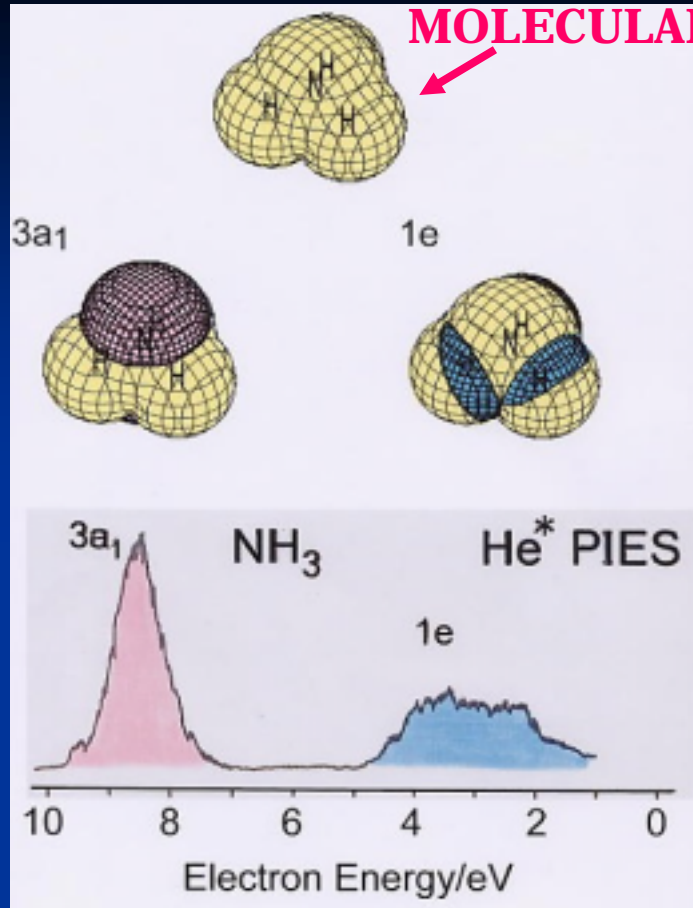


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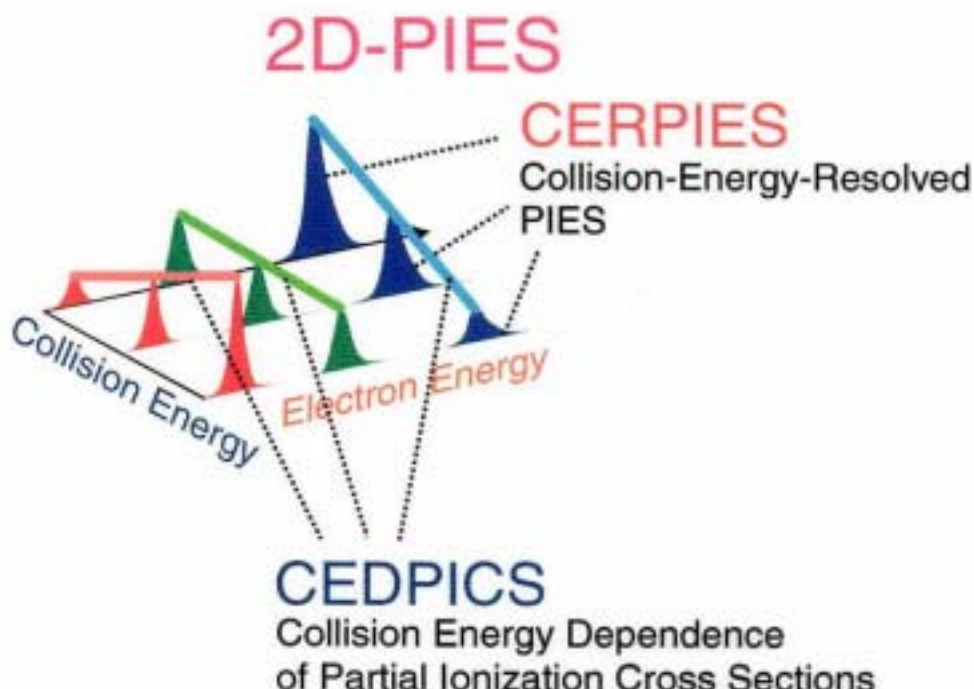
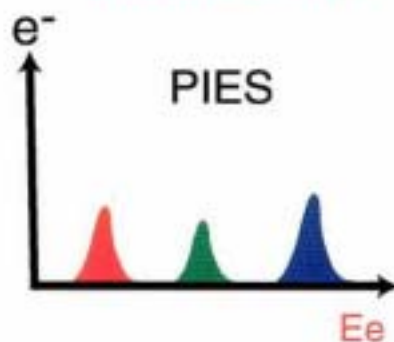
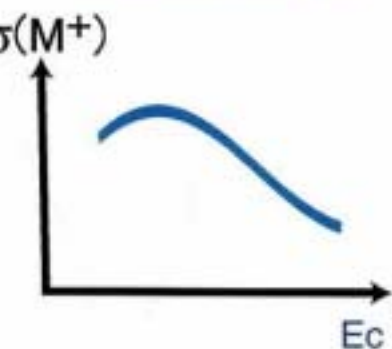
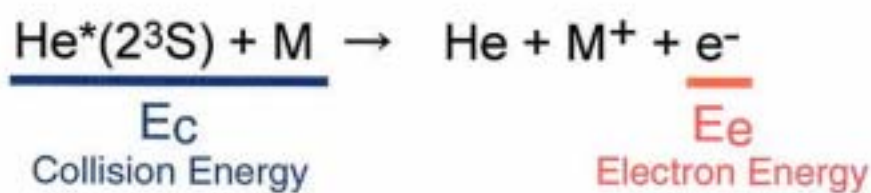


EXTEIOR

**MOLECULAR
SURFACE**

INTERIOR

Molecular Surface is important,
because it divides chemically active
exterior parts from inactive interior
parts.



Development of 2D-PIES

*Simultaneous
Analyses of
Reactants &
Products **result in
5 orders of Signal
Reduction !***

1D-PIES

3 hrs

2D-PIES

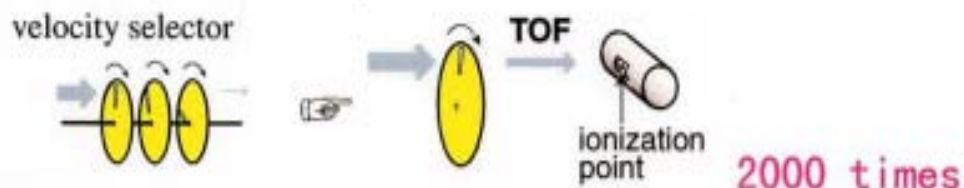
34 years !

*Improvements
of Experimental
Techniques
made it possible
to do 2D-PIES
experiments
without waiting
34 years !*

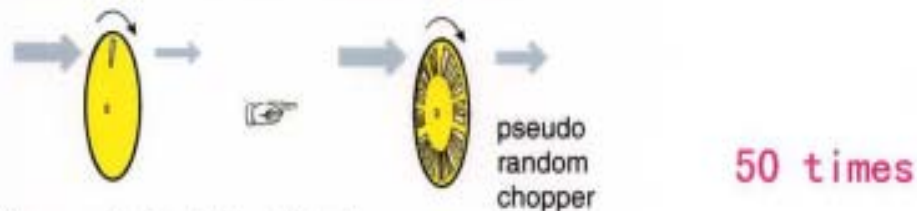
◆ Nozzle discharge source



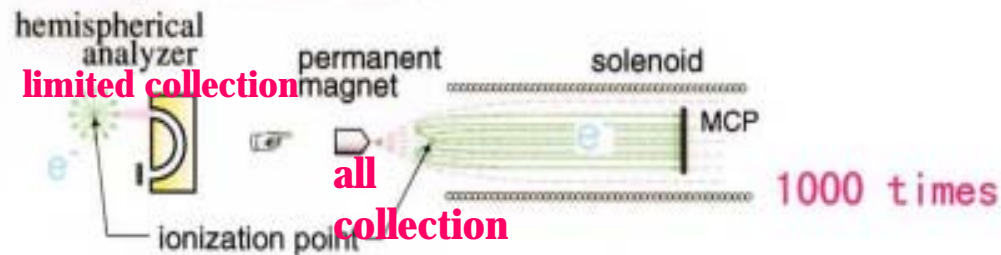
◆ Velocity selection by TOF



◆ Cross-Correlation TOF method

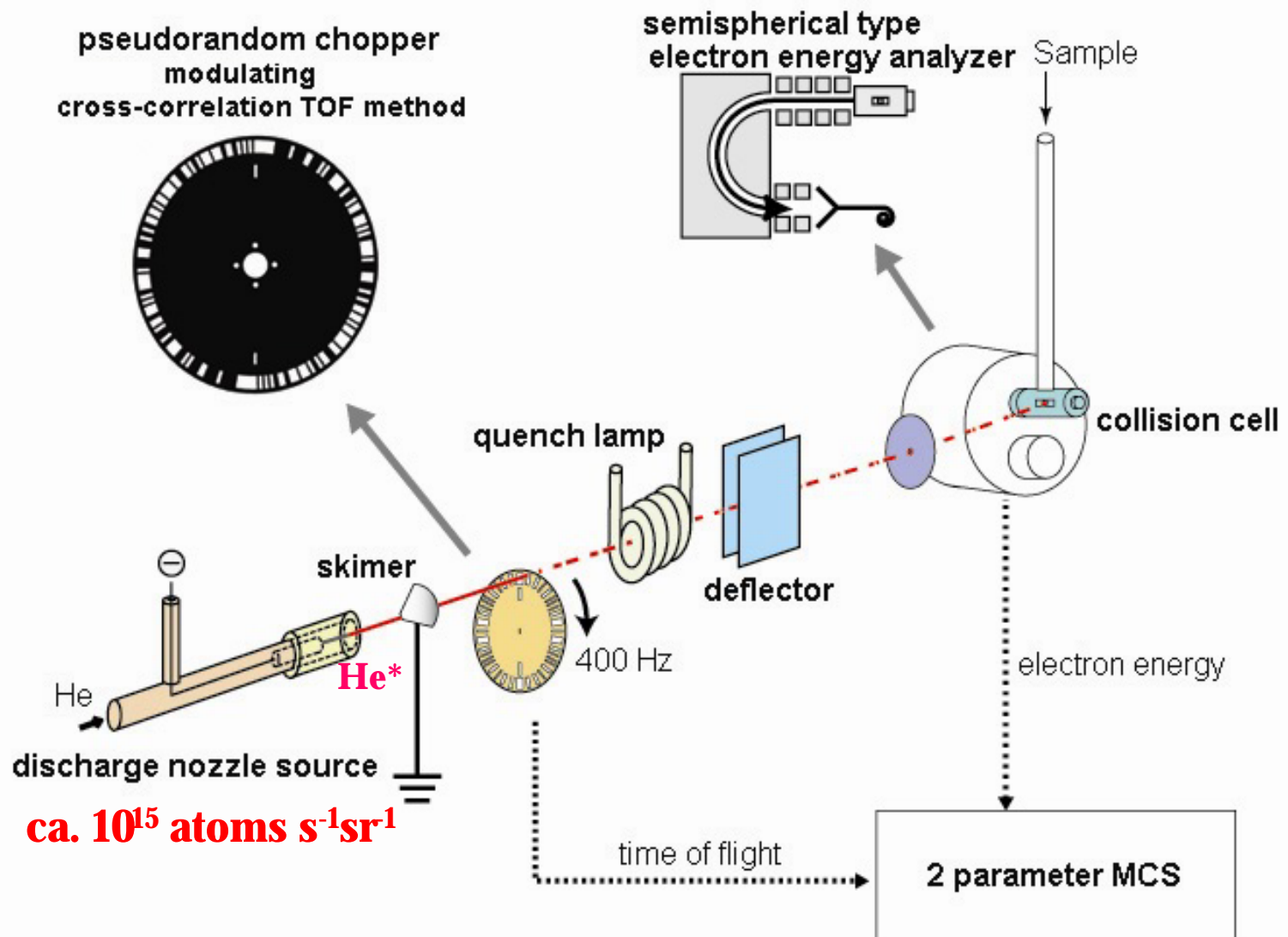


◆ Magnetic bottle effect



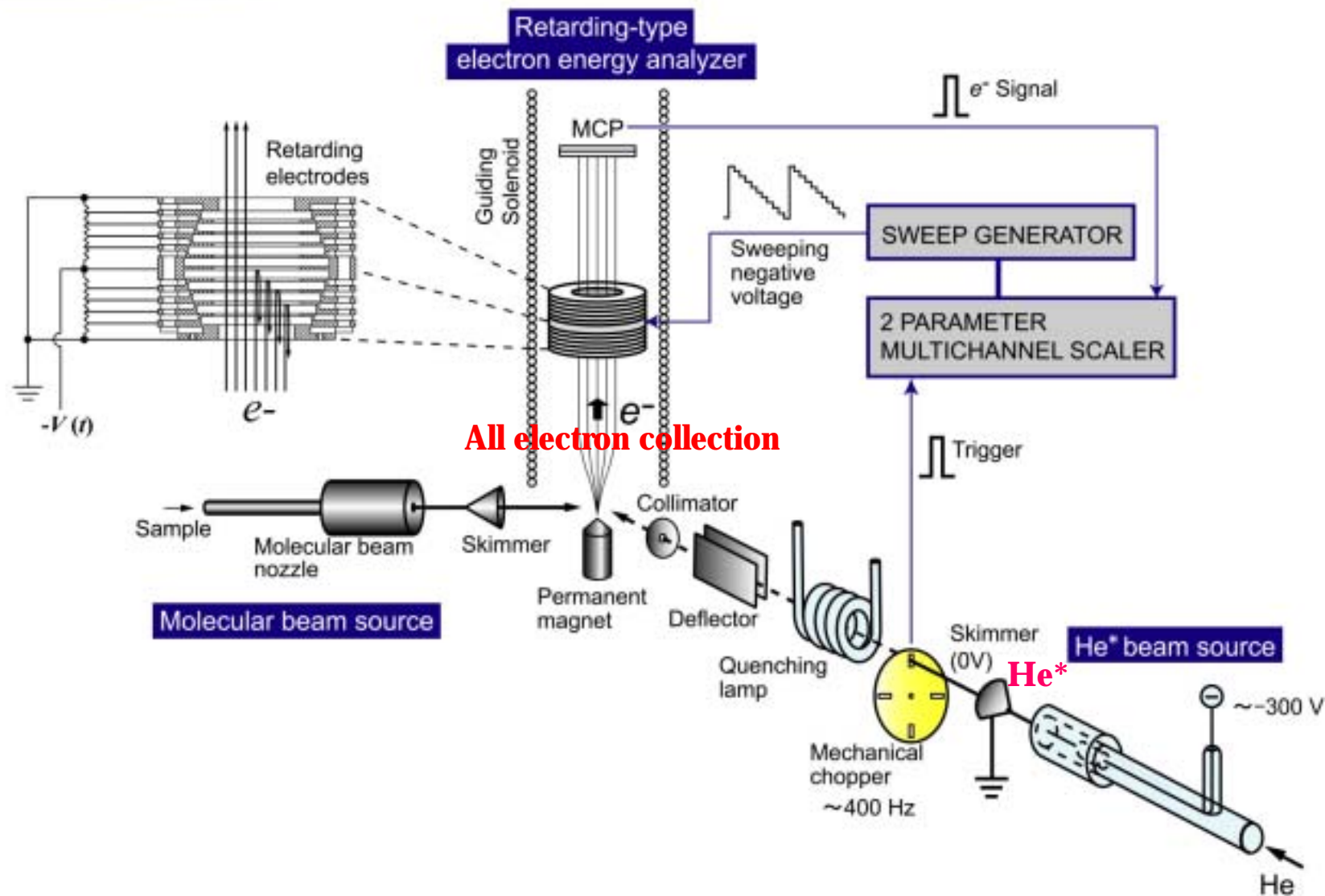
Total 10^{10} times

2D-PIES Apparatus



Crossed Molecular Beam 2D-PIES

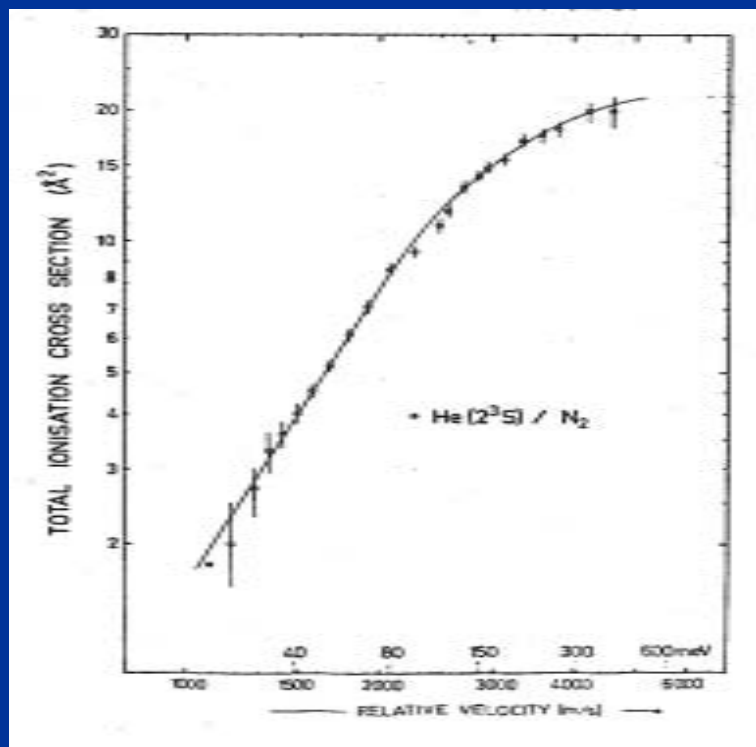
Experimental setup



2D-PIES made it possible to observe Collision Energy Dependence of Partial Ionization Cross Sections (CEDPICS)

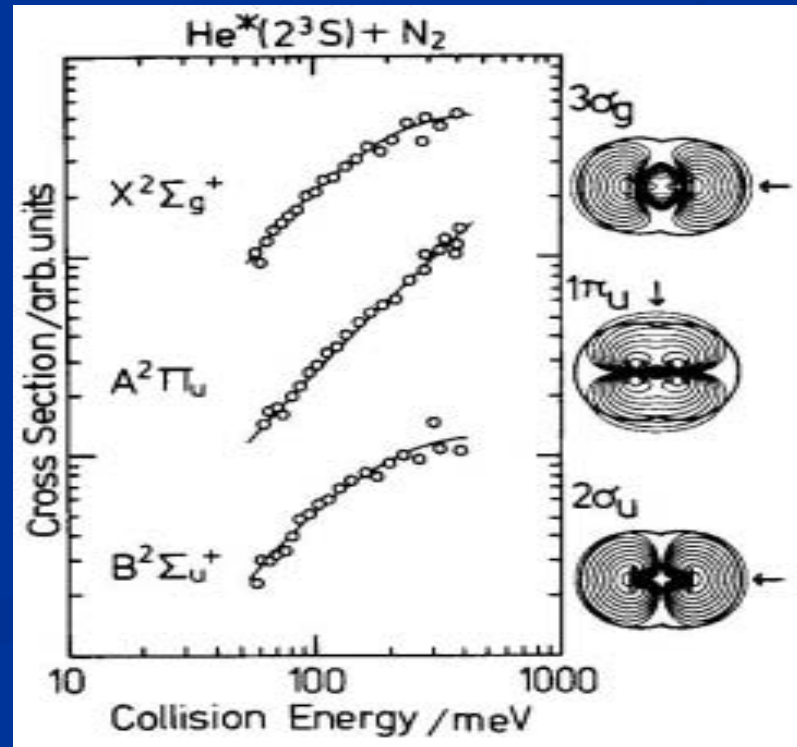
Ionic States-**Unresolved**

Total Ionization Cross Section :
Illenberger & Niehaus (1975)



Ionic States-**Resolved**

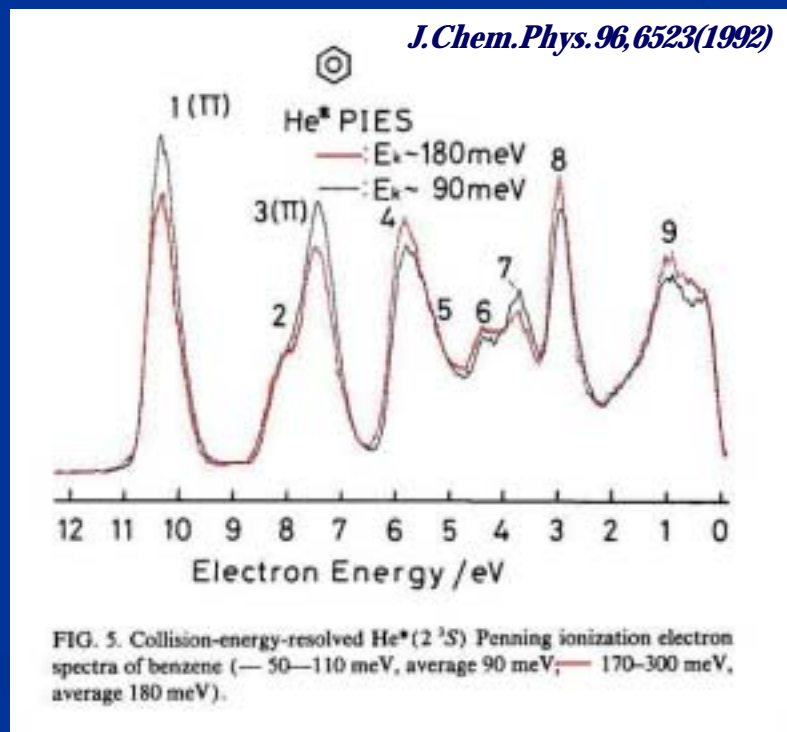
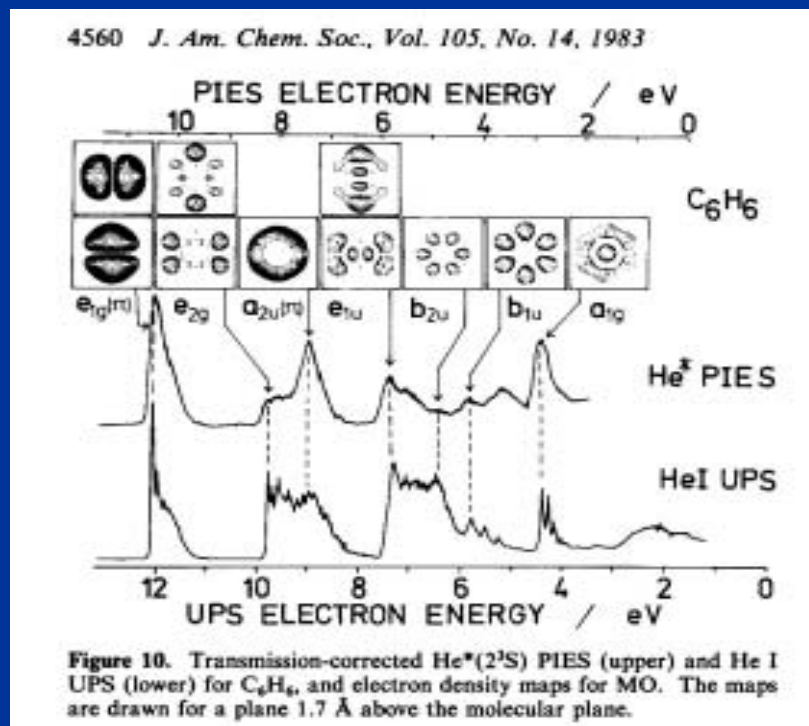
Partial Ionization Cross Sections :
Ohno et al. J.Chem.Phys.94,2675 (1991)



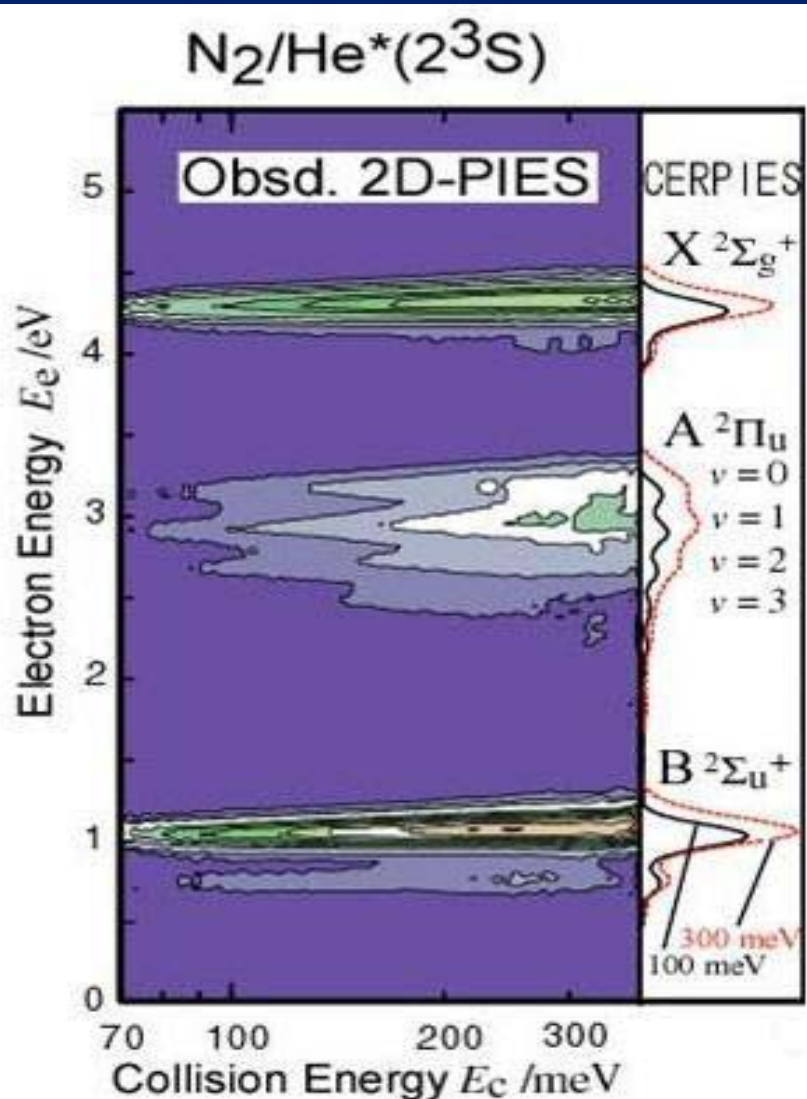
2D-PIES made it possible to observe Collision Energy Resolved Penning Ionization Electron Spectra (CERPIES)

Collision-Energy Unresolved PIES :
Ohno et al. (1983)

Collision-Energy Resolved PIES :
Takami & Ohno (1992)



2D-PIES of $\text{N}_2/\text{He}^*(2^3\text{S})$

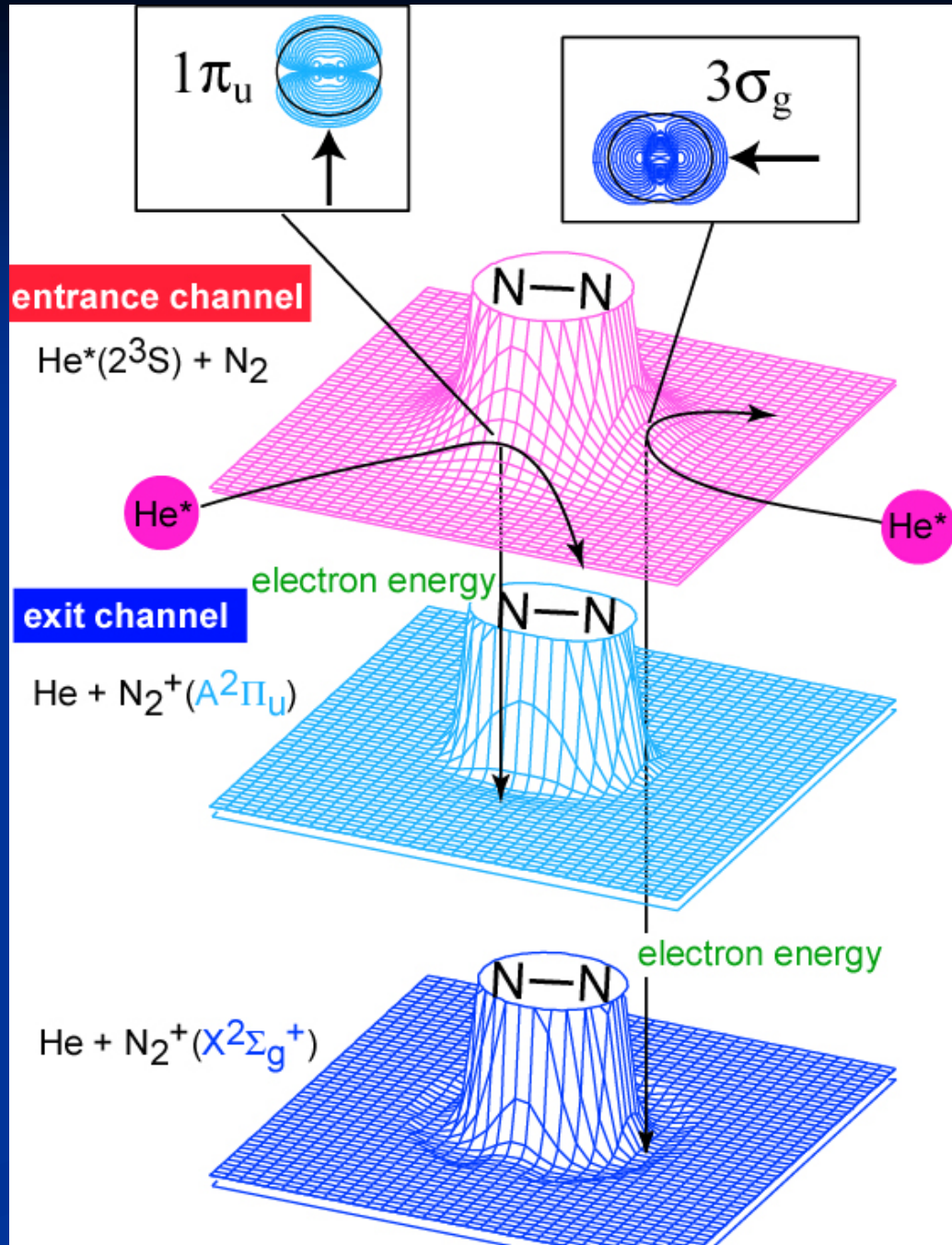


In order to elucidate collisional ionization dynamics, we have developed a new method for *theoretical construction of 2D-PIES* by trajectory calculations.

Theoretical Construction of 2D-PIES

requires

*Entrance and
Exit Potentials
together with
Transition Rates*

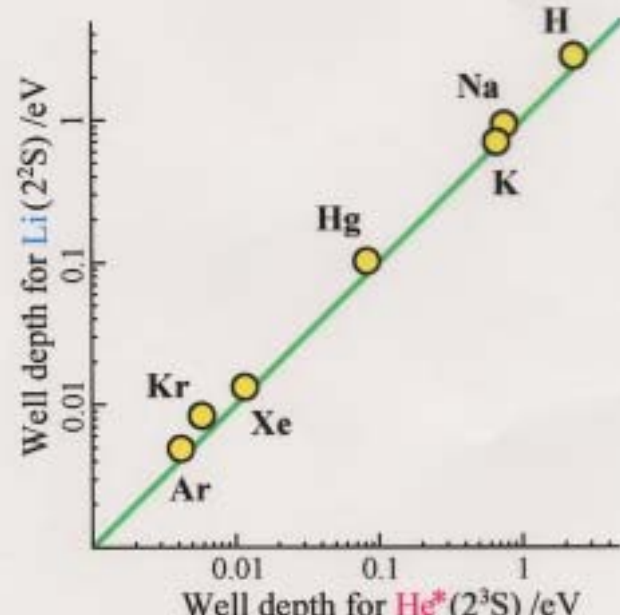
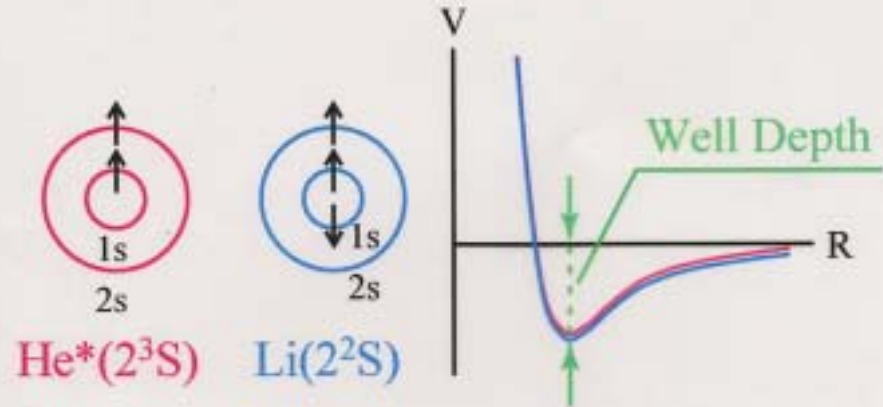


Entrance Potential for Reactants

can be obtained as
ab initio model
potentials using a Li
atom in place of an
excited He^* atom,
based on the well
known similarity
between He^* and Li.

*Both of them show
very similar well
depths*

Similarity between $\text{He}^*(2^3\text{S})$ and $\text{Li}(2^2\text{S})$

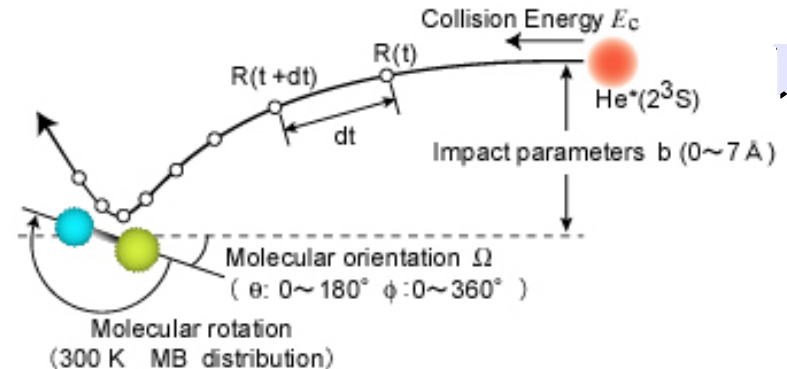


Trajectory calculations are then performed for various initial conditions more than 10,000, based on calculated potential energy surfaces and transition rates.

Here, it is important to note that transition rates are related with MO functions.

Trajectory Calculations for

Classical trajectory calculations



Transition probability into ionic state i in the interval dt :

$$P_{b,\Omega}^{(i)}(t)dt = S_{b,\Omega}(t)W^{(i)}(t)dt$$

Survival fraction of He^* : $S_{b,\Omega}(t) = 1 - \int_{-\infty}^t P_{b,\Omega}^{(i)}(t')dt'$

Transition rate into ionic state i :

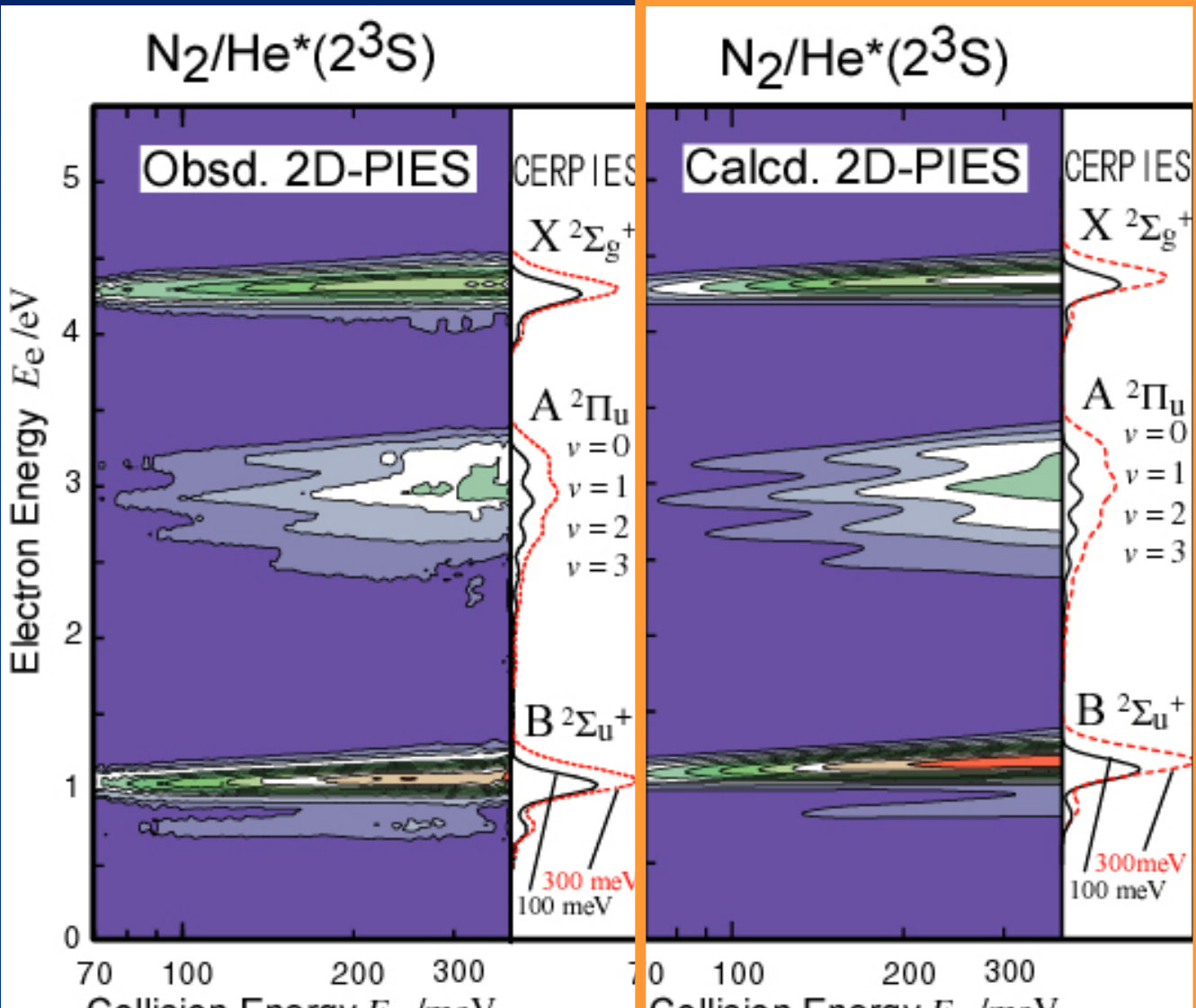
$$W^{(i)} = k^{(i)} \left| \langle \phi_{\text{HeIs}} | \phi_{\text{M}_i} \rangle \right|^2$$

MO

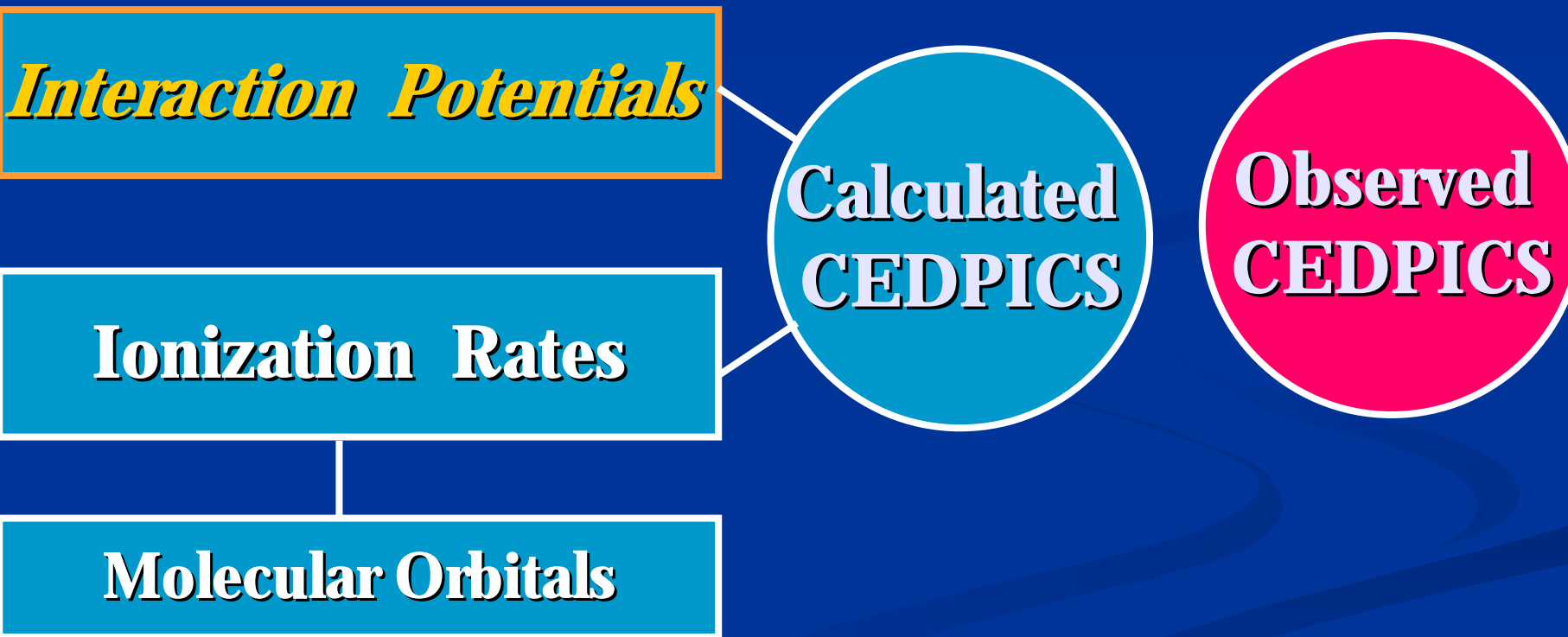
Partial transition probability : $P_{b,\Omega}^{(i)} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_{b,\Omega}^{(i)}(t)dt$

Partial ionization cross section : $\sigma^{(i)}(E_c) = \int 2\pi b P^{(i)}(b)db$

2D-PIES of $\text{N}_2/\text{He}^* (2^3\text{S})$



Optimization of Theoretical Simulations
to Observed CEDPICS leads to
Determination of ***Interaction Potentials***

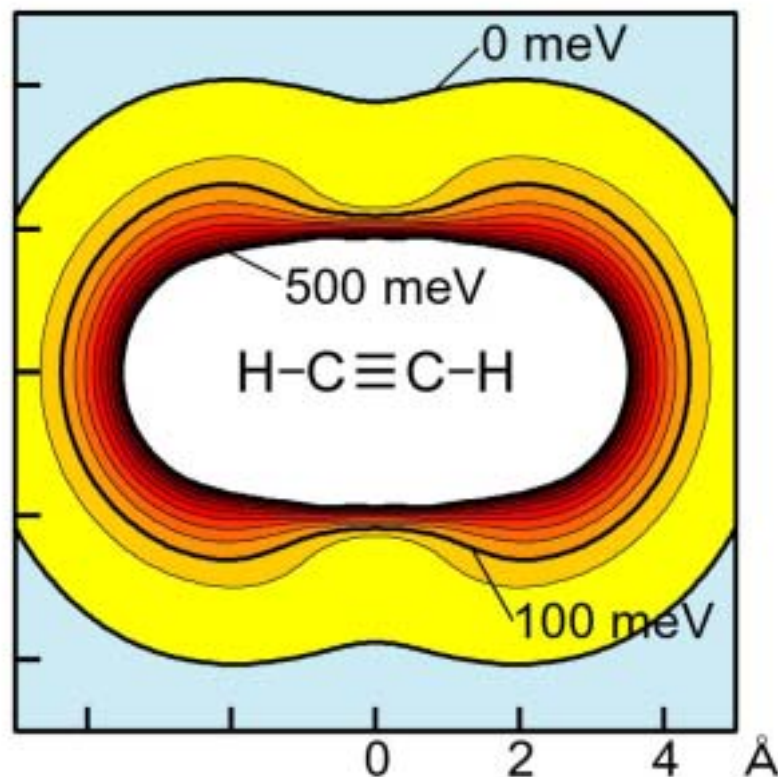
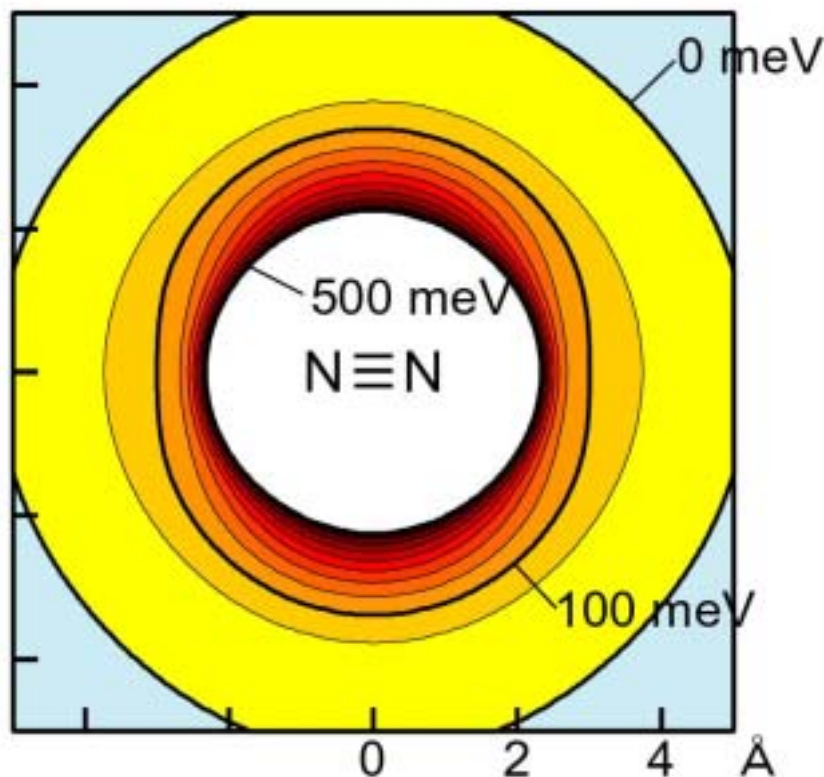


Interaction Potentials for N_2 , C_2H_2 / Li, He*

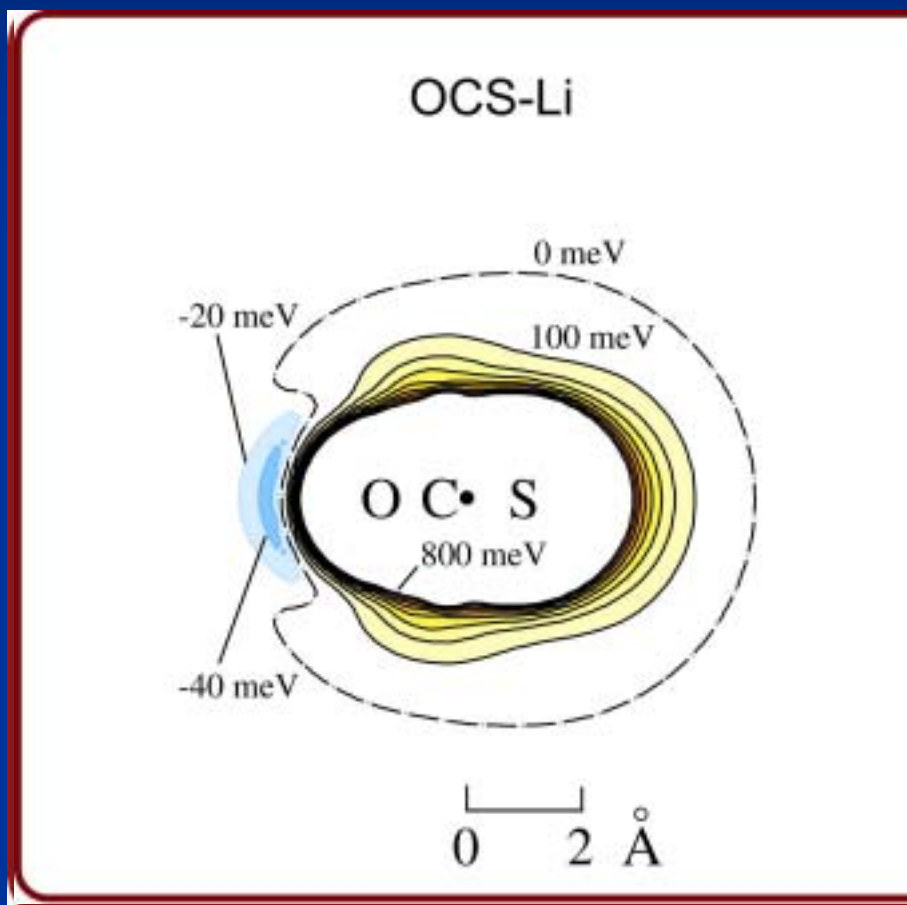
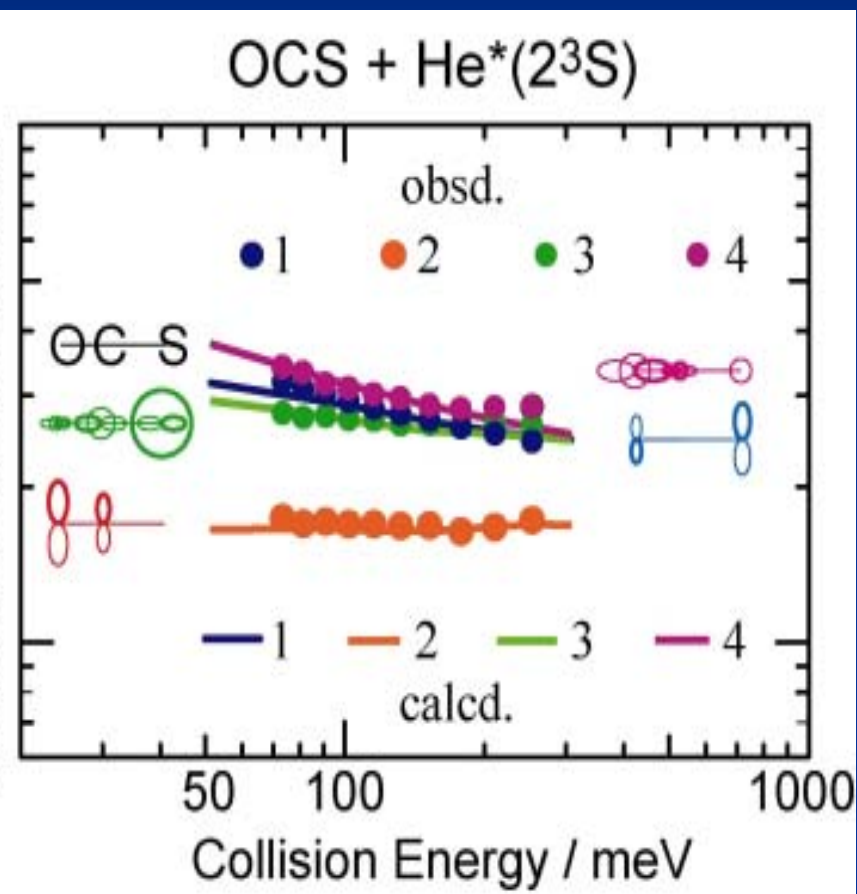
Potential Energy Contour

(spacing = 50 meV)

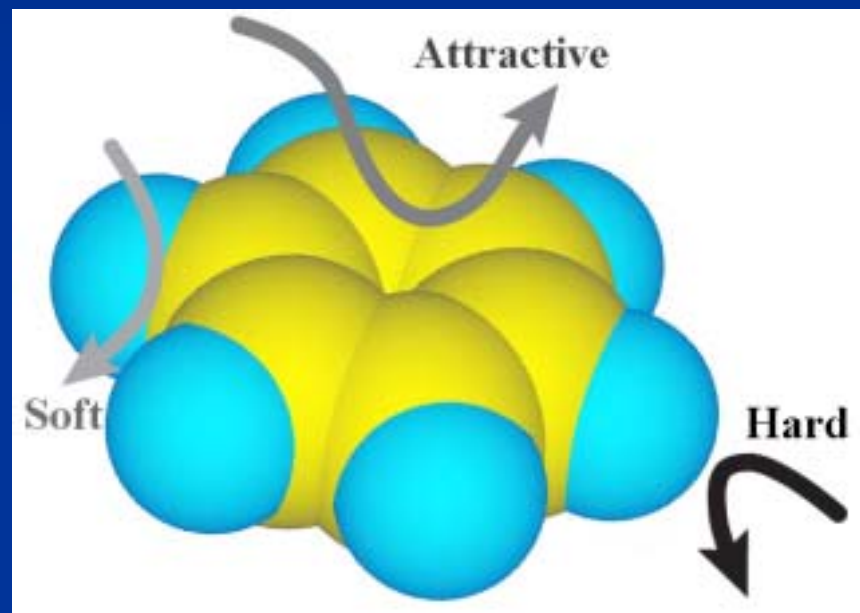
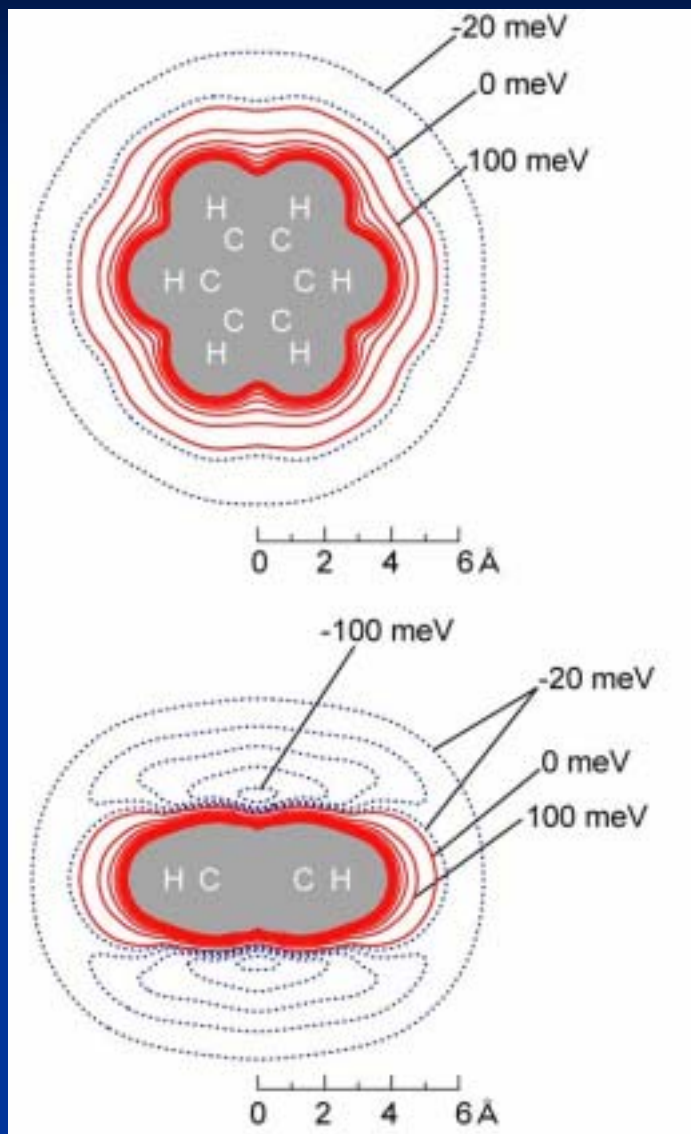
Ab initio Li Model Potentials



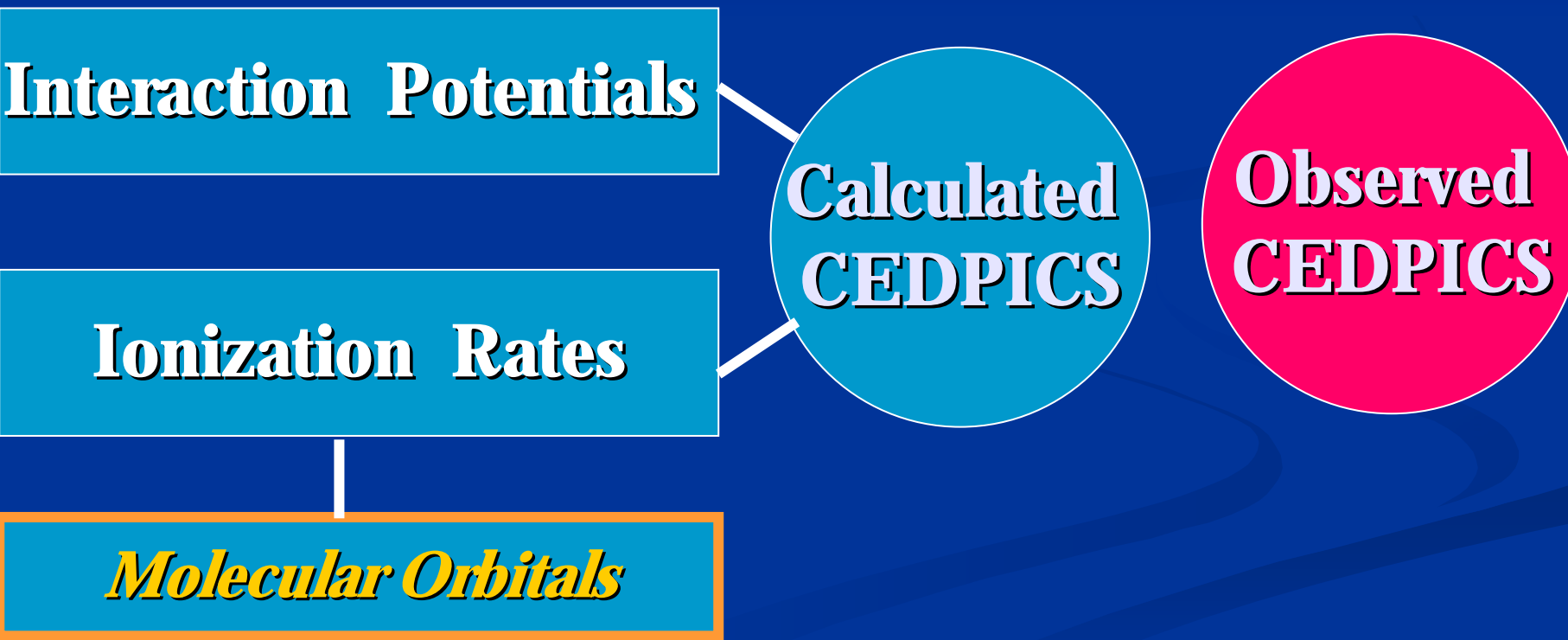
Interaction Potential for OCS /Li, He*



Interaction Potential for C_6H_6 / He^*



Determination of *Molecular Orbitals* via Optimization of Theoretical Simulations to Observed CEDPICS



Determination of *Molecular Orbitals*

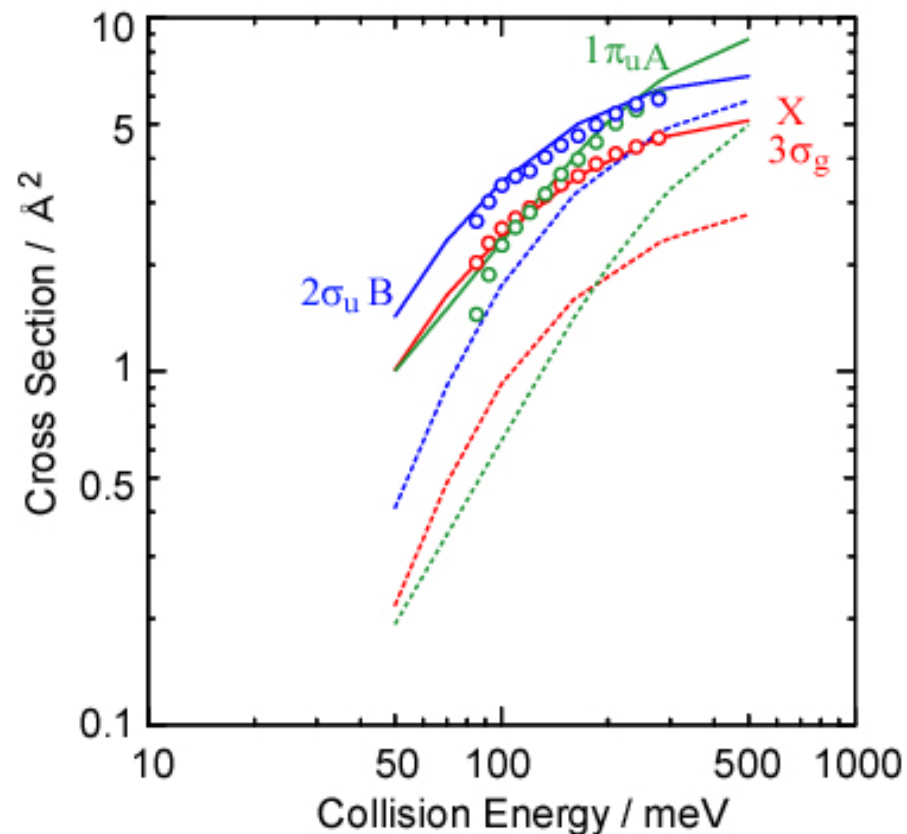
■ Input Data

- Experimental 2D-PIES / CEDPICS DATA
- Entrance Potential for Reactants

■ Molecular Orbitals

- Initial guess : SCF-LCAO-MOs in a Minimal Basis
- Optimization : MO Coefficients & Exponents

He*(2³S)+N₂ CEDPICS



O : Experiments

X O A O B O

Calc.1:STO-6G SCF-MO

X - - - - A - - - - B - - - -

Calc.2:CEDPICS-MO

X ——— A ——— B ———

Crude MO

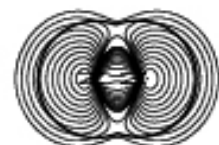
Optimized MO

SCF-MO
(STO-6G)

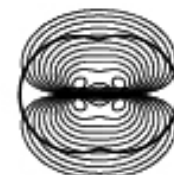
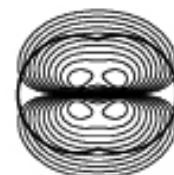
CEDPICS-MO
(This study)

SCF-MO
(6-311+G*)

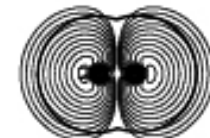
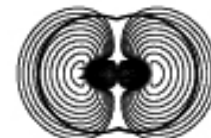
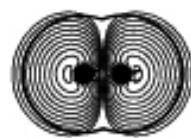
3σ_g
(HOMO)



1π_u



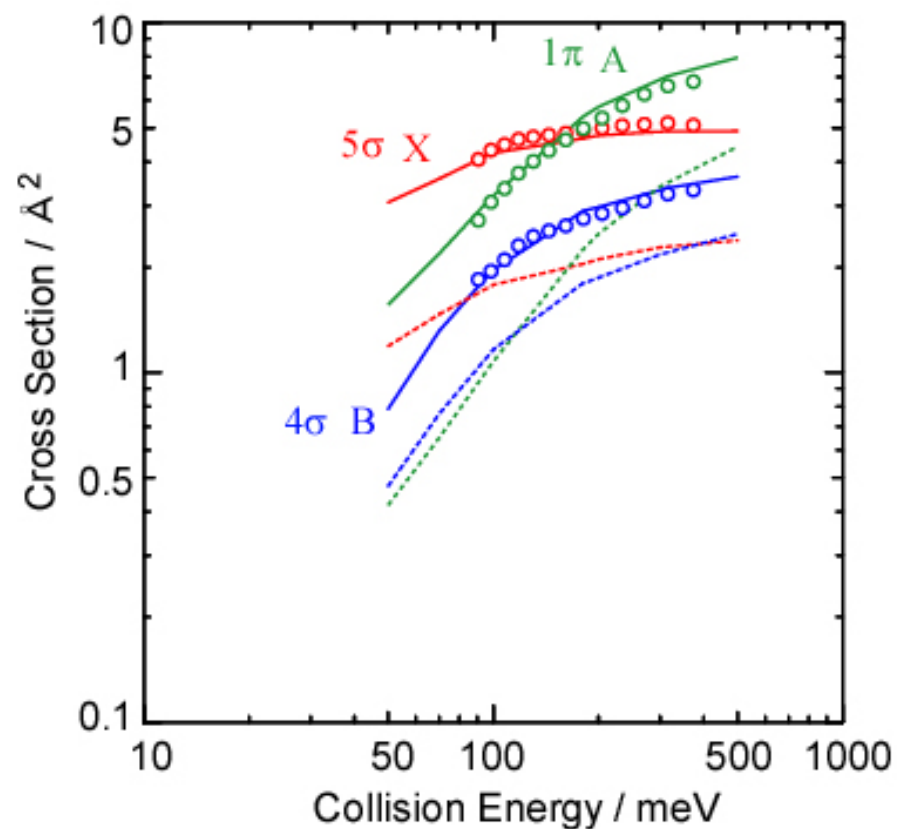
2σ_u



(N) = 1.95

(N) = 1.63

He*(2³S)+CO CEDPICS



Crude MO

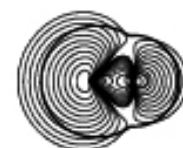
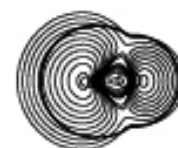
Optimized MO

SCF-MO
(STO-6G)

CEDPICS-MO
(This study)

SCF-MO
(6-311+G*)

5σ
(HOMO)



1π



4σ



(C) = 1.72

(C) = 1.42

(O) = 2.25

(O) = 1.92

Summary & Conclusions

- 10^{10} times of improvements were made for constructing a crossed-beam 2D-PIES apparatus.
 - Ionic-state resolved CEDPICS became observable.
 - Collision-energy resolved PIES became observable.
- A theoretical simulation method was established.
 - Anisotropic interaction potentials between He^* and molecules could be determined.
 - Spatial distributions of molecular orbitals could be obtained based on the observed CEDPICS.

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