



# Skyrme effective pseudo-potentials for heavy ion collisions

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# Background and motivation

Effective nuclear interactions:

Skyrme  
interaction

Momentum-dependent  
interaction(MDI)

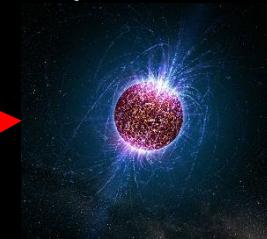
Gogny interaction

Relativistic mean-field

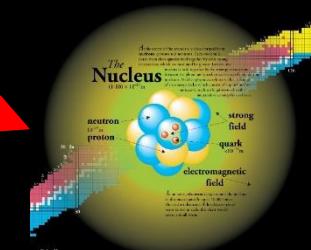
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To higher energy  
effective pseudo-potential

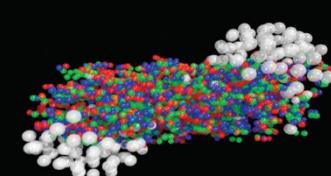
Compact stars



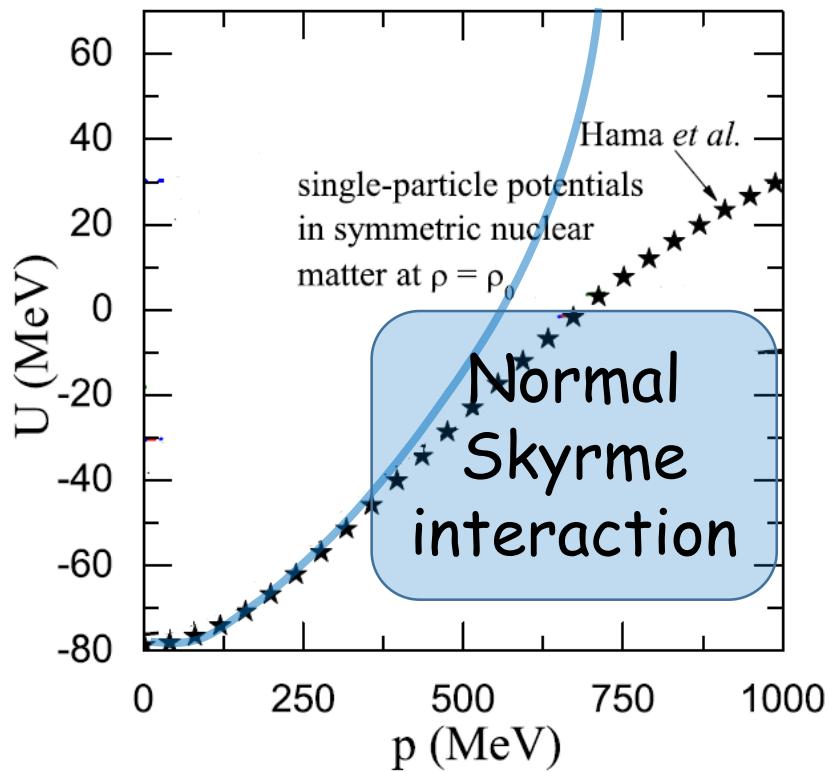
Finite nuclei



Heavy ion  
collisions



# Background and motivation



Only capable for  
HICs less than  
300MeV

local nuclear **energy density functional** up to N3LO  
B.G. Carlsson et al  
PRC78,044326 (2008)

Corresponding **Skyrme effective pseudo-potential**  
up to N3LO  
F. Raimondi et al  
PRC83,054311 (2011)

high order terms  
of momentum

# Skyrme effective pseudo-potential

$$v_{Sk} = t_0^{(0)}(1 + x_0^{(0)} \hat{P}_\sigma) + \frac{1}{6}t_3^{(0)}(1 + x_3^{(0)} \hat{P}_\sigma)\rho^\alpha(\vec{R}) \\ + \frac{1}{2}t_1^{(2)}(1 + x_1^{(2)} \hat{P}_\sigma)[\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2] + t_2^{(2)}(1 + x_2^{(2)} \hat{P}_\sigma)\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{4}t_1^{(4)}(1 + x_1^{(4)} \hat{P}_\sigma)[(\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2)^2 + 4(\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k})^2]$$

$$+ t_2^{(4)}(1 + x_2^{(4)} \hat{P}_\sigma)(\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k})(\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2}t_1^{(6)}(1 + x_1^{(6)} \hat{P}_\sigma)(\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2)^2[(\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2)^2 + 12(\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k})^2]$$

$$+ t_2^{(6)}(1 + x_2^{(6)} \hat{P}_\sigma)(\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k})[3(\vec{k}'^2 + \vec{k}^2)^2 + 4(\vec{k}' \cdot \vec{k})^2]$$

Normal  
Skyrme

N2LO  
4<sup>th</sup> order of  
momentum

N3LO  
6<sup>th</sup> order of  
momentum

plus spin-orbit and tensor terms

an overall  $\delta(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2)$  is implicit

# Energy density functional

local nuclear **energy density functional** up to N3LO  
 B.G. Carlsson et al PRC78,044326 (2008)

$$H(\vec{r}) = f[\rho_{nLvJ}(\vec{r})] \quad \rho_{nLvJ}(\vec{r}) = \{ [K_{nL} \rho_v(\vec{r}, \vec{r}')]_J \}_{\vec{r}'=\vec{r}}$$

$$\rho_{00}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \rho(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')$$

$$s_{1,\mu=\{-1,0,1\}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = -i \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [s_x(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') - i s_y(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')], s_z(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \right. \\ \left. - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [s_x(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') + i s_y(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')] \right\}$$

$$\nabla_{1,\mu=\{-1,0,1\}} = -i \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\nabla_x - i \nabla_y) \right. \\ \left. \nabla_z, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} (\nabla_x + i \nabla_y) \right\}$$

$$k_{1,\mu=\{-1,0,1\}} = -i \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (k_x - i k_y) \right. \\ \left. k_z, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} (k_x + i k_y) \right\}$$

No.	Tensor $D_{nL}$	Order $n$	Rank $L$
1	1	0	0
2	$\nabla$	1	1
3	$[\nabla \nabla]_0$	2	0
4	$[\nabla \nabla]_2$	2	2
5	$[\nabla \nabla]_0 \nabla$	3	1
6	$[\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3$	3	3
7	$[\nabla \nabla]_0^2$	4	0
8	$[\nabla \nabla]_0 [\nabla \nabla]_2$	4	2
9	$[\nabla [\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3]_4$	4	4
10	$[\nabla \nabla]_0^2 \nabla$	5	1
11	$[\nabla \nabla]_0 [\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3$	5	3
12	$[\nabla [\nabla [\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3]_4]_5$	5	5
13	$[\nabla \nabla]_0^3$	6	0
14	$[\nabla \nabla]_0^2 [\nabla \nabla]_2$	6	2
15	$[\nabla \nabla]_0 [\nabla [\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3]_4$	6	4
16	$[\nabla [\nabla [\nabla [\nabla [\nabla \nabla]_2]_3]_4]_5]_6$	6	6

N3LO  
terms

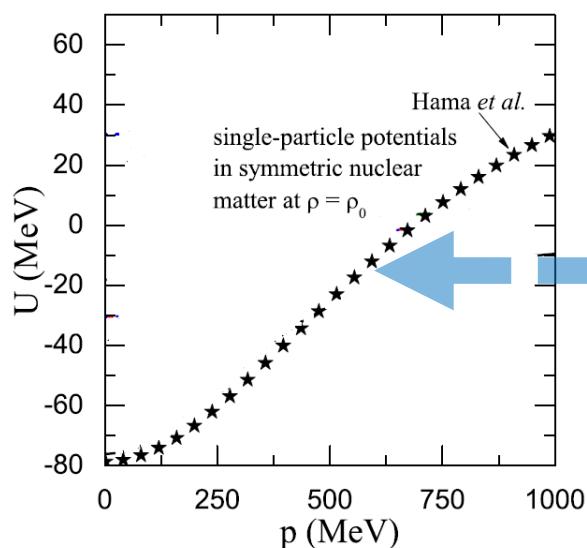
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# Background and motivation

local nuclear **energy density**  
functional up to N3LO-PRC78

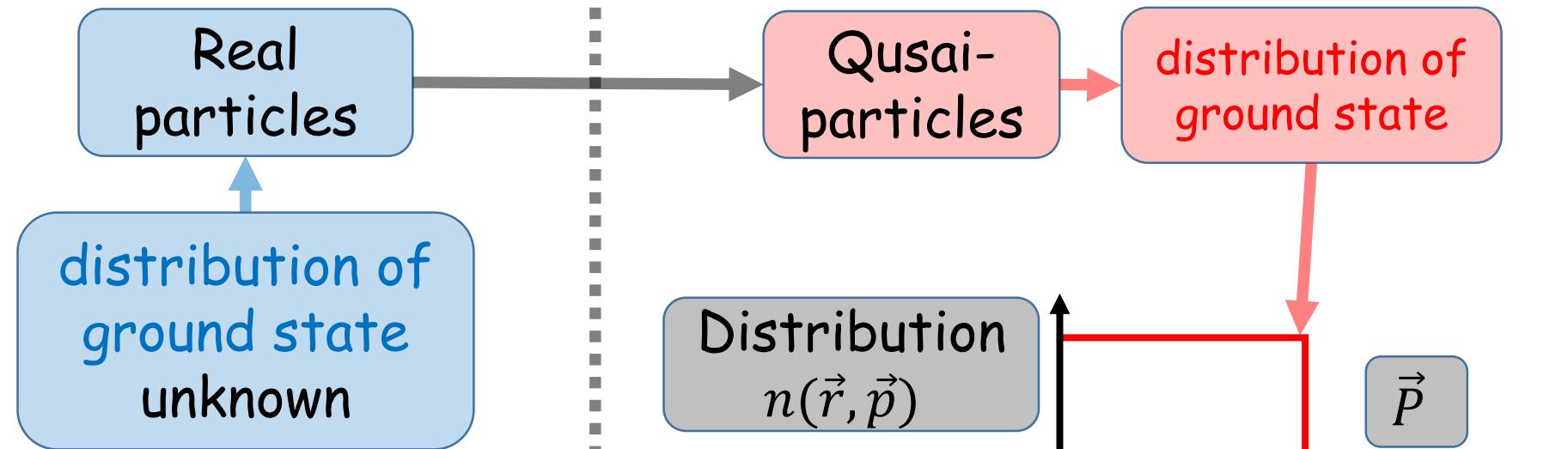
Code on spherical nuclei  
B.G. Carlsson et al  
CPC181, 1641-1657 (2010)

Corresponding Skyrme  
**effective pseudo-potential**  
up to N3LO - PRC83



D. Davesne et al  
developed various Skyrme  
effective pseudo-  
potentials up to N3LO  
which can be used to  
describe nuclear matter  
PRC91,064303 (2015)  
A&A585,A83 (2016).....

# Landau Fermi liquid theory



$$\varepsilon(\vec{r}, n_{p\sigma\tau}) = \varepsilon_0(\vec{r}) + \frac{1}{V} \sum_{p\sigma} \varepsilon_{p\sigma\tau}^0(\vec{r}) \delta n_{p\sigma\tau}(\vec{r}) + \text{high order terms}$$

$$\int \varepsilon(\vec{r}) d^3r = \sum_i \langle i | \frac{p^2}{2m} | i \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} \langle ij | v_{Sk} | ij \rangle \sim \text{a function of } n(\vec{r}, \vec{p})$$

Single particle potential

$$\varepsilon_{p\sigma\tau}^0 = V \frac{\delta E}{\delta n_{p\sigma\tau}}$$

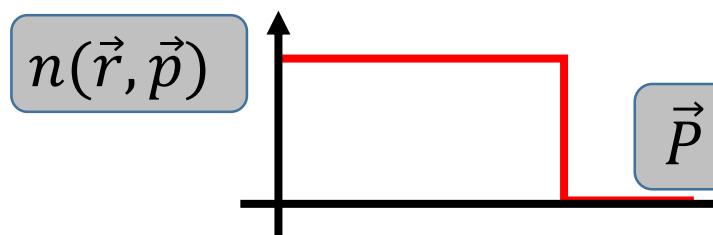
# Energy density of effective pseudo-potential

In the case of nuclear matter

$$E(\vec{r}, n(\vec{r}, \vec{p})) = \int dp \vec{p}^2 n(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) + \sum_{i=2,4,6} C^{(i)} \int dp dp' (\vec{p} - \vec{p}')^i n(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) n(\vec{r}, \vec{p}') \\ + D^{(i)} \int dp dp' (\vec{p} - \vec{p}')^i n_n(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) n_n(\vec{r}, \vec{p}') \\ + D^{(i)} \int dp dp' (\vec{p} - \vec{p}')^i n_p(\vec{r}, \vec{p}) n_p(\vec{r}, \vec{p}')$$

$$C^{(i)} = \frac{1}{16\hbar^i} [t_1^{(i)} (2 + x_1^{(i)}) + t_2^{(i)} (2 + x_2^{(i)})]$$

$$D^{(i)} = \frac{1}{16\hbar^i} [-t_1^{(i)} (2x_1^{(i)} + 1) + t_2^{(i)} (2x_2^{(i)} + 1)]$$



**Single particle potential**

$$U(\vec{p}, \rho, \tau) = \varepsilon_{p\sigma\tau}^0 = V \frac{\delta E}{\delta n_{p\sigma\tau}}$$

**Equation of state**  
 $E = E(\rho)$

# Equation of State of nuclear matter

Equation of state of asymmetry nuclear matter:

$$E(\rho, \delta) = E_0(\rho) + E_{sym}(\rho)\delta^2 + E_{sym,4}(\rho)\delta^4 + O(\delta^6)$$

Isospin asymmetry parameter

$$\delta = (\rho_n - \rho_p)/(\rho_r + \rho_r)$$

EoS of symmetric nuclear matter:  $E_0(\rho) = E_0(\rho_0) + \frac{K_0}{2!}\chi^2 + O(\chi^3)$

Symmetry energy:

$$E_{sym}(\rho) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 E(\rho, \delta)}{\partial \delta^2} \Big|_{\delta=0}$$

$$E_{sym,4}(\rho_0) = \frac{1}{4!} \frac{\partial^2 E(\rho, \delta)}{\partial \delta^2} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_0, \delta=0}$$

Where  $\chi = (\rho - \rho_r)/3\rho_r$

$$K_0 = 9\rho^2 \frac{\partial^2 E(\rho, \delta=0)}{\partial \rho^2} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_0}$$

Characteristic parameter of  $E_{sym}(\rho)$ :

$$E_{sym}(\rho_r) = E_{sym}(\rho = \rho_r) \quad L(\rho_r) = 3\rho_r \frac{\partial E_{sym}(\rho)}{\partial \rho} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_r}$$

# Single particle potential

In non-relativistic framework, the single nucleon energy  $E(\rho, \delta, \vec{k})$  can be expressed generally using the following dispersion relation:

$$E_{n/p}(\rho, \delta, \vec{k}) = \frac{\vec{k}^2}{2m} + U_{n/p}(\rho, \delta, \vec{k}, n_{n/p}(\vec{r}, \vec{k}))$$

Single particle potential

Distribution function

$$U_{n/p}(\rho, \delta, \vec{k}, f(\vec{r}, \vec{k}))$$

$$= U_0(\rho, \vec{k}, f(\vec{r}, \vec{k})) + \sum_{i=1} U_{sym,i}(\rho, \vec{k}, n_{n/p}(\vec{r}, \vec{k})) \tau_3^i \delta^i$$

Symmetry potential

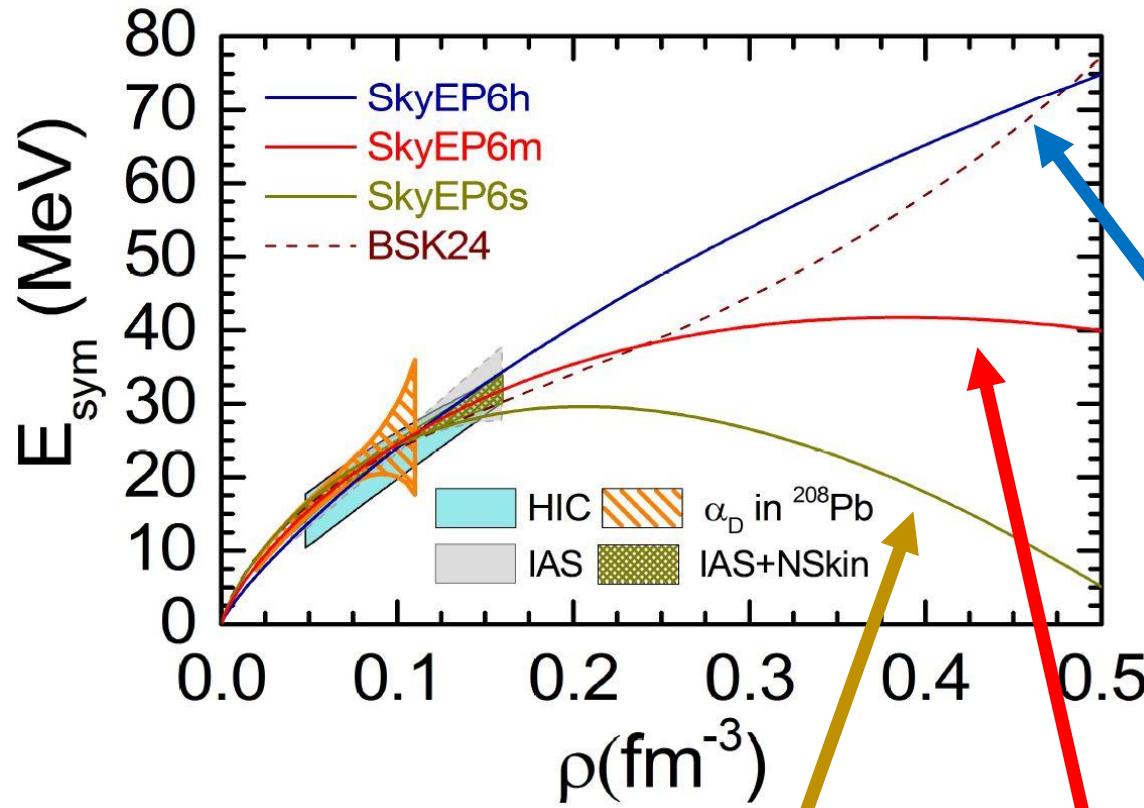
Effective mass

$$\frac{\hbar^2}{2m^{*}_{n/p}} = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} + \frac{1}{p} \frac{\partial U_{n/p}(\rho, \delta, \vec{k}, n_{n/p}(\vec{r}, \vec{k}))}{\partial p}$$

# The requirements of the new interactions

- Satisfies all possible constrains from the nuclear matter;
- Realistic single particle potential or Hama potential to higher momentum  $\sim 1.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  (corresponding to incident energy of 1 GeV), at  $\rho = \rho_0$ :
- Qualitatively reproduce the first order symmetry potential calculated by microscopic calculation up to momentum  $\sim 1.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ , at  $\rho = \rho_0$ :

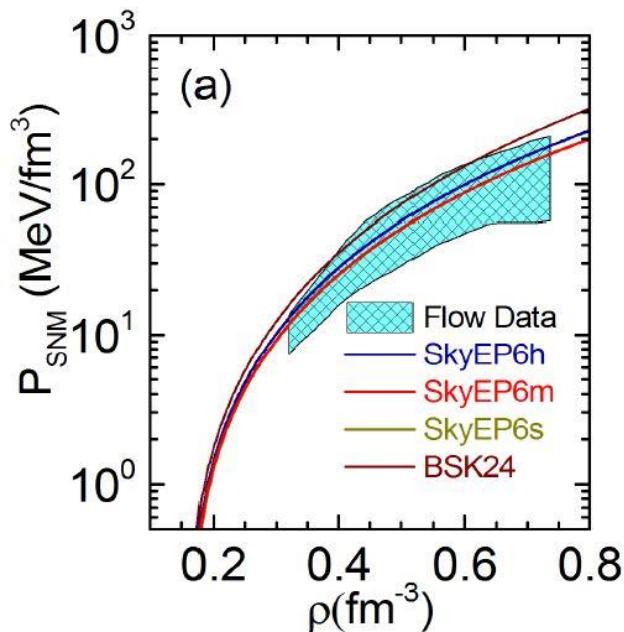
# New Skyrme effective pseudo-potentials



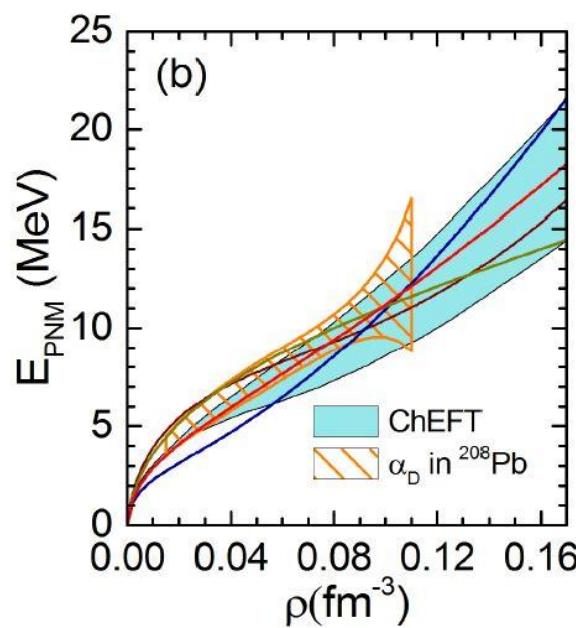
New interaction **SkyEP6s** **SkyEP6m** and **SkyEP6h**  
**Skyrme Effective Pseudo-potential up to**  
**N3LO(6<sup>th</sup> order in momentum)**

# Properties of Nuclear Matter

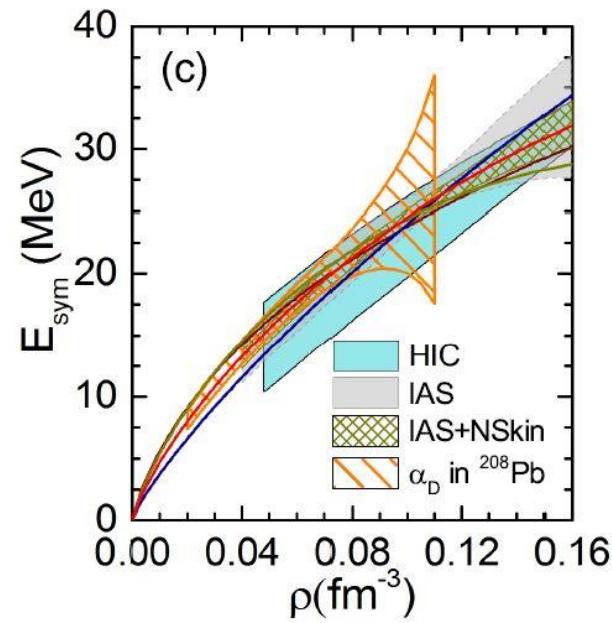
flow data of SNM



EoS for PNM



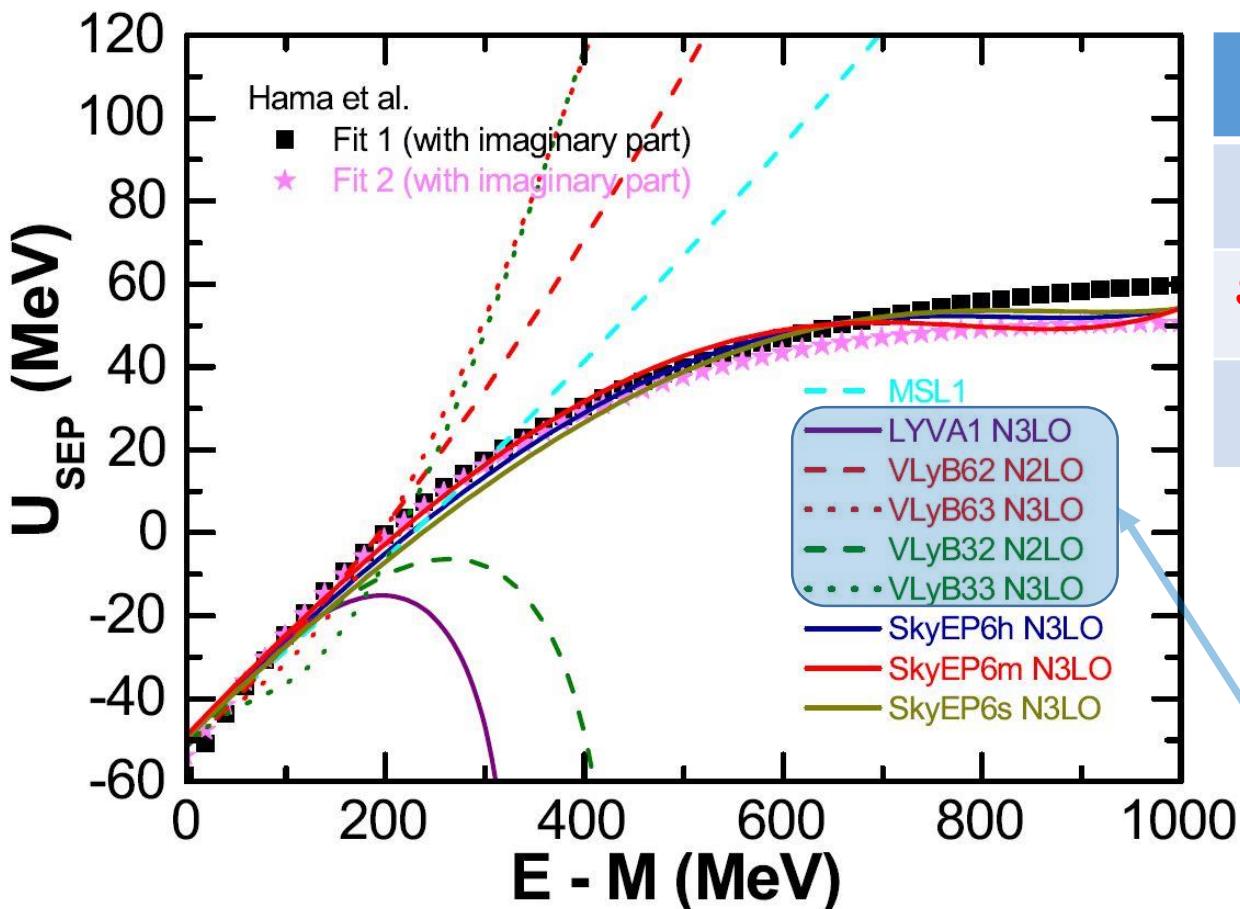
symmetry energy



	$\rho_0$	$E_0$	$K_0$	$E_{\text{sym}}(\rho_0)$	$L(\rho_0)$	$E_{\text{sym}}(\rho_{\text{sc}})$	$L(\rho_{\text{sc}})$	$E_{\text{sym},4}(\rho_0)$
	$\text{fm}^{-3}$	MeV	MeV	MeV	MeV	MeV	MeV	MeV
<b>SkyEP6s</b>	<b>0.163</b>	<b>-16.1</b>	<b>216.9</b>	<b>28.84</b>	<b>18.28</b>	<b>25.60</b>	<b>31.42</b>	<b><math>\approx 0.94</math></b>
<b>SkyEP6m</b>	<b>0.162</b>	<b>-16.0</b>	<b>216.1</b>	<b>32.02</b>	<b>47.89</b>	<b>26.09</b>	<b>45.94</b>	<b><math>\approx 0.92</math></b>
<b>SkyEP6h</b>	<b>0.161</b>	<b>-15.9</b>	<b>230.7</b>	<b>34.54</b>	<b>77.62</b>	<b>25.97</b>	<b>59.92</b>	<b><math>\approx 0.96</math></b>

# Single particle properties

The main improvement of the new interactions **SkyEP6s**, **SkyEP6m** and **SkyEP6h** is the realistic single particle potential to about 1 GeV incident energy



	$m_{s,0}^*/m$	$m_{v,0}^*/m$
SkyEP6s	0.78	0.66
SkyEP6m	0.75	0.65
SkyEP6h	0.77	0.65

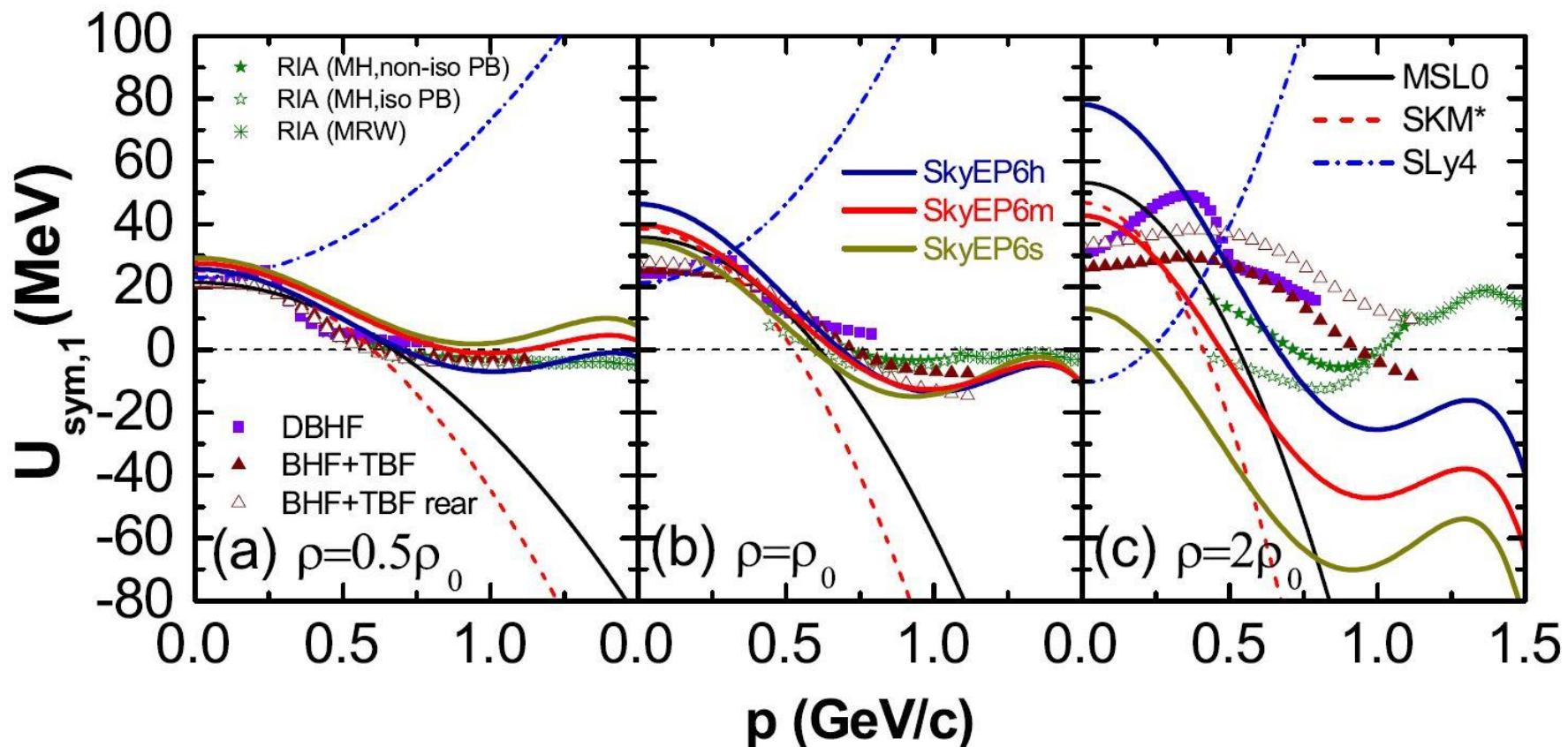
Previous Skyrme  
effective  
pseudo-potentials  
D. Davesne et al

# Single particle properties

The comparison of first order symmetry potential to microscopic calculations

relativistic impulse approximation (RIA)

Brueckner-Hartree-Fock (BHF)



# Summary and outlook

- We have developed three Skyrme effective pseudo-potentials up to N3LO (6<sup>th</sup> order in momentum, with D-wave component included), the main improvement of these new interaction is its realistic single particle behavior; apart from that they also satisfies constrains from nuclear matter.
- With the realistic single particle potential, Skyrme interactions can be adopted to simulations of heavy ion collisions of higher energy region( $\sim 1 \text{ GeV/A}$ ) in the future, then we may expect more crosschecks for Skyrme interaction from finite nuclei and heavy ion collisions.
- These new Skyrme effective pseudo-potentials can be used to probe the symmetry energy behavior at supersaturation density (2 - 3 times of saturation density).



Thank you