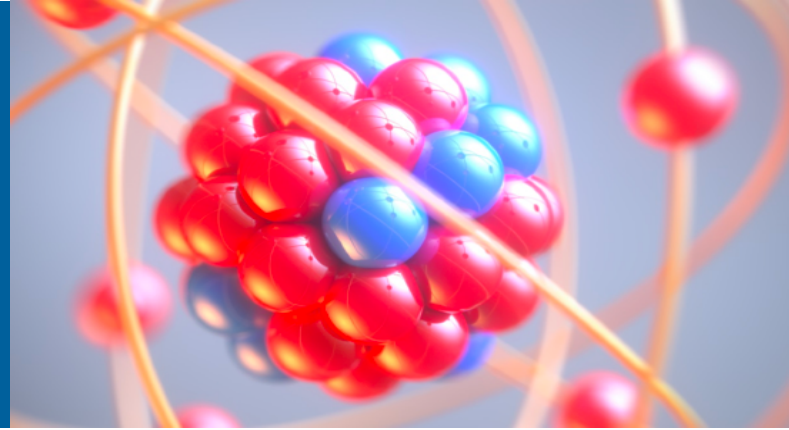


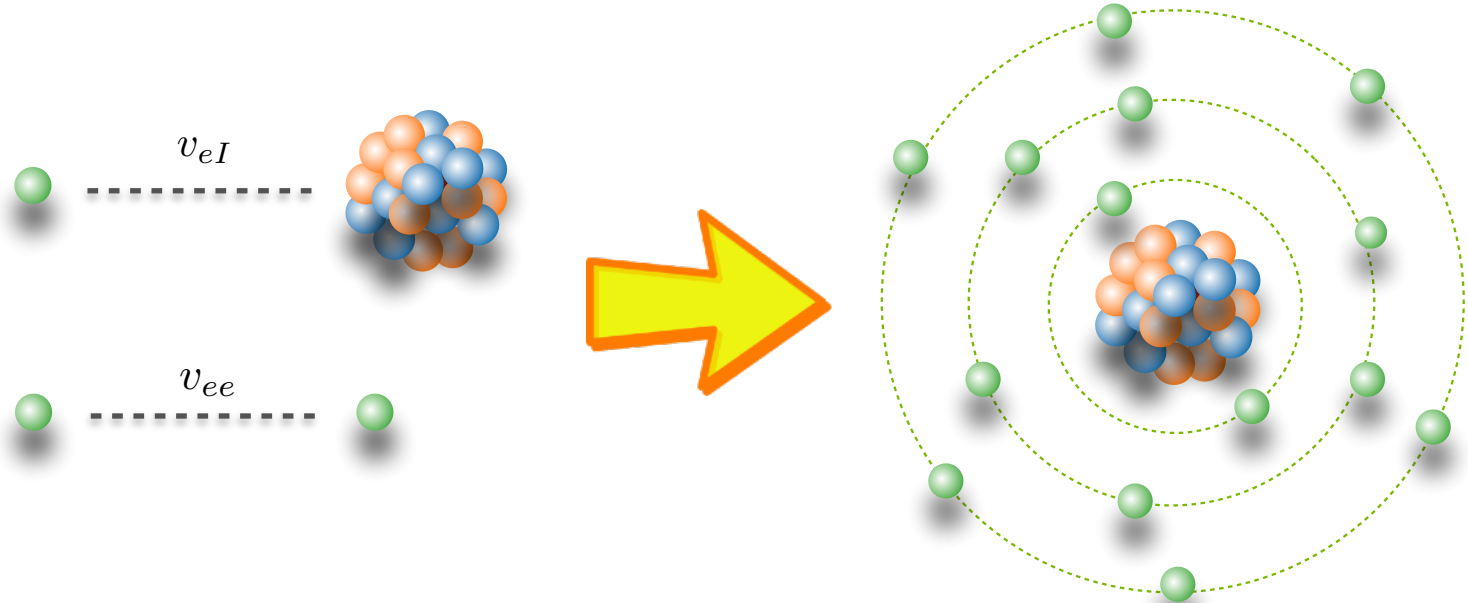
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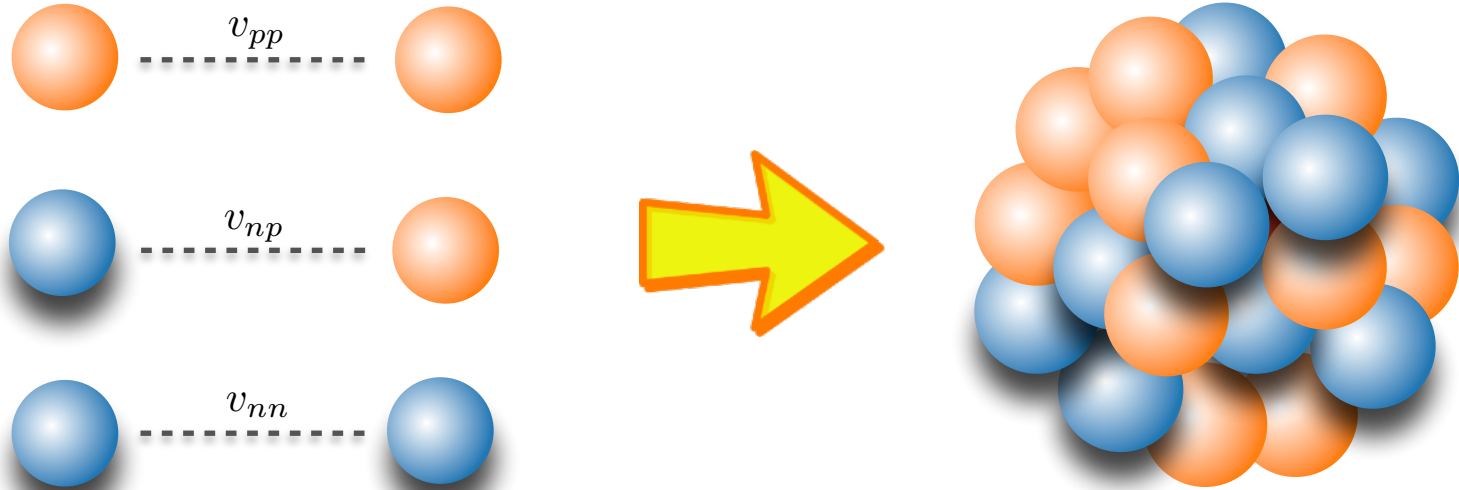
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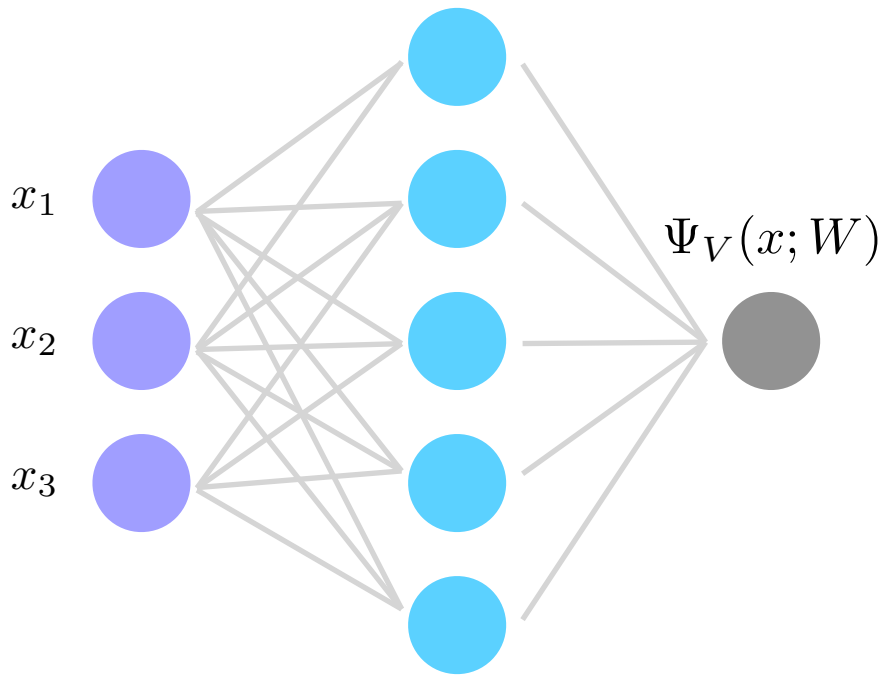
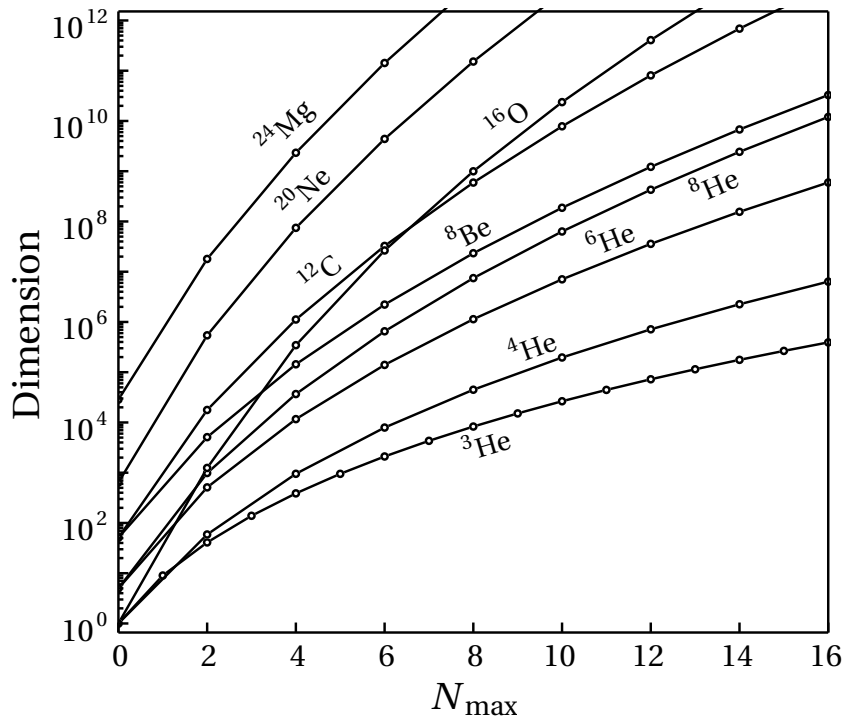
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# CURSE OF DIMENSIONALITY AND NQS

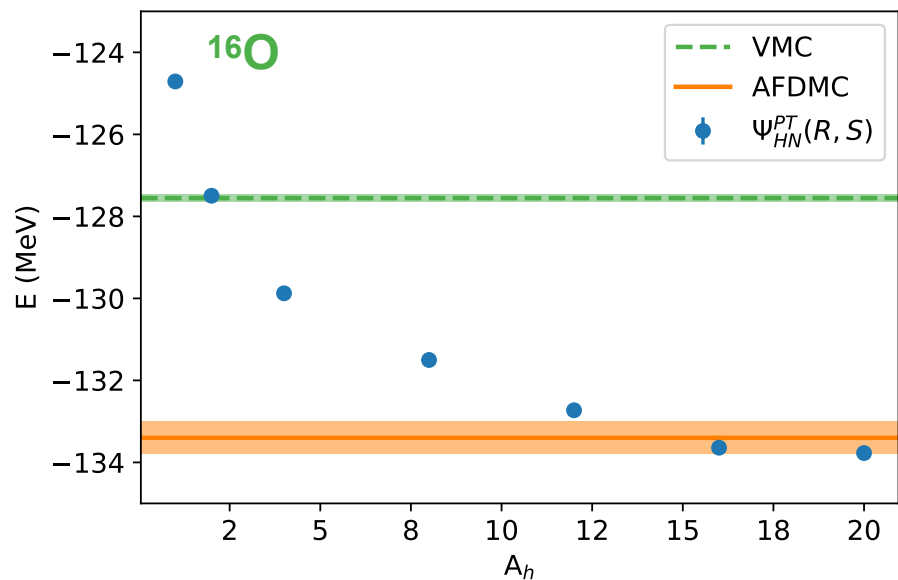
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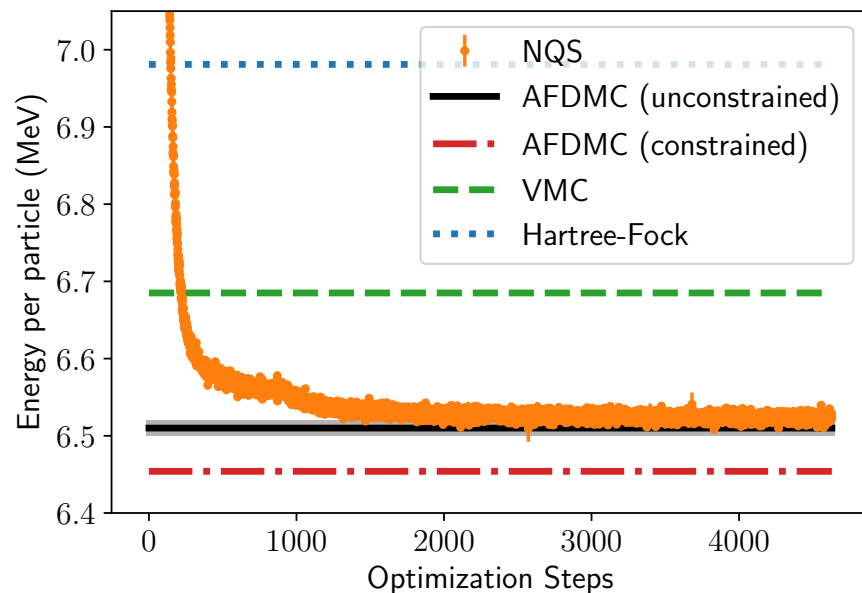
# NUCLEAR PHYSICS APPLICATIONS

We developed NQS to solve the many-body problem for nuclei and neutron-star matter



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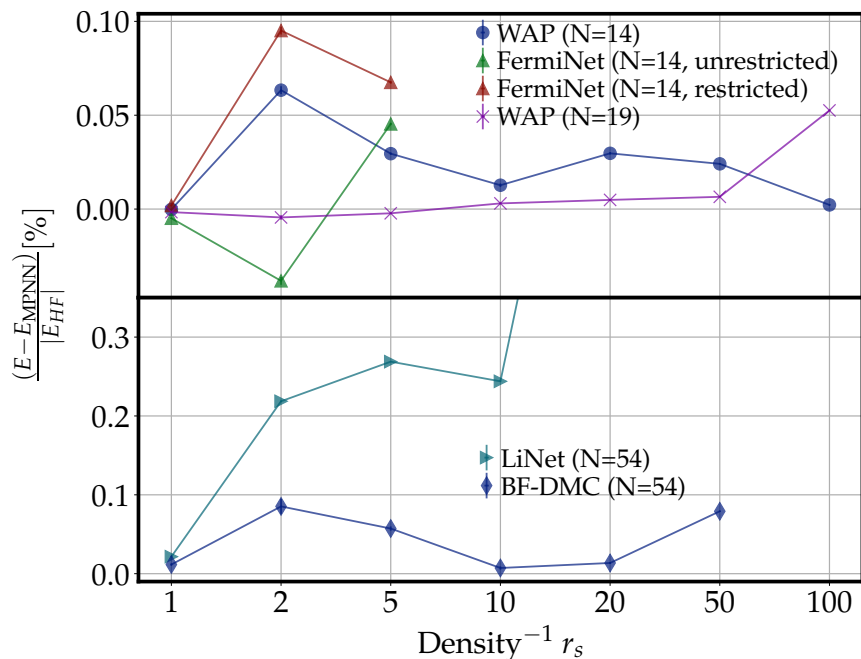


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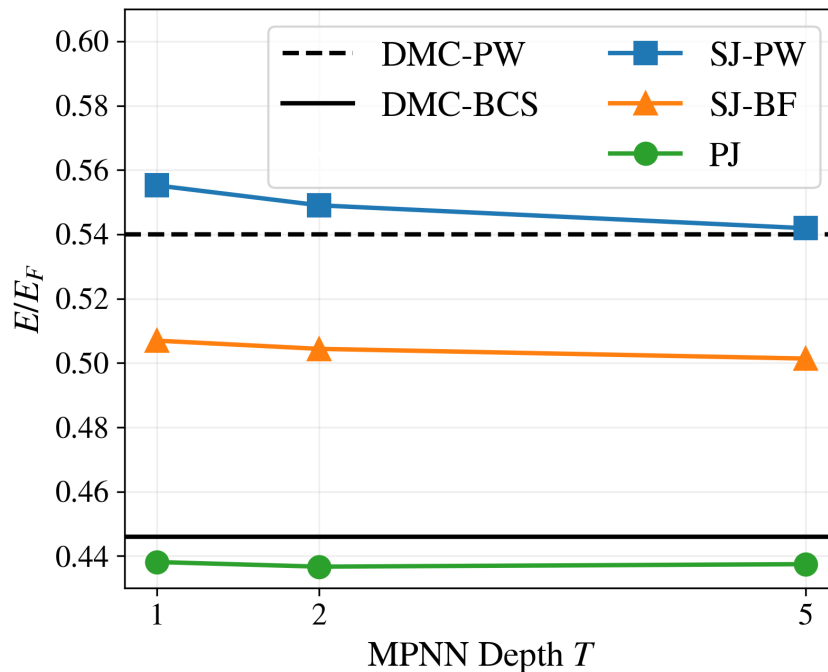
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# CONDENSED MATTER APPLICATIONS

We ventured into condensed-matter problems with NQS based on message-passing graph networks



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# PATH FORWARD WITH AURORA

## Now (Swing, Theta-GPU, Polaris):

- Quantum systems with up to ~50 particles on full Polaris with almost ideal scaling;

## Aurora:

- Heavy nuclei, (up to Uranium!); relevant for FRIB (@MSU), ATLAS (@Argonne);
- Isospin-asymmetric nuclear matter; direct impact on astrophysical observations;
- Spin-imbalanced Fermi gas closer to the thermodynamic limit;
- Molecules, benchmark with state-of-the-art diffusion Monte Carlo and coupled cluster methods
- Real-time quantum dynamics: Electron and neutrino-nucleus scattering, neutron-star cooling, nuclear fission and fusion, responses of condensed-matter systems;

## Ongoing and potential synergies

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