



# The possibility of applying unfolding techniques to photo-nuclear reactions

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# Unfolding techniques

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$$A = \int_{E_{th}}^{E_{max}} \sigma(E) \cdot \Phi(E) \cdot dE$$

## Cross section measurement

- Activations with known photon spectra with different end point energy
- Gamma spectroscopy measurement
- Unfolding procedure

**Cross-section function for the  
 $^{115}\text{In}(\gamma, \gamma')^{115\text{m}}\text{In}$**

## Photon spectra determination

- Using of different photo-induced nuclear reactions with well known cross section
- Gamma spectroscopy measurement
- Unfolding procedures

**Bremsstrahlung spectra of LINAC200**

# The cross-section function for the $^{115}\text{In}(\gamma,\gamma)^{115\text{m}}\text{In}$ reaction in the energy range up to 10 MeV

## - Irradiation

MT25 Microtron (FLNR-JINR)

6 In disks were irradiated

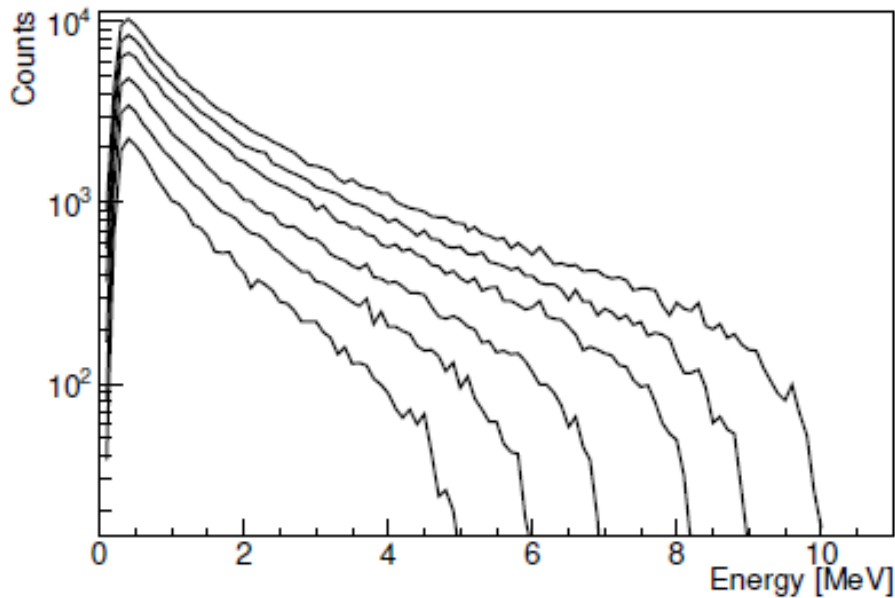
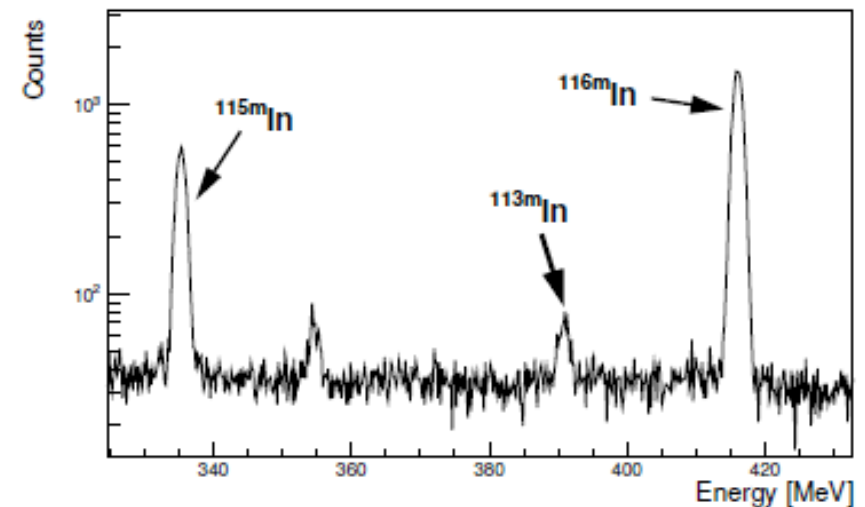


FIG. 3: Spectra of photon flux on the indium disks for all electron energies incident on the tungsten radiator.

## - Gamma spectroscopy measurement

Saturated activity

Disk No.	Energy [MeV]	$A_k [10^{-18} \text{ Bq/atom}]$
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## Unfolding procedure

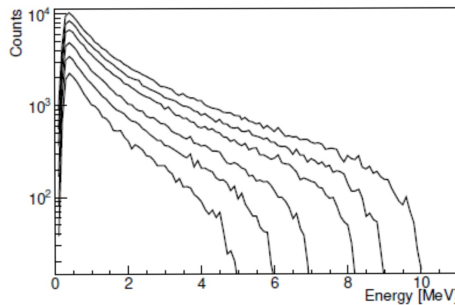


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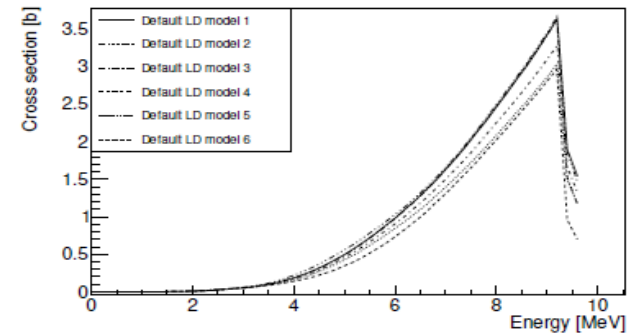


FIG. 6: Default functions for the  $^{115}\text{In}(\gamma, \gamma')^{115m}\text{In}$  cross-section obtained by TALYS 1.9 for six different level density models (for details see text).

Photon spectra

Saturated activity

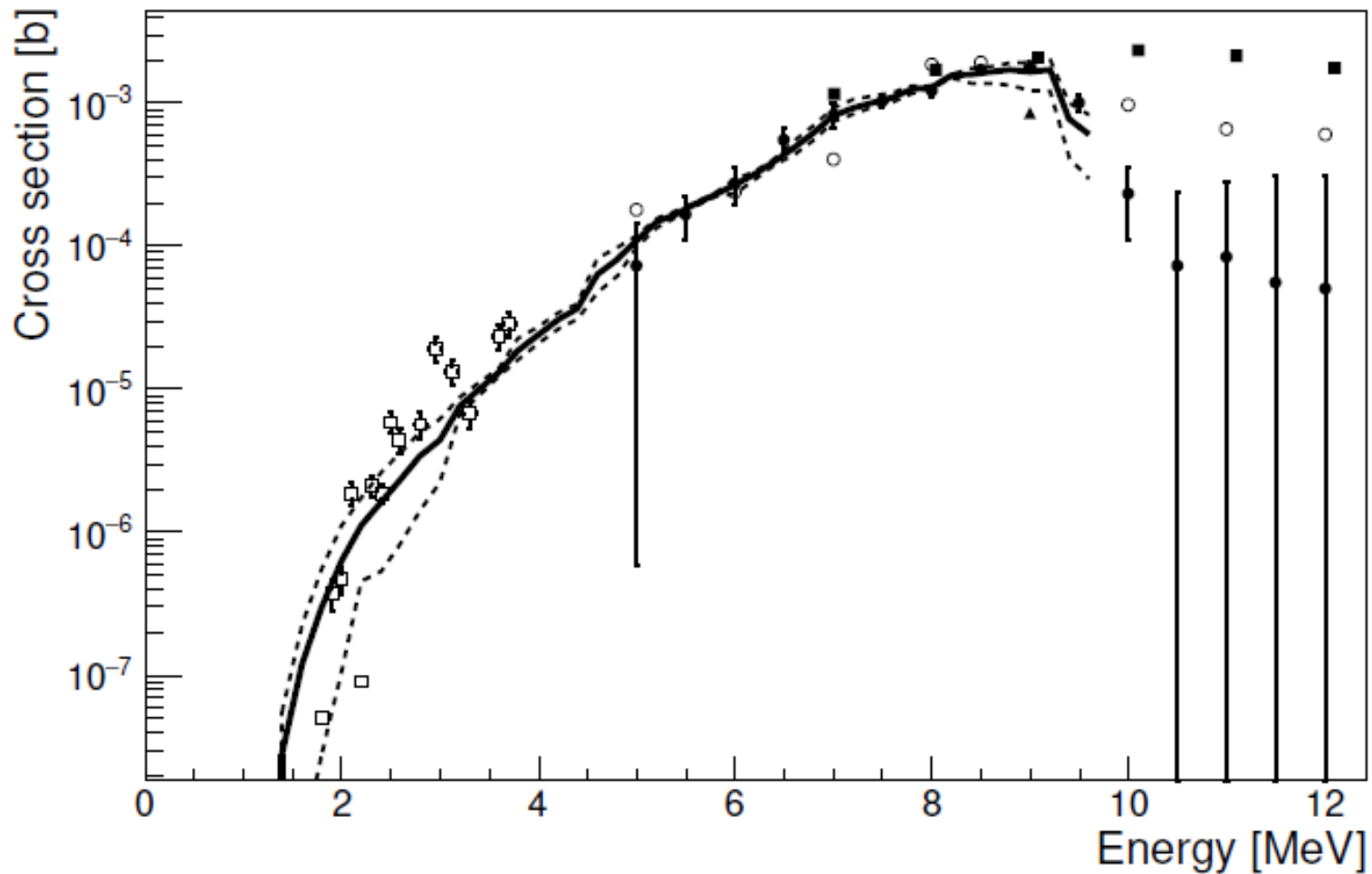
Default function

Unfolding algorithm (SANDII, GRAVEL, MAXED)

The cross-section function

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## Unfolding results



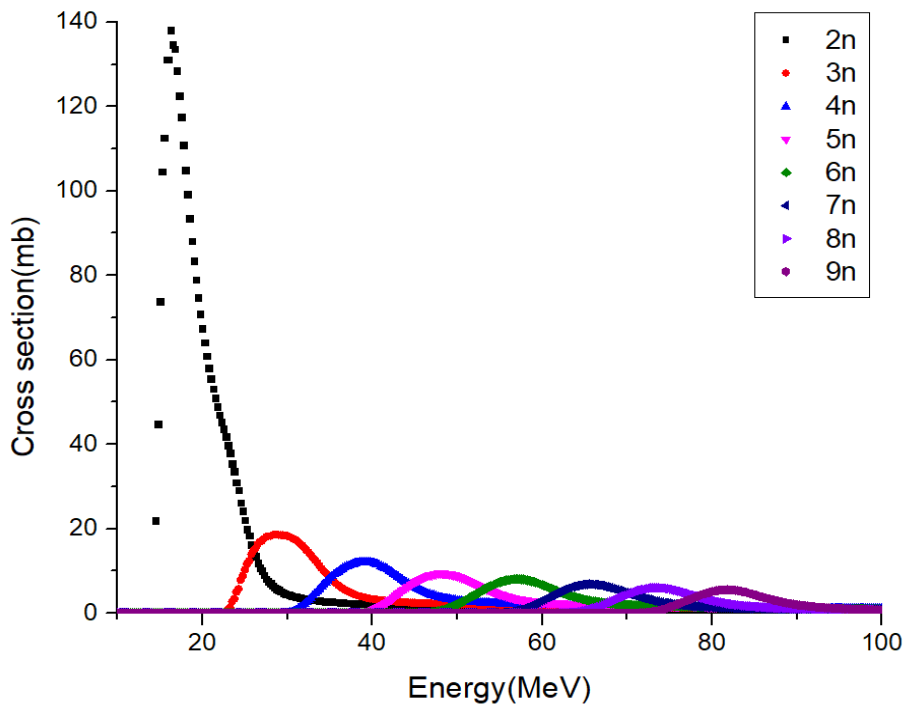
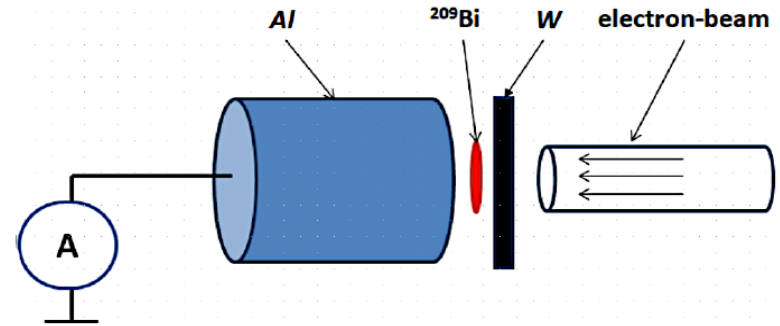
# Determination of the photon spectrum

## - Irradiation

LINAC200 (JINR)

Bi disk was irradiated ( $^{209}\text{Bi}(g,xn)$ )

- 80 MeV and 100 MeV end point energy



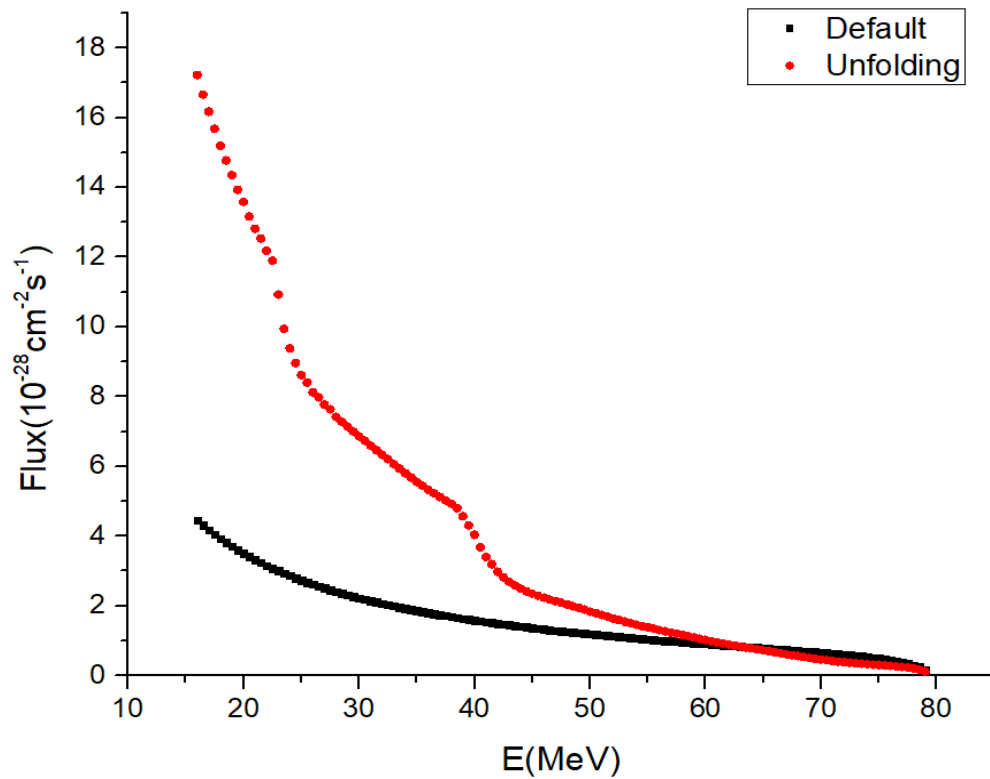
## - Gamma spectroscopy measurement

Saturated activity

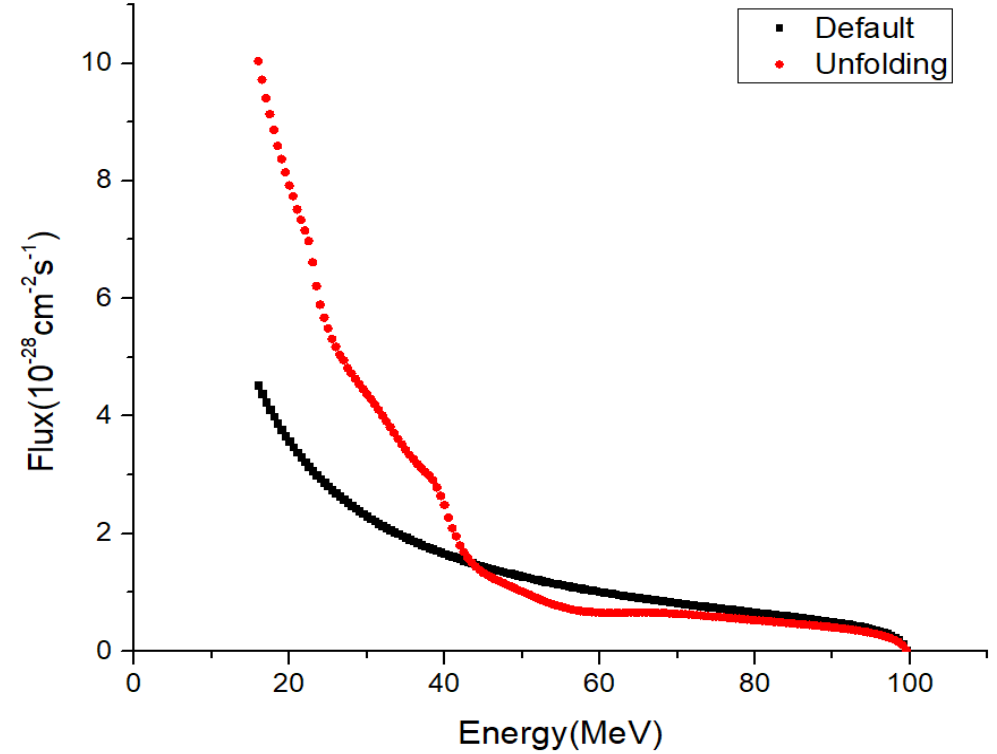
Isotope	Activity (80 MeV)	Activity (100 MeV)
207	7.3(4)	6.7(3)
206	1.00(3)	1.00(3)
205	0.45(2)	0.45(2)
204	0.173(4)	0.177(5)
203	0.087(3)	0.097(4)
202	0.038(2)	0.046(2)
201	0.013(1)	0.020(1)
<b>200</b>	0.0025(5)	<b>0.0059(7)</b>

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80 MeV endpoint energy



100 MeV endpoint energy