

A TDDFT formalism for linear and non-linear response of nanostructures and solids

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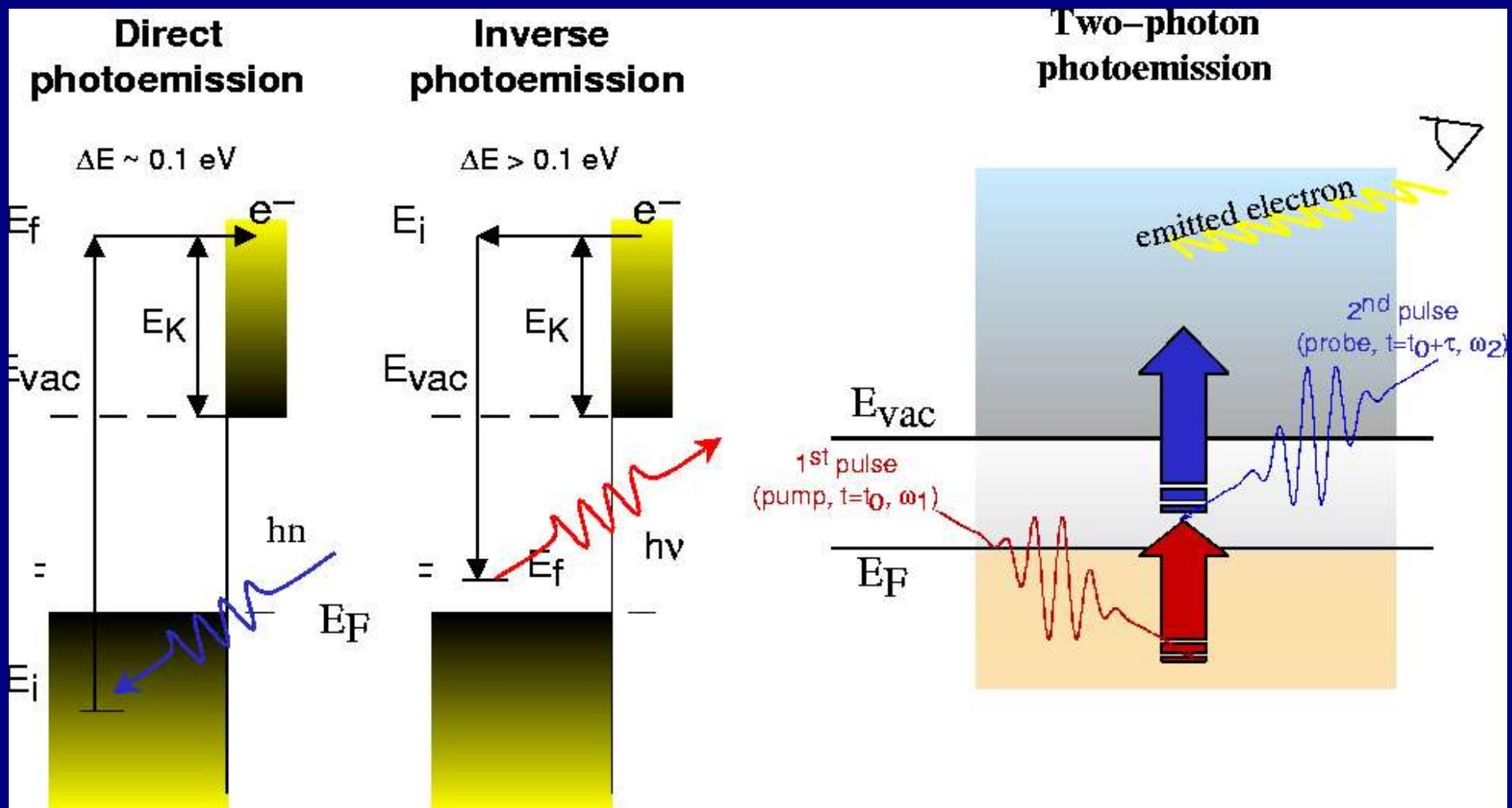
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Physical Processes: Spectroscopies



Time-dependent approach: TDDFT?

OUTLINE

● Introduction:

- Quasiparticle concept
- Basic DFT and TDDFT: *octopus project*

● Application to finite systems:

- Linear Response applications : benzene, clusters
- Non-linear regime: Femtosecond dynamics: Sodium dimer

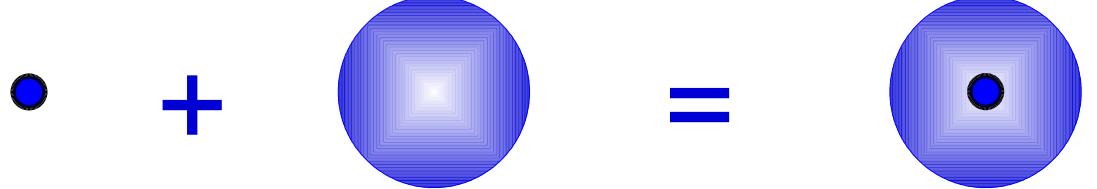
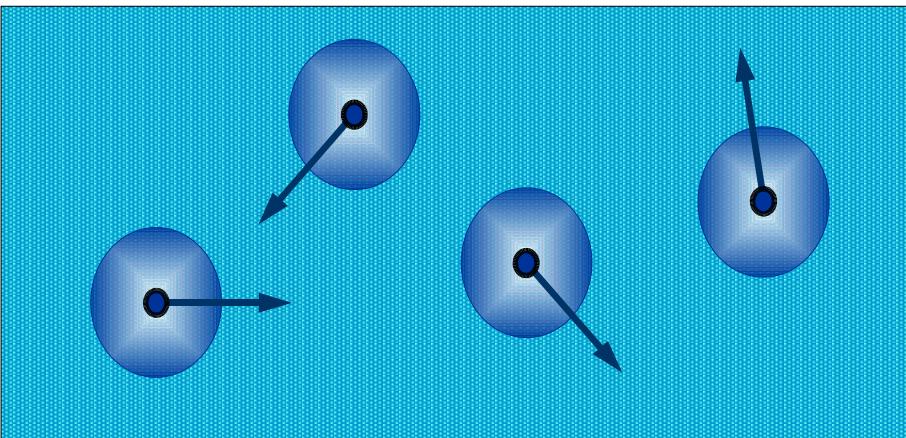
● Spectroscopy of Solids: optics and EELS

- TDDFT and Many-body perturbation theory
 - ★ *Problems with standard exchange-correlation functionals*
 - ★ *New fxc : Bound excitons*
- Applications to 1D: Linear chains and polymers
 - ★ Nanotubes

QUASIPARTICLES

- a fundamental concept in condensed-matter physics - MBPT-

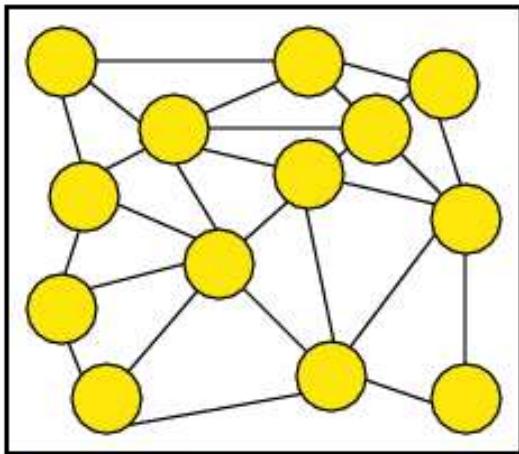
a system composed of interacting real bodies acts
as if it were composed of weakly interacting
fictitious bodies (**quasiparticles**)



one many-body problem  many one-body problems

DFT Kohn-Sham approach (1965):

Fully interacting system



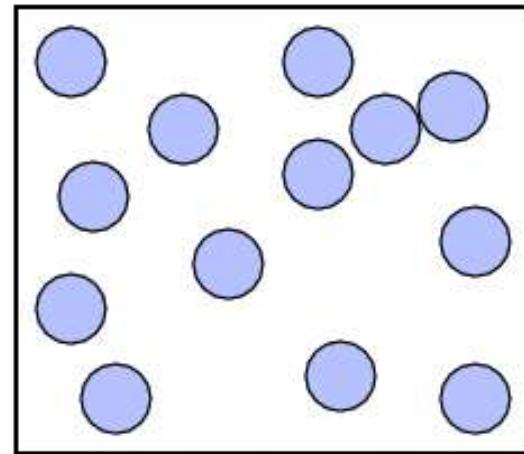
= particle

$$n(\vec{r}) = \sum_i |\phi_i(\vec{r})|^2$$

Hohenberg-Kohn
Theorem

Same
Ground-State
density $n(r)$

Non interacting system



= Kohn-Sham particle

$$T[n] \text{ ----- } T_0[n]$$

$$T_0[n] = \sum_i \int \phi_i^*(\vec{r}) \left(-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 \right) \phi_i(\vec{r}) d^3r$$

Exc includes now the correlation contribution to T

$$\left\{ -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 + V(\vec{r}) + e^2 \underbrace{\int \frac{n(\vec{r}')}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} d^3r}_{V_{eff}(\vec{r})} + \mu_{xc}[n(\vec{r})] \right\} \phi_i(\vec{r}) = \epsilon_i \phi_i(\vec{r})$$

with the exchange-correlation potential

$$\mu_{xc}[n(\vec{r})] = \frac{\delta E_{xc}[n(\vec{r})]}{\delta n(\vec{r})} = \frac{\delta \{n(\vec{r}) \epsilon_{xc}[n(\vec{r})]\}}{\delta n(\vec{r})}$$

KS-equations

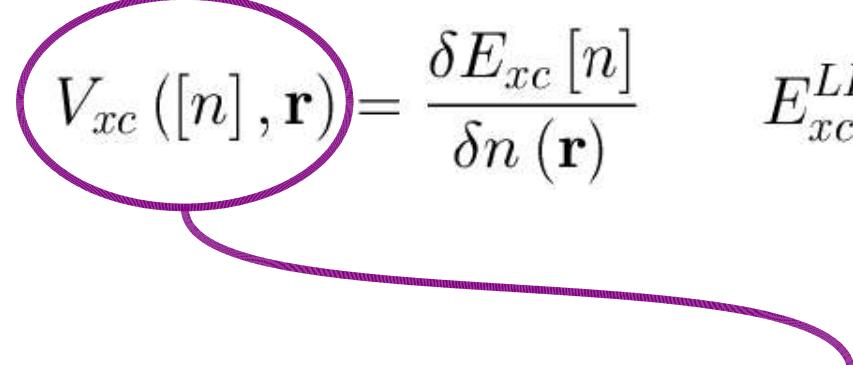
Some summary of DFT results for finite and extended systems

<u>Property</u>	<u>LSDA</u>	<u>GGA</u>
Exchange Energy	5% (not negative enough)	0.5%
Correlation Energy	100% (too negative)	5%
bond length	1% (short)	1% (long)
structure	favours close packing	improves
energy barrier	100% (too low)	30% (low)
<u>Approx</u>	<u>Mean absolute error in the atomisation energy for 20 molecules</u>	
Unrestricted HF	3.1 eV (underbinding)	
LSDA	1.3 eV (overbinding)	
GGA	0.3 eV (mostly overbinding)	
<i>Chemical accuracy</i>	<i>0.05 eV</i>	

Density Functional Theory vs Many-Body Perturbation Theory

$$\left[-\frac{\nabla^2}{2} + V_{ext}(\mathbf{r}) + V_{Hartree}([n], \mathbf{r}) + V_{xc}([n], \mathbf{r}) \right] \phi_i(\mathbf{r}) = \epsilon_i \phi_i(\mathbf{r})$$

R. O. Jones and O. Gunnarsson, Rev. Mod. Phys. **61**, 689 (1989)

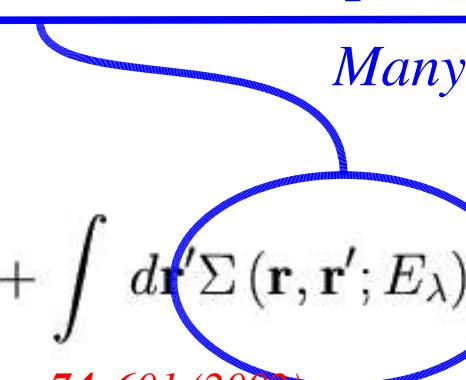

$$V_{xc}([n], \mathbf{r}) = \frac{\delta E_{xc}[n]}{\delta n(\mathbf{r})} \quad E_{xc}^{LDA}[n] = \int d\mathbf{r} n(\mathbf{r}) \epsilon_{xc}^{hom}([n]; \mathbf{r})$$

Density Functional Theory

Exchange-correlation Potential: Real, Local in space, Frequency independent

Self-Energy: Complex, Non-local in space, Frequency dependent

Many-Body Perturbation Theory

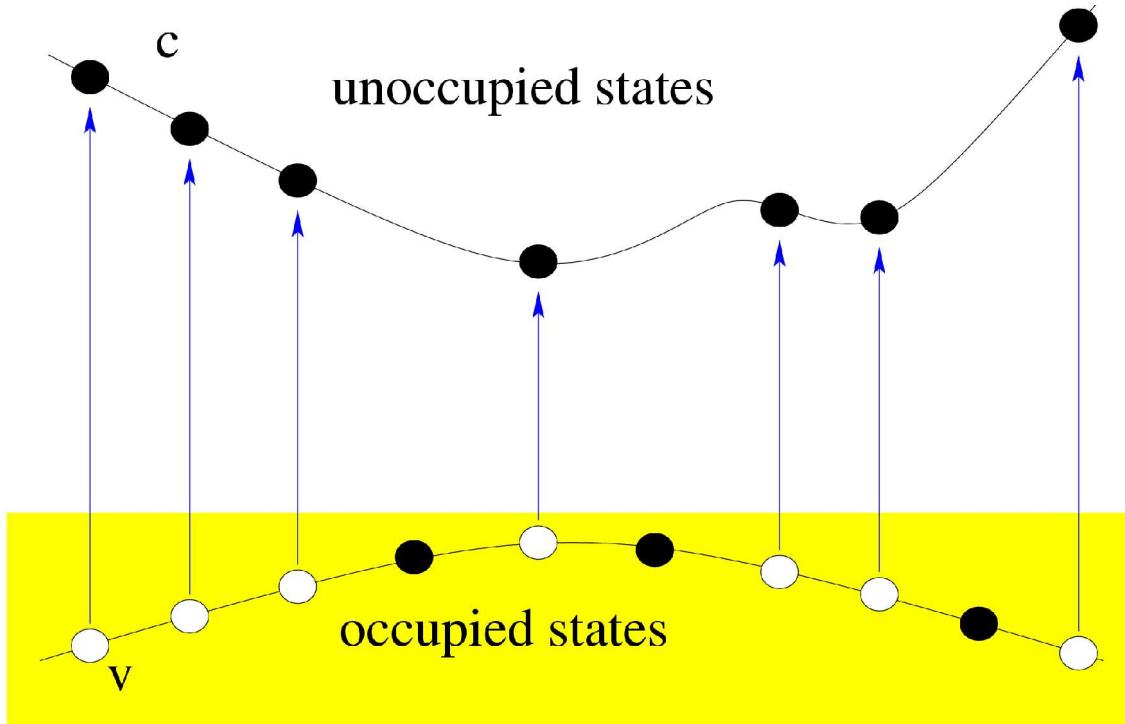

$$[\mathcal{H}_{KS} - V_{xc}(\mathbf{r})](\mathbf{r}) \phi_i(\mathbf{r}; E_\lambda) + \int d\mathbf{r}' \Sigma(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'; E_\lambda) \phi_i(\mathbf{r}'; E_\lambda) = E_\lambda(\omega) \phi_\lambda(\mathbf{r}, E_\lambda)$$

G. Onida, L. Reining and AR, Rev. Mod. Phys. **74**, 601 (2002)

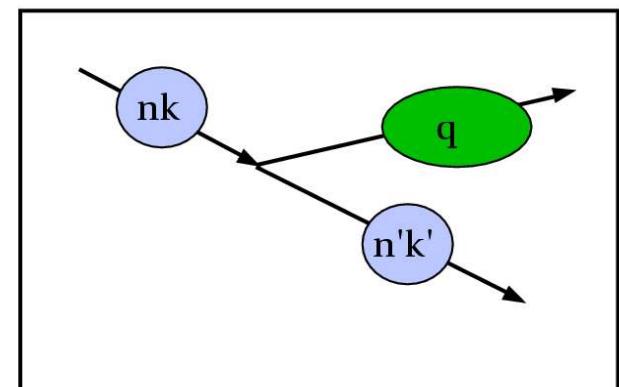
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Screening effects: $\epsilon = 1 - v P$ polarisation

Independent Electrons (KS!)



Hedin's GW (1965)



=Kohn-Sham states
 =Plasmons/Electron-hole states

$$P = P^0 \propto \sum_{vc} \frac{|\langle \phi_c | e^{i\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{r}} | \phi_v \rangle|^2}{\omega - (\epsilon_c - \epsilon_v) + i\eta}$$

$$\sum_{vc} |\langle \phi_c | e^{i\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{r}} | \phi_v \rangle|^2 \delta(\omega - (\epsilon_c - \epsilon_v))$$

$$P(12) = -iG(12)G(21^+)$$

$$\Sigma(12) = iG(12^+)W(12)$$

Hedin Equation's (1965)

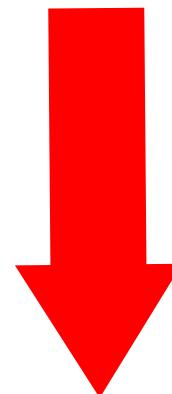
$$P(12) = -i \int d(34) G(13) G(41^+) \Gamma(34, 2)$$

$$W(12) = v(12) + \int d(34) W(13) P(34) v(42)$$

$$\Sigma(12) = i \int d(34) G(14^+) W(13) \Gamma(42, 3)$$

$$G(12) = G_0(12) + \int d(34) G_0(13) [\Sigma(34) - \delta(34) v_{xc}(4)] G(42)$$

$$\Gamma(12, 3) = \delta(12) \delta(13) + \int d(4567) \frac{\delta \Sigma(12)}{\delta G(45)} G(46) G(75) \Gamma(67, 3)$$



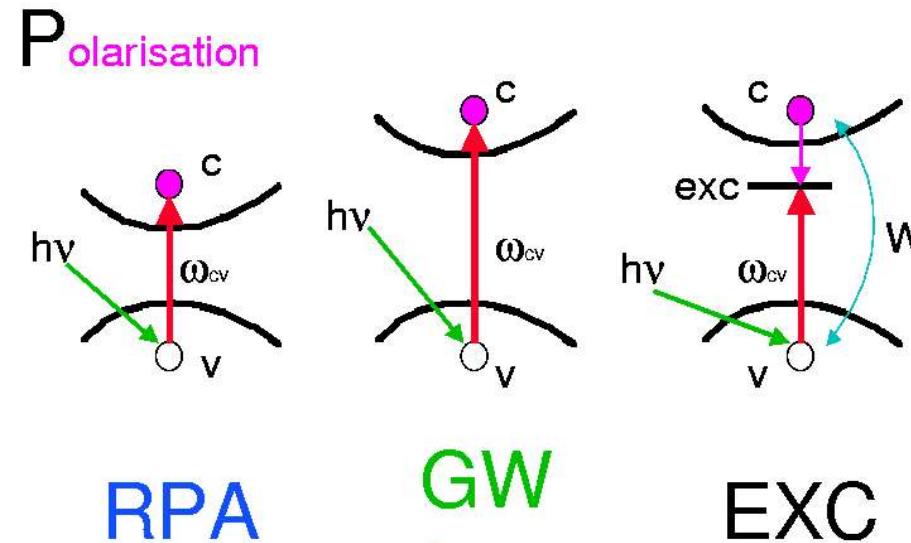
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The GW "soup"

$$\Sigma(12) = iG(12^+) W(12)$$

Beyond DFT:

MBQFT: Exciton and Bethe-Salpeter equation



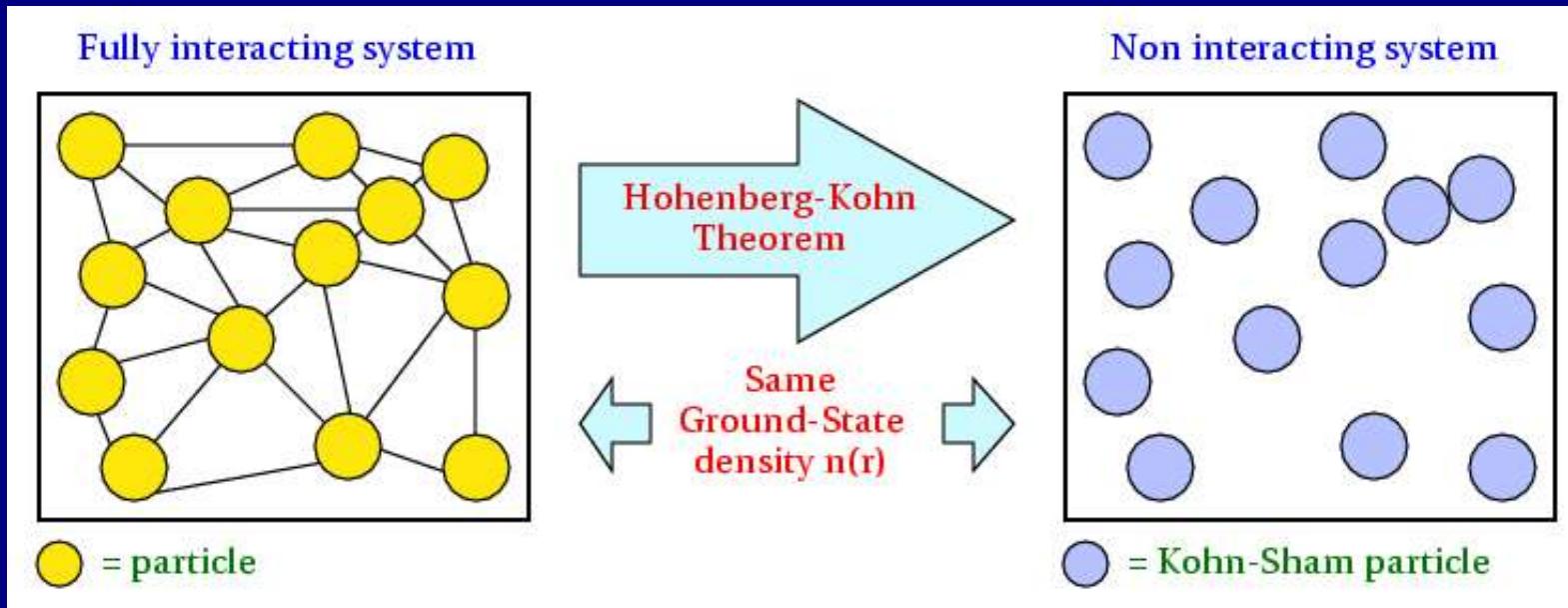
$$\text{Im} [\epsilon(\omega)] \sim \sum_{vc} | \langle v | D | c \rangle |^2 \delta(E_c - E_v - \omega)$$

$$\text{Im} [\epsilon(\omega)] \sim \sum_s | \sum_{vc} \langle v | D | c \rangle A_{vc}^s |^2 \delta(\Omega^s - \omega)$$

Bethe-Salpeter equation: $(\epsilon_{c\mathbf{k}} - \epsilon_{v\mathbf{k}}) A_{vc\mathbf{k}}^S + \sum_{\mathbf{k}'v'c'} \langle v\mathbf{c}\mathbf{k} | K^{eh} | v'\mathbf{c}'\mathbf{k}' \rangle A_{v'c'\mathbf{k}'}^S = \Omega^S A_{vc\mathbf{k}}^S$

Dimensionality effects: nanotubes as quasi-1D structure

Density Functional versus Many-body perturbation theory



ground state

What about excited-state properties:
electron-ion dynamics, spectroscopies

Time Dependent Density Functional Theory (Runge and Gross 1984)

Electron-dynamics first, then e-ion problem

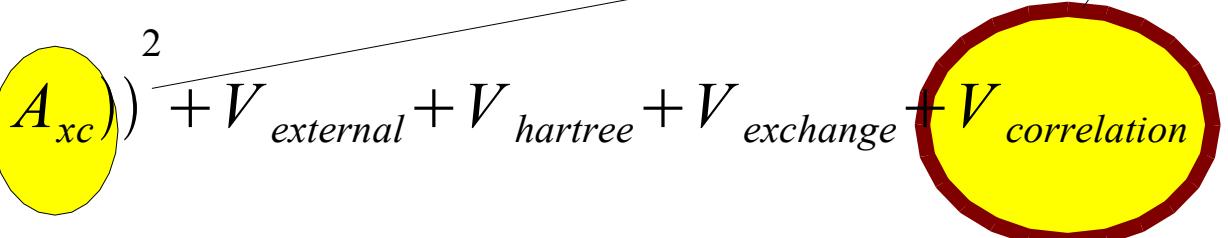
HK-like theorem: $v(r,t) \longleftrightarrow \rho(r,t)$

The time dependent density determines uniquely the time-dependent external potential and therefore all physical observables

Kohn-Sham formalism:

The time dependent density of the interacting system can be calculated as the density of an auxiliary non-interacting system

$$i\hbar \frac{d}{dt} \Phi = H \Phi \quad \rightarrow \quad i\hbar \frac{d}{dt} \psi_i = H_{KS} [\{\psi_j\}] \psi_i, \quad i=1, \dots, N$$

$$H_{KS} = \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \left(i\nabla - \frac{e}{c\hbar} (A + A_{xc}) \right)^2 + V_{external} + V_{hartree} + V_{exchange} + V_{correlation}$$


By virtue of time-dependent Hohenberg-Kohn theorem, ALL observables are functionals of the TD density

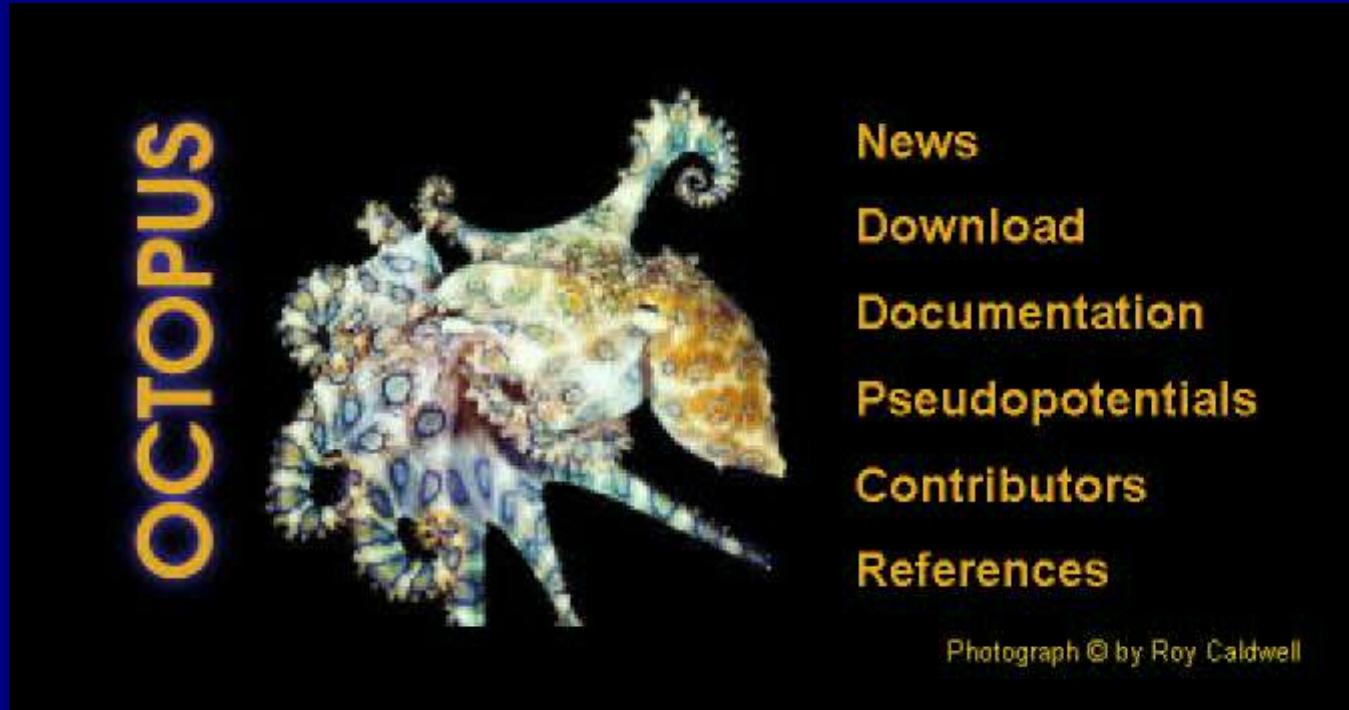
some observables are easily expressed in terms of the density (no approximations involved)

e.g. **TD dipole moment** $d(t) = \int \rho(r, t) z d^3 r$
photon spectrum $\sim |d(\omega)|^2$

other observables are more difficult to express in terms of the density (involving further approximation)

e.g. ionization yields

*The **octopus** project is aim to the first principle description of the excite state electron-ion dynamics of nanostructures and extended systems within TDDFT*

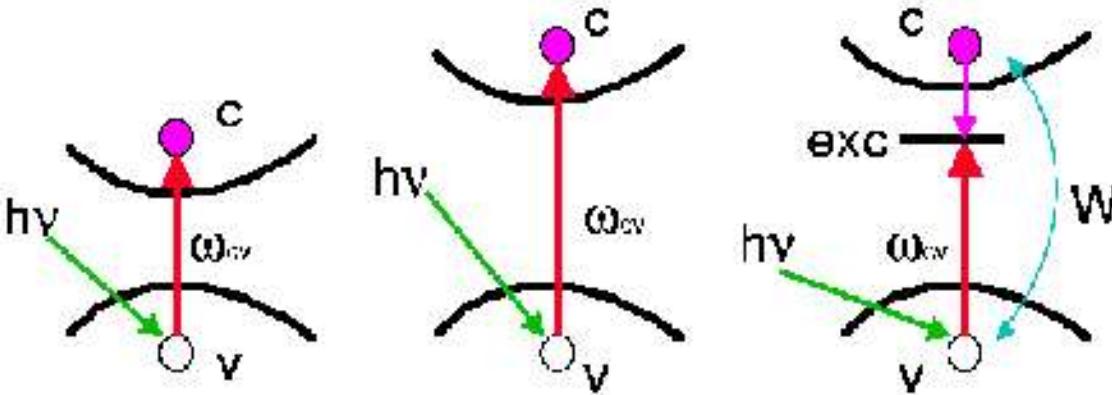


<http://www.tddft.org/programs/octopus>

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- Applications to finite systems:
 - Linear Response applications : benzene, clusters
 - Biological photoreceptors

Linear optical response: general aspects



$$K_{ij} = \int dr \rho_i(r) \frac{dV_{xc}(r)}{d\rho(r)} \rho_j(r)$$

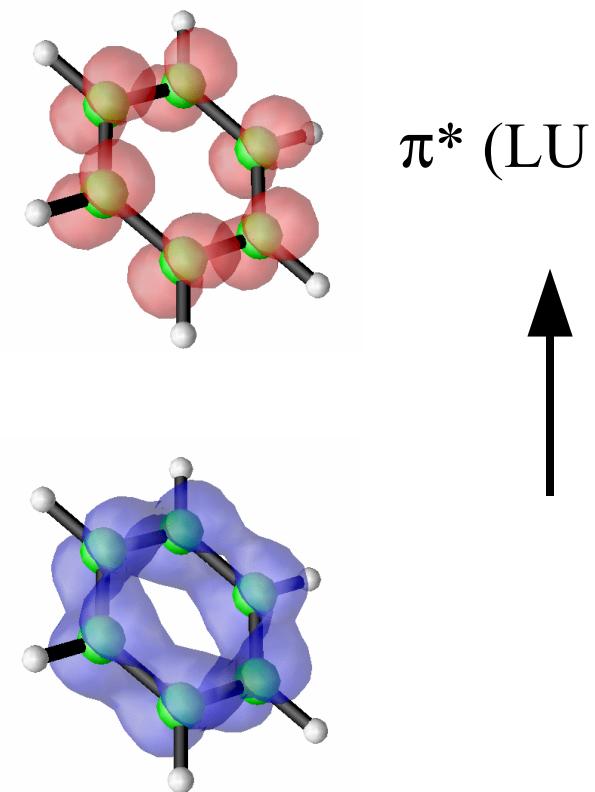
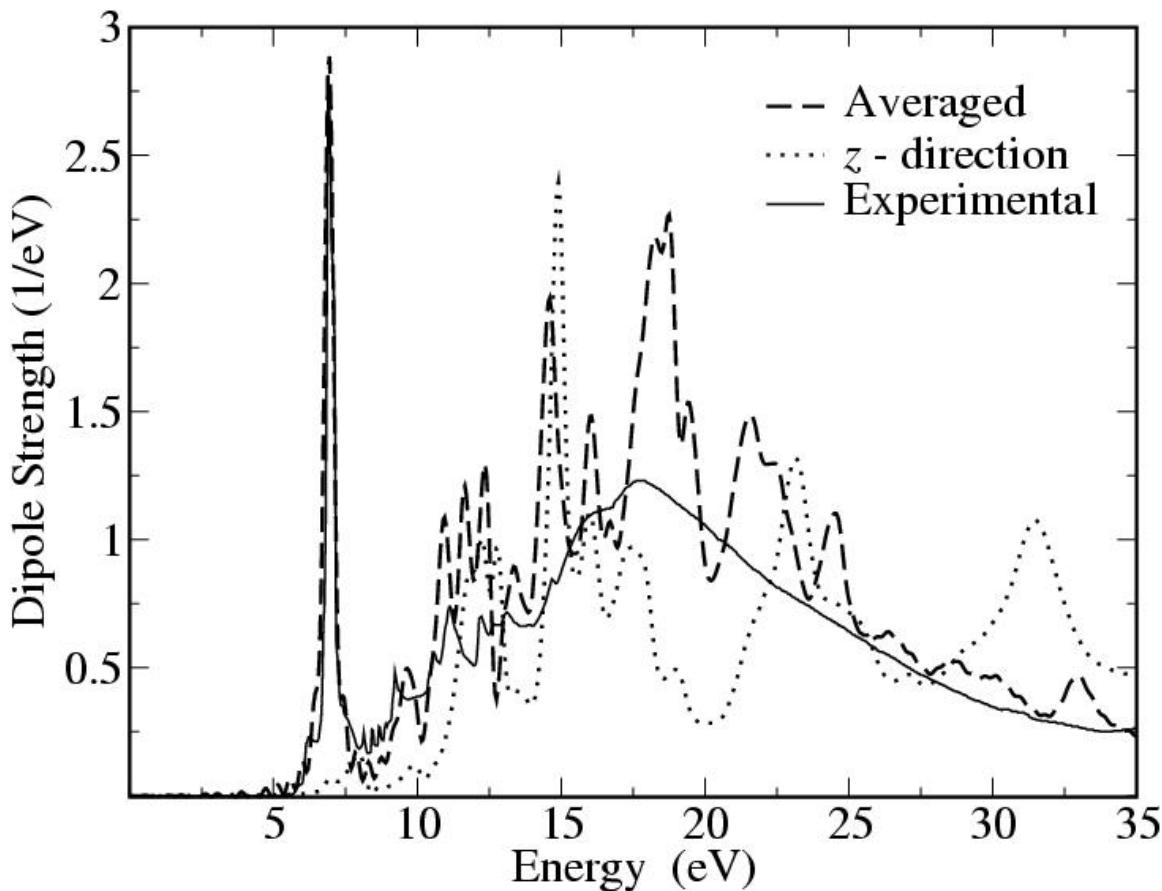
$$f_{xc}^{\text{ALDA}}(r, r', \omega) = \delta(r - r') \frac{d^2}{dn^2} \left(n \epsilon_{xc}^{\text{hom}} \right) \Big|_{\rho(r)}$$

Single-pole
approximation

$$\Omega = (\epsilon_{j_0} - \epsilon_{k_0}) + K$$

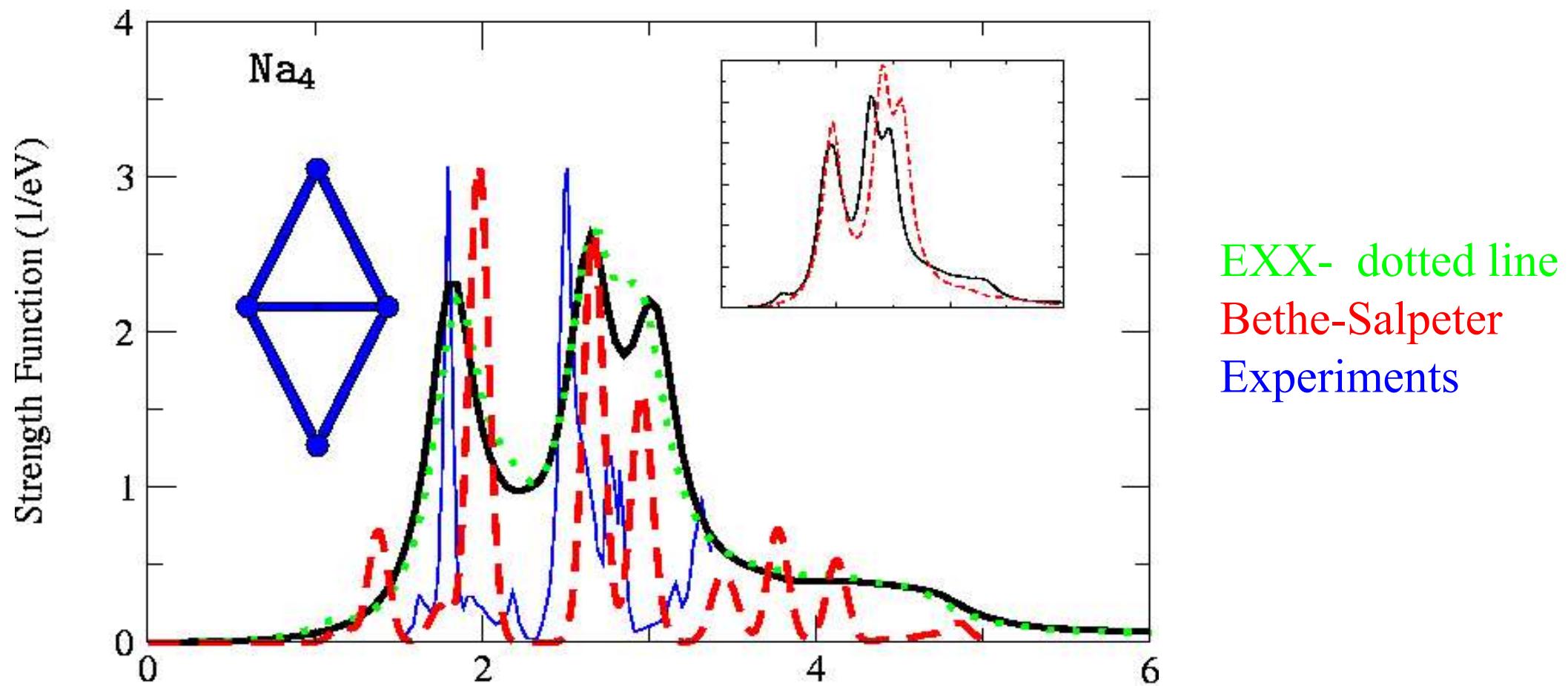
$$K \approx \int d^3r \int d^3r' \phi_{j_0}(r) \phi_{j_0}^*(r') \phi_{k_0}(r') \phi_{k_0}^*(r) \cdot \\ \left(\frac{1}{|r-r'|} + f_{xc}(r, r') \right)$$

Optical response: Benzene



M.A.L Marques, A. Castro, G.F. Bertsch and AR, Comp. Phys. Comm. (2002);
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Assessment of xc-functionals in TDDFT

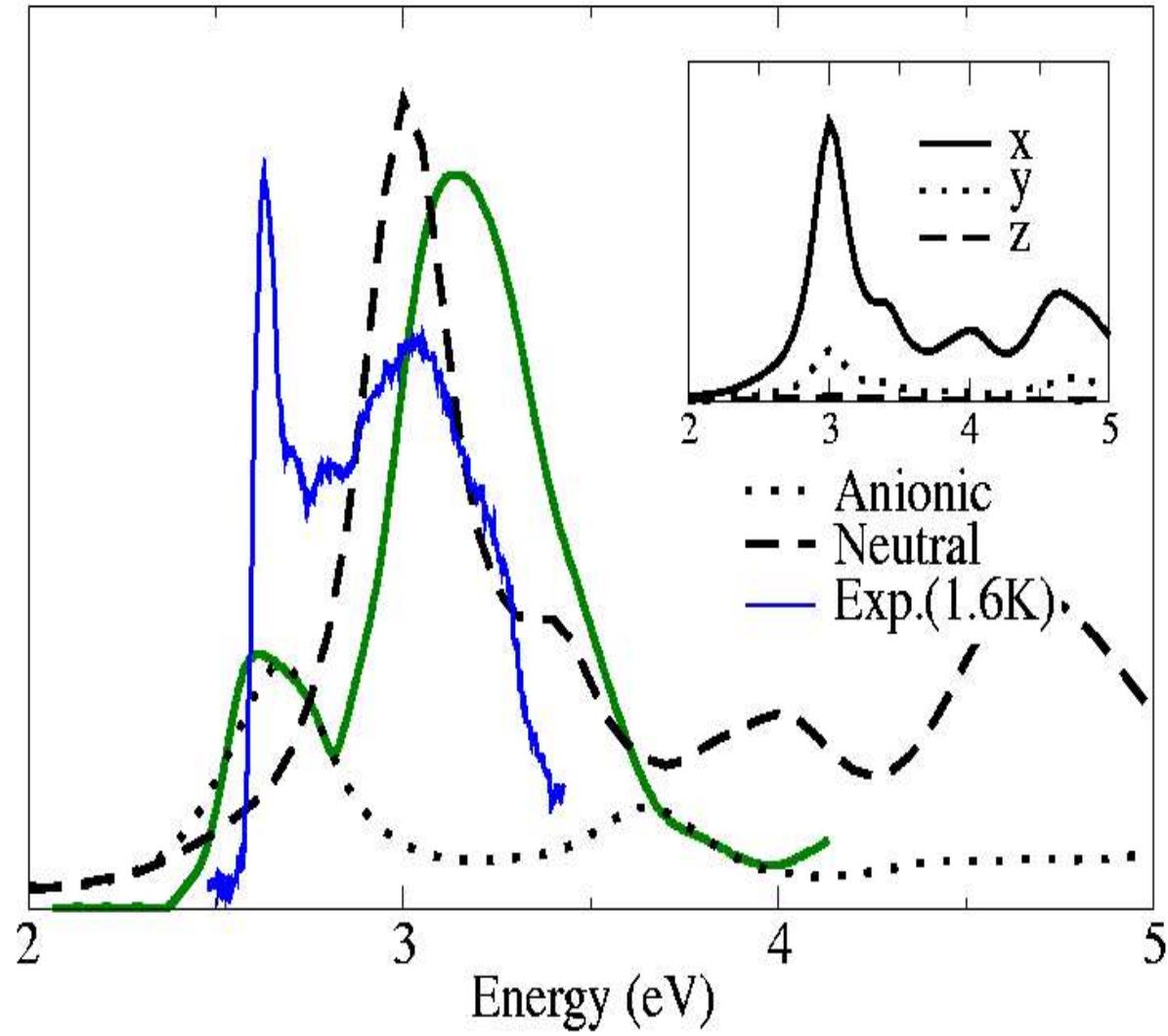


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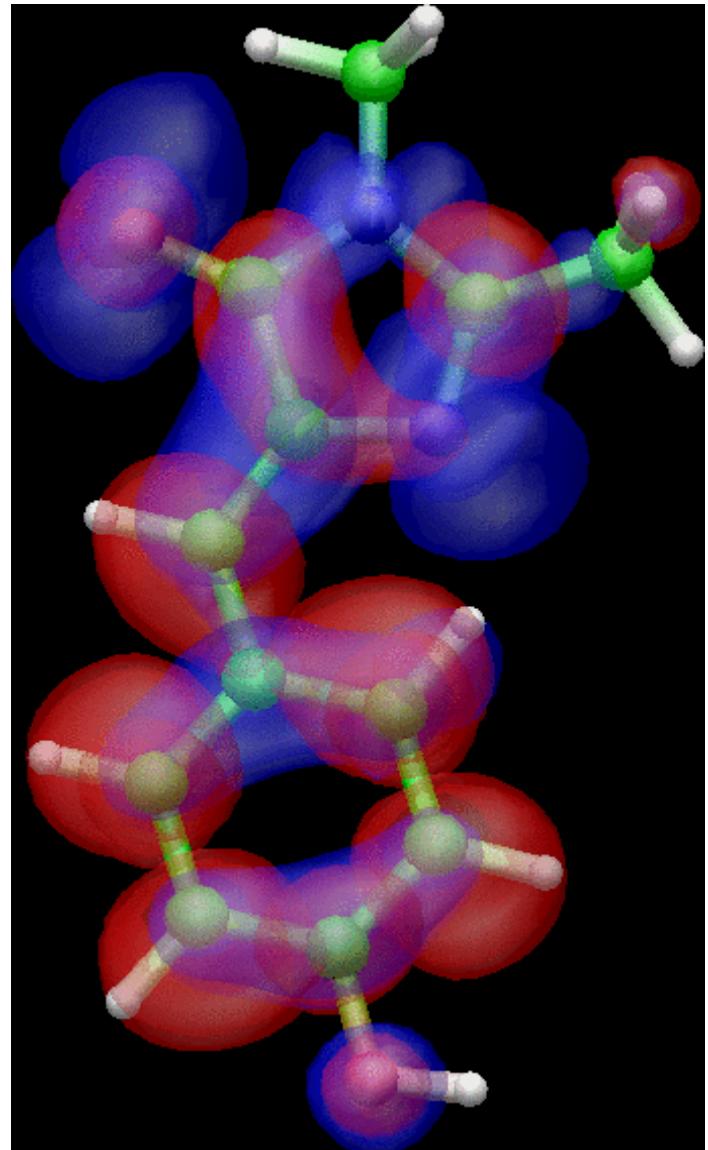
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Biological molecules: photoreceptors

HOMO LUMO

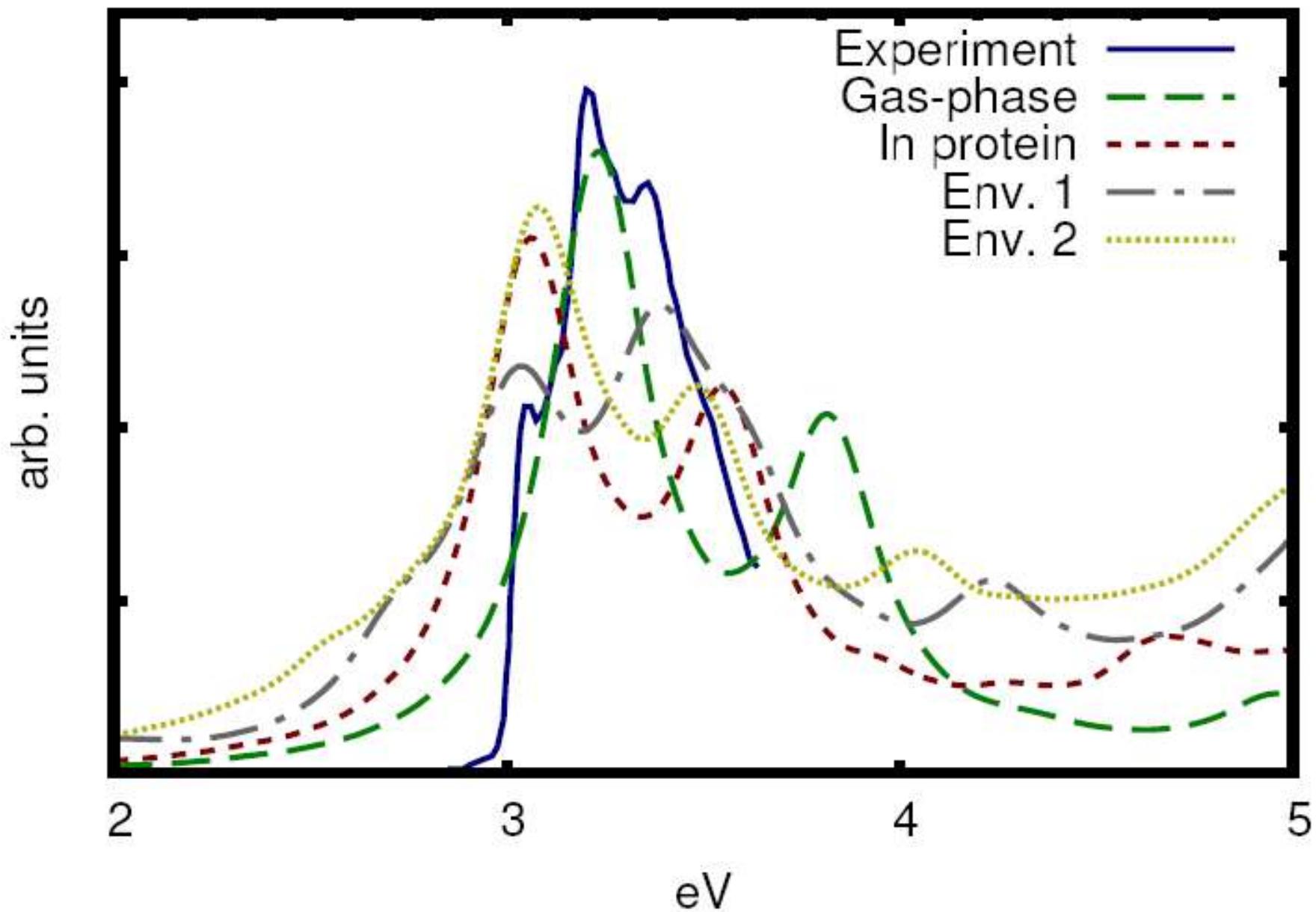


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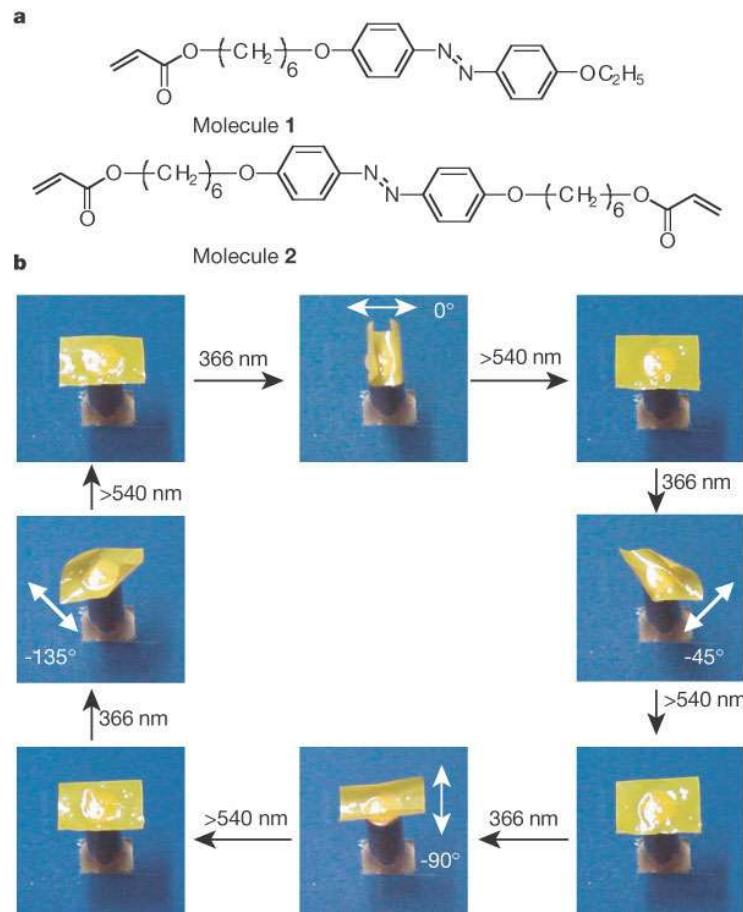
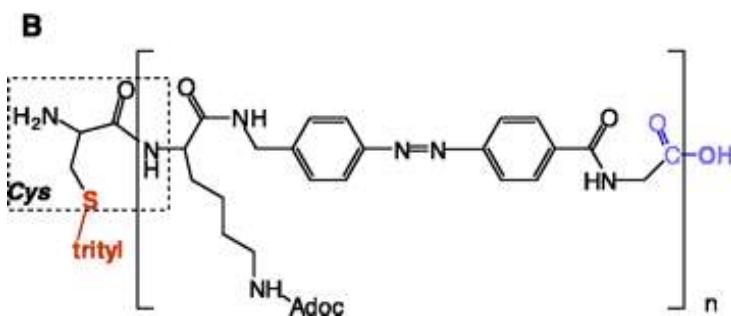
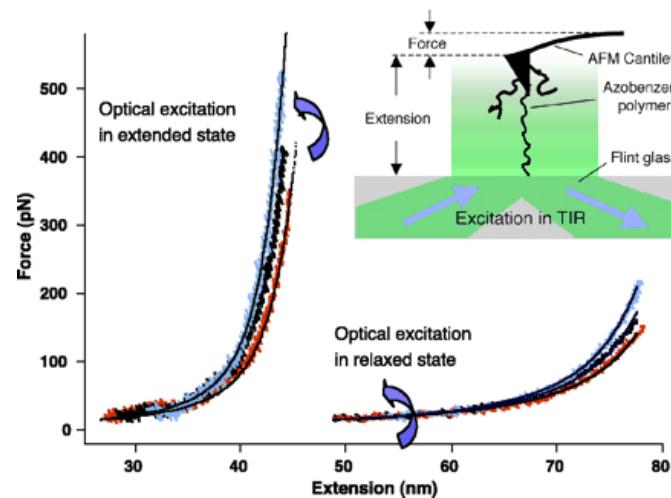
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Blue Fluorescent Protein - Mutants

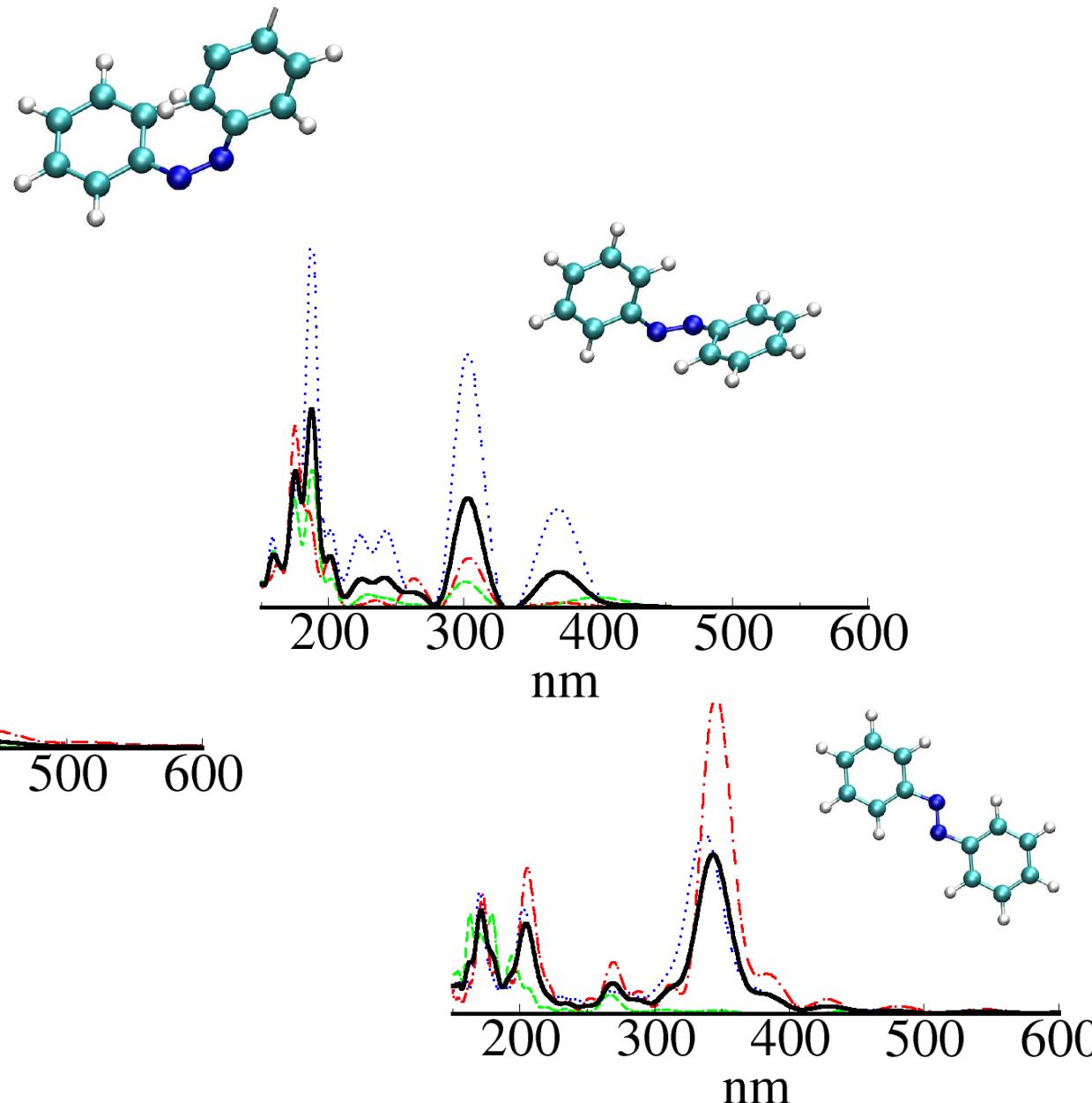
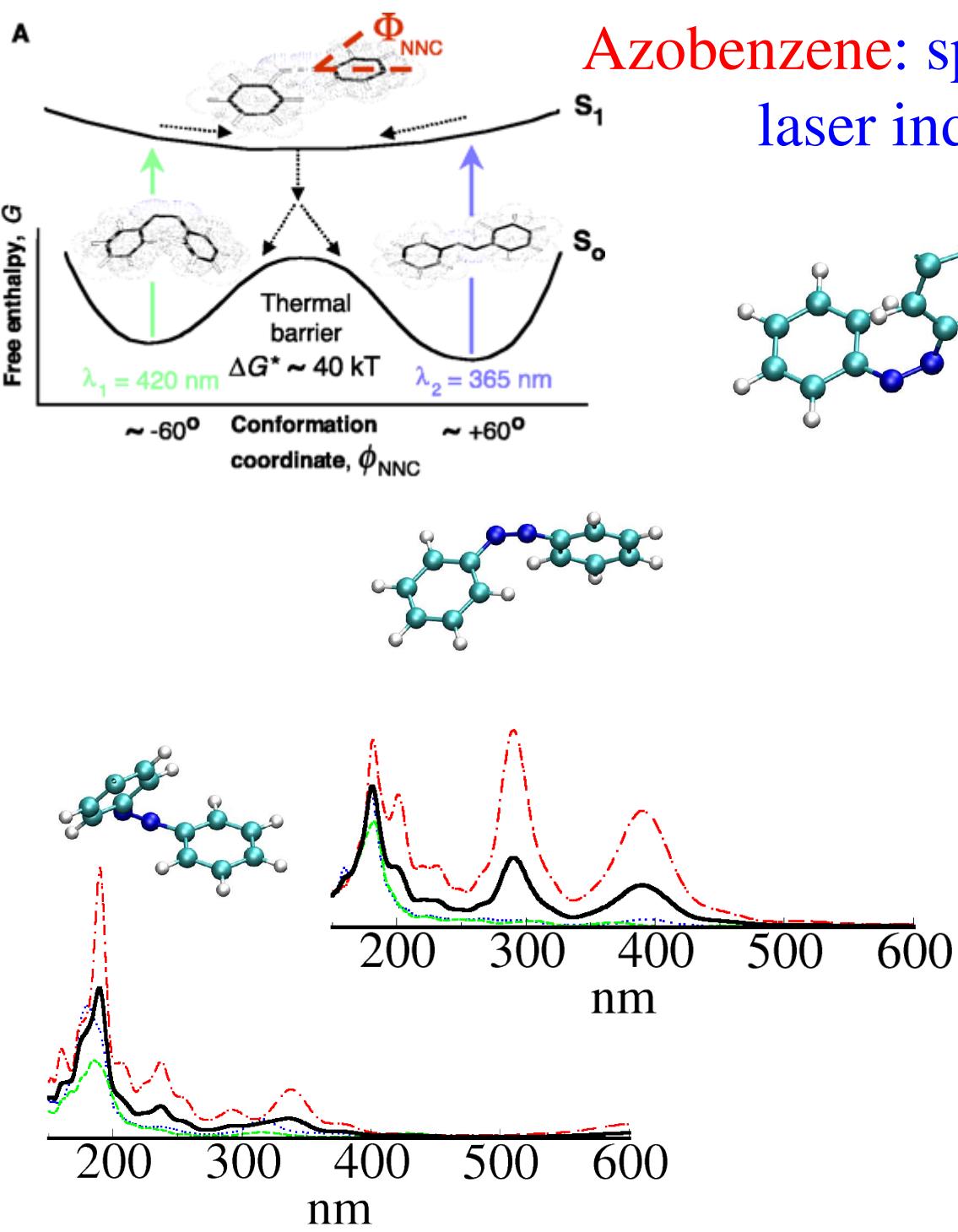


Azobenzene: spectroscopy along femtosecond-laser induced photoisomerization

APB optical trigger Single-Molecule Optomechanical Cycle



Azobenzene: spectroscopy along femtosecond-laser induced photoisomerization



Next step: QM/MM calculation of the chromophore+peptide system

Optical absorption and electron energy loss spectroscopy of extended systems

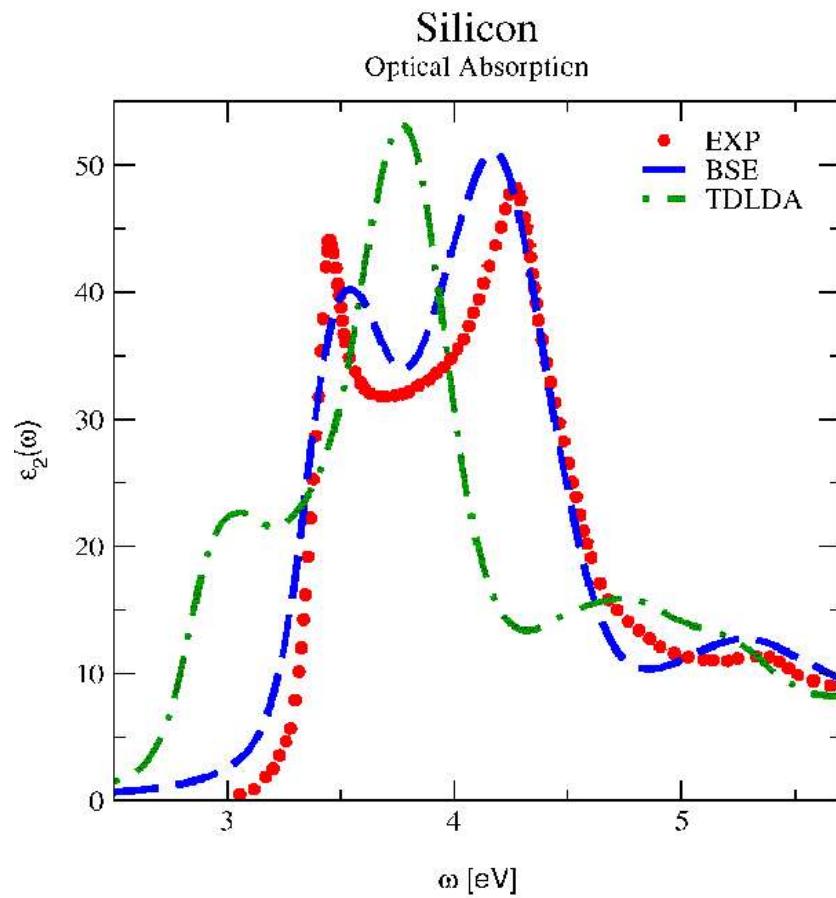
TDDFT:

- *Problems with standard exchange-correlation functionals*
- *A new fxc derived from Many-body perturbation theory
proper description of excitonic effects!!!*
- *Applications to one-dimensional systems*

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Non-local fxc for extended systems:

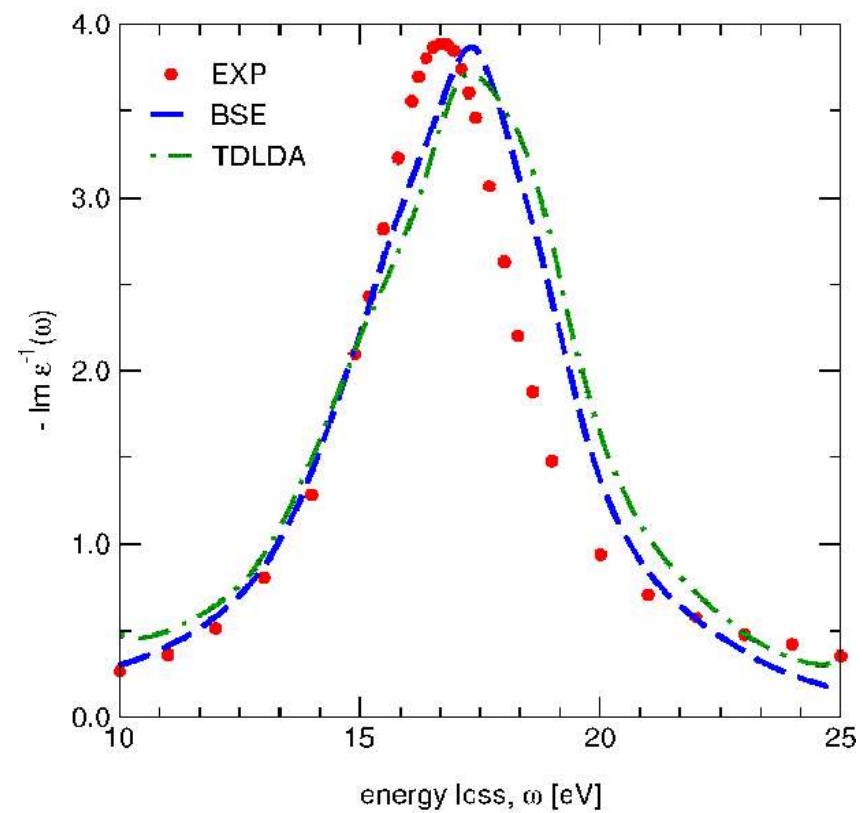
Motivation



The LDA Kernel is not able to reproduce Optical Properties in Solids

See for a review: G. Onida, L. Reining and AR, Rev. Mod. Phys. 74, 601 (2002)

BSE vs TDLDAs comparison on EEL



The LDA Kernel already offers a good representation of the Electron Energy Loss (EEL) spectrum in Solids

Low dimensional systems (1D): polyacetylene

Electric field dependence of the XC Potential in Molecular Chains

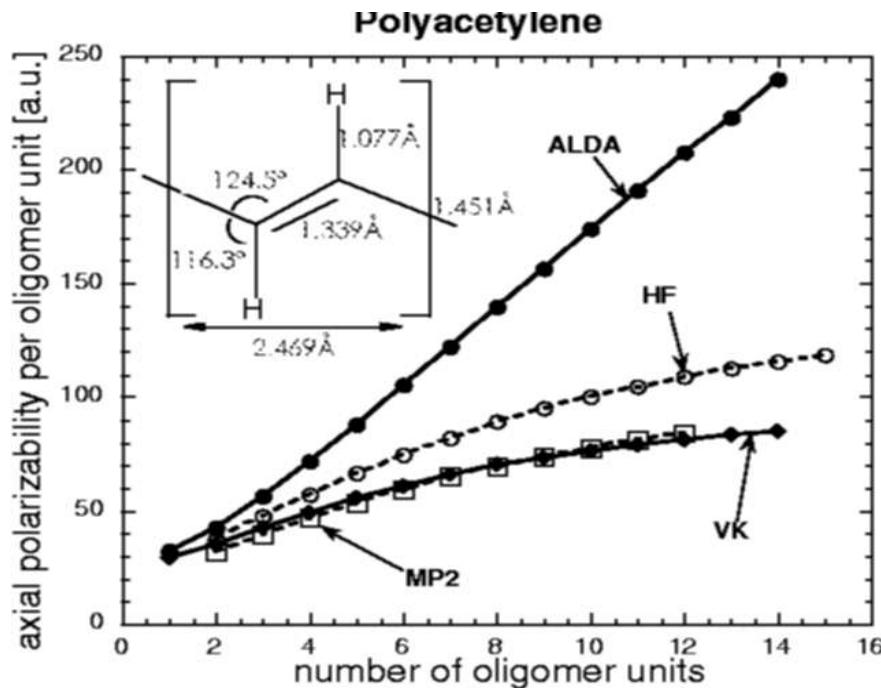


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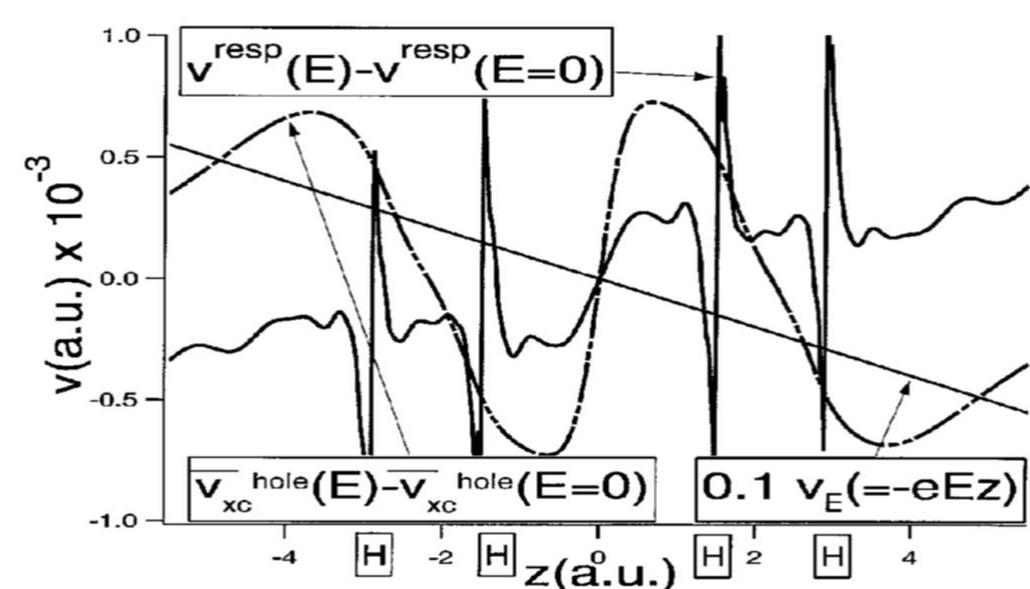


FIG. 2. Changes, due to an electric field of 0.001 a.u. in response and hole potentials for H_2 - H_2 , constructed from multireference CI singles doubles density with a large (cc-pV6Z without d and f functions) basis set, compared to the applied field (potential v_E).

M. van Faassen et al. PRL **88** 186401 (2002)

S.J.A. Van Gisbergen PRL **83** 694 (1999)

In LDA and GGA xc potential lack of a term counteracting the applied electric field

Many-Body approach to the Exchange-Correlation Kernel of TDDFT

A diagrammatic approach

Hypothesis

It exists a "many-body xc-kernel" such that
the TDDFT and Many-Body polarization
functions are identical

*Consequently TDDFT equation can be used as an equation for the xc-kernel
and as a formal solution can be found in terms of an iterative equation for
the nth order contribution*

4-point equations!!!!

$$\text{BSE} \Leftrightarrow \left[\Delta E + \langle v \rangle - \langle W \rangle \right] A_\lambda = E_\lambda A_\lambda$$

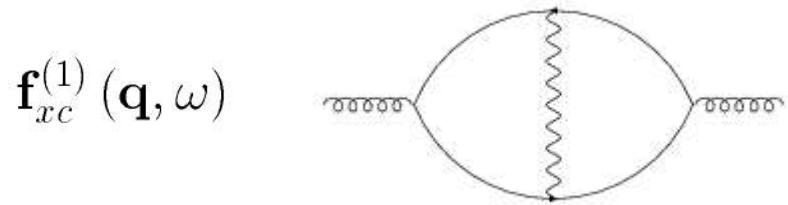
$$\text{TDDFT} \Leftrightarrow \left[\Delta E + \langle v \rangle + \langle f_{xc} \rangle \right] A_\lambda = E_\lambda A_\lambda$$

$$\langle v \rangle = \int d\mathbf{r} d\mathbf{r}' \phi_v(\mathbf{r}) \phi_c^*(\mathbf{r}) v(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \phi_{v'}^*(\mathbf{r}') \phi_{c'}(\mathbf{r}')$$

*L. Reining, V. Olevano, AR, G. Onida, PRL88, 0664041 (2002);
F. Sottile et al, PRL (2004) ; S. Botti et al, PRB (2004).*

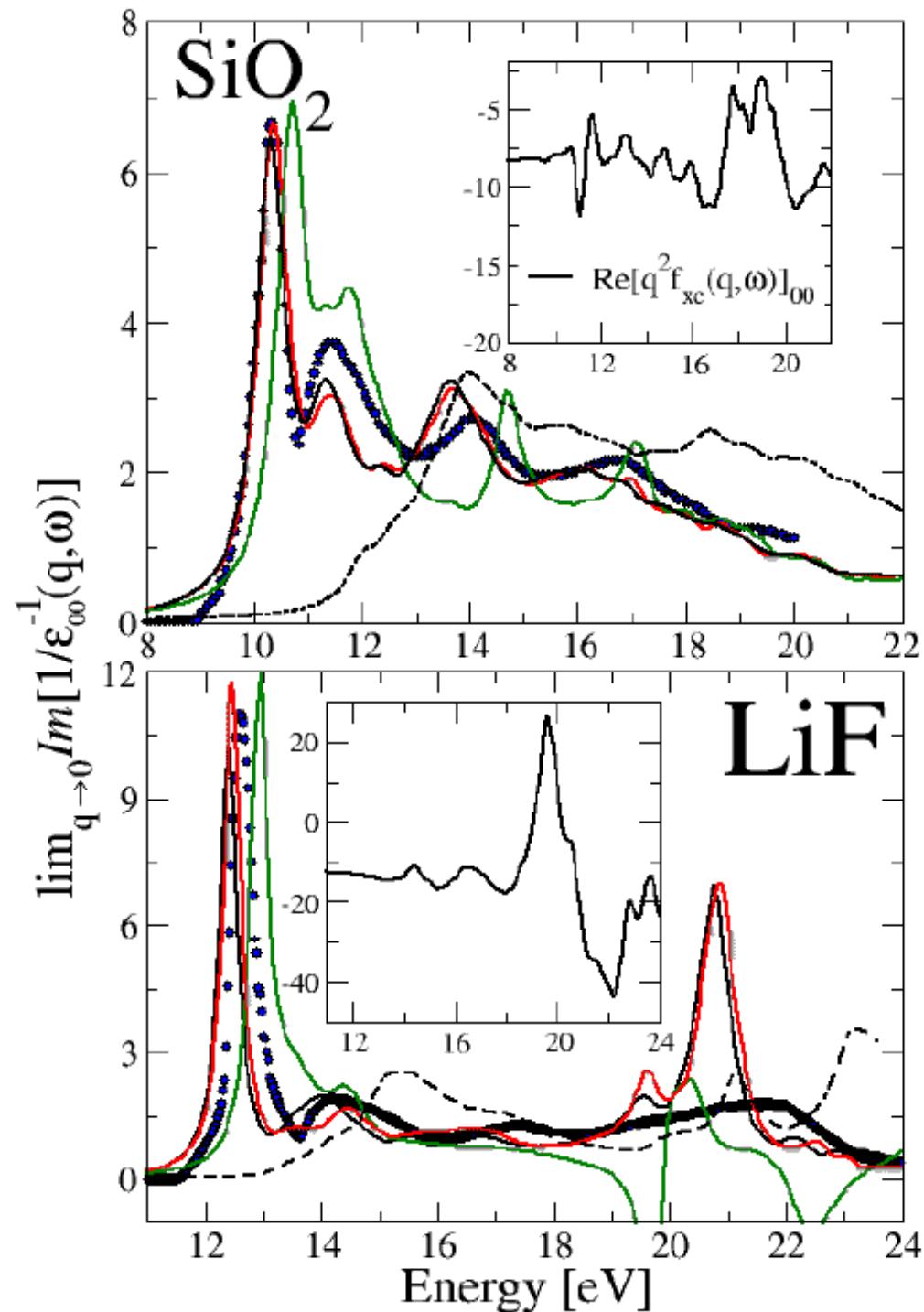
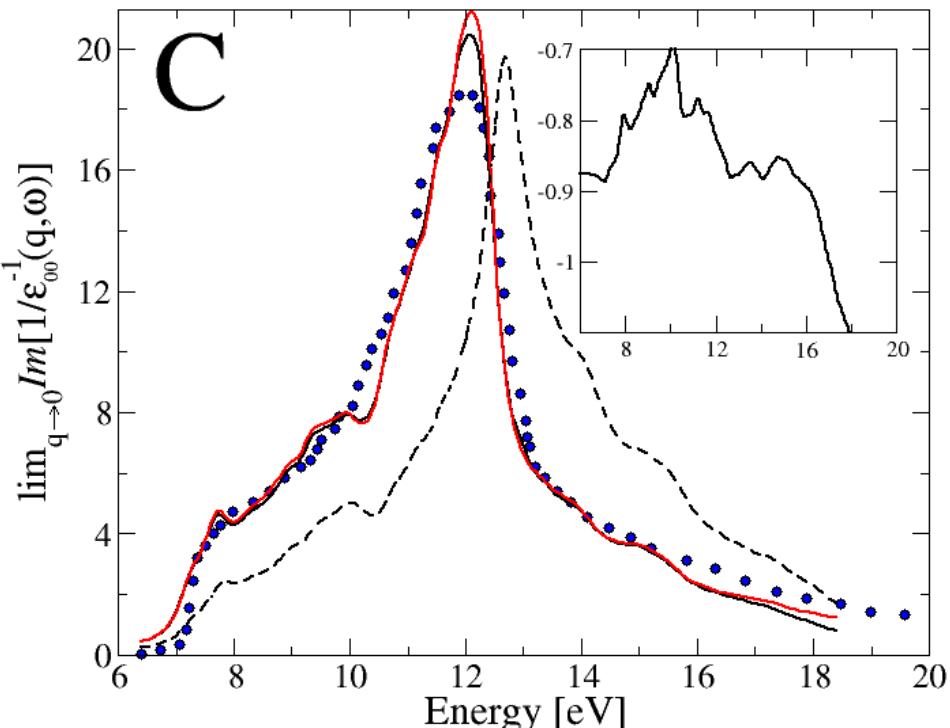
A. Marini, R. Del Sole and AR, PRL (2003)

Bound excitons in TDDFT



$$\text{---} := [\mathbf{P}^{(0)}(\omega)]^{-1}$$

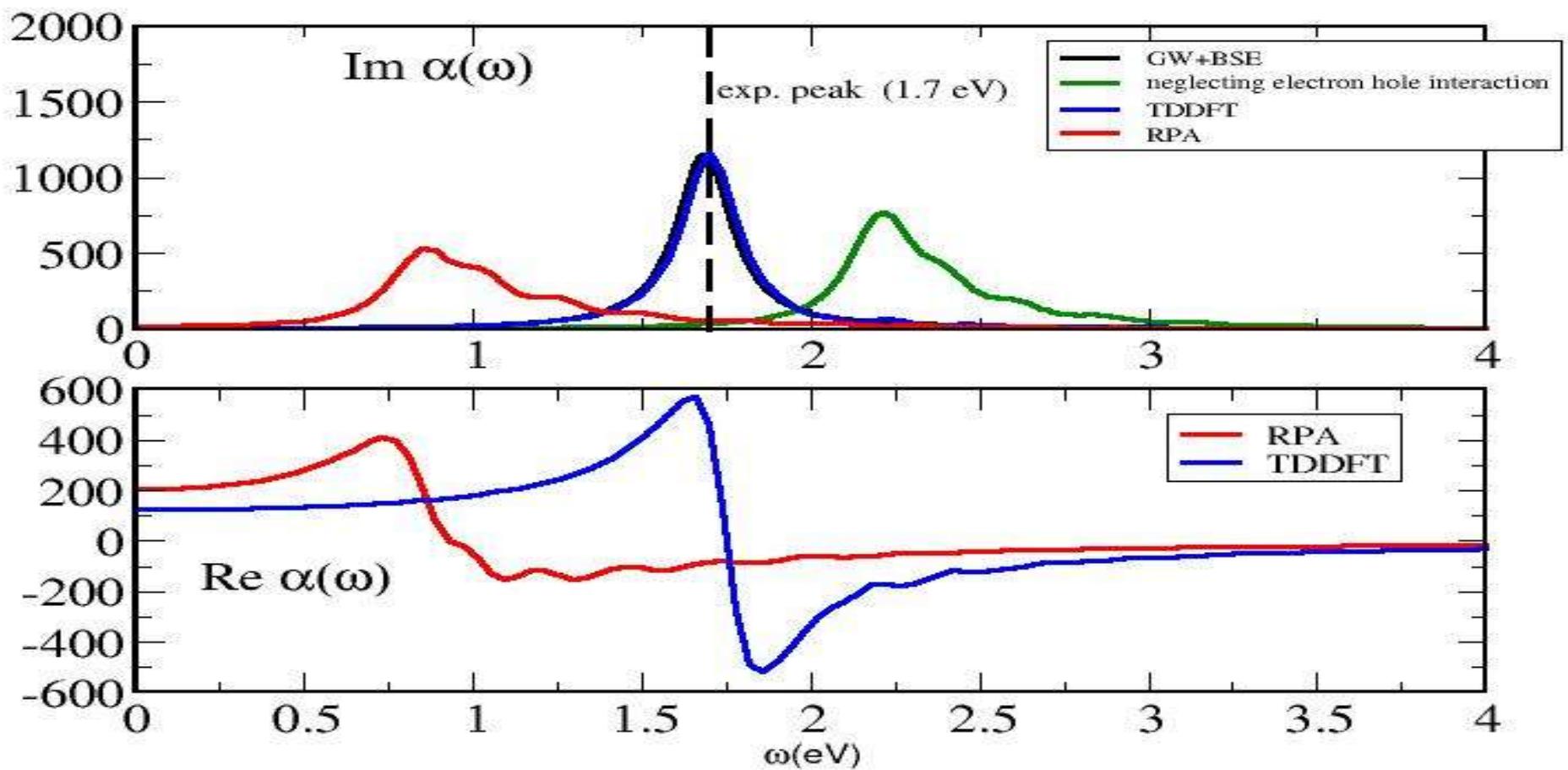
— *TDDFT* ●●● *Experiment*
— *BSE* — *TDDFT, scalar f_{xc}*



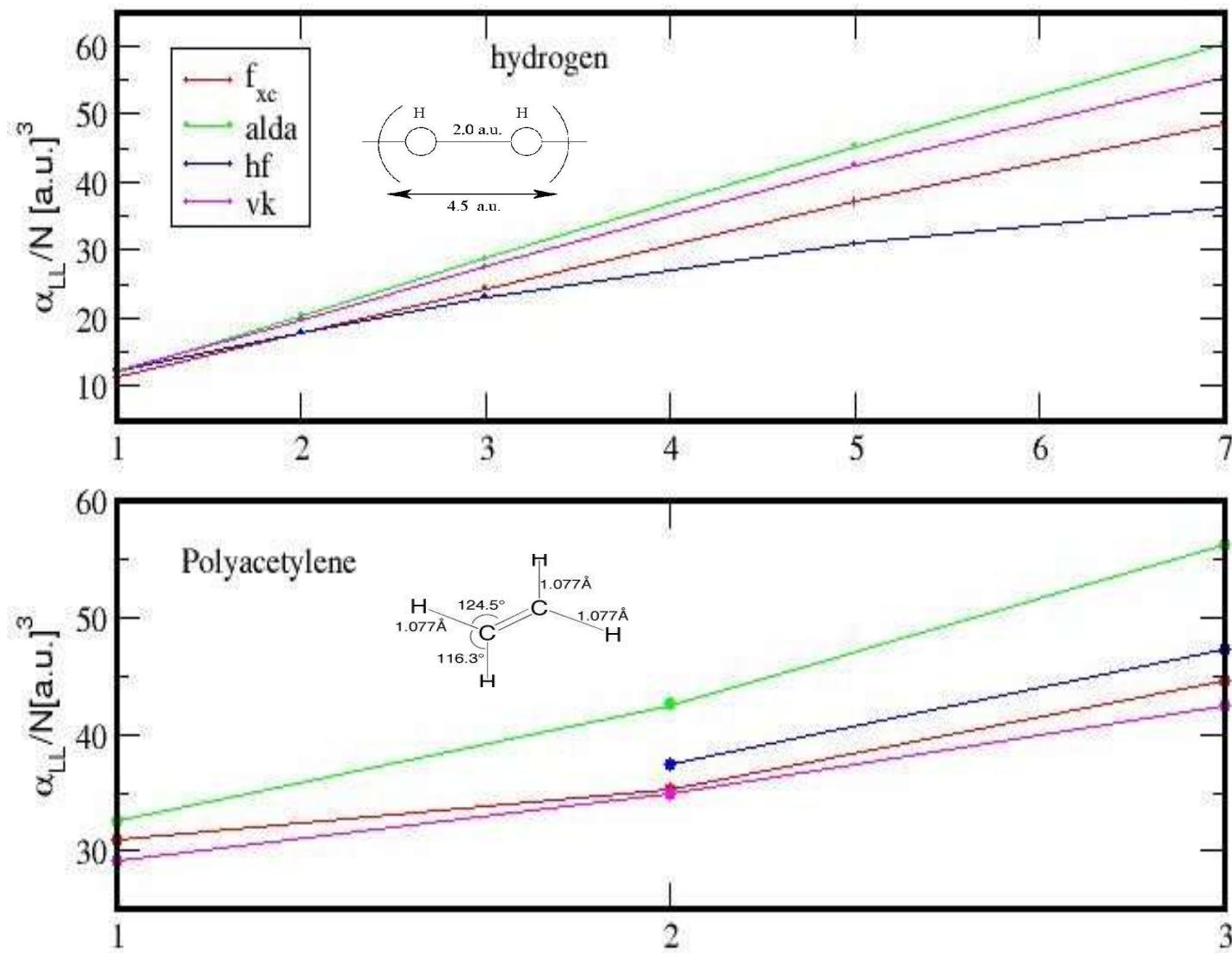
Low dimensional systems (1D): polyacetylene

$$f_{xc}^{BSE}(r, r', \omega)$$

Isolated infinite Polyacetylene chain



Longitudinal polarizability per Monomer



Low dimensional systems (1D): polyacetylene

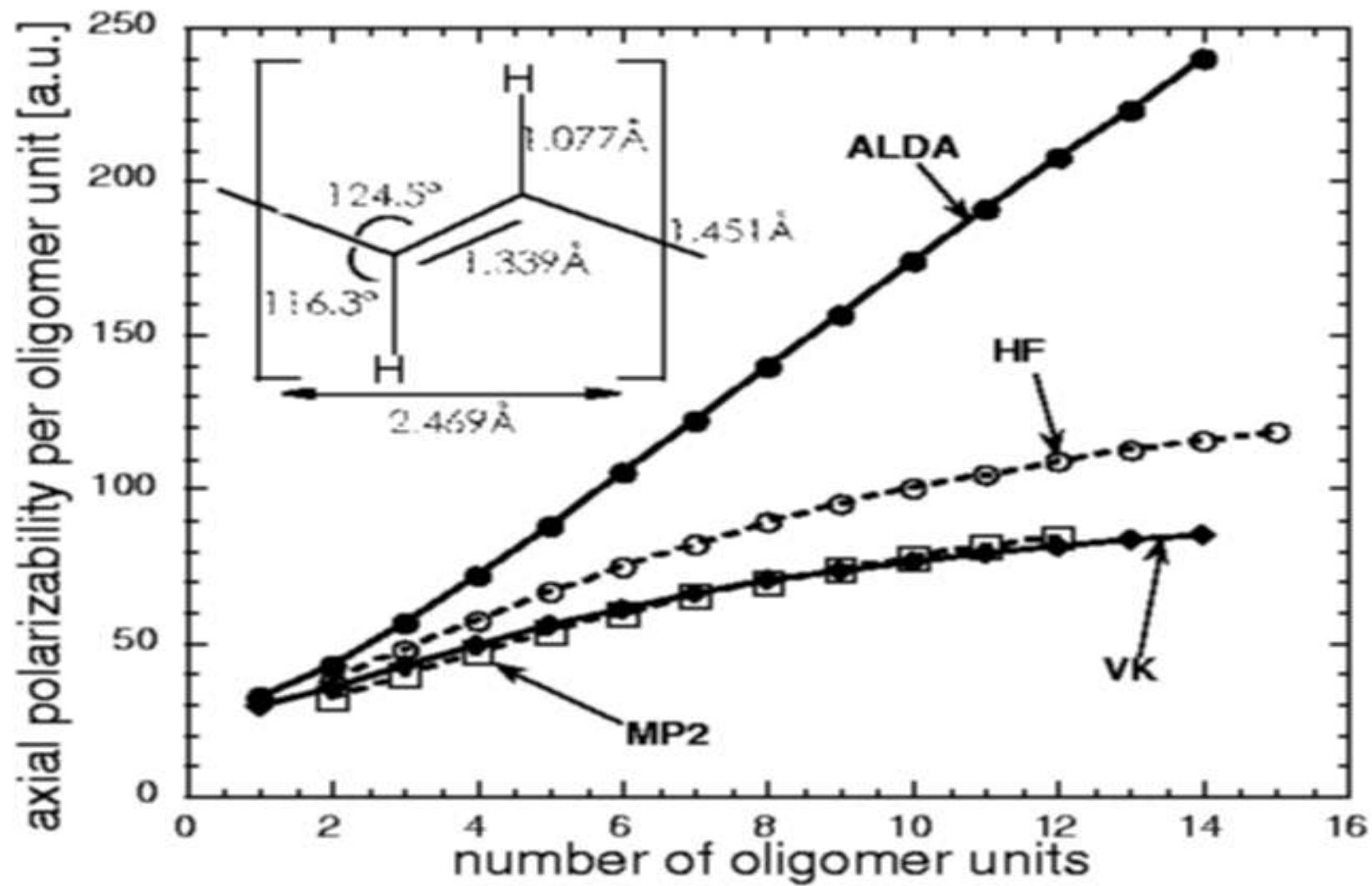
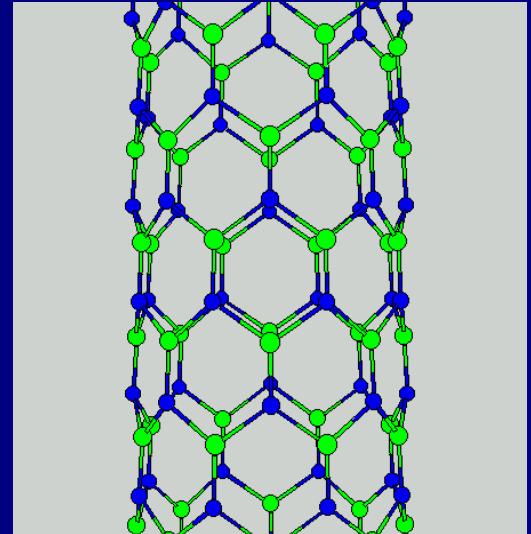


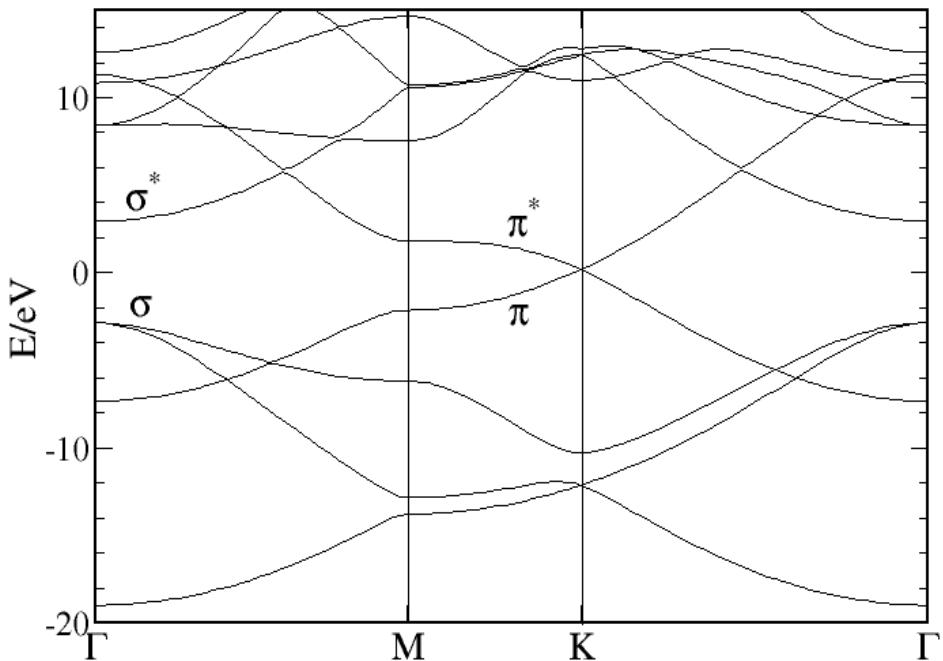
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Bound Excitons in BN nanotubes (also relevant for C)

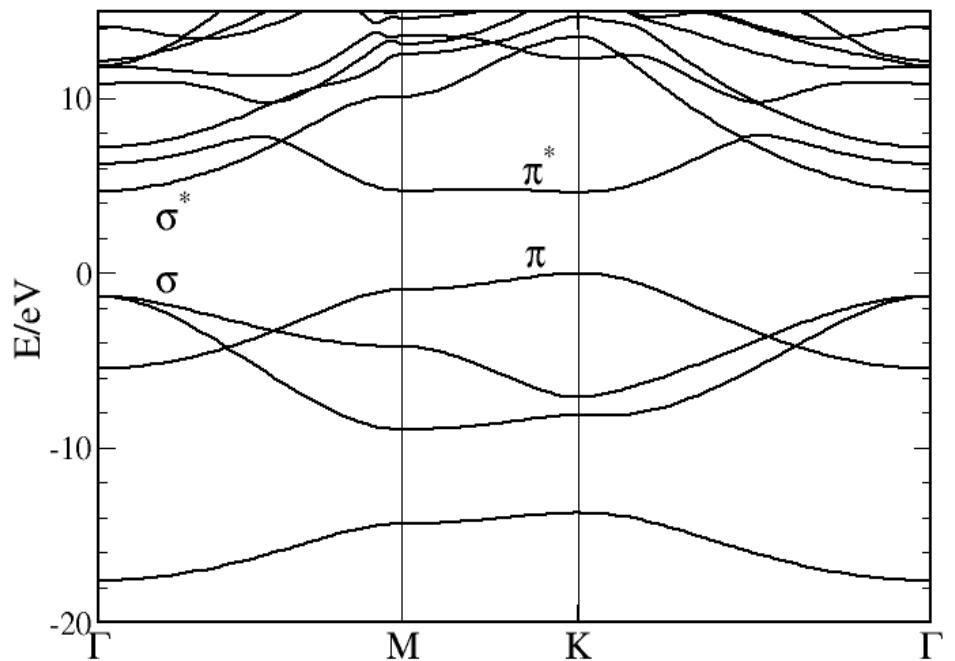
dimensionality effects



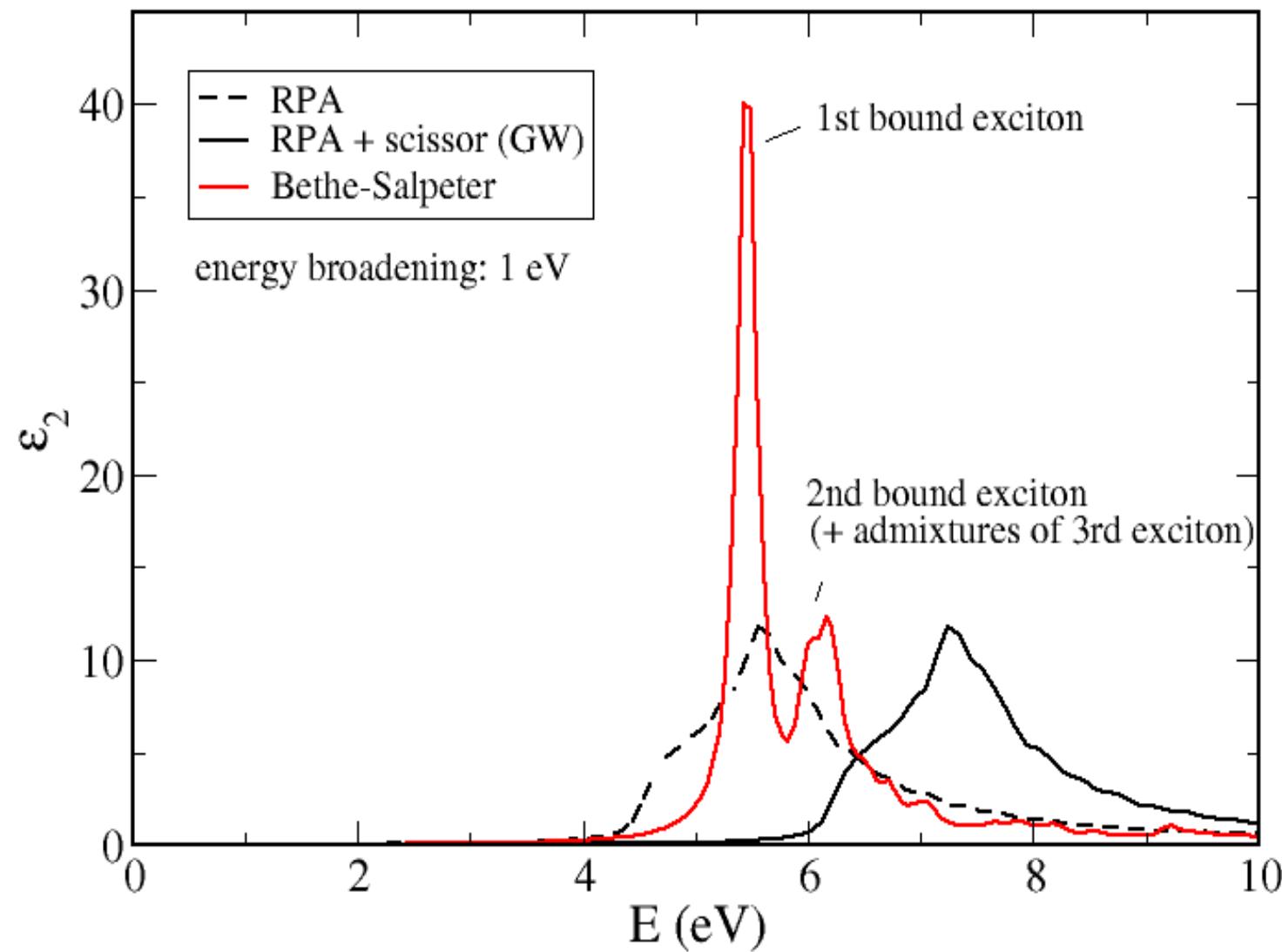
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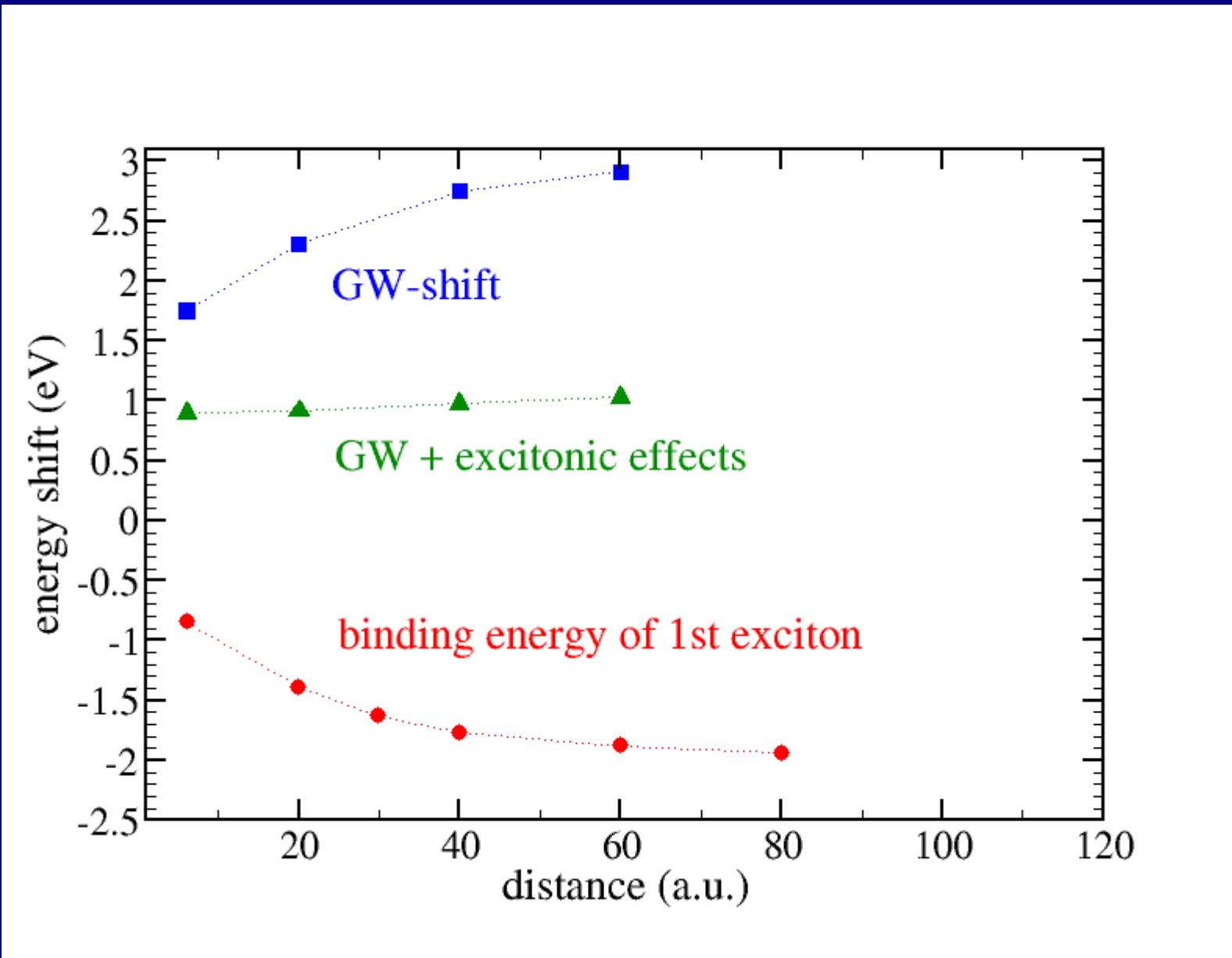
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Bound excitons in bulk h-BN

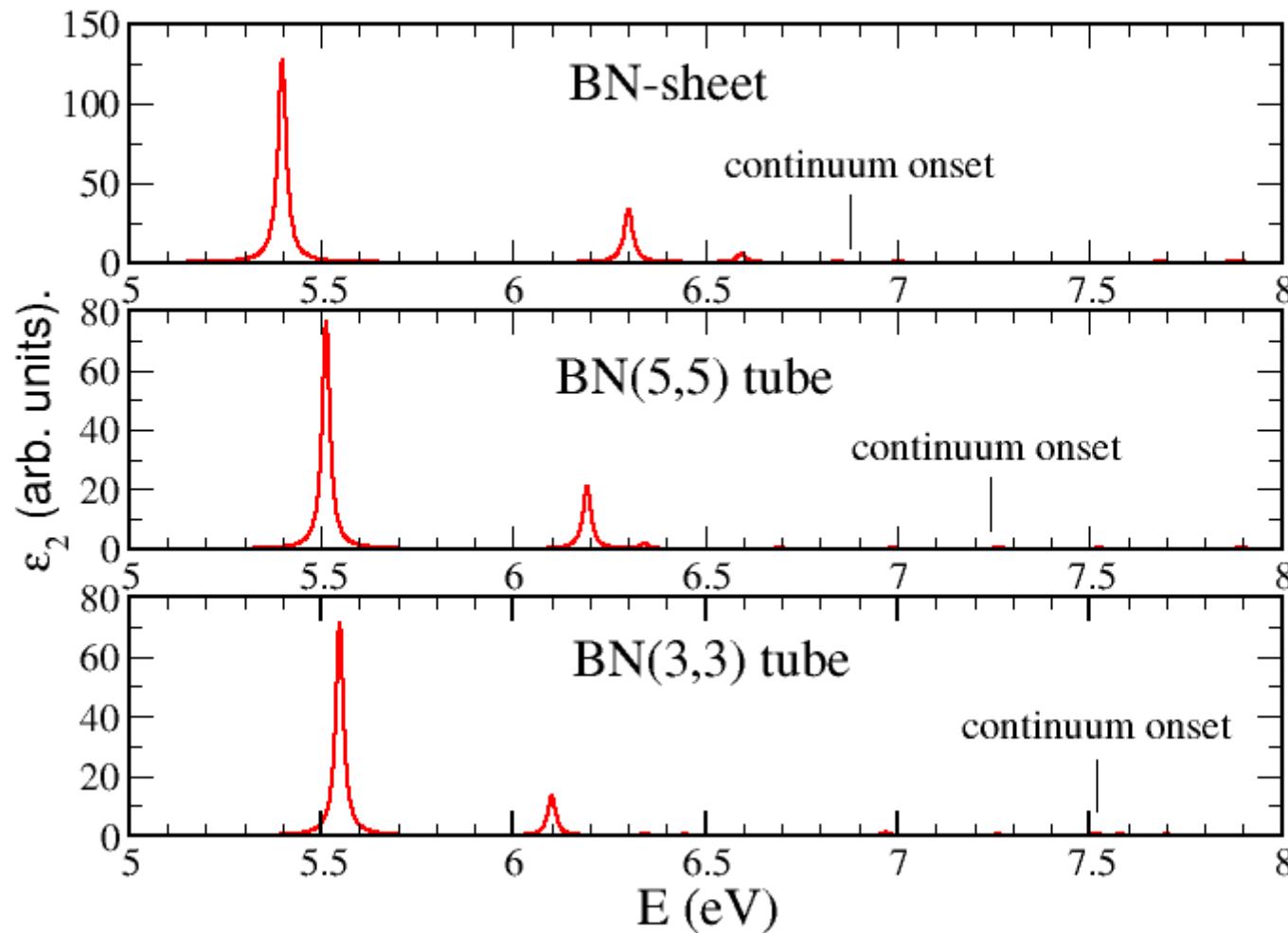


Combined effect of GW-shift and excitons



1st absorption peak remains (almost) at constant position.....

Dimensionality effect: Exciton in (quasi-) 1-D, 2-D, 3-D



Position of first absorption peak almost unchanged
Distance between the peaks and the continuum changes

Summary

- TDDFT is a powerful tool to handle the combined dynamics of electron/ion in response to external electromagnetic fields of nanostructures, biological molecules and extended systems.
- Problem: we need better fxc functionals based on either DFT (or current-DFT) or MBPT approaches

Ongoing work on applications to:

- Time-resolved spectroscopies: pump-probe simulations.
- High-harmonic generation from quantum dots.
- QM/MM: for excited-state dynamics in biomolecules: *photoisomerisation*
- Control chemical reactivity: Pulse optimization in laser induced reaction
- Non-linear effects in One-dimensional systems
- Time-dependent Molecular transport !!!!!!!
- Quantum nuclei, etc.....



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