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**Measurement of Neutron knockout cross-section of  $^{24}\text{O}$  to the ground-state of  $^{23}\text{O}$** <sup>1</sup> DILUPAMA DIVARATNE<sup>2</sup>, CARL BRUNE<sup>3</sup>, PAUL KING<sup>4</sup>, HARSHA ATTANAYAKE<sup>5</sup>, STEVEN GRIMES<sup>6</sup>, Ohio University, MICHAEL THOENNESSEN<sup>7</sup>, DANIEL BAZIN<sup>8</sup>, Michigan State University, MONA COLLABORATION — This research provides an understanding of the structure of the ground state wave-function of  $^{24}\text{O}$  through measuring the neutron knockout cross section of  $^{24}\text{O}$  to the  $\frac{1}{2}^+$  ground state of  $^{23}\text{O}$ . The experiment was conducted at the National Superconducting Cyclotron Laboratory using the S800 spectrograph and 470 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> Be reaction target with 92.3 MeV/u  $^{24}\text{O}$  beam energy. The cross section values to the different final states of  $^{23}\text{O}$  along with the related spectroscopic factors will convey to us information regarding how doubly magic  $^{24}\text{O}$  is. Specific details of this investigation, analysis, interpretation of resulting cross sections and parallel and perpendicular momentum of the residual will be discussed.

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