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No Core Shell Model systematics of the Fermi beta-decay matrix element MICHAEL KRUSE, ERICH ORMAND, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory — We study the systematics of the Fermi beta-decay matrix element by using the No Core Shell Model (NCSM). We employ the chiral N³LO NN interaction and calculate the A=6 triplet T=1 states for He-6, Li-6 and Be-6. Although the Fermi transition is energetically forbidden for A=6, it does provide us with a good testing ground of extrapolation techniques which we intend to employ for the A=10 system. The B-10 to C-10 transition has been measured experimentally and has also been calculated with various theoretical methods including the NCSM. The T=1 Coulomb-displacement energies lie on a parabolic curve as given by the isobaric mass multiplet equation. We calculate the b-coefficients and notice a strong correlation with the charge radius of the nuclei. The isospin mixing correction for the Fermi transition is typically linearly proportional to the size of the basis (N_{max}) and thus cannot be easily extrapolated. We will present a technique in which we extrapolate the b-coefficients as well as the radius to a “converged” result, which we in turn use to estimate the corresponding isospin mixing correction. We will also present results on the giant isovector monopole transition.

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