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***Ab initio* many-body calculations of the ^4He photo-absorption cross section**¹ MICAH SCHUSTER, San Diego State University, SOFIA QUAGLIONI, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, CALVIN JOHNSON, San Diego State University, ERIC JURGENSON, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, PETR NAVRÁTIL, TRIUMF — Working within the no-core shell model approach with a similarity renormalization group (SRG) evolved two- and three-nucleon (NN+NNN) Hamiltonian, we compute the dipole strength function of ^4He , using the Lorentz integral transform (LIT) method to obtain the continuum response. We then compute the total photo-absorption cross section of ^4He . We pay particular attention to the convergence of the total strength and of the LIT of the dipole response as we increase the size of the harmonic oscillator basis.

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