## Lu163 Energy Function – November update

- 1. Study the evolution of the three minima of the energy function, with the change in angular momentum I (for a fixed set of moments of inertia, V,  $\gamma$  and j).
  - For a given set of MOIs, the location of the minimum points of the energy function  $\mathcal{H}$  won't change their location with the change in spin (i.e.  $p_{min}^k = \{\theta_k, \varphi_k\}$  will remain in the same positions within the  $\theta \varphi$  plane).
  - The change in rotational spin I will only change the value of  $\mathcal{H}$  itself.
- 2. Check the expression of the energy function in cartesian coordinates using the new quantization axis:  $x_3$  is the quantization axis:  $x_3 = I \cos \theta$ .