

Collision between single atoms in optical tweezers

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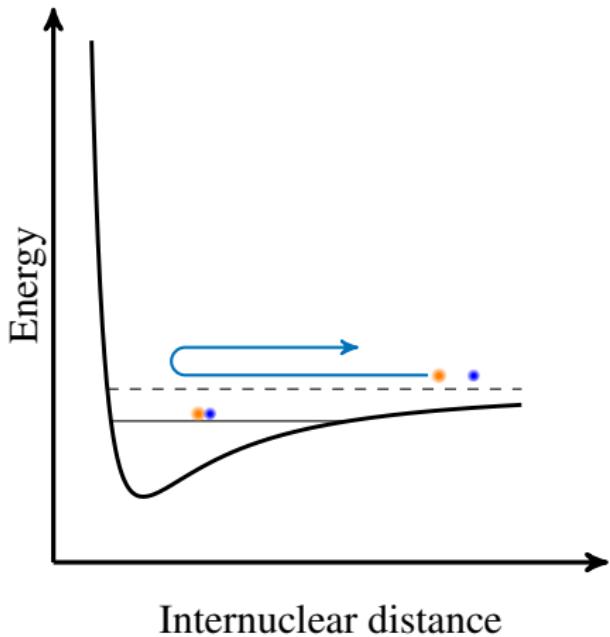
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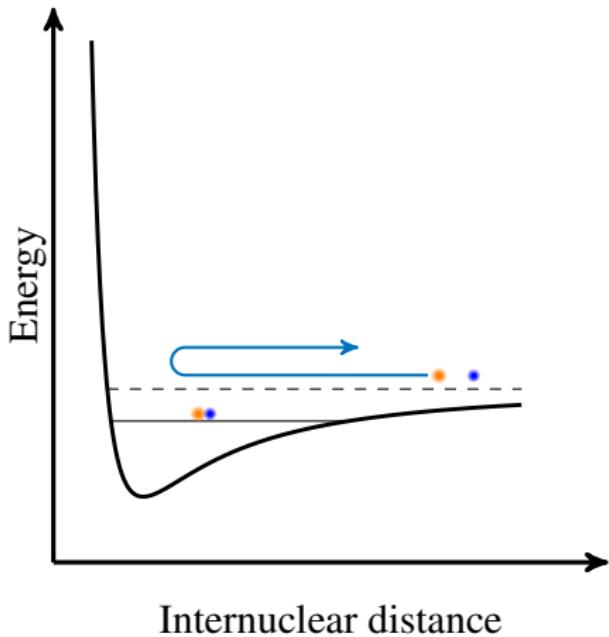
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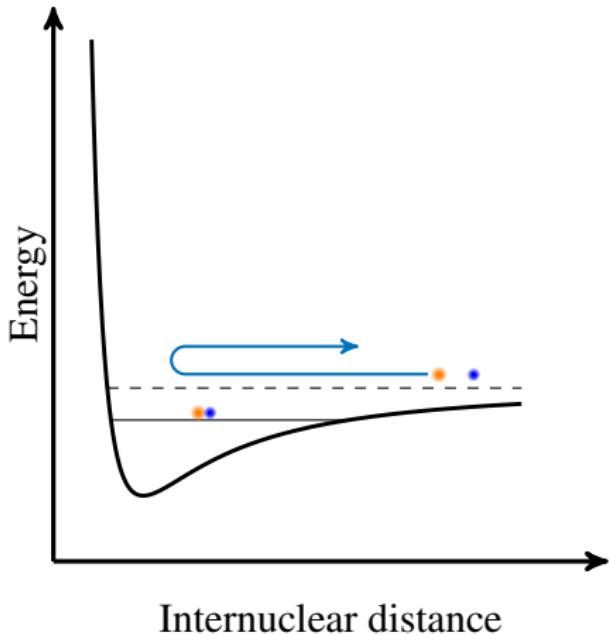
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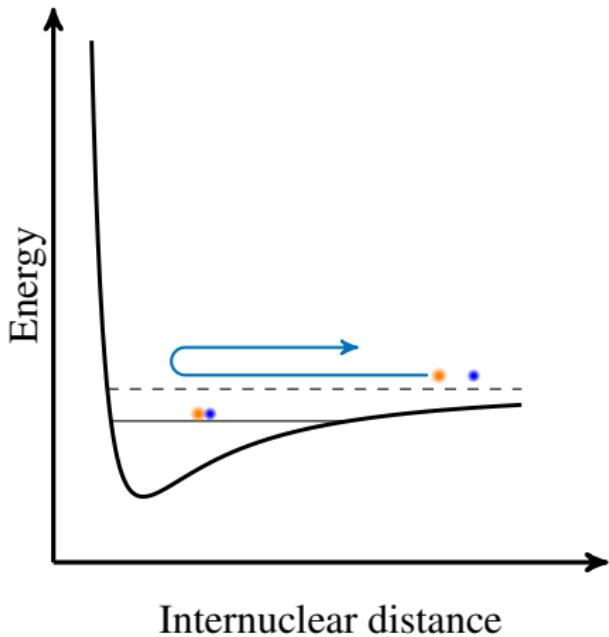
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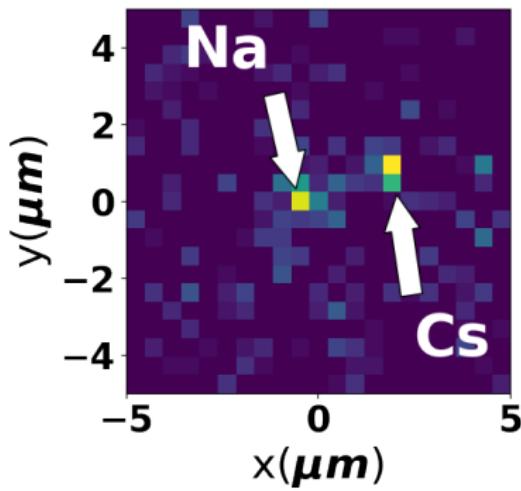


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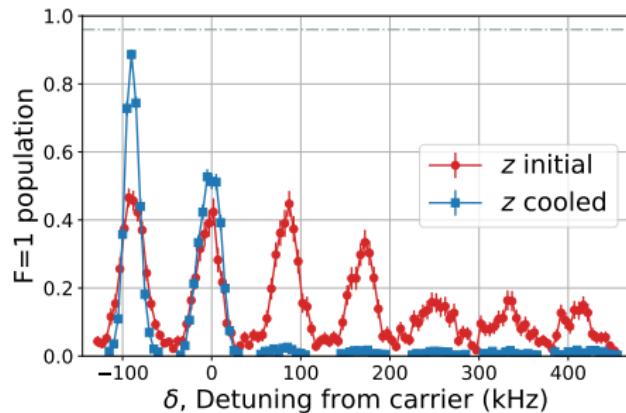


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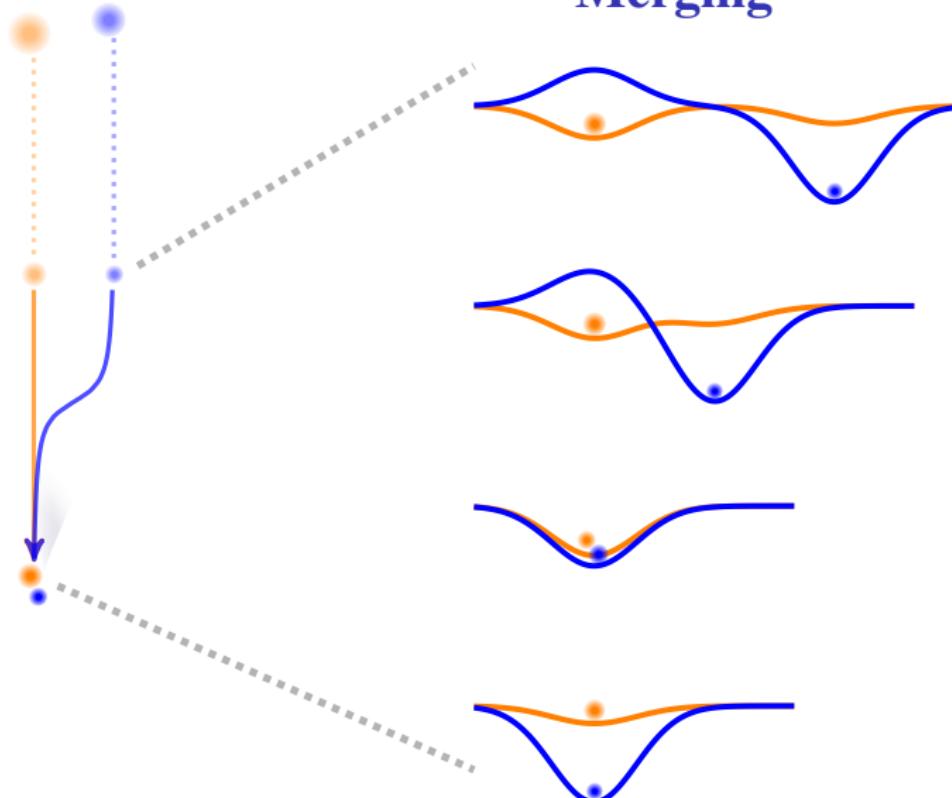
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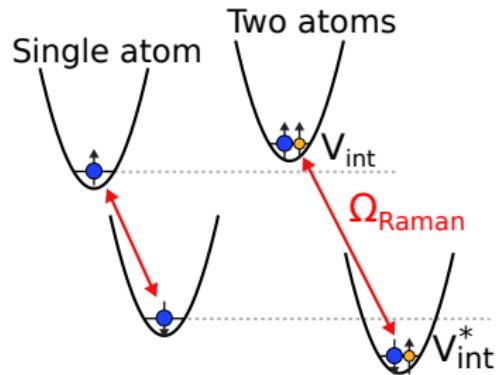
Cs: 96% ground state

Na: 94% ground state

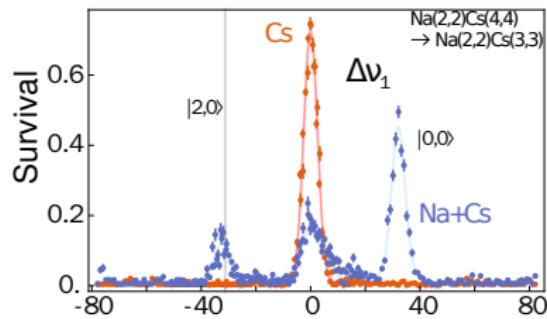
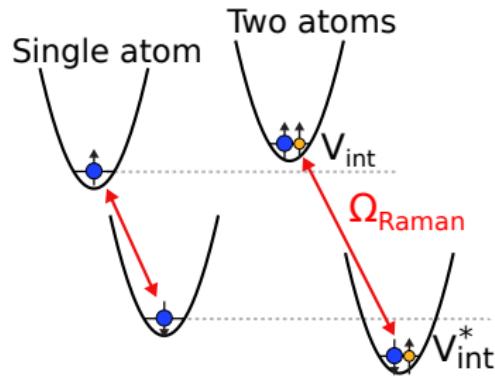
Merging



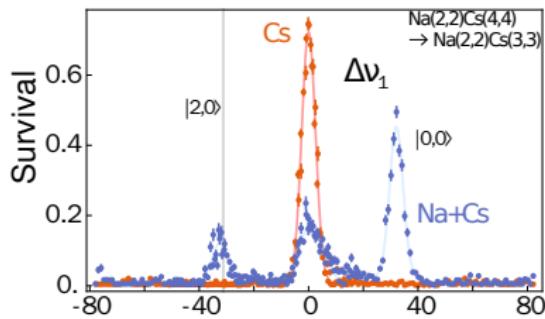
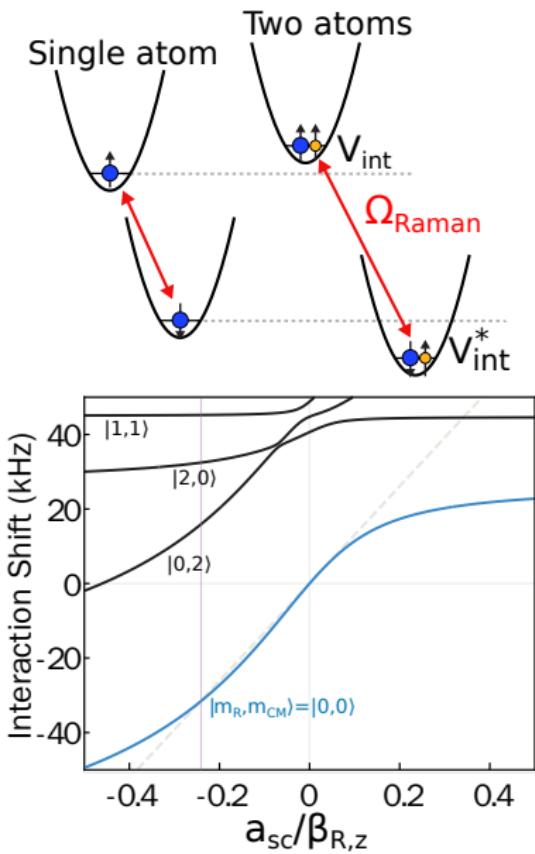
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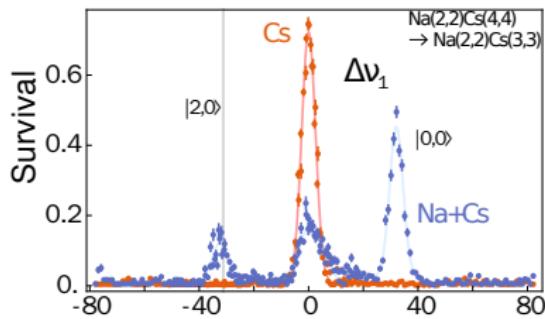
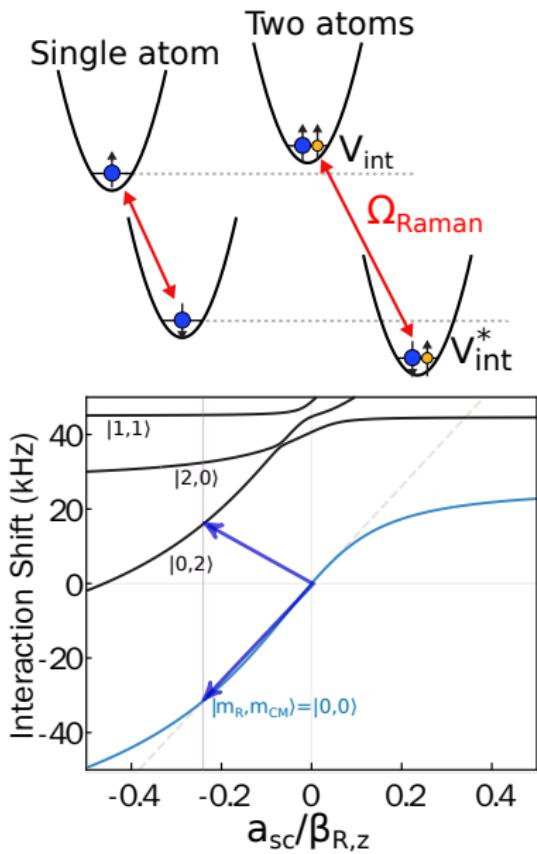
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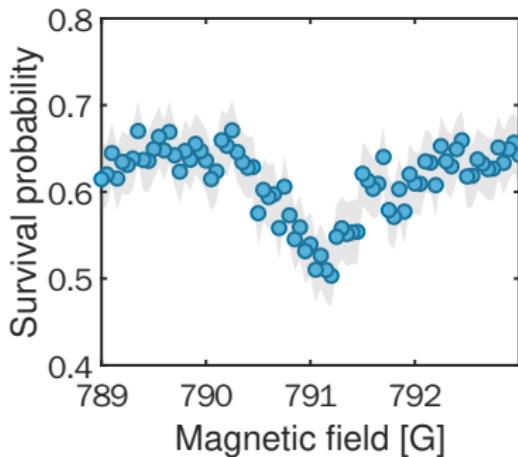
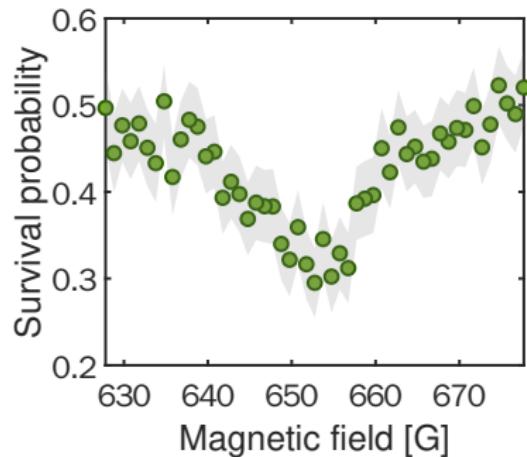
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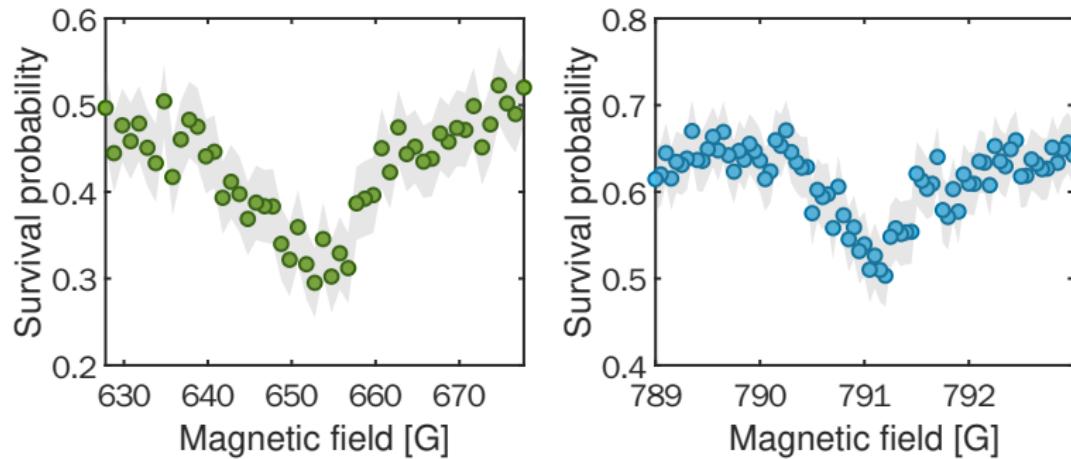
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Feshbach resonance



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	<i>s</i> -wave	<i>p</i> -wave
Predicted (MQDT)	663 G	799 G
Measured	652(3) G	791.2(2) G

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Thank you for your attention.