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## Structure within the N=40 Island of Inversion

The focus of this work is neutron-rich Fe and Mn isotopes with N~40, which lie within an Island of Inversion approximately centered at  $\langle \sup \rangle 64 \langle \sup \rangle Cr$ . Here, a quenching of the N=40 sub-shell gap allows multi-particle multi-hole excitations and deformation to develop in the ground-state configurations of nuclei in the region. Limited spectroscopic information has been collected so far in the region of N~40 below  $\langle \sup \rangle 68 \langle \sup \rangle Ni$ . For the even-even nuclei, the  $2\langle \sup \rangle + \langle \sup \rangle < \sup \rangle 1 \langle \sup \rangle$  and  $4\langle \sup \rangle + \langle \sup \rangle < \sup \rangle 1 \langle \sup \rangle$  state energy systematics has been explored and, for the Fe and Cr isotopes, of B(E2;  $2\langle \sup \rangle + \langle \sup \rangle < \sup \rangle 1 \langle \sup \rangle - \langle \sup \rangle + \langle \sup \rangle > 1 \langle$ 

Proton knockout reactions on the neutron-rich N=38 and N=40 isotopes <sup>64,66</sup>Fe and <sup>63,65</sup>Mn have been performed to investigate the proton spectroscopic factors of the parent nuclei. We will discuss the results of this measurement as well as a complementary secondary fragmentation measurement, and interpret in comparison with both LSSM and Nilsson model calculations.

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