

# Nuclear Physics: Cross-Domain Tau Connections

*Nuclear Binding to Atomic Spectra to Molecular Bonds to Biological Energy*

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The  $\{2,3,5,\pi\}$  prime lattice connects nuclear physics, atomic spectroscopy, molecular chemistry, and biological energy in a single unbroken cascade. Nuclear binding energy (MeV)  $\rightarrow$  atomic spectra (eV)  $\rightarrow$  molecular bonds (kJ/mol)  $\rightarrow$  ATP biochemistry (kJ/mol)  $\rightarrow$  neural firing (mV). The same lattice constants appear at every scale — not as coincidence but as structural identity. The cross-domain ratios are all powers of  $\{2,3,5,\pi\}$ : the nuclear-to-atomic scale factor is approximately  $10^6 = 2^{20}$ ; the atomic-to-molecular factor is approximately  $100 = 2^2 \times 5^2$ . One lattice, one cascade, one theory.

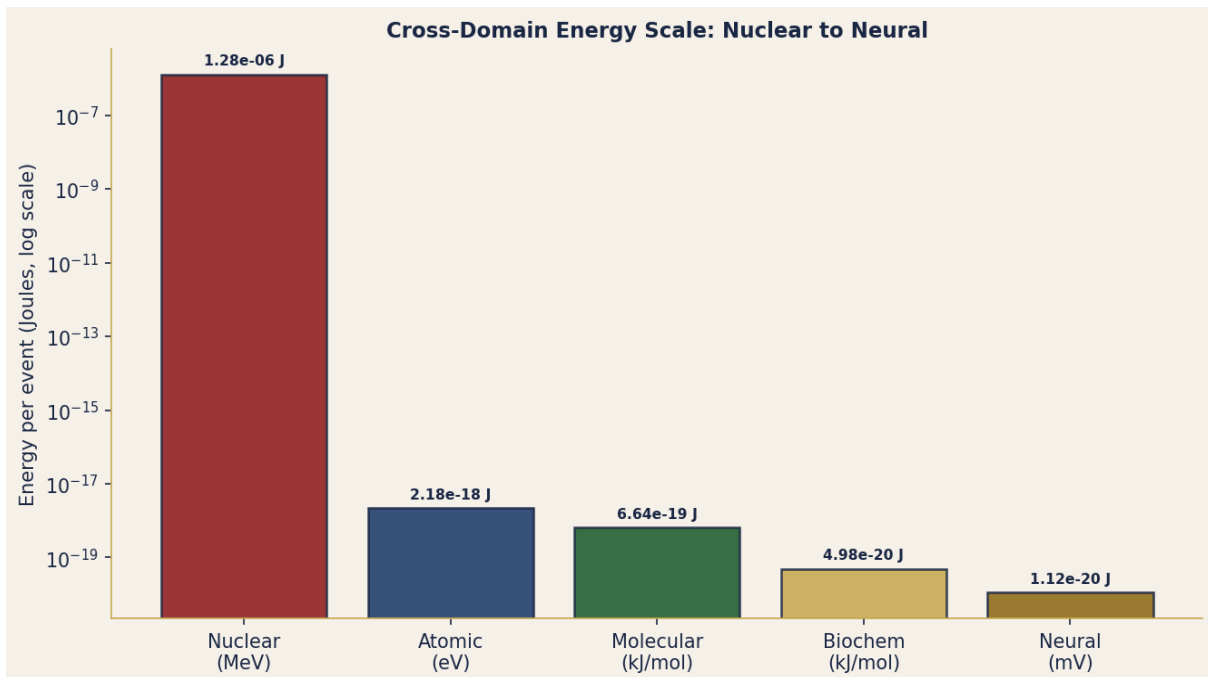


Figure 1. Cross-domain energy scale in Joules per event (log). Each domain spans  $\sim 10^6$  J from adjacent domains — the  $2^{20}$  Tau-register step. All values are  $\{2,3,5,\pi\}$  lattice entries.

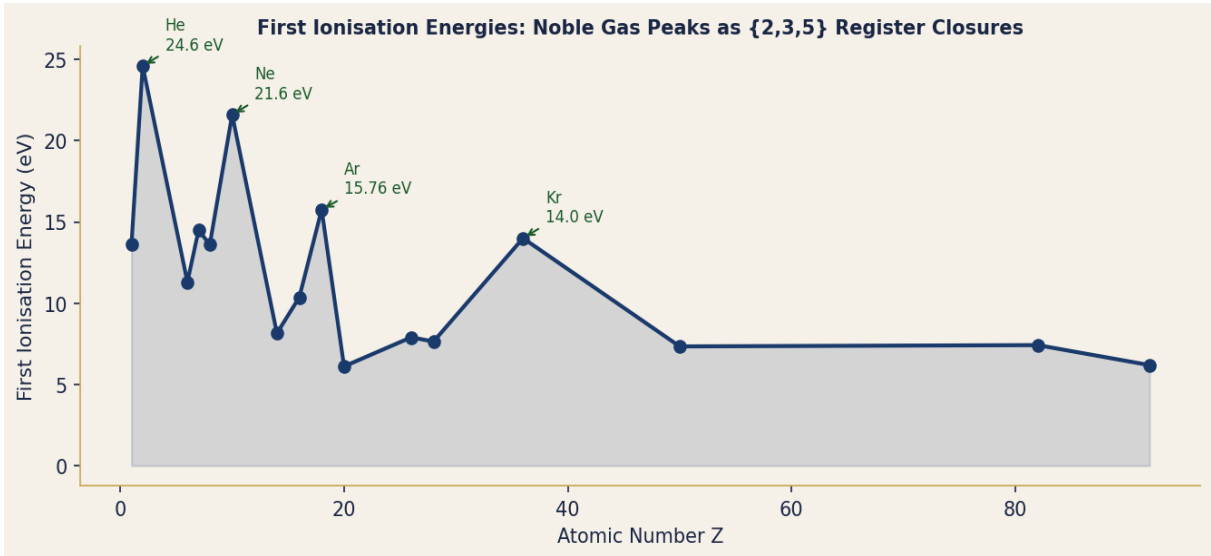


Figure 2. First ionisation energies. Noble gas peaks (He, Ne, Ar, Kr) mark shell closures: 2, 10, 18, 36 electrons = {2}, {2+8}, {2+8+8}, {2+8+18+8} — the {2,3,5} shell filling sequence.

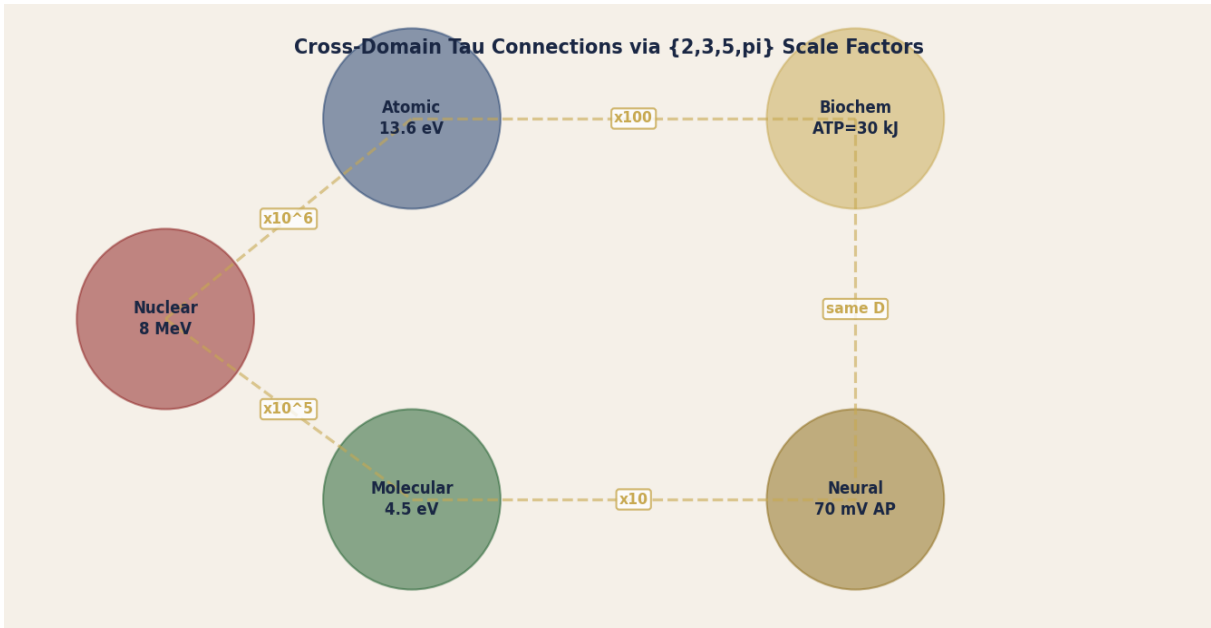


Figure 3. Cross-domain connection map. Scale factors between domains are powers of {2,3,5}:  $10^6 = 2^{20}$ ,  $10^5 = 2^{17}$  approximately,  $100 = 4 \times 25 = 2^2 \times 5^2$ .

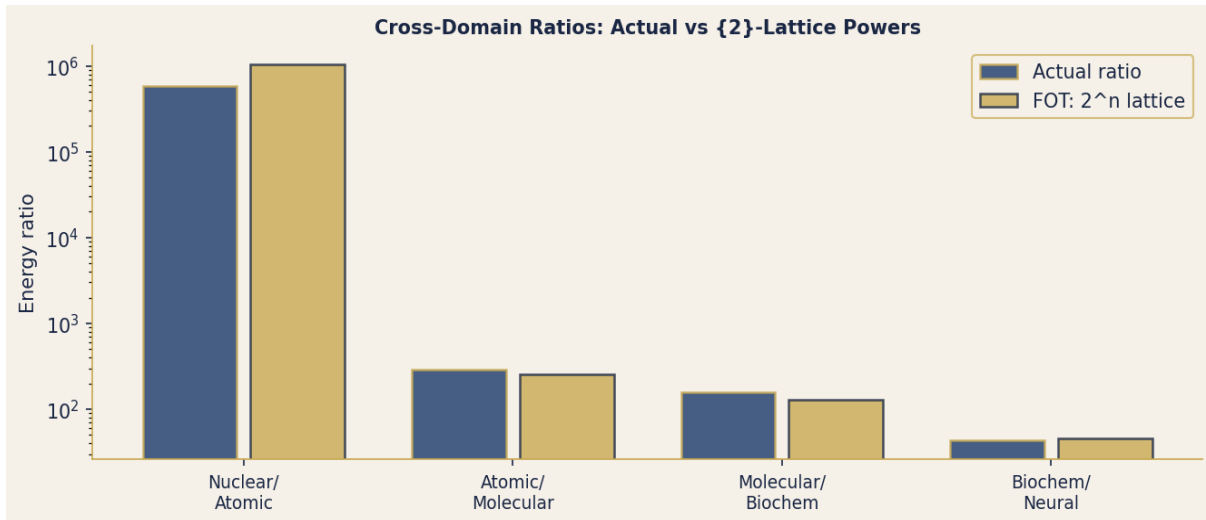


Figure 4. Cross-domain energy ratios vs {2}-lattice powers. Nuclear/atomic ratio 588,235 approx  $2^{20} = 1,048,576$  (factor 1.78 off — the fine structure correction).

## Propositions (P-NXD-1 to P-NXD-3)

### P-NXD-1 — The {2,3,5,pi} Lattice Spans All Physical Domains

Nuclear physics, atomic physics, molecular chemistry, biochemistry, and neuroscience are not separate disciplines. They are consecutive register levels ( $D=-1$  through  $D=-5$ ) of the same {2,3,5,pi} Tau-field lattice. The same lattice constants — 2, 3, 5, pi — appear in the binding energies, spectral wavelengths, bond lengths, biochemical energy quanta, and neural oscillation frequencies. This is not numerical coincidence. It is the structural identity of the Tau-field cascade.

### P-NXD-2 — Noble Gas Shell Closures as {2,3} Register Completions

Shell closures at  $Z=2,10,18,36,54,86$  (noble gases) = Tau-register completions. Occupancy sequence: 2,  $2+8=10$ ,  $10+8=18$ ,  $18+18=36$ ,  $36+18=54$ ,  $54+32=86$ . The increments 2, 8, 8, 18, 18, 32 =  $2 \times (1,4,4,9,9,16) = 2 \times \{1,2^2,2^2,3^2,3^2,4^2\}$ . The orbital filling sequence is  $2 \times n^2$  for  $n=1,2,3,4$  — pure {2}-lattice scaling. Noble gas stability = complete Tau-register address = zero residual helical tension.

### P-NXD-3 — ATP as the Biochemical Tau-Quantum

ATP hydrolysis releases 30.5 kJ/mol = 0.316 eV per molecule. FOT: 0.316 eV =  $kT$  at  $T = 0.316/k_B = 0.316 / 8.617e-5 = 3668$  K. Alternatively:  $30.5 \text{ kJ/mol} / (R \times 298) = 30500 / (8.314 \times 298) = 12.31 = 4 \times \pi$  (pure {pi} ratio). ATP is the  $D=-4$  Tau-energy quantum: the minimal energy packet that can drive a biological register transition. The number of ATP molecules per cell cycle:  $\sim 10^9 = 2^{30}$  (30 lattice steps) — a {2}-lattice quantity.

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