A photograph of a satellite, likely the International Space Station, with its solar panels extended, against a dark background of space. Below it is a view of Earth's atmosphere and clouds.

Extreme Universe Space Observatory

Status of the JEM-EUSO Mission

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7th Fluorescence Workshop
September 22-24, 2010, Coimbra, Portugal

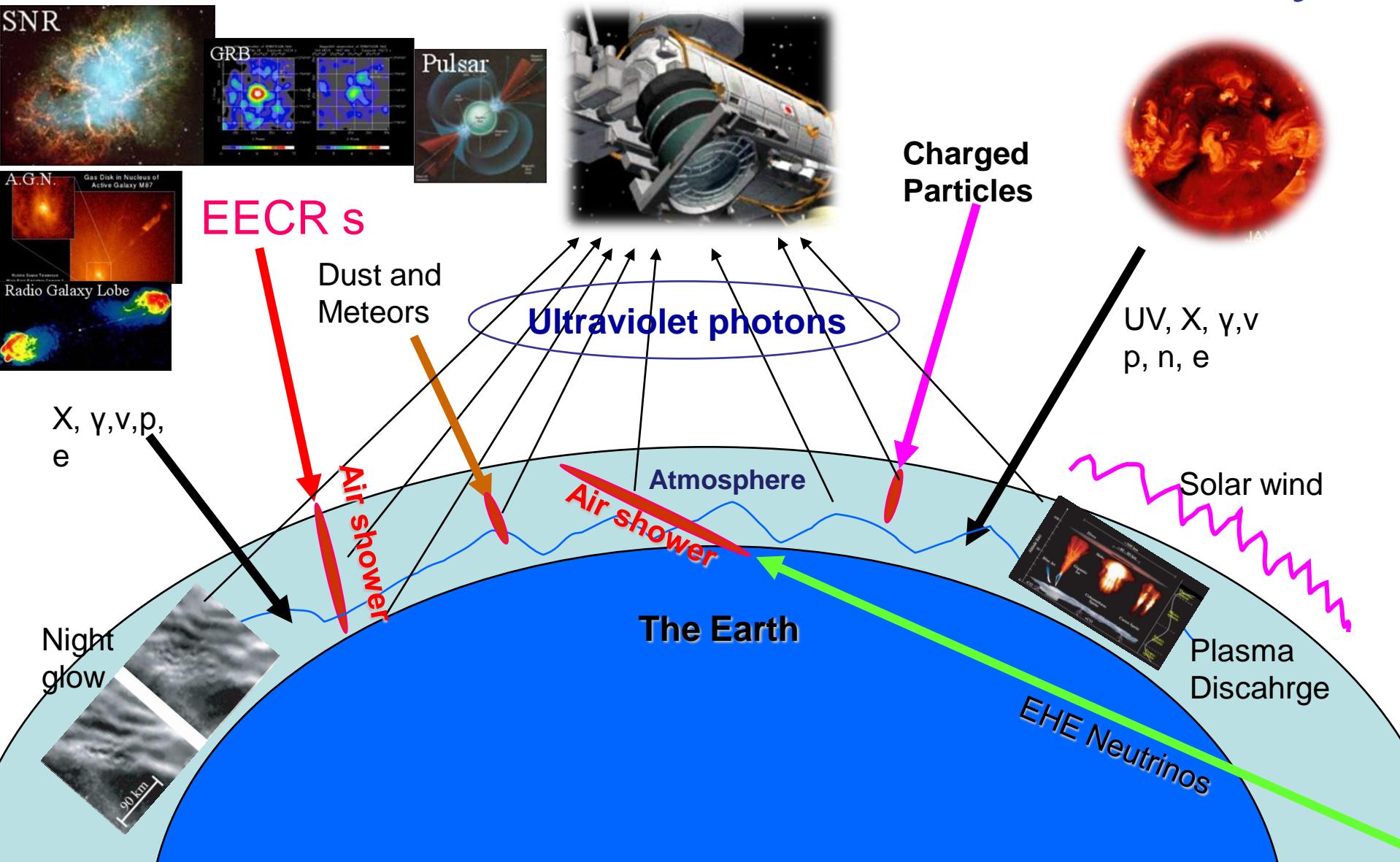
JEM-EUSO collaboration



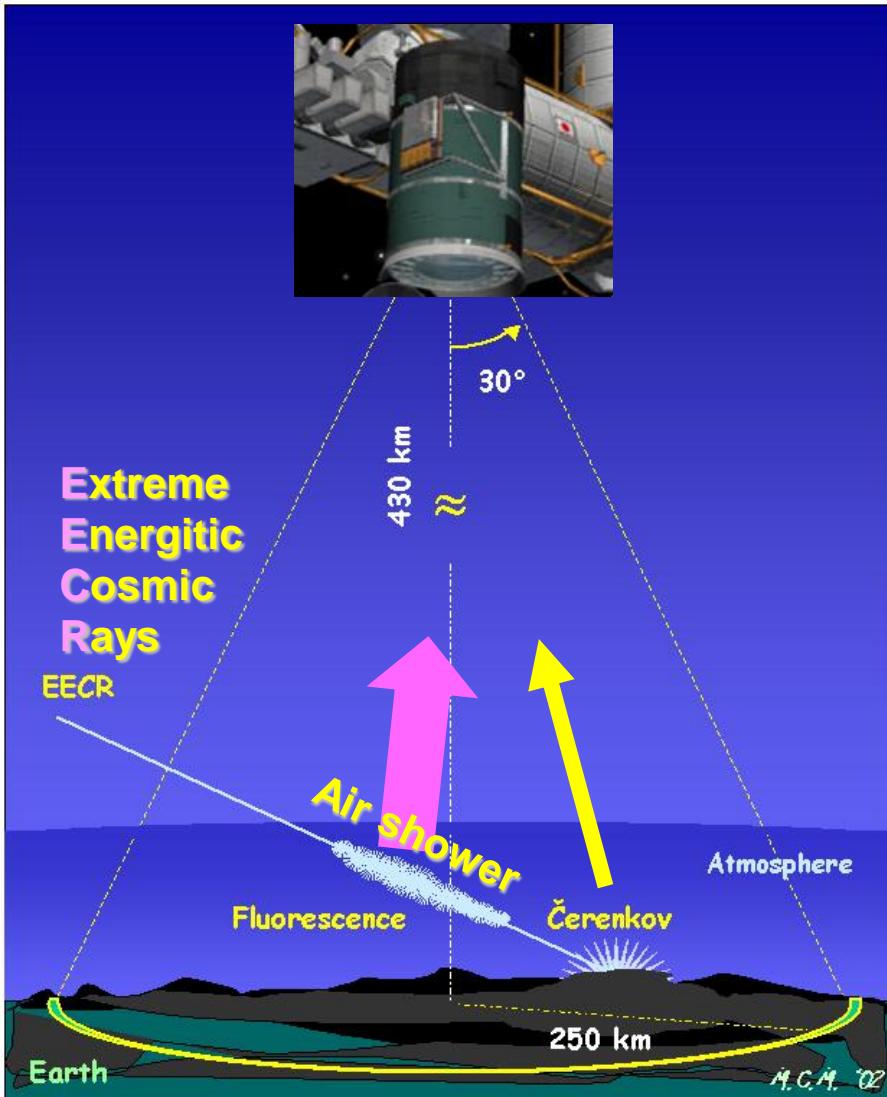
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JEM-EUSO is the Astronomical Earth Observatory



JEM-EUSO Observational Principle



JEM-EUSO is a new type of observatory on board the International Space Station (ISS), which observes transient luminous phenomena occurring in the earth's atmosphere.

The telescope has a super wide field-of-view(60°) and a large diameter(2.5m).

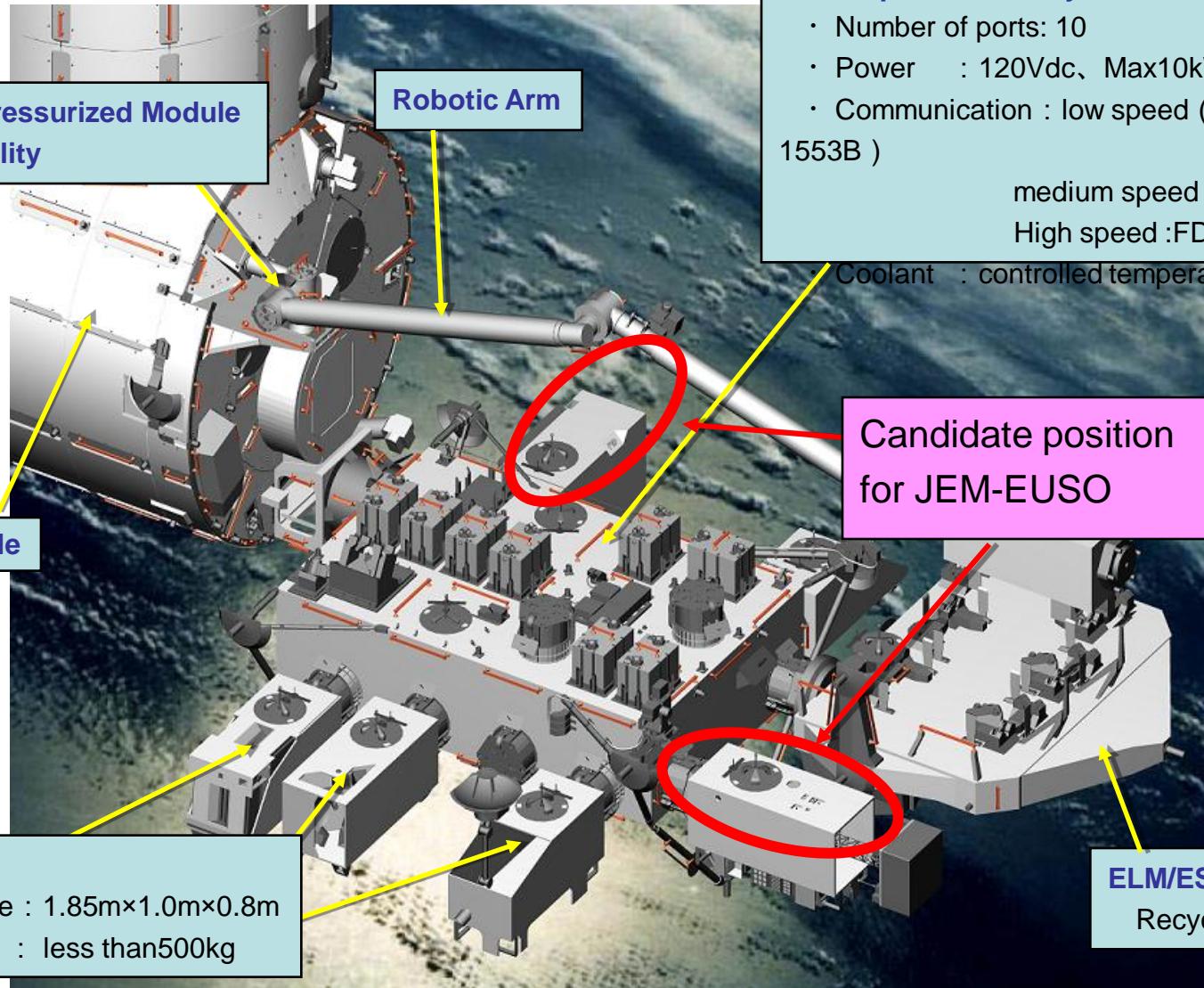
JEM-EUSO mission will initiate particle astronomy at $\sim 10^{20}$ eV.

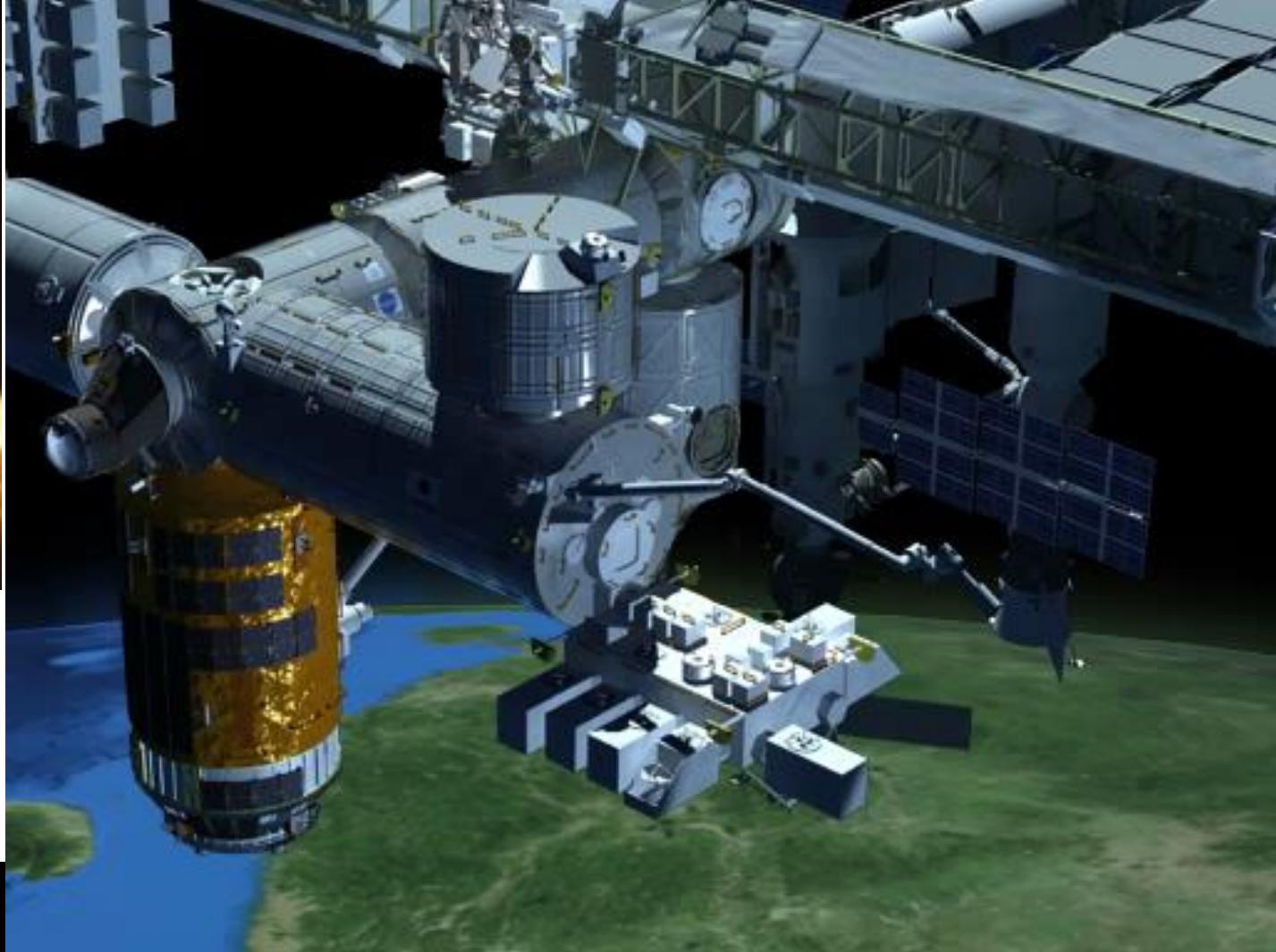
JEM-EUSO telescope observes fluorescence and Cherenkov photons generated by air showers created by extreme energetic cosmic rays

Japanese Experiment Module “Kibo” : July 2009



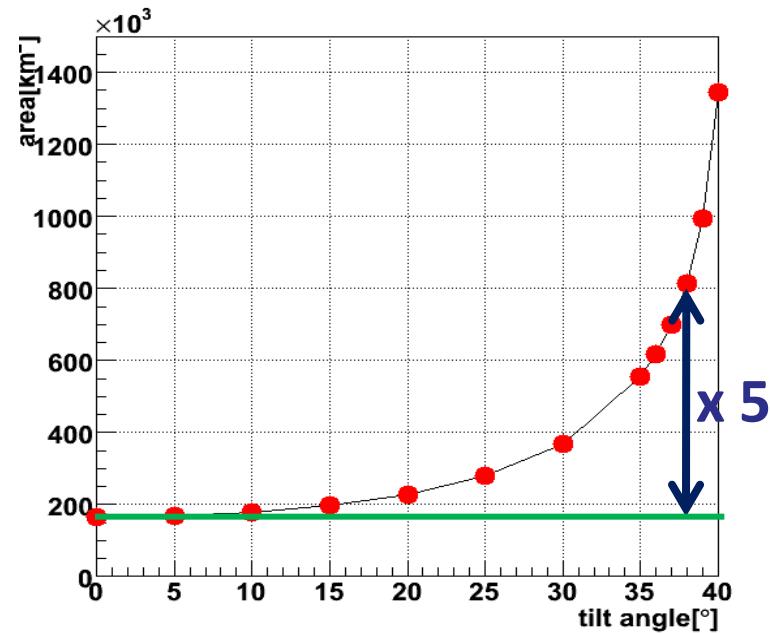
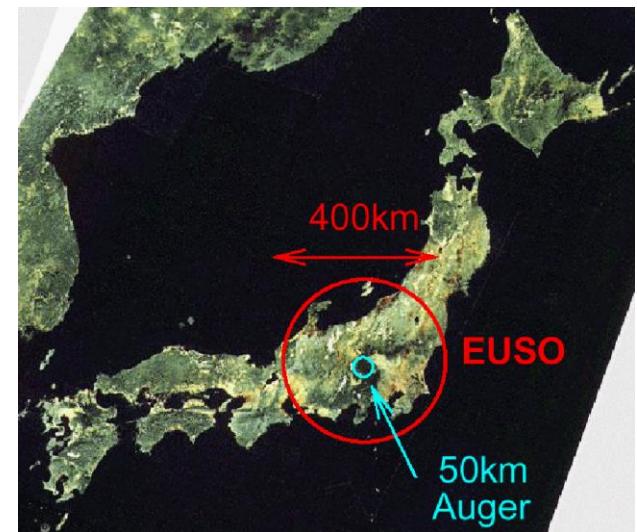
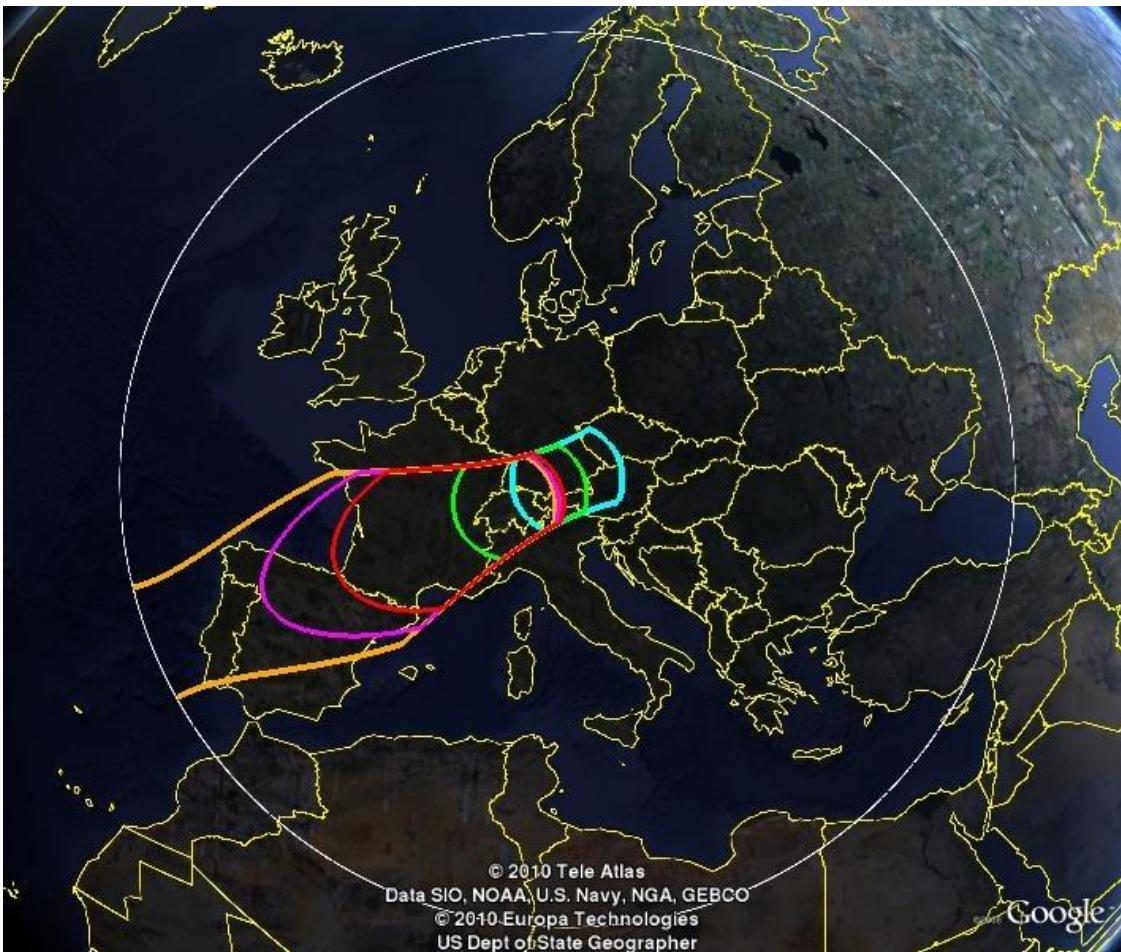
Outline of JEM Exposure Facility



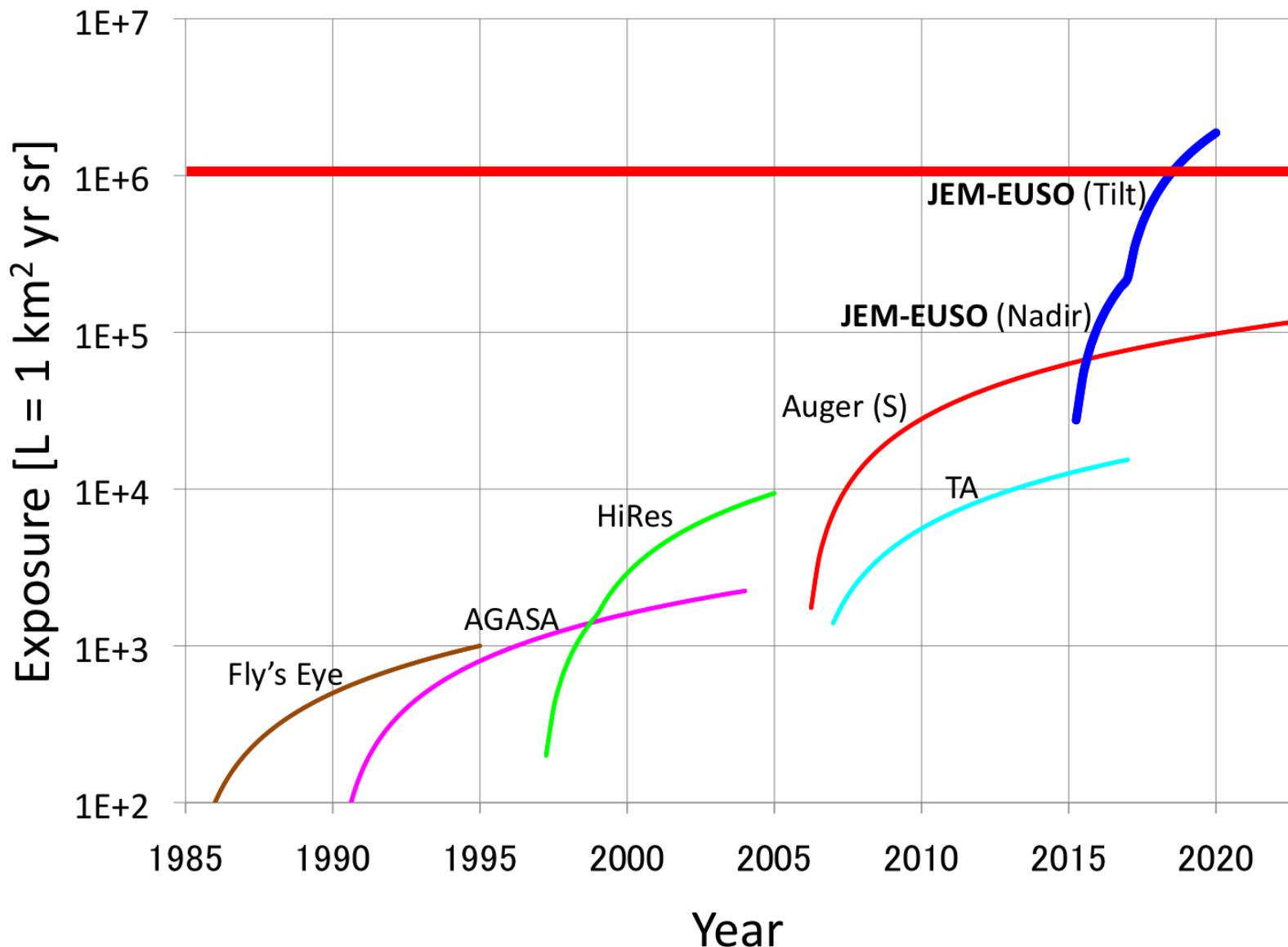


Successful Launch of HTV
September 11, 2009

Field of View



Exposure Evolution



Mission Parameters

- Time of launch: year 2015
- Operation Period: 3 years (+ 2 years)
- Launching Rocket : H2B
- Transportation to ISS: un-pressurized Carrier of H2 Transfer Vehicle (HTV)
- Site to Attach: Japanese Experiment Module/Exposure Facility #2
- Height of the Orbit: ~400km
- Inclination of the Orbit: 51.64°
- Mass: 1983 kg
- Power: 926 W (operative),
352 W (non-operative)
- Data Transfer Rate: 285 kpbs

Science Objectives

- **Fundamental Objective**

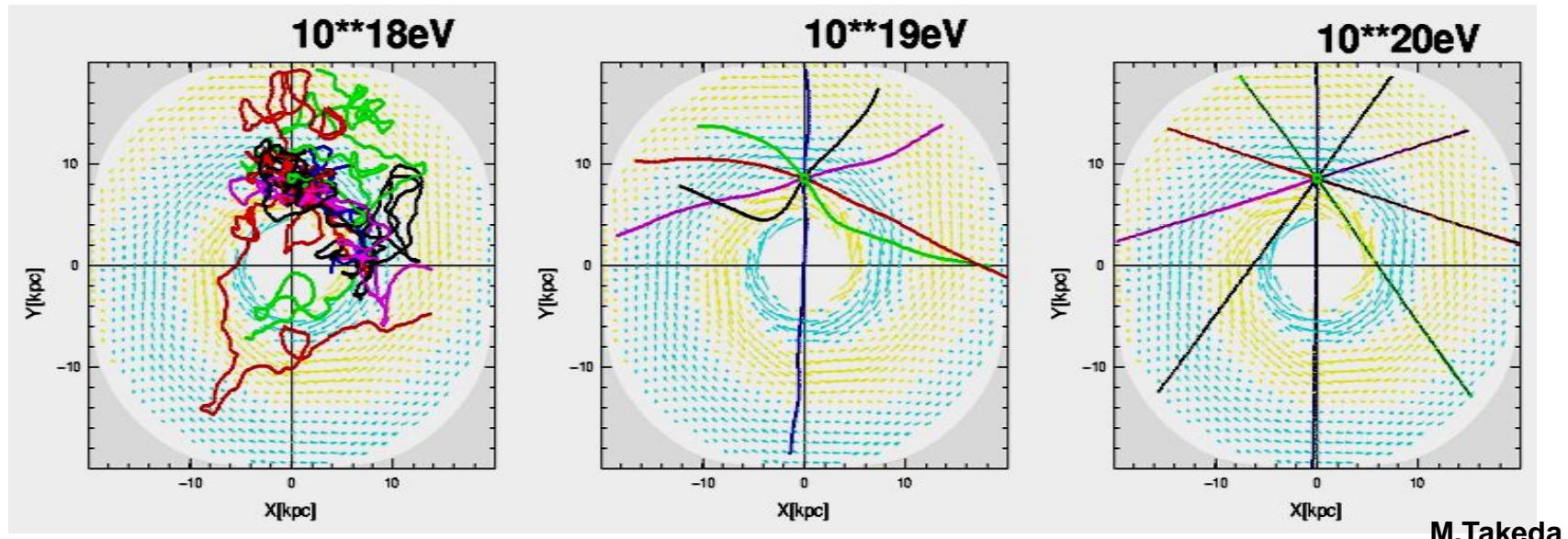
Extreme energy astronomy by particle channel

Determine their origin and the acceleration mechanism

- **Exploratory Objectives**

- Detection of extreme energy **gamma rays**
- Detection of extreme energy **neutrinos**
- Study of the **galactic magnetic field**
- Verification of the **relativity** and the **quantum gravity** effect in extreme energy
- Global observations of **nightglows**, **plasma discharges** and **lightning**

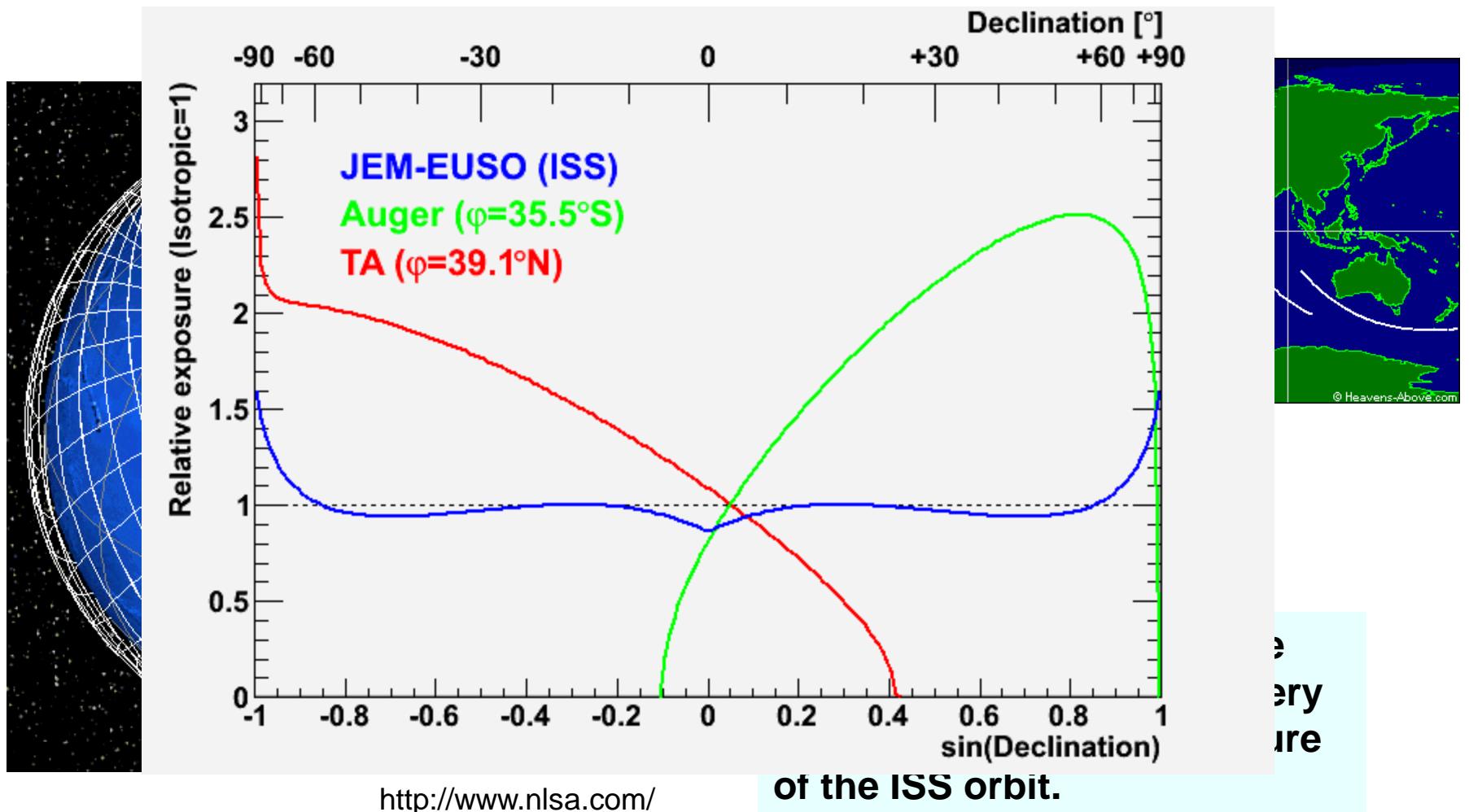
$E > 10^{20}$ eV particles do not bend



銀河内の伝播シミュレーション

We can specify origin of EECRs by arrival direction

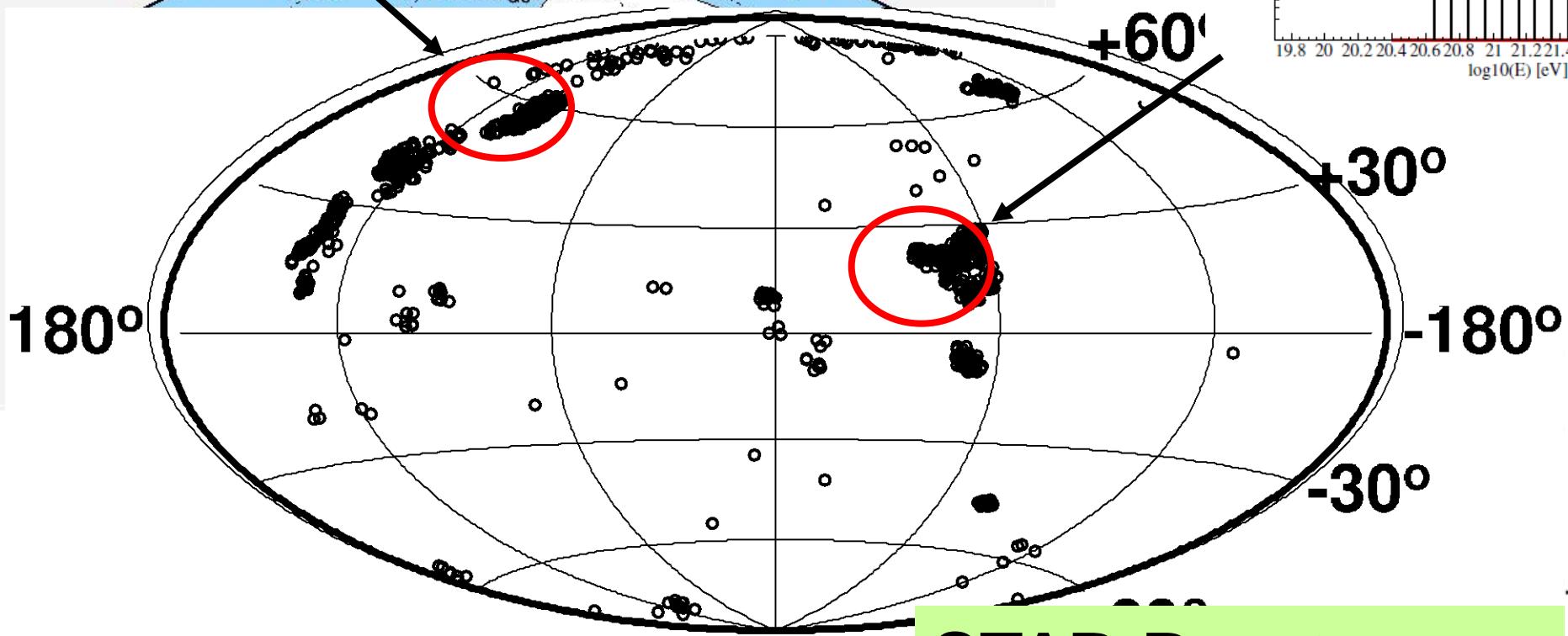
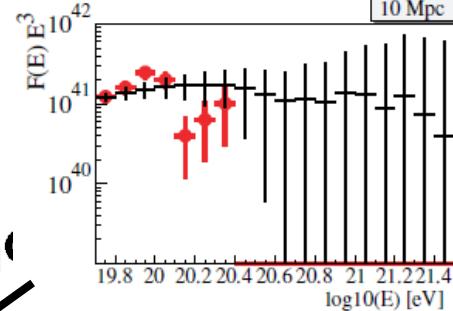
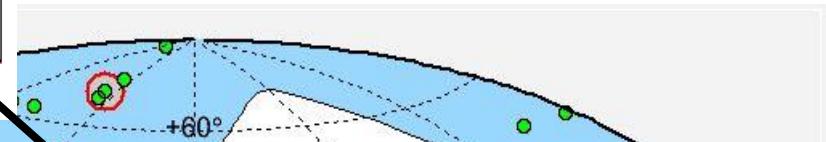
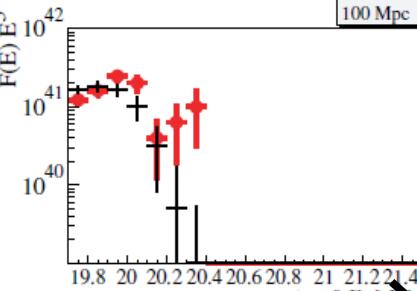
ISS Orbit



Full-Sky Coverage

Arrival Map

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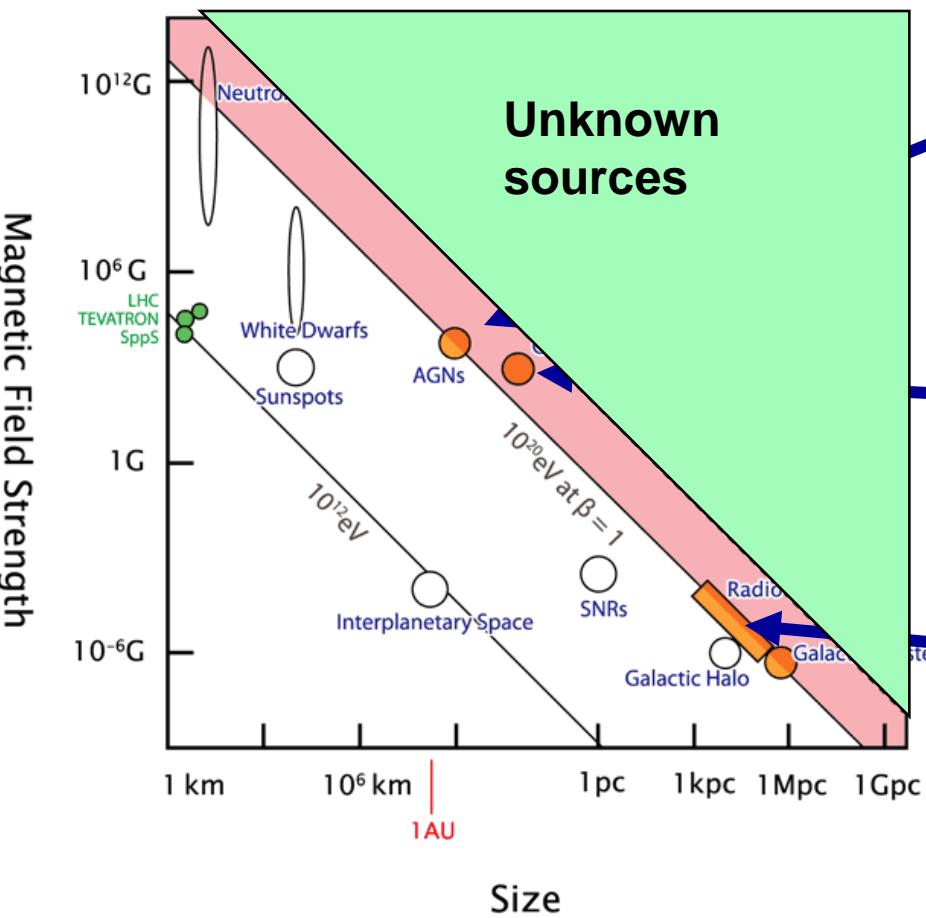


- Identify the sources
- Confirmation of GZK
- Clarify acceleration mechanism

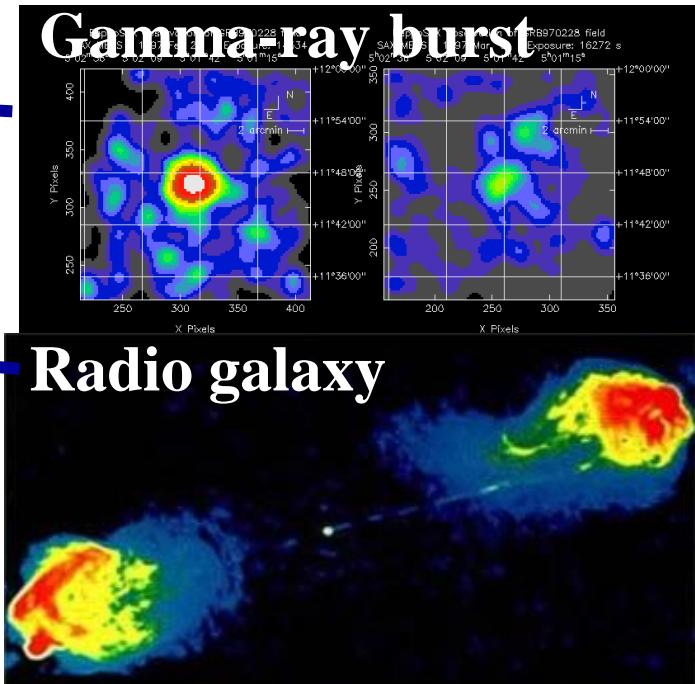
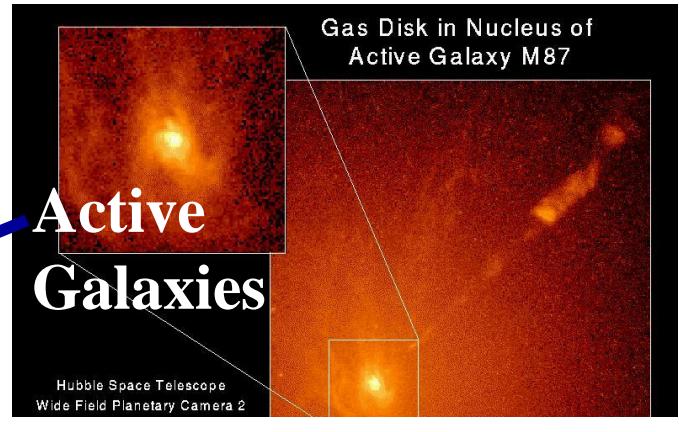
STAR Burst
Galaxies

Possible Sources

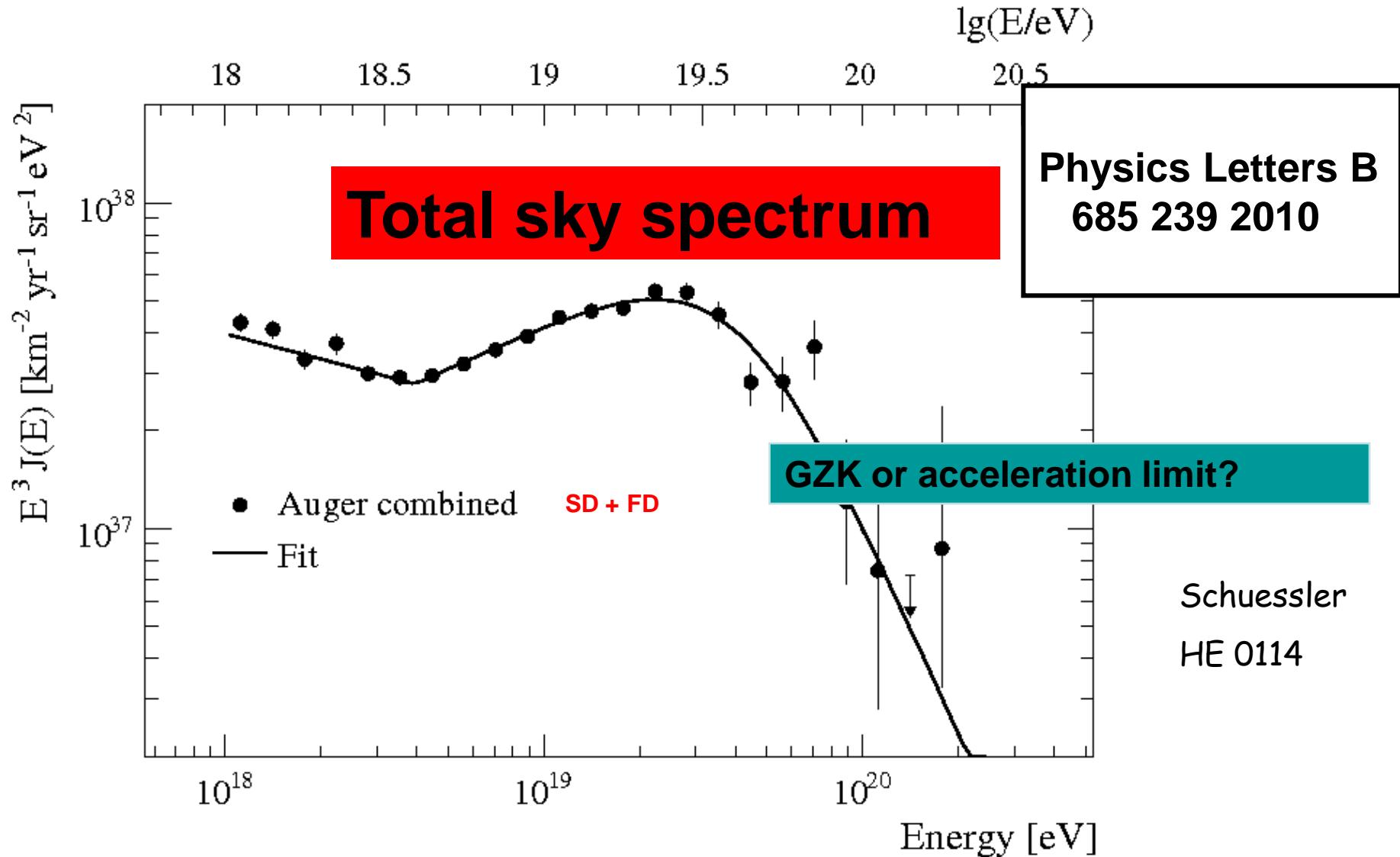
New mechanism of acceleration



Blackhole related objects



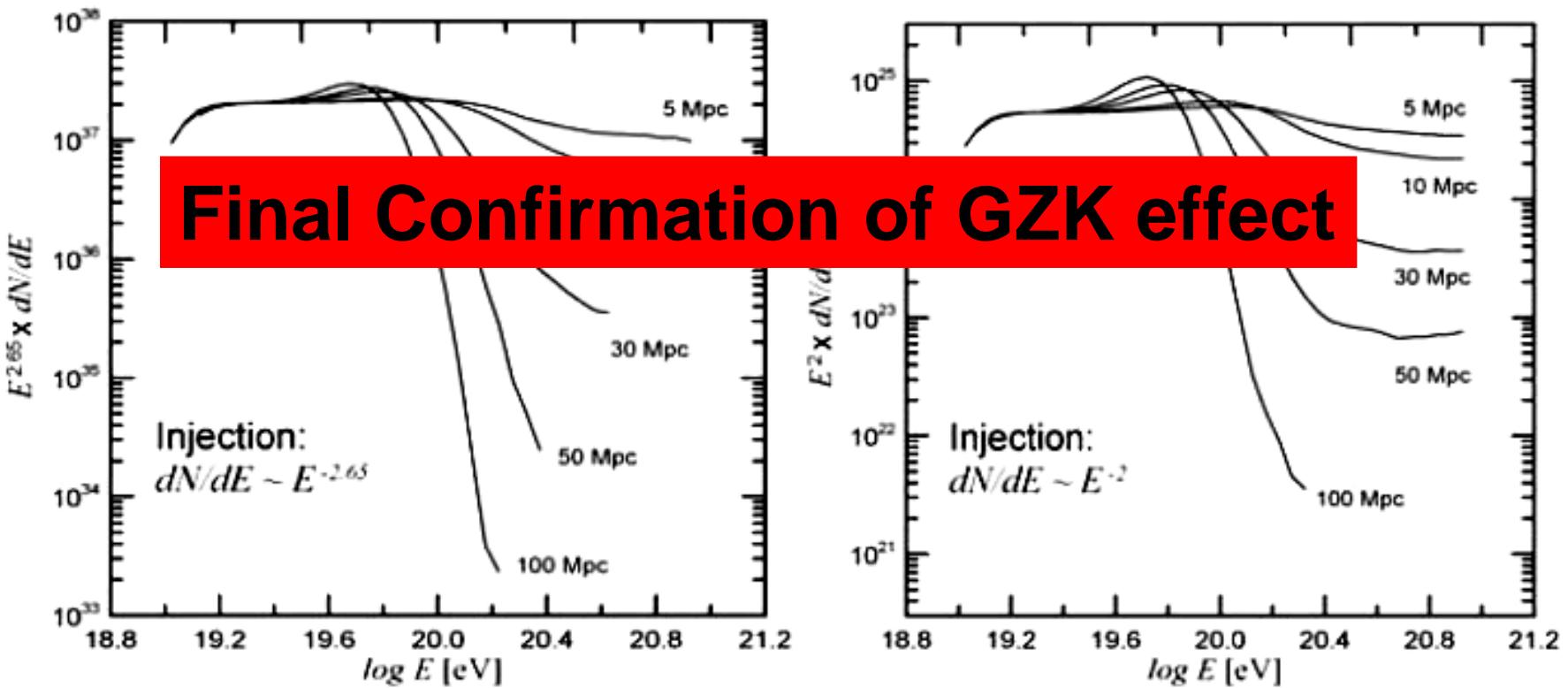
Energy Spectrum from Auger Observatory



Above 3×10^{18} eV, the exposure is energy independent: 1% corrections in overlap region

EECR Energy Spectra for Various Source Distance

The energy spectra at around 10^{20} eV differs for different source distances affected by the GZK process.



Medina-Tanco 2008

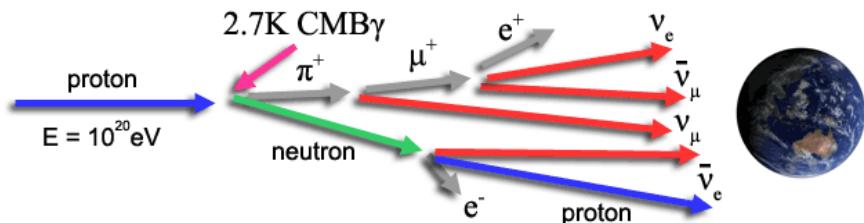
JEM-EUSO as gamma ray & neutrino observatory

- International Space Station-aboard EECR observatory
 - Orbiting at ~400 km in ± 51.6 degrees latitudes
 - Flight in **varying geomagnetic field** (~0.6 gauss) around orbit
- Viewing night atmosphere in $\sim 500 \times 400$ km area (nadir mode)
 - Wide FOV allows to **measure entire slowly developing showers**
 - Target volume exceeding **an order of 10^{12} tons**

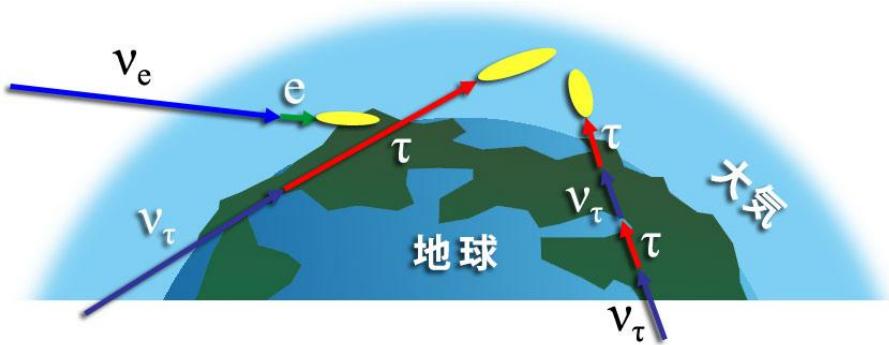


Exploratory Objectives

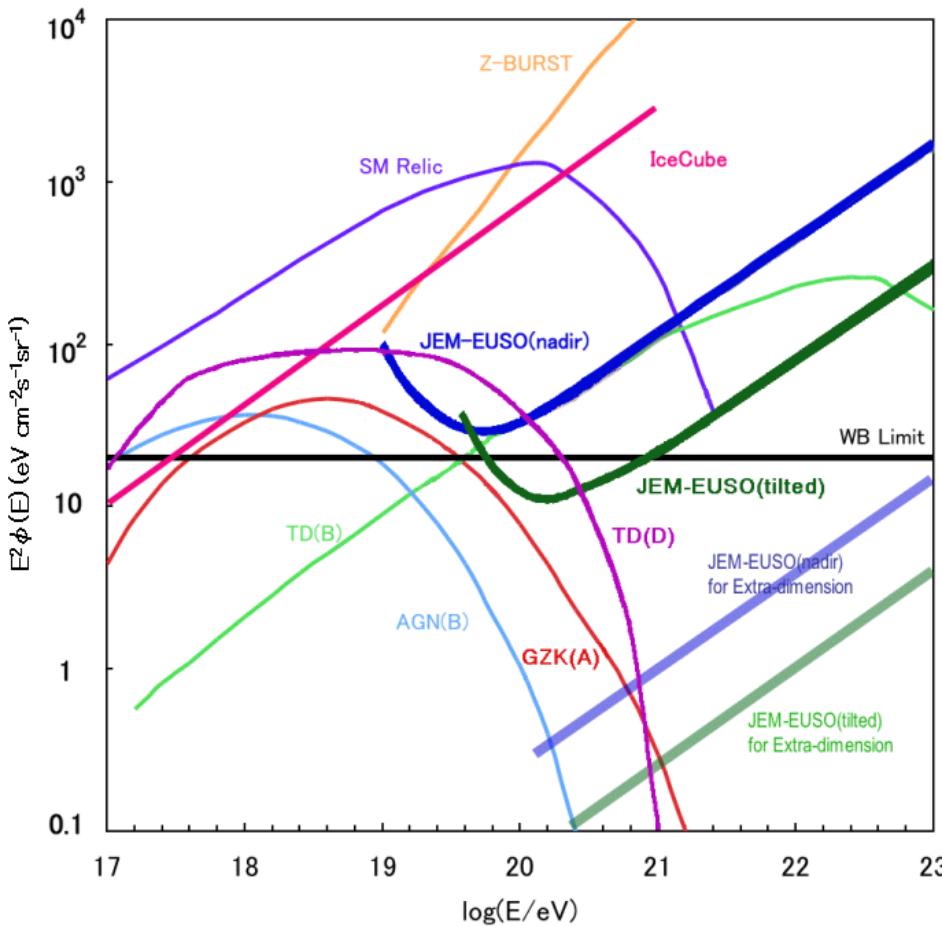
Extreme Energetic Cosmic Neutrinos



Neutrino production by the GZK process

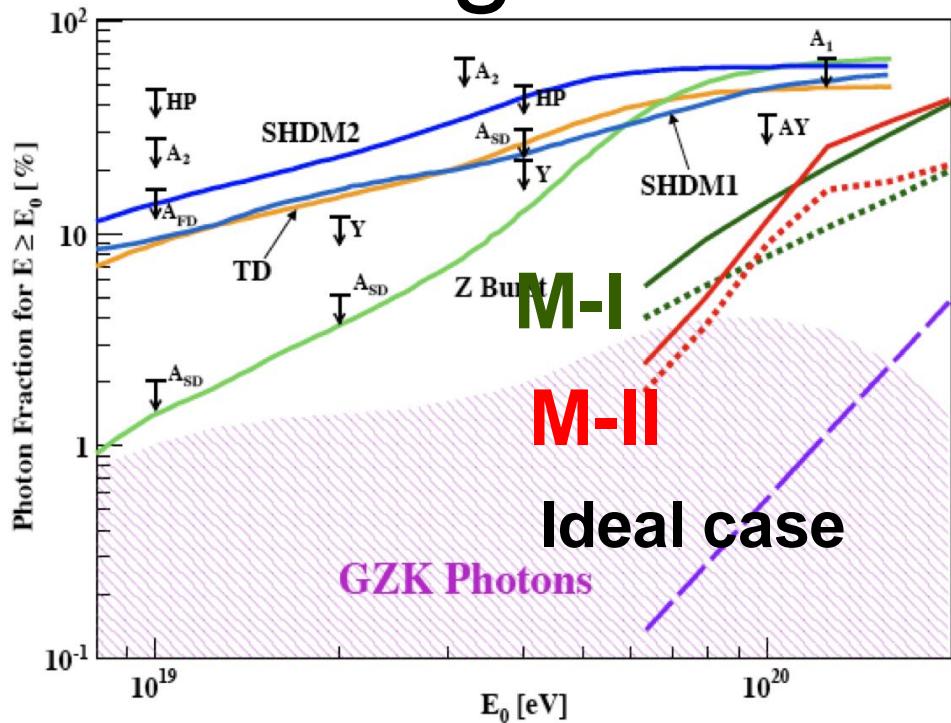


Air showers initiated by different kind of neutrinos



Neutrino fluxes for various models and detection capability of JEM-EUSO

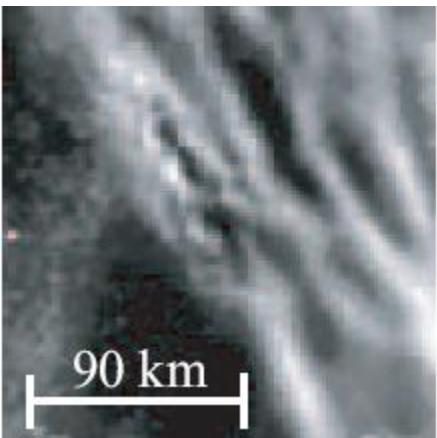
Expected sensitivity on gamma ray fraction



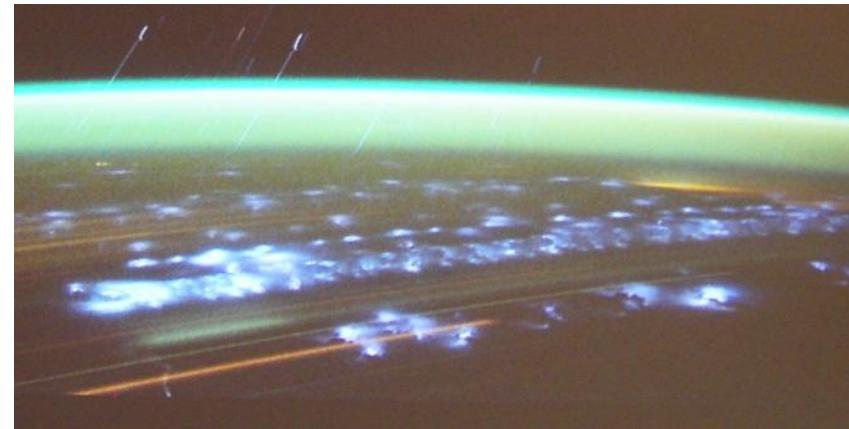
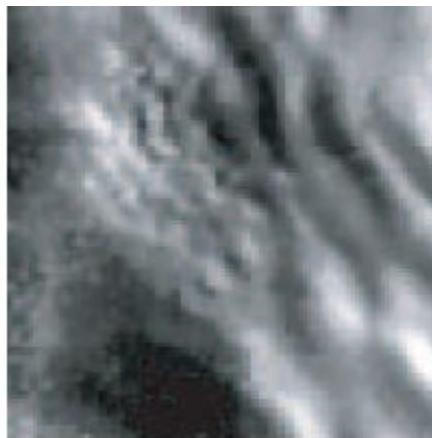
Expected limit by 5 year mission
compared with upper limits set by
existing experiments (95%CL)

- Ideal case (only statistics): Xmax strong discriminator for gamma ray
- More realistic estimate (assumed experimental errors in X_{max})
using 2 different approaches to evaluate flux limit
 - New and stringent limit expected @ the highest energies ($\sim 10^{20}$ eV)
 - Possible detection of GZK photons during the Mission

Atmospheric Luminous Phenomena



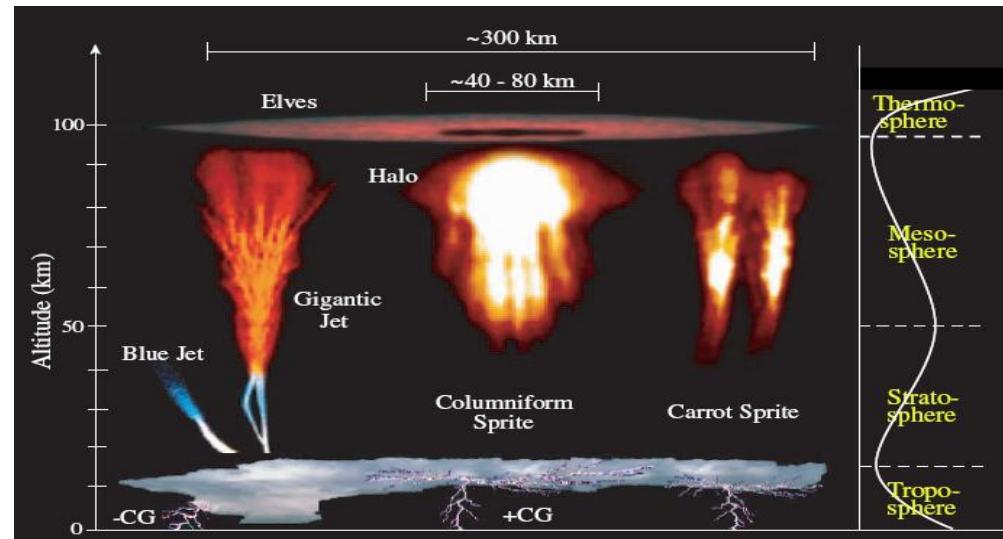
OH airlow observed from ground



Lightning picture observed from ISS



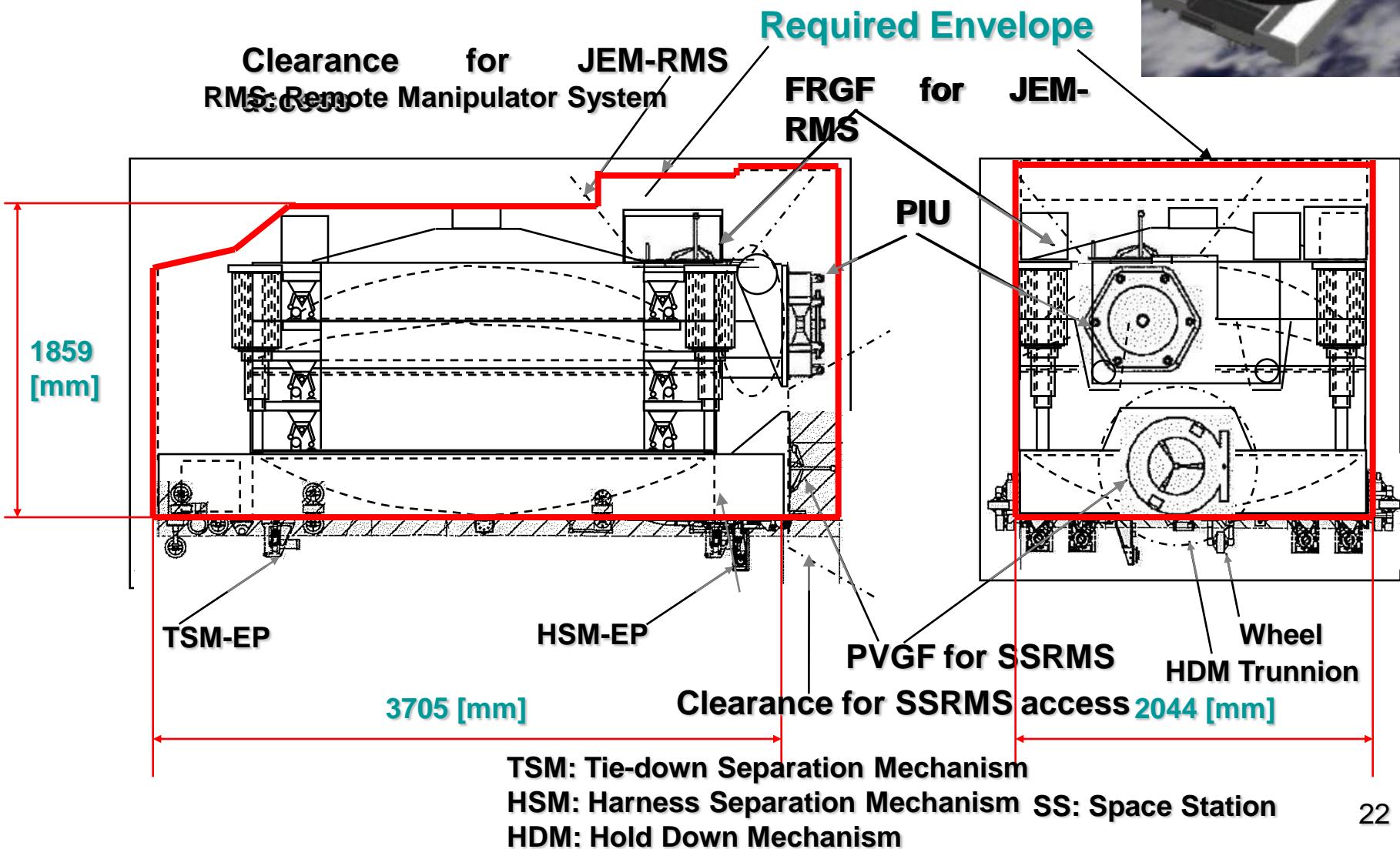
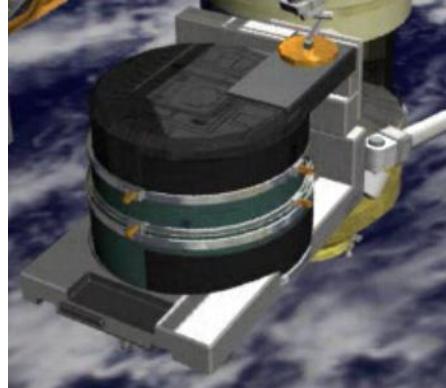
Leonid meteor swarm in
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Various trangent airglows

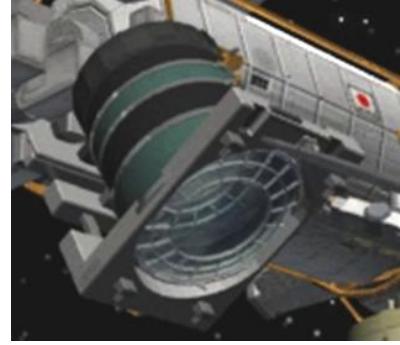
JEM-EUSO Launch Configuration

JEM-EUSO telescope will be squeezed at launch.

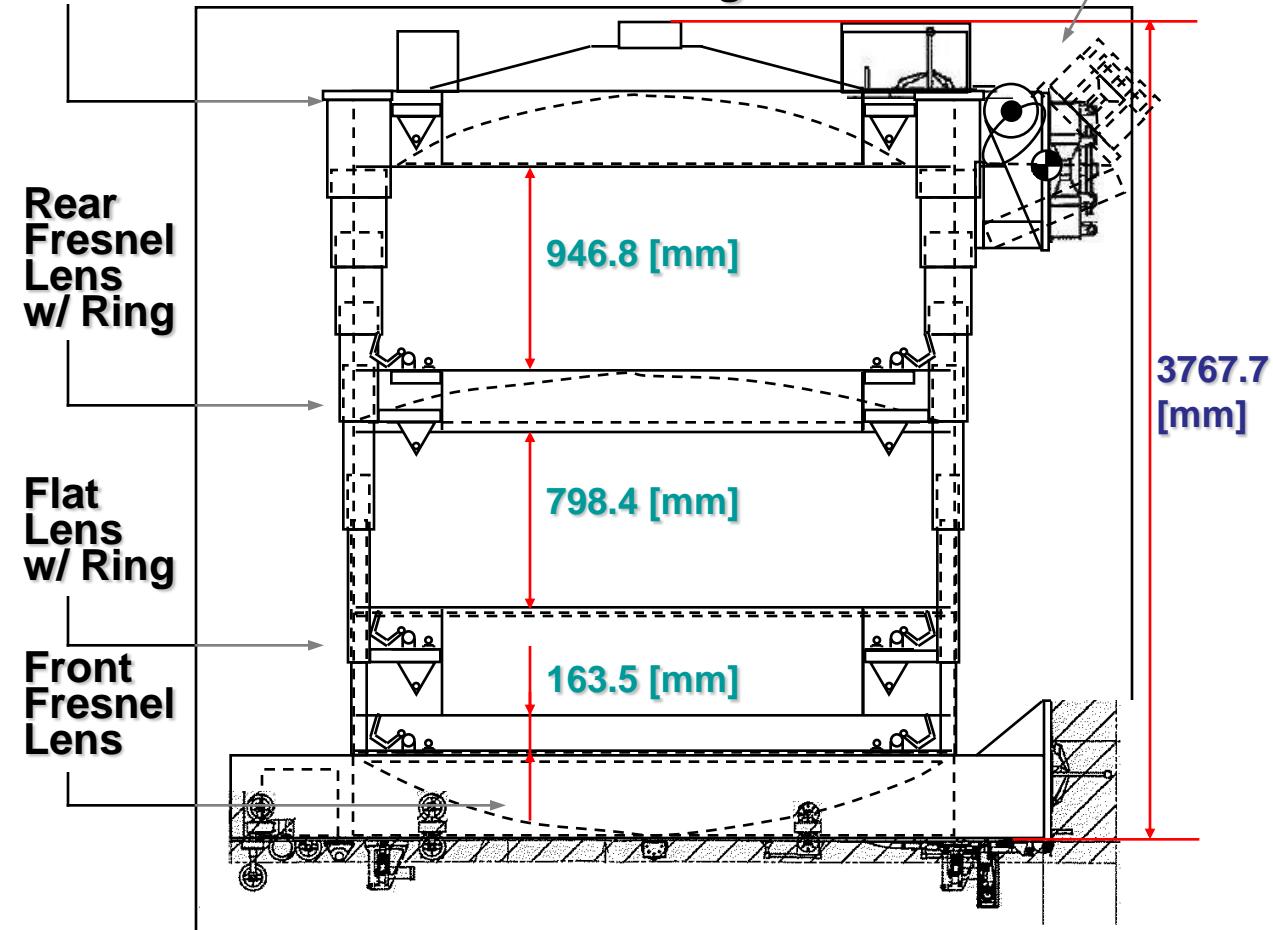


JEM-EUSO On-orbit Configuration

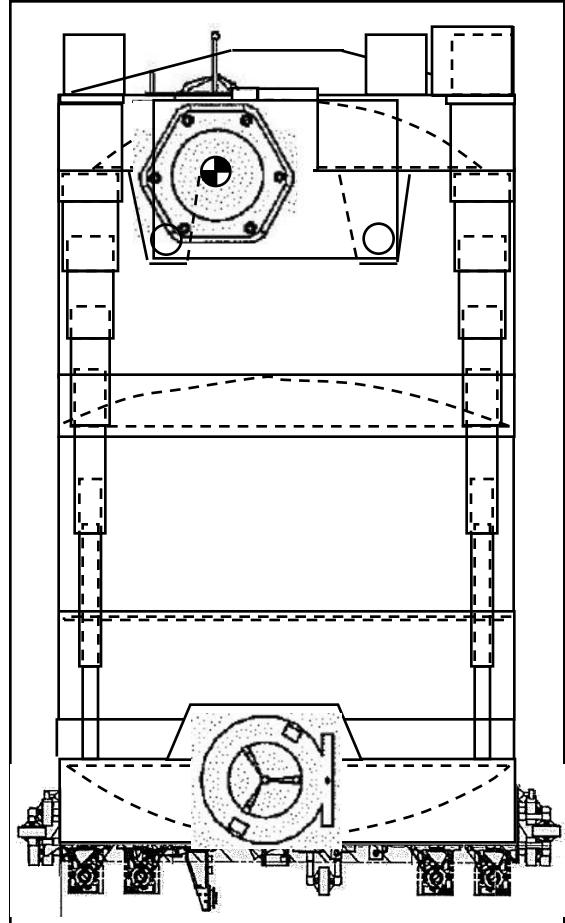
JEM-EUSO telescope will be elongated on orbit.



Focal Surface and Sensors with Ring

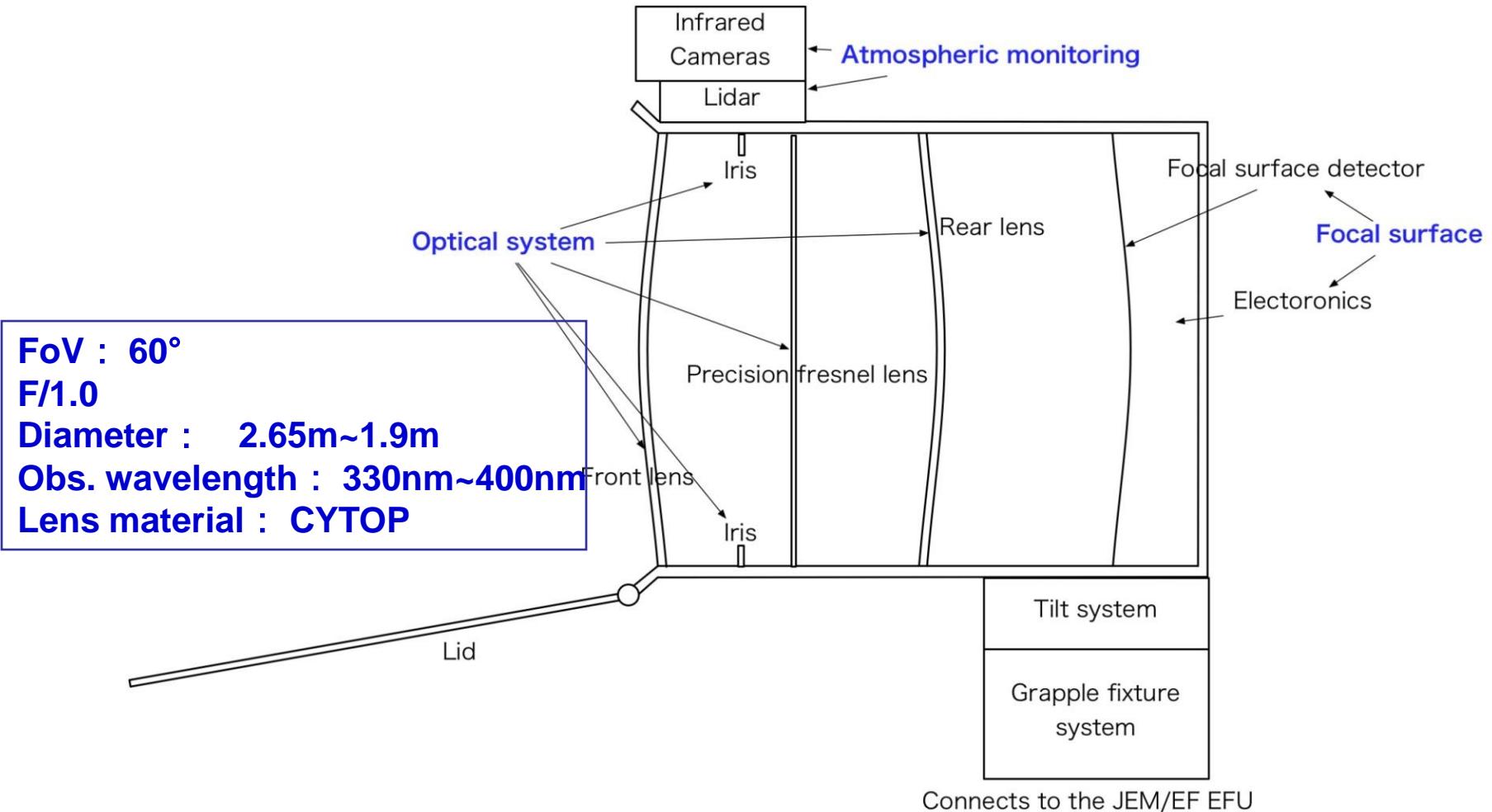


Tilted Position



Telescope Barrel is not shown.

Conceptual View of JEM-EUSO Telescope



International Role Sharing

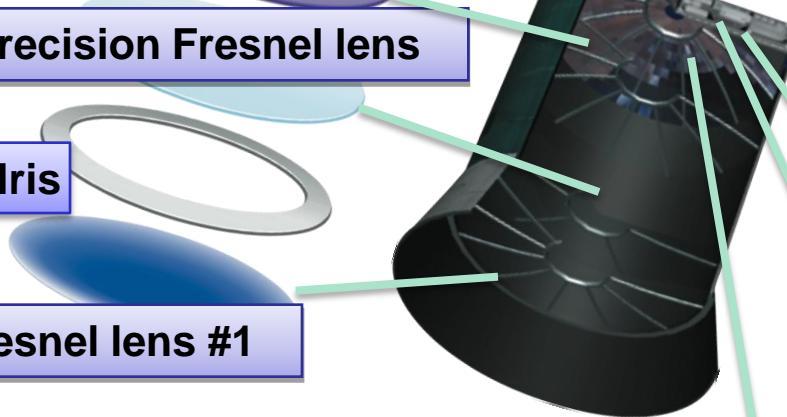
Optics: USA + Japan



Fresnel Lens #2



Precision Fresnel lens



Iris



Fresnel lens #1



Calibration: Japan + France



Simulation: Worldwide

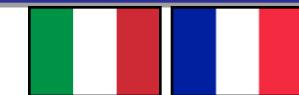
JEM-EUSO Data Acquisition Core Outline



DAQ Electronics



Support Structure: Italy + France

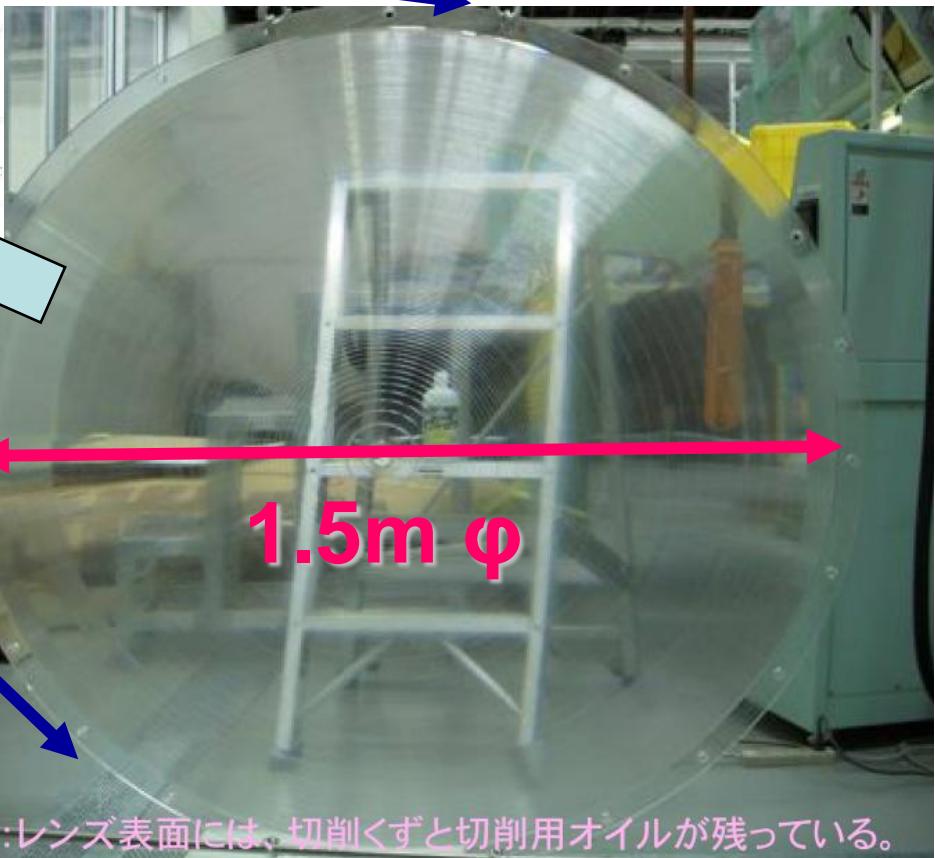
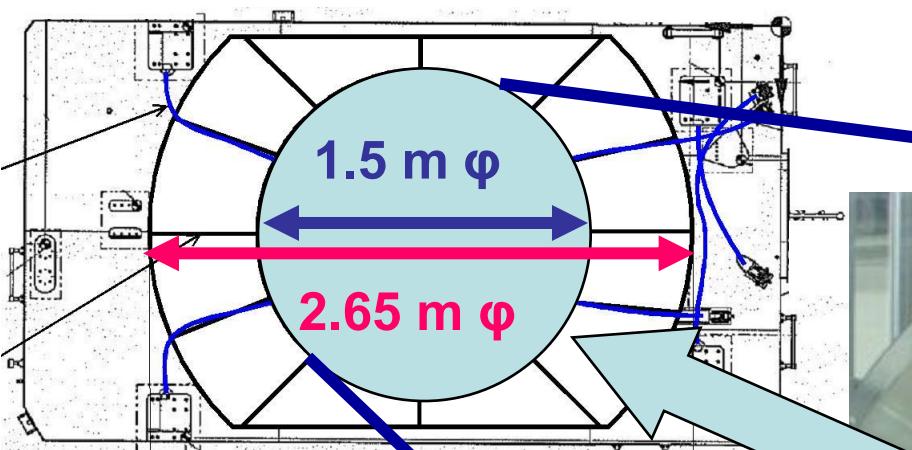


Focal Surface: Japan



Optics

Manufacturing large diameter Fresnel Lens



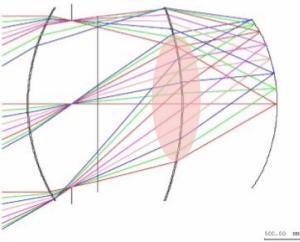
注)洗浄前:レンズ表面には、切削くずと切削用オイルが残っている。



We obtained a cutting machine with a 3.4m dia. turn table to make a 2.65m dia. Fresnel Lens.

リアレンズ（第3レンズ） （2008年末完成）

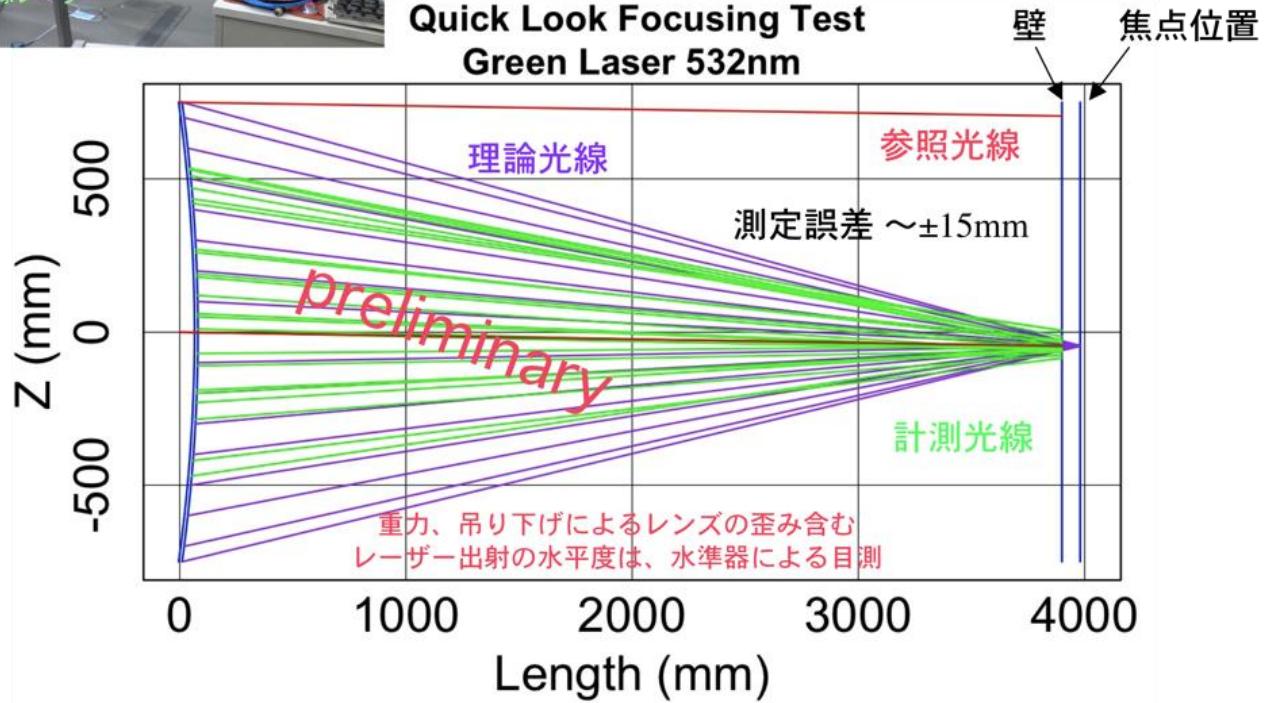
簡易集光テスト (緑レーザー 532nm)



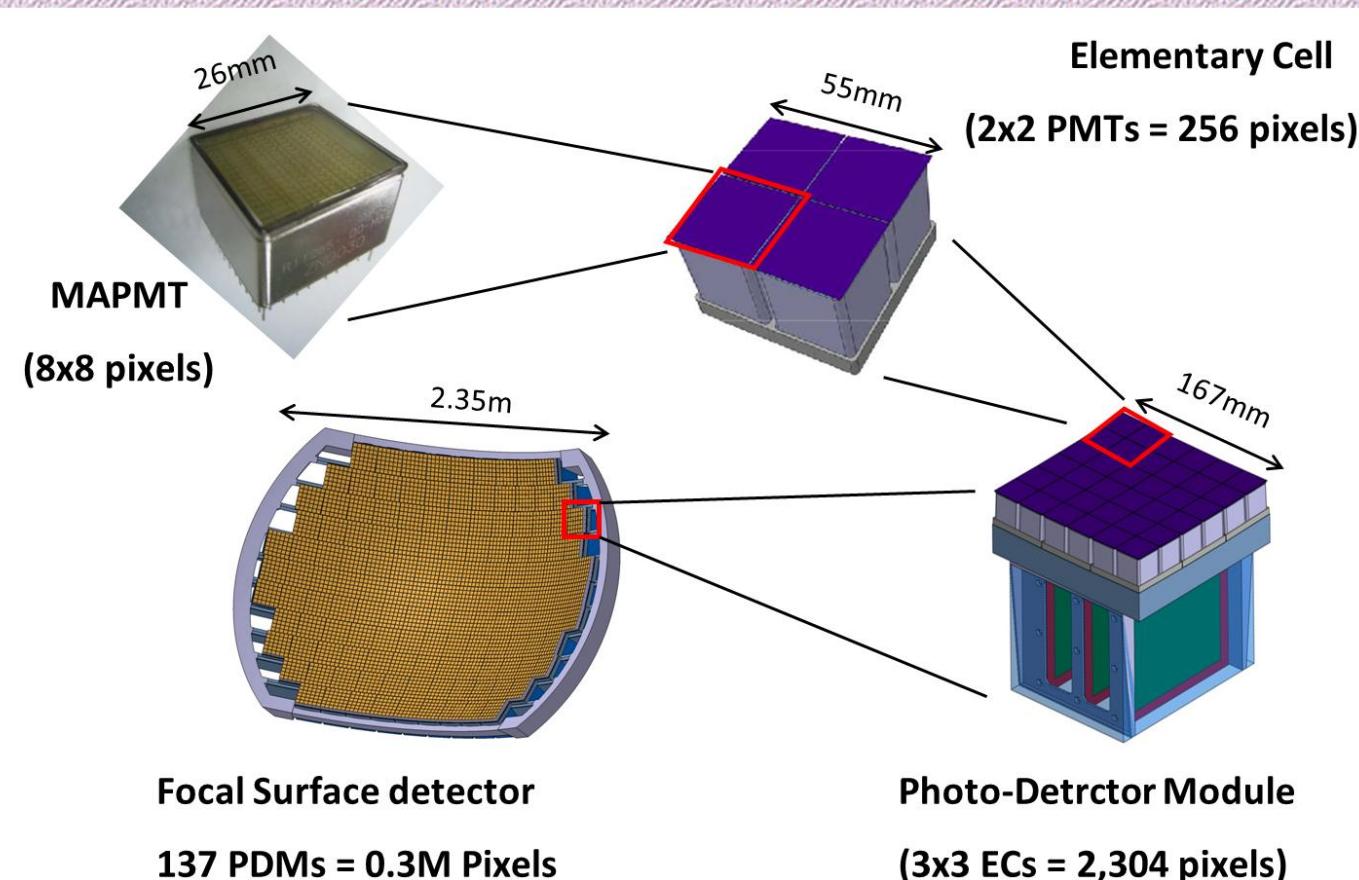
NASAでの詳細光学テストに備え簡易確認

製作パラメタの確認（データの符号など）

Quick Look Focusing Test Green Laser 532nm

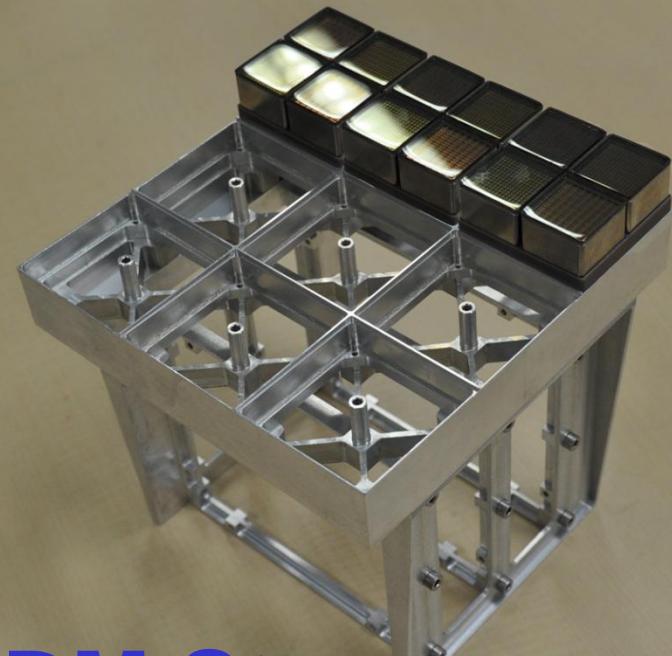


Focal Surface



The Module Structure of the Focal Surface Detector

New MAPMT M64
and PDM structure



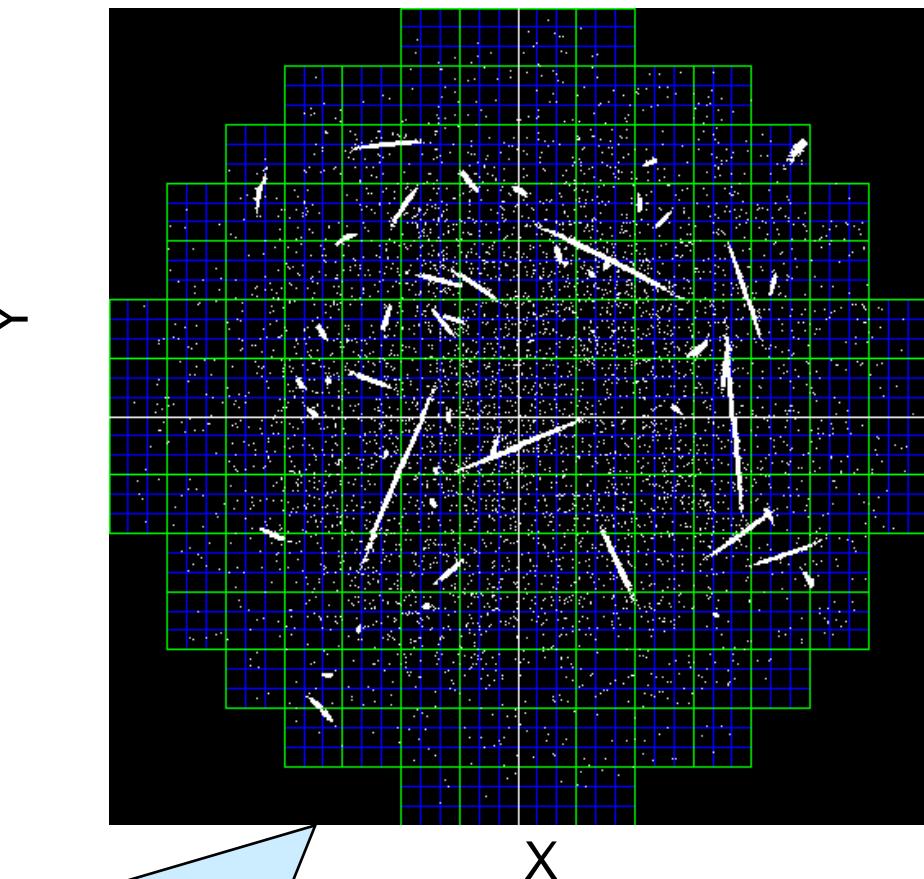
New PDM Structure



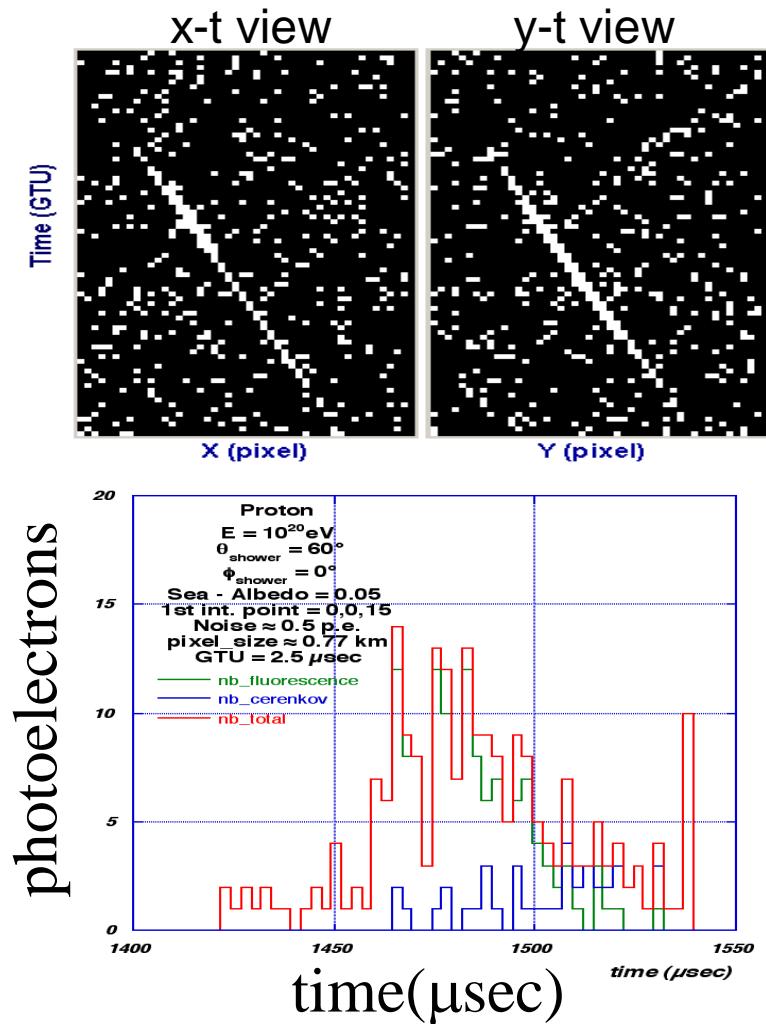
New M64



Air shower Image on the Focal Surface simulation

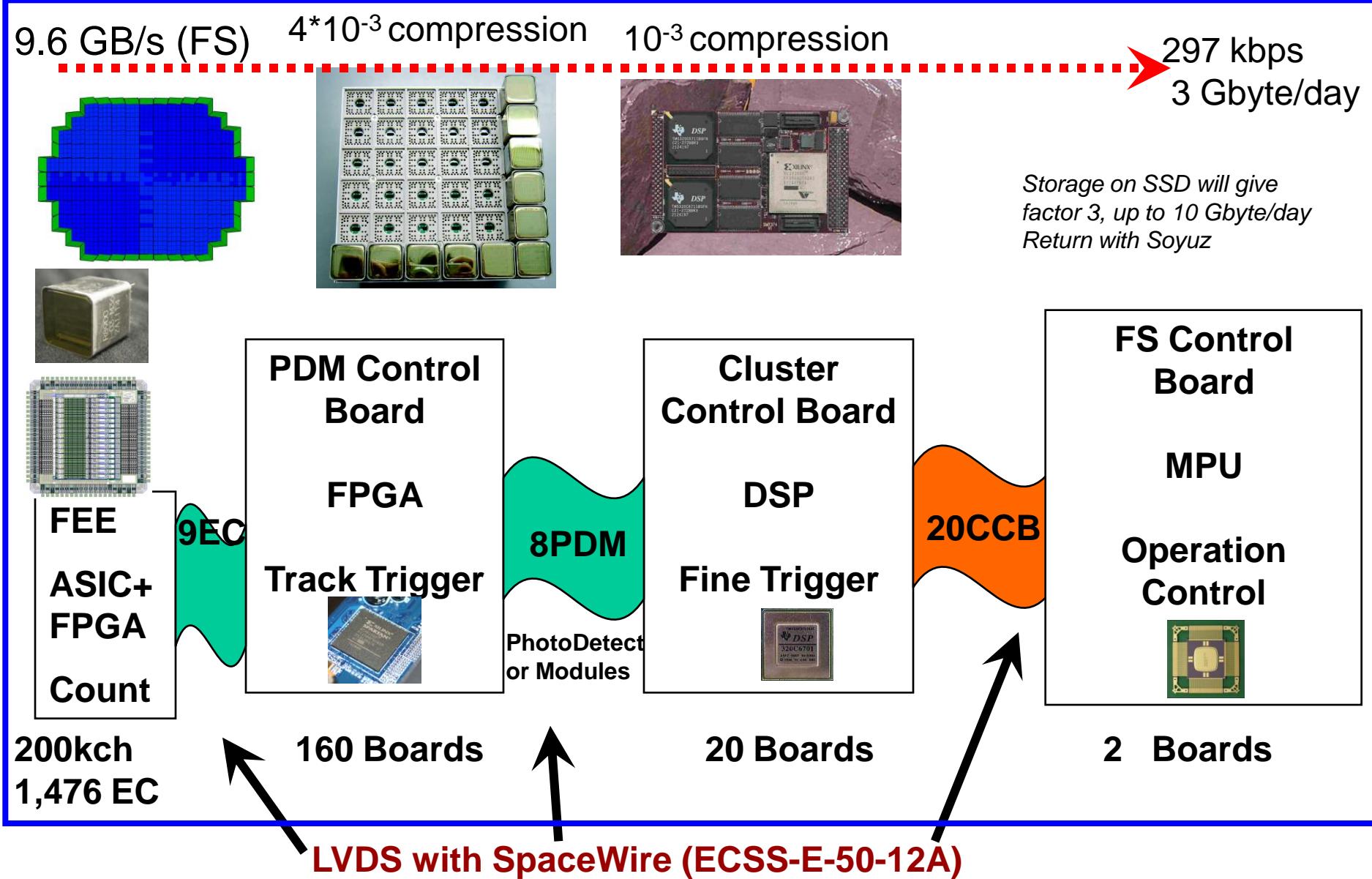


50 events of 10^{20} eV proton showers are superimposed on the EUSO focal surface with 192 k pixels.



Proton E = 10^{20} eV, $\theta = 60^\circ$
GTU = $2.5 \mu\text{sec}$

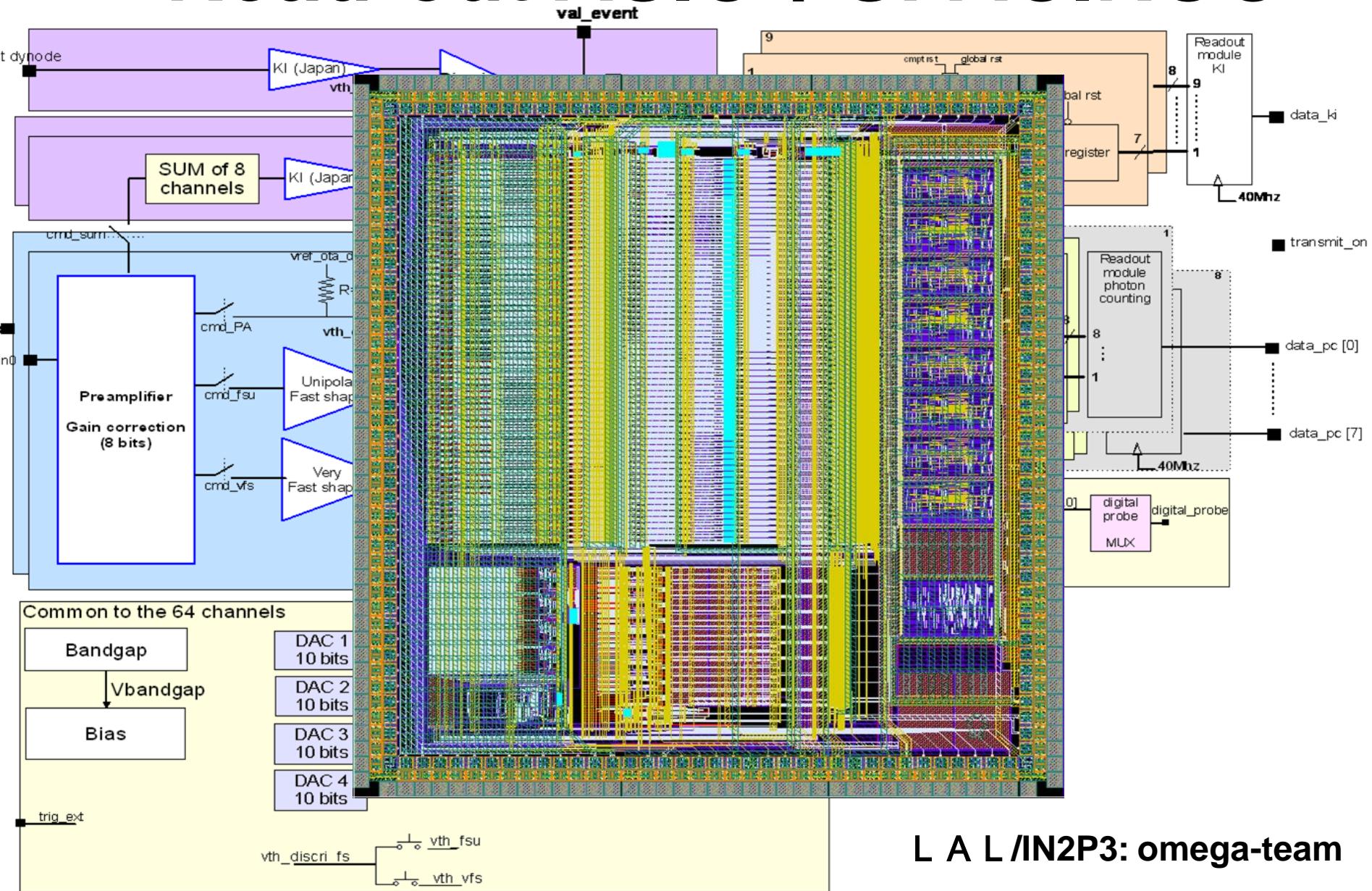
JEM-EUSO DAQ – Data reduction block scheme



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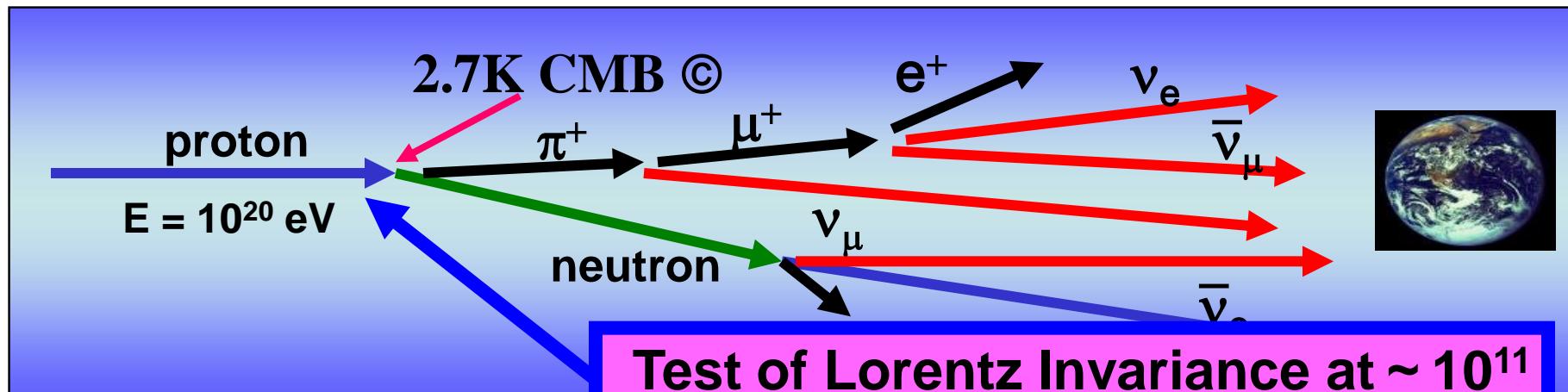
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Greisen-Zatsepin-Kuz'min Process

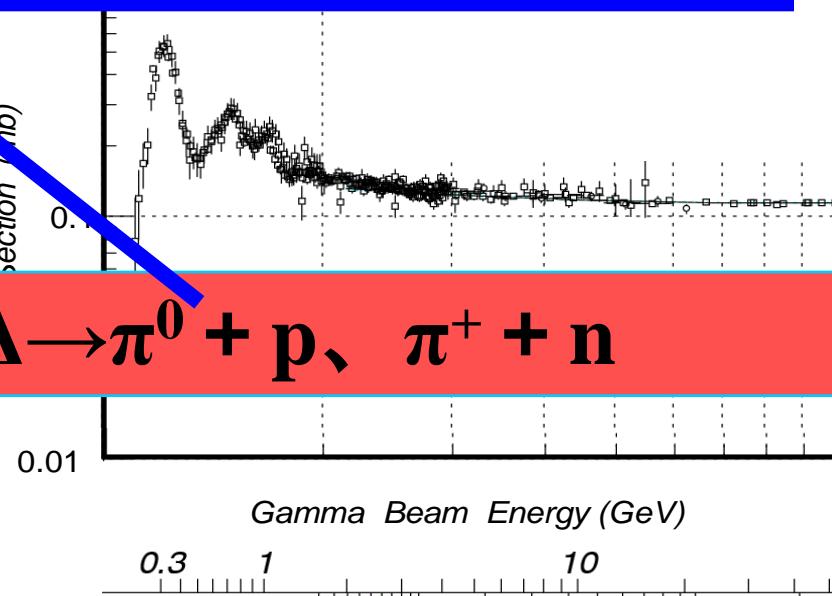
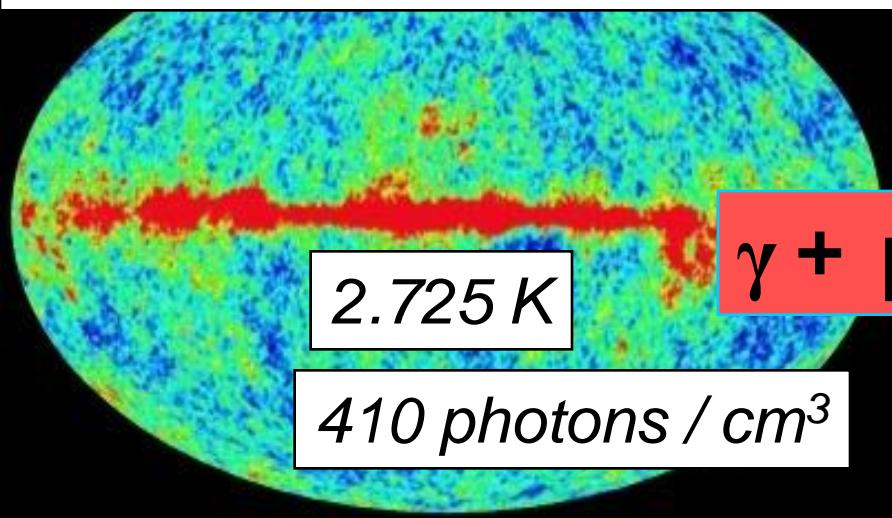
Greisen1966; Zatsepin and Kuz'min1966



Test of Lorentz Invariance at $\sim 10^{11}$

Sato and Tati 1972

Microwave Cosmic Background
Radiation



Summary

Three Challenges

- Challenge to Astronomy through Charged Particle
 - Clarify Origin of EECR by Arrival Direction
 - Huge Accelerators in the Universe
- Challenge to the limit of the Fundamental Physics
 - Lorentz invariance at the highest extreme ($\gamma \sim 10^{11}$)
 - Detection of UHE gamma-rays and neutrinos
- Challenge to the Largest Refractive Telescope on orbit
 - Super Light weight Fresnel Lenses
 - Super fast Focal Surface Detectors

Completion of Japanese Experiment Module KIBO

Successful Launch of HTV

JEM-EUSO Launch is foreseen in 2015