

# Ion beam testing (and irradiation) at RBI

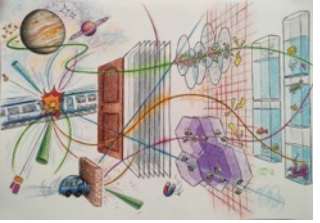
using MeV ion beams (and Co-60)  
access and new developments

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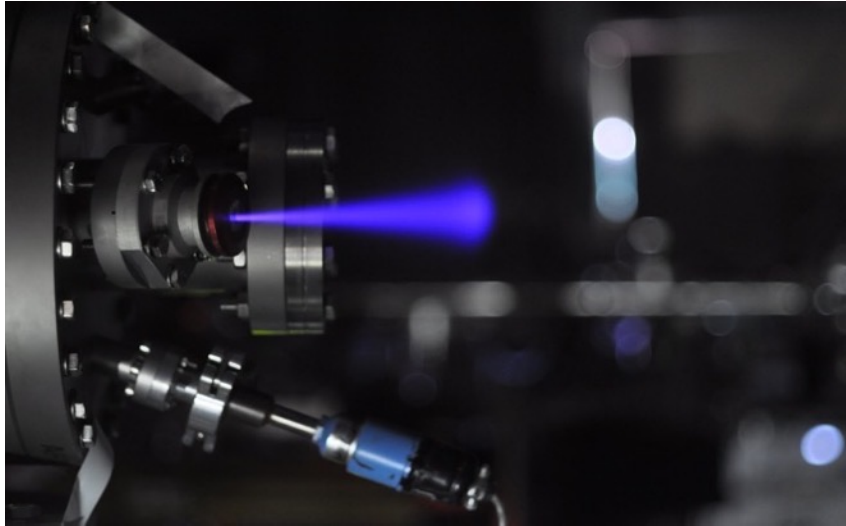
- Accelerator facility – M. Jakšić, G. Provatas, A. Crnjac, D. Cosic, S. Fazinić, M. Vićentijević
- Center for detectors sensors and electronics - A. Starodumov, T. Antičić
- Laboratory for semiconductors - DLTS etc. – I. Capan, T. Knežević
- Co-60 facility – Ž. Knežević, M. Mayer



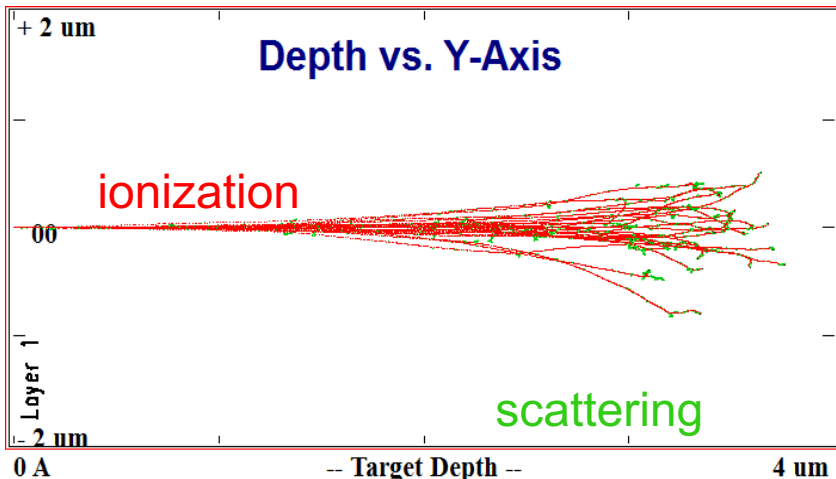
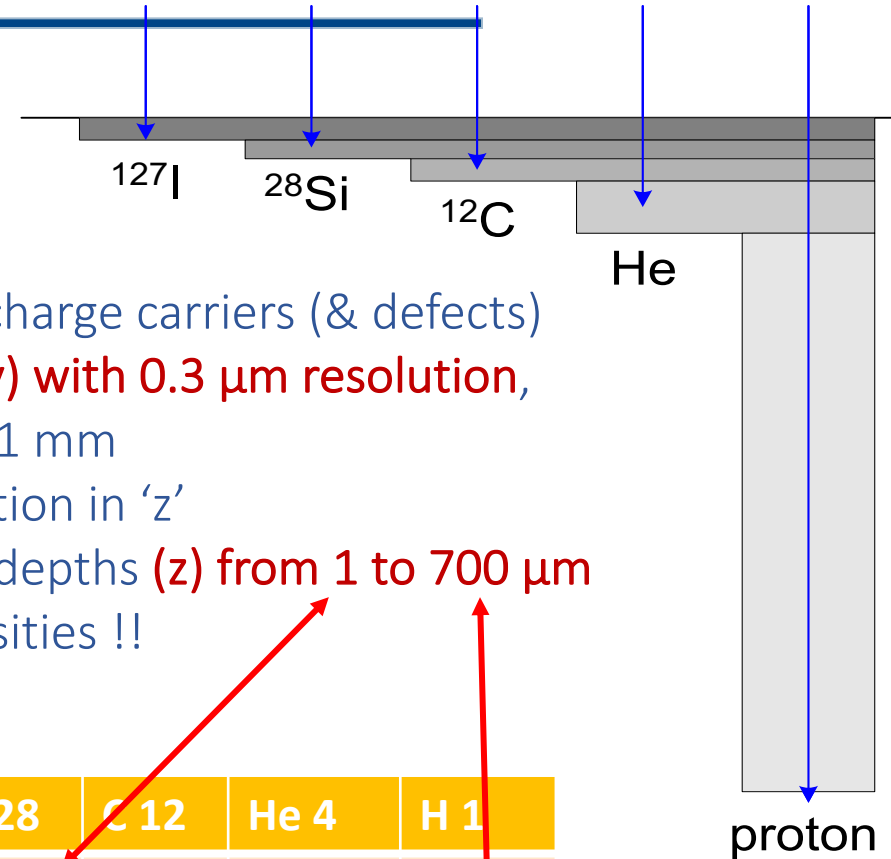
- IBIC (Ion beam induced charge) instrumentation
- Transnational access funding modes
- IBIC and ionTCT examples of users access
- In-house (RBI) work examples
- Role of DRD3 and conclusions



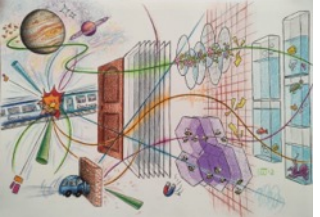
# IBIC – ion beam induced charge



- Every single ion creates charge carriers (& defects)
- Ion microprobe gives (x,y) with 0.3  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution, scanning areas up to 1 x 1 mm
- Ions maintain their direction in 'z'
- Variety of ions - probing depths (z) from 1 to 700  $\mu\text{m}$
- Variety of ionization densities !!



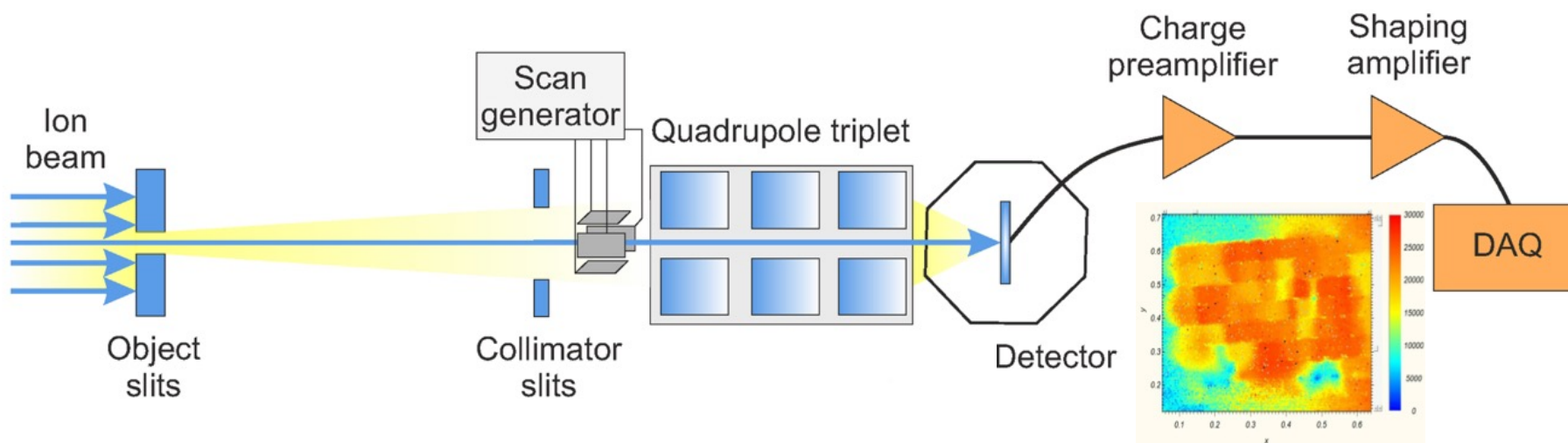
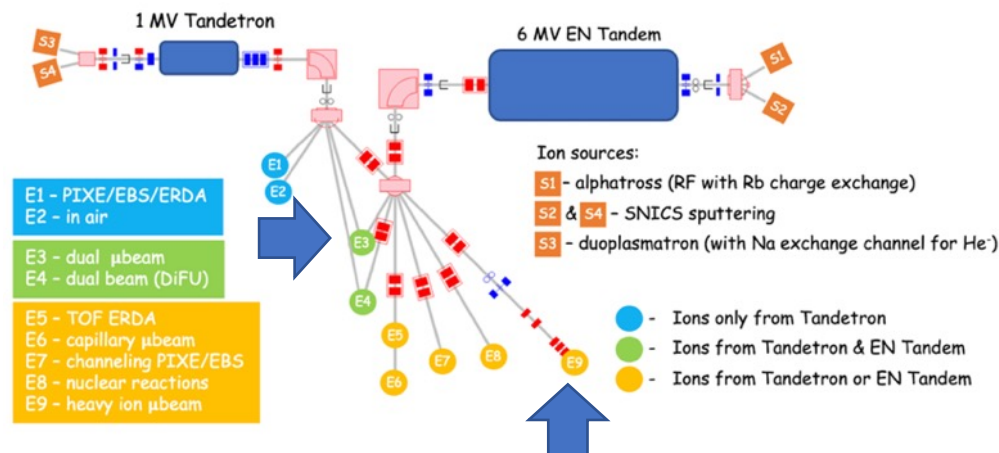
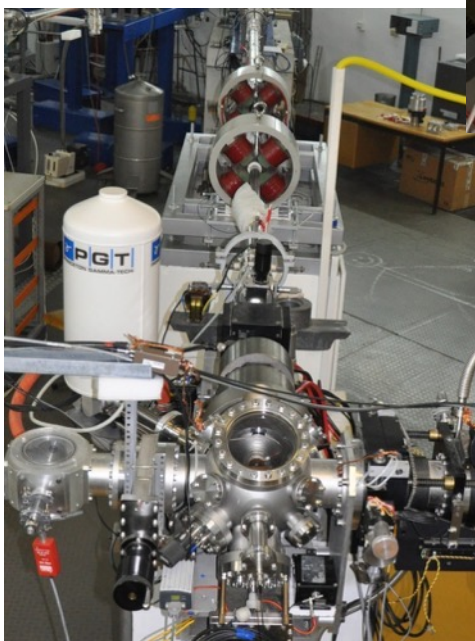
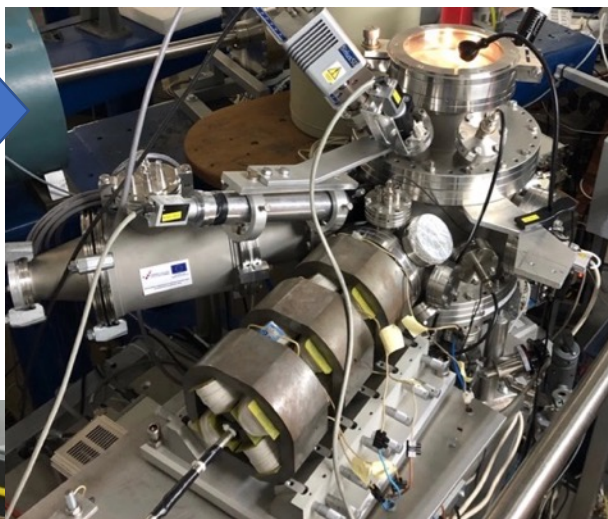
Silicon	I 127	Si 28	C 12	He 4	H 1
Range( $\mu\text{m}$ ) E=1 MeV	0.37	1.13	1.6	3.5	16.3
Range ( $\mu\text{m}$ ) E=10 MeV	3.7	4.8	9.5	69.7	709



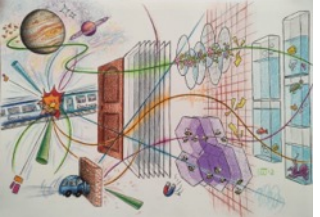
# IBIC – ion beam induced charge

New development  
Dual microbeam  
(damaging & probing)

Old microbeam  
(most of IBIC  
capabilities)







# Transnational access for detectors

# DRD3



**2015-2019** - Advanced European Infrastructures for Detectors at Accelerators

- **AIDA-2015-1**, Study of radiation damage in scCVD diamond, Jerzy Pietraszko, GSI, **Germany** (26-30.10.2015.)
- **AIDA-2015-2**, Diamond Membranes for Radioisotope Batteries, Michal Pomorski, CEA, **France** (15-19.2.2016.)
- **AIDA-2015-4**, 3D diamond, Alexander Oh, University of Manchester, **UK** (11-15.4.2016.)
- **AIDA-2016-1**, Single crystal diamond Schottky diodes for microdosimetry, Claudio Verona, **Italy** (24-28.10.2016.)
- **AIDA-2016-2**, Microbeam tests of silicon telescope for dosimetry, G. Magrin, **Austria** (18-20.1. and 9-10.2.2017.)
- **AIDA-2017-1**, Diamond Membrane Microdosimeter, M. Pomorski, CEA, **France** (2-5.5.2017.)
- **AIDA-2017-4**, CVD diamond Time of Flight detector with interdigitated electrodes, W. Cayzac, **France** (6-10.11.2017)
- **AIDA-2017-5**, Polycrystalline 3D Diamond IBIC and TRIBIC characterisation, A. Oh, Manchester, **UK** (27.11.-2.12.2017).
- **AIDA-2017-2**, Analysis of graphite pillars buried in sc-CVD diamond, G. Conte, **Italy** (12-14.9.2017. and 20-21.3.2018)
- **AIDA-2018-1**, Single event upsets in CMS pixel ROC, Wolfram Erdmann, PSI **Switzerland** (2.7.-6.7.2018).
- **AIDA-2019-1**, IBIC of monolytic pixel detectors, Rogelio Pinto, University of Sevilla, **Spain** (19.8.-23.8.2019).

- **1. E. Vittone, Italy**, Differential IBIC analysis for the measurement of carrier lifetime in silicon pin diodes (20.-22.5.2020)
- **2. M. Pomorski, France**, 3D scCVD diamond membrane microdosimeter for quality assurance in hadron therapy (24.-27.8.2020)
- **3. A. Oh, UK**, Charge collection of 3D diamond and LGAD test detectors with the proton microbeam (7.-11.6.2021)
- **4. R. Pinto, Spain**, Response in monolithic particle detector for the RD50 collaboration (14.-18.6.2021)
- **5. C. Verona, Italy**, Characterization of  $\Delta E$ -E single crystal diamond based telescope for microdosimetry application (5.-9.7.2021)
- **6. E. Vittone, Italy**, Hydrogen thermal donors in silicon (22.-24.2.2022)
- **7. C. Verona, Italy**, IBIC characterization of single crystal diamond devices for microdosimetry application (7.-11.2.2022)
- **8. A. Oh, UK**, Investigation of charge collection of hexagonal and cubic 3D diamond detectors (4. – 8.4.2022.)
- **9. M. Camarada, Switzerland**, Study of charge transport response of Silicon Carbide sensors (2.-6.5.2022.)
- **10. M. Camarada, Switzerland**, Study of high temperature charge transport response of SiC (planned for 19.-23.9.2022)



**2020 – 2023** Research And Development with Ion Beams – Advancing Technology in Europe



**Active now !! (until 2026)**  
<https://web.infn.it/EURO-LABS/>  
WP4 – TA to Research Infrastructures for HEP Detectors (Detector characterisation)



## CERIC

Central European  
Research  
Infrastructure  
Consortium

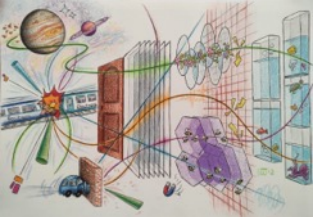
Calls for access  
every 6 months

<https://www.ceric-eric.eu/users/open-access/>



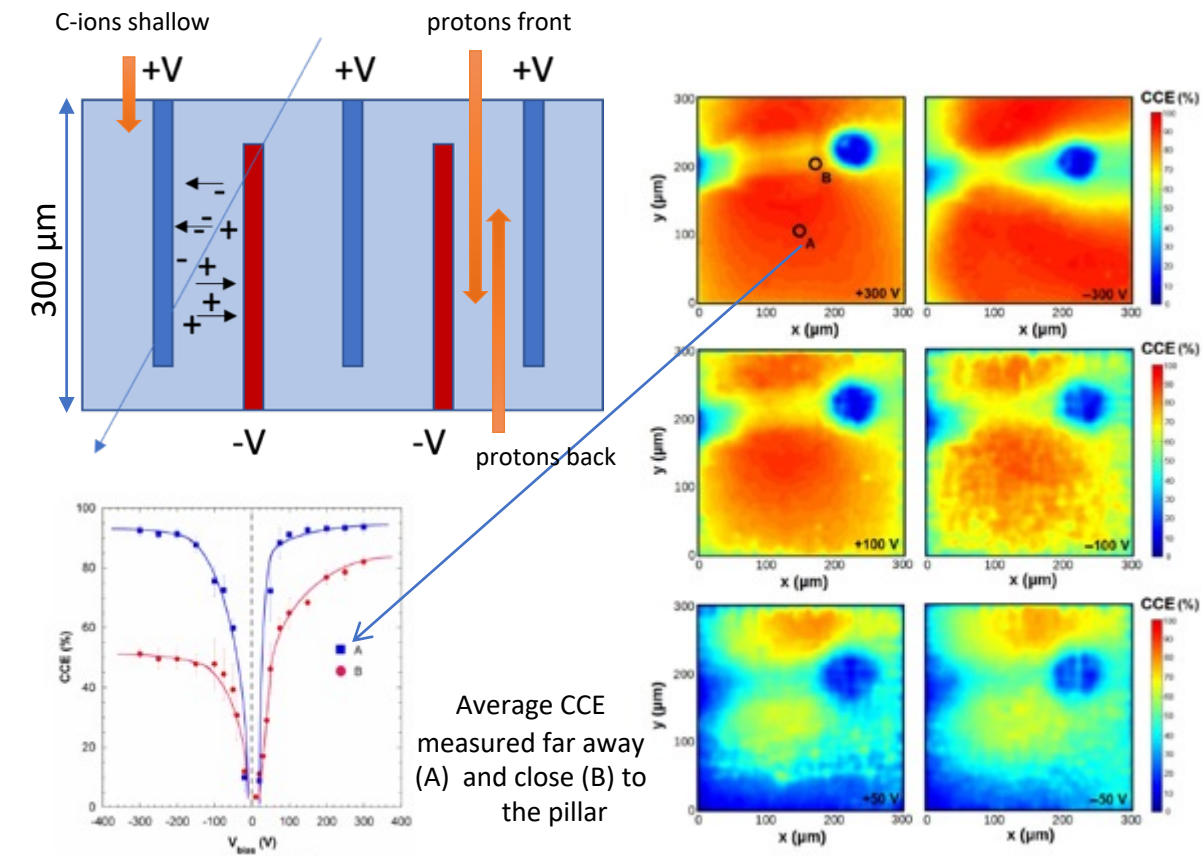
Facilitating Experiments with Ion Beam Accelerators (CRP)

**Non-European applications accepted, but difficulties for US**



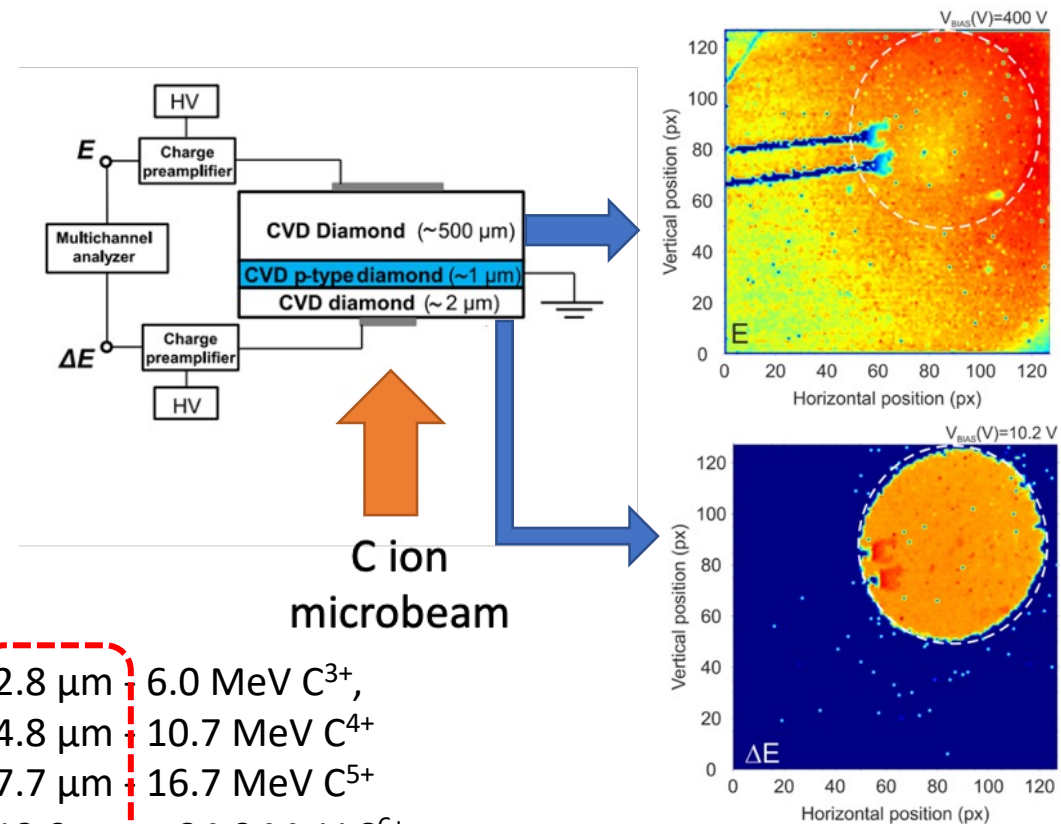
# IBIC capabilities – deep & shallow probing

DRD3



AIDA-2020-RBI-2017-2

Buried graphite pillars in 3D CVD diamond, G. Conte, INFN

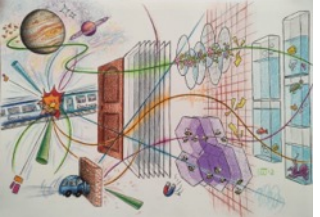


- 2.8  $\mu\text{m}$  6.0 MeV  $\text{C}^{3+}$ ,
- 4.8  $\mu\text{m}$  10.7 MeV  $\text{C}^{4+}$
- 7.7  $\mu\text{m}$  16.7 MeV  $\text{C}^{5+}$
- 12.0  $\mu\text{m}$  - 24.0 MeV  $\text{C}^{6+}$

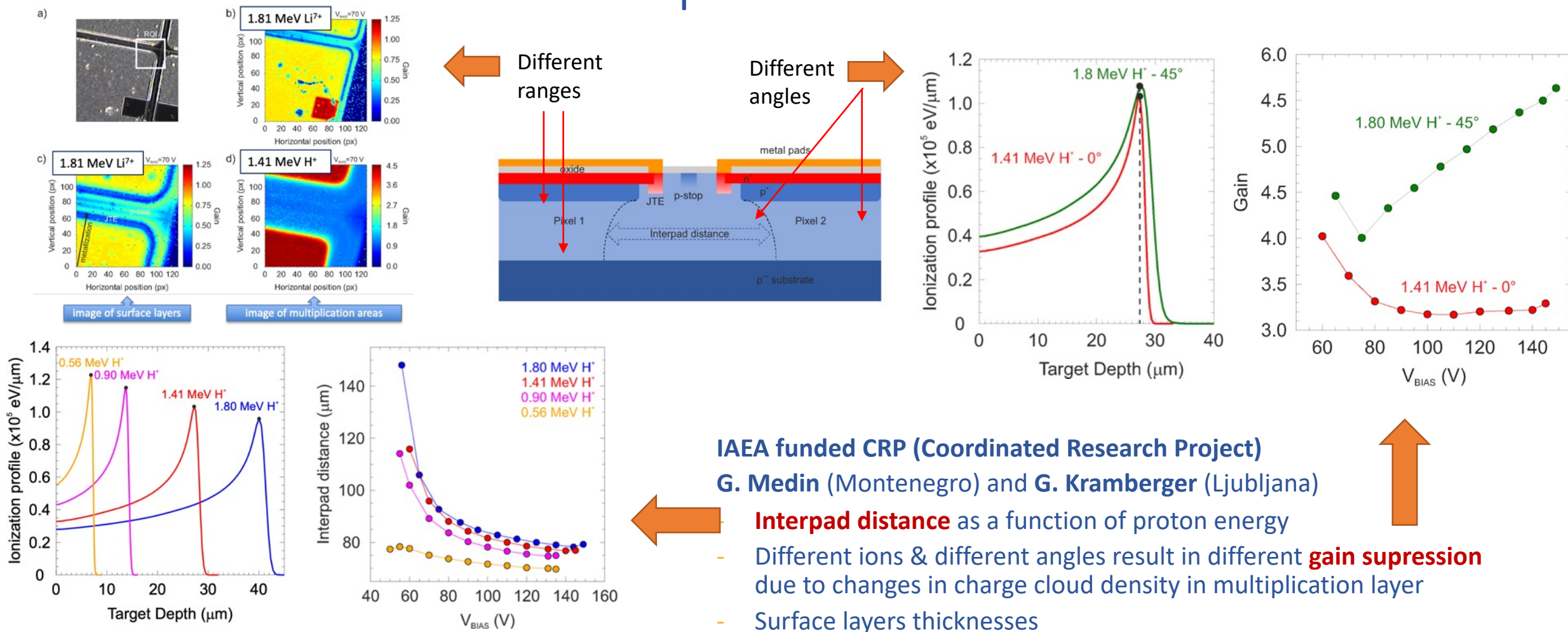
RADIATE, June 2021

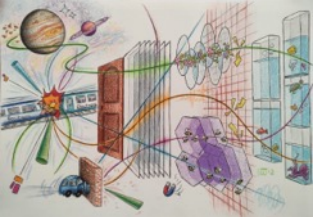
Characterisation of  $\Delta E - E$  single diamond crystal telescope, C. Verona, University of Rome Tor Vergata





## IBIC – importance of ionization profile example of LGAD





## In air IBIC (& SEE); providing a trigger

### AIDA-2020-RBI-2018-1

**Single event effects** in CMS pixel module

Token Bit Manager Chip

Wolfram Erdemann, PSI, Switzerland

### RADIATE – June 2021

Response of **monolytic pixel detectors** for RD50 collaboration

Rogelio Pinto, Uni. Seville, Spain

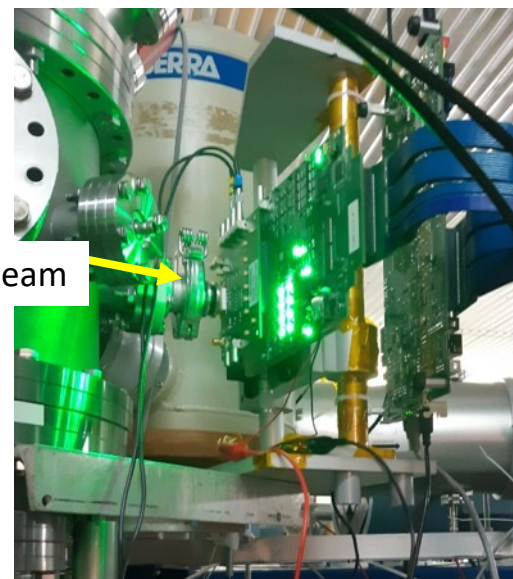
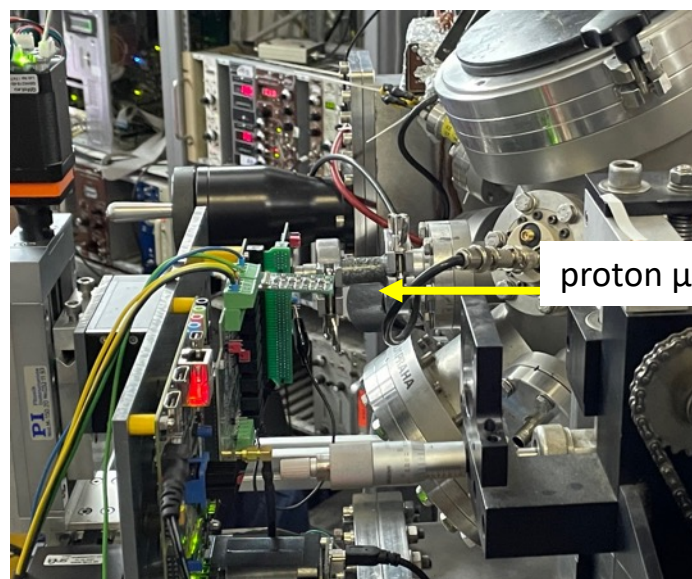
### RADIATE – March 2023

Impact of HIPs on an **HV-CMOS** counting detector

Alexander Dierlamm, Karlsruhe, Germany

Energy / air path	100 nm Si <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	6 μm diamond
3 MeV / 0.5 mm	1.0 μm	9.0 μm
6 MeV / 0.5 mm	0.5 μm	4.3 μm
9 MeV / 0.5mm	0.3 μm	2.9 μm

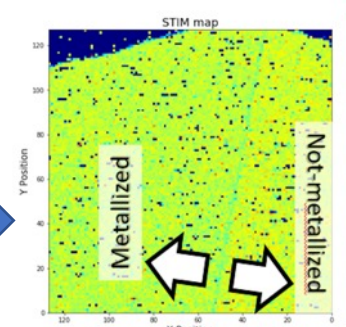
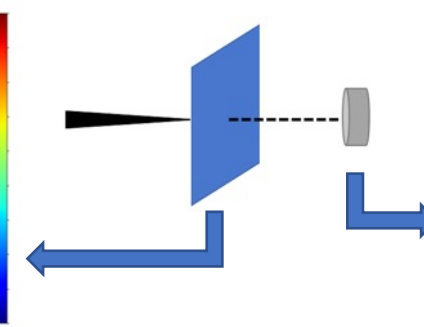
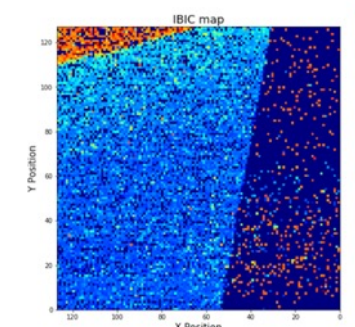
Proton microbeam spread due to scattering in SiN exit foil or **diamond membrane detector** after 0.5 mm of air



### EUROLABS – March 2023

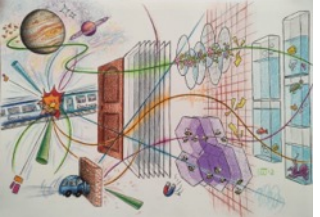
Applications of **SiC membrane** detectors

Massimo Camrada - STlab



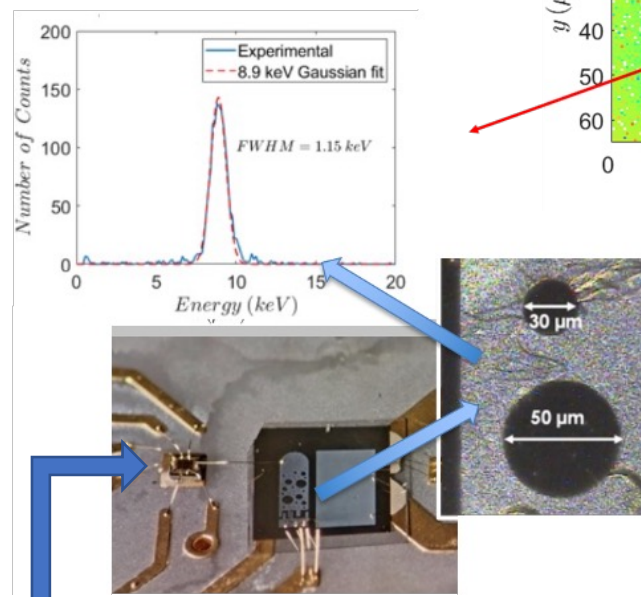
500 nm SiC membrane detector that provides a trigger !!



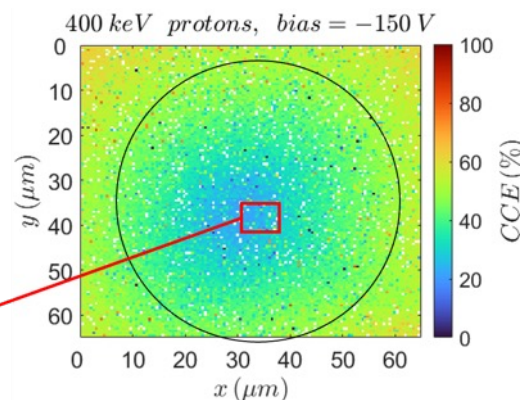


# RBI projects - low noise electronics

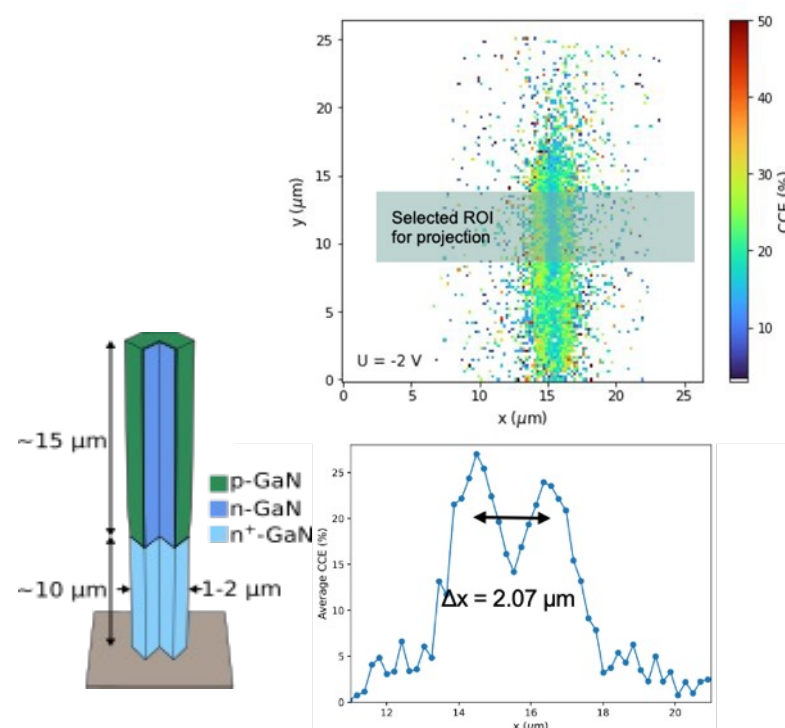
**Deterministic ion implantation in diamond!!**  
e.g. NV centers



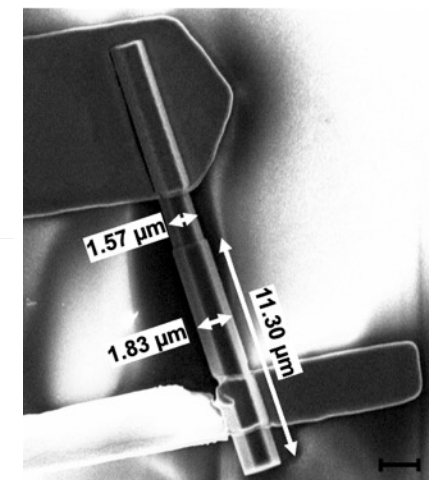
Low noise charge sensitive preamp (XGlab CUBE PRE031) enables detection of signals **> 1 keV in diamond !!!**  
(M. Vićentijević et al. RBI)



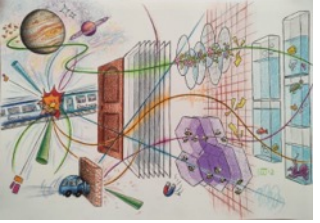
**GaN microwire detectors (for dosimetry)**  
D. Verheij et al. IST Portugal & RBI  
1 MeV Si ions of 0.3 μm resolution



The IBIC signal is only detected in the core-shell region of the microwire

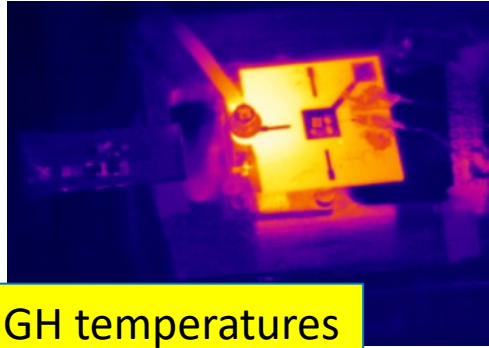






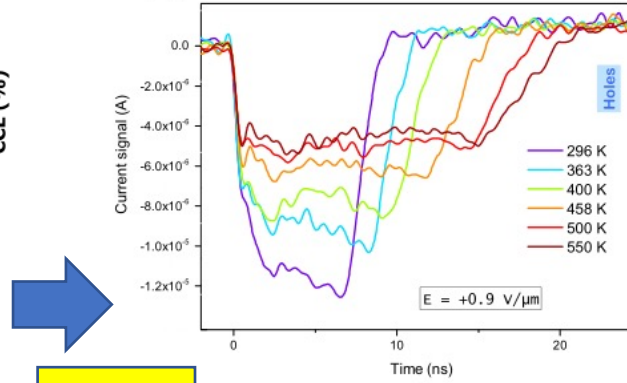
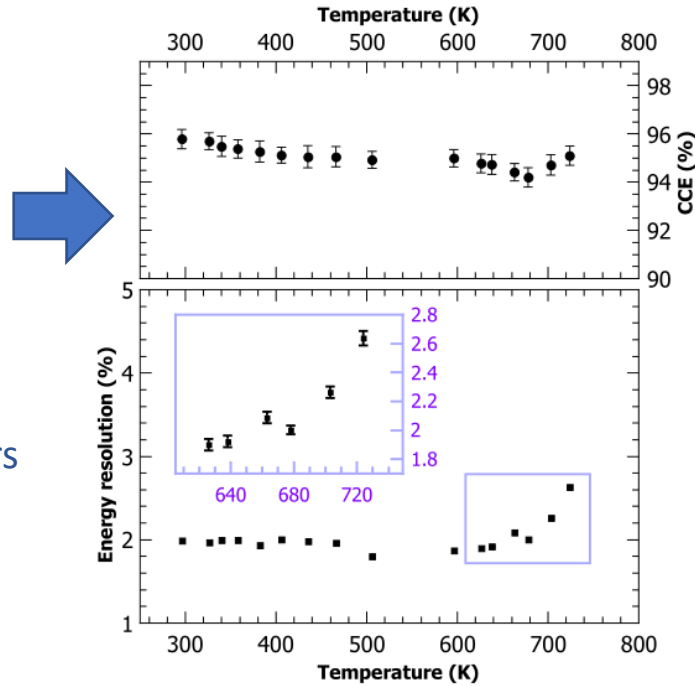
# High/low temp. + time resolved IBIC

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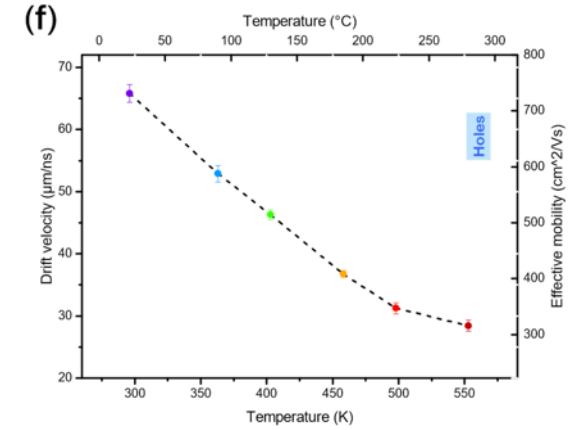


**HIGH temperatures**

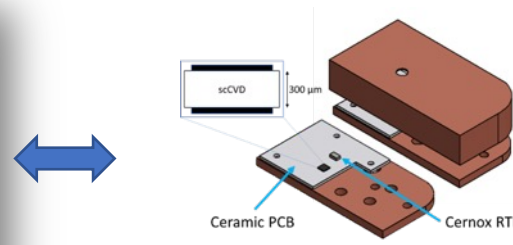
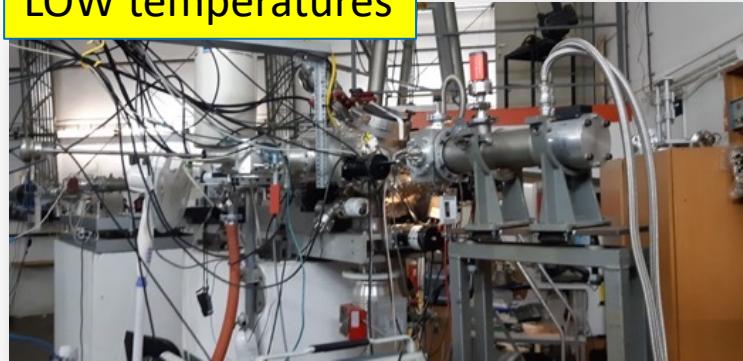
Resistive heating of detectors up to 450 C (diamond)  
(A. Crnjac et al. RBI)



**Ion-TCT** provides direct evidence of charge carriers mobility vs. temperature

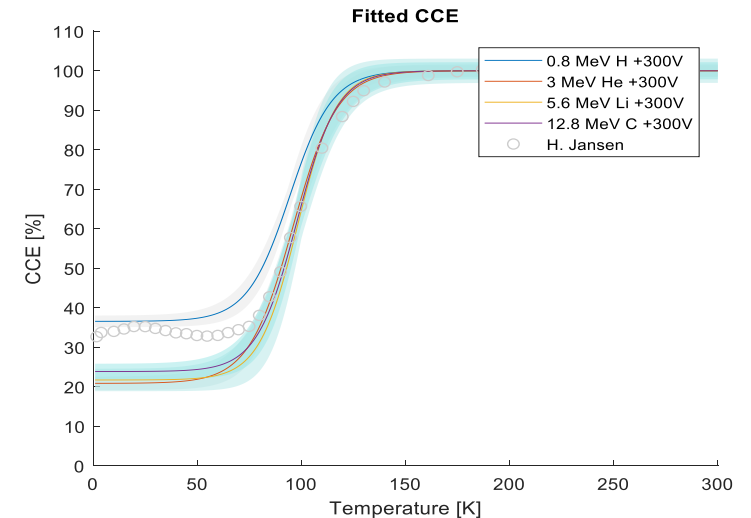


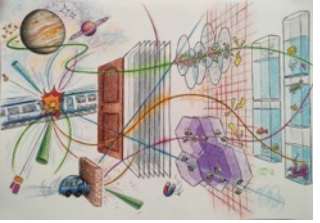
**LOW temperatures**



Cryo cooler (down to 40 K) for CCE studies in diamond (D.D. Cosic et al. RBI)

Decrease of efficiency for diamond at  $T < 100$  K !!



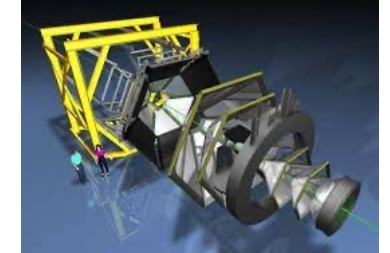
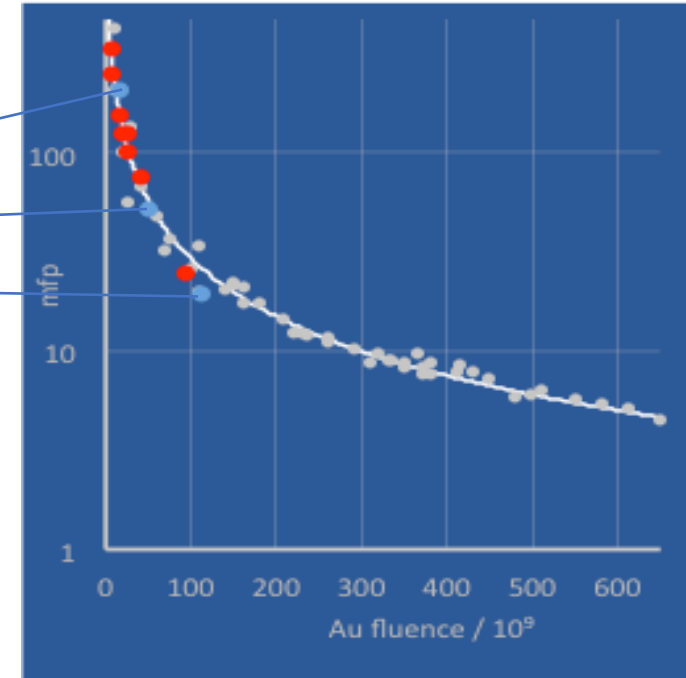
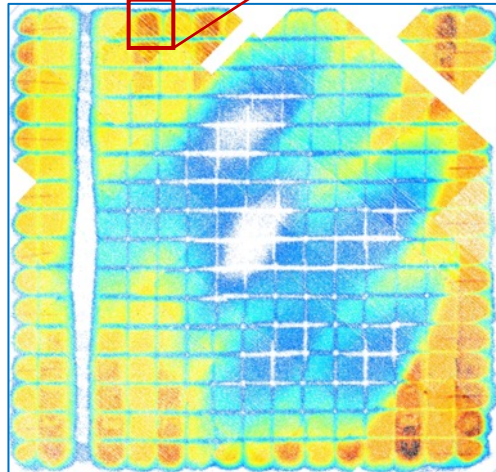
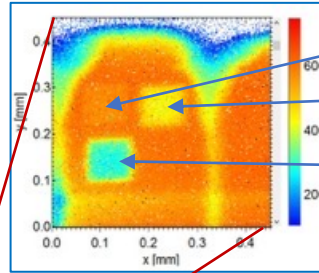
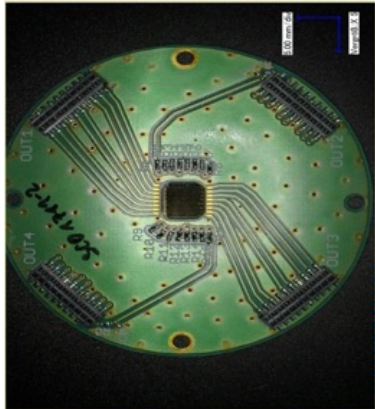
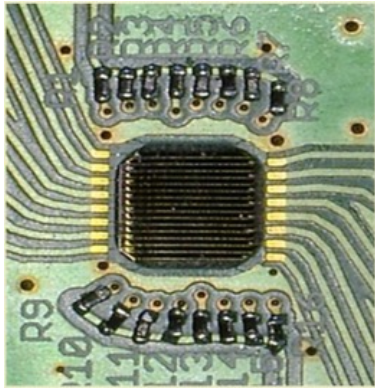


# Radiation hardness – irradiation by protons

AIDA-2020-RBI-2015-1

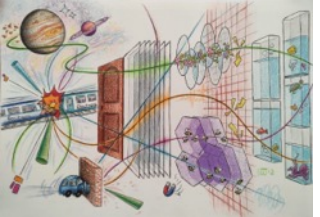
**Radiation damage** in scCVD diamond material  
irradiated with relativistic Au beams at HADES  
Jerzy Pietraszko, GSI Darmstadt, Germany

HADES experiment at GSI



- Comparison of CCE degradation in pixels by fluence !
- Number of vacancies for protons extrapolated:  
$$\text{Au} / p_{4.5\text{MeV}} / p_{24\text{GeV}} = 2430 / 30 / 1$$

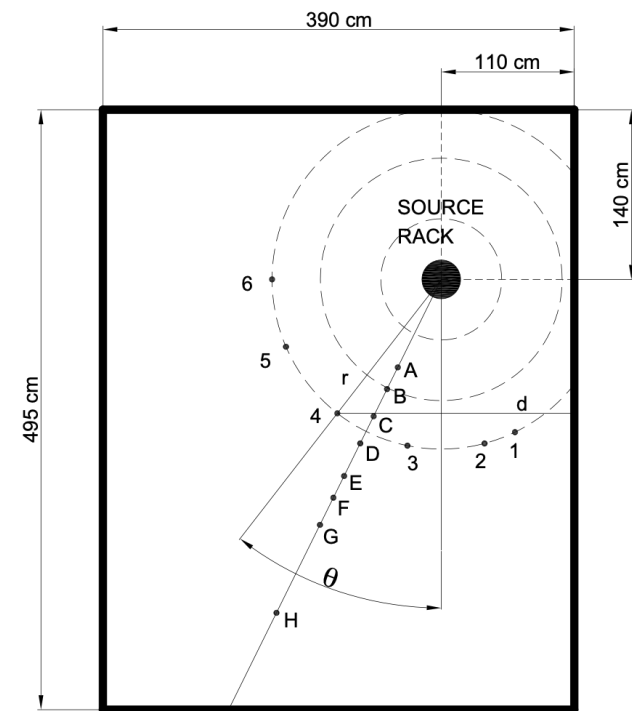




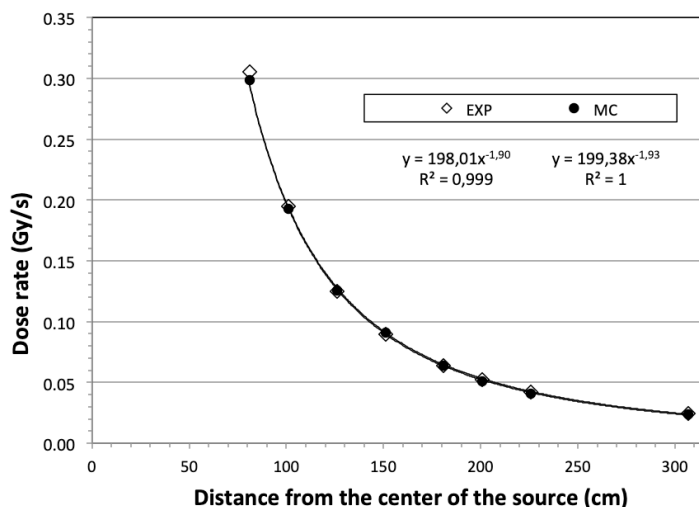
# Radiation hardness – irradiation by Co-60 gammas

**DRD3**

Operated by Radiation Chemistry & Dosimetry Lab (Ž. Knežević & M. Mayer)  
+ Experimental Physics Division (A. Satrodumov, others...)



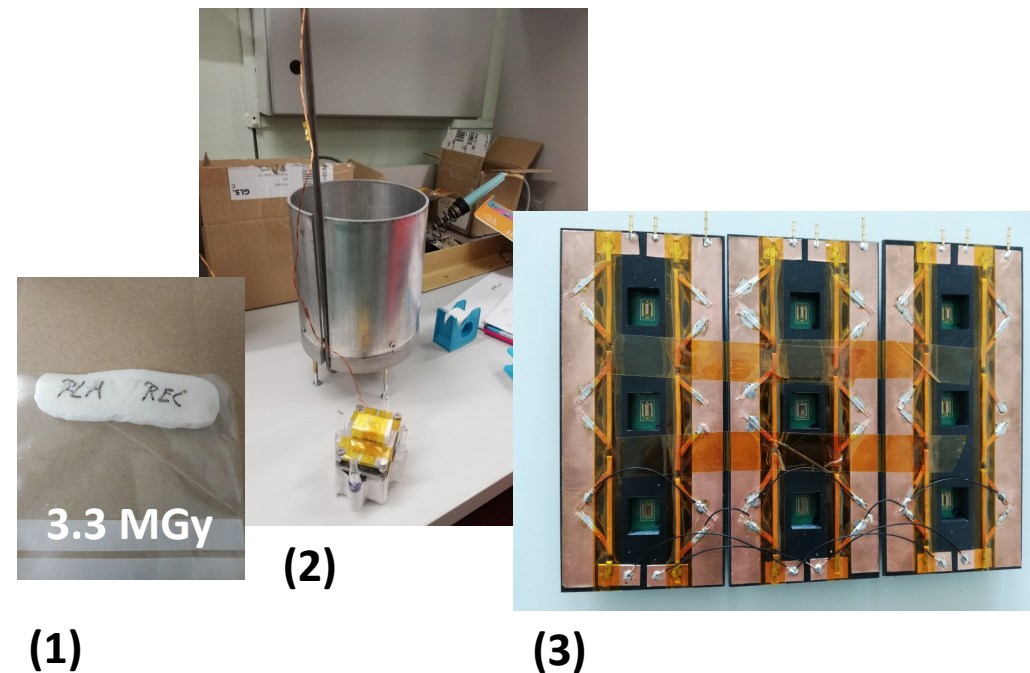
**Irradiation room**

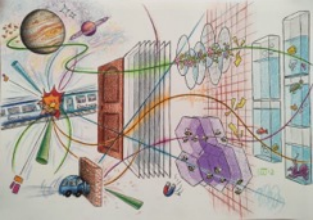


- Panoramic Co-60 1.17 and 1.33 MeV gamma source, 24 pencils, total activity 1.2 PBq
- Dose rate: center of the source **1.6 MRad/h**
- **Need to substitute 50% of Co60 in coming years (~€0.5M)**

## Irradiation experience in 2018-2022

- CMS pixel readout chips and modules;
- different types of 3D printer filaments (1);
- various silicon and epoxy glues ;
- diodes with temperature control (2);
- powered DMAPs diodes (3)





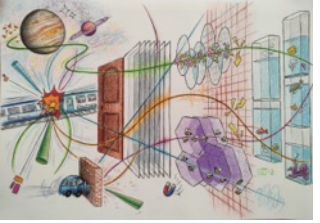
# Possible benefits of DRD3

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**DRD3**

- To enable easier access to detector characterisation facilities (incl. IBIC @ RBI) to non-European researcher teams
- Training visitors to detector characterisation infrastructure to increase awareness of technique capability
- Training visitors from infrastructure to research teams developing detectors to increase knowledge about the most important problems and needs of the community
- Gathering complementary research groups that can benefit from collaboration
- Redefining priorities of detector characterisation technique, according to the needs
- Else?





# Conclusions

DRD3

## New developments / milestones

- ❖ Dual microprobe – simultaneous damaging and probing
- ❖ In-air IBIC capabilities (detector handling, inert atmosphere, DAQs,...)
- ❖ Diamond detector based devices / extreme fluences & temperatures / thin membranes for trigger (&SiC)
- ❖ **New 5.0 MV accelerator and hall in 2025.** →



## Blue sky research:

- ✓ Low noise IBIC system applications: single ion implantation - NV centers
- ✓ New detector materials and devices (microscopic sensors, position sens...)
- ✓ ...

