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Muon CLFV Experiments

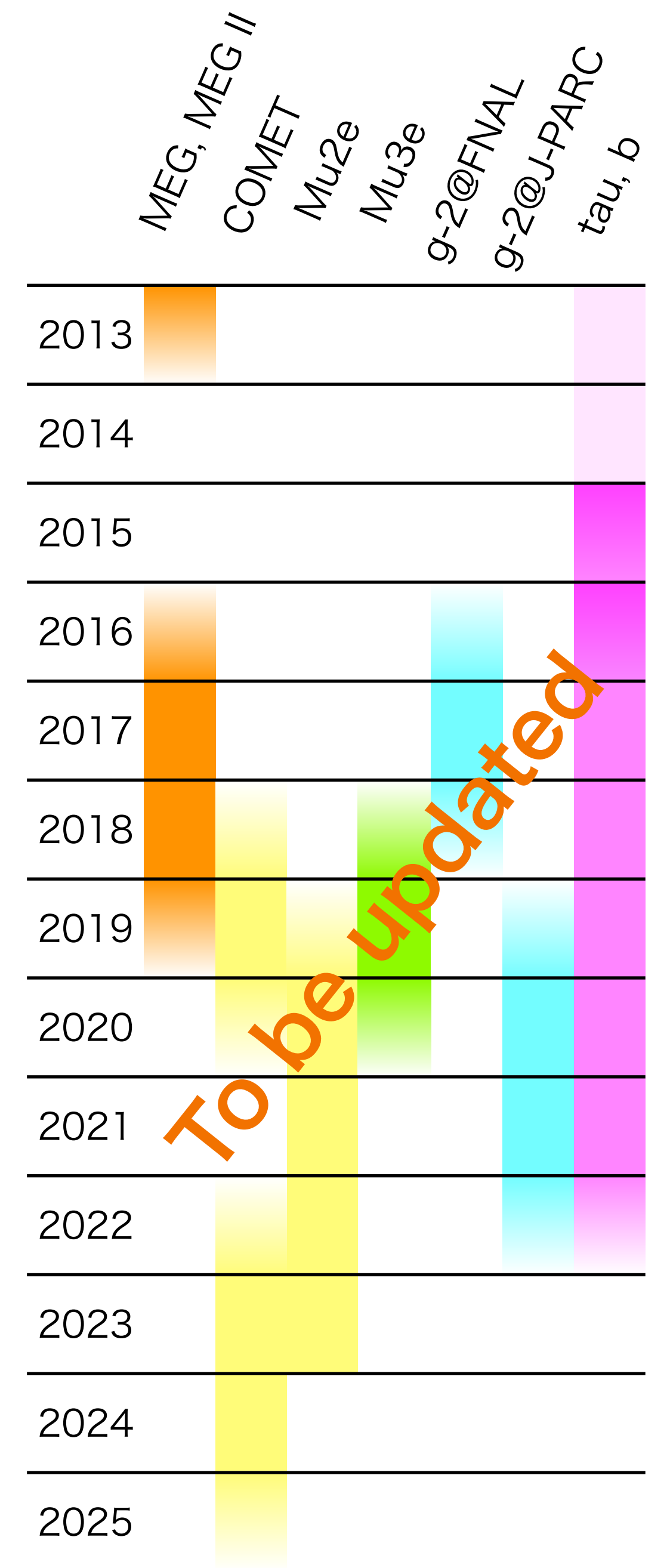
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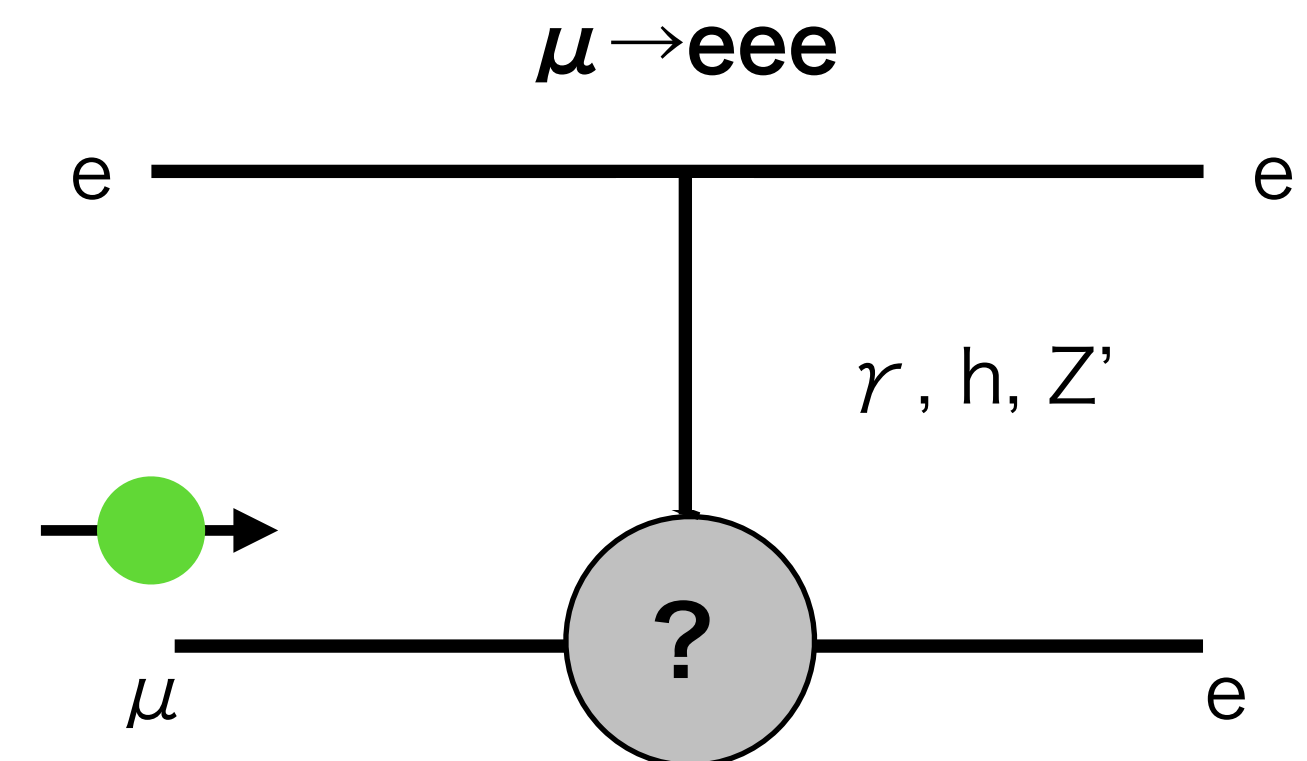
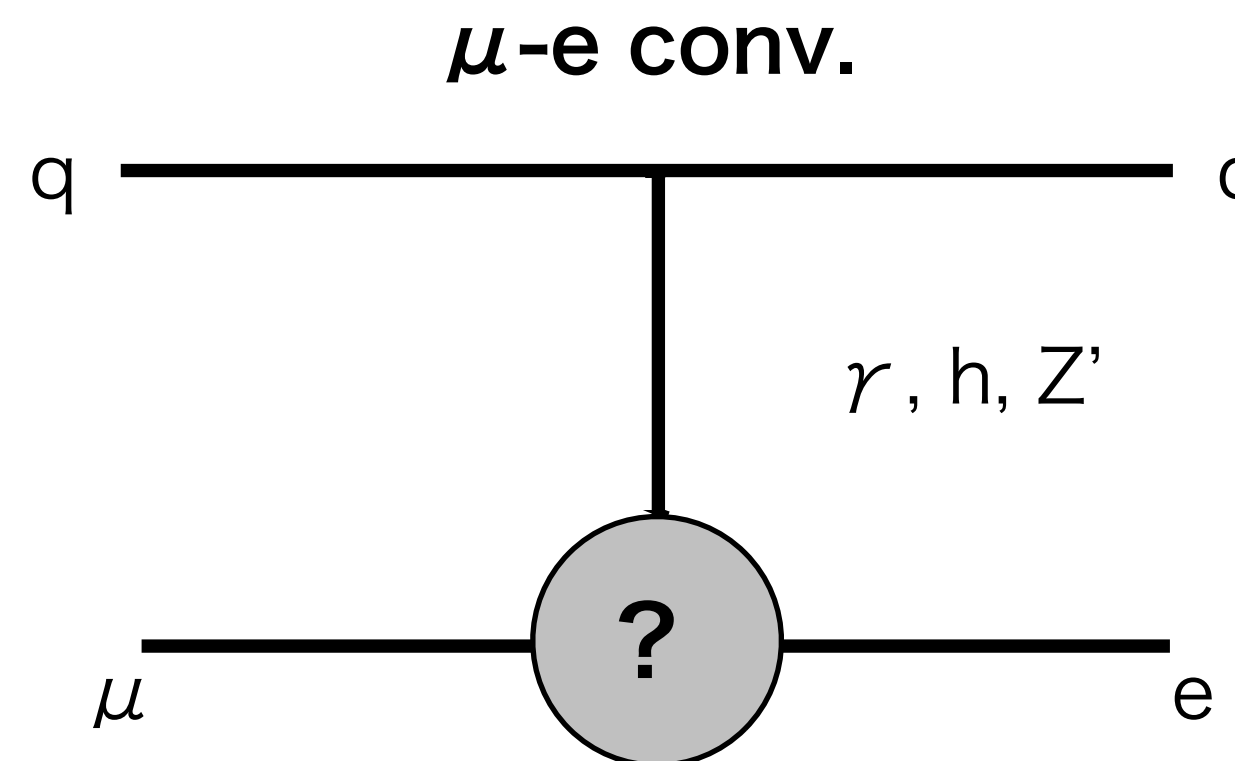
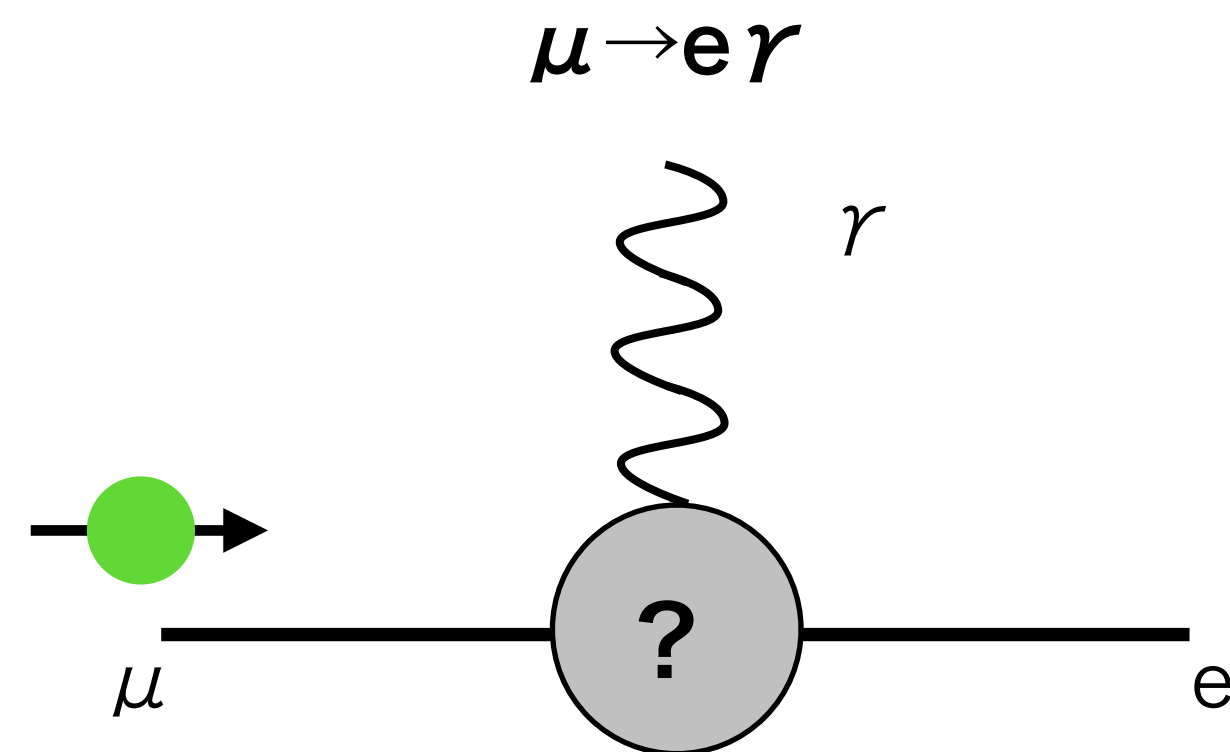
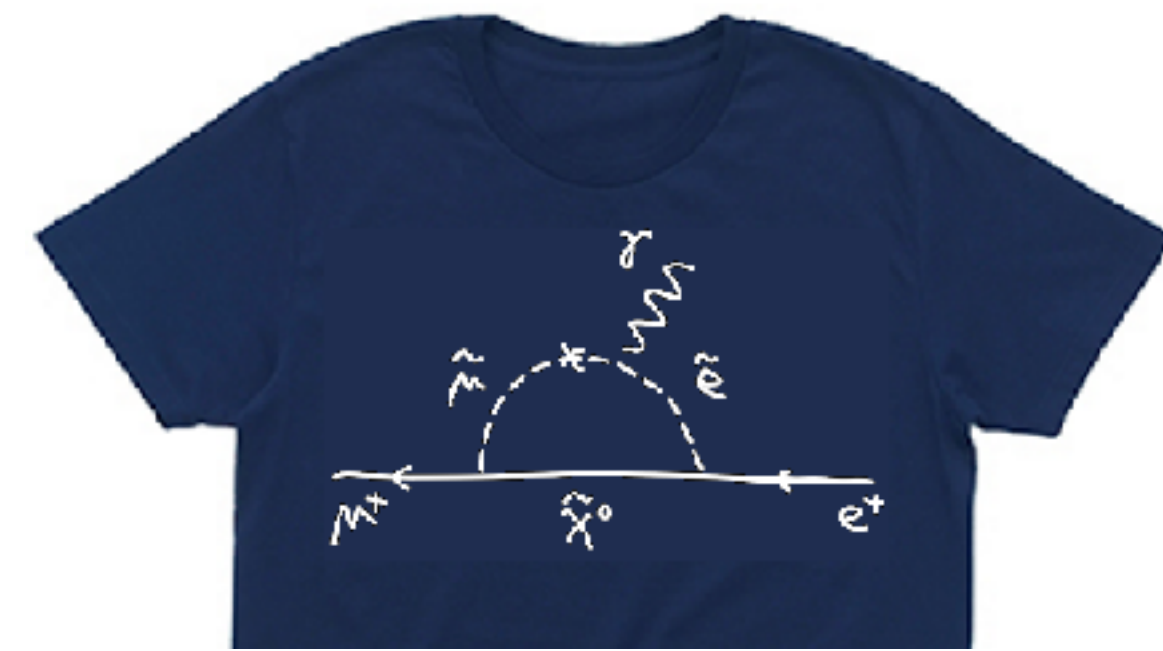
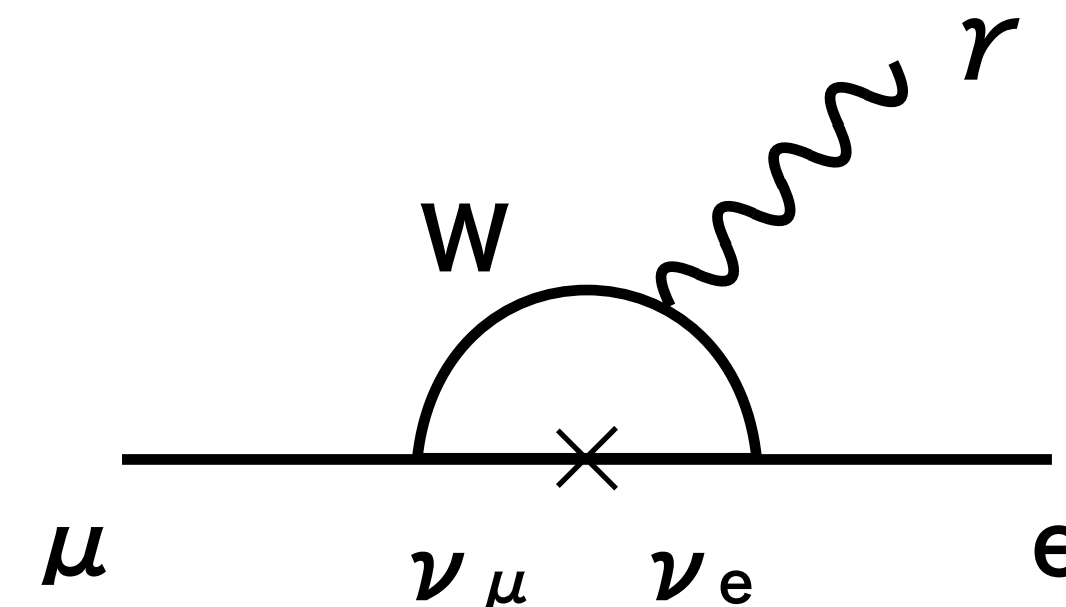
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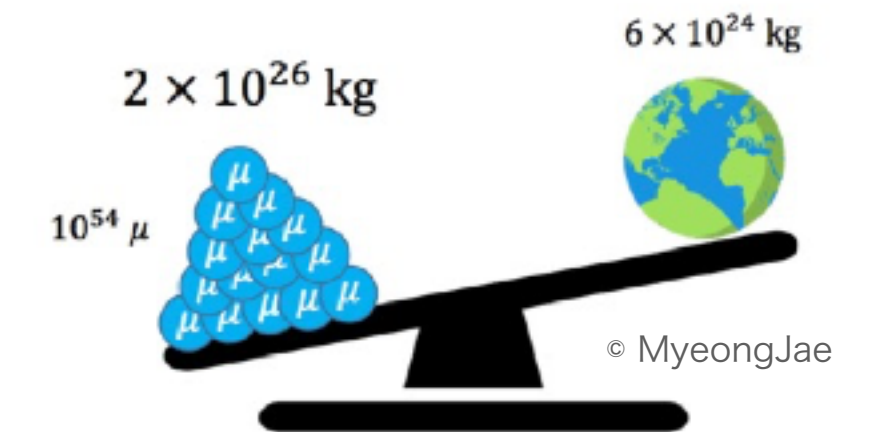
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 - Observation = clear evidence of NP
- Motivated by many kinds of new physics models BSM
- Origin of neutrino mass



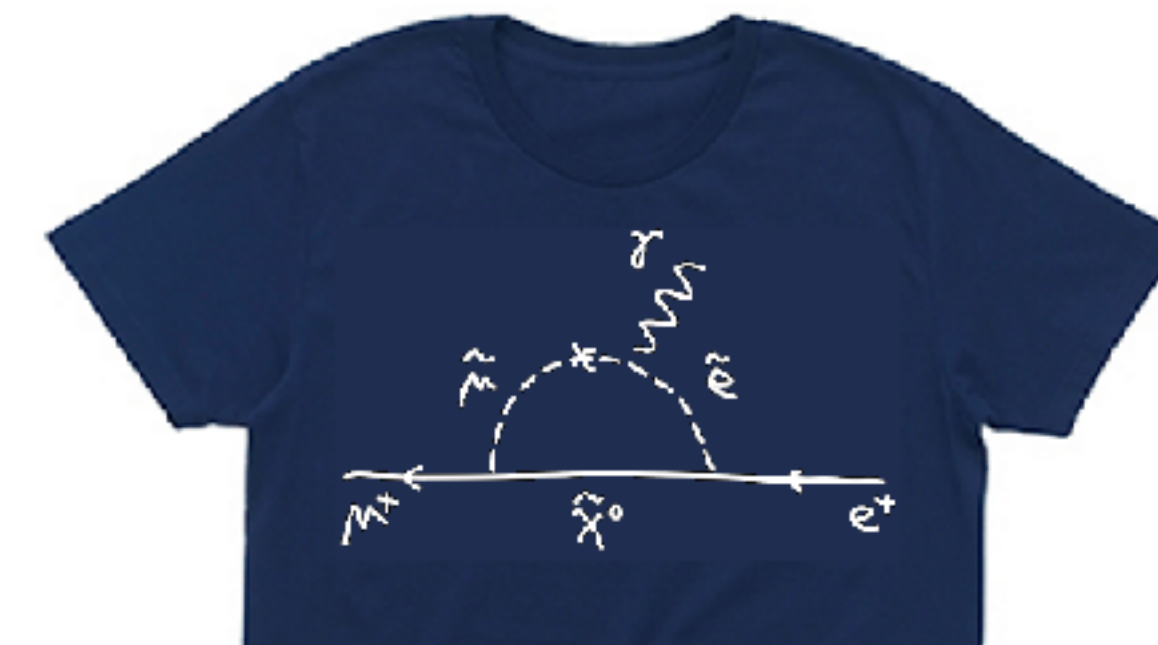
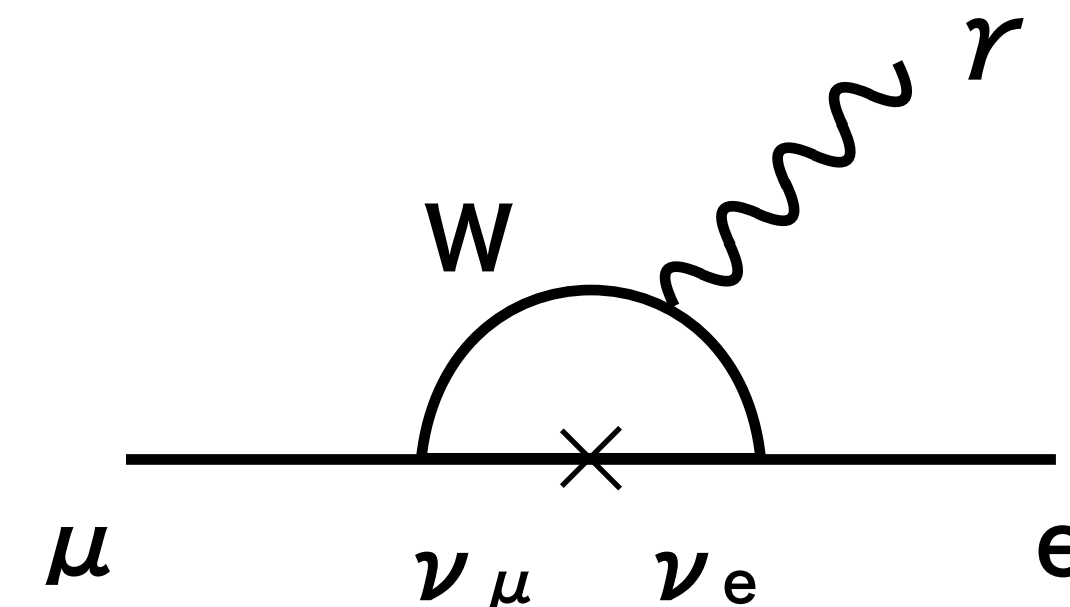
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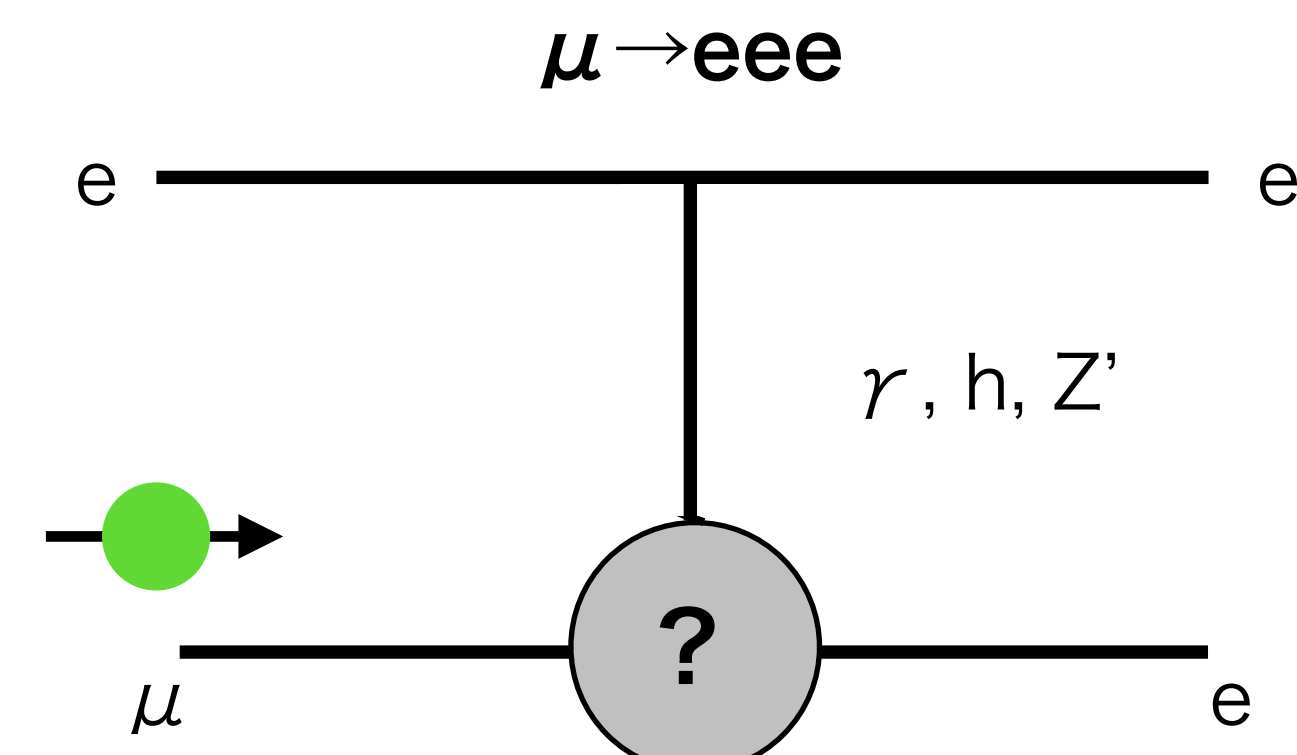
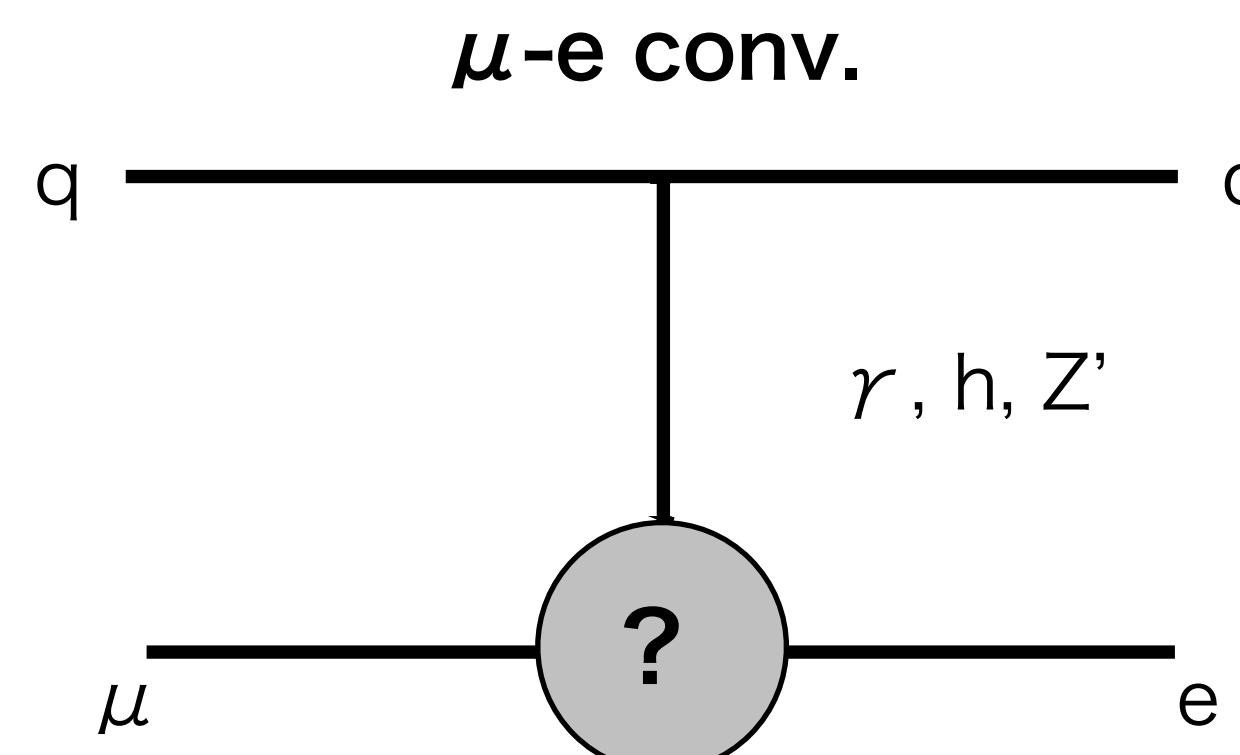
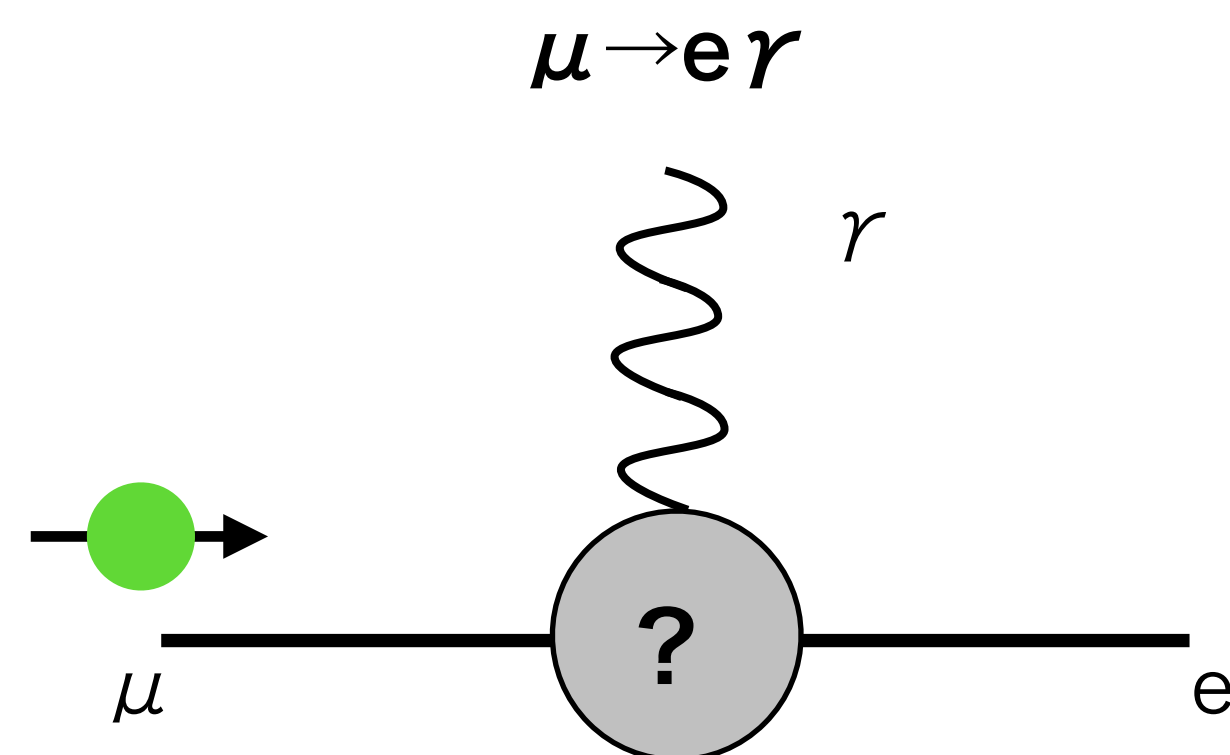
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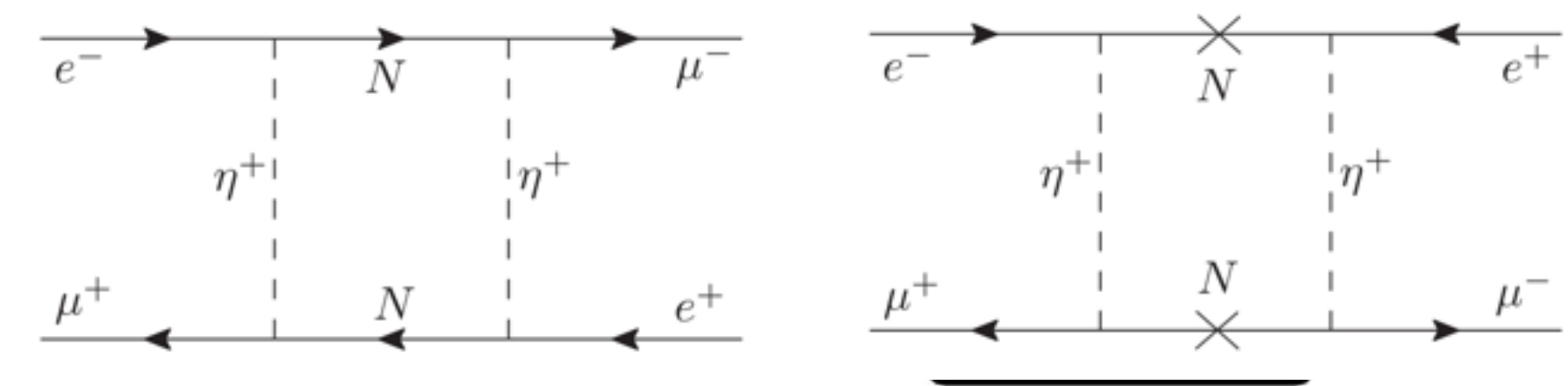
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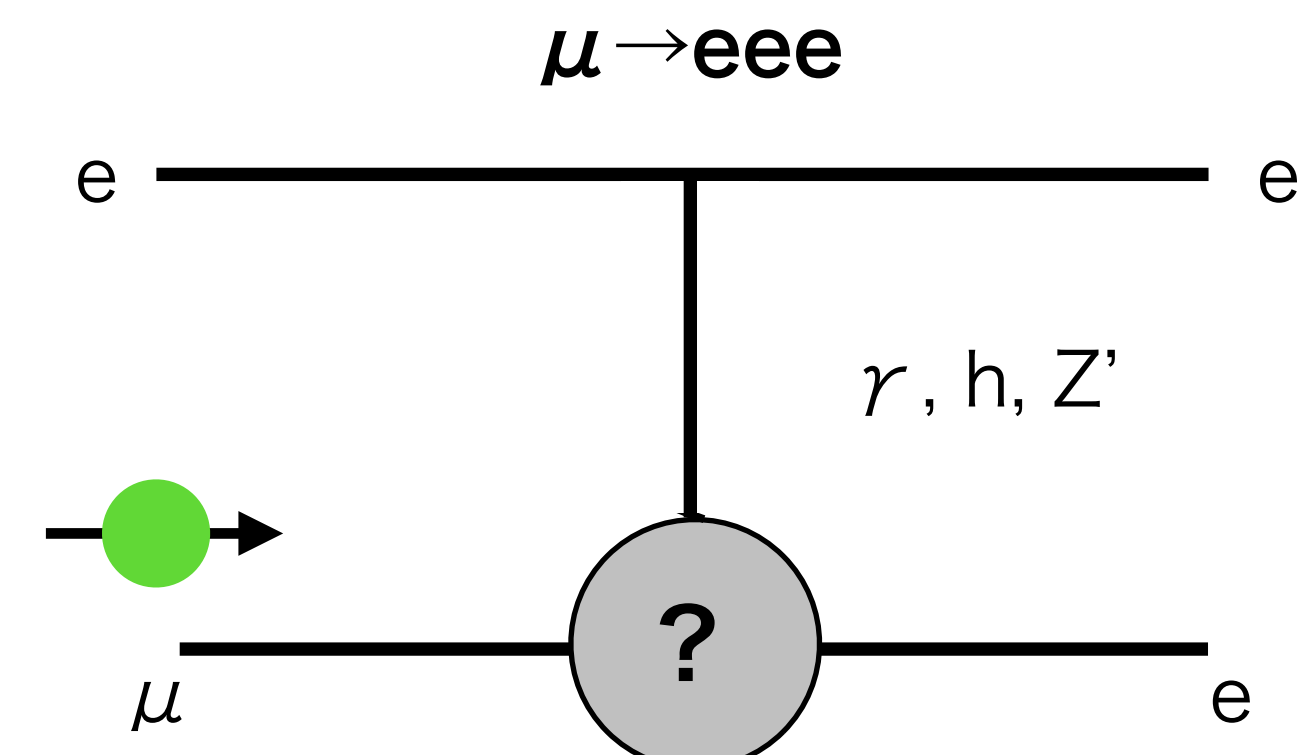
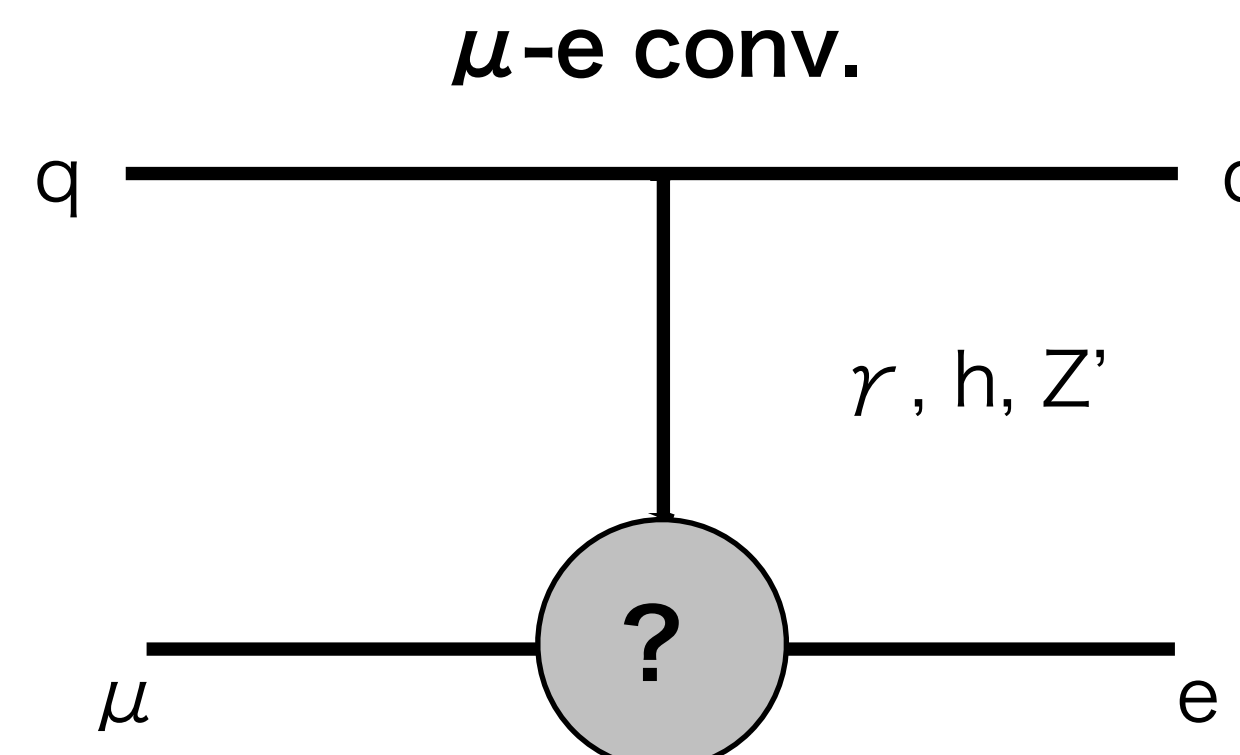
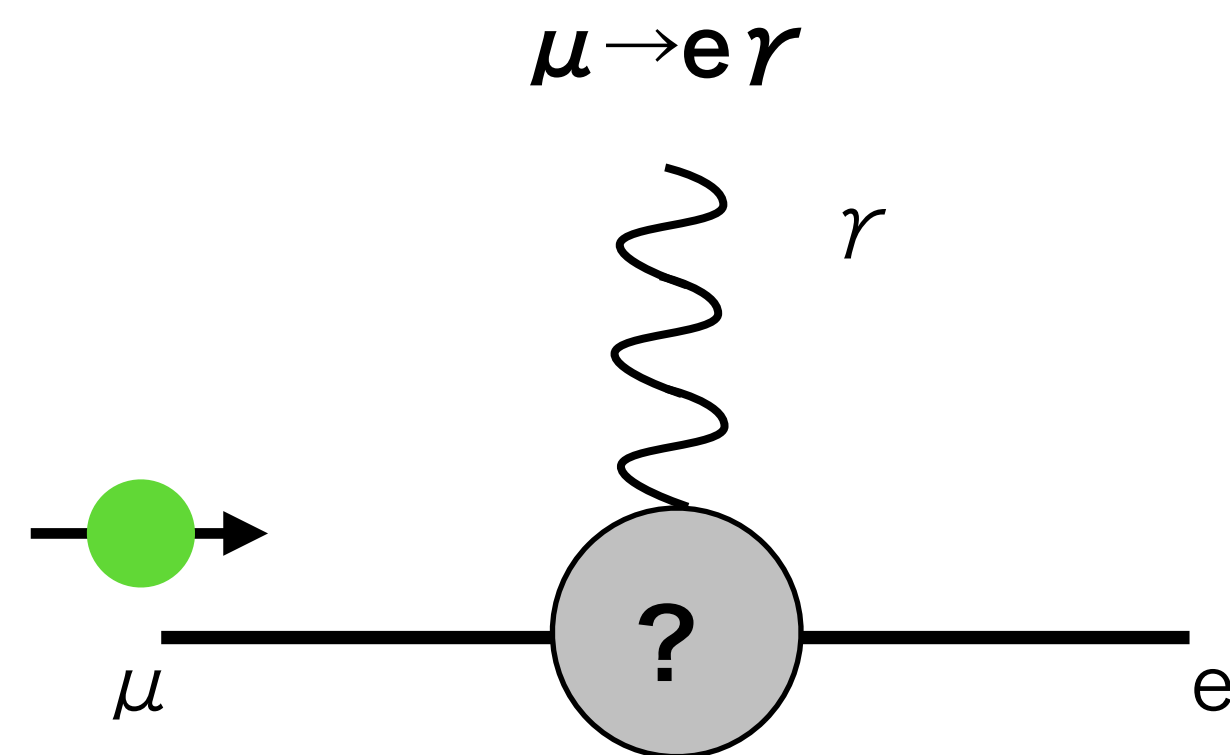
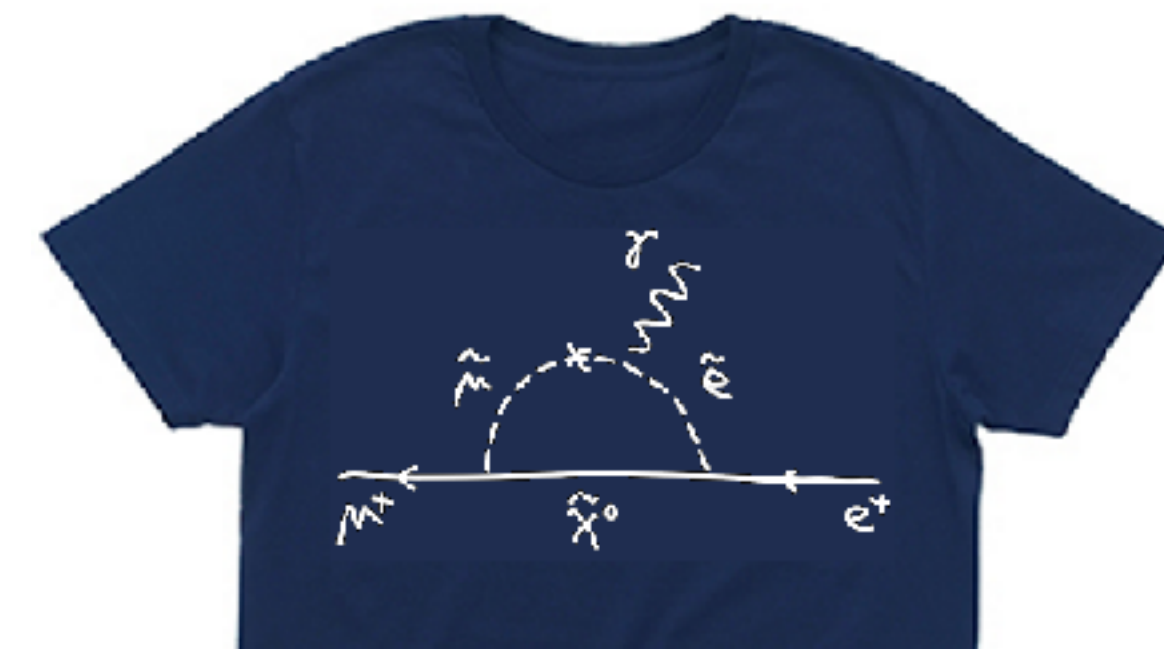
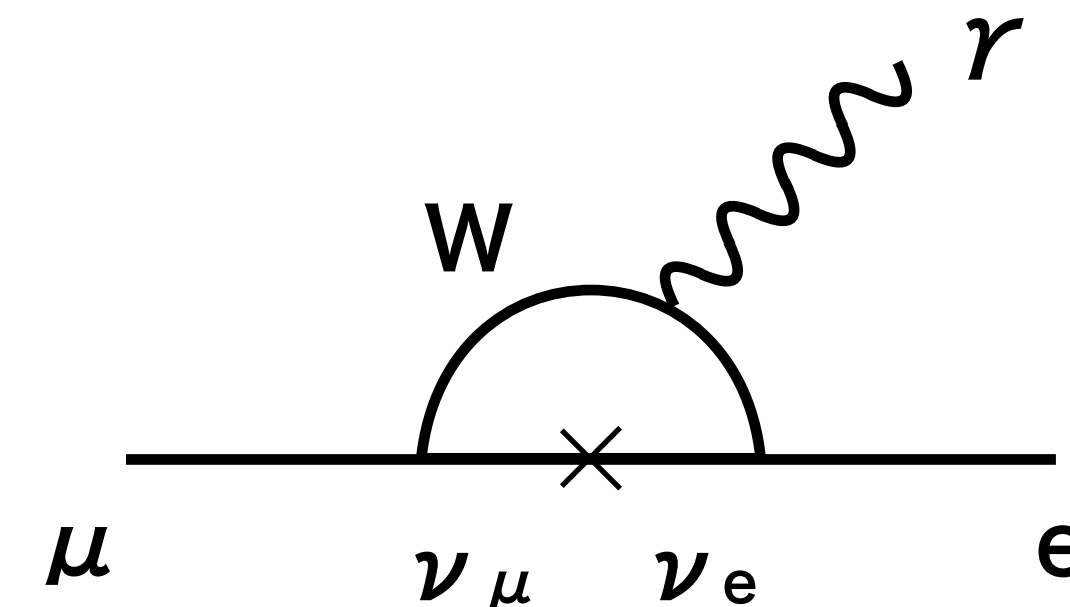
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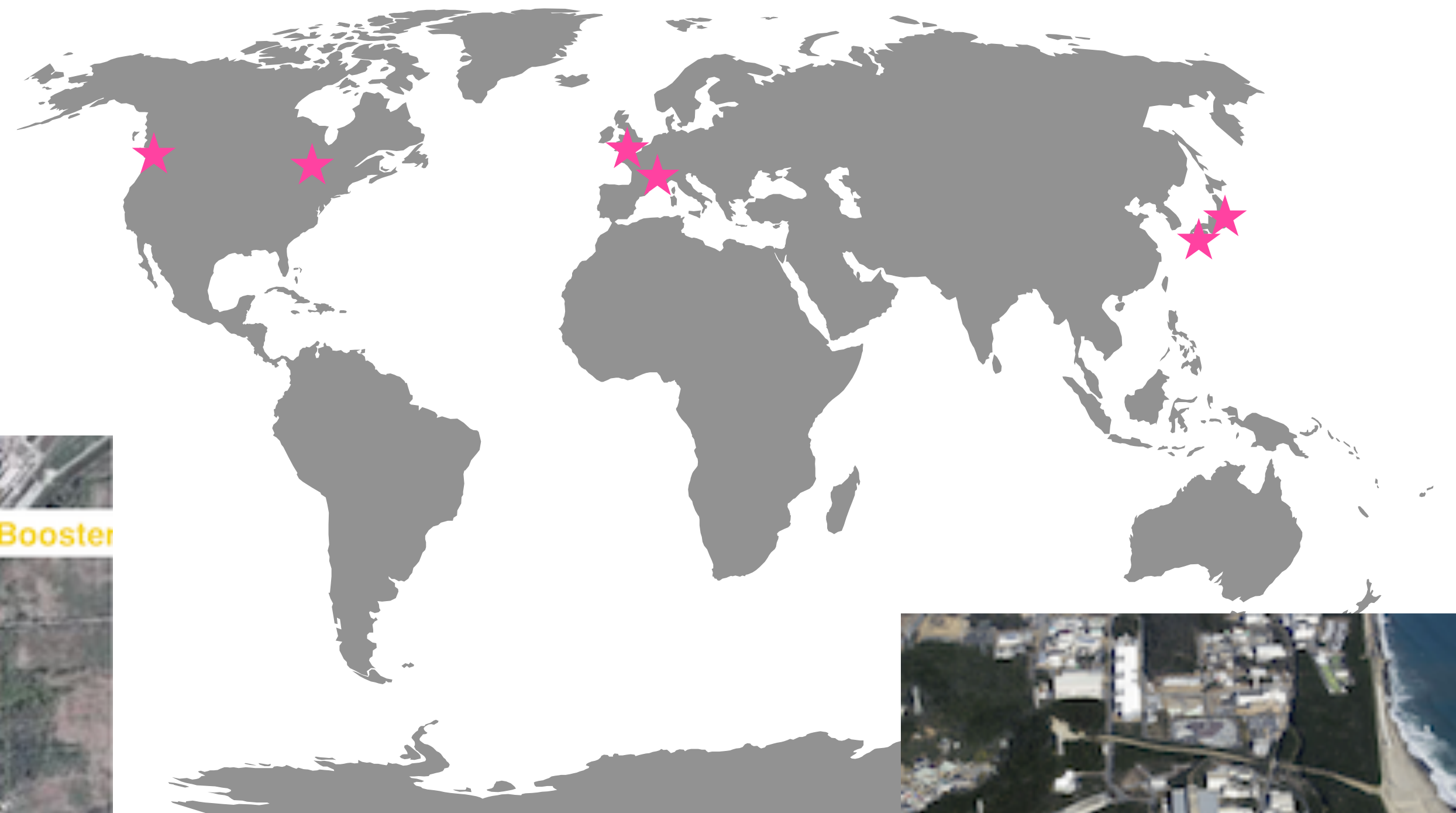
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Muon facilities

Muon facility in the world

- J-PARC, RCNP (Japan)
- PSI (Switzerland)
- RAL (UK)
- FNAL (US)
- TRIUMF (Canada)

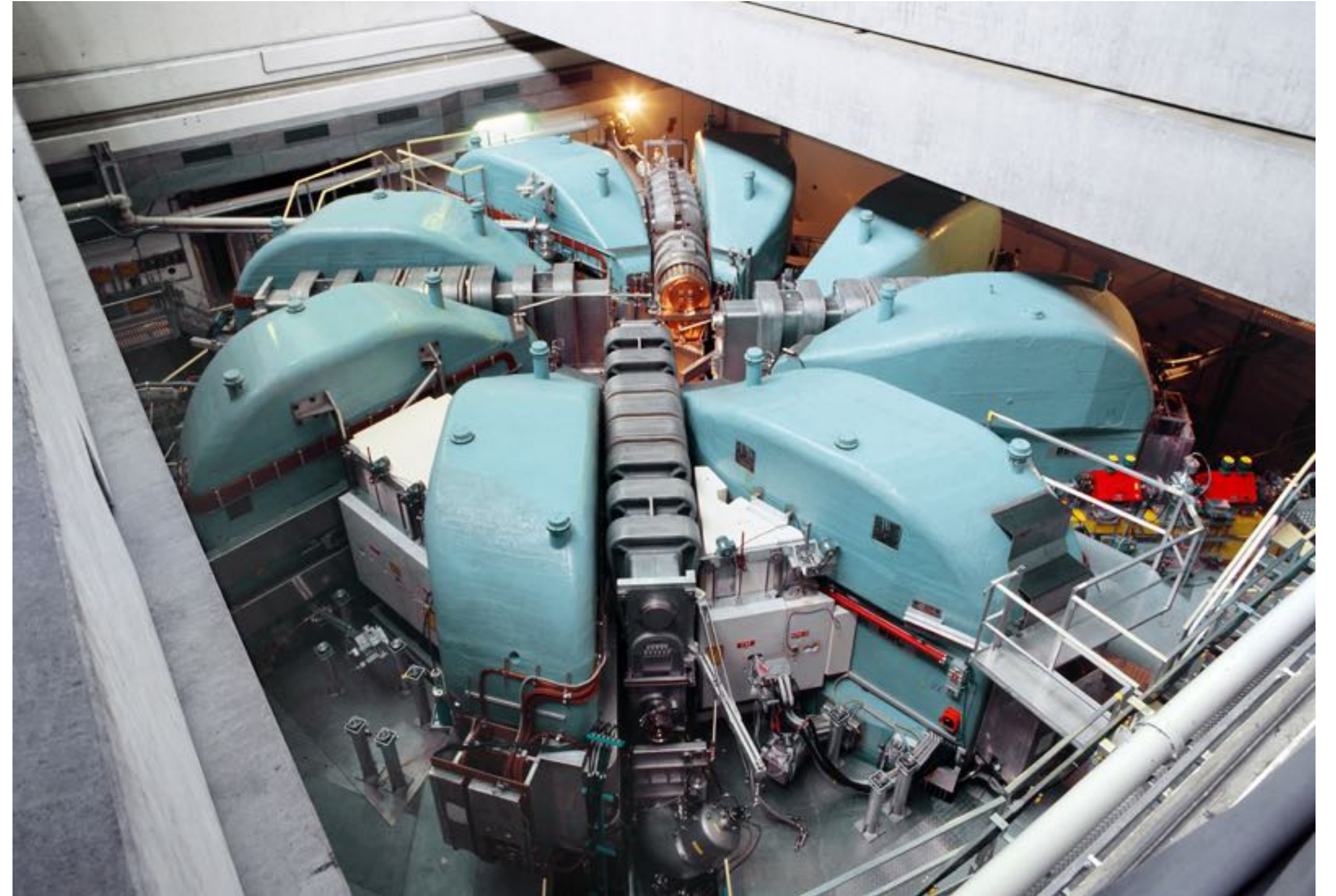


Muon CLFV experiments

- $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$ MEG II at PSI
- μ -e conversion COMET at J-PARC & Mu2e at FNAL
- $\mu \rightarrow eee$ Mu3e at PSI

MEG II at PSI

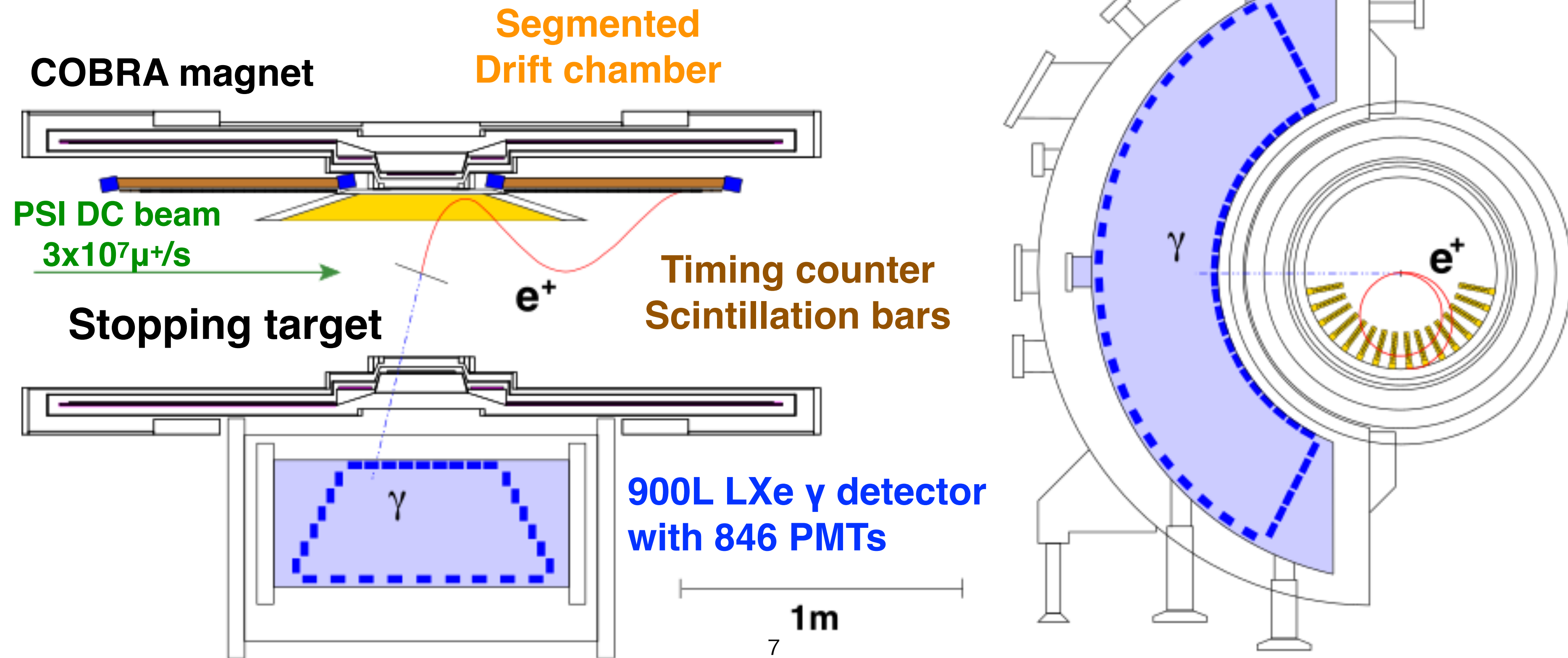
- $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$ search



Alessandro Baldini, WG4 on 22/Aug

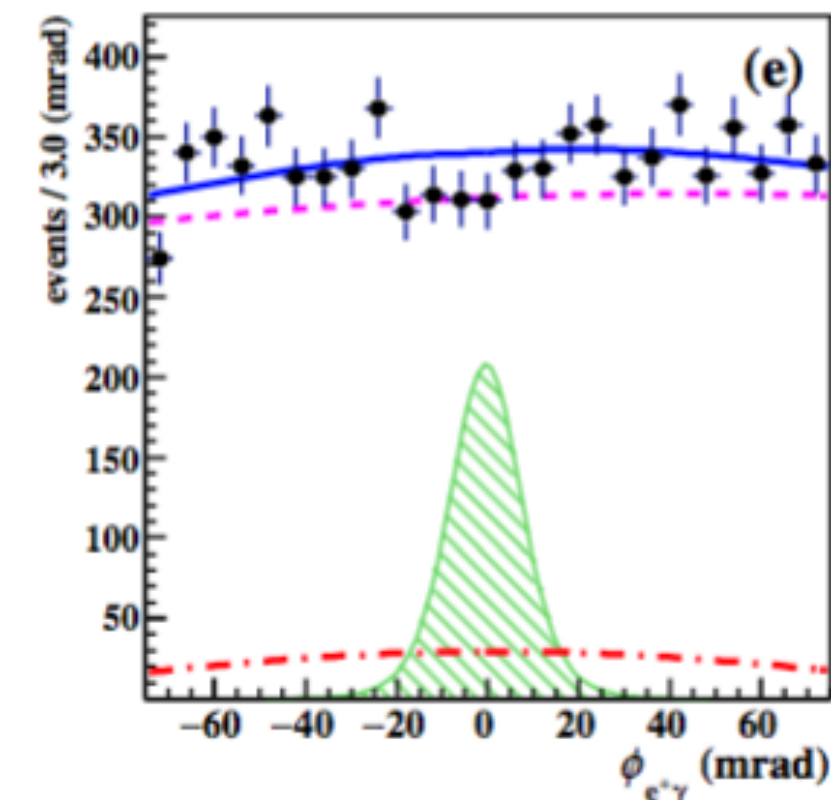
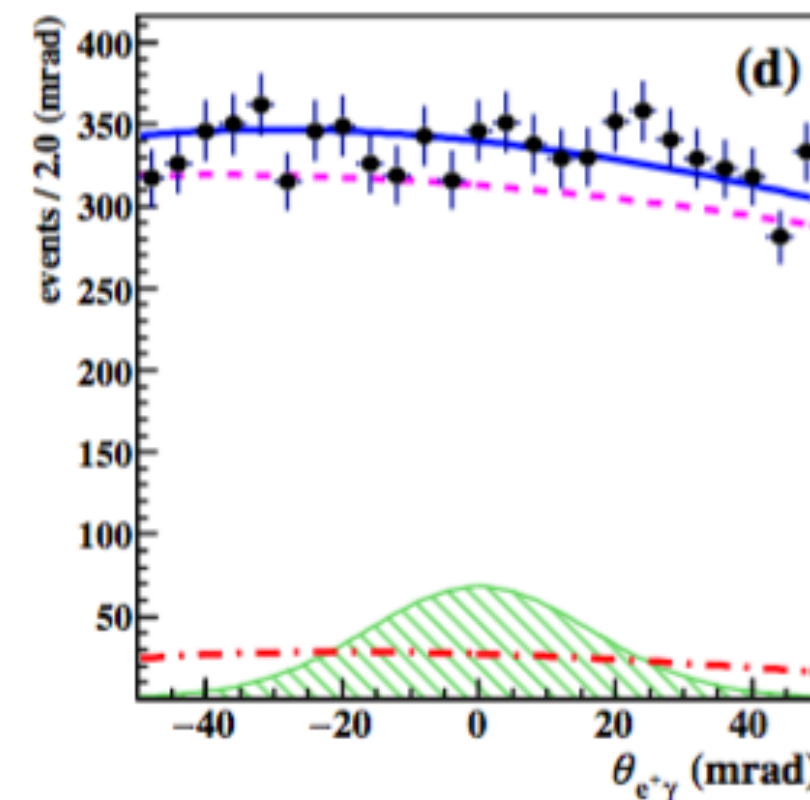
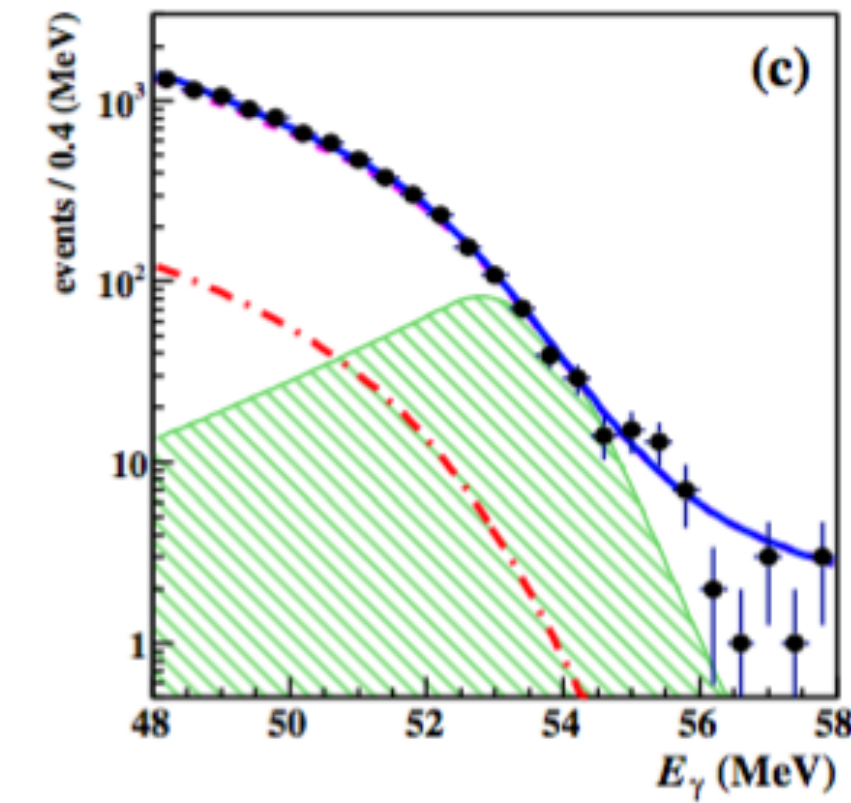
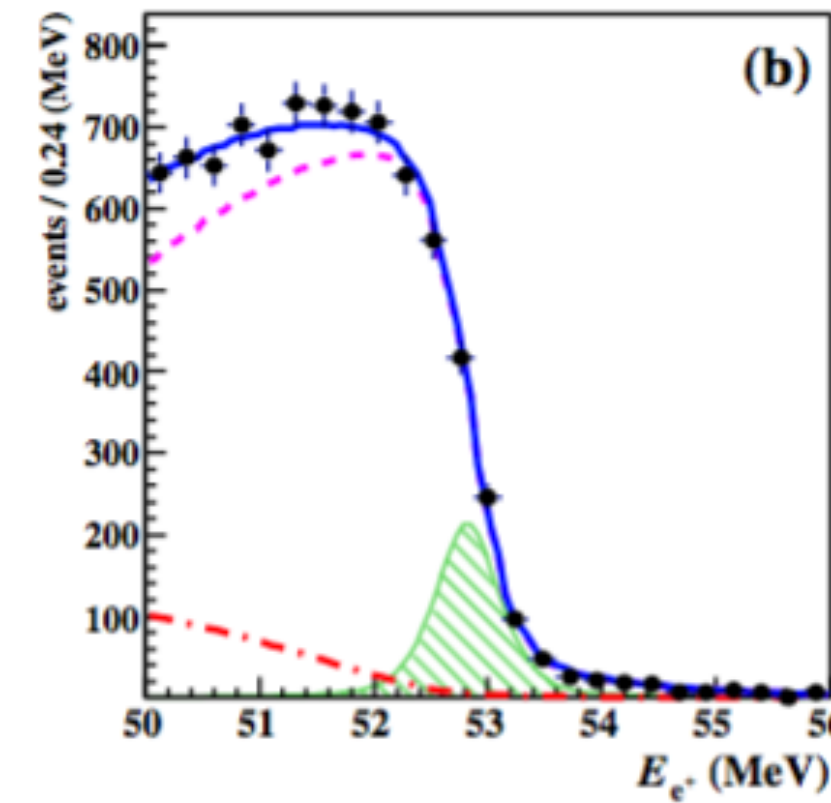
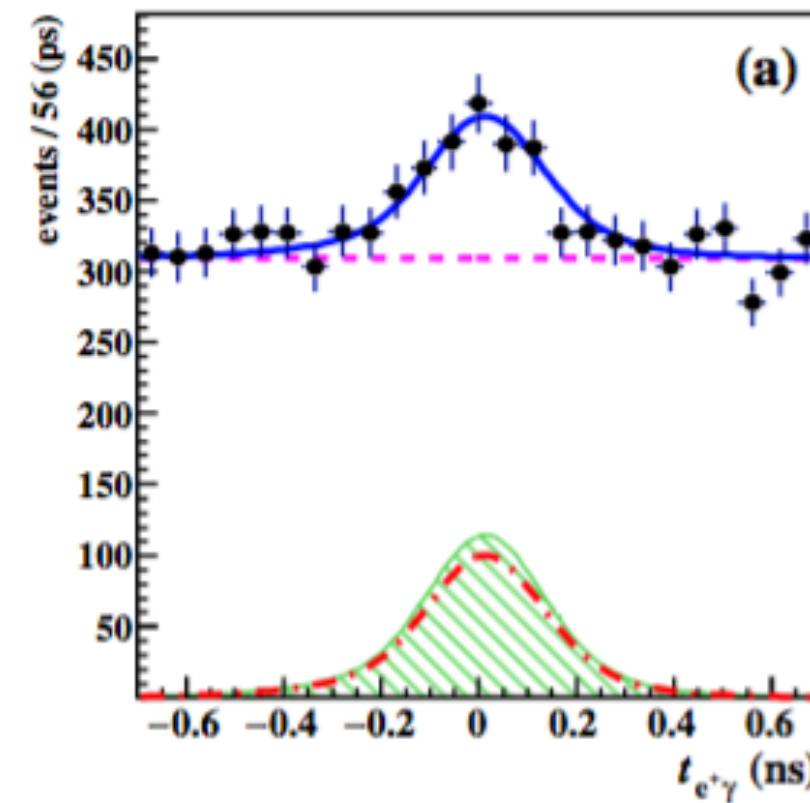
MEG: $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$ search at PSI

- Surface DC Muon beam
- Muon (+) stop on a thin target, positron and gamma are measured by detectors surrounding it



MEG Results

- Full dataset : 7.5×10^{14} μ^+ stopped on the target
- Blind analysis in $(E_\gamma, t_{e\gamma})$ plane
- Five observables $E_\gamma, E_e, t_{e\gamma}, \theta_{e\gamma}, \phi_{e\gamma}$
- Maximum likelihood analysis
- All PDFs well consistent with data
- The fit result was consistent with no signal

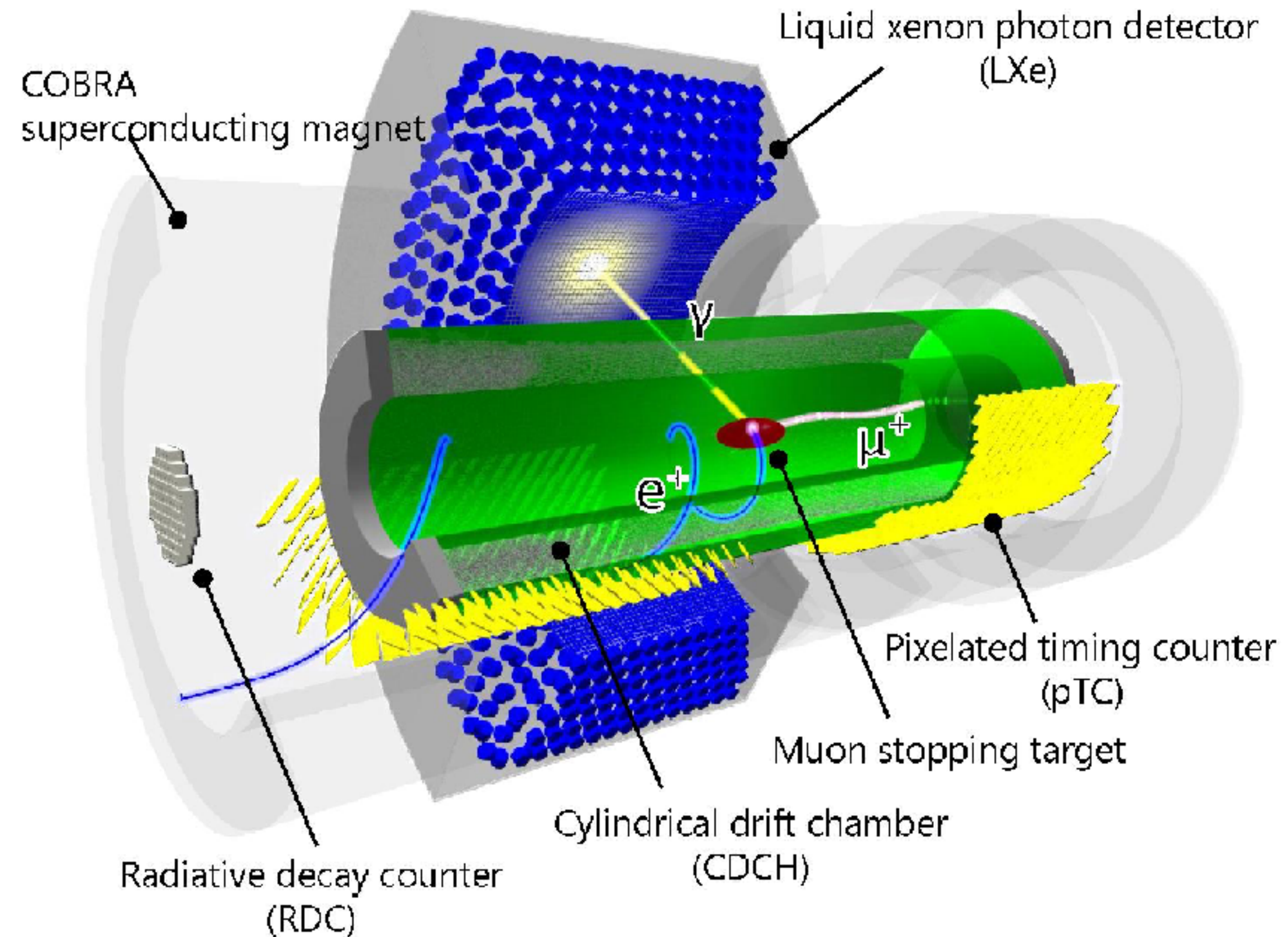


- $N_{ACC} = 7684 \pm 103$
- $N_{RMD} = 663 \pm 59$
- Signal PDF enhanced

• $Br(\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \gamma) < 4.2 \times 10^{-13}$ @ 90% C.L.

MEG II: Upgrade of MEG

- MEG achieved 4.2×10^{-13} @ 90% C.L.
 - Background was dominated by Accidental event overlaps
- MEG II aims at twice better resolutions than MEG in all components
- Double the muon beam rate
 - 7×10^7 muon stops/s
- New detector to tag the radiative muon decay event
- New calibration method

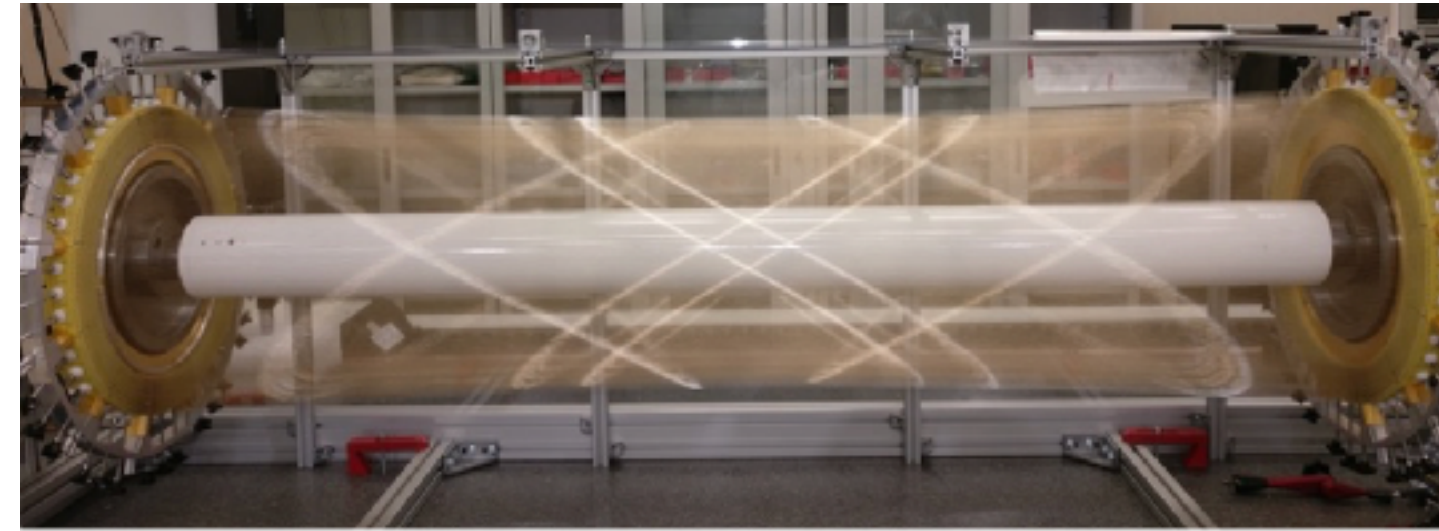


Target Sensitivity : 6×10^{-14} in 3 years running

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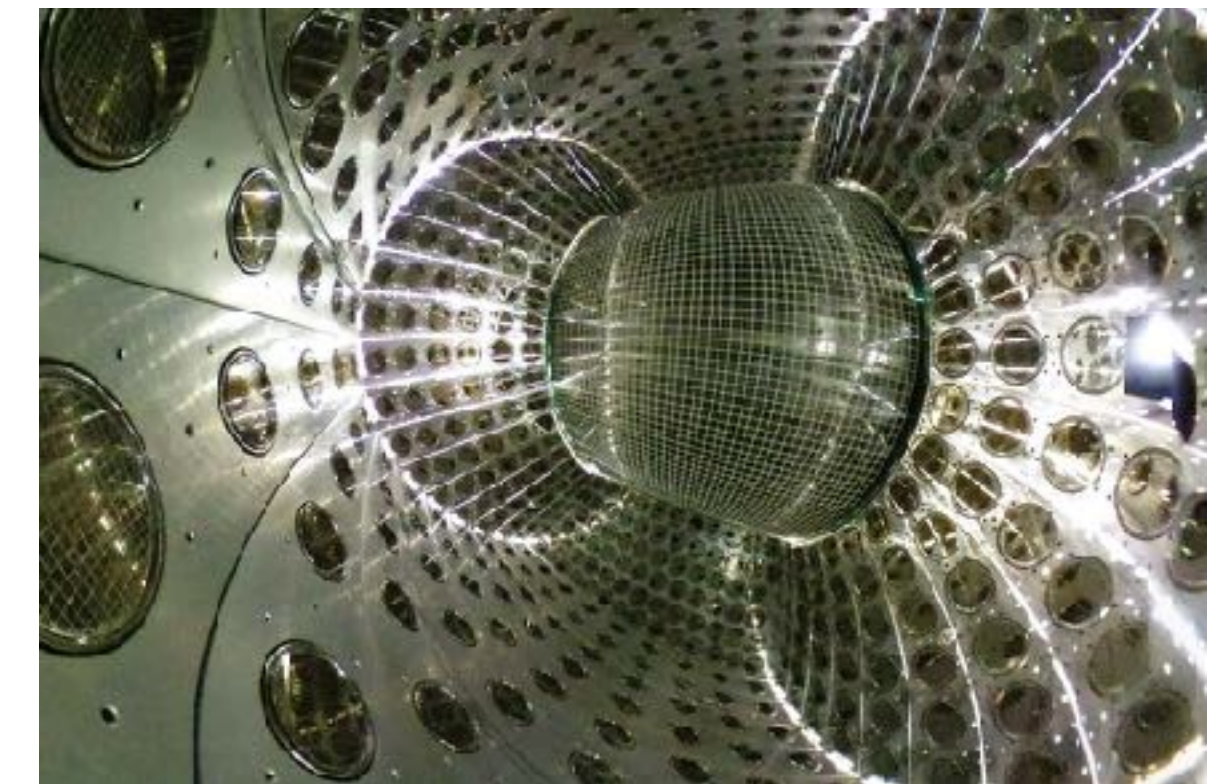
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- Significant statistics collected in 2022 and even more in 2023.
- All newly installed detectors are working fine!
 - TDAQ as well!

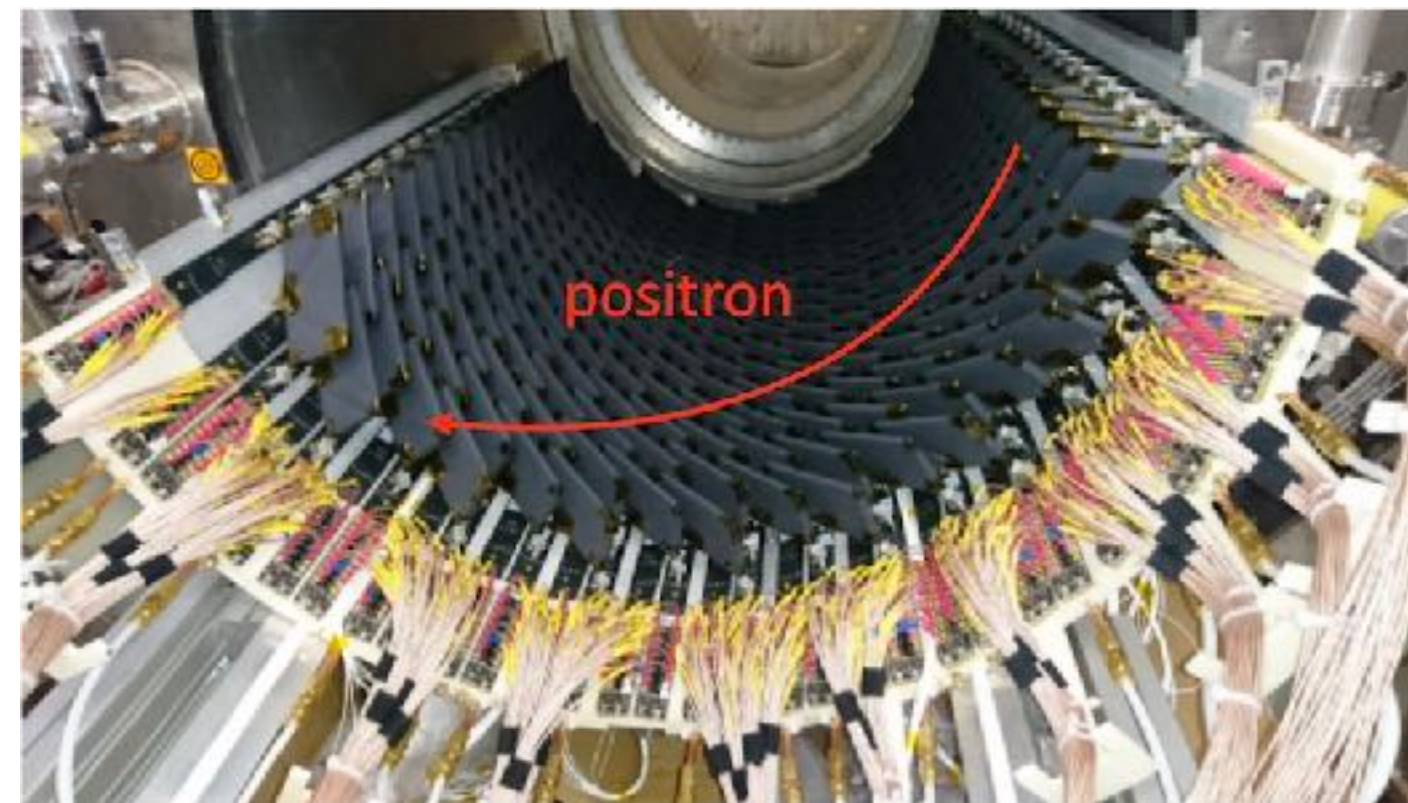


LXe detector with MPPC on the front face

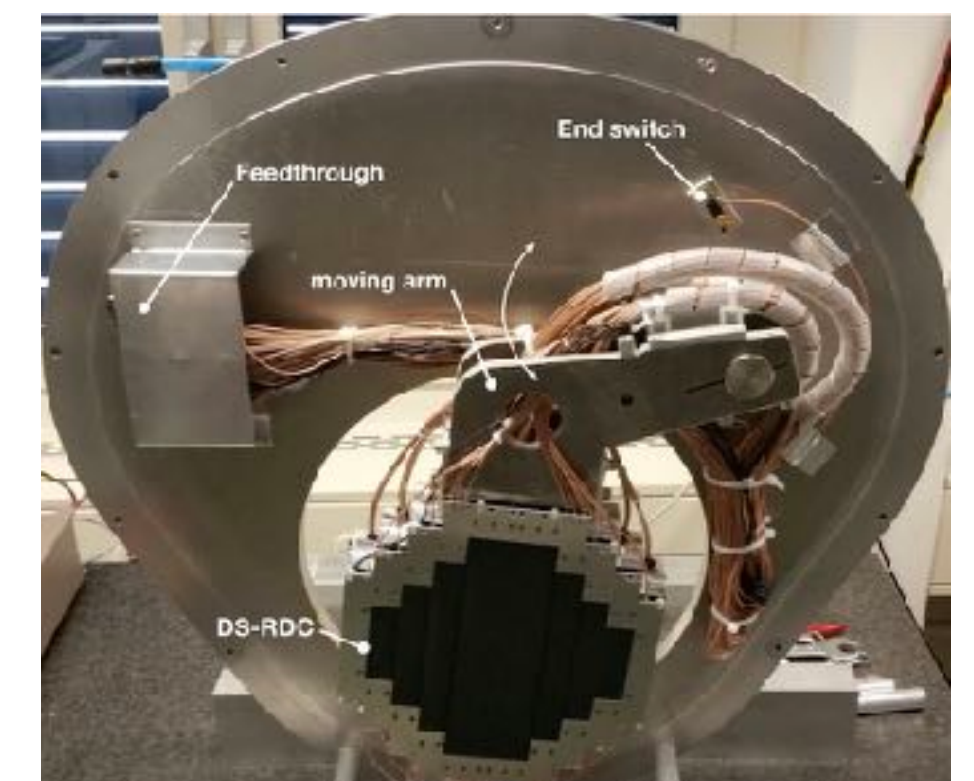
Single Volume Low mass Stereo-wire DC



Pixelated timing counter



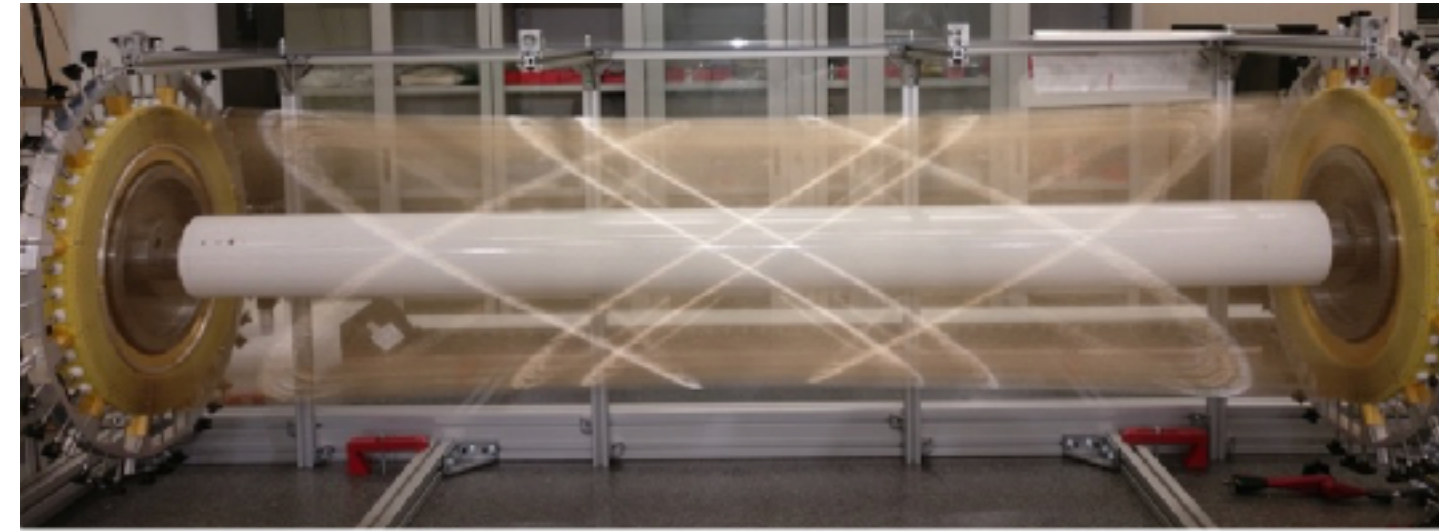
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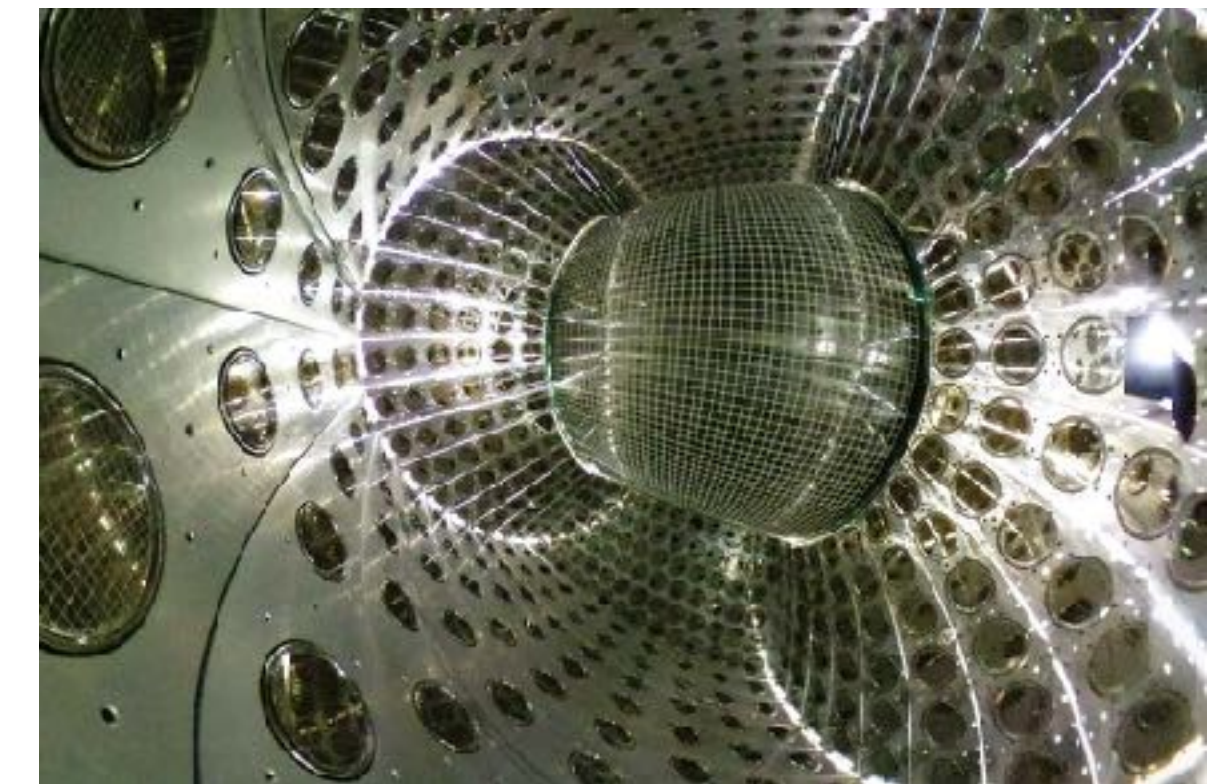
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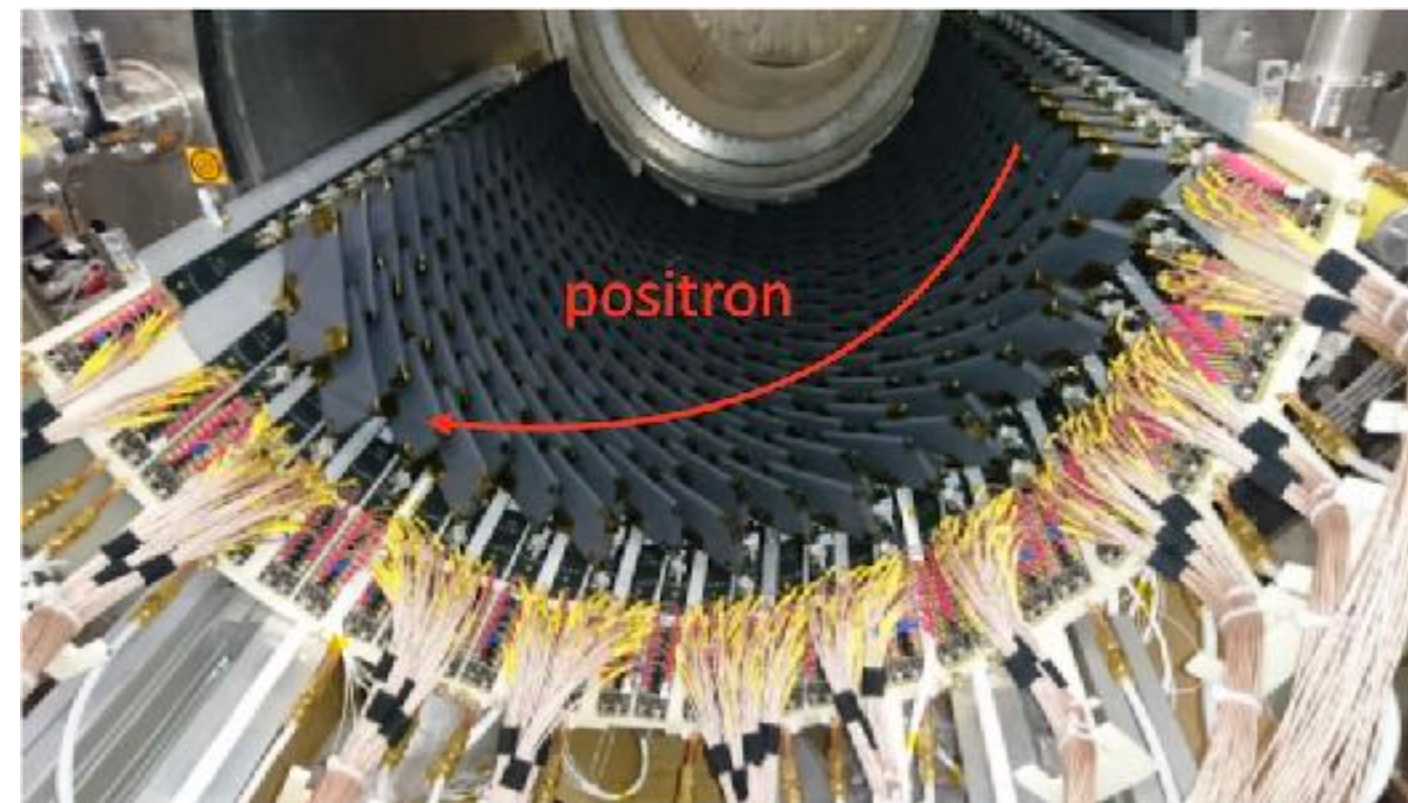


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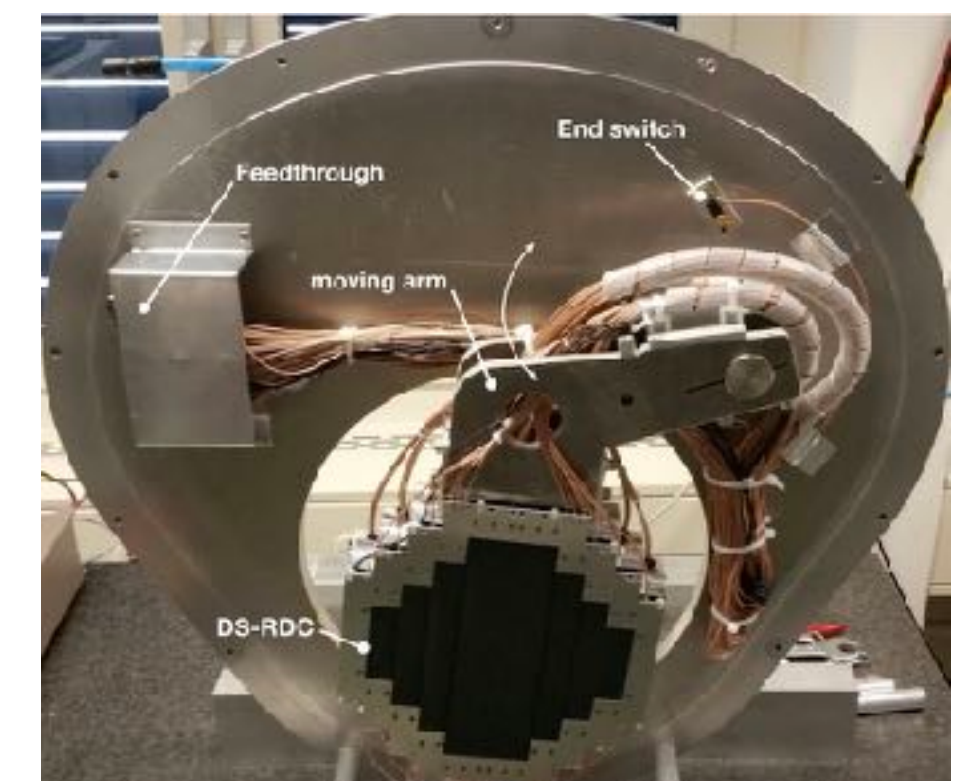
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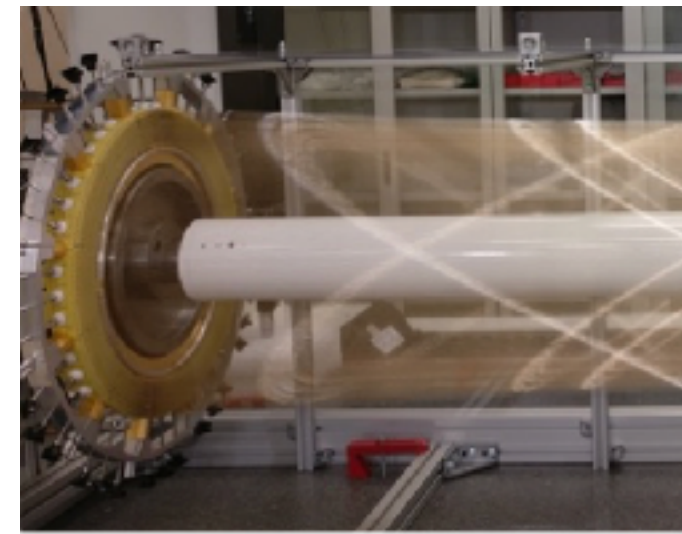
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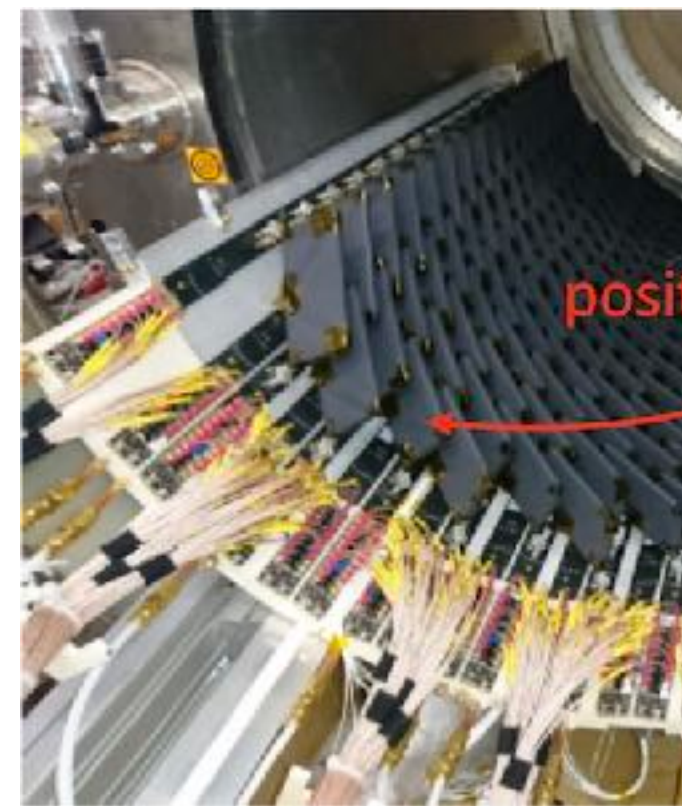
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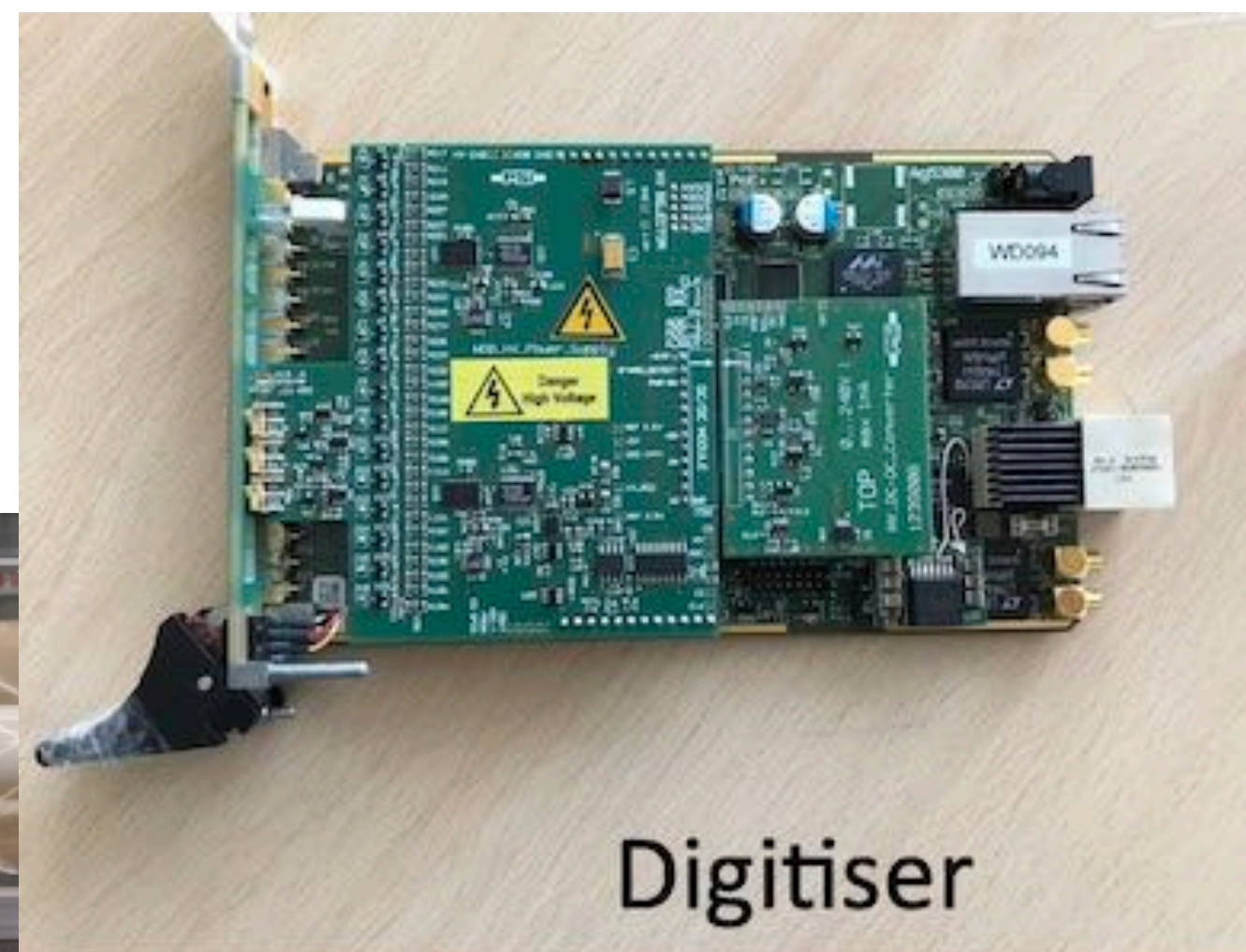
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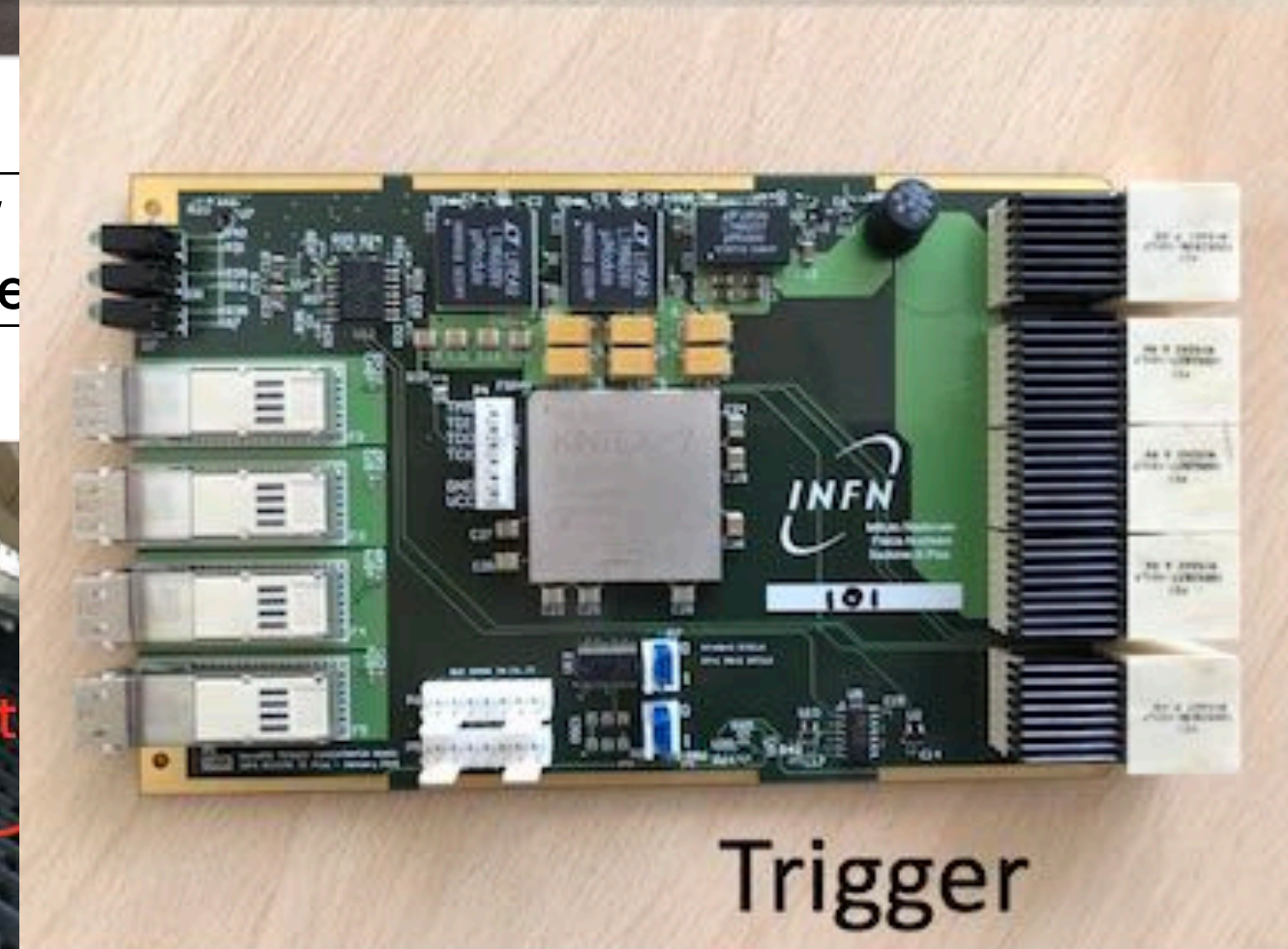
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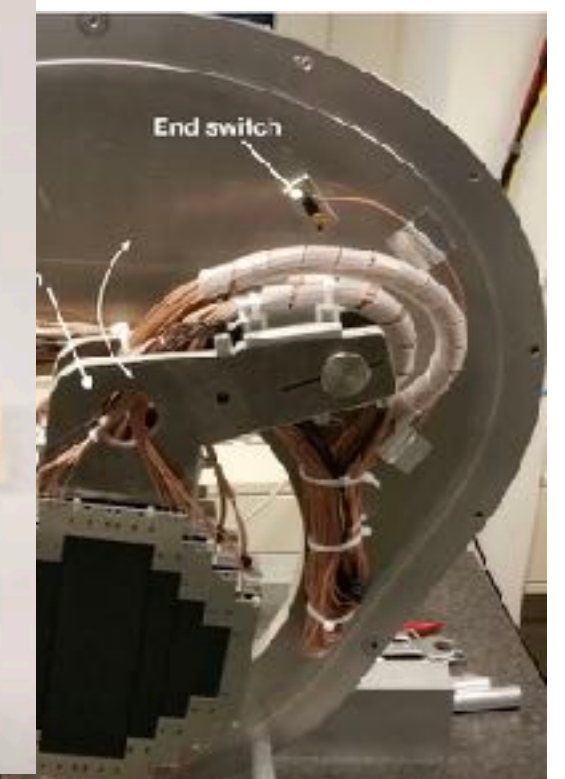
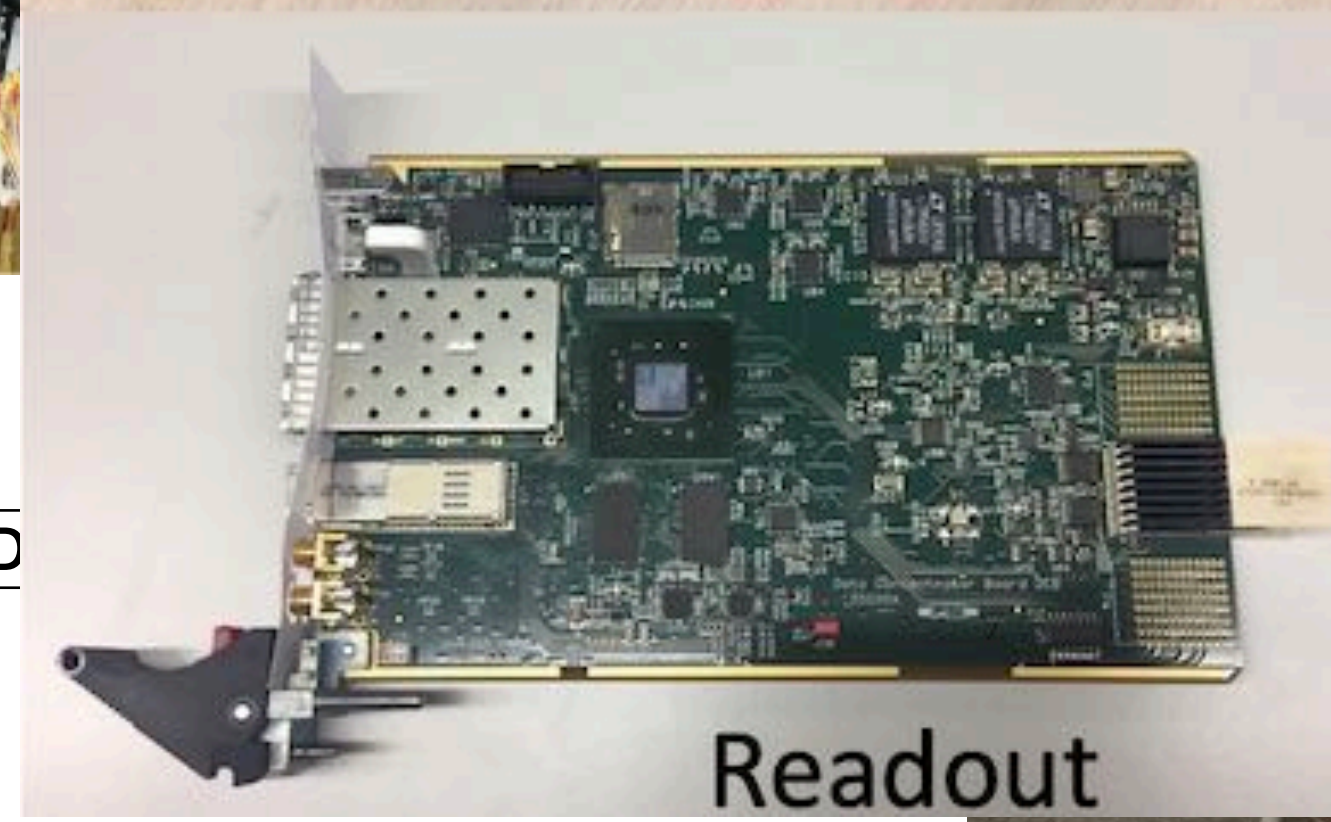
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Low mass
DC



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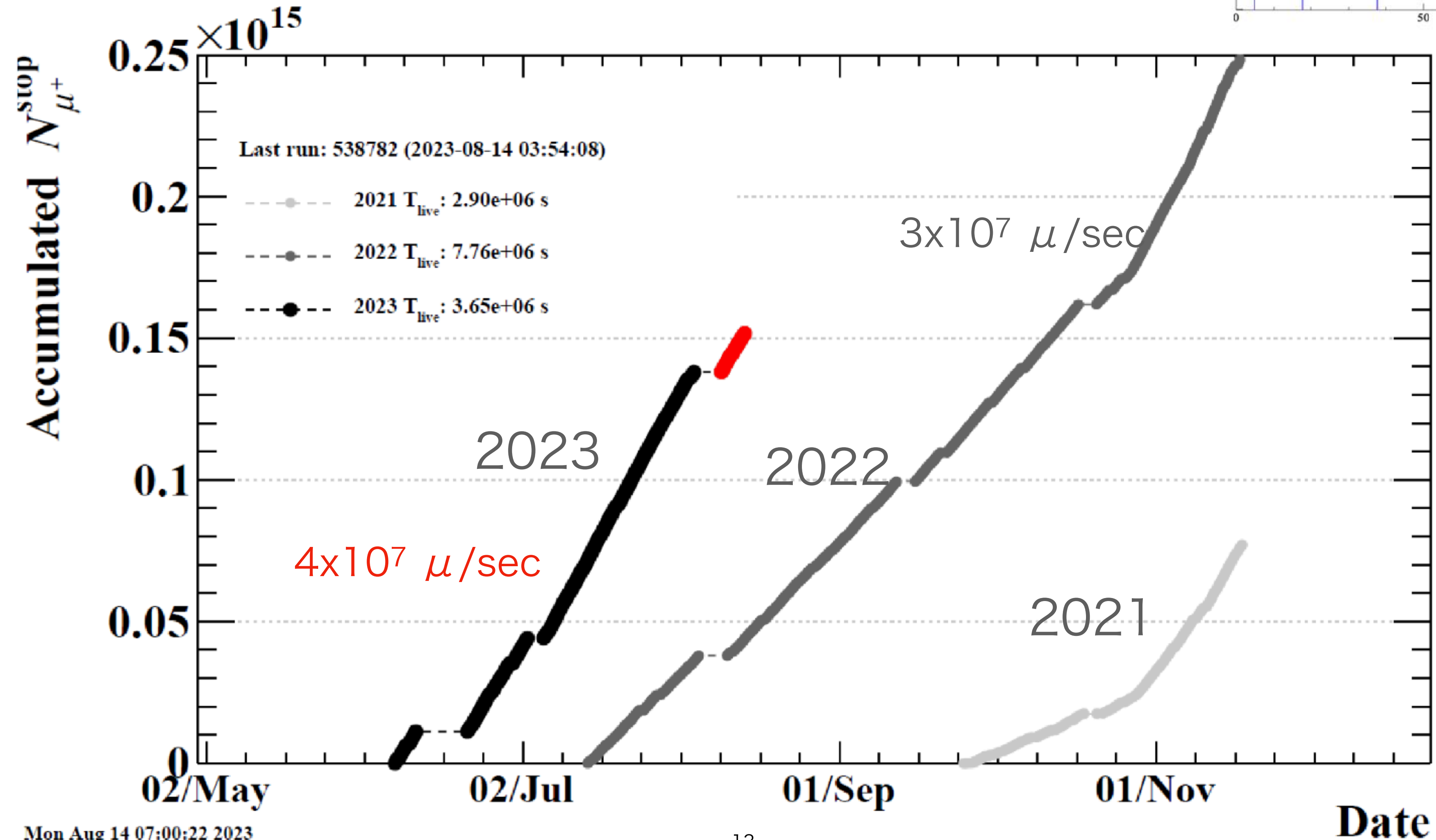
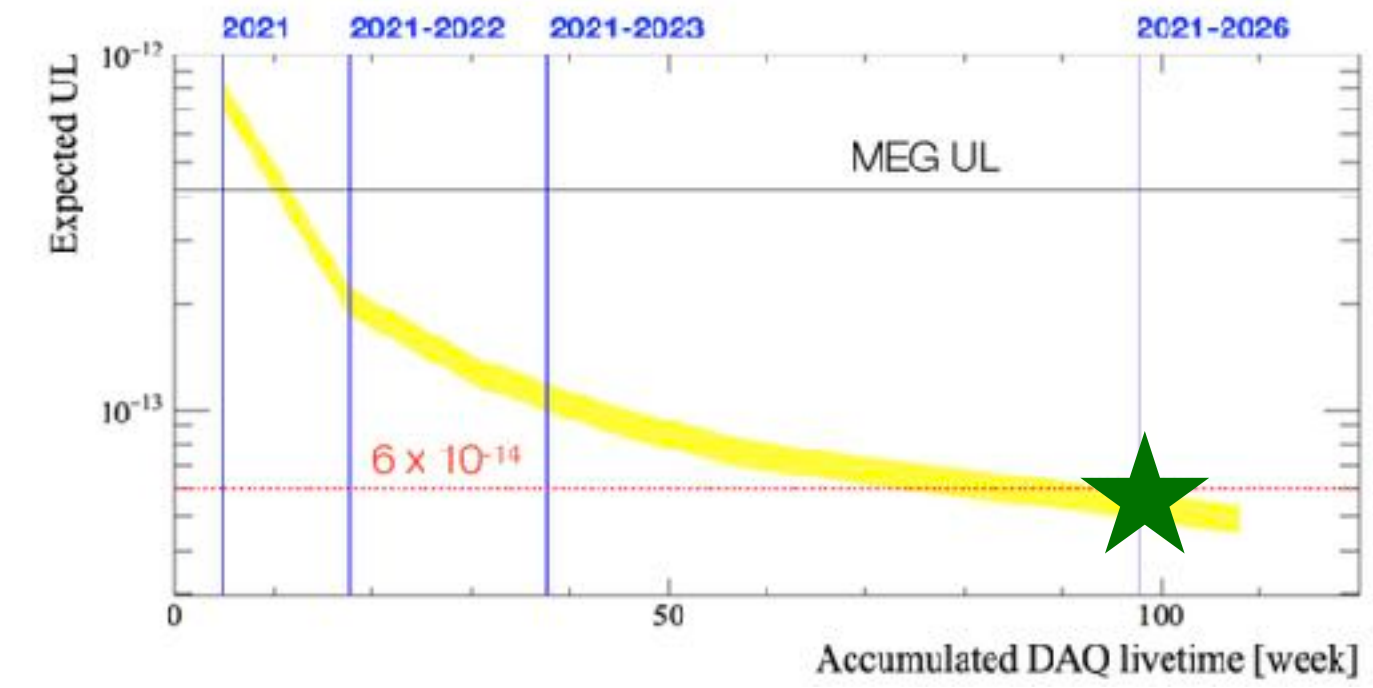


MEG II Detector Performance

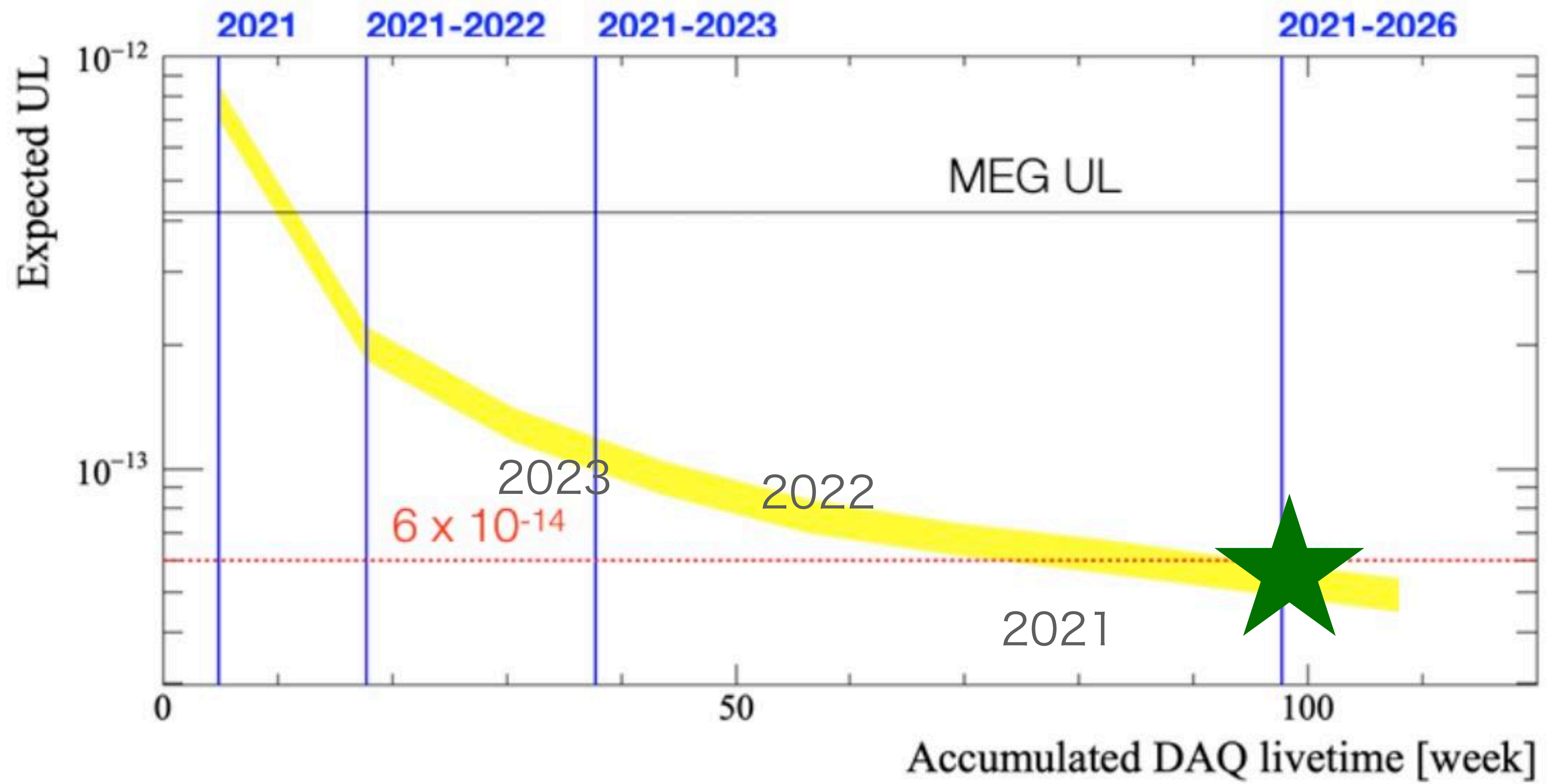
Variables	MEG	MEG II Design	MEG II Currently Achieved
ΔE_e [keV]	380	130	90
$\Delta \theta_e, \Delta \phi_e$ [mrad]	9, 9	7.0, 5.5	8, 7
Efficiency _e [%]	40	70	65
ΔE_r [%][deep/shallow]	1.7 / 2.4	1.0 / 1.1	1.7 / 2.0
$\Delta \text{Position}_r$ [mm]	5	2.4	2.5
Efficiency _r [%]	60	70	60
Δt_{er} [psec]	120	85	80

Comb Photons Positron

MEG II Prospects

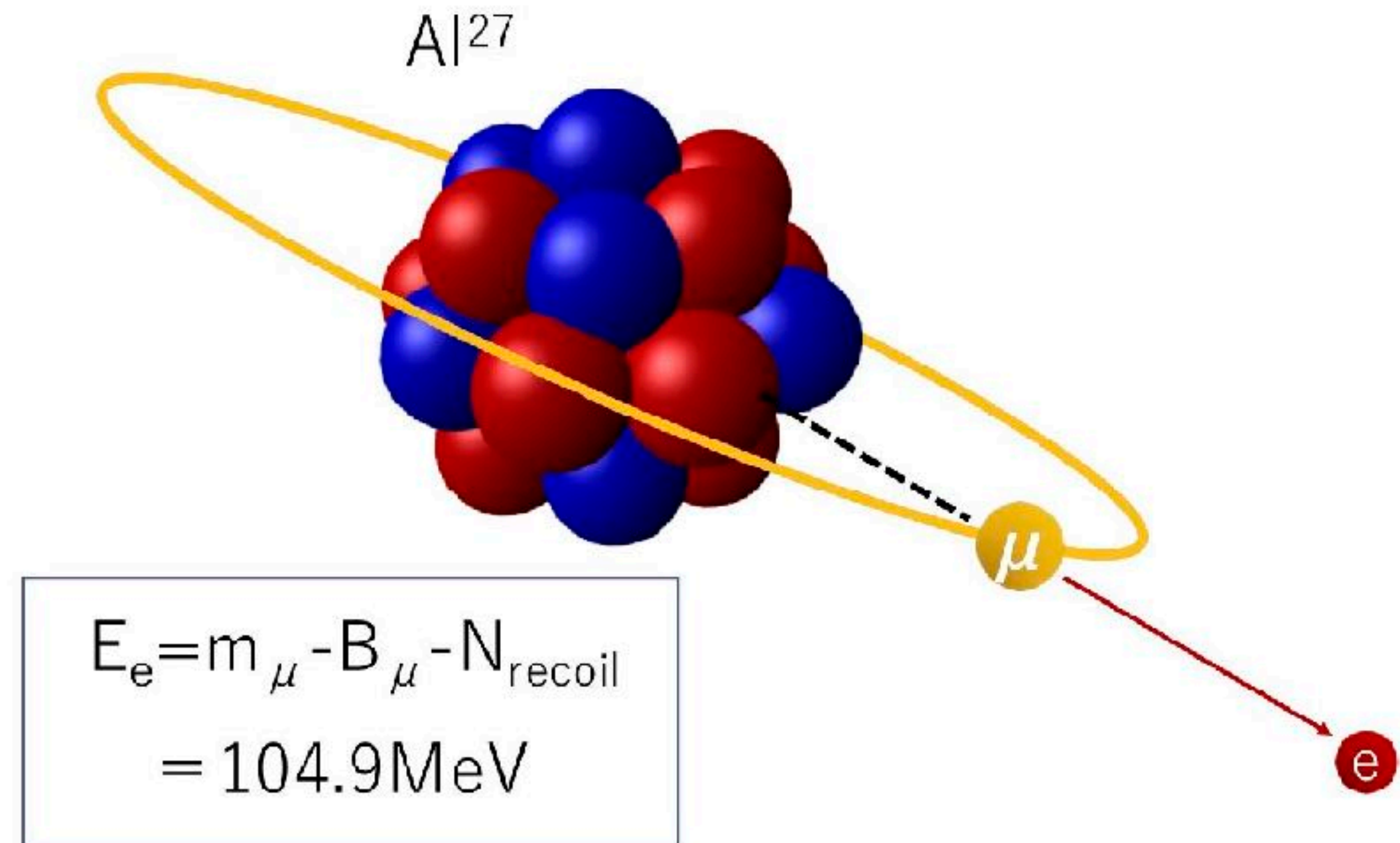


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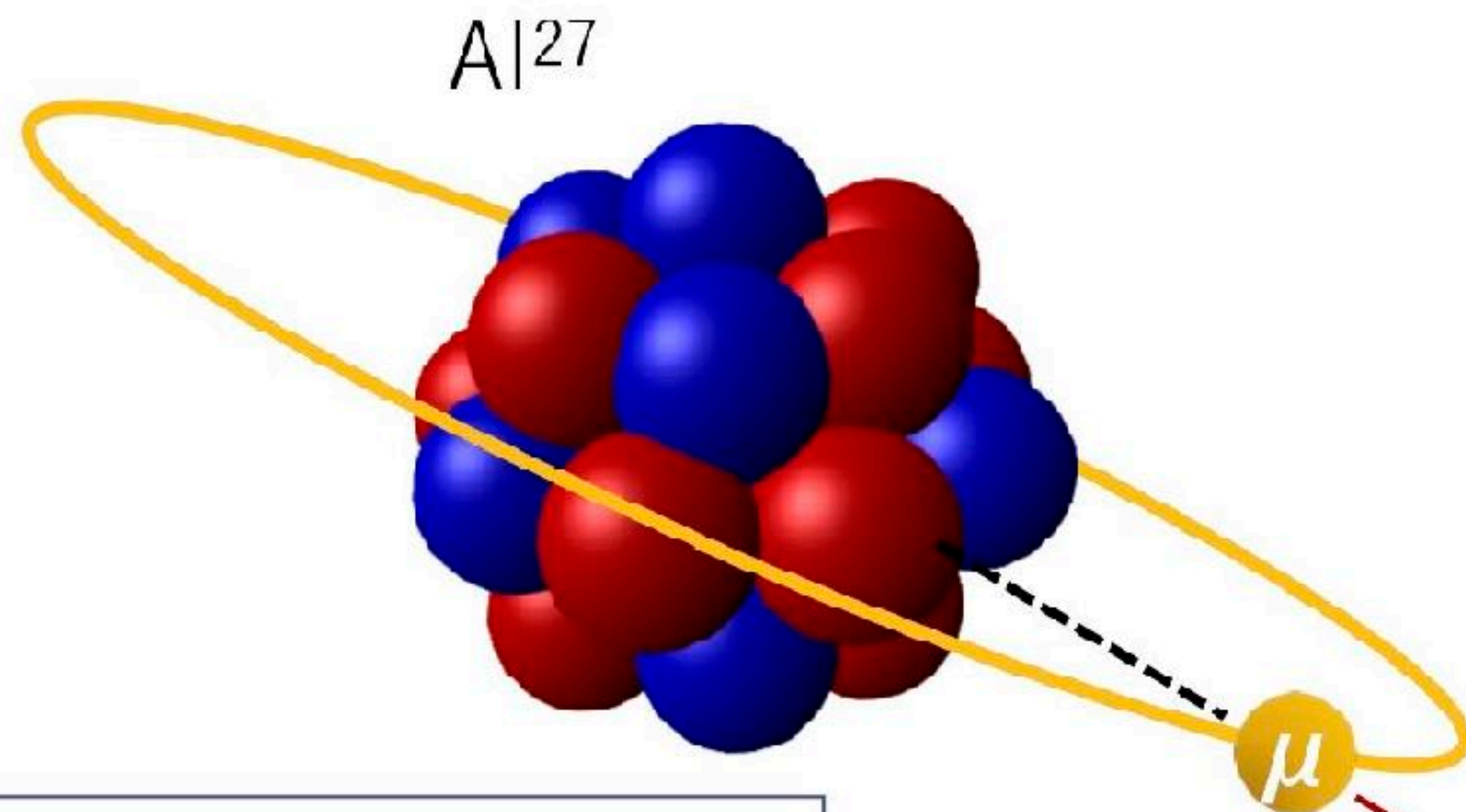


COMET & Mu2e

- μ -e conversion search



μ -e conversion



$$E_e = m_\mu - B_\mu - N_{\text{recoil}} = 104.9 \text{ MeV}$$

- Atomic capture of μ^-

- Decay in orbit (DIO)

$$\mu^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu$$

- electron gets recoil energy

- Capture by nucleus

$$\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow \nu_\mu + (A, Z-1)$$

- resultant nucleus is different

- $\tau_{\mu^N} < \tau_{\mu^{\text{free}}}$ ($\tau_{\mu^{\text{Al}}} = 860 \text{ nsec}$)

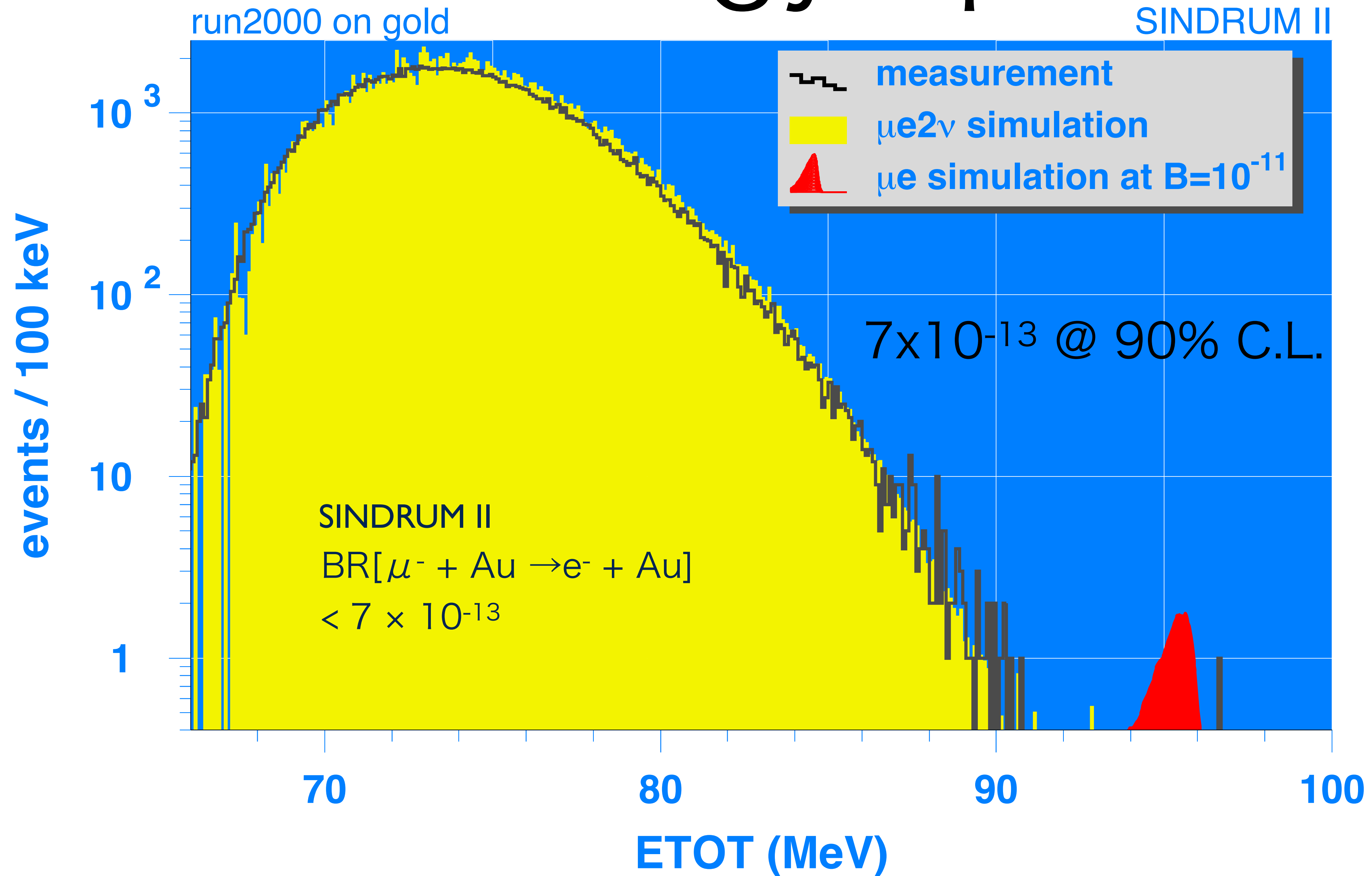


- **μ -e conversion**

$$\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)$$

- $E_{\mu e}(\text{Al}) \sim m_\mu - B_\mu - E_{\text{rec}} = 104.97 \text{ MeV}$
 - B_μ : binding energy of the 1s muonic atom

Electron Energy Spectrum



COMET

Chen Wu, WG4 on 25/Aug

MyeongJae Lee, WG4 on 22/Aug

J-PARC Facility (KEK/JAEA)

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400 MeV

Neutrino beam to Kamioka

Material and Life Science Facility

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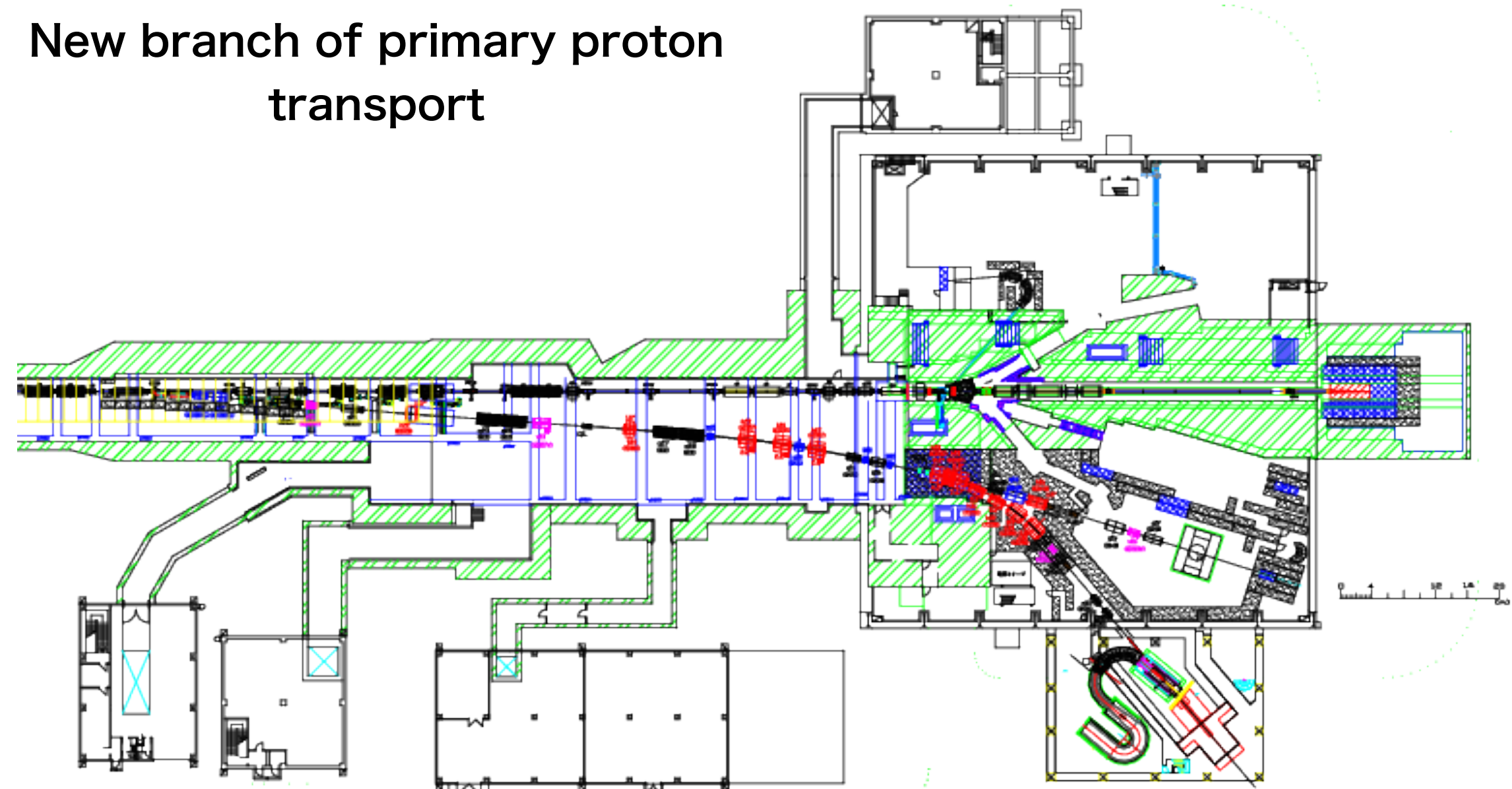
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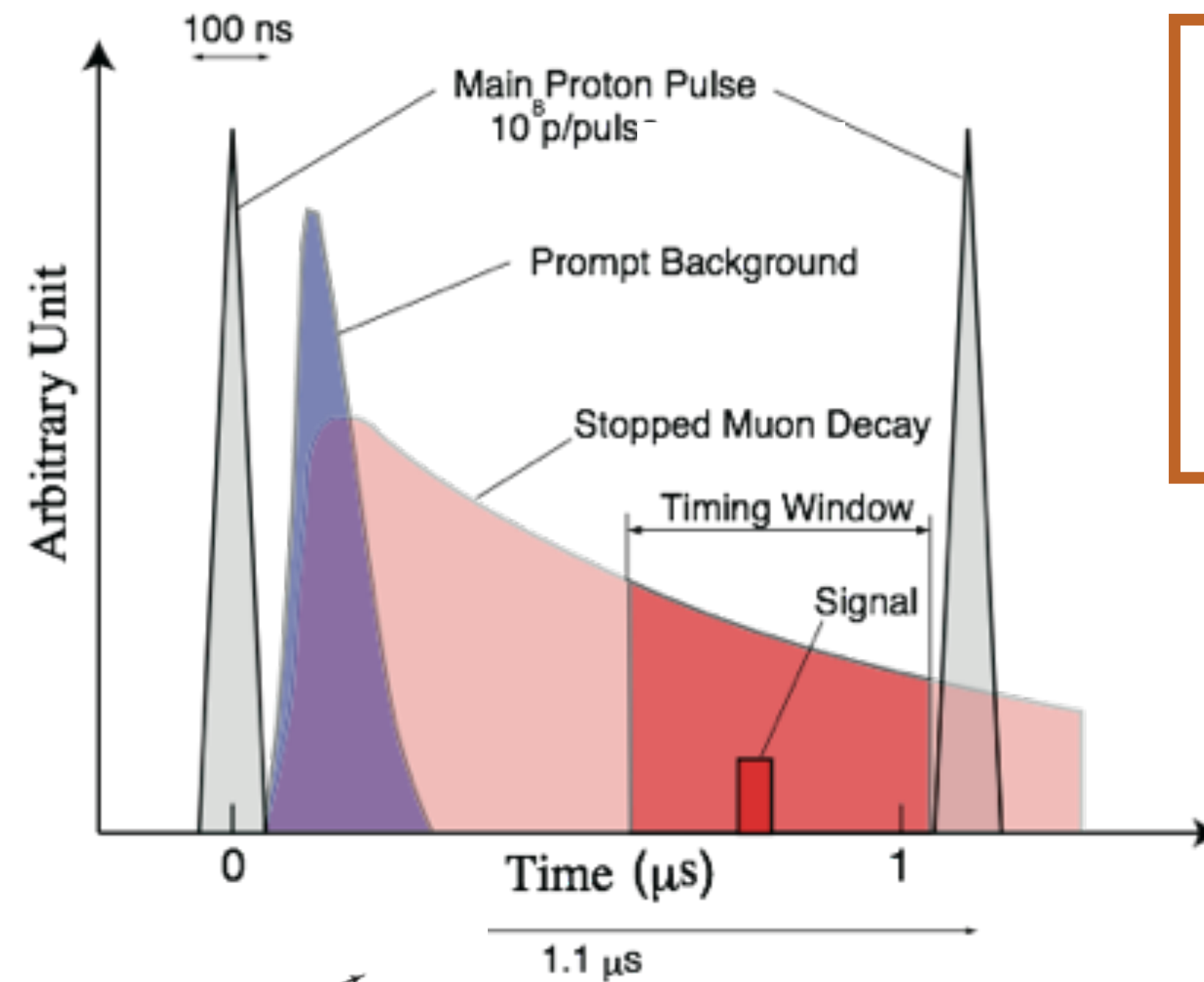
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New branch of primary proton
transport

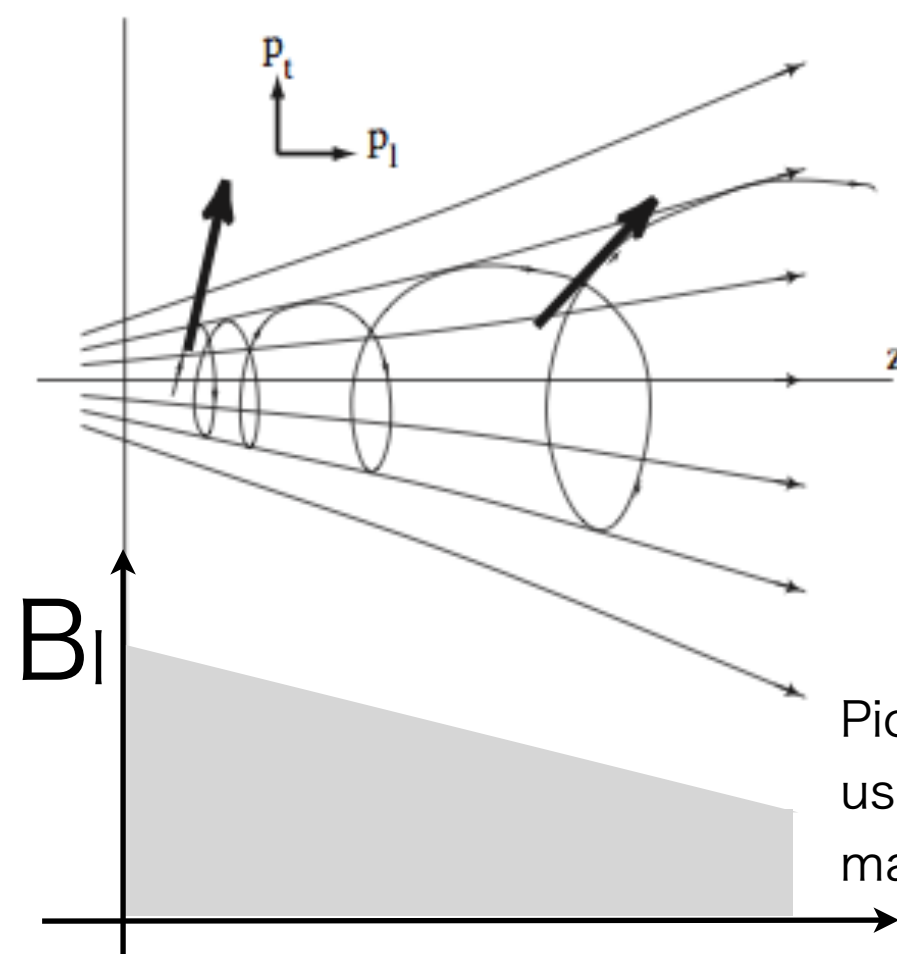


COMET Experiment

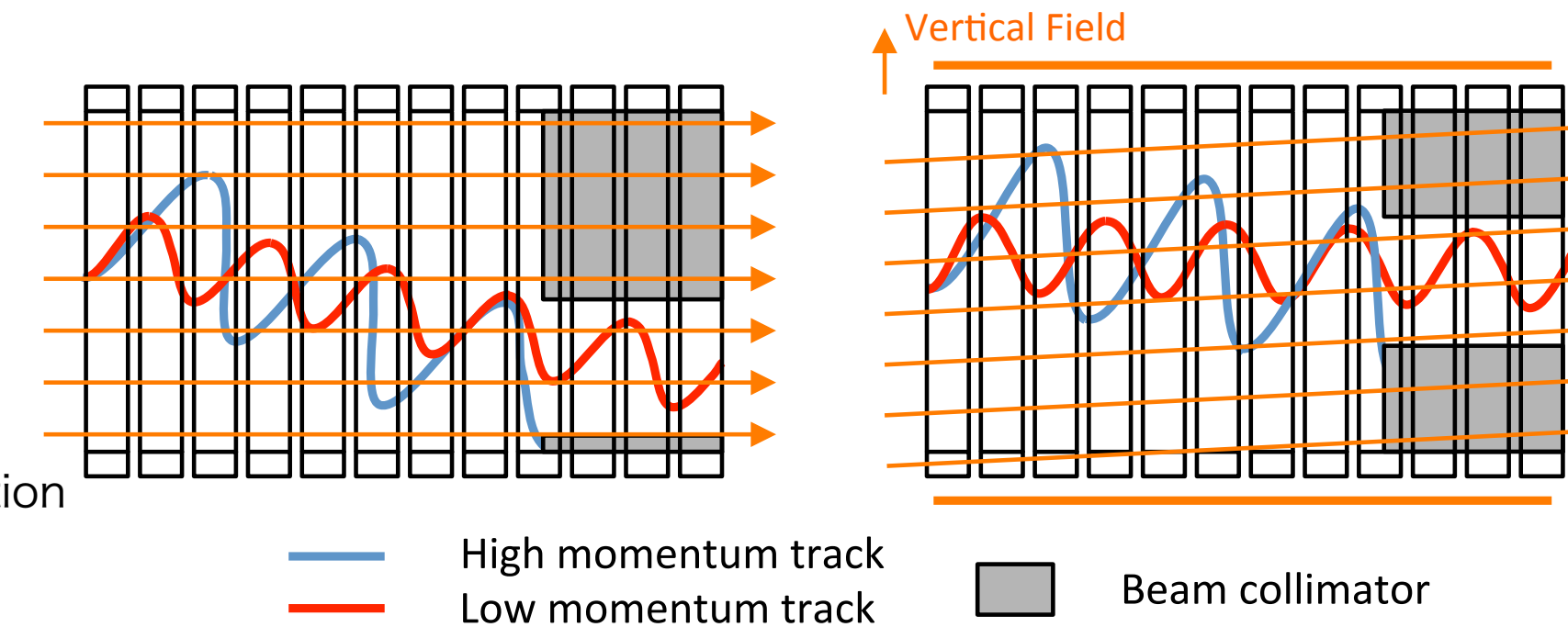
- Precisely pulsed proton beam from J-PARC MR
- Graphite (Phase-I) or Metal (Phase-II) target for pion production
- MELK Proposal (V. M. Lobashev)
 - Pion/Muon **collection using a strong and gradient magnetic field, Pion Capture Solenoid (PCS)**
 - Pion/Muon transport with a **curved solenoid**
- Stack of thin target disks to stop muons



$$R_{\text{ext}} = \frac{N_p \text{ btw pulses}}{N_p \text{ in a pulse}} < 10^{-10}$$

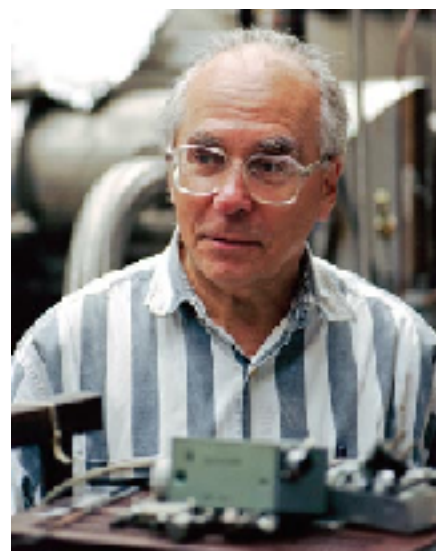


Pion/muon collection using gradient magnetic field



High momentum track
Low momentum track

Beam collimator



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ELEMENTARY PARTICLES AND FIELDS Experiment

Search for Lepton-Flavor-Violating Rare Muon Processes

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COMET Staging Approach

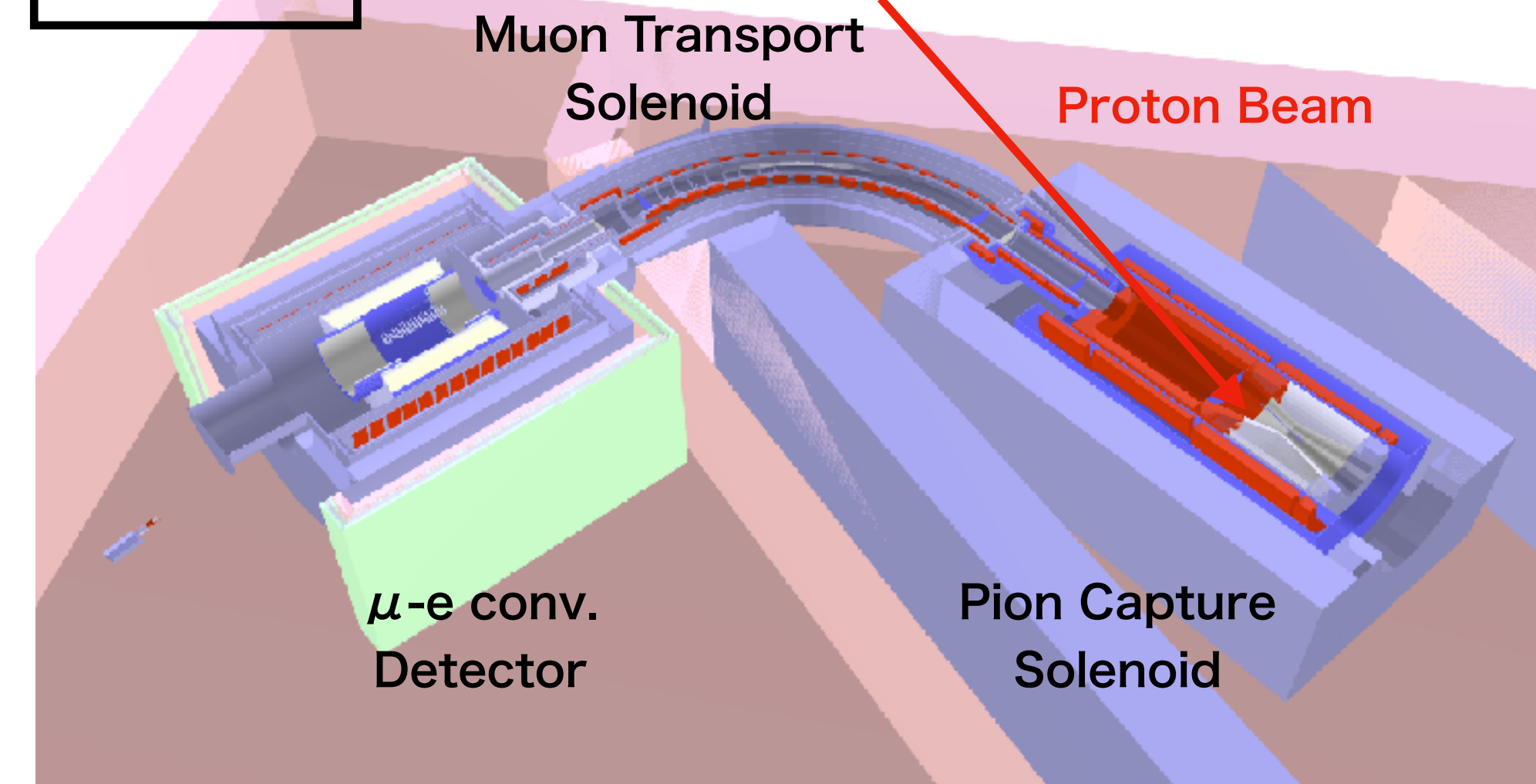
Target Sensitivity $<10^{-14}$ with 3.2kW beam

- Proton beam line construction completed in JFY2021
- Graphite as a pion production target
- Pion Capture Solenoid construction is in the 3rd year of multi-year construction contract (FY2020-2024)
- Physics Detector
 - CDC and trigger hodoscope in a solenoid
 - Muon stopping target (Al) at the center of the solenoid
 - Beam engineering run in JFY2022 and physics in JFY2025-

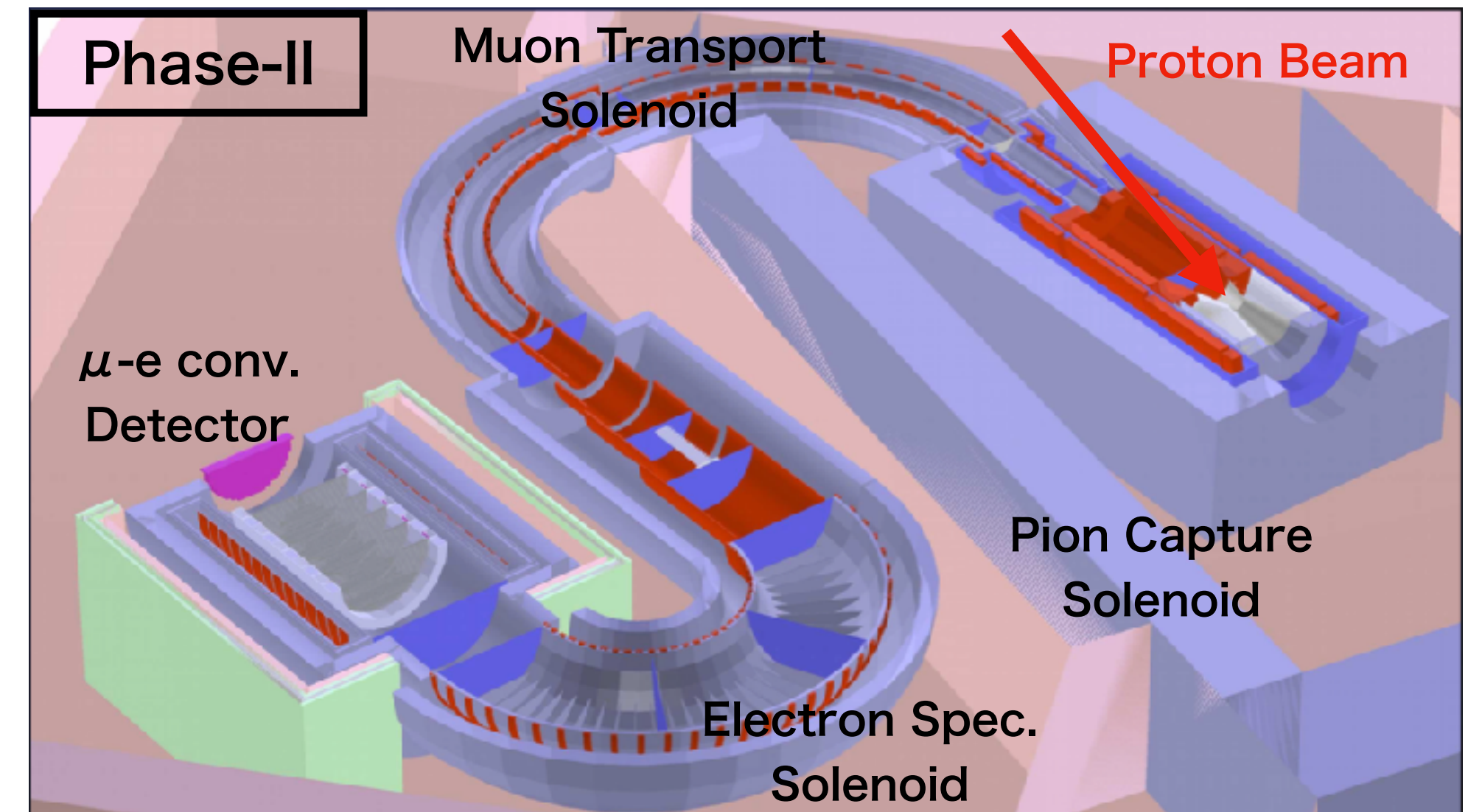
Target Sensitivity $<10^{-16}$ with 56kW beam

- Extension of muon transport solenoid to cope with higher proton beam power
- More efficient beam background suppression
- Much less pion contamination in longer transport
- Tungsten alloy as a pion production target
- Electron spectrometer solenoid to suppress the detector counting rate
- Physics detector
 - Straw-tube tracker and LYSO calorimeter
 - Muon stopping target (Al + others) in a gradient magnetic field for the purpose of signal electron collection with a magnetic mirroring

Phase-I



Phase-II



Phase- α

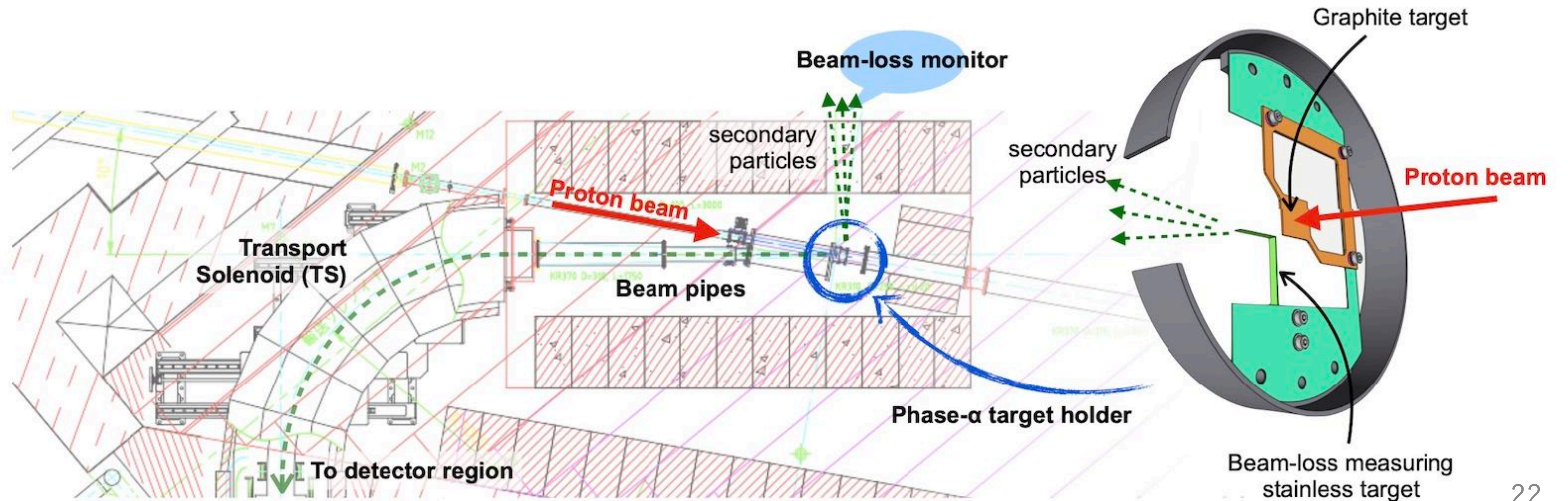
- **Commissioning of**
 - the COMET proton beam line and
 - the COMET muon beam transport.
- **Beam time in**
 - 10th – 14th February (commissioning)
 - 3rd – 4th & 9th – 15th March



Phase- α Setup

Beamline without the Pion Capture Solenoid & Field

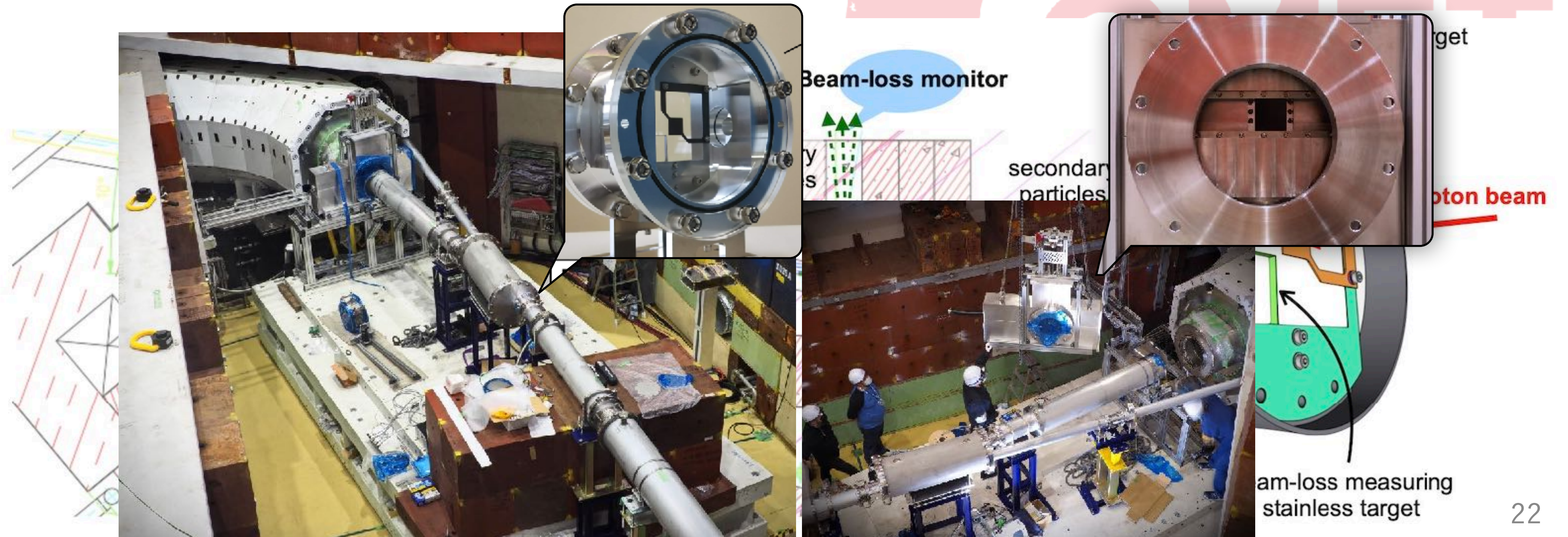
- ◆ A thin Pion Production Target contained in the beam vacuum chamber.
- ◆ Muon Transport Solenoid to be used in Phase-I & II, too.
- ◆ Beam-masking system with two moving collimator slits in front of the Transport Solenoid



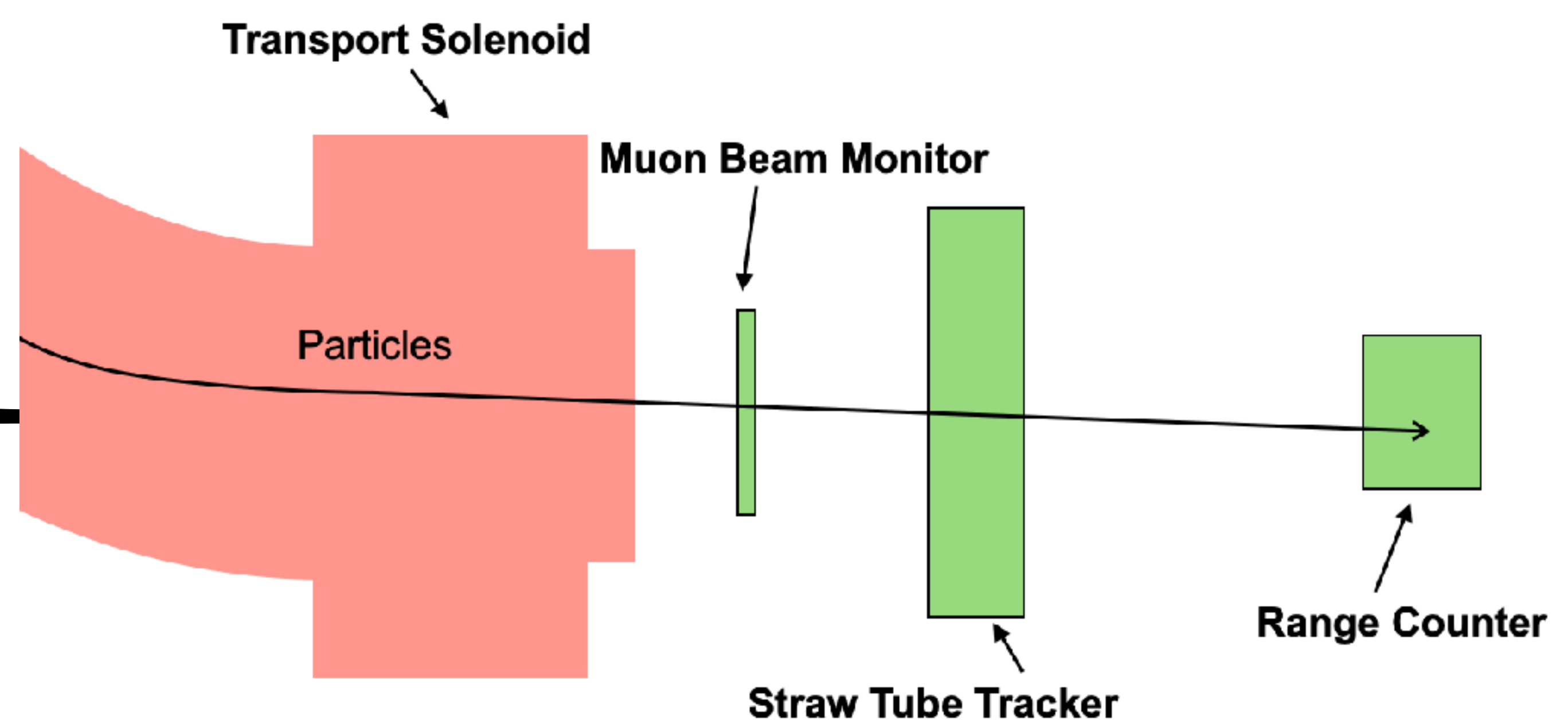
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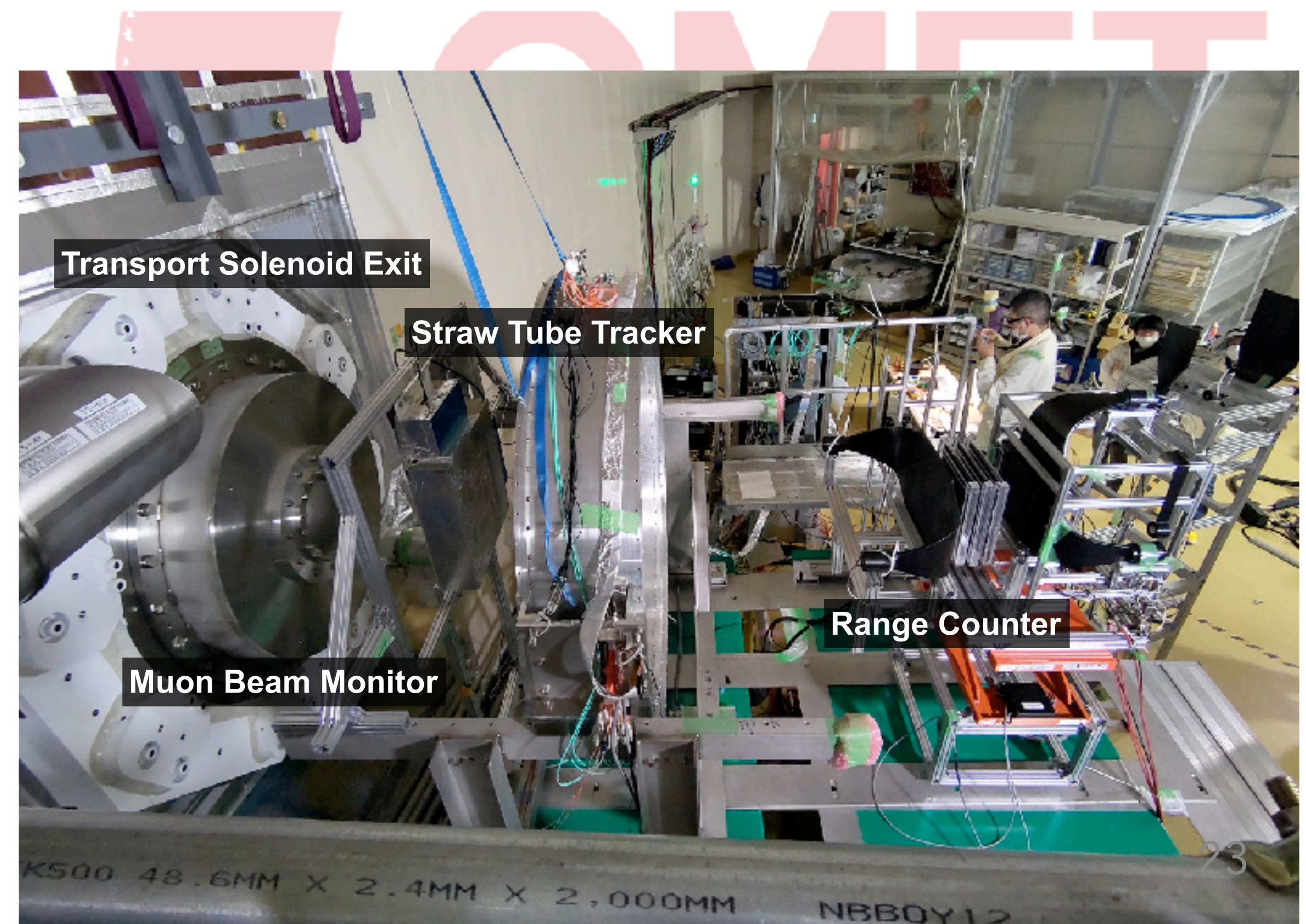


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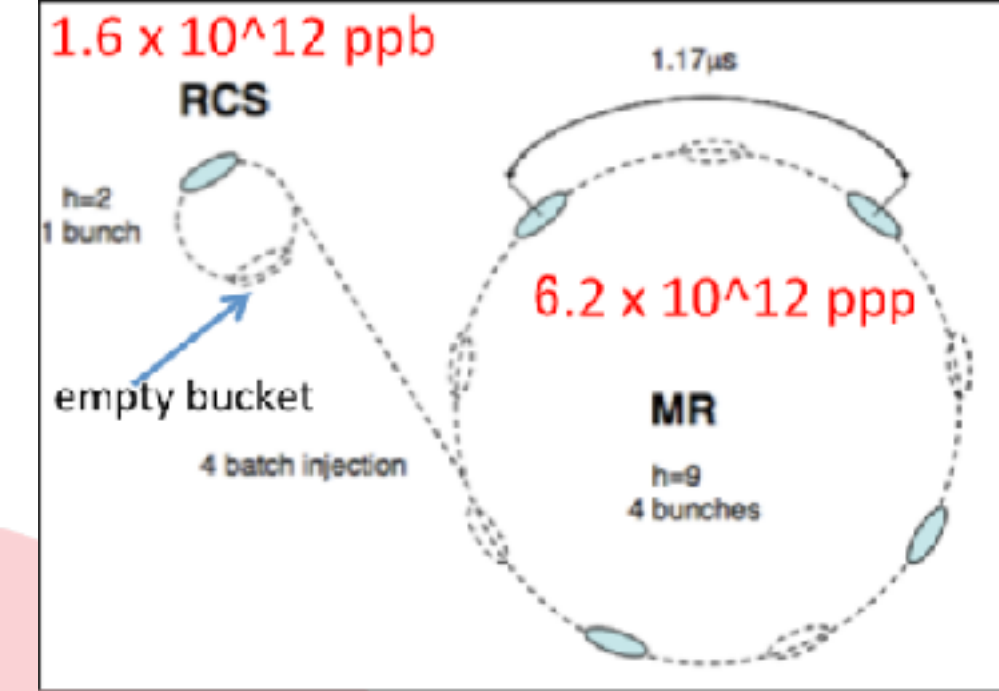
- ◆ Position measurement by the Muon Beam Monitor and Straw Tube Tracker
- ◆ Direction by the Straw Tube Tracker.
- ◆ Decay time measured by the Range Counter.
- ★ For momentum reconstruction and muon identification
- ★ Also generates trigger signals

DAQ

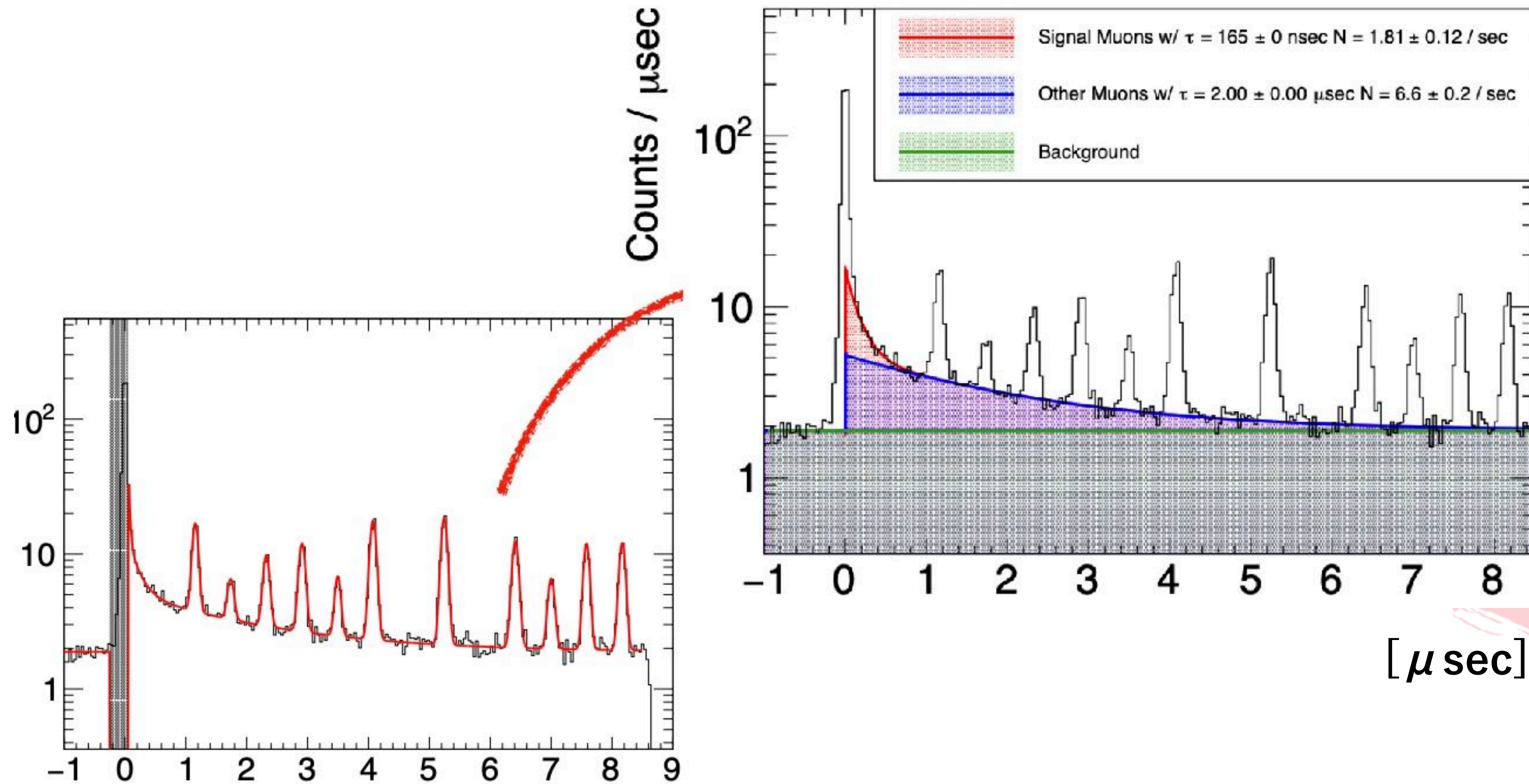
- ◆ Based on the MIDAS DAQ framework, officially adopted by COMET.



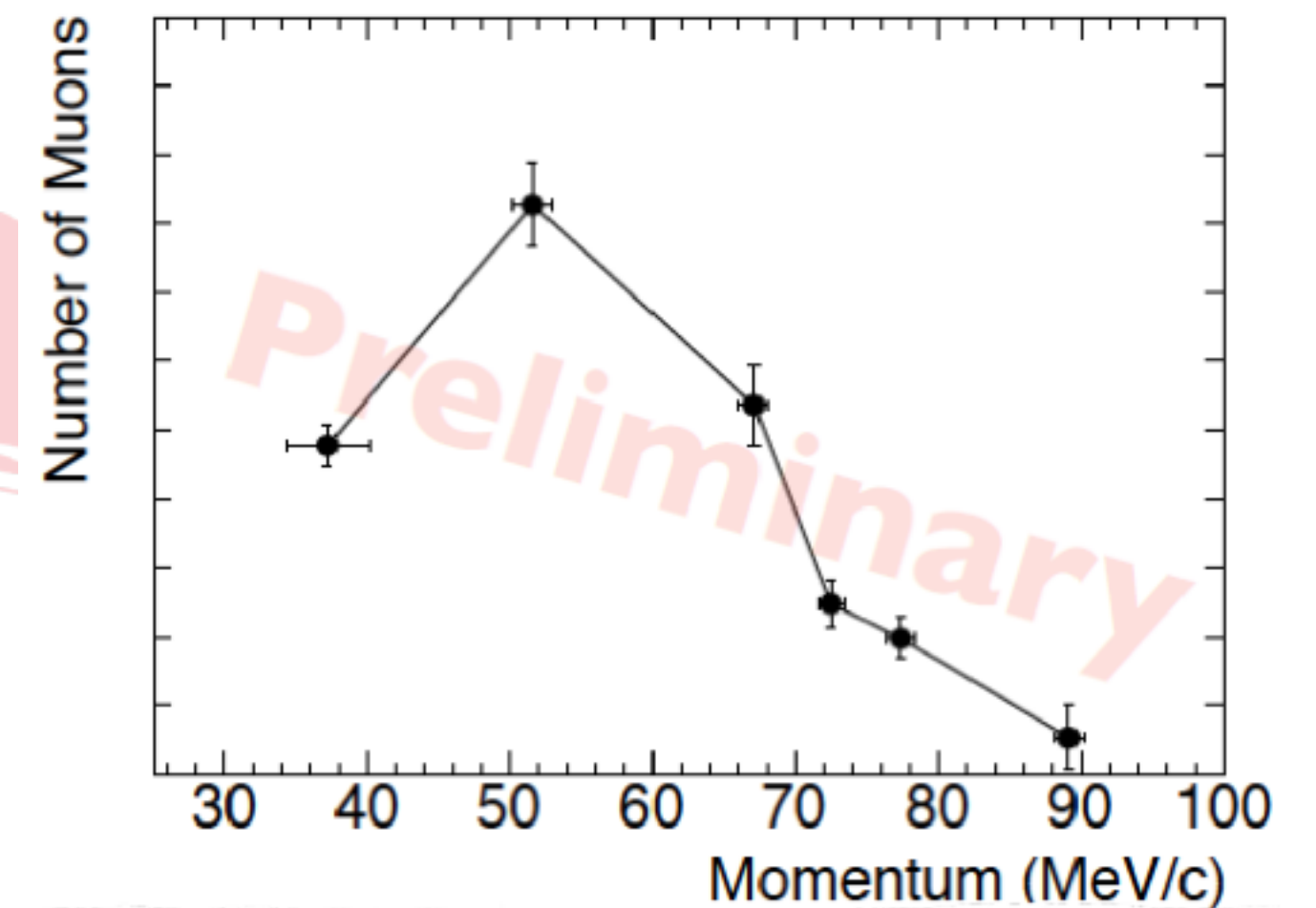
Muon Decay Curve Fitting



Extracted Muon Decay Curve

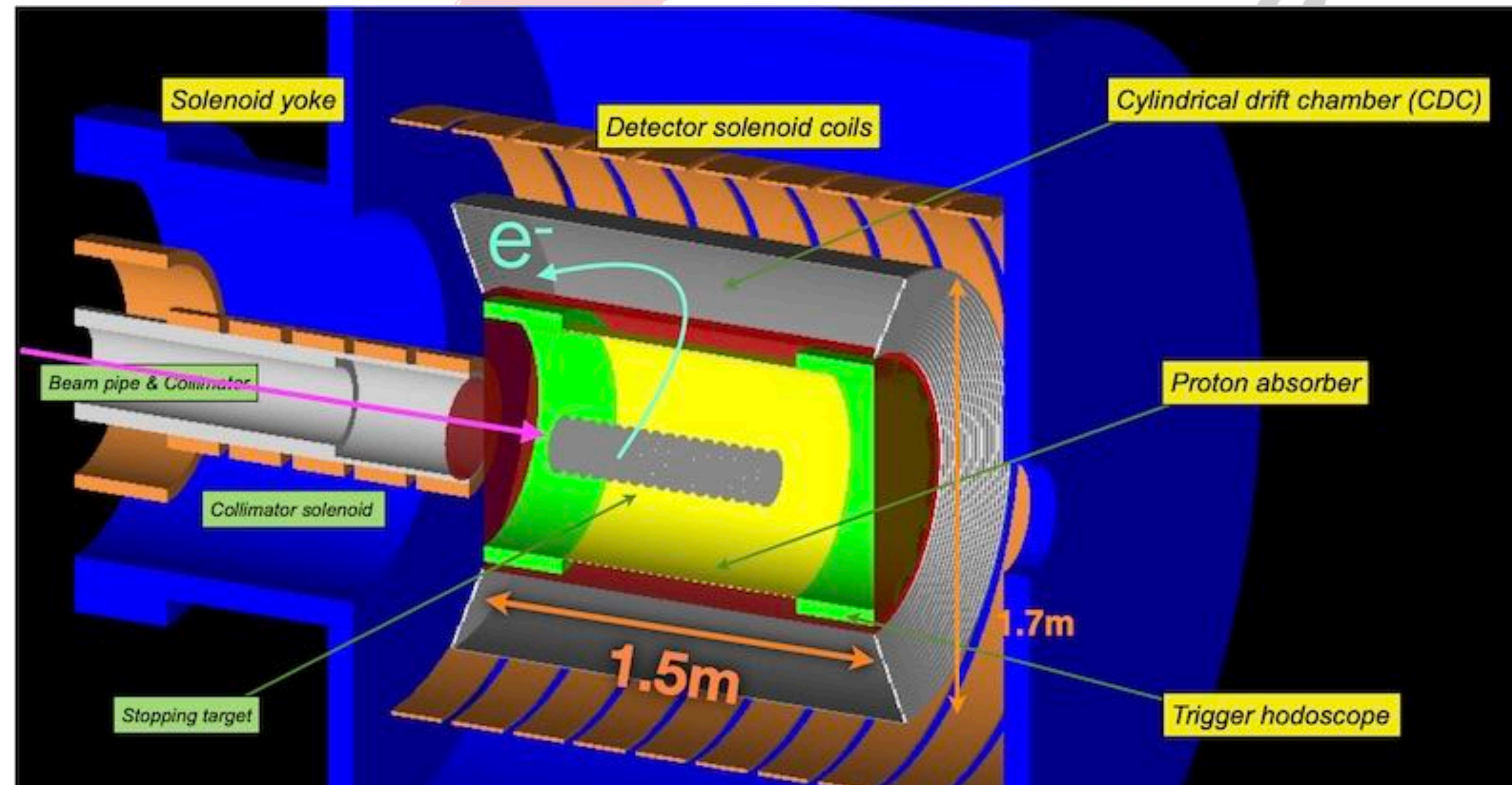


... and muon momentum spectrum



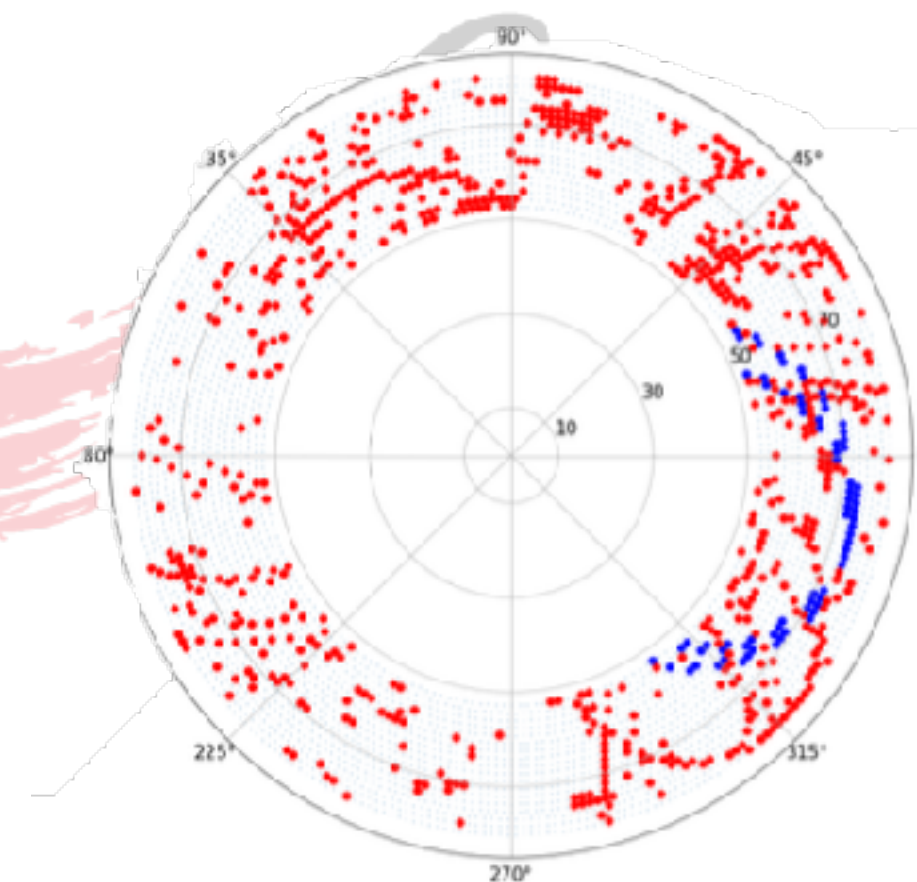
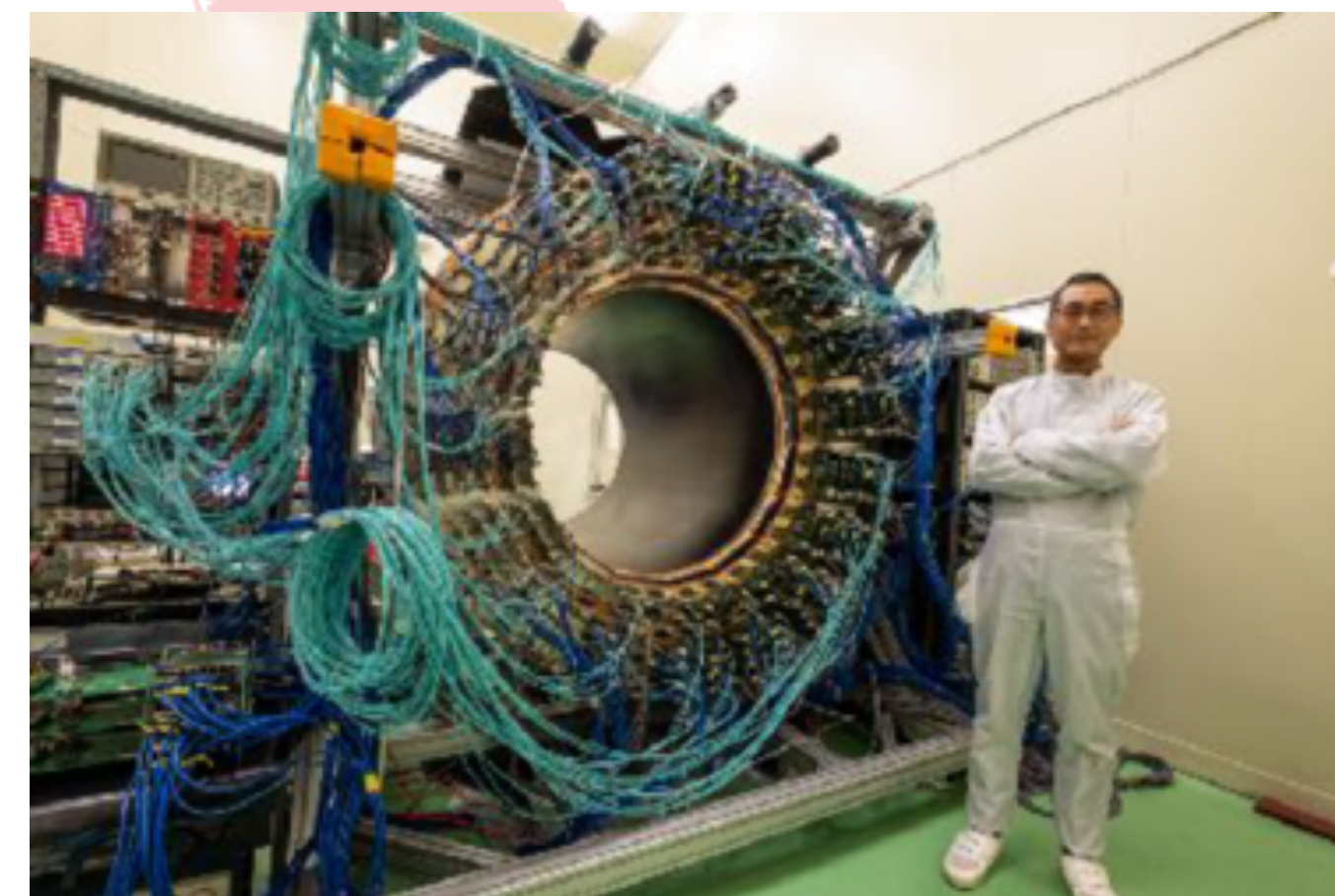
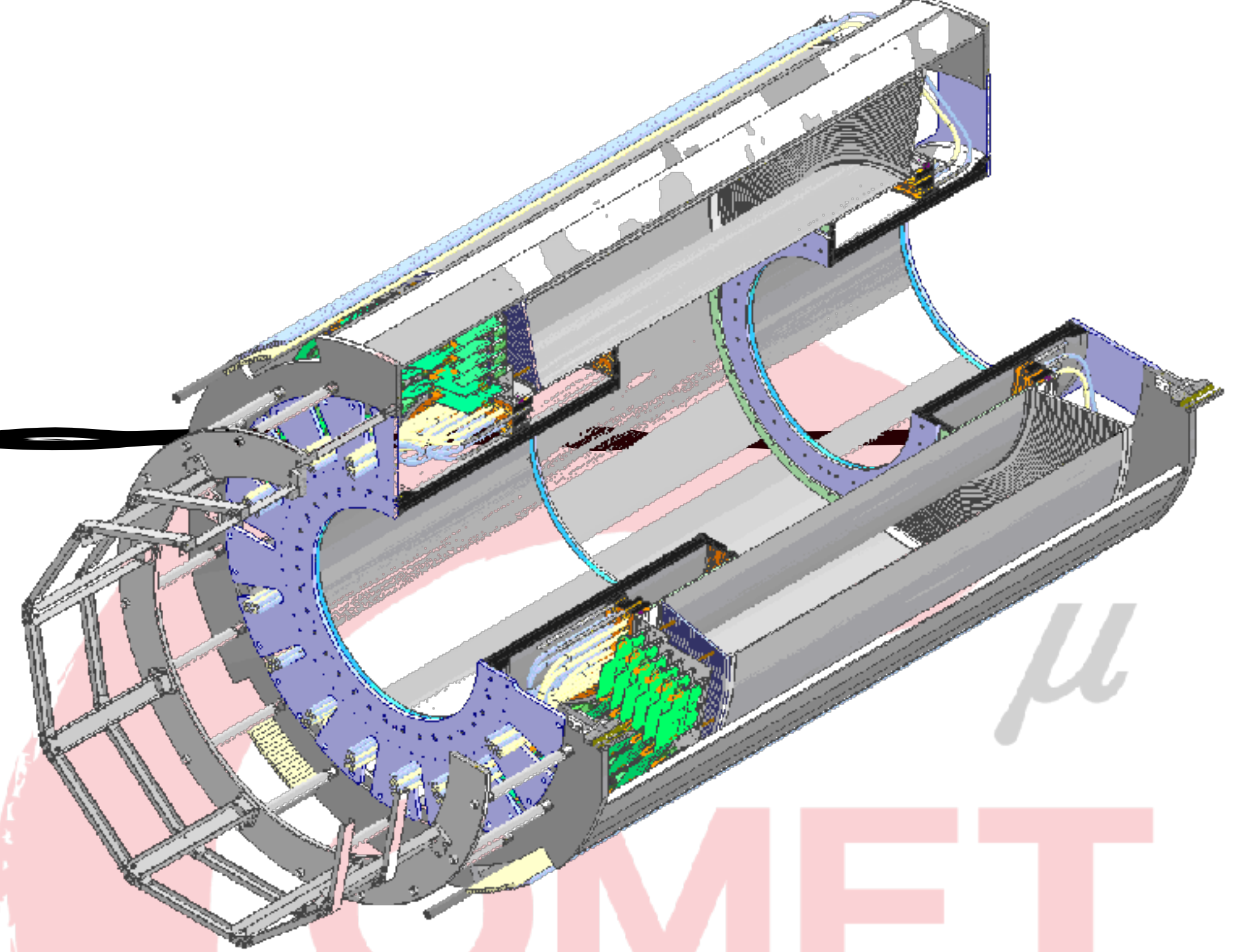
COMET Physics Detector

- COMET Phase-I Physics detector
 - CDC
 - CTH
 - Muon beam monitor
 - Muon stopping target
 - X-ray detector
 - CRV



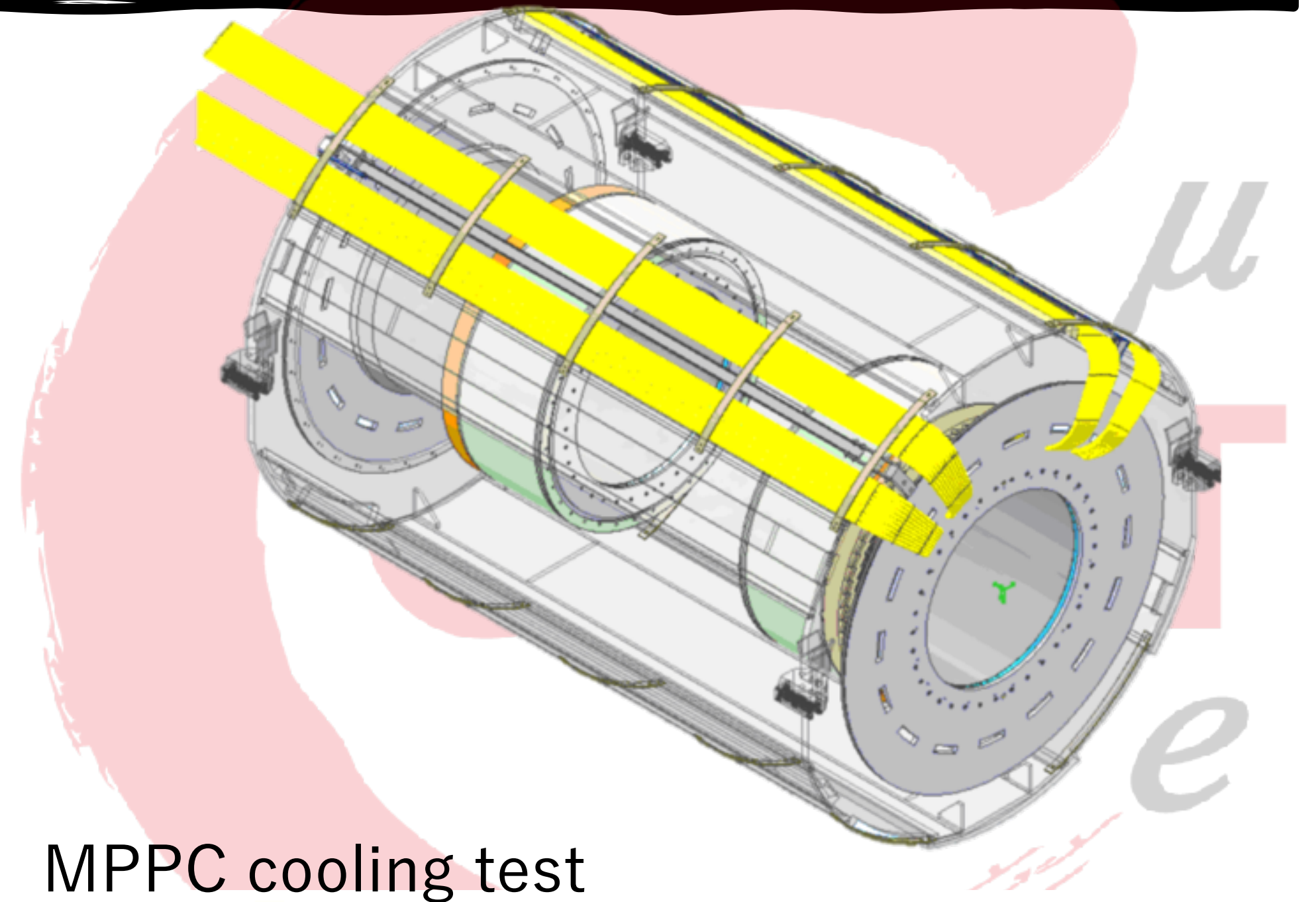
COMET CDC

- Cylindrical Drift Chamber (CDC)
 - Main Detector of Phase-I Physics
 - 20 layers structure
 - -5,000 sense wires (Au coated W)
 - -15,000 field wires (Al)
 - All stereo layers - He base gas
 - (He : iC4H10 = 90 : 10)
- Readout by RECBE & FCT, Track trigger by COTTRI
- Construction completed in 2016, followed by CR test in KEK
- Moved to J-PARC in Sep. 2022. Conditioning in progress in J-PARC

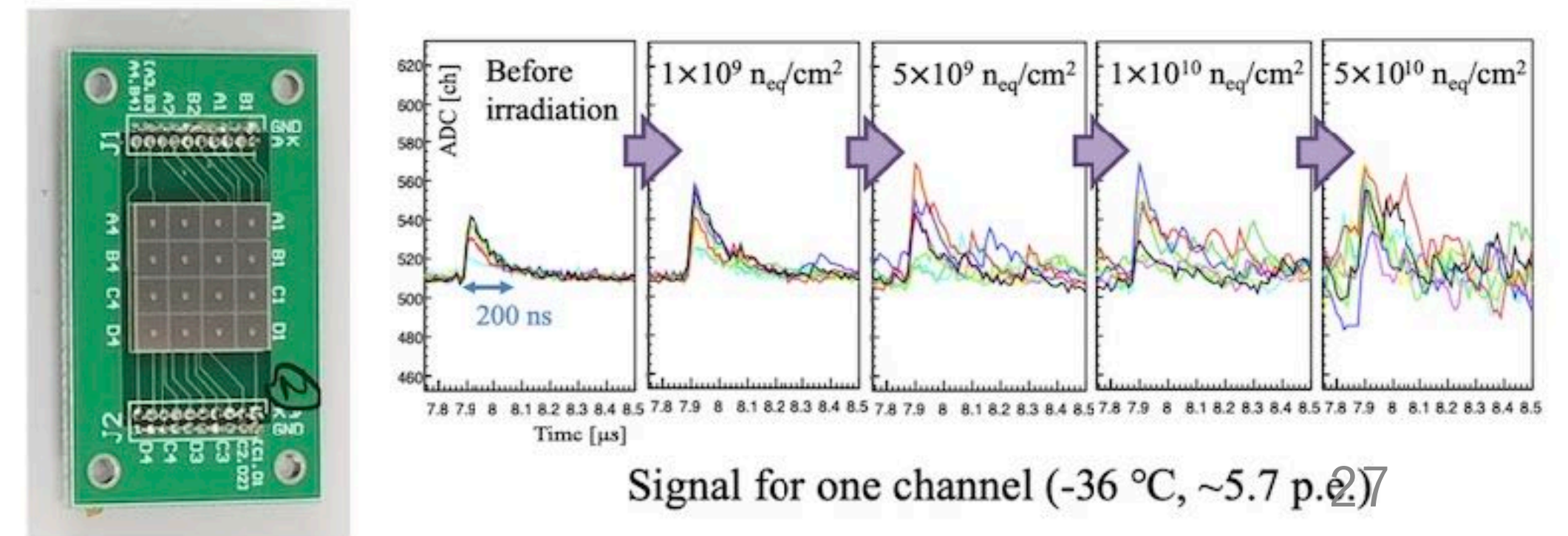


CTH – Cylindrical Trigger Hodoscope

- Two layers of plastic scintillators with MPPC readout through optical fibers
 - 5-8 m fibers to avoid radiation damage on MPPCs
 - MPPC cooling to suppress noise
- Components' delivery in progress
 - **Start assembly at J-PARC in JFY2023**
- Beam test in Australia to finalize the design



MPPC cooling test



Cosmic Ray Veto (CRV) detector

- Scintillator strips covering the major parts of the walls
- RPC in the front area where neutron background is significant
- 1st module on the way to J-PARC, arriving in autumn

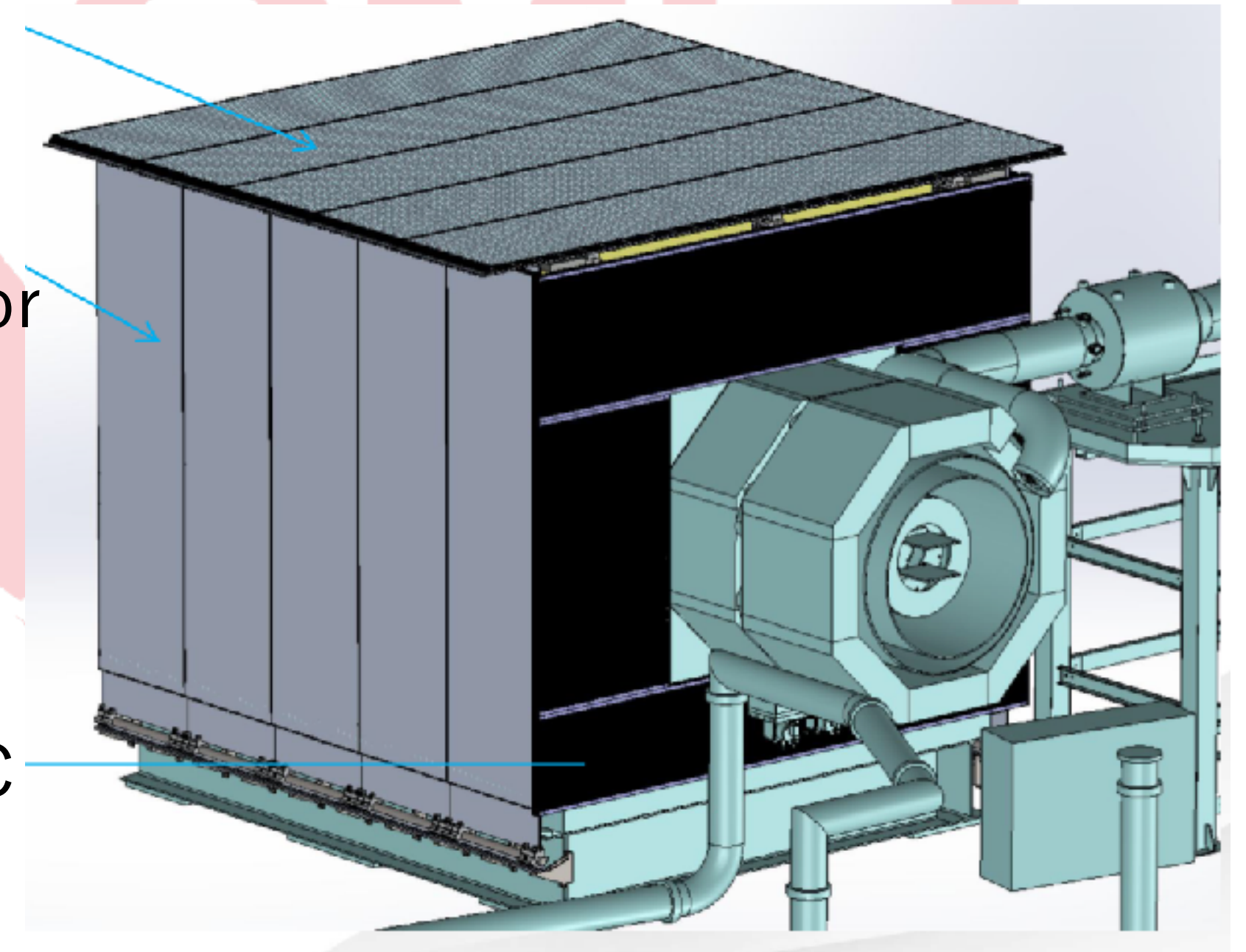


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Top scintillator
strip panel

Left scintillator
strip panel

RPC

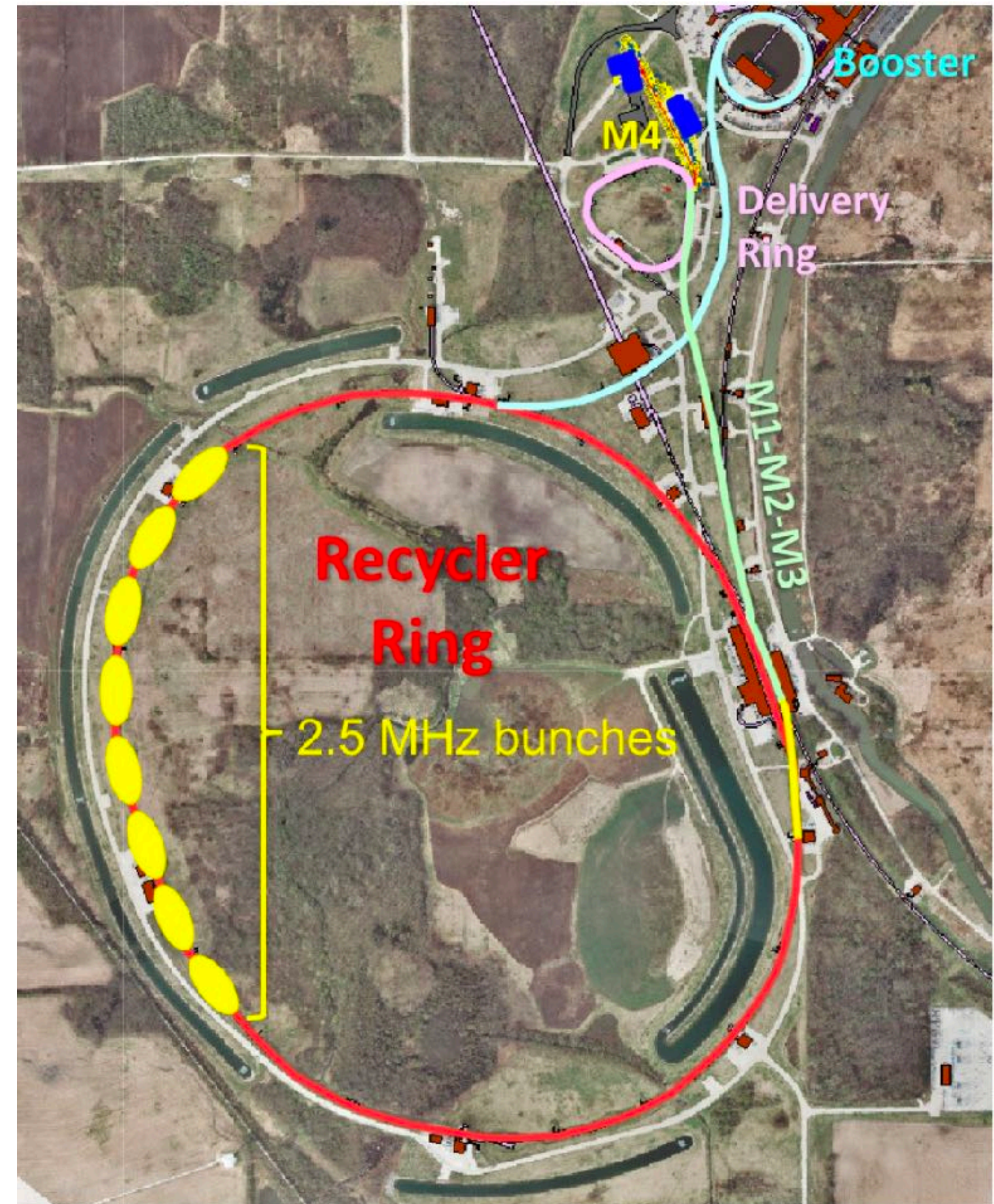
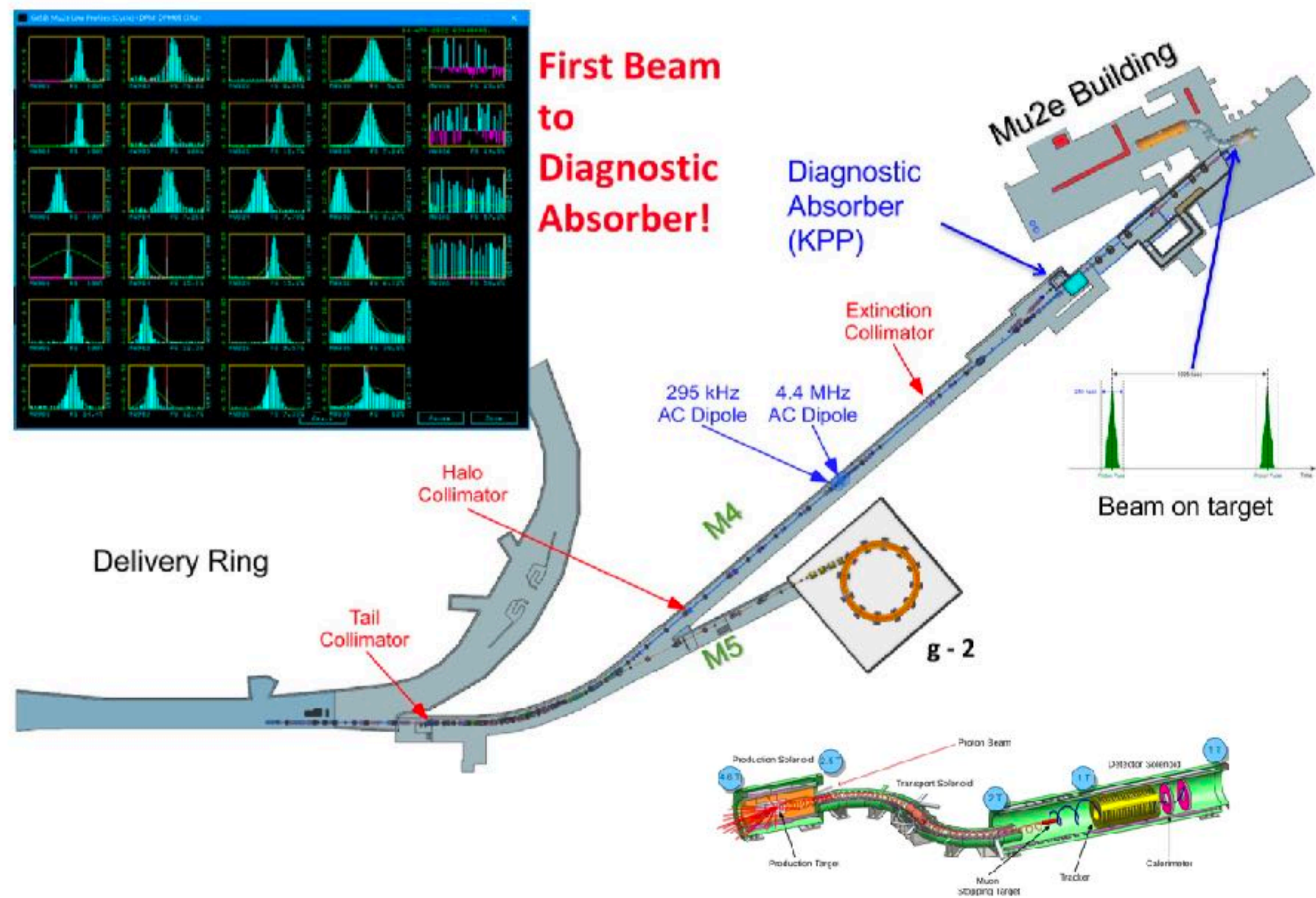


COMET time line

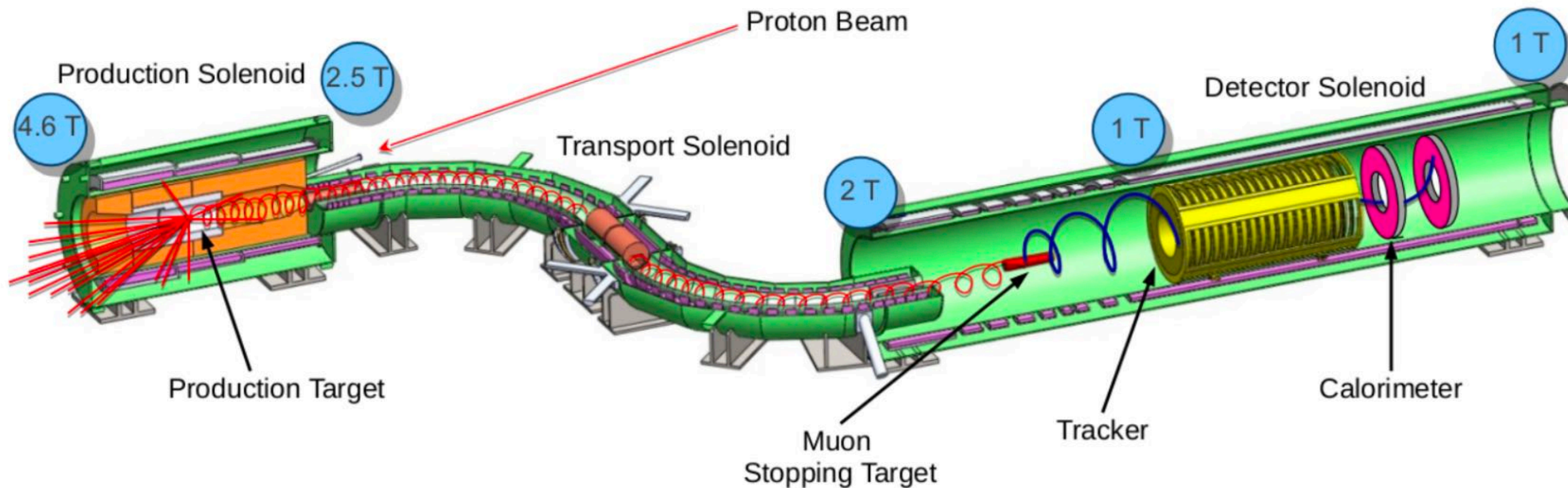
- Detector solenoid magnet delivery in autumn 2024 followed by detector installation
 - Physics detector to be ready at the end of 2024
- Capture solenoid magnet delivery in spring 2024 followed by installation and conditioning.
 - To be ready at the end of 2025
- Target and shield installation in early 2026.
- **Physics in spring 2026!**

Mu2e

Mu2e at FNAL

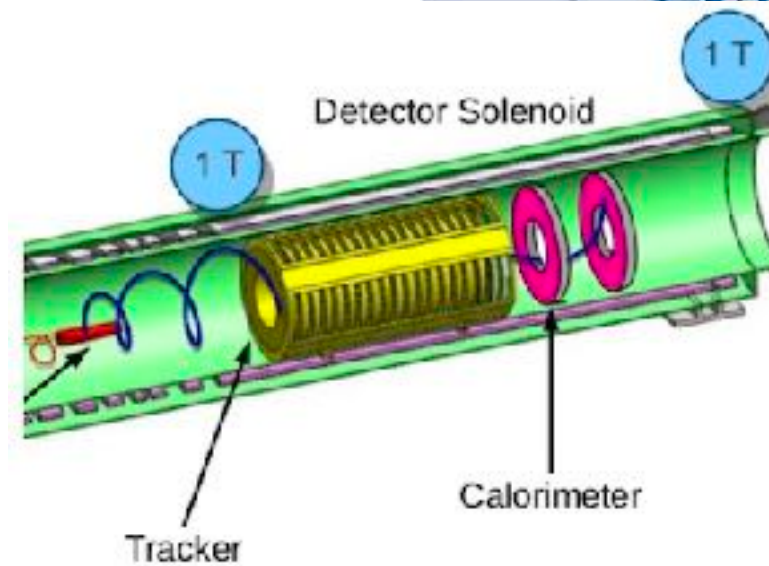


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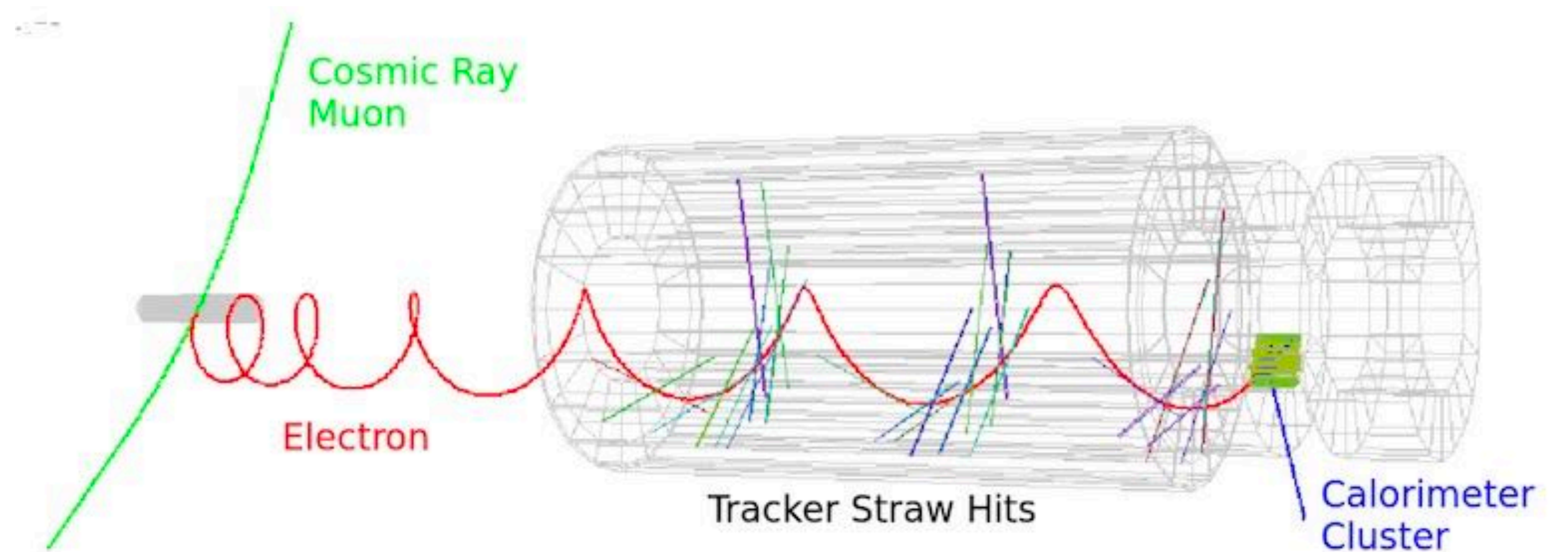
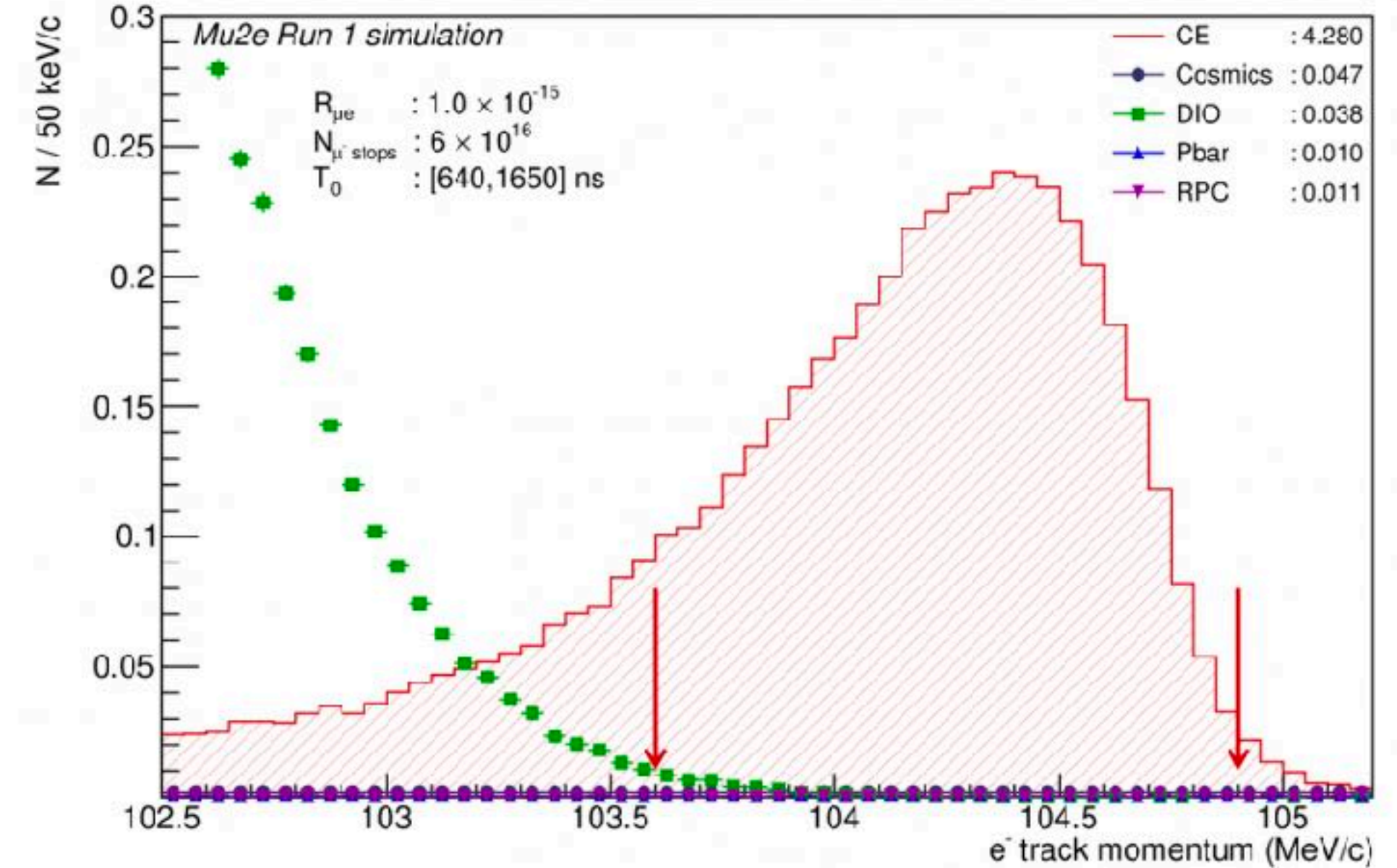
Mu2e solenoids and detectors

- Production, Transport, and Detector solenoids
 - All coils fabricated. TS almost complete
- Calorimeter
 - First disk completed, second disk underway
- Tracker
 - 26 / 36 planes are built
- CRV
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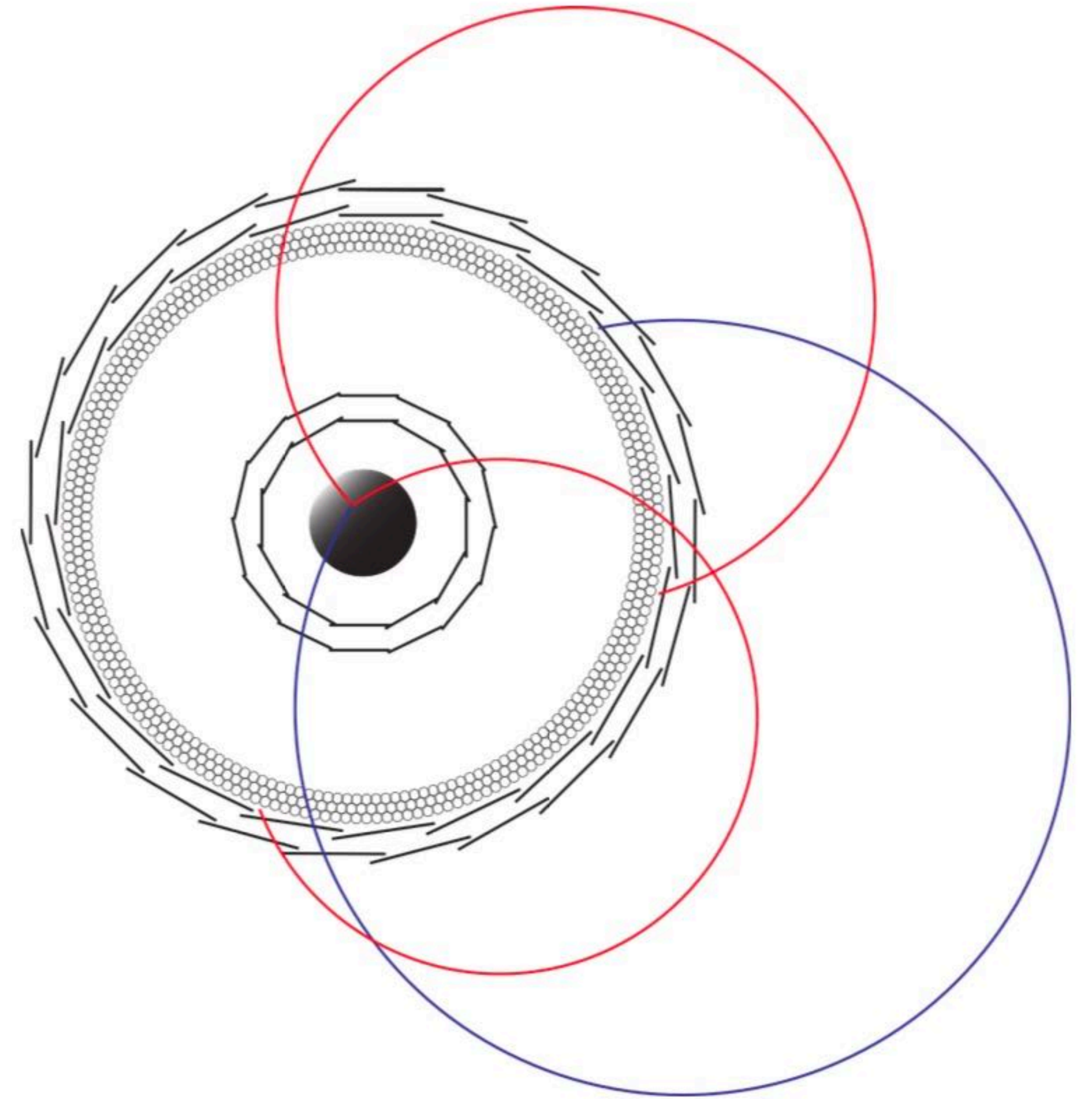
Mu2e time line

- Detector and beam commissioning through to 2026
 - Take Run 1 data until LBNF/PIP-II shutdown
 - x1000 improvement over SINDRUM-II
- Resume data collection in 2029 after long shutdown
 - x10000 improvement over SINDRUM-II



Mu3e at PSI

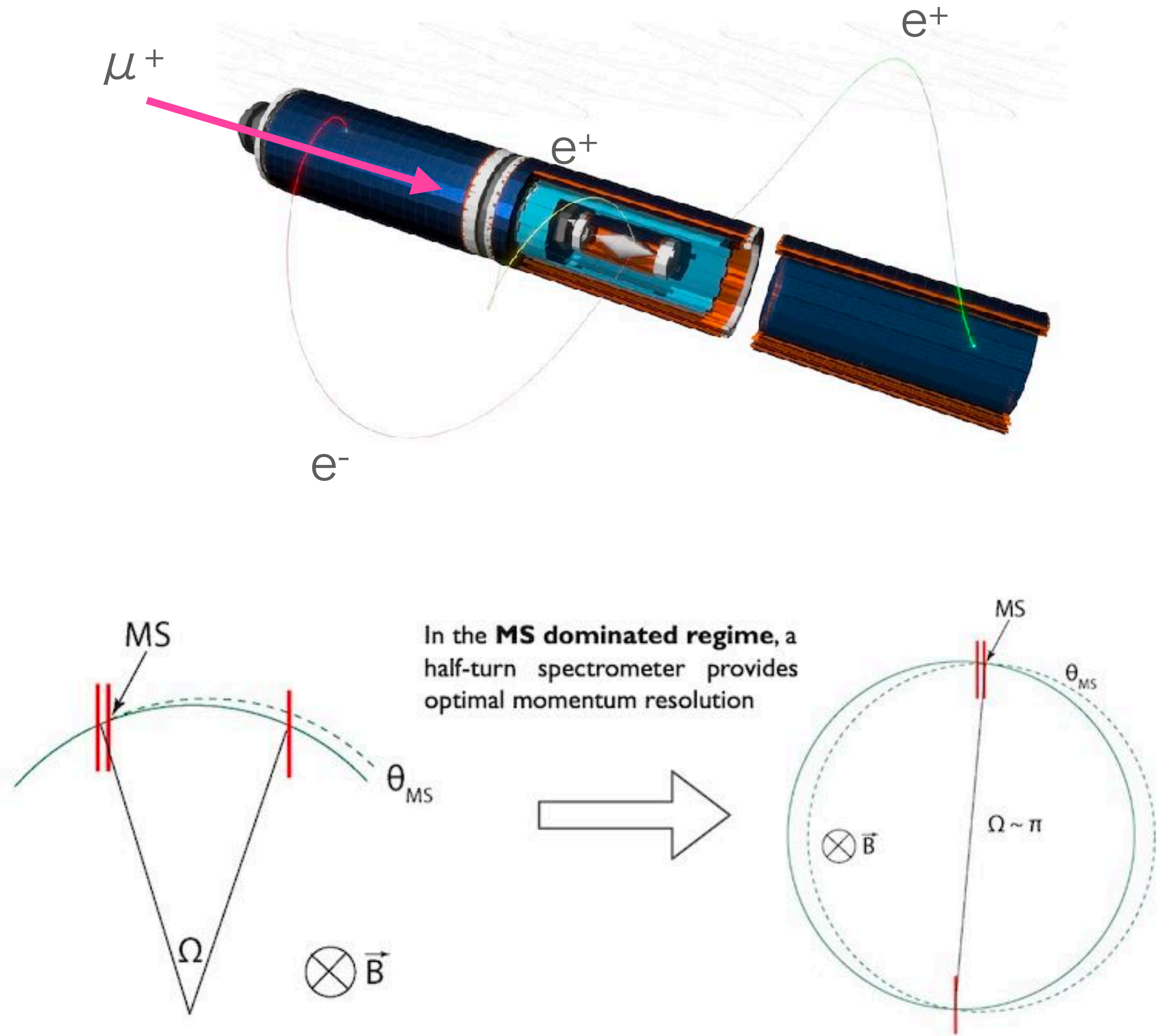
- $\mu \rightarrow eee$ search



Martin Müller, WG4 on 22/Aug

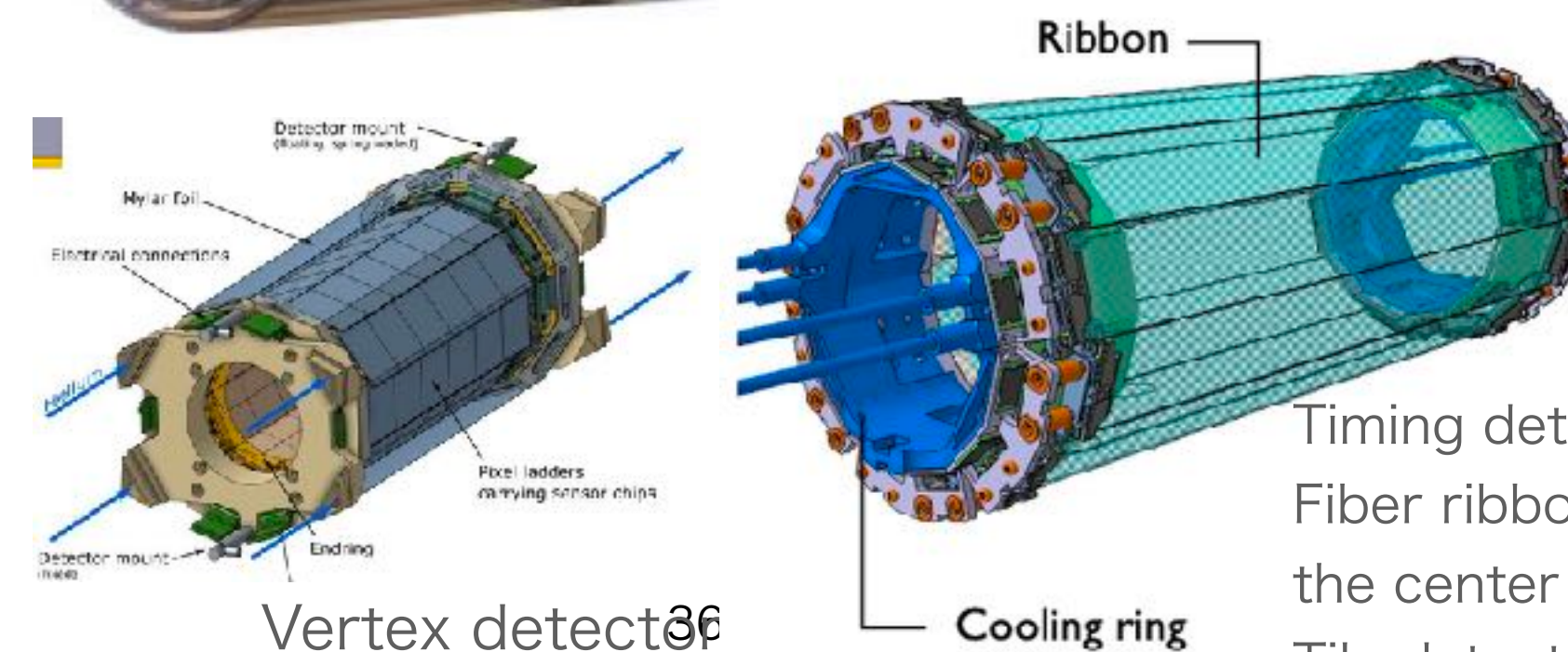
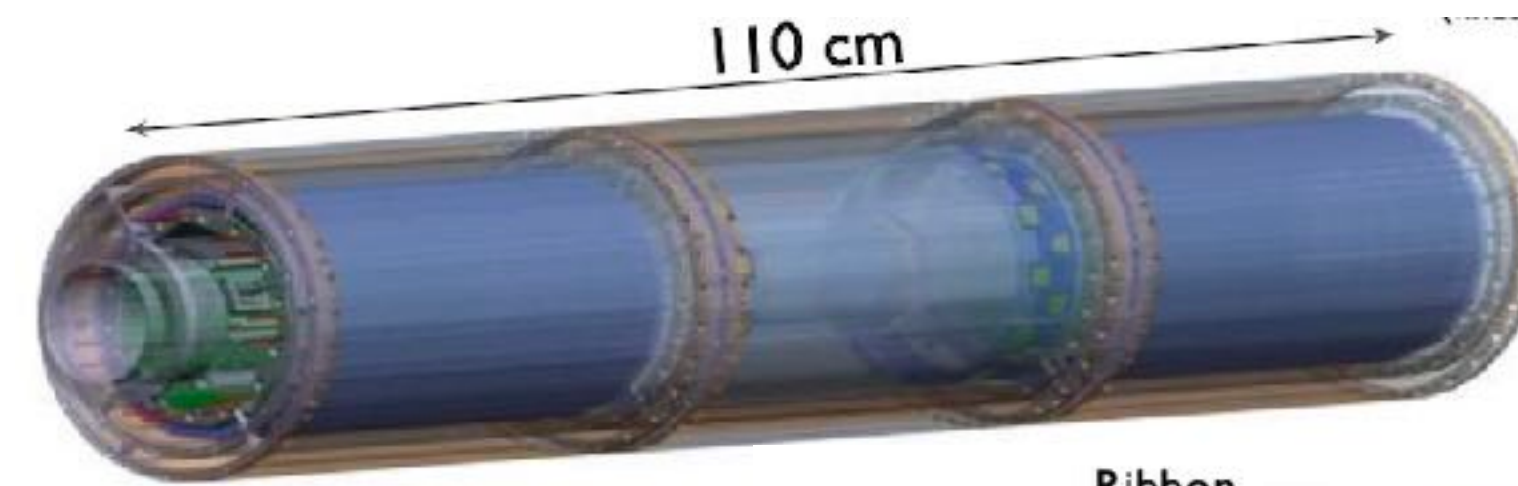
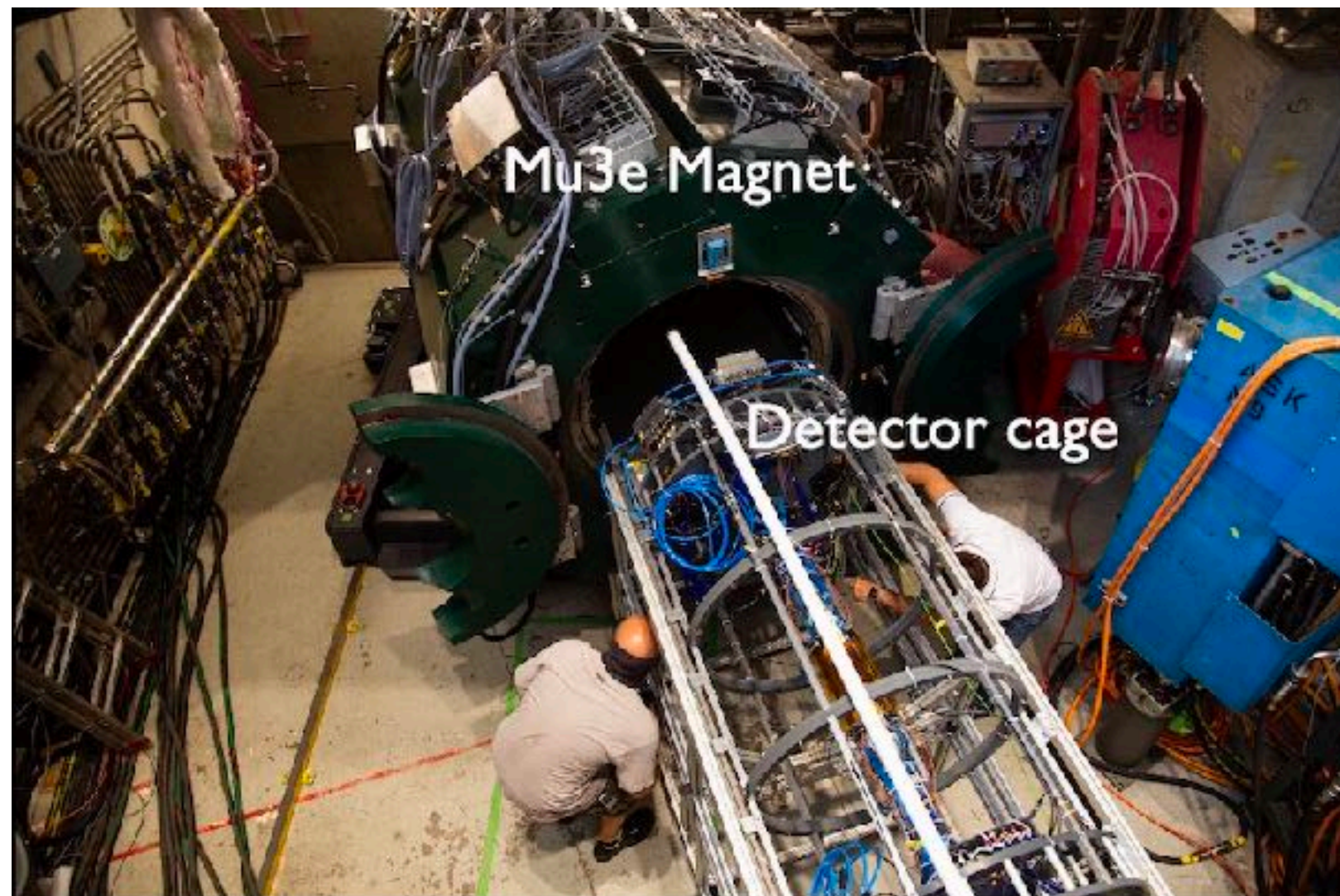
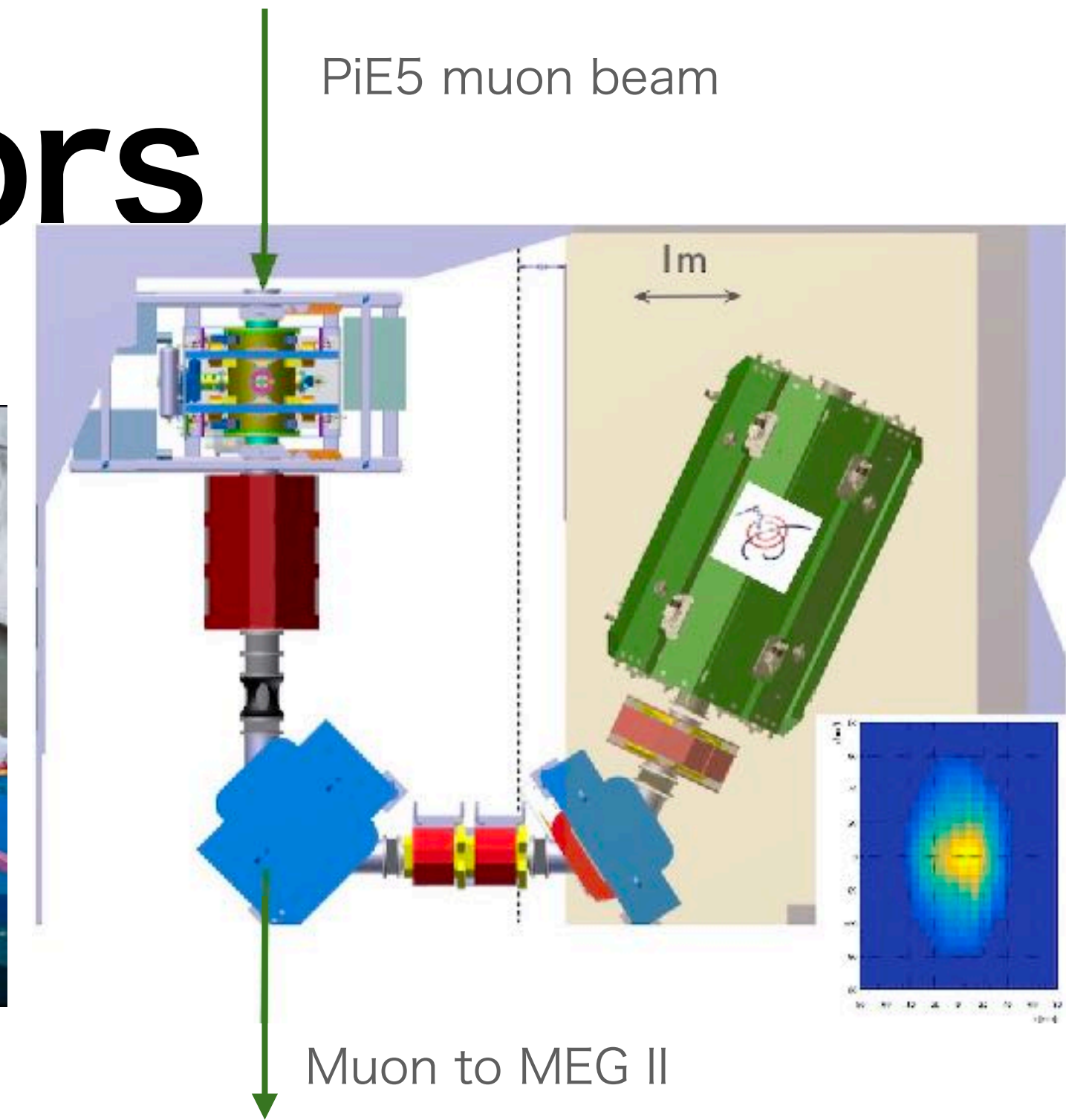
Mu3e: $\mu \rightarrow eee$ search at PSI

- $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+e^+e^-$
 - Common vertex
 - Time coincident
 - $\Sigma E = m_\mu$
 - $\Sigma \mathbf{p} = 0$
- Backgrounds
 - Internal conversion
 - Accidental overlap



Mu3e beam line and detectors

- PiE5 beam line shared with MEG II
- Detector solenoid installed in PiE5
- High-voltage Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors (HV-MAPS), MuPix
- Timing detectors, fiber ribbons & tiles
- Sophisticated DAQ



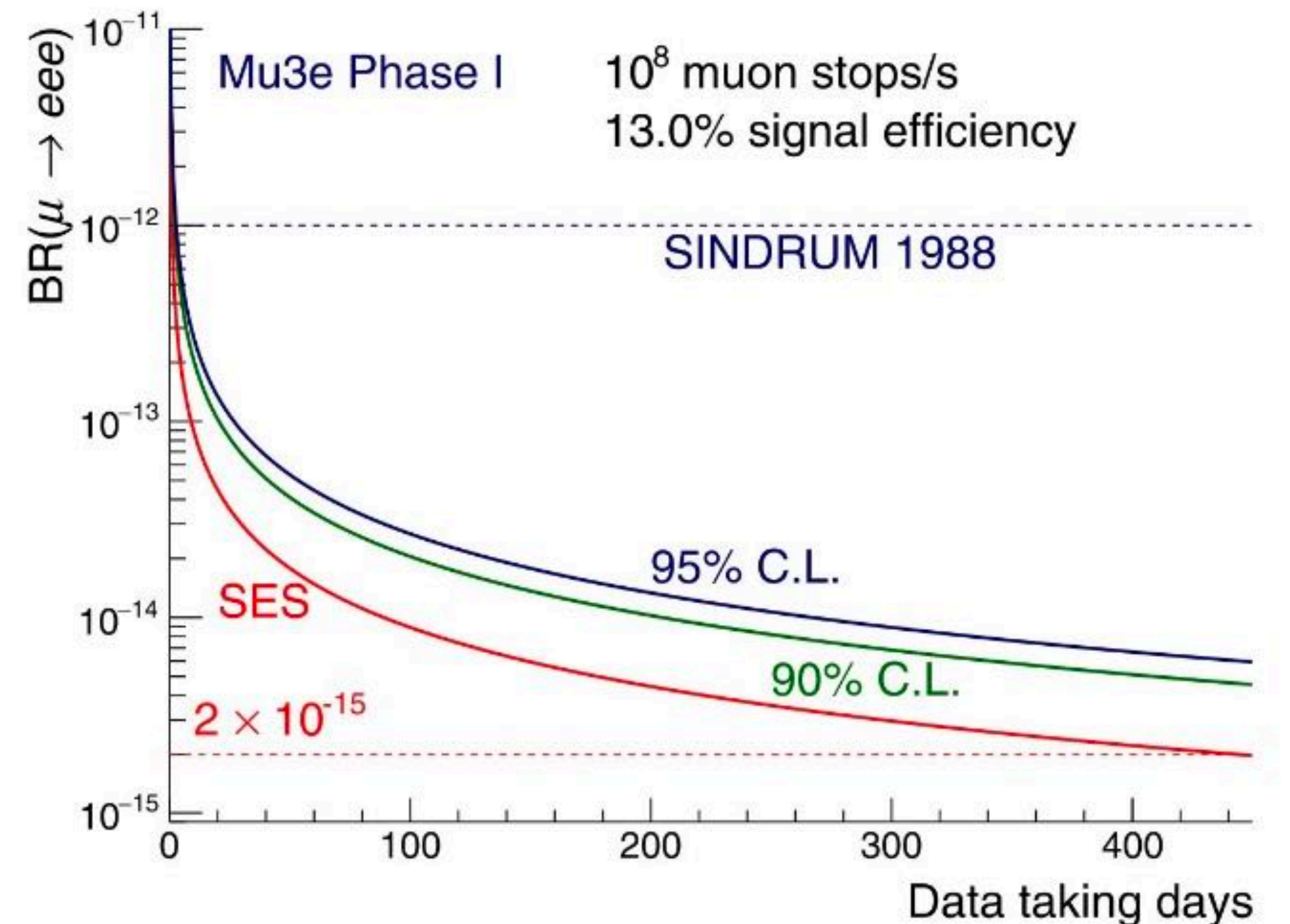
Fiber ribbon detector around the center

Tile detector in recur stations



Mu3e time line

- Run at the π E5 CMBL
- Reach 2×10^{-15} S.E.S in 400 days
- First detector installation in 2023
- Infrastructure installation in next 1.5 years
- Commissioning in 2024-2025
- First physics data taking in 2025-2026
- ... and Phase II



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