



# Introduction to the Nuclear Physics Group of Korea University & Korean Contribution to the CMS Heavy-Ion Program

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# Summary of Present Activities

- Heavy-ion collision experiments from intermediate to ultra-relativistic beam energies
  - $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.5$  TeV : CMS at LHC/CERN
  - $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200$  GeV : PHENIX at RHIC/BNL
  - $E_{beam} \leq 2A$  GeV : FOPI at SIS18/GSI
  - $E_{beam} \leq 30A$  GeV : CBM at SIS300/GSI (future)
- Detector R&D and Applications
  - Muon Trigger RPCs for CMS and PHENIX
  - ToF RPCs for FOPI and CBM
  - Thermal Neutron Detectors
  - Animal PET Development

# CMS at LHC/CERN

## ■ Detectors

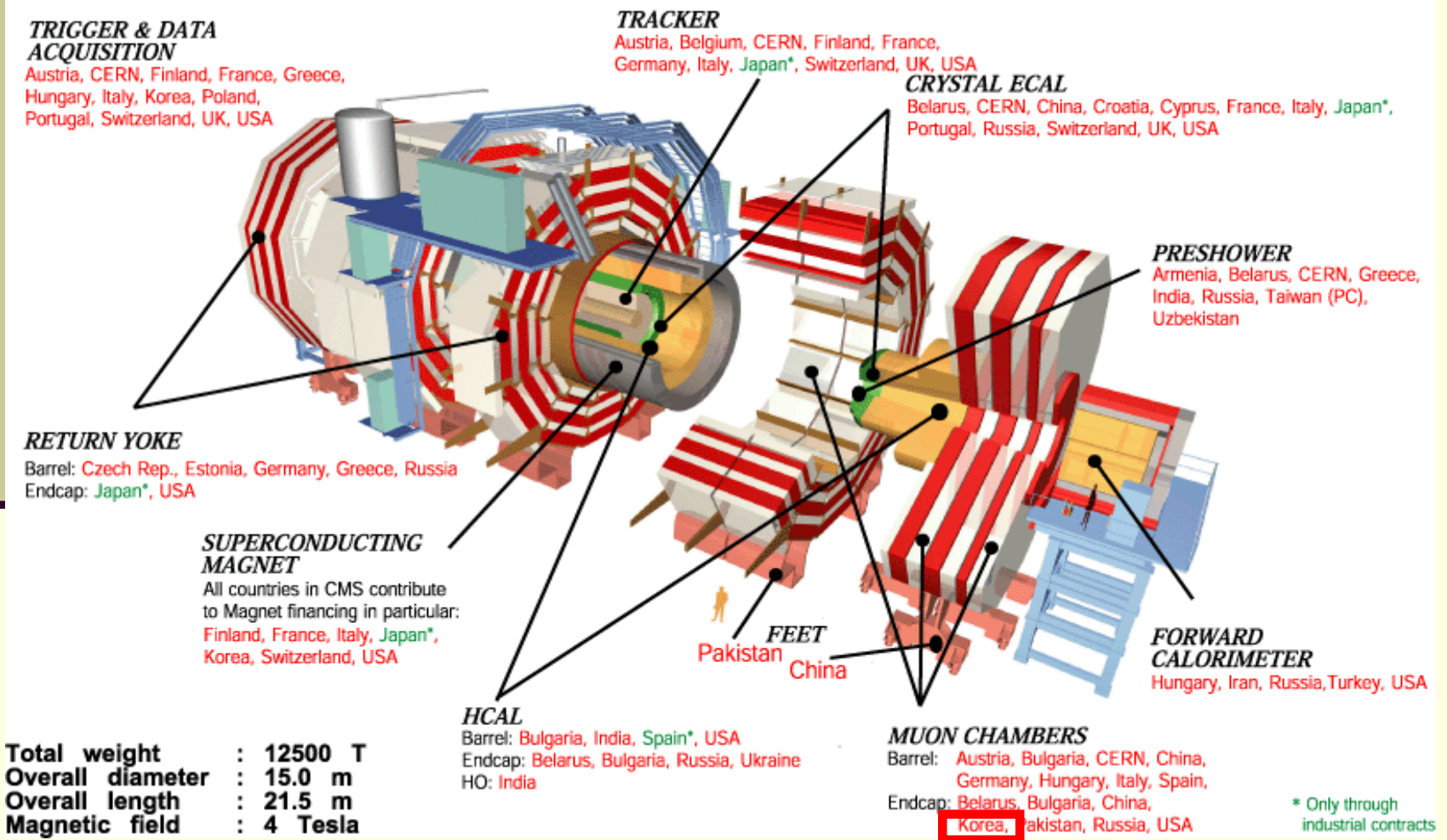
- Construction of endcap RPCs  
(More details in the next few pages)

## ■ Physics

- $J/\psi$  and  $\gamma$  productions via dimuons
- B-meson production via the decayed  $J/\psi$ 's into dileptons
- b-tagging jet production  
(To be presented later in this talk)

# CMS Endcap RPCs

The nuclear & high-energy physics groups of Korea University have been active for the CMS(Compact Muon Solenoid) Collaboration of LHC at CERN since 1997.



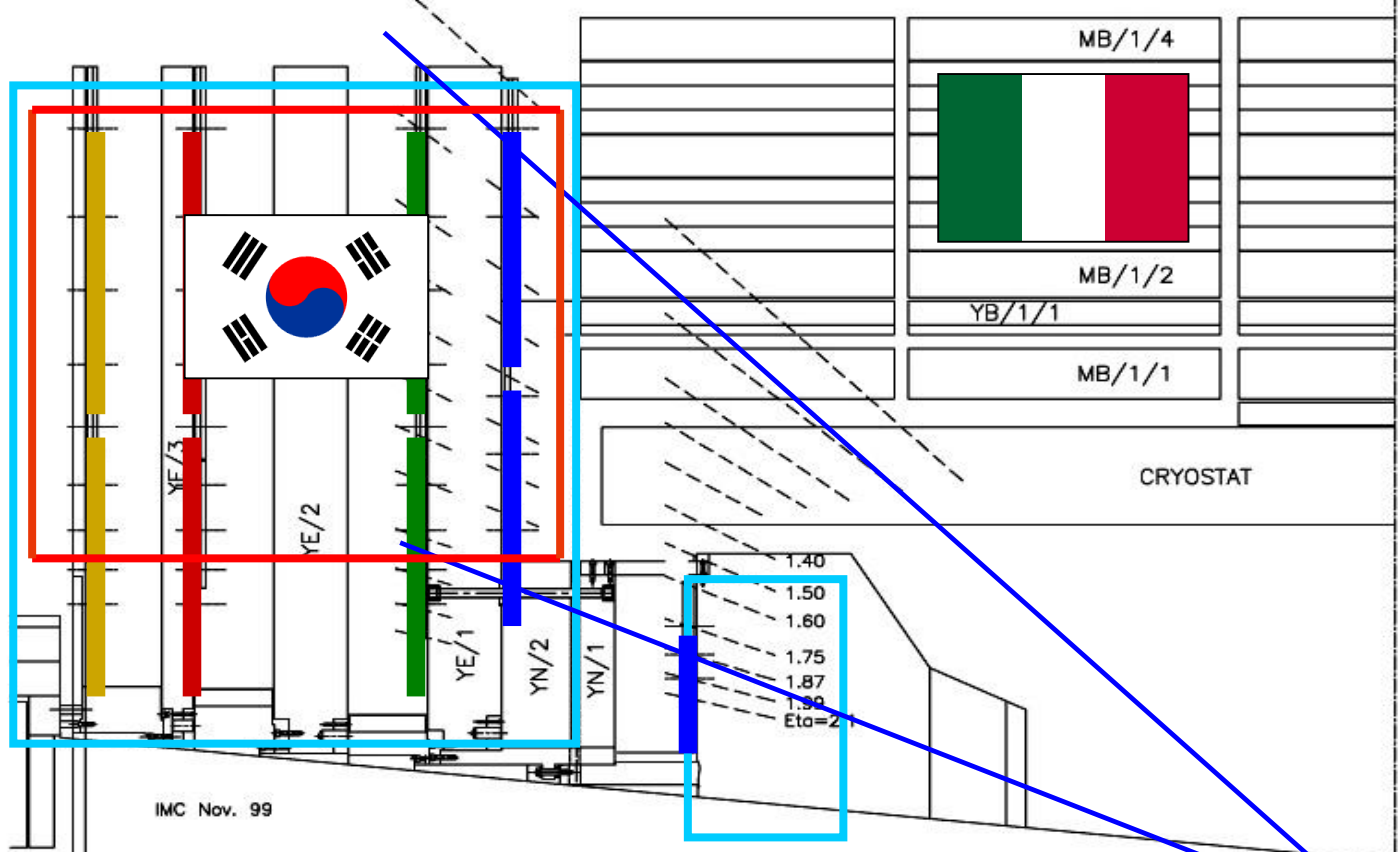
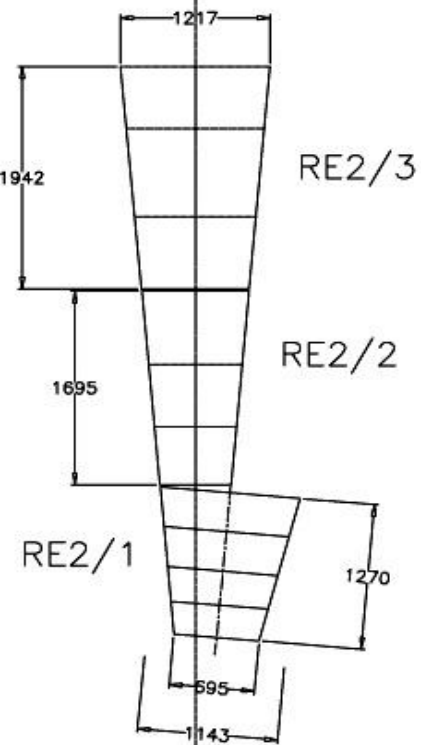
# CMS Endcap RPCs

**Total Area of Endcap RPC  
~1,400 m<sup>2</sup>**

RPC's Mounted on "opposite wall"

Eta divisions projected in constant R

Eta=0.92

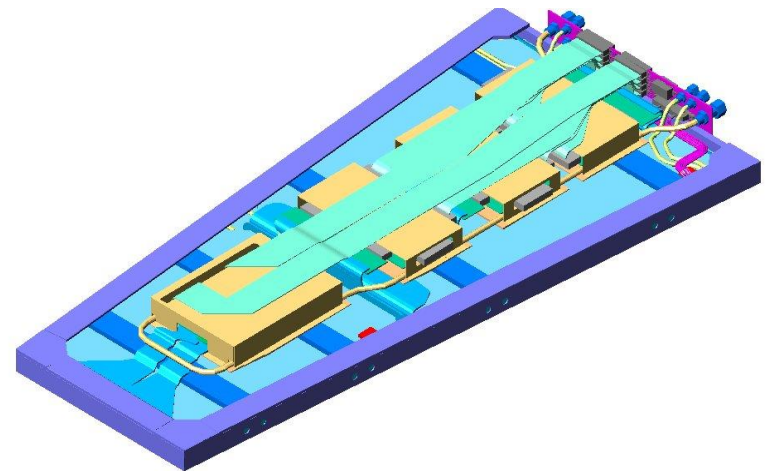
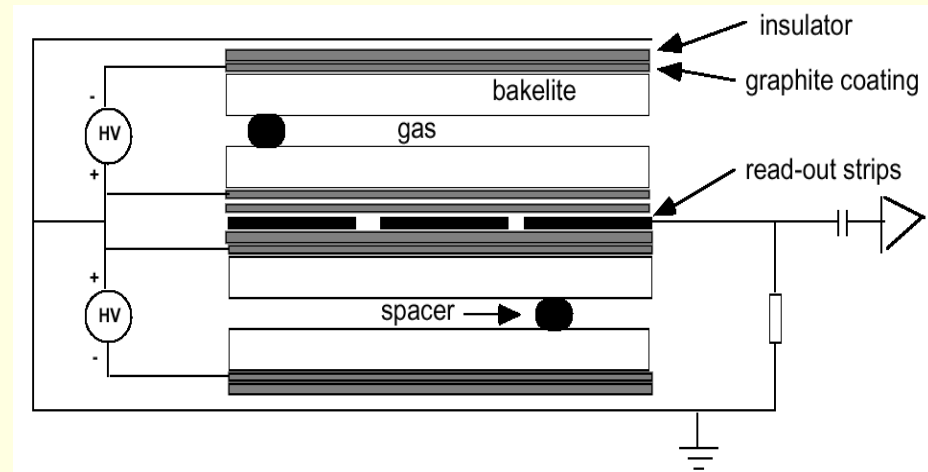


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**Forward Region of CMS**

# CMS Endcap RPCs

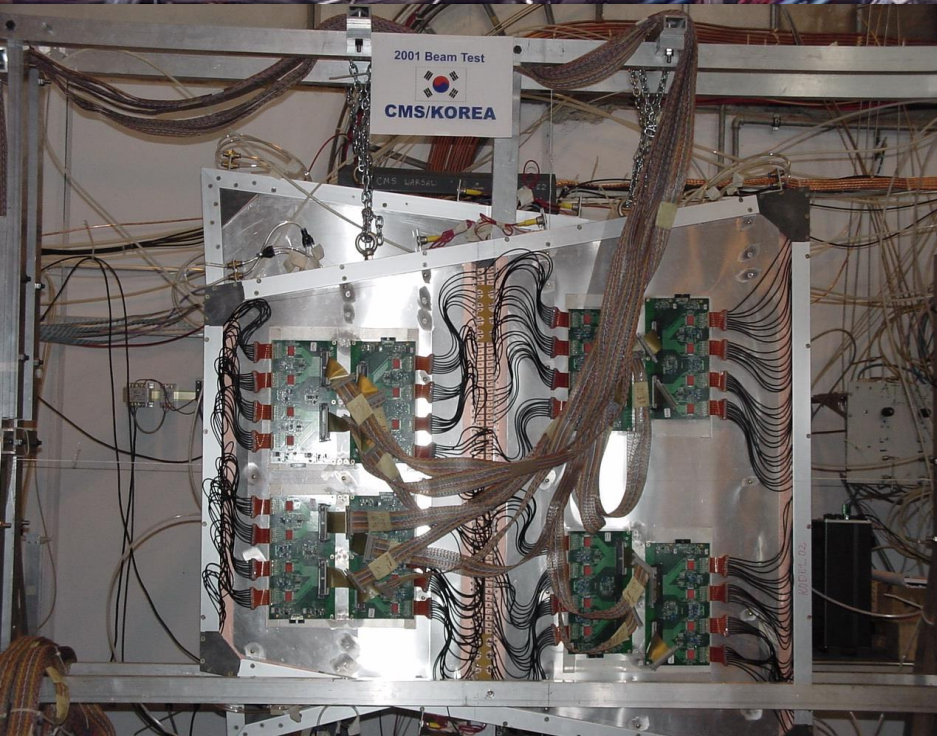
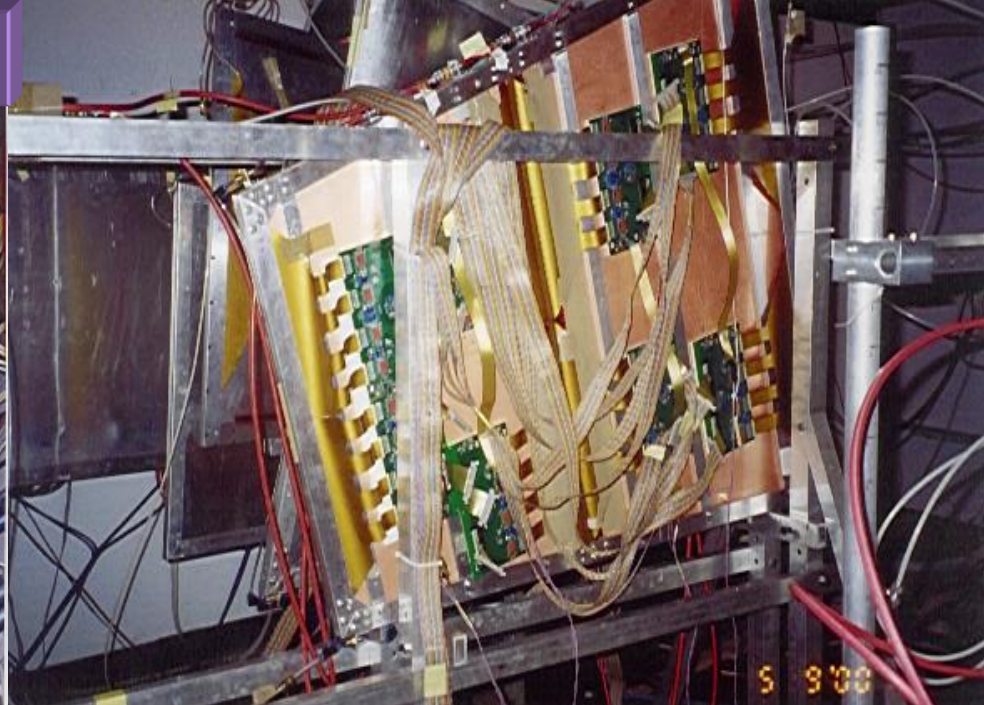
1. **Function** : L1 muon triggers  
 2 wings (RE+, RE-)  
 4 stations (RE1, RE2, RE3, RE4)  
 Pseudo rapidity coverage :  
 $0.9 < \eta < 2.1$  (1.6)  
 $\eta$  segmentations : 10 (6)
2. **Total # of RPCs** : 756 (432)  
 Total # of FEBs : 2,268 (1,296)  
 Total # of channels : 85,248 (41,472)
3. **By March 2007**,  
 the gap production for phase I  
 $(0.9 < \eta < 1.6)$  was completed for  
 the first operation of CMS in 2008.



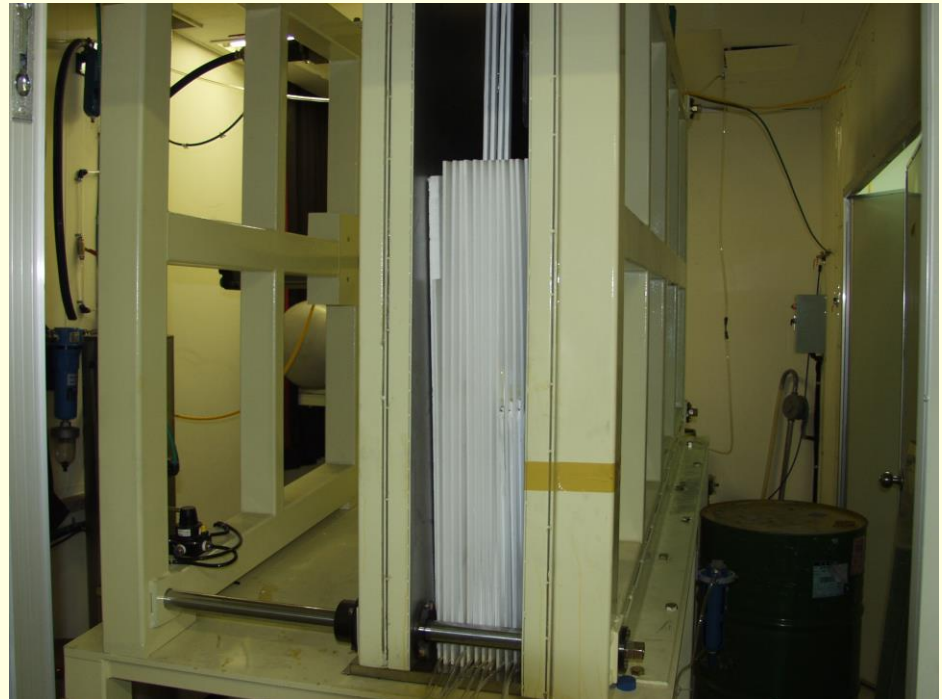
# A Brief Research History

1. **Fundamental studies to develop the endcap RPCs (1997~)**
  - 1) Beam tests by using high intensity muon beams at CERN
  - 2) Cosmic ray muon tests in Korea
  - 3) Long term aging studies by  $\gamma$ 's and neutron beams in Korea
2. **Design of double gap RPCs for the endcap region (2000~2003)**
  - 1) Gas gap design
  - 2) Services for HV, LV, gas, electronics on the chamber level
3. **Manufacturing the production facilities at Korea Univ. (2000~2003)**
  - 1) Gap and chamber production facilities
  - 2) Testing facilities for the quality assurance control
4. **Mass production of the endcap RPCs (2004~)**
  - 1) Phase I production ( $0.9 < \eta < 1.6$ , total 432 gaps) was completed.
  - 2) Phase II production ( $1.6 < \eta < 2.1$ ) is expected to start next year.

# Beam Tests at CERN (1998 ~ 2003)

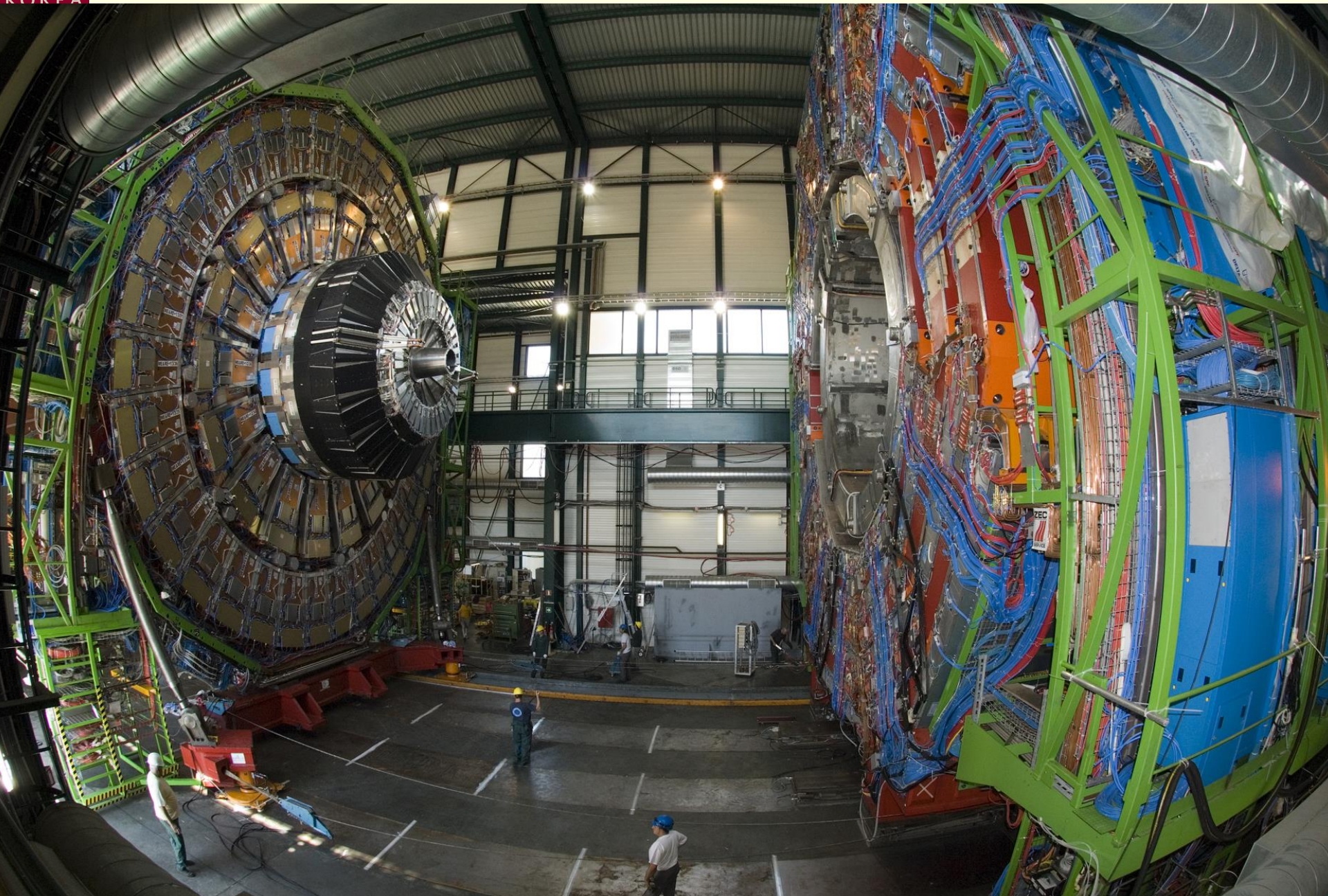






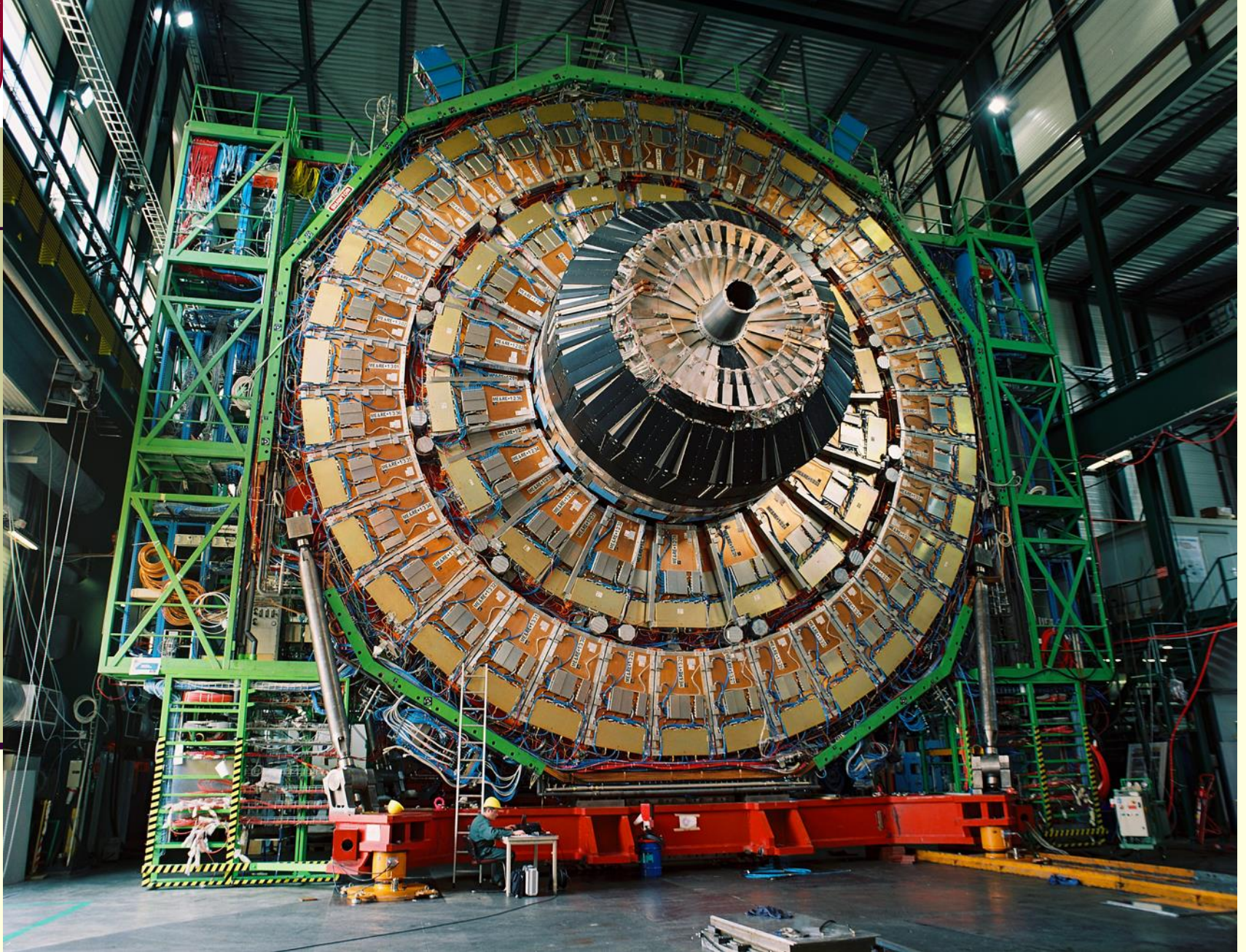
# Performance of Korean RPCs

Characteristics	CMS Requirements	Test Results the world best quality
Time Resolution	< 3 ns	< 1.5 ns
Efficiency	> 95 %	> 95 %
Rate Capability	> 1 kHz/cm <sup>2</sup>	> 1 kHz/cm <sup>2</sup>
Noise Rate	< 15 Hz/cm <sup>2</sup>	< 10 Hz/cm <sup>2</sup>
Plateau Region	> 300 V	> 400 V



December 14, 2007

Photo taken in Nov. 2006



December 14, 2007

RPC1+CSC1 installed successfully

# PHENIX at RHIC/BNL

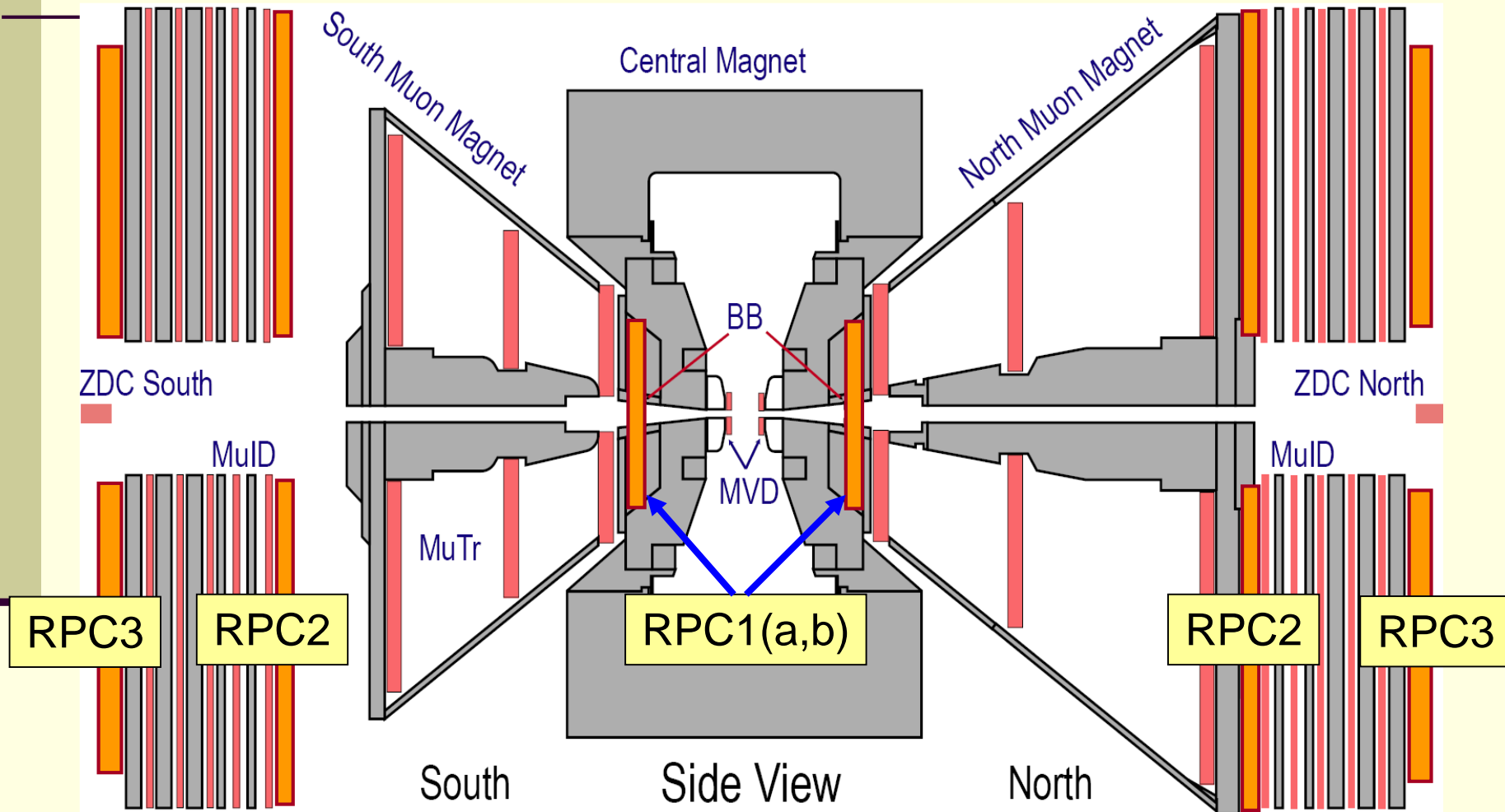
## ■ Physics

- Quarkonium production via dimuon channels
- Flow of heavy vector mesons
- Feasibility study of measuring  $\chi_c$

## ■ Detectors

- Construction of the muon trackers (CSC)
- In collaboration with the high-energy physics group of Korea University, we will produce all **RPC** gas gaps for the muon trigger upgrade. (More details in next pages)
- In collaboration with Yonsei, Ewha, and Myungji Universities, we participate in the **NCC** upgrade R&D.

# PHENIX RPC Locations





lengths in mm  
theta in deg.

		RPC1a		RPC1b		RPC2		RPC3	
	theta (deg)	Radius	width	radius	width	radius	width		width
possible						5280.2			
	34.36	933.2	773.1	1016.8	842.3	4675.4			
ring 8		<i>strips: 181.4 x 12.1 (64)</i>		<i>strips: 197.7 x 13.2 (64)</i>		<i>strips: /</i>			
	31.60								
ring 7									
	28.84	751.8	622.8	819.1			20.3	4991.4	4135.0
ring 6		<i>strips: 164.3 x 9.7 (64)</i>		<i>strips: 17</i>		<i>strips: 17</i>		<i>strips: 554.2 x 64.6 (64)</i>	
	26.09								2773.9
ring 5						<i>strips: 298.9 x 48.8 (57)</i>		<i>strips: 528.6 x 64.6 (57)</i>	
	23.33	588.7	487.7			2949.4	2443.4	3908.6	3238.0
ring 4		<i>strips: 151.1 x 11.5 (64)</i>		<i>strips: 17</i>		<i>strips: 382.7 x 38.2 (64)</i>		<i>strips: 507.1 x 50.6 (64)</i>	
	20.57							22566.8	2126.4
ring 3						<i>strips: 369.1 x 38.2 (56)</i>		<i>strips: 493.3 x 50.6 (56)</i>	
	17.81			177.9	395.9	2197.7	1820.6	2912.3	2412.7
ring2						<i>strips: 357.8 x 28.4 (64)</i>		<i>strips: 474.2 x 37.7 (64)</i>	
	15.0			<i>strips: 153.6 x 12.4 (32)</i>		1839.8	1524.2	2438.1	2019.8
ring1						<i>strips: 3548.7 x 28.4 (54)</i>		<i>strips: 462.1 x 37.7 (54)</i>	
			246.6	324.3	268.6	1491.1	1235.3	1976.1	1637.0
poss.						1468.4		1926.4	
		split gap: ring 4 and 5		split gaps: ring 2 and 3 + ring 6 and 7		no split gaps		no split gaps	

**The Korea University will produce total 256 RPC gas gaps and 48 spares.**

\* strip length and width consider full acceptance in theta and phi in the octants (i.e. no loss due to readout and boxes)

\* strip widths are determined at the **outer** radius of two paired rings

# PHENIX Schedule

- ~Feb. 2008
  - Production of complete half octant (prototype D)
- ~July 2008
  - Complete assembly and testing RPC3
- 2009
  - Complete the installation of all RPCs
- 2009-2012
  - Running at  $\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$
  - Projected yield of  $\int L dt \sim 950 \text{ pb}^{-1}$



# FOPI at SIS18

## ■ Physics

### ■ Nuclear stopping power and radial flow

- Phys. Rev. C 66, 034901 (2002); Phys. Rev. Lett. 84, 1120 (2000), Phys. Rev. C 57, 244 (1998); Nucl. Phys. A 721, 317 (2003)
- **Beam energy dependence in preparation**

### ■ Pion production and resonance analysis

- Phys. Rev. C 71, 034902 (2005); Phys. Lett. B 407, 115 (1997)

### ■ Strangeness production and in-medium effects

- Nucl. Phys. A 625, 307 (1997)
- **Charged kaon flow in preparation**

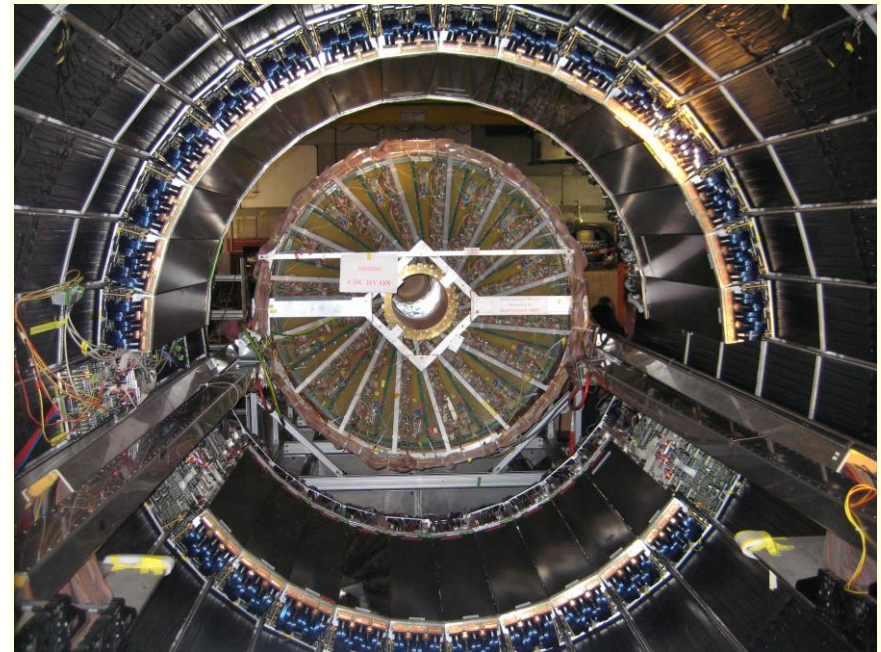
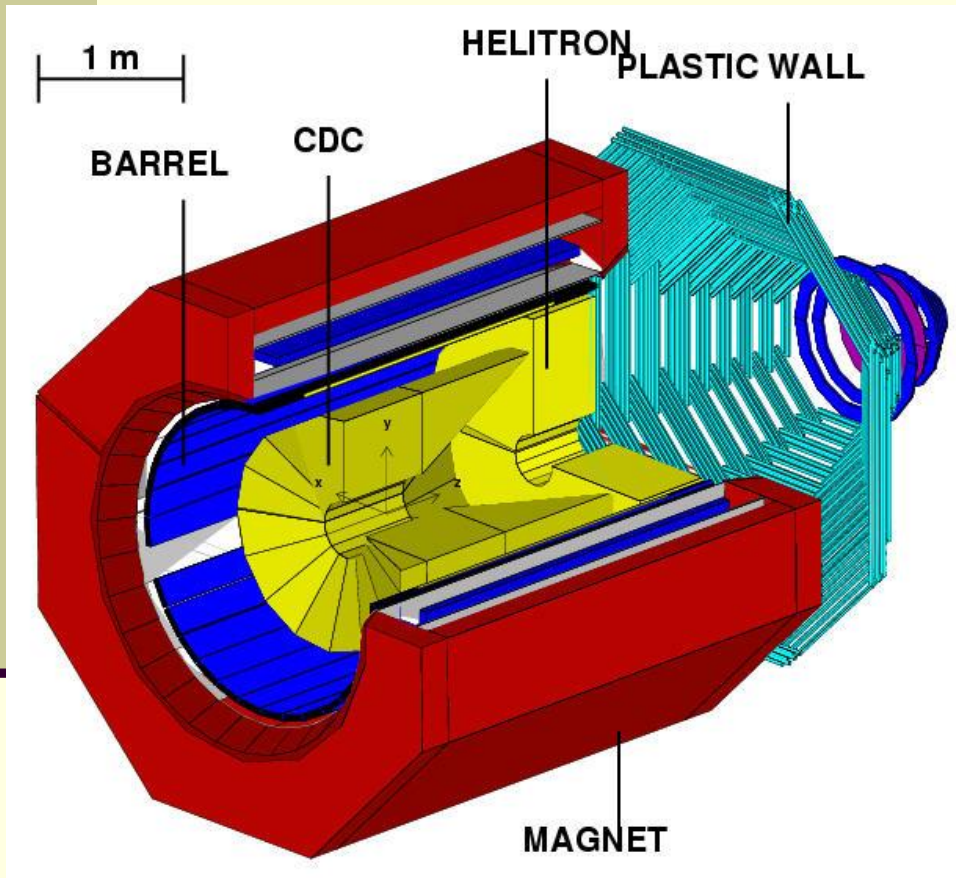
## ■ Detectors

### ■ Multigap Resistive Plate Chambers for the Time-of-Flight Detectors

(This is also a part of the CBM ToF detector R&D.)

### ■ Upgrade and maintenance of the Central Drift Chamber

# FOPi Detector

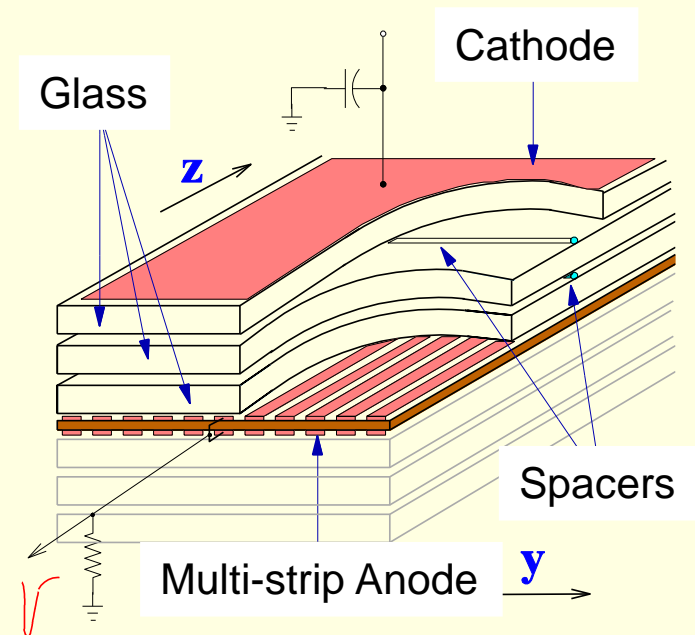
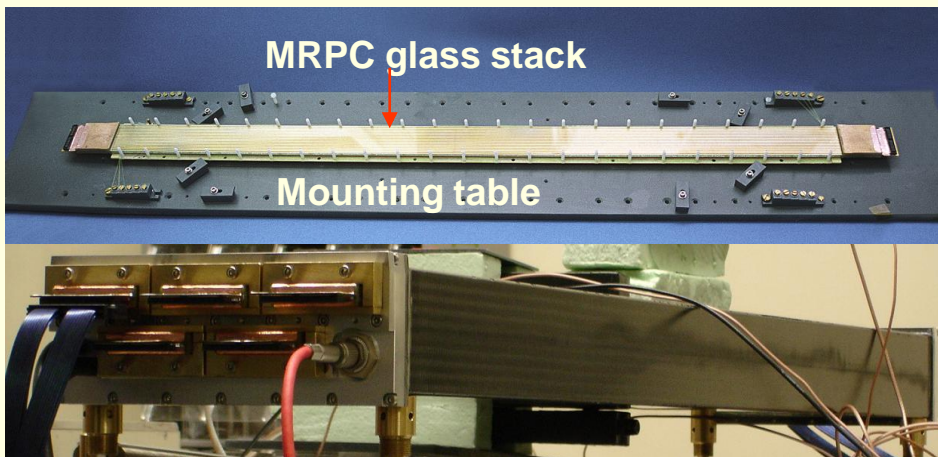


New 26 RPC super modules were installed in August 2007, and are being operated.

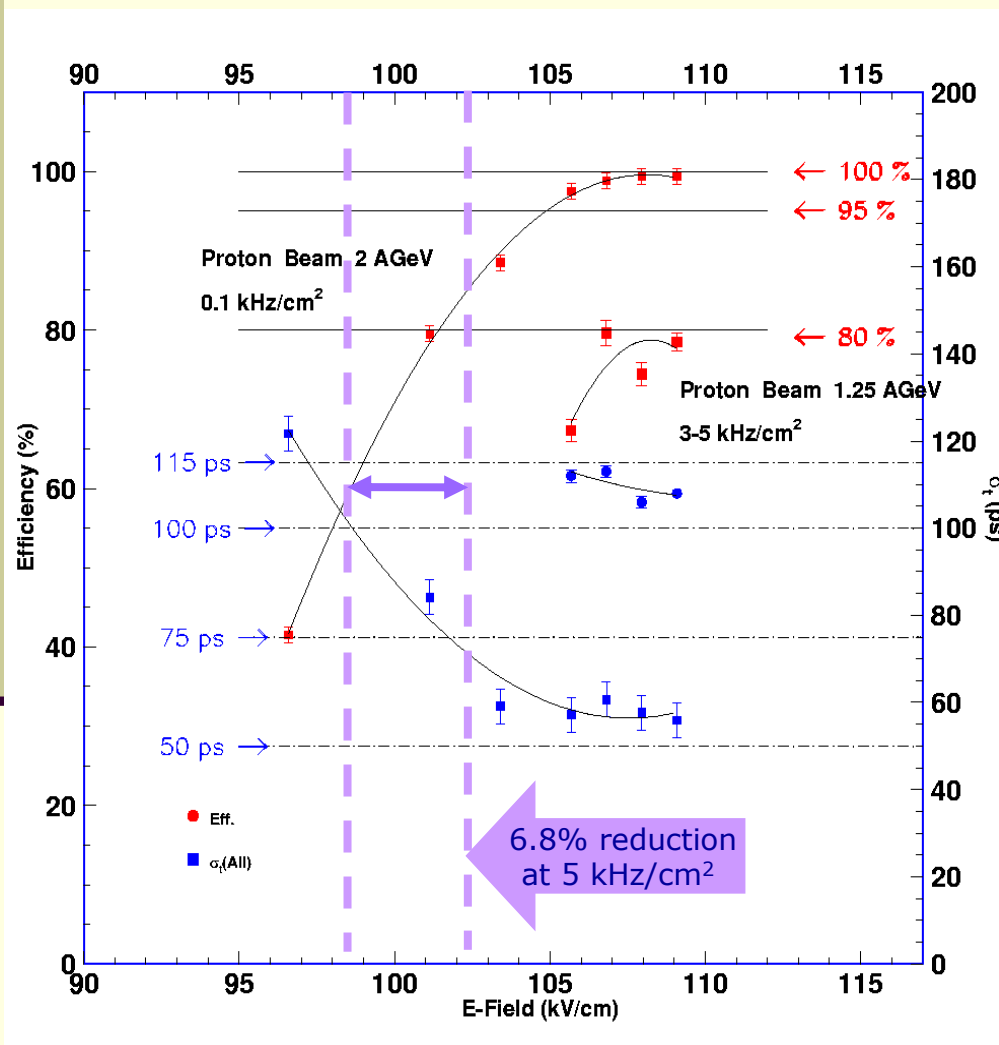
# Multi-strip Multi-gap RPC

## New MM RPC Time-of-Flight system

- Completed R & D (2000-2005)
- 6 m<sup>2</sup> active area and 4800 electronic channels
- Gas: C<sub>2</sub>F<sub>4</sub>H<sub>2</sub>/isobutane/SF<sub>6</sub> = 85/5/10
- Time resolution ( $\sigma_t$ ) < 75 ps
- Efficiency ( $\varepsilon$ ) > 95 %



# Multi-strip Multi-gap RPC

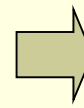


High rate R&D for the CBM collaboration at FAIR

# Neutron Sensitive RPCs

Detector	Structure (electrodes)	Read Out	Operating Mode
Gd-RPC/ Plain-RPC	Single Gap (bakelite)	2D-Strips	Streamer
Gd-RPC/ Plain-RPC	Double Gap (bakelite)	Pad	Streamer
LiF-RPC	Double Gap (glass)	Pad	Low Gain Avalanche

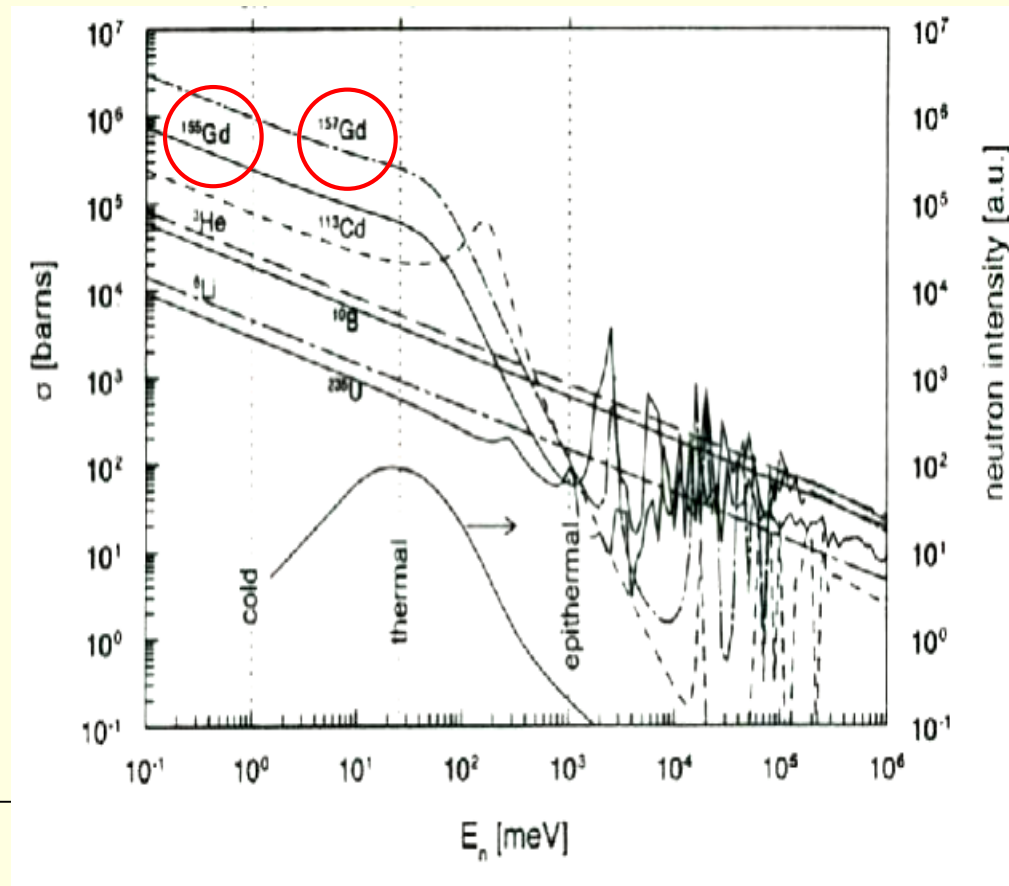
Tested with the moderated neutrons emitted by the  $^{252}\text{Cf}$  source at KAERI



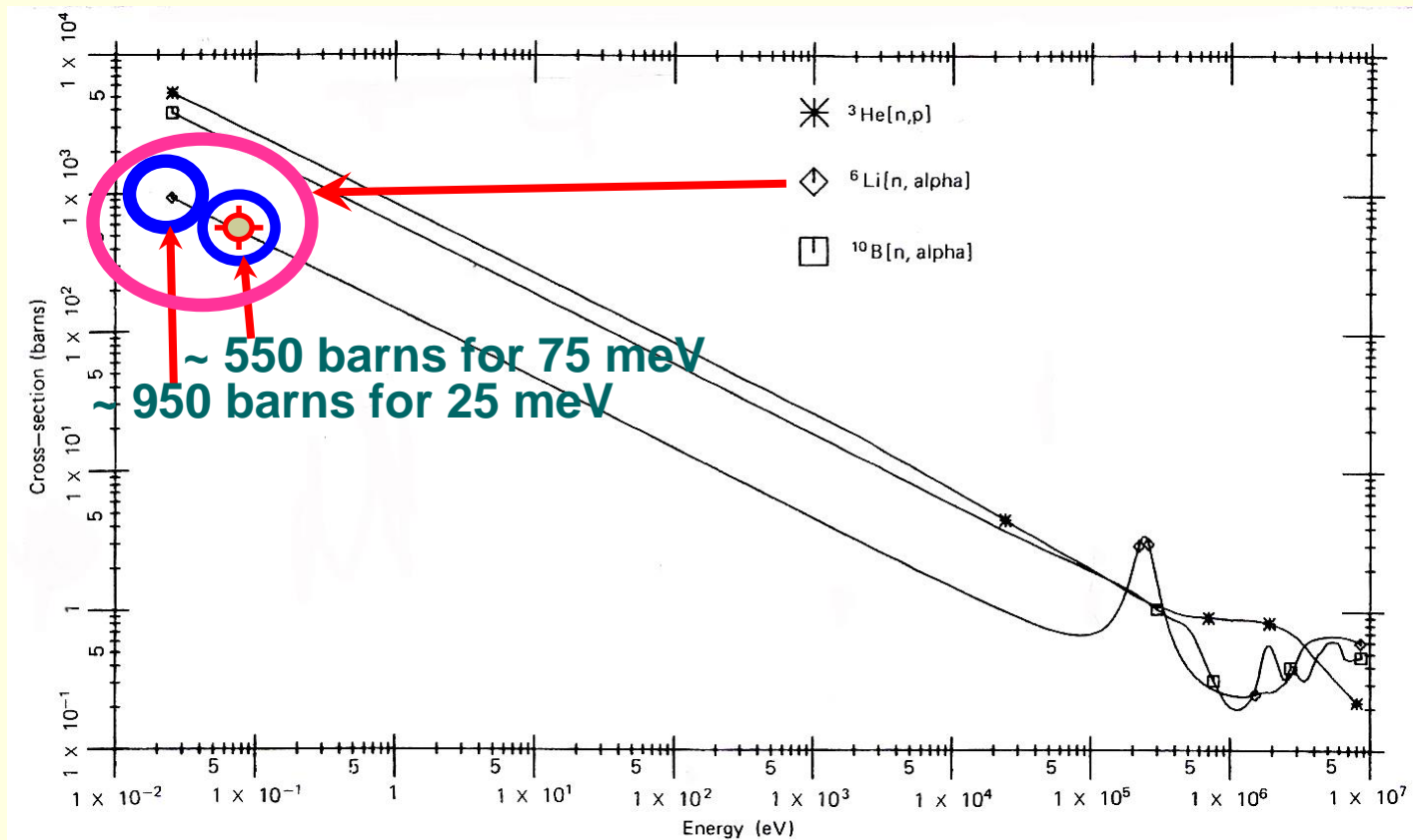
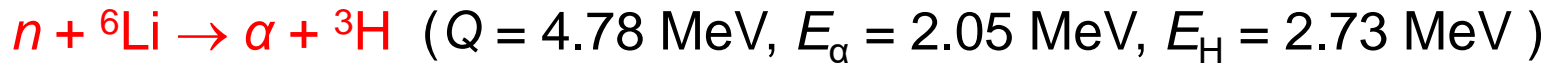
# Neutron Sensitive Material

Interesting isotopes are about 30% in natural  $Gd_2O_3$ .  
 Ref.) M. Abbrescia et al., NIMA 533 (2004) 149.

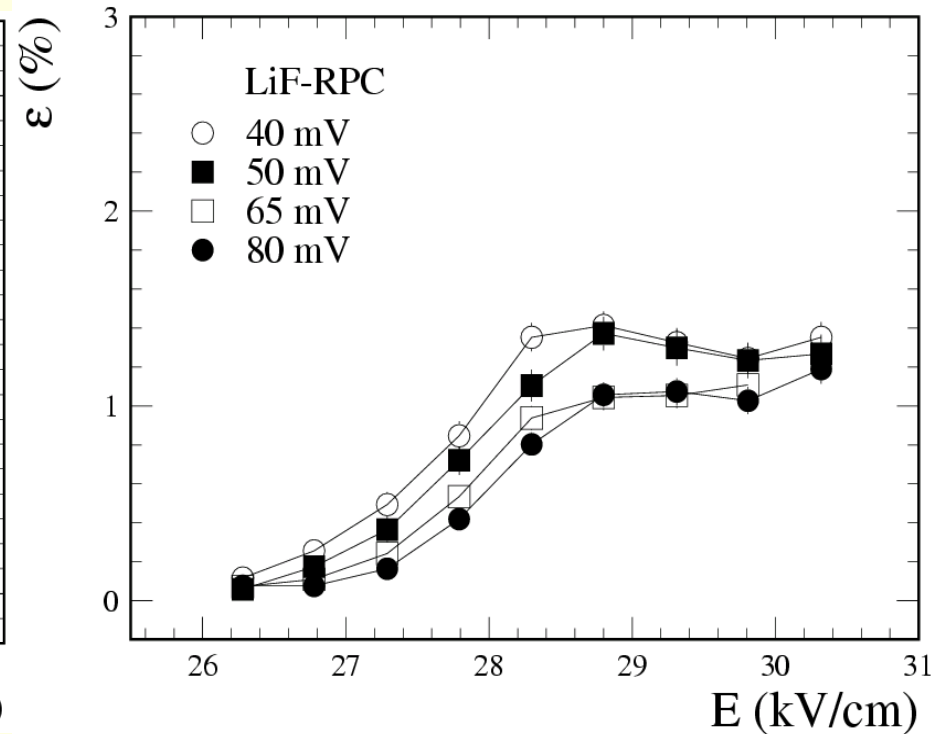
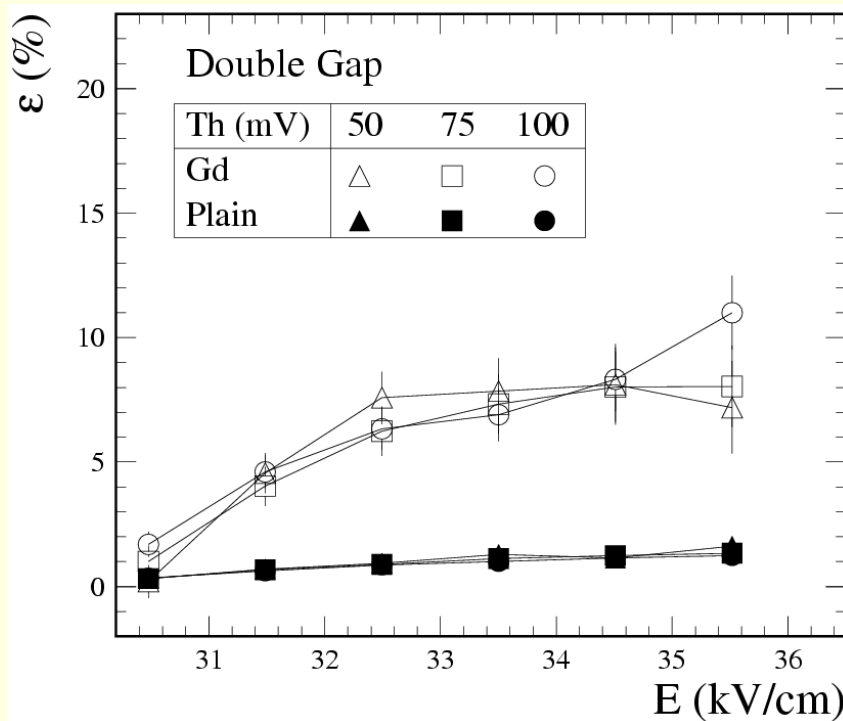
Mass No.	%
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154	2.2
155	14.8
156	20.5
157	15.7
158	24.8
160	21.8



# Neutron Sensitive Material



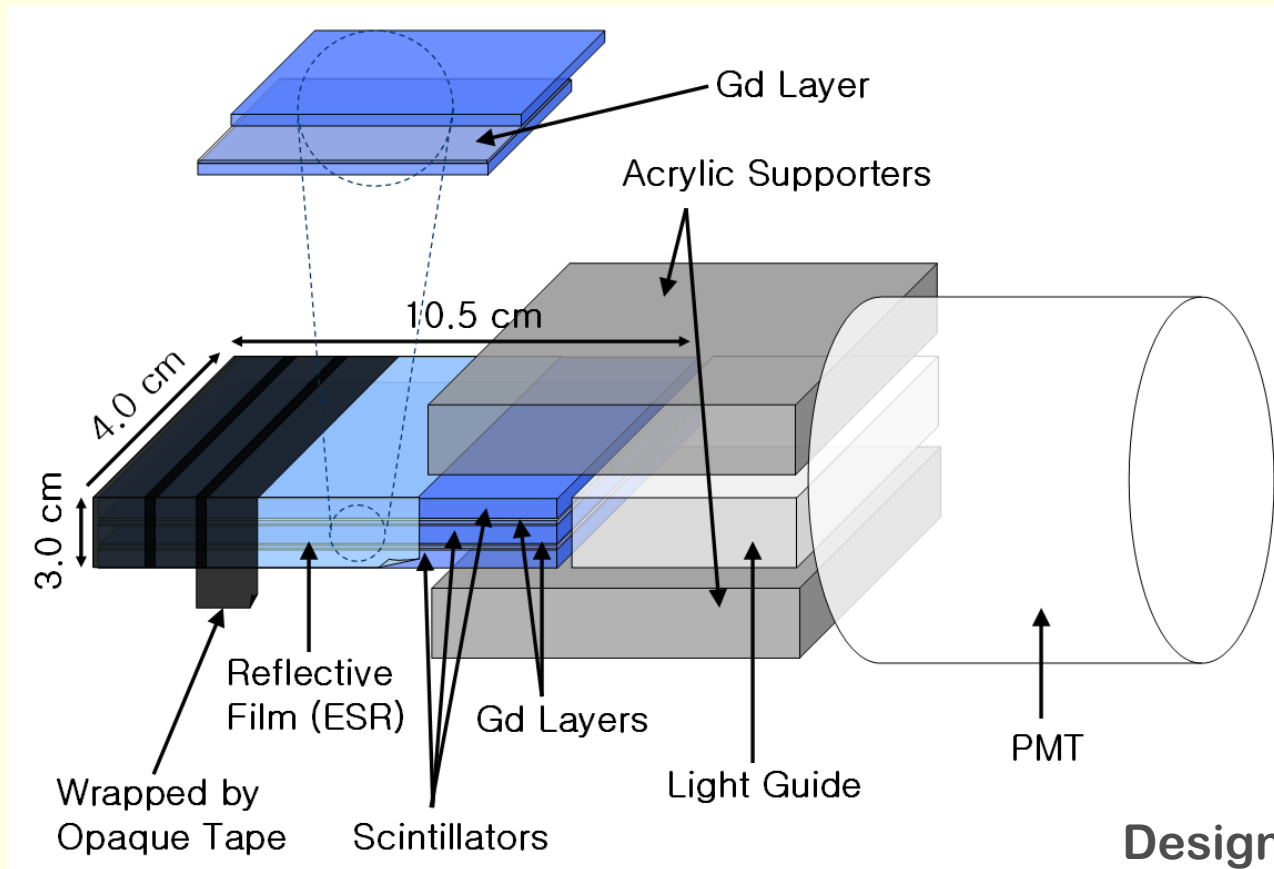
# Neutron Sensitive RPCs



Analyzed by Hyun Chul Kim, Ji Hyun Kim, and Rongjiang Hu

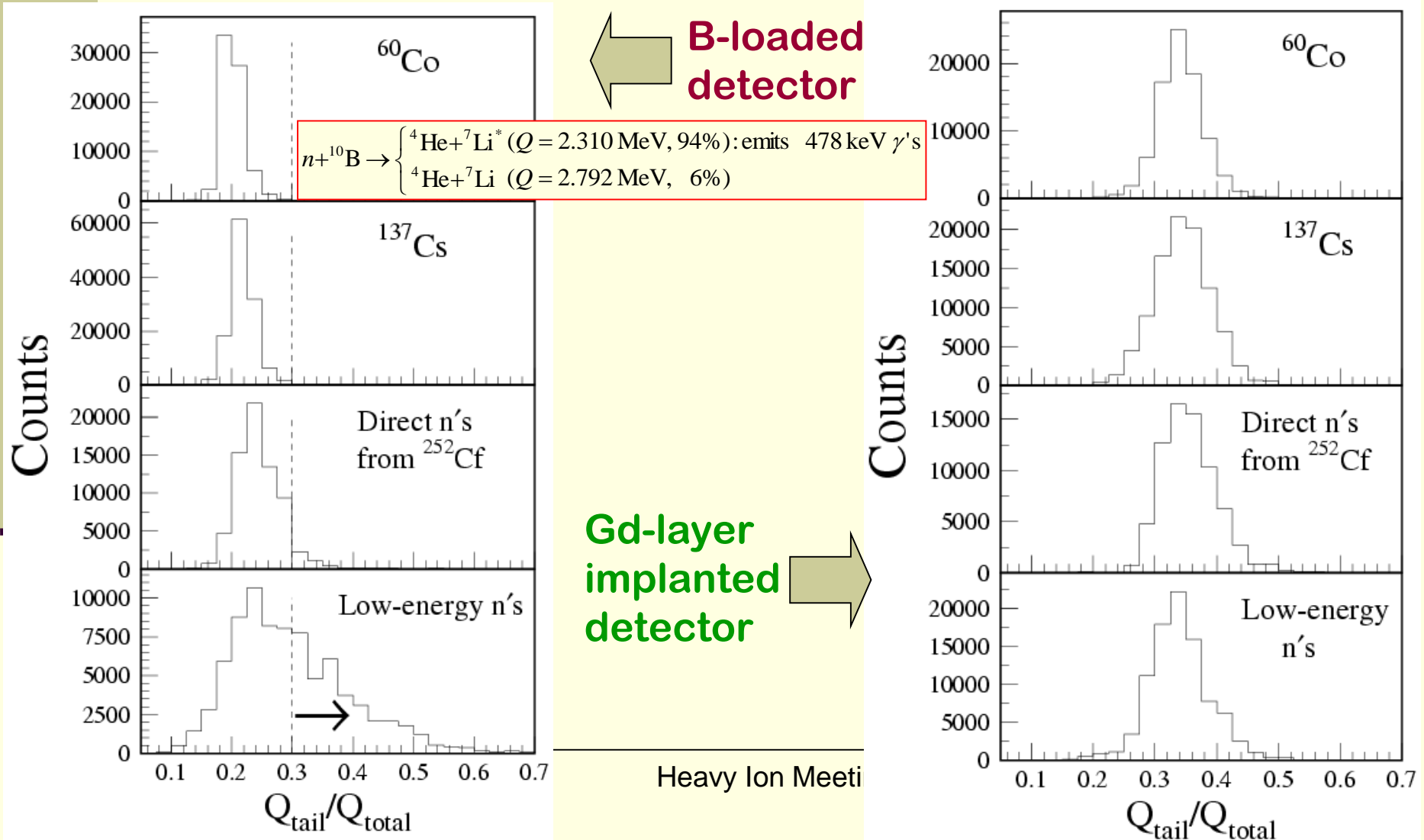


# Neutron Sensitive Hybrid Plastic Scintillator Detectors



Designed and made  
by Chong Kim

# Neutron Sensitive Hybrid Plastic Scintillator Detectors



# Korean Contribution to the CMS Heavy-Ion Program



# Korean CMS Heavy Ioner's

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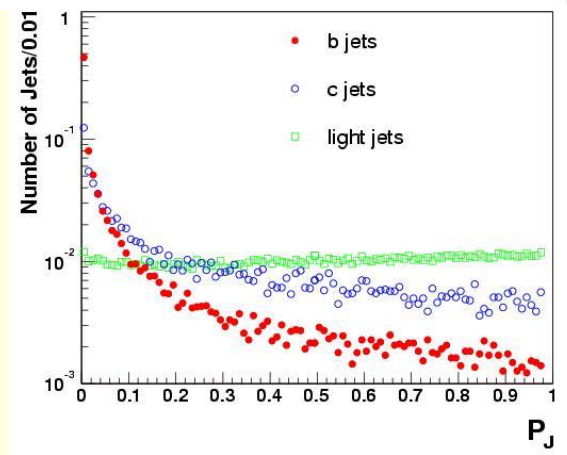
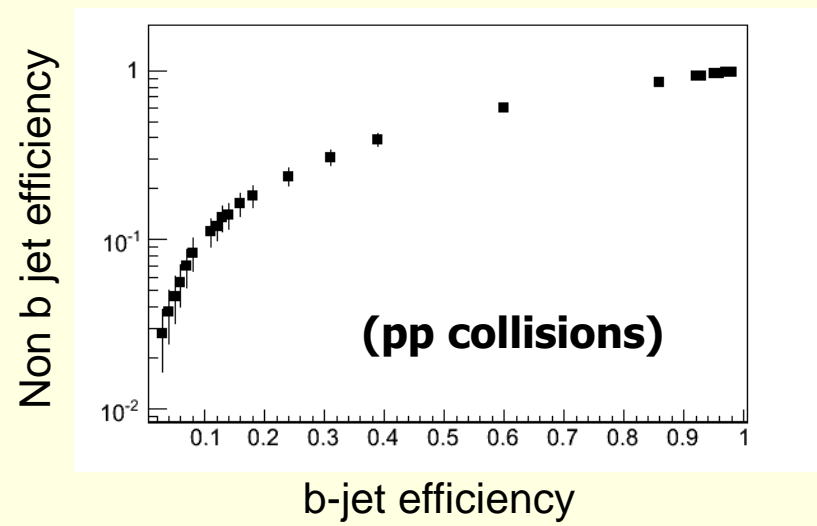
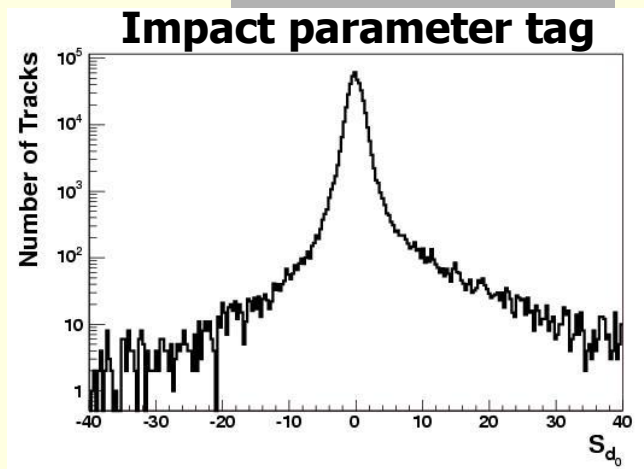
# Summary of Analysis Topics

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- b-tagging jet analysis (Dr. Gopika Sood)
- B-meson production via secondary  $J/\psi$ 's (J.H. Kim)
- Quarkonium production and muon reconstruction (D.H. Moon)
- Gamma-Jet study (G.R. Hahn)
- Jet reconstruction in Heavy Ion data (Prof. I.C. Park)

# b-tagging Jet in Heavy Ion

- Motivation
  - b-tagging jet: CP violation, Higgs search
  - Important for the heavy quark production and quenching in heavy-ion collisions
- Method
  - Large impact parameter due to wider jet shape
  - Probability lifetime tagging method, etc.
- Results
- Dr. G. Sood (Korea Univ.)



Meeting

$$P_{jet} = \Pi \cdot \sum_{j=0}^{N_{tr}-1} \frac{(-\ln \Pi)^j}{j!}, \quad \Pi = \prod_{i=1}^{N_{tr}} P_{tri}$$

# Quarkonium Production

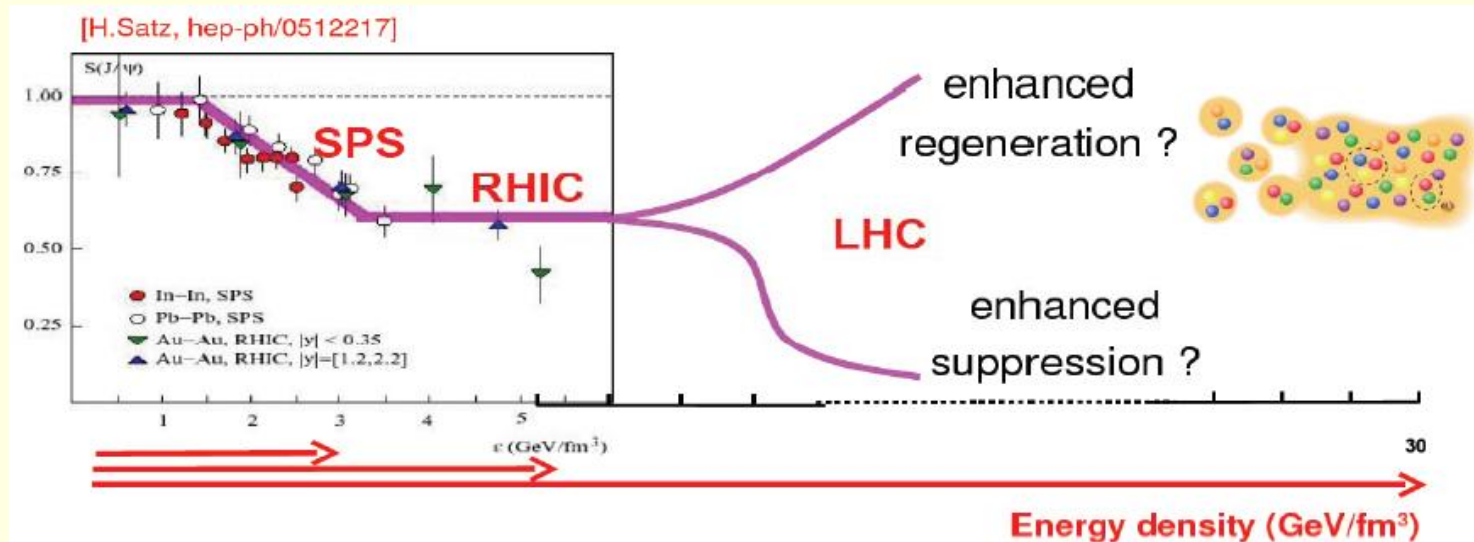
## Motivation

- Quarkonium production (Y and  $J/\psi$  families)
  - Stepwise suppression in QGP?

## Methods

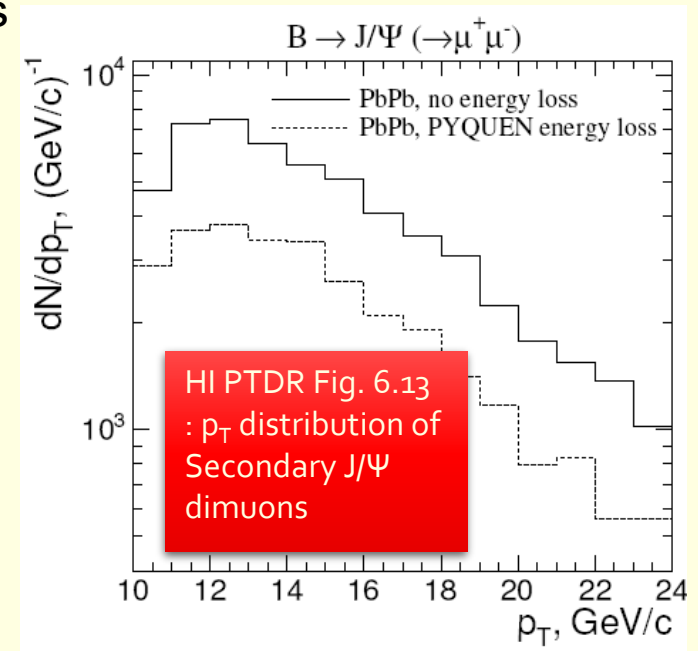
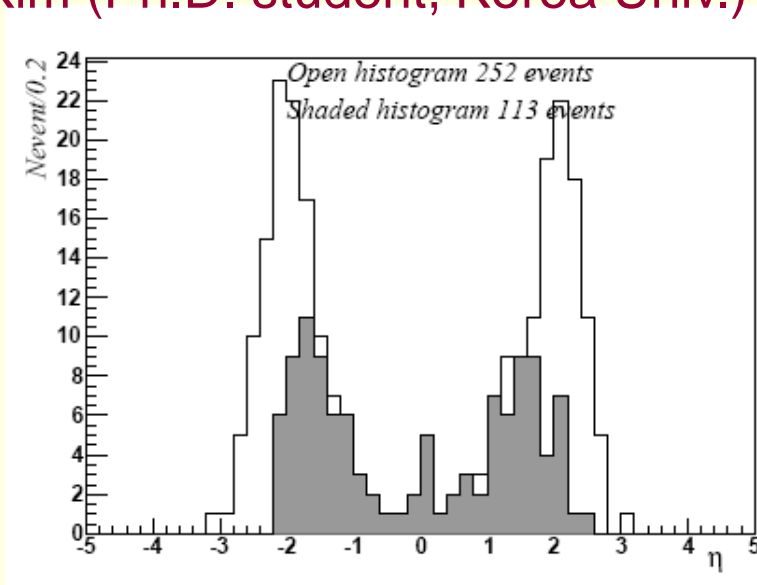
- Effect of the L1/L2/L3 dimuon trigger

■ D.H. Moon (Ph.D. student, Korea Univ.)



# B-meson Production

- Motivation
  - Heavy flavor production and radiative quark energy loss in medium
- Goal
  - B meson reconstruction via secondary  $J/\psi$ 's
  - Measure the yields and  $E/p_T$  spectra
- J.H. Kim (Ph.D. student, Korea Univ.)

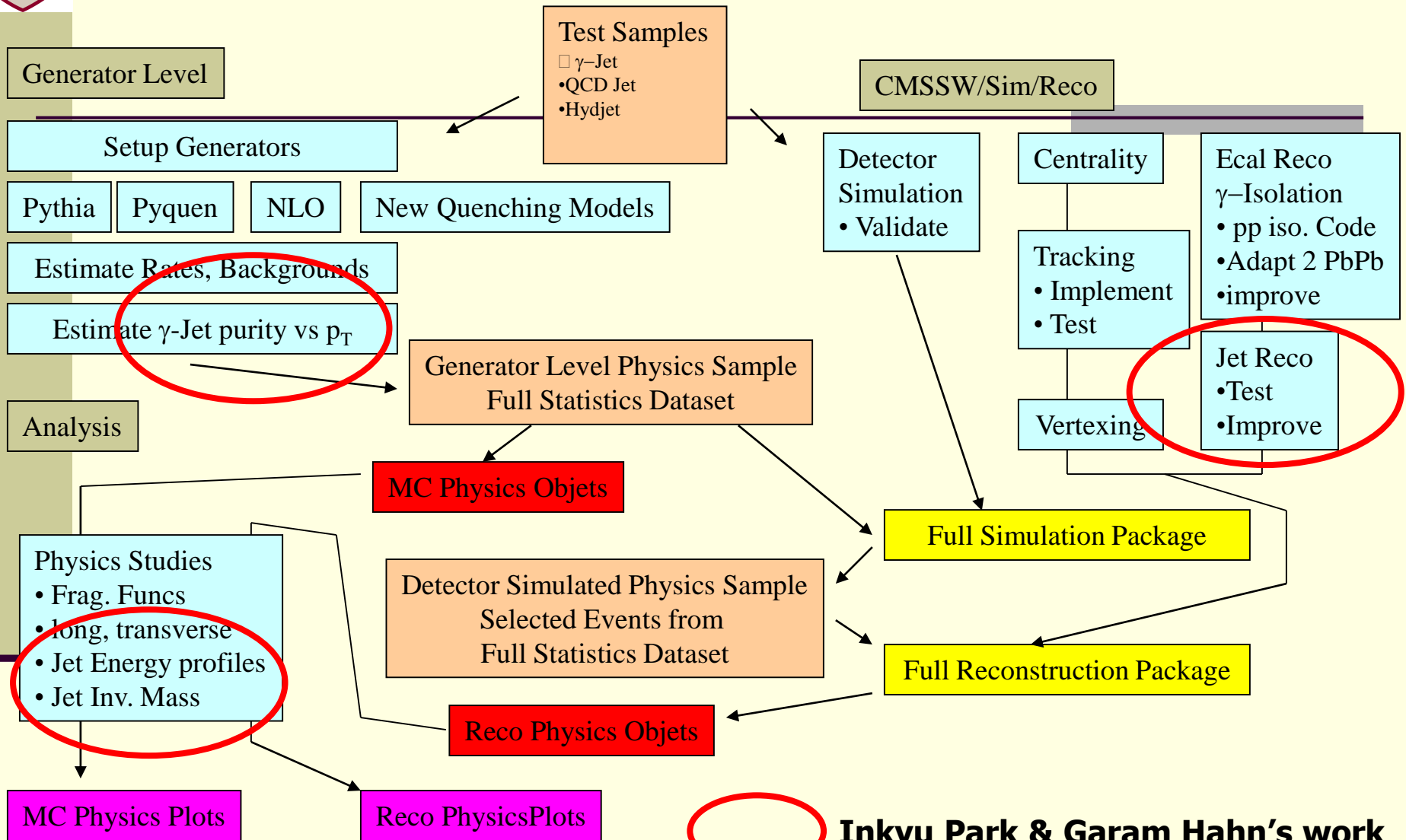




# Gamma-jet Analysis

- Motivation
  - jet quenching found at RHIC
    - Mono jet at LHC?
  - photons will not be influenced by partonic matter
    - Provides the reference of the jet quenching systematics
- Service works
  - Jet algorithm implementation
  - Jet performance benchmark
  - Jet Pt distribution, multiplicity
- Goal
  - Definition of direct photons
  - Reconstruction of jet and gamma-jet events
  - G.R. Hahn and Inkyu Park (Univ. of Seoul)

# Gamma-jet Analysis Flow Chart



# Results so far

Directory: /pnfs/cmsaf.../.. /gammajets/  
Files: pythia, pythia\_mixed, pyquen, pyquen mixed

"Particles"

CreateCaloComp

$\Delta\eta = 0.087$   $\Delta\phi = 0.044$

IterativeCone

R=0.5, Seed=2,5,10  
Th=30

GenCaloJets

CMSSW processed

"CaloJets"

R=0.5, Seed=2, Th=10

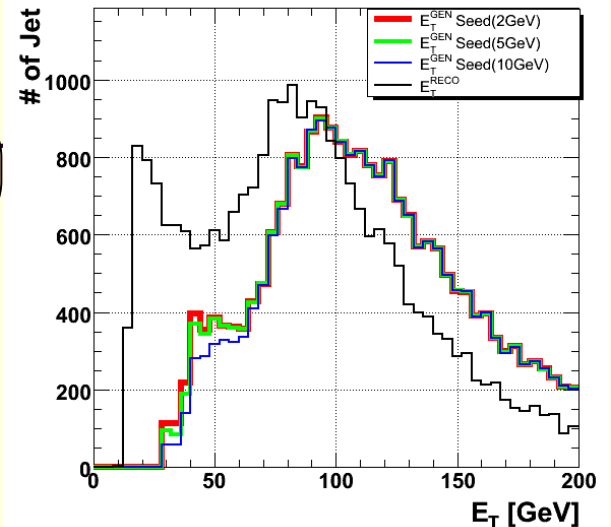
Cut (Th=30)

Matching < 0.2

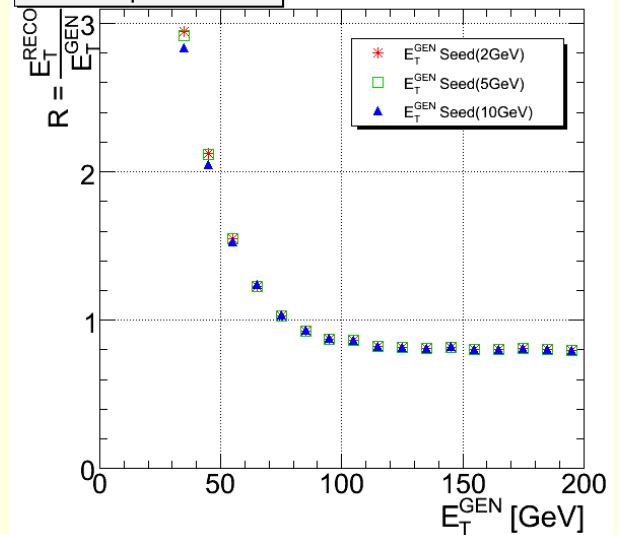
RecCaloJets

Compare

Pythia Et Distribution of Jets



Pythia  $E_T$  Resolution





# Summary

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## (Part I)

Presently, very active research programs are progressing both in relativistic heavy-ion collisions and the detector developments in the nuclear physics group of Korea University.

## (Part II)

Presently, very active analysis programs for heavy-ion collisions and the RPC construction project by Koreans are progressing in CMS.