Particle Therapy MasterClass



















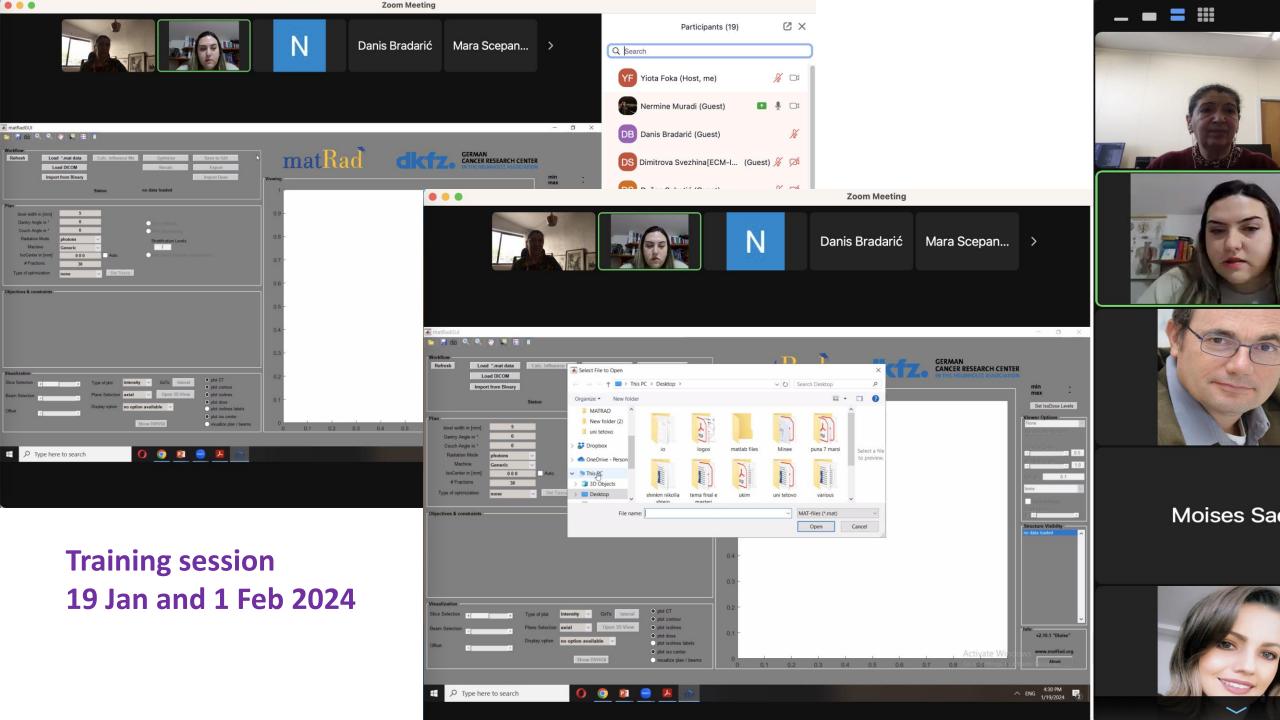
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on behalf of

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Heavy-ion research and heavy-ion therapy

Heavy-ion Physicist, involved with medical applications of heavy-ions for cancer therapy

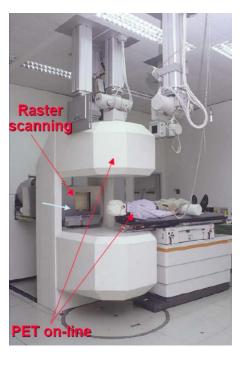
ALICE heavy-ion experiment at CERN





GSI, pioneering heavy-ion cancer therapy





From GSI research laboratory Implemented in the Heidelberg and Marburg Ion Treatment centers in Germany



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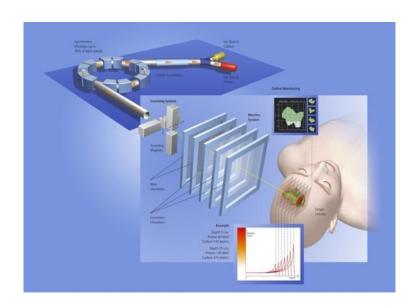
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Heidelberg Ion Therapy HIT centre



Implemented in Heidelberg, Marburg ion therapy centres



PTMC Participants

International MasterClasses https://physicsmasterclasses.org/

Monday 4 March 2024 NORTH MACEDONIA, UNIVERSITY OF TETOVO 2, Skopje SLOVENIA. Paris University of Ljubljana, Faculty of mathematics and physics 3 FRANCE. Institute of Physics of the 2 Infinities / University of Lyon1 ALGERIA, Malek ben Nabi High 4 School, Constantine ALGERIA, Houcine Brahami High School, Constantine GEORGIA. Kutaisi International 6 University, Tbilisi

Participants of online PTMC in IMC2022

PTMC: https://indico.cern.ch/event/840212/



web pages with agendas of every institute with material in different languages, publicly available for future events

Interest of students, motivation of tutors (voluntary work), potential impact









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Hands on Particle Physics Masterclasses

SCHEDULE 2021

At the end of each Masterclass day a videoconference between the institutes and with moderators at CERN, at Fermilab, TRIUMF, KEK, or GSI is established. The schedules for 2021 will be created early in 2021.







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IMC Statistics 2019

Motivate the next generations of scientists!



54 countries255 institutes15 000 students5 weeks in 2019

IMC 2021 : 11.2.2021 - 27.3.2021



Brings scientific methods and real data to schools!

Coordination QuarkNet / TU Dresden

- 51 institutes (48)
- 54 LHC Masterclasses (50)
 - 22 ATLAS (19)
 - 32 CMS (31)

(Incl. TRIUMF program)

12 MINERvA Masterclasses

- 188 institutes (177)
- 266 LHC Masterclasses (257)
 - 30 ATLAS W (35)
 - 101 ATLAS Z (104)
 - 64 CMS (58)
 - 41 LHCb (39)
 - 27 ALICE SP (18)
 - 3 ALICE R_AA (3)





Concept and programme of a PTMC day

Poster: ARIS MAMARAS on PTMC

Scientists for a day !!

Adapted online/zoom due to covid

Every year, mid-February to mid-April school-children (15-19 year old) are invited at/by an institute of their area.

> 2-5 institutes per day performing the same programme

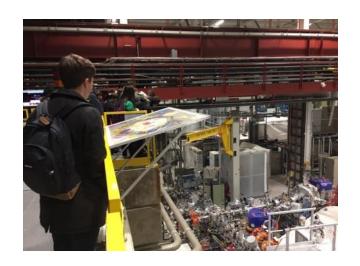
LOCAL TIME: ACTIVITY

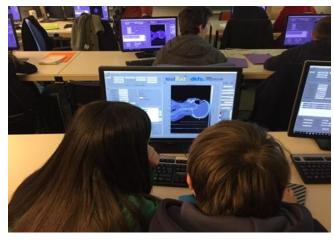
8:30 - 9:00	Registration and Welcome
9:00 - 10:00	Introductory lectures
10:30 - 11:30	Visit of a lab or experiment
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 15:00	Hands-on session
15:00 - 16:00	Discuss results locally
16:00 - 17:00	Common Video Conference

Local: Morning Presentations Local: Afternoon Hands-on

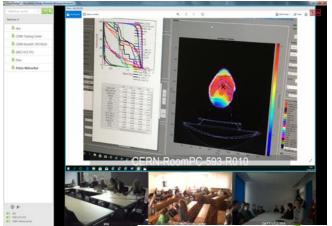


Local: Morning Visits





Common: Afternoon at 16:00 **Video-Conference**

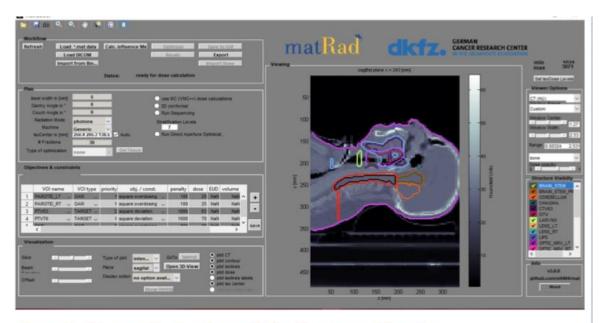




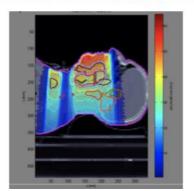


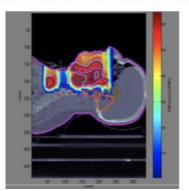
New PTMC and Treatment Planning

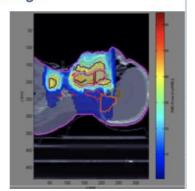
Based on professional open source treatment planning: matRad developed by Heidelberg DKFZ www.matrad.org



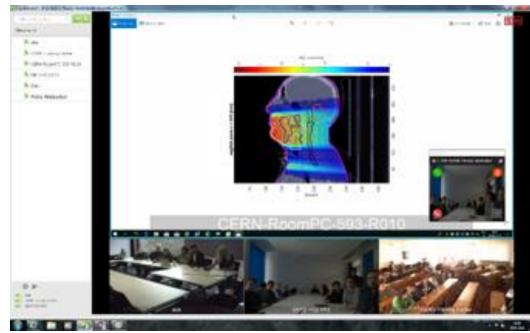
Demo⁴ of the matRad software kit for Treatment Planning.







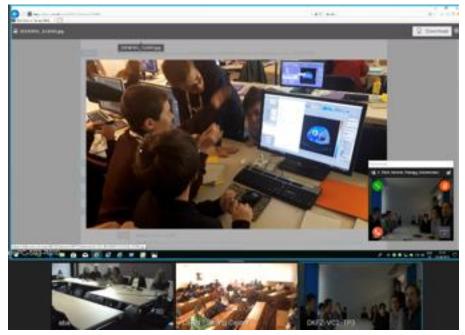
Simplified version for PTMC Using photons, protons and carbon ions







PTMC pilots in 2019



CERN, DKFZ, GSI

Survey: positive results from students

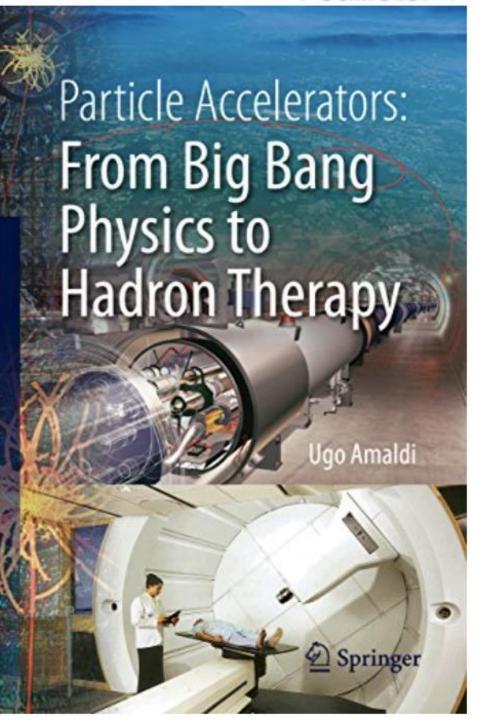
Hope and motivation to contribute to the fight against cancer

- First local test: GSI, 7th February 2019
- First international test: CERN, DKFZ, GSI, 5th April 2019

Participation of CURIEosity Team from Crete, Greece







How is physics related to medicine?

What is particle therapy?

How one can use particles for cancer treatment?

Accelerators for research and accelerators for cancer treatment

One of the aims of PTMC: address such questions

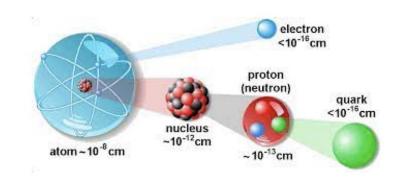


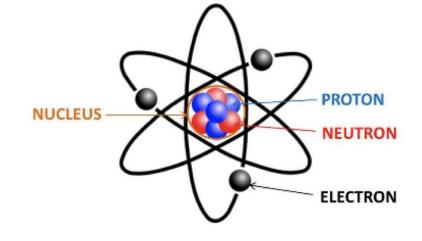


Accelerators: our key to the subatomic world

Where do we find the particles?

Inside the atoms!





We can use electrons (very light) or protons (1836 times heavier).

Particle accelerators are our door to access the subatomic dimension... and exploit the atom and its components



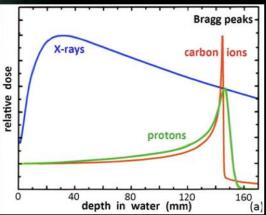


Accelerators: can precisely deliver energy

A «beam» of accelerated particles is like a small "knife" penetrating into the matter

Particles can penetrate in depth (different from lasers!). Particle beams are used in medical and industrial applications,

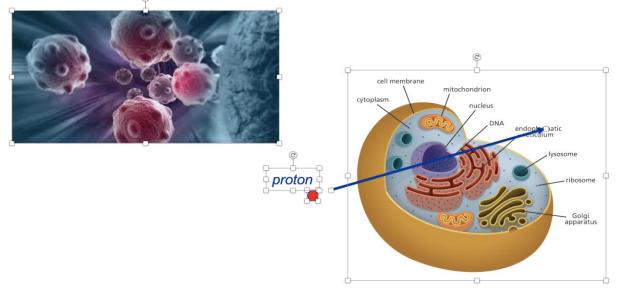
A particle beam can deliver energy to a very precisely defined area, interacting with the electrons and with the nucleus.

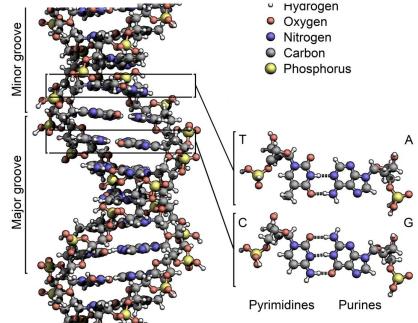


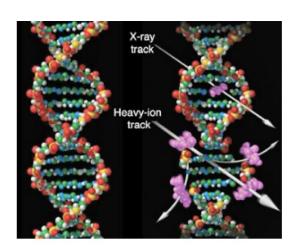
e.g. to cure cancer, delivering their energy at a well-defined depth inside the body (Bragg peak)



A particle beam can break the DNA and kill a cell



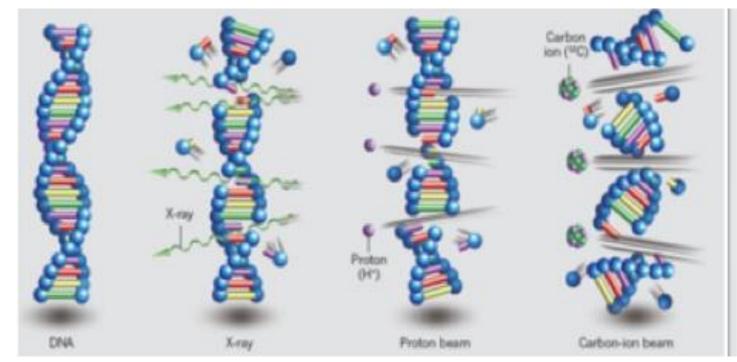




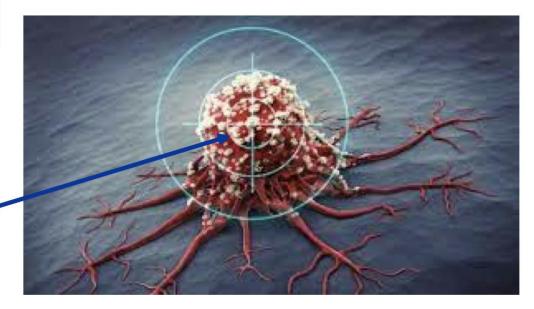




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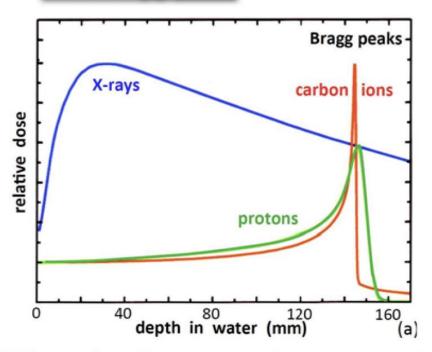
And if the cells has the cancer? Killed!





Hadron therapy with protons or ions

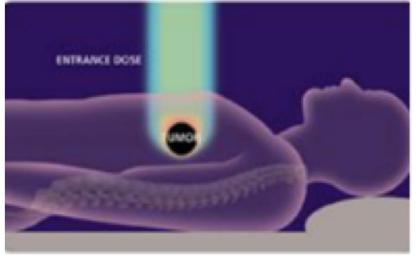
The Bragg peak



Different from X-rays or electrons, protons (and ions) deposit their energy at a given depth inside the tissues, minimising dose to the organs close to the tumour, sparing nearby organs.

Required energy for full-body penetration: 230 MeV protons, 450 MeV/u C-ions.





22,000 patients/year (2018) treated with particle beams, 25,000,000 patients/year with X-rays.





Accelerator and Society

Over 30'000 particle accelerators are in operation world-wide.

Only ~1% are used for fundamental research.

Medicine is the largest application with more than 1/3 of all accelerators.

Research		6%	
	Particle Physics	0,5%	
	Nuclear Physics, solid state, materials	0,2 - 0,9%	
	Biology	5%	
Medical Applications		35%	
	Diagnostics/treatment with X-ray or electrons	33%	
	Radio-isotope production	2%	
	Proton or ion treatment	0,1%	
Industrial Applications		<60%	
	Ion implantation	34%	
	Cutting and welding with electron beams	16%	
	Polymerization	7%	
	Neutron testing	3.5%	
	Non destructive testing	2,3%	
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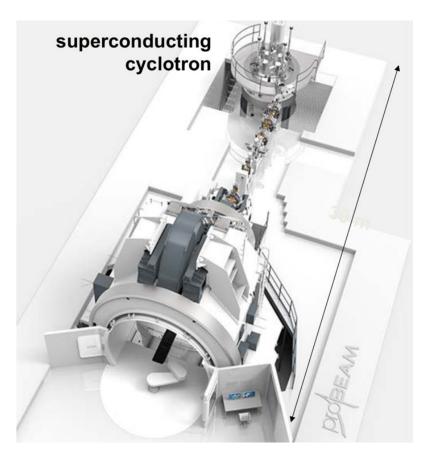


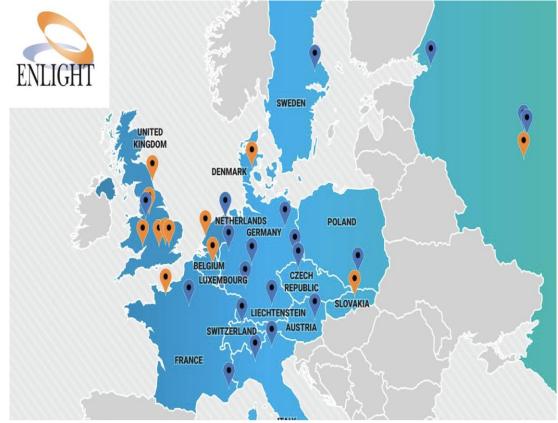
Accelerators for health

Conventional x-ray Radiotherapy

Particle/Hadron Therapy with protons Hadron Therapy centers in Europe (2018)









Four carbon-ion cancer therapy centers in Europe

MedAustron, Austria





HIT, Germany



MIT, Germany

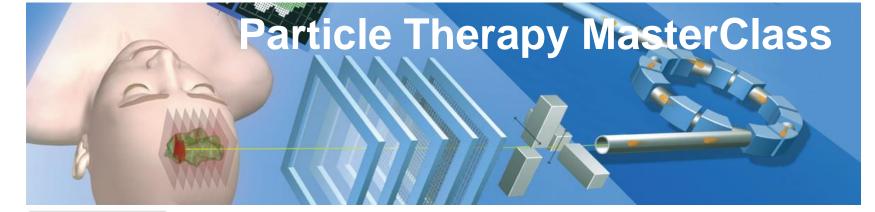












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Particle Therapy Masterclass

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Presentation of Particle physics to medical applications

dkfz.

Particle physics to medical applications



Manjit Dosanjh, CERN

Introductory presentation in Greek



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From discovery through scient

CERN is the world's largest laboratory for particle physics. At CERN, physicists and engineers of more than 100 nationalities study the building blocks of matter and the forces that hold them together. They use the world's largest and most complex scientific instruments: accelerators, particle detectors and high-performance computing.

When CERN was founded, in 1954, the structure of matter was a mystery. Today, we know that all visible matter in the Universe is composed of a remarkably small number of particles, whose behaviour is governed by four distinct forces. CERN has played a vital role in reaching this understanding.

Hadron Collider (LINO), is metres below ground. It that the Higgs boscolong sough mechanism that particles. Beyond Co. accelerator, the Lot diverse scientific some of the many remarkabout the universe.

Panel 2: From discovery through science...To benefits for society



HITRIplus Aims

Main aims:

- (a) transnational access,
- (b) new developments for the future SEEIIST facility and upgrades of the existing ones
- (a) networking, training and education (capacity building)



HITRIplus EU-funded project

Large consortium of research infrastructures including CERN and GSI, plus universities, industry, all four existing European heavy-ion therapy centres, and the future research infrastructure SEEIIST (South-East Europe International Institute for Sustainable Technologies)





HITRIplus Open Access: Transnational Access TNA

The *Clinical Access* gives the opportunity to clinicians/medical physicists/technicians referring patients to the hadrontherapy facilities to personally follow patient's treatment and follow up.

The **Research Access** will attract universities, research centres, and hospitals, which will connect all the groups to perform research activities with carbon ion beams. Industrial partners are also encouraged to take part in the research programme, to be involved in the development of new clinical procedures and new medical devices.



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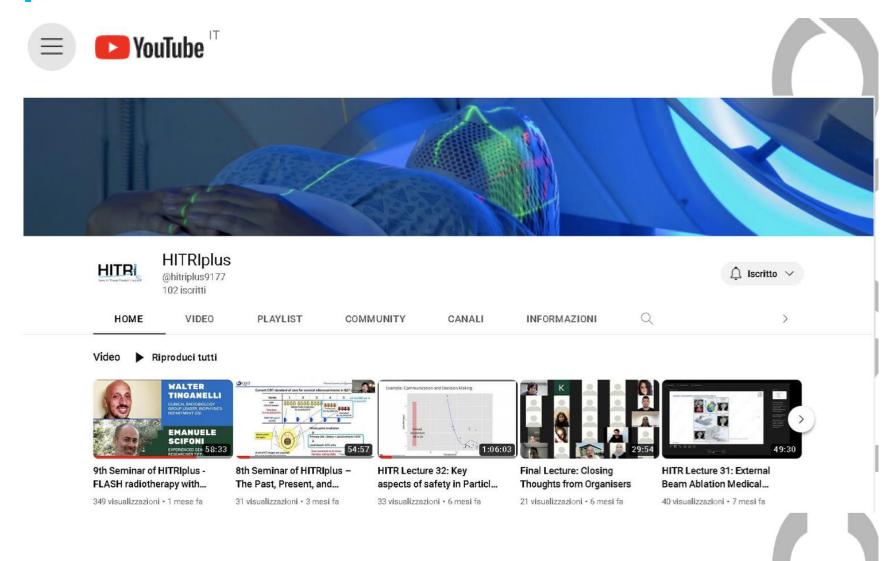
FORMS for TNA Access

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HITRIplus Educational Material in YouTube Channel









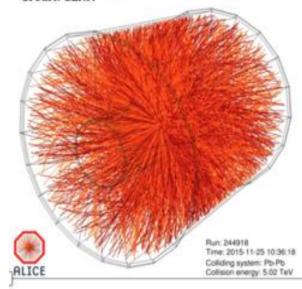
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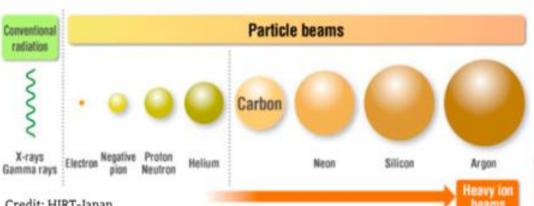
Pb-Pb at 5.5 TeV pp at 14 TeV

fundamental science **QGP** studies

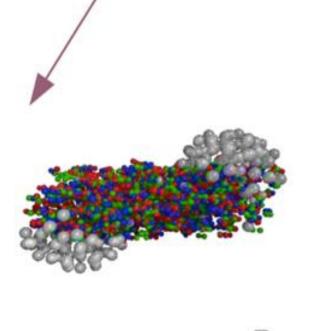


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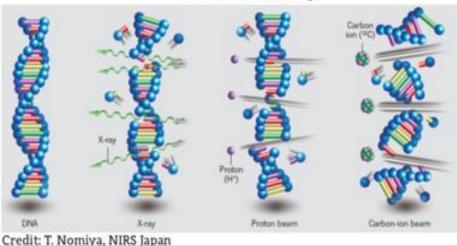


88-430 MeV/u carbon 50-221 MeV/u protons

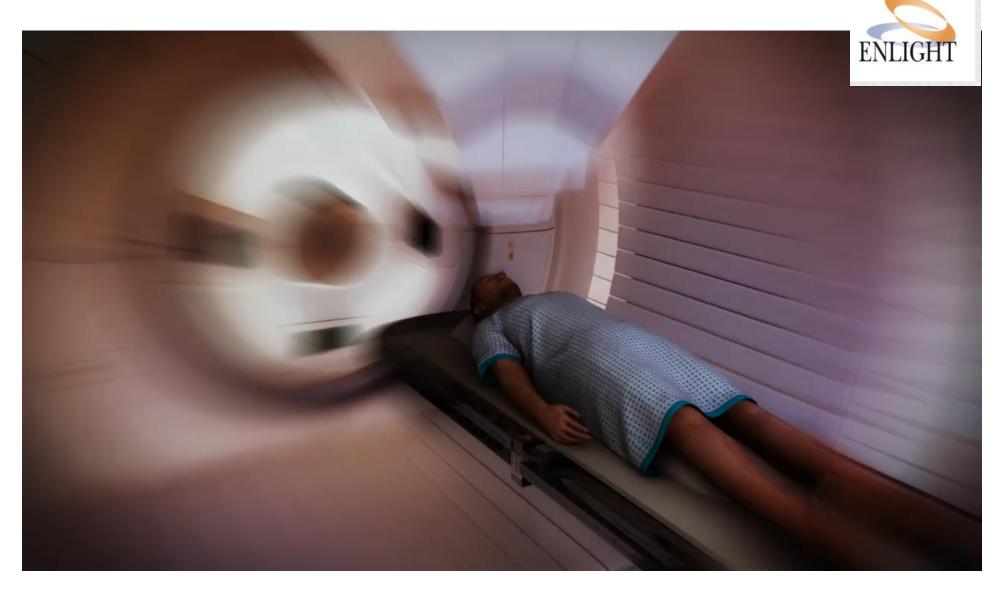
applied science medicine



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