

Astroparticle Physics

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- Introduction: Some historical facts, general problematic
- Cosmic Rays from space and balloons
- (Very) High Energy Gamma ray astronomy
- Ultra High Energy Cosmic Rays
- High Energy Neutrinos
- (Gravitational Waves)
- ~~Direct Dark Matter Searches~~
- Future prospects and conclusion

Some historical facts

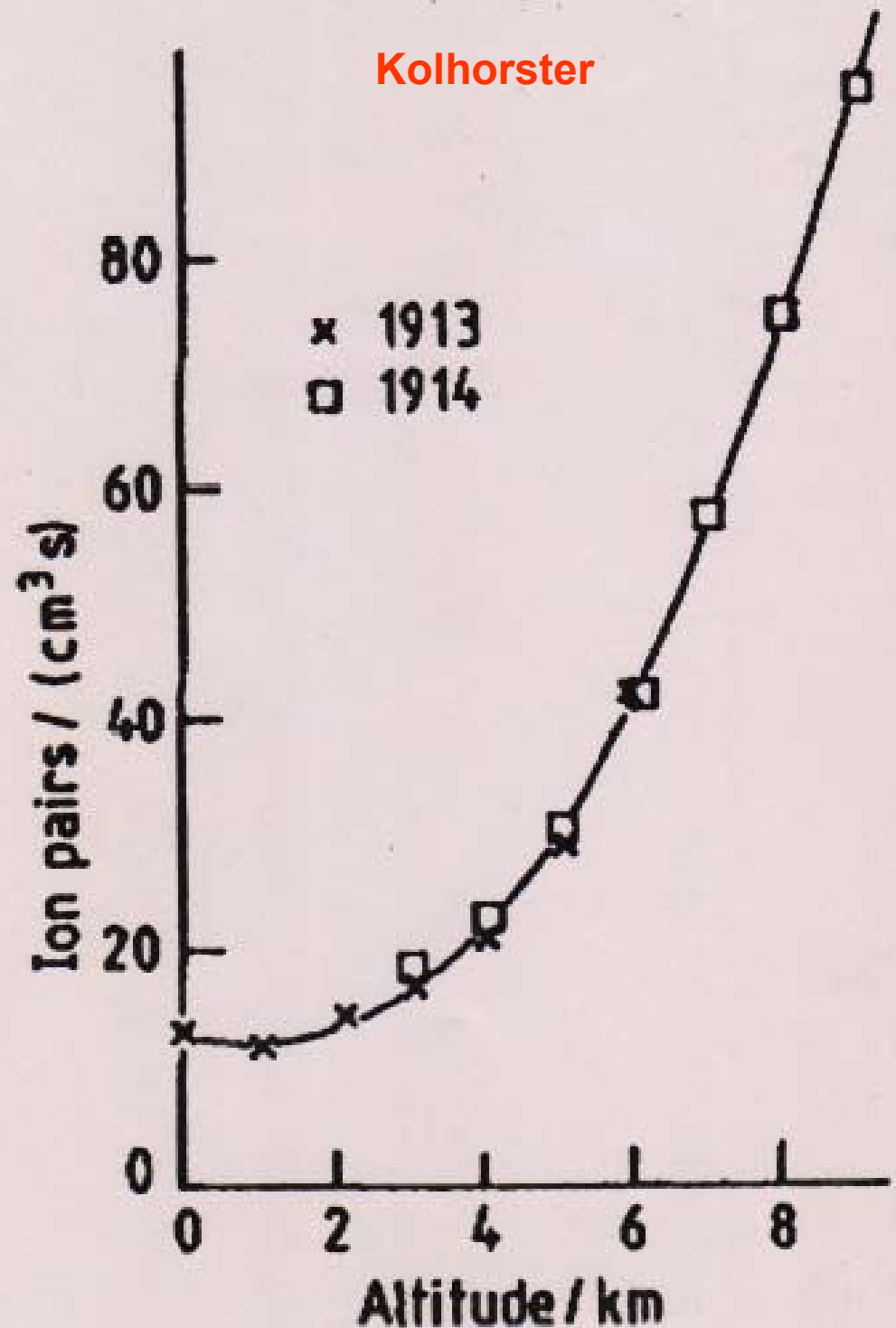
The Cosmic Ray Mystery



1912 : Discovery by Victor HESS (Nobel Prize 1936 with Anderson)

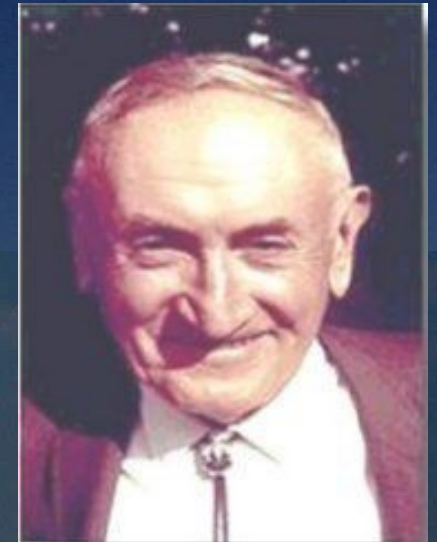
□ 1913-1814: Werner Kolhörster repeats and confirms findings of Victor Hess \Rightarrow 9 km

□ 1928-1929: uses Geiger counters: \Rightarrow Charged cosmic rays are most probably charged (Science, 1930)



Some major dates – con't

- ❑ 1934 : Supernovas proposed as putative sources of CRs. (Baade & Zwicky)
- ❑ 1938: Neutron star collapse can be used as cosmological standard candle \Rightarrow cosmology



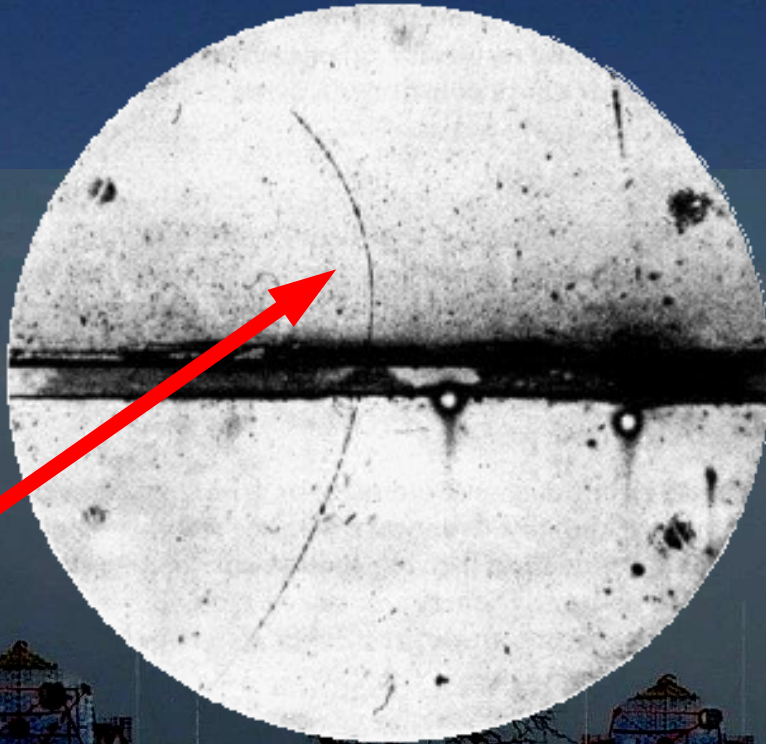
ON SUPER-NOVAE

BY W. BAADE AND F. ZWICKY

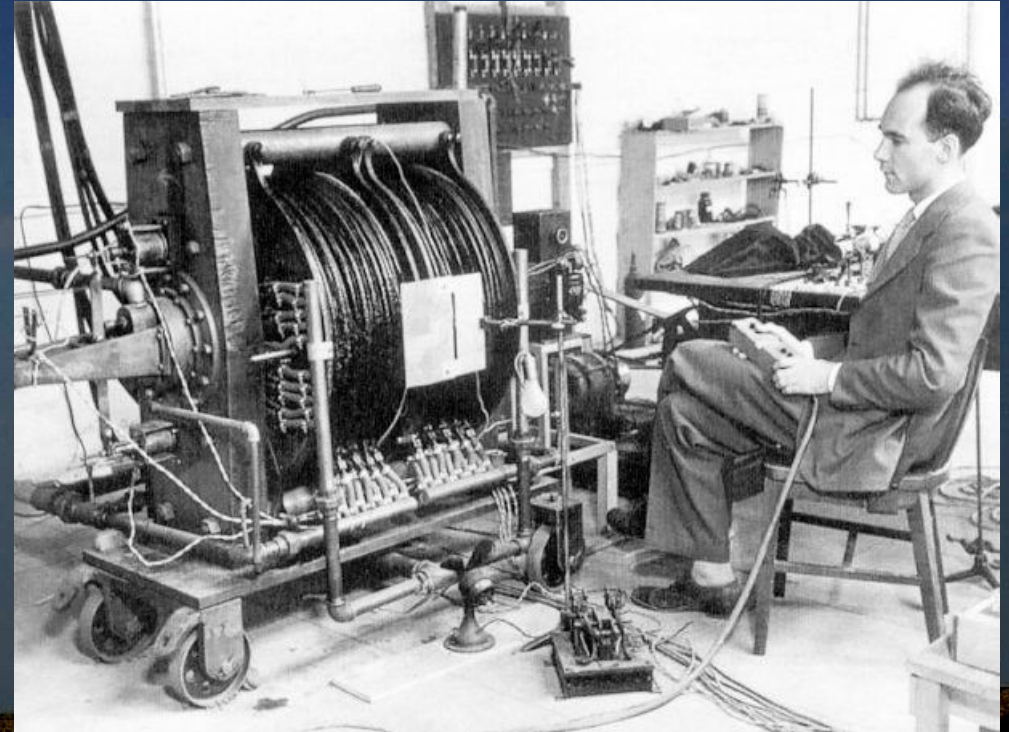
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Communicated March 19, 1934

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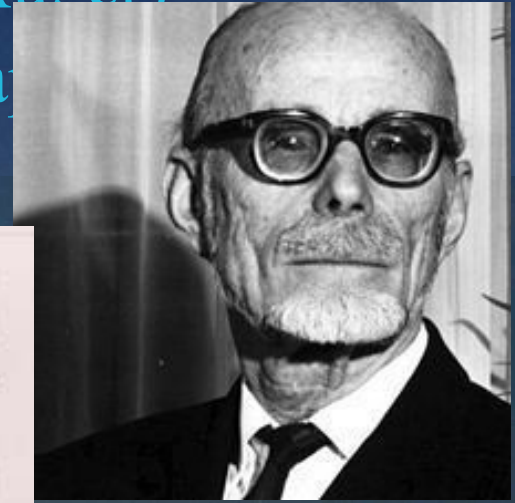
First positron
Anderson, Phys. Rev. (1933)



- 1933: Discovery of positron (e^+) in the cosmic rays
- \Rightarrow Strong relation with particle physics (μ^\pm (1936), π^\pm (1947), Strange particles (1947), ...)

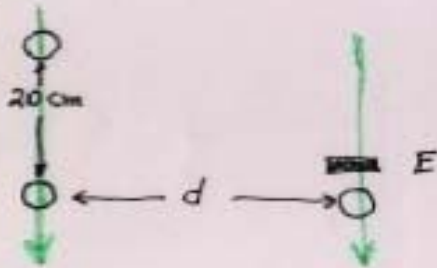
Discovery of giant showers

- 1939 : Discovery of giant showers (Pierre Auger) using coincidence between detectors 50 m apart
- Up to 10^{15} eV (at least) !!



PHYSIQUE NUCLÉAIRE. — *Les grandes gerbes cosmiques de l'atmosphère.*
 Note (1) de MM. **PIERRE AUGER** et **ROLAND MAZE**, présentée par M. Jean Perrin.

1. Nous avons montré (2) l'existence de gerbes de rayons cosmiques produites dans l'atmosphère et dont l'extension horizontale dépasse plusieurs mètres. Nous avons pu étendre la distance de plusieurs dizaines de mètres et nous avons observé des corpuscules de très haute énergie dans



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	$E = 0,2$.	5.
2^m	1,7	0,86
5^m	1,4	0,7
20^m	0,9	0,4

JULY-OCTOBER, 1939

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Extensive Cosmic-Ray Showers

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 Paris, France

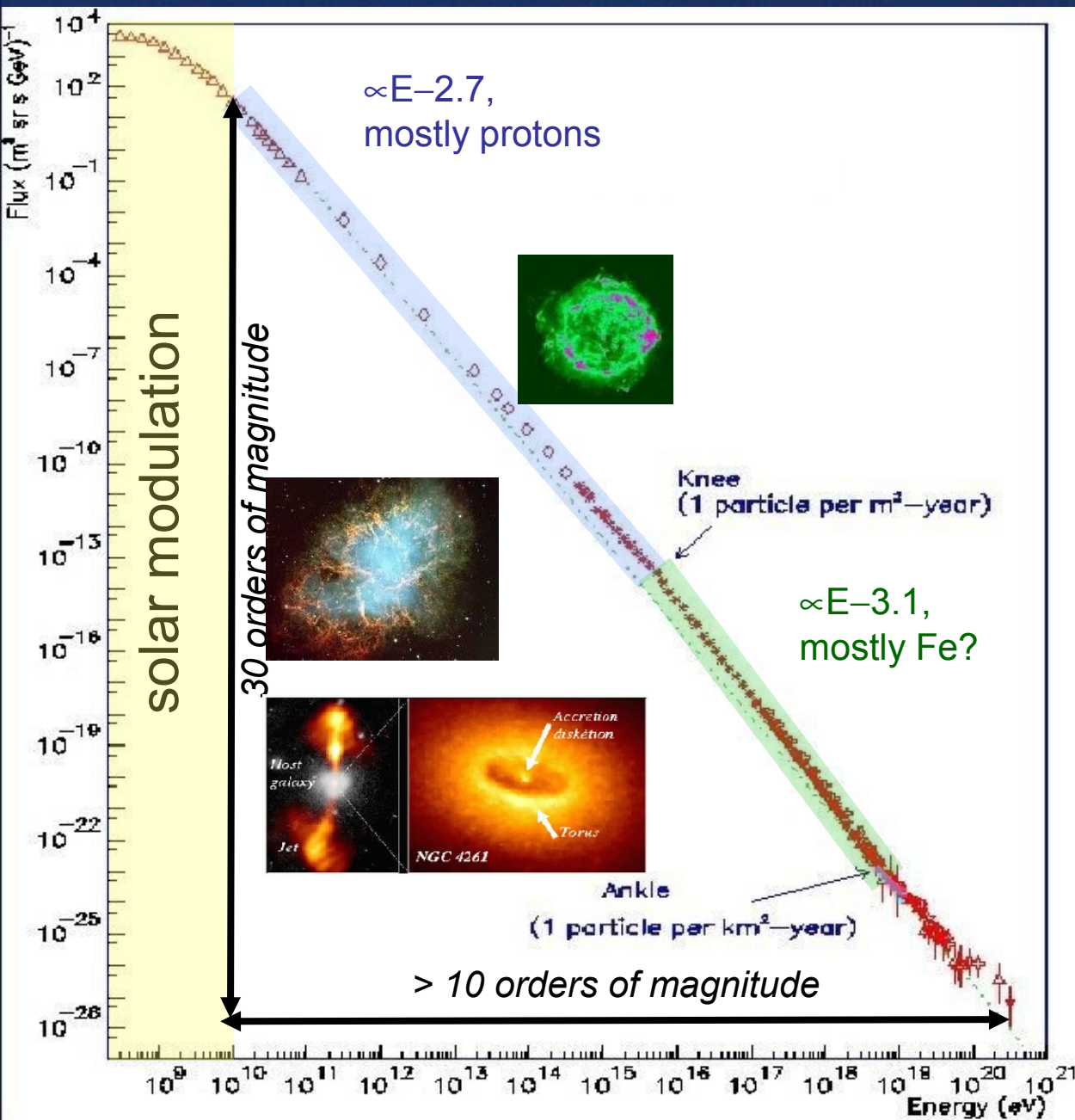
CONCLUSION

One of the consequences of the extension of the energy spectrum of cosmic rays up to 10^{15} eV is that it is actually impossible to imagine a single process able to give to a particle such an energy. It seems much more likely that the charged particles which constitute the primary cosmic radiation acquire their energy along electric fields of a very great extension.



Cosmic Ray Conference University of Chicago July 1939

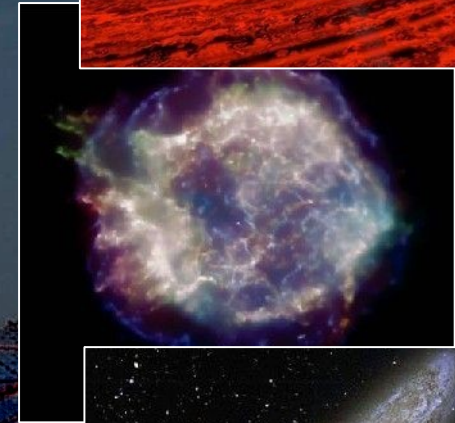
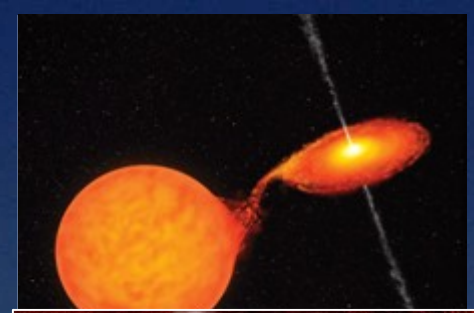
Cosmic Ray Spectrum



- ❑ One wonder of physics
- ❑ 12 orders of magnitude in energy, 32 orders in flux
⇒ various detection techniques
- ❑ Very low spectra at high energy ⇒ huge area needed (>1000 km_2)
- ❑ Sources unknown
- ❑ Isotropic (above 10 GeV)

Open questions

- ❑ What the sources of cosmic rays?
- ❑ What are the acceleration mechanisms, what are the accelerated particles?
- ❑ Is there new physics in there? (Dark Matter, ...)
- ❑ How do high energy particles propagate in Universe ?
What can we learn from the propagation ?
- ❑ Link with cosmology: large structure formation,
tomography of Universe



The main problematic

(Photon) Energy distribution in Universe

Photon Energy Distribution

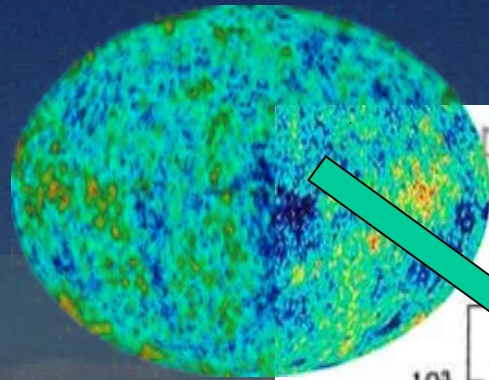
- CMB 3K
- Galaxies (Star light and dust)
- Compact objects (X)

Emitting Power

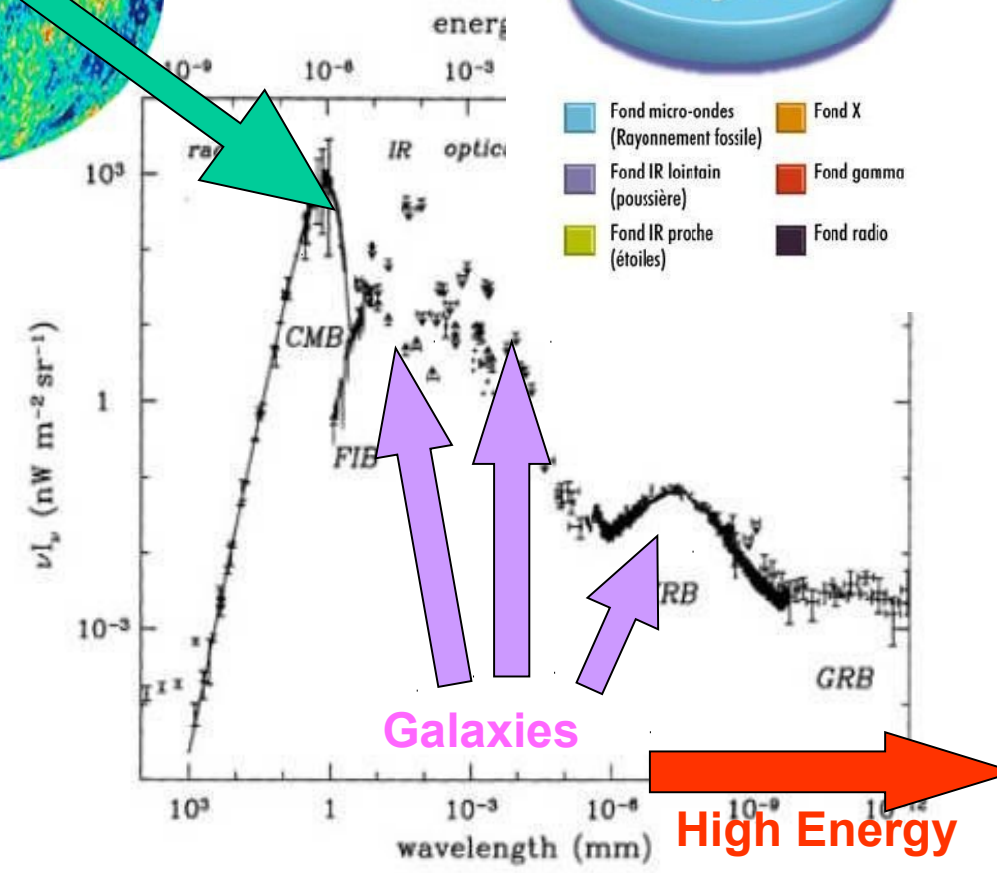
- $P = \sigma \times T^4 \times R^2$ (Stefan)
 - ⇒ Same power emitted by an object 10 × hotter and 100 × smaller
- X-Rays (10 keV): ~ 1km (Neutron Star) ⇔ Sun
- VHE (1 GeV): 0.2 nm ⇔ Sun

⇒ VHE Universe is Non-Thermal

Astroparticle will mainly concern non-thermal Universe



D Scott (1999)



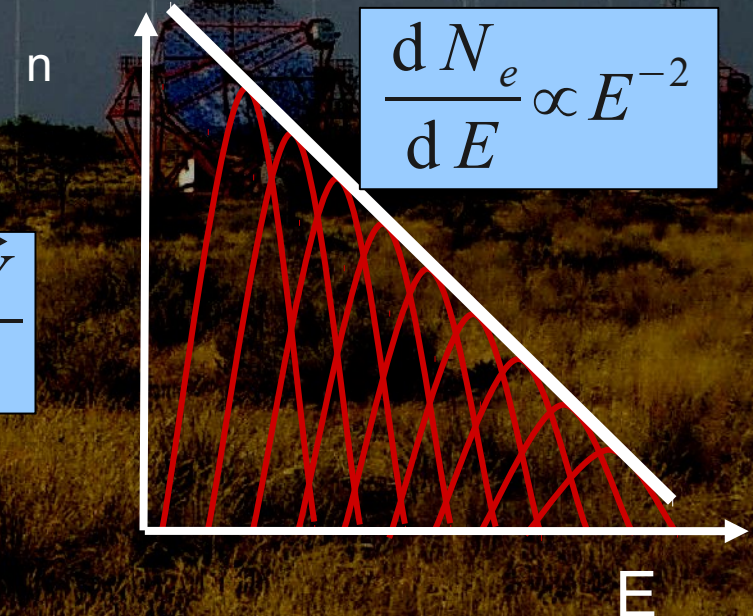
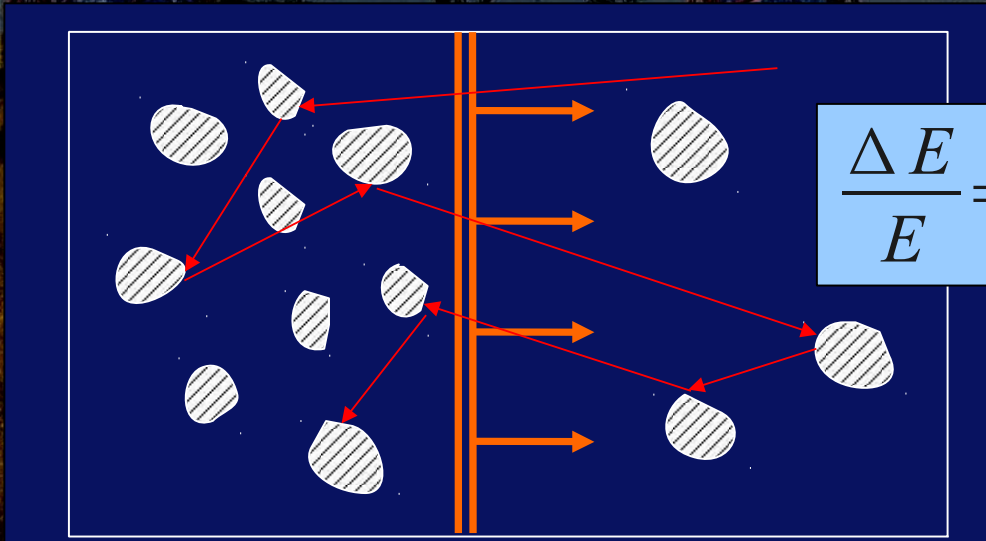
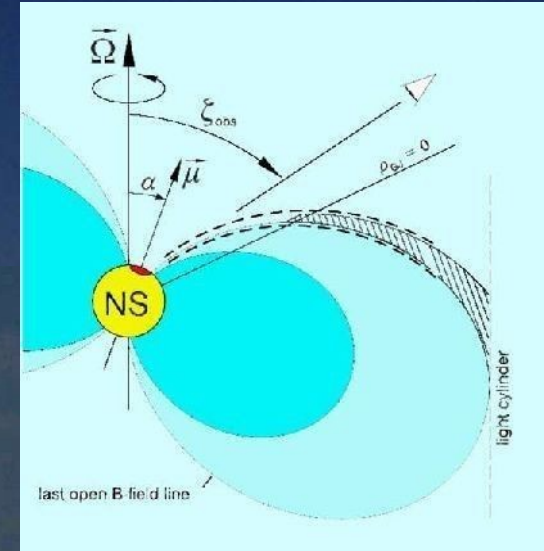
Particle Acceleration

Intense electromagnetic fields:
pulsars (magnetized compact stars in fast rotation)

~ dynamo effect, $V \sim 10^{12}$ V

Astrophysical shocks: « ping-pong » particle accelerated at each shock crossing, retro diffused by B (First order Fermi)

Diffusive acceleration



Maximum Energy

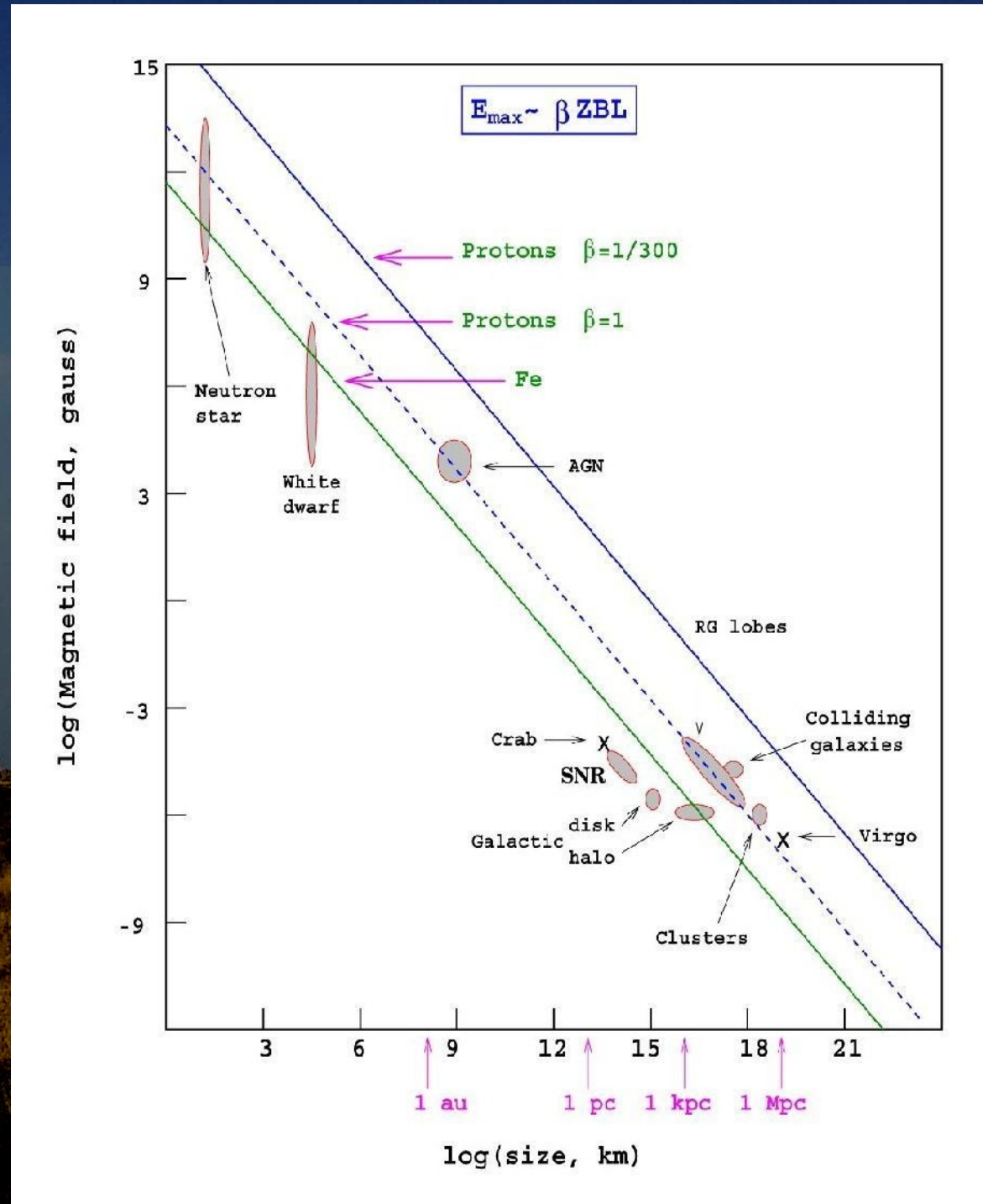
- Max energy limited by confinement size
- Larmor Radius

$$R_L = \frac{P}{qB} \approx \frac{E}{qBc}$$

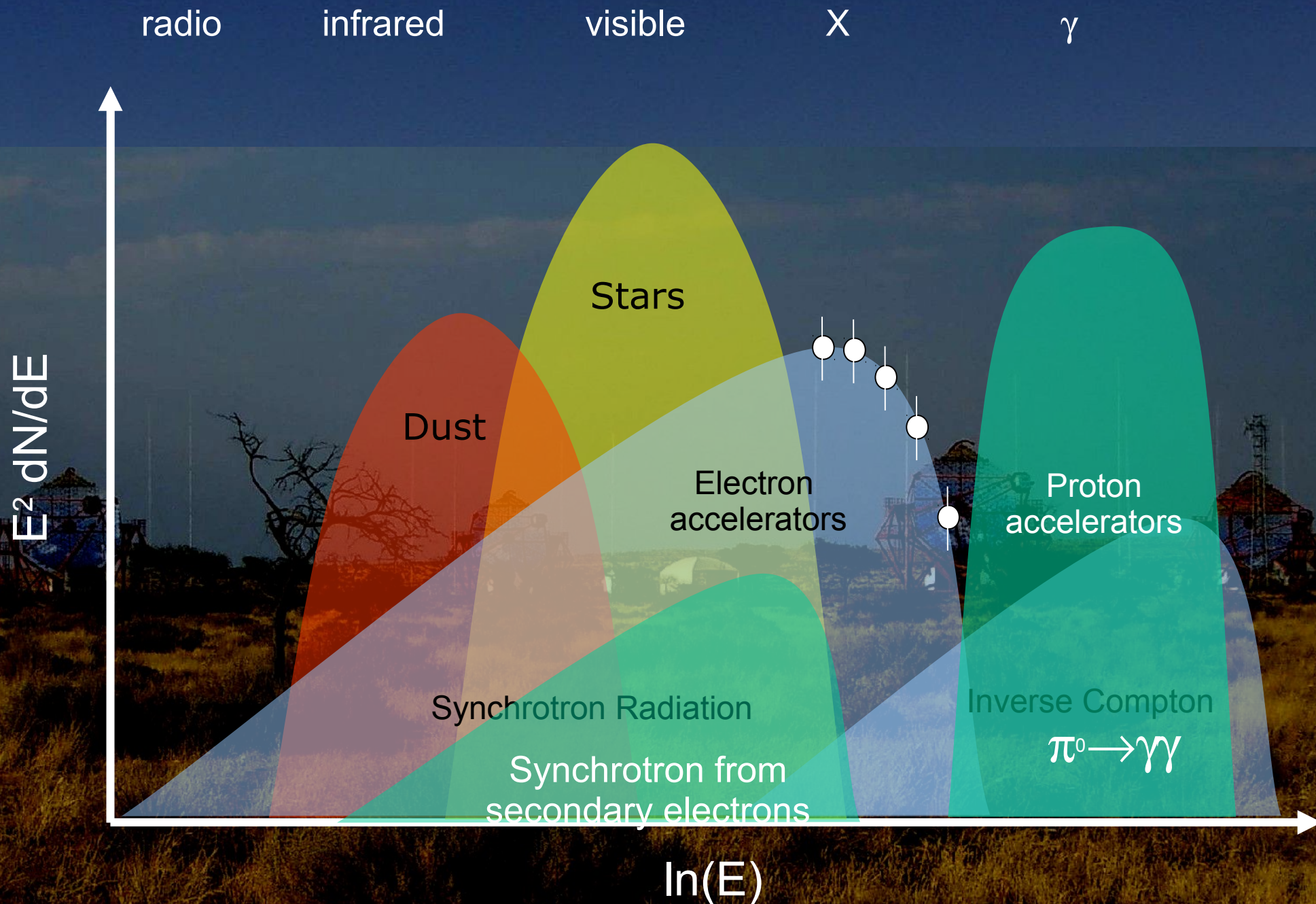
- Confinement: source size $> R_L$

$$E_{max} \approx qBcR$$

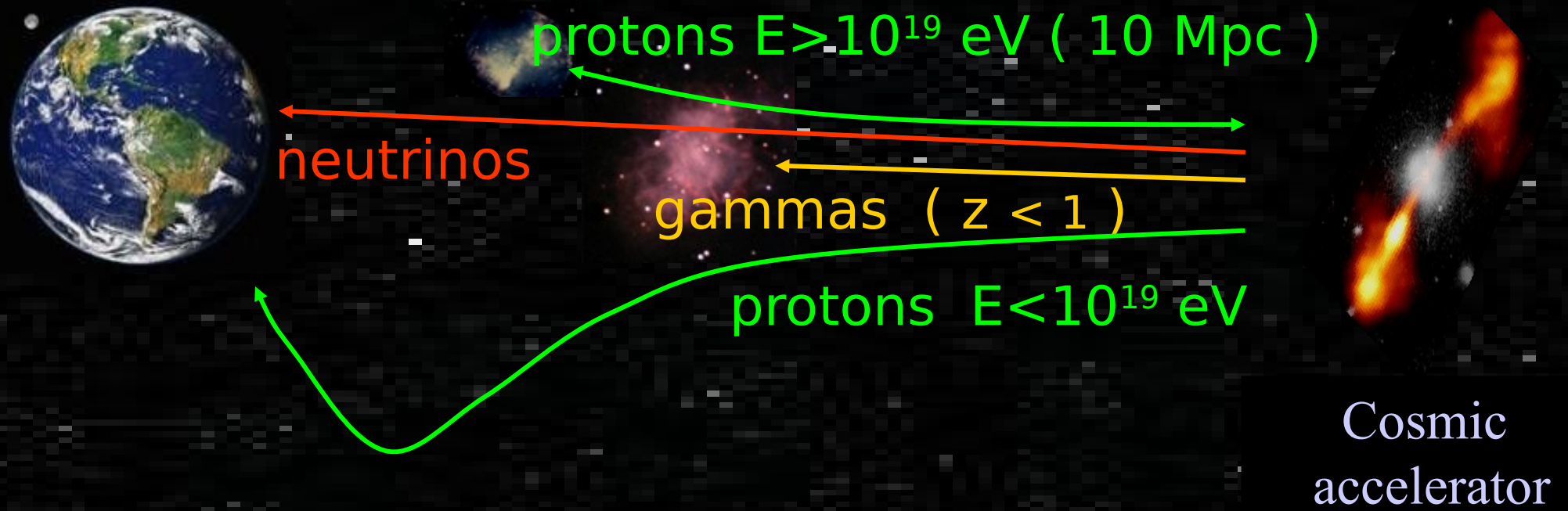
- Line of slope -1 in $\log(R) - \log(B)$ (Hillas Criteria)



Multi-wavelength aspects



Multi-messenger observations of the Cosmos



- **photons:** Absorbed by dust and radiation (pair creation on CMB)
- **protons/nuclei:** Deviated by B field, absorbed by CMB (GZK effect)
- **neutrinos:** Difficult to detect

⇒ **Three “astronomies” possible...**

GZK cutoff

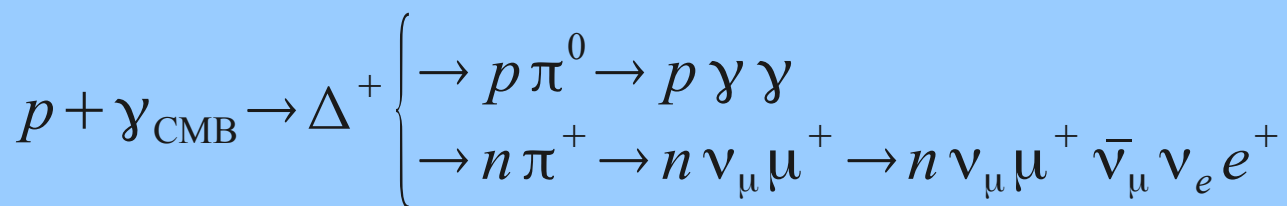
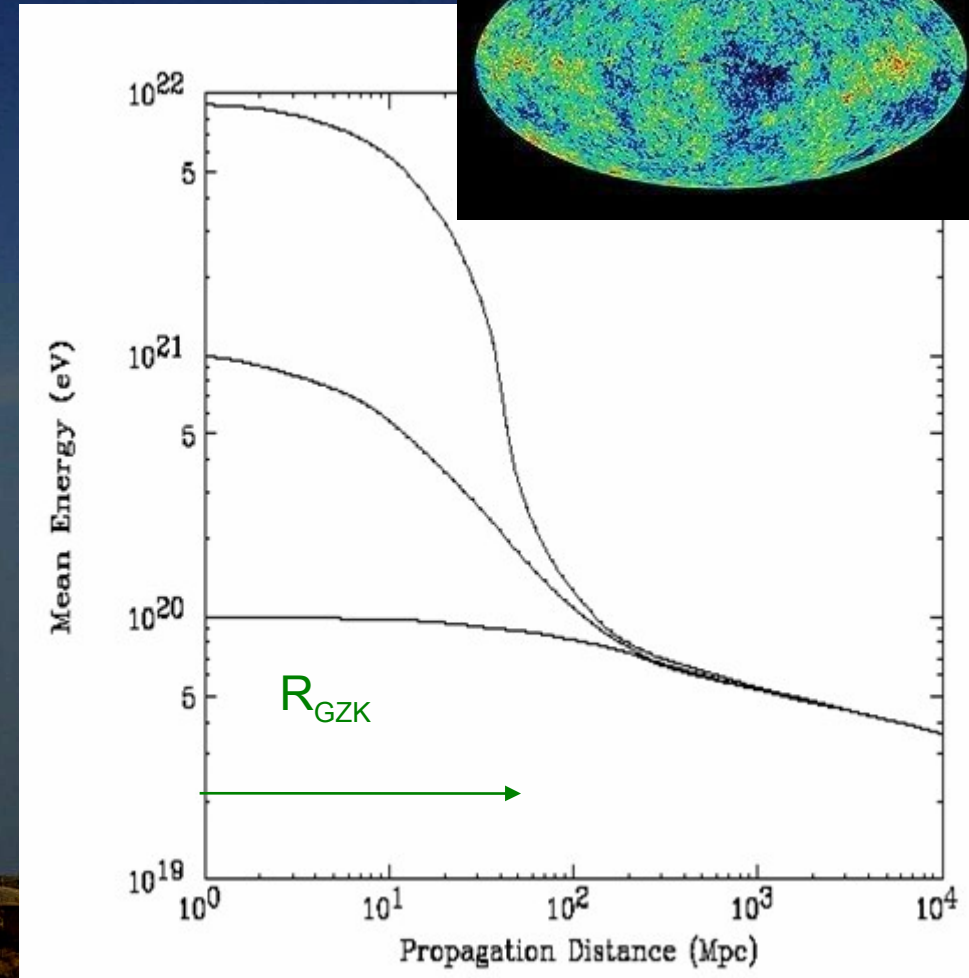
□ 1965: discovery of cosmological background by Penzias & Wilson (CMB)

$T^\circ = 6 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ eV}$ (2.7 Kelvin),

$N = 400 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

□ Interaction of nuclei with CMB photons \Rightarrow effet GZK (Greisen, Zatsepin et Kuzmin) (1965)
particle degraded to lower energies:

10^{22} down to 10^{20} after 100 Mpc



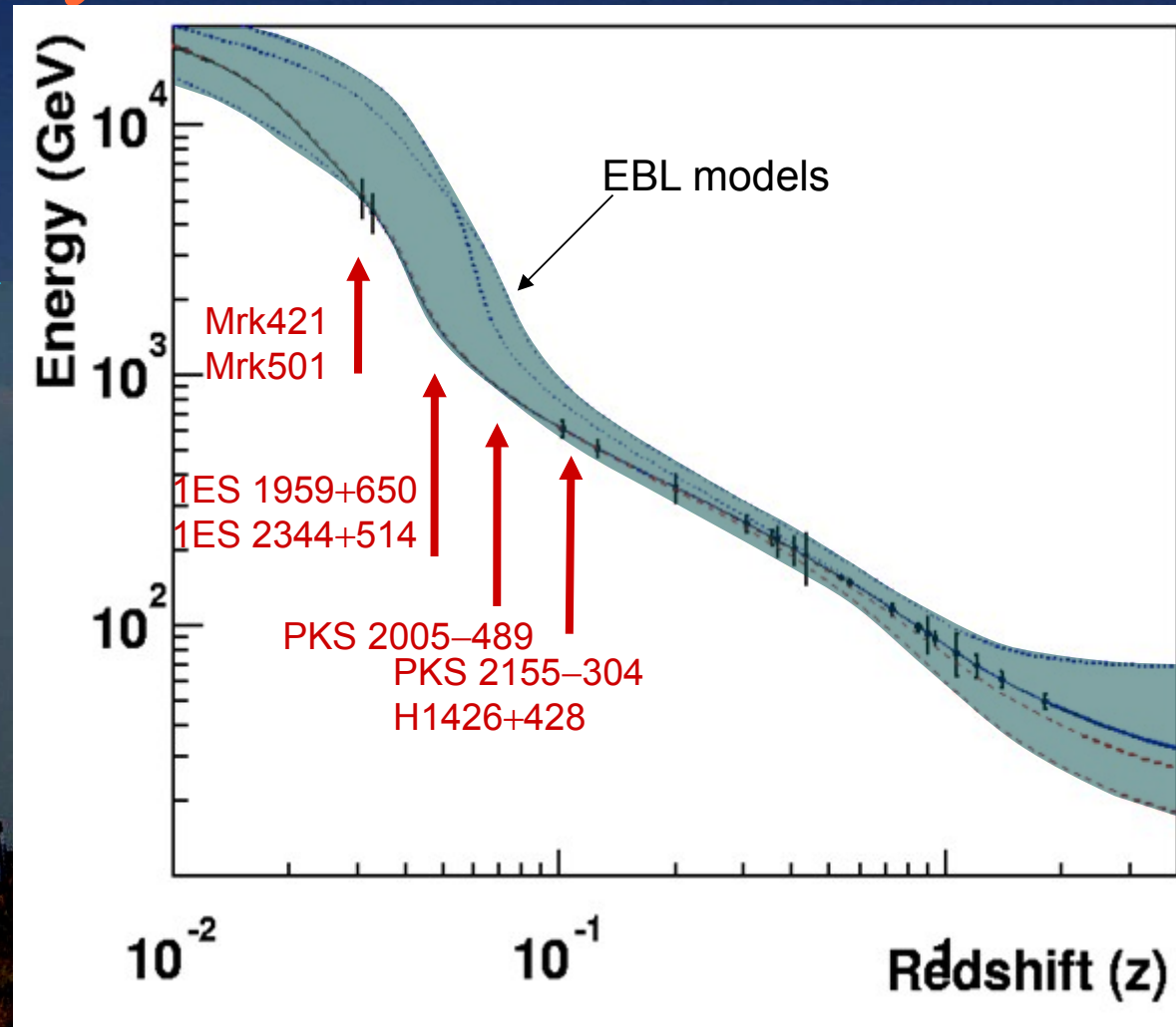
γ - ray Horizon

- ☐ γ -rays absorbed by pair creation on infrared background:



- ☐ Limits the size of observable Universe:

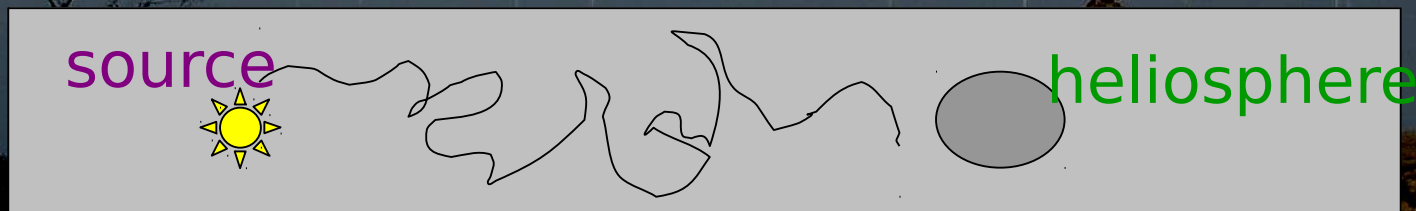
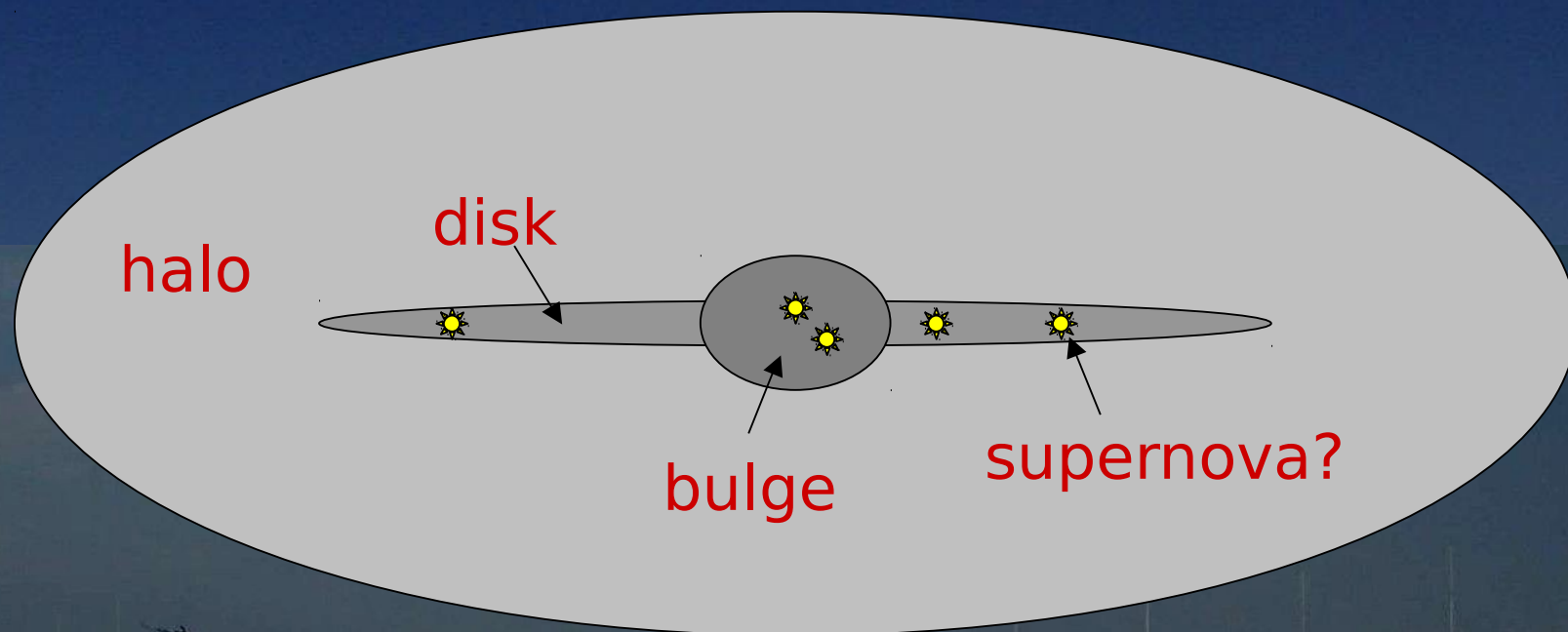
- ☐ $z < 0.1$ @ 500 GeV
- ☐ $z < 0.01$ @ 2 TeV



- ☐ Indirect measurement of dust & star background through tomography (energy spectrum vs distance)
⇒ link with cosmology

Propagation in Galaxy

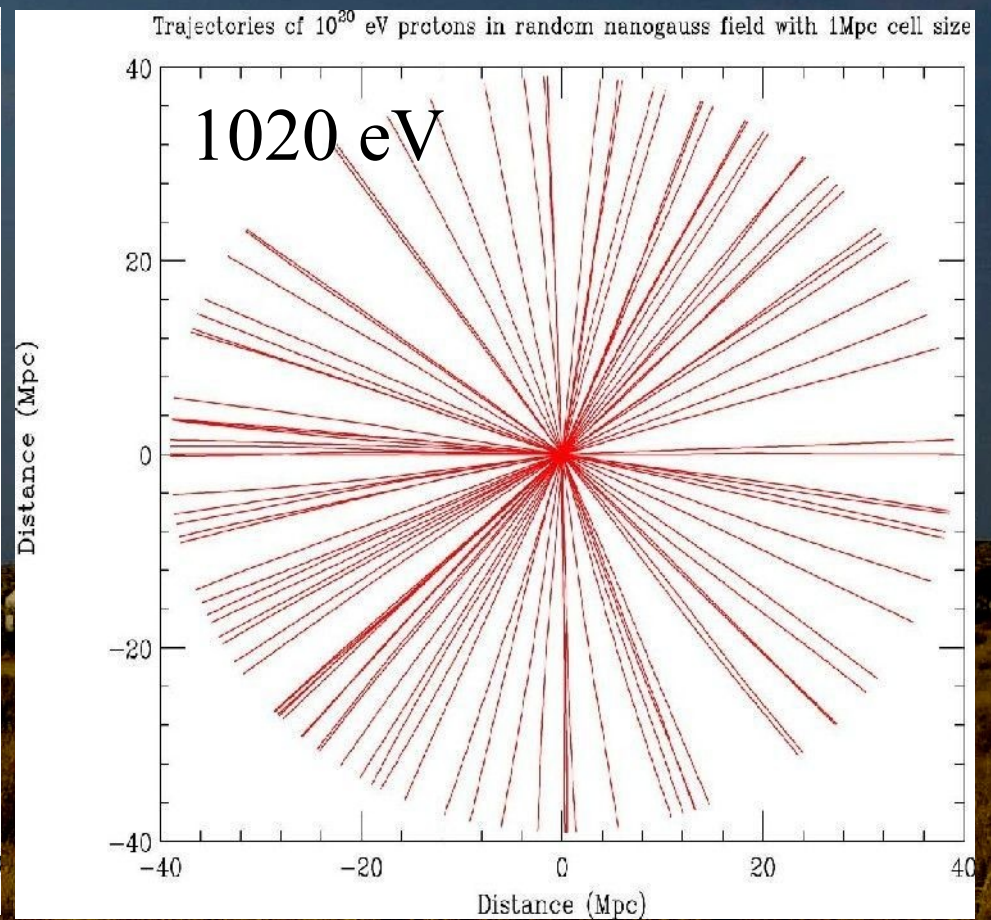
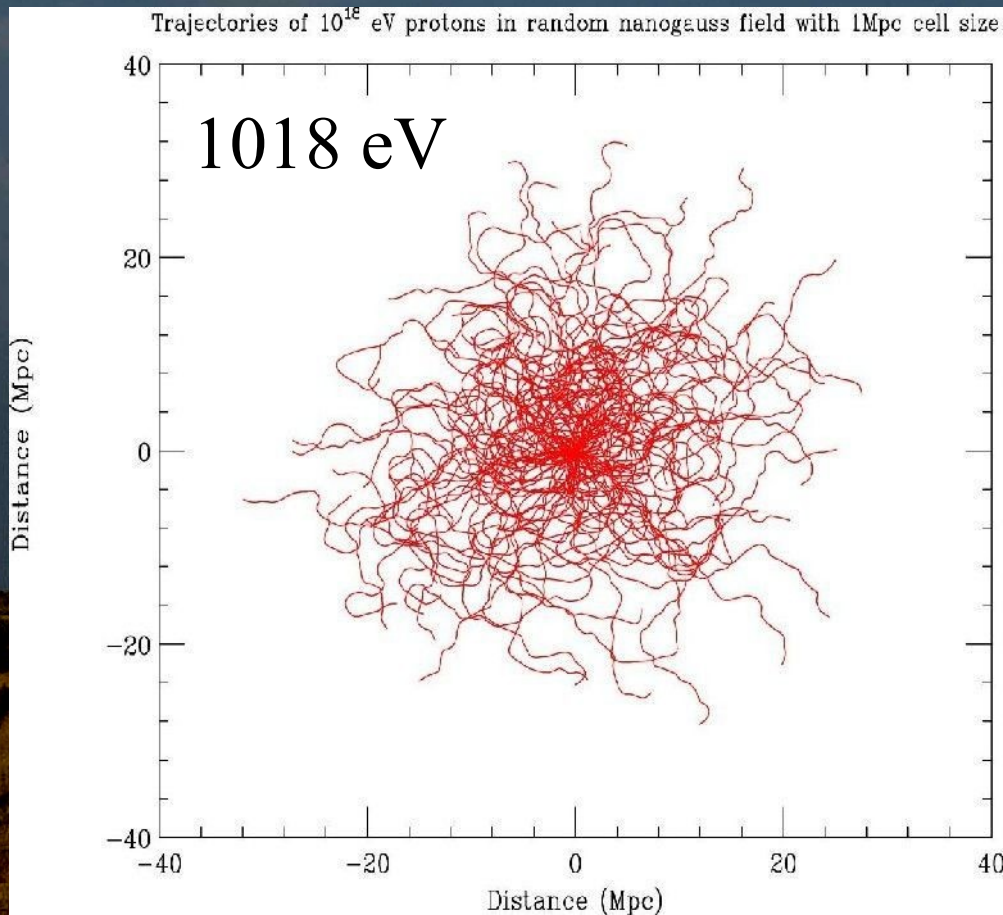
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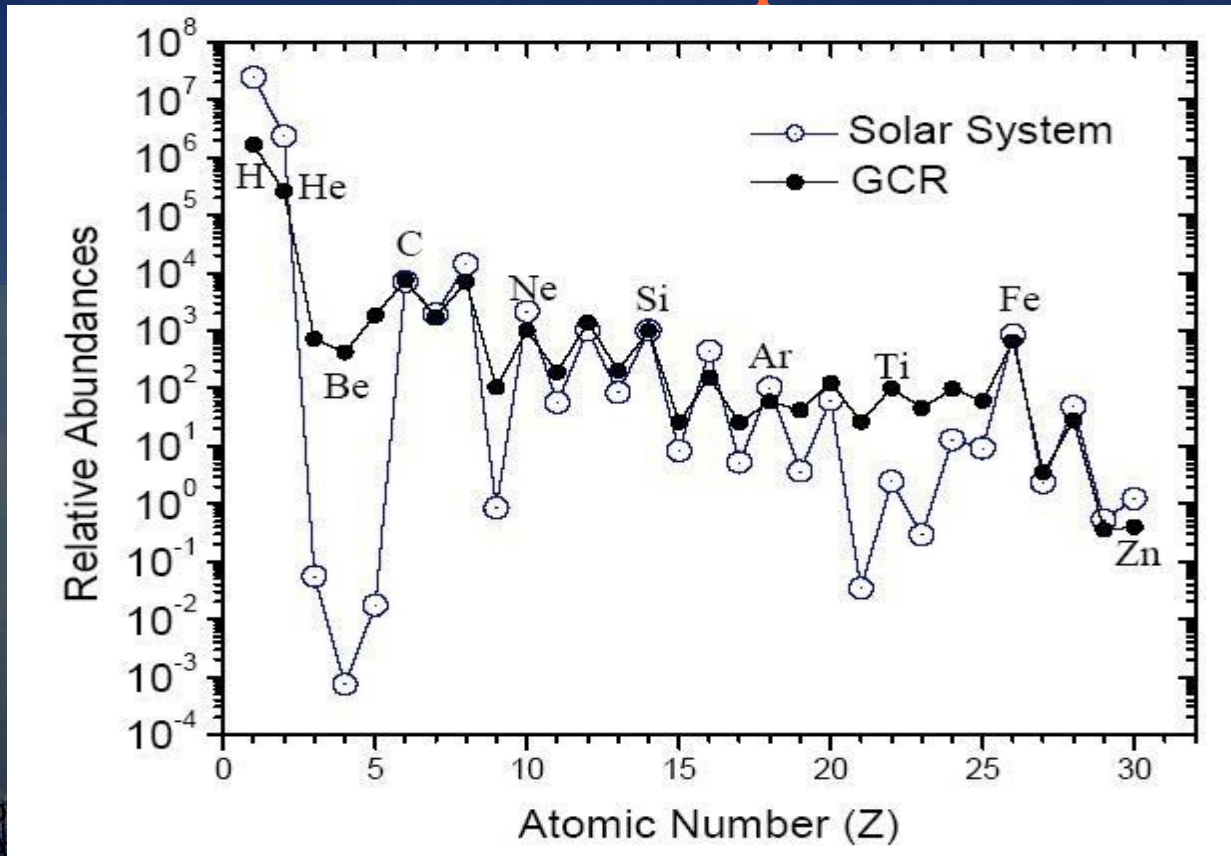
- ❑ Diffusion of particles: high energy particle escape first \Rightarrow Observed spectrum steeper than source spectrum. e.g. $E^{-2.7}$ at earth vs $E^{-2.0}$ at galactic center.
- ❑ Composition change: spallation (nuclear reaction)

Propagation

□ Above 10^{20} eV a proton astronomy becomes possible



Composition

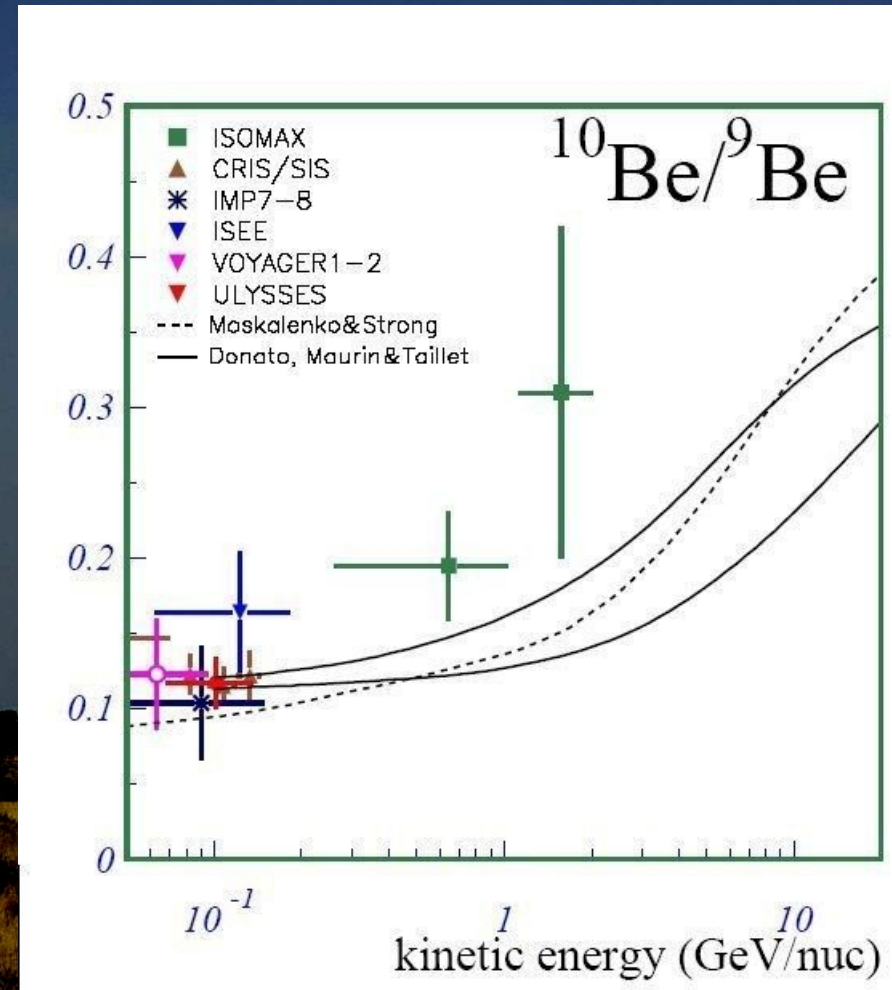


70 to 280 MeV/nucléon,
Satellite

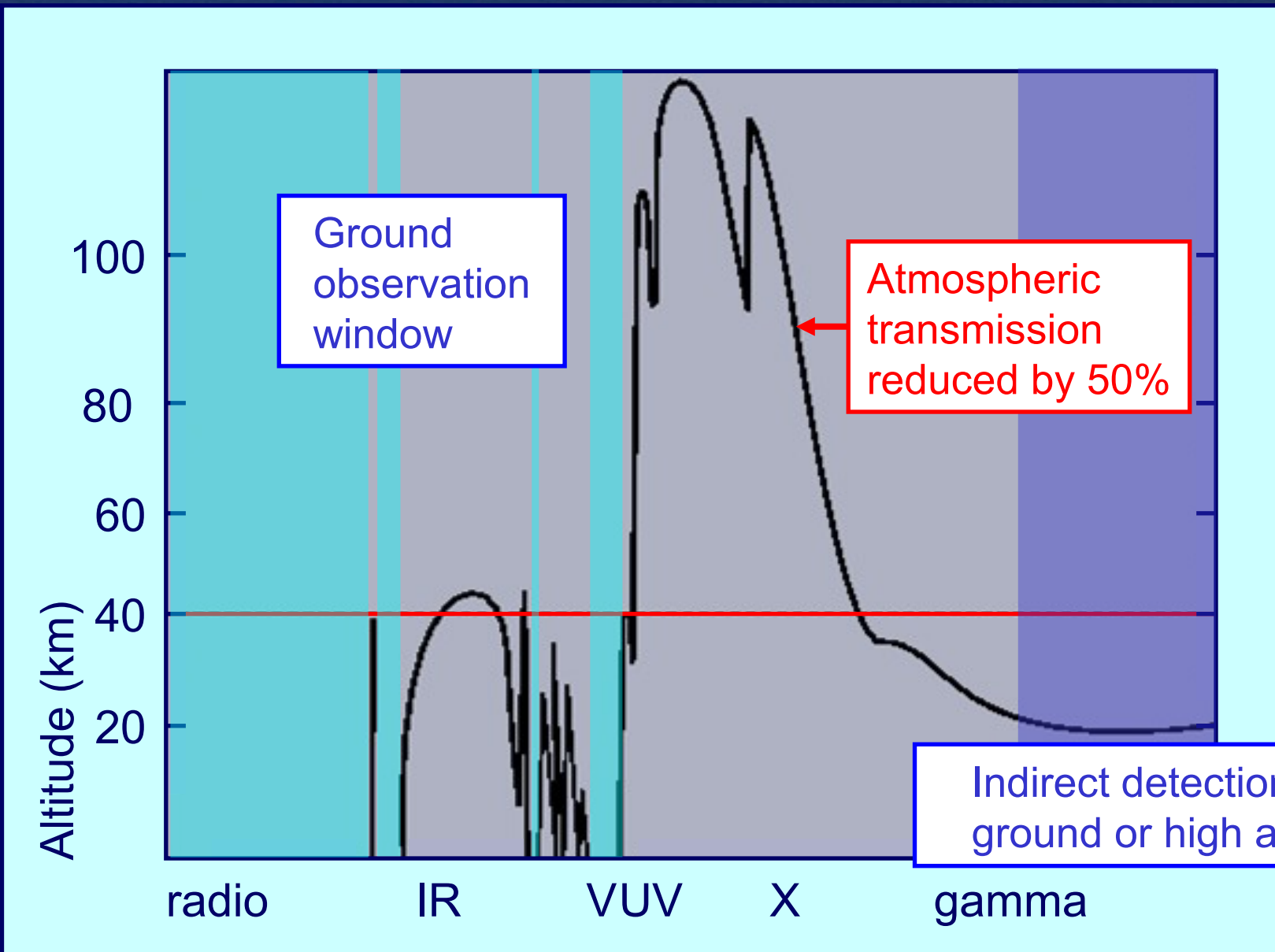
- ❑ CR abundances differs from local measurement
- ❑ Excess of Li - Be - B et sub Fe
- ❑ Secondary nucleus created by spallation \Rightarrow constraints on propagation
- ❑ Primary nuclei (CNO, Fe,..) accelerated in sources
- ❑ Other particles are produced in propagation (γ , ν , antiparticles). Excess w/o prediction can be the sign of new physics

Composition – II – Isotopic Measurement

- Secondary Nuclei:
 - CNO spallation → Li, Be, B
 - Constraints on CR propagation in the galaxy
- Radioactive Nuclei: Cosmic Ray clocks.
 - ^{10}Be ($t_{1/2} \sim 1.5 \cdot 10^6$ year)
 - $^{10}\text{Be}/^9\text{Be}$ give information about confinement time in the Galaxy
 - ^{26}Al line (1.809 MeV, half life $\sim 10^6$ years): nucleosynthesis tracer (stellar winds,...)
- Current isotopic measurement:
 - Low statistics, low energy only



Atmospheric Transparency



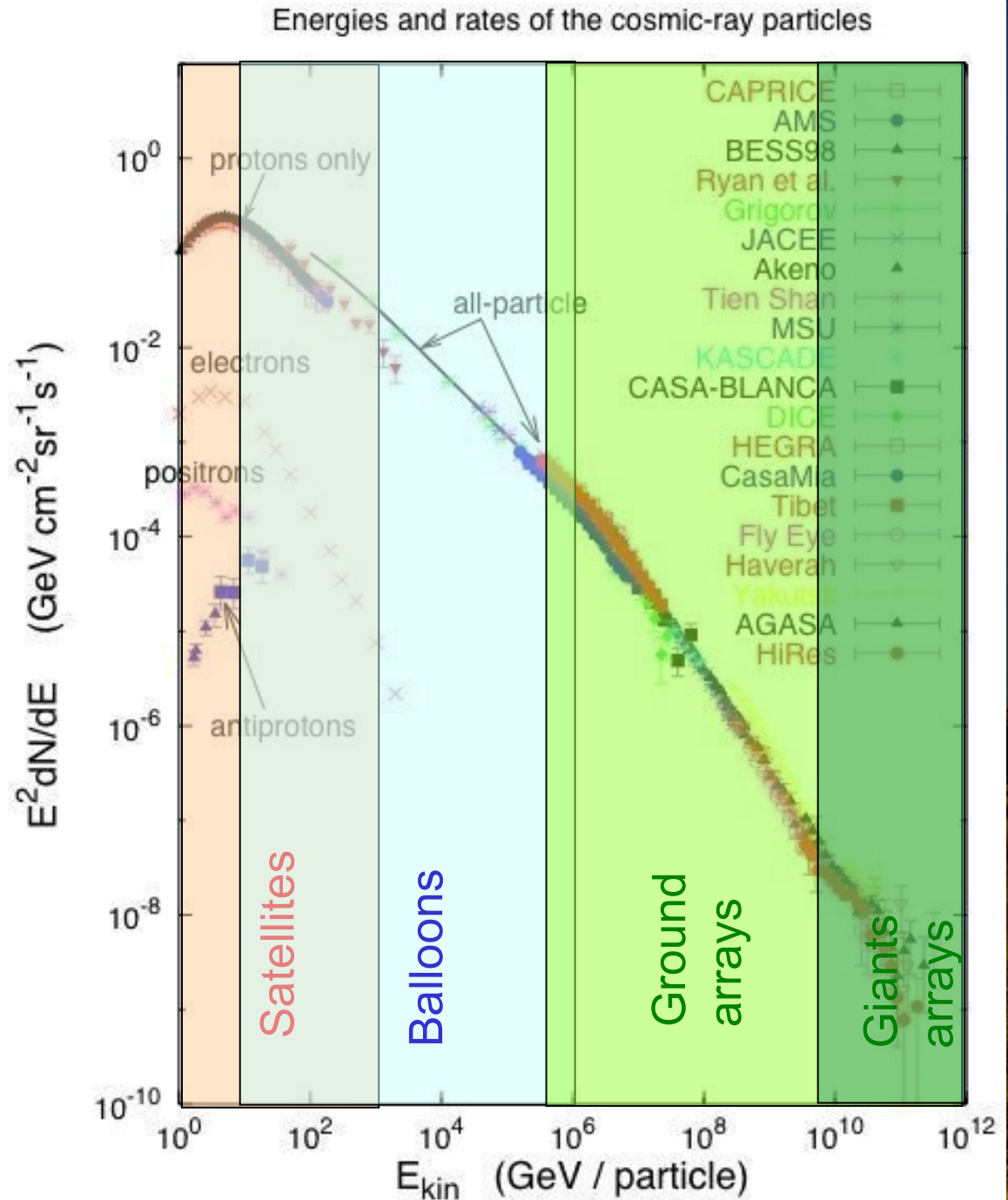
Acceptance & fluxes

□ The higher the energy, the biggest the needed acceptance:

□ 10 GeV : 1 CR/m²/s
⇒ 1 m² (satellite or balloon)

□ Knee: 1 CR/m²/an
⇒ 1 km² (ground array)

□ Ankle: 1 CR/km²/century
⇒ 1000 km² (giant array)



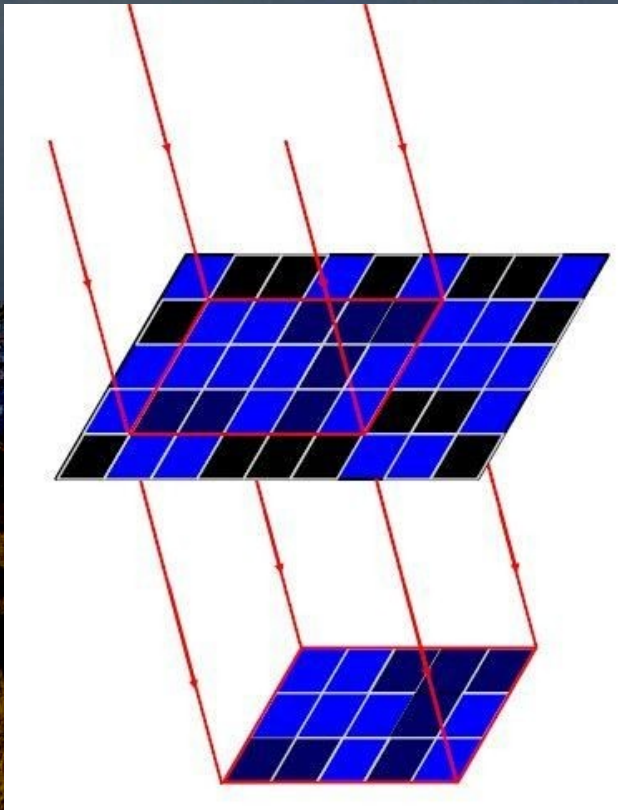
Challenges

- ❑ Atmosphere opaque to cosmic rays
 - ⇒ Stratospheric balloons or indirect detection
- ❑ Flux decreases rapidly with energy
 - ⇒ Need for very large effective area (1000 km² at the knee)
- ❑ Composition (and isotopic composition) is very rich
 - ⇒ Need for precise mass measurement
- ❑ Specificities related to primary particles:
 - ❑ Neutrinos : very low interaction probability ⇒ need for huge detection volumes
 - ❑ Gammas : very large hadronic and electronic background
 - ⇒ large rejection factors needed

Photons



Space



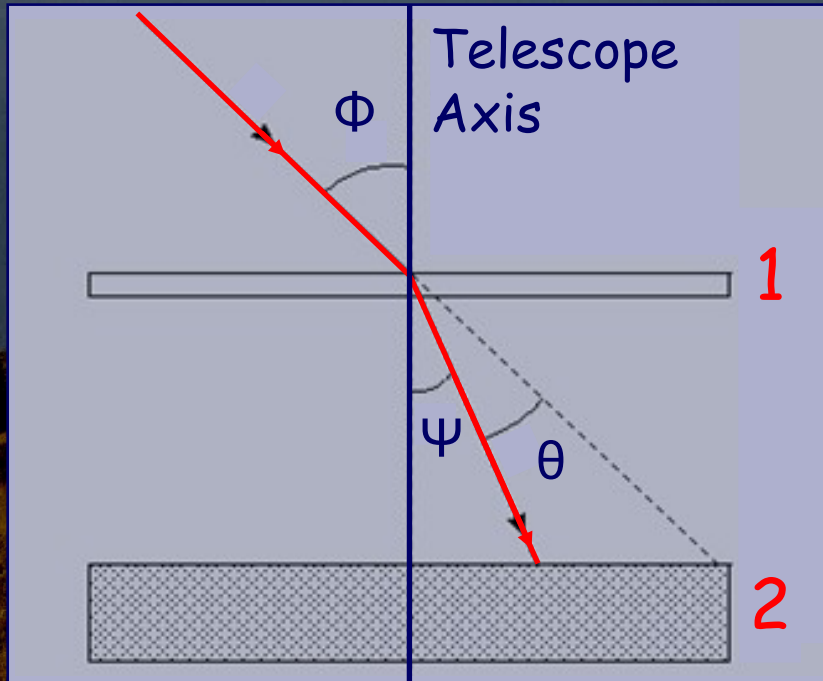
Coded mask telescope



Photons



Space

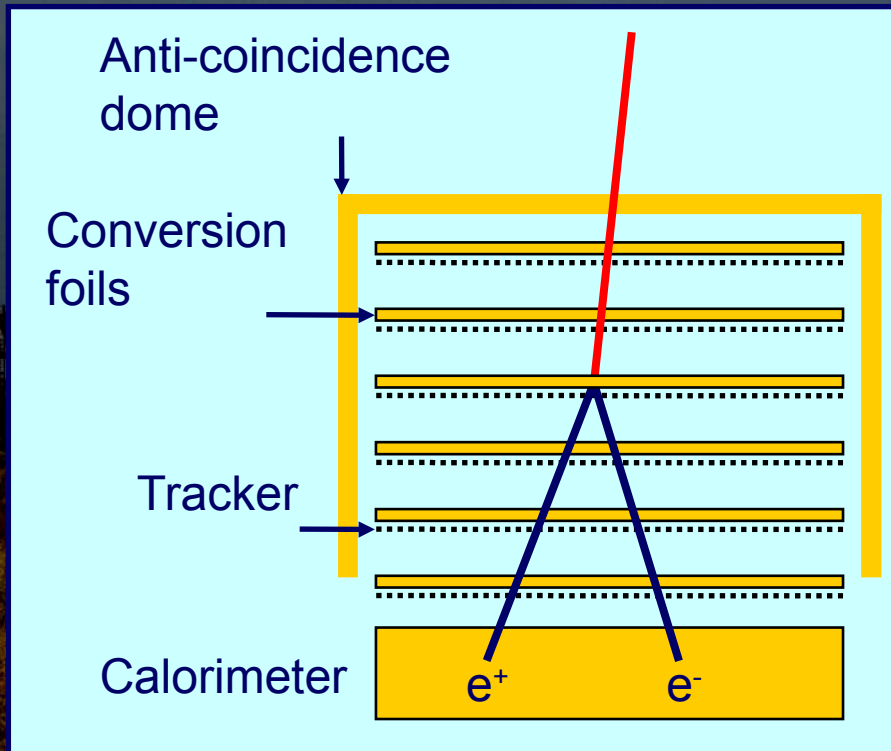


Compton Telescope

High Energy Photons



Space

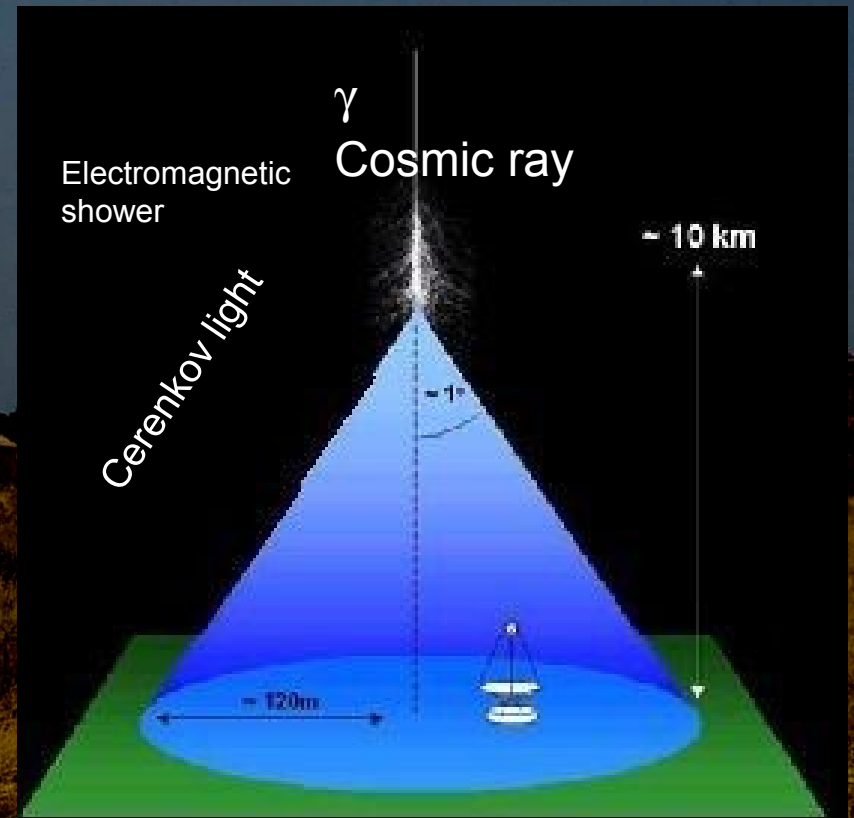


Pair creation telescope

Very High Energy Photons

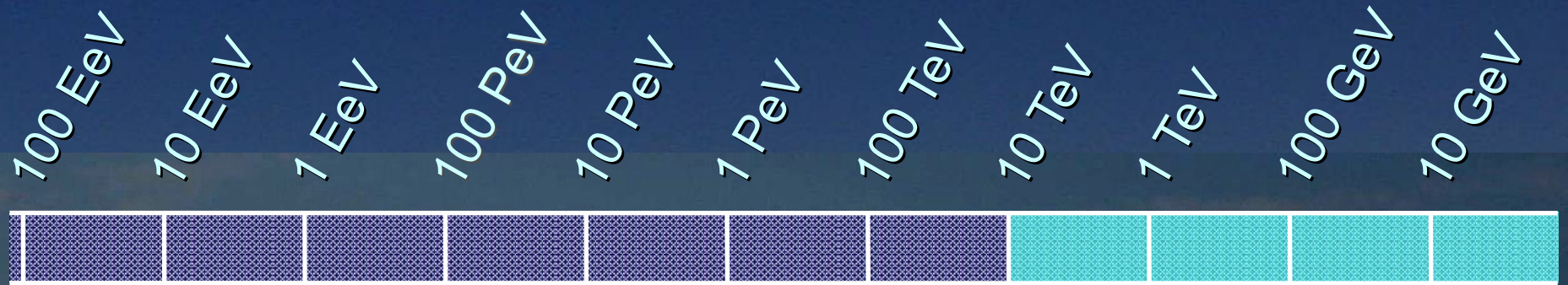


From ground



Atmospheric Cherenkov Telescopes

Charged Particles

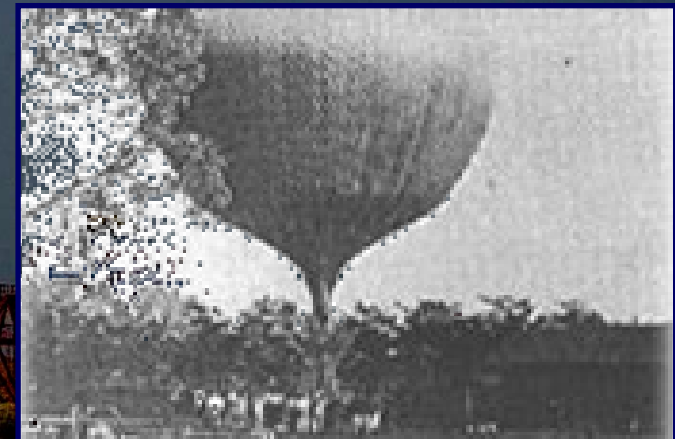


Extended air showers –
from ground

Direct detection



Ballons



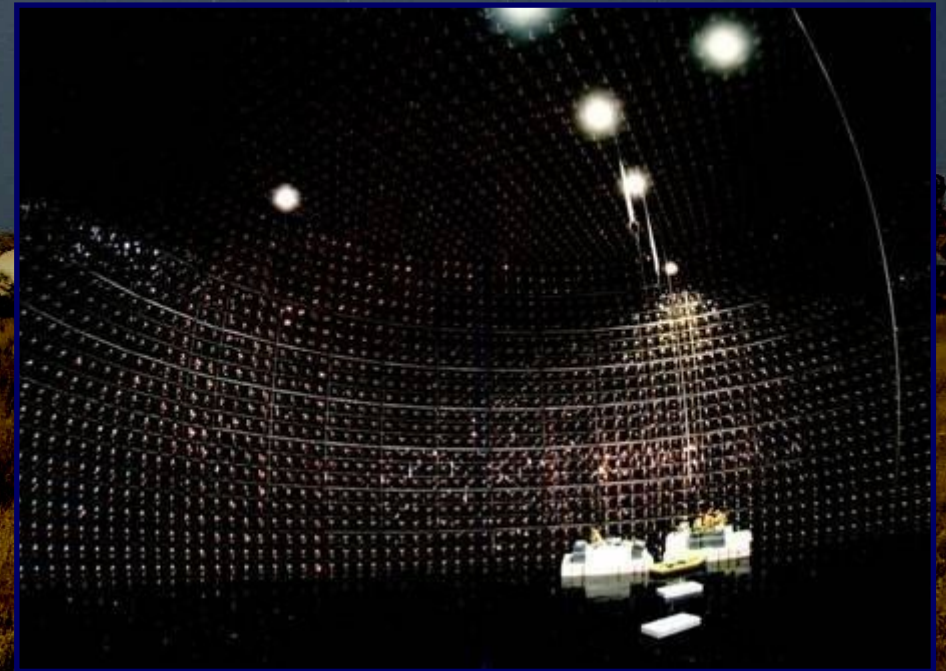
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Neutrinos



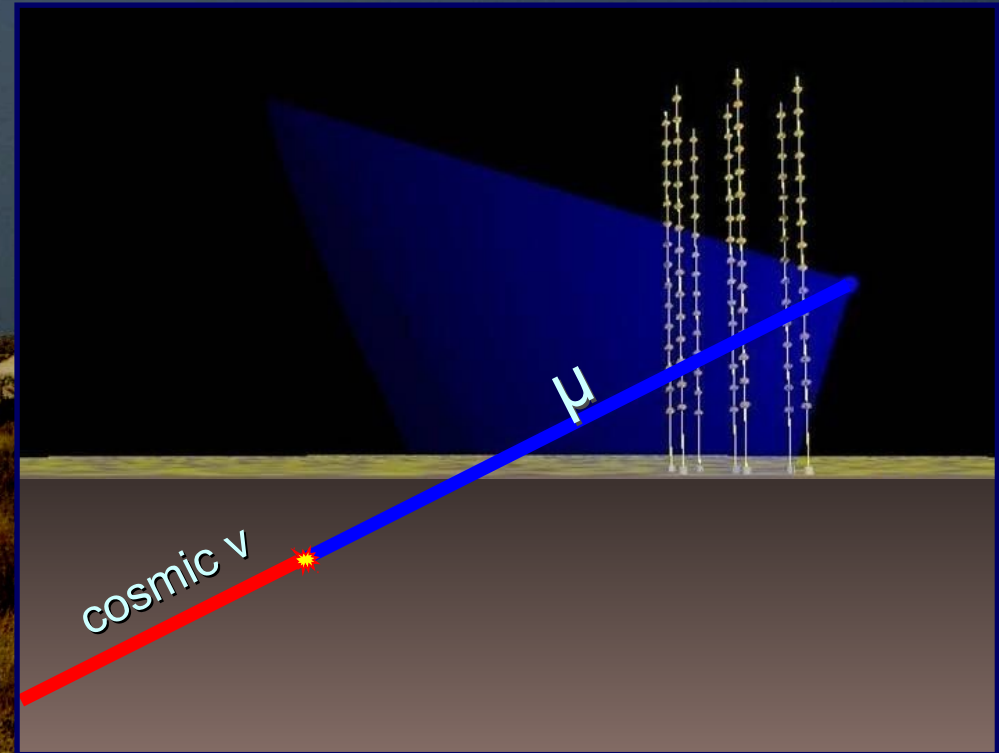
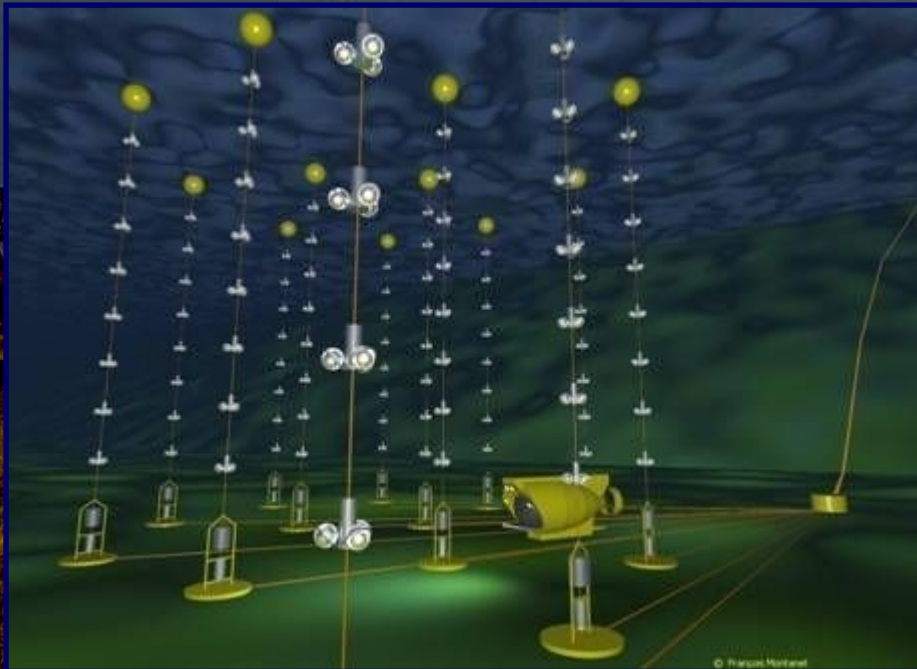
- ❑ Neutrino Scattering off one electron
- ❑ Cherenkov emission of the electron in water



Neutrinos



Deep water or ice



Cherenkov Detector

Elementary Processes

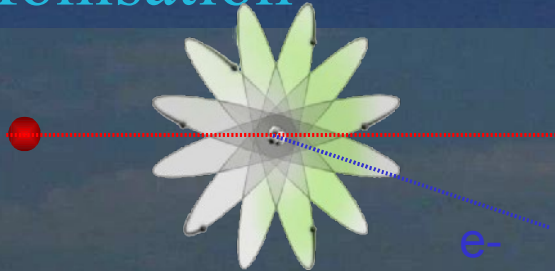
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Characterization of primary particles

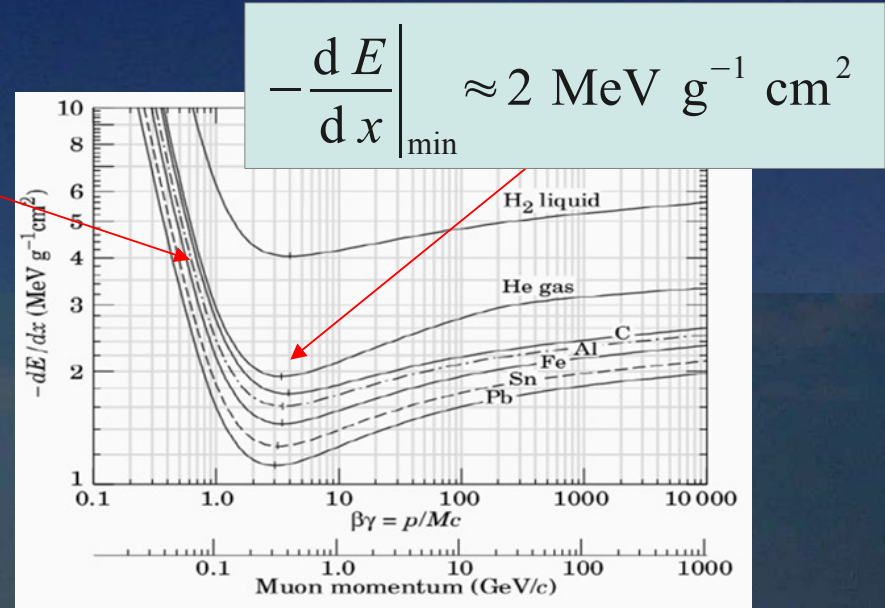
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Charged particles

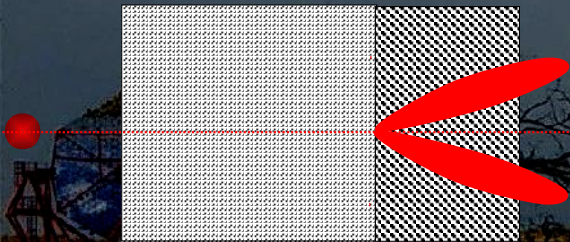
Ionisation



$$-\frac{dE}{dx} \propto \frac{Z^2}{\beta^2}$$

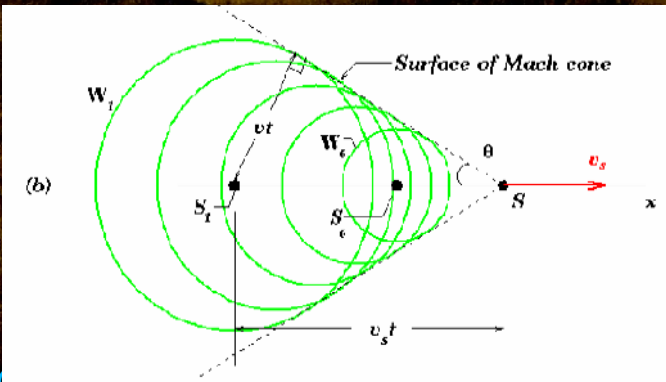


Transition Radiation



$$W = Z^2 \gamma \frac{\alpha \hbar}{3} \times \frac{(\omega_{p,1} - \omega_{p,2})^2}{\omega_{p,1} + \omega_{p,2}}$$

Cherenkov Radiation



$$\cos \theta_c = \frac{1}{\beta n}$$

$$\frac{d^2 N}{d\lambda dl} = \frac{2\pi\alpha}{\lambda^2} \times Z^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

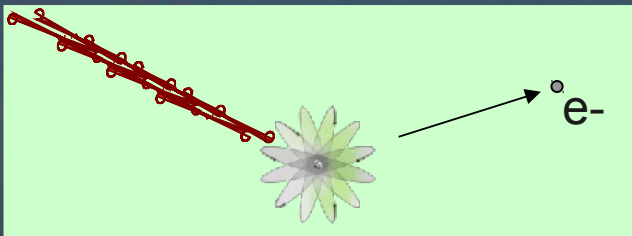
Detectors and observables

Detector	Observable	Link with particle
Magnetic Spectrometer	Rigidity and charge sign	pc / ze
Time Of Flight (TOF)	Speed/c	β
Proportional counters Scintillators Ionization Chambers	Ionisation	$dE/dx = z^2 f(\beta)$
Cherenkov Detector	Density of Cherenkov photons	$dN/dx = z^2 g(\beta)$
Transition Radiation	X-ray photons density	$N = z^2 h(\gamma)$
Calorimeter	Deposited Energy	$mc^2(\gamma-1)$

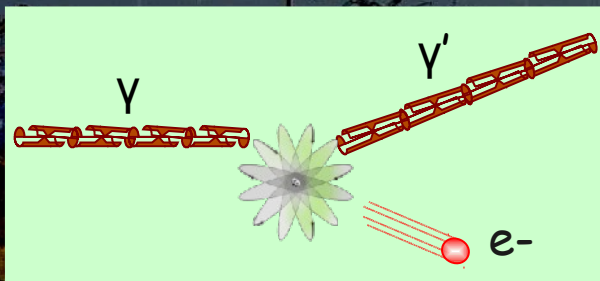
Detection of photons

- Photons cannot be directly detected:
⇒ Production of charged particles

- Photoelectric effect



- Compton Scattering



- Pair creation

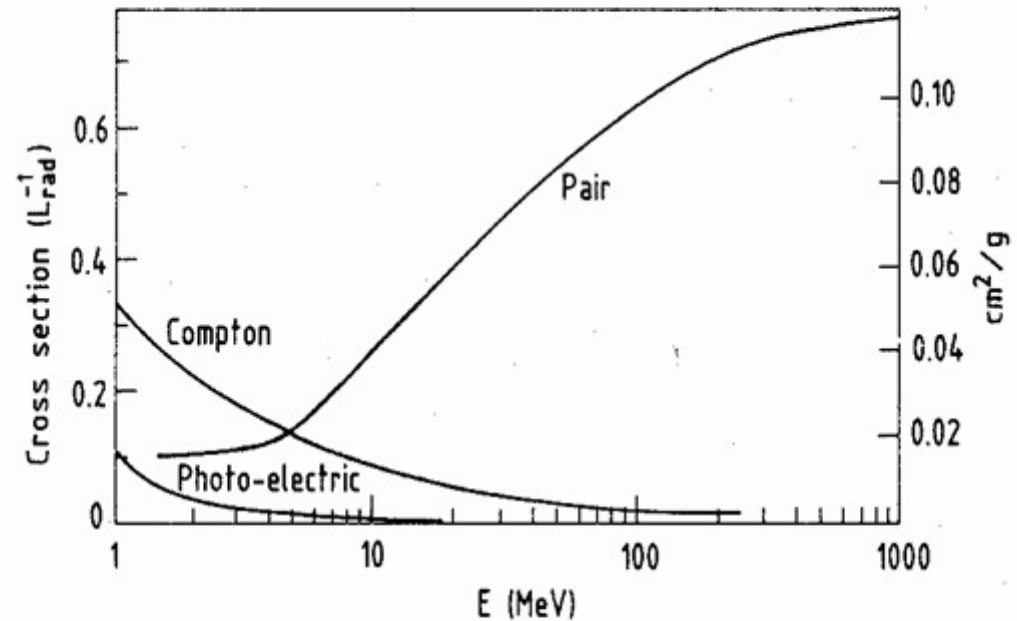
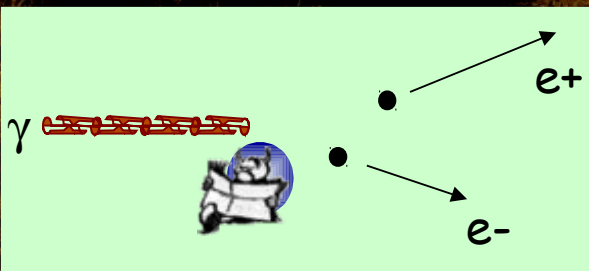


Fig. 2: Photon cross-section σ in lead as a function of photon energy. The intensity of photons can be expressed as $I = I_0 \exp(-\sigma x)$, where x is the path length in radiation lengths. (Review of Particle Properties, April 1980 edition).

Charged Cosmic Rays

The image shows a wide, open landscape with dry, yellowish-brown grass. In the middle ground, there are four large, spherical detectors mounted on metal frames. Each detector is covered in blue material and has a complex internal structure. The sky is a clear, pale blue. The overall scene is a scientific installation in a natural, open environment.

Current experiments

Balloons

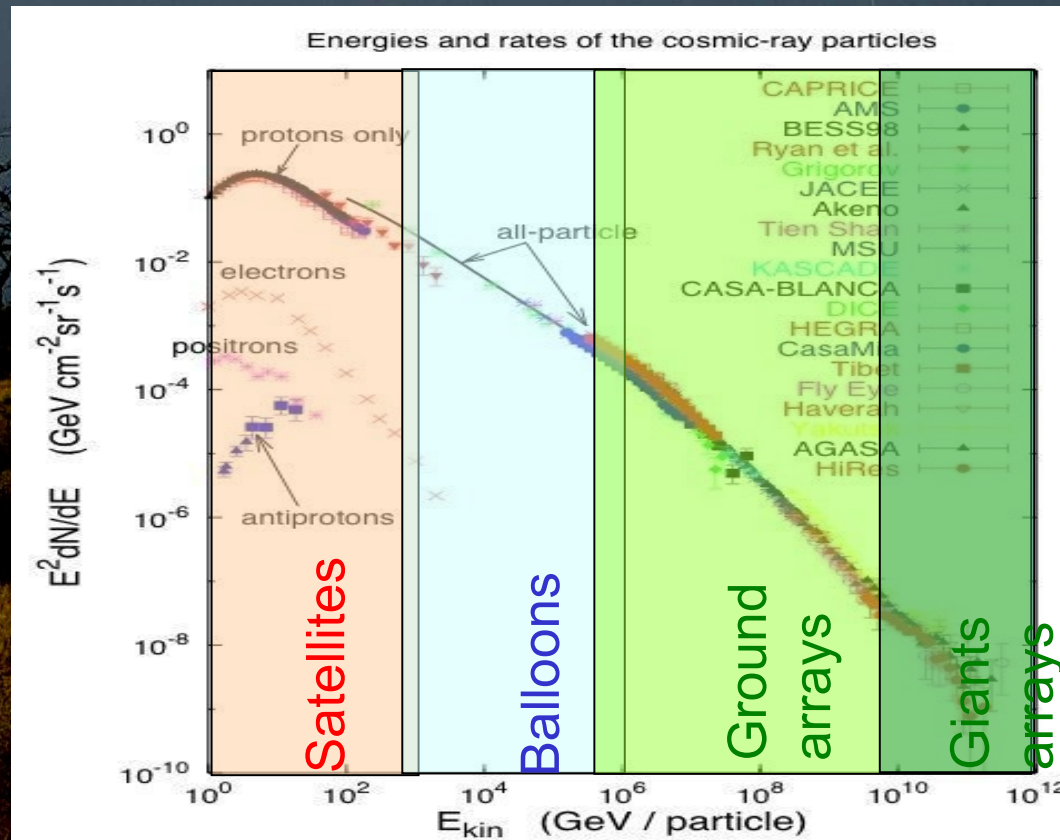
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Satellites

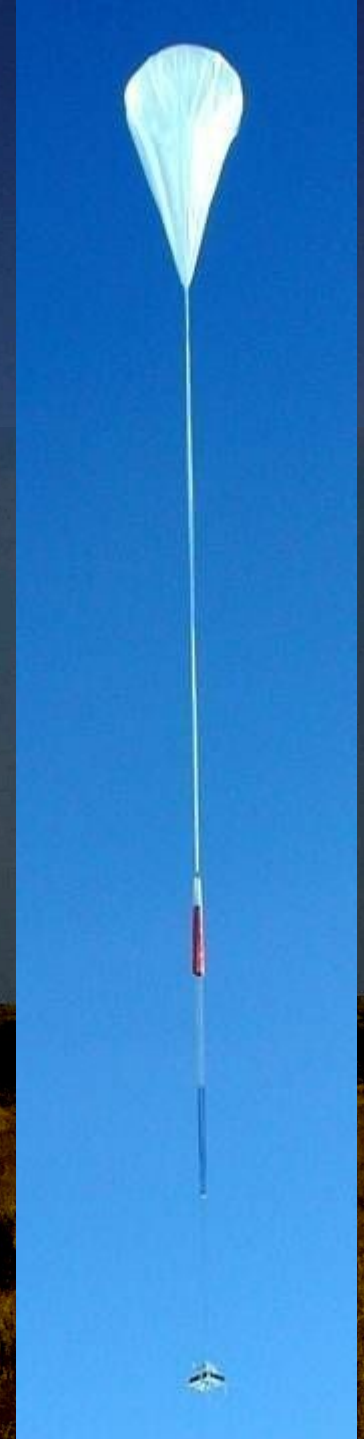
- Pamela
- AMS

Ground Arrays

- HESS
- Tibet Array
- Kaskade

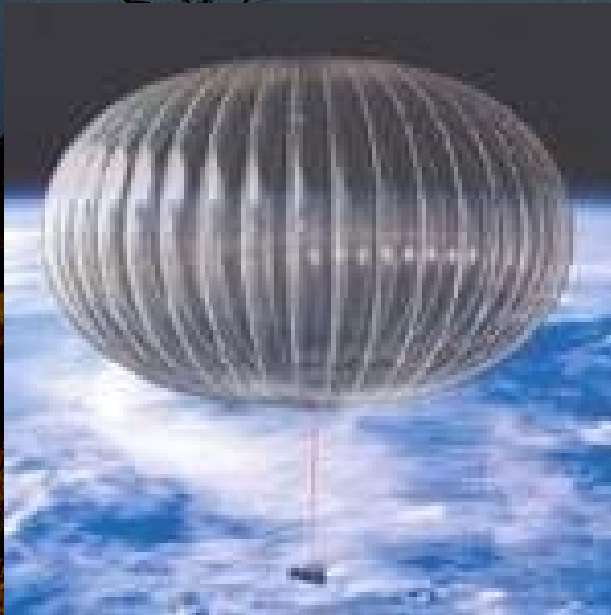


Stratospheric Balloons

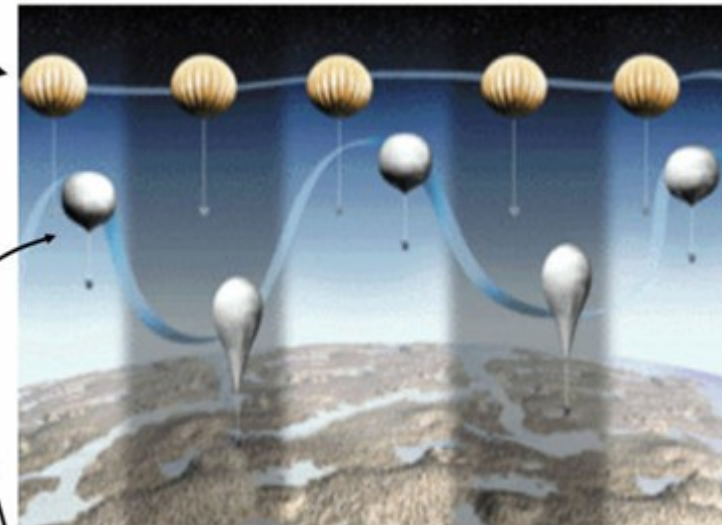


Why Balloons?

- ❑ Short time scale: ~6 months
- ❑ Cost << satellite
- ❑ Supply recovery
- ❑ Ultra Long Duration Ballooning Program:
 - ❑ A few tons
 - ❑ Several Months
 - ❑ Better controlled altitude



Super-Pressure: Ultra Long Duration Balloon (ULDB)
"Pumpkin"



Zero-Pressure Balloon

Easy detector recovery...



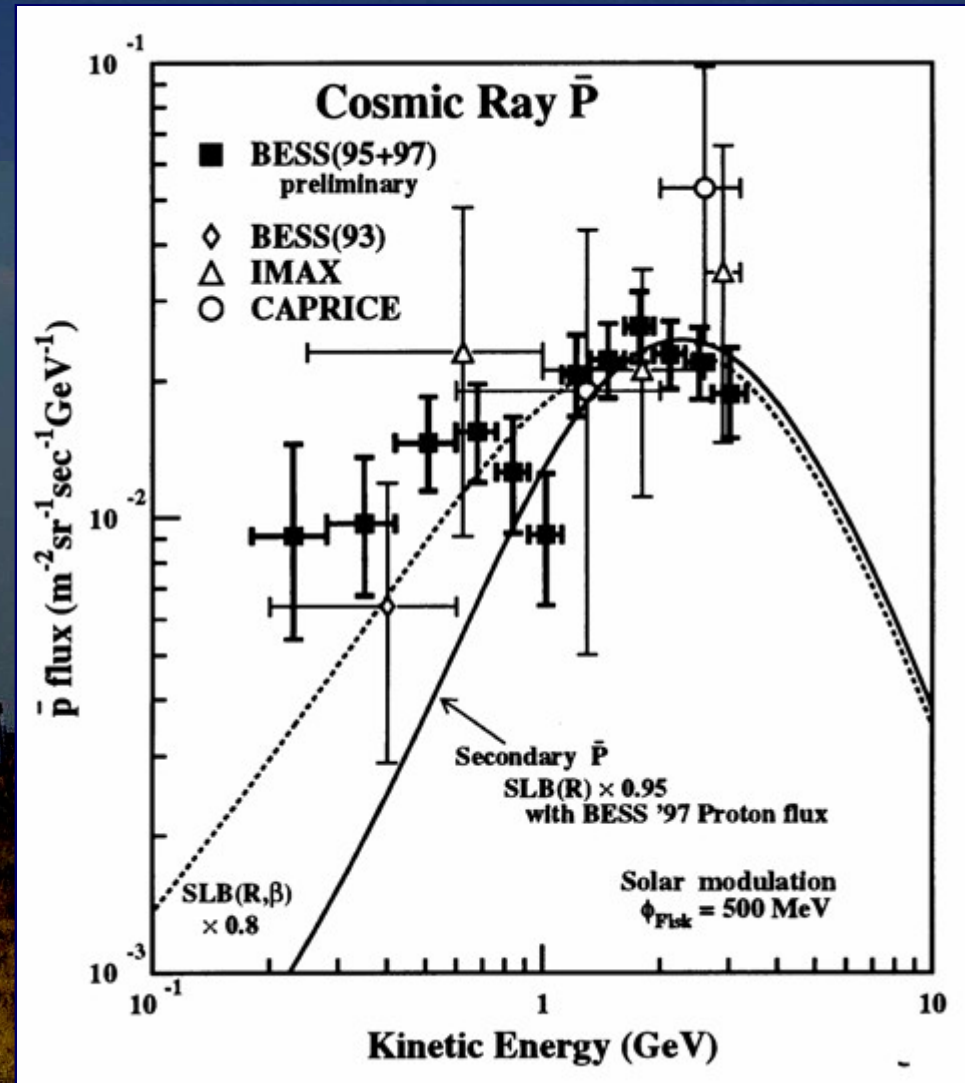
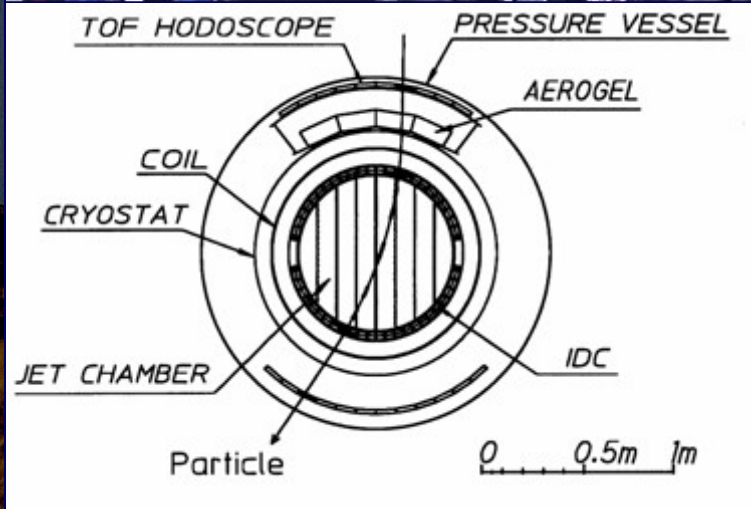
Or less easy...



BESS-Polar (Balloon Experiment with a Superconducting Spectrometer)



BESS (the Balloon-borne Experiment with a Superconducting Solenoidal magnet)



□ Search for antimatter (antiprotons, antihelium) and measurement of light isotopes

CREAM , long duration flights

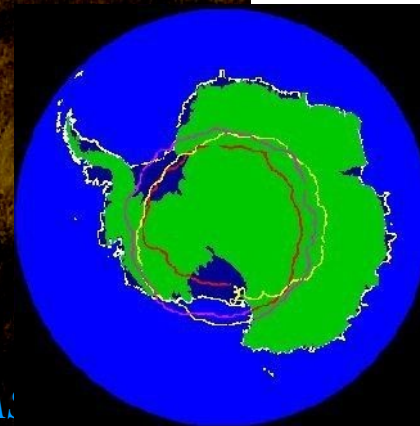
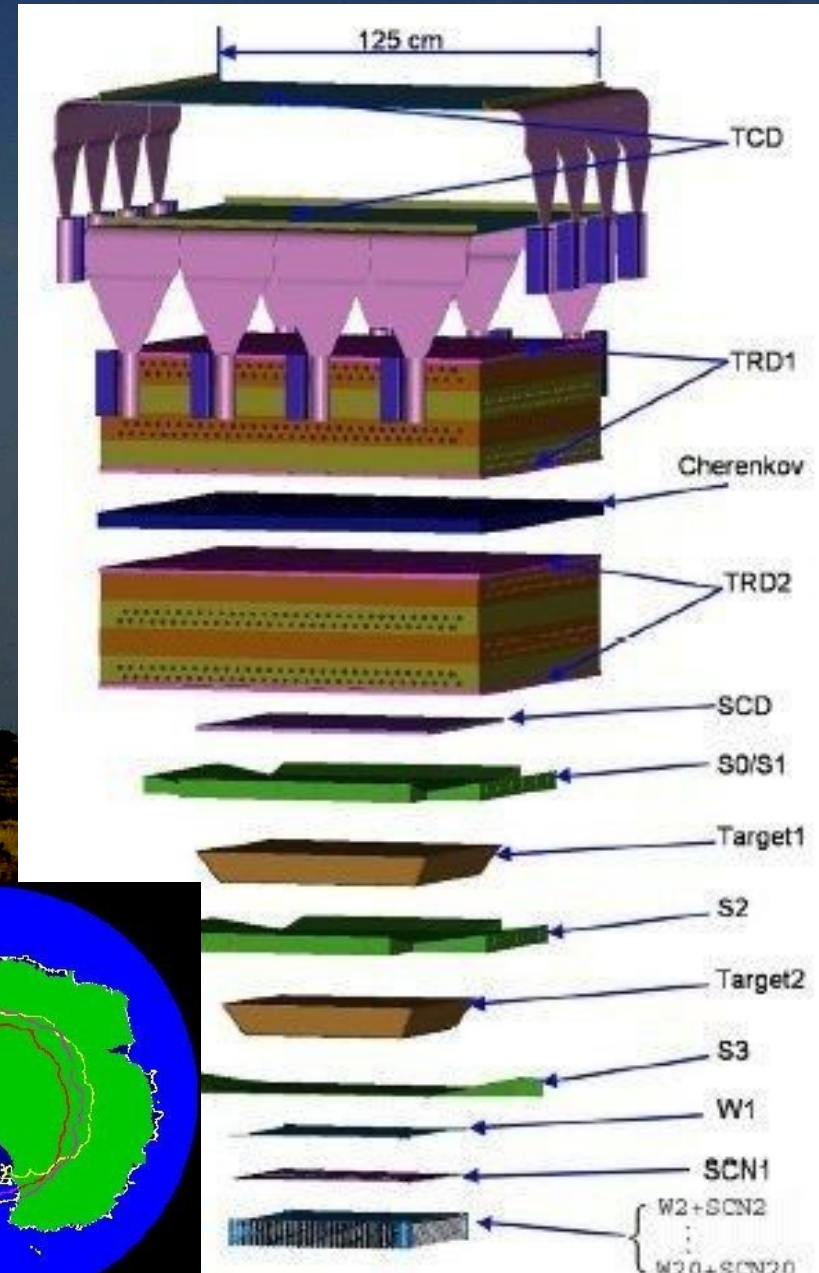
E: 10^{12} to 5×10^{14} eV , 2004, 2005, 2007



CREAM

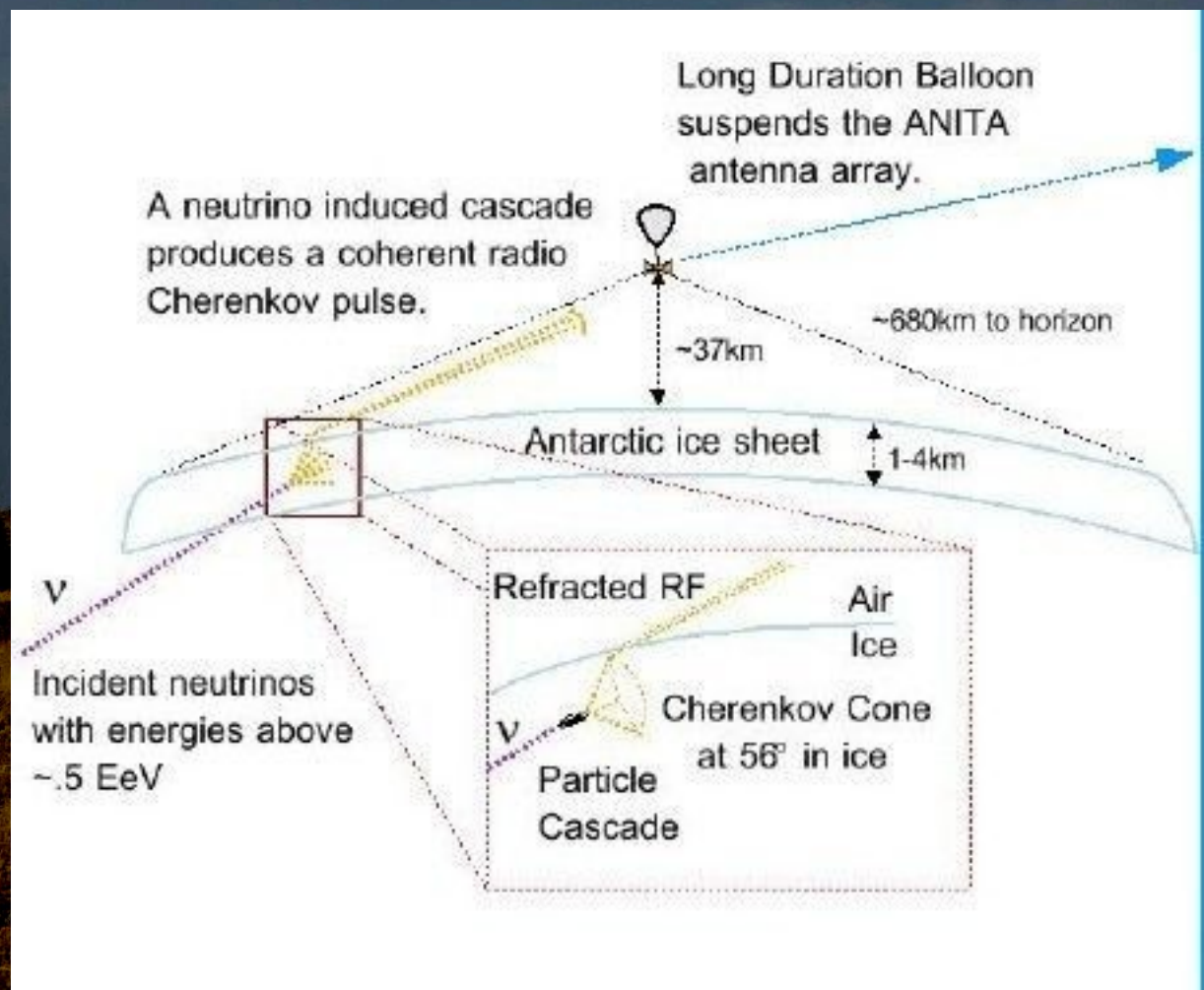
Cosmic Ray Energetics and Mass

- ❑ Composition and spectrum of high energy cosmic rays (TeV to ~500 TeV)
- ❑ Acceptance : 2,2 m² sr
- ❑ Energy measurement :
 - ❑ Thick calorimeter 20 X₀ (W + fibres)
 - ❑ Transition radiation detectors
- ❑ Identification :
 - ❑ Transition radiation detectors
 - ❑ Ring Imaging Cherenkov « **CHERCAM** » similar to AMS-2
- ❑ Flight V: 12/01/2009 ⇒ 01/06/2010

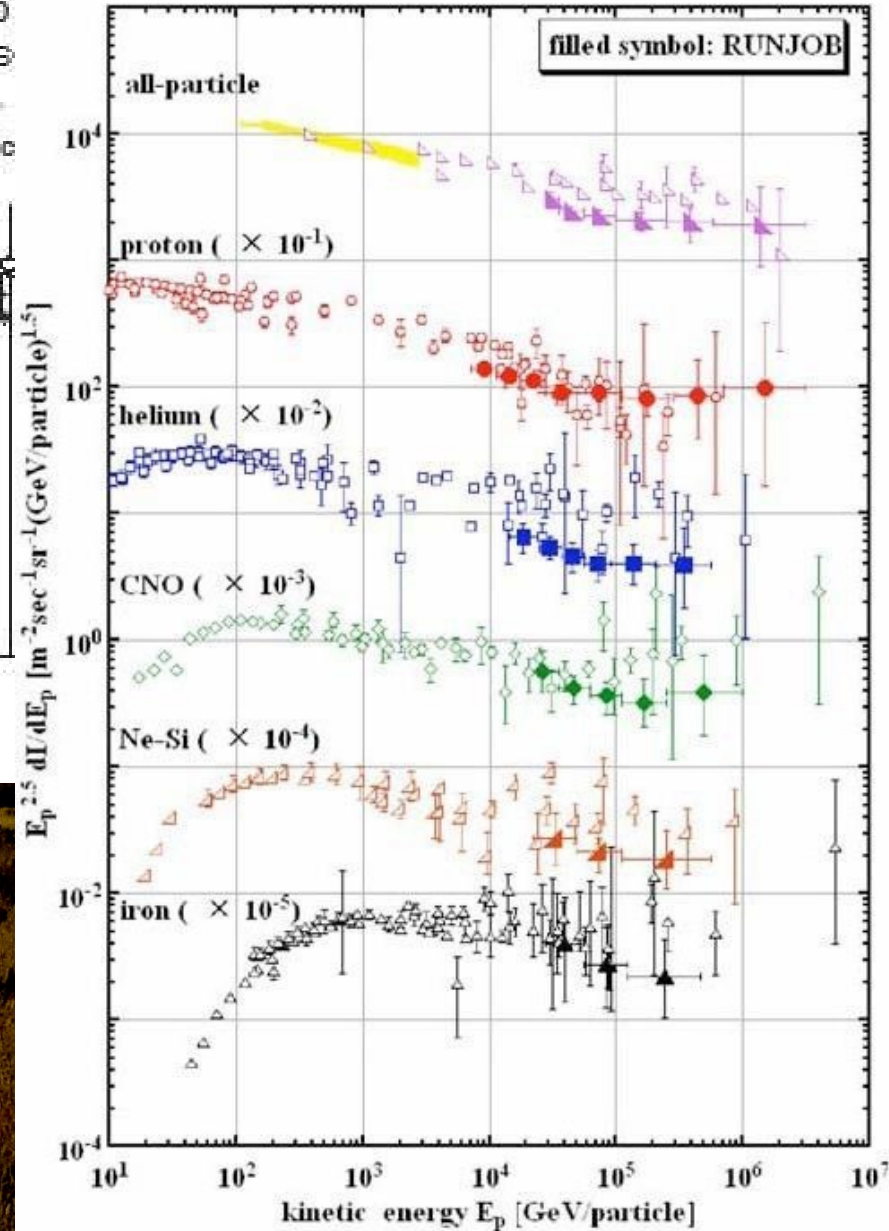
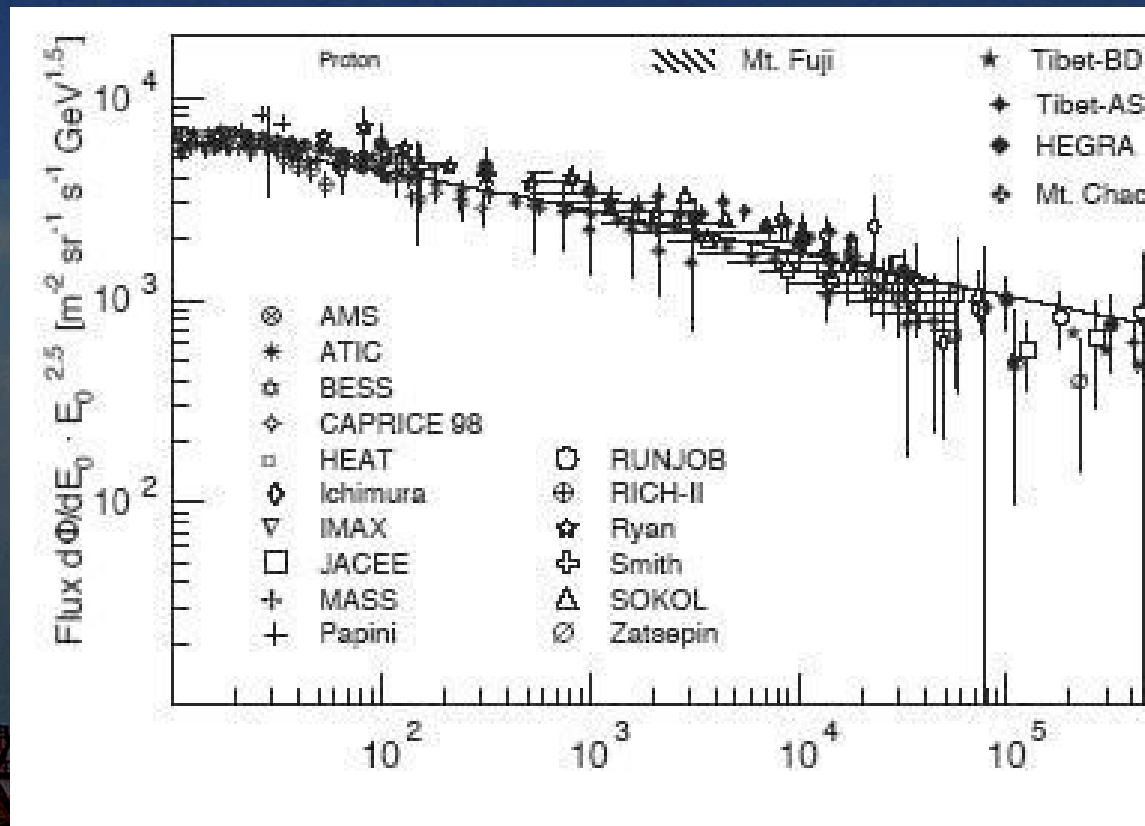


ANITA

□ Radio detection of earth skimming neutrinos...

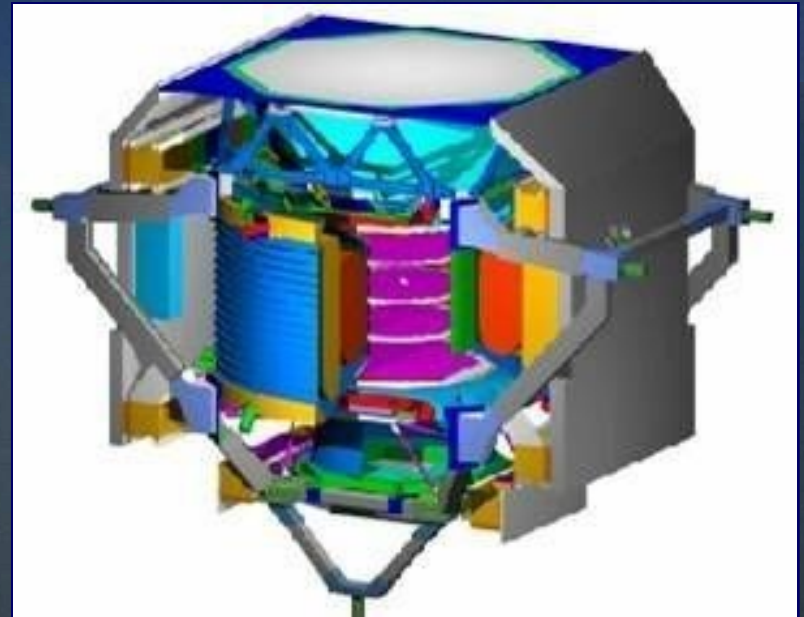
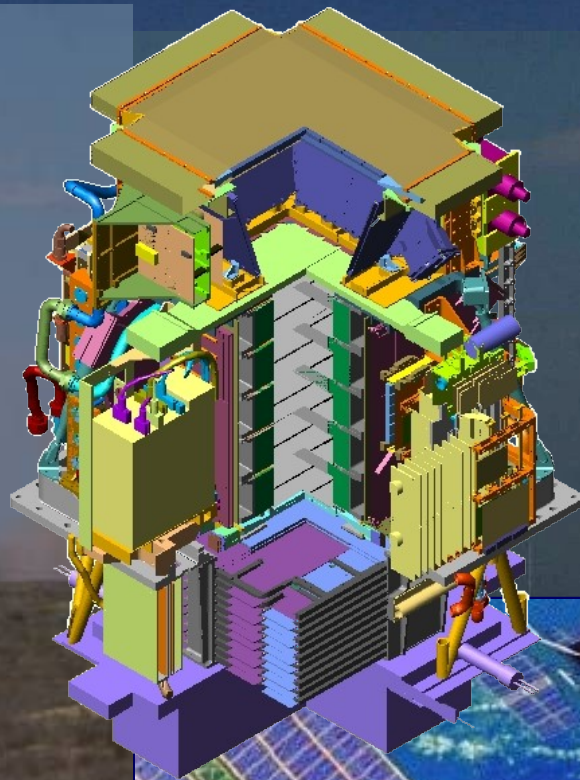


Balloon experiment results



- All particle spectra
- Composition resolved spectra

Satellites



PAMELA

Payload for Antimatter-Matter Exploration and Light-nuclei Astrophysics

- Search for:
 - antimatter in cosmic rays
 - Dark matter annihilation signatures (e^+ & antiprotons spectra)
 - Primary anti helium
- Composition & spectrum of cosmic rays, propagation studies
- Sun & Earth magnetospheres

15th June 2006

Particle	Energy	Particle	Energy
p	< 1 TeV	e^-	< 800 GeV
Antiprotons	< 100 GeV	e^+	< 100 GeV
D,3He	<1GeV/nuc	Elements $Z \leq 6$	<500 GeV/nuc

PAMELA

Time-Of-Flight (TOF)

plastic scintillators + PMT:

- Trigger
- Upward-going rejection
- Mass identification up to 1 GeV
- Charge value from dE/dL

Electromagnetic calorimeter

W/Si sampling ($16.3 X_0$, $0.6 \lambda_I$)

- Discrimination e^+ / p , $p\text{-bar} / e^-$ (shower topology)
- Direct E measurement for e^-/e^+

Neutron detector

polyethylene + ^3He counters:

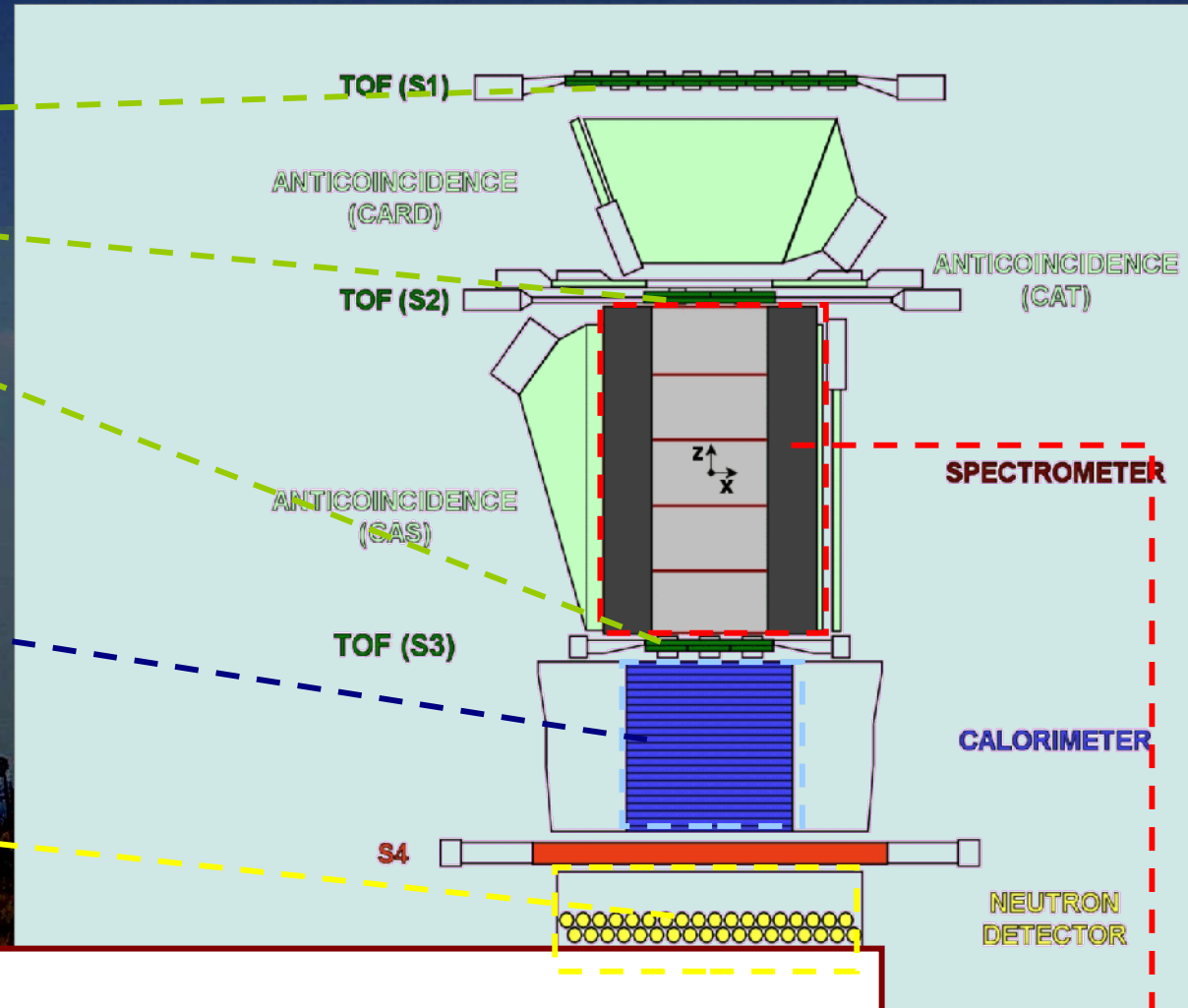
- High-energy e/h discrimination

Spectrometer

microstrip Si tracking system (TRK) + permanent magnet

6 plans

- Charge sign (particle/antiparticle discrimination)
- Momentum
- Charge value from dE/dL
- 6 planes of double-sided (X-Y) microstrip Si sensors.
- Spatial resolution: $3\div 4$ mm.



GF: $21.6 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ sr}$

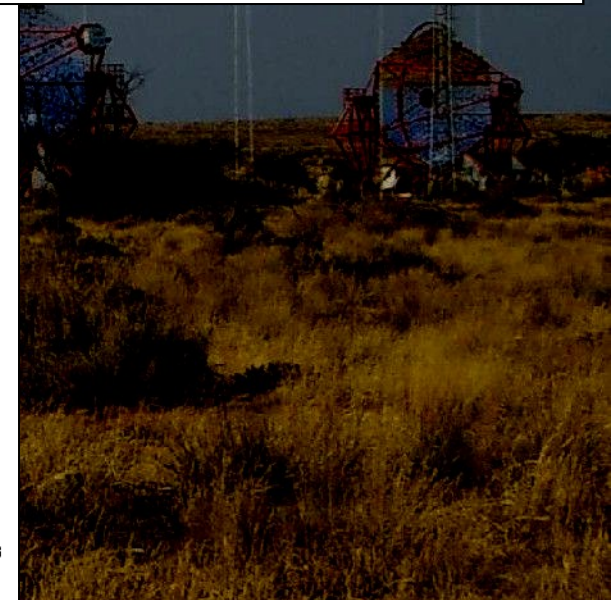
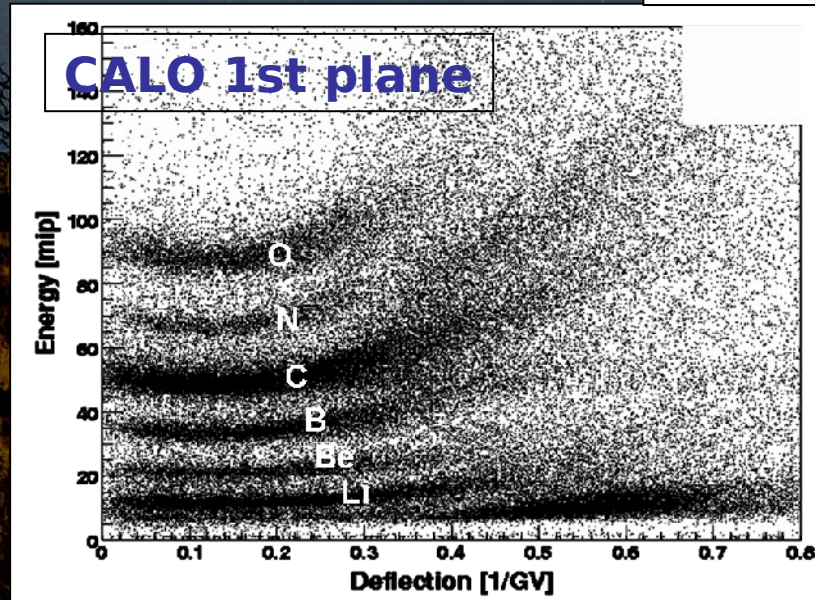
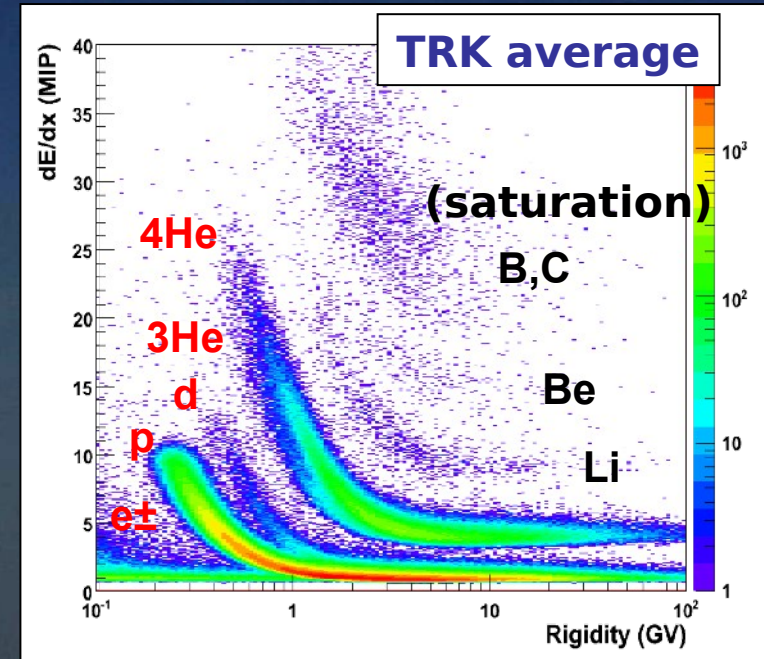
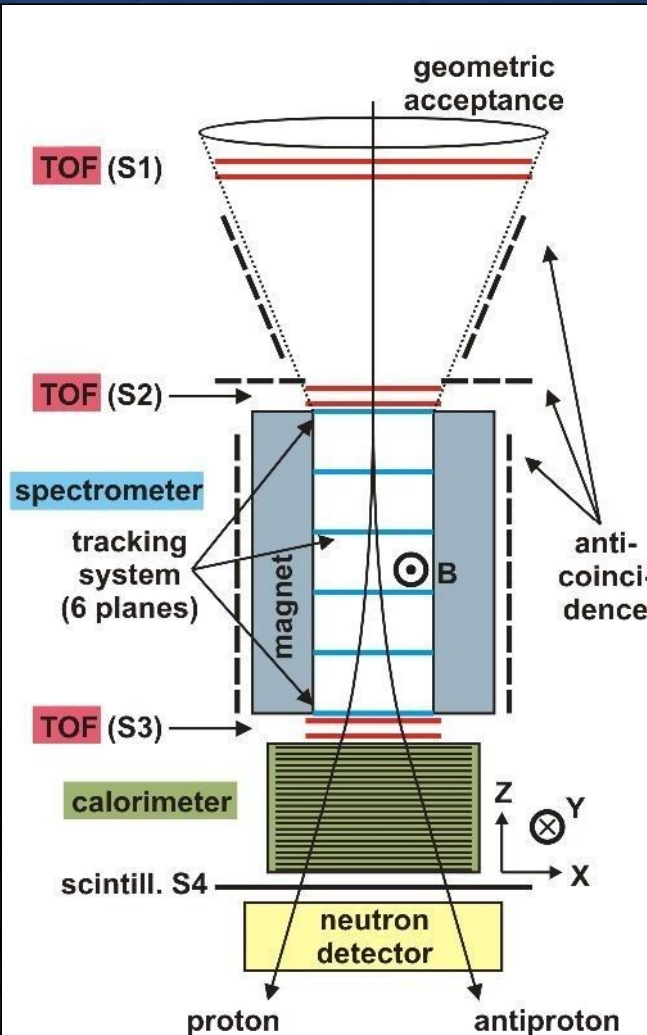
Masse: 470 kg

Taille: $130 \cdot 70 \cdot 70 \text{ cm}^3$

Consommation: 360 W

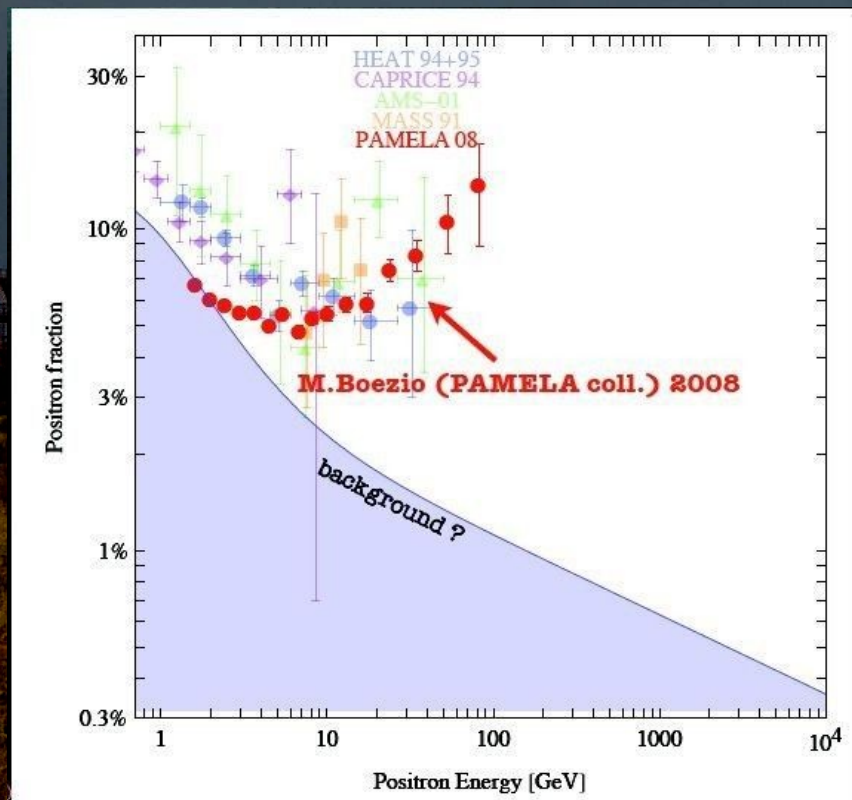
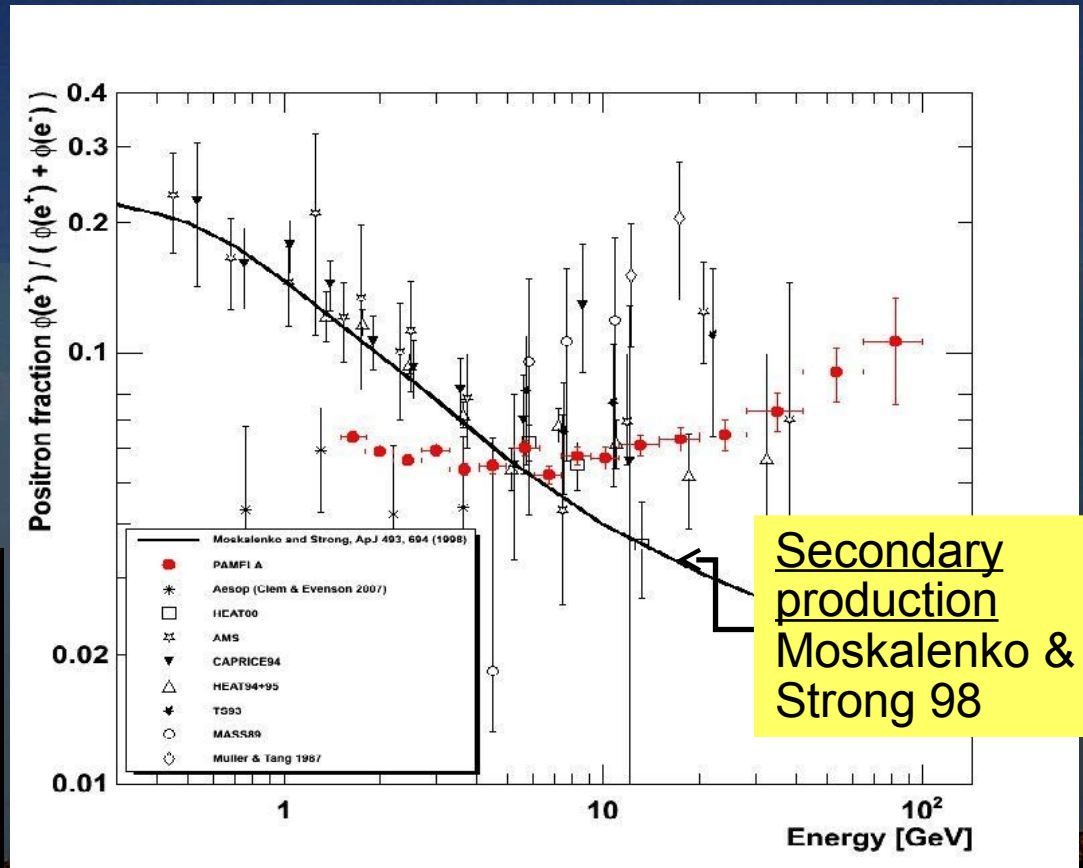
Particle Identification

- Rigidity (p/Z_e) from tracker
- dE/dx or E from time-of-flight or calorimeter
- Redundancy



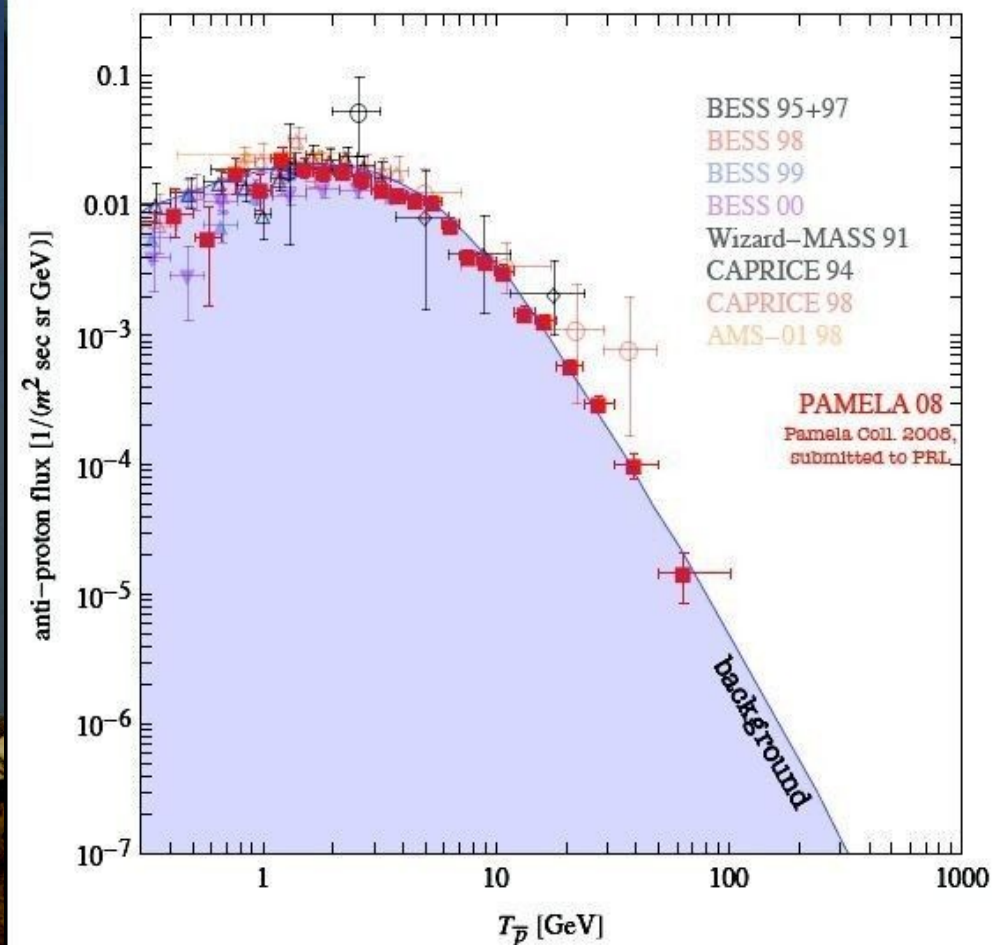
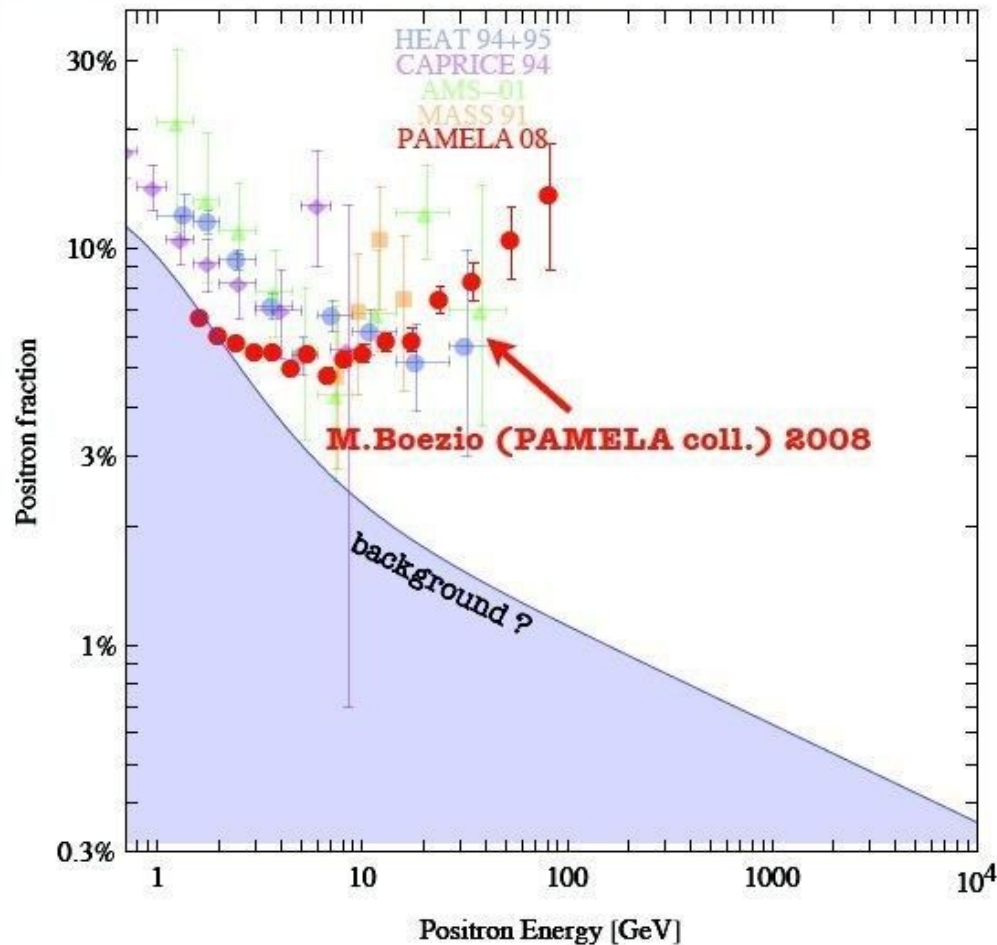
Positrons fraction (very hot topic)

- $\sim 10\,000\ e^+$
- Improvement of uncertainties compared to previous experiments.
- Up to 100 GeV



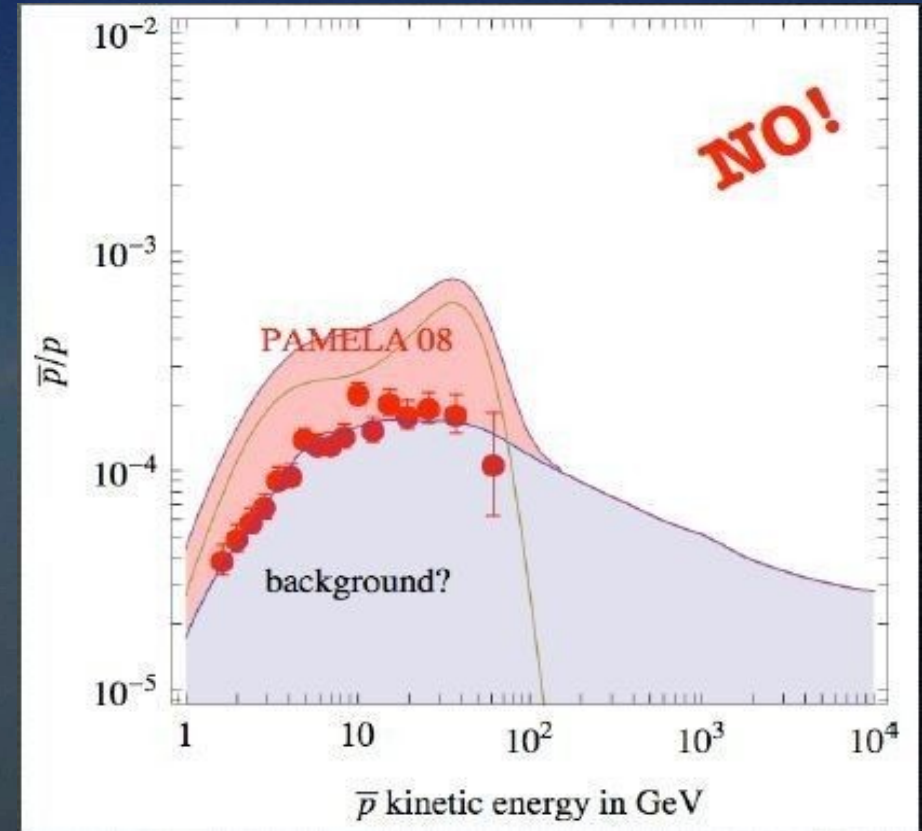
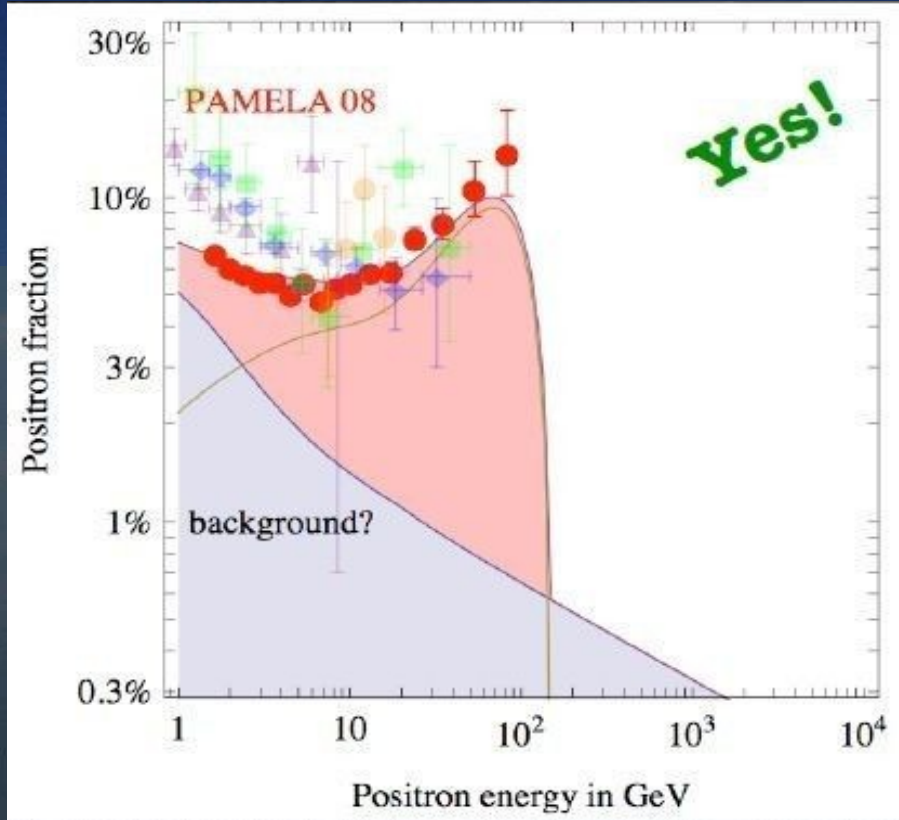
- Above expected background (secondary e^+)
- Nearby source (pulsar)?
- Dark Matter?
- Or unknown propagation effect?

positrons & antiprotons



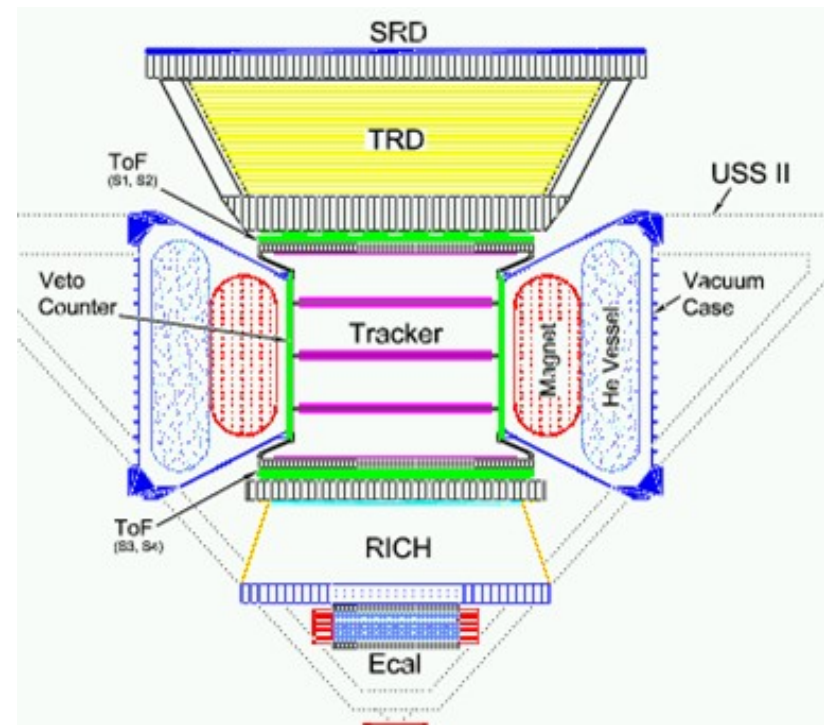
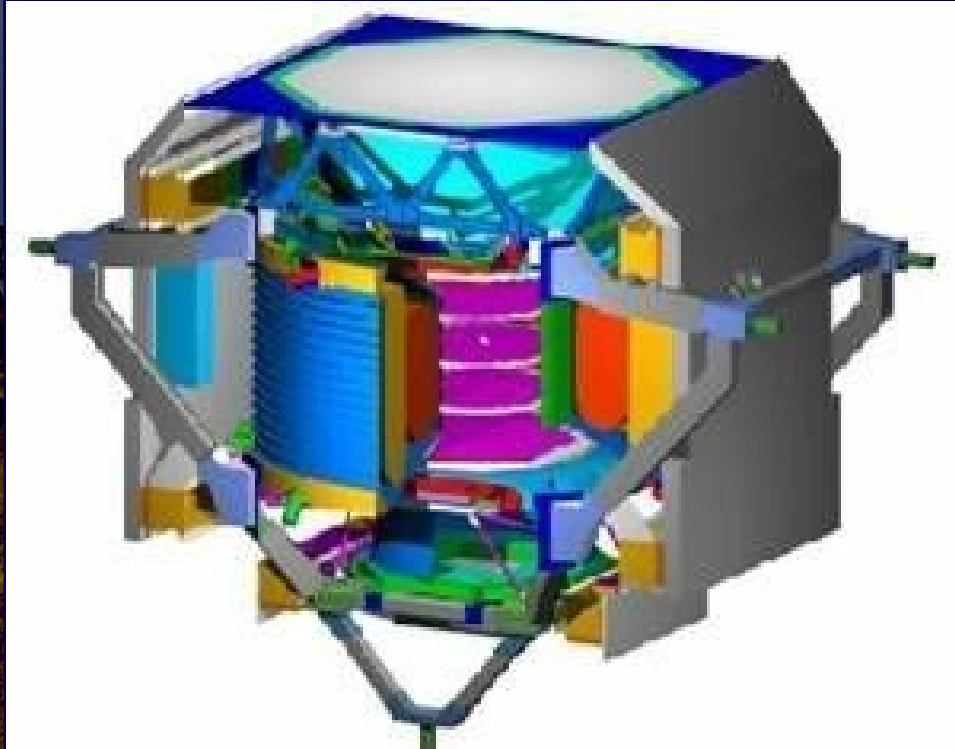
- Antiprotons flux compatible with propagation model
- Positron fraction is not

Dark Matter ?

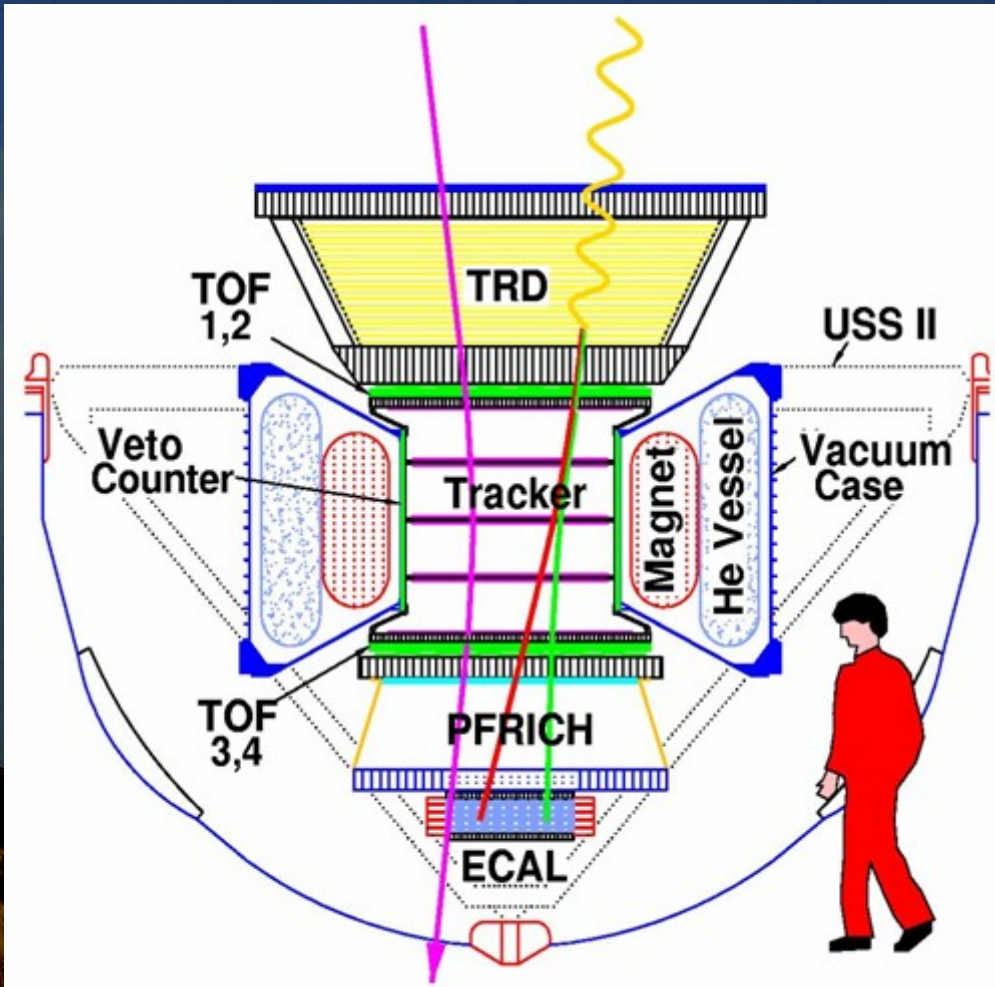


- Positron excess compared to diffusion models, antiprotons shows no excess
- A wino ($\omega \omega \rightarrow W^+ W^-$) at 150 GeV is consistent with positrons excess, but not with anti-protons
- A much higher mass (10 TeV) could fit the data, but conflicts with relic density (factor 1000)
- Possible exotic solution: annihilation into leptons ($\mu^+ \mu^-$), ... many papers

AMS - Alpha Magnetic Spectrometer



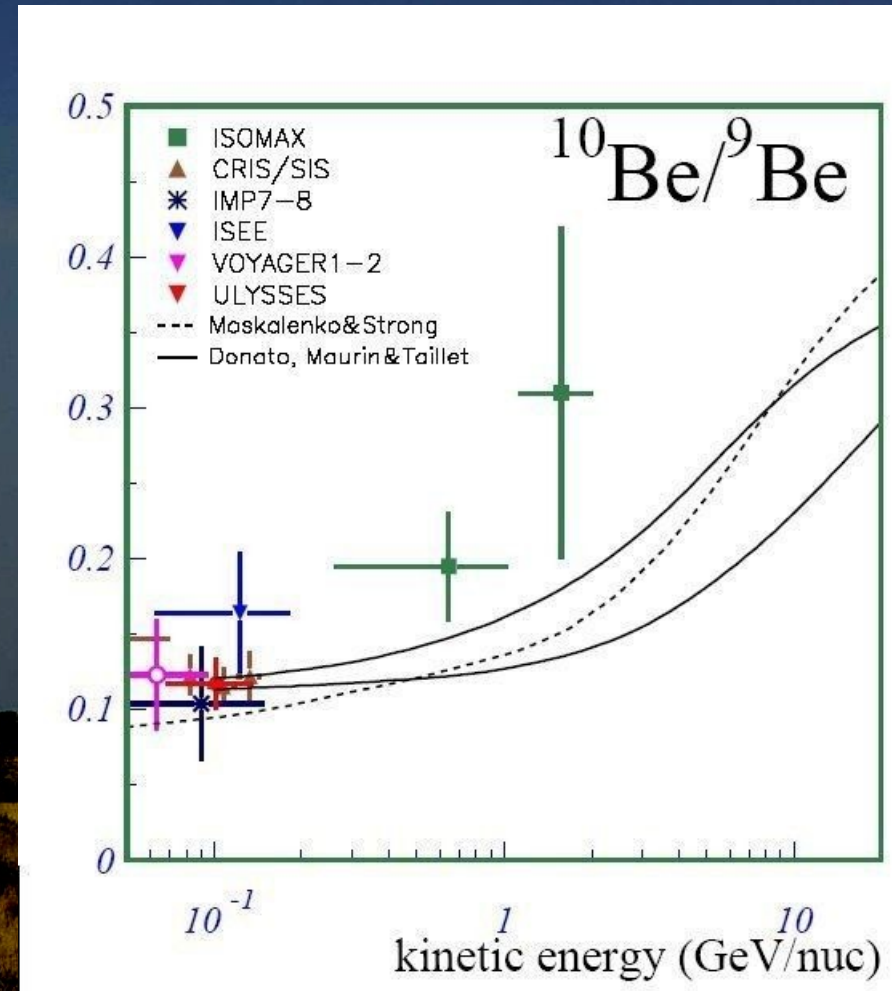
AMS



- ❑ A real (small scale) particle physics detector
- ❑ Spectrum & composition of charged particles from 500 MeV & a few TeV
 - ❑ Direct antimatter search (antihelium)
 - ❑ Indirect search of dark matter (e^+/e^-)
- ❑ Installed on the ISS in May 2011 (last shuttle flight)

Goals

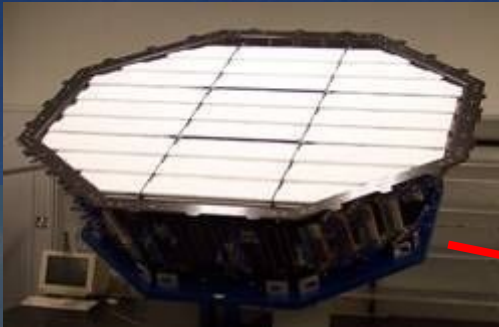
- Dark-matter (cf Pamela), e^+ , \bar{p}
- Secondary nuclei:
 - CNO spallation \rightarrow Li, Be, B
 - Propagation of cosmic rays in the Galaxy
- Cosmic ray clocks – isotopic composition:
 - ^{10}Be ($t_{1/2} \sim 1.5 \cdot 10^6$ ans)
 - $^{10}\text{Be}/^9\text{Be}$ ratio is a measure of time of propagation in the Galaxy
- Current isotopic measurements:
 - Low statistics
 - Only at low energy



AMS detector

TRD

Discrimination e/p



Tracker

Z, R

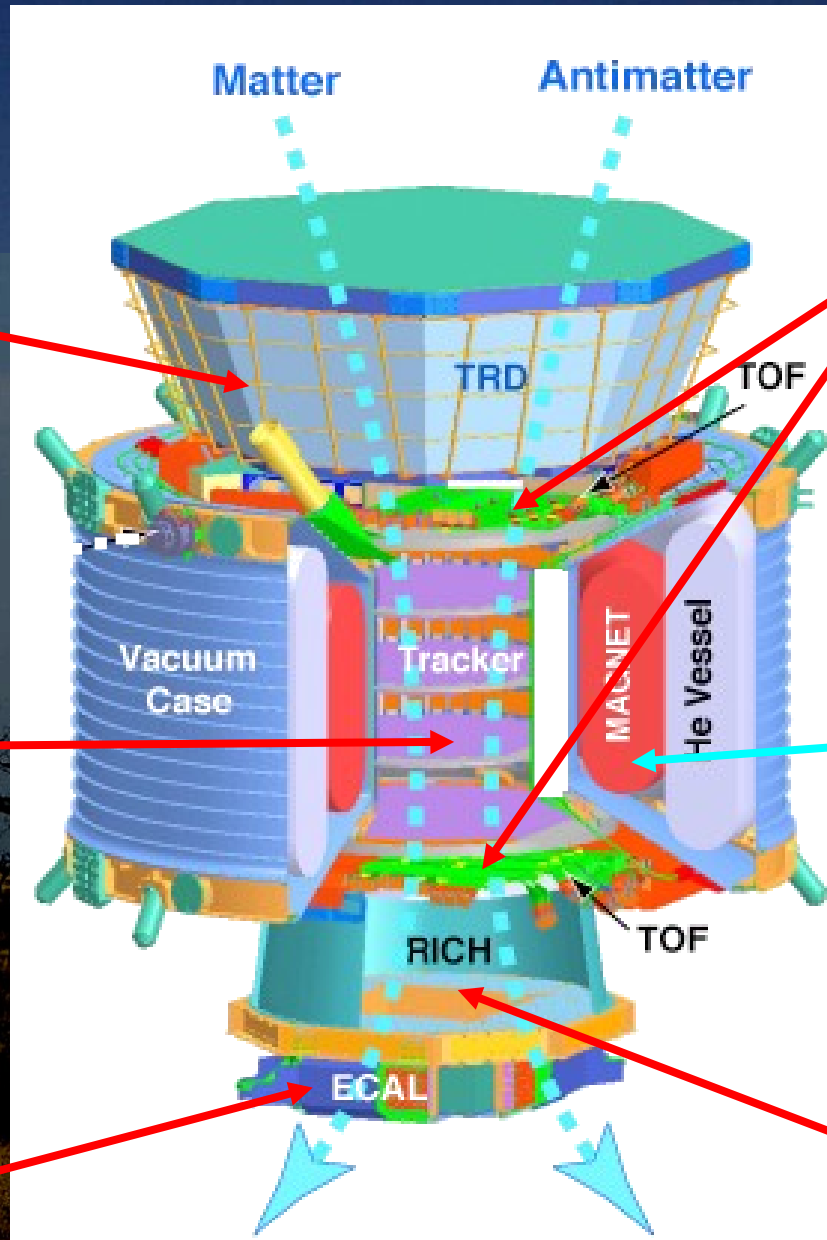


Electromagnetic Calorimeter

Discrimination e/p, E



Mathieu de Naurois

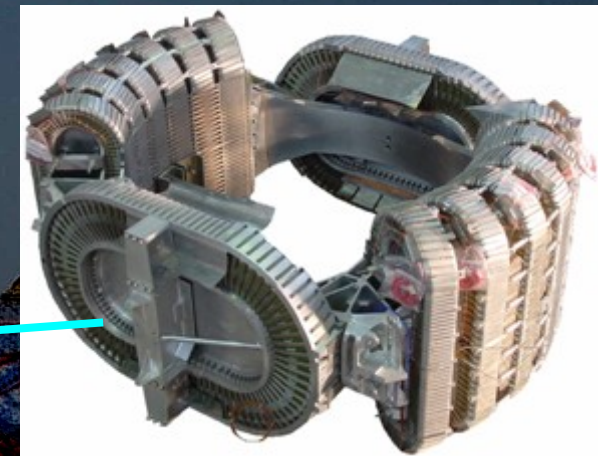


Time of flight

β, Z



Permanent Magnet



RICH

β, Z



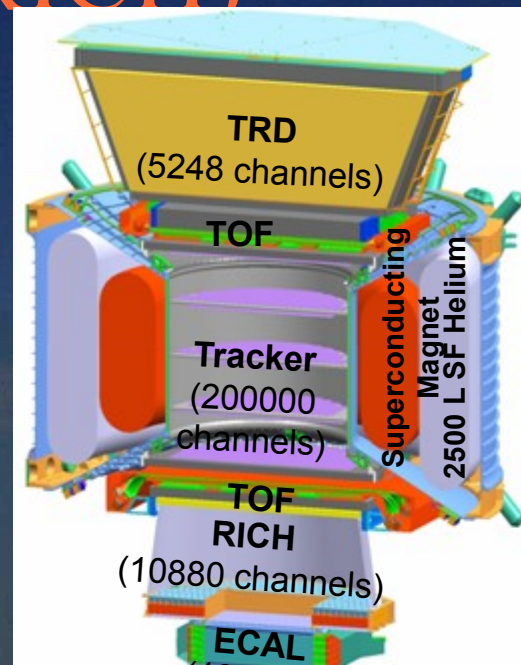
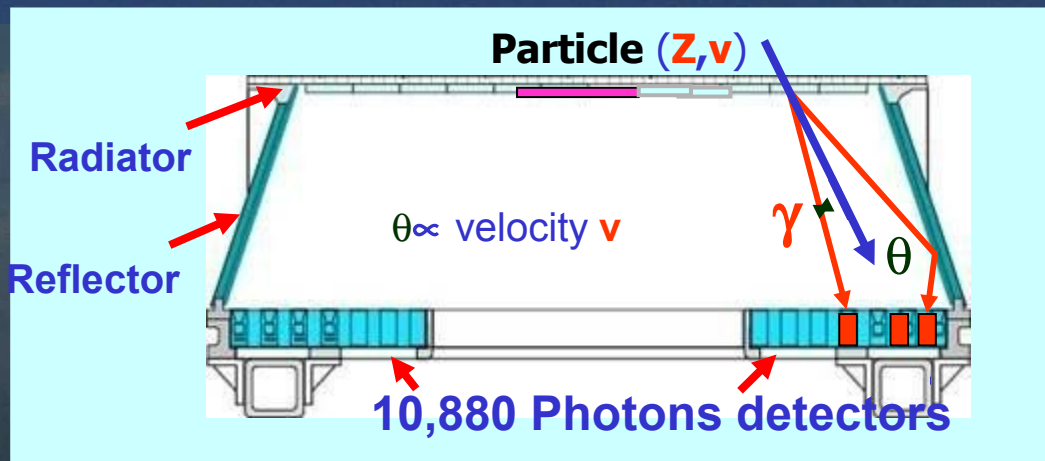
Size: 3m x 3m x 3m

Weight: 7 tons

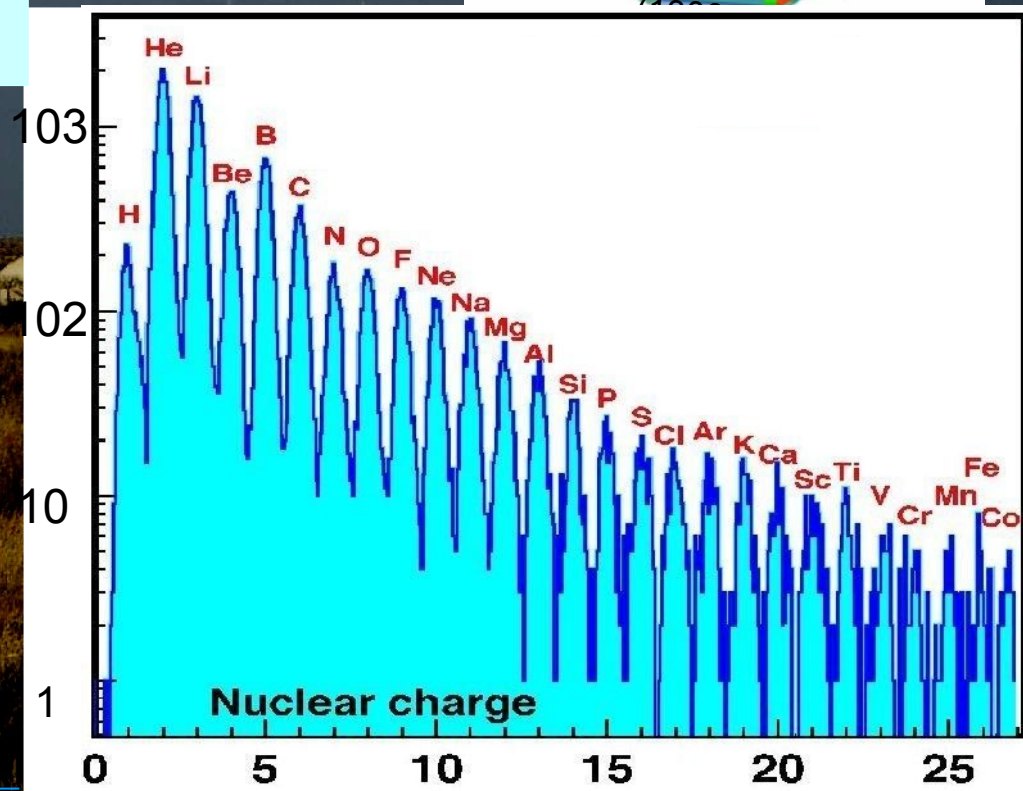
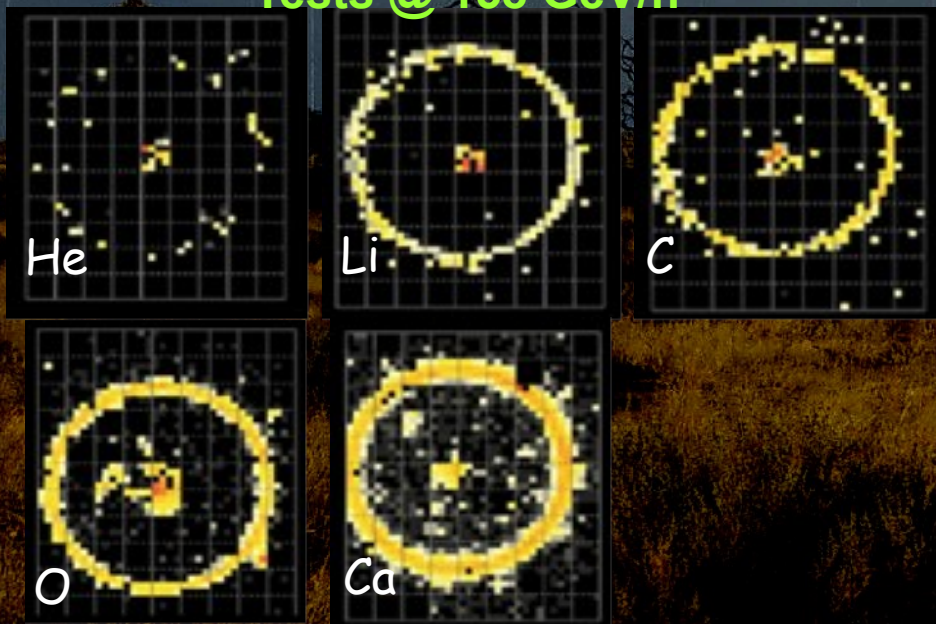
ASP - Kumasi - Ghana - 2012

Ring Imaging Cerenkov (RICH)

- Charge measurement ($\sigma(Z) = 0.3$) from photons density

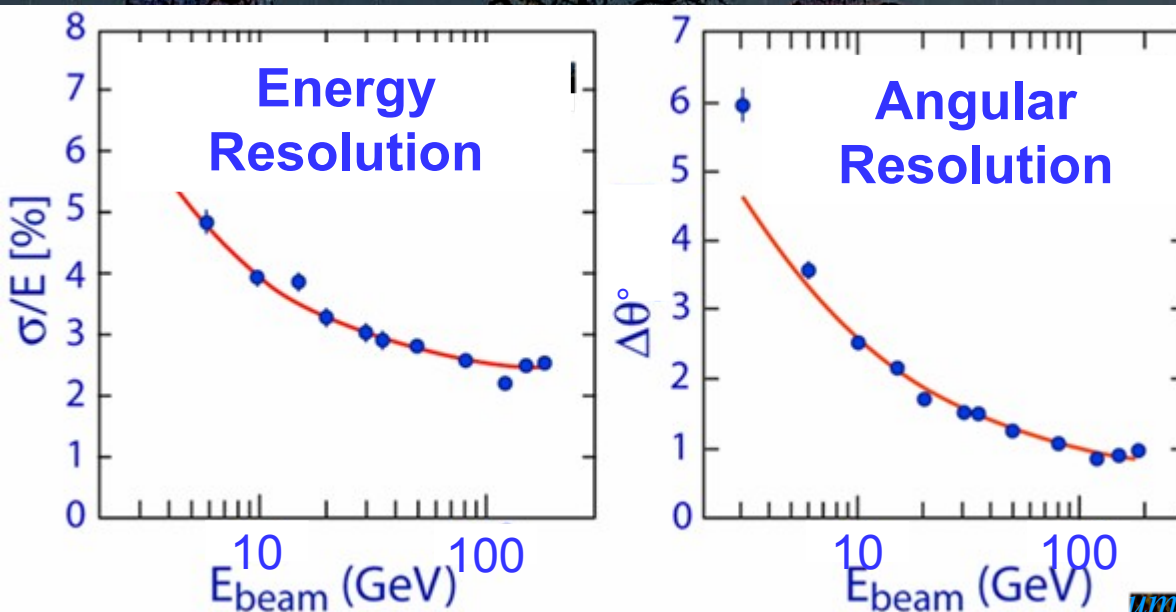
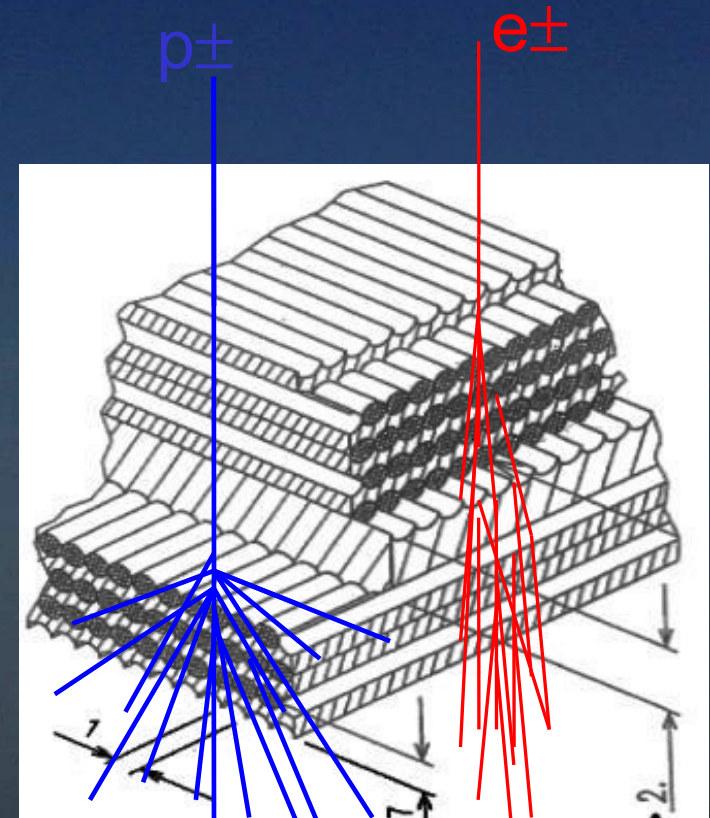


Tests @ 158 GeV/n



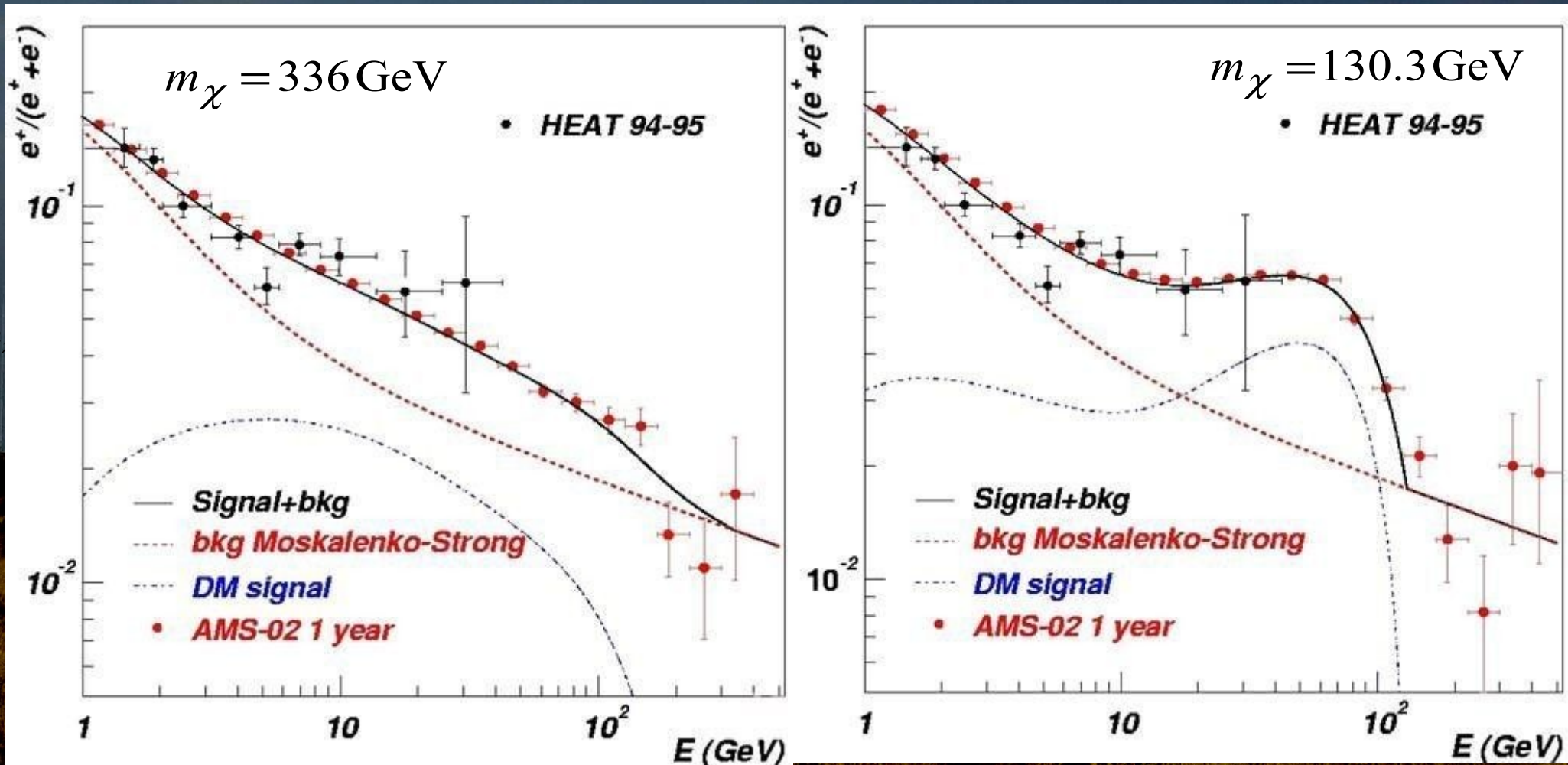
Electromagnetic Calorimeter

- 3D hodoscopic calorimeter
 - 9 super layers of 10 lead/fibres layers
 - Fibres alternated in X/Y
 - PMT readout
 - 16.4 X0 total thickness
 - Energy Resolution: a few %
 - Angular resolution ($0.5^\circ - 1^\circ$)
 - Rejection p^\pm/e^\pm $r=10^{-3}$ with 95% efficiency (using shower profile)

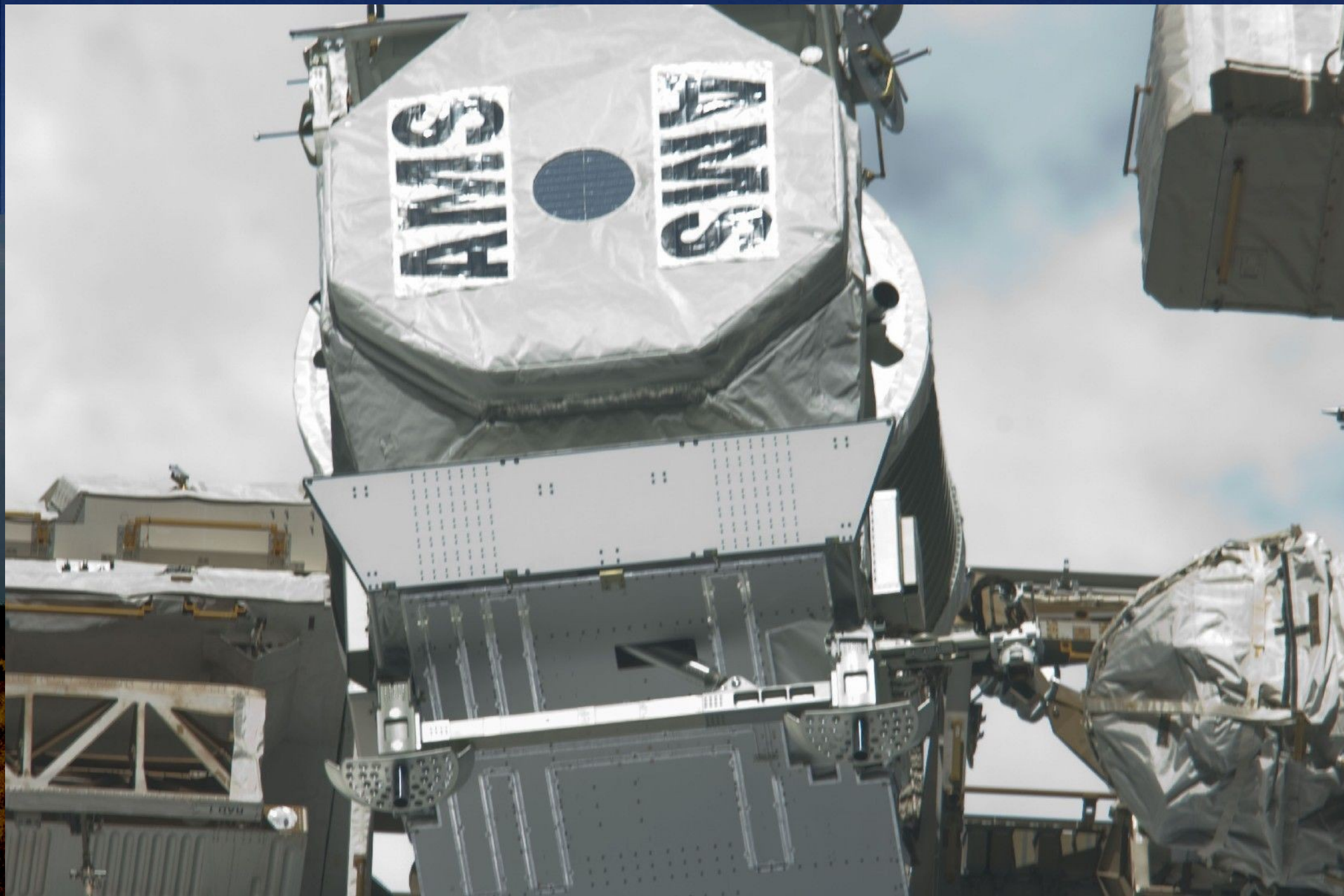


AMS-02: Expected SUSY signal

□ Much improved precision expected

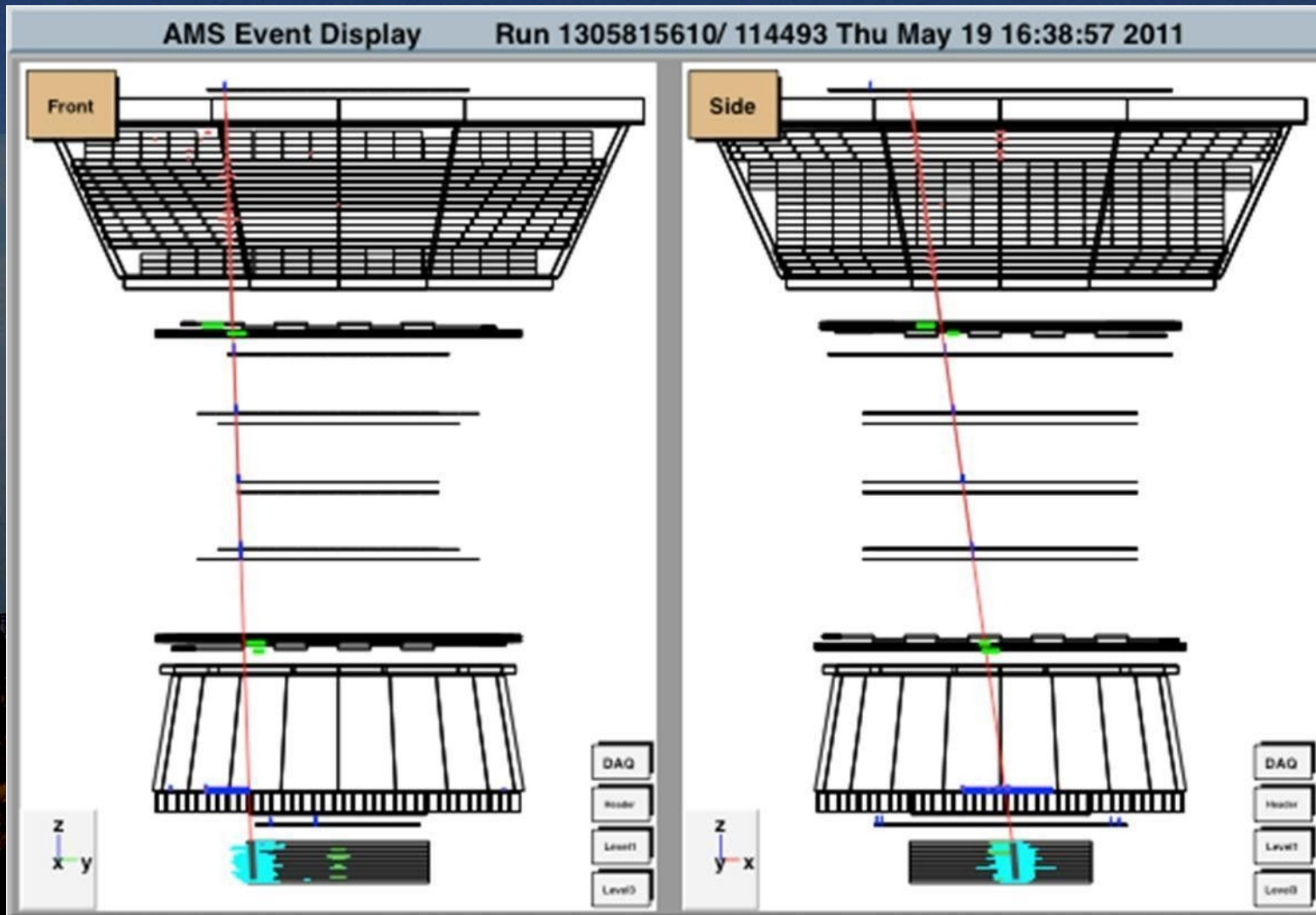




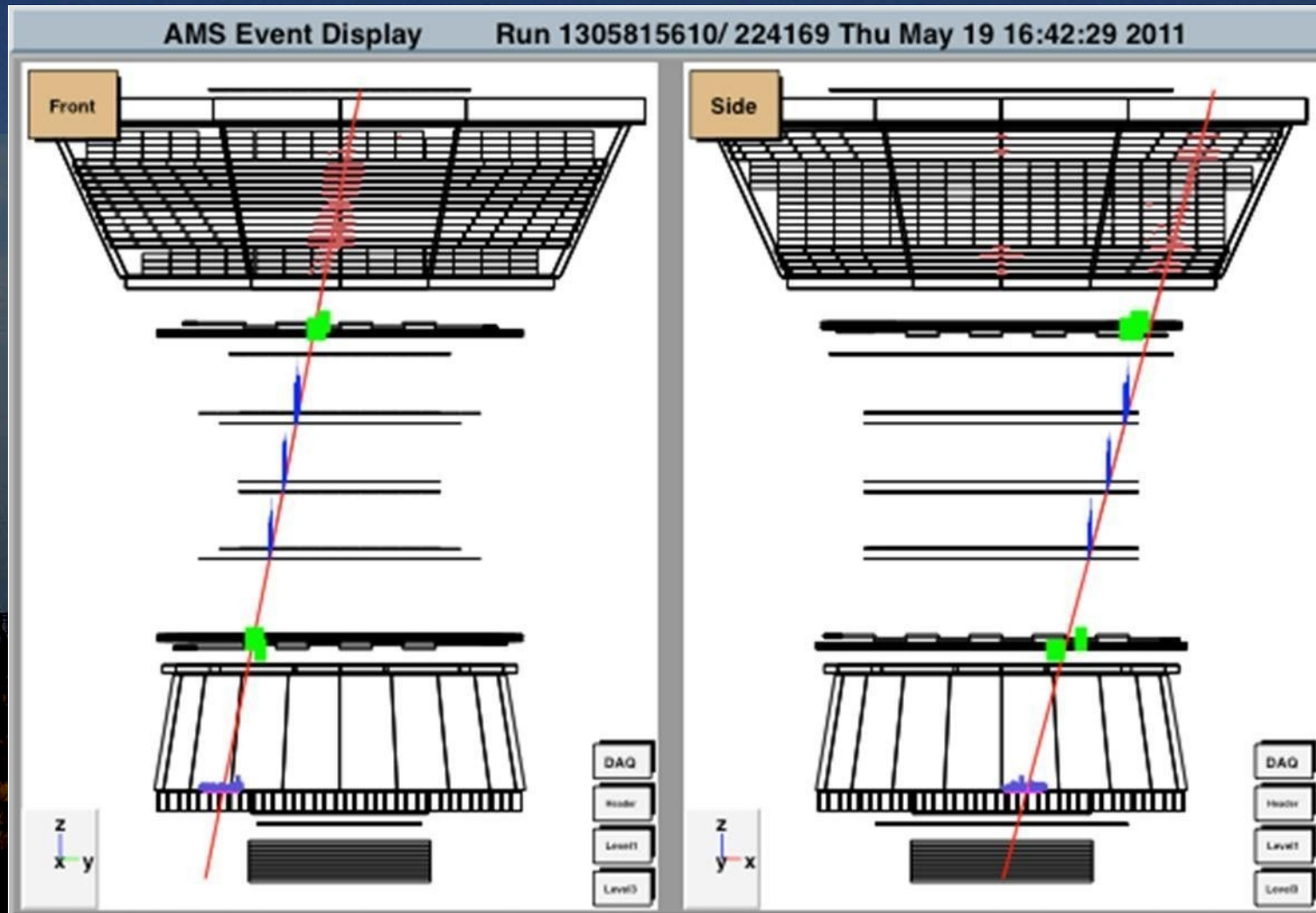




20 GeV Electron



40 GeV Carbon nuclei



First results to be announced in summer 2012.....

High Energy γ -ray Astronomy



Pair Creation Telescopes

□ Conversion of γ into pair $e^+ e^-$

□ Threshold $E_\gamma > 2 m_e c^2$ (1.022 MeV)

□ Pair opening angle

$$\theta \approx \frac{1.6 \text{ rad}}{E[\text{MeV}]} \approx 1^\circ @ 100 \text{ MeV}$$

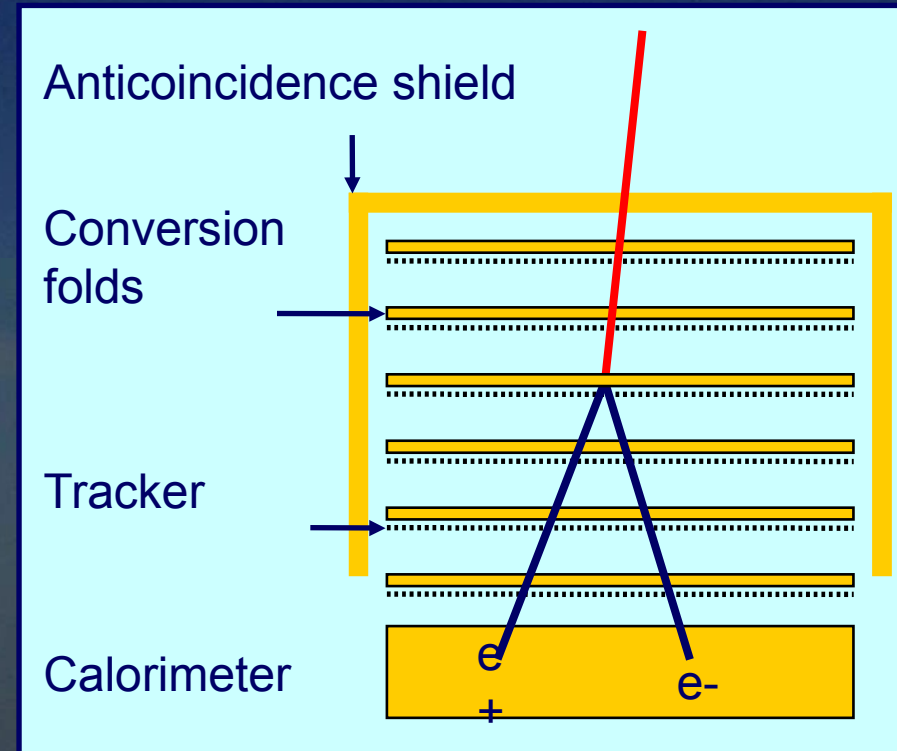
□ Average deviation:
(Multiple scattering)

$$\sqrt{\langle \theta^2 \rangle} = q(E_\gamma, E_e, Z) \frac{m_e c^2}{E} \ln \left(\frac{E}{m_e c^2} \right)$$

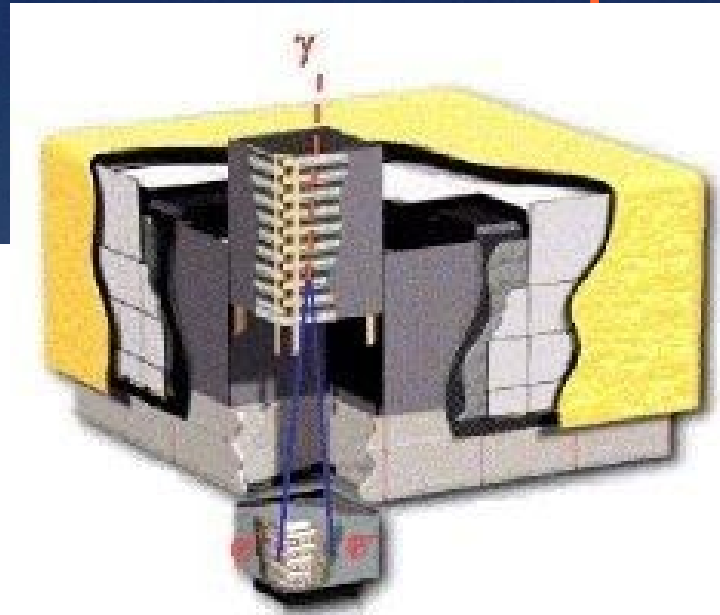
□ Almost no deviation for $E_\gamma \gg 2 m_e c^2$, @ 100 MeV: $\theta \sim 1.5^\circ$

□ $e^+ e^-$ reconstructed in a tracker \Rightarrow incident γ ray

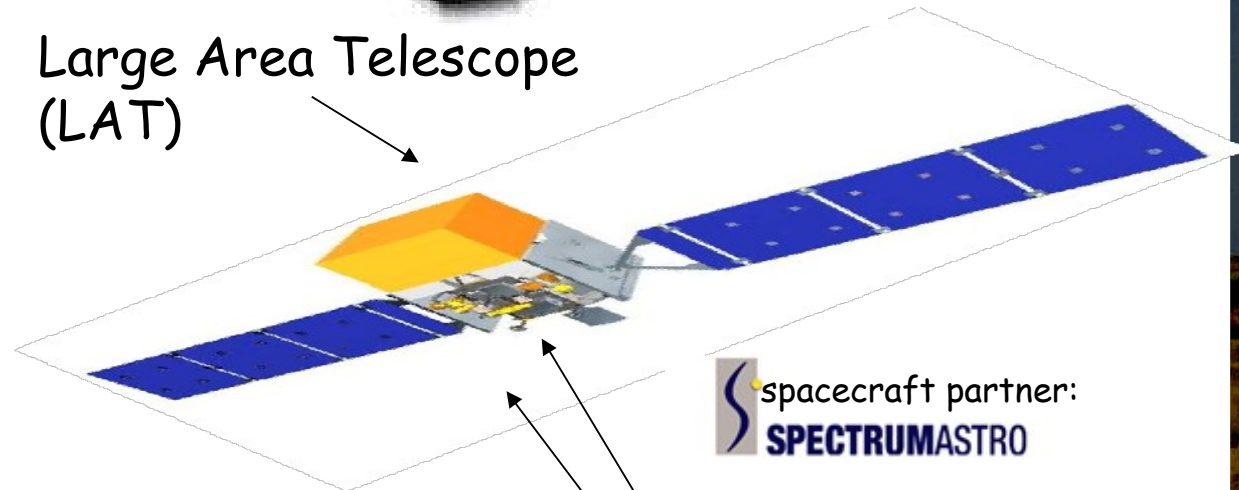
□ Anti-coincidence shield against charged cosmic rays



FERMI Large Area Telescope



Large Area Telescope (LAT)

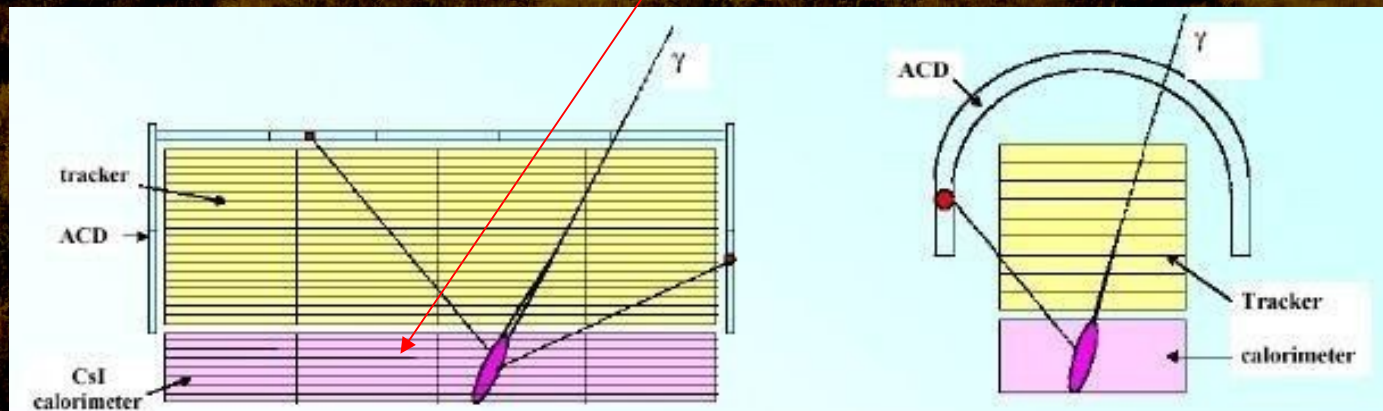
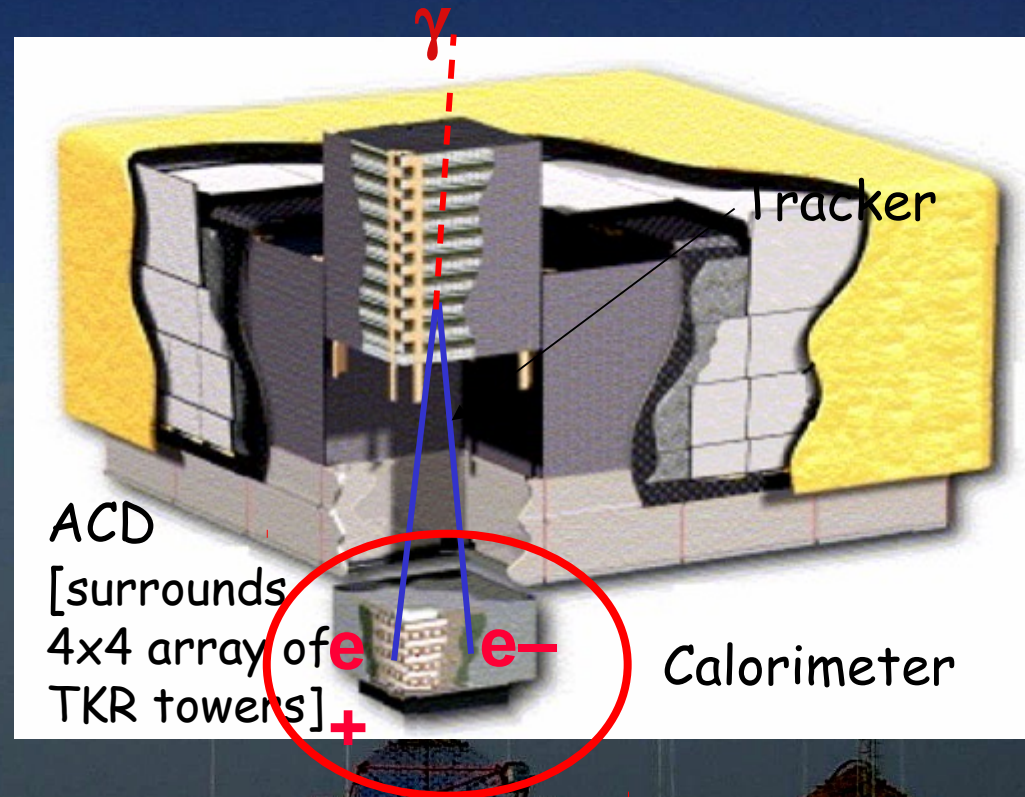


spacecraft partner:
SPECTRUMASTRO

FERMI Burst Monitor (GBM)

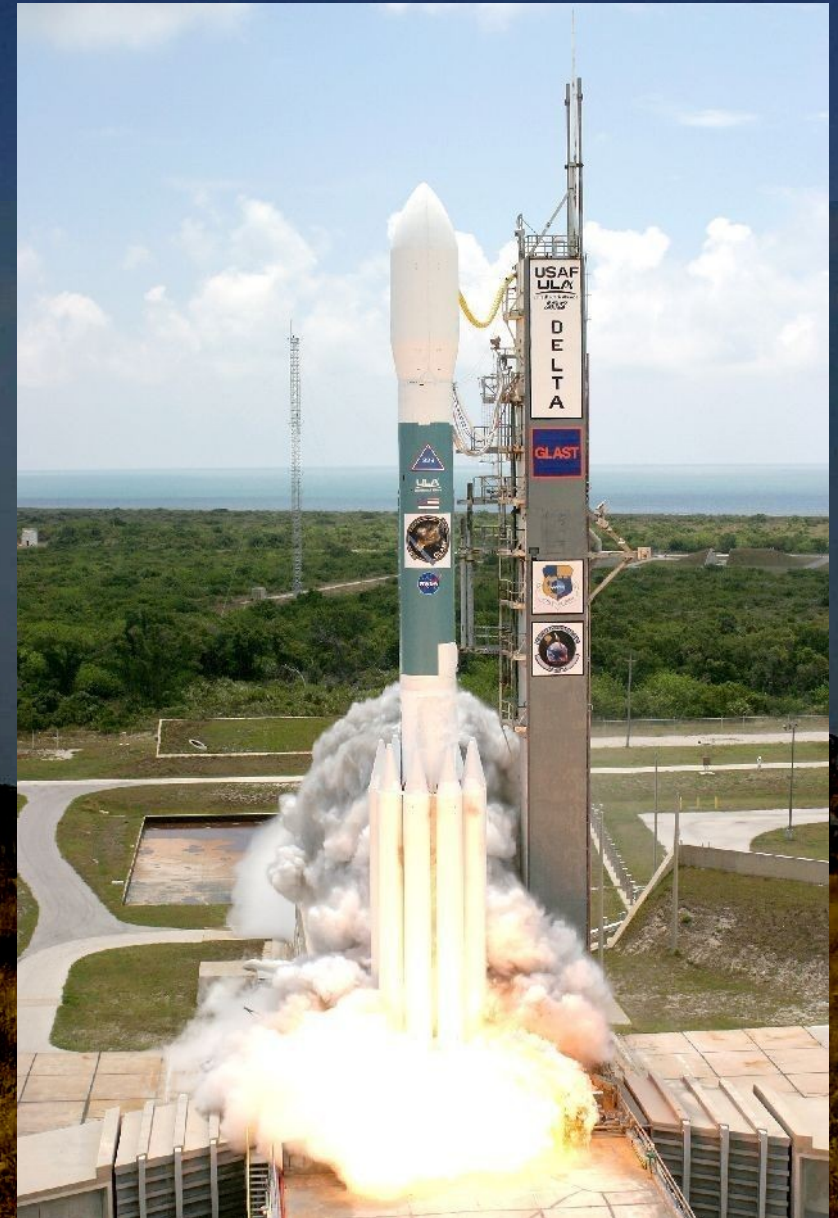
FERMI - LAT

- High precision tracker
 - 18 X/Y planes, Si strips (228 μm)
 - 900 000 channels
 - Triggers on 3 X/Y planes
- Hodoscopic Calorimeter
 - 1536 CsI(Tl) crystals(8 layers)
 - Shower imaging capabilities
- Anti-coïncidence shield
 - Segmented to avoid self-veto,
 - 89 folds



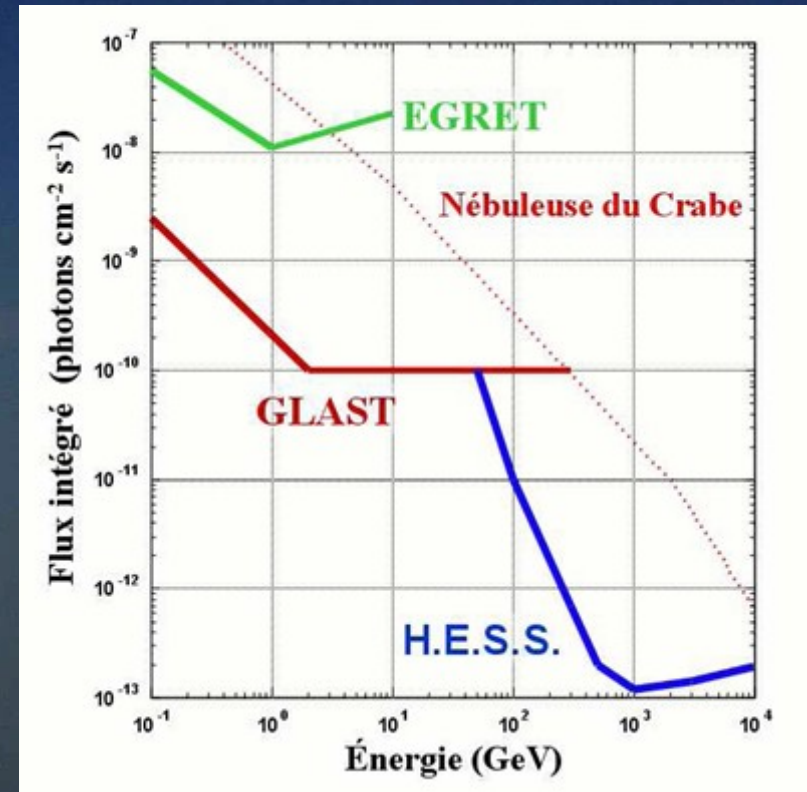
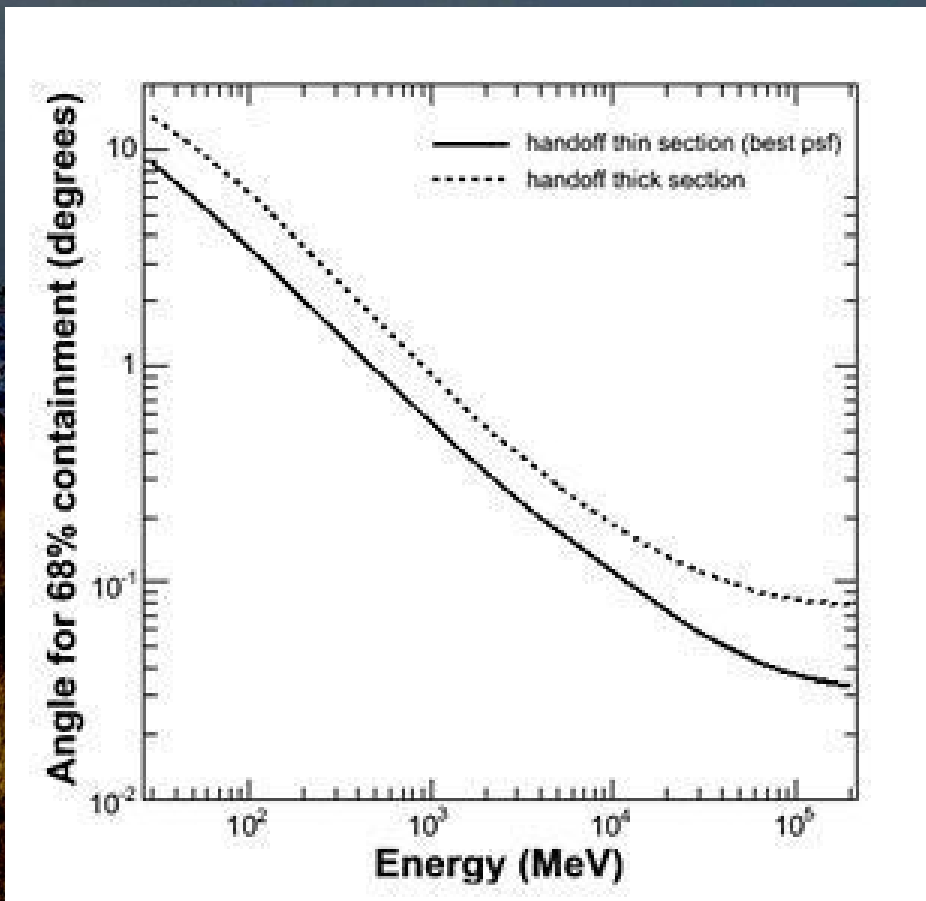
FERMI

- ❑ Launch: June 11th, 2008 (Delta rocket)
- ❑ Circular orbit @ 565 km (96 mn period), inclination 26°



Performances

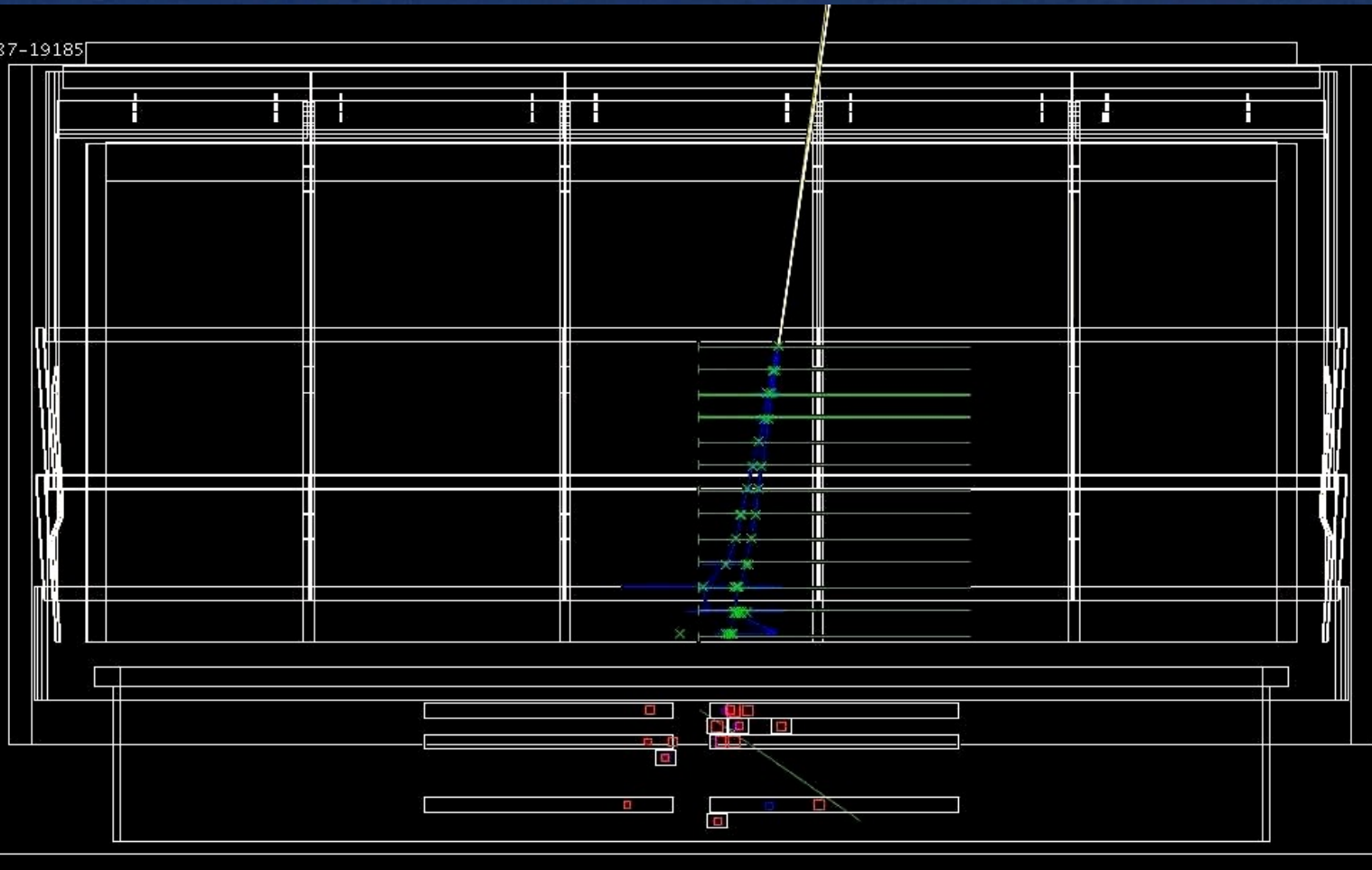
- 25 × more sensitive than EGRET
100 × at high energy
- Angular resolution
4° @ 100 MeV ⇒ 0.1° @ 10 GeV



- Energy Resolution ~ 10%
- 20% of sky seen at a given time
- 30 mn on each position every 3h
- 10 MeV – 100 GeV : 7 decades

Gamma-Ray candidate

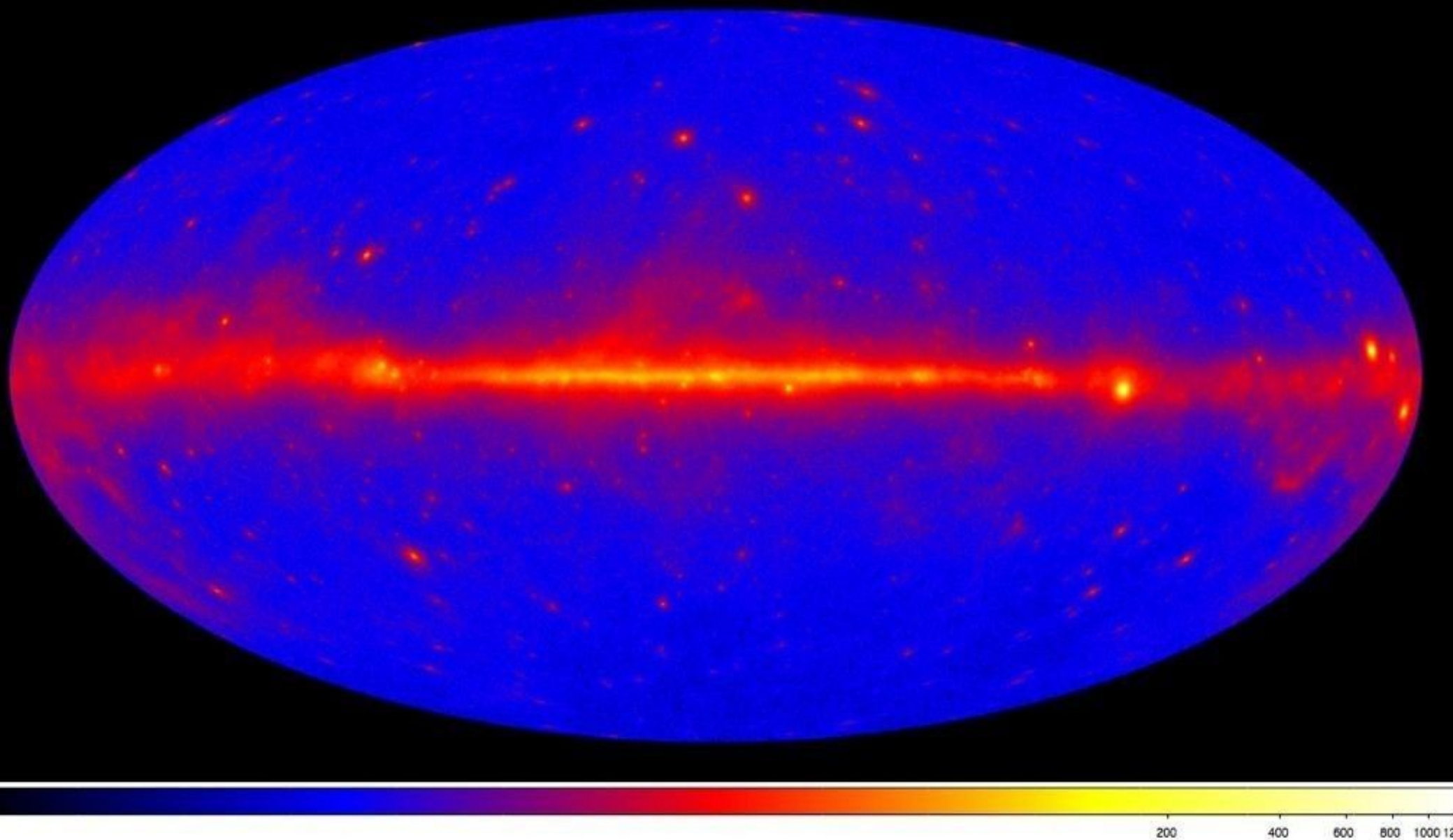
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- Green crosses: Charged particles
- Blue lines: Reconstructed tracks
- Yellow: Reconstructed direction of primary γ
- Red: Energy deposit in calorimeter

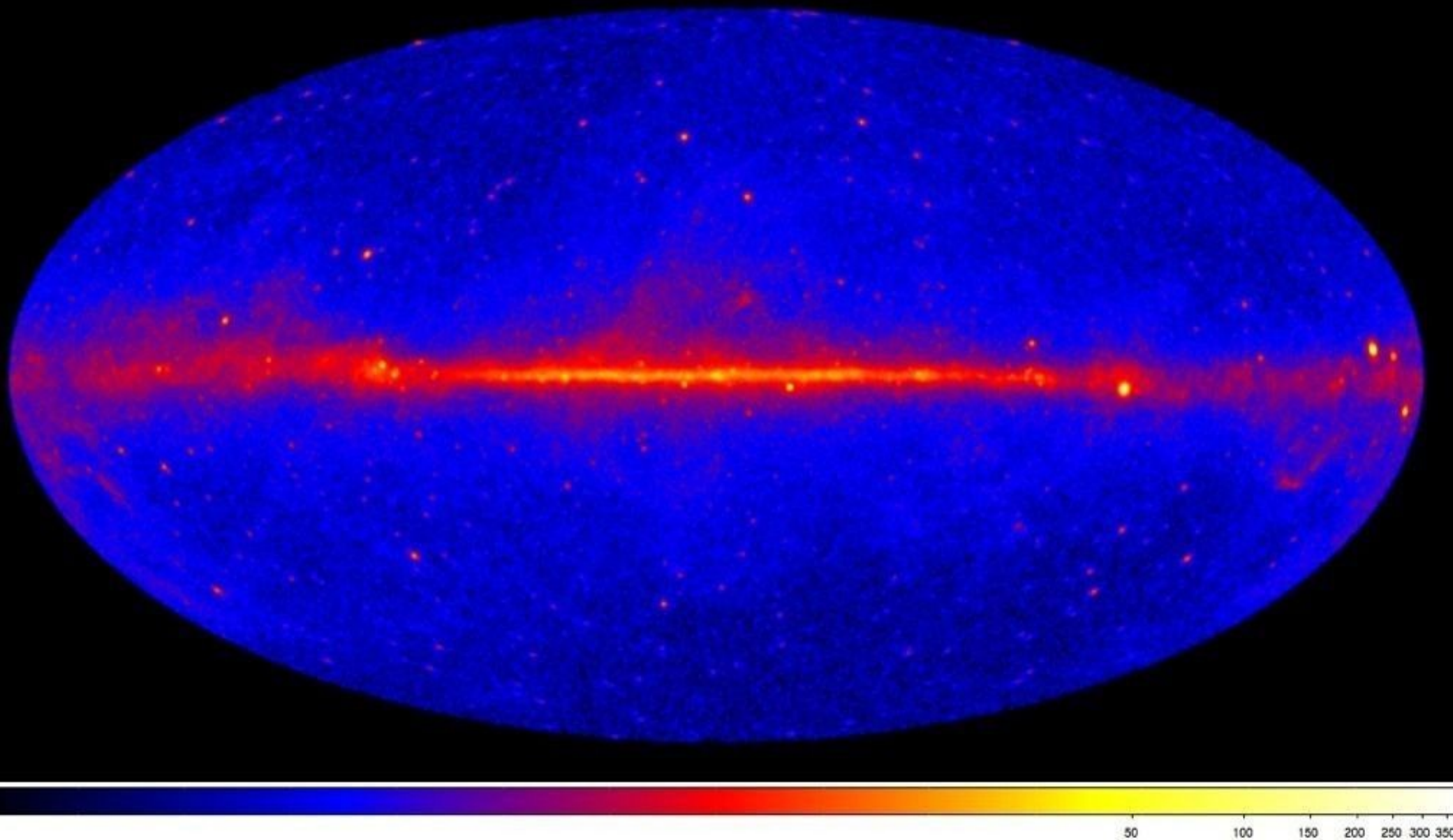
Fermi LAT > 100 MeV

□ 3×10^7 photons, $\langle E \rangle = 800$ MeV, $\Delta E/E = 100\%$



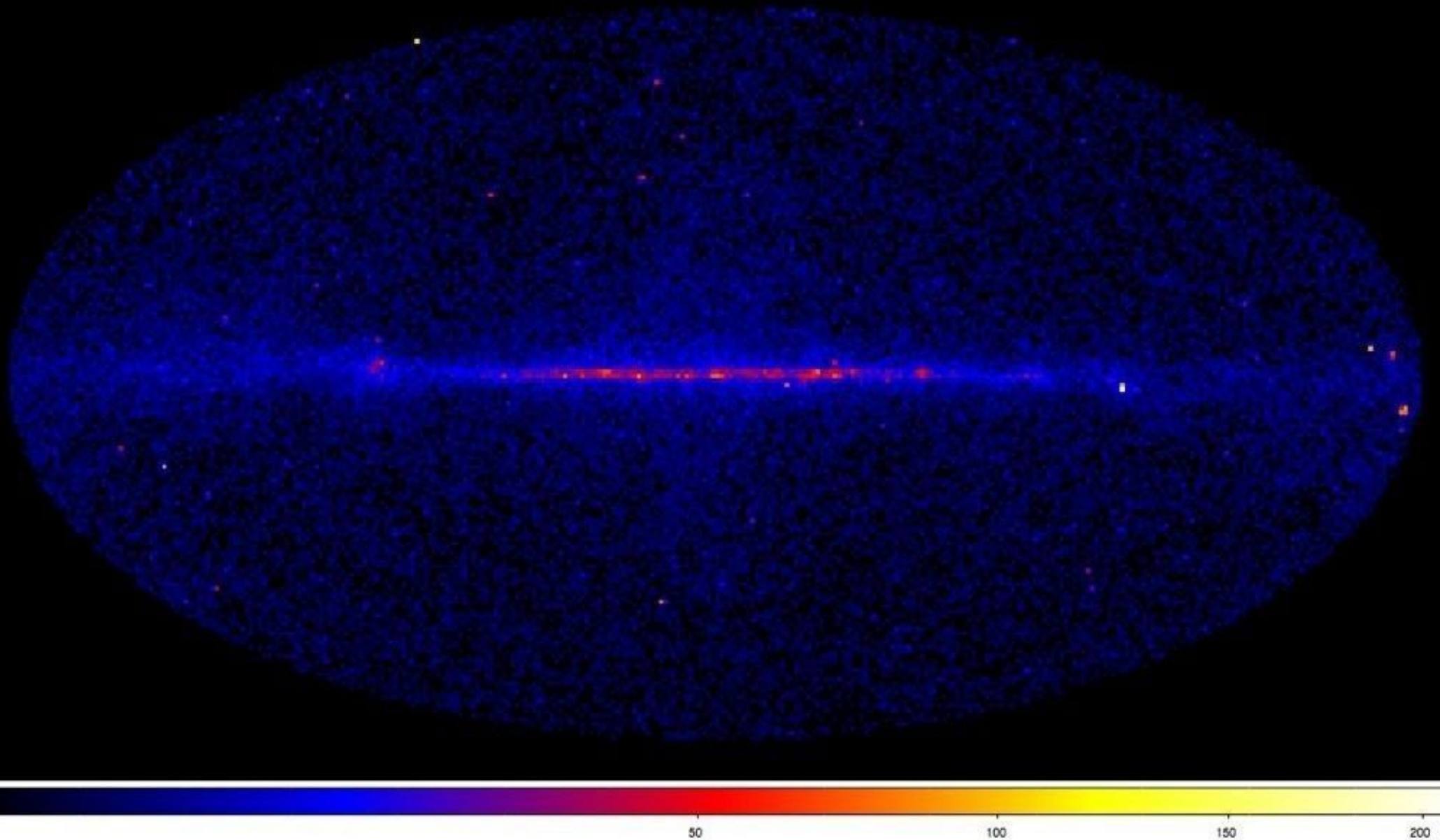
Fermi LAT > 1 GeV

□ 2×10^6 photons, $\langle E \rangle = 3$ GeV, $\Delta E/E = 17\%$



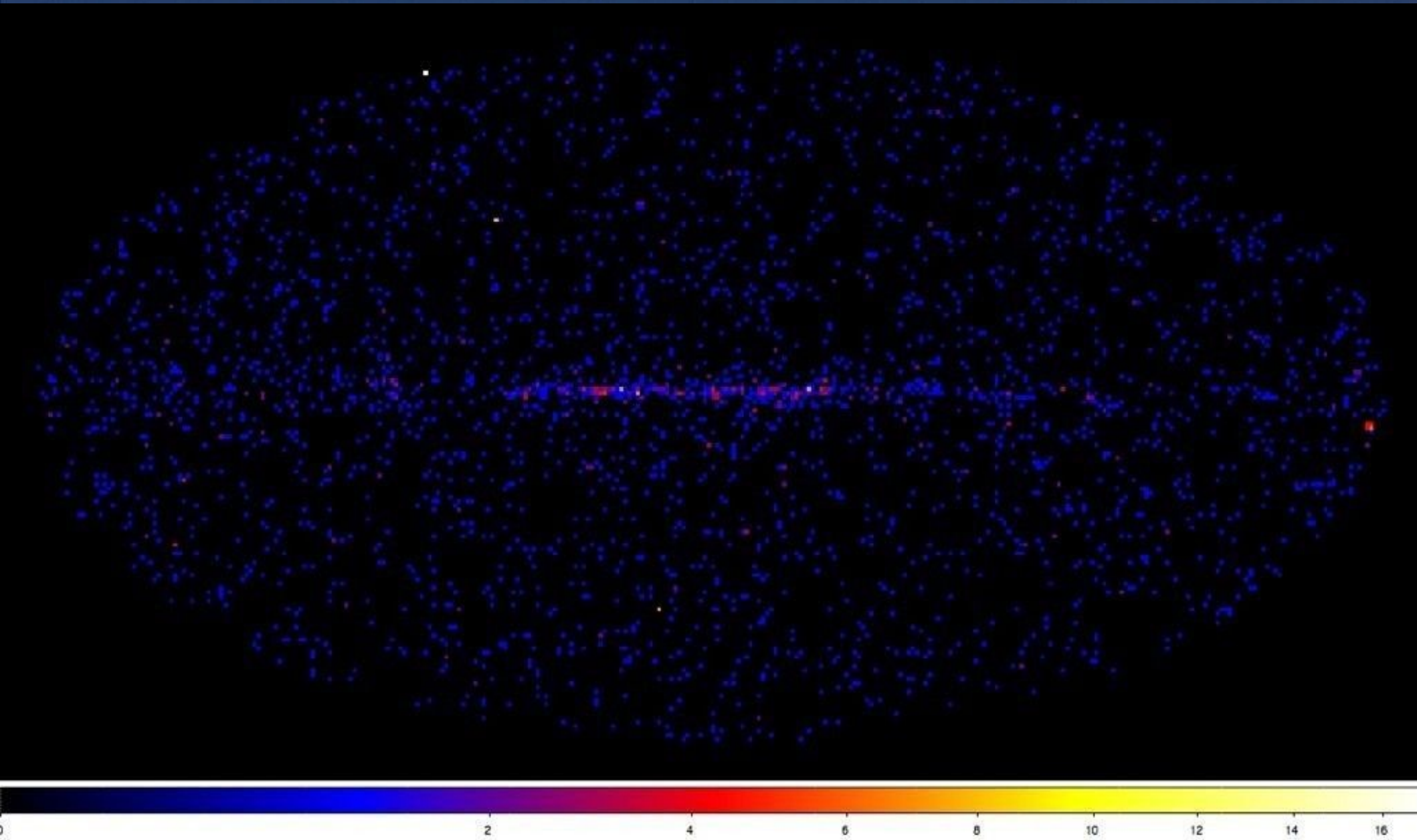
Fermi LAT > 10 GeV

□ 7×10^4 photons, $\langle E \rangle = 30$ GeV, $\Delta E/E = 0,6$ %



Fermi LAT > 100 GeV

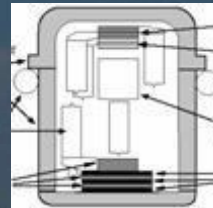
□ 3×10^3 photons, $\langle E \rangle = 150$ GeV, $\Delta E/E = 0,02$ %



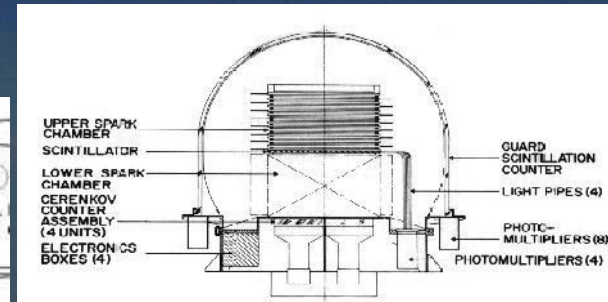
History of pair creation telescopes

- ❑ 1967-1968, OSO-3
- ❑ 621 γ , Galactic Plane
- ❑ 1972-1973, SAS-2,
- ❑ ~8,000 γ , 3 sources
- ❑ 1975-1982, COS-B
- ❑ ~200,000 γ , 25 sources (3C 273)
- ❑ 1991-2000, EGRET
- ❑ $>1.4 \times 10^6 \gamma$, 271 sources
- ❑ 2007- AGILE
- ❑ 2008- FERMI

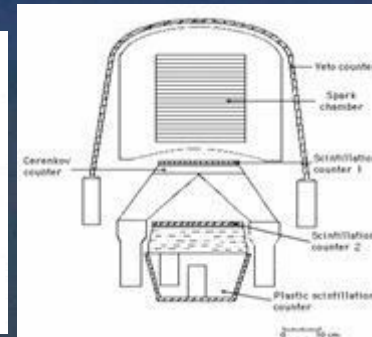
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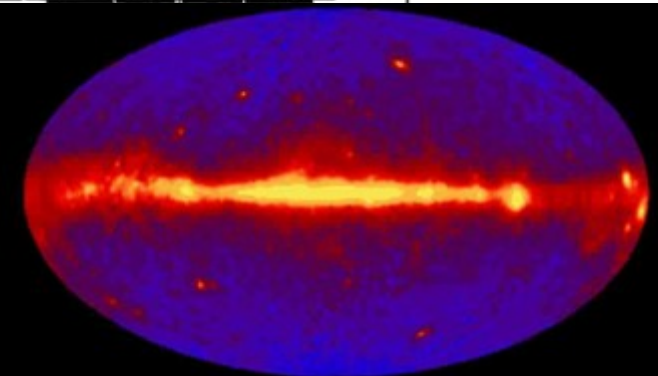
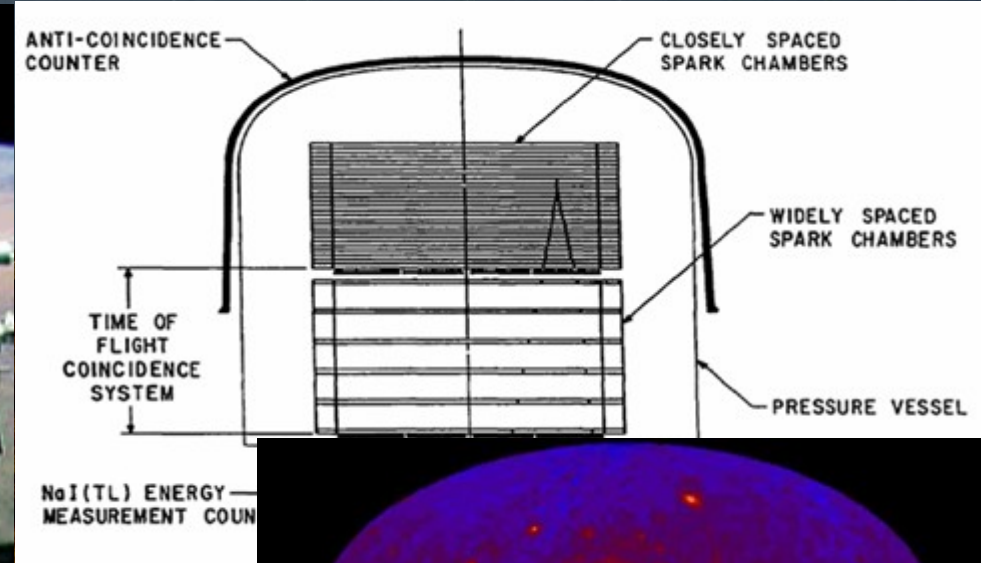
SAS-2



COS-B



EGRET



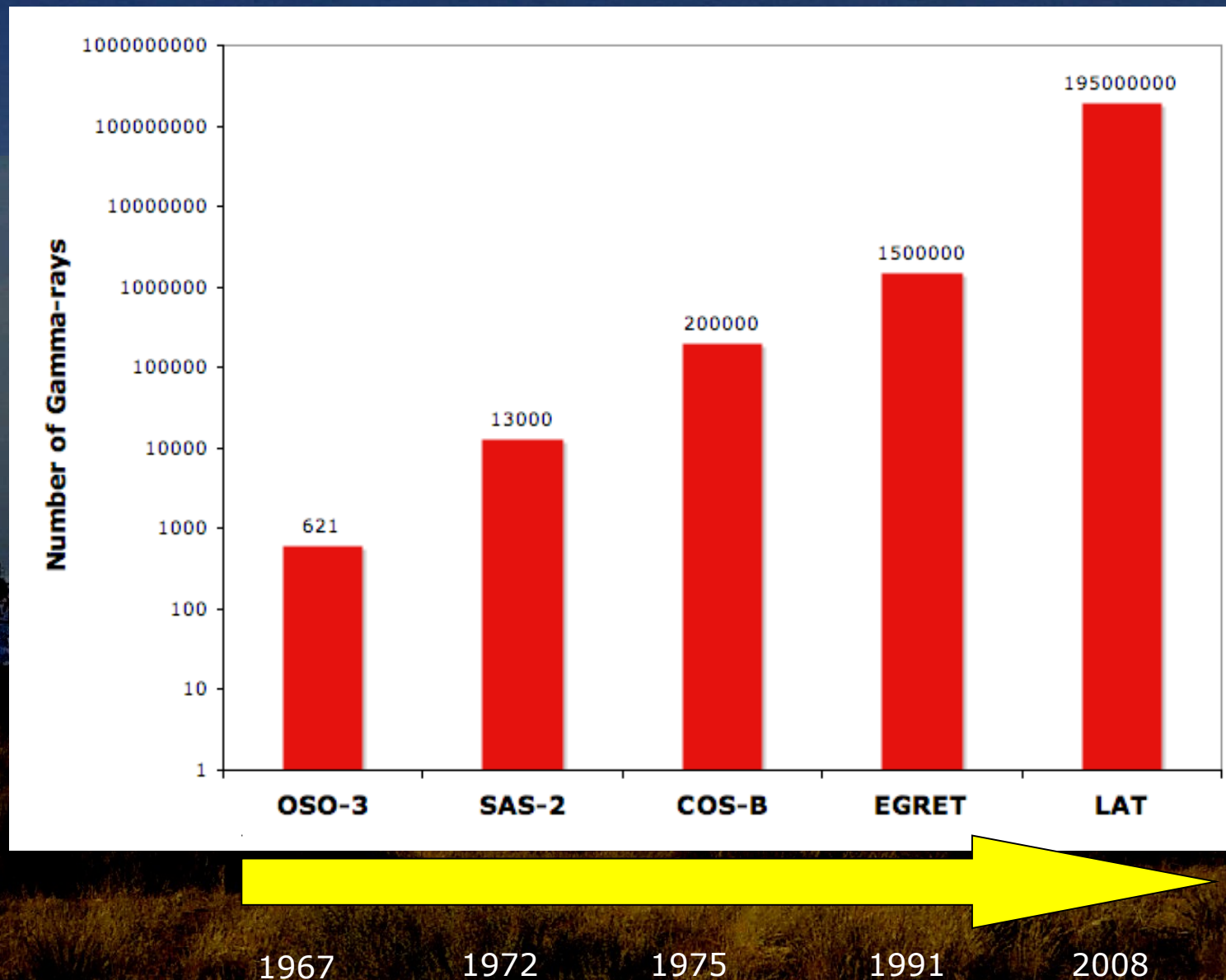
From EGRET to AGILE & Fermi

Instrument	EGRET	AGILE	FERMI
Launch	1991	April 2007	Februar 2008
Energy domain	2 MeV-30 GeV	30 MeV-50 GeV	10 MeV-300 GeV
Tracker	Sparck chamber	silicium strips + W (14 pl.)	silicium strips + Pb (18 pl.)
Calorimeter	NaI (TI) 8.5 X_0	CsI (TI) 1.5 X_0	CsI (TI) 10 X_0
Effective Area	1200 cm ² @ 1 GeV	700 cm ² @ 1 GeV	10 000 cm ² @ 10 GeV

From EGRET to AGILE & Fermi

Instrument	EGRET	AGILE	FERMI
Energy Domain	2 MeV-30 GeV	30 MeV-50 GeV	10 MeV-300 GeV
Field of view	0.20 sr.	2 sr.	2.4 sr.
Angular resolution	1.5° @ 1 GeV	0.6°	0.12° @ 10 GeV 4° @ 100 MeV
Localization accuracy	5' to 10 '	30 ' @ 300 MeV	0.4 '
$\Delta E/E$	10 %	100 %	10 %
Dead time	0.1 s	< 100 μ s	< 100 μ s

Gamma-ray count



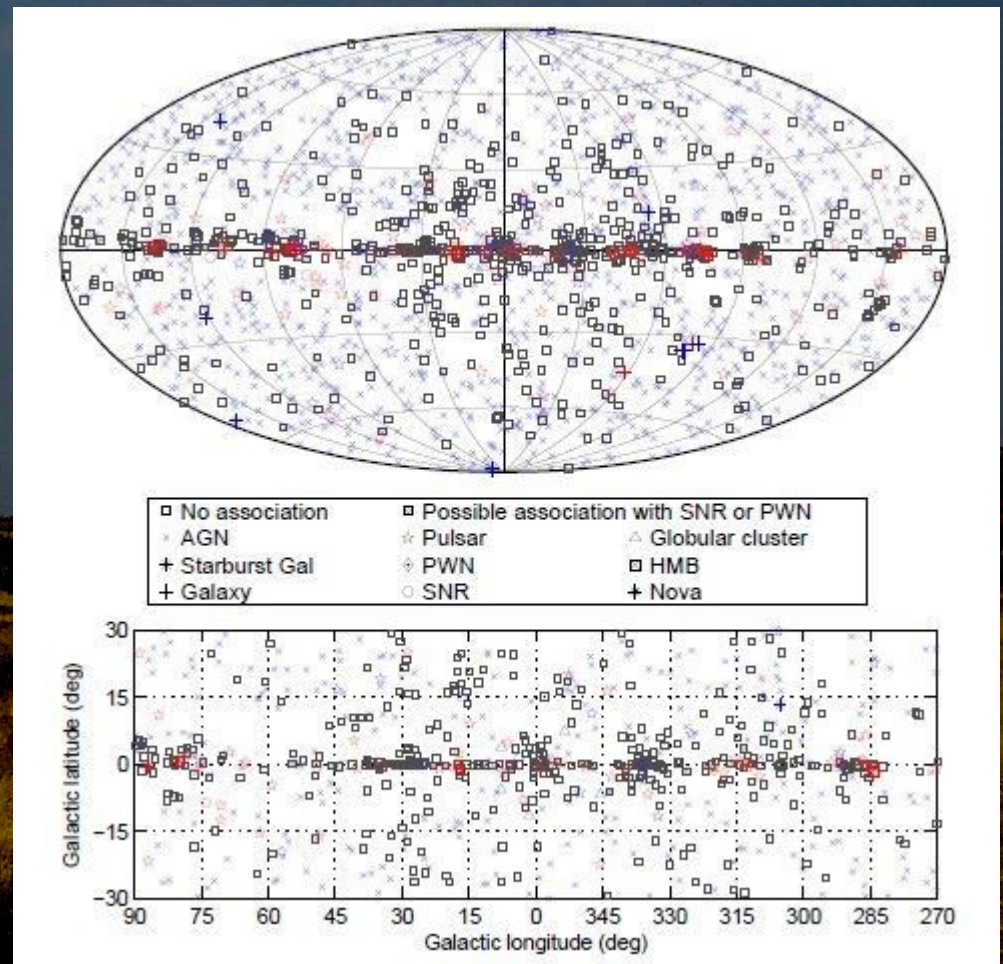
2 FGL Catalog

December 2011

<http://arxiv.org/abs/1108.1435>

Galactic Sources:

- 83 pulsars with measured P
- 58 PWN/SNR associations
- 25 pulsars without γ period
- 11 globular clusters
- 10 SNRs
- 4 binary systems
- 3 isolated PWN
- 1 nova



Pulsars

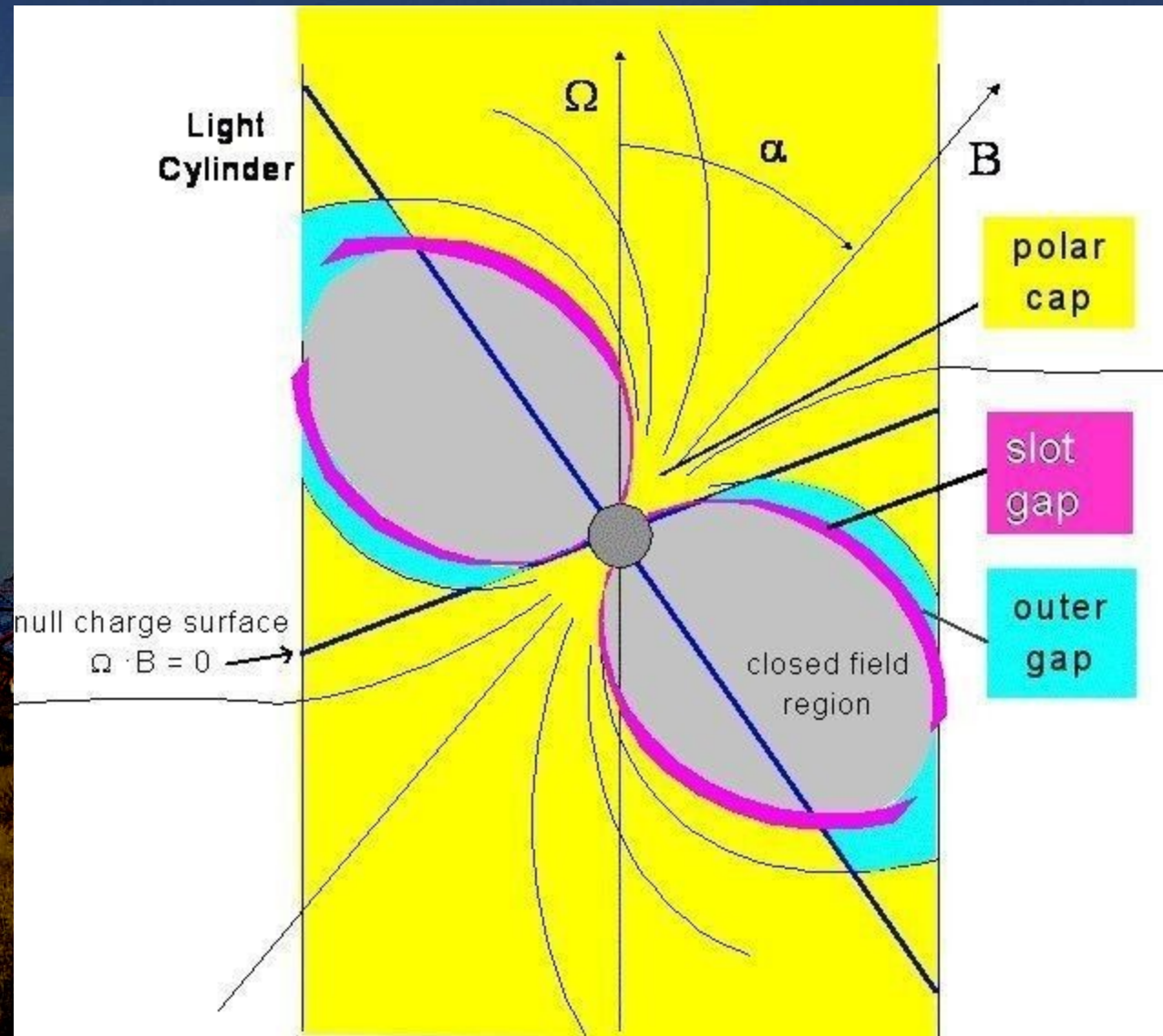
□ Compact object (neutron star) highly magnetized, rapidly rotating:

□ $R \sim 10 \text{ km}$

□ $M \sim 1.4 M_{\odot}$

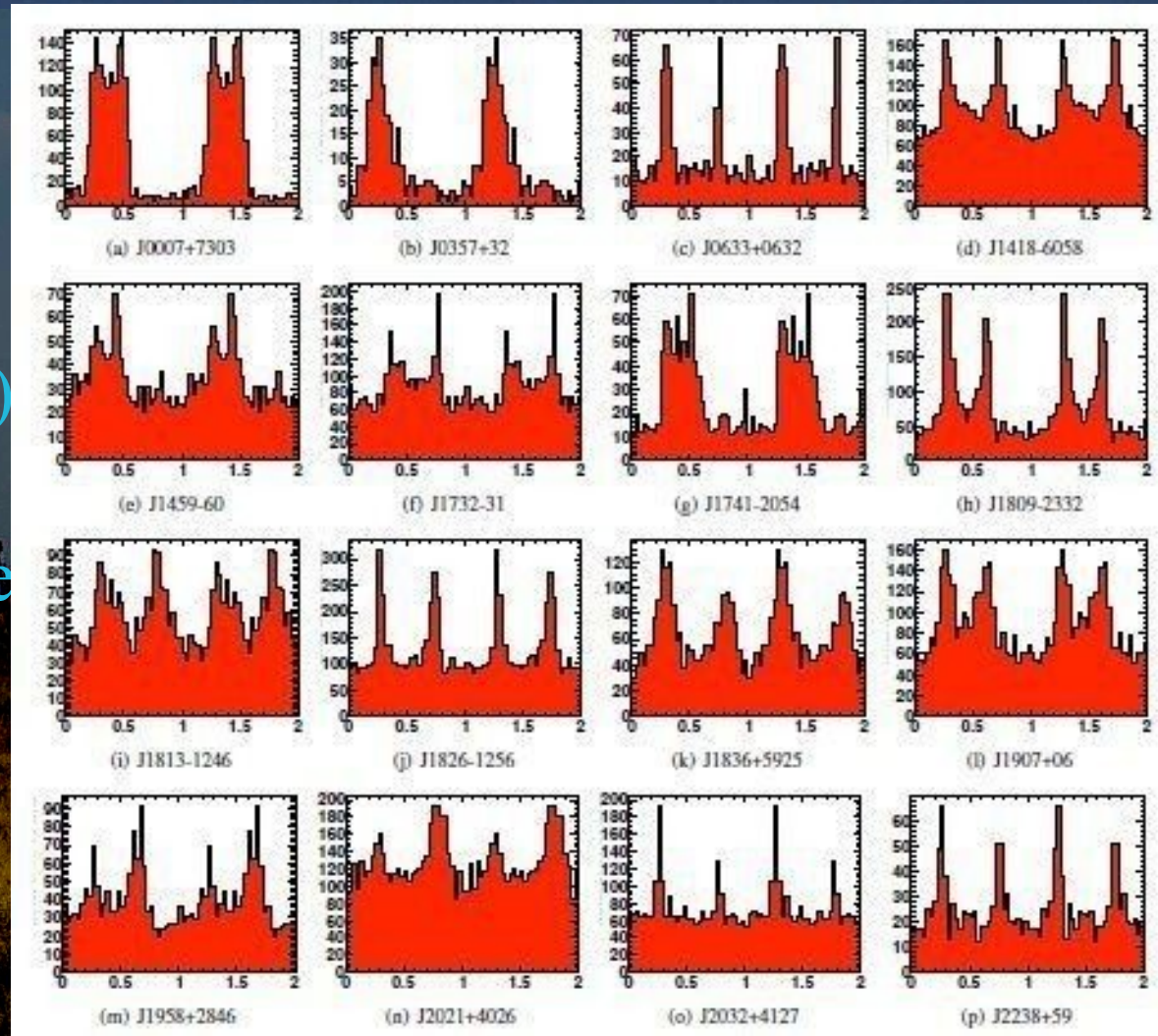
□ Period $\text{ms} \Rightarrow \text{s}$

□ Several possible acceleration regions

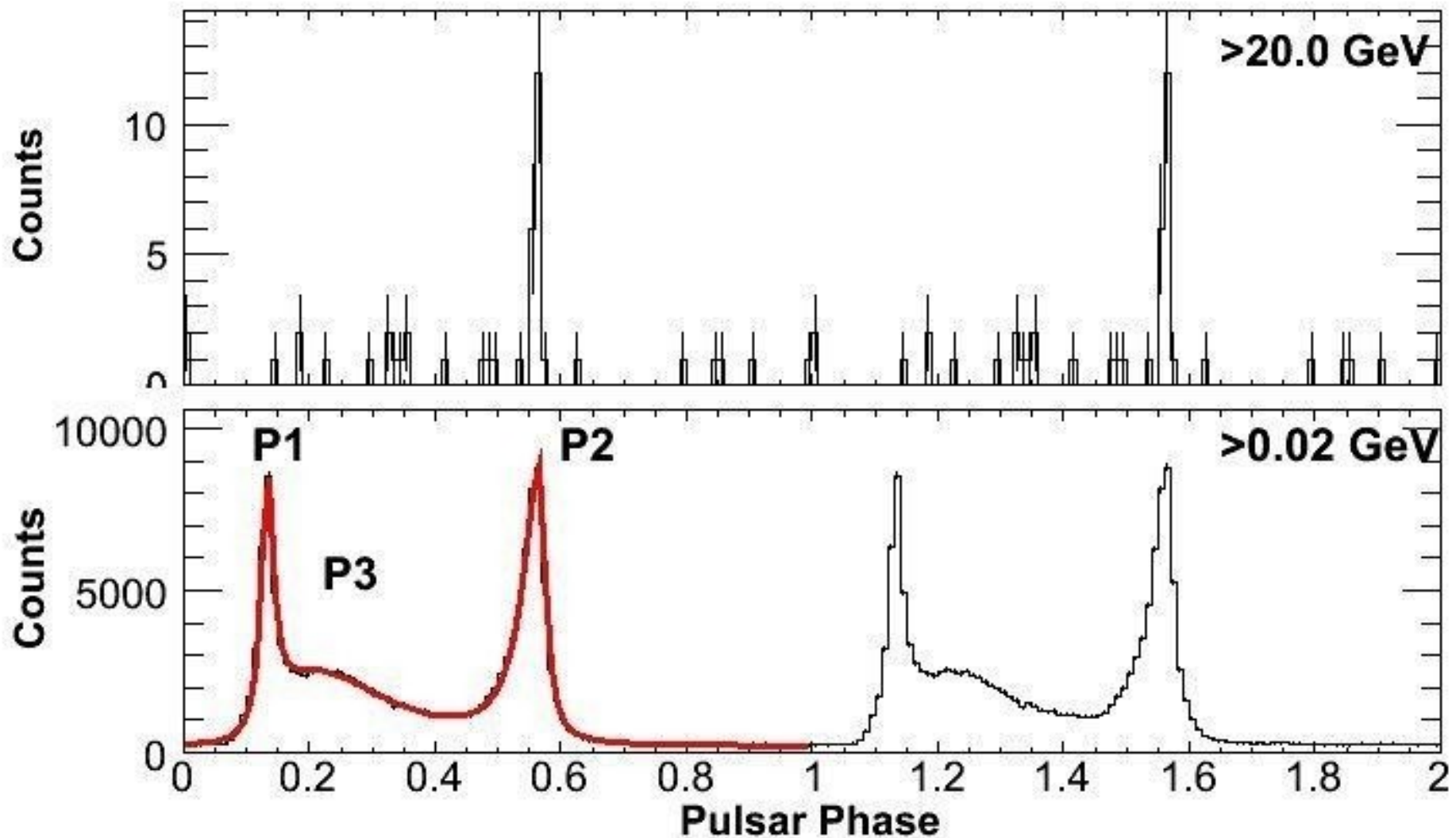


Gamma-ray pulsars

- Gamma-ray pulsar: seen only in GeV.
- EGRET: A single gamma-ray pulsar (Geminga) out of 8 pulsars
- Fermi: discovery of a full population (16 in 6 month)
- Strong constraints on the geometry of emission zone (cone opening angle vs energy)



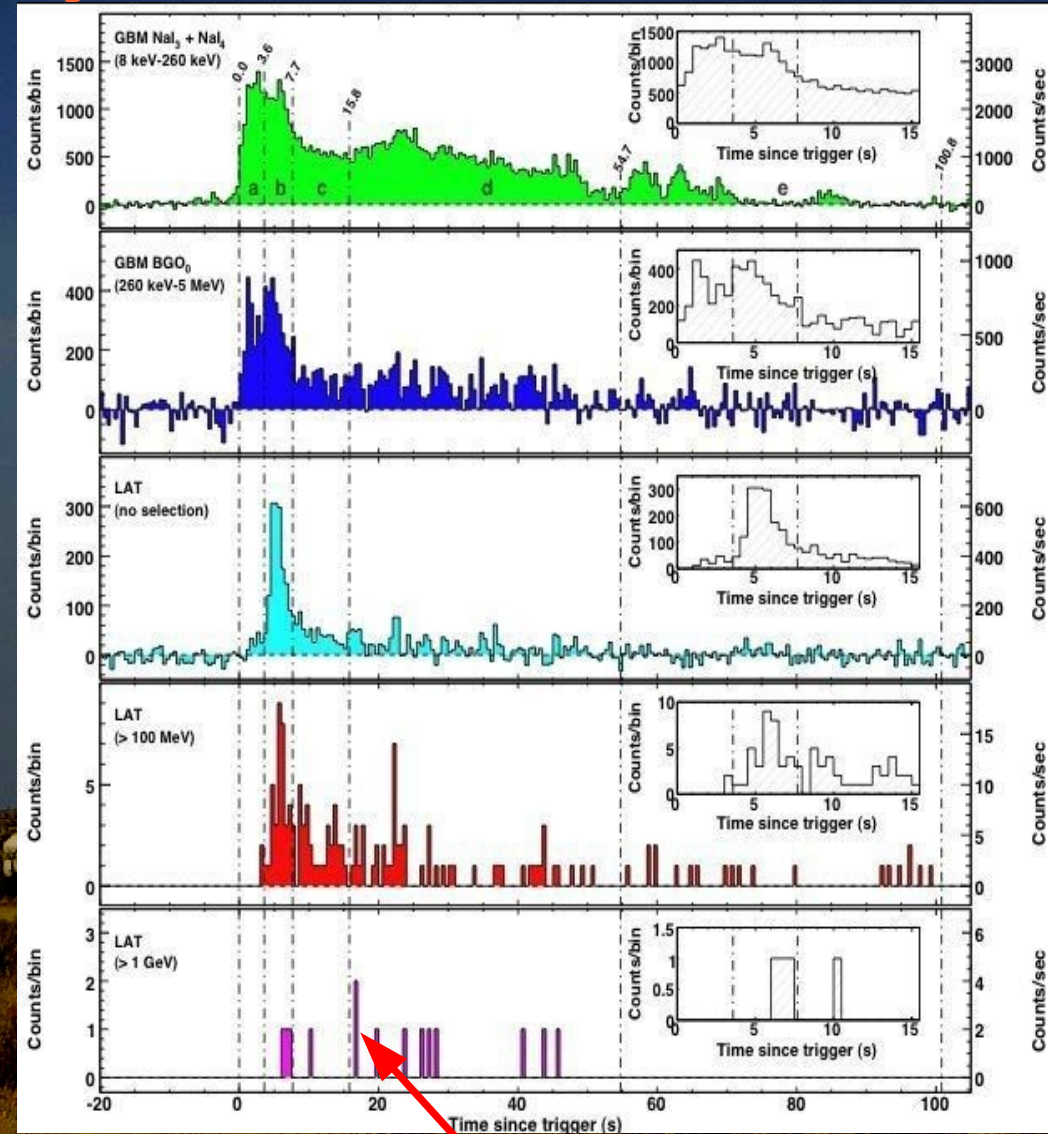
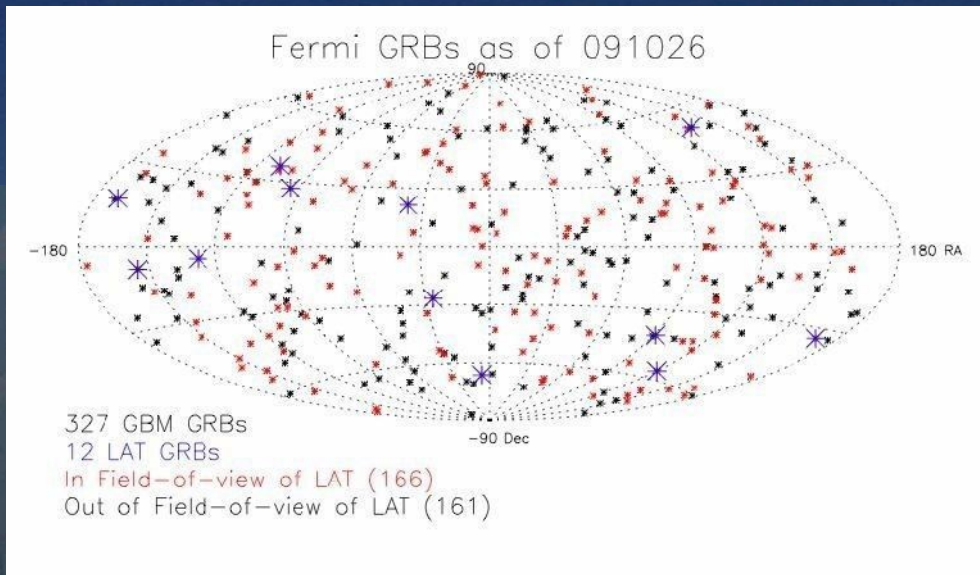
Vela at high energy



Preliminary Abdo et al submitted

- High energy emission concentrated at one phase
⇒ constraints on acceleration models

Gamma-ray bursts



- ❑ Several hundreds of GRB
- ❑ A dozen seen in LAT
- ❑ Time resolved spectra
 - ❑ Prompt emission
 - ❑ > 10 GeV

13.6 GeV

Blazars

- ❑ Good quality MWL data
- ❑ Sequence of blazars emerging
- ❑ Population studies
- ❑ Tests of models (correlations $X/\gamma, \dots$)

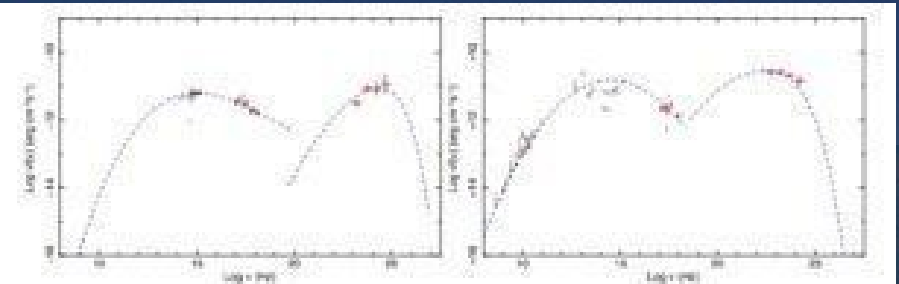
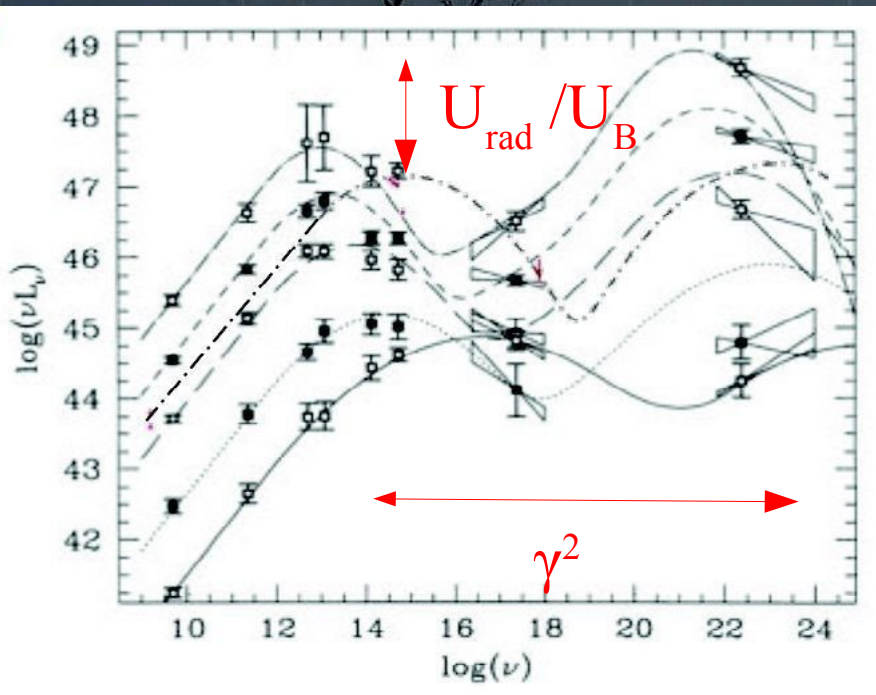


Fig. 3— The SED of OPG1 J0033.6-1921 = IRXS J003334.6-192130 = SHBL J003334.2-192133 (left) and of OPG1 J0050.5-0928 = PKS0048-09 (right)

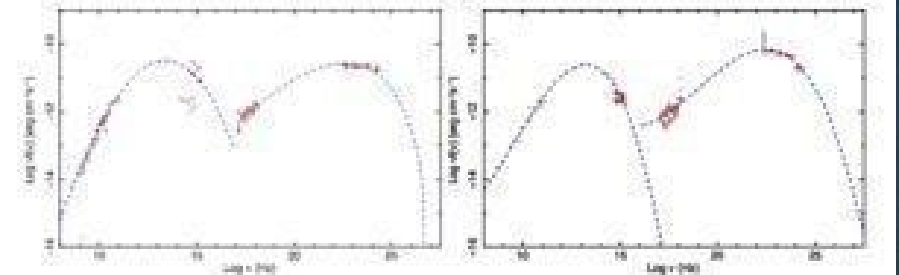


Fig. 4— The SED of OPG1 J0137.1+4751 = S40133+47 (left) and of OPG1 J0210.8-5100 = PKS0208-512 (right)

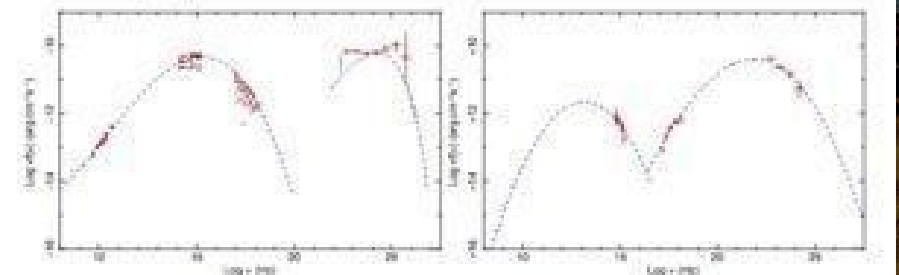
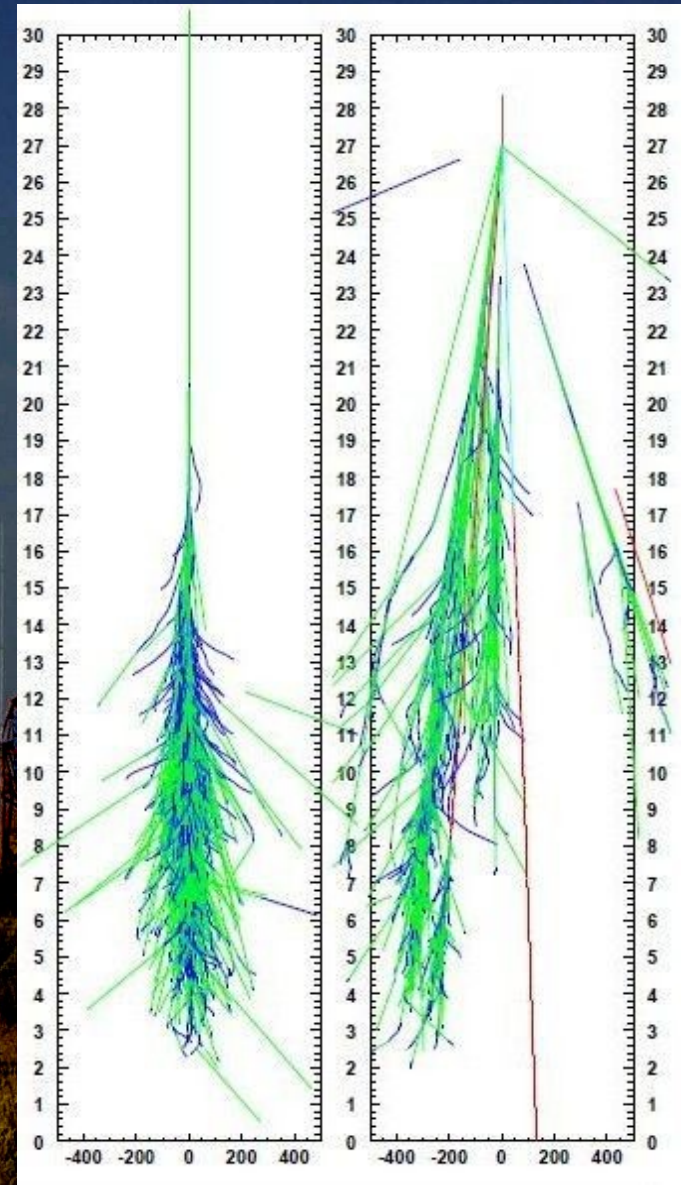


Fig. 5— The SED of OPG1 J0222.6+4302 = 3C 66A (left) and of OPG1 J0229.5-3640 = PKS0227-369 (right)

Very High Energy γ -ray Astronomy

Atmospheric Showers

- Primary interaction in the high atmosphere
 - Shower of secondary particles, detectable up to a few 100 m
 - Large effective areas ($>10^5 \text{ m}^2$, increasing with energy)
 - \Rightarrow High energies ($\geq 1000 \text{ TeV}$)
- Atmosphere used as an inhomogeneous calorimeter.
- Observables: charged particles, Cerenkov light, fluorescence light, radio emission
- Reconstruction: Energy, direction, impact, nature of primary particle (γ -hadron ; light (p, He) – heavy nuclei (Fe))



Elementary processes

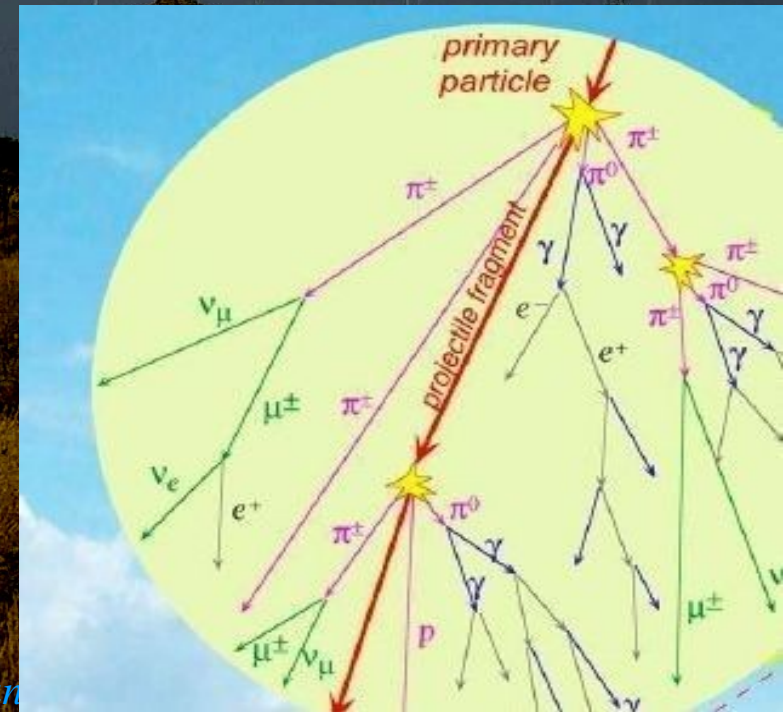
- bremsstrahlung of e^\pm
- Conversion of high energy γ 's into e^+e^- pairs
- Multiple scattering
- Energy loss by ionisation or excitation

In the Coulombian field of nuclei

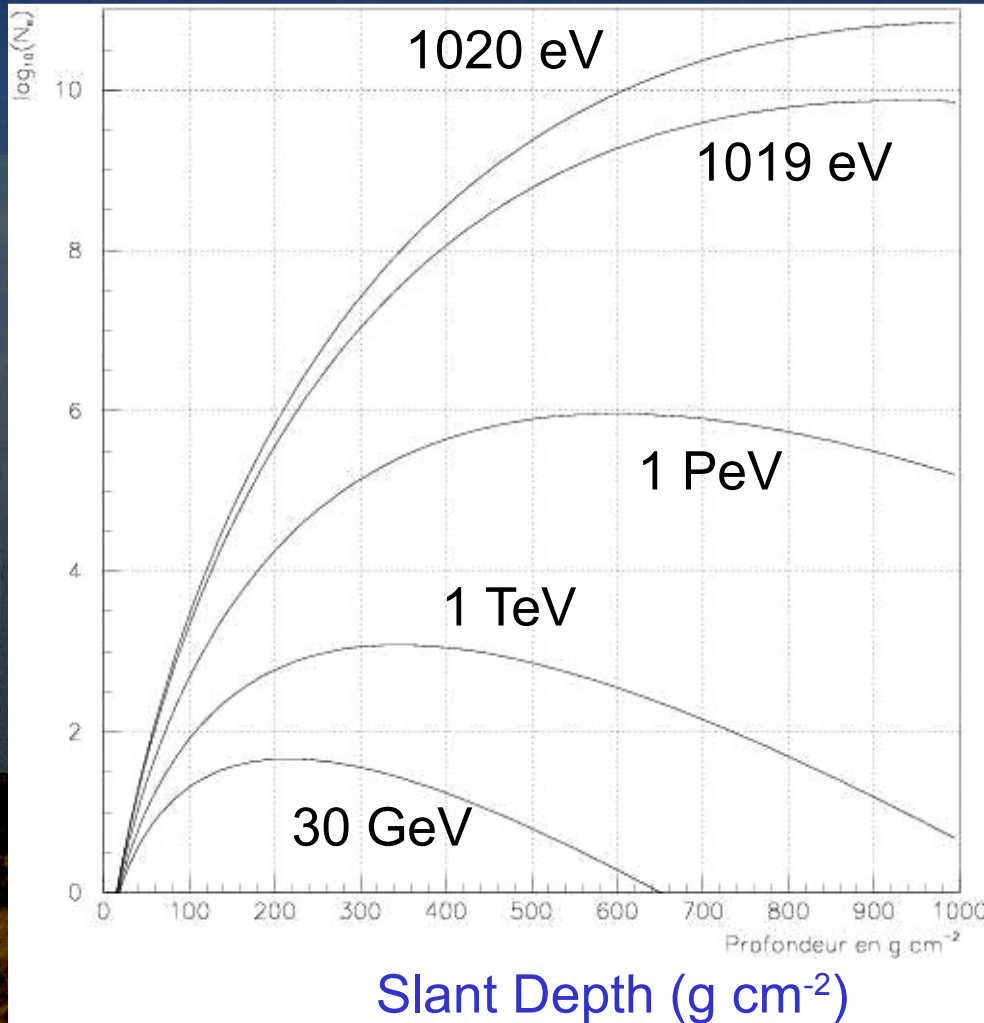
⇒ Rapid extinction below critical energy (84.2 MeV)

□ Hadronic showers:

- Nuclear fragments, π & K, mesons, ...
- Muonic component
- Neutrinos from π^\pm , K^\pm and μ^\pm disintegrations
- Electromagnetic component from $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



Shower profiles (electromagnetic)



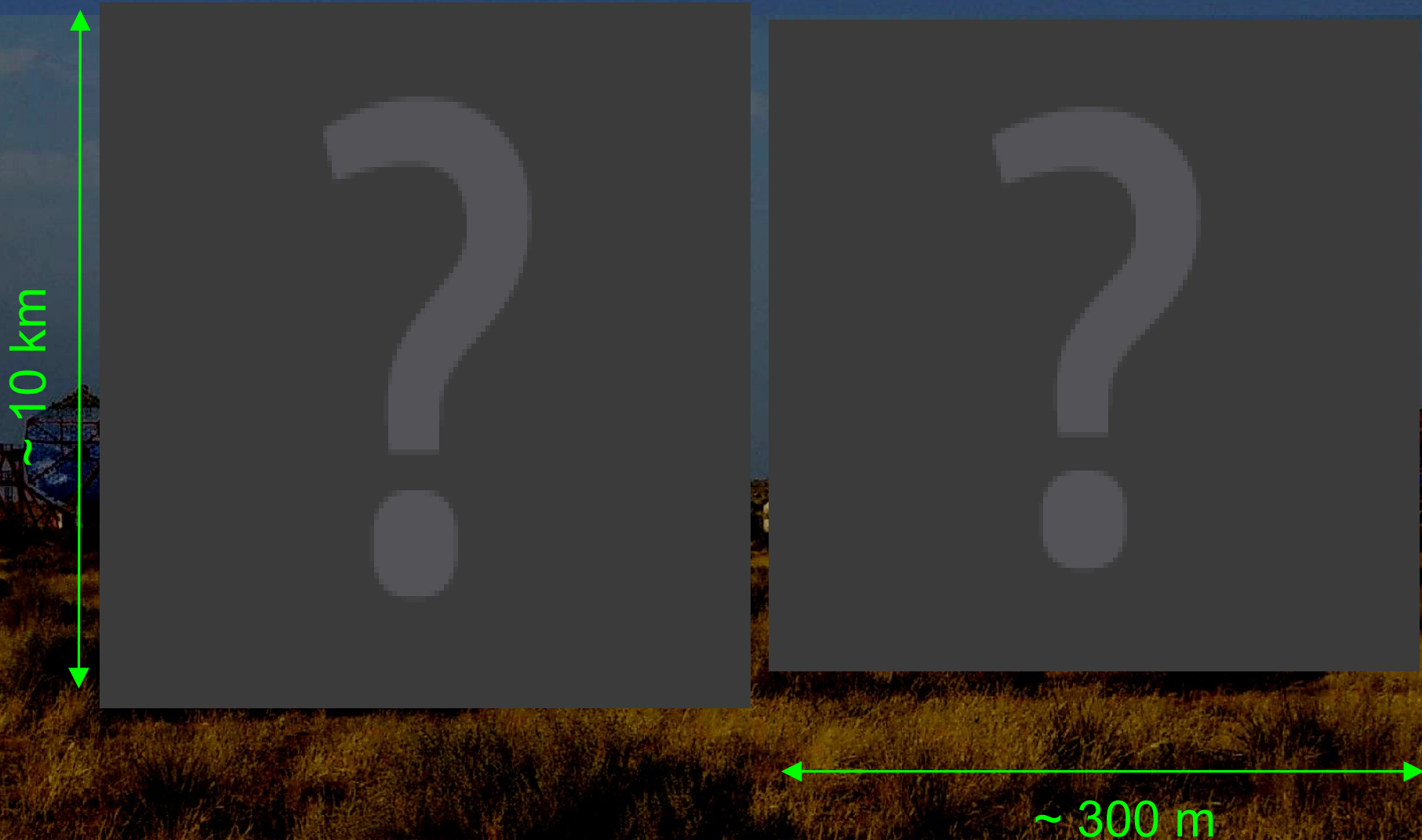
Orders of magnitude

E0	Tmax (g cm^{-2})	Altitude (m)	Ne (tmax)
30 GeV	216	12000	50
1 TeV	345	8000	1200
1000 TeV	600	4400	$0,9 \times 10^6$
10^{19} eV	936	1200	$7,4 \times 10^9$
10^{20} eV	1021	0	$7,0 \times 10^{10}$

An electromagnetic shower

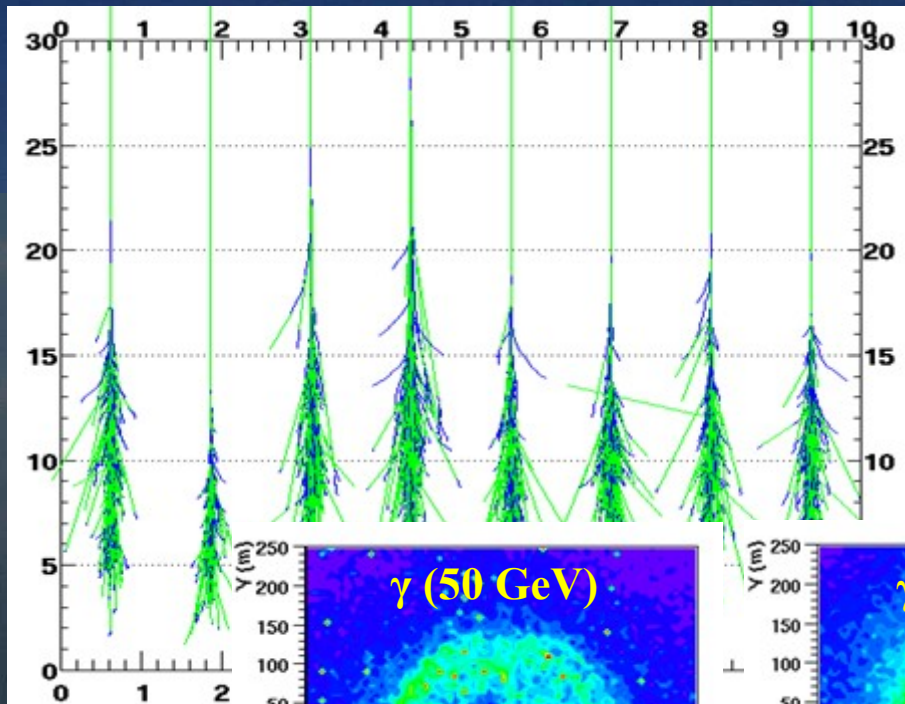
- Simulation of a γ induced shower

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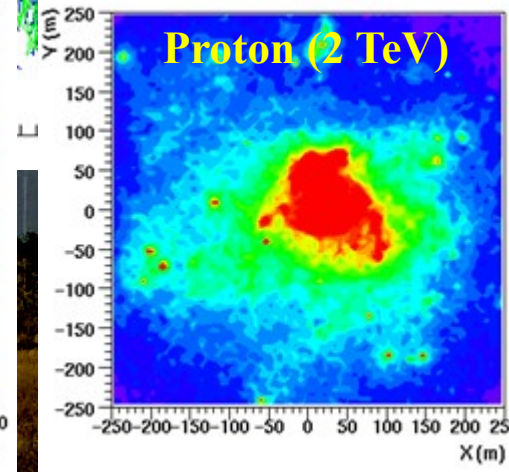
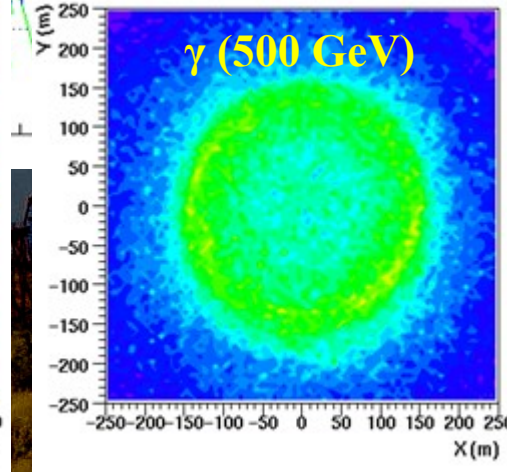
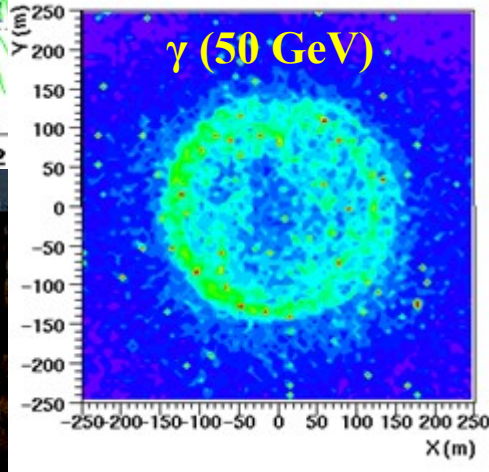
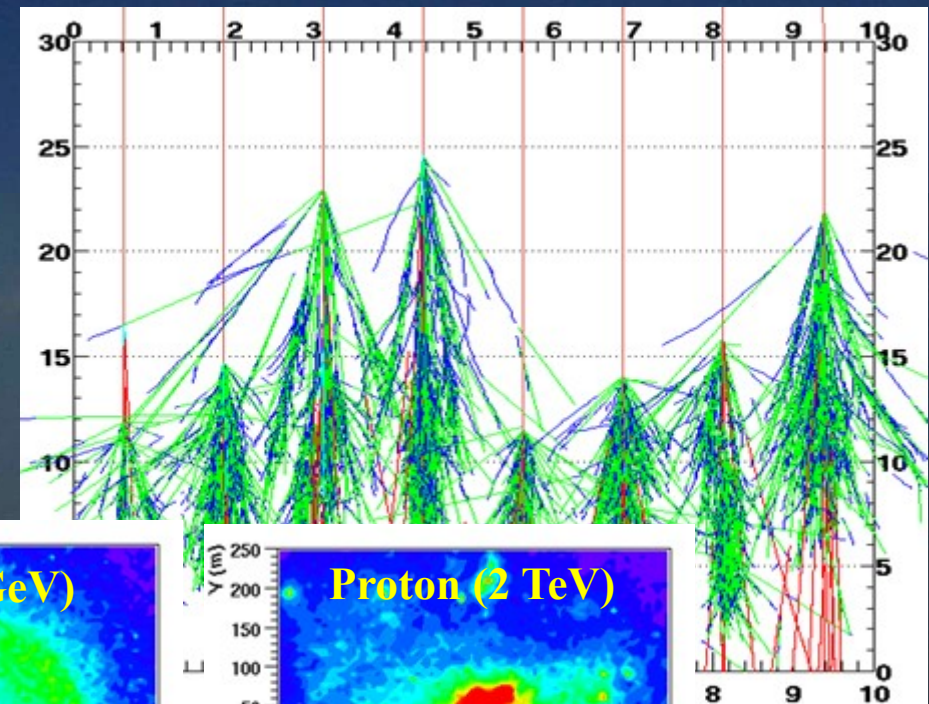


Shower variability

γ , 100 GeV



Protons, 500 GeV

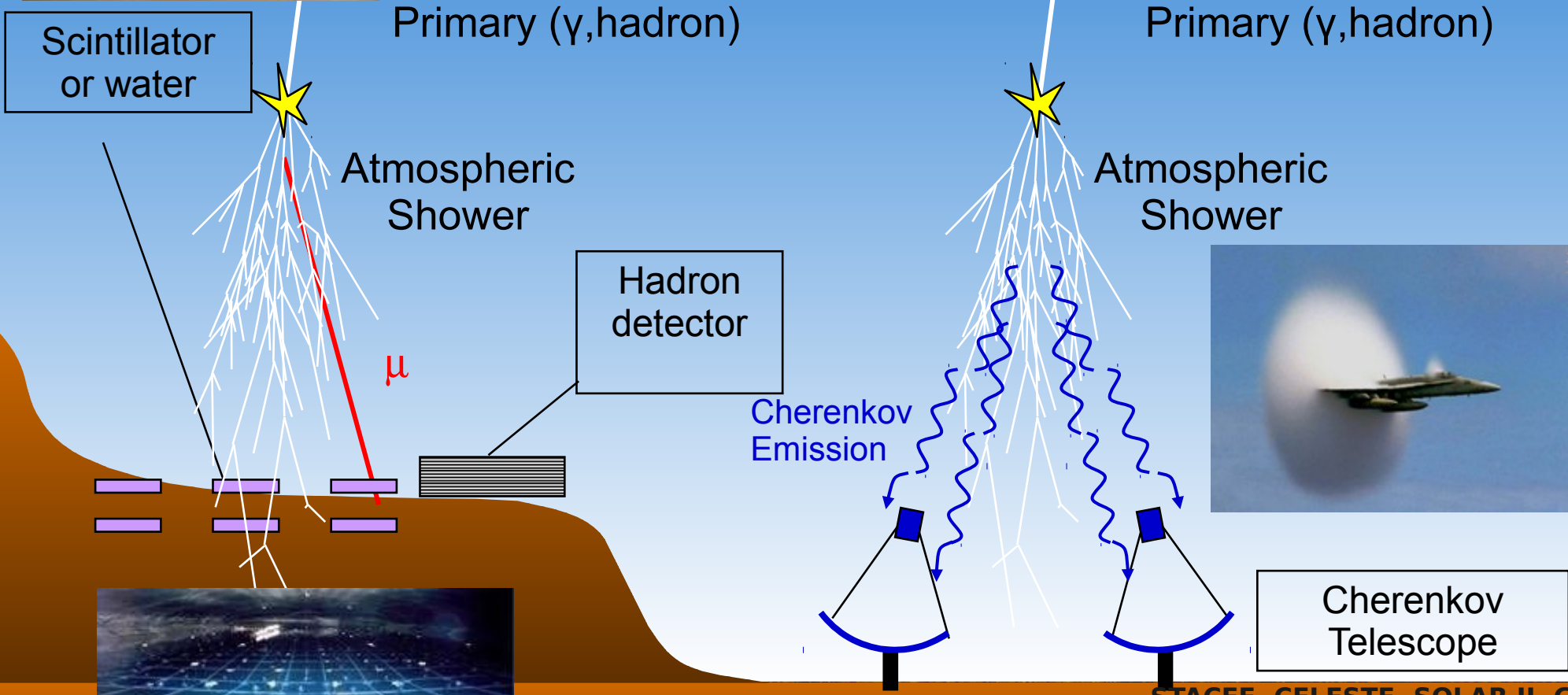


- ❑ Hadronic shower more fluctuating
- ❑ Contain muons

Observables and experimental techniques ($E > 10$ GeV)



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MILAGRO

HESS, VERITAS, MAGIC, CANGAROO



STACEE, CELESTE, SOLAR II, GRAAL

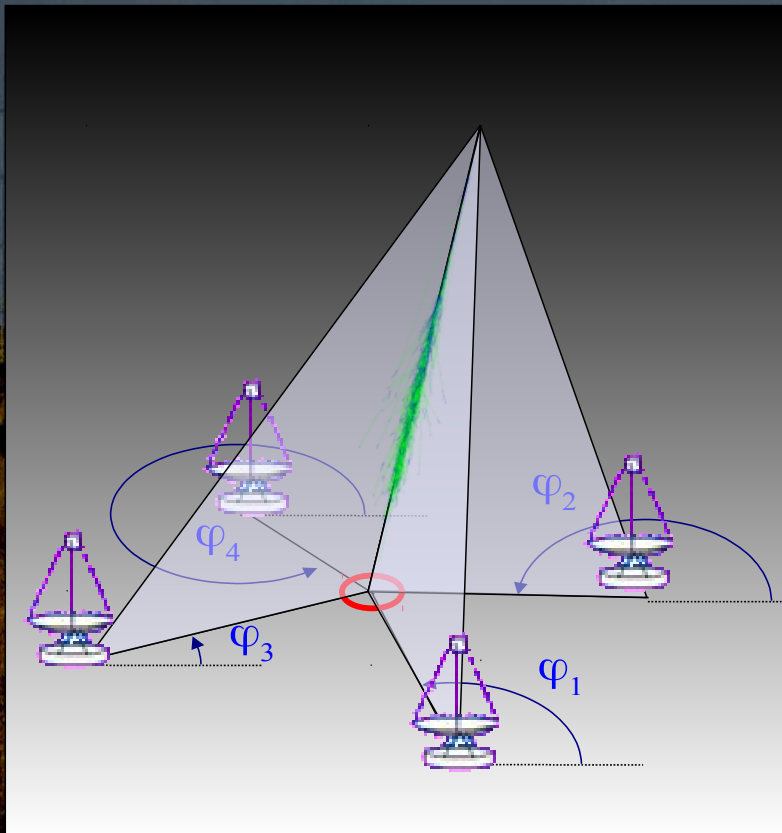


2 Complementary Techniques

□ Atmospheric Cherenkov Telescopes:

- Small F.O.V.
- Low duty cycle
- High rejection
- High resolution

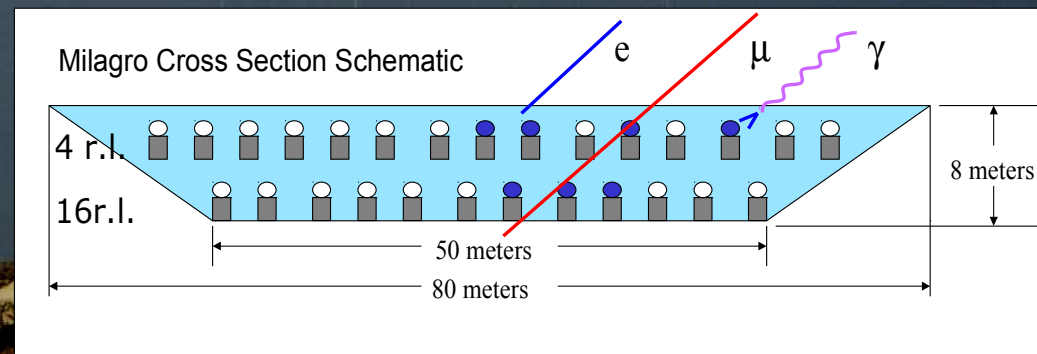
Detailed study of a few sources



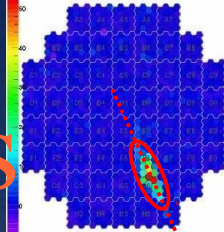
□ Sampling experiments (Water Cherenkov, Particle Arrays,...)

- Large F.O.V.
- High duty cycle
- Poor rejection
- Poor resolution

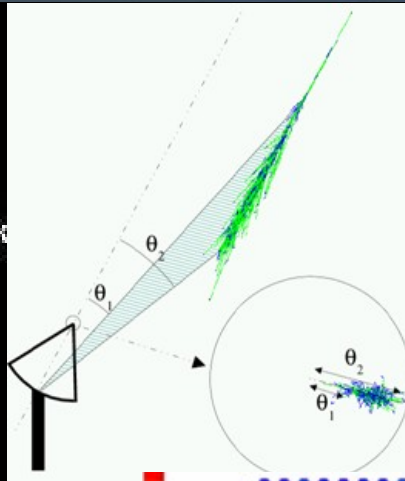
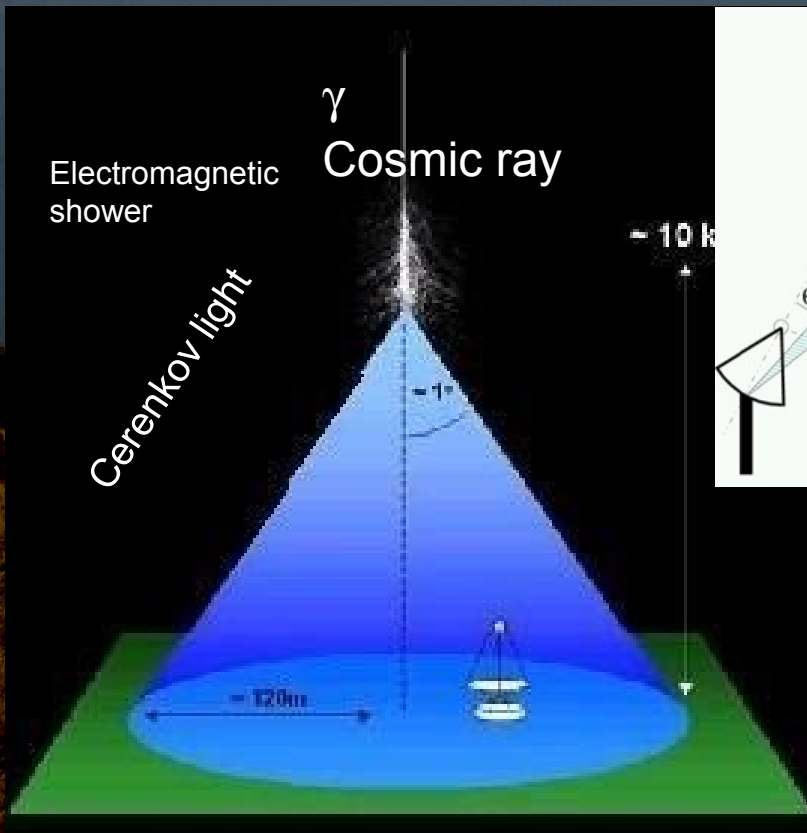
Long term survey instruments



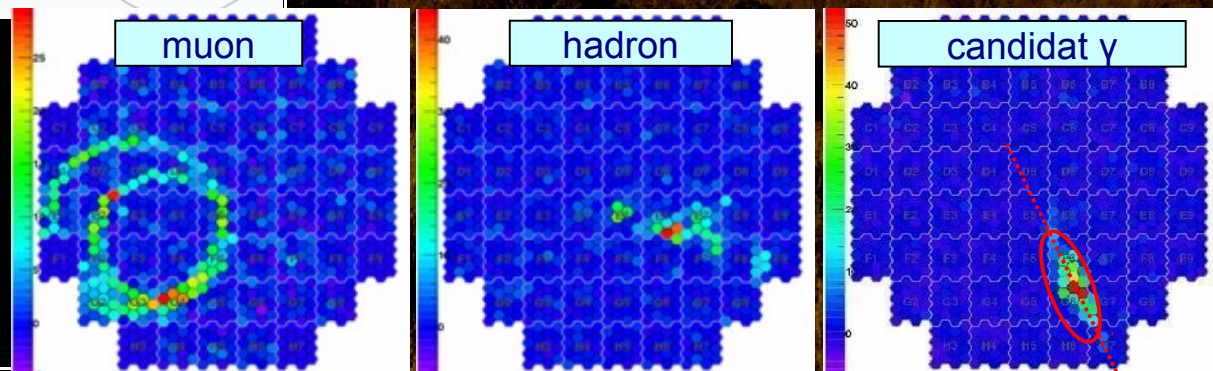
Atmospheric Cherenkov Telescopes



- Cherenkov light-pool ~ 120 m
- Image the shower on a fast camera ($\Delta T \sim 2\text{ns}$)
- Large effective area (10^5 m^2) even with modest reflector



- Key parameter : speed ($< 10 \text{ ns}$)
- Image shape used in discrimination



VHE γ -Ray world



MAGIC @ La Palma

mirror 240 m²



H.E.S.S. in Namibia

4 mirrors, 107 m²

© Philippe Plailly

VERITAS

4 mirrors, 100 m²

Arizona



MAGIC II – Canary Island (commissioning)



H.E.S.S. Phase II

One additional 600 m², 2012



September 2009



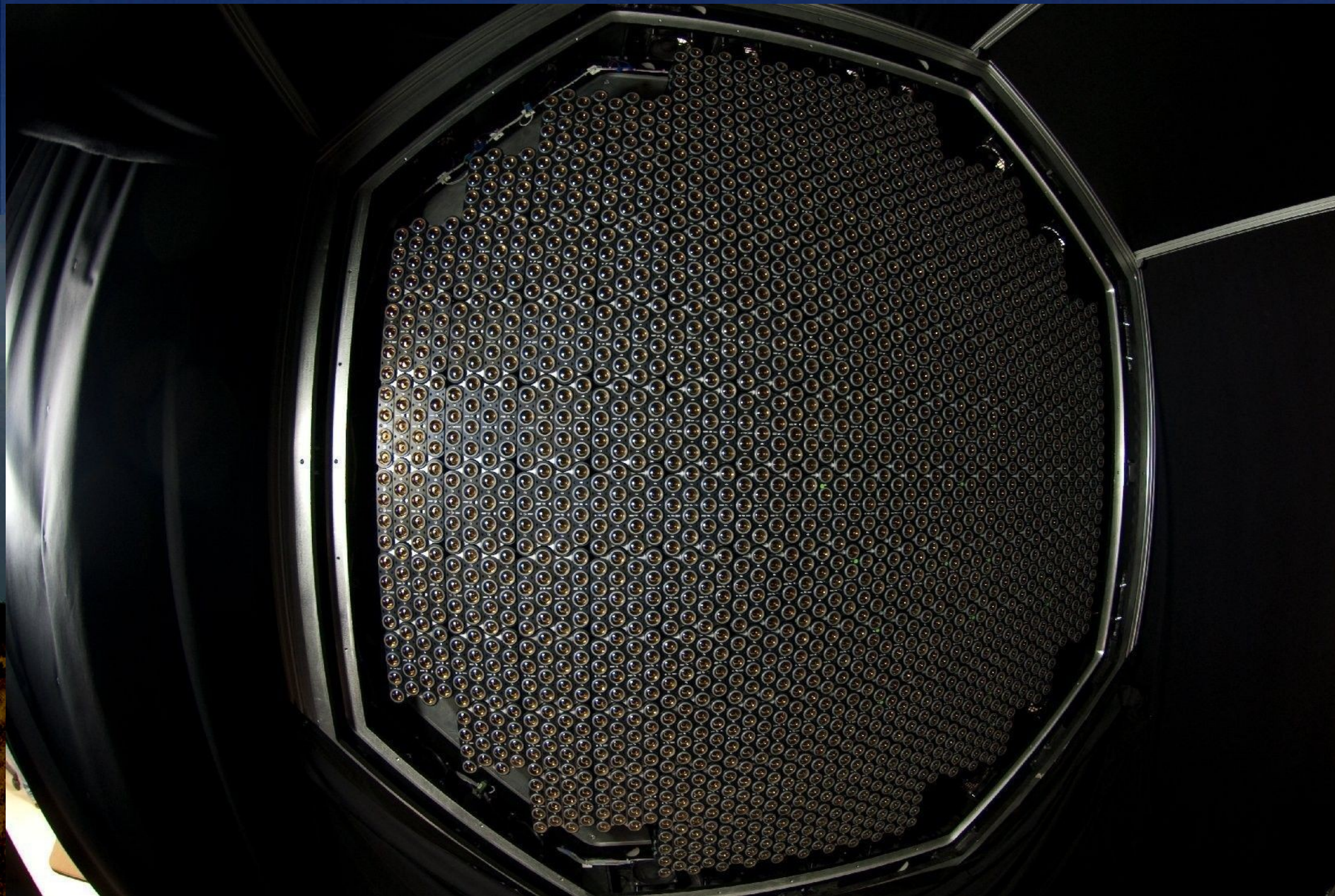
HESS – II



July 2012

HESS-II First light: July 10th 2012





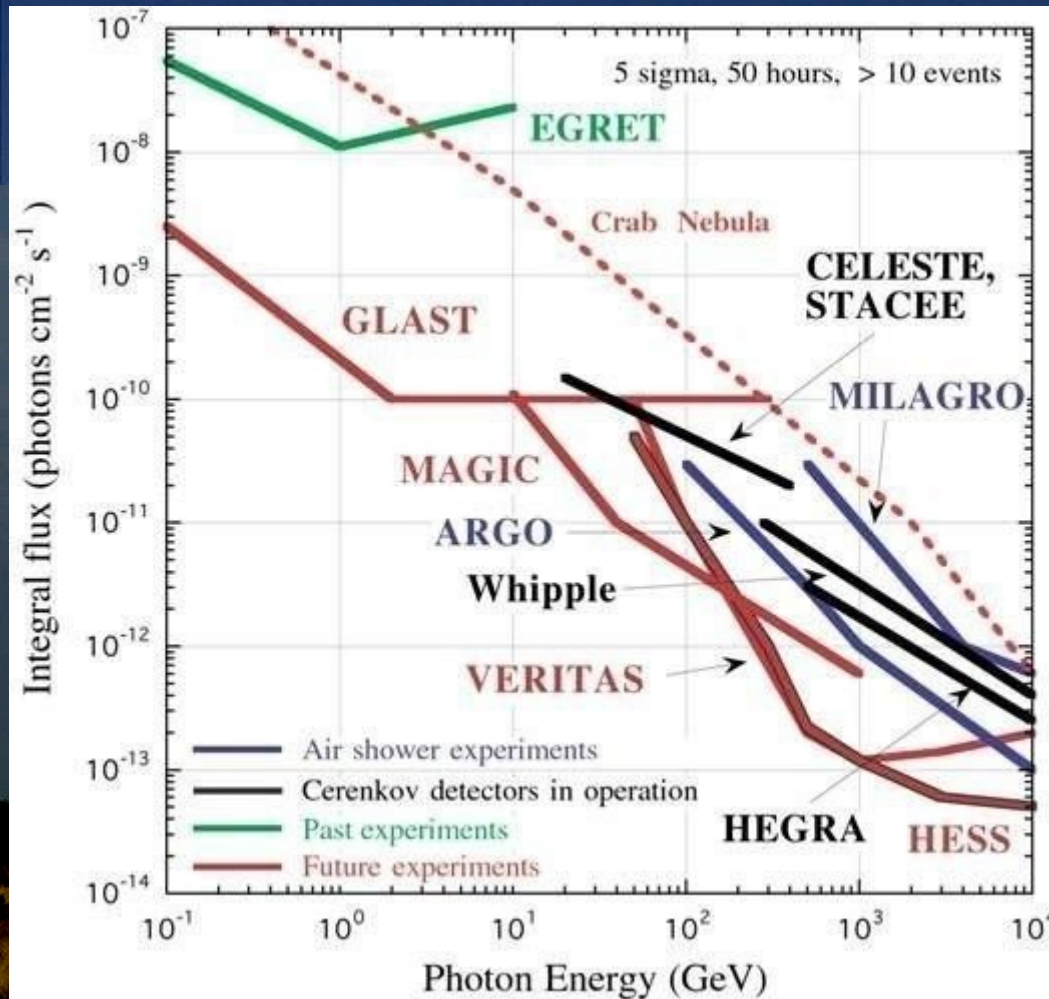
Imaging Telescope

Experiment	Number of Telescopes	Reflector size	Site
CANGAROO III	4	10	Australia
HESS I	4	12	Namibia
MAGIC	1→2	17	Canaries
VERITAS	2→4	12	Arizona
HESS II (2012)	4 (HESS I) +1	28	Namibia

Imaging Telescopes

Experiment	Number of pixels	Pixel size	Field of view (\emptyset)
CANGAROO III	552	0.115°	3°
HESS I	960	0.16°	5°
MAGIC	396+180	0.08°-0.12°	4°
VERITAS	499	0.15°	3.5°
HESS II	2048	0.1°	3°

Complementarity with satellites



	Ground	Space
Angular Resolution	$\sim 0.1^\circ$	$1^\circ \Rightarrow 0.1^\circ$
Energy Resolution	$\sim 15\%$	$\sim 10\%$
Effective Area	10^5 m^2	$\sim 1 \text{ m}^2$
Field of View	a few $^\circ$	$\sim 2\pi \text{ sr}$
Rejection	$\sim 10^2$, limiting factor	Excellent

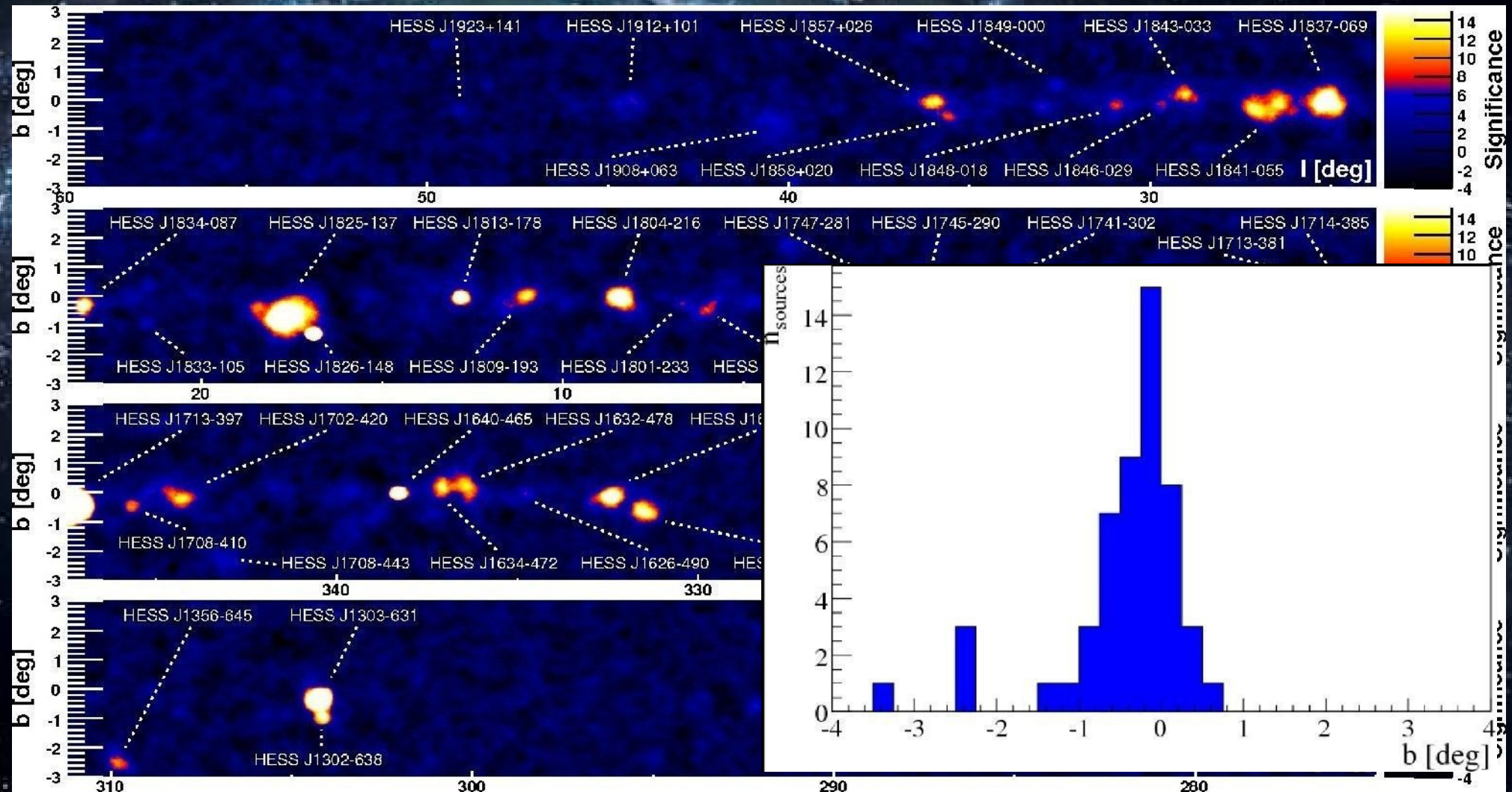
□ Two techniques are very complementary

H.E.S.S. Galactic Plane Survey

Inner part of the Galaxy: $|b| < 3^\circ$, $-80 < l < 60^\circ$, 1400 h of data + dedicated pointing
56 sources, very narrow distribution (RMS(b) $\sim 0.3^\circ$)

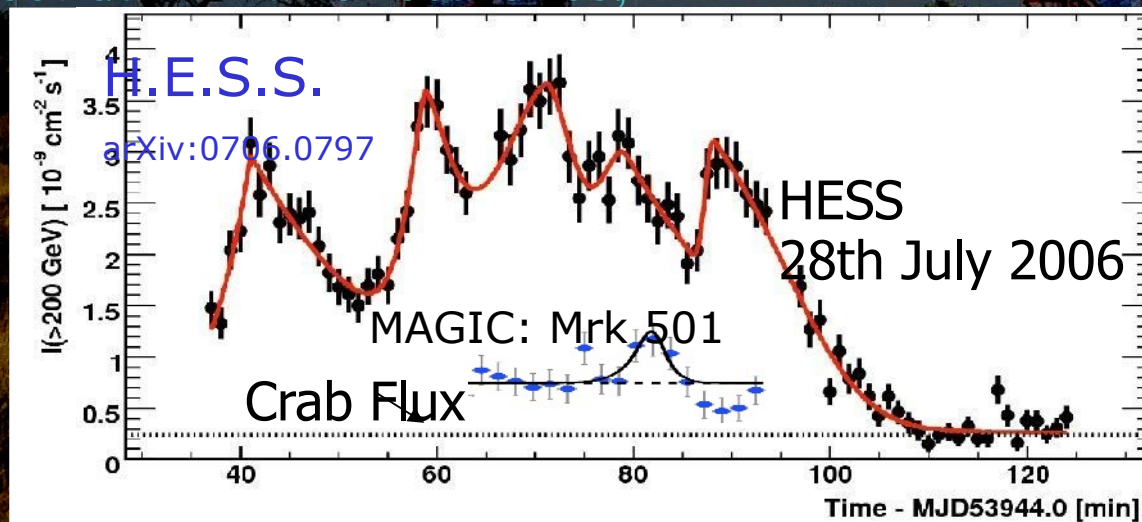
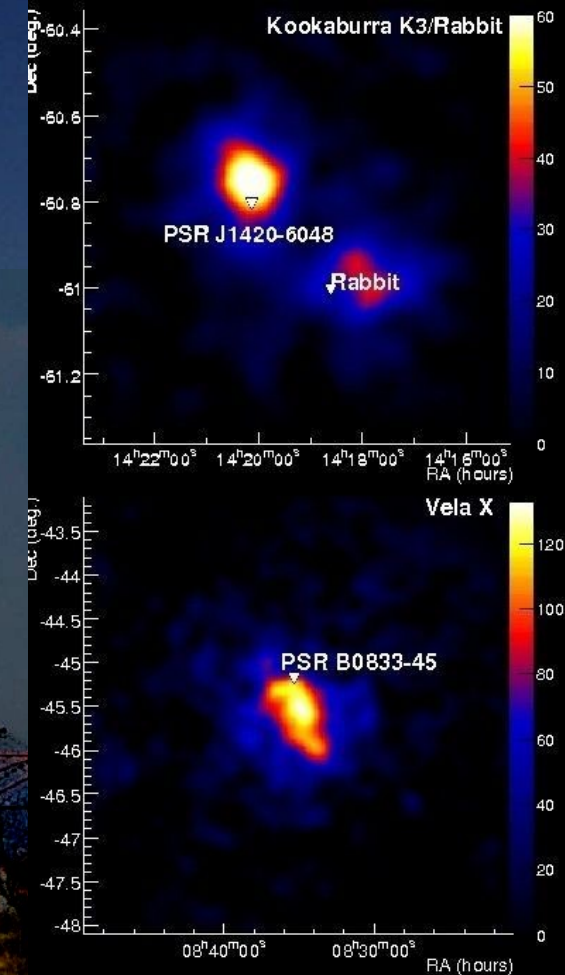
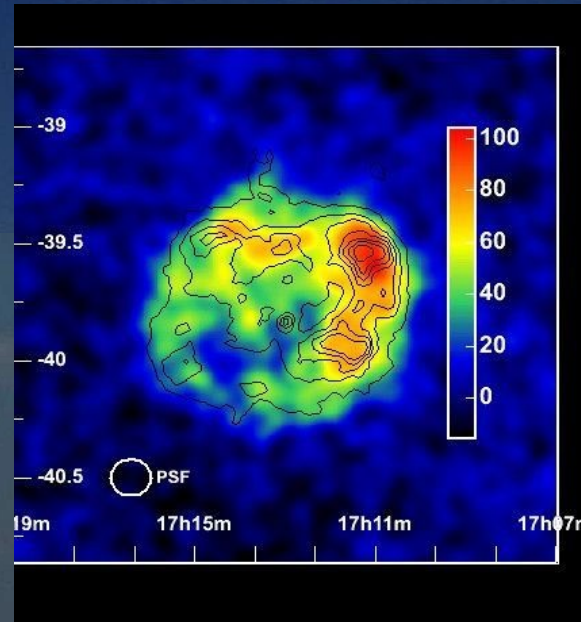
⇒ Molecular gas scale, young sources

Population: PWN (29), SNRs (9), Binary systems (3), Dark sources, Interacting stellar winds, ...

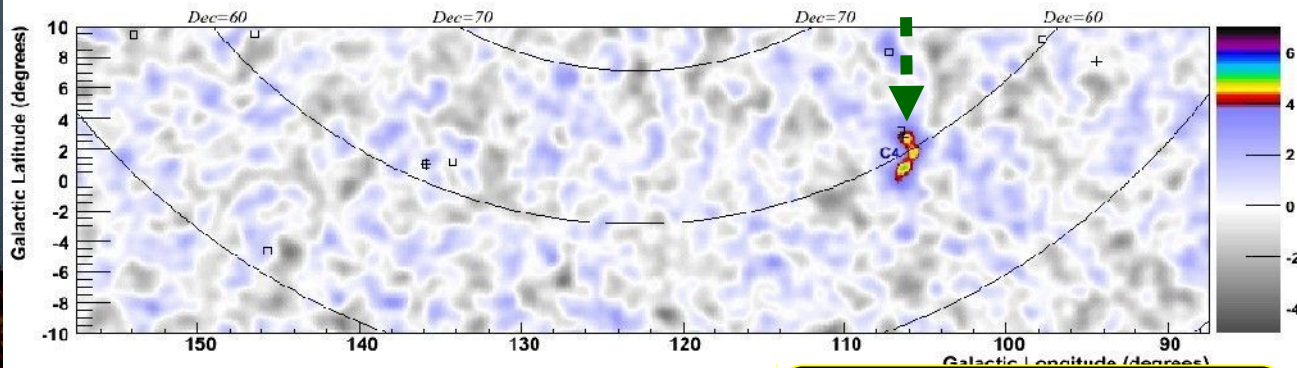
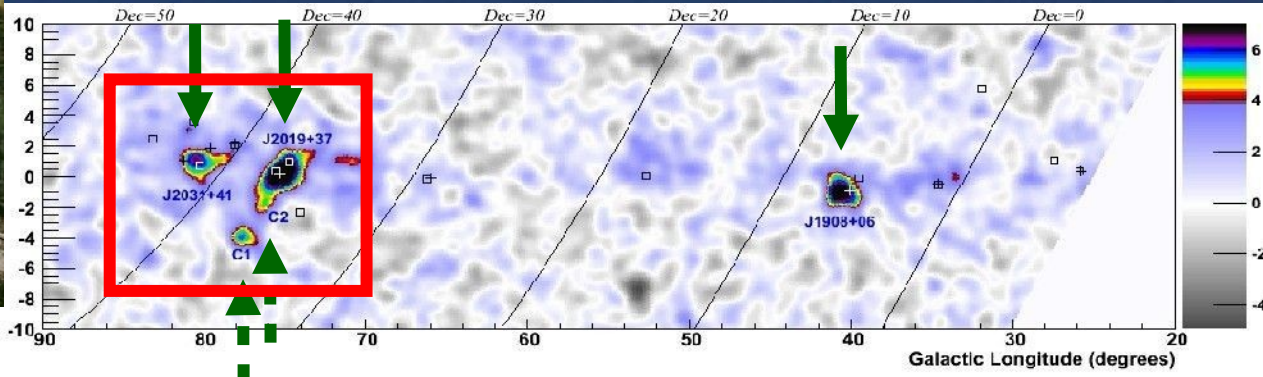
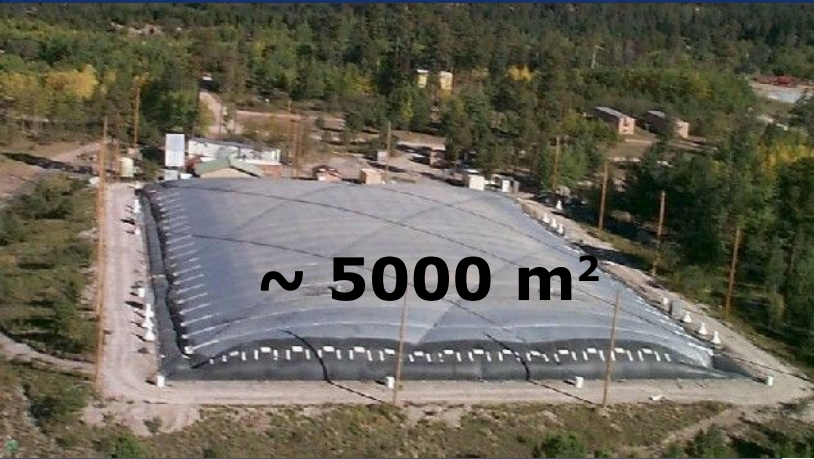


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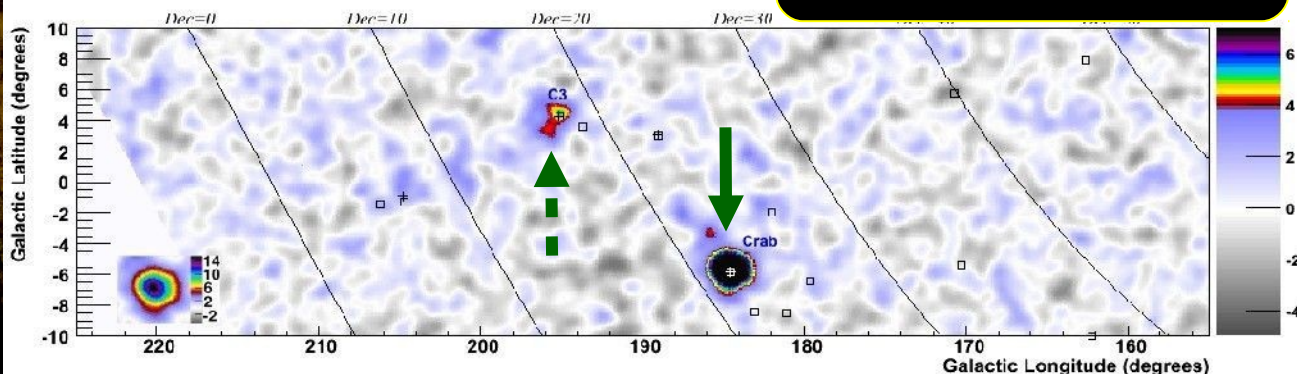
- Wealth of results:
 - Supernova remnants
 - Plerions
 - Galactic Center
 - Binary Systems
 - Interacting Stellar Winds
 - Starburst galaxies
 - Huge flares from blazars, Tests of Lorentz Invariance
 - Indirect dark matter searches,
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Milagro Northern Sky Survey



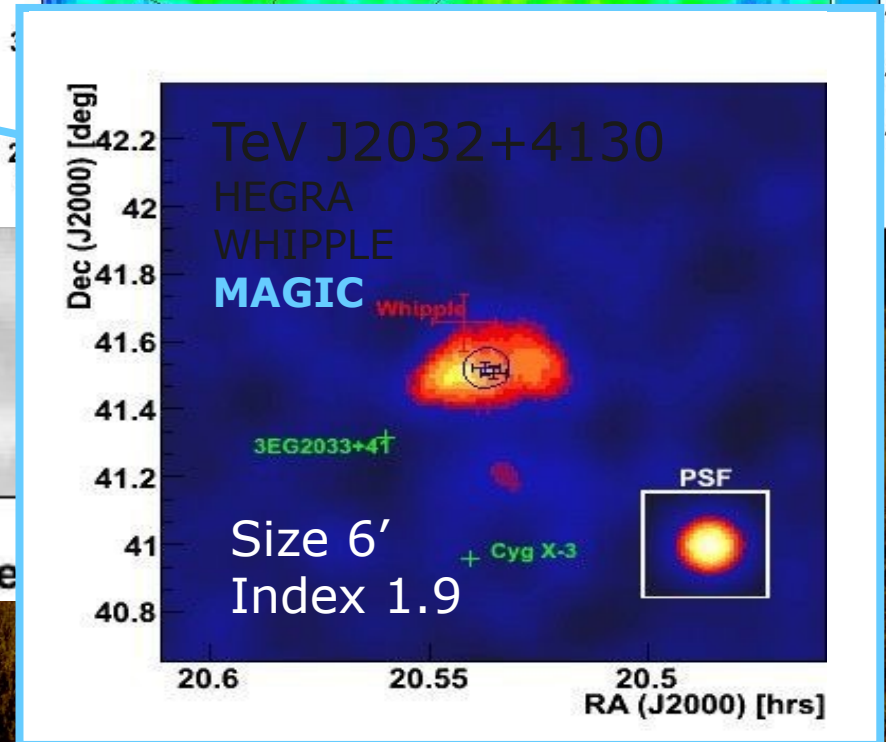
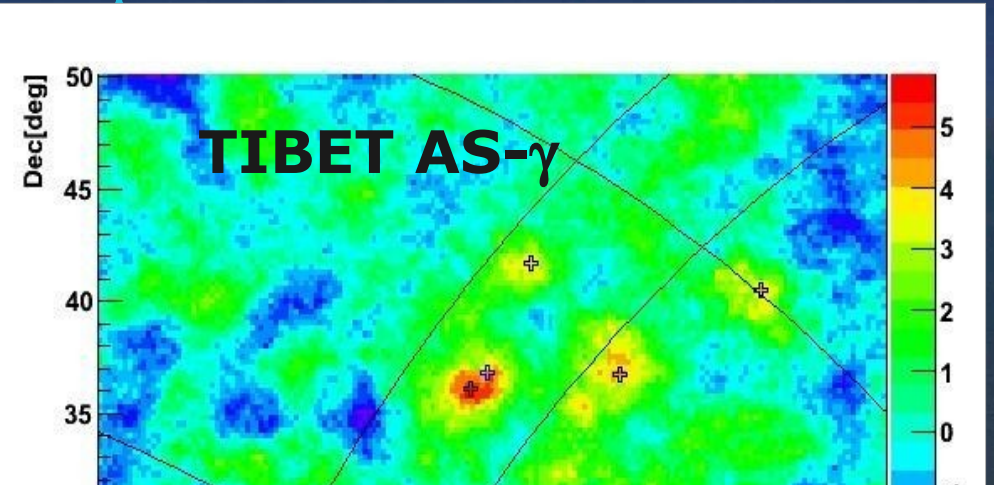
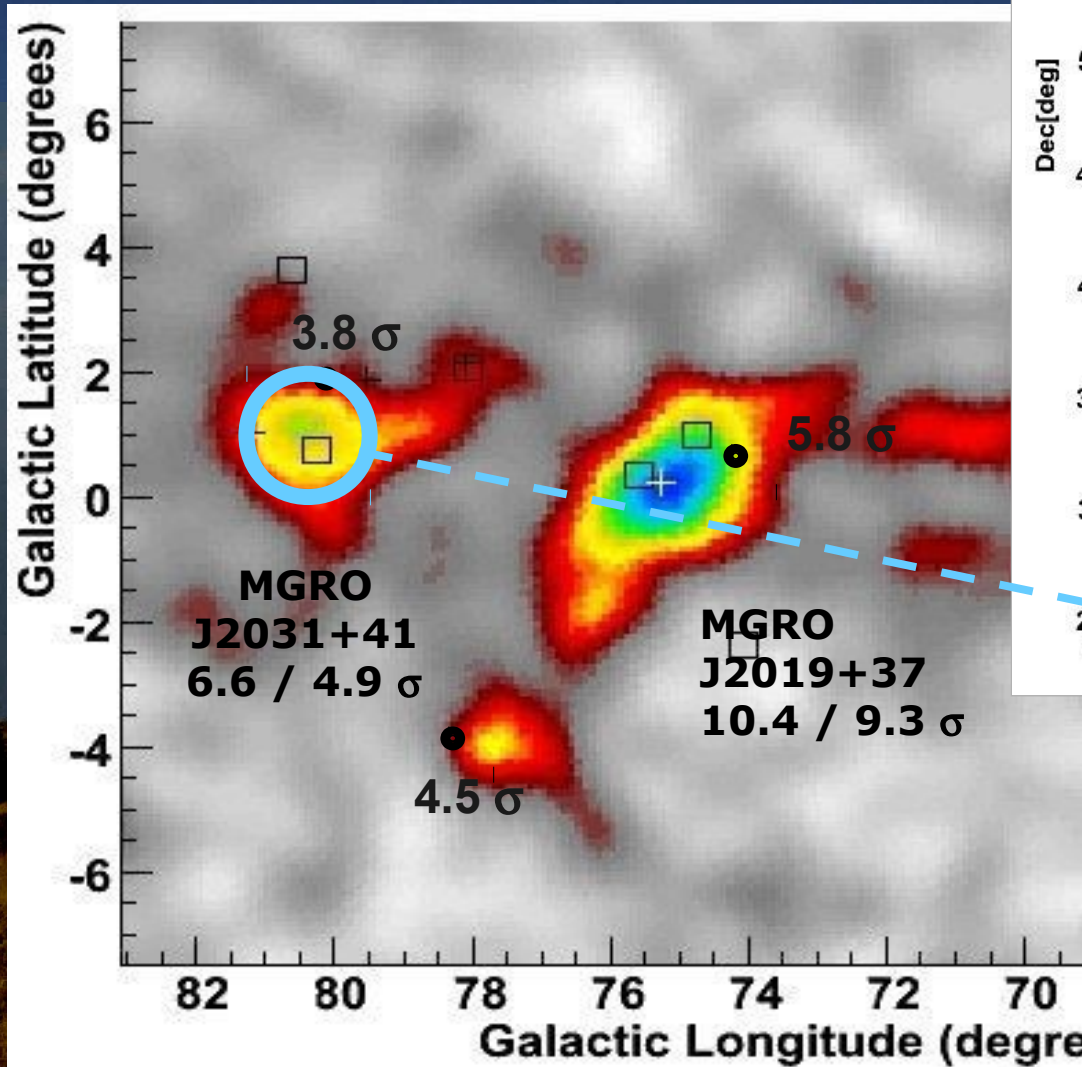
Abdo et al ICRC 2007



- Survey instruments start producing results
 - 7 year exposure
 - ~20 TeV median energy
 - 0.5° angular resolution
 - ~0.5 Crab sensitivity
- 3 significant new sources (all on galactic plane),
 - One with HESS counterparts
 - 4 interesting hotspots

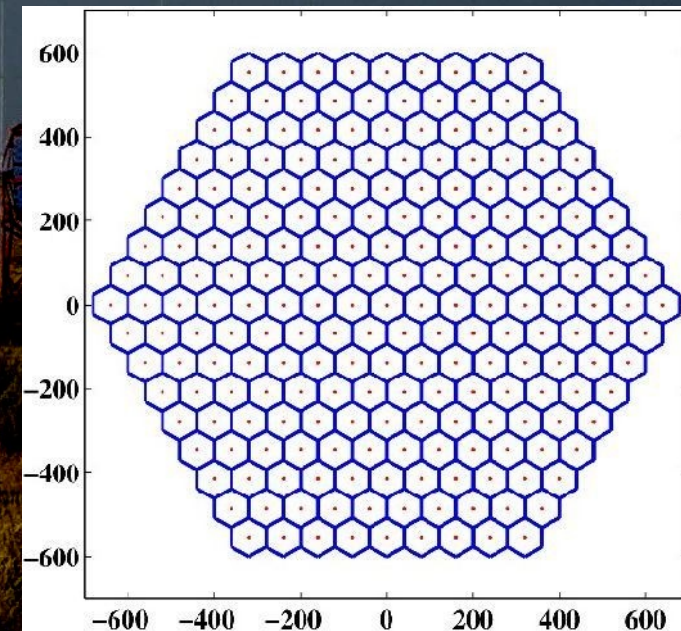
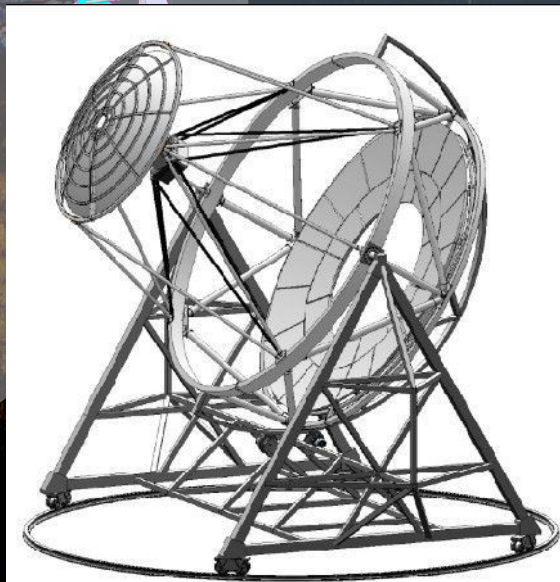
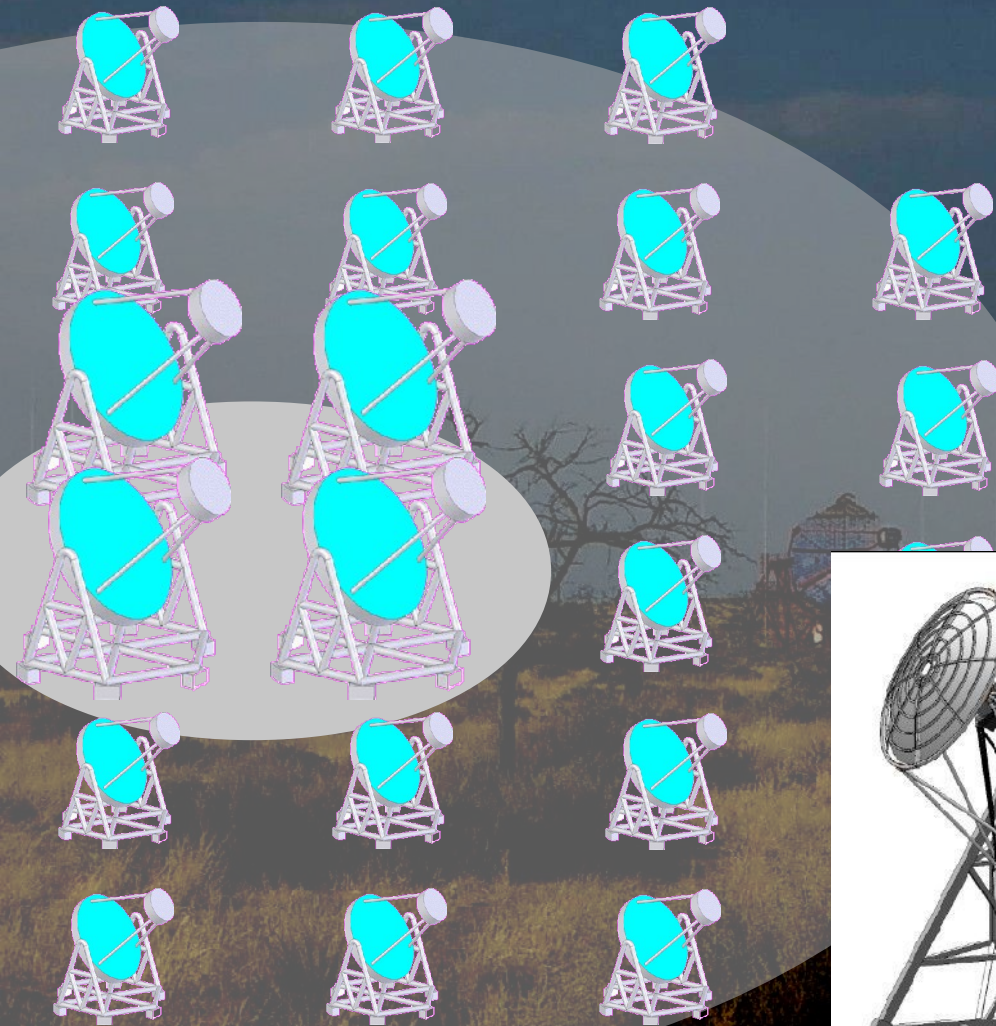
The Cygnus region

□ Convergence of several techniques



Longer term perspective (I)

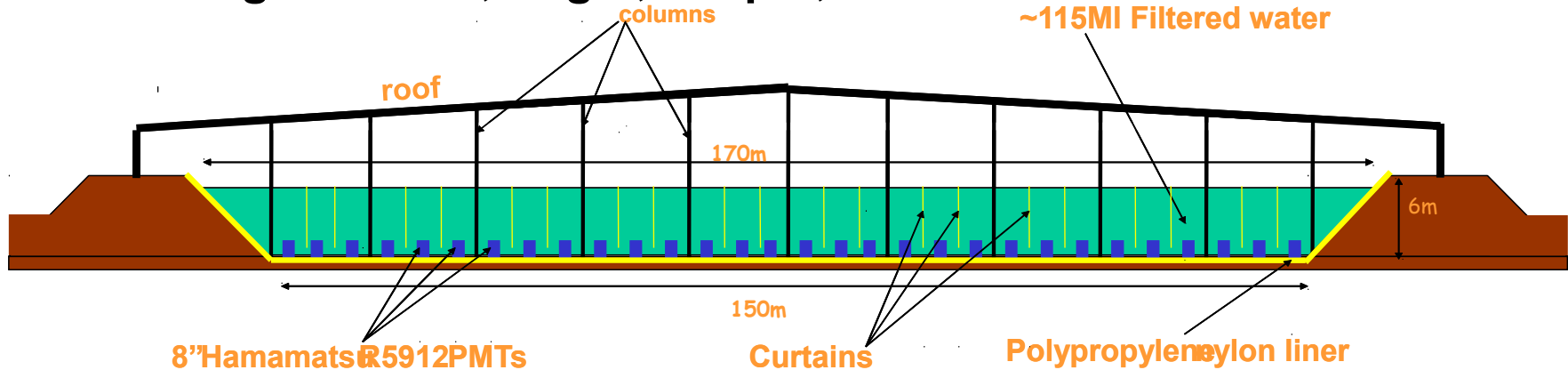
- ❑ Large observatories (CTA, AGIS)
 - ❑ > 50 telescopes
 - ❑ Factor 10 in performances
 - ❑ Increased energy coverage



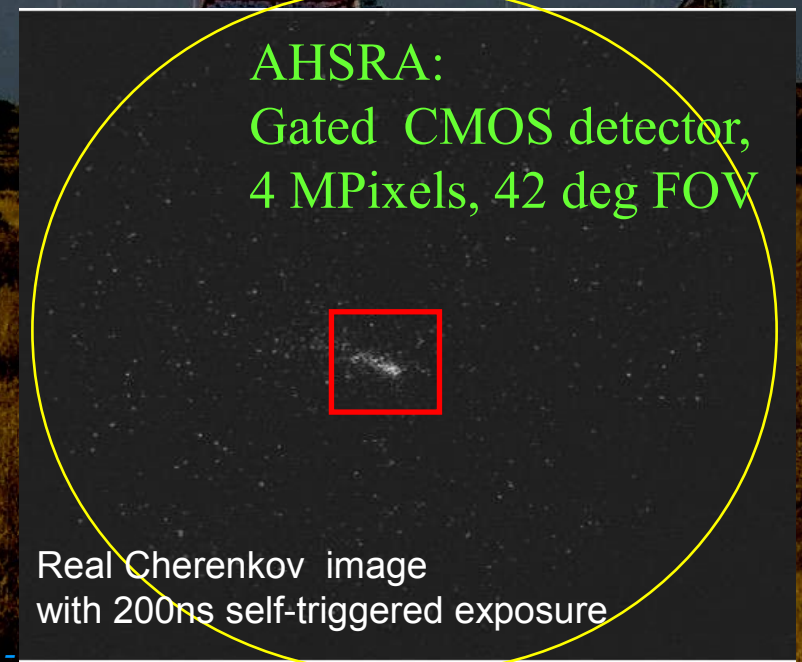
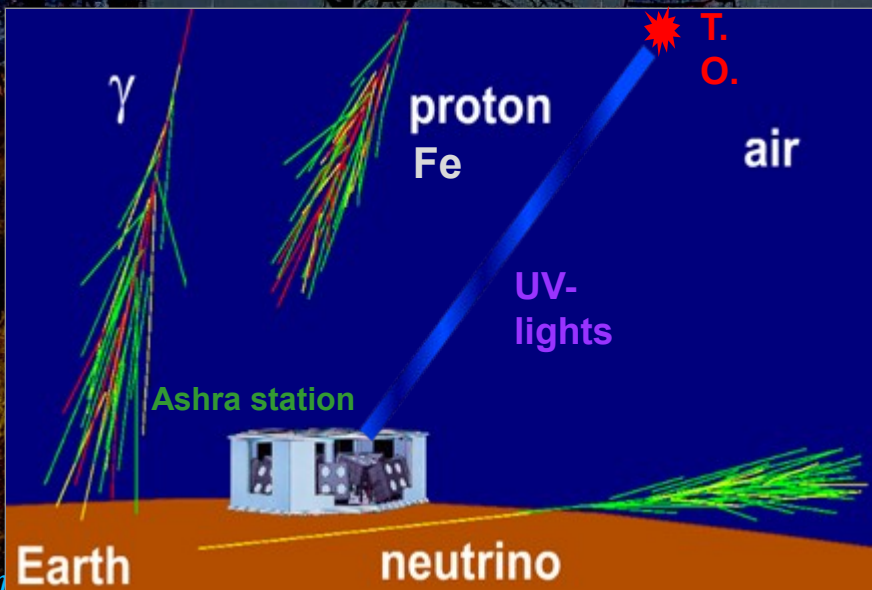
Longer term perspective (II)

- Large survey instruments (HAWC) should achieve a factor 15 in sensitivity

HAWC: high altitude, larger, deeper, isolation of PMTs

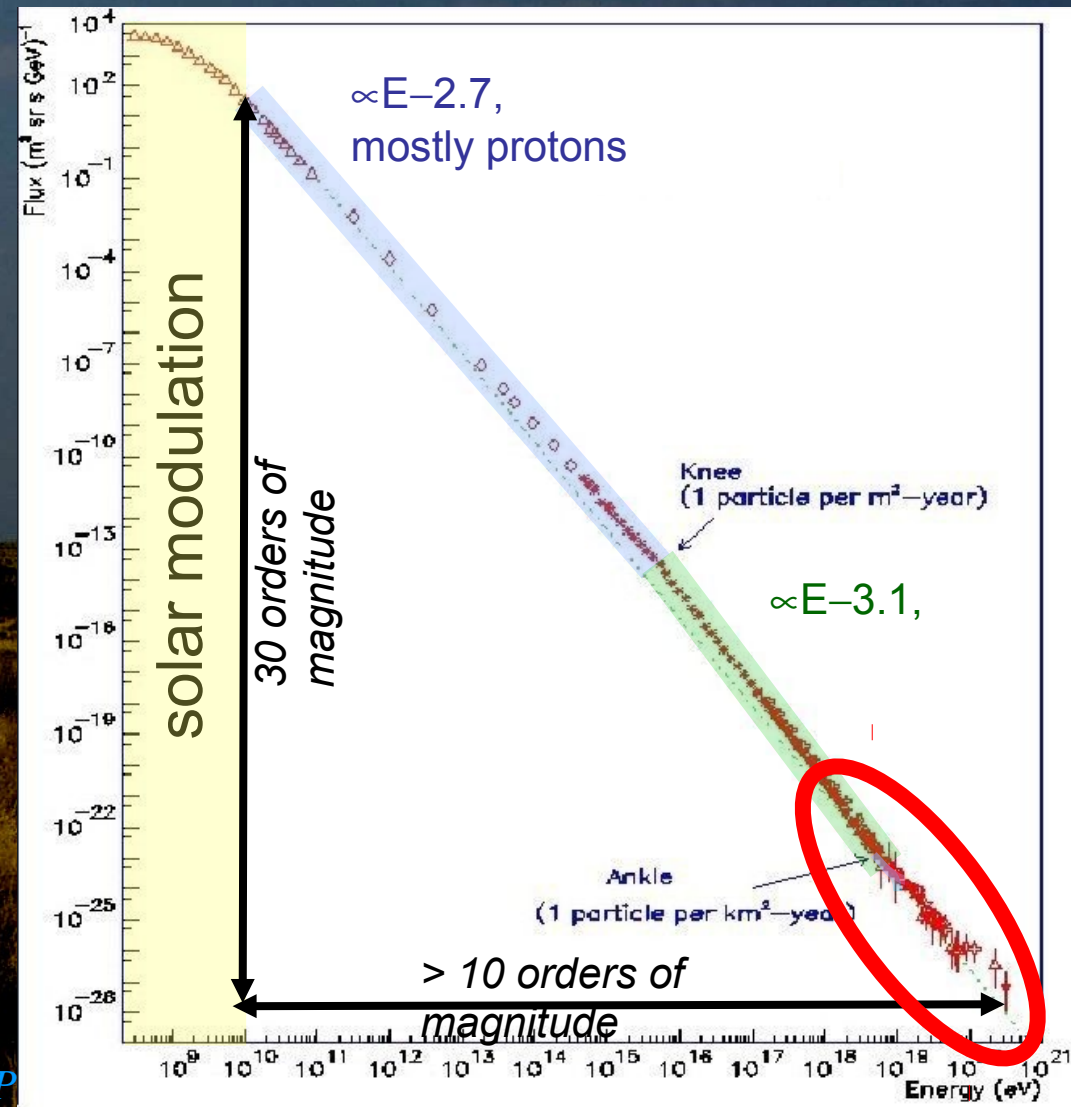


- Lot of technical activities to improve the technique (SiPM, CCDs..., Wide F.O.V. telescopes)



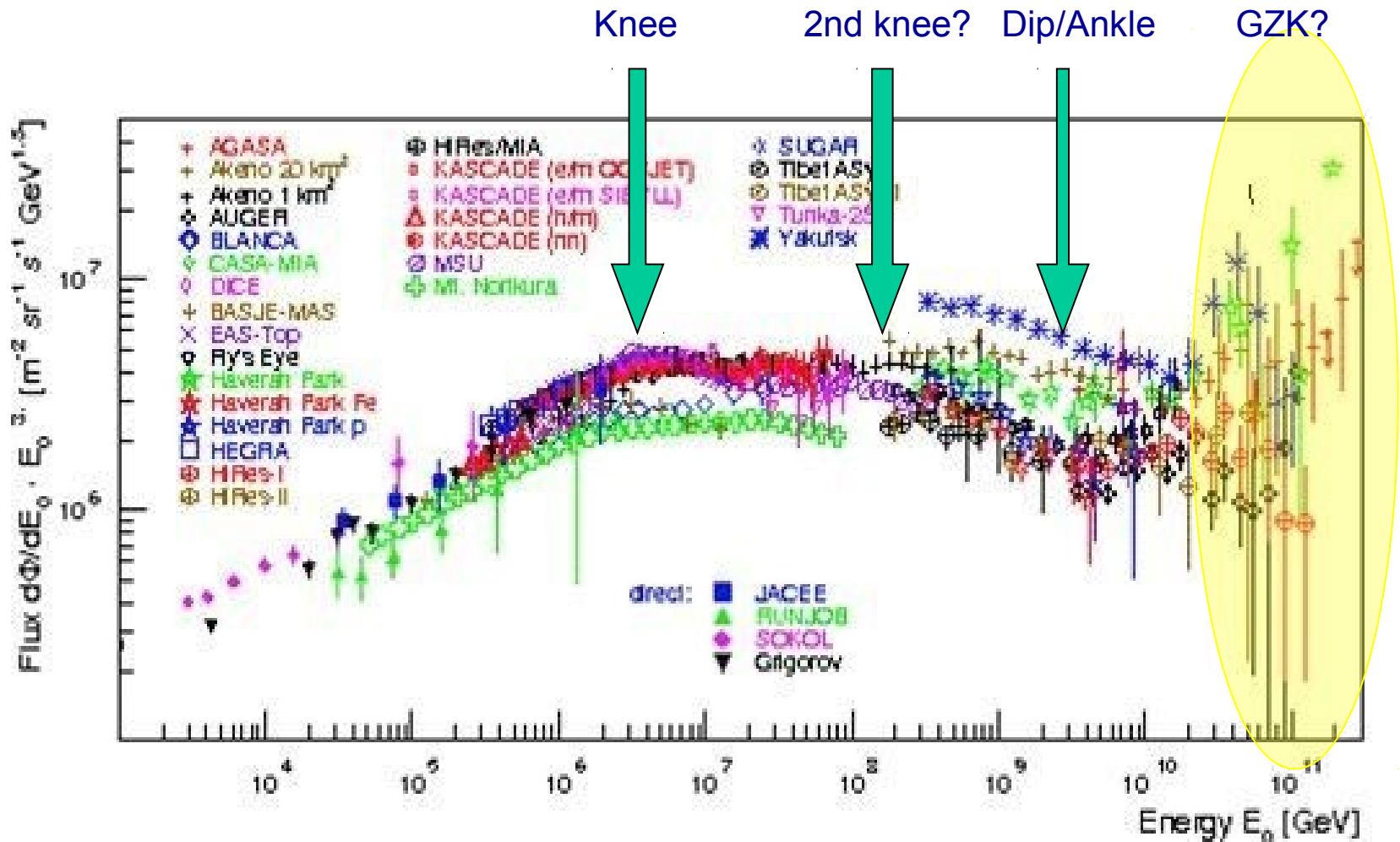
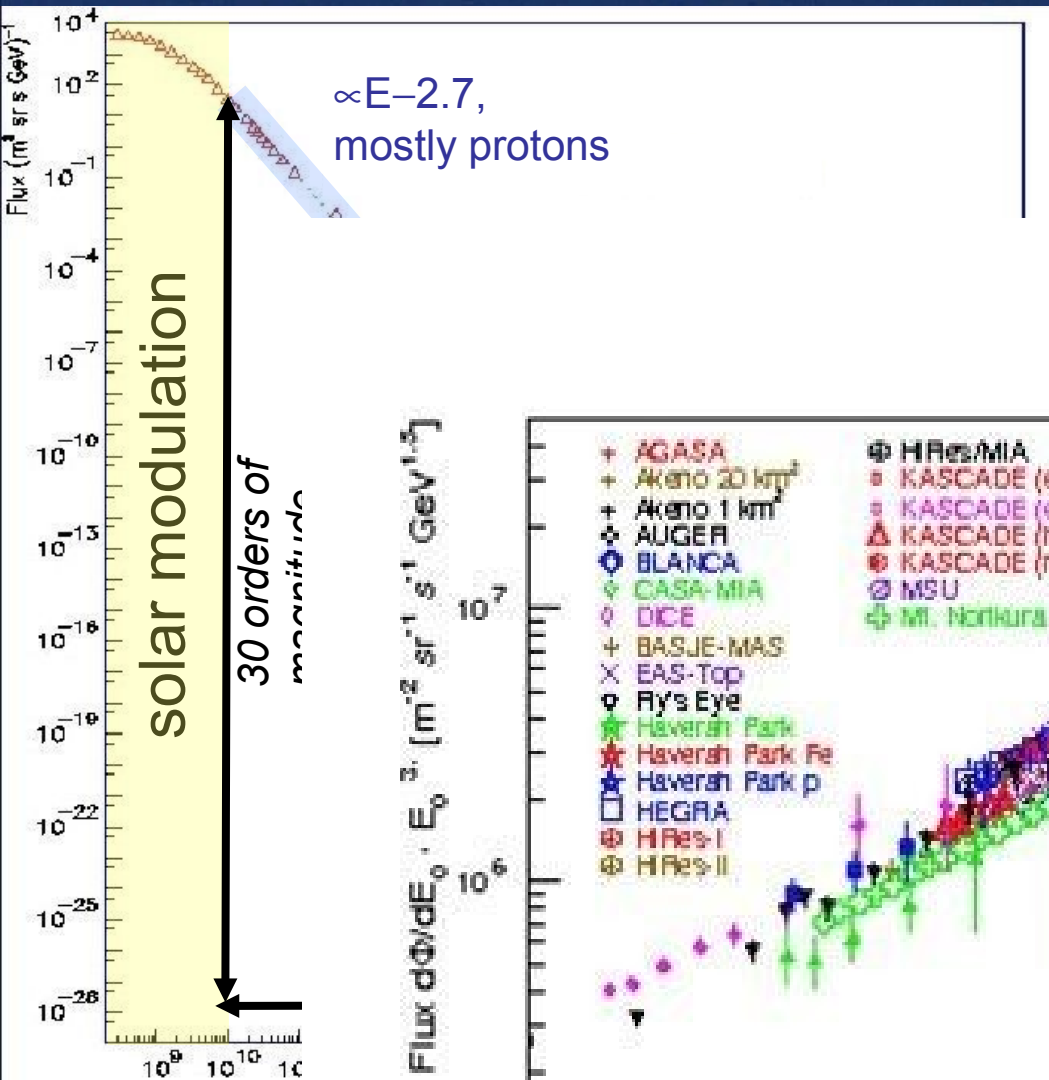
Ultra High Energy Cosmic Rays (UHECR)

- Energy spectrum
- Composition
- Direction



Structures in the CR spectrum

- Somewhat messy picture
- Different experiments/techniques
- Many things to understand!



Detection of extended shower

2 complementary techniques

□ Detection of charged particles on the ground

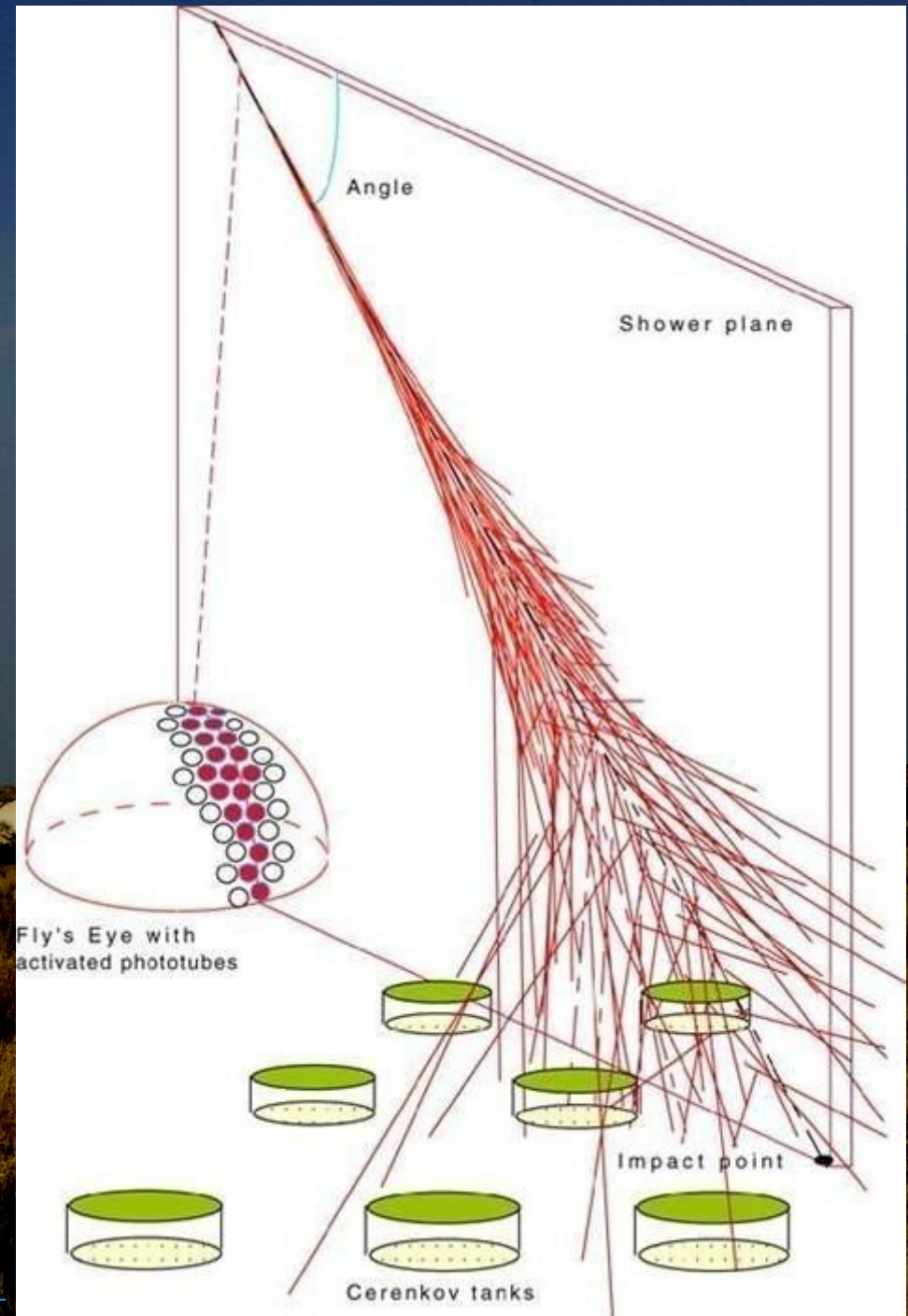
✓ 24h/24h duty cycle

✗ Degraded information (shower tails)

□ Detection of nitrogen fluorescence

✓ Direct measure of shower development profile

✗ 10% duty cycle (dark nights)

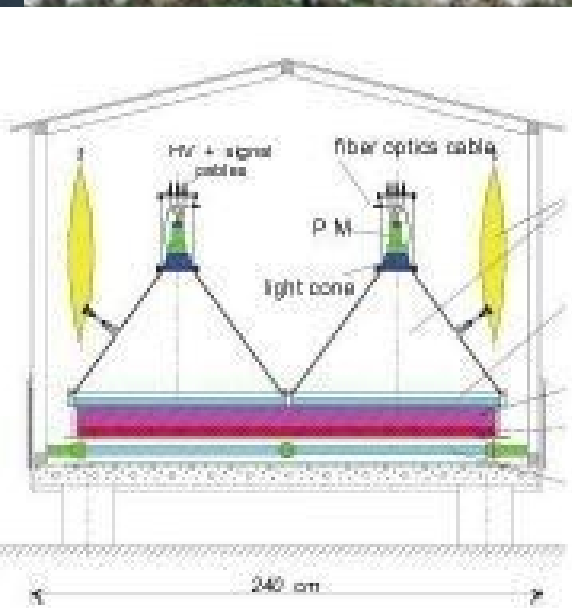
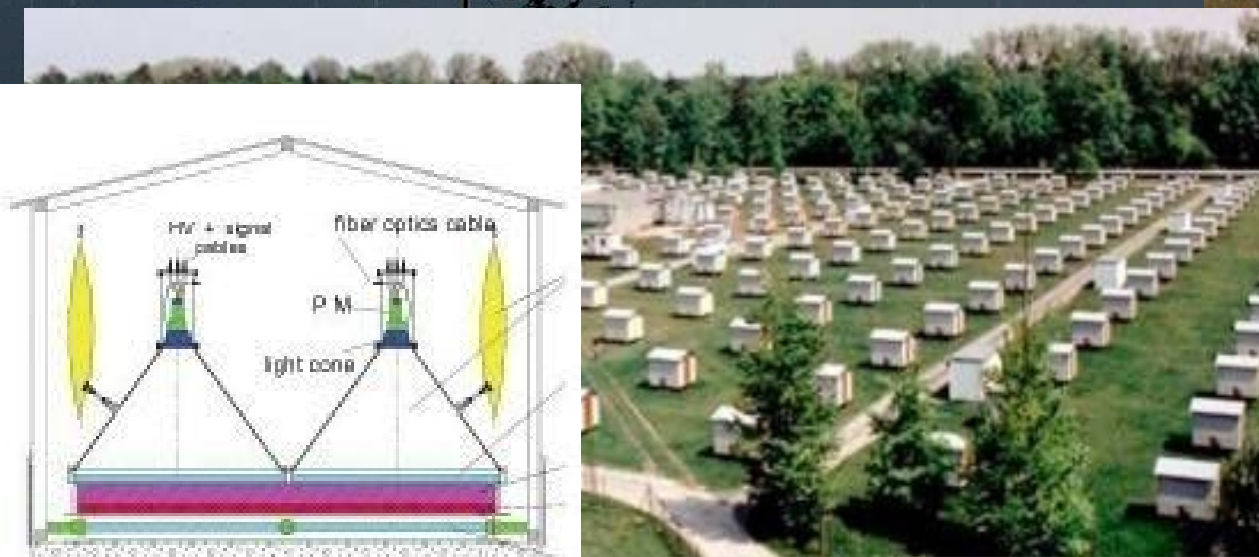


Surface Detector

- Charged particles in shower tail (e^\pm & μ^\pm)

- Water Cherenkov tanks (e^\pm & μ^\pm) : AUGER

- Scintillator arrays. Absorber ($20 X_0$) can be used to separately measure e^\pm/μ^\pm components



- Reconstruction relies on simulation

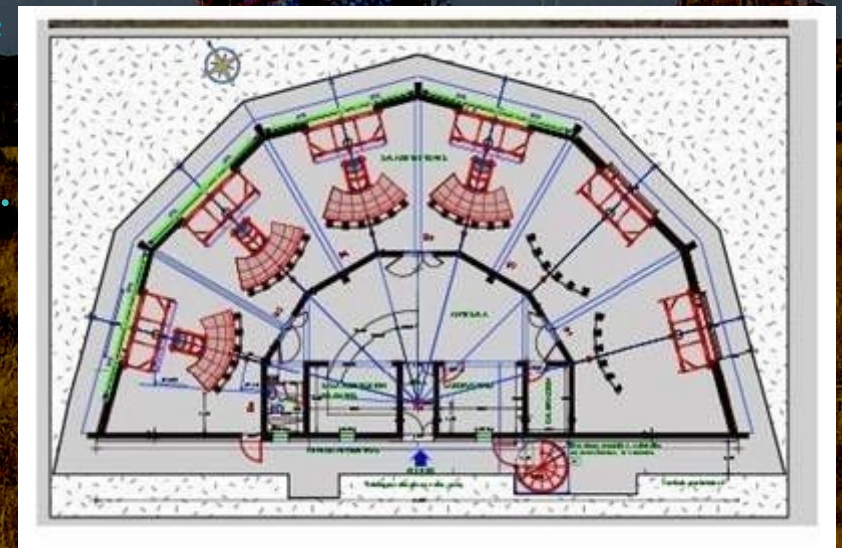
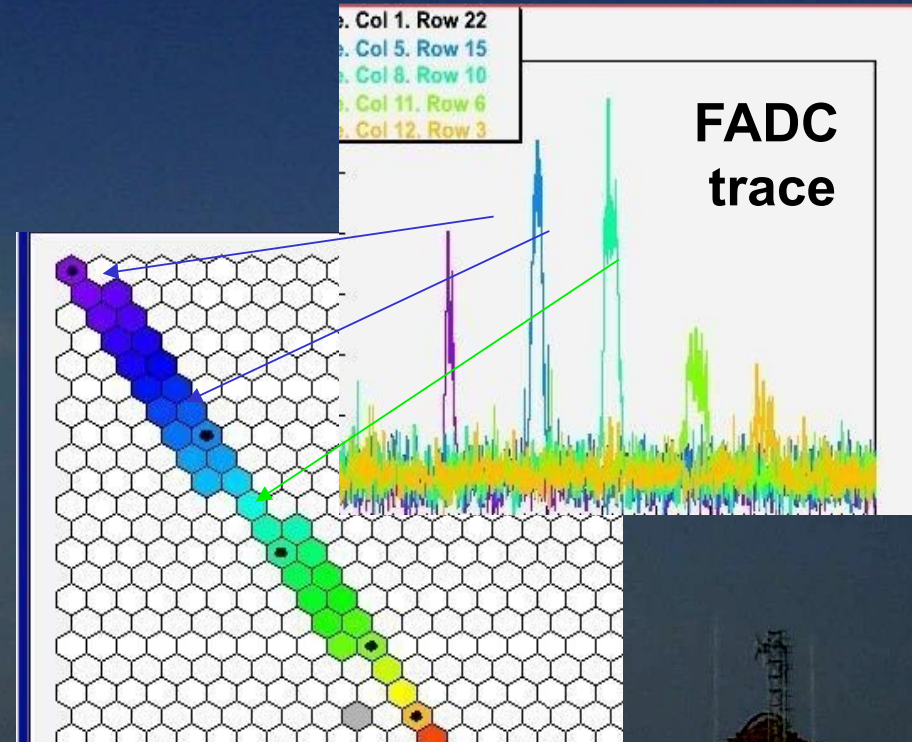
- Hadronic Models

- Detector geometry

⇒ Poorly controlled systematics

Fluorescence Detector

- ❑ Nitrogen excitation, Molecular lines emission (2P from N^2 , 1N from N^{2+}), proportional to ionization
- ❑ Isotropic emission (310-400 nm)
⇒ can be detected up to several 10 km
- ❑ Direct calorimetric measure
⇒ Longitudinal profile
- ❑ Stereoscopy ⇒ simple geometric reconstruction. Time sequence also usable
- ❑ Problems:
 - ❑ Fluorescence light yield poorly known. Depends on composition, humidity, ...
 - ❑ Atmospheric transparency
 - ❑ Need to subtract forward Cherenkov



Experiments

EAS-Top



Kaskade



Kaskade -Grande



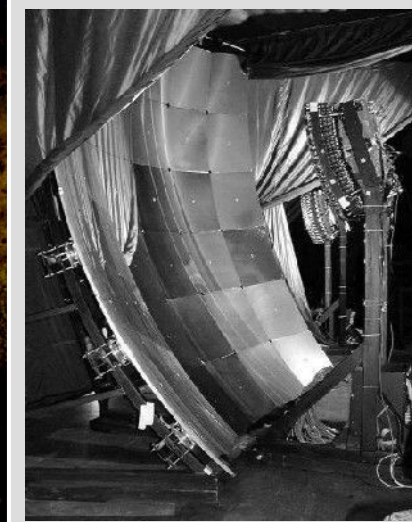
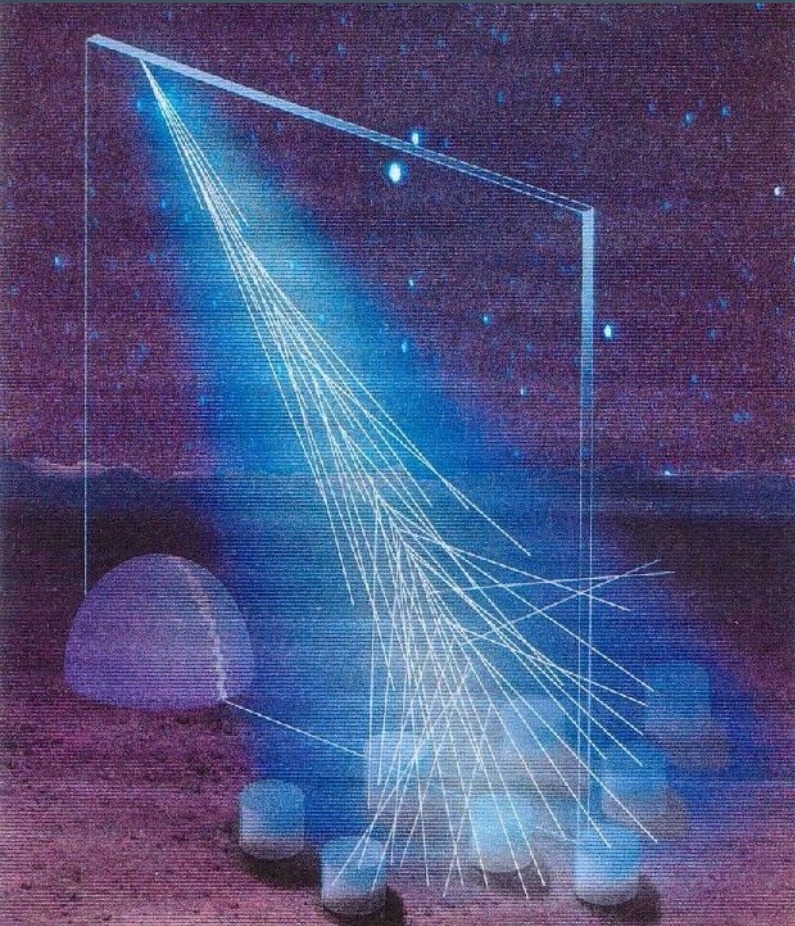
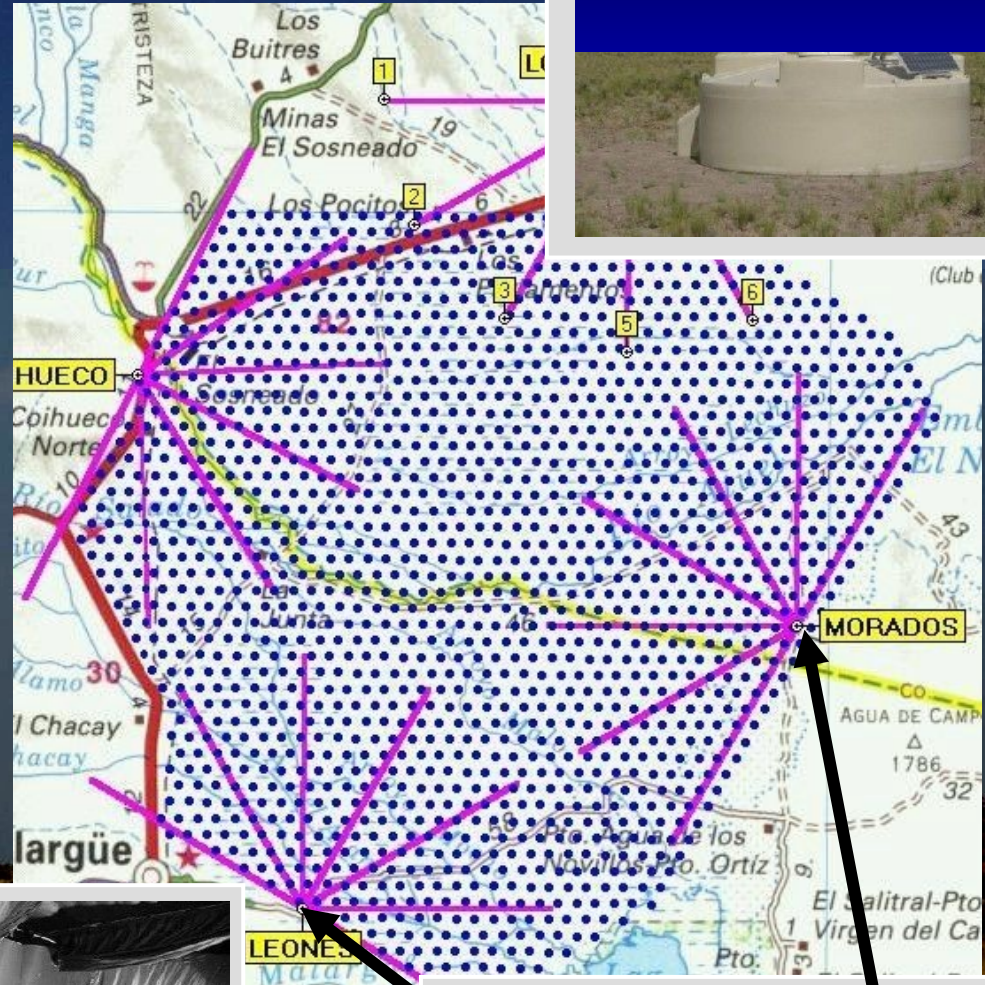
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Auger

- Hybrid detector
 - 1600 tanks over 1000 km²
 - 4 fluorescence detectors with 6 telescopes each

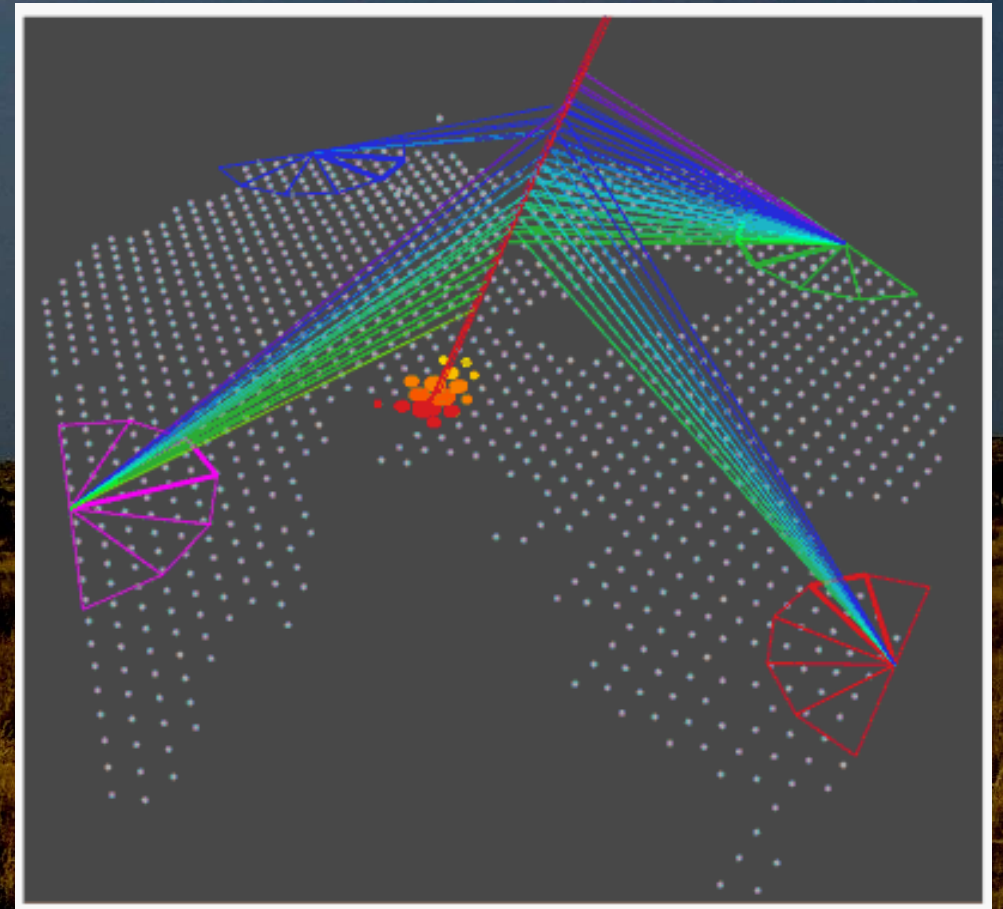
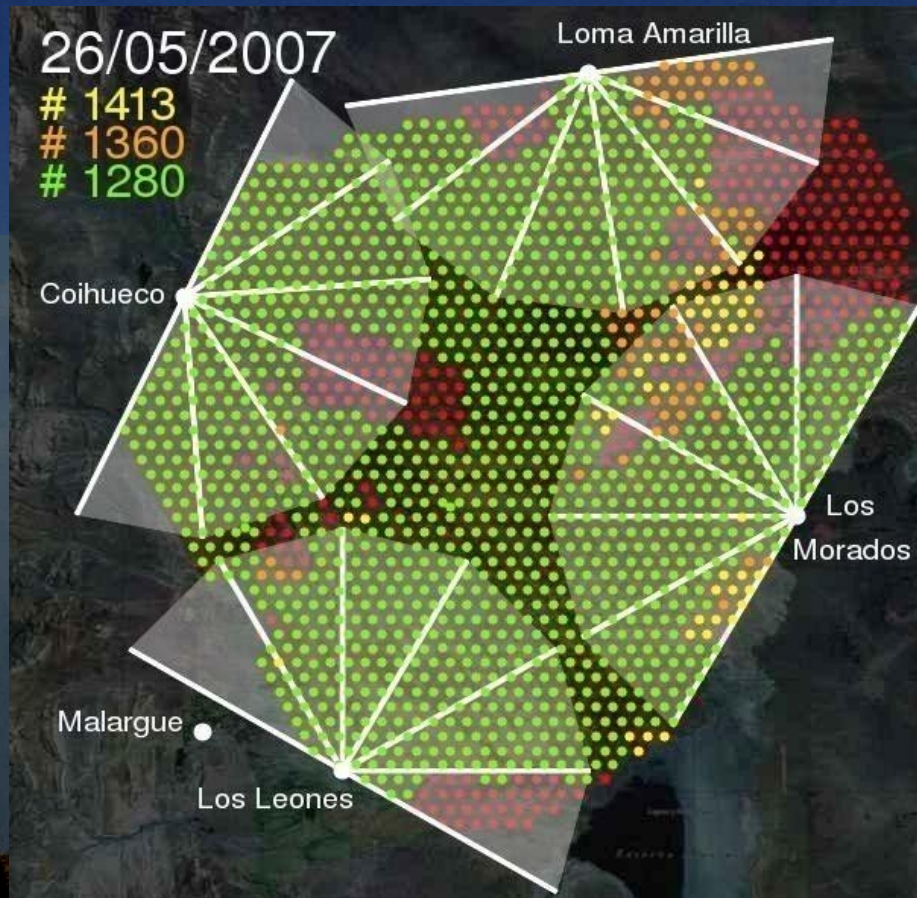
1600 Water Č-Detectors



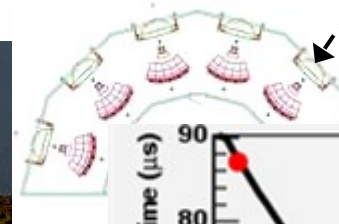
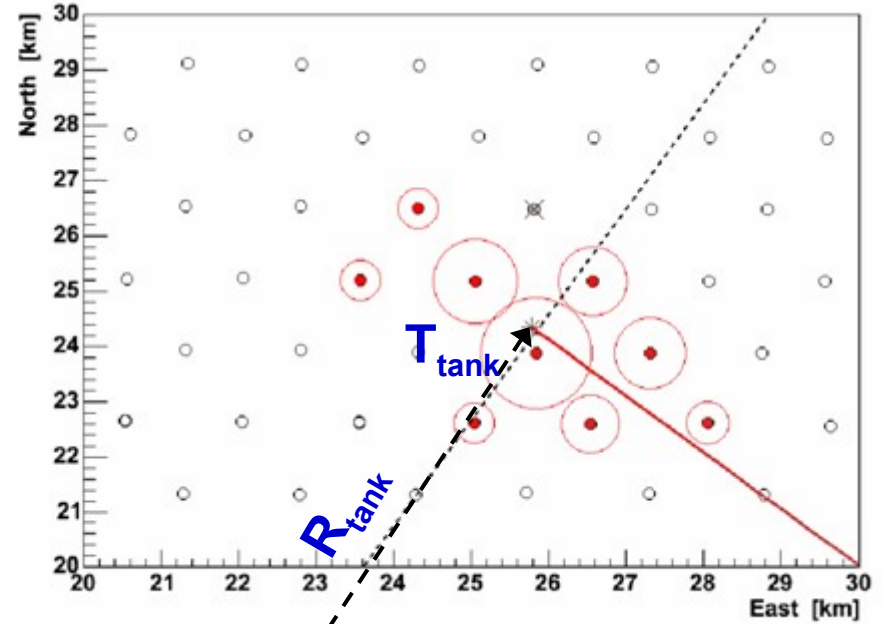
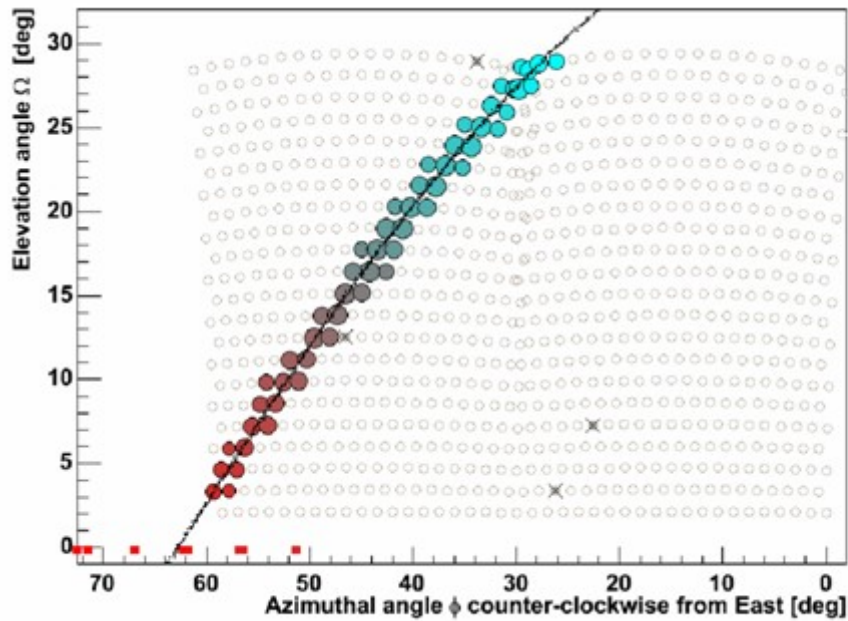
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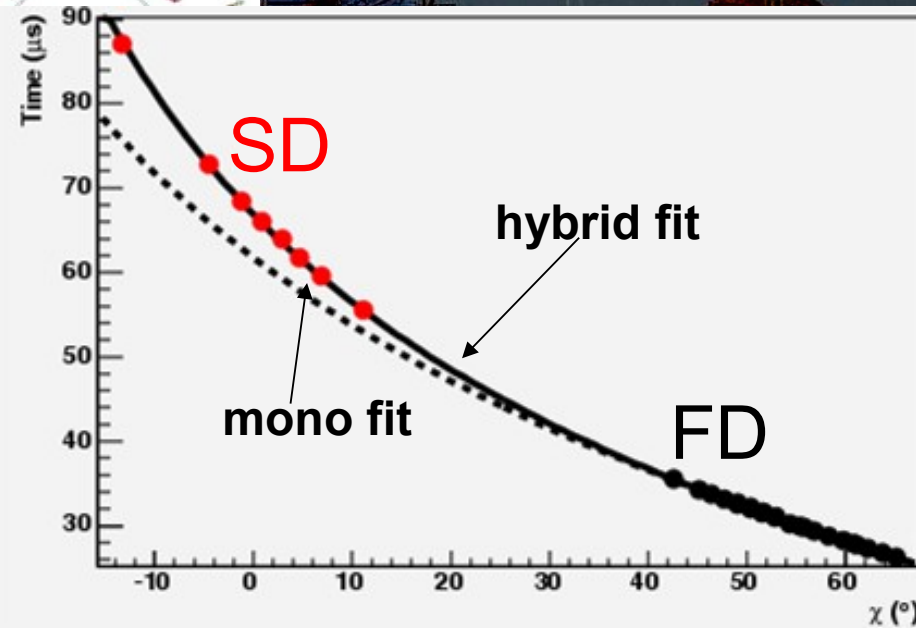
Quadruple Fluorescence Event



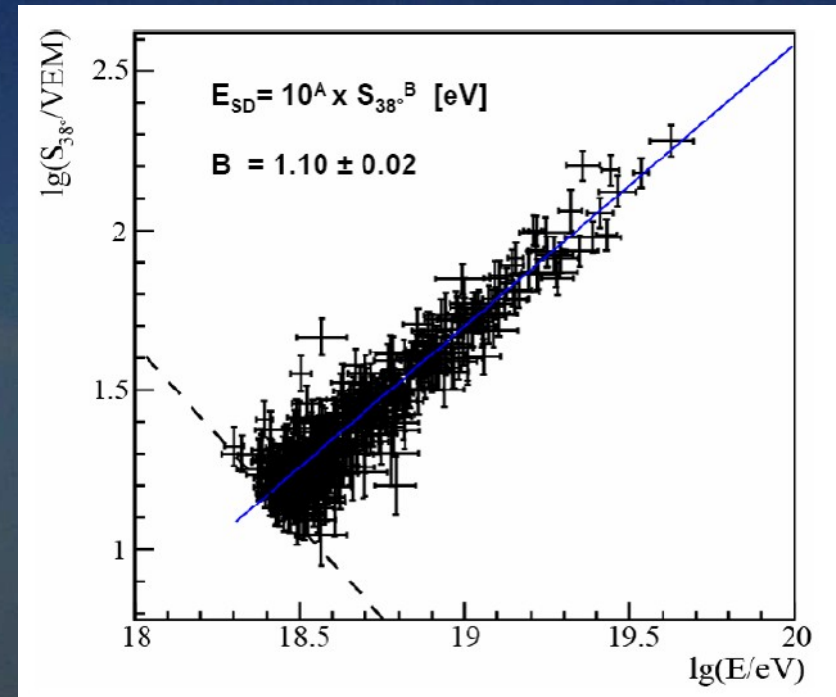
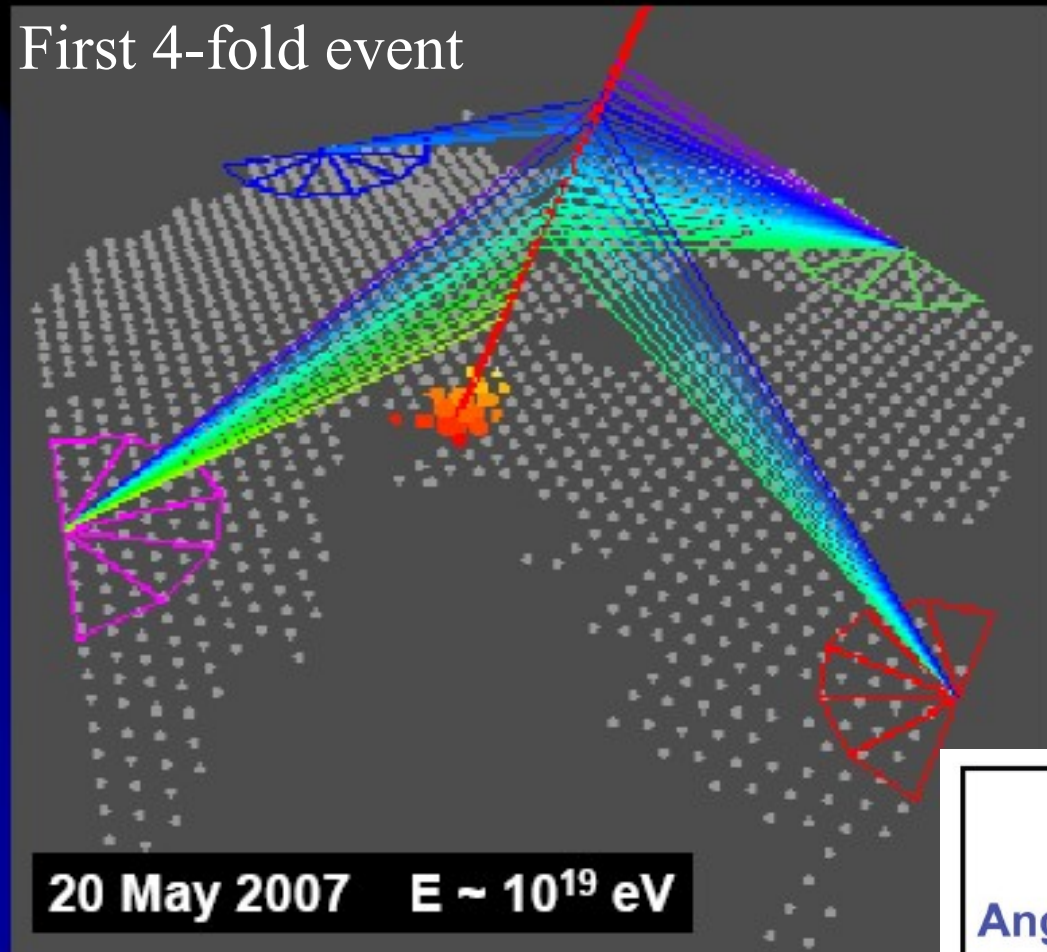
Hybrid Events



- FD: principal axis and time profile
- SD: measurement of time on the ground
- Combined fit improves core reconstruction



Hybrid Era

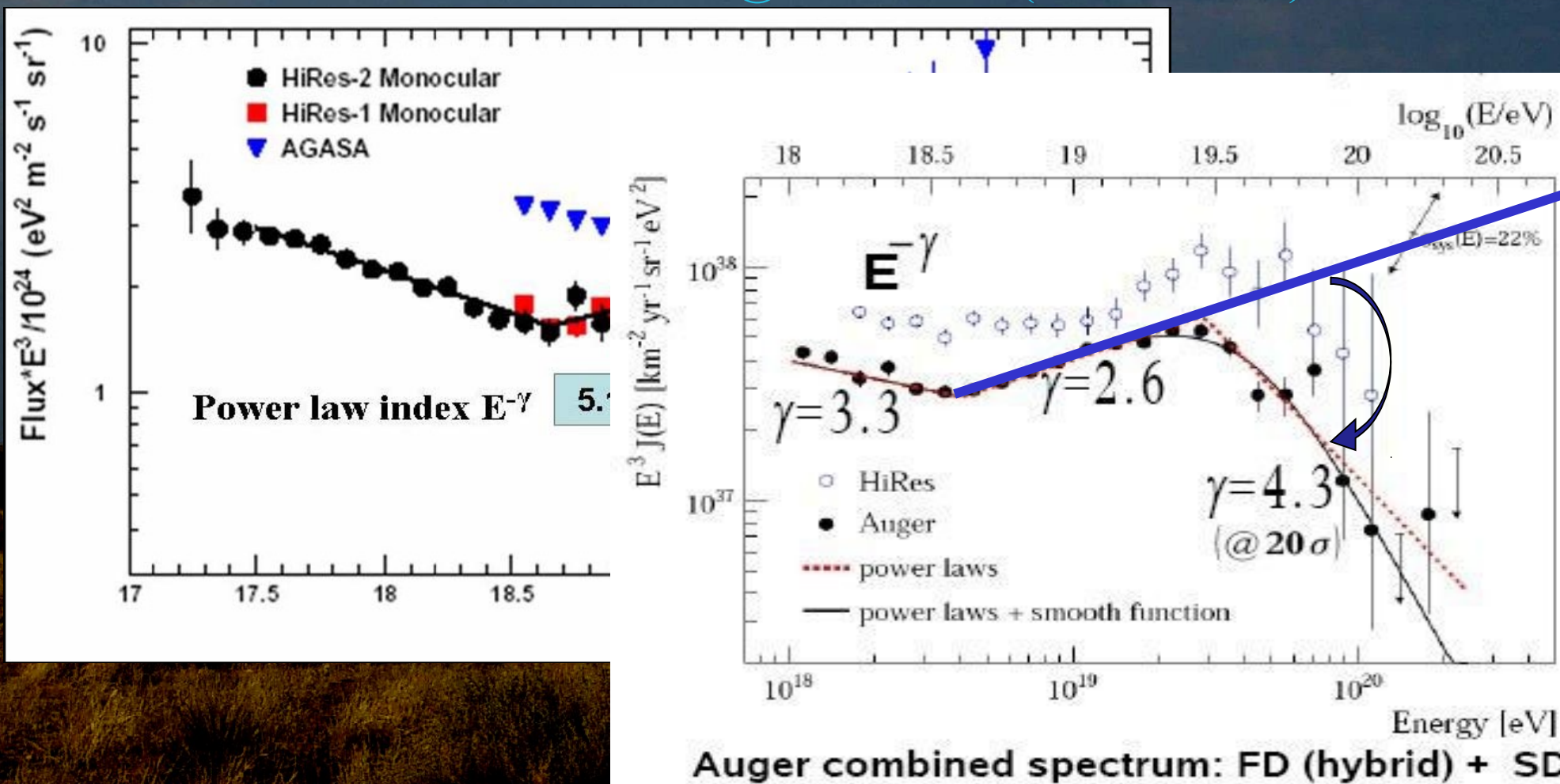


	Hybrid	SD-only	FD-only mono (stereo – low N)
Angular Resolution	$\sim 0.2^\circ$	$\sim 1 - 2^\circ$	$\sim 3 - 5^\circ$
Aperture	Flat with energy AND mass and model (M) free		E, A, spectral slope and M dependent
Energy	A and M free	A and M dependent	A and M free

- Cross-calibration SD-FD
- Improved resolutions
- Less model dependency
- Control on systematics

Energy Spectrum

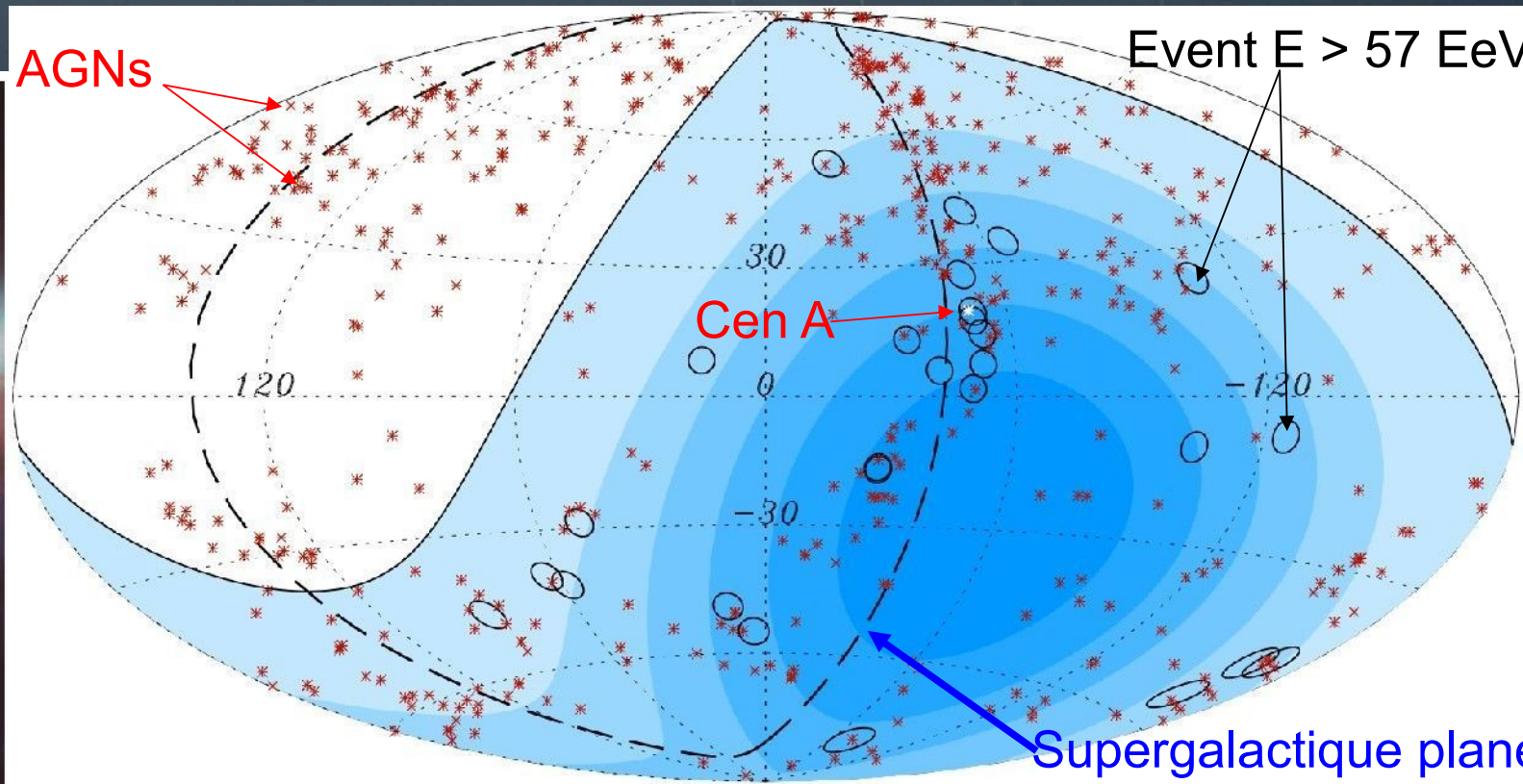
- Situation before Auger unclear
- FD / SD intercalibration on hybrid events
- Confirmation of a cutoff @ $10^{19.7}$ eV (20σ effect)



Did we find the sources of UHECRs ?

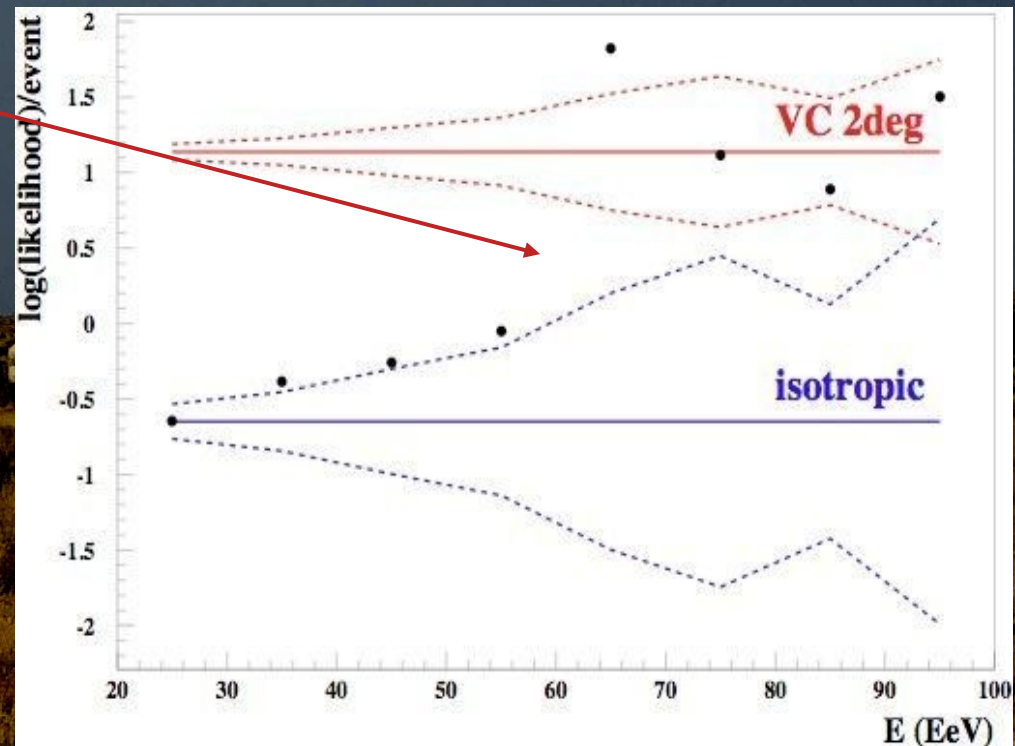
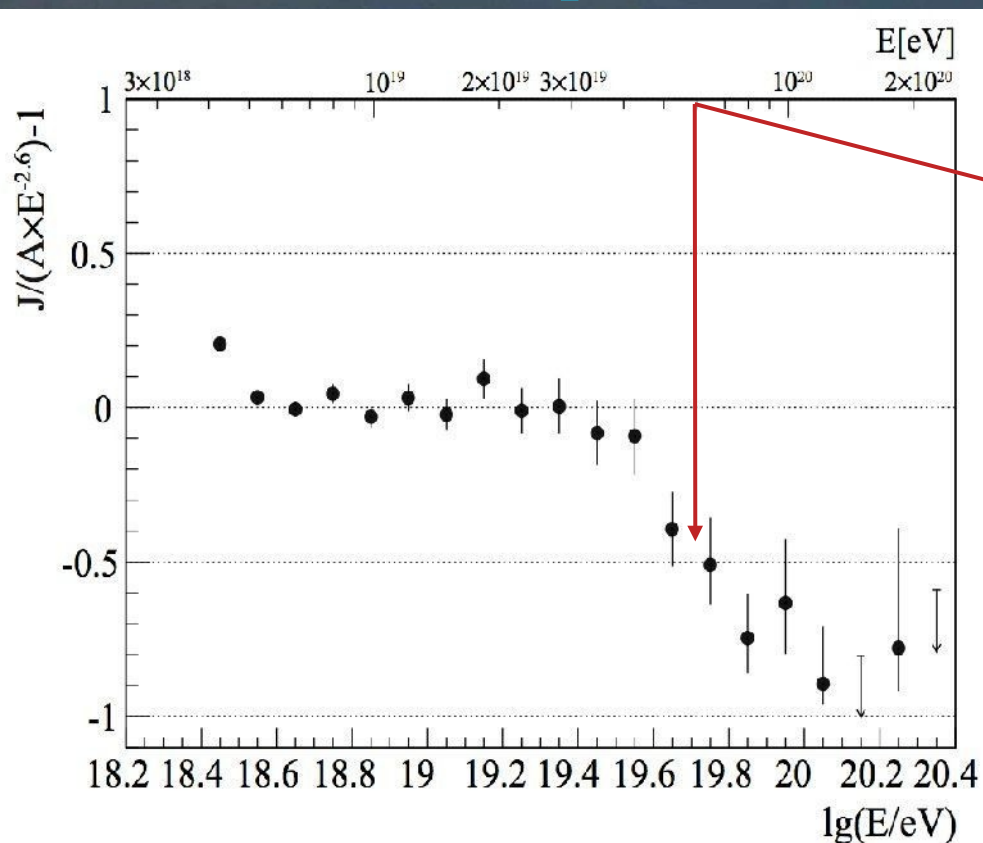
- Data set 2004 - 08/2007
 - $> 10^6$ events above 0.2 EeV.
 - 81 events > 40 EeV, $\theta < 60^\circ$
 - $P = 10^{-5}$ incl. trials
- Correlation with supergalactic plane (nearby AGNs)
- Controversy on more recent data...

Science (Nov. 2007)



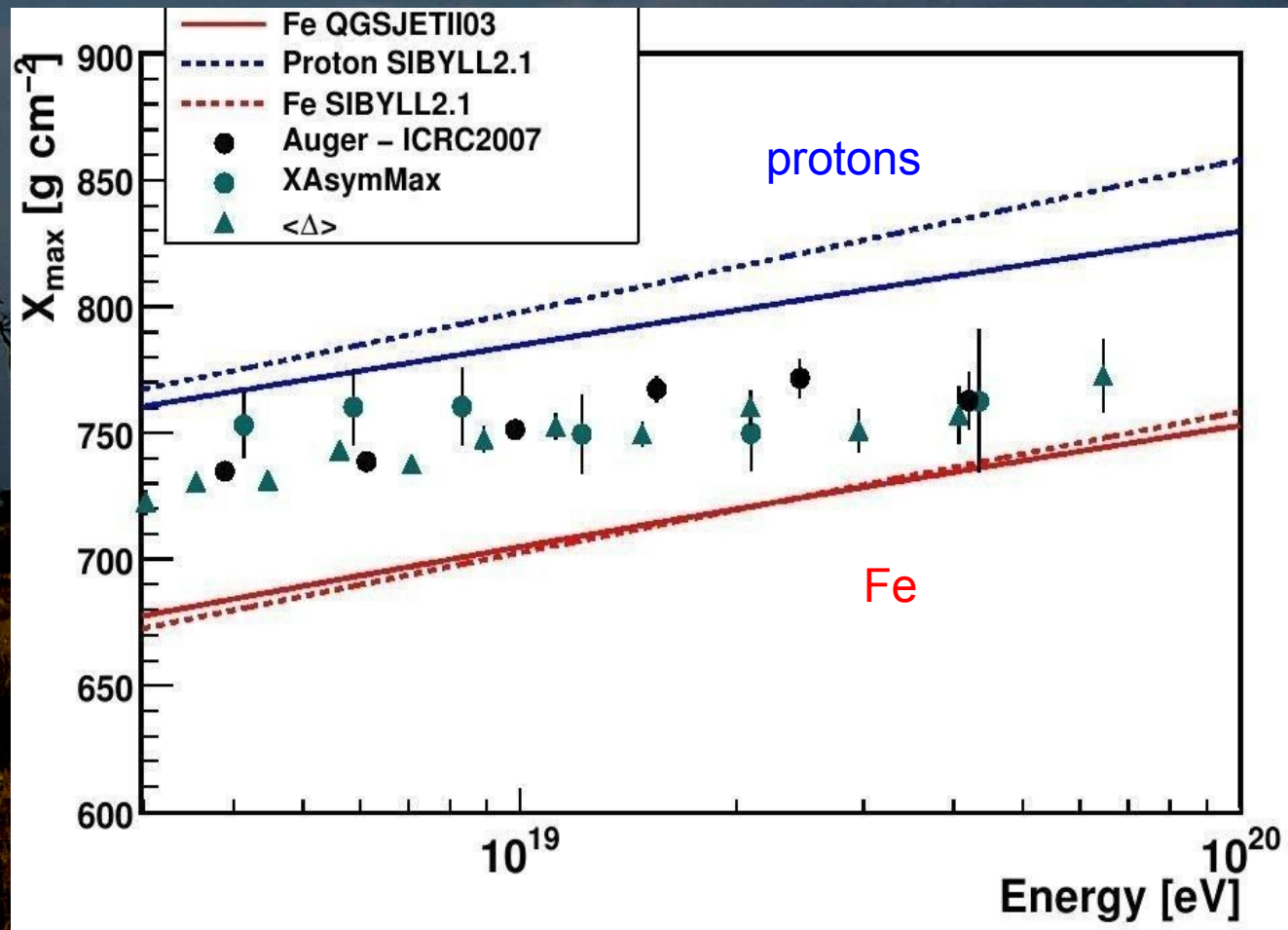
GZK Cutoff ?

- Energy cutoff @ $10^{19.7}$ eV
- At the same energy, appearance of anisotropies
(Anisotropy signal maximum where flux divided by two)
- Naturally leads to GZK interpretation
- Alternate explanation: exhausted sources



Composition

- Several different measurement agree pretty well
- Hint toward heavier composition at high energy

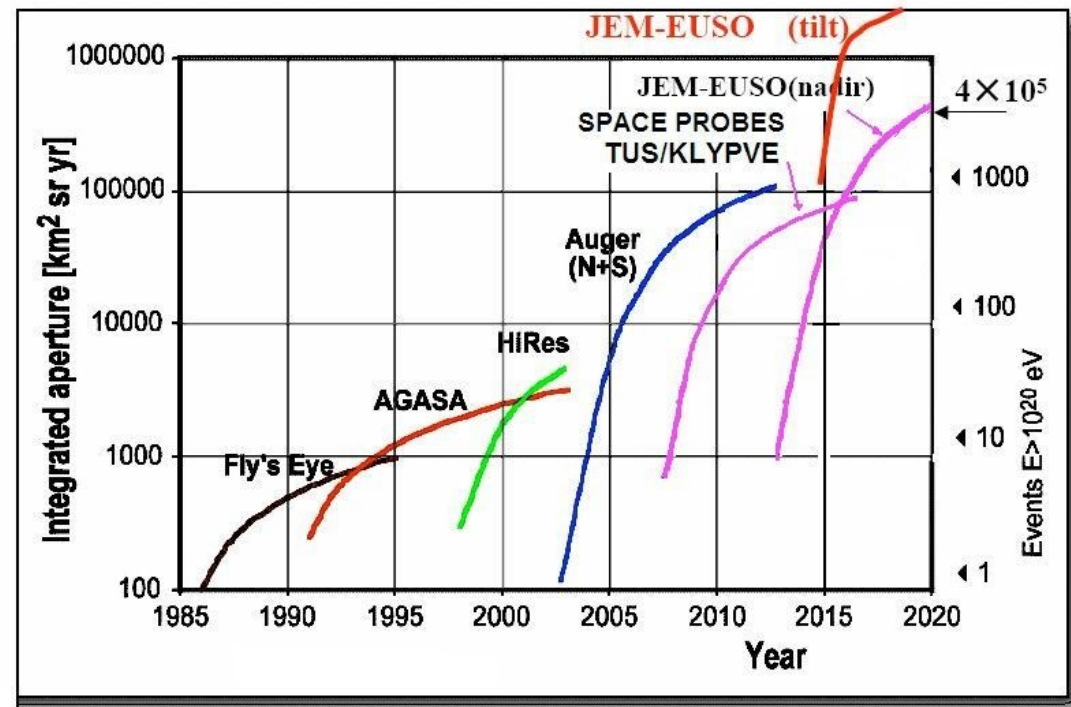


Perspectives (I)

- ❑ Larger network for investigating the highest energies: Auger North + JEM-EUSO Telescope on ISS (2013)
- ❑ Upgrade of existing networks (HEAT, AMIGA...)
- ❑ Low energy extensions toward the knee (Tel. Array)
- ❑ A lot of R&D in other detection techniques (Radio!)

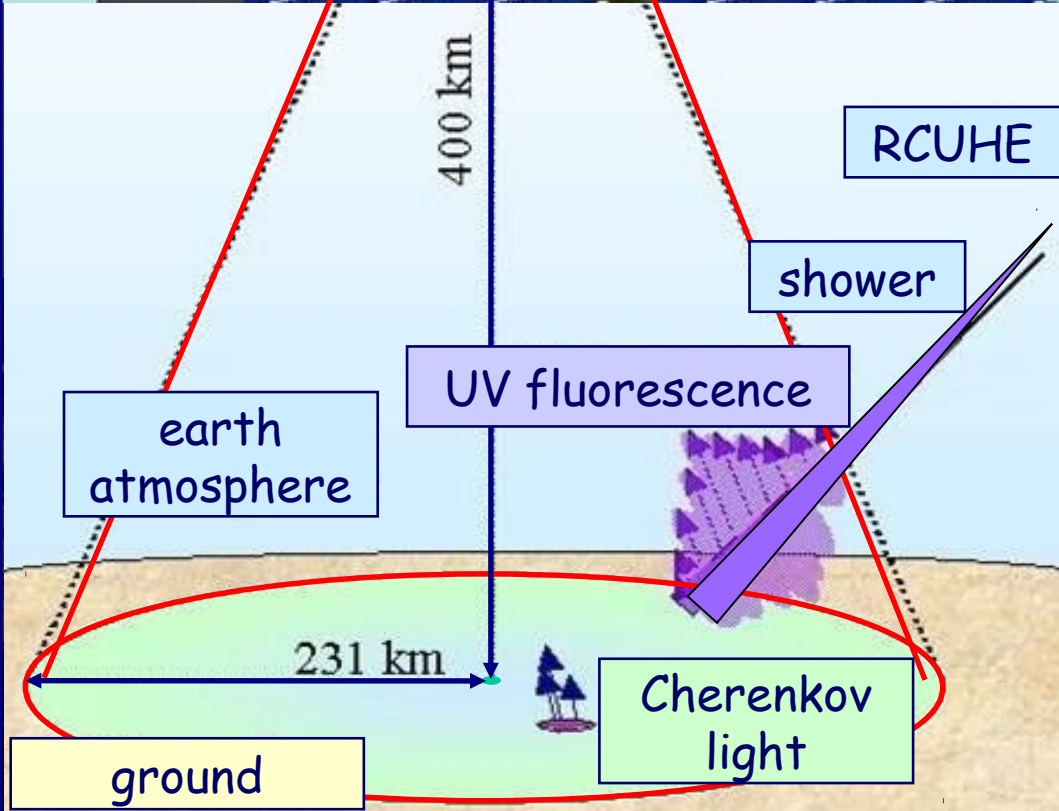
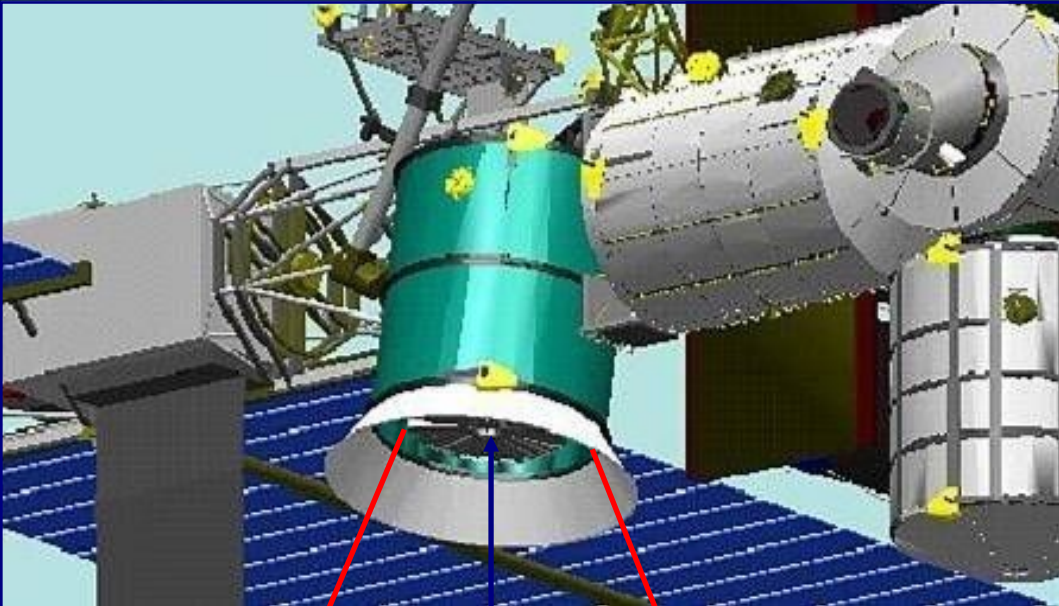


Vertical Mode



by Boris Khrenov 2006

JEM - EUSO

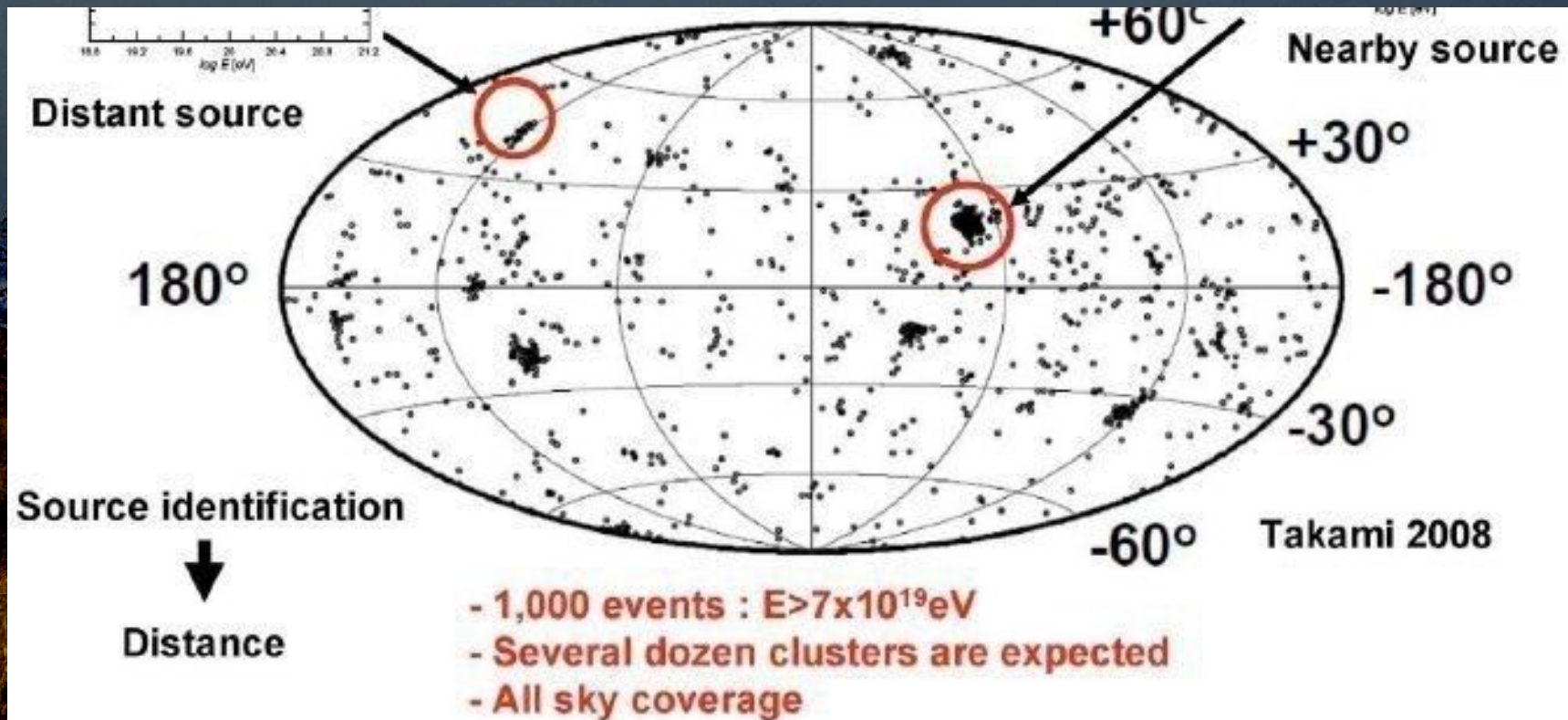


- ❑ Acceptance : $10^6 \text{ km}^2 \text{ sr}$
- ❑ Target air mass : 10^{13} T
- ❑ Full sky coverage in one year
- ❑ 1000 events per year with $E > 10^{20} \text{ eV}$
- ❑ Launch foreseen in 2013 => 2015?



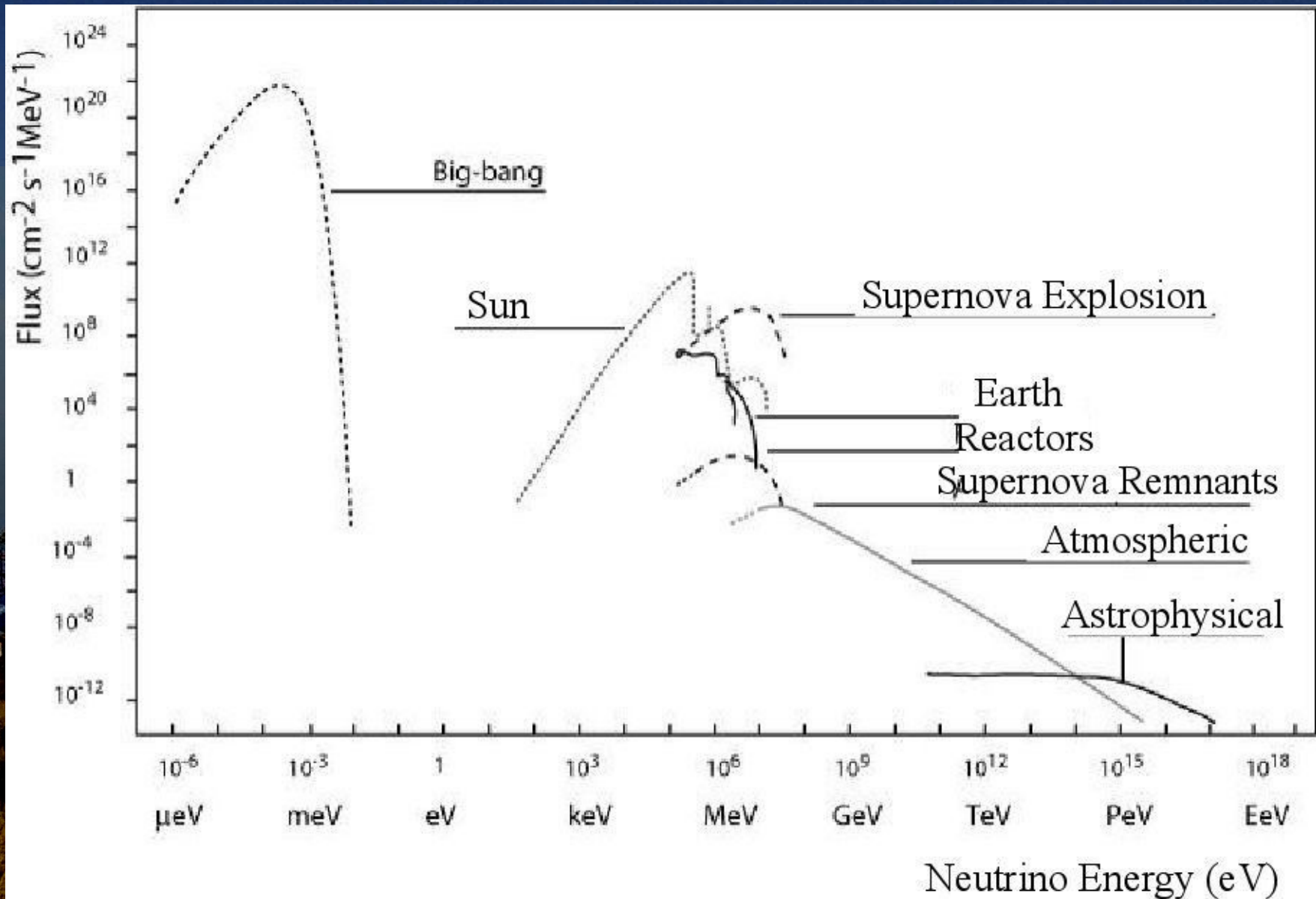
Needed performances

- > 1000 events $E > 7 \cdot 10^{19}$ eV
- Angular resolution $< 2.5^\circ$
- Energy resolution $< 30\%$
- X_{\max} resolution < 120 g / cm²



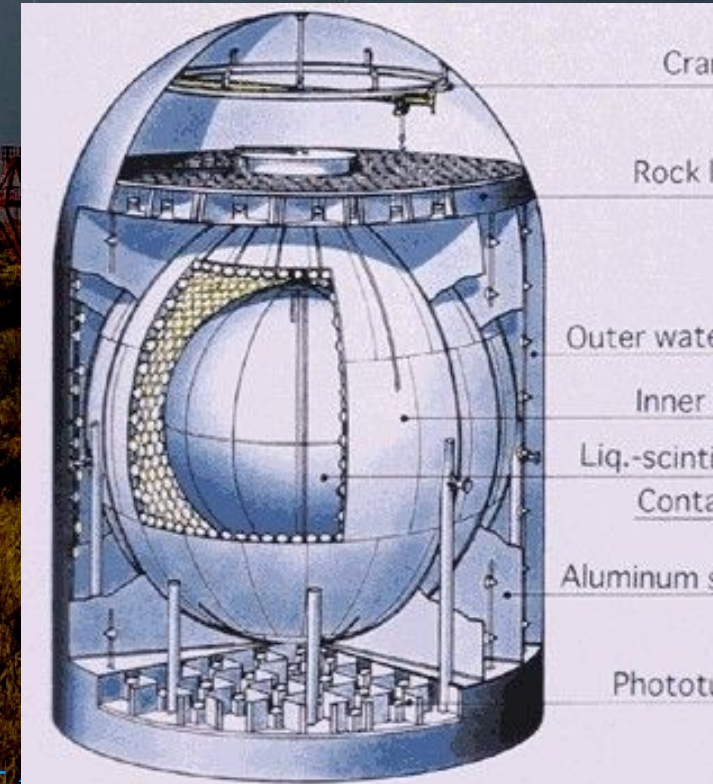
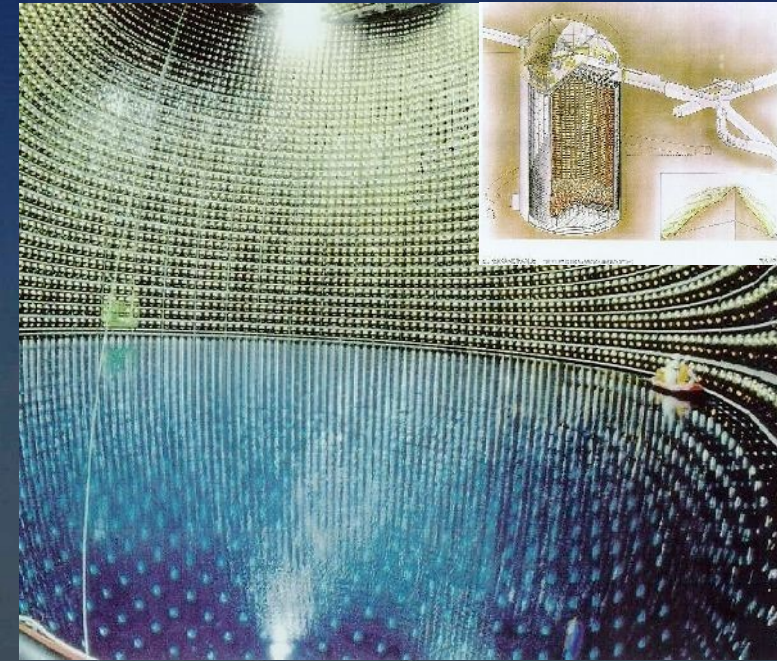
Neutrinos

Flux of cosmic neutrinos



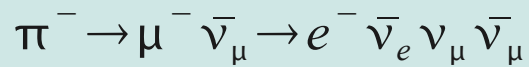
Low Energy Neutrinos

- ❑ Solar Neutrinos physics (oscillation,...) in the MeV domain
- ❑ Supernovae Neutrinos (SN 1987A)
- ❑ Underground Water Cherenkov detectors (KamLAND, SuperKamiokande, ...)
- ❑ Using heavy water (SNO) for detection of all flavours (ν_μ appearance)
- ❑ Liquid Scintillator (LSND)
- ❑ Chemical reaction detector (Gallex, Homestake,...)
- ❑ Many experiments....

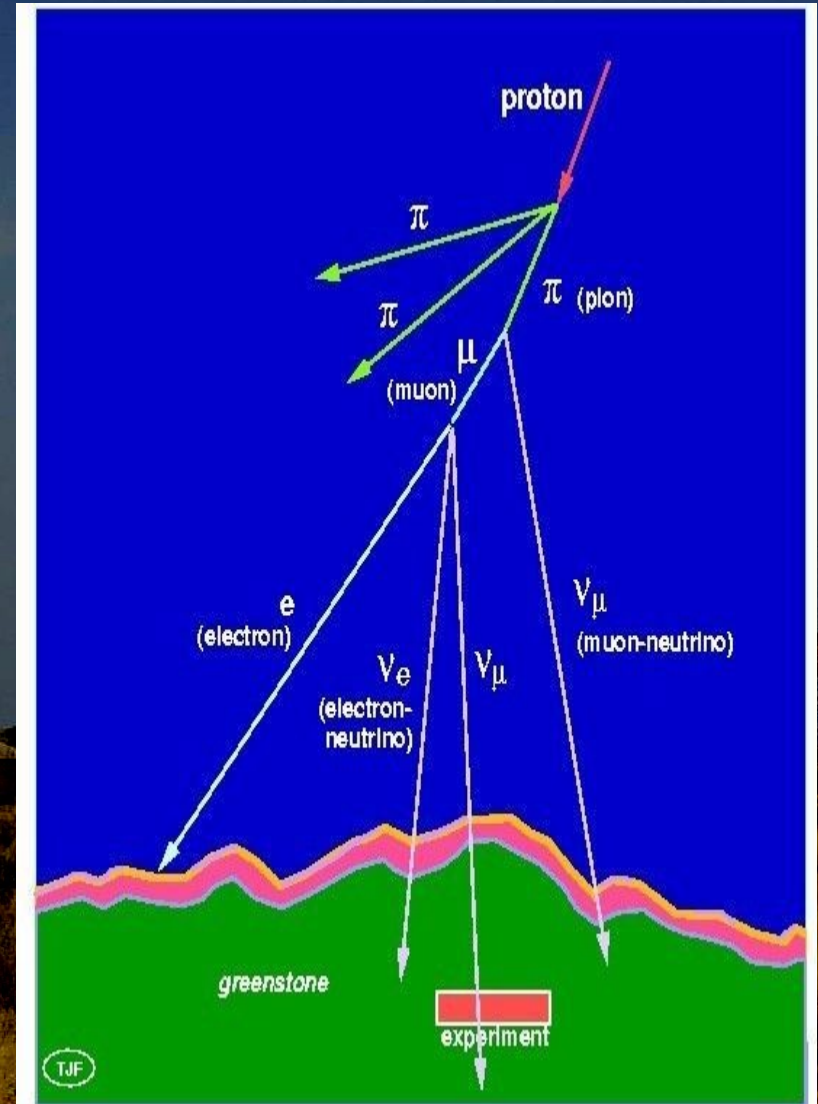
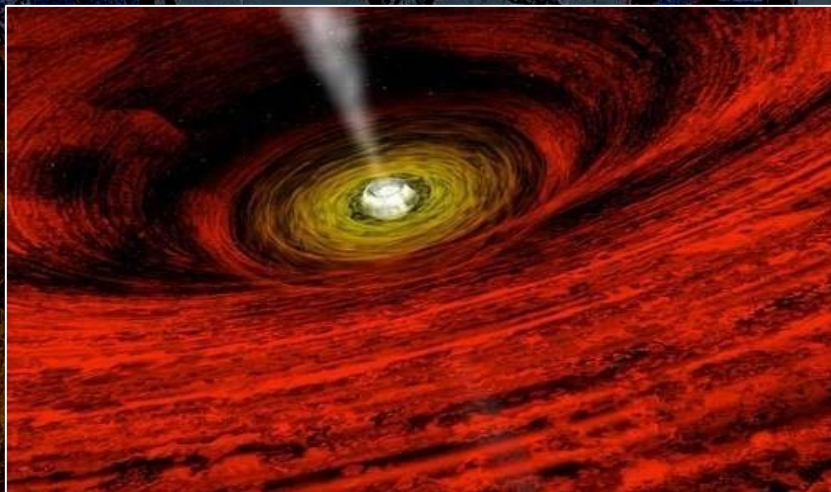


High Energy Neutrinos

- Atmospheric neutrinos
 - Neutrinos produced in hadronic showers



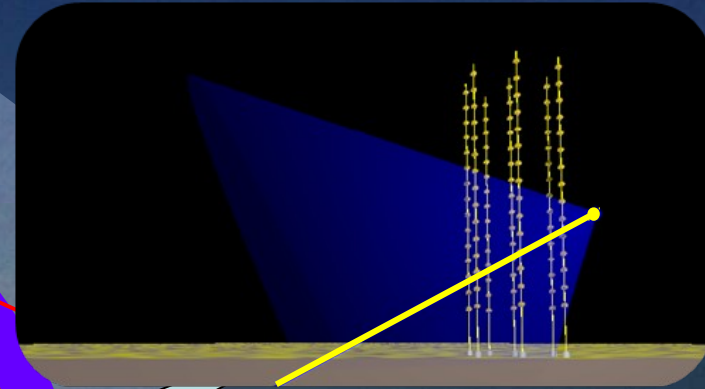
- Ratio $\nu_\mu/\nu_e \sim 2$
- Astrophysical neutrinos (AGN, GRB, SNRs, ...)



Detection principle

Atmospheric
Neutrinos
3000 per yr

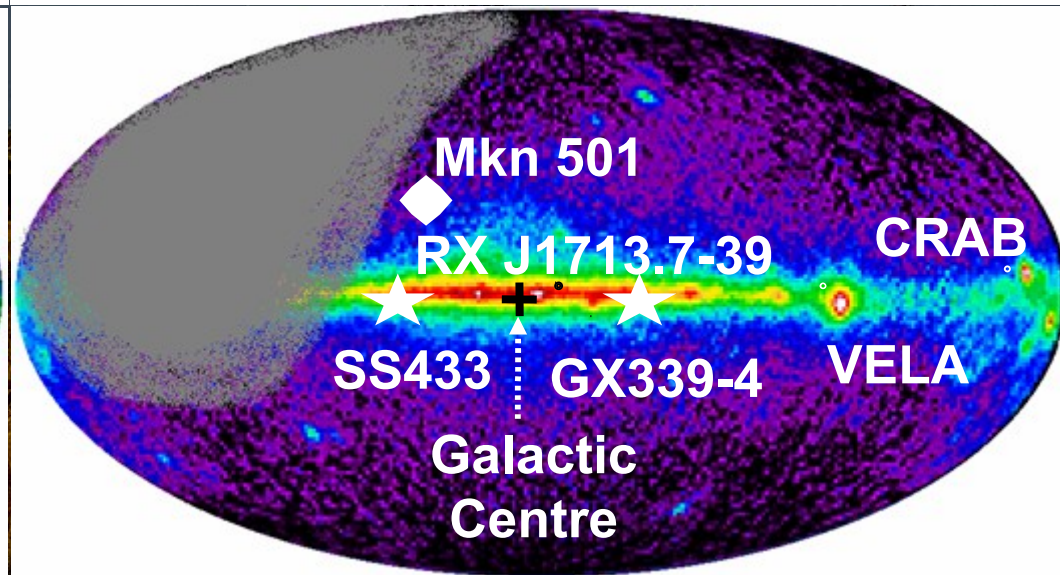
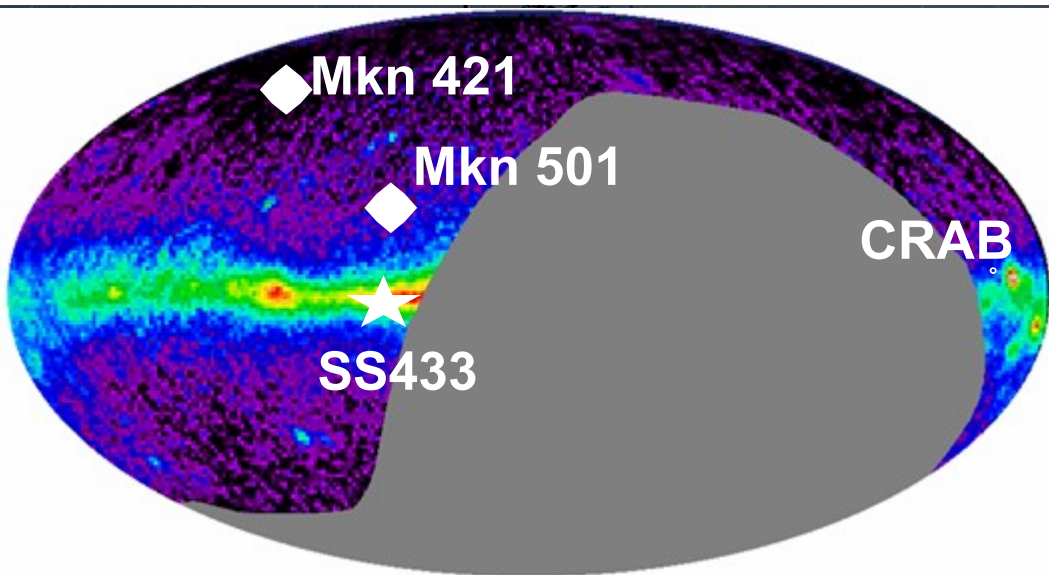
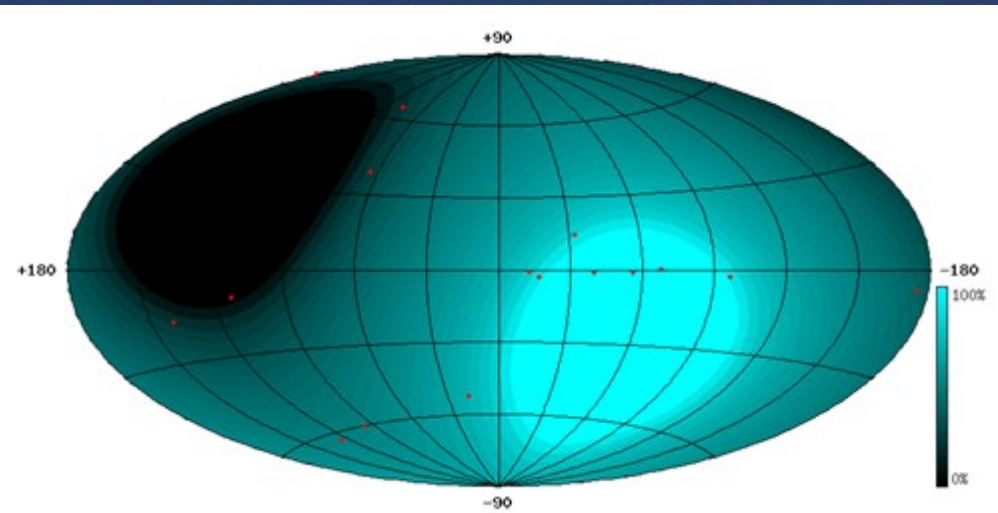
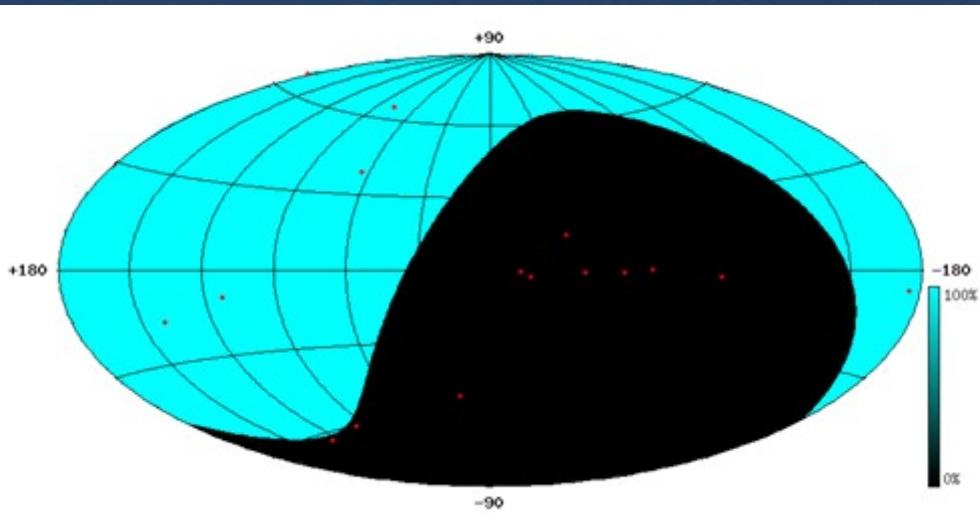
Atmospheric
muons
10 million per yr



High Energy Neutrino Sky

AMANDA (South Pole)

ANTARES (43° North)



+ Baikal, Nemo, Nestor

Mathieu de Naurois

ASP – Kumasi - Ghana - 2012

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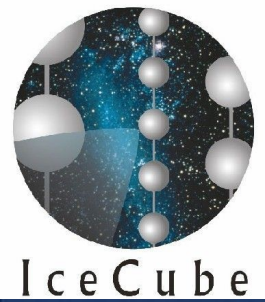
Comparison of media

ICE

- ❑ Stable, easy drilling
- ❑ ~350 Hz noise (40K), sterile
- ❑ Large absorption length ~100 m
- ❑ Low diffusion length 20-25 m (degraded angular resolution)
- ❑ Max Depth 2500 m

WATER

- ❑ High pressure, corroding
- ❑ 30-60 kHz noise, bioluminescence
- ❑ Low absorption length 25-60 m
- ❑ Large diffusion length >100 m
- ❑ Max Depth 3800 m



IceCube

Deployment:

- 2005 : 1 line installed
- 2009 : 59 lines installed
- 2010 : 79 lines (4790 DOM)
- final : 86 lines (5160 DOM)

Estimated lifetime: 15 years

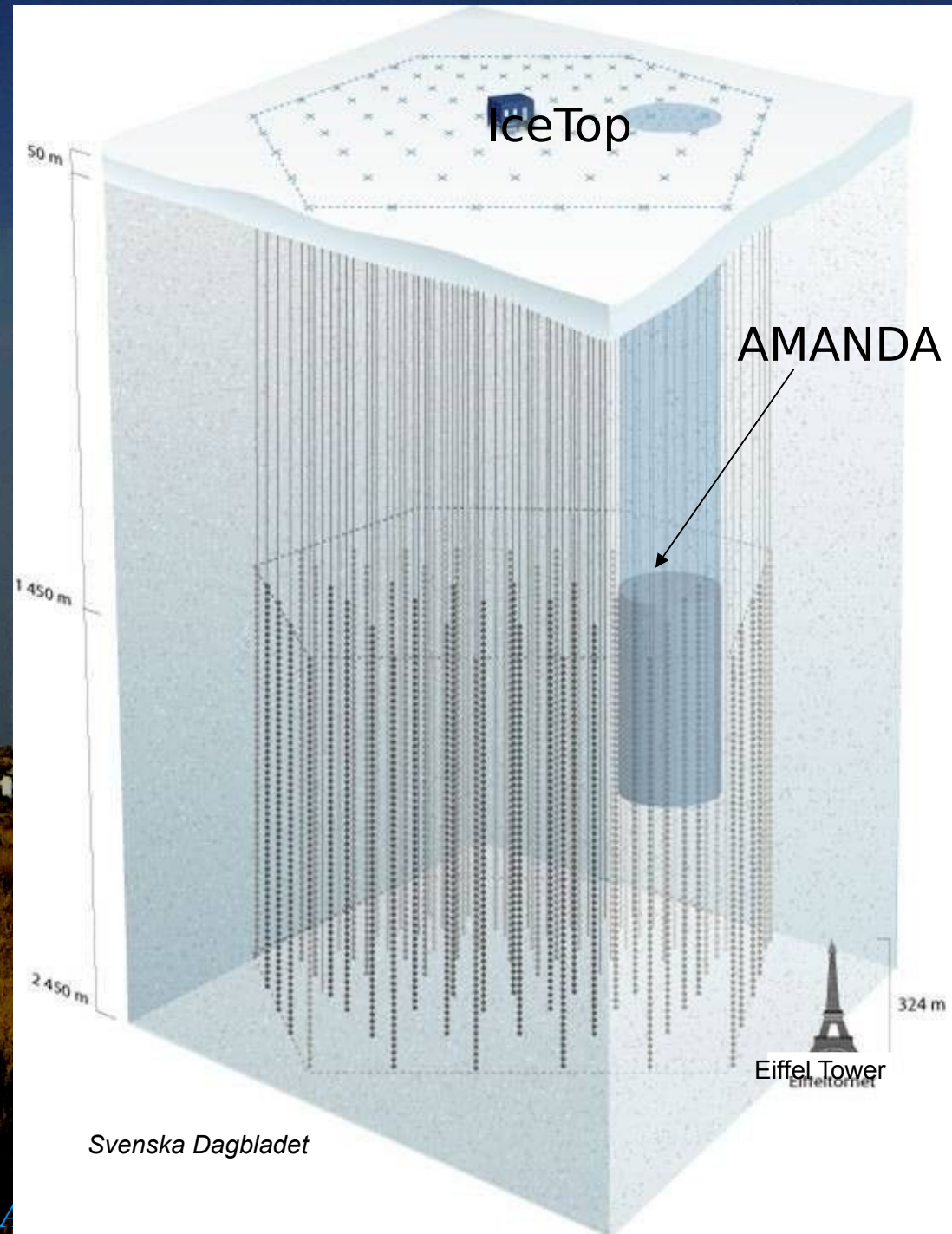
Performances:

- $O(10^0)$ ν per day
- $O(10^8)$ μ per day
- 0.4-1° angular resolution
- 10 GeV threshold

Radio detection activities (ARIANNA)

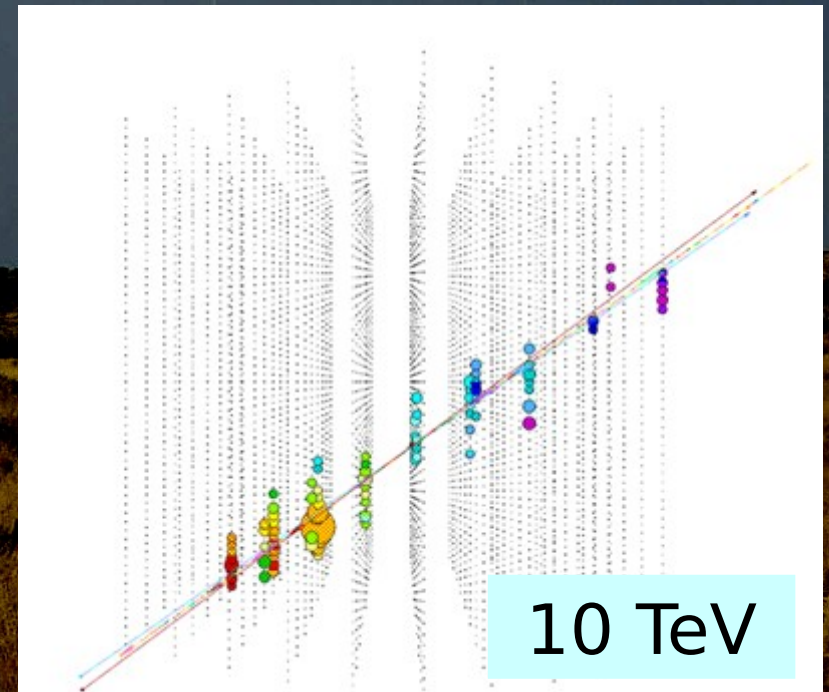
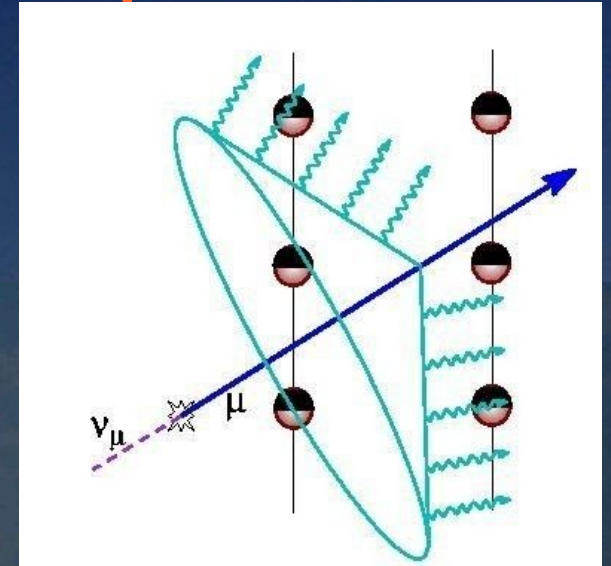
Surface array: IceTop

Mathieu de Naurois



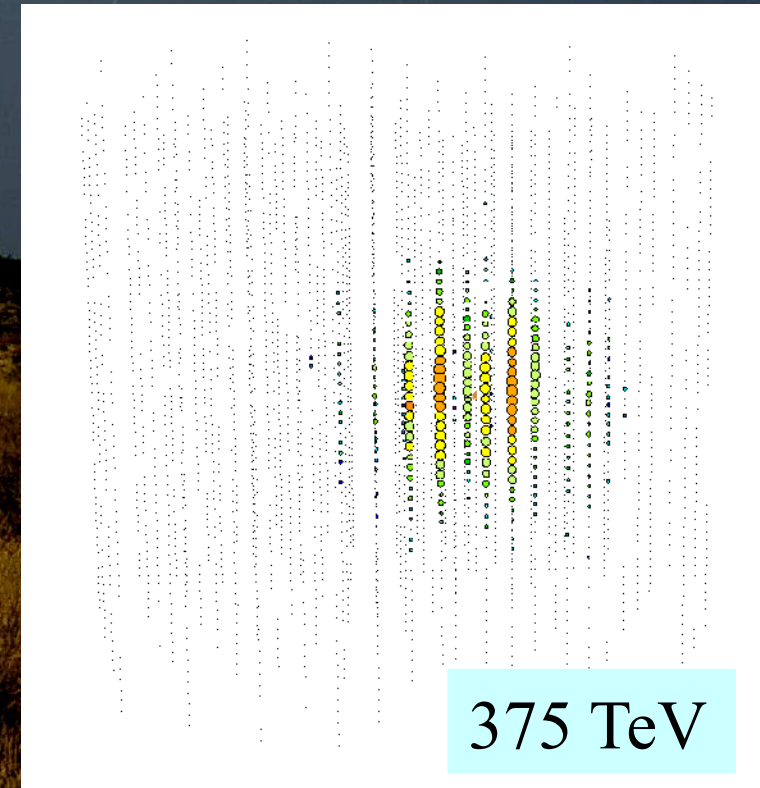
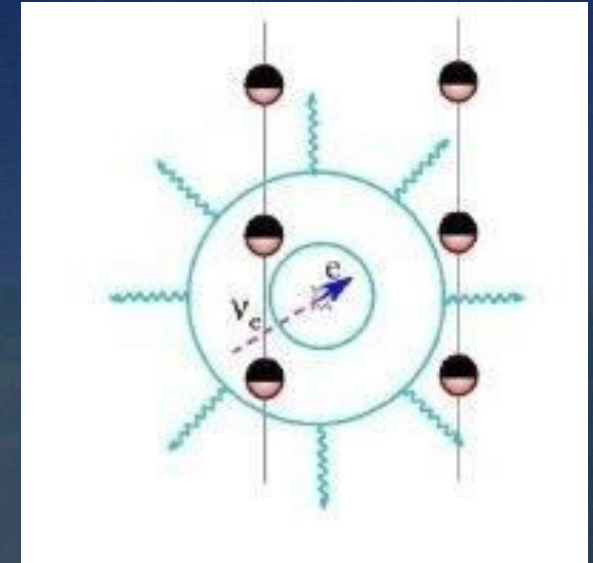
Signatures – Neutrino μ

- Long, linear track
- linear « image » aligned with muon track



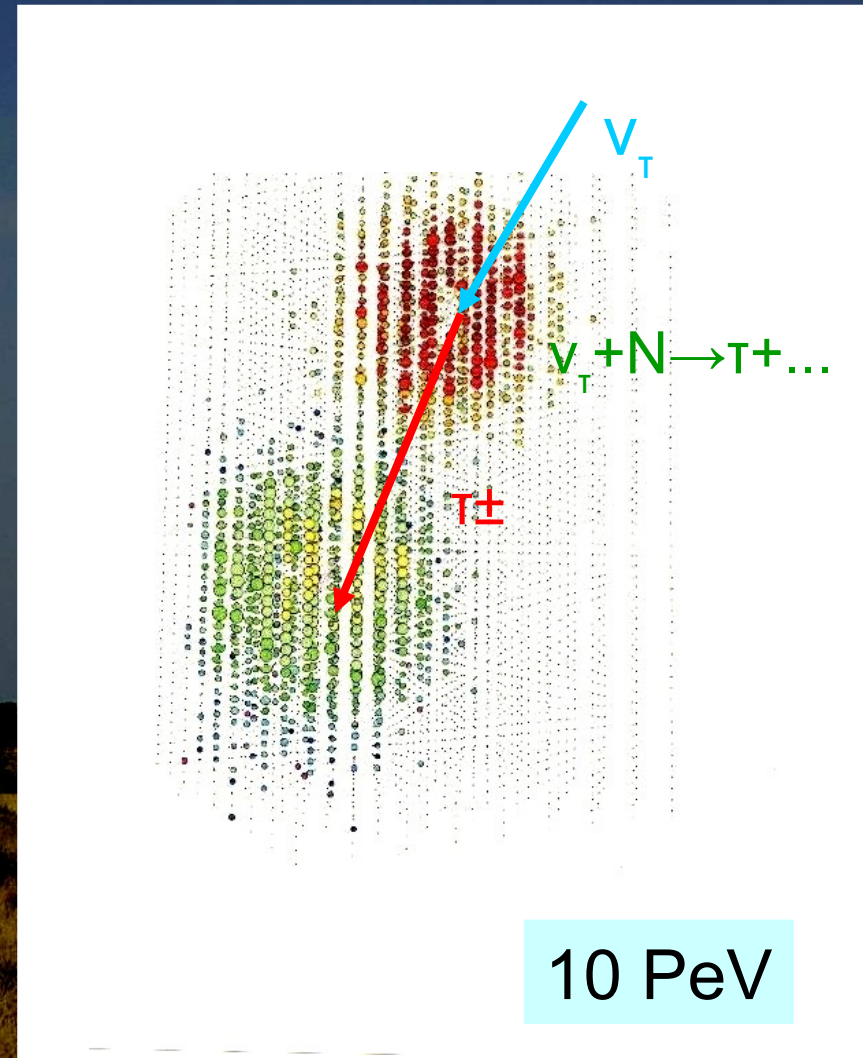
Signatures – Neutrino e

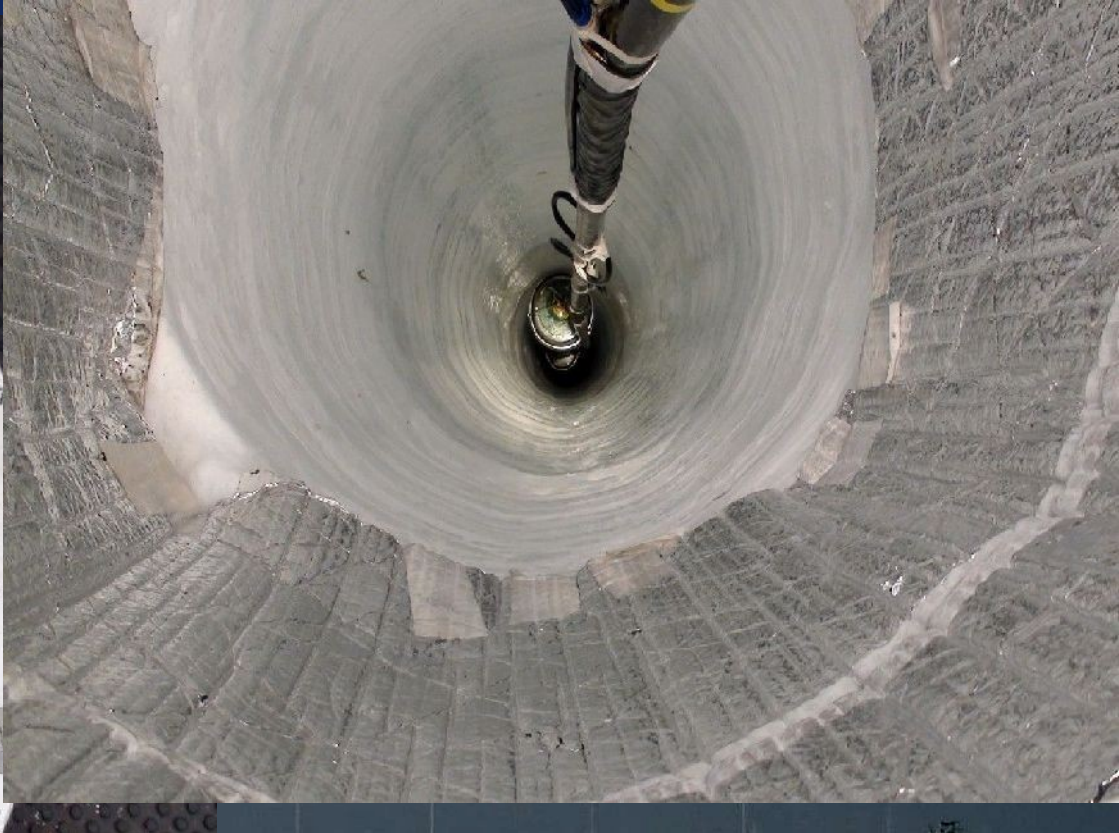
- Short track
(ionisation/bremsstrahlung losses), shower, multiple scattering
- Concentrated « Image »



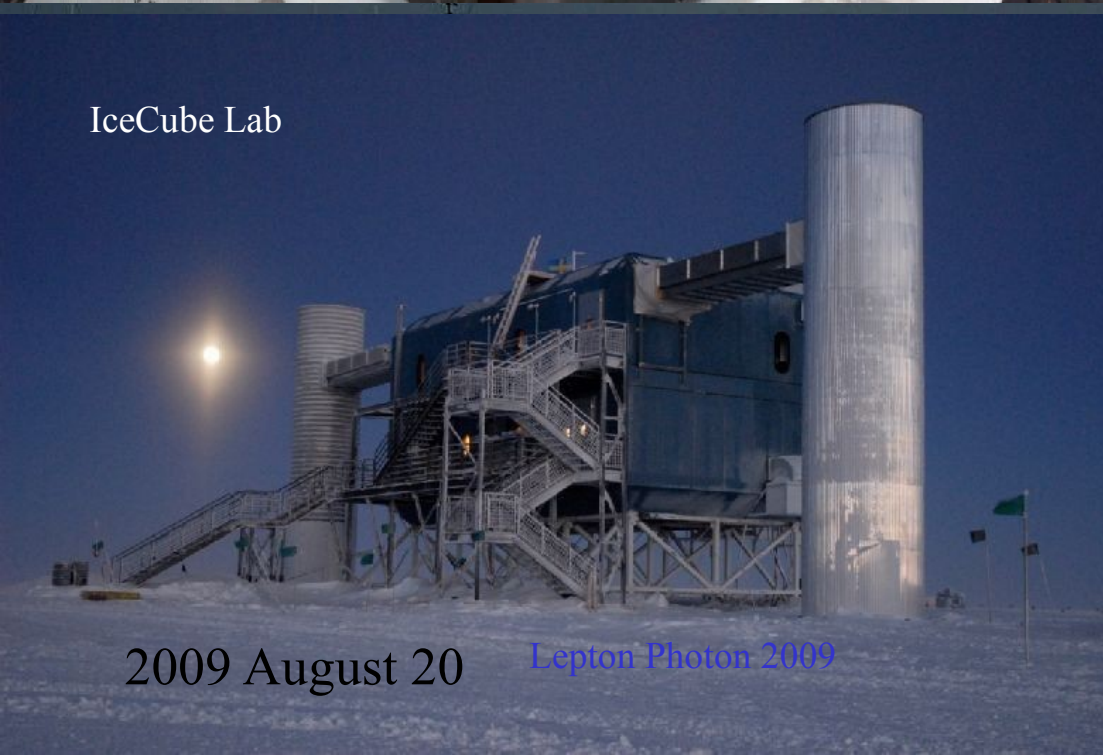
Signatures – Neutrino τ

- « Double bang »:
 - Neutrino disintegration with secondary hadrons
 - Further away, tau disintegration into electron





IceCube Lab



2009 August 20

Lepton Photon 2009

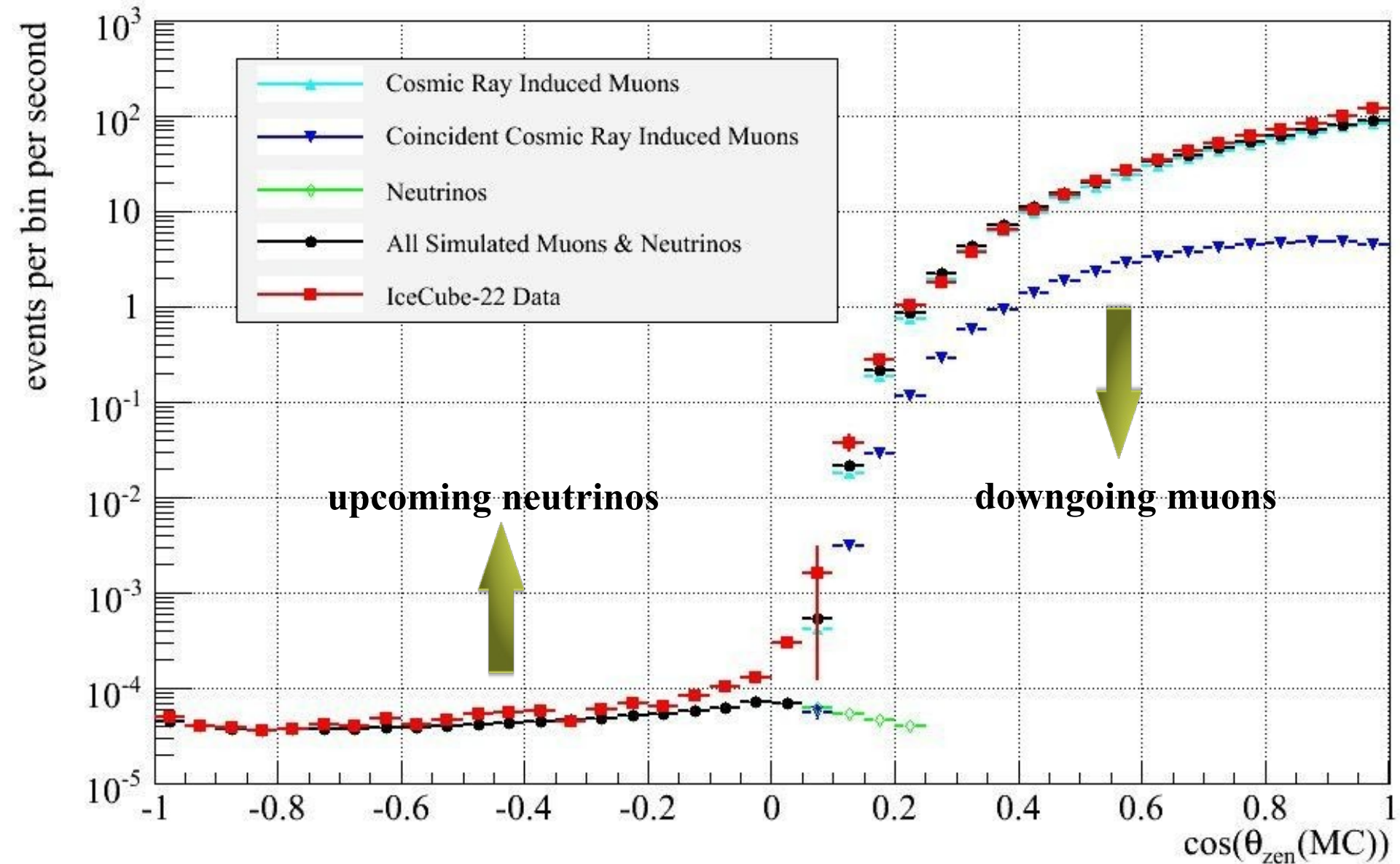
South Pole and Christmas tree



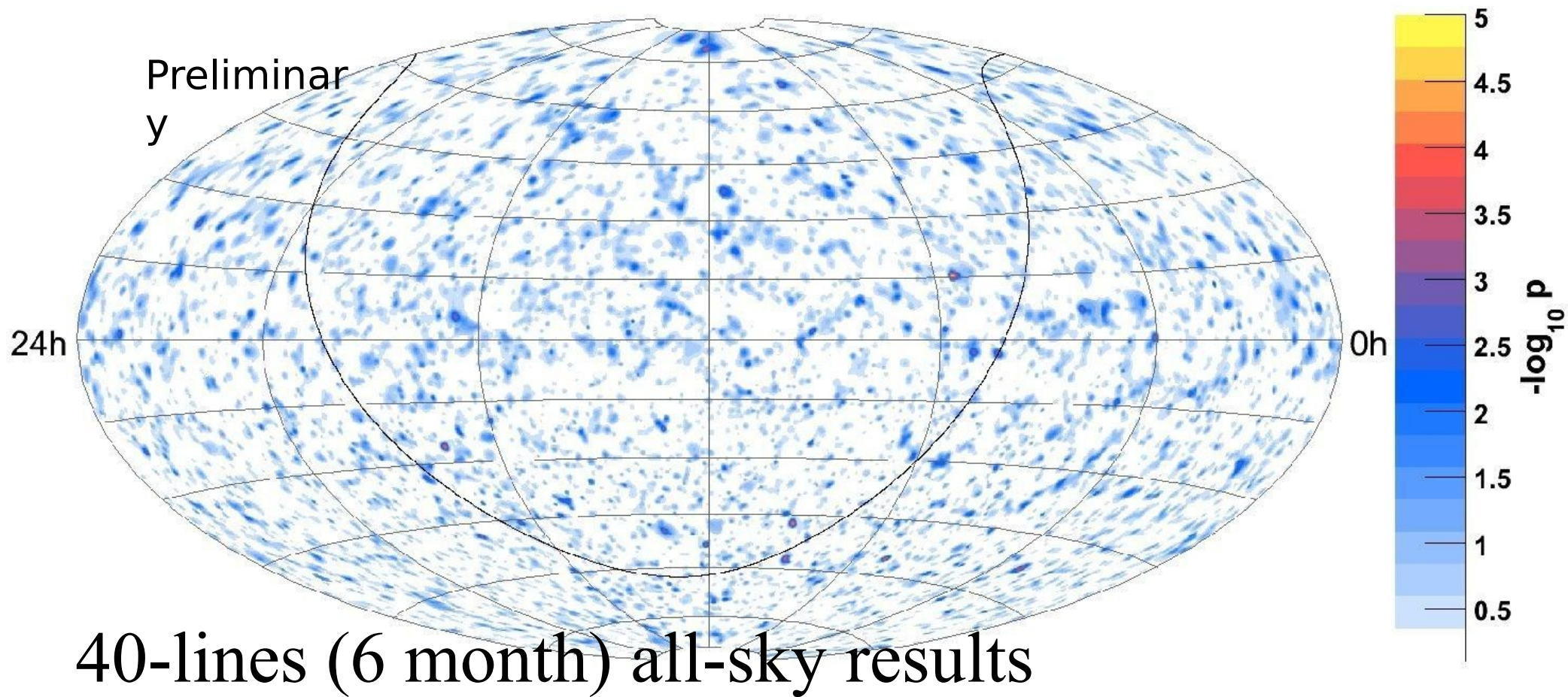
Per Olof Hulth

Angular distribution

IceCube-22 Data vs. Monte Carlo Simulation Data



Search for point like sources



- 175.5 days livetime,
- 17777 events: 6796 up-going, 10981 down-going
- No point like source so far
- Sensitivity getting closer to potential sources



Antares

- 900 PMTs
- 12 lines
- 25 modules / line
- 3 PMTs / module
- Prototype line 1999
- First Line Feb. 2006
- 12 lines end 2007

2500m

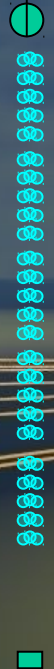
40 km
from shore

450 m

Junction
box

70 m

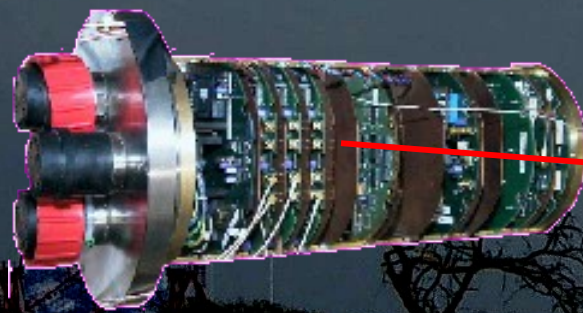
Cables



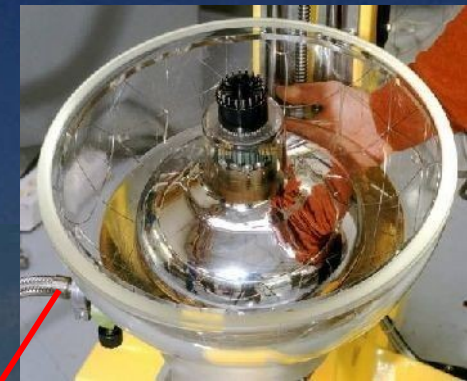
Base Module

titanium frame: *support structure*

Optical Beacon
with blue
LEDs:
*time
calibration*



Local Control
Module
(Ti cylinder):
*Front-end ASIC,
DAQ/SC, DWDM,
Clock, tilt/compass,
power distribution...*



Optical module:
10" Hamamatsu PMT
in 17" glass sphere
($\sigma_{TTS} \sim 1.3$ ns)
Photon detection



Hydrophone:
acoustic positioning

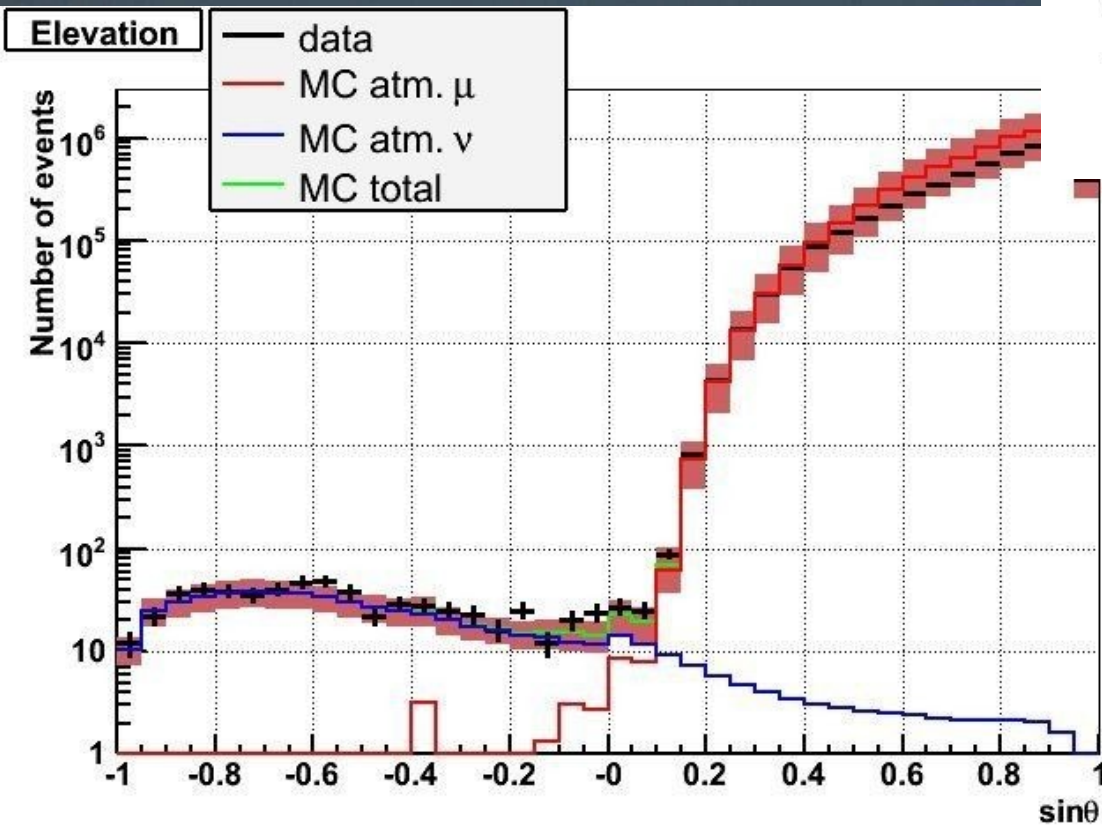
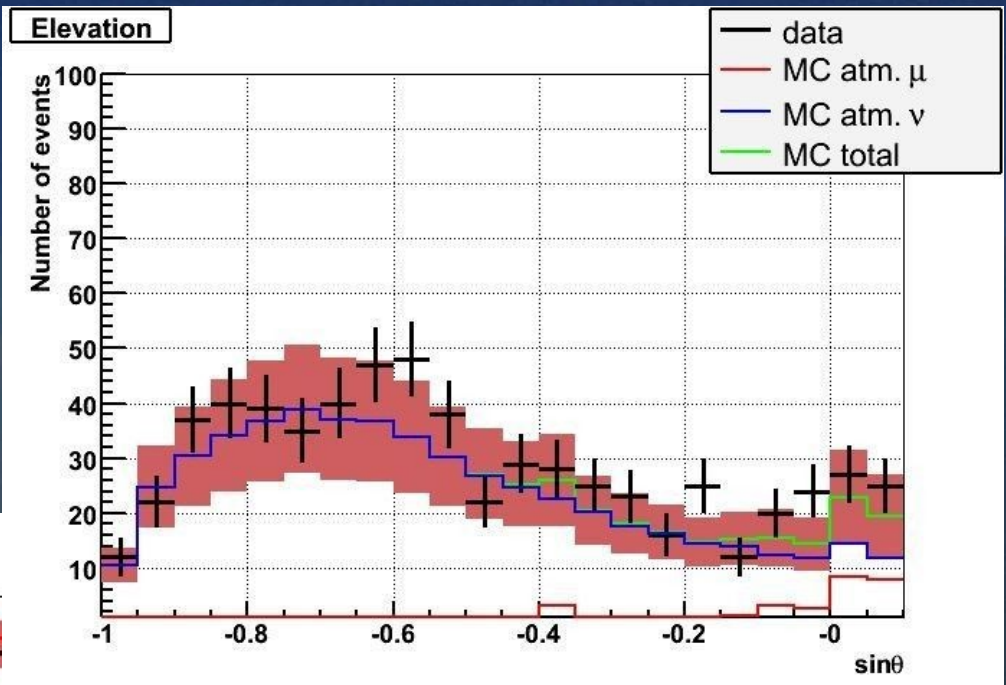
Antares Simulation



Muon 1 TeV

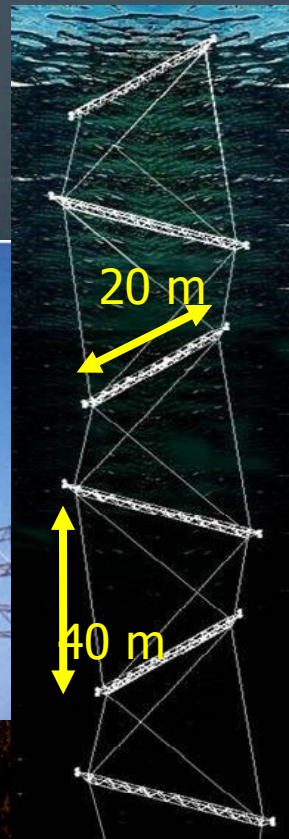
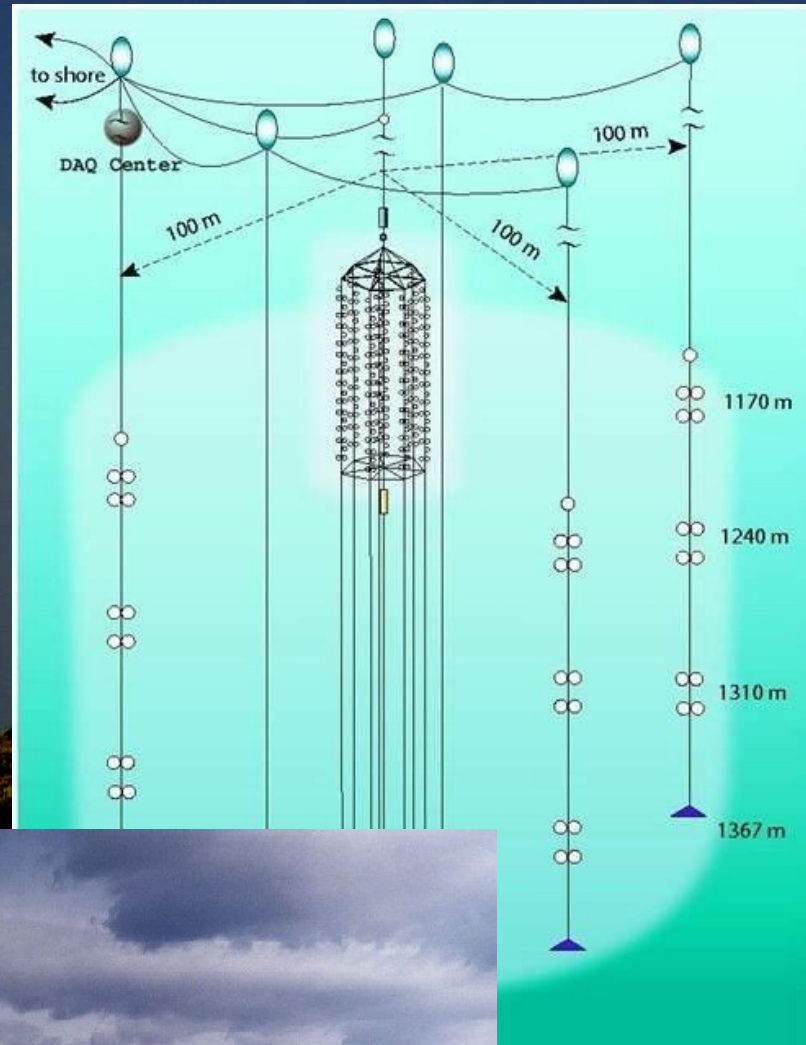
Angular distribution of events

- Data well reproduced by simulation including atmospheric neutrinos
- No astronomical neutrino so far.



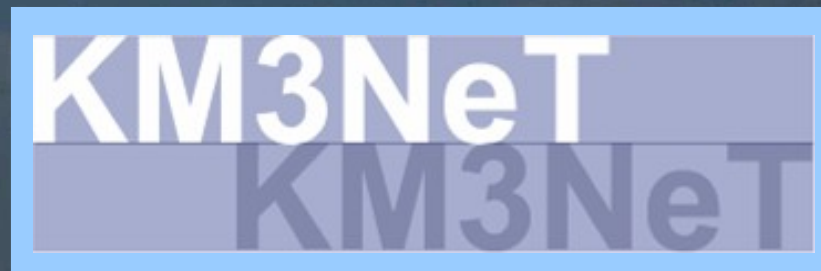
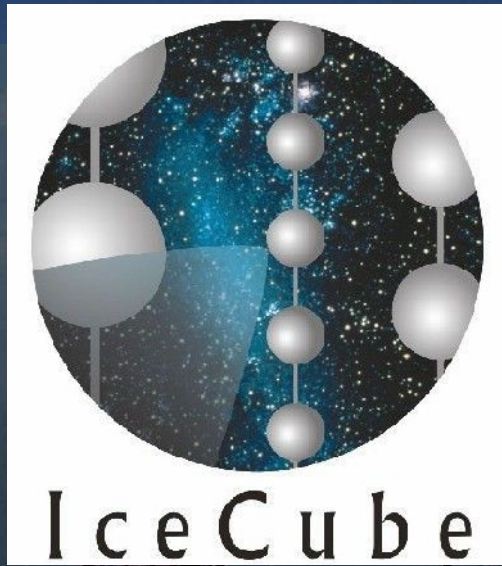
Other Neutrino Telescopes

- ❑ Baikal NT-200+:
 - ❑ First operational neutrino telescope NT-36 in 1993, NT-200 in 1998
 - ❑ Expanded with 3 outlying strings for PeV events (2005)
- ❑ In Mediterranean sea:
 - ❑ Nemo (Italy)
 - ❑ Nestor (Greece)



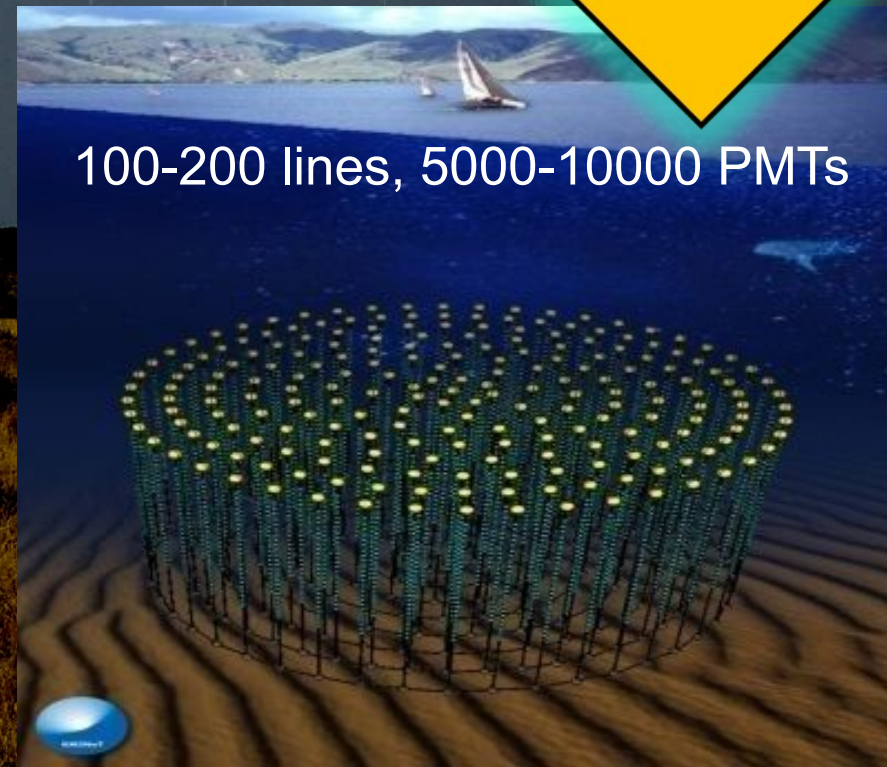
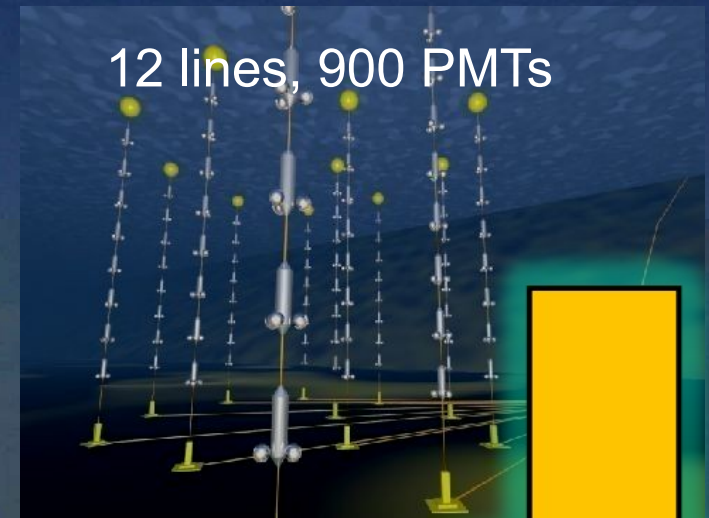
Next generation: toward km³

□ In FP7...



Challenges

- ❑ Maximise physics potential
 - ❑ Substantial improvement over ICECUBE
 - ❑ Instrumented volume $>1 \text{ km}^3$
 - ❑ Angular resolution ~ 0.1 degrees ($E > 10 \text{ TeV}$)
 - ❑ Expandable
- ❑ Build in a reasonable time ~ 4 years
 - ❑ New deployment techniques
 - ❑ Speed-up integration time
 - ❑ Sub contract part of the production
 - ❑ ...
- ❑ At a reduced cost
 - ❑ Factor 2 reduction of ANTARES
 - ❑ Simplified architecture
 - ❑ Reduced maintenance
 - ❑ Multi-line deployments
 - ❑ ...

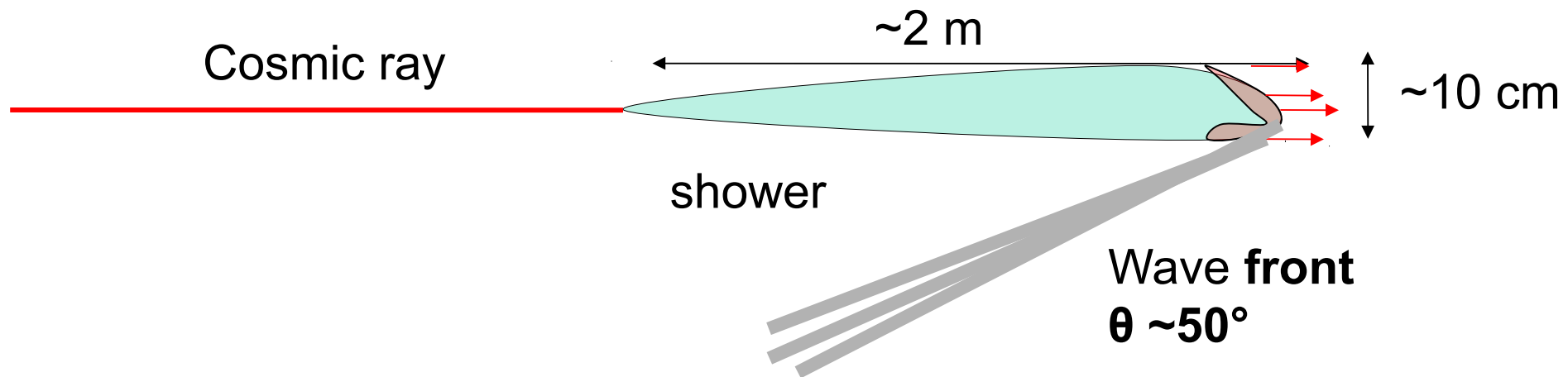


Radio detection

Askaryan Effect (1928-1997)

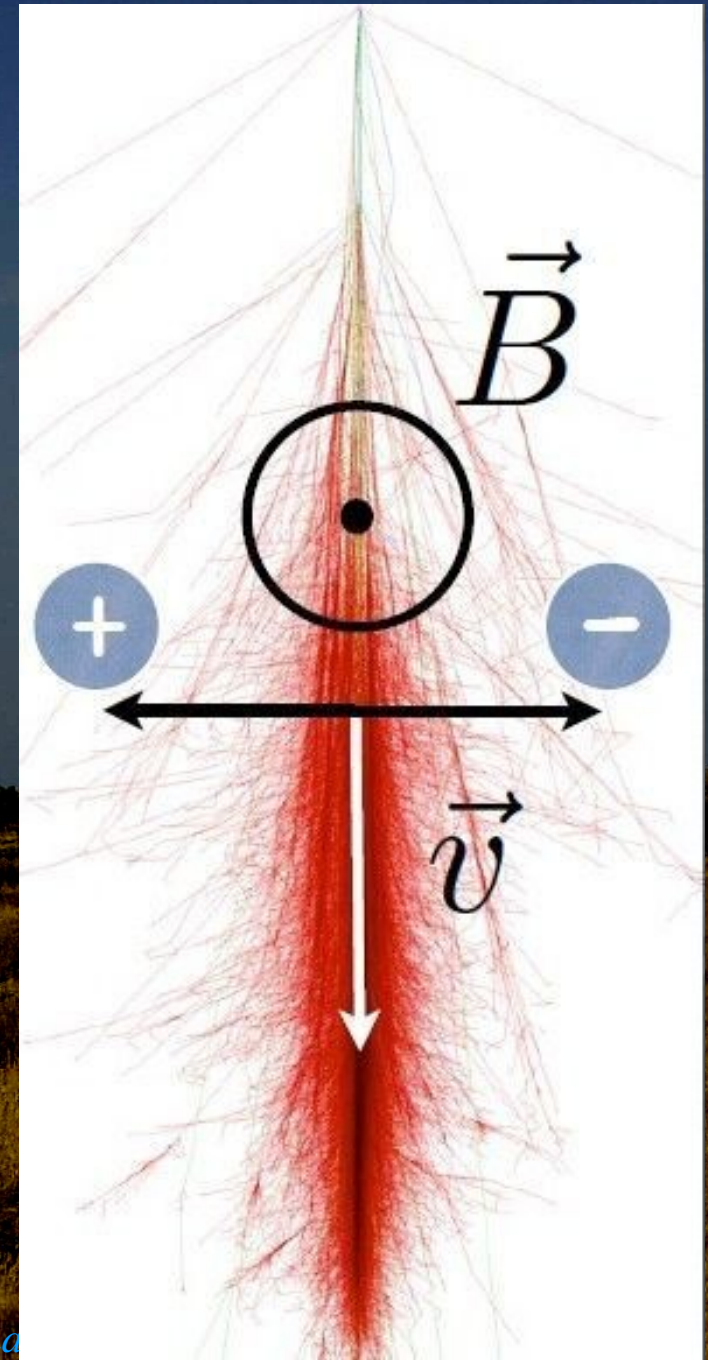


- ❑ Small e^+/e^- asymmetry in showers:
 - ❑ Positron Annihilation
 - ❑ Compton scattering
- ❑ Coherent Cherenkov forward emission, (2~5 GHz), emitted in matter (ice, salt, rocks) showers
- ❑ Confirmed in 2000 at SLAC
- ❑ Well adapted for neutrinos (emerging shower)
- ❑ Many experiments: FORTE, RICE, SALSA, GLUE



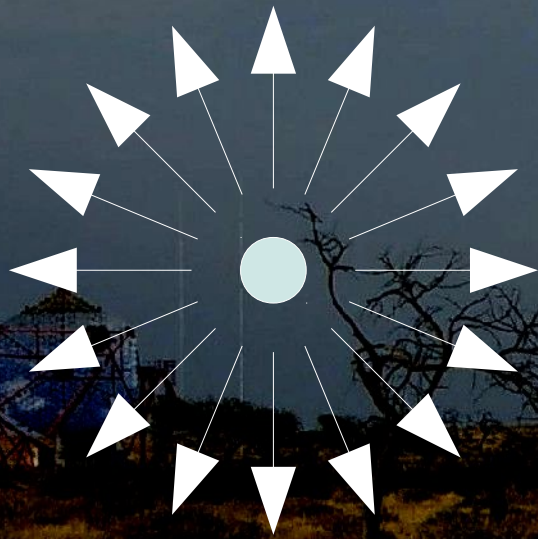
Other sources of radio emission

- Geomagnetic effect:
 - Earth magnetic fields separates electrons and positrons apart
 - Dipole in relativistic motion...
- Synchrotron emission of electrons
- Emission from the current
- ...
- Frequency band [1-200] MHz
- Monopolar signal
- Dependancy $\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$

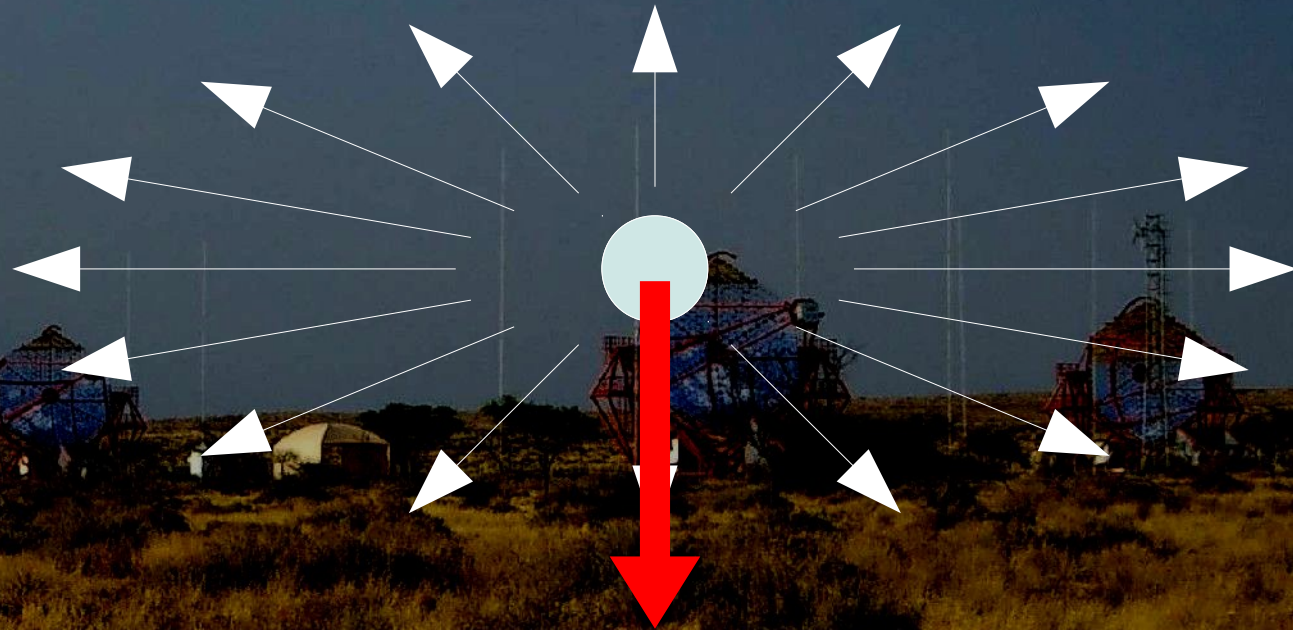


Coulomb field

- Field radiated by a particle in relativistic motion



In particle frame



In observer frame ?

Coulomb field

□ Transverse field

$$\vec{E}_{\perp} = \frac{\gamma q b}{4 \pi \epsilon_0 (\gamma^2 \beta^2 c^2 t^2 + b^2)^{3/2}}$$

□ Transverse field is proportional to number of particles in the shower, thus to energy

□ Short, monopolar pulse (longer at large impact parameters)

□ Longitudinal field is bipolar and fainter (by γ)

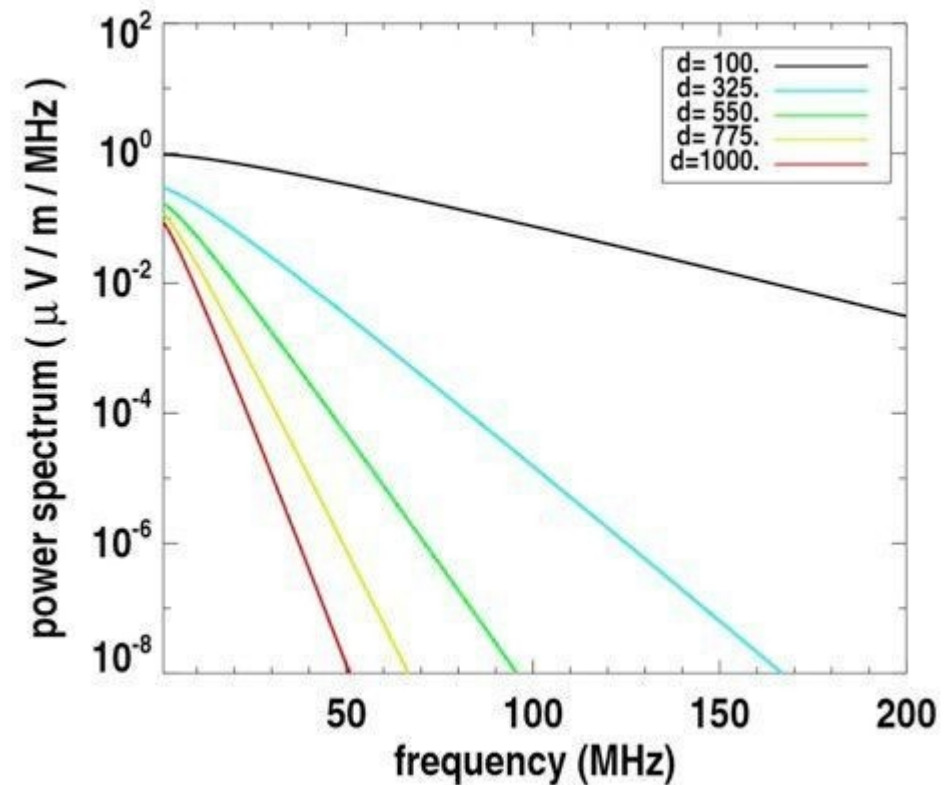
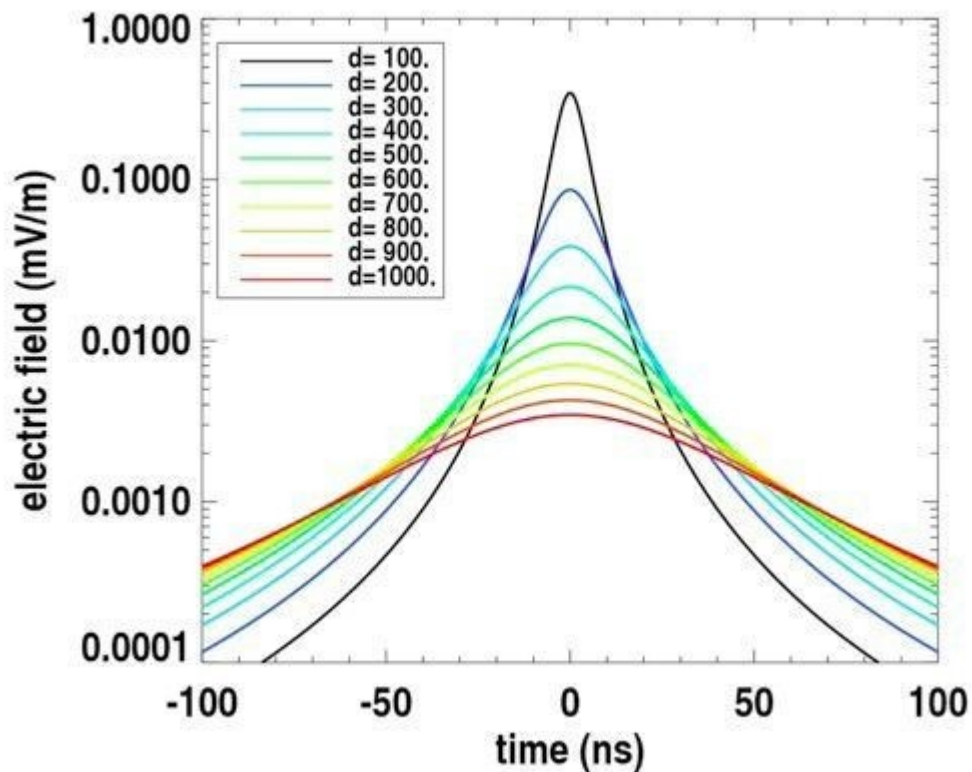
□ Field strength $\sim 10^{-4}$ V/m at 100 m for $E \sim 10^{17}$ eV

$$\vec{E}_{max} = \frac{\gamma q}{4 \pi \epsilon_0 b^2}$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{b}{\gamma c}$$

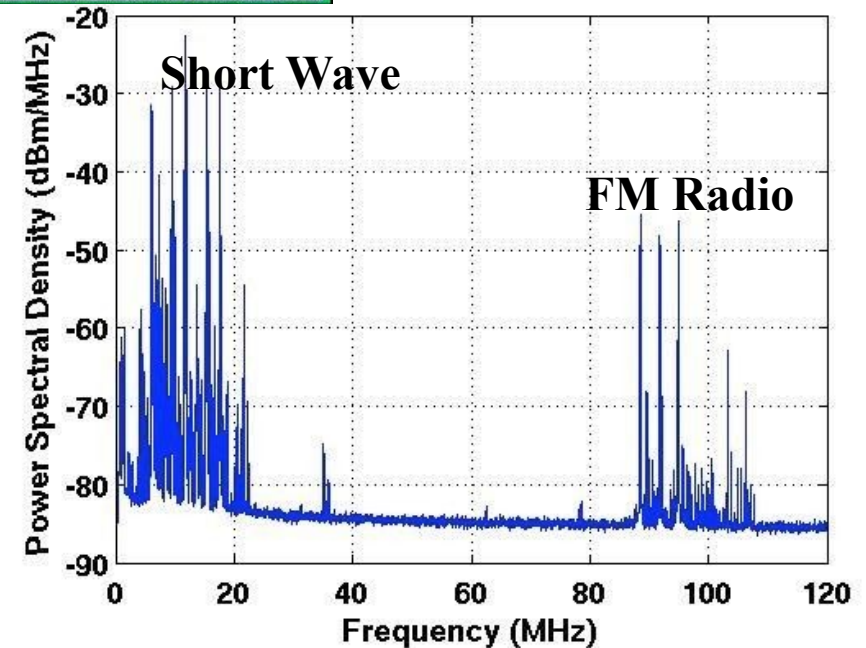
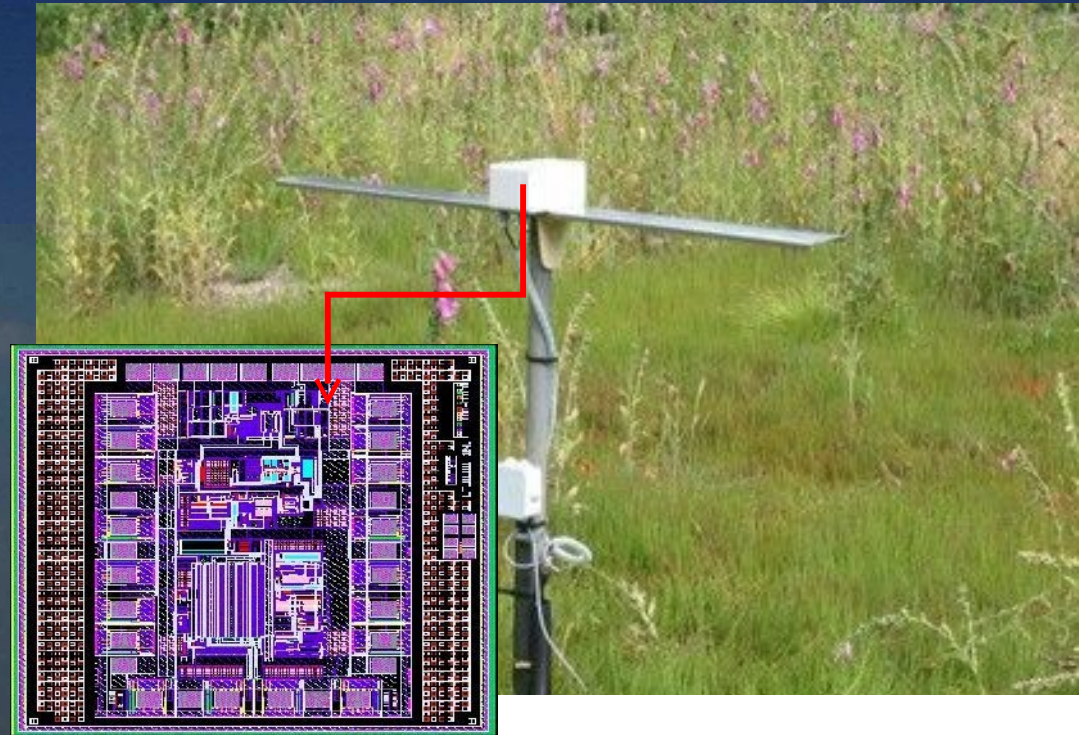
Coulomb field

- ❑ In the range $\sim 1 - 200$ MHz
- ❑ Wide band antennas needed
- ❑ Lower frequencies required to be able to see distant showers
- ❑ Scales as γ/b^2



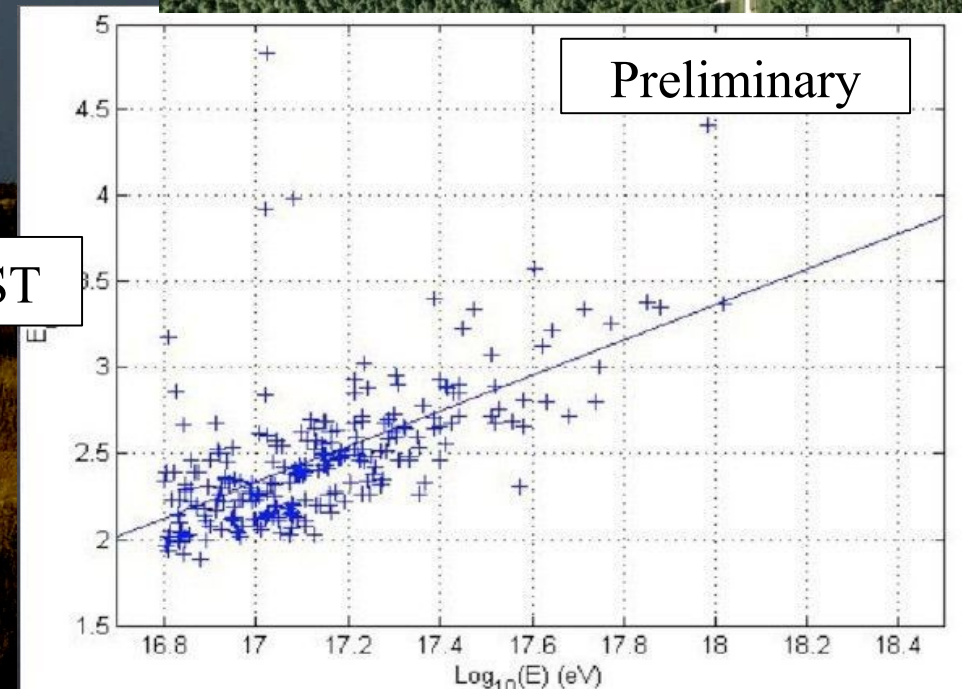
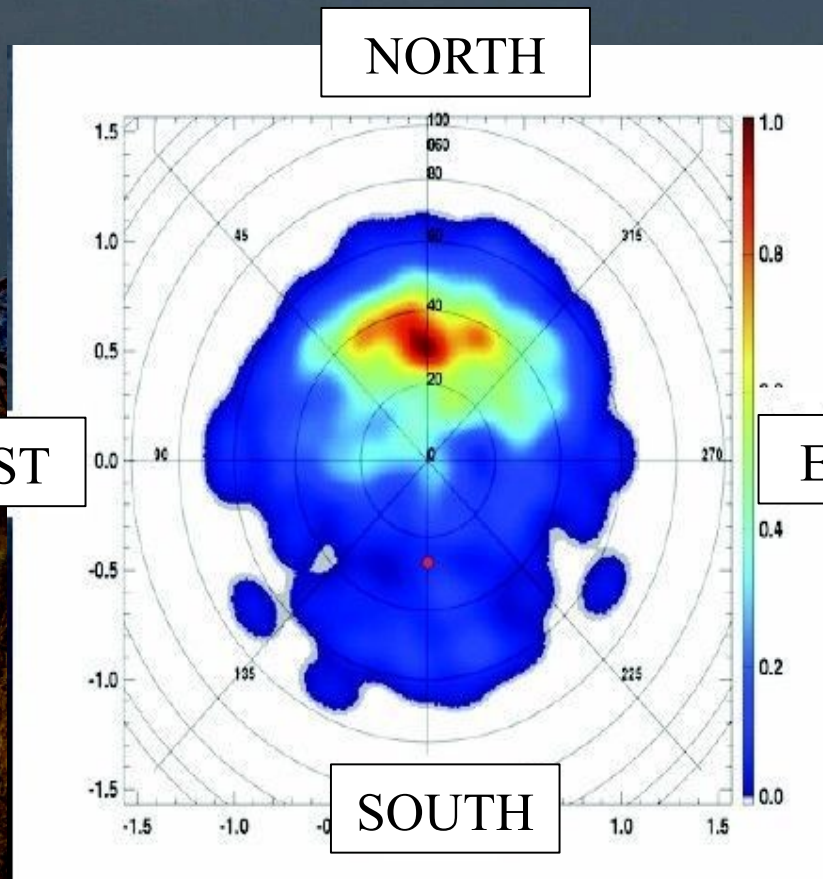
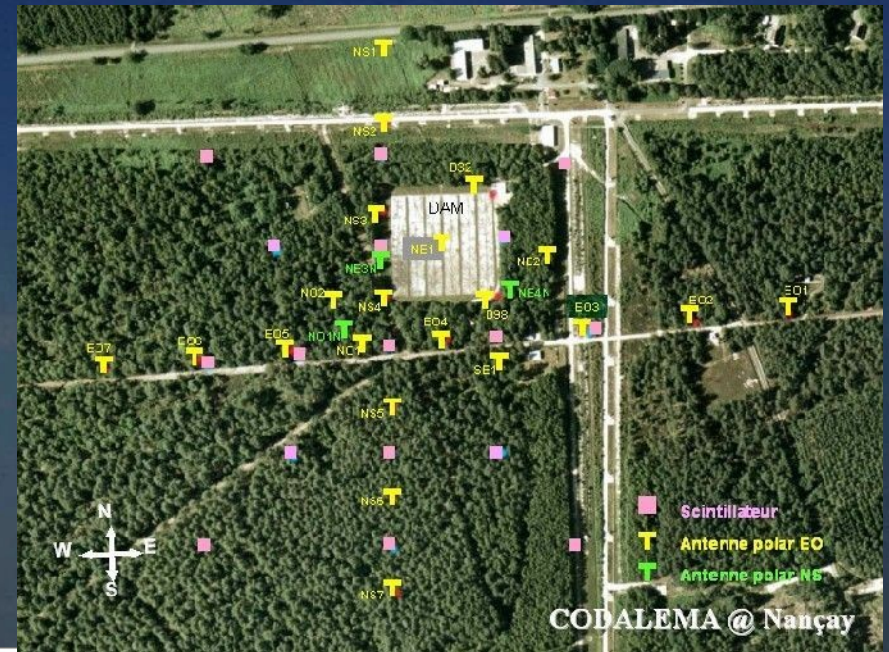
Why is radio interesting ?

- Pretty inexpensive equipment
 - Active Dipolar antenna
~1 m × 10 cm
Frequency band [1-200] MHz
 - Low noise amplifier (ASIC)
 - Fast ADC (300 MHz)
 - Cost ~ 4000 Euros
- Duty cycle ~100 %
- Efficiency ~100 %
- Calorimetric Measurement
- Timing and lateral distribution
allow reconstruction of shower
- 25 – 85 MHz region pretty empty

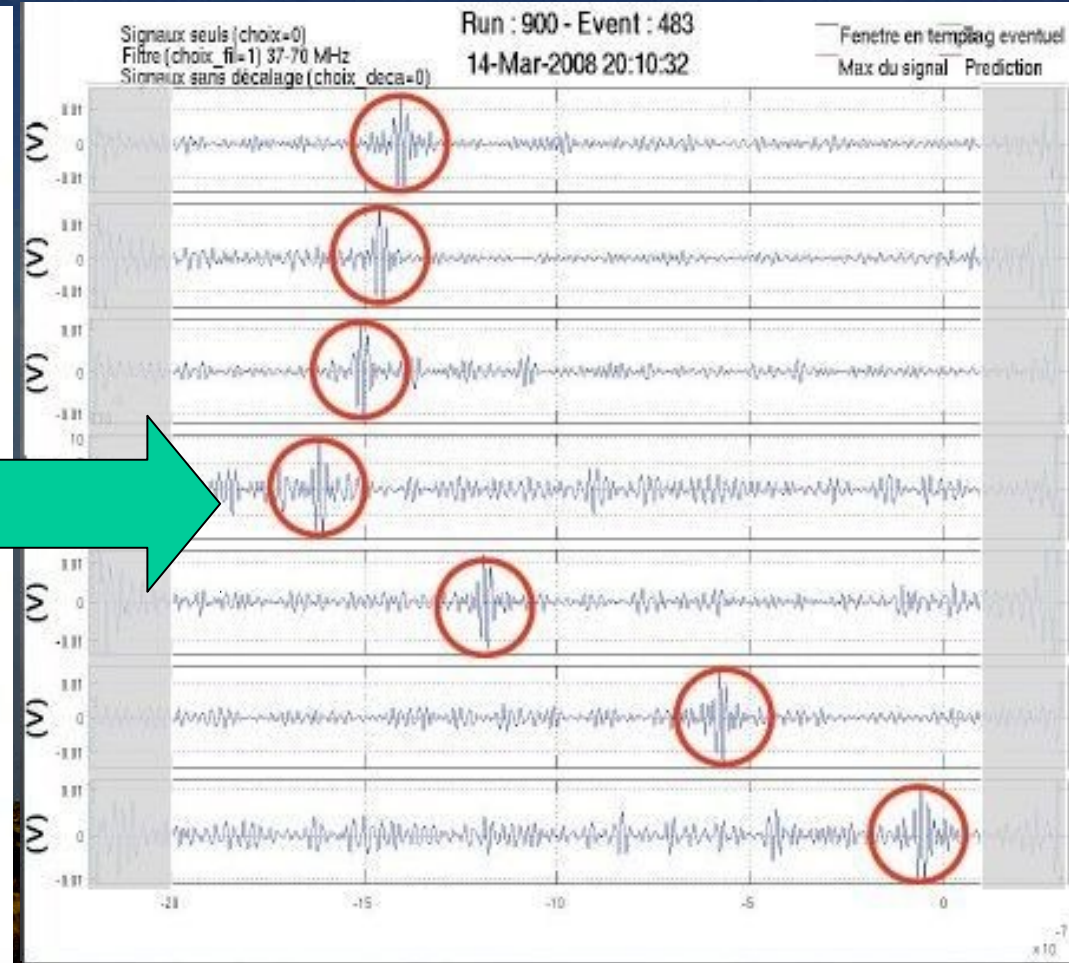
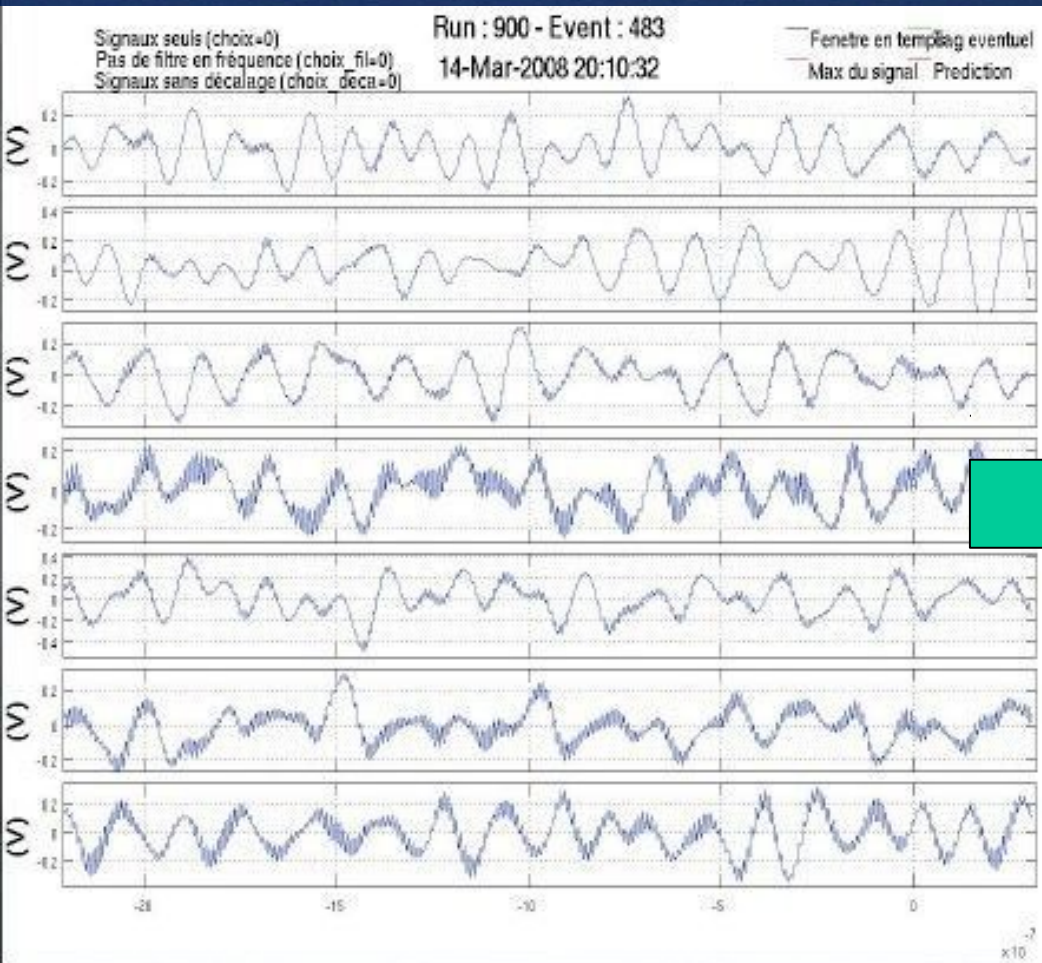


Radio detection of showers: CODALEMA

- Clear asymmetry in arrival directions
- Unambiguous proof for geomagnetic effect
- Electric field amplitude proportional to energy \Rightarrow calorimetric measurement?



Signal Processing



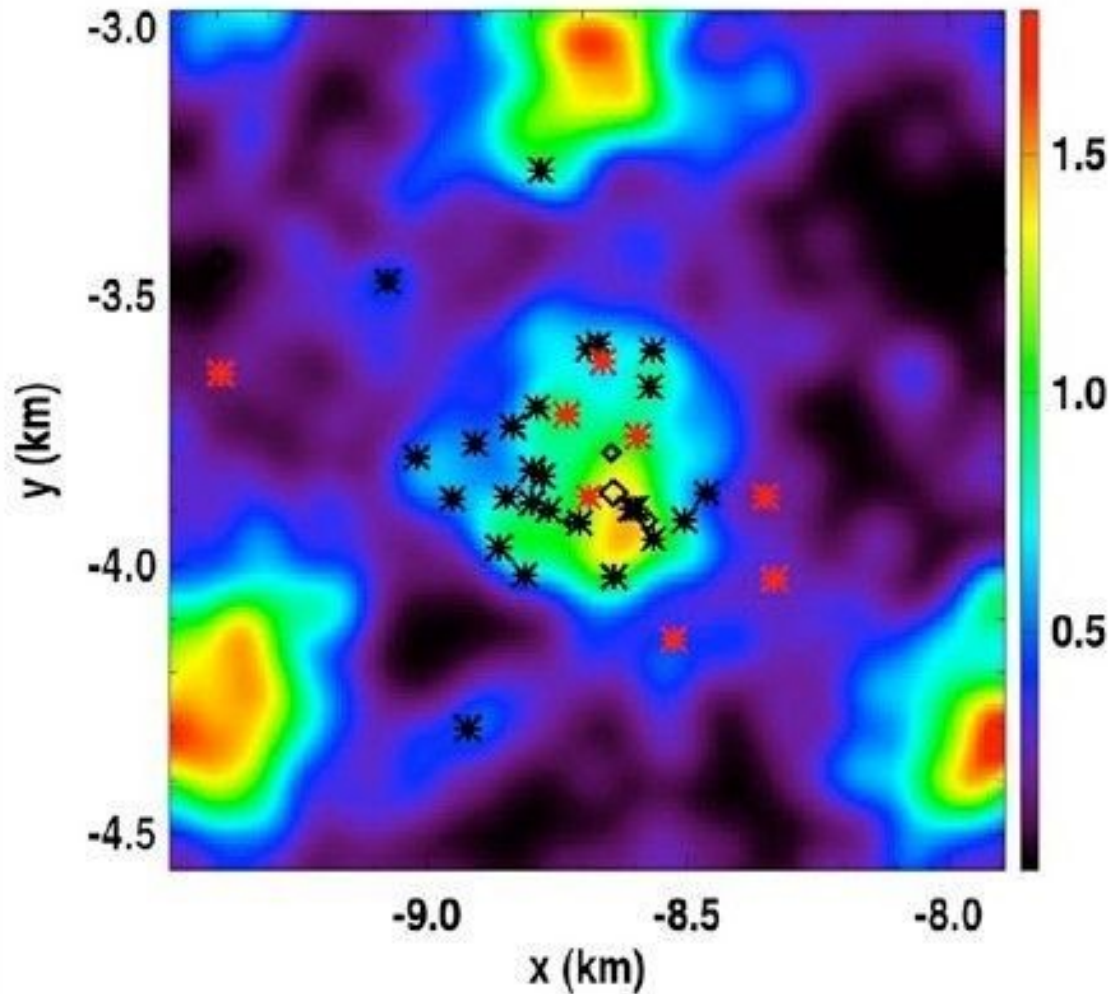
Raw signal, SD trigger, 1Gs/s

23-82 MHz filtering

- Timing measurement is possible
- Simple trigonometric reconstruction

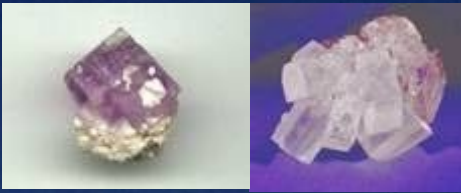
Radio Detection @ Auger

event density map ($\text{km}^{-2} \cdot \text{day}^{-1}$)



- Autonomous prototype installed @ AUGER
- First detection: July 2007
- 39 events in coincidence with Auger SD (SD trigger)
- First self-trigger announced recently
- Radio detection seems to work up to 1 km away from antennas
- Radio detection seems to work for horizontal showers

Saltdome Shower Array (SaISA)

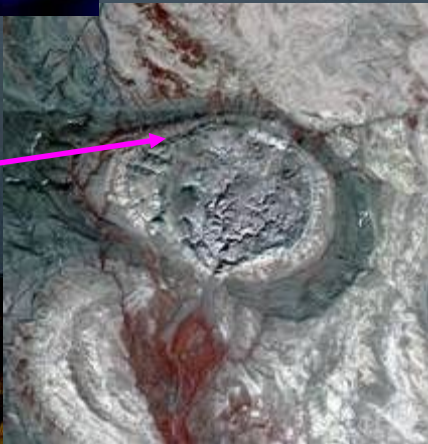


Salt domes: found throughout the world

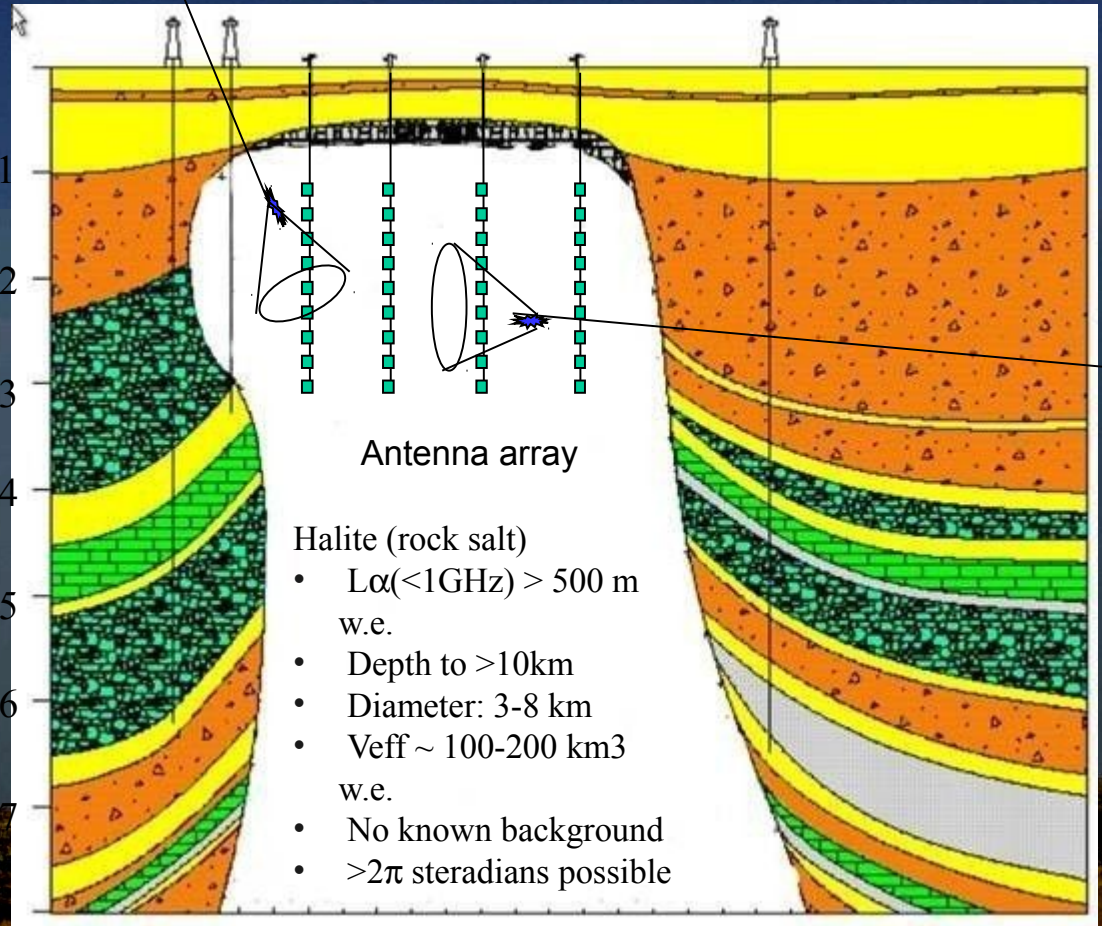


Qeshm Island, Hormuz strait, Iran, 7km diameter

Isachsen salt dome, Elf Ringnes Island, Canada 8 by 5km



Depth (km)

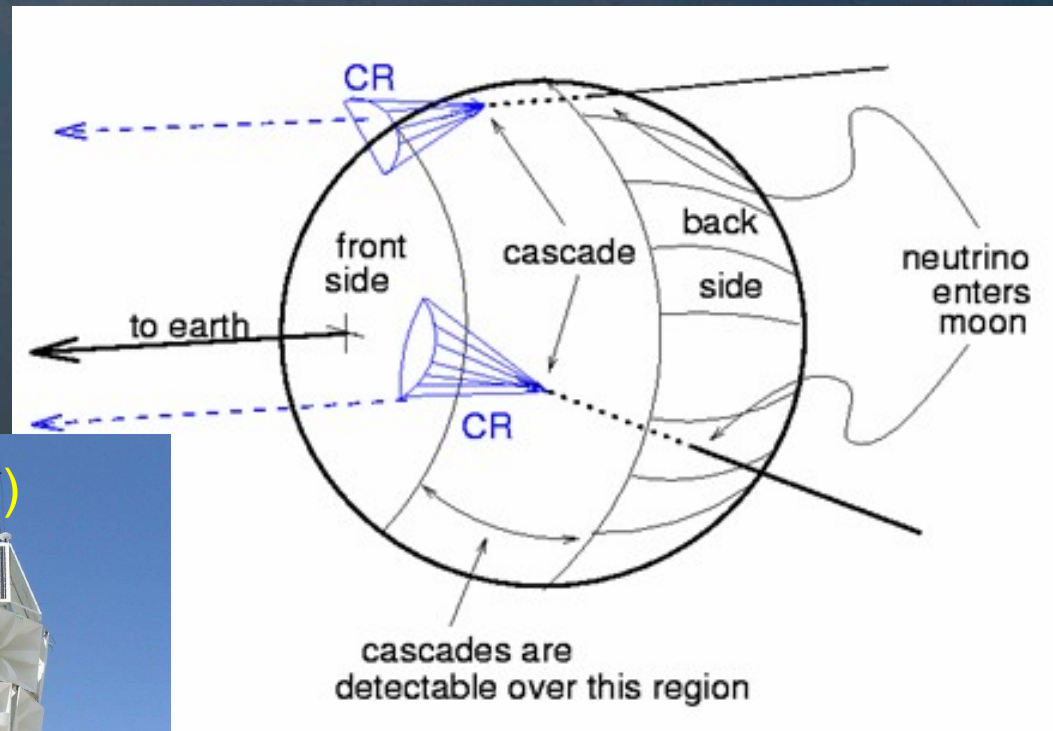


- ❑ Salt domes are transparent to radio frequencies (no water)
- ❑ Huge volumes 50-100 km³

Using the moon

- ❑ Radio emission in moon surface
- ❑ Largest and cleanest detector for high energy
- ❑ Well suitable to neutrinos (skimming)
- ❑ GHz emission
- ❑ Current projects
 - ❑ GLUE
 - ❑ FORTE
 - ❑ NuMOON
- ❑ Or use the ice (ANITA @ IceCube)

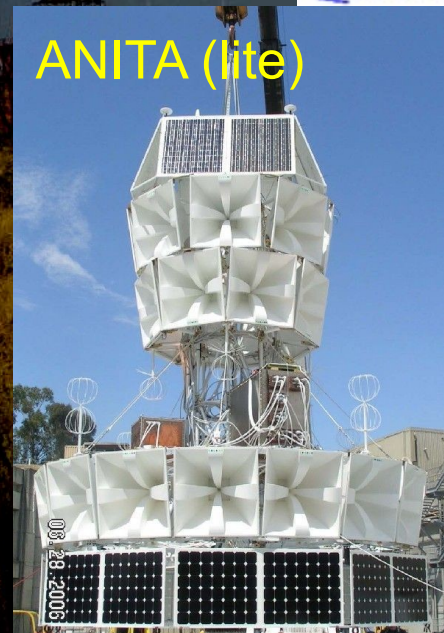
radio from
neutrinos hitting the moon



NuMOON @ Westerbork

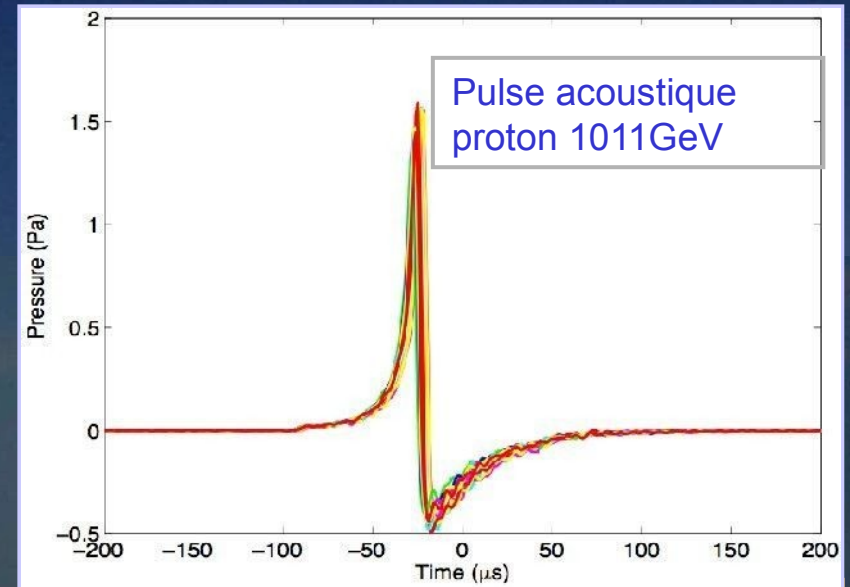
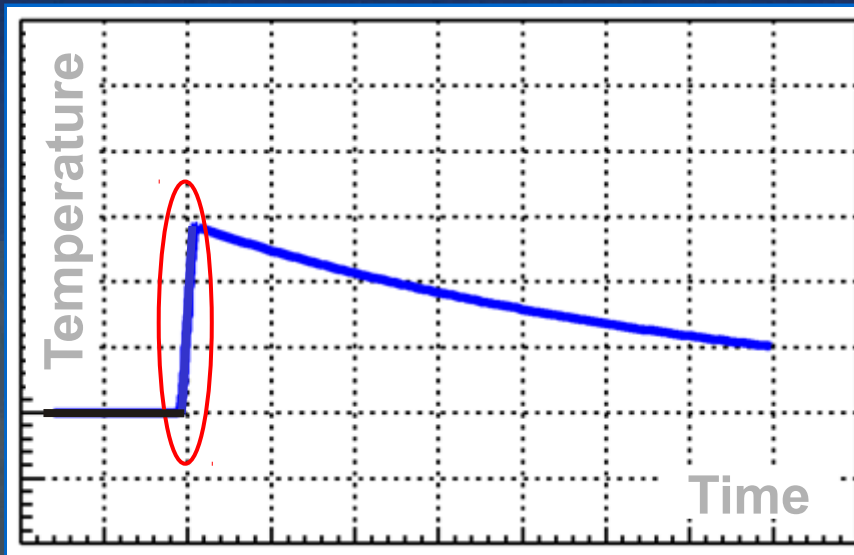


ANITA (lite)

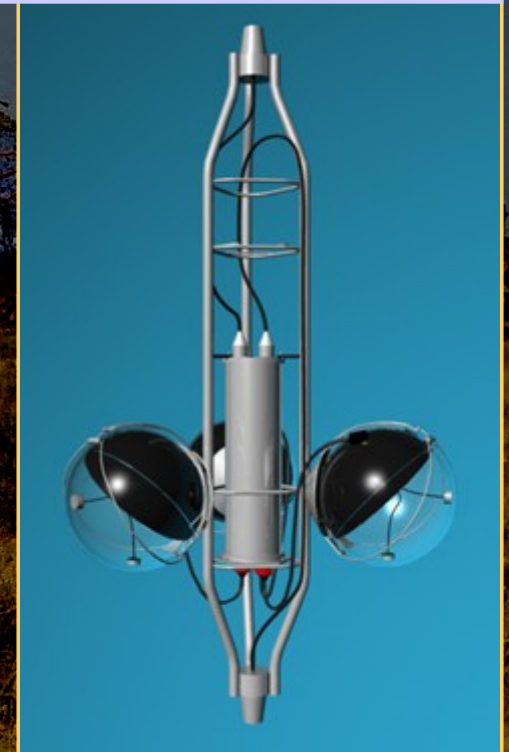


from Gorham et al. (2000)

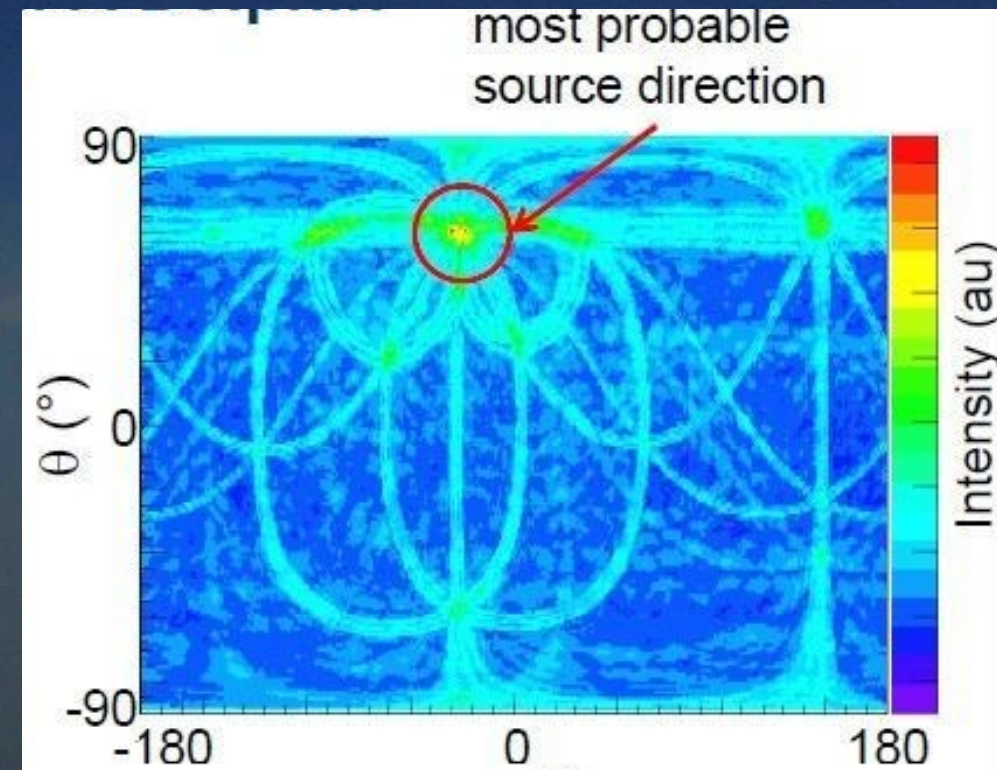
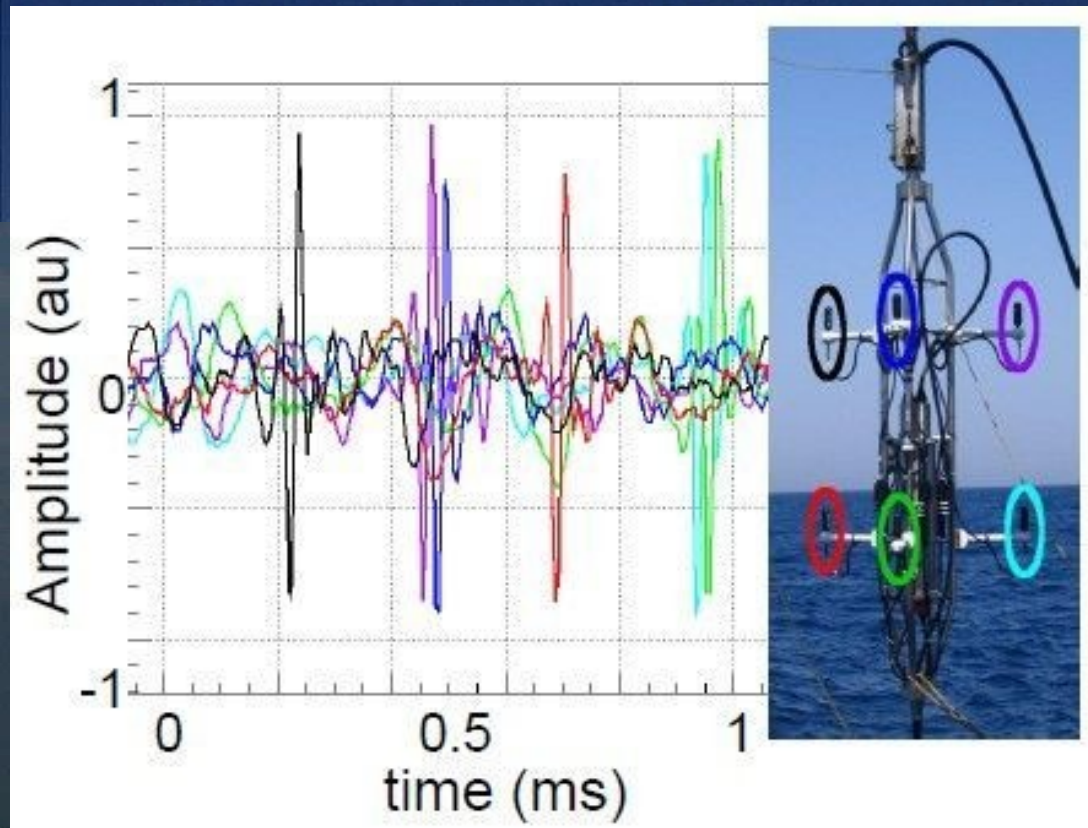
Acoustic Detection



- ❑ Acoustic wave triggered by shower
 - ❑ quasi-instantaneous energy deposit
 - ❑ water dilatation \Rightarrow dipolar acoustic signal
 - ❑ Ongoing R&D in several sites (Baikal, Antares, IceCube, ...)
- ❑ Challenges : background noise (waves, whales, dolphins, ships, ...)



Direct reconstruction – A dolphin



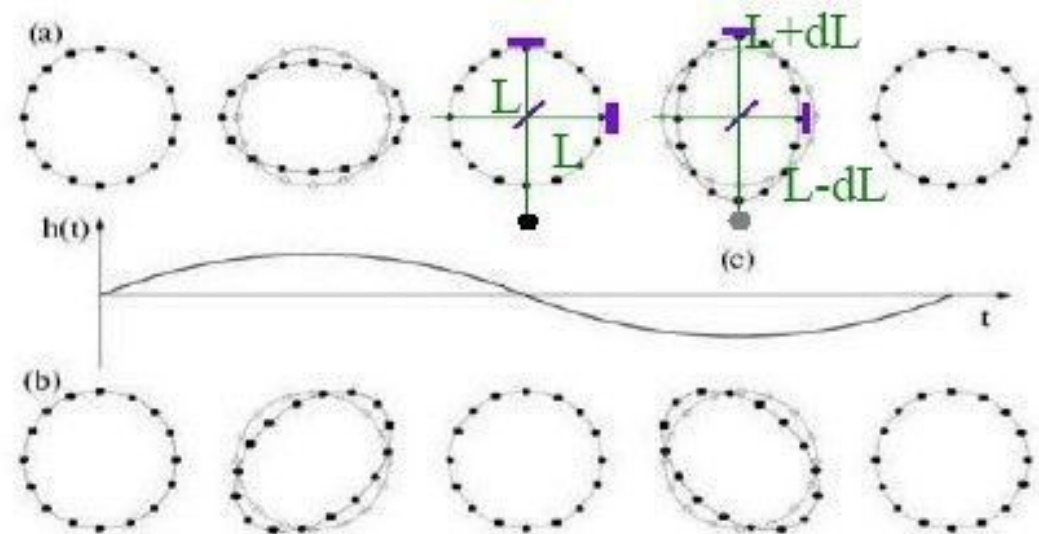
- Acoustic signal amplitude on several hydrophones
- Beam forming algorithm leads to angular resolution $< 1^{\circ}$

Gravitational Waves

The image shows the LIGO Livingston Observatory, a facility for detecting gravitational waves. It features four large, blue and red interferometer detectors arranged in a line across a grassy field. The sky is clear and blue. The title 'Gravitational Waves' is overlaid in a large, orange, serif font.

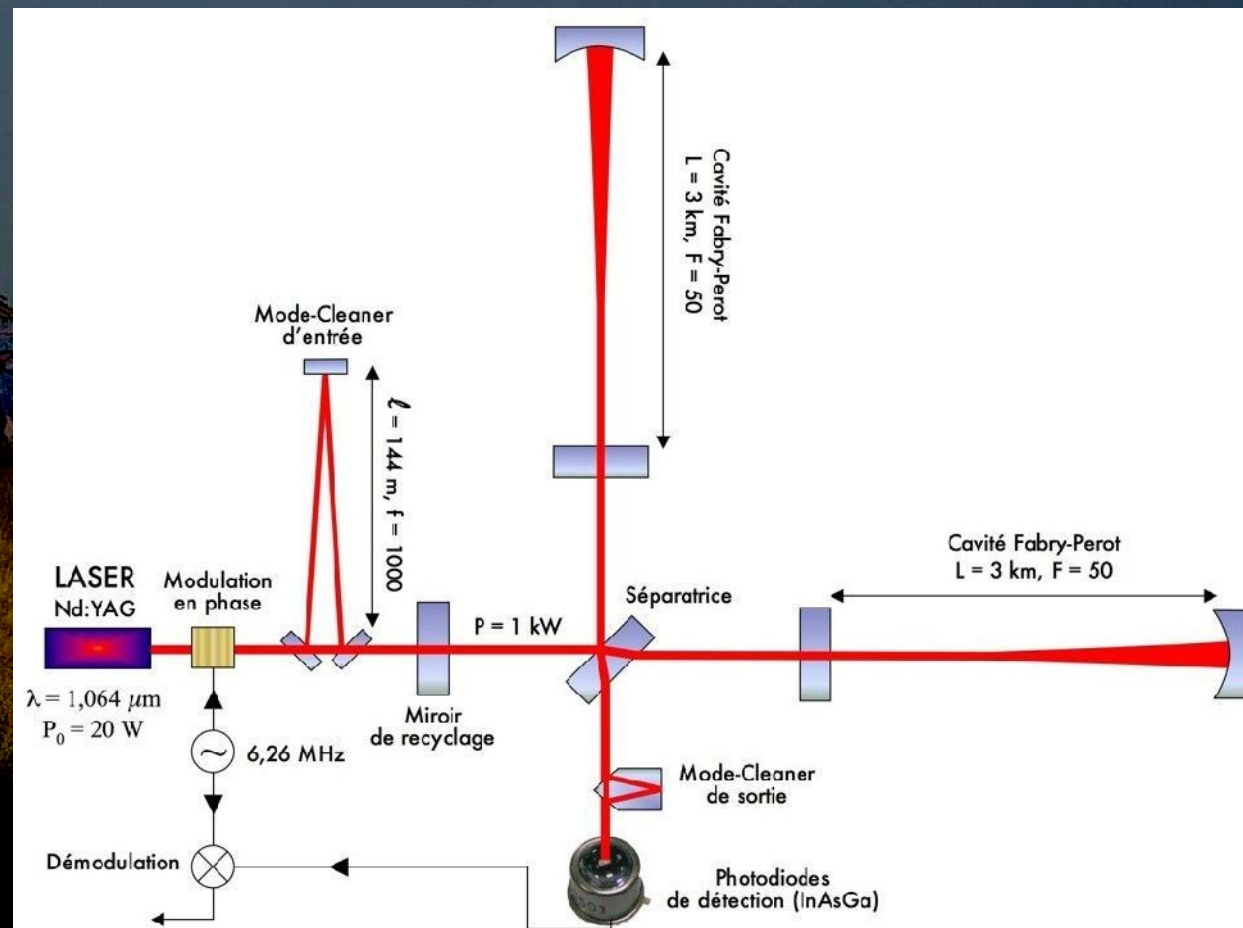
Gravitational waves

- General Relativity predicts propagation gravitational waves (deformation of space-time)
- Bursts
 - Supernovae
 - Black Holes disexcitation
- Spiralling binary systems
 - Neutron stars, black holes
- Periodic sources
 - Pulsars
- Other? (new physics)

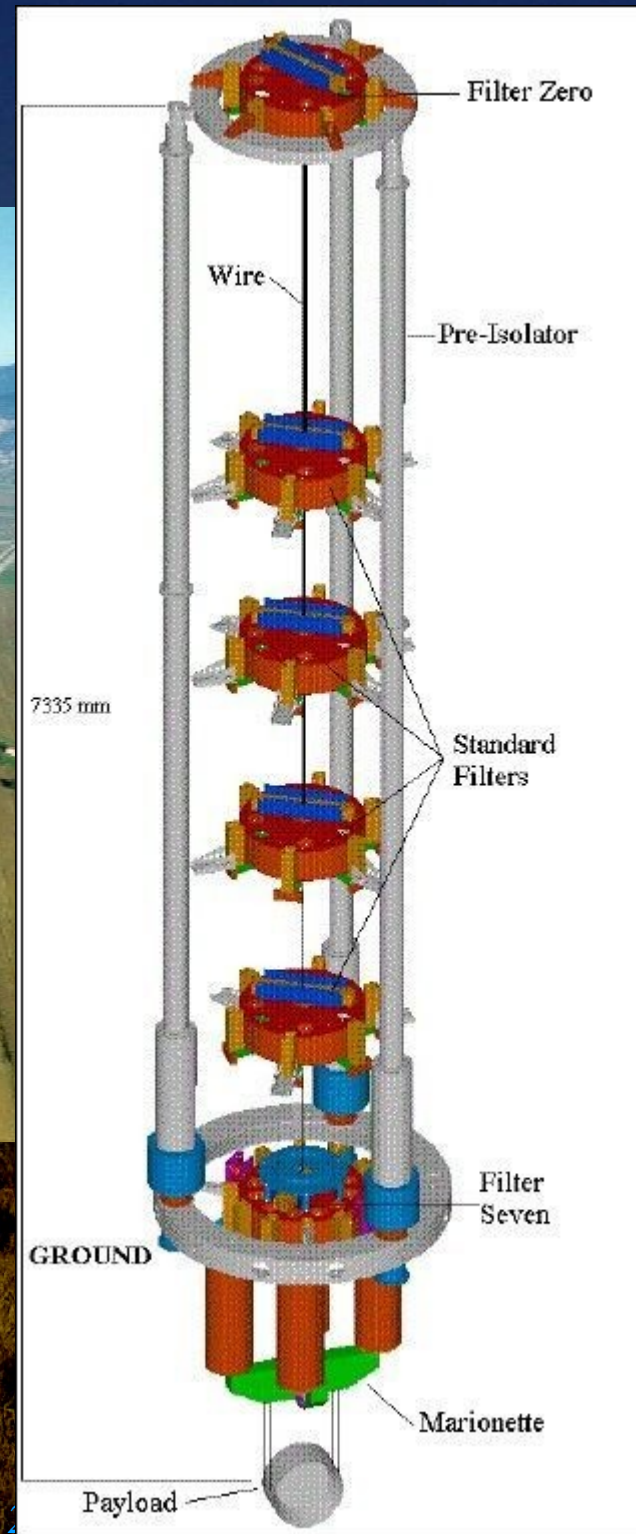


Detection Principles

- ❑ Basic idea: giant interferometer
- ❑ Frabry Perrot cavities in each arms multiply path length and increases sensitivity
- ❑ Challenges:
 - ❑ Typical amplitude:
 $\Delta L/L \sim 10^{-21}$
 - ❑ Mechanic Noise (vibrations, ...)
⇒ Multistage filters
 - ❑ Quantum Noise
⇒ High laser intensity

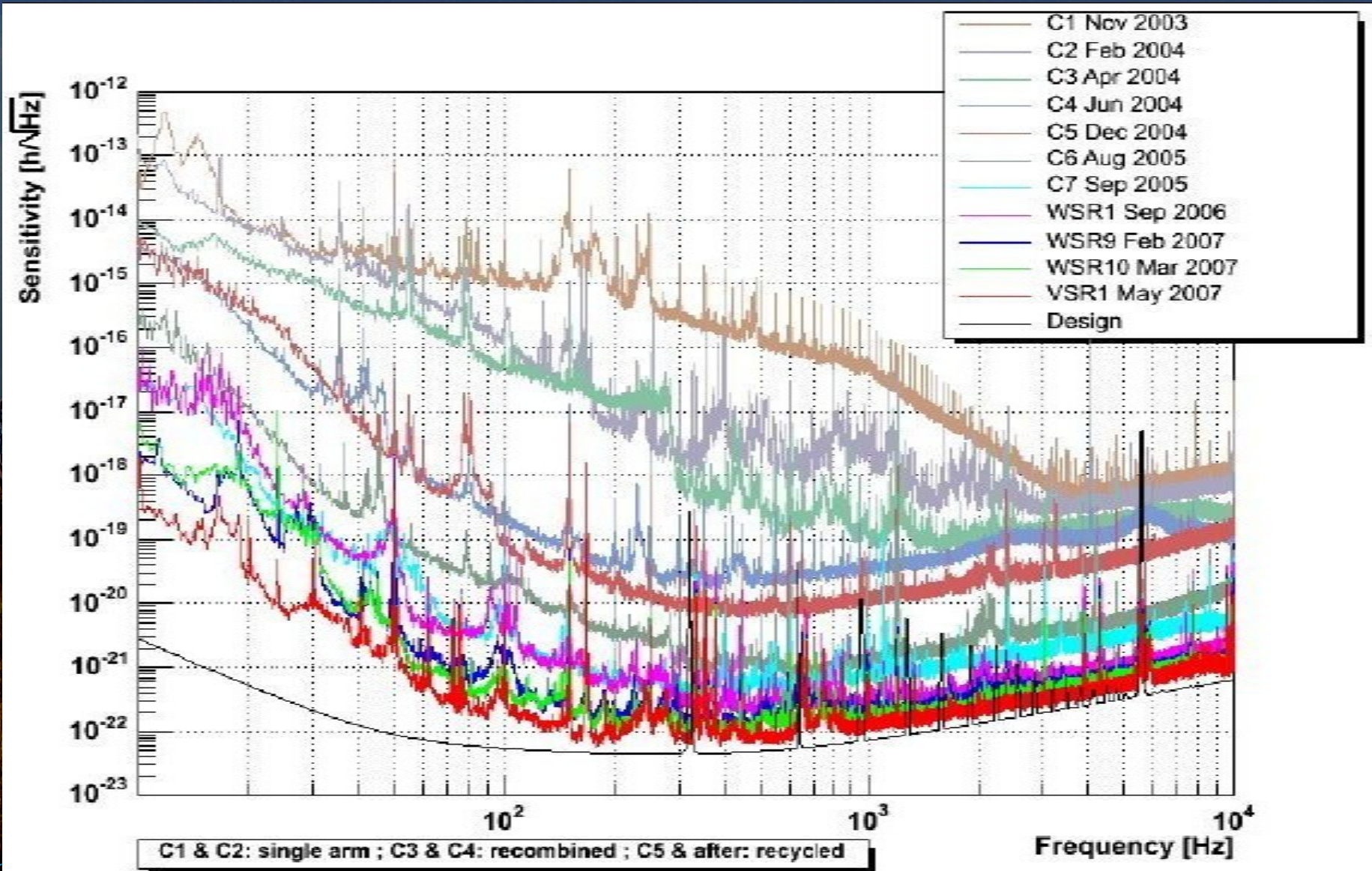


VIRGO



Sensitivity

□ Nominal sensitivity almost reached after several years of intense efforts



LIGO

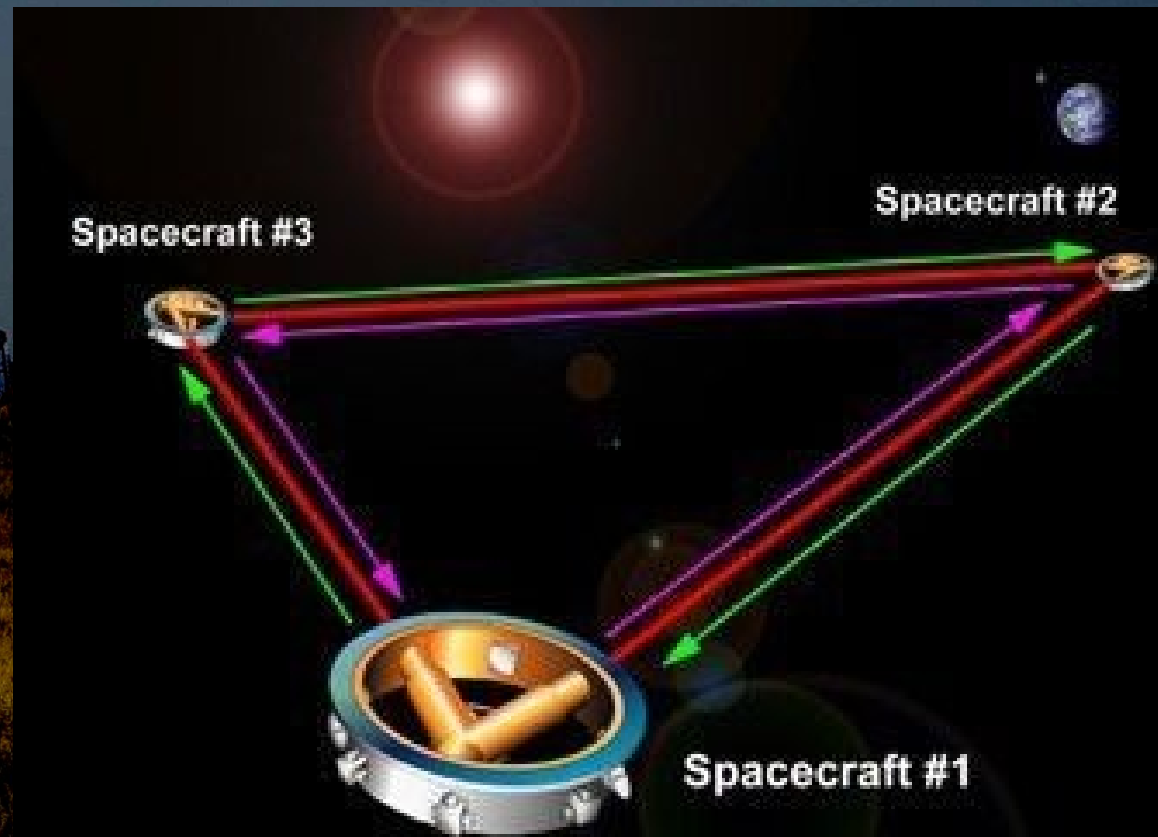
- Laser Interferometer
Gravitational wave Observatory
- 2 sites 3030 km away
- Taking data
- Close cooperation with VIRGO
(data exchange)



*Hanford (Washington): 2 interferometers
Livingston (Louisiane) : 1 interferometer (4
km)*

Future projects: LISA

- ❑ 3 satellites, formation flight
- ❑ 5 Mkm level arm
- ❑ lower frequency range: $[10^{-4}, 10^{-1}]$ Hz, vs $[10^1, 10^4]$
- ❑ Launch around 2018 ?



Summary and Conclusions

Astroparticles...

- ❑ Is a very various field:
- ❑ Multimessenger:
 - ❑ Cosmic rays
 - ❑ Gamma-rays
 - ❑ Neutrinos
 - ❑ Gravitational Waves
- ❑ Multiwavelength: from 10^6 to 10^{20} eV: 14 decades in energy!
- ❑ Great variety of technologies and instruments
 - ❑ satellites, balloon, ground based, underground, ...
 - ❑ particle physics detector, radio detection, acoustic, ...
- ❑ Great variety of physics subjects: phenomenology of cosmic rays, astronomy, cosmology (structure formation), dark matter search, fundamental physics (Lorentz invariance, ...)
- ❑ Exciting future, many projects (AMS, Auger North, Radio detection, Neutrinos, CTA, Virgo+, ET, LISA, ...)

What have we learned ? (I)

- ❑ Cosmic ray phenomenology is rich
 - ❑ Constraints on magnetic fields and propagation

- ❑ Large amount of data, increasing in quality

- ❑ 4 spectral dimensions:
 - ❑ Composition (Isotopic),
 - ❑ Energy Spectrum,
 - ❑ Directions, isotropy
 - ❑ Time variability

- ❑ Link with cosmology (formation of structures)

- ❑ Link with dark matter (annihilation)

What have we learned ? (II)

- ❑ The γ -ray sky is surprisingly full of sources
 - ❑ High spin-down pulsars
 - ❑ Supernovae remnant are able to accelerate particles to $E > 100$ TeV, most probably protons (e- disfavored as they required low B fields)
 - ❑ Interaction of CR with ambient matter (molecular gas) strongly support hadron production mechanisms, around Galactic Center and SNRs
 - ❑ Regions of star formation
 - ❑ Huge flares from active galactic nuclei can tell us about photon propagation in Universe
 - ❑ The Universe is more transparent to γ -rays than expected (low EBL)
 - ❑ New, unexpected, mysterious sources

What have we learned ? (II)

- Ultra high energies:
 - GZK cutoff is there
 - A UHECR Astronomy is possible, UHECRs are correlated with nearby matter (AGN, GRB?)
 - Top-Down models are strongly disfavored
 - A mixed composition is favored by data around the ankle
 - More data is needed to go further

Conclusions

- A lot of experimental activities
- Convergence of several techniques

