

Nuclear Physics at CERN

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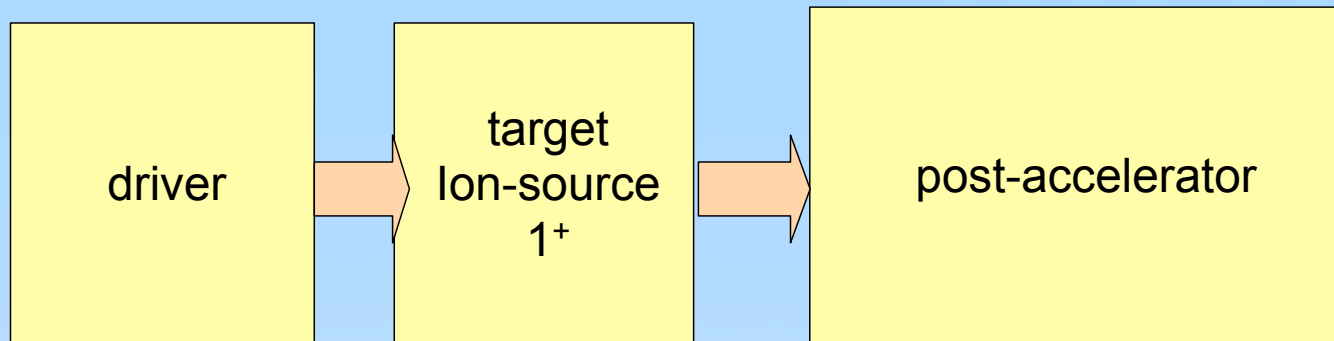
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Lecture 2: Accelerated radioactive ion beams

- Accelerated radioactive beams
- The REX-ISOLDE facility
- The HIE-ISOLDE project

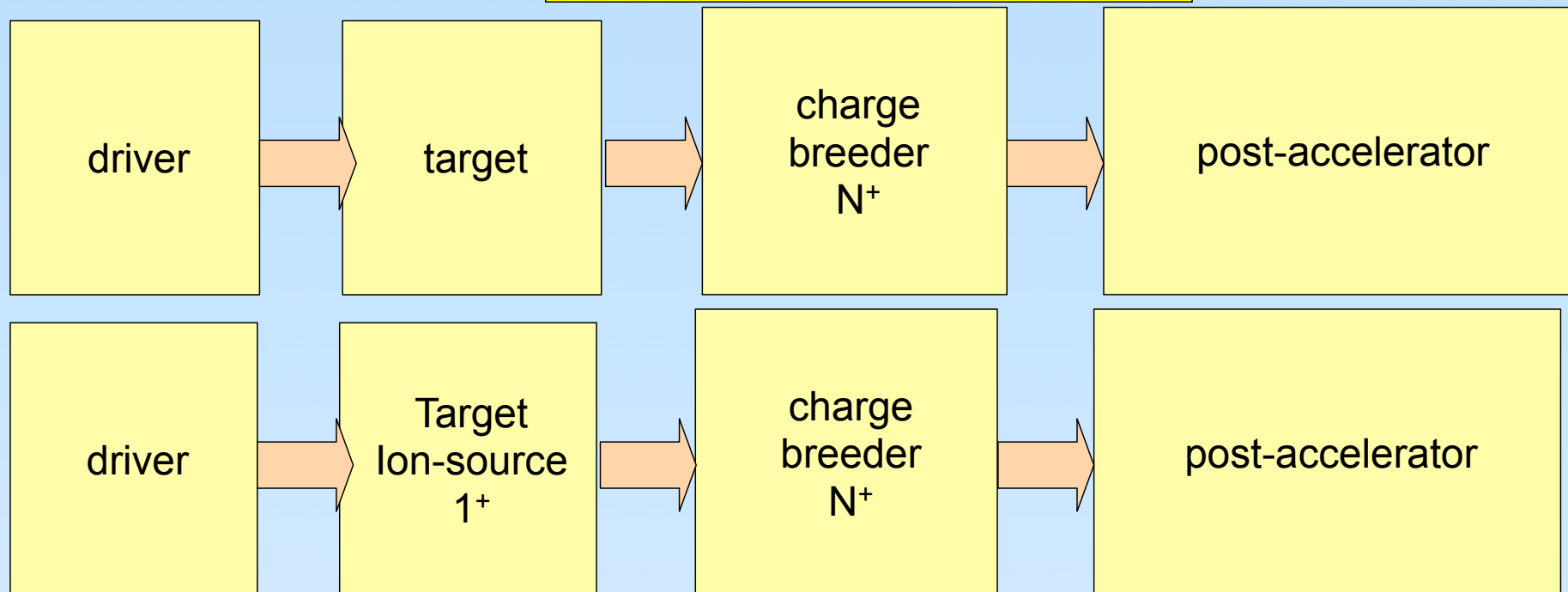
Accelerated beams

Production of charged ions for accelerator

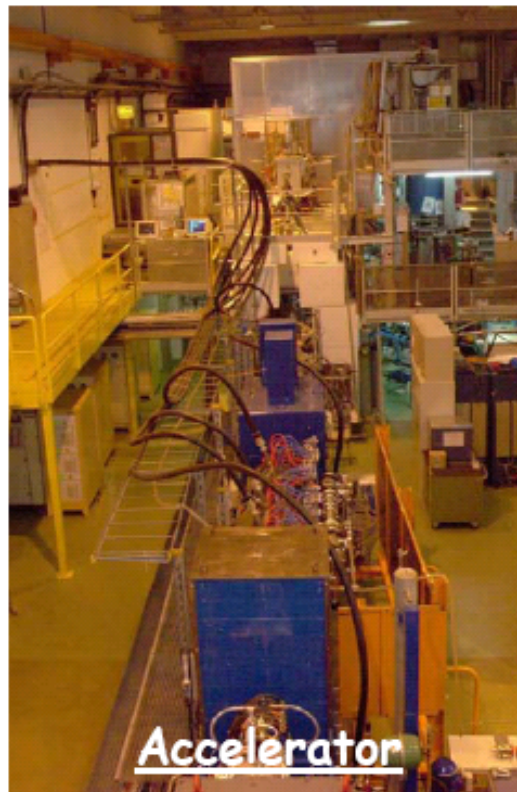
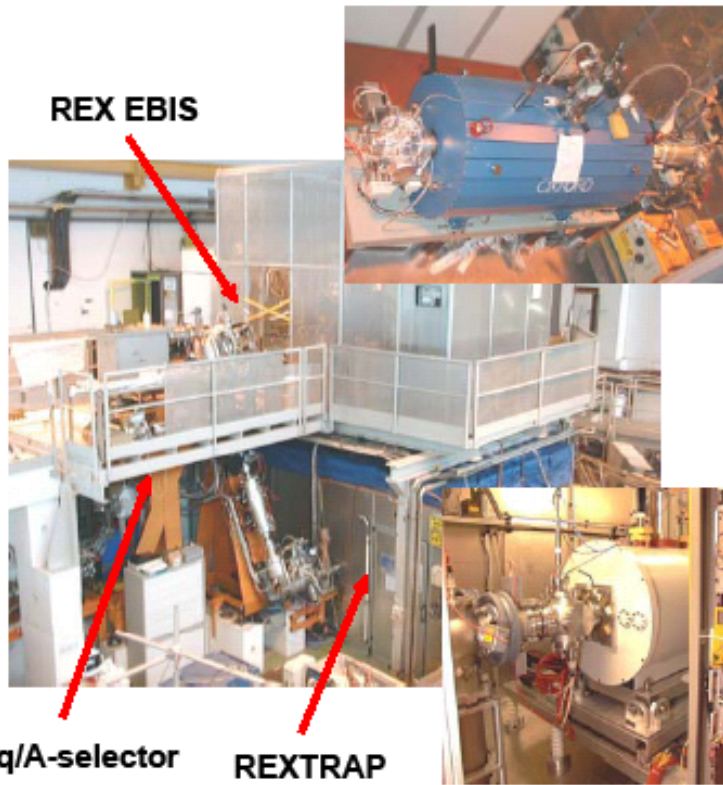


ECR or EBIS

Mode:	CW	pulsed
background:	100pA	0.1pA
Max current	10 μ A	1nA
A/q	4-9	2.5-4.5



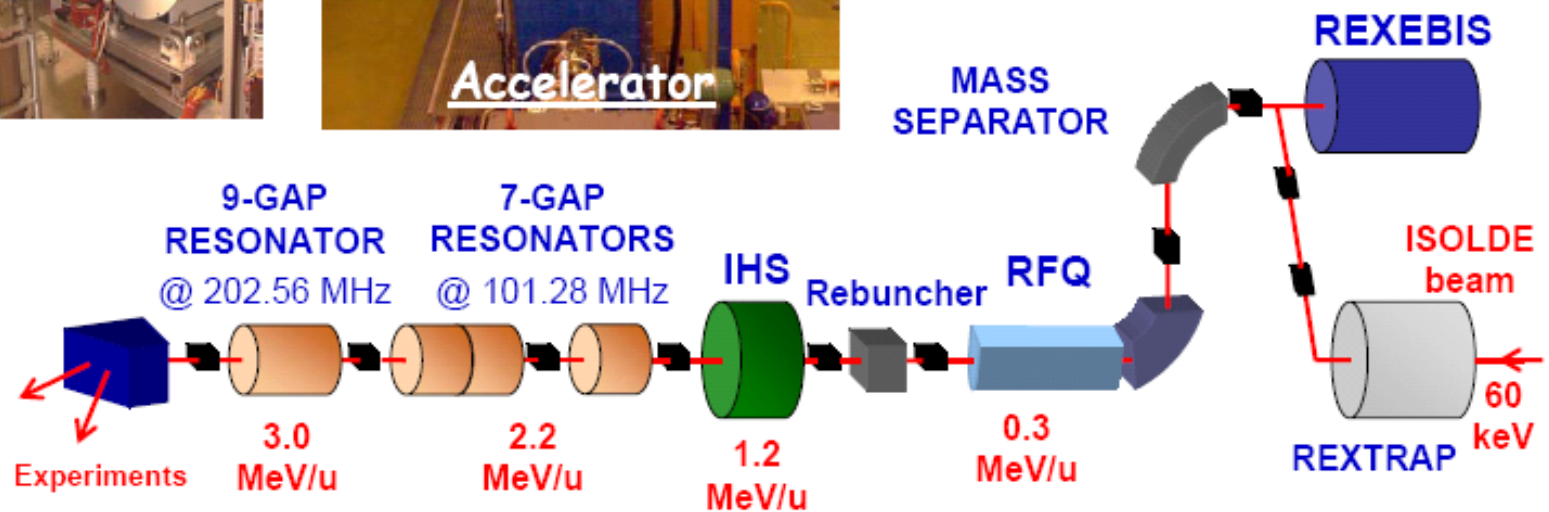
REX-ISOLDE



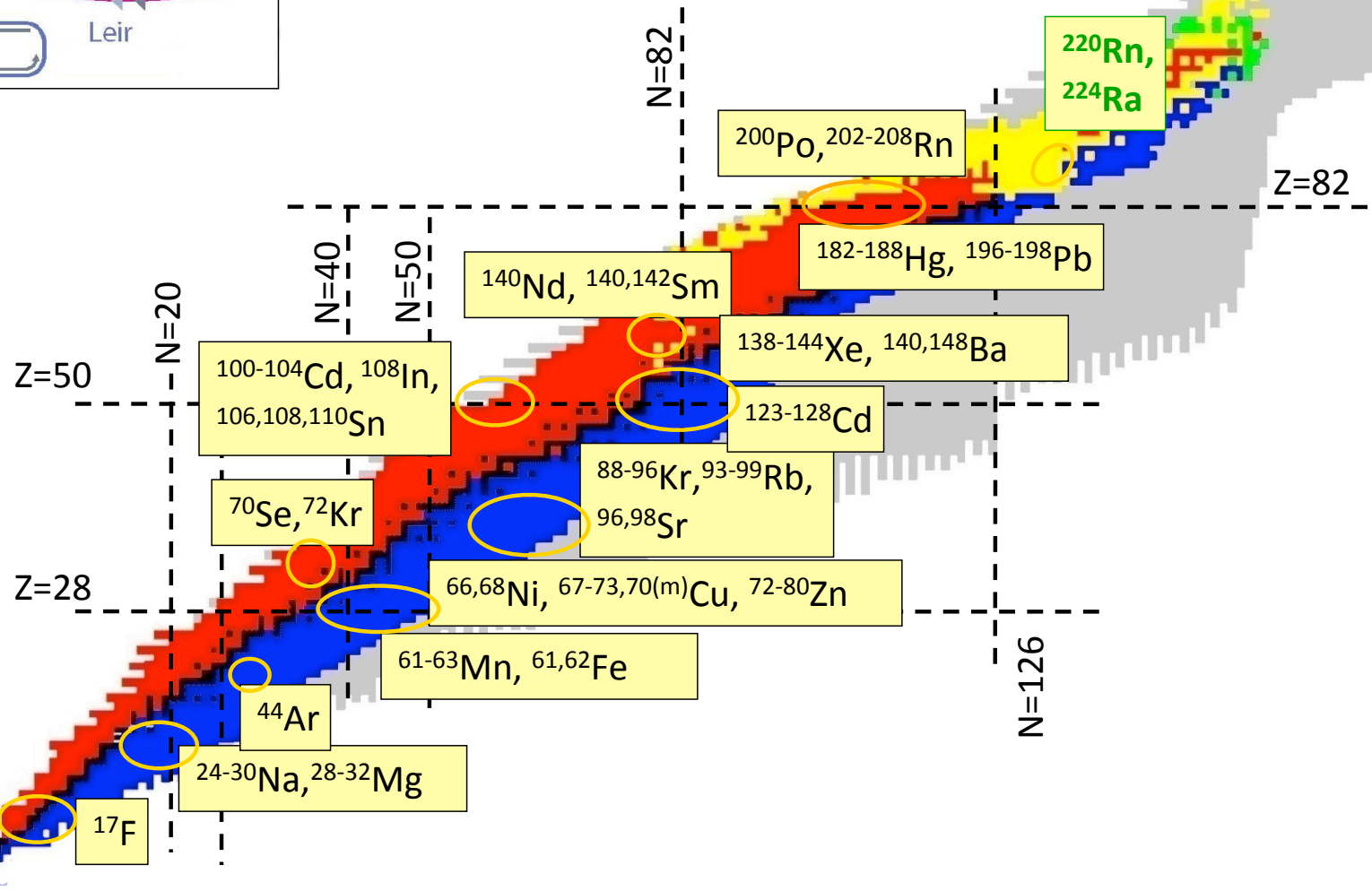
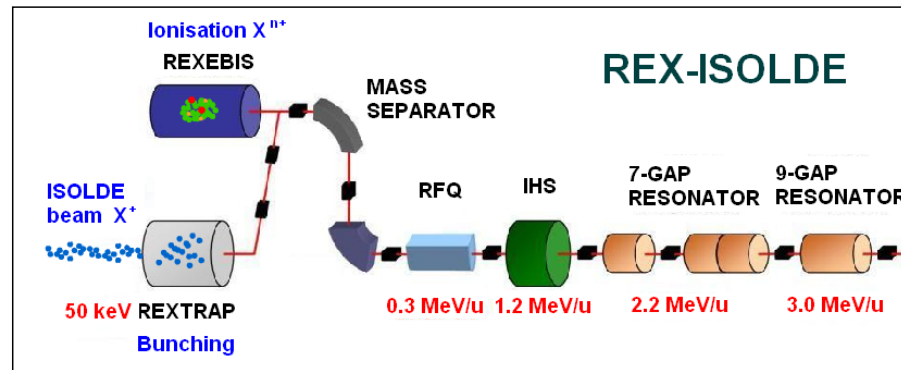
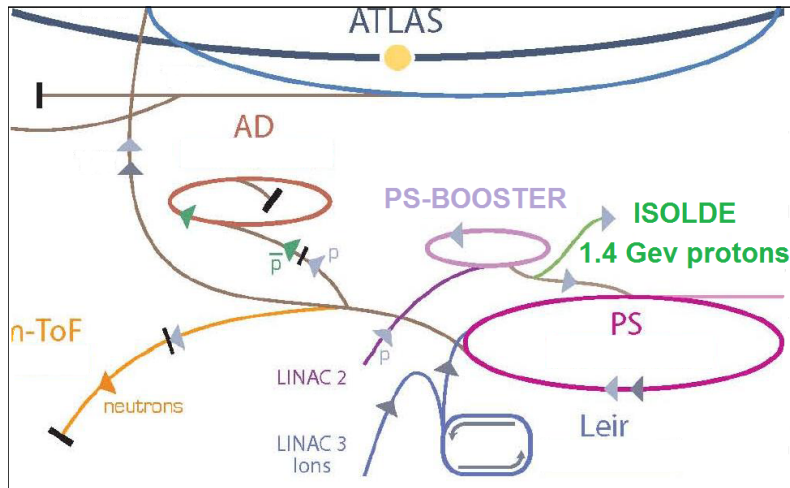
Efficiencies
(design values):

Trap Bunching:	90%
Beam Transport:	>85%
EBIS Injection:	>50%
EBIS $Q_i/\Sigma Q_i$:	30%
Linac:	90%

Charge Breeder



Radioactive beams at REX-ISOLDE (CERN)



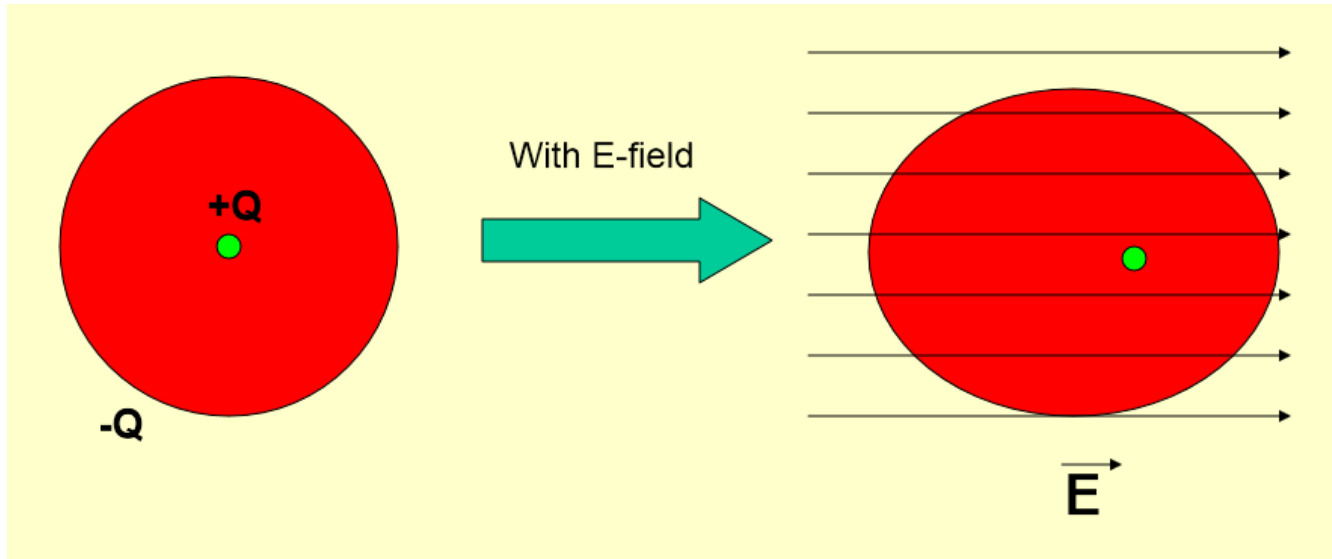
World ISOL accelerated beams

FACILITY	DRIVER	POWER	USER BEAMS ACCELERATED	ENERGY
LOUVAIN- LA-NEUVE (BELGIUM) 1989-2008	30 MeV protons	6 kW	${}^6\text{He}$, ${}^7\text{Be}$, ${}^{10,11}\text{C}$, ${}^{13}\text{N}$, ${}^{15}\text{O}$, ${}^{18}\text{F}$, ${}^{18,19}\text{Ne}$, ${}^{35}\text{Ar}$	10 MeV/u cyclotron
HRIBF Oak Ridge (USA) 1997	100 MeV p, d, α (-ve ion source)	1 kW	${}^7\text{Be}$, ${}^{17,18}\text{F}$, ${}^{69}\text{As}$, ${}^{76-79}\text{Cu}$, ${}^{67,83-85}\text{Ga}$, ${}^{78,82-86}\text{Ge}$, ${}^{69}\text{As}$, ${}^{83,84}\text{Se}$, ${}^{92}\text{Sr}$, ${}^{117,118}\text{Ag}$, ${}^{126,128,132-136}\text{Sn}$, ${}^{129}\text{Sb}$, ${}^{129,132,134,136}\text{Te}$	2 - 10 MeV/u tandem
ISAC TRIUMF (CANADA) 2000	500 MeV protons	50 kW	${}^{8,9,11}\text{Li}$, ${}^{11}\text{Be}$, ${}^{18}\text{F}$, ${}^{20-22}$, ${}^{24-29}\text{Na}$, ${}^{23}\text{Mg}$, ${}^{26}\text{Al}$	1.5 - 6 MeV/u linac
SPIRAL GANIL (FRANCE) 2001	100 MeV/ u heavy ions	6 kW	${}^{6,8}\text{He}$, ${}^{14,15,19-21}\text{O}$, ${}^{18}\text{F}$, ${}^{17-19,23-26}\text{Ne}$, ${}^{33-35}$, ${}^{44,46}\text{Ar}$, ${}^{74-77}\text{Kr}$	2 - 25 MeV/u cyclotron
REX ISOLDE (CERN) 2001	1.4 GeV protons	3 kW	${}^{8,9,11}\text{Li}$, ${}^{10-12}\text{Be}$, ${}^{10}\text{C}$, ${}^{17}\text{F}$, ${}^{24-29}\text{Na}$, ${}^{28-32}\text{Mg}$, ${}^{61,62}\text{Mn}$, ${}^{61}\text{Fe}$, ${}^{68}\text{Ni}$, ${}^{67-71,73}\text{Cu}$, ${}^{74,76,78,80}\text{Zn}$, ${}^{70}\text{Se}$, ${}^{88,92}\text{Kr}$, ${}^{96}\text{Sr}$, ${}^{108}\text{In}$, ${}^{106,108,110}\text{Sn}$, ${}^{122,124,126}\text{Cd}$, ${}^{138,140,142,144}\text{Xe}$, ${}^{140,142,148}\text{Ba}$, ${}^{148}\text{Pm}$, ${}^{153}\text{Sm}$, ${}^{156}\text{Eu}$, ${}^{182,184,186,188}\text{Hg}$, ${}^{202,204}\text{Rn}$	0.3 - 3 MeV/u linac

Example 1: Octupole collectivity



Atomic EDM moment



Static Electric Dipole Moment implies CP-violation

Schiff Theorem: neutral atomic system of point particles in electric field readjusts itself to give zero E field at all charges.

BUT: finite size of nucleus can break the symmetry

$|d(^{199}\text{Hg})| < 3.1 \times 10^{-29} \text{ e cm}$ (*Griffith et al PRL 102 (2009) 101601*)

In many cases provides best test extensions of the Standard Model that violate CP symmetry.

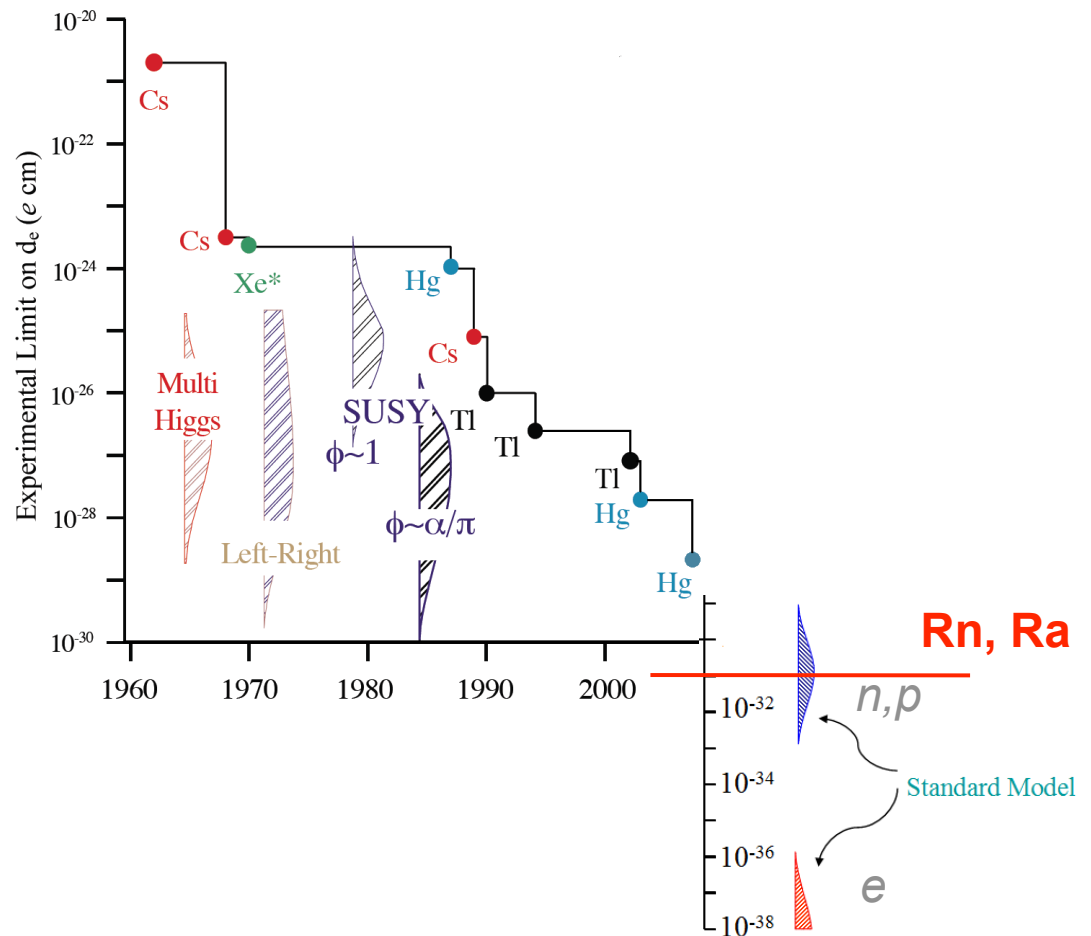
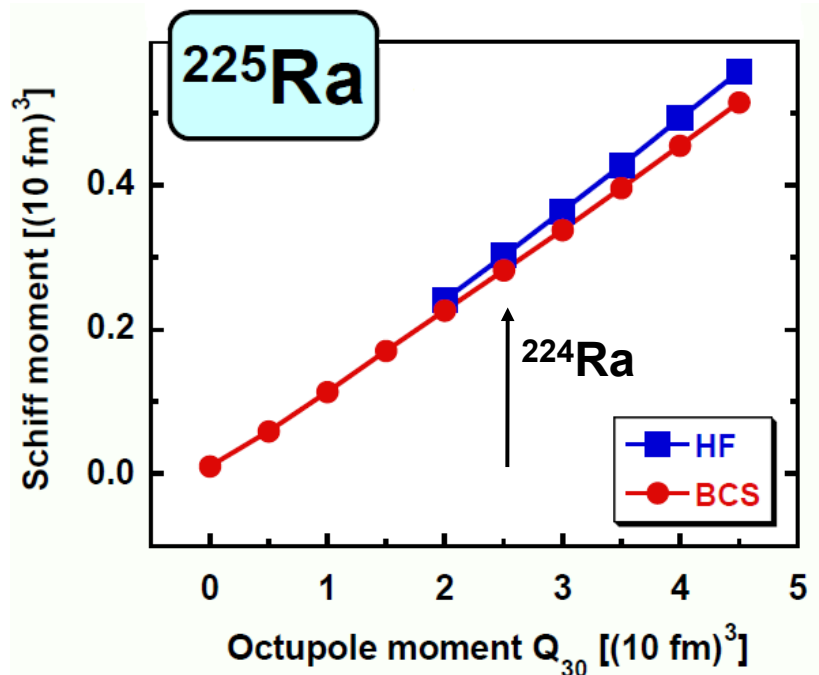
Nuclear pear-shapes can also enhance the “Schiff moment” by ~ 3 orders of magnitude

Search candidates are odd-A Rn [TRIUMF] and Ra [ANL, ISOLDE]

Octupole enhanced atomic EDM moment

Schiff moment: $S = -2 \frac{J}{J+1} \frac{\langle \hat{S}_z \rangle \langle \hat{V}_{PT} \rangle}{\Delta E}$

related to Q_3 T-violating n-n interaction
energy splitting of parity doublet



Octupole Collectivity

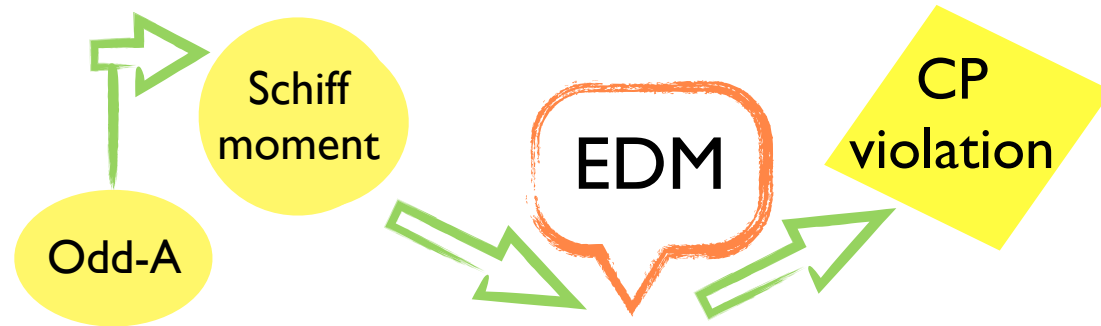
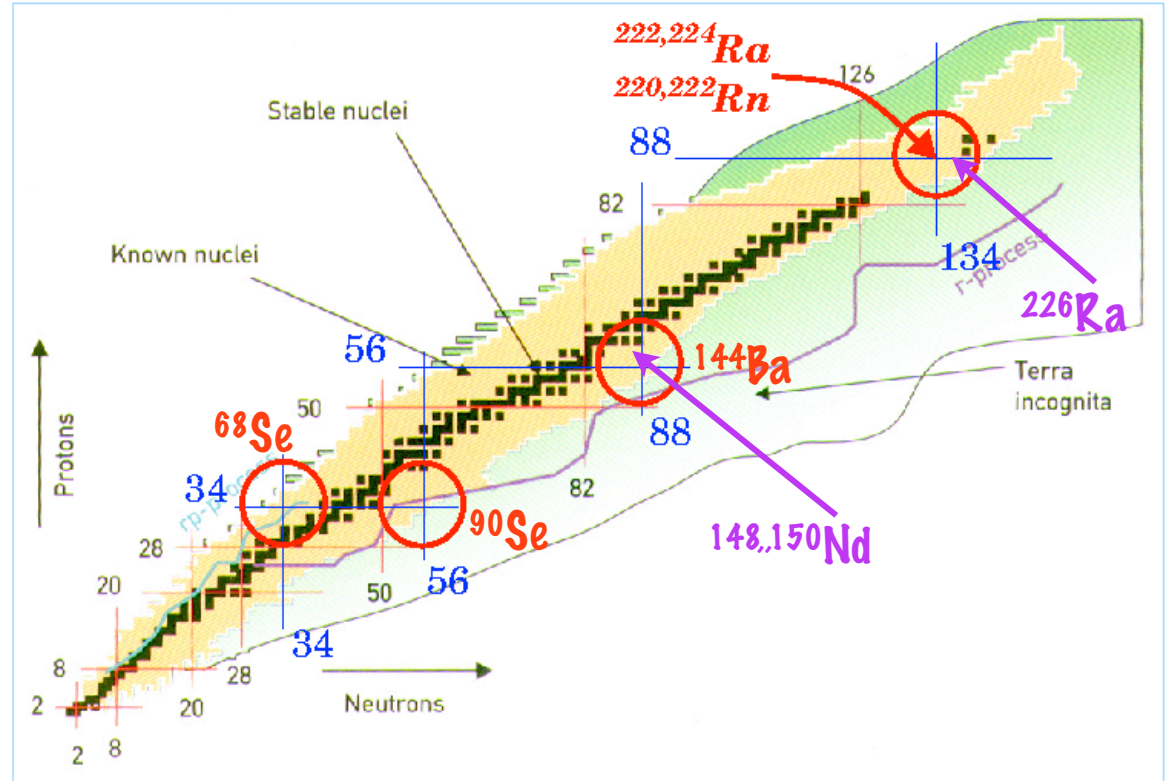
$$2^\lambda \quad \lambda = 2 \dots \text{Quadrupole}$$

$$\lambda = 3 \dots \text{Octupole}$$

Octupole correlations enhanced at magic numbers: **34, 56, 88, 134**

Exotic regions of the Segré chart, so far inaccessible.

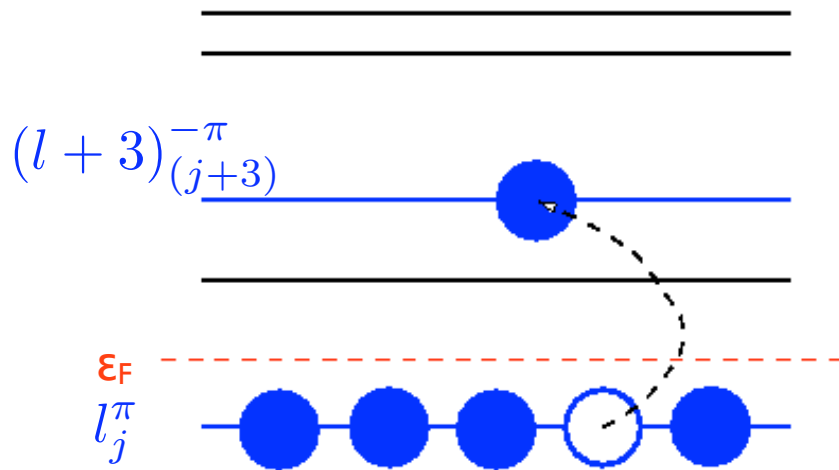
Radioactive Ion Beams are the key



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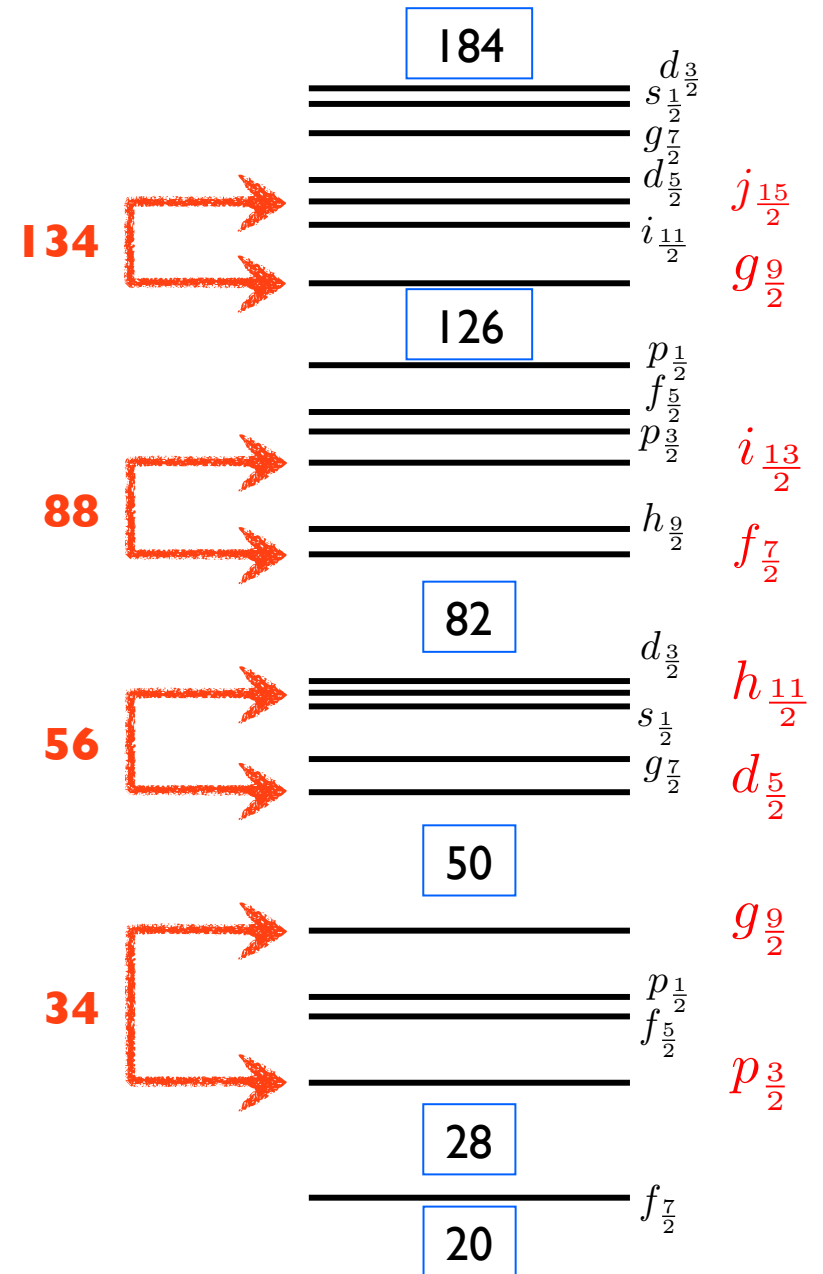
Microscopically...

Intruder orbitals of opposite parity and $\Delta J, \Delta L = 3$ close to the Fermi level



^{220}Rn and ^{224}Ra lie near $Z=88, N=134$

$\pi (f_{7/2} \rightarrow i_{13/2}) \quad \nu (g_{9/2} \rightarrow j_{15/2})$



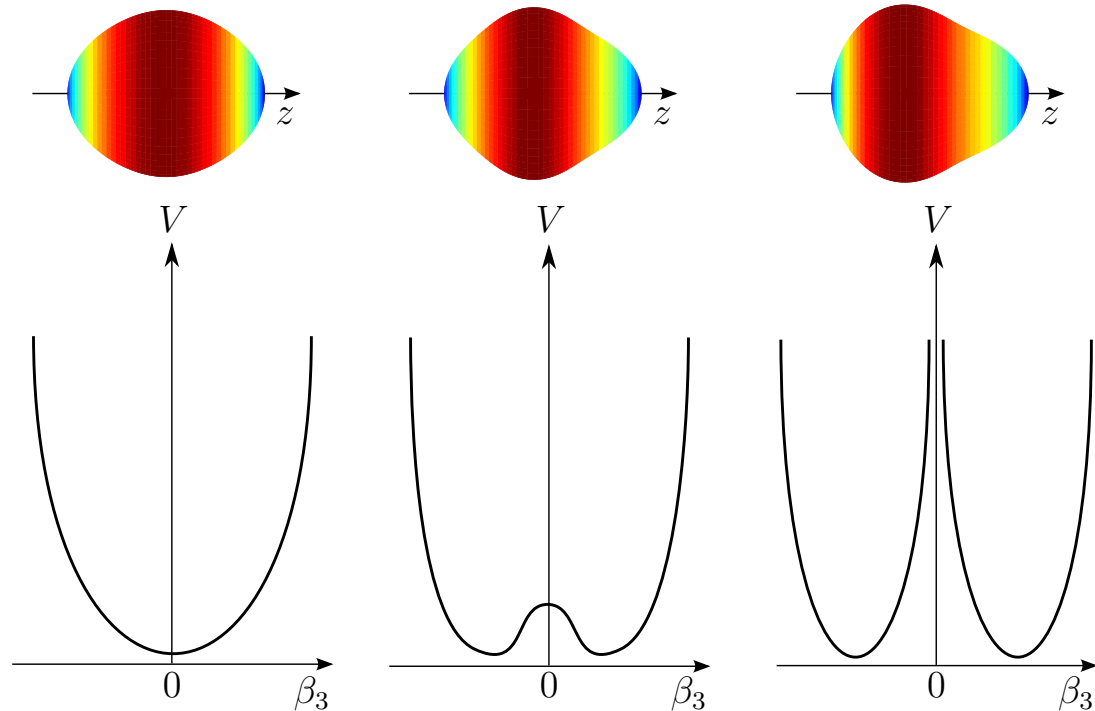
Octupole Collectivity

Macroscopically...

Nuclei take on a “pear” shape

Reflection asymmetric

- β_3 -vibration
- Static β_3 -deformation
- Rigid β_3 -deformation...



Signatures...

Odd-even staggering, negative parity

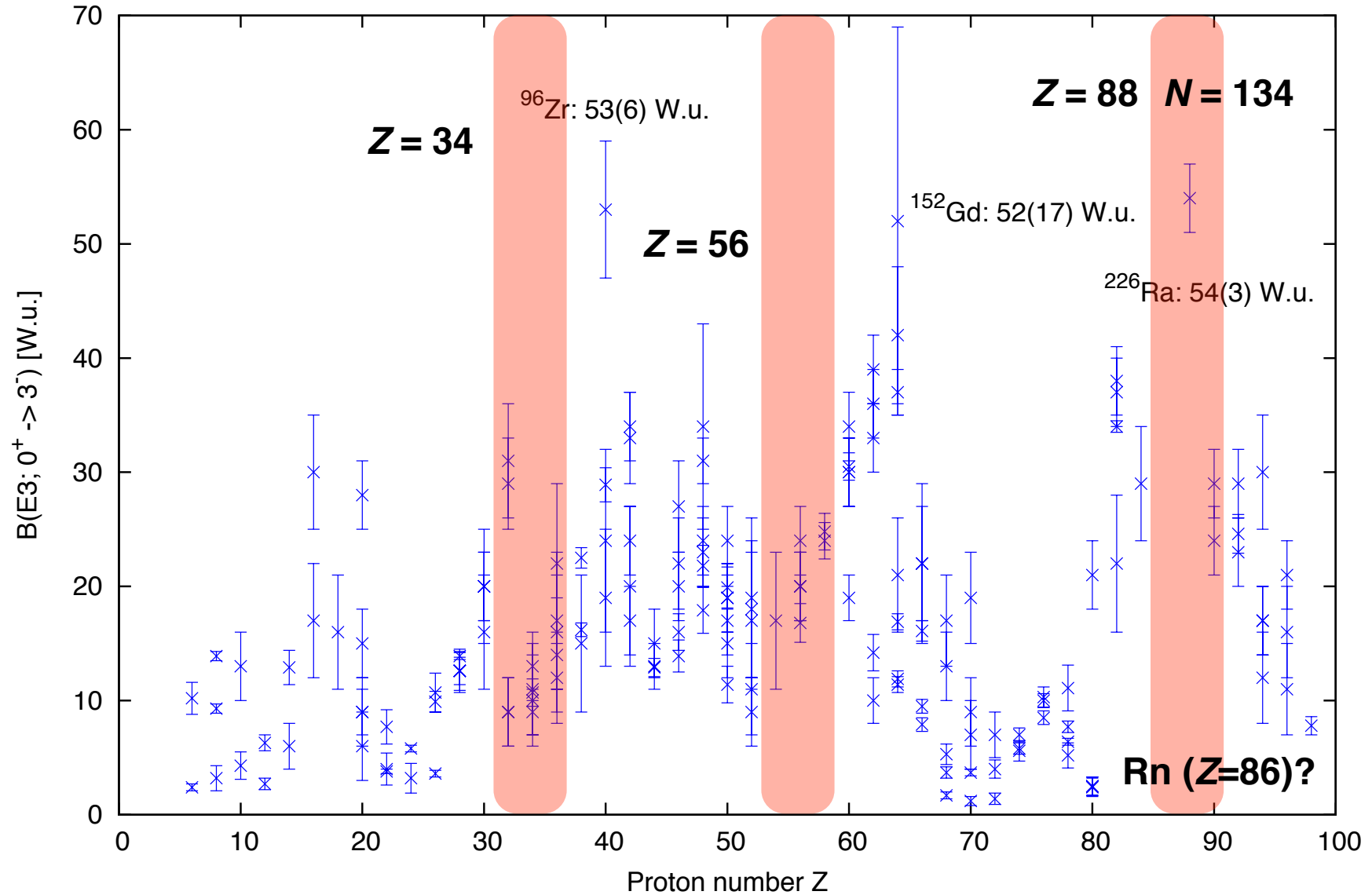
Parity doublets in odd-A nuclei

Enhanced E1 transitions

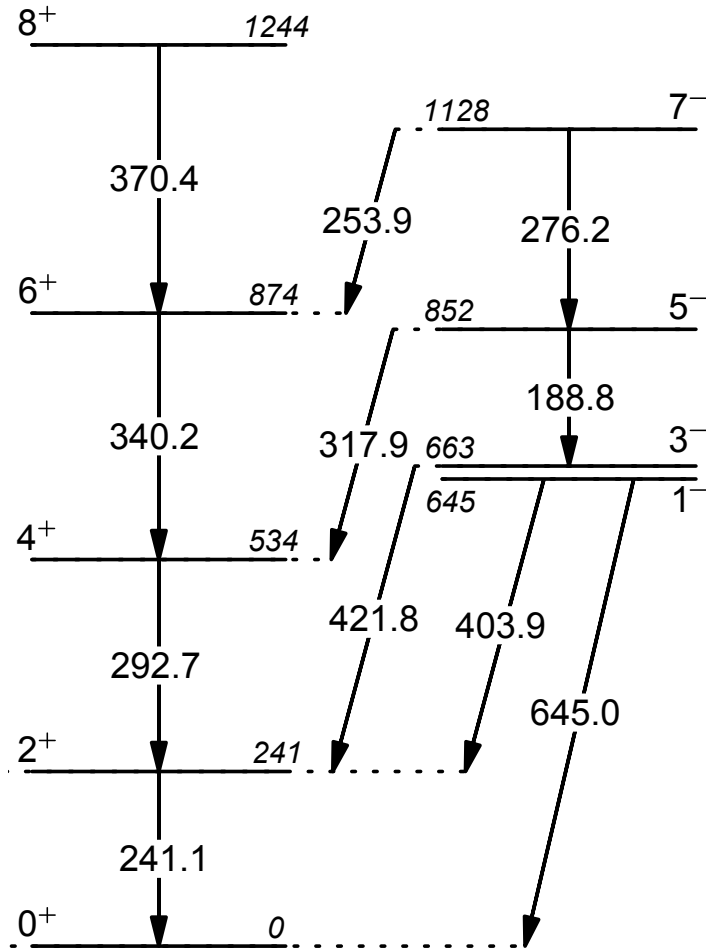
Large E3 strength $\rightarrow B(E3; 3^- \rightarrow 0^+) = \langle 0^+ || E3 || 3^- \rangle^2$

Octupole Collectivity

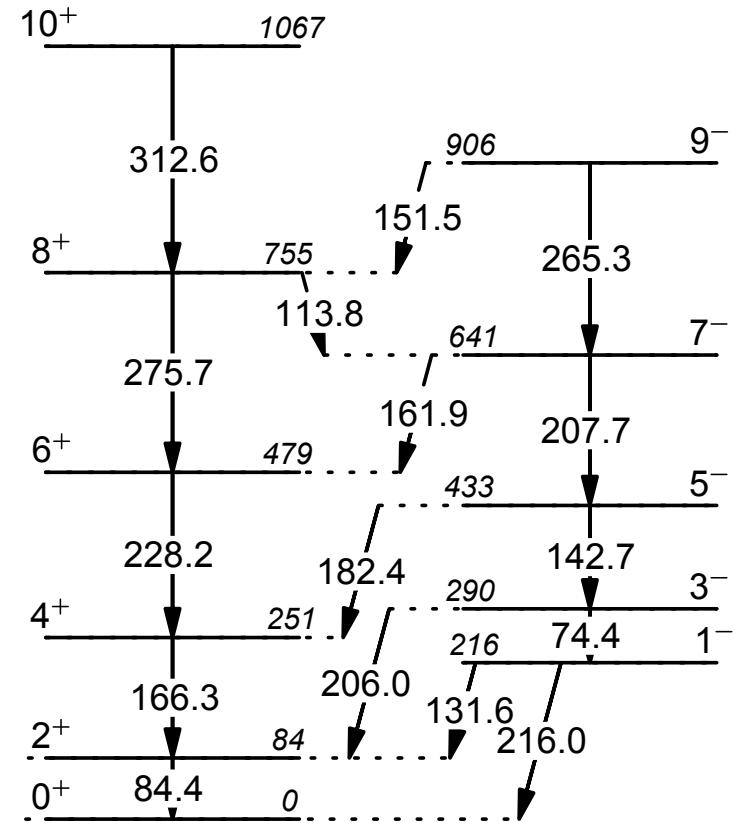
Measured B(E3) values as a function of Z



Radon-220 and Radium-224



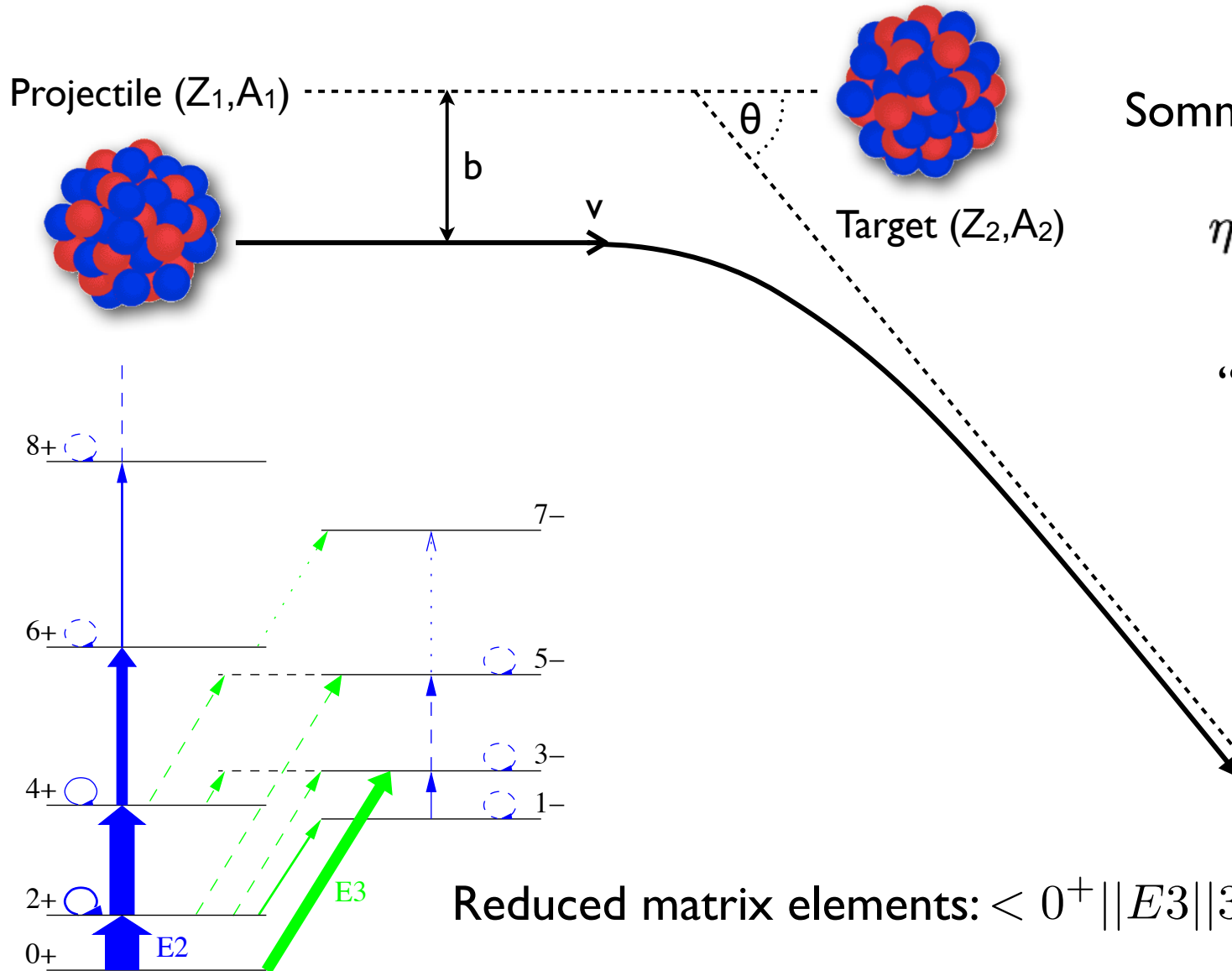
^{220}Rn



^{224}Ra

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Coulomb Excitation



Sommerfeld parameter:

$$\eta = \frac{Z_1 Z_2 e^2}{\hbar v}$$

“Safe” Coulex:

$$\eta \gg 1$$

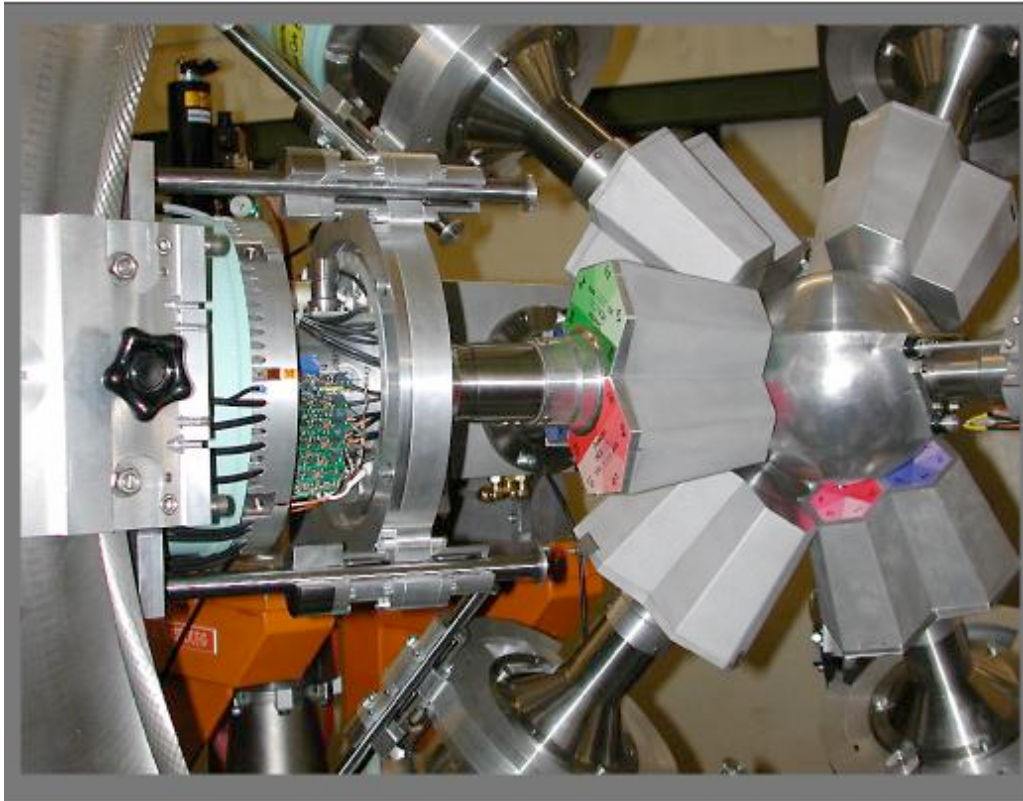
Reduced matrix elements: $\langle 0^+ || E3 || 3^- \rangle$

MINIBALL @ REX-ISOLDE

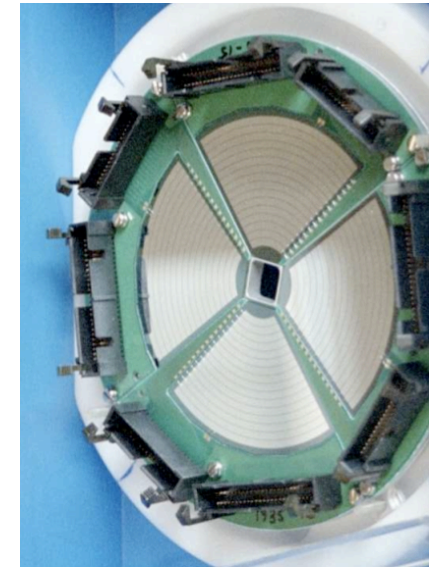
$^{220}\text{Rn}/^{224}\text{Ra}$ beam
@ $\sim 2.83\text{A.MeV}$

Coulex target
 $\sim 2\text{mg}/\text{cm}^2$

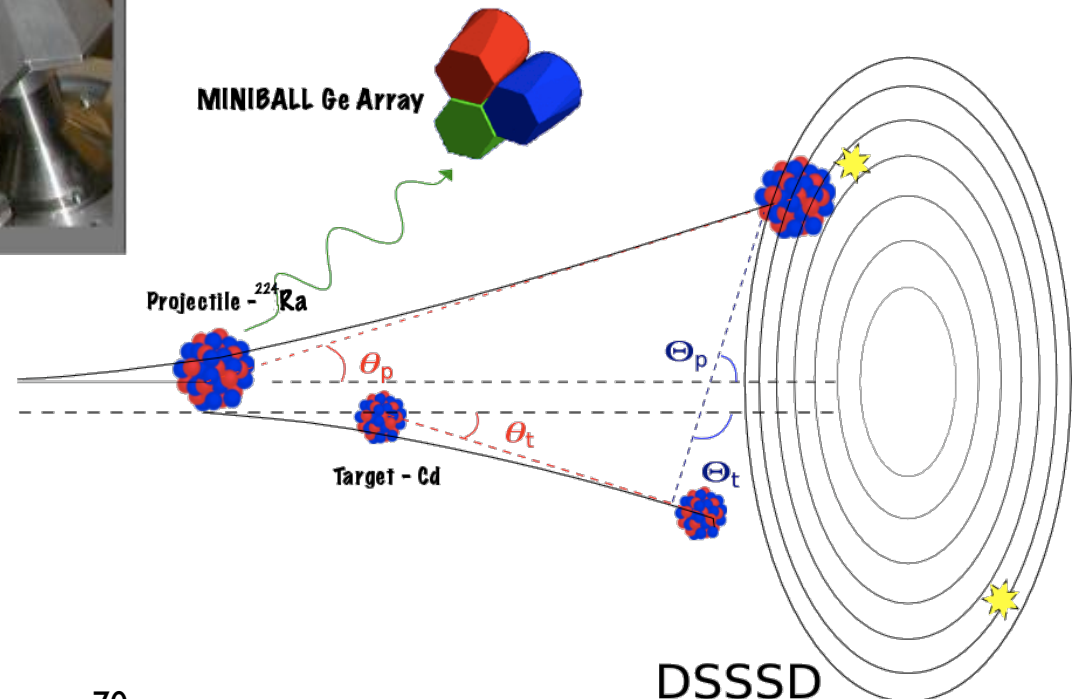
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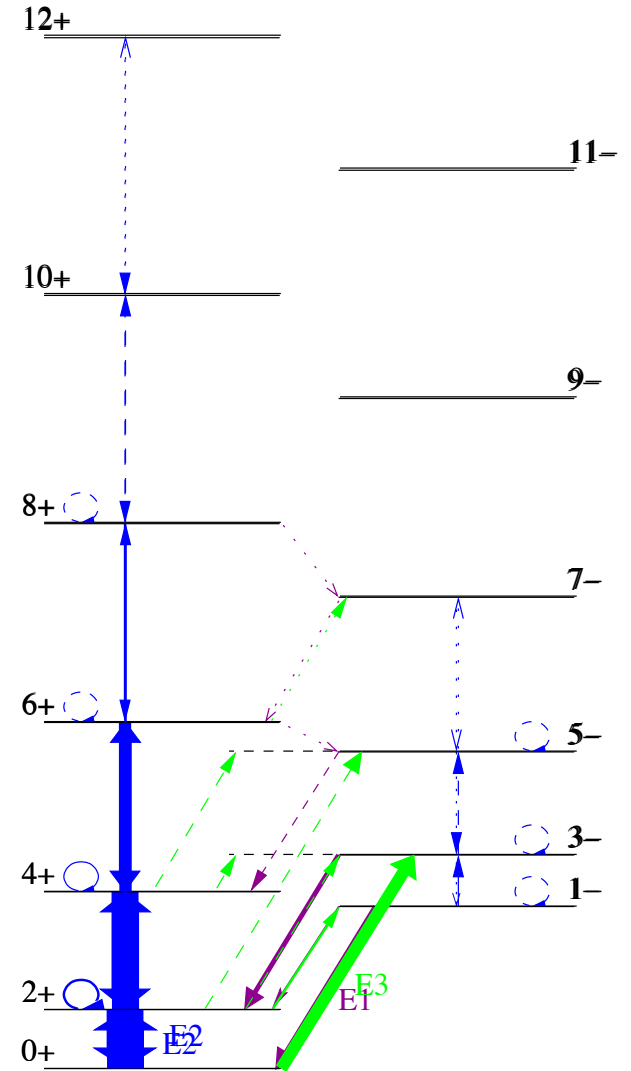
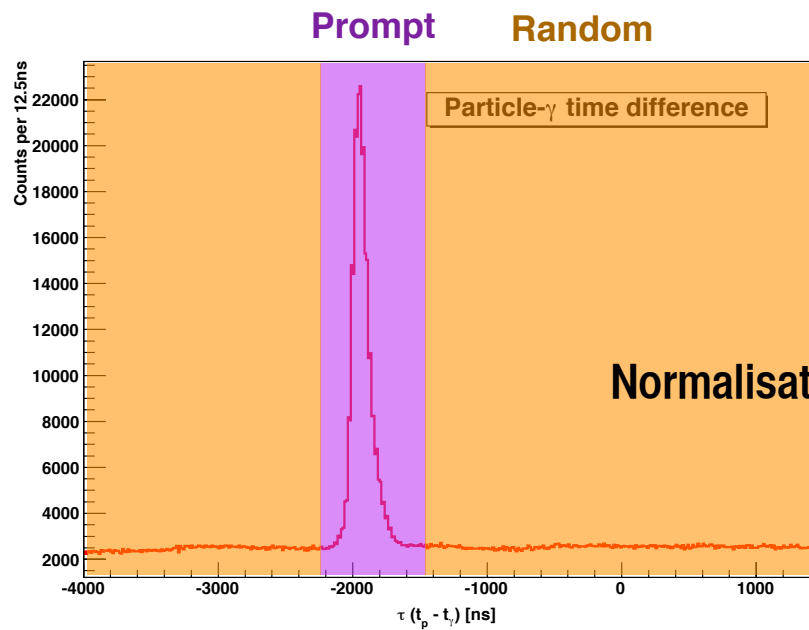
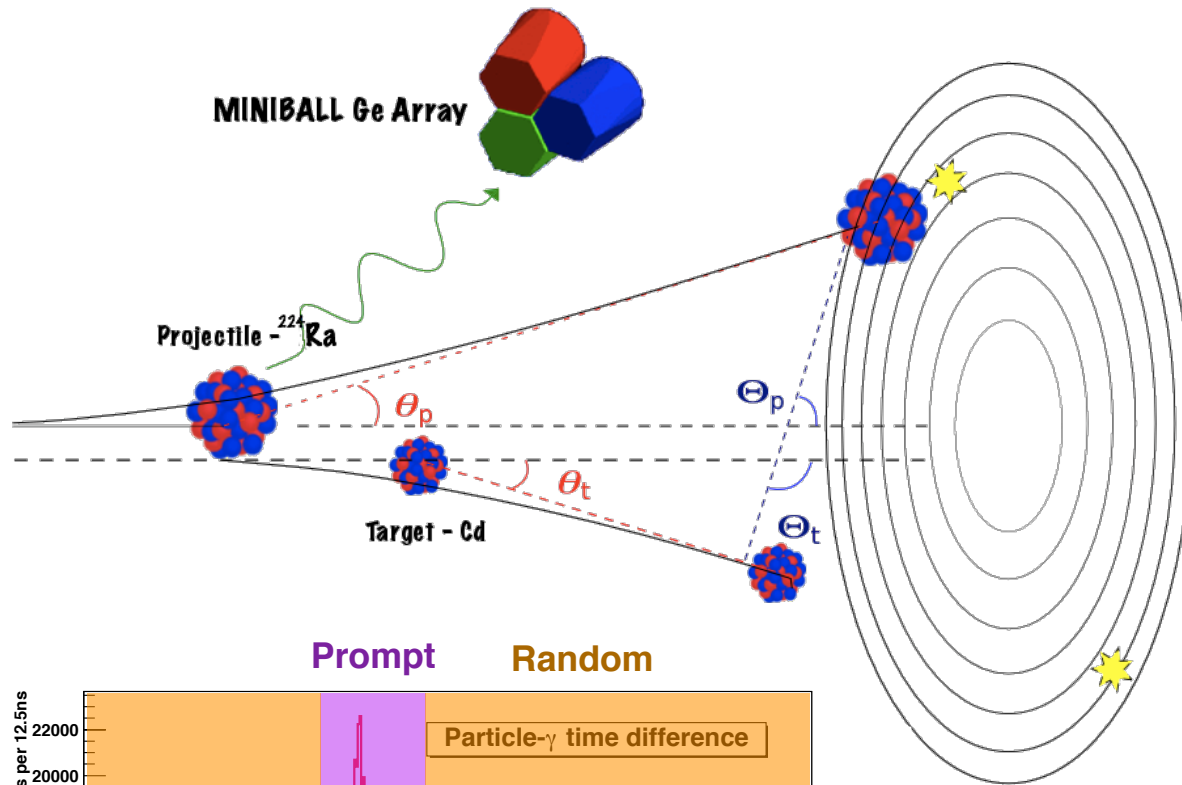
- Particle ID in a Double-Sided Si Strip Detector.
- Event by event Doppler correction.
- $17^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 54^\circ$



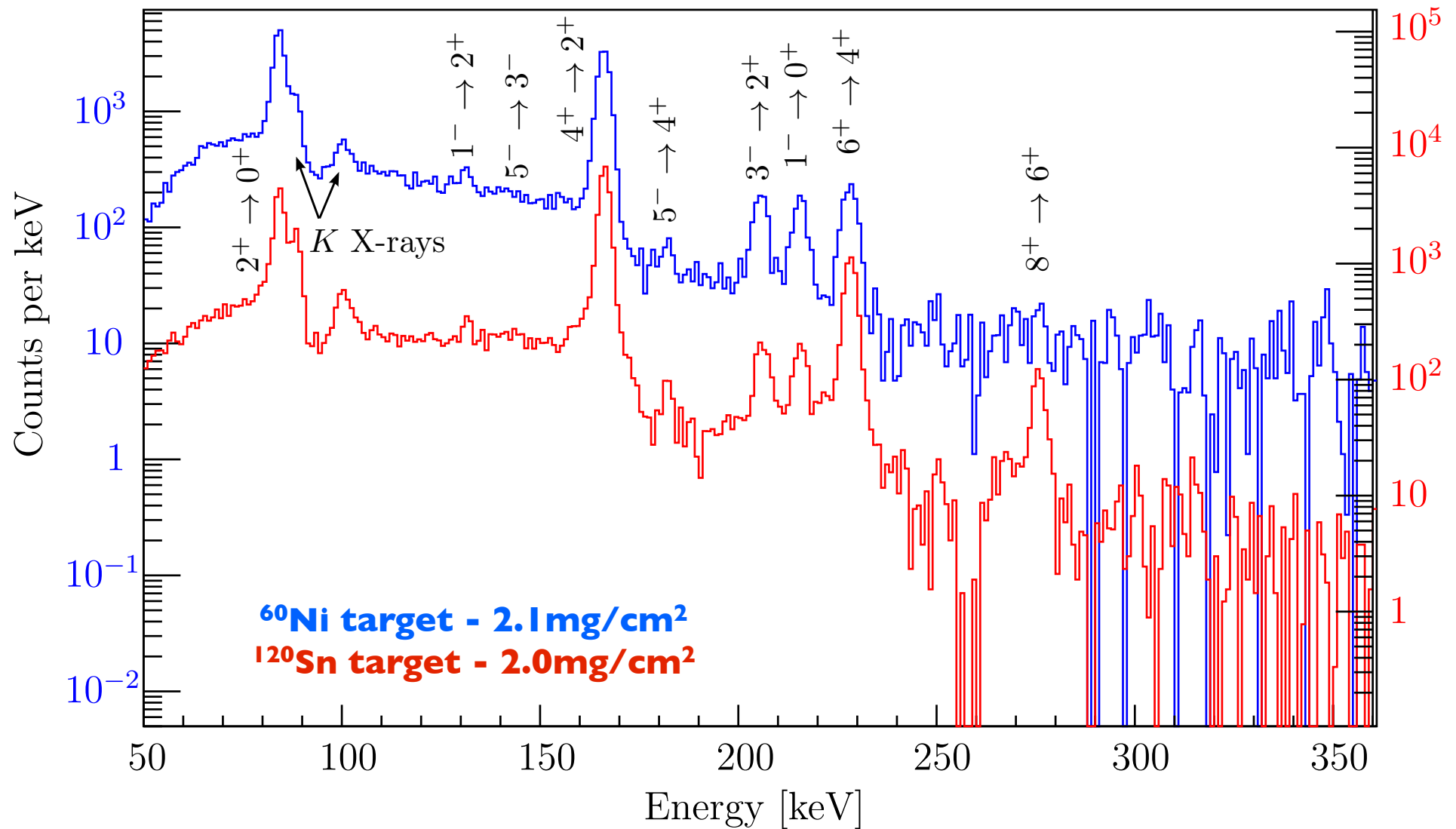
- Array of HPGe of 8 triple clusters
- 6-fold segmentation for positioning
- $\epsilon > 7\%$ for 1.3MeV γ -rays



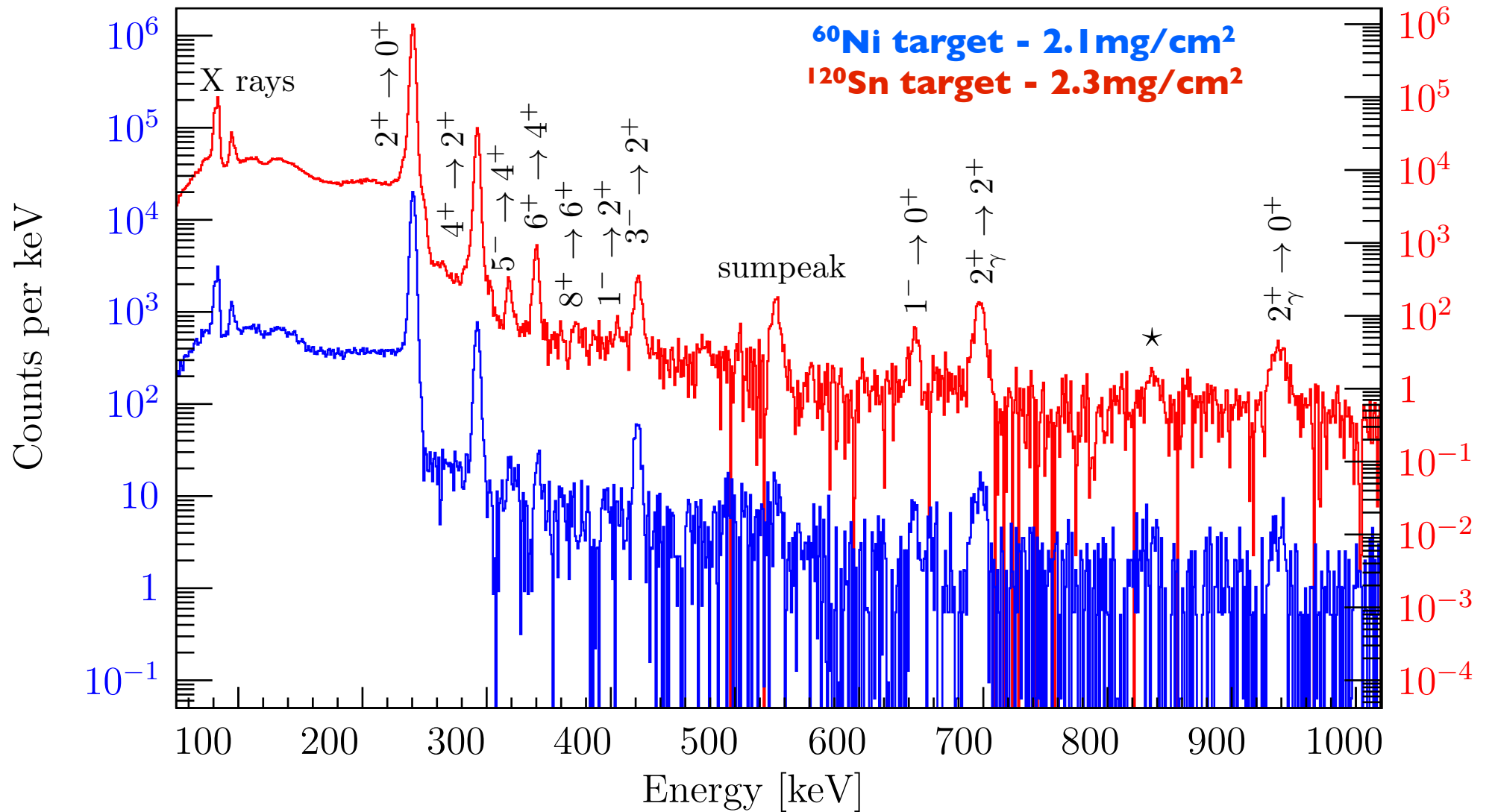
Particle-gamma coincidences



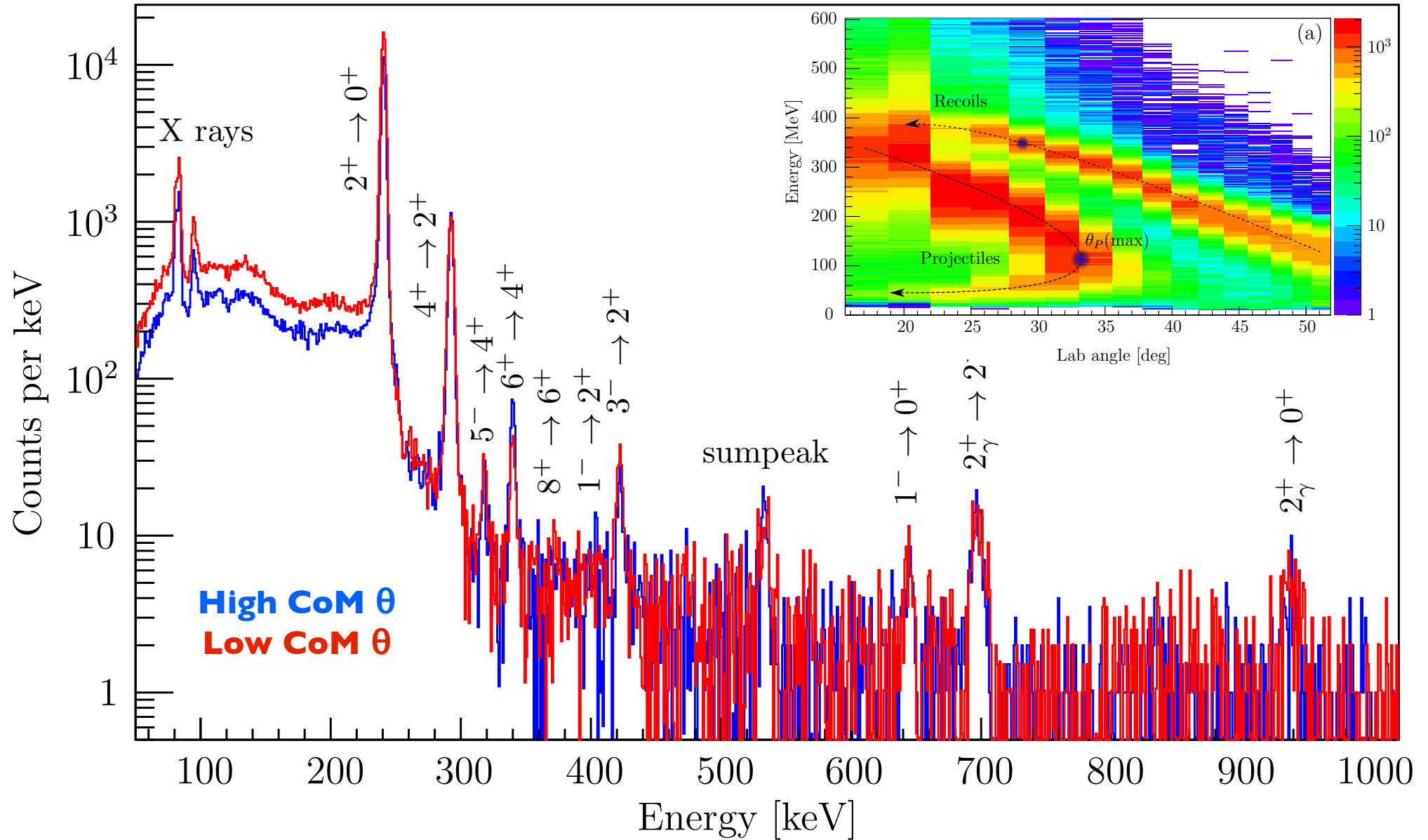
Analysis - ^{224}Ra : Ni/Sn



Analysis - ^{220}Rn : Ni/Sn



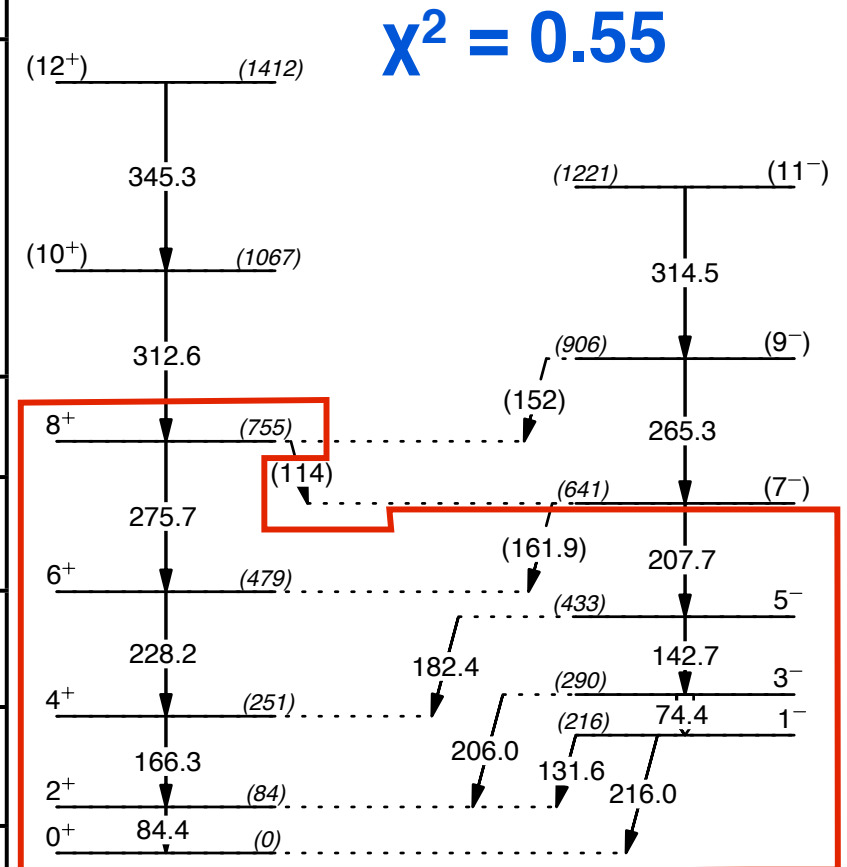
Analysis - ^{220}Rn : High/Low θ



Analysis - ^{224}Ra GOSIA

16 *free* matrix elements + 6 normalisation factors

“Experiment”	Number and type of data
Multi-nucleon transfer ^[1,2] $^{226}\text{Ra}(^{58}\text{Ni}, ^{60}\text{Ni})^{224}\text{Ra}$ $^{232}\text{Th}(^{136}\text{Xe}, ^{128}\text{Te})^{224}\text{Ra}$	Branching ratios (1^- , 3^- , 5^- , 7^- , 2^+_{γ}) -- 5
Alpha, alpha-prime ^[3] $^{226}\text{Ra}(\alpha, \alpha'2n)^{224}\text{Ra}$	
Alpha(beta)-decay ^[4] $^{228}\text{Th}(^{224}\text{Fr}) \rightarrow \alpha(\beta)$	
Delayed-coincidence ^[5,6]	Lifetimes (2^+ , 4^+) -- 2
Cd/Sn high CoM range $23.9^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 40.3^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 8 + 7
Ni high CoM range $23.1^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 39.9^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 10
Cd/Sn low CoM range $40.3^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 54.3^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 8 + 8
Ni low CoM range $39.3^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 53.2^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 7
Total	55 data points



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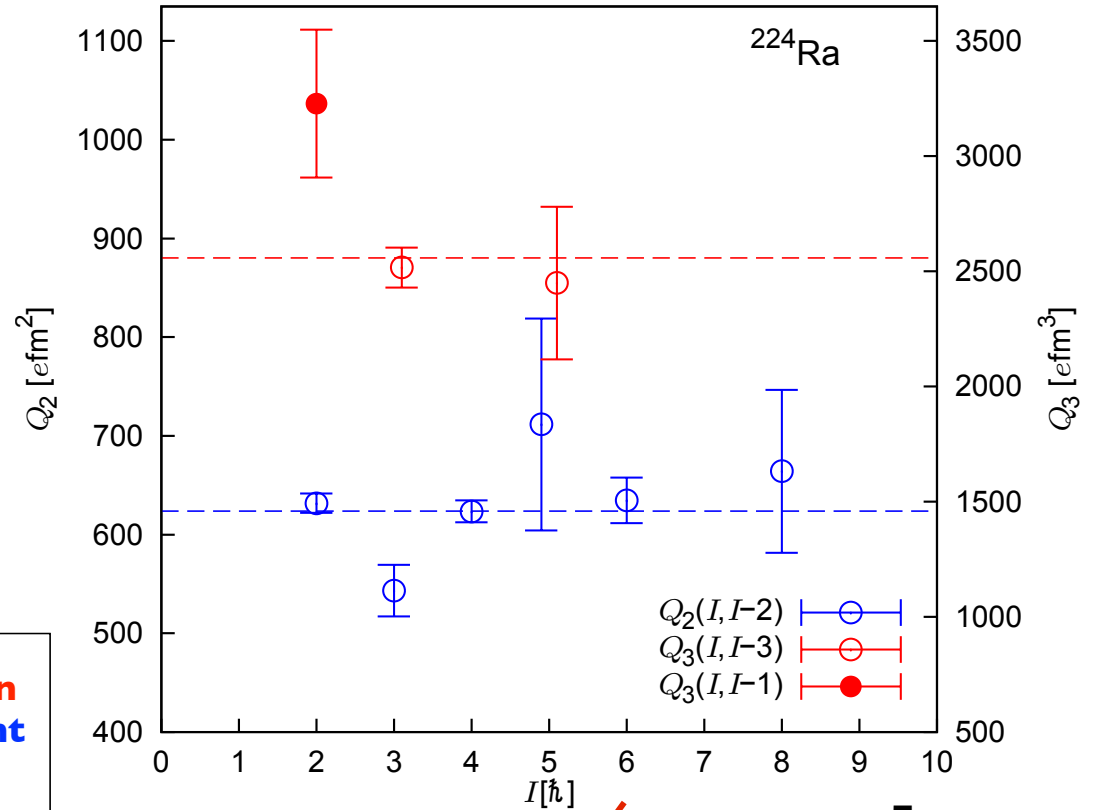
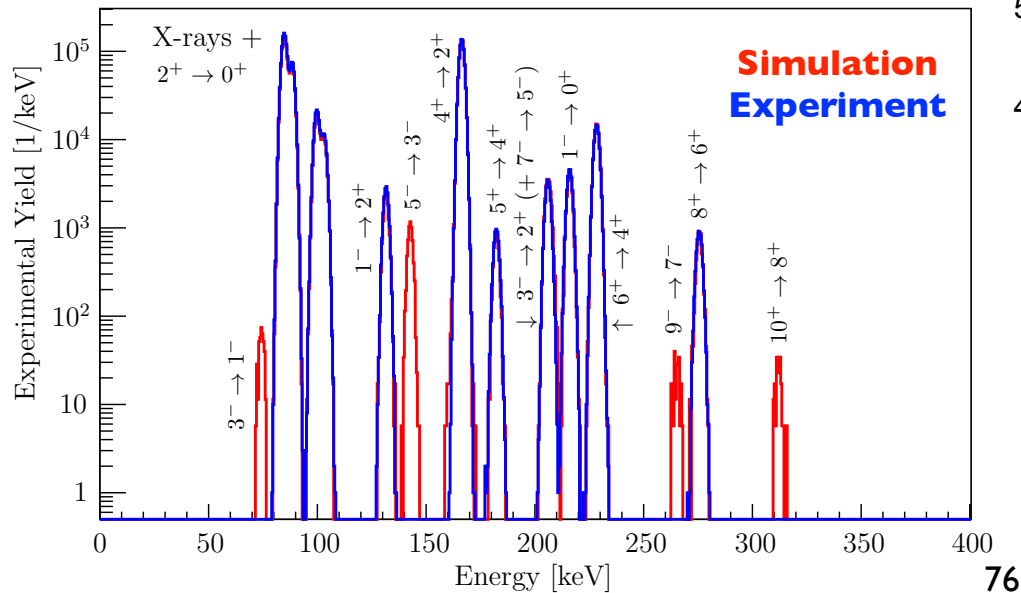
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Results - ^{224}Ra

- Consistent with rotational model
- Unstretched E3 matrix elements are non-zero. Rot-vib model predicts these vanish
- Coupled with level energy data, we observe a static octupole deformation in ^{224}Ra



$$\langle I || E\lambda || I' \rangle = (2I + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} (10\lambda 0 | I' 0) Q_\lambda a_\lambda$$

5⁻

3⁻

1⁻

4⁺

2⁺

0⁺

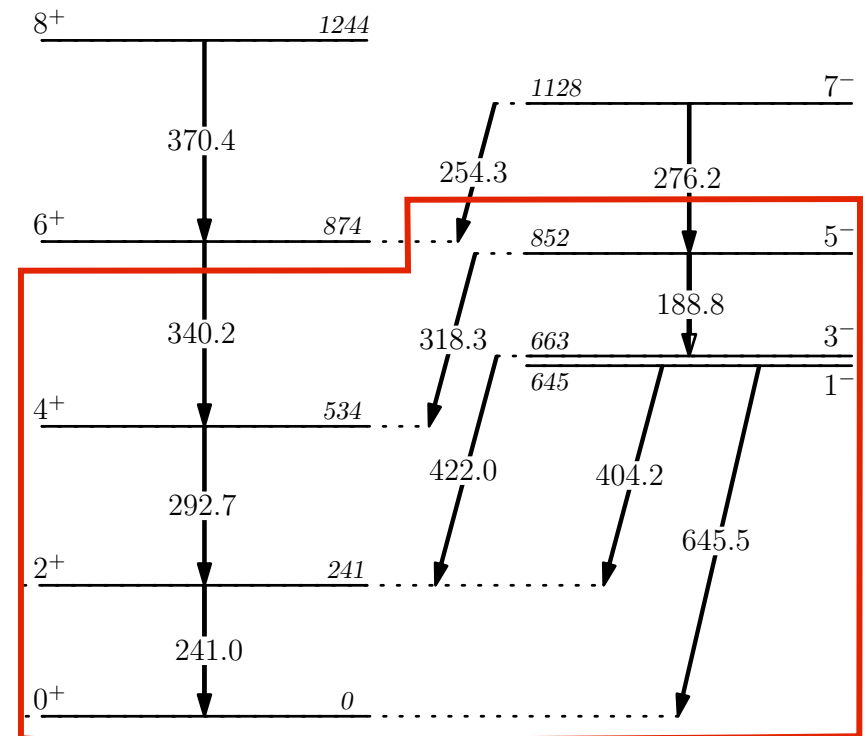
3 \hbar phonon

Analysis - ^{220}Rn GOSIA

15 *free* matrix elements + 6 normalisation factors

“Experiment”	Number and type of data
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Delayed-coincidence ^[5,6]	Lifetimes (2 ⁺) -- 1
Cd/Sn/Ni high CoM range $22.1^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 37.8^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 2 + 8 + 5
Cd/Sn/Ni low CoM range $37.9^\circ < \theta_{\text{lab}} < 51.8^\circ$	γ -ray yield -- 2 + 8 + 5
Total	34 data points

$$\chi^2 = 0.86$$



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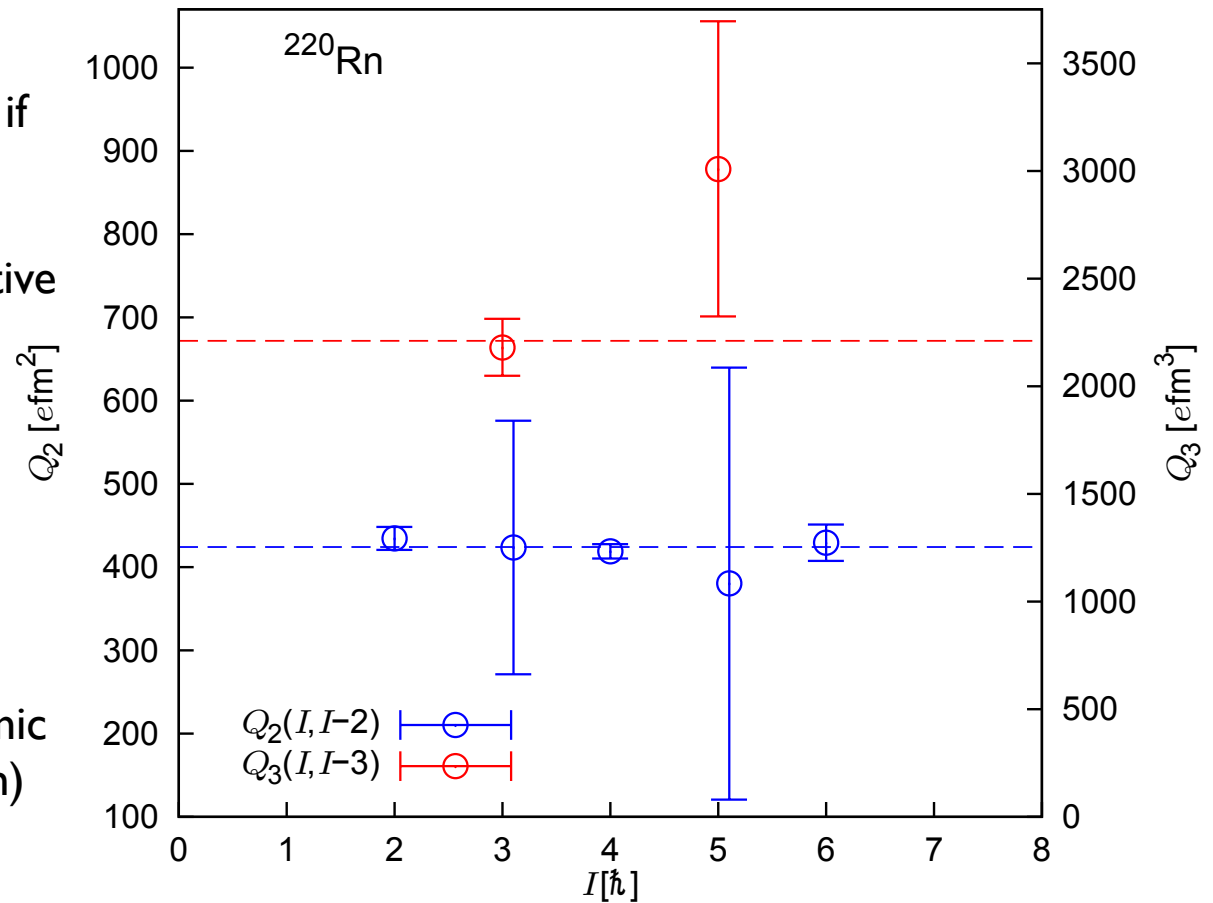
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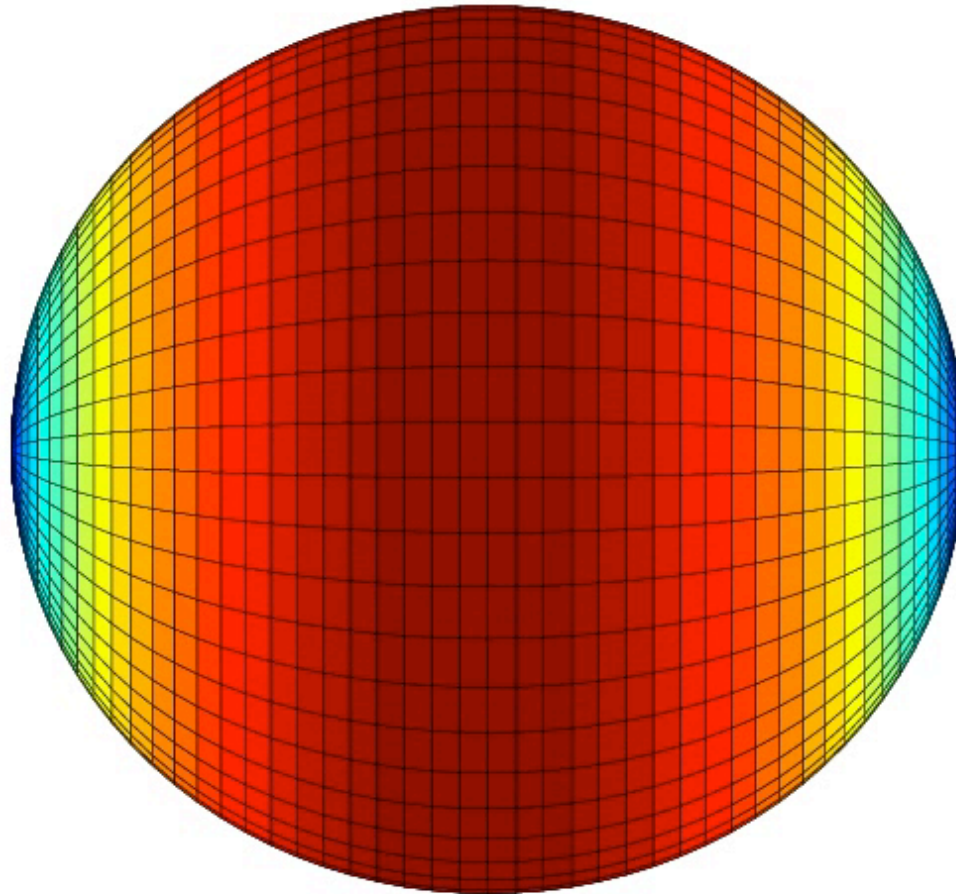
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Results - ^{220}Rn

- Consistent with rotational model.
- No information on unstretched E3.
- Larger data set required to determine if $\langle I || E3 || 2^+ \rangle$ or $\langle I || E3 || 4^+ \rangle$ vanish.
- Not definitive determination of collective mode, dynamic (vibrational) or static (rotational) from Q_3 alone.
- δE and Δi_x implies a coupling of an octupole phonon to the even-spin rotational band.
- Magnitude of Q_3 consistent with dynamic picture, similar to $Q_3(^{208}\text{Pb})$ and $Q_3(^{232}\text{Th})$
- Dynamic collectivity in ^{220}Rn

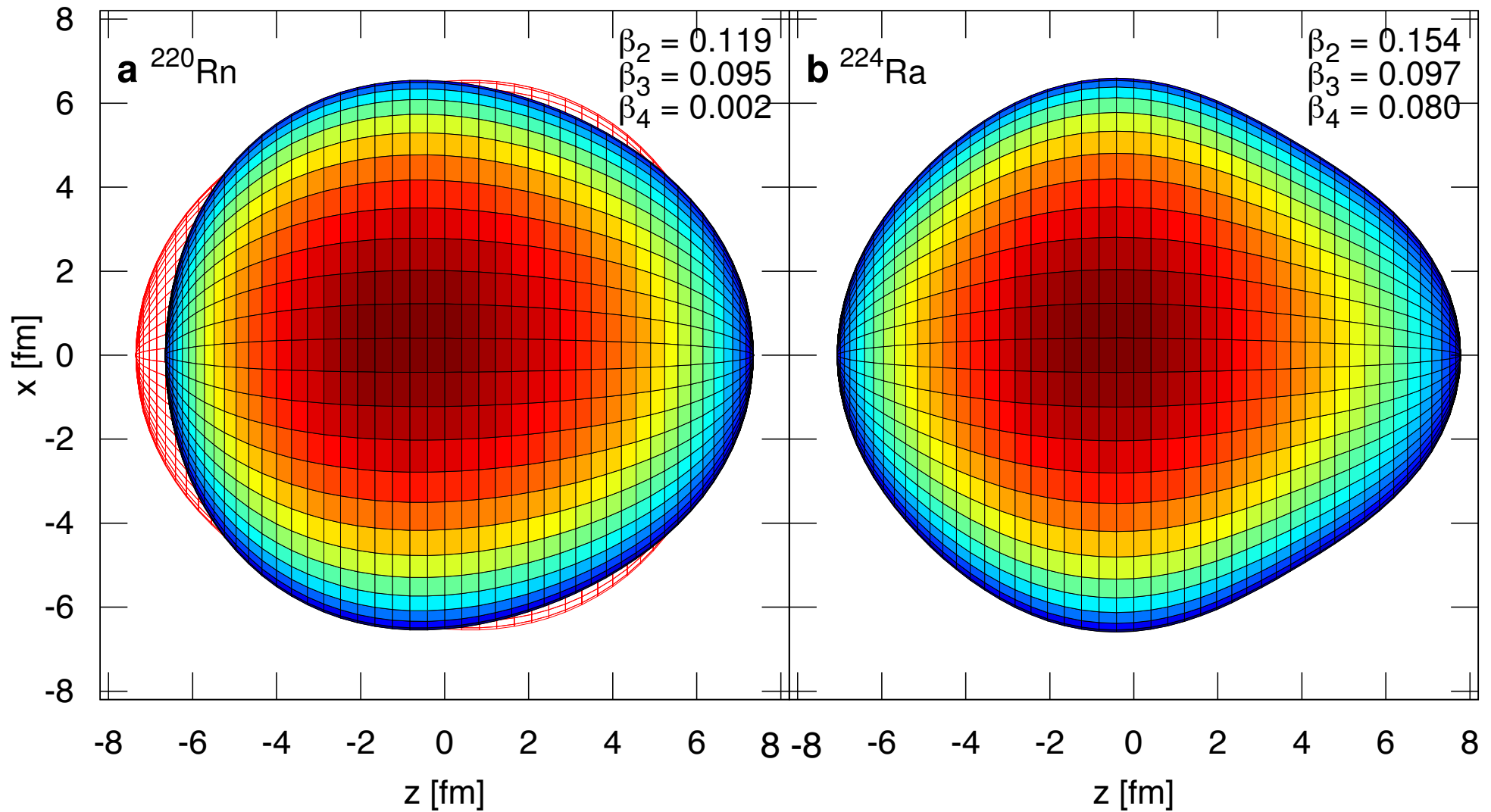


^{220}Rn - Vibrational?

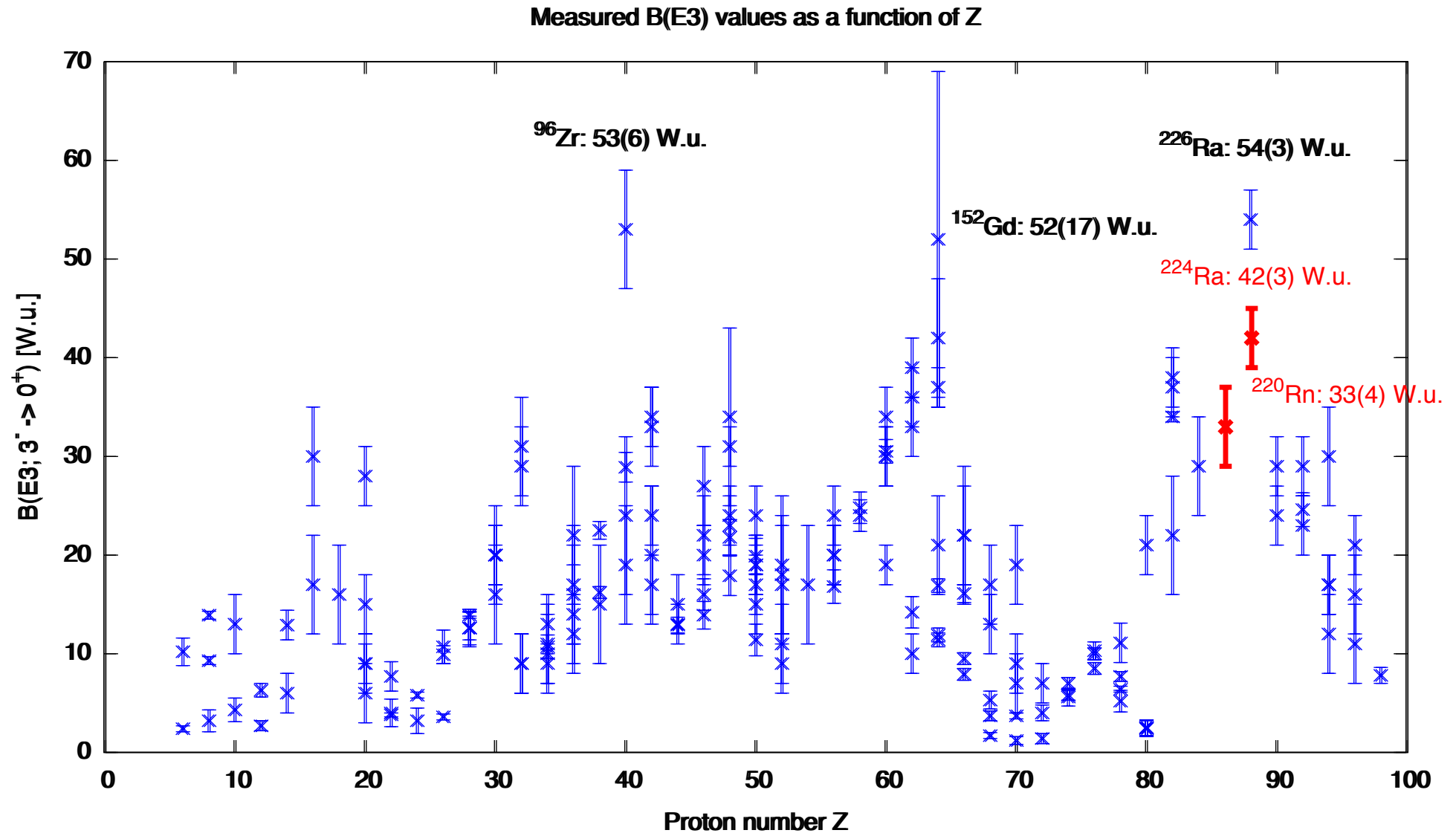


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Discussion and Interpretation



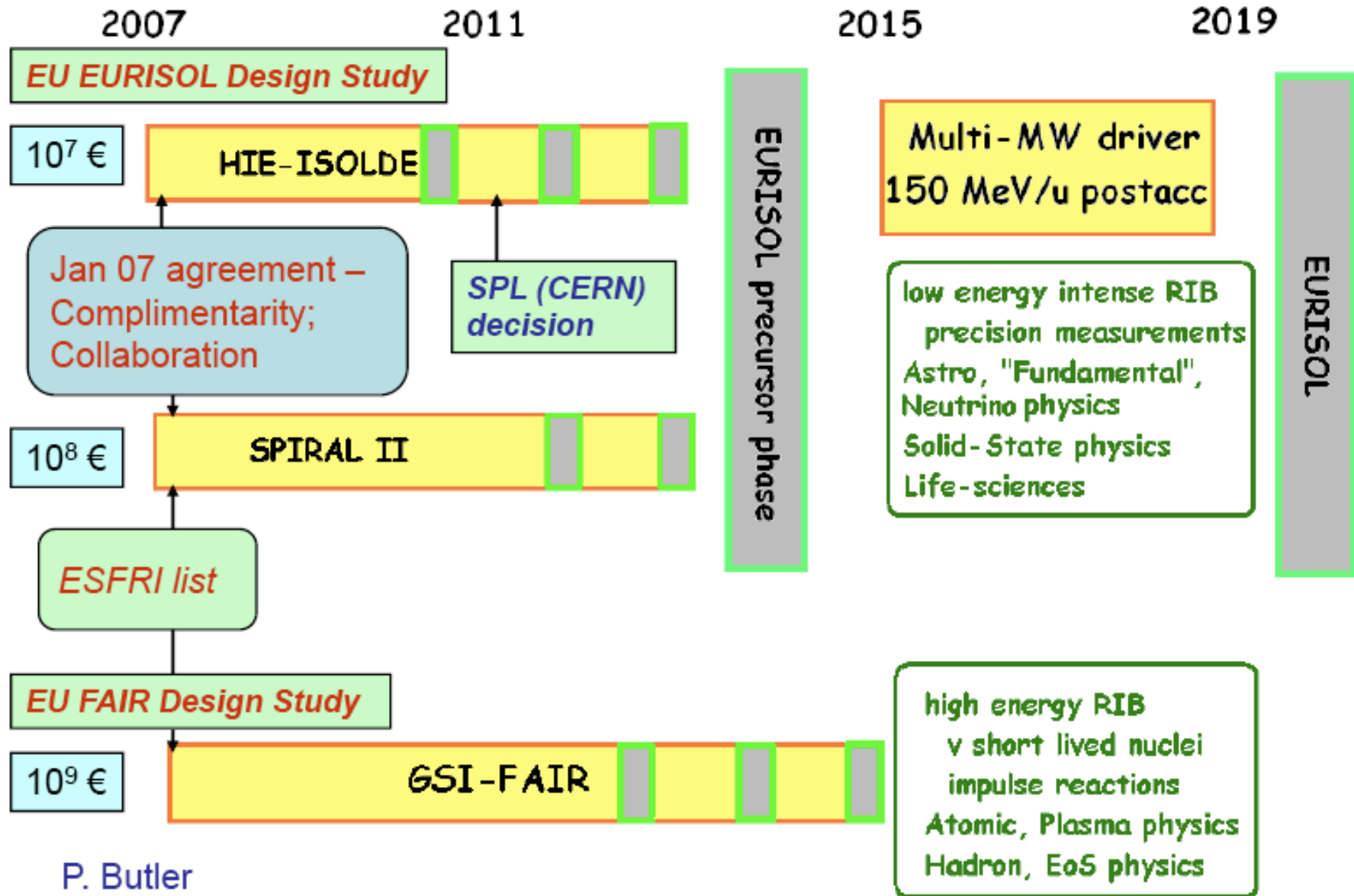
Discussion and Interpretation



HIE-ISOLDE



European Roadmap for RIB facilities



P. Butler

The Facility for Antiprotons and Ion Research



Share-holders



In the process...



Thinking on becoming shareholde



Primary Beams

- $3.5 \cdot 10^{11} \text{ }^{238}\text{U}^{28+}/\text{s}$ (DC)
@ 1.5 GeV/u
- $5 \cdot 10^{11} \text{ }^{238}\text{U}^{28+}$ (pulsed)
@ 1 GeV/u
- factor **100-1000** in intensity over present

Secondary Beams

- Broad range of radioactive beams up to **1.5 GeV/u**
- up to factor **10 000** in intensity over present

The SPIRAL2 Project

GANIL/SPIRAL I today

SP2 Beam time: 44 weeks/y
ISOL RIB Beams: 28-33 weeks/y
SP2 Users: 400-500/year
GANIL+SP 2 Users: 700-800/y

DESIR Facility
low energy RIB

CIME cyclotron RIB at 1-20 AMeV
(up to 9 AMeV for ff)

HRS+RFQ Cooler

S3 separator-
spectrometer

RIB Production Cave
Up to 10^{14} fiss./sec.

LINAC: 33MeV p, 40 MeV d, 14.5 A MeV HI

Neutrons For
Science

A/q=3 HI source
Up to 1mA

A/q=6 Injector option

A/q=2 source
p, d, ^3He , ^4He 5mA

Investment Cost: 136M€

EURISOL

Multi-user capabilities

Up to 150 A.MeV for ^{132}Sn

Low-energy experiments & astrophysics post-accelerators

Beam preparation

Physics experiment hall & data-acquisition rooms

Fragment separator & high-energy experiments

Cooling & Crogenics

3 x 100 kW targets

(REX-ISOLDE, SPIRAL ~ few kW
HIE-ISOLDE ~ 10kW, TRIUMF ~ 50 kW)

1 x 4 MW converter (fission) target

(SPIRAL-2 ~ 200kW, SPES ~ 100 kW)

3 x post-accelerators:

150 A.MeV ^{132}Sn for secondary fragmentation

1-5 A.MeV Coulomb barrier nuclear physics

~ 1 MeV nuclear astrophysics

~ keV ground states, solid-state physics, etc.

Cost: 1.3G€

RF power supply hall

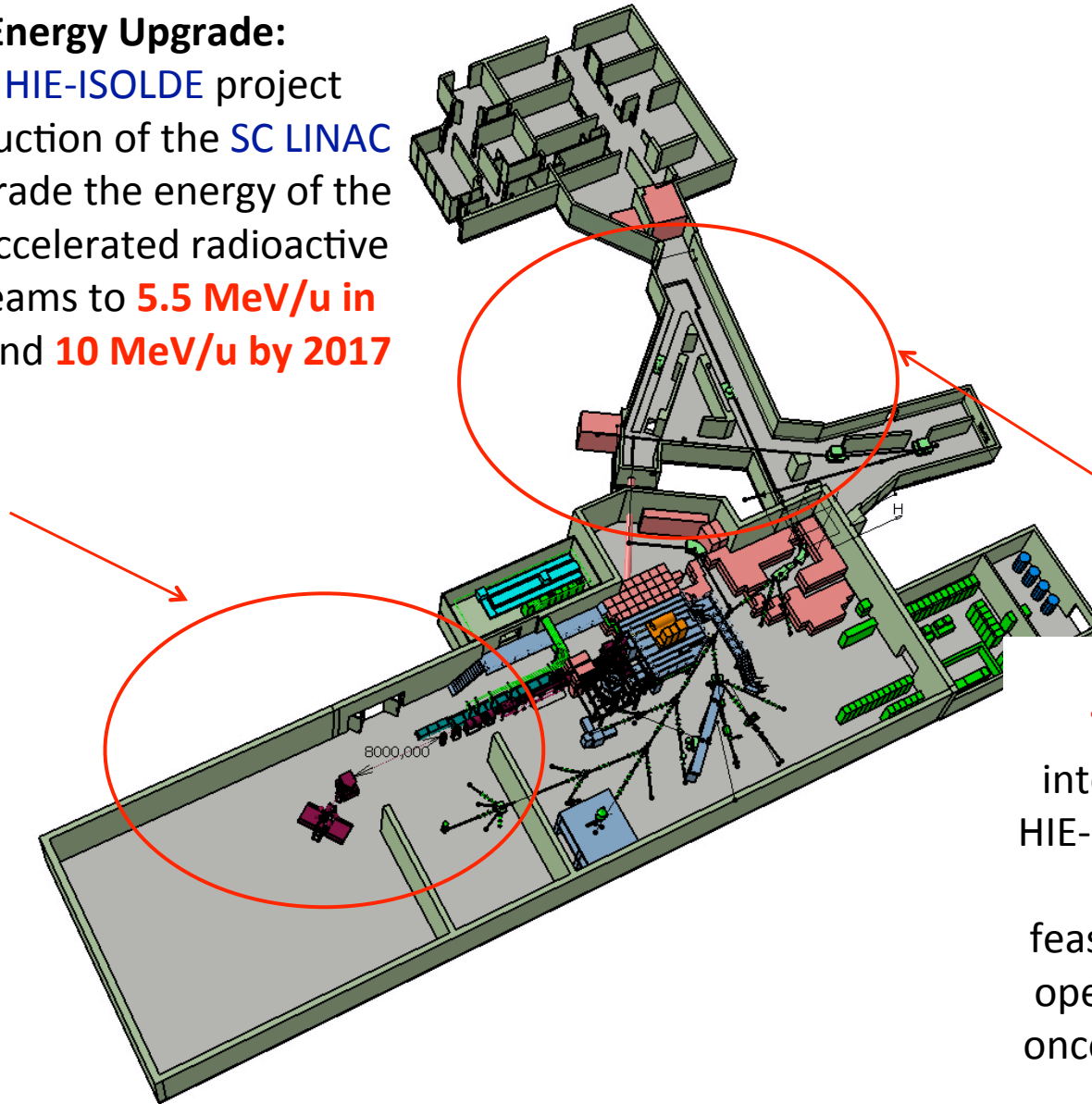
Driver ac (below)

Injector building

LINAC: H, D, He and A/q=2 ions up to 1 A GeV

Energy Upgrade:

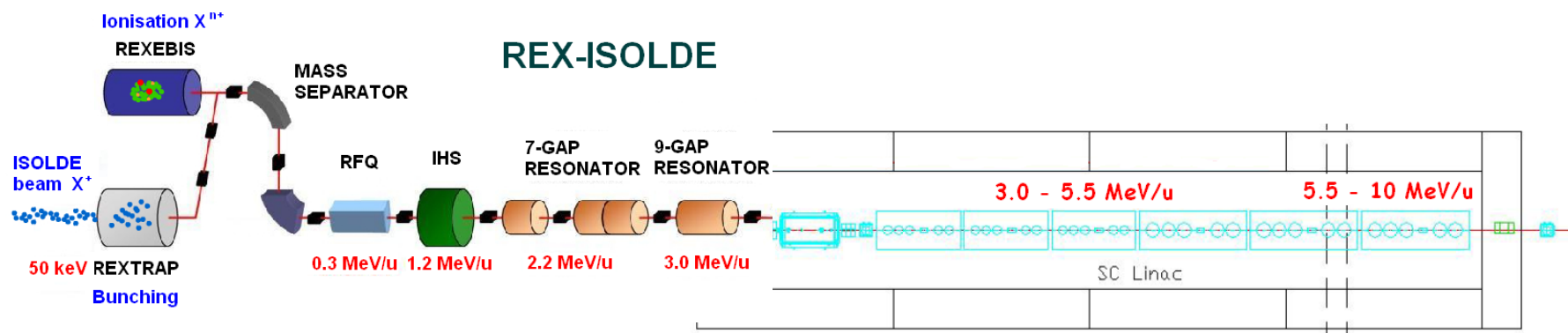
The HIE-ISOLDE project construction of the SC LINAC to upgrade the energy of the post-accelerated radioactive ion beams to **5.5 MeV/u in 2015** and **10 MeV/u by 2017**



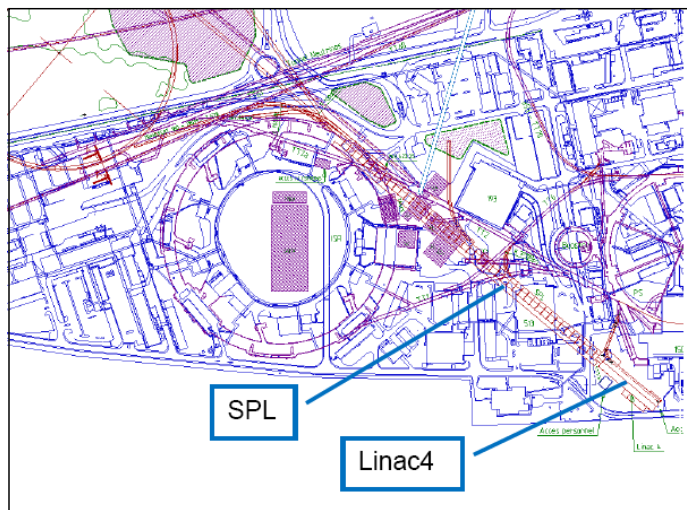
Intensity Upgrade:

The design study for the intensity upgrade, also part of HIE-ISOLDE, started in 2011, and addresses the technical feasibility and cost estimate for operating the facility at **10 kW** once LINAC4 and PS Booster are online.

Increase in REX energy from 3 to 10 MeV/u
 (first step in increase to 5.5 MeV/u) ~2013



Increase proton intensity 2 → 10 kW (LINAC4, PS Booster upgrade) – primary target upgrade ~2014



Replace PS Booster by (Low Power) SPL
 10 → 70 kW ~2016

SPL-ISOLDE → EURISOL

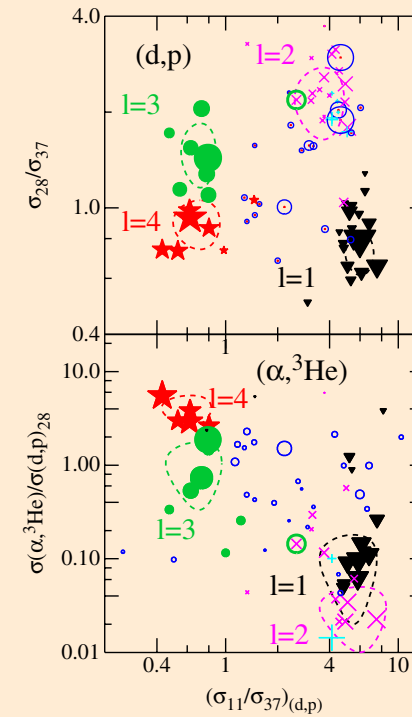
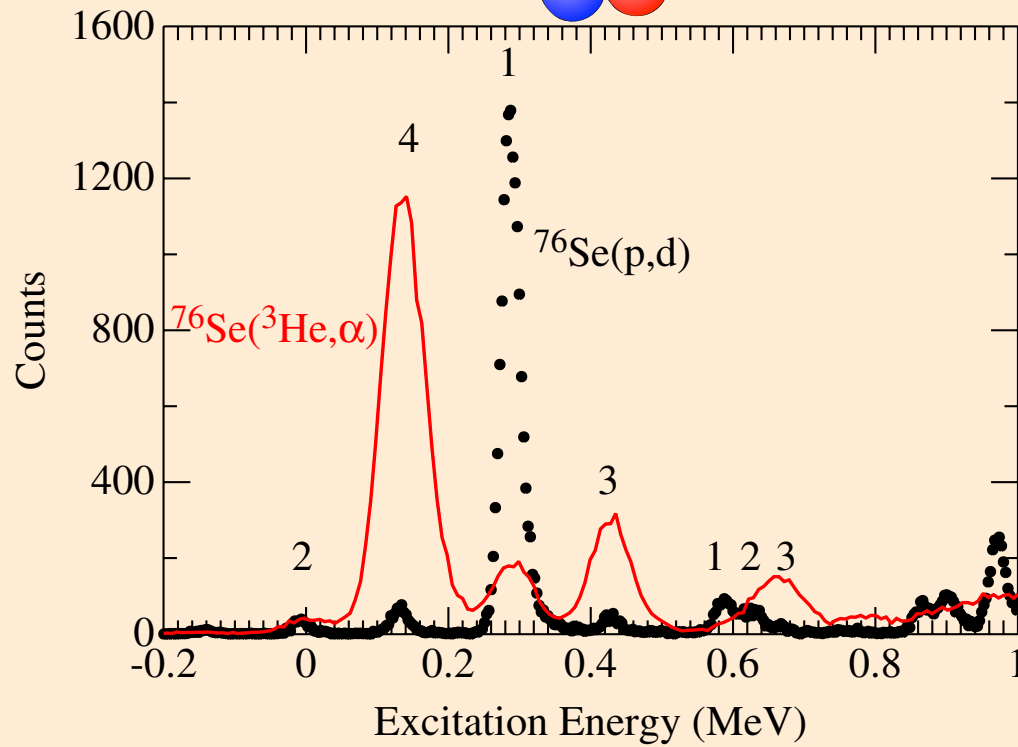
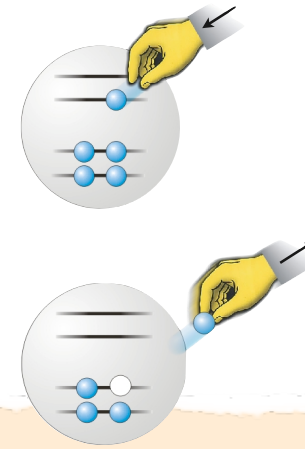
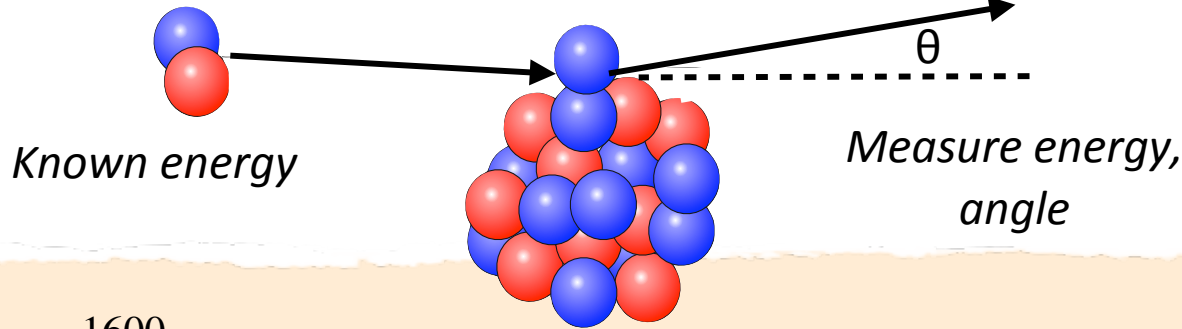
HIE-ISOLDE construction



Future physics

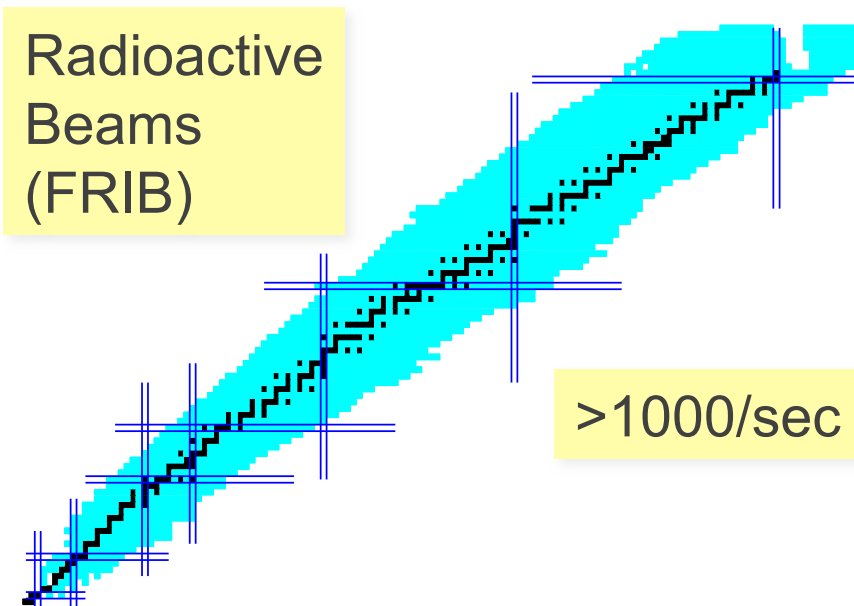
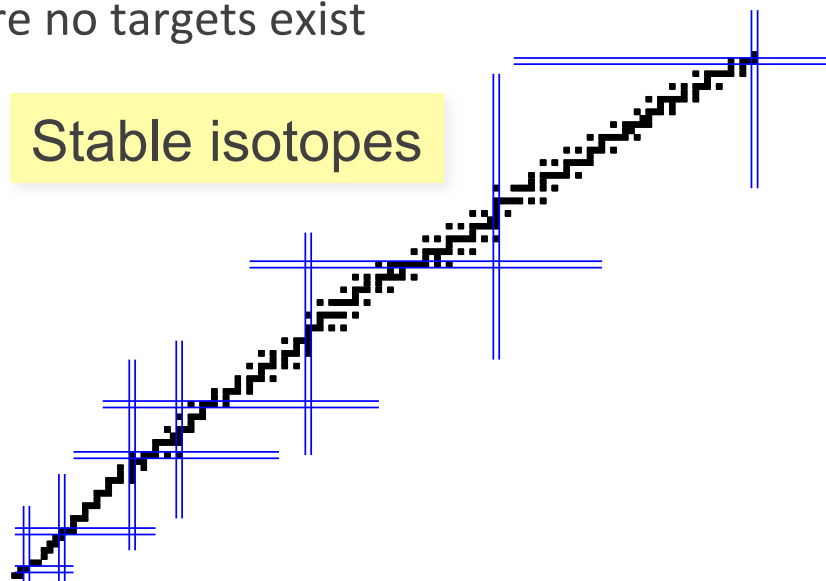
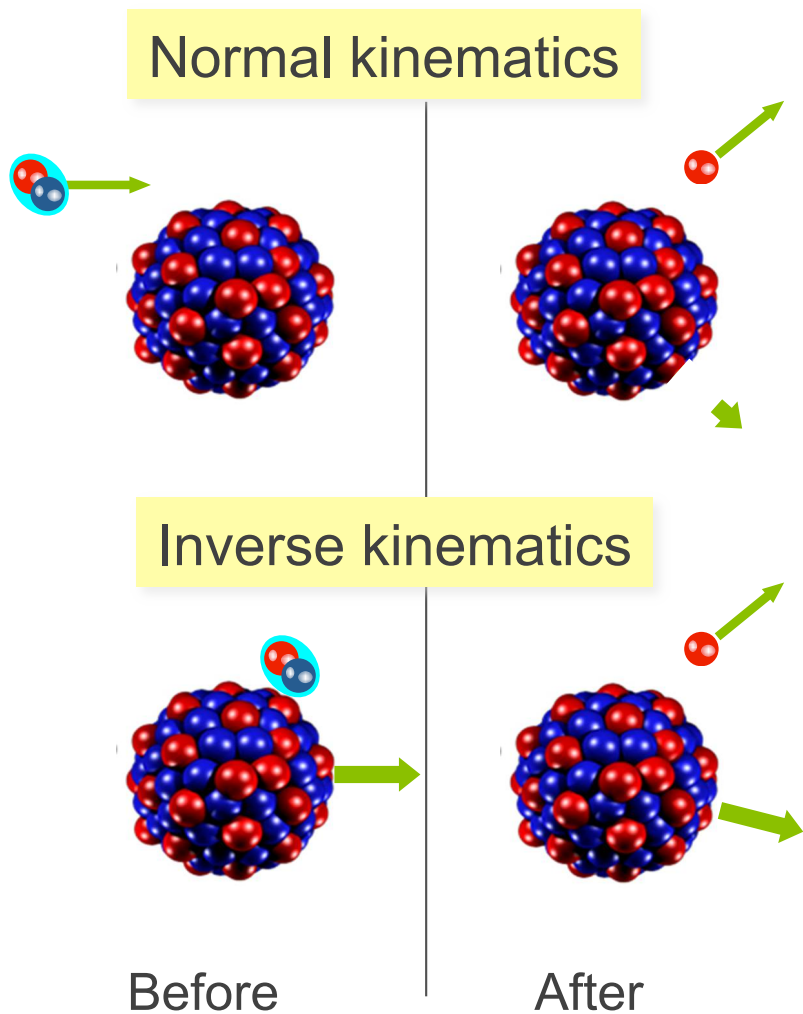
Transfer reactions

Energy ... amount ... angle



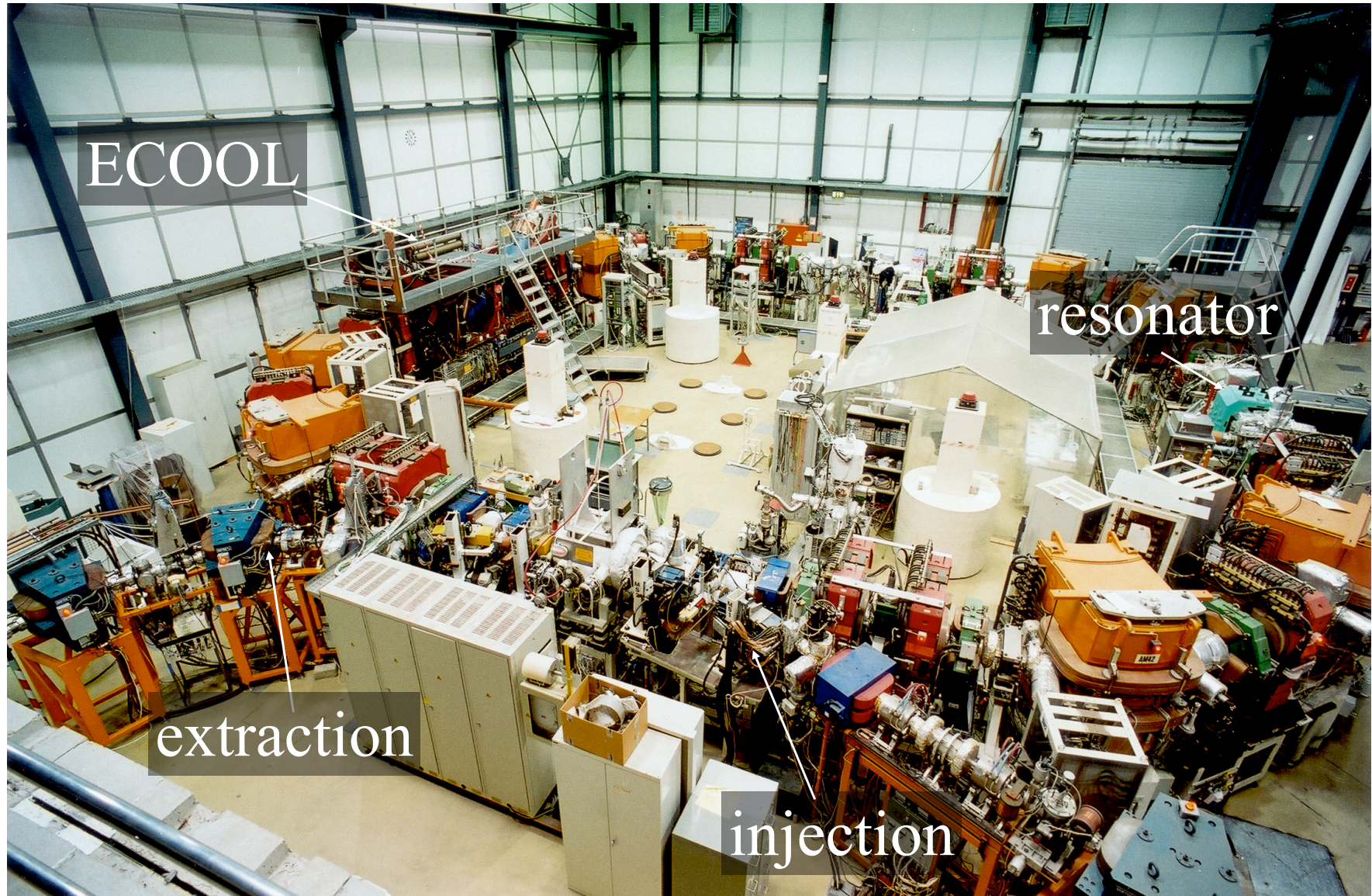
Inverse kinematics - wide applications

- Precision studies of nuclei in regions where no targets exist

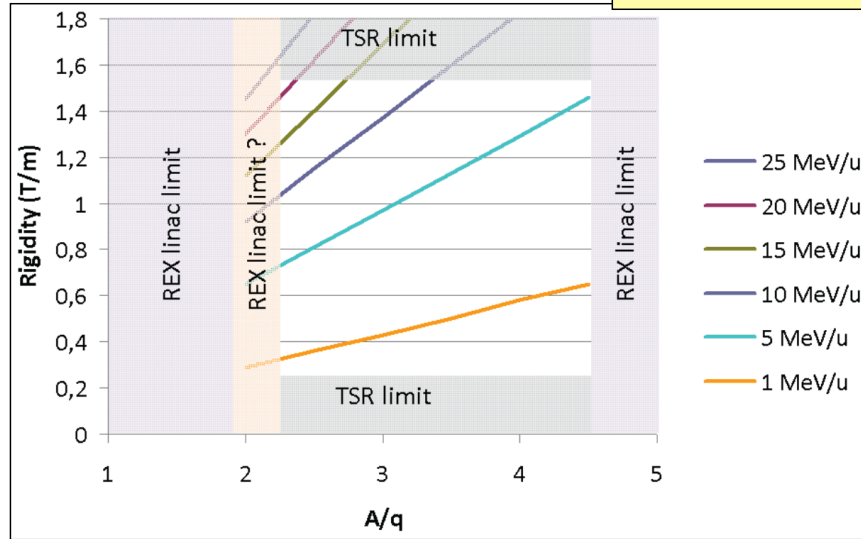


The heavy ion storage ring TSR MPIK Heidelberg

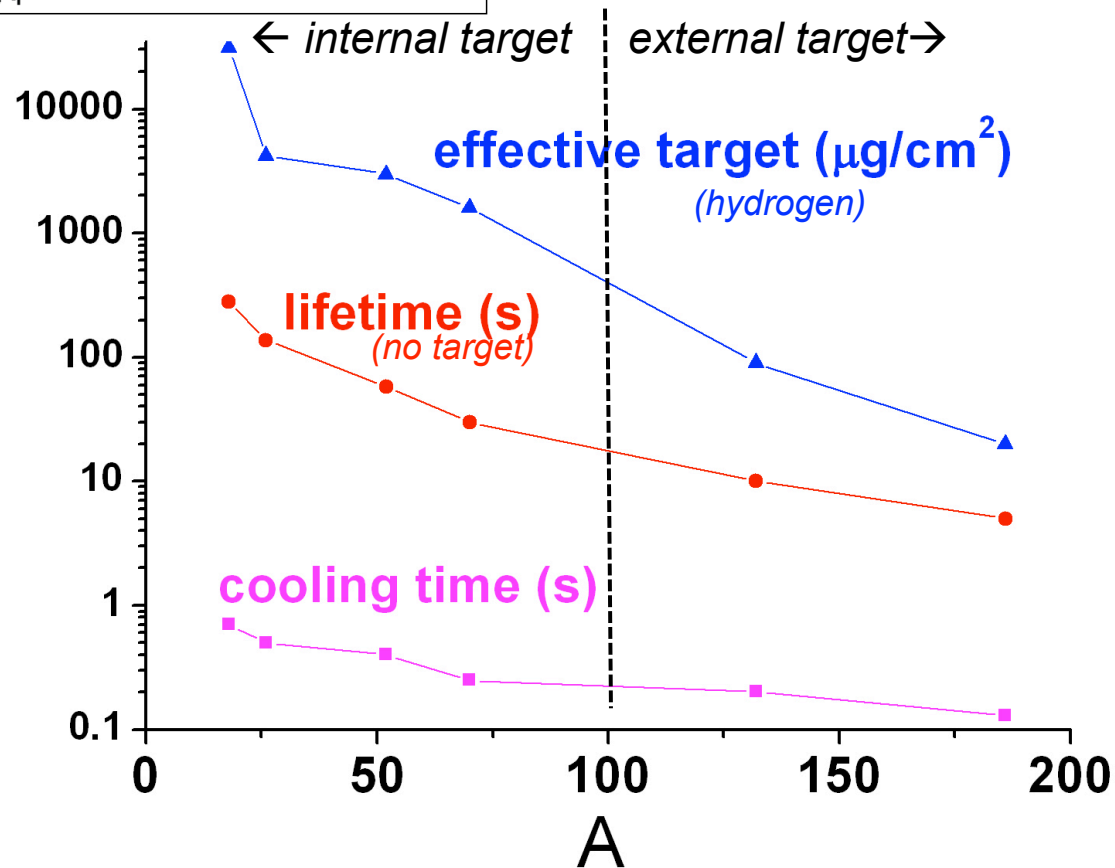
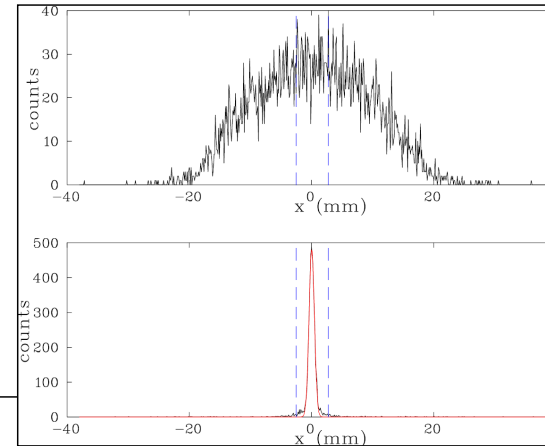
Circumference: 55m



TSR properties

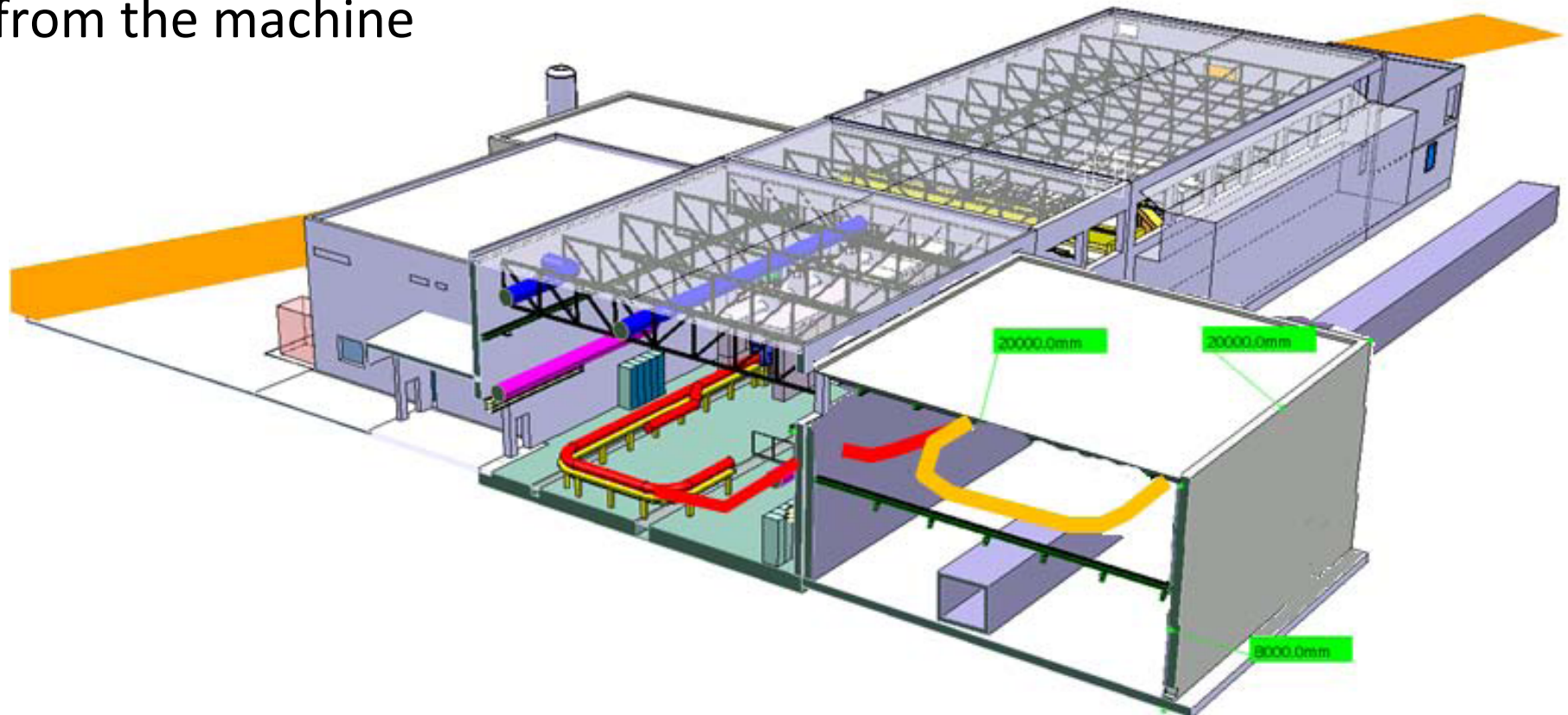


electron cooling



TSR installation

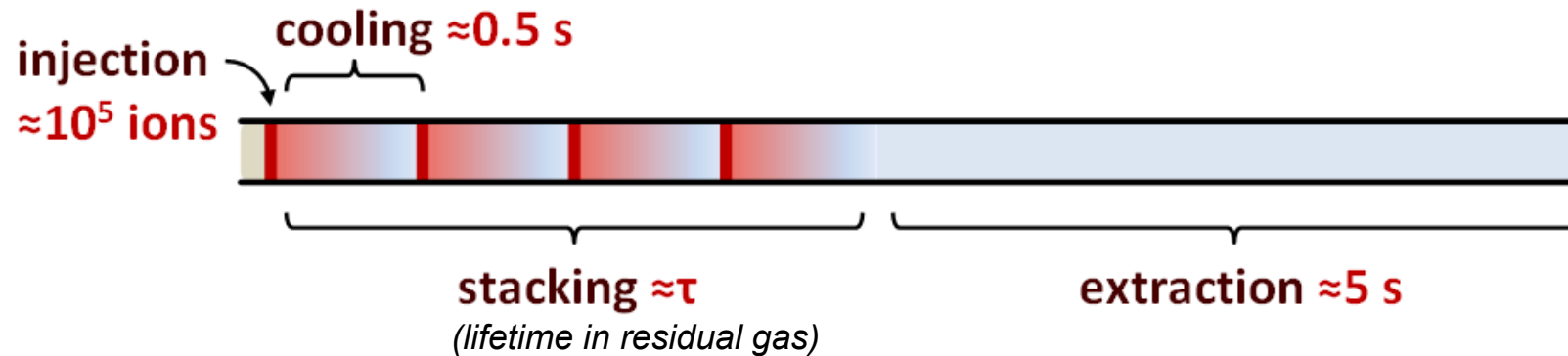
- TSR installation above a cable duct
- Tilted beam line coming up from the machine



TSR applications

M. Grieser et al. Eur. Phys. J. Special Topics 207, 1–117 (2012)

In-Ring - high luminosity achieved thru multiple beam passes (~ 1 MHz), important for reaction experiments, and laser measurements of static properties of exotic nuclei.

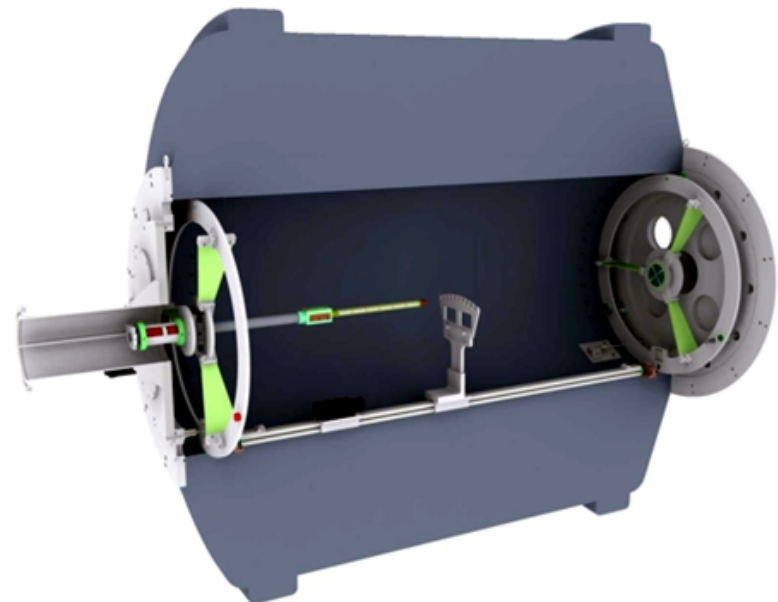


Cooled beams in HELIOS-type spectrometer:

20-30 keV resolution for (d,p)

50-70 keV resolution for (C,C')

direct scatter detection possible



Principle of operation



HELIOS

Measured quantities

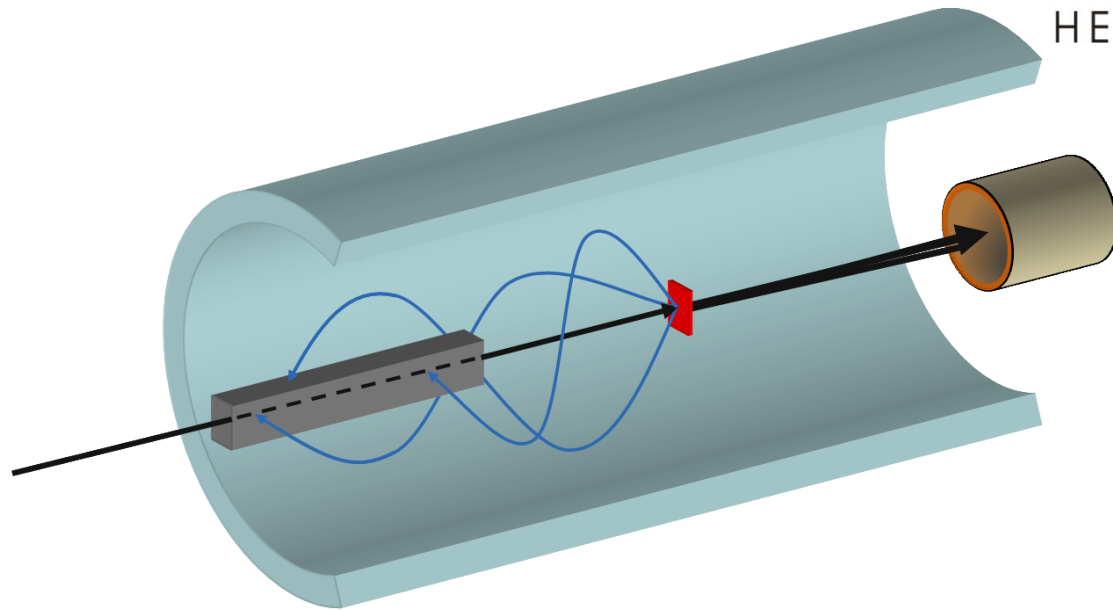
Flight time: $T_{\text{flight}} = T_{\text{cyc}}$
 Position: Z
 Energy: E_{lab}

Derived quantities

Part. ID: m/q
 Energy: E_{cm}
 Angle: θ_{cm}

$B=2T$

Particle	T_{cyc} (ns)
p	34.2
${}^3\text{He}^{2+}$	51.4
d, α	68.5
t	102.7



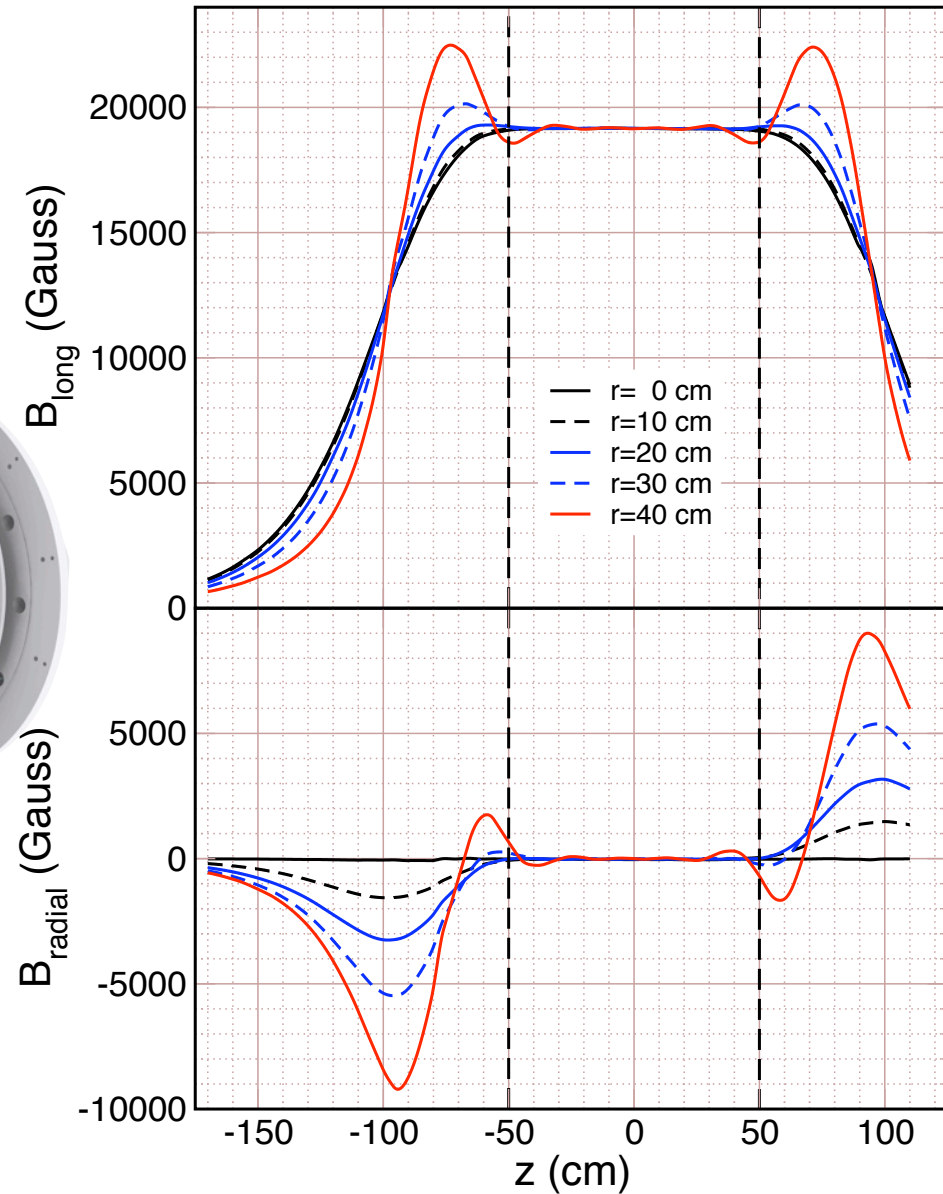
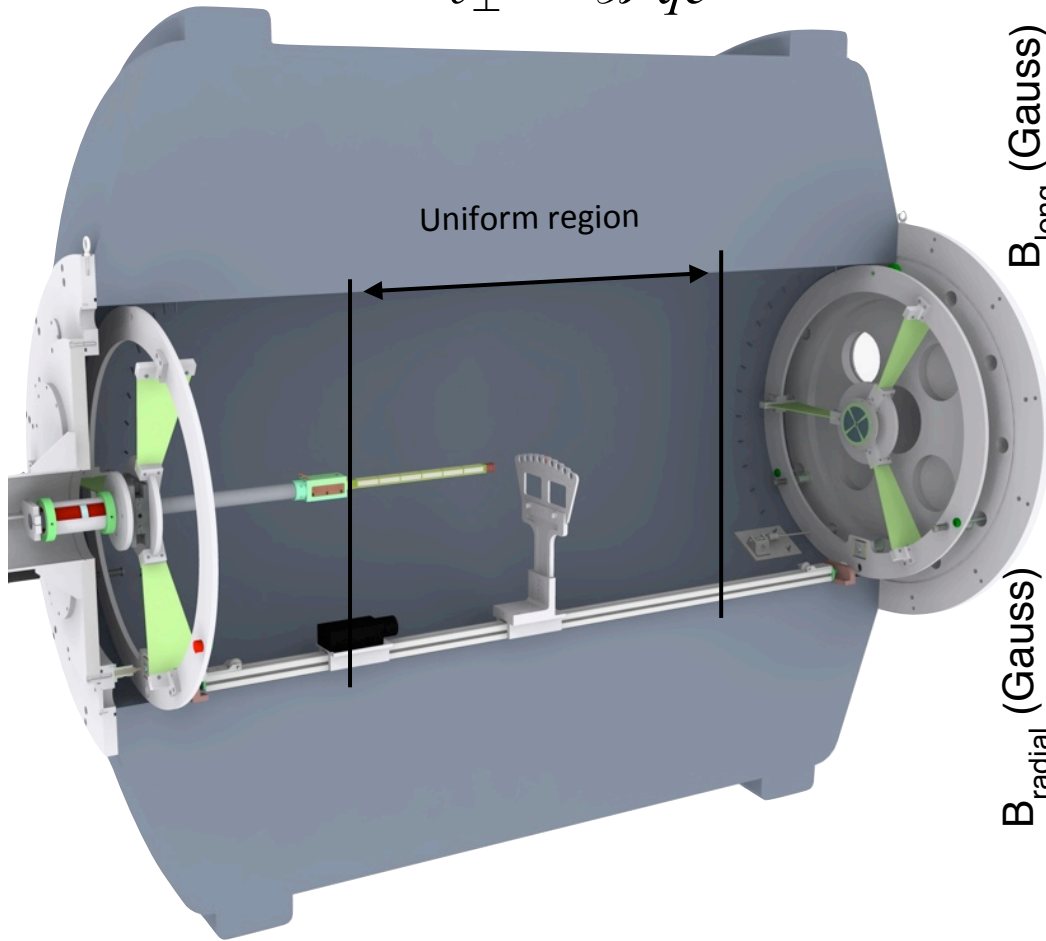
$$\frac{m}{q} = \frac{eB}{2\pi} \times T_{\text{flight}}$$

$$E_{\text{cm}} = E_{\text{lab}} + \frac{1}{2} m V_{\text{cm}}^2 - \frac{V_{\text{cm}} q e B}{2\pi} Z$$

$$\theta_{\text{cm}} = \arccos \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{q e B Z - 2\pi m V_{\text{cm}}}{\sqrt{2m E_{\text{lab}} + m^2 V_{\text{cm}}^2 - m V_{\text{cm}} q e B Z / \pi}} \right)$$

The field – uniformity is key

$$T_{\text{cyc}} = \frac{2\pi r}{v_{\perp}} = \frac{2\pi m}{\mathcal{B} q e}$$



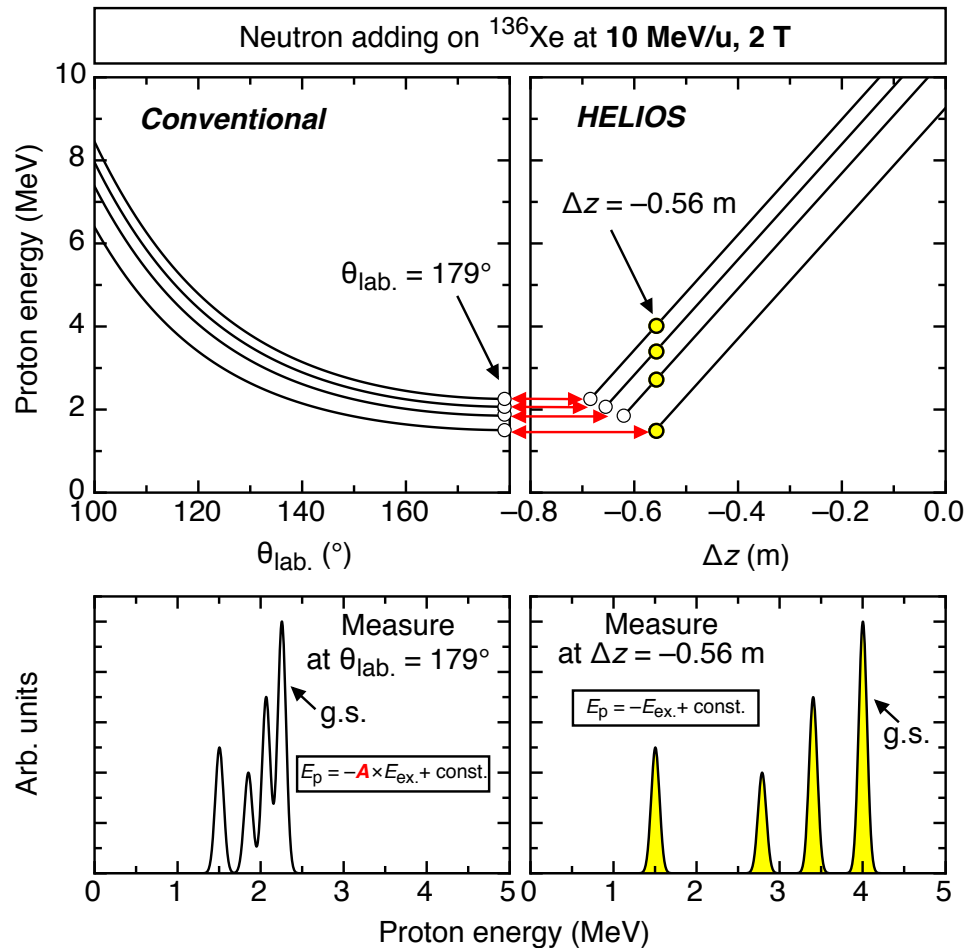
$$E_{\text{cm}} = E_{\text{lab}} + \frac{m}{2} V_{\text{cm}}^2 - \frac{m V_{\text{cm}} z}{T_{\text{cyc}}}$$

Medical imaging (MRI): 1-5 parts in 10^7 ($< \mu\text{T}$)

Nuclear physics: 1 part in 10^3 (mT)

The HELIOS approach, backward hemisphere

Negative-Q-value reaction, target at $\Delta z = 0$ m

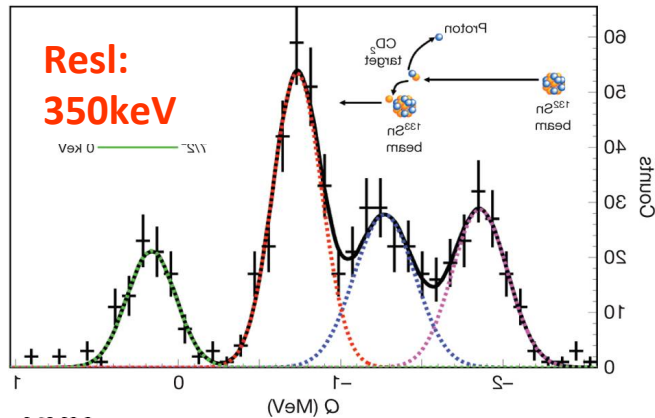


- There is **no kinematic compression for a fixed distance Δz** . The excitation energy in the lab. and c.m. are related by only an additive constant
- The **kinematic shift in Δz is linear** and modest [<15 keV/mm for (d,p) at 2 T, Δz resolution in HELIOS <1 mm]
- PID through cyclotron period, energy independent, readily identify ions with energies as low as ~ 200 keV

$$E_{\text{cm}} = E_{\text{lab}} + \frac{m}{2} V_{\text{cm}}^2 - \frac{m V_{\text{cm}} z}{T_{\text{cyc}}}$$

HELIOS vs. Si-detector arrays

Tiara, T-REX, Sharc, ORRUBA



K. L. Jones *et al.*,
Nature **465** 454–457 (2010).

