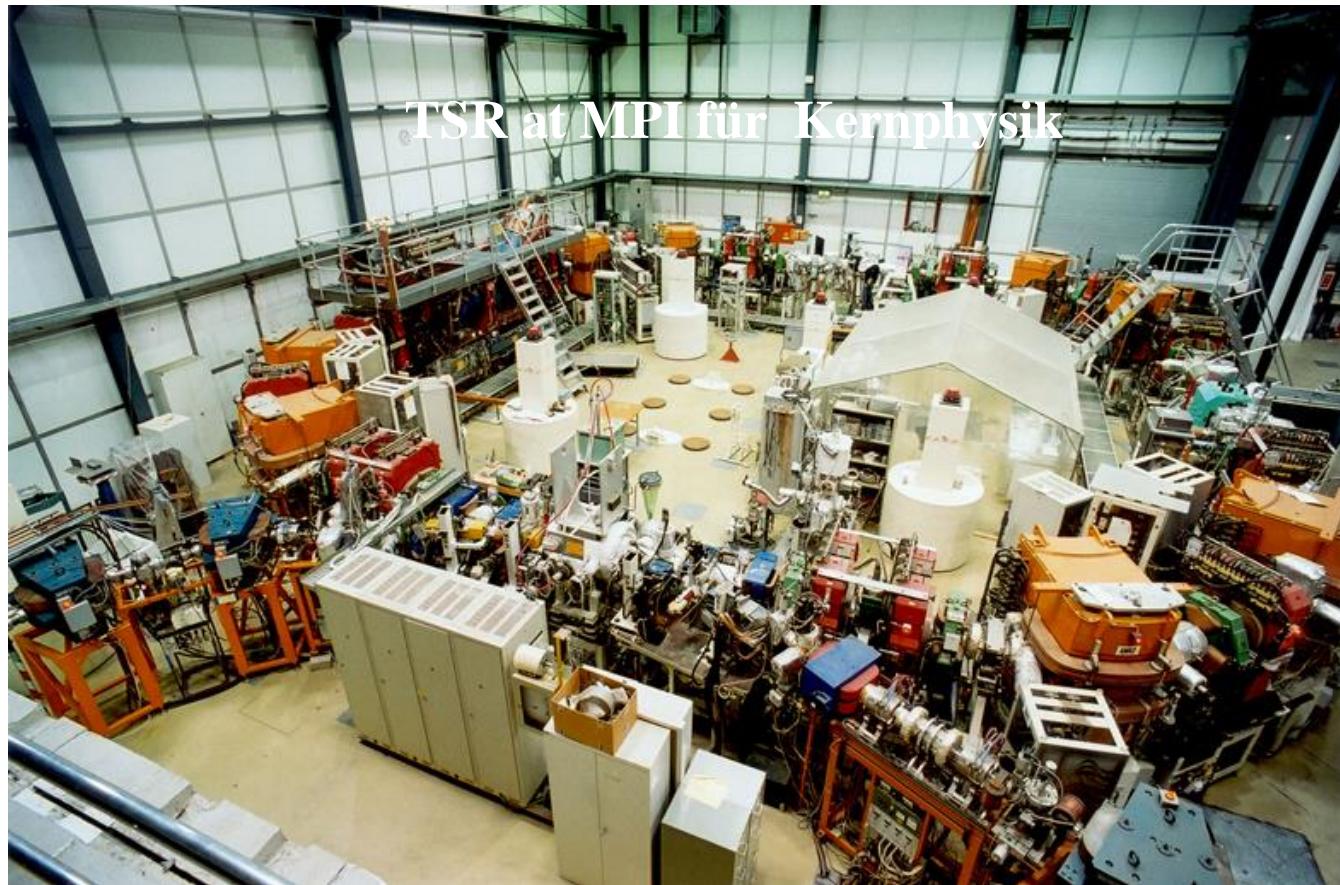


Considerations for the implementation of experiments

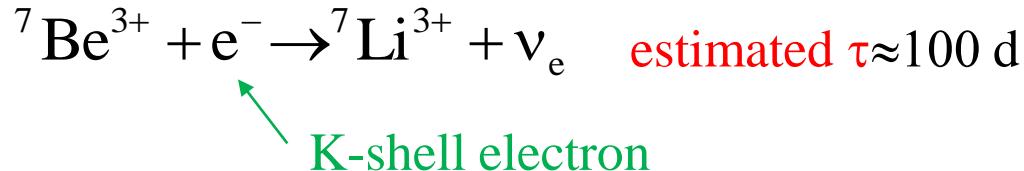
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TSR@ISOLDE workshop, CERN, 14th February 2014

Half life of ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$



Number of stored ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ and ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ions as a function of time

$$\frac{dN_{\text{Be}}}{dt} = -\frac{N_{\text{Be}}}{\tau} - \frac{N_{\text{Be}}}{\tau_{\text{Be}}}$$

N_{Be} - number of Be ions

τ - nuclear lifetime

$$\frac{dN_{\text{Li}}}{dt} = \frac{N_{\text{Be}}}{\tau} - \frac{N_{\text{Li}}}{\tau_{\text{Li}}}$$

τ_{Be} - Be lifetime in residual gas/cooler

N_{Li} - number of Li ions

τ_{Li} - Li lifetime in residual gas/cooler

\Rightarrow number of stored ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ions as a function of time

$$N_{\text{Li}}(t) = \frac{N_0}{\tau} \frac{\tau_{\text{Be}} \tau_{\text{Li}}}{\tau_{\text{Li}} - \tau_{\text{Be}}} \left(e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{Li}}}} - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_{\text{Be}}}} \right)$$

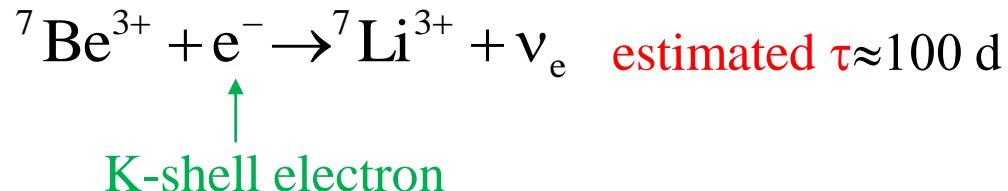
N_0 - initial number of ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ ions

nuclear life time

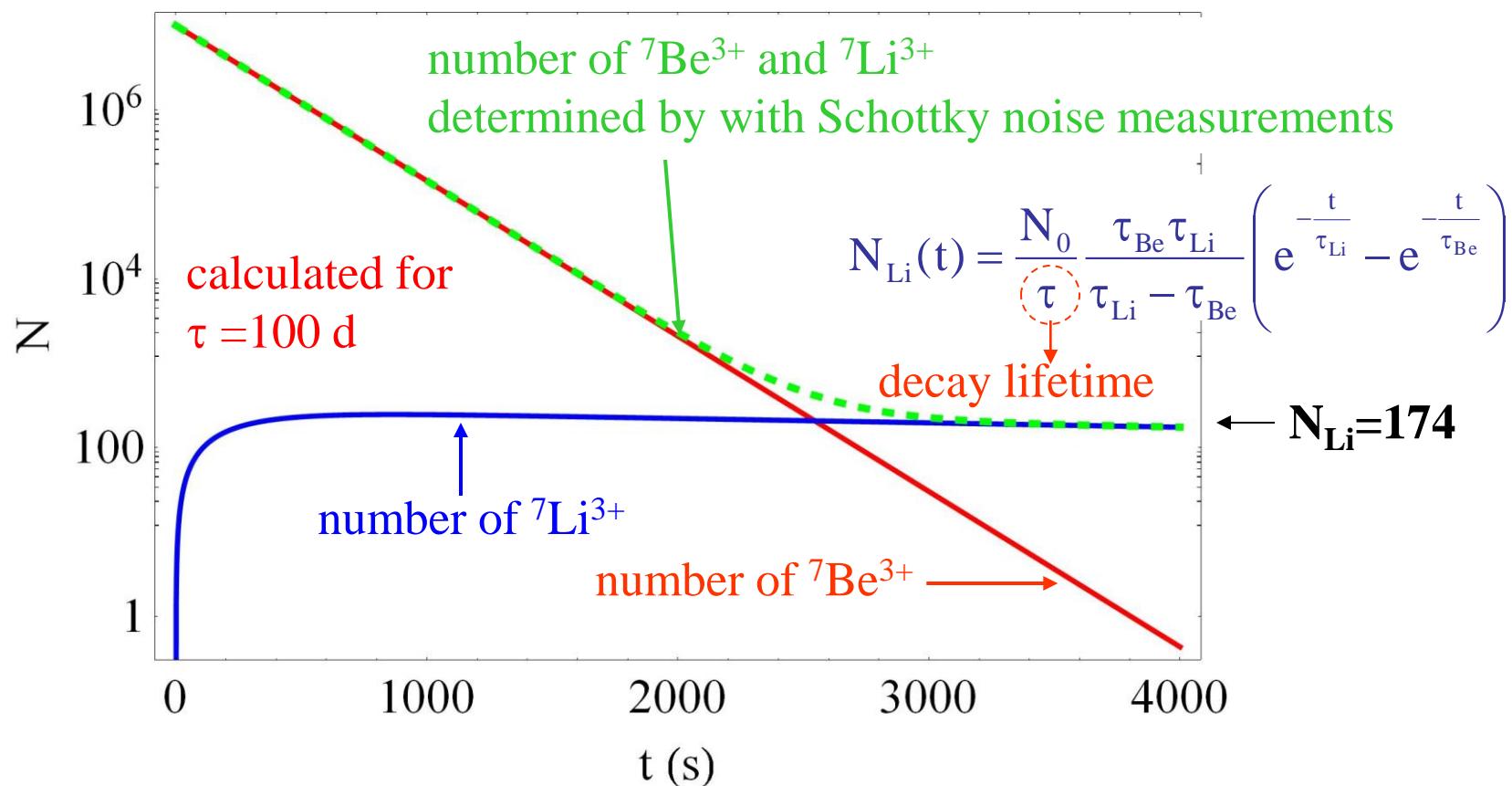
remark: ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ not distinguishable from ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$

measurement of: $N_{\text{Li}}(t) + N_{\text{Be}}(t)$, N_0 , τ_{Li} , τ_{Be} $\Rightarrow \tau$

Half life of ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$

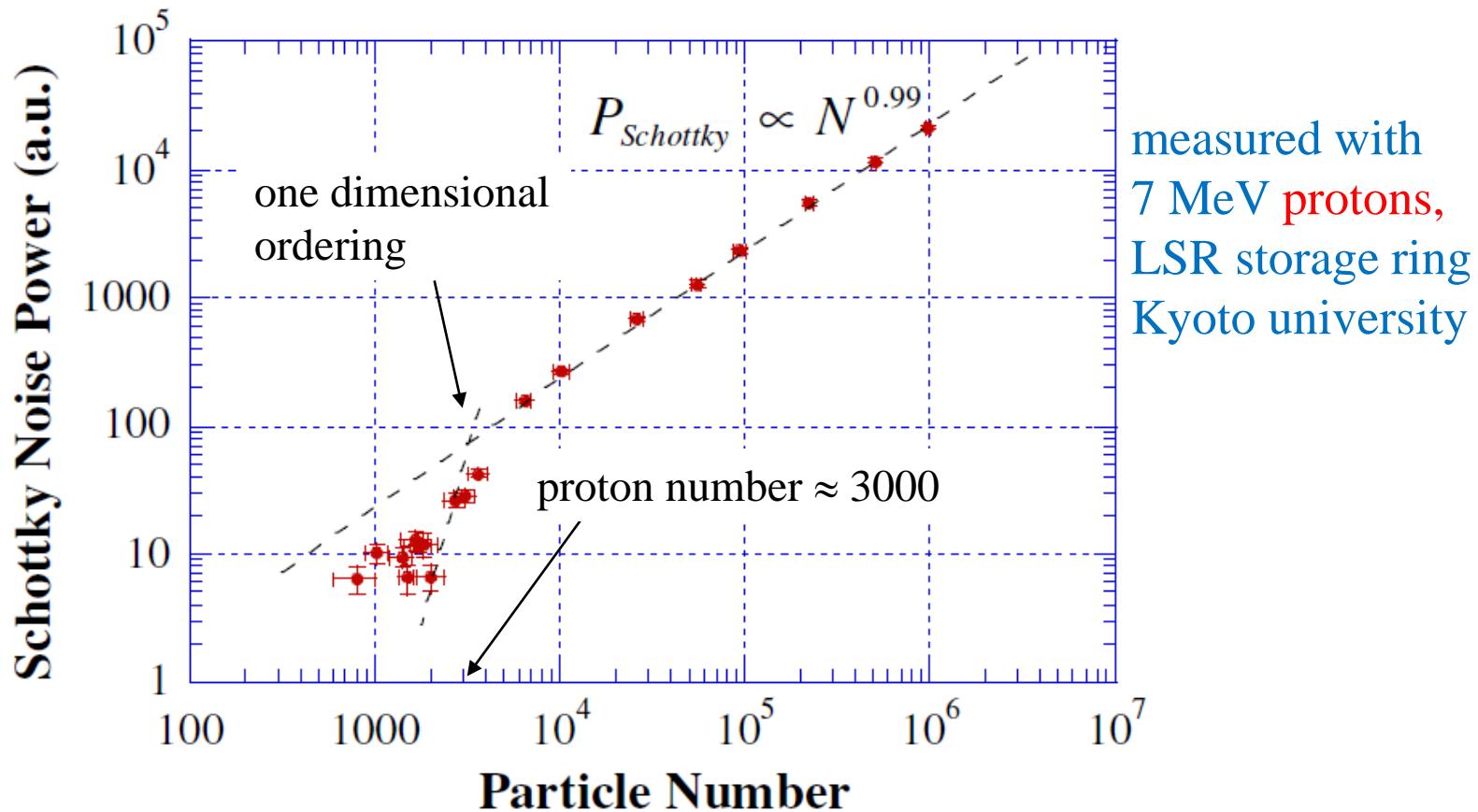


example: $N_0 = 10^7 \text{ } {}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ $E = 56 \text{ MeV} \Rightarrow \tau_{\text{Be}} = 240 \text{ s}, \tau_{\text{Li}} = 8400 \text{ s}$ (for $p = 5 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ mbar}$)



not possible to distinguish between ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ and ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ ions !

Schottky noise power and particle number



Schottky noise as a function of proton number, measured at the LSR storage ring (Kyoto University) , T. Shirai et al. PRL 98, 204801 (2007)

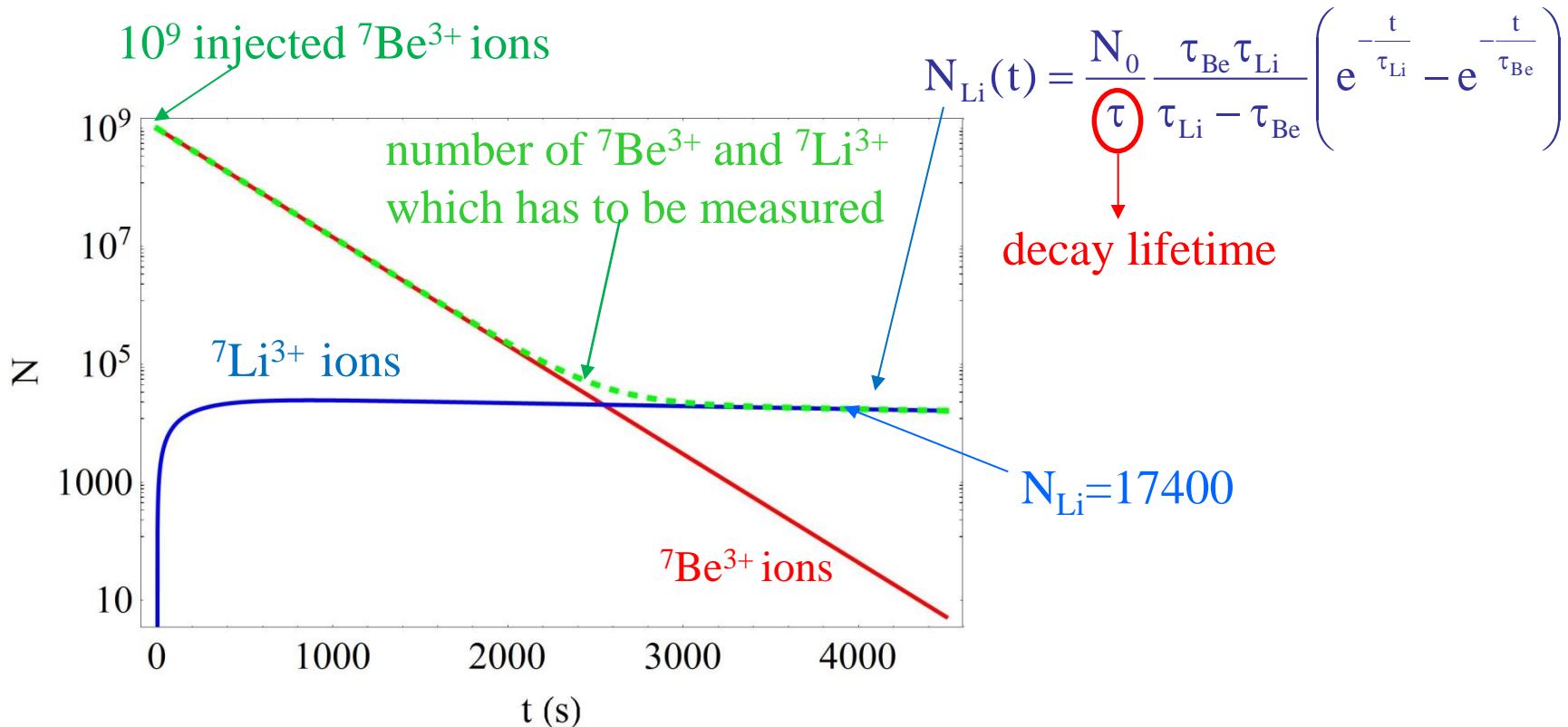
phase transition observed in many storage rings at ion numbers: $1000-3000$

To determine particle number from Schottky noise: number of particles $N > 3000$

Lifetime determination of ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$

Accumulate 10^9 ions:

10^8 ions injected with multi turn injection and 10 ECOOL stacking cycles
filling time ≈ 30 s



remark: $10^9 {}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ ions are much below the **space-charge limit**: $N=5.8 \cdot 10^9$
this means the life-times τ_{Be} and τ_{Li} should not be effected by the beam intensity!

Space charge limit due to incoherent tune

maximum possible stored ion number:

$$N = \frac{A}{q^2} \frac{2\pi}{r_p} \cdot B \cdot \beta^2 \cdot \gamma^3 \cdot \varepsilon \cdot (-\Delta Q)$$

$-\Delta Q$ - possible incoherent tune shift TSR: $-\Delta Q \approx 0.065-0.1$ for $B=1$

with $I = q \cdot e_0 \cdot N \cdot f_0$ and $\varepsilon \propto \left(\frac{q^4}{A^2} \frac{N}{\lambda_{\text{cool}}} \frac{1}{\beta^3} \right)^{0.44}$ $\lambda_{\text{cool}} \propto n_e \frac{q^2}{A}$ $n_e \propto \beta^2$ ($\alpha_{\text{ex}} = \text{const}$)

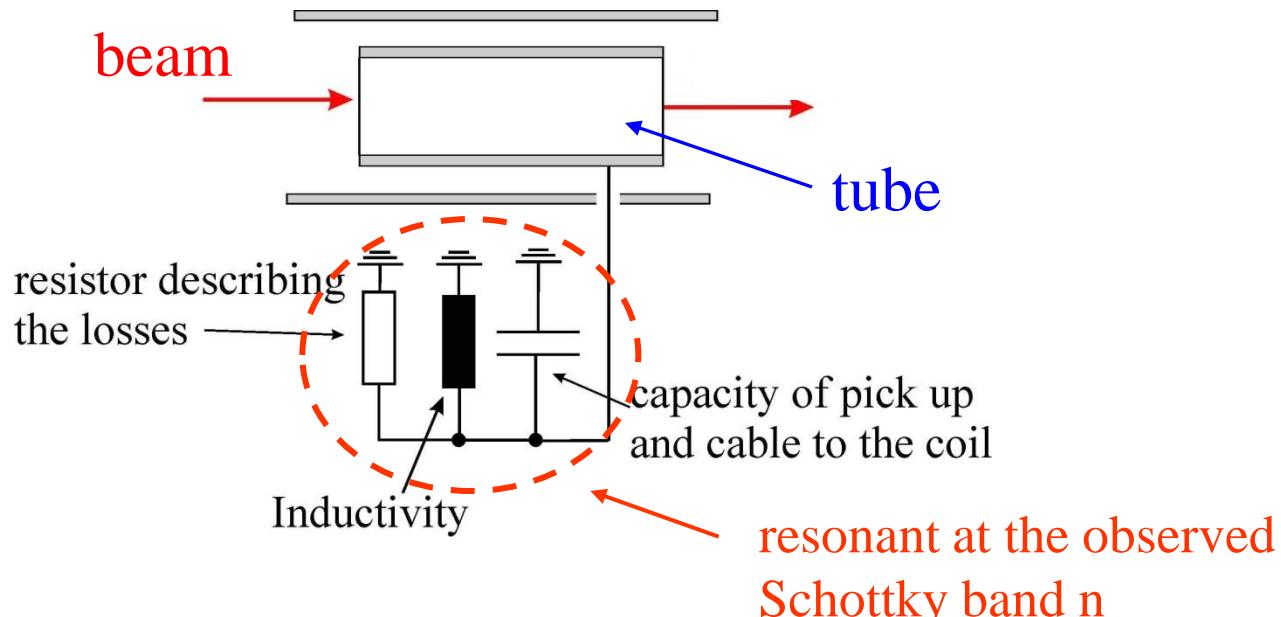
intensity limit: $I = \text{const} \frac{(A^{19} \cdot E^9)^{1/28}}{q}$ const is calculated from the $^{12}\text{C}^{6+}$ data:

Ion m	E [MeV]	Intensity [μA]	calculation I[μA]
p	21	1000	740
$^{16}\text{O}^{8+}$	98	750	1000
$^{12}\text{C}^{6+}$	73	1000	1000
$^{32}\text{S}^{16+}$	195	1500	999
$^{35}\text{Cl}^{17+}$	293	1000	1130

stability limit incoherent tune shift $I \approx 1 \text{ mA}$

space charge limit $^{7}\text{Be}^{3+}$ ($E=56 \text{ MeV}$): $I=1.3 \text{ mA} \Leftrightarrow N=5.8 \cdot 10^9$

TSR@ISOLDE Schottky pick-up



Schottky voltage power spectrum

$$\bar{P}_0(n) = \hat{U}^2(n) \frac{N}{2} = \left(Q_w \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \frac{1}{n} \frac{Q}{C} \sqrt{1 - \cos(n 2\pi \frac{L}{C_0})} \right)^2 \frac{N}{2}$$

power spectrum
of a single ion

n- harmonic number of revolution frequency
Q-ion charge
 Q_w - Q value of LC circuit
N- number of ions

Detection Limit Schottky pick-up at TSR@ISOLDE

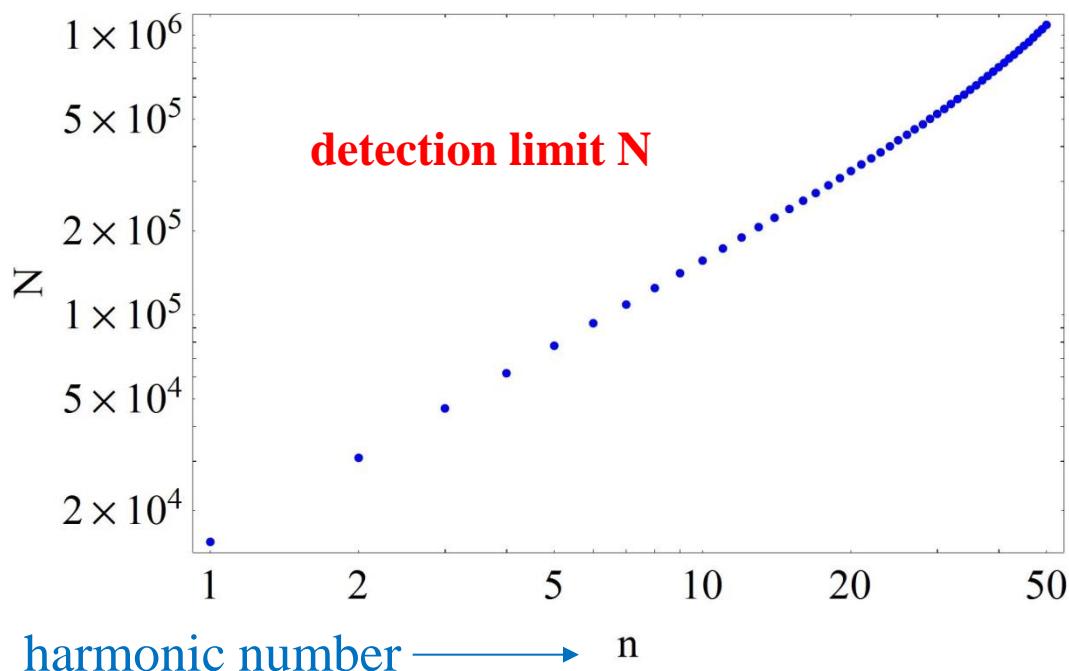
Schottky Spectrum is visible if: $\bar{P}_0(n) > U_{r,\text{amplifier}}^2 \cdot \Delta f_{\text{Schottky}}$

frequency spread
of Schottky signal:
 $\Delta f_{\text{Schottky}} = \eta \Delta p / p n f_0$

Schottky power

$$\bar{P}_0(n) = \hat{U}^2(n) \frac{N}{2} = \left(Q_w \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \frac{1}{n} \frac{Q}{C} \sqrt{1 - \cos(n 2\pi \frac{L}{C_0})} \right)^2 \frac{N}{2}$$

For $Q_w=1$ (non resonant measurement) it follows:



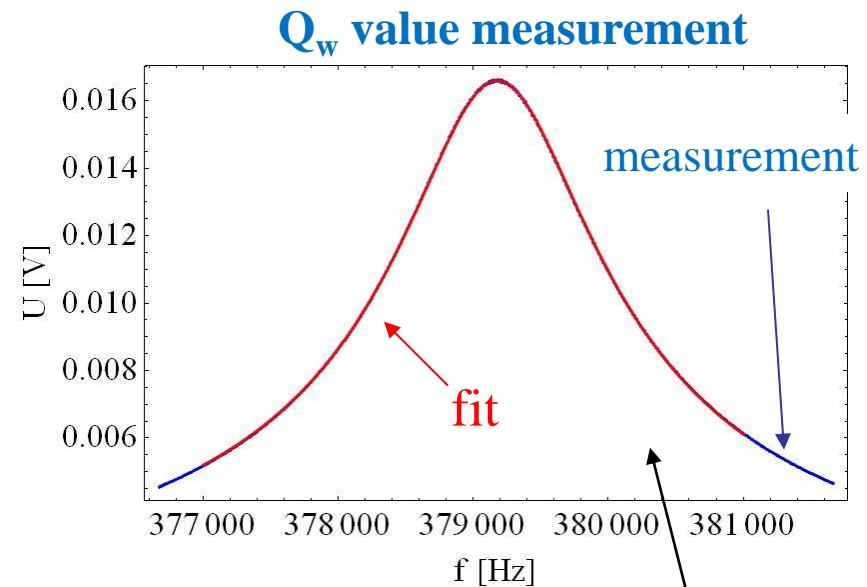
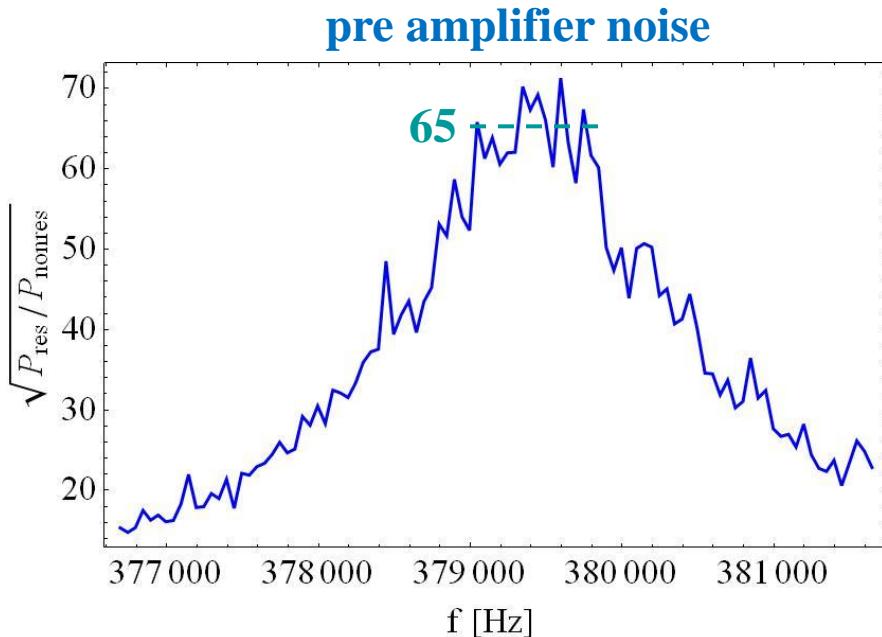
Input
ion ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ E=56 MeV
 $Q_w=1$ non resonant measurements
pick-up length: L=0.35 m
 $C=300$ pF
 $\eta=0.9$ (standard mode)
revolution frequency: $f_0=0.7 \cdot 10^6$ Hz
amplifier noise: $0.5 \text{nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$
full momentum spread width:
 $\Delta p/p = 2 \cdot 10^{-5}$

Improvement of noise signal ratio at resonant measurement

P_{res} - noise of preamplifier (resonant measurement)

$P_{\text{nonresonant}}$ - noise of pre amplifier (non resonant measurement)

pre amplifier: ULNA



$$\Rightarrow \text{improvement of SNR} = \frac{Q}{\sqrt{P_{\text{res}} / P_{\text{nonres}}}} = \frac{263}{65} = 4$$

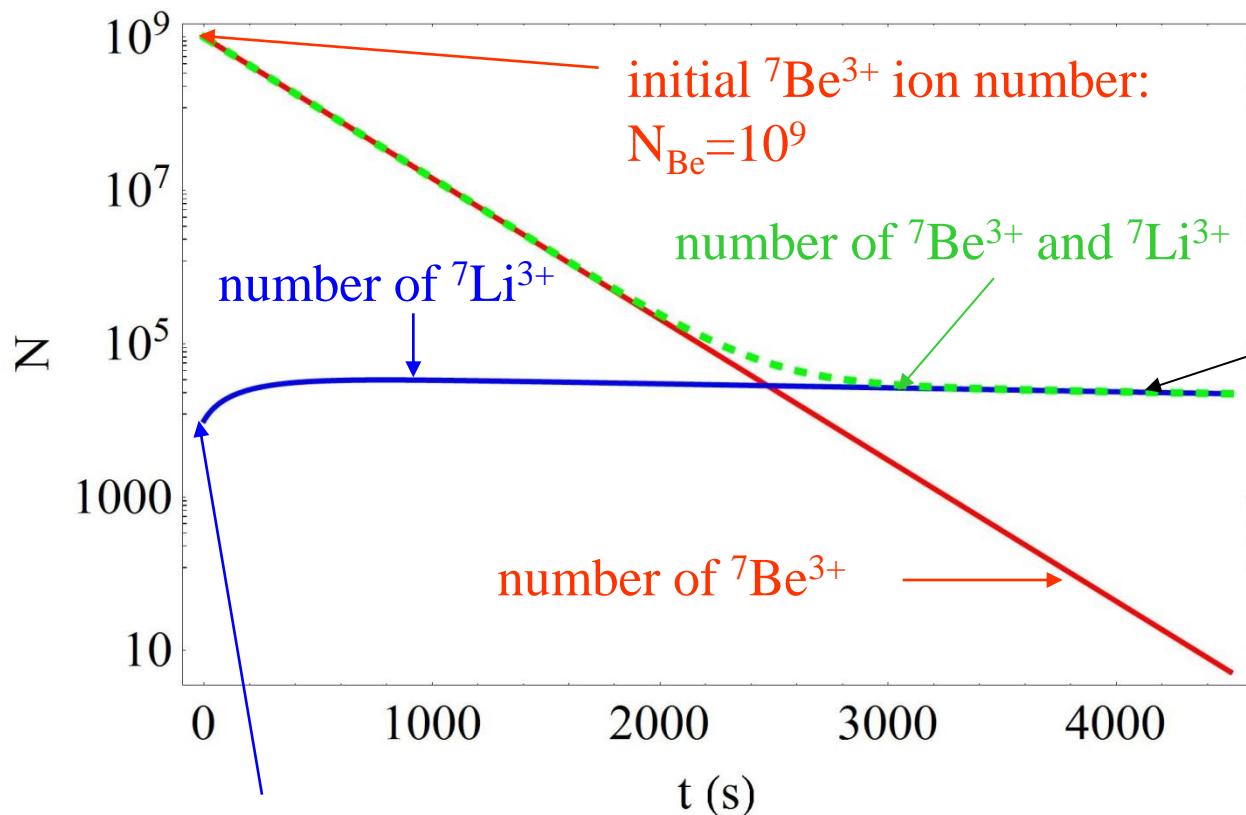
$$\text{detection limit } N \sim \frac{1}{\text{SNR}^2} = \frac{1}{16} \Rightarrow \text{detection limit for } {}^7\text{Li}^{3+} \approx 1000 \text{ ions (n=1)}$$

remark: to measure ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ion number of $\approx 20000 >>$ detection limit of ≈ 1000

Contamination of the ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ beam with ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ions



example: $N_0 = 10^9 \text{ } {}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ $E = 56 \text{ MeV} \Rightarrow \tau_{\text{Be}} = 240 \text{ s}$, $\tau_{\text{Li}} = 8400 \text{ s}$ (for $p = 5 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ mbar}$)
contamination of the ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ beam: $10^4 \text{ } {}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ions



$$\frac{N_{\text{Li}}(t=0 \text{ s})}{N_{\text{Be}}(t=0 \text{ s})} = 10^{-5}$$

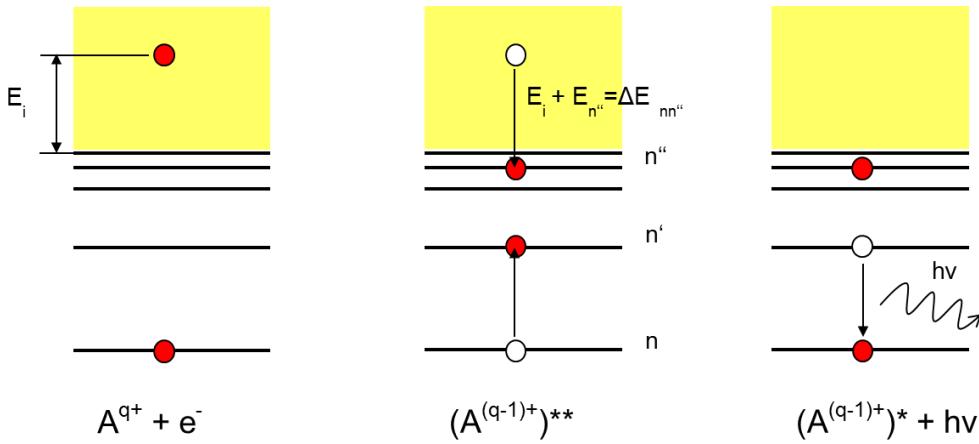
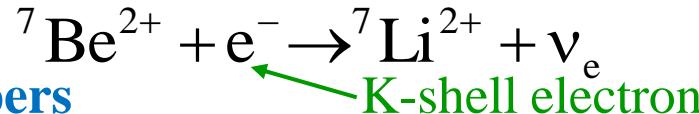
$N_{\text{Li}} = 23600$
without contamination:
 $N_{\text{Li}} = 17400$
 \Rightarrow error in the lifetime τ determination $\approx 35 \%$

initial ${}^7\text{Li}^{3+}$ ion number: $N_{\text{Li}} = 10^4$

initial ${}^7\text{Be}^{3+}$ ion number: $N_{\text{Be}} = 10^9$

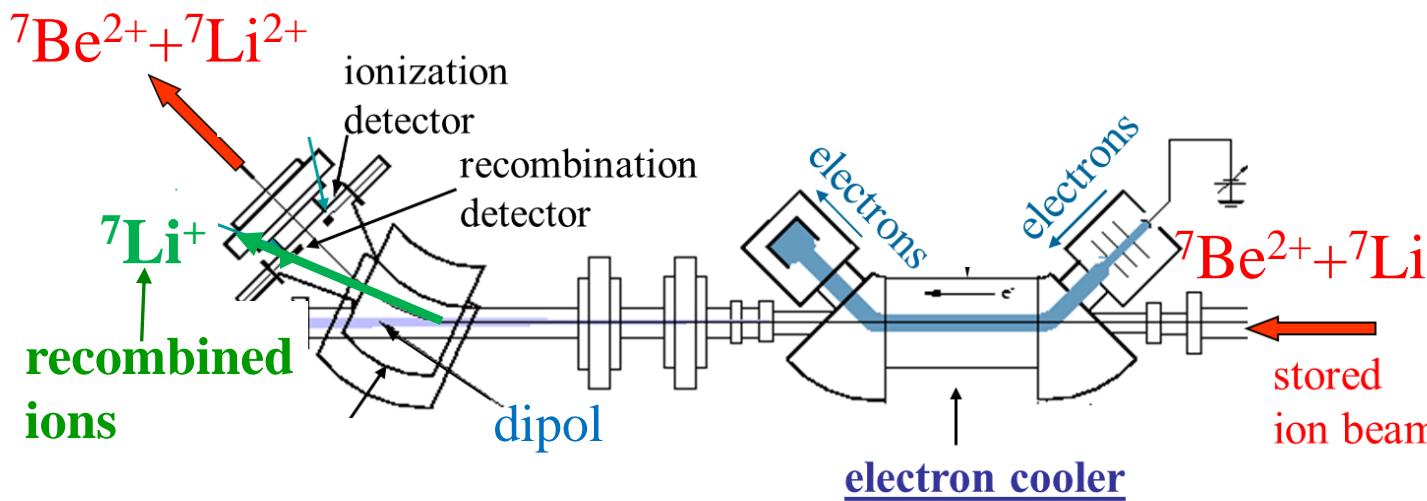
^7Li ion detection by using dielectronic recombination

proposal by Stefan Schippers



dielectronic recombination:

measuring electron capture in the cooler at dedicated, ion specific, resonance energies. Detector counting rate proportional to number of $^7\text{Li}^{2+}$ ions. Experiment has to be done with injected $^7\text{Be}^{2+}$ ions.



counting rate electron density

$$n_e = 5 \cdot 10^7 \text{ 1/cm}^3$$

electron temperature

$$T_{||} = 0.2 \text{ meV}$$

$$T_{\perp} = 20 \text{ meV}$$

ion intensity

$$N = 10^4 \text{ } ^7\text{Li}^{2+} \text{ ions}$$

$$R \approx 0.5 \text{ 1/s}$$

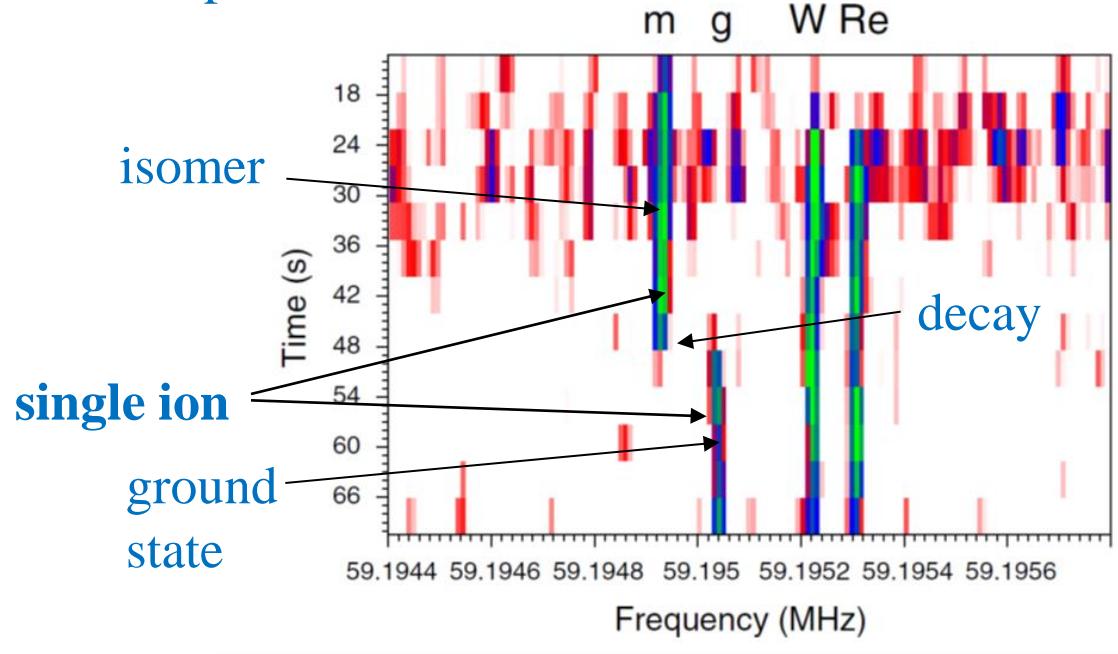
possible problem: electron capture of $^7\text{Be}^{2+}$ in the residual gas, which is very low

Long-lived isomeric states

Nuclear isomers are metastable excited states with half life from ns to years

Isomers can be measured with Schottky noise analyses

example: isomeric state measurement of $^{187}\text{Ta}^{73+}$



Single ion detection:
Observing in the Schottky spectra the decay of an isomeric state of $^{187}\text{Ta}^{73+}$.
ref. M. W. Reed,
PRL 105, 172501 (2010)

GSI: so far singly ion detection with charge states $q \geq 59$ @ 400 MeV/u,
S.Sanjari private communication and P. Kienle et al. Physics Letters B 726 (2013)

TSR@Isolde: Isomers will have smaller charge states q compare to isomers stored at ESR storage ring.

Schottky power: $P_{\text{Schottky}} \sim q^2$ q - ion charge state

⇒ single ion detection and measuring of isomeric state very challenging

Single ion detection

Single ion: power voltage spectrum:

$$P_0(n) = \hat{U}^2(n) = \left(Q_w \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \frac{1}{n} \frac{Q}{C} \sqrt{1 - \cos(n 2\pi \frac{L}{C_0})} \right)^2$$

$Q_w - Q$ value of oscillator
 $Q_w=1$ non resonant measurement

spectrum is visible if: $P_0(n) > U_{r,Qw}^2 \cdot \Delta f_{\text{bandwidth}}$

n harmonic number of f_0

amplifier noise

measuring band width

amplification of noise at resonant measurement

Input

amplifier noise $U_{r,Qw=1} = 0.5 \text{ nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

measurement: $Q_w = 263$, $\alpha(Q_w=263)=65$

pick-up length: $L=0.35 \text{ m}$

total capacity: $C=300 \text{ pF}$

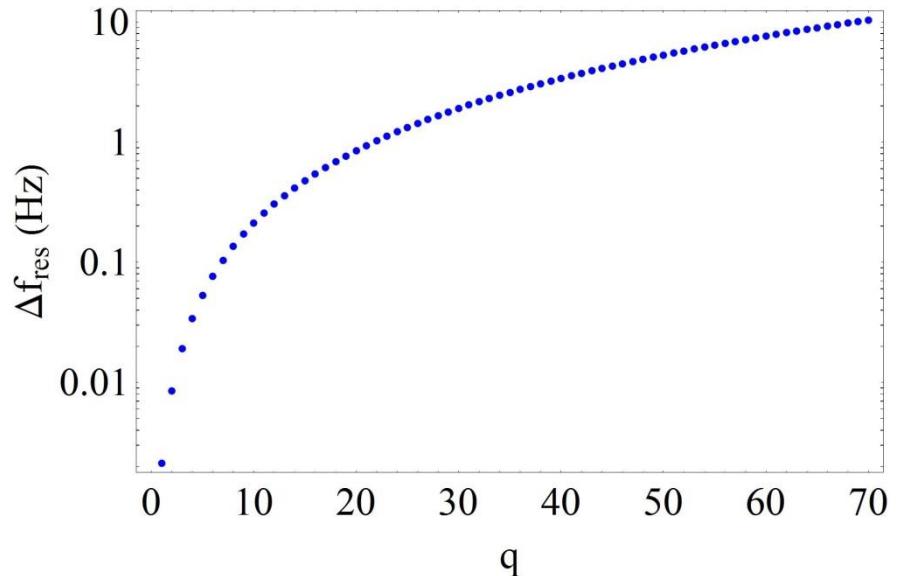
circumference $C_0=55.42 \text{ m}$

harmonic number: **$n=50$**

ion charge: $Q=q \cdot e$

↑
relatively high harmonic number **n**

was chosen to get larger Δf splitting of the individual lines in the spectrum

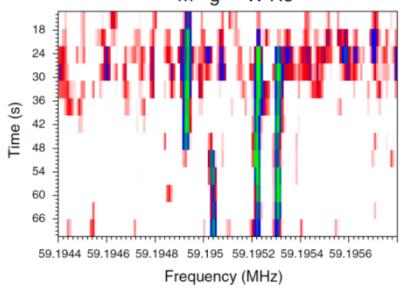


necessary band width to measure a single ion as a function of the ion charge state q

Mass measurements in storage rings

revolution frequency f_0 in first order

$$\frac{\Delta f_{\text{Schottky}}}{f_{\text{Schottky}}} = \frac{\Delta f_0}{f_0} = -\alpha \frac{\Delta(m/Q)}{(m/Q)} + \left(\frac{1}{\gamma^2} - \alpha \right) \gamma^2 \frac{\Delta v}{v}$$



an isomeric state of ^{187}Ta .
ref. M. W. Reed,
PRL 105, 172501 (2010)

determined by electron cooling

momentum compaction:

$$\alpha = \frac{\Delta C/C}{\Delta p/p} = \frac{1}{\gamma_{\text{tr}}^2} \approx \frac{1}{Q_x^2}$$

↑ horizontal tune

slip factor: η

isochronous mode: $\eta=0$

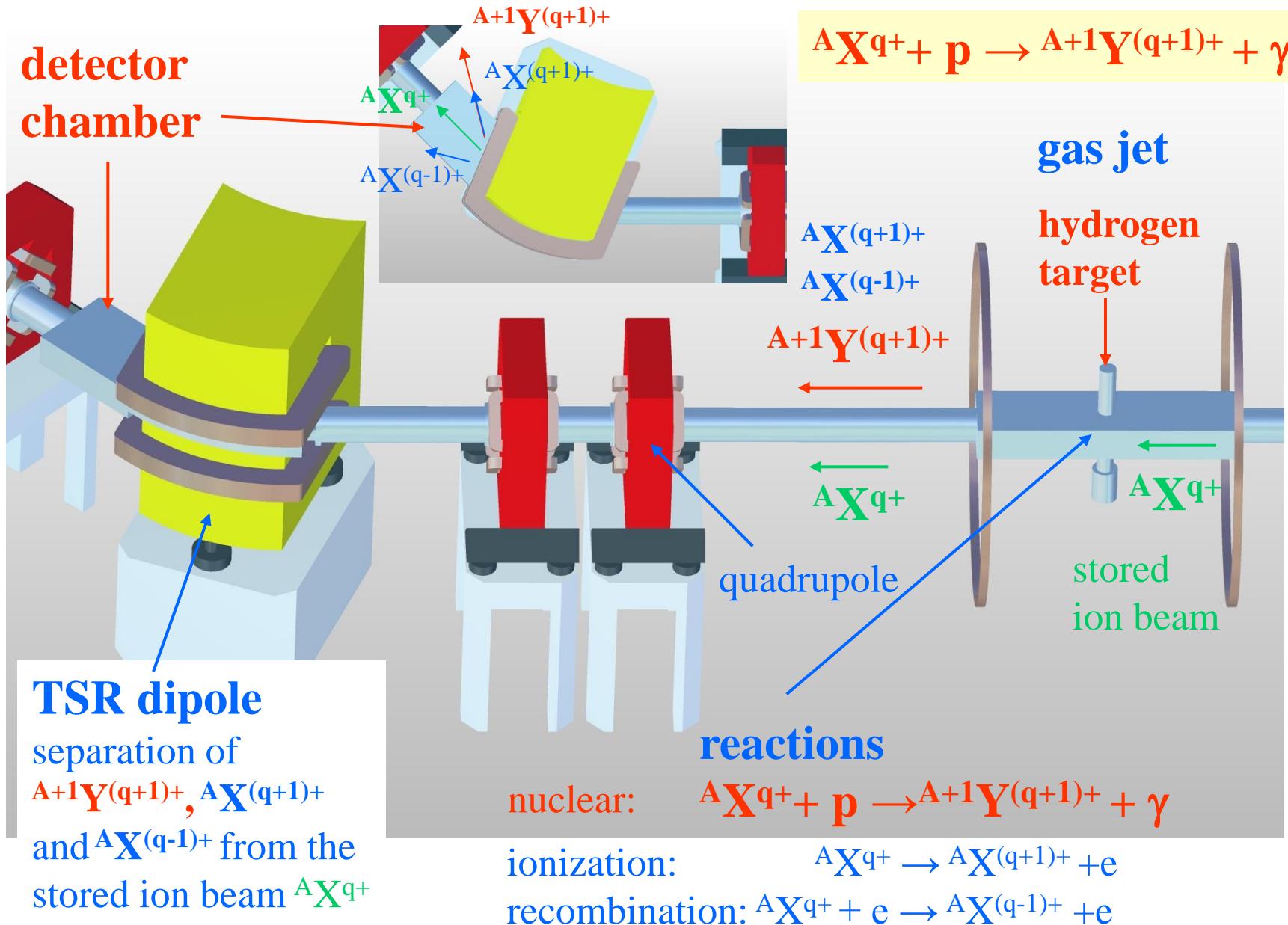
ESR/GSI: high energies: $\gamma \approx 1.3$, slip factor can set up to $\eta=0$
operation in synchronous mode possible

TSR@ISOLDE: energies $\gamma \approx 1 \Rightarrow$ for $\eta=0$: $Q_x \approx 1$ strongest resonance
in a storage ring, TSR operation at $Q_x \approx 1$ not possible
no synchronous mode possible

ref. M. Grieser et al., CERN 94-03 (1994)

many ions:
Schottky spectrum width: $\Delta f_{\text{Schottky}} = \eta \Delta p / p n f_0$
more difficult to measure Schottky spectrum
at low ion numbers: $\bar{P}_0(n) > U_{r,\text{amplifier}}^2 \cdot \Delta f_{\text{Schottky}}$

Proton capture reaction for the astrophysical p-process



Separation of $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ and $AX^{(q+1)+}$

1. Nuclear reactions $AX^{q+} + p \rightarrow A+1Y^{(q+1)+} + \gamma$

momentum conservation $A \cdot m_0 \cdot v_p = (A + 1)m_0 \cdot v$

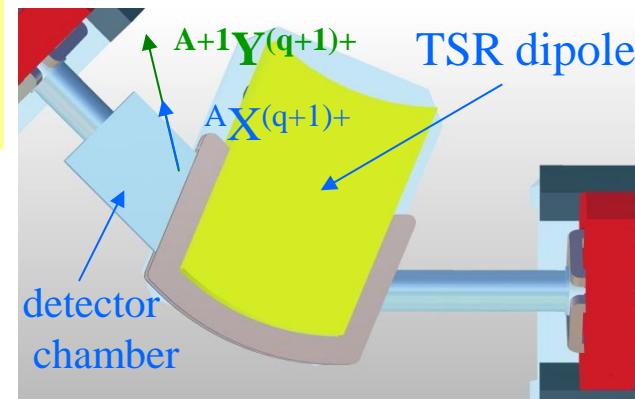
$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{A \cdot v_p}{(A + 1)}$$

v_p -projectile velocity
 v - velocity of $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$

rigidity $A+1Y^{(q+1)+} \Rightarrow B\rho = \frac{p}{Q} = \frac{A}{(q + 1)e_0} m_0 v_p$

2. Ionization projectile: $AX^{q+} \rightarrow AX^{(q+1)+} + e$

rigidity $AX^{(q+1)+} \quad B\rho = \frac{p}{Q} = \frac{A}{(q + 1)e_0} m_0 v_p$



⇒ rigidities of $AX^{(q+1)+}$ and $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ are equal

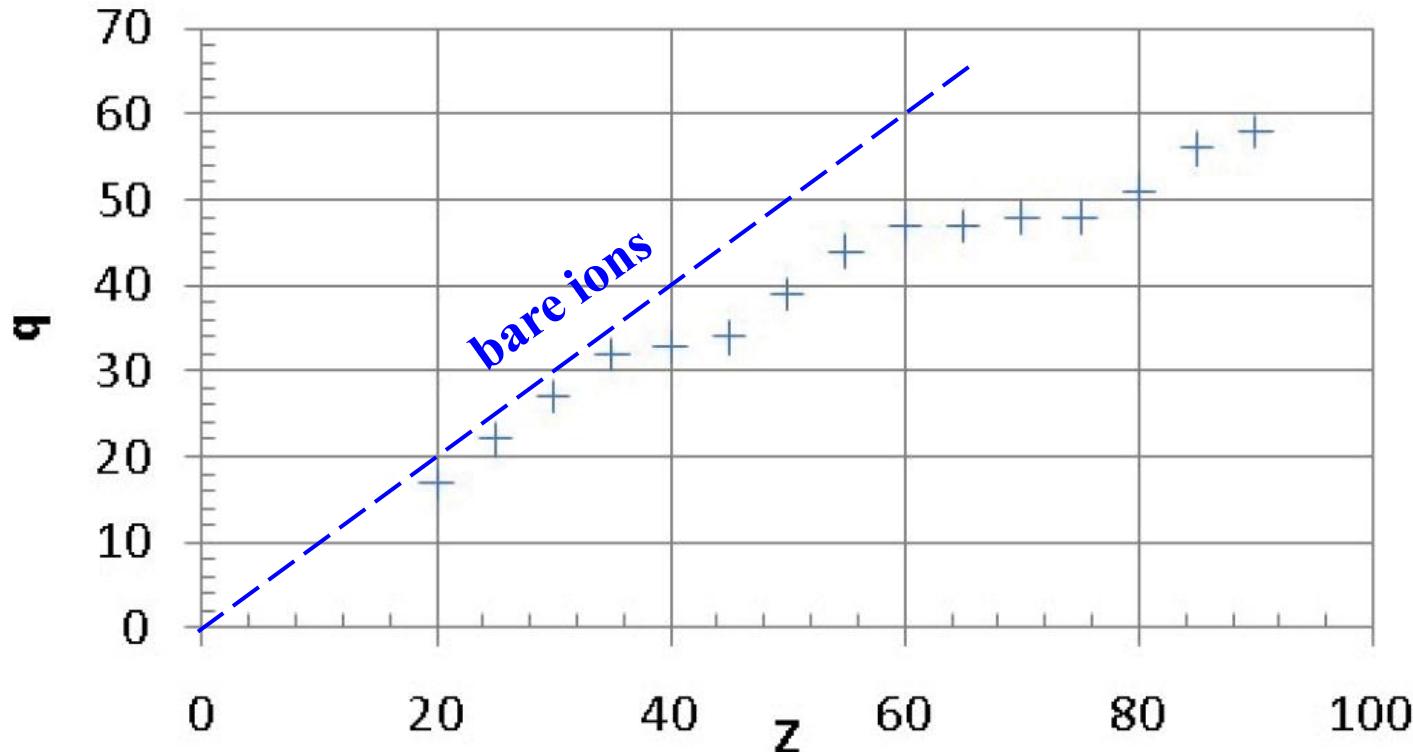
⇒ $AX^{(q+1)+}$ and $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ can not be separated with magnetic fields !

⇒ $AX^{(q+1)+}$ and $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ ions are at the same detector position

⇒ experiment has to be carried out with bare AX^{q+} ions !

Charge State in REXEBIS

Estimated attainable charge states in REXEBIS as a function of ion Z
(ref. TSR@Isolde TDR)



Z of relevant ions to study astrophysical p process: $Z > 40$

⇒ stripping process after HIE-ISOLDE linac !

example: ^{96}Ru ($Z=44$) $E=10 \text{ MeV/u}$ equilibrium charge state after stripping:

charge state	→	q	42	43	(44)	← bare ion
charge distribution	→	ε	0.985	$1.4 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$6 \cdot 10^{-5}$	calculated with LISE 9.7.1

Upgrade of REXEBIS

A new EBIS, producing much higher charge states is under investigation at CERN

Design parameters HIE-ISOLDE / TSR@ISOLDE breeder

	Charge breeder	REXEgis
Electron energy [keV]	150	5
Electron current [A]	2-5*	0.2
Electron current density [A/cm ²]	1-2x10 ⁴	100
Trap pressure (mbar)	~10 ⁻¹¹	~10 ⁻¹¹
Ion-ion cooling needed	YES	NO
Extraction time (us)	<30	>50



new TSR@Isolde charge breeder

With the new TSR@Isolde charge breeder bare ions up to Z=60 should be possible

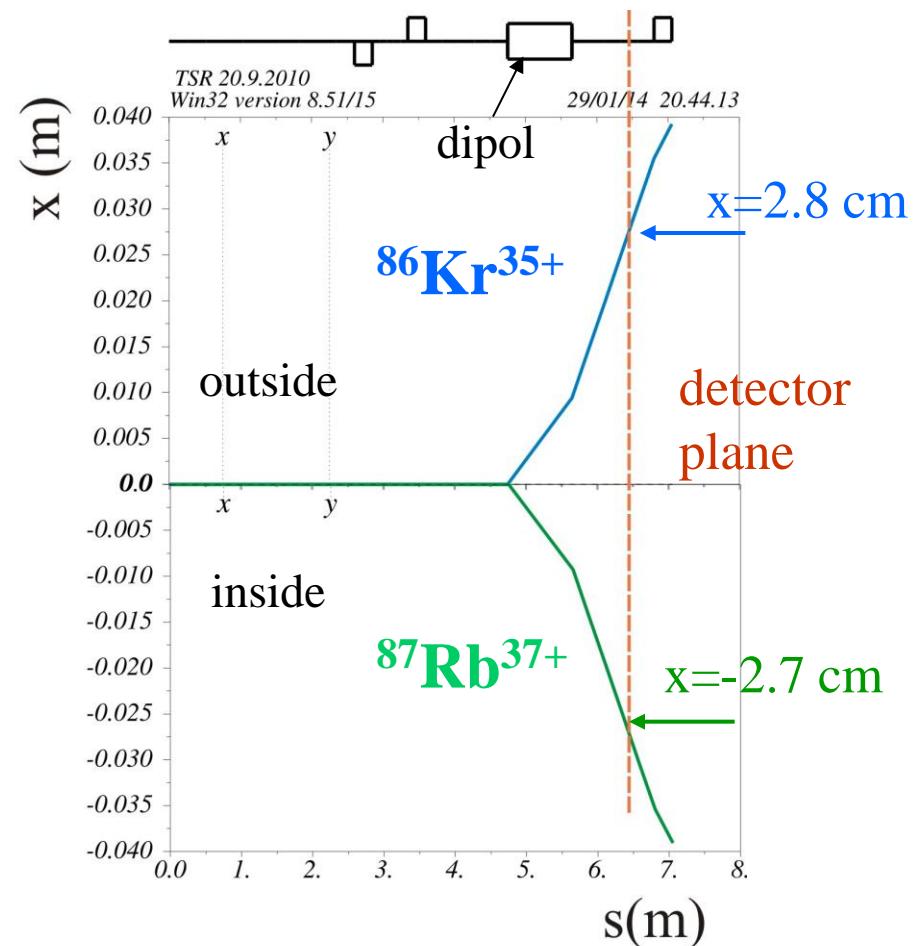
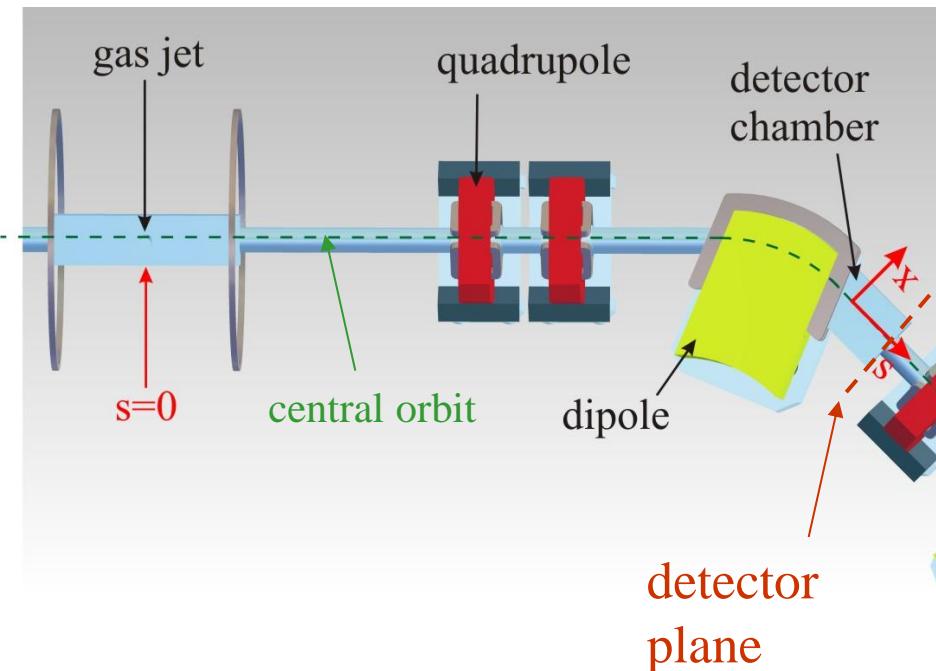
Much more details about this project was given by Fredrik Wenander during this workshop

Pick up reaction with a stored $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+}$ ion beam

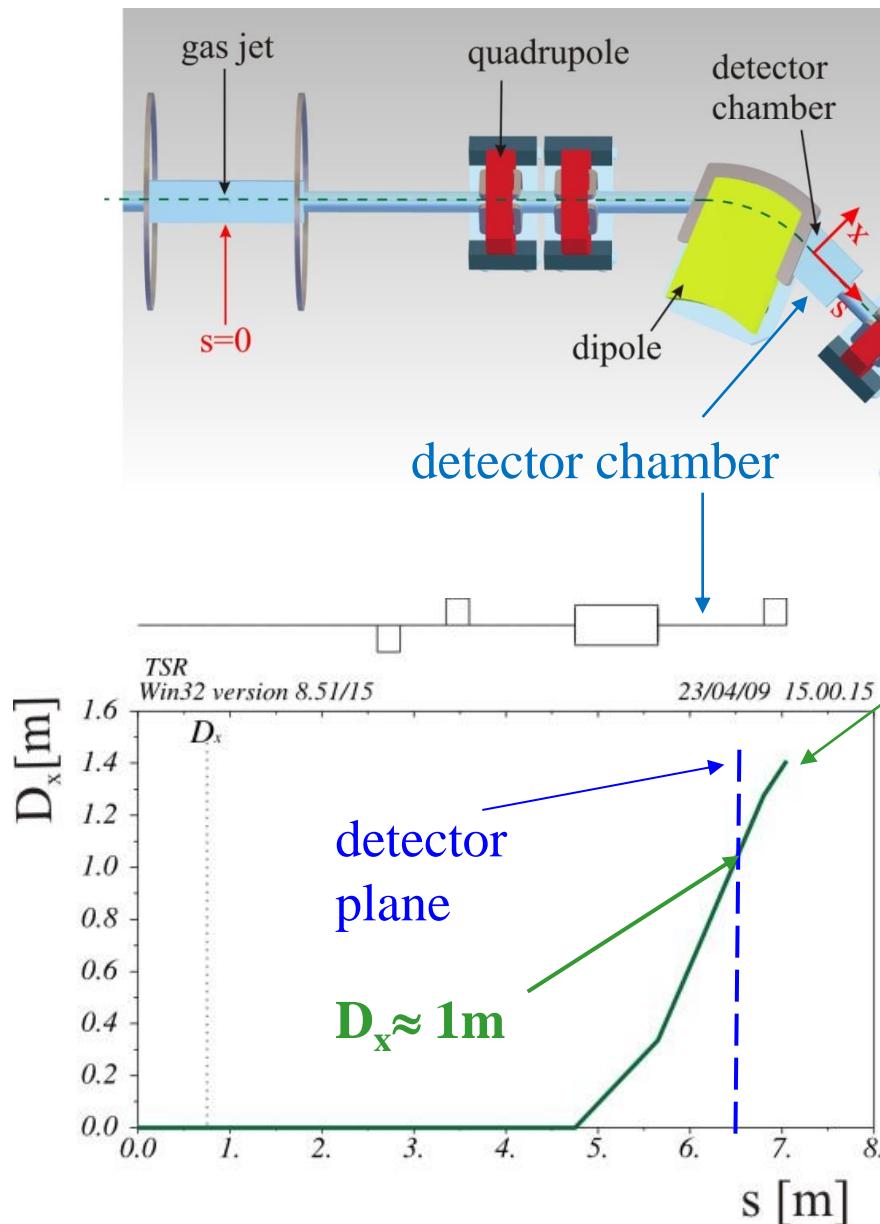


ion orbits of $^{87}\text{Rb}^{37+}$ and $^{86}\text{Kr}^{35+}$

reference system



First Order calculation of ion trajectories



$$x = D_x \frac{\Delta B\rho}{B\rho} \quad B\rho = \frac{p}{Q} = \frac{m \cdot v}{Q}$$

$$\text{with } \frac{\Delta B\rho}{B\rho} = \frac{\Delta m}{m} + \frac{\Delta v}{v} - \frac{\Delta Q}{Q}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = D_x \cdot \left(\frac{\Delta m}{m} + \frac{\Delta v}{v} - \frac{\Delta Q}{Q} \right)$$

x – horizontal position

D_x – dispersion Function

Δm – mass deviation to central particle with mass m

Δv – velocity deviation to central particle with velocity v

ΔQ - charge deviation to central particle with charge Q

Reaction Rate

if ion beam width $\sigma_t > \sigma_{beam}$

then

$$R = \sigma \cdot n_t \cdot f_0 \cdot N$$

$$n_t = \int_0^1 n \cdot ds \approx 10^{14} \text{ 1/cm}^2$$

↑
projected target density

R reaction rate

σ_t - target width

σ_{ion} ion beam width

σ cross section

n target density

n_t target thickness

f_0 revolution frequency

N number of stored ions

ECOOL stacking to fill the storage ring with ions

$$N = N_{inj} \frac{1}{T_{cool}} \tau$$

N_{inj} - injected particle number

T_{cool} - cooling time:

$$\text{for } \alpha \approx 10, 0.03 \leq \beta \leq 0.16: T_{cool} \approx \frac{n_{max}}{n} \frac{A}{q^2} \cdot 3s$$

n_{max} - maximum possible electron density

τ - life time determined by residual gas

pressure/ECOOL (τ_v) and target thickness (τ_t):

$$\frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{1}{\tau_v} + \frac{1}{\tau_t}$$

example:

for $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+}$ E=860 MeV :

$N_{inj} = 5 \cdot 10^7 - 10^8$ ions

$T_{cool} \approx 0.8$ s ($n/n_{max} = 0.25$)

$\tau_v \approx 50$ s ($n/n_{max} = 0.25$)

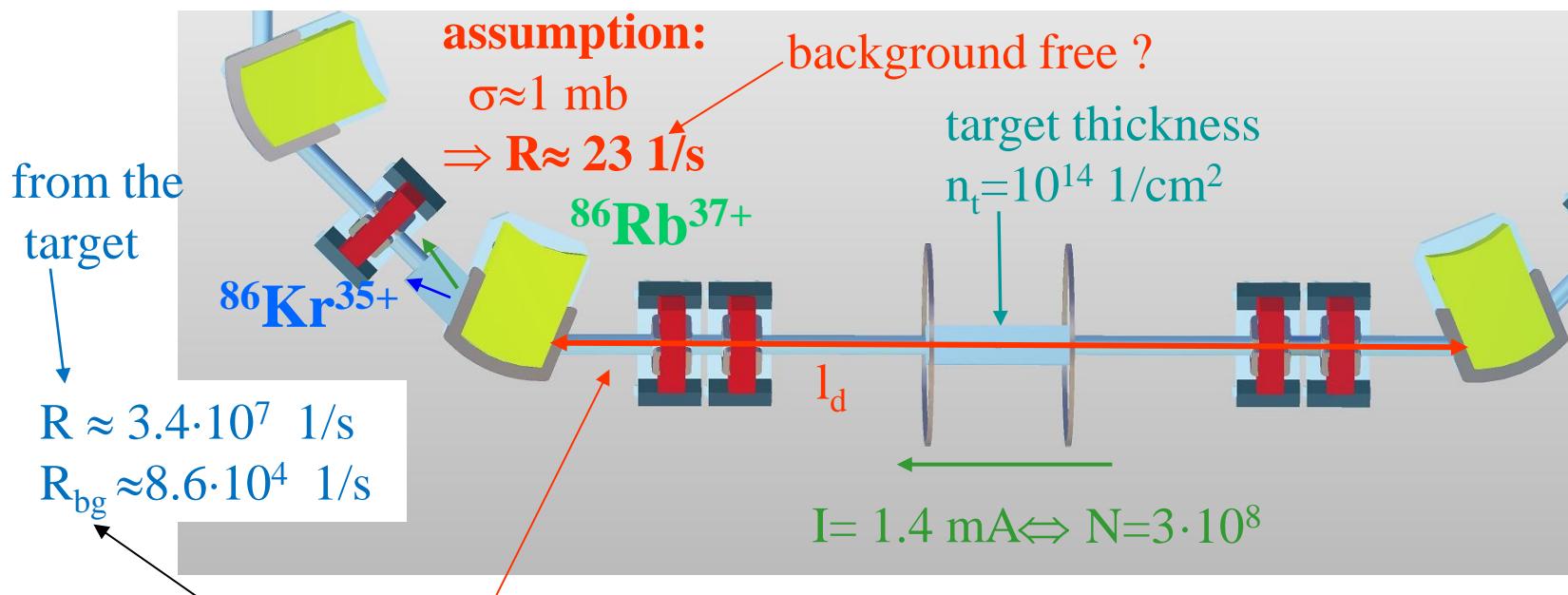
$\tau_t \approx 9$ s (electron capture target)

$N \approx 5 \cdot 10^8$ stacking: target on > space charge limit

space charge limit: $N = 3 \cdot 10^8$ ions \Rightarrow with $\sigma = 1$ mbarn: **R ≈ 23 1/s**

Some remarks on $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+} + \text{p} \rightarrow ^{87}\text{Rb}^{37+} + \gamma$ at the TSR

stored ion beam $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+}$ E=860 MeV



Background: electron capture in residual gas, very sensitive to C,N,O...

$\tau_{cap} \approx 581 \text{ s}$ at $p = 5 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ mbar}$ and normal TSR residual gas composition

\Rightarrow background counting rate for

life time τ of $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+}$
determined by electron capture in the target:
 $T \approx 9 \text{ s}$

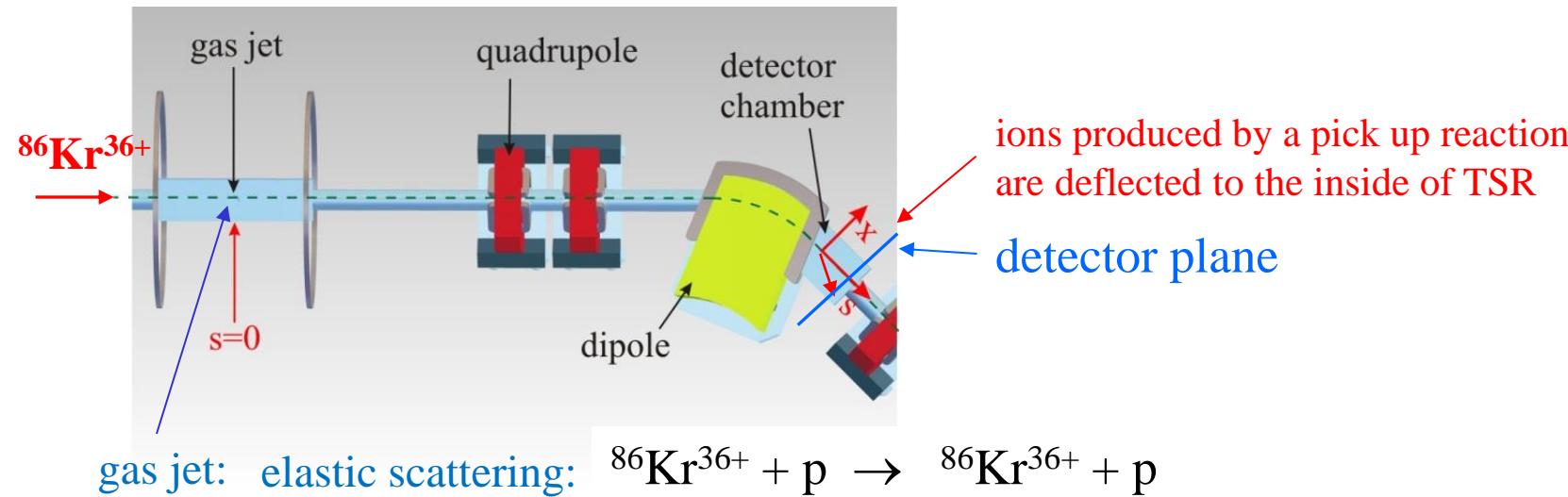
$$R_{bg} = \frac{l_d}{C_0} \frac{N}{T_{cap}}$$

T_{cap} - capture life time

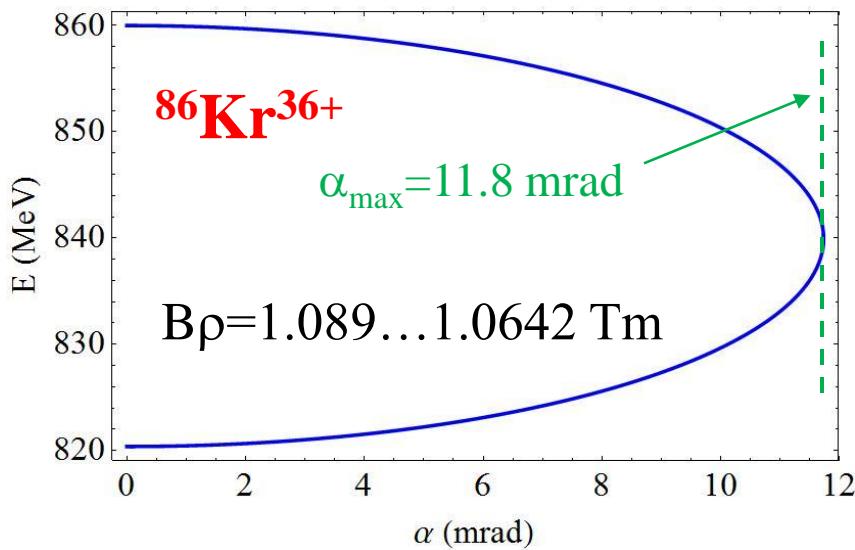
C_0 - circumference of the TSR

l_d - distance between two dipole

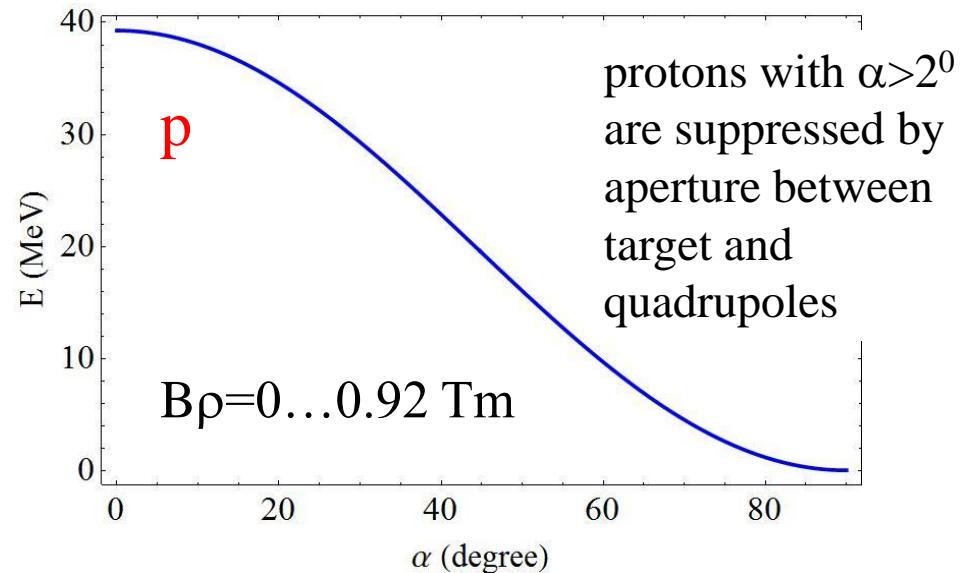
Can scattered ions hit the detector plane on the inside ?



energy as a function of scattering angle

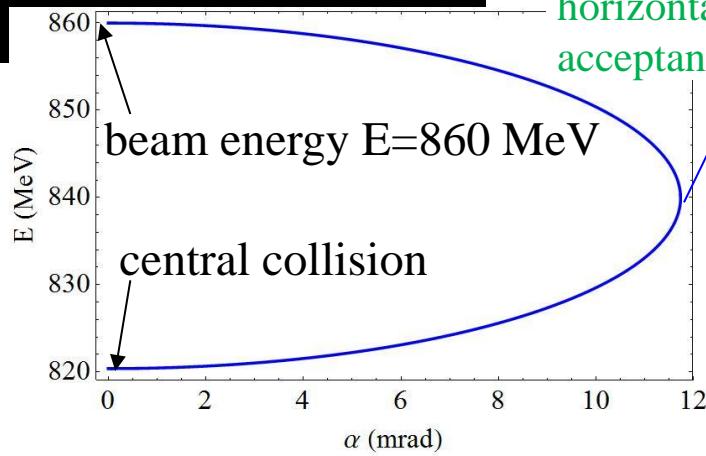
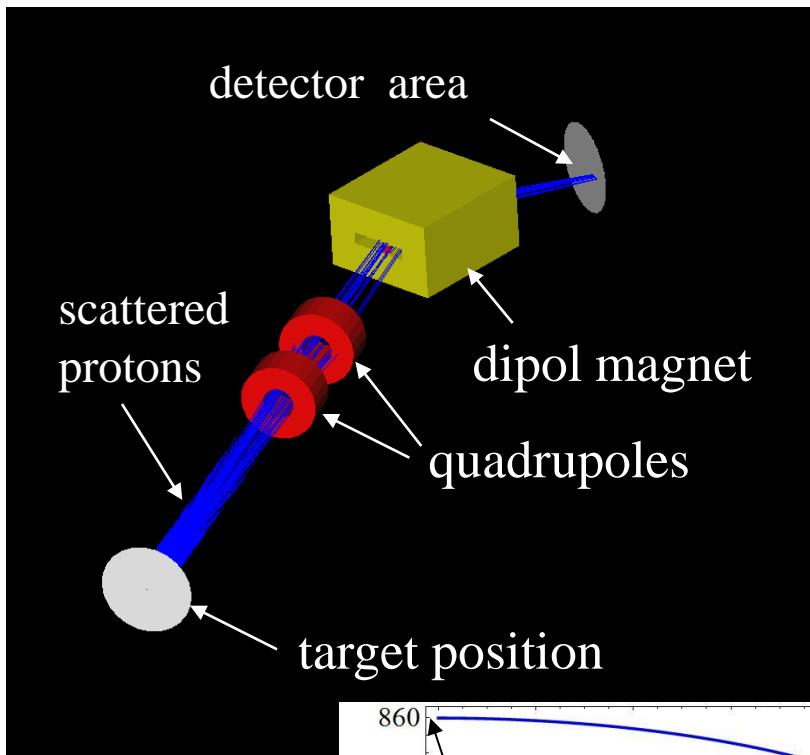


energy as a function of scattering angle

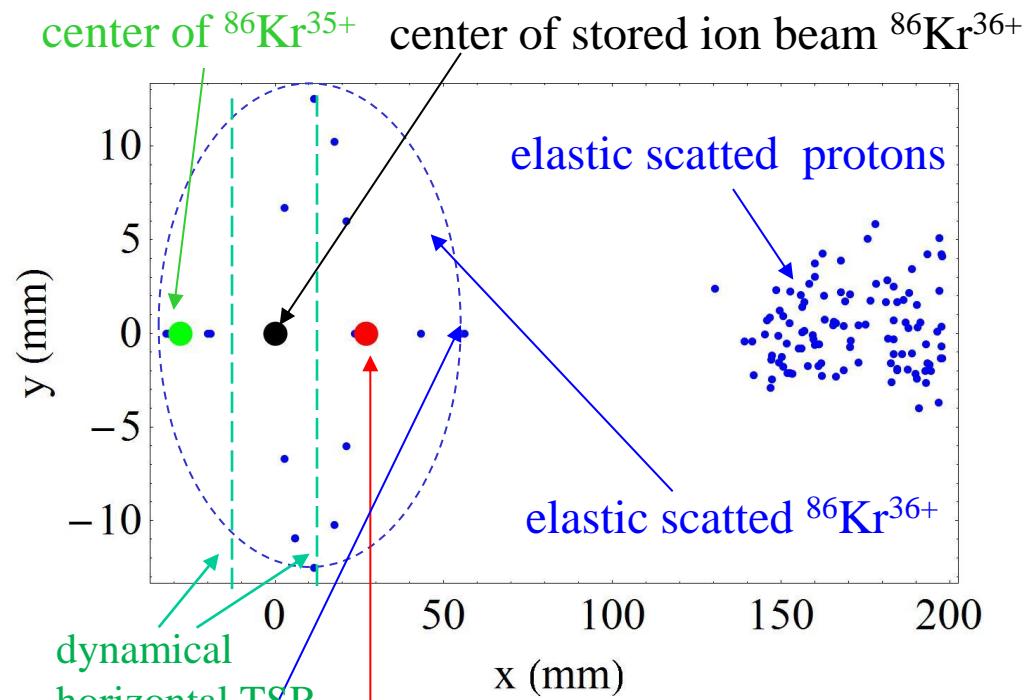


Simulation of elastic scattered ion beam

elastic scattered protons



ions on the detector plane

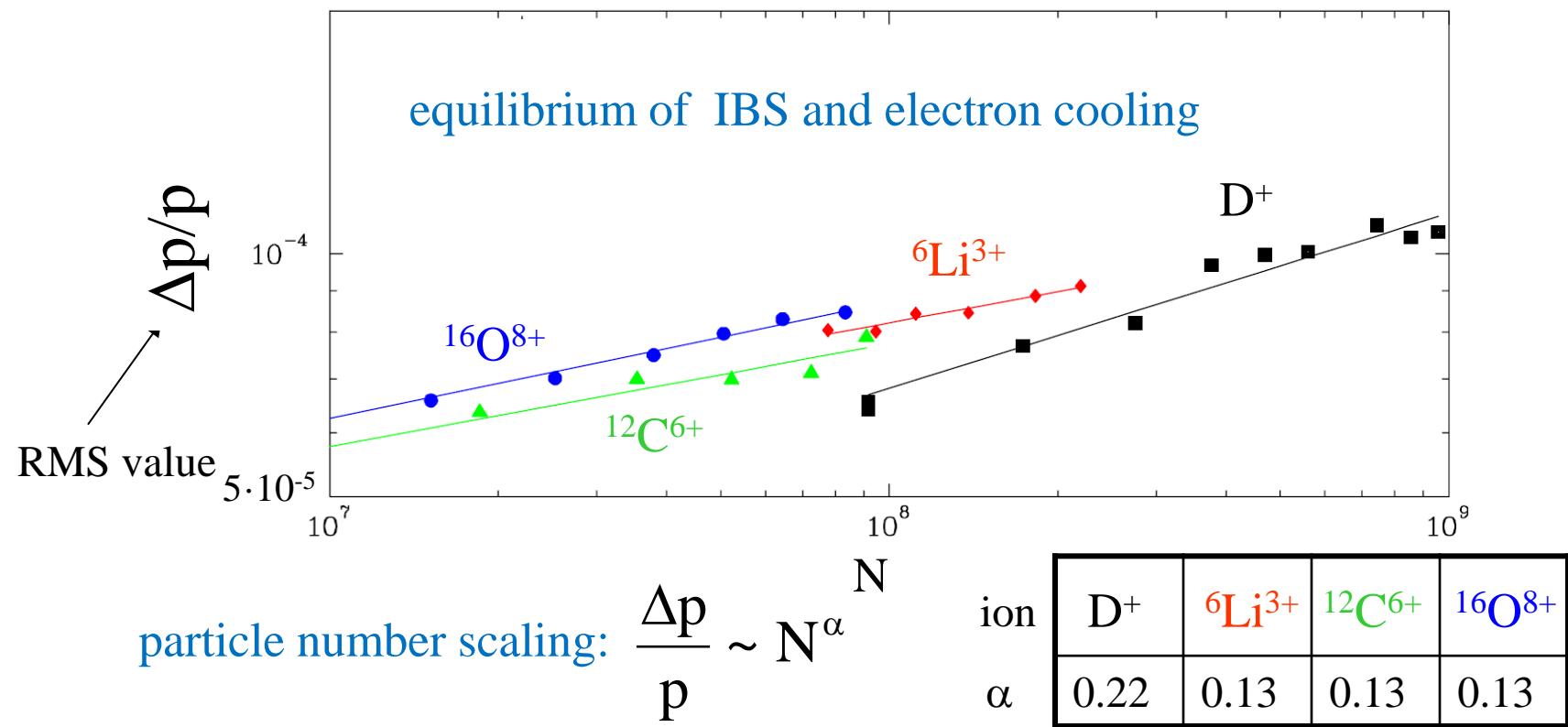


elastic scattered $^{86}\text{Kr}^{36+}$
energy E as a function of
scatter angle α

Laser Spectroscopy of rare Isotopes

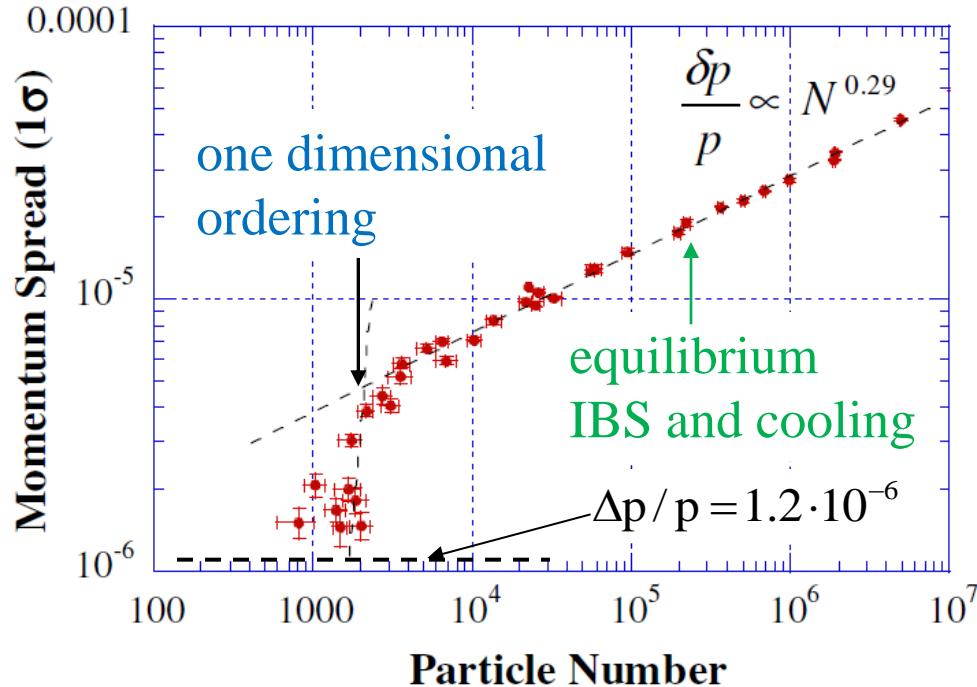
The attainable resolution within the TSR is determined by the longitudinal momentum spread of the stored electron cooled ion beam

At the TSR measured equilibrium momentum spread of electron cooled ion beams as a function of the particle number ($B\beta=0.71$ Tm, $\beta=0.11$, $n_e=8 \cdot 10^6$ cm $^{-3}$, $B_{cool}=418$ Gauss)



remark: if the ion intensity is very low ($N < 1000$) the ion temperature is given by the electron temperature, resulting in an ion momentum spread $\Delta p/p < 10^{-5}$

Momentum spread at very low ion numbers N<1000



Measurement done
with 7 MeV **protons**
at the LSR storage ring,
Kyoto University

Measured momentum spread as a function of the proton number.
T. Shirai et al. PRL 98, 204801 (2007)

momentum jump at ion numbers $N=1000-3000$ observed at several storage rings
Below $N < 1000$ IBS is suppressed and the ion beam temperature is in equilibrium
with the electron beam temperature, therefore the ion momentum spread is given by

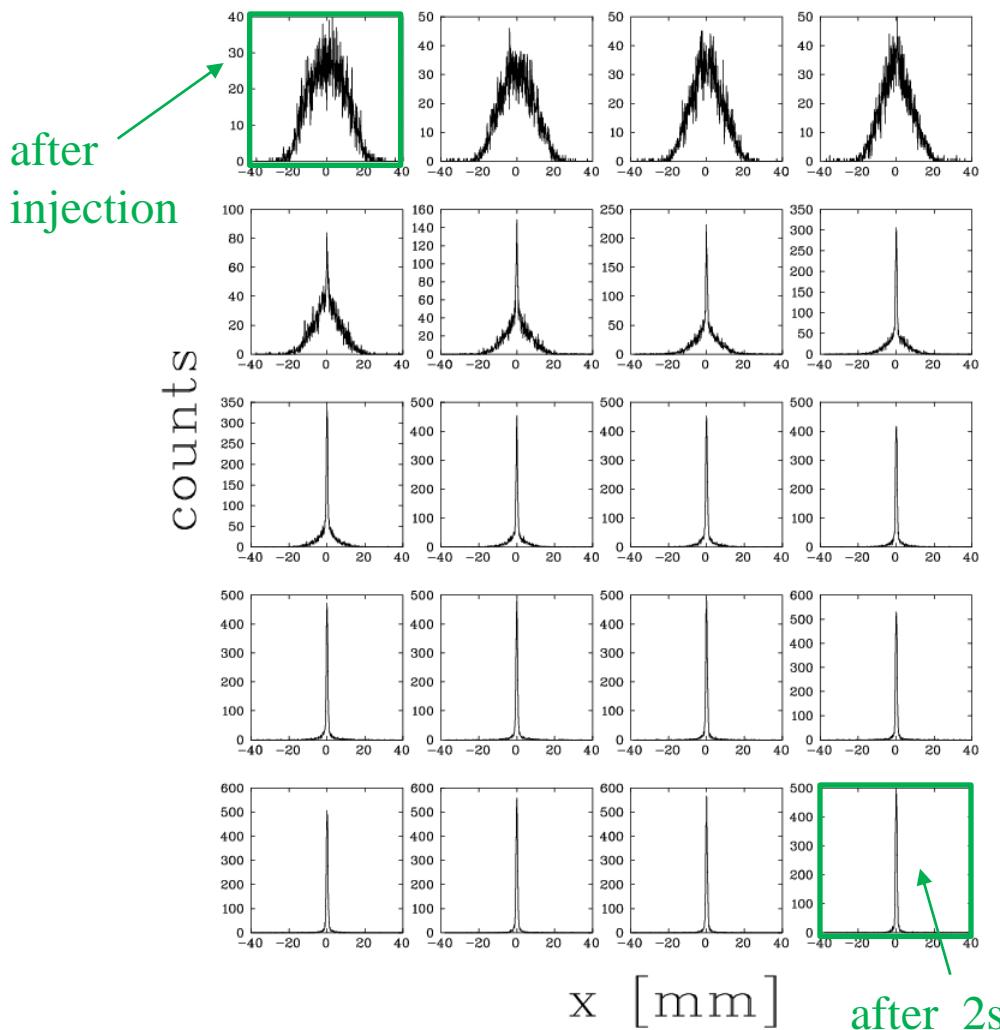
$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{\sigma_{\parallel}}{v_{\parallel}} = \sqrt{\frac{k_b T_{e\parallel}}{2E}} \quad \text{where} \quad k_B T_{e\parallel} \cong \frac{(k_B T_{\text{cath}})^2}{\beta^2 \gamma^2 m_e c^2} + \frac{e^2 n_e^{1/3}}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \Rightarrow \text{for 7 MeV protons:}$$
$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} = 1.2 \cdot 10^{-6}$$

Laser Spectroscopy of rare Isotopes II

nuclear life time $\tau_n \geq$ cooling time of multi-turn injected ion beam T_{cool}

development of a multi-turn injected

$^{12}\text{C}^{6+}$ beam



in the velocity range

$$0.03 < \beta < 0.16$$

$$T_{\text{cool}} \approx \frac{A}{q^2} \cdot 3 \text{ s}$$

proposed ions

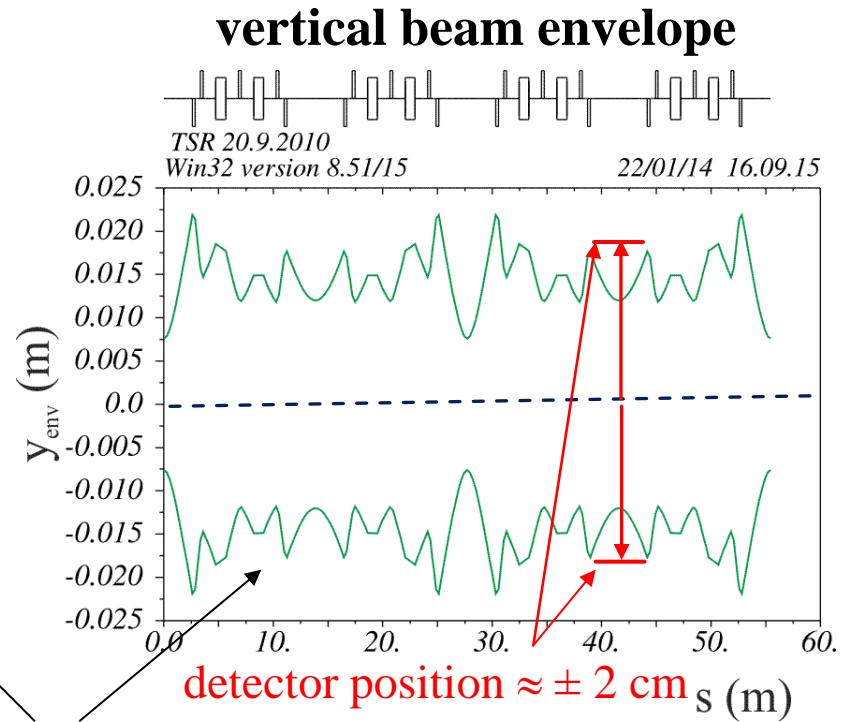
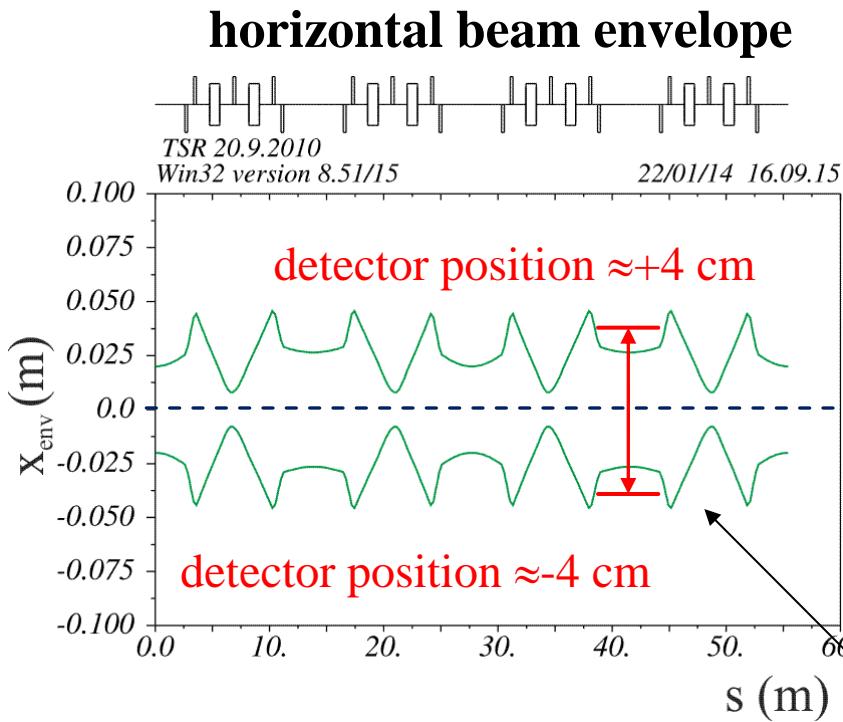
ion	T_{cool} (s)	nuclear τ_n (s)	fraction of particles left after cooling
$^8\text{B}^{3+}$	2.7	0.77	3 %
$^{10}\text{C}^{4+}$	1.9	19.3	90 %
$^{16}\text{C}^{4+}$	3	0.747	2 %

In flight beta-decay of light exotic ions

proposed nucleus: ${}^6\text{He}^{2+}$, ${}^{11}\text{Be}^{4+}$, ${}^{16}\text{N}^{7+}$ E=10 MeV/A

reaction : ${}^6\text{He} \rightarrow \alpha + d$ ${}^{11}\text{Be} \rightarrow {}^{10}\text{Be} + p$

measuring: emitted light ions with a detector in appropriate position to the ring
detector position should be outside the ring acceptance



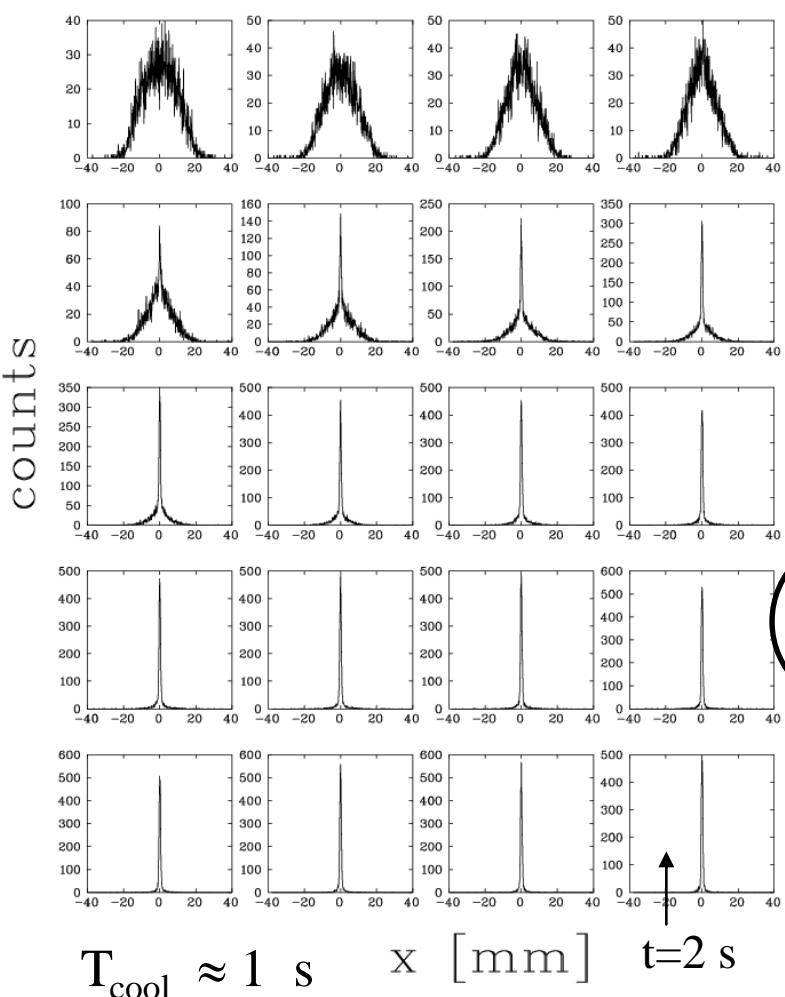
beam size after multi-turn injection

Ricardo Raabe: all detector can place outside the dynamical acceptance of the ring

In flight beta-decay of light exotic ions II

nuclear life-time $\tau_n >$ cooling time T_{cool}

development of a multi-turn injected
 $^{12}\text{C}^{6+}$ beam



electron cooling time

$$T_{\text{cool}} \approx \frac{A}{q^2} \cdot 3 \text{ s}$$

fraction of particle left after electron cooling

ion	T_{cool} (s)	nuclear T_n (s)	fraction of particles left
$^6\text{He}^{2+}$	4.5	0.806	0.4 %
$^{11}\text{Be}^{4+}$	2.1	13.8	86 %
$^{16}\text{N}^{7+}$	1.0	7.13	87 %

ECOOL stacking can be applied to increase ion intensity

Pilot beam

-A lot of experiments at TSR@ISOLDE are carried out with a very weak ion beam not sufficient to set up the storage ring

-to set up the storage ring and cooler: stored intensity $I \approx 1 \mu\text{A}$

\Rightarrow pilot beam:

a.) with same magnetic rigidity $B\rho$:

$$B\rho = \frac{p_{\text{pilot}}}{Q_{\text{pilot}}} = \frac{p}{Q} \quad \begin{matrix} p - \text{ion momentum} \\ Q - \text{ion charge} \end{matrix}$$

\Rightarrow setting of all magnetic fields doesn't change

b.) with approximately the same velocity v :

$$\frac{m_{\text{pilot}}}{Q_{\text{pilot}}} \approx \frac{m}{Q} \quad \begin{matrix} m - \text{ion mass} \\ Q - \text{ion charge} \end{matrix}$$

\Rightarrow all electrostatic potentials (cooler, septum) are roughly identical

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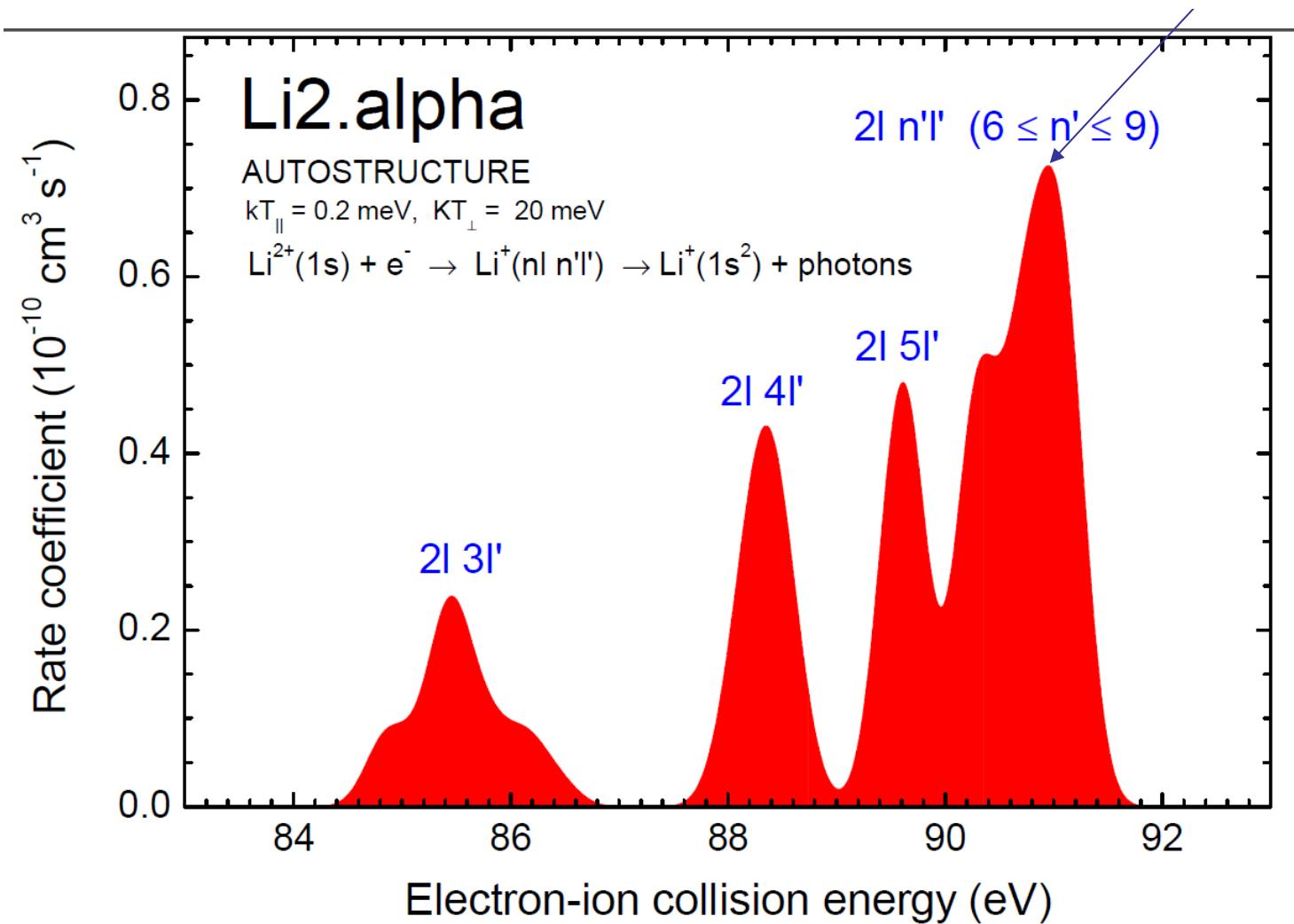
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back-up

Calculated DR resonances for ${}^7\text{Li}^{2+}$

calculation done by Stefan Schippers

used resonance

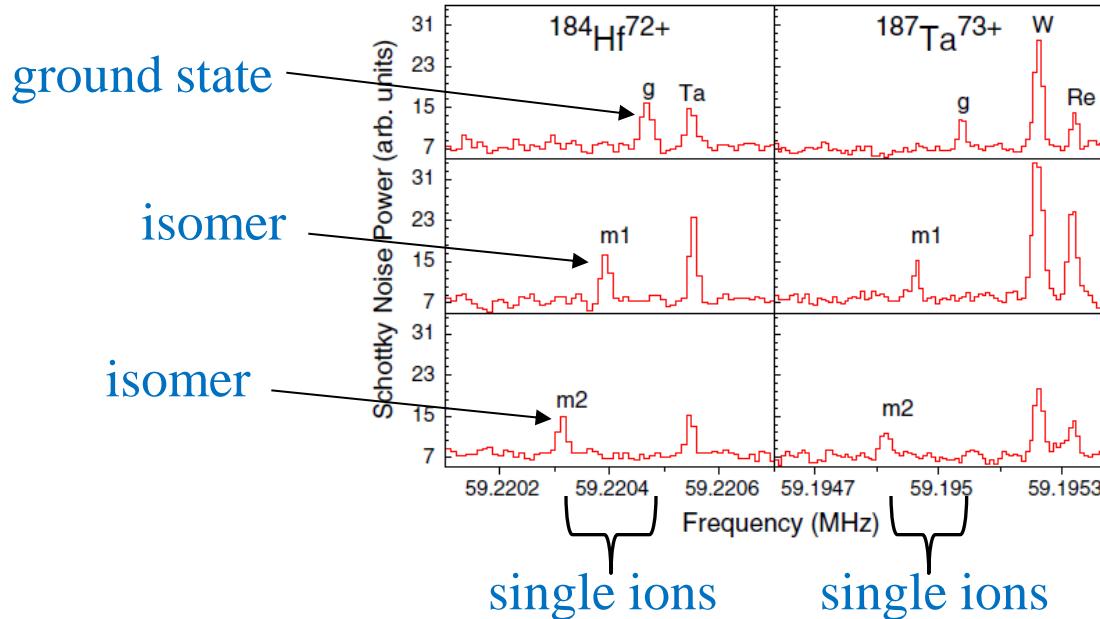


Long-lived isomeric states

Nuclear isomers are metastable excited states with half life from ns to years

Isomers can be measured with Schottky noise analyses

example: ^{187}Hf ^{187}Ta , measured at ESR/GSI storage ring



Example of 30th Schottky spectra for A=184 and A=187 isobars and isomers.
ref. M.W. Reed et al. PRL 105, 172501 (2010)

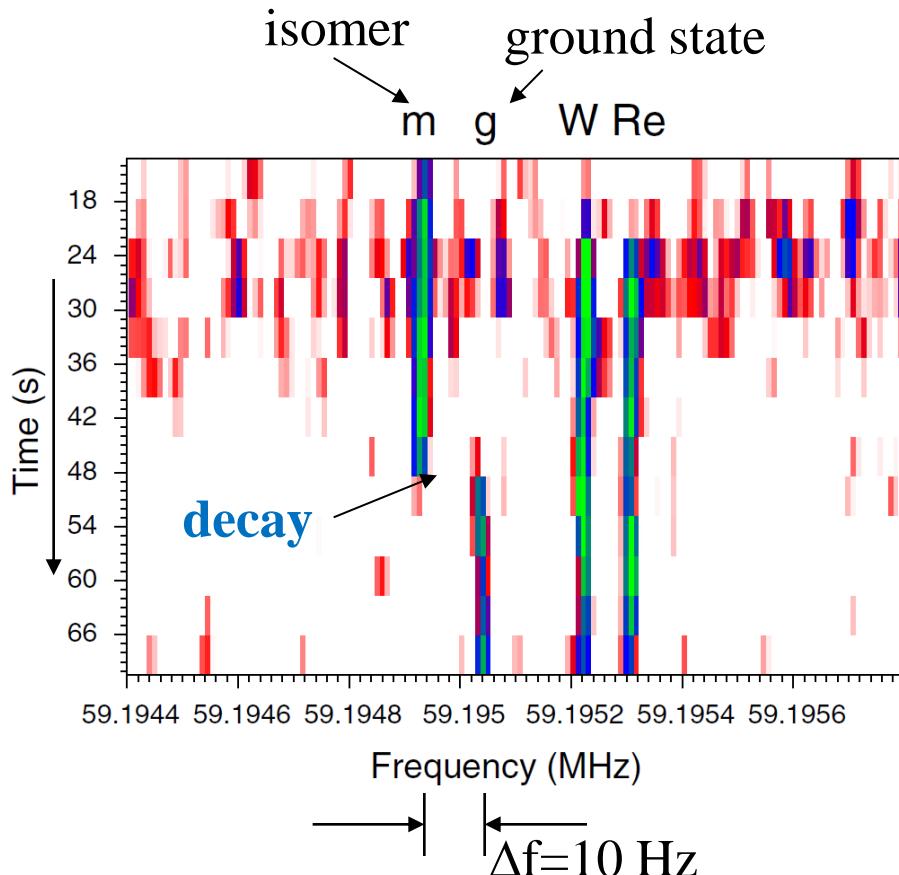
GSI: so far singly ion detection with charge states $q \geq 59$ @ 400 MeV/u,
S.Sanjari private communication and P. Kienle et al. Physics Letters B 726 (2013)

TSR@Isolde: Isomers will have smaller charge states q compare to isomers stored at ESR storage ring.

Schottky power: $P_{\text{Schottky}} \sim q^2$ q - ion charge state
⇒ single ion detection and measuring of isomeric state very challenging

Singly ion detection by observing the decay

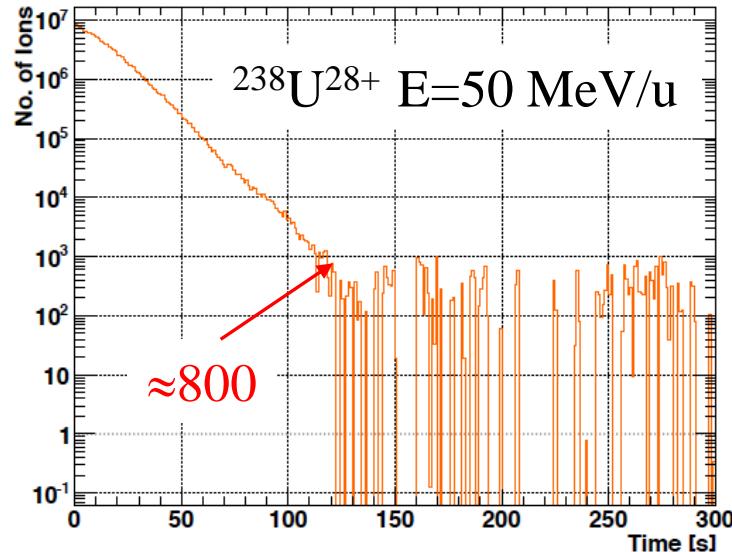
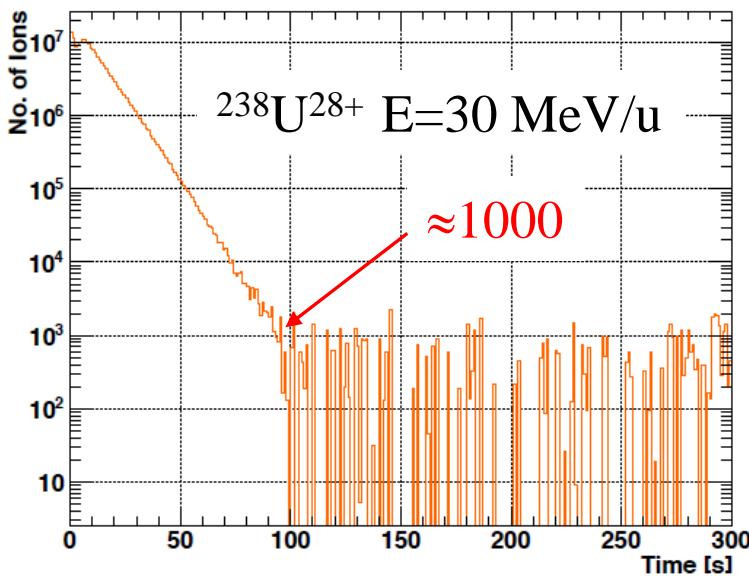
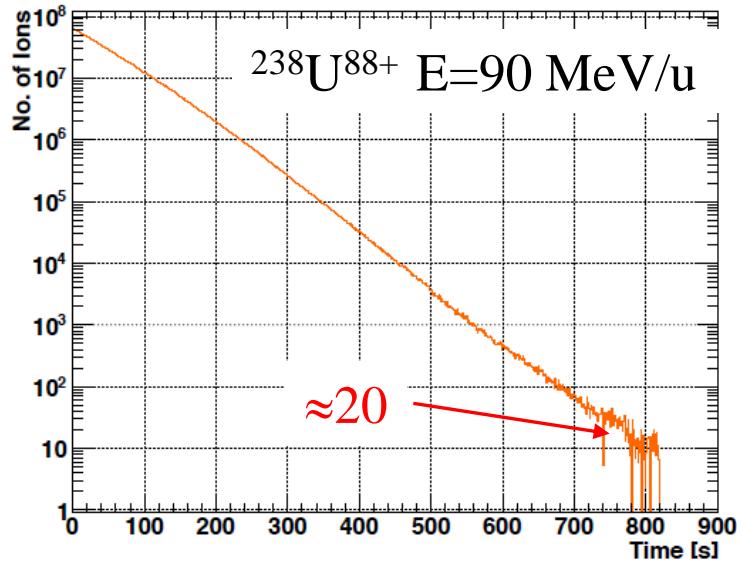
- To determine the decay time the number of ions in the Schottky spectrum has to be known
- Schottky monitor cannot distinguish is there one, two, three ions in the ring !
- Is there a **decay** where the ion goes from the meta stable state in the ground state and only **one ion** in the meta-stable state is stored then Isomer disappear and ion in the ground state appears:



Single ion detection:
Observing in the Schottky spectra the decay of an isomeric state of ^{187}Ta .
ref. M. W. Reed,
PRL 105, 172501 (2010)

to get relative large splitting Δf : measurement at relative high harmonic number n

Detection Limit Schottky pick-up (cavity) at ESR ring



Shahab Sanjari, GSI
privat communication

Energy deviation of $A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ and $AX^{(q+1)+}$

$$\delta E = E_y - E_x$$

$A+1Y^{(q+1)+}$ $AX^{(q+1)+}$

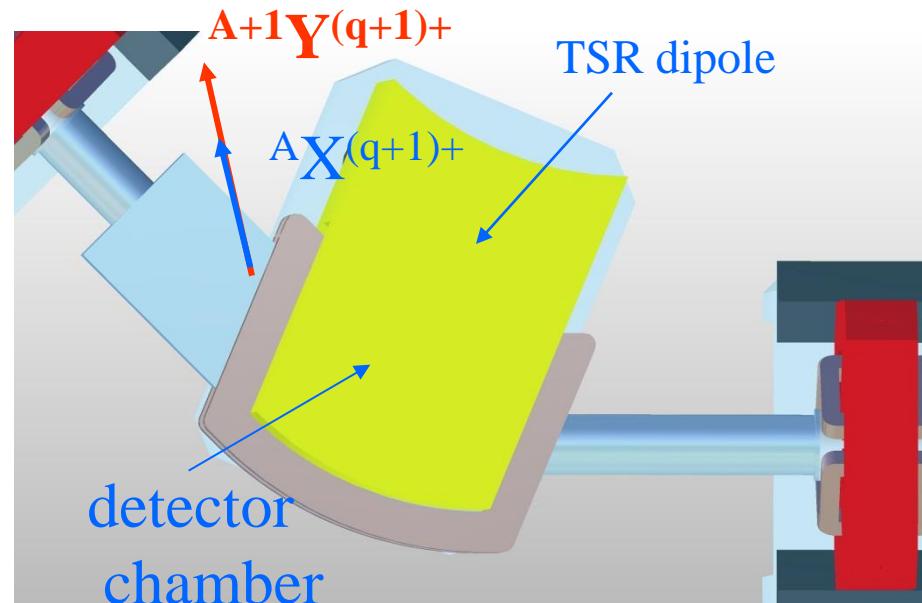
E- energy projectile: $E_x = E$

$$\frac{\delta E}{E} = -\frac{1}{(1+A)}$$

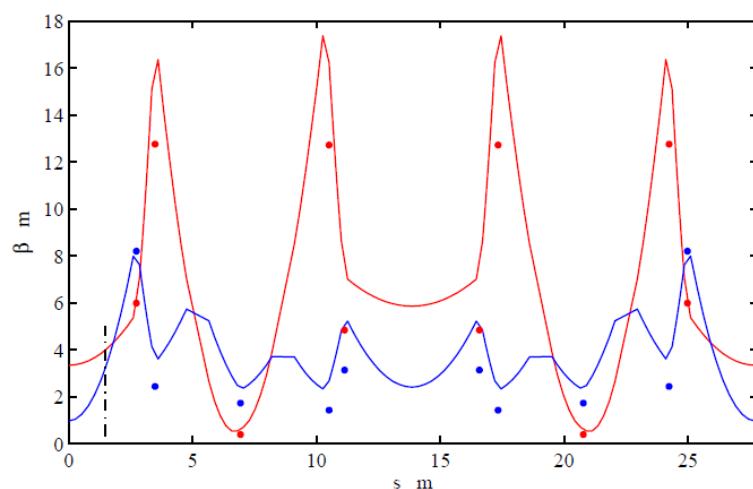
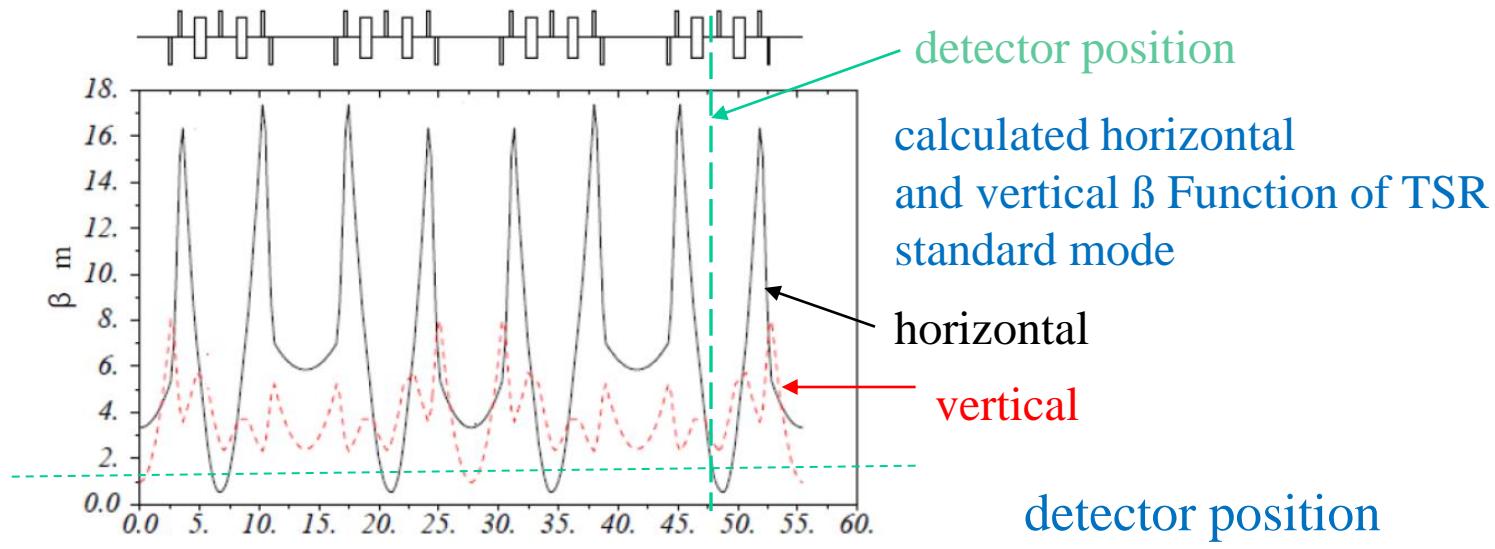
example



$$\frac{\delta E}{E} = -0.01$$



Dynamical Acceptance



$$\beta_x \approx 1.2 \text{ m}$$

dynamical acceptance
 $A_x \approx 120 \text{ mm} \cdot \text{mrad}$
⇒ maximal beam width:

$$x = \sqrt{A_x \beta_x}$$

$$x \approx 1.3 \text{ cm}$$

Lifetime modification due to gas target

intensity multiplication factor

$$\frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{1}{\tau_v} + \frac{1}{\tau_t}$$

life time due to target density

life-time due to electron capture and residual gas interactions
loss process in the target

1. electron capture

Schlachter:

$$\tilde{\sigma} = \frac{1.1 \cdot 10^{-8}}{\tilde{E}^{4.8}} (1 - e^{-0.037\tilde{E}}) \cdot (1 - e^{-2.44 \cdot 10^{-5} \tilde{E}^{2.6}})$$

remark
for H₂ target M=2

$$\tilde{E} = \frac{E/A}{Z_2^{1.25} q^{0.7}}$$
$$\sigma_{cap} = M \cdot \frac{\tilde{\sigma} \cdot q^{0.5}}{Z_2^{1.8}}$$

← cross section in 1/cm²

E projectile energy in keV, A mass number, Z₂-target atomic number, q ion charge

example ⁸⁶Kr³⁶⁺ E=860 MeV

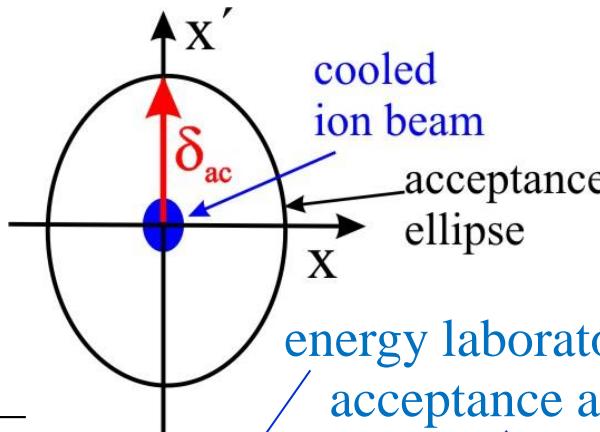
$$\Rightarrow \tau_{cap} = \frac{1}{\sigma_{cap} \cdot n_t \cdot f_0} \quad \text{with } n_t = 10^{14} \text{ 1/cm}^2 (\text{H}_2) \Rightarrow T_{cap} = 9 \text{ s } (\sigma = 1.63 \cdot 10^{-21} \text{ cm}^2)$$

Lifetime modification due to gas target II

2. single scattering

-CMS System Rutherford scattering:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{q \cdot Z \cdot e^2}{4 \cdot \pi \cdot \epsilon_0 \cdot 2 \cdot E_s} \right)^2 \frac{1}{\sin^4(\Theta/2)}$$



energy laboratory system
acceptance angle laboratory system

\Rightarrow cross section for particle loss

$$\sigma_{sc} = \int_{\varphi_{ac}}^{\pi} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \cdot 2\pi \sin(\Theta) d\Theta = \frac{e^4 \cdot q^2 \cdot Z^2}{64 \cdot \pi \cdot \epsilon_0^2 \cdot E_s^2} \cot^2\left(\frac{\varphi_{ac}}{2}\right)$$

$$\tan(\delta_{ac}) = \frac{\sin(\varphi_{ac})}{\cos(\varphi_{ac}) + \frac{m_t}{m}}$$

acceptance angle
CMS system

$$\delta_{ac} \approx 5 \text{ mrad}$$

A_x - horizontal acceptance

A_y - vertical acceptance

β_x, β_y - β function at the target

$$\Rightarrow \text{life-time } T_{sc} = \frac{1}{\sigma_{sc} \cdot n_t \cdot f_0}$$

$\Rightarrow {}^{35}\text{Kr}^{17+}$ $E=860 \text{ MeV}$ and $n_t=10^{14} \text{ 1/cm}^2$: $T_{sc} \approx 3060 \text{ s}$ (negligible)

Ion momentum spread determined by the transverse electron temperature

ion longitudinal velocity spread σ_{\parallel}

$$\frac{1}{2}m\sigma_{\parallel}^2 = \frac{1}{2}k_b T \quad T - \text{ion temperature}$$

Ion temperature T given by the electron temperature T_e : $T=T_e$

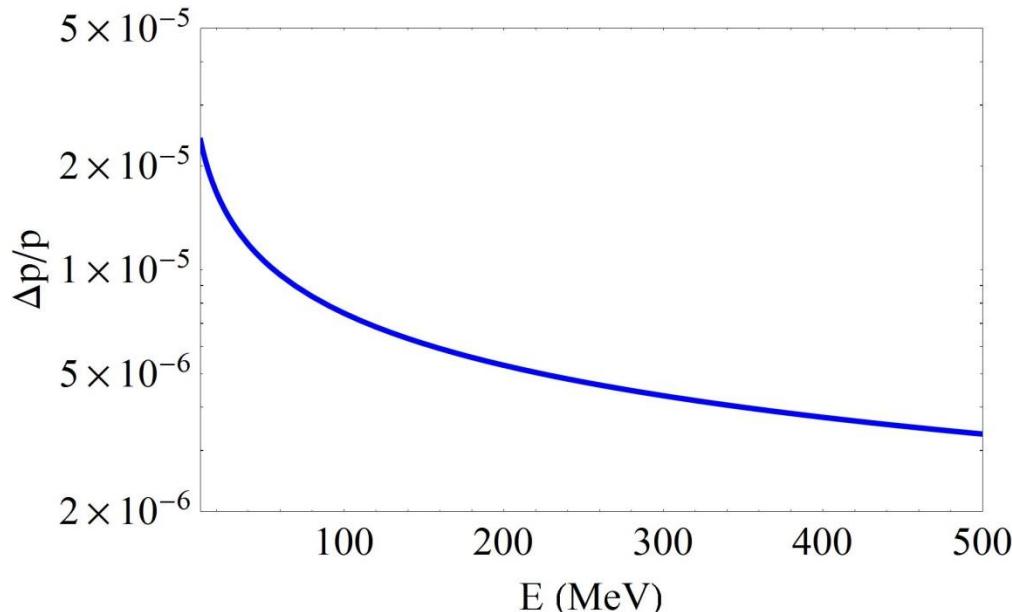
$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{\sigma_{\parallel}}{v_{\parallel}} = \sqrt{\frac{k_b T_e}{2E}} \quad E\text{-ion kinetic energy}$$

There are a longitudinal $T_{e,\parallel}$, a horizontal $T_{e,x}$ and vertical electron temperature $T_{e,y}$
where: $T_{e,x} = T_{e,y} > T_{e,\parallel}$ and $T_{e,x} \approx \frac{T_{\text{cath}}}{\alpha}$ $T_{\text{cath}} \approx 1300 \text{ K}$

T_{cath} - cathode temperature, α - expansion factor of electron beam $\alpha \approx 10$

With $T_e \approx T_{e,x}$ we get:

$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} \approx \sqrt{\frac{k_b T_{\text{cath}}}{\alpha 2E}}$$



Decreasing the cooling time by emittance reduction

